

# **CHEMISTRY**

## **(20A51101P)**

### **LAB MANUAL**

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Course Code	chemistry	L	T	P	C
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Pre-requisite	chemistry lab manual	Semester			I & II

**Course Objectives:**

- Verify the fundamental concepts with experiments

**Course Outcomes (CO):** After completion of the course, the student can able to

**CO-1** Determine the cell constant and conductance of solutions

**CO-2:** Prepare advanced polymer Bakelite materials

**CO-3:** Measure the strength of an acid present in secondary batteries

**CO-4** Analyse the IR of some organic compounds

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**JAWAHARLAL NEHRU TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY ANANTAPUR**

**Syllabus for (R20 Regulations)**

**CHEMISTRY LABORATORY (20A51101P)**

**(CSE, AI & DS, CSE (AI), CSE(IoT), CSE (Data Science),**

**CSE (AI & ML), IT, ECE, EEE and IT)**

**List of Experiments:**

1. Measurement of 10Dq by spectrophotometric method
2. Models of potential energy surfaces
3. Conductometric titration of (i) strong acid vs. strong base, (ii) weak acid vs. strong base
4. Determination of cell constant and conductance of solutions
5. Potentiometry - determination of redox potentials and emfs
6. Determination of Strength of an acid in Pb-Acid battery
7. Preparation of a Bakelite and measurement of its mechanical properties (strength.).
8. Verify Lambert-Beer's law
9. Thin layer chromatography
10. Identification of simple organic compounds by IR.
11. Preparation of nanomaterials by precipitation
12. Estimation of Ferrous Iron by Dichrometry
13. pH metric titration of (i) strong acid vs. strong base, (ii) weak acid vs. strong base
14. Potentiometric determination of iron using standard potassium dichromate

**References:**

1. Vogel's Text book of Quantitative Chemical Analysis, Sixth Edition – Mendham J et al, Pearson Education, 2012.
2. Chemistry Practical– Lab Manual, First edition, Chandra Sekhar KB, Subba Reddy GV and Jayaweera KN, SM Enterprises, Hyderabad, 2014.

## CHEMISTRY LAB-LIST OF EXPERIMENTS

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1.	Estimation of Ferrous Iron by Dichrometry
2	Preparation of nanomaterials by precipitation
3.	Determination of emf by Potentiometry
4.	Conductometric titration of (i) strong acid vs. strong base
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6	Determination of cell constant and conductance of solutions
7	Determination of Strength of an acid in Pb-Acid battery
8	Preparation of a Bakelite
9	Verify Lambert-Beer's law
10	Thin layer chromatography

### Additional Experiments:

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| 11 | pH metric titration of strong acid vs strong base |
| 12 | Estimation of iron by potentiometric titration    |

## **LABORATORY INSTRUCTIONS**

- Engineering Chemistry is an experimental science.
- The main aim of engineering chemistry is to give fundamental knowledge of science and technology for engineering students.
- The study of Engineering Chemistry emphasizes the application of basic scientific principles to the design of equipment, which includes electronic and electro-mechanical systems, for use in measurements, communications, and data acquisition.
- The theory that is presented in lectures has its origins in, and is validated by, experimental measurement.
- The practical aspect of Chemistry is an integral part of the subject.
- The laboratory practical's take place throughout the semester in parallel to the lectures.

### **They serve a number of purposes:**

- It is an opportunity, as a student, to test theories by conducting meaningful scientific experiments.
- It is useful to enrich and deepen understanding of physical/chemical concepts presented in lectures.
- It is helpful to develop experimental techniques, in particular skills of data analysis, the understanding of experimental uncertainty, and the development of graphical visualization of data.
- Students are advised to thoroughly go through this manual rather than only topics mentioned in the syllabus as practical aspects are the key to understanding and conceptual visualization of theoretical aspects covered in the books.

### **Course Objectives:** The objective of the laboratory is learning.

- To learn practical understanding of the redox reaction
- To learn the preparation and properties of synthetic polymers and other material that would provide sufficient impetus to engineer these to suit diverse applications.
- To also learn the hygiene aspects of water would be in a position to design methods to produce potable water using modern technology.
- Verify the fundamental concepts with experiments

### **Course Out comes:**

- At the end of the course, the students will be able to
- Determine the cell constant and conductance of solutions (L3)
- Prepare advanced polymer Bakelite materials (L2)
- Measure the strength of an acid present in secondary batteries (L3)
- Analyse the IR of some organic compounds (L3)

## **INSTRUCTIONS TO THE STUDENTS:**

*The following instructions must be followed by the students in their laboratory classes.*

1. Students are expected to be punctual to the lab classes. If they are late, they will be considered absent for that particular session.
2. Students should strictly maintain the dress code.
3. Students must bring their observation note, record note (completed with previous experiment) and the calculator, scales, pencils to every lab class without fail.
4. Students are advised to come with full preparation for their lab sessions by
5. Reading the detailed procedure of the experiment from the laboratory manual.
6. Data entry in the observation note book must be by pen only.
7. Bring necessary graph papers for each of experiment. Learn to optimize on usage of graph papers. Graphs should be neatly drawn with pencil. Always label graphs and the axes and display units.
8. If you finish early, spend the remaining time to complete the calculations and drawing graphs.
9. Students should complete their calculations for their experiments and get it corrected on the same day of that experiment.
10. Students who miss observation, record note they have to do the experiment once again and get it corrected.
11. Internal marks for each experiment are based only on their performance in the laboratory.
12. Record note has to be completed then and there and get corrected when the students are coming for the next lab class.
13. Students must strictly maintain silence during lab classes.
14. If any of the students is absent for the lab class for genuine reasons, he/she will be permitted to do the experiment during the repetition class only.
15. If any student is found causing damage to the lab equipments, he/she shall replace the same with a new.

**Good Luck for your Enjoyable Laboratory Sessions**

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## ESTIMATION OF FERROUS IRON BY DICHROMETRY

**AIM:** To estimate the amount of ferrous iron present in the solution with the help of standard solution of Potassium Dichromate.

### APPARATUS REQUIRED:

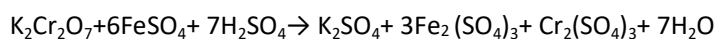
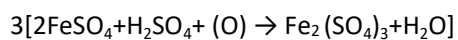
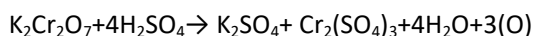
1. Beaker
2. Burette
3. Pipette
4. Conical Flask
5. Volumetric Flask

### CHEMICALS REQUIRED:

1.  $K_2Cr_2O_7$
2. Diphenylamine(DPA)
3. Conc.  $H_2SO_4$
4. Ferrous ammonium sulphate(FAS)
5. Distilled water

### PRINCIPLE:

Ferrous iron is oxidized to ferric iron by Potassium Dichromate in presence of acid solution. The completion of the oxidation of reaction is marked by the appearance of blue violet color of the diphenylamine which is used as an internal indicator.



The equivalent weight of iron is its atomic weight i.e.55.86 since one equivalent of potassium dichromate oxidizes one equivalent of iron.

### PREPERATION OF CHEMICALS:

1. **Preparation of standard Potassium Dichromate:** Weigh out accurately about 0.49gms of Potassium Dichromate into a 100 ml standard flask and dissolve the solid in a small quantity of distilled water. Make up the resulting solution with distilled water up to the mark and shake the flask well for uniform concentration.
2. **Preparation of acid mixture:** Mix up 100 ml of Phosphoric acid with 300ml of concentrated  $H_2SO_4$  in a reagent bottle and stopper it.
3. **Preparation of Diphenylamine:** Dissolve 1gm of Diphenylamine in 100ml of concentrated  $H_2SO_4$ .

### PROCEDURE:

- Rinse and fill the burette with standard  $K_2Cr_2O_7$  solution.
- Pipette out 20ml of ferrous ammonium solution (FAS) into a 250ml conical flask and add 5ml of acid mixture and 2drops of diphenylamine indicator.
- Titrate the solution against Potassium Dichromate taken in the burette till blue violet color is obtained as end point.
- Repeat the titration to get concurrent values.

**RESULT:** Amount of ferrous iron present in the given solution = .....gms/100ml

### OBSERVATIONS:

S.No	Volume of Ferrous Solution (ml) $V_2$	Burette reading		Volume of $K_2Cr_2O_7$ solution (ml) $V_1$
		Initial(ml)	Final(ml)	
1				
2				
3				

### CALCULATIONS:

Normality of  $K_2Cr_2O_7$  =  $N_1$  =                      N

Volume of  $K_2Cr_2O_7$                       =  $V_1$  =                      ml

Normality of FAS                      =  $N_2$  =                      N

Volume of FAS                      =  $V_2$  =                      ml

$$N_1V_1 = N_2V_2$$

$$N_2 = \frac{N_1V_1}{V_2} =$$

Amount of iron (II) present in 100 ml of the given solution =  $N_2 \times 55.5$  =

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**RESULT:** Amount of ferrous ion present in the given solution = .....gms/100ml

**PREPARATION OF NANOMATERIALS BY PRECIPITATION**

**Aim:** To prepare nanomaterials by precipitation process.

**Chemicals Required:**

- (i) Zinc Nitrate
- (ii) Potassium Hydroxide

**Apparatus Required:**

- (i) Centrifuge
- (ii) Beaker
- (iii) Glass rod

**PRINCIPLE:****Procedure:**

ZnO nano particles were synthesized by direct preparation method using Zinc nitrate and KOH as precursors. In this process the aqueous solution of Zinc nitrate (0.2M) and solution of (0.04M) of KOH were prepared with deionized water.

The KOH solution is slowly added into Zinc nitrate solution at room temperature under vigorous stirring which resulted in the formation of a white suspension. The white product was centrifuged at 5000 rpm for 20 minutes and washed three times with distilled water and washed with absolute alcohol at last. The obtained product was calcinated at 500°C in air atmosphere for 3hrs.

**Result:**

In this experiment, ZnO nano particles were successfully synthesized by direct precipitation method using Zinc nitrate as Zinc source and KOH as precipitating agent in aqueous solution. The size range of the generated ZnO powder was approximately \_\_\_\_\_nm.

### Determination of EMF using Potentiometry

**Aim:** Determination of EMF of the given sample using Potentiometry.

**Apparatus Required:**

1. Saturated Calomel Electrode
2. Platinum Electrode
3. Potentiometer
4. Beakers
5. Pipette
6. Stirrer
7. Salt Bridge

**Chemicals Required:**

1. Ferrous ammonium sulphate solution
2. Potassium permanganate solution

**PRINCIPLE:**

The reference electrode used here is saturated calomel electrode (SCE). It consists of mercury metal covered with a paste of  $\text{Hg} + \text{Hg}_2\text{Cl}_2$  in contact with saturated KCl solution and Pt wire for electrical contact. The reduction potential of this electrode is 0.242V. This saturated calomel electrode functions as anode. The Indicator electrode is a platinum electrode which responds rapidly to oxidation-reduction couples and senses the potential which depends upon the concentration ratio of the reactants & products of redox reactions. Here, the Pt electrode is in contact with a Ferrous-Ferric couple. This electrode functions as cathode.

**Cell Representation:** (-) Pt/  $\text{Hg(l)}$ ,  $\text{Hg}_2\text{Cl}_2(\text{s})$  /  $\text{KCl (salt)}$  //  $\text{Fe}^{3+}$ ,  $\text{Fe}^{2+}$  / Pt (+)

**Cell Reaction:** Anode:  $\text{Hg}^{+2} + 2\text{Cl}^- \rightarrow \text{Hg}_2\text{Cl}_2 + 2\text{e}^-$

Cathode:  $2\text{Fe}^{+3} + 2\text{e}^- \rightarrow 2\text{Fe}^{+2}$

**Cell e.m.f.:**  $E_{\text{cell}} = E^0_{(\text{Fe}^{3+} / \text{Fe}^{2+})} + (2.303RT / F) \log (\text{Fe}^{3+} / \text{Fe}^{2+}) - E_{\text{SCE}}$

$E_{\text{cell}}$  = Electrode potential of cell

$E^{\circ}_{(\text{Fe}^{3+}/\text{Fe}^{2+})}$  = Std. Electrode potential

T = absolute temperature

F = Faraday constant

$E_{\text{SCE}}$  = Std. Electrode potential of Calomel Electrode

The cell potential is measured during the course of reaction and graphs are plotted. From the graphs, end point of the titration is located and concentration is calculated.

## PREPARATION OF CHEMICALS:

### 1. PREPARATION OF STANDARD FAS SOLUTION:

- Weigh 0.98 gms of Mohr's salt (FAS) accurately in to a clean weighing bottle and transfer it into a clean 100 ml standard flask through a funnel.
- Dissolve it in 10 ml of dil.  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  and make up the solution up to the mark with distilled water.
- Shake the solution thoroughly to make it homogeneous. From the weight of FAS, calculate the Normality of Standard solution.

### 2. PREPARATION OF $\text{KMnO}_4$ :

- Weigh 3.2 gms of  $\text{KMnO}_4$  and transfer the salt into standard flask with the help of funnel and add little distilled water to dissolve salt completely.
- Make up the solution up to 1000 ml and the normality of  $\text{KMnO}_4$  is 0.02N.

### 3. PREPARATION OF dil. $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$ (6N):

- In order to prepare 1 liter of 6.0 Normal acid solution, add 300.2 grams of 98% purity sulfuric acid. Mix gently and add enough deionized water to make it exactly 1 liter.

## Procedure:

### Step 1: Standardization of $\text{KMnO}_4$ solution:

- Rinse and fill the burette with  $\text{KMnO}_4$  solution.
- Take 20ml of the prepared standard FAS solution into a clean conical flask.

- Add 10 ml of dilute  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  (6N) to provide acidic medium.
- Titrate the solution against  $\text{KMnO}_4$  taken in burette until the solution acquires pale pink color which persists for at least a minute as end point. Note the titre value.
- Repeat the process till concurrent titre values are obtained.
- Calculate the normality of  $\text{KMnO}_4$  solution

**Step 2: Estimation of  $\text{Fe}^{+2}$  in the given test solution:**

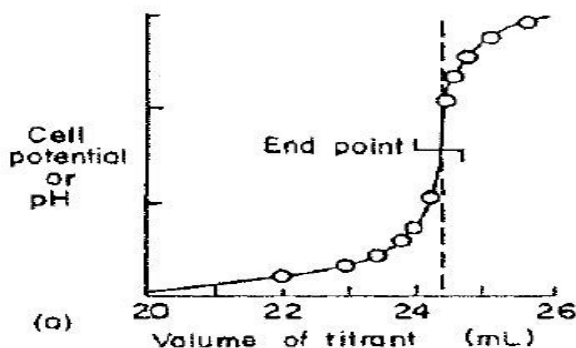
- The burette is washed with water and rinsed and filled with given  $\text{KMnO}_4$  solution up to zero mark.
- Take 20ml of the prepared standard FAS solution into a beaker and add 5-6 ml of  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  to it.
- A platinum electrode is dipped into the solution. This electrode is then coupled with a saturated calomel electrode and the cell is introduced into Potentiometric circuit.
- The two solutions are connected by means of salt bridge to form the Galvanic cell  

$$(-) \text{Pt} / \text{Hg(l)}, \text{Hg}_2\text{Cl}_2(\text{s}) / \text{KCl}(\text{salt}) // \text{Fe}^{3+}, \text{Fe}^{2+} / \text{Pt} (+)$$
- Add  $\text{KMnO}_4$  from burette in 1 ml portions to the ferrous solution, stir it and note the EMF.
- Continue the titration till a sudden increase(inflexion) in EMF is observed. Then take about 6 to 8 readings after inflexion in 1 ml intervals.
- From the titrations approximate volume of  $\text{KMnO}_4$  required is calculated.

**GRAPH:1**

Draw a graph of  $E_{\text{cell}}$ (EMF) Vs volume of  $\text{KMnO}_4$  added; the inflexion point gives an approximate equivalence point.

**Model Graph:**



### CALCULATIONS:

#### Step 1: Standardization of FAS solution.

S. No.	Volume of FAS(V <sub>2</sub> ml)	Burette Reading(ml)		V <sub>KMnO4</sub> (V <sub>2</sub> ) ml
		Initial	Final	
1				
2				
3				
4				

Normality of KMnO<sub>4</sub> = N<sub>1</sub> = N

Volume of KMnO<sub>4</sub> = V<sub>1</sub> = ml

Normality of FAS = N<sub>2</sub> = N

Volume of FAS = V<sub>2</sub> = ml

$$N_1V_1 = N_2V_2$$

$$N_2 = \frac{N_1V_1}{V_2} = \text{-----}N$$



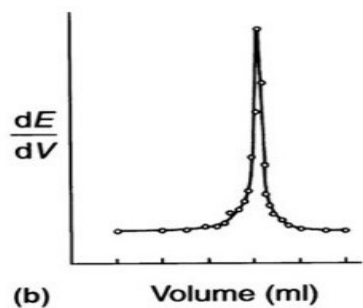
**Step 2: Estimation of  $\text{Fe}^{+2}$  in the given test solution:**

S.No.	Vol of $\text{KMnO}_4$ added (ml)	$E_{\text{cell}}$ (EMF)
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**GRAPH 2:**

Differential graph is drawn by plotting  $\frac{\Delta E}{\Delta V}$  (y-axis) Vs Volume of  $\text{KMnO}_4$  (X-axis) to get a sharp peak, which corresponds to the precise equivalence point of titration.



**RESULT:**

The amount of ferrous ion present in 1000 ml of the solution =-----

$$= N \times 55.85 \text{ g/L}$$

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The amount of ferrous ion present in 100 ml of the given solution=-----

$$= N \times 55.85 \times \underline{100}$$

$$1000$$

$$= \text{----- gm}$$

Exp:

Date:

### CONDUCTOMETRIC TITRATION OF i) STRONG ACID Vs STRONG BASE

**AIM:-** To determine the strength of given strong acid (HCl) solution against standard base (NaOH) solution by Conductometric titration.

#### **APPARAUTS REQUIRED:-**

1. Beaker
2. Pipette
3. Burette
4. Conductometer
5. Conductivity cell

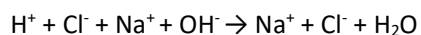
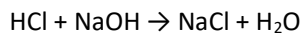
#### **CHEMICALS REQUIRED:-**

1. Standard NaOH solution
2. HCl solution

**REPARATION OF CHEMICALS:-**Standard NaOH Solution:- Weigh 4 gms of NaOH pallets and dissolve in 1000 ml of distilled water gives 0.1 N

#### **PRINCIPLE:**

According to Kohlrausch's law, electrical conductivity of a solution depends on the number of mobile ions present in it. In the titration of strong acid HCl with strong base NaOH solution, before addition of basic solution there will be high conductance due to presence of large number of mobile ions ( $H^+$ ). Gradual addition of NaOH solution decreases the conductance due to neutralization of  $H^+$  ions of acid and  $OH^-$  ions of the base to form undissociated water molecules. The conductance of the solution decreases till neutralization point and increases quickly after neutralization due to addition of free  $Na^+$  and  $OH^-$  of the excess NaOH solution.

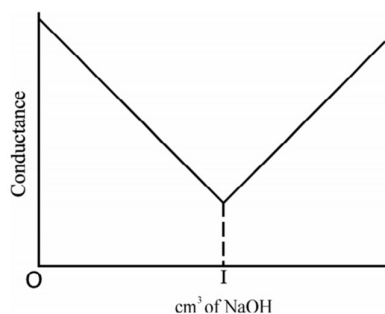


#### **PROCEDURE:**

- Take 20 ml of given HCl solution in a beaker. Dilute the solution so that conductivity cell dips in the solution.
- Wash the conductivity cell with distilled water and connect it to Conductometer.
- Dip the cell in diluted Hydrochloric acid (HCl) solution and measure the value of conductance.
- From the burette, add 0.5 ml of NaOH solution into HCl solution with shaking to get uniform solution and note down the observed conductance.
- Repeat the above procedure and record the observed conductance.
- Plot the graph between the observed conductance and volume of NaOH added and find out the volume of NaOH is required for complete neutralization.

#### GRAPH:

Plot a graph between measured conductances against volume of base added. The intersection of two straight lines gives the end point. Calculate the strength of given acid (HCl) from the known strength of given strong base (NaOH).



#### OBSERVATIONS:

S.No	Volume NaOH added (ml)	Observed conductance (Siemens)
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**CALCULATIONS:**

Normality of HCl =  $N_1$  = \_\_\_\_\_ N

Volume of HCl =  $V_1$  = \_\_\_\_\_ ml

Normality of NaOH =  $N_2$  = \_\_\_\_\_ N

Volume of NaOH =  $V_2$  = \_\_\_\_\_ ml

$$N_1V_1 = N_2V_2$$

$$N_1 = \frac{N_2V_2}{V_1} =$$

**RESULT:** The strength of unknown HCl sample is \_\_\_\_\_ N

**CONDUCTOMETRIC TITRATION OF WEAK ACID VS. STRONG BASE**

**AIM:** - To determine the strength of given weak acid ( $\text{CH}_3\text{COOH}$ ) solution against standard base ( $\text{NaOH}$ ) solution by Conductometric titration.

**APPARAUTS REQUIRED: -**

1. Beaker
2. Pipette
3. Burette
4. Conductometer
5. Conductivity cell

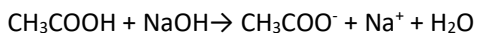
**CHEMICALS REQUIRED: -**

1. Standard  $\text{NaOH}$  solution
2.  $\text{CH}_3\text{COOH}$  solution

**REPARATION OF CHEMICALS:** - Standard  $\text{NaOH}$  Solution: - Weigh 4 gms of  $\text{NaOH}$  pellets and dissolve in 1000 ml of distilled water gives 0.1 N

**PRINCIPLE: -**

The conductance of the acid initially is very low because of low ionization of weak acetic acid. With the constant addition  $\text{NaOH}$ , the conductance's keep on increasing, as the number of ions in solution is increasing. But the conductance is slow initially due to low mobility of  $\text{CH}_3\text{COO}^-$  ions. After the complete neutralization of  $\text{CH}_3\text{COOH}$ , further addition of  $\text{NaOH}$  results in increase in the conductance of the solution due to increase in number of high mobile  $\text{Na}^+$  and  $\text{OH}^-$  ions.

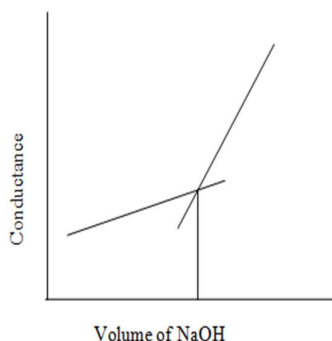


In case of weak acid (like  $\text{CH}_3\text{COOH}$ ) against strong base ( $\text{NaOH}$ ), the curve shape is found different. The point of intersection tells the exact volume of  $\text{NaOH}$  used for complete neutralization.

**PROCEDURE: -**

- Take 20 ml of given  $\text{CH}_3\text{COOH}$  solution in a beaker. Dilute the solution so that conductivity cell dips in the solution.
- Wash the conductivity cell with distilled water and connect it to Conductometer.
- Dip the cell in acetic acid and find out the conductance.
- From the burette, add 0.5 ml an of NaOH solution into  $\text{CH}_3\text{COOH}$  solution with shaking to get the uniform solution and note down the observed conductance.
- Repeat the above procedure and record the observed conductance.
- Plot the graph between the observed conductance and volume of NaOH mixed and find out the volume of NaOH required for complete neutralization.

**GRAPH:**



**OBSERVATION: -**

S.No	Volume NaOH added (ml)	Observed conductance (Siemens)
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**CALCULATIONS:**

Normality of  $\text{CH}_3\text{COOH} = N_1 =$                       N

Volume of  $\text{CH}_3\text{COOH} = V_1 =$                       ml

Normality of  $\text{NaOH} = N_2 =$                       N

Volume of  $\text{NaOH} = V_2 =$                       ml

$$N_1V_1 = N_2V_2$$

$$N_1 = \frac{N_2V_2}{V_1} =$$

**RESULT:** The strength of unknown  $\text{CH}_3\text{COOH}$  sample is \_\_\_\_\_ N

## **DETERMINATION OF CELL CONSTANT AND CONDUCTANCE OF SOLUTIONS**

**AIM:** To determine the cell constant and conductance of the solutions.

### **Chemicals Required:**

1. Potassium chloride
2. Distilled water

### **APPARATUS REQUIRED**

1. Conductance cell
2. Beakers
3. Standard flask
4. Glass rod

### **PREPARATION OF SOLUTIONS:**

**Preparation of 0.1N KCl solution:** Weigh 0.745 gms of KCl and dissolve it in 100ml of distilled water.

**Preparation of 0.01N KCl solution:** Take 10ml of 0.1N KCl solution and dilute to 100ml with distilled water.

### **PRINCIPLE:**

**Conductivity:** Conductivity can be defined as the ability of a Solution to conduct electrical current. Conductivity (mho or  $\text{ohm}^{-1}$ ) of any solution depends on the nature of ions present in it.

**Cell Constant:** The cell constant is defined as the ratio of distance between the electrodes which is divided by the area of the cross-sectional of the electrode

The specific conductance is measure of conductance of solutions with electrodes of unit area that are place 1 cm apart. Conductance is the inverse (or reciprocal) of electrical [resistance](#), represented as  $1/R$ .

The specific conductance (K) is given by

$$K = (1/R) (l/a) \quad \text{as } 1/R = C \text{ i.e. Conductance}$$

$$K = C (1/a)$$

$$l/a = K/C \quad \text{as } 1/a \text{ is cell constant}$$

Cell Constant = Specific conductance ( $\text{ohm}^{-1}\text{cm}^{-1}$ ) or conductivity/

Measured conductance ( $\text{ohm}^{-1}$ ).

Thus the unit of cell constant is  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ .

## PROCEDURE

- Calibrate the conductivity cell
- Measure the conductance of distilled water
- Dip the conductivity cell in 40ml of 0.1N KCl and record the conductance observed.
- Note down the temperature.
- Wash the conductivity cell with distilled water and measure the conductance for 0.01N KCl
- Tabulate the readings.

## OBSERVATIONS:

Conductance of distilled water = (A) \_\_\_\_\_  $\text{ohm}^{-1}$

Conductance of 0.1N KCl = -----

Conductance of 0.01N KCl = -----

## TABLE:

Concentration of KCl	Conductivity at room temp. ( $\text{ohm}^{-1}\text{cm}^{-1}$ ) (A)	Conductance ( $\text{ohm}^{-1}$ ) (B)	Cell constant ( $\text{cm}^{-1}$ )
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0.1N	0.012		
0.01 N	0.0014		

**RESULT:**

0.1N Cell constant = -----  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

0.01N Cell constant = \_\_\_\_\_  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

**DETERMINATION OF STRENGTH OF AN ACID IN Pb-ACID BATTERY**

**AIM:** To determine the strength of a sulfuric acid solution in Pb-acid battery by titration with standard NaOH solution.

**CHEMICALS REQUIRED:**

1.  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$
2. NaOH
3. Phenolphthalein indicator

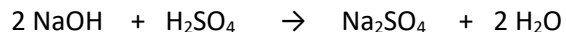
**APPARATUS Required:**

1. Beaker
2. Burette
3. Pipette
4. Conical Flask
5. Volumetric Flask

**PRINCIPLE:**

Titration is the process, of determining the concentration of a substance in solution (the analyte) by adding it to a standard reagent of known concentration (the titrant) in carefully measured amounts until a reaction of definite and known proportion is completed, as shown by a color change or electrical measurement, and then calculating the unknown concentration.

In this experiment, sulfuric acid is titrated with sodium hydroxide.



The titration is done in the presence of phenolphthalein indicator that is colorless in acid solution but turns pink in basic solution. At the equivalence point, all of the analyte has reacted, and only a tiny excess of titrant has been added, just enough to change the color of the indicator.

**Procedure:**

1. Pipette out 20 ml of given Sulphuric acid into a clean conical flask.
2. Add 2 drops of phenolphthalein indicator to solution.
3. Rinse and Fill the burette with standard sodium hydroxide solution.
4. Titrate the sulfuric acid against standard NaOH solution, till pink colour appears.
5. Note down the volume ( $V_1$ ) of NaOH consumed.
6. Repeat the titration for concurrent readings.

#### Calculations

S.No	Volume of $H_2SO_4(V_2)$ ml	Burette Readings		Volume of NaOH consumed ( $V_1$ ) ml
		Initial	Final	
1				
2				
3				
4				

Normality of NaOH =  $N_1$  = N

Volume of NaOH =  $V_1$  = ml

Normality of  $H_2SO_4$  =  $N_2$  = N

Volume of  $H_2SO_4$  =  $V_2$  = ml

$$N_1V_1 = N_2V_2$$

$$N_2 = \frac{N_1V_1}{V_2}$$

$$V_2$$

**RESULT:** Strength of Sulphuric acid in Pb-acid battery is = -----N.

## PREPARATION OF BAKELITE

**AIM:** To prepare phenol formaldehyde resin (Bakelite).

### **CHEMICALS REQUIRED:**

1. Glacial acetic acid or 2N NaOH
2. 40% formaldehyde solution
3. Phenol
4. Concentrated  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4/\text{HCl}$

### **APPARATUS REQUIRED:**

1. Glass rod
2. beakers
3. Funnel
4. Measuring cylinder
5. Dropper and filter paper

### **Preparation of Chemicals: -**

**40% formaldehyde solution:** 40% Formalin (Formaldehyde aqueous solution) i.e., 1 part of the stock formalin with 9 parts water, preferably distilled.

### **PRINCIPLE:**

Phenol formaldehyde resins (PFs) are condensation polymers and are obtained by condensing phenol with formaldehyde in the presence of an acidic or alkaline catalyst. They were first prepared by **Backland**, an American Chemist who gave them the name as **Bakelite**. These are thermosetting polymers.

### **PREPARATION: -**

PFs are prepared by reaction of phenol with formaldehyde in the presence of acidic or basic catalyst. The process may be carried out as follows  
A mixture of phenol and formaldehyde are allowed to react in the presence of a catalyst. The process involves formation of methylene( $-\text{CH}_2-$ ) bridges in **ortho**, **para** or **both ortho and para** positions. This result first in the formation of linear polymer (Called **NOVALAC**) and Formation of Novolac takes place from hydroxy benzyl alcohol and a water molecule is removed from the process. Bakelite is formed from novolac as to cross-linked polymer called phenol-formaldehyde resin or **Bakelite**.

### **PROCEDURE:**

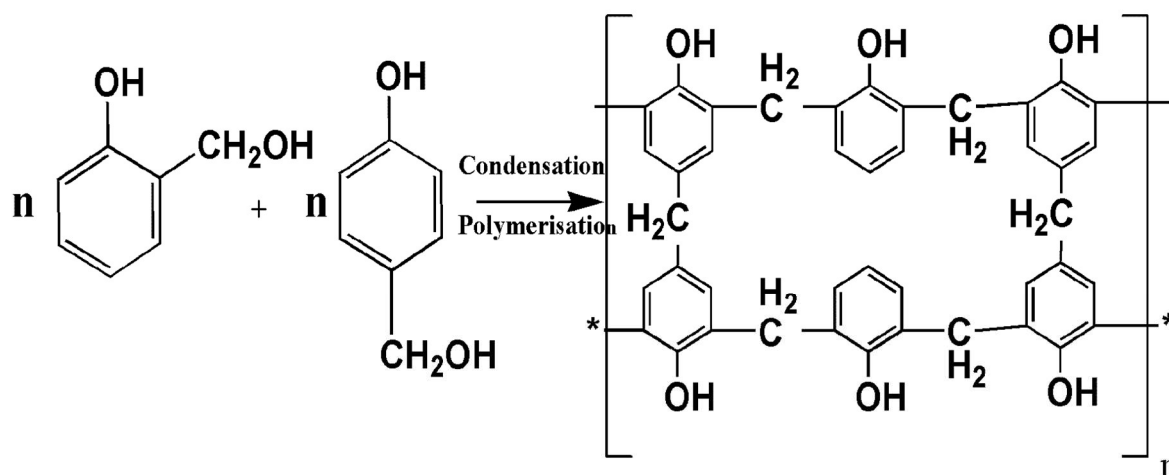
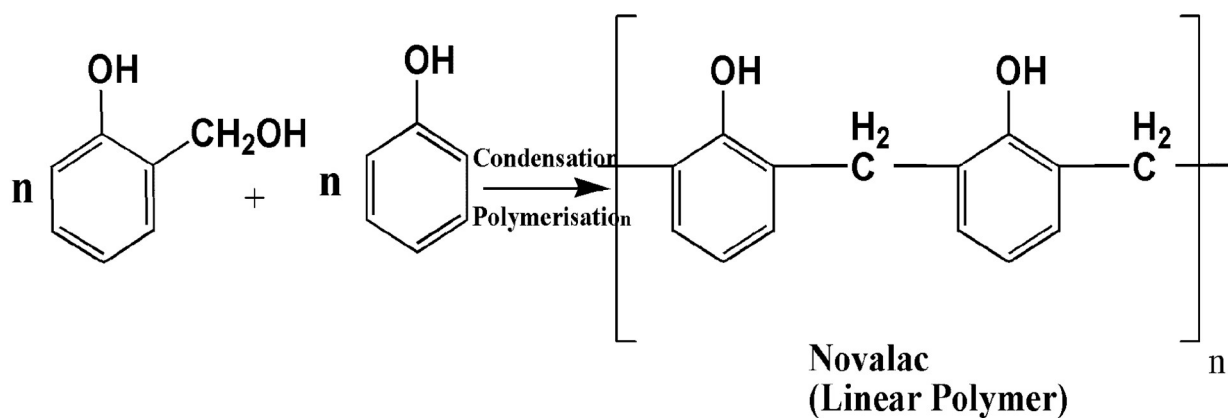
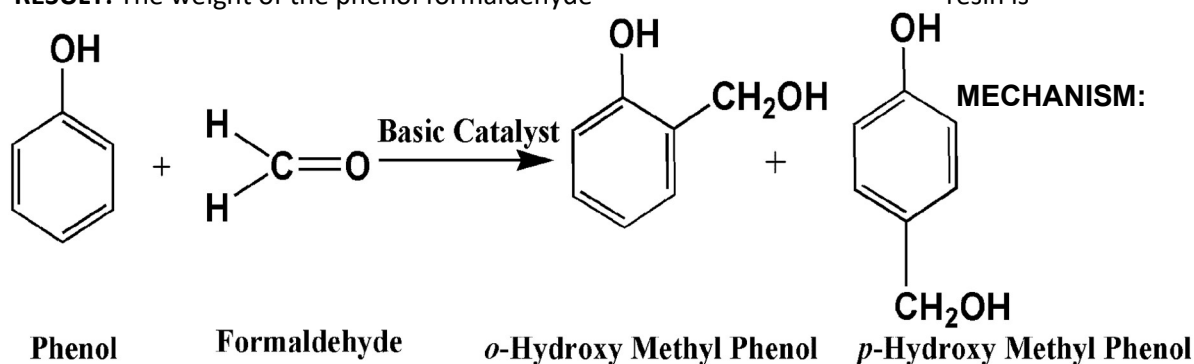
1. Place 5ml of glacial acetic acid (or 2N NaOH) and 2.5ml of 40% formaldehyde solution in a 500ml beaker.
2. Add 2 grams (or approximately 2ml) of phenol.
3. Add few ml of conc.  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4/\text{HCl}$  into the mixture carefully.

4. Within 5 min. a large mass of pink color plastic is formed.
5. The residue obtained is washed with distilled water
6. Filtered product is dried and yield is calculated.

#### PRECAUTIONS:

1. The reaction is sometimes vigorous and it is better to be a few feet away from the beaker while adding the  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  and until the reaction is complete.
2. The experiment should be preferably carried out in fume cupboard.

**RESULT:** The weight of the phenol formaldehyde resin is -----g.





## VERIFICATION OF BEER-LAMBERT'S LAW

**AIM:** To verify Beer-Lambert's law

### **CHEMICALS REQUIRED:**

1.  $\text{KMnO}_4$
2. Ferrous Ammonium Sulphate (Mohr's salt)
3. Sulphuric acid
4. Distilled water

### **APPARATUS REQUIRED**

1. Colorimeter
2. Cuvettes
3. 25ml Standard Flasks

### **PRICIPLE:**

**Beer and Lambert Law** states that, when a monochromatic light is passed through a transparent medium, the rate of decrease in light intensity with the concentration and thickness of the medium is directly proportional to the intensity of the light.

The relation between absorbance (A), the transmittance (T) and the molar absorption coefficient ( $\epsilon$ ) is given

$$\text{OD} = \epsilon bc = \log (I_0/I)$$

$$T = I/I_0, \quad A = -\log T = -\log (I/I_0)$$

Where  $I_0$  = Intensity of incident light

$I$  = Intensity of transmitted light

$\epsilon$  = Molar absorption coefficient

$c$  = Concentration in  $\text{mol L}^{-1}$

$b$  = Path length of absorbing solution in  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

The above is the fundamental equation of colorimetry & spectrophotometry, and is often termed as the Beer-Lambert's Law. The Conditions for this Law to be applicable are:

- 1) Solution should be colored.
- 2) Incident radiation should be monochromatic.
- 3) Solution should be homogeneous
- 4) Solution should be dilute.
- 5) Each molecular or ion species should absorb independently.

#### **PREPARATION OF CHEMICALS:**

##### **PREPARATION OF STD. FERROUS AMMONIUM SULPHATE SOLUTION:**

- Weigh accurately about 0.98gm of Mohr's salt and transfer it into a clean 100 ml flask using funnel.
- Dissolve it in distilled water, add 10ml dil.H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> and make the homogeneous solution up to the mark.

##### **PREPARATION OF KMnO<sub>4</sub>:**

- Weigh 3.2 gms of KMnO<sub>4</sub> and transfer the salt into standard flask with the help of funnel and add little distilled water to dissolve salt completely.
- Make up the solution up to 1000 ml and the normality of KMnO<sub>4</sub> is 0.02N.

#### **PROCEDURE**

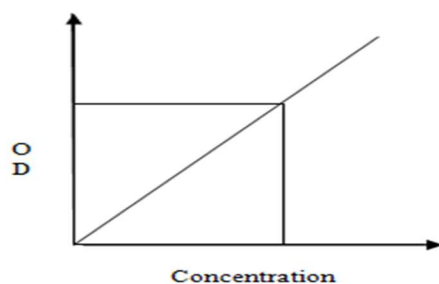
##### **STEP 1: STANDARDIZATION OF KMnO<sub>4</sub> USING MOHR'S SALT:**

- Rinse and Fill the burette with KMnO<sub>4</sub> solution.
- Pipette out 20 ml of Mohr's salt solution in a clean conical flask.
- Add 2 ml of dil.H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> and titrate the contents of flask with KMnO<sub>4</sub> till a light pink color appears.
- From titration data, calculate the Normality of KMnO<sub>4</sub> solution.

##### **STEP 2: ESTIMATION OF CONCENTRATION OF KMnO<sub>4</sub> BY COLORIMETRY & VERIFICATION OF BEER-LAMBERTS LAW:**

- Take 10ml of KMnO<sub>4</sub> in to a standard volumetric flask and dilute it up to 100 ml. Make up the volume up to the mark to get a homogenous stock solution.

- Pipette out 1 to 10 ml of stock solution into 10 test tubes respectively.
- Make up every solution up to 10ml with distilled water. (Dilution is done as given in Table 2.of the experiment.)
- Calibrate the colorimeter with blank solution.
- Select the filter no:52
- Calibrate the colorimeter by taking distilled water as blank and adjust OD to zero.
- Fill the cuvette with each of the ten sample solutions prepared, one after the other and measure the OD.
- Plot a graph between optical densities against concentration of  $\text{KMnO}_4$ . It gives a straight line passing through origin. It is called calibration graph.
- The graph passing through origin is a proof for verification of Beer-Lambert's Law.



#### **CALCULATIONS:**

##### **Part A: Preparation of Std. Ferrous Ammonium Sulphate Solution:**

Weight of weighing bottle + FAS =  $W_1$  =      gms

Weight of the empty bottle      =  $W_2$  =      gms

Wt. of FAS =  $W_1 - W_2$  =      gms

**Part B: Standardization of  $\text{KMnO}_4$  solution.**

S.No	Volume of FAS solution ( $V_1$ ml)	Burette readings		Volume $\text{KMnO}_4$ solution $V_2$ (ml)
		Initial(ml)	Final(ml)	
1				
2				
3				
4				

Normality of FAS =  $N_1$  = N

Volume of FAS =  $V_1$  = ml

Normality of  $\text{KMnO}_4$  =  $N_2$  = N

Volume of  $\text{KMnO}_4$  =  $V_2$  = ml

$$N_1V_1 = N_2V_2$$

$$N_2 = \frac{N_1V_1}{V_2} =$$

Normality of  $\text{KMnO}_4$  solution  $N_2$  = -----N

**Part C: Verification OF Beer-Lambert's law**

S.No	Volume of Std. $\text{KMnO}_4$ sol. + Distilled Water	Concentration	Optical Density(OD)
1	1+9		
2	2+8		
3	3+7		
4	4+6		
5	5+5		
6	6+4		
7	7+3		
8	8+2		
9	9+1		
10	10+0		

**Result:** Beer-Lambert's law is verified.

## **THIN LAYER CHROMATOGRAPHY**

**AIM:** - To separate green leaf pigments by thin layer chromatography and determine their  $R_f$  values.

**CHEMICAL REQUIRED: -**

1. Chloroform
2. Alcohol
3. Silica gel
4. Spinach leaves

**APPARATUS REQUIRED: -**

1. Chromatographic plates
2. Chromatography chambers with lids
3. Tongs
4. Capillary tubes
5. Beaker
6. Filter paper
7. Pestle mortar
8. Reagent bottles with lid
9. Glass rods

**THEORY: -**

In thin layer chromatography where the stationary phase is a polar adsorbent and the mobile phase can be a single solvent or combination of solvents. A thin layer of adsorbent usually silica gel or activated alumina on a smooth surface is used as a stationary phase and chromatogram is developed by upward capillary movement of the solvent through the thin layer of adsorbent.

**PRINCIPLE: -**

The different components will have different solubility and different strengths of adsorption to the adsorbent. When the components are placed on a thin layer chromatography gel on smooth surfaces, some components will be carried farther up on gel than others depending on their adsorption capacity. Based on the distance travelled by the components, various components can be separated and identified using thin layer Chromatography. The compounds that are separated can be clearly visualized if the compounds are colored. Various compounds on the developed TLC plates can be identified through their  $R_f$  values.  $R_f$  stands for Retention factor or Ratio of Fronts.

$$R_f = \text{Distance travelled by the compound} / \text{Distance travelled by solvent}$$

**PROCEDURE:-**

1. Prepare the adsorbent slurry by mixing about 30 g of silica gel in 100 ml of chloroform in a reagent bottle with constant swirling motion; the bottles should be tightly Stoppard.
2. Thin layer of adsorbent is prepared by holding the two cleaned and dried glass plates together, dipping them in the slurry of adsorbent and removing the plates quickly.
3. Separate the two plates and allow them to dry in air by placing these plates on a filter paper with slurry side up wards. These plates are known as chromatographic plates.
4. Prepare the 'extract of leaves' by dipping few crushed leaves of spinach in a little quantity of alcohol for 30 minutes in a beaker stirring with a glass rod. Then filter the contents are filtered and the filtrate is taken as the 'extract of leaves'.
5. Apply a drop of leaf extract in the center of the chromatographic plate with the help of a capillary tube. Allow the drop dry in air.
6. Place the glass plate in chromatography jar in such a way that it does not touch the sides of the jar.
7. Measure the distance travelled by the spots and the developing agent.
8. Calculate the  $R_f$  values of the spots corresponding to different components.

By using the relation

$$R_f = \frac{\text{Distance travelled by the component}}{\text{Distance travelled by the solvent}}$$

**PRECAUTIONS: -**

- The glass plate used must be thoroughly cleaned and dried.
- Fine capillary tube should be used for applying a spot of solution.
- The glass plate should be kept erect.
- During the experiment, keep the glass jar always covered and undisturbed.
- The slurry bottle must be tightly Stoppard.
- The spots of the solution must not dip in the developing solvent.

**RESULT: -**

Distance travelled by component =            m

Distance travelled by solvent        =            m

$R_f$  value of component                =

**pH METRIC TITRATION OF STRONG ACID Vs STRONG BASE**

**AIM:** To perform pH metric titration of a strong acid with a strong alkali and determine the strength of acid.

**APPARATUS REQUIRED:**

1. pH meter
2. Burette
3. Burette stand
4. Wash bottle
5. Pipette
6. Plastic funnel
7. Glass rod
8. Beaker

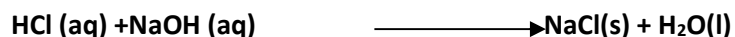
**CHEMICALS REQUIRED:**

1. 0.05M HCl solution
2. 0.1 M NaOH solution
3. Distilled water.

**PRINCIPLE:**

In an acid-base titration, the strength of acid is determined with the help of equivalence point. It is the point at which an equal amount of acid has been neutralized by equal amount of base and vice versa. If only acid is present in the sample, the pH value will be low. With the addition of base, neutralization takes place and pH value increases. At the end point, the addition of very slight amount of base increases the pH very sharply indicating the completion of neutralization process.

The number of moles of acid in the test sample can be calculated by determining the equivalence point by using the molarity of the base and volume of the base added.

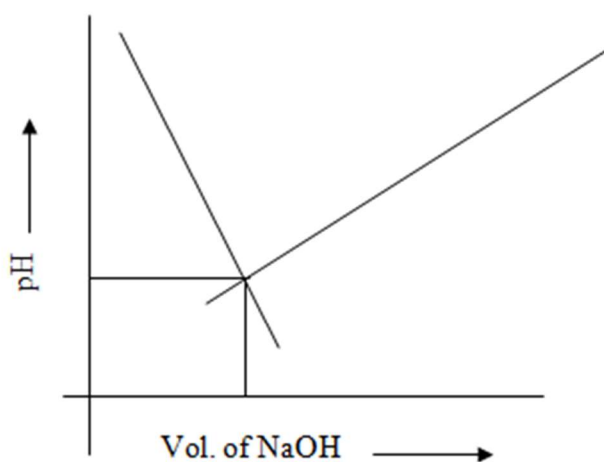




### PROCEDURE:

- Clean the electrode with distilled water and wipe with tissue paper or filter paper.
- Take 25ml of HCl solution in a 50ml beaker and immerse the electrode in it. Note down the pH. The reading shown on the scale of pH meter is pH value of the HCl solution.
- Rinse and fill the burette with standard NaOH solution.
- Add NaOH solution drop wise from the burette (maximum 0.2ml at a time), mix the solution well with the help of glass rod and note the corresponding pH values.
- Continue the addition of NaOH until the pH increases continuously for five values.
- Plot the graph by taking Volume of NaOH on X-axis and pH on Y-Axis with the values obtained from titration, extend the lines and note the point of intersection which indicates the volume of base needed for complete neutralization of acid.

### SAMPLE GRAPH:



Result: The strength of given acid sample is \_\_\_\_\_ N.

**CALCULATIONS:**

S.NO	Volume of HCl taken ( $v_1$ ml)	Volume of NaOH added ( $v_2$ ml)	pH
1			
2			
3			
4			
5			
6			
7			
8			
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11			
12			
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14			
15			
16			
17			
18			
19			
20			

Volume of acid Taken =  $V_1$  = \_\_\_\_\_ ml

Molarity of acid taken =  $M_1$  = \_\_\_\_\_ M

Volume of NaOH consumes =  $V_2$  = \_\_\_\_\_ ml

Molarity of NaOH =  $M_2 =$  \_\_\_\_\_ M

$$V_1 M_1 = V_2 M_2$$

$$M_1 = \frac{M_2 V_2}{V_1} =$$

**Result:** The strength of given acid sample is \_\_\_\_\_ M.

**ESTIMATION OF IRON BY POTENTIOMETRIC TITRATION**

**AIM:** To estimate  $\text{Fe}^{2+}$  ion present in the given solution.

**CHEMICAL REQUIRED: -**

1. FAS,
2. dil.  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$ ,
3. standard  $\text{K}_2\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7$

**APPARATUS REQUIRED:**

1. Potentiometer assembly,
2. 50ml burette,
3. 10ml pipette,
4. 250ml beaker,
5. magnetic stirrer,
6. calomel and platinum electrodes

**PRINCIPLE: -**

The method usually used for the measurement of the emf of a cell is known as Poggendorff method. The instrumental technique is called potentiometry. The electromotive force (emf) of a galvanic cell is usually measured by comparing the emf of the experimental cell with that of a standard cell. The emf is measured using a potentiometer when zero current is drawn. The comparison cell is standard in the sense that its emf is accurately known and is constant. (Emf of Weston Cadmium cell is 1.0186 V at 25°C) Emf of Calomel electrode is 0.2422 V at 25°C.

**REDOX TITRATION**

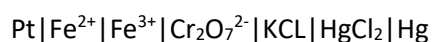
This is a typical Redox Titration using potentiometer experimental set up. For a redox titration, an electrochemical cell has to be setup by taking a known quantity of an aqueous solution of the reducing agent (here FAS) in a beaker provided with an indicator electrode – **Platinum electrode** and a reference electrode – **Calomel electrode** connected to a potentiometer. The potential developed by the cell is measured. The electrode potential of the reference electrode is constant and the potential of the indicator electrode depends on the concentration of the reacting iron. From the Nernst equation,

$$E = E^0 + 0.0591/n \log [Ox]/[Red]$$

The aqueous solution of the standard oxidizing agent (potassium dichromate solution) taken in the burette is added in small increments to the reducing agent in the beaker. The change in potential for each addition is noted. The rate of change of potential is maximum at the end-point.

A plot of Emf vs. volume of oxidizing agent added (potential – volume curve) gives the S – shaped curve in which a large variation in emf at equivalence point is obtained.

The cell is shown as follows:



#### LOCATION OF END-POINT:

Generally, S-shaped curve is obtained when EMF vs volume of titrant added (in ml) is plotted. When the curve shows a very clearly marked steep portions, the approximate volume (EMF in millivolts) of the end-point may be located from the mid-point of the steep portion of the curve.

#### PROCEDURE:

##### STEP 1: STANDARDIZATION OF $K_2Cr_2O_7$ SOLUTION:

- Rinse and fill the burette with  $K_2Cr_2O_7$  solution.
- Take 20ml of the prepared standard FAS solution into a clean conical flask.
- Add 10 ml of dilute  $H_2SO_4$  (6N) to provide acidic medium.
- Titrate the solution against  $K_2Cr_2O_7$  taken in burette until the solution acquires pale pink color which persists for at least a minute as end point. Note the titer value.
- Repeat the process till concurrent titer values are obtained.
- Calculate the normality of  $K_2Cr_2O_7$  solution.

##### PART – B: DETERMINATION OF REDOX POTENTIAL OF $Fe^{2+} / Fe^{3+}$ :

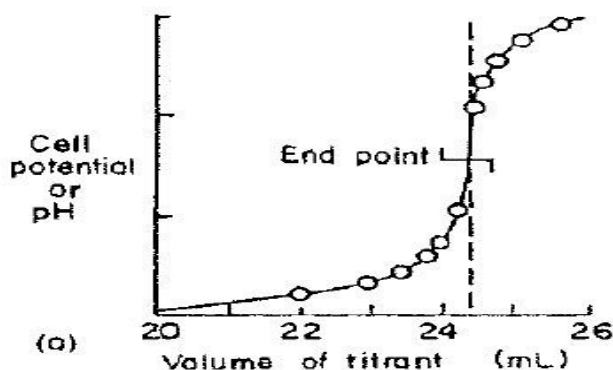
- 20ml of ferrous ammonium sulphate solution is pipette out into a 100ml beaker.
- 20ml of dil.  $H_2SO_4$  is added to it and stirred well.

- The platinum electrode and the reference electrode (calomel electrode) are connected to the instrument and placed into the beaker.
- From the burette dichromate solution is added in the increments of 1ml. Stir the contents and measure the EMF every time.
- The approach of the equivalent point is noted by the rapid change of E.M.F.
- The solution in the beaker is discarded.
- 20ml of ferrous ammonium sulphate and 20ml of dil  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  solutions are freshly taken again into a 100ml beaker.
- It is titrated potentiometrically against dichromate solution. Dichromate solution is added in the increments of 0.1ml.
- Contents of the beaker are stirred well and the EMF is noted. The potential difference corresponds to  $\Delta E$ . This increases rapidly near the equivalence point and it is indicated by the maximum value of  $\Delta E$ .
- A graph is drawn between EMF (E) on Y-axis and volume of  $\text{K}_2\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7$  solution on X-axis. 'S' shape curve is obtained. The maximum value on the curve corresponds to equivalence point

#### GRAPH:1

Draw a graph of  $E_{\text{cell}}$ (EMF) Vs volume of  $\text{K}_2\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7$  added; the inflexion point gives an approximate equivalence point.

#### Model Graph:



## RESULT

The amount of Iron present in the given solution =-----g

## CALCULATIONS:

### Step 1: Standardization of FAS solution.

S. No.	Volume of FAS (V <sub>2</sub> ml)	Burette Reading(ml)		Vol. of K <sub>2</sub> Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>7</sub> (ml)
		Initial	Final	
1				
2				
3				
4				

Volume of FAS ( V<sub>1</sub>) = ml

Volume of K<sub>2</sub>Cr<sub>2</sub>O<sub>7</sub> ( V<sub>2</sub>) = ml

Normality of K<sub>2</sub>Cr<sub>2</sub>O<sub>7</sub> (N<sub>1</sub>) = N

Normality of FAS (N<sub>2</sub>) = ?

$$N_1V_1 = N_2V_2$$

$$N_2 = \frac{N_1V_1}{V_2} = \text{-----}N$$

=

The amount of Iron present in the given solution = N<sub>2</sub> x 55.85 x 1000/10

= -----mg

**Table1: FAS VS  $K_2Cr_2O_7$  (Pilot Titration)**

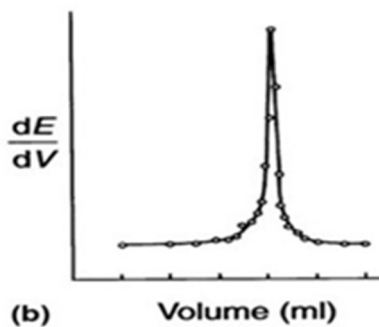
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### Table FAS VS $K_2Cr_2O_7$ (Fair Titration)

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**GRAPH:1** Draw a graph of  $E_{\text{cell}}$  (EMF) Vs volume of  $\text{KMnO}_4$  added; the inflexion point gives an approximate equivalence point.



## RESULT

The amount of Iron present in the 100 ml of given solution =-----g