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Hybridization and MO Theory Cheat Sheet by mjb via cheatography.com/128288/cs/25147/

Hybridization		
Formal Charge	FC = (group #) - (loan pairs + bonds)	
Bond Enthalpy	Δ Hrxn = (sum of bonds broken) - (sum of bonds formed)	
	Weaker bonds broken provide more exothermic reactions. Weaker product bonds make for a less exothermic reaction.	
Bond Order and Length	Shorter bond length = greater bond order	
	Single bonds are the longest and the weakest	
	Triple bonds are the shortest and the strongest	
	Non-integer bond order indicates resonance	
Non- polar covalent bonds	ex: CI-CI	
	small energy difference in electronegativity	
Polar Covalent Bonds	ex: H-Cl	
	medium energy difference	
lonic Bonds	ex: Li-Cl	
	large energy difference (over 1.7)	
Average Bond Order	ABO = (# of bonds in the molecule) ÷ (# of resonance structures)	

MO Theory



MO diagram for F2, O2, Ne2, and all other molecules

MO Theory	
Bond Order	(bonds-antibonds) ÷ 2
Bonds	σ, π
Anti-Bonds	σ, π
Sigma Bond	hybridized \
Pi Bond	unhybridized p orbital \
Loan Pair	Spin Paired \> X

VSEPR

Number of Electrons	Electron Geometry	Atoms + Loan Pairs	Molecular Geometry
2	linear	2+0	linear
3	trigonal planar	3+0	trigonal planar
		2+1	bent
4	tetrah- edral	4+0	tetrah- edral
		3+1	trigonal pyramidal
		2+2	bent
5	trigonal bipyra- midal	5+0	trigonal bipyra- midal
		4+1	see-saw
		3+2	T-shaped
		2+3	linear
6	octahedral	6+0	octahedral

VSEPR (cont) 5+1 square pyramidal 4+2 square planar Polarity Requir- Bonds must be polar ements for a Polar

The molecule cannot have
symmetry
A bond is polar if one side
is more electronegative
than the other

MO Theory

Molecule



Diagram for B2, C2, and N2

The Born-Haber Cycle				
Sublimation	Na (s) + 1/2 Cl2 (g)> Na (g) + Cl (g)	+107.32 kJ		
CI-CI bond energy	Na (g) + Cl (g)> Na (g) + 1/2 Cl2 (g)	+121.68 kJ		
ionization energy of sodium	Na (g) + 1/2 Cl2 (g)> Na+(g) + Cl (g) + e-	+496 kJ		
Electron Affinity of Cl	Na+(g) + Cl (g) + e> Na+ (g) + Cl- (g)	-349 kJ		
Lattice Energy of NaCl	Na+ (g) + Cl- (g) - -> NaCl (s)	-786 kJ		

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Sigma and Pi Bonds				
Valence Bond Theory	When two atoms are in close proximity to one another, they arrange themselves at the lowest possible energy			
Sigma bonds	Formed by end-on overlap of orbitals along the intern- uclear axis			
	the electron density is highest right between the two atoms			
Pi bonds	Formed by side on overlap of orbitals			
	there is no electron density between the atoms			
	Weaker than sigma bonds			
Valence electron pairs	Electron Geometry	Hybridization		
2	linear	sp		
3	trigonal planar	sp2		
4	tetrahedral	sp3		
5	trigonal bipyramidal	sp4		
6	octahedral	sp5		
Single Bonds	one sigma bond			
Double Bonds	one sigma, one pi bond			
Triple Bonds	one sigma, two pi bonds			



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