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1 (a) SiCl_4: **white** solid *or* **white/steamy** fumes [1]

SiCl_4 + 2H$_2$O $\longrightarrow$ SiO$_2$ + 4HCl [1]

PCl_5: fizzes *or* white/steamy fumes [1]
PCl_5 + 4H$_2$O $\longrightarrow$ H$_3$PO$_4$ + 5HCl [1]
[4]

(b) (i) MnO$_4^-$ + 8H$^+$ + 5Fe^{2+} $\longrightarrow$ Mn^{2+} + 4H$_2$O + 5Fe^{3+} [1]

(ii) 5 : 1

(iii) n(MnO$_4^-$) = 0.02 × 15/1000 = 3 × 10^{-4} (mol) [1]

(iv) n(Fe^{2+}) = 5 × 3 × 10^{-4} = 1.5 × 10^{-3} (mol) ecf from **(i)** or **(ii)** [1]

(v) [Fe^{2+}] = 1.5 × 10^{-3} × 1000/2.5 = **0.6** (mol dm^{-3}) ecf from **(iv)** [1]

(vi) In the original solution, there was 0.15 mol of Fe^{3+} in 100 cm^3.
In the partially-used solution, there is 0.06 mol of Fe^{2+} in 100 cm^3.

So remaining Fe^{3+} = 0.15 – 0.06 = 0.09 mol. ecf from **(v)** [1]

This can react with 0.045 mol of Cu, which = 0.045 × 63.5 = **2.86 g** of copper. ecf [1]

[6]

(c) bonds broken are Si-Si and Cl-Cl = 222 + 244 = 466 kJ mol^{-1}
bonds formed are 2 × Si-Cl = 2 × 359 = 718 kJ mol^{-1}
ΔH = **–252** kJ mol^{-1} [2]

[2]

(d) (i) Ca$_2$Si + **6**H$_2$O $\longrightarrow$ **2**Ca(OH)$_2$ + SiO$_2$ + **4**H$_2$ [1]

(ii) silcon has been oxidised **AND** hydrogen has been reduced [1]

[2]

[Total: 14]

2 (a) (i) **A** = $CuSO_4$ [1]
B = silver [1]

    (ii) salt bridge [1]
        voltmeter [1]

                                              [4]

(b) (i) $0.80 – 0.34 = $ **(+) 0.46 V** [1]

    (ii) If $E_{cell} = 0.17$, this is $0.29\,V$ less than the standard $E^{\ominus}$,
        so $E_{Ag\ electrode}$ must $= 0.80 – 0.29 =$ **0.51 V** [1]

    (iii) $0.51 = 0.80 + 0.06\log [Ag^+]$, so $[Ag^+] = 10^{(-0.29/0.06)} =$ **1.47 x 10^{-5}** $mol\,dm^{-3}$ ecf from **(ii)** [1]

                                              [3]

(c) (i) $K_{sp} = [Ag^+]^2[SO_4^{2-}]$ [1]
       units $= mol^3\,dm^{-9}$ ecf on K_{sp} [1]

    (ii) $[SO_4^{2-}] = [Ag^+]/2$ $K_{sp} = (1.6 \times 10^{-2})^2 \times 0.8 \times 10^{-2} =$ **2.05 × 10^{-6}** $(mol^3\,dm^{-9})$ [1]

                                              [3]

(d) $AgCl$ white [1]
    $AgBr$ cream [1]
    AgI yellow [1]

    Solubility decreases down the group [1]

                                                [4]

(e) solubility decreases down the group [1]
    as M^{2+}/**ionic** radius increases [1]
    both lattice energy **and** hydration(solvation) energy to decrease [1]
    enthalpy change of solution becomes more endothermic [1]

                                                [4]

                                             [Total: 18]

3 **(a)** **(i)** heterogeneous: different states **AND** homogeneous: same state [1]

(ii) the correct allocation of the terms *heterogeneous* and *homogeneous* to common catalysts [1]

example of heterogeneous, e.g. Fe (in the Haber process) <u>linked</u> to correct system [1]
equation, e.g. $N_2 + 3H_2 \longrightarrow 2NH_3$ [1]

how catalyst works, adsorption (onto the surface) [1]
ecf for non-iron catalyst

example of homogeneous, e.g. Fe^{3+} or Fe^{2+} (in $S_2O_8^{2-} + I^-$) linked to correct system [1]

equation, e.g. $S_2O_8^{2-} + 2I^- \longrightarrow 2SO_4^{2-} + I_2$ [1]

how catalyst works, e.g. $Fe^{3+} + I^- \longrightarrow Fe^{2+} + \frac{1}{2}I_2$ [1]
ecf for non-iron catalyst

[8]

(b)
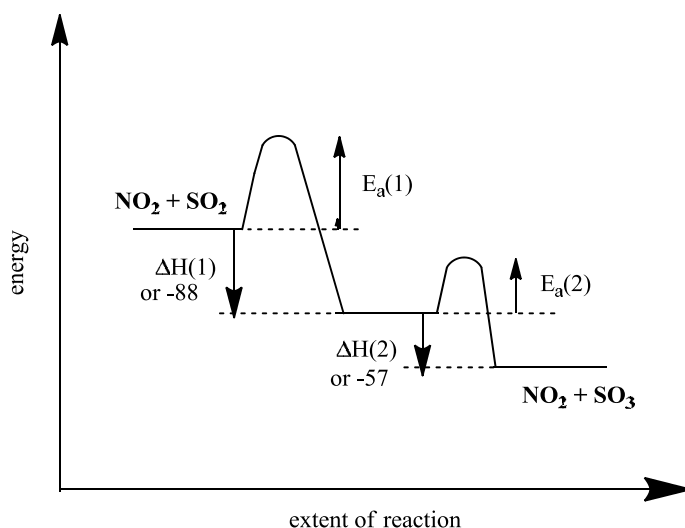
both E_a shown, with $E_a(1) > E_a(2)$ [1]
both ΔH shown, with $\Delta H(1) > \Delta H(2)$ [1]

[2]

[Total: 10]

4 **(a)** $K_2Cr_2O_7 + H^+$ + heat under reflux [1]
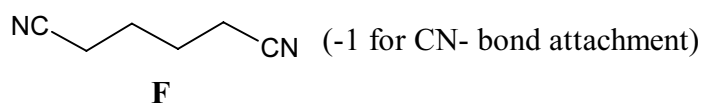
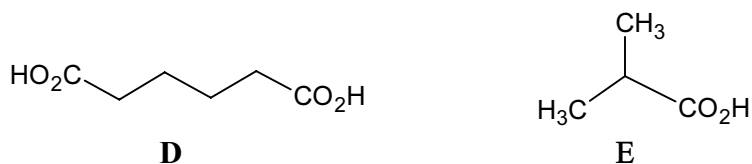**(b)** nucleophilic substitution [1]

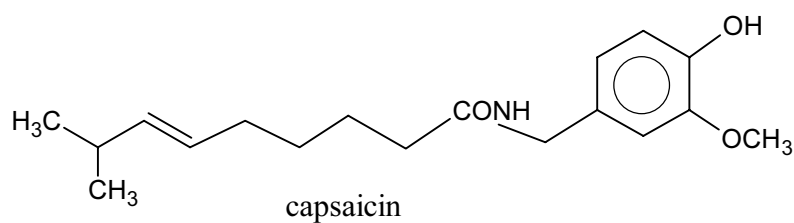**(c)** heat under reflux + aqueous HCl [1]

(d) alkene [1]

(e) amide *or* ester [1]

[5]

(f)

capsaicin

C (cis/trans)

D

E

(−1 for CN− bond attachment)

F
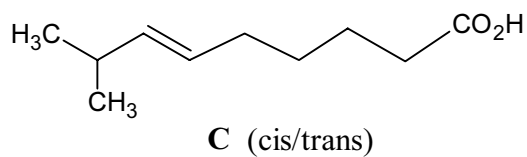
alternative structure for capsaicin
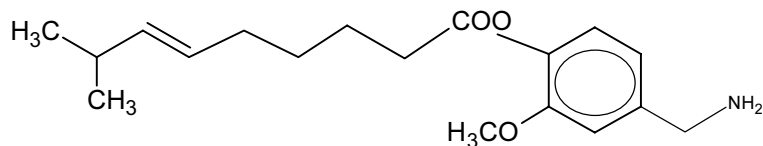
ecf 5 × [1]

[5]
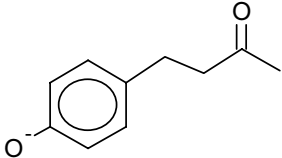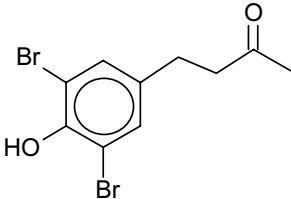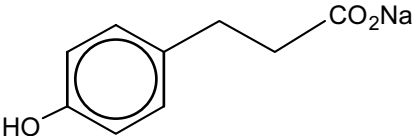
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5 (a) phenol [1]
    ketone [1]

[2]

(b)

reagent	observation	structure of product	type of reaction
sodium metal	**effervescence /bubbles/fizzing**		*redox*
aqueous bromine	**decolourises** *or* **white ppt.**		*electrophilic substitution*
aqueous alkaline iodine	**yellow ppt.**		*oxidation*

[2]

[8]

(c) (i)
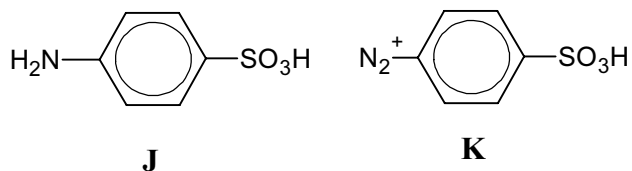
J   **K**

[1] + [1]

(ii) step 1: NaNO$_2$ + HCl *or* HNO$_2$ [1]

at T < 10°C [1]

step 2: (add **K** to a solution of **G**) in aqueous NaOH [1]

[5]

(d)

$$\text{(CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{CO}_2\text{H)} \xrightarrow[\text{[1]}]{\substack{\text{SOC}l_2/\text{PC}l_5 \\ /\text{PC}l_3 + \text{heat}}} \text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{COC}l \xrightarrow[\text{[1]}]{\text{add to } \mathbf{G} \text{ (in NaOH(aq))}} \mathbf{L}$$
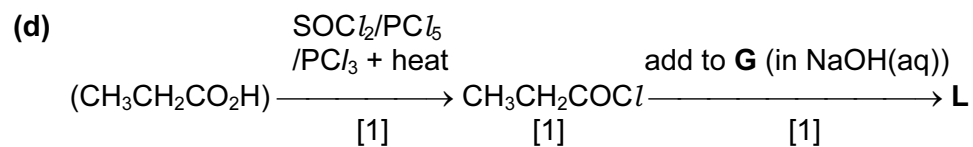
ecf from CH$_3$COOH [3]

[Total: 18]

Section B

6 (a)

bonding	structure involved
disulfide bonds between parts of the chain	tertiary
hydrogen bonds in a β-pleated sheet	secondary
ionic bonds between parts of the chain	tertiary
peptide links between amino acids	primary

zero/one correct only→ [0], two correct only → [1], three correct only → [2] all four correct [3]

[3]

(b) labelled diagrams such as:

Competitive *any two* from:
• complementary shape to substrate / able to bind to active site of enzyme
• so preventing the substrate from binding / able to compete with substrate
• can be overcome by increasing [substrate]   2 × [1]
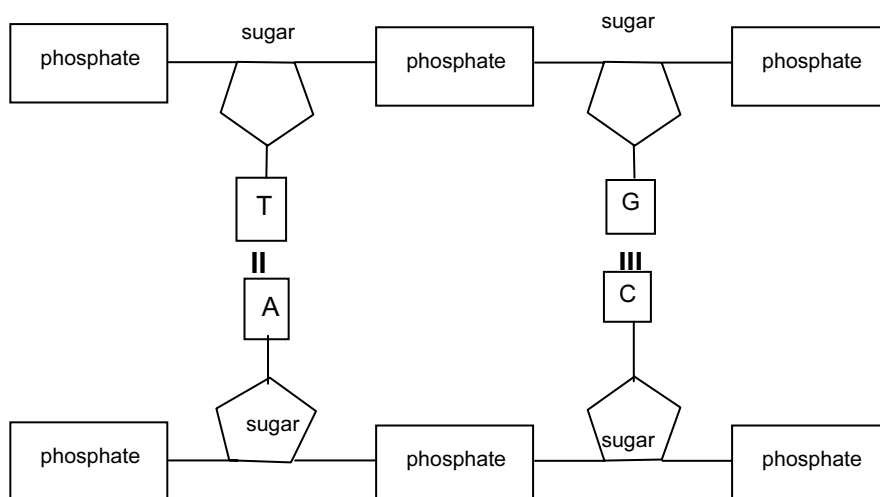

Non-competitive: *any two* from:
• binds elsewhere in the enzyme than active site / at an allosteric site
• this changes the shape of the active site
• cannot be removed by increasing [substrate]   2 × [1]

[4]

(c)

A and C **and** other strand correct [1]
H-bonds labelled [1]
adenine **AND** cytosine [1]

[3]

[Total: 10]

7 (a) (i) Electrophoresis [1]

(ii) Using a restriction enzyme. [1]

(iii) The phosphate group. [1]

[3]

(b) (i) X labelled correctly on diagram. [1]

(ii) Suspect 2 **AND** matches crime scene 1 or matches at least one crime scene. [1]

[2]

(c) **P** is $CH_3CO_2CH_2CH_3$ [1]

*any **four** of:*
- 3 different (proton) environments
- (M and M+1 data shows no of carbons present is) $(100 × 0.22)/(1.1 × 5.1)$ = **4 carbons**
- the NMR spectrum shows 8 hydrogens leaving 32 mass unit or 2 oxygen *or*
  M_r = 88 **and** (molecular formula is) $C_4H_8O_2$
- 4 peaks/quartet (at 4.1) shows an adjacent $3H/CH_3$
- 3 peaks/triplet (at 1.3) shows an adjacent $2H/CH_2$
- (peak at) 2.0/singlet shows CH_3CO (group)
- (peak at) 4.1/quartet **and** 1.3/triplet shows presence of ethyl/CH_3CH_2 (group)
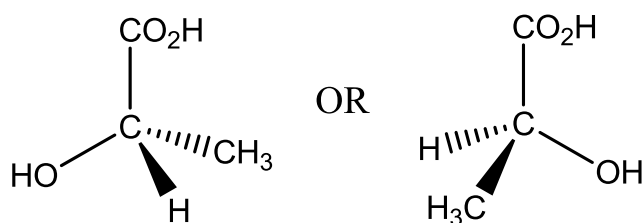
$4 × [1]$

[5]

[Total: 10]

8 (a) (i) It could denature the enzyme *or*
alter the 3D structure/tertiary structure/shape of active site. [1]

(ii) condensation [1]
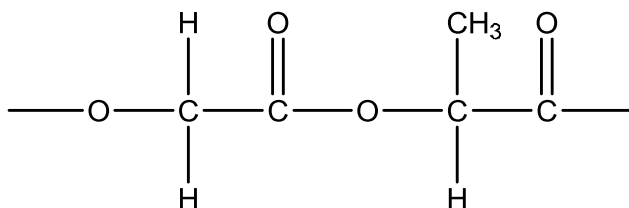
[2]

(b)

or correct diagram of the S isomer

[1]

[1]

(c) (i) (Acid present would) hydrolyse the ester (linkage) [1]

(ii) (Hot water would) **soften** (the container) [1]

[2]

(d) (i)

ester linkage shown [1]
rest of repeat unit correct (ONE) [1]

(ii) van der Waals' from CH_3/methyl group [1]
permanent dipole-dipole from ester group [1]

(iii) Accept any sensible physical property suggestion e.g. different melting point *or* different density *or* different solubility. [1]

[5]

[Total: 10]