A PERIODIC TABLE OF REJECTED ELEMENT NAMES

The names of the chemical elements have a wide and complicated history. Some have always borne the same name, but others have had several suggestions rejected before arriving at their present-day name. This table looks at some of the rejected element names.

TABLE COLOUR KEY

- ORIGINAL PROPOSED NAME
- REJECTED SUGGESTED NAME
- ERRONEOUS CLAIMED DISCOVERY

1 H HYDROGEN																	2 He HELIUM
3 Li LITHIUM	4 Gl GLUCINIUM											5 B BORACIUM	6 C CARBON	7 Az AZOTE	8 O OXYGEN	9 F FLUORE	10 No NOVUM
11 Na SODIUM	12 Mg MAGNIUM											13 Al ALUMINIUM	14 Si SILICON	15 P PHOSPHORUS	16 S SULFUR	17 Cl CHLORINE	18 Ar ARGON
19 K POTASSIUM	20 Ca CALCIUM	21 Gd GADENIUM	22 Me MENACHITE	23 Pc PANCHROMIUM	24 Cr CHROMIUM	25 Mn MANGANESE	26 Fe IRON	27 Co COBALT	28 Ni NICKEL	29 Cu COPPER	30 Zn ZINC	31 Ga GALLIUM	32 Np NEPTUNIUM	33 Pm POLYMNESTUM	34 Hs HESPERISIUM	35 Mu MURIDE	36 Eo EOSIUM
37 Rb RUBIDIUM	38 Sr STRONTIUM	39 Lc LUCIUM	40 Zr ZIRCONIUM	41 Cb COLUMBIUM	42 Eb EREBODIUM	43 Ma MASURIUM	44 Pl POLINIUM	45 Rh RHODIUM	46 Ce CERESIUM	47 Ag SILVER	48 Ml MELINUM	49 In INDIUM	50 Sn TIN	51 Sb ANTIMONY	52 Pi PILSUM	53 I IODINE	54 Xe XENON
55 Cs CAESIUM	56 Pu PLUTONIUM	E57-71	72 Ct CELTIUM	73 Ta TANTALUM	74 Sc SCHEELIUM	75 Np NIPPONIUM	76 Os OSMIUM	77 Ir IRIDIUM	78 Pt PLATINUM	79 Au GOLD	80 Hg MERCURY	81 Tl THALLIUM	82 Pb LEAD	83 Bi BISMUTH	84 Po POLONIUM	85 Ah ANGLO-HELVETIUM	86 Nt NITON
87 Ct CATIUM	88 Mr MASRIUM	E89-103	104 Ku KURCHATOVIUM	105 Ns NIELSBOHRIUM	106 Av ALVAREZIUM	107 Bh BOHRIUM	108 Hs HASSIUM	109 Ha HAHNIUM	110 Ds DARMSTADTIUM	111 Rg ROENTGENIUM	112 Cn COPERNICUM	113 Uut UNUNTRIUM	114 Rs RUSSIUM	115 Uup UNUNPENTIUM	116 Ls LEOSIUM	117 Uus UNUNSEPTIUM	118 Uuo UNUNOCTIUM

57 La LANTHANUM	58 Oc OCHROITE	59 Pr PRASEODIDYMIUM	60 Di DIDYMIUM	61 Fl FLORENTIUM	62 Dp DECIPIUM	63 Eu EUROPIUM	64 Gd GADOLINIUM	65 Tb TERBIUM	66 Dy DYSPROSIUM	67 Pp PHILIPPIUM	68 Er ERBIUM	69 Tm THULIUM	70 Ad ALDERBARANIUM	71 Cp CASSIOPEIUM
89 Em EMANIUM	90 Th THORIUM	91 Bv BREVIUM	92 Kl KLAPROTHIUM	93 Ao AUSONIUM	94 Ex EXTREMIUM	95 Pa PANDEMONIUM	96 Bs BASTARDIUM	97 Md MENDELEVIUM	98 Cy CYCLONIUM	99 Ls LOSALIUM	100 Ph PHOENICIUM	101 Md MENDELEVIUM	102 Jo JOLIOTIUM	103 Lr LAWRENCIUM

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