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Dextrose = ^{Invert Sugar} Grass Sugar = Starch Sugar - Glucose - is produced by the action of dil acids, or of certain ferments on starch, dextrin or cane Sugar

Dextrose = Analysis - make a rough preliminary test and then
 sufficient of the solⁿ when made up to 100 cc with water shall not contain more than 1% reducing sugar.

Fehling's Test
 Run into a 250 cc flask 5 cc Fehling's Cu Solⁿ A and 5 cc alkali Solⁿ B. add about 40 cc H₂O. mix well over a free flame with wire gauze. while still boiling add from a Burette a measured quantity of the Sugar solⁿ prepared as above. until the Cu after 3 minutes boiling is all reduced to Cuprous Oxide. the end point is determined in a variety of ways. the change is first from blue to green, then a dull red tint, and finally a bright brick red. The solⁿ in Burette may be added quite rapidly, until a dull red color is reached. If the flask is removed from the flame, and the bright light from a window viewed through the solⁿ with the eye on the level of the surface, a thin film scarcely wider than a line, will be observed just below the surface, which is due so long as some of the Cu remains unreacted, when all the Cu is reduced the film ceases to show, and becomes colorless or yellow.

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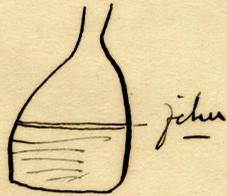


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If the fibre is not at once apparent - it may often be made quite noticeable by diluting the Soln in the flask with water. - the exact point is best arrived at by decanting a few drops of the Soln in the flask through a filter, acidify the filtrate with acetic acid and add a drop of K_4FeO_6 - un-reduced Cu gives a brown-red ppt. - towards the end the Sugar Soln shows no color is a time. Boiling the liquid for 3 minutes after each addition, until no brown-red color is produced with K_4FeO_6 -

0.05 grams of { Invert Sugar } will reduce 10 cc of Fehling's Soln
 { Dextrose or }
 { Levulose }

Suppose for example a sample of brown sugar is to be examined for invert sugar - this usually contains from 2 to 6 % invert sugar - hence if 10 grams of sample are dissolved in 100 cc the resulting soln will not contain more than 1% invert

Suppose 12.9 cc of this 10% reduce 10 cc of Fehling's
 10 cc Fehling's = 0.05 invert sugar
 - then for 12.9 cc of this 10% sugar soln 0.05 gram invert sugar
 100 cc Sugar soln contains 10 grams sample and 12.9 cc contains
 1.29 gram of sample - the equal of 0.05 gram invert sugar

Hence % of invert Sugar = $\frac{0.05 \times 100}{1.29} = 3.9$



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Syr

A = Fehling's = 34.63g grams of carefully crystals of pure CuSO_4 dissolved in water and diluted to exactly 500 cc

B = Fehling's = 173 grams Rochelle's salts & 50 grams Sodium Hydroxide are dissolved in water and diluted to exactly 500 cc.

Standardize by dissolving .5 gram of pure anhydrous dextrose in water and diluting to exactly 100 cc.
10 cc of this solⁿ should exactly reduce 10 cc of Fehling's