Chemistry 118 B Winter 2010 Final Wed. March 17, 2010

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1. **Reactions:** (24 pts). Draw the structure of the expected organic product(s) formed in the following reactions including correct stereochemistry. If the product is racemic write both isomers or write racemic. Assume all reagents listed are present in excess unless otherwise noted. If no reaction occurs, state 'No Reaction'.

B)
$$CHCl_3$$
 (CH₃)₃COK

2. **Reactions:** (24 pts). Draw the structure of the expected organic product(s) formed in the following reactions including correct stereochemistry. If the product is racemic write both isomers or write racemic. Assume all reagents listed are present in excess unless otherwise noted. If no reaction occurs, state 'No Reaction'.

L)
$$\frac{O}{2) H_3O^+}$$

3. **Reactions:** (24 pts). Draw the structure of the expected organic product(s) formed in the following reactions including correct stereochemistry. If the product is racemic write both isomers or write racemic. Assume all reagents listed are present in excess unless otherwise noted. If no reaction occurs, state 'No Reaction'.

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M)
$$CH_3O^-Na^+$$
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N) $1) HgSO_4, H_2O, H_2SO_4$ 14

Q)
$$\frac{\text{CH}_3}{2) \text{ H}_3\text{O}^+}$$

4. **Mechanisms:** (30 pts). Show the detailed reaction mechanism for each of the following reactions. Include the structure of the expected products and all relevant resonance structures.

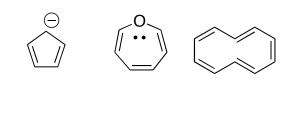
$$\begin{array}{c} O \\ \hline \\ A) \end{array} \begin{array}{c} CH_3CH_2OH \\ \hline \\ H_2SO_4 \end{array}$$

B)
$$H_2SO_4$$
, HNO_3

5. **Synthesis:** (21 pts). Show how you would carry out the following synthesis. Include the reagents you would need for each step and the intermediate products formed in each step.

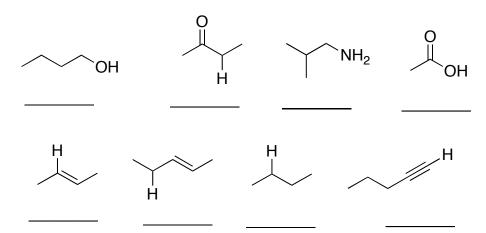
| | Vocabulary: (27 pts.) Fill in the blanks with the appropriate vocabulary word. If two words are given circle the correct one. Under control of a reaction most stable intermediate is | | | |
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| | utilized. This usually occurs at high / low temperatures. | | | |
| B) | Reactions generally proceed faster / slower in an allyl system. | | | |
| C) | The elimination uses an unhindered base to give a less / more | | | |
| | substituted alkene from an alkyl halide. | | | |
| D) | Generally the α -carbon of a carbonyl acts as a good nucleophile / electrophile | | | |
| | while the carbon in the carbonyl itself acts as a good nucleophile / electrophile. | | | |
| E) | Hemicetals can be formed from carbonyls using base / acid / both / neither as a | | | |
| | catalyst, they are always / sometimes / never difficult to isolate as pure | | | |
| | compounds. | | | |
| F) | Hydroboration of an alkene proceeds with | | | |
| | regioselectivity and a syn / anti addition of the new atoms. | | | |
| G) | Halogen substituents in electrophilic aromatic substition donate electrons by | | | |
| | but accept electrons by and generally give | | | |
| | fast / slow substitution with direction. | | | |
| H) | In the electrocyclic opening of 3,4-dimethylcyclobutene with heat, the reaction | | | |
| | proceeds in a direction. | | | |
| I) | In general the dienophile of a Diels-Alder reaction is electron rich / electron | | | |
| | poor and the diene is electron rich / electron poor. | | | |
| J) | True / False. A benzene generally reacts under the same conditions as an alkene. | | | |
| K) | True / False. Ketones are better electrophiles than aldehydes in aldol reactions. | | | |
| L) | In general less substituted alkene is more / less stable than a more substituted | | | |
| | alkene and is considered to be electron rich / poor and will react faster / slower | | | |
| | with mCPBA than a more substituted alkene. | | | |
| M) | Alcohols / aldehydes / ketones / alkenes generally have the highest boiling point | | | |
| | for their size. | | | |
| N) | In ¹ H NMR of alkenes coupling are the largest, | | | |
| | couplings are small couplings that occur between hydrogens on the same carbon, | | | |
| | and couplings are small couplings that cross four bonds. | | | |

- 7. **Identification:** (4 pts) Label each of the given molecules as E or Z.
- 8. **Identification:** (6 pts). Label each of the given molecules as aromatic, nonaromatic, or antiaromatic.



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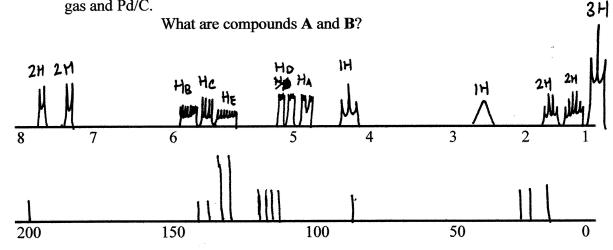
9. **Identification:** (8 pts). Rank the following by pKa of the explicit hydrogen. 1 = most acidic and 8 = least acidic.



10. **Nomenclature:** (15 pts.). Give the proper (IUPAC) chemical name or draw the structure of each of the following compounds.

A) 5E,7Z-4-bromodec-5,7-diene-1-yn-3-ol

1**♦**. **Spectroscopy:** (34 pts.) The unknown compound **A** (C₁₅H₁₈O₂) gives the following proton and carbon NMR spectra. Significant IR peaks were also observed. Compound **B** forms after reacting compound **A** with an excess of H₂ gas and Pd/C.



IR: v 3327 (broad), 3050, 2950, 1680, 1590, 1209, 809 cm⁻¹.

 $H_A = 1H J = 9 Hz (d), 3 Hz (d), 1 Hz (d)$

 $H_B = 1H J = 18 Hz (d), 14 Hz (d), 9 Hz (d), 2 Hz (d)$

 $H_C = 1H J = 16 Hz (d), 2 Hz (d)$

 $H_D = 1H J = 18 Hz (d), 3 Hz (d), 1.5 Hz (d)$

 $H_E = 1H J = 16 Hz (d), 14 Hz (d), 1.5 Hz (d), 1 Hz (d)$