

- 7 (a) State the relative acidities of bromoethanoic acid, BrCH_2COOH , chloroethanoic acid, ClCH_2COOH , ethanoic acid, CH_3COOH and ethanol, $\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{OH}$.

Explain your answer.

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most acidic

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least acidic

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[4]

- (b) Fig. 7.1 shows the reaction of methylbenzene and ethanedioic acid with KMnO_4 .

Predict the major carbon-containing product for each of these reactions.

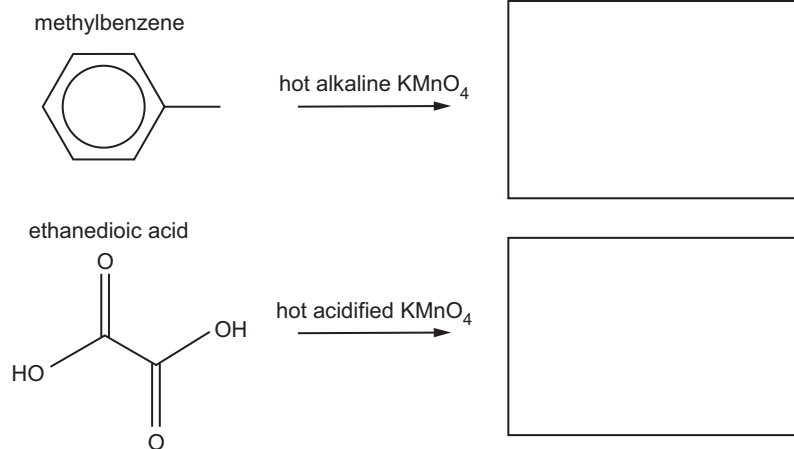
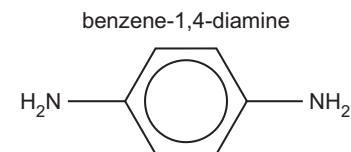


Fig. 7.1

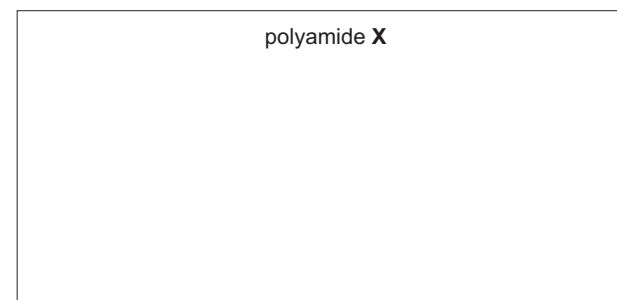
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- (c) Polyamide **X** can be synthesised from ethanedioic acid and benzene-1,4-diamine.



- (i) Draw the repeat unit of polyamide **X** in the box.

The new functional group formed should be shown displayed.

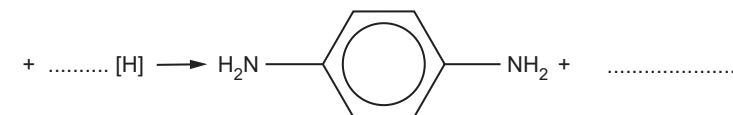


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- (ii) Benzene-1,4-diamine can be formed by reduction of 1,4-dinitrobenzene.

Complete the equation for this reduction.

[H] represents one atom of hydrogen from a reducing agent.



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(d) Fig. 7.2 shows the two-step synthesis of the azo compound **W**.

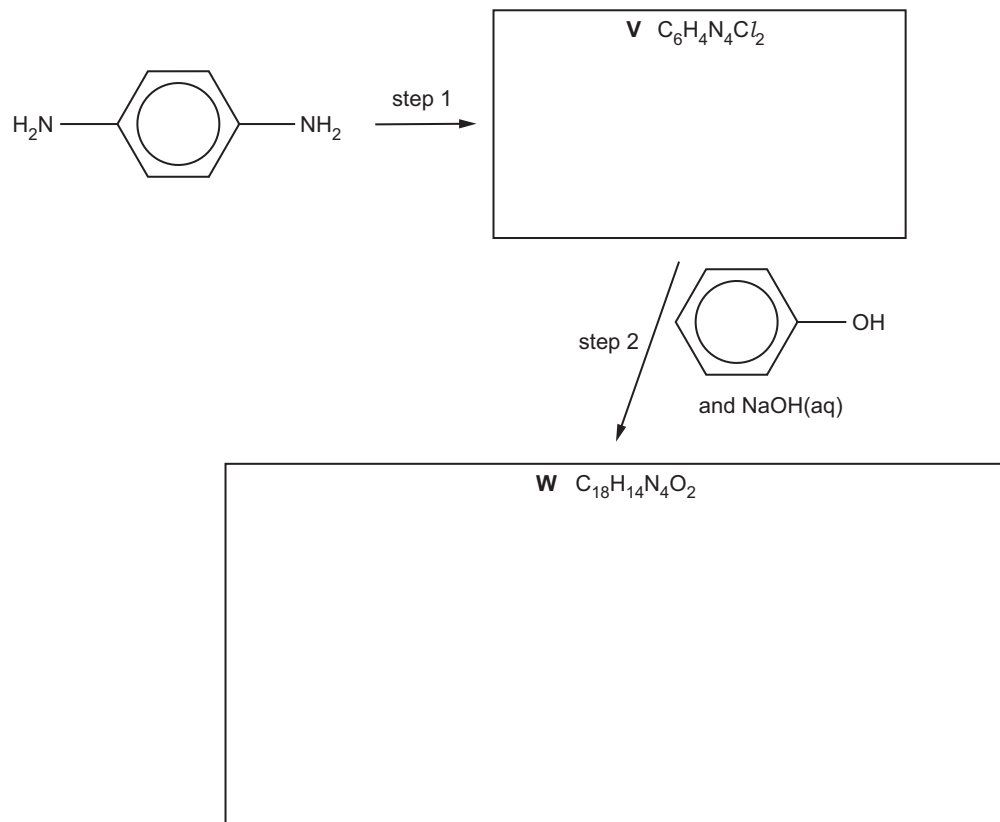


Fig. 7.2

(i) Suggest structures for compounds **V** and **W** and draw them in the boxes in Fig. 7.2. [2]

(ii) Give the reagents and conditions for step 1.

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[Total: 12]

9 (a) Explain why amides are much weaker bases than amines.

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(b) Fig. 9.1 shows the preparation of 2-phenylethylamine, $C_6H_5CH_2CH_2NH_2$, by three different routes.

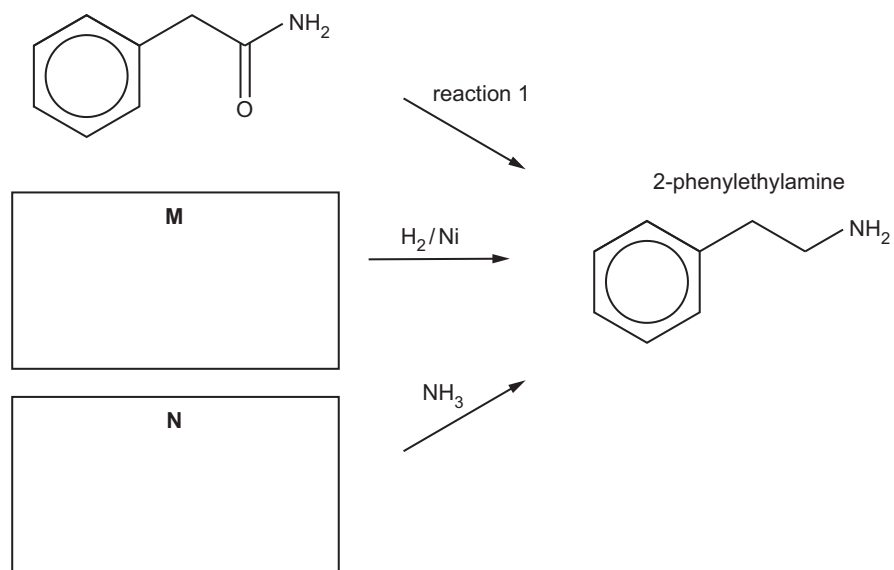


Fig. 9.1

(i) Suggest structures for compounds **M** and **N** and draw them in the boxes in Fig. 9.1. [2]

(ii) Give the reagents and conditions for reaction 1.

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- (c) Fig. 9.2 shows compound **H** which is a useful starting material in organic synthesis.

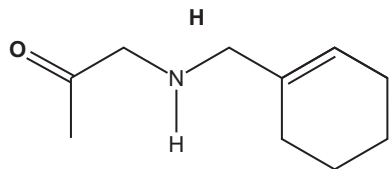


Fig. 9.2

H contains an alkene and an amine functional group.

Name the **other** functional group and give the classification of the amine group in **H**.

other functional group in **H**

classification of amine

[1]

- (d) Ozonolysis involves the oxidative cleavage of a C=C bond in alkenes using ozone, O₃, as shown in Fig. 9.3.

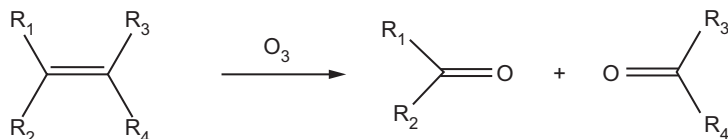


Fig. 9.3

Fig. 9.4 shows the first step in this reaction which involves the formation of an ozonide intermediate.

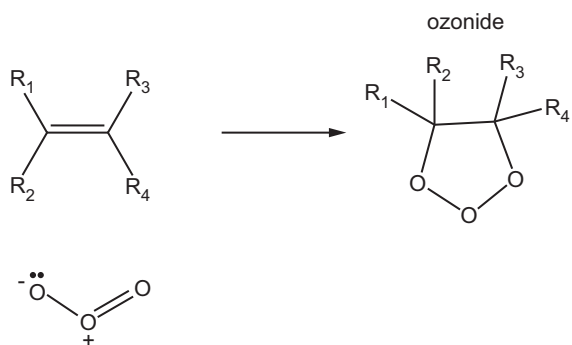


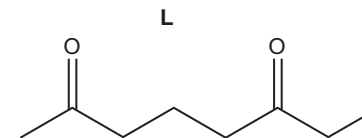
Fig. 9.4

- (i) On Fig. 9.4, draw **three** curly arrows to complete the mechanism of this step.

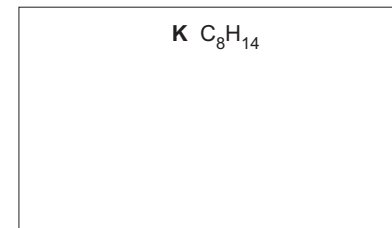
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- (ii) **L** is formed from alkene **K**, C₈H₁₄, by a similar reaction to that shown in Fig. 9.3.



Suggest the structure of **K**.



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[Total: 9]

Important values, constants and standards

molar gas constant	$R = 8.31 \text{ J K}^{-1} \text{ mol}^{-1}$
Faraday constant	$F = 9.65 \times 10^4 \text{ C mol}^{-1}$
Avogadro constant	$L = 6.02 \times 10^{23} \text{ mol}^{-1}$
electronic charge	$e = -1.60 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C}$
molar volume of gas	$V_m = 22.4 \text{ dm}^3 \text{ mol}^{-1}$ at s.t.p. (101 kPa and 273 K) $V_m = 24.0 \text{ dm}^3 \text{ mol}^{-1}$ at room conditions
ionic product of water	$K_w = 1.00 \times 10^{-14} \text{ mol}^2 \text{ dm}^{-6}$ (at 298 K (25 °C))
specific heat capacity of water	$c = 4.18 \text{ kJ kg}^{-1} \text{ K}^{-1}$ (4.18 J g ⁻¹ K ⁻¹)

(6)

The Periodic Table of Elements

Group																		
1	2	Key														17	18	
3	4	atomic number atomic symbol name relative atomic mass														9	10	
Li lithium 6.9	Be beryllium 9.0															F fluorine 19.0	Ne neon 20.2	
11	12															O oxygen 16.0		
Na sodium 23.0	Mg magnesium 24.3															S sulfur 32.1	Cl chlorine 35.5	
19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	
K potassium 39.1	Ca calcium 40.1	Sc scandium 45.0	Ti titanium 47.9	V vanadium 50.9	Cr chromium 52.0	Mn manganese 54.9	Fe iron 55.8	Co cobalt 58.9	Ni nickel 58.7	Cu copper 63.5	Zn zinc 65.4	Ga gallium 69.7	Ge germanium 72.6	As arsenic 74.9	Se selenium 79.0	Br bromine 79.9	Kr krypton 83.8	
37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	
Rb rubidium 85.5	Sr strontium 87.6	Y yttrium 88.9	Zr zirconium 91.2	Nb niobium 92.9	Mo molybdenum 95.9	Tc technetium —	Ru ruthenium 101.1	Rh rhodium 102.9	Pd palladium 106.4	Ag silver 107.9	Cd cadmium 112.4	In indium 114.8	Sn tin 118.7	Sb antimony 121.8	Te tellurium 127.6	I iodine 126.9	Xe xenon 131.3	
55	56	57–71 lanthanoids	72	73	74	75	76	77	78	79	80	81	82	83	84	85	86	
Cs caesium 132.9	Ba barium 137.3															Po polonium —	At astatine —	
87	88	89–103 actinoids	104	105	106	107	108	109	110	111	112	113	114	115	116	117	118	
Fr francium —	Ra radium —															Lv livermorium —	Ts tennessine —	Og oganeson —

lanthanoids																	
57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70	71			
La lanthanum 138.9	Ce cerium 140.1	Pr praseodymium 140.9	Nd neodymium 144.2	Pm promethium —	Sm samarium 150.4	Eu europium 152.0	Gd gadolinium 157.3	Tb terbium 158.9	Dy dysprosium 162.5	Ho holmium 164.9	Er erbium 167.3	Tm thulium 168.9	Yb ytterbium 173.1	Lu lutetium 175.0			
89	90	91	92	93	94	95	96	97	98	99	100	101	102	103			
Ac actinium —	Th thorium 232.0	Pa protactinium 231.0	U uranium 238.0	Np neptunium —	Pu plutonium —	Am americium —	Cm curium —	Bk berkelium —	Cf californium —	Es einsteinium —	Fm fermium —	Md mendelevium —	No nobelium —	Lr lawrencium —			

actinoids																	
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lanthanoids

actinoids

8 Asparagine and aspartic acid are two naturally occurring amino acids. Their structures and isoelectric points are shown in Table 8.1.

Table 8.1

amino acid	structure	isoelectric point
asparagine	<chem>HOOCCH(NH2)CH2CONH2</chem>	5.41
aspartic acid	<chem>HOOCCH(NH2)CH2COOH</chem>	2.77

- (a) Define isoelectric point.
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- [1]
- (b) Draw the structures of asparagine and aspartic acid at pH2.

asparagine at pH2

aspartic acid at pH2

- (c) Asparagine and aspartic acid are treated separately with an excess of LiAlH_4 .
- Draw the structures of the organic products of these reactions.

product of asparagine treated with an excess of LiAlH_4

product of aspartic acid treated with an excess of LiAlH_4

- (d) Propanedioic acid, $\text{HOOCCH}_2\text{COOH}$, is treated with an excess of thionyl chloride, SOCl_2 . Propanedioyl chloride, $\text{ClOCCH}_2\text{COCI}$, is formed.

(i) Write an equation for this reaction.

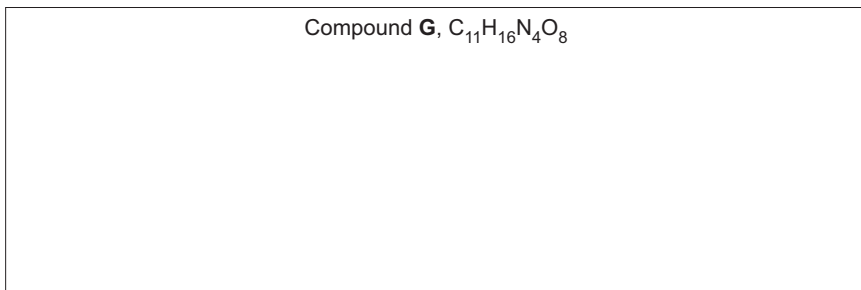
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- (ii) Propanedioyl chloride reacts with an excess of asparagine to form compound **G** with molecular formula $\text{C}_{11}\text{H}_{16}\text{N}_4\text{O}_8$.

Each molecule of compound **G** has four amide groups.

Draw the structure of compound **G**.

Compound **G**, $\text{C}_{11}\text{H}_{16}\text{N}_4\text{O}_8$



[2]

- (e) Asparagine is hydrolysed with an excess of hot NaOH(aq) .

Draw the structure of the organic product of this reaction.

[2]

- (f) A polymer can form from asparagine, $\text{HOOCCH}(\text{NH}_2)\text{CH}_2\text{CONH}_2$, as the only monomer.

Draw a length of the polymer chain containing **three** monomer residues.

Clearly label the repeat unit of the polymer on your diagram.

[3]

- (g) Aspartic acid exists in two optically active forms.

- (i) Plane polarised light is passed through pure samples of these two optically active forms in solutions of the same concentration.

Describe **two** similarities and **one** difference in their effect on the plane polarised light.

similarities

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difference

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[2]

- (ii) Give the term used to describe a mixture of equal amounts of the two optically active forms.

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[Total: 16]

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