

Topics in Roger Frost's Organic Chemistry

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alkanes - fuels

- fuels - formation of oil
- fuels - fractional distillation
- fuels - fractional distillation - exercise
- alkanes - reactions - combustion
- fuels - octane rating
- fuels - catalytic converter
- fuels - supply and demand
- fuels - isomerisation of alkanes for fuel
- fuels - cracking alkanes for fuel
- carbon compounds - thermal cracking of alkanes
- carbon compounds - reforming alkanes for fuel
- fuels - air pollution
- fuels - acid rain

alkanes - alkenes – see also fuels

- alkanes - structure - homologous series
- hydrocarbons - introduction
- alkanes - cycloalkanes - structure
- alkanes - IUPAC nomenclature
- alkanes - IUPAC nomenclature - parent name
- alkanes - IUPAC nomenclature - longest chain
- alkanes - IUPAC nomenclature - numbering chains
- alkanes - IUPAC nomenclature - substituents
- alkanes - IUPAC nomenclature - exercise
- alkanes - reactions - combustion
- alkanes - reactions - chlorination of methane
- alkanes - free radical substitution - chlorination
- alkanes - free radical substitution - chlorination - summary
- alkanes - free radical substitution - chain reaction
- alkanes - free radical substitution – exercise
- alkanes - free radical substitution - bromination – exercise
- alkenes - structure - homologous series
- alkenes - IUPAC nomenclature
- alkenes - IUPAC nomenclature
- alkenes - IUPAC nomenclature - exercise - cis and trans
- alkenes - boiling points
- alkenes - addition of bromine
- alkenes - addition of bromine - mechanism
- alkenes - addition of hydrogen
- alkenes - addition of hydrogen - fats
- alkenes - addition of hydrogen halide
- alkenes - addition of hydrogen halide-mechanism
- alkenes - addition of hydrogen halide - Markovnikov's rule
- alkenes - addition of water
- alkenes - addition with concentrated H₂SO₄ - mechanism
- alkenes - addition polymerisation
- alkenes - oxidation

alcohols

- alcohols - homologous series - structure
- alcohols - classification I
- alcohols - classification II
- alcohols - classification - exercise
- boiling points - intermolecular forces
- alcohols - breaking the RO-H bond - reaction with sodium
- alcohols - breaking the RO-H bond - esterification
- alcohols - breaking the RO-H bond - with acyl chlorides
- alcohols - halogenation with hydrochloric acid and ZnCl₂
- alcohols - breaking the R-OH bond with PCI₅
- alcohols - breaking the R-OH bond - with phosphorus and iodine
- alcohols - breaking the R-OH bond - with hydrogen halide
- alcohols - breaking the R-OH bond - elimination of water using heat
- alcohols - elimination of water using concentrated acid
- alcohols - elimination of water - mechanism
- alcohols - oxidation - structure
- alcohols - oxidation to aldehyde
- alcohols - carboxylic acids from alcohols and aldehydes
- alcohols - triiodomethane reaction
- alcohols - triiodomethane reaction – exercise

amides

- amides - nomenclature
- amides - physical properties
- amides - reduction
- amides - hydrolysis
- amides - form amines with bromine

amino acids

- amino acids – structure
- amino acids – optical activity
- amino acids – acids and bases
- amino acids – hydrogen bonding
- amino acids – form a peptide
- amino acids – hydrolysis of a peptide

amines

- amines - structure
- amines - classification
- amines - compared with ammonia
- amines - solubility
- amines - boiling temperature
- amines - boiling points - exercise
- amines - complex ions
- amines - acting as bases
- amines - with nitric(III) acid
- amines - form amides with acyl chlorides
- amines - coupling reaction
- amines - making amines - reduction of nitriles
- amines - making amines - reduction of nitro compounds
- amines - making amines - ammonia and halogenoalkanes

analysis and detection

- analysis and detection - mass spectrometry - fragments
- analysis and detection - mass spectrometer
- analysis and detection - mass spectrometry - exercise
- analysis and detection - infrared spectroscopy
- analysis and detection - infrared spectroscopy - fingerprint region
- analysis and detection - infrared spectroscopy - use of nujol
- analysis and detection - infrared spectroscopy - interpreting spectra
- analysis and detection - infrared spectroscopy - exercise
- analysis and detection - low resolution NMR
- analysis and detection - high resolution NMR
- analysis and detection - NMR - exercise

arenes

- arenes - introduction - benzene
- arenes - nomenclature - mono-substituted derivatives
- arenes - nomenclature - more than one substituent
- arenes - physical properties - melting and boiling points
- arenes - physical properties - solubility
- arenes - structure of benzene
- arenes - structure of benzene II
- arenes - evidence against the Kekulé structure
- arenes - hybridisation - bonding in benzene
- arenes - structure - exercise
- arenes - electrophilic aromatic substitution - examples
- arenes - electrophilic aromatic substitution - chlorination
- arenes - electrophilic aromatic substitution - bromination
- arenes - electrophilic aromatic substitution - nitration
- arenes - electrophilic aromatic substitution - sulfonation
- arenes - electrophilic aromatic substitution - Friedel - Crafts alkylation
- arenes - electrophilic aromatic substitution - Friedel - Crafts acylation
- arenes - electrophilic aromatic substitution - exercise
- arenes - methylbenzene compared with benzene
- arenes - methylbenzene - activating and deactivating substituents
- arenes - methylbenzene - directing effect of substituents
- arenes - methylbenzene - chlorination of side chain
- arenes - methylbenzene - oxidation of side chain
- arenes - phenol - acidity
- arenes - phenol - reactivity - exercise
- arenes - phenol - reactions of - OH; sodium and sodium hydroxide
- arenes - phenol - reactions of - OH; esterification
- arenes - phenol - reaction of the ring - bromination
- arenes - phenol - reaction of the ring - nitration
- arenes - phenol - test using iron(III) chloride

bonding - hybridisation

- bonding in methane - hybridisation - bond angle
- bonding in methane - hybridisation - carbon electron configuration
- bonding in methane - hybridisation - exercise
- bonding in methane - hybridisation - exercise
- bonding in ethene - hybridisation - bond angle
- bonding in ethene - hybridisation - carbon electron configuration
- bonding in benzene - hybridisation
- bonding in ethyne - hybridisation - bond angle
- bonding in ethyne - hybridisation - carbon electron configuration

carbohydrates

- carbohydrates – disaccharides
- carbohydrates – monosaccharides
- carbohydrates – polysaccharides
- carbohydrates – polysaccharides – hydrolysis
- carbohydrates – reducing sugars – Fehling's test
- carbohydrates – α & β glucose

carbonyl compounds

- carbonyl compounds - nomenclature
- carbonyl compounds - polarity
- carbonyl compounds - carbon - oxygen double bond
- carbonyl compounds - susceptibility to reaction
- carbonyl compounds - nucleophilic addition
- carbonyl compounds - mechanism of nucleophilic addition
- carbonyl compounds - optical isomerism - 2-hydroxypropanenitrile
- carbonyl compounds - reduction
- carbonyl compounds - oxidation
- carbonyl compounds - triiodomethane
- carbonyl compounds - Tollen's reagent
- carbonyl compounds - Fehling's solution
- carbonyl compounds - condensation reaction

carboxylic acids

- carboxylic acids - structure
- carboxylic acids - nomenclature - exercise
- carboxylic acids - dimerisation
- carboxylic acids - dissociation - weak acid
- carboxylic acids - dissociation - strong acid
- carboxylic acids - form salts
- carboxylic acids - resonance and bonding
- carboxylic acids - resonance and bonding II
- carboxylic acids - strength
- carboxylic acids - acidity of chloroacids - exercise
- carboxylic acids - making and breaking esters
- carboxylic acids - form esters
- carboxylic acids - saponification
- carboxylic acids - saponification - model
- carboxylic acids - form acyl chloride
- carboxylic acids - acid derivatives
- acid chlorides - structure
- acyl chlorides - compared with halogenoalkanes
- acid chlorides - with nucleophile
- acyl chlorides - with nucleophiles - mechanism
- acid derivatives - acid anhydride

DNA

- DNA – base pairs and nucleotides
- DNA – nucleic acids – model
- DNA – nucleic acids – structure
- DNA – transcription to mRNA
- DNA – translation of mRNA to make protein

halogenoalkanes

- halogenoalkanes - homologous series - structure
- halogenoalkanes - IUPAC nomenclature
- halogenoalkanes - classification
- halogenoalkanes - classification - exercise
- halogenoalkanes - rate of hydrolysis
- halogenoalkanes - substitution
- halogenoalkanes - elimination or substitution
- halogenoalkanes - elimination - unsymmetric halogenoalkanes
- halogenoalkanes - reaction with alkali - exercise
- halogenoalkanes - substitution reactions - polarity of C-X
- halogenoalkanes - substitution reactions - strength of C-X
- halogenoalkanes - substitution reactions - SN2
- halogenoalkanes - substitution reactions - why not SN2
- halogenoalkanes - substitution reactions - SN1
- halogenoalkanes - substitution reactions: why SN1
- halogenoalkanes - substitution reactions - exercise
- halogenoalkanes - chlorofluoroalkanes
- halogenoalkanes - depletion of the ozone layer

isomerism

- isomerism - structural isomerism - introduction I
- isomerism - structural isomerism - introduction II
- isomerism - structural isomerism - exercise - pentane
- isomerism - structural isomerism - chain isomerism
- isomerism - structural isomerism - position isomerism
- isomerism - structural isomerism - exercise
- isomerism - structural isomerism - functional group isomerism
- isomerism - stereoisomerism - geometric isomerism - bond rotation
- isomerism - stereoisomerism - geometric isomerism - restricted
- rotation
- isomerism - stereoisomerism - geometric isomerism
- isomerism - stereoisomerism - geometric isomerism - exercises
- isomerism - stereoisomerism - geometric isomerism - retinal
- isomerism - stereoisomerism - geometric isomerism - fluoroethene
- isomerism - stereoisomerism - optical isomerism - chiral carbon
- isomerism - stereoisomerism - optical isomerism - non-superimposable
- isomerism - stereoisomerism - optical isomerism - enantiomers
- isomerism - stereoisomerism - optical isomerism - optical activity
- isomerism - stereoisomerism - optical isomerism - limonene

nitriles - structure

- nitriles - physical properties
- nitriles - reduction
- nitriles - hydrolysis
- nitriles - making nitriles - exercises

polymers

- polymers - addition polymers II - examples
- polymers - addition and condensation
- polymers - addition polymers I - free radical
- polymers - natural polymers - rubber
- polymers - polyalkenes - stereoisomers
- polymers - condensation polymers - polyester
- polymers - condensation polymers - polyamide
- polymers - making nylon - phenol
- polymers - bakelite - phenol
- polymers - proteins - wool
- polymers - elastomer

proteins - enzymes

- proteins - primary structure
- proteins - secondary structure - interactions
- proteins - secondary structure
- proteins - secondary structure - exercise
- proteins - structure - exercise
- proteins - tertiary structure
- proteins - tertiary structure - hydrophobic groups
- proteins - secondary structure - ionic or salt bridges
- proteins - quaternary structure - haemoglobin
- proteins - secondary structure - interactions
- proteins - enzymes - secondary structure - inhibitors
- proteins - enzymes - effect of pH
- proteins - enzymes - effect of temperature
- proteins - enzymes - effect of concentration

reaction pathways

- reactions - organic synthesis – exercise
- reactions - synthesis pathways – exercise