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**CHEMISTRY 2B
ACTUAL PRACTICAL B
(For Both School and Private Candidates)**

Time: 2:30 Hours

Friday, 14th November 2014 a.m.

Instructions

1. This paper consists of **three (3)** questions. Answer **all** the questions.
2. Question 1 carries **twenty (20)** marks and the rest carry **fifteen (15)** marks each.
3. Qualitative Analysis Guidance Pamphlets may be used after a thorough check by the supervisor.
4. Cellular phones and calculators are **not** allowed in the examination room.
5. Write your **Examination Number** on every page of your answer booklet(s).
6. You may use the following constants:
Atomic masses:
H = 1, C = 12, O = 16, Na = 23, S = 32.
1 litre = 1 dm³ = 1000 cm³

1. You are provided with the following solutions:

P: Containing 2 g of pure sodium hydroxide in 500 cm³ of solution;

Q: Containing 5.2 g of impure sulphuric acid in 1 dm³ of solution;

Phenolphthalein and Methyl orange indicators.

Questions

- (a) Which is the suitable indicator for the titration of the given solutions? Give a reason for your answer.
- (b) Titrate the acid (in a burette) against the base (in a conical flask) using two drops of your indicator and obtain three titre values.
- (c) (i) _____ cm³ of **P** required _____ cm³ of **Q** for complete reaction.
(ii) With state symbols, write a balanced chemical equation for the reaction between **P** and **Q**.
- (d) Showing your procedures clearly, calculate the percentage purity of sulphuric acid.
2. You are provided with the following;
X: Containing 20 g of solid sodium thiosulphate per litre;
Y: 2.0 moldm⁻³ hydrochloric acid;
Distilled water;
Stop-watch;
Thermometer;
Plain paper.

Procedure

- (i) Draw a cross on a white paper.
- (ii) Measure 20 cm³ of solution **X** into 100 cm³ beaker. Add 20 cm³ of distilled water and heat the contents with a gentle flame.
- (iii) When the temperature reaches 60°C, transfer the beaker on top of a cross and immediately add 5 cm³ of solution **Y**. At the same time start the stop-watch.
- (iv) Stir the mixture with a glass rod, while observing the cross on top view.
- (v) Stop the clock immediately as soon as the cross is obscured and record the time.
- (vi) Repeat the experiment three times at a temperature of 50°C, 40°C, and room temperature as indicated in Table 1.

Table 1

Experiment number	Temperature (°C)	Concentration of sodium thiosulphate (moldm ⁻³)	Time, t (sec)
1	60	0.0635	
2	50	0.0635	
3	40	0.0635	
4	Room temp.	0.0635	

Questions

- (a) What is the aim of this experiment?
- (b) Complete Table 1.
- (c) Giving reason(s), identify the experiment in which the reaction is
 - (i) fast.
 - (ii) slow.
- (d) With state symbols, write the ionic equation for the reaction between **X** and **Y**.
- (e)
 - (i) Draw the graph of temperature against time.
 - (ii) What conclusion can you draw from the graph? Give a reason for your answer.

Sample **J** contains one cation and one anion. Using systematic qualitative analysis procedures, record carefully your experiments, observations, inferences and finally identify the anion and cation in sample **J**.

Table 2

S/n	Experiment	Observation	Inference

Conclusion

- (i) The cation present in sample **J** is _____.
- (ii) The anion present in sample **J** is _____.
- (iii) The chemical formula of sample **J** is _____.
- (iv) The chemical name of sample **J** is _____.