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M.Sc. Chemistry 3rd Semester ORGANIC SYNTHESIS Paper—Course-XVII

Time Allowed—Three Hours] [Maximum Marks—50 SECTION—A

Note:—All questions are compulsory. Each question carries 1 mark.

- 1. How four-member rings are different in chemical properties from their open chain analogues? Explain with suitable example.
- 2. Outline one method for synthesis of (R) muscone.
- 3. Give one ring opening reaction of thiranes.
- 4. Discuss the halogenation reaction of anthracene.
- 5. Cis- butenedioic anhydride adds more readily to anthracene across 9,10 positions rather than 1,4 positions. Why?
- 6. What precautions should be taken care of while carrying the Arndt-Eistert synthesis?
- 7. Identify the reagents and reaction conditions. Justify the formation of product.



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- Why is water a better hydrogen bond donor than methanol whereas methanol is a better hydrogen bond acceptor?
- Suggest a synthesis for 2, 7-diphenyloxepin. 9.
- 10. Outline the preparation of lithium indenyl compounds. Enlist various precautions to be considered while $10 \times 1 = 10$ carrying out the reaction.

SECTION-B

Note: - Attempt any EIGHT questions. Each question carries 3 marks.

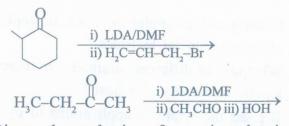
- Discuss the inherent migratory aptitude of different 1. groups by taking example of Pinacol-Pinacolone rearrangement.
- How can you obtain n-butanol from oxirane? Give suitable reasoning for your answer.
- 3. What will happen if phenanthrene is mixed with potassium dichromate and concentrated sulphuric acid? Give suitable reason for your answer.
- Make a comparative study of aromatic behaviour of linear and non-linear ortho fused polynuclear hydrocarbons.
- (a) Elaborate a synthetic scheme for the synthesis of 2, 4-dimethylazetidine from 3, 5-dimethylisoxazole.
 - (b) Discuss one method for the synthesis of coumarin and one reaction given by this coumarin.
- Give one method for the preparation of diazepines 6. and two rearrangement reactions given by diazepines.

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- 7. Discuss the synthesis of civiton and catenoids.
- 8. How Wilkinson's catalyst can be used for the hydrogenation of an alkenes? Explain with mechanism.
- 9. Outline the differences between a ligand and a macrocycle. Support your answer with examples.
- 10. Identify the product in each of the following:

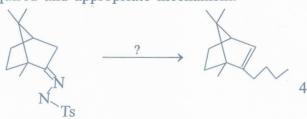


- 11. Discuss the mechanism of a reaction wherein an oxime on treatment with concentrated sulphuric acid furnishes a substituted amine. Name the reaction also.
- 12. An α, β-unsaturated ketone in the presence of dialkyl lithium cuprate is converted to saturated ketone. Why this is so? Explain with mechanism. 3×8=24

SECTION—C

Note: —Attempt any TWO questions. Each question carries 8 marks.

1. (a) Name the reaction and provide the reagents required and appropriate mechanism.



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(b) Complete and outline the mechanism of the following reaction:

$$C_6H_5$$
 C_6H_5
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 C_6H_5
 CH_3
 C_6H_5
 CH_3
 CH_3
 CH_3
 CH_3

- (a) Discuss with examples the synthetic applications
 of complex metal hydrides.
 - (b) What are the different parameters to increase the kinetic selectivity of a host?
- 3. (a) Discuss the synthetic applications of pyrones.
 - (b) Discuss the role of hydrophobic effect in increasing the binding ability of a host.
- 4. (a) Giving suitable example, discuss the mechanism of Wagner-Merwein reaction. Highlight the memory effect in the mechanistic studies.
 - (b) With the help of suitable examples, discuss the synthetic applications of :
 - (i) Crown ethers and Merrifield resin
 - (ii) Baker yeast. 2×2

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