

Naming ions, ionic and
molecular compounds, acid,
polyatomic ions and more!!!!

IONIC COMPOUNDS versus MOLECULAR COMPOUNDS

ionic compound: consist of **cations** (positive ions) and **anions** (negative ions) held together by electrostatic attraction

- usually **metal + nonmetal(s)**
- made of monatomic ions, polyatomic ions, and/or both
 - **monatomic ions:** consist of a single atom
 - **polyatomic ions:** consist of more than one atom

molecular compound: consist of **nonmetal atoms** bonded together by shared electrons (covalent bonding)

- **acid:** a molecular compound that releases hydrogen ions (H^+) when dissolved in water

NAMING MONATOMIC CATIONS:

Metal atoms lose valence electrons to form positively charged ions, called **cations**.

An ion formed from an individual atom is a **monatomic** (or monoatomic) **cation**.

- I. Groups IA, IIA, IIIA elements silver (Ag), and zinc (Zn) form only one type of ion:
 - Group IA elements form +1 ions: H^+ , Li^+ , Na^+ , K^+
 - Group IIA elements form +2 ions: Be^{+2} , Mg^{+2} , Ca^{+2} , Sr^{+2} , Ba^{+2}
 - Group IIIA elements form +3 ions: Al^{+3}
 - silver ion = Ag^+ ; zinc ion = Zn^{+2}

When a Group IA, IIA, IIIA element, silver, or zinc forms an ion, it is named:

element name + ion

e.g. Na^+ = sodium ion

Sr^{+2} = strontium ion

Zn^{+2} = zinc ion

Name each of the following monatomic cations:

Li^+ = _____

Ba^{+2} = _____

Ag^+ = _____

Cu^{+2} = _____

NAMING MONATOMIC ANIONS:

Nonmetal atoms gain valence electrons to form *negatively charged ions* called **anions**.

When a nonmetal forms an ion, it is named:

element stem name + “ide” + ion

e.g. O = oxygen atom \Rightarrow O^{-2} = oxide ion
 N = nitrogen atom \Rightarrow N^{-3} = nitride ion

$F^- =$ _____

$Cl^- =$ _____

NAMING POLYATOMIC IONS:

Ions made up of more than one atom are **polyatomic ions**:

- only one polyatomic cation: NH_4^+ = ammonium ion
- many polyatomic anions: see table below

NH_4^+ = ammonium ion

Polyatomic Ions

OH^- = hydroxide ion

NO_2^- = nitrite ion

$\text{C}_2\text{H}_3\text{O}_2^-$ = acetate ion

CN^- = cyanide ion

NO_3^- = nitrate ion

PO_4^{3-} = phosphate ion

CrO_4^{2-} = chromate ion

SO_4^{2-} = sulfate ion

MnO_4^- = permanganate ion

$\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7^{2-}$ = dichromate ion

SO_3^{2-} = sulfite ion

CO_3^{2-} = carbonate ion

HCO_3^- = hydrogen carbonate ion or bicarbonate ion

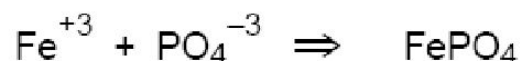
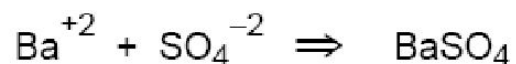
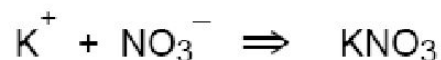
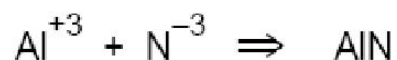
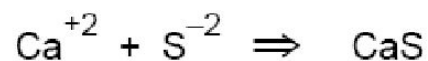
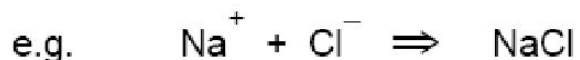
Name each of the following polyatomic ions:

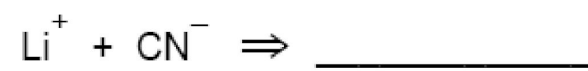
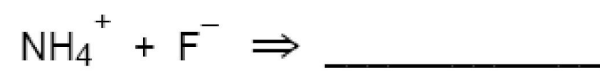


WRITING CHEMICAL FORMULAS GIVEN INDIVIDUAL IONS

Compounds must be neutral \Rightarrow total +ve charge = total -ve charge

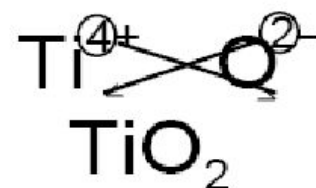
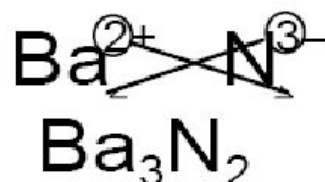
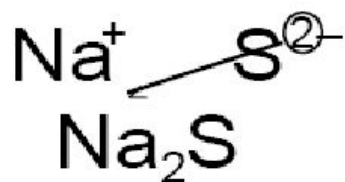
1. If the two ions have exactly opposite charges (+1 and -1, +2 and -2, +3 and -3)
 \Rightarrow formula of the compound contains one of each ion





2a. If two monatomic ions have different charges
⇒ **use crossover rule to get formula of the compound**

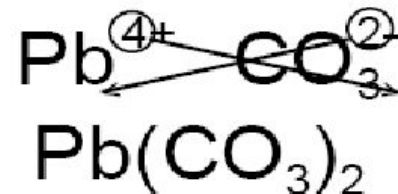
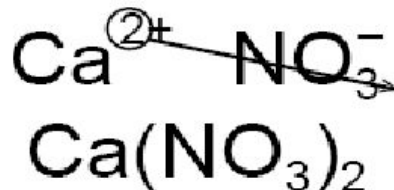
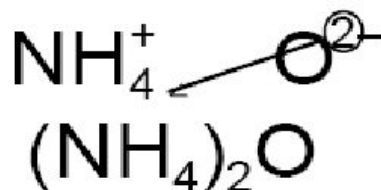
- superscript for cation becomes subscript for anion
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 - **simplify subscripts** to get lowest ratio of atoms
- (Note: **Only the numbers cross down**, not the signs!)



Ti_2O_4 is simplified!

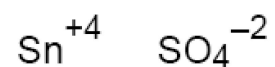
b. If two ions have different charges and at least polyatomic ion is involved
⇒ **use crossover rule to get formula of the compound**

- if more than one of polyatomic ion in formula, use parentheses
 - **simplify subscripts** to get lowest ratio of atoms
- (Note: Again only the numbers cross down, not the signs!)



$\text{Pb}_2(\text{CO}_3)_4$ is simplified!

Combine each pair of ions to get the formula of the compound they form:



CHEMICAL FORMULAS AND NAMES FROM INDIVIDUAL IONS

Compounds are named from the individual ions they come from.

Name the cation and the anion, then remove "ion" from each name:

e.g. Na^+ = sodium ion

Cl^- = chloride ion \Rightarrow NaCl = sodium chloride

K^+ = potassium ion

CO_3^{2-} = carbonate ion \Rightarrow K_2CO_3 = potassium carbonate

Fe^{+3} = iron (III) ion

NO_3^- = nitrate ion \Rightarrow $\text{Fe}(\text{NO}_3)_3$ = iron (III) nitrate

Ag^+ = silver ion

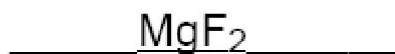
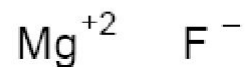
S^{2-} = sulfide ion \Rightarrow Ag_2S = silver sulfide

Combine each pair of ions to get the chemical formula, then name the compound:

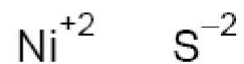
Individual ions

Compound Formula

Compound Name



 magnesium fluoride





1. If the metal is in Groups IA–IIIA, silver, cadmium, or zinc, then just name the metal cation and the anion:

e.g. **NaCl** \Rightarrow Na = **sodium** and Cl = **chloride** \Rightarrow **sodium chloride**

BaI₂ \Rightarrow Ba = **barium** and I = **iodide** \Rightarrow **barium iodide**

Al(OH)₃ \Rightarrow Al = **aluminum** and OH = **hydroxide** \Rightarrow **aluminum hydroxide**

ZnSO₄ \Rightarrow Zn = **zinc** and SO₄ = **sulfate** \Rightarrow **zinc sulfate**

2. If the metal can form more than one ion,
 - a. Determine the charge on the cation using the charge on the anion.
 - b. Name the cation and the anion, then remove "ion" from both

e.g. **Ni Br₂** \Rightarrow Since the ion formed is Br⁻, then 2 Br's have an overall negative charge of -2. To get an overall charge of zero for the compound, the overall positive charge must be +2. Thus, Ni must have a charge of +2, so the ion nickel forms is Ni⁺².

\Rightarrow Ni⁺² = nickel (II) ion Br⁻ = bromide ion

\Rightarrow NiBr₂ = nickel (II) bromide

- c. If a polyatomic ion is involved, remember that more than one polyatomic is shown in parentheses—i.e. **DO NOT multiply the charge of the polyatomic ion with the subscript of the atoms in a polyatomic ion.**

CuSO₄ ⇒ There is only ONE Cu and ONE SO₄, so get the charge for the Cu based on the SO₄. The formula is **SO₄⁻²**, and there is only ONE **SO₄⁻²**, so **Cu**'s charge here must be **+2** for the compound to have an overall charge of zero.

⇒ **Cu⁺²** = copper (II) ion **SO₄⁻²** = sulfate ion

then ⇒ **CuSO₄** = copper (II) sulfate

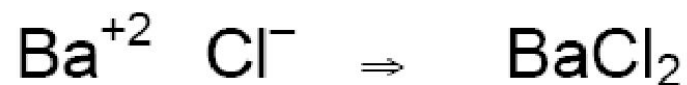
Give the name for each compound given its chemical formula:

Formula	Individual Ions	Name of Compound
MgCl ₂	Mg ⁺² Cl ⁻	magnesium chloride
LiOH		
ZnCO ₃		

WRITING CHEMICAL FORMULAS GIVEN THE COMPOUND NAME

Get the individual ions from the name, then combine them using the crossover rule:

e.g. barium chloride \Rightarrow barium = Ba^{+2} chloride = Cl^{-}



aluminum sulfate \Rightarrow aluminum = Al^{+3} sulfate = SO_4^{-2}



Give the chemical formula for each compound given its name:

Name of Compound	individual ions	Formula
lithium cyanide	$\text{Li}^+ \text{CN}^-$	LiCN
iron (III) sulfate		
calcium iodide		

NAMING MOLECULAR COMPOUNDS

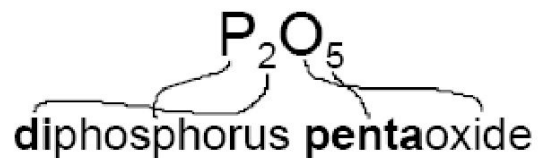
Indicate number of atoms of each element with **Greek prefix** before element name:

# of atoms	Greek Prefix	# of atoms	Greek Prefix
1	mono (usually omitted)	6	hexa
2	di	7	hepta
3	tri	8	octa
4	tetra	9	nona
5	penta	10	deca

For the **first element**: Greek prefix + element name

For the **second element**: Greek prefix + element name stem + “-ide”

Note: **Mono is generally omitted**, except in common names like
CO = carbon monoxide



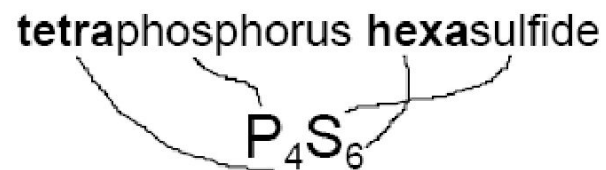
Name the following molecular compounds:

SO_3 = _____ SiBr_4 = _____

DETERMINING FORMULAS OF MOLECULAR COMPOUNDS

Use Greek prefix(es) to determine number of atoms of each element in formula.

Get **elements** and **number of atoms** of each from name:



Give the formulas for each of the following molecular compounds:

nitrogen trichloride

dibromine heptaoxide

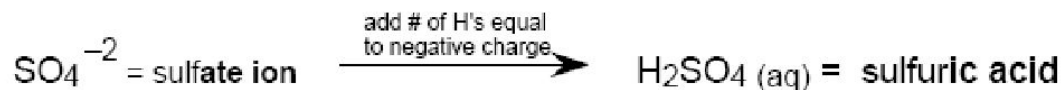
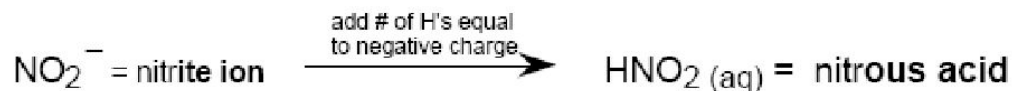
dinitrogen pentasulfide

DETERMINING FORMULAS AND NAMES OF ACIDS FROM IONS

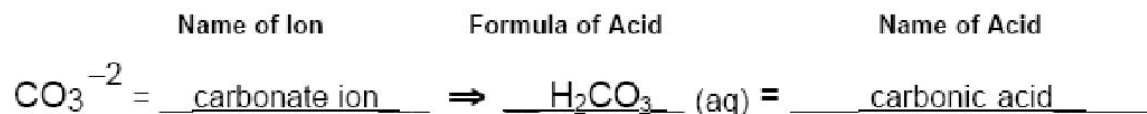
Given an ion,

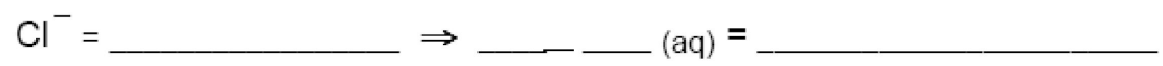
we can get formula of acid by: adding **H atoms** equal to negative charge on ion

we can name for acid: depending on suffix of ion name



Name each of the following ions, and determine the formula and name of the corresponding acid that forms from the ion.





PUTTING IT ALL TOGETHER:

Name each of the following compounds:

BaCl₂ _____

NiBr₂ _____

HNO₃(aq) _____

SO₂ _____