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for the guidance of teachers**

**5070 CHEMISTRY**

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Paper 3 (Practical Test), maximum raw mark 40

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1 (a) Titration [12]

Accuracy 8 marks

For the two best titres give:

4 marks for a value within 0.2 cm<sup>3</sup> of supervisor

2 marks for a value within 0.3 cm<sup>3</sup> of supervisor

1 mark for a value within 0.4 cm<sup>3</sup> of supervisor

Concordance 3 marks

Give:

3 marks if all the ticked values are within 0.2 cm<sup>3</sup>

2 marks if all the ticked values are within 0.3 cm<sup>3</sup>

1 mark if all the ticked values are within 0.4 cm<sup>3</sup>

Average 1 mark

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

Assuming a 25 cm<sup>3</sup> pipette and a titre of 24.8 cm<sup>3</sup>.

(b) concentration of sulfuric acid in P [2]

$$= \frac{25 \times 0.1}{2 \times 24.8} (1)$$

$$= 0.0504 (1)$$

Answers should be correct to + or – 1 in the third significant figure.

(c) concentration of sulfuric acid in battery acid [1]

$$= 0.0504 \times 100 (1)$$

$$= 5.04$$

answer from (b)  $\times 100$

(d) mass of sulfuric acid present in 4.50 dm<sup>3</sup> of battery acid [1]

$$= 5.04 \times 4.5 \times 98 (1)$$

$$= 2220$$

answer from (c)  $\times 4.5 \times 98$

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2 R is copper(II) sulfate S is copper(I) oxide

Test	Notes
<p><b>General points</b>            For ppt            allow solid, suspension, powder</p> <p>For gases            Name of gas requires test to be at least partially correct.            Effervesces = bubbles = gas vigorously evolved but not gas evolved</p> <p>Solutions            Colourless not equivalent to clear, clear not equivalent to colourless</p>	
Solution R	
<p><b>Test 1</b></p> <p>(a) white ppt (1)</p> <p>(b) insoluble in nitric acid (1)</p>	
<p><b>Test 2</b></p> <p>blue ppt (1)            soluble in excess (1)            dark blue solution (1)</p>	
<p><b>Test 3</b></p> <p>(a) solution turns green (1)</p> <p>(b) blue ppt (1)            insoluble in excess (1)</p>	allow green-blue or green-yellow
<p><b>Test 4</b></p> <p>solid turns red or brown (1)            blue colour fades (1)</p>	
<p><b>Test 5</b></p> <p>solid turns brown (1)            blue solution (1)</p>	allow colour darkens
<p><b>Test 6</b></p> <p>solid turns brown (1)            blue solution (1)            solid disappears (1)            effervescence (1)            yellow or brown gas (1)</p>	allow colour darkens

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<p><b>Test 7</b></p> <p>(a) solid turns white or off-white (1)</p> <p>(b) solid disappears (1) blue solution (1)</p>	
<p><b>Test 8</b></p> <p>(a) no reaction (1)</p> <p>(b) effervescence (1) gas relights a glowing splint (1) oxygen (1) blue solution (1)</p>	

### Conclusions

Anion in **R** is sulfate or  $\text{SO}_4^{2-}$  (in **test 1** ppt in (a) must not dissolve in acid) (1)

The metal in **R** and **S** is copper, copper(II), Cu or  $\text{Cu}^{2+}$  (1)

**Note:** 27 marking points, maximum 24.