



**SELF ASSESSMENT TEST TOPIC 09**  
**Solubility equilibrium**

1. Calculate the concentration of calcium ions present in a saturated calcium phosphate solution. [ $pK_{sp}$  CaCO<sub>3</sub> = 8.31]  
A)  $4.8 \times 10^{-9}$  M  
B)  $6.9 \times 10^{-5}$  M  
C)  $2.6 \times 10^{-6}$  M  
D)  $8.3 \times 10^{-10}$  M
  
2. The K<sub>sp</sub> of silver chloride is  $1.77 \times 10^{-10}$ . Calculate the molar solubility of silver chloride in 0.02M of silver nitrate.  
A)  $1.77 \times 10^{-10}$  M  
B)  $1.33 \times 10^{-5}$  M  
C)  $8.85 \times 10^{-9}$  M  
D) None of the above
  
3. Calculate the molar solubility of strontium arsenate in water at 25 °C  
(Data: K<sub>sp</sub> [Sr<sub>3</sub>(AsO<sub>4</sub>)<sub>2</sub>] =  $4.29 \times 10^{-19}$ ).  
A)  $6.55 \times 10^{-10}$  M  
B)  $8.31 \times 10^{-5}$  M  
C)  $8.85 \times 10^{-9}$  M  
D)  $7.54 \times 10^{-7}$  M
  
4. Indicate for which of the following salts the solubility depends upon the pH.  
A) ZnCO<sub>3</sub>  
B) BaSO<sub>4</sub>  
C) MgF<sub>2</sub>  
D) all the above answers are correct
  
5. Consider a salt M<sub>2</sub>X<sub>3</sub> type with a molar mass of 300 g/mol whose solubility is 3.42 g/liter. Calculate K<sub>sp</sub>.  
A)  $1.3 \times 10^{-4}$   
B) 0.0114  
C)  $1.5 \times 10^{-6}$   
D)  $1.9 \times 10^{-10}$