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Question 1: Identify each item below as a pure substance or a mixture.

glucose (C₆H₁₂O₆) pure substance

sunscreen mixture

oxygen pure substance

the human body mixture

acetaminophen (C₈H₉NO₂) pure substance

hydrogen peroxide (H₂O₂) pure substance

green tea mixture

Question 2: Identify each pure substance below as an element or a compound.

natural gas (CH₄) compound

nitrogen gas (N₂) element

carbon (C) element

table salt (NaCl) compound

ice (H₂O) compound

dry ice (CO₂) compound

sodium (Na) element

Question 3: Identify each mixture below as **homogeneous** or **heterogeneous**.

gasoline homogeneous

skim milk homogeneous

bag of groceries heterogenous

watermelon heterogenous

jar of nuts and bolts heterogenous

mouthwash homogeneous

water with ice cubes heterogenous

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Question 4: Fill in the table below.

state	Shape (definite or indefinite)	Volume (definite or indefinite)	Particle Distance (very close, close, far away)
gas	indefinite	indefinite	far away
liquid	indefinite	definite	close
solid	definite	definite	very close

Question 5: Describe each of the following as a physical property or chemical property.

water boils at 100°C physical property

the density of water is 1 g/mL physical property

water is colorless physical property

sodium metal reacts with water chemical property

gasoline is flammable chemical property

neon gas does not react with air chemical property

an iPhone 7 has a mass of 4.87 ounces physical property

Question 6: Describe each of the following as a physical change or chemical change.

an antacid tablet reduces heartburn chemical change

your body digests a sandwich chemical change

butter melts in a pan physical change

gasoline is ignited in your car engine chemical change

juice freezes in your freezer physical change

a piece of paper is cut in half physical change

milk goes sour chemical change

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Question 7: Fill in the table below with the six phase changes and if each one is exothermic or endothermic.

Phase Change	Endothermic or Exothermic	
melting	endothermic	
freezing	exothermic	
evaporation / vaporization	endothermic	
condensation	exothermic	
sublimation	endothermic	
deposition	exothermic	

Question 8: Convert each standard notation number into scientific notation.

2,002,000 2.002 x 10⁶

0.000083 8.3 x 10⁻⁵

0.0151 1.51 x 10⁻²

0.000000009 9 x 10⁻⁹

Question 9: Convert each scientific notation number into standard notation.

5.73 x 10⁴ 57,300

8.002 x 10⁻³ 0.008002

1.472 x 10⁻⁶ 0.000001472

 3×10^{10} 30,000,000,000