## Determination of Bi(III) by complexometric titration

The ionic equation of the determination is (0.8 < pH < 2.5):

$$Bi^{3+} + EDTA^{4-} = [BiEDTA]^{-}$$

Description: An individual sample of Bi(III) will be given in a vial. Transfer the sample without loss into a  $100.00~\rm cm^3$  volumetric flask, add  $10~\rm cm^3$  10% (w/w) nitric acid and the fill up the flask with distilled water up to the mark. Shake this stock solution well, then put  $10.00~\rm cm^3$  of the stock solution into a  $100~\rm cm^3$  titration flask using a pipette. Add 1-4 drops of xylenol orange indicator, and titrate it with the Na<sub>2</sub>EDTA titrant of known concentration until its color becomes permanent yellow.

Molar weight of Bi: 209.00 g/mol