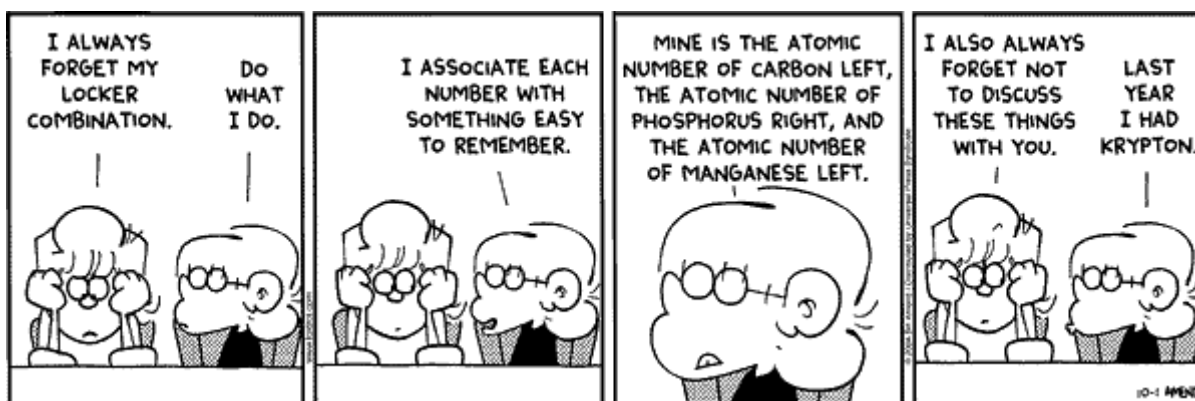


$\text{pH} = -\log[\text{H}^+], [\text{H}^+] = 10^{-\text{pH}}$	$\text{pH} + \text{pOH} = 14$	$PV = nRT$
$\frac{N_t}{N_0} = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{t/t_{1/2}}$	$\ln\left(\frac{N_t}{N_0}\right) = -0.693 \frac{t}{t_{1/2}}$	$\log\left(\frac{N_t}{N_0}\right) = -0.301 \frac{t}{t_{1/2}}$



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Multiple choice questions are worth two points each.

1. Which of these classes of compounds form most of the membranes for your cells?

- a. carbohydrates
- b. lipids (or fats)
- c. amino acids
- d. nucleic acids.

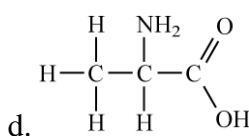
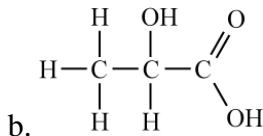
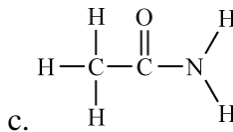
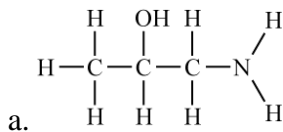
Answer **b**

2. What key role do carbohydrates serve in the body?

- a. They form cell walls
- b. They encode genetic information
- c. They are sources of energy
- d. They serve no role in the body.

Answer **c**

3. Amino acids are compounds that contain **both** amine and carboxylic acid groups. Which compound is an amino acid? is:



Answer **d**

4. If acids are compounds that donate protons (H^+), how is it that SO_x and NO_x cause acid rain?

- a. They react with hydrogen gas in the atmosphere to produce acids.
- b. There is not sufficient evidence to indicate that these compounds actually do cause acid rain.
- c. They react with water to form acids.
- d. They react with ammonia to form acids.

Answer **c**

5. The compound CH_3NH_2 reacts with water to form CH_3NH_3^+ and OH^- . In this reaction, CH_3NH_2 is acting as a(n)

- a. salt
- b. base
- c. acid
- d. solvent

Answer **b**

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6. H_3O^+ is called the

- a. hydroxide ion
- b. hydrogen ion
- c. hydrate ion
- d. hydronium ion

Answer d

7. If the concentration of a dilute solution of nitric acid (HNO_3) is 0.00010 M, what is the pH of that solution?

- a. 14.0
- b. 7.0
- c. 4.0
- d. 5.0

Answer c

8. The pH of a sample of water from a river is 6.0. A sample of wastewater from a food processing plant has a pH of 4.0. The concentration of hydronium ion in the wastewater is

- a. two times *larger* than the river hydronium ion concentration.
- b. one hundred times *larger* than the river hydronium ion concentration.
- c. two times *smaller* than the river hydronium ion concentration.
- d. one hundred times *smaller* than the river hydronium ion concentration.

Answer b

9. Uranium-238 decays by emission of an alpha particle. The other product of this decay is

- a. ${}^{234}_{92}\text{U}$
- b. ${}^{234}_{91}\text{Pa}$
- c. ${}^{234}_{88}\text{Ra}$
- d. ${}^{234}_{90}\text{Th}$

Answer d

10. One difference between a chemical reaction and a nuclear reaction is that in a nuclear reaction

- a. only small amounts of energy are absorbed or emitted.
- b. only the valence electrons are involved.
- c. atoms retain their identity.
- d. atoms often change from one element to another.

Answer d

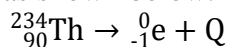
11. In our demo with the inverted flask and green water on Thursday, the primary reason the liquid moved into the flask was

- a. The pressure inside the flask increased compared to the pressure outside the flask.
- b. The pressure inside the flask decreased compared to the pressure outside the flask
- c. The combustion of the matches produced carbon dioxide.
- d. The temperature inside the flask increased during the demo.

Answer b

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10. Thorium-234 undergoes beta decay as shown below. What is Q?



- a. ${}_{91}^{234}\text{Pa}$ b. ${}_{91}^{233}\text{Th}$ c. ${}_{90}^{233}\text{Th}$ d. ${}_{89}^{234}\text{Ac}$

Answer a

11. After three half-lives, what fraction of the original radioactive isotope remains in a sample?

- a. 1/4 b. 1/8 c. 1/16 d. none

Answer b

12. The mass of a helium nucleus is slightly less than the sum of its parts (2 protons and 2 neutrons) because

- a. the mass of protons and neutrons are not precisely known.
b. some of the mass is given to electrons.
c. the mass of a proton is larger than the mass of a neutron.
d. some of the mass is converted to binding energy.

Answer d

13. Match the term with its definition. (12 points)

<u> E </u> pH	A. a concentration term expressed in moles per liter
<u> H </u> alpha particle	B. a compound that can behave both as an acid and as a base
<u> A </u> molarity	C. a solution with $\text{pH} > 7$
<u> B </u> amphiprotic	D. the force that holds the nucleons together in an atom's nucleus
<u> J </u> critical mass	E. $-\log[\text{H}^+]$
<u> D </u> binding energy	F. the substance in which a solute is dissolved
<u> L </u> unsaturated fat	G. building blocks of proteins
<u> I </u> primary structure	H. a helium nucleus emitted in nuclear reaction
<u> C </u> basic	I. the order of amino acids in a protein
<u> G </u> amino acid	J. the minimum amount of an isotope necessary to sustain a chain reaction.
<u> K </u> acidic	K. a solution with $[\text{H}^+] > 1 \times 10^{-7} \text{ M}$
<u> F </u> solvent	L. a water insoluble compound with no carbon-carbon multiple bonds

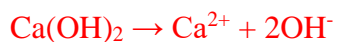
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14. Write reactions for the following: (2 points each)

a. The dissociation of nitric acid (HNO_3 , a strong acid)



b. The dissociation of calcium hydroxide (Ca(OH)_2 , a strong base)



c. The reaction of nitric acid (HNO_3) with calcium hydroxide (Ca(OH)_2).



15. Complete the following table: (10 points)

Compound	Molarity	pH	pOH	Acidic, Basic or Neutral?
H_2SO_4	0.012 M	$\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 \rightarrow 2\text{H}^+ + \text{SO}_4^{2-}$ So, $[\text{H}^+] = 2(0.012) = 0.024 \text{ M}$, pH = 1.62	12.38	Acidic
KOH	0.0035 M	11.54	$\text{KOH} \rightarrow \text{K}^+ + \text{OH}^-$ $[\text{OH}^-] = 0.0035 \text{ M}$ pOH = 2.46	Basic

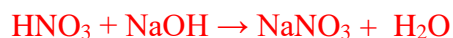
16. Write the nuclear equation for the decay of Po-210 if it undergoes 2 consecutive alpha decay followed by a beta decay followed by another alpha decay? (10 points)



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17. In a beaker, you mix 35.0 mL of 0.100 M HNO₃ and 30.0 mL of 0.200 M NaOH.

a. Write the balanced reaction that you would expect to occur. (2 points)



b. When the reaction is complete, will the resulting solution be acidic, basic, or neutral? Explain your decision. (*hint: figure out which reactant is in excess*) (8 points)

We have

$$0.035 \text{ L HNO}_3 \times \frac{0.100 \text{ mol HNO}_3}{1 \text{ L}} = 0.0035 \text{ mol HNO}_3$$

and

$$0.030 \text{ L NaOH} \times \frac{0.200 \text{ mol NaOH}}{1 \text{ L}} = 0.0060 \text{ mol NaOH}$$

The stoichiometry requires 1 mole HNO₃ for every mole of NaOH. Therefore, we need:

$$0.0035 \text{ mol HNO}_3 \times \frac{1 \text{ mol NaOH}}{1 \text{ mol HNO}_3} = 0.0035 \text{ mol NaOH}$$

Since we need 0.0035 mol NaOH and we only have 0.0060 mol, the HNO₃ will run out and we will have some NaOH remaining. Since the base is left over, the solution will be **basic**.

18. In a carbon-14 dating experiment, a fossil was found to have 3.13% of its natural abundance of carbon-14 (in other words, if it originally would have contained 100 g ¹⁴C, it now only contains 3.13g ¹⁴C), If the half-life of ¹⁴C is 5730 years, how old is the fossil? (10 points)

$$\ln\left(\frac{N_t}{N_0}\right) = -0.693 \frac{t}{t_{1/2}}$$

$$\ln\left(\frac{3.13}{100}\right) = -0.693 \frac{t}{5730\text{y}}$$

$$-3.464 = -0.693 \frac{t}{5730\text{y}}$$

$$t = 5730\text{y} \frac{-3.464}{-0.693} = \mathbf{28,600 \text{ years old}}$$

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19. Hydrochloric acid (HCl) is classified as a strong acid, while acetic acid (CH₃COOH) is classified as a weak acid. Explain what these terms mean. If you could examine a solution of HCl and a separate solution of acetic acid on a molecular level, what would you expect to see in each? (10 points)

Strong acids dissociate completely, while weak acids do not. In a solution of HCl, we would expect to find only H⁺ and Cl⁻, but no "HCl". In a solution of CH₃COOH, we would expect to find H⁺, CH₃COO⁻, but also a significant amount of CH₃COOH. A diagram may be useful.

20. Nucleic acids are the building blocks of DNA.

- a. Every nucleic acid in DNA has three components. What are they? (3 points)

A sugar, a phosphate group and a nitrogen containing base

- b. Why types of intermolecular forces hold DNA strands together to form a double helix? (3 points)

Hydrogen bonding interactions

- c. In DNA, adenine and thymine are complementary bases, as are cytosine and guanine. If a segment of a single strand of DNA has the sequence, -ATTCGTAA-, what would the complementary sequence be? (4 points)

Since A is complementary to T and C is complementary to G, the sequence would be:
-TAAGCATT-