

## Chemthink: Ions

Atoms that gain or lose one or more electrons are called \_\_\_\_\_.

Ions are just individual atoms or groups of atoms that have a \_\_\_\_\_.

The charge comes from an imbalance of \_\_\_\_\_  
and \_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_ can behave very differently than the \_\_\_\_\_  
from which they are formed.

Negative ions can only be formed by \_\_\_\_\_  
and positive ions can only be formed by \_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_ are never lost or gained with ions are formed.

Groups of ions that form ions are called \_\_\_\_\_.