

Practice Problems
Chapters 3, 4, 9, 10

1. An ionic bond is best described as:
 - a. the sharing of electrons.
 - b. the transfer of electrons from one atom to another.
 - c. the attraction that holds the atoms together in a polyatomic ion.
 - d. the attraction between 2 nonmetal atoms.
 - e. the attraction between 2 metal atoms.

2. The empirical formula was determined to be C_4H_4O , if you know that the molecule has a mass between 130 and 140 g/mol, what is the molecular formula?

3. Which of the following is an atomic element?
 - a. Br
 - b. H
 - c. N
 - d. O
 - e. Mg

4. Give the name for SnO .

5. Give the structure for sodium chlorate.
 - a. $NaClO$
 - b. $NaClO_2$
 - c. $NaClO_3$
 - d. $NaClO_4$

6. Calculate the molar mass of $Al(C_2H_3O_2)_3$.

7. How many N_2O_4 molecules are contained in 76.3 g N_2O_4 ? The molar mass of N_2O_4 is 92.02 g/mol.

8. Give the mass percent of carbon in $C_{14}H_{19}NO_2$.
 - a. 38.89%
 - b. 72.07%
 - c. 5.17%
 - d. 2.78%

9. Determine the empirical formula for a compound that contains C, H and O. It contains 52.14% C and 34.73% O by mass.
 - a. C_2H_6O
 - b. CHO
 - c. $C_4H_{13}O_2$
 - d. CH_4O_3
 - e. CH_3O

10. Which of these compounds is most likely to be ionic?
- A. KF
 - B. CCl₄
 - C. CS₂
 - D. CO₂
 - E. ICl
11. A *nonpolar* covalent bond (i.e., pure covalent) would form in which of these pairs of atoms?
- A. Na – Cl
 - B. H–Cl
 - C. Li–Br
 - D. Se–Br
 - E. Br–Br
12. Which response includes all the molecules below that do not follow the octet rule?
- (1) H₂S (2) BCl₃ (3) PH₃ (4) SF₄
- A. (2) and (4)
 - B. (2) and (3)
 - C. (1) and (2)
 - D. (3) and (4)
 - E. (1) and (4)
13. Determine the electron geometry (eg) and molecular geometry(mg) of BCl₃.
- A. eg=trigonal planar, mg=trigonal planar
 - B. eg=tetrahedral, mg=trigonal planar
 - C. eg=tetrahedral, mg=trigonal pyramidal
 - D. eg=trigonal planar, mg=bent
 - E. eg=trigonal bipyramidal, mg= trigonal bipyramidal
14. Determine the electron geometry (eg) and molecular geometry (mg) of PCl₃:
- A. eg=tetrahedral, mg=bent
 - B. eg=tetrahedral, mg=trigonal pyramidal
 - C. eg=trigonal bipyramidal, mg=linear
 - D. eg=trigonal bipyramidal, mg=trigonal planar
 - E. eg=octahedral, mg=linear
15. How many of the following molecules are polar?

BCl₃ CH₃Cl SiF₄ CO₂

- A. 1
- B. 2
- C. 3
- D. 4
- E. 0

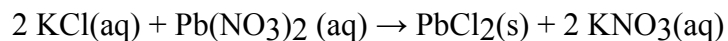
16. Draw the Lewis structure for NO₂⁻ including any valid resonance structures.

17. What volume of 0.305 M AgNO₃ is required to react exactly with 155.0 mL of 0.274 M Na₂SO₄ solution? Hint: you will want to write a balanced reaction.

18. What precipitate is most likely formed from a solution containing Ba⁺², Na⁺¹, OH⁻¹, and CO₃⁻².

- A) NaOH
- B) BaCO₃
- C) Na₂CO₃
- D) Ba(OH)₂

19. According to the following reaction, what volume of 0.244 M KCl solution is required to react exactly with 50.0 mL of 0.210 M Pb(NO₃)₂ solution?



20. Is it possible for a molecule to be nonpolar even though it contains polar bonds? Explain your answer and give an example.

1. B
2. $C_8H_8O_2$
3. E
4. tin (II) oxide
5. C
6. 204.13 g/mol
7. 4.99×10^{23} N_2O_4 molecules
8. B
9. A
10. A
11. E
12. A
13. A
14. B
15. A
16. 3 possible structures
17. 278 mL
18. B
19. 86 mL
20. yes – CF_4