EXPERIMENT No.9

AIM: To test the presence of alcoholic group in the given organic compound.

PROCEDURE:

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1	CERRIC AMMONIUM NITRATE TEST Organic compound + few drops of cerric ammonium nitrate solution. Shake well.	A pink or red colour appears.	Alcoholic –OH group present.
2	ESTER TEST Organic compound + few drops of glacial acetic acid + 1-2 drops of conc. H ₂ SO ₄ + warm on water bath for 5 min. Cool and pour into 15ml of Na ₂ CO ₃ solution. Smell the contents.	A fruity smell is obtained	Alcoholic – OH group present

EQUATIONS: (ON BLANK SIDE USING A PENCIL)

1. ROH +
$$(NH_4)_2Ce(NO_5)_6$$
 \rightarrow $(NH_4)_2[Ce(OR)(NO_5)_5]$ + HNO₃
Cerric amm. nitrate pink or red
2. ROH + CH_3COOH \rightarrow $CH_3COOR + H_2O$

RESULT: (ON RULED SIDE) - Alcoholic –OH present in the given organic compound.