

# Abbreviations

Ac	Acetyl	HPLC	High performance liquid chromatography
acac	Acetylacetone	HIV	Human immunodeficiency virus
AD	Asymmetric dihydroxylation	IR	Infrared
ADP	Adenosine 5'-diphosphate	KHMDS	Potassium Hexamethyldisilazide
AE	Asymmetric epoxidation	LCAO	Linear combination of atomic orbitals
AIBN	2,2'-Azobisisobutyronitrile	LDA	Lithium diisopropylamide
AO	Atomic orbital	LHMDS	Lithium hexamethyldisilazide
Ar	Aryl	LICA	Lithium isopropylcyclohexylamide
ATP	Adenosine 5' triphosphate	LTMP, LiTMP	Lithium 2,2,6,6-tetramethylpiperidine
9-BBN	9-Borabicyclo[3.3.1]nonane	LUMO	Lowest unoccupied molecular orbital
BHT	Butylated hydroxy toluene (2,6-di- <i>t</i> -butyl-4-methylphenol)	m-CPBA	<i>meta</i> -Chloroperoxybenzoic acid
BINAP	2,2'-Bis(diphenylphosphino)-1,1'-binaphthyl	Me	Methyl
Bn	Benzyl	MO	Molecular orbital
Boc, BOC	tert-Butyloxycarbonyl	MOM	Methoxymethyl
Bu	Butyl	Ms	Methanesulfonyl (mesyl)
s-Bu	<i>sec</i> -Butyl	NAD	Nicotinamide adenine dinucleotide
<i>t</i> -Bu	<i>tert</i> -Butyl	NADH	Reduced NAD
Bz	Benzoyl	NBS	<i>N</i> -Bromosuccinimide
Cbz	Carboxybenzyl	NIS	<i>N</i> -Iodosuccinimide
CDI	1,1'-Carbonyldiimidazole	NMO	<i>N</i> -Methylmorpholine- <i>N</i> -oxide
CI	Chemical ionization	NMR	Nuclear magnetic resonance
CoA	Coenzyme A	NOE	Nuclear Overhauser effect
COT	Cyclooctatetraene	PCC	Pyridinium chlorochromate
Cp	Cyclopentadienyl	PDC	Pyridinium dichromate
DABCO	1,4-Diazabicyclo[2.2.2]octane	Ph	Phenyl
DBE	Double bond equivalent	PPA	Polyphosphoric acid
DBN	1,5-Diazabicyclo[4.3.0]non-5-ene	Pr	Propyl
DBU	1,8-Diazabicyclo[5.4.0]undec-7-ene	<i>i</i> -Pr	<i>iso</i> -Propyl
DCC	<i>N,N</i> -dicyclohexylcarbodiimide	PTC	Phase transfer catalysis
DDQ	2,3-Dichloro-5,6-dicyano-1,4-benzoquinone	PTSA	p-Toluenesulfonic acid
DEAD	Diethyl azodicarboxylate	py	pyridine
DIBAL	Diisobutylaluminum hydride	Red Al	Sodium bis(2-methoxyethoxy)aluminum hydride
DMAP	4-Dimethylaminopyridine	RNA	Ribonucleic acid
DME	1,2-Dimethoxyethane	SAC	Specific acid catalysis
DMF	<i>N,N</i> -Dimethylformamide	SAM	<i>S</i> -Adenosyl methionine
DMPU	1,3-Dimethyl-3,4,5,6-tetrahydro-2(1 <i>H</i> )-pyrimidinone	SBC	Specific base catalysis
DMS	Dimethyl sulfide	S <sub>N</sub> 1	Unimolecular nucleophilic substitution
DMSO	Dimethyl sulfoxide	S <sub>N</sub> 2	Bimolecular nucleophilic substitution
DNA	Deoxyribonucleic acid	SOMO	Singly occupied molecular orbital
E1	Unimolecular elimination	STM	Scanning tunnelling microscopy
E2	Bimolecular elimination	TBDMS	Tert-butyldimethylsilyl
E <sub>a</sub>	Activation energy	TBDPS	Tert-butyldiphenylsilyl
EDTA	Ethylenediaminetetraacetic acid	Tf	Trifluoromethanesulfonyl (triflyl)
EPR	Electron paramagnetic resonance	THF	Tetrahydrofuran
ESR	Electron spin resonance	THP	Tetrahydropyran
Et	Ethyl	TIPS	Triisopropylsilyl
FGI	Functional group interconversion	TMEDA	<i>N,N,N',N'</i> -tetramethyl-1,2-ethylenediamine
Fmoc	Fluorenylmethyloxycarbonyl	TMP	2,2,6,6-Tetramethylpiperidine
GAC	General acid catalysis	TMS	Trimethylsilyl, tetramethylsilane
GBC	General base catalysis	TMSOTf	Trimethylsilyl triflate
HMPA	Hexamethylphosphoramide	TPAP	Tetra- <i>N</i> -propylammonium perruthenate
HMPT	Hexamethylphosphorous triamide	Tr	Triphenylmethyl (trityl)
HOBt	1-Hydroxybenzotriazole	TS	Transition state
HOMO	Highest occupied molecular orbital	Ts	p-Toluenesulfonyl. Tosyl
		UV	Ultraviolet
		VSEPR	Valence shell electron pair repulsion

# Periodic table

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	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	VIII
<b>S</b>	<b>3 Li</b> Mass: 6.9402 P: 0.000	<b>4 Be</b> Mass: 9.012182 P: 0.007							
1	Lithium	Boronium							
2	<b>11 Na</b> Mass: 22.98977 P: 0.000	<b>12 Mg</b> Mass: 24.305 P: 0.000							
3	Sodium	Magnesium							
4	<b>19 K</b> Mass: 39.0962 P: 0.000	<b>20 Ca</b> Mass: 40.078 P: 0.000							
5	Potassium	Calcium							
6	<b>37 Rb</b> Mass: 85.4678 P: 0.000	<b>38 Sr</b> Mass: 87.62 P: 0.000							
7	Rubidium	Strontron							
8	<b>55 Cs</b> Mass: 132.9104 P: 0.000	<b>56 Ba</b> Mass: 137.927 P: 0.000							
9	Cesium	Berkium							
10	<b>87 Fr</b> Mass: 223 P: 0.000	<b>88 Ra</b> Mass: 226.0264 P: 0.0							
11	Francium	Radium							

<b>f</b>	<b>57 La</b> Mass: 138.9058 P: 0.0	<b>58 Ce</b> Mass: 140.0116 P: 0.000	<b>59 Pr</b> Mass: 141.9077 P: 0.000	<b>60 Nd</b> Mass: 144.04 P: 0.000	<b>61 Pm</b> Mass: 145 P: 0.00	<b>62 Sm</b> Mass: 150.20 P: 0.000	<b>63 Eu</b> Mass: 151.906 P: 0.0
	Lanthanum	Cerium	Praseodymium	Neuropodium	Promethium	Samarium	Europeum
	<b>64 Ac</b> Mass: 227 P: 0.0	<b>65 Th</b> Mass: 232.0382 P: 0.0	<b>66 Pa</b> Mass: 233.0059 P: 0.0	<b>67 U</b> Mass: 238.0289 P: 0.000	<b>68 Np</b> Mass: 237.0462 P: 0.000	<b>69 Pu</b> Mass: 244 P: 0.000	<b>70 Am</b> Mass: 243 P: 0.0
	Actinium	Thorium	Protactinium	Uranium	Neptunium	Plutonium	Americium

Key	Symbol
Atomic Number	<b>60 Xx</b>
Relative Atomic Mass	Mass: 0.0000
Electronegativity (Pauling)	0.0
Element	Name

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**1s**

<b>1 H</b>	<b>2 He</b>
Mass: 1.00727 P: 1.0	Mass: 4.002602 P: 0

Hydrogen Helium

**10 11 12**  
I II III

**P**

**13 14 15 16 17 18**  
IV V VI VII VIII

<b>10 Ne</b>	<b>11 Na</b>	<b>12 Mg</b>	<b>13 Al</b>	<b>14 Si</b>	<b>15 P</b>	<b>16 S</b>	<b>17 Cl</b>	<b>18 Ar</b>
Mass: 20.1797 P: 0	Mass: 22.9898 P: 1.0	Mass: 24.302 P: 1.0	Mass: 26.9815 P: 2.04	Mass: 28.0855 P: 2.05	Mass: 31.000624 P: 3.04	Mass: 32.00004 P: 3.04	Mass: 35.9674 P: 3.04	Mass: 39.9626 P: 0
Sodium	Carbon	Nitrogen	Oxygen	Phosphorus	Sulfur	Chlorine	Nitrogen	
C	B	C	N	O	F	Cl	Ar	
<b>29 Ni</b>	<b>30 Cu</b>	<b>31 Zn</b>	<b>32 Ga</b>	<b>33 Ge</b>	<b>34 As</b>	<b>35 Se</b>	<b>36 Br</b>	<b>38 Kr</b>
Mass: 58.6934 P: 1.01	Mass: 63.546 P: 1.0	Mass: 65.39 P: 1.0	Mass: 69.723 P: 2.01	Mass: 72.03 P: 2.01	Mass: 74.92159 P: 2.01	Mass: 78.98 P: 2.05	Mass: 79.904 P: 2.04	Mass: 83.84 P: 0
Nickel	Copper	Zinc	Gallium	Germanium	Arsenic	Selenium	Bromine	Krypton
<b>46 Pd</b>	<b>47 Ag</b>	<b>48 Cd</b>	<b>49 In</b>	<b>50 Sn</b>	<b>51 Sb</b>	<b>52 Te</b>	<b>53 I</b>	<b>54 Xe</b>
Mass: 106.42 P: 2.02	Mass: 107.8682 P: 1.03	Mass: 112.433 P: 1.03	Mass: 114.82 P: 2.01	Mass: 118.71 P: 2.01	Mass: 121.757 P: 2.05	Mass: 127.6 P: 2.01	Mass: 136.9045 P: 2.05	Mass: 138.19 P: 0
Palladium	Silver	Cadmium	Inium	Tin	Antimony	Tellurium	Iodine	Xenon
<b>78 Pt</b>	<b>79 Au</b>	<b>80 Hg</b>	<b>81 Tl</b>	<b>82 Pb</b>	<b>83 Bi</b>	<b>84 Po</b>	<b>85 At</b>	<b>86 Rn</b>
Mass: 191.00 P: 2.03	Mass: 196.9646 P: 2.04	Mass: 200.59 P: 2	Mass: 204.3833 P: 2.04	Mass: 207.2 P: 2.03	Mass: 208.9804 P: 2.03	Mass: 209 P: 2	Mass: 210 P: 2.0	Mass: 223 P: 0
Patinum	Gold	Mercury	Thallium	Lead	Bismuth	Poliotassium	Actinium	Radon
<b>90 Uun</b>	<b>91 Uuu</b>	<b>92 Uub</b>						
Mass: 231 P:	Mass: 232 P:	Mass: 233 P:						

<b>64 Gd</b>	<b>65 Tb</b>	<b>66 Dy</b>	<b>67 Ho</b>	<b>68 Er</b>	<b>69 Tm</b>	<b>70 Yb</b>
Mass: 157.25 P: 2.02	Mass: 158.9253 P: 2.02	Mass: 162.5 P: 2.03	Mass: 164.9203 P: 2.03	Mass: 167.29 P: 2.04	Mass: 169.9243 P: 2.05	Mass: 173.04 P: 2.04

Lanthanides

Indium Thulium Ytterbium

Yttrium

Terbium

Dysprosium

Holmium

Erbium

Praseodymium

Neodymium

Terbium

Thulium

Ytterbium

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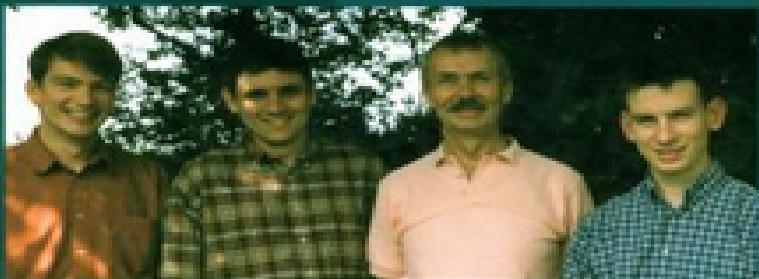
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