KALA FORM 4 TRIAL 2024



Kenya Certificate of Secondary Education

CHEMISTRY PRACTICAL

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CHEMISTRY	
Time: 2 ¹ /4 Hours	
JULY 2024	
Name:	Admission No:
Class:	Date:
School:	Signature:

Instructions to Candidates

- (a) Write your name, admission number, class and school name in the spaces provided above.
- (b) Sign and write the date of examination in the spaces provided above.
- (c) Answer ALL the questions in the spaces provided in the question paper.
- (d) You are not allowed to start working with the apparatus for the first 15 minutes of the 2 hours and 15 minutes. This time is to enable you to read the question paper and make sure you have all chemicals and apparatus that you may need.
- (e) KNEC Mathematical tables and electronic calculators may be used for calculations.
- (f) All working MUST be clearly shown where necessary.
- (g) This paper consists of 5 printed pages.
- (h) Candidates should check the question paper to ascertain that all the pages are printed as indicated and that no questions are missing.
- (i) Candidates should answer the questions in English.

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Question	Maximum score	Candidates score
1	18	
2	13	
3	09	

- 1. You are provided with:
 - 2.0g of substance A
 - Solution B,0.05M hydrochloric acid
 - Methyl orange indicator

You are required to determine the:

- *b* Solubility of substance A in water
- 👉 Relative formula mass of substance A

Procedure 1

- (i) Place 200cm³ of tap water in a 250ml beaker and keep it for use in step (vi).
- (ii) Place **all** of substance A in a dry boiling tube.
- (iii) Using a burette, measure 10.0cm³ of distilled water and add it to the substance A in the boiling tube
- (iv) While stirring the mixture in a boiling tube with the thermometer, warm the mixture using a Bunsen burner, until the thermometer rises to 65°C. Stop warming the mixture.
- (v) Allow it to cool while stirring with the thermometer.
- (vi) When the temperature drops to 60°C, start the stop watch/clock. Place the boiling tube in the beaker with tap water prepared in step (i) above.
- (vii) Continue stirring and record the temperature of mixture after two minutes, then thereafter record the temperature of the mixture after every minute interval and complete **Table 1**. Retain the mixture with the thermometer inside for use in procedure II below

Table 1

Time (minutes)	0	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Temperature, °C										



(b) Using the graph, determine the temperature (Ts) when 2.0g of substance A dissolves completely in 10.0cm³ of distilled water. (1 mark)

(c) Calculate the solubility of substance A in grams per 100g at temperature, Ts. (1 mark)

Procedure 2

Using a funnel, transfer all the mixture obtained from **Procedure 1** into a 250ml volumetric flask. Rinse the boiling tube and the thermometer with about 20cm³ of distilled water and add the rinses into the volumetric flask. Repeat the rinsing two more times. Add about 100cm³ of distilled to the volumetric flask. Shake until all the solid dissolves. Add more distilled water to the mark. Label this as solution as solution A. Fill the burette with solution A. Using a pipette and pipette filler, place 25.0 cm³ of solution B, into 250ml conical flask. Add three (3) drops of methyl orange indicator provided and titrate using solution A. Record your readings in **Table 2**, below. Repeat the titration two times and complete the table. (3 marks)

Table 2	I	II	111
Final burette reading			
Initial burette reading			
Volume of solution A (cm ³) used			

(d) Calculate the:

- (i) Average volume of solution A used. (1 mark)
- (ii) Number of moles of hydrochloric acid, solution B used. (1 mark)
- (e) Given that two moles of acid react with one of substance A, calculate the:
 - (i) Number of moles of substance A used. (1 mark)
 - (ii) Concentration of solution A in moles per litre. (1 mark)

- (iii) Concentration of solution A in g per litre. mark)
- (iv) Relative formula mass of substance A. mark)

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- 2. You are provided with 10cm³ of solution C in a boiling tube . Solution C contains two cations and one anion. Carry out the tests below and record your observations and inferences in the spaces provided.
- (a) Add 15cm³ of 2M aqueous sodium hydroxide to all of solution C provided. Shake well. Filter the mixture into a conical flask. Retain both the filtrate and the residue.

Observations	Inferences
(1 mark)	(1 mark)

(b) To about 2cm³ of the filtrate, add 2M nitric (V) acid dropwise until in excess . Retain the mixture.

Observations	Inferences
(1 m	ark)

- (c) Divide the mixture in (b) above into two portions.
 - (i) To the first portion, add aqueous sodium hydroxide dropwise until in excess.

Observations	Inferences
(1 mark)	(1 mark)
i) To the second portion add aqueous ammon	ia dropwise until in excess

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Observations	Inferences
	(1 mark)

(1 mark)

(d) To 2 cm³ of the filtrate, add 3 drops of 2M hydrochloric acid.

Observations	Inferences
(1 mark)	(1 mark)

(e) To the 2 cm³ of the filtrate, add 3 drops of barium chloride.

Observations	Inferences
(1 mark)	(1 mark)

(f) To the residue, add about 5cm³ of dilute nitric v acid and allow it to filter into a test-tube. To 2cm³ of this filtrate, add aqueous ammonia dropwise until in excess.

Observations	Inferences
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(1 mark)	(1 mark)

3. You are provided with liquid D. Carry out the tests below write your observations and inferences in the spaces provided.

(a) Place 2 drops in a watch glass and ignite.

Observations	Inferences
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	(1 mark)	(1 mark)	
(b)	 Place 2cm³ of D in a test-tube and add 2cm³ of distilled water. 		
	Observations	Inferences	
	(1 mark)	(1 mark)	
(c)) Place 2cm ³ of D in a test-tube and add NaHCO ₃ .		
	Observations	Inferences	
	(1 mark)	(1 mark)	
(d)	Place 2cm ³ of D in a test-tube and add 2-3 dro	ops of acidified K ₂ Cr ₂ O ₇ and warm. Keep the	
	solution for use in part (e)		
	Observations	Inferences	

(1 mark)

(1/2mark)

(e) To the solution obtained in (d) above .add NaHCO₃
Observations

(1 mark)

((½mark)

Inferences