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FIRST SEMESTER M.Sc. DEGREE (REGULAR/SUPPLEMENTARY) EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2024

(CBCSS)

Chemistry

CHE 1C 03—STRUCTURE AND REACTIVITY OF ORGANIC COMPOUNDS

(2019 Admission onwards)

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 30 Weightage

Section A

Answer any eight questions.

Each question carries a weightage of 1.

- 1. Is the statement "both HOMO and LUMO of benzene is doubly degenerate" true or false?
- 2. What happens when cyclooctatetraene is treated with sulphuric acid?
- 3. Give the structure of a non-classical carbocation.
- 4. Depict the conformation of trans-1, 3 -diethyl cyclohexane.
- 5. Depict the Newman projection of meso-2, 3-butanediol.
- 6. What product is formed when 1-chloro cyclopentane is treated with cyanide anion in DMSO solvent?
- 7. Designate the topicity of H_a and H_b in :

- 8. Depict the structure of 2E, 4E-hexadiene.
- 9. Identify and show the prochiral faces of acetaldehyde.
- 10. Give an example of a chiral auxiliary.

 $(8 \times 1 = 8 \text{ weightage})$

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Section B

Answer any six questions.

Each question carries a weightage of 2.

- 11. Draw the structure of the product formed on E2 elimination of (1S, 2S)-1, 2-dichloro-1, 2-diphenylethane.
- 12. Give the structures of cyclodextrin and 18-crown-6.
- 13. Depict the most stable conformer for (i) 2-fluoro ethanol and (ii) trans-1, 4-dimethyl cyclohexane.
- 14. Give an example for neighbouring group participation.
- 15. A 3.20 g sample of morphine ($[\alpha]_D = -132^\circ$) was dissolved in 10.0 mL of acetic acid ($[\alpha]_D = 0$). If it is put into a sample tube with a path length of 2.00 cm, what would be its observed rotation (α)?
- 16. How is the Felkin-Anh model different from Crams' model?
- 17. Explain atropisomerism providing a suitable example.
- 18. Provide structures of 2 non-carbon chiral centered molecules.

 $(6 \times 2 = 12 \text{ weightage})$

Section C

Answer any **two** questions.

Each question carries a weightage of 5.

- 19. Elimination of meso-2, 3-dibromo butane leads to trans alkene while its dl-mixture yields the cisalkene. Justify the statement with suitable illustration.
- 20. Predict the products formed from the following reactions:

i)
$$OTs AcO^{\Theta}$$
 ? ii) $OH SOCI_2$ pyridine ? $OH SOCI_2$ pyridine

21. Give R/S designations for the following molecules and name the class of chirality to which they belong.

22. What are linear free energy relationships? Explain any *one* of them in detail providing suitable example.

 $(2 \times 5 = 10 \text{ weightage})$

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