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CHEMISTRY 2021

Unit 4

Key Topic Test 2 – Organic chemistry - pathways

Recommended writing time*: 50 minutes

Total number of marks available: 50 marks

QUESTION BOOK

*The recommended writing time is a guide to the time students should take to complete this test. Teachers may wish to alter this time and can do so at their own discretion.

Conditions and restrictions

- Students are permitted to bring into the room for this test: pens, pencils, highlighters, erasers, sharpeners and rulers.
- Students are NOT permitted to bring into the room for this test: blank sheets of paper and/or white out liquid/tape.
- A scientific calculator is permitted in this test.
- VCAA Chemistry data booklet will be provided

Materials supplied

- Question and answer book of 10 pages.

Instructions

- Print your name in the space provided on the top of the front page.
- All written responses must be in English.

Students are NOT permitted to bring mobile phones and/or any other unauthorised electronic communication devices into the room for this test.

SECTION A – Multiple-choice questions

Instructions for Section A

Answer **all** questions.

Choose the response that is **correct** for the question.

A correct answer scores 1, an incorrect answer scores 0.

Marks are **not** deducted for incorrect answers.

If more than one answer is completed for any question, no mark will be given.

Question 1

A Chemistry student compares the boiling points of hexane, 2-methylpentane and 2,3-dimethylbutane. The boiling points in increasing order would be;

- A. hexane, 2-methylpentane, 2,3-dimethylbutane
- B. 2-methylpentane, hexane, 2,3-dimethylbutane
- C. 2,3-dimethylbutane, 2-methylpentane, hexane
- D. 2,3-dimethylbutane, hexane, 2-methylpentane

Question 2

When ethane is reacted with chlorine in the presence of ultraviolet light;

- A. 1,2-dichloroethane is formed
- B. chloroethane is formed
- C. 6 different organic compounds are formed
- D. 9 different organic compounds are formed

Question 3

Butan-2-amine is formed by the reaction between;

- A. Butane and ammonia
- B. Methylpropane and ammonia
- C. Butan-1-ol and ammonia
- D. Butan-2-ol and ammonia

Question 4

A chemical has the empirical formula of C_3H_6O . It is formed from the reaction of a primary alcohol and a chemical that has a sharp strong odour and forms a solution with a low pH when dissolved in water. Sulfuric acid is used to catalyse the reaction. The name of this chemical could be;

- A. propanol
- B. ethyl methanoate
- C. methyl pentanoate
- D. propanone

Question 5

When a clear sample of cyclohexene is mixed with a small amount of brown liquid bromine;

- A. the final sample is clear as an addition reaction has occurred and a single compound is produced
- B. the final sample is brown as an addition reaction has occurred and a single bromine atom is added to the cyclohexene
- C. a reaction occurs and the mixture turns brown when two bromine atoms are added to the cyclohexene
- D. the final sample is clear and a bromine atom replaces a hydrogen atom

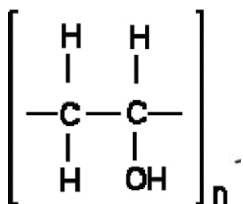
Question 6

When a propanol is added to methanoic acid in the presence of a suitable catalyst the product(s) of the reaction are;

- A. propyl methanoate and water
- B. propanmethanate and water
- C. methylpropane
- D. methyl propanoate and water

Question 7

The polymer shown below is soluble in water and called polyvinyl alcohol. It can be concluded that;



- A. the monomer is a non-polar molecule
- B. the monomer has the empirical formula of CH_3O
- C. hydrogen bonding will occur between polymer molecules
- D. a small molecule is produced as a by-product when the monomers are joined

Question 8

When 1.80 g of chloroethane reacts with ammonia, 1.20g of ethanol is formed. The percentage yield is approximately;

- A. 67%
- B. 70%
- C. 80%
- D. 94%

Question 9

Ethane can react with Br_2 to produce bromoethane and hydrogen bromide. The atom economy for the reaction is closest to;

- A. 57%
- B. 73%
- C. 80%
- D. 100%

Question 10

Green Chemistry involves;

- A. Using an excess of a reactant
- B. Maximising atom economy
- C. Using the shortest reaction pathway
- D. Increasing the temperature and pressure to increase the rate of reaction

SECTION B- Short-answer questions

Instructions for Section B

Questions must be answered in the spaces provided in this book.

To obtain full marks for your responses you should:

- Give simplified answers with an appropriate number of significant figures to all numerical questions; unsimplified answers will not be given full marks.
- Show all workings in your answers to numerical questions. No credit will be given for an incorrect answer unless it is accompanied by details of the working.

Make sure chemical equations are balanced and that the formulas for individual substances include an indication of state; for example, $\text{H}_2(\text{g})$; $\text{NaCl}(\text{s})$.

Question 1

Give reasons for the following;

- a. Ethanol is a liquid while ethane is a gas

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- b. Ethanoic acid has a higher boiling point than ethanol

2 marks

- c. Octane has a higher viscosity than hexane.

2 marks

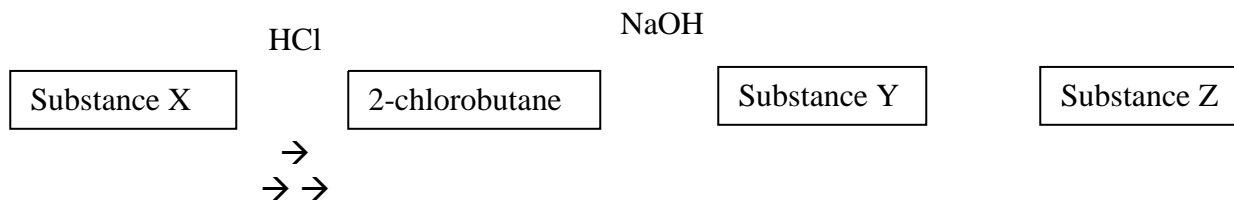
- d. Methanol is more soluble than octanol.

2 marks

Total 8 marks

Question 2

Examine the reaction pathway below



- a. There are 2 possible structures of substance X. Draw the full structure of each and name each of these structures.

4 marks

- b. i. Draw the structure of substance Y.

- ii. What type of reaction that occurs during the formation of substance Y.

1 + 1 = 2 marks

- c. Substance Z is formed from the oxidation of substance Y.

- i. Suggest a suitable chemical or chemicals that could be used to carry out the oxidation.

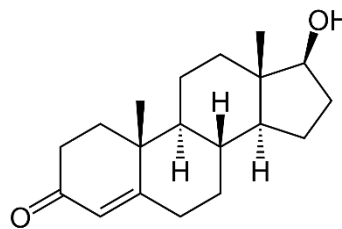
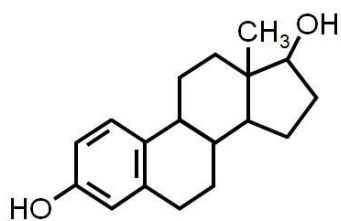
- ii. What functional group is present in substance Z? _____

- iii. Draw the full structure of substance Z.

1 + 1 + 2 = 4 marks
Total 10 marks

Question 3 (4 marks)

The molecules below are oestrogen (left) and testosterone (right).



a. How many carbon atoms are present in oestrogen? _____

1 mark

b. i. What functional group is found in both molecules? _____

ii. What functional group is present in testosterone but not oestrogen?

1 + 1 = 2 marks

c. Why are both these molecules highly soluble in alkanes but virtually insoluble in water?

2 marks

d. When testosterone is oxidised with potassium dichromate and a strong acid, what functional group would react, and what functional group would be formed?

2 marks

Total 7 marks

Question 4

a. i. What functional group is present in propyl butanoate?

ii. Describe a property that chemicals with this functional group have.

1 + 1 = 2 marks

b. Propyl butanoate undergoes hydrolysis to produce 2 molecules. Draw the full structural formula and name the product that;

i. has a low pH

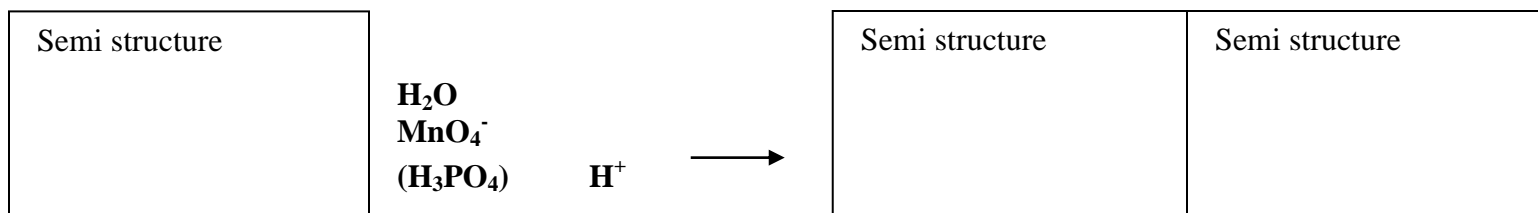
ii. is a strong solvent

2 + 2 = 4 marks

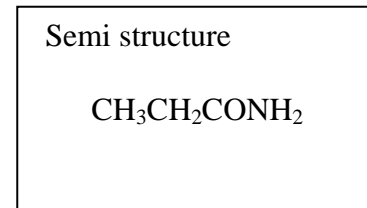
Total 6 marks

Question 5

- a. Complete the flow chart to show how propanamide can be prepared from an alkene. Give the semi-structural formula of each reactant and name it.



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Name; propanamide

6 marks

- b. Using a diagram, describe the bonding that forms between two propanamide molecules.

3 marks

Total 9 marks

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