

Acid Base Chemistry

1. Foundation knowledge

2. The pH scale

a. pH of acids, bases, and water

b. relation between $[H^+]$ and pH

i. intuitive relation

ii. mathematical relation

c. $H^+ = H_3O^+ = \text{proton}$

3. The pH of Water

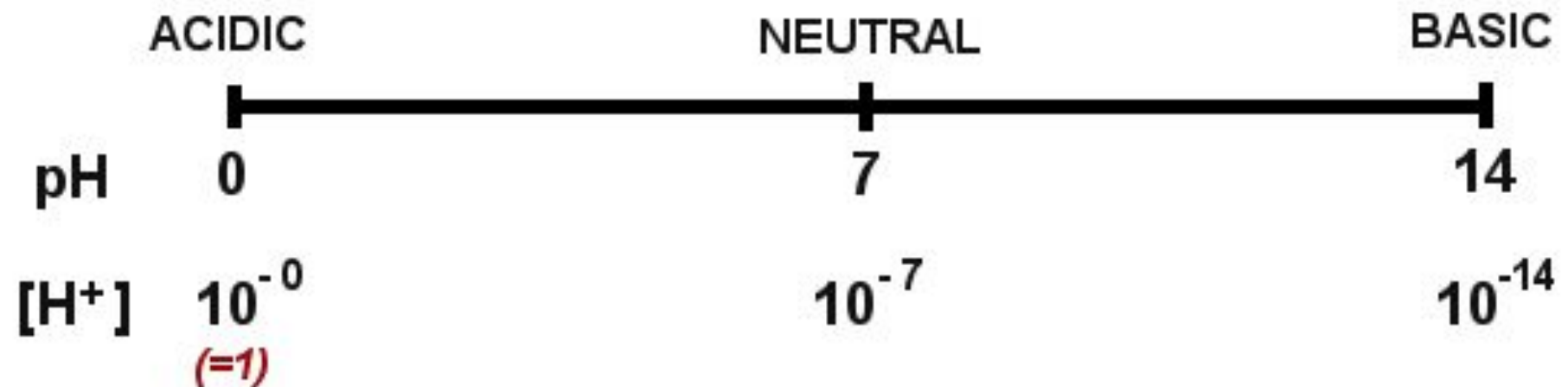
4. Acids

5. Bases

6. Acid base titrations

7. Relative acidity and basicity – competition for H^+

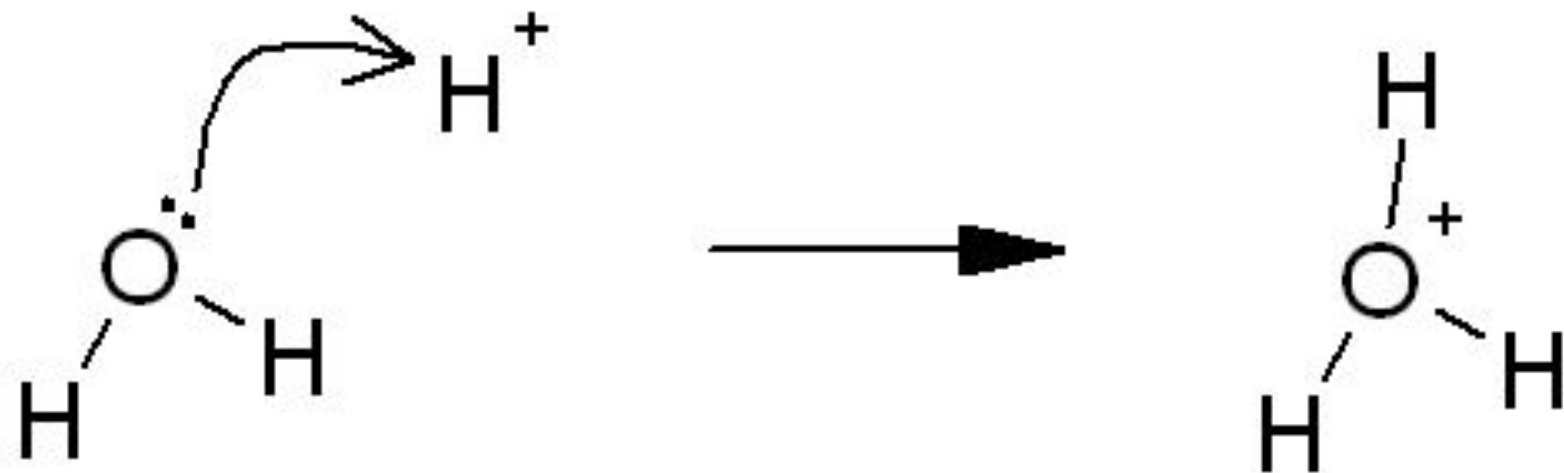
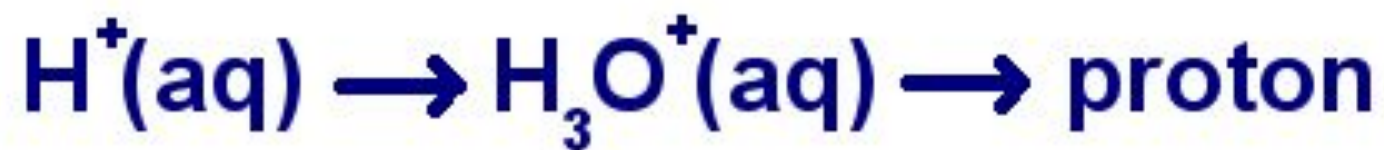
pH scale



Interconvert pH and $[H^+]$

$$pH = -\log[H^+]$$

$$[H^+] = 10^{-pH}$$



Which of the following is correct? (298K, $pK_w = 14$)

A

$$\text{pH} = 0$$

$$\therefore [\text{H}^+] = 1 \text{ mol dm}^{-3}$$

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Match the pH to the H⁺ concentration

pH

[H⁺]

1

$10^{-4} \text{ mol dm}^{-3}$

2

0.01 mol dm^{-3}

3

$1 \times 10^{-3} \text{ mol dm}^{-3}$

4

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Match the H^+ concentration to the pH

[H^+]

pH

$1 \times 10^1 \text{ mol dm}^{-3}$

10

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0

$1 \times 10^{-10} \text{ mol dm}^{-3}$

1

1 mol dm^{-3}

-1

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[H⁺]

pH

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10

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1

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