

**I. Indicator Solutions**

Name one indicator with two forms, and two similarly-colored wells. \_\_\_\_\_

At which change in solution acidity does this indicator change forms:

(a) between strongly and weakly acidic, or (b) between strongly and weakly basic solutions.

Name an indicator with 2 forms, and 3 differently-colored wells because one well contains a mixture of both forms. \_\_\_\_\_

Name one indicator with three forms, one prominent in each well. \_\_\_\_\_

**II. Meter Calibration Check**

Reading of pH 7 buffer: \_\_\_\_\_ Reading of pH 4 buffer: \_\_\_\_\_

Comment on Meter Stability \_\_\_\_\_

**III. Cation Hydrolysis**

Salt	pH	Salt	pH	Salt	pH
CuCl <sub>2</sub>	_____	FeCl <sub>3</sub>	_____	KCl	_____
LiCl	_____	MgCl <sub>2</sub>	_____	NH <sub>4</sub> Cl	_____

**IIIa.** Hydrolysis of KCl is expected to be negligible. Is the pH of KCl solution significantly different from neutral? Yes Maybe No Difference, ?pH = \_\_\_\_\_ units

If so, what dissolved gas might be responsible? \_\_\_\_\_

**IIIb.** KCl and LiCl differ only by cation size. To what extent is your data consistent with a small-ion size effect, with small ions hydrolyzing more than larger ions?

?pH = pH<sub>KCl</sub> - pH<sub>LiCl</sub> = \_\_\_\_\_

**IIIc.** The cations of LiCl and MgCl<sub>2</sub> have nearly the same size. To what extent does higher or lower charge foster greater hydrolysis? ?pH = pH<sub>LiCl</sub> - pH<sub>MgCl<sub>2</sub></sub> = \_\_\_\_\_

**III d.** Charge and size differences are negligible between MgCl<sub>2</sub> and CuCl<sub>2</sub>. To what extent does the incomplete d-subshell of copper affect the degree of hydrolysis?

?pH = pH<sub>MgCl<sub>2</sub></sub> - pH<sub>CuCl<sub>2</sub></sub> = \_\_\_\_\_

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**IIIe.** Iron<sup>3+</sup> is smaller than the ions compared above. Considering the effects of b through d, rationalize the pH of FeCl<sub>3</sub> solution.

**III f.** Give a balanced equation for the hydrolysis of ammonium ions in NH<sub>4</sub>Cl(aq).

Give a balanced equation for the hydrolysis of hydrated iron(III) ions in FeCl<sub>3</sub> solution

#### IV. Basic Character of Anions

NaC<sub>2</sub>H<sub>3</sub>O<sub>2</sub> pH: \_\_\_\_\_ Na<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub> equation: \_\_\_\_\_

Na<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub> pH: \_\_\_\_\_ NH<sub>4</sub>C<sub>2</sub>H<sub>3</sub>O<sub>2</sub> equation: \_\_\_\_\_

Which base is stronger base by odor indication? \_\_\_\_\_ by pH indication?

#### V. Degree of Dissociation

greatest [H<sup>+</sup>]/c<sub>acid</sub> is \_\_\_\_\_ > median is \_\_\_\_\_ > least dissociated \_\_\_\_\_

HCl equation

HC<sub>2</sub>H<sub>3</sub>O<sub>2</sub> equation

How closely to 1/10 has [H<sup>+</sup>] dropped with dilution of each to 10× in volume:  
of HCl? \_\_\_\_\_ of HC<sub>2</sub>H<sub>3</sub>O<sub>2</sub>? \_\_\_\_\_ of the buffer? \_\_\_\_\_

greatest change in [H<sup>+</sup>]/c<sub>acid</sub> \_\_\_\_\_ > median \_\_\_\_\_ > least change in degree of dissociation \_\_\_\_\_

#### VI. Buffering

Which solution showed the biggest pH increase? Explain.

What was the buffer capacity?

In part VI the pH increased with each NaOH addition; in part I the indicator did not change color with initial NaOH addition. In your words, explain how solutions of different acidity can have the same indicator color.