

## Static Electricity

Directions: Fill in the blanks using the word bank.

Word Bank	
electrically charged	repel
positive	friction
atoms	electrons
neutrons	no charge
protons	static electricity
attract	negative

1. Matter is made up of particles called \_\_\_\_\_.
2. The three basic parts of an atom are \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, and \_\_\_\_\_.
3. Electrons have a \_\_\_\_\_ charge.
4. Protons have a \_\_\_\_\_ charge.
5. Neutrons have \_\_\_\_\_.
6. Objects can gain or lose electrons through \_\_\_\_\_, or rubbing two things together.
7. When objects gain or lose electrons, they become \_\_\_\_\_.