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General Certificate of Education  
January 2006  
Advanced Level Examination



**CHEMISTRY**  
**Unit 4 Further Physical and Organic Chemistry**

**CHM4**

Monday 23 January 2006 9.00 am to 10.30 am

**For this paper you must have**

- a calculator.

Time allowed: 1 hour 30 minutes

**Instructions**

- Use blue or black ink or ball-point pen.
- Fill in the boxes at the top of this page.
- Answer **all** questions.
- Answer questions in **Section A** and **Section B** in the spaces provided.
- All working must be shown.
- Do all rough work in this book. Cross through any work you do not want marked.
- The Periodic Table/Data Sheet is provided on pages 3 and 4. Detach this perforated sheet at the start of the examination.
- **Section B** questions are provided on a perforated sheet. Detach this sheet at the start of the examination.

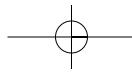
**Information**

- The maximum mark for this paper is 90.
- The marks for questions are shown in brackets.
- This paper carries 15 per cent of the total marks for Advanced Level.
- You are expected to use a calculator where appropriate.
- The following data may be required.  
Gas constant  $R = 8.31 \text{ J K}^{-1} \text{ mol}^{-1}$
- Your answers to the question in **Section B** should be written in continuous prose, where appropriate.
- You will be assessed on your ability to use an appropriate form and style of writing, to organise relevant information clearly and coherently, and to use specialist vocabulary, where appropriate.

**Advice**

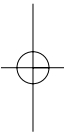
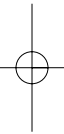
- You are advised to spend about 1 hour on **Section A** and about 30 minutes on **Section B**.

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**Table 1**  
Proton n.m.r chemical shift data

Type of proton	$\delta/\text{ppm}$
$\text{RCH}_3$	0.7–1.2
$\text{R}_2\text{CH}_2$	1.2–1.4
$\text{R}_3\text{CH}$	1.4–1.6
$\text{RCOCH}_3$	2.1–2.6
$\text{ROCH}_3$	3.1–3.9
$\text{RCOOCH}_3$	3.7–4.1
$\text{ROH}$	0.5–5.0

**Table 2**  
Infra-red absorption data

Bond	Wavenumber/ $\text{cm}^{-1}$
$\text{C—H}$	2850–3300
$\text{C—C}$	750–1100
$\text{C=C}$	1620–1680
$\text{C=O}$	1680–1750
$\text{C—O}$	1000–1300
$\text{O—H}$ (alcohols)	3230–3550
$\text{O—H}$ (acids)	2500–3000

## SECTION A

Answer **all** questions in the spaces provided.

- 1 The initial rate of the reaction between the gases NO and H<sub>2</sub> was measured in a series of experiments at a constant temperature and the following rate equation was determined.

$$\text{rate} = k[\text{NO}]^2[\text{H}_2]$$

- (a) Complete the table of data below for the reaction between NO and H<sub>2</sub>

Experiment	Initial [NO]/mol dm <sup>-3</sup>	Initial [H <sub>2</sub> ]/mol dm <sup>-3</sup>	Initial rate/mol dm <sup>-3</sup> s <sup>-1</sup>
1	$3.0 \times 10^{-3}$	$1.0 \times 10^{-3}$	$1.8 \times 10^{-5}$
2	$3.0 \times 10^{-3}$		$7.2 \times 10^{-5}$
3	$1.5 \times 10^{-3}$	$1.0 \times 10^{-3}$	
4		$0.50 \times 10^{-3}$	$8.1 \times 10^{-5}$

(3 marks)

- (b) Using the data from experiment 1, calculate a value for the rate constant,  $k$ , and state its units.

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2 In this question, give all pH values to 2 decimal places.

- (a) (i) Write expressions for the ionic product of water,  $K_w$ , and for pH.

$K_w =$  .....

pH = .....

- (ii) At 318 K, the value of  $K_w$  is  $4.02 \times 10^{-14} \text{ mol}^2 \text{ dm}^{-6}$  and hence the pH of pure water is 6.70  
State why pure water is not acidic at 318 K.

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- (iii) Calculate the number of moles of sodium hydroxide in  $2.00 \text{ cm}^3$  of  $0.500 \text{ mol dm}^{-3}$  aqueous sodium hydroxide.

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- (iv) Use the value of  $K_w$  given above and your answer to part (a)(iii) to calculate the pH of the solution formed when  $2.00 \text{ cm}^3$  of  $0.500 \text{ mol dm}^{-3}$  aqueous sodium hydroxide are added to  $998 \text{ cm}^3$  of pure water at 318 K.

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- (b) At 298 K, the acid dissociation constant,  $K_a$ , for propanoic acid,  $\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{COOH}$ , has the value  $1.35 \times 10^{-5} \text{ mol dm}^{-3}$ .

- (i) Write an expression for  $K_a$  for propanoic acid.

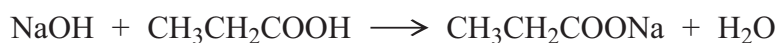
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- (ii) Calculate the pH of  $0.125 \text{ mol dm}^{-3}$  aqueous propanoic acid at 298 K.

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- (c) Sodium hydroxide reacts with propanoic acid as shown in the following equation.



A buffer solution is formed when sodium hydroxide is added to an excess of aqueous propanoic acid.

- (i) Calculate the number of moles of propanoic acid in  $50.0 \text{ cm}^3$  of  $0.125 \text{ mol dm}^{-3}$  aqueous propanoic acid.

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- (ii) Use your answers to part (a)(iii) and part (c)(i) to calculate the number of moles of propanoic acid in the buffer solution formed when  $2.00 \text{ cm}^3$  of  $0.500 \text{ mol dm}^{-3}$  aqueous sodium hydroxide are added to  $50.0 \text{ cm}^3$  of  $0.125 \text{ mol dm}^{-3}$  aqueous propanoic acid.

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- (iii) Hence calculate the pH of this buffer solution at 298 K.

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- 3 (a) The expression for an equilibrium constant,  $K_c$ , for a homogeneous equilibrium reaction is given below.

$$K_c = \frac{[A]^2[B]}{[C][D]^3}$$

- (i) Write an equation for the forward reaction.

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- (ii) Deduce the units of  $K_c$

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- (iii) State what can be deduced from the fact that the value of  $K_c$  is larger when the equilibrium is established at a lower temperature.

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(3 marks)

- (b) A 36.8 g sample of  $N_2O_4$  was heated in a closed flask of volume  $16.0 \text{ dm}^3$ . An equilibrium was established at a constant temperature according to the following equation.



The equilibrium mixture was found to contain 0.180 mol of  $N_2O_4$

- (i) Calculate the number of moles of  $N_2O_4$  in the 36.8 g sample.

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- (ii) Calculate the number of moles of  $NO_2$  in the equilibrium mixture.

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- (iii) Write an expression for  $K_c$  and calculate its value under these conditions.

*Expression for  $K_c$*  .....

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*Calculation* .....

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- (iv) Another 36.8 g sample of  $N_2O_4$  was heated to the same temperature as in the original experiment, but in a larger flask. State the effect, if any, of this change on the position of equilibrium and on the value of  $K_c$  compared with the original experiment.

*Effect on the position of equilibrium* .....

*Effect on the value of  $K_c$*  .....

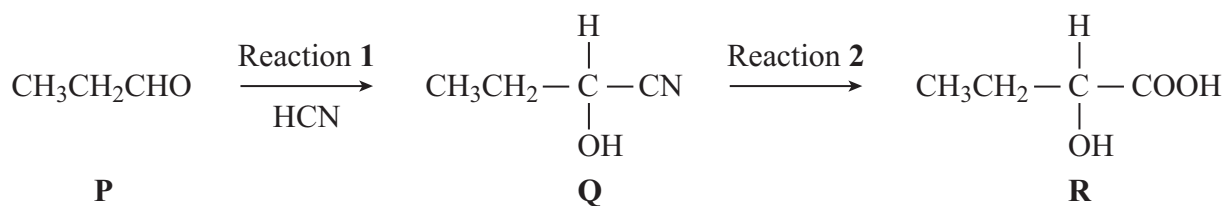
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4 Consider the sequence of reactions below.



(a) Name and outline a mechanism for Reaction 1.

Name of mechanism .....

Mechanism

(5 marks)

(b) (i) Name compound **Q**

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(ii) The molecular formula of **Q** is  $\text{C}_4\text{H}_7\text{NO}$ . Draw the structure of the isomer of **Q** which shows geometrical isomerism and is formed by the reaction of ammonia with an acyl chloride.

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- (c) Draw the structure of the main organic product formed in each case when **R** reacts separately with the following substances:
- (i) methanol in the presence of a few drops of concentrated sulphuric acid;
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  - (ii) acidified potassium dichromate(VI);
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  - (iii) concentrated sulphuric acid in an elimination reaction.

(3 marks)

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5 (a) Name the compound  $(\text{CH}_3)_2\text{NH}$

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(1 mark)

(b)  $(\text{CH}_3)_2\text{NH}$  can be formed by the reaction of an excess of  $\text{CH}_3\text{NH}_2$  with  $\text{CH}_3\text{Br}$ . Name and outline a mechanism for this reaction.

Name of mechanism .....

Mechanism

(5 marks)

(c) Name the type of compound produced when a large excess of  $\text{CH}_3\text{Br}$  reacts with  $\text{CH}_3\text{NH}_2$ .  
Give a use for this type of compound.

Type of compound .....

Use .....

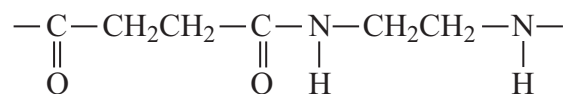
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(d) Draw the structures of the two compounds formed in the reaction of  $\text{CH}_3\text{NH}_2$  with ethanoic anhydride.

(2 marks)

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- 6 (a) The structure below shows the repeating unit of a polymer.



By considering the functional group formed during polymerisation, name this type of polymer and the type of polymerisation involved in its formation.

Type of polymer .....

Type of polymerisation .....

(2 marks)

- (b) Draw the structure of the species present in solid aminoethanoic acid,  $\text{H}_2\text{NCH}_2\text{COOH}$

(1 mark)

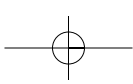
- (c) Explain why the melting point of aminoethanoic acid is much higher than that of hydroxyethanoic acid,  $\text{HOCH}_2\text{COOH}$

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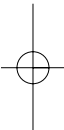
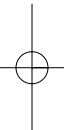
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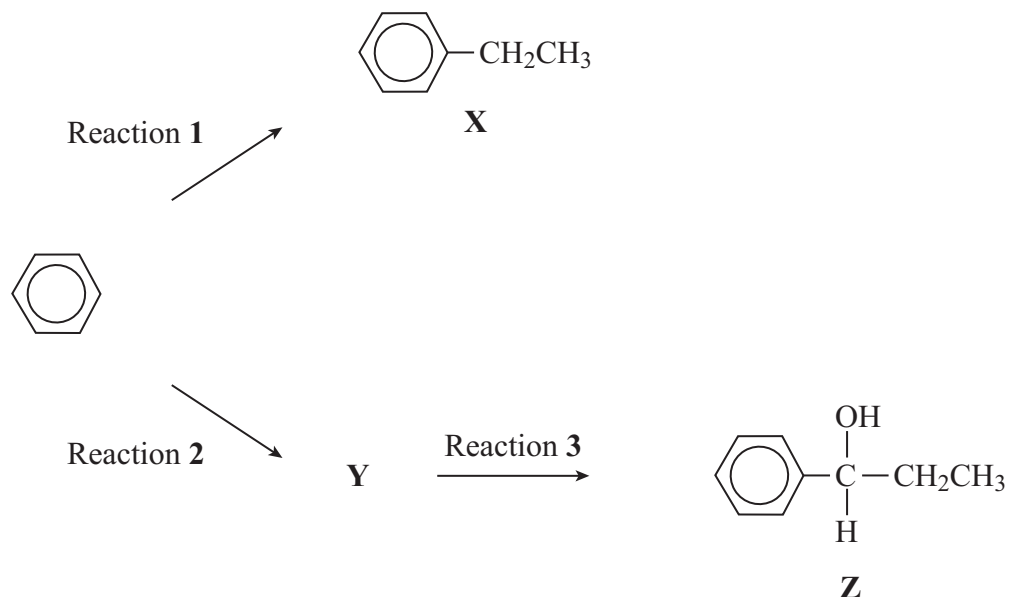
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## SECTION B

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7 Two reactions of benzene are shown below.

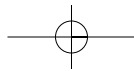


- (a) Name **X** and give the reagent and catalyst required for Reaction 1.  
Write an equation for the formation of the reactive intermediate involved in this reaction.  
Name and outline a mechanism for the reaction of this reactive intermediate with benzene to form **X**.  
(8 marks)
- (b) (i) Deduce the structure of **Y** and give the organic reagent needed for Reaction 2.  
(ii) Give the reagent(s) needed for Reaction 3.  
(3 marks)

- 8 (a) The reaction of but-1-ene with chlorine produces 1,2-dichlorobutane,  $C_4H_8Cl_2$
- (i) Given that chlorine exists as a mixture of two isotopes,  $^{35}Cl$  and  $^{37}Cl$ , predict the number of molecular ion peaks and their  $m/z$  values in the mass spectrum of  $C_4H_8Cl_2$
- (ii) The mass spectrum of 1,2-dichlorobutane contains peaks at  $m/z = 77$  and 79. Draw the structure of the fragment ion which produces the peak at  $m/z = 77$  and write an equation showing its formation from the molecular ion.
- (6 marks)
- (b) The reaction of but-2-ene with hydrogen chloride forms a racemic mixture of the stereoisomers of 2-chlorobutane.
- (i) Name the type of stereoisomerism shown by 2-chlorobutane and give the meaning of the term *racemic mixture*. State how separate samples of the stereoisomers could be distinguished.
- (ii) By considering the shape of the reactive intermediate involved in the mechanism of this reaction, explain how a racemic mixture of the two stereoisomers of 2-chlorobutane is formed.
- (7 marks)
- (c) The reaction of but-2-ene with chlorine produces 2,3-dichlorobutane,  $C_4H_8Cl_2$
- (i) State the number of peaks, their integration ratio and any splitting of peaks in the proton n.m.r. spectrum of 2,3-dichlorobutane.
- (ii) Compound **S**, an isomer of  $C_4H_8Cl_2$ , produces a proton n.m.r. spectrum which consists only of a singlet, a triplet and a quartet with an integration ratio of 3:3:2 respectively.
- Compound **T**, also an isomer of  $C_4H_8Cl_2$ , produces a proton n.m.r. spectrum which consists only of two singlets with an integration ratio of 3:1
- Draw the structures of **S** and of **T**.
- (6 marks)

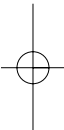
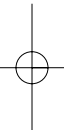
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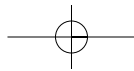


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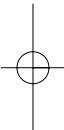
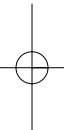


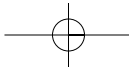
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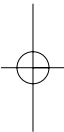
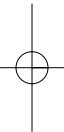
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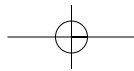


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