

Possibly Helpful Facts

Mass of atmosphere = $5.14 \cdot 10^{18}$ kg = $1.8 \cdot 10^{20}$ moles

H = 1, C = 12, N = 14, O = 16, S = 32 g/mole

Density of water: $1 \text{ t/m}^3 = 1 \text{ kg/L} = 1 \text{ g/mL}$

$S = \tau F$

$c = s/V$

$T_{2X} = \ln(2)/r = 0.69/r$

1 inch = 2.54 cm; 1 meter = 39.4 inches

1 pound = 0.454 kg

1 $\text{m}^3 = 1000$ liters

$\text{pH} = -\log_{10}[\text{H}^+]$

You have until 6:45 pm. I'll review the solutions at that time.

Quiz 4 Solution

$$\left[\frac{6 \text{ g}_{\text{SO}_4^{2-}}}{\text{m}^2 \text{ y}} \right] \left[\frac{\text{mole}_{\text{SO}_4^{2-}}}{96 \text{ g}_{\text{SO}_4^{2-}}} \right] \left[\frac{2 \text{ mole}_{\text{H}^+}}{\text{mole}_{\text{SO}_4^{2-}}} \right] \left[\frac{\text{y}}{25 \text{ in}} \right] \left[\frac{39.4 \text{ in}}{\text{m}} \right] \left[\frac{\text{m}^3}{10^3 \text{ L}} \right]$$

$$[\text{H}^+] = 2 \cdot 10^{-4} \frac{\text{mole}_{\text{H}^+}}{\text{L}}$$

$$\text{pH} = -\log_{10} [\text{H}^+] = -\log_{10} [2 \cdot 10^{-4}] = -(-3.7) = 3.7$$

The actual average pH is substantially higher because much of the sulfate is dry-deposited in the dry season (Sep-Mar)