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CHEM1904 - CHEMISTRY 1B (SPECIAL STUDIES PROGRAM)

SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATION

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TIME ALLOWED: THREE HOURS

GIVE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION IN BLOCK LETTERS

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OTHER NAMES		TABLE NUMBER	

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- All questions are to be attempted. There are 19 pages of examinable material.
- Complete the written section of the examination paper in **INK**.
- Read each question carefully. Report the appropriate answer and show all relevant working in the space provided.
- The total score for this paper is 100. The possible score per page is shown in the adjacent tables.
- Each new question of the short answer section begins with a •.
- Electronic calculators, including programmable calculators, may be used. Students are warned, however, that credit may not be given, even for a correct answer, where there is insufficient evidence of the working required to obtain the solution.
- Numerical values required for any question, standard electrode reduction potentials, a Periodic Table and some useful formulas may be found on the separate data sheet.
- Pages 16, 18, 22 & 24 are for rough working only.

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Multiple choice section

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Short answer section

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- Explain in terms of their electronic configurations and ionisation energies why the alkali metals (Group 1) are powerful *reducing* agents.

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- The half-life for the first order decomposition of $\text{N}_2\text{O}_5(\text{g})$ is $6.00 \times 10^4 \text{ s}$ at 20°C . Calculate the rate constant, k , at this temperature.

 $k =$

What percentage of the N_2O_5 molecules will have reacted after one hour?

ANSWER:

- The solubility product constant of $\text{Fe}(\text{OH})_3$ is $1 \times 10^{-39} \text{ M}^4$. What is the concentration of $\text{Fe}^{3+}(\text{aq})$ in equilibrium with $\text{Fe}(\text{OH})_3$ at pH 7.0?

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ANSWER:

To what value does the pH need to be increased to decrease the concentration of $\text{Fe}^{3+}(\text{aq})$ to a single $\text{Fe}^{3+}(\text{aq})$ ion per litre of solution?

ANSWER:

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- Complete the following table.

Formula	Oxidation state of transition metal	Coordination number of transition metal	Number of <i>d</i> -electrons in metal in complex ion	Species formed upon dissolving in water
$\text{K}_2[\text{Ni}(\text{CN})_4]$				
$[\text{Cr}(\text{NH}_3)_5\text{Cl}]\text{Cl}_2$				
$[\text{Co}(\text{en})_3]\text{Br}_3$				

en = ethylenediamine = $\text{NH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{NH}_2$

- Teeth are made from hydroxyapatite, $\text{Ca}_5(\text{PO}_4)_3\text{OH}$. Why does an acidic medium promote tooth decay and how can the decay be stopped using fluoridation of drinking water? Use chemical equations where appropriate.

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- Solution A consists of a 0.15 M aqueous solution of nitrous acid (HNO_2) at 25 °C. Calculate the pH of Solution A. The $\text{p}K_a$ of HNO_2 is 3.15.

ANSWER:

At 25 °C, 1.00 L of Solution B consists of 13.8 g of sodium nitrite (NaNO_2) dissolved in water. Calculate the pH of Solution B.

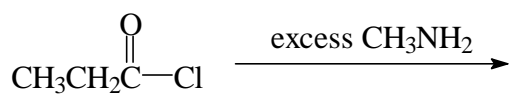
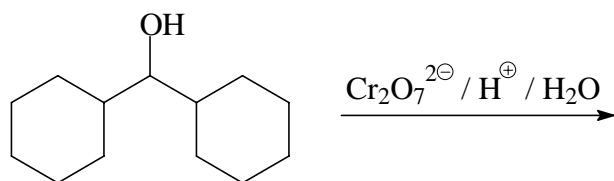
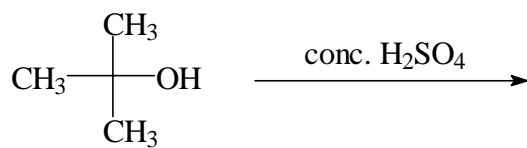
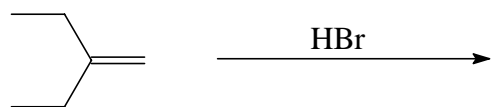
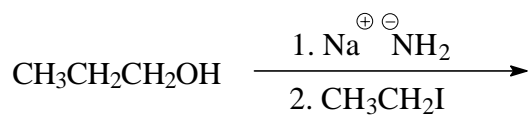
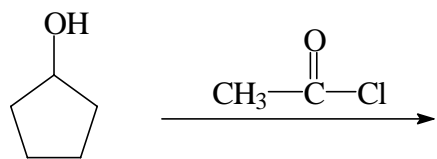
ANSWER:

Solution B (1.00 L) is poured into Solution A (1.00 L) and allowed to equilibrate at 25 °C. Calculate the pH of the final solution.

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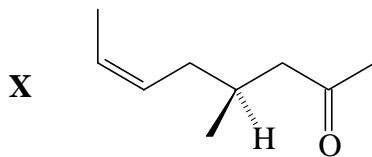
If you wanted to adjust the pH of the mixture of Solution A and Solution B to be exactly equal to 3.00, which component in the mixture would you need to increase in concentration?

- Draw the constitutional formula(s) of the major organic product(s) formed in each of the following reactions.

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- Compound **X** was isolated as a derivative of a natural product.



Carbon 4 of **X** is a stereogenic centre. List the substituents attached to C4 in descending order of priority according to the sequence rules.

highest priority

lowest priority

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What is the systematic name for compound **X**? Make sure you include all relevant stereochemical descriptors.

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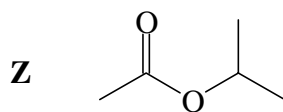
Reduction of **X** with sodium borohydride (NaBH_4) followed by quenching the reaction with dilute acid gives **Y**. Give the constitutional formula for **Y**.

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Product **Y** can be separated into two isomers. Explain.

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- Compound **Z** can readily be identified by ^1H NMR spectroscopy.

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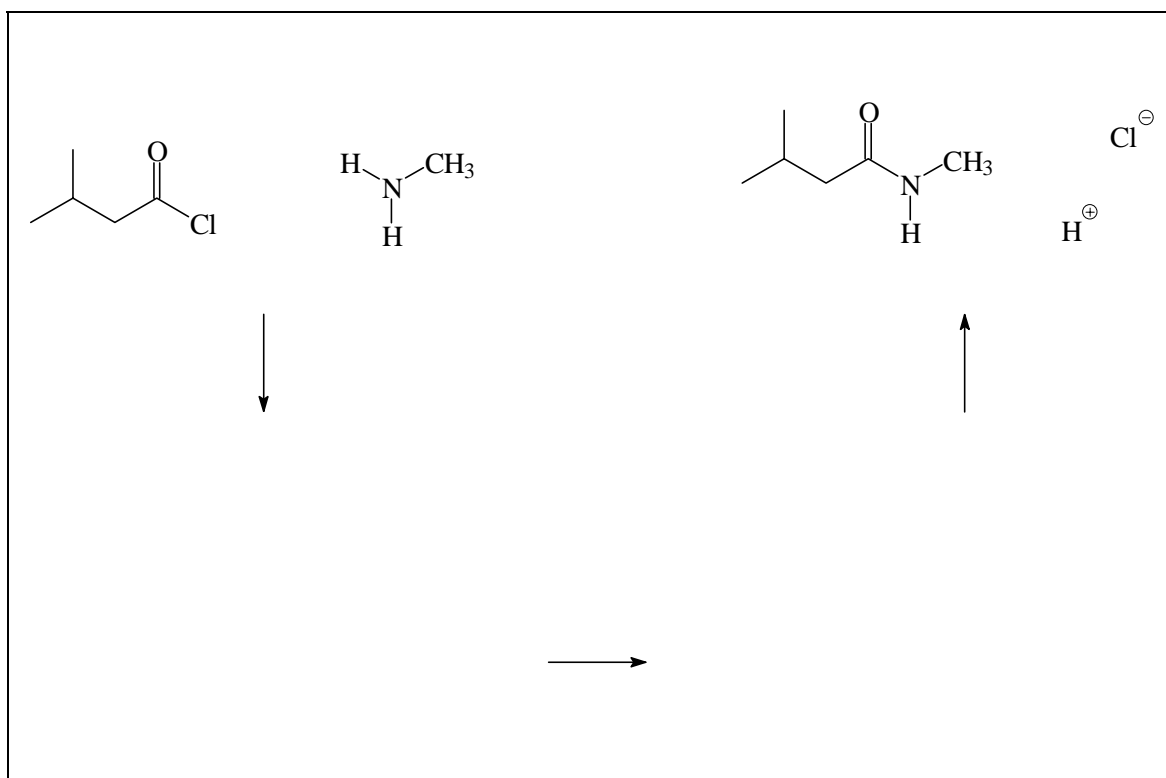
How many signals would you expect to see in the ^1H NMR spectrum of compound **Z**?

Write the letters **a**, **b**, **c**, *etc* on the diagram of compound **Z** to identify each unique hydrogen environment giving rise to a signal in the ^1H NMR spectrum.

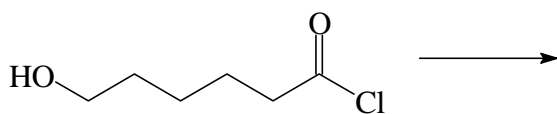
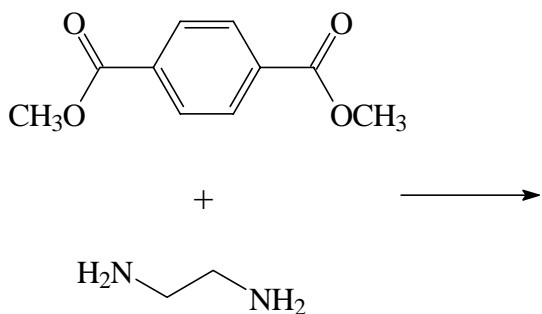
Sketch the ^1H NMR spectrum for compound **Z**. Label each signal in the spectrum with **a**, **b**, **c**, *etc* to correspond with your assignments on the diagram of **Z** above. Make sure you show the relative number of hydrogens and the splitting pattern (number of fine lines) you would expect to see for each signal.

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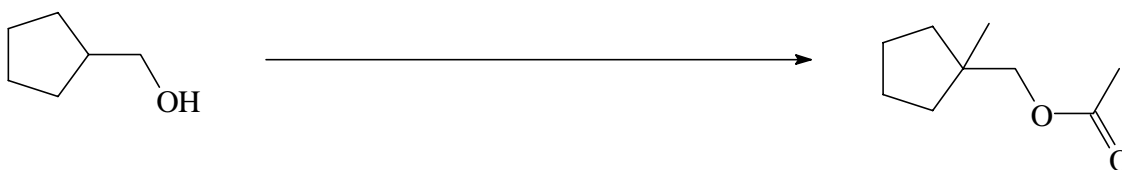
- Complete the three step mechanism for the reaction given below. Draw intermediate structures, curly arrows and partial charges as appropriate to illustrate the bonding changes that take place.



- Draw the repeating unit of the polymer formed in the following reactions.

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- Show clearly the reagents you would use to carry out the following chemical conversion. Draw constitutional formulas for any intermediate compounds. NOTE: More than one step is necessary.

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DATA SHEET

Physical constants

Avogadro constant, $N_A = 6.022 \times 10^{23} \text{ mol}^{-1}$

Faraday constant, $F = 96485 \text{ C mol}^{-1}$

Planck constant, $h = 6.626 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J s}$

Speed of light in vacuum, $c = 2.998 \times 10^8 \text{ m s}^{-1}$

Rydberg constant, $E_R = 2.18 \times 10^{-18} \text{ J}$

Boltzmann constant, $k_B = 1.381 \times 10^{-23} \text{ J K}^{-1}$

Gas constant, $R = 8.314 \text{ J K}^{-1} \text{ mol}^{-1}$
 $= 0.08206 \text{ L atm K}^{-1} \text{ mol}^{-1}$

Properties of matter

Volume of 1 mole of ideal gas at 1 atm and 25 °C = 24.5 L

Volume of 1 mole of ideal gas at 1 atm and 0 °C = 22.4 L

Density of water at 298 K = 0.997 g cm^{-3}

Conversion factors

1 atm = 760 mmHg = 101.3 kPa

0 °C = 273 K

1 L = 10^{-3} m^3

1 Å = 10^{-10} m

1 eV = $1.602 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}$

1 Ci = $3.70 \times 10^{10} \text{ Bq}$

1 Hz = 1 s^{-1}

Decimal fractions

Fraction	Prefix	Symbol
10^{-3}	milli	m
10^{-6}	micro	μ
10^{-9}	nano	n
10^{-12}	pico	p

Decimal multiples

Multiple	Prefix	Symbol
10^3	kilo	k
10^6	mega	M
10^9	giga	G

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Standard Reduction Potentials, E°

Reaction	E° / V
$\text{Co}^{3+}(\text{aq}) + \text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{Co}^{2+}(\text{aq})$	+1.82
$\text{Ce}^{4+}(\text{aq}) + \text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{Ce}^{3+}(\text{aq})$	+1.72
$\text{Cl}_2 + 2\text{e}^- \rightarrow 2\text{Cl}^-(\text{aq})$	+1.36
$\text{O}_2 + 4\text{H}^+(\text{aq}) + 4\text{e}^- \rightarrow 2\text{H}_2\text{O}$	+1.23
$\text{Pd}^{2+}(\text{aq}) + 2\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{Pd}(\text{s})$	+0.92
$\text{Ag}^+(\text{aq}) + \text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{Ag}(\text{s})$	+0.80
$\text{Fe}^{3+}(\text{aq}) + \text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{Fe}^{2+}(\text{aq})$	+0.77
$\text{Cu}^+(\text{aq}) + \text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{Cu}(\text{s})$	+0.53
$\text{Cu}^{2+}(\text{aq}) + 2\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{Cu}(\text{s})$	+0.34
$\text{Sn}^{4+}(\text{aq}) + 2\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{Sn}^{2+}(\text{aq})$	+0.15
$2\text{H}^+(\text{aq}) + 2\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{H}_2(\text{g})$	0 (by definition)
$\text{Fe}^{3+}(\text{aq}) + 3\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{Fe}(\text{s})$	-0.04
$\text{Pb}^{2+}(\text{aq}) + 2\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{Pb}(\text{s})$	-0.13
$\text{Sn}^{2+}(\text{aq}) + 2\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{Sn}(\text{s})$	-0.14
$\text{Ni}^{2+}(\text{aq}) + 2\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{Ni}(\text{s})$	-0.24
$\text{Fe}^{2+}(\text{aq}) + 2\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{Fe}(\text{s})$	-0.44
$\text{Cr}^{3+}(\text{aq}) + 3\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{Cr}(\text{s})$	-0.74
$\text{Zn}^{2+}(\text{aq}) + 2\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{Zn}(\text{s})$	-0.76
$2\text{H}_2\text{O} + 2\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{H}_2(\text{g}) + 2\text{OH}^-(\text{aq})$	-0.83
$\text{Cr}^{2+}(\text{aq}) + 2\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{Cr}(\text{s})$	-0.89
$\text{Al}^{3+}(\text{aq}) + 3\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{Al}(\text{s})$	-1.68
$\text{Mg}^{2+}(\text{aq}) + 2\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{Mg}(\text{s})$	-2.36
$\text{Na}^+(\text{aq}) + \text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{Na}(\text{s})$	-2.71

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Useful Formulas

Quantum Chemistry

$$E = h\nu = hc/\lambda$$

$$\lambda = h/mu$$

$$4.5k_B T = hc/\lambda$$

$$E = Z^2 E_R (1/n^2)$$

Kinetics

$$k = Ae^{-E_a/RT}$$

$$t_{1/2} = \ln 2/k$$

$$\ln[A] = \ln[A]_0 - kt$$

Gas Laws

$$PV = nRT$$

$$(P + n^2 a/V^2)(V - nb) = nRT$$

Colligative Properties

$$\pi = cRT$$

$$p = kc$$

$$P_{\text{solution}} = X_{\text{solvent}} \times P_{\text{solvent}}^\circ$$

$$\Delta T_f = K_f m$$

$$\Delta T_b = K_b m$$

Polymers

$$R_g = \sqrt{\frac{nl_0^2}{6}}$$

Thermodynamics & Equilibrium

$$\Delta G^\circ = \Delta H^\circ - T\Delta S^\circ$$

$$\Delta G = \Delta G^\circ + RT \ln Q$$

$$\Delta G^\circ = -RT \ln K$$

$$K_p = K_c (RT)^{\Delta n}$$

Radioactivity

$$A = \lambda N$$

$$\ln(N_0/N_t) = \lambda t$$

$$^{14}\text{C age} = 8033 \ln(A_0/A_t)$$

Acids and Bases

$$pK_w = \text{pH} + \text{pOH} = 14.00$$

$$pK_w = pK_a + pK_b = 14.00$$

$$\text{pH} = pK_a + \log\{[A^-] / [HA]\}$$

Electrochemistry

$$\Delta G^\circ = -nFE^\circ$$

$$\text{Moles of } e^- = It/F$$

$$E = E^\circ - (RT/nF) \ln Q$$

$$= E^\circ - (RT/nF) \times 2.303 \log Q$$

$$E^\circ = (RT/nF) \ln K$$

$$= (RT/nF) \times 2.303 \log K$$

$$E = E^\circ - \frac{0.0592}{n} \log Q \text{ (at } 25^\circ\text{C)}$$

Mathematics

$$\text{If } ax^2 + bx + c = 0, \text{ then } x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

$$\ln x = 2.303 \log x$$

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PERIODIC TABLE OF THE ELEMENTS

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
1 HYDROGEN H 1.008																	2 HELIUM He 4.003
3 LITHIUM Li 6.941	4 BERYLLIUM Be 9.012											5 BORON B 10.81	6 CARBON C 12.01	7 NITROGEN N 14.01	8 OXYGEN O 16.00	9 FLUORINE F 19.00	10 NEON Ne 20.18
11 SODIUM Na 22.99	12 MAGNESIUM Mg 24.31											13 ALUMINIUM Al 26.98	14 SILICON Si 28.09	15 PHOSPHORUS P 30.97	16 SULFUR S 32.07	17 CHLORINE Cl 35.45	18 ARGON Ar 39.95
19 POTASSIUM K 39.10	20 CALCIUM Ca 40.08	21 SCANDIUM Sc 44.96	22 TITANIUM Ti 47.88	23 VANADIUM V 50.94	24 CHROMIUM Cr 52.00	25 MANGANESE Mn 54.94	26 IRON Fe 55.85	27 COBALT Co 58.93	28 NICKEL Ni 58.69	29 COPPER Cu 63.55	30 ZINC Zn 65.39	31 GALLIUM Ga 69.72	32 GERMANIUM Ge 72.59	33 ARSENIC As 74.92	34 SELENIUM Se 78.96	35 BROMINE Br 79.90	36 KRYPTON Kr 83.80
37 RUBIDIUM Rb 85.47	38 STRONTIUM Sr 87.62	39 YTTRIUM Y 88.91	40 ZIRCONIUM Zr 91.22	41 NIObIUM Nb 92.91	42 MOLYBDENUM Mo 95.94	43 TECHNETIUM Tc [98.91]	44 RUTHENIUM Ru 101.07	45 RHODIUM Rh 102.91	46 PALLADIUM Pd 106.4	47 SILVER Ag 107.87	48 CADMIUM Cd 112.40	49 INDIUM In 114.82	50 TIN Sn 118.69	51 ANTIMONY Sb 121.75	52 TELLURIUM Te 127.60	53 IODINE I 126.90	54 XENON Xe 131.30
55 CAESIUM Cs 132.91	56 BARIUM Ba 137.34	57-71	72 HAFNIUM Hf 178.49	73 TANTALUM Ta 180.95	74 TUNGSTEN W 183.85	75 RHENIUM Re 186.2	76 OSMIUM Os 190.2	77 IRIDIUM Ir 192.22	78 PLATINUM Pt 195.09	79 GOLD Au 196.97	80 MERCURY Hg 200.59	81 THALLIUM Tl 204.37	82 LEAD Pb 207.2	83 BISMUTH Bi 208.98	84 POLONIUM Po [210.0]	85 ASTATINE At [210.0]	86 RADON Rn [222.0]
87 FRANCIUM Fr [223.0]	88 RADIUM Ra [226.0]	89-103	104 RUTHERFORDIUM Rf [261]	105 DUBNIUM Db [262]	106 SEABORGIUM Sg [266]	107 BOHRIUM Bh [262]	108 HASSIUM Hs [265]	109 MEITNERIUM Mt [266]									

LANTHANIDES	57 LANTHANUM La 138.91	58 CERIUM Ce 140.12	59 PRASEODYMIUM Pr 140.91	60 NEODYMIUM Nd 144.24	61 PROMETHIUM Pm [144.9]	62 SAMARIUM Sm 150.4	63 EUROPIUM Eu 151.96	64 GADOLINIUM Gd 157.25	65 TERBIUM Tb 158.93	66 DYSPROSIUM Dy 162.50	67 HOLMIUM Ho 164.93	68 ERBIUM Er 167.26	69 THULIUM Tm 168.93	70 YTTERBIUM Yb 173.04	71 LUTETIUM Lu 174.97
ACTINIDES	89 ACTINIUM Ac [227.0]	90 THORIUM Th 232.04	91 PROTACTINIUM Pa [231.0]	92 URANIUM U 238.03	93 NEPTUNIUM Np [237.0]	94 PLUTONIUM Pu [239.1]	95 AMERICIUM Am [243.1]	96 CURIUM Cm [247.1]	97 BERKELIUM Bk [247.1]	98 CALIFORNIUM Cf [252.1]	99 EINSTEINIUM Es [252.1]	100 FERMIUM Fm [257.1]	101 MENDELEVIUM Md [256.1]	102 NOBELIUM No [259.1]	103 LAWRENCIUM Lr [260.1]