

## Conductivity of electrolyte solutions

- P71. The molar specific conductivity of a  $0.100 \text{ mol dm}^{-3}$  solution of potassium chloride at  $298.15 \text{ K}$  is  $129 \text{ S cm}^2 \text{ mol}^{-1}$ . A  $28.44 \text{ }\Omega$  resistance is measured for this solution. The resistance of a  $0.025 \text{ mol dm}^{-3}$  formic acid solution in the same cell was measured to be  $444 \text{ }\Omega$ . Calculate the  $\text{p}K_{\text{a}}$  of formic acid. The molar specific conductivity of formic acid in infinitely dilute solution at this temperature is  $404.0 \text{ S cm}^2 \text{ mol}^{-1}$ . ( $\text{p}K_{\text{a}} = 3.74$ )
- P72. The ion mobility of sulfate ion is  $u = 8,29 \cdot 10^{-8} \text{ m}^2 \text{ s}^{-1} \text{ V}^{-1}$  at  $298.15 \text{ K}$  in aqueous solution. Estimate the hydrodynamic radius of the sulfate ion. The viscosity of the dilute aqueous solution is  $1.0 \text{ cP}$  (*i.e.*,  $1.0 \cdot 10^{-3} \text{ kg m}^{-1} \text{ s}^{-1}$ ). ( $a_{\text{hydr}} = 205 \text{ pm}$ )
- P73. The following data apply to  $\text{NaI}(aq)$  at  $298.15 \text{ K}$ :

$c / (\text{mol dm}^{-3})$	0.00100	0.00500	0.0100	0.0200
$\Lambda_{\text{m}} / (\text{S cm}^2 \text{ mol}^{-1})$	124.2	121.2	119.2	116.6

- Determine the molar specific conductivity of the infinitely dilute solution. ( $126.24 \text{ S cm}^2 \text{ mol}^{-1}$ )
- P74. An infinitely dilute solution of potassium chloride, potassium nitrate and silver nitrate has a molar specific conductivity of  $149.9$ ,  $145.0$  and  $133.4 \text{ S cm}^2 \text{ mol}^{-1}$ , respectively, at  $25.0 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ . How much is the molar specific conductivity of an infinitely dilute silver chloride solution at this temperature? ( $138.3 \text{ S cm}^2 \text{ mol}^{-1}$ )
- P75. What proportion of the electrical current is delivered by the lithium ions in an aqueous lithium bromide solution at  $25.0 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ ? The mobility of lithium and bromide ion at this temperature is  $4.01 \cdot 10^{-4}$  and  $8.09 \cdot 10^{-4} \text{ cm}^2 \text{ s}^{-1} \text{ V}^{-1}$ , respectively. ( $33.14\%$ )
- P76. Electrolysis of a dilute silver nitrate solution resulted in the deposition of  $0.4256 \text{ g}$  of silver on the cathode. Before electrolysis,  $1.4332 \text{ g}$  of silver chloride was precipitated from a given volume of the cathode space and, after electrolysis,  $1.1384 \text{ g}$  of silver chloride was precipitated from the same volume. Calculate the ion transport number of silver ions. The relative atomic masses of silver and chlorine are  $107.87$  and  $35.45$ , respectively. ( $0.4786$ )
- P77. Ion transport number is determined using Hittorf's method. In the Hittorf instrument, a hydrochloric acid solution is electrolyzed between platinum electrodes. The cathode solution contained  $0.177 \text{ g}$  of chloride ion prior to electrolysis and  $0.149 \text{ g}$  after it. In the silver-coulombmeter with serial connection, a total of  $0.5016 \text{ g}$  silver deposited during electrolysis. Calculate the transport number of hydrogen and chloride ions. ( $0.730$  and  $0.170$ )
- P78. The rate of motion of the boundary between hydrochloric acid and lithium chloride is measured in an aqueous solution. In a  $1.00 \text{ cm}$  diameter tube, the boundary moved  $15.0 \text{ cm}$  in  $22.0 \text{ min}$  when the current was  $11.54 \text{ mA}$ . What is the transport number of the hydrogen ion if the concentration of hydrochloric acid was  $0.01065 \text{ mol dm}^{-3}$ ? ( $0.7947$ )