Complete the following assignment in your class notebook with the heading: Covalent compounds

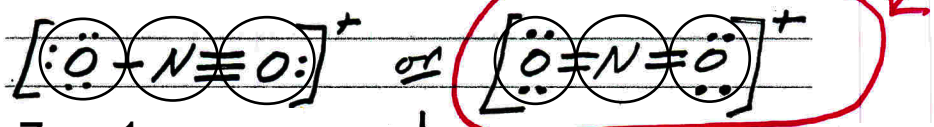
Key

1.) Draw the resonance structures for each of the following compounds:

a. SeO_2

b. CHO_2^-

2.) Use the concept of formal charge to determine the most likely structure for NO_2^+,



$FC(O-) = 6 - 7 = -1$

$FC(N) = 5 - 4 = +1$

$FC(O\equiv) = 6 - 5 = +1$

$\Delta FC = 1 - (-1) = \boxed{2}$

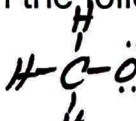
or

$FC(O) = 6 - 6 = 0$

$FC(N) = 5 - 4 = +1$

$\Delta FC = 1 - (0) = \boxed{1}$

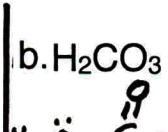
3.) Use the table of bond energies below to calculate the energy needed to break all the bonds in the following:

a. CH_3OH 

$3(\underset{C-H}{418}) + (\underset{C-O}{358}) + (\underset{O-H}{459}) =$

$\boxed{2071\ kJ}$

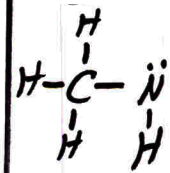
b. H_2CO_3 (an oxyacid)



$2(\underset{O-H}{459}) + 2(\underset{C-O}{358}) + (\underset{C=O}{732}) =$

$\boxed{2366\ kJ}$

c. CH_3NH_2



$3(\underset{C-H}{418}) +$

$(\underset{C-N}{305}) +$

$2(\underset{N-H}{386}) =$

$\boxed{2331\ kJ}$

d. C_2BrH

e. CHO_2^-