



**PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION 2021-2022**  
**Subject: Chemistry**

**Std:X**

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**Section A**

(Attempt all questions)

**Question1**

Choose the correct answers to the questions from the given options. (Do not copy the question, Write the correct answer only.) **[10]**

- i. Carbon to carbon triple bond is found in:
  - (a) 2-butyne.
  - (b) Acetaldehyde.
  - (c) Acetic acid.
  - (d) Ethyl alcohol.
- ii. The IUPAC name of acetic acid is:
  - (a) Methanoic acid.
  - (b) Ethanoic acid.
  - (c) Propanoic acid.
  - (d) Butanoic acid.
- iii. Fused alumina is reduced to aluminium by electrolytic reduction, since:
  - (a) Alumina is highly stable.
  - (b) Alumina is least stable.
  - (c) Alumina is not reduced by drying agents.
  - (d) Alumina is not reduced by reducing agents.

iv. The catalyst preferred in the conversion of Sulphur dioxide to Sulphur trioxide is:

- (a) Finely divided iron.
- (b) Graphite.
- (c) Vanadium pentoxide.
- (d) platinum

v. Substitution reactions is a characteristic property of:

- (a) Alcohols.
- (b) Alkanes.
- (c) Alkenes.
- (d) Alkyne.

vi. The gas evolved when dilute sulphuric acid reacts with iron sulphide:

- (a) Sulphur dioxide.
- (b) Carbon dioxide.
- (c) Hydrogen sulphide.
- (d) Nitrogen dioxide.

vii. The cold dilute nitric acid reacts with copper to form:

- (a) Nitric oxide.
- (b) Nitrous oxide.
- (c) Nitrogen dioxide.
- (d) Nitrogen monoxide.

viii. The Compound Z which on reacting with dilute sulphuric acid liberates a gas which has no effect on acidified potassium dichromate but turns lime water milky. The anion present in compound Z is:

- (a) Sulphide.
- (b) Sulphide.
- (c) Carbonate.
- (d) Nitrate.

ix. The products formed when ammonia is burnt in excess of oxygen:

- (a)  $\text{N}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O}$ .
- (b)  $\text{NO}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O}$ .
- (c)  $\text{N}_2\text{O} + \text{H}_2\text{O}$ .
- (d)  $\text{NO}_2 + \text{H}_2$ .

- x. The compound with 3 carbon atoms whose functional group is a carboxylic acid:
- (a) Formic acid.
  - (b) Acetic acid.
  - (c) Carbonic acid.
  - (d) Propanoic acid.

### **Section B**

(Attempt **any three** questions from this section)

#### **Question 2**

- A.** Answer the following with respect to the extraction of aluminium from bauxite:- **[5]**

- i. Name the chief ore of aluminium.
- ii. Name the process used to concentrate the above mentioned ore.
- iii. Why is alumina added to cryolite in the electrolytic reduction of aluminium?
- iv. Give cathode and anode reactions involved in extraction of aluminium in Hall Heroult 's process.
- v. Why powdered coke has to be sprinkled over the reaction mixture?

- B.** Some properties of sulphuric acid are listed below. Choose the role played by sulphuric acid as **A,B,C or D** which is responsible for the reactions

**i to v** . Some roles may be repeated. **[5]**

A. Dilute acid.                      B. Dehydrating agent.

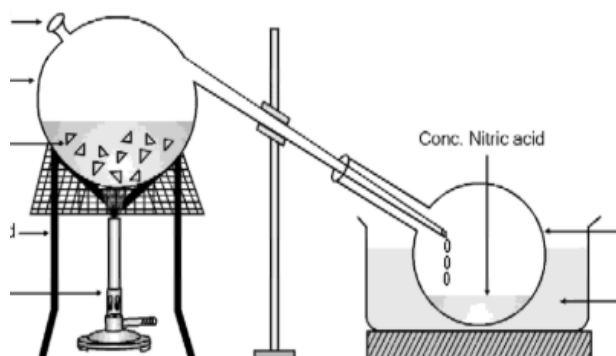
C. Non- volatile acid.              D. Oxidising agent.

- i. Conc. sulphuric acid reacts with blue vitriol to form copper sulphate anhydrous and water.
- ii. Hot conc sulphuric acid reacts with sulphur to form sulphur dioxide and water.
- iii. Conc sulphuric acid reacts with sodium nitrate at a temperature less than 200°C to form sodium hydrogen sulphate and hydrochloric acid.
- iv. Magnesium oxide reacts with sulphuric acid to form magnesium sulphate and water.
- v. Zinc reacts with sulphuric acid to form zinc sulphate, sulphur dioxide and water.

### Question 3

a) Answer the following with respect to the diagram given below:-

[4]



- Why hydrochloric acid cannot be used in the above reaction?
- Give balanced chemical equation for the reaction.
- How will you test the acid formed?
- Why the acid obtained is yellow in colour?

b) Differentiate between the following:-

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- Ethane and Ethyne.(any two points)
- Hydrochloric acid and sulphuric acid.(chemical tests)
- Lead nitrate and copper nitrate.(chemical tests)

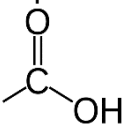
### Question 4

a) State your observations for each of the following:-

[4]

- Action of dil sulphuric acid on copper oxide.
- Action of bromine water on ethene gas.
- Excess chlorine gas reacts with ammonia gas.
- Catalytic oxidation of ammonia.

- b) Answer the following questions:- [4]
- Why methane does not undergo addition reactions but ethene does?
  - Give one word or phrase for the following: Hydrocarbons

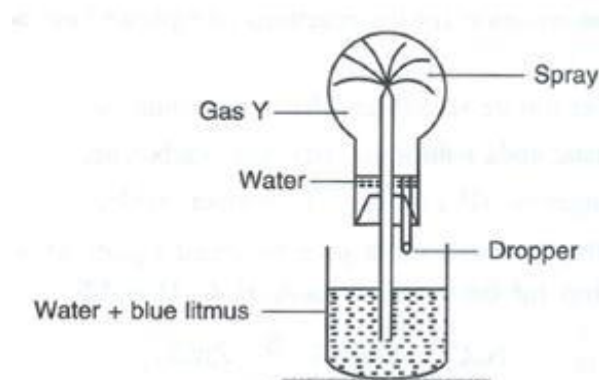
containing a  group.

- Name the reduced product when ammonia gas is heated with Copper oxide.
- Choose the correct option. If the molecular formula of an organic compound is  $C_{10}H_{18}$  it is \_\_\_\_\_. (alkane/ alkene/ alkyne)

- c) Give the structural formula for the chain isomers of pentene. [2]

### Question 5

- a) Give balanced equations for the following conversions:- [2]
- Chloroform to carbon tetrachloride.
  - Ethyne to ethene.



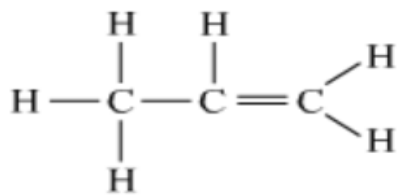
- b) Answer the questions with respect to the above diagram:- [4]
- Identify the gas Y?
  - What property of gas Y does this experiment demonstrate?
  - Name another gas which has the same property and can be demonstrated through this experiment.
  - Why the dropper is used in this experiment?

- c) Do as directed:- [4]

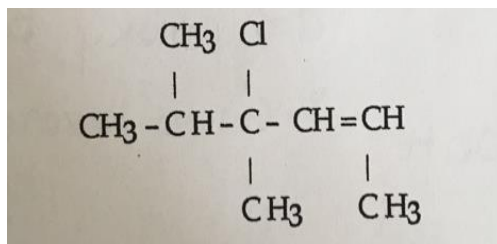
Give the IUPAC names of the following organic compounds

and encircle their functional groups:-

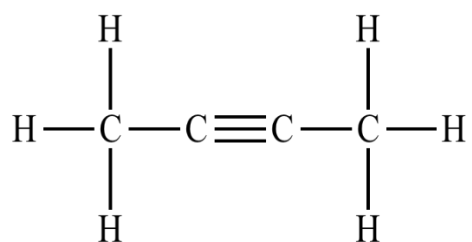
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