

Application Note AN-T-025

水溶液中过氧化氢含量的测定

Reliable and inexpensive determination according to ASTM D2180

Peroxides are often used for disinfection and water treatment purposes due to their antiseptic properties. Lower concentrations between 0.3–3% are used in households, while higher concentrations can be used for sterilization purposes.

Additionally, peroxides are utilized as oxidizing and bleaching agents. They are used for pulp and paper bleaching, as well as a mild whitener in laundry detergents and some cosmetic dental products.

Peroxides, perborates, and percarbonates can easily be determined by titration. This application note presents two titration methods for peroxide analysis. The first method is performed according to ASTM D2180, and is suitable for samples such as bleaching components or concentrated hydrogen peroxide solutions. The second method for the determination of traces of hydrogen peroxide is suitable for aqueous samples with concentrations as low as 0.4 mg/L.

SAMPLE AND SAMPLE PREPARATION

This application study is demonstrated on aqueous solutions containing various hydrogen peroxide concentrations ranging from 0.4 mg/L to 32%.

Samples with traces of H_2O_2 do not require any sample preparation. Samples with higher concentrations are diluted with deionized water. Both sample size and dilution factor should be chosen depending on the expected peroxide content. Ideally, an aliquot of the diluted sample results in an equivalence point of approximately 10 mL.

EXPERIMENTAL

The analysis is performed on an OMNIS Advanced Titrator equipped with a combined Pt ring electrode according to ASTM D2180. Before titration, the sample is acidified with sulfuric acid. In case of trace amounts, the sulfuric acid is modified to contain manganese sulfate as a catalyst. This modification allows a lower method detection limit.

Samples are titrated with potassium permanganate until after the equivalence point is reached. For samples with trace amounts of hydrogen peroxides, a lower titrant concentration is used.

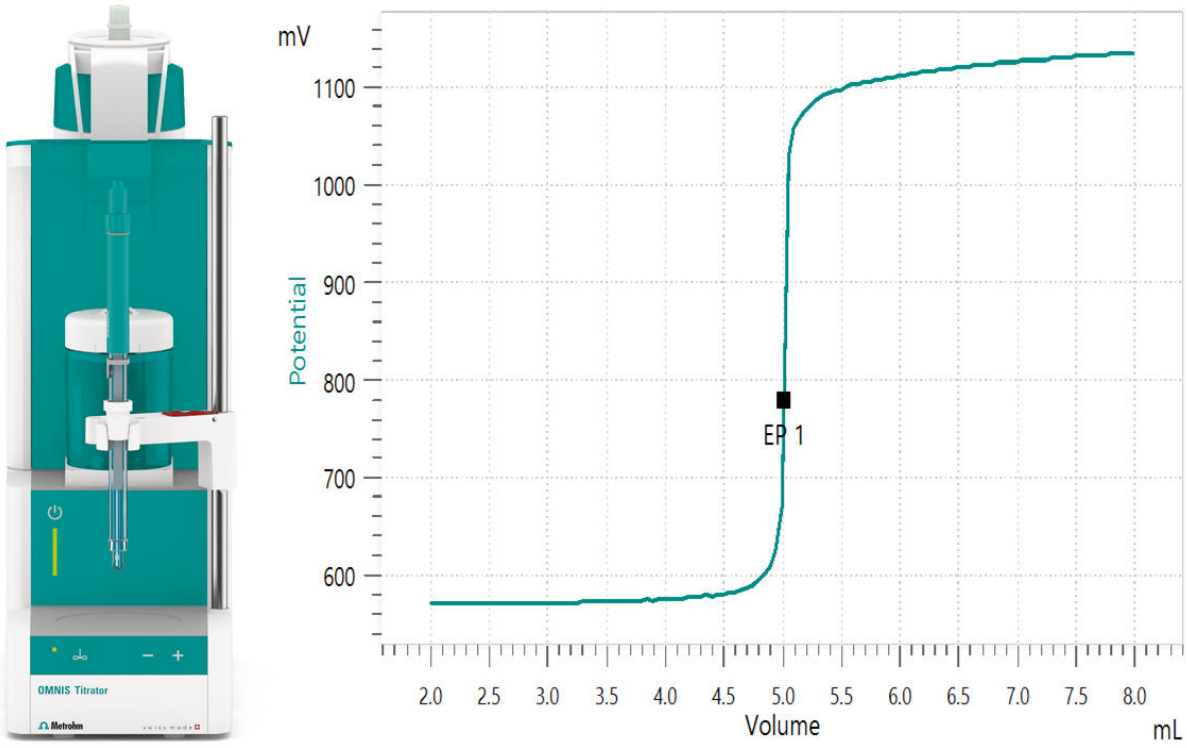


Figure 1. OMNIS Advanced Titrator and an example titration curve. (Left) OMNIS Advanced Titrator equipped with a digital Pt ring electrode for the determination of peroxides in aqueous solutions. (Right) A titration curve is displayed of sample no. 2 (Table 1) titrated according to ASTM D2180.

RESULTS

Sharp titration curves with a large potential difference are obtained for all tested samples and with both methods. This results in reproducible results as displayed in Table 1.

Table 1. Results of the peroxide determination in various aqueous solutions. Samples 1 and 2 are determined according to ASTM D2180, while samples 3 and 4 are determined according the modified method for trace amounts of peroxides.

No	n	Mean value	SD(abs)	SD(rel)
1	8	32.14%	0.03%	0.09%
2	3	85.82 mg/L	0.83 mg/L	0.97%
3	3	4.27 mg/L	0.01 mg/L	0.23%
4	5	0.40 mg/L	0.01 mg/L	2.50%

CONCLUSION

Titration is a fast and inexpensive method, allowing reliable determination of peroxides in aqueous solutions according to ASTM D2180. A modified method for trace concentrations permits accurate and reproducible peroxide determinations as low as 0.4 mg/L.
State-of-the-art OMNIS Titrators from Metrohm provide a whole new level of titration. The modular design of OMNIS Titrators offers complete application flexibility. The system can be expanded whenever necessary, allowing growth over time. With a resolution of 100,000 steps, maximum dosing accuracy can be achieved, further improving reproducibility.

Internal references: AW TI CH1-1296-012020; AW TI CH1-0350-0187

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CONFIGURATION



OMNIS Advanced Titrator

创新型、模块式电位分析 OMNIS Titrator 滴定仪,适于独立运行或作为 OMNIS 滴定系统的核心元件运行,用于使用 OMNIS Sample Robot 进行终点和等当点滴定(单一/动态)。由于采用 3S 试剂瓶适配器技术,处理化学品很安全。可以使用测量模块和计量管单元自由配置滴定仪,并在需要时扩展一台螺旋搅拌器。在需要时可以通过相应的软件功能许可证为平行滴定升级 OMNIS Advanced Titrator。

- 通过计算机或本地网络控制
- 可以为其他应用或辅助溶液另外连接四个滴定模块或加液模块
- 螺旋搅拌器的连接方式
- 可提供不同大小的计量管:5、10、20 或 50 mL
- 采用 3S 技术的试剂瓶适配器:安全处理化学品,自动传输生产商的原始试剂数据

测量模式和软件选项:

- 终点设定滴定:“Basic” 功能许可证
- 终点和等当点滴定(单一/动态):“Advanced” 功能许可证
- 终点和等当点滴定(单一/动态),包括平行滴定:“Professional” 功能许可证



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该免维护电极适用于 pH 值恒定的氧化还原滴定,例如:

- 碘量法
- 重铬酸钾法
- 铈量法
- 高锰酸盐滴定法

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