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EXPERIMENT NO: 4(a) Functional group analysis

Aim – Determine the functional group present in the given organic compound.

Apparatus – Test tube, Test tube holder, Water bath, Gas burner and measuring cylinder etc.

Chemical required – Alcoholic, Phenol, Acetic acid, Sodium metal, Ceric ammonium nitrate, concentrated sulphuric acid, blue and red litmus paper, neutral ferric chloride Sodium bicarbonate, Ethyl alcohol etc.

Observation table

Sample A

| Experiment | Observation | Inference |
|-----------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------|
| 1. To 1 ml sample add | Hydrogen gas evolved | Alcoholic group |
| Sodium metal | with effervesces. | present |
| 2. To 1 ml sample add Ceric | Orange/red/pink colour | Alcoholic group |
| ammonium nitrate. | obtained | present |
| 3. Ester test To 0.5 ml | A fruity smell/ pleasant | Alcoholic group |
| sample add 1 ml acidic | odour obtained. | present |
| acid, 4 drops of con. | | |
| Sulphuric acid and heat in | | |
| water bath. Pour the | | |
| contents in ice cold | | |
| water. | | |
| | | |

Sample B

| Experiment | Observation | Inference |
|----------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|
| 1. Put a drop of sample on | Litmus paper turned red | Phenolic or |
| blue litmus paper | | carboxylic acid |
| | | group present |
| 2. To 0.5 ml sample add | Blue/violet / colour | Phenolic group |
| neural ferric chloride | obtained | present |
| solution. | | |

Sample C

| Experiment | Observation | Inference |
|--|--|--|
| 1. Put a drop of the sample on blue litmus paper | Litmus paper turned red | Phenolic or carboxylic acid group present. |
| 2. To 0.5 ml sample add sodium bicarbonate solution | CO ₂ gas with brisk effervesces evolved | Carboxylic acid group present. |
| 3. To 0.5 ml sample add 1 ml ethyl alcohol, 4 drops of conc. Sulphuric acid and heat the mixture in water bath. Transfer the contents in ice cold water. | A fruity smell/ pleasant odour | Carboxylic acid group present. |

Result – The functional group present in the given organic compound is

Sample A : Alcohol Sample B : Phenol

Sample C : Carboxylic Acid

Precautions-

- 1. Always use clean and dry test tube to perform the test.
- 2. Phenol is highly corrosive to skin and should be handled with care.
- 2. Use test tube holder to hold the test tube.
- 3. Always heat the test tube in water bath.

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EXPERIMENT NO: 4(b) Functional group analysis

Aim – Determine the functional group present in the given organic compound.

Apparatus – Test tube, Test tube holder, Water bath, Gas burner and measuring cylinder etc.

Chemical required - Aldehyde, Acetone, Aniline, Fehling's solution, Tollen's reagent, 2-4 DNP, Sodium bisulphite, Sodium hydroxide, Sodium nitroprusside, m-dinitrobenzene, alcoholic KOH, chloroform, Sodium nitrite, concentrated HCl and β – naphthol.

Observation table

Sample D

| Experiment | Observation | Inference |
|---------------------------------|-------------------------|----------------|
| 1. To 0.5 ml sample add 2-4 | Appearance of Yellow | Carbonyl group |
| DNP and wait for 5 | ppt. | present |
| minutes | | |
| 2. To 0.5 ml sample, add | A crystalline white ppt | Carbonyl group |
| Sodium bisulphite solution | obtained. | present |
| and wait for 5 minutes. | | |
| 3. To 0.5 ml sample add | Orange/red ppt | Aldehyde group |
| equal amounts of Fehling's A | obtained | present |
| solution and Fehling's B | | |
| solution. Heat the mixture in | | |
| water bath. | | |
| 4. To 0.5 ml sample, add | A shining mirror | Aldehyde group |
| Toller's reagent and heat the | obtained due to the | present |
| solution in water bath for 5 to | deposition of silver | |
| 10 min. | | |

Sample E

| Experiment | Observation | Inference |
|-------------------------------|-------------------------|----------------|
| 1. To 0.5 ml sample add 2-4 | Appearance of Yellow | Carbonyl group |
| DNP and wait for 5 minutes | ppt. | present |
| 2. To 0.5 ml sample, add | A crystalline white ppt | Carbonyl group |
| Sodium bisulphite solution | obtained. | present |
| and wait for 5 minutes. | | |
| 3. To 0.5 ml sample add | Red colour obtained | Ketonic group |
| sodium nitroprusside solution | | present |
| followed by NaOH solution. | | |
| 4. To 0.5 ml sample add m- | Voilet/purple colour | Ketonic group |
| dinitrobenzene followed by | obtained | present |
| NaOH solution. | | |

Sample F

| Experiment | Observation | Inference |
|----------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------|
| 1. Put a drop of sample on red | Paper turned blue | Amine group is |
| litmus paper | | present. |
| 2. Carbylamine test To 0.5 | Unpleasant odour due | Primary amine |
| ml sample add alcoholic | to isocyanide occurred | present. |
| KOH followed by 4 drop | | |
| of chloroform and heat the | | |
| mixture in water bath. | | |
| 3. <u>Azo- dye test</u> - | A orange red dye | Primary aromatic |
| <u>Test tube no. 1 : Sodium</u> | obtained. | amine is present. |
| nitrite dissolved in water | | |
| in. | | |
| Test tube no 2: | | |
| β- naphthol dissolved in | | |
| NaOH | | |
| Test tube no 3: | | |
| In 0.5 ml aniline sample | | |
| add conc. Hydrochloric | | |
| acid. | | |
| Cool all three test tubes in | | |
| ice cold water and add | | |
| contents of test tube 1 to 2 | | |
| and then add 3 to mixture. | | |

Result – The functional group present in the given organic compound is

Sample D : Aldehyde Sample E : Ketone

Sample F: Primary amine

Precautions-

- 1. Always use clean and dry test tube to perform the test.
- 2. Use test tube holder to hold the test tube.
- 3. Take small quantity of sample of organic compound to perform the test.
- 4 Always heat the test tube in water bath.