

$|\Delta\chi|$ 

Bond Type

 $|\Delta\chi|$  = absolute value of difference between electronegativities $\leq .40$ 

non-polar covalent

 $.40 - 2.0$ 

polar covalent

 $\geq 2.0$ 

ionic

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## MOLECULAR GEOMETRY

These columns!

 $\delta^-$  (~~delta~~ <sup>delta</sup> negative) means partial neg charge

Check this before moving on to next column.

Show  $\Delta\chi$  + polar bonds + partial charges

Compound Write formula as well.	e <sup>-</sup> structure	Molecular Geometry	Shape & Angle	Hybridization	Polar, non-polar
Selenium Dichloride $SeCl_2$	$:\ddot{Cl}-\ddot{Se}-\ddot{Cl}:$	$ \Delta\chi  =  2.55 - 3.16  = .61$ 	tetrahedral bent $105^\circ$	$sp^3$	polar
Carbonate $CO_3^{2-}$	$[\ddot{O}=\ddot{C}-\ddot{O}]^{2-}$ $ \ddot{O}:$	$ \Delta\chi  =  3.44 - 2.55  = .89$ 	trigonal planar $120^\circ$	$sp^2$	non-polar
Hydronium $H_3O^+$	$[\text{H}-\ddot{O}-\text{H}]^+$ $ \text{H}$	$ \Delta\chi  =  3.44 - 2.20  = 1.24$ 	trigonal pyramidal $107^\circ$	$sp^3$	Polar
Sulfur dioxide $SO_2$	$\ddot{O}=\ddot{S}-\ddot{O}:$	$ \Delta\chi  =  3.44 - 2.58  = .86$ 	trigonal bent $< 120^\circ$	$sp^2$	polar
Sulfite $SO_3^{2-}$	$[\ddot{O}-\ddot{S}-\ddot{O}]^{2-}$ $ \ddot{O}:$	$ \Delta\chi  = .86$ 	trigonal pyramidal $107^\circ$	$sp^3$	Polar
Sulfate $SO_4^{2-}$	$[\ddot{O}-\ddot{S}-\ddot{O}]^{2-}$ $ \ddot{O}:$	$ \Delta\chi  = .86$ 	tetrahedral	$sp^3$	non-polar

molecule not bonds.

Compound	e <sup>-</sup> structure	Molecular Geometry	Shape & Angle	Hybridization	Polar, non-polar
Hydrogen Fluoride HF	H - F: :F:	$ \Delta\chi  =  2.20 - 3.98  = 1.78$ H <sup>+</sup> → F <sup>-</sup>	Linear 180°	sp	polar
Boron Trichloride BCl <sub>3</sub>	:Cl:   B   :Cl: :Cl:	$ \Delta\chi  =  2.04 - 3.16  = 1.14$ δ <sup>+</sup> Cl → δ <sup>-</sup> B → δ <sup>-</sup> Cl	trigonal planar	sp <sup>2</sup>	non-polar
Silicon Tetrafluoride SiF <sub>4</sub>	:F:   :F:-Si-F:   :F:	$ \Delta\chi  =  1.90 - 3.98  = 2.08$ δ <sup>+</sup> Si → δ <sup>-</sup> F	tetrahedral	sp <sup>3</sup>	non-polar
Phosphorus Triiodide PI <sub>3</sub>	:I: :I:-P-I:   :I:	$ \Delta\chi  =  2.19 - 2.66  = .47$ δ <sup>+</sup> P → δ <sup>-</sup> I	trigonal pyramidal	sp <sup>3</sup>	polar
Beryllium Difluoride BeF <sub>2</sub>	:F::Be::F:	$ \Delta\chi  =  1.57 - 3.98  = 2.41$ F=Be=F	Ionic, so doesn't apply.		

\*exception to octet rule

considered very polar, not necessarily ionic

ionic

