



Lesson: Alka-Seltzer Experiment

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Fizzing Science: Alka-Seltzer Reactions Free Worksheet – STEM Scholars Hub
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Instructions: Circle the correct answer for each question.

1. What type of reaction occurs when an Alka-Seltzer tablet is dropped in water?

- A. Physical reaction
- B. Chemical reaction
- C. Freezing reaction
- D. Melting reaction

2. Which gas is produced during the Alka-Seltzer reaction?

- A. Oxygen
- B. Hydrogen
- C. Carbon dioxide
- D. Nitrogen

3. Which two main ingredients in Alka-Seltzer cause the reaction?

- A. Salt and water
- B. Sodium bicarbonate and citric acid
- C. Sugar and vinegar
- D. Baking soda and lemon juice

4. What happens to the Alka-Seltzer tablet in water?

- A. It melts slowly without change
- B. It dissolves and produces fizz
- C. It becomes solid
- D. It evaporates

5. What type of reaction is the Alka-Seltzer experiment considered?

- A. Endothermic
- B. Exothermic
- C. Neutral
- D. Condensation

6. How does warmer water affect the reaction?

- A. Slows it down
- B. Speeds it up



- C. Stops the reaction
- D. Has no effect

7. What can be used to capture the gas produced?

- A. Spoon
- B. Balloon
- C. Paper towel
- D. Funnel

8. Which of the following is a sign of a chemical reaction in this experiment?

- A. Bubbling and fizzing
- B. Tablet staying solid
- C. Water changing temperature slightly
- D. All of the above

9. How does increasing the number of tablets affect the reaction?

- A. Less fizz is produced
- B. More fizz is produced
- C. Reaction stops
- D. No change occurs

10. Why should students not inhale the gas produced?

- A. It is poisonous
- B. It can cause dizziness
- C. It is safe to breathe
- D. It is flammable



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Answer Key:

1. B
2. C
3. B
4. B
5. B
6. B
7. B
8. A
9. B
10. B