

Question 1. (2 points). What is the most important question in organic chemistry?

Where are the elections going?

Question 2. a. (2 points). Rank the following molecules in order of increasing acidity (which is the same as decreasing pKa). Write a 8 in the box for the least acidic, a 1 in the box under the most acidic, and so on.

$$H_{2}O$$
  $\downarrow OH$   $\downarrow OH$ 

(5 points) Nomenclature. Name the following.

a.

1-ethy/-2-isopropy/ hydroxy cyclopropane

b.

2,6-di-test butyl- 4-methyl-phenol

Draw the following.

c. ethynylbenzene

d. benzylalcohol

e. 3-hydroxybutanal

Question 3. (18 points) Show the expected products from the following reactions. You may assume the reaction is finished with a standard workup if needed. Show any product(s) that contains a carbon atom.

a.



Haloform reaction needs basic conditions pg 582-3

Question 4. (18 points) Provide the Reagents necessary to convert cyclohexanecarboxylic acid to the products shown. Some reactions might require more than one step.

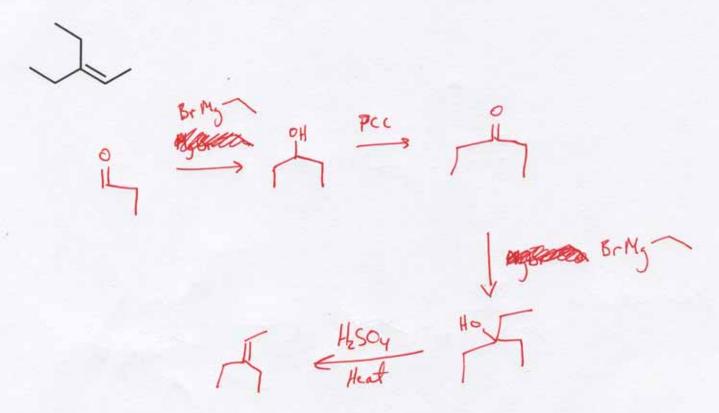
a.

d.

Question 5. (10 points) Synthesis. Propose a synthesis of the following compound from any organic materials you choose with the restrictions that your starting material must be four carbons or less and each reagent can not add more than four carbons to the product. You may use any other reagents you want.

Synthesis questions have many correct answers.

Question 6. (10 points) Synthesis. Propose a synthesis of the following compound from any organic materials you choose with the restrictions that your starting material must be **four** carbons or less and each reagent can not add more than four carbons to the product. You may use any other reagents you want.



Question 7. (10 points) Synthesis. Propose a synthesis of the following compound from any organic materials you choose with the restrictions that your starting material must be **four** carbons or less and each reagent can not add more than four carbons to the product. You may use any other reagents you want.

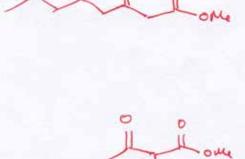
Question 8. (10 points) Synthesis. Propose a synthesis of the following compound from any organic materials you choose with the restrictions that your starting material must be **four** carbons or less and each reagent can not add more than four carbons to the product. You may use any other reagents you want.

Question 9. (10 points) Synthesis. Propose a synthesis of the following compound from any organic materials you choose with the restrictions that your starting material must be **four** carbons or less and each reagent can not add more than four carbons to the product. You may use any other reagents you want.

Question 10. (6 points). Draw all the beta-hydroxy aldehyde or ketone products from aldol reaction among the following compounds. Only show aldol products between two molecules.

Question 11. (8 points) Draw structural formulas of all four Claisen condensation products.

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Question 12. (10 Points) Propose a detailed reaction mechanism for the following reaction.

Question 13. (9 points). Draw the major product expected from each of the following reactions. For each nitration reaction, add only one nitro group to the aromatic ring.

Miscellaneous Questions.

Question 14. (1 point) What does NMR stand for?

Nuclear Magnetia Resonance

Question 15. (1 point) NMR uses radiation from what part of the electromagnetic spectrum?

Frequency ~ 106 Hz

Question 16. (1 point) In a modern NMR the magnetic field stays constant. What is changing or going on when a signal is said to resonate "up field"?

Some paramater is charging of the than the magnetic field to cause up field resonance.

Question 17. (1 point) If someone asks you whether he or she should be afraid of MRI (magnetic resonance imaging like NMP) because for the country of the should be afraid of MRI

(magnetic resonance imaging, like NMR) because of radioactivity concerns, you can explain:

MRI is not radioactive

Question 18. (3 points) What are Hückels criteria for aromaticity?

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1) Be cyclic

2) Have one p orbital on each atom in the ring
3) planar
4) 4n+2 pi electrons

Question 19. (1 point) What's the one thing you would most like to see changed in organic chemistry class to make it more interesting?

No Graded Homework