

Chirality

Mark Scheme 1

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| Level | International A Level |
| Subject | Chemistry |
| Exam Board | Edexcel |
| Topic | Rates, Equilibria & Further Organic Chemistry |
| Sub Topic | Chirality |
| Booklet | Mark Scheme 1 |

Time Allowed: 71 minutes

Score: /59

Percentage: /100

Grade Boundaries:

| A* | A | B | C | D | E | U |
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| >85% | '77.5% | 70% | 62.5% | 57.5% | 45% | <45% |

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| 1(a) | C | 1 |

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| 1(b) | A | 1 |

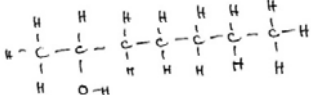
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| 1(c) | D | 1 |

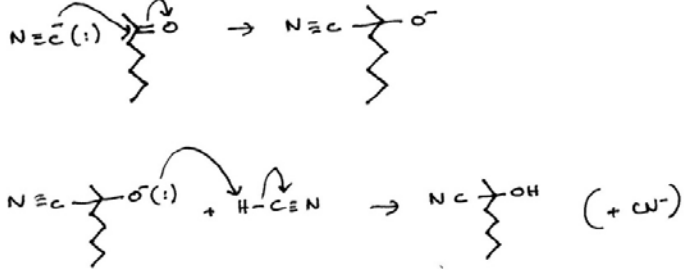
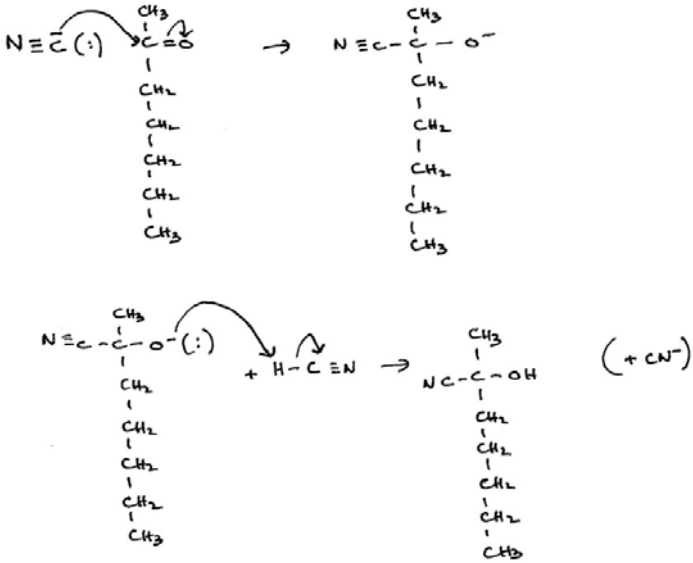
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| 2a | Heptan-2-one ALLOW Hept-2-one Hepta-2-one Heptane-2-one 2-heptanone | Heptanone | 1 |

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| 2b | (Warm with) iodine and sodium hydroxide/ iodine in the presence of alkali (1) EITHER Yellow and precipitate with A only OR Yellow and precipitate with A , no change with B ALLOW Antiseptic smell with A only ALLOW Correct result following use of just 'iodoform test' for second mark (1) | Just 'iodoform test' Measure the melting point of the hydrazone | 2 |

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| 2c | <p>Test 2 may be given before test 1 Allow a correct result with a nearly correct test eg no acid in dichromate test scores 0 for test but scores 1 for the result remains orange</p> <p>Test 1: (Warm with) Brady's reagent / (2,4-)dinitrophenylhydrazine / (2,4)DNP(H) (1)</p> <p>Yellow/ orange/ red and precipitate/ solid/ crystals and confirms C=O/ carbonyl/ aldehyde or ketone (1)</p> <p>Test 2: Any one from (Warm/boil with) Fehling's solution/ Benedict's solution (1)</p> <p>No red-brown/ brown/ orange ppt / stays blue, confirms not an aldehyde ALLOW No reaction confirms not an aldehyde/ so it is a ketone (1)</p> <p>OR Test 2: (Warm with) Tollens' reagent/ ammoniacal silver nitrate (1)</p> <p>No silver mirror/ grey black or silver ppt confirms not an aldehyde ALLOW No reaction confirms not an aldehyde/ so it is a ketone (1)</p> <p>OR (Warm with) potassium/sodium dichromate(VI) and sulfuric acid/ $\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7^{2-}$ and H^+ ALLOW (Warm with) acidified (potassium/ sodium) dichromate(VI) (1)</p> <p>remains orange / does not go green confirms not an aldehyde ALLOW No reaction confirms not an aldehyde/ so it is a ketone (1)</p> | | 4 |

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| | Additional Comments READ (b) and (c) TOGETHER DNPH test in (b) scores 0 but if DNPH test is given correctly in (b) allow up to 2 marks for this test in in (c) | | |
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| 2d |  <p>OR $\text{CH}_3\text{CH}(\text{OH})(\text{CH}_2)_4\text{CH}_3$ / $\text{CH}_3\text{CH}(\text{OH})\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3$ (1)</p> <p>Lithium tetrahydridoaluminate((III))/ lithium aluminium hydride / LiAlH_4 (in dry ether)</p> <p>ALLOW NaBH_4 / sodium borohydride H_2 + Ni/Pt/ Pd catalyst (1)</p> | Skeletal formula Lack of hydrogens | 2 |

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| 2e(i) |  <p>ALLOW</p>  <p>Arrow from any part of CN^- (including a lone pair on either the carbon or nitrogen) to carbon of $\text{C}=\text{O}$ and Arrow from part of $\text{C}=\text{O}$ double bond to oxygen ALLOW CN^- can approach from LHS or RHS of A Two steps via charged canonical form (1)</p> <p>Negatively charged intermediate with C-CN bond (1)</p> <p>Arrow from resulting O^- to hydrogen of $\text{HCN}/ \text{H}^+ / \text{H}_2\text{O}$ Do not penalise incorrect or absent arrow between H and CN (1)</p> <p>IGNORE Dipoles on $\text{C}=\text{O}$</p> | <p>CN without negative charge</p> <p>C-N-C Penalise once only</p> | 3 |

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| 2e(ii) | <p>Forms a racemic mixture / racemate (1)</p> <p>Cyanide can attack (equally) from either side/ above or below (1)</p> <p>Because bonds round C=O are (trigonal) planar / \ C=O is planar /</p> <p>OR Carbonyl group / C=O group / reaction site is planar</p> <p>OR Bonds around carbonyl carbon are planar (1)</p> | <p>Ketone/ the molecule is planar</p> <p>C=O is planar</p> <p>carbocation / intermediate is planar</p> | 3 |

(Total for Question 2 = 15 marks)

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| 3(a) | ethyl dodecanoate Allow ethyldodecanoate ethyl dodecan-1-oate | ethyl decanoate / ethyl dodecanal/ ethyl dodecate / ethanoyl dodecanoate | 1 |

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| 3(b) | Reducing (agent) Allow (source of) nucleophile Ignore source of hydride ions | 1 |

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| 3(c) | Prevent further reduction / reduction of the aldehyde (to an alcohol) Allow to prevent further reaction of dodecanal /aldehyde Ignore reference to rates Ignore higher yield/ prevent side reactions Ignore exothermic / optimum temperature Ignore volatility | 1 |

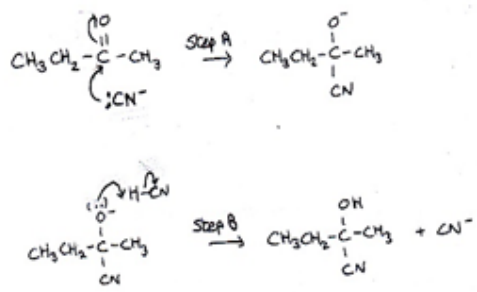
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| 3(d) | <p>If final answer is 3.74 (g), with or without working, award 3 marks</p> <p>Moles ester = $5.26 / 228 = 0.02307$ mol NOTE: Do not allow this rounded to 0.02 (1)</p> <p>EITHER</p> <p>So mass of aldehyde at 100% $= 0.02307 \times 184$ $= 4.2449$ (g) (1)</p> <p>But yield is 88%, so actual mass $= 4.245 \times 0.88$ $= 3.7355 / 3.74$ (g)</p> <p>Allow 3.73 g if 4.24 g of aldehyde used (1)</p> <p>OR</p> <p>But yield is 88%, so actual moles $= 0.02307 \times 0.88$ $= 0.02(03)$ (1)</p> <p>So mass of aldehyde formed $= 0.0203 \times 184$ $= 3.7355 / 3.74 / 3.7$ (g) (1)</p> <p>Allow TE for 2nd and 3rd marks</p> <p>Ignore SF in final answer except 1SF</p> | 3 |

Total for Question 3 = 6 marks

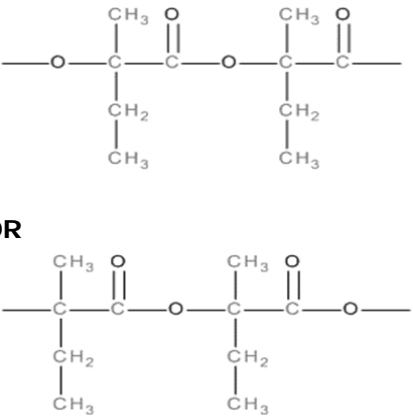
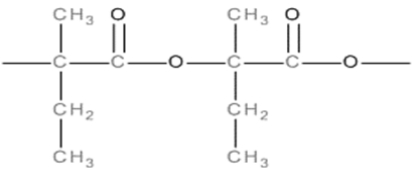
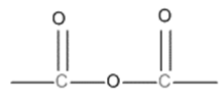
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| 4(a) | <p>First mark mix/add the reagents and filter OR react butanone/ketone with Brady's reagent/2,4-dinitrophenylhydrazine and filter OR filter the (yellow/orange) precipitate formed (1)</p> <p>Second mark recrystallize OR description of recrystallization ALLOW this mark even if the ppt is not filtered (1)</p> <p>Third mark measure the melting temperature (of derivative of butanone) and compare with data book /reference / literature value (1)</p> <p>Stand alone marks</p> | <p>Just 'crystallisation' if the precipitate has not been filtered</p> <p>Just 'characteristic melting temperature'</p> | (3) |

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| 4(b)(i) | <p>nucleophilic (1)</p> <p>addition (1)</p> <p>answers can be in any order IGNORE heterolytic</p> | <p>hydrolysis/reduction</p> <p>S_N1 or S_N2</p> | (2) |

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| 4(b)(ii) | <p>Method 1 acid hydrolysis Name or formula of any strong acid eg (dilute) hydrochloric acid/ (dilute) sulfuric acid (1)</p> <p>IGNORE dilute acid / H⁺(aq)/ just 'H⁺'</p> <p>Boil/heat /reflux Conditional on acid as the only reagent ALLOW high temperature (1)</p> <p>Method 2 alkaline hydrolysis Sodium hydroxide solution/ dilute sodium hydroxide/ NaOH(aq) and boil/heat /reflux (1)</p> <p>then add dilute acid / H⁺(aq)/dilute hydrochloric acid/ dilute sulfuric acid (1)</p> | <p>Just 'concentrated sulfuric acid '</p> <p>Potassium dichromate(VI) and dilute sulfuric acid</p> <p>Just 'warm'</p> | (2) |

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| 4(b)(iii) |  <p>First mark both curly arrows on the first diagram arrow from C of CN^- to C of carbonyl and arrow from double bond to O ALLOW curly arrow from the - sign but not from the N (1) IGNORE correct dipoles</p> <p>Second mark lone pair on C of CN^- correct (1) IGNORE other lone pairs, even if incorrect</p> <p>Third mark both curly arrows on the third diagram arrow from O to H and from bond to C of CN ALLOW curly arrow to gap between C and N (1)</p> | <p>full charges on C / O incorrect dipole on C=O</p> <p>arrow directly to N of CN</p> | (3) |

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| 4(b)(iv) | <p>First mark a racemic mixture/racemate forms OR equal amounts of the two optical isomers /enantiomers / D-L isomers / (+) and (-) isomers /R-S isomers (1)</p> <p>Second mark the molecule is (trigonal) planar around C=O /carbonyl group /reaction site (1)</p> <p>Third mark (equal probability of) the CN⁻ ion/nucleophile attacking (the C of C=O) from above or below/either side/both sides of (the plane) (1)</p> | For second mark only: mention of carbocation OR C=O/carbonyl carbon atom is planar OR intermediate is planar OR the molecule /butanone / ketone is planar | (3) |

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| 4(c) |  <p>OR</p>  <p>ALLOW any combination of displayed structure/ structural formula /skeletal formulae</p> <p>ester group correct ALLOW -COOC- (1)</p> <p>rest of polymer correct ALLOW C₂H₅ ALLOW more than 2 repeat units Conditional on ester group correct (1)</p> <p>IGNORE n and square brackets</p> |  <p>in polymer scores (0)</p> <p>more than 1 H missing from a bond</p> | (2) |

(Total for Question 4 = 15 marks)

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| 5(a)(i) | <p>Penalise lack of + sign once only in (a)(i) or (ii) in each final answer</p> <p>IGNORE sf in (a)(i), (ii), and (iii) in each final answer, except 1 sf</p> <p>FIRST, CHECK THE FINAL ANSWER +479.7 J mol⁻¹ K⁻¹ scores 3 marks</p> <p>479.7 J mol⁻¹ K⁻¹ scores 2 marks (+ sign missing)</p> <p>+479.7/ 479.7 scores 2 marks (units and/or + missing)</p> <p>+1709.7 J mol⁻¹ K⁻¹ scores 2 marks – multiple of 12 used for oxygen</p> <p>1709.7 J mol⁻¹ K⁻¹/ +1709.7/ 1709.7 score 1 mark – multiple of 12 used for oxygen and positive sign and/or units</p> <p>If these answers are not given, award marks as follows:</p> <p>First mark correct data for CO₂ (213.6) and H₂O (69.9) (1)</p> <p>Second mark correct multiples (12, 11, 1 and 24) and Hess's Law applied $\Delta S^{\circ}_{\text{system}} = 12 \times 213.6 + 11 \times 69.9$ $-(392.4 + 24 \times 102.5)$</p> <p>ALLOW ecf from incorrect data for CO₂ and/or H₂O (1)</p> <p>Third mark correct answer with sign and units = +479.7 J mol⁻¹ K⁻¹</p> <p>ALLOW ecf from incorrect data for CO₂ and/or H₂O and incorrect multiples (1)</p> | 3 |

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| 5(a)(ii) | <p>If answer is +18925.2 J mol⁻¹ K⁻¹ / +18.9252 kJ mol⁻¹ K⁻¹, then award 2 marks</p> <p>If not,</p> $\Delta S^{\circ}_{\text{surroundings}} = \frac{-\Delta H^{\circ}}{T}$ $= - \frac{(-5639.7) \times 1000}{298}$ $= + 18925.2 \text{ J mol}^{-1} \text{ K}^{-1} /$ $+18.9252 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1} \text{ K}^{-1}$ <p style="text-align: right;">(1)</p> <p style="text-align: right;">(1)</p> | <p>+18925.1 J mol⁻¹ K⁻¹ / +18.9251 kJ mol⁻¹ K⁻¹</p> | 2 |

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| 5(a)(iii) | <p>First mark $(\Delta S^{\circ}_{\text{total}} = \Delta S^{\circ}_{\text{surroundings}} + \Delta S^{\circ}_{\text{system}} = 18925.2 + 479.7)$ $= (+)19404.9 \text{ (J mol}^{-1} \text{ K}^{-1}) / (+)19.4049 \text{ (kJ mol}^{-1} \text{ K}^{-1})$ if units given they must be correct</p> <p>ALLOW $(+)19500 \text{ (J mol}^{-1} \text{ K}^{-1}) / (+)19.5 \text{ (kJ mol}^{-1} \text{ K}^{-1})$ (from $19.0 + 0.480$)</p> <p>ALLOW ecf on adding answers to (a)(i) and (a)(ii) in the same units (1)</p> <p>Note If answer to (a)(i) was $+1709.7$, $\Delta S^{\circ}_{\text{total}} = +20634.9 \text{ (J mol}^{-1} \text{ K}^{-1}) / +20.6349 \text{ (kJ mol}^{-1} \text{ K}^{-1})$</p> <p>Second mark $(\Delta S^{\circ}_{\text{total}}$ is positive so) reaction is (thermodynamically) spontaneous/ feasible/ goes to completion</p> <p>ALLOW thermodynamically unstable</p> <p>If their sign for $\Delta S^{\circ}_{\text{total}}$ is negative, then ALLOW reaction is not spontaneous/ not feasible/ does not go to completion (1)</p> | 2 |

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| 5(a)(iv) | <p>IGNORE comments on $\Delta S^\ominus_{\text{system}}$</p> <p>First mark $(\Delta S^\ominus_{\text{surroundings}} = -\Delta H^\ominus/T$ so increase in T makes) $\Delta S^\ominus_{\text{surroundings}}$ less positive/ decreases ALLOW more negative (1)</p> <p>Second mark $(\Delta S^\ominus_{\text{total}} = \Delta S^\ominus_{\text{surroundings}} + \Delta S^\ominus_{\text{system}}$ so increase in T makes) $\Delta S^\ominus_{\text{total}}$ less positive/ decreases ALLOW more negative NOTE no ecf on $\Delta S^\ominus_{\text{surroundings}}$ increases (1)</p> <p>Third mark (because $\Delta S^\ominus_{\text{total}}$ is so large and positive to start with) there is an insignificant effect on the extent of the reaction ALLOW $\Delta S^\ominus_{\text{total}}$ is still positive so reaction still goes to completion/is spontaneous ALLOW ecf on $\Delta S^\ominus_{\text{total}}$ increases (1)</p> | more exothermic | 3 |

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| 5(a)(v) | <p>First mark (stable because) high activation energy/ E_a (for combustion of sucrose) ALLOW sucrose is kinetically stable/ inert (1)</p> <p>Second mark (hazardous because small particles/ powder have/ has) larger surface area and react faster (1)</p> <p>IGNORE any reference to temperature</p> <p>If answers are not linked to stability and hazardous, still award both marks even if the points are written in the wrong order</p> | | 2 |

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| 5(a)(vi) | Any two of: obesity/ weight gain/ stored as fat/ get fat (1) tooth decay/ cavities/ toothache (1) diabetes/ glycosuria (1) heart/ cardiovascular condition/ disease/ attack (1) strokes (1) damage to the immune system (1) high insulin levels (1) high blood pressure (1) kidney damage (1) liver disease (1) headaches/ migraines (1) arthritis (1) high cholesterol (1) IGNORE risk of cancer/ high blood sugar/ stomach ulcers | | 2 |

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| 5(b)(i) | circles or asterisks on carbons 2-5 all four correct (2) 3 or 2 correct (1) 1 or 0 correct (0) ALLOW 5 carbons circled (1) | all 6 carbons circled (0) | 2 |

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| 5(b)(ii) | rotate the plane of (plane-) polarized light ALLOW rotate plane-polarized light IGNORE optically active/ optical activity/ non-superimposable | just 'rotate light' | 1 |

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| 5(b)(iii) | <p>First mark – colour change from a blue (solution) to a red/ orange/ brown/ yellow precipitate</p> <p>ALLOW solid or (s) for precipitate which could be shown in formula or equation (1)</p> <p>Second mark – functional group (glucose/it is) an aldehyde / (has) a CHO group (1)</p> <p>Third mark – oxidation/reduction copper(II)/Cu²⁺ is reduced (to copper(I)/Cu⁺ oxide by the aldehyde group) /Cu²⁺ + e⁽⁻⁾ → Cu⁺</p> <p>OR the aldehyde/ glucose is oxidized (to the carboxylate/carboxylic acid)/ RCHO + [O] → RCOOH</p> <p>OR Benedict’s and Fehling’s (solutions) are oxidizing agents</p> <p>ALLOW equation showing oxidation of aldehyde and reduction of Cu²⁺ even if not balanced (1)</p> | incorrect observation for one of the reagents for first mark only, eg. silver mirror formed | 3 |

Total for Question 5 = 20 marks