

Relationship of the Number of Effective Pairs, Their Spatial Arrangement, and the Hybrid **Orbital Set** Required

Number of Effective Pairs	Arrangement of Pairs	Hybridization Required
2	———— Linear	sp 180°
3	Trigonal planar	sp^2 120°
4	Tetrahedral	sp ³
5	Trigonal bipyramidal	dsp^3 120°
6	Octahedral	d^2sp^3 90° 90°

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