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INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- Write your name and Index Number in the spaces provided above.
- Sign and write date of examination in the spaces provided above.
- Answer **ALL** questions in the spaces provided.
- Mathematical tables and electronic calculators may be used.
- All workings **MUST** be clearly shown where necessary.

1. You are provided with

- Solution **A** containing 6.0 g l^{-1} of a dibasic acid $\text{H}_2\text{C}_2\text{O}_4 \cdot x\text{H}_2\text{O}$
- Solution **B** containing 4.0 g l^{-1} of sodium hydroxide
- Phenolphthalein indicator

You are required to determine the value of x in the dibasic acid $\text{H}_2\text{C}_2\text{O}_4 \cdot x\text{H}_2\text{O}$.

Procedure

- Place solution **A** in a burette. Using a pipette and pipette filler, measure 25.0 cm^3 of solution **B** into a 250 cm^3 conical flask.
- Add 2-3 drops of phenolphthalein indicator and titrate. Record your results in the table below. Repeat the titration two more times and complete the table.

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Final burette reading (cm ³)			
Initial burette reading (cm ³)			
Volume of solution A used (cm ³)			

What is the average volume of solution **A** used?
(show clearly which values are being averaged)

(4 marks)
(1mark)

Calculate the:-

(i) Calculate the molar concentration of sodium hydroxide solution **B**

(1mark)

(ii) The acid is dibasic (contain two replaceable atoms per molecule of the acid). Calculate the molar concentration of the acid solution A

(2marks)

(iii) Calculate the relative formula mass of $\text{H}_2\text{C}_2\text{O}_4 \cdot \text{XH}_2\text{O}$. (H-1, C-12, O-16) (1 mark)

(iv) What is the value of **x** in the formula $\text{H}_2\text{C}_2\text{O}_4 \cdot \text{XH}_2\text{O}$ (2 marks)

2. **You are provided with**

- Thermometer
- 100cm^3 plastic beaker and tissue paper
- 50cm^3 measuring cylinder
- Distilled water
- 4.0g of solid **Y** Potassium Nitrate crystals.
- You are required to determine the molar heat of solution of a solution of potassium nitrate

Procedure

- Measure 50cm^3 distilled water and place it into a plastic beaker
- Record initial temperature T_1 of the water as shown below.
- Add 4.0 g of solid **Y** to the water and stir gently to dissolve all the solid. Record the final temperature of this solution T_2 .

Final Temperature of water $T_1 =$

Initial temperature of solution $T_2 =$

Temperature change ΔT (K) = (2marks)

- (a) Calculate the heat change for the reaction given, density of water = 1.0g/cm^3 . Specific heat Capacity of water = 4.2 J/g.k . (2 marks)

- (b) Calculate the molar enthalpy of solution H^θ_{soln} of potassium nitrate (K=39, N=14, O=16) (2marks)

- (c) Write a thermo chemical equation for the dissolution of potassium nitrate (1mark)

- (d) Given that H_{hydr} of potassium nitrate is -177.9KJ/mole . Calculate the H_{latt} of potassium nitrate using the expression below

$$H^\theta_{\text{soln}} = H^\theta_{\text{latt}} + H^\theta_{\text{hydr}}$$

- (e) Express this information on an energy level diagram (2 marks)

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Place all the solid x into a boiling tube. Add 10cm³ of distilled water and shake well. Divide the mixture into 4 portions. Carry out the following tests.

observation	Inferences
<p>(1 mark)</p>	<p>1 mark</p>

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(1 mark)	1 mark

(d) To the remaining portion add the piece of mag

observation

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