



EASTERN UNIVERSITY, SRI LANKA
FIRST EXAMINATION IN SCIENCE (PROPER) – 2004/2005 (JUNE 2008)
FIRST SEMESTER – EXTERNAL DEGREE
EXTCH 101 PERIODICITY AND BONDING

Time: 01 hour

Planks constant 6.6262×10^{-34} Js, mass of electron 9.1091×10^{-31} kg, charge of electron 1.602×10^{-19} C, permittivity of vacuum $8.854 \times 10^{-12} \text{ kg}^{-1} \text{ m}^{-3} \text{ A}^2$

- 1) a) Briefly explain the following
- i) Hybridization (using sp hybridization as an example)
 - ii) Hydrogen bond
- (40 marks)
- b) i) Write down the expression for the radius of an orbit and identify all the terms in it.
- (05 marks)
- ii) Calculate the radius of the second Bohr orbital for hydrogen.
- (10 marks)
- iii) Use this radius to calculate the velocity of an electron in this orbit
- (15 marks)
- c) Draw the Born-Haber cycle for the formation of an ionic compound MX_2 , where M = alkali earth metal and X = halogen
Hence write down an expression for the heat of formation of MX_2 in terms of other energy levels.
- (30 marks)
- 2) a) State
- i) Hess law
 - ii) Heisenberg uncertainty principle
- (30 marks)
- b) Draw the molecular orbital energy level diagram for NO and show that it is paramagnetic.
- (26 marks)
- c) i) What do you understand by Valence Shell Electron Pair Repulsion (VSEPR) theory?
- (8 marks)
- ii) Predict the shape of the following molecules using Valence Shell Electron Pair Repulsion theory.
- I) BO_3^- II) I_3^- III) XeO_2F_2
- (36 marks)