Q1. (a) Some scientists thought that the waste water from a waste disposal factory contained **two** sodium halides.

They tested a sample of the waste water.

They added three reagents, one after the other, to the same test tube containing the waste water.

The table below shows their results.

Reagent added	Observations
1. Silver nitrate solution (acidified with dilute nitric acid)	A cream precipitate formed
2. Dilute ammonia solution	A yellow precipitate remained
3. Concentrated ammonia solution	The yellow precipitate did not dissolve

(i) Identify the yellow precipitate that did **not** dissolve in concentrated ammonia solution.
Write the **simplest** ionic equation for the formation of this precipitate from silver ions and the correct halide ion.
Identify the other sodium halide that must be present in this mixture of two sodium halides.

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(ii) Give **one** reason why the silver nitrate solution was acidified before it was used in this test.

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(iii) The method that the scientists used could **not** detect one type of halide ion.
Identify this halide ion.
Give **one** reason for your answer.

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(b) The scientists thought that the waste water also contained dissolved barium ions.
An aqueous solution of sodium sulfate can be used to test for the presence of dissolved barium ions.

Write the **simplest** ionic equation for the reaction between barium ions and sulfate ions to form barium sulfate.

State what is observed in this reaction.

Give a use for barium sulfate in medicine and explain why this use is possible, given that solutions containing barium ions are poisonous.

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(c) The scientists also analysed the exhaust gases from an incinerator used to destroy waste poly(ethene).
Mass spectrometry showed that there was a trace gas with a precise M_r = 28.03176 in the exhaust gases from the incinerator.

The table below contains some precise relative atomic mass data.

Atom	Precise relative atomic mass

^{12}C	12.00000
^{1}H	1.00794
^{16}O	15.99491

Use the data to show that the trace gas is ethene. Show your working.

Suggest why both ethene and carbon monoxide might have been identified as the trace gas if the scientists had used relative atomic masses to a precision of only one decimal place.

Write an equation for the incomplete combustion of ethene to form carbon monoxide and water only.

Ethene is used to make poly(ethene).
Draw the displayed formula for the repeating unit of poly(ethene).
Name this type of polymer.

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Q2. It is necessary to use several analytical techniques to determine the structure of an unknown compound.

An analytical chemist was asked to determine the structure of compound **Q** which was found in a waste tank in a mixture of volatile liquids.

Compound **Q** has the molecular formula C_4H_7ClO. It is a volatile liquid which does not produce misty fumes when added to water.

(a) Suggest how the chemist could obtain a sample of **Q** for analysis from the mixture of volatile liquids.

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(b) The infra-red spectrum of Q contains a major absorption at 1724 cm^{-1}. Identify the bond which causes this absorption.

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(c) The mass spectrum of Q contains two molecular ion peaks at *m/z* = 106 and *m/z* = 108.
It also has a major peak at *m/z* = 43.

(i) Suggest why there are two molecular ion peaks.

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(ii) A fragment ion produced from **Q** has *m/z* = 43 and contains atoms of **three** different elements. Identify this fragment ion and write an equation showing its formation from the molecular ion of **Q**.

Fragment ion .....

Equation .....

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(d) The proton n.m.r. spectrum of **Q** was recorded.

(i) Suggest a suitable solvent for use in recording this spectrum of **Q**.

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(ii) Give the formula of the standard reference compound used in recording proton
n.m.r. spectra.

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(e) The proton n.m.r. spectrum of Q shows 3 peaks. Complete the table below to show the number of adjacent, non-equivalent protons responsible for the splitting patterns.

	Peak 1	Peak 2	Peak 3
Integration value	3	3	1
Splitting pattern	doublet	singlet	quartet
Number of adjacent, non-equivalent protons	1		

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(f) Using the information in parts (a), (b) and (d) deduce the structure of compound **Q.**

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(g) A structural isomer of **Q** reacts with cold water to produce misty fumes. Suggest a structure for this isomer.

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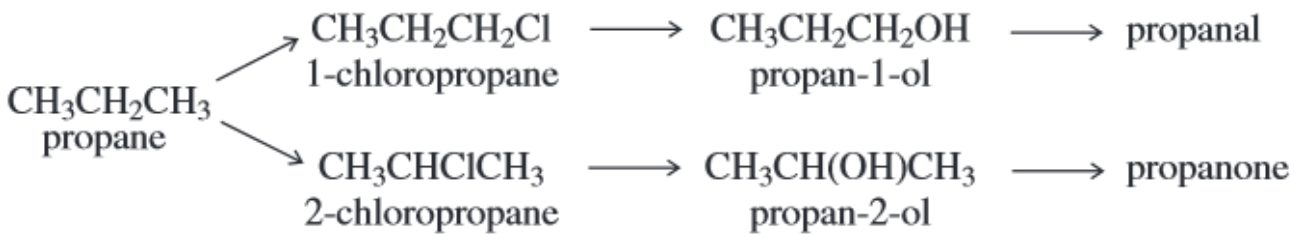
(Total 10 marks)

Q3. Consider the following scheme of reactions.



(a) State the type of structural isomerism shown by propanal and propanone.

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(b) A chemical test can be used to distinguish between separate samples of propanal and propanone.

Identify a suitable reagent for the test.
State what you would observe with propanal and with propanone.

Test reagent.....

Observation with propanal.....

Observation with propanone.....

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(c) State the structural feature of propanal and propanone which can be identified from their infrared spectra by absorptions at approximately 1720 cm^{-1}.

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(d) The reaction of chlorine with propane is similar to the reaction of chlorine with methane.

(i) Name the type of mechanism in the reaction of chlorine with methane.

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(ii) Write an equation for each of the following steps in the mechanism for the reaction of chlorine with propane to form l-chloropropane ($CH_3CH_2CH_2Cl$).

Initiation step

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First propagation step

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Second propagation step

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A termination step to form a molecule with the empirical formula C_3H_7

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(e) High resolution mass spectrometry of a sample of propane indicated that it was contaminated with traces of carbon dioxide.

Use the data in the table to show how precise M_r values can be used to prove that thesample contains both of these gases.

Atom	Precise relative atomic mass
^{12}C	12.00000
^{1}H	1.00794
^{16}O	15.99491

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(Total 12 marks)