Polar Bonds - Supplemental Worksheet

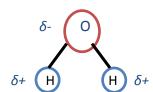
1. True or False:

- a) Electronegativity trends are similar to ionization energy. TRUE
- b) As the electronegativity of an element increases the attraction for a shared pair of electrons decreases. FALSE. The element will have a stronger attraction for the shared pair of electrons. Elements assigned a lower electronegativity value have a relatively lower attraction for the shared pair of electrons than an element with a higher value
- c) The Δ EN for a covalent bond must have a value > 2.2. FALSE. A covalent bond has a small difference, large differences in electronegativity are ionic bonds. In general a rule of thumb is that Δ EN < 2.1 is considered covalent.

- 2. For the following compounds identify what has partial positive and partial negative charges.
 - a) HF

 $\delta + H - F \delta$ -

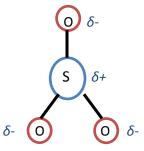
b) H₂O



c) HCl

 δ + H – Cl δ -

d) SO₃



3. Explain the difference between pure covalent bonds and polar covalent bonds.

A pure covalent bond is an equal sharing of shared electron pairs in a bon; typically bonds are between 2 elements with identical electronegativities. A polar covalent bond is an unequal sharing of electron pairs in a bond that have different electronegativities but not large enough to be ionic bonds.

4. Label the bond in each of the following compounds

- a) F_2 Pure (Nonpolar) Covalent. ΔEN equals 0.
- b) HF Polar covalent. ΔEN equals 1.9
- c) KCl Ionic. ΔEN equals 2.2
- d) CuS Polar covalent. ΔEN equals 0.6
- 5. Which of the following compounds have dipole moments? For those that are not, explain why.
 - a) HCl Polar bond, dipole moment due to orientation.
 - b) Br₂ Pure covalent. No dipole moment because no bond polarity occurs.
 - c) H₂Se Polar bond, dipole moment because of bent shape, forces do not cancel out.
 - d) CCI₄ Polar bond, but no dipole moment because tetrahedral shape causes forces to cancel out.

6. True or False:

- a) Large dipole moments are non-polar, small dipole moments are polar. FALSE. Large dipole moments are polar, and small dipole moments are non-polar.
- b) Hydrogen's electronegativity acts similar to phosphorus because they have the same electronegativity. *FALSE. Hydrogen's electronegativity acts nearly identical to carbon.*
- c) δ + means that the electron spends more time with the element labeled δ -. TRUE.