Carbon-Carbon Bond Formation (MCQ)

1.	Which of the following reactions produce propan-1-ol?					
	1 The alkaline hydrolysis of 1-chloropropane.					
	2 The acid hydrolysis of propyl methanoate.					
	3 The acid hydrolysis of propanenitrile.					
	A 1, 2 and 3					
	B Only 1 and 2					
	C Only 2 and 3					
	D Only 1					
	Your answer	[1]				
2.	Which of these reagent(s) will not react with HOCH ₂ CH ₂ CH ₂ COOH?					
	A NaCN in ethanol					
	B C ₂ H ₅ OH in the presence of an acid catalyst					
	C (CH ₃ CO) ₂ O D concentrated H ₂ SO ₄					
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	Your answer	[1]				
3.	Which of the following could react with the compound below to form a carbon–carbon bond?					
	1 CH ₃ C <i>I</i> and Al C <i>I</i> ₃					
	2 KCN in ethanol					
	3 CH₃OH and H₂SO₄					
	A 1, 2 and 3					
	B Only 1 and 2					
	C Only 2 and 3					
	D Only 1					
	Your answer	[1]				

4. Benzene reacts with an organic reagent in the presence of a halogen carrier to form phenylethanone.

Which organic reagent is required?

- A CH₃CH₂OH
- B CH₃CHO
- C CH₃COC/
- D CH₃COOH

Your answer		[1]
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Mark scheme – Carbon-Carbon Bond Formation (MCQ)

Question		n	Answer/Indicative content	Marks	Guidance
1			В	1 (AO2.3)	
			Total	1	
2			A	1 (AO1.1)	
			Total	1	
3			В	1	Examiner's Comments Candidates found this question difficult, presumably as it involved reactions of different functional groups within the same compound. Many candidates identified B as the correct response. The most common incorrect responses were C and D.
			Total	1	
4			С	1	Examiner's Comments Almost all candidates identified C (CH ₃ COCI) as the reagent required for this reaction.
			Total	1	