

Mass Spec

$M^+ = 196$ Give possible formulas that may include C, H, O only

Rule 13 $CH = 13$ units

$$\begin{array}{r}
 15 \\
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 13 \overline{) 196} \\
 \underline{13} \\
 66 \\
 \underline{65} \\
 1 \leftarrow \text{additional hydrogens}
 \end{array}$$



	MW	<u>units unsat</u>	<u>Equivalents</u>
$C_{15}H_{16}$	196	8	$C = 12H$
$C_{14}H_{28}$	196	1	$O = CH_4$
$C_{14}H_{12}O$	196	4	
$C_{13}H_8O_2$	196	10	
$C_{12}H_4O_3$	196	11	
$C_{11}H_{16}O_3$	196	4	
$C_{10}H_{12}O_4$	196	5	

$M^+ = 142$ may contain CHCl

monoisotopic masses use most abundant isotope

$$\text{H} = 1 \quad \text{Cl} = 35$$

$$\text{C} = 12$$

$$\text{N} = 14$$

$$\text{O} = 16$$

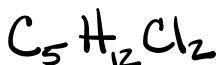
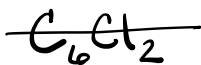
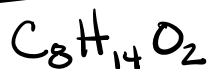
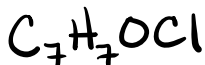
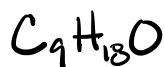
$$13 \overline{) 142} \\ \underline{13} \\ 12$$

$$\text{C}_{10}\text{H}_{10+12} = \text{C}_{10}\text{H}_{22}$$

$$^{12}\text{C} = 12\text{H}$$

$$^{16}\text{O} = \text{CH}_4$$

$$^{35}\text{Cl} = \text{C}_2\text{H}_{11}$$



$$\text{C} = 12\text{H}$$

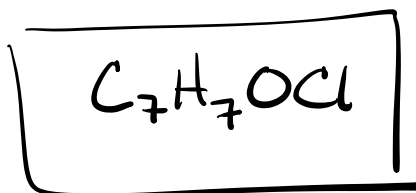
M^+ is 142



How to use % abundance to find # of Carbons in formula

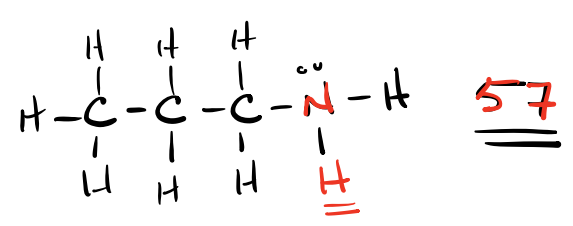
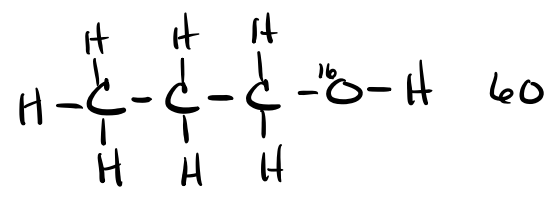
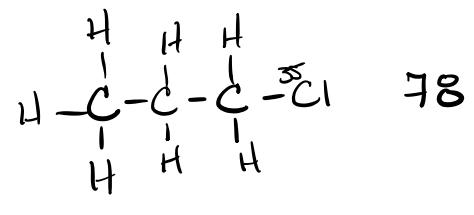
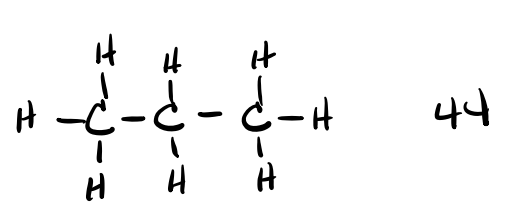
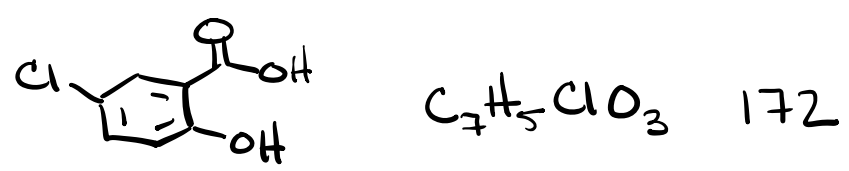
$$\frac{\left[\frac{M^+ - {}^{13}\text{C} \% \text{ abundance}}{M^+ \% \text{ abundance}} \times 100 \right]}{1.1\% \text{ (natural } {}^{13}\text{C} \text{ abundance)}} = \# \text{ C in formula}$$

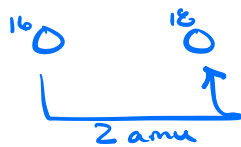
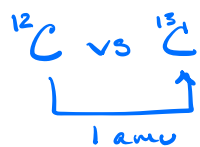
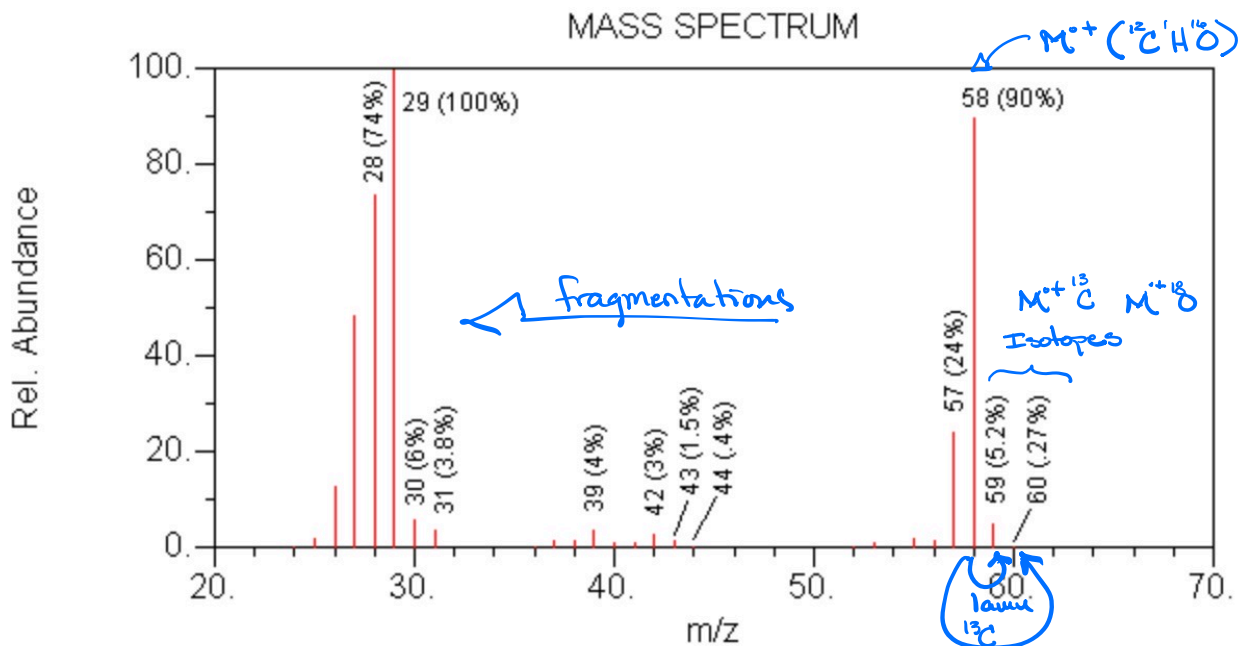
$$\frac{\left[\frac{7.9\%}{100.0\%} \times 100 \right]}{1.1} = 7.1 \approx 7.0 \text{ Carbons}$$



	<u>m/z ratio</u>	
$C_5H_{10}O_2^+$	102	} All even!
C_3H_8	44	
C_3H_7Cl	78	
C_3H_7F	62	
C_3H_7Br	122	

^{19}F
 ^{79}Br





$^{13}\text{C} = 1.1\%$

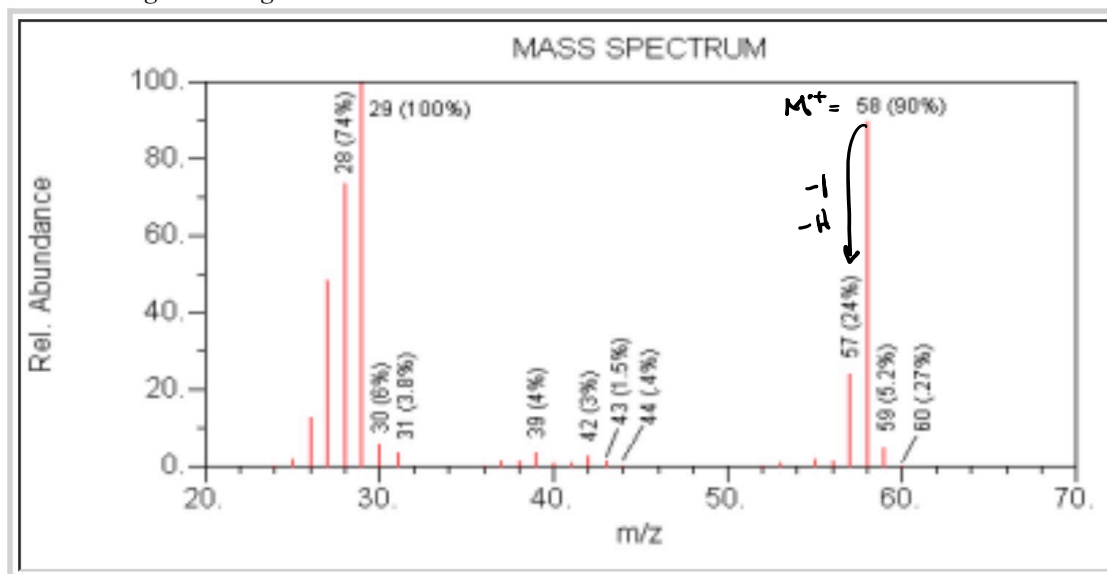
$$\# \text{C} = \frac{\left[\frac{M^{+ - ^{13}\text{C}} \% \text{ abundance}}{M^{+} \% \text{ abundance}} \times 100 \right]}{1.1} = \frac{\left(\frac{5.2}{90} \right) \times 100}{1.1} = 5$$

1.1 ← % of $^{13}\text{C}/^{12}\text{C}$

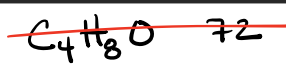
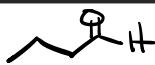
$$\# \text{O} = \frac{\left[\frac{M^{+ - ^{18}\text{O}} \% \text{ abundance}}{M^{+} \% \text{ abundance}} \times 100 \right]}{0.2} = \frac{\left(\frac{0.27}{90} \right) \times 100}{0.2} = 1.5$$

0.2 ← % $^{18}\text{O}/^{16}\text{O}$

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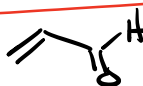


b) propanal



Loss of 1 = aldehyde

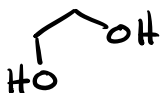
c) 2-propenal



d) methoxy-ethene



e) ethanediol



$m/z = 58$

α -fragmentation



$m/z = 57$

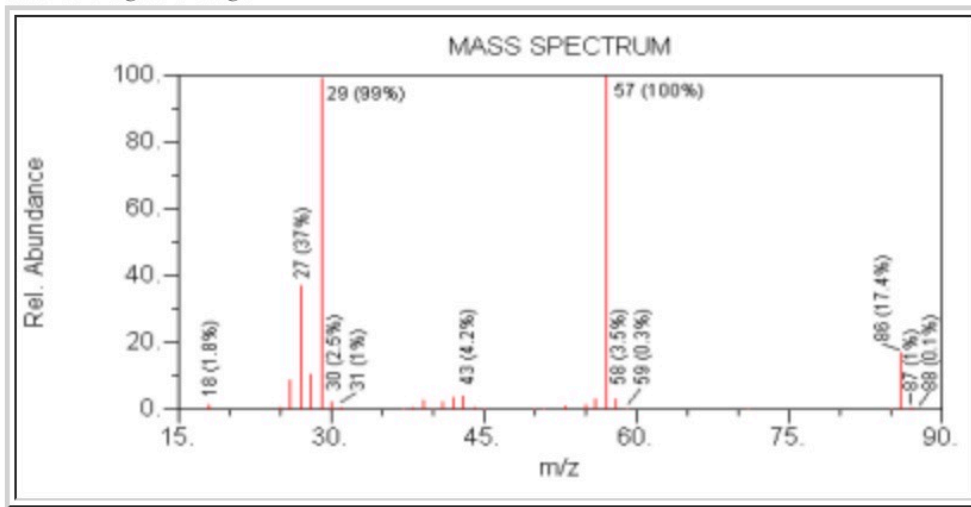


Loss 1

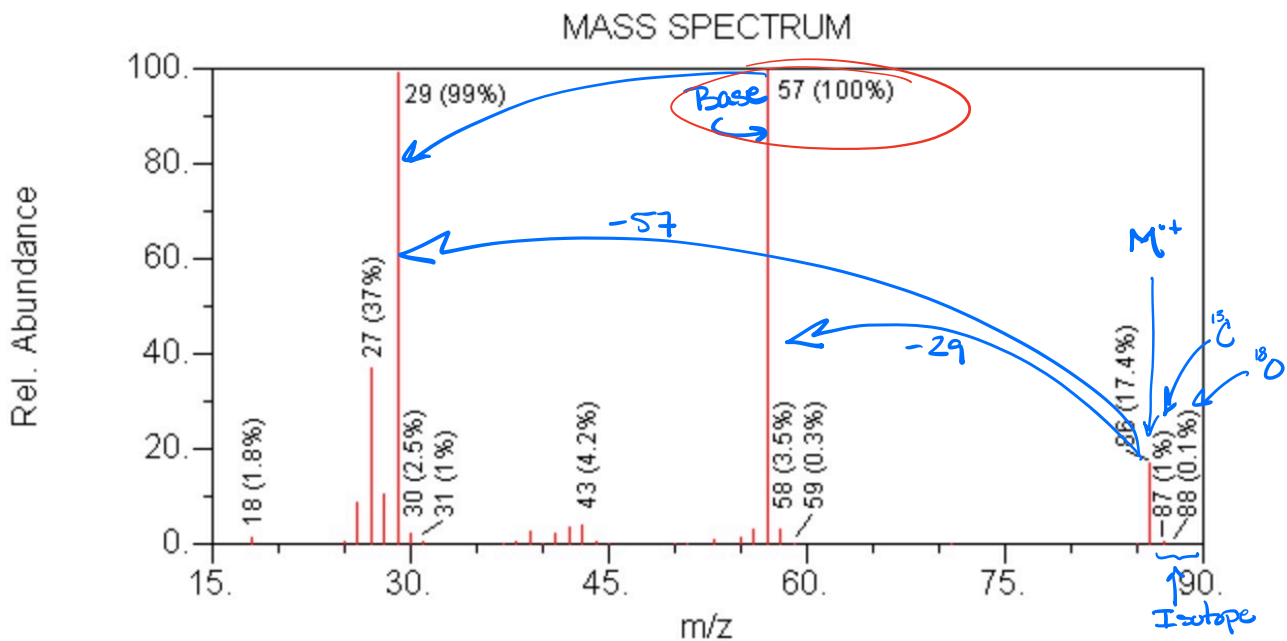
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Hint

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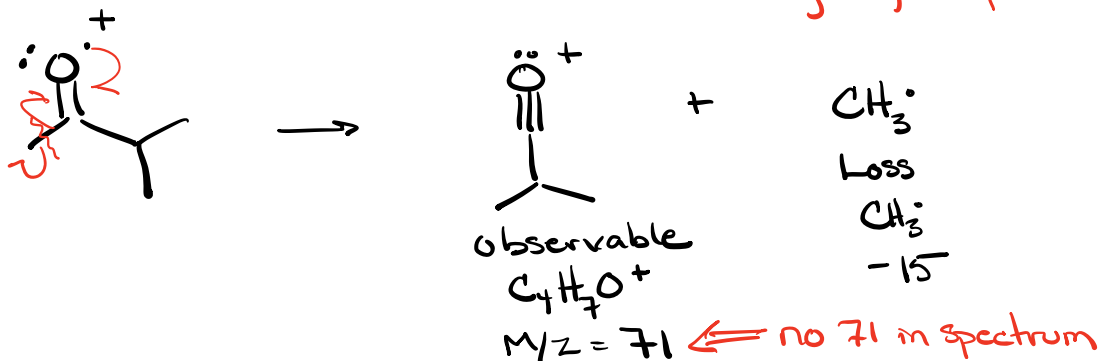
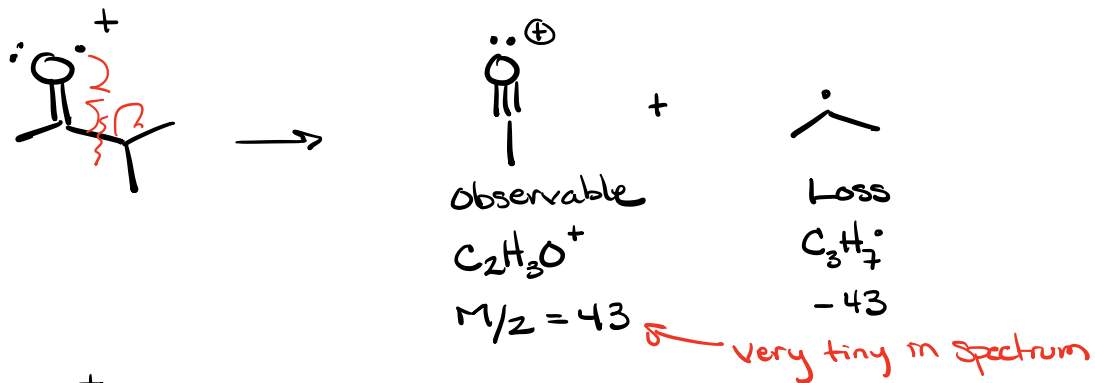
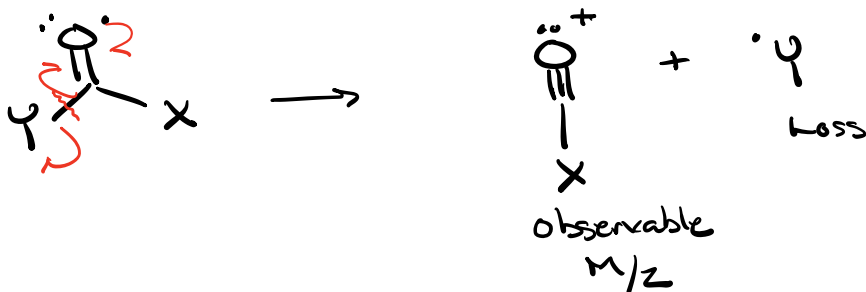
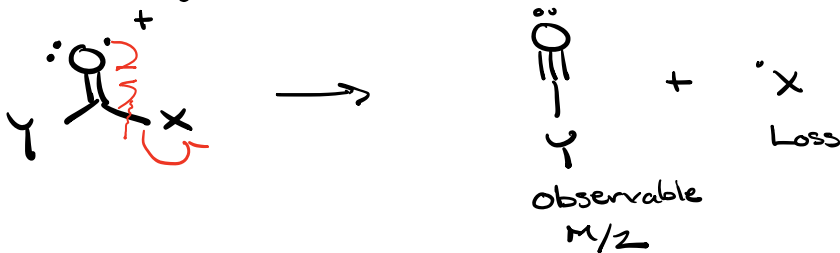
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- b) 3-methyl-2-butanone CC(C)C(=O)C $C_5H_{10}O$ 86
- c) 3-pentanone CCC(=O)CC $C_5H_{10}O$ 86
- d) 2-butanone CCC(=O)C C_4H_8O 72
- e) 2-pentanone CCC(=O)CC $C_5H_{10}O$ 86

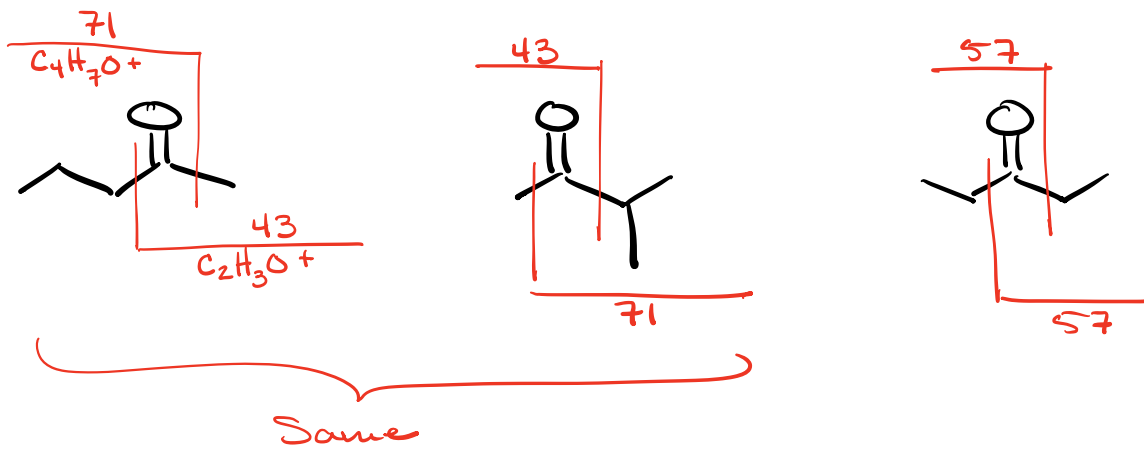
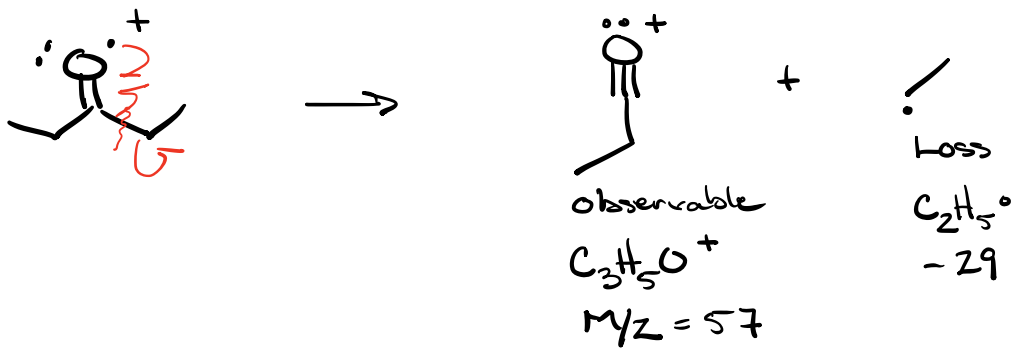
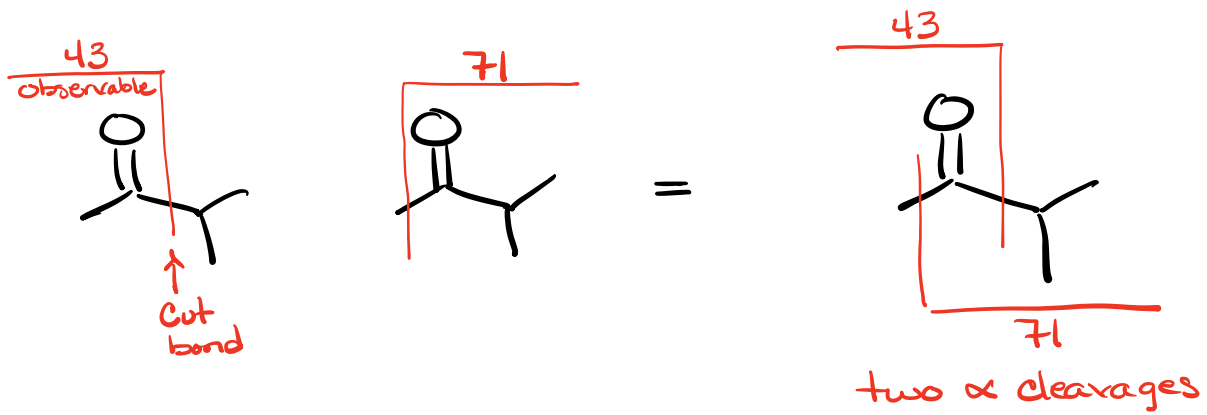


$$\#C = \left[\frac{1\%}{17.4\%} \times 100 \right] \div 1.1 = 5 \text{ Carbons } \checkmark$$

\swarrow ^{13}C
 \nwarrow $\% \text{ } ^{13}\text{C}/^{12}\text{C}$
 \nwarrow M^+

α -Cleavage

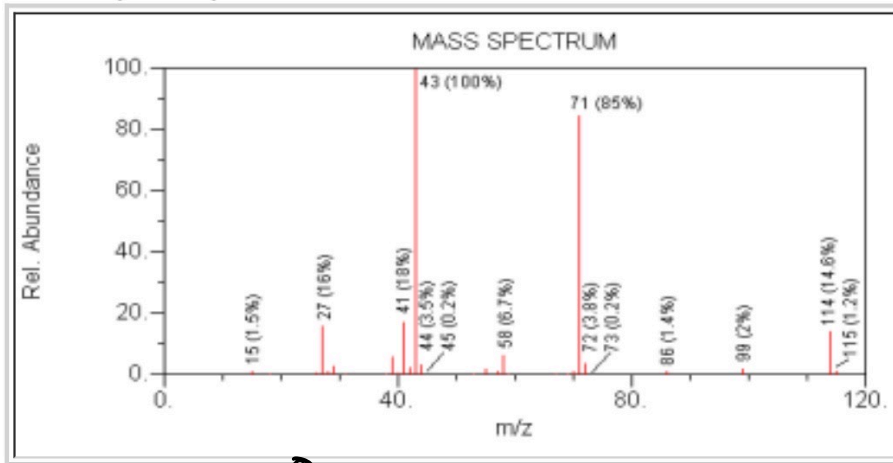




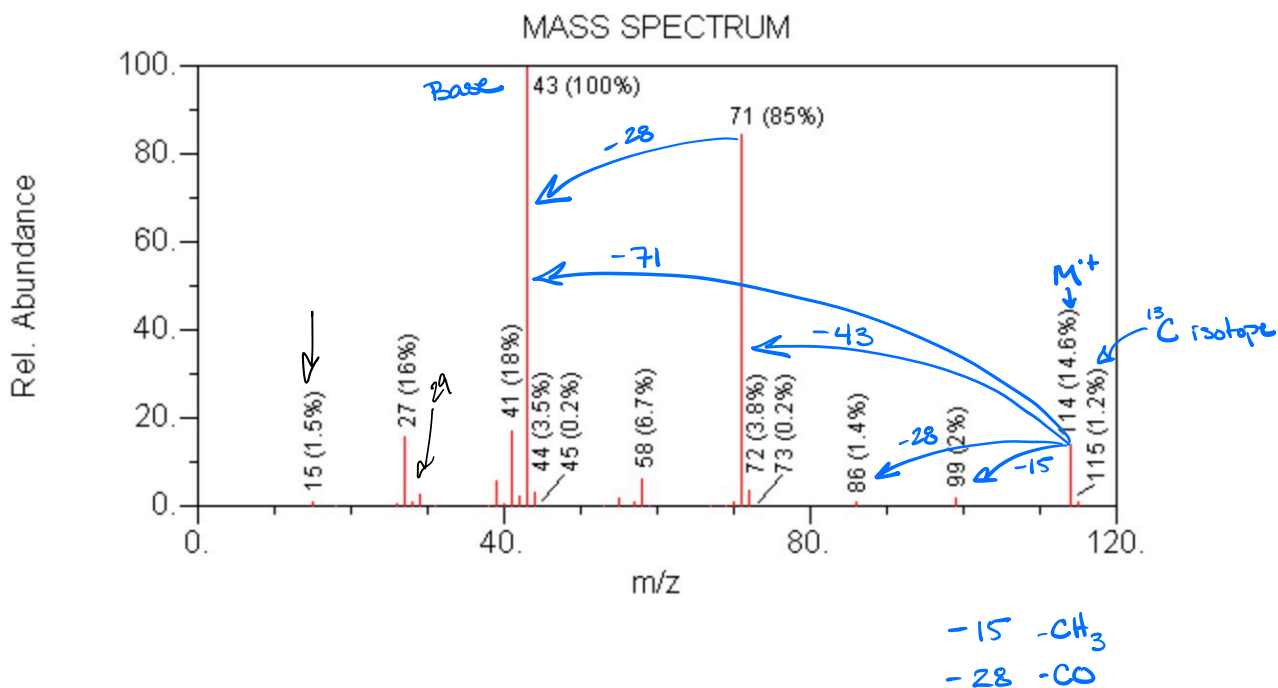
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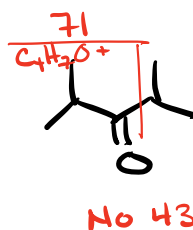
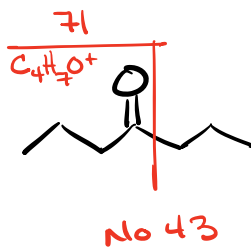
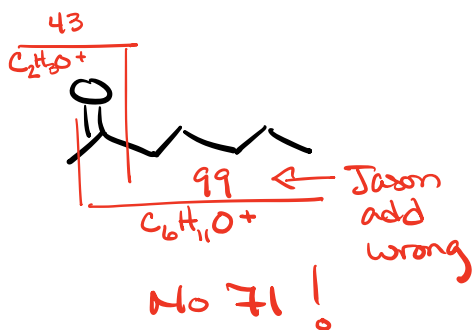
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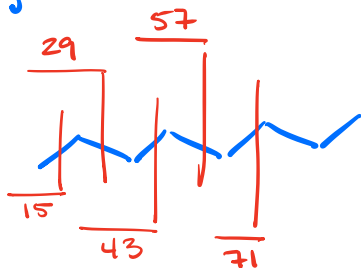
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- e) 2,4-dimethyl-3-pentanone CC(C)C(=O)C(C)C $C_7H_{14}O$ 114





Both Symmetrical
& Similar

Alkyl Series



often shows up with
straight chain molecules.

Branching throws alkyl series
off.

No series present \Rightarrow molecule probably not
 straight chain
 \Rightarrow more likely branched