# IDENTIFICATION OF FUNCTIONAL GROUP [CARBOXYLIC ACID]

Aim: To identify the functional group present in the given organic compound.

S.NO	EXPERIMENT	OBSERVATION	INFERENCE
1.	Test for unsaturation: Dissolved few ml of organic compound in 2mL CCl <sub>4</sub> . Then added bromine water drop wise.	Brown color of bromine not discharged.	unsaturation absent
2.	Test for Carboxylic group: Added a pinch of NaHCO₃ to few ml of organic compound in a test tube.	Effervescence is observed	Carboxylic group may be present
3.	Test for Phenolic group: Added few ml of organic compound to 2-3 mL neutral FeCl <sub>3</sub> solution in a test tube.	No violet color obtained	Phenolic group is absent
4.	Test for Alcoholic group: Added a few drops of ceric ammonium nitrate reagent to 1ml of the given compound.	No red color obtained	Alcoholic group is absent
5.	Test for Carbonyl group: Added 2-3ml of 2,4 – DNP to few ml of organic compound in a test tube	No orange yellow precipitate	Carbonyl group is absent
6.	Test for Amine group: To a small amount of organic liquid in a test tube added 1ml of conc. HCl and few drops of CHCl <sub>3</sub> . Then added 2ml of alcohol KOH solution and warmed test tube.	No offensive smelling gas evolved	Amino group is absent

### Confirmatory test for carboxyl group:

S.NO	EXPERIMENT	OBSERVATION	INFERENCE
1.	Litmus test: Place a drop of	Blue litmus turns to red	Presence of carboxylic
	the given liquid on a blue		group is confirmed.
	litmus paper.		
2.	Ester test:		
	Take a few ml of organic		
	compound, 1ml of ethyl	A fruity smell is observed	Presence of carboxylic
	alcohol and 1-2 drops of		group is confirmed.
	conc. H <sub>2</sub> So <sub>4</sub> in a test tube.		
	Heat the reaction mixture		
	on a water bath for about 5		
	minutes. Poured the		
	reaction mixture in a beaker		
	containing Na <sub>2</sub> CO <sub>3</sub> solution		
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**RESULT**: The given organic compound contain carboxylic acid (-COOH) functional group.

# IDENTIFICATION OF FUNCTIONAL GROUP [PHENOL]

Aim: To identify the functional group present in the given organic compound.

S.NO	EXPERIMENT	OBSERVATION	INFERENCE
1.	Test for unsaturation: Dissolved few ml of organic compound in 2mL CCl <sub>4</sub> . Then added bromine water drop wise.	Brown color of bromine not discharged.	Unsaturation Absent
2.	Test for Carboxylic group: Added a pinch of NaHCO₃ to few ml of organic compound in a test tube.	No effervescence	Carboxylic group is absent
3.	Test for Phenolic group: Added few ml of organic compound to 2-3 ml neutral FeCl <sub>3</sub> solution in a test tube.	Violet color obtained	Phenolic group may be present
4.	Test for Alcoholic group: Added a few drops of ceric ammonium nitrate reagent to 1ml of the given compound.	No red color obtained	Alcoholic group is absent
5.	Test for Carbonyl group: Added 2-3ml of 2,4 – DNP to few ml of organic compound in a test tube	No orange yellow precipitate	Carbonyl group is absent
6.	Test for Amine group: To a small amount of organic liquid in a test tube added 1ml of conc. HCl and few drops of CHCl <sub>3</sub> . Then added 2ml of alcohol KOH solution and warmed test tube.	No offensive smelling gas evolved	Amino group is absent

### **Confirmatory test for Phenol group:**

S.NO	EXPERIMENT	OBSERVATION	INFERENCE
1.	<u>Litmus test</u> : Place a drop of the given liquid on a blue litmus paper.	Blue litmus turns to red	Presence of phenolic group is confirmed.
2.	Liberman's test: Take a mixture of phenol and sodium nitrite in a test tube. Heat the mixture and allow it to cool. Add 1ml of Conc.H <sub>2</sub> SO <sub>4</sub>	Blue color is obtained	Presence of phenolic group is conformed.

**RESULT**: The given organic compound contains phenolic (Ar-OH) functional group.

# IDENTIFICATION OF FUNCTIONAL GROUP [ALCOHOL]

Aim: To identify the functional group present in the given organic compound.

S.NO	EXPERIMENT	OBSERVATION	INFERENCE
1.	Test for unsaturation: Dissolved few ml of organic compound in 2mL CCl <sub>4</sub> . Then added bromine water drop wise.	Brown color of bromine not discharged.	Unsaturation absent
2.	Test for Carboxylic group: Added a pinch of NaHCO₃ to few mL of organic compound in a test tube.	No Effervescence	Carboxylic group is absent
3.	Test for Phenolic group: Added few ml of organic compound to 2-3 ml neutral FeCl <sub>3</sub> solution in a test tube.	No violet color obtained	Phenolic group is absent
4.	Test for Alcoholic group: Added a few drops of ceric ammonium nitrate reagent to 1ml of the given compound.	Red colour is obtained	Alcoholic group may be present
5.	Test for Carbonyl group: Added 2-3ml of 2,4 – DNP to few ml of organic compound in a test tube	No orange yellow precipitate	Carbonyl group is absent
6.	Test for Amine group: To a small amount of organic liquid in a test tube added 1ml of conc. HCl and few drops of CHCl <sub>3</sub> . Then added 2ml of alcohol KOH solution and warmed test tube.	No offensive smelling gas evolved	Amino group is absent

### Confirmatory test for alcoholic group:

S.NO	EXPERIMENT	OBSERVATION	INFERENCE
1.	Add a pellet of KOH to	Yellow precipitate is formed	Presence of alcohol
	1ml of liquid organic		group is confirmed.
	compound and warm it to		
	dissolve KOH. Cool it and		
	add few drops of CS <sub>2</sub> and		
	shake.		
2.	Ester test:		
	1ml of the given organic		
	compound, 1ml of glacial	A fruity smell is observed	Presence of alcohol
	acetic acid and 2-3 drops of		group is confirmed.
	conc. H₂SO₄are taken in a		
	test tube. Warmed this		
	mixture on a water bath for		
	10 minutes.		

**RESULT**: The given organic compound contains alcoholic (R-OH) functional group.

# IDENTIFICATION OF FUNCTIONAL GROUP [ALDEHYDE]

Aim: To identify the functional group present in the given organic compound.

S.NO	EXPERIMENT	OBSERVATION	INFERENCE
1.	Test for unsaturation: Dissolved few ml of organic compound in 2ml CCl <sub>4</sub> . Then added bromine water drop wise.	Brown color of bromine not discharged.	Unsaturation absent
2.	Test for Carboxylic group: Added a pinch of NaHCo₃ to few ml of organic compound in a test tube.	No Effervescence is observed	Absence of carboxylic group
3.	Test for Phenolic group: Added few ml of organic compound to 2-3 ml neutral FeCl <sub>3</sub> solution in a test tube.	No violet color obtained	Phenolic group is absent
4.	Test for Alcoholic group: Added a few drops of ceric ammonium nitrate reagent to 1ml of the given compound.	No red color obtained	Alcoholic group is absent
5.	Test for Carbonyl group: Added 2-3ml of 2,4 – DNP to few ml of organic compound in a test tube	Orange yellow precipitate is formed	Carbonyl group present may be aldehyde (Or) ketone
6.	Test for aldehyde group: warmed 1ml of organic compound withTollen'sreagent	Silver mirror is obtained on the inner wall of the test tube	Aldehyde may be present
7.	Test for Amine group: To a small amount of organic liquid in a test tube added 1mL of conc. HCl and few drops of CHCl <sub>3</sub> . Then added 2ml of alcohol KOH solution and warmed test tube.	No offensive smelling gas evolved	Amino group is absent

### Confirmatory test for aldehyde group:

S.NO	EXPERIMENT	OBSERVATION	INFERENCE
1.	Fehling test: small amount	Red precipitate is formed	Presence of aldehyde
	of organic compound is		group is conformed.
	warmed with 1mL of Fehling		
	solution in a water bath		
2.	Schiff's test:	Pink colour appears	Presence of Aldehyde
	To 1ml of the organic		group.
	sample add 3-4 drops of		
	Schiff's reagent		

**RESULT**: The given organic compound contain aldehyde (-CHO) functional group.

# IDENTIFICATION OF FUNCTIONAL GROUP [KETONE]

Aim: To identify the functional group present in the given organic compound.

S.NO	EXPERIMENT	OBSERVATION	INFERENCE
1.	Test for unsaturation: Dissolved few ml of organic compound in 2mL CCl <sub>4</sub> . Then added bromine water drop wise.	Brown color of bromine not discharged.	Unsaturation absent
2.	Test for Carboxylic group: Added a pinch of NaHCO₃ to few mL of organic compound in a test tube.	Effervescence is observed	Carboxylic group may be present
3.	Test for Phenolic group: Added few ml of organic compound to 2-3 ml neutral FeCl <sub>3</sub> solution in a test tube.	No violet color obtained	Phenolic group is absent
4.	Test for Alcoholic group: Added a few drops of ceric ammonium nitrate reagent to 1ml of the given compound.	No red color obtained	Alcoholic group is absent
5.	Test for Carbonyl group: Added 2-3ml of 2,4 – DNP to few ml of organic compound in a test tube	Orange yellow precipitate is formed	Carbonyl group present may be aldehyde (Or) ketone
6.	Test for aldehyde group: warmed 1ml of organic compound with Tollen's reagent	Silver mirror is not formed on the inner wall of the test tube	Aldehyde group is absent
7.	Sodium nitroprusside test: Added sodium nitroprusisde solution to few mL of organic compound. Sodium hydroxide solution is added drop wise to this mixture.	A red color is obtained	Ketone group may be present
8.	Test for Amine group: To a small amount of organic liquid in a test tube added 1ml of conc. HCl and few drops of CHCl <sub>3</sub> . Then added 2mL of alcohol KOH solution and warmed test tube.	No offensive smelling gas evolved	Amino group is absent

#### **Confirmatory test for ketone group:**

S.NO	EXPERIMENT	OBSERVATION	INFERENCE
1.	Place 0.5 ml of the given liquid (or 0.5 g of solid) in a clean test-tube and add about 0.1 g of finely powdered mdinitrobenzene. Now add about 1 ml of dilute sodium hydroxide solution and shake.	Violet color is obtained	Presence of ketone group is conformed.

**RESULT**: The given organic compound contain ketone (R-CO - R) functional group.