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ORGANIC CHEMISTRY II (CHEM 2302)

8:00 – 8:50 am, June 27, 2016

Exam 1

If you want to pick this exam up tomorrow in class (in public), please check the box on the right:

If you do not check the box, I will not bring your exam to class tomorrow, and you will need to pick up your exam in private from Chemistry department staff in 115 Smith beginning Wednesday, June 29th. Exams that are not picked up within two weeks will be disposed of.

A periodic table and a chart of reaction conditions are attached to the back of this exam as an aid. Otherwise, you are not permitted to use any other materials (including notes, books, or electronic devices of any kind).

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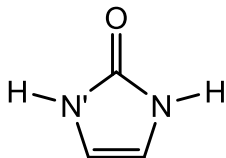
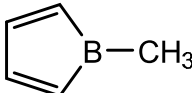
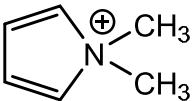
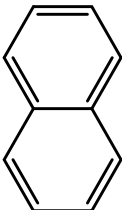
Please write your answers in the boxes/spaces provided. If your answer is not in the appropriate space (say, for example, it's on the back of the page), draw us an arrow and/or note telling us where to look.

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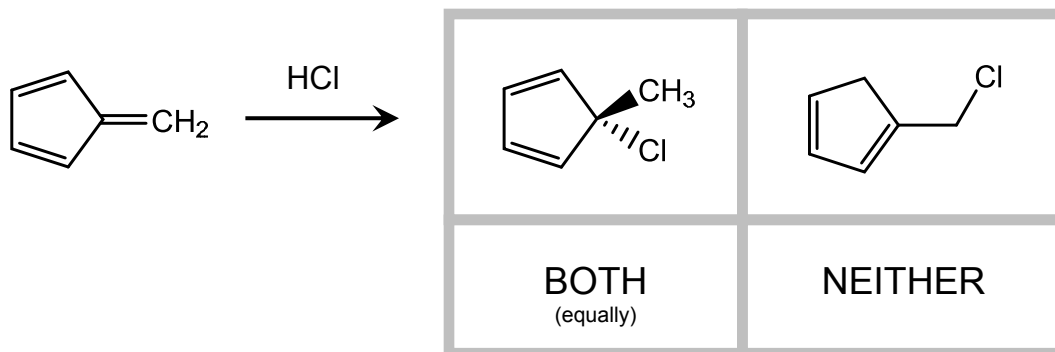
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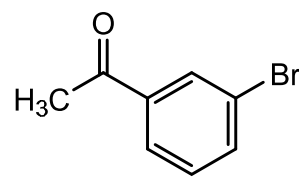
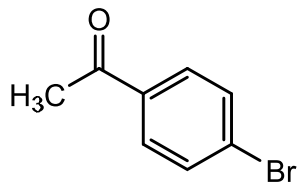
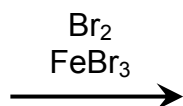
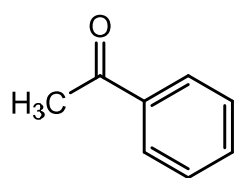
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1. (12 pts) For each of the molecules on the next page, circle whether the molecule is aromatic, anti-aromatic, or neither.

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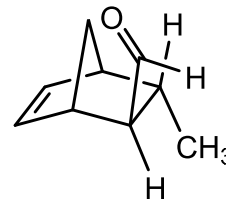
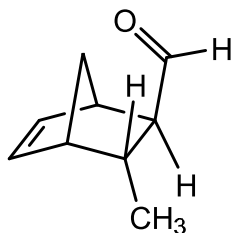
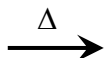
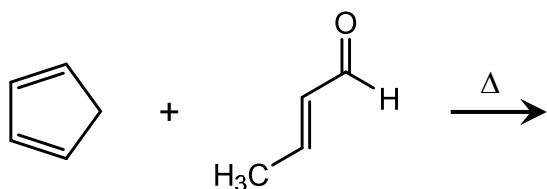
2. (20 pts) Each of the reactions below is drawn with two possible products. If one of the two products predominates, circle that preferred product. If the two products are produced equally, circle "BOTH". If neither product would result from the reaction, circle "NEITHER". **Circle one answer only.**





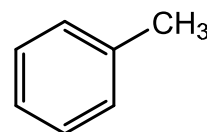
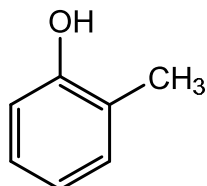
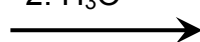
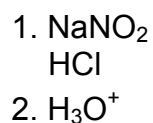
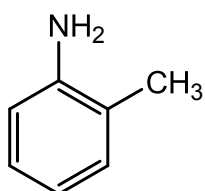
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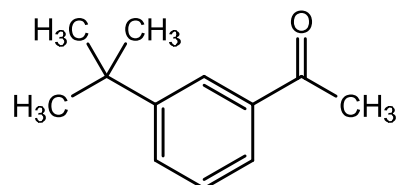
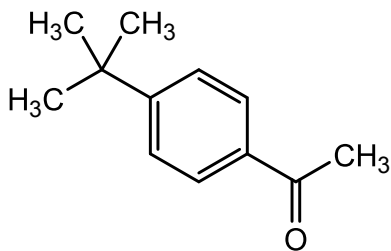
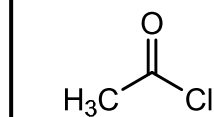
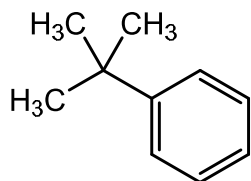
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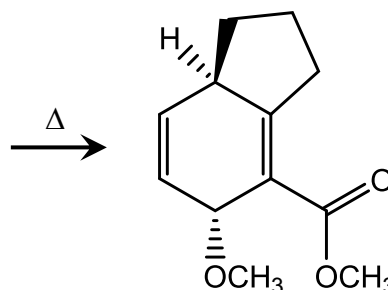
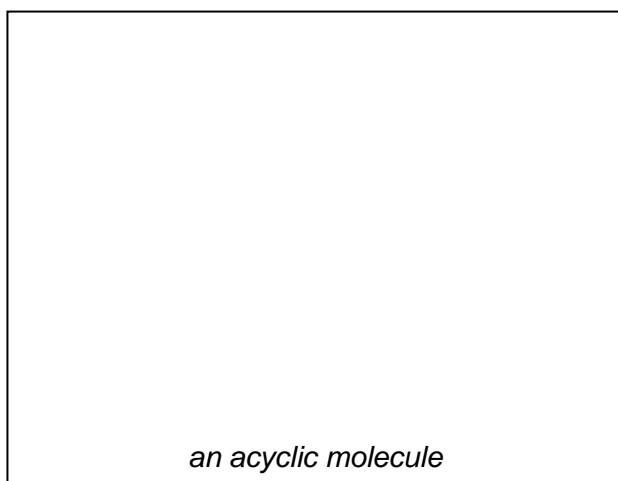
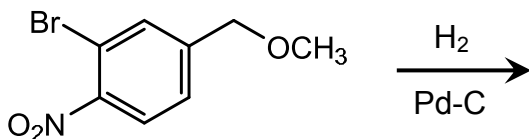
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3. (10 pts) For each of the reactions below, fill in the empty box corresponding to reactants or products. Give only one answer in each box. For reactions that you expect to yield multiple products, give the major product. For reactions that yield multiple enantiomers, draw only one enantiomer in the box, and include the note "+ enantiomer".



4. (5 pts) How would you use acid-base extraction to separate a carboxylic acid from an alcohol? Below are listed five possible steps you might take to selectively remove an alcohol from a chloroform (CHCl_3) solution of an acid. **Write the letters of these steps in the empty boxes, in the correct order.** Keep in mind that you may not need to use all the letters, or all the boxes. (I may have given you extra boxes.)

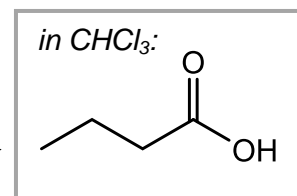
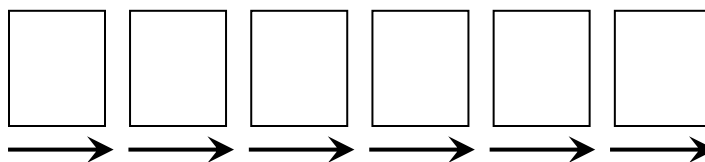
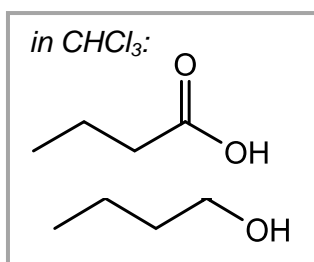
A Add H_2O and HCl (such that the water layer is acidic). Shake.

C Add fresh CHCl_3 . Shake.

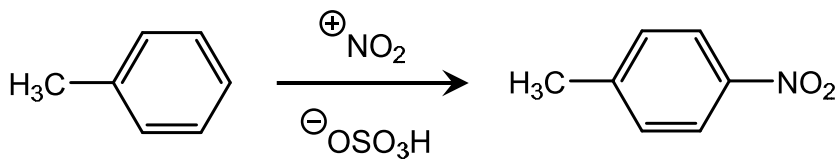
B Add H_2O and NaOH (such that the water layer is basic). Shake.

D Discard the H_2O layer.

E Discard the CHCl_3 layer.



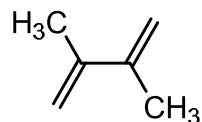
5. (9 pts) **Draw a mechanism** (using “electron pushing”) for the reaction shown below. Draw each mechanistic step explicitly; don’t cheat by combining multiple processes in a single step. Use only the molecules shown in the problem; don’t invoke generic species. (E.g., don’t use “B:” as a generic base.)



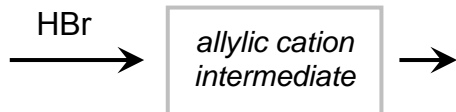
NO_2^+ and OSO_3H^- are generated from $\text{HNO}_3/\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$. You do not need to draw a mechanism for the formation of NO_2^+ and OSO_3H^- —just use them.

Mechanism:

6. (28 pts) 2,3-Dimethylbutadiene (the reactant below) reacts with HBr to form two different products, both of which come from one allylic cation intermediate. The preferred product depends on whether the reaction is performed at low or high temperature.
- a. In the boxes below and on the next page, draw the structures of the two products of the reaction between 2,3-dimethylbutadiene and HBr. Draw each product in the box corresponding to its preferential conditions.



2,3-dimethylbutadiene



preferred at **low** temperature:

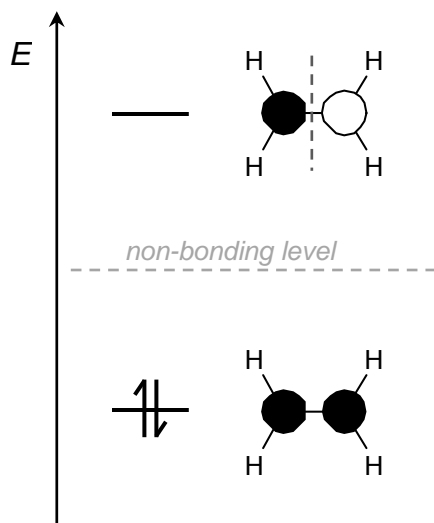
- b. In the box below, **draw a mechanism** (using “electron pushing”) that shows how the **high-temperature product** is formed from 2,3-dimethylbutadiene. Make sure your mechanism shows the structure of the allylic cation intermediate.

*preferred at **high** temperature:*

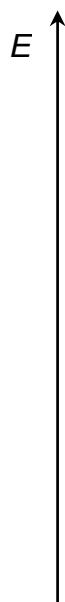
Mechanism:

- c. In the box below, draw a molecular orbital diagram for the conjugated π system in the **allylic cation intermediate**. In your diagram, make sure to:
- Draw orbital energy levels;
 - Draw a molecular orbital for each energy level. Use dark and light shading to indicate the phase in each orbital lobe.
 - Fill your orbitals with the appropriate number of electrons.

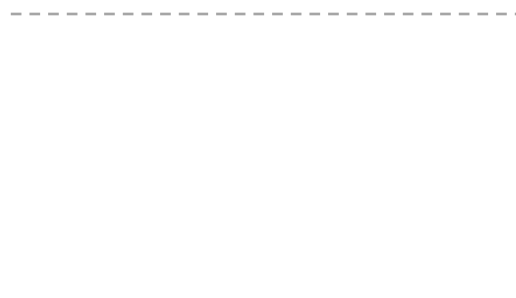
*example of answer format
(for C_2H_4):*



your answer:



*Which is
LUMO?*

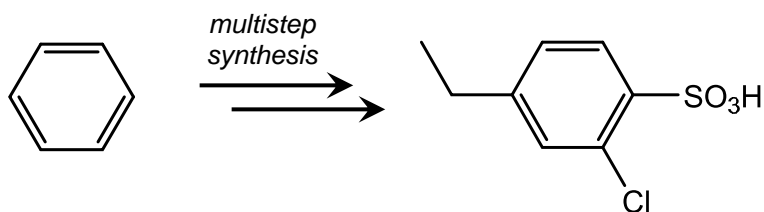


d. Which of the orbitals you drew is the LUMO? On your diagram on the previous page, write “**LUMO**” next to this orbital.

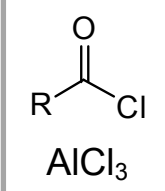
e. Would you expect $\lambda_{\max}(\text{products})$ to be $>$, $<$, or $=$ $\lambda_{\max}(\text{2,3-dimethylbutadiene})$?

(circle one)

7. (16 pts) **Propose a multistep synthesis** of the product shown below, starting from benzene. You may use any reagents and reactions we've learned about in class and/or in the text. You might discover multiple answers to this problem; draw only your best (one) synthetic route. Feel free to draw an incomplete route—we will give you partial credit where we can.

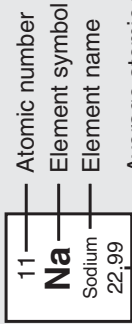


Exam 1 Chart of Reaction Conditions

Br ₂ FeBr ₃	Cl ₂ AlCl ₃	H ₂ SO ₄ HNO ₃	Sn or Fe HCl/H ₂ O	H ₂ SO ₄ SO ₃	KMnO ₄ OH ⁻ , 100 °C
1. NaNO ₂ HCl 2. CuCN or H ₃ PO ₂ or CuX or H ₃ O ⁺	 AlCl ₃	R-X (R = alkyl) AlCl ₃ or FeBr ₃	Zn(Hg), HCl/H ₂ O	1. N ₂ H ₄ 2. KOH, Δ	
		H ₂ Pd-C	1. Ag ₂ O NH ₃ 2. H ₃ O ⁺	1. O ₃ 2. H ₂ O	Na ₂ Cr ₂ O ₇ H ₂ SO ₄

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Key



— Atomic number
— Element symbol
— Element name
— Average atomic mass*

* If this number is in parentheses, then it refers to the atomic mass of the most stable isotope.