



CHEMISTRY PRACTICAL

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Requirements to candidates

In addition to the fittings and apparatus found in a chemistry laboratory, each candidate will require the following:

1. 2g of solid A (accurately weighed and supplied in a stopped container)
2. 150 cm³ solution B is 0.05M HCl
3. 250 ml beaker
4. 100 ml measuring cylinder
5. 10ML MEASURING CYLINDER
6. Two dry boiling tubes
7. Six test –tubes
8. Thermometer
9. Beaker
10. Tap water
11. 250 ml beaker
12. Burette
13. Pipette
14. Pipette filler
15. Filter funnel
16. Test-tube holder
17. Two filter paper
18. Stop watch
19. Two labels
20. 500 ml of distilled water
21. Bunsen burner
22. Two 250 ml conical flask
23. 250 ml volumetric flask
24. 0.5g NaHCO₃
25. 10 cm³ of solution C
26. Watch glass
27. 10 cm³ of LIQUID D
28. 30 cm³ of sodium hydroxide in a beaker

BENCH REAGENTS/ACCESS REAGENTS

29. 2.0M sodium hydroxide
30. 2.0M aqueous ammonia
31. 2.0M hydrochloric acid
32. barium chloride
33. 2M nitric (V) acid supplied with a dropper
34. Methyl orange indicator supplied with a dropper
35. Acidified K₂Cr₂O₇

Preparation of solutions and notes

1. Solid A is sodium tetraborate (borax salt) Na₂B₄O₇·10H₂O
2. Solution B is prepared by dissolving 5.0 cm³ of concentrated HCl acid (specific density 1.18g/cm³) in 600 cm³ of distilled water and diluting it to one litre of solution (0.05MHCl)
3. Acidified potassium chromate (VI) is done by dissolving 25g of solid K₂Cr₂O₇ in 200 cm³ of 2M H₂SO₄ and diluting with distilled water to make one litre of solution.
4. Solution C is prepared dissolving 80g of aluminium sulphate and 50g of CuSO₄ in distilled water and diluting to one litre
5. LIQUID D IS ABSOLUTE ETHANOL