

1. (15 pts.) In order to form an MO from AO's three things need to be true about the AO's.  
 Those three things are...

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2. \_\_\_\_\_

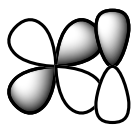


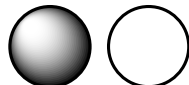
3. \_\_\_\_\_

4. \_\_\_\_\_

2. (a. 8 pts.) Determine whether the following molecular orbitals are bonding or antibonding.  
 (c. 8 pts.) Determine the symmetry of the molecular orbitals ( $\sigma$ ,  $\pi$ ,  $\delta$ )

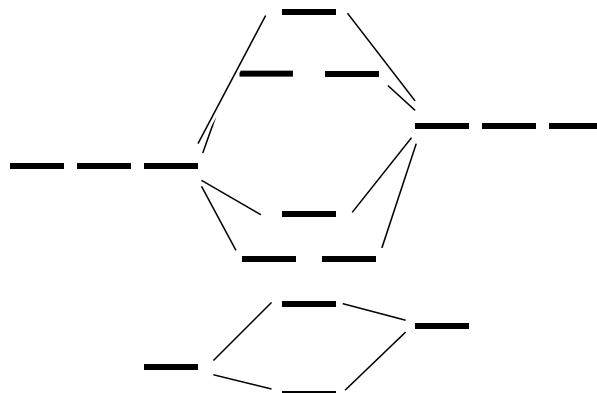
5. \_\_\_\_\_

6. \_\_\_\_\_

 <p><math>3d_{xz} + 2p_x</math></p>	 <p><math>3d_{xz} + 2p_z</math></p>
 <p><math>2p_z - 2p_z</math></p>	 <p><math>1s - 1s</math></p>

3. (10 pts.) A 2s orbital does not have the correct symmetry to interact with a  $d_{xz}$  orbital. Explain why constructive and destructive interference is not possible between these two orbitals. You may use drawing to help make your point.

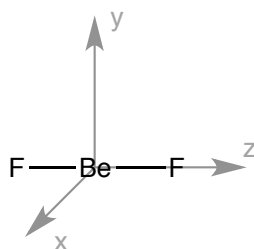
4. An incomplete MO diagram for  $\text{NO}^+$  is provided.
- (6 pts.) Complete the diagram by labeling the AO's (e.g., 1s, 2s, etc), labeling the MO's (e.g.,  $\sigma$ ,  $\pi^*$ , etc) and adding the appropriate number of  $e^-$ 's to the orbitals.
  - (4 pts.) Label the LUMO.
  - (4 pts.) Label the HOMO.
  - i. (6 pts.) If an electron donor reacts with  $\text{NO}^+$ , to which orbital would the  $e^-$ 's be added?



- ii. (6 pts.) The orbital that is receiving the  $e^-$ 's in d.i. would more strongly resemble which atom, the N or the O? Explain.

5. (16 pts.) The point group for  $\text{BeF}_2$  is  $D_{\infty h}$ , but when determining the symmetry of the group orbitals formed from the F atoms it is more convenient to use the  $D_{2h}$  point group.

$D_{2h}$	E	$C_2(z)$	$C_2(y)$	$C_2(x)$	$i$	$\sigma_h(xy)$	$\sigma_d(xz)$	$\sigma_d(yz)$		
$A_g$	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		$x^2, y^2, z^2$
$B_{1g}$	1	1	-1	-1	1	1	-1	-1	$R_z$	xy
$B_{2g}$	1	-1	1	-1	1	-1	1	-1	$R_y$	xz
$B_{3g}$	1	-1	-1	1	1	-1	-1	1	$R_x$	yz
$A_u$	1	1	1	1	-1	-1	-1	-1		
$B_{1u}$	1	1	-1	-1	-1	-1	1	1	z	
$B_{2u}$	1	-1	1	-1	-1	1	-1	1	y	
$B_{3u}$	1	-1	-1	1	-1	1	1	-1	x	



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- (6 pts.) Which orbital(s) on Be can interact with with the group orbitals from from the F atoms  $2p_z$  orbitals, explain.

6. (12 pts.) Create an MO diagram for CH<sub>4</sub>. The character table for the T<sub>d</sub> point group is included below. The energy for the H atoms' 1s orbitals is -13.61 eV. The energies for the C 2s and 2p orbitals are -19.43 eV and -10.66 eV.

T <sub>d</sub>	E	8 C <sub>3</sub>	3 C <sub>2</sub>	6 S <sub>4</sub>	6 σ <sub>d</sub>		
A <sub>1</sub>	1	1	1	1	1		x <sup>2</sup> + y <sup>2</sup> + z <sup>2</sup>
A <sub>2</sub>	1	1	1	-1	-1		
E	2	-1	2	0	0		2z <sup>2</sup> - x <sup>2</sup> - y <sup>2</sup> , x <sup>2</sup> - y <sup>2</sup>
T <sub>1</sub>	3	0	-1	1	-1	(R <sub>x</sub> , R <sub>y</sub> , R <sub>z</sub> )	
T <sub>2</sub>	3	0	-1	-1	1	(x, y, z)	(xy, xz, yz)

$$\left( \begin{array}{c} \text{number of irreducible} \\ \text{representations of a given} \\ \text{type needed} \end{array} \right) = \frac{1}{\text{order}} \sum_{\text{classes}} \left( \begin{array}{c} \# \text{ operations} \\ \text{in class} \end{array} \right) \left( \begin{array}{c} \chi \text{ of the irreducible} \\ \text{representation} \end{array} \right) \left( \begin{array}{c} \chi \text{ of the reducible} \\ \text{representation} \end{array} \right)$$