Marks

5

• Complete the following mechanism by adding curly arrows to illustrate the bonding changes that take place.

$$Cl - Cl - - AlCl_3$$

$$+ AlCl_4$$

• A mixture of concentrated nitric and sulfuric acids generates the nitronium ion, NO_2^+ . Benzene will react with such a mixture to give nitrobenzene.

NO₂

What 3-part name is given to the mechanism of this nitration reaction?

conc. HNO₃ / conc. H₂SO₄

electrophilic aromatic substitution

Marks 2

• Draw the constitutional formula of the major organic product formed in each of the following reactions.

Marks 6

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