Shapes of molecules (Level 3) exam tips

• These must be drawn in 3D where applicable.
• When drawing shapes, you absolutely MUST include all of the VALENCE shell electrons **of the central atom.**

• Double check the number of valence electrons.

• Yes, COUNT again to check you have the correct number drawn in clearly.

• Learn that names and angles of all the different shapes - LEARN them! no excuses!

Also…”don’t be daft”

A single or double or triple bond are all ONE REGION of negative charge.

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