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# B.Sc. (Biotechnology) 2<sup>nd</sup> Semester ORGANIC CHEMISTRY-B

# Paper-BT-4

Time Allowed—Three Hours] [Maximum Marks—40

## SECTION-A

Note: -- Attempt ALL the questions. All questions carry equal marks.

- Although acetylene is acidic in nature, yet it doesn't react with NaOH, why?
- 2. How will you convert ethyne to acetaldehyde?
- Using Williamson's synthesis, how will you 3. synthesize cyclohexylmethyl ether?
- Write a short note on crown ether. 4.
- 5. Aldehydes undergo nucleophilic addition reactions more easily than ketones, explain.
- 6. Complete the following reaction:

Benzoyl chloride gets hydrolyzed at a much slower rate than acetyl chloride, why?

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8. Complete the following reaction:

### SECTION-B

Note: — Attempt any FIVE questions. Each question carries equal marks.

9. Provide the structure and mechanism of following reaction:

- 10. Alkynes are less reactive than alkenes towards electrophilic addition reactions. Explain.
- 11. Predict the products in the following reactions with a suitable mechanism:

12. Tert-butyl-ethyl ether can be prepared by reacting sodium tert-butoxide with ethyl bromide but not by reacting tert-butyl bromide with sodium ethoxide. Why?

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- 13. Explain why in acid catalyzed halogenations of 2-butanone, halogenation preferentially occurs at methylene rather than methyl group?
- 14. How would you prepare 2-methyl-2-pentene using Wittig reaction?
- 15. Discuss Hofmann bromamide reaction with a suitable mechanism.
- 16. Arrange the following in decreasing order of acid catalyzed esterification and provide a suitable reason:

$$H_3C$$
 — COOH  $H_3C$  — COOH  $H_3C$  — COOH  $CH_3$  III  $5\times 4=20$ 

#### SECTION-C

Note: — Attempt any TWO questions. Each question carries equal marks.

- 17. (a) With mechanism, how will you convert but-2-yne to but-2-ene in the presence of Na/liq.NH,?

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  - (b) Complete the following reaction:

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18. Provide the structure of product along with a suitable mechanism for the following reaction:

19. How do you explain the outcome of following reaction in acidic and basic media:

20. With mechanism, state and explain Dieckmann condensation reaction.

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