

-
1. Choose the wrong statement according to the valence bond theory:
 - A. A σ -bond is stronger than a π -bond
 - B. p -orbitals always have only sideways overlapping
 - C. s -orbitals never form π -bonds
 - D. There can be only one sigma bond between two atoms
 2. Which of the following statements is not correct for sigma and pi bond formed between two carbon atoms?
 - A. Free rotation of atoms about a sigma bond is allowed but not in the case of pi - bond
 - B. Sigma bond determines the direction between carbon atoms but a pi bond has no primary effect in this regard
 - C. Sigma bond is stronger than a pi bond
 - D. Bond energies of sigma and pi bonds are of the order of 264 kJ/mol and 347 kJ/mol respectively
 3. Which of the following statements are correct for the formation of a stable bond according to the valence bond theory?
 - A. The electrons should have opposite spins
 - B. The two atoms should be close to each other
 - C. Higher overlapping of the electron clouds
 - D. All are correct

4. The strength of sigma bonds formed by the overlapping of atomic orbitals is in the order:
- A.** $s - s < s - p < p - p$
 - B.** $s - s < p - p < s - p$
 - C.** $s - p < s - s < p - p$
 - D.** $p - p < s - s < s - p$
5. Which of the following is not correct?
- A.** A sigma (σ) bond is weaker than a π bond
 - B.** The extent of overlapping of orbitals in sigma bonds (σ) is more than that in pi (π) bonds
 - C.** A double bond is stronger than a single bond
 - D.** The bond dissociation energy of a sigma bond is more than that of a pi bond