

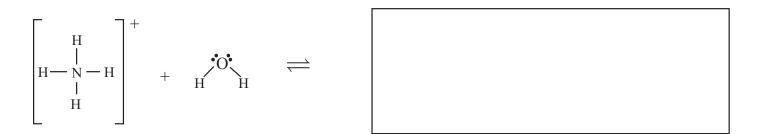
NMSI Super Problem: Acid Base Equilibrium

$$\mathrm{NH}_{3}(aq) + \mathrm{H}_{2}\mathrm{O}(\ell) \ \rightleftharpoons \ \mathrm{NH}_{4}^{+}(aq) + \mathrm{OH}^{-}(aq) \qquad \qquad K_{\mathrm{b}} = 1.80 \times 10^{-5}$$

Ammonia reacts with water as indicated in the reaction above.

- a. Write the equilibrium constant expression for the reaction represented above.
- b. Calculate the pH of a 0.150 M solution of NH₃
- c. Determine the percent ionization of the weak base NH₃.
- d. Calculate the hydronium ion, H₃O⁺, concentration in the above solution. Be sure to include units with your answer.

When a specified amount of ammonium nitrate (NH_4NO_3) is dissolved in water, the ammonium ions hydrolyze the water according to the partial reaction shown below. The resulting solution has a pH of 4.827.



e. Complete the reaction above by drawing the *complete* Lewis structures for *both* products of the hydrolysis reaction.

- f. Determine the
 - i. molarity (M) of the ammonium ions in this solution
 - ii. number of moles ammonium ions in 250 mL of the above solution.