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### 9701 CHEMISTRY

9701/03

Paper 3 (Practical Test), maximum raw mark 25

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### Question 1

#### Supervisor's results

Check all subtractions in Tables 1.1 and 1.2.  
Select the titre average.

Calculate, **correct to 2 decimal places**, the ratio: **Volume of FA2 x Titre**

Record this value on the front of the Supervisor's script and as a ringed value by Table 1.2 on each candidate script.

#### Candidate's results

Check all subtractions in Tables 1.1 and 1.2. The subtraction of titration results labelled as rough need not be checked unless the candidate has included them in the volumes used to calculate the average.

Calculate, **correct to 2 decimal places**, **Volume of FA 2 diluted x Titre**

Record this value by Table 1.2 on the script and calculate the difference to the Supervisor's ratio.

Award **accuracy marks** for differences as follows:

Accuracy mark	
Mark	Difference to Supervisor
6	Up to 4.50
5	4.50+ to 6.75
4	6.75+ to 9.00
3	9.00+ to 13.50
2	13.50+ to 18.00
1	18.00+ to 22.50
0	Greater than 22.50

Spread Penalty	
Range used / cm <sup>3</sup>	Deduction
0.20+ to 0.25	1
0.25 to 0.30	2
0.30+ to 0.40	3
0.40+ to 0.50	4
0.50+ to 0.70	5
Greater than 0.70	6

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**Deduct** from the accuracy mark **one mark** for **each** of the following errors:

- (i) Final burette readings in Tables 1.1 and 1.2 not recorded to 2 decimal places or in the wrong place in a Table,  
**or** "impossible" burette readings (e.g. 23.47 cm<sup>3</sup>) recorded at any point in the tables.
- (ii) No two recorded (uncorrected) titres within 0.1 cm<sup>3</sup>.
- (iii) An incorrect average calculated **or** no selection of at least two titres for the calculation of the average.  
Selected titres may be ticked or used in a calculation of the average.

**THERE IS A MAXIMUM DEDUCTION OF TWO MARKS FROM THE ACCURACY MARKS**

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In all calculations, ignore evaluation errors if working is shown.  
Where an answer is given with no working the Examiner is to check the appropriate working and the answer must be given correct for this working.

(c) Give **one mark** for  $\frac{\text{Volume of FA 2 diluted}}{250} \times 1.00$  1

(d) Give **one mark** for  $\text{answer to (c)} \times \frac{\text{Titre}}{1000}$  1

(e) Give **two marks** for  $\text{answer to (d)} \times \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1000}{25}$   
(one) (one) 2

No marks are to be awarded if the answer to (d) has not been used unless the answer has been started again from first principles.

(f) Give **one mark** for  $\text{answer to (e)} \times \text{a clearly calculated } M_r$   
( $M_r$  does not have to be correct)  
**and**  
If full marks have been given in (c) to (e), give **one mark** for an answer within 1% of the answer calculated by the examiner from the candidate's results.  
The correct answer is given by: **Candidate's Accuracy "product"  $\times 1.6096 \times 10^{-2}$**  2

(g) Give **one mark** for  $38.10 - \text{answer to (f)}$  1

(h) Give **one mark** for  $\frac{\text{answer to (g)}}{18}$   
**and**  
Give **one mark** for  $\frac{\text{moles of water calculated in first part of (h)}}{\text{answer to (e)}}$  2

**Total for Question 1 = 15**

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**Question 2** FA 4 is red lead oxide,  $Pb_3O_4$ .

Test	Observations [6]
<p>(a) Transfer half of the solid <b>FA 4</b> provided to a boiling-tube and add about 7 cm depth of dilute nitric acid. <b>Cautiously warm</b> the tube until the orange solid is no longer visible.</p> <p>Filter the mixture and retain both filtrate and residue for further tests. Wash the residue with water.</p>	<p>Give <b>one mark</b> for colourless filtrate <u>and</u> brown solid/precipitate/residue</p>
<p>(b) Transfer the remaining <b>FA 4</b> to a hard glass test-tube and heat strongly.</p> <p>Identify, with a suitable test, the gas evolved.</p>	<p>Give <b>one mark</b> for identifying the gas as oxygen <u>and</u> giving an appropriate test, e.g. relights glowing splint/splint burns more brightly/splint glows more brightly</p>

Tests on the filtrate

<p>(c) To 1 cm depth of the filtrate from (a) in a test-tube, add aqueous sodium hydroxide until there is no further change.</p>	<p>Give <b>one mark</b> for white precipitate soluble in excess sodium hydroxide</p>
<p>(d) To 1 cm depth of the filtrate from (a) in a test-tube, add aqueous ammonia until there is no further change.</p>	<p>Give <b>one mark</b> for white precipitate insoluble in excess ammonia</p>
<p>(e) To 1 cm depth of the filtrate from (a) in a test-tube, add aqueous potassium iodide.</p>	<p>Give <b>one mark</b> for yellow precipitate</p>

Tests on residue

<p>(f) Cautiously place 1 cm depth of concentrated hydrochloric acid into a boiling-tube and add an equal amount of water.</p> <p>Add to the tube some of the residue from (a) and warm gently. Identify, with a suitable test, the gas evolved.</p> <p><b>Immediately the gas is identified rinse the contents of the tube into the sink.</b></p>	<p>Give <b>one mark</b> for identifying the gas as chlorine <u>and</u> giving an appropriate test, e.g. bleaches indicator paper</p>
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Give **one mark** for correctly identifying the cation as  $Pb^{2+}$  and giving **one** pieces of supporting evidence

Give **one further mark** for a second piece of supporting evidence

Give **one mark** for correctly identifying **FA 4** as an oxidising agent/oxidant

Give **one mark** for giving a correct piece of evidence to support this behaviour.

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**Total for Question 2 = 10**  
**Total for Paper = 25**