## **Assignment #6**

## Required Problems (Due May 2<sup>nd</sup> by the end of the day)

- 1. a. Draw the 3pz and 3px atomic orbitals.
  - b. From the atomic orbitals, form the molecular orbitals,  $\psi = 3p_z + 3p_z$ ,  $\psi = 3p_z + 3p_z$ ,  $\psi = 3p_x + 3p_x$ , and  $\psi = 3p_x 3p_x$ . (Draw them out.)
  - c. Determine which of these are  $\sigma$  and  $\pi$ , which are bonding and anti-bonding, and which are gerade and ungerade. Label your drawings from part b appropriately.
- 2. Determine the molecular term symbols for  $H_2$ ,  $H_2^+$ ,  $Li_2$ ,  $B_2$ ,  $O_2$ , and  $O_2^+$ . Determine the ground state symbol for each.
- 3. From McQuarrie & Simon, Chapter 9 problems: 7, 12, 19 (support with electron configurations), 20, 26. Read 9-3.
- 4. Problems from Chapter 10 of McQuarrie & Simon: 12, 16-18, 30, 34\*\*

  (\*\* extra credit for solving the determinantal equation I suggest using Mathcad \*\*)