

SERIES 16 EXAMS

Kenya Certificate of Secondary Education

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CHEMISTRY

PAPER 3

1. Procedure 1

Table 1

Table 1	I	II	III
Final burette reading (cm ³)			
Initial burette reading (cm ³)			
Volume of solution A used (cm ³)			

Complete table ✓(1mk)

Penalize to a maximum of 1/2mk for

- Inverted table
- Wrong arithmetic
- Burrette readings beyond 50cm³ except where explained
- Unrealistic titre values (below 1cm³) and above 50cm³

Use of decimals ✓(1mk)

- Accept for 1mk;
- One decimal or 2 decimal places throughout otherwise penalize fully
- If 2 decimal places are used; the second digit after the decimal is either '0' or 5 otherwise penalize fully.

Accuracy

Compare with the school/ teachers titre values if any

- Within ±0.1 of T.V ✓ 1/2mk
- Within ±0.2 of T.V ✓ 1/2mk
- Non-within ±0.2 of each other T.V ✓ (0mk)

Averaging

- If 3 averaged and within ±0.2 of each other ✓(1mk)
- If 2 averaged and within ±0.2 of each other ✓(1mk)
- Averaging outside the range ±0.2 (1mk)

PROCEDURE I

TABLE I

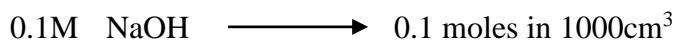
a) Average volume of solution A = $\frac{3 \text{ titre values within } \pm 0.2}{3}$ ✓ 1/2 mk

= correct answer ✓ 1/2 mk

or $\frac{2 \text{ titre values within } \pm 0.2}{2}$ ✓ 1/2 mk

Correct answer ✓ 1/2 mk

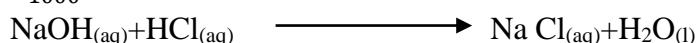
b) Moles of solution A used



if $1000\text{cm}^3 = 0.1 \text{ moles}$ ✓ 1/2mk

$25\text{cm}^3 = ?$

$$\frac{25\text{cm}^3}{1000} \times 0.1 \text{ moles} = 0.0025$$
 ✓ 1/2 mk



mole ratio base:Acid=1:1 ✓ ½ mk

Mole of HCl solution A that reacted with NaOH=0.0025 ✓ ½ mk

- c) Concentration of solution A in moles per litre.

=Ans(a) contains 0.0025moles (Ans b) ✓ ½ mk

$$1000\text{cm}^3 = ?$$

$$= \frac{1000\text{cm}^3}{\text{Ans (a)}} \times 0.0025 \text{ moles}$$

Correct answer. ✓ ½ mk

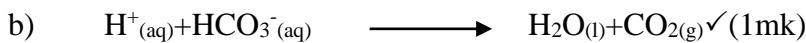
Procedure II

Table 2	I	II	III
Final burette reading (cm ³)			
Initial burette reading (cm ³)			
Volume of solution A used (cm ³)	16.0	16.0	16.0

- a) Average of volume of solution A

$$= \frac{3 \text{ titre values within } \pm 0.2}{3} \checkmark ½ \text{ mk}$$

correct ans ✓ ½ mk



- c) i) Morality of sodium hydrogen carbonate in mols/l

Moles of solution A used

$$= \frac{\text{ans(c)procedure I} \times \text{ans(a)procedure II}}{1000} \checkmark ½ \text{ mk}$$

Mole ratio acid: Hydrogen carbonate

1:1

Moles of sodium hydrogen carbonate solution C used

$$= \frac{\text{Ans(c)procedure I} \times \text{Ans (a)procedure II}}{1000} \checkmark ½ \text{ mk}$$

Therefore

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Molarity of NaHCO}_3 &= \frac{1000 \times \text{ans(c)procedure I} \times \text{ans (a)procedure II}}{1000 \times 25} \checkmark ½ \text{ mk} \\ &= \frac{\text{Ans.(c)procedure I} \times \text{Ans (a)procedure}}{25} \\ &= \text{Correct answer} \checkmark ½ \text{ mk} \end{aligned}$$

Procedure II

- c) ii Mass of sodium hydrogen carbonate in moles/l

$$\text{RMM of NaHCO}_3 = 23 + 1 + 12 + (16 \times 3)$$

$$= 36 + 48$$

$$= 84$$

∴ Mass of NaHCO₃ in the mixture in grammes per litre

$$= 84 \times \text{ans (c) (i)} \checkmark ½ \text{ mk}$$

= correct answer ✓ ½ mk

- iii) Mass of NaCl in the mixture

$$= 10 - \text{ans (c ii)} \checkmark ½ \text{ mk}$$

= Correct Ans ✓ ½ mk

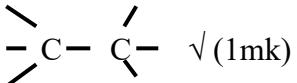
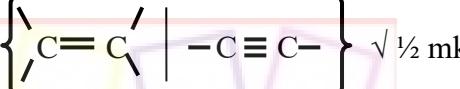
$$\text{iv) \% purity of NaHCO}_3 = \frac{\text{ans (c ii)} \times 100}{10} \checkmark ½ \text{ mk}$$

Qn2. I

a) Observations	Inference
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Colorless liquid forms on cooler sides of test tubes - Colorless gas produced which relights a glowing splint <p>Each 1/2mk max 1</p>	Solid F is hydrated 1/2mk NO ₃ ⁻ ions present 1/2 mk

b) Observation	Inference
i) White ppt ✓ 1/2mk	Al ³⁺ , Zn ²⁺ or Pb ²⁺ ions present 1mk for 3 cations, 1/2 for 3cations 0mk for cat ion
ii) White ppt ✓ 1/2mk insoluble in excess ✓ 1/2mk	Al ³⁺ or Pb ²⁺ 1/2mk present
iii) No white precipitate formed 1mk	Al ³⁺ present ✓ 1/2mk or Pb ²⁺ absent ✓ 1/2mk

II

a) Burns with a blue smokeless flame (1mk)	Saturated organic compound or hydrocarbon with low C:H ratio or 
b) Purple KMnO ₄ turns colorless 1/2 mk	R-OH or 
c) Orange K ₂ Cr ₂ O ₇ turn green 1/2 mk	R-OH present ✓ 1/2mk

Q3.

a) Observation	Inference
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Colourless liquid form ✓ 1/2 mk - Vapour condenses on cooler part of test tube 1/2mk - Red litmus remains red 1/2mk - Blue litmus turns red - Yellow solid when hot white when cold ✓ 1/2 mk <p>Reject water forms</p>	Contains water of crystallization Hydrated salt ✓ 1/2 mk Acidic gas ✓ 1/2mk ZnO

b) Observation	Inference
White ppt ✓ 1/2mk Dissolve in excess ✓ 1/2mk	Pb ²⁺ , Zn ²⁺ , Al ³⁺ present

3 ions	1mk
2 ions	1/2 mk
1ions	0mk

c) Observation	Inference
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - White precipitate ✓ 1/2mk - Dissolves in excess ✓ 1/2mk 	Zn ²⁺ present

Award zero for any contradictory ion.

d) Observation	Inference
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - White ppt ✓ 1/2mk - Dissolves on warming 1/2mk 	Cl ⁻ present

Any contradictory ion award zero.