

1. Describe the difference between the propagation of uncertainty from random error and the propagation of uncertainty from systematic error. 8%
2. Explain the term confidence interval. 6%
3. Describe the advantage of a calibration curve using an internal standard 6%
4. Explain why the solubility of a sparingly soluble salt increases as the ionic strength of the solution increases. 8%
5. Describe the conditions that the following equation can be used for a weak acid. 8%
$$[H^+] = \sqrt{K_a C_{HA}}$$
6. Describe the procedures in the preparation of a buffer solution. 8%
7. Describe two major errors in pH measurement. 8%
8. Explain that Fourier transform infrared spectrometer provides better sensitivity than scanning IR. 6%
9. Explain that the bandwidth of hollow-cathode lamp is narrower than the bandwidth of absorption line. 6%
10. Propose a method to overcome the isobaric effect in inductively coupled plasma mass spectrometry. 6%
11. Describe the advantages of using open tubular column instead of packed column in gas chromatography. 8%
12. Why is high pressure needed in HPLC? 6%
13. Describe the advantage and disadvantage of using fluorescence instead of UV as the HPLC detector. 8%
14. Describe the operation of a HPLC/triple quadrupole tandem mass spectrometer in pesticide (農藥) analysis. 8%

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