

Chemistry | Test | Class XI
Hybridization and Bond Order

Time: 1:00 hr.

M.M: 30

1. Choose the correct option

1 x 8 = 8

i. Which of the following species has tetrahedral geometry?

- a) BH_4^- b) NH_2^-
c) CO_3^{2-} d) H_3O^+

ii. The types of hybrid orbitals of nitrogen in NO_2^+ , NO_3^- and NH_4^+ respectively are expected to be

- a) sp , sp^3 and sp^2 b) sp , sp^2 and sp^3
c) sp^2 , sp and sp^3 d) sp^2 , sp^3 and sp

iii. In PO_4^{3-} ion the formal charge on the oxygen atom of P–O bond is

- a) +1 b) –1
c) –0.75 d) + 0.75

iv. In NO_3^- ion, the number of bond pairs and lone pairs of electrons on nitrogen atom are

- a) 2, 2 b) 3, 1
c) 1, 3 d) 4, 0

v. Which of the following species has tetrahedral geometry?

- a) BH_4^- b) NH_2^-
c) CO_3^{2-} d) H_3O^+

vi. Which of the following angle corresponds to sp^2 hybridization?

- a) 90° b) 120°
c) 180° d) 109°

vii. Which of the following species have the same shape?

- a) CO_2 b) CCl_4
c) O_3 d) NO_2^-

viii. Which of the following options represents the correct bond order :

- a) $\text{O}_2^- > \text{O}_2 > \text{O}_2^+$ b) $\text{O}_2^- < \text{O}_2 < \text{O}_2^+$
c) $\text{O}_2^- > \text{O}_2 < \text{O}_2^+$ d) $\text{O}_2^- < \text{O}_2 > \text{O}_2^+$

2. Match the species in Column I with the geometry/shape in Column II.

1 x 4 = 4

Column I

Column II

i) H_3O^+

a) Linear

ii) $\text{HC} \equiv \text{CH}$

b) Angular

iii) ClO_2^-

c) Tetrahedral

iv) NH_4^+

d) Trigonal bipyramidal

e) Pyramidal

3. Predict the shapes of the following molecules on the basis of hybridization.

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BCl_3 , CH_4 , CO_2 , NH_3

4. What is the difference between sp , sp^2 and sp^3 hybridization?

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5. Explain the five basic shapes of hybridization.

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6. Draw diagrams showing the formation of a double bond and a triple bond between carbon atoms in C_2H_4 and C_2H_2 molecules.

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7. Arrange the bonds in order of increasing ionic character in the molecules: LiF , K_2O , N_2 , SO_2 and ClF_3

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8. What is the effect of the following processes on the bond order in N_2 and O_2 ?

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a) $\text{N}_2 \rightarrow \text{N}_2^+ + e^-$

b) $\text{O}_2 \rightarrow \text{O}_2^+ + e^-$

9. Read the statements below and choose the correct answer-

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Assertion (A) : Though the central atom of both NH_3 and H_2O molecules are sp^3 hybridized, yet H-N-H bond angle is greater than that of H-O-H.

Reason (R) : This is because nitrogen atom has one lone pair and oxygen atom has two lone pairs.

a) A and R both are correct, and R is the correct explanation of A.

b) A and R both are correct, but R is not the correct explanation of A.

c) A is true but R is false.

d) A and R both are false.