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Coined Name	Who Coined Name	Reference
A1 (acid catalyzed unimolecular) mechanism	Sir Christopher K. Ingold	Day, J.N.E.; Ingold, C.K. <i>Trans. Faraday Soc.</i> 1941 , <u>37</u> , 686
A2 (acid catalyzed bimolecular) mechanism		
Absolute zero	Lord Kelvin (William Thomson)	
Abzyme (antibody + zyme) catalytic antibodies	Stephen J. Benkovic	Benkovic, S. <i>Proc. Robert A. Welch Found. Conf. Chem. Res.</i> 1987 , <u>31</u> , 112
Acid rain*	Robert Angus Smith	Smith, R.A. <i>J. Chem. Soc.</i> 1872 , <u>10</u> , 33; <i>Pharmaceutical J.</i> 1872 , <u>2</u> , 767; <i>Scot. Metereol. Soc. J.</i> 1873 , <u>3</u> , 2
Acidity function	Louis P. Hammett	Treffers, H.P.; Hammett, L.P. <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1937 , <u>59</u> , 1708
Actinide elements	Glen T. Seaborg	Seaborg, G.T. <i>Chem. Eng. News</i> 1946 , <u>24</u> , 1193 Street, J. Jr.; Seaborg, G.T. <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1950 , <u>72</u> , 2790 Seaborg, G.T.; Katz, J.J. (eds.) <i>The Actinide Elements</i> , McGraw-Hill Book Co.: New York, 1954
Actinometry		
Active site	Maud L. Menten	Menten, M.L.; Junge, J.; Green, M.H. <i>J. Biol. Chem.</i> 1944 , <u>153</u> , 471 ("site of enzyme activity")
Activity coefficient	Gilbert N. Lewis Merle Randall	Lewis, G.N.; Randall, M. <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1921 , <u>43</u> , 1112
Adsorption	Heinrich Gustav Johannes Kayser	Kayser, H. <i>Ann. Phys.</i> 1881 , <u>14</u> , 451

	(suggested by Emil du Bois-Reymond)	
Alpha effect	John O. Edwards Ralph G. Pearson	Edwards, J.O.; Pearson, R.G. <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1962 , <u>84</u> , 16
Alpha helix	Linus Pauling	Pauling, L.; Corey, R.B. <i>PNAS USA</i> 1951 , <u>37</u> , 235; 256; 729
Anation reaction*	Henry Taube	Haim, A.; Taube, H. <i>Inorg. Chem.</i> 1963 , <u>2</u> , 1199
Anchimeric assistance (neighbouring group participation) Gk: <i>anchi</i> + <i>meros</i>	Saul Winstein (suggested by Prof. A.P. McKinlay, Emer. Professor of Classics at UCLA)	Winstein, S.; Lucas, H.J. <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1939 , <u>61</u> , 1576; Winstein, S.; Lindegren, G.R. <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1953 , <u>75</u> , 147
Anion* (Gk. <i>anienai</i> , to go up; "anion" = ion that moves up the potential gradient)	Michael Faraday	
Anode* (Gk. <i>anodos</i> , way up) Anode is terminal at higher or more positive potential relative to cathode.	Suggested to Michael Faraday by William Whewell (1794 - 1866), Prof. of minerology and moral theology at Cambridge University, England)	Cited in Oesper, R.E.; Speter, M. <i>Sci. Monthly</i> 1937 , <u>45</u> , 535
Antibody		
Antideuteron	Antonio Zichich Leon M. Lederman	Massam, T.; Muller, T.; Righini, B.; Schneegans, M.; Zichichi, A. <i>Nuovo Cimento</i> 1965 , <u>39</u> , 10 Dorfan, D.E.; Eades, J.; Lederman, L.M.; Lee, W.; Ting, C.C. <i>Phys. Rev. Lett.</i> 1965 , <u>14</u> , 1003
Antimatter	Sir Arthur Schuster (1898)	Cited in http://www.antimatterenergy.com/antimatter_history.htm (accessed February 2004)
Antineutron	B.Cork G.R. Lamberston O. Piccioni William A. Wenzel	Cork, B.; Lamberston, G.R.; Piccioni, O.; Wenzel, W.A. <i>Phys. Rev.</i> 1956 , <u>104</u> , 1193
Aptamer	Jack W. Szostak Andrew D. Ellington	Bock, L.C.; Griffin, L.C.; Lathan, J.A.; Vermaas, E.H.; Toole, J.J. <i>Nature</i> 1992 , <u>355</u> , 564; Ellington, A.D. <i>Curr. Biol.</i> 1994 , <u>4</u> , 427; Lorsch, J.R.; Szostak, J.W. <i>Biochemistry</i> 1994 , <u>33</u> , 973; Ellington, A.D.; Conrad, R. <i>Biotech. Ann. Rev.</i> 1995 , <u>1</u> , 185; Lauhon, C.T.; Szostak,

		J.W. <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1995 , <u>117</u> , 1246; Huizenga, D.E.; Szostak, J.W. <i>Biochemistry</i> 1995 , <u>34</u> , 656
Aquation reaction*	Arthur W. Adamson Fred Basolo	Adamson, A.W.; Basolo, F. <i>Acta Chem. Scand.</i> 1955 , <u>9</u> , 1261
Archaea	C.R. Woese	Woese, C.R.; Fox, G.E. <i>PNAS USA</i> 1977 , <u>74</u> , 5088 Woese, C.R.; Magrum, L.J.; Fox, G.E. <i>J. Mol. Evol.</i> 1978 , <u>11</u> , 245 Magrum, L.J.; Luehrsen, K.B.; Woese, C.R. <i>J. Mol. Evol.</i> 1978 , <u>11</u> , 1
Aryne	John D. Roberts	Roberts, J.D.; Simmons, H.E.; Carlsmith, L.A.; Vaughan, C.W. <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1953 , <u>75</u> , 3290
Asymmetric induction	Donald J. Cram	Cram, D.J.; Abd Elhafez, F.A. <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1952 , <u>74</u> , 5828
Atom economy	Barry M. Trost	Trost, B.M. <i>Science</i> 1991 , <u>254</u> , 1471
Atomic orbital Molecular orbital	Robert S. Mulliken	Mulliken, R.S. <i>Phys. Rev.</i> 1928 , <u>32</u> , 186; 1929 , <u>33</u> , 730; 1932 , <u>41</u> , 49; 1933 , <u>43</u> , 279
Atoms in molecules (AIM)	Richard F.W. Bader	Biegler-Koenig, F.W.; Nguyen-Dang, T.T.; Tal, Y.; Bader, R.F.W.; Duke, A.J. <i>J. Phys. B</i> 1981 , <u>14</u> , 2739
Atropisomerism	Richard Kuhn	Kuhn, R. <i>Molekulare Asymmetrie in Stereochemie</i> , (H. Freuberg, ed.) Franz, Deutike: Leipzig-Wien, 1933, p. 803; Adams, R.; Yuan, H.C. <i>Chem. Rev.</i> 1933 , <u>12</u> , 261
<i>Aufbauprinzip</i> = aufbau principle	Niels Bohr	Bohr, N. <i>Z. Physik</i> 1922 , <u>9</u> , 1
Axial and equatorial bonds	D.H.R. Barton O. Hassel K.S. Pitzer V. Prelog	Barton, D.H.R.; Hassel, O.; Pitzer, K.S.; Prelog, V. <i>Science</i> 1954 , <u>119</u> , 49
B1 (base catalyzed unimolecular) mechanism B2 (base catalyzed bimolecular) mechanism	Sir Christopher K. Ingold	Day, J.N.E.; Ingold, C.K. <i>Trans. Faraday Soc.</i> 1941 , <u>37</u> , 686
B-strain (bond)	Herbert C. Brown	Brown, H.C. <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1945 , <u>67</u> , 503 Brown, H.C.; Bartholomay,

		H.; Taylor, M.D. <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1944 , <u>66</u> , 435
Banana bond*	J.J. Kaufman L. Burnell Martin Klessinger	Burnelle, L.; Kaufmann, J.J. <i>J. Chem. Phys.</i> 1965 , <u>43</u> , 3540; Klessinger, M. <i>J. Chem. Phys.</i> 1967 , <u>46</u> , 3261
Baryon	Frederick J. Belinfante	Belinfante, F.J. <i>Phys. Rev.</i> 1953 , <u>92</u> , 145; 994; 997
Beta sheet	Linus Pauling	Pauling, L.; Corey, R.B. <i>PNAS USA</i> 1951 , <u>37</u> , 251; 729 Corey, R.B.; Pauling, L. <i>Rend. Ist. Lombardo sci. Pt. I</i> 1955 , <u>89</u> , 10 - 37
Big Bang	Fred Hoyle	
Biochip	K. Boldt E. Nius Stephen P.A. Fodor	Boldt, K. <i>Wochenschrift fur Brauerei</i> 1933 , <u>50</u> , 316 Nius, E. <i>Wochenschrift fur Brauerei</i> 1933 , <u>50</u> , 257 US 6027880 (2000-02-22)
Bioinformatics	several	Lieberman, M.N. <i>J. Computer Aided Molec. Design</i> 1988 , <u>1</u> , 323 Masys, D.R. <i>J. Res. NIST</i> 1989 , <u>94</u> , 59 Hatase, O.; Wang, J.H. (eds.) <i>Bioinformatics: information transduction and processing systems from cell to whole body</i> , Elsevier: Amsterdam, 1990
Biotechnology	F.F. Nord L. Eberth	Nord, F.F. <i>Chem. Ztg.</i> 1934 , <u>58</u> , 327; 347 Eberth, L. <i>Z. Zuckerind.</i> 1955 , <u>5</u> , 177
Black hole	John A. Wheeler	Wheeler, J.A. in <i>Atti Conv. Mendeleeviano Period. Simmetrie Struttura Elem. Mater.</i> (M. Verde, ed.) 1971 , 189 - 233; Wheeler, J.A. <i>Astrophys. Gravitation, Proc. Solvay Conf. Phys. 16th</i> 1974 , 279 - 316
Blackbody radiation		
Bolaform electrolyte* (Sp.: <i>bola</i> = missile weapon consisting of balls of iron, stone, etc. attached to ends of a thong or cord)	R.M. Fuoss D. Edelson	Ruoss, R.M.; Edelson, D. <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1951 , <u>73</u> , 269
Bond order	Arthur D. Walsh	Walsh, A.D. <i>Nature</i> 1946 , <u>157</u> , 768
Boson	D.C. Peaslee	Peaslee, D.C. <i>Helv. Phys. Acta</i>

		1950 , <u>23</u> , 490 (first occurrence of name)
Bra-ket notation	Paul D.M. Dirac	Dirac, P.A.M., <i>The Principles of Quantum Mechanics</i> , Clarendon Press: Oxford, 1958
Bremsstrahlung	Gottfried von Droste	Von Droste, G. <i>Z. Physik.</i> 1936 , <u>104</u> , 335
Bridged ion	T.P. Nevell, E. de Salas, C.L. Wilson	Nevell, T.P.; de Salas, E.; Wilson, C.L. <i>J. Chem. Soc.</i> 1939 , 1188
Bromonium ion	H. Roberts G.E. Kimball	Roberts, I.; Kimball, G.E. <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1937 , <u>59</u> , 947
Buckminsterfullerene	Sir Harold W. Kroto Robert F. Curl Richard E. Smalley	Kroto, H.W.; Heath, J.R.; O'Brien, S.C.; Curl, R.F.; Smalley, R.E. <i>Nature</i> 1985 , <u>318(6042)</u> , 162
Buckyball	D.E. Weeks W.G. Harter	Weeks, D.E.; Harter, W.G. <i>Chem. Phys. Lett.</i> 1988 , <u>144</u> , 366
Bullvalene	Attributed to an unnamed skeptical person who did not believe that such a structure could exist	Cited in Ault, A. <i>J. Chem. Educ.</i> 2001 , <u>78</u> , 924; Doering, W.v.E.; Roth, W.R. <i>Angew. Chem.</i> 1963 , <u>75</u> , 27; <i>Tetrahedron</i> 1963 , <u>19</u> , 715
Canal rays (kanalstrahlen)	Eugen Goldstein	Goldstein, E. <i>Sitzungsber. Konigl. Akad. Wissensch. Berlin</i> 1886 , <u>39</u> , 691
Canonical form	Philip Frank Richard C. Tolman	Frank, P. <i>Physik. Z.</i> 1913 , <u>13</u> , 506 Tolman, R.C. <i>Phil. Mag.</i> 1914 , <u>28</u> , 572
Carbanion	E.S. Wallis F.H. Adams	Wallis, E.S.; Adams, F.H. <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1933 , <u>55</u> , 3838
Carbene	William von Eggers Doering	Doering, W.v.E.; Knox, L.H. <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1956 , <u>78</u> , 4947
Carbenoid	Harold Shechter Gerhard L. Closs Robert A. Moss	Friedman, L.; Shechter, H. <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1959 , <u>81</u> , 5512; 1960 , <u>82</u> , 1002; 1961 , <u>83</u> , 3159 Closs, G.L.; Moss, R.A. <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1964 , <u>86</u> , 4042
Carbonium ion	Adolf von Baeyer	Baeyer, A. von; Villiger, V. <i>Chem. Ber.</i> 1902 , <u>35</u> , 1189; Baeyer, A. von <i>Chem. Ber.</i> 1905 , <u>38</u> , 569
Carbocation	W. Dilthey (carbenium)	Dilthey, W.; Dinklage, G.

Carbonium ion Carbenium ion	George Olah (new definitions)	<i>Chem. Ber.</i> 1929 , <u>62</u> , 1834; Olah, G. <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1972 , <u>94</u> , 808
Carcerands (Latin: <i>carcer</i> = prison) Cavitands Caviplexes	Donald J. Cram	Cited in Cram, D.J., interview in Hargittai, I. <i>Chem. Intell.</i> 1996 , <u>2</u> (1), 6
Catalysis	Jakob J. Berzelius Wilhelm Ostwald	Berzelius, J.J. <i>Jahresberichte</i> 1835 , <u>15</u> , 237 Ostwald, W. <i>J. Prakt. Chem.</i> 1883 , <u>27</u> , 1
Catastrophe theory	Hans Suess C. Jayaratnam Eliezer	Suess, H. <i>Naturwiss.</i> 1939 , <u>27</u> , 702 Eliezer, C.J. <i>Proc. Roy. Soc. London</i> 1947 , <u>191A</u> , 133
Catenane*	Edel Wasserman	Wasserman, E. <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1960 , <u>82</u> , 4433
Cathode* (Gk. <i>kathodos</i> , way down) Cathode is terminal at lower or more negative potential relative to anode.	Suggested to Michael Faraday by William Whewell (1794 - 1866), Prof. of minerology and moral theology at Cambridge University, England)	
Cathode rays* (kathodenstrahlen)	Eugen Goldstein	Goldstein, E. <i>Sitzungsber. Konigl. Akad. Wissensch. Berlin</i> 1886 , <u>39</u> , 691
Cation* (Gk: <i>katiennai</i> , to go down; "cation" = ion that moves down potential gradient)	Michael Faraday	
Celluloid	John Wesley Hyatt	Hyatt, J.W. US 88, 663 (1869) Hyatt, J.W. US 89,582 (1869) Hyatt, J.W. <i>J. Ind. Eng. Chem.</i> 1914 , <u>6</u> , 158
Chain reaction	Enrico Fermi	Fermi, E.; Segre, E. <i>Phys. Rev.</i> 1941 , <u>59</u> , 680
Chaos theory	James Yorke	<i>Phys. Rev. Lett.</i> 1998 , <u>81</u> , 4341; <i>Physica D</i> 2000 , <u>144</u> , 44
Chaotropic salts (Gk: chaos = tending to disorder) salts that denature DNA	K. Hamaguchi E.P. Geiduschek	Hamaguchi, K.; Geiduschek, E.P. <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1962 , <u>84</u> , 1329
Chaperonin	Sir Reginald John Ellis	Hemmingsen, S.M.; Woolford, C.; Van der Vies, S.M.; Tilly, K.; Dennis, D.T.; Georgopoulos, C.P.; Hendrix, R.W.; Ellis, R.J. <i>Nature</i> 1988 , <u>333</u> , 330
Charm	Murray Gell-Mann	Feynman, R.P.; Gell-Mann, M. <i>Proc. UN Intern. Conf.</i>

		<i>Peaceful Uses Atomic Energy, 2nd Geneva, 1958, 30, 38 - 49;</i> Cited in Hargittai, I. <i>Road to Stockholm</i> Oxford U. Press: Oxford, 2002, p. 190
Chelate* (Gk. <i>chele</i> , claw)	G.T. Morgan H.K. Drew	Morgan, G.T.; Drew, H.K. <i>J. Chem. Soc.</i> 1920 , <u>117</u> , 1456
Chemical chameleon*	Barry M. Trost	Trost, B.M.; Chadiri, M.R. <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1984 , <u>106</u> , 7260
Chemical cytometry	Norman Dovichi	Dovichi, N. <i>Curr. Opin. Chem. Biol.</i> 2003 , <u>7</u> , 603
Chemical induction*	F. Kessler	Kessler, <i>Pogg. Ann. Phys.</i> 1863 , <u>119</u> , 218
Chemical potential*	Josiah W. Gibbs	Gibbs, J.W., <i>Trans. Conn. Acad.</i> 1876 - 1878 , <u>3</u> , 108; 342
Chemical shift*	W. Knight W. Dickenson W. Proctor N. Bloembergen H. Gutowsky	Knight, W. <i>Phys. Rev.</i> 1946 , <u>76</u> , 1259; Dickenson, W. <i>Phys. Rev.</i> 1950 , <u>77</u> , 736; Proctor, W.; Yu, F.C. <i>Phys. Rev.</i> 1950 , <u>77</u> , 717; Bloembergen, N. <i>Phys. Rev.</i> 1947 , <u>75</u> , 1326; Bloembergen, N. <i>Physica (The Hague)</i> 1950 , <u>16</u> , 95; Gutowsky, H.; Hoffman, C.J. <i>J. Chem. Phys.</i> 1951 , <u>19</u> , 1259; Meyer, L.; Saika, A.; Gutowsky, H. <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1953 , <u>75</u> , 4567
Chemiluminescence*	Eilhardt Weidemann	Wiedemann, E. <i>Arch. Sci. Phys. Nat.</i> 1887 , <u>18</u> , 565; <i>Erlangen Phys. Med. Soc. Sber.</i> 1888 , 25; <i>Ann. Physik.</i> 1888 , <u>34</u> , 446; Wiedemann, E.; Messerschmitt, J.B. <i>Ann. Physik</i> 1888 , <u>34</u> , 463; Wiedermann, E.; Schmidt, G.C. <i>Ann. Physik</i> 1895 , <u>54</u> , 604; 1895 , <u>56</u> , 18, 201; 1896 , <u>57</u> , 447; <i>Berlin Phys. Ges. Verh.</i> 1897 , 37
Chemoinformatics	F.K. Brown	Brown, F.K. <i>Ann. Rep. Med. Chem.</i> 1998 , <u>33</u> , 375
Chemotherapy	Paul Ehrlich	Ehrlich, P. <i>Angew. Chem.</i> 1910 , <u>23</u> , 2; <i>Lancet</i> 1913 , <u>2</u> , 445
Chevron plot	Hue Sun Chan	Chan, H.S.; Dill, K.A. <i>Proteins: Structure, Function, and Genetics</i> 1998 , <u>30</u> , 2

Chi-square goodness of fit	Karl Pearson	Pearson, K. <i>Phil. Mag.</i> 1900 , <u>50</u> [5], 157
Chiral Chirality	William Thomson, Lord Kelvin	Kelvin, W.T. The Second Robert Boyle Lecture in <i>J. Oxford Univ. Junior Scientific Club</i> 1894 , [18], 25; cited in Mislow, K. <i>Chirality</i> 2002 , <u>14</u> , 126
Chromatography (Gk. <i>Chromos</i> = colour + <i>graphikos</i> (formed by writing))	M. Tswett	Tswett, M. <i>Ber. Deut. Bot. Ges.</i> 1906 , <u>24</u> , 235
Chromophore (Gk. <i>Chromos</i> = colour + <i>phoros</i> (<i>pherein</i>) carrying)	Otto Nikolaus Witt	Witt, O.N. <i>Chem. Ber.</i> 1876 , <u>9</u> , 522
Chromosome ((Gk. <i>Chromos</i> = colour + <i>soma</i> (body))	Heinrich Wilhelm Gottfried Waldeyer-Hartz	Waldeyer, W. <i>Arch. Mikr. Anat.</i> 1888 , <u>32</u> , 1; cited in Zacharias, H. <i>Chromosome Res.</i> 2001 , <u>9</u> (5), 345
Chronopotentiometry	Paul Delahay	Delahay, P.; Mamantov, G. <i>Anal. Chem.</i> 1955 , <u>27</u> , 478
<i>Cine</i> substitution (Gk: <i>cine</i> , to move)	Joseph F. Bunnett R.E. Zahler	Bunnett, J.F.; Zahler, R.E. <i>Chem. Rev.</i> 1951 , <u>49</u> , 273
<i>Cis</i> (Latin: on this side) <i>Trans</i> (Latin: across)	Jacobus H. van't Hoff	Van't, J.H., 1874 cited in Tarbell, D.S.; Tarbell, A.T. <i>Essays on the History of Organic Chemistry in the United States, 1875 - 1955</i> , Folio Publishers: Tennessee, 1986, Chapter 1
Clay world	Alexander Graham Cairns-Smith	Cairns-Smith, A.G. <i>Sci. Amer.</i> 1985 , <u>252</u> , 90; 94; 96 Cairns-Smith, A.G. <i>Proc. Roy. Inst. Gr. Brit.</i> 1988 , <u>60</u> , 137
Coacervate	Aleksandr I. Oparin	Oparin, A.I.; Evreinova, T.N.; Shubert, T.A.; Nestyuk, M.N. <i>Dokl. Akad. Nauk SSSR</i> 1955 , <u>104</u> , 581
Codon	Marshall W. Nirenberg	Tsugita, A.; Fraenkel-Conrat, H.; Nirenberg, M.W.; Matthaei, J.H. <i>Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA</i> 1962 , <u>48</u> , 846
CombiChem	D. Brown (Glaxo, UK)	Brown, D. <i>Molecular Diversity</i> 1997 , <u>2</u> , 217
Combinatorial chemistry	Sydney Brenner Richard A. Lerner	Brenner, S.; Lerner, R.A. <i>PNAS USA</i> 1992 , <u>89</u> , 5381; Jacobs, J.W.; Fodor, S.P. <i>Trends Biotech.</i> 1994 , <u>12</u> , 19
Combinatorial library	Stephen J. Benkovic Richard A. Lerner	Huse, W.D.; Sastry, L.; Iverson, S.A.; Kang, A.S.; Altling-Mees, M.; Burton,

		D.R.; Benkovic, S.J.; Lerner, R.A. <i>Science</i> 1989 , <u>246</u> , 1275
Combinatorial synthesis	S.P. Fodor Michael C. Pirrung Lubert Stryer	Fodor, S.P.; Read, J.L.; Pirrung, M.C.; Stryer, L.; Lu, A.T.; Solas, D. <i>Science</i> 1991 , <u>251</u> , 767
CoMFA = comparative molecular field analysis	Richard D. Cramer III	Cramer, R.D. III; Patterson, D.E.; Bunce, J.D. <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1988 , <u>110</u> , 5959
Complementarity	Niels Bohr	Bohr, N. <i>Phys. Rev.</i> 1935 , <u>48</u> , 696
Complementary DNA	Francis H.C. Crick James D. Watson	Crick, F.H.C.; Watson, J.D. <i>Proc. Roy. Soc. London</i> 1954 , <u>223A</u> , 80
Concerted reaction	Charles Gardner Swain	Swain, C.G. <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1948 , <u>70</u> , 1119; Swain, C.G.; Eddy, R.W. <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1948 , <u>70</u> , 2989
Conformation	Walter N. Haworth	Haworth, W.H. <i>The Constitution of the Sugars</i> , Edward Arnold & Co.: London, 1929, p. 90
Co-ordination	Alfred Werner	Werner, A. <i>Z. Anorg. Chem.</i> 1893 , <u>3</u> , 267
Coordinate	Gottfried W. Leibniz	Leibniz, G.W. <i>Mathematische Schriften</i> 1691 , <u>5</u> , 243
Conservation of energy		
Cosmic rays	A. Gockel R.A. Millikan	Gockel, A. <i>Physik. Z.</i> 1915 , <u>16</u> , 345; Millikan, R.A. <i>Physik. Z.</i> 1930 , <u>31</u> , 241
Covalent	Irving Langmuir	Langmuir, I. <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1914 , <u>38</u> , 2221; 1919 , <u>41</u> , 868; 1543; 1920 , <u>42</u> , 274
"Cracking" of hydrocarbons	W.M. Burton	Burton, W.M. <i>Ind. Eng. Chem.</i> 1918 , <u>10</u> , 484
Critical mass	Francis Perrin	Perrin, F. <i>Compt. Rend.</i> 1939 , <u>208</u> , 1573
Cross-over experiment	Charles D. Hurd	Hurd, C.D; Schmerling, L. <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1937 , <u>59</u> , 107
Crown ethers	Charles Pedersen	Pedersen, C.J. <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1967 , <u>89</u> , 2495; 7017 Pedersen, C.J. <i>Angew. Chem. Int. Ed.</i> 1988 , <u>27</u> , 1053
Curly arrow notation* (for reaction mechanisms)	Sir Robert Robinson William Ogilvy Kermack	Kermack, W.O.; Robinson, R. <i>J. Chem. Soc.</i> 1922 , <u>121</u> , 427; Robinson, R. <i>Two Lectures on an Outline of an Electrochemical (Electronic) Theory of the Course of Organic Reactions</i> , Institute of Chemistry of Gr. Britain &

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Electromotive force		1806
Electron	George Johnstone Stoney George FitzGerald	Stoney, S.J. <i>Phil. Mag.</i> 1894 , <u>38</u> [5], 418

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Enantiomorph	René Haiiy	1880s
Endosmosis (osmosis)* Exosmosis (diffusion)*	René Henri Dutrochet	Dutrochet, R.H. <i>Ann. Chim. Phys.</i> 1827 , <u>35</u> , 393; 1828 , <u>37</u> , 191; 1832 , <u>49</u> , 411; 1832 , <u>51</u> , 159; 1835 , <u>60</u> , 337
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Fermion	Bruno Pontecorvo	Pontecorvo, B. <i>Akad. Nauk SSSR, Ser. Fiz.</i> 1962 , <u>26</u> , 737
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Isostere	Irving Langmuir	Langmuir, I. <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1919 , <u>41</u> , 1543
Isotope	Frederick Soddy	Soddy, F. <i>J. Chem. Soc.</i> 1911 , <u>99</u> , 72
Isotope effect	O. Reitz	Reitz, O. <i>Z. Physik Chem.</i> 1936 , <u>A177</u> , 85
Isotopic exchange Isotopic labelling experiment	Harold C. Urey	Urey, C.; Grieff, L.J. <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1935 , <u>57</u> , 321 Rittenberg, D.; Bleakney, W.; Urey, H.C. <i>J. Chem. Phys.</i> 1934 , <u>2</u> , 48
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Kinetic energy		1855
Labile complex*	Henry Taube	Bennett, L.E.; Taube, H. <i>Inorg. Chem.</i> 1968 , <u>7</u> , 254; Matwiyoff, N.A.; Taube, H. <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1968 , <u>90</u> , 2796
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Law of isomorphism	Eilhard Mitscherlich	Mitscherlich, E. <i>Ann. Chim.</i> 1822 , <u>19</u> , 350
Law of mass action	Peter Waage Cato Maximilian Gulberg	Waage, P.; Gulberg, C. <i>Forhandlinger i Videnskabselskabet i Christiana</i> 1864 , <u>7</u> , 35
Law of osmotic pressure	Jacobus H. van't Hoff	Van't Hoff, J.H., <i>Phil. Mag.</i> 1888 , <u>26</u> , 81
LCAO = linear combination of atomic orbitals	Sir John E. Lennard-Jones	Lennard-Jones, J.E. <i>Trans. Faraday Soc.</i> 1929 , <u>25</u> , 668
Lethal dose	J.W. Trevan	Trean, J.W. <i>Proc. Roy. Soc. London</i> 1927 , <u>101B</u> , 483
LD50 (median lethal dose)	Chester I. Bliss	Bliss, C.I. <i>Ann. Appl. Biol.</i> 1935 , <u>22</u> , 307

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Lock and key model	Emil Fischer	Fischer, E. <i>Chem. Ber.</i> 1894 , <u>27</u> , 2985; 3189 Fischer, E.; Thierfelder, H. <i>Chem. Ber.</i> 1894 , <u>27</u> , 2031
Logarithm	John Napier, 8th Laird of Merchiston Henry Briggs	Napier, J. <i>Mirifici logarithmorum canonicis descriptio</i> , Lyon, 1619 Briggs, H. <i>Logarithmorum chilias prima</i> , 1617 Briggs, H. <i>Arithmetica logarithmica, sive logarithmorum chiliades triginta</i> , London, 1624
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Logit = logarithm of probability unit (from logistic curve) (see probit)	Joseph Berkson	Berkson, J. <i>Biometrics</i> 1951 , <u>7</u> , 327
Lysozyme	Sir Alexander Fleming	Fleming, A. <i>Proc. Roy. Soc. London B</i> 1922 , <u>93B</u> , 306 Fleming, A.; Allison, V.D. <i>Proc. Roy. Soc. London B</i> 1922 , <u>94B</u> , 142; Fleming, A.; Allison, V.D. <i>Brit. J. Exp. Pathol.</i> 1922 , <u>5</u> , 252

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Macromolecule	Hermann Staudinger	Staudinger, H.; Fritsch, J. <i>Helv. Chim. Acta</i> 1922 , <u>5</u> , 785
Magic acid	George Olah Ronald J. Gillespie	Olah, G.A.; Commeyras, A. <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1969 , <u>91</u> , 2929 Gillespie, R.J. <i>Acc. Chem. Res.</i> 1968 , <u>1</u> , 202
Maser = microwave amplification by stimulated emission of radiation	W.H. Culver	Culver, W.H. <i>Science</i> 1957 , <u>126</u> , 810
Materials science		
Mathematical induction	Augustus de Morgan	De Morgan, A. <i>An Essay on Probabilities and on their Application to Life Contingencies and Insurance Offices</i> , London, 1838
Matrix isolation	George C. Pimentel George Porter	Whittle, E.; Dows, D.A.; Pimentel, G.C. <i>J. Chem. Phys.</i> 1954 , <u>22</u> , 1943 Becker, E.D.; Pimentel, G.C. <i>J. Chem. Phys.</i> 1956 , <u>25</u> , 224 Norman, I.; Porter, G. <i>Nature</i> 1954 , <u>174</u> , 58
Mean free path		
Mesoionic compounds	W. Baker B.R. Brown D.L. Hammick	Baker, W. <i>Endeavour</i> 1950 , <u>9</u> , 35; Brown, B.R.; Hammick, D.L. <i>J. Chem. Soc.</i> 1950 , 628
Mesomeric effect, Mesomerism	Sir Christopher K. Ingold	Ingold, C.K., <i>Structure and Mechanism in Organic Chemistry</i> , 2 nd ed., Cornell University Press: Ithaca, 1969, p. 72ff, 87
Meson	R.C. Majumdar	Majumdar, R.C. <i>Trans. Bose Res. Inst.</i> 1938 , <u>13</u> , 105 (first occurrence of "meson")
Metal carbenoid	Gert Koebrich Rolf H. Fischer Hitosi Nozaki Ryoji Noyori	Koebrich, G.; Flory, K.; Fischer, R.H. <i>Chem. Ber.</i> 1966 , <u>99</u> , 1793; Koebrich, G.; Fischer, R.H. <i>Chem. Ber.</i> 1968 , <u>101</u> , 3219; 3208 Nozaki, H.; Noyori, R. <i>Yuki Gosei Kagaku Kyokaiishi</i> 1966 , <u>24</u> , 632
Metal ketyls	Wilhelm Schlenk	Schlenk, W.; Weickel, T.

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Metallo-carbene	Yves Chauvin	Soufflet, J.P.; Commereuc, D.; Chauvin, Y. <i>Compt. Rend. Acad. Sci. Ser. C.: Sci. Chim.</i> 1973 , <u>276</u> , 169
Metathesis (olefin) (Gk.: <i>meta</i> (change) + <i>tithemi</i> (place))	Nissim Calderon	Calderon, N. <i>Acc. Chem. Res.</i> 1972 , <u>5</u> , 127 Calderon, N.; Chen, H.Y.; Scott, K.W. <i>Chem. Eng. News</i> 1967 , <u>45(41)</u> , 51
Method of least squares	Adrien Marie Legendre	Legendre, A.M. <i>Memoires de l'Institut National des Sciences et Arts</i> , 1810 , Part 2, 149
Method of maximum likelihood	Sir Ronald A. Fisher	Fisher, R.A. <i>Metron</i> 1921 , <u>1(4)</u> , 1; Fisher, R.A. <i>Proc. Cambr. Phil. Soc.</i> 1932 , <u>28</u> , 257; Fisher, R.A. <i>Proc. Roy. Soc. A</i> 1934 , <u>144A</u> , 285; Fisher, R.A. <i>Proc. Roy. Soc. A</i> 1934 , <u>146A</u> , 1
Mitochondriomics	Walter Neupert A.S. Reichert	Reichert, A.S.; Neupert, W. <i>Trends in Genetics</i> 2004 , <u>20</u> , 555
Molecular biology	Warren Weaver	Weaver, W. <i>Science</i> 1970 , <u>170</u> , 581; Weaver, W. <i>Ann. Report Rockefeller Foundation</i> 1938 , 203 - 219
Molecular chaperone	Ronald A. Laskey	Laskey, R.A.; Honda, B.M.; Mills, A.D.; Finch, J.T. <i>Nature</i> 1978 , <u>275</u> , 416
Molecular recognition	Jean Marie Lehn	Lehn, J.M. <i>Struct. Bonding</i> 1973 , <u>16</u> , 1
Molecular "ship in a bottle"	Norman Herron	Herron, N. <i>Inorg. Chem.</i> 1986 , <u>25</u> , 4714
Molecule	Amedeo Avogadro	Avogadro, A. <i>J. de Physique</i> 1811 , <u>73</u> , 58
Multi-component reactions (organic synthesis)	K. Ley R. Nast G. Hesse H. Witte W. Gulden	Ley, K.; Ehozler, U.; Nast, R. <i>Angew. Chem.</i> 1965 , <u>77</u> , 544; Ley, K.; Nast, R. <i>Angew. Chem.</i> 1965 , <u>77</u> , 544; Hesse, G.; Witte, H.; Gulden, W. <i>Angew. Chem.</i> 1965 , <u>77</u> , 591
Multi-pin technology	B.A. Bunin J.A. Ellman	Bunin, B.A.; Ellman, J.A. <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1992 , <u>114</u> , 10997
Multiwavelength anomalous dispersion (MAD)	Jerome Karle	Karle, J. <i>Acta Crystal. A</i> 1984 , <u>40A</u> , 366
Mutarotation	Thomas H. Lowry	Lowry, T.H. <i>J. Chem. Soc.</i>

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Naked ion	Sture Fronaeus	Fronaeus, S. <i>Acta Chem. Scand.</i> 1956 , <u>10</u> , 492
Nanotechnology	Norio Taniguchi K. Eric Drexler Josef Michl	Taniguchi, N. <i>Kinzoku Hyomen Gijutsu</i> 1978 , <u>29</u> , 220 Kaszynski, P.; Drexler, K.E. <i>Engines of Creation</i> , Anchor Press: New York, 1986 Michl, J. <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1988 , <u>110</u> , 5225
Neutrino ("the little neutral one")	Enrico Fermi	Fermi, E. <i>Z. Physik</i> 1934 , <u>89</u> , 522
Neuron	Heinrich Wilhelm Gottfried Waldeyer-Hartz	Waldeyer, W. <i>Deut. Med. Wochenschr.</i> 1891 , 1213; 1244; 1267; 1287; 1331; 1350
Neutron	Sir James Chadwick	Chadwick, J. <i>Nature</i> 1932 , <u>129</u> , 312
Non-classical ion	Saul Winstein	Winstein, S.; Trifan, D. <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1952 , <u>74</u> , 1154
Normal salt effect	Sir Christopher K. Ingold Saul Winstein	Bateman, L.C.; Church, M.G.; Hughes, E.D.; Ingold, C.K.; Taher, N.A. <i>J. Chem. Soc.</i> 1940 , 979 Fainberg, A.H.; Winstein, S. <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1956 , <u>78</u> , 2763
Nuclear fission	Otto Frisch	Meitner, L.; Frisch, O.R. <i>Nature</i> 1939 , <u>143</u> , 239; 471
Nuclear shell model	Maria Goeppert-Mayer	Mayer, M.G. <i>Phys. Rev.</i> 1949 , <u>75</u> , 1969
Octant rule	Carl Djerassi	Moffitt, W.; Woodward, R.B.; Moscovitz, A.; Klyne, W.; Djerassi, C. <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1961 , <u>83</u> , 4013
Octet rule	Irving Langmuir Gilbert N. Lewis	Langmuir, I. <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1914 , <u>38</u> , 2221; 1919 , <u>41</u> , 868; 1543; 1920 , <u>42</u> , 274; Lewis, G.N., <i>Valence and the Structure of Atoms and Molecules</i> , ACS Monograph, The Chemical Catalog Co.: New York, 1923.
Olation and oxolation	Arthur W. Thomas	Thomas, A.W. <i>J. Am. Leather Chemists Assoc.</i> 1933 , <u>28</u> , 2; Thomas, A.W.; Kremer, C.B. <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1935 , <u>57</u> ,

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Operators	Oliver Heaviside	Heaviside, O. <i>Proc. Roy. Soc. London A</i> 1893 , <u>52</u> , 504
Operon	Francis Jacob Jacques Monod	Jacob, F.; Perrin, D.; Sanchez, C.; Monod, J. <i>Compt. Rend. Acad. Sci.</i> 1960 , <u>250</u> , 1727
Optical activity	Jean-Baptiste Biot	Biot, J.B. <i>Mem. Acad. Sci. Inst.</i> 1819 , <u>2</u> , 41
ORTEP (Oak Ridge Thermal Ellipsoid Plot) Program	Carroll Kenneth Johnson	Johnson, C.K. in <i>Crystallographic Computing, Proc. Int. Summer School</i> (S.R. Hall, ed.) Munksgaard: Copenhagen, 1970, p. 227
Osazone*	Emil Fischer	Fischer, E. <i>Chem. Ber.</i> 1908 , <u>41</u> , 73; Fischer, E.; Zach, K. <i>Chem. Ber.</i> 1911 , <u>44</u> , 132
Overvoltage (uberspannung)*	William August Caspari	Caspari, W.A. <i>Z. Physik. Chem.</i> 1899 , <u>30</u> , 89
Oxidation number	Otis Coe Johnson	Johnson, O.C. <i>Chem. News</i> 1880 , <u>42</u> , 51
Ozone (Gk. <i>Ozein</i> = to smell)	Christian F. Schönbein	Schönbein, C. <i>Ber. Verh. Nat. Ges. Basel</i> 1847 , <u>7</u> , 4; 7
Parachor	Samuel Sugden	Sugden, S. <i>J. Chem. Soc.</i> 1924 , , <u>125</u> , 1177
Paradigm shift	Thomas Kuhn	Kuhn, T. in <i>The Essential Tension</i> , 3 rd U. Utah Res. Conf. On the Identification of Scientific Talent, Salt Lake City, U. Utah Press, 1959 Kuhn, T. <i>The Structure of Scientific Revolutions</i> , University of Chicago Press: Chicago, 1962
Parahydrogen	Paul Harteck	Bonhoeffer, K.F.; Harteck, P. <i>Naturwiss.</i> 1929 , <u>17</u> , 182
Particle accelerator	Edwin M. MacMillan	MacMillan, E.M. <i>Phys. Rev.</i> 1945 , <u>68</u> , 143
Particle physics	John A. Wheeler	Wheeler, J.A. <i>Am. Scientist</i> 1947 , <u>35</u> , 177
Partition function	Karl F. Herzfeld	Herzfeld, K.F. <i>Kinetische Theorie der Wärme</i> , Braunschweig, 1925
PCR (polymerase chain reaction) method	Karl Mullis	Mullis, K.; Faloona, F.; Scharf, S.; Saiki, R.; Horn, G; Erlich, H. <i>Cold Spring Harbor Symp. Quant. Biol.</i> 1986 , <u>51</u> , 260
Peptidomimetics	P.S. Farmer	Farmer, P.S. <i>Medicinal Chemistry</i> 1980 , <u>11</u> , 119; Farmer, P.S.; Ariens, E.J. <i>Trends Pharmacol. Sci.</i> 1982 ,

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Per- (Latin: <i>per</i> , thoroughly; hence, thoroughly oxidized as in peracids which have elements at highest oxidation states)	T. Thomson	Thomson, T. <i>A System of Chemistry</i> , Edinburgh, 1804
Peroxy acid	William C. Bray Don M. Yost	Footnote in Yost, D.M. <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1926 , <u>48</u> , 152
pH (potency of hydrogen)*	Sophus P.L. Sorensen	Sorensen, S.P.L. <i>Compt. Rend. Trav. Lab. Carlsberg</i> , 1909 , <u>8</u> , 1
Phage	Frederick Twort Felix D'Herelle	D'Herelle, F. <i>Compt. Rend. Seances de la Soc. Biol. Et de Ses Filiales</i> 1924 , <u>90</u> , 25; 27; 481; D'Herelle, F. and Smith, G.H. (eds.) <i>The Bacteriophage: its role in immunity</i> , Williams & Williams Co.: Baltimore, 1923; D'Herelle, F. and Smith, G.H. (eds.) <i>The Bacteriophage and its Clinical Applications</i> Baillietre Tindall & Cox: London, 1931
Phosgene = photo + generated	Sir Humphry Davy	Davy, H. <i>Phil. Trans.</i> 1812 , <u>102</u> , 144 (discovery) Wilm, T.; Wischin, G. <i>Ann. Chem.</i> 1868 , <u>147</u> , 150 (<i>phosgen</i> name)
Phosphorescence		1794
Phosphorolysis	Jakub K. Parnas	Parnas, J.K.; Baranowski, T. <i>Compt. Rend. Soc. Biol.</i> 1935 , <u>120</u> , 307
Photoaffinity labelling	A.Singh E.R. Thornton Frank H. Westheimer	Singh, A.; Thornton, E.R.; Westheimer, F.H. <i>J. Biol. Chem.</i> 1962 , <u>237</u> , 3006
Photodynamic sensitization	Albert Eidinow	Eidinow, A. <i>Proc. Roy. Soc. Med.</i> 1935 , <u>28</u> , 33
Photodynamic effect	W.R. Jones J.K. Landquist N. Senior	Jones, W.R.; Landquist, J.K.; Senior, N. <i>Brit. J. Pharmacol. Chemotherapy</i> 1952 , <u>7</u> , 486
Photodynamic therapy	several	Diamond, I.; Granelli, S.G.; McDonagh, A.F.; Nielsen, S.; Wilson, C.B.; Jaenicke, R. <i>Lancet</i> 1972 , <u>2</u> , 1175
Photon	Albert Einstein	Einstein, A. <i>Ann. Physik</i> 1905 , <u>17</u> , 132 ("light quantum")

	Sir George Paget Thomson Gilbert N. Lewis	Thompson, G.P. <i>Proc. Roy. Soc. London</i> 1923 , <u>104A</u> , 115 ("light darts") Lewis, G.N. <i>Nature</i> 1926 , <u>118</u> , 74 ("photon")
Plasma*	Irving Langmuir	Tonks, L.; Langmuir, I. <i>Phys. Rev.</i> 1929 , <u>34</u> , 876; <i>Phys. Rev.</i> 1929 , <u>33</u> , 1070
Plastic (Gk. <i>Plastein</i> = to form, to shape)		1632
PMO = p erturbational m olecular o rbital	Michael J.S. Dewar	Dewar, M.J.S. <i>The PMO Theory of Organic Chemistry</i> , Plenum: New York, 1976
Polarization of light	Etienne Louis Malus	Malus, E. <i>Mémoire sur le nouveaux phénomènes d'optique</i> , 1811 , <u>2</u> , 291
Polarography*	Jarovsky Heyrovsky	Heyrovsky, J.; Shikata, M. <i>Rec. Trav. Chim. Pays-Bas</i> 1925 , <u>44</u> , 496
Polymer (Gk. <i>Poly</i> (many) + <i>meros</i> (parts))		1866
Positron	Carl D. Anderson	Anderson, C.D. <i>Phys. Rev.</i> 1933 , <u>43</u> , 491
Potential*	George Green	Green, G. <i>Essay on the Application of Mathematical Analysis to the Theory of Electricity and Magnetism</i> , 1828
Potential difference		
Potential energy		1853
Potential energy surface	René Marcelin	Marcelin, R. <i>J. Chim. Phys.</i> 1913 , <u>10</u> , 1913
Potential function		1828
Principle of least motion	Edward Teller	Rice, F.O.; Teller, E. <i>J. Chem. Phys.</i> 1938 , <u>6</u> , 489
Principle of microscopic reversibility	Sir Christopher K. Ingold	Ingold, C.K., <i>Structure and Mechanism in Organic Chemistry</i> , 2 nd ed., Cornell University Press: Ithaca, 1969, p. 250 – 251
Principle of nonperfect synchronization	Claude F. Bernasconi	Bernasconi, C.F. <i>Tetrahedron</i> 1985 , <u>41</u> , 3219
Principle of solubility product	Walter Nernst	Nernst, H.W. <i>Z. Physik. Chem.</i> 1889 , <u>4</u> , 372
Prion = p roteinaceous i nfectious particle + on	Stanley B. Prusiner	Prusiner, S.B. <i>Science</i> 1982 , <u>216</u> , 136; Diener, T.O.; McKinley, M.P.; Prusiner, S.B. <i>PNAS USA</i> 1982 , <u>79</u> , 5220;

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Probe technique	Juan C. (Tito) Scaiano	Small, R.D.; Scaiano, J.C. <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1978 , <u>100</u> , 296; Paul, H.; Small, R.D. Jr.; Scaiano, J.C. <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1978 , <u>100</u> , 4520; Small, R.D. Jr.; Scaiano, J.C. <i>Chem. Phys. Lett.</i> 1977 , <u>48</u> , 354
Probit = probability unit	Chester I. Bliss	Bliss, C.I. <i>Science</i> 1934 , <u>79</u> , 38; 409
Prokaryote	P. Griesbrecht	Griesbrecht, P. <i>Zentralblatt Bakter. Parasit. Infektionskrankheiten und Hygiene</i> 1964 , <u>194</u> , 535
Protecting group	Jocelyn F. Thorpe William H. Perkin Jr.	Lees, N.; Thorpe, J.F. <i>Proc. Chem. Soc.</i> 1908 , <u>23</u> , 189 Perkin, W.H. Jr. <i>Proc. Chem. Soc.</i> 1908 , <u>23</u> , 166 Lees, N.; Thorpe, J.F. <i>Trans. Chem. Soc.</i> 1908 , <u>92</u> , 1282
Protein (Gk. <i>Proteios</i> = primitive) named for the prime importance of compounds	Jakob J. Berzelius	1868 (letter to Gerardus Mulder) Cited in Leicester, H.M. in <i>Dictionary of Scientific Biography</i> , (Gillispie, C., ed.) Charles Scribner and Sons: New York, 1980, Vol. 2, p. 95
Protein first hypothesis	Sidney W. Fox	Fox, S.W. <i>Bioorg. Chem.</i> 1977 , <u>3</u> , 21; Fox, S.W.; Dose, K. <i>Molecular Evolution and the Origin of Life</i> , Marcel Dekker Inc.: New York, 1977
Proteome Proteomics	several	Wasinger, V.C. et al. <i>Electrophoresis</i> 1995 , <u>16</u> , 1090 Kahn, P. <i>Science</i> 1995 , <u>270</u> , 369 Swinbanks, D. <i>Nature</i> 1995 , <u>378</u> , 653
Proton	Ernest Rutherford	Cited in Lodge, O. <i>Nature</i> 1920 , <u>106</u> , 467
Proton inventory technique	Richard L. Schowen	Schowen, K.B.; Schowen, R.L. <i>Methods Enzymol.</i> 1982 , <u>87C</u> , 551
Pseudo-asymmetric	Hans Landolt	Landolt, H. <i>Das optische Drehungsvermögen organischer Substanzen und dessen praktische</i>

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Pseudorotation	Richard S. Berry	Berry, R.S., <i>J. Chem. Phys.</i> 1960 , <u>32</u> , 933
Pulsar = pulse + ar (akin to quasar)	Antony Hewish	Hewish, A.; Bell, S.J.; Pilkington, J.D.H.; Scott, P.F.; Collins, R.A. <i>Nature</i> 1968 , <u>217</u> , 709
"Push-pull" mechanism	Charles Gardner Swain	Swain, C.G. <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1948 , <u>70</u> , 1119; Swain, C.G.; Eddy, R.W. <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1948 , <u>70</u> , 2989
Quanta, quantum	Max Planck	Planck, M. <i>Ann. Physik</i> 1900 , <u>1</u> , 69
Quantum chromodynamics		
Quantum dot	several	Reed, M.A.; Bate, R.T.; Bradshaw, K.; Duncan, W.M.; Frensley, W.R.; Lee, J.W.; Shih, H.D. <i>J. Vacuum Sci. Tech. B</i> 1986 , <u>4</u> , 358
Quantum electrodynamics (QED)	I. Tamm	Tamm, I. <i>Z. Physik</i> 1930 , <u>62</u> , 545
Quantum mechanical tunnelling	Eugene P. Wigner	Wigner, E.P. <i>Z. Physik. Chem.</i> 1932 , <u>B19</u> , 203
Quantum yield		
Quark	Robert Serber Murray Gell-Mann	From phrase "quirk of nature" cited in Serber, R. with Crease, R.P. <i>Peace & War: Reminiscences of a Life on the Frontiers of Science</i> , Columbia University Press: New York, 1998, p. 200; Cited in Hargittai, I. <i>Road to Stockholm</i> Oxford U. Press: Oxford, 2002, p. 190 From phrase "three quarks for Muster Mark" in James Joyce's <i>Finnegan's Wake</i> Cited in Wiggins, A.W., Wynn, C.M. <i>The Five Biggest Unsolved Problems in Science</i> , Wiley: New York, 2003, p. 22
Quasar = quasi-stellar radio source		
QSAR = quantitative structure-activity relationship	Corwin Hansch	Hansch, C.; Steward, A.R. <i>J. Med. Chem.</i> 1964 , <u>7</u> , 691; Hansch, C.; Deutsch, E.W. <i>J. Med. Chem.</i> 1965 , <u>8</u> , 705;

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R (universal gas constant)	Benoit-Pierre Emile Clapeyron	Clapeyron, B.P.E. <i>J. Ecole Polytechn.</i> 1836 , <u>14</u> , 153; <i>Ann. Physik</i> 1843 , <u>59</u> , 446
Radar = radio detecting and ranging (American term adopted internationally in 1944) Note: (C)RDF=(cathode) ray direction finder (British term)	Sir Robert Alexander Watson-Watt	Watson-Watt, R. <i>Nature</i> 1945 , <u>156</u> , 319; Watt, R.A.W.; Wilkins, A.F.; Bowen, E.G. <i>Proc. Roy. Soc. London</i> 1937 , <u>161A</u> , 181; Watt, R.A.W.; Bainbridge-Bell, L.H.; Wilkins, A.F.; Bowen, E.G. <i>Nature</i> 1936 , <u>137</u> , 866; Watt, R.A.W.; Herd, J.F.; Bainbridge-Bell, L.H. <i>Applications of the cathode-ray oscillograph in radio research</i> , London, 1933; Watt, R.A.W.; Bainbridge-Bell, L.H. <i>Nature</i> 1933 , <u>131</u> , 657
Radiationless transition*	Michael Kasha	Kasha, M. <i>Disc. Faraday Soc.</i> 1950 , <u>9</u> , 14
Radical (Latin: <i>radix</i> , root)	Antoine Lavoisier	Cited in Gomberg, M. <i>Chem. Rev.</i> 1924 , <u>1</u> , 91
Radical anion (anionradikale) Radical cation (kationradikale)	E.Z. Weitz	Weitz, E.Z. <i>Z. Elektrochem.</i> 1928 , <u>34</u> , 538
Radioactive tracer	Friedrich A. Paneth George Hevesy	Paneth, F.A.; Hevesy, G. <i>S.B. Acad. Wiss. Wien Abt Iia</i> 1913 , <u>122</u> , 993
Reaction intermediate	James F. Norris Julius Stieglitz	Norris, J.F. <i>Am. Chem. J.</i> 1907 , <u>38</u> , 627 Stieglitz, J. <i>Am. Chem. J.</i> 1899 , <u>21</u> , 101
Reactivity-selectivity principle	Bernd Giese	Giese, B. <i>Acc. Chem. Res.</i> 1984 , <u>17</u> , 438
Real time	World War II term for combat strategies that evolved on the battlefield based on fresh information received about the enemy (e.g. Rommel vs. Montgomery in battle of El-Alamein)	Kalman, R.E.; Lapidus, L.; Shapiro, E. <i>Proc. Joint Symp. Instr. Computation Process Develop., Plant Design London</i> 1959 , 6 (first occurrence of "real time")
Recoil	Otto Hahn Lise Meitner	Hahn, O. <i>Z. Physik</i> 1909 , <u>10</u> , 81; Hahn, O.; Meitner, L. <i>Ber. Phys. Gesell.</i> 1909 , <u>11</u> , 55
Recombinant DNA	Paul Berg	Berg, P.; Ofengand, E.J. <i>Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA</i> 1958 , <u>44</u> ,

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Resonance	Harry C. Jones Horace S. Uhler	Jones, H.C.; Uhler, H.S. <i>Am. Chem. J.</i> 1907 , <u>37</u> , 207
Resonance spectra	R.W. Wood	Wood, R.W. <i>Phil. Mag.</i> 1908 , <u>15</u> , 581
Restriction enzyme	Hamilton Othanel Smith	Smith, H.O.; Wilcox, K.W. <i>J. Mol. Biol.</i> 1970 , <u>51</u> , 379 Kelly, T.J. Jr.; Smith, H.O. <i>J. Mol. Biol.</i> 1970 , <u>51</u> , 393 Smith, H.O.; Nathans, D. <i>J. Mol. Biol.</i> 1973 , <u>81</u> , 419 Roy, P.H.; Smith, H.O. <i>J. Mol. Biol.</i> 1973 , <u>81</u> , 427 Smith, H.O. <i>Methods Mol. Biol.</i> 1974 , <u>7</u> , 71 Nathans, D.; Smith, H.O. <i>Ann. Rev. Biochem.</i> 1975 , <u>44</u> , 273 Smith, H.O.; Kelly, T.J. Jr.; Roy, P.H. <i>Methods Enzymol.</i> 1974 , <u>29</u> (Pt. E), 282
Retrosynthesis	Elias J. Corey	Sheehan, J.C.; Buhle, E.L...; Corey, E.J.; Laubach, G.D.; Ryan, J.J. <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1950 , <u>72</u> , 3828
Rheochor	J. Newton Friend William D. Hargreaves	Friend, J.N.; Hargreaves, W.D. <i>Phil. Mag.</i> 1943 , <u>34</u> , 643
Ribozyme (ribo nucleotide + zyme) RNA as catalysts	Thomas Cech Sidney Altman	Waring, D.B.; Scazzocchio, C.; Brown, T.A.; Davies, R.W. <i>J. Mol. Biol.</i> 1983 , <u>167</u> , 595 Inoue, T.; Sullivan, F.X.; Cech, T.R. <i>Cell</i> 1985 , <u>43</u> (Pt. 1), 431 Altman, S. <i>Cell</i> 1984 , <u>36</u> , 237 Bass, B.L.; Cech, T.R. <i>Nature</i> 1984 , <u>308</u> , 820
RNA world	Walter Gilbert	Gilbert, W. <i>Nature</i> 1986
Robust (statistics term)	George E.P. Box	Box, G.E.P.; Watson, G.S. <i>Biometrika</i> 1962 , <u>49</u> , 93
Rubber	Joseph Priestley	1770 cited in Chenier, Philip J. <i>Survey of Industrial Chemistry</i> , 3 rd ed., Kluwer/Plenum: New York, 2002, p. 330
Salting out effect	H. Fuhner	Fuhner, H. <i>Chem. Ber.</i> 1909 , <u>42</u> , 887
Sample space	Richard von Mises	Von Mises, R. <i>Math. Zeitschr.</i> 1919 , <u>4</u> , 1

Sandwich structure	Philip F. Eiland Ray Pepinsky	Eiland, P.F.; Pepinsky, R. <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1952 , <u>74</u> , 4971
Scaffold		
SCF = self consistent field	Douglas R. Hartree John C. Slater	Hartree, D.R. <i>Proc. Camb. Phil. Soc.</i> 1928 , <u>24</u> , 111; Slater, J.C. <i>Phys. Rev.</i> 1928 , <u>32</u> , 39
Self-induction	Joseph Henry	Henry, J. <i>Am. J. Sci.</i> 1832 , <u>22</u> , 403
Semiconductor*	A. Eucken	Eucken, A.; Gehlhoff, G. <i>Ber. Physik. Ges.</i> 1912 , 169
Semi-permeable*	Jacobus H. van't Hoff	Van't Hoff, J.H. <i>Phil. Mag.</i> 1888 , <u>26</u> , 81
Sensitizer		
Shim, shimming		
Shotgun sequencing	several	Garapin, A.C. et al. <i>Cell</i> 1978 , <u>14</u> , 629 Staden, R. <i>Nucl. Acids Res.</i> 1980 , <u>8</u> , 3673
Sigma bond* Pi bond*	Robert S. Mulliken Wendell M. Latimer W.F. Libby Odd Hassel Raymond Daudel C.A. Coulson H.C. Longuet-Higgins J.W. Linnett W.E. Moffitt	Mulliken, R.S. <i>Phys. Rev.</i> 1928 , <u>32</u> , 186; Latimer, W.M., Libby, W.F. <i>J. Chem. Phys.</i> 1933 , <u>1</u> , 133; Buu, H.; Daudel, R. <i>Rec. Trav. Chim. Pays-Bas</i> 1946 , <u>65</u> , 731; Bastiansen, O.; Hassel, O. <i>Tidsskrift for Kjemi, Bergevesen og Metallurgi</i> 1947 , <u>7</u> , 55; Coulson, C.A.; Longuet-Higgins, H.C. <i>Proc. Roy. Soc. London</i> 1948 , <u>193A</u> , 456; Coulson, C.A. <i>J. Chim. Phys. Physico-Chim. Biol.</i> 1948 , <u>45</u> , 243; Mulliken, R.S.; Rieke, C.A.; Orloff, D.; Orloff, H. <i>J. Chem. Phys.</i> 1949 , <u>17</u> , 510; Linnett, J.W.; Heath, D.F.; Wheatley, P.J.; <i>Trans. Faraday Soc.</i> 1949 , <u>45</u> , 832; Moffitt, W.E. <i>Proc. Roy. Soc. London</i> 1949 , <u>196A</u> , 510; Mulliken, R.S. <i>J. Chim. Phys. Physico-Chim. Biol.</i> 1949 , <u>46</u> , 497; Mulliken, R.S. <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1950 , <u>72</u> , 4493;
Sigma and pi aromatic complexes	Herbert C. Brown	Brown, H.C.; Brady, J.D. <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1952 , <u>74</u> , 3570; Kilpatrick, M.; Luborsky, F.E. <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1953 , <u>75</u> , 577; Olah,

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Simplex method of optimization	George Dantzig	Dantzig, G. <i>Maximization of a linear function of variables subject to linear inequalities</i> , in Activity Analysis of Production and Allocation, Cowles Commission Monograph No. 13, Wiley: NY, 1951, pp. 339 – 347
Site-directed mutagenesis	Michael Smith	Winter, G.; Fersht, A.R.; Wilkinson, A.J.; Zoller, M.; Smith, M. <i>Nature</i> 1982 , <u>299</u> , 756
Smart catalyst	David E. Bergbreiter	Bergbreiter, D.E. et al. <i>PolymerReprints</i> 1997 , <u>38</u> , 540; 1998 , <u>39</u> , 298; <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1993 , <u>115</u> , 9295; <i>Advanced Mater.</i> 1995 , <u>7</u> , 69; <i>Polymeric Materials Sci. Eng.</i> 1995 , <u>73</u> , 552
SN1 (substitution nucleophilic unimolecular) SN2 (substitution nucleophilic bimolecular) mechanisms	Edward D. Hughes Sir Christopher K. Ingold	Hughes, E.D. <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1935 , <u>57</u> , 708 Ingold, C.K. <i>Chem. Rev.</i> 1934 , <u>15</u> , 225
SNR1 (aromatic substitution nucleophilic radical unimolecular)	Joseph F. Bunnett	Kim, J.K.; Bunnett, J.F. <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1970 , <u>92</u> , 7463; 7464
Solute	Frederick G. Donnan	Donnan, F.G. <i>Nature</i> 1894-1895 , <u>51</u> , 200; Pope, W.J. <i>Nature</i> 1936 , <u>137</u> , 782
Solvent participation*	Saul Winstein	Winstein, S.; Brown, M.; Schreiber, K.C.; Schlesinger, A.H. <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1952 , <u>74</u> , 1140
Solvolysis	Louis P. Hammett	Steigman, J.; Hammett, L.P. <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1937 , <u>59</u> , 2536
Sonar = sound navigation ranging		
Special salt effect	Saul Winstein	Winstein, S.; Clippinger, E.; Fainberg, A.H.; Robinson, G.C. <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1954 , <u>76</u> , 2597

Special theory of relativity	Albert Einstein	Einstein, A. <i>Ann. Physik</i> 1905 , <u>17</u> , 891
Spin	George E. Uhlenbeck Samuel A. Goutsmit	Uhlenbeck, G.; Goutsmit, S.A. <i>Naturwiss.</i> 1925 , <u>13</u> , 953
Split and pool technique	K.C. Nicolaou	Nicolaou, K.C.; Xiao, X.Y.; Parandoosh, Z.; Senyei, A.; Nova, M.P. <i>Angew. Chem. Int. Ed.</i> 1995 , <u>34</u> , 2289
Standard deviation	Karl Pearson	Pearson, K. <i>Phil. Trans. Roy. Soc. A</i> 1894 , <u>185</u> , 71
The Standard Model		1974
State function		
Steric effect	Victor Meyer	Meyer, V. <i>Chem. Ber.</i> 1894 , <u>27</u> , 510
Stereochemistry	Victor Meyer	1890 cited in Mislow, K. <i>Chirality</i> 2002 , <u>14</u> , 126; Meyer, V. <i>Chem. Ber.</i> 1888 , <u>21</u> , 789; <i>Chem. Ber.</i> 1890 , <u>23</u> , 568
Stereoelectronic	Elias J. Corey	Corey, E.J.; Sneen, R.A. <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1956 , <u>78</u> , 6229
Stereoisomerism	Victor Meyer	1888 Cited in Manchester, K.L. <i>Trends Biotech.</i> 1995 , <u>13</u> , 511; Meyer, V. <i>Chem. Ber.</i> 1888 , <u>21</u> , 789; <i>Chem. Ber.</i> 1890 , <u>23</u> , 568
Strain	Adolf von Baeyer	Baeyer, A. <i>Chem. Ber.</i> 1885 , <u>18</u> , 2277
Strangeness	Murray Gell-Mann	Feynman, R.P.; Gell-Mann, M. <i>Proc. UN Intern. Conf. Peaceful Uses Atomic Energy, 2nd Geneva</i> , 1958 , <u>30</u> , 38 - 49; Cited in Hargittai, I. <i>Road to Stockholm</i> Oxford U. Press: Oxford, 2002, p. 190
String theory	Michael B. Green John H. Schwarz Edward Witten	Green, M.B.; Schwarz, J.H. <i>Phys. Rev. Lett B</i> 1982 , <u>109B</u> , 444 Witten, E. <i>Prog. Physics</i> 1983 , <u>9</u> , 395
Student t-test	William Gosset	“Student” <i>Biometrika</i> 1908 - 1909 , <u>6</u> , 1; 302
Substituent effect	Louis P. Hammett	Hammett, L.P., <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1937 , <u>59</u> , 96
Substitution-inert complex*	Henry Taube	Taube, H.; Myers, H. <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1954 , <u>76</u> , 2103
Superacid	James B. Conant	Hall, N.F.; Conant, J.B. <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1927 , <u>49</u> , 3047; Conant, J.B.; Hall, N.F. <i>J. Am.</i>

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superconductivity	Heiki Kamerlingh-Onnes	Onnes, H.K. <i>Electrician</i> 1911 , <u>67</u> , 657
Supersymmetry (SUSY)		
Supramolecular biology	Salvador Luria	Luria, S.E. <i>BioScience</i> 1970 , <u>20</u> , 1289 (p. 1292)
Supramolecular chemistry*	Jean-Marie Lehn	Lehn, J.M. <i>Supramolecular Chemistry: concepts and perspectives</i> , VCH: Weinheim, 1995; Lehn, J.M. <i>Pure Appl. Chem.</i> 1978 , <u>50</u> , 871; Lehn, J.M. <i>Acc. Chem. Res.</i> 1978 , <u>11</u> , 49
Surface charge	Michael Faraday	Faraday, M. <i>Phil. Trans.</i> 1838 , <u>128</u> , 1
-sylate suffix* (e.g., besylate, brosylate, esylate, mesylate, napsylate, tosylate)	W. Conrad Fernelius	Fernelius, W.C. <i>J. Chem. Ed.</i> 1982 , <u>59</u> , 572
Synartetic assistance (neighbouring group participation)	Sir Christopher K. Ingold	Ingold, C.K. <i>Structure and Mechanism in Organic Chemistry</i> , Cornell University Press: Ithaca, New York, 1953, p. 520 - 523
Target oriented synthesis	Samuel J. Danishefsky	Harris, C.R.; Danishefsky, S.J. <i>J. Org. Chem.</i> 1999 , <u>64</u> , 8434
Tautomer (Gk. <i>Tauto</i> (the same) + <i>meros</i> (part))	Conrad Laar	Laar, C. <i>Chem. Ber.</i> 1885 , <u>18</u> , 648; 1886 , <u>19</u> , 730
Tea bag technique	Richard A. Houghten	Houghten, R.A. <i>Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA</i> 1985 , <u>82</u> , 5131
<i>Tele</i> substitution* (Gk: <i>tele</i> , away)	Josef Arens (tele-isomerization, tele-elimination, tele-carbene formation) Giuseppe Guanti (tele-substitution)	Arens, J. <i>Bull. Chim. Soc. Fr.</i> 1968 , 3037 Guanti, G. <i>Tetrahedron Lett.</i> 1977 , 1429
Templattation* Template reaction*	Daryle Hadley Busch	Busch, D.H. <i>Advances in Chemistry Series</i> 1963 , <u>37</u> , 1; Thompson, M.C.; Busch, D.H. <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1964 , <u>86</u> , 3651; Melson, G.A.; Busch, D.H. <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1964 , <u>86</u> , 4834
Tensor	Woldemar Voigt	1898 cited in Goldberg, S. in <i>Dictionary of Scientific</i>

		<i>Biography</i> (Charles Gillispie, ed.) Charles Scribner & Sons: New York, 1980, Vol. 14, p. 61
The Theory of Everything (TOE)		
Thin layer chromatography	A.J.P. Martin R.L.M. Synge	Martin, A.J.P.; Synge, R.L.M. <i>Biochem. J.</i> 1941 , <u>35</u> , 1358
Time-resolved spectroscopy	G. Gordon W.M. Cady	Gordon, G.; Cady, W.M. <i>J. Opt. Soc. Am.</i> 1950 , <u>40</u> , 852 (first occurrence of phrase)
Total synthesis	Robert B. Woodward	Woodward, R.B.; Doering, W.E. <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1945 , <u>67</u> , 860
Transfer RNA	Sidney Altman	Altman, S. <i>Nature New Biology</i> 1971 , <u>19</u> , 229
Transition state theory	Henry Eyring	Eyring, H. <i>J. Chem. Phys.</i> 1935 , <u>3</u> , 107
Transport numbers for anions and cations	Johann Wilhelm Hittorf	Hittorf, W. <i>Ann. Pogg.</i> 1853 , <u>89</u> , 177; 1856 , <u>98</u> , 1; 1858 , <u>103</u> , 1; 1859 , <u>106</u> , 337; 513
Triplet state*	Gilbert N. Lewis Michael Kasha	Lewis, G.N.; Kasha, M. <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1944 , <u>66</u> , 2100
Uebermolekule	K.L. Wolf	Wolf, K.L.; Frahm, H.; Harms, H. <i>Z. Phys. Chem.</i> 1937 , <u>36B</u> , 237; Wolf, K.L.; Dunken, H.; Merkel, K. <i>Z. Phys. Chem.</i> 1940 , <u>46B</u> , 287; Wolf, K.L.; Wolff, R. <i>Angew. Chem.</i> 1949 , <u>61</u> , 191
Ultrastructural biology	Conrad H. Waddington	Waddington, C.H. <i>Naturwiss.</i> 1961 , <u>190</u> , 184; Cited in Luria, S.E. <i>BioScience</i> 1970 , <u>20</u> , 1289 (p. 1289)
Umpolung (dipole inversion)*	Dieter Seebach	Seebach, D.; Kolb, M. <i>Chem. Ind.</i> 1974 , 687; Seebach, D.; Enders, D. <i>New Synth. Methods</i> 1975 , <u>2</u> , 65; Seebach, D. <i>Angew. Chem.</i> 1979 , <u>91</u> , 259; Seebach, D. <i>Angew. Chem. Int. Ed.</i> 1969 , <u>8</u> , 639-649.
Valence	Sir Edward Frankland August Kekulé	Frankland, E. <i>Phil. Trans. Roy. Soc.</i> 1852 , <u>142</u> , 417 Kekulé, A. <i>Ann. Chem. Pharm.</i> 1858 , <u>106</u> , 129
Vitamin (vitamine)	Sir Frederick Gowland Hopkins Casimir Funk	Funk, C. <i>J. Physiol. (London)</i> 1911-1912 , <u>43</u> , 395 Funk, C. <i>J. State Med.</i> 1912 , <u>20</u> , 341
VSEPR = valence shell	Ronald J. Gillespie	Gillespie, R.J., <i>J. Chem. Educ.</i>

electron pair repulsion		1963, 40, 295
X-ray*	Wilhelm C. Roentgen	Roentgen, W.C. <i>Ann. Physik</i> 1898, 64, 1; 12; 18
Ylide*	Georg Wittig	Wittig, G.; Felletschin, G. <i>Ann. Chem.</i> 1944, 555, 133 ; Wittig, G.; Mangold, R.; Felletschin, G. <i>Ann. Chem.</i> 1948, 560, 116 ; Wittig, G.; Tenhaeff, H.; Schoch, W.; Koenig, G. <i>Ann. Chem.</i> 1951, 572, 1 ; Wittig, G. <i>Angew. Chem.</i> 1951, 63, 15 ; Wittig, G. <i>Acc. Chem. Res.</i> 1974, 7, 6 ; Wittig, G. <i>J. Organometallic Chem.</i> 1975, 100, 279 ; Wittig, G. <i>Science</i> 1980, 210, 600
Ylidion (ylide + ion)	Leo Radom	Yates, B.F.; Bouma, W.J.; Radom, L. <i>J. Am. Chem. Soc.</i> 1984, 106, 5805
Zero-point energy	Ekko Oosterhuis	Oosterhuis, E. <i>Physik. Z.</i> 1913, 14, 862 ; Oosterhuis, E. <i>Proc. K. Acad. Welenschappen</i> 1914, 16, 432 ; Bernoulli, A.L. <i>Z. Elektrochem. Angew. Physik. Chem.</i> 1914, 20, 269
Zwitterion*	Alfred Thiele	Thiele, A.; Dassler, A. <i>Chem. Ber.</i> 1923, 56B, 1667 ; <i>Z. Physik. Chem.</i> 1924, 108, 298
Zymase	Wilhelm Kühne Eduard Buchner	1879 Cited in Manchester, K.L. <i>Trends Biotech.</i> 1995, 13, 511 Cited in Karrer, P. <i>Organic Chemistry</i> , Vol. 1, Elsevier: Amsterdam, 1950, p. 90 Buchner, E. <i>Chem. Ber.</i> 1897, 30, 117

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Hello,

This is with reference to your excellent webpage on the glossary of coined terms used in science. This is a much needed area to be fully explored and perhaps you are the first one to make such a compilation of terms used in general science. One such book has already been written by Alex Nickon and Ernst Silverstein "The Name Game- Origins of Modern Coined Terms in Organic Chemistry" of Johns Hopkins University.

I like to collect and compile the first known uses of chemical terms or at least try to find the name of the person who coined it, if not the proper reference from whatever little resources I have.

Can you kindly inform as to what methodology do you adopt for finding out the earliest known use, e.g. the reference of "oxidation numbers" is cool. Do you take help from the multi-volume Oxford English Dictionary?

If you like you can make few additions :

Adsorption: a term due to H. Kayser (1881) at the suggestion of E. du Bois Reymond in *Ann.Phys*, 14, 451 (1881)

Chelates: G.T Morgan and H.K Drew in *J. Chem. Soc.*, 117, 1456, (1920)

hard and soft acids and bases - G. Pearson in *J. Am. Chem. Soc.*, 85, 3533 (1963). Interestingly Pearson writes a footnote there saying that these words were suggested to him by Prof. Busch of Ohio State University (a fact very few people know).

Intensive and extensive properties: Tolman, R. C., *Phys. Rev.*, 9, 137 (1917)

Potential : George Green in *Essay on the Application of Mathematical Analysis to the Theory of Electricity and Magnetism* (1828) according to Encyclopedia Britannica.

Supramolecular Chemistry: coined in 1969 by Jean Marie Lehn as written in his book , *Supramolecular Chemistry: Concepts and Perspectives*.(1995)

Templatation/Template reactions: coined by Busch in 1964

Thanks.

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Dear Dr. John,

I really admire your other websites which are based on named things in chemistry. I was thinking that such work such should be published say in J.Chem. Ed so that it becomes widely available to the chemistry community, especially when I searched the J.Chem.Ed from 1924 to

date, one can see that no article is solely devoted to origins or earliest known uses of chemical terms. There is only one which was devoted to the origins of all the element names. I think students should be made aware of the names of people associated with terms and words they use so frequently in their courses. This way the contribution of those hardworking people can be acknowledged lest they are forgotten. Note that some of these words are not even listed in the multi-volume Oxford English Dictionary or in Webster's unabridged Dictionary of the English Language:

ipso: Very surprisingly this term is quite recent i.e. coined in 1971 by Charles Perrin and co-workers at Univ. of California in an article published in Journal of American Chemical Society 1971, Vol:93 and pg 3389 onwards. This term is said to be derived from ipso-facto, so ipso (latin =itself) position was used for the ring carbon bearing a substituent. Originally this was coined for nitration of p-bromoanisole to p-nitroanisole.

Activity coefficient (for non-ideal solutions etc): coined by G.N. Lewis 1901.

Osazone: Fischer coined this word from -OSE (from the common ending of sugars) + hydrAZONE.

(The word origin could not be found anywhere, only in Fieser's "Organic Chemistry" perhaps 1944 ed. gave its etymology I have a reference to Fischer's paper which might give a clue to the original article: Schmelzpunkt des phenylhydrazin und einiger Osazone" Chem. Ber. 1908, 41, 573-577)

Ylide : From German Ylid coined from -yl (homopolar bonding) and -ide (ionic ending) by Georg Wittig et.al in Justus Liebig Ann. Chem, 1944, 133, 555.

(This etymology was taken from his Nobel Lecture- note that even this word was not listed in unabridged dictionaries, chemical dictionaries give its definition only).

Anation reactions: ANion + -ATION, as a noun ending, I don't know who coined it, neither it is listed in chemical dictionaries (anation is when a ligand replaces water from a coordination sphere), but it is a fairly common term in coordination chemistry, at least undergraduates should know its etymology.

So is Aquation reactions: AQUA- + -TION, just opposite of anation.

Triplet State: G.N Lewis and Kasha in J.Am.Chem.Soc., 1944, 66, 2100 . The title of the paper is "Phosphorescence and the Triplet State"

Internal Standard (method): By Gerlach (A German spectroscopist) "Die chemische Emission Spektralanalyse" Volume-I, Leipzig 1929. This term is also very common in analytical chemistry.

Pi-bond, Sigma-Bond: I would be really interested to know whether Hund or Mulliken coined this terminology. (I will let you know by further search)

Chemical Induction: (As used in when describing clock-reactions/oscillating reactions). This concept was introduced by Kessler in Pogg. Ann. 195, 218(1863).

This reference was taken from Kolthoff's "Volumetric Analysis".

Hydrogen electrode: Hildebrand, J. Am. Chem. Soc, 35, 869 (1913)

Umpolung: coined in 1969 by Professor Seebach in Angew. Chem (English ed), 1969, 8, 639-649.

I read somewhere that someone in the same journal has described the history of "Banana Bonds", a really interesting name. Perhaps you can electronically search for such title.

Cathode rays: Kathodenstrahlen by Eugen Goldstein.

Curved arrow (notation): An Explanation of the Property of Induced Polarity of Atoms and an Interpretation of the Theory of Partial Valences on an Electronic Basis, by William Ogilvy Kermack and Robert Robinson, published in the Journal of the Chemical Society, 1922, 121, 427.

R (the universal gas constant): Introduced by E. Clapeyron in 1834.

R (as used in organic chemistry) comes from the German Radikal.

Chemical Shift: According to the article by Samuel G. Levine in JCE says that the distinctive and curious term (according to the author) chemical shift appeared in papers from several laboratories. In a paper by in 1949 W.D Wright, (Phys.Rev.) observed "a SHIFT in the nuclear magnetic resonance frequencies from expected values in five metals Li, Na, Al, Cu and Ga" in that the resonance frequencies "were higher by tenths of a percent than the resonance frequencies observed in the salts of corresponding metals.

The author traces the first of use of "chemical shift" by Gutowsky and Hoffman in their 1961 paper in Journal of Chemical Physics on F-19 and proton resonance. This term was used to designate numerically the separation between the signal and a standard. This group published NMR characteristics of about 200 organic compounds.

So the originators of "chemical shift" were chemists or physicists is not our concern. I had thought that the article would be two or three pages long, but it is a very brief article of two paragraphs. It would be interesting for chemistry teachers to tell a short story of chemical shift in class.

The terms neighbouring group participation, solvent participation, internal return, anchimeric assistance, intimate ion pair, ion-pair return, bridged ions, nonclassical ions, homoaromaticity are all due to Dr. Saul Winstein. (This was taken from his online (perhaps official biography, b/c of .edu ending in the address.)

[Following is extracted is from Glasstone's " A textbook of Physical Chemistry-1942]

Overvoltage (more recently overpotential in electrochemistry) : translated from the German Überspannung. This term was introduced by W. A. Caspari in 1899.

endosmosis, exosmosis : R. Dutochet (1827-32)

semi-permeable: Van't Hoff in Phil. Mag., 26, 81, 1888.

Chemical potential: due to J.W. Gibbs.

Free Energy: coined by G. N Lewis and Randall

Labile and inert complexes: coined by Henry Taube.

I will send some more.

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Here is some more etymological information on the nomenclature of heterocycles from the IUPAC website:

Ring size	Unsaturated	Saturated
3	irene	irane
4	ete	etane
5	ole	olane
6A	ine	ane
6B	ine	inane
6C	inine	inane
7	epine	epane
8	ocine	ocane
9	onine	onane
10	ecine	ecane

The interesting point is:

The stems for ring sizes 3, 4, 7, 8, 9, and 10 may be considered to be

derived from numerical prefixes as follows: "ir" from tri, "et" from tetra, "ep" from hepta, "oc" from octa, "on" from nona, and "ec" from deca.

Hence etymology of oxIRane is oxygen + tri +-ane from alkane.

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Dear Dr. John,

This is a continuation of previous list of compiled terms:

Bullvalene: Doering Roth et al. in *Angew. Chemie* 1963, 2, 115-122; an interesting story is given in the Alex Nikon's book (the author privately communicated to one of the graduate student involved). The story goes as that in a group seminar on these compounds two graduate students sat near the back of the room; one of them turned to the other and blurted out "bullvalene". According to the author Dr. Doering was nick-named as "Bull". Please consult Alex Nikon's book for complete information. Also, note that the ending -valene is common to many names.

Cine-substitution: Prof. Bunnett, from Greek kinein=to move, see Bunnett J.F, *Zahler Chem. Revs* 49, 273-412 (1951).

Tele : Greek = away, introduced by Josef Arens in *Bul. Soc. Chim. Fr.* 1968, 3037-3044; he also coined tele-isomerization, tele-elimination, tele-carbene formation but tele-substitution is due to Guiseppe Guanti in *Tetrahedron Lett.* 1977, 1429-1430.

Some of the electroanalytical terms are extracted from Lingane's "Electroanalytical Chemistry" 1957. The references are quoted in the old fashioned way by volume, page and year.

Formal Potential, and perhaps formality/formal concentration: E. H. Swift in his book "A system of Chemical Analysis"-1939

pH: S.P.L Sorenson *Compt. rend. trav. lab Carlsberg*, 8, 1 (1909).

Glass electrode: F Haber *Z. physik. Chem*, 67, 385 (1919)

Polarography : J. Heyrovsky, *Chem. Listy*, 16, 256(1922)

Chronopotentiometry: P. Delahay *Anal. Chem.*, 27, 478 (1955).

Internal Conversion, Intersystem Crossing, Radiationless Transition, Intercombination are all described for the first time (and summarized)

in Micheal Kasha's "Characterisation of Electronic Transitions in Complex Molecules" in J. Am. Chem Soc of 1950 (I don't have the exact reference now.)

Ion, Anion and Cation: Attributed to Faraday, ion from the Greek for wanderer, ana- and cat- mean up and down, respectively, e.g., the anion is the ion which is moving up the potential gradient.

Electrode, anode, cathode: were suggested to Faraday by Whewell 1834; see Oesper and Speter Scientific Monthly 45, 535 (1937)

The prefix "per" which is so commonly used as in peroxide was introduced by T. Thomson in 1804 in his book "A System of Chemistry" Edinburgh. Per was taken from Latin- meaning thoroughly. (from ACS monograph on Hydrogen Peroxide- Walter Schumb).

I would be pleased to know as when and how the terms State and Level were introduced in spectroscopy? I guess state might have been translated from German Zustand but what is a Level called in German?

Few more terms: chaotropic, Kosmotropic salts, salting-in, salting-out?

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Dear Dr. John,

I have seen the updated version of your website (thanks for the acknowledgments). I would like see it as a rather quick and comprehensive online source of earliest references to chemical terms and concepts for chemistry undergraduates interested in history of chemistry.

I know that cine-, tele- substitutions , bullvalane, ion etc were listed in your website but their reference boxes were empty except bullvalene, the anecdote given for it is different from the one given in the J.Chem Ed. Some more terms which I always wondered about their origin were in a footnote written by Pauling in his excellent text on General Chemistry that can be shared in the classroom.

K,L,M,N shells: "In the period 1905 to 1910 Charles Glover Barkla measured the power of X-rays of penetrating sheets of copper and other substances. He discovered that elements emit characteristic X -rays of two kinds, differing in their penetrating power. After having used A and B, he decided in 1911 to assign K to the more penetrating and L to less penetrating radiation, in order to leave other letters available for still more penetrating and less penetrating kinds of radiation which he thought would probably be discovered, he soon discovered M and N

radiation, but characteristic x-radiation more penetrating than the K line is not emitted by the atoms. BarkLa may have taken the letters K and L from his name."

Secondly a rather old term which may be valuable for the older organic chemistry literature and now almost non-existent since web search does not find relevant results, is a term due to Sudgen: parachor, the etymology of which was found with much difficulty in an unabridged Webster's dictionary as no chemical dictionary would list it

Parachor: [para- + chor from Greek space, from its indicating volume]: an empirical constant that relates surface tension of a liquid to its molecular volume and that may be used for comparing molecular volumes under conditions such that liquids have the same surface tension.

Another related word is rheochor, coined by [??].

Recoil: This term as used in physics (as recoil electron etc,) is due to Rutherford , please check the multivolume Oxford Unabridged Dictionary for the correct version and reference.

Few more words that can be added (I don't have the references to their earliest known use) are Bremsstrahlung , State, Level and Term (in spectroscopic sense), Resonance (perhaps Pauling), concerted reactions, canonical forms and j-j coupling.

Best wishes.
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Dear Dr. John,

Here are some more terms, merely compiled during a study from a number of websites and books. In most cases the originator of the word is known, along with the year but not the article in which the term was first introduced.

Algorithm : Derived from algorism (OED, Ency. Britannica), which was the Latinized form of "al-Khowarizim", the surname of an Arab mathematician in the 16th century. He also introduced algebra (al-jabr) in his book Kholosat-e-Hisaab"(Essence of Mathematics).

Acid Rain : British Chemist, Robert A. Smith 1870

Adduct : borrowed from German but the person who introduced in the chemical literature is not known.

Bolions: Two positive charges separated by a long chain of atoms. J. Am. Chem. Soc, 1951,73 ,269

Catenanes : Edel Wasserman 1960.

Celluloid: Isaiah Hyatt-1872

Chemotherapy: Paul Ehrlich- 1909

Chemiluminescence: Eilhardt Weidemann- 1888

Flash Chromatography: W. Clark.

Flavor, Charm, Strangeness, Color...though interesting names but I would like to know who coined the names of properties.

Fuel Cell: Ludwig Mond, Charles Langer 1889

I-Strain: Internal Strain, Brown H.C, J. Am. Chem.Soc 1950, 72, 2926

Ligand: German chemist Alfred Stock 1916

Magic Acid: George Olah

Olation, and Oxolation: someone suggested that Henry Taube...but not sure.

Order of reaction: Ostwald

Plasma: Irving Langmuir-1929

Phonon : perhaps Peter Debye.

Some amusing names of arsine ligands: edas, vdias, dam, ffars etc in a chapter by E.C Alyea "Transition metal complexes of Phosphorus etc." New York -1973

Styx number : (used in boron chemistry) Spent a long time to find if Lipscomb, who introduced this term had any anecdote in his mind (I thought some connection with styx river), but supposedly s,t, and y,x were merely parameters in those structures. Hence the name.

The -sylates family, eg tosylate, brosylate, mesylate , Fenelius, W.C, J. Chem. Ed 1982, 59, 572

Vitamines :(Vital amines) Casmir Funk.

The X-ray box in your website is empty: X-strahlen by Roengten 1895," Ich Komme deshalb zu dem Resultat dass die X-strahlen nicht indentisch mit den Kathodenstrahlen, W.C. Roengten Ann. Physik. und Chem. 1898, 64, 1-37 (he reprinted his original 1895 in this journal) cited in "X-rays

A book by Skoog et. al suggests that K, L shell were so named because K- stands for kurz, small and L for lange...K wavelengths were shorter and so on.

Some terms: semiconductors, diodes, and transistors ??

Hyphenated-methods (in chromatography): like GC-MS etc, a review is given in ACS Analytical Chemistry 1980, 52, 297A

Zwitterion has been puzzling me as the chemist who coined it is not mentioned anywhere.

Regards.
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Dear Dr. John,

One more left-over to the previous list of about 25 more terms just sent today : Chemical Chamelion: Trost, B. M in J. Am. Chem. Soc., 1984, 106, 7260.

Regards
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