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CHEMISTRY

PAPER 3

PRACTICAL

MARCH / APRIL 2018

2 ¼ HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- (a) Write your name and index number in the spaces provided above.
- (b) Answer all the questions in the spaces provided.
- (c) Mathematical tables and silent electronic calculators may be used.
- (d) All working must be clearly shown where necessary.

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QUESTION	MAXIMUM SCORE	CANDIDATE'S SCORE
1	23	
2	12	
3	5	
TOTAL SCORE	40	

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1. You are provided with:

- **1.5 g** of solid **P**, a metal hydrogen carbonate, **MHCO₃**.
- Hydrochloric acid, solution **Q**.
- Solution **R**, which was prepared by dissolving **10.5g** of **MHCO₃** in about 100cm³ of distilled water and topping up to 250ml mark of the volumetric flask.

You are required to:

- Standardize solution Q using solution R.
- Determine the enthalpy change for the reaction between solution Q, hydrochloric acid and solution R, **MHCO₃(aq)**.

Procedure I

- Pipette exactly 25.0cm³ of solution R into a clean 250ml conical flask.
- Add two drops of methyl orange indicator and shake.
- Fill the burette with solution Q.
- Titrate solution R with solution Q from the burette. Stop titrating when a permanent colour JUST appears, and record your results in the **table I** below.
- Repeat steps **(i)** to **(iv)** and complete **table I** below.

Table I

Titration Number	I	II	III
Final burette reading			
Initial burette reading			
Volume of solution Q used (cm³)			

(4 marks)

a) Calculate the average volume of solution Q used.

(1 mark)

b) Calculate the concentration of R in moles per litre (RFM of **MHCO₃** = 84)

(2 marks)

c) Calculate the number of moles of solution R in 25cm³ used. (1 mark)

d) Calculate the number of moles of solution Q in the average titre. (1 mark)

e) Calculate the molarity of solution Q. (1 mark)

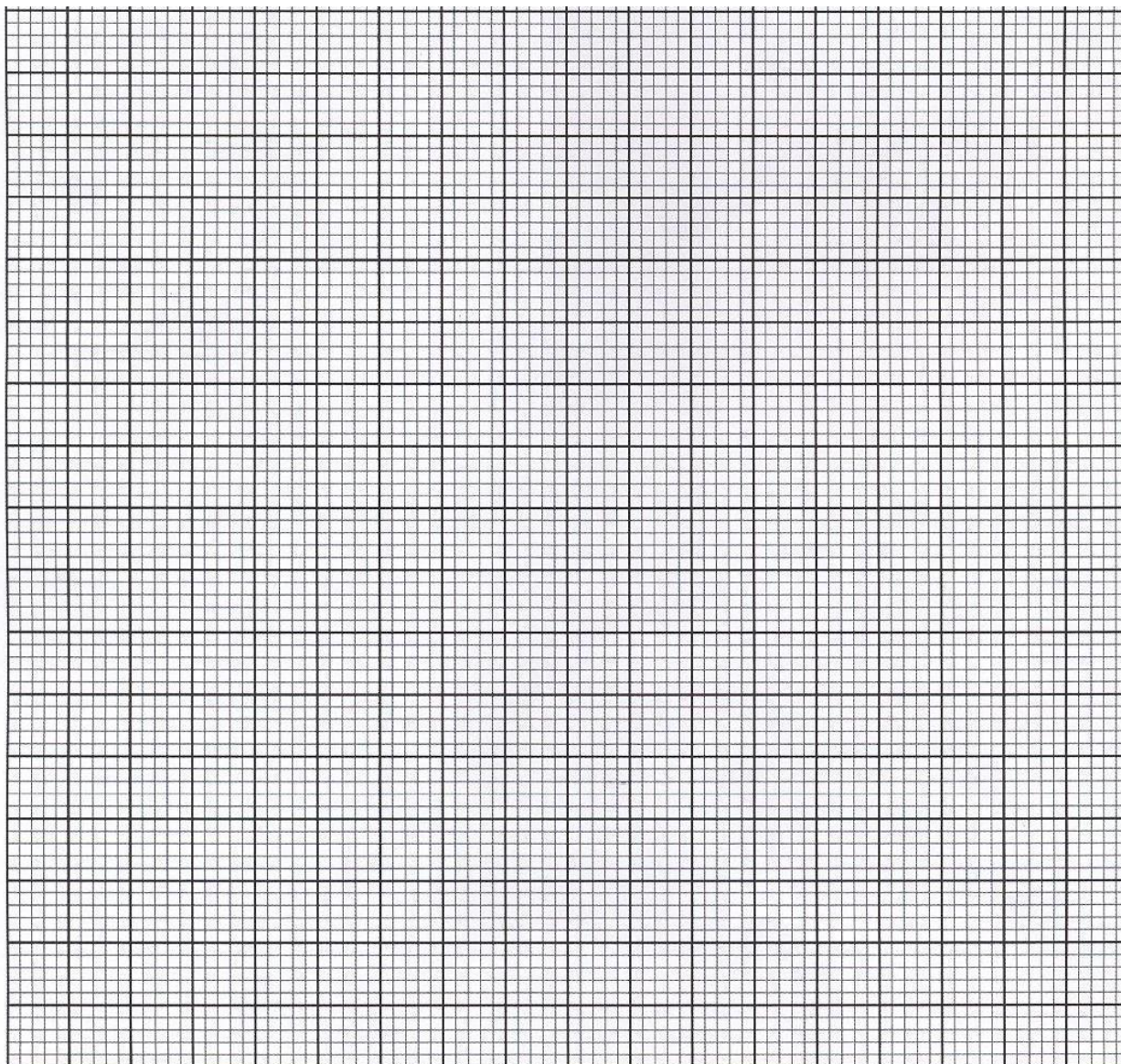
PROCEDURE II.

- (i) Fill the burette with solution Q.
- (ii) Measure exactly **35.0 cm³** of solution Q from the burette and place it in a clean 250cm³ plastic beaker.
- (iii) Using a thermometer, stir and take the temperature of solution Q every 30 seconds.
- (iv) Record the readings in **table II** below. At exactly 150 seconds add **ALL solid P** into the contents in the plastic beaker and stir gently. Continue taking the temperature every 30 seconds and complete the **table II** below.

Table II (5 marks)

Time (s)	0	30	60	90	120	150	180	210	240	270	300
Temp (°C)											

a) On the grid provided, plot a graph of temperature (Y -axis) against time. (3 marks)



- b) From your graph, determine the highest change in temperature. **(1½ marks)**
- c) Calculate the;
- (i)** Enthalpy change in Joules for the reaction when 1.5g of solid P was used (specific heat capacity of the solution is $4.2\text{Jkg}^{-1}\text{K}^{-1}$, density of solution is 1.0gcm^{-3}) **(2 marks)**

(1½ marks)

- Solid **A**
- Aqueous ammonia solution
- Distilled water
- Barium chloride solution
- Dilute nitric (V) acid

(a) Describe **three consecutive tests** that can be carried out in the laboratory to confirm whether solid A is **zinc sulphate** or **not**. Write the test(s) and the expected observations in the spaces provided below.

Test 1	Expected observations

Test 2	Expected observations
(1 mark)	(1 mark)

Test 3	Expected observations
(1 mark)	(1 mark)

(b) Carry out the tests described in **(a)** above and record your observations and inferences in the spaces provided.

Test 1

Observations	Inferences
(1 mark)	(1 mark)

Test 2

Observations	Inferences

Test 3

Observations	Inferences
(1 mark)	(1 mark)

