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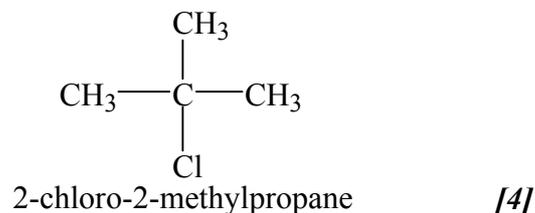
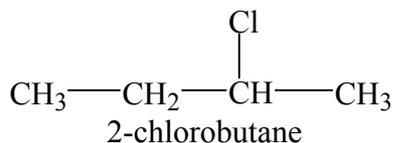
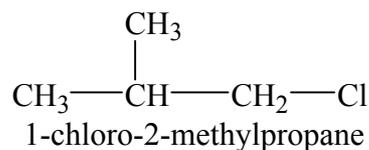
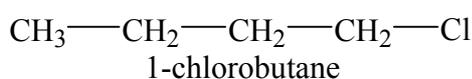
CHEMISTRY

Standard Level

Paper 3

OPTION A – HIGHER ORGANIC CHEMISTRY

A1. (a)



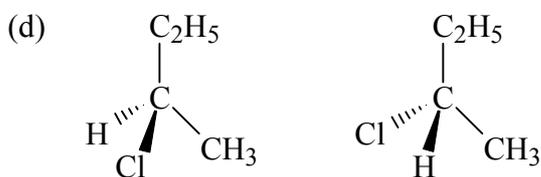
(Award [½] for each correct answer (name, structure) then round **down** if necessary for total mark.)

(b) (i) 2-chloro-2-methylpropane (name or structure). [1]
Nucleophilic substitution first order or unimolecular. [1]



Formation of intermediate is slower than its decomposition. [1]

(c) 1-chlorobutane **OR** 1-chloro-2-methylpropane (accept name or correct structure) [1]



(Award [1] for each correct structure.) [2]

Total [12 marks]

A2. Accept either compound **B** or propanone. [1]

Peaks at 15/43 consistent with CH_3^+ / CH_3CO^+ from CH_3COCH_3 [1]

No peak at 29 consistent with C_2H_5^+ or CHO^+ from $\text{C}_2\text{H}_5\text{CHO}$ [1]

Total [3 marks]

OPTION B – HIGHER PHYSICAL CHEMISTRY

B1. (a) $\text{rate} = k[\text{N}_2\text{O}_5(\text{g})]$ [1]

(b) $\text{rate} = (0.0300)(8.10 \times 10^{-3}) = 0.243 \text{ mol dm}^{-3} \text{ min}^{-1}$

(Award [1] for correct numerical answer and [1] for correct units.) [2]

(c) $t_{1/2} = \frac{0.693}{8.10 \times 10^{-3}} = 85.6 \text{ min}$

(Award [1] for correct set up and [1] for correct answer.) [2]

(d) The half-life will remain unchanged (as it does not depend on concentration, only temperature). [1]

Total [6 marks]

B2. (a) (i) $[\text{H}^+] = 0.16 \text{ mol dm}^{-3}$ $\text{pH} = -\log[\text{H}^+] = 0.80$ [1]

(ii) $[\text{H}^+] = 0.16 \times 0.031 = 4.96 \times 10^{-3} \text{ mol dm}^{-3}$ [1]

$\text{pH} = -\log 4.96 \times 10^{-3} = 2.30$ [1]

(iii) HCl is a strong acid which ionises totally in solution. [1]

Lactic acid is a weak acid, which ionises only partially, producing much lower $[\text{H}^+]$ so pH is higher. [1]

(b) $K_a = \frac{[\text{H}_3\text{O}^+][\text{C}_3\text{H}_5\text{O}_3^-]}{[\text{HC}_3\text{H}_5\text{O}_3]}$ *(or implicit in calculation)* [1]

$= \frac{(4.96 \times 10^{-3})(4.96 \times 10^{-3})}{(0.16 - 4.96 \times 10^{-3})} = 1.59 \times 10^{-4} \text{ mol dm}^{-3}$ [1]

(units not necessary to gain mark)

(c) $1.59 \times 10^{-4} = \frac{(x)(x+0.10)}{(0.16-x)}$ *(assume x is negligible)* [1]

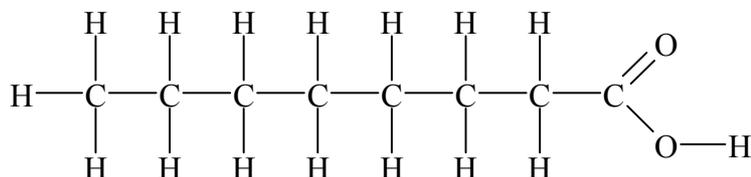
$x = [\text{H}^+] = 2.54 \times 10^{-4} \text{ mol dm}^{-3}$ *(units not necessary to gain mark)* [1]

(N.B. Allow for error carried forward in (b) and (c).)

Total [9 marks]

OPTION C – HUMAN BIOCHEMISTRY

- C1.** (a) $\text{CH}_2\text{OH}-\text{CHOH}-\text{CH}_2\text{OH}$ [1]
 (b) $-\text{COOH}$ [1]

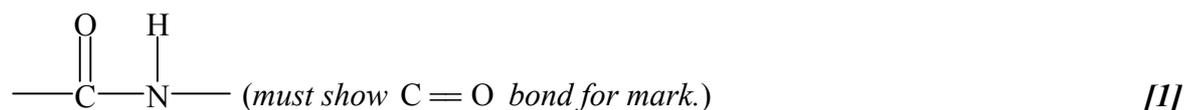


(Accept $\text{CH}_3(\text{CH}_2)_6\text{COOH}$ or any correct alternative, including branched structures or alkenoic acids.) [1]

- (c) Molecules of saturated fats contain only single C—C bonds in the carbon chains / contain no double bonds. [1]
 Molecules of unsaturated fats contain at least one C = C double bond. [1]
 The degree of unsaturation can be found by determining the number of moles of iodine that react with one mole (or a stated mass) of fat. [1]
 Iodine adds across the C = C double bond in a 1:1 stoichiometric ratio. [1]

Total [7 marks]

- C2.** (a) $-\text{NH}_2$ / amino group / amine. [1]
 (b) Peptide bond (accept amide bond) [1]



- (c) First hydrolyse the peptide bonds to release individual amino acids then use chromatography (comparison of R_f values) (accept electrophoresis / mass spectrometry). [1]
 (Award both marks if X-ray crystallography is given.) [1]
 (d) The secondary structure describes the type of coil or sheet / folding of polypeptide / α -helix and β -pleated sheet. [1]
 Tertiary structure describes the interactions between the R groups of the amino acid residues. [1]
 (e) Hydrogen bond. [1]

Total [8 marks]

OPTION D – ENVIRONMENTAL CHEMISTRY

- D1.** (a) (i) $2\text{CO} + 2\text{NO} \rightarrow 2\text{CO}_2 + \text{N}_2$
(Award [1] for correct products and [1] for balanced equation.) [2]
- (ii) $\text{CaO} + \text{SO}_2 \rightarrow \text{CaSO}_3$ (or $2\text{CaO} + 2\text{SO}_2 + \text{O}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{CaSO}_4$)
(Award [1] for reactants and [1] for product.) [2]
- (b) $2\text{NO} + \text{O}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{NO}_2$ [1]
 $4\text{NO}_2 + 2\text{H}_2\text{O} + \text{O}_2 \rightarrow 4\text{HNO}_3$ [1]
OR
 $2\text{SO}_2 + \text{O}_2 \rightleftharpoons 2\text{SO}_3$ [1]
 $\text{SO}_3 + \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$ (*accept* $\text{SO}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{H}_2\text{SO}_3$) [1]
- (c) Irritation of the mucous membranes / fatigue / weakness / confusion (from exposure to $\text{C}_6\text{H}_5\text{CH}_3$) / cancer forming. [1]

Total [7 marks]

- D2.** Fresh water not available uniformly around the world / ‘locked up’ in glaciers and icebergs. [1]
 Where the consumption is necessarily high it is easily contaminated with water borne diseases / by micro-organisms from human waste / from flooding / due to inadequate chemical treatment of water supplies. [1]
- (a) Reverse Osmosis:
 Uses high pressure [1]
 to force water from salt-water through partially (semi-) permeable membrane; [1]
 the partially permeable membrane does not allow the passage of dissolved ions. [1]
- OR** Osmosis is the net movement of water molecules from a region of high concentration, *i.e.* pure water to one of lower concentration, *i.e.* less pure water through a partially permeable membrane **OR** osmosis is the tendency to equalise concentrations. [1]
 Due to osmosis, pure water will move through a partially permeable membrane into salt water, thus diluting it. [1]
 If pressure greater than osmotic pressure is applied, the flow of solvent takes place in the opposite direction, called reverse osmosis. [1]
- (b) Ion exchange:
 Requires the use of both a positive ion exchange (which can replace metal ions in sea water with H^+ ions) [1]
 and a negative ion exchange (which can replace anions with OH^- ions). [1]
 The H^+ and OH^- ions combine to form fresh/pure water. [1]

Total [8 marks]

OPTION E – CHEMICAL INDUSTRIES

- E1.** (a) (i) N_2 obtained from the fractional distillation of liquid air. **[1]**
(Not enough to just state 'from air'.)
- (ii) H_2 obtained from cracking of petroleum products / from water using reduction with methane / from water using reduction with naphtha / catalytic reforming / electrolysis of sodium chloride solution. **[1]**
- (b) There are four volumes (moles) of gas on LHS and only two on RHS **[1]**
 so increasing the pressure will move the position of equilibrium to the right **[1]**
 Increasing the pressure increases the concentration of the gases **[1]**
 So reaction rate increases. **[1]**
- (c) The yield of ammonia is low **[1]**
 so most of the N_2 and H_2 needs to go round again (to save waste/cost). **[1]**

Total [8 marks]

- E2.** (a) (i) Occurs at a lower temperature (therefore uses less energy so cheaper). **[1]**
- (ii) $C_{12}H_{26} \rightarrow C_8H_{18} + 2C_2H_4$ (or C_4H_8) **[1]**
(Must have both an alkane and alkene as products to gain mark.)
 Either octane used for car engines **OR** alkene used for polymers. **[1]**
- (b) (i) balanced equation has $4H_2$ **[1]**
 hexane and benzene. **[2]**
- (ii) benzene: production of alkylbenzene / chlorobenzene / dodecylbenzene / detergents *etc.* **[1]**

Total [7 marks]

OPTION F – FUELS AND ENERGY

- F1.** (a) Anode: zinc [1]
 Cathode: graphite (carbon) [1]
 Electrolyte: ammonium chloride **OR** zinc chloride and ammonium chloride and water. [1]
- (b) Anode: $\text{Zn} \rightarrow \text{Zn}^{2+} + 2\text{e}^{-}$ [1]
 Cathode: $2\text{NH}_4^{+} + 2\text{e}^{-} \rightarrow 2\text{NH}_3 + \text{H}_2$ [1]
OR $2\text{MnO}_2 + 2\text{NH}_4^{+} + 2\text{e}^{-} \rightarrow \text{Mn}_2\text{O}_3 + 2\text{NH}_3 + \text{H}_2\text{O}$
(State symbols are not required.)
- (c) *(Award [1] each for any two from the following:)*
 No decline in performance under high loads / no gases formed at cathode / longer shelf life / able to produce more current for a longer time / good for emergency lighting. [2]
- (d) Voltage does not change [1]
 voltage depends primarily on materials used. [1]

Total [9 marks]

- F2.** (a) (i) Water absorbs the heat (as the waste decays). [1]
(Accept “it is cheaper” / “temporary”.)
- (ii) There is the possibility of (radioisotopes) escaping into the water table / environment. [1]
- (b) (i) ${}_{94}^{239}\text{Pu}$ *(award [1] for Pu and [1] for correct numbers)* [2]
- (ii) 96000 years *(give [1] if answer wrong but four half-lives is stated)* [2]

Total [6 marks]
