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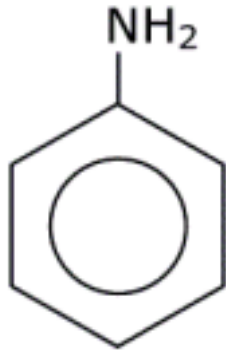
| Question  | Answer                                                                                                                                                                                                        | Marks    |
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| 1(a)      | solubility increases down the group                                                                                                                                                                           | <b>1</b> |
|           | $\Delta H_{\text{latt}}$ and $\Delta H_{\text{hyd}}$ both <b>decrease</b><br>or $\Delta H_{\text{latt}}$ and $\Delta H_{\text{hyd}}$ both become less exothermic / more endothermic                           | <b>1</b> |
|           | $\Delta H_{\text{latt}}$ decreases / changes more (than $\Delta H_{\text{hyd}}$ as $\text{OH}^-$ being smaller than $\text{M}^{2+}$ )                                                                         | <b>1</b> |
|           | $\Delta H_{\text{sol}}$ becomes more exothermic / more negative / less endothermic / less positive                                                                                                            | <b>1</b> |
| 1(b)(i)   | $\Delta H_{\text{r1}} - (538 + 2 \times 230 + 394) = -(1216 + 286)$<br>$\Delta H_{\text{r1}} - 1392 = -1502$                                                                                                  | <b>1</b> |
|           | $\Delta H_{\text{r1}} = \mathbf{-110}$                                                                                                                                                                        | <b>1</b> |
|           |                                                                                                                                                                                                               |          |
| 1(b)(ii)  | let $\Delta H_{\text{f}}(\text{HCO}_3^-(\text{aq})) = y$<br>$2y - 538 = -1216 - 394 - 286 - 26$                                                                                                               | <b>1</b> |
|           | $y = \mathbf{-692}$                                                                                                                                                                                           | <b>1</b> |
| 1(b)(iii) | $\Delta H_{\text{r3}} - 538 - 2(230 + 394) = -538 - 2(692)$<br>$\Delta H_{\text{r3}} = \mathbf{-136}$                                                                                                         | <b>1</b> |
|           |                                                                                                                                                                                                               |          |
| 1(b)(iv)  | $\Delta H_{\text{r3}}$ will be identical to $\Delta H_{\text{r4}}$ , / unchanged                                                                                                                              | <b>1</b> |
|           | as the reaction is the same, or:<br>$2\text{OH}^-(\text{aq}) + 2\text{CO}_2(\text{g}) \longrightarrow 2\text{HCO}_3^-(\text{aq})$ or<br>metal ions stay in solution/metal ions are unchanged / are spectators | <b>1</b> |

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| 1(c)     | more <b>gaseous moles</b> are being consumed (in reaction 3)<br>or more <b>CO<sub>2</sub> moles</b> are being consumed (in reaction 3) | <b>1</b>  |
|          | $\Delta S$ is therefore expected to be <b>more negative/less positive</b> for reaction 3.                                              | <b>1</b>  |
|          | <b>Total:</b>                                                                                                                          | <b>13</b> |

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| 2(a)(i)   |                                                                                                                                                                     | <b>1 + 1</b> |
|           | 16 electrons on each diagram                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | <b>1</b>     |
| 2(a)(ii)  | HNC = 115–125° AND NCO = 180°                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | <b>1</b>     |
| 2(a)(iii) | cyanic acid, because it's a stronger / higher bond enthalpy / triple / C≡N / more electrons involved bond                                                                                                                                             | <b>1</b>     |
| 2(b)(i)   | $[H^+] = \sqrt{([HNCN]K_a)} = \sqrt{(0.1 \times 1.2 \times 10^{-4})}$ or $3.46 \times 10^{-3}$                                                                                                                                                        | <b>1</b>     |
|           | pH = log $[H^+] = 2.5$ (2.46)                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | <b>1</b>     |
| 2(b)(ii)  | $Na_2CO_3 + 2(NH_2)_2CO \longrightarrow 2NaNCO + CO_2 + 2NH_3 + H_2O$                                                                                                                                                                                 | <b>1</b>     |
| 2(c)(i)   | $n(OH^-)$ at start = $(2 \times 0.1 \times 30) / 1000 = 6 \times 10^{-3}$ mol<br>$n(OH^-)$ reacted = $(0.1 \times 20) / 1000 = 2 \times 10^{-3}$ mol<br>$n(OH^-)$ remaining = $(6-2) \times 10^{-3} = 4 \times 10^{-3}$ mol, (in 50 cm <sup>3</sup> ) | <b>1</b>     |
|           | so $[OH^-]_{end} = (4 \times 10^{-3} \times 1000) / 50 = 0.08 \text{ mol dm}^{-3}$                                                                                                                                                                    | <b>1</b>     |

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| 2(c)(ii)  | $[H^+] = K_w / [OH^-] = (1 \times 10^{-14}) / 0.08 = 1.25 \times 10^{-13} \text{ mol dm}^{-3}$                                     | <b>1</b> |
|           | so $\text{pH} = -\log(1.25 \times 10^{-13}) = \mathbf{12.9}$                                                                       | <b>1</b> |
| 2(c)(iii) | curve starts at 2.46 / 2.5                                                                                                         | <b>1</b> |
|           | vertical portion (end point) at vol added = 10.0 cm <sup>3</sup>                                                                   | <b>1</b> |
|           | finishes at pH = 12.9                                                                                                              | <b>1</b> |
| 2(d)(i)   | <i>monodentate</i> : (a species that) forms <b>one</b> dative / coordinate bond                                                    | <b>1</b> |
|           | <i>ligand</i> : a species that uses a lone pair of electrons to form a dative / coordinate bond to <b>a metal atom / metal ion</b> | <b>1</b> |
| 2(d)(ii)  | $[Ag(NCO)_2]^-$ or $[Ag(OCN)_2]^-$ correct formula                                                                                 | <b>1</b> |
|           | correct charge                                                                                                                     | <b>1</b> |
| 2(e)(i)   | $n(\text{BaCO}_3) = 1.66 / 197.3 = 8.4(1) \times 10^{-3} \text{ mol}$                                                              | <b>1</b> |
| 2(e)(ii)  | $n(\text{RNCO}) = 8.41 \times 10^{-3} \text{ mol}$ , so $M_r = 1 / (8.41 \times 10^{-3}) = \mathbf{119}$                           | <b>1</b> |
| 2(e)(iii) | molecular formula = C <sub>7</sub> H <sub>5</sub> NO                                                                               | <b>1</b> |

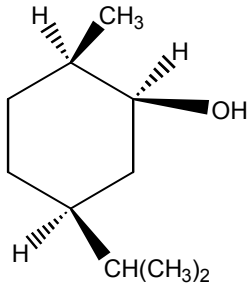
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| 2(e)(iv) |  | 1         |
|          | <b>Total:</b>                                                                     | <b>23</b> |

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| 3(a)(i)  | +3 or $\text{Co}^{3+}$                                      | 1     |
| 3(a)(ii) | oxidation                                                   | 1     |
|          | ligand displacement / replacement / exchange / substitution | 1     |

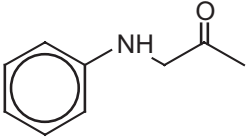
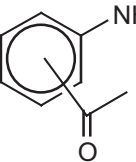
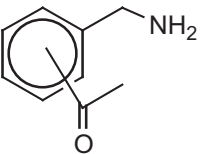
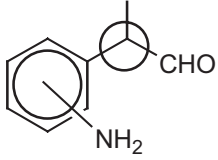
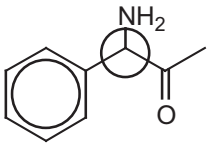
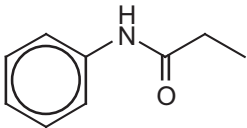


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| 4(a)(i)   | optical, because it contains a / one chiral C-atom or chiral C-atoms or chiral atom / centre or C* indicated or C with 4 <b>different</b> groups | <b>1</b>     |
| 4(a)(ii)  | $\text{C}_{10}\text{H}_{14}\text{O} + 3\text{H}_2 \longrightarrow \text{C}_{10}\text{H}_{20}\text{O}$ correct formulae                           | <b>1</b>     |
|           | balancing                                                                                                                                        | <b>1</b>     |
| 4(b)(i)   | electrophilic substitution                                                                                                                       | <b>1</b>     |
| 4(b)(ii)  | step 3 reduction                                                                                                                                 | <b>1</b>     |
|           | step 5 substitution / hydrolysis                                                                                                                 | <b>1</b>     |
| 4(b)(iii) | step 1 $(\text{CH}_3)_2\text{CHCl} + \text{AlCl}_3 / \text{AlBr}_3 / \text{FeCl}_3 / \text{FeBr}_3$                                              | <b>1 + 1</b> |
|           | step 2 $\text{HNO}_3 + \text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$ conc (T < 55 °C)                                                                                   | <b>1</b>     |
|           | step 3 $\text{Sn} + \text{HCl}$                                                                                                                  | <b>1</b>     |
|           | step 4 $\text{HNO}_2$ (or $\text{NaNO}_2 + \text{HCl}$ ) (at T < 10 °C)                                                                          | <b>1</b>     |
|           | the two temperatures for steps 2 and 4                                                                                                           | <b>1</b>     |
| 4(c)(i)   | $\text{H}_2 + \text{Pt}$ or $\text{H}_2 + \text{Ni}$ + heat or pressure                                                                          | <b>1</b>     |

| Question | Answer                                                                                                                                                                                             | Marks     |
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| 4(c)(ii) |  <p>(CH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>CH, CH<sub>3</sub> and OH on the correct ring atoms i.e. structure is correct</p> | 1         |
|          | all Hs on the same side of the ring                                                                                                                                                                | 1         |
|          | <b>Total:</b>                                                                                                                                                                                      | <b>15</b> |

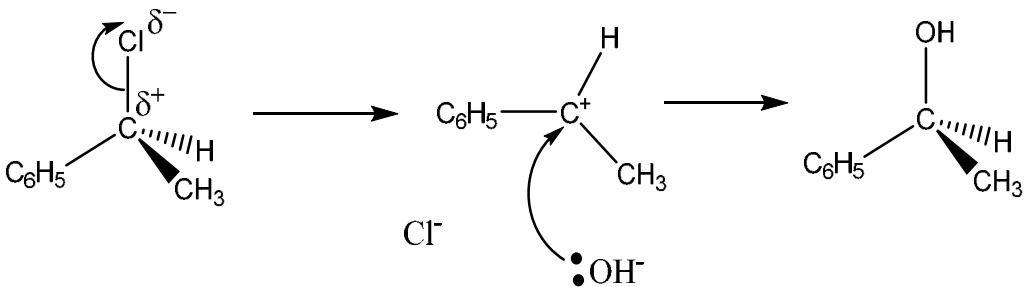
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| 5(a)      | <table><tr><td>J</td><td>K</td><td>L</td><td>M</td></tr><tr><td>amine<br/>methyl ketone</td><td>aromatic amine<br/>aldehyde</td><td>amine<br/>methyl ketone</td><td>amide</td></tr></table> |                            |                        |       | J     | K | L | M | amine<br>methyl ketone | aromatic amine<br>aldehyde | amine<br>methyl ketone | amide |  |
|           | J                                                                                                                                                                                           | K                          | L                      | M     |       |   |   |   |                        |                            |                        |       |  |
|           | amine<br>methyl ketone                                                                                                                                                                      | aromatic amine<br>aldehyde | amine<br>methyl ketone | amide |       |   |   |   |                        |                            |                        |       |  |
|           | J and L correct                                                                                                                                                                             |                            |                        |       | 1 + 1 |   |   |   |                        |                            |                        |       |  |
| K correct |                                                                                                                                                                                             |                            |                        | 1 + 1 |       |   |   |   |                        |                            |                        |       |  |
| M correct |                                                                                                                                                                                             |                            |                        | 1     |       |   |   |   |                        |                            |                        |       |  |
| 5(b)(i)   | hydrolysis                                                                                                                                                                                  |                            |                        |       | 1     |   |   |   |                        |                            |                        |       |  |
| 5(b)(ii)  | P is C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>5</sub> NH <sub>2</sub>                                                                                                                                          |                            |                        |       | 1     |   |   |   |                        |                            |                        |       |  |
|           | Q is CH <sub>3</sub> CH <sub>2</sub> CO <sub>2</sub> Na                                                                                                                                     |                            |                        |       | 1     |   |   |   |                        |                            |                        |       |  |

| Question | Answer                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | Marks     |
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| 5(c)     | <b>J</b> is  <i>or</i>  <i>or</i>  | <b>1</b>  |
|          | <b>K</b> is                                                                                                                                                                                            | <b>1</b>  |
|          | <b>L</b> is                                                                                                                                                                                            | <b>1</b>  |
|          | <b>M</b> is                                                                                                                                                                                            | <b>1</b>  |
|          | <b>K&amp;L only:</b> two chiral atoms shown                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | <b>1</b>  |
| 5(d)     | <b>W</b> is $\text{C}_6\text{H}_5\text{CO}_2\text{Na}$                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | <b>1</b>  |
|          | <b>Total:</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | <b>14</b> |

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| 6(a)      | <p>Any of the three methods possible. Any 4 of the 5 points for each method available for maximum 4 marks.</p> <p>Method 1</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1 Ensure both solutions (<b>A</b> and <b>B</b>) at 40 °C before mixing</li> <li>2 mix known volumes of <b>A</b> and <b>B</b> and start the clock</li> <li>3 at known time take out a sample / <b>X</b> and add it to ice-cold solvent</li> <li>4 titrate against <math>\text{HCl}</math></li> <li>5 repeat at time at known time intervals</li> </ol> <p>Method 2</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1 Ensure both solutions (<b>A</b> and <b>B</b>) at 40 °C before mixing</li> <li>2 mix known volumes of <b>A</b> and <b>B</b> and start the clock</li> <li>3 at known time pour into ice-cold solvent or pour ice-cold solvent in</li> <li>4 titrate against <math>\text{HCl}</math></li> <li>5 repeat with different concentrations of either A or B, or repeat using different times</li> </ol> <p>Method 3</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1 Ensure both solutions (<b>A</b> and <b>B</b>) at 40 °C before mixing</li> <li>2 mix known volumes of <b>A</b> and <b>B</b> and start the clock and add pH meter</li> <li>3 at a known time . . . .</li> <li>4 . . . . record the pH</li> <li>5 repeat pH readings at known time intervals</li> </ol> | <b>4</b> |
| 6(b)(i)   | from 1 and 3: when $[\text{RCI}]$ is trebled, so is rate, so order w.r.t. $[\text{RCI}] = 1$                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | <b>1</b> |
|           | from 1 and 2: when both concentrations are doubled, rate doubles so $[\text{OH}^-]$ has no effect on rate, so order w.r.t. $[\text{OH}^-] = 0$                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | <b>1</b> |
| 6(b)(ii)  | rate = $k[\text{RCI}]$ AND units: $\text{sec}^{-1} \text{ 1 / s}$                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | <b>1</b> |
| 6(b)(iii) | relative rate = 2.0                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | <b>1</b> |

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| 6(c)(i)  |  <p>C-Cl dipole and first curly arrow</p> <p>intermediate cation</p> <p>OH<sup>-</sup> with lone pair and curly arrow</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | <p>1</p> <p>1</p> <p>1</p> |
| 6(c)(ii) | <p>Beginning with candidate's mechanism in (c)(i):</p> <p><b>If S<sub>N</sub>1:</b> racemate / mixture of / two optical isomers will be formed, because:<br/>the intermediate is planar / has a plane of symmetry / OH<sup>-</sup> can approach from top or bottom or from any direction</p> <p><b>If S<sub>N</sub>2:</b> one optical isomer because attack always from fixed direction / from same side / the "configuration" always inverts / there is an asymmetric transition state</p> | 1                          |

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| 6(d)(i)                                                                          | <table><tr><td><math>\delta</math> value</td><td>number of H atoms</td><td>group</td><td>splitting</td><td>result with D<sub>2</sub>O</td></tr><tr><td>1.4</td><td>3</td><td>CH<sub>3</sub> / methyl</td><td>doublet</td><td>peak remains</td></tr><tr><td>2.7</td><td>1</td><td>OH / hydroxyl / alcohol</td><td>singlet</td><td>peak disappears</td></tr><tr><td>4.0</td><td>1</td><td>CH</td><td>quartet</td><td>peak remains</td></tr></table> |                   |                          |           |                              | $\delta$ value | number of H atoms | group | splitting | result with D <sub>2</sub> O | 1.4 | 3 | CH <sub>3</sub> / methyl | doublet | peak remains | 2.7 | 1 | OH / hydroxyl / alcohol | singlet | peak disappears | 4.0 | 1 | CH | quartet | peak remains |  |
|                                                                                  | $\delta$ value                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | number of H atoms | group                    | splitting | result with D <sub>2</sub> O |                |                   |       |           |                              |     |   |                          |         |              |     |   |                         |         |                 |     |   |    |         |              |  |
|                                                                                  | 1.4                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | 3                 | CH <sub>3</sub> / methyl | doublet   | peak remains                 |                |                   |       |           |                              |     |   |                          |         |              |     |   |                         |         |                 |     |   |    |         |              |  |
|                                                                                  | 2.7                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | 1                 | OH / hydroxyl / alcohol  | singlet   | peak disappears              |                |                   |       |           |                              |     |   |                          |         |              |     |   |                         |         |                 |     |   |    |         |              |  |
|                                                                                  | 4.0                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | 1                 | CH                       | quartet   | peak remains                 |                |                   |       |           |                              |     |   |                          |         |              |     |   |                         |         |                 |     |   |    |         |              |  |
|                                                                                  | the three groups are in their correct places wrt the $\delta$ values                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |                   |                          |           |                              | 1              |                   |       |           |                              |     |   |                          |         |              |     |   |                         |         |                 |     |   |    |         |              |  |
| no. of H atoms for each peak agrees with group column                            |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |                   |                          |           | 1                            |                |                   |       |           |                              |     |   |                          |         |              |     |   |                         |         |                 |     |   |    |         |              |  |
| splitting patterns doublet, singlet and quartet are assigned to correct groups   |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |                   |                          |           | 1                            |                |                   |       |           |                              |     |   |                          |         |              |     |   |                         |         |                 |     |   |    |         |              |  |
| peak identified as OH disappears with D <sub>2</sub> O, no other peak disappears |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |                   |                          |           | 1                            |                |                   |       |           |                              |     |   |                          |         |              |     |   |                         |         |                 |     |   |    |         |              |  |
|                                                                                  | Total:                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |                   |                          |           |                              | 16             |                   |       |           |                              |     |   |                          |         |              |     |   |                         |         |                 |     |   |    |         |              |  |