

# The Periodic Table

**The how and why**

# History

- ◆ **Russian scientist Dmitri Mendeleev taught chemistry in terms of properties.**
- ◆ **Mid 1800 - molar masses of elements were known.**
- ◆ **Wrote down the elements in order of increasing mass.**
- ◆ **Found a pattern of repeating properties.**

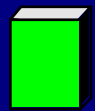
# Mendeleev's Table

- ◆ **Grouped elements in columns by similar properties in order of increasing atomic mass.**
- ◆ **Found some inconsistencies - felt that the properties were more important than the mass, so switched order.**
- ◆ **Found some gaps.**
- ◆ **Must be undiscovered elements.**
- ◆ **Predicted their properties before they were found.**

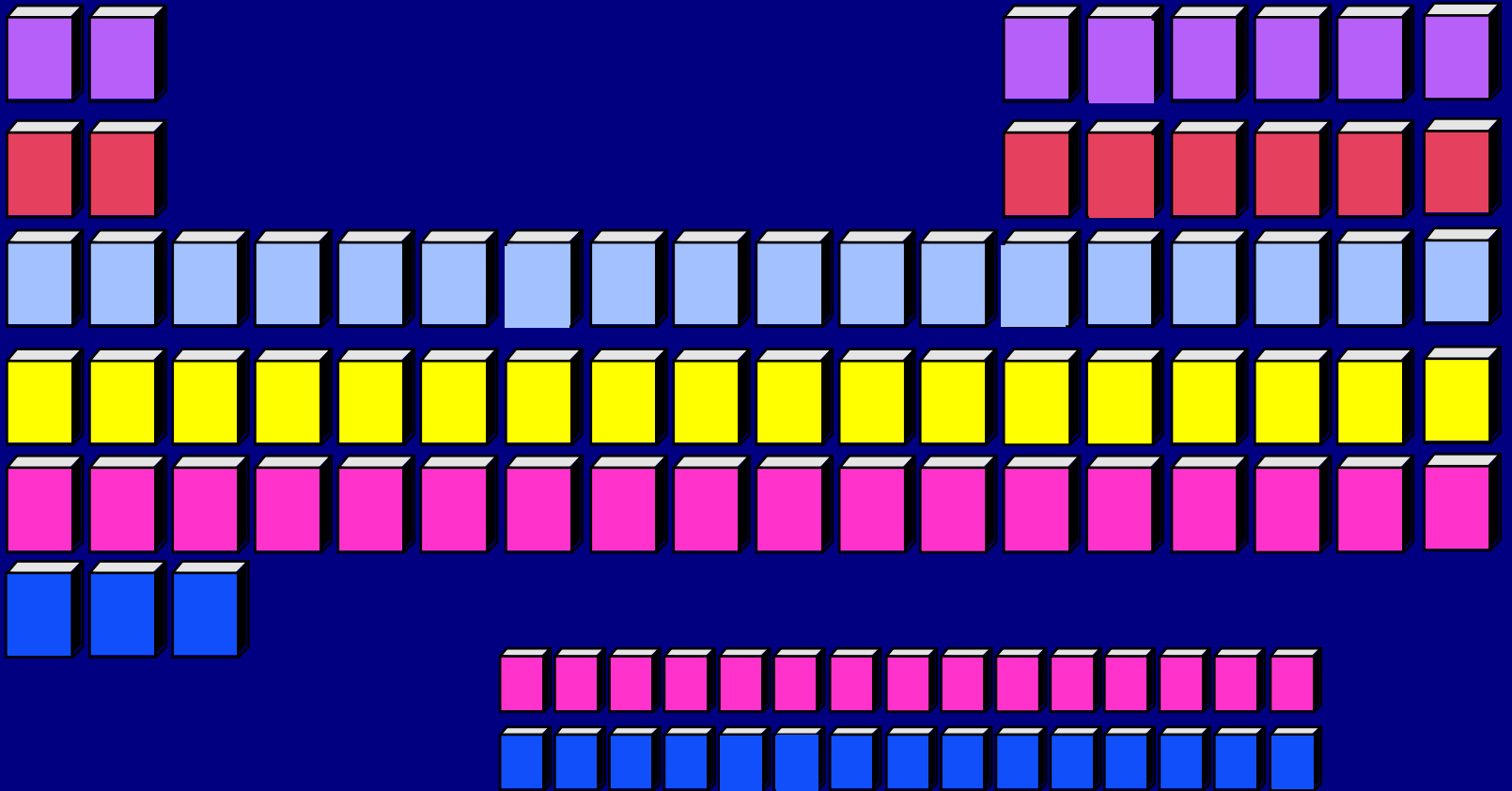
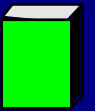
## The modern table

- ◆ **Elements are still grouped by properties.**
- ◆ **Similar properties are in the same column.**
- ◆ **Order is in increasing atomic number.**
- ◆ **Added a column of elements Mendeleev didn't know about.**
- ◆ **The noble gases weren't found because they didn't react with anything.**

◆ Horizontal rows are called periods



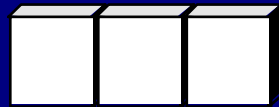
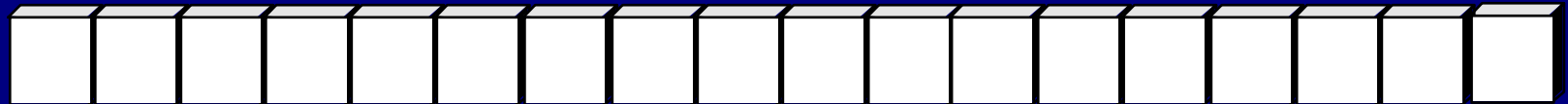
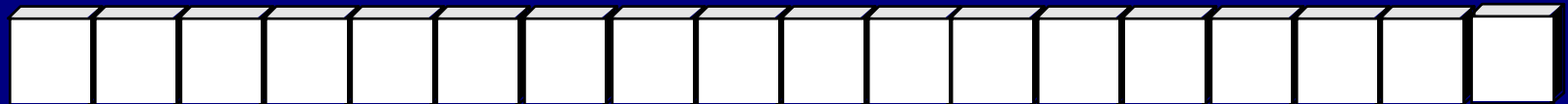
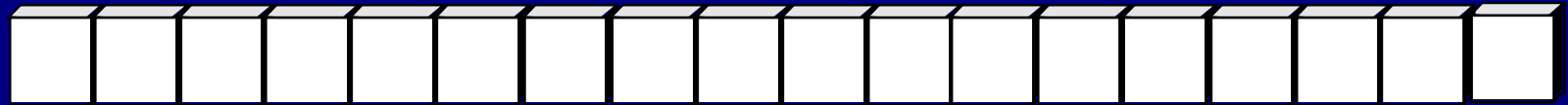
◆ There are 7 periods



◆ Vertical columns are called groups.

◆ Elements are placed in columns by similar properties.

◆ Also called families



◆ The elements in the A groups are called the representative elements

1A

2A

elements

3A

4A

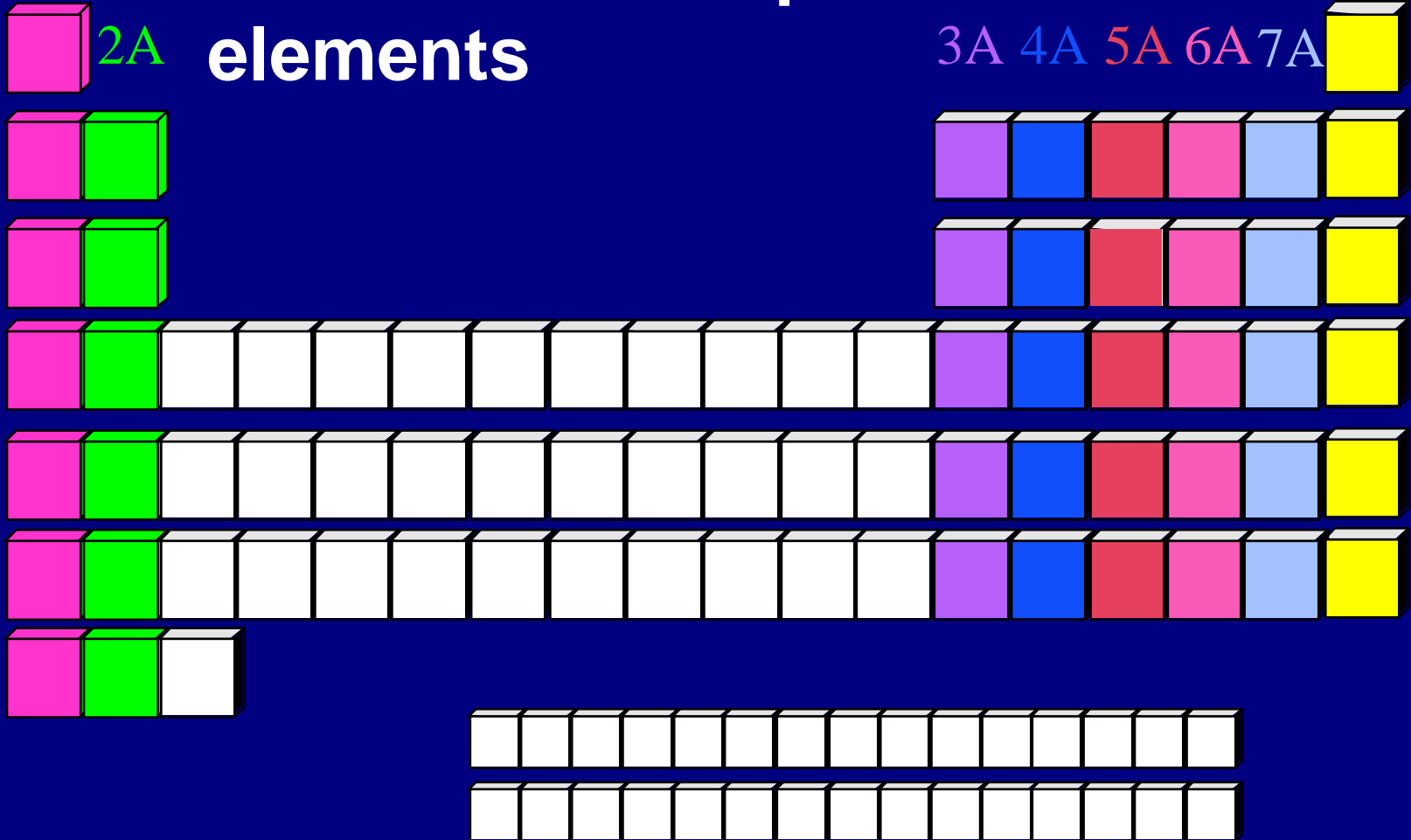
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6A

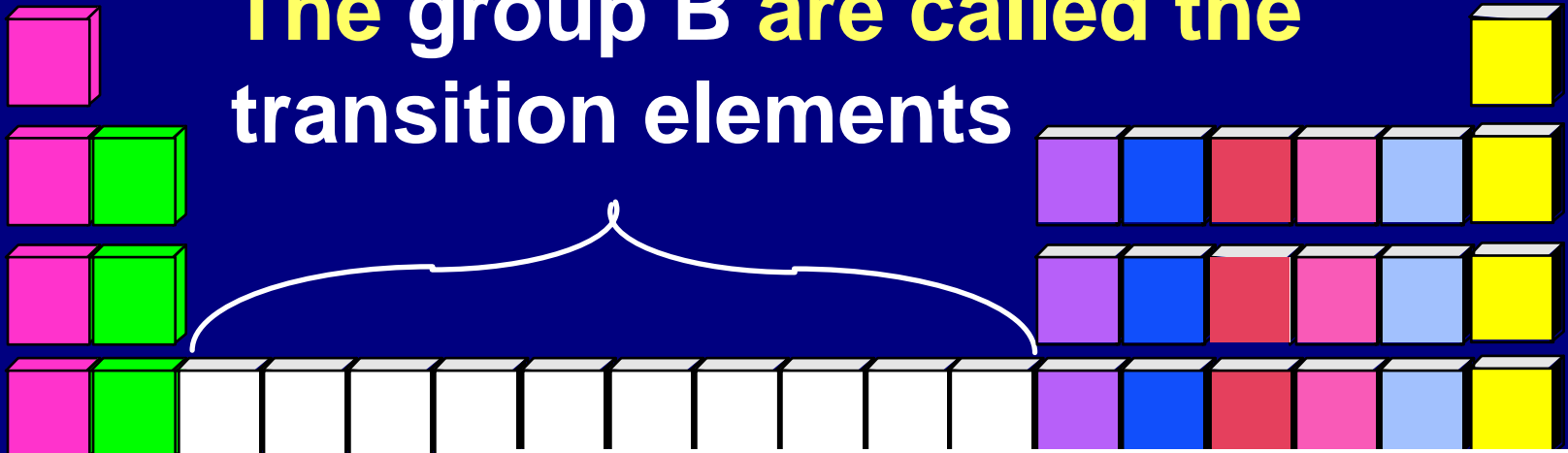
7A

8A

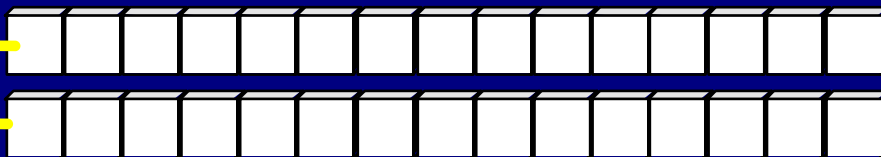
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**The group B are called the transition elements**



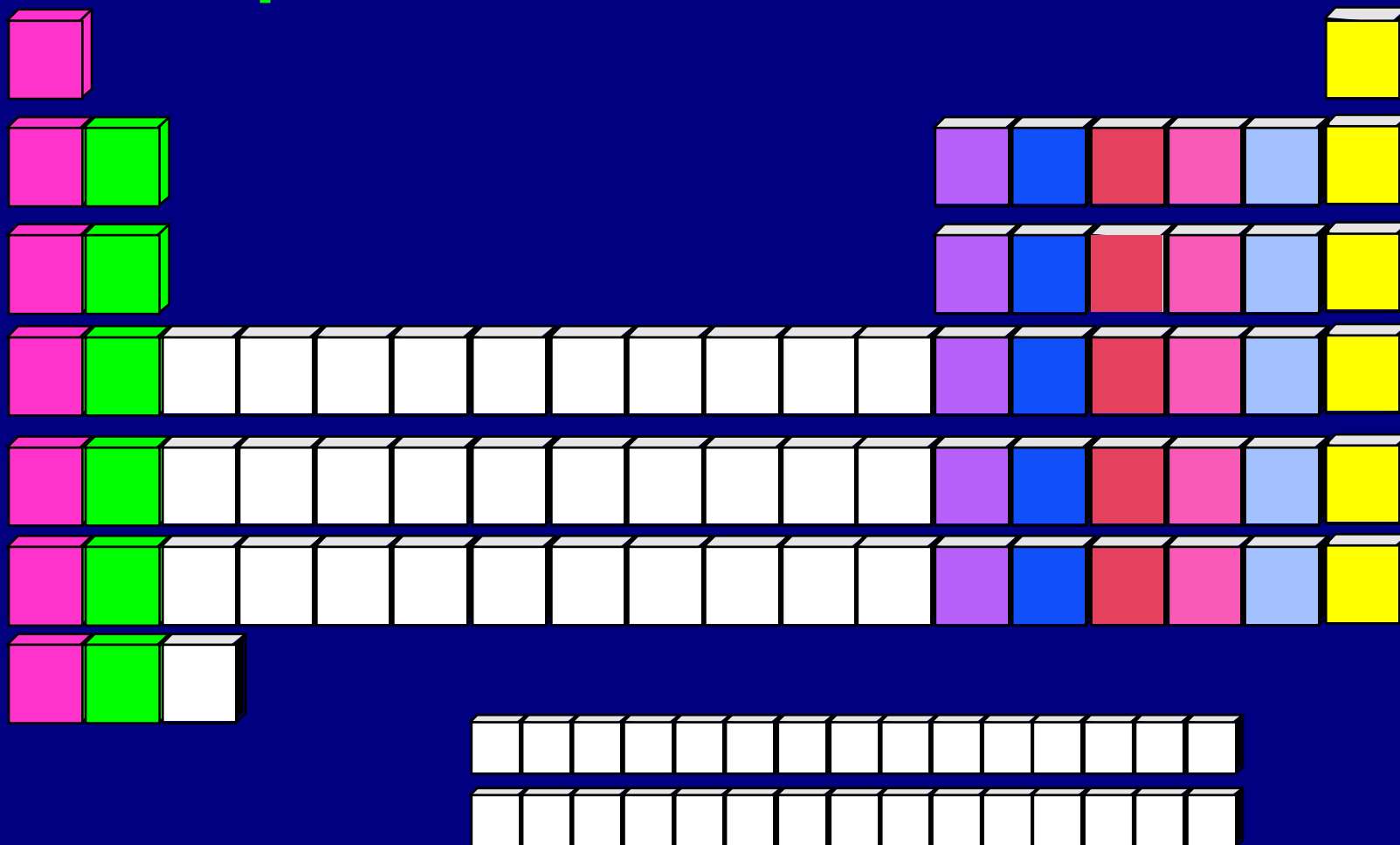
◆ **These are called the inner transition elements and they belong here**





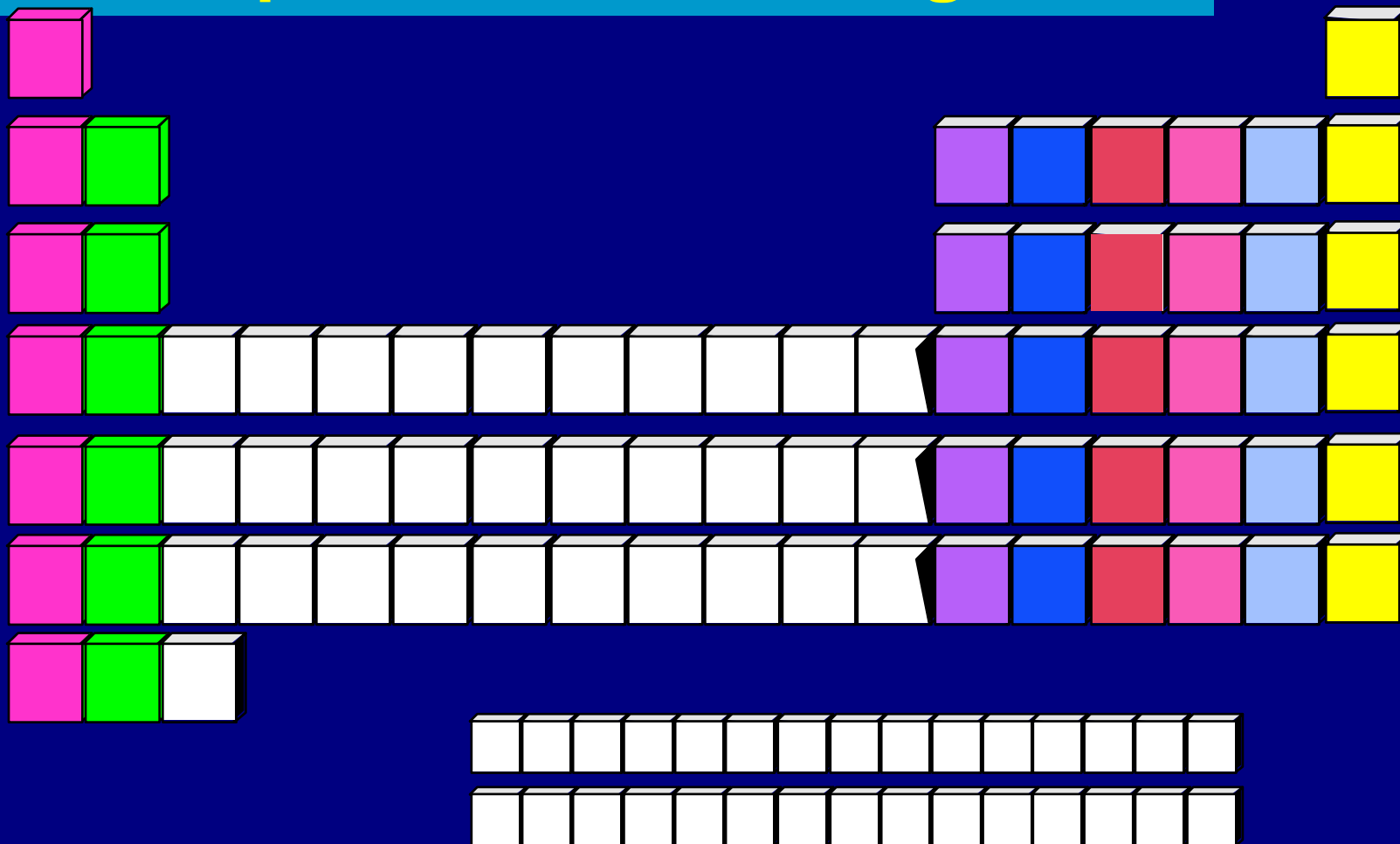
◆ Group 1A are the alkali metals

◆ Group 2A are the alkaline earth metals



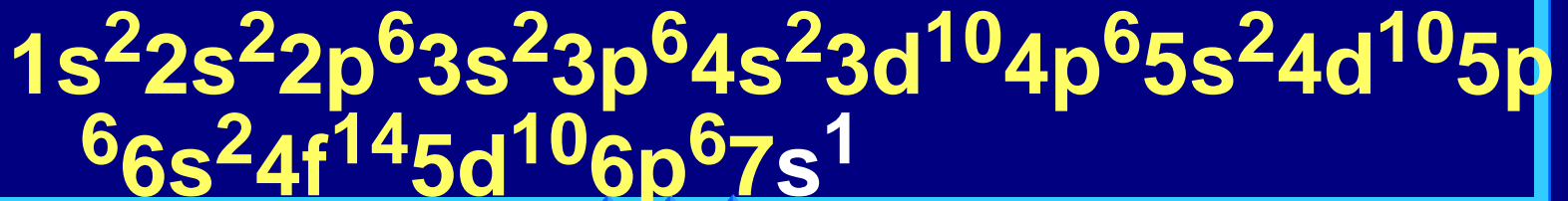
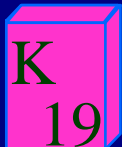
◆ Group 7A is called the Halogens

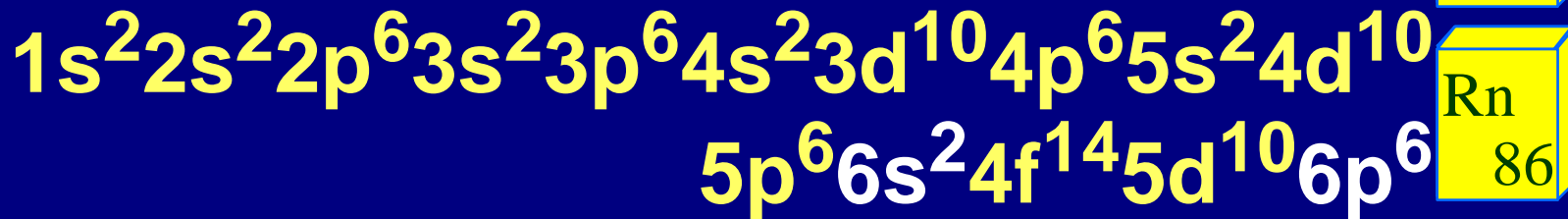
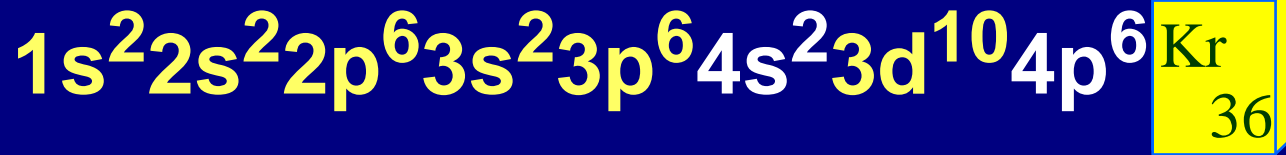
Group 8A are the noble gases



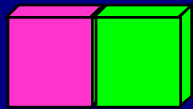
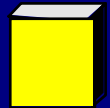
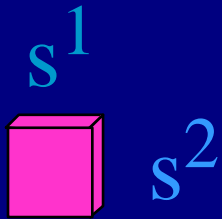
# Why?

- ◆ **The part of the atom another atom sees is the electron cloud.**
- ◆ **More importantly the outside orbitals.**
- ◆ **The orbitals fill up in a regular pattern.**
- ◆ **The outside orbital electron configuration repeats.**
- ◆ **The properties of atoms repeat.**

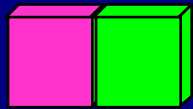




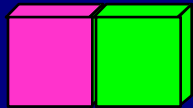
# S- block



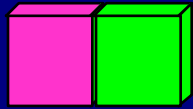
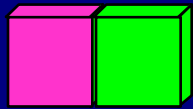
◆ Alkali metals all end in  $s^1$



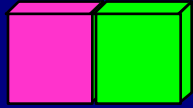
◆ Alkaline earth metals all end in  $s^2$



◆ really have to include He but it fits better later.



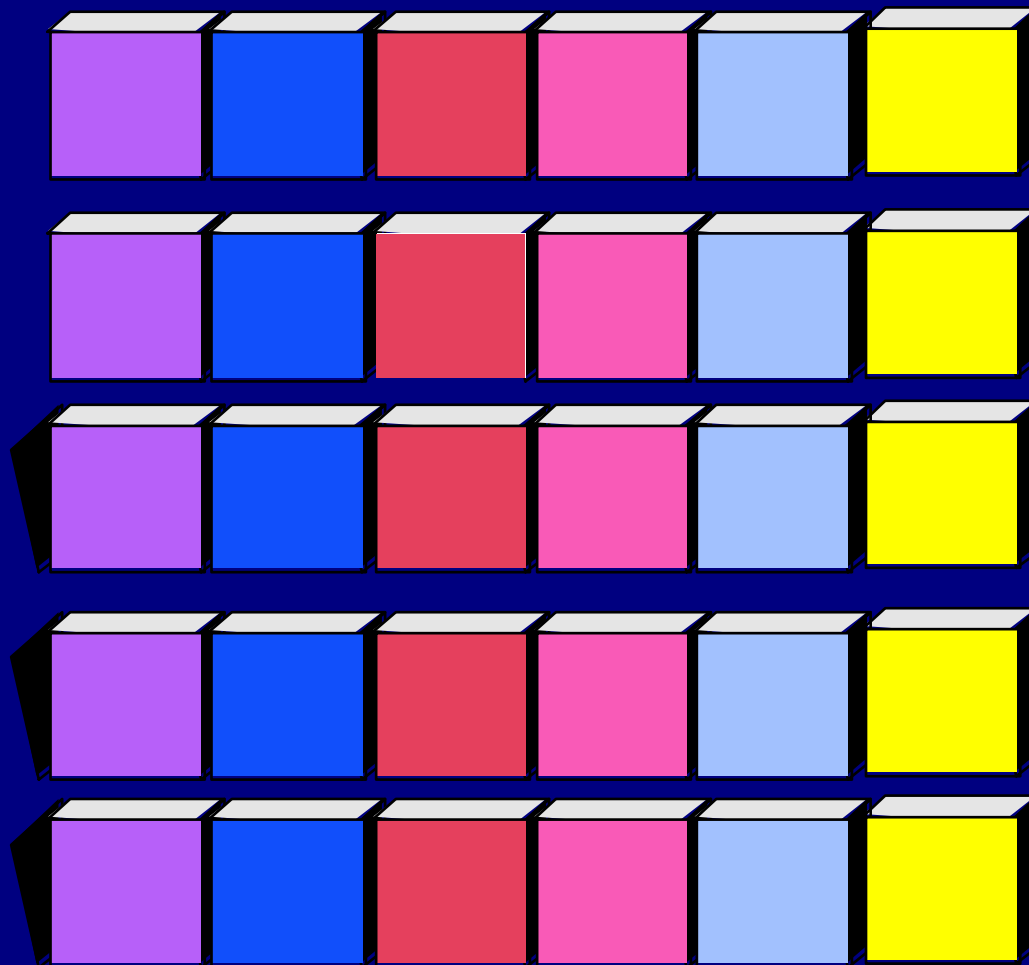
◆ He has the properties of the noble gases.





# The P-block

$p^1$   $p^2$   $p^3$   $p^4$   $p^5$   $p^6$

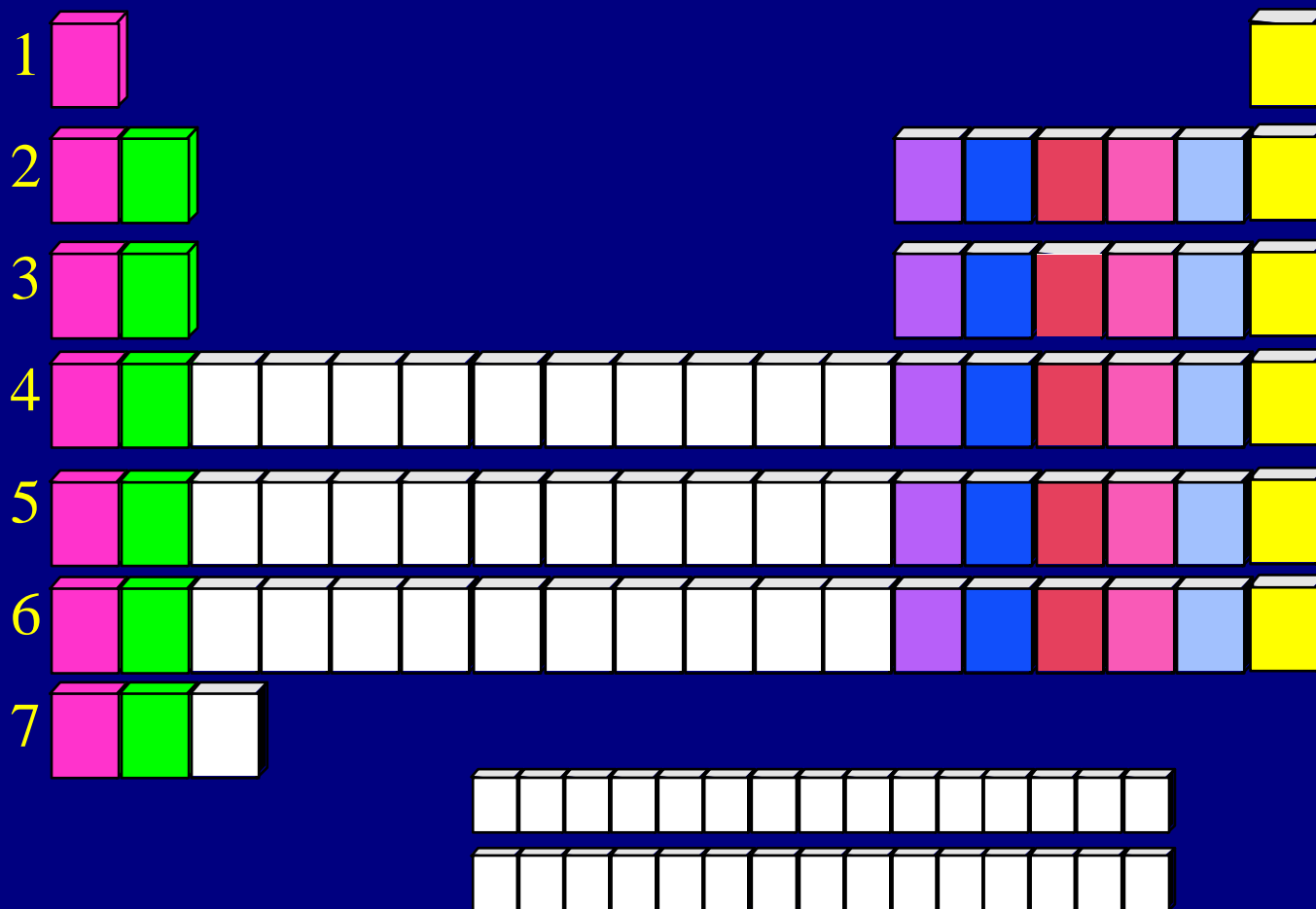




# F - block

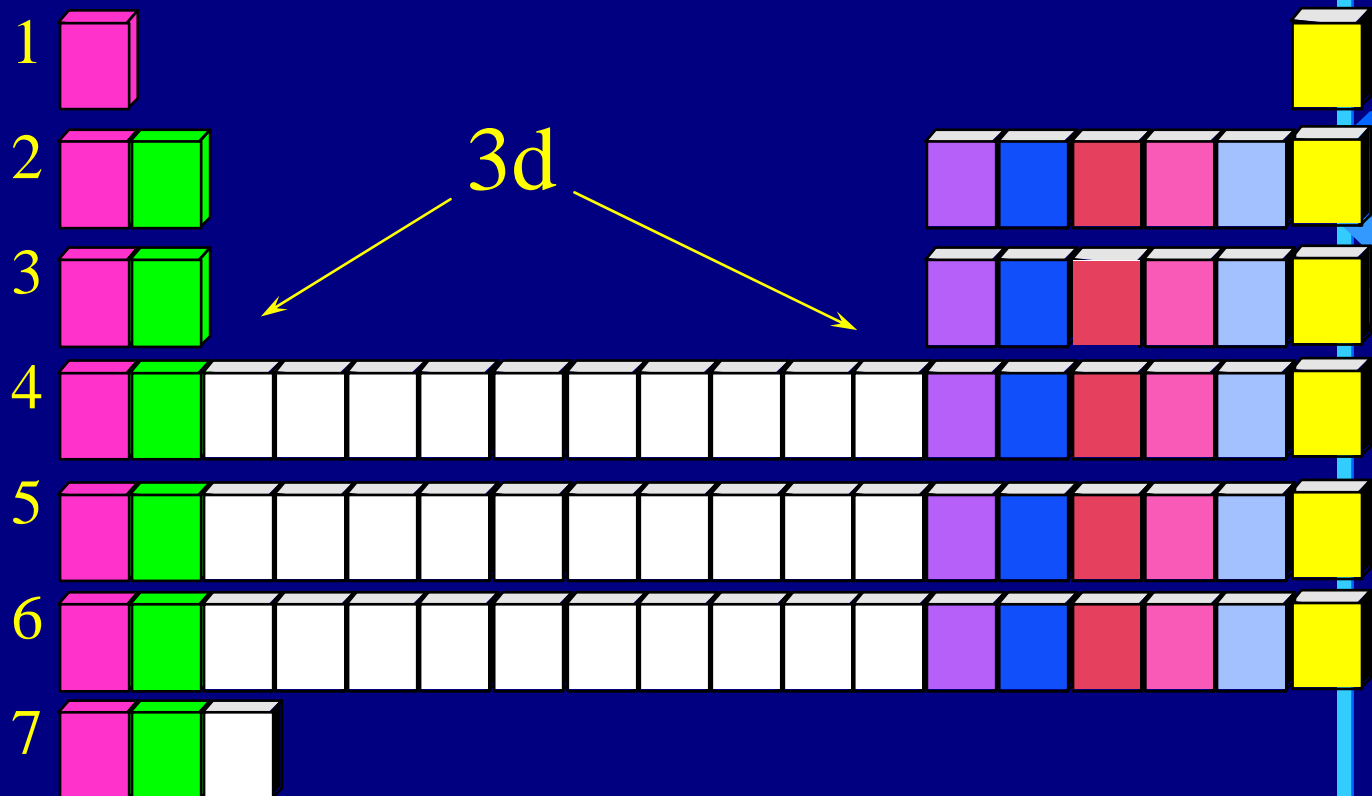
## ◆ inner transition elements

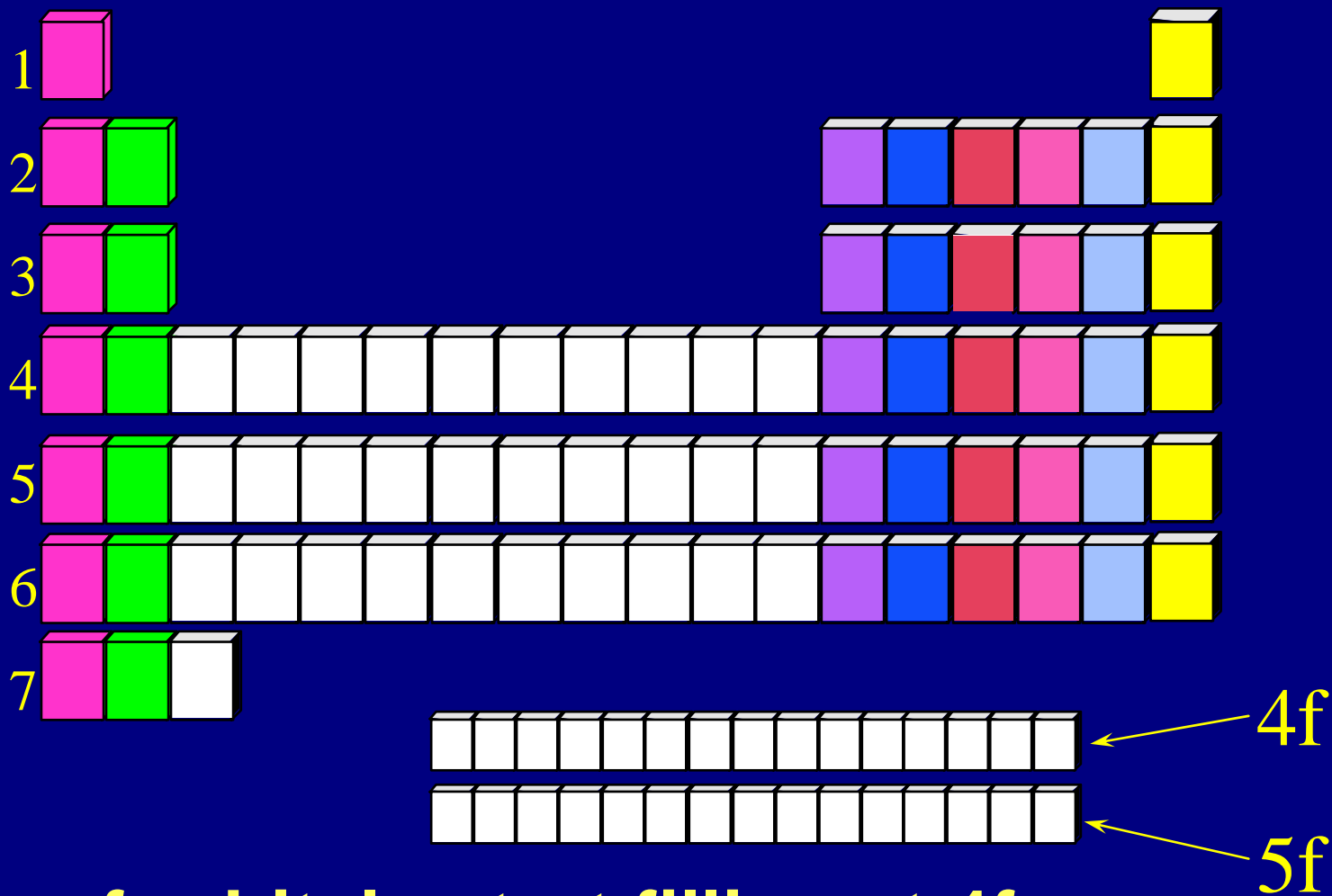
$f^1$	$f^2$	$f^3$	$f^4$	$f^5$	$f^6$	$f^7$	$f^8$	$f^9$	$f^{10}$	$f^{11}$	$f^{12}$	$f^{13}$	$f^{14}$
La	Ce	Pr	Nd	Pm	Sm	Eu	Gd	Tb	Dy	Ho	Er	Tm	Yb
Ac	Th	Pa	U	Np	Pu	Am	Cm	Bk	Cf	Es	Fm	Md	No



- ◆ Each row (or period) is the energy level for s and p orbitals.

- ◆ D orbitals fill up after previous energy level so first d is 3d even though it's in row 4.



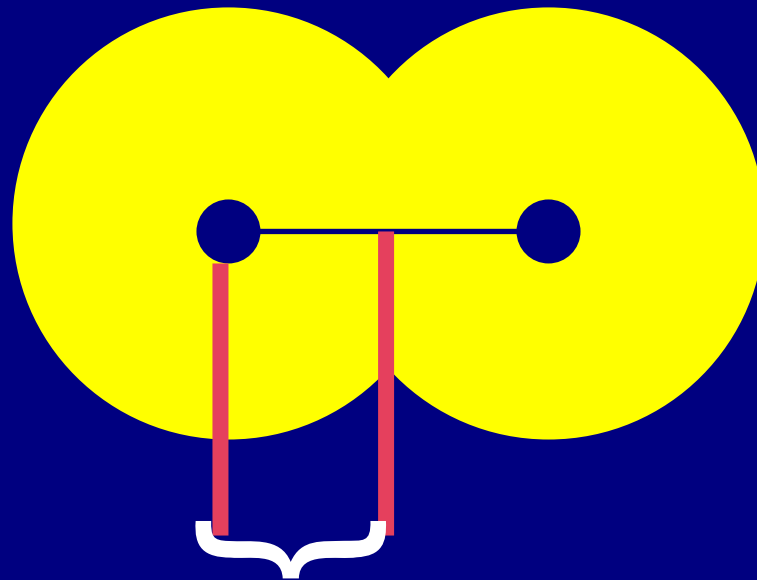


◆ f orbitals start filling at 4f

# Atomic Size

- ◆ **First problem where do you start measuring.**
- ◆ **The electron cloud doesn't have a definite edge.**
- ◆ **They get around this by measuring more than 1 atom at a time.**

# Atomic Size



Radius

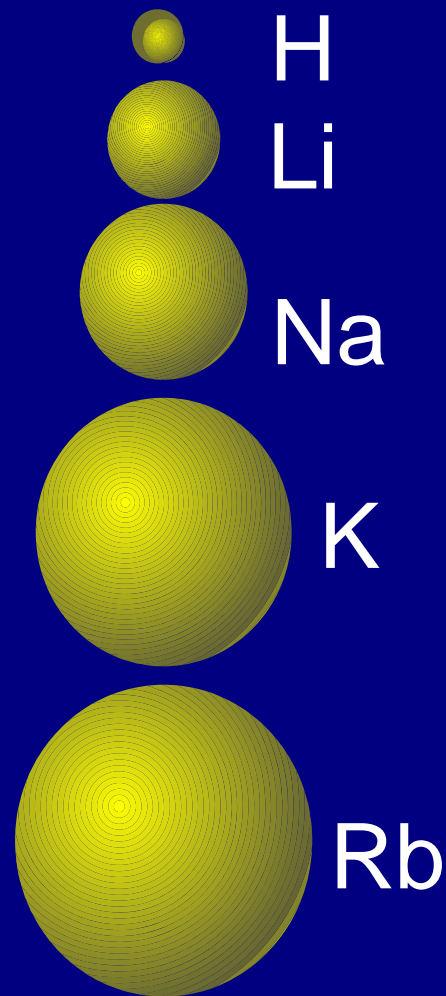
- ◆ **Atomic Radius = half the distance between two nuclei of a diatomic molecule.**

# Trends in Atomic Size

- ◆ **Influenced by two factors.**
- ◆ **Energy Level**
- ◆ **Higher energy level is further away.**
- ◆ **Charge on nucleus**
- ◆ **More charge pulls electrons in closer.**

# Group trends

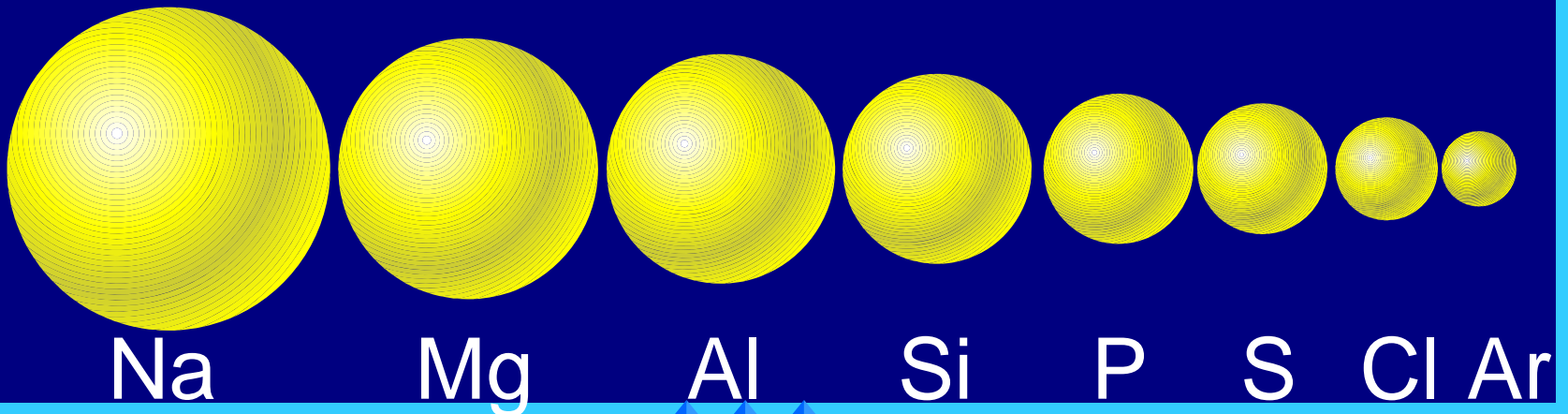
- ◆ **As we go down a group**
- ◆ **Each atom has another energy level,**
- ◆ **So the atoms get bigger.**





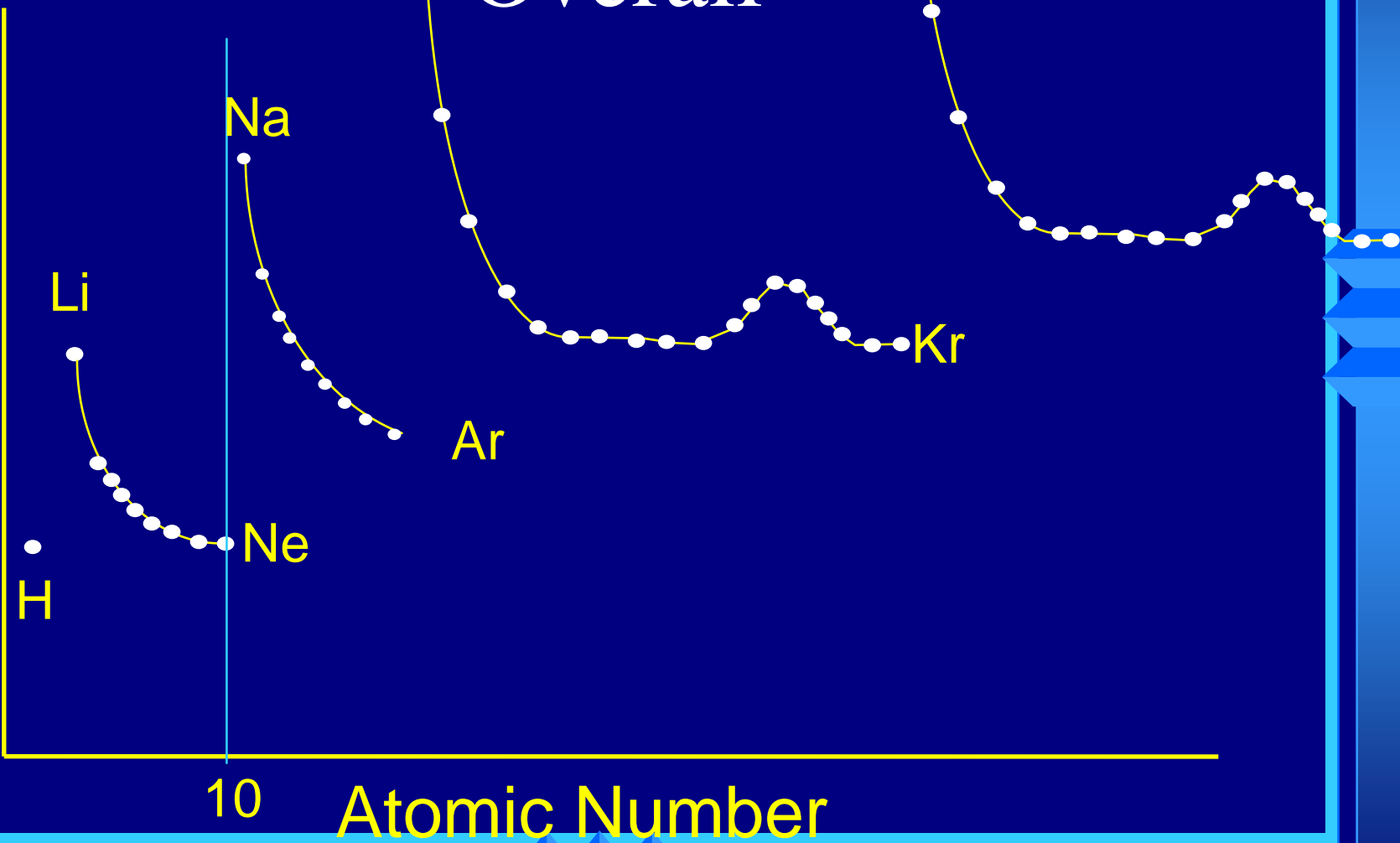
# Periodic Trends

- ◆ **As you go across a period the radius gets smaller.**
- ◆ **Same energy level.**
- ◆ **More nuclear charge.**
- ◆ **Outermost electrons are closer.**



Atomic Radius (nm)

Overall



# Ionization Energy

- ◆ **The amount of energy required to completely remove an electron from a gaseous atom.**
- ◆ **Removing one electron makes a +1 ion.**
- ◆ **The energy required is called the first ionization energy.**

# Ionization Energy

- ◆ **The second ionization energy is the energy required to remove the second electron.**
- ◆ **Always greater than first IE.**
- ◆ **The third IE is the energy required to remove a third electron.**
- ◆ **Greater than 1st of 2nd IE.**

Symbol	First	Second	Third
H	1312		
He	2731	5247	11
Li	520	7297	810
Be	900	1757	14840
B	800	2430	3569
C	1086	2352	4619
N	1402	2857	4577
O	1314	3391	5301
F	1681	3375	6045
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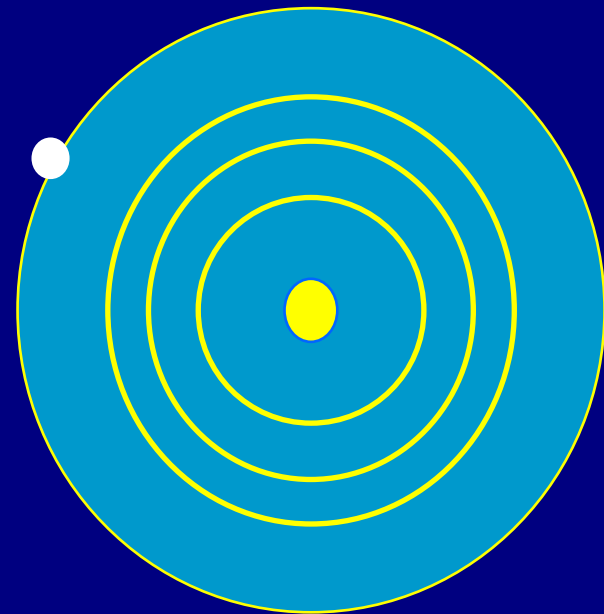
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# What determines IE

- ◆ **The greater the nuclear charge the greater IE.**
- ◆ **Distance form nucleus decreases IE**
- ◆ **Shielding**

# Shielding

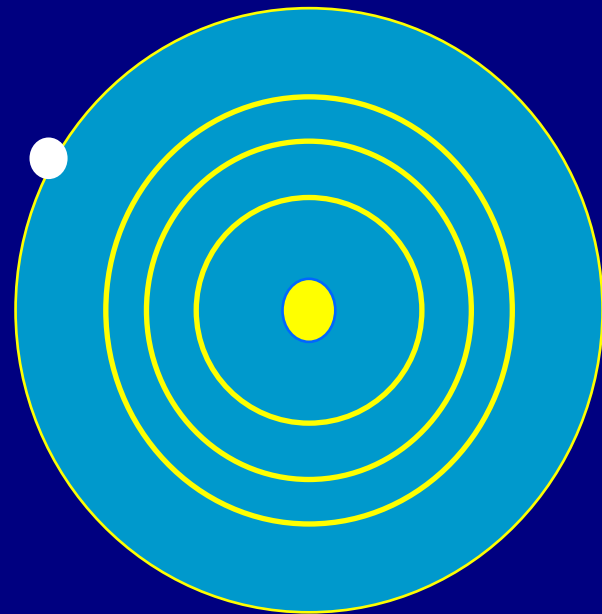
- ◆ **The electron on the outside energy level has to look through all the other energy levels to see the nucleus**





# Shielding

- ◆ **The electron on the outside energy level has to look through all the other energy levels to see the nucleus.**
- ◆ **A second electron has the same shielding.**



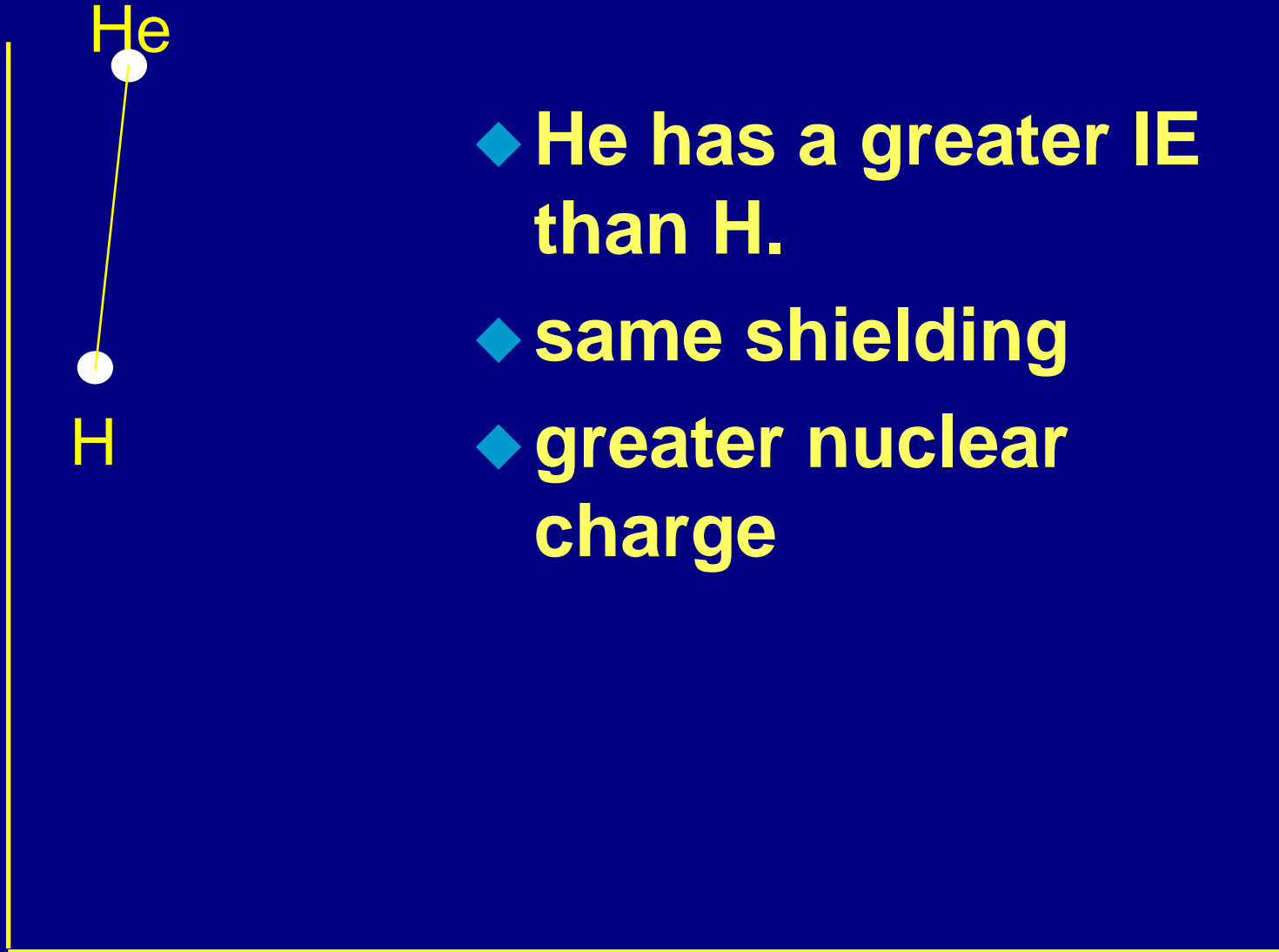
## Group trends

- ◆ **As you go down a group first IE decreases because**
- ◆ **The electron is further away.**
- ◆ **More shielding.**

# Periodic trends

- ◆ **All the atoms in the same period have the same energy level.**
- ◆ **Same shielding.**
- ◆ **Increasing nuclear charge**
- ◆ **So IE generally increases from left to right.**
- ◆ **Exceptions at full and 1/2 fill orbitals.**

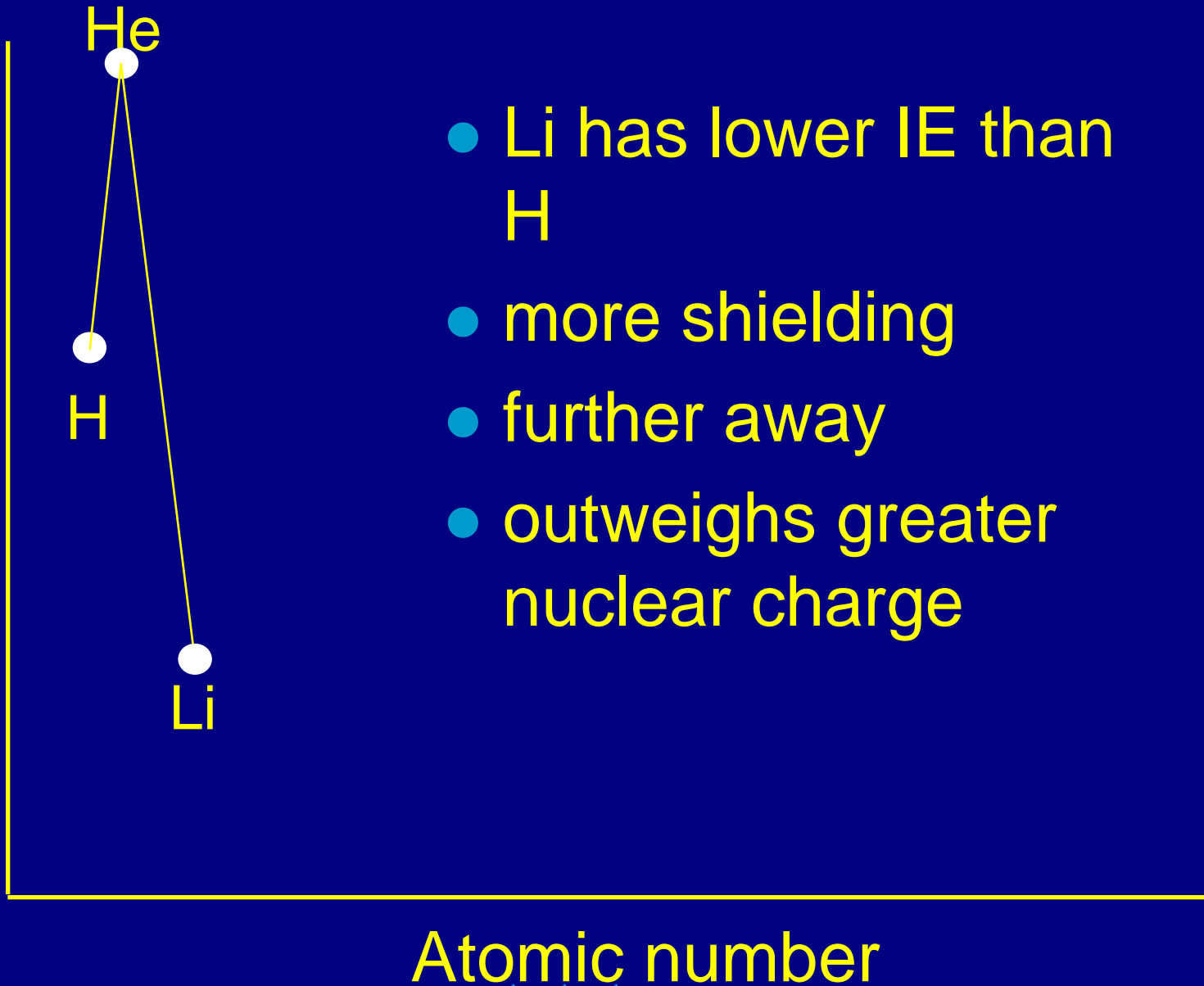
First ionization energy



- ◆ He has a greater IE than H.
- ◆ same shielding
- ◆ greater nuclear charge

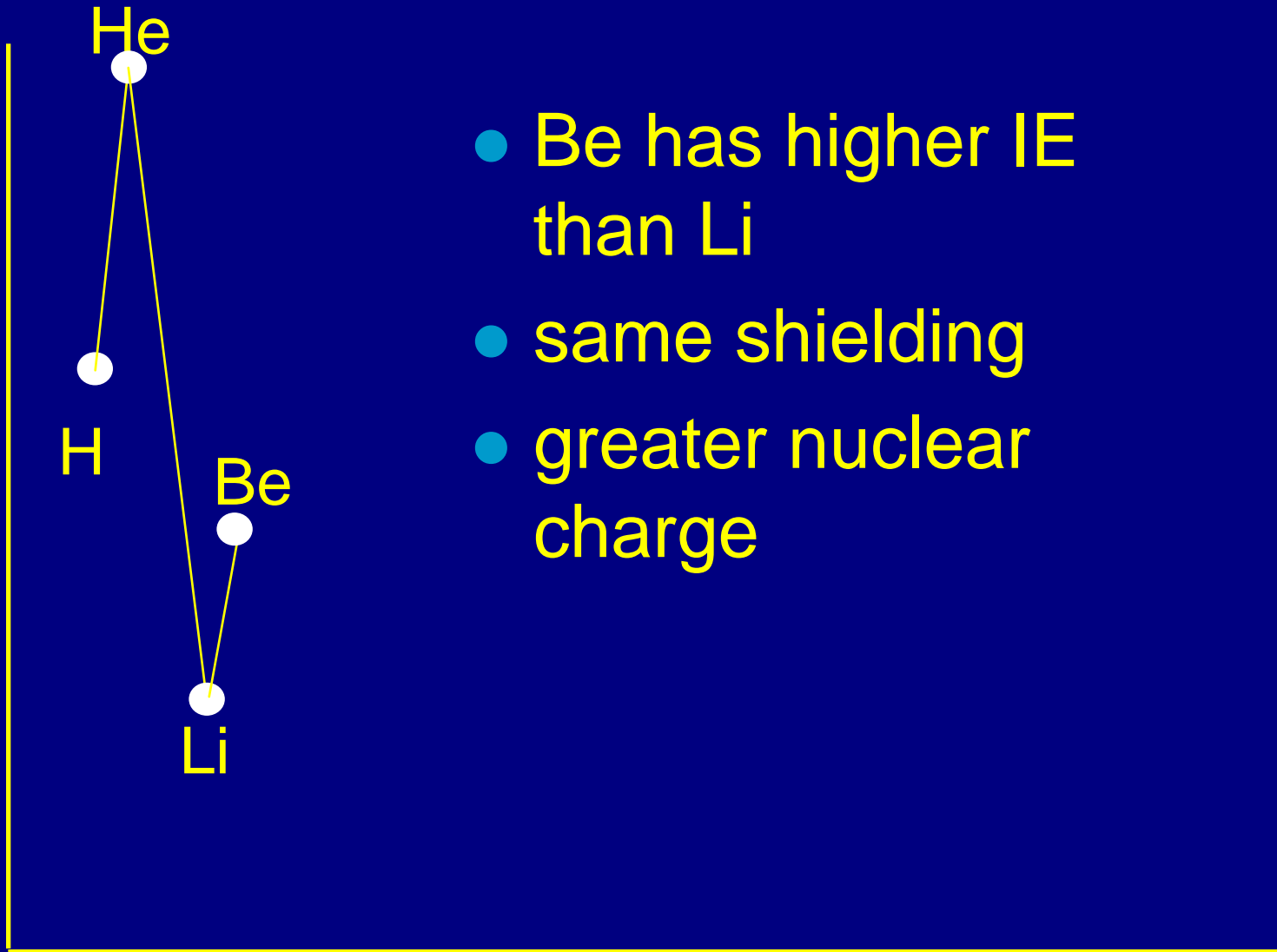
Atomic number

First ionization energy



- Li has lower IE than H
- more shielding
- further away
- outweighs greater nuclear charge

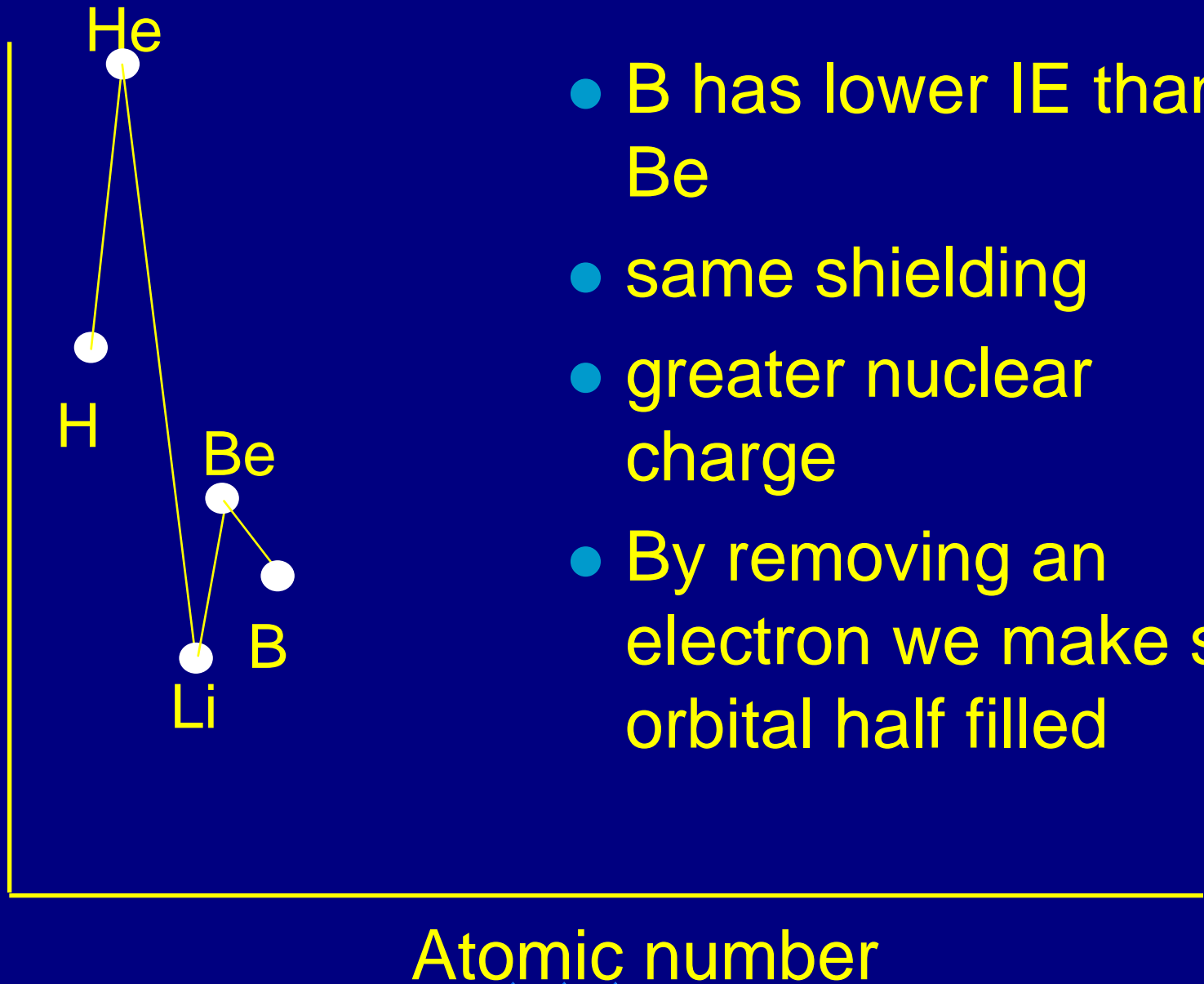
First ionization energy



- Be has higher IE than Li
- same shielding
- greater nuclear charge

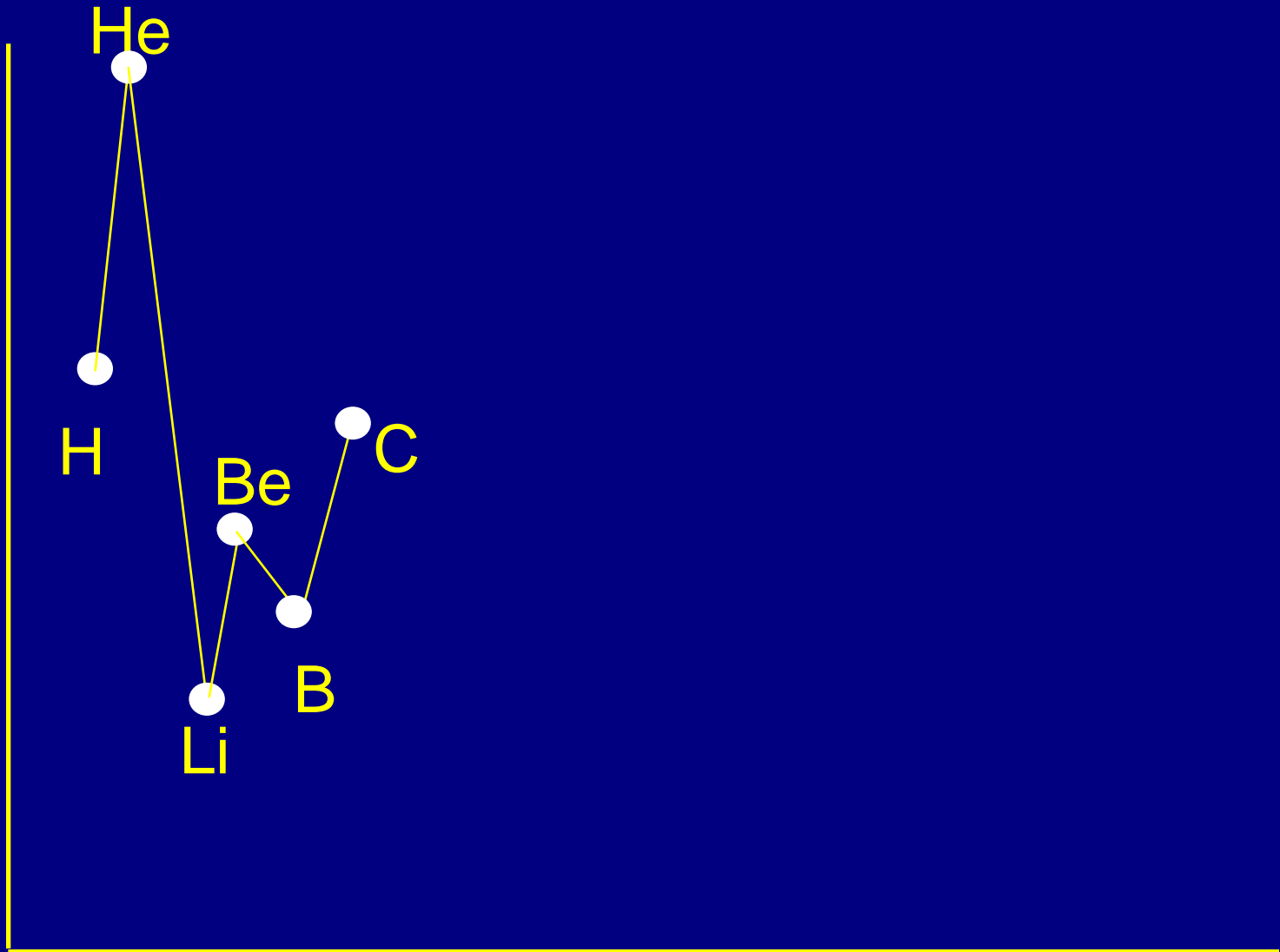
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First ionization energy



- B has lower IE than Be
- same shielding
- greater nuclear charge
- By removing an electron we make s orbital half filled

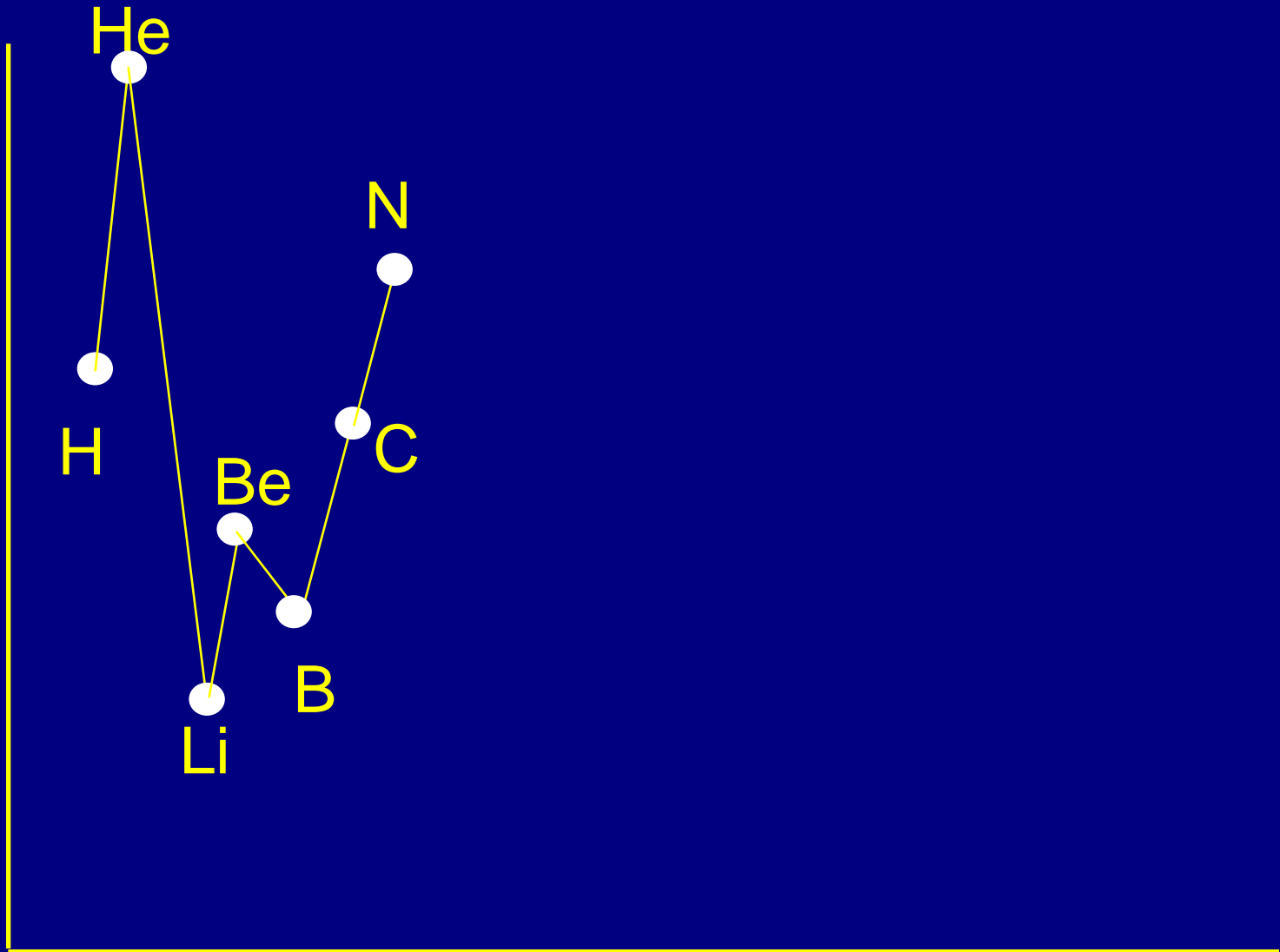
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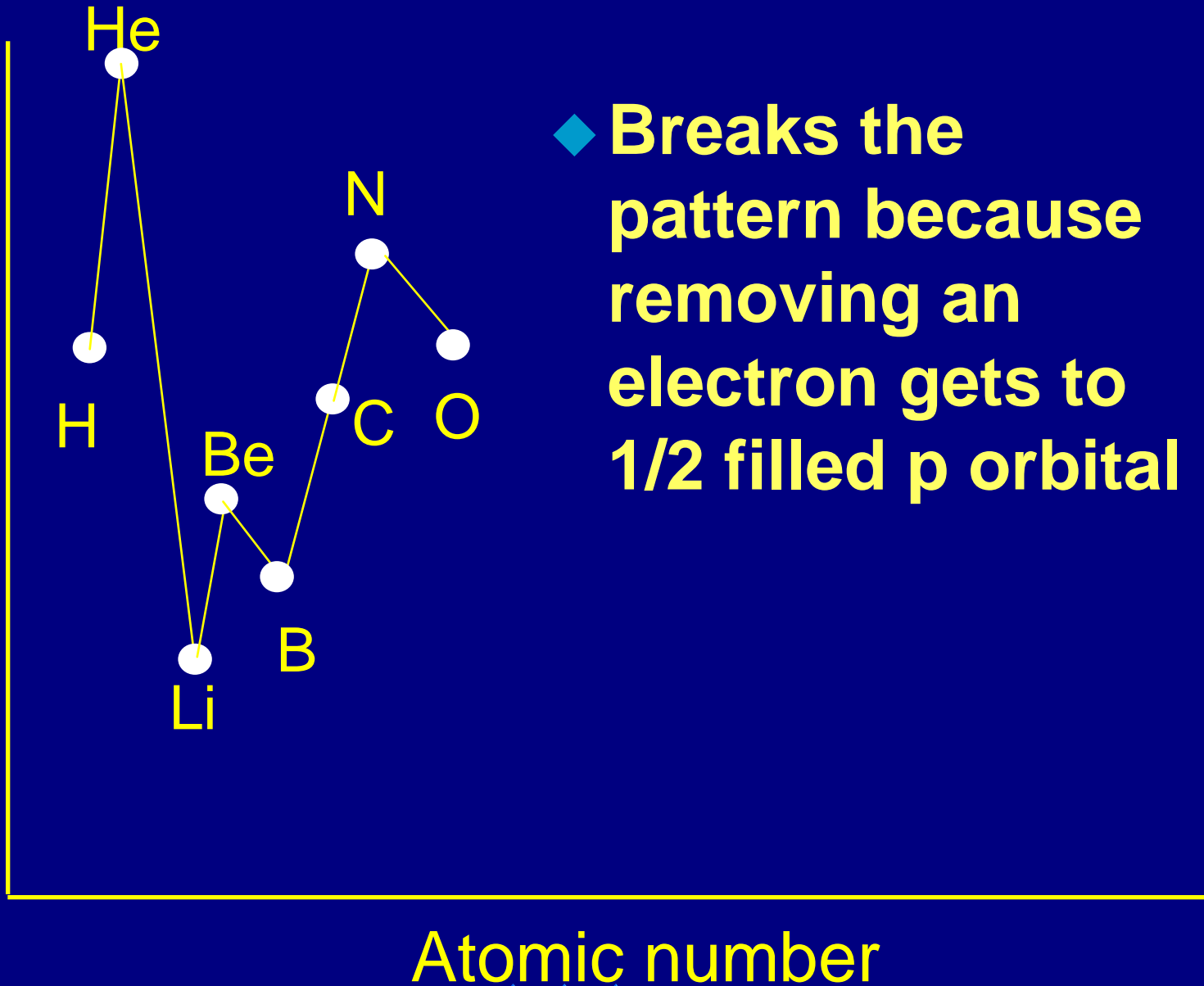


First ionization energy



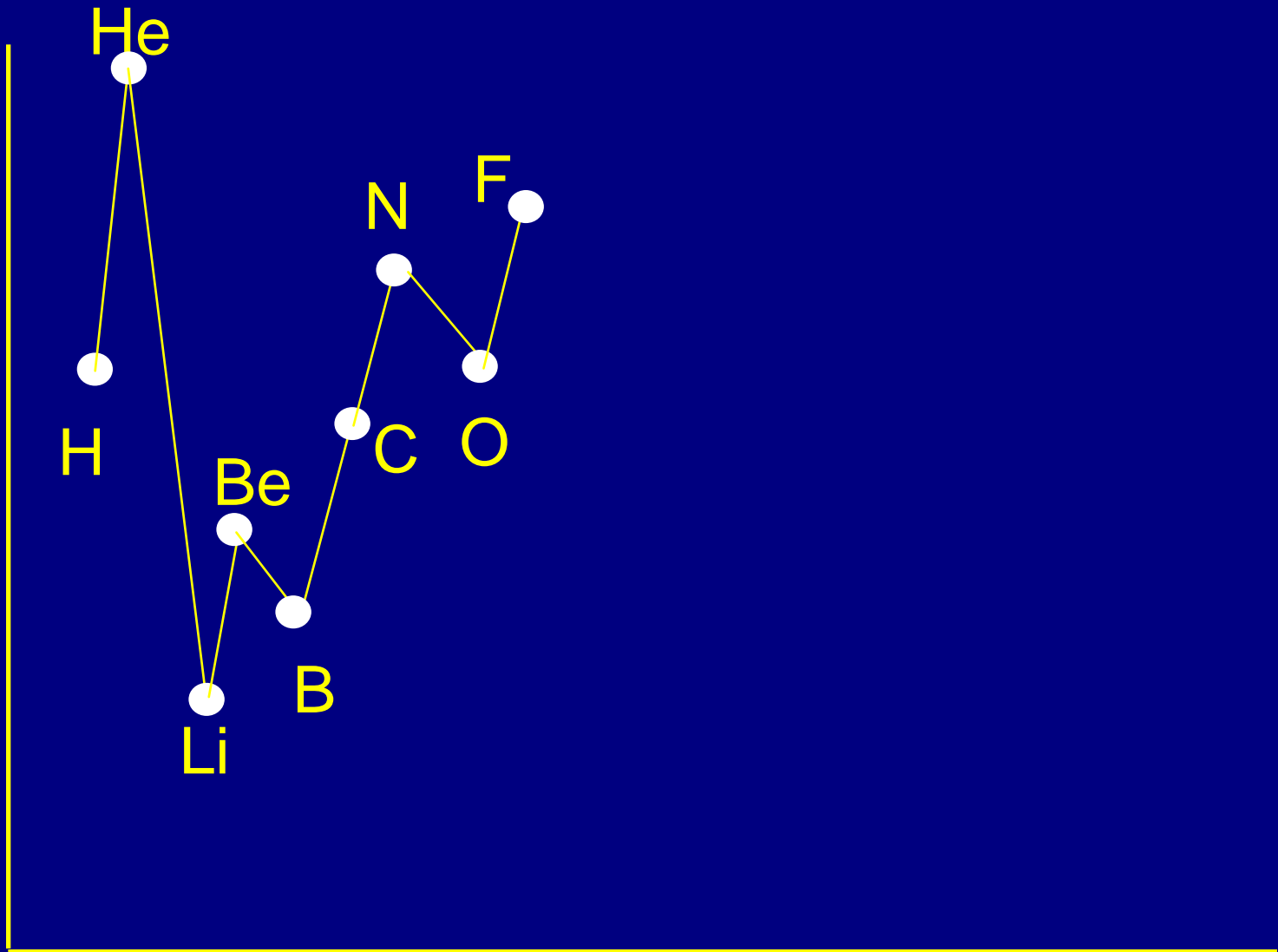
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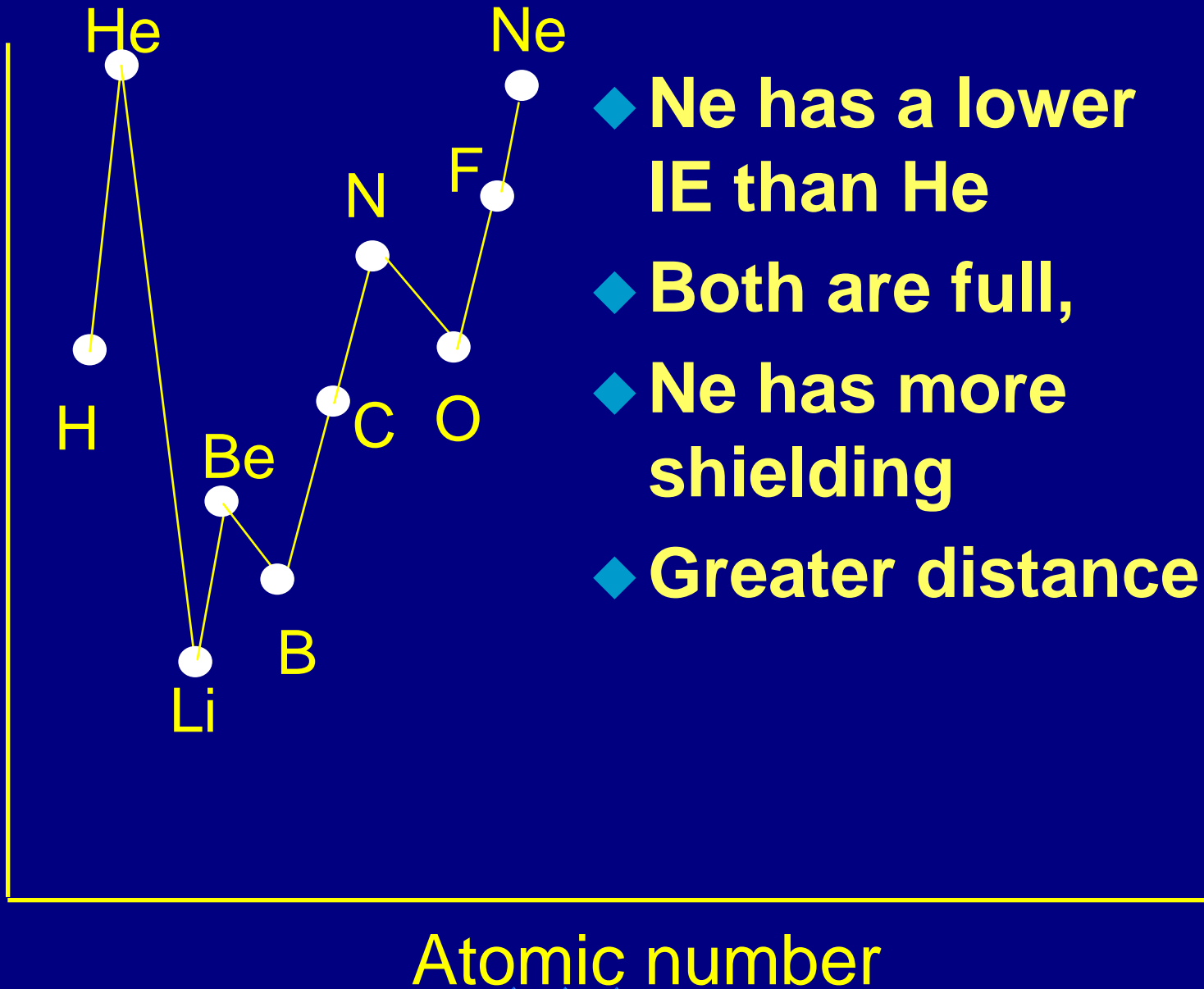
- ◆ Breaks the pattern because removing an electron gets to 1/2 filled p orbital

First ionization energy



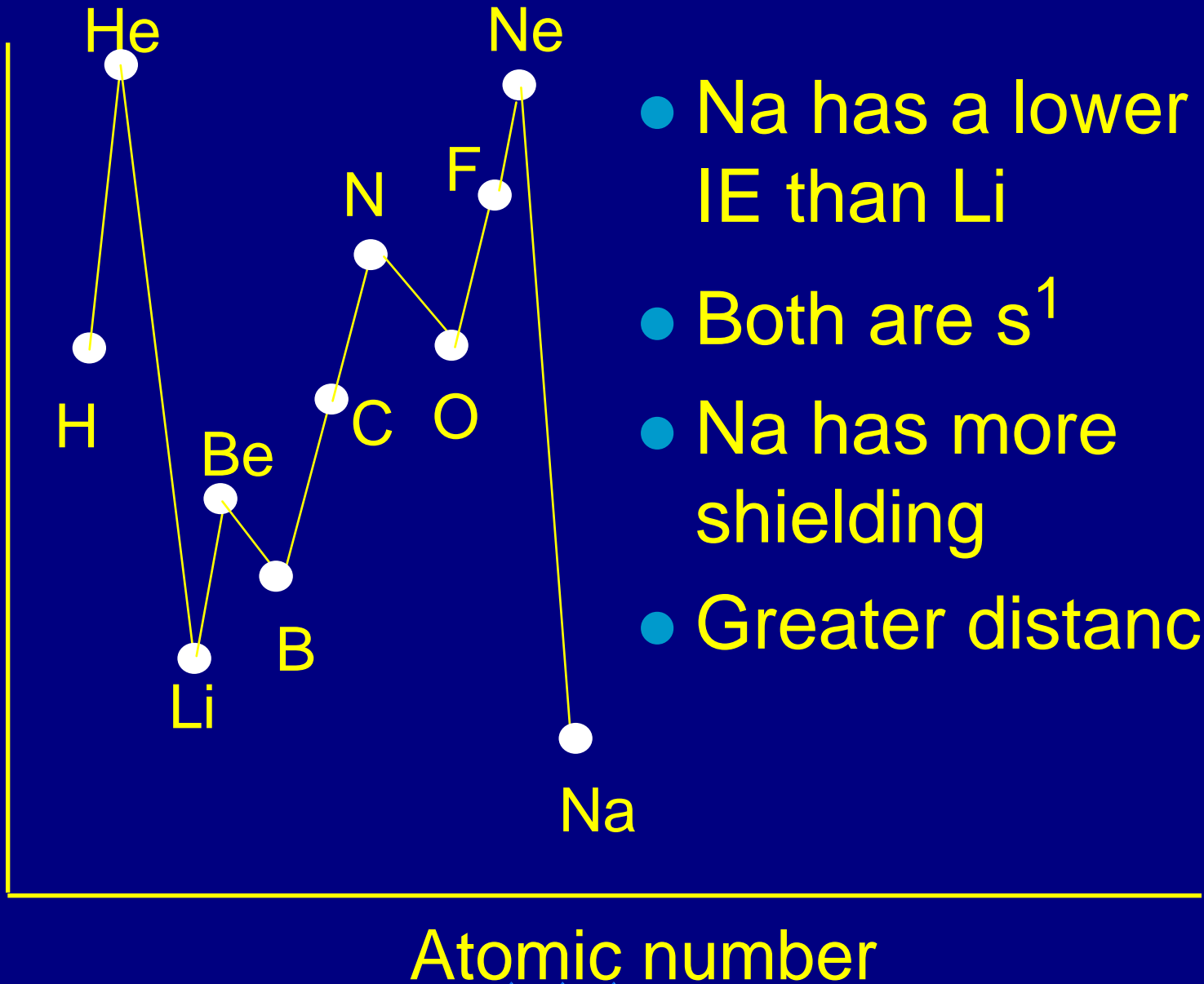
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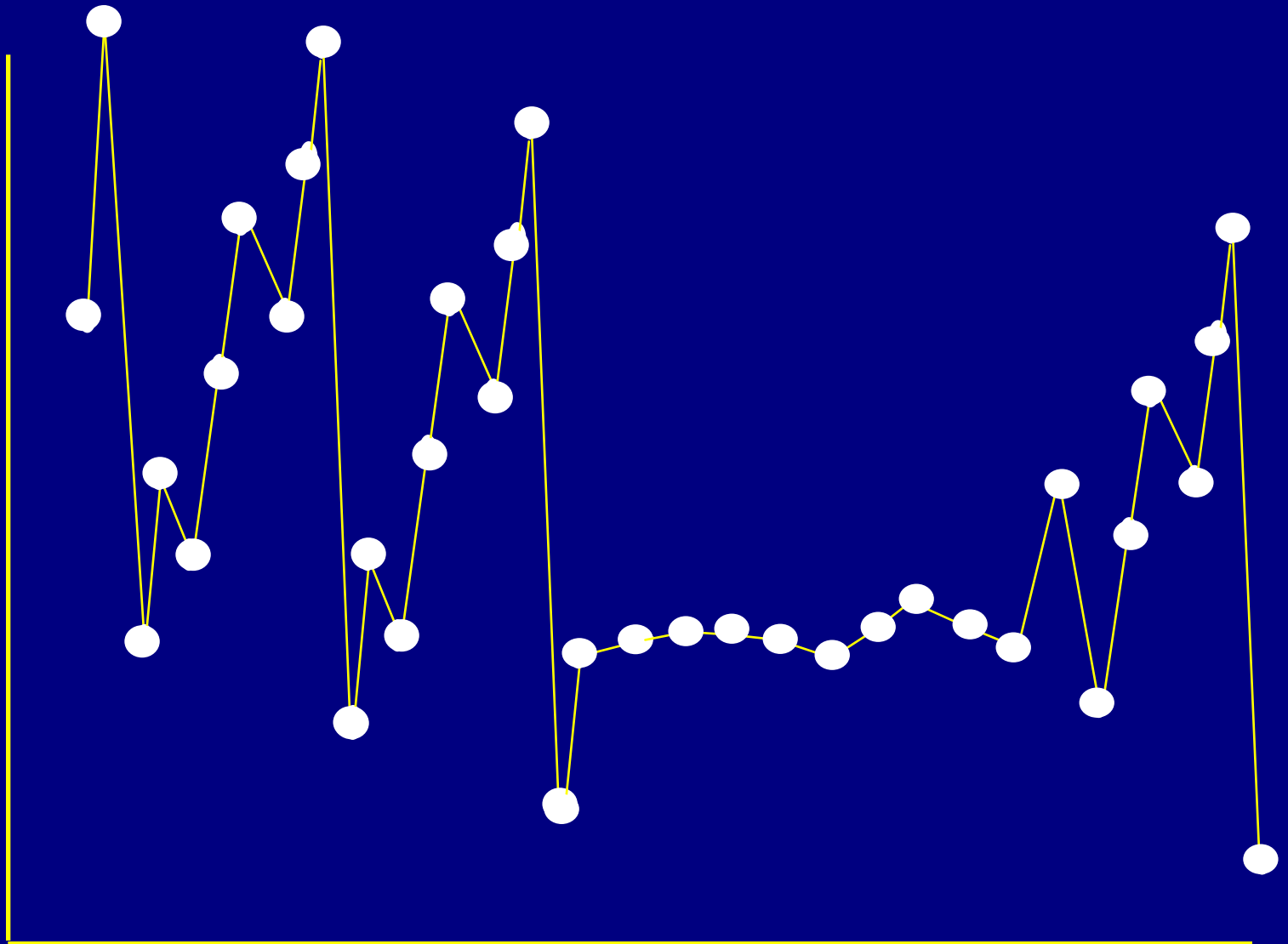
- ◆ Ne has a lower IE than He
- ◆ Both are full,
- ◆ Ne has more shielding
- ◆ Greater distance

First ionization energy



- Na has a lower IE than Li
- Both are  $s^1$
- Na has more shielding
- Greater distance

First ionization energy



Atomic number

# Driving Force

- ◆ **Full Energy Levels are very low energy.**
- ◆ **Noble Gases have full orbitals.**
- ◆ **Atoms behave in ways to achieve noble gas configuration.**

## 2nd Ionization Energy

- ◆ **For elements that reach a filled or half filled orbital by removing 2 electrons 2nd IE is lower than expected.**
- ◆ **True for  $s^2$**
- ◆ **Alkali earth metals form +2 ions.**



## 3rd IE

- ◆ Using the same logic  $s^2p^1$  atoms have a low 3rd IE.
- ◆ Atoms in the aluminum family form +3 ions.
- ◆ 2nd IE and 3rd IE are always higher than 1st IE!!!

# Electron Affinity

- ◆ **The energy released when adding an electron to a gaseous atom.**
- ◆ **Easiest to add to group 7A.**
- ◆ **Gets them to full energy level.**
- ◆ **Increase from left to right atoms become smaller, with greater nuclear charge.**
- ◆ **Decrease as we go down a group.**

# Ionic Size

- ◆ **Cations form by losing electrons.**
- ◆ **Cations are smaller than the atom they come from.**
- ◆ **Metals form cations.**
- ◆ **Cations of representative elements have noble gas configuration.**

# Ionic size

- ◆ **Anions form by gaining electrons.**
- ◆ **Anions are bigger than the atom they come from.**
- ◆ **Nonmetals form anions.**
- ◆ **Anions of representative elements have noble gas configuration.**

# Configuration of Ions

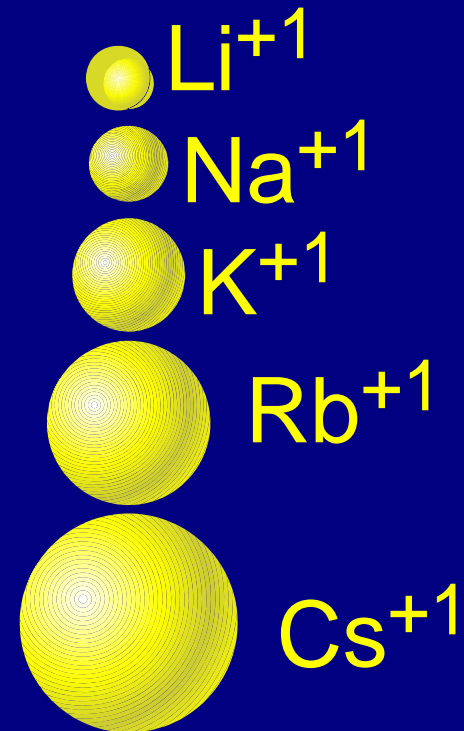
- ◆ Ions always have noble gas configuration.
- ◆ Na is  $1s^22s^22p^63s^1$
- ◆ Forms a +1 ion -  $1s^22s^22p^6$
- ◆ Same configuration as neon.
- ◆ Metals form ions with the configuration of the noble gas before them - they lose electrons.

# Configuration of Ions

- ◆ **Non-metals form ions by gaining electrons to achieve noble gas configuration.**
- ◆ **They end up with the configuration of the noble gas after them.**

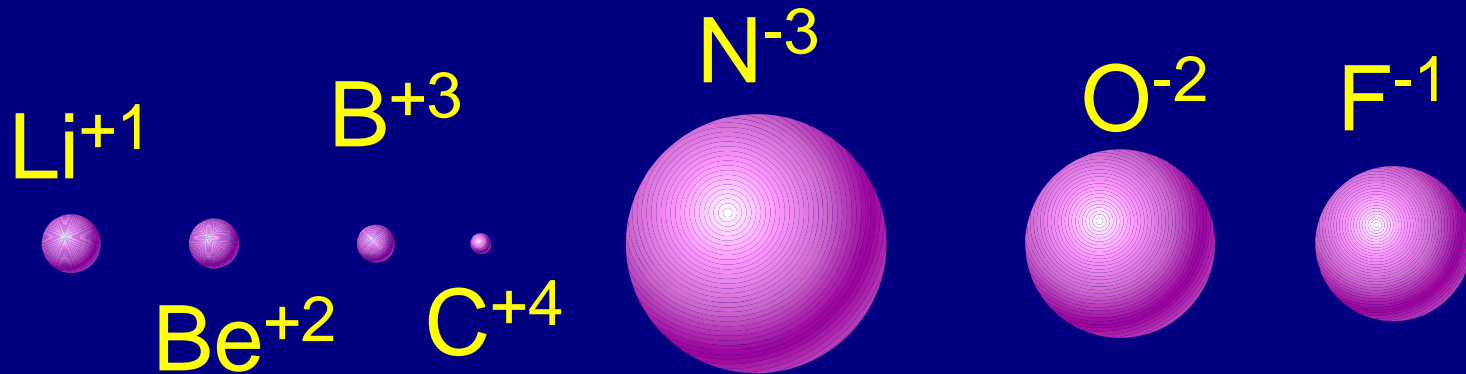
# Group trends

- ◆ Adding energy level
- ◆ Ions get bigger as you go down.



# Periodic Trends

- ◆ Across the period nuclear charge increases so they get smaller.
- ◆ Energy level changes between anions and cations.



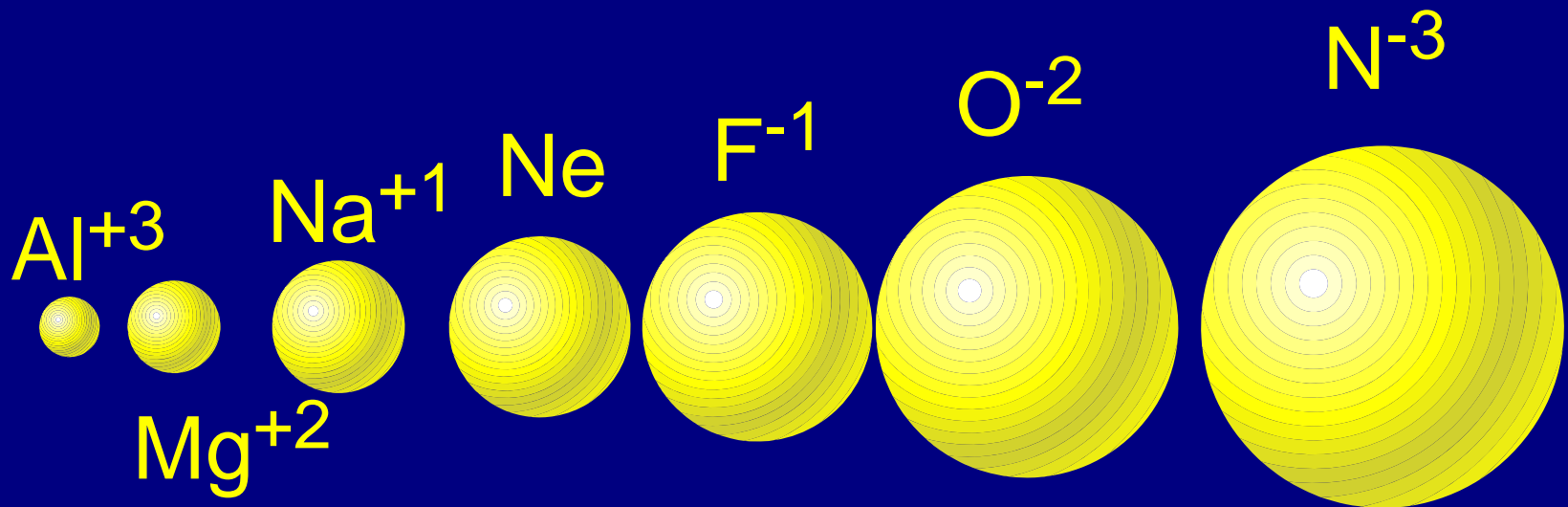


# Size of Isoelectronic ions

- ◆ Iso - same
- ◆ Iso electronic ions have the same # of electrons
- ◆  $\text{Al}^{+3}$   $\text{Mg}^{+2}$   $\text{Na}^{+1}$   $\text{Ne}$   $\text{F}^{-1}$   $\text{O}^{-2}$  and  $\text{N}^{-3}$
- ◆ all have 10 electrons
- ◆ all have the configuration  $1s^1 2s^2 2p^6$

# Size of Isoelectronic ions

- ◆ Positive ions have more protons so they are smaller.





# Electronegativity

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- ◆ **The tendency for an atom to attract electrons to itself when it is chemically combined with another element.**
- ◆ **How fair it shares.**
- ◆ **Big electronegativity means it pulls the electron toward it.**
- ◆ **Atoms with large negative electron affinity have larger electronegativity.**

# Group Trend

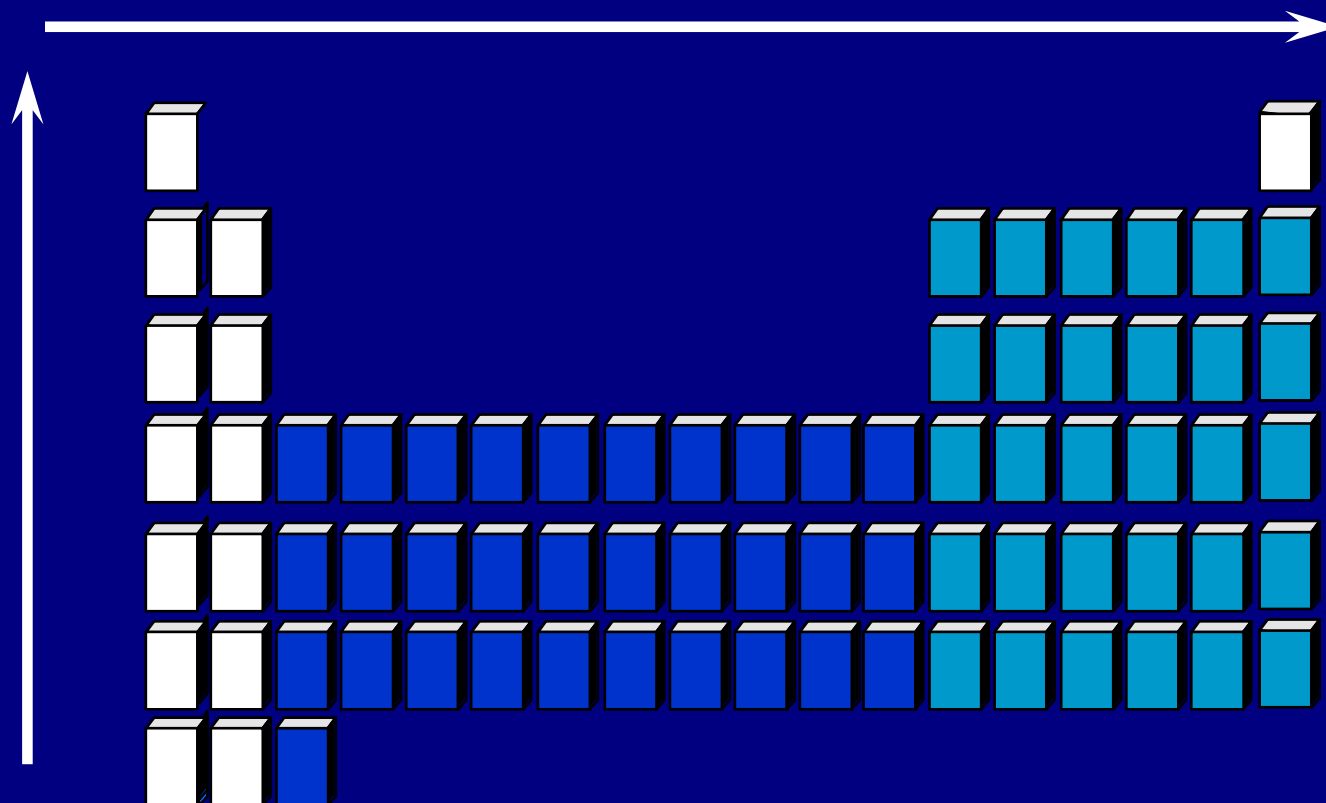
- ◆ **The further down a group the farther the electron is away and the more electrons an atom has.**
- ◆ **More willing to share.**
- ◆ **Low electronegativity.**

# Periodic Trend

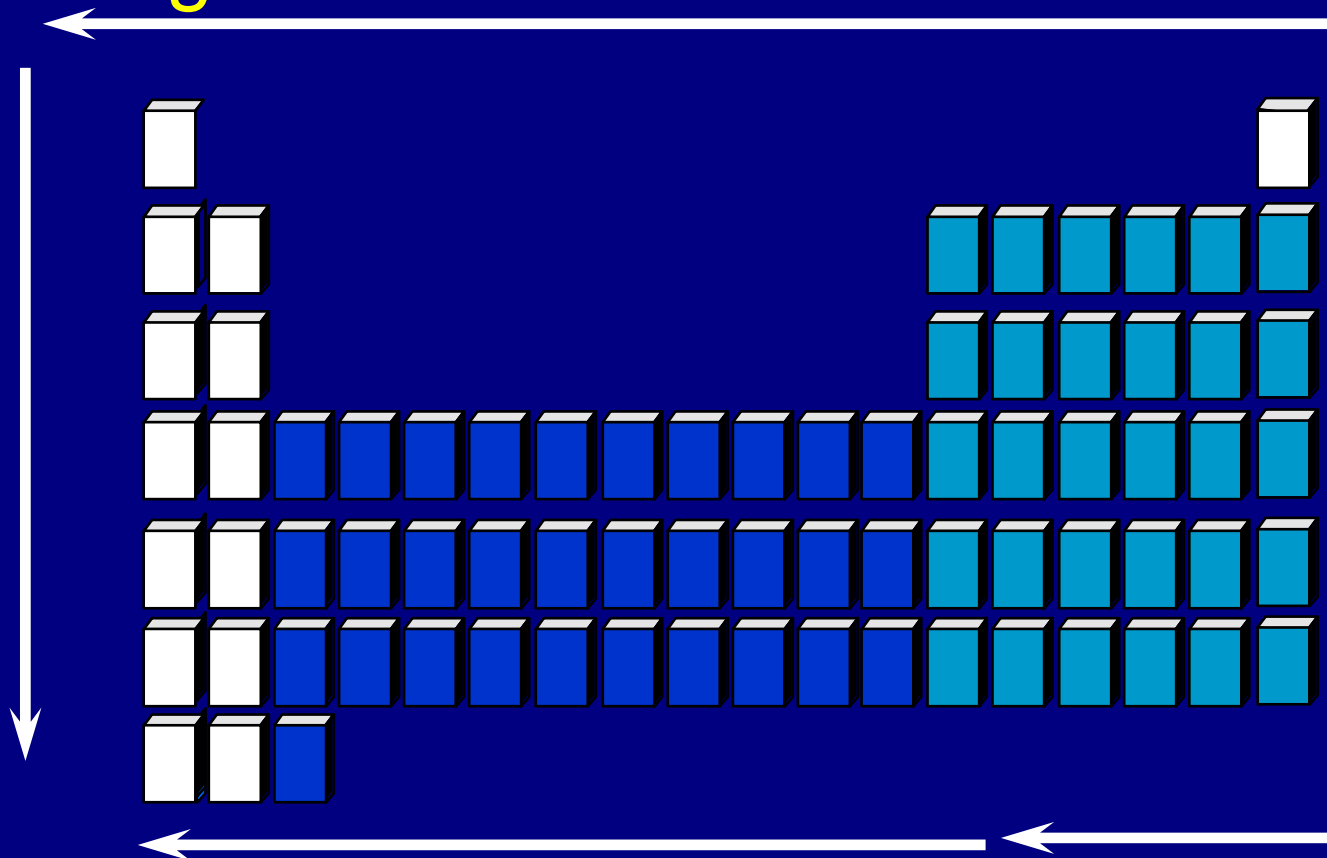
- ◆ **Metals are at the left end.**
- ◆ **They let their electrons go easily**
- ◆ **Low electronegativity**
- ◆ **At the right end are the nonmetals.**
- ◆ **They want more electrons.**
- ◆ **Try to take them away.**
- ◆ **High electronegativity.**

# Ionization energy, electronegativity

## Electron affinity INCREASE



Atomic size increases,  
shielding constant



Ionic size increases