

EXPERIMENT NO -3

OBJECT: - Determination of the concentration (strong) of a given NaOH solution by titrating it against a standard (M/20) solution of C₂H₂O₄ using phenolphthalein indicator.

REFERENCE

Parle A. , "Pharmaceutical Chemistry 1 Laboratory Manual", CBS Publishers and Distributors Pvt. Ltd., Ed 1st, 2008, pp 59.

REQUIREMENTS: -

Chemical required: NaOH Solution, HCl solution, phenolphthalein indicator, C₂H₂O₄

Apparatus required: - burette, conical flask, and beaker.

PROCEDURE:-

- (a) Take a burette and wash it with distilled water.
- (b) Rinse and fill the solution HCl N/10 with the help of a conical funnel and set the initial burette reading as zero. Clamp it vertically to the burette stand.
- (c) Rinse the pipette with water and then with the given NaOH solution.
- (d) Pipette out 10ml of given NaOH (N/10) solution into a conical flask and add one or two drops of methyl orange.
- (e) Titrate it against the HCl(N/10) solution taken in the burette till the color of the solution in the conical flask changes from a yellowish color to pink color
- (f) Note down the final burette reading.
- (g) Repeat the titration until concordant values are obtained.

OBSERVATION:

No of observation	Volume of NaOH solution in mL	Burette reading		Different	Constant	Indicator used
		Initial	Final			

Calculation:

$$N_1V_1=N_2V_2$$

RESULT:- The strength of a given unknown solution of strong NaOH is