

SUBJECT AND	PHYSICAL SCIENCES GRADE 10		
GRADE			
TERM 1	WEEK 4		
ONDERWERP	The structure of the atom		
AIM OF LESSON	Identify atomic structure, particles, charge, calculate atomic mass		
RESOURCES	Paper resources	Digital resources	
	Textbook; previous question papers;	Youtube videos	
	terminology in this lesson.	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TYEYEIuTmGQ	
INTRODUCTION	What is matter? All matter consists of atoms		
CONSEPTS AND	Know the following definitions:	CAN YOU?	
SKILLS	Atom; proton; electron; neutron; atomic mass	Draw the labeled structure of an atom? See textbook. (labels	
	(mass number (A)); atomic number (Z) neutral	must include: protons, electrons, nucleus, neutrons)	
	charge; negative charge; positive charge;		
	isotope; orbital; electron configuration (aufbau		
	diagram)		
ACTIVITIES/	Write the chapter heading in your notebook.		
ASSESSMENT	Write the terminology in the previous column and define each		
	 Make yourself some flash cards by cutting an A4 page in business card size pieces. Write the terminology and the definitions front to back on these cards. (This makes learning easy) Draw the electron configuration of the first 20 elements. How does the structure of the elements in the same group compare? (Two examples are completed for you as a guide) 		
CONSOLIDATION	Consolidation test: The STRUCTURE OF THE ATOM (P	LEASE READ THE INSTRUCTIONS OF THE QUESTION!!)	

1	Fit the word in column B to the definition in column A letter eg. 1.5 C	A. Write ONLY the number and	l the relevar
	1. Atoms of the same element with the same number of protons, but a different number of neutrons resulting in different atomic masses.	A CATION	
	1.2 A rule of thumb that refers to the tendency of atoms to collect eight electrons in its valence energy level in order to obtain chemical stability.	B ATOMIC MASS	
	1.3 The mass of one mole of atoms of an element.	C HUND'S RULE	
	1.4 The distribution of electrons in orbitals and energy levels.	D ION	
	1.5 Positive ion that forms when an atom or molecule loses electrons.	E ATOMIC NUMBER	
	1.6 An atom or a molecule that has a non-zero electrical charge.	F PAULI'S EXCLUSION PRINCIPLE	
	1.7 A maximum of two electrons per orbital is allowed on condition that they spin in opposite directions.	G RELATIVE ATOMIC MASS	
	1.8 Negative ion that forms when an atom or molecule gains electrons.	H ELECTRONCONFIGURATION	
	1.9 The number of protons in an atom.	I ISOTOPE	

	1.10 No sharing of electrons may occur in p,d, or f-orbitals unless each orbital contains at least one electron.J ANION		
	1.11 The number of protons and neutrons in the nucleus of an atom K OCTET RULE		
	(11) 2. Draw a labeled sketch of the structure of an atom. (5) 3. Draw the electron configuration of: 3.1 Sulfur (3) 3.2 Nitrogen (3) 3.3 Neon (3) [25]		
VALUES	Link to the memo: <u>https://drive.google.com/tile/d/1PssRUrv4zbGgZ/UPGSOUSL_PIXv8zJoM/view?usp=sharing</u> Research; respect; Eagerness to learn		
TERMINOLOGY	TERMINOLOGY THEME: THE ATOM ATOMIC NUMBER: The number of protons in an atom.		
	ATOMIC MASS: The number of protons and neutrons in the nucleus of an atom. ISOTOPES: Atoms of the same element with the same number of protons, but a different		
	RELATIVE ATOMIC MASS: The mass of one mole of atoms of an element.		
	ELECTRON CONFIGURATION: The distribution of electrons in orbitals and energy levels.		

HUND'S RU	LE: No sharing of electrons may occur in p,d, or f-orbitals unless each orbital contains at least one electron. (Please see second example!!!!)
PAULI'S EX	CLUSION PRINCIPLE: A maximum of two electrons per orbital is allowed on condition that they spin in opposite directions.
ION:	An ion is an atom or molecule that has a non-zero net electrical charge.
CATION:	Positive ion that forms when an atom or molecule loses electrons.
ANION:	Negative ion that forms when an atom or molecule gains electrons.
OCTET RUL	E: The tendency of atoms to collect eight electrons in its valence energy level in order to obtain chemical stability.





