Higher: Systematic Organic Chemistry

| Number of carbons | Prefix |
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| Family | Suffix | Functional group name | Functional group formula |
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| Alcohols | | | |
| Carboxylic acids | | | |
| Esters | | | |
| Aldehydes | | | |
| Ketones | | | |

Naming compounds

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Name these molecules

Drawing compounds

2-methylpropan-2-ol

3-methylbutanoic acid

Pentanal

4-methylhexan-2-one

Hexyl butanoate

methyl propanoate



Draw these compounds

- a) butan-2-ol
- b) 3-methylpentan-2-one
- c) 2,4-methylhexanal
- d) 3-methylpentan-1-ol
- e) Ethyl propanoate
- f) Butyl heptanoate

| Esters are made by a condensation reaction between alcohols and carboxylic acids. |
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| This reaction requires concentrated sulfuric acid as a catalyst, a water bath (reactants an products are flammable) and a condenser (to condense gases back into the reacting vessel. |
| This is a reversible reaction. The ester can be hydrolysed into alcohol and carboxylic acid. |

Complete the reaction equations

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- A) ethanol + ethanoic acid
- B) Propanol + butanoic acid
- C) 2-methylbutanol + propanoic acid
- D) Ethyl pentanoate + water
- E) Pentyl hexanoate + water
- F) 3-methylhexyl methanoate + water

Alcohol types

Primary Secondary Tertiary

| Oxidising alcohols | |
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| Primary | |
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Oxidising agents

| Oxidising agent | Colour change | Reduction equation |
|--------------------------------|---------------|--------------------|
| copper (II) oxide | | |
| Acidified potassium dichromate | | |
| Fehling's solution | | |
| Tollen's reagent | | |

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Name/draw the product(s) of oxidation

- A) ethanol
- B) Butanal
- C) 2-methylpropan-1-ol
- D) 3-methylpentan-3-ol
- E) 3-methylhexan-2-ol

Reduction is the opposite of oxidation.

Draw the reduction products