

# *Transition Elements*

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# Definition

- What is transition metal ?

One of which forms one or more stable ions which have incompletely filled *d* orbitals.



# Definition

- Zinc is not transition elements
  - Zn  $\rightarrow$  has fully filled *d* orbital

# Electronic configuration

- charge (atomic number)  $\gg$ , stability of  $(n-1)d \gg ns$
- ionization energy of  $(n-1)d \gg ns$
- filled orbital energy of  $(n-1)d \ll ns$
- electronic configuration writing  
–  $(n-1)d ns$  not  $ns (n-1)d$

# Electronic configuration

## Electronic structures of the d block elements

										1 H							2 He
3 Li	4 Be											5 B	6 C	7 N	8 O	9 F	10 Ne
11 Na	12 Mg											13 Al	14 Si	15 P	16 S	17 Cl	18 Ar
19 K	20 Ca	21 Sc	22 Ti	23 V	24 Cr	25 Mn	26 Fe	27 Co	28 Ni	29 Cu	30 Zn	31 Ga	32 Ge	33 As	34 Se	35 Br	36 Kr

↑  
**s block**  
4s orbital filling

↑  
**d block**  
3d orbitals filling

↑  
**p block**  
4p orbitals filling

# Electronic configuration

- ${}_{21}\text{Sc} : [\text{18Ar}] 3d^1 4s^2$
- ${}_{22}\text{Ti} : [\text{18Ar}] 3d^2 4s^2$
- ${}_{23}\text{V} : [\text{18Ar}] 3d^3 4s^2$
- ${}_{24}\text{Cr} : [\text{18Ar}] 3d^5 4s^1$
- ${}_{25}\text{Mn} : [\text{18Ar}] 3d^5 4s^2$
- ${}_{26}\text{Fe} : [\text{18Ar}] 3d^6 4s^2$
- ${}_{27}\text{Co} : [\text{18Ar}] 3d^7 4s^2$
- ${}_{28}\text{Ni} : [\text{18Ar}] 3d^8 4s^2$
- ${}_{29}\text{Cu} : [\text{18Ar}] 3d^{10} 4s^1$
- ${}_{30}\text{Zn} : [\text{18Ar}] 3d^{10} 4s^2$

# Several energy terms to think about

- The amount of energy needed to ionize the metal
- The amount of energy released when the compound formed (as lattice enthalpy in solids, or the hydration enthalpies of the ions in solution)

# Several energy terms to think about

- Charged the ion  $\gg$ , electrons to be removed  $\gg$  ionization energy  $\gg$
- Charged the ion  $\gg$ , energy to be released (as lattice enthalpy or the hydration enthalpy of the metal ion)  $\gg$



# Several energy terms to think about

- The more energy released, the more stable the compound

# Oxidation state

- ${}_{21}\text{Sc}$ : +1, +2, +3  $\rightarrow$  +3 is most stable oxidation state
- ${}_{22}\text{Ti}$ : +1, +2, +3, +4  $\rightarrow$  +4 is the most stable oxidation state

# Oxidation state

- Iron

- Iron has two common oxidation states (+2 and +3), for example,  $\text{Fe}^{2+}$  or  $[\text{Fe}(\text{H}_2\text{O})_6]^{2+}$  and  $\text{Fe}^{3+}$  or  $[\text{Fe}(\text{H}_2\text{O})_6]^{3+}$

- It also has a less common +6 oxidation state in the ferrate(VI) ion,  $\text{FeO}_4^{2-}$ .

# Oxidation state

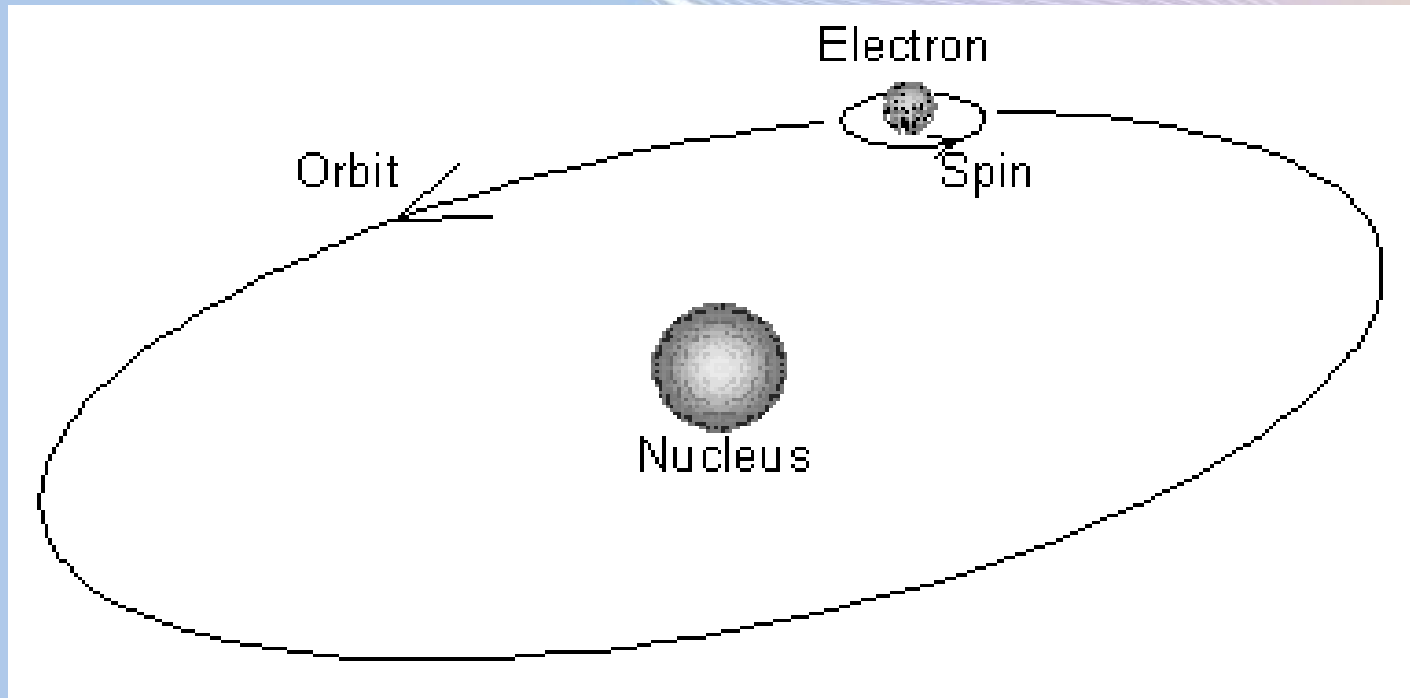
- Manganese

Manganese has a very wide range of oxidation states in its compounds. For example:

- +2 ( $\text{Mn}^{2+}$ ),
- +3 ( $\text{Mn}_2\text{O}_3$ ),
- +4 ( $\text{MnO}_2$ ),
- +6 ( $\text{MnO}_4^{2-}$ ),
- +7 ( $\text{MnO}_4^-$ )

# The origin of magnetism

- Electron (as particle  $\rightarrow$  mass)  $\rightarrow$  spinning on its axis  $\rightarrow$  magnetism  $\rightarrow$  magnet elemental



# The origin of magnetism

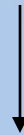
electron  
magnetism

rotation on its axis

revolution on its orbit

dominant

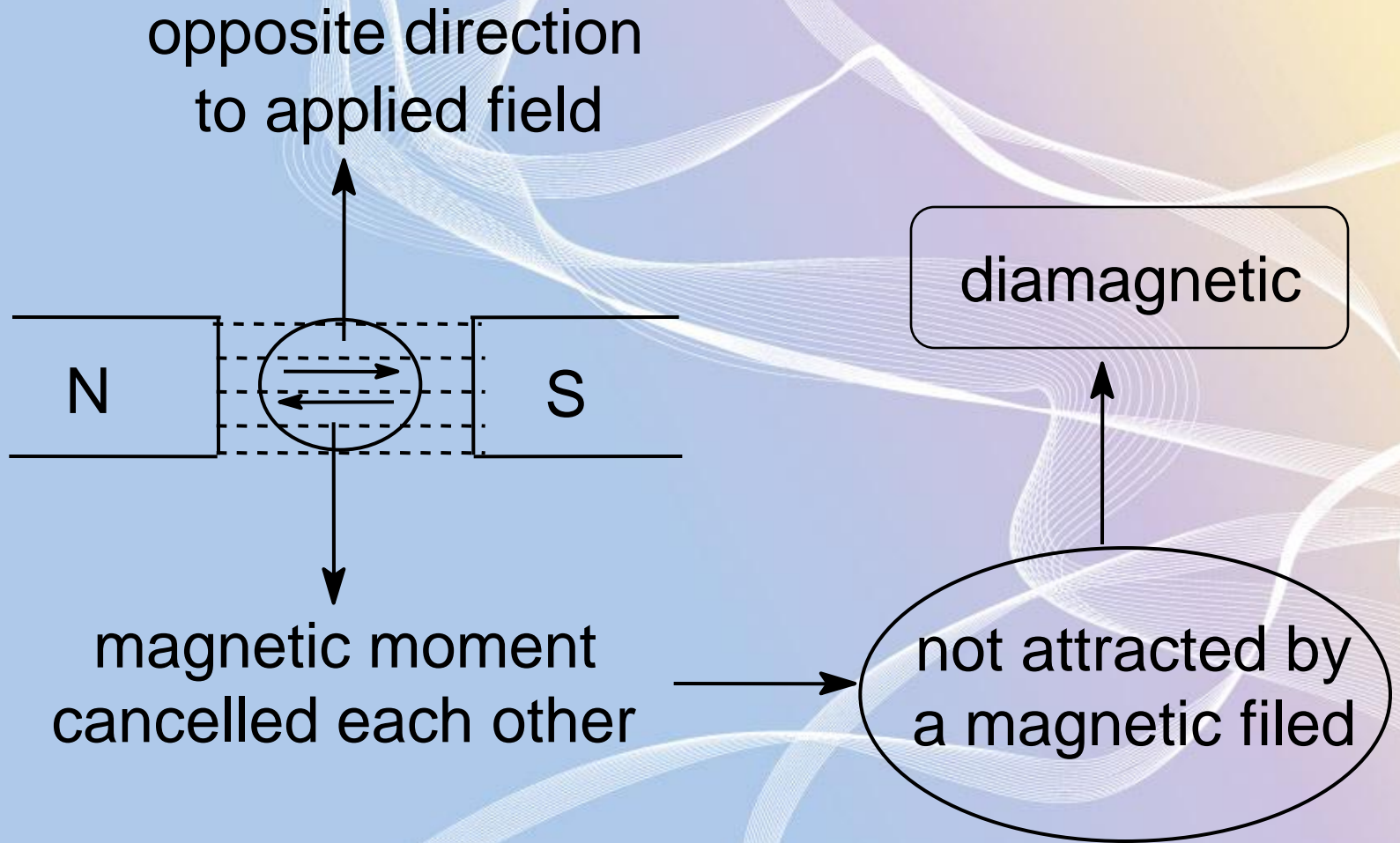
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# Diamagnetic

- All materials have a diamagnetic effect  
→ masked by larger “para or ferro” -  
magnetic term
- All electron are paired
- Atoms have no net magnetic moment  
(no applied field)
- The spinning electrons produce a  
magnetization ( $M$ ) in the opposite  
direction to that of the applied field  
(applied field)

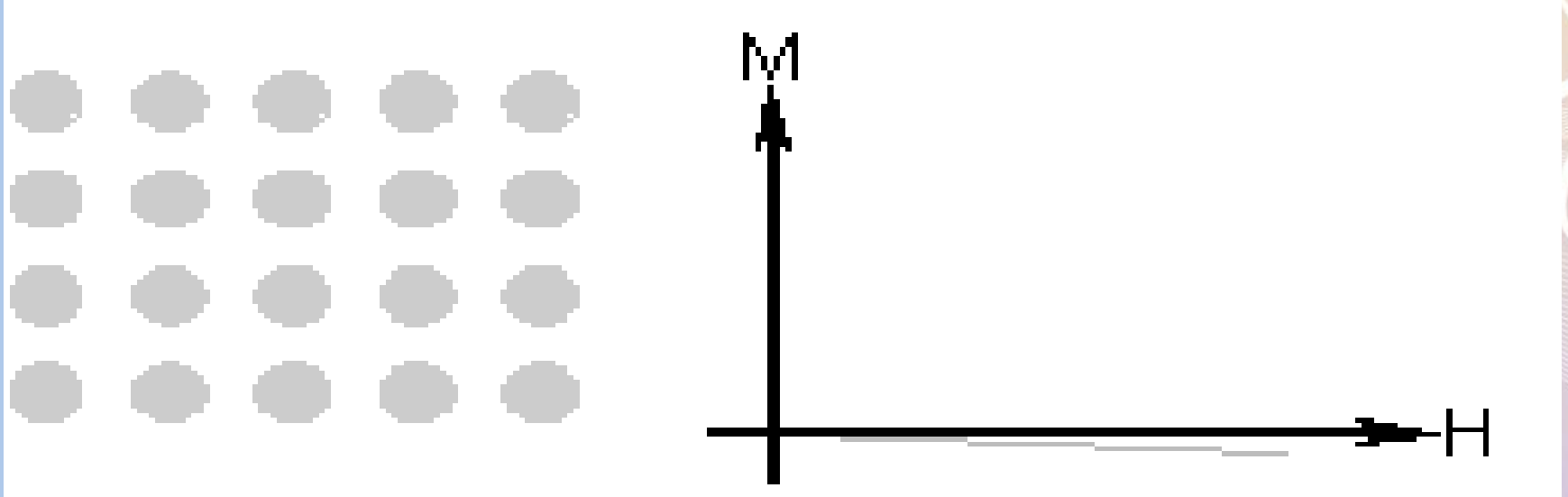
# Diamagnetic





# Diamagnetic

- Magnetic moment alignment
  - Has no magnetic moment

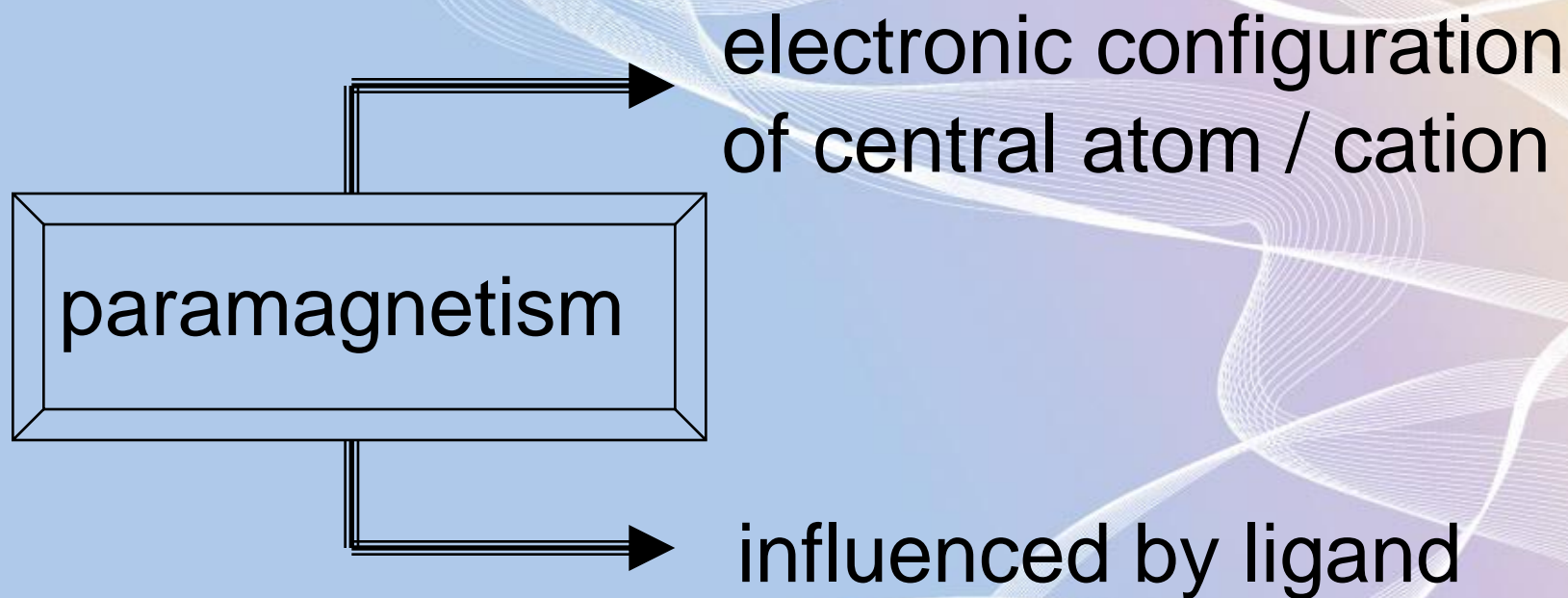


# Paramagnetic

- Permanent magnetism from the spinning of unpaired electron

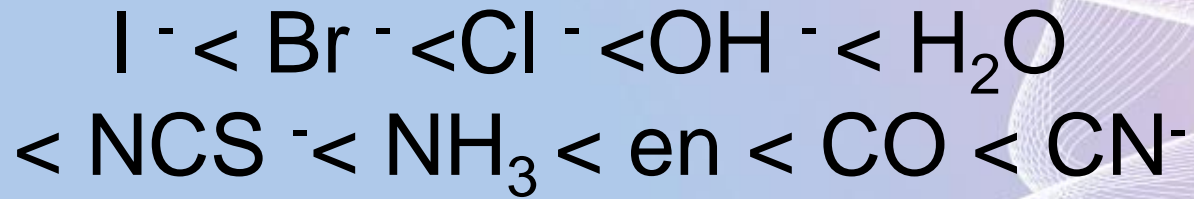
Paramagnetism  $\approx$  unpaired electron

# Paramagnetic



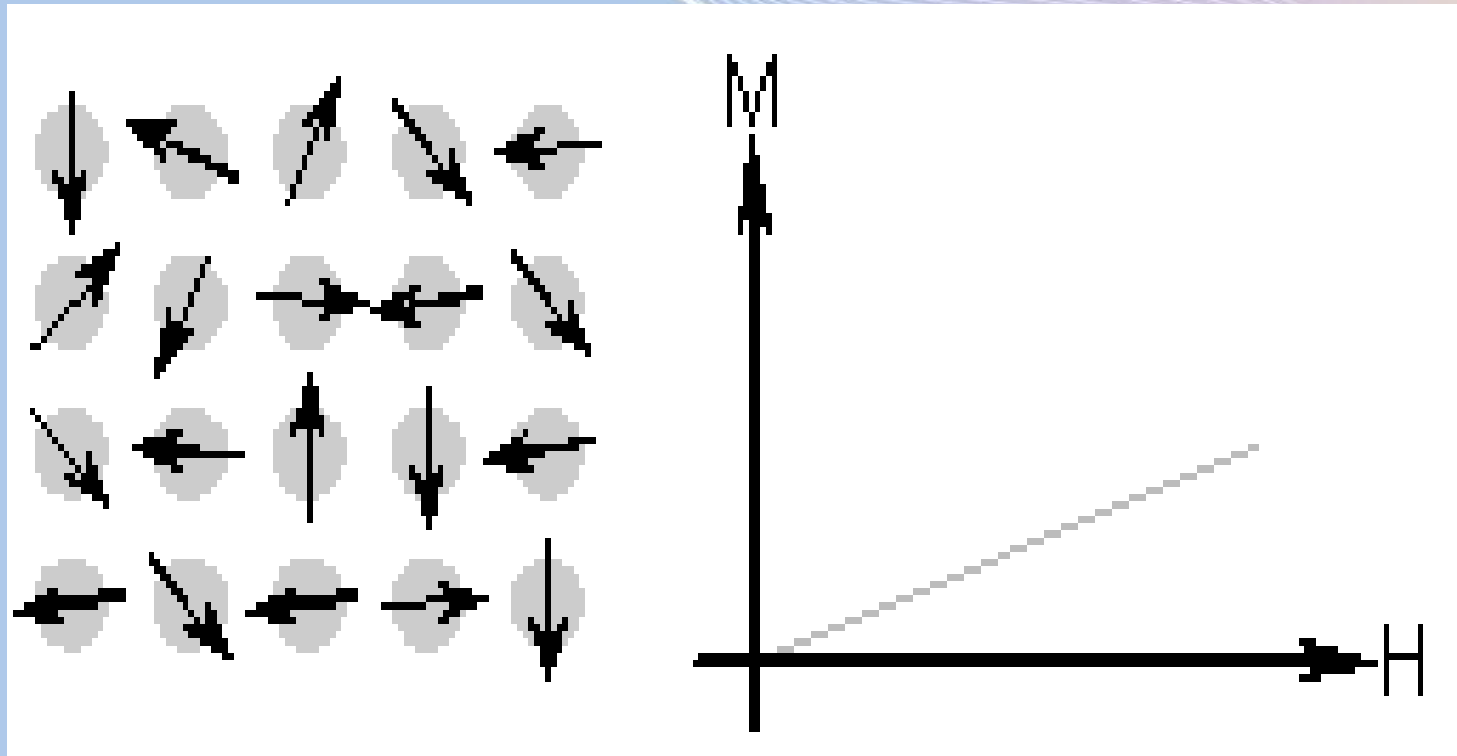
# Paramagnetic

The strength of ligands



# Paramagnetic

- Magnetic moment alignment
  - Randomly magnetic moment alignment



# Paramagnetic vs. Diamagnetic

What is the magnetism of each compound below?

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# Paramagnetic vs. Diamagnetic

- $[\text{NiCl}_4]^{2-}$ :
  - paramagnetic
  - $\text{sp}^3$
  - tetrahedral
- $[\text{Ni}(\text{CN})_4]^{2-}$ :
  - diamagnetic
  - $\text{dsp}^2$
  - square planar

# Ferromagnetic (super magnet)

- Atoms are arranged in a lattice and the atomic magnetic moments can interact to align parallel to each other.
- Only Fe, Co and Ni are ferromagnetic at and above room temperature.



# Ferromagnetic (super magnet)

- As ferromagnetic materials are heated or vibrated
  - alignment of the atomic magnetic moments decreases
  - saturation magnetization also decreases
  - paramagnetic

# Ferromagnetic (super magnet)

– Curie temperature, TC

- transition temperature of ferro → para

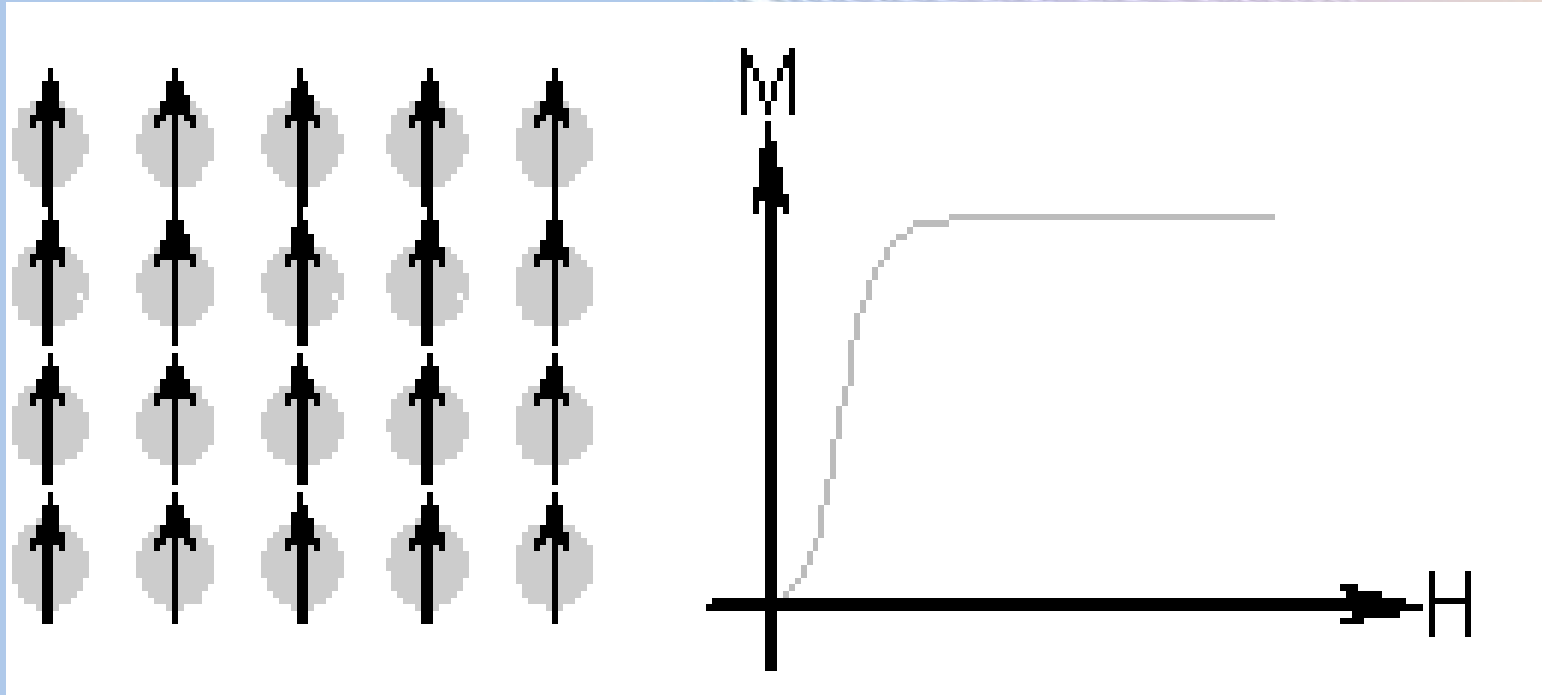
Fe : 770°C

Co : 1131°C

Ni : 358°C

# Ferromagnetic (super magnet)

- Magnetic moment alignment
  - Parallel magnetic moment alignment



# Ferrimagnetic

- Only observed in compounds, which have more complex crystal structures than pure elements.
- Parallel alignment of atoms in some of the crystal sites and anti-parallel alignment of others.
- Ferrimagnetic materials usually have lower saturation magnetizations than ferromagnetic materials

# Ferrimagnetic

Barium ferrite ( $\text{BaO} \cdot 6\text{Fe}_2\text{O}_3$ )

- The unit cell contains 64 ions
  - barium and oxygen ions have no magnetic moment
  - 16  $\text{Fe}^{3+}$  ions have moments aligned parallel

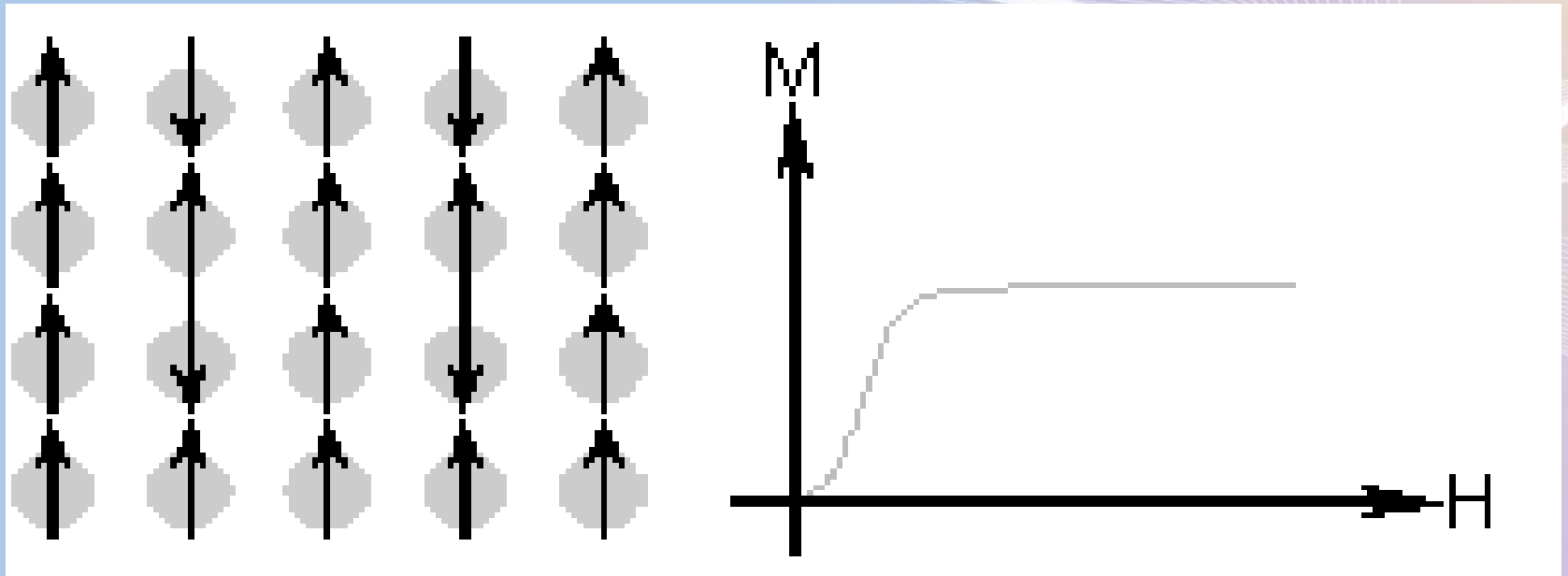
# Ferrimagnetic

Barium ferrite ( $\text{BaO} \cdot 6\text{Fe}_2\text{O}_3$ )

- 8  $\text{Fe}^{3+}$  aligned anti-parallel giving a net magnetization parallel to the applied field,
- only  $\frac{1}{8}$  of the ions contribute to the magnetization of the material.

# Ferrimagnetic

- Magnetic moment alignment
  - Parallel magnetic moment in one site and anti-parallel in the other site



# Antiferromagnetic

- Very similar to ferromagnetic materials
- The exchange interaction between neighboring atoms are anti-parallel alignment



# Antiferromagnetic

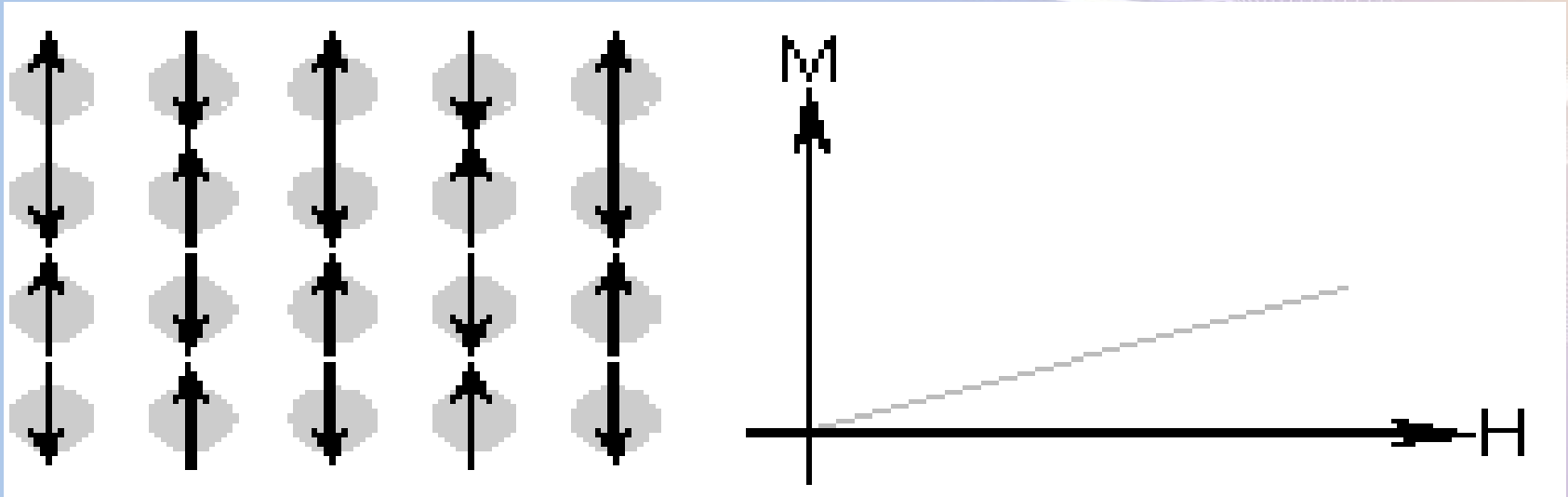
- The magnetic field cancelled out
- Appears to behave in the same way as a paramagnetic material

# Antiferromagnetic

- Only chromium is antiferromagnetic at room temperature
- Néel temperature,  $T_N$ .
  - transition temperature of antiferro → para  
Cr:  $37^\circ\text{C}$

# Antiferromagnetic

- Magnetic moment alignment
  - Anti-parallel magnetic moment with neighboring atoms



# Summary of different types of magnetic behavior

Type of Magnetism	Susceptibility, Example	Atomic Behaviour
Dia- magne- tism	Small & negative Au ( $-2.74 \times 10^{-6}$ )	Atoms have no magnetic moment

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Type of Magnetism	Susceptibility, Example	Atomic Behaviour
Para-magnetism	Small & positive Cu ( $0.77 \times 10^{-6}$ ) $\beta$ -Sn ( $0.19 \times 10^{-6}$ ) Pt ( $21.04 \times 10^{-6}$ ) Mn ( $66.10 \times 10^{-6}$ )	Atoms have randomly oriented magnetic moments

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Type of Magnetism	Susceptibility, Example	Atomic Behaviour
Ferromagnetism	Large & positive function of applied magnetic moments field, microstructure dependent Fe (~100,000)	Atoms have parallel aligned

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Type of Magnetism	Susceptibility, Example	Atomic Behaviour
Antiferromagnetism	Small & positive Cr ( $3.6 \times 10^{-6}$ )	Atoms have anti-parallel aligned

# Summary of different types of magnetic behavior

Type of Magnetism	Susceptibility, Example	Atomic Behaviour
Ferri-magnetism	Large & positive function of applied magnetic moments field, microstructure dependent Ba ferrite (~3)	Atoms have mixed parallel and anti-parallel aligned magnetic moments



## Problem:

- Cr, Mo and W locate in the same group (group 6 or group VIB)
- Radius of:
  - ${}_{24}\text{Cr}$  = 128 pm
  - ${}_{42}\text{Mo}$  = 139 pm
  - ${}_{74}\text{W}$  = 139 pm
- Explain the radius phenomena of this group.