



**EASTERN UNIVERSITY, SRI LANKA**

**SECOND YEAR SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATION IN SCIENCE**

**2021/2022 (SEPT/OCT 2024)**

**CH2091 PHYSICAL CHEMISTRY LABORATORY-I**

**Group-I**

Time allowed: **Three** hours

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1. "You are provided with the following solutions"

- i. 1.0 M KI (**P**)
- ii. 0.5 M  $K_2S_2O_8$  (**Q**)
- iii. 0.05 M  $Na_2S_2O_3$  (**R**)

**Perform the following experiment and answer the questions below.**

- Pipette 10.0 ml of Solution Q into a boiling tube.
- Add 5 ml of distilled water and 10 drops of starch solution to it.
- Maintain this solution at the desired temperature (starting with 45°C).
- In another boiling tube, mix 5.0 ml of Solution R and 5.0 ml of Solution P, and maintain it at the same temperature (45°C) for 20 minutes.
- Mix both solutions and start the stopwatch when half of the solutions are combined.
- Measure the time taken for the solution to turn blue.
- Repeat this entire procedure at temperatures of 35°C, 25°C, and 15°C, following the same steps for each temperature.

- i. Tabulate your results.
- ii. Write balanced equations for all the reactions involved.
- iii. Write the linear form of the Arrhenius equation and explain the terms in it.
- iv. Determine the activation energy of the reaction by plotting a suitable graph

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