Q1. Which alcohol could **not** be produced by the reduction of an aldehyde or a ketone?

A 2-methylbutan-1-ol ⬭

B 2-methylbutan-2-ol ⬭

C 3-methylbutan-1-ol ⬭

D 3-methylbutan-2-ol ⬭

(Total 1 mark)

Q2. Which one of the following reactions will produce an organic compound that has optical isomers?

A dehydration of butan-2-ol by heating with concentrated sulphuric acid

B reduction of pentan-3-one by warming with $NaBH_4$

C addition of Br_2 to 3-bromopropene

D reduction of 2,3-dimethylpent-2-ene with H_2 in the presence of a nickel catalyst

(Total 1 mark)

Q3. In which one of the following mixtures does a redox reaction occur?

A ethanal and Tollens' reagent

B ethanoyl chloride and ethanol

C ethanal and hydrogen cyanide

D ethanoic acid and sodium hydroxide

(Total 1 mark)

Q4. Propanone can be reduced to form an alcohol. A functional group isomer of the alcohol formed is

A $CH_3CH_2CH_2OH$

B CH_3CH_2CHO

C $CH_3OCH_2CH_3$

D CH_3COCH_3

(Total 1 mark)

Q5. Which one of the following is **not** a correct general formula for the non-cyclic compounds listed?

A alcohols $C_nH_{2n+2}O$

B aldehydes $C_nH_{2n+1}O$

C esters $C_nH_{2n}O_2$

C primary amines $C_nH_{2n+3}N$

(Total 1 mark)

Q6. Which one of the following would **not** reduce an acidified aqueous solution of potassium dichromate(VI)?

A CH_3COOH

B Zn

C CH_3CHO

D $Fe^{2+}(aq)$

(Total 1 mark)

Q7. Which one of the following statements about but-2-enal, $CH_3CH=CHCHO$, is **not** true?

A It has stereoisomers.

B It shows a strong absorption in the infra-red at about 1700 cm^{-1}.

C It will turn an acidified solution of potassium dichromate(VI) green.

D It can be dehydrated by concentrated sulphuric acid.

(Total 1 mark)

Q8. The compound lithium tetrahydridoaluminate(III), $LiAlH_4$, is a useful reducing agent. It behaves in a similar fashion to $NaBH_4$. Carbonyl compounds and carboxylic acids are reduced to alcohols. However, $LiAlH_4$ also reduces water in a violent reaction so that it must be used in an organic solvent.

Which one of the following can be reduced by $LiAlH_4$ to a primary alcohol?

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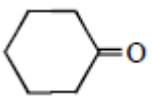

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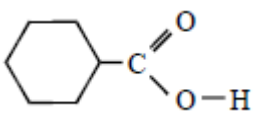

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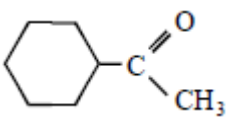

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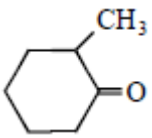

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Q9. Which one of the following can act as an oxidising agent but not as a reducing agent?

A CH_3CHO

B Fe^{2+}

C I^-

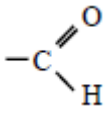
D MnO_4^-

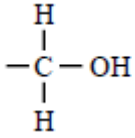
(Total 1 mark)

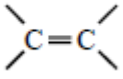
Q10. Certain chemical tests were performed on the pain-relief drug ibuprofen. The results of these tests are given in the table below.

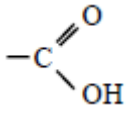
Test	**Result**
Aqueous sodium carbonate	Effervescence
Bromine water	Remained orange
Acidified potassium dichromate(VI) and heat	Remained orange
Fehling's solution and heat	Remained blue

Which one of the following functional groups do these results suggest that ibuprofen contains?

A 

B 

C 

D 

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Q11. On reduction, a racemate can be formed by

A $CH_3CH_2CH_2CH_2CHO$

B $CH_3CH_2CH_2COCH_3$

C $CH_3CH_2COCH_2CH_3$

D $CH_3CH=CHCH_2CHO$

(Total 1 mark)

Q12. How many structural isomers, which are aldehydes, have the molecular formula $C_5H_{10}O$?

A 2

B 3

C 4

D 5

(Total 1 mark)

Q13. Which one of the following will undergo nucleophilic addition?

A hex-3-ene

B hexan-3-one

C 3-bromohexane

D hexan-3-ol

(Total 1 mark)

Q14. Which one of the following isomers is not oxidised under mild reaction conditions?

A $(CH_3)_2CHCH(OH)COCH_3$

B $(CH_3)_2C(OH)CH_2COCH_3$

C $(CH_3)_2CHCH(OH)CH_2CHO$

D $(CH_3)_2C(OH)CH_2CH_2CHO$

(Total 1 mark)

Q15. In which of the following is a curly arrow used incorrectly?

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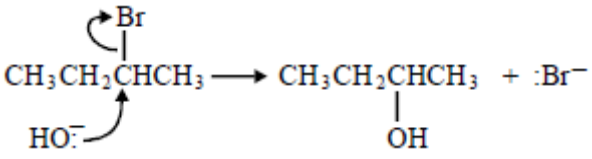

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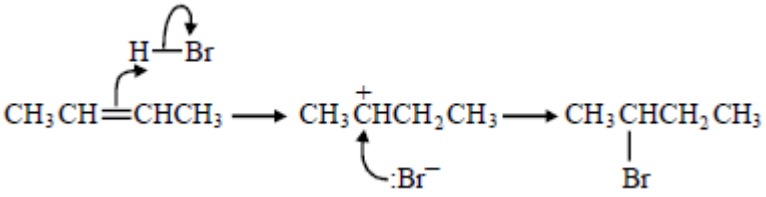

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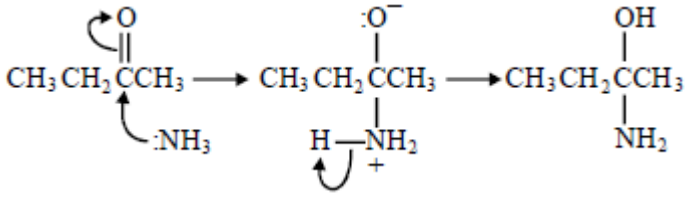

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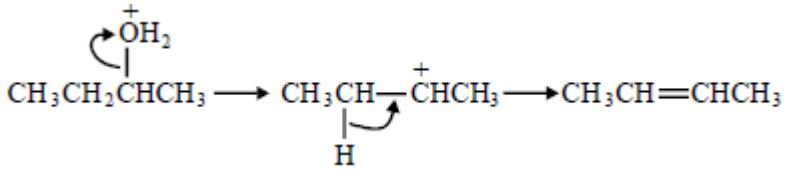

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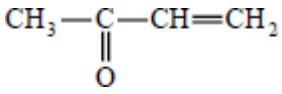
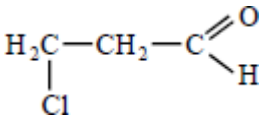
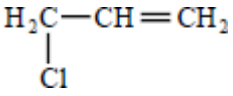
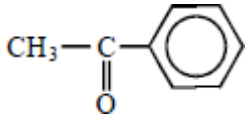
A 

B 

C 

D 

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Q17. In which one of the following are the curly arrows **not** used correctly?

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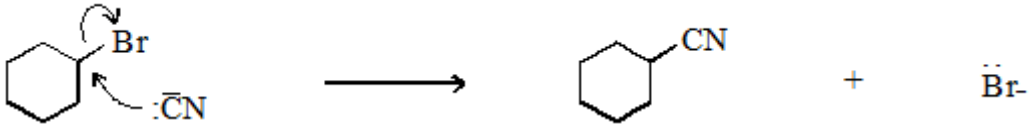
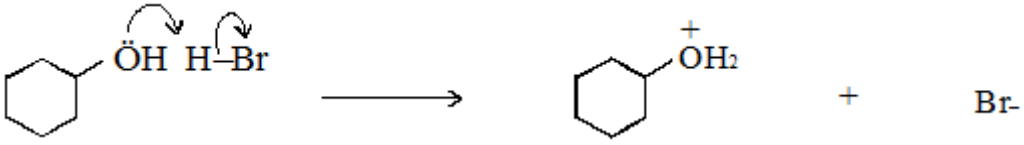
B 

C 

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Q18. CH_2O is the empirical formula of

A methanol

B methyl methanoate

C ethane-1,2-diol

D butanal

(Total 1 mark)

Q19. Which one of the following does **not** represent an oxidation?

A propene → propane

B propan-l-ol → propanal

C propan-l-ol → propanoic acid

D propanal → propanoic acid

(Total 1 mark)

Q20. Which one of the following is **not** a suitable method for the preparation of ethanol?

A oxidation of ethane

B hydration of ethene

C reduction of ethanal

D hydrolysis of bromoethane

(Total 1 mark)

Q21. Which one of the following reactions involves nucleophilic addition?

A $CH_3CH = CH_2 + HBr \rightarrow CH_3CHBrCH_3$

B $CH_3CH_2CH_3 + Cl_2 \rightarrow CH_3CHClCH_3 + HCl$

C $CH_3CH_2CH_2Br + NaOH \rightarrow CH_3CH_2CH_2OH + NaBr$

D $CH_3CH_2CHO + HCN \rightarrow CH_3CH_2CH(OH)CN$

(Total 1 mark)

Q22. Which one of the following conversions does **not** represent a reduction?

A propene → propane

B propanal → propan-l-ol

C propanal → propanoic acid

D propanone → propane

(Total 1 mark)