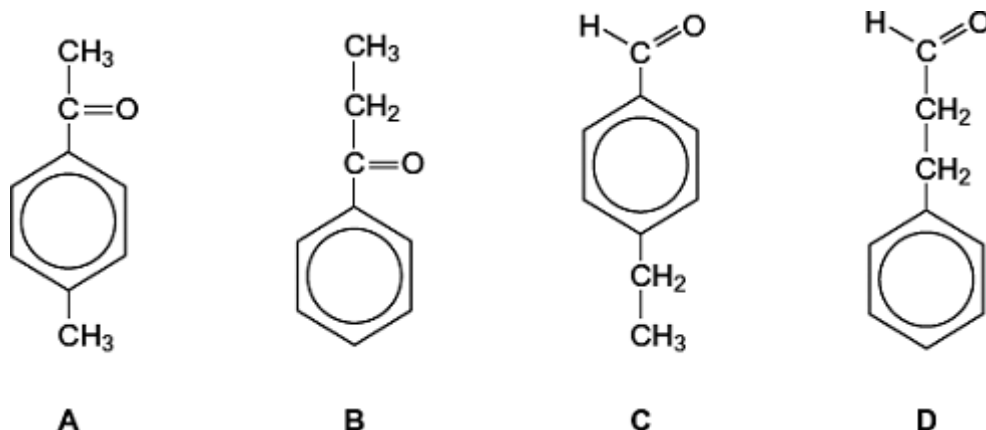




## Q9.

Mass spectrometry is used by organic chemists to help distinguish between different compounds.

Four isomers of  $C_9H_{10}O$ , shown below, were analysed by mass spectrometry.



The mass spectra obtained from these four isomers were labelled in random order as I, II, III and IV.

Each spectrum contained a molecular ion peak at  $m/z = 134$

The data in the table below show the  $m/z$  values greater than 100 for the major peaks in each spectrum due to fragmentation of the molecular ion. The table also shows where no major peaks occurred.

Spectrum	$m/z$ values for major peaks	No major peak at $m/z$
I	119	133, 105
II	133, 119 and 105	
III	133, 105	119
IV	105	133, 119

- (a) Two of the molecular ions fragmented to form an ion with  $m/z = 133$  by losing a radical. Identify the radical that was lost.

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(1)

- (b) Two of the molecular ions fragmented to form an ion with  $m/z = 119$  by losing a radical. Identify the radical that was lost.

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(1)



- (c) Three of the molecular ions fragmented to form ions with  $m/z = 105$  by losing a radical with  $M_r = 29$

Identify **two** different radicals with  $M_r = 29$  that could have been lost.

Radical 1 \_\_\_\_\_

Radical 2 \_\_\_\_\_

(2)

- (d) Consider the structures of the four isomers and the fragmentations indicated in parts (a) to (c).

Write the letter **A**, **B**, **C** or **D**, in the appropriate box below, to identify the compound that produces each spectrum.

Spectrum I

Spectrum II

Spectrum III

Spectrum IV

(4)

(Total 8 marks)

**Q10.**

- (a) Some scientists thought that the waste water from a waste disposal factory contained **two** sodium halides.

They tested a sample of the waste water.

They added three reagents, one after the other, to the same test tube containing the waste water.

The table below shows their results.

Reagent added	Observations
1. Silver nitrate solution (acidified with dilute nitric acid)	A cream precipitate formed
2. Dilute ammonia solution	A yellow precipitate remained
3. Concentrated ammonia solution	The yellow precipitate did not dissolve

- (i) Identify the yellow precipitate that did **not** dissolve in concentrated ammonia solution.  
Write the **simplest** ionic equation for the formation of this precipitate from silver ions and the correct halide ion.  
Identify the other sodium halide that must be present in this mixture of two sodium halides.

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- (ii) Give **one** reason why the silver nitrate solution was acidified before it was used in this test.

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(1)



- (iii) The method that the scientists used could **not** detect one type of halide ion. Identify this halide ion.  
Give **one** reason for your answer.

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(2)

- (b) The scientists thought that the waste water also contained dissolved barium ions. An aqueous solution of sodium sulfate can be used to test for the presence of dissolved barium ions.

Write the **simplest** ionic equation for the reaction between barium ions and sulfate ions to form barium sulfate.

State what is observed in this reaction.

Give a use for barium sulfate in medicine and explain why this use is possible, given that solutions containing barium ions are poisonous.

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(4)



**Q11.**

A scientist used mass spectrometry to analyse a sample of the air near a fertiliser factory. The sample of air included traces of a gas which was shown by its molecular ion to have a precise  $M_r = 44.00105$

- (a) State the meaning of the term *molecular ion*.

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(1)

- (b) (i) Use the following data to show that the trace gas was dinitrogen oxide ( $N_2O$ ).

Show your working.

Atom	Precise relative atomic mass
$^{12}C$	12.00000
$^{14}N$	14.00307
$^{16}O$	15.99491

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(1)

- (ii) Propane is used as a fuel in the fertiliser factory. State why both propane and its combustion product, carbon dioxide, might have been identified as the trace gas if the scientist had used relative molecular masses calculated to one decimal place.

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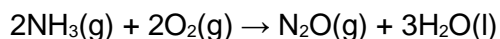
- (iii) State why the precise relative atomic mass for the  $^{12}C$  isotope is exactly 12.00000

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(1)



- (c) Dinitrogen oxide is formed when ammonia is oxidised according to the following equation.



- (i) Use the standard enthalpies of formation in the table below to calculate a value for the standard enthalpy change of this reaction.

	$\text{NH}_3(\text{g})$	$\text{O}_2(\text{g})$	$\text{N}_2\text{O}(\text{g})$	$\text{H}_2\text{O}(\text{l})$
$\Delta H_f^\circ / \text{kJ mol}^{-1}$	-46	0	+82	-286

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(3)

- (ii) State **one** condition necessary for enthalpies of formation to be quoted as standard values at a specified temperature of 298 K.

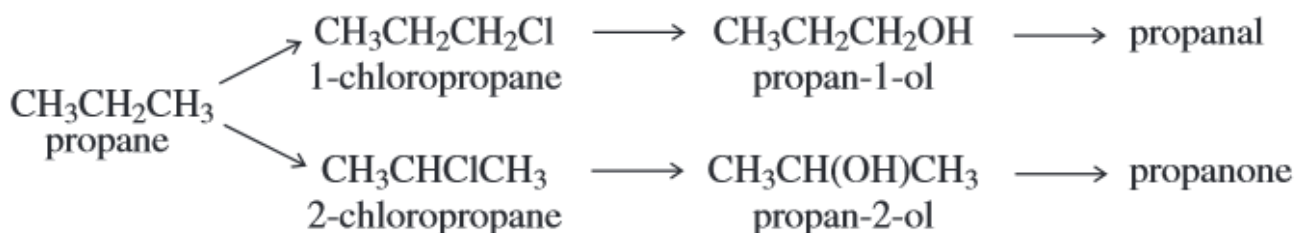
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(Total 8 marks)

### Q12.

Consider the following scheme of reactions.



- (a) State the type of structural isomerism shown by propanal and propanone.

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- (b) A chemical test can be used to distinguish between separate samples of propanal and propanone.

Identify a suitable reagent for the test.

State what you would observe with propanal and with propanone.

Test reagent \_\_\_\_\_

Observation with propanal \_\_\_\_\_

Observation with propanone \_\_\_\_\_

(3)

- (c) State the structural feature of propanal and propanone which can be identified from their infrared spectra by absorptions at approximately  $1720\text{ cm}^{-1}$ .

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(1)

- (d) The reaction of chlorine with propane is similar to the reaction of chlorine with methane.

- (i) Name the type of mechanism in the reaction of chlorine with methane.

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(1)

- (ii) Write an equation for each of the following steps in the mechanism for the reaction of chlorine with propane to form 1-chloropropane ( $\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}$ ).

Initiation step

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First propagation step

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Second propagation step

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A termination step to form a molecule with the empirical formula  $\text{C}_3\text{H}_7$

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(4)





- (e) High resolution mass spectrometry of a sample of propane indicated that it was contaminated with traces of carbon dioxide.

Use the data in the table to show how precise  $M_r$  values can be used to prove that the sample contains both of these gases.

Atom	Precise relative atomic mass
$^{12}\text{C}$	12.00000
$^1\text{H}$	1.00794
$^{16}\text{O}$	15.99491

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(2)

(Total 12 marks)

### Q13.

It is necessary to use several analytical techniques to determine the structure of an unknown compound.

An analytical chemist was asked to determine the structure of compound **Q** which was found in a waste tank in a mixture of volatile liquids.

Compound **Q** has the molecular formula  $\text{C}_4\text{H}_7\text{ClO}$ . It is a volatile liquid which does not produce misty fumes when added to water.

- (a) Suggest how the chemist could obtain a sample of **Q** for analysis from the mixture of volatile liquids.

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(1)

- (b) The infra-red spectrum of **Q** contains a major absorption at  $1724\text{ cm}^{-1}$ . Identify the bond which causes this absorption.

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(1)



- (c) The mass spectrum of Q contains two molecular ion peaks at  $m/z = 106$  and  $m/z = 108$ . It also has a major peak at  $m/z = 43$ .

(i) Suggest why there are two molecular ion peaks.

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- (ii) A fragment ion produced from Q has  $m/z = 43$  and contains atoms of **three** different elements. Identify this fragment ion and write an equation showing its formation from the molecular ion of Q.

Fragment ion \_\_\_\_\_

Equation \_\_\_\_\_

(3)

- (d) The proton n.m.r. spectrum of Q was recorded.

(i) Suggest a suitable solvent for use in recording this spectrum of Q.

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- (ii) Give the formula of the standard reference compound used in recording proton n.m.r. spectra.

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(2)

- (e) The proton n.m.r. spectrum of Q shows 3 peaks. Complete the table below to show the number of adjacent, non-equivalent protons responsible for the splitting patterns.

	Peak 1	Peak 2	Peak 3
Integration value	3	3	1
Splitting pattern	doublet	singlet	quartet
Number of adjacent, non-equivalent protons	1		

(1)

- (f) Using the information in parts (a), (b) and (d) deduce the structure of compound Q.

(1)



- (g) A structural isomer of **Q** reacts with cold water to produce misty fumes. Suggest a structure for this isomer.

(1)

(Total 10 marks)



## Q9.

- (a) H **OR** hydrogen **OR** H<sup>•</sup>  
*Ignore brackets ignore dot*  
*penalise + or – charge* 1
- (b) CH<sub>3</sub> **OR** methyl **OR** CH<sub>3</sub><sup>•</sup> **OR** <sup>•</sup>CH<sub>3</sub>  
*Ignore brackets ignore dot*  
*penalise + or – charge* 1
- (c) Either order  
 C<sub>2</sub>H<sub>5</sub> **OR** ethyl **OR** CH<sub>3</sub>CH<sub>2</sub><sup>•</sup> **OR** C<sub>2</sub>H<sub>5</sub><sup>•</sup>  
*Ignore brackets ignore dot*  
*penalise + or – charge* 1
- CHO **OR** HCO **OR** COH **OR** H—C=O 1
- (d) I A 1
- II C 1
- III D 1
- IV B 1

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## Q10.

- (a) (i) **M1** (yellow precipitate is) silver iodide OR AgI (which may be awarded from the equation)
- M2** Ag<sup>+</sup> + I<sup>-</sup> → AgI (Also scores M1 unless contradicted)
- M3** sodium chloride OR NaCl  
*For M2*  
*Accept multiples*  
*Ignore state symbols*  
*Allow crossed out nitrate ions, but penalise if not crossed out* 3
- (ii) The silver nitrate is acidified to
- react with / remove ions that would interfere with the test
  - prevent the formation of other silver precipitates / insoluble silver compounds that would interfere with the test



- remove (other) ions that react with the silver nitrate
- react with / remove carbonate / hydroxide / sulfite (ions)  
*Ignore reference to “false positive”*

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(iii) **M1 and M2 in either order****M1** Fluoride (ion) OR F<sup>-</sup>

- M2**
- Silver fluoride / AgF is soluble / dissolves (in water)
  - no precipitate would form / no visible / observable change  
*Do not penalise the spelling “fluoride”,  
Penalise “fluride” once only  
Mark M1 and M2 independently*

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(b) **M1**  $\text{Ba}^{2+} + \text{SO}_4^{2-} \rightarrow \text{BaSO}_4$ 

(or the ions together)

**M2** white precipitate / white solid / white suspension**M3** Barium meal or ( internal ) X-ray or to block X-rays**M4** BaSO<sub>4</sub> / barium sulfate is insoluble (and therefore not toxic)*For M1, ignore state symbols**Allow crossed out sodium ions, but penalise if not crossed out**For M2, ignore “milky”**If BaSO<sub>3</sub> OR BaS used in M1 and M4, penalise once only**For M3 Ignore radio-tracing**For M4 NOT barium ions**NOT barium**NOT barium meal**NOT “It” unless clearly BaSO<sub>4</sub>*

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(c) **M1**  $2(12.00000) + 4(1.00794) = 28.03176$ **M2** Ethene and CO or “they” have an imprecise **M<sub>r</sub>** of 28.0 / 28

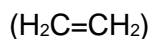
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Ethene and CO or “they” have the same M<sub>r</sub> to one d.p.

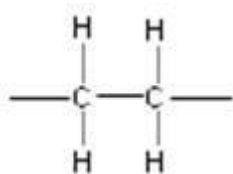
OR

These may be shown by two clear, simple sums identifying both compounds

**M3**  $\text{C}_2\text{H}_4 + 2\text{O}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{CO} + 2\text{H}_2\text{O}$



**M4** Displayed formula



**M5** Type of polymer = Addition (polymer)

*M1 must show working using 5 d.p. for hydrogen*

*Penalise "similar" or "close to", if this refers to the imprecise value in M2, since this does not mean "the same"*

*For M3, accept  $\text{CH}_2=\text{CH}_2$  OR  $\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2$*

*For M4, all bonds must be drawn out including those on either side of the unit.*

*Penalise "sticks"*

*Ignore brackets around **correct** repeating unit but penalise "n"*

*Penalise "additional"*

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### Q11.

(a) The molecular ion is

- The molecule with one/an electron knocked off/lost  
*Ignore the highest or biggest m/z peak*

**OR**

- The molecule with a (single) positive charge

**OR**

- the ion with/it has the largest/highest/biggest m/z (value/ratio)  
*Ignore "the peak to the right"*

**OR**

- the ion with/it has an m/z equal to the  $M_r$   
*Ignore "compound"*

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(b) (i)  $2(14.00307) + 15.99491 = 44.00105$   
*A sum is needed to show this*

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(ii) Propane/ $\text{C}_3\text{H}_8$  and carbon dioxide/ $\text{CO}_2$  (and  $\text{N}_2\text{O}$ ) or they or both the gases/molecules or all three gases/molecules have an (imprecise)  $M_r$  of 44.0 (OR 44)



**OR**

they have the same  $M_r$  or molecular mass (to one d.p)

*This could be shown in a calculation of relative masses for propane and carbon dioxide*

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(iii) By definition

**OR**

The standard/reference (value/isotope)

*Ignore "element"*

*Ignore "atom"*

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(c) (i) **M1 (could be scored by a correct mathematical expression)**

$$\Delta H = \sum \Delta H_{\text{products}} - \sum \Delta H_{\text{reactants}}$$

OR a correct cycle of balanced equations

**M1 and M2 can be scored with correct moles as follows**

$$\Delta H + 2(-46) = +82 + 3(-286)$$

$$\Delta H - 92 = -776$$

$$\Delta H = 92 - 776 \text{ OR } 92 + 82 - 858$$

**M3**

$$\Delta H = \underline{-684} \text{ (kJ mol}^{-1}\text{) (This is worth 3 marks)}$$

**Award 1 mark ONLY for + 684**

*Full marks for correct answer.*

*Ignore units.*

*Deduct one mark for an arithmetic error.*

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(ii) The value is quoted at a pressure of 100 kPa OR 1 bar or  $10^5$  Pa

**OR**

All reactants and products are in their standard states/their normal states at 100 kPa or 1 bar

*Ignore 1 atmosphere/101 kPa*

*Ignore "constant pressure"*

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**Q12.**

(a) Functional group (isomerism)

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(b)



**M1** Tollens' (reagent)  
(*Credit ammoniacal silver nitrate*  
**OR** a description of making  
Tollens')  
(*Ignore either AgNO<sub>3</sub> or [Ag(NH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>]<sup>+</sup>*  
or "the silver mirror test" on their  
own, but mark M2 and M3)

**M2** silver mirror

**OR**

black solid/precipitate  
(*NOT silver precipitate*)

**M3** (stays) colourless  
or no change or no reaction

**M1** Fehling's (solution) or  
Benedict's solution  
(*Ignore Cu<sup>2+</sup>(aq) or*  
*CuSO<sub>4</sub> on their own, but mark*  
*on to M2 and M3)*

**M2** Red solid/precipitate  
(*Credit orange or brown solid*)

**M3** (stays) blue  
or no change or no reaction

Mark on from an incomplete/incorrect attempt at the correct reagent, penalising M1

*No reagent, CE=0*

*Allow the following alternatives*

**M1** (*acidified*) potassium dichromate(VI) (*solution*)

**M2** (*turns*) green

**M3** (*stays*) orange/no change

*OR*

**M1** (*acidified*) potassium manganate(VII) (*solution*)

**M2** (*turns*) colourless

**M3** (*stays*) purple/no change

*For M3*

*Ignore "nothing (happens)"*

*Ignore "no observation"*

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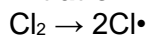
(c) (Both have) C=O **OR** a carbonyl (group)

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(d) (i) (Free-) radical substitution ONLY  
*Penalise "(free) radical mechanism"*

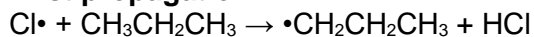
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(ii) **Initiation**



*Penalise absence of dot once only.*

**First propagation**

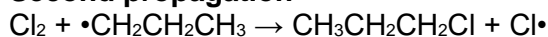


OR C<sub>3</sub>H<sub>8</sub>

*Penalise incorrect position of dot on propyl radical once only.*

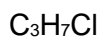
*Penalise C<sub>3</sub>H<sub>7</sub>• once only*

**Second propagation**



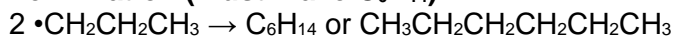
**OR**





Accept  $\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\cdot$  with the radical dot above/below/to the side of the last carbon.

**Termination (must make  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_{14}$ )**



Use of the secondary free radical might gain 3 of the four marks

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- (e)  $M_r = 44.06352$  (for propane)  
 $M_r = 43.98982$  (for carbon dioxide)

Mark independently

**M1** a correct value for both of these  $M_r$  values.

**M2** a statement or idea that two peaks appear (in the mass spectrum)

**OR**

two molecular ions are seen (in the mass spectrum).

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### Q13.

- (a) GLC or distillation

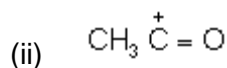
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- (b)  $\text{C}=\text{O}$

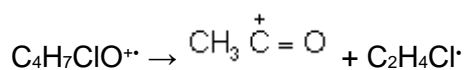
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- (c) (i) Cl has two isotopes

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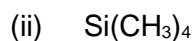
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- (d) (i) e.g.  $\text{CDCl}_3$  or  $\text{CCl}_4$

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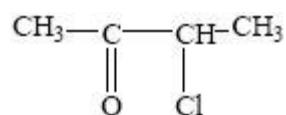


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- (e) 0 and 3

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- (f)



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(g)  $\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{COCl}$  or  $(\text{CH}_3)_2\text{CHCOCl}$

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