

1 This question is about isomers of C_4H_8 .

- (a) (i) Alkenes contain a carbon-carbon double bond, which consists of a σ bond and a π bond.

Show, and clearly label, the σ and π bonds on the diagram below.

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- *(ii) Explain why the σ bond is stronger than the π bond.

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- (b) (i) Draw the structural formula of *E*-but-2-ene.

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- (ii) Explain why but-1-ene does not exhibit *E-Z* isomerism.

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(iii) Describe the result of the test for the presence of a C=C bond in *E*-but-2-ene using bromine water. Give the displayed formula of the organic product.

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Test result

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Displayed formula of organic product:

(c) Another test for C=C bonds is the reaction with acidified potassium manganate(VII).

Describe the result of this test using **but-1-ene** and give the displayed formula of the organic product.

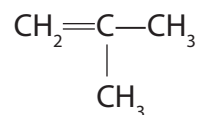
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Test result

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Displayed formula of organic product:

(d) Another isomer of C₄H₈ has the structure shown below.



(i) Name this isomer.

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(ii) This isomer forms an addition polymer. Show the structure of this polymer by drawing **two** repeat units.

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(e) 'Polybutene' is the name used by cosmetic companies for a mixture of poly(but-1-ene) and poly(but-2-ene).

An American "eco-cosmetics" company says that though 'polybutene' is considered a safe ingredient in lip gloss, it is non-sustainable to use it.

Suggest **one** reason to justify this statement.

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(Total for Question = 13 marks)

2 (a) Explain how the atoms are held together by the covalent bond in a molecule of hydrogen.

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(b) Draw the dot and cross diagrams for

(i) methane, CH₄

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(ii) ethene, CH₂=CH₂

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(iii) nitrogen, N₂

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(iv) the ammonium ion, NH₄⁺

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(c) Silicon exists in a giant covalent lattice.

(i) The electrical conductivity of pure silicon is very low. Explain why this is so in terms of the bonding.

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(ii) Explain the high melting temperature of silicon in terms of the bonding.

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(Total for Question 9 marks)

3 This question is about the properties of ions and ionic compounds.

(a) Solid calcium carbonate, CaCO_3 , has a giant ionic structure.

(i) Draw a diagram (using dots or crosses) for a calcium **ion**. Show **ALL** the electrons and the charge on the ion.

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(ii) Complete the electronic configuration for a calcium **ion**.

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(iii) Would you expect a calcium ion to be bigger, smaller or the same size as a calcium atom? Give **TWO** reasons to explain your answer.

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(iv) Explain why ionic compounds have relatively high melting temperatures.

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(b) Changes in the concentration of ions in a solution can be estimated by measuring the electrical conductivity of the solution.

(i) Explain why solutions of ions are able to conduct electricity.

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(ii) Suggest why aqueous solutions of calcium chloride, $\text{CaCl}_2(\text{aq})$, and barium chloride, $\text{BaCl}_2(\text{aq})$, of the same molar concentration, have different electrical conductivities.

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(iii) 1 kg of a solution contains 0.100 mol of calcium ions, Ca^{2+} .

What is the concentration of the calcium ions by mass in parts per million (ppm)?

[Assume the relative atomic mass of calcium is 40.]

(2)

***(c)** Some buildings are made from limestone, which is mainly calcium carbonate. Gases in the atmosphere such as sulfur dioxide, SO_2 , and nitrogen dioxide, NO_2 , can be responsible for damaging these buildings.

Describe how these gases come to be present in the atmosphere and explain how they can damage a limestone building.

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(d) The lattice energy of calcium chloride, CaCl_2 , is $-2258 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$ based on an experimental Born-Haber cycle and $-2223 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$ based on theoretical calculations.

Would you expect its bonding to match the ionic model? Justify your answer.

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(Total for Question = 15 marks)