

# Covalent Bonds

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UNIT TWO: BONDING

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## Important Information

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No Office Hours for Dr. McCord this week.

Q08 – Q11 are due Friday (9/25) at 9 AM.



## Ionic Review

\* transferring  $e^-$

\* metal + non-metal

\* lattice energy

$\left. \begin{array}{l} \uparrow \text{charge, } \uparrow \text{LE (strong)} \\ \downarrow \text{charge, } \downarrow \text{LE (weak)} \end{array} \right\} \triangleright$

$\left. \begin{array}{l} \uparrow \text{radius, } \downarrow \text{LE (weak)} \\ \downarrow \text{radius, } \uparrow \text{LE (strong)} \end{array} \right\} \bullet$

$LE \propto \frac{\text{charge}}{\text{radius}}$

## Question

What type of bond will calcium and iodine form? Please draw the corresponding molecule.

- A. Ionic
- B. Covalent



## Question

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Calcium iodide will have a \_\_\_\_\_ lattice energy than potassium iodide.

- A. larger
- B. smaller

Ca<sup>2+</sup>



## Covalent Bond

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\* Share  $e^-$

\* two non-metals

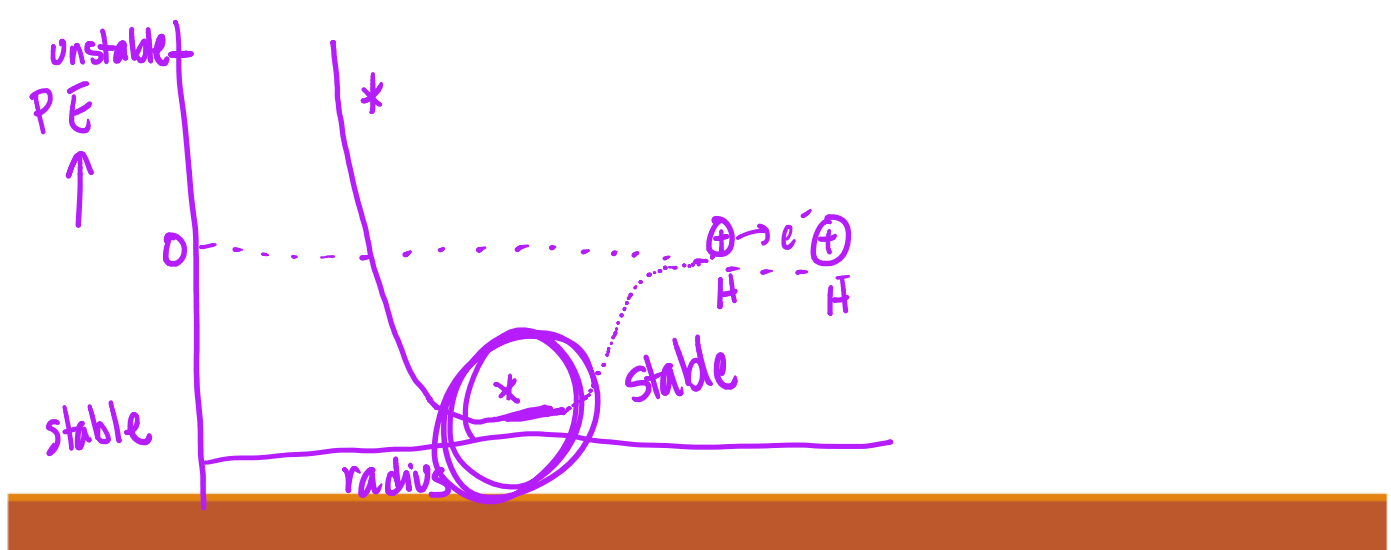
\* evaluate CB with bond length/strength

↳ formal charge

# Potential Energy Diagram

## Covalent Bond Formation

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## Question

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Will two atoms form a covalent bond if their resulting energy level is higher than their corresponding original energy levels?

- A. Yes
- B. No





## Types of Covalent Bonds

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## Bond Length vs. Bond Strength

length: single > double > triple

strength: single < double < triple



## Lewis Structures

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↳ visual representation of a molecule  
↓  
covalent

1. Put "C" in the center (electropositive)
2. Radicals are unlikely
3. make molecules symmetrical
4. make your formal charges "0" or "1"

## Question

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Draw the Lewis structures for  $O_2$ ,  $P_2$ , and  $At_2$ . Which molecule will have the longest bond?

A.  $O_2$

B.  $P_2$

C.  $At_2$

## Question

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Draw the Lewis structures for  $O_2$ ,  $P_2$ , and  $At_2$ . Which molecule will have the strongest bond?

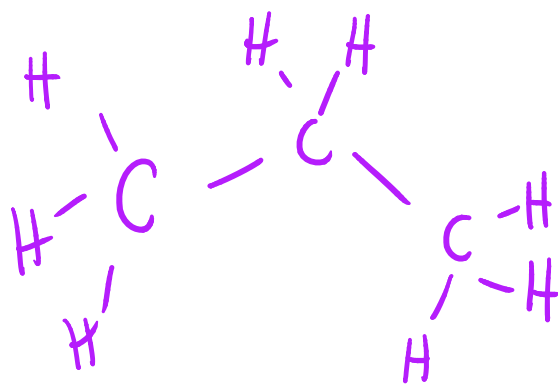
- A.  $O_2$
- B.  $P_2$
- C.  $At_2$



## Question

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What is the Lewis structure for propane?



## Line Drawings

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↳ shorthand notation for Lewis structures

1. Draw Lewis
2. convert all "C" to points (dots)
3. erase all Hydrogens connected to C

## Question

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What is the line drawing for  $\text{CH}_3\text{COOH}$ ?





## Evaluating Lewis Structures

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### Formal Charges

↳ charge on each atom within a molecule

↳ want  $FC = 0$  or  $\underline{1}$

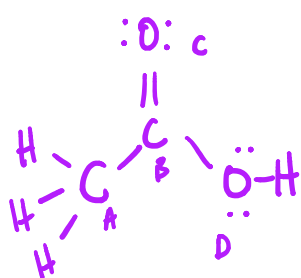
$$FC = \text{valence } e^- - \text{actual } e^-$$


$$FC = \text{want} - \text{have}$$

↑ touching

## Formal Charges of Acetic Acid

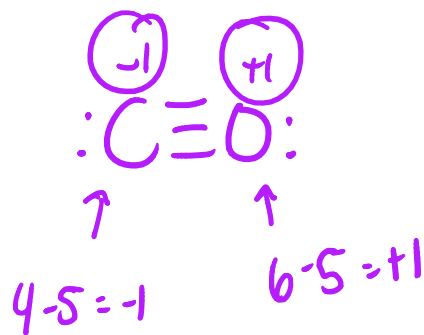
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## Question

What are the formal charges on carbon and oxygen in carbon monoxide, respectively?

- A. 0, 0
- B. -1, 0
- C. 0, -1
- D. +1, -1
- E. -1, +1**



# Octet Rule

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# Octet Rule Exceptions

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## Question

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What is the Lewis Structure for sulfur hexafluoride?



## Question

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What is the Lewis Structure for boron trichloride?

