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CHEMISTRY

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Paper 2 Structured Questions AS Core

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1 hour 15 minutes

Candidates answer on the Question Paper.

Additional Materials: Data Booklet

READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS FIRST

Write your Centre number, candidate number and name on all the work you hand in.
Write in dark blue or black pen.
You may use a soft pencil for any diagrams, graphs or rough working.
Do not use staples, paper clips, highlighters, glue or correction fluid.
DO NOT WRITE IN ANY BARCODES.

Answer **all** questions.
You may lose marks if you do not show your working or if you do not use appropriate units.
A Data Booklet is provided.

At the end of the examination, fasten all your work securely together.
The number of marks is given in brackets [] at the end of each question or part question.

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This document consists of **9** printed pages and **3** blank pages.

Answer **all** the questions in the spaces provided.

1 The elements of the third period of the Periodic Table, sodium to sulfur, all form chlorides by direct combination.

(a) (i) Sulfur forms a number of chlorides which are liquid at room temperature. Which other element of the third period forms a chloride which is liquid at room temperature?

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(ii) Name **one** element of the third period which burns in chlorine with a coloured flame.

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(iii) Aluminium chloride may be produced by passing a stream of chlorine over heated aluminium powder in a long hard-glass tube. State **two** observations you could make during this reaction.

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(iv) Write a balanced equation, with state symbols, for this reaction of aluminium with chlorine.

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(v) No chloride of argon has ever been produced. Suggest a reason for this.

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(b) When chlorides of the elements of the third period are added to water, some dissolve while others can be seen to react with the water.

(i) Complete the table below, stating how the chlorides of Na, Al, and Si behave when mixed with water. In the first column use only the terms 'dissolve' or 'react'.

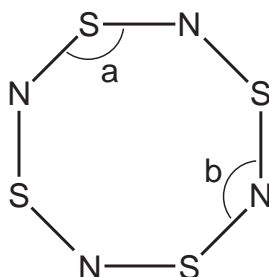
element	Does the chloride dissolve or react?	approximate pH of the resulting solution
Na		
Al		
Si		

(ii) What *type of reaction* takes place between a chloride and water?

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(c) Sulfur forms the compound S_4N_4 with nitrogen. The structure of S_4N_4 is shown below. Assume all bonds shown are single bonds.



(i) Determine the number of lone pairs of electrons around a nitrogen atom and a sulfur atom in S_4N_4 .

nitrogen atom

sulfur atom

(ii) Which bond angle, a or b, in the S_4N_4 molecule will be smaller? Explain your answer.

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- 2 Alcohols such as methanol, CH_3OH , are considered to be possible replacements for fuels because they can be used in car engines.

- (a) Define, with the aid of an equation which includes state symbols, the standard enthalpy change of combustion, ΔH_c^\ominus , for methanol at 298 K.

equation

definition

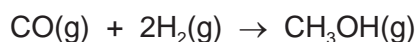
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Methanol may be synthesised from carbon monoxide and hydrogen. Relevant ΔH_c^\ominus values for this reaction are given in the table below.

compound	$\Delta H_c^\ominus/\text{kJ mol}^{-1}$
$\text{CO}(\text{g})$	-283
$\text{H}_2(\text{g})$	-286
$\text{CH}_3\text{OH}(\text{g})$	-726

- (b) Use these values to calculate $\Delta H_{\text{reaction}}^\ominus$ for the synthesis of methanol, using the following equation. Include a sign in your answer.



$$\Delta H_{\text{reaction}}^\ominus = \dots\dots\dots \text{kJ mol}^{-1}$$

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(c) The operating conditions for this reaction are as follows.

pressure 200 atmospheres (2×10^7 Pa)

temperature 600 K

catalyst oxides of Cr, Cu, and Zn

In the spaces below, explain how **each** of these conditions affects the **rate of formation** of methanol.

pressure

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temperature

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catalyst

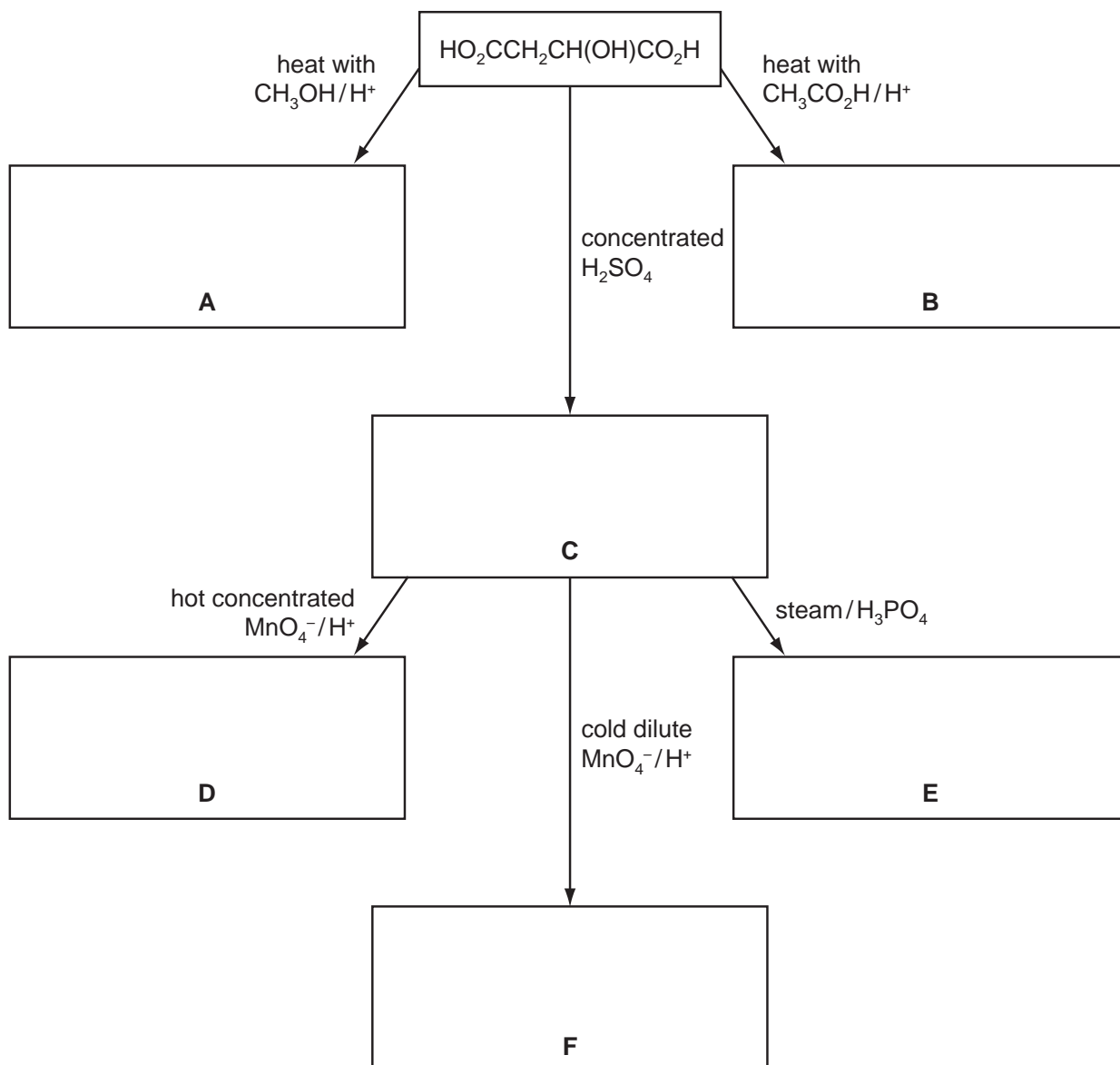
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- 3 Food additives are substances added to food to preserve the flavour or to improve its appearance and appearance. European Union legislation requires most additives used in foods to be labelled clearly in the list of ingredients, either by name or by an 'E number'. E296 is malic acid which occurs in unripe fruit. Malic acid has the structural formula $\text{HO}_2\text{CCH}_2\text{CH}(\text{OH})\text{CO}_2\text{H}$.

(a) Some reactions of malic acid are shown below. In the boxes below, give the **structural** formulae of organic compounds A to F.



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(b) What *type of reaction* is **each** of the following conversions?

malic acid into **C**

C into **D**

C into **E**

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(c) Suggest **one** major commercial use of compounds such as **A** or **B**.

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(d) (i) Malic acid is chiral.

Draw fully displayed formulae of the two optical isomers of malic acid.

Indicate with an asterisk (*) the chiral carbon atom.

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(ii) Compound **C** also shows stereoisomerism.

Draw the skeletal formulae of **each** of the stereoisomers of **C**. Label **each** isomer.

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(e) The food additive E330 is another organic compound which occurs naturally in fruit.

E330 has the following composition by mass: C, 37.5%; H, 4.17%; O, 58.3%.

Calculate the empirical formula of E330.

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- 4 Oxygen-containing organic compounds may contain a number of different functional groups including alcohol, aldehyde, carboxylic acid, ester or ketone functional groups. The functional groups may be identified by their reactions with specific reagents.

(a) On treating compounds containing each of these functional groups with the reagents below, only five reactions occur. Complete the table by placing a tick (✓) in each box where you believe a reaction will occur. You should place **no more** than five ticks in the table.

reagent	alcohol R_2CHOH	aldehyde $RCHO$	carboxylic acid RCO_2H	ester RCO_2R'	ketone $RCOR'$
$NaHCO_3$					
Na					
$Cr_2O_7^{2-}/H^+$					

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Compound **G** has the empirical formula CH_2O and M_r of 90.

An aqueous solution of **G** is neutral. There is no reaction when **G** is treated with $NaHCO_3$.

When 0.30 g of pure **G** is reacted with an excess of Na, 80 cm³ of H_2 , measured at room temperature and pressure, is produced.

(b) (i) What functional group do these two reactions show to be present in **G**?

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(ii) Use the data to calculate the amount, in moles, of hydrogen **atoms** produced from 0.30 g of **G**.

(iii) Hence, show that each molecule of **G** contains **two** of the functional groups you have given in (i).

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(c) Treatment of **G** with 2,4-dinitrophenylhydrazine reagent produces an orange solid. When **G** is warmed with Fehling's reagent, no reaction occurs.

(i) What functional group do these reactions show to be present in **G**?
Draw the displayed formula of this functional group.

(ii) Use your answers to (b)(i) and (c)(i) to deduce the structural formula of **G**.

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(d) Compound **G** can be both oxidised and reduced.

(i) When **G** is heated under reflux with acidified $K_2Cr_2O_7$, compound **H** is formed.
Give the structural formula of compound **H**.

(ii) When **G** is reacted with $NaBH_4$ under suitable conditions, compound **J** is formed.
Give the structural formula of compound **J**.

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