

SYSTEMATIC PROCEDURE FOR QUALITATIVE ANALYSIS OF AN ORGANIC FUNCTIONAL GROUP

EXPERIMENT	OBSERVATION	INFERENCE
1. Preliminary Tests:		
a) Colour	> colourless liquid	aldehyde, ketone or alcohol may be present
	> white solid	carbohydrate, amide or aromatic acid may be present.
	> brown	 Primary aromatic amine may be present
b) Nature	Liquid /solid	
c) Odour	> Spirituous odour	> Alcohol may be present
	Carbolic odour	 Phenol may be present
	Pungent odour	 Aliphatic aldehyde may be
	The state of the s	present
	Pleasant odour	Ketone may be present.
	> Fishy odour	Primary aromatic amine may be present.
II. Physical constant:	Samone	
Melting point of	and for many	
the given organic solid	°c	
boiling point of the		
given organic liquid		
III. Combustion test:	Burns with a sooty	> Indicates Aromatic nature
A little of the	flame.	of the given organic
organic		compound
substance is taken in a	Burns with a non-	 Indicates Aliphatic nature
nickel spatula and	sooty flame.	of the given organic
ignited		compound
IV Test for	> Bromine water is	 Unsaturated compound
Unsaturation:	decolourised.	
To a little of the	> Bromine water is not	Aliphatic saturated
organic compound,	decolourised.	compound.
Bromine in water is	> Bromine water is	> Aromatic saturated
added.	decolouirsed with the	compound.
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V Solubility:	> Soluble in cold water	Water soluble compound
 Cold water: 	5 Soluble III cold III	may be present.
	> Soluble in hot water	- May be aromatic acid
2) Hot water:		- Acidic compound like
3) Litmus test:	> Blue litmus turns to	carboxylic acid, phenol
	red	may be present.
*		> Basic compound like amin
	> Red litmus turns to	may be present.
	blue	
	No change in litmus	Neutral compound like
	paper	carbohydrate, amide,
		aldehyde, ketone or
•		alcohol may be present.
4) Dil.HCl:	> The compound is	Amine may be present.
	soluble in dil.HCl and	
	regenerated by	
	dil.NaOH.	
	> The compound is	 Water soluble compound
	soluble in dil.HCl and	may be present.
. /	is not regenerated by	
	dil.NaOH.	
-	> Insoluble.	Amine is absent.
5) Dil.NaOH:	> The compound is	Carboxylic acid or phenol
	soluble in dil. NaOH	may be present.
	and regenerated by	
*	dil. HCl.	
100	> The compound is	Water soluble compound
7	soluble in dil.NaOH	may be present.
	and is not regene-	
	rated by dil. HCl.	
	> Insoluble.	Carboxylic acid & phenol
		are absent.
6) Aqueous	> Soluble with	Carboxylic acid may be
saturated	effervescence of CO₂	present.
NaHCO3:	and regenerated with	
	dil.HCl.	
. •	> Soluble without the	Water soluble compound
	effervescence of CO2	may be present.
. •	> Insoluble.	Carboxylic acid is absent.
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VI. LASSAIGNE'S TEST FOR NITROGEN:

Preparation of Sodium Fusion Extract:

A small piece of dry sodium metal is taken into a dry ignition tube and heated strongly until red hot. Over this red hot sodium metal, a little of the given organic compound is dropped and heated. This hot ignition tube is plunged into a mortar containing 5ml of distilled water. The contents in the mortar are crushed well with a pestle and the solution is filtered. This filtrate is called "Sodium Fusion Extract".

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To one ml of the sodium fusion		
extract few crystals of FeSO4 were	Prussian blue or green	Presence of
added and boiled, after cooling it	coloured solution was	nitrogen.
was acidified with dil.H₂SO4.	observed.	

VII) IDENTIFICATION OF FUNCTIONAL GROUP:

To a little of the organic compound, few drops of Borsch's reagent was added and shaken well 1) Test with Borsch's reagent:	yellow or orange precipitate was observed.	Aldehyde or ketone may be present.
2. Test with Aqueous Saturated NaHCO3 To a little of organic compound aq.Saturated NaHCO3 solution was added	a colourless, odourless gas [CO2] with quick effervescence was evolved.	carboxylic acid may be present.
3. Test with alcoholic FeCl ₃ : To a little of organic compound alcoholic FeCl ₃ solution was added.	Violet coloured solution was observed.	Phenol may be present.
4. Test with NaOH: To a little of organic compound NaOH solution was added and heated.	colourless gas with a smell of ammonia was observed. It gives dense white fumes with a rod dipped in con.HCl	Amide may be present.
5. Molisch's Test: To the aqueous solution of the given organic compound, a few drops of alcoholic a-naphthol was added and then conc. H ₂ 50 ₄ was added carefully along the sides of the test tube.	Violet ring was observed at the junction of the two layers.	carbohydrate may be present.

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6.) Carbylamine Test: To a little of the organic compound alcoholic. KOH and CHCl ₃ were added and heated.	a gas with an obnoxious odour was evolved.	aromatic primary amine may be present.
7. Test with Sodium Metal: To a little of the organic compound taken in a dry test tube a small piece of dry Na metal was * added.	brisk effervescence of hydrogen gas was observed.	alcohol may be present.

III. CONFIRMATIVE TESTS FOR FUNCTIONAL GROUP:

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. Test for Aldehyde and Ketone:		
a) Test with Tollen's Reagent:	> Silver mirror was	> Aldehyde is
To a little of the organic	observed.	confirmed.
compound, mixture of Tollen's A and	> Silver mirror was not	Ketone is
B were added and warmed on a	observed.	confirmed.
water bath.		
b) Test with Fehling's Solution:		
To a little of the organic	Red precipitate was	> Aldehyde is
compound, mixture of Fehiling's A	observed.	confirmed.
and B were added and warmed on a	Red precipitate was not	> Ketone is
water bath.	observed.	confirmed.
2. Test for Carboxylic acid:		
a) Phenolphthalein Test:		
To a little of NaOH a drop of	The solution turns pink.	
phenolphthalein was added.		
To this pink solution, the given	Pink colour is discharged.	carboxylic acid i
organic compound is added and		confirmed.
shaken well.		confirmed.
b) Esterification:		
To a little of organic compound,		
few m1 of alcohol and a drop of		
conc.H2SO4 were added, warmed and	a fruity odour was observed	carboxulia acidii
the hot contents were dropped into	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	carboxylic acid is
a test tube containing sodium		contirmed.
carbonate solution.		
3. Test for Phenol:		75.70
		(Ser 17)
a) Bromination:		377.3
a) <u>Bromination</u> : To a little of the organic	A white turbidity is	Phenol is

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is added. b) Phthalein fusion test: To a little of the given organic compound, a pinch of phthalic anhydride, few drops of conc.H ₂ SO ₄ are added and heated.		
This mixture is poured in another test tube containing dil.NaOH solution.	Pink coloured solution is observed.	Phenol is confirmed.
4. Test for Amide:		
a) Biruet Test:		i
A little of given organic		
compound is heated strongly to	Violet coloured solution is	Amide is
dryness. After cooling, the residue	observed.	confirmed.
is dissolved in water. Then few		1
drops of dil.NaOH and a drop of		
CuSO ₄ solution are added.		,
b) Test with Oxalic Acid:		
To a little of the given	A white crystalline	Amide is
organic compound, aqueous oxalic	precipitate is obtained.	confirmed.
acid solution are added.		
5. Test for Carbohydrate:		
a) Test with Tollen's Reagent:		Î
To a little of the organic		
compound, mixture of Tollen's A and	Silver mirror is observed.	Carbohydrate is
B were added and warmed on a		confirmed.
water bath.		
b) Test with Fehling's Solution:	O	Carbabudnota is
To a little of the organic	Orange red precipitate is	Carbohydrate is confirmed.
compound, mixture of Fehiling's A	observed.	confirmed.
and B were added and warmed on a		
water bath.		1/
6. Test for Amine:		/\ '
a) Bromination:	A white turbidity is	Amine is
To a little of the organic	observed.	confirmed.
compound, excess of bromine water	ODSEI VEG.	configured.
is added.		
b) K2Cr2O7 Test::	Black coloured precipitate is	Amine is
To a little of the given	observed.	confirmed.
organic compound K2Cr2O7 and	ODSCI YOU.	confinition.
conc.H₂504 are added.		

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7. Test for Alcohol:		
a) Esterification:		(2)
To a little of the given		
organic compound, few ml of acetic	Fruity odour is observed.	Alcohol is
acid and a drop of conc.H≥504 are		confirmed.
added warmed and the hot contents		
are poured into a test tube		
containing Na ₂ CO ₃ solution.		
b) Ceric ammonium nitrate test:		Î
To a little of the given	Blood red coloured solution	Alcohol is
organic compound, few ml of ceric	is observed.	confirmed.
ammonium nitrata colution is added		

IX DERIVATIVES FOR THE FUNCTIONAL GROUP:-

1) Aldehyde and ketone:

2,4-dinitrophenylhydrazone derivative: - .

ammonium nitrate solution is added.

To a little of the given organic substance, afew ml of 2,4-dinitrophenyl hydrazine (BORSCH'S reagent) solution is added and shaken well.

An Orange red coldured crystals are obtained.

2) Carboxylic acid:

Acid chloride derivative:

To a little of the given organic compound, two drops of SOCl₂ is added.

An acid chloride derivative is obtained.

3) Phenol:

Azo dye test:

A few drops of aniline is dissolved in dil.HCl and cooled. To this ice cold aq.NaNO2 solution is added. This mixture is immediately poured into an ice cold solution of the given organic compound dissolved in NaOH.

A Scarlet red Azo dye derivative is formed.

4) Amide:

Urea nitrate derivative:

To the aqueous solution of the given organic compound, conc.HNO3 is added.

A White precipitate of Urea nitrate is obtained.

5) Carbohydrate:

Osazone derivative:

The aqueous solution of the given organic compound is added to the phenylhydrazinehydrochloride dissolved in glacial acetic acid. The above mixture is warmed on water bath for 10 minutes and then cooled.

Yellow Crystals of Osazone are obtained.

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Amine:

Azo dye test:

A few drops of given organic compound is dissolved in dil.HCl and cooled. To this, ice cold NaNO2 solution is added. This mixture is immediately poured into ice cold solution of α -naphthol dissolved in NaOH.

A Scarlet red Azo dye derivative is formed.

Alcohol:

Oil of Wintergreen derivative:

To a little of the given organic compound, a few mL of salicylic acid and a drop of conc. H_2SO_4 , are added, warmed and the hot contents are poured into a test tube containing Na_2CO_3 solution.

A white precipitate of oil of wintergreen derivative is obtained.

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The given organic compound is

Aliphatic (or aromatic)
Saturated (or unsaturated)
Functional Group.

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