

# INTRODUCTION TO ORGANIC CHEMISTRY (CHEM 109)

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#### INTRODUCTION

#### Instruction, Equipment and Safety

#### PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING BEFORE YOUR FIRST DAY IN THE LAB.

#### Aim and Purpose of the Course

Obviously the overall aim of the course is to give you experience in practical organic chemistry and help you generally to learn about organic chemistry as a part of medical/pharmacy course, but the purpose of the course will be clearer perhaps from the following five objectives:

- 1) Experience the process of discovery for yourself and relate it to the role played by experiment in scientific investigations.
- 2) Become familiar with isolating and purifying compounds by solvent/solvent extraction.
- 3) Handle as wide a variety of compounds bearing different functional groups as possible.
- 4) Exploit the opportunities for learning about organic chemistry during the practical time to the full by asking your demonstrator questions.

# **Continuous Assessment and the Practical Exam**

You will receive a mark for your laboratory work after each experiment. Credit for an experiment will be based on attendance, and completion of the experiment to your demonstrators' satisfaction. He will be looking at a number of different things such your neatness and tidiness while working in the laboratory. Your demonstrator will grade your book like this:

A = Excellent result

B = Satisfactory

C = poor work

This grading will count towards your final grade and will help you to assess how well you are progressing in your practice of organic chemistry. For this reason, your demonstrator will discuss the assessment with you when he grades the experiment at the end of the practical period.

#### **Experimental Method and Write-up**

No note books are required. Spaces are provided at appropriate places in the manuals for you to record your observations, results etc. These must be written in during the laboratory period and graded by your demonstrator before you leave.

#### **General Instructions**

This course deals with a number of test tube reactions which illustrate many of the functional groups covered in the lecture course. These test tube experiments ae to be done during the first half period that you are in the lab.

The first experiments involve important practical techniques. These experiments are followed by experiments which follow the lecture course closely, so the lectures and practical are all part of the same organic chemistry course.

When you first come into the laboratory you will be allocated a certain cupboard containing most of the apparatus required for this terms work. Make sure all your apparatus is returned to this cupboard at the end of every practical.

Additional supplies of more special apparatus is also available for common use, but of limited supply. It is essential that this apparatus is returned clean at the end of each practical.

Please refer to the lecture material before you come to the laboratory so that you are familiar with the organic chemistry involved before you carry out any reaction.

# **Grading**

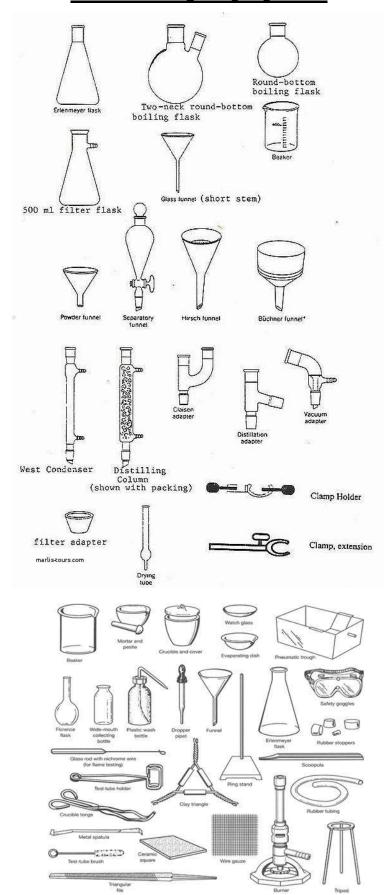
Thirty percent of your final grade will come from the practical part of the course. At the end of the course there will be a final practical exam. In addition, there will be five or three "drop quizzes", five of which will count towards your grade. These "drop quizzes" will be short 5-minute test which will come without warning. They are designed to encourage you to read the instructions concerning the experiment before you come tothe lab.

Attendance and Reports 10 degree

Drop quizzes Midterm 5 degree

Final Exam 15 degree

# Laboratory Equipment



# **List of Glassware and Equipment**

- 1) Condenser
- 2) Round-bottomed flask (50 mL and 100 mL)
- 3) Distilling head.
- 4) Adaptors.
- 5) Stoppers.
- 6) Separating funnels.
- 7) Beaker (50 mL, 100 mL, 250 mL and 400 mL).
- 8) Conical flask (100 mL and 250 mL).
- 9) Buchner funnel.
- 10) Buchner flask.
- 11) Funnel.
- 12) Glass rod.
- 13) Capillary tubes.
- 14) Test tubes.
- 15) Washing bottles.
- 16) Test tube rack.
- 17) Stand.
- 18) Clamps.
- 19) Test tube holder.
- 20) Heating Mantel 50 mL.
- 21) Watch glass.
- 22) Brush.

# قائمة بالمختصرات الكيميائية

Sol.	Soluble	ذوبانية
Insol.	Insoluble	غير ذائبة
Eff.	Effervescence	فوران او تصاعد غاز
Ppt.	Precipitate	راسب
Dil.	Dilute solution	محلول مخفف
Conc.	Concentrate solution	محلول مركز
Obs.	Observation	المشاهدة
Res.	Result	النتائج
mL	Milliliter	ماليليتر
min	Minutes	دقائق
m.p	Melting point	درجة الانصهار
b.p	Boiling point	درجة الغليان
g	Gram	الجرام

#### Safety

A chemistry lab can be dangerous place. If you work with care, however you ought to survive and not eliminate your neighbors. Therefore: -

- 1) **ALWAYS** ware safety glasses in the lab. You may only be sitting at your bench writing in your manual, but your neighbor's distillation may explode.
- 2) **NEVER**, but never, allow ANY organic compound on your skin or breathe in the dust from a solid or spray from a liquid.

Some compounds are labelled as particularly dangerous. Carcinogenic ones cause cancer, some apparently harmless ones, like benzene, are very toxic indeed.

#### ALL ARE LETHAL IN SUFFICIENT QUANTITY.

Rubber gloves are available to protect your hands.

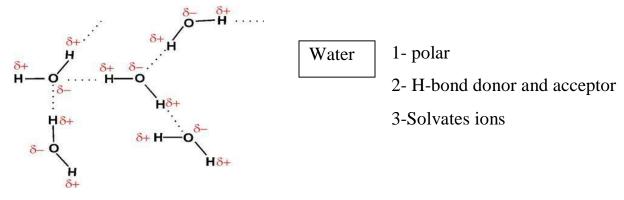
- 3) **NEVER** boil organic compounds in the open lab or allow gases to escape, use the fume cupboard.
- 4) **BEWARE of FIRE**. Know where the fire extinguishers are. Look around you before lighting your burner. In particular, make sure no one is using ether or petrol nearly.
- 5) **HANDLE** glass-ware **CAREFULLY**. Use quick fit apparatus, and watch for chipped or cracked apparatus: return it to the preparation room.
- 6) **REPORT** all accidents to your demonstrator. You may think you are "all right" but it is not worth taking chances.

Keeping your bench clean is most important, always clean up at all times. You will have your grade reduced if you keep it in an untidy mess, the same applies to your locker.

#### EXPERIMENT 1

#### Solubility

General Rule: Like dissolve like



## Test-tube 1

- Place 1 mL of distilled water in the test tube.
- Add 0.5 mL of hexane (CH<sub>3</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>3</sub>).
- Shake.

Hexane is:

- 1) non-polar.
- 2) non- H- bonding.
- 3) does not solvate ions.

# Test-tube 2

- Place 1 mL of distilled water in the test tube.
- Add 0.5 mL of ethanol (CH<sub>3</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>OH).
- Shake.

#### Test-tube 3

- Place 1 mL of distilled water in the test tube.
- Add 5 drops of 1-hexanol (CH<sub>3</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>OH)
- Shake.

In hexanol, the ratio of water insoluble "part" to water soluble "part" is high.

#### Test-tube 4

- Place 1 mL of distilled water in the test tube.
- Add 1 mL of diethylether (CH<sub>3</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>OCH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>3</sub>).
- Shake.
- In the same tube add 1 drop of (KMnO<sub>4</sub>).
- Add 1 mL of ethanol.
- Shake well.

#### Test-tube 5

- Place 1 mL of distilled water in the test tube.
- Add 1 mL of chloroform (CHCl<sub>3</sub>).
- Shake.

Ether and chloroform are good solvents for extraction from aqueous solutions.

# Test-tube 6

- Place 1 mL of chloroform in the test tube.
- Add 1 mL of water.
- Add 1 mL of methyl red solution (in water).
- Shake.

**Therefore,** the methyl red is preferentially soluble in ......

- Add 3 drops of 5% NaOH solution to the methyl red/CHCl<sub>3</sub>/H<sub>2</sub>O mixture and shake well

$$HA = methyl red$$
 $HA + NaOH \longrightarrow Na^+A^- + H_2O$ 
 $Water$ 
 $HA (light yellow) soluble in  $CHCl_3$ 
 $Water$ 
 $CHCl_3$$ 

# **Report number 1**

Test	Observation	Result
H <sub>2</sub> O + Hexane		
H <sub>2</sub> O + Ethanol		
H <sub>2</sub> O + Hexanol		
H <sub>2</sub> O + Ether		
H <sub>2</sub> O + Ether + Ethanol		
H <sub>2</sub> O + Chloroform		
H <sub>2</sub> O + Chloroform + methyl red		
3 drops of 5% NaOH solution to the mixture		

# **Questions:**

- 1) Which of these organic solvents will form one layer with water:
- a) Benzene.
- b) Propanol.
- c) Methanol.
- d) Dipropylether.
- e) Octanol.

#### EXPERIMENT 2

#### Extraction

It is evident from the test-tube reactions that a compound dissolved in one solvent can be extracted into another solvent if:

- a) It is more soluble in the second solvent; and
- b) The two solvents are immiscible.

On a preparative scale these extractions are carried out in a "separating funnel", which is constructed to allow easy separation of two immiscible solutions.

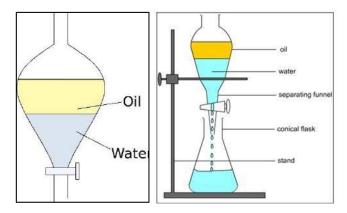


Figure 1: Diagram of separating funnel apparatus.

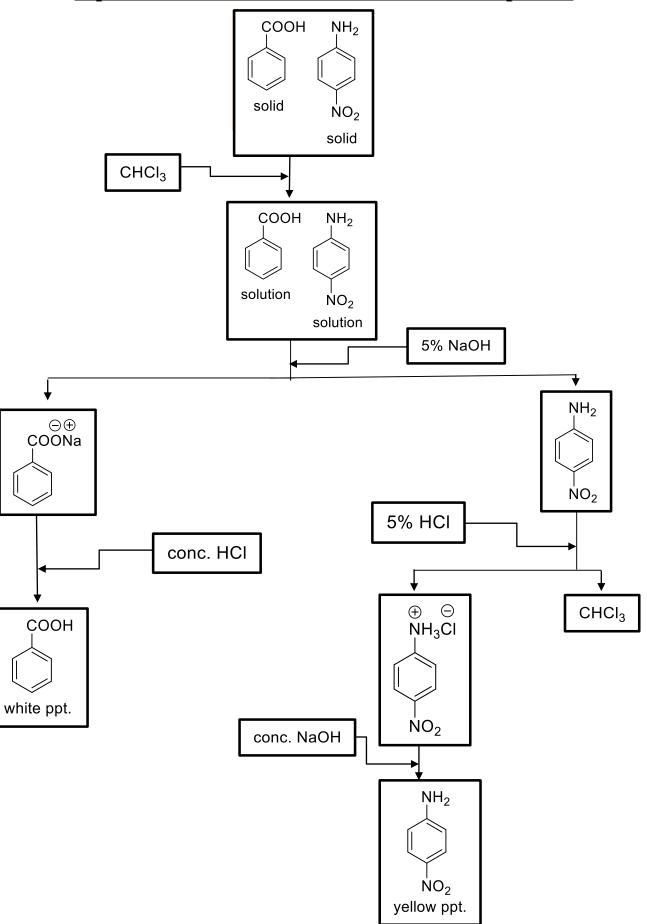
The objective of this experiment is to make you familiar with this technique.

**Table 1:** List of common solvents that can be used for extraction from water.

Solvent	Formula
Hexane (light petrol)	$C_6H_{14}$
Benzene	$C_6H_6$
Diethyl ether (ether)	$(C_2H_5)_2O$
Ethyl acetate	CH <sub>3</sub> COOC <sub>2</sub> H <sub>5</sub>
Chloroform	CHCl <sub>3</sub>
Carbon tetrachloride	CCl <sub>4</sub>

**NOTE** that methanol, ethanol, and acetone are miscible with water and cannot be used for extraction from water.

# **Separation of Mixture of Basic and Acidic Compounds**



#### **<u>Caution</u>** (Before you start)

- Since most organic chemicals are hazardous in some way (e.g. inflammable, poisonous vapor or poisoning through skin) take care not to get any on your hand.
- The *m*-nitroaniline is highly colored and toxic so you will be able to observe any contamination.
- If you get any, on your skin wash your skin with soap and water. Do not wash with an organic solvent, this would assist passage of the contaminant through your skin.

## **Procedure**

- In a 50 mL conical flask weigh approximately 2 g of a mixture of benzoic acid (C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>5</sub>COOH), HA and *m*-nitroaniline.
- Add 25 mL of chloroform.
- Transfer the solution to a 50 mL separating funnel, using a funnel (Figure 1).

#### **Solvent Extraction General Procedure**

- Clamp the separatory funnel securely with the tap lubricated with Vaseline and closed.
- Pour in the chloroform solution through a funnel and use in a little extra chloroform to wash in the last traces of a powder sticking to the walls of the flask and to the funnel.
- Add 20 mL of 10% sodium hydroxide solution to the separatory funnel through the funnel.
- Insert the stopper (lubricated with Vaseline) and shake the separating funnel to mix the layers thoroughly, releasing the pressure via the top at frequently intervals.
- Allow the layers to separate.
- Remove the stopper. Run off the lower layer into a 50 mL conical flask; not to fast or you will create a vortex. Close the tap when the bore of the tap contains the last of the lower layer.

The	chlorofo	rm laye	r contaiı	ns?				
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The	aqueous	layer co	ontains?					

- Run the upper (aqueous) layer into a 100 mL conical flask.
- Add to upper layer conc. HCl until no whiter precipitate forms. It may be necessary to cool the solution.

The precipitate is

Allow the solution to cool and then suction filter off the solid, wash it with a little cold water and dry in an oven.

#### **Suction Filtration**

Apparatus: Buchner funnel, flasks and filter paper (Figure 2).

- 1) Choose the correct size of filter paper, wet it all over with water and place it centrally in the funnel.
- 2) Briefly apply suction to secure the paper firmly in place.
- 3) Pour in the slurry of crystals. Do not fill to more than 2/3.
- 4) Use filtrate (mother-liquor) to wash in any crystals which remains stuck to the walls of the flask.
- 5) To wash the crystals with cold water, first release the vacuum slurry the crystals taking care not to damage the filter paper then reapply the suction.

<u>To dry</u>, place the crystals on a clean filter paper, and cover with another piece of filter paper.

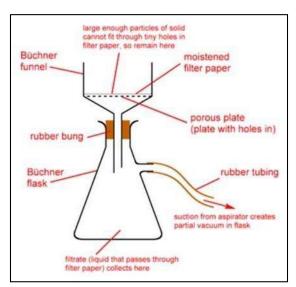


Figure 2: Buchner funnel.

Then put chloroform layer back into separating funnel.

Extract with 20 mL of 10% HCl solution.

The chloroform layer contains? .....

The aqueous layer contains? .....

Separate the layers.

Keep the upper aqueous layer and put the lower chloroform layer into the residue bottle.

To the aqueous layer, add 10% NaOH until no further precipitation takes place.

The precipitate is .....

Suction filter the solid, wash with a little water and dry in the air at room temperature.

Submit your sample to your demonstrator before you leave.

3) 
$$\stackrel{\text{NH}_2}{\longrightarrow}$$
  $\stackrel{\text{H}_3CI}{\longrightarrow}$   $\stackrel{\text{NH}_3CI}{\longrightarrow}$   $\stackrel{\text{NO}_2}{\longrightarrow}$ 

# **Questions**

Predict the outcome of the following extractions?

- 1) Benzoic acid dissolved in ether:
  - a) Extract with aqueous HCl.
  - b) Extract with H<sub>2</sub>O.
  - c) Extract with aqueous NaOH.
- 2) Aniline dissolved in ether:
  - a) Extract with aqueous HCl.
  - b) Extract with H<sub>2</sub>O.
  - c) Extract with aqueous NaOH.

EXPERIMENT 3 Date:

#### Aliphatic Hydrocarbon (Bonding)

(Alkanes and Alkenes)

#### Alkanes

In general C - H and C - C bonds in alkanes are unreactive towards polar reagents. Reaction generally occurs by the formation of radicals in the presence of asuitable initiator (Z:). This type of reaction is called **Free Radical Substitution**.

$$-\overset{|}{C}-H \xrightarrow{\dot{Z}} -\overset{|}{C}\cdot + HZ$$

#### • Bromine to an Alkane:

#### Test-tube 1

- Take 1 mL of cyclohexane.
- Add 3 drops of Br<sub>2</sub>/CCl<sub>4</sub> solution.
- In the presence of light from the sun or a UV lamp, the bromine undergoes hemolytic fission and readily reacts with the cyclohexane.

- Dip a clean glass rod into conc. NH<sub>4</sub>OH and hold the glass rod over the mouth of the test tube. **What happened?** 

.....

#### The observing is the formation of NH<sub>4</sub>Br which is a test for the presence of HBr.

**Chemical equation:** 

$$HBr + NH_4OH \longrightarrow NH_4Br + H_2O$$

#### • Alkenes

Alkenes undergo **polar addition reactions** initiated by electron rich system of the double bond.

• Addition of Bromine to an Alkene

$$\begin{array}{c} H \\ H \\ \end{array} C = C \\ \begin{array}{c} H \\ \end{array} + Br_2 / CCl_4 \end{array} \longrightarrow \begin{array}{c} H \\ H \\ - C \\ - C \\ - H \\ Br \\ H \end{array}$$

# Test-tube 2

- Take 3 drops of cyclohexene.
- Add 3 drops of Br<sub>2</sub>/CCl<sub>4</sub> solution.

# • Alkene with Potassium Permanganate (KMnO<sub>4</sub>)

Reaction with dil. KMnO<sub>4</sub> solution is also a test for the presence of carbon-carbon double bonds. The double bond of an alkene is easily oxidized to a di-OL.

# Test-tube 3

- Take 3 mL of dil. KMnO<sub>4</sub> solution.
- Add 3 drops of cyclohexene.
- Shake.

# Report number 2

Test	Observation	Result	Chemical equation
+ Br <sub>2</sub> / CCl <sub>4</sub> ( light or UV.)			
+ Br <sub>2</sub> / CCI <sub>4</sub> ( Direct)			
+ KMnO <sub>4</sub>			

#### **Questions:**

Complete the following reactions:

1) 
$$\bigcirc$$
 + Br<sub>2</sub> / CCl<sub>4</sub>  $\longrightarrow$ 

3) 
$$CH_3CH_3 + Br_2/CCI_4 \xrightarrow{Light}$$

4) 
$$H_3C$$
  $C=CH$  +  $Br_2/CCI_4$   $\longrightarrow$ 

5) 
$$\frac{H_3C}{H}C=C\frac{H}{H} + KMnO_4 \longrightarrow$$

EXPERIMENT 4 Date:

#### Aromatic Hydrocarbons

**Aromatic compounds** have multiple double bonds; these compounds do not undergo addition reactions. Their lack of reactivity toward addition reactions is due to the great stability of the ring systems **that result from resonance.** 

#### • Bromine with Benzene

#### Test-tube 1

- Take 1 mL of 90% acetic acid (solvent).
- Add 5 drops of benzene.
- Add 5 drops of Br<sub>2</sub>/CCl<sub>4</sub>.
- Pour the contents of the tube into the vial containing the iron powder, shake. Polarization of the bromine occurs

$$\operatorname{Br}^{-}$$
  $\operatorname{Br}^{-}$   $\operatorname{Br}^{+}$ 

The positive bromine species is a better electrophile than molecular bromine.

The type of reaction in benzene is **electrophilic aromatic substitution.** 

# • Benzene with Potassium Permanganate (KMnO<sub>4</sub>)

#### Test-tube 2

- Take 1 mL of dilute aqueous KMnO<sub>4</sub> solution.
- Add 2 drops of benzene.
- Shake.

#### **Chemical equation:**

# Oxidation of Alkyl Side-Chains

alkylbenzenes are oxidized to benzoic acids (-COOH), as long as the alkyl group contains at least one hydrogen at the benzylic position.

# p-Methoxytoulene with KMnO<sub>4</sub>

$$H_3CO$$
  $CH_3$   $p$ -Methoxytoulene

# **Test-tube 3**

- Take 1 mL of dilute aqueous KMnO<sub>4</sub> solution.
- Add one drop of *p*-methoxytoulene.
- Shake.

$$CH_3$$
  $COOH$  +  $KMnO_4$   $OCH_3$ 

#### Anisole (Methoxybenzene) with KMnO<sub>4</sub>

#### Test-tube 4

- Take 1 mL of dilute aqueous KMnO<sub>4</sub> solution.
- Add 2 drops of anisole (methoxybenzene).
- Shake.

#### Nitration of Benzene

Nitration occurs when one (or more) of the hydrogen atoms on the benzene ring is replaced by a nitro group, NO<sub>2</sub>. Nitrating mixture is concentrated nitric acid (HNO<sub>3</sub>) with sulfuric acid (H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>).

$$HNO_3 + H_2SO_4 \longrightarrow NO_2 + HSO_4 + H_2O$$

#### Test-tube 5

- Take 1 mL of nitrating mixture (conc. H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> + conc. HNO<sub>3</sub>).
- Add 5 drops of benzene.
- Shake well.
- Take about 20 mL of distilled water in a small beaker.
- Pour reaction mixture into this water.

# **Observation**

The main product of my reaction is .....

The first nitro group deactivates the ring to further attack and directs the second nitrogroup exclusively to the meta position.

# Report number 3

Test	Observation	Result	Chemical equation
+ Br <sub>2</sub> / CCI <sub>4</sub> ( Direct)			
+ Br <sub>2</sub> / CCI <sub>4</sub> ( Fe)			
+ KMnO <sub>4</sub>			
CH <sub>3</sub> + KMnO <sub>4</sub> OCH <sub>3</sub>			
+ KMnO <sub>4</sub> OCH <sub>3</sub>			
+ HNO <sub>3</sub> \H <sub>2</sub> SO <sub>4</sub>			

# Questions

3) 
$$+ HNO_3 \setminus H_2SO_4 \longrightarrow$$

#### EXPERIMENT 5

Date:

#### Hydroxy Compounds (Alcohols and Phenols)

## • Preparation of Alkyl Halide from Alcohol

In practice:

#### **Reaction 1**

$$ROH + SOCl_2 \longrightarrow RC1 + SO_2 + HC1$$

Thionyl choride

#### **Reaction 2**

ROH + PCl<sub>5</sub> 
$$\longrightarrow$$
 RCl + POCl<sub>2</sub> + HCl pentachlorphosphors

# • Lucas' reagent

#### Test-tube 1

- Take 1 mL of conc. HCl in three test tubes.
- Add 10 drops of *t*-butanol in test tube 1.
- Add 10 drops of isopropanol in test tube 2.
- Add 10 drops of ethanol in test tube 3.
- Shake.

3º alcohol 
$$H_3C-\overset{C}{C}-OH + HCI \longrightarrow H_3C-\overset{C}{C}-CI + H_2O$$
 Fast  $\overset{C}{C}H_3$  Tert-butanol

#### Oxidation of Alcohols

Reaction with an oxidizing agent e.g. KMnO<sub>4</sub>, H<sub>2</sub>CrO<sub>4</sub>, is an important synthesis of aldehydes, ketones and carboxylic acids.

## Test-tube 2

- Take 1 mL of chromic acid (H<sub>2</sub>CrO<sub>4</sub>).
- Add 5 drops of ethanol (primary alcohol).
- Place the tube in hot water bath.

#### **Chemical equation:**

# Test-tube 3

- Take 1 mL of chromic acid (H<sub>2</sub>CrO<sub>4</sub>).
- Add 5 drops of *t*-butanol (tertiary alcohol).
- Place the tube in hot water bath.

## • Phenols

Phenols are compounds that possess a hydroxyl group directly attached to an aromatic ring.

Phenol

## • Ferric chloride (FeCl<sub>3</sub>)

phenol group will form a blue, violet, purple, green, or red-brown color upon addition of aqueous ferric chloride (FeCl<sub>3</sub>). This reaction **can be used as a test for phenol group.** 

#### Test-tube 4

- Take 3 drops of the aqueous phenol solution.
- Add 2 drops of FeCl<sub>3</sub> solution.

#### **Chemical equation:**

violet complex

## Acidity of Phenols

Resonance stabilization of the charge in the anion is responsible for phenols being weak acids.

$$\begin{array}{c|c}
OH & & \bigcirc \\
-H & & \bigcirc \\
-H & & \bigcirc
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#### **Test-tube 5**

- Take 1 mL of aqueous phenol solution.
- Add 1 drop of bromothymol blue. (**pH color** change of bromothymol blue; (yellow at pH 6.2) to (blue at pH 7.6).

#### **Observation**

The color of the solution .....

The solution has a pH of .....

#### Test-tube 6

- Take 1 mL of aqueous phenol solution.
- Add 1 drop of bromophenol blue. (**pH color** change of bromophenol blue; (yellow; pH 3.0 to blue; pH 4.6).

### **Observation**

The color of the solution .....

The solution has a pH of .....

# **Conclusion**

The phenol solution therefore has a pH somewhere between ....... and ........

#### • Electrophilic Substitution in Phenol

OH OH Br 
$$+ 3Br_2$$
  $\xrightarrow{H_2O}$   $\xrightarrow{Br}$   $+ 3HBr$ 

2,4,6-Tribromophenol (white ppt)

# Test-tube 7

- Take 3 drops of the aqueous phenol solution.
- Add 2 mL of bromine water.

# Report number 4

Test	Observation	Result	Chemical equation
1º alcohol + Conc.HCl			
2º alcohol + Conc.HCl			
3º alcohol + Conc.HCl			
1º alcohol + H <sub>2</sub> CrO <sub>4</sub>			
3º alcohol + H <sub>2</sub> CrO <sub>4</sub>			
OH + FeCl <sub>3</sub>			
OH + Br <sub>2</sub> / H <sub>2</sub> O			

# Questions

OH 
$$H_2CrO_4$$

3) 
$$\longrightarrow$$
 OH  $\xrightarrow{\text{H}_2\text{CrO}_4}$ 

4) 
$$\longrightarrow$$
 OH  $\xrightarrow{\text{H}_2\text{CrO}_4}$ 

$$Br_2/H_2O$$
 FeCl<sub>3</sub>

**EXPERIMENT 6** Date:

#### Preparation of Aspirin

Salicylic acid and many of its derivatives are antipyretics and analgesics but the acetyl derivative is not having any bad side-effects. Willow bark tea, which contains salicylic acid, was known to Hippocrates as a valuable analgesic ("Salicylic acid" is derived from the latin salix, willow).

Acetylsalicylic acid was first prepared in 1854 by a German called Gerhardt, but it was not until forty years later that its medicinal value was recognized when Hoffmann, a German chemist, tried it on his father and found that it eased the old man's rheumatic pains.

Aspirin is therefore one of the earliest examples of the alternation in chemotherapeutic properties that can result from a seemingly minor alteration in molecular structure. Of course, aspirin itself can cause undesirable side effects in some people (gastric irritation and skin rashes) but these effects are not nearly (headache, dizziness, mental confusion, nausea, etc.).

According to one textbook "over 27 million pounds of aspirin are consumed yearly in the United States (sufficient to treat over 17 billion headaches)". Thus though aspirin is widely used its mechanisms of action are still unknown. Both the antipyretic and the analgesic effects for many years thought to be central; that is, its drug somehow affects the temperature control center (the hypothalamus) and the pain center (subcortical regions, probably the thalamus) of the brain. More recently a new hypothesis of action has been advanced. The drug may act locally to reduce fever, pain and inflammation by inhibiting cellular release of a chemical which mediates these defense reaction, in particular the secondary defense mechanism (its substances including histamine, kinins and prostoglandines).

COOH 
$$H_3C-C$$
  $H^+$   $COOH$   $+$   $CH_3COOH$   $+$   $CH_3COOH$   $+$   $CH_3COOH$  Salicylic acid Acetic anhydride Acetyl salicylic acid (Aspirin)

#### **Procedure**

- Weigh out 5 g of salicylic acid.
- Place the salicylic acid in a 125 mL conical flask.
- Add 10 mL of acetic anhydride in the hood.
- Add 1-2 mL of conc. H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>.
- Stopper flask with plug of cotton wool.
- Swirl the reaction mixture for 10 minutes.
- After 10 minutes, add 25 mL of ice water and swirl for 10 minutes.
- Collect the precipitate in a small Buchner funnel.
- Wash it with 10 mL of ice water.
- Dry the product in the air.
- Weigh and determine the melting point.

#### • Ferric Chloride (FeCl<sub>3</sub>)

Ferric chloride forms complexes with enols and phenol. These complexes are usually dark in color, dark purple and dark green being common. These colored complexes form the basis of a test for phenols.

## **Procedure**

- Place 2 mL of ferric chloride solution in the test-tube (Ferric chloride solution has a pale yellow color).
- Add to it a few crystals of salicylic acid.

Repeat the test but instead of using salicylic acid, add a few crystals of your product.

<u>Observation</u>	<u>on</u>					
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Weight of	f Aspirin obtaine	d =	. g.			
Meting po	oint of Aspirin	=	°C.			

# Questions

Q1) What is the structure of Aspirin?

Q2) Write the chemical equation for preparation of Aspirin?

Q3) Why does FeCl<sub>3</sub> react with Salicylic acid but does not react with aspirin?

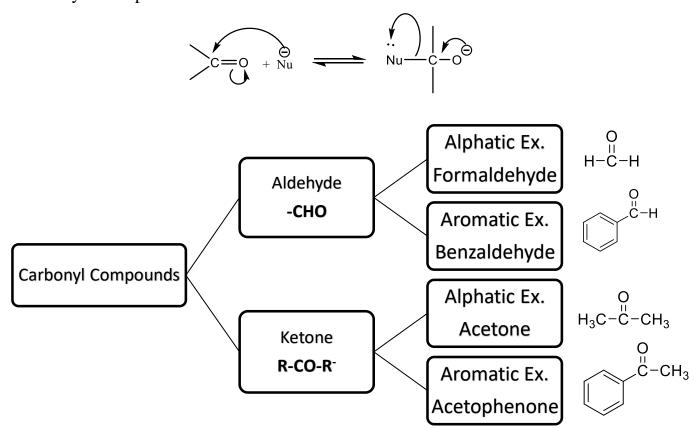
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### Aldehydes and Ketones

Aldehydes and ketones are characterized by carbonyl group-polarized double bond.

$$C = O$$

Attack by nucleophiles therefore occurs at the C<sup>+</sup> end.



## • Carbonyl Compounds with Amines

Aldehydes and ketones could react with ammonia or 1°-amines to form imine derivatives, also known as Schiff bases (compounds having a C=N function).

$$R-NH_2 + H \text{ or } -R \xrightarrow{C} R \longrightarrow H \text{ or } -R \xrightarrow{C} R + H_2O$$

1° amine Aldehyed or Imine Ketone

## Test-tube 1

- Take 0.5 mL of ethanol.
- Add 5 drops of benzaldehyde.
- Add 1 mL of *p*-methoxyaniline (*p*-Anisidine) in ethanol-water.
- Shake.
- Place in a hot water bath.
- Cool the tube and add 1 drop of water.

#### **Chemical equation:**

$$NH_2$$
 $C$ 
 $H$ 
 $N=C$ 
 $N$ 

p-Methoxyaniline

### • 2,4-Dinitrophenylhydrazone Formation

Aldehyde or ketone

$$O_2N$$
 $O_2N$ 
 $O$ 

The reaction is used to identify aldehydes and ketones.

### Test-tube 2

- Take 1 mL of 2,4-dinitrophenylhydrazone (2,4D.N.P.) reagent.
- Add 1 drop of acetaldehyde or acetone.

#### **Chemical equation:**

Acetaldehyde

2,4-Dinitrophenylhydrazine (2,4D.N.P.)

### • Oxidation of Carbonyl group

Aldehydes could oxidize to form carboxylic acid while ketone does not oxidize.

## Test-tube 4

- **Take two test tubes** add 5 drops of acetaldehyde and the other add 5 drops acetone.
- Add 10 drops of chromic acid for the two test tubes (take care).
- Place the tubes in the hot water bath.

$$O$$
 $H_3C-C-H + H_2CrO_4 \longrightarrow H_3C-C-OH$ 
Acetaldehyde

O  

$$H_3C-\overset{"}{C}-CH_3 + H_2CrO_4 \longrightarrow$$
 No reaction  
**Acetone**

### Reduction of Carbonyl group

Addition of a hydride anion (H: ) to an aldehyde or ketone gives an alkoxide anion, which on protonation yields the corresponding alcohol. Aldehydes produce 1°-alcohols and ketones produce 2°-alcohols.

$$\begin{array}{c} O \\ R-\ddot{C}-H \end{array} \xrightarrow{ [R] } \begin{array}{c} H \\ R-\ddot{C}-OH \\ \end{array}$$
Aldehyde
$$\begin{array}{c} H \\ H \\ 1^0 \text{ alcohol} \end{array}$$

Reducing reagent: NaBH<sub>4</sub>

### Test-tube 3

- Take 1 mL of ethanol.
- Add 5 drops of benzaldehyde.
- Add 2 mL of NaBH<sub>4</sub> solution.
- Allow to stand.
- Add a few pieces of ice to a small beaker.
- Pour into the reaction mixture.

### Distinguishing Test between Aldehyde and Ketone

Tollen's reagent (a weak oxidizing agent) – ammonical silver nitrate with  $NH_4^+$  as the oxidant.

### Test-tube 5

- Take 2 mL of AgNO<sub>3</sub> solution.
- Add 8 drops of 5% NaOH solution.
- Add ammonium hydroxide dropwise and with mixing until the black precipitate just dissolves. (This is Tollen's reagent)
- Divide the solution into 2-test-tubes.

### Reaction E (i)

- Add 1 drop acetaldehyde of to the sample of Tollen's reagent in the test-tube.
- Place the tube in the hot water bath.

#### **Chemical equation:**

$$\begin{array}{c}
O \\
H_3C-C-H+2 \left[Ag (NH_3)_2\right] \stackrel{\bigcirc}{\bigcirc} O \\
OH+H_2O \longrightarrow H_3C-C-OH+ \downarrow 2Ag+4NH_3+2H_2O
\end{array}$$

### Reaction E (ii)

- Add 1 drop of acetone to the sample of Tollen's reagent in the test-tube.
- Place the tube in the hot water bath.

# **Report number 5**

Test	Observation	Result	Chemical equation
O C-H + p-methoxyaniline (p-Anisidine)			
$ \begin{array}{c} O \\ H \end{array} $ $ \begin{array}{c} O \\ H \end{array} $ $ \begin{array}{c} O \\ CH_3 \end{array} $ $ \begin{array}{c} + 2,4 \text{ D.N.P.} $			
O H + H <sub>2</sub> CrO <sub>4</sub>			
H <sub>3</sub> C CH <sub>3</sub> + H <sub>2</sub> CrO <sub>4</sub>			
O C-H + NaBH <sub>4</sub>			
O H + Tollen's reagent			
H <sub>3</sub> C CH <sub>3</sub> + Tollen's reagent			

# **Questions**

3) 
$$H_3C-\overset{O}{C}-CH_3 \xrightarrow{2,4 \text{ D.N.P.}}$$

4) 
$$H-C-H$$
  $\xrightarrow{H_2CrO_4}$ 

EXPERIMENT 8 Date:

#### Carbohydrates

Carbohydrates are compounds containing C, H, O and the H and O are present in the same proportion as in water. The word carbohydrate can be expressed as hydrates of carbon because molecular formulas of these compounds.

Example; Glucose has the molecular formula  $C_6H_{12}O_6$ , which might be written as  $C_6(H_2O)_6$ .

The chemistry of carbohydrates is mainly the combined chemistry of two functional groups: the hydroxyl group and the carbonyl group.

Carbohydrates are usually classified according to their structure as;

- 1) Monosaccharides: (glucose, galactose and fructose).
- 2) Disaccharides: (sucrose, maltose and lactose).
- 3) Polysaccharides: (starch and inulin).

The three classes of carbohydrates are related to each other through hydrolysis.

polysaccharide 
$$\frac{H_2O}{H^+}$$
 oligosaccharides  $\frac{H_2O}{H^+}$  monosaccharides  $\frac{C_{12}H_{20}O_{10}}{H^+}$   $\frac{nH_2O}{H^+}$   $nC_{12}H_{22}O_{11}$   $\frac{nH_2O}{H^+}$   $2nC_6H_{12}O_6$  glucose (a polysaccharide) (a disaccharide)

**Monosaccharides** (or simple sugars, as they are sometimes called) are carbohydrates that cannot be hydrolyzed to simpler compounds.

**Polysaccharides** contain many monosaccharide units—sometimes hundreds or even thousands. Usually, but not always, the units are identical. Example; starch and cellulose, contain linked units of the same monosaccharide, glucose.

**Oligosaccharides** (from the Greek oligos, few) contain at least two and generally no more than a few linked monosaccharide units. They may be called disaccharides, trisaccharides, and so on, depending on the number of units, which may be the same or different. Example; Maltose is a disaccharide made of two glucose units. Sucrose is made of two different monosaccharide units: glucose and fructose.

### Physical properties

Colorless solids, which decomposes on heating and therefore have no definite melting points. All are soluble in cold water except starch.

#### General Reactions:

#### **❖** Molisch's Test

#### Test-tube 1

- Take concentrated solution of the carbohydrate in water.
- Add equal amount of  $\alpha$ -naphthol solution.
- Carefully add excess amount of concentrated H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> inside the wall of the tube to form a heavy layer at the bottom.

#### **Observation**

A deep violet ring is produced at the interface.

Shake the solution.

#### **Observation**

The violet color spreads through the whole solution.

## **❖** Reduction of Fehling's Solution (A+B)

#### Test-tube 2

- Take 1 mL of sugar solution.
- Add 1 mL of Fehling's solution (A+B).
- Boil the soln. for one minute.

#### **Observation**

- Glucose, Fructose, Maltose (Malt sugar), and Lactose (Milk sugar); Reduction takes place and a red ppt. of cuprous oxide is formed.
- Starch and Sucrose give –ve result.

### **❖** Barfoed's Test: (Copper Acetate in Acetic Acid Solution)

### Test-tube 3

- Take 1 mL of sugar solution.
- Add 1 mL of Barfoed's reagent.
- Boil the soln. for one minute.

#### **Observation**

- Glucose and Fructose give red ppt. of cuprous oxide appears.
- Maltose gives red ppt. only after prolonged heating (more than 15min) as it is hydrolyzed to glucose.
- Lactose (Milk sugar) gives red ppt. only after prolonged heating (more than 15 min) as it is hydrolyzed to glucose and galactose.
- Starch and Sucrose give -ve result.

### \* Rapid Furfural Test

#### Test-tube 4

- Take 1 mL of dil. sugar solution.
- Add 1 mL of  $\alpha$ -naphthol solution.
- Add 3 mL of conc. HCl.
- Boil in a water bath.

#### **Observation**

- Glucose, Maltose, and Lactose (Milk sugar); a violet color appears after some time.
- Fructose and Sucrose (Can sugar); an immediate violet coloration on boiling.

### **❖** Iodine Test(I<sub>2</sub> Solution)

#### Test-tube 5

- In two test tubes take 1 mL of dil. Sugar (Sucrose and Starch) solution.
- Add 1 mL of I<sub>2</sub> solution.

#### **Observation**

- Starch gives blue-black color
- Sucrose –ve

## **❖** Tollen's reagent (Ammoniacal Silver Nitrate)

#### Test-tube 6

- Take 1 mL of sugar solution.
- Add 1 mL of dil. ammoniacal silver nitrate (Tollen's reagent).
- Boil the soln. for one minute.
- Place the test tube on a water bath.

#### **Observation**

- Glucose, Fructose, Maltose (Malt sugar) and Lactose (Milk sugar); a silver mirror is produced in 1-2 minutes.

Starch and Sucrose (Can sugar) give –ve result.

#### **❖** Osazone formation

### Test-tube 7

- Take solid sugar, phenyhydrazine hydrochloride, and sodium acetate in the ratio of 1:2:3.
- Add 5 drops of water.
- Place in a hot water bath for 10-15 minutes.

#### **Observation**

- Glucose and Fructose; yellow ppt. of the osazone appears after 10-15 minutes. Examine under the microscope, yellow needles aggregated in the form of sheaves.
- Maltose (Malt sugar); Forms yellow ppt. of osazone soluble in hot water, the yellow crystals of the osazone will appears only after cooling the soln. Examine the crystals under the microscope.
- Lactose (Milk sugar); Forms yellow ppt. of osazone soluble in hot water, the yellow crystals of the osazone will appears only after cooling the soln. Examine the crystals under the microscope.
- Starch and Sucrose (Can sugar); -ve result.



Glucosazone

or Fructosazon



Maltosazone



Lactosazone

# **\*** Water Solubility Test

# Test-tube 12

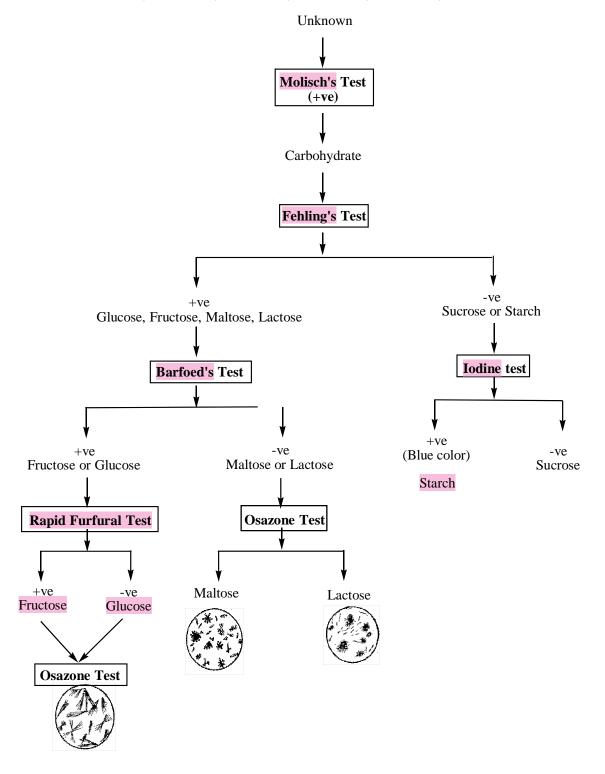
- Take solid sugar.
- Add water.
- Shake.

### **Observation**

- Mono-and disaccharides are soluble in water.
- Starch insoluble in water.

### **General Scheme for Identification of Carbohydrates**

### Starch, Sucrose, Glucose, Fructose, Maltose, Lactose



# **Report number 6**

# **Sugar name:**

Test	Observation	Result	Chemical equation
Molisch's Test			
Fehling's Solution (A+B)			
Barfoed's Test			
Rapid Furfural Test			
Iodine test			
Tollen's reagent			
H <sub>2</sub> O			

**EXPERIMENT 9** Date:

#### Carboxylic acids and Their Derivatives

### Reaction of Carboxylic acid with Sodium bicarbonate

Carboxylic acids are stronger acids than phenols.

### Test-tube 1

- Take 1 mL of 4% sodium bicarbonate solution (NaHCO<sub>3</sub>).
- Add one drop of 90% acetic acid solution.

**Note** the CO<sub>2</sub> evolved (effervescence).

#### **Chemical equation:**

$$H_3C-\overset{\circ}{C}-OH + NaHCO_3 \longrightarrow H_3C-\overset{\circ}{C}-ONa + CO_2 + H_2O$$

#### • Relative Acidities of Some Substituted Benzoic Acid

- a) Electron withdrawing substituents in Ar will reduce the charge on the carboxylateanions.
- b) The anion will therefore be stabilized.
- c) The acid will therefore show a greater tendency to dissociate.
- d) The acid will therefore be stronger if Ar is electron withdrawing than if Ar iselectron donating.

### <u>Test-tube 2, 3, 4</u>

- Place 1 mL of *p*-nitrobenzoic acid in test-tube 2.
- Place 1 mL of benzoic acid in test-tube 3.
- Place 1 mL of *p*-methoxybenzoic acid in test-tube 4.
- Add 1 drop of bromophenol blue solution to each tube. (**pH color change** of bromophenol blue; yellow (pH 3.0), blue (pH 4.6).
- Add 1 drop of 0.1M NaOH to each tube.

### **Observation**

- 1) Color of p-nitrobenzoic acid .....
- 2) Color of benzoic acid .....
- 3) Color of p-methoxybenzoic acid ......

### Order of acidity:

.....

Esterification

$$\begin{array}{c} O \\ R-C-OH \\ \end{array} + \begin{array}{c} R-OH \\ \end{array} + \begin{array}{c} O \\ R-C-O-R^- + \begin{array}{c} H_2O \\ \end{array} \end{array}$$
Carboxylic acid Alcohol Ester

### Test-tube 5

- Take 2 mL of the solution of sulfuric acid in methanol.
- Add 5 drops of the solution of salicylic acid in methanol.
- Place the tube in hot water bath. Take about 15 mL of cold water in a small beaker.
- Add the contents of the tube to the beaker.

The ester, methyl salicylate (oil of wintergreen) has a distinctive smell.

# • Amide Hydrolysis

Susceptible to basic (and acidic) hydrolysis but are less reactive than esters.

$$O$$
 $R-\overset{\circ}{\mathsf{C}}-\mathsf{NH}_2$  + NaOH  $\xrightarrow{\triangle}$   $R-\overset{\circ}{\mathsf{C}}-\mathsf{ONa}$  +  $\mathsf{NH}_3$ 

### Test-tube 6

- Take 1 mL of the ethanol solution of acetamide.
- Add 1 mL of 10% NaOH solution.
- Then take red litmus and keep it on the top of the tube.
- Place the tube in the hot water bath.

$$H_3C-\overset{\circ}{C}-NH_2 + NaOH \xrightarrow{\triangle} H_3C-\overset{\circ}{C}-ONa + \uparrow NH_3$$

# Report number 7

Test	Observation	Result	Chemical equation
Acetic acid + NaHCO <sub>3</sub>			
COOH + Bromophenol blue			
COOH  + Bromophenol blue  NO <sub>2</sub>			
COOH  + Bromophenol blue  OCH <sub>3</sub>			
Esterification			
O H <sub>3</sub> C-C-NH <sub>2</sub> + 10% NaOH with red litmus paper			

# Questions

3) 
$$H_3C-\overset{\circ}{C}-OH$$
 NaHCO<sub>3</sub>

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
O & H_2CrO_4 \\
4) & H-C-H & 
\end{array}$$

EXPERIMENT 10

Date:

#### Amino Compounds

### **Basicity of Amines**

#### Test-tube 1

- Take 1 mL of aqueous aniline.
- Add 2 drops of phenolphthalein.
   (pH color change of phenolphthalein; colorless pH 8.0 to pink pH 10.0).

### **Observation**

Aniline: Color ..... PH is .....

- Add 2 drops of *p*-nitrophenol solution to the aniline tube. (**pH color change** of *p*-nitrophenol; colorless pH 5.0 to yellow pH 7.0.)

### **Observation**

Aniline: Color ...... PH is .....

### Test-tube 2

- Take 1 mL of aqueous methylamine.
- Add 2 drops of phenolphthalein. (pH color change of phenolphthalein; colorless pH 8.0 to pink pH 10.0).

## **Observation**

Methylamine: Color ...... PH is .....

The pH of the aniline solution is between ...... and .....

Aniline is (less - more ) basic than methylamine.

The lone pair of electrons on the nitrogen of aniline is delocalized over the ring. etc.

Protonation of this nitrogen is therefore less favorable than in the case of methylamine (no resonance possible).

### • Diazotization (Reaction with Nitrous Acid)

# **Test-tube 3**

- Take 1 mL of the solution of aniline in 10% H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>.
- Slowly add 5 drops of NaNO<sub>2</sub> solution.
- Shake the tube after adding each drop.
- Set the tube aside.

#### **Chemical equation:**

$$NH_2$$
 $+ 2H_2SO_4 + NaNO_2$ 

Aniline

Benzene diazonium hydrogen sulfate

#### Test-tube 4

- Take 1 mL of 2-naphthol solution in sodium hydroxide.
- Pour a little (less than half) of the diazonium salt solution in Test-tube 4 into the 2-naphthol solution.

### Test-tube 5

- Take 10 mL of hot water.
- Add rest of the diazonium salt solution from Test-tube 4.
- Heat and swirl.

#### **Chemical equation:**

# • Bromination of Aniline

Aniline is highly reactive to electrophilic substitution reactions (- $NH_2$  is a strong electron-donor).

## Test-tube 6

- Take 3 drops of aqueous aniline solution.
- Add 1 mL of bromine water.

$$NH_2$$
  $+ 3Br_2 / H_2O$   $\rightarrow$   $Br$   $+ 3HBr$   $Br$   $White ppt.$ 

# **Report number 8**

Test	Observation	Result	Chemical equation
NH <sub>2</sub> + 2H <sub>2</sub> SO <sub>4</sub> + NaNO <sub>2</sub>			
⊕ N≡NHSO <sub>4</sub> OH NaOH			
$ \begin{array}{c} \bigoplus_{N \equiv N} \underset{N = N}{\ominus} \\  & \xrightarrow{H_2O} \end{array} $			
NH <sub>2</sub> + 3Br <sub>2</sub> / H <sub>2</sub> O			

# Questions