

BROMINE

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1. Watch the film and answer the questions:

a. Which four elements are liquid at room temperature?

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b. How can you obtain bromine ?

c. Why do we add bromine to plastics ?

d. Why are bromine isotopes unusual ?

e. Why is bromine less dangerous than chlorine ?

2. Fill the gaps while listening.

a. Bromine comes from the Greek word 'bromos' which means **1.** _____, a really horrible smell.

b. So it's a nice **2.** _____. We're going to get it out of this bottle now. It's **3.** _____ in because it's obviously very, very **4.** _____ as a liquid and we're going to cut the glass, get it out and look at its chemistry.

c. So you can make bromine just by **5.** _____ chlorine into a solution of bromide like Dead Sea water and the chlorine **6.** _____ the bromine and forms chloride and the bromine just comes out as red **7.** _____ which you can catch.

d. You see all those really nice orange fumes which are coming off from the liquid and then they're being **8.** _____ by our **9.** _____.

e. So the reaction is strongly **10.** _____ which means it gives out energy and that energy then evaporates off excess bromine which you can see coming off as a **11.** _____.