

# Important Hydrolysis for Weak Acid and Weak Base Formulas PDF



**Formulas  
Examples  
with Units**

## List of 13 Important Hydrolysis for Weak Acid and Weak Base Formulas

### 1) Acid Ionization Constant of Weak Acid Formula

Formula

$$K_a = \frac{K_w}{K_b}$$

Example

$$2E-5 = \frac{1.0E-14}{5E-10}$$

Evaluate Formula

### 2) Basic Ionization Constant of Weak Base Formula

Formula

$$K_b = \frac{K_w}{K_a}$$

Example

$$2E-5 = \frac{1.0E-14}{5E-10}$$

Evaluate Formula

### 3) Concentration of Hydronium ion in Salt of Weak Acid and Weak Base Formula

Formula

$$C = \sqrt{K_w \cdot \frac{K_a}{K_b}}$$

Example with Units

$$1.1E-10 \text{ mol/L} = \sqrt{1.0E-14 \cdot \frac{2.0E-5}{1.77E-5}}$$

Evaluate Formula

### 4) Constant of Hydrolysis given Ionic Product of Water and Acid Ionization Constant of Weak Acid Formula

Formula

$$K_h = \frac{K_w}{K_a}$$

Example

$$5E-10 = \frac{1.0E-14}{2.0E-5}$$

Evaluate Formula

### 5) Constant of Hydrolysis given Ionic Product of Water and Basic Ionization Constant of Weak Base Formula

Formula

$$K_h = \frac{K_w}{K_b}$$

Example

$$5.6E-10 = \frac{1.0E-14}{1.77E-5}$$

Evaluate Formula



## 6) Degree of Hydrolysis in Salt of Weak Acid and Weak Base Formula

**Formula**

$$h = \sqrt{\frac{K_w}{C_{\text{salt}} \cdot K_a \cdot K_b}}$$

**Example with Units**

$$0.1267 = \sqrt{\frac{1.0\text{E-}14}{1.76\text{E-}6 \text{ mol/L} \cdot 2.0\text{E-}5 \cdot 1.77\text{E-}5}}$$

Evaluate Formula 

## 7) Hydrolysis Constant in Weak Acid and Weak Base Formula

**Formula**

$$K_h = \frac{K_w}{K_a \cdot K_b}$$

**Example**

$$2.8\text{E-}5 = \frac{1.0\text{E-}14}{2.0\text{E-}5 \cdot 1.77\text{E-}5}$$

Evaluate Formula 

## 8) Ionic Product of Water given Constant of Hydrolysis and Acid Ionization Constant of Weak Acid Formula

**Formula**

$$K_w = K_a \cdot K_h$$

**Example**

$$1\text{E-}14 = 2.0\text{E-}5 \cdot 5\text{E-}10$$

Evaluate Formula 

## 9) Ionic Product of Water given Constant of Hydrolysis and Basic Ionization Constant of Weak Base Formula

**Formula**

$$K_w = K_b \cdot K_h$$

**Example**

$$8.9\text{E-}15 = 1.77\text{E-}5 \cdot 5\text{E-}10$$

Evaluate Formula 

## 10) pH of Salt of Weak Acid and Weak base Formula

**Formula**

$$\text{pH} = \frac{\text{p}K_w + \text{p}K_a - \text{p}K_b}{2}$$

**Example**

$$6 = \frac{14 + 4 - 6}{2}$$

Evaluate Formula 

## 11) pKa of Salt of Weak Acid and Weak base Formula

**Formula**

$$\text{p}K_a = 2 \cdot \text{pH} - 14 + \text{p}K_b$$

**Example**

$$4 = 2 \cdot 6 - 14 + 6$$

Evaluate Formula 

## 12) pKb of Salt of Weak Acid and Weak base Formula

**Formula**

$$\text{p}K_b = -2 \cdot \text{pH} + 14 + \text{p}K_a$$

**Example**

$$6 = -2 \cdot 6 + 14 + 4$$

Evaluate Formula 

## 13) pOH of Salt of Weak Acid and Weak Base Formula

**Formula**

$$\text{pOH} = 14 - \frac{\text{p}K_w + \text{p}K_a - \text{p}K_b}{2}$$

**Example**

$$8 = 14 - \frac{14 + 4 - 6}{2}$$


Evaluate Formula 



## Variables used in list of Hydrolysis for Weak Acid and Weak Base Formulas above

- **C** Hydronium Ion Concentration (Mole per Liter)
- **C<sub>salt</sub>** Concentration of Salt (Mole per Liter)
- **h** Degree of Hydrolysis
- **K<sub>a</sub>** Constant of Ionization of Acids
- **K<sub>b</sub>** Constant Of Ionization Of Bases
- **K<sub>h</sub>** Constant Of Hydrolysis
- **K<sub>w</sub>** Ionic Product of Water
- **pH** Negative Log of Hydronium Concentration
- **pK<sub>a</sub>** Negative Log of Acid Ionization Constant
- **pK<sub>b</sub>** Negative Log of Base Ionization Constant
- **pK<sub>w</sub>** Negative Log of Ionic Product of Water
- **pOH** Negative Log of Hydroxyl Concentration

## Constants, Functions, Measurements used in list of Hydrolysis for Weak Acid and Weak Base Formulas above


- **Functions:** **sqrt**, **sqrt(Number)**  
*A square root function is a function that takes a non-negative number as an input and returns the square root of the given input number.*
- **Measurement:** **Molar Concentration** in Mole per Liter (mol/L)  
*Molar Concentration Unit Conversion* 



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