

Completion of acid/base/buffer  
chemistry

Chs 7-8 of Zumdahl

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Hanson Activity 16-3

- Discuss Key Questions 1-4 of Activity 16-3, page 301, with your partner for three minutes.
- The clicker quiz will commence in 3 minutes

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Clicker quiz

- You may refer to your Hanson workbook
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### Problem 55a

- Calculate the pH of a solution of 0.10 M HCl and 0.10 M HOCl ( $K_a = 3.5 \times 10^{-8}$ )
- What are the major species?
- What process controls the  $[H^+]$ ? What is the pH
- pH = 1.00
- What would be the pH of 0.10 M HOCl by itself?
- $[H^+] = 5.9 \times 10^{-5} M \Rightarrow pH = 4.2$

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### Problem 55a

- Calculate the pH of a solution of 0.10 M HCl and 0.10 M HOCl ( $K_a = 3.5 \times 10^{-8}$ )
- What are the major species?
- What process controls the  $[H^+]$ ? What is the pH
- pH = 1.00
- What is the concentration of OCl<sup>-</sup>(aq) above?
- $3.5 \times 10^{-8} M$

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### Ex 2-3, p. 302

- Starting from  $K_a = \frac{[H_3O^+][CN^-]}{[HCN]}$
- Rearrange to give expression for  $[H_3O^+]$
- Take the log of both sides to give expression for  $-\log [H_3O^+]$  (*be careful*)
- Write it in terms of pH and pK

$$pH = pK_a + \log \left( \frac{[CN^-]}{[HCN]} \right)$$

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## Ex 5, p. 302

- 1.0 L of solution: 0.15 mol NaCN and 0.30 mol HCN ( $K_a=6.2 \times 10^{-10}$ ,  $pK_a = 9.21$ )
- Assume that the ionization of HCN is small compared to its concentration of 0.30 M.
- With your partner – what is the pH?

$$pH = pK_a + \log\left(\frac{[CN^-]}{[HCN]}\right) = 9.21 + \log\left(\frac{0.15M}{0.30M}\right) = 9.21 + \log(0.5) = 8.91$$

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TABLE 7.2

Values of  $K_a$  for Some Common Monoprotic Acids

Formula	Name	Value of $K_a$
$HSO_4^-$	Hydrogen sulfate ion	$1.2 \times 10^{-2}$
$HClO_2$	Chlorous acid	$1.2 \times 10^{-2}$
$HC_2H_2ClO_2$	Monochloroacetic acid	$1.35 \times 10^{-3}$
HF	Hydrofluoric acid	$7.2 \times 10^{-4}$
$HNO_2$	Nitrous acid	$4.0 \times 10^{-4}$
$HC_2H_3O_2$	Acetic acid	$1.8 \times 10^{-5}$
$[Al(H_2O)_6]^{3+}$	Hydrated aluminum(III) ion	$1.4 \times 10^{-5}$
HOCl	Hypochlorous acid	$3.5 \times 10^{-8}$
HCN	Hydrocyanic acid	$6.2 \times 10^{-10}$
$NH_4^+$	Ammonium ion	$5.6 \times 10^{-10}$
$HOC_6H_5$	Phenol	$1.6 \times 10^{-10}$

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## Problem 7-54

- 1.0 M HF and 1.0 M  $HOC_6H_5$  (phenol)
- Calculate pH and  $[OC_6H_5^-]$  at equilibrium
- $K_a$  (HF) =  $7.2 \times 10^{-4}$ ;  $K_a$ ( $HOC_6H_5$ ) =  $1.6 \times 10^{-10}$
- What is the strategy here?
- For HF alone,  $[H^+] = 2.7 \times 10^{-2} M$
- Consider dissociation of phenol
- $[OC_6H_5^-] = 6.0 \times 10^{-9} M$ , and  $pH = 1.57$

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### Problem 58a,b

- Calculate the % dissociation in:
  - 0.50 M acetic acid ( $K_a = 1.8 \times 10^{-5}$ )
  - 0.050 M acetic acid ( $K_a = 1.8 \times 10^{-5}$ )
- For (a), calculate  $[H^+] = 3.0 \times 10^{-3} M$
- % dissociation =  $100 \times (3.0 \times 10^{-3} M) / (0.50 M) = 0.6\%$
- For (b), calculate  $[H^+] = 9.5 \times 10^{-4} M$
- % dissociation =  $100 \times (9.5 \times 10^{-4} M) / (0.050 M) = 1.9\%$

General observation: % dissociation increases as solution becomes more dilute.

### Problem 53

- Aspirin tablet = 32.5 mg,  $HC_9H_7O_4$
- Two tablets in 237 mL of solution.
- MW = 180.15 g/mol
- $K_a = 3.3 \times 10^{-4}$
- What is the pH?
- 2.68

### Polyprotic Acids

Table 7.4

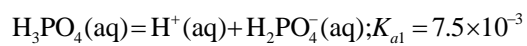
Stepwise Dissociation Constants for Several Common Polyprotic Acids

Name	Formula	$K_{a1}$	$K_{a2}$	$K_{a3}$
Phosphoric acid	$H_3PO_4$	$7.5 \times 10^{-3}$	$6.2 \times 10^{-8}$	$4.8 \times 10^{-13}$
Arsenic acid	$H_3AsO_4$	$5 \times 10^{-3}$	$8 \times 10^{-8}$	$6 \times 10^{-10}$
Carbonic acid*	$H_2CO_3$	$4.3 \times 10^{-7}$	$4.8 \times 10^{-11}$	
Sulfuric acid	$H_2SO_4$	Large	$1.2 \times 10^{-2}$	
Sulfurous acid	$H_2SO_3$	$1.5 \times 10^{-2}$	$1.0 \times 10^{-7}$	
Hydrosulfuric acid†	$H_2S$	$1.0 \times 10^{-7}$	$\approx 10^{-19}$	
Oxalic acid	$H_2C_2O_4$	$6.5 \times 10^{-2}$	$6.1 \times 10^{-5}$	
Ascorbic acid (vitamin C)	$H_2C_6H_6O_6$	$7.9 \times 10^{-5}$	$1.6 \times 10^{-12}$	

\*This is really  $CO_2(aq)$ .

†The  $K_{a2}$  value for  $H_2S$  is quite uncertain. Its small size makes it very difficult to measure.

### Polyprotic Acids: $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_4$



- Which ionization will determine the hydrogen ion concentration?
- What will be the major species?
- What are the ratios of the successive equilibrium constants?

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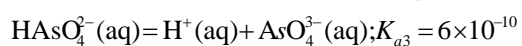
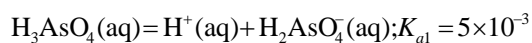
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### Problem 85: $\text{H}_3\text{AsO}_4$



- What is the pH in 0.2M arsenic acid?
- $[\text{H}^+] = [\text{H}_2\text{AsO}_4^-] = 2.9 \times 10^{-2} \text{ M}$ ,  $\text{pH} = 1.54$
- $K_{a2} \ll K_{a1}$

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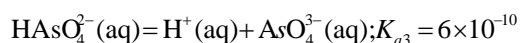
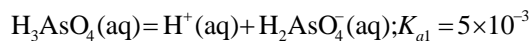
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### Problem 85: $\text{H}_3\text{AsO}_4$



- $[\text{H}^+] = [\text{H}_2\text{AsO}_4^-] = 2.9 \times 10^{-2} \text{ M}$ ,  $\text{pH} = 1.54$
- What is the concentration of  $\text{HAsO}_4^{2-}$ ?

$$K_{a2} = \frac{[\text{HAsO}_4^{2-}][\text{H}^+]}{[\text{H}_2\text{AsO}_4^-]} = \frac{(2.9 \times 10^{-2})[\text{HAsO}_4^{2-}]}{2.9 \times 10^{-2}} = 8 \times 10^{-8}$$

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### Hanson Activity 16-3

- Discuss Key Questions 5-8 of Activity 16-3, page 304, with your partner for three minutes.
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### Clicker quiz

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### Ex 7, p.304

- Calculate the pOH of a 0.30 M solution of NaOH.
- 0.52
- What is the pH?
- 13.48

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## Ex 8, p.305

- Calculate the pOH of 0.30 M  $\text{NH}_3$  ( $K_b=1.8 \times 10^{-5}$ )
- 2.63
- The pH?
- 11.37

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## Problem 69

- Calculate the concentration of a  $\text{Ba}(\text{OH})_2$  solution with pH = 10.50.
- $1.6 \times 10^{-4} \text{ M}$

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## Problem 71

- Hydrazine  $\text{N}_2\text{H}_4$  is a weak base in water ( $K_b=3.0 \times 10^{-6}$ )
- It reacts as:  
$$\text{H}_2\text{NNH}_2(aq) + \text{H}_2\text{O}(l) = \text{H}_2\text{NNH}_3^+(aq) + \text{OH}^-(aq)$$
- Calculate the concentration of all species in a 2.0 M solution of hydrazine.
- What is the pH?
- 11.38

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### Problem 79 a,b

- What is percent ionization in
  - a) 0.10 M  $\text{NH}_3$
  - b) 0.010 M  $\text{NH}_3$
  - c) 1.3%
  - d) 4.2%

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### Hanson Activity 16-3

- Discuss Key Questions 9-10 of Activity 16-3, page 306, with your partner for three minutes.
- The clicker quiz will commence in 3 minutes

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### Exercise 9, p.307

- With your partner, examine the example for HCN
- Work out one example with your partner:
  - Rows 1-2:  $\text{NH}_4^+$
  - Rows 3-4:  $\text{H}_2\text{CO}_3$
  - Rows 5-6:  $\text{H}_3\text{O}^+$
  - Row 7:  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$

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### Problem 93 a,b

Rank the following 0.10 M solutions in order of increasing pH:

- HI, HF, NaF, NaI
- $\text{NH}_4\text{Br}$ , HBr, KBr,  $\text{NH}_3$

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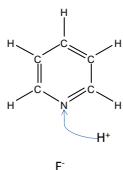
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### Problem 95 a,c

Are these acidic, basic, or neutral? Why?

- $\text{Sr}(\text{NO}_3)_2$
- $\text{C}_5\text{H}_5\text{NH}^+\text{F}^-$  (look at Table 7.3)




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### Problem 95 a,c

Are these acidic, basic, or neutral? Why?

- $C_5H_5NH^+$  (look at Table 7.3)
  - Dissolves as  $C_5H_5NH^+(aq) + F^-(aq)$
  - $C_5H_5N$  (pyridine) is a weak base,  $K_b = 1.7 \times 10^{-9}$
  - HF is a weak acid ( $K_a = 7.2 \times 10^{-4}$ )
  - What is  $K_a$  of the conjugate acid?
  - What is  $K_b$  of  $F^-$ ?

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### Problem 99

- 0.050 M solution of NaB(aq), pH = 9.00.  
(find  $K_b$ )
- What is the pH of 0.010 M HB(aq)?  
(find  $K_a$ )
- 3.66

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### Chapter 8 - buffers

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### Hanson Activity 17-1

- Discuss Key Questions 1-7 of Activity 17-1, page 306, with your partner for five minutes.
- The clicker quiz will commence in 5 minutes

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### Ex 2, p.371

- Calculate pH of solution 0.150 M in HAc ( $K_a=1.8 \times 10^{-5}$ ) and 0.300 M in NaAc
- Use the equation under Beaker B of the model
- **pH = 5.05**

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## Ex 3, p. 311

- For ammonia/ ammonia chloride buffer, what ratio of  $[\text{NH}_3]/[\text{NH}_4^+]$  is needed for  $\text{pH} = 8.55$ ?
- $K_a = 5.6 \times 10^{-10}$
- $[\text{NH}_3]/[\text{NH}_4^+] = .2/1$  or  $1/5$

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## Ex 4, p. 311

- Are these buffers?
  - a) 0.10 M  $\text{KNO}_3$  and 0.1 M  $\text{HNO}_3$
  - b) 0.10 M  $\text{NaNO}_2$  and 0.1 M  $\text{HNO}_2$
  - c) 0.10 M  $\text{HCl}$  and 0.1 M  $\text{NH}_3$   
(what reaction takes place?)
  - d) 0.20 M  $\text{HCl}$  and 0.1 M  $\text{NH}_3$
  - e) 0.10 M  $\text{HCl}$  and 0.2 M  $\text{NH}_3$

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## Problem 21d

- Calculate the  $\text{pH}$  of 0.100 M  $\text{HC}_3\text{H}_5\text{O}_2$  ( $K_a = 1.3 \times 10^{-5}$ ) and 0.100 M  $\text{NaC}_3\text{H}_5\text{O}_2$ .
- 4.89

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### Problem 31

- 25.1 g of  $\text{HC}_7\text{H}_5\text{O}_2$  (MW = 122.12 g/mol) and 37.7 g of  $\text{NaC}_7\text{H}_5\text{O}_2$  (MW = 144.10 g/mol) in 200.0 mL of solution. What is the pH?

- 4.37

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### Problem 35

- Given a 1.0 L solution of 1.0 M sodium acetate,  $\text{NaC}_2\text{H}_3\text{O}_2$ , how many moles of HCl must be added to produce a pH=4.20 buffer?
- $K_a$  for acetic acid =  $1.8 \times 10^{-5}$ ,  $\text{p}K_a = 4.74$
- What ratio of acetic acid to acetate ion is needed?

- 0.78 mol

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### Problem 47

- In Table 7.2, which acid is best choice for making a 7.00 buffer?
- Use HOCl - could add NaOCl to adjust the acid/base ratio to get exactly 7.00.

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Table 7-2

Table 7.2

Values of  $K_a$  for Some Common Monoprotic Acids

Formula	Name	Value of $K_a$
$\text{HSO}_4^-$	Hydrogen sulfate ion	$1.2 \times 10^{-2}$
$\text{HClO}_2$	Chlorous acid	$1.2 \times 10^{-2}$
$\text{HC}_2\text{H}_3\text{ClO}_2$	Monochloroacetic acid	$1.35 \times 10^{-3}$
$\text{HF}$	Hydrofluoric acid	$7.2 \times 10^{-4}$
$\text{HNO}_2$	Nitrous acid	$4.0 \times 10^{-4}$
$\text{HC}_2\text{H}_3\text{O}_2$	Acetic acid	$1.8 \times 10^{-5}$
$[\text{Al}(\text{H}_2\text{O})_6]^{3+}$	Hydrated aluminum(III) ion	$1.4 \times 10^{-5}$
$\text{HOCl}$	Hypochlorous acid	$3.5 \times 10^{-8}$
$\text{HCN}$	Hydrocyanic acid	$6.2 \times 10^{-10}$
$\text{NH}_4^+$	Ammonium ion	$5.6 \times 10^{-10}$
$\text{HO}_2\text{C}_6\text{H}_5$	Phenol	$1.6 \times 10^{-10}$

Increasing acid strength

Table 7-3

Table 7.3

Values of  $K_b$  for Some Common Weak Bases

Name	Formula	Conjugate Acid	$K_b$
Ammonia	$\text{NH}_3$	$\text{NH}_4^+$	$1.8 \times 10^{-5}$
Methylamine	$\text{CH}_3\text{NH}_2$	$\text{CH}_3\text{NH}_3^+$	$4.38 \times 10^{-4}$
Ethylamine	$\text{C}_2\text{H}_5\text{NH}_2$	$\text{C}_2\text{H}_5\text{NH}_3^+$	$5.6 \times 10^{-4}$
Aniline	$\text{C}_6\text{H}_5\text{NH}_2$	$\text{C}_6\text{H}_5\text{NH}_3^+$	$3.8 \times 10^{-10}$
Pyridine	$\text{C}_5\text{H}_5\text{N}$	$\text{C}_5\text{H}_5\text{NH}^+$	$1.7 \times 10^{-9}$

Table 7-4

Table 7.4

Stepwise Dissociation Constants for Several Common Polyprotic Acids

Name	Formula	$K_{a1}$	$K_{a2}$	$K_{a3}$
Phosphoric acid	$\text{H}_3\text{PO}_4$	$7.5 \times 10^{-3}$	$6.2 \times 10^{-8}$	$4.8 \times 10^{-13}$
Arsenic acid	$\text{H}_3\text{AsO}_4$	$5 \times 10^{-3}$	$8 \times 10^{-8}$	$6 \times 10^{-10}$
Carbonic acid*	$\text{H}_2\text{CO}_3$	$4.3 \times 10^{-7}$	$4.8 \times 10^{-11}$	
Sulfuric acid	$\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$	Large	$1.2 \times 10^{-2}$	
Sulfurous acid	$\text{H}_2\text{SO}_3$	$1.5 \times 10^{-2}$	$1.0 \times 10^{-7}$	
Hydro-sulfuric acid†	$\text{H}_2\text{S}$	$1.0 \times 10^{-7}$	$\approx 10^{-19}$	
Oxalic acid	$\text{H}_2\text{C}_2\text{O}_4$	$6.5 \times 10^{-2}$	$6.1 \times 10^{-5}$	
Ascorbic acid (vitamin C)	$\text{H}_2\text{C}_6\text{H}_7\text{O}_6$	$7.9 \times 10^{-5}$	$1.6 \times 10^{-12}$	

\*This is really  $\text{CO}_2(\text{aq})$ .†The  $K_{a2}$  value for  $\text{H}_2\text{S}$  is quite uncertain. Its small size makes it very difficult to measure.