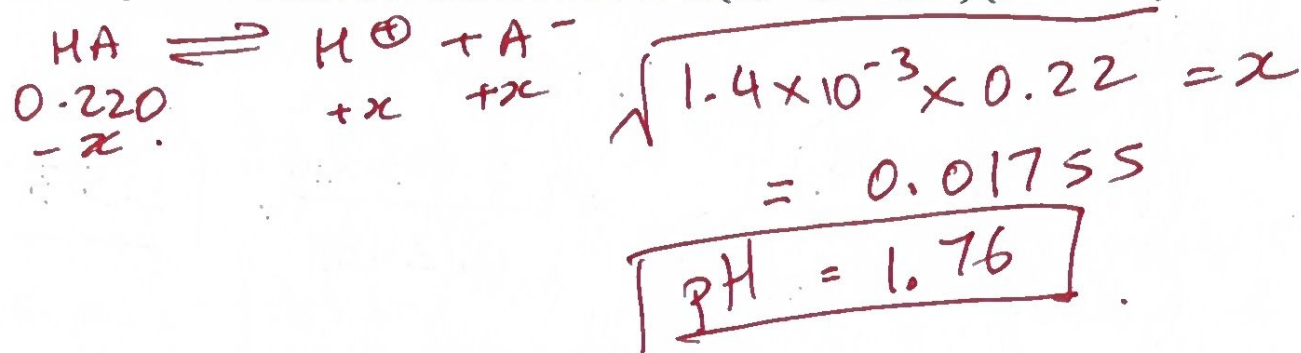


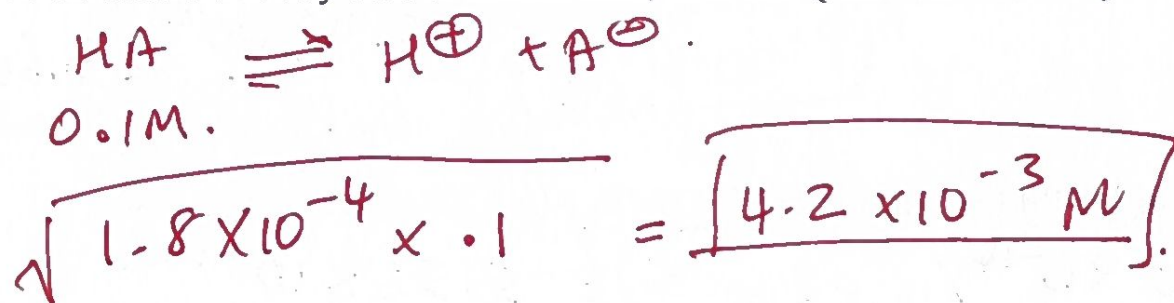
1) Calculate the pH of a

a) 0.220 M aqueous solution of chloroacetic acid. ($K_a = 1.4 \times 10^{-3}$) (Ans: 1.76)b) 0.550 M solution of formic acid. ($K_a = 1.8 \times 10^{-4}$) (Ans: 2.00)

$$\sqrt{1.8 \times 10^{-4} \times 0.55} = x$$

$$9.95 \times 10^{-3} = x$$

$$\boxed{\text{pH} = 2.00}$$

2) Formic acid, which is a component of insect venom, has a $K_a = 1.8 \times 10^{-4}$. What is the $[\text{H}_3\text{O}^+]$ in a solution that is initially 0.10 M formic acid, HCOOH ? (Ans: $4.2 \times 10^{-3} \text{ M}$)3) What is the $[\text{H}_3\text{O}^+]$ of a 0.250 HPr (propionic acid)? ($K_a \text{ HPr} = 1.3 \times 10^{-5}$) (Ans: $5.70 \times 10^{-3} \text{ M}$)

$$\sqrt{1.3 \times 10^{-5} \times 0.25} = \boxed{1.81 \times 10^{-3} \text{ M}}$$

- 4) Butyric acid is responsible for the odor in rancid butter. ~~What the~~ A solution of 0.25 M butyric acid has a pH of 2.71. What is the K_a for the acid? (Ans: 1.5×10^{-5})

$$\begin{array}{c}
 \text{HA} \rightleftharpoons \text{A}^- + \text{H}^+ \\
 0.25\text{M} \qquad \qquad 1.95 \times 10^{-3}
 \end{array}$$

$$K_a = \frac{(1.95 \times 10^{-3})^2}{(0.25 - 1.95 \times 10^{-3})} = \frac{3.803 \times 10^{-6}}{0.2481} = \boxed{1.53 \times 10^{-5}}$$

- 5) What is the K_a of a 0.150 M phenylacetic acid (HPAc) with a pH of 2.63? (Ans: 3.66×10^{-5})

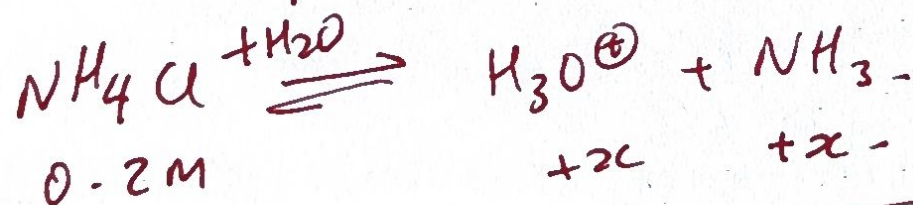
$$\begin{array}{c}
 \text{HA} \rightleftharpoons \text{A}^- + \text{H}^+ \\
 0.15 \qquad \qquad 2.344 \times 10^{-3}
 \end{array}$$

$$K_a = \frac{(2.344 \times 10^{-3})^2}{0.15 - 2.344 \times 10^{-3}} = \frac{5.495 \times 10^{-6}}{0.147675} = \boxed{3.72 \times 10^{-5}}$$

note: $\frac{5.49 \times 10^{-6}}{0.15} = 3.66 \times 10^{-5}$

- 6) What is the pH of a 0.200 M solution of NH_4Cl ? ($K_b \text{ NH}_3 = 1.8 \times 10^{-5}$) (Ans: 4.98)

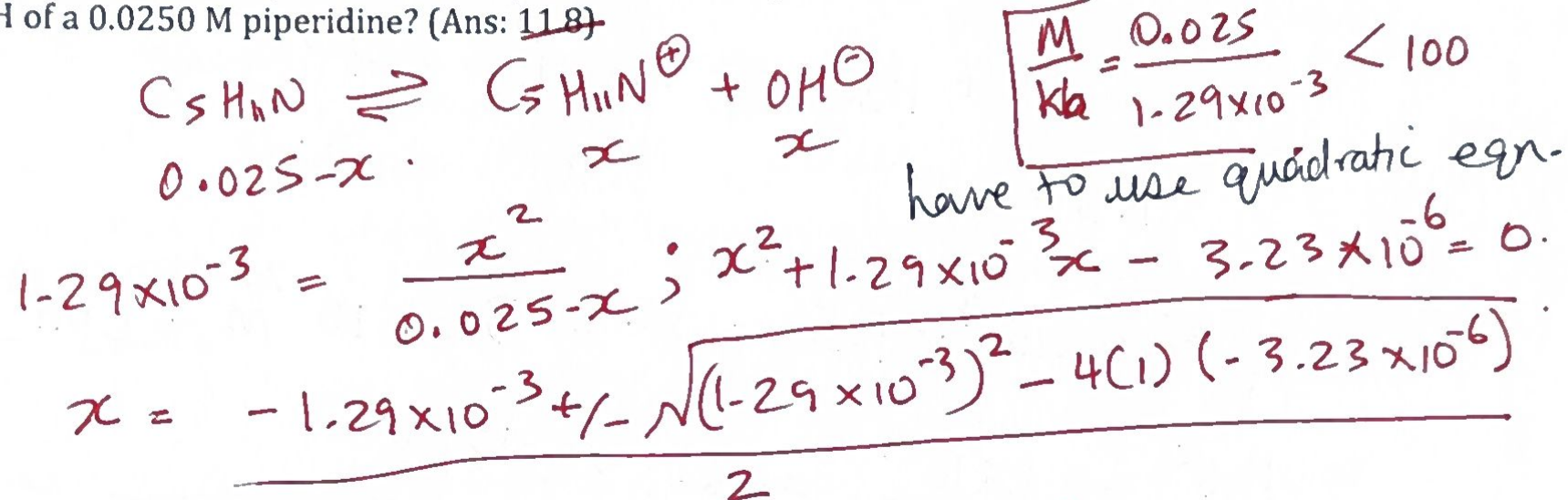
$$K_a = 1.0 \times 10^{-14} / 1.8 \times 10^{-5} = 5.56 \times 10^{-10}$$



$$5.56 \times 10^{-10} = \frac{x^2}{0.2 - x} \quad ; \quad x = \sqrt{5.56 \times 10^{-10} \times 0.2} = 1.054 \times 10^{-5} \text{ M}$$

$$\boxed{\text{pH} = 4.98}$$

- *7) Piperidine $C_5H_{11}N$ ($K_b = 1.29 \times 10^{-3}$) is a colorless liquid with a smell of pepper. What is the pH of a 0.0250 M piperidine? (Ans: 11.8)

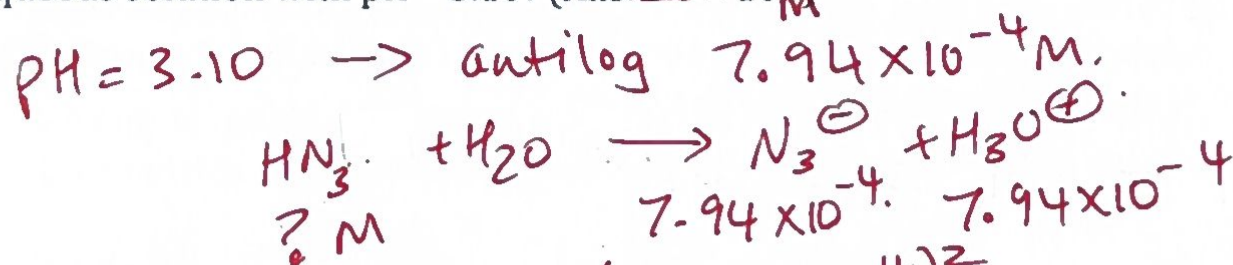


$$x = 1.26 \times 10^{-3} \rightarrow \text{find } pOH = 2.9$$

OR = - value x.

$$pH = 14 - 2.9 = \boxed{11.1}$$

- *8) Hydrazoic acid HN_3 has a ($K_a = 1.91 \times 10^{-5}$). What molarity of HN_3 is required to produce an aqueous solution with pH = 3.10? (Ans: ~~1.5~~ 10^{-4} M)



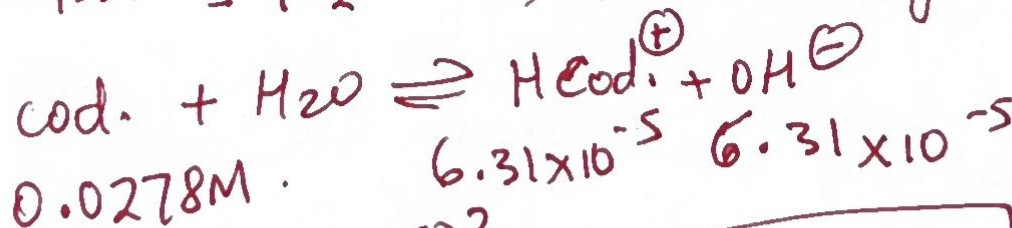
$$K_a = 1.91 \times 10^{-5} = \frac{(7.94 \times 10^{-4})^2}{[M]}$$

$$M = \frac{(7.94 \times 10^{-4})^2}{1.91 \times 10^{-5}} = \boxed{0.033 M}$$

- 9) Codeine, a commonly prescribed painkiller, is a weak base. In a saturated solution of codeine, 0.0278 M the solution has a pH of 9.80. What is the K_b of codeine? (Ans: 1.43×10^{-7})

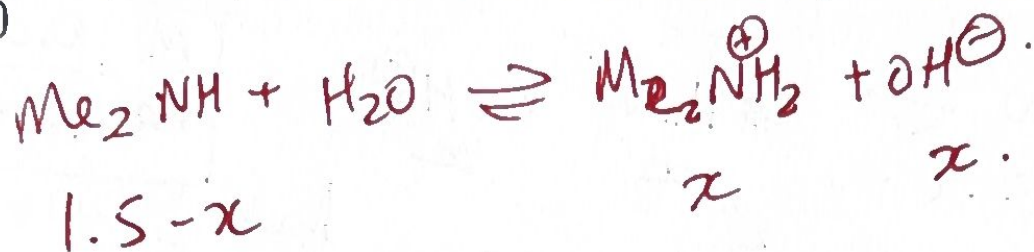


pOH = 14 - 9.80 = 4.2 $\rightarrow$ take antilog. 6.31×10^{-5} M



$$K_b = \frac{(6.31 \times 10^{-5})^2}{0.0278} = \boxed{1.43 \times 10^{-7}}$$

11) Dimethylamine (Me_2NH) has a K_b of 5.9×10^{-4} . What is the pH of a 1.50 M solution of Me_2NH ? (Ans: 12.5)

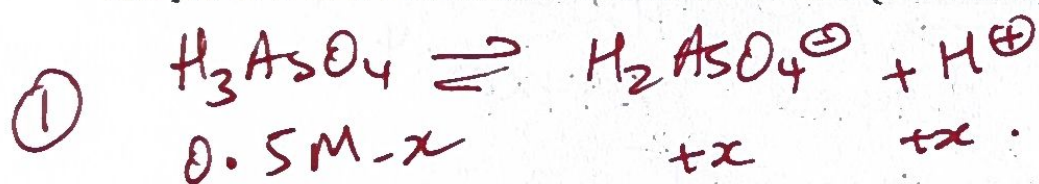


$$\sqrt{5.9 \times 10^{-4} \times 1.5} = x = 3.0 \times 10^{-2} \text{ M} = [\text{OH}^-]$$

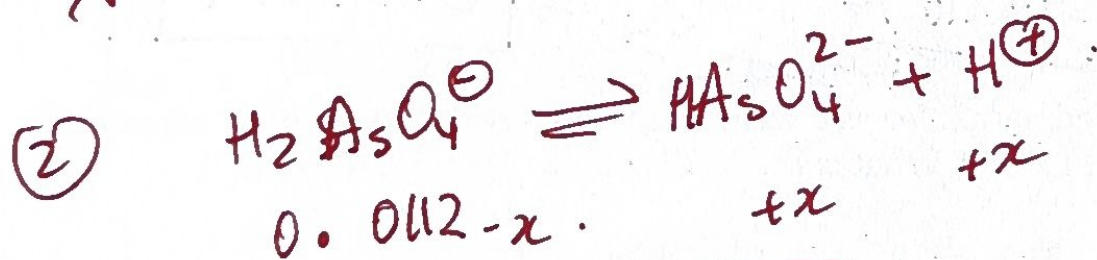
$$[\text{H}_3\text{O}^+] = \frac{1 \times 10^{-14}}{3 \times 10^{-2}} = 3.3 \times 10^{-13} \text{ M}$$

$$\log \rightarrow \boxed{\text{pH} = 12.48}$$

12) Farmers who raise cotton once used arsenic acid, H_3AsO_4 , as a defoliant at harvest time. Arsenic acid is a polyprotic acid with $K_1 = 2.5 \times 10^{-4}$, $K_2 = 5.6 \times 10^{-8}$, and $K_3 = 3 \times 10^{-13}$. What is the pH of a 0.500 M solution of arsenic acid? (Ans: 1.96)



$$\sqrt{(2.5 \times 10^{-4} \times 0.5)} = x = 0.0112 \text{ M}$$



$$\sqrt{5.6 \times 10^{-8} \times 0.0112} = x = 2.5 \times 10^{-5} \text{ M}$$

$\textcircled{3}$ will be very small since $K_a = 10^{-13}$.

$$\text{total } [\text{H}_3\text{O}^+] = 0.0112 + 2.5 \times 10^{-5} = 0.01125 \text{ M}$$

$$\boxed{\text{pH} = 1.95}$$

13) Classify the following as acidic, basic or neutral salts:

a) LiCl

neutral

b) KNO₃

neutral

c) NH₄Cl

acidic

d) Na₃PO₄

basic

14) Which of the following will give an acidic or basic solution in water?

a) CH₃CH₂COOK

basic

b) Mg(NO₃)₂c) HCOONH₄

acidic

d) NaNO₃

15) Which of the following solutions and substances will suppress the ionization of formic acid, HCOOH?

a) NaCl

b) KOH(aq)

c) HClO₄d) Na₂CO₃

✓

✓

16) For a 0.080 M NaOCl a) write the equation for hydrolysis; b) determine the equilibrium constant for this equation; and c) calculate the pH. K_a HOCl: 2.98×10^{-8} . (Ans: 3.4×10^{-7} ; 10.2)



b) $K_b = 1 \times 10^{-14} / 2.98 \times 10^{-8} = 3.4 \times 10^{-7}$

c) $\sqrt{3.4 \times 10^{-7} \times 0.08} = 1.65 \times 10^{-4} = [\text{OH}^-]$

pOH = 3.78

pH = 10.22

17) What is the pH of 0.450 M NaAc (sodium acetate)? ($K_a = 1.8 \times 10^{-5}$) (Ans: 9.20)



0.45M.

+x +x.

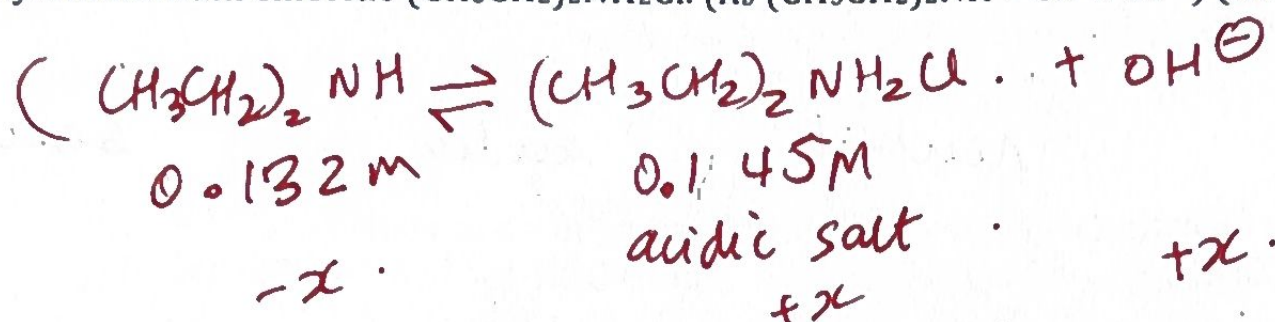
$\frac{1 \times 10^{-14}}{1.8 \times 10^{-5}} = \frac{x^2}{0.45 - x}$

$x = \sqrt{5.56 \times 10^{-10} \times 0.45} = 1.58 \times 10^{-5} = [\text{OH}^-]$

pOH = 4.8

pH = 9.2

18) Calculate the pH of a solution that is 0.132 M in diethylamine $(\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2)_2\text{NH}$ and 0.145 M in diethylammonium chloride $(\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2)_2\text{NH}_2\text{Cl}$. ($K_b (\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2)_2\text{NH} = 6.9 \times 10^{-4}$) (Ans: 10.9)



$$K_b = 6.9 \times 10^{-4} = \frac{(0.145 + x)(x)}{(0.132 - x)} \quad \text{+/- } x \text{ very small}$$

$$x = \frac{6.9 \times 10^{-4} \times 0.132}{0.145} = 6.28 \times 10^{-4} = [\text{OH}^-]$$

$$\text{pOH} = 3.2$$

$$\boxed{\text{pH} = 10.8}$$

Practice/Acid-Base Equilibrium - Buffers

DO NOT SUBMIT

(Look up the K_a and K_b from data tables of your textbook in case it is not provided here.)

19) Which of the following solutions can be buffers?

KCl/HCl

no

KHSO₄/H₂SO₄

no

KNO₂/HNO₂

yes

20) Calculate the pH of the following buffers:

a) 0.15 M NH₃/0.35 M NH₄Cl. ($K_b = 1.8 \times 10^{-5}$) (Ans: 8.89)

$$K_a = 1 \times 10^{-14} / 1.8 \times 10^{-5} = 5.56 \times 10^{-10}$$

$$pK_a = 9.26$$

$$pH = 9.26 + \log \frac{0.15}{0.35} = \boxed{8.89}$$

b) 0.10 M Na₂HPO₄/0.15 M KH₂PO₄. ($K_a = 6.3 \times 10^{-8}$) (Ans: 7.03)

$$pH = 7.2 + \log \frac{0.1}{0.15} = \boxed{7.02}$$

21) The pH of a sodium acetate/acetic acid buffer is 4.50. Calculate the ratio of [CH₃COO⁻]/[CH₃COOH] needed to make the buffer. ($K_a = 1.76 \times 10^{-5}$) (Ans: 0.58)

$$pH = pK_a + \log \frac{[CH_3COO^-]}{[CH_3COOH]}$$

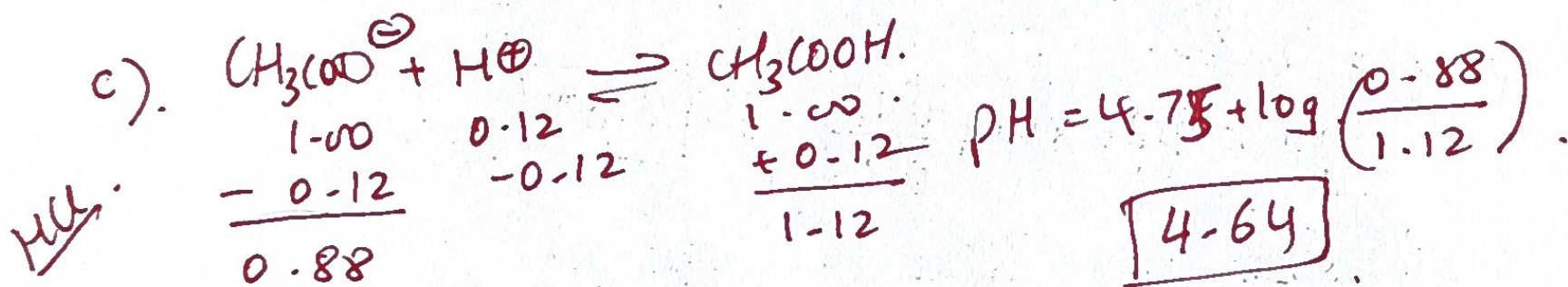
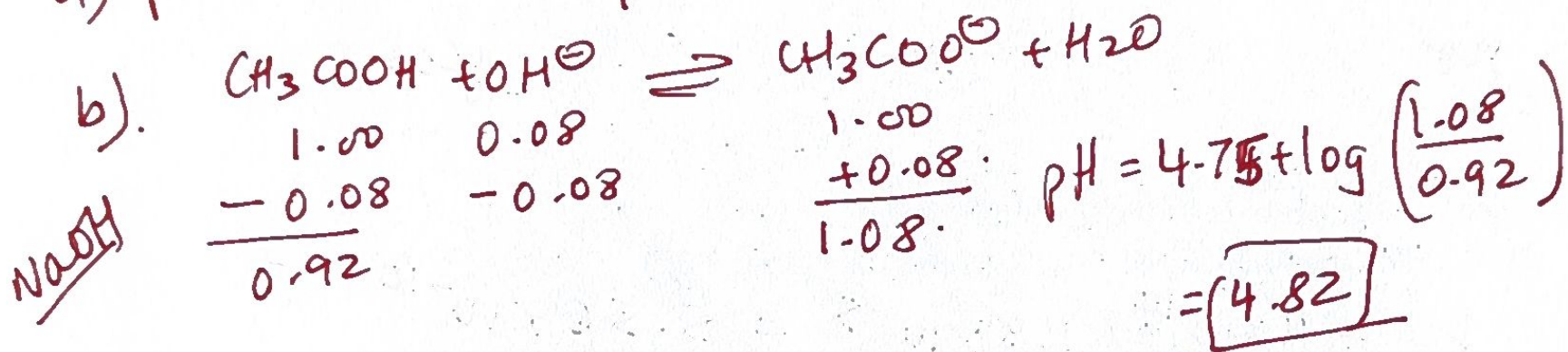
$$4.5 = 4.74 + \log \frac{[CH_3COO^-]}{[CH_3COOH]}$$

$$-0.24 = \text{antilog } 0.58 = \frac{[CH_3COO^-]}{[CH_3COOH]}$$

$$pH = pK_a + \log \frac{[B]}{[A]}$$

22) Calculate a) the pH of a 1.00 L of a buffer 1.00 M CH_3COONa /1.00 M CH_3COOH before and after the addition of b) 0.080 mol NaOH and c) 0.12 mol HCl. (Assume there is no change in volume) ($K_a = 1.76 \times 10^{-5}$) (Ans: a) 4.75; b) 4.82; c) 4.64)

$$a) pH = 4.75 + \log \frac{1}{1} = 4.75$$



23) Calculate the a) pH of a 1.000 L of a buffer 0.2450 M CH_3NH_2 and 0.1860 M CH_3NH_3Cl . What is the pH of the buffer after the addition of b) 30.00 mL of 0.7500 M NaOH and c) 20.00 mL of 0.8500 M HCl. ($K_b = 4.2 \times 10^{-4}$) (Ans: a) 10.72; b) 10.81; c) 10.65)

$K_a = 1.0 \times 10^{-14} / 4.2 \times 10^{-4} = 2.38 \times 10^{-11} \rightarrow pK_a = 10.6$

a) $pH = 10.6 + \log \frac{0.245}{0.186} = 10.72$

b) $0.03 L \times 0.75 M = 0.0225 \text{ mol NaOH}$

Base = $0.2450 + 0.0225 = 0.2675$

Acid = $0.1860 - 0.0225 = 0.1635$

$pH = 10.6 + \log \frac{0.2675}{0.1635} = 10.81$

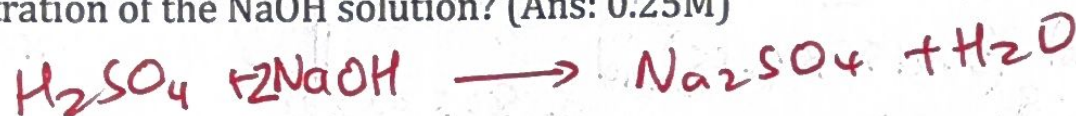
c) $0.02 L \times 0.85 M = 0.017 \text{ mol HCl}$

Base = $0.2450 - 0.017 = 0.228$

Acid = $0.1860 + 0.017 = 0.203$

$pH = 10.6 + \log \frac{0.228}{0.203} = 10.65$

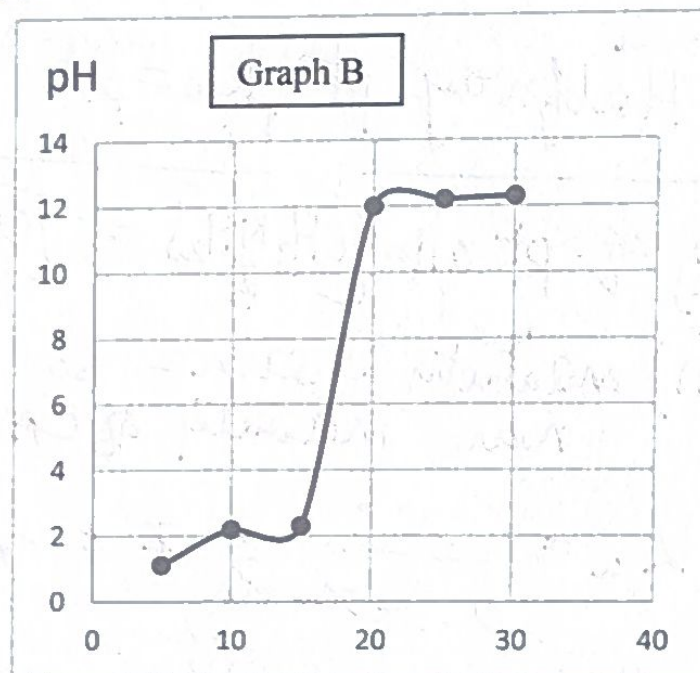
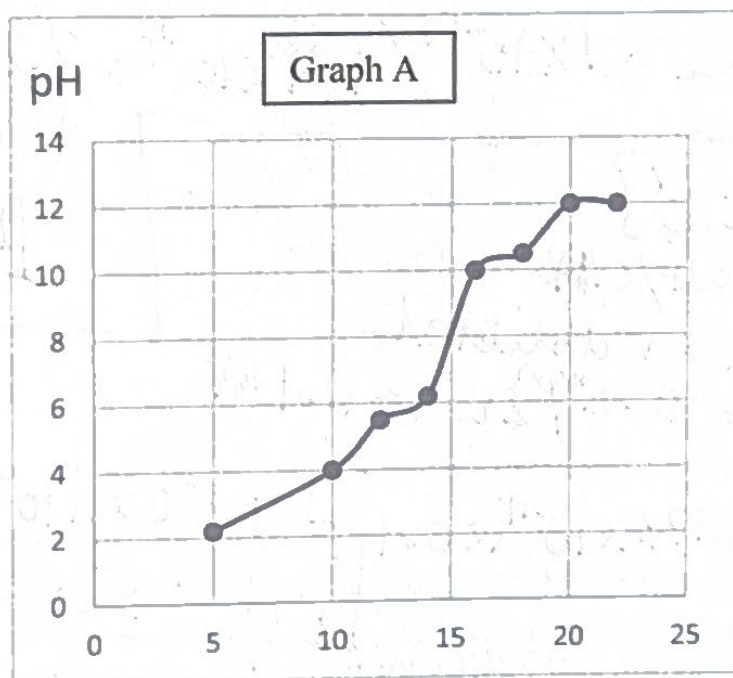
24) In a titration experiment 12.5 mL of 0.500 M H_2SO_4 neutralizes 50.0 mL of NaOH. What is the concentration of the NaOH solution? (Ans: 0.25M)



$$\frac{12.5 \text{ mL} \times 0.5 \text{ M}}{1 \text{ mol}} = \frac{M_b \times 50 \text{ mL}}{2}$$

$$M_b = 0.25 \text{ M}$$

25) Answer the following questions for the graphs below.



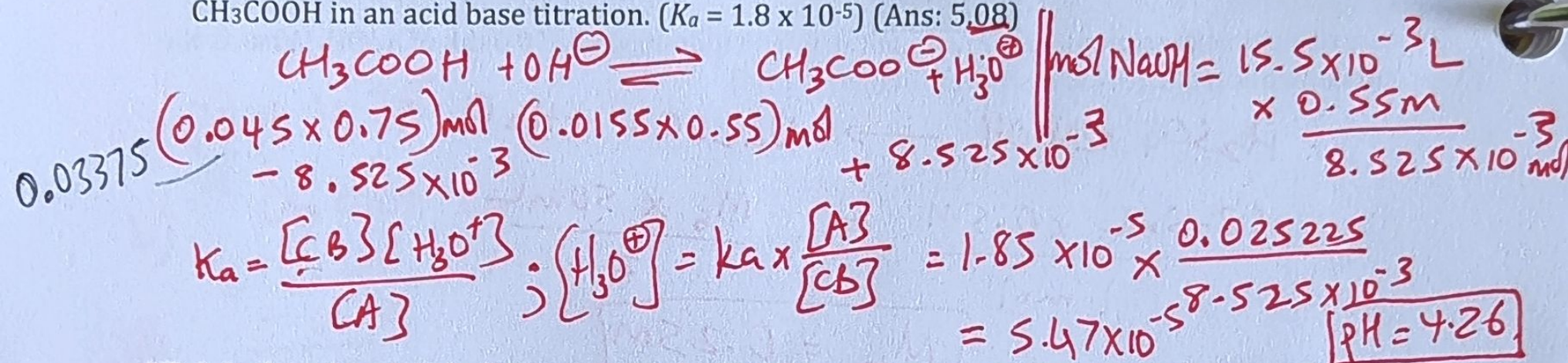
- What kind of titration does graph A represent? Weak/strong acid/base? What is the pH at equivalence point?
- What kind of titration does graph B represent? Weak/strong acid/base? What is the pH at equivalence point?
- Compare the two graphs and write a sentence of two explaining how you can use titration curves to determine type of acid base titrations.

a) weak acid + strong base. $\text{pH} \approx 8$

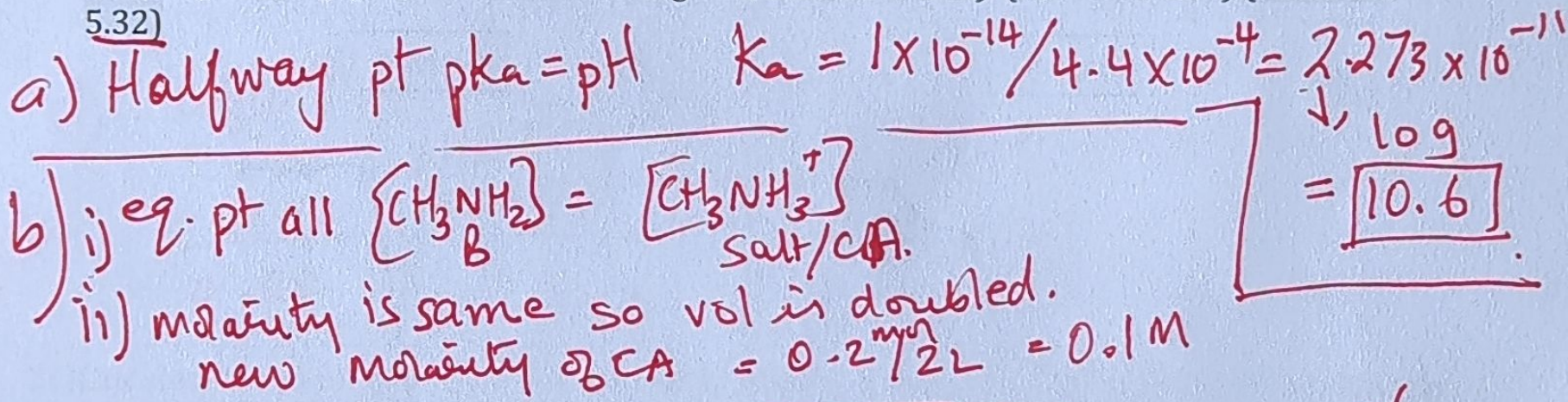
b) strong acid + strong base $\text{pH} \approx 7$

c) eq. pt for SA + SB is steep since pH changes drastically with even one drop of strong base (in this case).

- * 26) Calculate the pH when 15.50 mL of 0.550 M NaOH has been added to 45.00 mL of 0.7500 M CH_3COOH in an acid base titration. ($K_a = 1.8 \times 10^{-5}$) (Ans: 5.08)



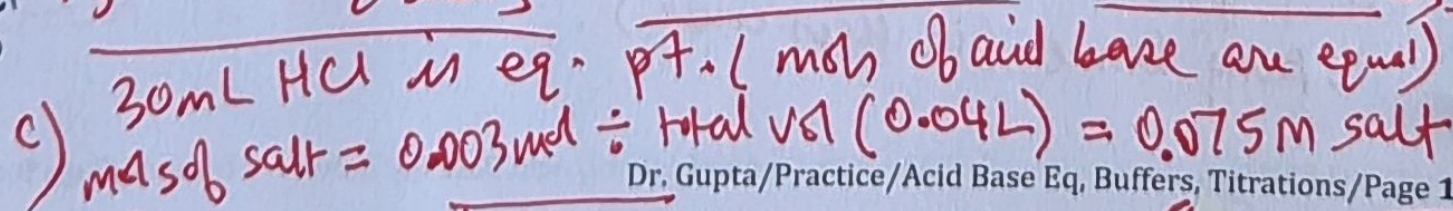
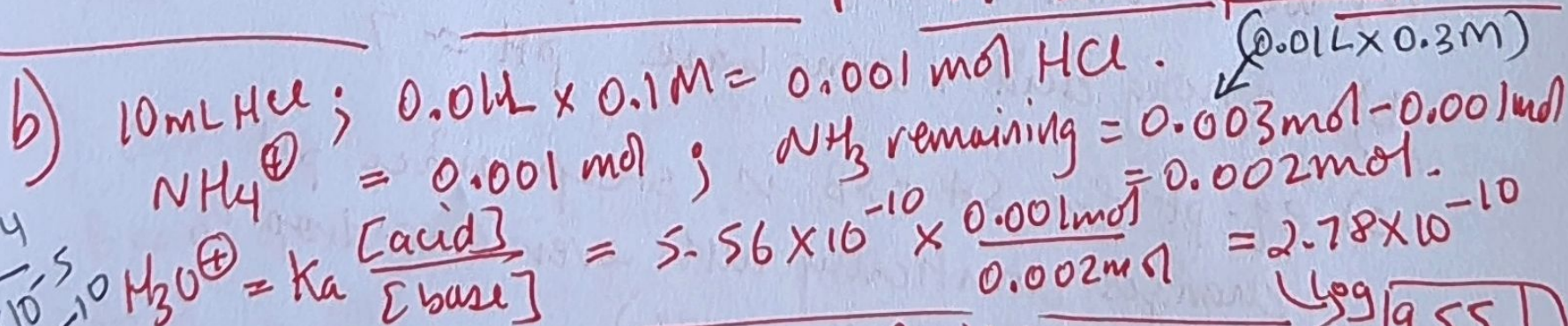
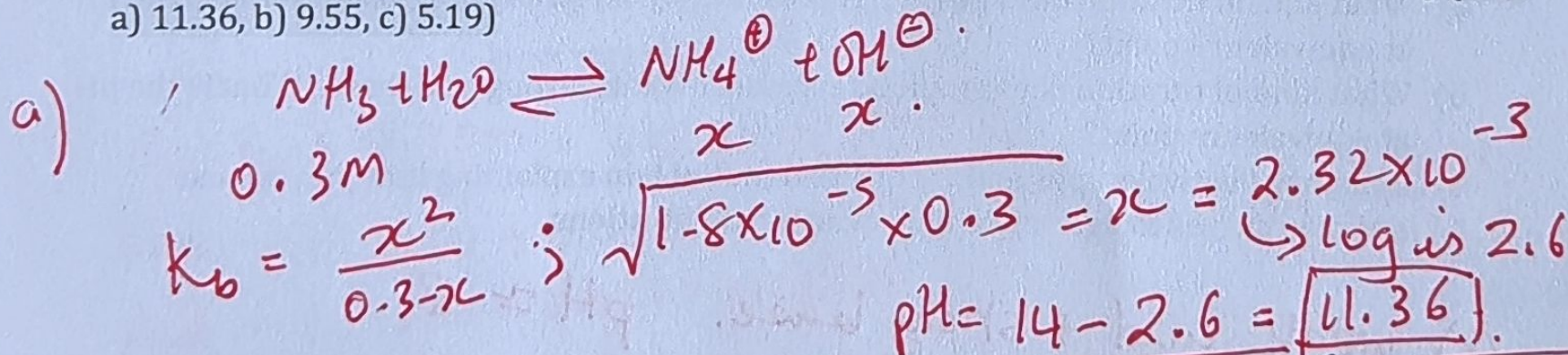
- 27) Calculate the pH at halfway point and equivalence point for the titration of 0.20 M HCl and 0.20 M (CH_3NH_2) (Where volume is not given, assume it is 1L). ($K_b = 4.4 \times 10^{-4}$) (Ans: 10.6; 5.32)



$$K_a = \frac{x^2}{0.1 - x} ; x = \sqrt{2.273 \times 10^{-11} \times 0.1} = 1.508 \times 10^{-6}$$

$\text{pH} = 5.82$

- 28) A 10.0 mL solution of 0.300 M NH_3 is titrated with 0.100 M HCl solution. Calculate the pH after the addition of a) 0.0 mL, b) 10.0 mL and c) 30.0 mL HCl solution. ($K_b = 1.8 \times 10^{-5}$) (Ans: a) 11.36, b) 9.55, c) 5.19)



$$K_a = \frac{x^2}{0.075 - x} ; x = \sqrt{5.56 \times 10^{-10} \times 0.075} = 6.46 \times 10^{-6}$$

$\text{pH} = 5.19$

- 29) A 25.0 mL of 0.100 M CH_3COOH is titrated with 0.200 M KOH solution. Calculate the pH when the following volumes of KOH has been added: a) 0.00 mL, b) 5.0 mL, c) at halfway point and d) 12.5 mL of the KOH. ($K_a = 1.76 \times 10^{-5}$) (Ans: a) 2.88, b) 4.58, c) 4.75; d) 8.78)



a) @ 0 mL KOH $x = \sqrt{1.76 \times 10^{-5} \times 0.1} = 1.33 \times 10^{-3} \xrightarrow{\log} \boxed{2.88}$

b) $0.025 \text{ L} \times 0.1 \text{ M} = 2.5 \times 10^{-3} \text{ mol acid}$; $0.005 \text{ L} \times 0.2 = 1 \times 10^{-3} \text{ mol base}$

Acid remaining = $2.5 \times 10^{-3} - 1 \times 10^{-3} = 1.5 \times 10^{-3}$

CB formed = 1×10^{-3}

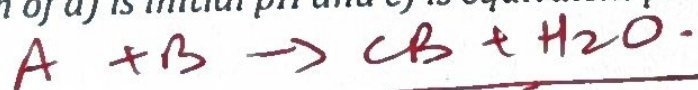
using Henderson eqn $\text{pH} = -\log 1.76 \times 10^{-5} + \log \frac{1 \times 10^{-3}}{1.5 \times 10^{-3}} = \boxed{4.57}$

c) @ halfway $\text{pH} = \text{pKa} \quad \boxed{\text{pH} = 4.75}$

d) mol acid = mol base = neutralization. CB formed = $2.5 \times 10^{-3} \text{ mol}$.
 $[\text{CB}] = 2.5 \times 10^{-3} \text{ mol} / 0.0375 \text{ L} = 0.0667 \text{ M}$

$K_b = 1 \times 10^{-14} / 1.76 \times 10^{-5} = 5.68 \times 10^{-10}$ $x = \sqrt{5.68 \times 10^{-10} \times 0.0667} = 6.16 \times 10^{-6}$
 $\text{pOH} = 5.21 \xrightarrow{\log} \boxed{\text{pH} = 8.78}$

- 30) Calculate the pH when 40.00 mL of 0.100 M propanoic acid is titrated with the following volumes of 0.100 M NaOH: a) 0.00 mL; b) 30.00 mL and c) 40.00 mL. ($K_a = 1.3 \times 10^{-5}$) (Hint: calculation of a) is initial pH and c) is equivalent point) (Ans: a) 2.94; b) 5.36; c) 8.79)



a) at 0 mL $x = \sqrt{1.3 \times 10^{-5} \times 0.1} = 1.14 \times 10^{-3} \xrightarrow{\log} \boxed{2.94}$

b) $0.04 \text{ L} \times 0.1 \text{ M} = 4 \times 10^{-3} \text{ mol Acid}$; $0.03 \text{ L} \times 0.1 \text{ M} = 3 \times 10^{-3} \text{ mol Base}$
 Acid remaining = $4 \times 10^{-3} - 3 \times 10^{-3} = 1 \times 10^{-3} \text{ mol}$
 CB formed = $3 \times 10^{-3} \text{ mol}$

$\text{pH} = -\log 1.3 \times 10^{-5} + \log \frac{3 \times 10^{-3}}{1 \times 10^{-3}} = \boxed{5.36}$

c) $\text{pKa} = \text{pH @ eq. pt.} \quad \boxed{4.89}$