1. An atom that has an electron configuration of 2-8-13-2 is classified as	9. Which elements form ions that are usually colored in solid compounds and in solution?
A) an alkali metalB) an alkaline earth metalC) a transition elementD) a noble gas element	A) alkali metalsB) alkaline earth metalsC) transition elementsD) halogen elements
2. In which of the following periods of the Periodic Table are transition elements found?	10. A chloride dissolves in water to form a colored solution. The chloride could be
 A) 1 B) 2 C) 3 D) 4 3. Which element in Period 5 of the Periodic Table is a 	A) HClB) KClC) CaCl2D) CuCl2
 transition element? A) Sr B) Sb C) Ag D) Xe 4. Which represents the correct electron distribution of a transition element in the ground state? 	 11. Which salt solution is most likely to be colored? A) KClO₃(aq) B) KNO₃(aq) C) K₂CrO₄(aq) D) K₂SO₄(aq) 12. Which elements contain atoms that form colored
A) 2-8-8-1B) 2-8-8-2C) 2-8-18-2D) 2-8-18-3	ions and have more than one positive oxidation state?
5. Which physical characteristic of a solution may indicate the presence of a transition element?	A) alkali metalsB) alkaline earth metalsC) noble gases
A) its densityB) its colorC) its effect on litmus	D) transition elements13. Which salt forms a colored aqueous solution?
D) the effect on phenolphthalein6. Which set of properties is most characteristic of transition elements?	 A) Mg(NO₃)₂ B) NaNO₃ C) Ca(NO₃)₂ D) Ni(NO₃)₂ 14. Which compound forms a colored aqueous solution?
 A) colorless ions in solution, multiple positive oxidation states B) colorless ions in solution, multiple negative oxidation states C) colored ions in solution, multiple positive oxidation states 	 A) CaCl₂ B) CrCl₃ C) NaOH D) KBr 15. A solution of Cu(NO₃)₂ is colored because of the presence of the ion A) Cu²⁺ B) N⁵⁺
D) colored ions in solution, multiple negative oxidation states	C) O^{2-} D) NO ₃ ¹⁻ 16. An element that forms colored ions is
7. Which aqueous salt solution has a color?	A) Na B) Ca C) Ti D) Li
A) BaSO4(aq)B) CuSO4(aq)C) SrSO4(aq)D) MgSO4(aq)	17. Which element would most likely form a compound whose water solution is colored?
8. Which atom has multiple oxidation states and forms an ion that is colored when in solution?	A) H B) P C) Mg D) Cu
A) Cl B) F C) Cu D) Zn	 18. Which aqueous solution is colored? A) CuSO₄(aq) B) BaCl(aq) C) KCl(aq) D) MgSO₄(aq)

19. The presence of which ion usually produces a colored solution?

A) K⁺ B) F⁻ C) Fe²⁺ D) S²⁻

20. Which salt contains an ion that forms a colored solution?

A) Mg(NO ₃) ₂	B) $Ca(NO_3)_2$
C) Ni(NO3)3	D) Al(NO ₃) ₃