Unit 9 Acids, Bases, and Salts

Term	Definition
Amphoteric	A substance that can ACT LIKE AN ACID OR A BASE
Arrhenius acid	a substance whose water (aqueous) solution contains or yields HYDRONIUM IONS (H+ IONS) as the ONLY POSITIVE ION in solution
Arrhenius base	a substance whose water (aqueous) solution contains or yields/produces OH- (HYDROXIDE IONS) as the ONLY NEGATIVE ION when dissolved in water.
Bronsted-Lowry acid	Proton Donor
Bronsted-Lowry base	Proton Acceptor
Electrolyte	substances that conduct electric current when dissolved in water
hydronium ion	H3O+ ION
hydroxide ion	OH- ION
indicator (acid/base)	substance that CHANGES COLOR as a result of a pH CHANGE
neutralization	when an Arrhenius acid and an Arrhenius base react to form WATER and a SALT
pH scale	designed to measure HOW ACIDIC or HOW BASIC an aqueous solution is
titration	used to calculate the concentration (molarity) of an unknown solution