



A' Level Chemistry

Year 2

Unit 13: Isomerism, Aldehydes, Ketones etc.

Summer Examination Revision Pack

The questions in this pack should be attempted **AFTER** completing all other revision.



Grade Accelerator

Recall Definitions
Drawing Diagrams
Using Equations
Drawing Graphs



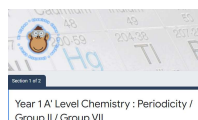
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Online Forms

Take Time to Answer
Use Paper & Calculator
Work It Out
Review Missed Marks

Use the 3 Wave Process when completing these revision packs.



• Take the Test
• Use Your Notes
• Use the Mark Scheme

1. Complete the questions without assistance
(Can't answer a question? Leave it and move on)
2. Use your notes to fill any gaps after step 1
3. Use the mark scheme to fill in any remaining gaps.

1. Having gaps after step 1 is normal, that's why we are doing revision!

2. If your notes don't help during step 2, they are not good enough!
(Change your note taking method and try to understand the problem)
3. If you don't understand why the mark scheme answer is correct, **see Andy**.



If you struggle with the questions in the pack, **STOP!** and complete some more revision.



If you come to a complete dead-end, **STOP!** and speak to **Andy** asap.

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The aldehyde $\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CHO}$ reacts with KCN followed by dilute acid to form a racemic mixture of the two stereoisomers of $\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}(\text{OH})\text{CN}$

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Give the IUPAC name of $\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}(\text{OH})\text{CN}$

[1 mark]

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Describe how you would distinguish between separate samples of the two stereoisomers of $\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}(\text{OH})\text{CN}$

[2 marks]

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Explain why the reaction produces a racemic mixture.

[3 marks]



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An isomer of $\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CHO}$ reacts with KCN followed by dilute acid to form a compound that does not show stereoisomerism.

Draw the structure of the compound formed and justify why it does not show stereoisomerism.

[2 marks]

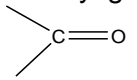
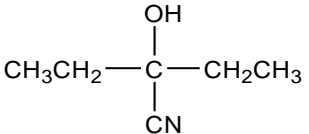
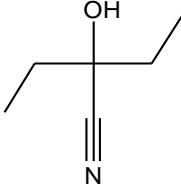
Structure

Justification

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Question	Answers	Mark	Additional Comments/Guidance
04.1	2-hydroxyhexanenitrile	1	
04.2	(Plane) polarised light Enantiomers would <u>rotate</u> light in opposite directions	1 1	not different alone
04.3	<u>planar</u> carbonyl group or <u>planar</u>  Attack from either side With <u>equal</u> probability OR produces <u>equal</u> amounts (of the two isomers/enantiomers)	1 1 1	Not planar molecule, not planar bond, not planar C=O
04.4	 Does not contain a chiral centre OR does not contain C attached to 4 different groups OR contains two identical/ethyl groups OR symmetrical (product)	1 1	Allow C ₂ H ₅ or skeletal  M2 dependent on correct M1 (No structure = 0) If pentan-3-one drawn then allow symmetrical ketone for M2
Total		8	

1 3

Aqueous NaBH_4 reduces aldehydes but does not reduce alkenes.

1 3 . 1

Show the first step of the mechanism of the reaction between NaBH_4 and 2-methylbutanal.

You should include two curly arrows.

Explain why NaBH_4 reduces 2-methylbutanal but has no reaction with 2-methylbut-1-ene.

[5 marks]

First step of mechanism

Explanation _____

1 3 . 2

A student attempted to reduce a sample of 2-methylbutanal but added insufficient NaBH_4

The student confirmed that the reduction was incomplete by using a chemical test.

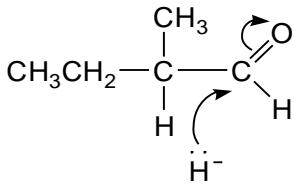
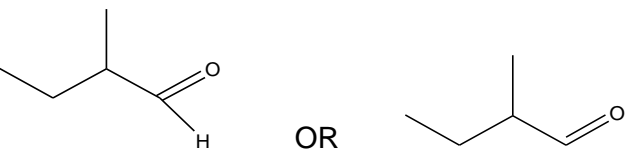
Give the reagent and observation for the chemical test.

[2 marks]

Reagent _____

Observation _____

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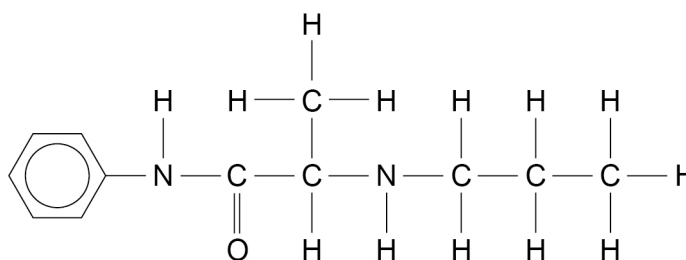
Question	Answers	Additional Comments/Guidelines	Mark	
13.1	<p>M1 for structure of 2-methylbutanal</p> <p>M2 for 2 curly arrows and lp on hydride, i.e.</p>  <p>Explanation:</p> <p>M3 H⁻ ion / nucleophile is attracted to δ+ C</p> <p>M4 electron rich C=C</p> <p>M5 H⁻ ion / nucleophile is repelled by C=C</p> <p>OR</p> <p>C=C only attacked by/reacts with electrophiles</p>	<p>Allow C₂H₅ for CH₃CH₂</p>  <p>Penalise M2 for wrong partial charges on C=O</p> <p>Ignore product</p>	<p>1</p> <p>1</p> <p>1</p> <p>1</p> <p>1</p>	
13.2	<p>Tollens' (reagent) OR ammoniacal silver nitrate OR description of making Tollens'</p> <p>Silver mirror/ppt OR black solid / precipitate / deposit</p>	<p>Fehling's/ Benedict's (solutions)</p> <p>red solid / precipitate (allow orange or brown)</p>	<p>NOT dichromate</p> <p>For Tollens' reagent: for M1 ignore either AgNO₃ or [Ag(NH₃)₂]⁺ or "the silver mirror test" on their own, or "Tolling's reagent", but mark on</p> <p>For Fehling's/Benedict's solution: for M1 Ignore Cu²⁺(aq) or CuSO₄ or "Fellings" on their own, but mark on</p>	<p>1</p> <p>1</p>

0 2

Prilocaine is used as an anaesthetic in dentistry.

Figure 3 shows the structure of prilocaine.

Figure 3



0 2 . 1

Draw a circle around any chiral centre(s) in **Figure 3**.

[1 mark]

0 2 . 2

Identify the functional group(s) in the prilocaine molecule.

[1 mark]

Tick (✓) the box(es) corresponding to the functional group(s).

Amide	Amine	Ester	Ketone

0 2 . 3

Prilocaine is completely hydrolysed in the human body to give a mixture of products.

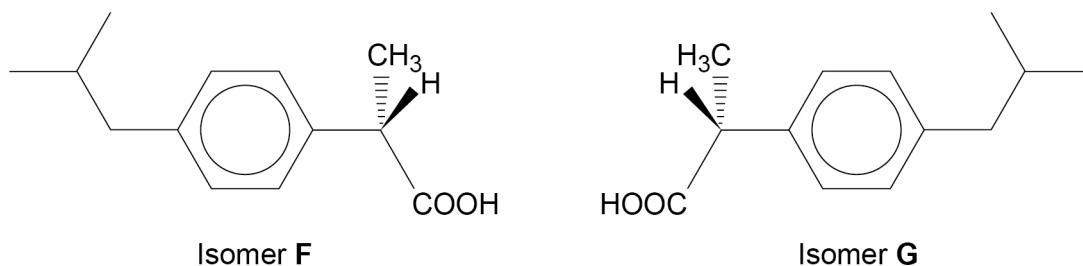
Draw the structures of the two organic products formed in the complete hydrolysis of prilocaine in acidic conditions.

[3 marks]



0 2 . 4 Figure 4 shows optical isomers **F** and **G**.

Figure 4



Isomer **F** is the active compound in the medicine ibuprofen.

In the manufacture of ibuprofen both isomers **F** and **G** are formed. An enzyme is then used to bind to isomer **G** and catalyse its hydrolysis.

After the products of hydrolysis of **G** are removed, a pure sample of isomer **F** is collected.

Explain how a structural feature of this enzyme enables it to catalyse the hydrolysis of isomer **G** but not the hydrolysis of isomer **F**.

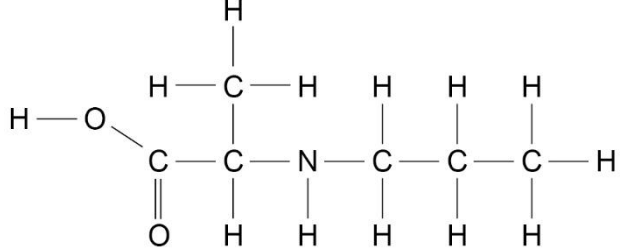
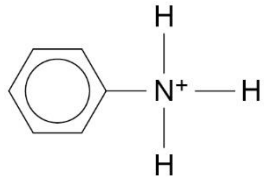
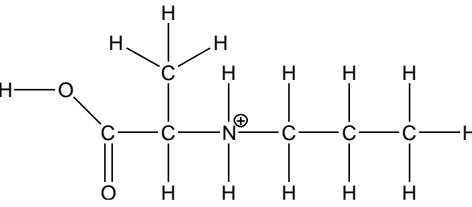
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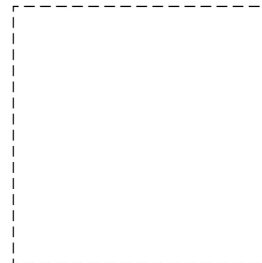
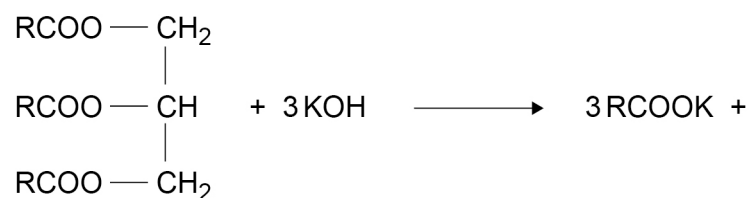
Question	Answers	Additional comments/Guidelines	Mark
02.1	One circled C atom only – The C attached to CH ₃ /C=O/ H and NH		1
02.2	Two ticks only for amine and amide		1
02.3	 	<p>M1 for choosing the correct bond to hydrolyse M2 and M3 for the correct structures of the products</p> <p>Allow protonated amino acid for M2</p>  <p>Allow C₆H₅NH₃⁺ or + outside a square bracket</p>	3

02.4	<p>M1 Enzyme has an <u>active site</u></p> <p>M2 The G-Enantiomer / Enzyme has the correct stereo chemistry / stereospecific Or The G-Enantiomer / Enzyme has the complementary shape</p>	<p>For M2 allow opposite argument for F-Enantiomer</p>	<p>1</p> <p>1</p>
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Answer **all** questions in the spaces provided.

0 1

Coconut oil contains a triester with three identical R groups.
This triester reacts with potassium hydroxide.



0 1 . 1

Complete the equation by drawing the structure of the other product of this reaction in the box.

Name the type of compound shown by the formula RCOOK

Give **one** use for this type of compound.

[3 marks]

Type of compound _____

Use _____

0 1 . 2

The triester in coconut oil has a relative molecular mass, $M_r = 638.0$
In the equation shown at the start of Question **01**, R represents an alkyl group that can be written as $\text{CH}_3(\text{CH}_2)_n$

Deduce the value of n in $\text{CH}_3(\text{CH}_2)_n$
Show your working.

[3 marks]

n _____



0 1 . 3

A 1.450 g sample of coconut oil is heated with 0.421 g of KOH in aqueous ethanol until all of the triester is hydrolysed.

The mixture is cooled.

The remaining KOH is neutralised by exactly 15.65 cm³ of 0.100 mol dm⁻³ HCl

Calculate the percentage by mass of the triester ($M_r = 638.0$) in the coconut oil.

[6 marks]

Percentage by mass _____

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0 1 . 4

Suggest why aqueous ethanol is a suitable solvent when heating the coconut oil with KOH.

Give a safety precaution used when heating the mixture.
Justify your choice.

[3 marks]

Reason _____

Safety precaution _____

Justification _____

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Question	Answers	Additional Comments/Guidelines	Mark
01.1	CH ₂ OHCH(OH)CH ₂ OH		1
	(Potassium) Carboxylate salt	Allow fatty acid salt / salt Salt of a carboxylic acid	1
	Soap	Allow detergent / surfactant	1

Question	Answers	Additional Comments/Guidelines	Mark
01.2	638 = 173 + 3(15 + 14n) M _r ester fragment = 173		M1
	Show subtract 638 - (M1 + 45)		M2
	Division of M2 by 42 n = 10	n must be an integer	M3

Question	Answers	Additional Comments/Guidelines	Mark
01.3	Amount HCl = $0.100 \times 0.01565 = 1.565 \times 10^{-3}$ mol Initial amount KOH = $\frac{0.421}{56.1} = 7.50 \times 10^{-3}$ mol Amount KOH used = M2 – M1 = 5.939×10^{-3} mol Amount ester = $\frac{5.935 \times 10^{-3}}{3} = 1.980 \times 10^{-3}$ mol (M3 / 3) Mass ester = $(1.980 \times 10^{-3}) \times 638 = 1.263$ g (M4 x 638) %age by mass = $\frac{1.263}{1.45} \times 100 = 87.1$ % ((M5 / 1.45) x 100)	Allow 87.0 to 87.1 Allow 2 sf Don't allow M6 for an answer >100%	M1 M2 M3 M4 M5 M6

Question	Answers	Additional Comments/Guidelines	Mark
01.4	Allow to dissolve both oil and KOH Precaution must be linked to heating e.g. Use a water bath for heating mixture Prevents risk of fire / Ethanol is flammable	To act as a mutual solvent OR To ensure reactants are miscible Allow electrical heater / mantle Allow sand bath Allow KOH is corrosive/caustic/damages eyes if matches alternative precaution given	M1 M2 M3

0 1 . 8

Name and outline the mechanism for the reaction of butanone with KCN followed by dilute acid.

[5 marks]

Name of mechanism _____

Outline of mechanism

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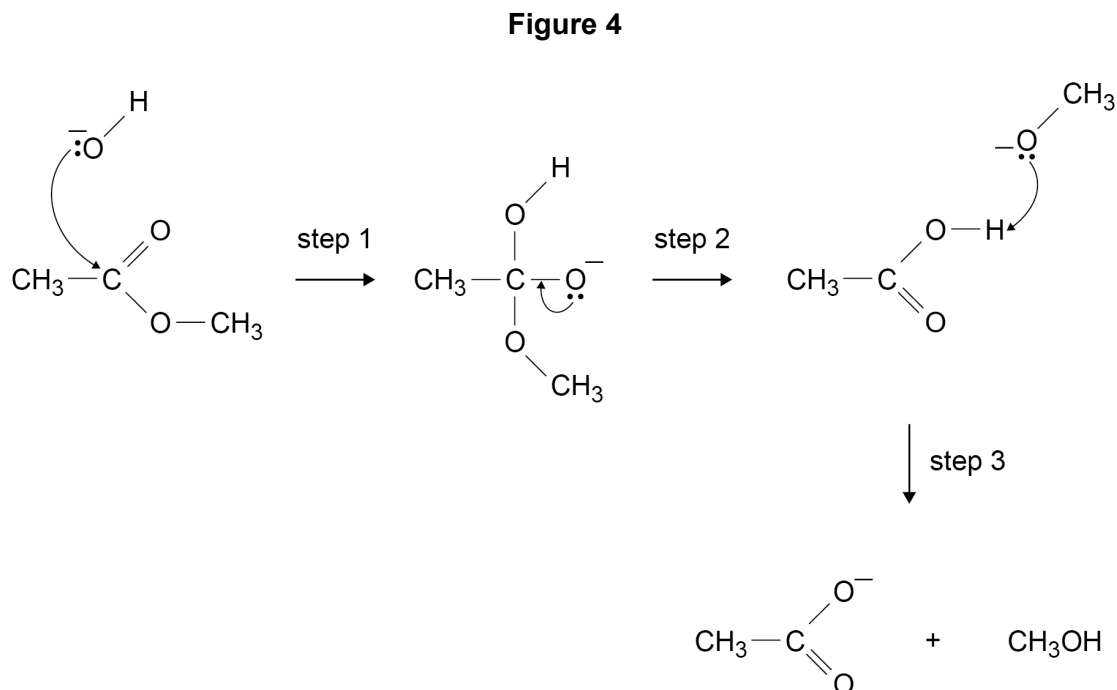
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Question	Answers	Additional Comments/Guidelines	Mark
01.8	<p>Nucleophilic Addition</p> <p>M 3 arrow from double bond to O (dependent on attempt at M2)</p> <p>M 2 arrow from lone pair to C of C=O</p> <p>M 5 arrow from lone pair to H⁺</p> <p>M 4 for intermediate with -ve on O</p>	<p>ALLOW negative charge anywhere on cyanide But attacking lone pair must be on C</p> <p>Do not award M3 without attempt of M2</p> <p>Allow M2 for attack to a positive carbon following breaking of C=O</p> <p>Penalise covalent KCN in M2</p> <p>M3 ignore partial charges unless wrong</p> <p>Penalise M3 for incorrect connection between CN and C</p> <p>NB Allow fully displayed or other structural formulae</p>	<p>M1 M2 M3 M4 M5 (1 x AO1, 4 x AO2)</p>

0 7

This question is about esters.

Figure 4 shows an incomplete mechanism for the reaction of an ester with aqueous sodium hydroxide.



0 7 . 1

Add **three** curly arrows to complete the mechanism in **Figure 4**.

[3 marks]

0 7 . 2

Name the type of reaction shown in **Figure 4**.

[1 mark]

0 7 . 3

Deduce the role of the CH_3O^- ion in step 3 shown in **Figure 4**.

[1 mark]

0 7 . 4

A triester in vegetable oil reacts with sodium hydroxide in a similar way.

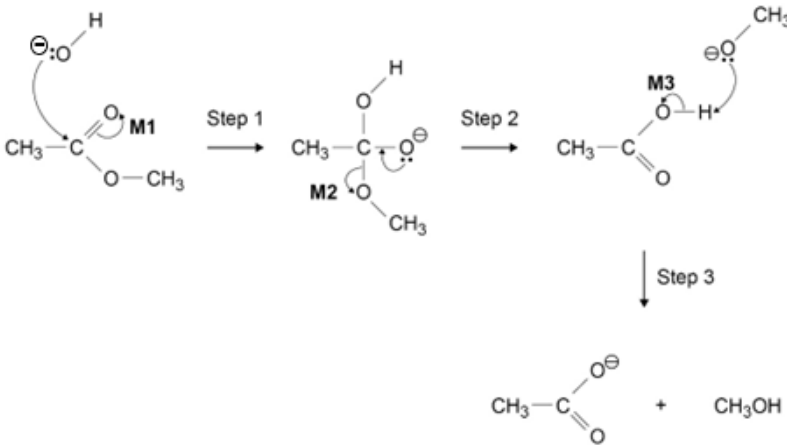
Give a use for a product of this reaction.

[1 mark]

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Question	Answers	Additional Comments/Guidelines	Mark
07.1		M1: Arrow from C=O bond to O M2 Arrow from correct C-O bond to O M3 Arrow from O-H bond to O	3 (3 x AO3)

Question	Answers	Additional Comments/Guidelines	Mark
07.2	(Alkaline/base) hydrolysis		1 (AO1)

Question	Answers	Additional Comments/Guidelines	Mark
07.3	Base	Allow proton acceptor Ignore ref to Bronsted Lowry	1 (AO1)

Question	Answers	Additional Comments/Guidelines	Mark
07.4	Soap only		1 (AO1)

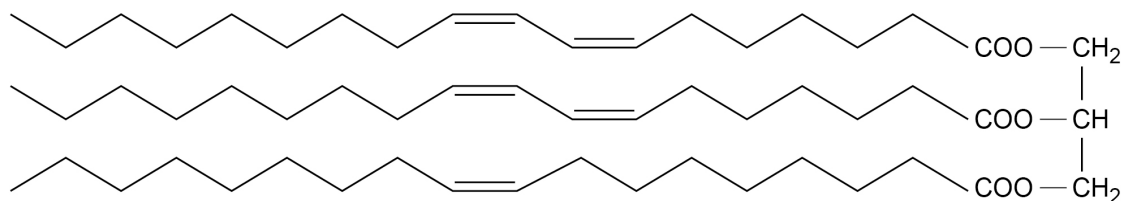
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This question is about olive oil.

A sample of olive oil is mainly the unsaturated fat **Y** mixed with a small amount of inert impurity.

The structure of **Y** in the olive oil is shown.

Y has the molecular formula $C_{57}H_{100}O_6$ ($M_r = 880$).



The amount of **Y** is found by measuring how much bromine water is decolourised by a sample of oil, using this method.

- Transfer a weighed sample of oil to a 250 cm³ volumetric flask and make up to the mark with an inert organic solvent.
- Titrate 25.0 cm³ samples of the olive oil solution with 0.025 mol dm⁻³ Br₂(aq).

0 9 . 1

A suitable target titre for the titration is 30.0 cm³ of 0.025 mol dm⁻³ Br₂(aq).

Justify why a much smaller target titre would **not** be appropriate.

Calculate the amount, in moles, of bromine in the target titre.

[2 marks]

Justification _____

Amount of bromine _____ mol



09.2

Calculate a suitable mass of olive oil to transfer to the volumetric flask using your answer to Question 09.1 and the structure of **Y**. Assume that the olive oil contains 85% of **Y** by mass.

(If you were unable to calculate the amount of bromine in the target titre, you should assume it is 6.25×10^{-4} mol. This is **not** the correct amount.)

[5 marks]

Mass of olive oil _____ g

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The olive oil solution can be prepared using this method.

- Place a weighing bottle on a balance and record the mass, in g, to 2 decimal places.
- Add olive oil to the weighing bottle until a suitable mass has been added.
- Record the mass of the weighing bottle and olive oil.
- Pour the olive oil into a 250 cm³ volumetric flask.
- Add organic solvent to the volumetric flask until it is made up to the mark.
- Place a stopper in the flask and invert the flask several times.

0 9 . 3 Suggest an extra step to ensure that the mass of olive oil in the solution is recorded accurately.

Justify your suggestion.

[2 marks]

Extra step _____

Justification _____

0 9 . 4 State the reason for inverting the flask several times.

[1 mark]



0 9 . 5

A sample of the olive oil was dissolved in methanol and placed in a mass spectrometer. The sample was ionised using electrospray ionisation. Each molecule gained a hydrogen ion (H^+) during ionisation. The spectrum showed a peak for an ion with $\frac{m}{z} = 345$ formed from an impurity in the olive oil.

The ion with $\frac{m}{z} = 345$ was formed from a compound with the empirical formula $\text{C}_5\text{H}_{10}\text{O}$

Deduce the molecular formula of this compound.

[2 marks]

Show your working.

Molecular formula _____

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Question	Answers	Additional Comments/Guidelines	Mark
09.1	Smaller titre will increase (%) uncertainty / error amount Br ₂ = $0.025 \times \frac{30}{1000} = 7.5 \times 10^{-4}$ mol	Or 0.00075	1 1 (2 x AO3)
Question	Answers	Additional Comments/Guidelines	Mark
09.2	Ratio Y : bromine M1 1 : 5 M2 n Y in 25 cm ³ oil = $\frac{7.5 \times 10^{-4}}{5} = 1.5 \times 10^{-4}$ If no ratio must state n Y for M2 M3 n Y in 250 cm ³ = M2 × 10 = (1.5×10^{-3}) M4 Mass = M3 × 880 = (1.32 g) M5 Total mass oil needed = M4 × $\frac{100}{85} = 1.55$ g	Alternative calc using supplied answer n Y in 25 cm ³ oil = $\frac{6.25 \times 10^{-4}}{5} = 1.25 \times 10^{-4}$ n Y in 250 cm ³ = $1.25 \times 10^{-4} \times 10 = (1.25 \times 10^{-3})$ Mass = $1.25 \times 10^{-3} \times 880 = (1.1$ g) Total mass oil needed = $1.1 \times \frac{100}{85} = 1.29$ g If wrong ratio used treat as AE and mark ECF	M1 M2 M3 M4 M5 (3 x AO2, 2 x AO3)

Question	Answers	Additional Comments/Guidelines	Mark
09.3	Extra step: Weigh the bottle after oil transfer (and record the mass) Justification: Not all of the oil is transferred Or so that the mass of oil left in the bottle is accounted for Or find the exact mass of oil used	OR Rinse the bottle with solvent after transfer and add the washings (to the volumetric flask) To ensure all the oil is transferred M2 is dependent on M1	M1 M2 (2 x AO3)

Question	Answers	Additional Comments/Guidelines	Mark
09.4	To ensure the solution is homogeneous	Allow evenly mixed/ distributed OWTTE Uniform solution	1 (AO3)

Question	Answers	Additional Comments/Guidelines	Mark
09.5	$M_r = 345 - 1$ $M_r(\text{C}_5\text{H}_{10}\text{O}) = 86$ $M^1/86 = 4$ Hence $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{40}\text{O}_4$	Must show workings in both M1 and M2	M1 M2 (2 x AO2)

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This question is about ketones.

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Solution **X** reacts with liquid ketones to form a crystalline solid.

This reaction can be used to identify a ketone if the crystalline solid is separated, purified by recrystallisation, and the melting point determined.

Describe how the crystalline solid is separated and purified.

[5 marks]



0 3 . 2 Propanone (CH_3COCH_3) reacts with the weak acid HCN to form a hydroxynitrile.

This hydroxynitrile is usually made by reaction of propanone with KCN followed by dilute acid, instead of with HCN

State the hazard associated with the use of KCN

Suggest a reason, other than safety, why KCN is used instead of HCN.

[2 marks]

Hazard _____

Why KCN is used _____

0 3 . 3 Outline the mechanism for the reaction of propanone with KCN followed by dilute acid. **[4 marks]**

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Question	Answers	Additional comments/Guidelines	Mark
3.1	filter / decant dissolve in minimum vol of hot solvent cool / leave (to crystallise) AND filter (under reduced pressure) Wash with cold solvent/water, and dry (with method)	allow small volume allow to make saturated solution not warm Ignore hot filtration	1 1 1 1 1

Question	Answers	Additional comments/Guidelines	Mark
3.2	M1 toxic / poisonous M2 HCN weak / [CN ⁻] too low ORA	allow can produce toxic fumes/gas / corrosive allow KCN dissociates to provide CN ⁻ /nucleophile allow KCN dissociates better/more than HCN	1 1

Question	Answers	Additional comments/Guidelines	Mark
3.3	<p>M1 cyanide ion with lone pair on C and negative charge and curly arrow from lone pair to C of C=O M2 Curly arrow from = to O M3 intermediate anion M4 curly arrow from lone pair on O to H⁺</p>	not if K-CN bond shown breaking not if dipole incorrect new bond must be to C of CN allow curly arrow to H of HCN	1 1 1 1