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# Worksheet 3.1: Electron configuration

1 Work out the full and condensed electron configurations for the following elements:

	Full electron configuration	Condensed electron configuration
B		
S		
Cr		
Cu		
Ge		

2 Work out the full and condensed electron configurations for the following ions:

	Full electron configuration	Condensed electron configuration
N <sup>3-</sup>		
S <sup>2-</sup>		
Ti <sup>4+</sup>		
Co <sup>2+</sup>		
Rb <sup>+</sup>		

3 Given the following ground-state electron configurations, write the chemical symbols for the atoms:

Electron configuration	Symbol
1s <sup>2</sup> 2s <sup>2</sup> 2p <sup>5</sup>	
1s <sup>2</sup> 2s <sup>2</sup> 2p <sup>6</sup> 3s <sup>2</sup> 3p <sup>6</sup> 4s <sup>1</sup>	
1s <sup>2</sup> 2s <sup>2</sup> 2p <sup>6</sup> 3s <sup>2</sup> 3p <sup>6</sup> 4s <sup>2</sup> 3d <sup>5</sup>	
[Ne]3s <sup>2</sup> 3p <sup>2</sup>	
[Ar]4s <sup>2</sup> 3d <sup>10</sup> 4p <sup>4</sup>	

- 4 Identify the regions of the electromagnetic spectrum the following electronic transitions in a hydrogen emission spectrum belong to ( $n$  is the number of the main energy level):

Transition	Electromagnetic radiation
$n = 3 \rightarrow n = 1$	
$n = 6 \rightarrow n = 2$	
$4p \rightarrow 3s$	
$5d \rightarrow 2p$	
$3d \rightarrow 1s$	