



# Organic Topic Test

**Time allowed:** 45  
minutes

## Instructions

Please ensure you enter your name  
and circle your teacher's initials below.  
Scientific calculators only. Chemistry

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**Mark:** \_\_\_\_\_ / 45

**Section 1: Multiple Choice****(Total 10 marks)**

1. How many isomers are there for a saturated hydrocarbon with molecular formula  $C_5H_{10}$ ?
  - A. 2
  - B. 3
  - C. 4
  - D. 5
  
2. Cyclobutanol can be oxidised by acidified potassium dichromate solution to form
  - A. cyclobutanoic acid
  - B. cyclobutanal
  - C. cyclobutanone
  - D. cyclobutanol is resistant to oxidation

**Questions 3 and 4 refer to the compounds, numbered I to IV, below.**

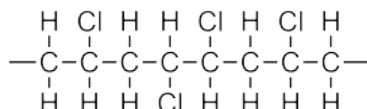
- I.  $CH_3CH_2CH_2CH_2COOH$
- II.  $CH_3CH_2CH_2CH_2CH_2OH$
- III.  $CH_3CH_2CH_2CH_2CHO$
- IV.  $CH_3CH_2CH_2CH_2CH_3$

3. Which one of the following lists the compounds in order of decreasing solubility in water?
  - A IV>III>II>I
  - B I>II>III>IV
  - C I>III>II>IV
  - D II>I>III>IV
  
4. Which two compounds can react to form an ester?
  - A I and II
  - B I and III
  - C II and III
  - D I and IV

5. Which of the following has an empirical formula different to the other three substances?

- A. glucose,  $C_6H_{12}O_6$
- B. ethanoic acid
- C. methyl ethanoate
- D. methanal

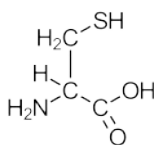
6. Choose the monomer that could form the polymer, part of which is shown below:



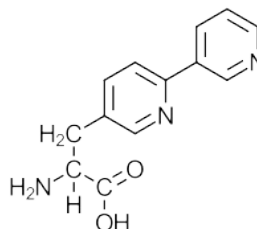
- A.  $CHClCH_2$
- B.  $CH_2ClCHCH_2$
- C.  $CCl_2CH_2$
- D.  $CH_2CH_2CHCl$

7. Which of the following is not an  $\alpha$ -amino acid:

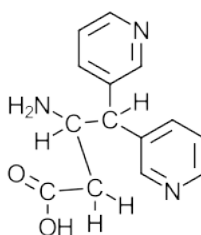
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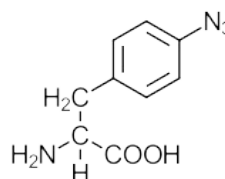
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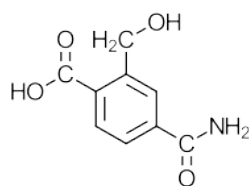
D.



8. Which of the following statements about soap and the soap making process (saponification) is FALSE?

- A. The starting material that soap is made from is a triester.
- B. The unadjusted pH of soap is greater than 7.
- C. Magnesium propanoate is a soap.
- D. Glycerol is a product of saponification.

9. Which functional group listed does not appear in the molecule below?



- A. alcohol
- B. amide
- C. carboxylic acid
- D. ketone

10. Which of the following are possible oxidation products of propan-1-ol?

- I.  $\text{C}_3\text{H}_7\text{OH}$
- II.  $\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{CHO}$
- III.  $\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{COOH}$
- IV.  $\text{CO}_2$  and  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$

- A. I and II
- B. II and III
- C. I and III
- D. II, III and IV

## Question 11

10 marks

**Name** and **draw** full structural formula to represent the following substances;

The product of reacting methanol with an <b>excess</b> of acidified potassium dichromate	Name _____
An isomer of propanal that is resistant to oxidation	Name _____
A cyclic isomer of methylpropene	Name _____
The organic product of reacting 1 mole of benzene with 1 mole of bromine with a suitable catalyst	Name _____
A tertiary alcohol which is a structural isomer of butan-1-ol	Name _____

**Question 12****4 marks**

a) Draw the tripeptide formed by the  $\alpha$ -amino acids Gly-Ala-Ser in the space below.

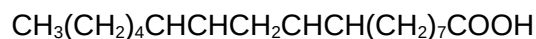
(3 marks)



b) Clearly label the peptide bond between Ala and Ser on the structure you have drawn above.  
(1 mark)

**Question 13****6 marks**

When oils and fats are not metabolized by the body, the body stores these as triglycerides. One component of a food oil is shown below:



a) The substance above would be referred to as a \_\_\_\_\_.  
(1 mark)

b) Write a reaction showing the formation of the triglyceride formed in the body from the substance above

(2 marks)



- c) Triglycerides can be used to make soaps. Draw the full structure of the soap that is formed from the substance found in the food oil. (1 mark)

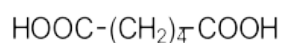
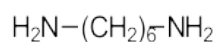
- d) Provide two disadvantages of using soap in hard water areas. (2 marks)

1. \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

#### Question 14

(5 marks)

The monomers for nylon-6,6 are given below.



(hexamethylenediamine)

(adipic acid)

- a) Draw two repeating units for the polymer that would be produced by the reaction of these two monomers. Draw any new bonds formed in full.

polymer chain continues  
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polymer chain continues  
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(3 marks)

- b) Nylon-6,6 is classified as a condensation polymer. Other polymers like polyethene are addition polymers. Give two features that distinguish between the monomers used in each. (2 marks)

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**Question 15**

**(10 marks)**

An excess of a substance **W** with the molecular formula  $C_3H_8O$  was added to an acidified solution of sodium dichromate. Two new organic substances **X** and **Y** were isolated from the resulting mixture.

When **W** and **X** were added to each other and acidified, a new substance **Z** was produced. The boiling points of **W**, **X** and **Y** were also measured.

- a) Write a fully balanced redox equation for the reaction of **W** with acidified dichromate to produce **X**. (3 marks)

Oxidation	
Reduction	
Overall	

- b) Write the equation for the reaction of **W** with **X**, showing full structures for all organic substances and provide the name of the organic product. (3 marks)

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- c) Explain why the boiling point of ethanol would be higher than that of ethanal. (4 marks)

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