



PREPARATORY PROBLEMS

AND

WORKED SOLUTIONS

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PROBLEM 8. (Solution)

In part f) the equation for the self-dissociation of propanol is unbalanced and should of course be:



PROBLEM 9. (Solution)

Part c) should read:

- c). If all $\text{Li}_{(s)}$ were converted to $\text{Li}_{2(g)}$, then there would be 19.117 moles $\text{Li}_{2(g)}$ in a volume of 5.9474×10^8 litres, corresponding to $[\text{Li}_{2(g)}] = 3.2143 \times 10^{-8} \text{ mol L}^{-1}$, or a total pressure of 1.2233×10^{-3} Torr.

PROBLEM 10. (Solution)

The 9th line of part d) should read:

$$\text{Mass of } \mathbf{Y}^{i-} = \text{mass } (\mathbf{X}) - \underline{\text{molar}} \text{ mass } (\text{H}^+) \times \text{moles } (\text{OH}^-)$$

PROBLEM 13.

The amount of sample should be 0.50 g (not 5.00 g) so the second paragraph should begin:

She weighs out 0.50 ± 0.01 g of each sample ...

The solution should then read:

- b). Analysis of results:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{moles } \text{M}^+ \text{ in } 0.5 \text{ g} &= \text{moles } \text{OH}^- \times (250 \text{ mL} / 50 \text{ mL}) \times (100 \text{ mL} / 40 \text{ mL}) \\ &= \text{titre volume} \times 0.0326 \text{ mol L}^{-1} \times 5 \times 2.5 \end{aligned}$$

$$M_r(\text{MX}) = \text{sample mass } (0.5 \text{ g}) / \text{moles } \text{M}^+ \text{ in } 0.5 \text{ g}$$

The values in the table for possible molecular masses of the unknowns are unchanged.

PROBLEM 18. (Solution)

- a). If we denote the initial activity as I_0 (i.e. $7.0 \times 10^7 \text{ Bq mL}^{-1}$ in each case), and I_t as the activity after a time t has elapsed, then I_t is defined as $I_t = I_0 e^{-(t / t_{1/2})}$.

This equation is incorrect and the sentence should read:

- a). If we denote the initial activity as I_0 (i.e. 7.0×10^7 Bq mL⁻¹ in each case), and I_t as the activity after a time t has elapsed, then I_t is defined as $I_t = I_0 e^{-(\ln 2 t / t_{1/2})}$
or $I_t = I_0 2^{-(t / t_{1/2})}$

Using the correct equation, the table of nuclide activities is as follows:

nuclide	I_t (Bq mL ⁻¹)	I_t after dilution (Bq mL ⁻¹)
⁷¹ Zn	12100	4.83
⁶⁷ Ga	6.97×10^7	2.79×10^4
⁶⁸ Ge	6.9996×10^7	2.80×10^4

Using the correct equation, the answers to part d) are also changed slightly to:

In the 1 mL dose at $t = 8$ hr,

$$I_t = I_0 2^{-(t / t_{1/2})} \times V_{\text{dose}} / V_{\text{total}} = 1.09 \times 10^8 \text{ Bq} \times 2^{-(8/78.25)} \times 1/100$$

$$I_t = 1.015 \times 10^6 \text{ Bq.}$$

- ii). The residual activity of the 1 mL dose after a further hour would be

$$I_t = 1.015 \times 10^6 \text{ Bq} \times 2^{-(1/78.25)} = 1.006 \times 10^6 \text{ Bq.}$$

Comparison of this activity, with that observed for the 1 mL blood sample, yields the dilution factor:

$$\text{Dilution factor} = 1.006 \times 10^6 / 105.6 = 9531.$$

The patient's blood volume is thus 9.53 litres.

PROBLEM 20 (Solution).

The current solution to part a) assumes STP, but NO₂ is a liquid at a 0°C! However, because we are only *estimating* an upper limit for the concentration of NO₂, let's assume 25°C. The calculation then becomes:

$$\begin{aligned} [\text{NO}_2] &= 0.21 \text{ (mole \% of O}_2\text{)} / 24.484 \text{ L mol}^{-1} \text{ (molar volume at 25°C)} \\ &= 8.6 \times 10^{-3} \text{ mol L}^{-1} \end{aligned}$$

PROBLEM 21.

- c). [You should assume that the total metal ion concentration is much less than 0.05 mol L⁻¹.]

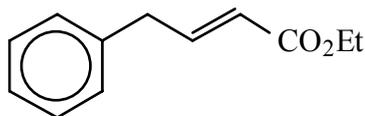
should be

[You should assume that the total metal ion concentration is much less than 0.005 mol L⁻¹.]

The answers are unchanged.

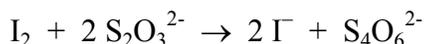
PROBLEM 26 (Solution).

The correct structure for the Wittig product (xxi) is an ethyl ester (not a methyl ester):



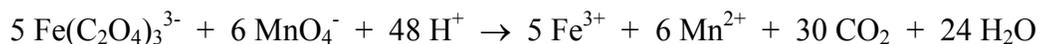
PROBLEM 29.

The equation for the reaction of iodine and thiosulphate is unbalanced and should of course be:



PROBLEM 30.

In the section: **Analysis for oxalate and iron** the equation for the reaction of tris(oxalato)ferrate(III) and acidified permanganate is unbalanced and should of course be:



Also, the equation for the oxidation of iron(III) by permanganate incorrectly has Fe³⁺ as a reactant and of course should be:

