

ALL work must be shown in all problems for full credit. **Due at the beginning of class on Wednesday, November 21, 2001**

PS13.1. Determine the pH for a solution containing the following substances[†].

a) 0.550 M HC₄H₇O₂ and 0.550 M NaC₄H₇O₂

	HC ₄ H ₇ O ₂ (aq)	\rightleftharpoons	H ⁺ (aq)	+ C ₄ H ₇ O ₂ ⁻ (aq)	
I	0.550 M		~ 0	0.550 M	
C	-x		+x	+x	x = [HC ₄ H ₇ O ₂] _{diss}
E	0.550 - x		+x	0.550 + x	

$$K_a = \frac{[C_4H_7O_2^-][H^+]}{[HC_4H_7O_2]}$$

$$1.5 \times 10^{-5} = \frac{(0.55 + x)(x)}{(0.55 - x)} \quad x < 0.55$$

$$1.5 \times 10^{-5} = \frac{0.55(x)}{0.55}$$

$$1.5 \times 10^{-5} \text{ M} = x = [H^+] \quad \text{pH} = 4.82$$

b) 0.460 M HC₄H₇O₂ and 0.460 M NaC₄H₇O₂

	HC ₄ H ₇ O ₂ (aq)	\rightleftharpoons	H ⁺ (aq)	+ C ₄ H ₇ O ₂ ⁻ (aq)	
I	0.460 M		~ 0	0.460 M	
C	-x		+x	+x	x = [HC ₄ H ₇ O ₂] _{diss}
E	0.460 - x		+x	0.460 + x	

$$K_a = \frac{[C_4H_7O_2^-][H^+]}{[HC_4H_7O_2]}$$

$$1.5 \times 10^{-5} = \frac{(0.46 + x)(x)}{(0.46 - x)} \quad x < 0.46$$

$$1.5 \times 10^{-5} = \frac{0.46(x)}{0.46}$$

$$1.5 \times 10^{-5} \text{ M} = x = [H^+] \quad \text{pH} = 4.82$$

c) 0.300 M NH₄Cl and 0.520 M NH₃

	NH ₃ (aq)	+	H ₂ O(l)	\rightleftharpoons	NH ₄ ⁺ (aq)	+	OH ⁻ (aq)	
I	0.520 M		-		0.300 M		~ 0	
C	-x		-		+x		+x	x = [NH ₃] _{reacting}
E	0.520 - x		-		0.3 + x		+x	

$$K_b = \frac{[NH_4^+][OH^-]}{[NH_3]}$$

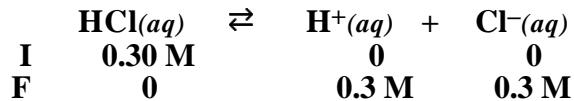
$$1.8 \times 10^{-5} = \frac{(0.3 + x)(x)}{0.520 - x} \quad x < .3$$

$$1.8 \times 10^{-5} = \frac{(0.3)(x)}{.520}$$

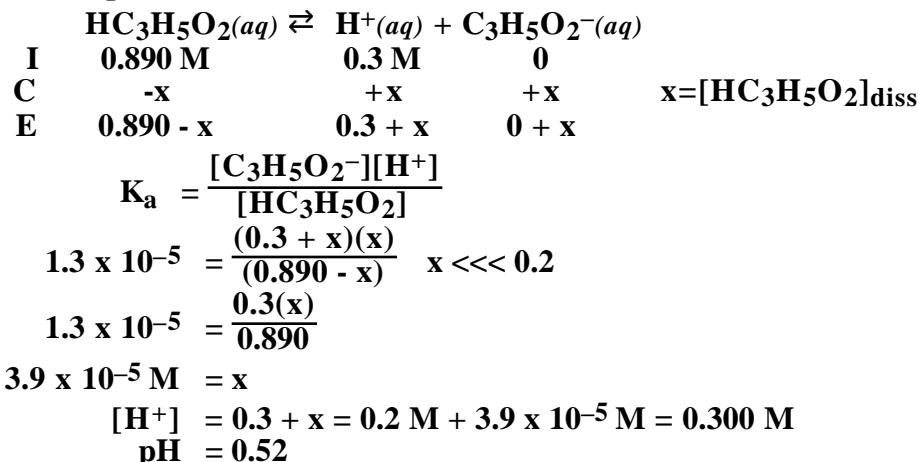
$$3.12 \times 10^{-5} = x = [OH^-] \\ pOH = 4.51 \quad pH = 9.49$$

d) 0.300 M HCl and 0.890 M $\text{C}_3\text{H}_5\text{O}_2$

HCl is a strong acid and it will completely dissociate according to the equation

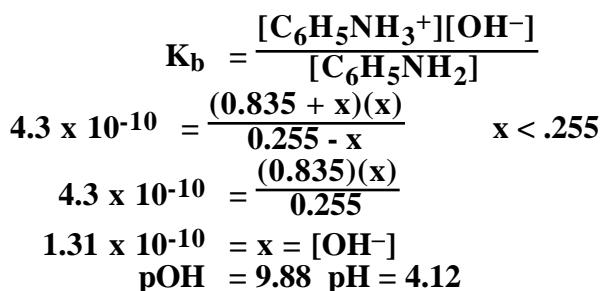
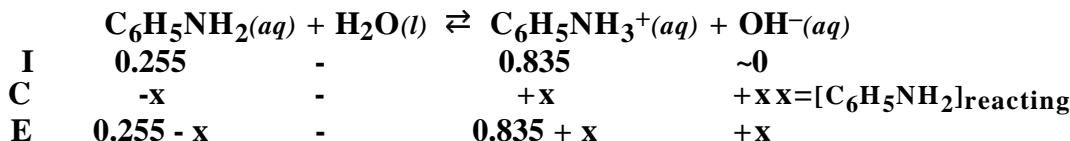


The H^+ ion formed from the dissociation of the HCl is used as the initial $[\text{H}^+]$ in the equilibrium reaction.



The amount of H^+ ion formed from the dissociation of the propionic acid is negligible compared to the amount of hydrogen ion from the HCl.

e) 0.375 M $\text{C}_6\text{H}_5\text{NH}_3\text{NO}_3$ and 0.565 M $\text{C}_6\text{H}_5\text{NH}_2$

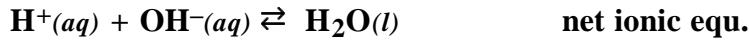


Notice because the conjugate acid is stronger (has a larger equilibrium constant) than the base, the solution is acidic!

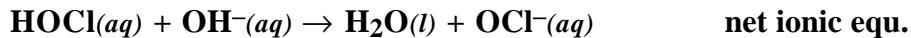
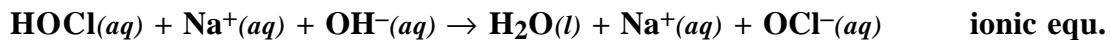
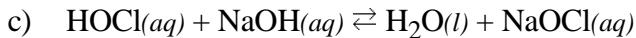
PS13.2. Determine the magnitude of the equilibrium constant for the following reactions



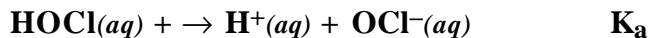
$$K = \frac{1}{[\text{H}^{\text{(aq)}}][\text{OH}^{\text{(aq)}}]} = \frac{1}{K_w} = \frac{1}{1 \times 10^{-14}} = 1 \times 10^{14}$$



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The above ionic equation can be separated into two equations whose K's are known.

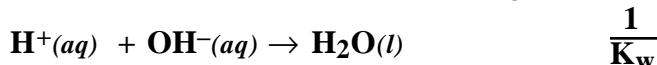


$$K = \frac{K_a(\text{HOCl})}{K_w}$$

$$K = \frac{3.0 \times 10^{-8}}{1.0 \times 10^{-14}} = 3.0 \times 10^6$$



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$$K = \frac{K_b}{K_w}$$

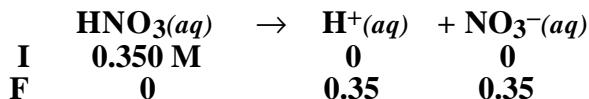
$$K = \frac{4.4 \times 10^{-4}}{1.0 \times 10^{-14}} = 4.4 \times 10^{10}$$

Notice the magnitude for the equilibrium constant for any type of neutralization reaction is very large. Because of the large equilibrium constant, anytime an acid and base are mixed, the reaction proceeds to completion forming the product, salt and water.

PS13.3. A titration is performed by adding 0.250 M KOH to 25.0 mL of 0.350 M HNO₃.

- a) Calculate the pH before addition of any KOH.

HNO₃ is a strong acid and it will completely dissociate according to the equation



$$[\text{H}^+] = 0.350 \text{ M}$$

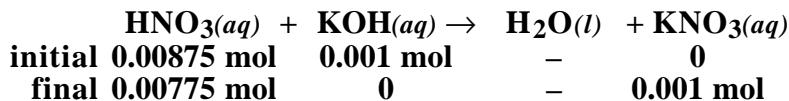
$$\text{pH} = 0.456$$

- b) Calculate the pH after the addition of 4.0, 18.0 and 34.0 mL of the base.(Show your work in detail for one of the volumes.)

Add 4.0 mL of 0.250 M KOH

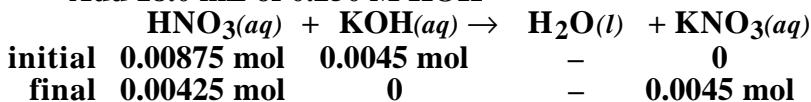
$$4.0 \text{ mL} \left(\frac{1 \text{ L}}{1000 \text{ mL}} \right) \left(\frac{0.250 \text{ mol}}{1 \text{ L}} \right) = 0.0010 \text{ mol KOH}$$

$$25.0 \text{ mL} \left(\frac{1 \text{ L}}{1000 \text{ mL}} \right) \left(\frac{0.350 \text{ mol}}{1 \text{ L}} \right) = 0.00875 \text{ mol HNO}_3$$



$$[\text{HNO}_3] = \frac{0.00775 \text{ mol}}{0.029 \text{ L}} = 0.267 \text{ M} \quad \text{pH} = 0.573$$

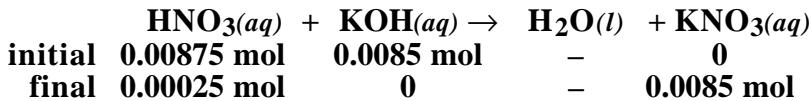
Add 18.0 mL of 0.250 M KOH



$$[\text{HNO}_3] = \frac{0.00425 \text{ mol}}{0.043 \text{ L}} = 9.88 \times 10^{-2} \text{ M}$$

$$\text{pH} = 1.00$$

Add 34.0 mL of 0.250 M KOH



$$[\text{HNO}_3] = \frac{0.00025 \text{ mol}}{0.059 \text{ L}} = 4.24 \times 10^{-3} \text{ M}$$

$$\text{pH} = 2.37$$

- c) Calculate the volume of base needed to reach the equivalence point.

At the equivalence point

$$\text{moles}_{\text{acid}} = \text{moles}_{\text{base}}$$

$$\text{moles}_{\text{acid}} \left(\frac{\text{volume}_{\text{acid}}}{\text{volume}_{\text{acid}}} \right) = \text{moles}_{\text{base}} \left(\frac{\text{volume}_{\text{base}}}{\text{volume}_{\text{base}}} \right)$$

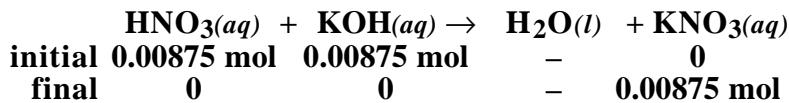
$$M_{\text{acid}} V_{\text{acid}} = M_{\text{base}} V_{\text{base}}$$

$$0.350 \text{ M} \cdot 25.0 \text{ mL} = 0.250 \text{ M} \cdot V_{\text{base}}$$

$$\frac{0.350 \text{ M} \cdot 25.0 \text{ mL}}{0.250 \text{ M}} = V_{\text{base}} = 35.0 \text{ mL}$$

- d) Calculate the pH at the equivalence point.

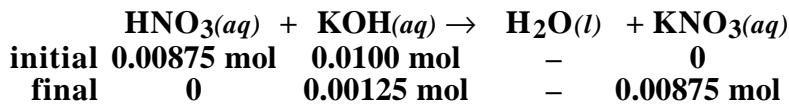
Add 35.0 mL of 0.250 M KOH



KNO_3 is the salt of a strong acid and strong base, so the $\text{pH} = 7.00$ at the equivalence point.

- e) Calculate the pH after adding 5.00 mL of KOH past the endpoint.

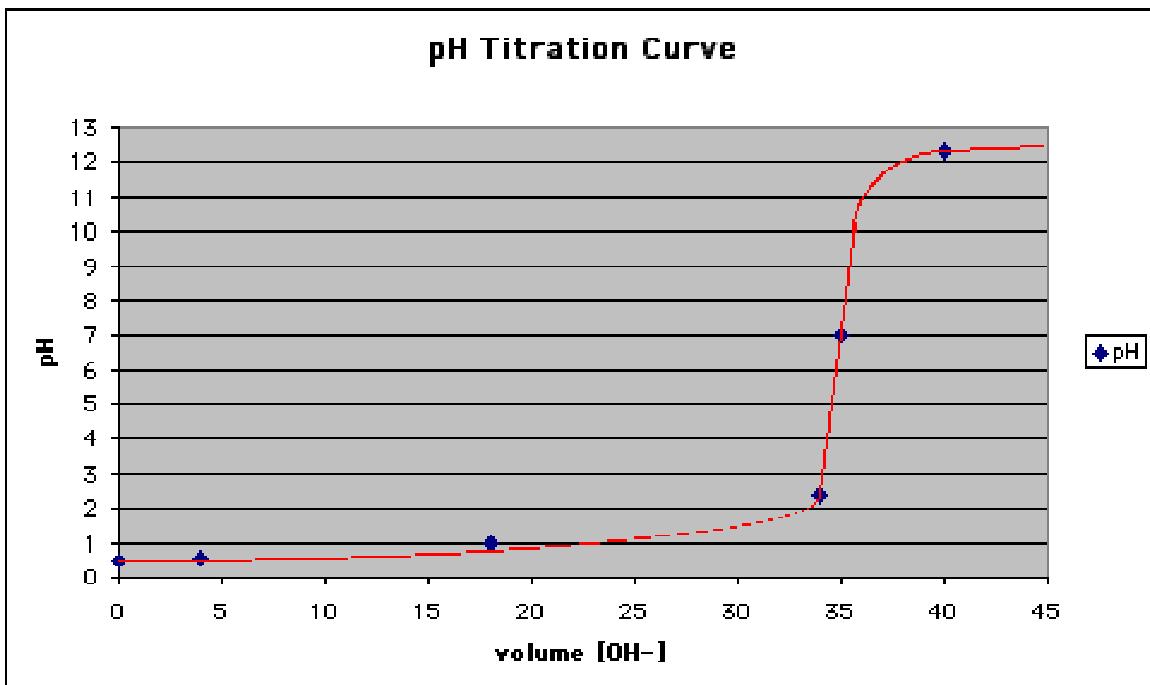
Add 40.0 mL of 0.250 M KOH



$$[\text{KOH}] = \frac{0.00125 \text{ mol}}{0.065 \text{ L}} = 1.92 \times 10^{-2} \text{ M} = [\text{OH}^-]$$

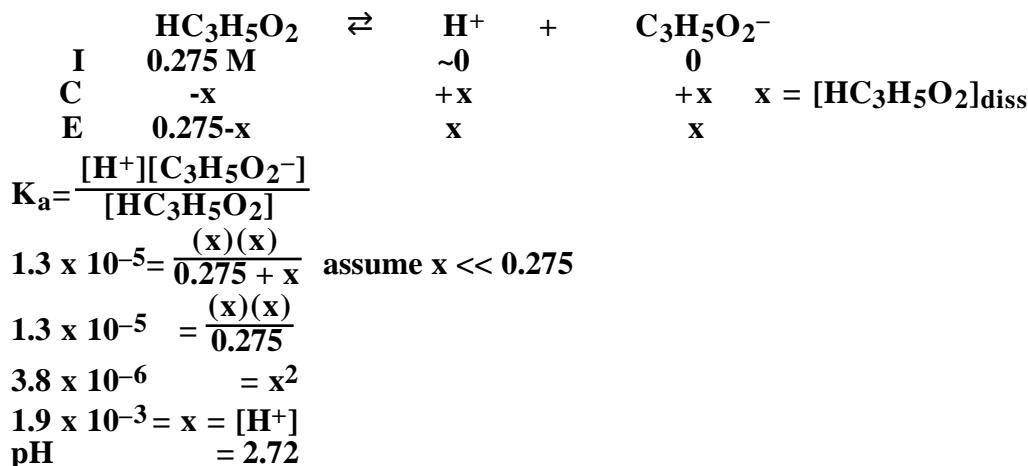
$$\text{pOH} = 1.72 \quad \text{pH} = 12.3$$

- f) Plot pH (y axis) versus volume of KOH added (x axis) for each calculation above. Sketch the titration curve.



PS13.4. A titration is performed by adding 0.200 M NaOH to 30.0 mL of 0.275 M $\text{HC}_3\text{H}_5\text{O}_2$.

a) Calculate the pH before addition of any NaOH.

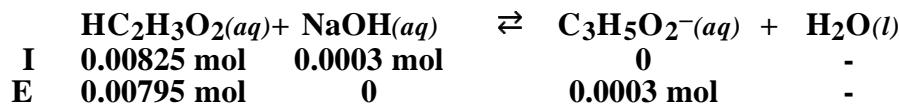


b) Calculate the pH after the addition of 1.5, 20.0, and 40.5 mL of the base. (Show your work in detail for one of the volumes.)

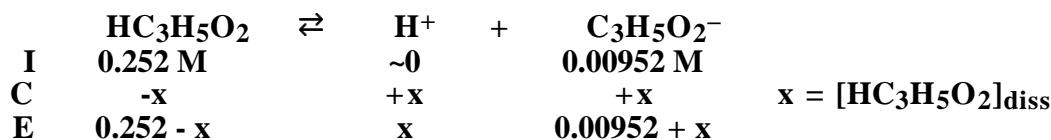
Add 1.5 mL of NaOH

$$[\text{HC}_3\text{H}_5\text{O}_2] = \frac{0.275 \text{ mol}}{\text{L}} (0.030 \text{ L}) = 0.00825 \text{ mol}$$

$$[\text{NaOH}] = \frac{0.200 \text{ mol}}{\text{L}} (0.0015 \text{ L}) = 0.0003 \text{ mol}$$



$$[\text{HC}_3\text{H}_5\text{O}_2] = \frac{0.00795 \text{ mol}}{0.0315 \text{ L}} = 0.252 \text{ M} \quad [\text{C}_3\text{H}_5\text{O}_2^-] = \frac{0.0003 \text{ mol}}{0.0315 \text{ L}} = 0.00952 \text{ M}$$



$$K_a = \frac{[\text{H}^+][\text{C}_3\text{H}_5\text{O}_2^-]}{[\text{HC}_3\text{H}_5\text{O}_2]}$$

$$1.3 \times 10^{-5} = \frac{(x)(0.00952 + x)}{0.252 - x} \quad \text{assume } x \ll 0.00952$$

$$1.3 \times 10^{-5} = \frac{(x)(0.00952)}{0.252}$$

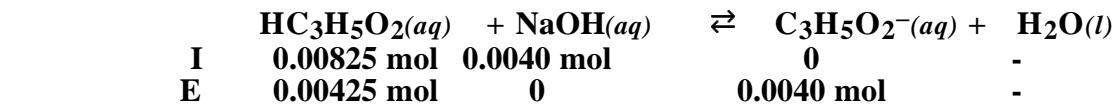
$$3.44 \times 10^{-4} = x = [\text{H}^+]$$

$$\text{pH} = 3.46$$

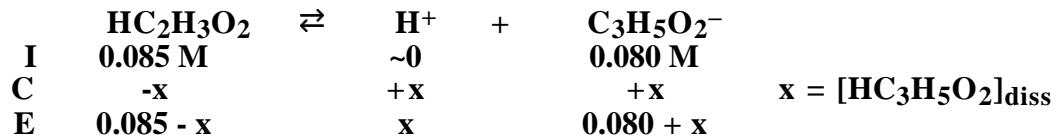
Add 20.0 mL of NaOH

$$[\text{HC}_3\text{H}_5\text{O}_2] = \frac{0.275 \text{ mol}}{\text{L}} (0.030 \text{ L}) = 0.00825 \text{ mol}$$

$$[\text{NaOH}] = \frac{0.200 \text{ mol}}{\text{L}} (0.020 \text{ L}) = 0.0040 \text{ mol}$$



$$[\text{HC}_3\text{H}_5\text{O}_2] = \frac{0.00425 \text{ mol}}{0.050 \text{ L}} = 0.085 \text{ M} \quad [\text{C}_3\text{H}_5\text{O}_2^-] = \frac{0.0040 \text{ mol}}{0.050 \text{ L}} = 0.080 \text{ M}$$



$$K_a = \frac{[\text{H}^+][\text{C}_3\text{H}_5\text{O}_2^-]}{[\text{HC}_3\text{H}_5\text{O}_2]}$$

$$1.3 \times 10^{-5} = \frac{(x)(0.080 + x)}{0.085 - x} \quad \text{assume } x \ll 0.0694$$

$$1.3 \times 10^{-5} = \frac{(x)(0.080)}{0.085}$$

$$1.38 \times 10^{-5} = x = [\text{H}^+]$$

$$\text{pH} = 4.86$$

Add 40.5 mL of NaOH, the pH = 6.62

- c) Calculate the volume of base needed to reach the equivalence point.

$$\text{moles}_{\text{acid}} = \text{moles}_{\text{base}}$$

$$\text{moles}_{\text{acid}} \left(\frac{\text{volume}_{\text{acid}}}{\text{volume}_{\text{acid}}} \right) = \text{moles}_{\text{base}} \left(\frac{\text{volume}_{\text{base}}}{\text{volume}_{\text{base}}} \right)$$

$$M_{\text{acid}} V_{\text{acid}} = M_{\text{base}} V_{\text{base}}$$

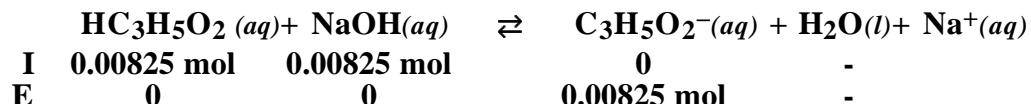
$$0.275 \text{ M} \cdot 30.0 \text{ mL} = 0.200 \text{ M} \cdot V_{\text{base}}$$

$$\frac{0.275 \text{ M} \cdot 30.0 \text{ mL}}{0.200 \text{ M}} = V_{\text{base}} = 41.25 \text{ mL}$$

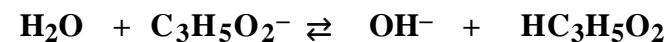
- d) Calculate the pH at the equivalence point.

$$[\text{HC}_3\text{H}_5\text{O}_2] = \frac{0.275 \text{ mol}}{\text{L}} (0.030 \text{ L}) = 0.00825 \text{ mol}$$

$$[\text{NaOH}] = \frac{0.200 \text{ mol}}{\text{L}} (0.04125 \text{ L}) = 0.00825 \text{ mol}$$



$$[\text{C}_2\text{H}_3\text{O}_2^-] = \frac{0.00825 \text{ mol}}{0.07125 \text{ L}} = 0.116 \text{ M}$$



initial	—	0.116	0	0
change	—	-x	+x	+x
final	—	0.116-x	+x	+x

$x = [\text{C}_3\text{H}_5\text{O}_2^-]_R$

$$K_b = \frac{1 \times 10^{-14}}{1.3 \times 10^{-5}} = \frac{[\text{HC}_3\text{H}_5\text{O}_2][\text{OH}^-]}{[\text{C}_3\text{H}_5\text{O}_2^-]}$$

$$7.7 \times 10^{-10} = \frac{[x][x]}{[0.116 - x]} \quad x \ll 0.127$$

$$9.4 \times 10^{-6} = x = [\text{OH}^-]$$

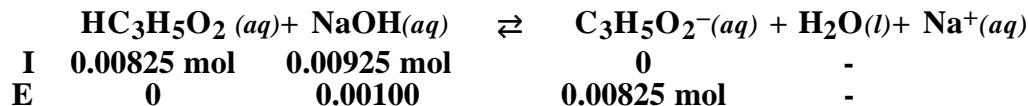
$$\text{pOH} = 5.02 \quad \text{pH} = 8.98$$

e) Calculate the pH after adding 5.00 mL of NaOH past the endpoint.

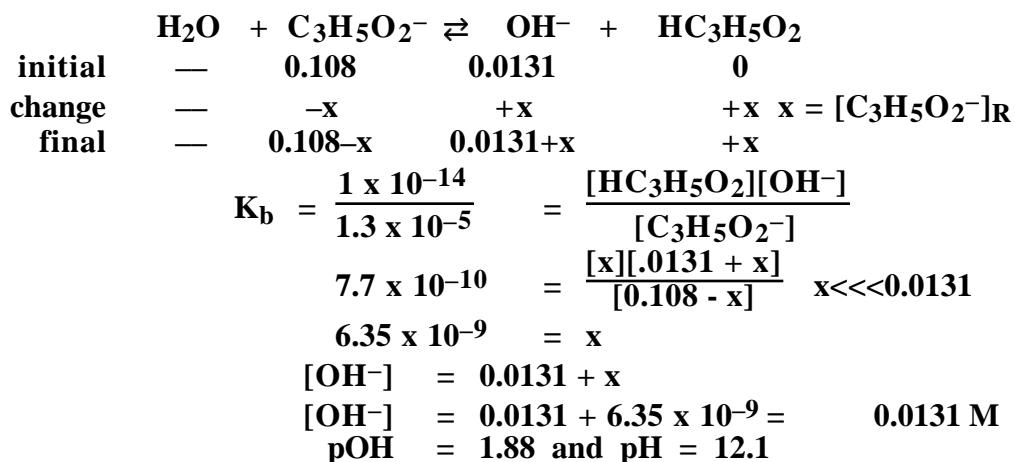
Add 46.25 mL of NaOH

$$[\text{HC}_3\text{H}_5\text{O}_2] = \frac{0.275 \text{ mol}}{\text{L}} (0.030 \text{ L}) = 0.00825 \text{ mol}$$

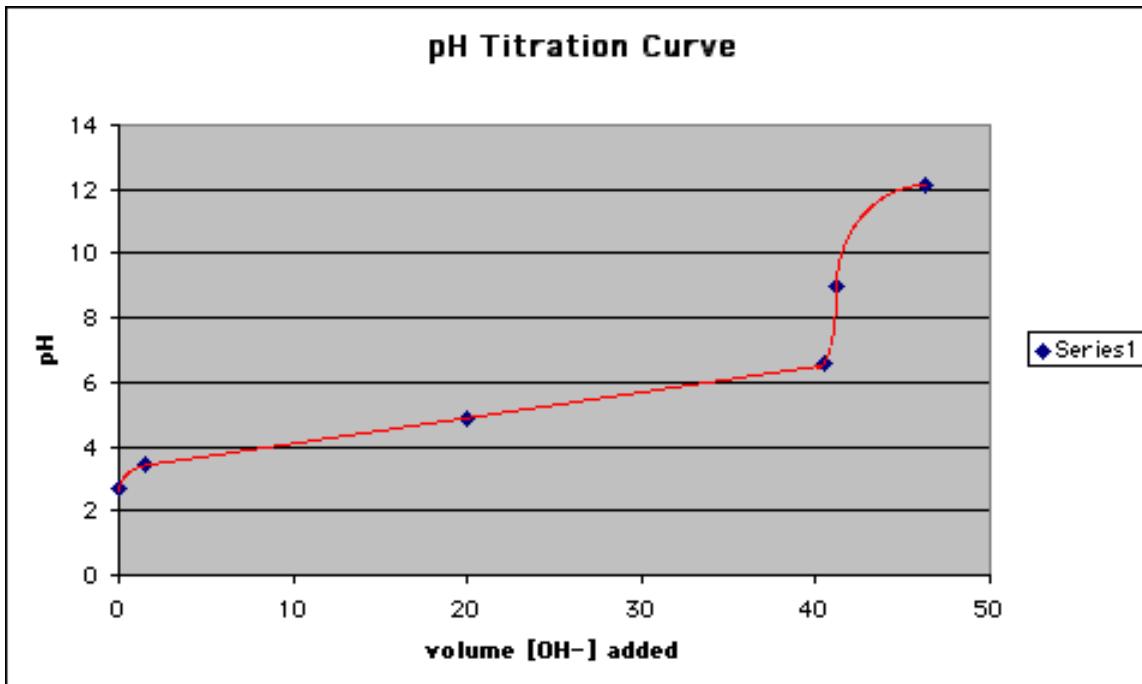
$$[\text{NaOH}] = \frac{0.200 \text{ mol}}{\text{L}} (0.04625 \text{ L}) = 0.00925 \text{ mol}$$



$$[\text{NaOH}] = \frac{0.0010 \text{ mol}}{0.07625 \text{ L}} = 0.0131 \text{ M} \quad [\text{C}_3\text{H}_5\text{O}_2^-] = \frac{0.00825 \text{ mol}}{0.07625 \text{ L}} = 0.108 \text{ M}$$



f) Plot pH (y axis) versus volume of NaOH added (x axis) for each calculation above. Sketch the titration curve.



PS13.5. Calculate the pH at the equivalence point when 35.0 mL of 0.160 M ethylamine, $\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{NH}_2$, is titrated with 0.120 M HBr

$$\begin{aligned} M_{\text{acid}}V_{\text{acid}} &= M_{\text{base}}V_{\text{base}} \\ 0.120 \text{ M} \cdot V_{\text{acid}} &= 0.160 \text{ M} \cdot 35.0 \text{ mL} \\ V_{\text{acid}} &= \frac{0.160 \text{ M} \cdot 35.0 \text{ mL}}{0.120 \text{ M}} = 46.7 \text{ mL} \end{aligned}$$

46.7 mL of 0.120 M HBr is needed to reach the end point

$$\begin{aligned} \text{moles } \text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{NH}_2 &= \frac{0.160 \text{ mol}}{\text{L}} (0.35 \text{ L}) = 0.0056 \text{ mol} \\ \text{moles HBr} &= \frac{0.120 \text{ mol}}{\text{L}} (0.0467 \text{ L}) = 0.0056 \text{ mol} \end{aligned}$$

	$\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{NH}_2(aq)$	$+$	$\text{HBr}(aq)$	\rightleftharpoons	$\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{NH}_3\text{Br}(aq)$
initial	0.0056		0.0056		0
final	0		0		0.0056

$$[\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{NH}_3] = \frac{0.0056 \text{ mol}}{0.0817 \text{ L}} = 0.0686 \text{ M}$$

	$\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{NH}_3^+(aq)$	\rightleftharpoons	$\text{H}^+(aq)$	$+$	$\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{NH}_2(aq)$
initial	0.0686 M		0		0
change	-x		+x		+x
equilibrium	0.0686 - x		+x		+x

$$\begin{aligned} K_a &= \frac{1 \times 10^{-14}}{6.4 \times 10^{-4}} = \frac{[\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{NH}_2][\text{H}^+]}{[\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{NH}_3^+]} \\ 1.56 \times 10^{-11} &= \frac{[x][x]}{[0.0686 - x]} \quad x \lll 0.0686 \\ 1.0 \times 10^{-6} &= x = [\text{H}^+] \\ \text{pH} &= 5.98 \end{aligned}$$

PS13.6. Calculate the pH of a solution prepared by mixing

a) 25.0 mL of 0.512 M NaOH and 34.0 mL of 0.187 M HCl

$$\begin{aligned} \text{moles NaOH} &= \frac{0.512 \text{ mol}}{\text{L}} (0.025 \text{ L}) = 0.0128 \text{ mol} \\ \text{moles HCl} &= \frac{0.187 \text{ mol}}{\text{L}} (0.034 \text{ L}) = 0.00636 \text{ mol} \end{aligned}$$

	$\text{HCl}(aq)$	$+$	$\text{NaOH}(aq)$	\rightleftharpoons	$\text{H}_2\text{O}(aq)$	$+$	$\text{NaCl}(aq)$
initial	0.00636 mol		0.0128 mol		-		0
change	-0.00636		-0.00636		-		+0.00636
final	0.00143 mol		0.00644		-		0.00636 mol

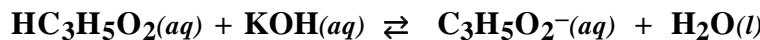
$$\begin{aligned} [\text{HCl}] &= \frac{0.00644 \text{ mol}}{0.059 \text{ L}} = 0.109 \text{ M} \\ \text{pH} &= 0.9623 \end{aligned}$$

PS13.6. (CONTINUED)

b) 46.0 mL of 0.235 M KOH and 50.0 mL of 0.420 M $\text{HC}_3\text{H}_5\text{O}_2$

$$\text{moles } \text{HC}_3\text{H}_5\text{O}_2 = \frac{0.420 \text{ mol}}{\text{L}} (0.050 \text{ L}) = 0.0210 \text{ mol}$$

$$\text{moles KOH} = \frac{0.235 \text{ mol}}{\text{L}} (0.046 \text{ L}) = 0.0108 \text{ mol}$$



I	0.0210 mol	0.0108 mol	0	-
C	-0.0108	-0.0108	+0.0108	-
F	0.0102 mol	0	0.0108 mol	-

$$[\text{HC}_3\text{H}_5\text{O}_2] = \frac{0.0102 \text{ mol}}{0.096 \text{ L}} = 0.106 \text{ M} \quad [\text{C}_3\text{H}_5\text{O}_{2^-}] = \frac{0.0108 \text{ mol}}{0.096 \text{ L}} = 0.113 \text{ M}$$

	H_2O	\rightleftharpoons	OH^-	\rightleftharpoons	$\text{HC}_3\text{H}_5\text{O}_2$
initial	—	0.113 mol	~0	0.106 mol	
change	—	-x	+x	+x	x = $[\text{C}_2\text{H}_3\text{O}_2^-]_R$
final	—	0.113 - x	+x	0.106 + x	

$$K_b = \frac{1 \times 10^{-14}}{1.3 \times 10^{-5}} = \frac{[\text{HC}_3\text{H}_5\text{O}_2][\text{OH}^-]}{[\text{C}_3\text{H}_5\text{O}_{2^-}]}$$

$$7.69 \times 10^{-10} = \frac{[x][0.106 + x]}{[0.113 - x]} \quad x \ll 0.106$$

$$8.20 \times 10^{-10} = x = [\text{OH}^-]$$

$$\text{pOH} = 9.09$$

$$\text{pH} = 4.91$$

c) 400 mL of 0.250 M NH_3 and 250 mL of 0.120 M HCl

$$\text{moles } \text{NH}_3 = \frac{0.250 \text{ mol}}{\text{L}} (0.400 \text{ L}) = 0.100 \text{ mol}$$

$$\text{moles HCl} = \frac{0.120 \text{ mol}}{\text{L}} (0.250 \text{ L}) = 0.0300 \text{ mol}$$

	$\text{NH}_3(aq)$	\rightleftharpoons	$\text{NH}_4\text{Cl}(aq)$	
initial	0.10	0.03	0	
change	-0.03	-0.03	+0.03	
final	0.07	0	0.03	

$$[\text{NH}_3] = \frac{0.070 \text{ mol}}{0.650 \text{ L}} = 0.108 \text{ M} \quad [\text{NH}_4^+] = \frac{0.0300 \text{ mol}}{0.650 \text{ L}} = 0.0462 \text{ M}$$

	$\text{H}_2\text{O}(l)$	\rightleftharpoons	$\text{OH}^{-}(aq)$	$+$	$\text{NH}_4^+(aq)$
initial	—	0.108	0		0.0462
change	—	-x	+x		+x
final	—	0.108 - x	+x		0.0462 + x

$$K_b = 1.8 \times 10^{-5} = \frac{[\text{NH}_4^+][\text{OH}^-]}{[\text{NH}_3]}$$

$$1.8 \times 10^{-5} = \frac{[x][0.0462+x]}{[0.108-x]} \quad x \ll 0.0154$$

$$4.2 \times 10^{-5} = x = [\text{OH}^-]$$

$$\text{pOH} = 4.38 \quad \text{pH} = 9.62$$