

Chapter 1:
Electronic Structure and Bonding
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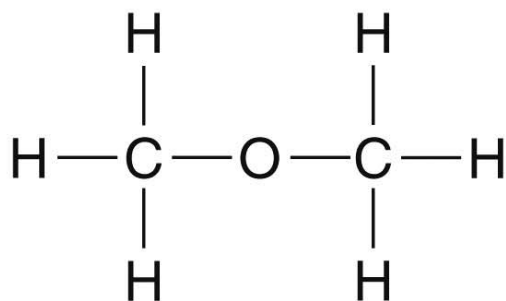
A Brief Review of General Chemistry
(Part 1) (Chapter 1.1-1.7)

1. The Structure of an Atom
2. Ionic and Covalent Bonds

Review ideas from general chemistry:
atoms, bonds, molecular geometry

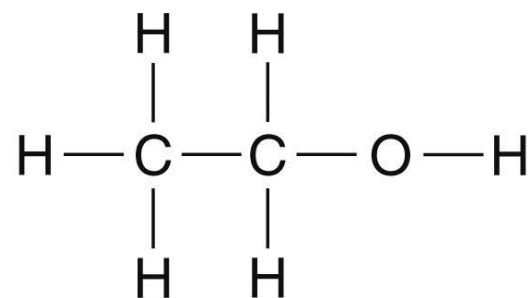
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In the mid 1800s, it was first suggested that substances are defined by a specific arrangement of atoms.



Dimethyl ether

Boiling point = -23°C



Ethanol

Boiling point = 78.4°C

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- An _____ is the set of orbitals with the same value of N .
- The electrons in the outermost occupied shell are _____.
- _____ (lowest energy arrangement) of an atom lists orbitals occupied by its electrons
- _____: He, Ne, Ar, Kr, Xe, and Ra – The “Noble” Gases - are inert elements as their outer electron shells are filled
- Atoms tend to react in ways that enable them to achieve a more stable outer shell of 8 e⁻.

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► If an element gives up (or donates) its electron easily – it is _____

K

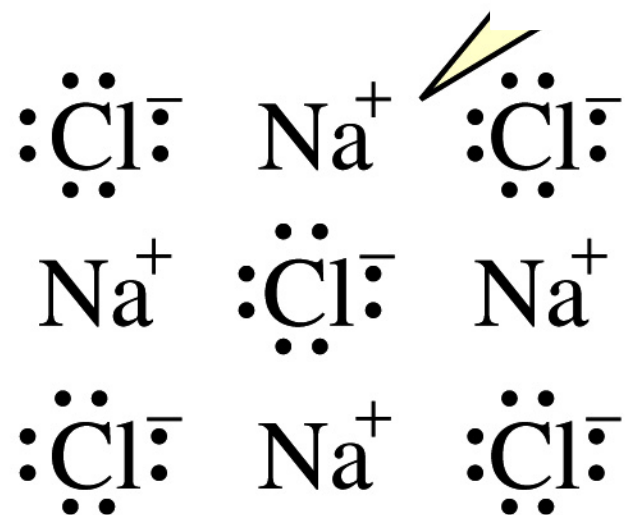
► If an element accepts an electron easily – it is _____

Cl

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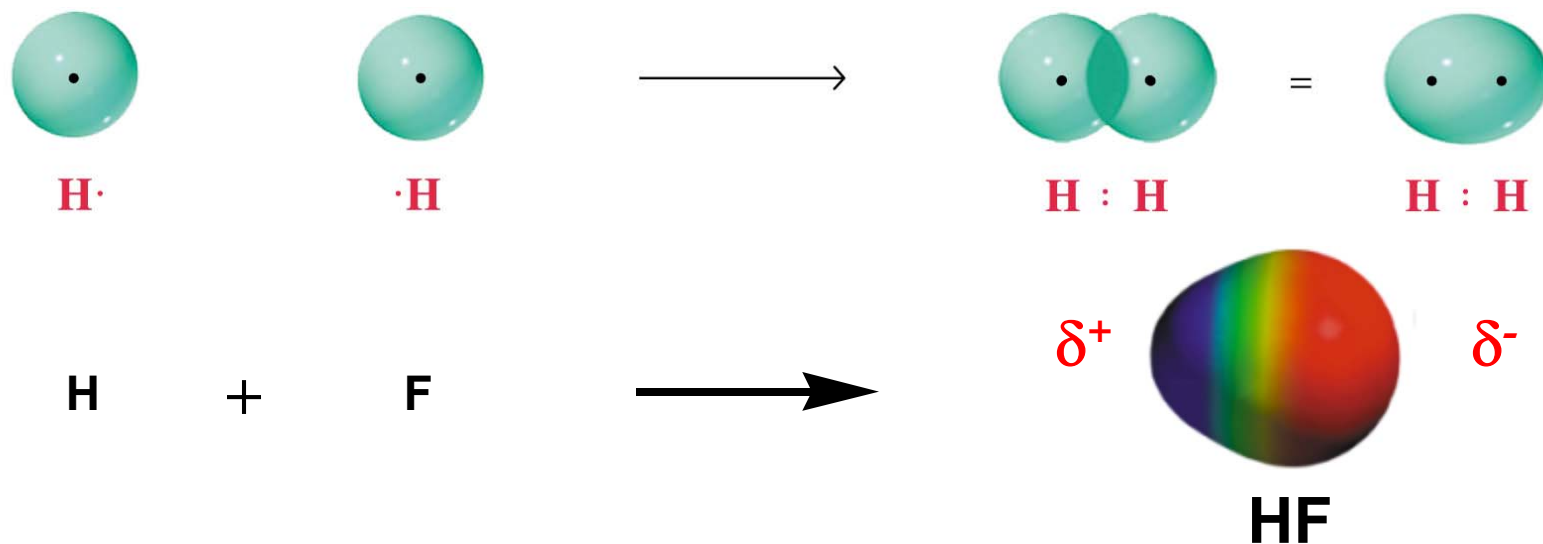
- ▶ How do atoms form an octet?
- ▶ Atoms can obtain octets through
 - ▶ An atom that _____ an electron becomes a negatively charged _____.
 - ▶ An atom that _____ an electron becomes a positively charged _____.

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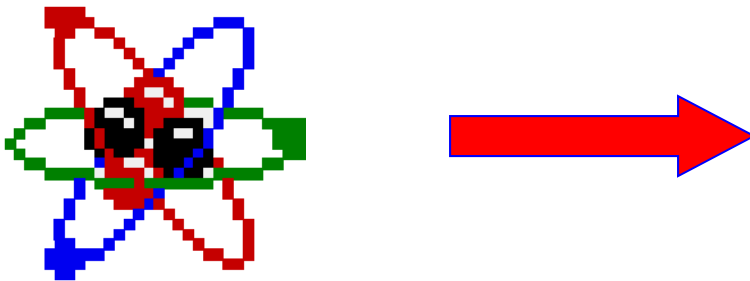
sodium chloride

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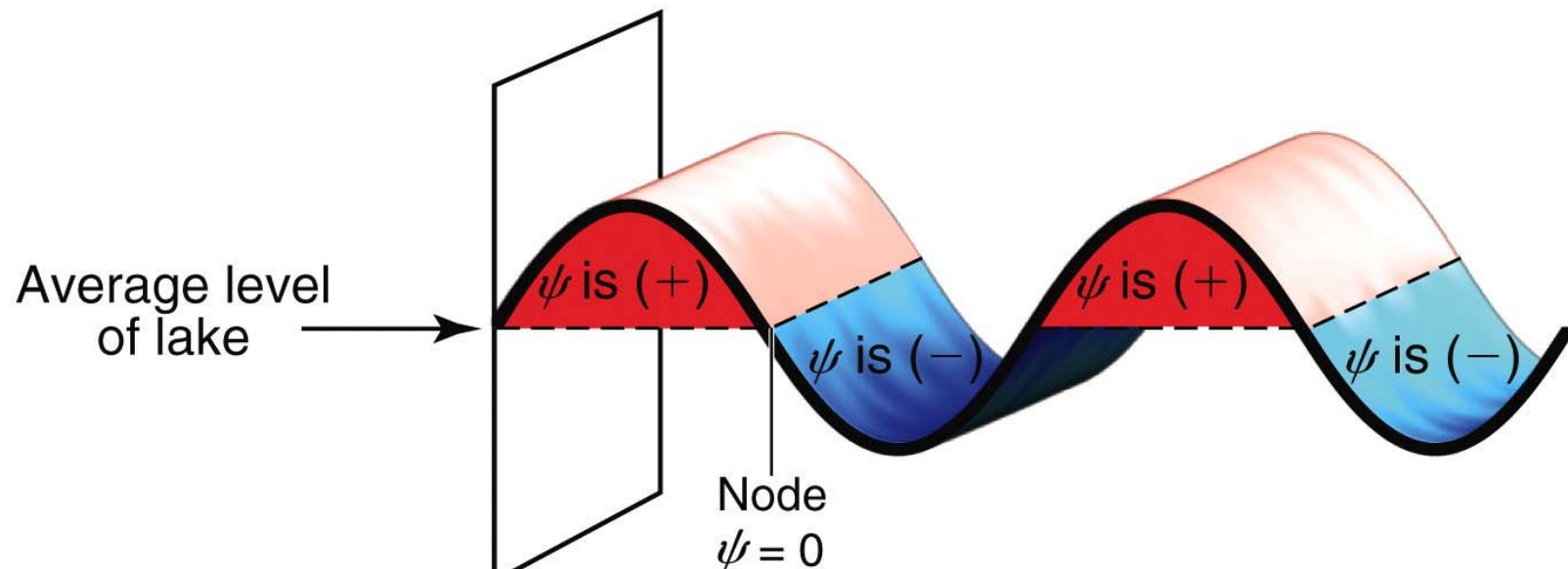
Quantum Mechanics

- ▶ DeBroglie first proposed that matter should exhibit wavelike properties.
- ▶ _____ uses the mathematical equation of wave motions to characterize the motion of an electron around a nucleus.
- ▶ The wave functions (or orbitals) developed by Schrödinger tell the energy of the electron and the volume of space around the nucleus where an electron is most likely to be found.



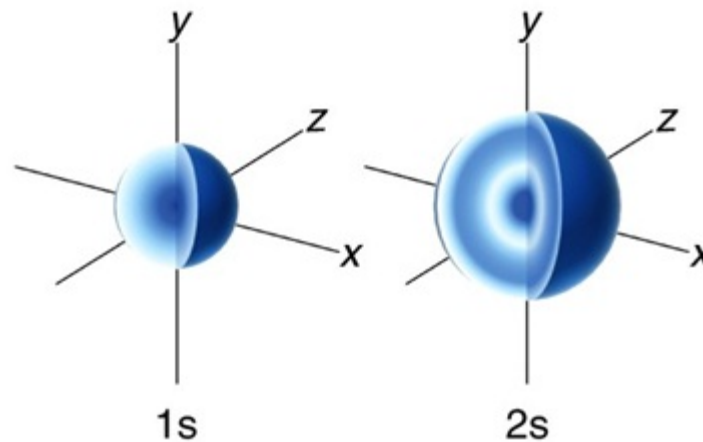
Quantum Mechanics

- ◆ Electrons behave as.
- ◆ An orbital is
- ◆ The theory does match experimental data, and it has predictive capability.



Quantum Mechanics

- ◆ Electrons are most stable (lowest in energy) if they are in the 1s orbital?
- ◆ The 1s orbital is full once there are two electrons in it.
- ◆ The 2s orbital is filled next. The 2s orbital has a node.

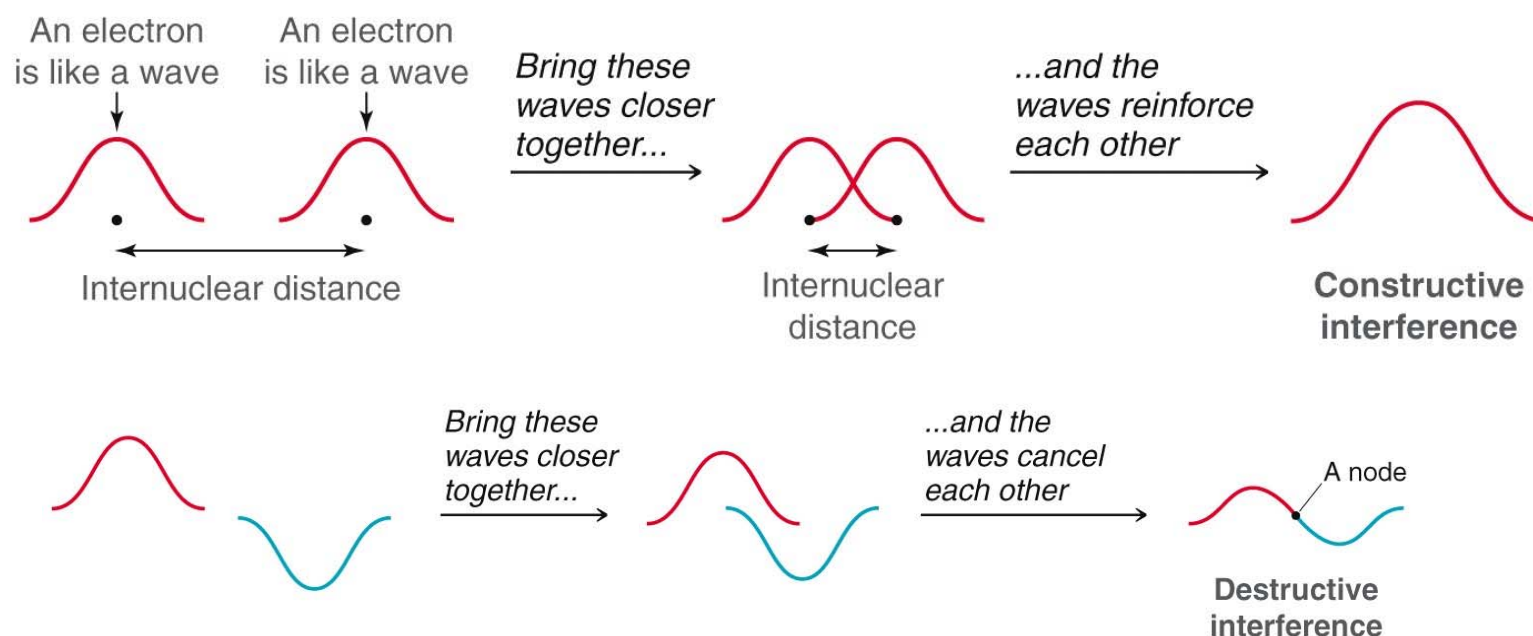


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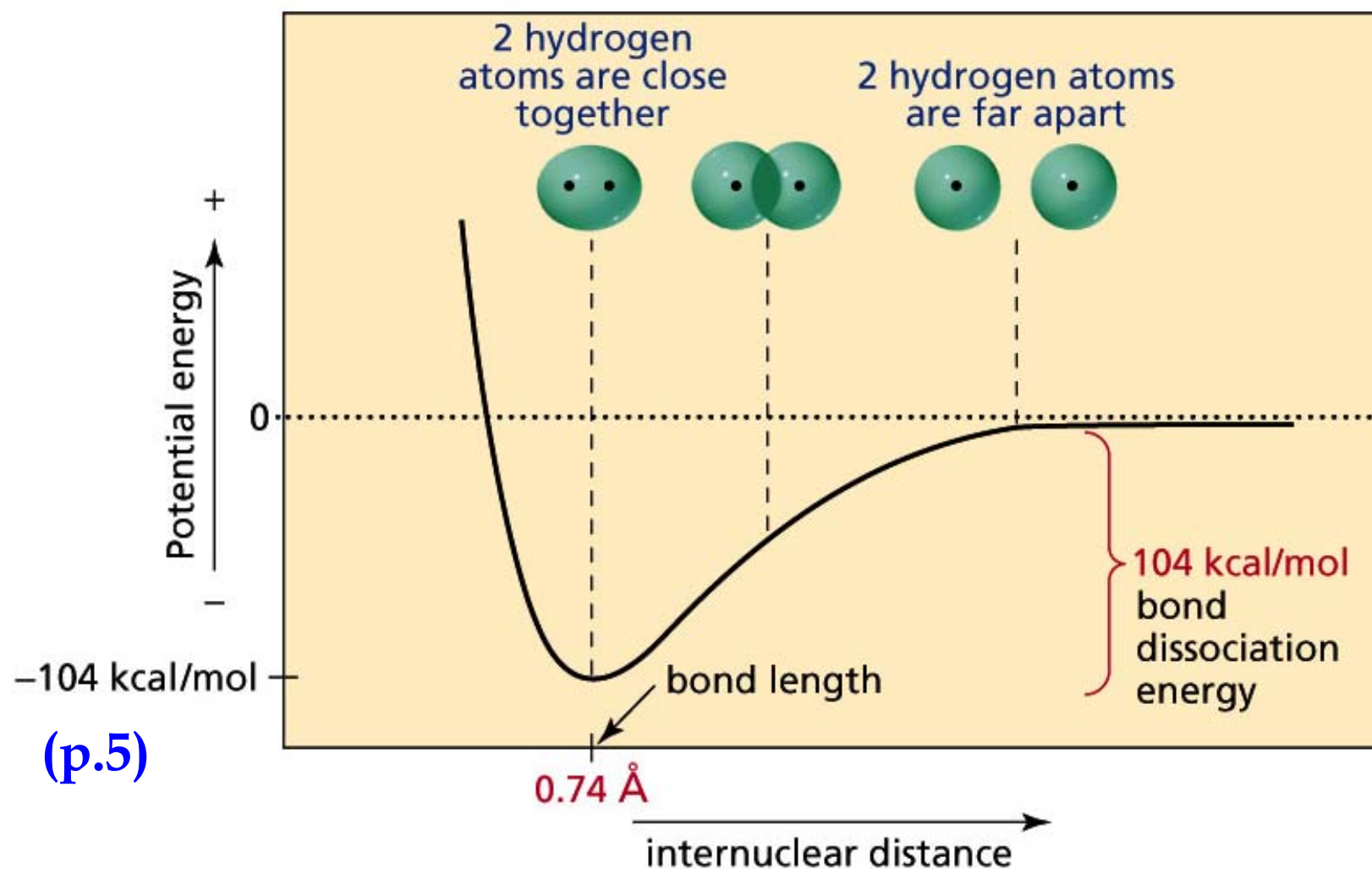
2p - Orbitals

Valence Bond Theory

- ◆ A bond occurs when atomic orbitals overlap. Overlapping orbitals are like overlapping waves.



- ◆ Only constructive interference results in a bond.



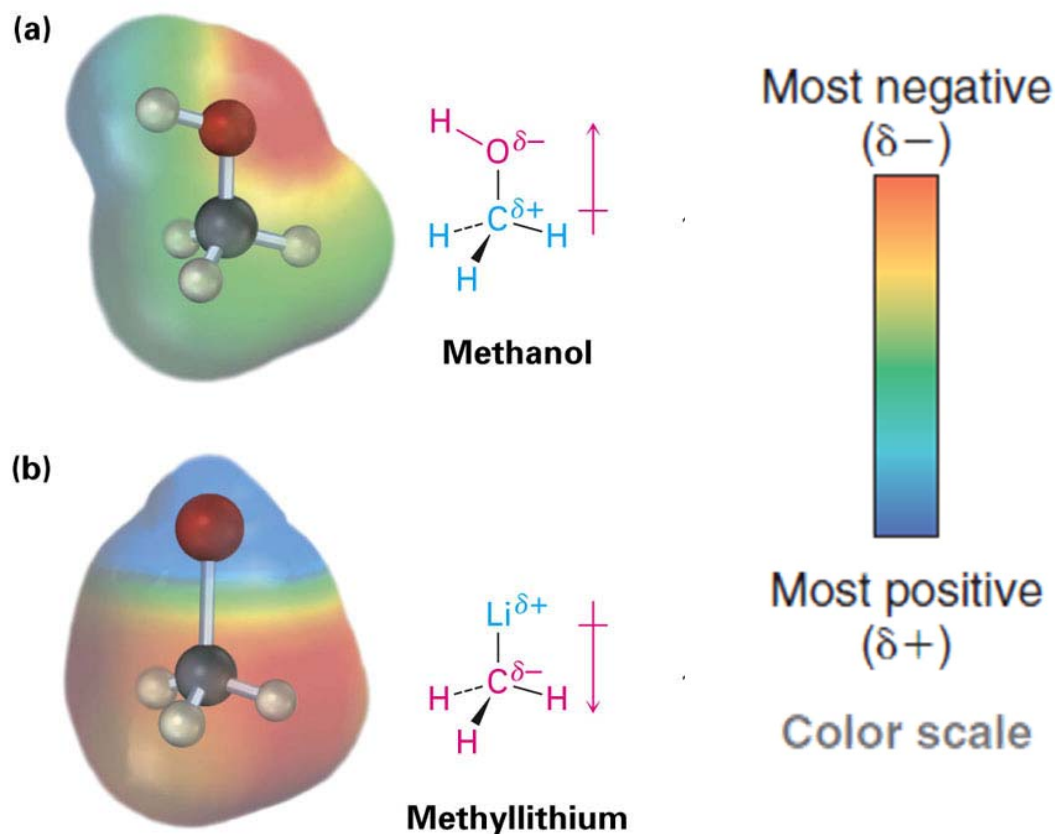
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Organic compounds have

Product has 436 kJ/mol less energy than two atoms: H–H has **bond strength** of 436 kJ/mol or 104 kcal/mol

Electrostatic Potential Maps

- ▶ Colors indicate electron rich (red) and electron-poor (blue) regions
- ▶ Used to give a visual depiction of polarity.
- ▶ Arrows indicate



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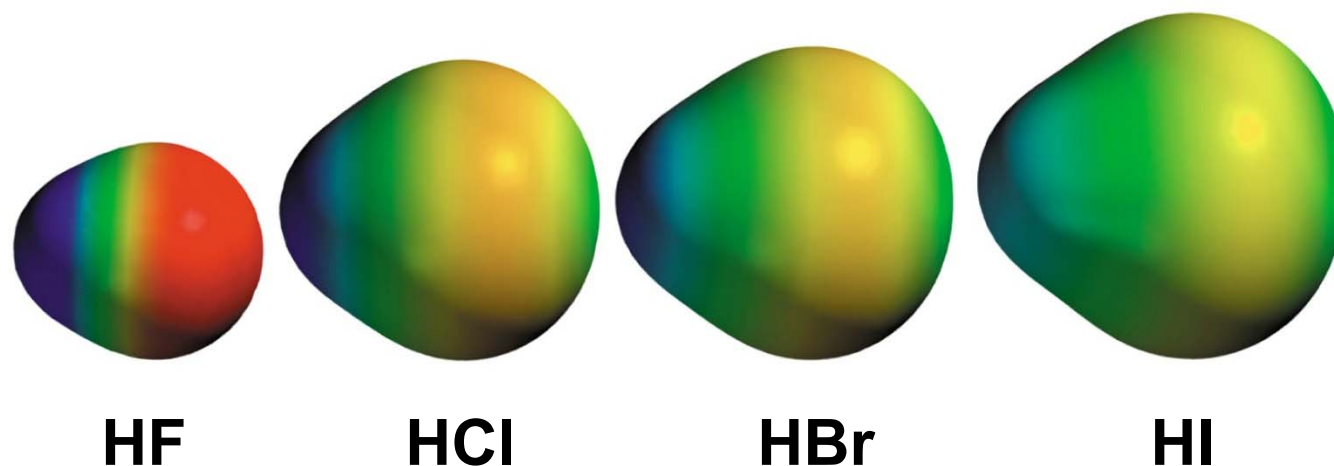



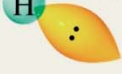
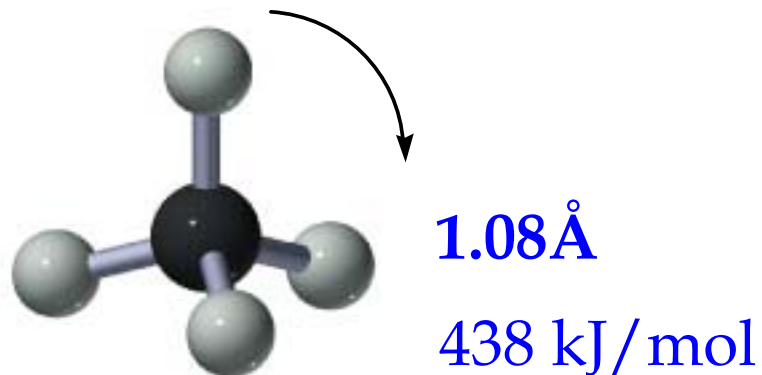
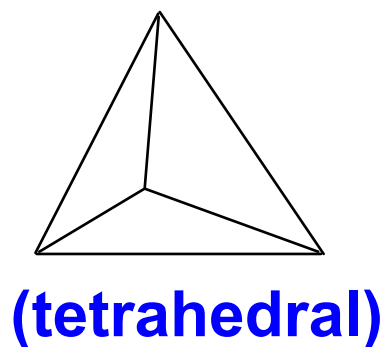
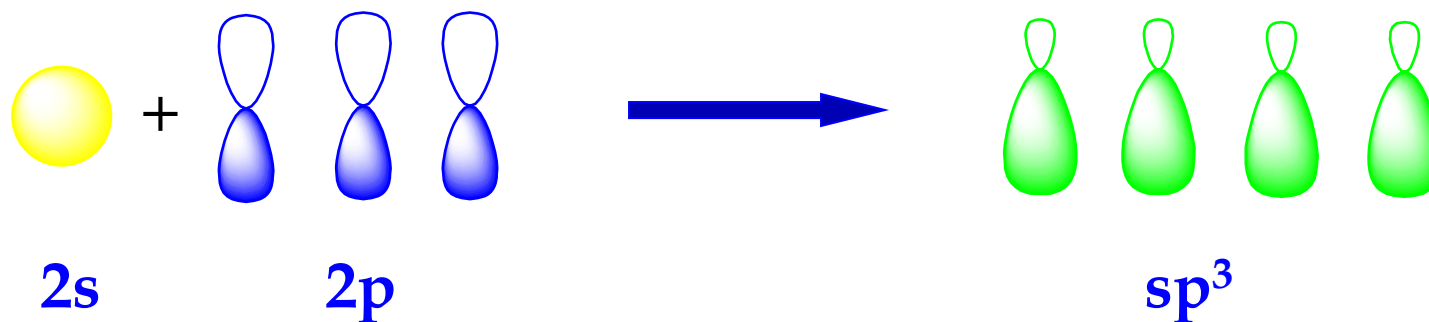


Table 1.6 Hydrogen–Halogen Bond Lengths and Bond Strengths				
Hydrogen halide		Bond length (Å)	Bond strength	
			kcal/mol	kJ/mol
H—F		0.917	136	571
H—Cl		1.2746	103	432
H—Br		1.4145	87	366
H—I		1.6090	71	298

sp^3 Orbitals and the Structure of Methane



For Next Time....

- ▶ Friday Sections 1.8 – 1.11
 - ▶ Monday Chapter 2 (2.1-2.7)
 - ▶ Wednesday Chapter 2 (2.8-2.11)
- ▶ Homework Practice Problems Chapter 1
#8,12,15,37,39,43,45,48,49,53,56
- ▶ If you will be needing Accommodations – please contact me as soon as possible.