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**MARK SCHEME for the May/June 2010 question paper
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

Accuracy 8 marks

For the two best titres give:

4 marks for a value within 0.2 cm³ of supervisor

2 marks for a value within 0.3 cm³ of supervisor

1 mark for a value within 0.4 cm³ of supervisor

Concordance 3 marks

Give:

3 marks if all the ticked values are within 0.2 cm³

2 marks if all the ticked values are within 0.3 cm³

1 mark if all the ticked values are within 0.4 cm³

Average 1 mark

Give 1 mark if the candidate calculates a correct average (error not greater than 0.05) of all the ticked values. [12]

Assuming a 25 cm³ pipette and a titre of 24.8 cm³.

(b) moles of sodium hydroxide in 25 cm³ of P

$$= \frac{25 \times 0.3}{1000}$$

$$= 0.0075$$

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(c) concentration in mol/dm³ of organic acid in Q

$$= \frac{18.0}{120}$$

$$= 0.15$$

[1]

(d) moles of organic acid in average titre of Q

$$= \frac{24.8 \times 0.15}{1000}$$

$$= 0.00372$$

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

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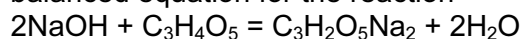
(e) moles of sodium hydroxide which react with 1 mole of C₃H₄O₅

$$= \frac{0.0075}{0.00372}$$

$$= 2.02$$

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(f) balanced equation for the reaction



left hand side of equation i.e. whole numbers consistent with (e) (1)

right hand side of equation i.e. correct formulae and overall equation balanced (1)

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2 R is sodium carbonate S is potassium iodide T is potassium chromate(VI)

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Solution R	
Test 1 4 marks (a) Effervescence (1) Gas turns limewater milky (1) Carbon dioxide (1) (b) No reaction (1)	Alternatively marks for test on gas and identification can be awarded in Test 2(b) or 3(c) .
Test 2 3 marks (a) Brown ppt (1) (b) Ppt disappears (1) Colourless solution (1)	Accept cream or yellow but not white. Alternatively this mark can be awarded in Test 3(b) .
Test 3 2 marks (a) White ppt (1) (b) Ppt disappears (1)	

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Solution S	
Test 1 2 marks (a) No reaction (1) (b) Solution turns red/brown or black solid formed (1)	
Test 2 2 marks (a) Yellow ppt (1) (b) Ppt remains (1)	
Test 3 1 mark No reaction (1)	Any indication of reaction in either (a) or (b) scores 0.

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Solution T	
Test 1 6 marks (a) Orange solution (1) (b) Blue solution (1) Effervescence (1) Gas relights a glowing splint (1) Oxygen (1) Green solution (1)	
Test 2 3 marks (a) Red or brown ppt (1) (b) Ppt disappears (1) Yellow or orange solution (1)	Alternatively this mark can be awarded in Test 3(b) .
Test 3 2 marks (a) Yellow ppt (1) (b) Ppt disappears (1)	

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R is CO_3^{2-} (carbon dioxide identified in test 1) (1)
S is I^- (test 1 correct or insoluble yellow ppt in test 2) (1)
T contains a transition metal (1)

[3]

Note: 25 marking points, maximum 22.