## \#83229 Chemistry, Other

## Calculate the p-functions for each ion in a solution that is 0.40 M in HCl and 0.020 M in $\mathbf{N a C l}$.

## Answer:

The p-function can be calculated by taken the negative logarithm of the concentration of the ion multiplied by the stoichiometric number of the ion in the molecule.

1) $\mathrm{p}\left(\mathrm{H}^{+}\right)=\mathrm{p}\left(\mathrm{Cl}^{-}\right)=-\log (0.40)=0.398$
2) $\mathrm{p}\left(\mathrm{Na}^{+}\right)=\mathrm{p}\left(\mathrm{Cl}^{-}\right)=-\log (0.02)=1.699$
