

Chapter 1

Chemistry: The Science of Change

The science that studies the properties of substances & how substances react with one another.

How stuff works on a molecular/atomic/subatomic level

Chemistry!

MATTER

Has mass & takes up space



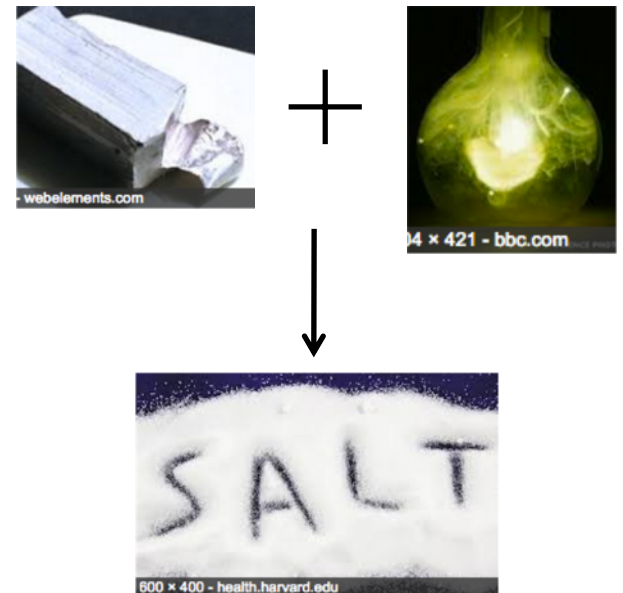
ENERGY

The capacity to do work or cause change



REACTIONS

How materials interact & change



Learning the Language

Chemistry describes materials and predicts behavior using three basic concepts

Composition: What is in a material

- Mass percent of elements/compounds
- Atomic/molecular ratios within material
- Stoichiometry

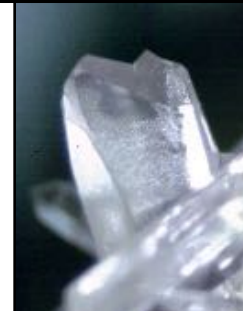
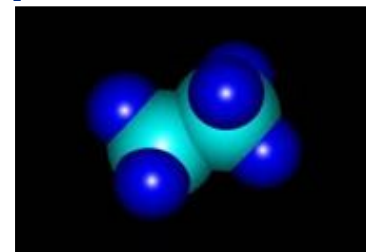
Structure

- Molecular/ionic/atomic arrangement
- Phase (solid, liquid, gas)

Properties – chemical & physical

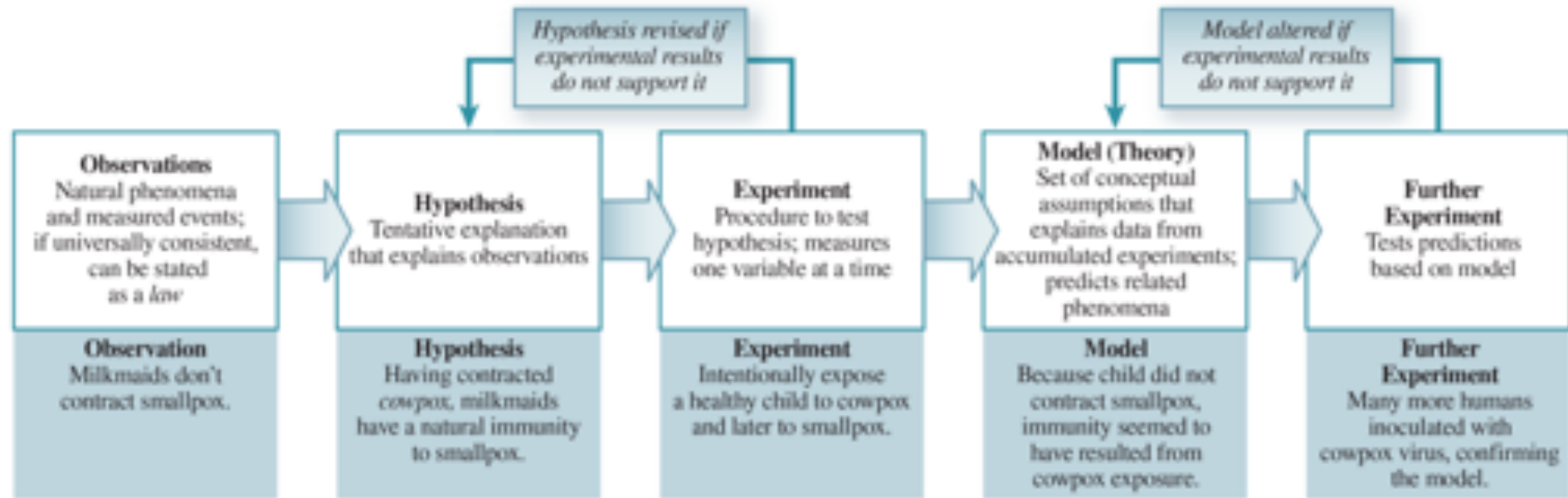
- Specific to a particular material
- ex: boiling point, color, odor, reactivity
- Used for identification

Often looking at materials at the submicroscopic level –
too small to see with the human eye



The Scientific Method

Series of steps that explain an observation



Exposure to a virus can enable humans to build an immunity to that virus – enabled the development of vaccines

Most vaccines today use inactivated viruses - safer

Measurements

Determining how much matter is present



Base Units of Measurement

International System of Units (SI)

TABLE 1.1 Base SI Units		
Base Quantity	Name of Unit	Symbol
Length	meter	m
Mass	kilogram	kg
Time	second	s
Electric current	ampere	A
Temperature	kelvin	K
Amount of substance	mole	mol
Luminous intensity	candela	cd

$$K = ^\circ C + 273.15$$

Will be used frequently in CHM 101; you are expected to know them! (Depending on other classes, will likely need to know ampere in the future.)

SI Prefixes

Yes, you need to know these too

TABLE 1.2 Prefixes Used with SI Units

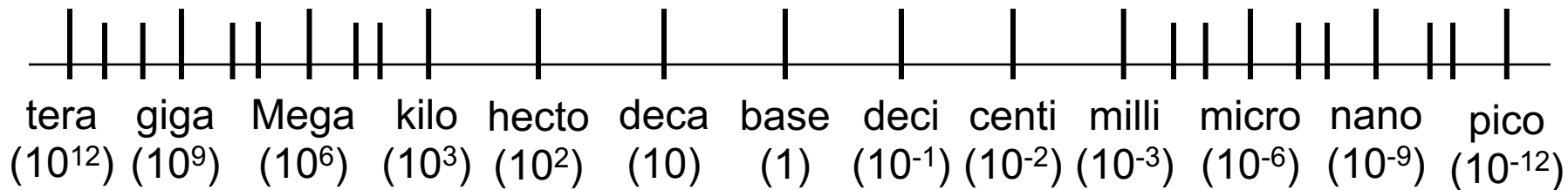
Prefix	Symbol	Meaning	Example
Tera-	T	1×10^{12} (1,000,000,000,000)	1 teragram (Tg) = 1×10^{12} g
Giga-	G	1×10^9 (1,000,000,000)	1 gigawatt (GW) = 1×10^9
Mega-	M	1×10^6 (1,000,000)	1 megahertz (MHz) = 1×10^6
Kilo-	k	1×10^3 (1,000)	1 kilometer (km) = 1×10^3 m
Deci-	d	1×10^{-1} (0.1)	1 deciliter (dL) = 1×10^{-1} L
Centi-	c	1×10^{-2} (0.01)	1 centimeter (cm) = 1×10^{-2} m
Milli-	m	1×10^{-3} (0.001)	1 millimeter (mm) = 1×10^{-3} m
Micro-	μ	1×10^{-6} (0.000001)	1 microliter (μ L) = 1×10^{-6} L
Nano-	n	1×10^{-9} (0.000000001)	1 nanosecond (ns) = 1×10^{-9} s
Pico-	p	1×10^{-12} (0.000000000001)	1 picogram (pg) = 1×10^{-12} g

hecto (10^2)
deca (10^1)
Base

**The Great Majestic King Henry Died By
Drinking Chocolate Milk at Mad Nick's Palace**

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Metric System is Base 10 – essentially just moving the decimal point



$$25 \text{ m} = 0.00000000000025 \text{ Tm}$$

$$25 \text{ Tm} = 25,000,000,000,000 \text{ m}$$

$$25 \text{ m} = 0.000000025 \text{ Gm}$$

$$25 \text{ Gm} = 25,000,000,000 \text{ m}$$

$$25 \text{ m} = 0.000025 \text{ Mm}$$

$$25 \text{ Mm} = 25,000,000 \text{ m}$$

$$25 \text{ m} = 0.025 \text{ km}$$

$$25 \text{ km} = 25,000 \text{ m}$$

$$25 \text{ m} = 0.25 \text{ hm}$$

$$25 \text{ hm} = 2500 \text{ m}$$

$$25 \text{ m} = 2.5 \text{ dam}$$

$$25 \text{ dam} = 250 \text{ m}$$

$$25 \text{ m} = 25 \text{ m}$$

$$25 \text{ m} = 25 \text{ m}$$

$$25 \text{ m} = 250 \text{ dm}$$

$$25 \text{ dm} = 2.5 \text{ m}$$

$$25 \text{ m} = 2500 \text{ cm}$$

$$25 \text{ cm} = 0.25 \text{ m}$$

$$25 \text{ m} = 25000 \text{ mm}$$

$$25 \text{ mm} = 0.025 \text{ m}$$

$$25 \text{ m} = 25,000,000 \text{ } \mu\text{m}$$

$$25 \text{ } \mu\text{m} = 0.000025 \text{ m}$$

$$25 \text{ m} = 25,000,000,000 \text{ nm}$$

$$25 \text{ nm} = 0.000000025 \text{ m}$$

$$25 \text{ m} = 25,000,000,000,000 \text{ pm}$$

$$25 \text{ pm} = 0.00000000000025 \text{ m}$$

Metric Conversion Examples

1.) Convert 256.74g to kg
(0.25674 kg)

2.) How many milliliters are in 3.78 L?
(3780 mL)

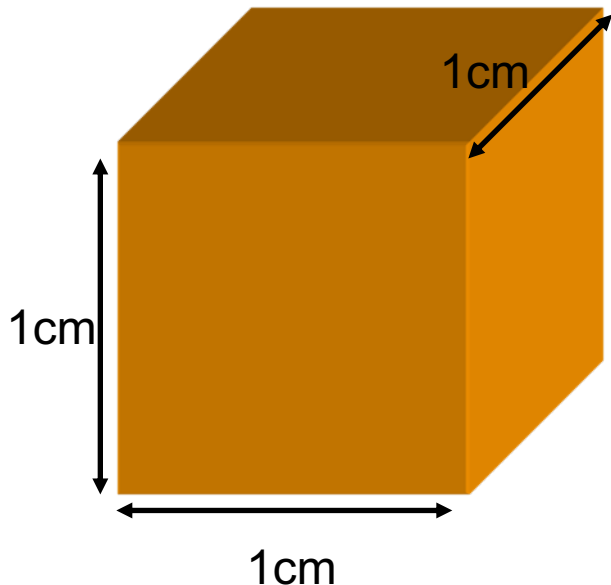
3.) Convert 18000000 cm into Mm
(0.18 Mm)

Derived Units: Volume

SI derived unit for volume is a cubic meter (m^3)

Common unit is a “**Liter (L)**”

$$1L = 1000cm^3 = \frac{1000cm}{1} \times \frac{1cm}{1} \times \frac{1cm}{1} \times \frac{1m}{100cm} \times \frac{1m}{100cm} \times \frac{1m}{100cm} = 1 \times 10^{-3} m^3$$



$$\underline{1 L \neq 1 m^3}$$

$$\underline{1 L = 1 \times 10^{-3} m^3}$$

$$\underline{1 mL = 1 cm^3}$$



Metric Conversions with Units that are squared (s^2), cubed (cm^3), etc. can be tricky:

ex.) Convert 87856 cm^3 to m^3

Note: $1 \text{ m} = 100 \text{ cm}$ but $1 \text{ m}^3 \neq 100 \text{ cm}^3$

Need to do the conversion 3x for cubed numbers
(2x for squared, etc.)

$$87856 \text{ cm}^3 = 0.087856 \text{ m}^3$$

Derived Units: Density

Density: Ratio of mass to volume of a material

$$\text{density} = \frac{\text{mass}}{\text{volume}} = \frac{m}{V}$$

SI derived unit for density is kg/m^3

$$1 \text{ g/cm}^3 = 1 \text{ g/mL} = 1000 \text{ kg/m}^3$$

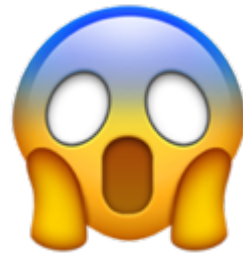
Substance	Density (g/cm^3)
Air*	0.001
Ethanol	0.79
Water	1.00
Mercury	13.6
Table salt	2.2
Iron	7.9
Gold	19.3

Intensive property

- Can be used to identify a material
- Units of mass and volume may vary

Handling Numbers

Math Review



Significant Figures:

Number of Digits to Report in Final Answer

1. All non-zero digits are significant
2. Use decimal point to decide if zeros are significant

Between 2 numbers	significant	<u>50.002</u>	5 sig figs
Before decimal point	not significant	0. <u>502</u>	3 sig figs
Before the first digit	not significant	0.00 <u>52</u>	2 sig figs
End of # after decimal	significant	0.0 <u>200</u>	3 sig figs
No decimal point:	not significant	<u>5</u> 00	1 sig fig

3. Exact numbers have unlimited number of sig. figs.

Inherently an integer:	e.g. 4 sides to a square
Inherently a fraction:	e.g. $\frac{1}{2}$ of a pie
Obtained by counting:	e.g. 47 people in a class
Defined quantity:	e.g. 12 eggs in a dozen

Determining the correct number of significant figures (sigfigs) in math problems:

Answer is based on the LEAST significant value

Addition/subtraction – Sig figs based on decimal

$$\begin{array}{r} 1500 \\ + 2976 \\ \hline 4476 \end{array} \longrightarrow 4500$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 12.45\text{XX} \\ - 9.2680 \\ \hline 3.1820 \end{array} \longrightarrow 3.18$$

Multiplication/Division – Sig figs based on all sig digits

$$\begin{array}{l} 4 \text{ sig figs} \\ 3.182 \times 3.57 = 11.35974 \longrightarrow 11.4 \\ 3 \text{ sig figs} \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{l} 3 < 4 \text{ so } 3 \text{ sig figs} \end{array}$$

Rounding is based on number after last sigfig:
 ≥ 5 round up ≤ 5 round down

Multiple math functions – follow order of ops

$$(12.45 - 9.2680) \times 3.575 = 11.37565$$

Step one: Subtraction → Sigfigs based on decimal

$$(12.\underline{45} - 9.\underline{2680}) = 3.182$$

2 sigfigs after decimal

3 sigfigs overall in final answer

$$\begin{array}{r} 12.45\text{XX} \\ - 9.2680 \\ \hline 3.1820 \end{array}$$

Step two: Multiplication → Sigfigs based on all sig digits

$$\underline{3.182} \times 3.575 = \underline{11.37565}$$

3 sigfigs in 1st number, 4 in 2nd → 3 in final answer
Here addition limits sigfigs

Round up because the next number is >5

$$\underline{11.37565} \rightarrow \boxed{11.4}$$

Why do significant figures matter?

123.52 cm



121 cm



Width of room: 244.6 cm
Will the two desks fit?

123.52 cm

+ 121.?? cm

244.52 cm → 245 cm

What if this is actually 121.1?!?

Fitting desks in a room may not seem all that important – but the same concept is true for the design of buildings & bridges!

Scientific Notation

For very large or very small numbers

Significant digits \longrightarrow **1.7** **x** **10**⁶ \longleftarrow Size of number
(multiplier)

1700000 \rightarrow **1.7** **x** **10**⁶ \longleftarrow Positive exp = large number (>1)

0.0000017 \rightarrow **1.7** **x** **10**⁻⁶ \longleftarrow Negative exp = small number (<1)

Rules:

- Keep all significant numbers
- Place decimal after 1st significant number (**1.7**)
- To get exponent:
 - Count number of places decimal moved to get to correct location (after 1st significant number). This value is your exponent.
 - If the number is >1, exp is positive **1700000** \rightarrow **1.7** **x** **10**⁶
 - If the number is <1 exp is negative **0.0000017** \rightarrow **1.7** **x** **10**⁻⁶

Scientific Notation Examples

Write the Following in
Scientific Notation:

1.) 280000000

2.) 280.0

3.) 0.000000004577

4.) 0.00000060

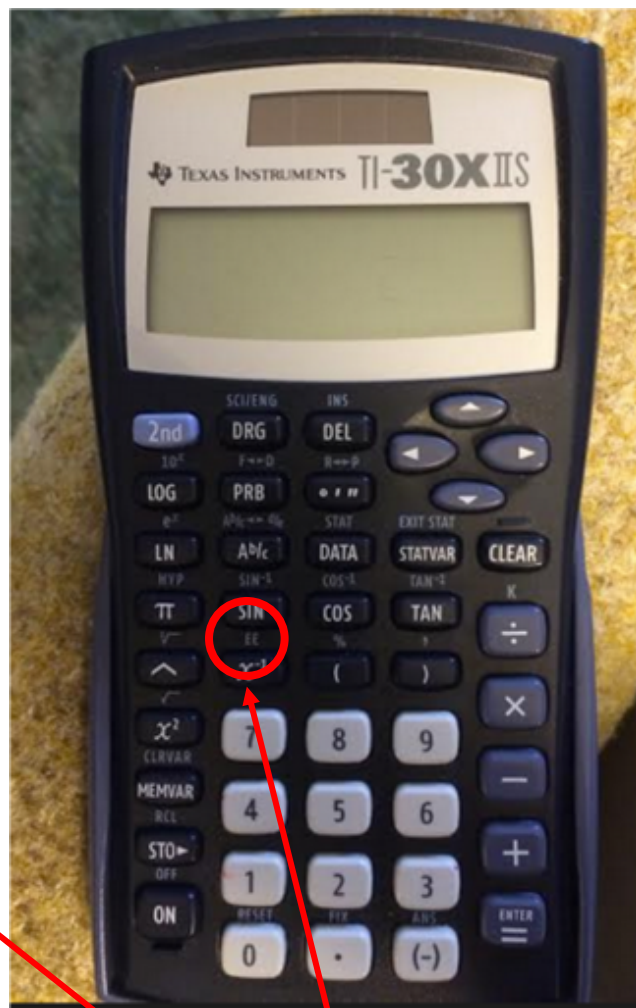
Write the Following
in Standard Format:

1.) 2.45×10^2

2.) 3.98×10^6

3.) 4.29×10^{-3}

4.) 8.0×10^{-6}

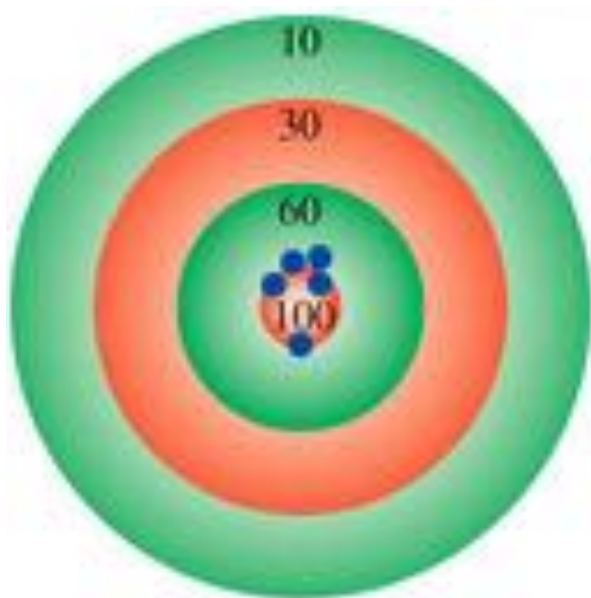


Use **EXP**, **SCI**, **EE** or **x10^x** keys on calculator

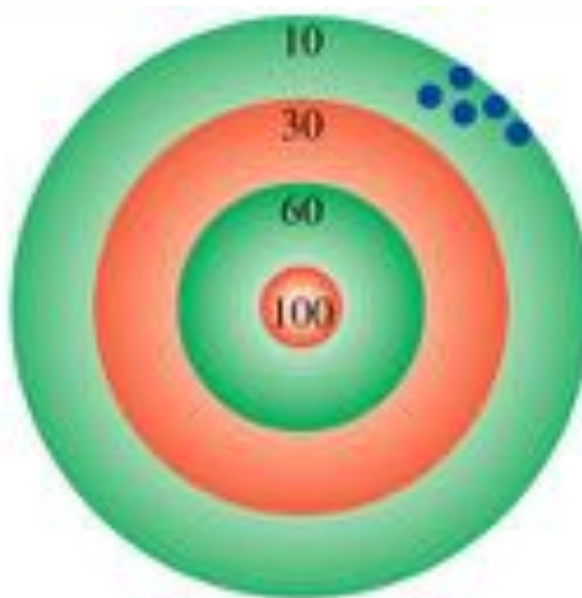
Precision and Accuracy

Accuracy – how close a measurement is to the true value

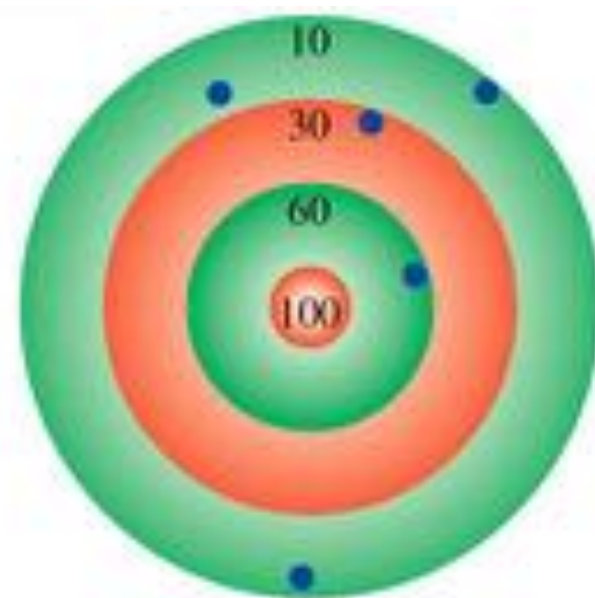
Precision – how close measurements are to each other



accurate
&
precise



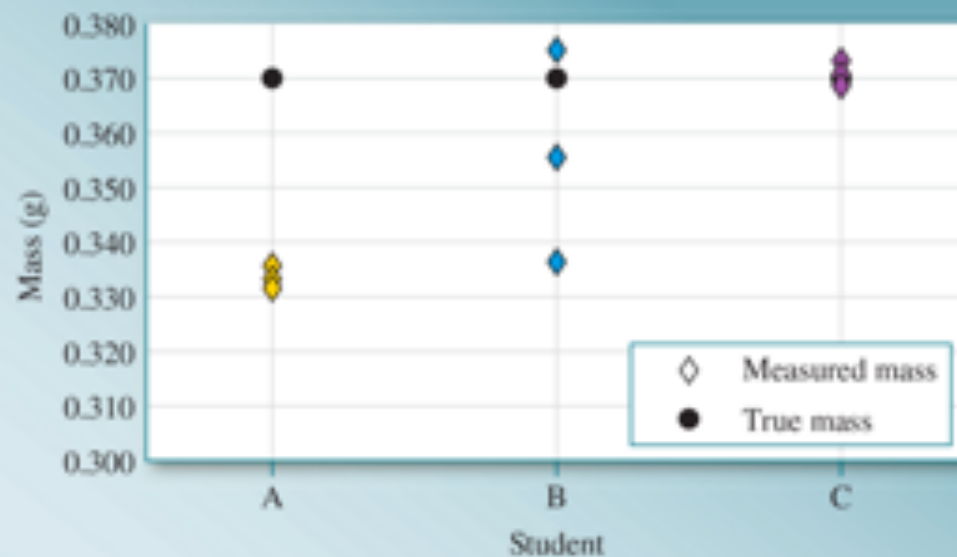
precise
but
not accurate



not accurate
&
not precise

Precision and Accuracy

	Student A	Student B	Student C
Measurement 1	0.335 g	0.357 g	0.369 g
Measurement 2	0.331 g	0.375 g	0.373 g
Measurement 3	0.333 g	0.338 g	0.371 g



Percent Error

Comparison of experimental results to expected or real values

- Usually reported without a + or - sign

$$\% \text{ error} = \left(\frac{|\text{Experimental value} - \text{Real value}|}{\text{Real value}} \right) \times 100$$

Experimental value - Real value = **Deviation**

- Often reported with a + or - sign

Real value:

- Widely accepted, often an industry standard value
- Average of several experiments can sometimes be used if real value is unknown

Dimensional Analysis

Algebra and canceling units

Look at question:

How many kilograms of methanol will fill a 15.5 gallon fuel tank of a car modified to run on methanol? (Density of methanol = 0.791 g/mL)

What unit do you want to solve for? kilograms (kg)

What information do you need?

Data in problem: Volume = 15.5 gallons
Density of methanol = 0.791 g / mL

Data to look up: Gallon to Liter conversion: 1 gal = 3.785 L

Data to know: 1000 mL = 1 L & 1000 g = 1 kg

$$\frac{kg}{1} = \frac{0.791g}{1ml} \times \frac{1kg}{1000g} \times \frac{1000mL}{L} \times \frac{3.785L}{1gal} \times \frac{15.5gal}{1} = 46.4kg$$

Dimensional Analysis Problems

1) How many kilograms of methanol will fill a 15.5 gallon fuel tank of a car modified to run on methanol? (Density of methanol = 0.791 g/mL; 1 gal = 3.785 L) **A: 46.4 kg**

2) How many liters are equal to 500. cm³? A: 0.500 L

3) A cube with sides measuring 7.50 m has a mass of 0.04567 mg. What is the density of the cube in $\mu\text{g/mL}$? A: $1.08 \times 10^{-7} \mu\text{g/mL}$

Classifications of Matter

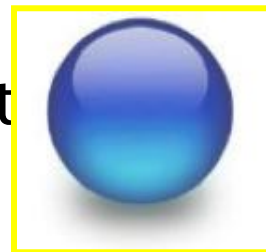
What is in the material you are investigating?



Pure materials

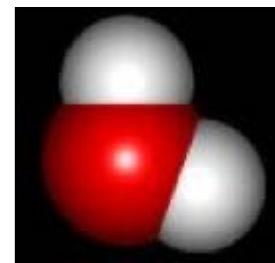
Atom:

- Smallest distinctive unit w/ properties of element
- Ions are charged atoms



Molecule:

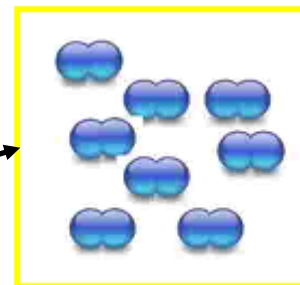
- 2 or more atoms together



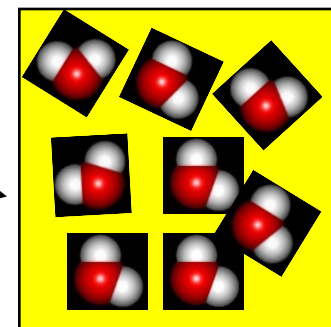
Pure Substance:

- specific composition & distinct properties
- **TWO** types of pure substances:

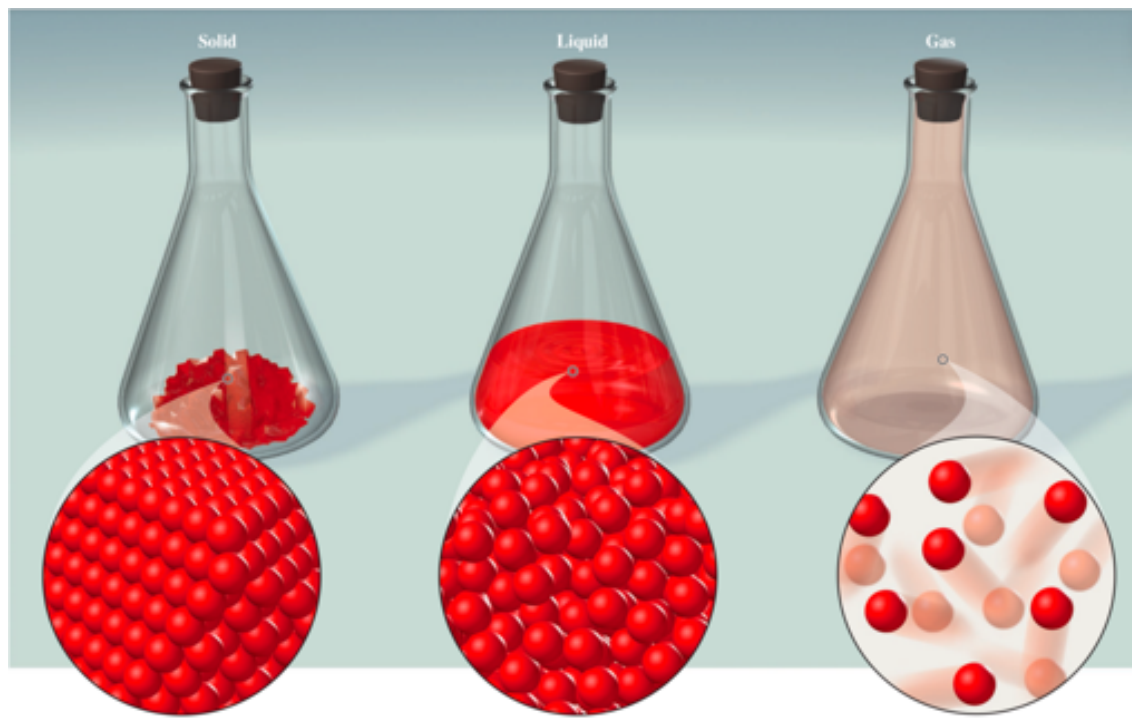
- **Element** → one type of atom
- **Compound** → more than one type of atom chemically bonded



- **Compounds contain more than one element – still a pure substance!!!**



States (Phases) of Matter



Solid:

- Particles close together
- Orderly arrangement
- Little freedom of motion
- Specific shape & volume

Liquid:

- Particles free to move around each other
- Specific volume
- No specific shape

Gas:

- Particles very far apart
- Particles free to move around
- No specific shape or volume

Liquids & gases are fluids – they can "flow"

Mixtures

Mixture: Combination of 2 or more pure substances

- Can be separated by physical means

Homogeneous Mixture

- Substances stay mixed
- No distinct layers
- Uniform properties
- Also called a **“solution”**



14 karat gold
Mixture of gold and silver

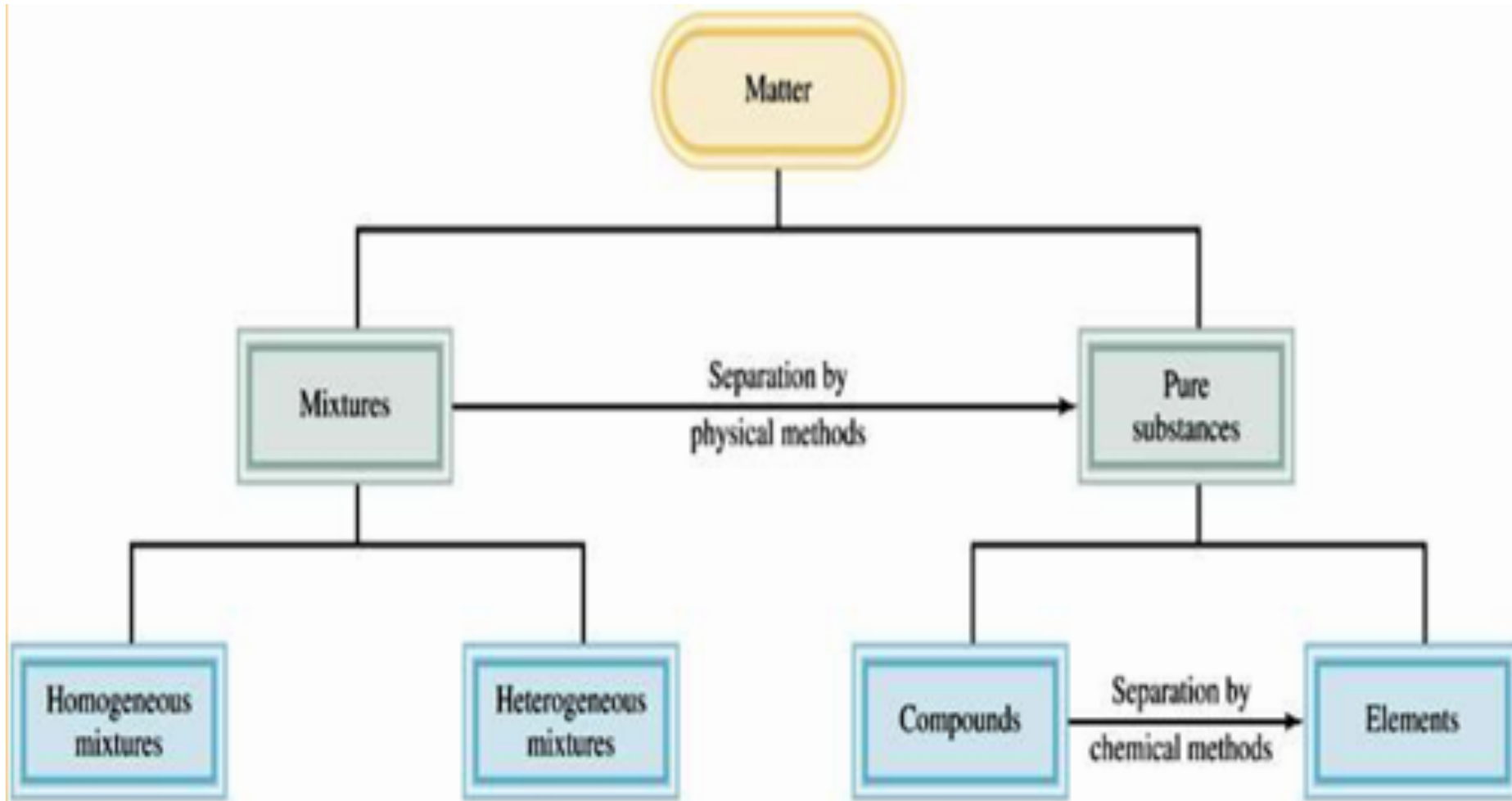
Heterogeneous Mixture

- Substances separate easily
- Distinct layers often seen
- Properties may not be uniform



Iron filings and sand

Matter Summary



Heterogeneous mixture

Homogeneous mixture

Pure Substance



element



compound



compound



solution



compound

Physical and Chemical Properties of Matter

Can be used to identify & separate substances



Physical Properties of Matter

Can be changed without changing molecular composition

Chemical identity is NOT CHANGED

eg: smashing a window – still glass
melting ice – still water

Phase changes are physical changes
(solid to liquid to gas etc.)

Melting, freezing, boiling, etc.



**CHEMICAL BONDS ARE NOT BROKEN
DURING PHASE CHANGES!**

Can be used to ID a substance without damage

Color, odor, solubility, conductivity, density
molecular mass, boiling/melting points

Original compound can be recovered



Chemical Properties of Matter

Describe how chemicals react with each other

What will they react with?

How will they react?

- Generate heat or light?
- Burn? Explode?
- Decompose slowly? (Rusting, rotting)



Compositional changes to molecules

- Often called a chemical change
- Original material changed on an atomic level



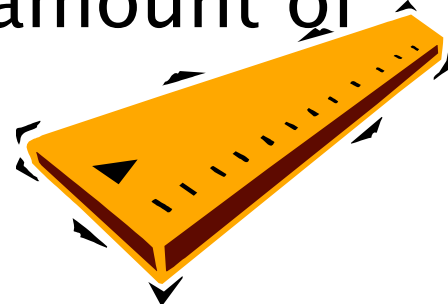
Original compound no longer present

- Compound cannot be restored to its original form without another chemical change

Extensive and Intensive Properties

Extensive Property: Depends on amount of matter present

ex: mass, length, volume, heat,
intensity of color or odor



Intensive Property: Independent of amount of matter present

ex: Temperature, boiling point, color, odor

Often a calculated ratio

ex: Density (mass/vol ratio)

Molar mass (grams/mol)

Specific heat (J/g)



Intensive properties can be used to identify a material,
extensive properties cannot. Why?