

# HW05 - Acids, Bases, and Salts

Question 1

In the reversible reaction

 $HCN + H_2O \rightleftharpoons CN^- + H_3O^+$ 

the two Bronsted-Lowry acids are...

- a. There is only one Bronsted-Lowry acid shown:  $H_3O^+$ .
- b. H<sub>2</sub>O and CN<sup>-</sup>
- c. HCN and CN
- d. HCN and  $H_3O^{\dagger}$
- e. H<sub>2</sub>O and H<sub>3</sub>O<sup>+</sup>

#### Question 2

A water solution of sodium acetate is basic because...

- a. the acetate ion acts as a Bronsted-Lowry base in a reaction with water.
- b. The statement is false. A water solution of sodium acetate is acidic.
- c. sodium acetate is only weakly ionized.
- d. the conjugate base of the acetate ion is a strong base.

Question 3 1.0 pt

According to the Bronsted-Lowry concept of acids and bases, which of the following statements about a base is NOT true?

- a. A base will share one of its electron pairs to bind H  $^{+}$ .
- b. A base reacts with an acid to form a salt.
- c. If a base is strong, then its conjugate acid will be relatively weaker.
- d. A base must contain a hydroxide group.

Question 4 1.0 pts

Which of the following is true in pure water at any temperature?

- a. pH = 7.0
- b.  $[H_3O^+][OH^-] = 1.0 \times 10^{-14}$
- c.  $\, K_{w} \,$  decreases with increasing temperature.
- d.  $[H_3O^+] = [OH^-]$

Question 5  $_{1.0~
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What is  $[H_3O^+]$  when  $[OH^-] = 3.3 \times 10^{-9} M$ ?

- a.  $3.0 \times 10^{-6} \text{ M}$
- b.  $3.3 \times 10^{-5} M$
- c.  $1.0 \times 10^{-7} \,\text{M}$
- d.  $3.3 \times 10^{-9} M$

Question 6 1.0 pt

A strong acid (or base) is one which...

- a. dissociates completely in aqueous solution.
- b. should only be used when wearing goggles and gloves.
- c. dissolves metals.
- d. reacts with a salt to form water.

Question 7 1.0 pts

Which of the following substances is a strong acid?

- a. H₃PO₄
- b. HSO<sub>3</sub>
- c. H<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub>
- d. HF
- e. H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>

Question 8

- HCN is classified as a weak acid in water. This means that it produces..
- a. no hydronium ions.
- b. a relatively small fraction of the maximum number of possible hydronium ions.
- c. 100% of the maximum number of possible hydronium ions.
- d. a relatively large fraction of the maximum number of possible hydronium ions

Question 9 1.0 pt

Which of the following substances is a weak acid?

- a. HI
- b. HCIO<sub>4</sub>
- c. HCIO<sub>3</sub>
- d.  $H_2CO_3$
- e. HBr
- f. HNO<sub>3</sub> g. H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>
- h. HCI

uestion 10 1.0 p

- Which is NOT a conjugate acid-base pair, respectively?
- a. HCN: CN
- b. H<sub>2</sub>O: OH
- c.  $SO_4^{2-}:HSO_4^{-}$
- d.  $H_3O^+:H_2O$

Question 11 1.0 pts

The conjugate base of H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> is:

- a. HSO<sub>4</sub>
- b. SO<sub>4</sub><sup>2</sup>
- c. HSO<sub>4</sub>
- d. H<sub>3</sub>SO<sub>4</sub><sup>+</sup>

Question 12 1.0 pt

What is the conjugate acid of  $NO_3$ -?

- a. NH<sub>3</sub>
- b. HNO<sub>3</sub>
- c. NO<sub>3</sub><sup>2-</sup>
- d. NO<sub>2</sub>

### Ouestion 13

Assume that five weak acids, identified only by numbers (1, 2, 3, 4,and 5) have the following ionization constants:

- $1 1.0 \times 10^{-3}$
- 2 3.0 x 10<sup>-5</sup>
- 3 2.6 x 10<sup>-7</sup>
- 4 4.0 × 10<sup>-9</sup>
- 5 7.3 x 10<sup>-11</sup>

The anion of which acid is the strongest base?

- a. 3
- b. 2
- c. 5
- d. 4
- e. 1

#### Question 14

1.0 pt

The term  ${}^{\mathsf{T}}\!\mathsf{K}_a$  for the ammonium ion" describes the equilibrium constant for which of the following reactions?

- a.  $NH_4^+ + H_2O \rightleftharpoons NH_3 + H_3O^+$
- $b. \ \ NH_4{}^+ + OH^- \rightleftharpoons NH_3 + H_2O$
- c.  $NH_3 + H_2O \rightleftharpoons NH_4^+ + OH^-$
- d.  $NH_4CI(solid) + H_2O \rightleftharpoons NH_4^+ + CI^-$

#### Question 15

1.0 pt

If the value of  $K_b$  for pyridine ( $C_5H_5N$ ) is  $1.8\times10^{-9}$ , calculate the equilibrium constant for the following reaction:

 $C_5H_5NH^+(aq) + H_2O(I) \leftrightarrows C_5H_5N(aq) + H_3O^+(aq)$ 

- a. -1.8 x 10<sup>-9</sup>
- b.  $5.6 \times 10^{-6}$
- c.  $1.8 \times 10^{-16}$
- d.  $5.6 \times 10^8$

# Ouestion 16

1.0 pts

What is [OH<sup>-</sup>] in a 0.0050 M HCl solution?

- a. 2.0 x 10<sup>-12</sup> M
- b.  $1.0 \times 10^{-7} \text{ M}$
- c. 1.0 M
- d.  $6.6 \times 10^{-5}$

# Ouestion 17

Which pH represents a solution with 1000 times higher [OH ] than a solution

with a pH of 5?

- a. pH = 4
- b. pH = 7 c. pH = 8
- d. pH = 6

#### uestion 18

What is the pH of a 0.1 M Ba(OH)<sub>2</sub> aqueous solution?

- a. 1.33
- b. 8.7
- c. 13.3
- d. 9.98

#### Question 19

LO pt

Hydroxylamine is a weak molecular base with K  $_b$  = 6.6 x 10<sup>-9</sup>. What is the pH of a 0.0500 M solution of hydroxylamine?

- a. 10.4
- b. 9.48
- c. 9.26
- d. 8.93

#### Question 2

0 pts

What is the pH of a 0.23 M solution of potassium generate (KR-COO)? K  $_{a}$  for the generic acid R-COOH is 2.7  $\times\,10^{-8}$ .

- a. 10.83
- b. 10.23
- c. 10.60
- d. 10.47

#### Question 21

1.0 pts

Which solution has the highest pH?

- a. 0.1 M KCIO,  $\rm K_a$  for HCIO is  $\rm 3.5 \times 10^{-8}$
- b.  $0.1 \, \text{M}$  of KNO<sub>2</sub>,  $K_a$  for HNO<sub>2</sub> is  $4.5 \times 10^{-4}$
- c.  $0.1\,\mathrm{M}$  of KCI,  $\mathrm{K_a}$  for HCI is VERY LARGE!!
- d. 0.1 M KCH $_3$ COO, K $_a$  for CH $_3$ COOH is 1.8 x 10 $^{-5}$

# Question 22

1.0 pts

What is the pH of a solution that contains 11.7g of NaCl for every 200 mL of solution?

- a. 9.0
- b. 7.0
- c. 10<sup>-1</sup>
- d.  $1.0 \times 10^{-7}$

# Question 2

1.0 pt

What is the pH of a solution made by mixing 0.050 mol of NaCN with enough water to make a liter of solution? K  $_{\rm a}$  for HCN is 4.9 x 10<sup>-10</sup>.

- a. 12
- b. 11
- c. 10<sup>-3</sup>
- d. 3

# Question 24

1.0 pt

Identify the list in which all salts produce a basic aqueous solution.

- a. KCH<sub>3</sub>COO, NaCN, KF
- b.  $NH_4CI$ ,  $C_6H_4NH_3NO_3$ ,  $Fel_3$
- c. AgNO<sub>3</sub>, NaCHO<sub>2</sub>, Crl<sub>3</sub>
- d. AlCl<sub>3</sub>, Zn(NO<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>, KClO<sub>4</sub>

#### Ouestion 25

1.0 nt

What is the pH in a solution made by dissolving 0.100 moles of sodium acetate (NaCH $_3$ COO) in enough water to make one liter of solution? K  $_a$  for CH $_3$ COOH is  $1.80\times10^{-5}.$ 

- a. 10.25
- b. 8.87
- c. 5.74
- d. 9.25

#### Question 26

1.0 pt

A 0.200 M solution of a weak monoprotic acid HA is found to have a pH of 3.00 at room temperature. What is the ionization constant of this acid?

- a. 5.3
- b.  $5.0 \times 10^{-6}$
- c.  $1.0 \times 10^{-3}$
- d.  $2.0 \times 10^{-9}$

#### Question 27

1.0 pt

What is the percent ionization for a weak acid HX that is 0.40 M?  $K_a = 4.0 \times 10^{-5}$ 

- a. 0.0010%
- b. 0.20%
- c. 0.10%
- d. 0.0020%

# Question 28

.0 pts

A 0.28 M solution of a weak acid is 3.5% ionized. What is the pH of the solution?

- a. 0.55
- b. 2.01
- c. 1.46
- d. 3.17

# Duestion 20

2.0 pt

The pH of 0.010 M aqueous aniline is 8.32. What is the percentage protonated?

- a. 0.021%
- b. 0.0021%
- c. It is impossible to tell without knowing the K  $_{\rm a}$  or the  ${\rm K}_{\rm b}$  for aniline.
- d. 2.1%