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CAH 501

Third Semester M.Sc. Degree Examination, December 2018
ANALYTICAL CHEMISTRY
(CBCS : 2016-17 Syllabus)
Principles of Analytical Chemistry

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 70

Instructions : Answer Part – A and **any four** from Part – B. Figures to the **right** indicate marks.

PART – A

1. Answer **all** the following sub-divisions : **(9×2=18)**
- Explain the indicator action of a redox indicator, diphenylamine in the titration of Fe^{2+} versus $\text{K}_2\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7$ solution.
 - Suggest a suitable indicator for the titration of 0.1 M acetic acid with 0.1 M NaOH and 0.01 M HNO_3 with 0.01 M NaOH. Give the reason for your choice.
 - Why NaOH and EDTA solutions are not primary standards ?
 - Write the indicator action of fluorescein in the titration of Cl^- solution with Ag^+ solution.
 - The standard potential for the half-reaction, $\text{M}^{4+} + 2\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{M}^{2+}$. Is M^{2+} a good or poor reducing agent ? Justify.
 - If 100 mL of water sample is titrated with 26.58 mL of 0.01 M EDTA to Eriochrome Black-T indicator end point, calculate the hardness of water in terms of CaCO_3 (Molecular weight of $\text{CaCO}_3 = 100$).
 - Why EDTA is commercially available in the form of disodium salt of EDTA ? Write the structure of EDTA.
 - What is precipitation from homogeneous solution ? Mention one of its advantages.
 - Calculate the potential at the equivalence point in the titration of Sn(II) with Ce(IV) (Given : $E^\circ \text{Ce}^{4+}/\text{Ce}^{3+} = 1.44 \text{ V}$ and $E^\circ \text{Sn}^{4+}/\text{Sn}^{2+} = 0.15 \text{ V}$).

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PART – B

Answer **any four full** questions.

(4×13=52)

2. a) Explain with chemistry, the determination of nitrogen and sulphur, by acid-base titration.
b) How are phenols determined ? Discuss with suitable examples.
c) Sketch the titration curve involving the titration of a strong acid with a strong base. **(5+5+3=13)**
3. a) Discuss the steps involved in the determination of carbonates and carboxylic acid functional group.
b) List out the solvents used as non-aqueous solvents. Discuss the typical applications of non-aqueous titrations with suitable examples. What are the limitations of non-aqueous titrations ? **(6+7=13)**
4. a) Propose a scheme for the determination of any 3 metal ions in a mixture by complexometric titration using the principle of masking and demasking.
b) A 0.5g bronze sample containing Zn is dissolved in 100 mL of acid. If an aliquot of 20 mL need 10.1 mL of 0.011 M EDTA, calculate the percent of Zn in the bronze sample. (Atomic weight of Zn = 65.38 amu)
c) Why EDTA titrations are called complexometric titrations ? Explain the indicator action of metallochromic indicator. **(5+4+4=13)**
5. a) Explain any three types of performing EDTA titrations. Give one example for each type.
b) The chloride in a 0.6025 g sample of chloride salt is precipitated as AgCl by adding excess AgNO₃ solution. The precipitate is filtered, washed, dried and found to weigh 0.7134 g. Calculate the % chloride in the sample (Atomic masses of Ag and Cl are 107.9 and 35.45, respectively).
c) Describe with chemistry the Volhard's method of determination of chloride in a water sample using Ag⁺ solution. **(5+4+4=13)**



6. a) What is Karl Fischer (KF) reagent ? Illustrate its application in the determination of traces of water in an organic solvent.
- b) What is co-precipitation ? List the causes for co-precipitation.
- c) A 2.55 g coal sample was taken in a crucible weighing 19.35 g. After heating in an electrical oven at 105-110°C for 1 hour, the crucible weighed 21.8 g. The residue was then ignited at 700-750°C to a constant weight when the crucible weighed 19.6g. Calculate the % ash and moisture contents of the coal sample. **(5+4+4=13)**
7. a) A 0.20 g of haematite ore was brought to solution (100 mL) upon acid treatment. A 25 mL was reduced to Fe(II) and consumed 15.0 mL of 0.1N $K_2Cr_2O_7$ for diphenylamine end point. Calculate the amount of iron present in the given iron sample (Given : Equivalent weight of Fe = 55.85 amu).
- b) Discuss the conditions for precipitation.
- c) From the following reactions, give the relation between Normality (N) and Molarity (M) of the titrant. Indicate which type of titrations are these ?
- i) $2 S_2O_3^{2-} + I_2 \rightarrow S_4O_6^{2-} + 2 I^-$ and
- ii) $2 MnO_4^- + 5 C_2O_4^{2-} + 16H^+ \rightarrow 2 Mn^{2+} + 10CO_2 + 8H_2O$. **(4+5+4=13)**
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