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for the guidance of teachers**

9701 CHEMISTRY

9701/22

Paper 2 (AS Structured Questions), maximum raw mark 60

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- 1 (a) (i) silicon/Si **or** phosphorus/P
- (ii) sodium **or** sulfur **name required** (1)
- (iii) white solid formed/white fumes seen
chlorine gas decolourised
aluminium glows **or** burns any two (2)
- (iv) $2Al(s) + 3Cl_2(g) \rightarrow Al_2Cl_6(s)$ **or**
 $2Al(s) + 3Cl_2(g) \rightarrow 2AlCl_3(s)$
equation (1)
state symbols (1)
- (v) outer shell of electrons is full/has a complete octet **or**
valence shell of electrons is full/has a complete octet **or**
activation energy is too high **or**
ionisation energy is too high (1) [7]

(b) (i)

element	Does the chloride dissolve or react?	approximate pH of the resulting solution
Na	dissolve	7
Al	react	1 to 4
Si	react	1 to 4

one mark for each correct answer (6 × 1)

(ii) hydrolysis (1) [7]

(c) (i) around the N atom there is only one lone pair
around the S atom there are two lone pairs **both** (1)

(ii) angle (a) **or** sulfur – **no mark for this**

because two lone pairs repel more than one lone pair **or**
lone pair-lone pair repulsions are stronger
than lone pair-bond pair repulsions (1) [2]

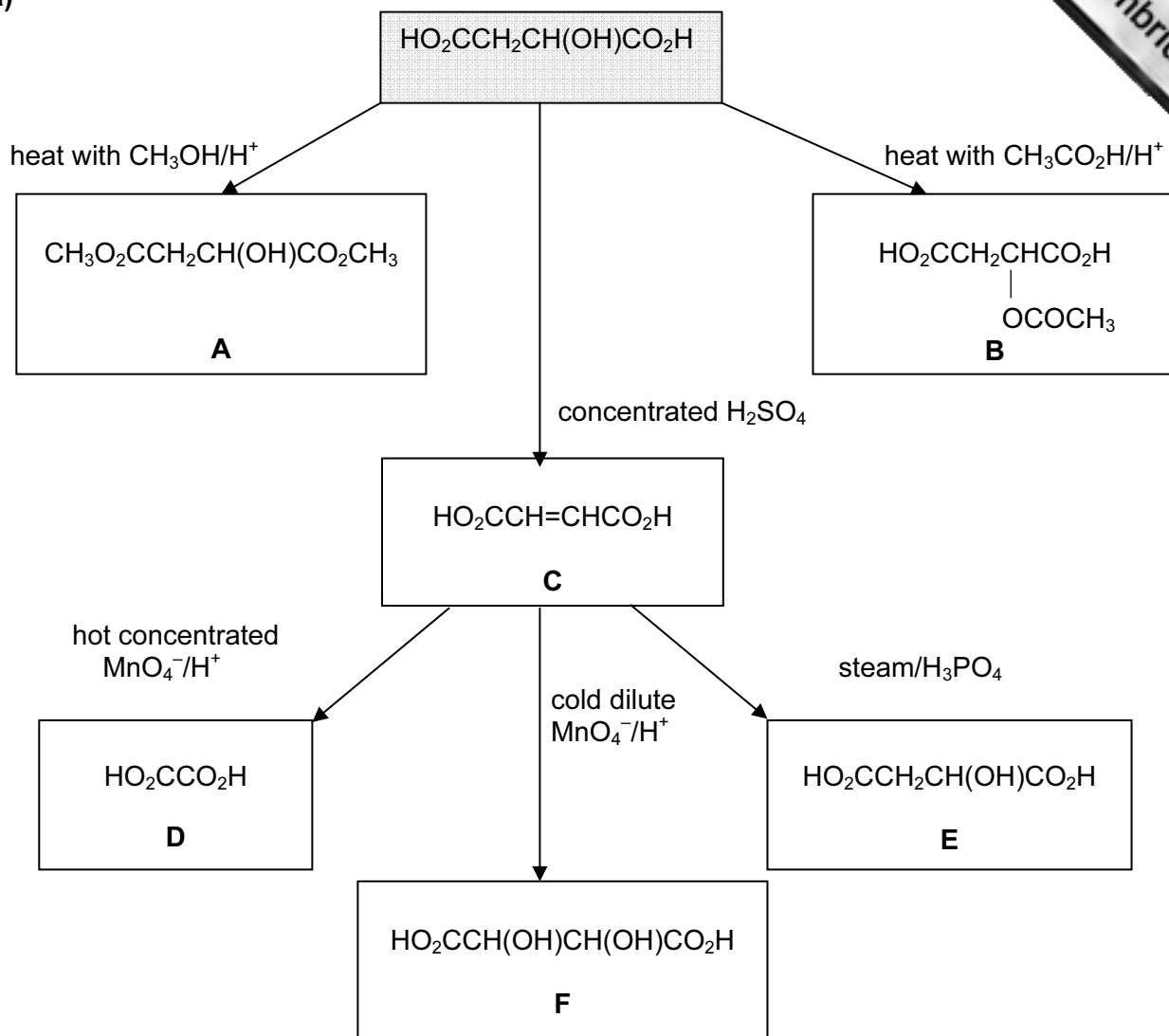
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- 2 (a) $\text{CH}_3\text{OH}(\text{l}) + \frac{3}{2}\text{O}_2(\text{g}) \rightarrow \text{CO}_2(\text{g}) + 2\text{H}_2\text{O}(\text{l})$
the enthalpy change/heat change/heat evolved when
one mole of CH_3OH (1)
is completely burned **or**
is burned in an excess of air/oxygen (1) [3]
- (b) $\Delta H^\ominus_{\text{reaction}} = -283 + 2(-286) - (-726)$ (1)
 $= -129 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$ (1)
correct sign (1) [3]
- (c) **pressure**
increases rate (1)
by increasing frequency of collisions **or**
by increasing concentration of reactants (1)
- temperature**
increases rate (1)
because more molecules have energy $>E_a$ (1)
- catalyst**
increases rate (1)
by providing an alternative route of lower E_a (1) [6]

[Total: 12]

3 (a)



give one mark for each correct compound

(6 × 1) [6]

- (b) malic acid into C dehydration or elimination
 C into D oxidation
 C into E addition or hydration

(1)
 (1)
 (1) [3]

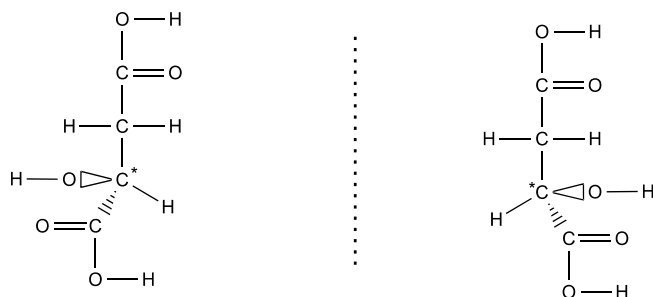
- (c) solvents or perfumes or flavourings

(1) [1]

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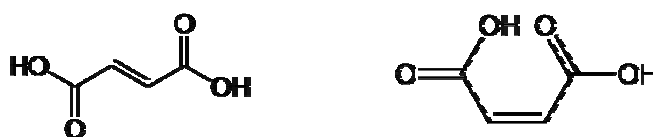
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(d) (i)



correct compound (malic acid) shown as a pair of enantiomers in 3D (1)
 chiral carbon (*) atom correctly identified (1)
 structure **fully** displayed (1)

(ii)



give one for each correct **skeletal formula** (1 + 1)
 correct *cis* (or *Z*) **and** *trans* (or *E*) labels (1) [6]

(e) $C : H : O = \frac{37.5}{12} : \frac{4.17}{1} : \frac{58.3}{16}$

= 3.13 : 4.17 : 3.64 (1)

= 1 : 1.33 : 1.16 (1)

= 6 : 8 : 7

empirical formula is $C_6H_8O_7$ (1) [3]

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4 (a)

reagent	R ₂ CHOH	RCHO	RCO ₂ H	RCO ₂ R'	RCOR'
NaHCO ₃			✓		
Na	✓		✓		
Cr ₂ O ₇ ²⁻ /H ⁺	✓	✓			

give one mark for each correct tick

(5 × 1) [5]

(b) (i) alcohol **or** ROH
not hydroxyl **or** phenol **or** –OH (1)

(ii) $n(\text{H}_2) = \frac{80}{24000} = 3.3 \times 10^{-3} \text{ mol}$ (1)

$n(\text{H atoms}) = 2 \times 3.3 \times 10^{-3} \text{ mol} = 6.6 \times 10^{-3} \text{ mol}$ (1)

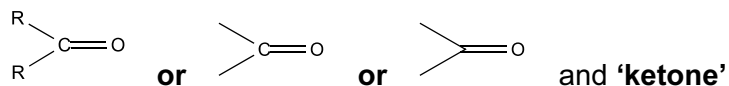
(iii) $n(\text{G}) = \frac{0.30}{90} = 3.3 \times 10^{-3} \text{ mol}$

$n(\text{G}) : n(\text{H atoms}) = 3.3 \times 10^{-3} : 6.6 \times 10^{-3}$
 $= 1 : 2$

so each –OH group produces one H atom

(1) [4]

(c) (i)



(ii) **G** is HOCH₂COCH₂OH as the minimum
 allow the *gem* diol CH₃COCH(OH)₂ (1) [2]

(d) (i) **H** is HO₂CCOCO₂H as the minimum (1)

(ii) **J** is HOCH₂CH(OH)CH₂OH as the minimum (1) [2]

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