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FACULTY OF APPLIED SCIENCES

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CHE 2106 SPECTROSCOPIC METHODS IN ORGANIC CHEMISTRY

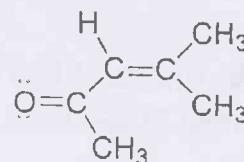
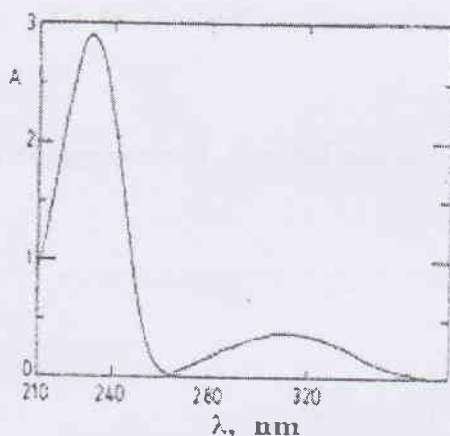
Answer ALL Questions

Time: One (01) hour.

1. (a). Briefly describe the UV-Visible, Infrared and Nuclear Magnetic Resonance Spectroscopy techniques and their relationship with electromagnetic spectrum (15 marks)

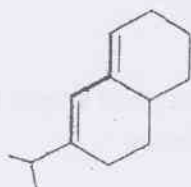
- (b). Given below the UV spectrum of 4-methyl-3-penten-2-one. Discuss the electronic transitions of the compound

(10 marks)

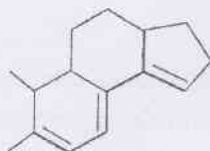


4-methyl-3-penten-2-one
 $\lambda_{\text{max}} = \sim 235\text{nm}, \sim 310\text{nm}$

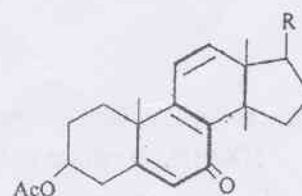
- (c). Calculate the UV λ_{max} of the following structures using Woodward-Fischer rule. (Basic value for acyclic conjugated enone : 215 nm, heteroannular conjugated system: 214 nm, homoannular conjugated system 253 nm, homodiene component : 39 nm, extended conjugation: 30 nm, Alkyl substitution: 5 nm, Exocyclic double bond: 5 nm, α -substitution: 10 nm, β -substitution: 12 nm, γ -substitution: 18 nm) (15 marks)



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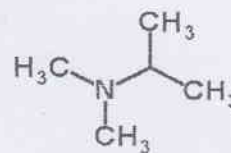


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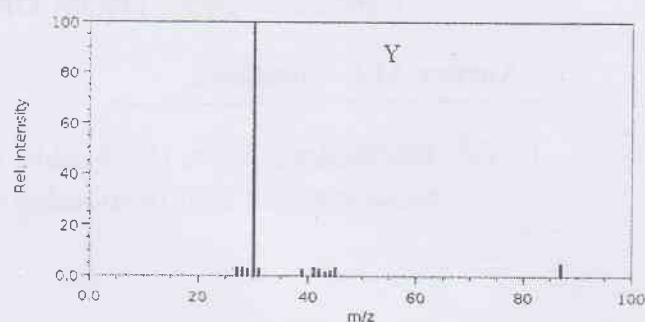
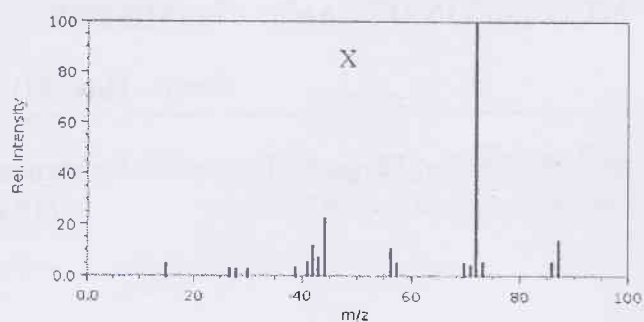
2. (a). Describe the ionization of 2-chloropropane and suggest a mass spectrum for the molecule. (10 marks)
- (b). Mass spectra of 1-Pentylamine (A) and Dimethylisopropylamine (B) are given below. Discuss the fragmentation and identify the relevant spectra. (15 marks)



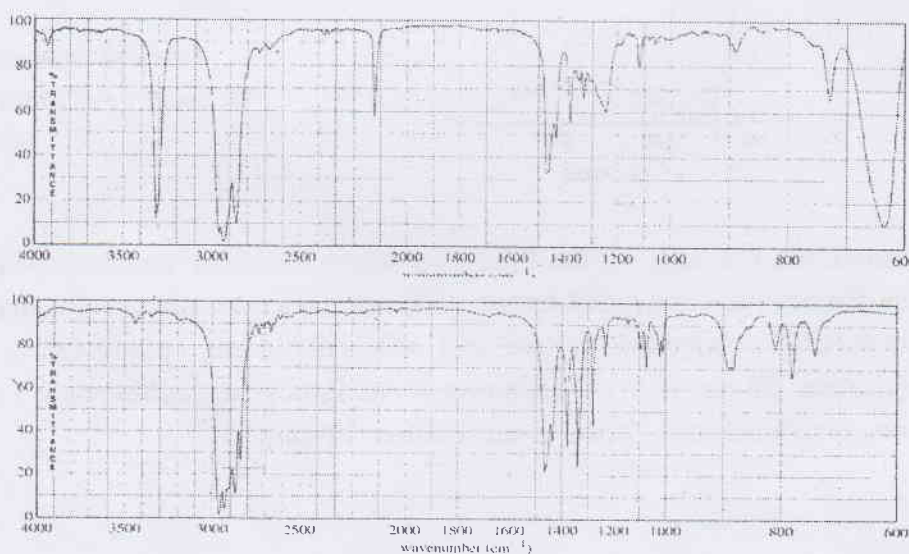
1-Pentylamine
(A)



Dimethylisopropylamine
(B)



3. (a). Write a short note on stretching and bending vibrations of CO_2 molecule used in IR spectroscopy. (10 marks)
- (b). IR spectra of two isomers of C_6H_{10} given below. Draw possible structures of isomers using IR spectrums. (10 marks)



- (c). Even though cyclopropane shows only one signal, chlorocyclopropane shows three signals in HNMR. Explain the above with relevant spectra of both compounds. (15 marks)