

## **IGCSE Chemistry (9-1) Specification 2(f)**

## (f) Acids, alkalis and titrations

## **Students should:**

- **2.28** describe the use of litmus, phenolphthalein and methyl orange to distinguish between acidic and alkaline solutions
- **2.29** understand how to use the pH scale, from 0-14, can be used to classify solutions as strongly acidic (0-3), weakly acidic (4-6), neutral (7), weakly alkaline (8-10) and strongly alkaline (11-14)
- **2.30** describe the use of universal indicator to measure the approximate pH value of an aqueous solution
- **2.31** know that acids in aqueous solution are a source of hydrogen ions and alkalis in a aqueous solution are a source of hydroxide ions
- 2.32 know that alkalis can neutralise acids

## 2.33C describe how to carry out an acid-alkali titration