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C10 Organic reactions

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Question	Answers	Extra information	Mark	AO/ Spec. Ref.
01.1	(15.9 + 17.6 + 16.1)		1	AO3
	2		4	C7.2.3
	16.53 (°C)		1	IVISZD
01.2	17.5 (°C)		1	AO3 C7.2.3
01.3	add a lid/insulation/move flame		1	AO3
	closer			C7.2.3
				AI1, 5
01.4	more moles of carbon dioxide		1	AO1
02	Level 3 (5–6 marks). There is a reaso	anably detailed description	6	AO1x4
	of both method. and a comparison of how ethanol is produced		Ũ	AO2×2
	from sugar and by hydration.			C7.2.2
	Level 2 (3–4 marks): There is a description of both methods. There is an attempt to compare the production of ethanol from sugar and by hydration.			C7.2.3
				WS1.2
	Level 1 (1–2 marks): There is a basic description of one method. Little or no attempt at comparison of the two methods of producing ethanol.			
	Level 0 (0 marks): No relevant content.			
	Indicative content:			
	Hydration:			
	ethene named			
	water/steam			
	 high temperature/300 °C 			
	 high pressure/60–70 atmospheres 			
	 (phosphoric acid) catalyst 			
	equation			
	 Only ethanol produced 100% atom oconomy 			
	 continuous/fast/pure 			
	Sugar:			
	 sugar named 			
	 aqueous solution/water 			
	• yeast			
	• warm/25–50 °C			

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	 anaerobic equation carbon dioxide also produced lower atom economy batch/slow/impure. Comparison hydration has 100% atom economy sugar has lower atom economy hydration is continuous hydration is fast/pure sugar is not continuous / complete sugar is slow / impure 	ed in batches		
03.1	CH₃CH₂CH₂COO [−] H ⁺		1 1	AO2 C7.2.4
03.2	sodium propanoate		1	AO2 C7.2.4
03.3	CH ₃ CH ₂ COONa		1	AO2 C7.2.4
03.4	bubbles of gas / carbon dioxide is given off		1	AO2 C1.1.1
03.5	ethanoic acid methanol		1 1	AO3 C7.2.4
04.1	contains a double or triple (carbon– carbon) bond		1	AO1 C7.2.1 WS1.2
04.2	H H H H—C—C—C—H H CI CI	accept CI in any position on carbon-2 and carbon-3	1	AO2 C7.2.2
04.3	C ₃ H ₈		1	AO2 C7.2.2 WS1.2
04.4	chlorine – room temperature hydrogen – (nickel or other) catalyst hydrogen – high(er) temperature / 60 to 150 °C		1 1 1	AO1 C7.2.2 WS1.2

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05.1	H H H H H H H H H H H H H H H H H H H		1	AO2 C7.2.4
05.2	butanoic acid is a weak/weaker acid because it does not fully ionise	allow because it does not fully dissociate allow converse for sulfuric acid	1 1	AO1 AO2 C7.2.4
05.3	carbon dioxide		1	AO1 C7.2.4
05.4	slower/fewer bubbles for butanoic acid lower concentration of hydrogen ions	allow converse for sulfuric acid	1 1	AO1 C7.2.2 AT5, 6