

## Calculating Isotopic Abundances

- ① Nitrogen has two isotopes, N-14 and N-15. If the relative atomic mass of nitrogen is 14.007 what is the percentage abundance of each isotope.
- ② Copper has two isotopes Cu-63 and Cu-65. Given that copper has an atomic weight of 63.546, what is the percentage abundance of each isotope?
- ③ A sample of naturally occurring silicon consists of Si-28, Si-29 and Si-30. If the relative atomic mass of silicon is 28.0855 and the abundance of Si-29 is 4.67%, what are the abundances of Si-28 and Si-30?

④ Determine the percentage abundance of Fe-57 and Fe-58.

Isotope	% abundance	Relative atomic mass of Fe = 55.845
Fe - 54	8.536	
Fe - 56	90.007	
Fe - 57		
Fe - 58		

⑤ Lead has three isotopes, Pb-206, Pb-207 and Pb-208. If Pb-207 and Pb-208 are present in equal amounts, calculate their percentage abundances if its relative atomic mass is 207.19.