

### Hybridization and the Localized Electron Model



#### **Exercise**

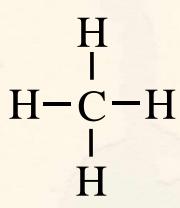
# Draw the Lewis structure for methane, CH<sub>4</sub>.

What is the shape of a methane molecule?

tetrahedral

What are the bond angles?

109.5°





#### **Concept Check**

What is the valence electron configuration of a carbon atom?

$$s^2p^2$$

Why can't the bonding orbitals for methane be formed by an overlap of atomic orbitals?

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#### **Bonding in Methane**

 Assume that the carbon atom has four equivalent atomic orbitals, arranged tetrahedrally.

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#### **Hybridization**

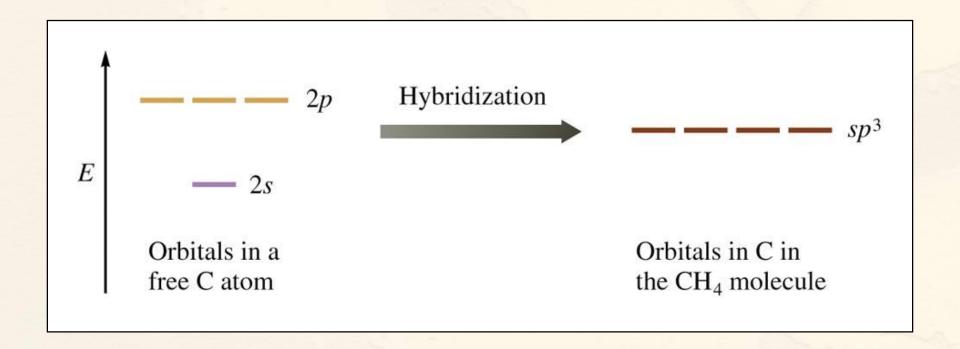
 Mixing of the native atomic orbitals to form special orbitals for bonding.

## sp<sup>3</sup> Hybridization

- Combination of one s and three p orbitals.
- Whenever a set of equivalent tetrahedral atomic orbitals is required by an atom, the localized electron model assumes that the atom adopts a set of  $sp^3$  orbitals; the atom becomes  $sp^3$  hybridized.

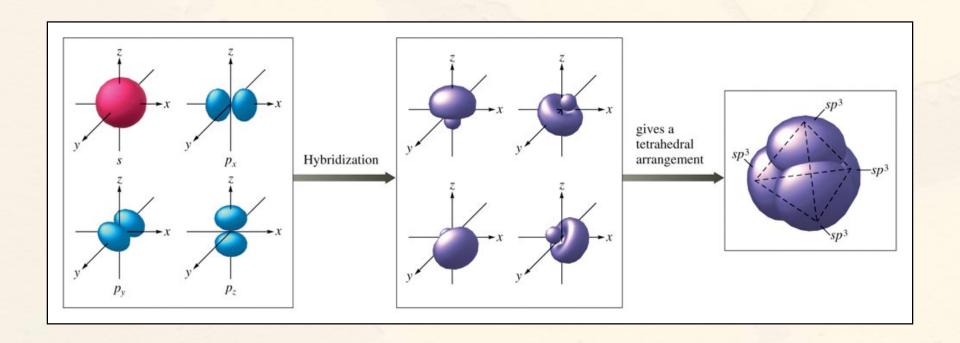
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An Energy-Level Diagram Showing the Formation of Four *sp*<sup>3</sup> Orbitals

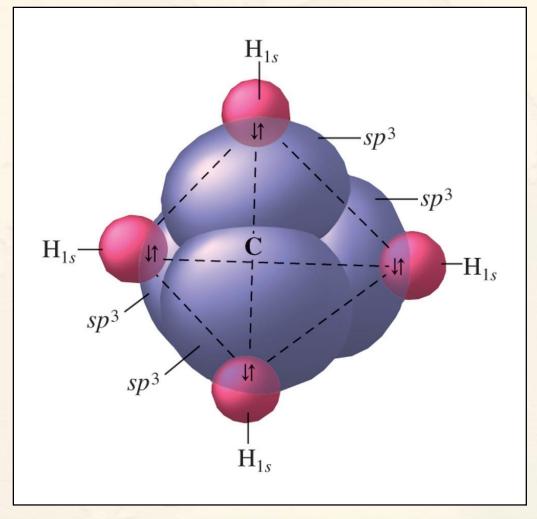


## **Hybridization and the Localized Electron Model**

## The Formation of sp<sup>3</sup> Hybrid Orbitals



# Tetrahedral Set of Four sp<sup>3</sup> Orbitals





#### **Exercise**

Draw the Lewis structure for C<sub>2</sub>H<sub>4</sub> (ethylene)?

What is the shape of an ethylene molecule?

trigonal planar around each carbon atom

• What are the approximate bond angles around the carbon atoms?

120°

$$H \subset C$$

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#### **Concept Check**

Why can't sp<sup>3</sup> hybridization account for the ethylene molecule?

# sp<sup>2</sup> Hybridization

- Combination of one s and two p orbitals.
- Gives a trigonal planar arrangement of atomic orbitals.
- One p orbital is not used.
  - Oriented perpendicular to the plane of the sp<sup>2</sup> orbitals.

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### Sigma (o) Bond

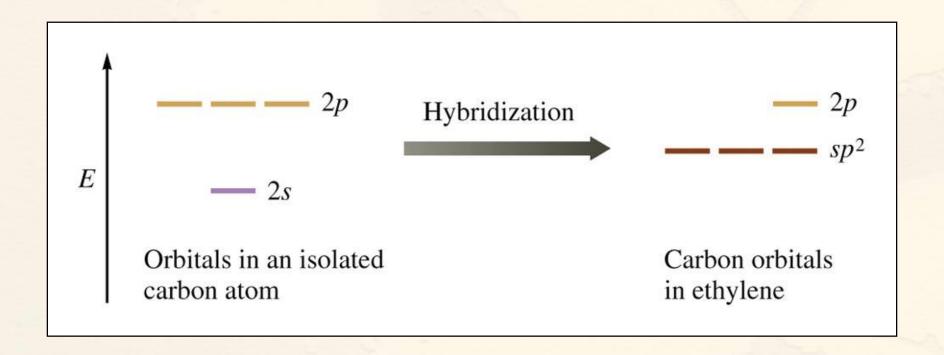
 Electron pair is shared in an area centered on a line running between the atoms.

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## $Pi(\pi)$ Bond

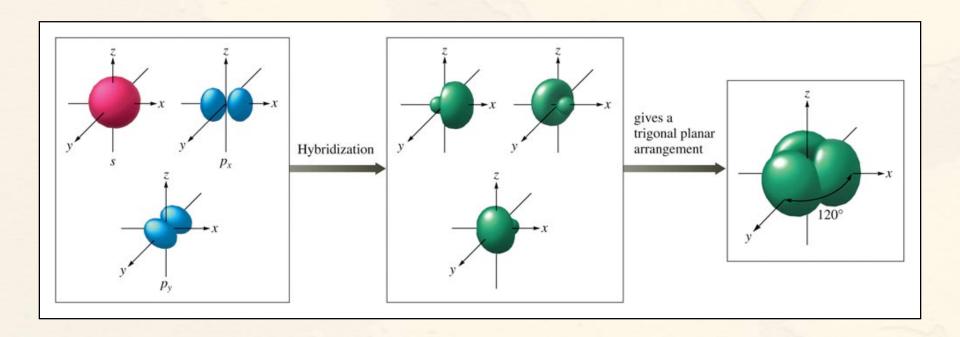
- Forms double and triple bonds by sharing electron pair(s) in the space above and below the σ bond.
- Uses the unhybridized p orbitals.

## An Orbital Energy-Level Diagram for sp<sup>2</sup> Hybridization



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# The Hybridization of the s, $p_x$ , and $p_y$ Atomic Orbitals



#### Formation of C=C Double Bond in Ethylene

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#### **Exercise**

# Draw the Lewis structure for CO<sub>2</sub>.

What is the shape of a carbon dioxide molecule?

linear

What are the bond angles?

180°

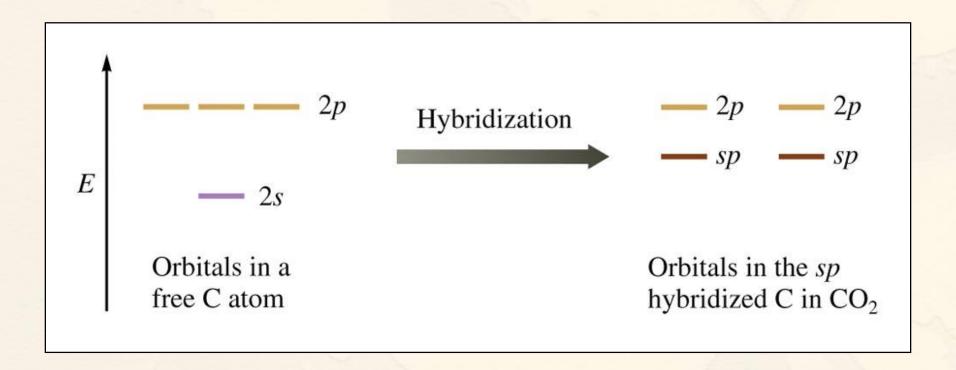
$$\dot{O} = C = \dot{O}$$

### sp Hybridization

- Combination of one s and one p orbital.
- Gives a linear arrangement of atomic orbitals.
- Two p orbitals are not used.
  - Needed to form the  $\pi$  bonds.

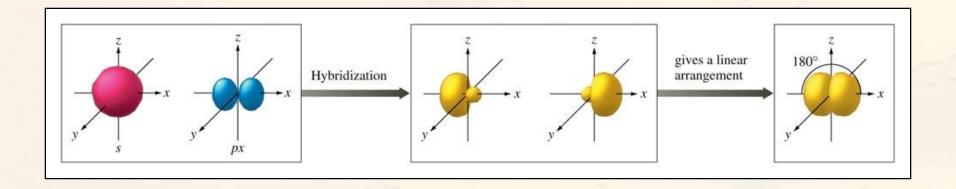
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The Orbital Energy-Level Diagram for the Formation of *sp* Hybrid Orbitals on Carbon



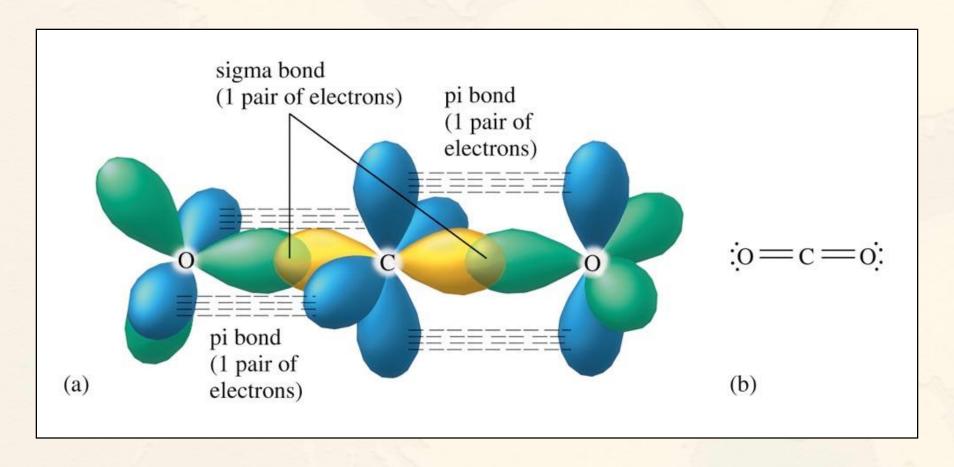
### **Hybridization and the Localized Electron Model**

When One s Orbital and One p Orbital are Hybridized, a Set of Two sp Orbitals Oriented at 180 Degrees Results



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## The Orbitals for CO<sub>2</sub>



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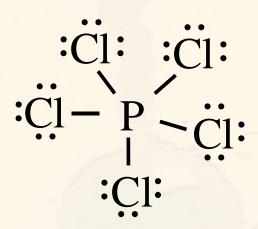
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# Draw the Lewis structure for PCI<sub>5</sub>.

What is the shape of a phosphorus pentachloride molecule?

trigonal bipyramidal

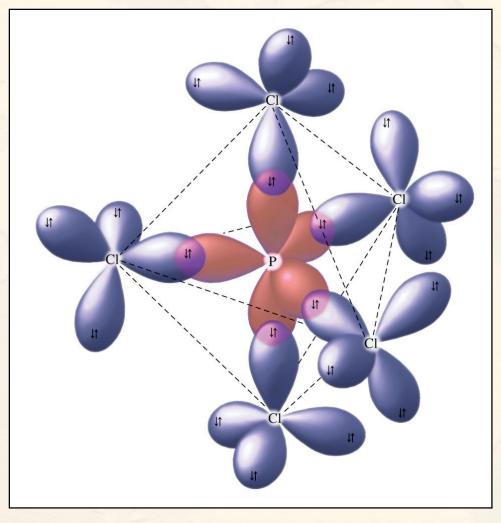
What are the bond angles?
90° and 120°



## dsp<sup>3</sup> Hybridization

- Combination of one d, one s, and three p orbitals.
- Gives a trigonal bipyramidal arrangement of five equivalent hybrid orbitals.

#### The Orbitals Used to Form the Bonds in PCI<sub>5</sub>



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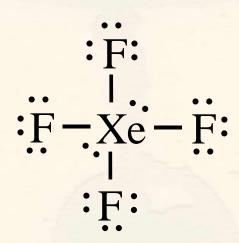
#### **Exercise**

# Draw the Lewis structure for XeF<sub>4</sub>.

What is the shape of a xenon tetrafluoride molecule?

#### octahedral

What are the bond angles?
90° and 180°



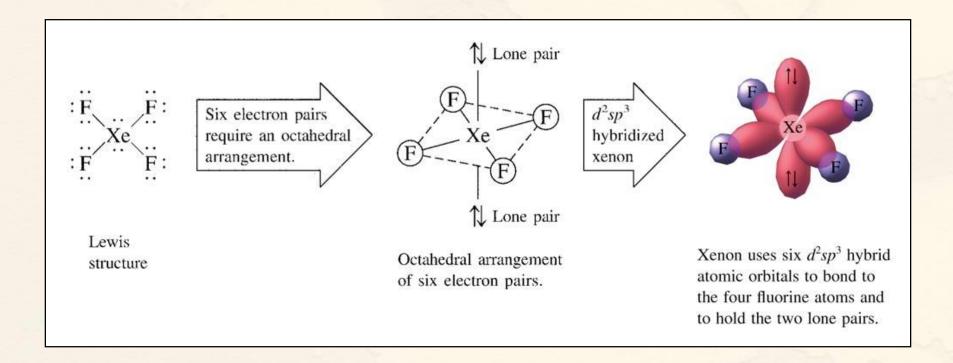
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## d<sup>2</sup>sp<sup>3</sup> Hybridization

- Combination of two d, one s, and three p orbitals.
- Gives an octahedral arrangement of six equivalent hybrid orbitals.

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### How is the Xenon Atom in XeF<sub>4</sub> Hybridized?



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#### **Concept Check**

Draw the Lewis structure for HCN. Which hybrid orbitals are used? Draw HCN:

- Showing all bonds between atoms.
- Labeling each bond as  $\sigma$  or  $\pi$ .

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#### **Concept Check**

Determine the bond angle and expected hybridization of the central atom for each of the following molecules:

 $NH_3$   $SO_2$   $KrF_2$ 

CO<sub>2</sub> ICI<sub>5</sub>

 $NH_3 - 109.5^{\circ}$ , sp<sup>3</sup>

 $SO_2 - 120^\circ$ , sp<sup>2</sup>

 $KrF_2 - 90^\circ$ , 120°, dsp<sup>3</sup>

 $CO_2 - 180^\circ$ , sp

 $ICI_5 - 90^{\circ}$ , 180°, d<sup>2</sup>sp<sup>3</sup>

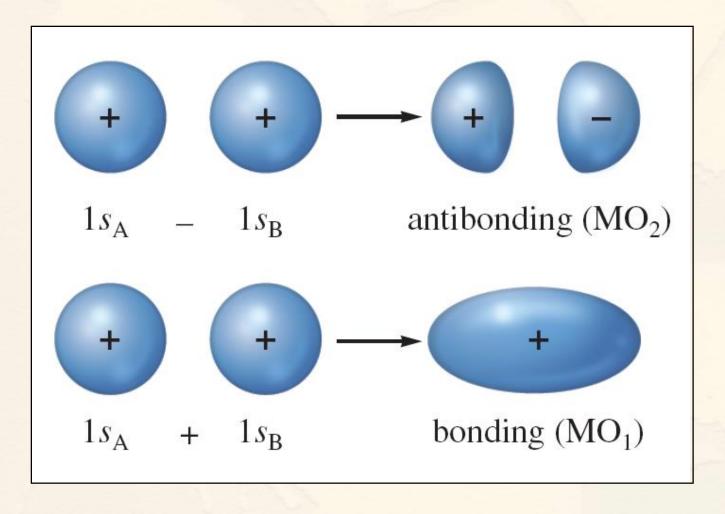
### **Using the Localized Electron Model**

- Draw the Lewis structure(s).
- Determine the arrangement of electron pairs using the VSEPR model.
- Specify the hybrid orbitals needed to accommodate the electron pairs.

- Regards a molecule as a collection of nuclei and electrons, where the electrons are assumed to occupy orbitals much as they do in atoms, but having the orbitals extend over the entire molecule.
- The electrons are assumed to be delocalized rather than always located between a given pair of atoms.

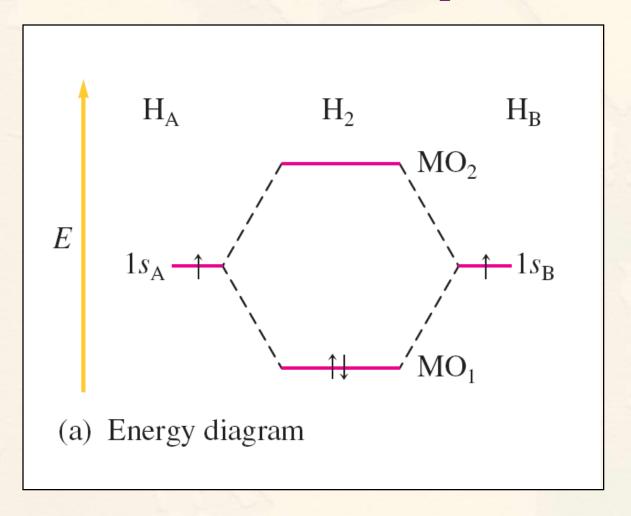
- The electron probability of both molecular orbitals is centered along the line passing through the two nuclei.
  - Sigma (σ) molecular orbitals (MOs)
- In the molecule only the molecular orbitals are available for occupation by electrons.

#### Combination of Hydrogen 1s Atomic Orbitals to form MOs



- MO<sub>1</sub> is lower in energy than the s orbitals of free atoms, while MO<sub>2</sub> is higher in energy than the s orbitals.
  - Bonding molecular orbital lower in energy
  - Antibonding molecular orbital higher in energy

#### MO Energy-Level Diagram for the H<sub>2</sub> Molecule



### The Molecular Orbital Model

- The molecular orbital model produces electron distributions and energies that agree with our basic ideas of bonding.
- The labels on molecular orbitals indicate their symmetry (shape), the parent atomic orbitals, and whether they are bonding or antibonding.

### The Molecular Orbital Model

- Molecular electron configurations can be written similar to atomic electron configurations.
- Each molecular orbital can hold 2 electrons with opposite spins.
- The number of orbitals are conserved.

# The Molecular Orbital Model

# **Bonding in H<sub>2</sub>**

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# The Molecular Orbital Model

# **Sigma Bonding and Antibonding Orbitals**

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### The Molecular Orbital Model

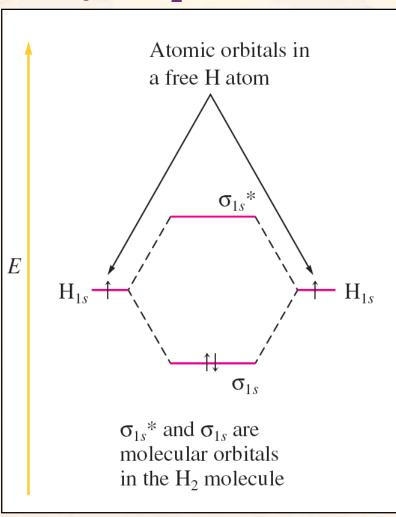
#### **Bond Order**

Larger bond order means greater bond strength.

Bond order = 
$$\frac{\text{# of bonding e}^- - \text{# of antibonding e}^-}{2}$$

# The Molecular Orbital Model

# Example: H<sub>2</sub>

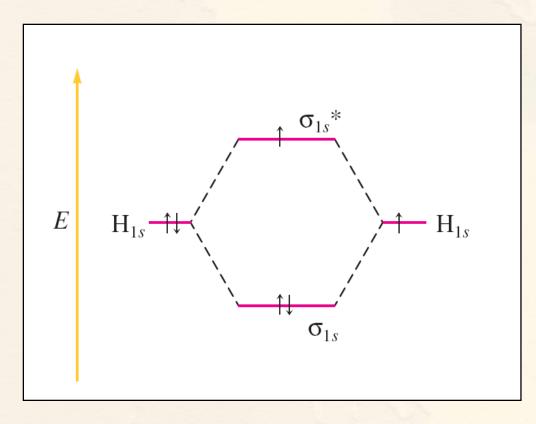


Bond order = 
$$\frac{2-0}{2}$$
 = 1

# The Molecular Orbital Model

Example: H<sub>2</sub><sup>-</sup>

Bond order = 
$$\frac{2-1}{2} = \frac{1}{2}$$



#### **Homonuclear Diatomic Molecules**

- Composed of 2 identical atoms.
- Only the valence orbitals of the atoms contribute significantly to the molecular orbitals of a particular molecule.

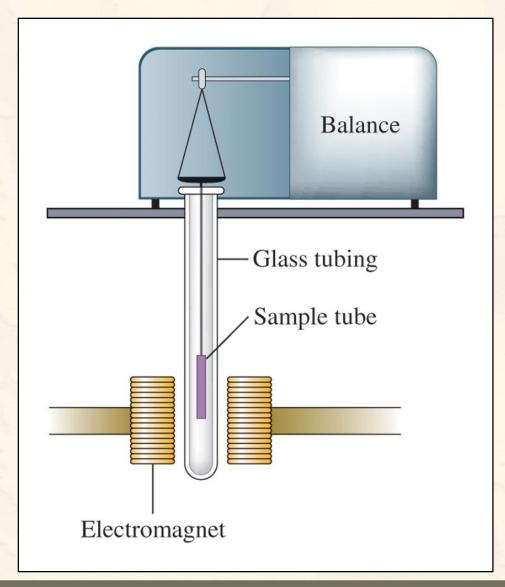
### Pi Bonding and Antibonding Orbitals

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Interesting effects are observed when these elements are placed in the presence of an external magnetic field.

Some elements are attracted to the magnet, others repelled

Apparatus Used to Measure the Paramagnetism of a Sample



# **Paramagnetism**

- Paramagnetism substance is attracted into the inducing magnetic field.
  - Unpaired electrons (O<sub>2</sub>)
- Diamagnetism substance is repelled from the inducing magnetic field.
  - Paired electrons (N<sub>2</sub>)

### **Molecular Orbital Summary of Second Row Diatomic Molecules**

	$\mathbf{B}_2$	$C_2$	$N_2$	$\mathrm{O}_2$	$\mathbf{F}_2$
E	$\sigma_{2p}^*$			$\sigma_{2p}^*$	
	$\pi_{2p}^*$ ————————————————————————————————————		———	$\pi_{2p}^*$ $\longrightarrow$	₩ ₩
	$\sigma_{2p}$ ———		<del></del>	$\pi_{2p}$	+ +
	$\pi_{2p}$ $\uparrow$	<del>-11</del>	<del>-1 </del>	$\sigma_{2p}$ $\longrightarrow$	<del>1 </del>
	$\sigma_{2s}^*$	<del>1↓</del>	<del>- †↓</del>	$\sigma_{2s}^*$	<del>1 </del>
	$\sigma_{2s}$ $\longrightarrow$	<del>1↓</del>	<del></del>	$\sigma_{2s}$	<del>1 </del>
Magnetism	Paramagnetic	Diamagnetic	Diamagnetic	Paramagnetic	Diamagnetic
Bond order	1	2	3	2	1
Observed bond dissociation energy (kJ/mol)	290	620	942	495	154
Observed bond length (pm)	159	131	110	121	143

# **Bonding in Heteronuclear Diatomic Molecules**

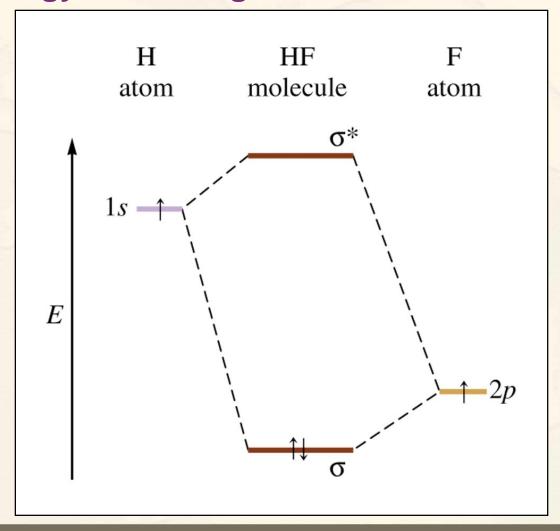
#### **Heteronuclear Diatomic Molecules**

Composed of 2 different atoms.

#### Heteronuclear Diatomic Molecule: HF

- The 2p orbital of fluorine is at a lower energy than the 1s orbital of hydrogen because fluorine binds its valence electrons more tightly.
  - Electrons prefer to be closer to the fluorine atom.
- Thus the 2p electron on a free fluorine atom is at a lower energy than the 1s electron on a free hydrogen atom.

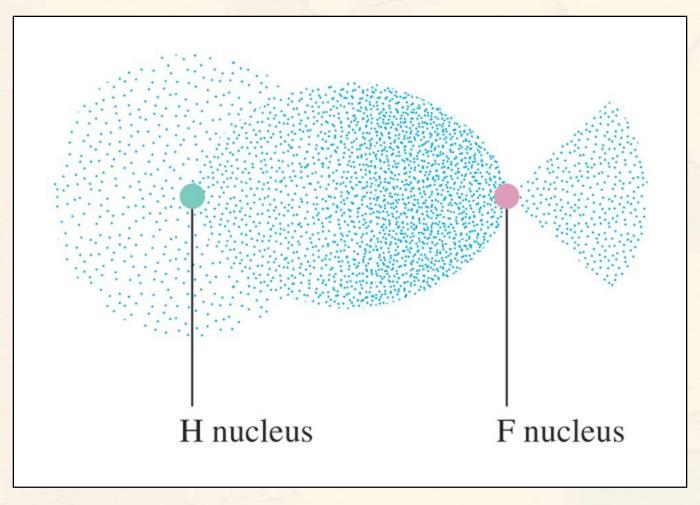
### **Orbital Energy-Level Diagram for the HF Molecule**



#### Heteronuclear Diatomic Molecule: HF

 The diagram predicts that the HF molecule should be stable because both electrons are lowered in energy relative to their energy in the free hydrogen and fluorine atoms, which is the driving force for bond formation.

The Electron Probability Distribution in the Bonding Molecular Orbital of the HF Molecule



### Heteronuclear Diatomic Molecule: HF

- The σ molecular orbital containing the bonding electron pair shows greater electron probability close to the fluorine.
- The electron pair is not shared equally.
- This causes the fluorine atom to have a slight excess of negative charge and leaves the hydrogen atom partially positive.
- This is exactly the bond polarity observed for HF.

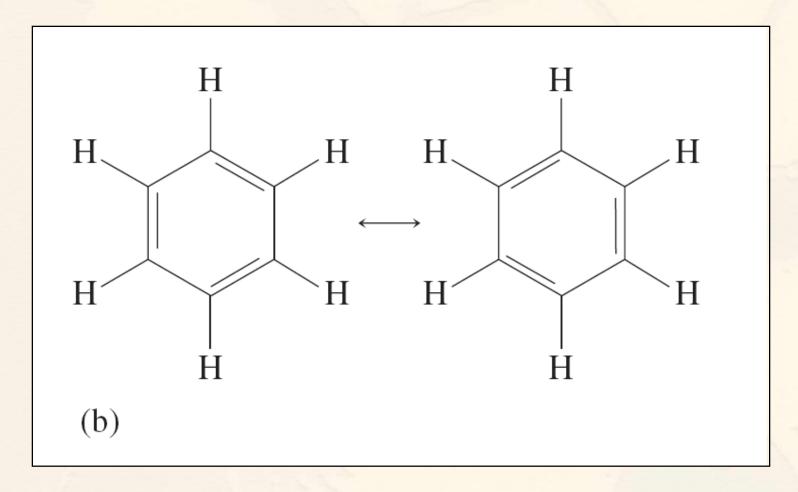
### Combining the Localized Electron and Molecular Orbital Models

#### **Delocalization**

- Describes molecules that require resonance.
- In molecules that require resonance, it is the  $\pi$  bonding that is most clearly delocalized, the  $\sigma$  bonds are localized.
- p orbitals perpendicular to the plane of the molecule are used to form  $\pi$  molecular orbitals.
- The electrons in the  $\pi$  molecular orbitals are delocalized above and below the plane of the molecule.

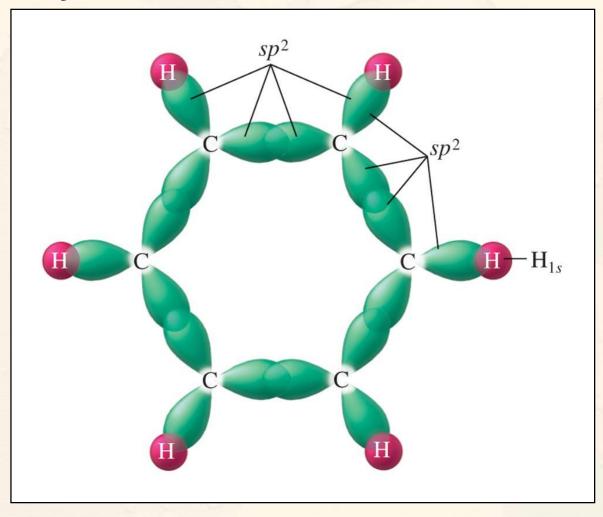
### **Combining the Localized Electron and Molecular Orbital Models**

#### Resonance in Benzene



### **Combining the Localized Electron and Molecular Orbital Models**

### The Sigma System for Benzene



### **Combining the Localized Electron and Molecular Orbital Models**

### The Pi System for Benzene

