

# Acids/Bases Worksheet

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1. Given a .0004M solution of perchloric acid determine:

a) pH  $-\log(.0004) = 3.4$

b) pOH  $14 - 3.4 = 10.6$

c)  $[H_3O^+] = .0004 M$

d)  $[OH^-] = 1.0 \times 10^{-14} / .0004 = 2.5 \times 10^{-11}$

e) How many perchlorate ions would there be in 35.0mL of this solution?

$$\frac{.0004 \text{ mol}}{L} (.035 L) (6.022 \times 10^{23} \text{ ions/mol}) = 8.43 \times 10^{18} \text{ ions}$$

2. Determine the conjugate acids for the following species:

$NO_2^-$   $HNO_2$  nitrous acid

$NH_3$   $NH_4^+$  ammonium

$CO_3^{2-}$   $HCO_3^-$  hydrogen carbonate (bicarbonate)

$PO_4^{3-}$   $HPO_4^{2-}$  hydrogen phosphate

3. Determine the pH of a solution formed from diluting a 15.0mL sample of .025M nitric acid to 750.mL

$$M = \frac{\text{mol}}{L} = \frac{(.015 L)(.025 \text{ mol/L})}{(.750 L)} = 5.0 \times 10^{-4}$$

$$-\log 5.0 \times 10^{-4} = 3.3$$

4. Determine the hydroxide ion concentration for the solution formed in question 3 above.

$$1.0 \times 10^{-14} = (5.0 \times 10^{-4})([OH^-])$$

$$[OH^-] = 2.0 \times 10^{-11}$$

5. Calculate the hydronium and hydroxide ion concentrations for the following:

a. tomato juice; pH = 5

$$[H_3O^+] = 10^{-pH} = 1.0 \times 10^{-5} M H_3O^+$$

$$[OH^-] = 1.0 \times 10^{-14} / 1.0 \times 10^{-5} = 1.0 \times 10^{-9} OH^-$$

b. seawater; pOH = 6.15

$$[OH^-] = 10^{-6.15} = 7.1 \times 10^{-7} M$$

$$[H_3O^+] = 1.0 \times 10^{-14} / 7.1 \times 10^{-7} = 1.4 \times 10^{-8} M$$

6. What mass of potassium hydroxide is required to produce 2.00L of a solution that has a pOH of 4.5?

$$[OH^-] = 10^{-4.5} = 3.16 \times 10^{-5} M$$

$$3.16 \times 10^{-5} M (2.00 L) = 6.32 \times 10^{-5} \text{ mol}$$

$$6.32 \times 10^{-5} \text{ mol} (56.1056 \text{ g/mol}) = \underline{\underline{3.5 \times 10^{-3} \text{ g}}}$$

7. What is the final pH of a solution made from combining 55.0mL of a .0025M  $HNO_3$  solution with 26.0mL of a .0085M  $HNO_3$  solution?

$$\text{moles } H^+ = (.055)(.0025) + (.026)(.0085)$$

$$= 3.585 \times 10^{-4} \text{ mol} / .081 L = 4.43 \times 10^{-3} M$$

$$pH = -\log(4.43 \times 10^{-3}) = 2.35$$

8. Which solution will have a higher pH, a .005M formic acid solution or a .005M carbonic acid solution (use your book as reference).

Explain.

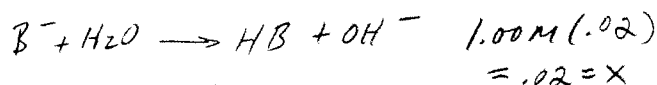
$$\text{Formic acid } K_a = 1.9 \times 10^{-4}$$

$$\text{Carbonic acid } K_{a1} = 4.4 \times 10^{-7}$$

The  $K_a$  for formic acid is significantly higher  $\therefore$  more acidic = lower pH

Carbonic acid has the higher pH

9. Calculate the  $K_b$  value for a weak base that is known to dissociate by 2.00% in a 1.00M solution.



$$K_b = \frac{[HB][OH^-]}{[B^-]}$$

$$K_b = \frac{(x)(x)}{(1.00-x)} = \frac{(.02)(.02)}{(1.00-.02)} = \underline{\underline{4.08 \times 10^{-4}}}$$

10. What is the pH of a solution in which .25g of strontium hydroxide is dissolved in enough water to produce 1500.mL of solution?

$$\frac{.25g \text{ Sr(OH)}_2}{121.63 g/mol} \times \frac{2 \text{ mol OH}^-}{1 \text{ mol Sr(OH)}_2} = \frac{.00411 \text{ mol OH}^-}{1.5 L}$$

$$= .00274 M \text{ OH}^- \quad -\log(.00274) = 2.56 = \text{pOH}$$

$$\text{pH} = 14.0 - 2.56 = \underline{\underline{11.4}}$$

11. How much water would need to be added to 250.mL of a solution with a pH of 5.6 to bring the pH to 6.0?

$$\text{pH} = 6.0 \quad [\text{H}_3\text{O}^+] = 1.0 \times 10^{-6} M$$

$$\text{pH} = 5.6 \quad [\text{H}_3\text{O}^+] = 10^{-5.6} = 2.51 \times 10^{-6} M$$

$$2.51 \times 10^{-6} M (0.250 L) = 6.278 \times 10^{-7} \text{ mol H}_3\text{O}^+$$

$$\frac{6.278 \times 10^{-7}}{(.250 + X)} = 1.0 \times 10^{-6} \quad X = .378 L = \underline{\underline{378 mL}}$$

12. Citric acid, abbreviated H<sub>3</sub>Cit, gives Kool-Aid its tart taste. If 36.10mL of 0.293M NaOH neutralizes a 0.677g sample of citric acid, what is the molar mass of citric acid?

$$\text{H}_3\text{Cit}_{(s)} + 3\text{NaOH}_{(aq)} \rightarrow \text{Na}_3\text{Cit}_{(aq)} + 3\text{H}_2\text{O}_{(l)}$$

$$\text{ml NaOH} = (.03610 L)(0.293 M) = .0106 \text{ mol}$$

$$.0106 \text{ mol NaOH} \left( \frac{1 \text{ mol Cit acid}}{3 \text{ mol NaOH}} \right) = .0035 \text{ mol Cit}$$

$$\frac{0.677g}{.0035 \text{ mol}} = \underline{\underline{192 g/mol}}$$

13. Determine what acid or base is formed when the following anhydrides are placed in water.

- a. CaO  $\text{CaO} + \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{Ca(OH)}_2$  base
- b. SO<sub>3</sub>  $\text{SO}_3 + \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  acid
- c. CO<sub>2</sub>  $\text{CO}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{H}_2\text{CO}_3$  acid
- d. K<sub>2</sub>O  $\text{K}_2\text{O} + \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow 2\text{KOH}$  base

14. What was the pH of the initial solution of hydrobromic acid if a 10.0mL sample of that solution that has been diluted with water to 85.0mL has a pH of 6.2?

$$[\text{H}_3\text{O}^+] = 10^{-6.2} = 6.31 \times 10^{-7} M$$

$$6.31 \times 10^{-7} \frac{\text{mol}}{L} (0.085 L) = 5.36 \times 10^{-8} \text{ mol H}_3\text{O}^+$$

$$\frac{5.36 \times 10^{-8} \text{ mol H}_3\text{O}^+}{.010} = 5.36 \times 10^{-6}$$

$$\text{pH} = -\log(5.36 \times 10^{-6}) = \underline{\underline{5.27}}$$

15. Determine the pOH of a .02M solution of ammonia, NH<sub>3</sub>.

$$\text{NH}_3 \quad K_b = 1.8 \times 10^{-5}$$

$$\text{NH}_3 + \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightleftharpoons \text{NH}_4^+ + \text{OH}^-$$

$$K_b = \frac{[\text{OH}^-][\text{NH}_4^+]}{[\text{NH}_3]}$$

$$1.8 \times 10^{-5} = \frac{(x)(x)}{(.02 - x)} \quad .02 - x \approx .02$$

16. Write the chemical equations showing the double dissociation of the diprotic acid, sulfuric acid. Be sure to use single or double arrows where required.

