Bonding-General Concepts

Chapter 8

Chemical Bonds

- Forces that hold groups of atoms together so they function as a unit
- Form to achieve a state of <u>lower energy</u> (more stable)

Types of Bonds

- 1. Ionic
- 2. Covalent

Ionic Bonds

- Formed between a <u>metal</u> and a <u>nonmetal</u>
- Results from the <u>transfer</u> of electrons
- Metal (low ionization energy) loses an electron to a nonmetal (high electron affinity)
- All monatomic ions achieve octets
- Can predict formulas for binary ionic compounds from the ion charges
- Ex. Ca [Ar] $4s^2$ O [He] $2s^2, 2p^4$ Ca⁺²O⁻²
- Ex. Al [Ne] $3s^2, 3p^1 x^2 = 6e^2$ O [He] $2s^2, 2p^4 x^3 = 6e^2$ Al $2^{+3}O_3^{-2}$

Ex. Ba [Xe]
$$6s^2 x^3 = 6e^-$$

N [He] $2s^2 \cdot 2p^3 x^2 = 6e^-$ Ba $^{+2}N_2^{-3}$

(As electrons are lost or gained, the size of the particle changes)

Size of Ions

Positive Ions

- Electrons are lost
- Fewer electrons = less repulsion
- Z_{eff} increases & the electrons are pulled in <u>more</u> tightly
- : Positive ions are smaller than the atom they are formed from

Negative Ions

- Electrons are gained
- More electrons = <u>more</u> repulsion
- Zeff decreases and the electrons are held <u>less</u> tightly
- : Negative ions are larger than the atom they are formed from

Isoelectronic Ions

- Ions with the <u>same number</u> of electrons
- The greater the number of protons $(\underline{Z_{eff}})$ the smaller the ion

Ex. ${}_{8}O^{-2} > {}_{9}F^{-1} > {}_{11}Na^{+1} > {}_{12}Mg^{+2} > {}_{13}Al^{+3}$

Energies Involved in Forming an Ionic Solid

- Ionic solids form from individual gaseous ions Ex. $\text{Li}_{(s)} + \frac{1}{2} \text{F}_{2(g)} \rightarrow \text{LiF}_{(s)}$
- 1. Sublimation of Li_(s) $Li_{(s)} \rightarrow Li_{(g)}$ $\Delta H=161 kj/mol$ 2. Ionization of Li_(g) $Li_{(g)} \rightarrow Li^+_{(g)} + e^ \Delta$ H=520 kj/mol 3. Dissociation of F₂ $\frac{1}{2}F_2 \rightarrow F(g)$ Δ H=154/2 kj/mol (77kj/mol)4. Formation of $F_{(g)}$ $F_{(g)} + e^{-} \rightarrow F_{(g)}$ Δ H=-328kj/mol 5. Formation of $LiF_{(s)}$ $Li^{+}(g) + F^{-}(g) \rightarrow LiF(g)$ Δ H=-1097kj/mol Δ H=-617kj/mol Overall:

Lower energy level (more stable)

Lattice Energy

- The energy change that occurs when separate gaseous ions are packed together to form an ionic solid
- It is <u>directly</u> proportional to the <u>amount of the charge</u> on the ions (larger charge = larger lattice energy)

Ex. $Na^+-Cl^- < Mg^{+2}-Cl^- < Mg^{+2}-S^{-2}$

- It is <u>inversely</u> proportional to the <u>size of the ions</u> (as the distance between the charge centers increases, lattice energy decreases)
- Ex. NaCl > KCl because K^+ is larger than Na⁺

Covalent Bonds

- Formed between two nonmetallic atoms
- The atoms share one (or more) <u>pairs</u> of electrons
- The shared electrons reside primarily between the nuclei of the two bonded atoms
- Both nuclei are attracted to the shared electrons
- This results in a state of greater stability
- The distance between the bonded nuclei is called the Bond Length
- The attraction for the shared electrons is measured as "electronegativity"

Electronegativity

- The ability of an atom to attract electrons to itself
- Listed on p. 356 $F \sim Cs = 0.7$ F=4.0
- In general, the closer an element is to fluorine, the higher its electrongegativity • O=3.5 F=4.0 Cl=3.1
- the electronegativities of the bonded atoms determine how equally or unequally the pairs of electrons are shared.

• The greater the electronegativity difference the **more unequal** the sharing of electrons

NONPOLAR COVALENT BONDS

- A bond formed between two atoms of the **same non-metals**
- The electron pair is shared **equally**
- <u>NO</u> charges arise in the molecule
- the molecules formed are **<u>nonpolar</u>** molecules ex: H₂, P₄, S₈

POLAR COVALENT BONDS

- A bond between atoms of two **different nonmetals**
- Charges arise because the electrons are shared unequally the more electronegative element becomes negative
- The less electronegative element becomes positive

o Ex:

Has electrons less of the time \rightarrow + H - F⁻ \leftarrow has electrons most of the time 2.1 4.0

• the molecule formed could be a polar molecule <u>or</u> a nonpolar molecule

POLAR MOLECULE (a dipole)

- a molecule that has separate centers of positive and negative charge
- it has a "dipole moment"
- this is a measure of how polar the molecules is
- the larger the dipole moment, the more polar the molecule



NONPOLAR MOLECULE

CHARGE CENTERS CANCEL!!!



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Which are polar? (Have a dipolar moment)



BOND ENERGY

- the energy that must be added to break a covalent bond
- also: the energy released when a bond is formed
- can be measured by experimentation
- can be used to calculate ΔH for a reaction

ex. H₂ (g) + F₂ (g) \rightarrow 2HF (g) Δ H

 $\Delta H=?$

- o bond energies are found in table 8.4 (p.367)
- multiple bonds are shorter and stronger than single bonds

	Bond Engery (Kj/mole)	Bond Length (Å)
C-C	347	1.54
C=C	615	1.37
C≡C	839	1.20

Ex. $2C_2H_2 + 5)2 \rightarrow 4 CO_2 + 2H_2O \Delta H =$

Think in terms of Structural Formulas!

Lewis Structures

- Shows how the valence electrons are arranged among the atoms in a molecule.
- The most important requirement for a stable compound is that the atoms achieve noble gas electron configurations.

Rules for Drawing Lewis Structures

- 1. Add up the total numbe of valence electrons for all of the atoms in the molecule.
- 2. Use the pair of electrons to form a bond between each pair of bonded atoms
- 3. Arrange the remaining electrons to satisfy the "duet" rule for hydrogen and the "octet" rule for other elements.

Ex: H ₂	2 Valence electrons	H:H	(duet) -full first PEL (like He)

Ex: F_2 14 Valence electrons F : F (octets)

Octet Rule

- non-metals are most stable when surrounded by 8 electrons (-always holds true for C, N, O, +F)

Ex: H₂O

Ex: CO₂

Ex: CN⁻¹ (cyanide)

Bonding Pair

• 2 electrons shared between two atoms

Lone Pair

• 2 electrons localized on only 1 atom

Exceptions to the Octet Rule

- Boron- in some compounds less than 8e
- Ex. BF3
- all B-F bonds are single bonds (exp. results)
- BF₃ reacts violently with other substances that already have a lone pair of electrons

Ex.

• Some atoms EXCEED the Octet Rule Ex. SF₆

- only atoms with <u>3 or more occupied PEL's</u> will exceed the octet rule
- (it is assumed that) that **d orbitals** are being used to accommodate the extra electrons.

PCl₅

• when it is necessary to exceed the octet rule, place any <u>extra</u> electrons <u>on the central</u> <u>atom</u> in the structure.

Ex: I ₃ -	
a) ClF ₃	b) XeO ₃
c) RnCl ₂	d) ClO ₃ -

e) ICl₄-

Resonance

- when a molecule cannot be represented by a single Lewis structure
- The bonds in the molecule are of **Intermediate** strength (3/2, 4/3, etc)
- The "average" of the possible Lewis structures represents the molecule.

Ex. SO₂

-exp. Shows that both S-O bonds are of the same strength & length (1.50 -exp shows a bond < of 120°

- the actual structure of SO₂ is considered to be the "average" of both structures

 NO_2^-

• Lewis structures are <u>limited</u> to only representing single, double or triple bonds

Ex. SO₃

-exp shows 3 equal bonds (~1.3) -exp shows 120° bond <

SO:

-the number of resonance structures needed is determined by the number of sites in which the multiple bond can be placed

Ex. NO₃⁻

(From Regents Chemistry) Benzene -all C-C bonds Are 1.5 length And strength

Molecular Structure: The VSEPR Model

-a system, or <u>model</u> that is used to <u>predict the geometry</u> of a molecule from its <u>number of pairs</u> of electrons.

- important because structure determines properties
- the structure around a given atom is determined by minimizing electron pair repulsion
- the bonding and lone pairs of electrons on an atom will be <u>positioned as far apart as</u> <u>possible</u>
- an atom can have from $2 \rightarrow 6$ pairs of electrons (normally) that repel each other

 one pair, like H:H, doesn't experience repulsion because no other electrons are present

2 pairs of electrons:

Y:X:Y $\angle = 180^{\circ}$, linear

3 pairs of electrons:

 $\angle = 120^{\circ}$, trigonal planar (triangle in one plane)

4 pairs of electrons:

 $\angle = 109.5^{\circ}$, tetrahedral (tetrahedron)

5 pairs of electrons:

 $\angle = 90^{\circ}$ between axial & equatorial positions

 $\angle = 120^{\circ}$ between equatorial positions

Trigonal bipyramidal

6 Pairs of electrons



Angle = 90 degrees between any two neighboring positions.

Octahedral

For Example:

1. <u>2pairs of electrons</u> BeCl₂

2+2(7) = 16

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- : CI : Be : CI : 2 pairs of e- on Be
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2. <u>3 Pairs of Electrons</u> BF₃ $3 + 3(7) = 24_e$

3. <u>4 pairs of electrons</u>

CH44 +4(1) = 8e

But – What if some pairs are lone pairs? -repulsion determines position of electron pairs - position of atoms determines structure

NH3

5+3(1) = 8e -4e pairs = tetrahedral orientation



To Determine the Molecules Shape:

- 1. Draw Lewis structure to determine pairs of electrons on central atom.
- 2. Decide on proper (positions) for electron pairs.
- 3. Name molecular structure from positions of the atoms in their molecule.

- Because there is no atom at the lone pair site the shape is now pyramidal (trigonal pyramid).
 The bond angle is 107
 - the lone pair of electrons is localized on the N atom.

-because they never move off the N they exert a greater repulsion on the bonded pairs.

- this decreases the bond angle as the bonded pairs are pushed closer together.

H₂O H : O : H

2 + 6 = 8e

-4 pairs of e- = tetrahedral orientation (2 bonded 2 lone)

Angle = 104.5 (lone pairs exerting greater repulsion) Bent (or v-shaped) $\angle 109 \text{ H}_2\text{Se}$ (bent) (build a model of this one)

4. 5 pairs of electrons PCl₅ 5+5(7) = 40 e⁻ \angle =90°, 120°

Lone Pairs: $SF_4 = 6+4(7) = 34e^{-1}$ 4 bonded + 1 lone pair = 5 pair of e^{-1} so it has trigonal bipyramidal orientation.

- lone electron pair will be found in an equatorial position
- equatorial position \angle of 120° is less repulsion than axial position of 90°
- With 5e pairs, lone pairs will always be found in equatorial positions
- $\angle = 90^\circ$, 120° Shape is seesaw (looks like a folded square)

ClF₃ 7+3(7) = 28e-





-1 I₃ 3(7) +1=22 e-



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5 e- pairs so triagonal bipyramidal orientation



- lone pairs occupy equatorial positions
- angle = 180°
- linear

6 pairs of electrons

 SF_6 6 + 6(7) = 48e-



(Lone Pairs)

IF₅ 7 + 5(7) = 42e-



What about Double or Triple Bonds?

- All shared pairs in a double or triple bond are in the space between the 2 bonded nuclei.
- A double or triple bond is counted as 1 shared pair in the VSEPR model.
- Ex. SO₂ 6+2(6) 3 e⁻ pairs so it is Trigonal planar orientation with a 120° angle V-shaped
 - VSEPR has been presented here for molecules that have a central atom
 - It is a fairly simple system
 - When applied to molecules that do not have a central atom, the model still works very well
 - Ex. CH₃OH (all are tetrahedral angles, even the O-H bond