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Paper Reference **WCH11/01****Chemistry****International Advanced Subsidiary/Advanced Level****Unit 1: Structure, Bonding and Introduction to Organic Chemistry****You must have:**

Scientific calculator, Ruler

Total Marks

Instructions

- Use **black** ink or **black** ball-point pen.
- **Fill in the boxes** at the top of this page with your name, centre number and candidate number.
- Answer **all** questions.
- Answer the questions in the spaces provided
– *there may be more space than you need.*
- Show all your working in calculations and include units where appropriate.

Information

- The total mark for this paper is 80.
- The marks for **each** question are shown in brackets
– *use this as a guide as to how much time to spend on each question.*
- You will be assessed on your ability to organise and present information, ideas, descriptions and arguments clearly and logically, including your use of grammar, punctuation and spelling.
- A Periodic Table is printed on the back cover of this paper.

Advice

- Read each question carefully before you start to answer it.
- Try to answer every question.
- Check your answers if you have time at the end.

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SECTION A

Answer ALL questions. Write your answers in the spaces provided.

For each question, select one answer from A to D and put a cross in the box ☐. If you change your mind, put a line through the box ☐ and then mark your new answer with a cross ☐.

1 Which of these compounds has the same empirical and molecular formulae?

- ☐ A C_2H_4
☐ B C_3H_8
☐ C C_4H_{10}
☐ D C_5H_{10}

(Total for Question 1 = 1 mark)

2 There are 6.02×10^{23} atoms in 0.25 mol of

- ☐ A He
☐ B H_2O
☐ C BH_3
☐ D CH_4

(Total for Question 2 = 1 mark)

3 Which aqueous solution has the **highest** concentration, in mol dm^{-3} , of chloride ions?

- ☐ A $0.1 \text{ g dm}^{-3} \text{ HCl}$
☐ B $0.1 \text{ g dm}^{-3} \text{ NaCl}$
☐ C $0.1 \text{ g dm}^{-3} \text{ KCl}$
☐ D $0.1 \text{ g dm}^{-3} \text{ BaCl}_2$

(Total for Question 3 = 1 mark)

4 Which conversion has the **lowest** percentage atom economy (by mass) for the formation of CaCl_2 ?

- ☐ A $\text{Ca} + \text{Cl}_2 \rightarrow \text{CaCl}_2$
☐ B $\text{Ca} + 2\text{HCl} \rightarrow \text{CaCl}_2 + \text{H}_2$
☐ C $\text{CaCO}_3 + 2\text{HCl} \rightarrow \text{CaCl}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O} + \text{CO}_2$
☐ D $\text{CaCO}_3 + 2\text{NaCl} \rightarrow \text{CaCl}_2 + \text{Na}_2\text{CO}_3$

(Total for Question 4 = 1 mark)



5 Which of these atoms has the most neutrons?

- ☐ A $^{115}_{49}\text{In}$
- ☐ B $^{124}_{50}\text{Sn}$
- ☐ C $^{123}_{51}\text{Sb}$
- ☐ D $^{124}_{52}\text{Te}$

(Total for Question 5 = 1 mark)

6 A p-block element in **Period 3** of the Periodic Table reacts to form an ionic compound.

What could be the electronic configuration of the **ion** formed by this element?

- ☐ A $1s^2 2s^2 2p^6 3s^2$
- ☐ B $1s^2 2s^2 2p^6 3s^2 3p^6$
- ☐ C $1s^2 2s^2 2p^6 3s^2 3p^6 3d^{10}$
- ☐ D $1s^2 2s^2 2p^6 3s^2 3p^6 3d^{10} 4s^2 4p^6$

(Total for Question 6 = 1 mark)

7 The **Period 2** element with the **highest** melting temperature is

- ☐ A aluminium
- ☐ B boron
- ☐ C carbon
- ☐ D silicon

(Total for Question 7 = 1 mark)

8 Which of these has the **greatest** electrical conductivity?

- ☐ A $\text{SF}_6(\text{g})$
- ☐ B $\text{H}_2\text{O}(\text{l})$
- ☐ C $\text{Hg}(\text{l})$
- ☐ D $\text{Na}_2\text{O}(\text{s})$

(Total for Question 8 = 1 mark)

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9 Which of these ions has the **greatest** ionic radius?

- ☐ A N^{3-}
- ☐ B F^{-}
- ☐ C Na^{+}
- ☐ D Al^{3+}

(Total for Question 9 = 1 mark)

10 Which of these ions has the **greatest** polarising power?

- ☐ A S^{2-}
- ☐ B Cl^{-}
- ☐ C K^{+}
- ☐ D Ca^{2+}

(Total for Question 10 = 1 mark)

11 Which of these does **not** have a structure formed by a giant lattice of carbon atoms?

- ☐ A C_{60} fullerene
- ☐ B diamond
- ☐ C graphene
- ☐ D graphite

(Total for Question 11 = 1 mark)

12 Which of these molecules is the **most** polar?

- ☐ A HF
- ☐ B OF_2
- ☐ C BF_3
- ☐ D CF_4

(Total for Question 12 = 1 mark)

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13 A substance is labelled with the hazard symbol shown.

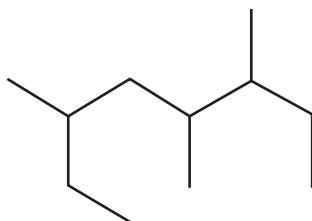


What is the meaning of this symbol?

- ☐ A gloves must be worn
- ☐ B corrosive
- ☐ C do not store with flammable substances
- ☐ D oxidising

(Total for Question 13 = 1 mark)

14 What is the IUPAC name of this alkane?



- ☐ A 2-ethyl-4,5-dimethylheptane
- ☐ B 6-ethyl-3,4-dimethylheptane
- ☐ C 3,4,6-trimethyloctane
- ☐ D 3,5,6-trimethyloctane

(Total for Question 14 = 1 mark)

15 Petrol, bioethanol and hydrogen are fuels.

All three of these fuels

- ☐ A burn to produce greenhouse gases
- ☐ B are overall carbon neutral
- ☐ C are overall sustainable
- ☐ D biodegrade rapidly

(Total for Question 15 = 1 mark)



16 Cyclopentane undergoes free radical substitution with bromine.

(a) Which of these is an overall equation for this reaction?

(1)

- ☐ A $C_5H_8 + Br_2 \rightarrow C_5H_8Br_2$
- ☐ B $C_5H_{10} + Br_2 \rightarrow C_5H_{10}Br_2$
- ☐ C $C_5H_{10} + Br_2 \rightarrow C_5H_8Br_2 + H_2$
- ☐ D $C_5H_{10} + Br_2 \rightarrow C_5H_9Br + HBr$

(b) Which statement is **not** correct about this reaction system?

(1)

- ☐ A only the initiation step involves homolytic bond fission
- ☐ B only some bromine is converted to free radicals in the initiation step
- ☐ C propagation forms more product than termination
- ☐ D further substitution reactions are likely to occur

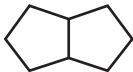
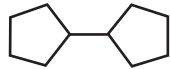
(c) Which free radical is **least** likely to form in a propagation step in this reaction system?

(1)

- ☐ A $C_5H_9^\bullet$
- ☐ B $Br^\bullet$
- ☐ C $C_5H_8Br^\bullet$
- ☐ D $H^\bullet$

(d) Which alkane could be formed in a termination step in this reaction system?

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- ☐ A 
- ☐ B 
- ☐ C 
- ☐ D 

(Total for Question 16 = 4 marks)

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17 Which of these is **not** a way of limiting global problems caused by polymer disposal?

- ☐ A developing biodegradable polymers
- ☐ B exporting polymer waste
- ☐ C removing toxic waste gases produced by the incineration of polymers
- ☐ D reusing products made from polymers

(Total for Question 17 = 1 mark)

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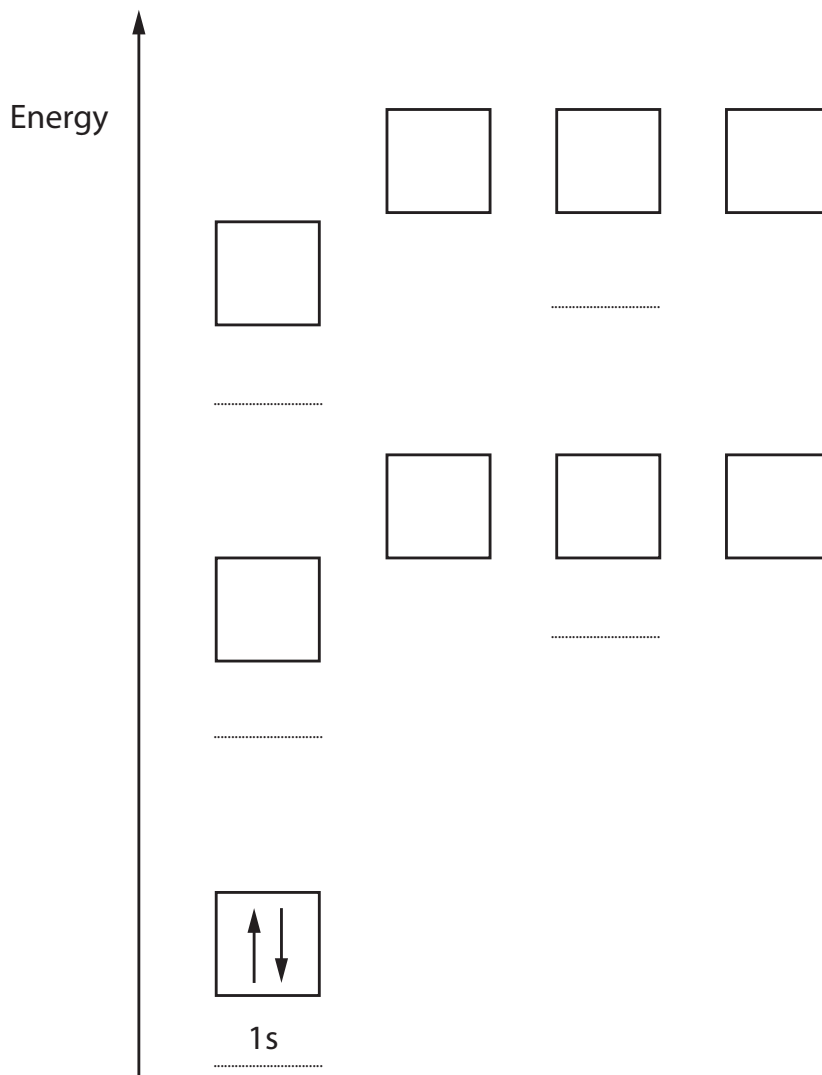
SECTION B

Answer ALL the questions. Write your answers in the spaces provided.

18 This question is about the element sulfur.

- (a) Complete the diagram to show the electronic configuration for a sulfur atom in the ground state.
Include labels for each subshell.

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- (b) Write an equation for the **first** ionisation energy of sulfur.
Include state symbols.

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- (c) Explain why the first ionisation energy of sulfur is less than the first ionisation energies of **both** phosphorus and chlorine.

(3)

- (d) A sample of sulfur contains four isotopes.

Isotope	^{32}S	^{33}S	^{34}S	^{36}S
Percentage abundance	94.88	0.83	4.27	0.02

- (i) State what is meant by the term **isotopes**, in terms of subatomic particles.

(2)

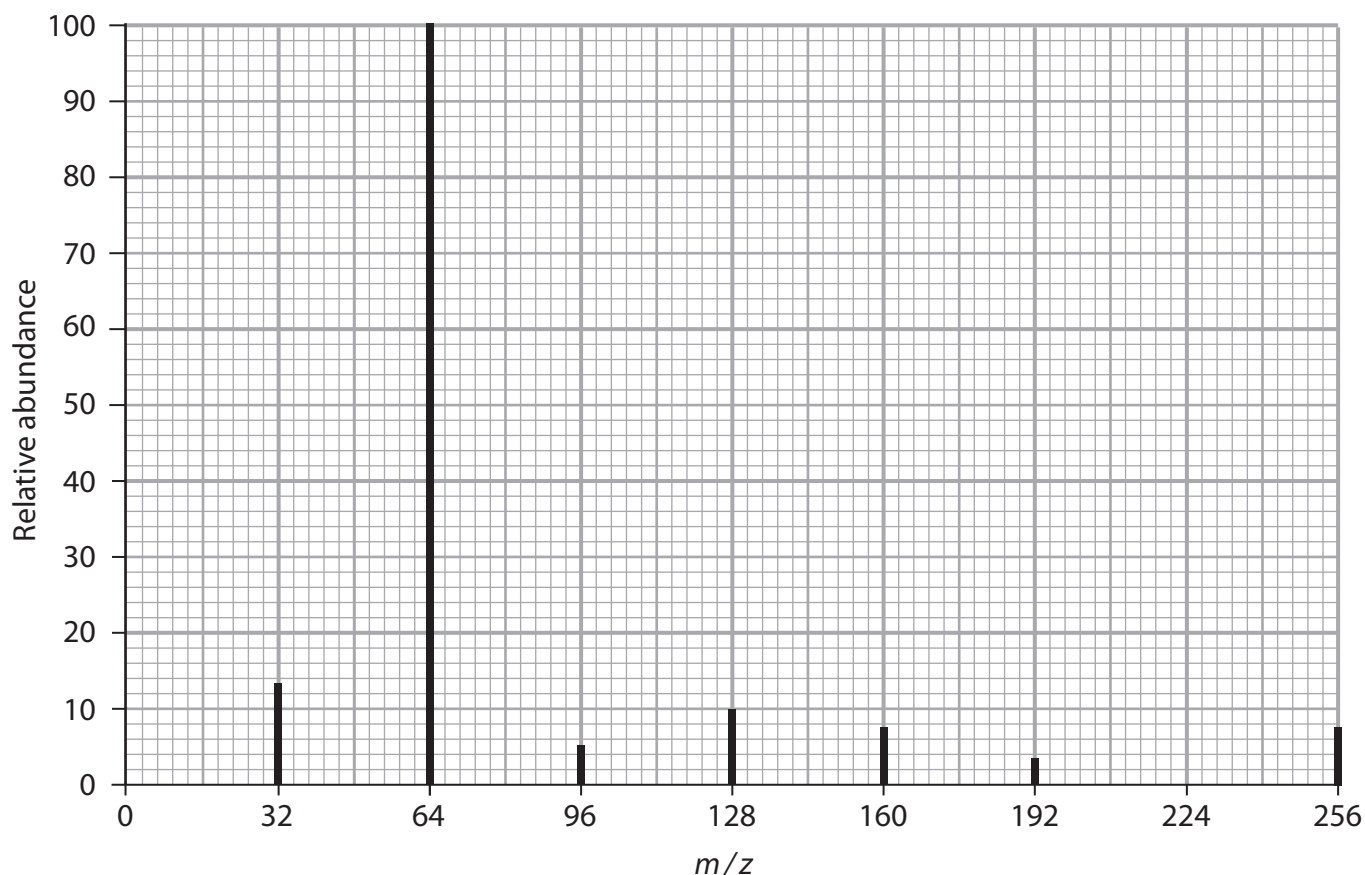
- (ii) Calculate the relative atomic mass of sulfur in this sample.

Give your answer to **two** decimal places.

(2)



(e) The mass spectrum of a sample of sulfur with ^{32}S as the only isotope is shown.



(i) Calculate the number of sulfur atoms in the molecular ion.

You **must** show your working.

(1)

(ii) Suggest the **formula** of the **most stable ion** shown by this spectrum.

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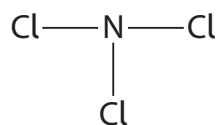
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19 This question is about the structure and bonding of Group 5 chlorides.

(a) Nitrogen trichloride, NCl_3 , has a molecular structure.

The displayed formula of a molecule of NCl_3 is shown.



Complete the table for this molecule.

(3)

Number of bond pairs around N atom	
Number of lone pairs around N atom	
Cl-N-Cl bond angle	
Name of shape of molecule	

(b) Under standard conditions, phosphorus(V) chloride (PCl_5) is a solid made up of PCl_4^+ cations and PCl_6^- anions.

Antimony(V) chloride (SbCl_5) is a liquid made up of SbCl_5 molecules.

(i) Explain why PCl_5 has a higher melting temperature than SbCl_5 .

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(ii) Draw a dot-and-cross diagram to show the bonding in a molecule of SbCl_5 .

Use dots (•) to represent the Sb electrons, and crosses (x) to represent the Cl electrons. Show outer electrons only.

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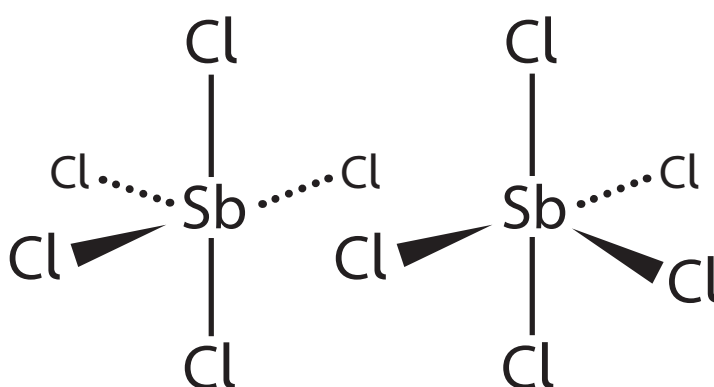
(c) At low temperatures, SbCl_5 converts to $\text{Sb}_2\text{Cl}_{10}$ which contains dative covalent bonds.

(i) State what is meant by the term dative covalent bond.

(1)

(ii) Complete the diagram to show the dative covalent bonds in $\text{Sb}_2\text{Cl}_{10}$.

(1)



(d) Arsenic also forms a pentachloride with the formula AsCl_5 .

Give **one** possible reason why nitrogen is the only Group 5 element that does **not** form a pentachloride.

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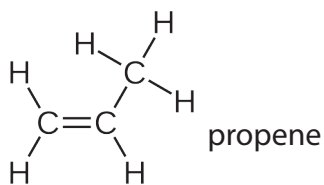
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20 This question is about the reactions of propene.



- (a) Write an equation for the incomplete combustion of **one mole** of propene to form carbon dioxide, carbon monoxide, carbon and water as the only products. Include state symbols.

(2)

- (b) State **one** similarity and **one** difference that would be **seen** when propene is mixed with separate samples of acidified potassium manganate(VII) solution and of bromine water.

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- (c) Propene reacts by addition polymerisation to form poly(propene).

Draw the structure of poly(propene), showing **two** repeat units.

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(d) Propene reacts with bromine monochloride, BrCl, to form 1-bromo-2-chloropropane as the major product.

(i) Complete the diagram of bromine monochloride to show the dipole.

(1)



(ii) Draw the mechanism for the formation of 1-bromo-2-chloropropane in this reaction.
Include curly arrows, and relevant lone pairs.

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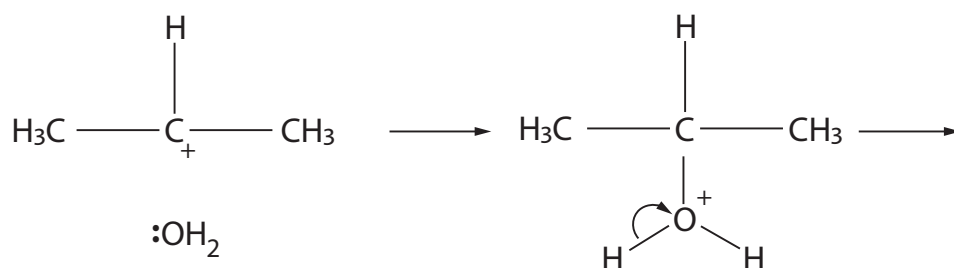
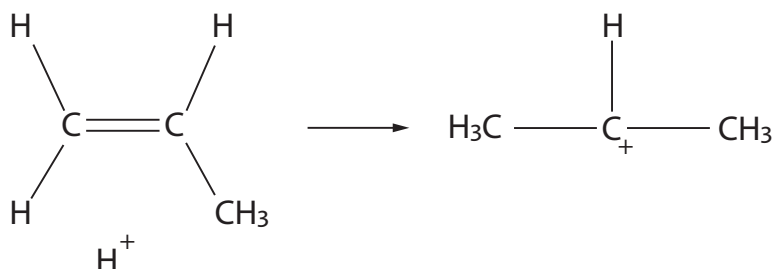


- (e) Propene reacts with steam in the presence of an acid catalyst to form a mixture of the alcohols propan-1-ol and propan-2-ol.

Complete the mechanism for the formation of propan-2-ol, by adding curly arrows.

Include the species formed in the final step.

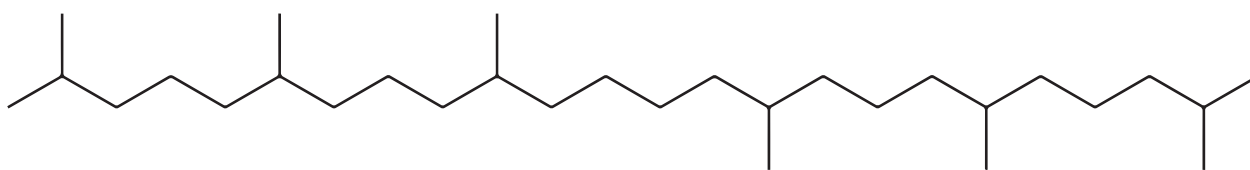
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(Total for Question 20 = 12 marks)



- 21 This question is about the production of squalane, a liquid alkane which occurs naturally in human skin and is used in cosmetics.



squalane

- (a) Suggest **two** properties that make squalane useful in cosmetics.

(2)

- (b) Give the **molecular** formula of squalane.

(1)

- (c) Squalane can be produced from squalene, an alkene present in shark liver oil, by reaction with hydrogen gas in the presence of a suitable catalyst.

- (i) Give the name of a suitable catalyst for the hydrogenation of squalene.

(1)

- (ii) Squalane used in cosmetic products must contain no more than 0.2 ppm by mass of catalyst.

Calculate the maximum permitted mass of catalyst in a product containing 50 g of squalane.

(1)



- (iii) A reactor at 200°C contains 8500 mol of liquid squalene, and hydrogen gas at a pressure of 4.0×10^5 Pa.

Under these conditions, the complete hydrogenation of squalene requires 500 m³ of hydrogen gas.

Calculate the number of C=C bonds in one molecule of squalene.

You **must** show your working.

$$[pV = nRT \quad R = 8.31 \text{ J mol}^{-1} \text{ K}^{-1}]$$

(4)

- (iv) Write the equation, using molecular formulae, for the complete hydrogenation of squalene to squalane.
State symbols are **not** required.

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- (d) Globally, 2.8 million dm^3 of squalene is used each year.
Traditionally squalene was obtained exclusively from shark liver oil, which is a mixture of liquids.

The liver of a shark yields 300 g of squalene.

- (i) Suggest the name of a suitable technique to obtain squalene from shark liver oil.

(1)

- (ii) Calculate the minimum number of sharks that would be needed to produce 2.8 million dm^3 of squalene.

[Density of squalene = 0.86 g cm^{-3}]

(2)

- (iii) Many large corporations now use squalane obtained entirely from plants.

Squalane can be obtained sustainably from corn starch with a yield of 23 % by mass.

The production of 1 tonne of corn starch requires 0.093 hectares of land.

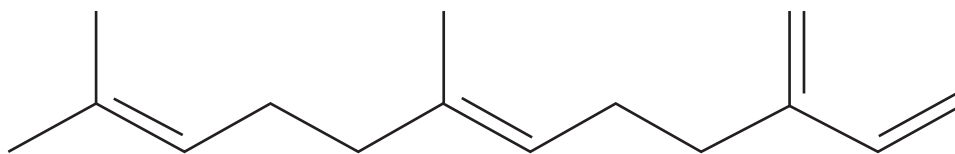
Calculate the area of land, **in km^2** , required to produce 2500 tonnes of squalane from corn starch.

[1 tonne = 1000 kg 1 hectare = 0.01 km^2]

(3)



- (e) The *E*-isomer of beta-farnesene can also be obtained from corn starch.



E-beta-farnesene

- (i) Explain why beta-farnesene exhibits geometric isomerism and has only two geometric isomers.

You may label the structure and use this in your answer.

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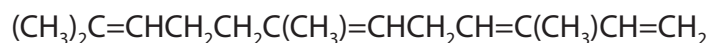
- (ii) Draw the **skeletal** formula of the geometric isomer of *E*-beta-farnesene, giving a reason why this is named the *Z*-isomer.

(2)



- (f) The compound alpha-farnesene, $C_{15}H_{24}$, is a structural isomer of beta-farnesene.

The structural formula of alpha-farnesene is



- (i) State what is meant by the term **structural** isomers.

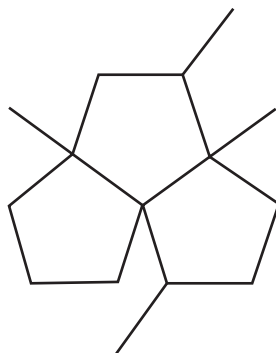
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- (ii) State the number of **geometric** isomers of alpha-farnesene.

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- (iii) Complete the diagram to show another structural isomer of $C_{15}H_{24}$.

(1)



(Total for Question 21 = 24 marks)

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H

hydrogen

1

4.0

He

helium

2

(18)

(1)

(2)

6.9

Li

lithium

3

23.0

Na

sodium

11

39.1

K

potassium

19

85.5

Rb

rubidium

37

132.9

Cs

caesium

55

[223]

Fr

francium

87

9.0

Be

beryllium

4

24.3

Mg

magnesium

12

40.1

Ca

calcium

20

87.6

Sr

strontium

38

137.3

Ba

barium

56

[226]

Ra

radium

88

(3)

(4)

(5)

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relative atomic mass

atomic symbol

name

atomic (proton) number

10.8

B

boron

5

27.0

Al

aluminium

13

69.7

Ga

gallium

31

114.8

In

indium

49

204.4

Tl

thallium

81

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C

carbon

6

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Si

silicon

14

72.6

Ge

germanium

32

118.7

Sn

tin

50

207.2

Pb

lead

82

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N

nitrogen

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P

phosphorus

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As

arsenic

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Sb

antimony

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Bi

bismuth

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At

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Ne

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Kr

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Xe

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Rn

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Ds

darmstadtium

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[268]

Mt

meitnerium

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[277]

Hs

hassium

108

[264]

Bh

bohrium

107

[266]

Sg

seaborgium

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