The number of hydrogen atoms at the beginning of the formula equals the charge of the anion the acid is based on! - You need to be able to tell, by looking at a name OR a formula, what kind of compound you are working with!

DON'T GET THE NAMING SYSTEMS MIXED UP! EACH KIND OF COMPOUND IS NAMED WITH ITS OWN SYSTEM!

FROM A CHEMICAL NAME

- If the name has a Roman numeral, the name of a metal, or "ammonium", the compound is likely IONIC
- If the name has a Greek prefix AND the prefix is NOT in front of the word "hydrate", the compound is BINARY MOLECULAR
- If the name contains the word "acid":
 - ... and starts with "hydro-", then the compound is a BINARY ACID
 - ... and does not start with "hydro-", the compound is an OXYACID

- if the formula contains a metal or the NH $^{+}_{4}$ ion, it is likely IONIC
 - H_2O If the formula starts with H and is not either water or hydrogen as
 - If the formula starts with H and is not either water or hydrogen peroxide, the compound is likely an ACID. Which kind?
 - BINARY ACIDS contain only two elements
 - OXYACIDS contains oxygen
- If the formula contains only nonmetals (and is not an ammonium compound or an acid), the compound is likely MOLECULAR

Examples:

$$P(1) : \frac{\text{BINARY MOLECULAR}}{\text{Name: phosphorus trichloride}} \quad \text{NH}_{4} = \frac{\text{IONIC (ammonium ion)}}{\text{Name: ammonium chloride}}$$

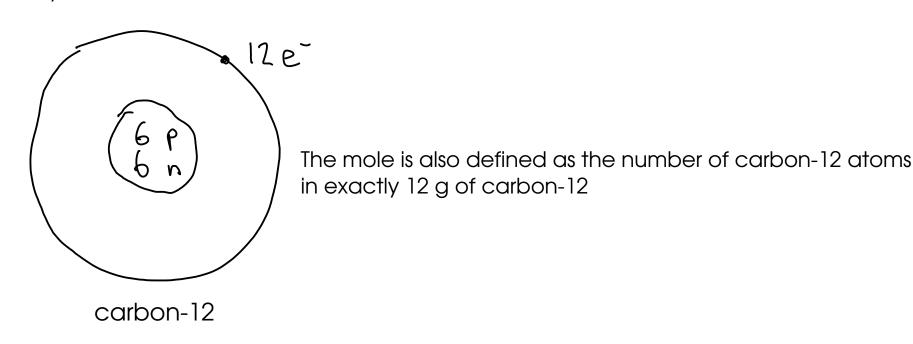
$$H_3 PO_n : OXYACID (hydrogen, phosphate) Fe (oH)_2 : IONIC (starts with a metal) Name: phosphoric acid$$

THE MOLE CONCEPT

- A "mole" of atoms is 6.022 x 10²³ whoms

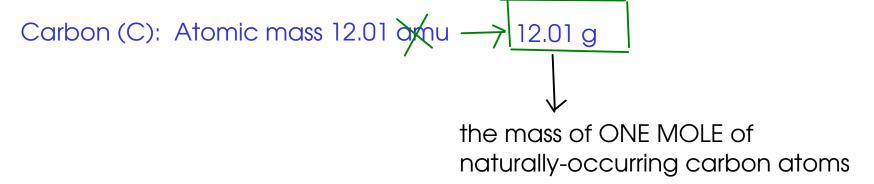
Why so big? Because atoms are so small!

- Why - in the metric dominated world of science - do we use such a strange number for quantity of atoms?



THE MOLE CONCEPT

- Why define the mole based on an experimentally-measured number?
- The atomic weight of an element (if you put the number in front of the unit GRAMS) is equal to the mass of ONE MOLE of atoms of that element!



Magnesium (Mg): 24.31 g = the mass of ONE MOLE OF MAGNESIUM ATOMS

- So, using the MOLE, we can directly relate a mass and a certain number of atoms!

- Use DIMENSIONAL ANALYSIS (a.k.a "drag and drop")
- Need CONVERSION FACTORS where do they come from?
- We use ATOMIC WEIGHT as a conversion factor.

Example: How many moles of atoms are there in 250. g of magnesium metal?

$$24.31 g Mg = mol Mg$$

$$250.g Mg x \frac{mol Mg}{24.31g Mg} = 10.3 mol Mg$$

Example: You need 1.75 moles of iron. What mass of iron do you need to weigh out on the balance?

Fe: SS-85 amu

SS.85 g Fe = mol Fe

1-75 mol Fe x
$$\frac{SS.85 g Fe}{mol Fe} = 97.7 g Fe$$

WHAT ABOUT COMPOUNDS? FORMULA WEIGHT

Example: 25.0 g of WATER contain how many MOLES of water molecules?

$$H_20: H:2\times1.008 = 2.016$$
 $0:1\times16.00 = 16.00$

16.016 - FORMULA WEIGHT of water

FORMULA WEIGHT is the mass of one mole of either an element OR a compound.

Formula weight goes by several names:

- For atoms, it's the same thing as ATOMIC WEIGHT
- For molecules, it's called MOLECULAR WEIGHT
- Also called "MOLAR MASS"