

# Organic chemistry i final exam assignment



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004: 121 Organic I Fall 2010 Final Exam Please read each question carefully before answering. Answer the questions in ink in the spaces provided inside. If you make changes as you go, please make sure your final answer is clearly indicated. Scratch papers are available at the end. Total points = 150. You have 120 min. Good Luck!

Grading: Q. # 1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. Score (Max) \_\_\_\_\_ (60 pts) \_\_\_\_\_ (18 pts) \_\_\_\_\_ (17 pts) \_\_\_\_\_ (13 pts) \_\_\_\_\_ (18 pts) \_\_\_\_\_ (12 pts) \_\_\_\_\_ (12 pts)

Total \_\_\_\_\_ (150) Chem. 121 Final Exam Fall 2010

Name \_\_\_\_\_ 1. (3 pts each) Please circle one answer for each question. A. The following compound is named: A. 2, 2-dimethyl-4-butanol B. 2-methyl pentanol C. hexanol D. 3, 3-dimethyl-butanol E. 4, 4-dimethyl-pentanol B. Indicate the hybridization of all of the second row elements in the following compound. A. 1-sp<sup>2</sup>; 2-sp<sup>2</sup>; 3-sp<sup>3</sup>; 4-sp<sup>2</sup> B. 1-sp<sup>3</sup>; 2-sp<sup>2</sup>; 3-sp<sup>3</sup>; 4-sp<sup>3</sup> C. 1-sp; 2-sp<sup>2</sup>; 3-sp<sup>3</sup>; 4-sp<sup>3</sup> D. 1-sp; 2-sp ; 3-sp ; 4-sp  
 $\text{sp}^3 \text{ } \text{sp}^2 \text{ } \text{sp}^3 \text{ } \text{OH} \text{ } \text{sp}^3 \text{ } \text{sp}^2 \text{ } \text{sp}^3 \text{ } \text{OH}$  E. 1-sp; 2-sp<sup>2</sup>; 3-sp<sup>2</sup>; 4-sp<sup>3</sup> C.

Rank the following hydrogens (1, 2, and 3) in order of increasing acidity. A. 1, 2, 3 B. 2, 3, 1 C. 3, 2, 1 D. 3, 1, 2 E. 2, 1, 3 D. Which one of the following compounds has the highest boiling point? A. (CH<sub>3</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>3</sub>N B.

CH<sub>3</sub>CHCl(CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>4</sub>CH<sub>3</sub> C. CH<sub>3</sub>(CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>5</sub>CH<sub>3</sub> D. CH<sub>3</sub>(CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>5</sub>NH<sub>2</sub> E. CH<sub>3</sub>(CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>5</sub>Cl H  
 OH 1 3 2 H Page 2 % Chem. 121 Final Exam Fall 2010

Name \_\_\_\_\_ E. Consider the molecule below, the nitrogen atom can best act as a A. electrophile B. nucleophile C. base D.

acid E. none of the above N F. Name the following compound. A. R, S-1, 3-dichloro-cyclopentane B.

S, S-1, 3-dichloro-cyclopentane C. trans-1, 3-dichloro-cyclopentane D. A and C E. B and C Cl Cl G. How many stereogenic centers are in the following

molecule? A. 1 B. 2 C. 3 D. 4 E. 5 H. The following compounds are: A.

enantiomers B. diastereoisomers. C. identical. D. meso compounds. E. None of the above. I. Which of the following has at least one stereogenic center?

None A B C Page 3 D E % J. What is the correct stereochemical assignment

for each of the following alkenes? A. B. C D. E. A = E; B = Z; C = E A = Z; B = E; C = E A = Z; B = Z; C = Z A = E; B = E; C = Z A = E; B = E; C = E A B C K.

The order of stability of the following conformers is (from stable at left to

unstable on right): A. B. C D. E. 4, 2, 1, 3 1, 4, 2, 3 1, 3, 4, 2 4, 1, 2, 3 2, 1, 4, 3 OH OH HO OH 1 2 3 4 L. What is the IUPAC name of the following alcohol?

A. S-2-ethyl-5, 5-dimethyl-R-cyclohexanol B. R-2-ethyl-5, 5-dimethyl-R-cyclohexanol C. S-2-ethyl-5, 5-dimethyl-S-cyclohexanol D. S-6-ethyl-3, 3-dimethyl-cyclohexane E. S-3-ethyl-R-6-S-6-dimethyl-cyclohexanol HO M.

Predict the most likely mechanism(s) for the reaction of cis-3-methyl-chloro-cyclohexane with sodium methoxide (in methanol as the solvent) - circle one option. A.

SN2 B. C. D. E. E1 SN1 E2 E2 and SN2 N. With which reagent is cis-2-methyl-cyclopentanol most likely to undergo rearrangement? A. NaOH in protic

solvent B. C. D. E. water Concentrated H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> KOC(CH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>3</sub> in aprotic solvent

NaNH<sub>2</sub> in aprotic solvent Chem. 121 Final Exam Fall 2009

Name \_\_\_\_\_ O. The rate equation that

describes the reaction shown below is: A.  $k[A]$  B. C. D. E.  $k[C][D]$   $k[B]$   $k[A][B]$   
 $k(\frac{[C][D][E]}{[A][B]})$  Br + NaOC(CH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>3</sub> + NaBr + HOC(CH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>3</sub> A B C D E P. The  
 main product of the oxidation of the following compound with KMnO<sub>4</sub> is: OH  
 OH OH OH OH OH OH OH OH OH A

Q. B C D E The main product of the ozonolysis of the same compound  
 (question 1. P. above) is: O O O A O O B O O C O O D R. E O How many  
 products (including stereoisomers) would you expect to obtain upon mono-  
 chlorination of S-2-bromo-pentane with Cl<sub>2</sub> and light? A. 2 B. 3 C. 4 D. 6 E. 7  
 S. How many products (including stereoisomers) may result from light  
 activated reaction of propene with NBS (note that the concentration of the  
 by product Br<sub>2</sub> is maintained low throughout the reaction)? A. 1 B. C. D. E. 2  
 3 4 5 Page 5 % Chem. 121 Final Exam Fall 2009

Name \_\_\_\_\_ T.

How many propagation steps are required in the radical polymerization of  
 vinyl chloride to form the following short PVC (poly-vinylchloride)? A. 1 B. C.  
 D. E. 2 3 4 5 RO Cl Cl Cl OR Page 6 % Chem. 121 Final Exam Fall 2009

Name \_\_\_\_\_ 2. A. (3 pts) cyclohexene and 3-  
 hexyne are (circle one): constitutional-isomers stereo-isomers conformers  
 unrelated compounds B. (3 pts) The boiling point of cyclohexene is higher  
 than that of 3-hexyne (circle one): True False C. (3 pts) The hydrogenation  
 product of cyclohexene is heavier than that of 3-hexyne (circle one): True  
 False

D. (3 pts). The intermolecular force(s) that holds the cyclohexene molecules  
 together in solid or liquid is (are): \_\_\_ van der Waals and

polar \_\_\_\_\_ E. (3 pts). The intermolecular force(s) that holds the 3-hexyne molecules together in solid or liquid is (are): \_\_\_\_\_

only van der Waals \_\_\_\_\_ F. (3 pts) The 4-

pentene-1-ol and hexane have the same molecular weight. Circle the one that is more soluble in water. Page 7 % Chem. 121 Final Exam Fall 2009

Name \_\_\_\_\_ 3. A. 12 pts) Draw the mechanism

for this reaction.  $\text{Br KOC}(\text{CH}_3)_3 \text{ BrH O}^- + + \text{H}$  No anti-periplanar hydrogens

prohibit E2! identical Br conformers Br Br B. (5 pts) Draw the transition state

for the step in which the C-Br bond is cleaved. a ? Br ?+ Page 8 % Chem. 121

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Circle all the stereogenic centers in the following compound. HO B. (10 pts)

The specific rotation of l-sutinin is  $[\alpha] = -10^\circ \text{ ml}^{-1} \text{ g}^{-1} \text{ dm}^{-1}$ . Using a 1 dm

cell, the measured light rotation of 1  $\text{g} \cdot \text{ml}^{-1}$  sample of synthesized and

purified sutinin is  $-1^\circ$ . What is the composition of the sample in this sample

- what is the portion of l-sutinin vs. d-sutinin? (explain your answer in no

more than 5 lines, or show your calculations) Explanation: (-) rotation

indicates excess of l; 1 out of 10 is 10 % that are excess of l over d (i. e. ,

ee); 90 % optical activity is canceled, i. e. , 45 % d cancel 45 % l so the total l

is 55 %. Calculations: % pure =  $[\alpha] / C = -10 / 1 \cdot 1 = -10^\circ$  ee =  $(\% \text{ mixture} / \%$

pure)  $\cdot 100 = (-1 / -10) \cdot 100 = 10\%$  ee =  $|(\% \text{ one enantiomer} - \% \text{ the other}$

enantiomer)| = 10 % Since  $[\alpha]$  is negative l-sutinin is in excess. e =  $|(\%[\text{l-}$

sutinin] -  $\%[\text{d-sutinin}]| = 10\%$  100 % =  $\%[\text{l-sutinin}] + \%[\text{d-sutinin}]$  so  $\%[\text{d-}$

sutinin] = 100 % -  $\%[\text{l-sutinin}]$  ee =  $|(\%[\text{l-sutinin}] - (100\% - \%[\text{l-sutinin}] )| =$

10 %  $\%[\text{l-sutinin}] = 110\% / 2 = 55\%$   $\%[\text{d-sutinin}] = 100 - 55 = 45\%$  Page 9

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Name \_\_\_\_\_ 5. The tert-butoxy catalyzed

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elimination of HBr from the following alkyl bromide is described in the energy diagram below. Use the reaction coordinate diagram below to answer the following questions. 2 Br 3 E n e r g y Ea ? H ? 1 Reaction coordinate ) (3 pts) How many intermediates are there in the reaction? none b) (3 pts) Is the overall reaction exothermic or endothermic (circle one)? c) (3 pts) Does the transition state more closely resemble reactants or products (circle one)? d) (4 pts) Label the two vertical arrows as Ea and ? H?. e) (5 pts) Draw the transition state (state 2 in the scheme): Br ?- a H ? + OH Page 10 % Chem. 121 Final Exam Fall 2009 Name \_\_\_\_\_ 6. (12 pts) Devise the synthesis of propionic acid from acetylene (ethyne) as the ONLY carbon source.

Present the synthetic path from reactants to product and the needed inorganic reagents by the arrows. ? 2 eq. Na/NH3 NaH O3 HBr Br HO O CO2 Page 11 % Chem. 121 Final Exam Fall 2009

Name \_\_\_\_\_ 7. (12 pts) Devise the conversion of the following reactant to the following product - see scheme below. You should get only the correct enantiomer (no racemic mixture or mixed diastereomers). Present the synthetic path from reactants to product and the needed inorganic reagents by the arrows. OH Br ? O HO NaOH Sharpless epoxidation - DET OH CH3OH / H2SO4 O OH Page 12 %