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Multiple Choice: (3 Points each) Place the letter associated with the correct answer in the blank to the left of each number.

- ____ 1. What is the conjugate base of H_2PO_4^- ?
 - a. HPO_4^{2-}
 - b. PO_4^{3-}
 - c. H_3PO_4
 - d. H_3O^+
 - e. OH^-

- ____ 2. Which of the following is NOT a conjugate acid-base pair?
 - a. $\text{H}_2\text{O}/\text{OH}^-$
 - b. $\text{H}_3\text{O}^+/\text{H}_2\text{O}$
 - c. $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_3/\text{SO}_3^{2-}$
 - d. $\text{C}_2\text{H}_3\text{O}_2^-/\text{HC}_2\text{H}_3\text{O}_2$
 - e. All of the above are conjugate acid-base pairs.

- ____ 3. Give the characteristics of a strong acid.
 - a. ionizes completely in aqueous solutions to form H_3O^+
 - b. ionizes completely in aqueous solutions to form OH^-
 - c. Partially ionizes in aqueous solutions to form H_3O^+
 - d. Does not form an electrolyte when in solution.
 - e. can be used to make a buffer when added to a base

- ____ 4. The stronger the acid, then which of the following is TRUE?
 - a. The stronger the conjugate acid.
 - b. The stronger the conjugate base.
 - c. The weaker the conjugate base.
 - d. The weaker the conjugate acid.
 - e. The strength of the acid has no affect on the conjugate base.

- ____ 5. Calculate the hydroxide ion concentration in an aqueous solution with a pH of 9.85 at 25°C .
 - a. $7.1 \times 10^{-5} \text{ M}$
 - b. $4.2 \times 10^{-10} \text{ M}$
 - c. $8.7 \times 10^{-10} \text{ M}$
 - d. $6.5 \times 10^{-5} \text{ M}$
 - e. $1.4 \times 10^{-10} \text{ M}$

- ____ 6. Which of the following solutions would make a good buffer system?
- A solution that is 0.10 M $\text{HC}_2\text{H}_3\text{O}_2$ and 0.10 M $\text{LiC}_2\text{H}_3\text{O}_2$
 - A solution that is 0.10 M HF and 0.10 M $\text{NaC}_2\text{H}_3\text{O}_2$
 - A solution that is 0.10 M HCl and 0.10 M NH_4^+
 - A solution that is 0.10 M NaOH and 0.10 M KOH
 - None of the above are buffer systems.
- ____ 7. Calculate the pH of a solution that is 0.050M in benzoic acid ($\text{HC}_7\text{H}_5\text{O}_2$) and 0.150 M $\text{NaC}_7\text{H}_5\text{O}_2$. For benzoic acid, the $K_a = 6.5 \times 10^{-5}$.
- 4.19
 - 4.66
 - 3.71
 - 9.36
 - none of the above
- ____ 8. If the $\text{p}K_a$ of HCHO_2 is 3.74 and the pH of an $\text{HCHO}_2/\text{NaCHO}_2$ solution is 3.11, which of the following is TRUE?
- $[\text{HCHO}_2] < [\text{NaCHO}_2]$
 - $[\text{HCHO}_2] = [\text{NaCHO}_2]$
 - $[\text{HCHO}_2] \ll [\text{NaCHO}_2]$
 - $[\text{HCHO}_2] > [\text{NaCHO}_2]$
 - It is not possible to make a buffer of this pH from HCHO_2 and NaCHO_2 .
- ____ 9. In a titration, a pH of 7 at the equivalence point indicates that:
- you are titrating a strong acid with a strong base
 - you are titrating a strong acid with a weak base
 - you are titrating a weak acid with a strong base
 - you are titrating a weak acid with a weak base
 - you are titrating a weak base with a strong acid
- ____ 10. If an ionic compound is dissolved in an unsaturated solution, how does Q compare with K_{sp} .
- $Q < K_{\text{sp}}$
 - $Q > K_{\text{sp}}$
 - $Q = K_{\text{sp}}$
 - Q is totally unrelated to K_{sp} , so there is no way to tell
 - Q is related to K, but doesn't tell you if a solution is saturated

Problems: Show your work for the following problems. This may include writing a reaction, a K expression, and even some math.

1. (5 Pts) Write the reaction for pyridine (C_5H_5N), a Bronsted-Lowry base, with water. Include phases.

a. (3 Pts) Write the K_b expression for this base

b. (4 Pts) If the K_b for C_5H_5N is 1.7×10^{-9} , what is the K_a value for the conjugate acid of pyridine?

c. (6 Pts) What is the pH of a 0.42M solution of pyridine?

2. (10 Pts) Calculate the concentration of Hg^{2+} in a solution containing HgBr_2 ($K_{\text{sp}} = 6.2 \times 10^{-20}$) at equilibrium in a $1.0 \times 10^{-3}\text{M}$ solution of NaBr .
3. (10 Pts) A 1.00 L buffer solution is 0.250 M in HF and 0.250 M in NaF . Calculate the pH of the solution after the addition of 100.0 mL of 1.00 M HCl .
The K_{a} for HF is 3.5×10^{-4} .

4. (10 Pts) A 100.0 mL sample of 0.20 M HCl is titrated with 0.15 M KOH. Determine the pH of the solution after the addition of 145 mL of KOH.

5. (12 Pts) A 100.0 mL sample of 0.10 M NH_3 is titrated with 0.15 M HNO_3 . Determine the pH of the solution after the addition of 80.0 mL of HNO_3 . The K_b of NH_3 is 1.8×10^{-5} .

6. (12 Pts) Determine the concentration of CO_3^{2-} ions in a 0.18 M H_2CO_3 solution. Carbonic acid is a diprotic acid whose $K_{a1} = 4.3 \times 10^{-7}$ and $K_{a2} = 5.6 \times 10^{-11}$.