

Important Pauling's Electronegativity Formulas PDF



Formulas Examples with Units

List of 11 Important Pauling's Electronegativity Formulas

1) Covalent Ionic Resonance Energy using Pauling's Electronegativity Formula ↻

Formula

$$\Delta_p = X_p^2$$

Example with Units

$$52.4176\text{J} = 7.24\text{J}^2$$

Evaluate Formula ↻

2) Covalent Radius given Pauling's Electronegativity Formula ↻

Formula

$$r_{\text{covalent}} = \sqrt{\frac{0.359 \cdot Z}{X_p - 0.744}}$$

Example with Units

$$1.1754\text{\AA} = \sqrt{\frac{0.359 \cdot 25}{7.24\text{J} - 0.744}}$$

Evaluate Formula ↻

3) Effective Nuclear Charge given Pauling's Electronegativity Formula ↻

Formula

$$Z = \frac{(X_p - 0.744) \cdot (r_{\text{covalent}}^2)}{0.359}$$

Example with Units

$$25.1951 = \frac{(7.24\text{J} - 0.744) \cdot (1.18\text{\AA}^2)}{0.359}$$

Evaluate Formula ↻

4) Electron Affinity of element using Pauling's Electronegativity Formula ↻

Formula

$$E.A = \left((X_p + 0.2) \cdot \left(\frac{2}{0.336} \right) \right) - IE$$

Example with Units

$$17.0857\text{J} = \left((7.24\text{J} + 0.2) \cdot \left(\frac{2}{0.336} \right) \right) - 27.2\text{J}$$

Evaluate Formula ↻

5) Ionization Energy of Element using Pauling's Electronegativity Formula ↻

Formula

$$IE = \left((X_p + 0.2) \cdot \left(\frac{2}{0.336} \right) \right) - E.A$$

Example with Units

$$27.1857\text{J} = \left((7.24\text{J} + 0.2) \cdot \left(\frac{2}{0.336} \right) \right) - 17.1\text{J}$$

Evaluate Formula ↻



6) Pauling's Electronegativity from Allred Rochow's Electronegativity Formula

Formula

$$X_P = X_{A.R} + 0.744$$

Example with Units

$$7.244_J = 6.5_J + 0.744$$

Evaluate Formula 

7) Pauling's Electronegativity from Mulliken's Electronegativity Formula

Formula

$$X_P = (0.336 \cdot X_M) - 0.2$$

Example with Units

$$7.192_J = (0.336 \cdot 22_J) - 0.2$$

Evaluate Formula 

8) Pauling's Electronegativity given Bond Energies Formula

Formula

$$X_P = \sqrt{E_{(A-B)}} - \left(\sqrt{E_{A-A} \cdot E_{B-B}} \right)$$

Example with Units

$$7.2272_J = \sqrt{75.47_J} - \left(\sqrt{20_J \cdot 27_J} \right)$$

Evaluate Formula 

9) Pauling's Electronegativity given Effective Nuclear Charge and Covalent Radius Formula

Formula

$$X_P = \left(\frac{0.359 \cdot Z}{r_{\text{covalent}}^2} \right) + 0.744$$

Example with Units

$$7.1897_J = \left(\frac{0.359 \cdot 25}{1.18_A^2} \right) + 0.744$$

Evaluate Formula 

10) Pauling's Electronegativity given IE and EA Formula

Formula

$$X_P = \left(\left(\frac{0.336}{0.5} \right) \cdot (IE + EA) \right) - 0.2$$

Example with Units

$$29.5696_J = \left(\left(\frac{0.336}{0.5} \right) \cdot (27.2_J + 17.1_J) \right) - 0.2$$

Evaluate Formula 

11) Pauling's Electronegativity given Individual Electronegativities Formula

Formula

$$X = |X_A - X_B|$$

Example with Units

$$0.2_J = |3.6_J - 3.8_J|$$

Evaluate Formula 



Variables used in list of Pauling's Electronegativity Formulas above

- $E_{(A-B)}$ Actual Bond Energy given Electronegativity (Joule)
- E_{A-A} Bond Energy of A_2 Molecule (Joule)
- E_{B-B} Bond Energy of B_2 Molecule (Joule)
- $E.A$ Electron Affinity (Joule)
- IE Ionization Energy (Joule)
- r_{covalent} Covalent Radius (Angstrom)
- X_p given Individual Electronegativities (Joule)
- X_A Electronegativity of Element A (Joule)
- $X_{A.R}$ Allred-Rochow's Electronegativity (Joule)
- X_B Electronegativity of Element B (Joule)
- X_M Mulliken's Electronegativity (Joule)
- X_p Pauling's Electronegativity given I.E and E.A (Joule)
- X_P Pauling's Electronegativity (Joule)
- Z Effective Nuclear Charge
- Δ_p Covalent Ionic Resonance Energy for X_p (Joule)

Constants, Functions, Measurements used in list of Pauling's Electronegativity Formulas above

- **Functions:** **abs**, abs(Number)
The absolute value of a number is its distance from zero on the number line. It's always a positive value, as it represents the magnitude of a number without considering its direction.
- **Functions:** **sqrt**, sqrt(Number)
A square root function is a function that takes a non-negative number as an input and returns the square root of the given input number.
- **Measurement:** **Length** in Angstrom (Å)
Length Unit Conversion 
- **Measurement:** **Energy** in Joule (J)
Energy Unit Conversion 



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