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Subject Code : 1309

B.A./B.Sc. 3rd Semester

CHEMISTRY

(Organic Chemistry—A)

Time Allowed—3 Hours]

[Maximum Marks—35

PART—A

Note :— Attempt **all** questions. Each question carries 1 mark.

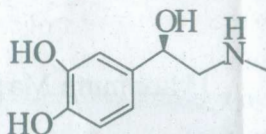
1. Draw all the stereoisomers of 2-3 butandiol.
2. What is the origin of optical activity ?
3. In what aspects *R*-ibuprofen different from *S*-ibuprofen ?
4. pK_a of phenol is 10. At what pH, phenol will be in the phenoxide form ?
5. Name and draw the structure of Two natural products having (i) aldehyde and (ii) ketone functional group.
6. Give one method for preparing cis-vicinal diols.
7. Write one reaction showing the synthesis of α , β -unsaturated compound from an aldehyde.
8. What is the most significant use of acetyl salicylic acid ?

PART—B

Note :— Attempt **two** questions from each section. Each question carries **4.5** marks.

SECTION—I

9. You are given a racemic mixture of epinephrine.



Discuss one chemical method for separating the two enantiomers.

10. Write the reaction for the bromination at cis- and trans-2-butene and identify the product/s in each reaction as meso- and racemic mixture. Give suitable explanation for the formation of each product.
11. What will be approximate percentage of axial and equatorial isomers in each of the following cyclohexane derivative :—
- methylcyclohexane
 - cyclohexanol
 - chlorocyclohexane
 - acetyl cyclohexane.

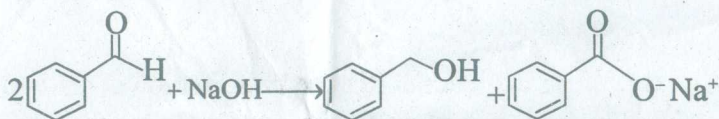
SECTION—II

12. With the help of appropriate mechanism, discuss the chemical reaction for the formation of salicyl aldehyde from phenol.

13. What are the synthetic applications of pinacol-pinacolone rearrangement ?
14. Starting with the suitable substrate and using the appropriate reaction conditions, discuss the synthesis of p-hydroxy acetophenone.

SECTION—III

15. The following Cannizzaro reaction was carried out in H_2^{18}O . It was observed that both benzyl alcohol and sodium benzoate contain ^{18}O . On the basis of this observation, formulate the mechanism for the reaction.



16. Benzaldehyde is liquid at normal temperature and pressure but usually a solid is deposited at the neck of benzaldehyde bottle. What this solid is and how it gets formed ? Discuss the appropriate chemistry involved in this reaction.
17. Discuss the chemistry of iodoform test.