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| 01.1 | Planar ring structure with delocalised electrons Bond length shorter than cyclohexane single bond but not as short as a double bond. |  | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \\ & 1 \\ & 1 \end{aligned}$ | 3.3.10.1 |
| 01.2 | Benzene is a more stable molecule than cyclohexatriene. benzene ( $=-208 \mathrm{~kJ} \mathrm{~mol}^{-1}$ ) which is less exothermic than cyclohexatriene because there is resonance in the structure/delocalisation of the electrons. | Less exothermic/more endothermic/releases less energy | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \\ & 1 \\ & 1 \end{aligned}$ | 3.3.10.1, MS |
| 01.3 | Bromine (water) <br> Benzene - no change/no (visible) reaction/colour stays the same Cyclohexane - decolourisation of the solution, colour turns from brown/orange to colourless |  | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \\ & 1 \\ & 1 \end{aligned}$ | 3.3.4.2, 3.3.10.1 |
| 01.4 | because addition reactions would disrupt the rings of delocalised electrons and therefore destabilise the structure | OWTTE | 1 | 3.3.10.1 |
| 02.1 | Concentrated $\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{SO}_{4}$ and concentrated $\mathrm{HNO}_{3}$ $\begin{aligned} & 2 \mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{SO}_{4}+\mathrm{HNO}_{3} \rightarrow 2 \mathrm{HSO}_{4}^{-}+\mathrm{NO}_{2}^{+}+\mathrm{H}_{3} \mathrm{O}^{+} \\ & \mathrm{OR} \\ & \mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{SO}_{4}+\mathrm{HNO}_{3} \rightarrow \mathrm{HSO}_{4}^{-}+\mathrm{NO}_{2}^{+}+\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O} \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \\ & 1 \end{aligned}$ | 3.3.10.2, MS 0.2 |
| 02.2 |  |  | 3 | 3.3.10.2 |
| 02.3 | Electrophilic substitution |  | 1 | 3.3.10.2 |

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| 02.4 |  <br> 3 pairs of bonding electrons and no lone pairs <br> All bonding pairs / bonds repel equally <br> (to arrange themselves as far apart as possible (to minimise repulsion.) <br> Trigonal planar | $120^{\circ}$ needed on diagram or in explanation | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \\ & 1 \\ & 1 \\ & 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { 3.1.3.5 } \\ \text { MS 4.1, MS 4.2 } \end{gathered}$ |
| 03.1 | $\mathrm{CH}_{3} \mathrm{BrORCH} \mathrm{Ol}_{3}$ <br> AND <br> $\mathrm{FeBr}_{3} \mathrm{OR} \mathrm{FeCl} 3$ | Either answer and its corresponding halogen carrier is acceptable | 1 | 3.3.10.2 |
| 03.2 | Electrophilic substitution |  | 1 | 3.3.10.2 |
| 03.3 | Reagents: (Concentrated) $\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{SO}_{4}$, AND (concentrated) $\mathrm{HNO}_{3}$ Mechanism: | Both needed for the mark | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \\ & 3 \end{aligned}$ | 3.3.10.2 |
| 03.4 | Sn AND concentrated HCl <br> Name of product: 1-amino-4-methylbenzene | Must say concentrated | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \\ & 1 \end{aligned}$ | 3.3.10.2 |
| 03.5 | Reduction |  | 1 | 3.3.11.1 |

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| 04.1 |  |  | 3 | 3.3.1.1, MS 4.2 |
| 04.2 | 1 peak <br> As all hydrogens are in the same environment. |  | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \\ & 1 \end{aligned}$ | 3.3.15 |
| 04.3 | Name: Ethylamine |  | $1$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { 3.3.1.1, 3.3.12.1, } \\ \text { MS 4.2 } \end{gathered}$ |
| 04.4 | Primary amine is stronger base than ammonia <br> As lone pair is more available (to bond with Hs ) (because alkyl groups push electron density onto N ) | Or reverse | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \\ & 1 \end{aligned}$ | 3.3.11.2 |
| 04.5 | Nucleophilic addition-elimination |  | 1 | 3.3.11.3 |

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| 05.1 | Polymer | PVC | Kevlar | 1 mark per box | $1 \times 4$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { 3.3.12.1, 3.3.4.3, } \\ \text { MS 4.2 } \end{gathered}$ |
|  | Repeating unit |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Monomer |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Type of Polymerisation | Addi | Condensation |  |  |  |
| 05.2 | addition polyme condensation poly $\mathrm{HCl} /$ small mole | tion merisa also | economy because only one product economy is less than $100 \%$, because $\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}$ / |  | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \\ & 1 \end{aligned}$ | 3.3.4.3, 3.1.2.5 |
| 05.3 | Advantages of $r$ <br> Saves limited res plastic does not <br> Disadvantages of <br> Costs energy and <br> Plastic needs col <br> Advantages of $\mathbf{d}$ cheap <br> If burnt: can use <br> Disadvantages of <br> leaking chemical <br> Takes up large ar <br> If burnt, releases | cling: urces, up in ecycli sourc ting and osal: <br> heat <br> ispos <br> an dam <br> of land <br> $\mathrm{O}_{2}$ (gre | ectricity <br> s) and toxic HCl | Four of the points from the left (at least one advantage and one disadvantage for disposal AND recycling) | 4 | 3.3.4.3, 3.3.12.2 |

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| 06.1 |  |  | 2 | 3.3.12.1, MS 4.2 |
| 06.2 | Polymers have higher melting points than the monomers because there are greater intermolecular forces/forces between molecules, therefore a higher temperature/more energy is needed to overcome them. | Do not allow 'stronger bonds', | 1 <br> 1 | 3.3.12.1 |
| 06.3 | Poly(caprolactam) OR poly(azepan-2-one) |  | 1 | 3.3.4.3 |
| 06.4 | Nylon 6 repeating unit: | Need the brackets, don't need the ' $n$ ' | 1 | 3.3.12.1 |
| 06.5 | $\begin{aligned} & 4 \mathrm{~cm}^{3} \times 1.06 \mathrm{~g} \mathrm{~cm}^{-3}=4.24 \mathrm{~g} \\ & 4.24 \mathrm{~g} / 113 \mathrm{~g} \mathrm{~mol}^{-1}=0.0375 \mathrm{~mol}(\text { actual }) \\ & 60 \%=\text { actual } / \text { theoretical } \times 100 \\ & \text { theoretical }=0.375 / 0.6=0.0625 \text { mol azepan- } 2 \text {-one units in monomer } \\ & 0.0625 \mathrm{~mol} \text { azepan-2-one started with } \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \\ & 1 \\ & 1 \\ & 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { 3.1.2.5, MS 0.0, } \\ 0.2,2.2 \end{gathered}$ |
| 06.6 | Two from: <br> Incomplete reaction <br> Impure reactants <br> Did not separate out all of the synthesized nylon 6 or side reactions |  | 2 | PS 1.2, PS 4.1 |

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Skills box answers:


ethanoic
anhydride

2. So that no product or reactant is lost by evaporation./ bonds are strong so it needs a lot of heating
3. Use a dry, clean weighing boat (or another suitable container).

Add 2-hydroxybenzoic acid to the boat. Record mass of boat + solid.
Transfer the solid to the flask for heating under reflux.
Re-weigh the boat. Record mass.
Calculate (mass of boat + solid) - (boat after transferring solid).
4. Place solid in melting-point tube

Place in oil/melting-point apparatus and heat gently.
Record temperatures at which solid starts melting and stops melting.
Compare melting point to values in data book / from tables / other results.

