2020 Fall Semester Mid-term Examination
For General Chemistry I

Date: Oct 21 (Wed), Time Limit: 19:00 ~ 22:00

NOTICE

- If you have a printer, print the papers and write the answers in the space of each question. If not, prepare several A4-size papers to write only question # and the answers on it in the following example. And for clarity, marking your answer is recommended. Please, print your Student ID in the upper right corner of every page for both of them. (***Handwriting only is acceptable*** and typing is not.)

  Example:

Professor Name	Class	Student I.D. Number	Name

  #1. (a)………

  (b)……..

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** This paper consists of 11 sheets with 10 problems (page 10 - 11: Equation, constants & periodic table). Please check all page numbers before taking the exam. Please write down the unit of your answer when applicable. You will get 30% deduction for a value that is missing its unit.

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1. Period, Location, and Procedure

1) Return and Claim Period: Oct **26** ***(Mon 12:00~24:00)***
2) ***Location: Each class of Turnitin site (online)***
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1) Period: Oct **29-30** (***Thu – Fri***)
2) Procedure: During this period, you can check final score of the examination *on the website* again.

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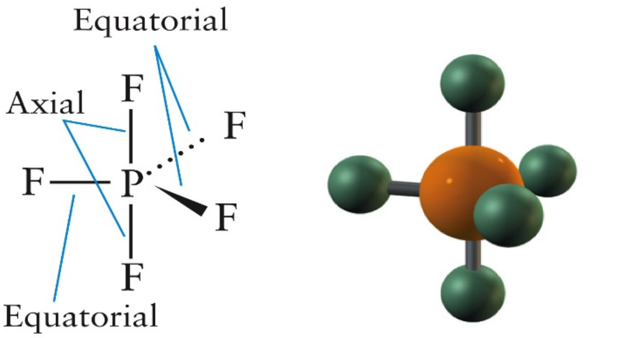
1. (total 10 pts)

For phosphorus pentafluoride, PF_5, answer the following questions.

(a) Draw and name the shape of the molecule. (4 pts)

(Answer)

Steric number = 5



Trigonal bipyramid

Molecular structure *+2 pts*
(If three-dimensional indication is missing, only ***+1 pt*** available)
Name of the structure: Trigonal bipyramid *+2 pts*

(b) Do the equatorial P-F and axial P-F have the same length or different lengths? Explain the reason. (6 pts)

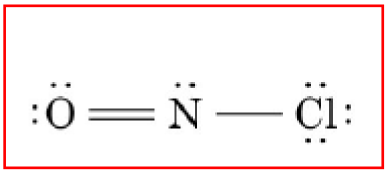
(Answer)

They have different bond lengths. *+2 pts*
(Axial bond length (1.577 Å) > Equatorial bond length (1.534 Å))
Axial Fs experience three 90° repulsions, while equatorial Fs have two 90° repulsions. *+2 pts*
Hence the axial Fs feel higher repulsion and the bond lengths become longer. *+2 pts*

2. (total 10 pts, each 2 pts)

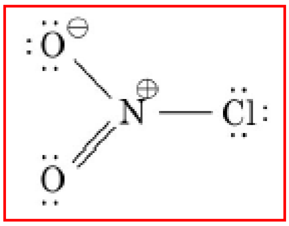
Draw Lewis diagrams and write down the predicted geometries of the following molecules, and write whether they are polar or nonpolar.

(a) ONCl



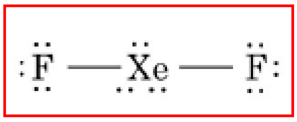
,bent, polar

(b) O_2NCl



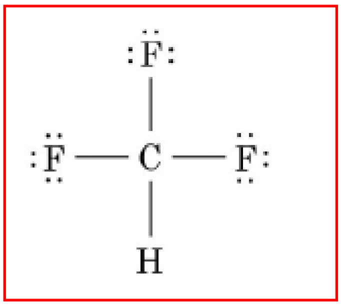
Trigonal Planar, Polar (You should express the formal charge)

(c) XeF_2



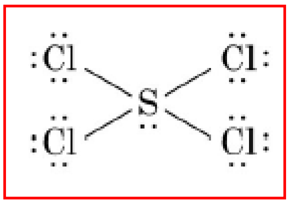
Linear, Non-polar

(d) CHF_3



Tetrahedral, Polar

(e) SCl_4



Seesaw, polar

3. (total 10 pts, each 2.5 pts)

For the given atomic orbital, answer the following questions below

$$R_{nl} = \frac{4}{81\sqrt{6}}\left(\frac{Z}{a_0}\right)^{3/2}(6\sigma - \sigma^2)\exp\left(-\frac{\sigma}{3}\right), \qquad Y_{\text{lm}} = \left(\frac{3}{4\pi}\right)^{1/2}\sin\theta\,\sin\phi$$

(a) From the radial part of the wavefunction, what is the number of radial nodes? Express the number of radial nodes with n and *l*.

(b) From the angular part of the wavefunction, what is the angular nodal plane?

(c) From 1 and 2, find the principle quantum number n and the angular momentum quantum number l.

(d) Using the process of 1–3), find the n and l for the below orbital, and give the name of this orbital.

$$R_{nl} = \frac{4}{81\sqrt{30}}\left(\frac{Z}{a_0}\right)^{3/2}\sigma^2\exp\left(-\frac{\sigma}{3}\right), \qquad Y_{\text{lm}} = \left(\frac{15}{4\pi}\right)^{1/2}\sin\theta\cos\theta\sin\phi$$

Answer

(a)

$$R_{3p} = \frac{4}{81\sqrt{6}}\left(\frac{Z}{a_0}\right)^{3/2}(6\sigma - \sigma^2)\exp(-\sigma/3)$$

The wavefunction becomes 0 when σ is 0 or 6. So, the number of radial nodes is 1.

$1 = \text{n} - l - 1$

(b) There exists a radial node where $\phi = \pi$. This is the xz plane.

(c) Since there are l angular nodes for an orbital (n, l, m), $l = 1$ in this case.

Using the equation in 1), $1 = n - 1 - 1$, so n = 3

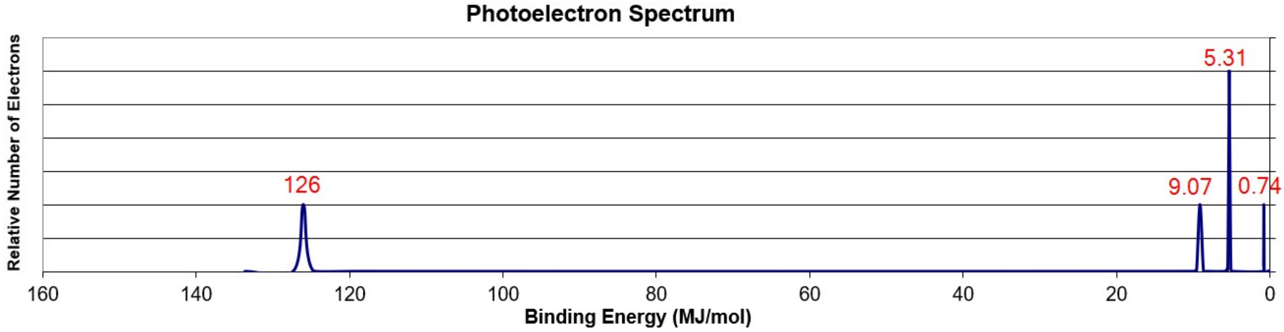
(d) There is no radial node. So, $0 = n - l - 1$

From the angular wavefunction, there are two nodal planes when $\theta = \frac{\pi}{2}$, $\phi = \pi$.

So, l = 2, and n = 3. This is the 3d orbital.

4. (total 10 pts)

Using the photoelectron spectrum below, answer the following questions.



(a) (2 pts) What is the electron configuration of the element shown above?

(Answer)

$1s^2 2s^2 2p^6 3s^2$

(b) (2 pts) What element is illustrated?

(Answer)

Mg (magnesium)

(c) (6 pts) What is the wavelength required, in m, to remove a valence electron from the element shown above?

(Answer)

$$\frac{0.74MJ}{mol} \times \frac{10^6 J}{MJ} \times \frac{mol}{6.022 \times 10^{23}} = 1.23 \times 10^{-18} J$$

$$E = \frac{hc}{\lambda} = 1.23 \times 10^{-18} J \cdots \mathbf{2pt}$$

$$\lambda = \frac{hc}{E} = \frac{(6.626 \times 10^{-34} J \cdot s)(2.998 \times 10^{8} m \cdot s^{-1})}{1.23 \times 10^{-18} J} = 1.62 \times 10^{-7} m$$

5. (total 10 pts)

(a) (5 pts) Write simple valence bond wave functions for the bonds in H_2O.

(b) (5 pts) What geometry does the VB model predict for H_2O? Justify your answer.

Answer

(a) The simple VB model predicts that O (valence electron configuration $2s^2 2p_x^1 2p_y^1 2p_z^2$) forms single bonds with each of the two H atoms. These atoms are designated H_1 and H_2 in the following valence-bond wave functions, which come from overlap of the $2p_x$ and $2p_y$ orbitals on the O with the respective 1s orbitals on the H's

$$\mathrm{O-H_1}:\ \psi_\sigma^{bond}(1,2;R_{\mathrm{OH_1}}) = c_1\left[1s^{\mathrm{H_1}}(1)2p_x^{\mathrm{O}}(2)\right] + c_2\left[1s^{\mathrm{H_1}}(2)2p_x^{\mathrm{O}}(1)\right]$$

$$\mathrm{O-H_2}:\ \psi_\sigma^{bond}(1,2;R_{\mathrm{OH_2}}) = c_1\left[1s^{\mathrm{H_2}}(1)2p_y^{\mathrm{O}}(2)\right] + c_2\left[1s^{\mathrm{H_2}}(2)2p_y^{\mathrm{O}}(1)\right]$$

(b) The model predicts (incorrectly) that the H—O—H angle equals 90°.

6. (total 10 pts)

(a) (4 pts) Predict the ground electronic state of the He_2^{2+} ion.

(b) (3 pts) What is the bond order?

(c) (3 pts) Will it be stable in the ground state? Justify your answer.

Answer

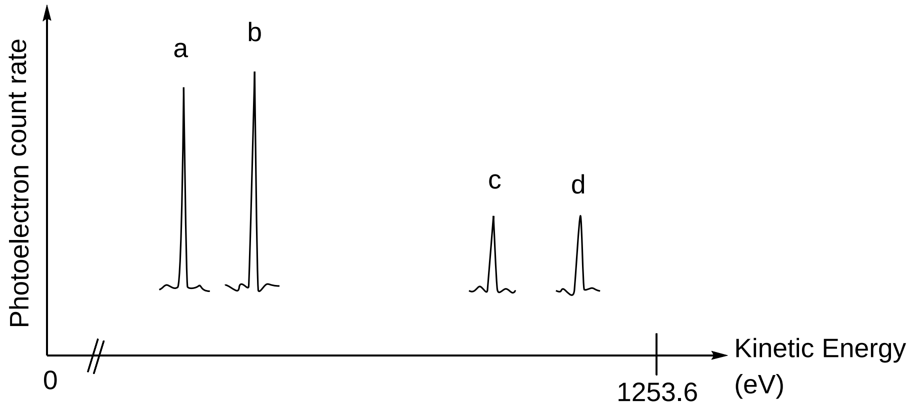
(a) The ground state electron configuration of the He_2^{2+} ion is $(\sigma_{1s})^2$.

(b) bond order: one.

(c) This configuration is stable in its ground state, because its bond order is nonzero..

7. (total 10 pts, each 2.5 pts)

The following figure shows the data obtained with photoelectron spectroscopy for Ne and Na with X-rays with λ = 9.890 x 10^{-10} m. Assign the peaks a–d with the 1st, 2nd ionization energy of each atom.



a :

b :

c :

d :

Answer

a: 2nd ionization energy of Na.

b: 2nd ionization energy of Ne

c: 1st ionization energy of Ne

d: 1st ionization energy of Na

8. (total 10 pts)

(a) Name the types of attractive forces that will contribute to the interactions among atoms, molecules, or ions in the following substances. Indicate the one(s) you expect to predominate. (each 2 pts)

(i) Ne

(ii) ClF

(iii) $BaCl_2$

(b) (4 pts) Predict whether an atom of argon will be most strongly attracted to another atom of argon, an atom of neon, or an atom of krypton.

Answer

(a) (i) dispersion forces (ii) dipole-dipole forces (predominant) and dispersion forces (iii) ion-ion forces (predominant) and dispersion forces

(b) An atom of argon should be most strongly attracted by an atom of krypton. The krypton atom has more electrons and is more polarizable than one of argon and the strength of dispersion forces depends on the polarizability of the interacting species.

9. (total 10 pts)

A sample of an oxide of osmium (1.509g) is gaseous at 200.0℃ / 0.980 atm pressure, and occupies 235mL under these conditions. Assuming the ideal gas behavior, determine the molecular formula of the oxide. [Molar masses (g mol^{-1}): Os = 190.2; O = 16.00. R = 0.08206 L atm K^{-1} mol^{-1}. Take 0℃ to be 273K]. Please show your work (partial points).

Answer

Since the gas has ideal behavior,

PV = nRT, where n = m/M_r (M_r is molar mass)

n = (0.980 atm)(0.235 L)/(0.0802 L atm/K mol)(473 K) = 0.00590 mol ----- **(3 pts)**

Hence M_r = (1.509 g)/0.00590 mol) = 254 g mol^{-1} --------- **(3 pts)**

If the molecular formula of the oxide is OsOx, then the molar mass is

192.0 g mol^{-1} + x(16.00 g mol^{-1}) = 254 g mol^{-1}

x = 3.99 ~ 4

Molecular formula is OsO4 (4 points)

10. (total 10 pts, each 2.5 pts)

The following formula is the van der Waals equation of gaseous state.

$$\left(P + a\frac{n^2}{V^2}\right)(V - nb) = nRT$$

(a) How is the compressibility factor *z* calculated in this condition?

(b) What is the dimension (unit) for *a* and *b*? (Use atm as a unit of pressure.)

(c) What is the meaning behind these constants?

(d) Compare the constants *a* and *b* of gaseous ammonia (NH_3) and hydrogen (H_2).

Answer

(a) $z = \frac{PV}{nRT} = \frac{V}{V-nb} - \frac{a}{RT}\frac{n}{V} = \frac{1}{1-bn/V} - \frac{a}{RT}\frac{n}{V}$

(b) a : atm L^2 mol^{-2}

b : L mol^{-1}

(c) *a* stands for the attractive force, while b stands for repulsive forces (the volume excluded by 1 mol of molecules)

(d) Comparing the gaseous ammonia (NH_3) and hydrogen (H_2), the ***a*** value for **ammonia** is more than 10 times larger than for **hydrogen**. However, the value for ***b*** for each is very similar.

(Full point for both of a and b, +1pt for only in number)

Physical Constants

Avogadro's number	N_A = 6.02214179 x 10^{23} mol^{-1}
Bohr radius	a_0 = 0.52917720859 Å = 5.2917720859 x 10^{-11} m
Boltzmann's constant	K_B = 1.3806504 x 10^{-23} J K^{-1}
Electronic charge	e = 1.602176487 x 10^{-19} C
Faraday constant	F = 96485.3399 C mol^{-1}
Masses of fundamental particles:	
Electron	m_e = 9.10938215 x 10^{-31} kg
Proton	m_P = 1.672621637 x 10^{-27} kg
Neutron	m_n= 1.674927211 x 10^{-27} kg
Permittivity of vacuum	ε_o = 8.854187817 x 10^{-12} C^{-2} J^{-1} m^{-1}
Planck's constant	h = 6.62606896 x 10^{-34} J s
Ratio of proton mass to electron mass	m_P / m_e = 1836.15267247
Speed of light in a vacuum	c = 2.99792458 x 10^8 m s^{-1} (exactly)
Standard acceleration of terrestrial gravity	g = 9.80665 m s^{-2} (exactly)
Universal gas constant	R = 8.314472 J mol^{-1} K^{-1} = 0.0820574 L atm mol^{-1} K^{-1}

Values are taken from the 2006 CODATA recommended values,
as listed by the National Institute of Standards and Technology.

Conversion factors

Ångström	1 Å= 10^{-10} m
Atomic mass unit	1 u = 1.660538782 x 10^{-27} kg
	1 u = 1.492417830 x 10^{-10} J = 931.494028 MeV (energy equivalent form $E = mc^2$)
Calorie	1 cal = 4.184 J (exactly)
Electron volt	1 eV = 1.602177 x 10^{-19} J = 96.485335 kJ mol^{-1}
Foot	1 ft = 12 in = 0.3048 m (exactly)
Gallon (U. S.)	1 gallon = 4 quarts = 3.785412 L (exactly)
Liter	1 L = 10^{-3} m^{-3} = 10^3 cm^3 (exactly)
Liter-atmosphere	1 L atm = 101.325 J (exactly)
Metric ton	1 t = 1000 kg (exactly)
Pound	1 lb = 16 oz = 0.4539237 kg (exactly)
Rydberg	1 Ry = 2.17987197 x 10^{-18}J = 1312.7136 kJ mol^{-1} = 13.60569193 eV
Standard atmosphere	1 atm = 1.01325 x 10^5 Pa = 1.01325 x 10^5 kg m^{-1} s^{-2} (exactly)
Torr	1 torr = 133.3224 Pa

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5	37 85.468 Rb RUBIDIUM	38 87.62 Sr STRONTIUM	39 88.906 Y YTTRIUM	40 91.224 Zr ZIRCONIUM	41 92.906 Nb NIOBIUM	42 95.94 Mo MOLYBDENUM	43 (98) Tc TECHNETIUM	44 101.07 Ru RUTHENIUM	45 102.91 Rh RHODIUM	46 106.42 Pd PALLADIUM	47 107.87 Ag SILVER	48 112.41 Cd CADMIUM	49 114.82 In INDIUM	50 118.71 Sn TIN	51 121.76 Sb ANTIMONY	52 127.60 Te TELLURIUM	53 126.90 I IODINE	54 131.29 Xe XENON
6	55 132.91 Cs CAESIUM	56 137.33 Ba BARIUM	57-71 La-Lu Lanthanide	72 178.49 Hf HAFNIUM	73 180.95 Ta TANTALUM	74 183.84 W TUNGSTEN	75 186.21 Re RHENIUM	76 190.23 Os OSMIUM	77 192.22 Ir IRIDIUM	78 195.08 Pt PLATINUM	79 196.97 Au GOLD	80 200.59 Hg MERCURY	81 204.38 Tl THALLIUM	82 207.2 Pb LEAD	83 208.98 Bi BISMUTH	84 (209) Po POLONIUM	85 (210) At ASTATINE	86 (222) Rn RADON
7	87 (223) Fr FRANCIUM	88 (226) Ra RADIUM	89-103 Ac-Lr Actinide	104 (261) Rf RUTHERFORDIUM	105 (262) Db DUBNIUM	106 (266) Sg SEABORGIUM	107 (264) Bh BOHRIUM	108 (277) Hs HASSIUM	109 (268) Mt MEITNERIUM	110 (281) Uun UNUNNILIUM	111 (272) Uuu UNUNUNIUM	112 (285) Uub UNUNBIUM		114 (289) Uuq UNUNQUADIUM				

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6	57 138.91 La LANTHANUM	58 140.12 Ce CERIUM	59 140.91 Pr PRASEODYMIUM	60 144.24 Nd NEODYMIUM	61 (145) Pm PROMETHIUM	62 150.36 Sm SAMARIUM	63 151.96 Eu EUROPIUM	64 157.25 Gd GADOLINIUM	65 158.93 Tb TERBIUM	66 162.50 Dy DYSPROSIUM	67 164.93 Ho HOLMIUM	68 167.26 Er ERBIUM	69 168.93 Tm THULIUM	70 173.04 Yb YTTERBIUM	71 174.97 Lu LUTETIUM

ACTINIDE

7	89 (227) Ac ACTINIUM	90 232.04 Th THORIUM	91 231.04 Pa PROTACTINIUM	92 238.03 U URANIUM	93 (237) Np NEPTUNIUM	94 (244) Pu PLUTONIUM	95 (243) Am AMERICIUM	96 (247) Cm CURIUM	97 (247) Bk BERKELIUM	98 (251) Cf CALIFORNIUM	99 (252) Es EINSTEINIUM	100 (257) Fm FERMIUM	101 (258) Md MENDELEVIUM	102 (259) No NOBELIUM	103 (262) Lr LAWRENCIUM

(1) Pure Appl. Chem., 73, No. 4, 667-683 (2001)
Relative atomic mass is shown with five significant figures. For elements have no stable nuclides, the value enclosed in brackets indicates the mass number of the longest-lived isotope of the element.
However three such elements (Th, Pa, and U) do have a characteristic terrestrial isotopic composition, and for these an atomic weight is tabulated.

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