## CHEM421

## FROM MOLECULAR STRUCTURE TO FUNCTION




Electronic structure bonding


Thermodynamics, kinetics, reagents, pre-reaction complex, transition state structure, intermediate, post-reaction complex, products


Knowing the structure and reaction mechanism- make the substance


Solving Schrödinger equation gives quantum numbers, describing electrons

$$
-i \hbar \frac{\partial \Psi}{\partial t}=\hat{H} \Psi
$$

n- principle number (energy), l- orbital angular momentum (shape of the electron cloud, $\mathrm{s}, \mathrm{p}, \mathrm{d}, \mathrm{f}$, ), $\mathrm{m}_{1}$ - magnetic quantum number (maximum possible number of similar shapes of the same energy: 1 for $\mathrm{s},, 3$ for $\mathrm{p}, 5$ for $\mathrm{d}, 7$ for f )
$s$ - spin magnetic momentum must be introduced for nonrelativistic Schrödinger equation

## ELECTRONIC STRUCTURES OF ATOMS


-no two electrons can fill one orbital with the same spin (Pauli)
-for degenerate orbitals (same energy), electrons fill each orbital singly before any orbital gets a second electron. Total spin should be maximum possible. (Hund's rule).

Sample
Which set of $\mathrm{n}, \mathrm{I}$, and $\mathrm{m}_{\mathrm{l}}$ is incorrect

1. $2,1,0$
2. $3,2,-2$
3. $2,2,1$
4. $2,0,-1$
5. $3,2,3$

-Core electrons: electrons in [Noble Gas].

- Valence electrons: electrons outside of [Noble Gas].


Excited states: C ${ }^{\boldsymbol{*}} \mathbf{1 s}^{\mathbf{2}} \mathbf{2 s}^{\mathbf{1}} \mathbf{2 p} \mathbf{p}^{\mathbf{3}}$
-The period number is the value of $n$.
-Groups 1A and 2A have the s-orbital filled.


The lanthanides and actinides have the $f$-orbital filled.

Representative s-block
elements
Transition metals
$\square$ Representative $p$-block elements
$\square f$-Block metals

|  | $\begin{gathered} \text { 1A } \\ 1 \end{gathered}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $\begin{gathered} 8 \mathrm{~A} \\ 18 \end{gathered}$ |
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| Core | 1 <br> $\mathbf{H}$ <br> $1 s^{1}$ | 2 A 2 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 3 \mathrm{~A} \\ & 13 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4 \mathrm{~A} \\ & 14 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5 \mathrm{~A} \\ & 15 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6 \mathrm{~A} \\ & 16 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 7A } \\ & 17 \end{aligned}$ | $\underset{~}{\text { He }}$ |
| [He] | 3 <br> Li <br> $2 s^{1}$ | $\begin{gathered} 4 \\ \text { Be } \\ 2 s^{2} \end{gathered}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | ${\underset{2 s^{2} 2 p^{2}}{\mathbf{C}}}_{\mathbf{C}^{2}}^{\text {( }}$ | $\begin{gathered} 7 \\ \mathbf{N} \\ 2 s^{2} 2 p^{3} \end{gathered}$ | $\underset{2 s^{2} 2 p^{4}}{\stackrel{8}{\mathbf{0}}}$ | $\underset{\mid c}{\mathbf{F}} \underset{2 s^{2} 2 p^{5}}{ }$ | $\begin{array}{\|c} 10 \\ \mathbf{N e} \\ 2 s^{2} 2 p^{6} \end{array}$ |
| [ Ne ] | $\begin{gathered} 11 \\ \mathbf{N a} \\ \mathbf{3 s} \mathbf{s}^{1} \end{gathered}$ | $\underset{\substack{12 \\ \mathbf{M g} \\ \hline}}{ }$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { 3B } \\ 3 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { 4B } \\ 4 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { 5B } \\ 5 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { 6B } \\ 6 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 7 B \\ 7 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | 8 | $8 B$ 9 | 10 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 1B } \\ & 11 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2 B \\ & 12 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} 13 \\ \mathbf{A 1} \\ 3 s^{2} 3 p^{1} \end{gathered}$ | $\left\lvert\, \begin{gathered} 14 \\ \mathbf{S i} \\ 3 s^{2} 3 p^{2} \end{gathered}\right.$ | $\begin{gathered} 15 \\ \mathbf{P} \\ 3 s^{2} 3 p^{3} \end{gathered}$ | $\underset{3 s^{2} 3 p^{4}}{16}$ | $\underset{3 s^{2} 3 p^{5}}{17}$ | $\begin{array}{\|c} 18 \\ \mathbf{A r} \\ 3 s^{2} 3 p^{6} \end{array}$ |
| [Ar] | 19 $\mathbf{K}$ $4 s^{1}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 20 \\ & \mathbf{C a}_{4 s^{2}} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{\|c\|} \hline 21 \\ \mathbf{S c} \\ 3 d^{1} 4 s^{2} \end{array}$ | $\begin{gathered} 22 \\ \mathbf{T i} \\ 3 d^{2} 4 s^{2} \end{gathered}$ | $\underset{3 d^{3} 4 s^{2}}{\mathbf{2 3}}$ | $\begin{gathered} 24 \\ \mathbf{C r} \\ \mathbf{C} d^{5} 4 s^{1} \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 25 \\ \begin{array}{c} \mathbf{M n} \\ 3 d^{5} 4 s^{2} \end{array} \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 26 \\ \mathbf{F e} \\ 3 d^{6} 4 s^{2} \end{gathered}$ | $\underset{3 d^{7} 4 s^{2}}{\stackrel{27}{\mathbf{C o}}}$ | $\underset{\substack{28 \\ \mathbf{N i}^{8} 4 s^{2} \\ \hline \\ \hline}}{ }$ | $\underset{3 d^{10} 4 s^{1}}{\mathbf{C u}}$ | $\begin{gathered} 30 \\ \mathbf{Z n} \\ 3 d^{10} 4 s^{2} \end{gathered}$ |  |  | 33 $\mathbf{A s}$ $3 d^{10} 4^{2} s^{2}$ $4 p^{3}$ | 34 Se $3 d^{10} 04^{2}$ $4 p^{4}$ | $\begin{gathered} 35 \\ \mathbf{B r} \\ 3 d^{10} 4^{2}{ }^{5} \\ 4 p^{5} \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | 36 <br> $\mathbf{K r}$ <br> $3 d^{10} 4^{2}$ <br> $4 p^{6}$ <br> 54 |
| [Kr] | $\begin{aligned} & 37 \\ & \mathbf{R b} \\ & \mathbf{R y}^{1} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 38 \\ & \mathbf{3 8} \\ & 5 s^{2} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{\|c} \mathbf{3 9} \\ \mathbf{4 d} 15 s^{2} \end{array}$ | $\begin{gathered} 40 \\ \mathbf{Z r} \\ 4 d^{2} 5 s^{2} \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 41 \\ \mathbf{N}, \\ \mathbf{N} d^{3} 5 s^{2} \end{gathered}$ | $\underset{\substack{\text { Mo } \\ \hline d^{5} s^{1}}}{ }$ | $\begin{gathered} 43 \\ \mathbf{T c} \\ 4 d^{5} 5 s^{2} \end{gathered}$ | $\underset{\substack{4 d^{7} 5^{1} \\ \mathbf{4 n} \\ \hline}}{ }$ | $\begin{gathered} \mathbf{4 n}_{4 d^{8} 5 s^{1}} \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 46 \\ & \text { Pd } \\ & \mathbf{4 d d ^ { 1 0 }} \end{aligned}$ | $\underset{\substack{10 \\ \hline d^{10} 5 s^{1}}}{47}$ |  | $\begin{gathered} 49 \\ \text { In } \\ 4 d^{10} 5 s^{2} \\ 5 p^{1} \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | 50 Sn $4 d^{10} 55^{2}$ $5 p^{2}$ | 51 <br> $\mathbf{S b}$ <br> $4 d^{10} 5^{s}$ <br> $5 p^{3}$ | $\begin{gathered} 52 \\ \mathbf{T e} \\ 4 d^{10} 5_{5^{2}} \\ 5 p^{4} \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{array}{\|c\|} \hline 53 \\ \mathbf{I} \\ 4 d^{10} 5 s^{2} \\ 5 p^{5} \\ \hline \end{array}$ | 54 <br> $\mathbf{X e}$ <br> $4 d^{10} 5_{5}^{2}$ <br> $5 p^{6}$ <br> 86 |
| [ Xe ] | $\begin{aligned} & 55 \\ & \text { Cs } \\ & 6 s^{1} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 56 \\ & \text { Ba } \\ & 6 s^{2} \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{gathered} 72 \\ \mathbf{H f f}_{4 f^{14} 5 d^{2}}^{6 s^{2}} \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 73 \\ \mathbf{T a} \\ 4 f^{145} 5 d^{3} \\ 6 s^{2} \end{gathered}$ | $\underset{\substack{\mathbf{7 4 1 4} 5 d^{4} \\ 6 s^{2}}}{\mathbf{W}}$ | $\begin{array}{c\|} \hline 75 \\ \mathbf{R e} \\ 4 f^{14} 5 d^{5} \\ 6 s^{2} \end{array}$ | $\begin{gathered} 76 \\ \begin{array}{c} \text { Os } \\ 4 f^{145} d^{6} \\ 6 s^{2} \end{array} \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 77 \\ \mathbf{4 r} \\ 4_{1}^{145} 5 d^{7} \\ 6 s^{2} \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 78 \\ \hline \mathbf{P t} \\ 4 f^{14} 5 d^{9} \\ 6 s^{1} \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 79 \\ \begin{array}{c} \mathbf{A u} \\ 4 f^{14} 5 d^{10} \\ 6 s^{1} \end{array} \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 80 \\ \mathbf{H g}_{4 f^{14} 5 d^{10}} \\ 6 s^{2} \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 81 \\ \mathrm{Tl}^{145} 5{ }^{10} \\ 6 s^{2} 6 p^{10} \end{gathered}$ | 82 <br> $\mathbf{P b}$ <br> $4 f^{145}{ }^{10}$ <br> $6 s^{2} 6 p^{2}$ <br> 1 | 83 $\mathbf{B i}$ $4 f^{14} 5 d^{1}$ $6 s^{2} 6 p^{3}$ | 84 Po $4 f^{14} 5 d^{10}$ $6 s^{2} 6 p^{4}$ | $\begin{gathered} 85 \\ \mathbf{A t}^{4 f^{14} 5 d^{10}} \\ 6 s^{2} 6 p^{5} \end{gathered}$ | 86 $\mathbf{R n}$ $4 f^{14} 5 d^{1}$ $6 s^{2} 6 p^{6}$ |
| [Rn] | $\begin{aligned} & 87 \\ & \mathbf{F r}_{7 s^{1}} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 88 \\ & \text { Ra } \\ & 7 s^{2} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{\|c} \hline 103 \\ \mathbf{L r} \\ 5^{\prime} f^{4} 6 d^{2} \\ 7 \mathrm{~s}^{2} \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{\|c\|} \hline 104 \\ \mathbf{R f} \\ 5 f^{14} 6 d^{2} \\ 7 \mathrm{~s}^{2} \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{\|c\|} \hline 105 \\ \mathbf{D b} \\ 5 f^{14} 4 d^{3} \\ 7 \mathrm{~s}^{2} \\ \hline \end{array}$ |  | $\begin{array}{\|c\|} \hline 107 \\ \mathbf{B h} \\ 5 f^{14} 6 d^{5} \\ 7 s^{2} \\ \hline \end{array}$ | 108 Hs $5 f^{146} d^{6}$ $7 \mathrm{~s}^{2}$ | $\begin{gathered} 109 \\ \mathbf{M t} \\ 55^{14} 6 d^{7} \\ 7 s^{2} \end{gathered}$ | 110 | 111 | 112 |  | 114 |  | 116 |  |  |

Lanthanide series

Actinide series

| 57 | 58 | 59 | 60 | 61 | 62 | 63 | 64 | 65 | 66 | 67 | 68 | 69 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| La | Ce | Pr | Nd | Pm | Sm | Eu | Gd | Tb | Dy | Ho | Er | Tm | Yb |
| $5 d^{1} 6 s^{2}$ | $4 f^{1} 5 d^{1}$ $6 s^{2}$ | $4 f^{3} 6 s^{2}$ | $4 f^{7} 6 s^{2}$ | $4 f^{5} 6 s^{2}$ | $4 f^{6} 6 s^{2}$ | $4 f^{7} 6 s^{2}$ | $\begin{gathered} 4 f^{7} 5 d^{1} \\ 6 s^{2} \end{gathered}$ | $4 f^{9} 6 s^{2}$ | $4 f^{10} 6 s^{2}$ | $4 f^{11} 6 s^{2}$ | $4 f^{12} 6 s^{2}$ | $4 f^{13} 6 s^{2}$ | $4 f^{14} 6 s^{2}$ |
| 89 | 90 | 91 | 92 | 93 | 94 | 95 | 96 | 97 | 98 | 99 | 100 | 101 | 102 |
| Ac | Th | Pa | U | Np | Pu | Am | Cm | Bk | Cf | Es | Fm | Md | No |
| $6 d^{1} 7 s^{2}$ | $6 d^{2} 7 s^{2}$ | $\begin{gathered} 5 f^{2} 6 d^{1} \\ 7 s^{2} \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 5 f^{3} 6 d^{1} \\ 7 s^{2} \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5 f^{4} 6 d^{1} \cdot \\ & 7 s^{2} \end{aligned}$ | $5 f^{6} 7 s^{2}$ | $5 f^{7} 7 s^{2}$ | $\begin{gathered} 5 f^{7} 6 d^{1} \\ 7 s^{2} \end{gathered}$ | $5 f^{9} 7 s^{2}$ | $5 f^{10} 7 s^{2}$ | $5 f^{11} 7 s^{2}$ | $5 f^{12} 7 s^{2}$ | $5 f^{13} 7 s^{2}$ | $5 f^{14} 7 s^{2}$ |

Metals $\square$ Metalloids $\square$ Nonmetals

## Lewis Symbols

- the valence electrons are in an out electron shell of an atom. we represent the valence electrons as dots around the symbol for the element.


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- The number of electrons available for bonding are indicated by unpaired dots.
- These symbols are called Lewis symbols.
- We generally place the electrons on four sides of a square around the element symbol.

If an atom has more than 4 electrons, we form electron pairs

## The Octet (8) Rule

All noble gases except He have an $s^{2} p^{6}$ configuration (8 electrons). All atoms try to get configuration of a nearest noble gas

- Octet rule: atoms tend to gain, lose, or share electrons until they are surrounded by 8 valence electrons (4 electron pairs).

-Caution: there are many exceptions to the octet rule starting from the 3 period.


## Special rule for hydrogen

## For hydrogen- duet (2 electrons)

Nearest noble gas to H is $\mathrm{He}\left(\mathbf{1 s}^{\mathbf{2}}\right)$

So, hydrogen tends to achieve electron configuration on He

## Lewis Structures

- Covalent bonds can be represented by the Lewis symbols of the elements:

- In Lewis structures, each pair of electrons in a bond is represented by a single line:



## Multiple Bonds

- It is possible for more than one pair of electrons to be shared between two atoms (multiple bonds):

$$
\mathrm{H}-\mathrm{H} \quad \ddot{\mathrm{O}}=\ddot{O} \quad: \mathrm{N} \equiv \mathrm{~N}:
$$

- One shared pair of electrons = single bond (e.g. $\mathrm{H}_{2}$ );
- Two shared pairs of electrons = double bond (e.g. $\mathrm{O}_{2}$ );
- Three shared pairs of electrons = triple bond (e.g. $\mathbf{N}_{2}$ ).
- Generally, bond distances decrease as we move from single through double to triple bonds.

The pair of electrons which is not involved in bonding is called a LONE PAIR

## Drawing Lewis Structures

Our goals are to predict:
a) the lowest energy structure (most thermodynamically stable)
b) its properties (bond lengths, atomic charges, dipole moment, chemical reactivities)

General rules:

1. Show ALL the valence electrons with dots
2. Provide octet (8 electrons) for each atom.

For hydrogen- duet (2 electrons)
3. Sometimes, multiple bonds are needed for octet. Multiple bonds are typical of C, N, O, P, S. Hydrogen NEVER forms multiple bonds

## Skeletal Structures:

Atoms are in order in which they are bonded

$\mathrm{CH}_{4}$, methane


Acetic acid

H - always a terminal atom
C - always a central atom

Atoms with lower electronegativity are usually central


H and Halogens (F, CI, Br, I) do not form multiple bonds

$$
\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{SO}_{4}
$$

A strategy for writing Lewis structures from formulas

1. Calculate the number of valence electrons

$$
\mathrm{PO}_{4}{ }^{3-}: \quad 5(\mathrm{P})+4 \times 6(\mathrm{O})+3(\text { from charge })=32 \mathrm{e}
$$

$\mathrm{NH}_{4}{ }^{+}$: $5(\mathrm{~N})+4 \times 1(\mathrm{H})-1$ (from charge $=8 \mathrm{e}$
2. Identify the central atom(s) and terminal atoms
3. Write a plausible skeletal structure(s) using single covalent bonds ( A —B, - represents 2 electrons)
4. The remaining valence electrons form lone pairs
5. Use lone pairs first to complete octet for terminal atoms, then, if possible, for central atoms

Sample:
$\mathrm{C}_{2} \mathrm{~N}_{2}$

1. Total number of valence electrons: $2 \times 4$ (fromC) $+2 \times 5($ fromN $)=18$
2. Skeletal structure (less electronegative- in the middle):

$$
\mathrm{N}-\mathrm{C}-\mathrm{C}-\mathrm{N}
$$

3. Complete octet for terminal atoms ( 6 e are used for 3 single bonds, 12 are left )

4. Carbon atoms do not have octet: use lone pairs to form multiple bonds


$\bullet \bullet N=\mathrm{C}=\mathrm{C}=\mathrm{N} \bullet$
