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**COMMON TEST**

**MARKING GUIDELINES**

**MARKS: 150**

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This memorandum consists of 11 pages.



### QUESTION 1

- 1.1 D ✓✓ (2)
- 1.2 C ✓✓ (2)
- 1.3 A ✓✓ (2)
- 1.4 B ✓✓ (2)
- 1.5 A ✓✓ (2)
- 1.6 B ✓✓ (2)
- 1.7 C ✓✓ (2)
- 1.8 D ✓✓ (2)
- 1.9 B ✓✓ (2)
- 1.10 B ✓✓ (2)
- [20]**



### QUESTION 2

2.1.1 4,5,5 – trimethylhexa – 1,3 - diene

**REMOVED**

**Marking criteria:**

- correct stem i.e. hexadiene✓
- all substituents trimethyl correctly identified✓
- IUPAC name completely correct including numbering, sequence and hyphen and commas✓

**(3)**

2.1.2 2 – methylbutan – 2 – ol **OR** 2 – methyl -2-butanol

**Marking criteria:**

- correct stem i.e. butanol✓
- substituent methyl correctly identified✓
- IUPAC name completely correct including numbering, sequence and hyphen and commas✓

**(3)**

2.2.1 F✓

2.2.2 E✓



2.3.1 A bond/an atom/a group of atoms that determine(s) the (physical and) chemical properties of a group of organic compounds.

**Marking criteria:**

If any one of the underlined key phrases in the correct context is omitted, deduct 1 mark

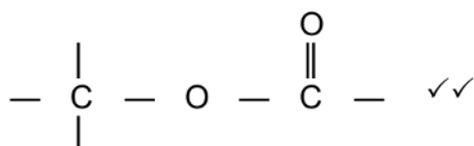


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2.3.2 carboxyl ✓

(1)

2.3.3



**Marking criteria:**

Whole structure correct  
2 or zero

(2)

2.3.4  $C_2H_4O_2 \checkmark + C_2H_6O \checkmark \rightarrow C_4H_8O_2 \checkmark + H_2O \checkmark$  balancing ✓

**Marking criteria:**

- 1 for each correct reactant and product
- 1 for correct balancing
- If structural formulae are used Max 4/5
- Any additional reactant or product: -1 mark

(5)

2.3.5 Sulphuric acid/ $H_2SO_4$  ✓

(1)

2.3.6 ethanol ✓✓

(2)

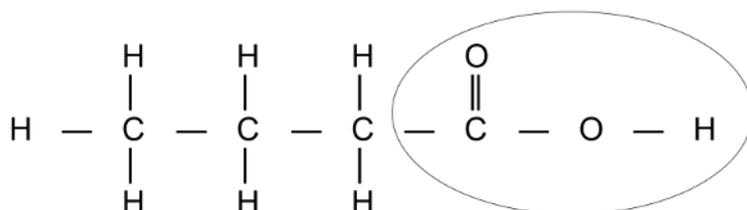
2.4 Compounds with the same molecular formula ✓ but different functional groups/homologous series. ✓

**Marking criteria:**

If any one of the underlined key phrases in the correct context is omitted, deduct 1 mark

(2)

2.5



**Marking criteria:**

- Only Functional group correctly drawn ✓  $\frac{1}{2}$
- Whole structure correct ✓  $\frac{2}{2}$

(2)

**QUESTION 3**

3.1.1 The temperature at which the vapour pressure of a substance equals atmospheric pressure. ✓✓

**Marking criteria:**

If any one of the underlined key phrases in the correct context is omitted, deduct 1 mark



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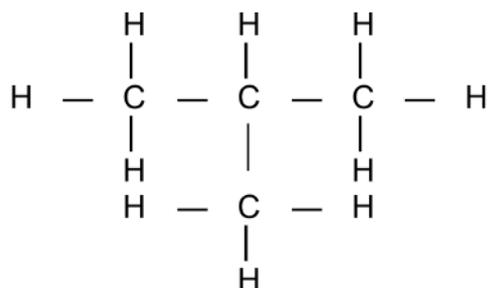
3.1.2 Compound X / methylpropane is branched / has a smaller surface area / is less spherical while compound Y / butane has a straight chain / is unbranched / has a bigger surface area / is more spherical ✓

The intermolecular forces in compound Y are stronger than the intermolecular forces in compound X. ✓

More energy is required to overcome the intermolecular forces in compound Y. ✓

(3)

3.1.3



**Marking criteria:**

- 3 carbons in the longest chain ✓
- substituent methyl on the second carbon and everything else correct ✓

(2)

3.2.1 Butanoic acid ✓✓

The compounds must be of comparable molecular mass OR butanoic acid has the same molecular mass as pentan - 1 - ol ✓

**OR**

Pentanoic acid ✓✓

The compounds must be of comparable chain length OR butanoic acid has the same chain length as pentan - 1 - ol ✓

(3)

3.2.2 GREATER THAN ✓

(1)

3.2.3 The carboxylic acid has 2 sites for hydrogen bonding while the alcohol has only 1 site for hydrogen bonding. ✓

The intermolecular forces will therefore be stronger between the molecules of the carboxylic acid. ✓

More energy will therefore be required to overcome the intermolecular forces between the molecules of the acid. ✓



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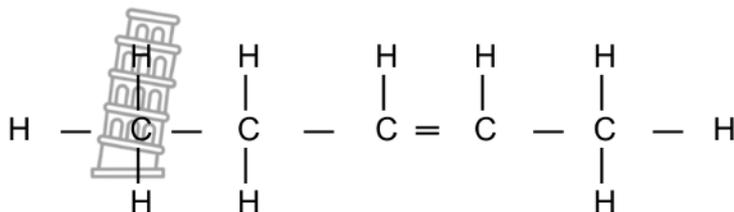
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QUESTION 4

4.1.1 Elimination. ✓

(1)

4.1.2



**Marking criteria:**

- Double bond on second carbon ✓  $\frac{1}{2}$
- Whole structure correct ✓  $\frac{2}{2}$

(2)

4.1.3 concentrated sulphuric acid ✓✓ (If concentrated is not mentioned, then 1/2)

(2)

4.2.1 Hydrogenation ✓

(1)

4.2.2 Hydrogen/H<sub>2</sub> ✓

(1)

4.2.3 Platinum/Pt catalyst ✓

(1)

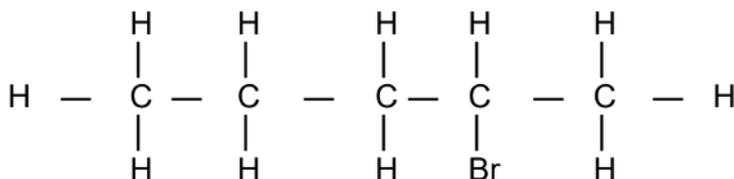
4.3.1 Halogenation/bromination/substitution ✓

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4.3.2 Require uv light. Or heat ✓

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4.3.3



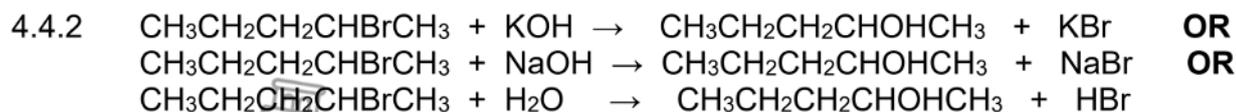
**Marking criteria:**

- Br on second carbon ✓  $\frac{1}{2}$
- Whole structure correct ✓  $\frac{2}{2}$

(2)



4.4.1 Dilute strong base/KOH/NaOH/H<sub>2</sub>O ✓ (1)



**Marking criteria:**

- Correct reactants ✓
- Correct products ✓
- Balancing ✓

(3)

4.5 Dehydrohalogenation/dehydrobromination ✓ (1)  
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**QUESTION 5**

5.1

**Marking criteria:**

Give the mark for per unit time only if in context of reaction rate.

ANY ONE

- Change in concentration ✓ of products/reactants per (unit) time. ✓
- Change in amount/number of moles/volume/mass ✓ of products or reactants per (unit) time. ✓
- Amount/number of moles/volume/mass of products formed/reactants used per (unit) time. ✓✓
- Rate of change in concentration/amount of moles/number of moles/volume/mass. ✓✓ (2 or 0)

(2)

5.2 Change in the mass of the flask and contents ✓ decreases per unit time / per second / every 30 seconds. ✓ (2)

5.3 Mass of CaCO<sub>3</sub> decreases or is used up. ✓  
 A decrease in the exposed surface area. ✓  
 The number of effective collisions per unit time decreases. ✓

OR

HCl is used up. ✓  
 Concentration of the HCl decreases. ✓  
 The number of effective collisions per unit time decreases. ✓

**NOTE:** If no mention made of CaCO<sub>3</sub> or HCl used up, award 2 marks to second bullet.

(3)

5.4 REMAINS THE SAME. ✓ (1)

5.5

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Average rate} &= - \frac{\Delta m}{\Delta t} \\ 6,58 \times 10^{-2} \checkmark &= - \frac{X - 217,50}{180 - 0} \checkmark \\ X &= 205,66 \text{ g} \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

**Marking criteria:**

- Substitute rate ✓
- Substitute  $\Delta m$  ✓
- $\frac{\Delta t}{\Delta t}$  ✓
- Final answer ✓

(4)

5.6

203,95 g ✓  
Reaction has reached completion. ✓

(2)

5.7

**Marking criteria:**

- Calculate mass of pure CO<sub>2</sub> ✓
- Formula:  $n = \frac{m}{M}$
- Correct substitution of 44 (  $\frac{13,55}{44}$  ✓ ) in the above formula
- Formula  $n(\text{CO}_2)_{\text{produced}} = \frac{V}{V_m}$
- Substitute  $n = 0,31$  ✓
- Substitute  $V_m = 22,4$  ✓
- Final answer = 6.944 dm<sup>3</sup> ✓

✓ Either equation

$$m(\text{CO}_2) = 217,50 - 203,95 \checkmark = 13,55 \text{ g}$$

$$\begin{aligned} n(\text{CO}_2) &= \frac{m}{M} \\ &= \frac{13,55}{44} \checkmark \\ &= 0,31 \text{ mols} \end{aligned}$$

✓ Either equation

$$\begin{aligned} n(\text{CO}_2)_{\text{produced}} &= \frac{V}{V_m} \\ 0,31 \checkmark &= \frac{V}{22,4} \checkmark \\ V &= 6,944 \text{ dm}^3 (6,90) \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

(6)

5.8

A catalyst provides an alternate pathway of lower activation energy / lowers the activation energy ✓  
More molecules will therefore have sufficient energy ✓  
The number of effective collisions per unit time increases ✓



(3)

5.9.1

REMAINS THE SAME ✓

(1)

5.9.2

DECREASES ✓

(1)

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QUESTION 6

- 6.1.1 The reaction is in a state of (dynamic) equilibrium. ✓✓  
OR The rate of forward reaction equals the rate of reverse reaction.  
OR The concentrations of the reactants and products remain constant.

**Note**

IF: Forward reaction equals reverse reaction.

$\frac{1}{2}$

(2)

- 6.1.2 Less than ✓

(1)

- 6.1.3  $t_1$  ✓

The concentration of  $N_2$  was increased./graph shows an increase in concentration of  $N_2$  ✓

(2)

- 6.1.4

**Marking criteria:**

If any one of the underlined key phrases in the correct context is omitted, deduct 1 mark.

When the equilibrium in a closed system is disturbed, the system will re-instate a new equilibrium by favouring the reaction that will cancel/oppose the disturbance. ✓✓

(2)

- 6.1.5 temperature ✓

(1)

- 6.1.6 INCREASED ✓

According to the graph the concentration of the reactants increases OR the concentration of the products decreases. ✓

Therefore the reverse reaction / endothermic reaction is favoured. ✓

(According to Le Chatelier's Principle) an increase in temperature favours the endothermic reaction. ✓

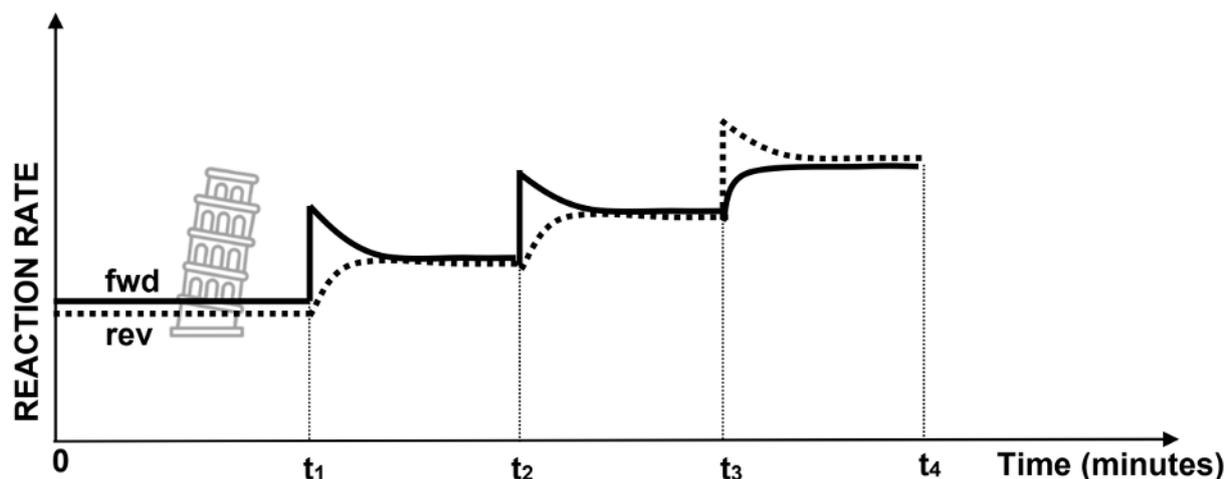
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- 6.1.7

**MARKING CRITERIA**

- At  $t_1$ , forward reaction is favoured (vertical upward climb of solid line) ✓
- At  $t_2$ , forward reaction is favoured (vertical upward climb of solid line) ✓
- At  $t_3$ , reverse reaction is favoured (vertical upward climb of broken line) ✓
- Vertical upward increase in rates at  $t_2$ ,  $t_3$  and  $t_4$ . ✓
- Equilibrium rate at  $t_4$  .> equilibrium rate at  $t_3$  > equilibrium rate at  $t_2$  ✓





(5)

6.2.1 Products can be converted back to reactants. ✓✓

(2)

6.2.2 REVERSE ✓

(1)

6.3

**Marking criteria:**

- Change in no. of mol of C = 1 ✓
- Using the correct ratio ✓
- Subtraction: initial mol X – change in mol of X AND initial mol Y – change in mol of Y. ✓
- Equilibrium mol of X and Y; divide by 2 ✓
- Correct K<sub>c</sub> expression (formulae in square brackets) ✓
- Substitution of equilibrium concentrations into K<sub>c</sub> expression. ✓
- Final answer 0,71 ✓

	X	Y	C	
Ratio	2	1	2	
Initial quantity (mol)	2,5	1,75	0	
Change (mol)	1	0,5	1 ✓	Using ratio ✓
Quantity at equilibrium (mol)	1,5	1,25	1	✓
Equilibrium concentration (mol·dm <sup>-3</sup> )	0,75	0,625	0,5	✓ Divide by 2

$$K_c = \frac{[C]^2}{[X]^2[Y]} \checkmark$$

$$\therefore = \frac{[0,5]^2}{[0,75]^2[0,625]} \checkmark$$

$$= 0,71 \checkmark$$

No K<sub>c</sub> expression, correct substitution. 6/7

Wrong K<sub>c</sub> expression 4/7

(7)  
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### QUESTION 7

7.1.1 acids produce hydrogen ions ( $H^+/H_3O^+$ /hydronium ions) in aqueous solutions. ✓✓

**Marking criteria:**

If any one of the underlined key phrases in the correct context is omitted, deduct 1 mark.

7.1.2 Hydrogen sulphate ion/  $HSO_4^-$  ✓  
Acts as an acid and a base ✓ (2)

7.2.1  $H_2O$  ✓  
 $(COO)_2^{2-}$  ✓ (2)

7.2.2 Oxalic acid. ✓  
Has a higher  $K_a$  value. ✓  
Ionises to a greater extent / more completely. OR has a higher ion concentration. ✓ (3)

7.3.1 REMAINS THE SAME ✓ (1)

7.3.2 DECREASES ✓ The volume increases while number of moles is constant /  
The number of moles of acid decreases in proportion to the volume of water ✓ (2)

7.4.1 The point at which the acid has completely reacted with the base /  
The point at which the base has completely reacted with the acid ✓✓ (2)



7.4.2

**Marking criteria:**

- Formula  $\frac{C_A V_A}{C_B V_B} = \frac{n_A}{n_B} / n = cV$  ✓
- Substitute for  $C_A$ ,  $V_A$  and  $V_B$  in the above formula/ $cV$  ✓
- Ratio  $n_A : n_B$  ✓
- Final answer:  $0,365 \text{ mol.dm}^{-3}$  ✓



$$\frac{C_A V_A}{C_B V_B} = \frac{n_A}{n_B} \quad \checkmark$$

$$\frac{0,29 \times 12,58}{C_B \times 20} = \frac{1}{2} \quad \checkmark$$

$$C_B = 0,365 \text{ mol.dm}^{-3} \quad \checkmark$$

OR

$$n(\text{NaHCO}_3) = 2 n (\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4)$$

$$= 2 cV \quad \checkmark$$

$$= 2(0,29)(0,01258)$$

$$= 7,2964 \times 10^{-3} \text{ mols}$$

$$c(\text{NaHCO}_3) = \frac{n}{V} \quad \checkmark$$

$$= \frac{7,2964 \times 10^{-3}}{0,02}$$

$$= 0,365 \text{ mol.dm}^{-3} \quad \checkmark$$

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7.4.3 POSITIVE MARKING FROM QUESTION 7.4.2

**Marking criteria:**

- Any Formula:  $n = CV / m = nM / m = CMV$  Formula:  $m = nM$  ✓
- Substitute 0,365 from 7.3.1 and 0,25 ✓
- Substitute  $M = 84$  in any of the above formulae
- Final answer:  $7,665 \text{ g}$  ✓

**OPTION1**

$$n(\text{NaHCO}_3) \text{ in } 250\text{cm}^3 = cV \quad \checkmark$$

$$= (0,365)(0,25) \quad \checkmark$$

$$= 0,09125 \text{ mols}$$

$$m(\text{NaHCO}_3) \text{ in } 250\text{cm}^3 = nM$$

$$= 0,09125 \times 84 \quad \checkmark$$

$$= 7,67 \text{ g} \quad \checkmark$$

**OPTION2**

$$m = CMV \quad \checkmark$$

$$= (0,365)(0,25)(84) \quad \checkmark$$

$$= 7,67 \text{ g} \quad \checkmark$$



(4)  
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150

TOTAL: