

M1. (a) (i)

Penalise one mark from their total if half-headed arrows are used

Penalise **M3** for formal charge on C of the C-Br or incorrect partial charges on C-Br

Ignore other partial charges

**M1** must show an arrow from the lone pair on oxygen of a negatively charged hydroxide ion to the correct H atom

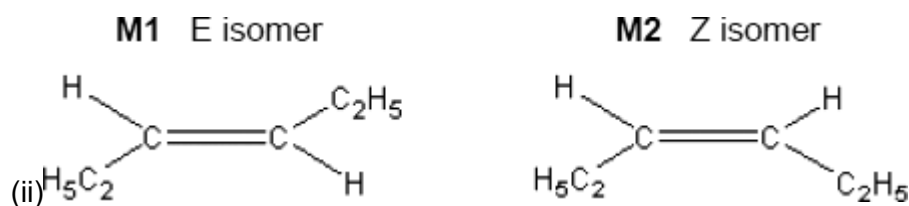
Penalise once only in any part of the mechanism for a line and two dots to show a bond.

**M2** must show an arrow from the correct C-H bond to the correct C-C bond. Only award if an arrow is shown attacking the H atom of the correct C-H bond in **M1**

**M3** is independent but **CE=0** if nucleophilic substitution

**N.B** these are double-headed arrows

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Award 1 mark if both correct stereoisomers but in the wrong places

Accept no other alkenes.

Be reasonably lenient on the bonds to ethyl (or to  $\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3$ ) since the question is about E and Z positions but penalise once only if connection is clearly to the  $\text{CH}_3$  of  $\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3$

Accept linear structures

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(iii) **M1** (Compounds / molecules with) the same structural formula  
*Penalise M1 if “same structure”*

**M2** with atoms/bonds/groups arranged differently in space  
*Ignore references to “same molecular formula” or “same empirical formula” or any reference to “displayed formula”*

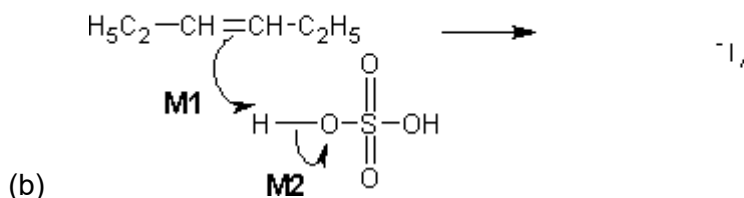
**OR**

atoms/bonds/groups that have different spatial arrangements / different orientation.

*Mark independently*

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**M1** must show an arrow from the double bond towards the H atom of the H – O bond  
OR HO on a compound with molecular formula for  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$

**M1** could be to an  $\text{H}^+$  ion and **M2** an independent O – H bond break on a compound with molecular formula for  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$

*M1 Ignore partial negative charge on the double bond.*

**M2** must show the breaking of the O – H bond.

*M2 Penalise partial charges on O – H bond if wrong way and penalise formal charges*

*In M2 do not penalise incorrect structures for  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$*

**M3** is for the structure of the carbocation.

**M4** must show an arrow from the lone pair of electrons on the correct oxygen of the negatively charged ion towards a correct (positively charged) carbon atom.

*M4 NOT  $\text{HSO}_4^-$*

*For M4, credit as shown or  $^-\text{OSO}_3\text{H}$  ONLY with the negative charge anywhere on this ion*

*OR correctly drawn out with the negative charge placed correctly on oxygen*

*Penalise once only in any part of the mechanism for a line and two dots to show a bond*

**NB** The arrows here are double-headed

*Max 3 of any 4 marks for wrong organic reactant or wrong organic product (if shown)*

*Accept the correct use of “sticks”*

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M2.A

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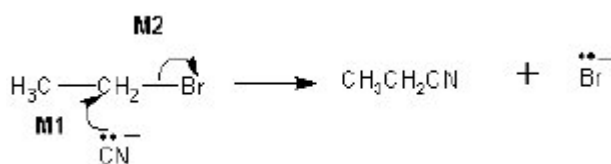
M3. (a) Electron pair donor**OR**

Species which uses a pair of electrons to form a co-ordinate / covalent bond.

**QoL***Credit "lone pair" as alternative wording*

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(b)



**M1** Must show an arrow from the lone pair of electrons on the carbon atom of the negatively charged cyanide ion to the central C atom.

**M2** Must show the movement of a pair of electrons from the C-Br bond to the Br atom. Mark M2 independently.

Award full marks for an S<sub>N</sub>1 mechanism in which M1 is the attack of the cyanide ion on the intermediate carbocation.

*Penalise M1 if covalent KCN is used*

*Penalise M2 for formal charge on C or incorrect partial charges*

*Penalise once only for a line and two dots to show a bond.*

*Max 1 mark for the wrong reactant or "sticks"*

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(c) Ethylamine / CH<sub>3</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>NH<sub>2</sub> is a nucleophile**OR**

Ethylamine could react further

**OR**

Ethylamine could make secondary / tertiary amines

**OR**

To make reaction with ammonia more likely

**OR**

To minimise further substitution

**OR**

The idea of releasing free amine from the salt

**OR**

The idea of removing a proton from the intermediate alkylammonium ion

**OR**

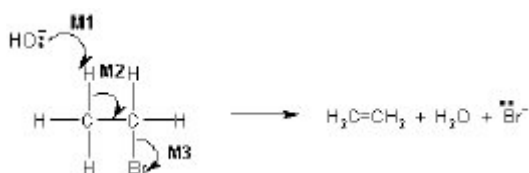
The idea that ammonia acts both initially as a nucleophile and then as a base

*Do not credit a simple reference to the equation or the mechanism requiring two moles of ammonia.*

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(d) **Elimination**

*Credit "base elimination" but NOT "nucleophilic elimination"  
No other prefix.*



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**M1** Must show an arrow from the lone pair on oxygen of a negatively charged hydroxide ion to the correct H atom

**M2** Must show an arrow from the correct C-H bond to the C-C bond and should only be awarded if an attempt has been made at M1

**M3** Is independent.

Award full marks for an E1 mechanism in which M2 is on the correct carbocation.

Mechanism

*Penalise M1 if covalent KOH*

*Penalise M3 for formal charge on C or incorrect partial charges*

*Penalise once only for a line and two dots to show a bond.*

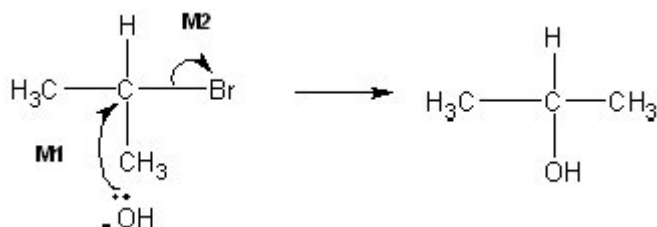
*Max 2 marks for the mechanism for wrong reactant or "sticks"*

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**M4.** (a) (i) Nucleophilic substitution

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**M1** must show an arrow from the lone pair of electrons on the oxygen atom of the negatively charged hydroxide ion to the central C atom.

**M2** must show the movement of a pair of electrons from the C-Br bond to the Br atom. Mark M2 independently.

*Penalise M1 if covalent KOH is used*

*Penalise M2 for formal charge on C or incorrect partial charges*

*Penalise once only for a line and two dots to show a bond.*

*Max 1 mark **for the mechanism** for the wrong reactant and/or "sticks"*

*Ignore product*

Award full marks for an S<sub>N</sub>1 mechanism in which M1 is the attack of the hydroxide ion on the intermediate carbocation.

(ii) 2-bromopropane ONLY

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(iii) Polar C-Br **OR** polar carbon-bromine bond **OR** dipole on C-Br  
**OR** δ+ (δ-)  
 C atom of carbon-bromine bond is δ+/electron deficient **OR** C-Br

(Credit carbon-halogen bond as an alternative to carbon-bromine bond)

*It must be clear that the discussion is about the carbon atom of the C-Br bond. NOT just reference to a polar molecule.  
 Ignore X for halogen*

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(b) Elimination

*Credit "base elimination" but NOT "nucleophilic elimination"*

No other prefix.

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**M1** must show an arrow from the lone pair on oxygen of a negatively charged hydroxide ion to the correct H atom

**M2** must show an arrow from the correct C-H bond to the C-C bond and should only be awarded if an attempt has been made at M1

**M3** is independent.

Mechanism

Penalise M1 if covalent KOH

Penalise M3 for formal charge on C or incorrect partial charges

Penalise once only for a line and two dots to show a bond.

Max 2 marks **for the mechanism** for wrong reactant and/or "sticks"

Ignore product

Award full marks for an E1 mechanism in which M2 is on the correct carbocation.

(c) Any one condition from this list to favour elimination;

Apply the list principle

- alcohol(ic)/ethanol(ic) (solvent)
- high concentration of KOH/alkali/hydroxide **OR** concentrated KOH/hydroxide  
Ignore "aqueous"
- high temperature or hot or heat under reflux or  $T = 78$  to  $100^\circ\text{C}$   
Ignore "excess"

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(d) (i) Addition (polymerisation) ONLY

Penalise "additional"

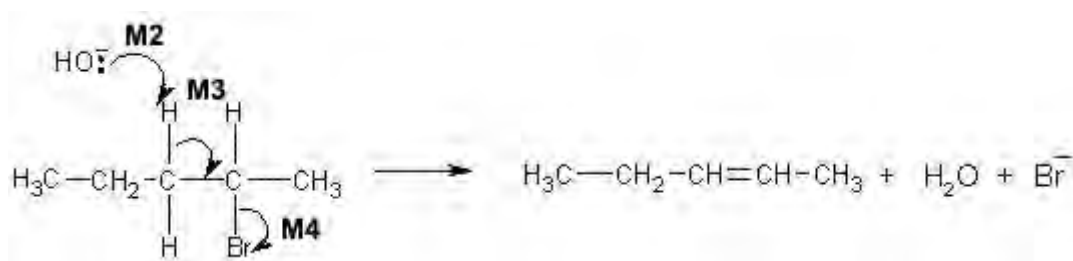
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- (ii) But-2-ene ONLY (hyphens not essential)  
 Ignore references to *cis* and *trans* or  
*E/Z*  
 Ignore butane

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**M5.** (a) (i) **M1** Elimination



**M2** must show an arrow from the lone pair on the oxygen of a negatively charged hydroxide ion to a correct H atom

**M3** must show an arrow from a C-H bond adjacent to the C-Br bond towards the appropriate C-C bond.  
 Only award if a reasonable attempt has been made at the attack on the H atom of the appropriate adjacent C-H

**M4** is independent provided it is from their original molecule

Award full marks for an E1 mechanism in which **M3** is on the correct carbocation.

**N.B. These are double-headed arrows**

For M1, accept “Base elimination” but no other prefix.

Penalise **M2** if covalent KOH

Penalise **M4** for formal charge on C of C-Br or incorrect partial charges on C-Br

Ignore other partial charges

Penalise once only in any part of the mechanism for a line

and two dots to show a bond.

Max any 2 of 3 marks for the mechanism for wrong reactant (or wrong product if shown).

Accept the correct use of "sticks" for the molecule except for the C-H being attacked

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(ii) **Structure for pent-1-ene**

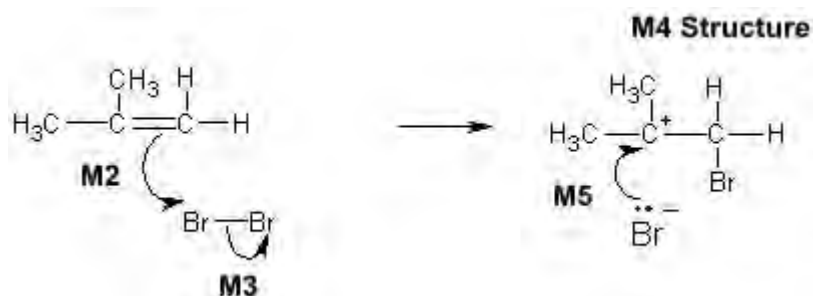


Penalise  $\text{C}_3\text{H}_7$

Accept correct "sticks"

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(b) **M1 Electrophilic addition**



**M2** must show an arrow from the double bond towards the Br atom of the Br-Br molecule

**M3** must show the breaking of the Br-Br bond.

**M4** is for the structure of the tertiary carbocation with Br on the correct carbon atom.

**M5** must show an arrow from the lone pair of electrons on the negatively charged bromide ion towards the positively charged carbon atom.

**N.B. These are double-headed arrows**

For M1, both words required.

**For the mechanism**

**M2** Ignore partial negative charge on the double bond.

**M3** Penalise partial charges on Br-Br bond if wrong way and penalise formal charges



Penalise once only in any part of the mechanism for a line and two dots to show a bond

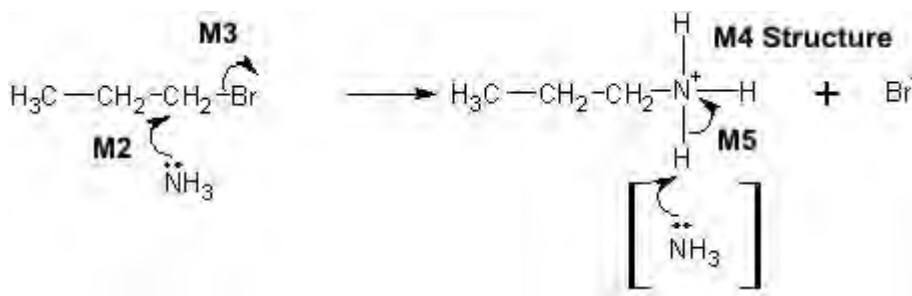
Max any 3 of 4 marks for the mechanism for wrong organic reactant or wrong organic product (if shown) or primary carbocation.

If HBr is used, max 2 marks for their mechanism

Accept the correct use of "sticks"

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(c) **M1 Nucleophilic substitution**



**M2** must show an arrow from the lone pair of electrons on the nitrogen atom of an ammonia molecule to the C atom.

**M3** must show the movement of a pair of electrons from the  $\text{C}-\text{Br}$  bond to the Br atom. **M3** is independent provided it is from their original molecule

**M4** is for the structure of the alkylammonium ion, which could be a condensed formula. A positive charge must be shown on/or close to, the N atom.

**M5** is for an arrow from the  $\text{N}-\text{H}$  bond to the N atom.

Award full marks for an  $\text{S}_{\text{N}}1$  mechanism in which M2 is the attack of the ammonia on the intermediate carbocation.

**N.B. These are double-headed arrows**

For **M1**, both words required.

Penalise **M2** if  $\text{NH}_3$  is negatively charged.

Penalise **M3** for formal charge on C or incorrect partial charges

The second mole of ammonia is not essential for M5; therefore ignore any species here.

Penalise once only for a line and two dots to show a bond.

Max any 3 of 4 marks **for the mechanism** for wrong organic reactant (or wrong organic product if shown)

Accept the correct use of “sticks”

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M6. (a) (i) Electron pair donor

OR

Species which uses a pair of electrons to form a co-ordinate/covalent bond.

*Credit “lone pair” as alternative wording*

*Credit “electron pair donator”*

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(ii) Replacement of the halogen (atom) (by the nucleophile)

OR

The carbon-halogen bond/C-X breaks and a bond forms with the nucleophile or between the carbon and the nucleophile

*They must describe the idea of substitution in a haloalkane.*

*Accept the idea that a nucleophile replaces the halogen which becomes a halide ion*

*Penalise reference to “halogen molecule” and penalise the idea that the haloalkane contains a halide*

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(iii) Splitting molecules using/by water

OR

breaking/splitting/dissociating (C<sub>i</sub>VX) bond(s)/using/by water

*NOT simply the reaction with water or simply the addition of water.*

*Ignore “compound”*

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(iv) (Heat) energy/enthalpy required/needed/absorbed (at constant pressure) to break/split it/the (carbon-halogen) bond

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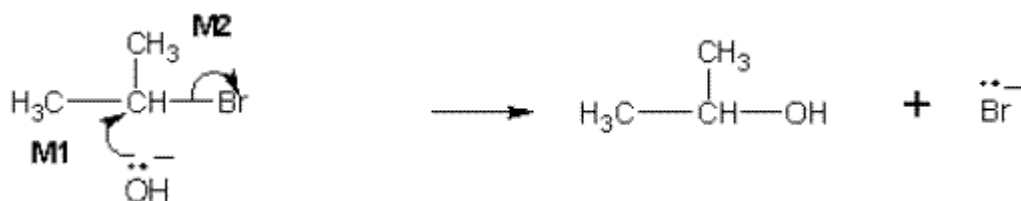
(Heat) energy/enthalpy required/needed/absorbed (at constant pressure) for homolysis of the (C-X/the carbon-halogen) bond

*Ignore bond formation*

*Ignore "average"*

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(b)



**M1** must show an arrow from the lone pair of electrons on the oxygen atom of the negatively charged hydroxide ion to the central C atom.

**M2** must show the movement of a pair of electrons from the C-Br bond to the Br atom. Mark M2 independently.

Award full marks for an  $\text{S}_{\text{N}}1$  mechanism in which M1 is the attack of the hydroxide ion on the intermediate carbocation.

*Penalise M1 if covalent KOH is used*

*Penalise M2 for formal charge on C or incorrect partial charges*

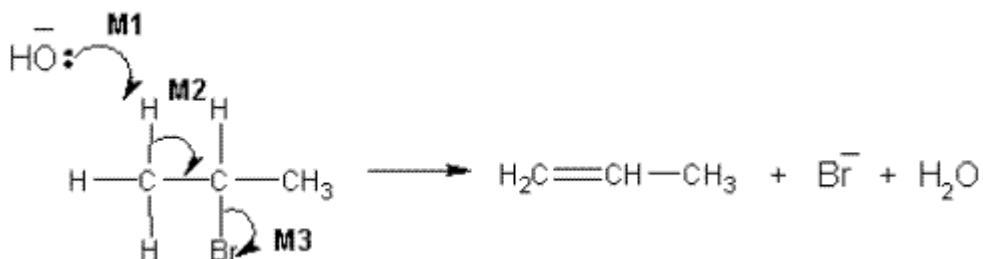
*Penalise once only for a line and two dots to show a bond.*

*Max 1 mark for the wrong reactant*

*Accept the correct use of "sticks"*

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(c) (i)



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negatively charged hydroxide ion to the correct H atom

**M2** must show an arrow from the correct C-H bond to the C-C bond and should only be awarded if an attempt has been made at M1

**M3** is independent provided it is from the original molecule

Award full marks for an E1 mechanism in which M2 is on the correct carbocation.

*Penalise M1 if covalent KOH*

*Penalise M3 for formal charge on C or incorrect partial charges*

*Penalise once only for a line and two dots to show a bond.*

*Max 2 marks for wrong reactant*

*Accept the correct use of "sticks" for the molecule except for the C-H being attacked*

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(ii) **M1** Stated that the spectrum has an absorption/absorbance/peak in the range 1620 cm<sup>-1</sup> to 1680 (cm<sup>-1</sup>) or specified correctly in this range from the spectrum

**M2** depends on correct range or wavenumber being specified

**M2** (Infrared absorption) due to C=C OR carbon-carbon double bond

**QoL for correct M1 statement which includes both the word absorption (or alternative) and the correct range or wavenumber**

*Allow "peak" OR "dip" OR "spike" OR "trough"*

*OR "low transmittance" as alternatives for absorption.*

*For M2 it is not sufficient simply to state that an alkene has C=C*

*M2 could be on the spectrum*

*Ignore reference to other absorptions*

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