Answer to Question #49691, Chemistry, Inorganic Chemistry

What's the sodium hydroxide solution is standardized using 0.502 g of solid acid $H_2C_2O_4$. Find the molarity of the base if 30.50 mL are required for the titration to a phenolphthalein endpoint?

Solution:

 $H_2C_2O_4 + 2NaOH \rightarrow Na_2C_2O_4 + 2H_2O$

$$c = \frac{n}{V}$$

$$n(NaOH) = 2 \times n(H_2C_2O_4) = \frac{2 \times m(H_2C_2O_4)}{M_r(H_2C_2O_4)}$$

$$c = \frac{2 \times m(H_2C_2O_4)}{M_r(H_2C_2O_4) \times V}$$

$$c = \frac{2 \times 0.502}{90 \times 0.0305} = 0.366 \text{ mol/L}$$

Answer:

0.366 M

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