Concepts of Science Exam 1 January 28, 1997 Class Time\_\_\_\_\_ When Solving Problems, be sure to show all work

- 1. If it is 105 miles from Auburn to Atlanta, what is it in km? (10%)
- 2. How many liters are there in 10 gal gas? (10%)
- 3. The mass of Mars is  $6.37 \times 10^{23}$  kg and its radius is 3600 km. Calculate the force of gravity on a 100 kg person standing on the surface of Mars. (15%)
- 4. The earth and the moon attract one another with a very large forcs of 1.9x10<sup>20</sup> N. (15%)
  - a. What scientist first determined this?
- c. If the earth and the moon attract one another with such a great force, why don't they crash into each other?
- 5. a. The two structures below both have the formula  $C_3H_8O$ . However, one is not a correct structure. Indicate which is not correct and draw another correct isomer of  $C_3H_8O$ . (10%)

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- b. A chlorofluoro carbon has the molecular formula CF<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> what is its molecular weight? (5%)
- 6. Briefly explain why the church condemmed Galileo and what they now say about him. (15%)
- 7. Some properties of certain objects cannot be measured accurately because the very act of measuring the property alters the property. Give an example of such a property of an object we have talked about. What do scientists do about this problem? (15%)
- 8. Last Friday we saw a short film about the alkali metals. What was the most striking thing about this film? (5%)

Quart = 0.9463 liter

## **Useful Information:**

Meter = 39.37 inches = 1.094 yards

Yard = 0.9144 meter Pound = 0.453 kilograms

Mile = 1.609 kilometers Ounce = 28.53 gram

Inch = 2.54 centimeter