

Please follow the instructions for each section of the exam. Show your work on all mathematical problems. Provide answers with the correct units and significant figures. Be concise in your answers to discussion questions.

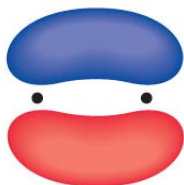
**Part 0: Warmup. 4 points each**

1. The compound SF<sub>4</sub> has a see-saw molecular geometry. How would valence bond theory describe the hybridization of the sulfur atom?

- a. sp<sup>2</sup>
- b. sp<sup>3</sup>
- c. sp<sup>3</sup>d
- d. sp<sup>3</sup>d<sup>2</sup>
- e. sp<sup>2</sup>d<sup>2</sup>

Answer \_\_\_\_\_

2. The figure below is a representation of what type of orbital?



- a.  $\sigma$  bonding molecular orbital
- b.  $\sigma$  antibonding molecular orbital
- c.  $\pi$  bonding molecular orbital
- d.  $\pi$  antibonding molecular orbital
- e. sp<sup>3</sup> hybrid orbital

Answer \_\_\_\_\_

**Part I: Complete all of problems 3-6**

3. Define **three** of the following in a maximum of three sentences per item: (12 points)

a. functional group:

b. hybrid orbital:

c. triple point:

d. unit cell:

4. Draw the structure of any compound that contains an *amine* and an *ester* and has the molecular formula  $C_4H_9NO_2$ . (6 points)

5. Match each compound below to its boiling point. Clearly justify your decision; no credit will be given without a clear justification of your reasoning. (14 points)

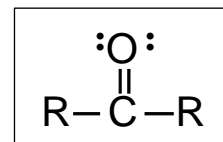
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| a. methyl ethyl ether ( $CH_3CH_2OCH_3$ ), mm = 60.1 g/mol | i. 97.2° C   |
| b. n-propanol ( $CH_3CH_2CH_2OH$ ), mm = 60.1 g/mol        | ii. 10.8° C  |
| c. n-butane ( $CH_3CH_2CH_2CH_3$ ), mm = 58.1 g/mol        | iii. -0.5° C |
| d. propylamine ( $CH_3CH_2CH_2NH_2$ ), mm = 59.1 g/mol     | iv. 48.5° C  |

6. The starship *Enterprise* is powered by dilithium ( $\text{Li}_2$ ). Based on *molecular orbital theory*, should  $\text{Li}_2$  be a stable molecule? Justify your answer with a MO diagram. (10 points)

7. When drawing Lewis structures, we run into problems with compounds like ozone and benzene. With compounds like these, we have to invoke the concept of resonance and realize that the Lewis approach does not provide a realistic picture of the electron distribution in these compounds. Molecular orbital theory does not have this same shortcoming. What fundamental assumption limits Lewis (and valence bond) theory and how does MO theory avoid this problem? (10 points)

**Part II. Answer three (3) of problems 8-11. Clearly mark the problem you do not want graded. 14 points each.**

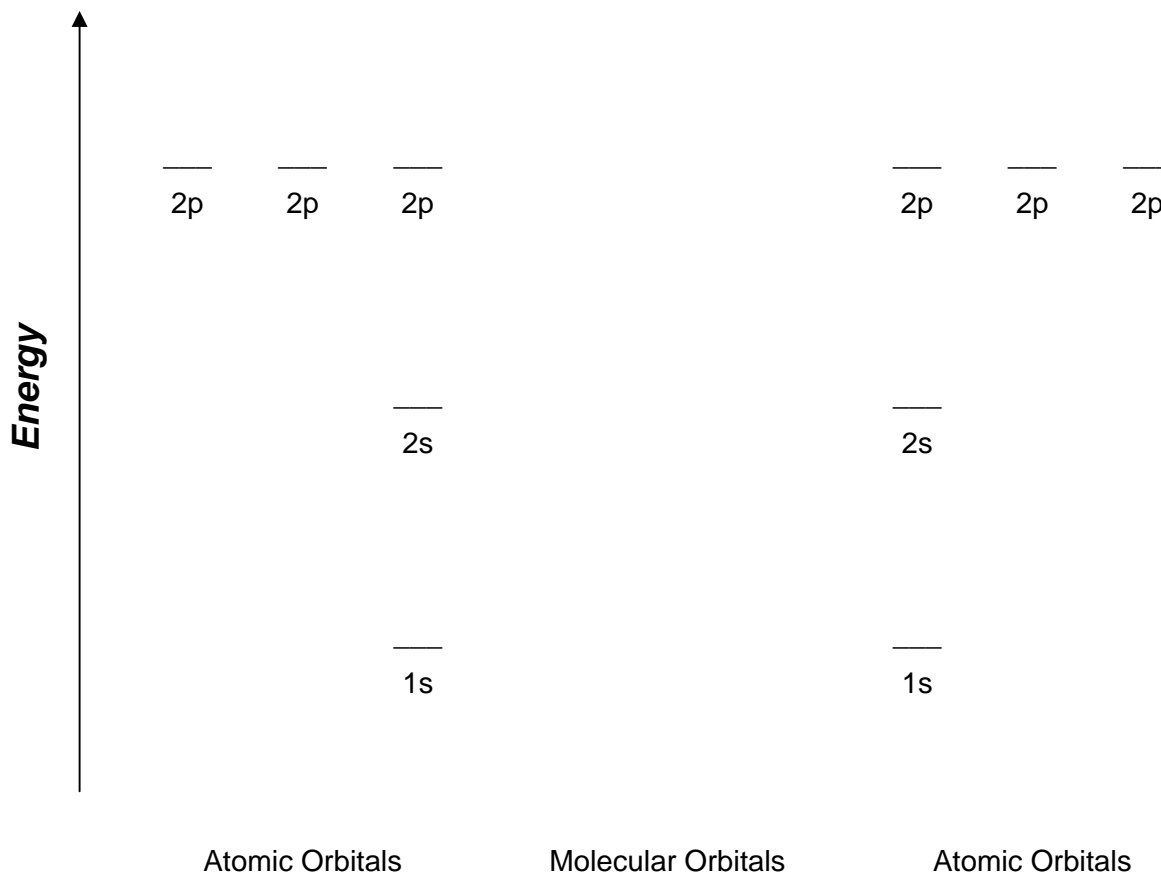
8. Many organic functional groups contain an oxygen atom double-bonded to a carbon, as shown at the right. Using *valence bond theory*, describe how the double bond is formed between the carbon and the oxygen. Indicate which orbitals on each atom participate and account for all electrons shared between the C and O atoms. Drawings may be useful in your description.



9. Silver forms a face-centered cubic structure as a solid. If the density of silver is  $10.6 \text{ g/cm}^3$ , what is the atomic radius of solid silver, in picometers ( $1 \text{ pm} = 10^{-12} \text{ m}$ )?

10. Answer the following questions regarding the nitric oxide, NO:

- a. Complete the MO diagram below for NO. You may assume that the distribution of molecular orbitals is similar to that in O<sub>2</sub>. (6 points)

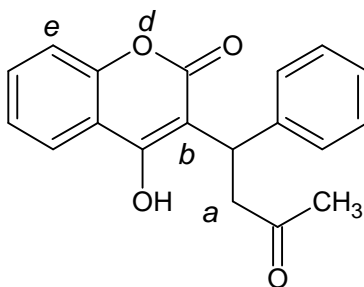


- b. What is the bond order for NO? (2 points)

- c. Is NO paramagnetic? Why or why not? (3 points)

- d. Would you expect the NO<sup>+</sup> ion to be more or less stable than NO? Why? (3 points)

11. Answer the following regarding warfarin, an anticoagulant also known as coumadin. Note: the two unshared electron pairs on each oxygen have been omitted for clarity.



- Circle and name three functional groups in the compound. (4 points)
- What is the molecular formula for warfarin? (2 points)
- How many sigma bonds are there in warfarin? (2 points)
- How many pi bonds? (2 points)
- Identify the hybridization of each of the atoms noted below: (4 points)

Carbon *a*: \_\_\_\_\_

Carbon *b*: \_\_\_\_\_

Oxygen *d*: \_\_\_\_\_

Carbon *e*: \_\_\_\_\_

Possibly Useful Information

$a^2 + b^2 = c^2$	$N_A = 6.02 \times 10^{23} \text{ mol}^{-1}$	henway = 2 to 3 pounds
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1 1A	2 2A	3 3B	4 4B	5 5B	6 6B	7 7B	8 8B	9	10	11	12 2B	13 3A	14 4A	15 5A	16 6A	17 7A	18 8A		
1 H 1.00794	4 Be 9.01218	12 Mg 24.3050	20 Ca 40.078	23 V 50.9415	24 Cr 51.9961	25 Mn 54.9381	26 Fe 55.847	27 Co 58.9332	28 Ni 58.693	29 Cu 63.546	30 Zn 65.39	5 B 10.811	6 C 12.011	7 N 14.0067	8 O 15.9994	9 F 18.9984	10 Ne 20.1797		
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*Lanthanide series																			
†Actinide series																			

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