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## Chemistry 31 – Quantitative Analysis Exam #2, April 22, 2009

### Multiple Choice and Short Answer

Circle the one correct answer from the choices listed, enter the correct term or phrase on the blank line, or briefly answer the question as indicated.

1 (4 points). Which of the following expressions will give the pH of a solution:

- a.  $\log[\text{H}^+]$                       b.  $-\log[\text{OH}^-]$   
☒ c.  $-\log(10^{-14}/[\text{OH}^-])$               d.  $10^{-[\text{H}^+]}$

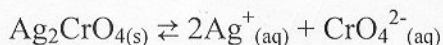
2 (4 points). The following is always true for the autoprotolysis of water ( $\text{H}_2\text{O} \rightleftharpoons \text{H}^+ + \text{OH}^-$ ):

- a. The number of moles of  $\text{H}^+$  and  $\text{OH}^-$  produced each equal  $10^{-7}$ .  
b. The number of moles of  $\text{H}^+$  and  $\text{OH}^-$  produced from  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  can be disregarded.  
☒ c. The number of moles of  $\text{H}^+$  and  $\text{OH}^-$  produced from  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  are equal.  
d.  $K_w$  for water is  $10^{-14}$  only when pure  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  is considered.

3 (4 points). To a precision of 2 significant figures, what is the pH of a solution containing a concentration of  $1.0 \times 10^{-12} \text{M}$  HCl?

- ☒ a. 7.0                                      b. 12  
c. 2.0                                      d. 1.0

4 (4 points). What is the mass balance for the following chemical equation?



- a.  $2[\text{Ag}^+] = [\text{CrO}_4^{2-}]$                       ☒ b.  $[\text{Ag}^+] = 2[\text{CrO}_4^{2-}]$   
c.  $[\text{Ag}^+] = [\text{CrO}_4^{2-}]^2$                       d.  $[\text{Ag}^+]^2 = [\text{CrO}_4^{2-}]$

5 (4 points). Which of the following analytical methods would be most appropriate to analyze a mixture containing analytes with highly volatile compounds (low temperature boiling points).

- a. HPLC                                      ☒ b. GC  
c. complex ion titration                      d. any of these will work

6 (4 points). Analyte separation in chromatography is affected by which of the following:

- a. differential partitioning between the mobile and stationary phases (difference in retention times)  
b. band broadening (diffusion) in the column  
☒ c. both a and b  
d. neither a or b

7 (4 points). When using standard addition, the identity of the standard is:

- a. different than the analyte.
- ☒ b. the same as the analyte.
- c. it could be the same or different relative to the analyte.

8 (4 points). The following is true regarding fluorescence spectroscopy:

- a. measurement sensitivity is higher.
- b. not all compounds fluoresce.
- ☒ c. both a and b.
- d. neither a or b.

9 (4 points). Fill in the blank. Beer's Law states that Absorbance is directly proportional to analyte concentration.

### Worked out Problems

It is your responsibility to work out your answers clearly. Unclear, or unreadable work will not be graded. If there is not enough space provided to show your work, continue on the back of the page and clearly mark the problem number. Be sure to show all of your work and report your final answer with the correct number of significant figures and **units**. Unless otherwise noted, an unreasonable number of significant figures in a final answer will be marked off 2 points. A correct answer without work shown will not receive credit. Circle or draw a box around your final answer.

**Equations that may or may not be useful to you:**

$$x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}; \text{ where } ax^2 + bx + c = 0 \qquad \text{pH} = \text{pK}_a + \log \frac{[\text{base}]}{[\text{acid}]}$$

$$\log \gamma = \frac{-0.51z^2 \sqrt{\mu}}{1 + (\alpha \sqrt{\mu} / 305)} \qquad \mu = \frac{1}{2} \sum_i c_i z_i^2 \qquad M_1 V_1 = M_2 V_2$$

dilution factor = volume of original solution / total final solution volume

diluted concentration = dilution factor(original concentration)

$$\frac{I_x}{I_s} = F \frac{[X]}{[S]} \qquad \frac{[X]}{[X] + [S]} = \frac{I_x}{I_{s+X}} \qquad A = \epsilon bc$$

$$A = 2.00 - \log(\%T)$$

10a (6 points). You are analyzing compound A using absorbance spectroscopy. A standard containing  $50.0 \mu\text{g/mL}$  of A gives a transmittance of 0.159. The blank transmittance is 0.972. What is the concentration ( $\mu\text{g/mL}$ ) of a sample of A that gives a transmittance of 0.478? Data given has not been blank corrected.

$$A_{\text{standard}} = 2.00 - \log(15.9) = 0.799 - 0.0123 = 0.787$$

$$\underline{A = \epsilon b c}$$

$$A_{\text{blank}} = 0.0123 - 0.0123 = 0$$

$$A_{\text{sample}} = 0.320 - 0.0123 = 0.308$$

$$\epsilon b (\text{slope}) = \frac{0.787}{50 \mu\text{g/mL}}$$

$$C = \frac{A}{\text{slope}} = \frac{0.308 (50 \mu\text{g/mL})}{0.787} = \boxed{19.6 \mu\text{g/mL}}$$

10b (4 points). If compound A has a molecular weight of  $670 \text{ g/mol}$ , what is the molar absorptivity (in units of  $\text{M}^{-1} \text{cm}^{-1}$ ) of compound A at the wavelength being used for analysis? Assume a pathlength of  $1.00 \text{ cm}$ . ( $10^6 \mu\text{g} = 1 \text{ g}$ )

$$A = \epsilon b c$$

$$\epsilon = \frac{A}{bc} = \frac{0.308}{(1.00 \text{ cm})(19.6 \mu\text{g/mL})} = \frac{0.0157 \text{ mL}}{\text{cm} \mu\text{g}}$$

$$\frac{0.0157 \text{ mL}}{\text{cm} \mu\text{g}} \left( \frac{1 \text{ L}}{1000 \mu\text{L}} \right) \left( \frac{10^6 \mu\text{g}}{1 \text{ g}} \right) \left( \frac{670 \text{ g}}{\text{mol}} \right) = \boxed{10519 \text{ cm}^{-1} \text{ M}^{-1}}$$

11 (10 points). Accounting for ionic strength, what is the pH of a 0.050M solution of the strong acid HCl in a solution containing 0.050M NaCl? Report your answer correctly to **3 significant figures and show the correct work for credit**. See the attached table for activity coefficients.

$$\mu = 0.050 + 0.050 = 0.10 \text{ M}$$

$$[H^+] = 0.050 \text{ M}$$

$$\gamma_{H^+} = 0.83$$

$$pH = -\log([H^+] \gamma_{H^+}) = -\log[(0.050)(0.83)] = \boxed{1.38}$$

Table 8-1 Activity coefficients for aqueous solutions at 25°C

Ion	Ion size ( $\alpha$ , pm)	Ionic strength ( $\mu$ , M)				
		0.001	0.005	0.01	0.05	0.1
Charge = $\pm 1$						
H <sup>+</sup>	900	0.967	0.933	0.914	0.86	0.83
(C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>5</sub> ) <sub>2</sub> CHCO <sub>2</sub> <sup>-</sup> , (C <sub>3</sub> H <sub>7</sub> ) <sub>4</sub> N <sup>+</sup>	800	0.966	0.931	0.912	0.85	0.82
(O <sub>2</sub> N) <sub>3</sub> C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>2</sub> O <sup>-</sup> , (C <sub>3</sub> H <sub>7</sub> ) <sub>3</sub> NH <sup>+</sup> , CH <sub>3</sub> OC <sub>6</sub> H <sub>4</sub> CO <sub>2</sub> <sup>-</sup>	700	0.965	0.930	0.909	0.845	0.81
Li <sup>+</sup> , C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>5</sub> CO <sub>2</sub> <sup>-</sup> , HOC <sub>6</sub> H <sub>4</sub> CO <sub>2</sub> <sup>-</sup> , ClC <sub>6</sub> H <sub>4</sub> CO <sub>2</sub> <sup>-</sup> , C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>5</sub> CH <sub>2</sub> CO <sub>2</sub> <sup>-</sup> , CH <sub>2</sub> =CHCH <sub>2</sub> CO <sub>2</sub> <sup>-</sup> , (CH <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>2</sub> CHCH <sub>2</sub> CO <sub>2</sub> <sup>-</sup> , (CH <sub>3</sub> CH <sub>2</sub> ) <sub>4</sub> N <sup>+</sup> , (C <sub>3</sub> H <sub>7</sub> ) <sub>2</sub> NH <sub>2</sub> <sup>+</sup>	600	0.965	0.929	0.907	0.835	0.80
Cl <sub>2</sub> CHCO <sub>2</sub> <sup>-</sup> , Cl <sub>3</sub> CCO <sub>2</sub> <sup>-</sup> , (CH <sub>3</sub> CH <sub>2</sub> ) <sub>3</sub> NH <sup>+</sup> , (C <sub>3</sub> H <sub>7</sub> )NH <sub>3</sub> <sup>+</sup>	500	0.964	0.928	0.904	0.83	0.79
Na <sup>+</sup> , CdCl <sup>+</sup> , ClO <sub>2</sub> <sup>-</sup> , IO <sub>3</sub> <sup>-</sup> , HCO <sub>3</sub> <sup>-</sup> , H <sub>2</sub> PO <sub>4</sub> <sup>-</sup> , HSO <sub>3</sub> <sup>-</sup> , H <sub>2</sub> AsO <sub>4</sub> <sup>-</sup> , Co(NH <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>4</sub> (NO <sub>2</sub> ) <sub>2</sub> <sup>2+</sup> , CH <sub>3</sub> CO <sub>2</sub> <sup>-</sup> , ClCH <sub>2</sub> CO <sub>2</sub> <sup>-</sup> , (CH <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>4</sub> N <sup>+</sup> , (CH <sub>3</sub> CH <sub>2</sub> ) <sub>2</sub> NH <sub>2</sub> <sup>+</sup> , H <sub>2</sub> NCH <sub>2</sub> CO <sub>2</sub> <sup>-</sup>	450	0.964	0.928	0.902	0.82	0.775
<sup>+</sup> H <sub>3</sub> NCH <sub>2</sub> CO <sub>2</sub> H, (CH <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>3</sub> NH <sup>+</sup> , CH <sub>3</sub> CH <sub>2</sub> NH <sub>3</sub> <sup>+</sup>	400	0.964	0.927	0.901	0.815	0.77
OH <sup>-</sup> , F <sup>-</sup> , SCN <sup>-</sup> , OCN <sup>-</sup> , HS <sup>-</sup> , ClO <sub>3</sub> <sup>-</sup> , ClO <sub>4</sub> <sup>-</sup> , BrO <sub>3</sub> <sup>-</sup> , IO <sub>4</sub> <sup>-</sup> , MnO <sub>4</sub> <sup>-</sup> , HCO <sub>2</sub> <sup>-</sup> , H <sub>2</sub> citrate <sup>-</sup> , CH <sub>3</sub> NH <sub>3</sub> <sup>+</sup> , (CH <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>2</sub> NH <sub>2</sub> <sup>+</sup>	350	0.964	0.926	0.900	0.81	0.76
K <sup>+</sup> , Cl <sup>-</sup> , Br <sup>-</sup> , I <sup>-</sup> , CN <sup>-</sup> , NO <sub>2</sub> <sup>-</sup> , NO <sub>3</sub> <sup>-</sup>	300	0.964	0.925	0.899	0.805	0.755
Rb <sup>+</sup> , Cs <sup>+</sup> , NH <sub>4</sub> <sup>+</sup> , Tl <sup>+</sup> , Ag <sup>+</sup>	250	0.964	0.924	0.898	0.80	0.75

a. Lanthanides are elements 57-71 in the periodic table.

12a (8 points). What is the pH of a solution with a 0.365M formal concentration of hypobromous acid (HOBr)? The pK<sub>a</sub> for hypobromous acid is 8.63.



$$K_a = 10^{-8.63} = 2.34 \times 10^{-9}$$

$$\frac{[H^+][OBr^-]}{[HOBr]} = 2.34 \times 10^{-9}$$

$$\frac{x^2}{0.365 - x} = 2.34 \times 10^{-9}$$

ignore x

$$x = [H^+] = 2.93 \times 10^{-5}$$

$$pH = 4.53$$

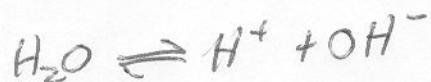
	HOBr	H <sup>+</sup>	OBr <sup>-</sup>
I	0.365	0	0
C	-x	+x	+x
E	0.365-x	x	x

12b (4 points) What is the percent dissociation for hypobromous acid at equilibrium in problem 12a above?

$$\frac{2.93 \times 10^{-5}}{0.365} \times 100$$

$$= 8.02 \times 10^{-3} \%$$

13 (16 points). Using the systematic method, determine the concentration of a solution of  $8.88 \times 10^{-8} \text{ M KOH}$ . Report your answer correctly to three significant figures.



mass balance:

$$[\text{K}^+] = 8.88 \times 10^{-8}$$

charge balance:

$$[\text{K}^+] + [\text{H}^+] = [\text{OH}^-]$$

eqil. const. exp:

$$[\text{H}^+][\text{OH}^-] = 10^{-14}$$

unknowns:  $[\text{H}^+]$ ,  $[\text{OH}^-]$ ,  $[\text{K}^+] = 4$  equations

solve:  $[\text{OH}^-] = [\text{H}^+] + 8.88 \times 10^{-8}$

$$[\text{H}^+]( [\text{H}^+] + 8.88 \times 10^{-8} ) = 10^{-14}$$

$$[\text{H}^+]^2 + 8.88 \times 10^{-8} [\text{H}^+] - 10^{-14} = 0$$

$$[\text{H}^+] = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

$$\frac{-8.88 \times 10^{-8} \pm \sqrt{(8.88 \times 10^{-8})^2 - 4(-10^{-14})}}{2}$$

$$\frac{-8.88 \times 10^{-8} \pm 2.19 \times 10^{-7}}{2}$$

$$[\text{H}^+] = 6.50 \times 10^{-8}$$

$$\boxed{\text{pH} = 7.19}$$



14a (8 points). What is the concentration of citrate ion in a buffer solution that contains  $6.67 \times 10^{-2}$  M citric acid and has a pH of 3.26? The  $pK_a$  for citric acid is 3.13.

$$3.26 = 3.13 + \log \frac{[A^-]}{6.67 \times 10^{-2}}$$

$$0.13 = \log \frac{[A^-]}{6.67 \times 10^{-2}}$$

$$1.35 = \frac{[A^-]}{6.67 \times 10^{-2}}$$

$$[A^-] = \boxed{9.00 \times 10^{-2} \text{ M}}$$

14b (8 points). Assuming you have 25.0 mL of the solution described in 14a, what would the pH be **after** adding 10.0 mL of 0.0550 M NaOH?

$$\text{acid: } 25 \text{ mL} \left| \frac{6.67 \times 10^{-2} \text{ mmol}}{1 \text{ mL}} \right| = 1.67 \text{ mmol} - 0.55 = 1.12 \text{ mmol}$$

$$\text{base: } 25 \text{ mL} \left| \frac{9.00 \times 10^{-2} \text{ mmol}}{1 \text{ mL}} \right| = 2.25 \text{ mmol} + 0.55 = 2.8 \text{ mmol}$$

$$\text{St. base } 10 \text{ mL} \left| \frac{0.0550 \text{ mmol}}{1 \text{ mL}} \right| = 0.55 \text{ mmol} - 0.55 = 0$$



$$\text{pH} = 3.13 + \log \frac{2.8}{1.12} = \boxed{3.53}$$