

NAMES AND SYMBOLS OF MONATOMIC IONS

1+		2+		3+		4+	
hydrogen	H ⁺	magnesium	Mg ²⁺	aluminium	Al ³⁺	tin(IV)	Sn ⁴⁺
lithium	Li ⁺	calcium	Ca ²⁺	iron(III)	Fe ³⁺	lead(IV)	Pb ⁴⁺
sodium	Na ⁺	barium	Ba ²⁺	chromium(III)	Cr ³⁺		
potassium	K ⁺	manganese(II)	Mn ²⁺	gold(III)	Au ³⁺		
silver	Ag ⁺	iron(II)	Fe ²⁺				
copper(I)	Cu ⁺	copper(II)	Cu ²⁺				
gold(I)	Au ⁺	zinc	Zn ²⁺				
		mercury(II)	Hg ²⁺				
		tin(II)	Sn ²⁺				
		lead(II)	Pb ²⁺				
		strontium	Sr ²⁺				
		nickel(II)	Ni ²⁺				
		cobalt(II)	Co ²⁺				
		cadmium(II)	Cd ²⁺				

1-		2-		3-	
hydride	H ⁻	oxide	O ²⁻	nitride	N ³⁻
fluoride	F ⁻	sulfide	S ²⁻		
chloride	Cl ⁻				
bromide	Br ⁻				
iodide	I ⁻				

NAMES AND FORMULAE OF POLYATOMIC IONS.

1-		2-		3-	
hydroxide	OH ⁻	carbonate	CO ₃ ²⁻	phosphate	PO ₄ ³⁻
nitrate	NO ₃ ⁻	sulfate	SO ₄ ²⁻		
nitrite	NO ₂ ⁻	sulfite	SO ₃ ²⁻		
hydrogencarbonate	HCO ₃ ⁻	dichromate	Cr ₂ O ₇ ²⁻		
hydrogensulfate	HSO ₄ ⁻	chromate	CrO ₄ ²⁻		
ethanoate (acetate)	CH ₃ COO ⁻	hydrogenphosphate	HPO ₄ ²⁻		
permanganate	MnO ₄ ⁻	oxalate	C ₂ O ₄ ²⁻		
cyanide	CN ⁻	peroxide	O ₂ ²⁻		
*perchlorate	ClO ₄ ⁻				
*chlorate	ClO ₃ ⁻				
*chlorite	ClO ₂ ⁻				
*hypochlorite	ClO ⁻				

1+		2+	
ammonium	NH ₄ ⁺	mercury(I)	Hg ₂ ²⁺

* These names do not need to be learned.

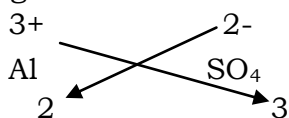
WRITING FORMULAE FOR IONIC SUBSTANCES:

- Write down symbol for the positive and negative ion and put valence (charge) above.
calcium carbonate: Ca²⁺ CO₃²⁻ aluminium sulfate: Al³⁺ SO₄²⁻

- If charges are the **same** then write the compound minus the charges.



- If charges are **different** then cross over the charges and use brackets if a polyatomic ion.



Answer: **Al₂(SO₄)₃**

NAMES AND FORMULAE OF MOLECULAR SUBSTANCES

Elements

hydrogen	H ₂
nitrogen	N ₂
oxygen	O ₂
fluorine	F ₂
chlorine	Cl ₂
bromine	Br ₂
iodine	I ₂
phosphorus	P ₄
sulfur	S ₈

Compounds

carbon monoxide	CO
carbon dioxide	CO ₂
sulfur dioxide	SO ₂
sulfur trioxide	SO ₃
water	H ₂ O
ammonia gas	NH ₃ (g)
ammonia solution	NH ₃ (aq)
hydrogen sulfide	H ₂ S
hydrogen peroxide	H ₂ O ₂
hydrogen fluoride	HF
hydrogen chloride gas	HCl (g)
hydrogen bromide	HBr
hydrogen iodide	HI
nitrogen monoxide	NO (nitric oxide)
nitrogen dioxide	NO ₂
dinitrogen monoxide	N ₂ O (nitrous oxide)
dinitrogen tetroxide	N ₂ O ₄
hydrochloric acid	HCl (aq)
nitric acid	HNO ₃
phosphoric acid	H ₃ PO ₄
sulfurous acid	H ₂ SO ₃
sulfuric acid	H ₂ SO ₄
hypochlorous acid	HClO
<u>organic compounds like</u>	
methane	CH ₄
ethanol	CH ₃ CH ₂ OH or C ₂ H ₅ OH
ethanoic acid	CH ₃ COOH (acetic acid)