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MULTIPLE CHOICE - 8

CHEMICAL BONDING

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1) Helping concepts

- *1 $\text{C}_2\text{H}_5\text{OH}$ is a polar molecule as it contains a polar O – H bond.
- 2. NaCl is ionic and does not exist as molecules.
- 3. SiO_2 is giant molecular.

2) Helping concepts

- *1. *Weak van der Waals' forces exist between each layer of C atoms. The layers can therefore slide over one another without shattering the lattice. This makes graphite a good lubricant.*
- *2. *Within each layer, each C atom is sp^2 hybridised and it bonds with 3 other C atoms in a trigonal planar manner, forming hexagonal rings. Each C atom is left with a lone electron and these electrons form a mobile electron which contributes to the electrical conductivity in the direction parallel to the planes. Electrons are unable to move from one plane to another and hence, graphite is unable to conduct electricity perpendicular to these planes.*
- *3 *The van der Waals' forces between each plane is weaker than the covalent bonds within each layer .*

3) Helping concept

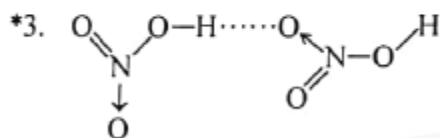
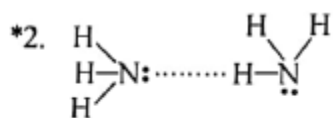
There are strong Si – Cl bonds in the molecule and weak VDW forces between the molecules.

4) Helping concept

The properties of BN should be similar to that of graphite since they share similar structure. Hence, BN should be slippery, non – transparent and can be used as a lubricant.

5) Helping Concepts

1. The N is NH_4^+ does not contain lone electron pair for hydrogen bonding.



6) Helping Concept

The Na^+Cl^- lattice consists of two interlocking facecentred such cubic lattices of Na^+ and Cl^- . Each Na^+ is surrounded octahedrally by six Cl^- , and vice versa. The interionic distance is given by the sum of the ionic radii of Na^+ and Cl^-

7) Helping Concept

- *1 All the 3 molecules have 4 region of electron clouds and hence they are directed tetrahedrally. However, there are 2 lone pair, 1 lone pair and no lone pair of electrons in H_2O , NH_3 and CH_4 respectively. As $1. \text{p.} - 1. \text{p.} > 1. \text{p.} - \text{b. p.} > \text{b. p.} - \text{b. p.}$ repulsion, H_2O would have the smallest bond angle while CH_4 has the largest bond angle.
2. H_2O (-109.5° , V-shaped), SF_6 (90° , octahedral), BF_3 (120° , trigonal planar).
3. CH_4 (109.5° , tetrahedral), CO_2 (180° linear), SF_6 (90° tetrahedral).

8) Helping Concept

- *1. In diamond, each C atom is tetrahedrally bonded to 4 other C atoms. Bond angle = 109.5° .
In graphite, each C atom is bonded to 3 other C atoms in a trigonal planar manner.
Bond angle = 120° .
2. In diamond, each C – C is a normal σ bond. In graphite, there is a sea of delocalised electrons along each plane. There is partial double bond character in the C – C bond length is shorter in graphite.
3. Which C – C bonds in graphite have the same bond length.

9) Helping Concept

1. When AlCl_3 dissolves in benzene, it exists, it exists as Al_2Cl_6 molecules. The solution *obtained does not conduct electricity since there is no mobile ion.*
- *2 AlCl_3 undergoes hydrolysis with the moisture in the air to give HCl fumes.

$$\text{AlCl}_3 (\text{s}) + \text{H}_2\text{O} (\text{l}) \rightleftharpoons \text{Al}(\text{OH})\text{Cl}_2 (\text{s}) + \text{HCl} (\text{g})$$
- *3. *In the vapour phase, AlCl_3 exists as simple Al_2Cl_6 molecules at temperature below 183°C . Above this temperature, the dimer begins to dissociate to give AlCl_3 monomeric molecules.*

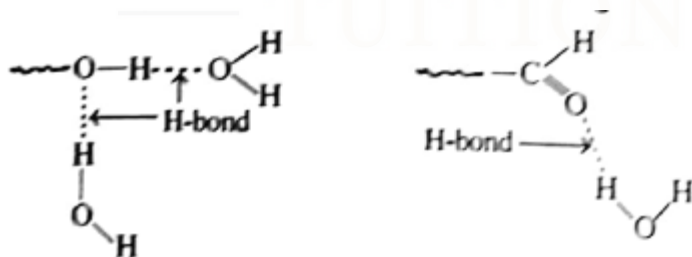
10) Helping Concept

Metallic bonding is present in both Group 1 and Group II metals. *The strength of the metallic bond depends on the number of electrons per atom available for delocalisation and the Interatomic distance between the atoms. The more the electrons available and shorter the interatomic distance, the stronger the metallic bond.*

- *1 Atoms of Group of II are smaller than those of Group 1 in the same period. Atomic size decreases across a period.
- *2. Atoms of Group II metals have 2 valence electrons available for bonding whereas those of Group 1 have only 1.
- *3 This statement is correct but does not explain phenomenon.

11) Helping Concept

Hydrogen bonds can be formed either between the O of H_2O and the H of the $-\text{OH}$ of glucose, or between the H of H_2O and the electronegative O of glucose.



12) Helping Concept

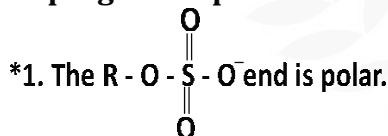
- *1,*2. Dative covalent bonds are formed between Mg and two of the N atoms (shown by line). The other two N atoms form σ bonds with Mg atom (shown by ___ line).
3. Since the structure is planar around Mg, the N atoms are sp^2 hybridised.

13) Helping Concept

A liquid that floats on H_2O is less dense than H_2O . The converse, however, is not necessarily true. A liquid that is less dense than H_2O may not necessarily float on H_2O . Instead, it may mix with H_2O .

- *1. The van der Waals' interactions are different from the H – bonding in H_2O . Therefore, the 2 liquid do not mix. Furthermore, VDW forces are weak and therefore, the hydrocarbon molecules are further apart. It has a lower density.
- *2 The statement implies that H_2O is more dense. Since the 2 types of interactions are different, the 2 liquids do not mix.
- *3 The statement explains why the 2 liquids do not mix.

14) Helping Concept



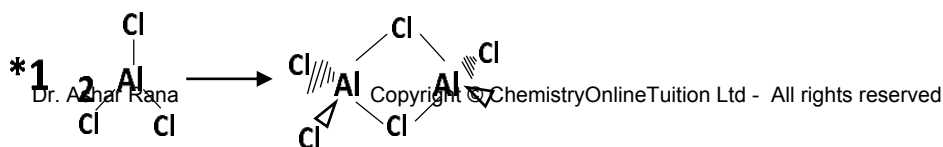
*2. The alkyl chain is hydrophobic and hence is soluble in all drops.

*3 The $C - C - C$ bond angles are tetrahedral since it is saturated (I. e. no $C =$ double Bonds or $C \equiv C$ triple bonds).

15) Helping Concept

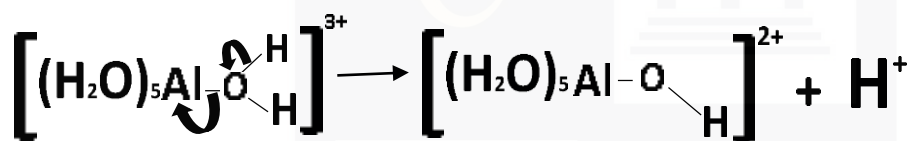
The Group VI elements are generally more electronegative than Group IV elements. The order of polarity of the double bonds is $C = O > C = S > C = Se$. since the order of electronegativity is $O > S > Se$.

16) Helping Concept



$AlCl_3$ dimerises readily to give Al_2Cl_6 So that Al, which has a sextet configuration, gains stability by acquiring an octet configuration.

2,3, Its covalent character and acidity in aqueous solution are due to its high polarising power. i. e. high charge (+3) and small size. The ionic bond, if formed, is greatly polarised and covalency results. Its acidity is due to the successive elimination of protons from the H_2O ligands.



17) Helping Concept

1. If it were true, then one would expect an increase in bond angle instead.

*2*3. According to VSEPR, the repulsion between electron pairs decreases in the order.

Lone pair – Lone pair > Lone pair – bond pair

H_2O with the greatest number of lone electron pairs have the smallest bond angle.

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