

Announcements – Lecture XIV – Thursday, Oct 27th

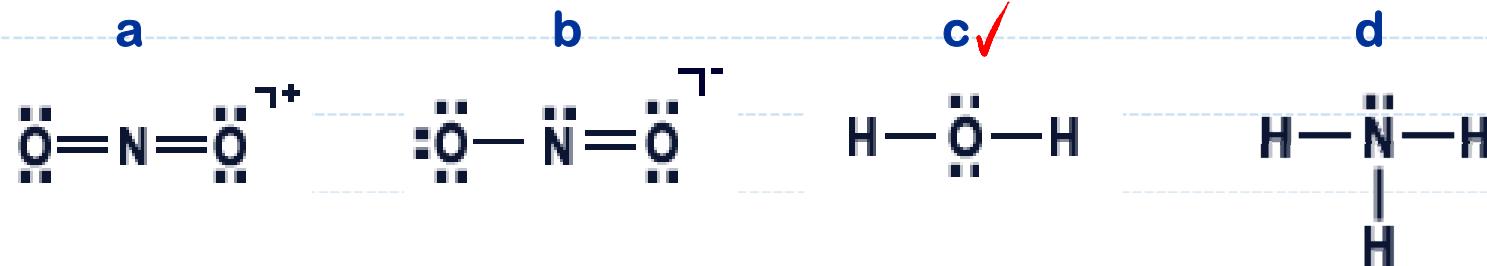
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Choose any letter: A-E

3.10 Molecular Geometries and Bond Angles



Which of the above molecules
has the smallest bond angle?

AX_2E_0

Linear

180°

AX_2E_1

Trigonal planar

120°

AX_2E_2

Tetrahedron

$\sim 109^\circ$

2 lone pairs

AX_3E_1

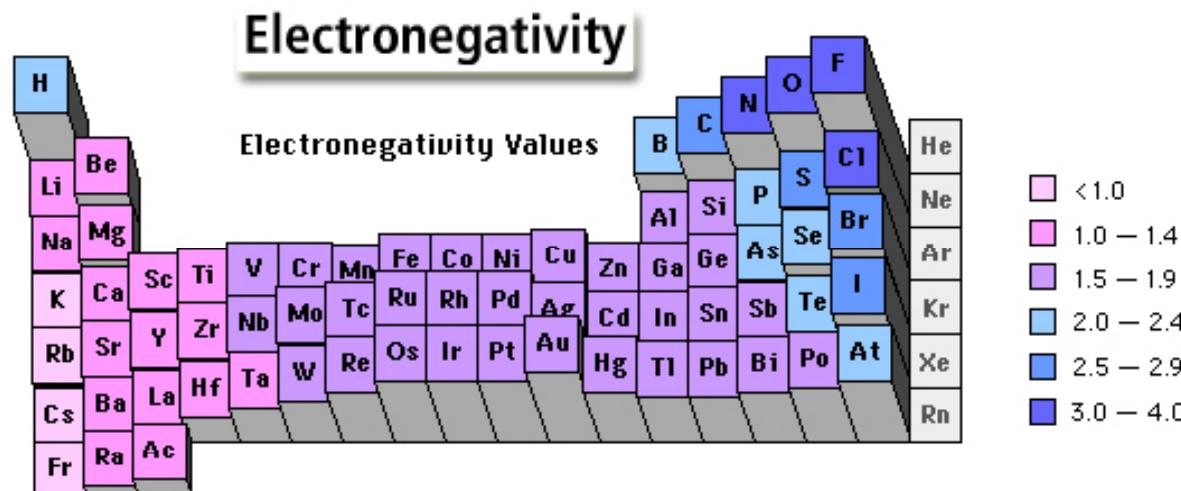
Tetrahedron

$\sim 109^\circ$

1 lone pair

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How Do We Determine if a Molecule is Polar



? Polar bond ... difference in electronegative



↳ Non polar bond.



↳ Polar bond



$\cdot C \equiv O :$ → Oxygen more electronegative

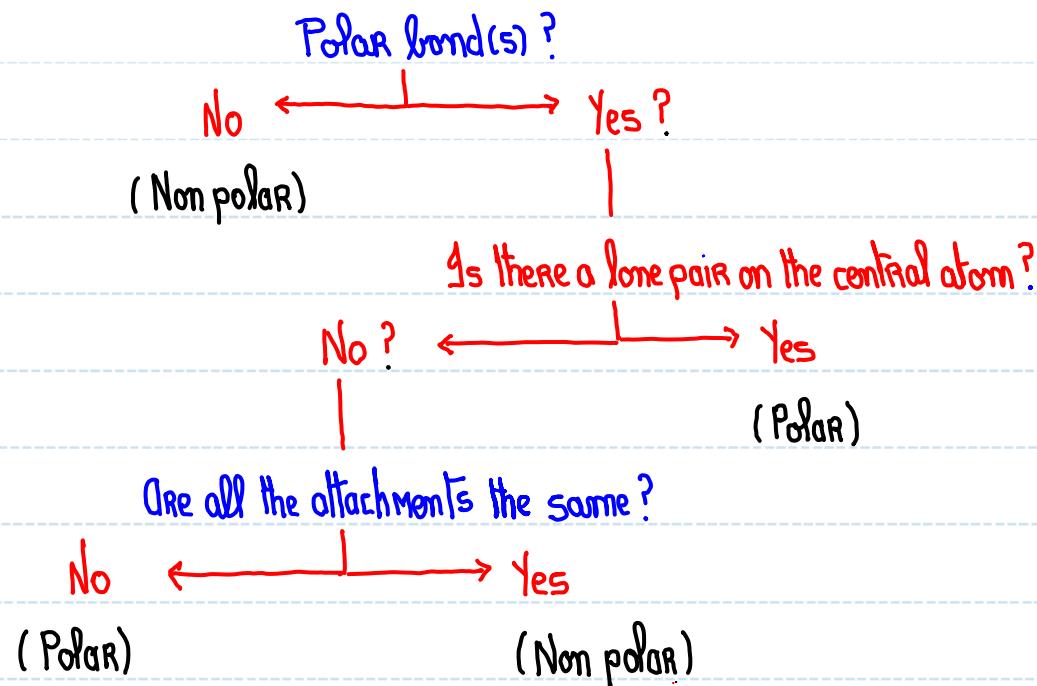
Polar Molecule

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How Do We Determine if a Molecule is Polar

If the vector sum of the polar bonds is $\neq 0$ then the molecule is polar.

The following series of questions work to determine molecular polarity for simple molecules whose $X+E = 2, 3, \text{ or } 4$.



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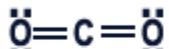
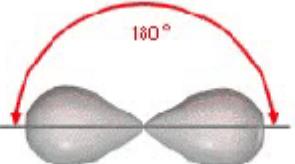
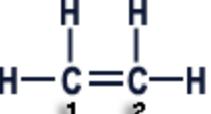
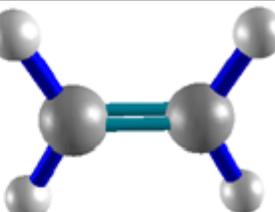
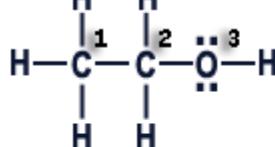
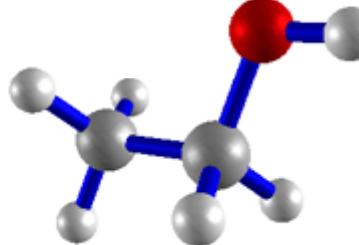
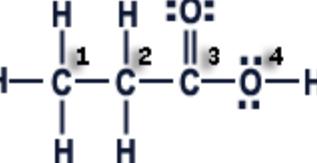
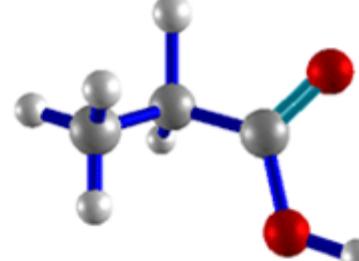
Lewis Structure	Classification	X+E	Parent Geometry	Molecular Geometry	Bond Angle	Polarity
CH_4 	AX_4E_0	4	 Tetrahedron		$\sim 109^\circ$	NP
NH_3 	AX_3E_1	4	 Tetrahedron		$\sim 109^\circ$	P
H_2O 	AX_2E_2	4	 Tetrahedron		$\sim 109^\circ$	P

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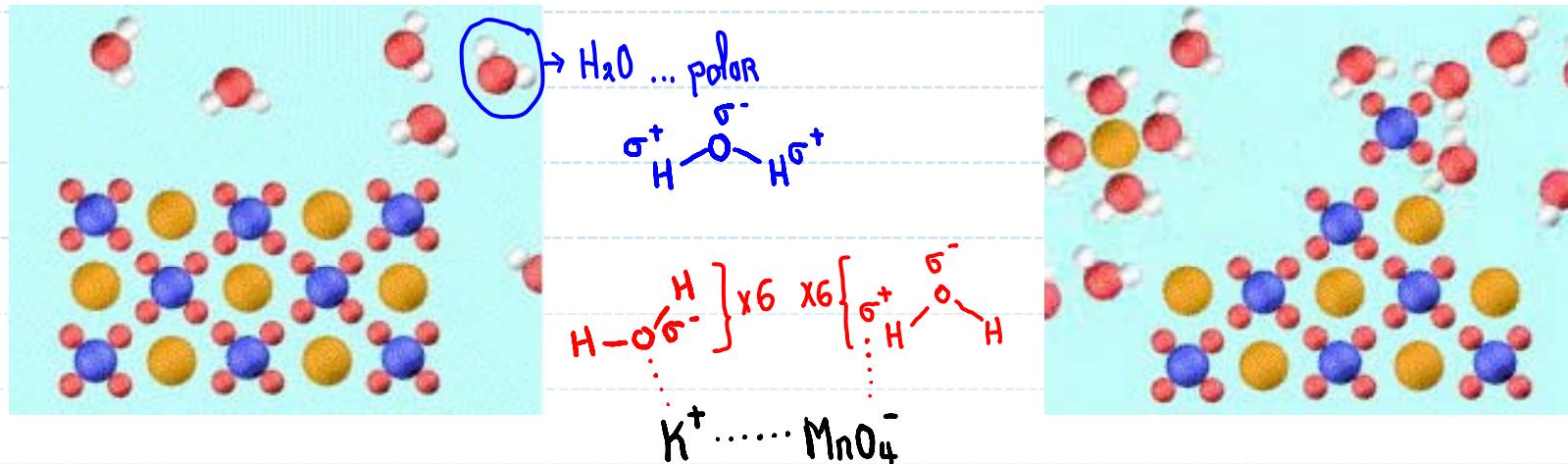
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H ₂ CO 	AX ₂ E ₀	3	Trigonal planar		120°	P
NO ₂ ⁻ 	AX ₂ E ₁	3	Trigonal planar		120°	P
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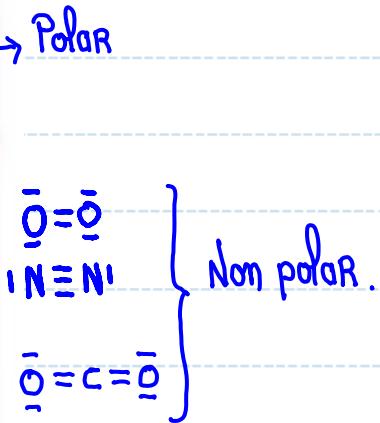
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CO_2 	AX_2	2	180° Linear 	 Linear	180°	NP
C_2H_4 	1: AX_3E_0 2: AX_3E_0	3 3	1: Trigonal planar 2: Trigonal planar		1: 120° 2: 120°	
C_2H_5OH 	1: AX_4E_0 2: AX_4E_0 3: AX_2E_2	4 4 4	1: Tetrahedron 2: Tetrahedron 3: Tetrahedron		1: ~109° 2: ~109° 3: ~109°	
C_2H_5COOH 	1: AX_4E_0 2: AX_4E_0 3: AX_3E_0 4: AX_2E_2	4 4 3 4	1: Tetrahedron 2: Tetrahedron 3: Trigonal planar 4: Tetrahedron		1: ~109° 2: ~109° 3: 120° 4: ~109°	

3.11 Consequence of Molecular Polarity



Solubility of Some Common Substances		
Compound	Solubility in H ₂ O g/100mL	
NaCl	35.7	0°C
O ₂	4.5x10 ⁻³	18°C
N ₂	2.0x10 ⁻³	18°C
NH ₃	89.5	0°C
CO ₂	0.179	18°C
HCl	72.1	20°C



"Like dissolves like"

3.11 Consequence of Molecular Polarity

Salad dressings ... Lead poisoning ... Chelating therapy

EDTA: Ethylenediaminetetraacetic acid.

See class Web site ... Lead Poisoning

