

Name of the Student: _____

Max. Marks : 22 Marks

Time : 22 Minutes

Q1.

This question is about the preparation of an ester.

- (a) Ester **F** can be prepared from propan-2-ol and ethanoic acid.

Give an equation for this reaction.

Name ester **F**.

Equation

Name _____

(2)

This method is used to prepare a sample of ester **F**.

Step 1

Mix 10 cm³ of propan-2-ol with 10 cm³ of ethanoic acid.

Add 5 drops of concentrated sulfuric acid.

Reflux this reaction mixture for 20 minutes.

Step 2

Transfer the cooled reaction mixture to a separating funnel.

Add 20 cm³ of aqueous sodium carbonate and shake the mixture.

Step 3

Transfer the organic layer to a beaker and add 5 g of anhydrous magnesium sulfate.

Decant off the organic liquid.

Step 4

Collect the ester using simple distillation.

- (b) Describe how **Step 1** should be done.

In your description you should

- give details of suitable equipment used to add each reagent to the reflux apparatus
- draw a labelled diagram of the apparatus used for refluxing the reaction mixture
- explain any safety precautions needed other than eye protection.

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(6)

- (c) In **Step 2** the reaction mixture from **Step 1** is shaken with aqueous sodium carbonate.

State the purpose of the sodium carbonate.

Suggest a precaution that should be taken while this mixture is shaken in the separating funnel.

Give a reason for your suggested precaution.

Purpose of sodium carbonate _____

Precaution _____

Reason _____

(3)

- (d) Give the reason for the use of anhydrous magnesium sulfate in **Step 3**.

(1)

- (e) Suggest how the purity of the ester can be confirmed during the distillation in **Step 4**.

(1)

(Total 13 marks)

Q2.

This question is about amines.

- (a) An incomplete equation for Step 1 in the reaction between bromoethane and an amine is shown.



Complete the equation.

In Step 2 of this reaction, the product of Step 1 forms a secondary amine.

Name the secondary amine formed.

Amine name _____

(2)

- (b) $\text{CH}_3\text{CHBrCH}_2\text{CH}_3$ reacts with NH_3

Draw the skeletal formula of the major organic product formed when

- an excess of NH_3 is used
- an excess of $\text{CH}_3\text{CHBrCH}_2\text{CH}_3$ is used.

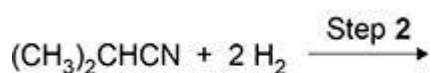
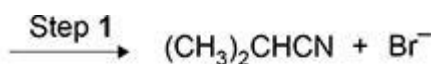
Product with excess NH_3

Product with excess $\text{CH}_3\text{CHBrCH}_2\text{CH}_3$

(2)

- (c) **Figure 1** shows a two-step synthesis to make amine **G**.

Figure 1



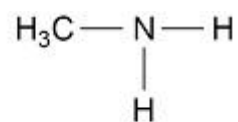
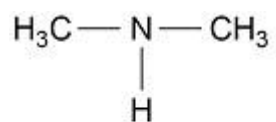
Amine G

Complete **Figure 1** by drawing the mechanism for Step 1 and the displayed formula of amine **G**.

(3)

- (d) **Figure 2** shows two amines, **P** and **Q**.

Figure 2



Explain why **P** is a stronger base than **Q**.

(2)

(Total 9 marks)