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# CHEMISTRY 2021

## Unit 4

### Key Topic Test 3 – Instrumentation and organic chemistry

***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 11 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.**

**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**

The molecule 3-methylpentane has how many hydrogen environments in a  $^1\text{H}$ -NMR spectrum?

- A. 2
- B. 3
- C. 4
- D. 6

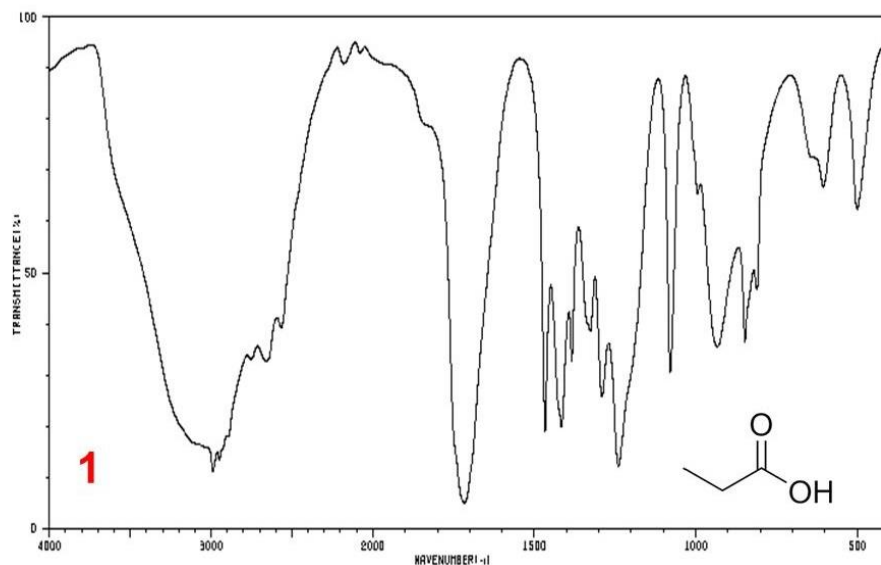
**Question 2**

The molecule 2,3-dimethylbutane has how many carbon environments in a  $^{13}\text{C}$ -NMR spectrum?

- A. 2
- B. 3
- C. 4
- D. 6

**Question 3**

The IR spectrum of a molecule is shown below;



This molecule is most likely to be a/an;

- A. alcohol
- B. carboxylic acid
- C. ester
- D. ketone

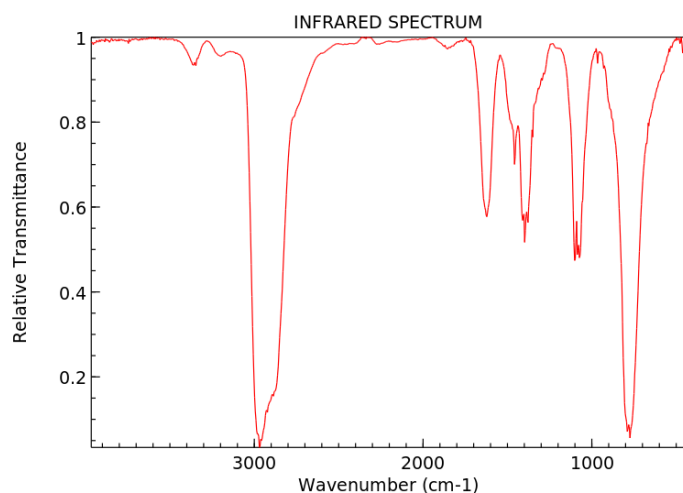
**Question 4**

A molecule has the molecular formula  $C_4H_{10}O$ . The  $^1H$ -NMR spectrum contains sets of 2 peaks in the ratio of 9:1 with no splitting. The molecule could be;

- A. butan-1-ol
- B. 2-methylbutan-2-ol
- C. butan-2-ol
- D. 2-methylpropan-2-ol

**Question 5**

The IR spectrum below has peaks at about  $3300\text{cm}^{-1}$ ,  $2950\text{cm}^{-1}$  as well as several peaks below  $1600\text{cm}^{-1}$ .



NIST Chemistry WebBook (<https://webbook.nist.gov/chemistry>)

The molecule is likely to be an;

- A. alcohol
- B. amine
- C. aldehyde
- D. alkane

**Question 6**

A molecule with 4 carbon environments and 4 hydrogen environments in a  $^{13}\text{C}$ -NMR spectrum is;

- A. butanoic acid
- B. butan-1-ol
- C. methyl propanoate
- D. 1,4-dichlorobutane

**Question 7**

IR spectroscopy involves;

- A. the movement of electrons from a low to high energy level and back again
- B. the spin states of neutrons in the nucleus
- C. the stretching, bending and twisting of chemical bonds
- D. the bending of ions by a magnetic field

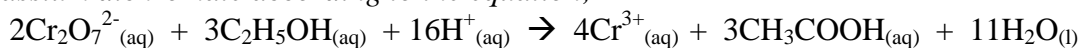
**Question 8**

Ethanoic acid is titrated against sodium carbonate. The amount of substance (mol) of sodium carbonate that reacts is 0.325mol. The amount of substance (mol) of ethanoic acid that would react is;

- A. 0.123mol
- B. 0.325mol
- C. 0.650mol
- D. 1.300mol

*The following information applies to the next 2 questions;*

*The concentration of alcohol in fortified wine can be determined by titration against potassium dichromate according to the equation;*



25.0mL of wine is diluted to 250mL and 20.0 mL is titrated against 0.0600M  $\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7^{2-}$ .

**Question 9**

A student determines that 0.00453mol of dichromate reacts. The mass of ethanol present in the diluted wine is;

- A. 0.139g
- B. 0.208g
- C. 0.313g
- D. 0.625g

**Question 10**

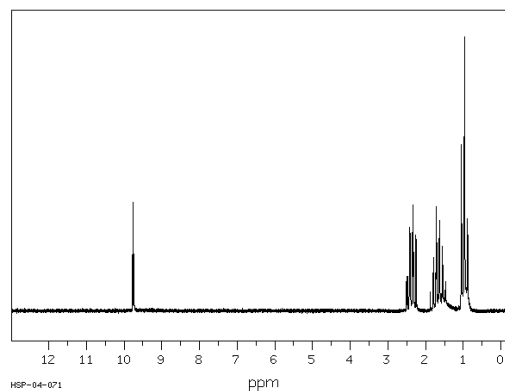
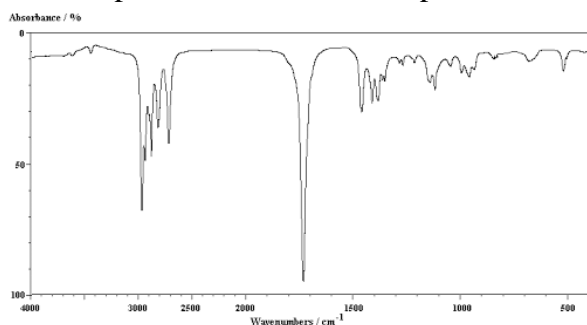
The student incorrectly calculates the mass of ethanol in the diluted wine to be 0.450g. Their calculated concentration of alcohol in the original wine (in % w/v) would be;

- A. 2.25%
- B. 5.63%
- C. 11.3%
- D. 22.5%

## Section B

## Question 1;

The IR spectrum and  $^1\text{H-NMR}$  spectrum for a molecule is shown below;



The molecule has a molar mass of 72g/mol

The details of the  $^1\text{H-NMR}$  spectrum are shown in the table below;

Chemical shift	Peak area	Splitting pattern
0.97	3	3
1.64	2	6
2.37	2	4
9.76	1	3

- a. Give the name of the functional group containing oxygen present in the molecule.

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1 mark

- b. How many hydrogen environments are there?

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1 mark

- c. Account for the splitting pattern at a chemical shift of 0.97

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2 marks

- d. Draw the full structural formula of the molecule.

2 marks  
Total 6 marks

**Question 2**

If ethyl ethanoate was to be analyzed by  $^1\text{H}$  NMR, predict the expected spectrum that would be produced. Include number of peak sets, the area of each peak set and splitting patterns.

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**Question 3**

The concentration of benzoic acid (a monoprotic acid) was determined by titration. 20.00 mL of benzoic acid solution pipetted into a conical flask and titrated against 0.100 M KOH. The average titre was 13.56 mL.

- a. Determine a suitable indicator for the titration.

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1 mark

- b. Calculate the concentration of benzoic acid.

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2 marks

- c. Calculate the mass of potassium hydroxide needed to make up 100 mL of a KOH solution with a concentration of 0.100 M.

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2 marks

- d. The potassium hydroxide solution may have a concentration significantly different to 0.100 M.

- i. Why is this?

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- ii. Suggest what a student could do to get a more accurate concentration of potassium hydroxide.

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1 + 2 = 3 marks

- e. The pipette is meant to be washed with benzoic acid but was washed in water. What effect would this have on the calculated concentration of benzoic acid?

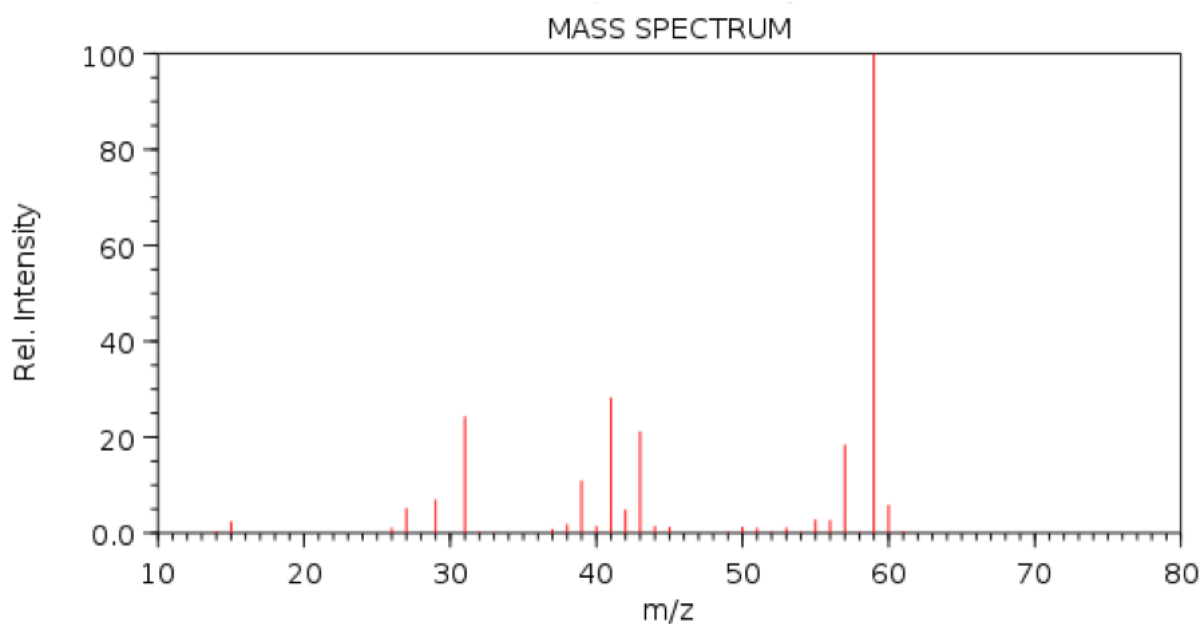
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**Question 4**

The mass spectrum of an alcohol with the molecular formula of  $C_3H_8O$  is shown below.



- a. Identify the m/z ratio of the:
- i. base peak

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ii. parent peak

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1 + 1 = 2 marks

- b. Suggest what the peak at an m/z of 31 might be due to.

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1 mark

- c. What particle might be lost to form the peak at m/z of 59?

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1 mark

- d. The  $^1H$ -NMR spectrum of this molecule shows 3 main peaks in the ratio of 6:1:1.  
Draw the structure of the molecule.

2 marks  
Total 6 marks

**Question 5**

A chemist analyses the levels of the drug THC using HPLC.

- a. By constructing a calibration curve using the data below, determine the level of THC.

Concentration (ng/L)	Peak Area
20.0	0.15
40.0	0.29
60.0	0.44
80.0	0.59
Blood sample	0.33


3 marks

- b. How could the chemist confirm that the drug is in fact THC?

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2 marks

- c. The drug is slightly polar and the stationary phase used is polar, while the mobile phase is non-polar. What would happen to the retention time of the drug component if;

- i. a longer column was used.

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- ii. the column was heated to a higher temperature.

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- iii. the mobile phase is replaced with a more polar mobile phase.

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3 marks  
Total 8 marks

