

**COPIES OF TABLES 2.7, 9.1, and 9.2 are attached**

**You may use a calculator on this exam**

**Atomic Masses: H, 1.008; C, 12.01; N, 14.007; O, 15.999**

1. (32 points) Circle the letter *on the right* which corresponds to the answer to each question. There is only one correct answer for each question.

(i) What type of electromagnetic radiation is absorbed during the NMR experiment?

- A. X-ray      B. microwave      C. ultraviolet      D. radio frequency

A  
B  
C  
D

(ii) In the  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of ethanol, the protons of the methyl group appears at  $\delta = 1.2$  ppm as a triplet. What principle allows you to predict that it would be a triplet?

- E. integration      F. chemical shift      G. N + 1 rule      H. shielding

E  
F  
G  
H

(iii) Predict the splitting pattern you would observe for the proton at C3 of 2,3-dimethyl-2-phenylbutane.?

- I. singlet      J. sextet      K. quartet      L. septet

I  
J  
K  
L

(iv) How many  $^{13}\text{C}$  signals would 1,3-dichlorobenzene give?

- M. 3      N. 4      O. 5      P. 6

M  
N  
O  
P

(v) The protons of the methyl groups of tetramethylsilane (TMS) are highly shielded and appear at  $\delta = 0.00$  ppm. In the corresponding carbon compound, 2,2-dimethylpropane, the methyl groups appear at  $\delta = 1.00$  ppm. How can this difference be explained?

- Q. carbon is more electropositive than silicon      R. silicon is larger than carbon  
S. silicon is more electropositive than carbon      T. there is no coupling of H to Si

Q  
R  
S  
T

(vi) A  $\text{C}_7$  compound which gives 3 signals in the  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum could be:

- U. 2-Methylhexane      V. 3,3-Dimethylpentane  
W. 2,4-Dimethylpentane      X. 2,2,3-Trimethylbutane

U  
V  
W  
X

(vii) A compound,  $\text{C}_5\text{H}_{11}\text{Cl}$ , which exhibits only two singlets in the  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum must be:

- Y. 1-Chloro-3-methylbutane      Z. 3-Chloropentane  
AA. 1-Chloro-2,2-dimethylpropane      BB. 1-Chloro-2-methylbutane

Y  
Z  
AA  
BB

(viii) In  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectroscopy, the signal due to which type of carbon occurs furthest downfield.

- CC. C-O      DD. C-F      EE. C=C      FF. C=O

CC  
DD  
EE  
FF

2. (24 points)

(a) Provide a single structure consistent with the following data (there is a single correct answer for each part).

(i) Compound **A**:  $C_3H_6O$  which boils at  $78\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$  (the highest boiling  $C_3H_6O$  compound)

(ii) Compound **B**:  $C_3H_7Br$   
 $^1H$  NMR: a septet (1H) downfield from a doublet (6H)

(iii) Compound **C**:  $C_5H_{12}O$   
 $^1H$  NMR: two singlets

(iv) Compound **D**:  $C_8H_8Cl_2$   
 $^1H$  NMR: two singlets

(b) Compound **E**, which contains only C, H, and O gives a combustion analysis of C55.82%; H 6.94%

(i) What is the *empirical formula* of **E**? \_\_\_\_\_

(ii) What is the *smallest possible molecular formula* for **E**? \_\_\_\_\_

3. (19 points) Refer to the data provided on the next page. *NOTE: Parts (a)-(i) are worth TWO POINTS each, (j) is worth ONE POINT. Each part is graded independently, without reference to other answers*

*Analysis of Combustion Analysis/Mass Spectrum/Empirical Formula*

(a) What is the *molecular formula*? \_\_\_\_\_

(b) What is the value of SODAR? \_\_\_\_\_

*Analysis of the  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum:*

(c) How many types of carbon are there in the molecule: \_\_\_\_\_

(d) Is a carbonyl present? (circle one)      Yes              No

(e) How many types of aromatic carbons are there? \_\_\_\_\_

*Analysis of IR spectrum (in conjunction with formula and  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR)*

(f) Which of the following are present? (circle all that are present)

O-H      C-O      C=O

*Analysis of  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum*

(g) How many types of proton are there in the molecule? \_\_\_\_\_

(h) What is the ratio of the number of each type of proton? (*i.e.*, 6:3:2:1) \_\_\_\_\_

(i) How many aromatic hydrogens are there? \_\_\_\_\_

*Putting it all together*

(j) Suggest a single structure for the molecule.

## INFRARED ABSORPTION VALUES

Group	Frequency Range (cm <sup>-1</sup> )	Intensity
<b>A. Alkyl</b>		
C-H (stretching)	2583-2962	(m-s)
Isopropyl, -CH(CH <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>2</sub>	1380-1385	(s)
	and 1365-1370	(s)
<i>tert</i> -butyl, -C(CH <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>3</sub>	1385-1395	(m)
	and ~1365	(s)
<b>B. Alkenyl</b>		
C-H (stretching)	3010-3095	(m)
C=C (stretching)	1620-1680	(v)
R-CH=CH <sub>2</sub>	985-1000	(s)
	and 905-920	(s)
R <sub>2</sub> C=CH <sub>2</sub>	880-900	(s)
<i>cis</i> -RCH=CHR	675-730	(s)
<i>trans</i> -RCH=CHR	960-975	(s)
<b>C. Alkynyl</b>		
≡C-H (stretching)	~3300	(s)
C≡C (stretching)	2100-2260	(v)
<b>D. Aromatic</b>		
Ar-H (stretching)	~3030	(v)
Aromatic substitution type (C-H out-of-plane bendings)		
Monosubstituted	690-710	(very s)
	and 730-770	(very s)
<i>o</i> -Disubstituted	735-770	(s)
<i>m</i> -disubstituted	680-725	(s)
	and 750-810	(strong s)
<i>p</i> -disubstituted	800-860	(strong s)
<b>E. Alcohols, Phenols, and Carboxylic Acids</b>		
O-H (stretching)		
Alcohols, phenols (dilute solution)	3590-3650	(sharp, v)
Alcohols, phenols (hydrogen bonded)	3200-3550	(broad, v)
Carboxylic acids (hydrogen bonded)	2500-3000	(broad, v)
<b>F. Aldehydes, Ketones, Esters and Carboxylic Acids</b>		
C=O (stretching)	1630-1780	(s)
Aldehydes	1690-1740	(s)
Ketones	1680-1750	(s)
Esters	1735-1750	(s)
Carboxylic Acids	1710-1780	(s)
Amides	1630-1690	(s)
<b>G. Amines</b>		
N-H	2200-2500	(m)
<b>H. Nitriles</b>		
C≡N	2220-2260	(m)

s = strong; m = medium, w = weak, v = variable

## APPROXIMATE PROTON CHEMICAL SHIFTS

Type of Proton	Chemical Shift (δ, ppm)
1° Alkyl, RCH <sub>3</sub>	0.8-1.0
2° Alkyl, RCH <sub>2</sub> R	1.2-1.4
3° Alkyl, R <sub>3</sub> CH	1.4-1.7
Allylic, R <sub>2</sub> C=C-CH <sub>3</sub>	1.6-1.9
Ketone, $\begin{array}{c} \text{R} \\   \\ \text{C} \\    \\ \text{O} \end{array}$ -CH <sub>3</sub>	2.1-2.6
Benzylic, ArCH <sub>2</sub>	2.2-2.5
Acetylenic, RC≡CH	2.5-3.1
Alkyl iodide, RCH <sub>2</sub> I	3.1-3.3
Ether, ROCH <sub>2</sub> R	3.3-3.9
Alcohol, HOCH <sub>2</sub> R	3.3-4.0
Alkyl bromide, RCH <sub>2</sub> Br	3.4-3.6
Alkyl chloride, RCH <sub>2</sub> Cl	3.6-3.8
Ainylic, R <sub>2</sub> C=CH <sub>2</sub>	4.6-5.0
Vinylic, R <sub>2</sub> C=CH	5.2-5.7
Aromatic, Ar-H	6.0-9.5
Aldehyde, RCH	9.5-10.5
Alcohol hydroxyl, ROH	0.5-6.0
Amino, RNH <sub>2</sub>	1.0-5.0
Phenolic, ArOH	4.5-7.7
Carboxylic, RCOH	10-13

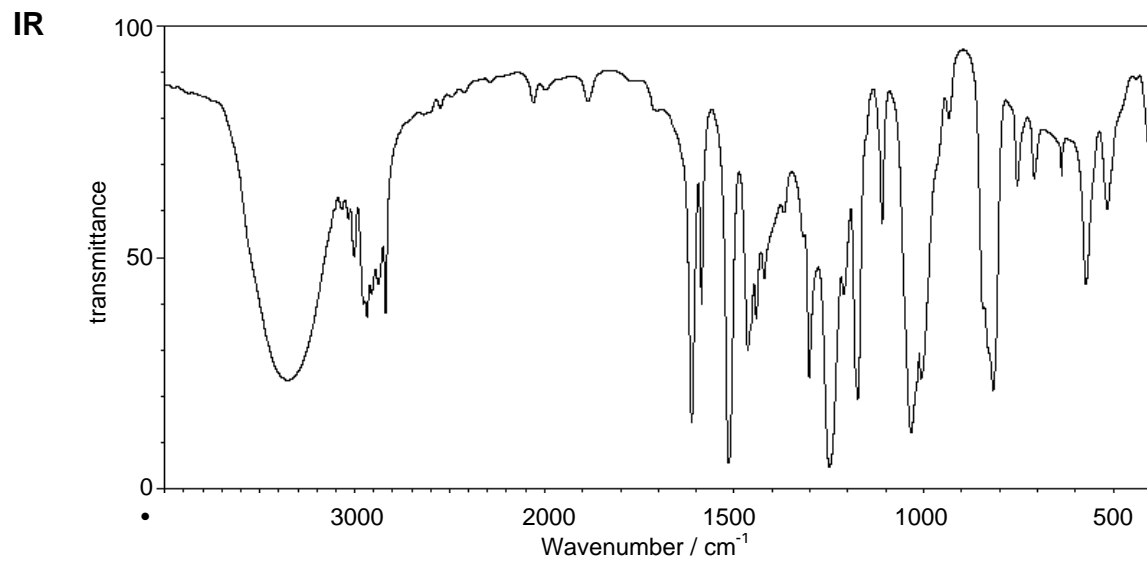
## APPROXIMATE CARBON-13 CHEMICAL SHIFTS

Type of Carbon	Chemical Shift (δ, ppm)
1° Alkyl, RCH <sub>3</sub>	0-40
2° Alkyl, RCH <sub>2</sub> R	10-50
3° Alkyl, R <sub>3</sub> CH	15-50
Alkyl halide or amine, C-X	10-65
Alcohol or ether, -C-O	50-90
Alkyne, -C≡	60-90
Alkene, -C=	100-170
Aryl,	100-170
Nitriles, -C≡N	120-130
Amides, -C-N-	150-180
Carboxylic acids, esters, -C-O-	160-185
Aldehydes, ketones, -C-	182-215

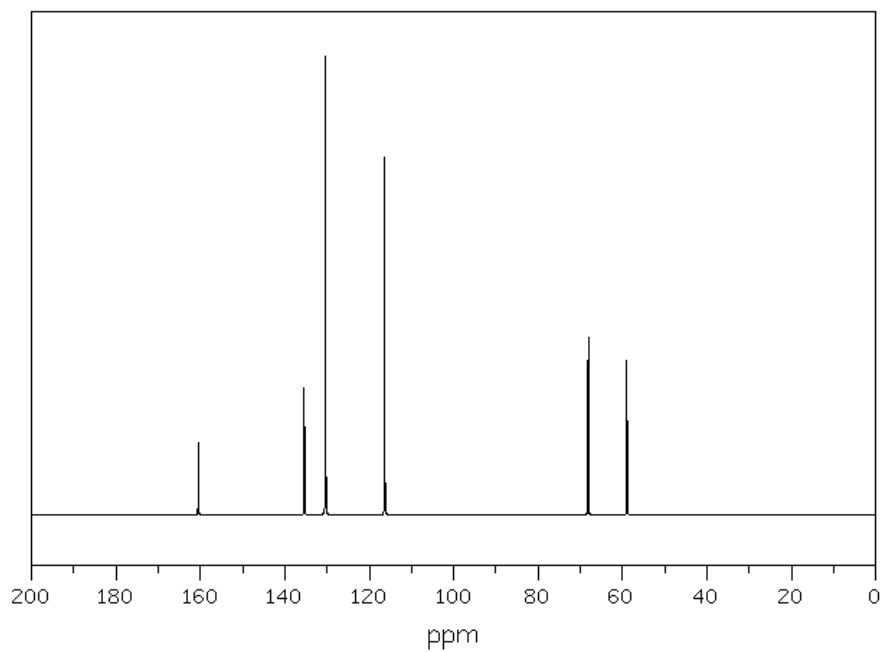
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Empirical Formula:  $C_4H_5O$

Mass Spec:  $M^+ m/e = 138$



$^{13}C$  NMR



$^1H$  NMR

