



**ADVANCED SUBSIDIARY GCE  
CHEMISTRY**

**2812/01**

Chains and Rings

**THURSDAY 11 JANUARY 2007**

Morning

Time: 1 hour

Additional materials: Scientific calculator  
Data Sheet for Chemistry (Inserted)



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**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

- Write your name, Centre number and Candidate number in the boxes above.
- Answer **all** the questions.
- Use blue or black ink. Pencil may be used for graphs and diagrams only.
- Read each question carefully and make sure you know what you have to do before starting your answer.
- Do **not** write in the bar code.
- Do **not** write outside the box bordering each page.
- WRITE YOUR ANSWER TO EACH QUESTION IN THE SPACE PROVIDED. ANSWERS WRITTEN ELSEWHERE WILL NOT BE MARKED.

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- The number of marks for each question is given in brackets [ ] at the end of each question or part question.
- You will be awarded marks for the quality of written communication where this is indicated in the question.
- You may use a scientific calculator.
- A copy of the *Data Sheet for Chemistry* is provided as an insert with this question paper.
- You are advised to show all the steps in any calculations.

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3	12	
4	12	
5	10	
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>60</b>	

This document consists of **14** printed pages, **2** blank pages and a *Data Sheet for Chemistry*.





## **Data Sheet for Chemistry**

**GCE Advanced level and Advanced Subsidiary**

**Chemistry 3882, 7882**

**Chemistry units 2811 – 2816**

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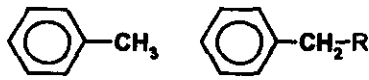

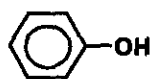
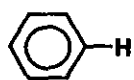
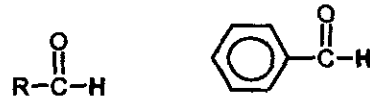
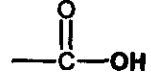
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**Characteristic infra-red absorptions in organic molecules**

bond	location	wavenumber
C-O	alcohols, esters	1000 – 1300 cm <sup>-1</sup>
C=O	aldehydes, ketones, carboxylic acids, esters	1680 – 1750 cm <sup>-1</sup>
O-H	hydrogen bonded in carboxylic acids	2500 – 3300 cm <sup>-1</sup> (broad)
N-H	primary amines	3100 – 3500 cm <sup>-1</sup>
O-H	hydrogen bonded in alcohols, phenols	3230 – 3550 cm <sup>-1</sup>
O-H	free	3580 – 3670 cm <sup>-1</sup>

**Chemical shifts for some types of protons in n.m.r. spectra**

- Chemical shifts are for hydrogen relative to TMS (tetramethylsilane)
- Chemical shifts are typical values and can vary slightly depending on the solvent, concentration and substituents.

type of proton	chemical shift, $\delta$
R-CH <sub>3</sub>	0.7–1.6
R-CH <sub>2</sub> -R	1.2–1.4
R <sub>3</sub> CH	1.6–2.0
	2.0–2.9
	2.3–2.7
	3.3–4.3
R-OH	3.5–5.5
	6.5–7.0
	7.1–7.7
	9.5–10
	11.0–11.7

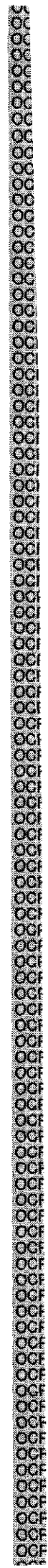
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		relative atomic mass atomic symbol name atomic number											
6.9 Li lithium 3	9.0 Be beryllium 4	1.0 H hydrogen 1									4.0 He helium 2		
23.0 Na sodium 11	24.3 Mg magnesium 12										20.2 Ne neon 10		
39.1 K potassium 19	40.1 Ca calcium 20	45.0 Sc scandium 21	47.9 Ti titanium 22	54.9 Mn manganese 25	55.8 Fe iron 26	58.9 Co cobalt 27	58.7 Ni nickel 28	63.5 Cu copper 29	65.4 Zn zinc 30	72.6 Ge germanium 32	79.9 Br bromine 35	83.8 Kr krypton 36	
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87 Fr francium	88 Ra radium	89 Ac actinium	104 Rf rutherfordium	105 Db dubnium	108 Hs hassium	109 Mt meitnerium	110 Unn ununium	111 Uuu ununium	112 Uub ununbium	114 Uuq ununquadium	116 Uuh ununhexium	118 Uuo ununoctium	

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actinides *	90 Th thorium	91 Pa protactinium	92 U uranium	93 Np neptunium	95 Am americium	96 Cm curium	98 Cf californium	99 Es einsteinium	100 Fm fermium	101 Md mendelevium	102 No nobelium	103 Lw lawrencium

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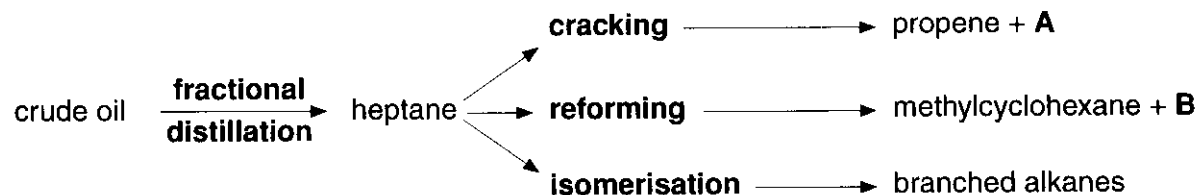
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Answer **all** the questions.

- 1 Crude oil is first separated by fractional distillation. The fractions can then be refined further by cracking, reforming and isomerisation.

The reaction sequence below shows the production of heptane,  $C_7H_{16}$ , from fractional distillation of crude oil, followed by cracking, reforming and isomerisation.



- (a) What is meant by the term *fractional distillation*?

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 .....[1]

- (b) The cracking of heptane produces propene and **A**.

Write a balanced equation for this cracking of heptane.

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- (c) The reforming of heptane produces methylcyclohexane and **B**.

- (i) Show the structural formula of methylcyclohexane.

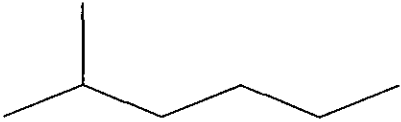
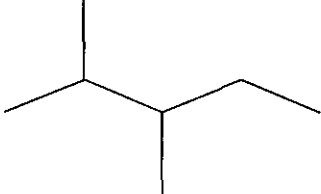
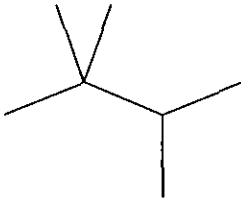
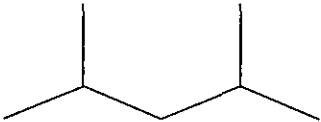
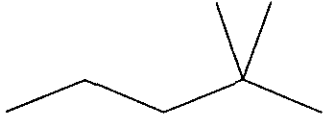
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- (ii) Write a balanced equation for this reforming.

[1]



- (d) The isomerisation of heptane produces **seven** branched alkanes, five of which are shown below.

<p>2-methylhexane</p> 	<p>2,3-dimethylpentane</p> 
<p>2,2,3-trimethylbutane</p> 	<p>2,4-dimethylpentane</p> 
<p>compound C</p> 	

- (i) Name compound C.

.....[1]

- (ii) In the boxes above, draw skeletal formulae for the other **two** branched alkanes formed by isomerisation of heptane. [2]





(iii) Predict which of 2-methylhexane, 2,3-dimethylpentane and 2,2,3-trimethylbutane has the lowest boiling point.

.....[1]

(iv) Explain why 2-methylhexane, 2,3-dimethylpentane and 2,2,3-trimethylbutane have different boiling points.

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.....[2]

(e) Crude oil and its fractions are described as non-renewable fossil fuels. To reduce the demand for fossil fuels, ethanol can be mixed with petrol. Ethanol is an example of a renewable biofuel.

(i) What is meant by a *biofuel*?

.....  
.....[1]

(ii) Why are fossil fuels *non-renewable* but ethanol *renewable*?

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.....  
.....[1]

[Total: 12]



2 This question is about two alcohols, ethanol and propan-2-ol,  $\text{CH}_3\text{CH}(\text{OH})\text{CH}_3$ .

(a) Ethanol can be formed by fermentation of glucose,  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_{12}\text{O}_6$ .

(i) Write a balanced equation, including state symbols, for the formation of ethanol by fermentation.

.....[2]

(ii) Fermentation only occurs in the presence of yeast. State **two** other essential conditions.

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(iii) How would you know when fermentation of glucose is complete?

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(b) Propan-2-ol can be formed by the hydration of an alkene in the presence of a catalyst.

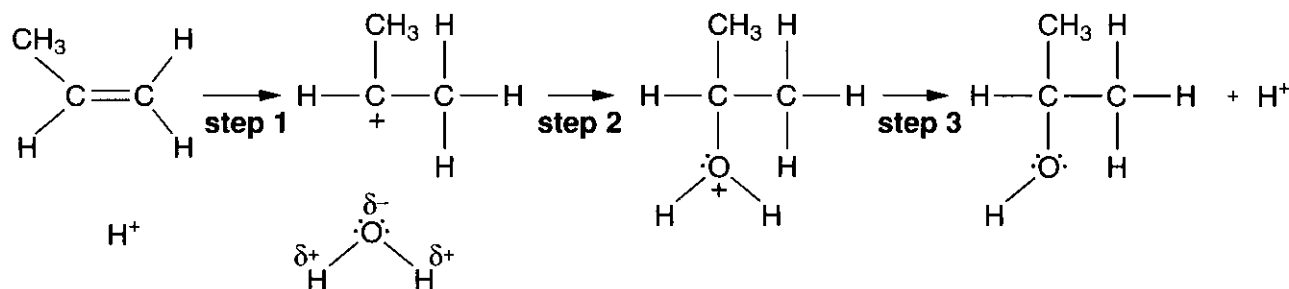
(i) Suggest a suitable catalyst for this reaction.

.....[1]

(ii) This is an electrophilic addition reaction. What is meant by the term *electrophile*?

.....[1]

(c) A mechanism for the reaction in (b) is shown below.



(i) Add 'curly arrows' to the mechanism to show the movement of electron pairs in steps 1, 2 and 3. [3]

(ii) Suggest, with a reason, the role of the  $\text{H}^+$ .

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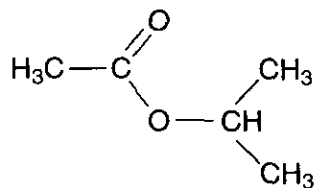


- (d) Propan-2-ol is flammable and readily burns.

Write a balanced equation for the complete combustion of propan-2-ol.

.....[2]

- (e) Compound **D**, shown below, can be used as a solvent for plastics and fats and is also used in perfumery.



compound **D**

Compound **D** can be prepared from propan-2-ol and another organic compound. Identify this other compound.

[1]

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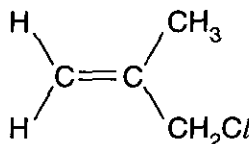


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- 3 Methyl allyl chloride, MAC, is an important industrial chemical. It is used as an intermediate in the production of synthetic fibres, pharmaceuticals and epoxy resins. The structural formula of MAC is shown below.



MAC

- (a) Give the **systematic** chemical name of MAC.

.....[1]

- (b) MAC contains the alkene group and can undergo polymerisation. Draw a section of the polymer, poly(MAC), showing **two** repeat units.

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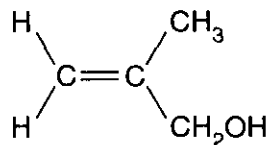
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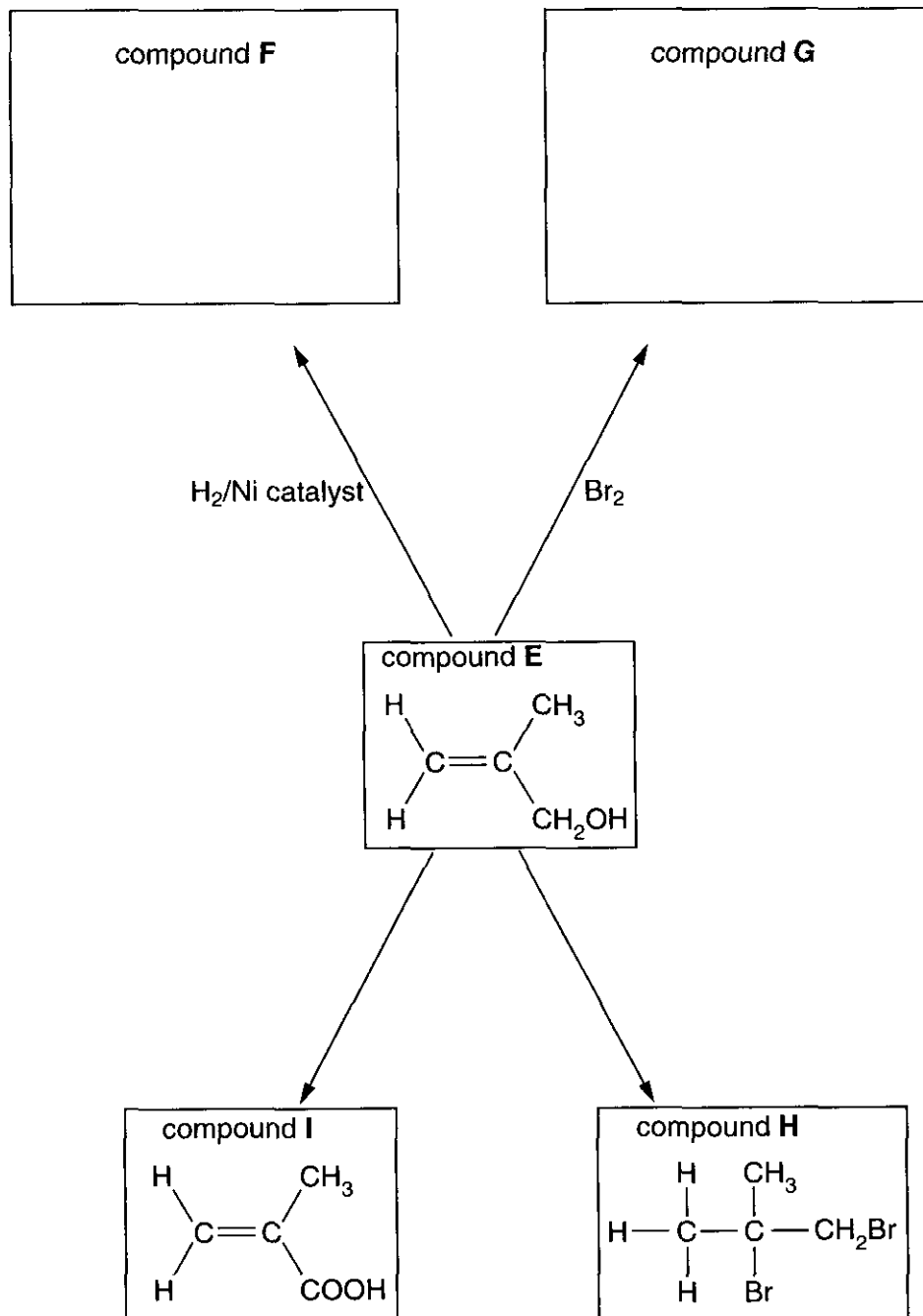
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(c) MAC reacts with NaOH to produce compound E.

compound E



The reaction scheme below shows how compound E can be converted into a variety of other chemicals.



(i) Draw the structures of compounds **F** and **G** in the boxes. [2]

(ii) Complete the balanced equation for the formation of compound **H**.



[2]

(iii) State the reagents and conditions for the formation of compound **I**.

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(iv) Suggest a possible organic intermediate that could be formed in the formation of compound **I**.

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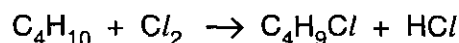
(d) Explain how infra-red spectroscopy could be used to distinguish between compound **E** and compound **I**.

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- 4 Butane,  $C_4H_{10}$ , under certain conditions, reacts with  $Cl_2$  to form a mixture of chlorinated products. One possible product is  $C_4H_9Cl$ .



- (a) (i) State the conditions.

.....[1]

- (ii) Write equations to show the mechanism of this reaction.

*initiation* .....

*propagation* .....

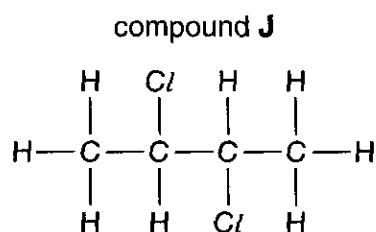
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- (iii) Write **one** equation for a reaction that would terminate this mechanism.

.....[1]

- (iv) State the type of bond fission involved in the initiation step. ....[1]

- (b) One other possible product of the reaction between butane and chlorine is compound **J**,  $C_4H_8Cl_2$ , shown below.



- (i) Name compound **J**.

.....[1]

- (ii) Draw the skeletal formula of compound **J**.

[1]

- (iii) In addition to compound **J**, suggest **one** other possible structural isomer of  $C_4H_8Cl_2$  that could have been formed in this reaction.

[1]





- (c) 1-Chlorobutane can react with a solution of sodium hydroxide to produce but-1-ene, as shown in the equation below.



- (i) State the solvent in which the sodium hydroxide is dissolved.

.....[1]

- (ii) State the type of reaction.

.....[1]

- (iii) Compound **J** also reacts with sodium hydroxide to produce a mixture of **structural** isomers, each with the formula  $\text{C}_4\text{H}_6$ .

Draw **one** of the structural isomers formed.

[1]

[Total: 12]







