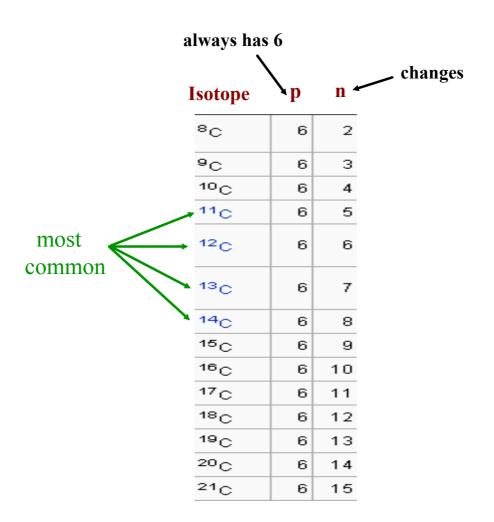
Warm Up

Isotope	protons	neutrons	electrons
copper - 64	29	35	29
Chromium -5	B 24	29	24
sulfur - 33	16	17	16
calcium-41	20	21	20
gold - 108	79	29	79

Homework #15-20

Isotopes of Carbon



Calculating Atomic Mass

To calculate the atomic mass of an element, multiply the mass of each isotope by its natural abundance, expressed as a decimal, and then add the products.

Ex. Carbon has two stable isotopes: carbon - 12 (12.000 amu) which has natural abundance of 98.89%, and carbon - 13 (13.003 amu), which has natural abundance of 1.11%. What is the atomic mass of carbon?

Mass Number

Atomic Mass

- Sum of pt + n = decimal
 Specific for each : weighted overage
 isotope
 Whole number

Sample Problem

Element X has two natural isotopes. The isotope with a mass of 10.012 amu (10 X) has a relative abundance of 19.91%. The isotope with a mass of 11.009 amu (11 X) has a relative abundance of 80.09%. Calculate the atomic mass of this element.

Homework

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Worksheet