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Paper 3 (Practical Test), maximum raw mark 40

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1 (a) Titration

Accuracy 8 marks

For the two best titres give:

4 marks for a value within 0.2 cm³ of supervisor

2 marks for a value within 0.3 cm³ of supervisor

1 mark for a value within 0.4 cm³ of supervisor

Concordance 3 marks

Give:

3 marks if all the ticked values are within 0.2 cm³

2 marks if all the ticked values are within 0.3 cm³

1 mark if all the ticked values are within 0.4 cm³

Average 1 mark

Give 1 mark if the candidate calculates a correct average (error not greater than 0.05) of all his/her ticked values.

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Calculations

Assuming a 25.0 cm³ pipette and a titre of 25.2 cm³.

(b) concentration of iodine in P

$$= \frac{25.2 \times 0.1}{2 \times 25} (1)$$

(c) moles of calcium hypochlorite

$$=\frac{0.0504}{2}$$

(d) percentage by mass of calcium hypochlorite in bleaching powder

mass of calcium hypochlorite = 0.0252×143

= 3.60g(1)

percentage by mass = $\frac{3.60 \times 100}{10}$

= 36.0 (1) [2]

[Total: 17]

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2 R is aqueous ammonia; S is iron(III) chloride

Test			Notes
General points For ppt Allow solid, suspension, powder.			
For gases Name of gas requires test to be at least p Effervesces = bubbles = gas vigorously e			
Solutions Colourless not equivalent to clear, clear r	not equ	uivaler	nt to colourless.
Test 1			
gas turns litmus blue	(1)		
ammonia	(1)	[2]	To score ammonia mark there must be some indication of a test i.e. smell of ammonia, alkaline gas, tested with litmus.
Test 2			
(a) white ppt	(1)		
(b) ppt disappears in R	(1)		
colourless solution	(1)	[3]	
Test 3			
blue ppt	(1)		
ppt disappears in excess R	(1)		
dark blue solution	(1)	[3]	
Test 4			
red-brown ppt	(1)		
insoluble in excess R	(1)	[2]	

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Tes	st 5			
		(1)		
ene	ervescence	(1)		
reli	ghts a glowing splint	(1)		
оху	gen	(1)	[3]	To score oxygen mark there must be some indication of a test e.g. 'tested with a glowing splint', 'relights a splint'.
Tes	t 6			
(a)	white ppt	(1)		
(b)	ppt remains in acid	(1)	[2]	
Tes	st 7			
(a)	solution turns purple/red/violet	(1)		accept dark brown
	solution finally colourless/pale yellow	(1)		accept colour fades/becomes paler
(b)	green ppt	(1)		accept black green ppt
	insoluble in excess	(1)	[4]	

Conclusions

R contains ammonia/ammonium hydroxide (gas tested/identified in test 1 or dark blue solution in test 3) (1)

Cation present in $\bf S$ is Fe^{3+} (test 4 red-brown ppt which does not dissolve in excess $\bf R$) (1)

Anion present in **S** is Cl^- (test 6 white ppt which does not dissolve in nitric acid) (1)

Note: if correct names of ions for **S** given instead of formulae or formulae correct but reversed, allow 1 mark.

S is acting as an oxidising agent/oxidant (test 7(b) green ppt) (1)

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[Total: 23]