

**Abbreviations,
annotations and
conventions used in the
mark scheme**

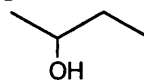
- / = alternative and acceptable answers for the same marking point
 ; = separates marking points
 NOT = answers not worthy of credit
 () = words which are not essential to gain credit
 _____ (underlining) = key words which must be used
 ecf = allow error carried forward in consequential marking
 AW = alternative wording
 ora = or reverse argument

**Marking structures in
organic chemistry**

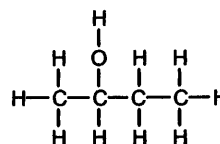
When a structure is asked for, there must be sufficient detail using conventional carbon skeleton and functional group formulae (e.g. CH₃, C₂H₅, OH, COOH, COOCH₃) to unambiguously define the arrangement of the atoms. (E.g. C₃H₇ would not be sufficient).

If not specified by the question, this may be given as either:

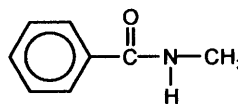
- a **structural formula** – e.g. CH₃CH(OH)C₂H₅,



- a **skeletal formula** – e.g.



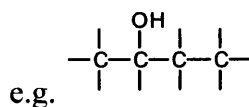
- a **displayed formula** – e.g.



or as a hybrid of these – e.g.

The following errors should be penalised – although each one only loses a maximum of one mark on the paper:

- clearly connecting a functional group by the wrong atom
- showing only 'sticks' instead of hydrogen atoms –



Benzene rings may be represented as



as well as



in an

of the types of formula above.

1 (a)(i)

balanced equation to give  $\text{COO}^- \checkmark + \text{H}_2\text{O} \checkmark$

allow $\text{C}_7\text{H}_5\text{O}_2^-$

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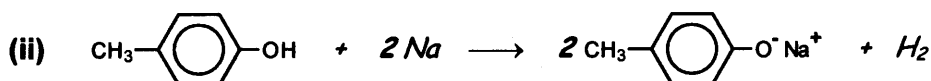
(ii) 4-methylphenol reacts (phenylmethanol does not) \checkmark

... because phenols are (more) acidic / donate H^+ more easily AW \checkmark

[2]

(b)(i) H_2 / hydrogen

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phenoxide/sodium phenoxide structure / formula \checkmark
rest the equation also correct and balanced \checkmark

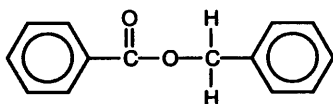
allow $\text{C}_7\text{H}_7\text{ONa}$
but NOT $-\text{NaO}$
or O-Na

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(c) (i) H^+ / acid / named strong acid eg H_2SO_4 / HCl

[1]

(ii)

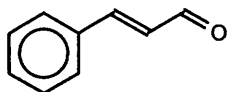


displayed ester group \checkmark
rest of the ester \checkmark

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2 (a) (i)



✓

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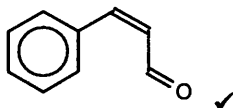
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two different groups on each carbon (of the C=C) AW ✓

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[1]

ii. *any formula that shows the H on the same side - eg*



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(c) (i) *aldehyde / C=O / carbonyl* ✓

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(ii) $C_6H_5CHCHCHO + 2[H] \longrightarrow C_6H_5CHCHCH_2OH$ ✓

allow C₉H₁₀O

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(d) *method*

silver nitrate ✓
ammonia / ammoniacal ✓
warm / heat ✓
silver (mirror) / brown ppt forms ✓

explanation

silver ions reduced / $Ag^+ + e^- \rightarrow Ag$ ✓
aldehyde oxidised to a carboxylic acid ✓
correct structure - eg $C_6H_5CHCHCOO^- / COOH$ ✓

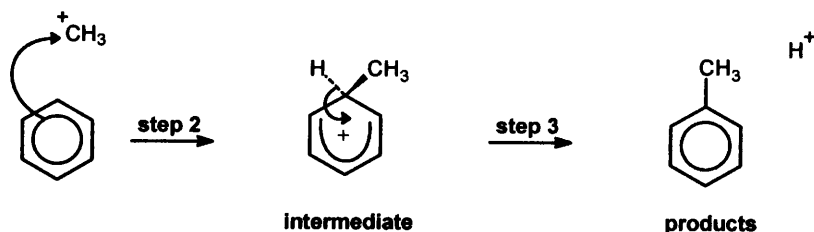
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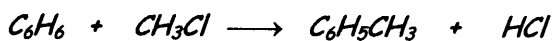
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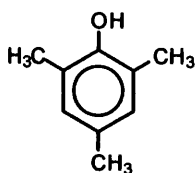
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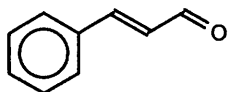
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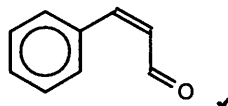
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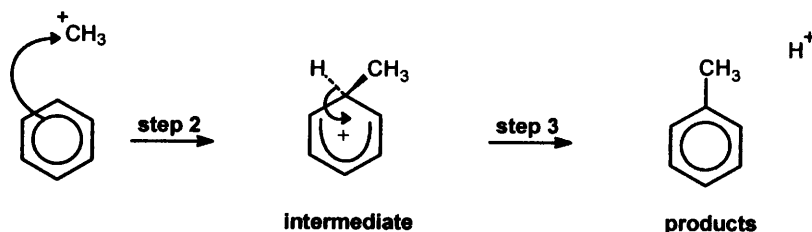
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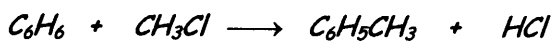
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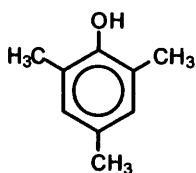
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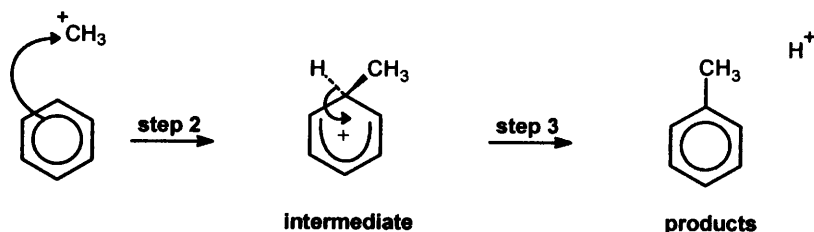
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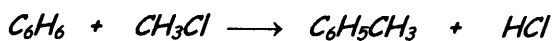
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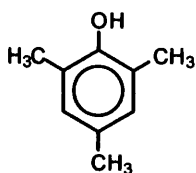
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- 4 (a) (i) water / evidence of a solution in water - eg (aq), 'dil', '6M' or 'conc' for HCl ✓

NOT conc HNO₃
or conc H₂SO₄

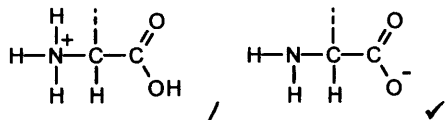
a named strong acid or alkali (heated under) reflux /
a suitable enzyme at around 37°C ✓

[2]

- (ii) amino acids ✓

[1]

- (iii) correct structure for one of the amino acids ✓
correct ionic form for reagent used in a(i) - eg



[2]

- (iv) reaction with water to split/break down the compound ✓

peptide bond in the compound is broken / diagram to show AW ✓

[2]

- (b) (i) a carbon with four different groups attached ✓

a chiral carbon / centre ✓

different spatial / 3-D arrangement (of the groups) ✓

(stereo)isomers / mirror images are non-superimposable / molecules
are asymmetric ✓

ANY 3 out of 4 marks

[3]

- (ii) contains 2 chiral centres ✓

each can have 2 (stereo)isomers / 2x2 possibilities AW ✓

[2]

- (iii) use naturally occurring / enantiomerically pure amino acids
OR

use a stereospecific catalyst / enzyme / micro-organisms

OR

separate the mixture using a suitable method ✓

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- (iv) higher doses are required ✓

the drug / other stereoisomers may have (harmful) side-effects ✓

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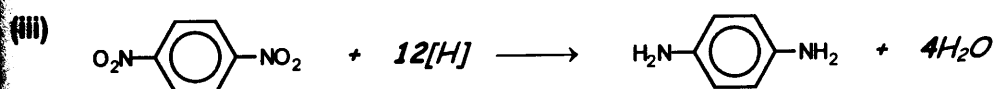
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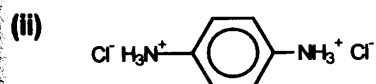
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(b) (i) *reduction / redox ✓*

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(ii) *tin and HCl ✓*
*conc acid under reflux ✓**or H₂ gas +
Ni/Pd catalyst [2]**H₂O as product ✓*
and the equation balanced ✓

[2]

(c) (i) *accepts H⁺ using the lone pair (on N) ✓*
*which is donated/forms a (dative) covalent bond ✓**either mark can be
obtained with a good
diagram [2]**correct structure with charges shown ✓✓*
*one mark for either: just one neutralised,
both neutralised, but without Cl⁻,
both neutralised, but no charges shown [2]*

[2]

(iii) *hexane-1,6-diamine is a stronger base because:**electrons move towards the N (due to the inductive effect)
(in hexane-1,6-diamine) ✓**the lone pair from N is (partially) delocalised around the ring (in
diaminobenzene) ✓**so the electron pair is more easily donated /
H⁺ more easily accepted (in hexane-1,6 diamine) ora ✓*

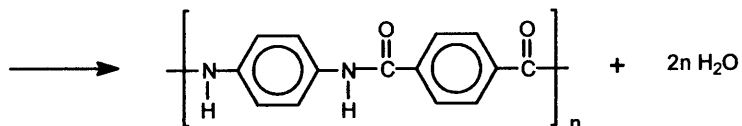
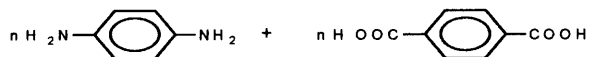
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- (d) (i) eg fire resistant / bullet proof clothing /
cycle tyres / tennis rackets ✓ *allow any use where a tough flexible material is needed* [1]

- (ii) condensation (polymerisation) ✓



structure of benzene-1,4-dicarboxylic acid ✓

amide /peptide bond displayed ✓

repeat unit of correct polymer indicated ✓

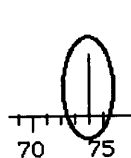
formula of water shown as the product in an equation ✓

[5]

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6 (a) *Molecular ion peak circled* ✓

Compound X has $M_r = 74$ ✓



*Empirical formula has $M_r = (36 + 6 + 32) = 74$
(so must be the same as the molecular formula)* ✓

[3]

(b) (i) *compound X is not an aldehyde or ketone / not a carbonyl compound* ✓

[1]

(ii) *compound X does not contain a C=C double bond / is not an alkene
/ is not a phenol* ✓

[1]

(c) *structure 1 ethyl methanoate* ✓
structure 3 propanoic acid ✓

[2]

(d) *presence or absence of relevant peaks (in the context of any of the structures) ...*

peak at ~ 1750 / $1680-1750(\text{cm}^{-1})$ for C=O ✓

peak at ~ 1250 / $1000-1300(\text{cm}^{-1})$ for C-O ✓

no peak at $2500 - 3300(\text{cm}^{-1})$ ✓

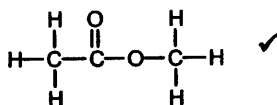
structures possible or ruled out ...

structures 3 is ruled out / can only be structure 1 or 2 ✓

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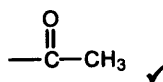
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correct structure:

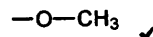


reasoning:

peak at ~ 2 / $2.0-2.9(\text{ppm})$ is due to



peak at ~ 3.7 / $3.3-4.3(\text{ppm})$ is due to



*allow max 1 as ecf
from the wrong
structure for valid
reasoning from the
 δ value*

*relative peak area is 1:1/equal as both groups have
the same number of protons* ✓ *AW*

*peak(s) not split as there are no protons on the
neighbouring carbons* ✓

quality of written communication

*for use and correct organisation of at least two of the scientific terms: ppm,
environment, methyl, proton, adjacent, singlet (doublet etc)* ✓

[6]

[Total: 17]