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| • | Solution A consists of a 0.20 M aqueous solution of formic acid, HCOOH, at 25 °C. Calculate the pH of Solution A. The p K_a of HCOOH is 3.75. | | Marks 8 |
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| | | Answer: | |
| | At 25 °C, 1.00 L of Solution B consists of 13.6 g of sodium formate, NaHCO ₂ , dissolved in water. Calculate the pH of Solution B. | | |
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| | | Answer: | |
| | Solution B (1.00 L) is poured into Solution A (1.00 L) and allowed to equilibrate at 25 °C to give Solution C. Calculate the pH of Solution C. | | |
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| | | Answer: | |
| | If you wanted to adjust the pH of Solution C to be exactly equal to 3.00, which component in the mixture would you need to increase in concentration? | | |