

by dissolving 58.9 grams of the pure salt in 2 liters of distilled water.

Sulphuric Acid, H₂SO₄, 0.967 N, standardized gravimetrically with barium.

Arsenious Acid, As₂O₃, 0.025 F, or 0.1 N, prepared by dissolving 9.90 grams of pure "lump white arsenic" in hot water and diluting to 2 liters with distilled water; before use the solution was diluted to ten times its volume with boiled distilled water (to prevent slow oxidation by oxygen).

Iodine, approximately 0.1 N, prepared by dissolving resublimed iodine in potassium iodide solution and diluting. For titrating, this solution was diluted to ten times its volume and compared frequently with the volumetric arsenious acid solution.

Ammonium Bicarbonate, "restrainer," prepared by passing carbon dioxide into a saturated solution of commercial ammonium carbonate, diluting with its own volume of water and again saturating with carbon dioxide.

Starch Solution, "indicator," prepared frequently by dissolving a gram or two of starch in 500 cc of boiling water, cooling and allowing to settle.

Explanation of the Tables

After *Cr* and *Ac* at the head of the tables are given the amounts, expressed in 10⁻⁵ gram-formula-weights (*i. e.*, in cc of 0.01 solution) of K₂Cr₂O₇ and H₂SO₄ respectively; after *As* the amount of As₂O₃, the unit being 0.25 × 10⁻⁵ gram-formula-weights (*i. e.*, 1 cc of 0.01 N solution); after *Vol.* is given the volume of the reacting mixture in cubic centimeters.

The constant *k* is defined by the equation, $k = \frac{1}{t} \log_{10} \frac{As}{As-x}$, where *x* is the amount (expressed in cc of 0.01 N solution) of arsenious acid oxidized in *t* minutes. After *Avg.* at the end of the tables is given the average of the constants; in taking the average, bracketed numbers were omitted.

As, 9.9.

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As, 9.9

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As, 9.9

t

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1.5

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2.5

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