

CH 223 Spring 2025:

“Titration of Weak Acids (online)” Lab - Instructions

Note: **This is the lab for section W1 of CH 223 only.**

- *If you are taking section 01 or section H1 of CH 223, please use this link:*
<http://mhchem.org/q/6a.htm>
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Step One:

Watch the lab video for the “Weak Acids” lab, found here:

<http://mhchem.org/v/h.htm>

Record the data found at the *end* of the lab video on page Ib-6-3.

Step Two:

Complete pages Ib-6-3 through Ib-6-4 using the “Weak Acids” video. Include your name on page Ib-6-3!

Step Three:

Submit your lab (pages Ib-6-3 through Ib-6-4 *only* to avoid a point penalty) **as a single PDF file to the instructor via email (mike.russell@mhcc.edu) on Wednesday, May 7 by 11:59 PM.** I recommend a free program (ex: CamScanner, <https://camscanner.com>) or a website (ex: CombinePDF, <https://combinepdf.com>) to convert your work to a PDF file.

If you have any questions regarding this assignment, please email (mike.russell@mhcc.edu) the instructor! Good luck on this assignment!

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Titration of Weak Acids

Name: _____

Complete the following questions. All work must be shown to receive full credit.

1. *Obtain from the video*

Collect the following data from the "Titration of a Weak Acid" video (<http://mhchem.org/v/h.htm>)

[NaOH] (M): _____

[NaOH] (M): _____

Sample #1

Sample #2

Unknown sample (g): _____

Unknown sample (g): _____

Equivalence volume (mL): _____

Equivalence volume (mL): _____

Half-equivalence volume (mL): _____

Half-equivalence volume (mL): _____

Equivalence pH: _____

Equivalence pH: _____

Half-equivalence pH: _____

Half-equivalence pH: _____

2. *Lab Calculations: show all calculations on separate paper; include with your lab report*

mol unknown acid at equivalence: _____

mol unknown acid at equivalence: _____

molar mass unknown (g/mol): _____

molar mass unknown (g/mol): _____

K_a unknown acid: _____

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Average K_a : _____

Parts per thousand (K_a): _____

Average molar mass (g/mol): _____

Parts per thousand (molar mass): _____

3. Postlab question: (*Show all work after the problem*)

0.4998 g an unknown acid was placed in 75.00 mL of water.

The unknown acid required 16.44 mL of 0.2001 M NaOH to reach equivalence.

The pH at half equivalence was 3.86

K_a: _____

Molar mass of unknown (g/mol): _____

Volume NaOH to reach Half-equivalence (mL): _____

Concentration of Unknown acid in original solution (M): _____