

Titration

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Titration Terms

Titration
Controlled addition of a liquid into a vessel to measure the volume that reacts with a substance already in the vessel. Titration measures concentration.

Indicators
substances that change color to signal when to stop a titration
Organic dyes whose color is sensitive to pH

Endpoint
point in a titration when the indicator changes color

Standard Solution
solution of known concentration used in a titration

Neutralization
double replacement reaction: an acid and a base react to form water and a salt

$$\text{Acid} + \text{Base} \rightarrow \text{Salt} + \text{Water}$$

$$\text{H}^+ + \text{OH}^- \rightarrow \text{H}_2\text{O}$$

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Indicators

Complex Organic Compounds
Change color (chemical change) with pH changes
Choice depends on desired end-point

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| Bromthymol Blue | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Litmus | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Methyl Orange | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Methyl Red | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Phenolphthalein | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Phenol Red | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Thymol Blue | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 |

Most Used →

Indicators INDICATE Endpoint
An Indicator is the substance that indicates end of titration

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Phenolphthalein

phenolphthalein
pH < 8.2

phenolphthalein
pH > 12

One of the most common indicators used

Laxative

C.S.I. = used to determine if stain is blood

Kastle-Meyer Spot Test

Phenolphthalein plus sample

Add H₂O₂

Hemoglobin present oxidizes to pink form

OH⁻ attacks acid form and changes structure

Acid form: colorless

Basic form: magenta

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Many Plant Colors (Anthocyanins) are pH Indicators

Indicators → color depends on pH
Color change → Chemical change

The “colors” in vegetables have significant cancer risk reductions

Hydrangea
Basic Soil

Hydrangea
Acidic Soil

(pH > 3 red) (pH = 4-5 colorless) (pH = 6-7 violet)

(pH > 8 yellow) (pH = 7.8 blue)

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pH

pH = measurement of molar H⁺ concentration

The H means [H⁺] (molar concentration of hydrogen ions)

The p in pH means “the negative logarithm of”

$[H^+] = 1 \times 10^{-pH}$

pH 7 means the concentration of H⁺ = 10⁻⁷ M

pH < 7 → acidic

pH = 7 → neutral

pH > 7 → basic (alkaline)

pH is measured with electronics or indicators

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| Concentration of Hydrogen ions compared to distilled water | Examples of solutions at this pH |
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| $10,000,000 \times$ pH = 0 | Battery acid, Strong hydrochloric acid |
| $1,000,000 \times$ pH = 1 | Hydrochloric acid secreted by stomach lining |
| $100,000 \times$ pH = 2 | Lemon juice, acetic acid, vinegar |
| $10,000 \times$ pH = 3 | Grapefruit, orange juice, soda |
| $1,000 \times$ pH = 4 | Tomato juice, Aspirin |
| $100 \times$ pH = 5 | Soft drinking water, Black coffee |
| $10 \times$ pH = 6 | Distilled water |
| $1 \times$ pH = 7 | "Pure" water |
| $1/10 \times$ pH = 8 | Sea water |
| $1/100 \times$ pH = 9 | Baking soda |
| $1/1,000 \times$ pH = 10 | Great Salt Lake, Milk of magnesia |
| $1/10,000 \times$ pH = 11 | Ammonia solution |
| $1/100,000 \times$ pH = 12 | Soapy water |
| $1/1,000,000 \times$ pH = 13 | Household oven cleaner |
| $1/10,000,000 \times$ pH = 14 | Liquid drain cleaner |

Common pH Values

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The Titration Experiment

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Titration Experiment

Using Phenolphthalein
Color change
Colorless → Magenta
Easier to visualize

Most Common


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Titration Experiment

Key to "Titrations"




At end point:

Moles standard added = Moles unknown present

↑

via "Per Expression" from reaction coefficients



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Neutralization Reactions: Acid + Base → Salt + Water

How many mL's of 0.835 M HNO₃ will neutralize 38.5 mL of 0.522 M Mg(OH)₂?

Write the balanced reaction

$$2 \text{HNO}_3 + \text{Mg(OH)}_2 \rightarrow \text{Mg(NO}_3)_2 + 2 \text{H}_2\text{O}$$

Given: 38.5 mL 0.522 M magnesium hydroxide
Wanted: mL's 0.835 M nitric acid



1. Find # moles (using molarity) of given:

$$\frac{0.522 \text{ moles Mg(OH)}_2}{1000 \text{ mL}} \times 38.50 \text{ ml}$$
2. Use per expression from reaction coefficients to find moles unknown:

$$\times \frac{2 \text{ moles HNO}_3}{1 \text{ mole Mg(OH)}_2}$$
3. Use unknown molarity to convert to volume unknown needed:

$$\times \frac{1000 \text{ mL}}{0.835 \text{ moles}} = 48.1 \text{ mL}$$


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How many mL of 0.0957 M Sodium Hydroxide are needed to neutralize 20.00 mL of 0.180 M Hydrochloric acid?

Write the balanced reaction

$$\text{HCl} + \text{NaOH} \rightarrow \text{NaCl} + \text{H}_2\text{O}$$

Given: 20.00 mL 0.180 M hydrochloric acid
Wanted: mL's 0.0957 M sodium hydroxide



As Linear String: Starting with standard molarity

$$\frac{0.180 \text{ moles HCl}}{1000 \text{ mL}} \times 20.00 \text{ mL} \times \frac{1 \text{ mole NaOH}}{1 \text{ mole HCl}} \times \frac{1000 \text{ mL}}{0.0957 \text{ moles NaOH}} = 37.6 \text{ mL}$$

As Linear String: Starting with mL's standard added

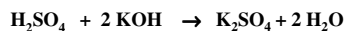
$$20.00 \text{ mL} \times \frac{0.180 \text{ moles HCl}}{1000 \text{ mL}} \times \frac{1 \text{ mole NaOH}}{1 \text{ mole HCl}} \times \frac{1000 \text{ mL}}{0.0957 \text{ moles NaOH}} = 37.6 \text{ mL}$$

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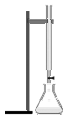
How many mL of 0.266 M Potassium Hydroxide are needed to neutralize 20.5 mL of 0.172 M Sulfuric acid?

Write the balanced reaction:



Given: 20.5 mL 0.172 M sulfuric acid

Wanted: ml's 0.266 M potassium hydroxide



As Linear String: Starting with standard molarity

$$\frac{0.172 \text{ moles H}_2\text{SO}_4}{1000 \text{ mL}} \times 20.5 \text{ mL} \times \frac{2 \text{ moles KOH}}{1 \text{ mole H}_2\text{SO}_4} \times \frac{1 \text{ L}}{0.266 \text{ moles}} \times \frac{1000 \text{ mL}}{1 \text{ L}} = 26.5 \text{ mL}$$

As Linear String: Starting with standard ml's added

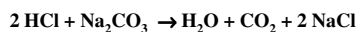
$$20.5 \text{ mL} \times \frac{0.172 \text{ moles H}_2\text{SO}_4}{1000 \text{ mL}} \times \frac{2 \text{ moles KOH}}{1 \text{ mole H}_2\text{SO}_4} \times \frac{1 \text{ L}}{0.266 \text{ moles}} \times \frac{1000 \text{ mL}}{1 \text{ L}} = 26.5 \text{ mL}$$

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How many mLs of 0.832 M HCl are required for 1.46 g of Na₂CO₃?



Given: 1.46 grams sodium carbonate (molar mass 105.98 g/mole)

Wanted: mL of 0.832 M HCl

As Linear String:

$$1.46 \text{ g Na}_2\text{CO}_3 \times \frac{1 \text{ mole}}{105.98 \text{ g}} \times \frac{2 \text{ mole HCl}}{1 \text{ mole Na}_2\text{CO}_3} \times \frac{1 \text{ L}}{0.832 \text{ moles HCl}} \times \frac{1000 \text{ mL}}{1 \text{ L}} = 33.1 \text{ mL}$$



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Neutralization Reactions: Solution Stoichiometry

Determine moles present in given solution

Use reaction coefficients ("per expression") to get moles wanted

Convert moles wanted to solution concentration

At endpoint:

$$\text{Moles added} \left(\frac{\text{Moles}}{1000 \text{ mL}} \times \text{mL standard} \right) = \text{moles present in standard}$$

$$\text{Moles present standard} \times \text{"per expression"} = \text{moles present in unknown}$$

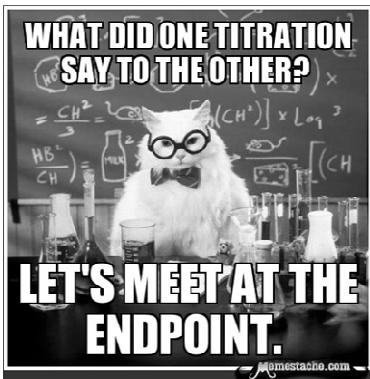
$$\frac{\text{moles present in unknown}}{\text{ml unknown}} \times \frac{1000 \text{ ml}}{1 \text{ L}} = \text{Molarity (M/L) unknown}$$



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