Learning Objectives and Worksheet V

Chemistry 1B-AL Fall 2016

Lecture 9 Types of Chemical Bonds- General Considerations

Read pp. 596-614

This class will be devoted to the general aspects of three types of chemical bonding-ionic, covalent, and metallic. The discussion will be based on our understanding of the quantum mechanics of atomic structure, but the interactions among atoms will focus on more 'classical' concepts. Later in the quarter we will revisit covalent bonding and fully understand the quantum mechanical basis of molecular bonding and structure.

I. Lewis hypothesis

- 1. G.N. Lewis proposed that stable molecules would be formed if each atom attained a stable configuration of electrons for H atoms and electrons for other atoms. This would correspond to the _____ completely filled shell configuration for n=1 and the completely filled shell configuration for n=2, 3, ...
- 2. In order to attain these stable electronic configurations in a molecule, the atoms could _____, or ______ electrons by interacting with other atoms.

Tool to construct Lewis Structure: http://www.stolaf.edu/depts/chemistry/courses/toolkits/123/js/lewis/

Tutorial on how to draw dot structure: https://chemistry.boisestate.edu/richardbanks/inorganic/electron-dot.htm

II. Ionic bonding

 In ionic bonds metallic atoms with ______ IE's tend to ______ electrons to form while non-metallic atoms with ______ negative EAs tend to electrons to form

2. The electronegativity of an atom is a measure of its ability to its own electrons and ______ electrons from other atoms. In general atoms are highly electronegative while atoms are less electronegative (electropositive).

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- 3. Strength of ionic bonding:
 - i. Although Na has relatively low IE and Cl has a relatively large (negative) EA the electron transfer reaction:

Na (g) + Cl (g) \rightarrow Na⁺ (g) + Cl⁻ (g)

is highly endothermic (+146 kJ/mol) (i.e. neutrals more stable than ions). So, in the ionic compound NaCl(s) what factor stabilizes the ions relative to Na and Cl atoms?





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ii. In understanding trends in magnitude of lattice energies there are two important factors to consider.

a. The greater the (the product of) ______ on the two ions the ______ magnitude of the lattice energy.

b. The ______ the ions, and thus the ______ apart the charges, the ______ the magnitude of the lattice energy.

4. What are the general characteristics of ionic compounds with respect to:

- i. deformability
- ii. electrical conductivity _____
- iii. boiling and melting points _____

More on lattice structures: http://intro.chem.okstate.edu/1314f97/chapter8/ionSize.html

Lattice energy calculator: https://scilearn.sydney.edu.au/fychemistry/calculators/lattice_energy.shtml

III. Covalent bonding (the most general considerations)

1. To form a complete octet an atom may

- i. Share one pair of electrons to form a 'single' covalent bond
- ii. Share more (2 or 3) pairs of electrons with another atom to form a 'multiple' (double or triple) covalent bond
- iii. Retain a pair of non-bonding electrons (a non-bonding or lone pair)

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- 2. Covalent bonds occur between atoms of ______ electronegativity.
- 3. In compounds with covalent bonding the intramolecular (bonding) forces are strong but often the intermolecular (among molecules) forces are weak (especially compared to ionic compounds). This leads to the following general characteristics of compounds with covalent bonding with respect to:

i. deformability vis a vis state of matter

- ii. electrical conductivity
- iii. boiling and melting points _____
- 4. Bonds between differing atoms are never 100% covalent or 100% ionic
 - i. a bond between atom of somewhat differing electronegativity will be a

covalent bond where the electron pairs are shared _____

- in such a bond the atom with the greater electronegativity will be assigned a partial ______ charge and the less electronegative atom a partial ______ charge.
- iii. The concept of valence is useful in assessing the probable atomic stoichiometry of atoms forming ionic and covalent compounds. Know the common valences of the atoms and ions described in the lecture 9 notes.

IV. Metallic bonds

- 1. In a metal the atoms contribute their outer shell electrons to form a 'sea of electrons' around the remaining positively charged nuclear sites.
- 2. This results in the following properties of compounds with metallic bonding:
 - i. deformability _____
 - ii. electrical conductivity _____
 - iii. boiling and melting points _____

General molecule gallery: http://switkes.chemistry.ucsc.edu/teaching/MoleculeGallery.html