

SPARK Science Lab Worksheet

SPARK Hybrid Education Center | Upper Nov Lab Wk2: Chemical Bonding

Student Name: _____

Date: _____

Purpose

Investigate: Chemical Bonding

Materials

- * Materials for advanced chemical bonding lab
- * Protective equipment
- * Data sheets
- * Calculator

Procedure

1. Review background: Ionic bonds; covalent bonds; Lewis structures; polar vs nonpolar
2. Form a detailed hypothesis with expected data ranges.
3. Conduct lab: Lab: build Lewis structures for 8 molecules; determine shape
4. Record quantitative data with units.
5. Calculate results and determine percent error where applicable.

Data / Observations Table

Trial/Sample	Independent Variable	Dependent Variable M	Calculated Value	% Error

Analysis Questions

1. What was the quantitative result of this Chemical Bonding lab?

2. Was your hypothesis supported? Cite specific data values.

3. Calculate the percent error if an accepted value is known.

4. What systematic error might affect these results? How would you eliminate it?

Conclusion

In my own words, what did I learn from this lab?