1 When a solid is purified by recrystallization, the procedure involves the removal of impurities by filtration of the hot mixture followed by filtration of the cold mixture. Which impurities are removed by these two filtrations?

		Hot filtration	Cold filtration
X	A	insoluble impurities	insoluble impurities
X	В	insoluble impurities	soluble impurities
X	C	soluble impurities insoluble impuriti	
×	D	soluble impurities	soluble impurities

(Total for Question = 1 mark)

**2** The hydride ion, H<sup>-</sup>, is a strong reducing agent, a good nucleophile and a strong base.

Which of the following changes could **not** be brought about by the hydride ion?

- ☑ A CH₃CHO to CH₃CH₂OH
- $\boxtimes$  **B**  $C_2H_5Br$  to  $C_2H_6$
- $\square$  **C** CH<sub>2</sub>=CH<sub>2</sub> to C<sub>2</sub>H<sub>6</sub>
- ☑ D CH<sub>3</sub>COOH to CH<sub>3</sub>COO<sup>-</sup>

(Total for Question = 1 mark)

3	The compounds below were heated with aqueous sodium hydroxide solution. Which one of them did <b>not</b> give sodium ethanoate, CH <sub>3</sub> COONa, as one of the products?				
	☑ A CH <sub>3</sub> COOCH <sub>3</sub>				
■ B CH <sub>3</sub> COCH <sub>3</sub>					
		CH <sub>3</sub> COOH			
<b>■ D</b> CH <sub>3</sub> COCl					
		(Total for Question 1 mark)			
4 Which of the following statements about ethanoyl chloride is <b>not</b> correct?					
	☑ A It reacts with ammonia to make an amine.				
☑ B It reacts with an amine to make an amide.					
	C It reacts with an alcohol to make an ester.				
	⊠ D	It reacts with water to make an organic acid.			
		(Total for Question 1 mark)			

- 5 Organic solids are often purified by recrystallization. This technique works on the basis that
  - $\square$  **A** the impurities must be insoluble in the solvent used.
  - $\square$  **B** the impurities must react with the solvent used.
  - C the impurities crystallize first when the hot solution is cooled.
  - **D** the cooled solution is saturated with the desired material but not with the impurities.

(Total for Question = 1 mark)

**6** Ethanal, CH<sub>3</sub>CHO, can be converted by a two-step synthesis into 2-hydroxypropanoic acid.

2-hydroxypropanoic acid

The reagents and conditions are

	1st step	2nd step
	Na <sub>2</sub> Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>7</sub> and dilute H <sub>2</sub> SO <sub>4</sub> , heat under reflux	NaOH(aq), heat under reflux
	Cl <sub>2</sub> , UV light	NaOH(aq), heat under reflux
<b>⋈</b> C	LiAlH <sub>4</sub> in dry ether	CO <sub>2</sub> , room temperature
⊠ D	HCN, in presence of KCN(aq)	dilute HCl(aq), heat under reflux
		(Total for Question = 1 mark)

7	The <b>distinguishing</b> characteristic of combinatorial chemistry is that it involves the			
	☑ A simultaneous synthesis of many products.			
	■ B interaction of starting materials to form a unique product.			
	☑ C use of catalysts.			
	■ D use of polymer supports.			

(Total for Question 12 = 1 mark)

**8** Bromoethane can be made by heating ethanol under reflux with 50% sulfuric acid and sodium bromide. When the mixture is distilled, the products include sulfur dioxide, bromine, hydrogen bromide and water as well as bromoethane.

The product mixture is shaken with sodium carbonate solution and later with anhydrous sodium sulfate before being re-distilled. Which of the following shows the correct list of impurities removed at each step?

		Aqueous sodium carbonate wash	Addition of sodium sulfate
$\boxtimes$	A	HBr	SO <sub>2</sub> , Br <sub>2</sub> , water
×	В	SO <sub>2</sub> , Br <sub>2</sub>	HBr, water
×	C	SO <sub>2</sub> , HBr	Br <sub>2</sub> , water
×	D	SO <sub>2</sub> , Br <sub>2</sub> , HBr	water

(Total for Question 1 mark)

**9** This question is about the reaction scheme below.

Which step is most likely to need

(a) tin and concentrated hydrochloric acid?

(1)

- A Step 1
- **■ B** Step 2
- C Step 3
- D Step 4
- (b) a catalyst of iron(III) chloride?

(1)

- A Step 1
- **B** Step 2
- **D** Step 4
- (c) a nickel catalyst?

(1)

- A Step 1
- **■ B** Step 2
- D Step 4

(Total for Question 3 marks)