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Instructions to Candidates

You should have the following for this examination

-Answer Booklet, examination pass and student ID

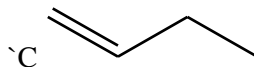
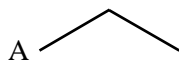
This paper consists of **FIVE** questions. Attempt question ONE (Compulsory) and any other TWO questions.

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Question ONE

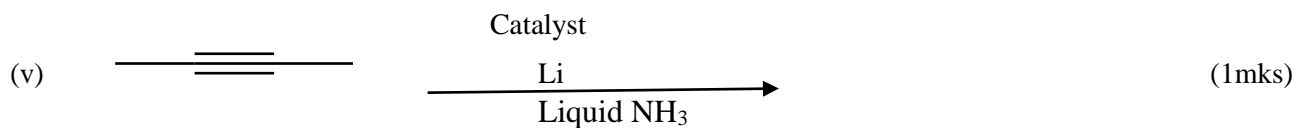
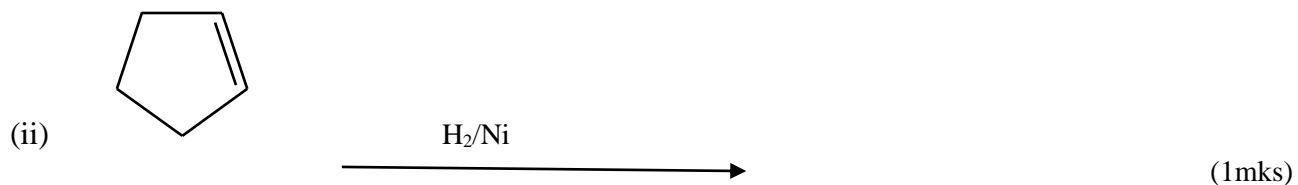
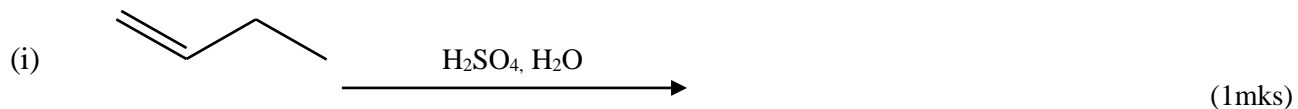
(a) Below are compounds A, B and Compound B is ethane.

B ———

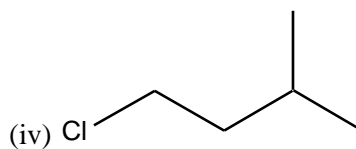
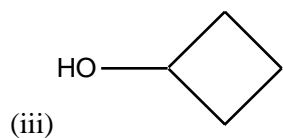
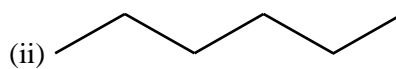
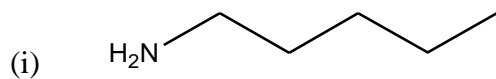


- (i) Name A and C (2mks)
- (ii) If the formula of ethane is C_2H_6 give the formula of A and C. (2mks)
- (iii) State the general formula of substances A and B (2mk)
- (iv) Compound C is an unsaturated hydrocarbon. Explain (2mks)
- (v) When substance C is bubbled in bromine water, color change is seen. State color *changes from*-----
-----to ----- - (2mks)

(b) Predict the major organic product(s) of each of the following reactions.



(c) Name the following organic compounds



(d) On analysis, a compound with molar mass 120 g/mol was found to contain 12.0 g of carbon, 2.0 g of hydrogen and 16.0 g of oxygen. What is the molecular formula of the compound?

(5mks)

Question TWO

(a) Explain the following citing an example in each case.

- (i) Markovnikoff's rule (3mks)
- (ii) Cracking (3mks)
- (iii) Oxidation of alkanes (3mks)
- (iv) Catalytic hydrogenation of alkenes (3mks)
- (v) Free radical substitution of alkanes (8mks)

Question THREE

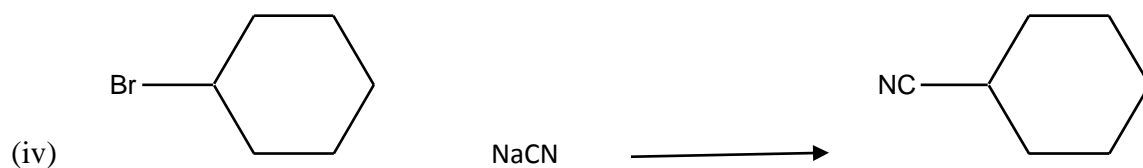
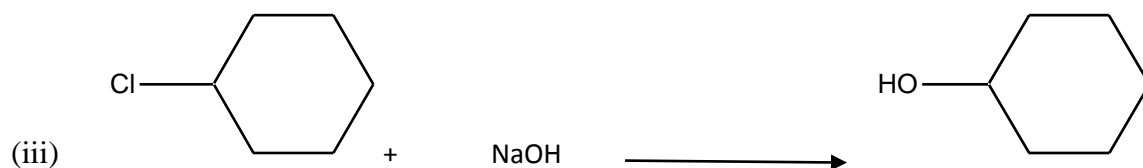
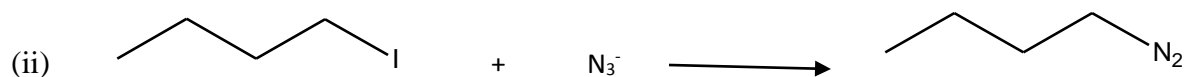
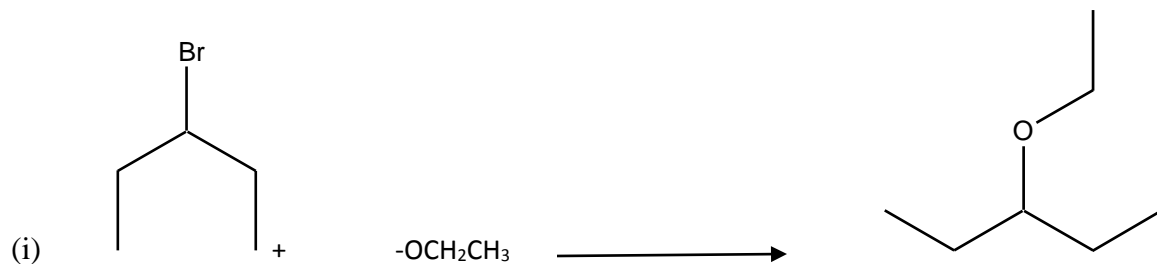
(a) Outline the mechanism for the

- (i) Halogenation of 2-butyne to 2,2,3,3-tetrachlorobutane (10mks)
- (ii) Hydration of 2-butyne to and subsequent tautomerization to a ketone (10mks)

Question FOUR

(a) Outline any FIVE physical properties of amines (10mks)

(b) Identify the nucleophile and the leaving group and draw the products of each reaction





(10mks)

Question FIVE

State TWO applications of each class of compounds below citing an example in each case

- (i) Amines (4mks)
- (ii) Aromatic compounds (4mks)
- (iii) Alkynes (4mks)
- (iv) Alcohols (4mks)
- (v) Carboxylic acids (4mks)