

## CHEMISTRY

### BOOKS - P BAHADUR CHEMISTRY (HINGLISH)

### IONIC EQUILIBRIUM

#### Exercise 1

- (a) Suggest a solvent in which aniline acts as strong base.  
(b) Write equation for the auto-ionisation of (i)  $HCOOH$ , (ii)  $NH_3$ .  
(c)  $[A(H_2O)_6]^{3+}$  is acid or base and write its conjugate partner and reaction.  
(d) Write the order of acidic nature of  $HCl$ ,  $HCOOH$  and  $CH_3COOH$  in (i)  $H_2O$ , (ii) liq.  $NH_3$ .



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2. The ionization constant of propionic acid is  $1.32 \times 10^{-5}$ . Calculate the degree of ionization of the acid in its 0.05M solution and also its pH. What will be its degree of ionization in the solution of 0.01N HCl ?

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3. The ionisation constant of dimethylamine is  $5.4 \times 10^{-4}$ . Calculate its degree of ionization in its 0.02M solution. What percentage of dimethylamine is ionized if the solution is also 0.1M in NaOH?

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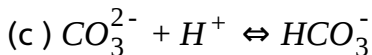
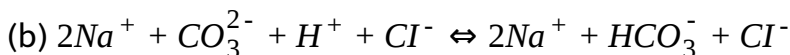
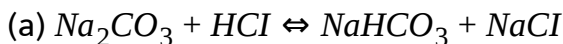
4. Calculate the degree of ionisation of 0.05M acetic acid if its  $pK_a$  value is 4.74. How is the degree of dissociation affected when its

solution also contains

a.  $0.01M$ , b.  $0.1M$  in  $HCl$ ?

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5. Write equilibrium constant expressions for the following reactions. Show how they are related ?



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6. The first ionization constant of  $H_2S$  is  $9.1 \times 10^{-8}$ . Calculate the concentration of  $HS^\ominus$  ion in its  $0.1M$  solution. How will this concentration be affected if the solution is  $0.1M$  in  $HCl$  also? If the

second dissociation constant if  $H_2S$  is  $1.2 \times 10^{-13}$ , calculate the concentration of  $S^{2-}$  under both conditions.

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7. Calculate  $[OH^-]$  in  $0.20M$  solution of  $NH_3$ , if  $K_b$  for  $NH_3$  is  $1.8 \times 10^{-5}$ .

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8.  $0.00135$  mole of  $NH_3$  dissociates in  $1.0$  litre solution of  $0.10M$ . Calculate the dissociation constant of  $NH_3$ .

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9. What concentration of dichloroacetic acid gives  $[H^+] = 8.5 \times 10^{-3}M$ ?



(Given:  $K_a$  of acid =  $5.0 \times 10^{-2}$ ).

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10. Calculate K for the reaction,  $A^- + H_3O^+ \rightleftharpoons HA + H_2O$

if  $K_a$  value for the acid HA is  $1.0 \times 10^{-6}$ .

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11. Consider a solution of monoprotic weak acid having dissociation constant  $K_a$ . What is the minimum concentration C in terms of  $K_a$ , such that the concentration of the undissociated acid that the concentration of the undissociated acid can be equated to C within a 10 % limit of error ? Assume that activity coefficient correction are negligible.

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12. Ionic product of water at 310K is  $2.7 \times 10^{-14}$ . What is the *pH* of natural water at this temperature?

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13. The  $K_w$  for  $2H_2O \rightleftharpoons H_3O^+ + OH^-$  changes from  $10^{-14}$  at  $25^\circ C$  to  $9.62 \times 10^{-14}$  at  $60^\circ C$ . What is *pH* of water at  $60^\circ C$ ? What happens to its neutrality?

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14. The ionization constant of *HF*, *HCOOH* and *HCN* at 298K are  $6.8 \times 10^{-4}$ ,  $1.8 \times 10^{-4}$  and  $4.8 \times 10^{-9}$  respectively. Calculate the ionization constant of the corresponding conjugate base.

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15. The  $pH$  of  $0.1M$  solution of cyanic acid ( $HCNO$ ) is 2.34. Calculate the ionization constant of the acid and its degree of ionisation in the solution.

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16. The  $pH$  of  $0.005M$  codenine ( $C_{18}H_{21}NO_3$ ) solution is 9.95. Calculate its ionisation constant and  $pK_b$ .

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17. Determine degree of dissociation of  $0.05M NH_3$  at  $25^\circ C$  in a solution of  $pH = 1$ .

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18.  $K_1$  and  $K_2$  for dissociation of  $H_2A$  are  $4 \times 10^{-3}$  and  $1 \times 10^{-5}$ .

Calculate concentration of  $A^{2-}$  ion in  $0.1M H_2A$  solution. Also report

$[H^+]$  and pH.

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19. Calculate pH of:

(a)  $10^{-3}NHNO_3$ , (b)  $10^{-3}MH_2SO_4$ ,

(c)  $10^{-3}NH_2SO_4$ , (d)  $0.01NHCl$ ,

(e)  $10^{-8}NHCl$ , (f)  $10^2MHCl$ .

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20. Calculate pH for:

(a)  $0.001NaOH$ , (b)  $0.01NCa(OH)_2$ ,

(c)  $0.01M Ca(OH)_2$ , (d)  $10^{-8}MNaOH$ ,

(e)  $10^2 M NaOH$ , (f)  $0.0008 M Mg(OH)_2$

Assume complete ionisation of each.

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21. The  $pH$  of  $0.05 M$  aqueous solution of diethyl amine is  $12.0$ .

Calculate  $K_b$ .

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22. Calculate the  $pH$  of the following solutions:

a.  $2 g$  of  $TiOH$  dissolved in water to give  $2$  litre of solution.

b.  $0.3 g$  of  $Ca(OH)_2$  dissolved in water to give  $500 mL$  of solution.

c.  $0.3 g$  of  $NaOH$  dissolved in water to give  $200 mL$  of solution.

d.  $1 mL$  of  $13.6 M HCl$  is diluted with water to give  $1$  litre of solution.

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**23.** Calculate the hydrogen ion concentration in the following biological fluids whose  $pH$  are given below:

a. Human muscle-fluid, 6.83

b. Human stomach fluid, 1.2

c. Human blood, 7.38

d. Human saliva, 6.4.

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**24.** If 0.561g of ( $KOH$ ) is dissolved in water to give. 200mL of solution at 298K. Calculate the concentration of potassium, hydrogen and hydroxyl ions. What is its  $pH$ ?

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25. The solubility of  $Sr(OH)_2$  at 298K is  $19.23gL^{-1}$  of solution. Calculate the concentrations of strontium and hydroxyl ions and the  $pH$  of the solution.

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26. How many moles of  $Ca(OH)_2$  must be dissolved to produce 250 mL of an aqueous solution of  $pH$  10.65, assuming complete dissociation ?

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27. The solubility of  $Mg(OH)_2$  in pure water is  $9.57 \times 10^{-3}g \text{ litre}^{-1}$ . Calculate the  $pH$  of its saturated solution. (Assume 100% ionisation)

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28. A typical aspirin tablet contains 324 mg of aspirin (acetylsalicylic acid  $C_9H_8O_4$ ) a monoprotic acid having  $K_a = 3.0 \times 10^{-4}$ . What is the degree of dissociation of salt and pH of the solution, if two aspirin tablets are dissolved to prepare 300 mL solution in water?

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29. The  $[H^+]$  is  $2.1 \times 10^{-3}M$  in a  $0.072M$  solution of benzoic acid. Calculate  $K_a$  for benzoic acid.

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30. Calculate the pH of a solution made by mixing 50 mL of  $0.01M Ba(OH)_2$  with 50 mL water. (Assume complete ionisation)

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31. A solution of  $HCl$  has  $pH = 5$ . If  $1\text{ mL}$  of it is diluted to  $1\text{ L}$  what will be the  $pH$  of resulting solution?

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32. A solution of  $0.01\text{ M}$  concentration of  $NH_4OH$  is  $2.6\%$  dissociated. Calculate  $[H^+]$ ,  $[OH^-]$ ,  $[NH_4^+]$ ,  $[NH_4OH]$  and  $pH$  of solution.

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33. Calculate the  $pH$  of the mixture formed by the addition of  $5, 9, 9.5, 9.9, 9.95, 10, 10.05$  and  $10.1\text{ mL}$  of  $0.5\text{ M KOH}$  solution to  $100\text{ mL}$  of  $0.05\text{ M HBr}$  solution. What will be the most suitable indicator for this titration ?



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**34.** Calculate the pH of the resultant mixture:

a. 10mL of 0.2M  $\text{Ca(OH)}_2$  + 25mL of 0.1M  $\text{HCl}$

b. 10mL of 0.01M  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  + 10mL of 0.01M  $\text{Ca(OH)}_2$ .

c. 10mL of 0.1M  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  + 10mL of 0.1M  $\text{KOH}$ .



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**35.** A 60.0mL solution of 0.10M  $\text{NaHCO}_2(\text{aq.})$  is mixed with 4.0 mL of 0.070M  $\text{HCl}_{\text{aq.}}$ . Calculate the pH and the molarity of  $\text{HCOOH}$  in the mixed solution.  $pK_a$  for  $\text{HCOOH} = 3.75$



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**36.** Calculate the pH of resulting solution, when 50 mL of 0.20M HCl is mixed with 50 mL of 0.20M  $\text{CH}_3\text{COOH}$ .

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**37.** Calculate the enthalpy of deprotonation of HCOOH. (Given that:  $K_a$  value for HCOOH at  $20^\circ\text{C}$  and  $30^\circ\text{C}$  are  $1.765 \times 10^{-4}$  and  $1.768 \times 10^{-4}$  at  $30^\circ\text{C}$ )

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**38.** Calculate the pH of a given mixtures.

(a)  $(4\text{gCH}_3\text{COOH} + 6\text{gCH}_3\text{COONa})$  in 100 mL of mixture, ( $K_a$  for  $\text{CH}_3\text{COOH} = 1.8 \times 10^{-5}$ )

(b) 5 mL of 0.1M  $\text{BOH}$  + 250 mL of 0.1M  $\text{BCl}$ , ( $K_a$  for

$$MOH = 1.8 \times 10^{-5})$$

(c) (0.25 mole of  $CH_3COOH$  + 0.35 mole of  $CH_3COOH = 3.6 \times 10^{-4}$

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39. How many mole of  $NH_4Cl$  must be added to one litre of  $1.0M NH_4OH$  to have a buffer of  $pH = 9$ ? ( $K_{NH_4OH} = 1.8 \times 10^{-5}$ )

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40. The ionization constant of formic acid is  $1.8 \times 10^{-4}$ . Around what pH will its mixture with sodium formed give buffer solution of higher capacity. Calculate the ratio of sodium formate and formic acid in a buffer of  $pH 4.25$ .

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41. How much of 0.3M ammonium hydroxide should be mixed with 30 mL of 0.2M solution of ammonium chloride to give buffer solutions of pH 8.65 and 10? (Give:  $pK_b$  of  $NH_4OH = 4.75$ )

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42. How much volume of 0.1M HAc should be added to 50mL of 0.2M NaAc solution to have a pH 4.91?

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43. The ionization constant of phenol is  $1.0 \times 10^{-10}$ . What is the concentration of phenolate ion in 0.05M solution of phenol? What will be its degree of ionization if the solution is also 0.01M in sodium phenolate?

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44. The ionization constant of chloroacetic acid is  $1.35 \times 10^{-3}$ . What will be the  $pH$  of  $0.1M$  acid and its  $0.1M$  sodium salt solution?

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45. What should be the concentration of  $NaA$ , if its  $50\text{ mL}$  solution of  $0.10M NH_3$  and  $0.10M NH_4Cl$  without changing the  $pH$  by more than  $1.0$  unit ? Assume no change in volume.

$(K_a \text{ or } HA = 1.0 \times 10^{-5})$

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46. How many moles of  $NaOH$  can be added to  $1.0L$  solution of  $0.10M NH_3$  and  $0.10M NH_4Cl$  without changing in volume.

$(K_b \text{ or } NH_3 = 1.8 \times 10^{-5})$

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47. Is it possible for a weak acid, say acetic acid ( $K_a = 1.8 \times 10^{-5}$ ) to have a pH = 7 by adding any other chemical and if so how much amount of it should be added ?

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48. In an excess of  $NH_{3(aq.)}$ ,  $Cu^{2+}$  ion form a deep blue complex ion  $[Cu(NH_3)_4]^{2+}$  having formation constant  $K_f = 5.6 \times 10^{11}$ . Calculate the concentration of  $Cu^{2+}$  in a solution prepared by adding  $5.0 \times 10^{-3}$  mole of  $CuSO_4$  to 0.50 litre of 0.40M  $NH_3$ .

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49. Determine the solubilities of silver chromate, barium chromate, ferric hydroxide, lead chloride and mercurous iodide at 298 K from

their solubility product constants given below. Determine also the molarities of individual ions.

$$K_{SP}(\text{Ag}_2\text{CrO}_4) = 1.1 \times 10^{-12},$$

$$K_{SP}(\text{BaCrO}_4) = 1.2 \times 10^{-10},$$

$$K_{SP}[\text{Fe}(\text{OH})_3] = 1.0 \times 10^{-38},$$

$$K_{SP}(\text{PbCl}_2) = 1.6 \times 10^{-5},$$

$$K_{SP}(\text{Hg}_2\text{I}_2) = 4.5 \times 10^{-29}.$$

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50.  $K_{SP}$  of  $\text{BaSO}_4$  is  $1.5 \times 10^{-9}$ . Calculate its solubility in: (a) Pure water, (b)  $0.10\text{M BaCl}_2$ .

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51. What is the maximum concentration of equimolar solutions of ferrous sulphate and sodium sulphide so that when mixed in equal



volumes, there is no precipitation of iron sulphide? (For iron sulphide,  $K_{sp} = 6.3 \times 10^{-18}$ ).

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52. Equal volumes of 0.002 M solution of sodium iodate and cupric chlorate are mixed together. Will it lead to precipitation of copper iodate?

(for cupric iodate  $K = 7.4 \times 10^{-8}$ ).

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53. What is the minimum volume of water required to dissolve 1.0g of calcium sulphate at 298K?

(For calcium sulphate,  $K_{sp}$  is  $9.1 \times 10^{-6}$ ).

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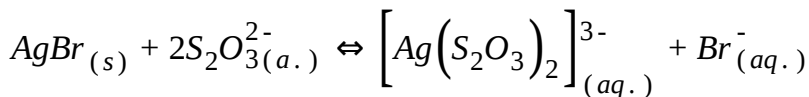
54. 50 mL of a sample of clear saturated solution of  $Ag_2CrO_4$  requires 20 mL of a  $XMPb(NO_3)_2$  for its titration. What is the value of X ? ( $K_{SP}$  of  $Ag_2CrO_4 = 1.6 \times 10^{-12}$ )

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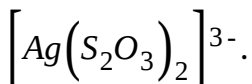
55.  $M(OH)_x$  has  $K_{SP} = 4 \times 10^{-12}$  and its solubility in water is  $10^{-4}$  M. Calculate the value of x.

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56. The fixing of photographic film involves film involves dissolving unexposed  $AgBr$  in a thiosulphate solution.



Calculate the equilibrium constant K for the dissociation reaction of



$$K_{SP} \text{ of } AgBr = 5.4 \times 10^{-13} \text{ and } K_{ff} \text{ or } \left[Ag(S_2O_3)_2\right]^{3-} = 4.7 \times 10^{-13}$$

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57. Determine whether  $Cd^{2+}$  can be separated from  $Zn^{2+}$  by bubbling  $H_2S$  through a 0.3M HCl solution that contains 0.005M  $Cd^{2+}$  and 0.005M  $Zn^{2+}$ . ( $K_{SP}$  for CdS and ZnS are  $8 \times 10^{-7}$  and  $3 \times 10^{-2}$  respectively)

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58. Calculate pH of a saturated solution of  $Mg(OH)_2$ .  
( $K_{SP}$  of  $Mg(OH)_2 = 8.9 \times 10^{-12}$ )

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**59.** A saturated solution of a salt MX exhibits an osmotic pressure of 74.4mm Hg at 25 °C. Assuming 100 % ionisation of MX, calculate  $K_{SP}$  of MX.

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**60.** The ionization constant of ammonium hydroxide is  $1.77 \times 10^{-5}$  at 298 K. Calculate the hydrolysis ammonium chloride and pH of 0.04M ammonium chloride solution.

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**61.** Calculate the pH of 0.05M sodium acetate solution, if the  $pK_a$  of acetic acid is 4.74.

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62. The  $pK_a$  of  $CH_3COOH$  and  $pK_a$  of  $nH_4OH$  is 4.76 and 4.75, respectively. Calculate the hydrolysis constant of ammonium acetate ( $CH_3COONH_4$ ) at 298K and also the degree of hydrolysis and  $pH$  of its (a) 0.01M and (b) 0.04M solutions.

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63. The ionization constant of nitrous acid is  $4.5 \times 10^{-4}$ . Calculate the  $pH$  of 0.04M sodium nitrite solution and also its degree of hydrolysis.

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64. A 0.02M solution of pyridinium hydrochloride has  $pH = 3.44$ . Calculate the ionization constant of pyridine.

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65. Phenol ( $C_6H_5OH, K_a = 1.3 \times 10^{-10}$ ) is a weak acid used in mouth washes and pyridine ( $C_5H_5N, K_b = 1.8 \times 10^{-9}$ ) is a weak base used as a solvent. Calculate the value of  $K_n$  for neutralization of phenol by pyridine. Does the neutralization reaction proceed very far towards completion ?

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## Exercise2

1. 0.16g of  $N_2H_4$  are dissolved in water and the total volume made upto 500 mL. Calculate the percentage of  $N_2H_4$  that has reacted with water in this solution. ( $K_{bf}$  or  $N_2H_4 = 4.0 \times 10^{-6} <$  )

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2. An aqueous solution contains 10 % ammonia by mass and has a density of  $0.9\text{gcm}^{-3}$ . Calculate hydroxyl and hydrogen ion concentration in this solution. ( $K_a$  of  $\text{NH}_4^+ = 5.0 \times 10^{-10}\text{M}$ )

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3. Nicotinic acid ( $K_a = 1.4 \times 10^{-5}$ ) is represented by the formula HNic. Calculate its per cent dissociation in a solution, which contains 0.10 mole of nicotinic acid per 2.0 litre of solution.

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4. The ionization constant of  $\text{NH}_4^+$  ion in water is  $5.6 \times 10^{-10}$  at  $25^\circ\text{C}$ . The rate constant the reaction of  $\text{NH}_4^+$  and  $\text{OH}^-$  ion to form  $\text{NH}_3$  and  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  at  $25^\circ\text{C}$  is  $3.4 \times 10^{10}\text{Lmol}^{-1}\text{s}^{-1}$ . Calculate the rate constant for proton transfer from water to  $\text{NH}_3$ .



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5.  $K_1$  and  $K_2$  for dissociation of  $H_2S$  are  $1.0 \times 10^{-7}$  and  $1 \times 10^{-14}$ .

Calculate  $[H^+]$ ,  $[HS^-]$ ,  $[S^{2-}]$  and  $[H_2S]$  in  $0.1M H_2S$  solution. Also

report  $[H^+]$  and pH and  $K_a$  for  $H_2S \rightleftharpoons 2H^+ + S^{2-}$ .



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6. Calculate pH for:

(a)  $0.01N Ca(OH)_2$

(b)  $0.01M Ca(OH)_2$

(c)  $0.0008M Mg(OH)_2$

Assume complete ionisation of each.



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7. Will the pH of water be same at  $4^{\circ}\text{C}$  and  $25^{\circ}\text{C}$ ? Explain.

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8. The  $pH$  of  $0.05M$  aqueous solution of diethyl amine is  $12.0$ .  
Calculate  $K_b$ .

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9. The average concentration of  $SO_2$  in the atmosphere over a city on a certain day is  $10$  ppm, when the average temperature is  $298\text{ K}$ . Given that the solubility of  $SO_2$  in water at  $298\text{ K}$  is  $1.3653\text{ mol litre}^{-1}$  and the  $pK_a$  of  $H_2SO_3$  is  $1.92$ , estimate the  $pH$  of rain on that day.

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10. What is the pH of 1 M solution of acetic acid ? To what volume one litre of this solution be diluted so that pH of the resulting solution will be twice of the original value ? ( $K_a = 1.8 \times 10^{-5}$ )

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11. What will be the resultant pH, when 200 mL of an aqueous solution of  $HCl$  ( $pH = 2.0$ ) is mixed with 300 mL of an aqueous solution of  $NaOH$  ( $pH = 12.0$ ) ?

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12. A solution contains  $0.1M H_2S$  and  $0.3M HCl$ . Calculate the conc. of  $S^{2-}$  and  $HS^-$  ions in solution. Given  $K_{a_1}$  and  $K_{a_2}$  for  $H_2S$  are  $10^{-7}$  and  $1.3 \times 10^{-7}$  respectively.

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13. Saccharin ( $K_a = 2 \times 10^{-12}$ ) is a weak acid represented by formula HSaC. A  $4 \times 10^{-4}$  mole amount of saccharin is dissolved in  $200 \text{ cm}^3$  water of pH 3. Assuming no change in volume. Calculate the concentration of  $\text{SaC}^-$  ions in the resulting solution at equilibrium.

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14.  $500 \text{ mL}$  of  $0.2 \text{ M}$  aqueous solution of acetic acid is mixed with  $500 \text{ mL}$  of  $0.2 \text{ HCl}$  at  $25^\circ \text{ C}$ .

a. Calculate the degree of dissociation of acetic acid in the resulting solution and  $\text{pH}$  of the solution.

b. If  $6 \text{ g}$  of  $\text{NaOH}$  is added to the above solution determine the final  $\text{pH}$ . [ $K_a$  of  $\text{CH}_3\text{COOH} = 2 \times 10^{-5}$ ].

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15. 0.15 mole of pyridinium chloride has been added into  $500\text{cm}^3$  of  $0.2\text{M}$  pyridine solution. Calculate pH and hydroxyl ion concentration in the resulting solution, assuming no change in volume.

( $K_b$  for pyridine =  $1.5 \times 10^{-9}\text{M}$ )

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16. Calculate the change in pH of 1 litre buffer solution containing 0.1 mole each of  $\text{NH}_3$  and  $\text{NH}_4\text{Cl}$  upon addition of:

(i) 0.02 mole of dissolved gaseous HCl.

(ii) 0.02 mole of dissolved of NaOH.

Assume no change in volume.  $K_{\text{NH}_3} = 1.8 \times 10^{-5}$

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17. What volume (in ml) of 0.10M sodium formate solution should be added to 50ml of 0.05M formic acid to produce a buffer solution of pH 4. [  $pK_a$  for formic acid is 3.7 ]

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18. How many mole of HCl will be required to prepare one litre of buffer solution (containing  $NaCN + HCl$ ) of pH 8.5 using 0.01g formula weight of NaCN ?  $K_{HCN} = 4.1 \times 10^{-10}$

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19. The  $[H^+]$  in 0.2M solution of formic acid is  $6.4 \times 10^{-3}$  mol litre<sup>-1</sup>. To this solution formate is added so as to adjust the conc. of sodium formate to one mol per litre. What will be pH of this

solution ? ( $K_{af}$  or  $HCOOH = 2.4 \times 10^{-4}$ ) and degree of dissociation of  $HCOONa = 0.75$ )

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20. A 40 mL solution of weak base BOH is titrated with 0.1N HCl solution. The pH of solution is found to be 10.04 and 9.14 after the addition of 5.0 mL and 20.0 mL of acid respectively. Find out  $K_b$  for weak base.

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21. Calculate the amount of  $NH_3$  and  $NH_4Cl$  required to prepare a buffer solution of pH 9.0 when total concentration of buffering reagents is  $0.6 \text{ mol L}^{-1}$ . ( $pK_{bf}$  or  $NH_3 = 4.7$ ,  $\log 2 = 0.30$ )

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22. A certain buffer solution contains equal concentration of  $X^-$  and HX. Calculate pH of buffer. ( $K_{bf}$  or  $X^-$  is  $10^{-10}$ )

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23. Two buffers, (X) and (Y) of pH 4.0 and 6.0 respectively are prepared from acid HA and the salt NaA. Both the buffers are 0.50 M in HA. What would be the pH of the solution obtained by mixing equal volumes of the two buffers? ( $K_{HA} = 1.0 \times 10^{-5}$ )

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24. A certain weak acid has a dissociation constant  $1.0 \times 10^{-4}$ . The equilibrium constant for its reaction with a strong base is :

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25. The pH of blood stream is maintained by a proper balance of  $H_2CO_3$  and  $NaHCO_3$  concentrations. What volume of 5 M  $NaHCO_3$  solution, should be mixed with 10 mL sample of blood, which is 2 M in  $H_2CO_3$  in order to maintain a pH of 7.4 ( $K_a$  of  $H_2CO_3$  in blood =  $7.8 \times 10^{-7}$ )

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26. The solubility product of  $AgCl$  in water is  $1.5 \times 10^{-10}$ . Calculate its solubility in 0.01M  $NaCl$ .

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27. The solubility product of  $SrF_2$  in water is  $8 \times 10^{-10}$ . Calculate its solubility in 0.1M  $NaF$  aqueous solution.

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28. What  $(H_3O^+)$  must be maintained in a saturated  $H_2S$  solution to precipitate  $Pb^{2+}$ , but not  $Zn^{2+}$  from a solution in which each ion is present at a concentration of  $0.01M$ ? ( $K_{SP}$  for  $H_2S = 1.1 \times 10^{-22}$ ,  $K_{SP}$  for  $ZnS = 1.0 \times 10^{-21}$ )

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29. The solubility of  $Pb(OH)_2$  in water is  $6.7 \times 10^{-6}M$ . Calculate the solubility of  $Pb(OH)_2$  in a buffer solution of  $pH = 8$ .

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30. A sample of  $AgCl$  was treated with  $5.00mL$  of  $1.5M Na_2CO_3$  solubility to give  $Ag_2CO_3$ . The remaining solution contained

0.0026g of  $Cl^-$  per litre. Calculate the solubility product of  $AgCl$ .

$$\left( K_{SP} \text{ of } Ag_2CO_3 = 8.2 \times 10^{-12} \right)$$

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**31.** A solution contains a mixture of  $Ag^+$  (0.10M) and  $Hg_2^{2+}$  (0.10M) which are to be separated by selective precipitation. Calculate the maximum concentration of iodide ion at which one of them gets precipitated almost completely. What % of that metal ion is precipitated ?  $\left( K_{SP} \text{ of } AgI = 8.5 \times 10^{-17} \text{ and } K_{SP} \text{ of } Hg_2I_2 = 2.5 \times 10^{-26} \right)$

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**32.** 0.01 mole of  $AgNO_3$  is added to 1 litre of a solution which is 0.1M in  $Na_2CrO_4$  and 0.005M in  $NaIO_3$ . Calculate the mole of precipitate formed at equilibrium and the concentrations of  $Ag^+$ ,  $IO_3^-$  and

$\text{CrO}_4^{2-}$ . ( $K_{SP}$  values of  $\text{Ag}_2\text{CrO}_4$  and  $\text{AgIO}_3$  are  $10^{-8}$  and  $10^{-13}$  respectively)

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**33.** The  $K_{SP}$  of  $\text{Ca}(\text{OH})_2$  is  $4.42 \times 10^{-5}$  at  $25^\circ \text{C}$ . A 500 mL of saturated solution of  $\text{Ca}(\text{OH})_2$  is mixed with equal volume of  $0.4 \text{M NaOH}$ . How much  $\text{Ca}(\text{OH})_2$  in mg is precipitated ?

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**34.** A sample of hard water contains 0.005 mole of  $\text{CaCl}_2$  per liter. What is the minimum concentration of  $\text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4$  which must be added for removing  $\text{Ca}^{2+}$  ions from this water sample ?  
( $K_{SP}$  of  $\text{CaSO}_4 = 2.4 \times 10^{-5}$  at  $25^\circ \text{C}$ )

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35. Determine the concentration of  $NH_3$  solution whose one litre can dissolve 0.10 mole  $AgCl$ .  $K_{SP}$  of  $AgCl$  and  $K_f$  of  $Ag(NH_3)_2^+$  are  $1.0 \times 10^{-10}M^2$  and  $1.6 \times 10^7M^{-2}$  respectively.

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36. An aqueous solution of a metal bromide  $MBr_2(0.05M)$  is saturated with  $H_2S$ . What is the minimum pH at which  $MS$  will precipitate?  $K_{SP}$  for  $MS = 6.0 \times 10^{-21}$ . Concentration of saturated  $H_2S = 0.1M$ ,  $K_1 = 10^{-7}$  and  $K_2 = 1.3 \times 10^{-13}$  for  $H_2S$ .

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37. Calculate pH at which  $Mg(OH)_2$  begins to precipitate from a solution containing  $0.10MMg^{2+}$  ions. ( $K_{SP}$  of  $Mg(OH)_2 = 1 \times 10^{-11}$ )

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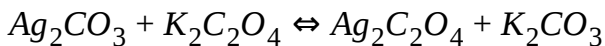
**38.** Freshly precipitated Al and Mg hydroxides are stirred vigorously in a buffer solution containing  $0.25M$  of  $NH_4Cl$  and  $0.05M$  of  $NH_4OH$ . Calculate  $[Al^{3+}]$  and  $[Mg^{2+}]$  in solution.  $K_b$  for  $NH_4OH = 1.8 \times 10^{-5}$ ,  $K_{SP}$  of  $Al(OH)_3 = 6 \times 10^{-32}$  and  $K_{SP}$  of  $Mg(OH)_2 = 8.9 \times 10^{-12}$ .

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**39.** A solution has  $0.05M$   $Mg^{2+}$  and  $0.05M$   $NH_3$ . Calculate the concentration of  $NH_4Cl$  required to prevent the formation of  $Mg(OH)_2$  in solution.  $K_{SP}$  for  $Mg(OH)_2 = 9.0 \times 10^{-12}$  and ionisation constant of  $NH_3$  is  $1.8 \times 10^{-5}$ .

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40. The solubility of  $Ag_2C_2O_4$  at  $25^\circ C$  is  $1.20 \times 10^{-11}$ . A solution of  $K_2C_2O_4$  containing  $0.15\text{mol}$  in  $500\text{mL}$  water is mixed with excess of  $Ag_2CO_3$  till the following equilibrium is established:



At equilibrium, the solution contains  $0.03\text{mol}$  of  $K_2CO_3$ . Assuming that the degree of dissociation of  $K_2C_2O_4$  and  $K_2CO_3$  to be equal, calculate the solubility product of  $Ag_2CO_3$ . [Take 100% ionisation of  $K_2C_2O_4$  and  $K_2CO_3$ ]

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41. Given:  $Ag(NH_3)_2^+ \rightleftharpoons Ag^+ + 2NH_3$ ,  $K_C = 6.2 \times 10^{-8}$  and  $K_{SP}$  of  $AgCl = 1.8 \times 10^{-10}$  at  $298\text{ K}$ . Calculate the concentration of the complex in  $1.0\text{M}$  aqueous ammonia.

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42. Determine the number of mole of AgI which may be dissolved in 1.0 litre of  $MCN^-$  solution.  $K_{SP}$  for AgI and  $K_C$  for  $Ag(CN)_2^-$  are  $1.2 \times 10^{-17}M^2$  and  $7.1 \times 10^{19}M^{-2}$  respectively.

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43. What is the pH of a 0.50M aqueous NaCN solution ?  
( $pK_b$  of  $CN^- = 4.70$ )

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44. Calculate the percentage hydrolysis in 0.003M aqueous solution of NaOCN. ( $K_a$  of  $HOCN = 3.33 \times 10^{-4}$ )

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45.  $K_a$  for butyric acid is  $2.0 \times 10^{-5}$ . Calculate pH and hydroxyl ion concentration in 0.2M aqueous solution of sodium butyate.

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46.  $K_a$  for ascorbic acid (*Hasc*) is  $5 \times 10^{-5}$ . Calculate the hydrogen in an aqueous solution in which the concentration of  $Asc^-$  ions in 0.02M.

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47. Calculate the pH at the equivalence point when a solution of 0.1M acetic is titrated with a solution of 0.1M NaOH. ( $K_a$  of acid =  $1.9 \times 10^{-5}$ ).

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**48.** Calcium lactate is a salt of weak acid and represented as  $\text{Ca}(\text{LaC})_2$ . A saturated solution of  $\text{Ca}(\text{LaC})_2$  contains 0.13 mole of salt in 0.50 litre solution. The pOH of this is 5.60. Assuming complete dissociation of salt, calculate  $K_a$  of lactic acid.

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**49.** What will be the pH of an aqueous solution of 1.0 M ammonium formate?

Given :  $pK_a = 3.8$  and  $pK_b = 4.8$

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**50.** An aqueous solution of aniline of concentration 0.24 M is prepared. What concentration of sodium hydroxide is needed in this

solution so that anilinium ion concentration remains at  $1 \times 10^{-8}M$ ?

$$\left(K_a \text{ of } C_6H_5NH_3^+ = 2.4 \times 10^{-5}M\right)$$

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**51.** An acid type indicator,  $HIn$  differs in colour from its conjugate base  $(In^-)$ . The human eye is sensitive to colour differences only when the ratio  $[In^-]/[HIn]$  is greater than 10 or smaller than 0.1.

What should to observe a complete colour change ?

$$\left(K_a = 1.0 \times 10^{-5}\right)$$

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**52.**  $0.1MNaOH$  is titrated with  $0.1MHA$  till the end point.  $K_a$  of  $HA$  is  $5.6 \times 10^{-6}$  and degree of hydrolysis is less compared to 1. Calculate pH of the resulting solution at the end point ?

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## Exercise3A

1. The two equilibrium  $AB \rightleftharpoons A^+ + B^+$  and  $AB + B^- \rightleftharpoons AB_2^-$  are simultaneously maintained in a solution with equilibrium, constant  $K_1$  and  $K_2$  respectively, The ratio of  $A^+$  to  $AB_2^-$  in the solution is:

- A. directly proportional to the concentration of  $B^-$
- B. inversely proportional to the concentration of  $B^-$
- C. directly proportional to the square of the concentration of  $B^-$
- D. inversely proportional to the square of the concentration of  $B^-$

**Answer: D**



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2.  $Ca_3(PO_4)_2$  is insoluble in water. On adding a few drops of HCl to solid  $Ca_3(PO_4)_2$  in contact with water, the solid dissolves. The reason is:

A. the solvent becomes more polar on adding HCl

B.  $Ca_3(PO_4)_2$  combines with HCl to form soluble  $CaCl_2$

C.  $Ca(H_2PO_4)_2$  is formed, which dissolves

D.  $H_3PO_4$ , a weak acid is formed and the solubility product of

$Ca_3(PO_4)_2$  decrease

**Answer: B**

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3. Which of the following is not correct ?

A.  $[H^+] = [OH^-] = \sqrt{K_w}$  for a neutral solution at temperatures

B.  $[H^+] = [OH^-] = 10^{-7}$  for a neutral solution at all temperatures

C.  $[H^+] < \sqrt{K_w}$  and  $[OH^-] > \sqrt{K_w}$  for an acidic solution

D.  $[H^+] > \sqrt{K_w}$  and  $[OH^-] < \sqrt{K_w}$  for an alkaline solution

**Answer: B**

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4. A solution is a mixture of 0.05 M NaCl and 0.05 M AgI. The concentration of iodide in the solution when AgCl just starts precipitating is equal to:

$$\left( K_{sp} AgCl = 1 \times 10^{-10} M^2, K_{sp} AgI = 4 \times 10^{-16} M^2 \right)$$

A.  $4 \times 10^{-6} M$

B.  $2 \times 10^{-8} M$

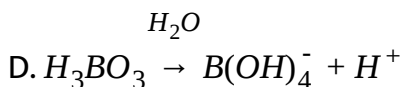
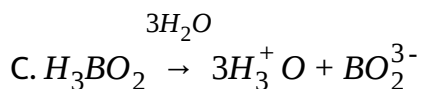
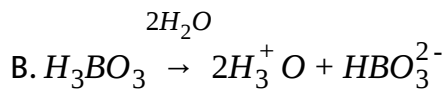
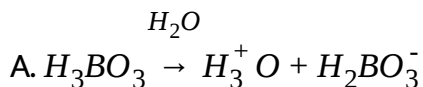
C.  $2 \times 10^{-7} M$

$$D. 8 \times 10^{-15}M$$

Answer: C

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5. Which of the following correctly explains the nature of boric acid in aqueous medium :



Answer: D

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6. For a weak electrolyte (HA) dissociation  $\lim_{c \rightarrow 0}$ , then:

A. electrolyte is assumed to be 100 % ionised

B. its dissociation constant remains same

C. the interionic attraction diminishes to zero

D. all of these

**Answer: D**

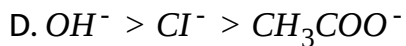
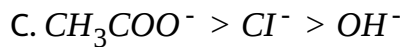


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7. According to Bronsted Lowry concept, the correct order of strength of bases follows the order:

A.  $CH_3COO^- > OH^- > Cl^-$

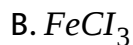
B.  $OH^- > CH_3COO^- > Cl^-$



**Answer: B**

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8. Which one is more acidic in aqueous solution ?



**Answer: C**

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9. an acid with molecular formula  $C_7H_6O_3$  forms three types of sodium salt i.e.,  $C_7H_5O_3Na$ ,  $C_7H_4O_3Na_2$  and  $C_7H_3O_3Na_3$ . The basicity of the acid:

- A. one
- B. two
- C. three
- D. four

**Answer: C**

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10. The correct order of acid strength is

- A.  $Cl_2O_7 > SO_2 > P_4O_{10}$
- B.  $CO_2 > N_2O_5 > SO_3$

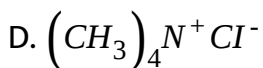
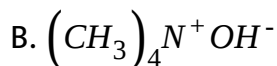


**Answer: A**



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**11.** Which compound will not liberate  $CO_2$  from aqueous  $NaHCO_3$  ?



**Answer: B**



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12. A buffer solution contains 1 mole of  $(NH_4)_2SO_4$  and 1 mole of  $NH_4OH$  ( $K_b = 10^{-5}$ ). The  $pH$  of solution will be:

A. 5

B. 9

C. 5.3010

D. 8.6990

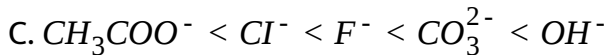
**Answer: D**

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13. The increasing order of basic strength of  $Cl^-$ ,  $CO_3^{2-}$ ,  $CH_3COO^-$ ,  $OH^-$  and  $F^-$  is:

A.  $Cl^- < F^- < CH_3COO^- < CO_3^{2-} < OH^-$

B.  $Cl^- < F^- < CO_3^{2-} < CH_3COO^- < OH^-$



D. none of these

**Answer: A**

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14. In water, the acid  $\text{HClO}_4$ ,  $\text{HCl}$ ,  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  and  $\text{HNO}_3$  exhibit the same strength as they are completely ionised in water (a base). This is called ..... of the solvent water.

A. strength

B. capacity

C. buffer effect

D. levelling effect

**Answer: D**

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15. Which one is hard base ?

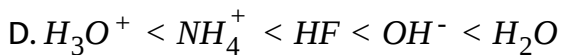
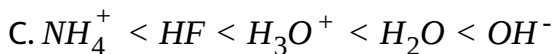
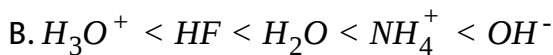


Answer: D

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16. Arrange  $NH_4^+$ ,  $H_2O$ ,  $H_3O^+$ ,  $HF$  and  $OH^-$  in increasing order of acidic nature:





**Answer: A**

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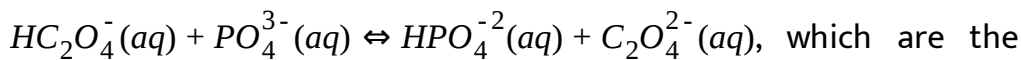
**17.** The strongest Bronsted base in the following anion is



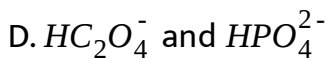
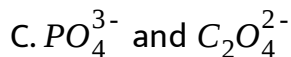
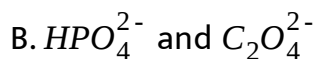
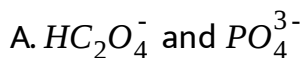
**Answer: A**

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18. In the following reaction



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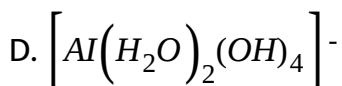
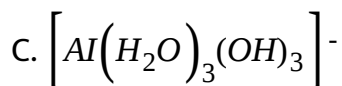
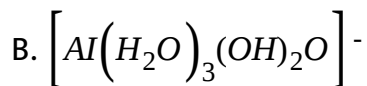
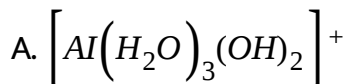


**Answer: C**



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19. The conjugate base of  $\left[ \text{Al}(\text{H}_2\text{O})_3(\text{OH})_3 \right]$  is:



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**20.** The total number of different kind of buffers obtained during the titration of  $H_3PO_4$  with  $NaOH$  are:

A. 3

B. 1

C. 2

D. zero



**Answer: A**

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**21. Basic lead carbonate is:**

A.  $PbS$

B.  $PbCO_3$

C.  $PbSO_4$

D.  $2PbCO_3 \cdot Pb(OH)_2$

**Answer: D**

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**22. The anhydride of acid  $H_3PO_4$  and  $HPO_3$  are:**

A.  $P_2O_5$  and  $P_2O_3$

B.  $P_2O_5$

C.  $P_2O_3$

D. none of these

**Answer: B**

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**23.** The decreasing trend of acidic nature of trihalides of boron is:

A.  $BF_3 > BCl_3 > BBr_3 > BI_3$

B.  $BI_3 > BBr_3 > BCl_3 > BF_3$

C.  $BBr_3 > BCl_3 > BF_3 > BI_3$

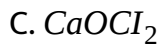
D.  $BCl_3 > BI_3 > BF_3 > BBr_3$

**Answer: D**



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24. The mixed salt among the following is:



D. all of these

Answer: D



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25.  $\text{pH}$  of water is 7.0 at  $25^\circ\text{C}$ . If water is heated to  $70^\circ\text{C}$ , the:

A.  $\text{pH}$  will decrease and solution becomes acidic

B.  $\text{pH}$  will increase

C. pH will remain constant as 7

D. pH will decrease but solution will be neutral

**Answer: D**

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**26.** When HCl gas is passed through a saturated solution of common salt, pure NaCl is Precipitated because:

A. the impurities dissolve in HCl

B. HCl is highly soluble in  $H_2O$

C. the product of  $[Na^+]$  and  $[Cl^-]$  exceeds the solubility product of NaCl

D. the solubility product of NaCl is lowest by the chloride in form aqueous HCl

**Answer: C**

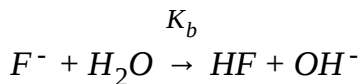
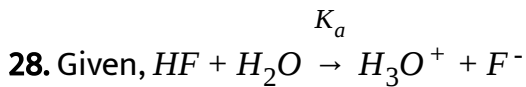
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27. The interfering radicals interfere in the test of usual inorganic analysis after II group analysis due to:

- A. their solubility in acid medium
- B. their solubility in alkaline medium
- C. their insoluble nature in alkaline medium
- D. none of these

**Answer: C**

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Which relation is correct ?

A.  $K_b = K_w$

B.  $K_b = 1/K_w$

C.  $K_a \times K_b = K_w$

D.  $K_a/K_b = K_w$

**Answer: C**

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29. Isoelectric point is defined as the pH at which:

A. an amino acid becomes acidic

- B. an amino acid becomes basic
- C. zwitterion has positive charge
- D. zwitterion has zero charge

**Answer: D**

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**30.** Which may be added to one litre of water to act a buffer?

- A. One mole of  $HC_2H_3O_2$  and one mole of HCl
- B. One mole of  $NH_4OH$  and one mole of NaOH
- C. One mole of  $NH_4Cl$  and mole of HCl
- D. One mole of  $HC_2H_3O_2$  and 0.5 mole of NaOH

**Answer: D**

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31. The  $pH$  of an acidic buffer mixture is:

A.  $> 7$

B.  $< 7$

C.  $= 7$

D. depends upon  $K_a$  of acid

Answer: D



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32. The principal buffer present in human blood is

A.  $HCl$  and  $Cl^-$

B.  $H_2CO_3$  and  $HCO_3^-$



C.  $H_2CO_3$  and  $Cl^-$

D.  $HCl$  and  $HCO_3^-$

**Answer: B**

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**33.** The ratio of dissociation constant of two weak acids HA and HB is

4. At what molar concentration ratio, the two acids will have same pH?

A. 2

B. 0.5

C. 4

D. 0.25

**Answer: D**

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34. The  $pK_a$  of acetylsalicylic acid (aspirin) is 3.5. The pH of gastric juice in human stomach is about 2 - 3 and the pH in the small intestine is about 8. Aspirin will be:

- A. unionised in the small intestine and in the stomach
- B. completely ionised in the small intestine and in the stomach
- C. ionised in the stomach and almost unionised in the small intestine
- D. ionised in the small intestine and almost unionised in the stomach

**Answer: D**

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35. The reverse process of neutralisation is:

- A. hydrolysis
- B. decomposition
- C. dehydration
- D. synthesis

**Answer: A**

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36. When different types of salts have nearly same solubility product constant  $K_{SP}$  but less than one the most soluble salt is that:

- A. which produces maximum number of ions
- B. which produces minimum number of ions
- C. which produces more charge on ion

D. none of these

**Answer: A**

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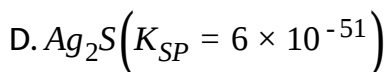
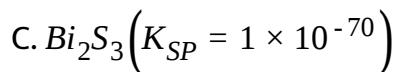
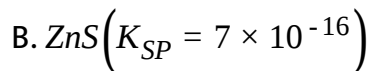
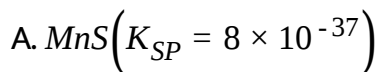
37. The solubility of AgI in NaI is lowest than that in pure water, because:

- A. AgI forms complex with NaI
- B. effect of common ion increases ionic concentration of  $I^-$
- C. solubility product of AgI is less than that of NaI
- D. the temperature of the solution decreases

**Answer: B**

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38. Which of the following is most soluble in water ?



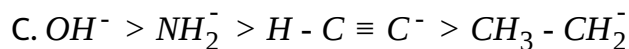
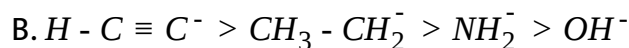
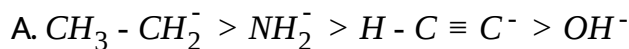
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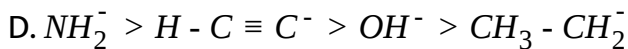


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39. The decreasing order of strength of the bases,

$OH^-$ ,  $NH_2^-$ ,  $H-C \equiv C^-$  and  $CH_3-CH_2^-$ :





**Answer: A**

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**40.** The best explanation for the solubility of  $\text{MnS}$  in dil.  $\text{HCl}$  is that:

- A. solubility product of  $\text{MnCl}_2$  is less than that of  $\text{MnS}$
- B. concentration of  $\text{Mn}^{2+}$  is lowered by the formation of complex ions with chloride ions
- C. concentration of sulphide ions is lowered by oxidation to free sulphur
- D. concentration of sulphide ions is lowered by formation of the weak acid  $\text{H}_2\text{S}$

**Answer: D**



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41.  $pH$  for the solution of salt undergoing anionic hydrolysis (say  $CH_3COONa$ ) is given by:

A.  $pH = 1/2 [pK_w + pK_a + \log C]$

B.  $pH = 1/2 [pK_w + pK_a - \log C]$

C.  $pH = 1/2 [pK_w + pK_b - \log C]$

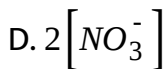
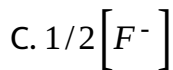
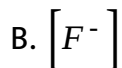
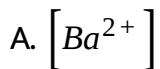
D. none of these

Answer: A



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42. Solubility of  $BaF_2$  in a solution of  $Ba(NO_3)_2$ , will be represented by the concentration term:



**Answer: C**



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**43.** Which statement is correct ?

A. All Bronsted bases are also Lewis bases

B. All Bronsted acids are not Lewis acids

C. All cations are acids and anions are bases

D. all of these

**Answer: D**





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44. Fear or excitement, generally cause one to breathe rapidly and it results in the decrease of concentration of  $CO_2$  in blood. In what way it will change pH of blood ?

- A. pH will increase
- B. pH will decrease
- C. No change
- D. pH will be 7

**Answer: C**



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45. For neutralisation of  $HF + NaOH \rightarrow NaF + H_2O$ , heat released during neutralisation is:

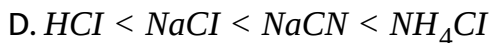
- A.  $> 13.7kcal$
- B.  $< 13.7kcal$
- C.  $= 13.7kcal$
- D. none of these

**Answer: A**

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46. The  $pH$  of  $0.1M$  solution of the following salts increases in the order

- A.  $NaCl < NH_4Cl < NaCN < HCl$
- B.  $HCl < NH_4Cl < NaCl < NaCN$



**Answer: B**

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47. The pH of the solution obtained by mixing 10 mL of  $10^{-1}\text{NHCl}$  and 10 mL of  $10^{-1}\text{NaOH}$  is:

A. 8

B. 2

C. 7

D. none of these

**Answer: C**

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48. A certain buffer solution contains equal concentration of  $X^-$  and  $HX$ . Calculate pH of buffer. ( $K_b$  of  $X^-$  is  $10^{-10}$ )

A. 4

B. 7

C. 10

D. 14

Answer: A



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49.  $10^{-6} M HCl$  is diluted to 100 times. Its pH is:

A. 6.0

B. 8.0

C. 6.95

D. 9.5

**Answer: C**



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50. 50 mL of 2N acetic acid mixed with 10 mL of 1N sodium acetate solution will have an approximate pH of ( $K_a = 10^{-5}$ ):

A. 4

B. 5

C. 6

D. 7

**Answer: A**



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51. One litre of water contains  $10^{-7}$  mole  $H^+$  ions. Degree of ionisation of water is:

A.  $1.8 \times 10^{-7} \%$

B.  $1.8 \times 10^{-9} \%$

C.  $3.6 \times 10^{-7} \%$

D.  $3.6 \times 10^{-9} \%$

**Answer: A**

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52. Which solution will have pH closer to 1.0 ?

A. 100 mL of  $(M/10)HCl$  + 100 of  $(M/10)NaOH$

B. 55mL of  $(M/10)HCl$  + 45mL of  $(M/10)NaOH$

C.  $10\text{mL}$  of  $(M/10)\text{HCl}$  +  $90\text{mL}$  of  $(M/10)\text{NaOH}$

D.  $75\text{mL}$  of  $(M/5)\text{HCl}$  +  $25\text{mL}$  of  $(M/5)\text{NaOH}$

**Answer: D**

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53. A certain weak acid has a dissociation constant  $1.0 \times 10^{-4}$ . The equilibrium constant for its reaction with a strong base is :

A.  $1.0 \times 10^{-4}$

B.  $1.0 \times 10^{-10}$

C.  $1 \times 10^{10}$

D.  $1.0 \times 10^{-14}$

**Answer: C**

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54. At  $30^\circ\text{C}$  the solubility of  $\text{Ag}_2\text{CO}_3$  ( $K_{\text{SP}} = 8 \times 10^{-12}$ ) would be greatest in one litre of:



C. pure water

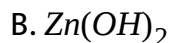
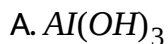


**Answer: C**

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55. The solubility products of  $\text{Al}(\text{OH})_3$  and  $\text{Zn}(\text{OH})_2$  are  $8.5 \times 10^{-23}$  and  $1.8 \times 10^{-14}$  respectively. If  $\text{NH}_4\text{OH}$  is added to a solution containing  $\text{Al}^{3+}$  and  $\text{Zn}^{2+}$  ions, then substance precipitated first is:





C. both together

D. none at all

**Answer: A**

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**56.** The solubility of  $PbCl_2$  in water is  $0.01M$  at  $25^\circ C$ . Its maximum concentration in  $0.1M NaCl$  will be:

A.  $2 \times 10^{-3}M$

B.  $1 \times 10^{-4}M$

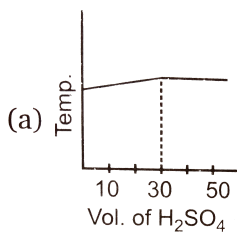
C.  $1.6 \times 10^{-2}M$

D.  $4 \times 10^{-4}M$

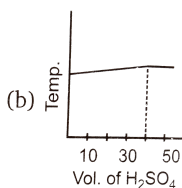
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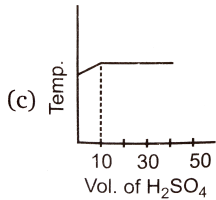
57. In an experiment to determine the enthalpy of neutralisation of sodium hydroxide with sulphuric acid,  $50\text{cm}^3$  of  $0.4M$  sodium hydroxide were titrated thermometrically with  $0.25M$  sulphuric acid. Which of the following plots gives the correct representation ?



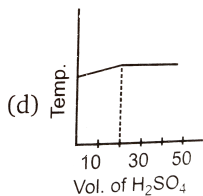
A.



B.



C.



D.

**Answer: B**

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58. Calculate  $K$  for the reaction,  $A^- + H_3O^+ \rightleftharpoons HA + H_2O$

if  $K_a$  value for the acid  $HA$  is  $1.0 \times 10^{-6}$ .

A.  $1 \times 10^{-6}$

B.  $1 \times 10^{12}$

C.  $1 \times 10^{-12}$

D.  $1 \times 10^6$

**Answer: D**

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**59.** The degree of hydrolysis of a salt of weak acid and weak base in its  $0.1M$  solution is found to be  $50\%$ . If the molarity of the solution is  $0.2M$ , the percentage hydrolysis of the salt should be:

A.  $100\%$

B.  $50\%$

C.  $25\%$

D. none of these

**Answer: B**

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60. The volume of the water needed to dissolve 1g of  $BaSO_4$  ( $K_{SP} = 1.1 \times 10^{-10}$ ) at  $25^\circ C$  is:

- A. 820 litre
- B. 410 litre
- C. 205 litre
- D. none of these

**Answer: B**

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61. Let the solubilities of  $AgCl$  in  $H_2O$ , and in  $0.01M CaCl_2$ ,  $0.01M NaCl$ , and  $0.05M AgNO_3$  be  $S_1, S_2, S_3, S_4$ , respectively. What is the correct relationship between these quantities.

A.  $S_1 > S_2 > S_3 > S_4$

B.  $S_1 > S_2 = S_3 > S_4$

C.  $S_1 > S_3 > S_2 > S_4$

D.  $S_4 > S_2 > S_3 > S_1$

**Answer: C**



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**62.** From separate solutions of sodium salts,  $NaW$ ,  $NaX$ ,  $NaY$  and  $NaZ$  have  $pH$  7.0, 9.0, 10.0 and 11.0 respectively. When each solution was 0.1M, the strongest acid is:

A. HW

B. HX

C. HY

D. HZ

**Answer: A**



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**63.** A certain ion  $B^-$  has an Arrhenius constant for basic character (eq. constant  $2.8 \times 10^{-7}$ ). The equilibrium constant for Lowry-Bronsted basic character is:

A.  $2.8 \times 10^{-7}$

B.  $3.57 \times 10^{-8}$

C.  $3.57 \times 10^8$

D.  $2.8 \times 10^7$

**Answer: D**



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64. Acetic acid and propionic acid have  $K_a$  values  $1.75 \times 10^{-5}$  and  $1.3 \times 10^{-5}$  respectively at a certain temperature. An equimolar solution of a mixture of the two acids is partially neutralised by NaOH. How is the ratio of the contents of acetate and propionate ions related to the  $K_a$  values and the molarity?

A.  $\left(\frac{\alpha}{1-\alpha}\right) = \frac{1.75}{1.3} \times \left(\frac{\beta}{1-\beta}\right)$ , where  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  are ionised fractions

of these acids

B. The ratio is unrelated to the  $K_a$  values

C. The ratio is unrelated to the molarity

D. The ratio is unrelated to the pH of the solution

**Answer: A**



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65. The ionization constant of  $NH_4^+$  ion in water is  $5.6 \times 10^{-10}$  at  $25^\circ C$ . The rate constant the reaction of  $NH_4^+$  and  $OH^-$  ion to form  $NH_3$  and  $H_2O$  at  $25^\circ C$  is  $3.4 \times 10^{10} Lmol^{-1}s^{-1}$ . Calculate the rate constant for proton transfer form water to  $NH_3$ .

- A.  $6.07 \times 10^5 s^{-1}$
- B.  $6.07 \times 10^{-10} s^{-1}$
- C.  $6.07 \times 10^{-5} s^{-1}$
- D.  $6.07 \times 10^{10} s^{-1}$

**Answer: A**

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66. A solution of  $Na_2CO_3$  is added drop by drop to litre of a solution containing  $10^{-4}$  mole of  $Ba^{2+}$  and  $10^{-5}$  mole of  $Ag$ , if  $K_{SP}$  for  $BaCO_3$

is  $8.1 \times 10^{-9}$  and  $K_{SP}$  for  $Ag_2CO_3$  is  $6.9 \times 10^{-12}$ , then which is not true?

- A. No precipitate of  $BaCO_3$  will appear until  $[CO_3^{2-}]$  reaches  $8.1 \times 10^{-5}$  mole per litre
- B. A precipitate of  $Ag_2CO_3$  will appear when  $[CO_3^{2-}]$  reaches  $6.9 \times 10^{-5}$  mol litre<sup>-1</sup>
- C. No precipitate of  $Ag_2CO_3$  will appear until  $[CO_3^{2-}]$  reaches  $6.9 \times 10^{-2}$  mol per litre
- D.  $BaCO_3$  will be precipitated first

**Answer: B**

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**67.** To separate and identify the ions in a mixture that may contain  $Pb^{2+}$ ,  $Cu^{2+}$  and  $Mg^{2+}$  use the reagents  $H_2S$ ,  $HCl$  and  $NaOH$ . They

should be added in the order:

A.  $HCl, H_2S, NaOH$

B.  $H_2S, HCl, NaOH$

C.  $HCl, NaOH, H_2S$

D.  $NaOH, H_2S, HCl$

**Answer: A**



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68.  $pH$  of a mixture containing  $0.10MX^-$  and  $0.20MHX$  is:

$$[pK_b(X^-) = 4]$$

A.  $4 + \log 20$

B.  $4 - \log 2$

C.  $10 + \log 2$

D.  $10 - \log 2$

**Answer: D**

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69. To prepare a buffer of pH 8.26, amount of  $(NH_4)_2SO_4$  to be added into 500mL of 0.01M  $NH_4OH$  solution  $[pK_a(NH_4^+) = 9.26]$  is:

A. 0.05mole

B. 0.025mole

C. 0.10mole

D. 0.005mole

**Answer: B**

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70. Percentage ionisation of weak acid can be calculated using the formula:

A.  $100\sqrt{\frac{K_a}{C}}$

B.  $\frac{100}{1 + 10^{(pK_a - pH)}}$

C. both (a) and (b)

D. none of these

Answer: C

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71.  $pH$  of a mixture of  $1M$  benzoic acid ( $pK_a = 4.20$ ) and  $1M C_6H_5COONa$  is  $4.5$ . In  $300ml$  buffer, benzoic acid is  $[\log 2 = 0.3]$

A.  $200\text{ mL}$

B. 150 mL

C. 100 mL

D. 50 mL

**Answer: C**



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72. If the equilibrium constant for the reaction of weak acid HA with strong base is  $10^9$ , then pH of  $0.1M$  Na A is:

A. 5

B. 9

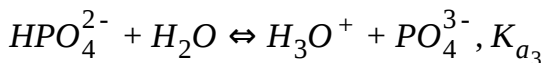
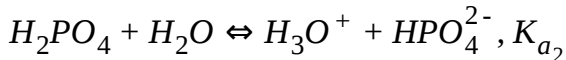
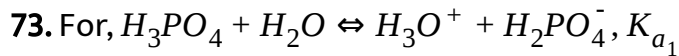
C. 7

D. 8

**Answer: B**



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The correct order of  $K_a$  values is:

A.  $K_{a_1} > K_{a_2} < K_{a_3}$

B.  $K_{a_1} < K_{a_2} < K_{a_3}$

C.  $K_{a_1} > K_{a_2} > K_{a_3}$

D.  $K_{a_1} < K_{a_2} > K_{a_3}$

Answer: C



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74.  $pH$  of  $0.01MHS^-$  will be:

A.  $pH = 7 + \frac{pK_a}{2} + \frac{\log C}{2}$

B.  $pH = 7 - \frac{pK_a}{2} + \frac{\log C}{2}$

C.  $pH = 7 + \frac{pK_1 + pK_2}{2}$

D.  $pH = 7 + \left( \frac{pK_a - pK_b}{2} \right)$

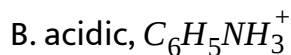
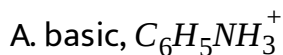
**Answer: A**



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75. Solution of aniline hydrochloride is X due to hydrolysis of Y. X and

Y are:





C. basic,  $Cl^-$

D. acidic,  $Cl^-$

**Answer: B**

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**76.** Slaked lime,  $Ca(OH)_2$  is used extensively in sewage treatment.

What is the maximum pH that can be established in  $Ca(OH)_2(aq)$  ?



A. 1.66

B. 12.3471

C. 7.0

D. 14.0

**Answer: B**

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77. 10mL of  $10^{-6}M$  HCl solution is mixed with 90mL  $H_2O$ . pH will change approximately:

- A. by one unit
- B. by 0.3 unit
- C. by 0.7 unit
- D. by 0.1 unit

**Answer: C**

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78.  $M(OH)_x$  has  $K_{SP} 4 \times 10^{-12}$  and solubility  $10^{-4}M$ . The value of  $x$  is:

- A. 1

B. 2

C. 3

D. 4

**Answer: B**

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**79.** The solubility products of  $MA$ ,  $MB$ ,  $MC$  and  $MD$  are  $1.8 \times 10^{-10}$ ,  $4 \times 10^{-3}$ ,  $4 \times 10^{-8}$  and  $6 \times 10^{-5}$  respectively. If a  $0.01M$  solution of  $MX$  is added dropwise to a mixture containing  $A^-$ ,  $B^-$ ,  $C^-$  and  $D^-$  ions, then the one to be precipitated first will be:

A.  $MA$

B.  $MB$

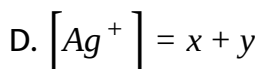
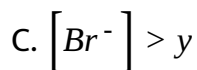
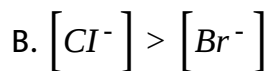
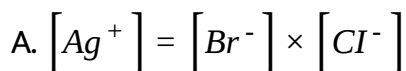
C.  $MC$

D.  $MD$

Answer: A

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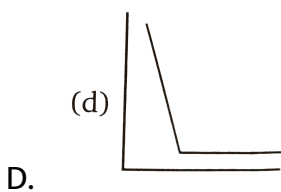
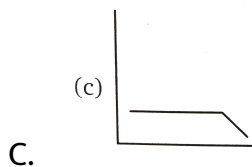
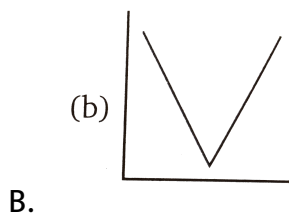
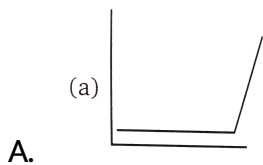
80. Which of the following statements is correct for a solution saturated with  $AgCl$  and  $AgBr$  if their solubilities in moles per litre in separate solutions are  $x$  and  $y$  respectively?



Answer: D

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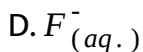
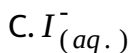
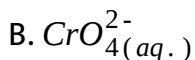
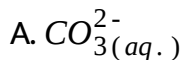
81. If NaOH is titrated HCl, variation of conductance (y-axis) with addition of HCl (x-axis) will be:



Answer: B

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82. Which of the following will not produce a precipitate with dilute silver nitrate solution ?



Answer: D

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83. 10 mL of a strong acid solution of  $\text{pH} = 2.000$  are mixed with 990mL of another strong acid solution of  $\text{pH} = 4.000$ . The pH of the resulting solution will be:

A. 4.002

B. 4.000

C. 4.200

D. 3.72

**Answer: D**

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**84.** Sulphanilic acid is a/an:

A. Arrhenius acid

B. Lewis base

C. neither (a) nor (b)

D. either (a) or (b)

**Answer: D**

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85. The pH of 10 M HCl solution is:

A. less than zero

B. zero

C. 2

D. 1

**Answer: B**

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86. At infinite dilution, the percentage dissociation of both weak acid and weak base is:

A. 1 %

B. 20 %



C. 50 %

D. 100 %

**Answer: D**

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**87.** Strong acids are generally used as standard solution in acid-base titrations because:

A. the pH at equivalence point will be 7

B. they titrate both strong and weak base

C. they form more stable solutions than weak acids

D. the salts of strong do not hydrolyse

**Answer: B**

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88. An acid solution with  $pH = 6$  at  $25^\circ C$  is diluted by  $10^2$  times. The pH of solution will:

- A. decrease by 2
- B. increase by 2
- C. decrease by 0.95 approximately
- D. increase by 0.95 approximately

**Answer: D**

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89. Approximate pH of  $0.01M$  aqueous  $H_2S$  solution, when  $K_1$  and  $K_2$  for  $H_2S$  at  $25^\circ C$  are  $1 \times 10^{-7}$  and  $1.3 \times 10^{-13}$  respectively:

- A. 4

B. 5

C. 6

D. 8

**Answer: A**

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**90.** A student wants to prepared a saturated solution of  $Ag^+$  ion. He has got only three samples  $AgCl$  ( $K_{SP} = 1.8 \times 10^{-10}$ ). Which compound he should use to have maximum  $[Ag^+]$ ?

A.  $AgCl$

B.  $AgBr$

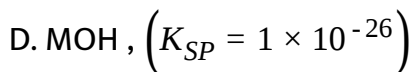
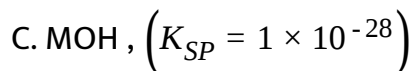
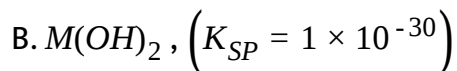
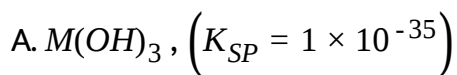
C.  $Ag_2CrO_4$

D. Either of them

Answer: C

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91. Which of the following species is more soluble in water ?



Answer: A

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92. Number of  $H^+$  ions present in 10 mL of solution of  $pH = 3$  are:

A.  $10^{13}$

B.  $6.02 \times 10^{18}$

C.  $6.02 \times 10^{13}$

D.  $6.002 \times 10^{10}$

**Answer: B**



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**93.** For pure water:

A. pH increase and pOH decreases with rise in temperature

B. pH decrease and pOH increases with rise in temperature

C. both pH and pOH increase with rise in temperature

D. both pH and pOH decrease with rise in temperature

**Answer: D**



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94. If  $\Delta H_{\text{ionisation}}^{\circ}$  for HCN and  $\text{CH}_3\text{COOH}$  are 45.2 and  $2.1\text{KJmol}^{-1}$ , which one of the following is correct ?

A.  $pK_a(\text{HCN}) < pK_a(\text{CH}_3\text{COOH})$

B.  $pK_a(\text{HCN}) > pK_a(\text{CH}_3\text{COOH})$

C.  $pK_a(\text{HCN}) = pK_a(\text{CH}_3\text{COOH})$

D. None of these

Answer: B



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95. The self ionisation constant for pure

$\text{HCOOH}$ ,  $K = \left[ \text{HCOOH}_2^{\oplus} \right] \left[ \text{HCOO}^{\ominus} \right]$  is  $10^{-6}$  at room temperature.

What percentage of  $HCOOH$  molecules are converted to  $HCOO^{\ominus}$  ions. The density of  $HCOOH$  is  $1.22gcm^{-3}$ .

- A. 0.002 %
- B. 0.004 %
- C. 0.006 %
- D. 0.008 %

**Answer: B**



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**96.** Liquid  $NH_3$  ionises to a slight extent. At  $-50^{\circ}C$ , its ionic product

$K_{NH_3} = \left[ NH_4^{\ominus} \right] \left[ NH_2^{\oplus} \right]$  is  $10^{-30}$ . How many amide ions,  $NH_2^{\oplus}$  are

present per  $mm^3$  of pure liquid  $NH_3$ ?

- A.  $6 \times 10^6$  ions

B.  $6 \times 10^5$  ions

C.  $6 \times 10^{-5}$  ions

D.  $6 \times 10^{-6}$  ions

**Answer: B**

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97. The concentration of fluoroacetic acid ( $K_a$  of acid =  $2.6 \times 10^{-3}$ ), which is required to get  $[H^+] = 1.50 \times 10^{-3}M$  is:

A.  $0.865M$

B.  $2.37 \times 10^{-3}M$

C.  $2.37 \times 10^{-4}M$

D.  $2.37 \times 10^{-2}M$

**Answer: B**





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98. The  $pH$  of pure water at  $25^\circ C$  and  $35^\circ C$  are 7 and 6, respectively. Calculate the heat of formation of water from  $H^\oplus$  and  $OH^\ominus$ .

A.  $84.55 kcal mol^{-1}$

B.  $-84.55 kcal mol^{-1}$

C.  $74.55 kcal mol^{-1}$

D.  $-74.55 kcal mol^{-1}$

Answer: B



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99. The pH of a solution obtained by mixing 10 mL of 0.1M  $HCl$  and 40mL of 0.2M  $H_2SO_4$  is:

- A. 1.4865
- B. 0.4865
- C. 0.4685
- D. 3

Answer: C

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100. The pH of a solution obtained by mixing 100mL of 0.1M  $HCl$  and 9.9mL of 0.1M  $NaOH$  is:

- A. 3.0409
- B. 3.4049

C. 2.0409

D. None of these

**Answer: A**

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**101.** What will be the resultant pH, when 200 mL of an aqueous solution of  $HCl$  ( $pH = 2.0$ ) is mixed with 300 mL of an aqueous solution of  $NaOH$  ( $pH = 12.0$ ) ?

A. 11.0310

B. 11.3010

C. 10.000

D. None of these

**Answer: B**

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102.  $K_a$  for formic acid and acetic acid are  $2.1 \times 10^{-4}$  and  $1.1 \times 10^{-5}$  respectively. The relative strength of acids is:

A. 2 : 1

B. 2.3 : 1

C. 1 : 2.1

D. 4.36 : 1

**Answer: D**

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103. What volume of 0.1M sodium formate solution should be added to 50 mL of 0.05 M formic acid to produce a buffer solution of  $pH = 4.0$ ? ( $pK_a$  of formic acid = 3.80)

A. 39.0mL

B. 39.62mL

C. 40mL

D. 40.62mL

**Answer: B**



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**104.** How many mole of HCl will be required to prepare one litre of buffer solution (containing  $NaCN + HCl$ ) of pH8.5 using 0.01g formula weight of NaCN ?  $K_{HCN} = 4.1 \times 10^{-10}$ )

A.  $8.85 \times 10^{-3}$

B.  $8.75 \times 10^{-2}$

C.  $8.85 \times 10^{-4}$

D.  $8.85 \times 10^{-2}$

**Answer: A**

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**105.** The composition of an acidic buffer mixture made up of HA and NaA of total molarity 0.29 having  $pH = 4.4$  and  $K_a = 1.8 \times 10^{-5}$  in terms of concentration of salt and acid respectively is:

A.  $0.09M$  and  $0.20M$

B.  $0.20M$  and  $0.09M$

C.  $0.1M$  and  $0.19M$

D.  $0.19M$  and  $0.10M$

**Answer: A**

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**106.** A weak acid HA after treatment with 12 mL of 0.1M strong base BOH has a pH of 5. At the end point, the volume of same base required is 26.6mL.  $K_a$  of acid is:

A.  $1.8 \times 10^{-5}$

B.  $8.2 \times 10^{-6}$

C.  $1.8 \times 10^{-6}$

D.  $8.2 \times 10^{-5}$

**Answer: B**

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**107.** Zn salt is mixed with  $(NH_4)_2S$  of molarity 0.021M. The amount of  $Zn^{2+}$  remains unprecipitated in 12 mL of this solution :  
( $K_{sp}$  of  $ZnS = 4.51 \times 10^{-24}$ )

A.  $1.677 \times 10^{-22}g$

B.  $1.767 \times 10^{-22}g$

C.  $2.01 \times 10^{-23}g$

D. none of these

**Answer: A**



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**108.** Calculate pH at which  $Mg(OH)_2$  begins to precipitate from a solution containing  $0.10M Mg^{2+}$  ions. ( $K_{SP}$  of  $Mg(OH)_2 = 1 \times 10^{-11}$ )

A. 5

B. 9

C. 4

D. 10



**Answer: B**

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**109.** The concentration of hydroxyl ion in a solution left after mixing 100 mL of  $0.1M MgCl_2$  and 100 mL of  $0.2M NaOH$  is:

$$\left( K_{SP} \text{ of } Mg(OH)_2 = 1.2 \times 10^{-11} \right)$$

A.  $2.8 \times 10^{-3}$

B.  $2.8 \times 10^{-2}$

C.  $2.8 \times 10^{-4}$

D.  $2.8 \times 10^{-5}$

**Answer: C**

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110. 0.1 millimole of  $CdSO_4$  are present in 10 mL acid solution of  $0.08NHCl$ . Now  $H_2S$  is passed to precipitate all the  $Cd^{2+}$  ions. The pH of the solution after filtering off precipitate, boiling of  $H_2S$  and making the solution 100 mL by adding  $H_2O$ , is:

A. 2

B. 4

C. 6

D. 8

**Answer: A**



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111. An acid type indicator,  $HIn$  differs in colour from its conjugate base ( $In^-$ ). The human eye is sensitive to colour differences only

when the ratio  $\left[In^{-}\right]/[HIn]$  is greater than 10 or smaller than 0.1.

What should to observe a complete colour change ?

$$\left(K_a = 1.0 \times 10^{-5}\right)$$

A. 4

B. 2

C. 6

D. 1

**Answer: B**

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**112.** Calculate the percent error in the  $\left[H_3O^{\oplus}\right]$  made by neglecting the ionisation of water in  $10^{-6}MNaOH$  solution.

A. 1 %

B. 2 %

C. 3 %

D. 4 %

**Answer: A**



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**113.** The solubility of AgCl in conc. HCl is..... than in water.

A. more

B. less

C. same

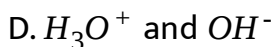
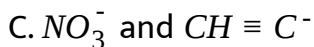
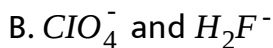
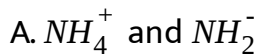
D. either of these

**Answer: A**



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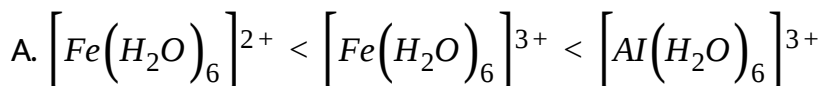
114. Which pair represents the strongest acid and strongest base that can coexist in water ?

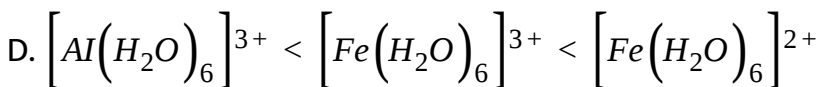
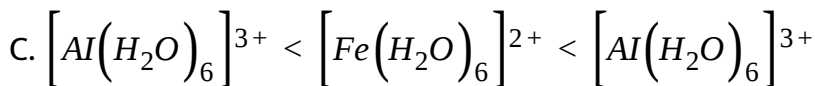
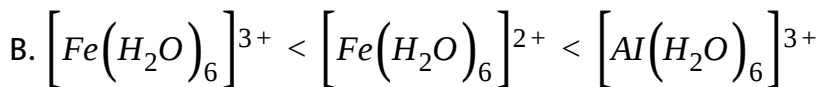


Answer: D

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115. The correct order of increasing acidic strength is:





**Answer: A**

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**116.** Which of the following solution can be titrated with HCl as well as NaOH using suitable acid base indicator ?

A. Glycine

B. Pyruvic acid

C. Triethylamine

D. Amine

**Answer: A**



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117. The  $K_{sp}$  of  $Mg(OH)_2$  is  $1 \times 10^{-12}$ .  $0.01M Mg^{2+}$  will precipitate at the limiting pH of

A. 3

B. 9

C. 12

D. 8

Answer: B



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118.  $H_2S$  is passed through  $(CH_3COO)_2Zn$  and  $ZnCl_2$  solutions separately. White ppt. will be noticed in :

A.  $(CH_3COO)_2Zn$  solution

B.  $ZnCl_2$  solution

C. both (a) and (b)

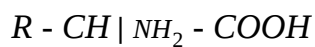
D. none of these

**Answer: A**



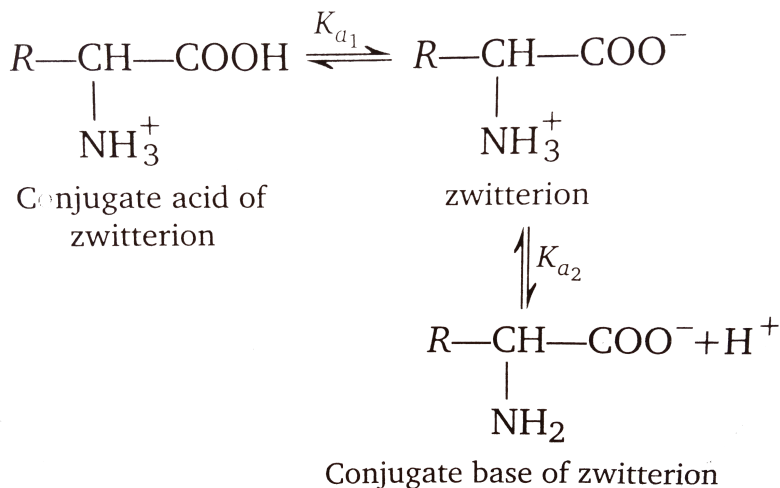
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**119.** Select the incorrect statement about,





if the following equilibrium exists :



A.  $[H^+] = \sqrt{K_{a_1} \times K_{a_2}}$

B.  $pH = \frac{pK_{a_1} + pK_{a_2}}{2}$

C. the concentration of  $[H^+]$  for zwitter ion can be calculated for any amphoteric such as  $\text{HCO}_3^-$

D. the pH of aqueous solution depends upon concentration of



Answer: D

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**120.** At what pH will a  $1 \times 10^{-4}M$  solution of an acid base indicator  $HIn$  will change its colour ?

$$\left(K_b \text{ for } In^- = 10^{-11}\right)$$

A. 7.0

B. 3.0

C. 5.5

D. 9.0

**Answer: B**

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**121.** The correct relationship between the pH of isomolar solution of  $Na_2O(pH_1)$ ,  $Na_2S(pH_2)$ ,  $Na_2Se(pH_3)$  and  $Na_2Te(pH_4)$  is:

A.  $pH_1 > pH_2 > pH_3 > pH_4$

B.  $pH_1 < pH_2 < pH_3 < pH_4$

C.  $pH_1 < pH_2 < pH_3 = pH_4$

D.  $pH_1 > pH_2 = pH_3 > pH_4$

**Answer: A**

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**122.** At  $25^\circ C$   $K_b$  for  $BOH = 1.0 \times 10^{-12}$ .  $0.01M$  solution of  $BOH$  has  $[OH^-]$ :

A.  $1.0 \times 10^{-6}M$

B.  $1.0 \times 10^{-7}M$

C.  $1.0 \times 10^{-5}M$

D.  $2.0 \times 10^{-6}M$

**Answer: B**

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**123.** Silver nitrate solution is gradually added to an aqueous solution containing  $0.01M$  each of chloride, bromide and iodide ions. The correct sequence in which the halides will be precipitated is:

- A. bromide, chloride, iodide
- B. iodide, chloride, bromide
- C. iodide, bromide, chloride
- D. bromide, iodide, chloride

**Answer: C**

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124. Three sparingly soluble salts  $M_2X$ ,  $MX$  and  $MX_3$  have the same solubility product. Their solubilities will be in the order

A.  $3 > 2 > 1$

B.  $3 > 1 > 2$

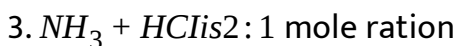
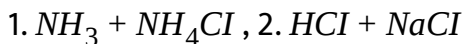
C.  $2 > 3 > 1$

D.  $2 > 1 > 3$

Answer: D

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125. In which of the following combinations, is buffer action expected ?



Select the correct answer using the code given below:

A. 1 and 2

B. 1 and 3

C. 2 and 3

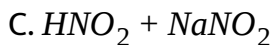
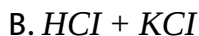
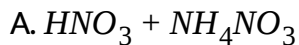
D. 1,2 and 3

**Answer: B**



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**126.** Which of the following pairs constitutes buffer?



**Answer: A**



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127. The hydrogen ion concentration of a  $10^{-8}M$   $HCl$  aqueous solution at  $298K$  ( $K_w = 10^{-14}$ ) is

A.  $9.525 \times 10^{-8}M$

B.  $1.0 \times 10^{-8}M$

C.  $1.0 \times 10^{-6}M$

D.  $1.0525 \times 10^{-7}M$

Answer: D



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128. The hydrolysis constant for the reaction,  $H_2PO_4^- + H_2O \rightleftharpoons H_3PO_4 + OH^-$  is  $1.4 \times 10^{-12}$ . The ionisation

constant for  $H_3PO_4 + H_2O \rightleftharpoons H_2PO_4^- + H_3O^+$  is:

A.  $7.14 \times 10^{-3}$

B.  $1.4 \times 10^{-12}$

C.  $1.4 \times 10^{-13}$

D.  $7.14 \times 10^{-12}$

**Answer: A**

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**129.** pH of  $0.1MNa_2HPO_4$  and  $0.2MNaH_2PO_4$  are respectively:

( $pK_a$  for  $H_3PO_4$  are 2.12, 7.21 and 12.0 for respective dissociation to  $H_2PO_4^-$ ,  $HPO_4^{2-}$  and  $PO_4^{3-}$ ):

A. 4.665, 9.605

B. 9.605, 4.665



C. 4.665, 5.605

D. 5.605, 4.665

**Answer: A**

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**130.**  $C_2H_5ONa$  acts as ..... In  $C_2H_5OH$ .

A. strong acid

B. weak acid

C. strong base

D. weak base

**Answer: C**

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131. The degree of dissociation of  $C_6H_5COOH$  is influenced by :

A.  $NH_4OH$

B.  $NaOH$

C.  $HCl$

D. either of these

Answer: D

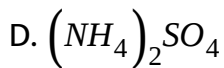
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132. The pH of which compound in aqueous solution depends on its concentration in solution ?

A.  $RCH(NH_2)COOH$

B.  $NaHS$

C.  $CH_3COONH_4$



**Answer: B**

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**133.** The pH of the mixture when 50 mL each of 0.4M and 0.1M of HCl and NaCN each are mixed not necessarily in respective order are:

$(pK_b \text{ of } CN^- = 4.6128 \text{ and } \log 1.5 = 0.1761 \text{ and } \log 3 = 0.4771)$

A. 9.8239, 0.8643

B. 0.5228, 0.8643

C. 0.8643, 0.5228

D. 0.8239, 9.8643

**Answer: D**

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134.  $n$  moles of  $N_2O_{5(s)}$  at pressure  $P^\circ$  at 300 K are taken in a closed container of fixed volume  $V$ .  $N_2O_5$  undergoes gas-phase decomposition at 400 K to  $NO_{2(g)}$  and  $O_{2(g)}$ . The pressure of mixture ( $P_{at400K}$ ) when  $N_2O_{5(g)}$  has degree of decomposition ' $\alpha$ ' can be given by :

A.  $P = P^\circ \left( 1 + \frac{3}{2}\alpha \right)$

B.  $P = \frac{4}{3}P^\circ \left( 1 + \frac{\alpha}{2} \right)$

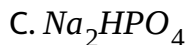
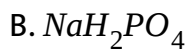
C.  $P = n(1 - \alpha)$

D.  $P = n \left( 1 + \frac{3}{2}\alpha \right)$

Answer: B

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1. The pH of which salt is independent of its concentration ?

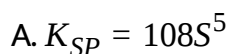


Answer: A::B::C::D



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2. Which set is not correct for the solubility product ( $K_{SP}$ ), solubility ( $Sg/litre$ ) of sparingly soluble salt  $A_3B_2$  ( $mol. wt = M$ ) in water ?



$$B. K_{SP} = \left[ \frac{3S}{M} \right]^2 \frac{2S}{M}$$

$$C. K_{SP} = \left[ 3a^{2+} \right]^3 \left[ 2B^{3-} \right]^2$$

$$D. \left[ B^{3-} \right] = \frac{2S}{M}$$

Answer: A::C

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3. Select the correct statements:

A. pH of  $NaHCO_3$  solution can be given by  $pK_{H_2CO_3} + pK_{HCO_3^-} / 2$

B.  $Al^{3+}$  ion is amphoteric

C.  $K_{SP}$  values of metal nitrates are very-very high

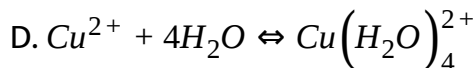
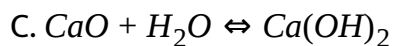
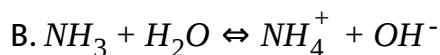
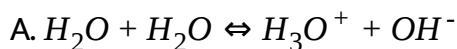
D. Liquid  $SO_2$  is aprotic solvent

$Na^+_{(aq.)}$  is conjugate base of  $NaOH_{(aq.)}$

Answer: A::B::C::D

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4.  $H_2O$  acts as Bronsted acid in the following :



Answer: A::B

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5. Which of the following is/are correct for the saturated solution of



A. Solubility of  $Ca_3PO_4$  is  $1.63 \times 10^{-6}M$

B.  $[PO_4^{3-}]_{eq.} = 3.26 \times 10^{-6}M$

C.  $[Ca^{2+}]_{eq.} = 4.89 \times 10^{-6}M$

D.  $[Ca_3PO_4]_{eq.} = 1$

**Answer: A::B::C**

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6. Which of the following statement is (are) not correct ?

A. Weak electrolytes are 100 % dissociated at infinite dilution

B.  $C_2H_5^-$  is conjugate base of  $C_2H_6$

C. Boric acid although an acid but it does not donate a proton in  
water

D. Hydration energy is maximum for  $H^+$  ions



Answer: A::B::C::D

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7. The pH of a buffer solution containing equimolar concentrations of solution acetate and acetic acid is equal to:

A.  $K_a$  of  $CH_3COOH$

B.  $pK_a$  of  $CH_3COOH$

C. 14

D.  $\log\left(\frac{1}{K_a}\right)$  of  $CH_3COOH$

Answer: B::D

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8. 10 mL of  $N/20NaOH$  solution is mixed with 20 mL of  $N/20HCl$  solution. The resulting solution will :

A. turn phenolphthalein solution pink

B. turn blue litmus red

C. turn methyl orange red

D.  $[H^+] > [OH^-]$

**Answer: B::C::D**

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9. A buffer solution can be prepared by mixing solution of:

A. sodium chloride and sodium hydroxide

B. ammonium hydroxide and ammonium chloride

C. formic acid and sodium formate

D. boric acid and borax

**Answer: B::C::D**

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**10.** Which of the following statement(s) is (are) correct in the context of buffer mixtures ?

A. It contains a weak acid and its conjugate base

B. It contains a weak base and its conjugate acid

C. The pH of the buffer solution does not change much on the addition of a small amount acid or base

D. The pH of acidic buffer mixture is less than 7

**Answer: A::B::C**



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11.  $CHCl_3$  does not give white ppt. with  $AgNO_3$  because it:

- A. is a covalent compound
- B. does not give  $Cl^-$  ions in solution
- C. is not dissociated in water
- D. None of these

Answer: A::B::C



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12. A strong electrolyte in aqueous solution exhibits:

- A. almost completely dissociated
- B. hydration

C. partial dissociation

D. None of these

**Answer: A::B**

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**13. Which of the following is/are buffer solution(s) ?**

A.  $10\text{mL}0.1\text{M}\text{HCl} + 20\text{mL}0.1\text{M}\text{NaCN}$

B.  $10\text{mL}0.1\text{M}\text{NaOH} + 20\text{mL}0.1\text{M}\text{NH}_4\text{CN}$

C.  $10\text{mL}0.1\text{M}\text{NH}_4\text{OH} + 20\text{mL}0.1\text{M}\text{CH}_3\text{COONH}_4$

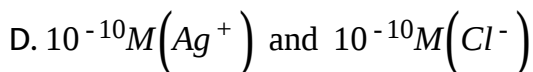
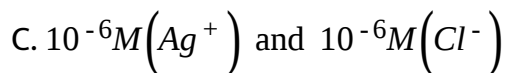
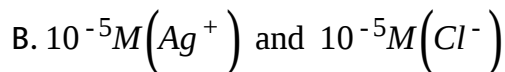
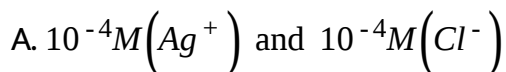
D.  $10\text{mL}0.1\text{M}\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{COOH} + 20\text{mL}0.1\text{M}\text{CH}_3\text{COONH}_4$

**Answer: A::B::C::D**

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14. When equal volumes of following solution are mixed, precipitation of  $AgCl$  ?

$(K_{sp} = 1.8 \times 10^{-10})$  will occur only with



Answer: A::B

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15. Which of the following statement is (are) correct ?

A. A buffer solution contains a weak and its conjugate base

- B. A buffer solution shows little change in pH on the addition of a small amount of acid or base
- C. A buffer solution can be prepared by mixing a solution of ammonium acetate and acetic acid
- D. The addition of solid potassium cyanide to water increases the pH of water

**Answer: A::B::C::D**

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**16.** Which of the following statement(s) is (are) correct ?

- A. The solubility product is the product of concentration of ions of an electrolyte each raised to the power of its coefficient in the balanced chemical equation in a saturated solution

B. The solubility product of an electrolyte is a function of temperature

C. Cations of group III are precipitated as their hydroxides by  $NH_4OH$  in the presence of  $NH_4Cl$  because the solubility products of these hydroxides are low

D. The ionic product with the concentration of an electrolyte

**Answer: A::B::C**

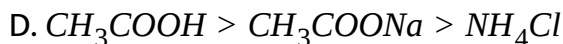
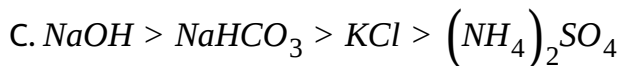
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17. Which of the following is/are correct order(s) in terms of increasing pH ?

A.  $NaOH > CH_3COONa > NaCl > NH_4Cl$

B.  $NH_4Cl > NaCl > CH_3COONa > NaOH$





**Answer: A::C**

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**18.** Which of the following statement(s) si (are) correct ?

A. The pH of  $1.0 \times 10^{-8} \text{M}$  solution of HCl is 8

B. The conjugate base of  $\text{H}_2\text{PO}_4^-$  is  $\text{HPO}_4^{2-}$

C. Autoprotolysis constant of water incereses with temperature

D. When a solution of aweak monoprotic acid is titrated against a strong base, at half-neutralization point  $\text{pH} = (1/2)\text{p}K_a$

**Answer: B::C**

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19. The phenomenon of interaction of anions and cations furnished by an electrolyte with the  $H^+$  and  $OH^-$  ions of water to produce acidity or alkalinity is known as hydrolysis. In hydrolysis :

- A. the pH may either increase or decrease
- B. all the salts (except those made up with strong anion and cation) undergo hydrolysis
- C. the variation of pH depends upon the nature of salt as well on the temperature
- D. none of these

**Answer: A::B::C**



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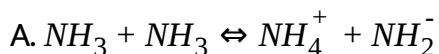
20. If a salt of weak acid or base is added to a solution of its acid or base respectively, then:

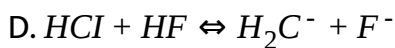
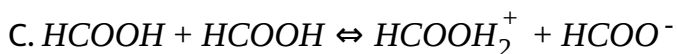
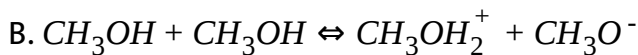
- A. dissociation of acid or base is diminished
- B. pH of the solution in case of acid increase and in case of base decreases
- C. mixing of two leads for common ion effect
- D. none of these

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21. Which of the following is (are) the example(s) of autoprotolysis ?





Answer: A::B::C

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22. For 0.01N solution of sodium acetate ( $K_a = 1.9 \times 10^{-5}$ ). Select the correct statements.

A. Hydrolysis constant is  $5.26 \times 10^{-10}$

B. Degree of hydrolysis is  $2.29 \times 10^{-4}$

C. pH of solution is 8.36

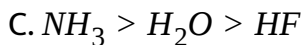
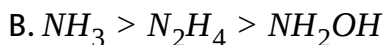
D. pH of solution is 7.46

Answer: A::B::C



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23. Which of the following is (are) correct order(s) for basic strength ?



Answer: A::B::C::D



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24. The pH of solution(s) is (are) defined as the:

A. negative logarithm of the hydrogen ion concentration

B. logarithm of reciprocal of hydrogen ion concentration

C. negative power raised on 10 in order to express  $[H^+]$  ion concentration

D. none of these

**Answer: A::B::C**

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25. Which of the following statement(s) is (are) correct regarding Lewis acids ?

A. Molecules having a central atom with an incomplete octet in it can as Lewis acids

B. Molecules in which atoms of dissimilar electronegativity are joined by multiple bonds can acts as Lewis acids

C.  $\text{SiF}_4$ ,  $\text{PF}_5$  and  $\text{FeCl}_3$  are Lewis acids

D. Neutral species having at least one pair of electrons can act as Lewis acids

**Answer: A::B::C**

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**26.** In  $0.1M$  solution,  $K_a$  for dissociation of  $\text{H}_2\text{S}$  is  $4.0 \times 10^{-3}$ . Select the correct statements.

A. Concentration of  $\text{H}^+$  is  $0.018M$

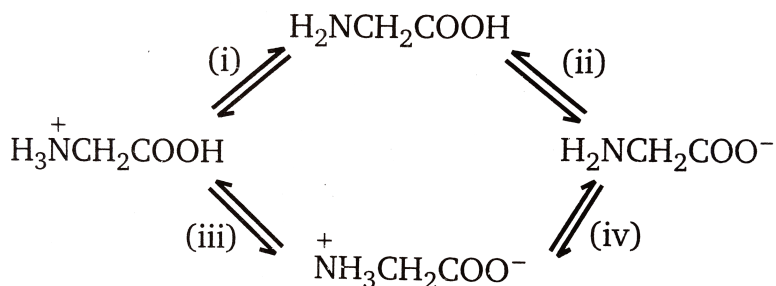
B. The degree of dissociation of  $\text{H}_2\text{S}$  is 18 %

C. pH of solution is 1.7447

D. Concentration of  $[\text{H}^+]$  is  $0.18M$

**Answer: A::B::C**

27. Which of the following indicates proton transfer equilibrium in the glycine molecule shown below ?



- A. (i)
- B. (ii)
- C. (iii)
- D. (iv)

Answer: A::B::C::D



28. In a solution containing  $1.0 \times 10^{-3}M$  acetic acid at  $25^\circ C$ .  $K_a$  of acetic acid is  $1.80 \times 10^{-5}$ . Select the correct statements.

- A.  $[H^+] = 1.34 \times 10^{-4}$
- B.  $[CH_3COO^-] = 1.34 \times 10^{-4}$
- C.  $[CH_3COOH] = 8.66 \times 10^{-4}$
- D.  $[H^+] = 1.35 \times 10^{-6}$

Answer: A::B

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29. Which of the following mixture/solution will show pH approximately equal to 9 ?

- A.  $100mL$  of  $3 \times 10^{-3}M HCl$  +  $100mL$  of  $4.24 \times 10^{-3}M NaCN$
- B.  $100mL$  of  $0.01M NH_4OH$  +  $100mL$  of  $2 \times 10^{-3}M NaOH$

C.  $0.2M$  sodium butyrate,  $K_a$  for butyric acid is  $2.0 \times 10^{-5}$

D.  $5 \times 10^{-6}M$   $Ca(OH)_2$  solution

**Answer: A::C::D**

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**30.** Which solution will not show change in pH of dilution ?

A.  $0.1M NaH_2PO_4$

B.  $0.1M CH_3COONH_4$

C.  $0.1M CH_3COONH_4$

D.  $0.1M NH_4OH + 0.01M NH_4Cl$

**Answer: A::B:C:D**

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1. Equal volumes of  $1M\text{HCl}$  and  $1M\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  are neutralised by  $1M\text{NaOH}$  solution and  $x$  and  $y\text{kJ}$  equivalent of heat are liberated, respectively. Which of the following relations is correct?

A. not a buffer solution and with  $\text{pH} < 7$

B. not a buffer solution with  $\text{pH} > 7$

C. a buffer solution with  $\text{pH} < 7$

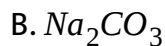
D. a buffer solution with  $\text{pH} > 7$

**Answer: A**



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2. Species acting as both Bronsted acid and base is:



**Answer: A**



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3. If the solubility of an aqueous solution of  $\text{Mg}(\text{OH})_2$  be  $X$  mole litre, then  $K_{SP}$  of  $\text{Mg}(\text{OH})_2$  is:

A.  $4X^3$

B.  $108X^5$

C.  $27X^4$

D.  $9X$

**Answer: A**

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4. The solubility of a sparingly soluble salt  $AB_2$  in water is  $1.0 \times 10^{-5} \text{ mol L}^{-1}$ . Its solubility product is:

A.  $10^{-15}$

B.  $10^{-10}$

C.  $4 \times 10^{-15}$

D.  $4 \times 10^{-10}$

**Answer: C**

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5. Which of the following has highest proton affinity?

A.  $NH_3$

B.  $PH_3$

C.  $H_2O$

D.  $H_2S$

**Answer: A**



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**6. Which statement is not true?**

A.  $pH$  of  $1 \times 10^8 M HCl$  is 8

B. 96500 coulomb deposits 1 g equivalent of copper

C. Conjugate base of  $H_2PO_4^-$  is  $HPO_4^{2-}$

D.  $pH + pOH = 14$  for all aqueous solution

**Answer: A**



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7. When rain is accompanied by a thunderstorm, the collected rain water will have a  $pH$ :

- A. influenced by occurrence of thunderstorm
- B. depends upon the amount of dust in water
- C. slightly lower than that of rainwater without thunderstorm
- D. slightly higher than that when thunderstorm is not there

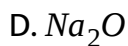
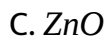
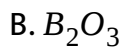
**Answer: C**



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8. Which one is amphoteric oxide ?

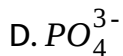
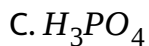
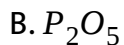
- A.  $SO_2$



**Answer: C**

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9. The conjugate base of  $H_2PO_4^-$  is :



**Answer: A**

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10.  $K_{SP}$  of  $MX_4$  and solubility of  $MX_4$  is  $S$  mol/L is related by:

A.  $S = \left[ K_{SP}/256 \right]^{1/5}$

B.  $S = \left[ 128K_{SP} \right]^{1/4}$

C.  $S = \left[ 256K_{SP} \right]^{1/5}$

D.  $S = \left[ K_{SP}/128 \right]^{1/4}$

**Answer: A**

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11. The solubility product of a salt having general formula  $MX_2$  in water is  $4 \times 10^{-12}$ . The concentration of  $M^{2+}$  ions in the aqueous solution of the salt is:

A.  $2 \times 10^{-6}M$

B.  $1 \times 10^{-4}M$

C.  $1.6 \times 10^{-4}M$

D.  $4.0 \times 10^{-6}M$

**Answer: B**

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**12.** Hydrogen ion concentration in *mol/L* in a solution of  $pH = 5.4$  will be:

A.  $3.98 \times 10^8$

B.  $3.88 \times 10^6$

C.  $3.68 \times 10^8$

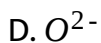
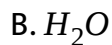
D.  $3.98 \times 10^{-6}$

**Answer: D**



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13. The conjugate base of  $OH^-$  is :



Answer: D



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14. The  $pK_a$  of a weak acid ( $HA$ ) is 4.5. The  $pOH$  of an aqueous buffered solution of  $HA$  in which 50 % of the acid is ionized is:



B. 2.5

C. 9.5

D. 7.0

**Answer: C**



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**15.** The first and second dissociation constant of an acid  $H_2A$  are  $1.0 \times 10^{-5}$  and  $5.0 \times 10^{-10}$  respectively. The overall dissociation constant of the acid will be

A.  $5.0 \times 10^{-5}$

B.  $5.0 \times 10^{15}$

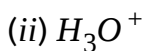
C.  $5.0 \times 10^{-15}$

D.  $0.2 \times 10^5$

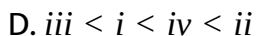
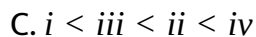
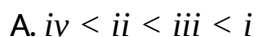
Answer: C

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16. Four species are listed below:



Which one of the following is the correct sequence of their acid strength?



Answer: C

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17. The  $pK_a$  of a weak acid,  $HA$ , is 4.80. The  $pK_b$  of a weak base,  $BOH$ , is 4.78. The  $pH$  of an aqueous solution of the corresponding salt,  $BA$ , will be:

A. 8.58

B. 4.79

C. 7.01

D. 9.22

Answer: C

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18. Solid  $Ba(NO_3)_2$  is gradually dissolved in a  $1.0 \times 10^{-4} M Na_2CO_3$  solution. At what concentrations of  $Ba^{2+}$ , will a precipitate begin to form?

( $K_{SP}$  for  $BaCO_3 = 5.1 \times 10^{-9}$ )

A.  $4.1 \times 10^{-5} M$

B.  $5.1 \times 10^{-5} M$

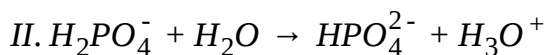
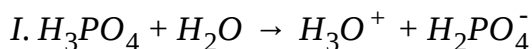
C.  $8.1 \times 10^{-8} M$

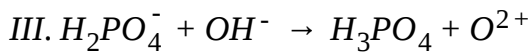
D.  $8.1 \times 10^{-7} M$

**Answer: B**

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19. Three reactions involving  $H_2PO_4^-$  are given below





In which of the above does  $H_2PO_4^-$  act as an acid?

- A. (ii) only
- B. (i) and (ii)
- C. (iii) only
- D. (i) only

**Answer: A**

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**20.** In aqueous solution the ionization constants for carbonic acid are:

$$K_1 = 4.2 \times 10^{-7} \text{ and } K_2 = 4.8 \times 10^{-11}$$

Select the correct statement for a saturated 0.034M solution of the carbonic acid.



- A. The concentration of  $\text{CO}_3^{2-}$  is  $0.034M$
- B. The concentration of  $\text{CO}_3^{2-}$  is greater than that of  $\text{HCO}_3^-$
- C. The concentration of  $\text{H}^+$  and  $\text{HCO}_3^-$  are approximately equal
- D. The concentration of  $\text{H}^+$  is double that of  $\text{CO}_3^{2-}$

**Answer: C**

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21. At  $25^\circ\text{C}$ , the solubility product of  $\text{Mg}(\text{OH})_2$  is  $1.0 \times 10^{-11}$ . At which  $\text{pH}$ , will  $\text{Mg}^{2+}$  ions start precipitating in the form of  $\text{Mg}(\text{OH})_2$  from a solution of  $0.001M\text{Mg}^{2+}$  ions ?

- A. 9
- B. 10
- C. 11

D. 8

**Answer: B**

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22. Solubility product of silver bromide is  $5.0 \times 10^{-13}$ . The quantity of potassium bromide (molar mass taken as  $120 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$ ) to be added to 1L of 0.05M solution of silver nitrate to start the precipitation of  $\text{AgBr}$  is

A.  $1.2 \times 10^{-10} \text{ g}$

B.  $1.2 \times 10^{-9} \text{ g}$

C.  $6.2 \times 10^{-5} \text{ g}$

D.  $5.0 \times 10^{-8} \text{ g}$

**Answer: B**



23. The  $pH$  of a 0.1 molar solution of the acid  $HQ$  is 3. The value of the ionisation constant,  $K_a$  of the acid is

A.  $1 \times 10^{-3}$

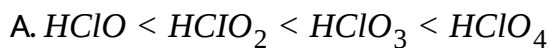
B.  $1 \times 10^{-5}$

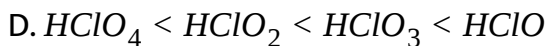
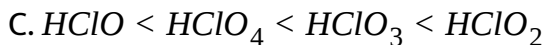
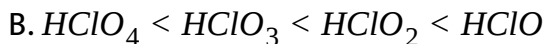
C.  $1 \times 10^{-7}$

D.  $3 \times 10^{-1}$

**Answer: B**

24. The correct order of acid strength is





**Answer: A**

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25. For a sparingly soluble salt  $A_pB_q$ , the relationship of its solubility product ( $L_S$ ) with its solubility ( $S$ ) is

A.  $L_S = S^{p+q} \cdot p^p \cdot q^q$

B.  $L_S = S^{p+q} \cdot p^q \cdot q^p$

C.  $L_S = S^{pq} \cdot p^p \cdot q^q$

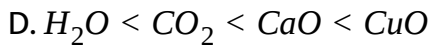
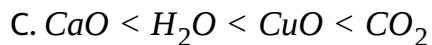
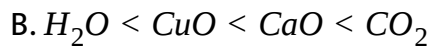
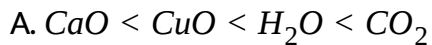
D.  $L_S = S^{pq} \cdot (pq)^{p+q}$

**Answer: A**



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26. Identify the correct order of acidic strength of  $CO_2$ ,  $CuO$ ,  $CaO$  and  $H_2O$ .



Answer: A



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27.  $H_3BO_3$  is.

A. monobasic and weak Lewis acid

B. monobasic and weak Bronsted acid

C. monobasic and strong Lewis acid

D. tribasic and weak Bronsted acid

**Answer: A**

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28.  $HX$  is a weak acid ( $K_a = 10^{-5}$ ). It forms a salt  $NaX(0.1M)$  on reacting with caustic soda. The degree of hydrolysis of  $NaX$  is

A. 0.0001 %

B. 0.01 %

C. 0.1 %

D. 0.15 %

**Answer: B**



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29. 0.1 mole of  $CH_3NH_2$  ( $K_b = 5 \times 10^{-4}$ ) is mixed with 0.08 mole of  $HCl$  and diluted to one litre. The  $[H^+]$  in solution is

A.  $8 \times 10^{-2}M$

B.  $8 \times 10^{-11}M$

C.  $1.6 \times 10^{-11}M$

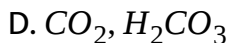
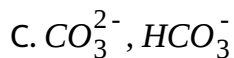
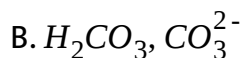
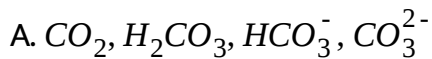
D.  $8 \times 10^{-5}M$

Answer: B



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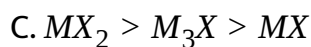
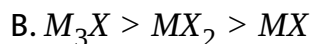
30. The species present in solution when  $CO_2$  is dissolved in water are :



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**31.** The solubility product constant ( $K_{sp}$ ) of salts of types  $MX$ ,  $MX_2$ , and  $M_3X$  at temperature  $T$  are  $4.0 \times 10^{-8}$ ,  $3.2 \times 10^{-14}$ , and  $2.7 \times 10^{-15}$ , respectively. The solubilities of the salts at temperature  $T$  are in the order





D.  $MX > M_3X > MX_2$

**Answer: D**

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32. When  $2.5\text{mL}$  of  $2/5M$  weak monoacidic base ( $K_b = 1 \times 10^{-12}$  at  $25^\circ\text{C}$ ) is titrated with  $2/15M\text{HCl}$  in water at  $25^\circ\text{C}$  the concentration of  $\text{H}^\oplus$  at equivalence point is ( $K_w = 1 \times 10^{-14}$  at  $25^\circ\text{C}$ )

A.  $3.7 \times 10^{-13}M$

B.  $3.2 \times 10^{-7}M$

C.  $3.2 \times 10^{-2}M$

D.  $2.7 \times 10^{-2}M$

**Answer: D**

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## Exercise6

1. The dissociation constant of a substitute benzoic acid at  $25^{\circ}\text{C}$  is  $1.0 \times 10^{-4}$ . The pH of a  $0.01\text{M}$  solution of its sodium salt is

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2. Calculate the pH of  $10^{-2}\text{NH}_2\text{SO}_4$ .

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3. A certain buffer solution contains equal contraction of  $X^{-}$  and  $HX$ . The  $K_b$  for  $X^{-}$  is  $10^{-10}$ . The pH of the buffer is:

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4. In a solution containing  $0.02MCH_3COOH$  and  $0.01MC_6H_5COOH$ .

If  $K_{CH_3COOH}$  and  $K_{C_6H_5COOH}$  are  $1.8 \times 10^{-5}$  and  $6.4 \times 10^{-5}$

respectively, then calculate the pH of solution.

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5.  $K_a$  for HCN is  $5.0 \times 10^{-10}$  at  $25^\circ C$ . For maintaining a constant pH of 9. Calculate the volume of  $5.0MKCN$  solution required to be added to 10 mL of  $2.0MHCN$  solution.

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6. A solution containing 75 mL of  $0.2M HCl$  and 25 mL of  $0.2M NaOH$ . Calculate the pH of solution.

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7. Calculate the change in pH of water when 0.01 mole of NaOH are added in 10 litre water.

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8. Calculate the  $pH$  at which an acid indicator with  $K_a = 1.0 \times 10^{-5}$  changes colour when the indicator is  $1.00 \times 10^{-3}M$ .

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9.  $K_{SP}$  of  $M(OH)_x$  is  $27 \times 10^{-12}$  and its solubility in water is  $10^{-3}$  mol  $litre^{-1}$ . Find the value of X.

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10. If the equilibrium constant for the reaction of weak acid HA with strong base is  $10^9$ , then pH of 0.1M Na A is:

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11. Calculate the pH of 0.01M solution of  $AlCl_3$ , ( $K_a$  of  $[Al(H_2O)_6]^{3+}$  is  $1.4 \times 10^{-5}$ )

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12. Calculate the pH of 0.2M sodium butyrate, ( $K_a$  for butyric acid is  $2.0 \times 10^{-5}$ )

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13. If  $pK_a$  of acetic acid and  $pK_b$  of ammonium hydroxide are 4.76 each. Find the pH of ammonium acetate.

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14. A solution with  $pH 2.699$  is diluted two times, then calculate the pH of the resulting solution. [Given  $\text{antilog of } 0.3010 = 2$ ]

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15. The solubility product of a sparingly soluble metal hydroxide  $[M(OH)_2]$  is  $5 \times 10^{-16} \text{ mol}^3 \text{ dm}^{-9}$  at 298 K. Find the pH of its saturated aqueous solution.

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16. Determine degree of dissociation of  $0.05M NH_3$  at  $25^\circ C$  in a solution of  $pH = 11$ .

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17. If  $2H_2O_{(g)} \rightleftharpoons 2H_{2(g)} + O_{2(g)}$ ,  $K_1 = 2.0 \times 10^{-13}$

$2CO_{2(g)} \rightleftharpoons 2CO_{(g)} + O_{2(g)}$ ,  $K_2 = 7.2 \times 10^{-12}$

Find the equilibrium constant for the reaction

$CO_{2(g)} + H_{2(g)} \rightleftharpoons CO_{(g)} + H_2O_{(g)}$

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18. For the given reaction,

$RNH_2 + H_2O \rightleftharpoons RNH_3^+ + OH^-$ . Find the pOH value for  $10^{-2}M RNH_2$  solution.

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19. Ionisation constant for acids HA and  $BH^+$  are  $10^{-7}$  and  $10^{-3}$  respectively. Find the  $pK_{eq}$  for the reaction,  $HA + B \rightleftharpoons BH^+ + A^-$ .

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20. Find the relative strength of two weak acids HA ( $K_a = 8.0 \times 10^{-5}$ ) and HB ( $K_b = 2.0 \times 10^{-5}$ ).

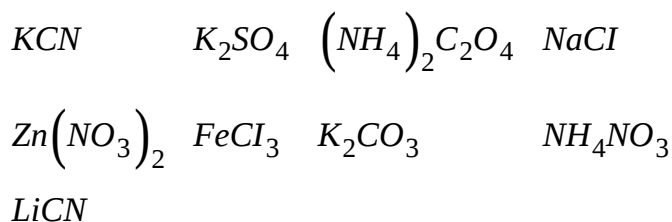
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21. Find the pH at which an acid indicator having concentration  $1.0 \times 10^{-4}M$ , having dissociation of 1% shows a colour change.

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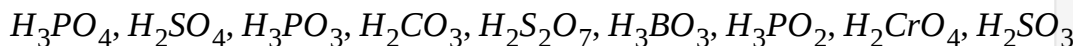


22. Amongst the following, the total number of compounds whose aqueous solution turns red litmus paper blue is:



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23. Find the total number of diprotic acids among the following:



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24. In 1L saturated solution of  $AgCl$  of  $K_{sp}(AgCl) = 1.6 \times 10^{-10}$ , 0.1mol of

$CuCl$   $[K_{sp}(CuCl) = 1.0 \times 10^{-6}]$  is added. The resultant concentration of  $Ag^+$  in the solution is  $1.6 \times 10^{-x}$ . The value of "x" is.

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## Exercise 7

1. The dissociation of weak electrolyte (a weak base or weak acid) is expressed in terms of Ostwald's dilution law. An acid is substance which furnishes a proton or accepts an electron pair, where a base is proton acceptor or electron pair donor. Stronger is acid, weaker is its conjugate base. The dissociation constants of an acid ( $K_a$ ) and its conjugate base ( $K_b$ ) are related by  $K_w = K_a \times K_b$ , where  $K_w$  is ionic product of water equal to  $10^{-14}$  at  $25^\circ C$ . The numerical value of  $K_w$  however increase with temperature. In a solution of an acid or base  $[H^+][OH^-] = 10^{-14}$ . Thus the  $[H^+]$  in a solution is expressed as:  $[H^+] = 10^{-pH}$  and  $pH + pOH = 14$ . Buffer solution are

the solutions which do not show appreciable change in the pH on addition of small amount of acid or base.

$SO_2$  contents in the atmosphere is 10 ppm and the solubility of  $SO_2$  in water is  $1.36 \text{ mol litre}^{-1}$ . If  $pK_a$  of  $H_2SO_3$  is 1.92, the pH of rainwater is:

- A. 0.49
- B. 0.39
- C. 0.29
- D. 0.19

**Answer: A**

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Which of the following statements are correct ?

- (1) pH of  $10^{-10}$  M NaOH is nearly 7.
- (2) The degree of dissociation of a weak acid is given by 
$$\frac{1}{1 + 10^{(pK_{aq} - pH)}}$$
- (3) For weak electrolytes of polyprotic acid nature having no other electrolyte, the anion concentration produced in II step of dissociation is always equal to  $K_2$  at reasonable concentration of

acid.

(4) The concentration of amide ions produced during self ionisation of  $NH_3$  is equal concentration of ammonium ions.

(5) Ostwald's dilution law is valid for strong electrolytes.

A. 1, 2, 3, 5

B. 1, 2, 3, 4

C. 1, 3, 4, 5

D. 2, 3, 4, 5

**Answer: B**



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Which of the following statements are wrong ?

- (1) Increase in temperature has no effect on neutral nature of water.
- (2) Increase in temperature of pure water decreases its pH.
- (3) Increase in temperature of pure water decreases its autoprollysis.
- (4) Increase in temperature of pure increase its ionic product.
- (5) Increase in temperature of pure water decreaseas degree of dissociation of water.

A. 3, 5

B. 1, 2, 4

C. 1, 5

D. 4, 5

**Answer: A**

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Which of the following statements are true ?

- (1)  $ClO_4^-$  is weak base than  $ClO_3^-$
- (2) The degree of dissociation of weak is  $1.8 \times 10^{-9}$
- (3) The equilibrium constant for dissociation of  $H_2O$  is  $1.78 \times 10^{-16}$
- (4)  $PO_4^{3-}$  is conjugate acid of  $HPO_4^{2-}$

A. 1, 2, 3

B. 2, 3, 4

C. 1, 2, 4

D. 1, 2

**Answer: A**

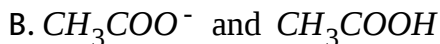
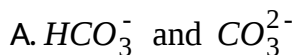


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Which of the following solution is most important buffer for human living ?



C.  $NH_4^+$  and  $NH_4OH$

D. None of these

**Answer: A**

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The removal of  $PO_4^{3-}$  in qualitative analysis of basic radicals after II gp. is made by using a buffer solution of:

- A.  $HCO_3^-$  and  $CO_3^{2-}$
- B.  $CH_3COO^-$  and  $CH_3COOH$
- C.  $NH_4^+$  and  $NH_4OH$
- D. None of these

**Answer: B**

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The pH of II gp. filtrate during III gp. basic radicals precipitation in qualitative analysis is maintained by using a buffer solution of:

- A.  $HCO_3^-$  and  $CO_3^{2-}$
- B.  $CH_3COO^-$  and  $CH_3COOH$
- C.  $NH_4^+$  and  $NH_4OH$
- D. None of these

**Answer: C**



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The  $pK_a$  value of  $NH_4^+$  is 9. The  $pK_b$  value of  $NH_4OH$  would be:

B. 5

C. 7

D. 8

**Answer: B**

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0.16g of  $N_2H_4$  ( $K_b = 4 \times 10^{-6}$ ) are dissolved in water and the total volume of solution is made upto 500 mL. The percentage of  $N_2H_4$  that reacts with water is:

A. 2 %

B. 3 %

C. 1 %

D. 4 %

**Answer: A**

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The protonation constant for  $NH_3$  from water is  $6 \times 10^5$ . The deprotonation from  $NH_4^+$  to  $H_2O$  has rate constant  $5.6 \times 10^{-10}$ . The rate constant for  $NH_4^+$  and  $OH^-$  reaction to give  $NH_3$  and  $H_2O$  would be:



A.  $6 \times 10^5$

B.  $5.6 \times 10^{-10}$

C.  $3.4 \times 10^{10}$

D.  $6 \times 10^{-5}$

**Answer: C**

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**11.** The dissociation of weak electrolyte (a weak base or weak acid) is expressed in terms of Ostwald's dilution law. An acid is substance which furnishes a proton or accepts an electron pair, where a base is proton acceptor or electron pair donor. Stronger is acid, weaker is its conjugate base. The dissociation constants of an acid ( $K_a$ ) and its conjugate base ( $K_b$ ) are related by  $K_w = K_a \times K_b$ , where  $K_w$  is ionic product of water equal to  $10^{-14}$  at  $25^\circ \text{C}$ . The numerical value of  $K_w$  however increase with temperature. In a solution of an acid or

base  $[H^+][OH^-] = 10^{-14}$ . Thus the  $[H^+]$  in a solution is expressed as:  $[H^+] = 10^{-pH}$  and  $pH + pOH = 14$ . Buffer solution are the solutions which do not show appreciable change in the pH on addition of small amount of acid or base.

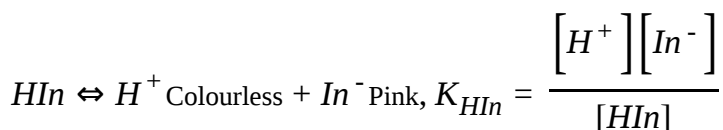
At  $50^\circ C$ , liq.  $NH_3$  undergoes autoprotolysis to give ammonium and azide ions having dissociation constant equal to  $10^{-30}$ . The number of azide ions present  $1cm^3$  of liq.  $NH_3$  is:

- A.  $6 \times 10^5$
- B.  $6 \times 10^{15}$
- C.  $6 \times 10^8$
- D.  $6 \times 10^{12}$

**Answer: A**

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12. During neutralisation of an acid by a base, the end point refers for the completion of reaction. The detection of end point in acid - base neutralisation is usually made by an acid-base indicator. An acid-base indicator is itself a weak acid (Phenolphthalein) or a weak base (Methyl orange). At about 50 % ionisation which depends on the medium, the anion furnished by an indicator (acid) or cation furnished by indicator (basic) imparts its characteristic colour to solution at point. For example phenolphthalein, the dissociation is



favoured in presence of alkali and pink colour of phenolphthalein ion is noticed as soon as the medium changes to alkaline nature. The end point of acid-base neutralisation not necessarily coincides with equivalent point but it is closer and closer to equivalence point. Also at equivalence point of acid-base neutralisation pH is not necessarily equal to 7.

Which among the following statements are correct ?

- (1) At equivalence point of NaOH and HCl,  $pH = 7$
- (2) At equivalence point to of NaOH and  $CH_3COOH$ ,  $pH > 7$
- (3) At equivalence point of  $NH_4OH$  and HCl,  $pH < 7$
- (4) an indicator shoes best results, if equivalence point is within the pH range  $pK_a$  of  $In + 1$
- (5) At equivalence point of  $NH_4OH$  and formic acid,  $pH < 7$

A. 1, 2, 3, 4

B. 1, 3, 4, 5

C. 1, 4, 5

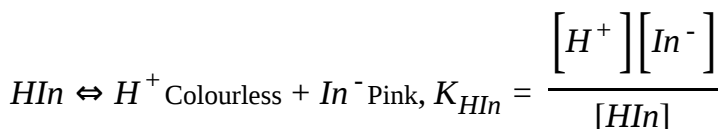
D. 1, 2, 3, 5

**Answer: A**



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The dissociation constant of an acid-base indicator which furnishes

coloured cation is  $1 \times 10^{-5}$ . The pH of solution at which indicator will furnish its colour is :

A. 5

B. 9

C. 6

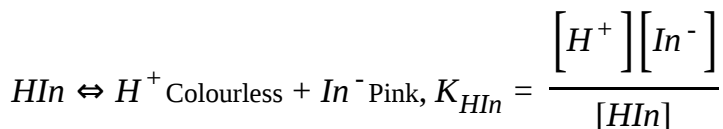
D. 10

**Answer: B**

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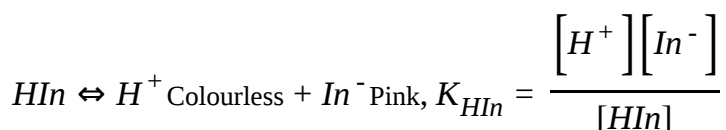
The dissociation constant of an acid-base indicator which furnished coloured anion is  $1 \times 10^{-5}$ . The pH of solution at which indicator is 80 % in dissociated form is:

- A. 5.2310
- B. 5.6020
- C. 8.3980

**Answer: B**

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Bromophenol blue is an acid indicator having dissociation constant  $5.84 \times 10^{-5}$ . The percentage of coloured ion furnished at a pH of 4.84 is:

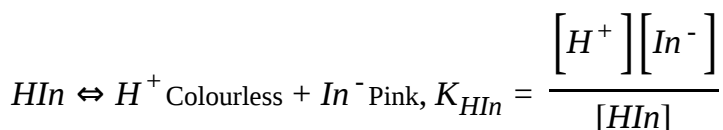
- A. 80 %
- B. 40 %
- C. 20 %
- D. 90 %

**Answer: A**



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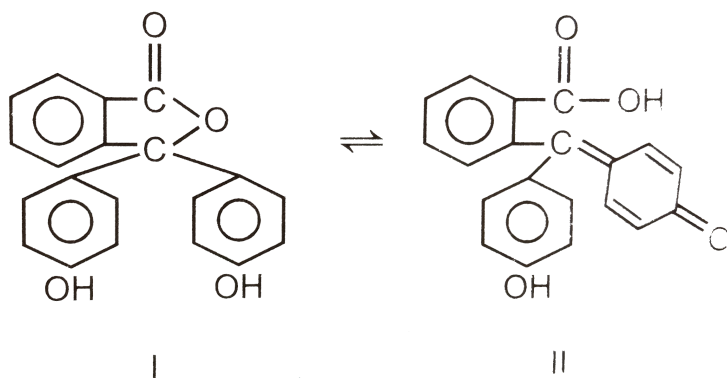
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The indicator phenolphthalein is a tautomeric mixture of two forms as

given below:



Which of the following statements are correct ?

- (1) The form I is referred as quinonoid form and is deeper in colour
- (2) The form I is referred as quinonoid form and is lighter in colour
- (3) The form II is more stable in alkaline solution
- (4) The change in pH from acidic to alkaline solution brings in the more and more conversion of I form to II form
- (5) The form I is more stable in acidic medium

A. 1, 2, 3, 4

B. 1, 3, 4, 5

C. 3, 4, 5

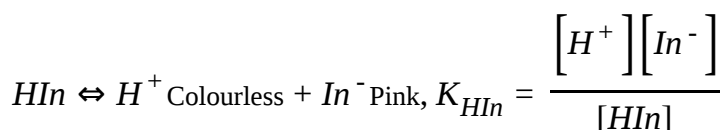
D. 2, 3, 4, 5

**Answer: B**



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Which of the following statements are correct ?

- (1) Phenolphthalein is not a good indicator for weak alkali titrations
- (2) Phenolphthalein does not give pink colour with weak alkalies as  $NH_4OH$
- (3) Phenolphthalein is an acid indicator and imparts colour in basic medium
- (4) Phenolphthalein is a basic indicator and imparts colour in basic medium
- (5) Phenolphthalein furnishes coloured cation

A. 1, 2, 4, 5

B. 1, 2, 3, 4

C. 1, 3

D. 2, 4

Answer: C

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18. The pH of basic buffer mixtures is given by :

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given by:  $pH = pK_a + \log\left(\frac{[\text{Salt}]}{[\text{Acid}]}\right)$ . Addition of little acid or base

although shows no appreciable change for all practical purpose, but

since the ratio  $\frac{[\text{Base}]}{[\text{Salt}]}$  or  $\frac{[\text{Salt}]}{[\text{Acid}]}$  change, a slight decrease or

increase in pH results in.

The amount of  $(\text{NH}_4)_2\text{SO}_4$  to be added to 500 mL of  $0.01\text{MNH}_4\text{OH}$

solution ( $pK_{af}$  or  $\text{NH}_4^+$  is 9.26) prepare a buffer of pH 8.26 is:

A. 0.05 mole

B. 0.025 mole

C. 0.10 mole

D. 0.005 mole

**Answer: B**

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increase in pH results in.

A solution containing 0.2 mole of dichloroacetic acid

$(K_a = 5 \times 10^{-2})$  and 0.1 mole sodium dichloroacetate in one litre

solution has  $[H^+]$ :

A. 0.05M

B.  $0.025M$

C.  $0.10M$

D.  $0.005M$

**Answer: A**

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increase in pH results in.

The volume of  $0.2M NaOH$  needed to prepare a buffer of  $pH 4.74$  with

$50\text{ mL}$  of  $0.2M$  acetic acid is:  $\left(pK_a \text{ of } CH_3COO^- = 9.26\right)$



A. 50mL

B. 25mL

C. 20mL

D. 10mL

**Answer: B**



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21. The ratio of  $pH$  of solution (I) containing 1 mole of  $CH_3COONa$  and 1 mole of  $HCl$  and solution (II) containing 1 mole of  $CH_3COONa$  and 1 mole of acetic acid in one litre is :

A. 1:2

B. 2:1

C. 1:3

D. 3:1

Answer: A

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increase in pH results in.

Mole of HCl required to prepare a buffer solution of  $pH = 8.5$  with

0.1 mole of NaCN in one litre solution is:  $(pK_a \text{ of } CN^- = 4.61)$

A.  $8.85 \times 10^{-2}$

B.  $7.85 \times 10^{-2}$

C.  $9.85 \times 10^{-2}$

D.  $6.85 \times 10^{-2}$

**Answer: A**

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increase in pH results in.

A weak acid HA after treatment with 12mL of 0.1M strong base BOH

has a  $pH = 5$ . At end point, the volume of same base required is

26.6mL  $K_a$  of acid is:

A.  $8.2 \times 10^{-6}$

B.  $8.2 \times 10^{-5}$

C.  $8.2 \times 10^{-4}$

D.  $8.2 \times 10^{-7}$

**Answer: A**

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**24.** The solubility product of a soluble salt  $A_xB_y$  is given by:

$K_{SP} = [A^{y+}]^x [B^{x-}]^y$ . As soon as the product of concentration of

$A^{y+}$  and  $B^{x-}$  increases than its  $K_{SP}$ , the salt start precipitation. It

may practically be noticed that  $AgCl$  is more soluble in water and its

solubility decreases dramatically in  $0.1MNaCl$  or  $0.1MAgNO_3$

solution. It may therefore be concluded that in presence of a

common ion, the solubility of salt decreases.

The salting out action of  $RCOONa$  in presence of  $NaCl$  is based on:

A. common ion effect

B. hydrolysis of salt

C. solubility product

D. complex formation

**Answer: C**



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**25.** The solubility product of  $SrF_2$  in water is  $8 \times 10^{-10}$ . Calculate its solubility in  $0.1M$  NaF aqueous solution.

A.  $8 \times 10^{-10}$

B.  $2 \times 10^{-3}$

C.  $2.71 \times 10^{-10}$

D.  $8 \times 10^{-8}$

Answer: D

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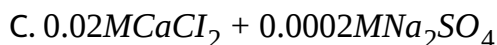
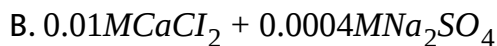
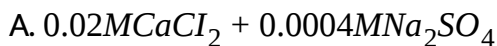
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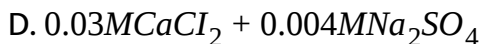
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may practically be noticed that  $AgCl$  is more soluble in water and its solubility decreases dramatically in  $0.1MNaCl$  or  $0.1MAgNO_3$  solution. It may therefore be concluded that in presence of a common ion, the solubility of salt decreases.

Equal volumes of two solutions are mixed. The one in which

$CaSO_4$  ( $K_{SP} = 2.4 \times 10^{-5}$ ) is precipitated, is :





Answer: D

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solution. It may therefore be concluded that in presence of a

common ion, the solubility of salt decreases.

The pH of a saturated solution of  $\text{Mg}(\text{OH})_2$  is:

$$\left( K_{SP} \text{ of } \text{Mg}(\text{OH})_2 = 1 \times 10^{-11} \right)$$

A. 9

B. 3.87

C. 10.43

D. 5

**Answer: C**

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**28.** The solubility product of a soluble salt  $A_xB_y$  is given by:

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solution. It may therefore be concluded that in presence of a

common ion, the solubility of salt decreases.

Which of the following statement is wrong ?

(1)  $K_{SP}$  of a salt depends upon temperature

(2)  $K_{SP}$  of a salt has no units



(3) The  $K_{SP}$  of salt  $A_xB_y$  can be given as:  $x^x \cdot y^y (S)^{x+y}$

(4) Solubility of  $BaF_2$  in a solution of  $Ba(NO_3)_2$  can be given by

$$\frac{1}{2} [F^-]$$

A. 1

B. 2

C. 3

D. 4

**Answer: B**

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The volume of water needed to dissolve  $1g BaSO_4$  ( $K_{SP} = 1 \times 10^{-10}$ ) is:

- A. 230 litre
- B. 429 litre
- C. 500 litre
- D. 320 litre

**Answer: B**



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**30.** A solution contains one mole each of HA and HB (both are weak acids) in one litre solution. Now 1 mole of NaOH is added to this

solution so that both the acids are partly neutralised. Heat of neutralisation for HA and HB are- 11.8 and- 12.4 kcal respectively and the heat produced during partial neutralisation of HA and HB is- 12.25 kcal.

Mole ratio of neutralisation of HA and HB is:

A. 1:4

B. 1:2

C. 1:3

D. 1:5

**Answer: C**

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**31.** A solubility contains one mole each of HA and HB (both are weak acids) in one litre solution. Now 1 mole of NaOH is added to this

solution so that both the acids are partly neutralised. Heat of neutralisation for HA and HB are- 11.8 and- 12.4 kcal respectively and the heat produced during partial neutralisation of HA and HB is- 12.25 kcal.

The ratio of dissociation constant of two acids are:

A. 1:9

B. 1:6

C. 1:3

D. 1:1

**Answer: A**

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**32.** A solubility contains one mole each of HA and HB (both are weak acids) in one litre solution. Now 1 mole of NaOH is added to this

solution so that both the acids are partly neutralised. Heat of neutralisation for HA and HB are- 11.8 and- 12.4 kcal respectively and the heat produced during partial neutralisation of HA and HB is- 12.25 kcal.

The ratio of NaA and NaB in solution left after reaction is:

A. 1:9

B. 1:3

C. 1:6

D. 1:4

**Answer: B**

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**33.** A solubility contains one mole each of HA and HB (both are weak acids) in one litre solution. Now 1 mole of NaOH is added to this

solution so that both the acids are partly neutralised. Heat of neutralisation for HA and HB are- 11.8 and- 12.4 kcal respectively and the heat produced during partial neutralisation of HA and HB is- 12.25 kcal.

pH of solution, if hydrolysis constant for  $A^-$  is  $10^{-9}$  :

A. 4.5228

B. 5.5228

C. 3.4696

D. 7.9215

**Answer: A**

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Exercise

1. Statement : The dissociation constants of polyprotic acid are in the order  $K_1 > K_2 > K_3$ .

Explanation : The  $[H^+]$  furnished in first step of dissociation exerts common ion effect to reduce the second dissociation so on.

A. S is correct but E is wrong.

B. S is wrong but E is correct.

C. Both S and E are correct and E is correct explanation of S.

D. Both S and E are correct but E is correct explanation of S.

**Answer: C**



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2. Statement: All strong acids in water show almost almost same acidic nature.

Explanation: This is due to levelling effect of water on account of its high dielectric constant and strong proton accepting tendency.

A. S is correct but E is wrong.

B. S is wrong but E is correc.

C. Both S and E are correct and E is correct explanation of S.

D. Both S and E are correct but E is correct explanation of S.

**Answer: C**

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**3. Statement:**  $Cl_4$ ,  $C_6H_6$  and liquid  $SO_2$  are aprotic solvents.

Explanation: Aprotic solvents does not influence the aicdic or basic nature of solute.

A. S is correct but E is wrong.

B. S is wrong but E is correc.



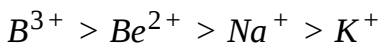
C. Both S and E are correct and E is correct explanation of S.

D. Both S and E are correct but E is correct explanation of S.

**Answer: C**

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4. Statement: The acidic nature of some cations is:



Explanation: More is the effective nuclear charge on cation more is its acidic nature.

A. S is correct but E is wrong.

B. S is wrong but E is correc.

C. Both S and E are correct and E is correct explanation of S.

D. Both S and E are correct but E is correct explanation of S.

**Answer: C**

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5. Statement: Acidic nature of boron trihalides is in the order  $BF_3 < BCl_3 < BBr_3 < BI_3$ .

Explanation: Basic nature of nitrogen trihalides is in the order  $NF_3 > NCl_3 > NBr_3 > NI_3$ .

- A. S is correct but E is wrong.
- B. S is wrong but E is correc.
- C. Both S and E are correct and E is correct explanation of S.
- D. Both S and E are correct but E is correct explanation of S.

**Answer: A**

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6. Statement:  $CO + NaOH \rightarrow \text{High}^P \text{NaHCOONa}$

Explanation: CO although being neutral can acts as acid in the given reaction.

- A. S is correct but E is wrong.
- B. S is wrong but E is correc.
- C. Both S and E are correct and E is correct explanation of S.
- D. Both S and E are correct but E is correct explanation of S.

**Answer: C**

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7. Statement: The dissociation constant of water at  $60^\circ \text{C}$  is  $10^{-13}$ .

Explanation: The pH of water is 6.5 and that it behaves as acid at  $60^\circ \text{C}$ .

A. S is correct but E is wrong.

B. S is wrong but E is correc.

C. Both S and E are correct and E is correct explanation of S.

D. Both S and E are correct but E is correct explanation of S.

**Answer: A**

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**8.** Assertion : Salting out action of sodium soap in presence of  $NaCl$  is based on common ion effect.

Reason : Salting out action of soap is based on the fact that as the concentration of  $Na^+$  increases, the  $RCOONa$  shows precipitation because  $[RCOO^-][Na^+] > K_{sp}$ .

A. S is correct but E is wrong.

B. S is wrong but E is correc.

C. Both S and E are correct and E is correct explanation of S.

D. Both S and E are correct but E is correct explanation of S.

**Answer: B**

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**9. Statement:** Hydrolysis of salt is an exothermic phenomenon.

**Explanation:** It involves breaking up of water molecule to produce acids and base respectively.

A. S is correct but E is wrong.

B. S is wrong but E is correc.

C. Both S and E are correct and E is correct explanation of S.

D. Both S and E are correct but E is correct explanation of S.

**Answer: B**

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**10. Statement:** The pH of an aqueous solution of acetic acid remains unchanged on the addition of sodium acetate.

**Explanation:** The ionisation of acetic acid is suppressed by the addition of sodium acetate.

- A. S is correct but E is wrong.
- B. S is wrong but E is correc.
- C. Both S and E are correct and E is correct explanation of S.
- D. Both S and E are correct but E is correct explanation of S.

**Answer: C**

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**11. Statement:** In acidic medium,  $Zn^{2+}$  is not precipitated by  $H_2S$ .

**Explanation:** Common ion effect reduces the concentration of  $S^{2-}$  to a minimum level.

A. S is correct but E is wrong.

B. S is wrong but E is correc.

C. Both S and E are correct and E is correct explanation of S.

D. Both S and E are correct but E is correct explanation of S.

**Answer: C**

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**12. Statement:** Sodium carbonate can be titrated against sulphuric acid by using methyl orange as indicator.

**Explanation:** The volume of sulphuric acid required to produce colour change for the two indicators (acid or basic) is different.

A. S is correct but E is wrong.

B. S is wrong but E is correc.

C. Both S and E are correct and E is correct explanation of S.

D. Both S and E are correct but E is correct explanation of S.

**Answer: A**

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**13. Statement:** In an acid-basic titration involving a strong base and a weak acid, methyl orange can be used as an indicator.

**Explanation:** Methyl orange changes its colour in the pH range 3 to

5.

A. S is correct but E is wrong.

B. S is wrong but E is correc.

C. Both S and E are correct and E is correct explanation of S.



D. Both S and E are correct but E is correct explanation of S.

**Answer: B**

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**14.** Assertion (*A*): Equivalent conductance increase with dilution for an electrolyte solution.

Reason (*R*): The number of ions per litre of electrolyte increases with dilution.

A. S is correct but E is wrong.

B. S is wrong but E is correc.

C. Both S and E are correct and E is correct explanation of S.

D. Both S and E are correct but E is correct explanation of S.

**Answer: A**



**15. Statement:** A mixture of the solution of a weak acid and its conjugates base acts as a good buffer.

**Explanation:** The ratio of the conjugates base acid in the mixture does not change substantially when small amount of acids or alkalines are added to the buffer.

- A. S is correct but E is wrong.
- B. S is wrong but E is correc.
- C. Both S and E are correct and E is correct explanation of S.
- D. Both S and E are correct but E is correct explanation of S.

**Answer: D**

**16. Statement:** For a weak electrolyte, the plot of molar conductivity ( $\Lambda_m$ ) against  $\sqrt{C}$  ( $C$  is concentration in mol *litre*<sup>-1</sup>) is nearly linear.

**Explanation:** The molar conductivity at infinite dilution ( $\Lambda_m$ ) for an electrolyte can be considered equal to the sum of the limiting molar conductivities of the individual ions.

- A. S is correct but E is wrong.
- B. S is wrong but E is correc.
- C. Both S and E are correct and E is correct explanation of S.
- D. Both S and E are correct but E is correct explanation of S.

**Answer: B**



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17. Statement: The addition of a small amount of a 'neutral' electrolyte (one that does not share a common ion) such as NaCl to a dilute solution of acetic acid, will cause an increase in the degree of dissociation of the acid.

Explanation: Due to the increased ionic strength, the mean ionic activity coefficient of  $H_3O^+$  and  $CH_3COO^-$  will increase.

A. S is correct but E is wrong.

B. S is wrong but E is correc.

C. Both S and E are correct and E is correct explanation of S.

D. Both S and E are correct but E is correct explanation of S.

**Answer: C**



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18. Statement: In water, orthoboric acid behaves as a weak monobasic acid.

Explanation: In water, orthoboric acid as a proton donor.

A. S is correct but E is wrong.

B. S is wrong but E is correc.

C. Both S and E are correct and E is correct explanation of S.

D. Both S and E are correct but E is correct explanation of S.

**Answer: A**

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19. Prove that degree of dissociation of a weak acid is given by:

$$\alpha = \frac{1}{1 + 10^{(pK_a - pH)}}$$

where  $K_a$  is its dissociation constant.

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20. The concentration of fluoroacetic acid ( $K_a \text{ of acid} = 2.6 \times 10^{-3}$ ), which is required to get  $[H^+] = 1.50 \times 10^{-3} M$  is:

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21. Diborane,  $B_2H_6$ , reacts with water to form boric acid and hydrogen, What is the  $pH$  of the solution which results when 1.104g of  $B_2H_6$  reacts with 100mL water? Assume the final volume to be 100mL.

Given :  $K_a$  of  $H_3BO_3 = 8 \times 10^{-10}$   $pK_a$  , Atomic weight of  $B = 10, 8g$ ,  $MW$  of  $B_2H_6 = 27.6 \text{ gmol}^{-1}$ .

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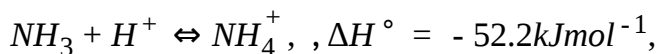
22. Liquid ammonia ionises to a slight extent. At  $-50^{\circ}\text{C}$ , its self ionisation constant,  $K_{\text{NH}_3} = [\text{NH}_4^+][\text{NH}_2^-] = 10^{-30}$ . How many amide ions are present per  $\text{cm}^3$  of pure liquid ammonia ?  
(Assume  $N = 6.0 \times 10^{23}$ )

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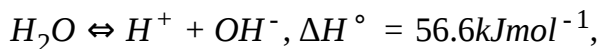
23. The self ionisation constant for pure  $\text{HCOOH}$ ,  $K = [\text{HCOOH}_2^{\oplus}][\text{HCOO}^{\ominus}]$  is  $10^{-6}$  at room temperature. What percentage of  $\text{HCOOH}$  molecules are converted to  $\text{HCOO}^{\ominus}$  ions. The density of  $\text{HCOOH}$  is  $1.22\text{gcm}^{-3}$ .

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**24.** Calculate the dissociation constant of  $NH_4OH$  at  $25^\circ C$ . If  $\Delta H^\circ$  and  $\Delta S^\circ$  for the given changes are as follows:



$$\Delta S^\circ = +1.67 \text{ JK}^{-1} \text{ mol}^{-1}$$



$$\Delta S^\circ = -78.2 \text{ JK}^{-1} \text{ mol}^{-1}$$

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**25.** Calculate the concentration of all species of significant concentrations presents in  $0.1M H_3PO_4$  solution. If

$$K_1 = 7.5 \times 10^{-3}, K_2 = 6.2 \times 10^{-8}, K_3 = 3.6 \times 10^{-13}$$

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26. If  $CH_3COOH$  ( $K_a = 10^{-5}$ ) reacts with NaOH at 298K, then find out the value of the maximum rate constant of the reverse reaction at 298 K at the end point of the reaction. Given that the rate constant of the forward reaction is  $10^{-11} mol^{-1} L sec^{-1}$  at 298 K. Also calculate Arrhenius parameter for backward reaction if  $\Delta H_{298K} = 44 kcal$  and  $E_{a(f)} = 94 kcal$ .

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27. The  $K_w$  of water at two temperature  $25^\circ C$  and  $50^\circ C$  are  $1.08 \times 10^{-14}$ ,  $5.474 \times 10^{-14}$  respectively. Assuming  $\Delta H$  of any reaction is neutralisation of a strong acid with strong base.

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28. The  $pH$  of pure water at  $25^\circ C$  and  $35^\circ C$  are 7 and 6, respectively. Calculate the heat of formation of water from  $H^\oplus$  and  $OH^\ominus$ .

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29. For an organic monoprotic acid solution of concentration  $C_0$  mole  $litre^{-1}$ , if  $K_a$  has a value comparable to  $K_w$ , show that the hydronium ion concentration is given by :

$$[H^+] = \left[ \frac{K_w}{H(+)} + \frac{K_a \cdot C_0}{[K_a + H^+]} \right]$$

If  $[H^+] = 10^{-3}M$  and  $C_0 = 10^{-1}M$  in a solution of some organic monoprotic acid, what according to the above equation must be the order of magnitude of  $K_a$  ?

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30. The  $K_w$  for  $2H_2O \rightleftharpoons H_3O^+ + OH^-$  changes from  $10^{-14}$  at  $25^\circ C$  to  $9.62 \times 10^{-14}$  at  $60^\circ C$ . What is pH of water at  $60^\circ C$ ? What happens to its neutrality?

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31. For the indicator thymol blue, pH is 2.0 when half of the indicator is in unionised form. Find the % of indicator in unionised form in a solution with  $[H^+] = 4 \times 10^{-3} M$ .

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32. Calculate the percent error in the  $[H_3O^+]$  made by neglecting the ionisation of water in  $10^{-6} M NaOH$  solution.

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**33.** Calculate the  $pH$  of solution obtained by mixing  $10ml$  of  $0.1M HCl$  and  $40ml$  of  $0.2M H_2SO_4$

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**34.** What should be the  $pH$  at the equivalence point for the titration of  $0.10M KH_2BO_3$  with  $0.01M HCl$ ? ( $K_a$  of  $H_3BO_3 = 7.2 \times 10^{-10}$ )

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**35.** Calculate the  $pH$  of a solution which contains  $100 mL$  of  $0.1M HCl$  and  $9.9mL$  of  $1.0M NaOH$ .

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36. Calculate  $[H^{\oplus}]$  in a solution that is  $0.1M HCOOH$  and  $0.1M HOCN$ .  $K_a(HCOOH) = 1.8 \times 10^{-4}$ ,  $K_a(HoCN) = 3.3 \times 10^{-4}$ .

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37. Calculate the pH in a solution that is  $0.1M$  in acetic acid and  $0.1M$  in benzoic acid.  $K_a$  for  $CH_3COOH$  and  $C_6H_5COOH$  are  $1.8 \times 10^{-5}$  and  $6.5 \times 10^{-5}$  respectively.

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38. What are  $[H^{\oplus}]$ ,  $[A^{\ominus}]$ , and  $[B^{\ominus}]$  in a solution that is  $0.3M HA$  and  $0.1M HB$ ?  $K_a$  for  $HA$  and  $HB$  are  $1.38 \times 10^{-4}$  and  $1.05 \times 10^{-10}$ , respectively.

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39. Calculate  $[H^{\oplus}]$  and  $[CHCl_2COO^{\ominus}]$  in a solution that is  $0.01M HCl$  and  $0.01M CHCl_2COOH$ .  $K_a$  for  $CHCl_2COOH$  is  $5 \times 10^{-3}$ .

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40. Calculate  $[H^+]$ ,  $[CH_3COO^-]$  and  $[C_7H_8O_2^-]$  in a solution that is  $0.02M$  in acetic acid and  $0.01M$  in benzoic acid.

$$\left( K_{a_{AA}} = 1.8 \times 10^{-5}, K_{a_{BA}} = 6.4 \times 10^{-5} \right)$$

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41. A solution contains  $0.09M HCl$ ,  $0.09M CHCl_2COOH$ , and  $0.1M CH_3COOH$ . The  $pH$  of this solution is one. Calculate  $K_a$  for  $CHCl_2COOH$ . (Given  $K_a CH_3COOH = 10^{-5}$ )

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42. 100 mL of HCl gas at 25 °C and 740 mm pressure were dissolved in one litre of water. Calculate the pH of a solution. Given, V.P. of  $H_2O$  at 25 °C is 23.7 mm.

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43. Calculate the pH of a buffer solution prepared by dissolving 30g of  $Na_2CO_3$  in 500 mL of an aqueous solution containing 150 mL of 1 M HCl. ( $K_a$  of  $HCO_3^- = 5.63 \times 10^{-11}$ )

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44. The ratio of pH of solution (I) containing 1 mole of  $CH_3COONa$  and 1 mole of HCl and solution (II) containing 1 mole of  $CH_3COONa$  and 1 mole of acetic acid in one litre is :

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45. a. Calculate the ratio of  $pH$  of a solution containing  $1\text{mol}$ . Of  $CH_3COONa + 1\text{mol}$  of  $HCl$  per litre and of other solution containing  $1\text{mol}$  of  $CH_3COONa + 1\text{mol}$  of  $CH_3COOH$  per litre.

b. A  $0.1M$  solution of weak acid  $HA$  is  $1\%$  dissociated at  $298K$ . what is its  $K_a$ ? what will be the new degree of dissociation of  $HA$  and  $pH$  when  $0.2M$  of  $NaA$  is added to it.

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46. Calculate the weight of  $(NH_4)_2SO_4$  which must be added to  $500\text{mL}$  of  $0.2M NH_3$  to yield a solution of  $pH = 9.35$ .  $K_a$  for  $NH_3 = 1.78 \times 10^{-5}$ .

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47. 0.00050 mole of  $\text{NaHCO}_3$  is added to a large volume of a solution buffer at  $\text{pH} = 8.00$ . How much material will exist in each of the three forms,  $\text{H}_2\text{CO}_3$ ,  $\text{HCO}_3^-$  and  $\text{CO}_3^{2-}$ ?  $K_1$  and  $K_2$  for  $\text{H}_2\text{CO}_3$  are  $4.5 \times 10^{-7}$  and  $4.5 \times 10^{-11}$  respectively.

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48. 0.1M  $\text{CH}_3\text{COOH}$  solution is titrated against 0.05M  $\text{NaOH}$  solution. Calculate pH at 1/4th and 3/4th stages of neutralization of acid. The pH for 0.1M  $\text{CH}_3\text{COOH}$  is 3.

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49. A solution of weak acid was titrated with base  $\text{NaOH}$ . The equivalence point was reached when 36.12mL of 0.1M  $\text{NaOH}$  have

been added. Now  $18.06\text{ mL } 0.1\text{ M}$  HCl were added to titrated solution, the pH was found to be 4.92. What is  $K_a$  of acid ?

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**50.** A weak acid HA after treatment with 12 mL of  $0.1\text{ M}$  strong base BOH has a pH of 5. At the end point, the volume of same base required is  $26.6\text{ mL}$ .  $K_a$  of acid is:

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**51.** To a solution of acetic acid, solid sodium acetate is added gradually. When  $x$  mole of salt is added, the pH has a certain value. If  $y$  mole of salt is added, the pH is this time changes by 0.6 units to previous pH. What is the ratio of  $x$  and  $y$  ? If the solution is diluted after addition of  $y$  mole salt, what will be the change in pH ? Given that  $y > x$ .

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52. When 40 mL of a 0.1M weak monoacid base is titrated with 0.16M HCl, the pH of solution at the end point is 5.23. Calculate  $K_b$ . What will be the pH if 15 mL of 0.12M NaOH is added to the resulting solution ?

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53. The  $[Ag^+]$  ion in a saturated solution of  $Ag_2CrO_4$  at  $25^\circ C$  is  $1.5 \times 10^{-4} M$ . Determine  $K_{SP}$  of  $Ag_2CrO_4$  at  $25^\circ C$ .

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54.  $K_{sp}$  of  $PbBr_2$  is  $8 \times 10^{-5}$ . If the salt is 80% dissociated in solution, calculate the solubility of salt in  $g L^{-1}$ .

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55.  $K_{sp}$  of  $PbCl_2$  is  $10^{-13}$ . What will be  $[Pb^{2+}]$  in a solution prepared by mixing 100 mL of 0.1 M  $Pb(NO_3)_2$  of solution 1.0 mL 1 M  $HCl$ ?

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56. Calculate simultaneous solubility of  $AgCNS$  and  $AgBr$  in a solution of water.

$$\left( K_{SP} \text{ of } AgBr = 5 \times 10^{-13} \text{ and } K_{SP} \text{ of } AgCNS = 1 \times 10^{-12} \right)$$

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57.  $BaSO_4$  and  $BaCrO_4$  have solubility product values in the ratio 1:2.5 at  $25^\circ C$ . When pure water is saturated with both solids

simultaneously, the total concentration of  $Ba^{2+}$  ion in the solution is  $1.4 \times 10^{-5}M$ . Calculate the solubility product of  $BaCrO_4$ . Calculate also the solubility of  $BaSO_4$  in  $0.01MNa_2SO_4$  solution.

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**58.** A mixture of water and  $AgCl$  is shaken until a saturated solution is obtained. Now the solution is filtered and 100mL of clear solution of filtrate is mixed with 100 mL of  $0.03MNaBr$ . Should a precipitate form?  $K_{SP}$  of  $AgCl$  and  $AgBr$  are  $1 \times 10^{-10}$  and  $5 \times 10^{-13}$ .

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**59.** Zn salt is mixed with  $(NH_4)_2S$  of molarity  $0.021M$ . What amount of  $Zn^{2+}$  will remain unprecipitated in 12 mL of the solution? ( $K_{SP}$  of  $ZnS = 4.51 \times 10^{-24}$ )

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60. A particular water sample has 131 ppm  $\text{CaSO}_4$ . What fraction of the water must be evaporated in a container before solid  $\text{CaSO}_4$  begins to deposit ? ( $K_{SP}$  of  $\text{CaSO}_4 = 9.0 \times 10^{-6}$ )

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61. To a solution of  $0.1M\text{Mg}^{2+}$  and  $0.8M\text{NH}_4\text{Cl}$ , and equal volume of  $\text{NH}_3$  is added which just gives precipitates. Calculate  $[\text{NH}_3]$  in solution.

$K_{sp}$  of  $\text{Mg}(\text{OH})_2 = 1.4 \times 10^{-11}$  and  $K_b$  of  $\text{NH}_4\text{OH} = 1.8 \times 10^{-5}$ .

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62. What is the molar solubility of  $\text{AgCl}_{(g)}$  in  $0.100M\text{NH}_3(aq.)$  ?

Given  $K_{SP}$  of  $\text{AgCl} = 1.8 \times 10^{-10}$ ,  $K_f$  of  $[\text{Ag}(\text{NH}_3)_2]^+ = 1.6 \times 10^7$ .



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**63.** 10mL of 0.3M  $Na_2SO_4$  are mixed with 20mL solution having initially 0.1M  $Ca^{2+}$  and 0.1M  $Sr^{2+}$  in it. Calculate the final  $[Ca^{2+}]$ ,  $[Sr^{2+}]$  and  $[SO_4^{2-}]$  in solution? Given  $K_{sp} SrSO_4 = 7.6 \times 10^{-7}$  and  $K_{sp} CaSO_4 = 2.4 \times 10^{-5}$ .



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**64.** The solubility of  $CaCO_3$  is 7mg/L. Calculate the  $K_{sp}$  of  $BaCO_3$  whne  $Na_2CO_3$  is added slowly a solution containing equimolar concentration of  $Ca^{2+}$  and  $Ba^{2+}$  and no precipitate is formed until 90 % of  $Ba^{2+}$  has been precipitated as  $BaCO_3$ .



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65. Calculate the solubility of  $AgCN$  in a buffer solution of  $pH = 3$ ,

Given  $K_{sp}$  of  $AgCN = 1.2 \times 10^{-16}$  and  $K_a$  for  $HCN = 4.8 \times 10^{-10}$ .

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66. 2M solution of  $Na_2CO_3$  is boiled in a closed container with excess of  $CaF_2$ . Very small amount of  $CaCO_3$  and  $NaF$  are formed. If  $K_{sp}$  of  $CaCO_3$  is  $x$  and molar solubility of  $CaF_2$  is  $y$ , find the molar concentration of  $F^{\ominus}$  in the resulting solution after equilibrium is attained.

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67. 100.0mL of a saturated solution of  $Ag_2SO_4$  is added to 250.0mL of saturated solution of  $PbCrO_4$ . Will any precipitate form and if so



what? Given  $K_{sp}$  for  $Ag_2SO_4$ ,  $Ag_2CrO_4$ ,  $PbCrO_4$ , and  $PbSO_4$  are  $1.4 \times 10^{-5}$ ,  $2.4 \times 10^{-12}$ ,  $2.8 \times 10^{-13}$ , and  $1.6 \times 10^{-8}$ , respectively.

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68. 25.0mL clear saturated solution of  $PbI_{2(aq.)}$  requires 13.3mL of  $AgNO_{3(aq.)}$  solution for complete precipitation. What is molarity of  $AgNO_3$  solution? ( $K_{SP}$  of  $PbI_2$  is  $7.1 \times 10^{-9}$ )

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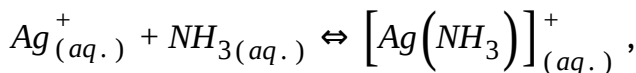
69.  $K_{sp}$  of  $SrF_2 = 2.8 \times 10^{-9}$  at  $25^\circ C$ . How much  $NaF$  should be added to 100mL of solution having 0.016M in  $Sr^{2+}$  ions to reduce its concentration to  $2.5 \times 10^{-3}M$ ?

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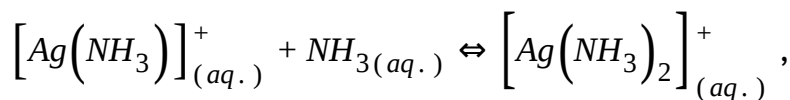
70.  $H_2S$  is bubbled into a  $0.2M NaCN$  solution which is  $0.02M$  each in  $Ag(CN)_2^{\ominus}$  and  $(Cd(CN)_4)^{2-}$ . If  $K_{sp}$  of  $Ag_2S$  and  $CdS$  are  $10^{-50}$  and  $7.1 \times 10^{-28}$  and  $K$  instability for  $[Ag(CN)_2^{\ominus}]$  and  $[Cd(CN)_4^{2-}]$  are  $1.0 \times 10^{-20}$  and  $7.8 \times 10^{-18}$ , which sulphide will precipitate first?

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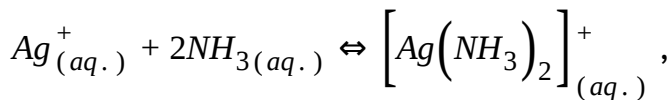
71. What are the concentration of  $Ag^+$ ,  $[Ag(NH_3)]^+$  and  $[Ag(NH_3)_2]^+$  in a solution prepared by adding  $0.10$  mole of  $AgNO_3$  to  $1.0$  litre of  $3.0M NH_3$ ? Given :



$$K_1 = 2.1 \times 10^3 \dots(1)$$



$$K_2 = 8.1 \times 10^3 \dots(2)$$



$$K_3 = 1.7 \times 10^7 \text{ .....(3)}$$

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**72.** 338 mL clear saturated solution of  $AgBrO_3$  requires just 30.4 mL of  $H_2S_{(g)}$  at  $23^\circ C$  and 748 mm Hg to precipitate all the  $Ag^+$  ions as  $Ag_2S$ . What will be  $K_{SP}$  of  $AgBrO_3$  ?

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**73.** 0.10 mole of  $AgCl_{(s)}$  is added to 1 litre of  $H_2O$ . Next crystal of NaBr are added until 75 % of the  $AgCl$  is converted to  $AgBr_{(s)}$ , the less soluble silver halide. What is  $Br^-$  at this point ?  $K_{SP}$  of  $AgCl$  is  $1.78 \times 10^{-10}$  and  $K_{SP}$  of  $AgBr$  is  $5.25 \times 10^{-13}$ .

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74. Calculate the  $pH$  of the following mixtures given

$(pK_a = pK_b = 4.7447)$ :

a.  $50\text{mL}0.1\text{MNaOH} + 50\text{mL}0.1\text{MCH}_3\text{COOH}$

b.  $50\text{mL}0.1\text{MNaOH} + 50\text{mL}0.05\text{MCH}_3\text{COOH}$

c.  $50\text{mL}0.05\text{MNaOH} + 50\text{mL}0.1\text{MCH}_3\text{COOH}$

d.  $50\text{mL}0.1\text{MNH}_4\text{OH} + 50\text{mL}0.05\text{MHCl}$

e.  $50\text{mL}0.05\text{MNH}_4\text{OH} + 50\text{mL}0.1\text{MHCl}$

f.  $50\text{mL}0.05\text{MNH}_4\text{OH} + 50\text{mL}0.05\text{MCH}_3\text{COOH}$

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75. A solution containing 0.2 mole of dichloroacetic acid

$(K_a = 5 \times 10^{-2})$  and 0.1 mole sodium dichloroacetate in one litre

solution has  $[H^+]$ :

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76. 10g of  $NH_4Cl$  (mol. wt. 53.5) when dissolved in 1000g water lowered the freezing point by  $0.637^\circ C$ . Calculate the degree of hydrolysis of the salt if its degree of dissociation is 0.75. The molal depression constant of water is  $1.86 K molality^{-1}$ .

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77. At  $18^\circ C$  aniline and acetic acid have dissociation constants  $5 \times 10^{-10}$  and  $1.8 \times 10^{-5}$  respectively. An aqueous solution of anilium acetate is hydrolysed to the extent of  $x\%$  under equilibrium, what is pH of the solution? ( $K_w = 10^{-14}$ )

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78. Calculate the extent of hydrolysis of  $0.005 M K_2CrO_4$  ( $K_2 = 3.1 \times 10^7$  or  $H_2CrO_4$  is strong for first ionisation and  $K_1 = 1.6$ ).



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79. A solution was made up by  $0.01M Co(NO_3)_2$  and  $.02MN_2H_4$  and was found to have at equilibrium  $[Co^{2+}] = 0.0062M$ . Calculate  $K_1$  for the complex formation of  $Co(N_2H_4)^{2+}$ .



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80. The vapour pressure of  $0.01molal$  solution of weak base  $BOH$  in water at  $20^\circ C$  is  $17.536mm$ . Calculate  $K_b$  for base. Aqueous tension at  $20^\circ C$  is  $17.540mm$ . Assume molality and molarity same.



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81. A  $0.01M$  aqueous solution of weak acid  $HA$  has an osmotic pressure  $0.293atm$  at  $25^\circ C$ . Another  $0.01M$  aqueous solution of

other weak acid  $HB$  has an osmotic pressure of  $0.345\text{atm}$  under the same conditions. Calculate equilibrium constants of two acids for their dissociation.

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**82.** The freezing point of  $3.75 \times 10^{-2}M$  aqueous solution of weak acid  $HA$  is  $272.9K$ . The molality of the solution was found to be  $0.0384$  molal. Find the  $[H^+]$  of the solution on adding  $3.75 \times 10^{-2}$  moles of  $NaA$  to one litre of the above solution. ( $K_f$  of water =  $1.86\text{molal}^{-1}$ )

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**83.** Calculate the pH at which an acid indicator with  $K_a = 1 \times 10^{-5}$  change colour when the indicator concentration is  $1 \times 10^{-3}M$ . Also report the pH at which coloured ion is 80 % present.

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84. A solution of  $HCl$  has  $pH = 5$ . If  $1mL$  of it is diluted to  $1L$  what will be the  $pH$  of resulting solution?

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85. Calculate the  $pH$  of  $0.010MNaHCO_3$  solution.

$K_1 = 4.5 \times 10^{-7}$ ,  $K_2 = 4.7 \times 10^{-11}$  for carbonic acid.

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