# **Acid Base Solutions**

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## UNIT TEST - PRACTICE

#### **Part 1 – Multiple Choice**

You should allocate 30 minutes to finish this portion of the test. No calculator should be used. A periodic table and data table will be provided. Select the answer that best responds to each question.

1. Consider the equilibrium,

 $HF(aq) + H_2O(l) \leftrightarrows H_3O^+(aq) + F^-(aq).$ Which pair of substances makes up a conjugate acid-base pair? (A)  $H_2O$  and  $F^-$ 

- (B)  $H_2O$  and  $H_3O^+$
- (C)  $H_3O^+$  and  $F^-$
- (D) HF and  $H_2O$
- 2. A solution of NH<sub>3</sub>(aq) and H<sub>2</sub>O(l) turns universal indicator blue (basic). In this situation, which of the following statements is true?
  - (A)  $H_2O$  is a base because it accepts a proton from  $NH_3$ .
  - (B) H<sub>2</sub>O is amphoteric because it both accepts and donates a proton.
  - (C) H<sub>2</sub>O is an acid because it donates a proton to NH<sub>3</sub>.
  - (D)  $NH_3$  is a base because it donates a proton to  $H_2O$ .
- 3. Methylamine, CH<sub>3</sub>NH<sub>2</sub>, is a weak base. When it reacts with water, the products include:
  - (A) CH<sub>3</sub>NH
  - (B) CH<sub>3</sub>NH<sub>3</sub><sup>+</sup>
  - (C)  $H_{3}O^{+}$
  - (D)  $NH_{4}^{+}$
- 4. A 10.0 mL sample of a 0.010 <u>M</u> HCl solution was obtained. What is the pH of the solution if 90.0 mL of water was added to the solution?
  - (A) 1.0
  - (B) 2.0
  - (C) 3.0
  - (D) 4.0

- 5. At 0°C, K<sub>w</sub> = 0.1 × 10<sup>-14</sup>. What is the pH of a glass of pure ice water at 0°C?
  (A) 8.0
  (B) 7.5
  (C) 7.0
  (D) 6.5
- 6. Milk of Magnesia, magnesium hydroxide, has low solubility in water and is used to neutralize excess stomach acid, hydrochloric acid. Which equation correctly represents the net reaction when milk of magnesia reaches the stomach?

$$\begin{array}{l} (A) \ H^{+}(aq) + OH^{-}(aq) \rightarrow H_{2}O(l) \\ (B) \ Mg(OH)_{2}(s) + 2HCl(aq) \\ & \rightarrow 2H_{2}O(l) + MgCl_{2}(s) \\ (C) \ Mg^{2+}(aq) + 2Cl^{-}(aq) \rightarrow MgCl_{2}(s) \\ (D) \ Mg(OH)_{2}(s) + 2H^{+}(aq) \\ & \rightarrow 2H_{2}O(l) + Mg^{2+}(aq) \end{array}$$

- 7. Which one of the following substances is *not* amphoteric/amphiprotic?
  (A) H<sub>2</sub>PO<sub>3</sub><sup>-</sup>
  (B) H<sub>2</sub>O
  (C) HCO<sub>3</sub><sup>-</sup>
  (D) NU<sup>+</sup>
  - (D) NH<sub>4</sub><sup>+</sup>

8. 0.200 <u>M</u> solutions with two different substances were prepared, and are represented by these particulate drawings:



The representation on the right best illustrates which of the following substances? (A) HF(aq)

- (B) NaOH(aq)
- (C)  $H_2S(aq)$
- $(C) \Pi_2S(aq)$
- (D)  $NH_3(aq)$
- 9. A 0.10 <u>M</u> sample of a weak base was placed in water. The pH of the solution was 11.0, when tested. What is the value of the  $K_b$  for the base? (A)  $1.0 \times 10^{-1}$ 
  - (B)  $1.0 \times 10^{-3}$
  - (C)  $1.0 \times 10^{-5}$
  - (D)  $1.0 \times 10^{-7}$
- 10. How do the amounts of these species compare when solid NaNO<sub>2</sub> is added to water?  $K_a$  of HNO<sub>2</sub> = 4.0 × 10<sup>-4</sup>. (A) H<sup>+</sup> < HNO<sub>2</sub> < OH<sup>-</sup> < NO<sub>2</sub><sup>-</sup> < Na<sup>+</sup> (B) H<sup>+</sup> < HNO<sub>2</sub> = OH<sup>-</sup> < NO<sub>2</sub><sup>-</sup> < Na<sup>+</sup> (C) HNO<sub>2</sub> < H<sup>+</sup> < OH<sup>-</sup> < NO<sub>2</sub><sup>-</sup> = Na<sup>+</sup> (D) HNO<sub>2</sub> < H<sup>+</sup> = OH<sup>-</sup> < NO<sub>2</sub><sup>-</sup> = Na<sup>+</sup>
- 11. Suppose we have a 0.10 <u>M</u> HF solution. Which of the following, when added, would result in the lowest [F<sup>-</sup>]?
  (A) Nothing else added
  (B) 0.0010 mol HCl
  (C) 0.0010 mol KF
  - (D) 0.0010 mol KOH

- 12. 0.100 <u>M</u> of which of the following would have the lowest pH?
  - (A) Chloroacetic acid,  $K_a = 1.4 \times 10^{-3}$
  - (B) 3-chlorobenzoic acid,  $K_a = 1.5 \times 10^{-4}$
  - (C) Benzoic acid,  $K_a = 6.5 \times 10^{-5}$
  - (D) Ascorbic acid,  $K_a = 8.0 \times 10^{-5}$
- 13. Of the following salts, which one forms a 0.1 M solution with the lowest pH?
  (A) KBr
  (B) KC<sub>2</sub>H<sub>3</sub>O<sub>2</sub>
  (C) NaNO<sub>2</sub>
  (D) NH<sub>4</sub>Cl
- 14. Carbonic acid, H<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub>, is a diprotic acid. Which equation correctly shows the dissociation of carbonic acid's second proton?
  (A) H<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub>(aq) ≒ 2H<sup>+</sup>(aq) + CO<sub>3</sub><sup>2-</sup>(aq)
  (B) H<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub>(aq) ≒ H<sub>2</sub>O(g) + CO<sub>2</sub>(g)
  (C) HCO<sub>3</sub><sup>-</sup> + H<sub>2</sub>O(l) ≒ H<sub>3</sub>O<sup>+</sup>(aq) + CO<sub>3</sub><sup>2-</sup>(aq)
  (D) HCO<sub>3</sub><sup>-</sup>(aq) + H<sub>2</sub>O(l) ≒ H<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub>(aq) + OH<sup>-</sup>(aq)
- 15. Consider the following acids: HClO<sub>3</sub>, HClO<sub>4</sub>, HIO<sub>3</sub>, HIO<sub>2</sub>
  When listed from weakest to strongest, the order would be:
  (A) HClO<sub>3</sub> < HClO<sub>4</sub> < HIO<sub>2</sub> < HIO<sub>3</sub>
  (B) HClO<sub>4</sub> < HClO<sub>3</sub> < HIO<sub>3</sub> < HIO<sub>2</sub>
  (C) HIO<sub>2</sub> < HClO<sub>3</sub> < HIO<sub>3</sub> < HClO<sub>4</sub>
  (D) HIO<sub>2</sub> < HIO<sub>3</sub> < HClO<sub>3</sub> < HClO<sub>4</sub>

### Part 2 – Free Response

You should allocate 30 minutes to finish this portion of the test. You may use a scientific calculator. A periodic table and data table will be provided. Respond to each part of the questions completely. Be sure to show your work clearly for questions that involve calculations.

- 16. Methylamine, CH<sub>3</sub>NH<sub>2</sub>, is a weak base, and has a base ionization constant,  $K_b$ , of  $4.17 \times 10^{-4}$  at 25°C
  - a. Consider the ionization of methylamine when dissolved in water.
    - i. Write the chemical equation for this process.
    - ii. Identify a Brønsted-Lowry conjugate acid-base pair in this reaction.
    - iii. A sample of methylamine has a pH of 12.26. What is the molar concentration of methylamine in this sample?

b. 0.100 mol KOH was added to 1.00 L of a 0.200 M CH<sub>3</sub>NH<sub>2</sub> solution. What is the pH of this solution?

- c. 50.00 g of methylammonium chloride, CH<sub>3</sub>NH<sub>3</sub>Cl, was dissolved in water to prepare a 150.0 mL solution.
  i. Write the net ionic equation for this process.
  - ii. Find the value of the acid ionization constant, K<sub>a</sub>, of the methylammonium ion, CH<sub>3</sub>NH<sub>3</sub><sup>+</sup>.
  - iii. Calculate the pH of this solution.

#### 17. Consider the following acids:

Acetic acid	Chloroacetic acid	Dichloroacetic acid	Trichloroacetic acid
CH <sub>3</sub> COOH	CH <sub>2</sub> ClCOOH	CHCl <sub>2</sub> COOH	CCl <sub>3</sub> COOH
$H = \begin{bmatrix} H & \mathbf{\ddot{o}:} \\ H = C \\ H & \mathbf{\ddot{o}:} \\ H & \mathbf$	:сі: о:	;сі: о:	;С: Ö:
	н—с—с	;сі—с	;С⊢С−С
	н :о—н	н :о—н	;С: Ю−н
$pK_a = 4.76$	$pK_a = 2.86$	$pK_a = 1.35$	$pK_a = 0.66$

- a. Which is the strongest among the four acids? Justify your answer quantitatively.
- b. Provide a reason using the molecular structure to explain why the acid in part a. is the strongest.
- c. Consider the salts NaCH<sub>3</sub>COO and NaCCl<sub>3</sub>COO. If 0.100 mol of each were used to make a 1.00 L solution, which would have the lower pH? Explain.