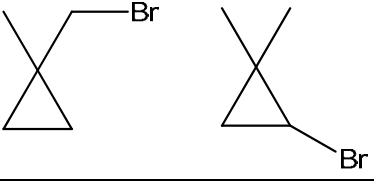
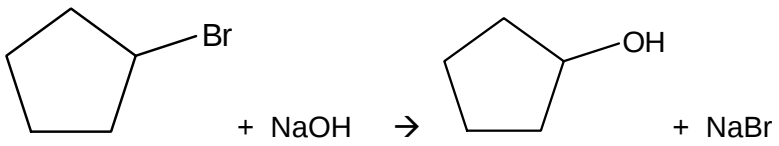
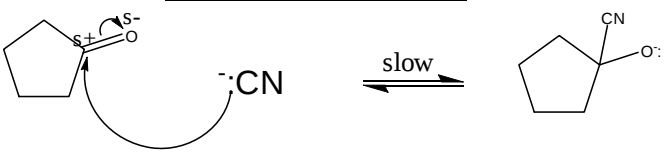


ACJC Chemistry Prelim Paper 3 Suggested Solution

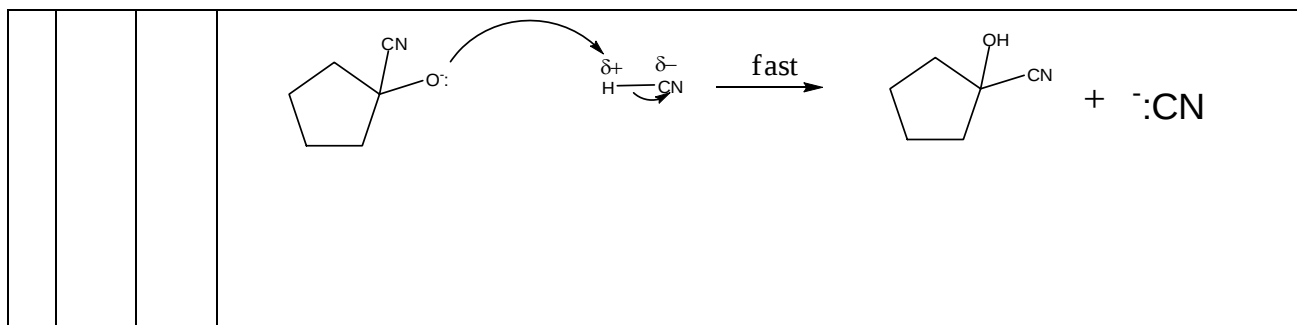
1	(a)	(i)	$\text{CH}_2=\text{CHCH}_2\text{OCOCH}_3 + \text{Br}_2 \rightarrow \text{CH}_2\text{BrCHBrCH}_2\text{OCOCH}_3$
		(ii)	Compare Expt No. 1 and 2, $[\text{Br}_2]$ constant, when [propenyl ethanoate] increases by 1.5 times, rate increases by 1.5 times. <u>Order of reaction with respect to propenyl ethanoate is 1</u> Compare Expt No. 1 and 3, [propenyl ethanoate] constant, when $[\text{Br}_2]$ doubles, rate increases by 4 times. <u>Order of reaction with respect to bromine is 2</u> <u>Rate = $k[\text{Br}_2]^2[\text{propenyl ethanoate}]$</u>
		(iii)	1% of ester = $1/100 \times 4.0 \times 10^{-2} = 4.0 \times 10^{-4} \text{ mol dm}^{-3}$ Time taken = $(4.0 \times 10^{-4}) / (5.16 \times 10^{-3}) = \underline{0.0775 \text{ s}}$ (assume constant rate)
		(iv)	Chlorine is electron-withdrawing; hence will lower the electron density on the carbon-carbon double bond, hence less susceptible to electrophiles. Rate is expected to be slower. OR Chlorine is electron-withdrawing, hence makes the carbocation intermediate less stable as positive charge on carbocation is more intensified. Thus rate is expected to be slower.
		(v)	$\text{CH}_2\text{BrCHOHCH}_2\text{OCOCH}_3 / \text{CH}_2\text{OHCHBrCH}_2\text{OCOCH}_3$
		(vi)	Rate of reaction would be faster. Water is more polar than ethanoic acid. It can form ion-dipole interaction with carbocation, hence stabilize it. Activation energy would be lowered. OR Rate of reaction would be slower. Water dilutes the concentration of Br_2. Since rate depends on concentration of Br_2 and concentration of Br_2 is decreased, rate is expected to be slower.
	(b)	(i)	From the graph, 20 cm^3 of NaOH reacted with MgCl_2. No. of moles of NaOH in $20 \text{ cm}^3 = 1.00 \times 20/1000 = 0.02 \text{ mol}$ $\text{MgCl}_2 + 2\text{NaOH} \rightarrow 2\text{NaCl} + \text{Mg}(\text{OH})_2$ No. of moles of MgCl_2 that reacted with NaOH = $0.02/2 = 0.01 \text{ mol}$ Initial concentration of $\text{MgCl}_2 = 0.01/(50/1000) = \underline{0.200 \text{ mol dm}^{-3}}$
		(ii)	pH = 9 $[\text{H}^+] = 10^{-9} \text{ mol dm}^{-3}$ <u>$[\text{OH}^-] = 10^{-5} \text{ mol dm}^{-3}$</u> No. of moles of $\text{Mg}^{2+} = 0.01/2 = 0.005 \text{ mol}$ <u>$[\text{Mg}^{2+}] = 0.00500/(60/1000) = 0.0833 \text{ mol dm}^{-3}$</u>

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			$K_{sp} \text{ of } \text{Mg}(\text{OH})_2 = [\text{Mg}^{2+}] [\text{OH}^-]^2 = (0.0833) (10^{-5})^2$ $= \underline{8.33 \times 10^{-12} \text{ mol}^3 \text{ dm}^{-9}}$
		(iii)	Solubility decreases with increasing temperature Less OH⁻ needed to reach K_{sp}. pH would be less than 9.
		(iv)	Mg²⁺ has <u>high charge density</u> and can polarize H₂O molecules slightly, <u>weakening the O-H bond in water</u>. $\text{Mg}(\text{H}_2\text{O})_6^{2+} (\text{aq}) \rightleftharpoons \text{Mg}(\text{H}_2\text{O})_5 (\text{OH})^+ (\text{aq}) + \text{H}^+ (\text{aq})$

2	(a)	(i)	 <u>Two mono-brominated products:</u>  (ignore stereoisomers)
		(ii)	Ratio of the above products = 6:4 = <u>3:2</u>
	(b)	(i)	Step I is a first order reaction. Write a balanced equation for the reaction, stating suitable reagents and conditions required. Hence, state the rate equation of the reaction.  aq NaOH & heat under reflux or heat rate = $k[\text{C}_5\text{H}_9\text{Br}]$
		(ii)	Step III: HCN in the presence of traces of NaCN or NaOH & 10°C - 20°C Mechanism: <u>Nucleophilic Addition</u> 

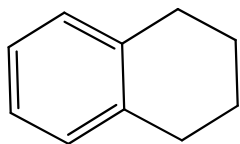
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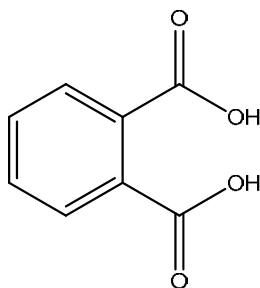
2	(c)	(i)	$\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3 (\text{s}) + 2\text{NaOH} (\text{aq}) + 3\text{H}_2\text{O} (\text{l}) \rightarrow 2\text{NaAl}(\text{OH})_4 (\text{aq})$ Or $\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3 (\text{s}) + 2\text{OH}^- (\text{aq}) + 3\text{H}_2\text{O} (\text{l}) \rightarrow 2\text{Al}(\text{OH})_4^- (\text{aq})$
		(ii)	Aluminium hydroxide $\text{Al}(\text{OH})_3$ $2\text{NaAl}(\text{OH})_4 (\text{aq}) + \text{CO}_2 (\text{g}) \rightarrow 2 \text{Al}(\text{OH})_3 (\text{s}) + \text{Na}_2\text{CO}_3 (\text{aq}) + \text{H}_2\text{O} (\text{l})$ Or $2\text{Al}(\text{OH})_4^- (\text{aq}) + \text{CO}_2 (\text{g}) \rightarrow 2 \text{Al}(\text{OH})_3 (\text{s}) + \text{CO}_3^{2-} (\text{aq}) + \text{H}_2\text{O} (\text{l})$ [Accept $\text{Al}(\text{OH})_4^- (\text{aq}) + \text{CO}_2 (\text{g}) \rightarrow \text{Al}(\text{OH})_3 (\text{s}) + \text{HCO}_3^- (\text{aq})$]
		(iii)	Cathode: $\text{Al}^{3+} + 3\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{Al}$ Anode: $2\text{O}^{2-} \rightarrow \text{O}_2 + 4\text{e}^-$
		(iv)	Water is reduced preferentially over Al^{3+} . Cryolite is added form a mixture which melts at a lower temperature.
		(v)	Mass of aluminium oxide in bauxite = $54/100 \times 1.00 \times 10^8$ $= 5.40 \times 10^7 \text{ kg}$ Amount of aluminium = $2 \times \{5.40 \times 10^{10} / [2(27) + 3(16)] \}$ $= 1.05 \times 10^9 \text{ mol}$ Mass of aluminium = $1.05 \times 10^9 \times 27 = 2.86 \times 10^{10} \text{ g} = \underline{2.86 \times 10^7 \text{ kg}}$ Amount of electrons required = $1.05 \times 10^9 \times 3 = 3.15 \times 10^9 \text{ mol}$ $Q = 3.15 \times 10^9 \times 96500 = \underline{3.04 \times 10^{14} \text{ C}}$

3	(a)		Bonds broken = $740 + 410 + 350 = +1500 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$ Bonds formed = $460 + 610 + 360 = +1430 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$ $\Delta H_r = 1500 - 1430 = +70 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$
	(b)	(i)	$K_a (\text{H}_3\text{O}^+) = [\text{H}^+] [\text{H}_2\text{O}] / [\text{H}_3\text{O}^+]$ and $K_a ((\text{CH}_3)_2\text{C}=\text{OH}^+) = [\text{H}^+] [(\text{CH}_3)_2\text{C}=\text{O}] / [(\text{CH}_3)_2\text{C}=\text{OH}^+]$
		(ii)	• $K_c = \frac{\left[\begin{array}{c} \text{H} \\ \\ \text{O}^+ \\ \\ \text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{H} \end{array} \right] [\text{H}_2\text{O}]}{\left[\begin{array}{c} \text{O} \\ \\ \text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{H} \end{array} \right] [\text{H}_3\text{O}^+]}$
		(iii)	$K_c = (10^{1.7} / 10^{7.2}) = 10^{-5.5} = 3.16 \times 10^{-6}$
		(iv)	$\Delta G^\circ = -8.31 \times 298 \times \ln(10^{-5.5}) = +31361 \text{ J mol}^{-1} = +31.4 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$
		(v)	K_c value is very small indicating that the keto form is predominant in the overall equilibrium Also ΔG° is very positive indicating that the enol form is not energetically favourable.
	(c)	(i)	Enol form is stabilised by intra-molecular hydrogen bonding OR Conjugation of the C=O bond with the C=C bond also contributes to the stability.
		(ii)	No / less likely No conjugation between the C=O bond with the C=C bond.
		(iii)	Keto form participates in dipole-dipole interaction or hydrogen bond formation with polar solvents which suppresses intra-molecular hydrogen bonding In a non polar solvent, the enol form becomes more stable through intramolecular hydrogen bonding
	(d)		- MF = $\text{C}_{10}\text{H}_{12}$ - P has no alkene functional group or C=C - Q has 2 $-\text{COOH}$ groups - R is an acid derivative since it is neutral

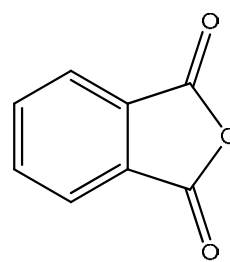
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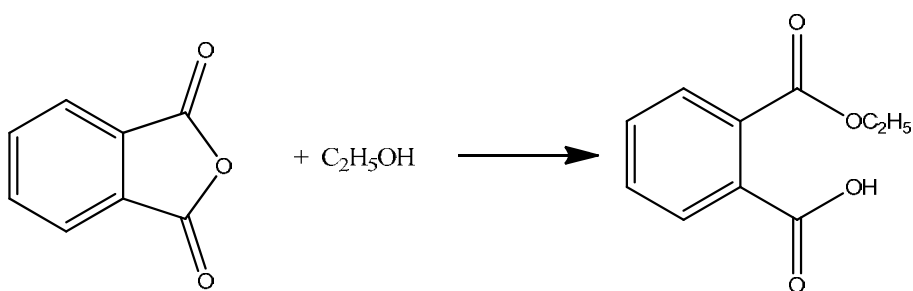
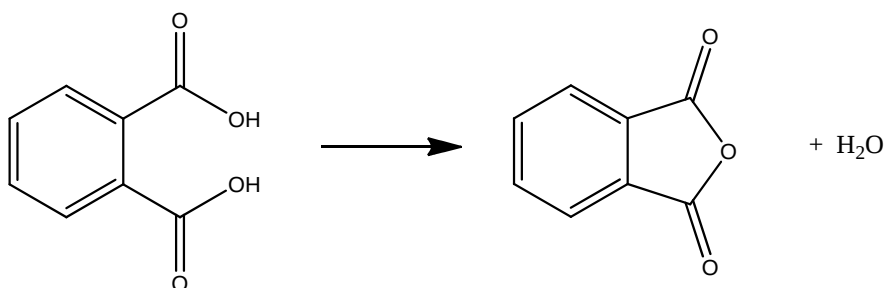
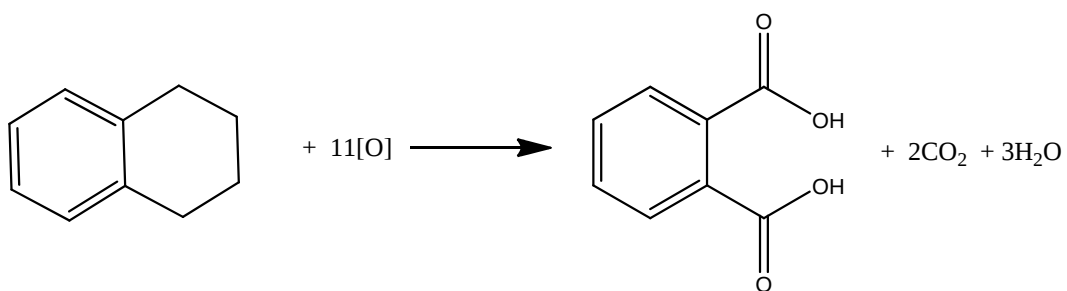
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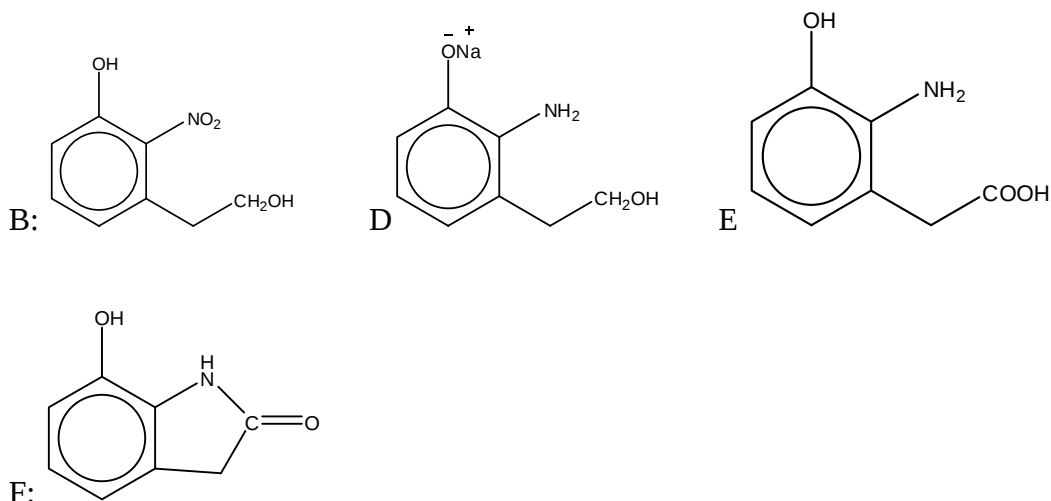


4	(a)	(i)	$\begin{array}{l} \text{Cu}^+ \quad 1s^2 2s^2 2p^6 3s^2 3p^6 3d^{10} \\ \text{Cu}^{2+} \quad 1s^2 2s^2 2p^6 3s^2 3p^6 3d^9 \end{array}$ 7	302
		(ii)	For $\text{Cu}^{2+}(\text{aq})$, the d-orbitals are not completely filled with electrons. An electron from a lower energy level can be excited to higher energy level when light is absorbed (d-d* electron transition). Light not absorbed is seen as colour of complex ion. For $\text{Cu}^+(\text{aq})$, the d-orbitals are completely filled with electrons. Hence d-d* electron transition is not possible. Complex ion appears colourless.	
		(iii)	$\text{NH}_3(\text{aq}) + \text{H}_2\text{O}(\text{l}) \rightarrow \text{NH}_4^+(\text{aq}) + \text{OH}^-(\text{aq})$ $[\text{Cu}(\text{H}_2\text{O})_6]^{2+}(\text{aq}) + 2\text{OH}^-(\text{aq}) \rightarrow \text{Cu}(\text{OH})_2(\text{s}) + 6\text{H}_2\text{O}(\text{l})$ When $\text{NH}_3(\text{aq})$ is added slowly, blue ppt of $\text{Cu}(\text{OH})_2$ is formed. $\text{Cu}(\text{OH})_2(\text{s}) + 4\text{NH}_3(\text{aq}) + 2\text{H}_2\text{O}(\text{l}) \rightleftharpoons [\text{Cu}(\text{NH}_3)_4(\text{H}_2\text{O})_2]^{2+}(\text{aq}) + 2\text{OH}^-(\text{aq})$ or $\text{Cu}(\text{OH})_2(\text{s}) + 4\text{NH}_3(\text{aq}) \rightleftharpoons [\text{Cu}(\text{NH}_3)_4]^{2+}(\text{aq}) + 2\text{OH}^-(\text{aq})$ or $\text{Cu}^{2+}(\text{s}) + 4\text{NH}_3(\text{aq}) \rightleftharpoons [\text{Cu}(\text{NH}_3)_4]^{2+}(\text{aq})$ When $\text{NH}_3(\text{aq})$ is added in excess, blue ppt dissolves and a deep blue solution is formed.	
		(iv)	$[\text{Cu}(\text{H}_2\text{O})_6]^{2+}(\text{aq}) + 4\text{Cl}^-(\text{aq}) \rightleftharpoons [\text{CuCl}_4]^{2-}(\text{aq}) + 6\text{H}_2\text{O}(\text{l})$ or $\text{Cu}^{2+}(\text{aq}) + 4\text{Cl}^-(\text{aq}) \rightleftharpoons [\text{CuCl}_4]^{2-}(\text{aq})$ When $\text{HCl}(\text{aq})$ is added, an intermediate green colour is observed because blue $[\text{Cu}(\text{H}_2\text{O})_6]^{2+}(\text{aq})$ is mixed with yellow $[\text{CuCl}_4]^{2-}(\text{aq})$. Final colour of solution is greenish-yellow.	
		(v)	$2\text{Cu}^{2+}(\text{aq}) + 4\text{I}^-(\text{aq}) \rightarrow 2\text{CuI}(\text{s}) + \text{I}_2(\text{s})$ When $\text{KI}(\text{aq})$ is added, CuI white ppt is formed in I_2 brown solution.	
		(vi)	$\begin{array}{l} \text{Cu}^+ + \text{e}^- \rightleftharpoons \text{Cu} \quad +0.52\text{V} \\ \text{Cu}^{2+} + \text{e}^- \rightleftharpoons \text{Cu}^+ \quad +0.15\text{V} \end{array}$ Overall: $2\text{Cu}^+ \rightarrow \text{Cu}^{2+} + \text{Cu}$ $E^\circ_{\text{cell}} = +0.52 - (+0.15) = \mathbf{+0.37\text{V}}$ Since $E^\circ_{\text{cell}} > 0$ Volt, the reaction is thermodynamically feasible. Equation: $\text{Cu}_2\text{O}(\text{s}) + \text{H}_2\text{SO}_4(\text{aq}) \rightarrow \text{Cu}(\text{s}) + \text{CuSO}_4(\text{aq}) + \text{H}_2\text{O}(\text{l})$ Acid-Base and Disproportionation	
	(b)		$\text{V}^{2+} + \text{Ce}^{4+} \rightarrow \text{V}^{3+} + \text{Ce}^{3+}$ $E^\circ_{\text{cell}} = +1.61 + (+0.26) = +1.87\text{V}$ Since $E^\circ_{\text{cell}} > 0$ Volt, the reaction is thermodynamically feasible. Violet $\text{V}^{2+}(\text{aq})$ solution becomes green $\text{V}^{3+}(\text{aq})$ solution. $\text{V}^{3+} + \text{Ce}^{4+} + \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{VO}^{2+} + \text{Ce}^{3+} + 2\text{H}^+$ $E^\circ_{\text{cell}} = +1.61 + (-0.34) = +1.27\text{V}$ Since $E^\circ_{\text{cell}} > 0$ Volt, the reaction is thermodynamically feasible. Green $\text{V}^{3+}(\text{aq})$ solution becomes blue $\text{VO}^{2+}(\text{aq})$ solution. $\text{VO}^{2+} + \text{Ce}^{4+} + \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{VO}_2^+ + \text{Ce}^{3+} + 2\text{H}^+$ $E^\circ_{\text{cell}} = +1.61 + (-1.00) = +0.61\text{V}$ Since $E^\circ_{\text{cell}} > 0$ Volt, the reaction is thermodynamically feasible. Blue $\text{VO}^{2+}(\text{aq})$ solution becomes yellow $\text{VO}_2^+(\text{aq})$ solution.	

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	(c)	$[\text{Fe}(\text{CN})_6]^{3-}(\text{aq})$ will not be a catalyst because it is thermodynamically not feasible ($E^\ominus_{\text{cell}} = +0.36 - 0.54 = -0.18\text{V}$). Or This is because $[\text{Fe}(\text{CN})_6]^{3-}(\text{aq})$ is negatively charged just like I^-. Hence it will be repelled by $\text{S}_2\text{O}_8^{2-}(\text{aq})$ as well. It is kinetically not quite feasible.
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5	(a)	(i)	Primary amine, tertiary amine, phenol, primary amide
		(ii)	Disulfide
		(iii)	Arginine forms hydrogen bonds or ionic bonds Phenylalanine forms van der Waals
		(iv)	I. Leucine has a much higher melting point than 1,7-Heptanediamine because the electrostatic attractions (ionic bond) in the crystal lattice of the zwitterionic form is stronger than the intermolecular hydrogen bonding between 1,7-Heptanediamine molecules. II. 1,7-Heptanediamine has a higher melting point than Heptanoic acid. Both have hydrogen bonds between their molecules and similar Mr (similar strength of VDW). However, 1,7-Heptanediamine can form more extensive hydrogen bonds than Heptanoic acid
	(b)	(i)	I: <u>Lactic acid dissociates to give H^+ ions, thus lowering the pH. The H^+ ions protonate the negatively charged $-\text{COO}^-$ R groups, thus disrupts the ionic bonds in the protein</u> II <u>Ethanol forms hydrogen bonds with the $-\text{OH}$ groups in the R groups, hence disrupts the intermolecular hydrogen bonds.</u>
	(c)	 A: B: C: D: E: F: 1 mark for each correct structure Accept also, -amine group at position 2 for structures B, D, E, F	



Deductions

- A reacts with dilute nitric acid to give B, $\Rightarrow$ A contains phenol or A undergoes mononitration to give B by the dilute HNO_3
- A reacts with aqueous bromine to form C, $\Rightarrow$ C is 2,4,6- trisubstituted or A is 1,3 disubstituted or A contains phenol
- B is reduced by Sn/conc HCl to D $\Rightarrow$ $-\text{NO}_2$ group in B is reduced to $-\text{NH}_2$ and phenol in B is converted to sodium phenoxide in D
- D undergoes oxidation with acidified dichromate to form carboxylic acid, $\Rightarrow$ primary alcohol present in D, or D is oxidised to form carboxylic acid in E, and phenoxide in D is acidified to phenol in E.
- Compound E reacts with 2 moles of sodium hydroxide. $\Rightarrow$ presence of 2 acidic groups in E or (both phenol and carboxylic acid)
- E, $\text{C}_8\text{H}_9\text{NO}_3$, is converted to G, $\Rightarrow$ The carboxyl group, $-\text{CO}_2\text{H}$, in E is converted into an acyl chloride, $-\text{COCl}$, by PCl_5 .
- The amine then undergoes internal nucleophilic substitution, with loss of Cl^- , to yield the cyclic amide F $\Rightarrow$ Hence, the carboxymethyl group, $-\text{CH}_2\text{CO}_2\text{H}$, must be adjacent to amine $-\text{NH}_2$ group in A to enable ring formation