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B.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION - CHEMISTRY

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THIRD SEMESTER - APRIL 2018

CH 3506 / CH 3502- ORGANIC FUNCTIONAL GROUPS - I

Date: 05-05-2018 Dept. No. Max. : 100 Marks

Time: 01:00-04:00

PART - A

Answer all the questions:

 $(10 \times 2 = 20 \text{ marks})$

- 1. Classify the following halides into primary, secondary, tertiary, and aryl halides:
- a) 2-bromobutane, b) 2-methyl-1-bromopropane, c) 2-methyl-2-chloropropane, d) iodobenzene
- 2. How will you convert nitrobenzene into chlorobenzene?
- 3. Which of the following will not undergo haloform reaction? ethanol, methanol. Why?
- 4. Complete the reaction.



- 5. How will you prepare phenyl methylether from phenol using Williamson's synthesis?
- 6. Give the IUPAC names of diethyl ether and anisole.
- 7. Write about the polarity of carbonyl groups.
- 8. Draw the structure of the following compounds: a) benzyl ethyl ketone b) 4-oxo pentanal.
- 9. Arrange the following acids in terms of increasing acid strength and give reasons.

HCOOH, CICH2COOH, CI2CHCOOH, CI3CCOOH

- 10. Predict the products formed when benzoic acid reacts with
 - a) sodalime b) ethanol in the presence of dil. H₂SO₄.

PART - B

Answer any eight questions:

(8 X 5 = 40 marks)

- 11. Explain the S_N 1mechanism with a suitable example.
- 12. State Saytzeff's and Hoffmann's rules with examples.
- 13. Explain the mechanism of Kolbe's reaction.
- 14. How will you prepare 2-Propanol and Tertiary butyl alcohol using Grignard reagent?
- 15. Write the products obtained when ethylene oxide reacts with
 - a) CH_3OH/H^+ b) NH_3 c) H_2O/H^+
- 16. Explain Williamson's ether synthesis with its mechanism.
- 17. What happens when diethyl ether is treated with the following reagents?

- a) Excess of HI b) Con.H₂SO₄
- 18. Explain the mechanism of Norrish type II reaction.
- 19. Write the mechanism of Reformatsky reaction.
- 20. What is benzoin condensation? Explain its mechanism.
- 21. What is transesterification? Explain with an example.
- 22. Give any two methods of preparation of succinic acid.

PART - C

Answer any four questions:

(4 X 10 = 40 marks)

- 23. a) Describe E_1 mechanism with an example.
- b) 2, 4 –dinitrochlorobenzene undergoes nucleophilic substitution much faster than chlorobenzene. Explain your answer. (5+5)
- 24. a) Phenol undergoes nitration forming ortho and para nitro phenols. Explain the formation of these products with mechanism. (5)
 - b) Account for the following:

(2.5+2.5)

- i) Phenol does not undergo Friedl-Crafts' reaction.
- ii) Alcohol possesses higher boiling point than the hydrocarbons of similar molar mass.
- 25. a) Describe alkoxymercuration and demercuration procedure for the synthesis of ethers with an example. (4)
- b)How are the following compounds prepared from ethylene oxide?
- i) butan-1-ol
- ii) 2-methoxy ethanol.

(3+3)

- 26. a.Provide any one method to prepare the following compounds.
- i) succinic acid
- ii) cinnamic acid

(3+3)

b. Give the mechanism of alkaline hydrolysis of ester.

(4)

- 27. Compound A with molecular formula C₇H₆O on treatment with con.NaOH gives compounds B and C. B on oxidation gives back A. A answers Tollens test but not Fehing's test. Compound C on acidification gives D (C₇H₆O₂). D gives brisk effervescence with aqueous NaHCO₃ and reaction with ethanol in the presence of dil.H₂SO₄ gives a sweet smelling compound E. Identify A, B, C, D and E and write the reactions involved.
- 28. a) Explain Wittig reaction with mechanism.
 - b) Arrange the following in the order specified and give reason.

benzoic acid, 4-nitro benzoic acid, 4-methoxy benzoic acid, 2, 4-dinitro benzoic acid (decreasing acidic strength) (5+5)
