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Abū Mūsā Jābir ibn Hayyān (Arabic/Persian جابر بن حیان, often given the nisbas, al-Azdi, al-Kufi, al-Tusi or al-Sufi; fl. c. 721 – c. 815), is the supposed author of an enormous number and variety of works in Arabic often called the Jabirian corpus. The scope of the corpus is vast and diverse covering a wide range of topics, including alchemy, cosmology, numerology, astrology ... The young Robert Boyle was fascinated by Galileo's belief that mathematics is the language of the world around us. The behavior of planets and pendulums, and the fundamentals of music and mechanics, could all be understood using mathematics. Sublimation is the transition of a substance directly from the solid to the gas phase, without passing through the intermediate liquid phase. Sublimation is an endothermic process that occurs at temperatures and pressures below a substance's triple point in its phase diagram, which corresponds to the lowest pressure at which the substance can exist as a liquid. El alquimista suizo del siglo XVI Paracelso (Philippus Aureolus Teofrasto Bombastus von Hohenheim) creía en la existencia de alkahest, que, conforme a sus creencias, es un elemento sin descubrir de la que todos los demás elementos (tierra, fuego, agua, aire) eran simplemente formas derivadas. Paracelso creía que este elemento era, de hecho, la piedra filosofal.