

EXTRA PRACTICE: pH/pOH/[H⁺]/[OH⁻]/K_w

Name: _____

The pH of a solution indicates how acidic or basic that solution is.

pH range: 0 – 7 = acidic

7 = neutral

7 – 14 = basic

Since [H⁺][OH⁻] = 1.0 x 10⁻¹⁴ at 25°C, if [H⁺] is known, the [OH⁻] can be calculated and vice versa.

$$\text{pH} = -\log [\text{H}^+]$$

$$\text{pOH} = -\log [\text{OH}^-]$$

$$[\text{OH}^-] = 10^{-\text{pOH}}$$

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

$$K_w = [\text{H}^+] [\text{OH}^-] = 1.0 \times 10^{-14}$$

$$\text{pH} + \text{pOH} = 14$$

Complete the following chart & show all work.

	[H ⁺]	pH	[OH ⁻]	pOH	K _w	Acid or Base
1	1.0x10 ⁻⁵ M					
2		7				
3			1.0x10 ⁻⁴ M			
4	1.0x10 ⁻² M					
5				11		
6		12				
7			1.0x10 ⁻⁵ M			
8	1.0x10 ⁻¹¹ M					
9				13		
10		6				