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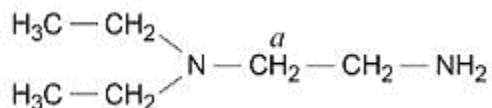
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NMR Spectroscopy - 4

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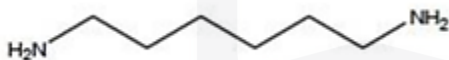
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- The ^{13}C NMR spectrum of this isomer will have 4 peaks.
- The splitting pattern of the peak for the hydrogens labelled 'a' in the ^1H NMR spectrum is a triplet, because of the two hydrogen atoms on the adjacent carbon (CH_2CH_2 group).

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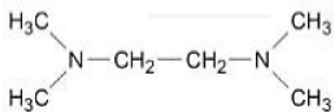
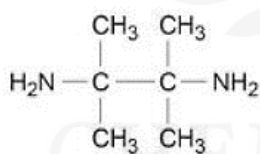
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Structure of the isomer of $\text{C}_6\text{H}_{16}\text{N}_2$ 

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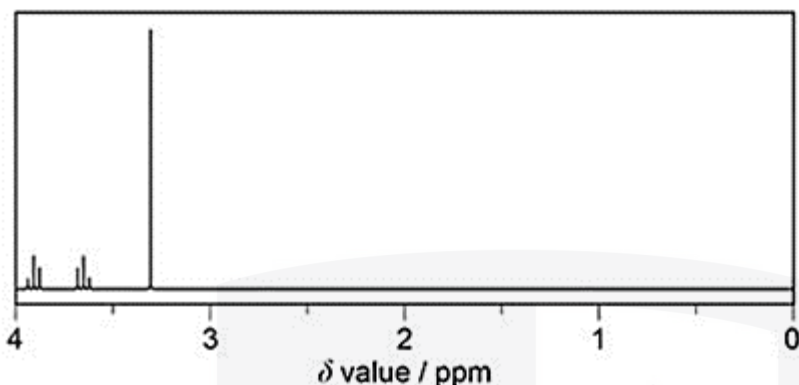
Following are the structure of the isomer of $\text{C}_6\text{H}_{16}\text{N}_2$ that contains two tertiary amine groups and has only two peaks in its ^{13}C NMR spectrum.



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The structure of Q is $\text{CH}_3\text{-O-CH}_2\text{-CH}_2\text{-Cl}$.

Integration Ratio:

- The integration values correspond to a ratio of 2:2:3 when simplified.

Analysis of Peaks:

Peak at 3.95 ppm:

- Integration: 2 (suggesting 2 hydrogens)
- Splitting pattern: Triplet

Explanation:

This indicates that these two hydrogens are adjacent to a CH_2 group. So, this peak likely corresponds to Cl-CH_2 , as chlorine is electronegative and can cause a downfield shift.

Peak at 3.65 ppm:

- Integration: 2 (suggesting 2 hydrogens)
- Splitting pattern: Triplet

Explanation:

This indicates that these two hydrogens are adjacent to a CH_2 group. So, this peak likely corresponds to O-CH_2 , as oxygen is electronegative and can cause a downfield shift.

Peak at 3.35 ppm:

- Integration: 3 (suggesting 3 hydrogens)
- Splitting pattern: Singlet

Explanation:

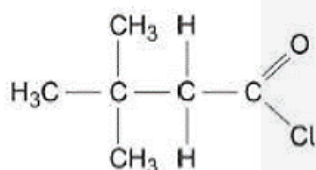
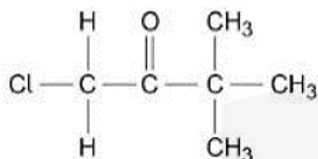
This indicates that these three hydrogens have no adjacent hydrogens. So, this peak likely corresponds to O-CH_3 , as it has no neighboring hydrogens to split its signal.

The structure of Q is $\text{CH}_3\text{-O-CH}_2\text{-CH}_2\text{-Cl}$.

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Structures of these two isomers are as:



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The splitting patterns for the labelled hydrogens are:

Hydrogens x on CH₃ :

Doublet

Hydrogen y on CH :

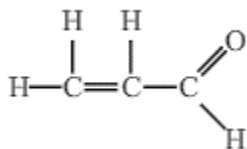
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Hydrogens z on CH₂ :

Doublet

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**Hydrogen:**

- Propenal has three different types of hydrogen nuclei (hydrogen atoms or protons) each in a unique chemical environment:
 - The two hydrogens on the CH_2 group (vinyl group).
 - The single hydrogen on the CH group (vinyl group).
 - The single hydrogen on the CHO group (aldehyde group).

Three Peaks in the NMR Spectrum:

- These different environments result in three distinct peaks in the ^1H NMR spectrum.

Relative Areas Under the Peaks:

- The relative areas of these peaks correspond to the number of hydrogen atoms in each environment:
 - CH_2 : 2 hydrogens.
 - CH : 1 hydrogen.
 - CHO : 1 hydrogen.

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Hydrogen nuclei in three different environments.

Relative areas under the peaks: 2:1:1

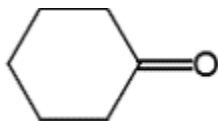
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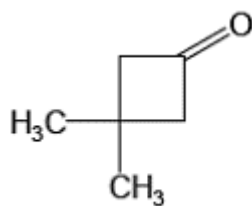
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Structure for K

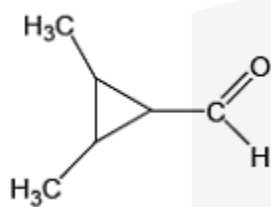


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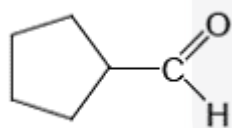
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Structure for L



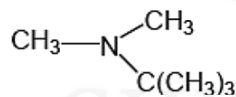
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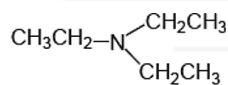
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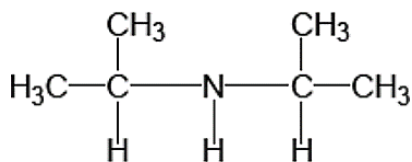
Structure for M



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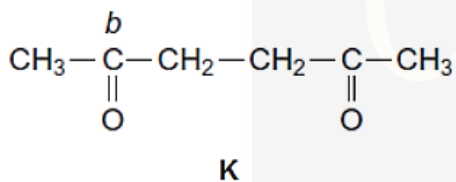
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Structure for N

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7. N.m.r. spectroscopy can be used to study the structures of organic compounds.

Compound K was studied using ^{13}C n.m.r. spectroscopy.



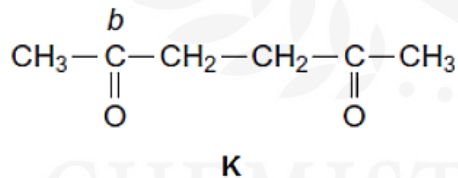
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There are three number of peaks in the ^{13}C n.m.r. spectrum of K.

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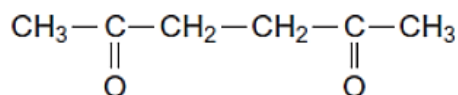
δ value of the peak is 190-220 (cm^{-1}) for the carbon labelled b. i.e. carbonyl group.



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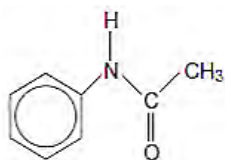
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IUPAC name of K is **hexane-2,5-dione**.

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There are six number of peaks in the ^{13}C n.m.r. spectrum of N-phenylethanamide.

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High-resolution nuclear magnetic resonance (NMR) spectroscopy provides valuable information about a molecule through various means:

Chemical shift (δ):

- The chemical shift (δ) provides information about the type of proton or chemical environment.
- For example, a shift at 1.0 ppm might indicate aliphatic protons, while a shift at 7.0 ppm might indicate aromatic protons.

Number of Peaks:

- The number of peaks corresponds to the number of different types of protons or chemical environments in the molecule.
- For instance, if there are three peaks, it suggests the presence of three distinct proton environments.

Relative Peak Areas:

- The relative areas of the peaks give the relative number of protons contributing to each type.
- For instance, a peak with twice the area of another peak indicates twice as many protons in that environment.

Splitting Patterns:

- Splitting patterns arise due to spin-spin coupling between neighboring protons.
- The number of neighboring protons is revealed by the $n+1$ rule. For example, a doublet (2 peaks) suggests one neighboring proton, a triplet (3 peaks) suggests two neighboring protons, and so on.

Deuterium Oxide (D_2O):

- Deuterium oxide (D_2O) can be used to identify hydroxyl (OH) groups in the molecule.
- The exchange of hydrogen in OH groups with deuterium in D_2O leads to disappearance of the OH peak in the spectrum.

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Purpose of CDCl_3 or CCl_4 Solvent:

CDCl_3 or CCl_4 Solvent:

- **Purpose:** Used as a solvent in ^1H NMR spectroscopy.
- **Explanation:**
 - CDCl_3 : Polar covalent molecule, suitable for dissolving polar organic compounds.
 - CCl_4 : Nonpolar, making it a good solvent for nonpolar organic molecules.
- **Inert:** Both solvents are inert, so they are unlikely to react with the sample, ensuring the integrity of the chemical analysis.

Purpose of TMS as Reference:

Tetramethylsilane (TMS) as Reference:

- **Purpose:** Used as a reference or calibration standard in ^1H NMR spectroscopy.
- **Explanation:**
 - **Reference/Peak at 0 ppm:**
TMS provides a sharp single peak at 0 ppm, serving as a reference for chemical shift measurements.
 - **Equivalent Hydrogens:**
TMS has 12 equivalent hydrogens, resulting in one signal, simplifying the spectrum interpretation.
 - **Signal Away from Others:**
TMS signal is far from other typical hydrogen signals, ensuring it doesn't interfere with the signals of interest.
 - **Easy to Remove:**
TMS is volatile with a low boiling point, making it easy to remove from the sample after the NMR experiment.

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