Chemistry 210

Exam 3

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Avogadro's Number = 6.022×10^{23} units/mol 32.00° F = 0.000° C = 273.15K Density of Water = $1.000^{g}/_{mL}$ $R = 0.08206^{\text{L*atm}}/_{\text{mol*K}} = 8.314^{\text{J}}/_{\text{mol*K}}$ 1atm = 760torr = 760mmHg = 101.325kPaPV=nRT $\Delta T_{fp/bp} = k_{fp/bp} \cdot m \cdot i$ $k_{fp} = -1.86^{\circ C}/_{m}$ For water: $k_{bp} = 0.512^{\circ C}/_{m}$ $P_1 = X_1 P_1^{\circ}$

 $\Pi = MRTi$ $C_1V_1 = C_2V_2$

Integrated Rate Laws: 0^{th} $[A]_t = -kt + [A]_o$ 1^{st} $ln[A]_t = -kt + ln[A]_0$ 2^{nu} $1/[A]_t = kt + 1/[A]_0$ $k = Ae^{-Ea/RT}$ $\ln(k) = \left(\frac{-E_a}{R}\right) \left(\frac{1}{T}\right) + \ln(A)$ $\ln\left(\frac{\mathbf{k}_1}{\mathbf{k}_2}\right) = \frac{\mathbf{E}_a}{\mathbf{R}} \left(\frac{1}{\mathbf{T}_2} - \frac{1}{\mathbf{T}_1}\right)$ $pH = pK_a + log \left(\frac{[conjugate \ base]}{[conjugate \ acid]} \right)$

$$\begin{split} E_{cell} &= E^{\text{o}}_{cell} - {^{RT}}/_{nF} \ln Q \\ E^{\text{o}}_{cell} &= {^{RT}}/_{nF} \ln K^{\text{o}} \\ K^{\text{o}} &= e^{\text{n}}/_{RT} E^{\text{o}}_{cell}) \end{split}$$
 $F = 96485~^J\!/_{V^{\bullet}mol~of~electrons}$ $\Delta G^{o} = \Delta H^{o}_{system} - T\Delta S^{o}_{system}$ $\Delta G^{o} = -nFE^{o}_{cell} = -RTlnK^{o}$ $\Delta G = \Delta G^{o} + RT lnQ$ F = 96485 C/mol electrons 1A = 1 C / sec

Quadratic formula:

$$x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

1																	2
H																	He
1.0079																	4.0026
3	4											5	6	7	8	9	10
Li	Be											В	C	N	О	F	Ne
6.941	9.0122											10.811	12.011	14.007	15.999	18.998	20.180
11	12											13	14	15	16	17	18
Na	Mg											Al	Si	P	S	Cl	Ar
22.990	24.305											26.982	28.086	30.974	32.066	35.453	39.948
19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36
K	Ca	Sc	Ti	\mathbf{V}	Cr	Mn	Fe	Co	Ni	Cu	Zn	Ga	Ge	As	Se	Br	Kr
39.098	40.078	44.956	47.88	50.942	51.996	54.938	55.847	58.933	58.69	63.546	65.39	69.723	72.61	74.922	78.96	79.904	83.80
37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54
Rb	Sr	\mathbf{Y}	Zr	Nb	Mo	Tc	Ru	Rh	Pd	Ag	Cd	In	Sn	Sb	Te	I	Xe
85.468	87.62	88.906	91.224	92.906	95.94	(98)	101.07	102.91	106.42	107.87	112.41	114.82	118.71	121.76	127.60	126.90	131.29
55	56	71	72	73	74	75	76	77	78	79	80	81	82	83	84	85	86
Cs	Ba	Lu	Hf	Ta	\mathbf{W}	Re	Os	Ir	Pt	Au	Hg	Tl	Pb	Bi	Po	At	Rn
132.91	137.33	174.97	178.49	180.95	183.84	186.21	190.23	192.22	195.08	196.97	200.59	204.38	207.2	208.98	(209)	(210)	(222)
87	88	103	104	105	106	107	108	109	110	111	112		114		116		
Fr	Ra	Lr	Rf	Db	Sg	Bh	Hs	Mt									
(223)	226.03	(260)	(261)	(262)	(263)	(262)	(265)	(266)	(269)	(272)	(277)						

57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70
La	Ce	Pr	Nd	Pm	Sm	Eu	Gd	Tb	Dy	Ho	Er	Tm	Yb
138.91	140.12	140.91	144.24	(145)	150.36	151.97	157.25	158.93	162.50	164.93	167.26	168.94	173.04
89	90	91	92	93	94	95	96	97	98	99	100	101	102
Ac	Th	Pa	U	Np	Pu	Am	Cm	Bk	Cf	Es	Fm	Md	No
227.03	232.04	231.04	238.03	237.05	(244)	(243)	(247)	(247)	(251)	(252)	(258)	(258)	(259)

Complete each row of the following tables for aqueous solutions at 25°C (4pts per box):

$[\mathrm{H}_3\mathrm{O}^+]$	[OH.]	рН	рОН	Acidic, Basic or Neutral?	
1.39x10 ⁻⁹	7.19x10 ⁻⁶	8.857	5.143	Basic	
2.41x10 ⁻³	4.15x10 ⁻¹²	2.618	11.382	Acidic	

Complete each row of the following tables for aqueous solutions at 25°C (4pts per box):

Conjugate Acid	K _a @25°C	Conjugate Base	K _b @25°C
HNO_2	4.011x10 ⁻⁴	NO ₂ -1	2.493x10 ⁻¹¹
H ₂ PO ₄ ⁻¹	1.586x10 ⁻⁷	HPO ₄ ² -	6.305x10 ⁻⁸

3. A labmate has prepared a lactate/lactic acid buffer solution $\{C_3H_5O_3^{-1}(aq) / HC_3H_5O_3(aq)\}$ at pH=4.05, but does not write much information down in a lab notebook. You know that the concentration of the buffer is 0.995M and pK_b=10.140 for $C_3H_5O_3^{-1}$ (aq). Is the concentration of conjugate acid higher in this buffer or is the concentration of conjugate base in this buffer higher? Over what pH range would lactate/lactic acid make an effective buffer? Explain your answers. (10pts)

$$pK_a$$
 for lactic acid must be: $14 - 10.140 = 3.860$

The pH of the prepared buffer is higher (more basic) than the pK_a of the conjugate acid of the buffer system, so there must be more of the conjugate base in the buffer.

{If [conjugate acid] = [conjugate base], the pH of the buffer is equal to the p K_a of the conjugate acid.} A given system will be an effective buffer within 1 pH unit of the pK_a of the weak acid component of the buffer, so this system would be an effective buffer over the range 2.860 to 4.860

4. How many milliliters of 0.439M HClO₄(aq) must be added to 25.00mL of 0.396M Mg(OH)₂(aq) to reach the equivalence point? What is the pH of this solution at the equivalence point? Explain any assumptions. (10pts)

$$2 \text{ HClO}_4(\text{aq}) + \text{Mg(OH)}_2(\text{aq}) \rightarrow 2 \text{ H}_2\text{O(l)} + \text{Mg(ClO}_4)_2(\text{aq})$$

This is a strong acid/strong base titration.

$$\left(0.02500 \text{LMg(OH)}_2(\text{aq}) \left(\frac{0.396 \text{molMg(OH)}_2}{1 \text{L Mg(OH)}_2(\text{aq})} \right) \left(\frac{2 \text{molHClO}_4}{1 \text{molMg(OH)}_2} \right) \left(\frac{1 \text{L HClO}_4(\text{aq})}{0.439 \text{molHClO}_4} \right) \left(\frac{1000 \text{mL}}{1 \text{L}} \right) = 45.10 \text{mLHClO}_4(\text{aq})$$

Since this is a strong acid/strong base titration, the pH at the equivalence point should be 7.

5. What is the expected pH of a 0.834M aqueous solution of hypochlorous acid? $\{K_a(HClO) = 3.462 \times 10^{-8}\}\ (10 \text{pts})$

	HClO(aq) +	$H_2O(1) \Leftrightarrow$	$H_3O^+(aq) +$	ClO ⁻¹ (aq)
[]initial	0.834M	XXXXX	0 M	0 M
Δ[]	– x M	XXXXX	+ x M	+ x M
[]equilibrium	(0.834 - x) M	XXXXX	х М	х М

$$K_a = (x)(x) / (0.834 - x) \approx (x)(x) / (0.834) = 3.462x10^{-8}$$
 (assume x < < 0.834)
 $x = 1.699x10^{-4} = [H_3O^+]$ (assumption is OK)
 $pH = -log[H_3O^+] = -log(1.699x10^{-4}) = 3.770$

6. What is the expected pH of a 0.337M aqueous solution of potassium cyanide? $\{K_b(CN^{-1})=3.0x10^{-5}\}\ (10pts)$

	CN ⁻¹ (aq) +	$H_2O(1) \Leftrightarrow$	OH ⁻¹ (aq) +	HCN(aq)
[]initial	0.337M	XXXXX	0 M	0 M
$\Delta[\]$	– x M	XXXXX	+ x M	+ x M
[]equilibrium	(0.337 - x) M	XXXXX	х М	х М

$$\begin{split} K_b = & \text{ (x)(x) / (0.337 - x) } \approx \text{ (x)(x) / (0.337)} = 3.0x10^{-5} \text{ (assume x << 0.337)} \\ & \text{ x = 3.1796x10}^{-3} = \text{ [OH}^{-1} \text{] (assumption is OK)} \\ & \text{ pOH = -log[OH}^{-1} \text{] = -log(3.1796x10}^{-3} \text{) = 2.4976} \\ & \text{ pH = 14 - pH = 14 - 2.4976} = 11.502 \end{split}$$

7. You have prepared a buffer solution by combining 0.537mols of benzoic acid ($HC_7H_5O_2$, $K_a = 6.4x10^{-5}$) and 0.394mols of sodium benzoate in enough water to make 600.0mL of solution. What is the pH of this buffer solution? (10pts)

Plugging in to the Henderson-Hasselbalch equation...

$$pH = \left(-\log(6.4x10^{-5})\right) + \log\left(\frac{0.394}{0.537}\right) = 4.059$$

8. What is the K_b of a weak base if 500.0mL of a solution containing 0.218mol of the base and 0.243mol of its conjugate acid has a pH of 6.837? Over what pH range would this conjugate acid/conjugate base pair make an effective buffer? (12pts)

Plugging in to the Henderson-Hasselbalch equation...

$$6.837 = pK_a + \log\left(\frac{0.218}{0.243}\right)$$
$$pK_a = 6.884$$
$$pK_b = 14 - 6.884 = 7.116$$
$$K_b = 10^{-7.116} = 7.659 \times 10^{-8}$$

Effective buffers are within 1 pH unit of the pK_a of the weak conjugate acid component of the buffer, so this system would be an effective buffer from 5.884 to 7.884.

9. You have titrated 25.00mL of 0.413M sulfurous acid solution with an unknown sodium hydroxide solution. You reach the second equivalence point when 39.62mL of base is added. What is the concentration of the original stock sodium hydroxide solution? $\{K_{a1}(H_2SO_3) = 1.54 \times 10^{-2}, K_{a2} = 1.02 \times 10^{-7}\}$ (12pts)

$$(0.02500LH_2SO_4(aq)) \left(\frac{0.413molH_2SO_4}{1LH_2SO_4(aq)} \right) \left(\frac{2molNaOH}{1molH_2SO_4} \right) \left(\frac{1}{0.03962LNaOH(aq)} \right) = 0.521MNaOH(aq)$$

10. You have titrated 20.00mL of an unknown arsenic acid {H₃AsO₄(aq), pK_{a1}=2.30, pK_{a2}=7.10, pK_{a3}=11.53} solution to the second equivalence point with 41.63mL of 0.387M potassium hydroxide. Write out balanced chemical equations for the step-wise deprotonation of arsenic acid. Sketch the titration curve and label all equivalence points and all arsenic acid-based species in solution in all portions of the curve. What is the concentration of the unknown arsenic acid solution? How many milliliters were required to reach the *first* equivalence point in this titration? (18pts)

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Step 1: H_3AsO_4(aq) + OH^{-1}(aq) \rightarrow H_2O(1) + H_2AsO_4^{-1}(aq)

Step 2: H_2AsO_4^{-1}(aq) + OH^{-1}(aq) \rightarrow H_2O(1) + HAsO_4^{-2}(aq)

Step 3: HAsO_4^{-2}(aq) + OH^{-1}(aq) \rightarrow H_2O(1) + AsO_4^{-3}(aq)

Overall/Net: H_3AsO_4(aq) + 3 OH^{-1}(aq) \rightarrow 3 H_2O(1) + AsO_4^{-3}(aq)

{Titration curve...}

 \left(0.04163LKOH(aq)\right) \left(\frac{0.387molKOH}{1L KOH(aq)}\right) \left(\frac{1molH_3AsO_4}{2molKOH}\right) \left(\frac{1}{0.02000LH_3AsO_4(aq)}\right) = 0.4028MH_3AsO_4(aq)
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Each step in the rxn requires the same number of moles of base, so to get to the first equivalence point we'd need half the volume that was required to reach the second equivalence point, 20.815mL

11. You need to determine the exact concentration of a freshly prepared solution of propanoic acid ($C_2H_5COOH(aq)$, $K_a = 1.34 \times 10^{-5}$) that is approximately 0.5M, but your pH probe is not working. You have found the following visual pH indicators in your lab: Methyl Red (MR, endpoint = 4.4-6.2), Phenol Red (PR, endpoint = 6.4-7.7), Cresol Red (CR, endpoint = 7.2-8.8). If you are titrating with a 0.429M NaOH(aq) solution, which indicator(s) would you choose for this titration? Explain your answer. (10pts)

Propanoic acid is a weak acid (based upon the given K_a value) and NaOH is a strong base, so the equivalence point for this titration should be on the basic side of neutral. Of the 3 indicators, Cresol Red is the only one with a clearly basic endpoint, so of the options available it would probably be the best indicator for this titration.