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CHEMISTRY – Paper 032

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**CHEMISTRY**

**Paper 032 – General Proficiency**

**ALTERNATIVE TO SCHOOL-BASED ASSESSMENT**

*2 hours 10 minutes*

**READ THE FOLLOWING INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY.**

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**Answer ALL questions.**

1. You are required to determine the concentration of iron(II) sulfate solution by reacting it with a known concentration of potassium manganate(VII) using a titration method.

You are provided with the following reagents.

- **Solution X** which contains 0.010 (as in ISS and SUPR) mol dm<sup>-3</sup> of aqueous potassium manganate(VII), KMnO<sub>4</sub> solution
- **Solution Y** which contains an unknown concentration of iron(II) sulfate, FeSO<sub>4</sub>

**Procedure**

1. Rinse the burette with a small amount of **Solution X**.
2. Fill the burette with **Solution X** and record the burette reading in Table 1.
3. Rinse the pipette with a small amount of **Solution Y**.
4. Pipette 25.0 cm<sup>3</sup> of **Solution Y** into a conical flask.
5. Titrate **Solution X** in the burette against **Solution Y** in the conical flask. Note the volume of **Solution X** used at the end point when the mixture turns a pale pink colour. Record the burette reading in Table 1.
6. Repeat the experiment until TWO consistent results are obtained, but do NO MORE than THREE titrations.
  - (a) Record your volume readings to 2 decimal places in Table 1.

**TABLE 1: TITRATION OF SOLUTION X WITH SOLUTION Y**

Burette Readings (cm <sup>3</sup> )	Titration 1	Titration 2	Titration 3
Final volume			
Initial volume			
Volume of <b>Solution X</b> used			

**(9 marks)**

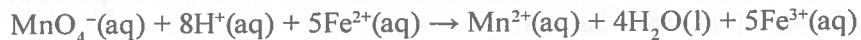
- (b) In Table 1, indicate using asterisks (\*) the titration volumes that will be used to calculate the average volume of **Solution X**. **(1 mark)**

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- (d) Calculate the number of moles of  $\text{MnO}_4^-$  in **Solution X** used in the titration.

(2 marks)

- (e) Given that the equation for the reaction is:



Calculate the number of moles of  $\text{Fe}^{2+}$  that was used in the reaction with **Solution Y**.

(2 marks)

- (f) Calculate the concentration of iron(II) sulfate.

(2 marks)

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(g) From your equation in part (e), deduce the following

(i) The oxidation state of Mn in  $\text{MnO}_4^-$

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(2 marks)

(ii) The change in oxidation of  $\text{Fe}^{2+}$

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(1 mark)

(iii) The oxidizing and reducing agent.

Reducing agent .....

Oxidizing agent .....

(2 marks)

(h) State TWO safety precautions that should be taken when conducting this experiment.

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(i) State ANY TWO procedural steps that were used to minimize any experimental errors.

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**Total 26 marks**

Complete Table 2 to show all possible observations that led to the inferences.

**TABLE 2: RESULTS OF QUALITATIVE ANALYSIS ON SOLUTIONS C AND D**

	Test	Observation	Inference
(a)	To a portion of <b>solution of C</b> , aqueous sodium hydroxide was added dropwise.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• ..... ..... .....</li></ul> <p style="text-align: right;">(1 mark)</p>	$\text{Al}^{3+}$ , $\text{Zn}^{2+}$ , $\text{Pb}^{2+}$ , or $\text{Ca}^{2+}$ ions possibly present.
	The aqueous solution of sodium hydroxide was further added until in excess	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• ..... ..... .....</li></ul> <p style="text-align: right;">(1 mark)</p>	$\text{Al}^{3+}$ , $\text{Zn}^{2+}$ , or $\text{Pb}^{2+}$ ions possibly present
(b)	To a portion of <b>solution of C</b> , aqueous ammonia solution was added dropwise.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• ..... ..... .....</li></ul> <p style="text-align: right;">(1 mark)</p>	$\text{Pb}^{2+}$ , or $\text{Zn}^{2+}$ , or $\text{Al}^{3+}$ ions possibly present.
	The aqueous ammonia solution was further added until in excess	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• ..... ..... .....</li></ul> <p style="text-align: right;">(1 mark)</p>	$\text{Zn}^{2+}$ or $\text{Pb}^{2+}$ ions possibly present
(c)	A few drops of potassium iodide was added to <b>solution of C</b> , in a clean test tube.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• ..... ..... .....</li></ul> <p style="text-align: right;">(1 mark)</p>	$\text{Pb}^{2+}$ ions present.

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	Test	Observation	Inference
(d)	To a portion of <b>solution of D</b> , aqueous ammonia was added dropwise.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>.....</li> <li>.....</li> <li>.....</li> </ul>	Fe <sup>3+</sup> ions present
(e)	To a portion of <b>solution of D</b> in a clean test tube, aqueous barium chloride was added.  Dilute HCl was added to the test tube.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>.....</li> <li>.....</li> <li>.....</li> <li>.....</li> </ul>	SO <sub>4</sub> <sup>2-</sup> ions present
(f)	To a <b>solution of D</b> in a test tube aqueous lead (II) nitrate was added, followed by dilute HNO <sub>3</sub> .	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>.....</li> <li>.....</li> <li>.....</li> <li>.....</li> </ul>	SO <sub>4</sub> <sup>2-</sup> ions confirmed

**Total 10 marks**

dissolved atmospheric carbon dioxide.

You are required to plan and design an experiment to determine which water sample is rainwater.

Your answer should include the following:

- (a) Hypothesis

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(1 mark)

- (b) Aim

(1 word)

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- (c) Procedure

(2 marks)

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