Chemical Bonding and Molecular Structure – Answers and Solutions

1. Electrovalent Bonding

- (c) Electrovalent compounds are good conductor of heat and electricity in molten state or in aqueous solution.
- (a) The order of the bond strength (strongest to weakest) is Ionic bond > Covalent bond > Coordinate bond > Metallic bond > Hydrogen bond.
- 3. (a) Cs is more electropositive.
- 4. (a) The ionic character of the molecule/atom is determined by the influence of covalent bond, as the size of cations increases, ionic character increases as per the given order of covalency i.e.

$$CaCl_2 > KCl > BaCl_2 > AgCl.$$

In AgCl, cation is smaller with least ionic character.

- $\hbox{\bf 5.} \quad \hbox{(c)} \quad \textit{CaCl}_2 \ \, \hbox{will have electrovalent bonding because calcium} \\ \hbox{is electropositive metal while chlorine is electronegative} \\ \hbox{so they will combine with electrovalent bond.}$
- (b) As soon as the electronegativity increases, ionic bond strength increases.
- (a) When electronegativity difference is from 1.7 to 3.0, the bond formed between them will be ionic bond.
- (a) Lithium oxide and calcium fluoride show ionic characters.
- (a) Br-F has maximum electronegativity difference compare to another compound.
- **10.** (d) M = 2, 8, 3; A = 2, 8, 7

$$M^{3+}A^- \equiv MA_3$$
.

- **11.** (b) No. of valence electrons in F are 7. Thus, in order to have 6 valence electrons, it must lose one electron and will have the formula F^+ .
- **12.** (b) Sugar is an organic compound which is covalently bonded so in water it remains as free molecules.
- **13.** (d) When sodium chloride is dissolved in water, the sodium ion is hydrated.
- 14. (c) Interionic attraction is due to opposite charges.
- 15. (a) Ions with low charge can easily gain or lose electrons easily. A large cation can lose electrons and a small anion can gain electrons easily.
- (d) Becaus0e of high lattice energy, they are insoluble in water.
- 17. (c) Directional means bonded atoms prefer specific orientations in space relative to one another. In ionic bonds there is no electron sharing, charge is uniform in all direction, so do not show directional properties.
- 18. (a) By definition.

- **19.** (d) Because the electronegativity difference is less than 2.1 between H and Cl; HCl is not an ionic compound.
- 20. (b) As stability is directly related to lattice energy and lattice energy depends on charge and size of ions. So, the order is:

$$Fe_2O_3 < Cr_2O_3 < Al_2O_3 < MgO$$
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21. (b) Electron deficient $-B_2H_6$

Saline -LiH

Electron precise -CH₄

Interstitial -CrH

Electron rich $-NH_3$.

2. Covalent Bonding

- (b) Covalent bond shows directional properties and has a definite geometry.
- (a) In graphite all carbon atoms are sp²-hybridised and have covalent bond.
- 3. (d) $(+1) + x + 3(-2) = 0 \Rightarrow 1 + x 6 = 0 \Rightarrow x = 6 1 = 5$.
- (a) PCl₅ does not follow octet rule, it has 10 electrons in its valence shell.
- (c) Diamond, silicon and quartz molecule bounded by covalent bond.
- 6. (b) The acidity of hydrides of VI group elements increase from top to bottom as the bond strength X – H decrease from top to bottom

$$H_2O < H_2S < H_2Se < H_2Te$$
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- 7. (b) Sulphur has the second highest catenation property after carbon. Its molecule has eight atom bonded together (i.e. S_8).
- (b) Polarity character is due to the difference in electronegativity of two atoms or molecule.
- **9.** (a) The given electronic configuration shows that *A* represents noble gas because the octet is complete. *A* is neon which has 10 atomic number.
- **10.** (b) The electronic configuration of C represent chlorine. Its stable form is dichlorine (Cl_2) i.e., C_2 .
- 11. (d) The electronic configuration shows that B represents phosphorus and C represents chlorine. The stable compound formed is PCl₃ i.e., BC₃.
- **12.** (b) The bond between *B* and *C* will be covalent. Both *B* and *C* are non-metal atoms. *B* represents phosphorus and *C* represent chlorine.
- **13.** (a) The electronic configuration represents $2s^22p^5 = \text{fluorine} = \text{most electronegative element}$

$$3s^23p^5$$
 = chlorine

$$4s^24p^5$$
 = bromine
 $5s^25p^5$ = iodine

- **14.** (a) Among these, NaH and CaH_2 are ionic hydrides and B_2H_6 and NH_3 are covalent hydrides.
- **15.** (c) Silica has tendency to form long chain covalent structure such as carbon so it has giant covalent structure.
- **16.** (a) The approach of the atoms towards one another should be accompanied by decrease of energy.
- 17. (a) With similar electronegativities, ionic bond cannot be formed.
- 18. (d) Urea is a covalent compound which does not break into ions when dissolved in water. So it does not conduct electricity.
- **19.** (d) Due to the small size and higher ionization energy, boron forms covalent compound.
- **20.** (d) To change the state of matter, we need to weaken the inter-molecular forces of attraction.
- **21.** (d) Among the given species. The bond dissociation energy of C-O bond is minimum in case of CO_3^{2-} by which C-O bond become more weaker in CO_3^{2-} or the bond order of CO_3^{2-} (1.33) is minimum so the bond becomes weaker.
- **22.** (d) Because of the small size of H and O atoms, the bond length is minimum for O-H bond.
- 23. (c) Hydrogen atom has only 1s orbital which overlap with another 1s orbital of H atom to form H_2 molecule. There is sufficient overlap between spherical orbitals. Also there is no repulsion due to other electrons as it has only one electron which is being used in the σ bonding. So the bond is very strong.

 In the formation of N_2 molecule, p orbitals of N atom overlap axially (to form a σ bond) and laterally (to form two π bonds). N atom experience repulsion due to other electrons which do not take part in bonding. But the combined effect of 3 bonds overcome the repulsion effect, so the bond dissociation energy of $N \equiv N$ is more
- 24. (a) Residual bonding capacity is proportional to number of free valence electrons that do not remain permanently associated with a nucleus.
- **25.** (b) Due to its small size and 2 electrons in s-orbital *Be* forms covalent compound.

3. Co-ordinate or Dative Bonding

than H-H.

BF₃
$$\rightarrow$$
 Coordinate bond \rightarrow Cl \rightarrow CH₂Cl₂

1. (a) \rightarrow H \rightarrow BF₃.NH₃ \rightarrow H \rightarrow H \rightarrow CH₃NH₂

H \rightarrow H \rightarrow CH₃NH₂

- 2. (d) Co-ordinate bond is a special type of covalent bond which is formed by sharing of electrons between two atoms, where both the electrons of the shared pair are contributed by one atom. Since this type of sharing of electrons exits in O₃, SO₃ and H₂SO₄. Therefore all these contain coordinate bonds.
- 3. (c) Lewis dot structure of sulphuric acid is

Hence, 2 dative bonds.

4. (a)
$$\begin{array}{ccc} H & H \\ | & | \\ N - N \longrightarrow H^+ \\ | & | \\ H & H \end{array}$$

Structure of $N_2H_5^+$: 5 covalent bonds and 1 coordinate bond.

- **5.** (d) $Na^+[N \cong C]^-$.
- **6.** (b) ${}^{-}O C = O$ has covalent bonds only.
- **7.** (c) Lewis structure of N_2O_4 is

$$\begin{array}{c}
O & O \\
\uparrow & \uparrow \\
O = N - N = O.
\end{array}$$

8. (b) Perchlorate ion, CIO_4^- has a tetrahedral structure with sp^3 hybridisation. CI and O are bonded through covalent bonds and bond between Na^+ and CIO_4^- is ionic.

4. VSEPR Theory

1. (a) $H_2 \overset{\cdots}{O} \Rightarrow \text{No. of lone pairs} = 2$

 $Cl - Sn - Cl \Rightarrow$ No. of lone pairs=1

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 $F - \ddot{X}\dot{e} - F \Rightarrow \text{No. of lone pairs} = 3$

- (d) l-p, b-p repulsions are much greater than b-p, b-p 2. repulsions. Bond angle of C-N-C in trimethylamine is
- (a) Oxygen has 2 lone pair of electrons so its bond angle is 3. less than expected due to lp - lp and lp - bp repulsion.
- (c) In NH_3 , although the central atom N is sp^3 hybridised, 4. the bond angle is 107° (instead of 109°28'). The decrease in bond angle is due to repulsion between the lone pair of electrons on N-atom and bond pair of electrons between N and H atoms.
- (a) Decrease of bond angle (from expected) can be 5. explained by VSEPR theory.
- (c) Bond angle of H_2O is 104.5° due to lp-lp repulsion. 6.
- (c) Count the no. of bond pairs and lone-pair around the 7. central atom.

 IF_5 : Summation of group number = 42

Bond pairs =
$$\frac{42}{8}$$
 = 5 (Residue 2)

Lone pair =
$$\frac{2}{2}$$
 = 1

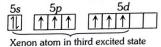
5 bond pairs, 1 lone pair means the geometry is square pyramidal.

(c) In general, a compound with formula AB_3 is sp^2 8. hybridised with triangular planar geometry. However, the given compound has pyramidal structure which is possible only when it has a lone pair of electrons. Thus AB₃ has 3 bond pairs and one lone pair.



(a) Oxidation state of Xe in XeF₆ is +6. 9.

> In the formation of XeF_6 , sp^3d^3 hybridisation occurs which gives the molecule a pentagonal bipyramidal structure. Six positions are occupied by fluorine atoms and one position is occupied by a lone pair of electrons. Due to presence of lone pair, distortion in structure takes place. The actual structure is distorted octahedral.



10. (d) ICl_2^- - linear

 I_3^-

 N_3^- - linear

 ClO_2 -angular due to sp^3 hybridisation of Cl - atom

11. (a) H_2O and SO_2 both are bent.

- **12.** (d) Cl^+ forms 4σ bonds with 4F atoms and left with a lone pair of electrons. So Cl^+ shows sp^3d hybridization and expected geometry is trigonal bipyramidal. Its actual shape is 'see - saw'.
- 13. (b) OF_2 is formed which has a bent geometry, as predicted by VSEPR theory, having 103° bond angle (less than water).
- **14.** (b) Central atom Cl forms 3σ bonds with a lone pair of electrons. Thus it will show sp³ hybridisation, So Trigonal pyramidal structure.



15. (d) In N – atom, number of valence electrons = 5

Due to the presence of one negative charge, number of valence electrons = 5+1=6 one O-atom forms two bond (= bond) and two O-atom shared with two electrons of N-atom

Thus, 3 O-atoms shared with 8 electrons of N-atom.

- ... Number of bond pairs (or shared pairs) = 4 Number of lone pairs = 0.
- **16.** (c) $XeF_4 \Rightarrow 4bp + 2lp \Rightarrow \text{square planar} \Rightarrow \text{ all bonds are}$

 $BF_4^- \Rightarrow 4 bp + 0lp \Rightarrow$ tetrahedral (all bonds are equal)

$$C_2H_4 \Rightarrow H C = C H \Rightarrow C = C$$

bond is not equal to C-H bond

 $SiF_4 \Rightarrow 4bp + 0lp \Rightarrow tetrahedral$ (all bonds are equal)

Thus, in C_2H_4 all the bonds are not equal.

17. (d)
$$NH_3 = 107^\circ$$
, $PH_3 = 93^\circ$, $H_2O = 104.5^\circ$
 $H_2Se = 91^\circ$, $H_2S = 92.5^\circ$.

- **18.** (b) BCl_3 is trigonal in shape where bond angle is 120° . In NH₃ and PCl₃ (both are having tetrahedral geometry) though the central atom has equal no. of lone pairs and bond pairs, the valence shell of P is relatively bigger and bond angle is lower.
- 19. (c) A. H₃O⁺

Trigonal pyramidal

B.
$$H - N = C$$

$$\sup_{sp} H$$
- Planar

C. CIO2

Angular

D. NH₄

Tetrahedral

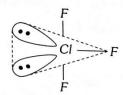
E. PCIs

Trigonal bipyramidal

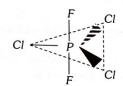
20. (d) S is sp^3 hybridized with a lone pair of electrons. Expected geometry is tetrahedral but actual shape is trigonal pyramidal.

Due to a lone pair of electron the bond angles should be less than 107° . Due to small size of O atom and bond pair of electrons, angle Cl - S - Cl will contract further. Thus only option (d) is possible.

21. (c) Three bond pair and two lone pair present in ${\it CIF}_3$ molecule



22. (a) Correct structure of PCl_3F_2 is



Trigonal bipyramidal

For minimum repulsion between atoms.

23. (b)







Tetrahedral

Pyramidal Bent (one lone pair) (two lone pair)

Bond angle 109.5°

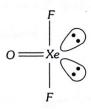
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104.5°

Order of repulsions lp - bp > bp - bp, hence greater the no. of lone pairs smaller the bond angle (If hybridization of central atom is same).

5. Hybridisation

- 1. (b) PF_5 involves sp^3d hybridization and hence has trigonal bipyramidal geometry.
- **2.** (c)

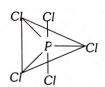


 sp^3d hybridization of Xe (Trigonal bipyramidal) (T-shape)

3. (b) In the ammonia molecule N atom is sp^3 – hybridized but due to the presence of one lone pair of e^- (i.e. due to greater $L_p - b_p$ repulsion) it has distorted tetrahedral (or pyramidal) geometry.



4. (a) Structure of PCl₅ is



axial bonds are 90° and equatorial bonds are 120°.

5. (a) $BH_4^- \Rightarrow 4$ bond pairs +0 lone pair $\Rightarrow sp^3$ hybridised = tetrahedral geometry

 $NH_2^- = V - \text{shape}$

 CO_3^{2-} = triangular planar

 H_3O^+ = pyramidal

- (a) As compare to pure atomic orbitals, hybrid orbitals have low energy.
- 7. (b) Hg has 2 electrons in its valence shell and it forms 2σ bonds in $HgCl_2$ molecule. So it's hybridization is sp type.
- **8.** (c) The shape of sp^3d hybridized molecule is trigonal bipyramidal. The three planar triangular hybrid orbitals may be assumed to be formed from one s and two porbitals. So the remaining p_z orbital may combine with d_{z^2} (aligned along z axis) to form two axial hybrid orbitals that result in the formation of sp^3d hybridized orbitals.

9. (a)
$$HC = C - CH_2 - C - CH_2 - CH = CH_2$$
.
 $Sp^3 Sp^2 Sp^3 Sp^2 Sp^2 Sp^2$

10. (c)



2 lone pair on nitrogen

4N - H bond pair 1N - N bond pair 5 bond pairs.

11. (a) % s-character 50% 33.33% 25%

More the % s-character more the electronegativity [other factors being equal].

12. (d)
$$SCl_4 \Rightarrow 4b.p + 1l.p.$$

6. Overlapping- σ and π - Bonds

- (b) π-bond is formed by lateral overlapping of unhybridised p-p orbitals.
- 2. (a) C = C = C = C = C = 0 C = C = 0 C = C = 0 and C = 0 C
- 3. (c) The given compound will have the correct structure as

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There are 5 π -bonds and 8C-H+11C-C σ -bonds, i.e., 19 σ -bonds are present in the above molecule.

4. (b) Hybridization formula

No. of valence
$$= \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} \text{No. of valence} & \text{No. of monovalent} \\ e^- \text{ over central} & \text{surrounding} \\ \text{element} & \text{elements} \\ (H, F, Cl, Br, I) \end{bmatrix} \pm \text{Charge}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} (7 + 0 - 0 + 1) = 4$$

 \Rightarrow sp^3 hybridization and tetrahedral structure (symmetrical)

$$_{8}O = 1s^{2}2s^{2}2p^{4}$$

So all the four sigma bonds will be $sp^3 - p$ bond.

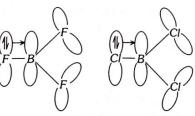
- **5.** (d) The p_x and p_y orbitals do not overlap thus, no bond is
- formed. **6.** (a) E.C. of ${}_5B$ in ground state = $1s^2 2s^2 2p^1$

E.C. of $_5B$ in excited state = $1s^2$ $2s^1$ $2p^2$

E.C. of
$$_{9}F$$
 = $1s^{2}$ $2s^{2}$ $2p^{5}$

Only $2p_z$ orbital is vacant with boron to make a $p\pi-p\pi$ back bonding with the filled orbitals of fluorine and which exactly takes place in the formation of BF_3 . So there is maximum $p\pi-p\pi$ back bonding in BF_3 .

7. (b) Stronger $2p(B) - 2p(F)\pi$ – bonding $\pi p - \pi p$ back bonding



Size of Cl is more than the size of F so in case of BF_3 strong $2p(B) - 2p(F)\pi$ – bonding occurs so lewis acidity of BF_3 is less than BCl_3 .

17, C-C sigma bond present in this structure.

 (a) It has +ve and -ve overlap both simultaneous. So it leads to non-bonding overlap.

7. Dipole Moment

(b) Charge of $e^- = 1.6 \times 10^{-19}$

Dipole moment of $HBr = 1.6 \times 10^{-30}$ Inter atomic spacing = $1\text{Å} = 1 \times 10^{-10} m$ % of ionic character in $HBr = \frac{\text{dipole moment of } HBr \times 100}{\text{inter spacing distance} \times q}$ 1.6×10^{-30}

$$\begin{split} &= \frac{1.6 \times 10^{-30}}{1.6 \times 10^{-19} \times 10^{-10}} \times 100 \\ &= 10^{-30} \times 10^{29} \times 100 = 10^{-1} \times 100 \ = 0.1 \times 100 = 10\% \ . \end{split}$$

- 2. (c) Given ionic charge = 4.8×10^{-10} e.s.u. and ionic distance = $1A^{\circ} = 10^{-8}$ cm. We know that dipole moment = ionic charge × ionic distance = $4.8 \times 10^{-10} \times 10^{-8}$ = 4.8×10^{-18} e.s.u. cm = 4.8 debye.
- 3. (a) % of ionic character $= \frac{\text{Experimental value of dipole moment}}{\text{Expected value of dipole moment}}$ $= \frac{1.03}{6.12} \times 100 = 16.83\% \approx 17\%.$
- **4.** (c) Dipole moment $\mu = \delta \times$ bond length

$$\delta_{1} \times 1.3(10^{-10}) = 1.03$$

$$\delta_{2} \times 1.6(10^{-10}) = 0.38$$

$$\frac{\delta_{1}}{\delta_{2}} = \frac{3.3 \times 10^{-10}}{1 \times 10^{-10}}$$

$$\delta_{1} : \delta_{2} = 3.3 : 1$$

$$+ \delta_{1} \times \underbrace{1.3\mathring{A}}_{-3} \rightarrow \underbrace{-\delta_{1}}_{-103D}$$

$$+ \delta_{2} \times \underbrace{1.6\mathring{A}}_{-3} \rightarrow \underbrace{-\delta_{2}}_{-10.38D}$$

- 5. (a) The dipole moment of $CH_4 = 0D$, $NF_3 = 0.2D$, $NH_3 = 1.47D$ and $H_2O = 1.85D$. Therefore the correct order of the dipole moment is $CH_4 < NF_3 < NH_3 < H_2O$.
- 6. (c) Dipole-dipole forces act between the molecules possessing permanent dipole and ends of dipoles possess 'partial charges'. Partial charges present on ends of a dipole e.g.,

$$\delta + \delta = 0$$

$$\delta + O$$

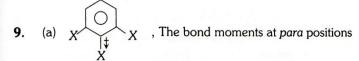
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$$H$$

$$\mu = 1.84 D$$

- (d) Due to a lone pair in P atom PF₃ does not has a symmetrical structure.
- 8. (c) In XeF₄, the four fluorine atoms are present at the corners of a square plane and two lone pairs are present at axial positions. All the individual bond moments in such an arrangement cancel out, as a result, the molecule has zero dipole moment.



cancel due to opposite direction. The other two groups are *meta* to each other, thus angle between the two bond moments is 120° and hence, $\mu=1.5D$.

10. (c) CO₂ being symmetrical has zero dipole moment

$$O \stackrel{\longleftrightarrow}{=} C \stackrel{\longleftrightarrow}{=} O$$

$$\mu = 0$$

Among HI, SO_2 and H_2O dipole moment is highest for H_2O as in it the central atom contains 2 lone pairs

$$H \stackrel{\longleftrightarrow}{=} I$$
 $\mu = 0.38D$ $\mu = 1.84D$ $\mu = 1.62D$

11. (a) Because oxygen is more electronegative than carbon atom so the σ – electrons are towards oxygen atom. The co-ordinated covalent π – bond has π – electrons which are donated by oxygen to carbon atom. So there is a drift of π – electrons from O to C.

$$:C \xrightarrow{\frac{\pi}{\pi}} O:$$

In $CHCl_3$ the vector summation of 3C-Cl bonds is very small so the net dipole moment is smaller than CH_3Cl . In CH_3OH , the electronegativity difference of O and C is large so it will have higher dipole moment. CCl_4 will have zero dipole moment because of symmetrical structure the four C-Cl bond dipole moments will cancel.

So the correct order of dipole moments is : $CCI_4 < CHCI_3 < CH_3CI < CH_3OH$

13. (d)
$$CI = \bigcap_{CI} \bigcap$$

 $\mu \neq 0$.

14. (d) Due to high electronegativity difference between H and F atoms, HF has highest value of dipole moment.

8. Polarisation and Fajan's Rule

- (d) Greater is the negative charge and size of anion, higher is its polarising power.
- 2. (a) According to Fajan's rule.
- (a) The more is the electronegativity difference between the atoms, more will be the polarity in molecules.
- (a) Small size and high charge of cation increases its polarising power.
- **5.** (d) $3SCl_2(l) + 4NaF(s) \longrightarrow SF_4(g) + S_2Cl_2(l) + 4NaCl(s)$.
- (c) Percent ionic character is given by
 % of ionic character = 16(X_A X_B) + 3.5(X_A X_B)²
 From the above relation, it is clear that as soon as (X_A X_B) increases, % ionic character will also increase.
 Therefore, curve C show a correct path.
- 7. (c) Ionic character is inversely proportional to polarising power of cation. The correct order of atomic radius: B<Ga<Al</p>
 BCl₃ < GaCl₃ < AlCl₃.
- **8.** (d) We know that ionic characters $= 16[E_A E_B] + 3.5 \times [E_A E_B]^2$ or ionic character = 72.24%.

9. Resonance

 (c) We know that carbonate ion has following resonating structures

Bond order = $\frac{\text{Total number of bonds between atoms}}{\text{Total number of resonating structure}}$

(c) All bonds are single bond. So there is no scope of resonance.

Ethyl amine.

3. (b) In O_3 , O-O bond length is not identical with that of molecular oxygen. It is found to be intermediate of O-O and O=O bond length. This arises due to resonance.

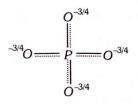
$$0 \longrightarrow 0 \longrightarrow 0$$

- (b) Pi electrons are considered as mobile electrons which can take part in resonance.
- **5.** (a) Bond order = $\frac{\text{Total number of bonds between atoms}}{\text{Total number of resonating structure}}$ = $\frac{5}{4} = 1.25$.
- **6.** (c) In resonance structure there should be the same number of electron pairs.

Perchlorate ion (CIO_4^-) have the following possible resonating structures :

CI - O bond order = 7/4 = 1.75.

8. (c) In the resonance hybrid structure of PO_4^{3-} , charge of -3 is distributed on 4 oxygen atom.



Resonance hybrid

So formal charge on each oxygen atom =
$$-3/4$$

= -0.75 .

10. Molecular Orbital Theory

 (a) Molecular orbital electronic configuration of these species are:

$$O_{2}^{-}(17e^{-}) = \sigma 1s^{2}\sigma^{*}1s^{2}, \sigma 2s^{2}\sigma^{*}2s^{2}, \sigma 2p_{x}^{2}, \pi 2p_{y}^{2},$$

$$\pi 2p_{z}^{2}, \pi^{*}2p_{y}^{2}\pi^{*}2p_{z}^{1}$$

$$O_{2}(16e) = \sigma 1s^{2}\sigma^{*}1s^{2}, \sigma 2s^{2}\sigma^{*}2s^{2}, \sigma 2p_{x}^{2}, \pi 2p_{y}^{2},$$

$$\pi 2p_{z}^{2}\pi^{*}2p_{y}^{1}\pi^{*}2p_{z}^{1}$$

$$O_{2}^{-}(18e) = \sigma 1s^{2}\sigma^{*}1s^{2}, \sigma 2s^{2}\sigma^{*}2s^{2}, \sigma 2p_{x}^{2}, \pi 2p_{y}^{2},$$

$$\pi 2p_{z}^{2}\pi^{*}2p_{y}^{1}\pi^{*}2p_{z}^{2}$$

$$\sigma 2p_{z}^{2}\pi^{*}2p_{y}^{2}\pi^{*}2p_{z}^{2}$$

Hence number of antibonding electrons are 7,6,and 8 respectively.

- **2.** (d) Molecular orbital configuration of peroxide ion, $O_2^{2^-}$ is $\sigma 1s^2 \sigma * 1s^2 \sigma 2s^2 \sigma * 2s^2 \sigma 2p_z^2 \pi 2p_y^2 \pi * 2p_x^2 \pi * 2p_y^2$ It is diamagnetic. Bond order $=\frac{10-8}{2}=1$.
- **3.** (a) N_2 molecule has 14 electrons. The molecular orbital electronic configuration of the molecule is as:

$$N_2 : KK (\sigma 2s)^2, (\sigma^* 2s)^2, (\pi 2p_x)^2, (\pi 2p_y)^2 \approx (\sigma 2p_z)^2$$

 N_2^- ion is formed when N_2 accept an electron hence, it has 15 electrons. The molecular orbital electronic configuration of the molecule is as ;

$$N_2^-: KK (\sigma 2s)^2, (\sigma^* 2s)^2 \approx (\pi 2p_x)^2, (\pi 2p_y)^2, (\sigma 2p_z)^2, (\pi^* 2p_x)^1$$

Hence, this electron goes to antibonding π molecular orbital

- **4.** (c) $\pi^2 2p_v$ has two nodal planes.
- 5. (c) No. of electrons in $CO^+ = 13$ $CO^+ = KK'(\sigma 2s)^2 (\sigma^* 2s)^2 (\pi 2p_x)^2 (\pi 2p_y)^2 (\sigma 2p_z)^1$

This is the expected MO electronic configuration of CO^+ .

But in case of CO and $CO^+, (\sigma^*2s)$ MO is higher in energy than $(\pi 2p_x), (\pi 2p_y)$ and $(\sigma 2p_z)$. So the actual configuration are :

$$CO = KK'(\sigma 2s)^{2}(\pi 2p_{x})^{2}(\pi 2p_{y})^{2}(\sigma 2p_{z})^{2}(\sigma^{*}2s)^{2}$$

$$CO^{+} = KK'(\sigma 2s)^{2}(\pi 2p_{x})^{2}(\pi 2p_{y})^{2}(\sigma 2p_{z})^{2}(\sigma^{*}2s)^{1}$$

$$N_{b} = 8, \quad N_{a} = 1$$

$$B.O. = \frac{1}{2}(N_{b} - N_{a})$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}(8 - 1)$$

$$= 3.5.$$

6. (c) $H_2^+ = (\sigma 1s)^1$

Bond order =
$$\frac{1}{2}(1-0) = 1/2$$

$$H_2^- = (\sigma 1s)^2 (\sigma^* 1s)^1$$

Bond order =
$$\frac{1}{2}(2-1) = 1/2$$

Both H_2^+ and H_2^- have bond order of 1/2, but H_2^- has an electron in anti-bonding orbital so it is high in energy and less stable than H_2^+ .

- 7. (b) Higher the bond order, higher is the bond dissociation energy and shorter is the bond length.
- 8. (b) Substances which are weakly repelled by external magnetic field are called diamagnetic substances, e.g. H_2O .
- 9. (a) The correct increasing order of energies of molecular orbitals of N_2 is given below.

$$\sigma 1s < \sigma^* 1s < \sigma 2s < \sigma^* 2s < (\pi 2p_x \approx \pi 2p_y) < \sigma 2p_z$$

 $< (\pi^* 2p_x \simeq \pi^* 2p_y) < \sigma^* 2p_z.$

- 10. (d) Existence of molecule, bonding nature and energy order of molecular orbitals can be explained on the basis of molecular orbital theory as follows
 - Molecules having zero bond order never exists while molecular having non-zero bond order is either exists or expected to exist.
 - (ii) Higher the value of bond order, higher will be its bond strength.

Electrons present in bonding molecular orbital are known as bonding electrons (N_b) and electrons present on antibonding molecular orbital are known as anti-bonding electrons (N_a) and half of their difference is known as bond order *i.e.*,

(a) $Be_2(4+4=8) = \sigma 1s^2, \sigma^* 1s^2, \sigma 2s^2, \sigma^* 2s^2$

B.O. =
$$\frac{1}{2}$$
 [Number of bonding electrons (N_b) –

Number of anti-bonding electrons (N_a)] = $\frac{4-4}{2}$ = 0

Here, bond order of Be₂ is zero. Thus, it does not exist.

(b)
$$He_2(2+2=4) = \sigma 1s^2, \sigma 1s^2$$

$$B.O. = \frac{2-2}{2} = 0$$

Here, bond order of He_2 is zero. Hence, it does not exist

$$He_2^+ (2+2-1=3) = \sigma 1s^2, \sigma^* 1s^1$$

$$B.O. = \frac{2-1}{2} = 0.5$$

Since, the bond order is not zero, this molecules is expected to exist.

(c)
$$N_2$$
 $(7+7=14) = \sigma 1s^2, \sigma^* 1s^2, \sigma 2s^2, \sigma^* 2s^2, \pi 2p_x^2$

$$\approx \pi 2p_y^2, \sigma 2p_z^2$$
B.O. = $\frac{10-4}{2} = 3$

Thus, dinitrogen (N_2) molecule contain triple bond and no any molecule of second period have more than double bond. Hence, bond strength of N_2 is maximum amongst the homonuclear diatomic molecules belonging to the second period.

(d) It is incorrect. The correct order of energies of molecular orbitals in N_2 molecule is

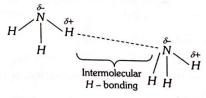
$$\sigma 2s < \sigma^* 2s < (\pi 2p_x \simeq \pi 2p_y)$$

$$< \sigma 2p_z < \pi^* 2p_x \approx \pi^* 2p_y < \sigma^* 2p_z.$$

- **12.** (c) (a) O_2 , B.O = 2
 - (b) F_2 , B.O = 1
 - (c) O_2^+ , B.O = 2.5
 - (d) F_2^- , B.O = 0.5.

11. Hydrogen Bonding

1. (c) It contains intermolecular hydrogen bonding.



- (a) A compound having maximum electronegative element will form strong Hydrogen bond.
- (b) In ice cube all molecules are held by inter molecular hydrogen bond.
- **4.** (b) Due to greater resonance stabilization.

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(c) OH Intramolecular hydrogen bonding OH

o-nitrophenol

Due to chelation, -OH group is not available to form hydrogen bond with water, hence it is sparingly soluble in water.

- (b) Ethyl alcohol shows inter-molecular hydrogen bonding in its solution because of positive charged hydrogen.
- 7. (b) Strength of H-bond is in the order H....F > H....O > H....N.

But each H_2O molecule is linked to four other H_2O molecules through H – bonds whereas each HF molecule is linked only to two other HF molecules.

Hence, b.p of $H_2O > b.p$ of HF > b.p. of NH_3 .

8. (b) Benzene is a non-polar solvent (very low di-electric constant), unlike water which is a polar solvent (high di-electric constant). Due to non-polar nature of benzene it does not interfere the inter-molecular hydrogen bonding in acetic acid (unlike solvent like water).

Dimer of acetic acid

9. (b) HF > HI > HBr > HCl

HF is hydrogen bonded, thus has highest boiling point, and it is liquid at or below 19°C. The remaining hydrogen halides are gaseous and their boiling points depend on the vander Waal's forces. Larger the size (or molecular mass), greater is the vander Waals forces, hence higher is the boiling point. Thus the order is

HI > HBr > HCI and overall HF > HI > HBr > HCI.

10. (b) There is no acidic proton in diethyl ether, hence it does not exhibit strong hydrogen bonding.

12. Types of Bonding and Forces in Solid

- 1. (d) Dry ice or solid CO_2 has covalent forces as intramolecular forces and Vander Waal's forces as intermolecular forces.
- 2. (d) Mercury has very weak interatomic forces so it remains in liquid state.
- **3.** (c) In Xe-molecule, the type of bonding which exist is van der Waal's forces.
- (b) Solid neon possess only dispersion forces so it has weakest bond.
- (d) Blue vitriol is CuSO₄.5H₂O and it has all types of bonds.
- (c) London dispersion forces operate only over very short distance. The energy of interaction varies as

(distance between two interacting particles)⁶

Large or more complex are the molecules, greater is the magnitude of London forces. This is obviously due to the

fact that the large electron clouds are easily distorted or polarised.

Hence, greater the polarisability of the interacting particles, greater is the magnitude of the interaction energy.

- (d) Due to weak Vander Waal's forces of attraction between the molecules, the molecules of CO₂ in dry ice can be called as discrete molecules.
- (a) Down the same group lattice energy decreases due to increasing size of cation.
- 9. (b) Br₂ is a non polar molecule. So the predominante force is Vander Waal's force in determining the melting and boiling point.

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- (d) The value of lattice energy depends on the charges present on the two ions and distance between them. It shall be high if charges are high and ionic radii are small.
- (b) Mo!ten sodium chloride conducts electricity due to the presence of free ions.

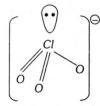
3. (a)
$$I_3^- = \begin{bmatrix} \vdots \\ \vdots \\ \vdots \\ \vdots \end{bmatrix}$$

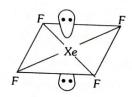
Total number of lone pair of electron = 9.

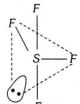
- 4. (a) KCl is ionic compound.
- **5.** (c) Structure of KCN is $[K^+(C^- \equiv N)]$.
- 6. (c) Covalent character in ionic compounds is governed by Fazan's Rule. AICI₃ will show Maximum covalent character on account of higher polarising power of AI³⁺ because of its having higher positive charge and smaller size.
- 7. (a) Structure of N_2O_5 .

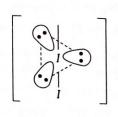
9. (c) $[NF_3 \text{ and } H_3O^+]$ are pyramidal while $[NO_3^- \text{ and } BF_3]$ are planar. Hence answer (c) is correct.

10. (d)









11. (c) As electronegativity of central atom decreases, bond angle decreases.

(Hybridisation and number of lone pair on cental atom are same in all options)

12. (d)







dsp² hybridization sp³d hybridization (Four 90° angles and bond pair)

(Six 90° angle between bond pair between bond pair between bond pair and bond pair)

sp3d2 hybridization (Twelve 90° angle and bond pair)

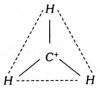
- 13. (c) CO₂ has sp hybridization and is linear.
- 14. (b) sp-hybridization gives two orbitals at 180° with Linear structure.
- 15. (a) In PCl_3 molecule, phosphorous is sp^3 hybridised but due to presence of lone pair of electron, it has pyramidal shape



16. (c) CH_3^+

$$H = \frac{1}{2}(4+3-1+0) = 3$$

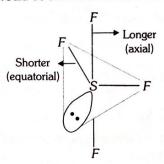
 \Rightarrow sp² hybridization



Trick: N.P and Sb are in the same group which are connected to 3 hydrogen atoms in option (a), (b) and (d) so either of them cannot be an answer.

- 17. (b) Hybridization of N in NH_3 is sp^3 that of Pt in $[PtCl_4]^{2-}$ is dsp^2 that P in PCl_5 is sp^3d and that of B in BCl_3 is sp^2 .
- **18.** (b) IF_7 molecule show sp^3d^3 hybridization.
- 19. (c) PF₅ trigonal bipyramidal BrF₅ square pyramidal (distorted).

- **20.** (d) $CH_2 = CH CH_2 CH_2 C \equiv CH$. $sp^2 \qquad sp^3$ hybridised
- **21.** (a) The hybridization of sulphur in SF_4 is sp³d. Equatorial bonds would be shorter than the axial one.



22. (d) An s-orbital being spherical is more close to the nucleus thus more electronegative. So more the s-character more the electronegativity.

23. (c)
$$H_3C - C^* - O - H$$

All bonds are single covalent bonds so C^* is sp^3 hybridized.

- 24. (d)
- (a) NO₂

$$H = \frac{1}{2}(V + M - C + A)$$

$$H = \frac{1}{2}(5 + 0 - 0 + 1) = 3$$

 \Rightarrow sp² hybridization with 1 lone pair and bent shape.

(b) NO_3^-

$$H = \frac{1}{2}(5+0-0+1) = 3$$

 \Rightarrow sp^2 hybridization and trigonal planar structure.

(c) NO₂

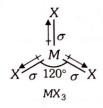
Nitrogen show special type of where sp2 - hybridized and bent shape.



(d) NO_2^+

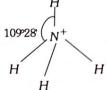
$$H = \frac{1}{2}(5+0-1+0) = 2$$

- ⇒ sp hybridization.
- **25.** (d) In sp^2 hybridization with no lone pair of electrons, the geometry of the molecule MX3 will be trigonal planar. So the dipole moment will cancel each other. The net dipole moment will be zero.



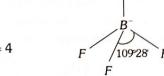
26. (a) NH_4^+ :

$$H = \frac{1}{2}(5+4-1+0) = 4$$



- \Rightarrow sp^3 hybridization with no
 - lone pair and tetrahedral geometry. Bond angles are 109°28'

BF₄ :



- $H = \frac{1}{2}(3+4-0+1) = 4$
- ⇒ sp³ hybridization with no lone pair and tetrahedral geometry. Bond angles are 109°28'.
- **27.** (a) In H_2CO_3 and BF_3 central atom are in sp^2 hybridization but in H_2CO_3 due to the ionic character of O-H bond it will be polar (High electronegativity of oxygen).
- 28. (a) The correct order of bond angle (Smallest first) is

$$H_2S < NH_3 < SiH_4 < BF_3$$

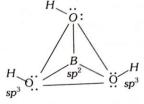




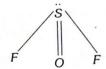




29. (b)

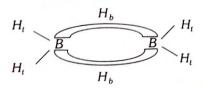


30. (d)



Pyramidal shape

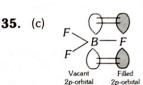
- **31.** (a) Chlorine atom in ClO_2^- is sp^3 hybridised but its shape is angular.
- **32.** (b) For square planar geometry hybridization is dsp^2 involving s, p_x , p_y and $d_{x^2-v^2}$ orbital.
- (a) The diborane molecule has two types of B H bond:
 (i) B H_t It is a normal covalent bond.
 - (ii) $B H_b$ It is a three centred bond.

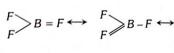


34. (b)



 1σ and 2π

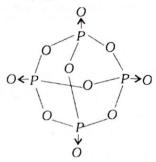




$$F > B - F \equiv F > B - B$$

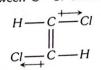
Decrease in B-F bond length which results in the higher bond dissociation energy of B-F in BF_3 is due to delocalised $p\pi-p\pi$ bonding between filled p-orbital of F-atom and vacant p-orbital of B atom.

36. (d) Structure of P_4O_{10} is



Each phosphorus is attached to 4 oxygen atoms.

- **37.** (b) *CCl*₄ has no net dipole moment because of its regular tetrahedral structure.
- **38.** (a) H_2S has angular geometry and have some value of dipole moment.
- **39.** (d) Trans -1, 2- dichloroethene will have a net zero dipole moment because of the cancellation of two dipole moments between C-Cl bonds.



trans -1, 2- dichloroethene

40. (b) Ion–dipole interaction $\propto \frac{1}{r^3}$

- **41.** (b) The correct order of increasing dipole moment is *p*-dichlorobenzene < Toluene < *m*-dichlorobenzene < *o*-dichlorobenzene.
- 42. (b) Structure of sulphanilic acid is

$$H_2N$$
 O
 $S \rightarrow O$
 OH

Due to bipolar structure its melting point is high and it is insoluble in organic solvents (like dissolves like).

- **43.** (a) CH_3CI have one CI atom which is more electronegative so it will have highest dipole moment.
- 44. (c) Higher the charge/size ratio, more is the polarizing power.
- **45.** (d) Due to high electronegativity of oxygen, it has partial negative charge.
- **46.** (c) Bond order = $\frac{1+2}{2}$ = 1.5.

$$\bigcirc \longleftrightarrow \bigcirc$$

Resonance in C_6H_6

47. (b)
$$H_2C = N = N$$

 $H_2C - N = \bar{N}$

octet complete

octet incomplete

-ve charge on nitrogen

-ve charge on nitrogen

$$H_2C - N \equiv N$$

$$H_2C-N=N$$

(111)

(IV)

octet complete

octet incomplete

-ve charge on carbon

-ve charge on carbon.

- **48.** (c) Helium molecule does not exist as bond order of $H\hat{e}_2 = 0$.
- **49.** (c) Configuration of O_2 molecule is $[\sigma(1s)^2 \sigma^*(1s)^2 \sigma(2s)^2 \sigma^*(2s)^2 \pi(2p_x)^2 \pi(2p_y)^2$

$$\sigma(2p_x)^2\pi^*(2p_x)^1\pi^*(2p_y)^1$$

No. of pair are 7 so total no. of paired electrons are 14.

50. (b)
$$O_2$$
: $\sigma 1s^2$, $\sigma^* 1s^2$, $\sigma 2s^2$, $\sigma^* 2s^2$, $\sigma^* 2p_x^2 \begin{cases} \pi^2 2p_y^2 \\ \pi^2 2p_z^2 \end{cases} \begin{cases} \pi^* 2p_y^2 \\ \pi^* 2p_z^2 \end{cases}$

Bond order =
$$\frac{10-6}{2}$$
 = 2.0

(Two unpaired electrons in antibonding molecular orbital)

$$O_2^+: \sigma 1s^2, \sigma^* 1s^2, \sigma 2s^2, \sigma^* 2s^2, \sigma 2p_x^2 \begin{cases} \pi 2py^2 \\ \pi 2pz^2 \end{cases} \begin{cases} \pi^* 2py^1 \\ \pi 2pz^0 \end{cases}$$

Bond order =
$$\frac{10-5}{2}$$
 = 2.5

(One unpaired electron in antibonding molecular orbital so it is paramagnetic).

- **51.** (b) In $C_2 C_2^+$ electron is removed from bonding molecular orbital so bond order decreases. In $NO \longrightarrow NO^+$, electron is removed from anti bonding molecular orbital so bond order increases and nature changes from paramagnetic to diamagnetic.
- **52.** (a) $CO: \sigma_{1s}^2 \sigma_{1s}^{*2} \sigma_{2s}^2 \sigma_{2s}^{*2} \begin{cases} \pi_{2p_y}^2 \sigma_{2p_x}^2 \\ \pi_{2p_z}^2 \end{cases}$;

Bond order =
$$\frac{10-4}{2}$$
 = 3

$$NO^+: \sigma_{1s}^2 \dot{\sigma_{1s}^*} \sigma_{2s}^2 \sigma_{2s}^* \sigma_{2s}^2 \sigma_{2p_x}^2 \begin{cases} \pi_{2p_y}^2 \\ \pi_{2p_z}^2 \end{cases};$$

Bond order =
$$\frac{10-4}{2}$$
 = 3

$$CN^{-}: \sigma_{1s}^{2}\sigma_{1s}^{*2}\sigma_{2s}^{2}\sigma_{2s}^{*2} \begin{cases} \pi_{2p_{y}}^{2} \\ \pi_{2p_{z}}^{2} \end{cases};$$

Bond order =
$$\frac{10-4}{2}$$
 = 3

$$N_2:\sigma_{1s}^2\sigma_{1s}^{*2}\sigma_{2s}^2\sigma_{2s}^{*2}\begin{cases}\pi_{2p_y}^2\sigma_{2p_x}^2\\\pi_{2p_z}^2\end{cases};$$

Bond order =
$$\frac{10-4}{2}$$
 = 3

$$NO^{-}: \sigma_{1s}^{2} \, \sigma_{1s}^{*2} \sigma_{2s}^{2} \sigma_{2s}^{*2} \sigma_{2p_{x}}^{2} \begin{cases} \pi_{2p_{y}}^{2} \\ \pi_{2p_{x}}^{2} \end{cases} \begin{cases} \pi_{2p_{y}}^{*1} \\ \pi_{2p_{x}}^{*1} \end{cases} ;$$

Bond order =
$$\frac{10-6}{2}$$
 = 2.

- 53. (b) Higher the bond order, shorter will be the bond length, thus NO⁺ having the higher bond order that is 3 as compared to NO having bond order 2 so NO⁺ has shorter bond length.
- **54.** (a) B_2 (total number of electrons = 10)

$$\sigma 1s^2 \sigma^* 1s^2 \sigma 2s^2 \sigma^* 2s^2 \pi 2p_x^2 = \pi 2p_y^0 \sigma 2p_z^0$$

So, bond order $=\frac{6-4}{2}=1$ and molecule will be dimagnetic.

55. (b) $Li_2 \ \sigma 1s^2 \ \sigma^* 1s^2 \ \sigma 2s^2$ Bond order = 1

$$Li_2^+$$
 $\sigma 1s^2$ $\sigma^* 1s^2$ $\sigma 2s^1$

Bond order = 0.5

$$Li_{2}^{-} \sigma 1s^{2} \sigma^{*}1s^{2} \sigma 2s^{2} \sigma^{*}2s^{1}$$

Bond order = 0.5

Stability order $Li_2 > Li_2^+ > Li_2^-$

56. (b)

(P = Paramagnetic, D = Diamagnetic).

57. (d)
$$O_2 = (\sigma 1s)^2 (\sigma^* 1s)^2 (\sigma 2s)^2 (\sigma^* 2s)^2 (\sigma 2p_z)^2 (\pi 2p_x)^2 (\pi 2p_y)^2 \underbrace{(\pi^* 2p_x)^1 (\pi^* 2p_y)^1}_{\text{unpaired electrons}}$$
.

58. (a) Molecular electronic configuration for given species are $O_2 = \sigma 1s^2 \ \sigma^* 1s^2 \ \sigma 2s^2 \ \sigma^* 2s^2 \ \sigma 2p_x^2 \ \pi 2p_y^2$ $\pi 2p_x^2 \ \pi^* 2p_y^1 \ \pi^* 2p_x^1 \ (\text{two unpaired electrons})$

$$O_2^{2-} = \sigma 1s^2 \ \sigma * 1s^2 \ \sigma 2s^2 \ \sigma * 2s^2 \ \sigma 2p_x^2$$

$$\pi 2p_y^2 \pi 2p_z^2 \pi * 2p_y^2 \pi * 2p_z^2$$
 (no unpaired electrons)

$$N_2^+ = \sigma 1 s^2 \ \sigma * 1 s^2 \ \sigma 2 s^2 \ \sigma * 2 s^2 \ \pi 2 p_y^2 \ \pi 2 p_z^2 \ \sigma 2 p_x^1$$

(one unpaired electron)

$$B_2 = \sigma 1s^2 \ \sigma * 1s^2 \ \sigma 2s^2 \ \sigma * 2s^2 \ \pi 2p_y^1 \ \pi 2p_z^1$$

(two unpaired electrons

- 59. (a) NO is paramagnetic in gaseous state.
- **60.** (d) KO_2 carries superoxide ion, O_2^- whose molecular orbital electronic configuration is $\sigma_{1s}^2 \sigma_{1s}^{*2} \sigma_{2s}^2 \sigma_{2s}^{*2} \sigma_{2p_y}^2 \pi_{2p_y}^2 \pi_{2p_z}^2 \pi_{2p_y}^{*2} \pi_{2p_z}^{*2} \pi_{2p_z}^{*1}$

Thus it has one unpaired electron and hence paramagnetic in nature with magnetic moment = $\sqrt{(2.3)}$ $\sqrt{1(1.3)}$ 1.73 R.M.

 $\sqrt{n(n+2)} = \sqrt{1(1+2)} = 1.73$ B.M.

61. (ab)

(a)
$$C_2 = KK'(\sigma 2s)^2(\sigma^* 2s)^2(\pi 2p_x)^2(\pi 2p_y)^2$$

Hence Diamagnetic

- (b) $N_2 = KK'(\sigma 2s)^2 (\sigma^* 2s)^2 (\pi 2p_x)^2 (\pi 2p_y)^2 (\sigma 2p_z)^2$ Hence, Diamagnetic
- (c) $O_2 = KK'(\sigma 2s)^2 (\sigma^* 2s)^2 (\sigma 2p_z)^2 (\pi 2p_x)^2 (\pi 2p_y)^2 (\pi^* 2p_y)^1 (\pi^* 2p_y)^1$

Hence, Paramagnetic

(d) $_{16}S = 1s^2, 2s^22p^6, 3s^23p^4$ S_2 molecule has MO configuration similar to O_2 molecule as : $S_2 = KK'LL'(\sigma 3s)^2(\sigma^*3s)^2(\sigma 3p_z)^2(\pi 3p_x)^2(\pi 3p_y)^2$

$$S_2 = KK' LL' (\sigma 3s)^2 (\sigma^* 3s)^2 (\sigma 3p_z)^2 (\pi 3p_x)^2 (\pi 3p_y)^2$$
$$(\pi^* 3p_x)^1 (\pi^* 3p_y)^1.$$

Hence, Paramagnetic.

62. (b)
$$C_2H_2 < C_2H_4 < C_6H_6 < C_2H_6$$

1.20 \mathring{A} 1.34 \mathring{A} 1.39 \mathring{A} 1.54 \mathring{A}

- **63.** (d) B.O. in CO i.e., $: \stackrel{-}{C} = \stackrel{+}{O} :$ is 3, that of O = C = O is 2 while that of CO_3^{2-} ion is 1.33. Since the bond length increases as the bond order decreases i.e. $CO < CO_2 < CO_3^{2-}$. Thus option (d) is correct.
- 64. (a) Due to synergic bond formation between metal and CO, the bond order of CO decreases.
- **65.** (b) $N_2 = KK'(\sigma 2s)^2(\sigma^* 2s)^2(\pi 2p_x)^2(\pi 2p_y)^2(\sigma 2p_z)^2$ $N_b = 8 \quad , \quad N_a = 2$

For
$$N_2^+ : N_b = 7$$
 , $N_a = 2$

So when N_2 goes to N_2^+ : Bond order decreases or bond length increases.

$$O_2 = KK'(\sigma 2s)^2(\sigma^* 2s)^2(\sigma 2p_z)^2(\pi 2p_x)^2(\pi 2p_y)^2$$

$$(\pi^* 2p_x)^1 (\pi^* 2p_y)^1$$

$$N_b = 8$$
 , $N_a = 4$

For
$$O_2^+$$
: $N_b = 8$, $N_a = 3$

So when O_2 goes to O_2^+ : Bond order increases or bond length decreases.

66. (a) CO

No of electron in CO = 6 + 8 = 14

(a)
$$CO \rightarrow \sigma 1S^2, \sigma^* 1S^2, \sigma 2S^2, \sigma^* 2S^2,$$

$$\left[\pi 2P_x^2 = \pi 2P_y^2\right]\sigma 2P_z^2$$

All electrons are paired so diamagnetic

(b)
$$O_2 \to \sigma 1S^2, \sigma^* 1S^2, \sigma 2S^2, \sigma^* 2S^2, \sigma 2P_z^2$$

 $\left[\pi 2P_x^2 = \pi 2P_y^2\right], \left[\pi^* 2P_x^1 = \pi^* 2P_y^1\right]$

Unpaired electron = 2 (Paramagnetic)

(c)
$$B_2 \rightarrow \sigma 1S^2, \sigma^* 1S^2, \sigma 2S^2, \sigma^* 2S^2 \left[\pi 2P_x^1 = \pi 2P_y^1\right]$$
(Paramagnetic)

(d)
$$NO \to \sigma 1S^2, \sigma^* 1S^2, \sigma 2S^2, \sigma^* 2S^2, \sigma 2P_z^2$$

$$\left[\pi 2P_x^2 = \pi 2P_y^2\right], \left[\pi^* 2P_x^1 = \pi^* 2P_y^0\right]$$

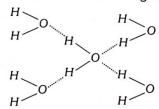
(Paramagnetic)

67. (b) H_2^{2-} have bond order zero : do not exist

$$H_2^{2-} \to \sigma 1s^2, \sigma^* 1s^2, B.O. = \frac{2-2}{2} = 0$$
.

electronegativity
$$\propto \frac{1}{\text{atomic size}}$$

- **70.** (d) Because of low electronegativity of *Cl* atom, it does not form hydrogen bonding.
- 71. (d) Each H₂O molecule can participate in 4 hydrogen bonds or 5 molecules are attached together.



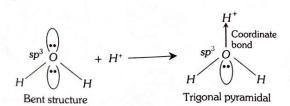
72. (a) Due to high electronegative O atom in ethanol, hydrogen bonding is maximum. Diethyl ether, ethyl chloride and triethyl amine does not have an H atom which is bonded to high electronegative element.

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- (b) A metal with low ionization potential will loose electrons easily and a non-metal with high electron affinity can gain electrons easily. So these atoms can form an ionic bond.
- (d) C-F bond has the most polar character due to difference of their electronegativity.
- **3.** (c) $BeCl_2$ has covalent bonds, so maximum covalent characters will be shown by $BeCl_2$.

LiCl and NaCl has ionic bonds. The polarizing power of Li^+ is more than Na^+ due to small size of Li^+ .

- **4.** (d) Bond dissociation energy decreases with increase in size. So *D* is smallest.
- **5**. (a)



- (a) H₂S does not have a linear. It is a bent shape and sp³ hybridisation.
- **7.** (a) BCl_3 has no lone pair of electrons but NCl_3 has a lone pair of electrons and both have different hybridization.

8. (d) $O = \stackrel{+}{N} = O$ (1) $O = \stackrel{+}{N} = O$ (2) $O = \stackrel{+}{N} = O$ (3) $O = \stackrel{+}{N} = O$ (1) $O = \stackrel{+}{N} = O$ (2) $O = \stackrel{+}{N} = O$ (3) $O = \stackrel{+}{N} = O$ (4) $O = \stackrel{+}{N} = O$ (5) $O = \stackrel{+}{N} = O$ (7) $O = \stackrel{+}{N} = O$ (9) $O = \stackrel{+}{N} = O$ (1) $O = \stackrel{+}{N} = O$ (2) $O = \stackrel{+}{N} = O$ (3) $O = \stackrel{+}{N} = O$ (4) $O = \stackrel{+}{N} = O$ (5) $O = \stackrel{+}{N} = O$ (7) $O = \stackrel{+}{N} = O$ (8) $O = \stackrel{+}{N} = O$ (1) $O = \stackrel{+}{N} = O$ (2) $O = \stackrel{+}{N} = O$ (2) $O = \stackrel{+}{N} = O$ (3) $O = \stackrel{+}{N} = O$ (4) $O = \stackrel{+}{N} = O$ (5) $O = \stackrel{+}{N} = O$ (7) $O = \stackrel{+}{N} = O$ (8) $O = \stackrel{+}{N} = O$ (8) O = O (8) O

- **9.** (c) SiF_4 has symmetrical tetrahedral shape which is due to sp^3 hybridization of the central sulphur atom in its excited state configuration. SF_4 has distorted tetrahedral or Sea- Saw geometry which arise due to sp^3d hybridization of central sulphur atom and due to the presence of lone pair of electron in one of the equatorial hybrid orbital.
- 10. (bc)

(b) In SO_3^{2-} , CIO_3^- No. of electrons = 42 Shape: Pyramidal

(c) In CO_3^{2-} , NO_3^- No. of electrons = 32 Shape: Trigonal planar

11. (b)

Triethyl amine

$$H$$
 $C sp^3$
 H
 H

Tetrahedral | $H - C - H = 109^{\circ}28'$



Trigonal pyramidal $|H-N-H| = 107^{\circ}$



Bent shape $| H - O - H = 104^{\circ}28'$

In all the three cases, central atom is sp^3 hybridized but due to lone pair of electrons (lp-lp and lp-bp repulsions) bond angle is less in NH_3 and H_2O than regular tetrahedron structure.

12. (a) According to VSEPR theory the repulsion forces between electrons follow this decreasing order: lp - lp > lp - bp > bp - bp.

13. (a) AB_5 molecule can take the structure of trigonal bipyramidal or square pyramidal.

14. (d) BrO_3^-

Electron pair over the central atom = $3 + \frac{1}{2}[7 - 6 + 1] \Rightarrow 4$

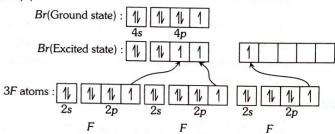
No. of atom bonded to the central atom = 3Geometry will be pyramidal.

 XeO_3

Electron pair =
$$3 + \frac{1}{2}[8 - 6] \Rightarrow 4$$

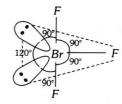
No. of atom bonded to the central atom = 3Geometry will be pyramidal.

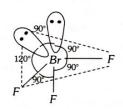
15. (b)



 $3(sp^3d - p)\sigma$ bonds and 2 lone pairs

⇒ T – shape molecule.





Lone pairs in equatorial position Repulsions at 90°

$$lp - lp = 0$$

$$lp - lp = 1$$

$$lp - bp = 4$$

$$lp - bp = 3$$

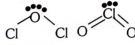
$$bp - bp = 2$$

$$bp - bp = 2$$

So lone pairs occupy equatorial positions to minimize lp - lp repulsions only.

16. (a) As the number of lone pairs of electrons increases, bond angle decreases due to repulsion between lp-lp. Moreover, as the electronegativity of central atom decreases, bond angle decreases. Hence, the order of bond angle is





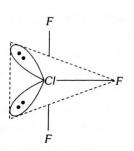
(two lone pairs) (two lone pairs) (one lone pair)

(Cl is less electronegative as compared to O.)

17. (b)

Column I		Column II		
(A)	XX' (e.g. CIF)	(iii)	Linear	
(B)	XX_3 ' (e.g. CIF_3)	(i)	T-shape	_
(C)	XX_5 ' (e.g. IF_5)	(iv)	Square-pyramidal	
(D)	XX_7 ' (e.g. IF_7)	(ii)	Pentagonal bipyramidal	

18. (b)



Lone pairs $\Rightarrow 2$ Bond pairs $\Rightarrow 3$.

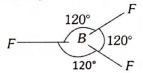
19. (d) In BF₃

$$H = \frac{1}{2}(V + M - C + A)$$

$$H = \frac{1}{2}(3 + 3 - 0 + 0) = 3 \implies sp^{2}\text{hybridization.}$$
In NO.

$$H = \frac{1}{2}(5 + 0 - 0 + 1) = 3 \implies sp^2$$
 hybridization.

- 20. (d) By VSEPR theory
- 21. (d)



No. of atom bonded to the central atom = 3In case of 3, geometry is Trigonal planar.

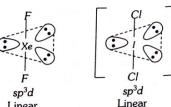
- 22. (b) In BCl₃, boron is sp² hybridized.
- **23.** (b) $NO_2^{(-)}$ and $NO_3^{(-)}$ both have same hybridization.
- **24.** (d) In $SbCl_5^{2-}$, Sb is sp^3d^2 hybridised, and rest have sp^3d .
- **25.** (b) $SF_4 = sp^3d$.
- **26.** (a) $NO_3^{\Theta} = sp^2$ $H_2O^+ = sp^3$.
- **27.** (d) BF_4^- hybridization sp^3 , tetrahedral structure.

 NH_4^+ hybridization sp^3 , tetrahedral structure.

28. (a) Due to sp³ hybridization, it is tetrahedral.



- (b) Applying VSEPR theory, both NF_3 and H_2O are sp^3 hybridized.
- **30**. (c)



Hybridization ⇒ Linear Shape ⇒

Geometry ⇒ Trigonal bipyramidal Trigonal bipyramidal

31. (d)



N is sp^2 hybrid and no lone pair.

32. (a)



Geometry \rightarrow Square planar hybridization \rightarrow sp³d²

33. (d) O = N = O



$$\begin{array}{c|c}
H \\
 & \\
N^+ \\
H \\
H \\
sp^3
\end{array}$$

- **34.** (c) Due to lp lp repulsions, bond angle in H_2O is lower (104.5°) than that in NH_3 (107°) and $CH_4(109^{\circ}28')$. BeF2 on the other hand, has sp-hybridization and hence has a bond angle of 180°.
- 35. (c) Compound is carbontetrachloride because CC14 has sp3 -hybridization 4 orbitals giving regular tetrahedron geometry. In others the geometry is little distorted inspite of sp3 hybridization due to different atoms on the vertices of tetrahedron.
- **36.** (c) In compound ${}^{3}H_{2} = {}^{2} = {}^{1}H_{2}$ the second carbon is sphubridised.

37. (d) XeF₄:

$$H = \frac{1}{2}(8+4-0+0) = 6$$



 \Rightarrow sp³d² hybridization and square planar with 2 lone pairs.

XeO₄:

$$H = \frac{1}{2}(8+0-0+0) = 4$$



 \Rightarrow sp³ hybridization and tetrahedral.

 $\mathbf{Trick}: \text{In } XeF_4 \text{ and } XeO_4$, central atom is same but due to different type of hybridizations, these will have different structures.

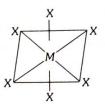
- **38.** (c) $H_3C CH_{sp^2} = CH_{sp} = CH_2$.
- 39. (d) Hybridization on silicon atom

$$H = \frac{1}{2}(V + M - C + A)$$

$$H = \frac{1}{2}(4 + 4 - 0 + 0) = 4$$

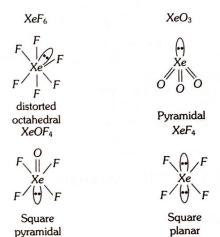
⇒ sp³ hybridization and tetrahedral structure.

40. (c) In octahedral molecule six hybrid orbitals are directed towards the corner of a regular octahedron with a bond angle of 90°.



according to this geometry, the number of X - M - Xbond at 180° must be three.

41. (a)

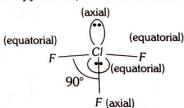


42. (c) CIF2

$$CIF_3$$
 $H = \frac{1}{2}(7 + 3 - 0 + 0) = 5$
 $F \xrightarrow{1.7\text{Å}} CI \xrightarrow{1.7\text{Å}} F$
 1.7Å
 1.7Å
 1.7Å

 \Rightarrow sp³d hybridization with 2 lone pairs and T-shaped bond with one lone pair at equatorial position and other lone pair of electrons at axial positions.

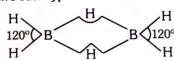
So the correct geometry of T-shaped molecule (actually trigonal bipyramidal) is as drawn in this figure:



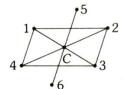
So the bond lengths are different as

 $F - Cl_{axial} > F - Cl_{equitorial}$

43. (c) Each 'B' atom in diborane (B_2H_6) is sp^3 – hybridized of the four hybrid orbitals, three have one electron each, while the fourth is empty. Two orbitals of each B from σ - bonds with two H-atoms, while one of the remaining hybrid orbitals (either filled or empty), 1s orbital of Hatom and one of the hybrid orbitals of other B atom overlap to form three centred two electron bond. So there exists two such type of three centred bond.



- **44.** (d) Carbon is sp^2 hybridized in graphite so the pair of electrons are concentrated above and below the layers (planar structure). These electrons are free to move and contributes to conduction.
- **45.** (c) In an octahedral structure 4 orbitals lie on x-y plane and 2 orbitals are perpendicular to the plane (axis positions). The four orbitals involved in forming planar structure are $s, p_x, p_y, d_{x^2-y^2}$. Two more perpendicular orbitals will be formed in 2-direction by mixing of p_z and d_z orbitals.



46. (b)
$$CH_2 = CH - C = CH$$

 $sp^2 sp^2 sp sp$

47. (c)
$$H \xrightarrow{\sigma} | \sigma \sigma | G \Rightarrow 5\sigma \text{ and } 1\pi \text{ bonds.}$$

48. (b)
$${\sigma}_{O}^{O}_{\pi} {\sigma}_{O}^{\sigma}$$
.

49. (c)
$$H^{\sigma}O_{H} = 2\sigma$$
 bonds

 4σ , 4π bonds are present.

51. (d)

52. (c) The structure of CS_2 is similar to CO_2 which has zero dipole moment.

$$s \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} c \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} s$$

- **53.** (b) CH₄ have regular tetrahedron so its dipole moment is
- 54. (b) The overall value of the dipole moment of a polar molecule depends on its geometry and shape i.e., vectorial addition of dipole moment of the constituent bonds water has angular structure with bond angle 105° as it has dipole moment. However BeF₂ is a linear

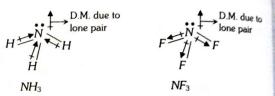
molecule since dipole moment summation of all the bonds present in the molecule cancel each other.

$$\uparrow O F \stackrel{\longleftarrow}{\longleftrightarrow} Be \stackrel{\longrightarrow}{\longleftrightarrow} F$$

55. (c) Due to distorted tetrahedral geometry SF₄ has permanent dipole moment



56. (d)



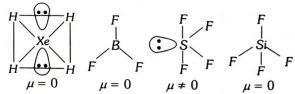
In *NH*₃, the dipole moment due to lone pair is also in the same direction.

In NF₃, the dipole moment due to lone pair is in opposite direction.

57. (d) Dipole - induced dipole interaction occurs between polar & Non-polar molecule.

HClHePolarNon-polar
$$\mu \neq 0$$
 $\mu = 0$

- **58.** (a) CO_2 and CH_4 are non-polar molecules. Dipole moment of NH_3 is greater than NF_3 .
- **59.** (c) Unsymmetrical distribution of e^- cloud leads to the formation of polar molecule.



60. (a) $O_2 \xrightarrow{+1e^-} O_2^-$

Molecular orbital configuration of O_2 $\sigma 1s^2 \sigma * 1s^2 \sigma 2s^2 \sigma * 2s^2 \sigma 2p_z^2 \pi 2p_x^2 = \pi 2p_y^2$ $\pi * 2p_x^1 = \pi * 2p_y^1$

therefore incoming e^- would enter into $\pi * 2p_x$ molecular orbital.

- **61.** (c) Bond order in Be_2 is zero.
- **62.** (b) Bond order $N_2 = 3$ $N_2^- = 2.5$ $N_2^{2-} = 2.0$
- **63.** (d) The electronic configuration of $O_2^ O_2^- \to (\sigma 1s)^2 (\sigma * 1s)^2 (\sigma 2s)^2 (\sigma * 2s)^2 (\sigma 2p_z)^2$ $(\pi 2p_x)^2 (\pi 2p_y)^2 (\pi * 2p_x)^2 (\pi * 2p_y)^1$

Bond order =
$$1/2[N_b - N_a]$$

= $1/2[10-7] = 3/2 = 1.5$.

- **64.** (a) Both O_2^{2-} and B_2 had bond order equal to 1.
- **65.** (b) $He_2^+ = 3e^-$; B.O. = 0.5 $NO = 15e^-$; B.O. = 2.5 $O_2^- = 17e^-$; B.O. = 1.5
 - $C_2^{2-} = 14e^-$; B.O. = 3.
- **66.** (c) In O_2^- and NO both have unpaired electrons in molecular orbitals so they are paramagnetic.
- **67.** (c) Due to unpaired $e^- ClO_2$ is paramagnetic.
- **68.** (d) Correct sequence of B.O. in increasing order is

$$O_2 > O_2^-$$

 $(B.O. = 2) (B.O. = 1.5)$
 $N_2 > N_2^-$
 $(B.O. = 3) (B.O. = 2.5)$

Since B.O. is fractional so cannot be diamagnetic order of bond length is $O_2^- > O_2$.

- **69.** (d) BCl_3 is sp^2 hybridized and central atom does not have any lone pair of electrons, so all bond angles are 120°.
- **70.** (c) Both CN^- and CO have equal number of electrons, So their bond order will be same.
- **71.** (b) $CN^- \Rightarrow$ bond order is 3 $NO \Rightarrow$ bond order is 2.5 $CN^+ \Rightarrow$ bond order is 2 $CN \Rightarrow$ bond order is 2.5

Hence, CN- has higher bond order.

72. (a)
$$CH_3 - \overset{\delta - \delta +}{OH} - \overset{\delta}{0} - CH_3$$
.

H-bonding

73. (d)

- 74. (a) Hydrogen bonding in ice creates a cage like structure of water molecules having vacant spaces in between which reduces the density of ice.
- 75. (a) Cellulose is a polysaccharide with the formula $[C_6H_7O_2(OH)_3]_n$ where the oxygen atom and the hydrogen atom connected to other oxygen atom (in -H group) can form intramolecular hydrogen bond.
- 76. (d) Due to delocalized and mobile electrons present in metallic bond, they are non-directional bonds.

15. AIIMS

- (c) BCI3 is electron deficient compound because it has only 1. '6' electrons after forming bond.
- (c) When sulphur reacts with chlorine in 1:2 ratio, then 2. SCI4 is obtained which on hydrolysis gives sulphurous acid (H2SO3).

$$S + 2Cl_2 \rightarrow SCl_4$$

$$1 \quad 2 \quad (X)$$

$$SCl_4 + 4H_2O \rightarrow S(OH)_4 + 4HCl$$

$$S(OH)_4 \rightarrow H_2SO_3 + H_2O$$

$$S(OH)_4 \rightarrow H_2SO_3 + H_2O$$
sulphurous acid
(Y)

The anion of (Y) is SO_3^{2}



(b) In HCHO, carbon is sp² hybridized 3.

$$H - \bigcup_{sp^2}^{H} = O.$$

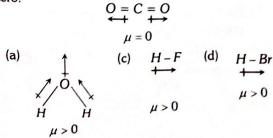
(b) Bond angle increases with change in hybridisation in following order $sp^3 < sp^2 < sp$.

5. (d)
$$H = \frac{1}{2}(V + M - C + A)$$

$$H = \frac{1}{2}(6 + 2 - 0 + 0) = 4$$
H

So it will show sp3 hybridization with 2 lone pairs and bent structure. Bond angle is 104.5°.

- (d) dsp3 hybrid orbitals have bond angles 120°,90°. 6.
- 7. (a) It is shows sp^3d^3 –hybridization. Hence the bond angle is about 72°
- (d) C in CO_3^{2-} and B in BCI_3 are sp^2 hybridised thus acquire planar geometry. Although N in $N(SiH_3)_3$ is sp^3 hybridised but the steric hindrance caused by three bulky groups make it planar for higher stability.
- 9. (b) CO2 is a symmetrical molecule so its dipole moment is zero.



- **10.** (a) The dipole moment of two dipoles inclined at an angle θ is given by the equation $\mu = \sqrt{X^2 + Y^2 + 2XY\cos\theta}$ $\cos 90^\circ = 0$. Since the angle increases from 90 to 180, the value of $\cos\theta$ becomes more and more ve and hence resultant decreases. Thus, dipole moment is maximum when $\theta = 90^\circ$.
- 11. (a)

- **12.** (d) Ammonia molecule is more basic than nitrogen trifluoride and Boron trifluoride.
- **13.** (b) When electronegativity difference is more between two joined atoms then covalent bond becomes polar and electron pair forming a bond don't remain in the centre.
- 14. (b) NH₄Cl has both types of bonds polar and non-polar

$$\begin{bmatrix} H \\ H - N \rightarrow H \\ H \end{bmatrix}^{+} CI^{-}.$$

- 15. (a) We know that greater the difference in electronegativity of two atoms forming a covalent bond. More is its polar nature. In HF there is a much difference in the electronegatives of hydrogen and fluorine. Therefore (HF) is a most polar compound.
- 16. (c) Oxygen is paramagnetic due to the presence of two unpaired electron:

$$\begin{split} O_2 &= \sigma(1s)^2 \sigma^*(1s)^2 \sigma(2s)^2 \sigma^*(2s)^2 \\ &\sigma(2p_x)^2 \pi(2p_y)^2 \pi(2p_x)^2 \pi^*(2p_y)^1 \pi^*(2p_z)^1 \end{split}$$

17. (a) No. of electrons in $S^{2-} = 18$

$$S^{2-} = KK'(\sigma 2s)^2 (\sigma^* 2s)^2 (\sigma 2p_z)^2 (\pi 2p_x)^2 (\pi 2p_y)^2$$
$$(\pi^* 2p_x)^2 (\pi^* 2p_y)^2$$

No. unpaired electrons ⇒ Dimagnetic.

- 18. (c) Nitrogen molecule has highest bond energy due to presence of triple bond.
- (d) Hydrogen bonding increases the boiling point of compound.

$$\begin{array}{c} \stackrel{\delta^+}{H^-} \stackrel{\delta^-}{O} \underbrace{----}_{Strong} \stackrel{\delta^+}{H^-} \stackrel{\delta^-}{O} \, . \\ H \end{array}$$

20. (a)
$$-\delta O - H$$
 $O - H$ $O - H$

Hydrogen bonding in ethanol

Hydrogen is not available to form hydrogen bonding in dimethyl ether.

21. (c)

$$\begin{array}{cccc}
O & H & H & O & H & O \\
N & O & & & & & & & & & \\
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O & & O \leftarrow N = O & & & & & & \\
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p-nitrophenol forms intermolecular hydrogen bond so it has high boiling point and less volatile.

22. (a) Generally, zero group elements are linked by the vander Waals force. Hence these show weakest intermolecular forces.

16. Assertion & Reason

- (a) Solubility in water depends on hydration energy and lattice energy.
- (a) Polarity in covalent bond is developed due to shifting of electrons towards one of the bonded atoms.
- (a) Boron has only 3 valence electrons so it cannot form expected number of covalent bonds to complete its octet.
- (a) Reason is the correct explanation of assertion.
- 5. (c) SiF_4 have sp^3 hybridization & shape of regular tetrahedral where the bond angle of F-Si-F are found 109.5° which is greater than 90° but less than 180° .

F 109.5°

Repulsion sequence are lp - lp > lp - bp > bp - bp so assertion are true but the reason is false.

6. (c) The correct reason is the carbon atom is sp^2 hybridised in ethene and sp hybridised in ethyne.

$$H - \overset{sp^2}{C} = \overset{sp^2}{C} - H \quad H - \overset{sp}{C} = \overset{sp}{C} - H.$$

$$H \quad H$$

- 7. (a) It is correct that during formation of Ice from water there are vacant spaces between hydrogen bonded molecules of Ice. Ice has a cage like structure. Due to this reason Ice is less dense than liquid water. hence both assertion and reason are true and reason is the correct explanation of assertion.
- **8.** (a) *o* and *p* -nitrophenols can be separated by steam distillation because *o* -nitrophenol is steam volatile. Here, both assertion and reason are correct and reason is correct explanation of assertion.
- 9. (d) In B_2 , total number of electrons = 10 $B_2 \to \sigma(1s)^2 \ \sigma^*(1s^2) \ \sigma(2s)^2 \ \sigma^*(2s)^2 \ \sigma(2p_x)^1 \ \pi(2p_y)^1$

Presence of unpaired electron shows the paramagnetic nature.

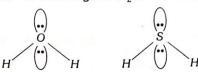
The highest occupied molecular orbital is of π -type.

- **10.** (c) S-atom in S_8 molecule are sp^3 -hybridised and contain two lone pair of electrons on each and exist as staggered eight atom rings.
- 11. (a) MO electronic configuration of F_2 molecule $F_2 = \sigma 1 s^2, \sigma * 1 s^2, \sigma 2 s^2, \sigma * 2 s^2, \sigma 2 p_x^2,$ $\pi 2 p_y^2 \approx \pi 2 p_z^2, \pi * 2 p_y^2 \approx \pi * 2 p_z^2$ Bond order = $\frac{N_b N_a}{2}$

Where, N_b =Number of electrons in bonding molecular orbitals

 N_a = Number of electrons in antibonding molecular orbitals = $\frac{8-6}{2}$ = 1.

12. (c) Assertion : H - O - H bond angle in $H_2O = 104.5^{\circ}$ H - S - H bond angle in $H_2O \approx 90^{\circ} (> 90^{\circ})$

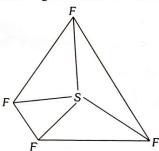


Reason: The lone pairs gets bigger and more diffuse as we go down in a group which means that lp-lp repulsion will decrease rather than increase.

$$(lp-lp)_{H_2\mathcal{O}}>(lp-lp)_{H_2\mathcal{S}}$$

Reduction in bond angle has to do with the bond pair – bond pair repulsion. The O-H bond is more polar because of the high electronegativity of oxygen (than sulphur). This means that a lot of electron density of the bonds is pulled towards the oxygen atom. Thus there is a large bp-bp repulsion. This effect will decrease in H_2S .

13. (c) SF_4 has sp^3 hybridization and shape of regular tetrahedral where the bond angle of F - S - F are found 109.5° which is greater than 90° but less than 180° .



Repulsion sequence is lp - lp > lp - bp > bp - bp so assertion is true but the reason is false.