	Test 3 (12/6) Fall 2023
1. (10 pts.) Explain how alcohols like ethanol can act as both a Brønsted-Lowry base a Brønsted-Lowry acid. In the explanation provide examples of ethanol acting in b	
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2. (10 pts.) Explain why $HClO_3$ is a stronger acid than $HBrO_3$ .	7
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3. (10 pts.) Ammonia,  $NH_3$ , and diisopropylamine,  $NH(CH(CH_3)_2)_2$  are both bases. Ignoring any possible solvent effects, determine which is the stronger base and briefly explain your choice.

AgCl (s) + 2 NH<sub>3</sub> (aq) 
$$\longrightarrow$$
 [Ag(NH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>]Cl (aq)

a. (5 pts.) Is the ammonia acting as a Lewis acid or a Lewis base? Briefly explain your response.

b. (5 pts.) Is the metal acting as a Lewis acid or a Lewis base? Briefly explain your response.

5. (10 pts.) What is the strongest base that can exist in water? Explain.

6. (8 pts.) Using the hard-soft acid-base concept, explain why AgF is more soluble in water than AgI.

7. (8 pts.) The structure of 1,8-bis(dimethylamino)naphthalene is drawn below. It is a very effective base when used in organic solvents. Explain why it is such a good base.

8. (8 pts.) Determine the oxidation numbers(characteristic coordination complexes	narges) for the transition metals in the following
$K[ReO_4]$	trans-[Co(H <sub>2</sub> O) <sub>2</sub> (NH <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>4</sub> ]Cl <sub>3</sub>
Fe(CO) <sub>5</sub>	$\mathit{fac} ext{-}[\mathrm{Mn}(\mathrm{CO})_3(\mathrm{H}_2\mathrm{O})_3]\mathrm{Br}$
9. (12 pts.) The compound pentamminebromoc chloride ions. (Remember the ammine ligand	
	netimes called inner) coordination sphere of the
What does it mean, bonding-wise, for a ligan	nd to be part of the inner coordination sphere.
What is the charge on the transition metal co	omplex ion?
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How many chloride ions are present to balar	ice the charge on the complex ion?
Draw the structure of the octahedral pentam	ninebromocobalt(III) chloride. Remember, to use
brackets, [], where appropriate and to indica	

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