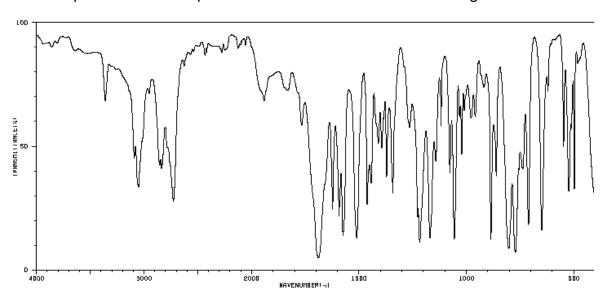
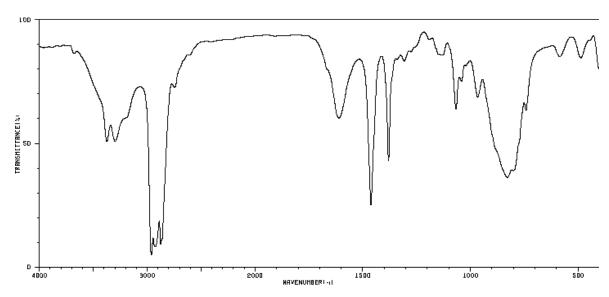
## Exercise 4: - Infrared spectra

1. The IR spectrum of a compound of molecular formula C<sub>11</sub>H<sub>8</sub>O is given below:

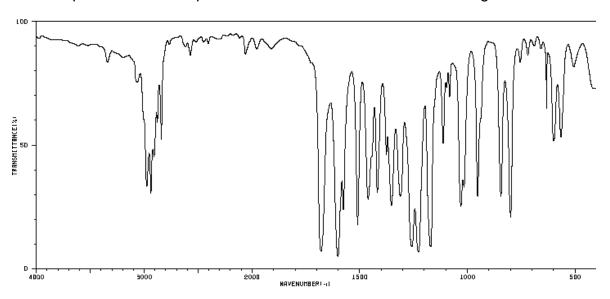


- a. Calculate the degree of unsaturation indicated by the molecular formula.
- b. Using the molecular formula, list all possible functional groups.
- c. Identify the functional group.
- 2. The IR spectrum of a compound of molecular formula C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>15</sub>N is given below:



- a. Calculate the degree of unsaturation indicated by the molecular formula.
- b. Using the molecular formula, list all possible functional groups.
- c. Identify the functional group.

3. The IR spectrum of a compound of molecular formula C<sub>10</sub>H<sub>12</sub>O<sub>2</sub> is given below:



- a. Calculate the degree of unsaturation indicated by the molecular formula.
- b. Using the molecular formula, list all possible functional groups.
- c. Identify the two functional groups.
- 4. The infrared spectrum of compound "A", C<sub>3</sub>H<sub>6</sub>O, shows a peak at 1730 cm<sup>-1</sup> and no peak at 2726 cm<sup>-1</sup>. Suggest a structure for this compound.
- 5. A compound with a molecular formula  $C_2H_6O$  has an infrared spectrum which shows, amongst others, a broad absorption between 3200 3400 cm<sup>-1</sup> and a peak at 1380 cm<sup>-1</sup>. Propose a structure for this compound.