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Visual Interpretation of the Table of Elements (<http://www.chemsoc.org/viselements/>)

offers an attractive and informative visual interpretation of the periodic table. Blending the work of artists and chemists, the site features computer-generated interpretive images, descriptions, histories, and a link to a data sheet in pdf format for each of the 109 elements. The site also presents Periodic Landscapes, computer-generated models based on various patterns and relationships within the periodic

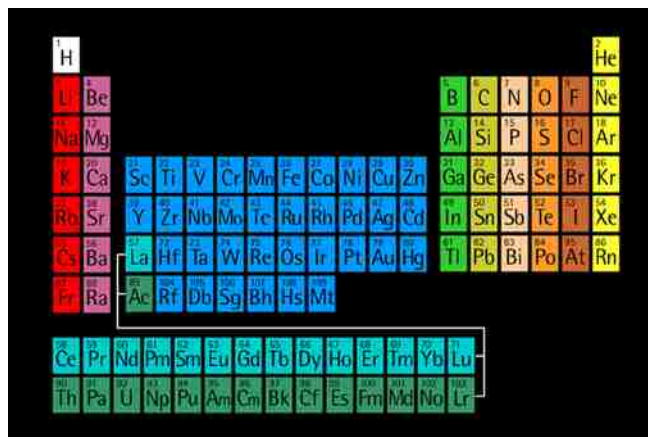


table. Additional resources include a history of the periodic table, a selection of desktop patterns and screensavers, and a selection of models to use as electronic postcards. The site is provided by Chemsoc, the chemistry societies network.

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