

- The substance  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_3$  is considered
  - a weak Arrhenius acid.
  - a strong Arrhenius acid.
  - a strong Arrhenius base.
  - a neutral compound.
  - a weak Arrhenius base.
- The substance  $\text{NH}_3$  is considered
  - a weak acid.
  - a weak base.
  - a strong acid.
  - a strong base.
  - a neutral compound.
- Select the strongest acid from the following list.
  - $\text{HBrO}$
  - $\text{HClO}_4$
  - $\text{HBrO}_2$
  - $\text{HBrO}^{2-}$
  - $\text{HIO}$
- Which of the following aqueous systems has the highest pH?
  - $0.1\text{ M HA}$ ,  $\text{p}K_a = 11.89$
  - $0.1\text{ M HMO}$ ,  $\text{p}K_a = 8.23$
  - $0.1\text{ M HA}$ ,  $\text{p}K_a = 4.55$
  - $0.1\text{ M HBO}$ ,  $\text{p}K_a = 2.43$
  - pure water
- What is the pH of a  $0.20\text{ M HCl}$  solution?
  - $< 0$
  - $0.70$
  - $1.61$
  - $12.39$
  - $13.30$
- What is the pH of a  $0.0035\text{ M KOH}$  solution?
  - $2.46$
  - $5.65$
  - $8.35$
  - $11.54$
  - None of these choices is correct.

7. Butyric acid is responsible for the odor in rancid butter. A solution of 0.25 M butyric acid has a pH of 2.71. What is the  $K_a$  for the acid?
- A. 0.36
  - B.  $2.4 \times 10^{-2}$
  - C.  $7.8 \times 10^{-3}$
  - D.  $1.5 \times 10^{-5}$
  - E. None of these choices is correct.
8. Farmers who raise cotton once used arsenic acid,  $H_3AsO_4$ , as a defoliant at harvest time. Arsenic acid is a polyprotic acid with  $K_1 = 2.5 \times 10^{-4}$ ,  $K_2 = 5.6 \times 10^{-8}$ , and  $K_3 = 3 \times 10^{-13}$ . What is the pH of a 0.500 M solution of arsenic acid?
- A. 0.85
  - B. 1.96
  - C. 3.90
  - D. 4.51
  - E. None of these choices is correct.
9. What is the pH of a 0.0100 M sodium benzoate solution?  $K_b (C_7H_5O_2^-) = 1.5 \times 10^{-10}$
- A. 0.38
  - B. 5.91
  - C. 8.09
  - D. 9.82
  - E. 13.62
10. Iodine trichloride,  $ICl_3$ , will react with a chloride ion to form  $ICl_4^-$ . Which species, if any, acts as a Lewis acid in this reaction?
- A.  $ICl^-$
  - B.  $ICl_4^-$
  - C.  $Cl^-$
  - D. the solvent
  - E. None of the species acts as a Lewis acid in this reaction.