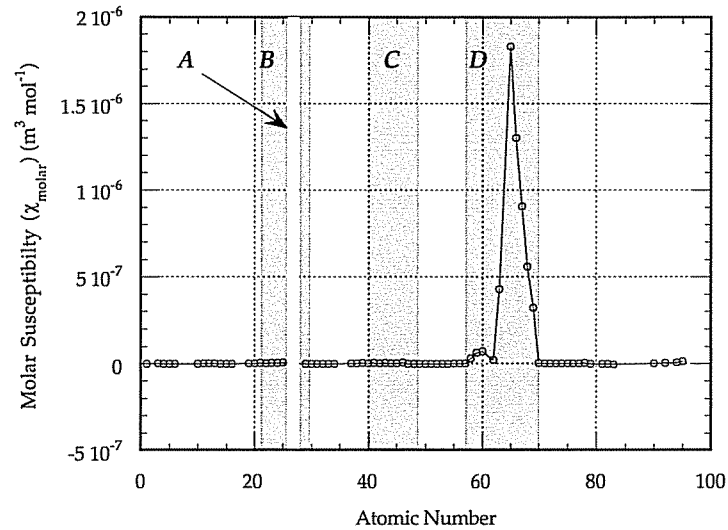


**Table W2.1** Molar magnetic susceptibility of the elements at around room temperature. The data are summarised in Figure W2.3. The shading in the table corresponds to the shading in Figure and highlights elements with a large susceptibilities.

Z	Element, atomic mass (u) and density (kg m <sup>-3</sup> )	$\chi_M$ (m <sup>3</sup> mol <sup>-1</sup> )	Z	Element, atomic mass (u) and density (kg m <sup>-3</sup> )	$\chi_M$ (m <sup>3</sup> mol <sup>-1</sup> )
1	Hydrogen, H 1.008 89	—	51	Antimony, Sb 121.7 6692	$-1.22 \times 10^{-9}$
2	Helium, He 4.003 120	—	52	Tellurium, Te 127.6 6247	$-4.98 \times 10^{-10}$
3	Lithium, Li 6.941 533	$1.78 \times 10^{-10}$	53	Iodine, I 126.9 4953	$-5.58 \times 10^{-10}$
4	Beryllium, Be 9.012 1846	$-1.17 \times 10^{-10}$	54	Xenon, Xe 131.3 3560	$-5.51 \times 10^{-10}$
5	Boron, B 10.81 2466	$-8.43 \times 10^{-11}$	55	Caesium, Cs 132.9 1900	$3.72 \times 10^{-10}$
6	Carbon, C 12.01 2266	$-7.57 \times 10^{-11}$	56	Barium, Ba 137.3 3594	$2.61 \times 10^{-10}$
7	Nitrogen, N 14.01 1035	—	57	Lanthanum, La 138.9 6174	$1.53 \times 10^{-9}$
8	Oxygen, O 16 1460	—	58	Cerium, Ce 140.1 6711	$3.04 \times 10^{-8}$
9	Fluorine, F 19 1140	—	59	Praseodymium, Pr 140.9 6779	$6.30 \times 10^{-8}$
10	Neon, Ne 20.18 1442	$-8.48 \times 10^{-11}$	60	Neodymium, Nd 144.2 7000	$7.07 \times 10^{-8}$
11	Sodium, Na 22.99 966	$2.02 \times 10^{-10}$	61	Promethium, Pm 145 7220	—
12	Magnesium, Mg 24.31 1738	$1.65 \times 10^{-10}$	62	Samarium, Sm 150.4 7536	$2.29 \times 10^{-8}$
13	Aluminium, Al 26.98 2698	$2.08 \times 10^{-10}$	63	Europium, Eu 152 5248	$4.27 \times 10^{-7}$
14	Silicon, Si 28.09 2329	$-5.06 \times 10^{-11}$	64	Gadolinium, Gd 157.2 7870	Ferro
15	Phosphorus, P 30.97 1820	$-3.41 \times 10^{-10}$	65	Terbium, Tb 158.9 8267	$1.83 \times 10^{-6}$
16	Sulphur, S 32.06 2086	$-1.95 \times 10^{-10}$	66	Dysprosium, Dy 162.5 8531	$1.30 \times 10^{-6}$
17	Chlorine, Cl 35.45 2030	—	67	Holmium, Ho 164.9 8797	$9.05 \times 10^{-7}$
18	Argon, A 39.95 1656	—	68	Erbium, Er 167.3 9044	$5.57 \times 10^{-7}$
19	Potassium, K 39.1 862	$2.62 \times 10^{-10}$	69	Thulium, Tm 168.9 9325	$3.21 \times 10^{-7}$
20	Calcium, Ca 40.08 1530	$5.61 \times 10^{-10}$	70	Ytterbium, Yb 173 6966	$3.13 \times 10^{-9}$
21	Scandium, Sc 44.96 2992	$3.96 \times 10^{-9}$	71	Lutetium, Lu 175 9842	$2.28 \times 10^{-10}$
22	Titanium, Ti 47.9 4508	$1.92 \times 10^{-9}$	72	Hafnium, Hf 178.5 13276	$9.46 \times 10^{-10}$
23	Vanadium, V 50.94 6090	$3.20 \times 10^{-9}$	73	Tantalum, Ta 180.9 16670	$1.94 \times 10^{-9}$
24	Chromium, Cr 52 7194	$2.31 \times 10^{-9}$	74	Tungsten, W 183.9 19254	$7.36 \times 10^{-10}$
25	Manganese, Mn 54.94 7473	$6.59 \times 10^{-9}$	75	Rhenium, Re 186.2 21023	$8.49 \times 10^{-10}$
26	Iron, Fe 55.85 7873	Ferro	76	Osmium, Os 190.2 22580	$1.24 \times 10^{-10}$
27	Cobalt, Co 58.93 8800	Ferro	77	Iridium, Ir 192.2 22550	$3.21 \times 10^{-10}$
28	Nickel, Ni 58.7 8907	Ferro	78	Platinum, Pt 195.1 21450	$2.54 \times 10^{-9}$
29	Copper, Cu 63.55 8933	$-6.87 \times 10^{-11}$	79	Gold, Au 197 19281	$-3.51 \times 10^{-10}$
30	Zinc, Zn 65.38 7135	$-1.44 \times 10^{-10}$	80	Mercury, Hg 200.6 13546	—
31	Gallium, Ga 69.72 5905	$-2.72 \times 10^{-10}$	81	Thallium, Tl 204.4 11871	$-6.40 \times 10^{-10}$
32	Germanium, Ge 72.59 5323	$-9.64 \times 10^{-11}$	82	Lead, Pb 207.2 11343	$-2.88 \times 10^{-10}$
33	Arsenic, As 74.92 5776	$-6.87 \times 10^{-11}$	83	Bismuth, Bi 209 9803	$-3.52 \times 10^{-9}$
34	Selenium, Se 78.96 4808	$-3.16 \times 10^{-10}$	84	Polonium, Po 209 9400	—
35	Bromine, Br 79.9 3120	—	85	Astatine, At 210 —	—
36	Krypton, Kr 83.8 3000	—	86	Radon, Rn 222 4400	—
37	Rubidium, Rb 85.47 1533	$2.13 \times 10^{-10}$	87	Francium, Fr 223 —	—
38	Strontium, Sr 87.62 2583	$1.16 \times 10^{-9}$	88	Radium, Ra 226 5000	—
39	Yttrium, Y 88.91 4475	$2.40 \times 10^{-9}$	89	Actinium, Ac 227 10060	—
40	Zirconium, Zr 91.22 6507	$1.53 \times 10^{-9}$	90	Thorium, Th 232 11725	$1.67 \times 10^{-9}$
41	Niobium, Nb 92.91 8578	$2.56 \times 10^{-9}$	91	Protactinium, Pa 231 15370	—
42	Molybdenum, Mo 95.94 10222	$1.15 \times 10^{-9}$	92	Uranium, U 238 19050	$5.14 \times 10^{-9}$
43	Technetium, Tc 97 11496	$3.01 \times 10^{-9}$	93	Neptunium, Np 237 20250	—
44	Ruthenium, Ru 101.1 12360	$5.43 \times 10^{-10}$	94	Plutonium, Pu 244 19840	$7.73 \times 10^{-9}$
45	Rhodium, Rh 102.9 12420	$1.40 \times 10^{-9}$	95	Americium, Am 243 13670	$1.22 \times 10^{-9}$
46	Palladium, Pd 106.4 11995	$7.13 \times 10^{-9}$			
47	Silver, Ag 107.9 10500	$-2.45 \times 10^{-10}$			
48	Cadmium, Cd 112.4 8647	$-2.48 \times 10^{-10}$			
49	Indium, In 114.8 7290	$-8.04 \times 10^{-10}$			
50	Tin, Sn 118.7 7285	$-4.75 \times 10^{-10}$			

**Figure W2.3** Summary of molar magnetic susceptibility data for the solid elements shown (a) at a large scale and (b) on a detailed scale. The bands *B*, *C* and *D* mark the first and second row of transition elements, and the lanthanide series. The band *A* marks the ferromagnetic elements Fe, Co and Ni. **Note:** points greater than zero correspond to a paramagnetic response and points less than zero correspond to a diamagnetic response.

(a)



(b)

