

GCSE Chemistry A (Gateway Science)

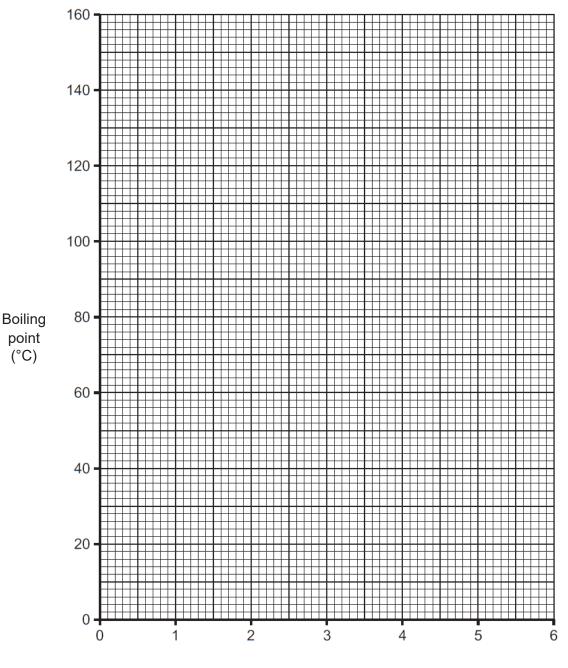
J248/02 C4-C6 and C7 Foundation (Foundation Tier)

Question Set 22

1 A student is using the internet to find out about alcohols. The student finds the following information.

Name	Number of carbon atoms	Boiling point (°C)
Methanol	1	65
Ethanol	2	79
Propanol	3	97
Pentanol	5	138
Hexanol	6	156

(a) Plot a graph of the boiling points of the alcohols on the grid. Draw a line of best fit.



Number of carbon atoms

(b) (i) The student could not find a value for the boiling point of butanol, C_4H_9OH . Use the graph to estimate the boiling point of butanol.

Answer = °C [1]

(ii) Draw the **displayed formula** of butanol, C_4H_9OH .

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(c) The alcohols all react in a similar way because they all contain the same functional group.
What is the functional group in an alcohol molecule? [1]
(d) Ethanol, C₂H₅OH, can be oxidised to ethanoic acid using potassium manganate(VII).
What is the formula of ethanoic acid?

Total Marks for Question Set 22: 7



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