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# PREFACE

#### **TO THE INSTRUCTOR**

#### Philosophy

The cover of this new edition of *Chemistry: The Central Science* features a striking illustration of the structure of graphene, a recently discovered form of carbon. As we began preparing the previous edition in 2006, single-layer graphene was virtually unknown. The extraordinary properties of graphene, and its promise for future applications, has already resulted in a Nobel Prize. An understanding of the structure and many of the properties of graphene is well within the reach of an undergraduate student of general chemistry. Through such examples, it is possible to demonstrate in a general chemistry course that chemistry is a dynamic science in continuous development. New research leads to new applications of chemistry in other fields of science and in technology. In addition, environmental and economic concerns bring about changes in the place of chemistry in society. Our textbook reflects this dynamic, changing character. We hope that it also conveys the excitement that scientists experience in making new discoveries that contribute to our understanding of the physical world.

New ideas about how to teach chemistry are constantly being developed, and many of them are reflected in how our textbook is organized and in the ways in which topics are presented. This edition incorporates a number of new methodologies to assist students, including use of the Internet, computer-based classroom tools, Web-based tools, particularly MasteringChemistry<sup>®</sup>, and more effective means of testing.

As authors, we want this text to be a central, indispensable learning tool for students. It can be carried everywhere and used at any time. It is the one place students can go to obtain the information needed for learning, skill development, reference, and test preparation. At the same time, the text provides the background in modern chemistry that students need to serve their professional interests and, as appropriate, to prepare for more advanced chemistry courses.

If the text is to be effective in supporting your role as teacher, it must be addressed to the students. We have done our best to keep our writing clear and interesting and the book attractive and well illustrated. The book has numerous in-text study aids for students, including carefully placed descriptions of problem-solving strategies. Together we have logged many years of teaching experience. We hope this is evident in our pacing, choice of examples, and the kinds of study aids and motivational tools we have employed. Because we believe that students are more enthusiastic about learning chemistry when they see its importance to their own goals and interests, we have highlighted many important applications of chemistry in everyday life. We hope you make use of this material.

A textbook is only as useful to students as the instructor permits it to be. This book is replete with features that can help students learn and that can guide them as they acquire both conceptual understanding and problem-solving skills. But the text and all the supplementary materials provided to support its use must work in concert with you, the instructor. There is a great deal for the students to use here, too much for all of it to be absorbed by any one student. You will be the guide to the best use of the book. Only with your active help will the students be able to utilize most effectively all that the text and its supplements offer. Students care about grades, of course, and with encouragement they will also become interested in the subject matter and care about learning. Please consider emphasizing features of the book that can enhance student appreciation of chemistry, such as the *Chemistry Put to Work* and *Chemistry and Life* boxes that show how chemistry impacts modern life and its relationship to health and life processes. Learn to use, and urge students to use, the rich Internet resources available. Emphasize conceptual understanding and place less emphasis on simple manipulative, algorithmic problem solving.

#### What's New in This Edition?

A great many changes have been made in producing this twelfth edition. The entire art program for the text has been reworked, and new features connected with the art have been introduced.

- Nearly every figure in the book has undergone some modification, and hundreds of figures have been entirely redone.
- A systematic effort has been made to move information that was contained in figure captions directly into the figures.
- Explanatory labels have been employed extensively in figures to guide the student in understanding the art.
- In several important places, art has been modified to convey the notion of progression in time, as in a reaction. See, for instance, Figures 4.4 and 14.27.
- New designs have been employed to more closely integrate photographic materials into figures that convey chemical principles, as in Figure 2.21.
- A new feature called **Go Figure** has been added to about 40% of the figures. This feature asks the student a question that can be answered by examining the figure. It tests whether the student has in fact examined the figure and understands its primary message. Answers to the **Go Figure** questions are provided in the back of the text.
- New end-of-chapter exercises have been added, and many of those carried over from the eleventh edition have been significantly revised. Results from analysis of student responses to MasteringChemistry, the online homework program connected with the text, have been used to eliminate questions that did not appear to be functioning well and to assess the degree to which instructors have used the end-of-chapter materials. On the basis of these analyses, many exercises have been revised or eliminated.
- Chapter introductions have been redesigned to enhance the student's exposure to the aims of the chapter and its contents.
- The presentation of hybrid orbitals in Chapter 9 and elsewhere has been rewritten to limit the treatment to *s* and *p* orbitals, based on theoretical work indicating that *d* orbital participation in hybridization is not significant.
- The treatment of condensed phases, liquids and solids, has been reorganized into two chapters that contain much new material. Chapter 11 deals with liquids and intermolecular forces, while Chapter 12 deals with solids, starting from the basics of crystal structures and covering a broad range of materials (including metals, semi-conductors, polymers, and nanomaterials) in a cohesive manner.
- Chapter 18 on the Chemistry of the Environment has been substantially revised to focus on how human activities affect Earth's atmosphere and water, and to enlarge the coverage of the green chemistry initiative.
- The treatment of metals, Chapter 23 of the eleventh edition, has been reorganized and augmented. Structure and bonding in metals and alloys are now covered in Chapter 12 (Solids and Modern Materials), and other parts of Chapter 23 have been combined with material from Chapter 24 of the eleventh edition to form a new chapter, Transition Metals and Coordination Chemistry. Material covering occurrences and production of metals that was not widely used by instructors has been eliminated.

Throughout the text, the writing has been improved by enhancing the clarity and flow of ideas while achieving an economy of words. Thus, despite the addition of new features, the length of the text has not changed significantly.

#### **Organization and Contents**

The first five chapters give a largely macroscopic, phenomenological view of chemistry. The basic concepts introduced—such as nomenclature, stoichiometry, and thermochemistry—provide necessary background for many of the laboratory experiments usually performed in general chemistry. We believe that an early introduction to thermochemistry is desirable because so much of our understanding of chemical processes is based on considerations of energy changes. Thermochemistry is also important when we come to a discussion of bond enthalpies. We believe we have produced an effective, balanced approach to teaching thermodynamics in general chemistry, as well as providing students with an introduction to some of the global issues involving energy production and consumption. It is no easy matter to walk the narrow pathway between—on the one hand—trying to teach too much at too high a level and—on the other hand—resorting to oversimplifications. As with the book as a whole, the emphasis has been on imparting *conceptual* understanding, as opposed to presenting equations into which students are supposed to plug numbers.

The next four chapters (Chapters 6–9) deal with electronic structure and bonding. We have largely retained our presentation of atomic orbitals. For more advanced students, *Closer Look* boxes in Chapters 6 and 9 deal with radial probability functions and the phases of orbitals. Our approach of placing this latter discussion in a Closer Look box in Chapter 9 enables those who wish to cover this topic to do so, while others may wish to bypass it. In treating this topic and others in Chapters 7 and 9 we have materially enhanced the accompanying figures to more effectively bring home their central messages.

The focus of the text then changes (Chapters 10–13) to the next level of the organization of matter, examining the states of matter. Chapters 10 and 11 deal with gases, liquids, and intermolecular forces, much as in earlier editions. Chapter 12, however, is now devoted to solids, presenting an enlarged and more contemporary view of the solid state as well as of modern materials. This change is appropriate, given the ever-increasing importance of solid-state materials in solar energy, illumination, and electronics. Chapter 12 provides an opportunity to show how abstract chemical bonding concepts impact real-world applications. The modular organization of the chapter allows you to tailor your coverage to focus on materials (semiconductors, polymers, nanomaterials, and so forth) that are most relevant to your students and your own interests. Chapter 13 treats the formation and properties of solutions in much the same manner as the previous edition.

The next several chapters examine the factors that determine the speed and extent of chemical reactions: kinetics (Chapter 14), equilibria (Chapters 15–17), thermodynamics (Chapter 19), and electrochemistry (Chapter 20). Also in this section is a chapter on environmental chemistry (Chapter 18), in which the concepts developed in preceding chapters are applied to a discussion of the atmosphere and hydrosphere. This chapter has been revised to focus more sharply on the impacts of human activities on Earth's water and atmosphere and on green chemistry.

After a discussion of nuclear chemistry (Chapter 21), the book ends with three survey chapters. Chapter 22, on nonmetals, has been consolidated slightly from the eleventh edition. Chapter 23 now deals with the chemistry of transition metals, including coordination compounds, and the last chapter deals with the chemistry of organic compounds and elementary biochemical themes. These final four chapters are developed in a parallel fashion and can be treated in any order.

Our chapter sequence provides a fairly standard organization, but we recognize that not everyone teaches all the topics in just the order we have chosen. We have therefore made sure that instructors can make common changes in teaching sequence with no loss in student comprehension. In particular, many instructors prefer to introduce gases (Chapter 10) after stoichiometry (Chapter 3) rather than with states of matter. The chapter on gases has been written to permit this change with *no* disruption in the flow of material. It is also possible to treat balancing redox equations (Sections 20.1 and 20.2) earlier, after the introduction of redox reactions in Section 4.4. Finally, some instructors like to cover organic chemistry (Chapter 24) right after bonding (Chapters 8 and 9). This, too, is a largely seamless move.

We have brought students into greater contact with descriptive organic and inorganic chemistry by integrating examples throughout the text. You will find pertinent and relevant examples of "real" chemistry woven into all the chapters to illustrate principles and applications. Some chapters, of course, more directly address the "descriptive" properties of elements and their compounds, especially Chapters 4, 7, 11, 18, and 22–24. We also incorporate descriptive organic and inorganic chemistry in the end-of-chapter exercises.

#### Changes in This Edition

The What's New in This Edition on page xxvii details changes made throughout the new edition. Beyond a mere listing, however, it is worth dwelling on the general goals we set in formulating the twelfth edition. *Chemistry: The Central Science* has traditionally been valued for its clarity of writing, its scientific accuracy and currency, its strong end-of-chapter exercises, and its consistency in level of coverage. In making changes, we have made sure not to compromise these characteristics, and we have also continued to employ an open, clean design in the layout of the book.

The major systemic change in the new edition involves the art program. It is widely recognized that contemporary students rely more on visual learning materials than in the past, yet for the most part textbook art has not evolved greatly in response other than a greater use of molecular art. In this edition, with the help of a strong editorial development team, we have redone a large portion of the figures with the aim of increasing their power as teaching tools. What can we do to encourage students to study a figure, and how can we help them learn from it? The first step has been to incorporate elements that direct attention to the figure's major features. The flow from one important aspect to the next, particularly involving processes occurring over time, has been emphasized through new layouts and through the use of both visual and textual cues, as in Figures 2.15, 4.3, 4.9, and 14.17. Our aim is to draw the student into a more careful and thoughtful viewing through extensive use of explanatory labels and other devices. A new feature called **Go Figure**, analogous to the **Give It Some Thought** exercises we pioneered in the tenth edition, directs attention to the art and provides an opportunity for students to judge whether they have really absorbed the content of the figure. We have also found new and more effective ways to show trends and relationships in figures involving presentations of data, as in Figures 7.6, 8.8, and 8.15.

We have continued to use the **What's Ahead** overview at the opening of each chapter, introduced in the ninth edition. *Concept links* (......) continue to provide easy-to-see cross-references to pertinent material covered earlier in the text. The essays titled *Strategies in Chemistry*, which provide advice to students on problem solving and "thinking like a chemist," continue to be an important feature. The **Give It Some Thought** exercises that we introduced in the tenth edition have proved to be very popular, and we have continued to refine their use. These informal, sharply focused questions give students opportunities to test whether they are "getting it" as they read along.

We have continued to emphasize conceptual exercises in the end-of-chapter exercise materials. The **Visualizing Concepts** exercise category has been continued in this edition. These exercises are designed to facilitate concept understanding through use of models, graphs, and other visual materials. They precede the regular end-of-chapter exercises and are identified in each case with the relevant chapter section number. The **Integrative Exercises**, which give students the opportunity to solve problems that integrate concepts from the present chapter with those of previous chapters, have been continued. The importance of integrative problem solving is highlighted by the **Sample Integrative Exercise** that ends each chapter beginning with Chapter 4. In general, we have included more conceptual end-of-chapter exercises and have made sure that there is a good representation of somewhat more difficult exercises to provide a better mix in terms of topic and level of difficulty. The results from student use of MasteringChemistry have enabled us to more reliably evaluate the effectiveness of our end-of-chapter exercises and make changes accordingly.

New essays in our well-received *Chemistry Put to Work* and *Chemistry and Life* series emphasize world events, scientific discoveries, and medical breakthroughs that have occurred since publication of the eleventh edition. We maintain our focus on the positive aspects of chemistry without neglecting the problems that can arise in an increasingly technological world. Our goal is to help students appreciate the real-world perspective of chemistry and the ways in which chemistry affects their lives.

#### **TO THE STUDENT**

*Chemistry: The Central Science*, Twelfth Edition, has been written to introduce you to modern chemistry. As authors, we have, in effect, been engaged by your instructor to help you learn chemistry. Based on the comments of students and instructors who have used this book in its previous editions, we believe that we have done that job well. Of course, we expect the text to continue to evolve through future editions. We invite you to write to tell us what you like about the book so that we will know where we have helped you most. Also, we would like to learn of any shortcomings so that we might further improve the book in subsequent editions. Our addresses are given at the end of the Preface.

#### Advice for Learning and Studying Chemistry

Learning chemistry requires both the assimilation of many concepts and the development of analytical skills. In this text we have provided you with numerous tools to help you succeed in both tasks. If you are going to succeed in your chemistry course, you will have to develop good study habits. Science courses, and chemistry in particular, make different demands on your learning skills than do other types of courses. We offer the following tips for success in your study of chemistry:

**Don't fall behind!** As the course moves along, new topics will build on material already presented. If you don't keep up in your reading and problem solving, you will find it much harder to follow the lectures and discussions on current topics. Experienced teachers know that students who read the relevant sections of the text *before* coming to a class learn more from the class and retain greater recall. "Cramming" just before an exam has been shown to be an ineffective way to study any subject, chemistry included. So now you know. How important to you in this competitive world is a good grade in chemistry?

**Focus your study.** The amount of information you will be expected to learn can sometimes seem overwhelming. It is essential to recognize those concepts and skills that are particularly important. Pay attention to what your instructor is emphasizing. As you work through the **Sample Exercises** and homework assignments, try to see what general principles and skills they employ. Use the **What's Ahead** feature at the beginning of each chapter to help orient yourself to what is important in each chapter. A single reading of a chapter will simply not be enough for successful learning of chapter concepts and problem-solving skills. You will need to go over assigned materials more than once. Don't skip the **Give It Some Thought** and **Go Figure** features, **Sample Exercises**, and **Practice Exercises**. They are your guides to whether you are learning the material. The **Key Skills** and **Key Equations** at the end of the chapter should help you focus your study.

**Keep good lecture notes.** Your lecture notes will provide you with a clear and concise record of what your instructor regards as the most important material to learn. Using your lecture notes in conjunction with this text is the best way to determine which material to study.

Skim topics in the text before they are covered in lecture. Reviewing a topic before lecture will make it easier for you to take good notes. First read the What's Ahead points and the end-of-chapter Summary; then quickly read through the chapter, skipping Sample Exercises and supplemental sections. Paying attention to the titles of sections and subsections gives you a feeling for the scope of topics. Try to avoid thinking that you must learn and understand everything right away.

After lecture, carefully read the topics covered in class. As you read, pay attention to the concepts presented and to the application of these concepts in the Sample

Exercises. Once you think you understand a Sample Exercise, test your understanding by working the accompanying Practice Exercise.

Learn the language of chemistry. As you study chemistry, you will encounter many new words. It is important to pay attention to these words and to know their meanings or the entities to which they refer. Knowing how to identify chemical substances from their names is an important skill; it can help you avoid painful mistakes on examinations. For example, "chlorine" and "chloride" refer to very different things.

Attempt the assigned end-of-chapter exercises. Working the exercises selected by your instructor provides necessary practice in recalling and using the essential ideas of the chapter. You cannot learn merely by observing; you must be a participant. In particular, try to resist checking the *Student-Solutions Manual* (if you have one) until you have made a sincere effort to solve the exercise yourself. If you get stuck on an exercise, however, get help from your instructor, your teaching assistant, or another student. Spending more than 20 minutes on a single exercise is rarely effective unless you know that it is particularly challenging.

**Use online resources.** Some things are more easily learned by discovery, and others are best shown in three dimensions. If your instructor has included MasteringChemistry with your book, take advantage of the unique tools it provides to get the most out of your time in chemistry.

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#### Antacids

Your stomach secretes acids to help digest foods. These acids, which include hydrochloric acid, contain about 0.1 mol of H<sup>+</sup> per liter of solution. The stomach and digestive tract are normally protected from the corrosive effects of stomach acid by a mucosal lining. Holes can develop in this lining, however, allowing the acid to attack the underlying tissue, causing painful damage. These holes, known as ulcers, can be caused by the secretion of excess acids or by a weakness in the digset of une sected on or excess action of y a weakness in the digset we lining. Studies indicate, however, that many ulcers are caused by bacterial infection. Between 10 and 20% of Americans suffer from ulcers at some point in their lives. Many



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otners experience occasional indigestion of nearthurn due to diges-tive acids entering the esophagus. We can address the problem of excess stomach acid in two ways: (1) removing the excess acid or (2) decreasing the production of acid. Substances that remove excess acid are called *antacids*, whereas those that decrease acid production are called *acid inhibitors*. ◄ FIGURE 4.10 shows several common over-the-counter antacids, which usually contain hydroxide, carbonate, or bicarbonate ions (♥ TABLE 4.4). Antiulcer drugs, such as Tagamet® and Zantac®, are acid inhibitors. They act on acid-producing cells in the lining of the stomach. Formulations that control acid in this way are now available as over-the-counter drugs.

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#### CHEMISTRY AND LIFE

#### DRINKING TOO MUCH WATER CAN KILL YOU

For a long time dehydration was considered a potential danger for people engaged in extended vigorous activity. Thus, athletes were encouraged to drink lots of water while engaged in active sport. The trend toward extensive hydration has spread throughout society, so that today many people carry water bottles everywhere and dutifully keep well hydrated.

In some circumstances, however, drinking too much water is a greater danger than not drinking enough. Excess water consumption can lead to hyponatremia, a condition in which the concentration of sodium ion in the blood is too low. In the past decade at least four marathon runners have died from hyponatremia-related trauma, and dozens more have become seriously ill. For example, a first-time marathoner named Hillary Bellamy, running in the Marine Corps marathon in 2003, collapsed near mile 22 and died the next day. One physician who treated her said that she died from hyponatremia-induced brain swelling, the result of drinking too much water before and during the race.

The normal blood sodium level is 135 to 145 mM (millimolar). When that level drops to 125 mM, dizziness and confusion set in. A concentration below 120 mM can be critical. Dangerously low levels can occur in any active athlete who is sweating out salt (NaCl) at the same time that excessive amounts of NaCl-free water are being drunk to compensate for water loss. The condition affects won more than men because of differences in body composition and pat-terns of metabolism. Drinking a sport drink that contains some electrolytes helps to prevent hyponat

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	SAMPLE EXERCISE 5.6 Measuring $\Delta H$ Using a Coffee	-Cup Calorimeter				
	When a student mixes 50 mL of 1.0 <i>M</i> HCl and 50 mL of 1.0 <i>M</i> NaOH in a coffee-cup calorimeter, the temperature of the resultant solution increases from 21.0 °C to 27.5 °C. Calculate the enthalpy change for the reaction in kJ/mol HCl, assuming that the calorimeter	loses only a negligible quantity of heat, that the total volume of the solution is 100 mL, that its density is 1.0 g/mL, and that its specific heat is 4.18 J/g-K.				
	SOLUTION					
Analyze/Plan/Solve/Check—	Analyze Mixing solutions of HCl and NaOH results in an acid-base	reaction:				
This four-step problem-	$HCl(aq) + NaOH(aq) \longrightarrow H_3O(l) + NaCl(aq)$					
solving method helps you	We need to calculate the heat produced per mole of HCl, given the temperature increase of the solution, the number of moles of HCl and NaOH involved, and the density and specific heat of the solution.					
being asked to solve, to plan	<b>Plan</b> The total heat produced can be calculated using Equation 5.23. The number of moles of HCl consumed in the reaction must be calculated from the volume and molarity of this substance, and this amount is then used to determine the heat produced per mol HCl.					
problem, to work your way	Solve					
hrough the solution, and	Because the total volume of the solution is 100 mL, its mass is	(100  mL)(1.0  g/mL) = 100  g				
o check your answers. This	The temperature change is	$\Delta T = 27.5 ^{\circ}\text{C} - 21.0 ^{\circ}\text{C} = 6.5 ^{\circ}\text{C} = 6.5 ^{\text{K}}$				
nethod is introduced in	Using Equation 5.23, we have	$\begin{aligned} q_{\rm rxn} &= -C_s \times m \times \Delta T \\ &= -(4.18  {\rm J/g-K})(100  {\rm g})(6.5  {\rm K}) = -2.7 \times 10^3  {\rm J} = -2.7  {\rm kJ} \end{aligned}$				
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 $AgNO_3(aq) + HCl(aq) \longrightarrow AgCl(s) + HNO_3(aq)$ 

Calculate  $\Delta H$  for this reaction in kJ/mol AgNO<sub>3</sub>, assuming that the combined solution has a mass of 100.0 g and a specific heat of 4.18 J/g °C.

#### Answer: -68,000 J/mol = -68 kJ/mol

#### STRATEGIES IN CHEMISTRY

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Practice is the key to success in solving problems. As you practice, you can improve your skills by following these steps:

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Step 2: Develop a plan for solving the problem. Consider a possible path between the given information and the unknown. What principles or equations relate the known data to the unknown? Recognize that some data may not be given explicitly in the problem; you may be expected to know certain quantities (such as Avogadro's number) or look them up in tables (such as atomic weights). Recognize also that your plan may involve either a single step or a series of steps with intermediate answers.

Step 3: Solve the problem. Use the known information and suitable equations or relationships to solve for the unknown. Dimensional analysis condition (Section 1.6) is a useful tool for solving a great number of problems. Be careful with significant figures, signs, and units.

Step 4: Check the solution. Read the problem again to make sure you have found all the solutions asked for in the problem. Does your answer make sense? That is, is the answer outrageously large or small or is it in the ballpark? Finally, are the units and significant figures correct?

#### Strategies in Chemistry

Strategies in Chemistry teach ways to analyze information and organize thoughts, helping to improve your problem-solving and critical-thinking abilities.

# UPDATED END-OF-CHAPTER MATERIALS BOOST YOUR COMPREHENSION

Unique to the Twelfth Edition, the end-of-chapter materials have been updated and streamlined based on student performance data gathered through MasteringChemistry. Only content that has proven to increase student comprehension of fundamental concepts has been retained.

#### CHAPTER SUMMARY AND KEY TERMS

INTRODUCTION AND SECTION 3.1 The study of the quantitative relationships between chemical formulas and chemical equations is known as **stoichiometry**. One of the important concepts of stoichiometry is the law of conservation of mass, which states that the total mass of the products of a chemical reaction is the same as the total mass of the reactants. The same numbers of atoms of each type are present before and after a chemical reaction. A balanced **chemical equation** shows equal numbers of atoms of each element on each side of the chamical formulas for the **reactants and products** of a reaction, *not* by chamign the subscripts in chemical formulas.

SECTION 3.2 Among the reaction types described in this chapter are (1) combination reactions, in which two reactants combine to form one product; (2) decomposition reactions, in which a single reactant forms two or more products; and (3) combustion reactions in oxygen, in which a hydrocarbon or related compound reacts with  $O_2$ to form  $CO_2$  and  $H_2O$ .

SECTION 3.3 Much quantitative information can be determined from chemical formulas and balanced chemical equations by using atomic weights. The formula weight of a compound equals the sum of the atomic weights of the atoms in its formula. If the formula is a molecular formula, the formula weight is also called the molecular weight. Atomic weights and formula weights can be used to determine the elemental composition of a compound. SECTION 3.4 A mole of any substance is Avogadro's number  $(6.02 \times 10^{23})$  of formula units of that substance. The mass of a mole of atoms, molecules, or ions (the molar mass) equals the formula weight of that material expressed in grams. The mass of one molecule of H<sub>2</sub>O, for example, is 18 anu, so the mass of 1 mol of H<sub>2</sub>O is 18 g. That is, the molar mass of H<sub>2</sub>O is 18 g/mol.

SECTION 3.5 The empirical formula of any substance can be determined from its percent composition by calculating the relative number of moles of each atom in 100 g of the substance. If the substance is molecular in nature, its molecular formula can be determined from the empirical formula if the molecular weight is also known.

SECTIONS 3.6 AND 3.7 The mole concept can be used to calculate the relative quantities of reactants and products in chemical reactions. The coefficients in a balanced equation give the relative numbers of moles of the reactants and products. To calculate the number of grams of a product from the number of grams of a reactant, first convert grams of reactant to moles of reactant. Then use the coefficients in the balanced equation to convert the number of moles of reactant to moles of product. Finally, convert moles of product to grams of product.

A limiting reactant is completely consumed in a reaction. When it is used up, the reaction stops, thus limiting the quantities of products formed. The **theoretical** yield of a reaction is the quantity of product calculated to form when all of the limiting reactant reacts. The actual yield of a reaction is always less than the theoretical yield. The **percent** yield compares the actual and theoretical yields.

#### Summary with Key Terms

These list all of the chapter's boldfaced items, organized by section in order of appearance, with page references. Definitions are found in the Glossary.

#### **Key Equations**

The **Key Equations** section lists each of the key equations and important quantitative relationships from the chapter.

#### **KEY EQUATIONS**

•  $E_{cl} = \frac{\kappa Q_1 Q_2}{c}$ 

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•  $\mu = Qr$ 

- $\Delta H_{\text{rxn}} = \sum (\text{bond enthalpies of bonds broken}) [8.12] \sum (\text{bond enthalpies of bonds formed})$
- [8.4] The potential energy of two interacting charges
- $[8.11] \qquad {\rm The \ dipole \ moment \ of \ two \ charges \ of \ equal \ magnitude \ but \ opposite \ sign, \ separated \ by \ a \ distance \ r$

[8.12] The enthalpy change as a function of bond enthalpies for reactions involving gas-phase molecules

#### **KEY SKILLS**

- Write Lewis symbols for atoms and ions. (Section 8.1)
- Understand lattice energy and be able to arrange compounds in order of increasing lattice energy based on the charges and sizes of the ions
  involved. (Section 8.2)
- Use atomic electron configurations and the octet rule to write Lewis structures for molecules to determine their electron distribution. (Section 8.3)
- Use electronegativity differences to identify nonpolar covalent, polar covalent, and ionic bonds. (Section 8.4)
- Calculate charge separation in diatomic molecules based on the experimentally measured dipole moment and bond distance. (Section 8.4)
   Calculate formal charges from Lewis structures and use those formal charges to identify the dominant Lewis structure for a molecule or ion. (Section 8.5)
- · Recognize molecules where resonance structures are needed to describe the bonding. (Section 8.6)
- Recognize exceptions to the octet rule and draw accurate Lewis structures even when the octet rule is not obeyed. (Section 8.7)
- Understand the relationship between bond type (single, double, and triple), bond strength (or enthalpy), and bond length. (Section 8.8)
- Use bond enthalpies to estimate enthalpy changes for reactions involving gas-phase reactants and products. (Section 8.8)

#### Key Skills

The **Key Skills** section in each chapter lists the fundamental concepts you should comprehend.

#### VISUALIZING CONCEPTS



- 4.4 A 0.1 M solution of acetic acid, CH3COOH, causes the lightbulb in the apparatus of Figure 4.2 to glow about as brightly as a 0.001 M solution of HBr. How do you account for this fact? [Section 4.1]
- 4.5 You are presented with a white solid and told that due to careless labeling it is not clear if the substance is barium chloride, lead chloride, or zinc chloride. When you transfer the solid to a beaker and add water, the solid dissolves to give a clear solution. Next a  $Na_2SO_4(aq)$  solution is added and a white precipitate forms. What is the identity of the unknown white solid? [Section 4.2]



- 4.6 We have seen that ions in aqueous solution are stabilized by the attractions between the ions and the water molecules Why then do some pairs of ions in solution form precipitates? [Section 4.2]
- 4.7 Which of the following ions will *always* be a spectator ion in a precipitation reaction? (a) Cl<sup>-</sup>, (b) NO<sub>3</sub><sup>-</sup>, (c) NH<sub>4</sub><sup>+</sup>, (d) S<sup>2-</sup>, (e) SO4<sup>2-</sup>. Explain briefly. [Section 4.2]
- 4.8 The labels have fallen off three bottles containing powdered samples of metals; one contains zinc, one lead, and the other platinum. You have three solutions at your disposal: 1 M sodium nitrate, 1 M nitric acid, and 1 M nickel nitrate. How could you use these solutions to determine the identities of each metal powder? [Section 4.4]
- 4.9 Explain how a redox reaction involves electrons in the same way that a neutralization reaction involves protons. [Sections 4.3 and 4.4]
- 4.10 If you want to double the concentration of a solution, how could you do it? [Section 4.5]

#### Visualizing Concepts

Visualizing Concepts exercises begin the end-of-chapter exercises and ask you to consider concepts through the use of models, graphs, and other visual materials. These help you develop a conceptual understanding of the key ideas in the chapter. Additional conceptual exercises are found among the end-of-chapter exercises.

#### **EXERCISES** VISUALIZING CONCEPTS 8.1 For each of these Lewis symbols, indicate the group in the periodic table in which the element X belongs: [Section 8.1] (a) ·X· (b) •X• (c) :X• 8.2 Illustrated are four ions-A, B, X, and Y- showing their relative ionic radii. The ions shown in red carry positive charge



#### Exercises

End-of-Chapter Exercises are grouped by topic and presented in matched pairs based on data gathered from MasteringChemistry, giving you multiple opportunities to test each concept.

#### INTEGRATIVE EXERCISES

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- 6.97 Microwave ovens use microwave radiation to heat food. The energy of the microwaves is absorbed by water molecules in energy of the microwaves is absorbed by water molecules in food and then transferred to other components of the food. (a) Suppose that the microwave radiation has a wavelength of 11.2 cm. How many photons are required to heat 200 mL of coffee from 23 °C to 60 °C2 (b) Suppose the microwave's power is 900 W (1 Watt = 1 joule-second). How long would ou have to heat the coffee in part (a)?
- 6.98 The stratospheric ozone (O3) layer helps to protect us from In a manaphies of solar  $(O_j)$  with response ported in non-harmful ultraviolet radiation. It does so by absorbing ultravio-let light and falling apart into an O<sub>2</sub> molecule and an oxygen atom, a process known as photodissociation.  $O_3(g) \longrightarrow O_2(g) + O(g)$

Use the data in Appendix C to calculate the enthalpy change for this reaction. What is the maximum wavelength a photon can have if it is to possess sufficient energy to cause this disso-ciation? In what portion of the spectrum does this wavelength

[4.114] The newest US standard for arsenate in drinking water, man-dated by the Safe Drinking Water Act, required that by January 2006, public water supplies must contain no greater than 10 parts per billion (ppb) arsenic. If this arsenic is present as arsenate, ASQ4<sup>+\*</sup>, what mass of sodium arsenate would be present in a 1.00-1 sample of drinking water that just mets the standard? Parts per billion is defined on a mass basis as  $ppb = \frac{g \text{ solute}}{g \text{ solution}} \times 10^9.$ 

#### **Integrative Exercises**

Included among the exercises at the end of Chapters 3-24, Integrative Exercises connect concepts for the current chapter with those from previous chapters. These help you gain a deeper understanding of how chemistry fits together and serve as an overall review of key concepts.

#### **Bracketed Challenge Problems**

The Bracketed Challenge Problems have been revised for the Twelfth Edition, based on student performance data gathered through MasteringChemistry reflecting the difficulty of the problem.

#### ADDITIONAL EXERCISES



#### Additional Exercises

Additional Exercises follow the paired exercises and are not categorized, because many of these exercises draw on multiple concepts from within the chapter.

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# WHAT'S AHEAD

#### $1.1\,$ The study of chemistry

We begin with a brief description of what chemistry is, what chemists do, and why it is useful to learn chemistry.

#### 1.2 CLASSIFICATIONS OF MATTER

Next, we examine some fundamental ways to classify matter, distinguishing between *pure substances* and *mixtures* and between *elements* and *compounds*.

#### 1.3 PROPERTIES OF MATTER

We then consider different characteristics, or *properties*, used to characterize, identify, and separate substances.

#### **1.4 UNITS OF MEASUREMENT**

We observe that many properties rely on quantitative measurements involving numbers and units. The units of measurement used throughout science are those of the *metric system*.

#### HUBBLE SPACE TELESCOPE IMAGE

of the Omega Nebula, a 15-light-year-wide expanding remnant of a star's supernova explosion. The orange filaments are the tattered remains of the star and consist mostly of hydrogen, the simplest and most plentiful element in the universe. Hydrogen occurs as molecules in cool regions of the nebula, as atoms in hotter regions, and as ions in the hottest regions. The processes that occur within stars are responsible for creating other chemical elements from hydrogen.

#### 1.5 UNCERTAINTY IN MEASUREMENT

We observe that the uncertainty inherent in all measured quantities is expressed by the number of *significant figures* used to report the quantity. Significant figures are also used to express the uncertainty associated with calculations involving measured quantities.

#### **1.6 DIMENSIONAL ANALYSIS**

We recognize that units as well as numbers are carried through calculations and that obtaining correct units for the result of a calculation is an important way to check whether the calculation is correct.

# INTRODUCTION: Matter and Measurement

HAVE YOU EVER WONDERED why the stars shine? Or why leaves change color in the fall or how a battery generates electricity? Have you ever wondered why keeping foods cold slows their spoilage and how our bodies use food to maintain life? Chemistry answers these questions as well as countless others.

**Chemistry** is the study of matter and the changes that matter undergoes. One of the joys of learning chemistry is seeing how chemical principles operate in all aspects of our lives, from everyday activities like cooking dinner to more complex processes like the development of drugs to cure cancer. Chemical principles also operate in the far reaches of our galaxy (chapter-opening photograph) as well as within and around us.

This first chapter provides an overview of what chemistry is about and what chemists do. The preceding "What's Ahead" list gives an overview of the chapter organization and of some of the ideas we will consider. As you study, keep in mind that the chemical facts and concepts you are asked to learn are not ends in themselves; they are tools to help you better understand the world around you.

#### 1.1 THE STUDY OF CHEMISTRY

Before traveling to an unfamiliar city, you might look at a map to get some sense of where you are heading. Because chemistry may be unfamiliar to you, it's useful to get a general idea of what lies ahead before you embark on your journey. In fact, you might even ask why you are taking the trip.

#### The Atomic and Molecular Perspective of Chemistry

Chemistry is the study of the properties and behavior of matter. **Matter** is the physical material of the universe; it is anything that has mass and occupies space. A **property** is any characteristic that allows us to recognize a particular type of matter and to distinguish it from other types. This book, your body, the air you are breathing, and the clothes you are wearing are all samples of matter. Countless experiments have shown that the tremendous variety of matter in our world is due to combinations of only about 100 substances called **elements**. As we proceed through this text, we will seek to relate the properties of matter to its composition, that is, to the particular elements it contains.

Chemistry also provides a background for understanding the properties of matter in terms of **atoms**, the almost infinitesimally small building blocks of matter. Each element is composed of a unique kind of atom. We will see that the properties of matter relate to both the kinds of atoms the matter contains (*composition*) and to the arrangements of these atoms (*structure*).

In **molecules**, two or more atoms are joined together in specific shapes. Throughout this text you will see molecules represented using colored spheres to show how the atoms are connected (▼ FIGURE 1.1). The color provides a convenient way to distinguish between atoms of different elements. For example, notice that the molecules of ethanol and ethylene glycol in Figure 1.1 have different compositions and structures. Ethanol contains one oxygen atom, depicted by one red sphere. In contrast, ethylene glycol contains two oxygen atoms.

Even apparently minor differences in the composition or structure of molecules can cause profound differences in properties. Ethanol, for example, is the alcohol in

#### **GO FIGURE**

#### How many carbon atoms are in one aspirin molecule?



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beverages such as beer and wine, whereas ethylene glycol is a viscous liquid used as automobile antifreeze. The properties of these two substances differ in many ways, as do their biological activities. Ethanol is consumed throughout the world, but you should *never* consume ethylene glycol because it is highly toxic. One of the challenges chemists undertake is to alter the composition or structure of molecules in a controlled way, creating new substances with different properties.

Every change in the observable world—from boiling water to the changes that occur as our bodies combat invading viruses—has its basis in the world of atoms and molecules. Thus, as we proceed with our study of chemistry, we will find ourselves thinking in two realms: the *macroscopic* realm of ordinary-sized objects (*macro* = large) and the *submicroscopic* realm of atoms and molecules. We make our observations in the macroscopic world, but in order to understand that world, we must visualize how atoms and molecules behave at the submicroscopic level. Chemistry is the science that seeks to understand the properties and behavior of matter by studying the properties and behavior of atoms and molecules.

#### 🔺 GIVE IT SOME THOUGHT

- a. Approximately how many elements are there?
- b. What submicroscopic particles are the building blocks of matter?

#### Why Study Chemistry?

Chemistry greatly impacts our daily lives. Indeed, chemistry lies near the heart of many matters of public concern: improvement of health care, conservation of natural resources, protection of the environment, and provision of our daily needs for food, clothing, and shelter. Using chemistry, we have discovered pharmaceutical chemicals that enhance health and prolong lives. We have increased food production through the use of fertilizers and pesticides, and we have developed plastics and other materials used in almost every facet of our lives, from electronics to sporting equipment to building construction. Unfortunately, some chemicals can harm our health or the environment. As educated citizens and consumers, it is in our best interest to understand the profound effects, both positive and negative, that chemicals have on our lives and to strike an informed balance about their uses.

Most of you are studying chemistry, however, not merely to satisfy your curiosity or to become more informed consumers or citizens but also because it is an essential part of your curriculum. Your major might be chemistry, but it could be biology, engineering, pharmacy, agriculture, geology, or some other field. Why do so many subjects share an essential tie to chemistry? The answer is that chemistry is the *central science*, central to a fundamental understanding of other sciences and technologies. For example, our interactions with the material world raise basic questions about the materials around us. What are their compositions and properties? How do they interact with us and with our environment? How, why, and when do materials undergo change? These questions are important whether the material is part of a solar cell, a pigment used by a Renaissance painter, or a living creature (**▼ FIGURE 1.2**).





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#### **◄ FIGURE 1.2**

#### Chemistry helps us understand the world around us.

(a) Solar cells are made of silicon.
(b) A Renaissance painting, *Young Girl Reading*, by Vittore Carpaccio (1472–1526), uses pigments that keep their color for years.
(c) The light from this firefly is the result of a chemical reaction within the animal.

By studying chemistry, you will learn to use the powerful language and ideas that have evolved to describe and enhance our understanding of matter. Furthermore, an understanding of chemistry provides powerful insights into other areas of modern science, technology, and engineering.

#### **CHEMISTRY PUT TO WORK**

#### Chemistry and the Chemical Industry

Chemistry is all around us. Many people are familiar with household chemicals such as those shown in ► FIGURE 1.3, but few realize the size and importance of the chemical industry. Worldwide sales of chemicals and related products manufactured in

the United States total approximately \$550 billion annually. The chemical industry employs more than 10% of all scientists and engineers and is a major contributor to the US economy.

Vast amounts of chemicals are produced each year and serve as raw materials for a variety of uses, including the manufacture and processing of metals, plastics, fertilizers, pharmaceuticals, fuels, paints, adhesives, pesticides, synthetic fibers, and microprocessor chips. ▼ TABLE 1.1 lists the top eight chemicals produced in the United States.

Who are chemists, and what do they do? People who have degrees in chemistry hold a variety of positions in industry, government, and academia. Those in industry work as laboratory chemists, developing new products (research and development), analyzing materials (quality control), or assisting customers in using products (sales and service). Those with more experience or training may work as managers or company directors. Chemists are important members of the scientific workforce in government (the National Institutes of Health, Department of Energy, and Environmental Protection Agency all employ chemists) and at universities. A chemistry degree is also good preparation for careers in teaching, medicine, biomedical research, information science, environmental work, technical sales, work with government regulatory agencies, and patent law.

Fundamentally, chemists do three things: (1) make new types of matter: materials, substances, or combinations of substances with



#### FIGURE 1.3 Common household chemicals.

desired properties; (2) measure the properties of matter; and (3) develop models that explain and/or predict the properties of matter. One chemist, for example, may spend years working in the laboratory to discover new drugs. Another may concentrate on the development of new instrumentation to measure properties of matter at the atomic level. Other chemists may use existing materials and methods to understand how pollutants are transported in the environment or how drugs are processed in the body. Yet another chemist will develop theory, write computer code, or run computer simulations to understand how molecules move and react on very fast time scales. The collective chemical enterprise is a rich mix of all of these activities.

Rank	Chemical	Formula	2008 Production (Billions of Pounds)	Principal End Uses
1	Sulfuric acid	H <sub>2</sub> SO <sub>4</sub>	71	Fertilizers, chemical manufacturing
2	Ethylene	$C_2H_4$	50	Plastics, antifreeze
3	Lime	CaO	44	Paper, cement, steel
4	Propylene	$C_3H_6$	33	Plastics
5	Ammonia	NH <sub>3</sub>	21	Fertilizers
6	Chlorine	Cl <sub>2</sub>	21	Bleaches, plastics, water purification
7	Phosphoric acid	H <sub>3</sub> PO <sub>4</sub>	20	Fertilizers
8	Sodium hydroxide	NaOH	16	Aluminum production,
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#### TABLE 1.1 • The Top Eight Chemicals Produced by the US Chemical Industry in 2008<sup>a</sup>

<sup>a</sup>Most data from Chemical and Engineering News, July 6, 2009, pp. 53, 56. Data on lime from U.S. Geological Survey.

#### 1.2 **CLASSIFICATIONS OF MATTER**

Let's begin our study of chemistry by examining some fundamental ways in which matter is classified. Two principal ways of classifying matter are according to physical state (gas, liquid, or solid) and according to composition (element, compound, or mixture).

#### States of Matter

A sample of matter can be a gas, a liquid, or a solid. These three forms, called the **states of matter**, differ in some of their observable properties. A **gas** (also known as *vapor*) has no fixed volume or shape; rather, it conforms to the volume and shape of its container. A gas can be compressed to occupy a smaller volume, or it can expand to occupy a larger one. A **liquid** has a distinct volume independent of its container but has no specific shape. It assumes the shape of the portion of the container it occupies. A **solid** has both a definite shape and a definite volume. Neither liquids nor solids can be compressed to any appreciable extent.

The properties of the states of matter can be understood on the molecular level (**FIGURE 1.4**). In a gas the molecules are far apart and moving at high speeds, colliding repeatedly with one another and with the walls of the container. Compressing a gas decreases the amount of space between molecules and increases the frequency of collisions between molecules but does not alter the size or shape of the molecules. In a liquid the molecules are packed closely together but still move rapidly. The rapid movement allows the molecules to slide over one another; thus, a liquid pours easily. In a solid the molecules are held tightly together, usually in definite arrangements in which the molecules can wiggle only slightly in their otherwise fixed positions. Thus, the distances between molecules are similar in the liquid and solid states, but the two states differ in how free the molecules are to move around. Changes in temperature and/or pressure can lead to conversion from one state of matter to another, illustrated by such familiar processes as ice melting or water vapor condensing.

#### **Pure Substances**

Most forms of matter we encounter—the air we breathe (a gas), the gasoline we burn in our cars (a liquid), and the sidewalk we walk on (a solid)—are not chemically pure. We can, however, sepa-

rate these forms of matter into pure substances. A **pure substance** (usually referred to simply as a *substance*) is matter that has distinct properties and a composition that does not vary from sample to sample. Water and table salt (sodium chloride), the primary components of seawater, are examples of pure substances.

All substances are either elements or compounds. **Elements** are substances that cannot be decomposed into simpler substances. On the molecular level, each element is composed of only one kind of atom [ $\triangleright$  FIGURE 1.5(a and b)]. Compounds are substances composed of two or more elements; they contain two or more kinds of atoms [Figure 1.5(c)]. Water, for example, is a compound composed of two elements: hydrogen and oxygen. Figure 1.5(d) shows a mixture of substances. Mixtures are combinations of two or more substances in which each substance retains its chemical identity.

#### **Elements**

Currently, 118 elements are known, though they vary widely in abundance. For example, only five elements—oxygen, silicon, aluminum, iron, and calcium—account for over 90% of Earth's crust (including oceans and atmosphere) and only three—oxygen,

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▲ FIGURE 1.4 The three physical states of water—water vapor, liquid water, and ice. We see the liquid and solid states but cannot see the gas (vapor) state. When we look at steam or clouds, we see tiny droplets of liquid water dispersed in the atmosphere. The red arrows show that the three states of matter interconvert.