VALENCE ELECTRONS

Copy what is underlined

1. Valence Electrons

- A. The electrons that are farthest away from the nucleus
- B. These e- are special because they are involved in chemical reactions/bonding

- OC. Held most loosely
- D. Can transfer

- 2. Elements in the <u>same</u> group have:
- Same number of valence electrons

3.ELECTRON DOT DIAGRAMS

CARBON **NITROGEN NEON** Valence e-**Draw**

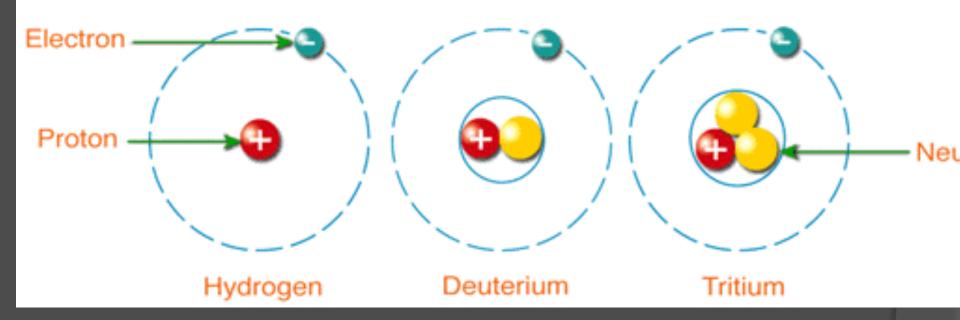
valence e- around symbol



4. Extra info

- A. Dark zigzag line on PT goes through semimetals
- B. Elements in the same row/ period, have the same number of shells
- C. Isotopes have the same number of p+, but different number of n

ISOTOPE



- What is overall charge of each?
 - NEUTRAL or 0
 - What particle is different?
 - NEUTRONS