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Student Number

NORTH SYDNEY GIRLS HIGH SCHOOL



2020

Higher School Certificate Trial Examination

Chemistry

Total Marks – 100

General Instructions

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80 Marks

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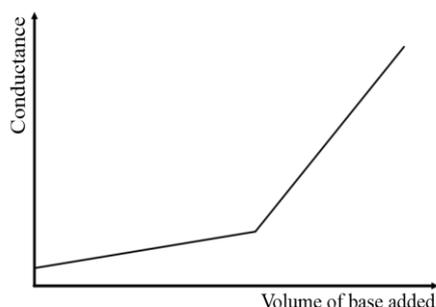
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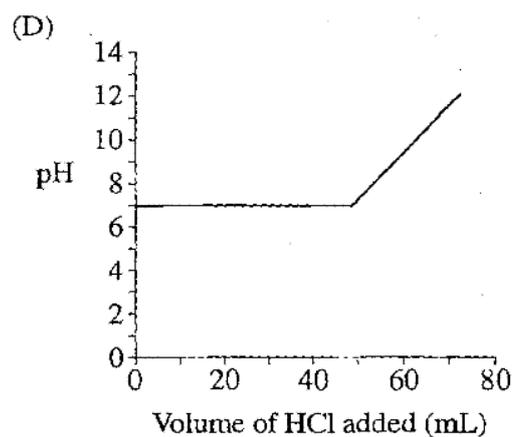
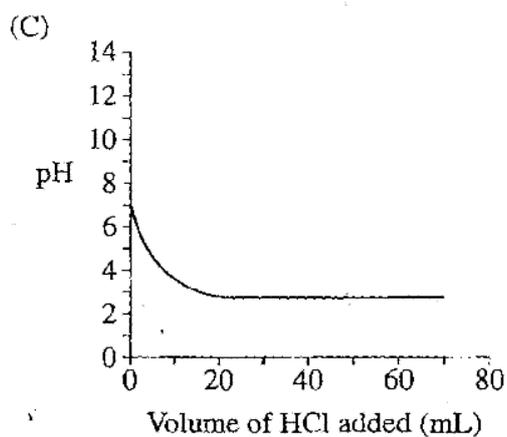
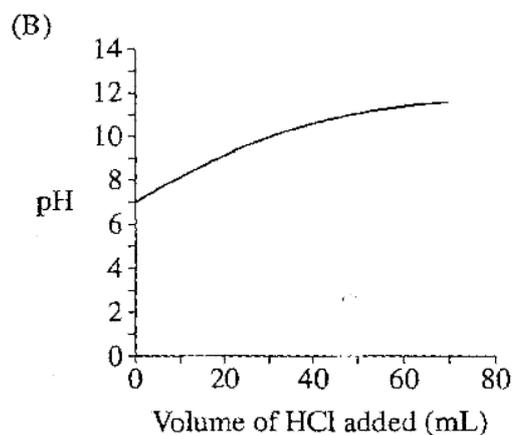
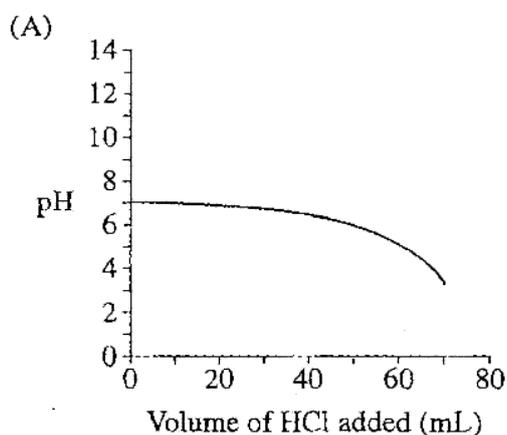


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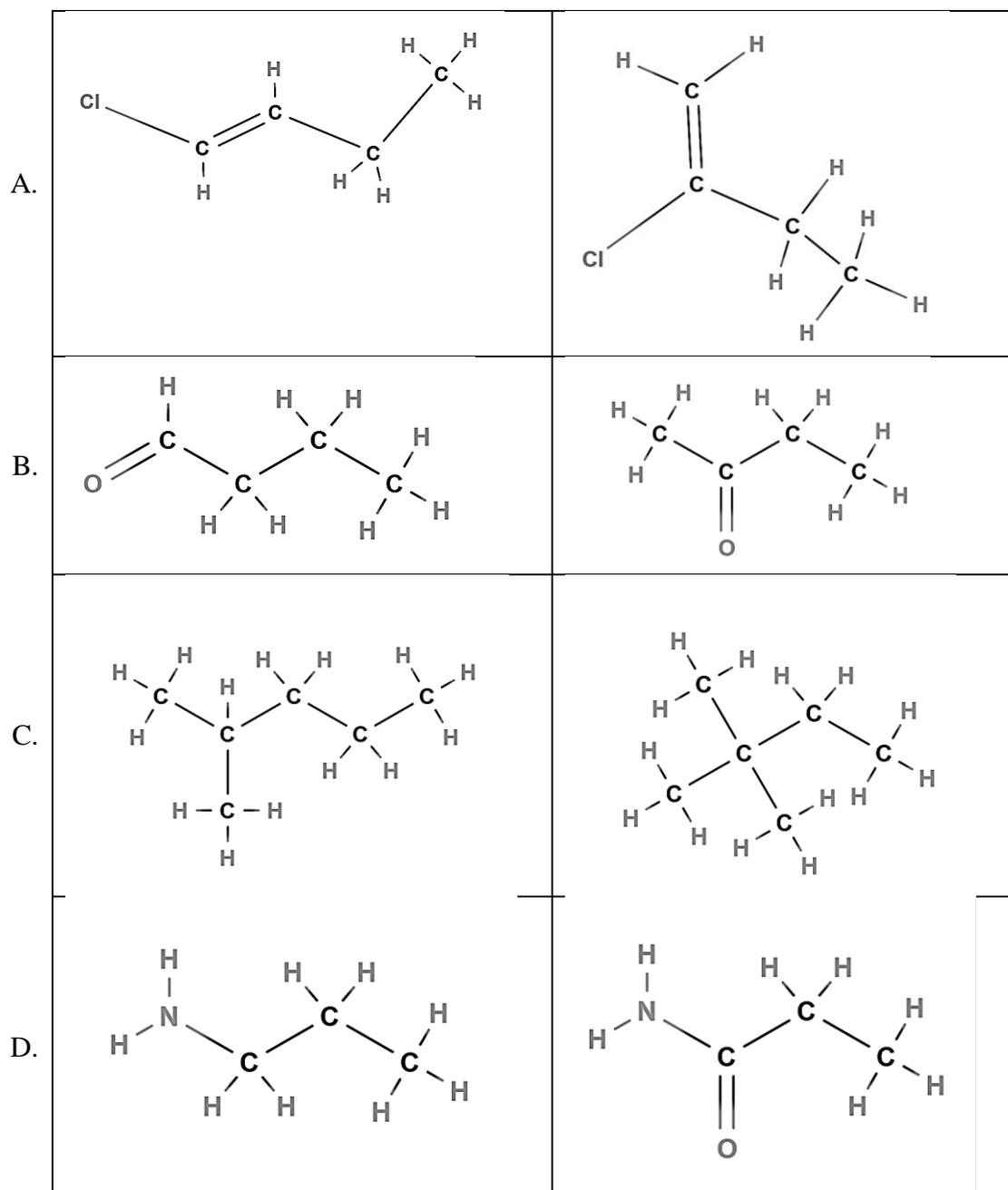
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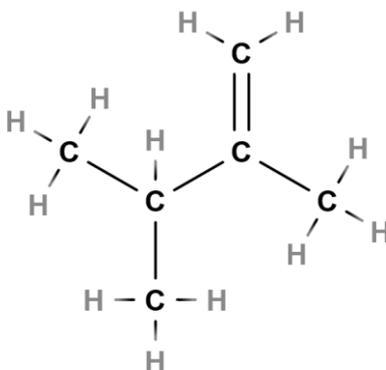
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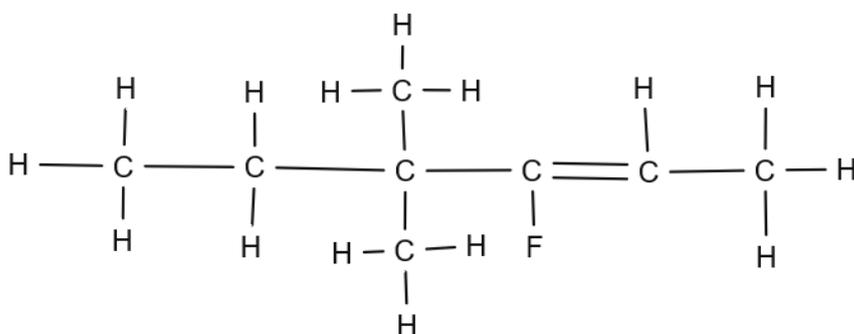
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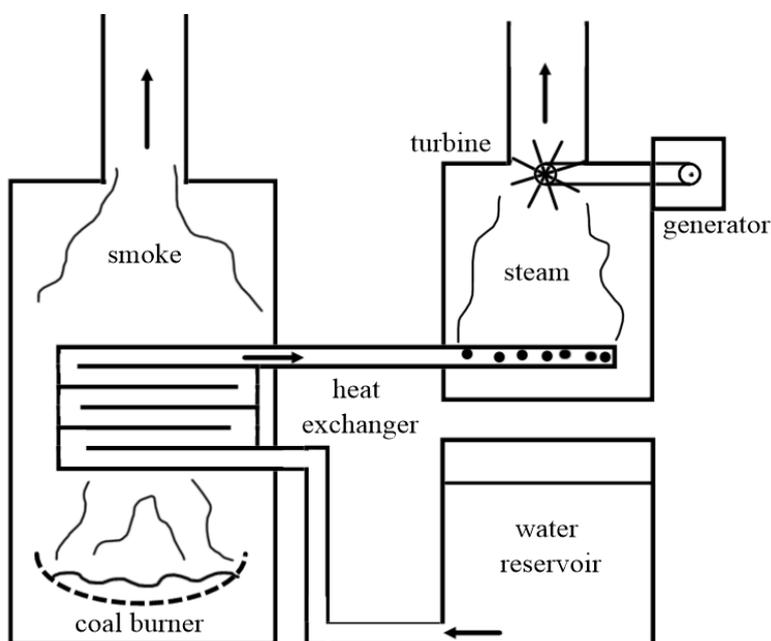
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What is the systematic name for the compound with this structure?



Question 22 (5 Marks)

A student has drawn a diagram showing the energy exchange that occurs in a coal burning power plant.



The coal ($C_{(s)}$) is crushed and fed into the coal burner where a fire, heavily oxygenated by fans, completely burns the fuel. The heat produced boils water via an array of pipes called a heat exchanger. The steam created in this heat exchanger is released across turbine fins which turn to generate electrical energy.

The heat of combustion of coal is -715 kJmol^{-1}

- a) Determine the mass of coal needed to heat 1.00kg of water from 25°C to 100°C . **2**

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- b) Describe the enthalpy and entropy changes that occur in the combustion of coal and use this to explain why this reaction is spontaneous. **3**

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Question 23 (3 Marks)

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What is the minimum volume of water that is necessary to completely dissolve 1.0g PbSO_4 at 25°C ?

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Question 24 (2 Marks)

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Write equations to show that potassium dihydrogen phosphate is an amphiprotic substance.

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Question 25 (4 Marks)

The Arrhenius theory of acids and bases could not explain why ammonia (NH_3) is basic when dissolved in water. The Brønsted–Lowry theory does explain the basic nature of an ammonia solution.

a) Describe the differences by which Arrhenius and Brønsted–Lowry defined a base. **2**

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b) (i) Why wasn't Arrhenius able to explain the basic nature of NH_3 in water? **1**

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(ii) Brønsted–Lowry theory is able to explain this phenomena. Write an equation to illustrate this. **1**

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Question 26 (3 Marks)

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A student dissolved 1.25 g of calcium hydroxide in 1500 mL of water. Calculate the pH of the solution.

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Question 27 (4 Marks)

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Determine whether precipitation will occur when 100 mL of $2.0 \times 10^{-3} \text{ molL}^{-1}$ calcium chloride solution and 100 mL of $4.0 \times 10^{-3} \text{ molL}^{-1}$ sodium sulfate are mixed? Show all working.

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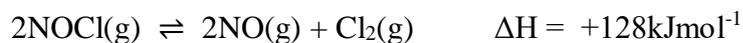
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Question 28 (6 Marks)

Consider the following system involving nitrosyl chloride, nitrogen oxide and chlorine gas.



5.00 mol of NOCl was placed in a 3.00L container at 400°C. At equilibrium 28.0 % of the NOCl had decomposed.

- a) Calculate the equilibrium constant for this reaction at 400°C. **4**

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- b) What is the effect on the equilibrium constant if the temperature of the system is lowered? Explain your answer in terms of Le Chatelier's Principle. **2**

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Question 29 (1 Marks)

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In order to maintain a suitable pH in swimming pools, a buffer such as sodium hydrogen carbonate / carbonic acid is added to the water. This keeps the pH range between 7.2 to 7.8.

Write an equation to demonstrate the buffering action of sodium hydrogen carbonate to control the swimming pool pH.

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Question 30 (3 Marks)

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What is the pH of a 1.0 molL^{-1} hydrofluoric acid (HF) solution, given that the pKa of HF is 3.18?

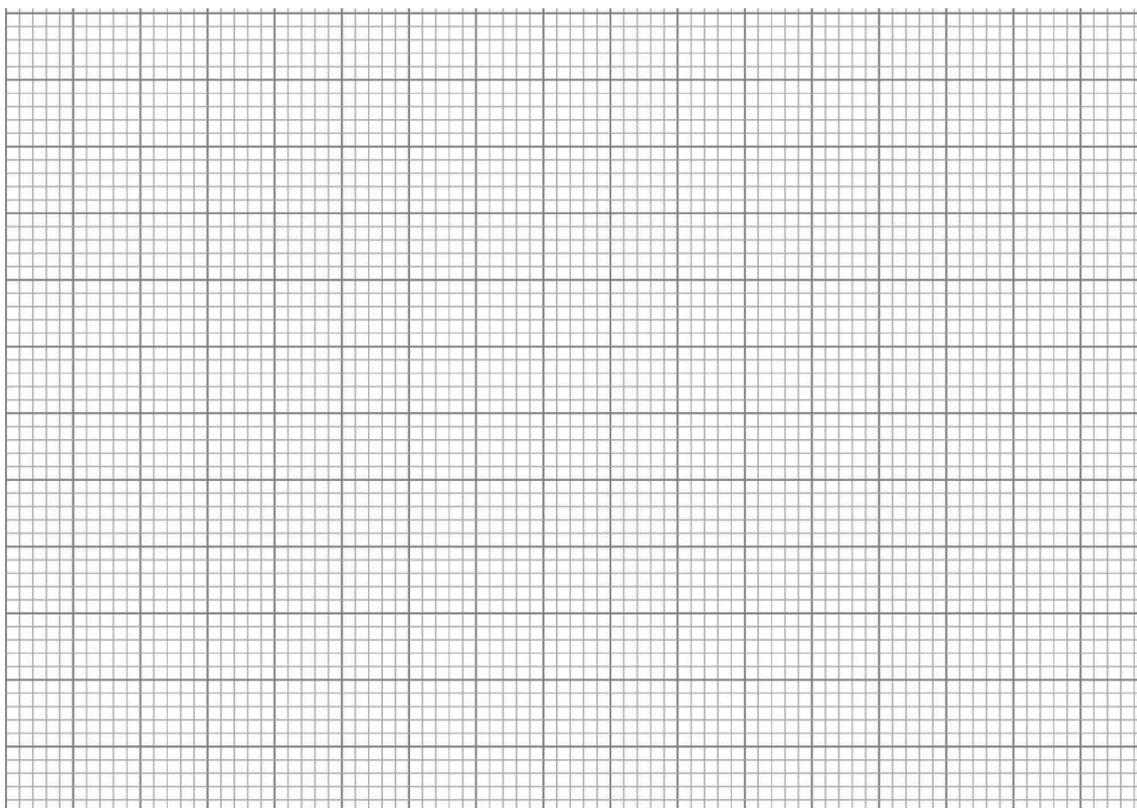
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Question 31 (8 Marks)

A student conducted a titration of 0.15 molL^{-1} sodium hydroxide against ethanoic acid. The table below shows the student's results as base was added to the 25 mL aliquot of ethanoic acid.

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| Volume Added (mL) | 0.0 | 5.0 | 10.0 | 15.0 | 20.0 | 21.0 | 24.0 | 25.0 | 30.0 | 35.0 | 40.0 |
| pH | 3.8 | 4.0 | 4.5 | 4.8 | 5.0 | 5.4 | 10.8 | 10.9 | 11.2 | 11.3 | 11.4 |

- a) Graph this data in the space provided. **4**



- b) Determine the equivalence point. **1**

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- c) Calculate the concentration of the ethanoic acid. **3**

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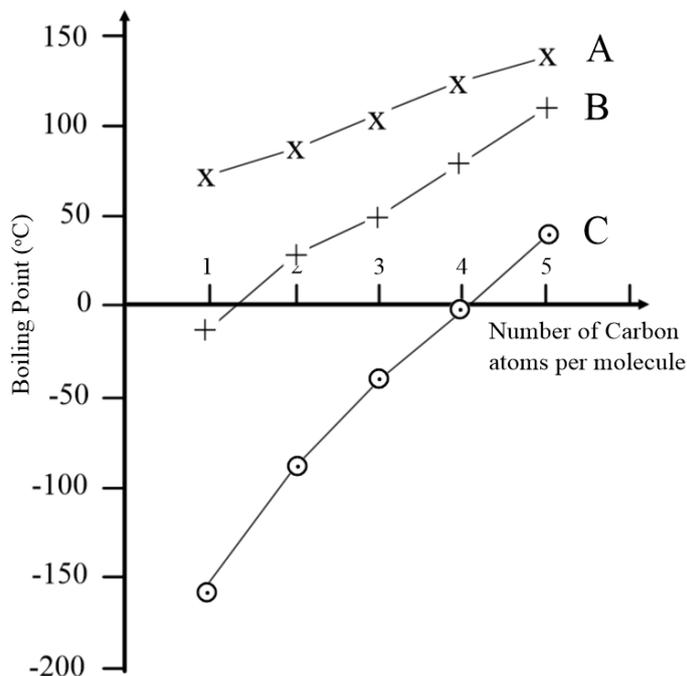
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Question 32 (5 Marks)

The graph below shows the boiling points, in °C, of 3 homologous series, A, B and C for the first 5 carbons (C₁ – C₅). The three homologous series present are primary alkanols, alkanes and alkanols.



a) Identify the letter associated with each homologous series shown on the graph. 2

- (i) primary alkanols
- (ii) alkanes
- (iii) alkanals

b) Explain the differences between the homologous series shown in the graph in terms of the intermolecular bonds. 3

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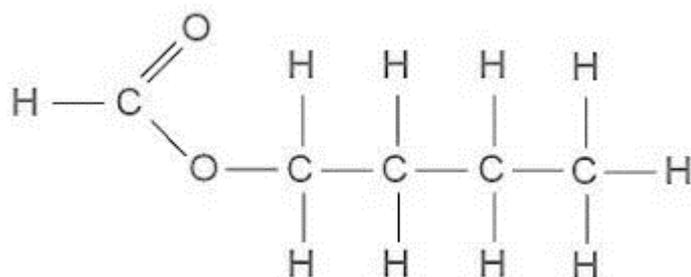
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Question 33 (6 Marks)

The structure of an ester is shown below.



- a) Name this ester. 1

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- b) Name the two reactants used to form this ester. 2

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- c) What other compound must be present for this reaction to proceed? 1

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- d) Two students decided to make this ester in the lab. Student one incorporated a reflux in her process, while student two did not.

Which student would have produced the highest yield of ester? Explain. 2

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Question 35 (7 Marks)

Amines and amides are two carbon-based groups of compounds, both having nitrogen in their functional groups.

The general formula for an amine is R-NH₂, while the general formula for an amide is R-CO-NH₂.

When ethanamine is dissolved in water, an alkali solution is formed.

- a) (i) Write the formula equation to show this chemical reaction. **1**

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- (ii) Draw a labelled diagram to show the solubility of ethanamine in water. **2**
Label any significant bonds.

- b) (i) Ethanamide is also soluble in water. What would be the approximate pH of a water/ethanamide solution? **1**

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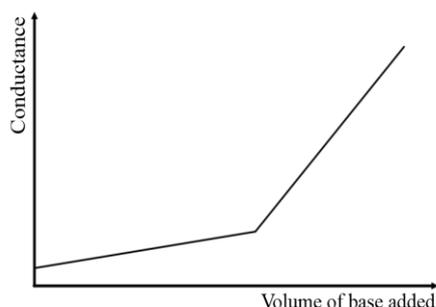
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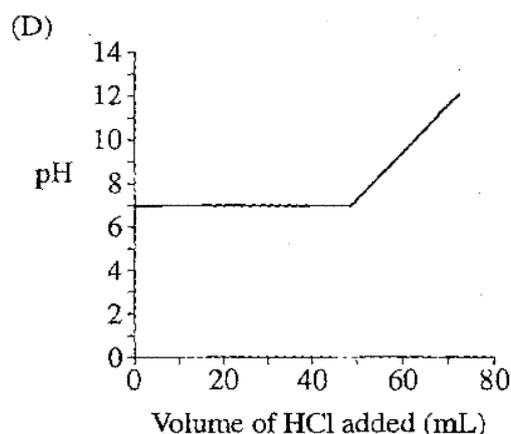
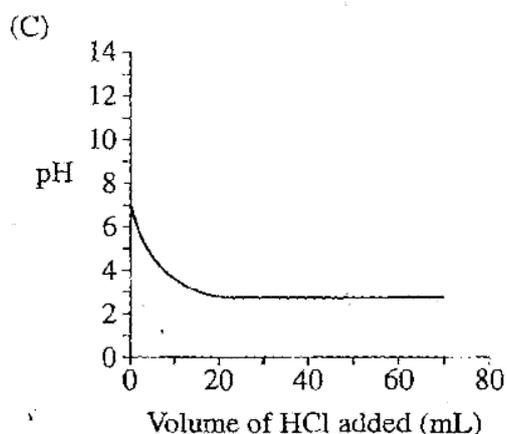
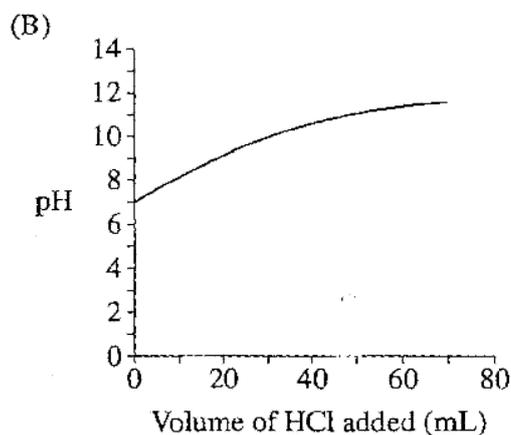
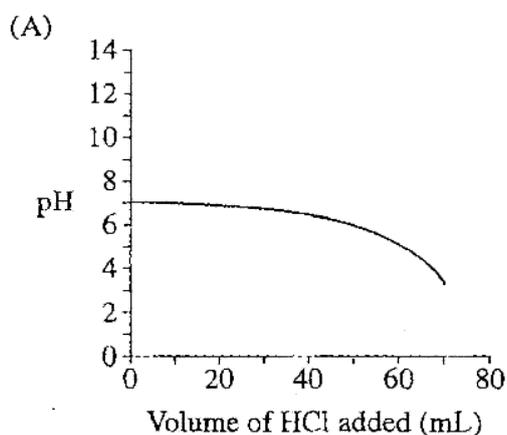
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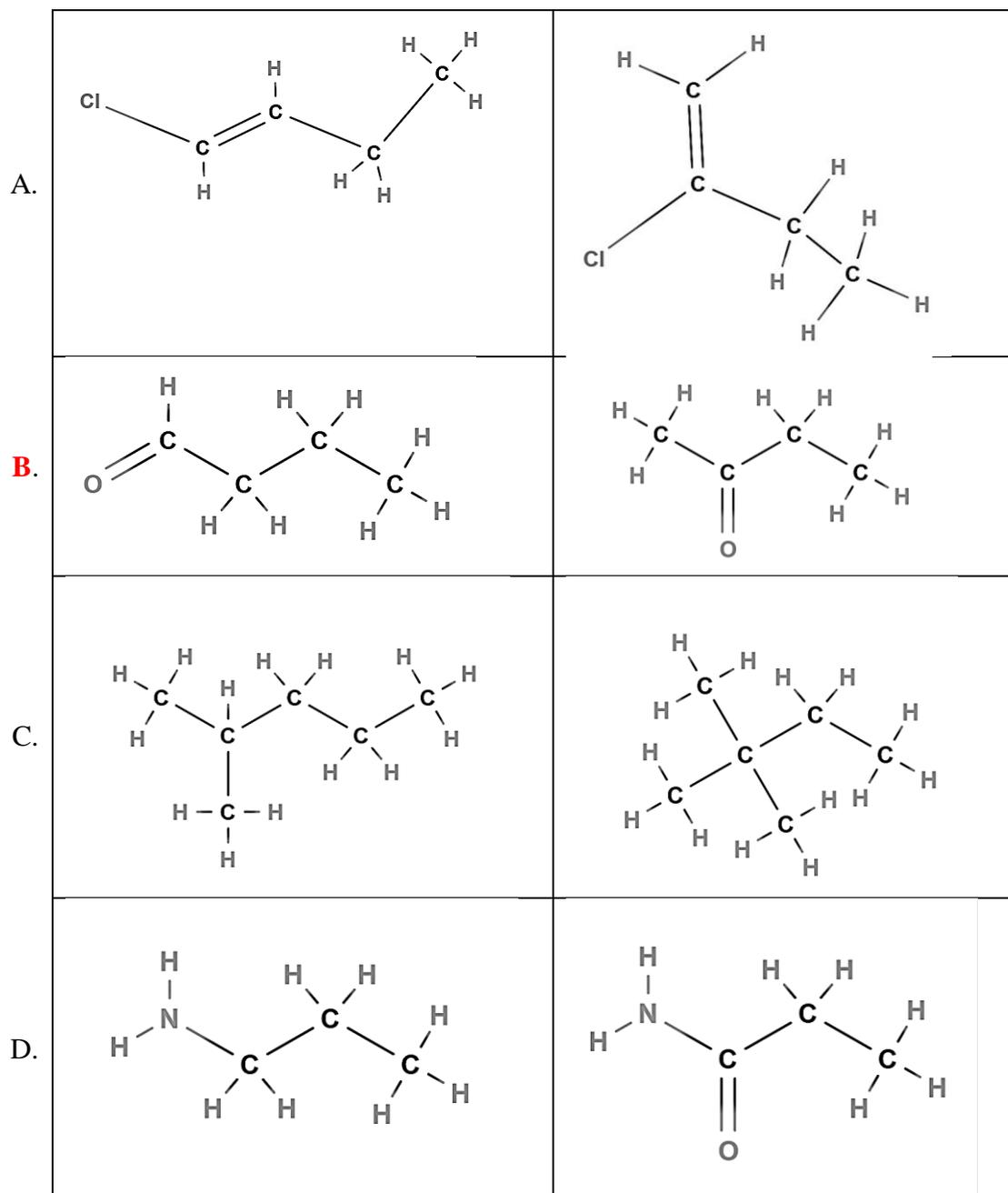
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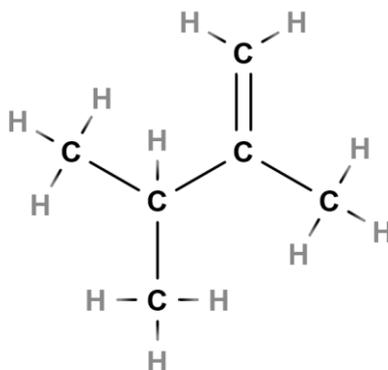
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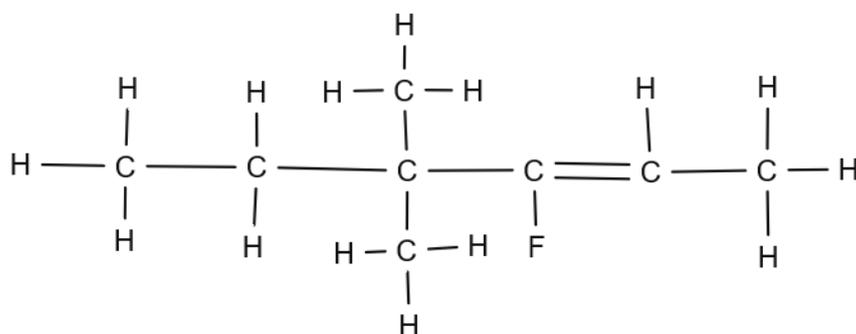
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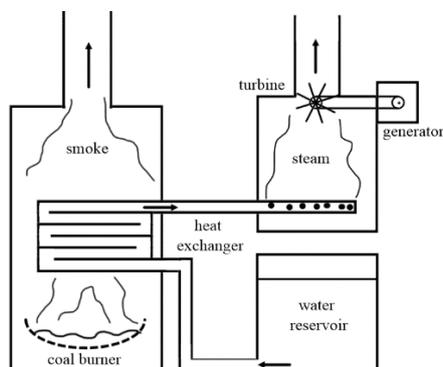
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- Dash between letters and numbers
- Comma between numbers

Question 22 (5 Marks)

A student has drawn a diagram showing the energy exchange that occurs in a coal burning power plant.



The coal ($C_{(s)}$) is crushed and fed into the coal burner where a fire, heavily oxygenated by fans, completely burns the fuel. The heat produced boils water via an array of pipes called a heat exchanger. The steam created in this heat exchanger is released across turbine fins which turn to generate electrical energy.

The heat of combustion of coal is -715 kJmol^{-1}

- a) Determine the **mass** of coal needed to heat 1.00kg of water from 25°C to 100°C . **2**

Energy needed = $1 \times 4.18 \times 10^3 \times 75 = 313.5 \text{ kJ}$ 1 mk

Moles needed = $313.5/715 = 0.438$

Mass needed = $12 \text{ g} \times 0.438 = 5.26 \text{ g}$ 1 mk

This section needs review across the grade! Fundamental misunderstanding on how to calculate the enthalpy of combustion and reverse process. Should not have been a discriminator! Check your answer is plausible, e.g. 63 000kg to heat 1L of water!!!!

b) Describe the enthalpy and entropy changes that occur in the combustion of coal and use this to explain why this reaction is spontaneous. 3

1 mark – Student describes components that enthalpy decreases as energy is released AND that entropy increases as solid to gas means more disorder. (NO half marks)

1 mark – Student states the requirements for Gibbs free energy (CAUSE)

1 mark – Student states that negative ΔG means this reaction is spontaneous (EFFECT).

Enthalpy is negative according to the data given (-715kJmol^{-1}). Entropy is positive as the reactants change from solid to gas. $\Delta G = \Delta H - T\Delta S$ so $-\Delta H - T\Delta S$ will always be negative and so combustion of coal will always be spontaneous.

Common mistakes were:

- Students correctly stated that the mole ratio decreases to show order, however, mixed up the fact that this is for gases and not liquids and solids. To go from a solid to gas is far more entropic than gas mole ratios.
- Students stated that “entropy increases for all combustion reactions”. Not true, when you combust a metal, entropy goes down.
- People stated that Gibbs Free Energy is therefore negative without referring to an equation or theory. Be careful of CAUSE and EFFECT.

a) Determine the mass of coal needed to heat 1.00kg of water from 25°C to 100°C. 2

$q = m(c\Delta T)$
 $q = 1000 \times 4.18 \times 75$
 $= 313500 \text{ J} = 313.5 \text{ kJ}$

$n(\text{coal}) = \frac{313.5}{715}$
 $= 0.438 \dots$

$m(\text{C}) = 0.438 \dots \times 12.01 = 5.2659 \dots = 5.27 \text{ g}$

2

b) Describe the enthalpy and entropy changes that occur in the combustion of coal and use this to explain why this reaction is spontaneous. 3

The combustion of coal is an exothermic process meaning the enthalpy change is negative. Moreover as gas is being produced from ^{a solid} combustion, the entropy change is positive. Reactions are spontaneous when Gibbs free ^{energy} is less than zero, i.e. ~~$\Delta G = \Delta H - T\Delta S$~~ since enthalpy is negative and entropy is positive, G is always less than zero. As such, this explains why the reaction is spontaneous.

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The heat of combustion of coal is -715 kJmol^{-1}

a) Determine the mass of coal needed to heat 1.00kg of water from 25°C to 100°C . 2

$m = 1000$ $\Delta H_{\text{molar}} = \frac{-1000 \times 4.18 \times 75}{n(\text{coal})}$

$c = 4.18 \text{ J/g/K}$ $n(\text{coal}) = 0.4384 \dots \text{mol}$

$\Delta T = 100 - 25$ $= -715000 \text{ J/mol}$ $m(\text{coal}) = 0.43 \dots (12.01)$

$= 75$ $= 5.2659 \dots = \frac{5.39}{(25f)}$

b) Describe the enthalpy and entropy changes that occur in the combustion of coal and use this to explain why this reaction is spontaneous. 3

A spontaneous reaction occurs when there is an increase in entropy and a negative ΔH , denoted by $\Delta G = \Delta H - T\Delta S$, where $\Delta G < 0$ for spontaneity. The combustion of coal is an exothermic reaction, as $\Delta H < 0$ (-715 kJ/mol), and the reaction results in an increase in entropy. As the coal turns from solid state to gaseous products of smoke and steam. As such, $\Delta G < 0$ and the reaction is spontaneous. 3

(5)

Question 23 (3 Marks)

What is the minimum volume of water is necessary to completely dissolve 1.0g PbSO_4 at 25°C ?

1 mark – Student correctly calculates the number of moles of PbSO_4 to be 3.297×10^{-3} .

1 mark – Student correctly states the ionic product equation for PbSO_4 ,



1 mark – Student correctly substitutes concentration and moles into volume formula,

$$V = n/c$$

Determine K_{sp} of PbSO_4 is 2.53×10^{-8}

$$K_{\text{sp}} = [\text{Pb}^{2+}][\text{SO}_4^{2-}]$$

$$x^2 = 2.53 \times 10^{-8}$$

$$x = 1.59 \times 10^{-4} \text{ molL}^{-1} = [\text{PbSO}_4]$$

$$1.0 \text{g PbSO}_4 = 1.00/303.27 = 0.003297 \text{ moles}$$

$$\text{Solve } 0.003297 / \text{volume} = 1.59 \times 10^{-4}$$

$$\text{Volume} = .003297/1.59 \times 10^{-4} = 20.7\text{L } 1\text{mk}$$

Question 24 (2 Marks)

Write equations to show that potassium dihydrogen phosphate is an amphiprotic substance.

2 marks – Student shows that KH_2PO_4 can act as a B/L acid AND base in the presence of an acid & base respectively OR donates a proton in water and accepts a proton in water. Student must have correct chemistry in each of the two equations.

1 mark – Student shows one of the equations using correct chemistry.



OR



ISSUES:

- THERE IS NO SUCH COMPOUND AS KH_3PO_4^+ !! This was the biggest discriminator when it was designed as a band 4 recount question. 80% of the grade need to go back to the Year 11 section on salts and revise the group 1 inert ions like Na^+ and K^+ . Wow!**
- Please note that we accepted water as the reactant but it is not good chemistry. Yes, Pearson does have it but better to show amphiprotic with a reactant of acid in one and base in the other.**

Question 25 (4 Marks)

The Arrhenius theory of acids and bases could not explain why ammonia (NH_3) is basic when dissolved in water. The Brønsted–Lowry theory does explain the basic nature of an ammonia solution.

a) Describe the differences by which Arrhenius and Brønsted–Lowry defined a base. **2**

Arrhenius: A base dissociates a hydroxide ion in solution. 1mk

Brønsted–Lowry: A base is a proton acceptor. 1mk

b)

(i) Why wasn't Arrhenius able to explain the basic nature of NH_3 in water? **1**

According to his theory no hydroxide ions present OR not taking into account action of water. 1 mk

(ii) Brønsted–Lowry theory is able to explain this phenomena. Write an equation to illustrate this. **1**



STATES were marked here. -1mk for incorrect chemistry.

Also accepted reactions with acids to show basic nature.

The Arrhenius theory of acids and bases could not explain why ammonia (NH_3) is basic when dissolved in water. The Brønsted-Lowry theory does explain the basic nature of an ammonia solution.

a) Describe the differences by which Arrhenius and Brønsted-Lowry defined a base. 2

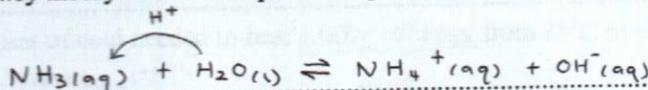
Arrhenius defined a base as containing an OH^- ion.

whereas Brønsted-Lowry defined a base as a proton acceptor.

b) (i) Why wasn't Arrhenius able to explain the basic nature of NH_3 in water? 1

$\text{NH}_3(\text{aq})$ does not contain an OH^- ion.

(ii) Brønsted-Lowry theory is able to explain this phenomena. Write an equation to illustrate this. 1



(4)

Question 25 (4 Marks)

The Arrhenius theory of acids and bases could not explain why ammonia (NH₃) is basic when dissolved in water. The Brønsted-Lowry theory does explain the basic nature of an ammonia solution.

acid, when ~~in~~ in aqueous soln, ionise to form H⁺
base, when in aq soln, dissociate to form OH⁻
BL: base accept proton

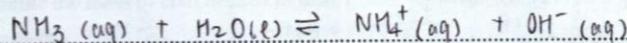
a) Describe the differences by which Arrhenius and Brønsted-Lowry defined a base. 2

The Arrhenius definition of a base was that it were a substance that, when in aqueous solution, dissociates to form OH⁻ whilst the Brønsted-Lowry definition is that a base is a substance that accepts a proton. Therefore the difference between these 2 theories is that for Arrhenius' theory, the base must be in aqueous solution ~~whereas~~ for the Brønsted-Lowry theory, it recognises the role of the solvent. ~~and that~~

b) (i) Why wasn't Arrhenius able to explain the basic nature of NH₃ in water? 1

Arrhenius isn't able to explain the basic nature of NH₃ in water because ammonia doesn't contain an OH⁻ ion, thus it doesn't dissociate to form OH⁻ as originally ~~thought~~ described in Arrhenius' theory.

(ii) Brønsted-Lowry theory is able to explain this phenomena. Write an equation to illustrate this. 1



The ammonia accepts a proton from water (∴ acting as an Arrhenius-Lowry ~~is~~ base), forming an ammonium ion.

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Question 26 (3 Marks)

A student dissolved 1.25 g of calcium hydroxide in 1500 mL of water. Calculate the pH of the solution.

Ca(OH)₂ mw = 74.1

Moles OH⁻ = 2 x 1.25/74.1 = 0.022492 1 mk

pOH = 1.65 1 mk

pH = 12.35 1 mk

Question 27 (4 Marks)

Determine whether precipitation will occur when 100 mL of $2.0 \times 10^{-3} \text{ molL}^{-1}$ calcium chloride solution and 100 mL of $4.0 \times 10^{-3} \text{ molL}^{-1}$ sodium sulfate are mixed? Show all working.

K_{sp} Calcium sulfate = 4.93×10^{-5}

[Ca²⁺] = 1×10^{-3} , [SO₄²⁻] = 2×10^{-3} 1 mk

Q = $(1 \times 10^{-3})(2 \times 10^{-3}) = 2 \times 10^{-6}$ 1 mk

State Q < known K_{sp} 1 mk

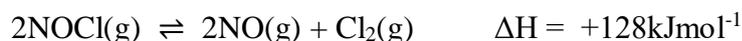
State precipitation will not occur 1 mk

Issues: Not all students realised that as the volume was doubled the concentration of ions was halved.

Some students tried to solve this question using the concept of limiting reactants, this approach is not valid as K_{sp} is based purely on concentration of ions in solution.

Question 28 (5 Marks)

Consider the following system involving nitrosyl chloride, nitrogen oxide and chlorine gas.



5.00 mol of NOCl was placed in a 3.00L container at 400°C. At equilibrium 28.0 % of the NOCl had decomposed.

- a) Calculate the equilibrium constant for this reaction at 400°C. **4**

K = [NO]²[Cl₂] / [NOCl]² 1 mk correct K expression

Moles NO = 5.00 x 0.28 = 1.4

[NO] = 1.4/3 = 0.4666667

Moles NOCl at eqm. = 5.00 x .72 = 3.6

[NOCl] = 3.6 / 3 = 1.2

Moles Cl₂ = 0.7

[Cl₂] = 0.7/3 = 0.233333333

K = (0.4666667)² x 0.23333333 / 1.44 = 0.035

2mks for correctly determining equilibrium concentrations using correct volume and stoichiometry

1 mk correct substitution

- b) What is the effect on the equilibrium constant if the temperature of the system is lowered? Explain your answer in terms of Le Chateliers Principle. **2**

As forward reaction is endothermic a reduction in temperature will cause the equilibrium position to favour the reactant side. 1 mk

As [Products] decreases and [Reactants] increases, K will decrease 1 mk

Question 29 (1 Marks)

Swimming pools can experience high alkalinity causing eye and skin irritations for bathers. In order to overcome this problem a buffer such as sodium hydrogen carbonate /carbonic acid buffer is used to maintain a pH range between 7.2 to 7.8.

Write an equation to demonstrate the buffering action of sodium hydrogen carbonate to control the swimming pool pH.



This buffer consists of the weak carbonic acid and its conjugate base HCO_3^- , equation needs to show this relationship.

The sodium ions are only spectators.

Question 30 (3 Marks)

What is the pH of a 1.0 molL^{-1} hydrofluoric acid (HF) solution, given that the pKa of HF is 3.17?

$$[\text{H}^+][\text{F}^-]/1 = 10^{-3.18} \quad 1 \text{ mk}$$

$$[\text{H}^+] = \sqrt{10^{-3.18}} = 10^{-1.59} \quad 1 \text{ mk}$$

$$\text{pH} = 1.59 \quad 1 \text{ mk}$$

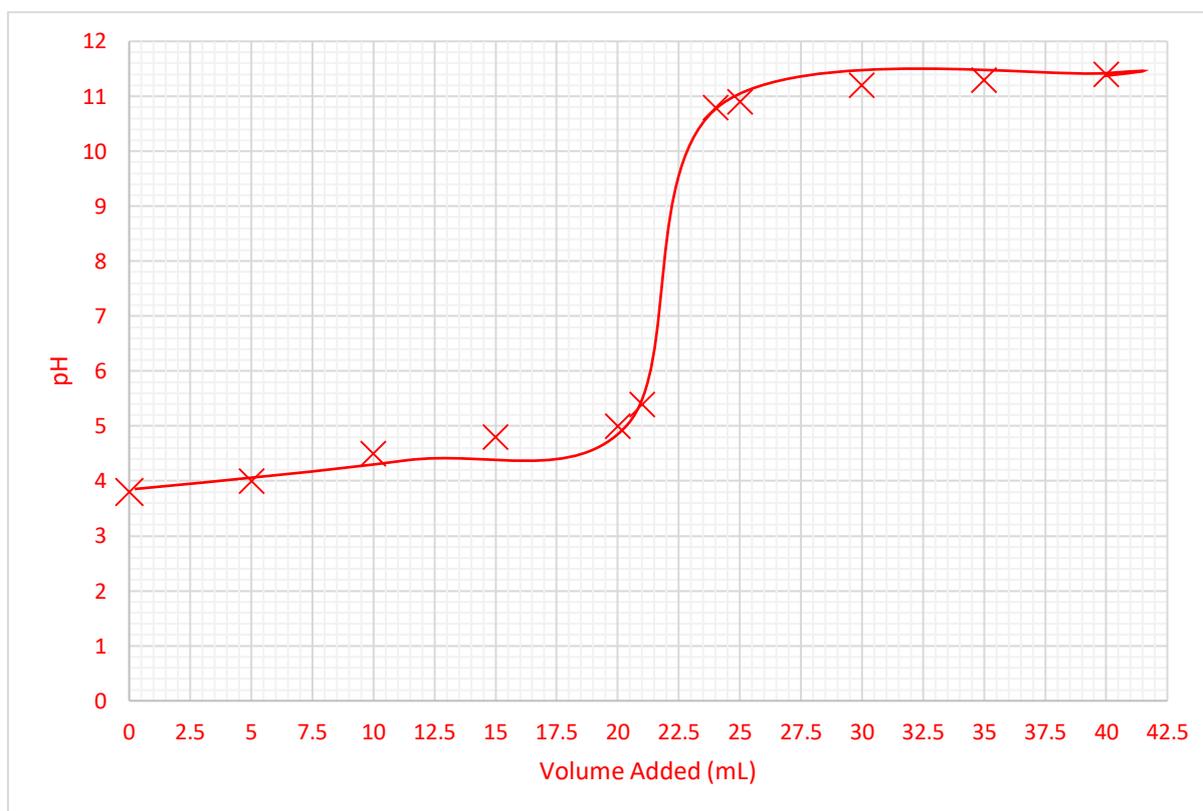
Question 31 (8 Marks)

A student conducted a titration of 0.15 molL^{-1} sodium hydroxide against acetic acid. The table below shows the student's results as base was added to the 25 mL aliquot of acetic acid.

| Volume Added (mL) | 0.0 | 5.0 | 10.0 | 15.0 | 20.0 | 21.0 | 24.0 | 25.0 | 30.0 | 35.0 | 40.0 |
|-------------------|-----|-----|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| pH | 3.8 | 4.0 | 4.5 | 4.8 | 5.0 | 5.4 | 10.8 | 10.9 | 11.2 | 11.3 | 11.4 |

a) Graph this data in the space provided.

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b) Determine the equivalence point.

1

1 mark correct pH or volume from graph.

c) Calculate the concentration of the acetic acid.

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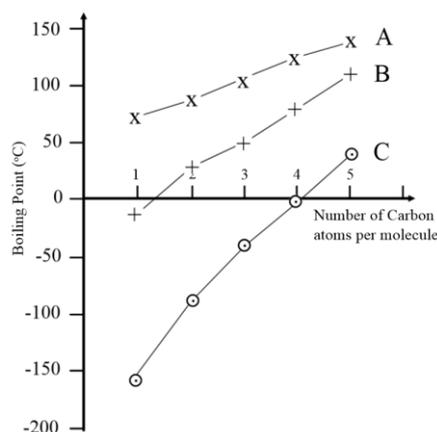
1 mk correct calculation moles of base

1 mk correct calculation conc of acid

1 mk units (for expressing conc. in molL^{-1})

Question 32 (5 Marks)

The graph below shows the boiling points, in °C, of 3 homologous series, A, B and C for the first 5 carbons ($C_1 - C_5$). The three homologous series present are primary alkanols, alkanes and alkanols.



a) Identify the letter associated with each homologous series shown on the graph. 2

- (i) primary alkanols **A**
- (ii) alkanes **C**
- (iii) Alkanals **B**

b) Explain the differences between the homologous series shown in the graph in terms of the intermolecular bonds. 3

3 marks- correctly *explains* differences in boiling points of all 3 homologous series with reference to intermolecular bonds present.

2 marks- correctly *describes* differences in all 3, or correctly explains 2, or correctly explains all 3 with a mistake.

1 mark- provides correct information relating to question.

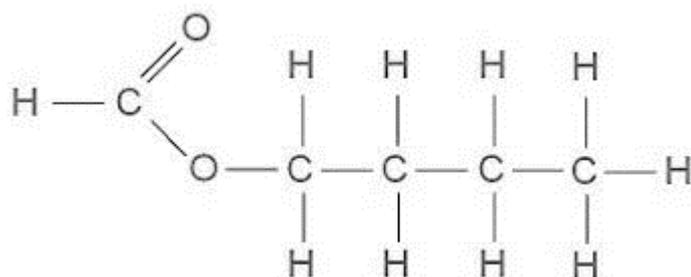
Markers comments- Hydrogen bonding is a form of dipole-dipole interaction. Therefore alcohols, for example, do not give rise to hydrogen bonding AND dipole interactions between their molecules.

Sample Answer;

Alkanes have the lowest boiling points as they are non-polar molecules and can only form weak dispersion forces between their molecules. These bonds require relatively little energy to overcome and so alkanes have the lowest boiling points. Alkanals have the next highest boiling point as the polar C=O bond allows for stronger dipole-dipole bonds to form. These require more energy to break. Finally, primary alkanols have the highest boiling points as the highly polar O-H functional group allows for strong hydrogen bonds to form between molecules. These require a lot more energy to overcome and so they have the highest boiling points.

Question 33 (6 Marks)

The structure of an ester is shown below.



- a) Name this ester. 1

butyl methanoate

- b) Name the two reactants used to form this ester. 2

butan-1-ol or 1-butanol (position must be given) and methanoic acid 1mk each

- c) What other compound must be present for this reaction to proceed? 1

Conc. Sulfuric acid (must specify conc.)

- d) Two students decided to make this ester in the lab. Student one incorporated a reflux in her process, while student two did not.

Which student would have produced the highest yield of ester? Explain. 2

The student who used the reflux process would have achieved the highest yield

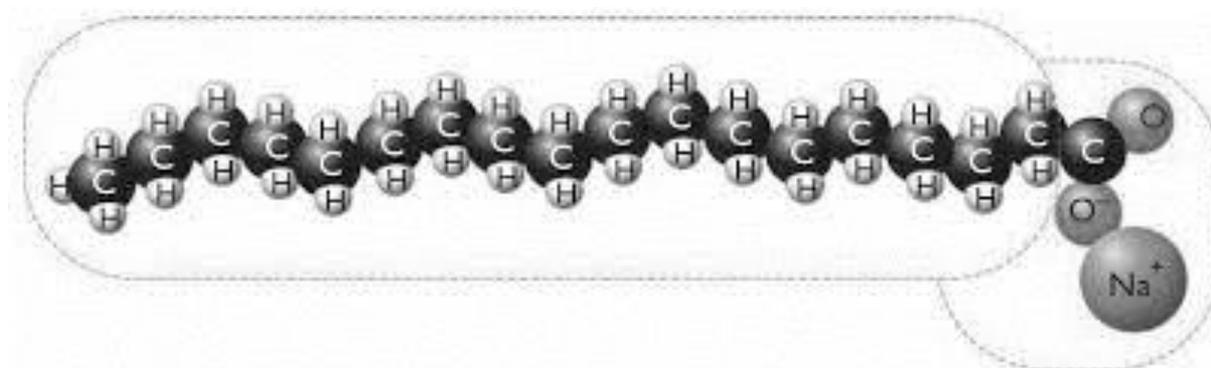
Esterification is a slow reaction. It requires heat to ensure a reasonable rate. Alkanols and esters are both volatile substances and therefore will vaporise on heating. (1 mark)

The reflux system uses a vertical water-cooled condenser attached to the reaction flask. As the volatile substances vaporise, they move up the condenser, cooling until they liquify and fall back into the reaction flask. An un-refluxed system would lose the alcohol before it had a chance of reacting to form the ester. Clearly refluxing results in a higher yield. (1 mark)

Note: higher rate of reaction does not produce a higher yield over time.

Question 34 (5 Marks)

An example of a soap molecule is shown below.



- a) The tail (left hand end) of this molecule is often described as hydrophobic. What does this mean? 1

Hydrophobic literally means a fear of water. In this context it means not attracted to water (1 mark)

- b) Using this molecule as a reference, identify and explain the chemical steps involved in the cleaning process such as the removal of an oil stain from a cotton shirt. 4

Soap dissociates to form alkanoate ion 1mk
Hydrophobic end of alkanoate ion attracted to oil particle 1 mk
Hydrophilic end attracted to water molecule 1 mk
Micelle formation 1 mk

Sample Answer

Soap consists of millions of molecules held together mainly by dispersion forces. When the soap molecule pictured is mixed with water, the sodium ion is released as it has a strong attraction to water molecules. This produces a soap anion which is the basis of the cleaning process.

The hydrophobic tail of the soap ion forms dispersion forces with the oil molecules which are also hydrophobic.

The charged end of the ion forms ion-dipole bonds with the water molecules. With agitation, the oil is removed as tiny droplets which become surrounded by the soap ions forming a micelle. This stops the oil droplets returning to the fabric. When the emulsified water is allowed to pass down the sink hole, the cleaning process is complete.

Question 35 (7 Marks)

Amines and amides are two carbon-based groups of compounds, both having nitrogen in their functional groups.

The general formula for an amine is R-NH₂, while the general formula for an amide is R-CO-NH₂.

When ethanamine is dissolved in water, an alkali solution is formed.

- a) (i) Write the formula equation to show this chemical reaction. **1**



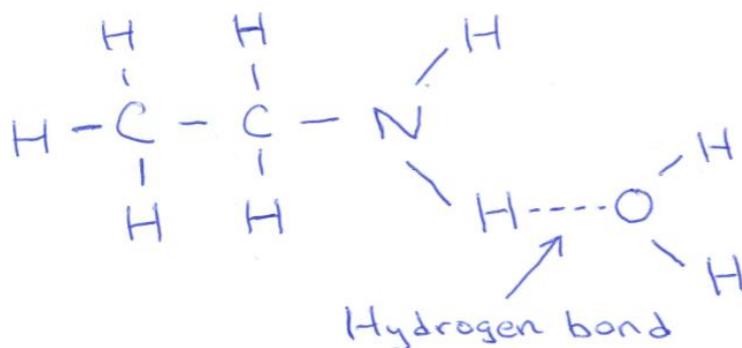
- (ii) Draw a labelled diagram to show the solubility of ethanamine in water. Label any significant bonds. **2**

Correct structures shown

1 mark

Hydrogen bond labelled between water and amine

1 mark



- b) (i) Ethanamide is also soluble in water. What would be the approximate pH of a water/ethanamide solution?

Amides are neutral so pH will be 7

1

- (ii) Would pentanamide be more soluble, less soluble or have the same solubility in water as ethanamide? Explain your choice in terms of structure and bonding. **3**

The pentanamide would be less soluble

1mark

The pentanamide has a longer alkyl chain so there would be more dispersion forces between these parts of the molecules.

1 mark

This would reduce the significance of polar nature of molecule

1 mark

Question 36 (8 Marks)

Assess the environmental implications of obtaining and using hydrocarbons from the Earth and contrast with a biofuel such as ethanol.

| Marking Scheme | Mark |
|--|------|
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Explanation showing comprehensive understanding of how obtaining AND using hydrocarbons from the earth has environmental implications• Explanation showing comprehensive understanding of how obtaining AND using biofuels has environmental implications• Explicit assessment of severity of environmental implications for BOTH hydrocarbons from the earth and biofuels | 8 |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Explanation showing understanding of how obtaining AND using hydrocarbons from the earth has environmental implications• Explanation showing understanding of how obtaining AND using biofuels has environmental implications• Explicit assessment of severity of environmental implications for both hydrocarbons from the earth and biofuels | 7 |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Description of how obtaining and/or using hydrocarbons from the earth has environmental implications• Description showing understanding of how obtaining and/or using biofuels has environmental implications• Simple assessment of severity of environmental implications for both hydrocarbons from the earth and biofuels• Some errors in terminology | 5-6 |
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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Demonstrates basic understanding obtaining and/or using hydrocarbons from the earth and/or biofuels | 2 |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Some relevant information given | 1 |

Question 36 (8 Marks)

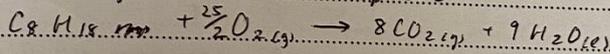
Assess the environmental implications of obtaining and using hydrocarbons from the Earth and contrast with a biofuel such as ethanol.

HYDROCARBONS (OCTANE):

The main sources of hydrocarbons from the Earth are fossil fuels and crude oil. Octane is the main component of petrol and can be used as an example to compare assess the environmental implications of obtaining and using.

OBTAINING: The methods of extraction of hydrocarbons from the Earth include surface drilling for coal, mining for fossil fuels and fracking for hydrocarbons. All these methods can contaminate soil and water, bringing heavy metal ions to the surface, and heavily degrade the environment.

USING: The combustion of hydrocarbons (such as octane) releases $\text{CO}_2(\text{g})$ into the atmosphere:



This contributes to an enhanced greenhouse effect and causes a higher average global temperature which leads to rising sea levels and dangerous flooding in some areas.

Due to the lack of oxygen in octane (C_8H_{18}), it is more likely to undergo incomplete combustion, releasing CO and CO_2 into the air and degrading air quality.

Acid rain from nitrogen oxides (NO_x) cause the acidification of lakes and water ways, leading to defoliation of forests and forests to animal habitat and lifestyle.

Hydrocarbons are non-renewable resources as the rate of consumption is much higher than the rate of production of fossil fuels.

BIOFUELS / BIOETHANOL:

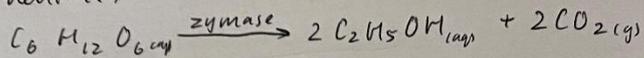
Biofuels, predominantly bioethanol, is made through hydrolysis of cellulose (from sugarcane) and fermentation of glucose. It is the ~~alternative~~ ^{hydrolysis} of ~~hydrocarbons~~ ^{hydrocarbons} hydration of ethene.

CONT. Q 36

(BIOETHANOL)

OBTAINING: Bioethanol is sourced from natural resources such as sugarcane or cellulose. These are renewable because the rate of ~~their~~ production is higher than the rate of production.

Usage: The process of fermentation of glucose is theoretically carbon neutral, meaning it ~~doesn't~~ does not harm the environment.



USING: due to the presence of oxygen in ethanol (C_2H_5OH), it undergoes complete combustion and will not release harmful byproducts of C_{8x} and $CO_{(g)}$ into the air (like octane does). However, the process is ~~not~~ ultimately not carbon neutral, as intensive amounts of energy is used in the process and transportation of ethanol.

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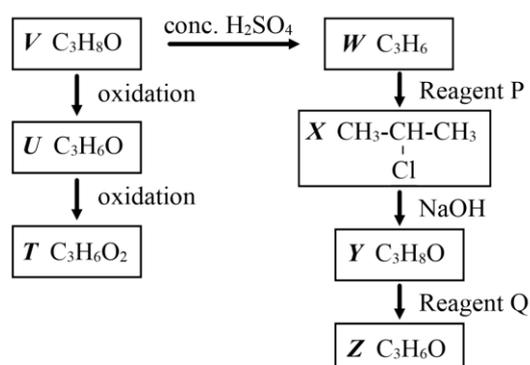
If used as fuel in cars, an ethanol concentration of $>10\%$ would require engine modifications.

The low calorific value of ~~the~~ combustion of bioethanol means that more ~~fuel~~ fuel needs to be combusted to achieve the same amount of energy as less ~~fuel~~ ^{containing} octane.

Thus, considering the environmental implications of obtaining and using hydrocarbons from the Earth, in contrast to biofuels, such as bioethanol, we can conclude that hydrocarbons from the Earth are a serious detriment to the environment which accelerates climate change. Biofuels are a more environmentally viable solution. However, due to lack of research on biofuels, they are not an economically viable solution.

Question 37 (9 Marks)

The diagram below shows two sequences of reactions starting with the alcohol labelled **V**.



Identify compounds T to Z and justify your answers with the reference to the information provided.

| Marking Scheme | Marks |
|---|-------|
| Comprehensive justification with: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> All compounds correctly identified Justification of primary alcohol structure for V Correct use of reaction names for processes to produce structures U-Z | 9 |
| 1 error in above | 8 |
| 2 errors in above | 7 |
| 3 errors in above | 6 |
| 4 errors in above | 5 |
| Multiple errors but shows understanding of naming and some processes | 4 |
| Some correct names given without justification | 3 |
| Some correct information provided | 2 |
| Some relevant information provided | |

T is propanoic acid which was oxidised from propan-1-ol (**V**)

U is an intermediate step in this oxidation and so is an aldehyde (propanal)

V is dehydrated by conc. Sulfuric to produce propene (**W**)

The addition of HCl will lead to the formation of 2-chloropropane (**X**).

X undergoes an addition rxn to form propan-2-ol (**Y**) which will oxidise to form propanone (**Z**).