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1 hour 30 minutes

Candidates answer on the Question Paper

Additional Materials: As listed in the Confidential Instructions

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Write your Centre number, candidate number and name on all the work you hand in.
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Answer **all** questions.
Qualitative Analysis Notes are printed on page 8.
You should show the essential steps in any calculations and record experimental results in the spaces provided on the question paper.

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1 An organic acid has the molecular formula $C_3H_4O_5$.

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You are required to find by experiment the number of moles of sodium hydroxide that react with 1 mole of this organic acid.

P is 0.300 mol/dm^3 sodium hydroxide.
Q is an aqueous solution of the organic acid, $C_3H_4O_5$, containing 18.0 g/dm^3.

(a) Put **Q** into the burette.

Pipette a 25.0 cm^3 (or 20.0 cm^3) portion of **P** into a flask and titrate with **Q**, using the indicator provided.

Record your results in the table, repeating the titration as many times as you consider necessary to achieve consistent results.

Results

Burette readings

titration number	1	2	
final reading / cm^3			
initial reading / cm^3			
volume of **Q** used / cm^3			
best titration results (✓)			

Summary

Tick (✓) the best titration results.

Using these results, the average volume of **Q** required was …… cm^3.

Volume of **P** used was …… cm^3.

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(b) **P** is 0.300 mol/dm^3 sodium hydroxide.

Calculate the number of moles of sodium hydroxide in the volume of **P** used.

moles of sodium hydroxide in the volume of **P** used ..... [1]

(c) **Q** is an aqueous solution of $C_3H_4O_5$ containing 18.0 g/dm^3.

Calculate the concentration, in mol/dm^3, of $C_3H_4O_5$ in **Q**.
[The relative molecular mass of $C_3H_4O_5$ is 120.]

concentration of $C_3H_4O_5$ in **Q** …… mol/dm^3 [1]

(d) Calculate the number of moles of $C_3H_4O_5$ in the average volume of **Q** used in the titration.

moles of $C_3H_4O_5$ …… [1]

(e) Using your answers from **(b)** and **(d)** calculate the number of moles of sodium hydroxide which react with 1 mole of $C_3H_4O_5$.

moles of sodium hydroxide …… [1]

(f) Using your answer to **(e)** write an equation for the reaction of the organic acid, $C_3H_4O_5$, with sodium hydroxide.

.....[2]

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2 You are provided with three solutions **R**, **S**, and **T**. Carry out the following tests and record your observations in the table. You should test and name any gas evolved.

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test no.	test	observations with solution **R**
1	**(a)** To 2 cm depth of the solution in a test-tube, add an equal volume of dilute sulfuric acid. **(b)** Add 2 cm depth of aqueous hydrogen peroxide to the mixture from **(a)** and leave to stand.	
2	**(a)** To 2 cm depth of the solution in a test-tube, add a few drops of aqueous silver nitrate. **(b)** Add an equal volume of dilute nitric acid to the mixture from **(a)**.	
3	**(a)** To 2 cm depth of the solution in a test-tube, add a few drops of aqueous barium chloride. **(b)** Add an equal volume of dilute hydrochloric acid to the mixture from **(a)**.	

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observations with solution **S**	observations with solution **T**

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Conclusion

The formula of the anion present in **R** is ……

The formula of the anion present in **S** is ……

Suggest the type of element in the compound present in **T**.

.....[3]

[Total: 22]

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QUALITATIVE ANALYSIS NOTES

Tests for anions

anion	*test*	*test result*
carbonate (CO_3^{2-})	add dilute acid	effervescence, carbon dioxide produced
chloride (Cl^-) [in solution]	acidify with dilute nitric acid, then add aqueous silver nitrate	white ppt.
iodide (I^-) [in solution]	acidify with dilute nitric acid, then add aqueous lead(II) nitrate	yellow ppt.
nitrate (NO_3^-) [in solution]	add aqueous sodium hydroxide then add aluminium foil; warm carefully	ammonia produced
sulfate (SO_4^{2-}) [in solution]	acidify with dilute nitric acid, then add aqueous barium nitrate	white ppt.

Tests for aqueous cations

cation	*effect of aqueous sodium hydroxide*	*effect of aqueous ammonia*
aluminium (Al^{3+})	white ppt., soluble in excess giving a colourless solution	white ppt., insoluble in excess
ammonium (NH_4^+)	ammonia produced on warming	–
calcium (Ca^{2+})	white ppt., insoluble in excess	no ppt., or very slight white ppt.
copper(II) (Cu^{2+})	light blue ppt., insoluble in excess	light blue ppt., soluble in excess giving a dark blue solution
iron(II) (Fe^{2+})	green ppt., insoluble in excess	green ppt., insoluble in excess
iron(III) (Fe^{3+})	red-brown ppt., insoluble in excess	red-brown ppt., insoluble in excess
zinc (Zn^{2+})	white ppt., soluble in excess giving a colourless solution	white ppt., soluble in excess giving a colourless solution

Tests for gases

gas	*test and test result*
ammonia (NH_3)	turns damp litmus paper blue
carbon dioxide (CO_2)	turns limewater milky
chlorine (Cl_2)	bleaches damp litmus paper
hydrogen (H_2)	‘pops’ with a lighted splint
oxygen (O_2)	relights a glowing splint
sulfur dioxide (SO_2)	turns acidified aqueous potassium dichromate(VI) from orange to green

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