

Metallic Bonds

Metals are made of closely packed cations^+ rather than neutral atoms.

In metals, the valence electrons drift freely from one part of the metal to another.

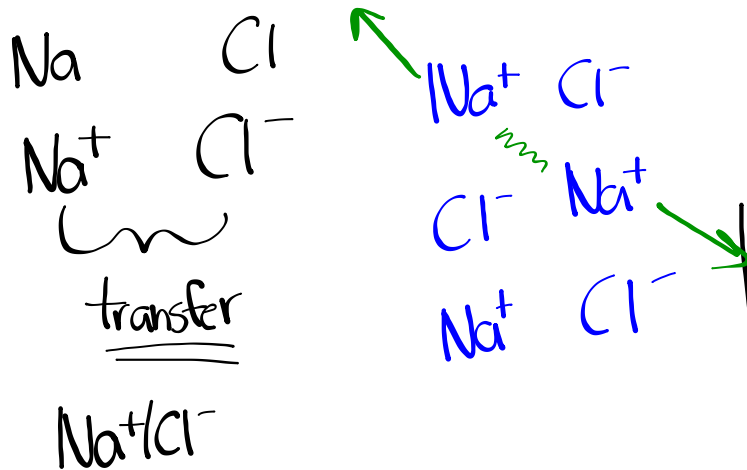
Metallic bonds consist of the free-floating valence electrons for the positively charged metal ions.

Ductility and Malleability

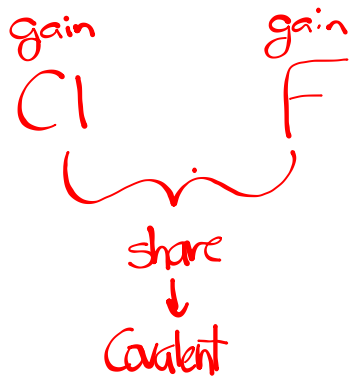
Metals - cations insulated by 'sea' of electrons

Ionic compounds - positive ions pushed together and repel, causing crystal to shatter.

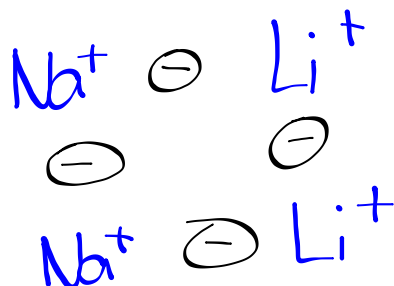
metals / nonmetals



nonmetal nonmetal



metal / metal

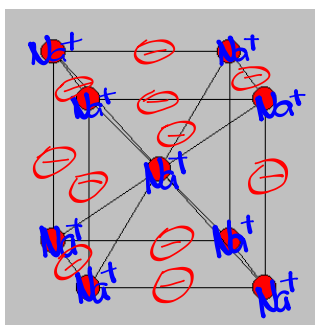


Crystalline Structure of Metals

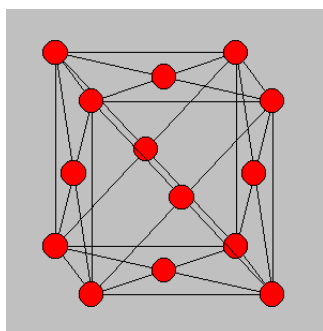
Metals are arranged in very compact and orderly patterns.

Closely-Packed Arrangements:

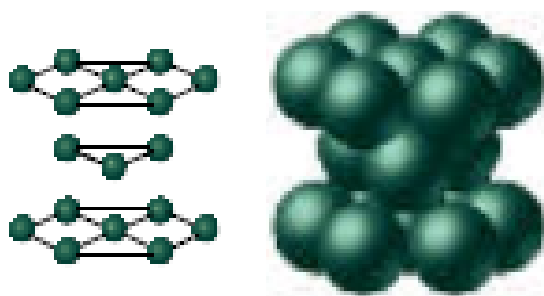
- Body-Centered Cubic



- Face-Centered Cubic



- Hexagonal Close-Packed



Hexagonal close-packed

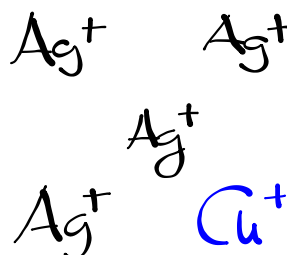
Alloys

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Mixtures of two or more elements, at least one of which is a metal.

Table 7.3

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Composition of Some Common Alloys	
Name	Composition (by mass)
Sterling silver	Ag 92.5%
	Cu 7.5%
Cast iron	Fe 96%
	C 4%
Stainless steel	Fe 80.6%
	Cr 18.0%
	C 0.4%
	Ni 1.0%
Spring steel	Fe 98.6%
	Cr 1.0%
	C 0.4%
Surgical steel	Fe 67%
	Cr 18%
	Ni 12%
	Mo 3%



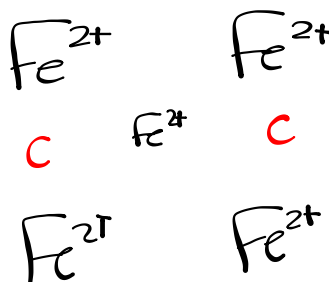
Form in one of two ways:

1) Substitutional Alloys

If atoms of the alloy are about the same size, they can replace each other in the crystal.

2) Interstitial Alloys

If atomic sizes are quite different, smaller atoms can fit into the spaces between the larger atoms.



Homework

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