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DEPARTMENT OF SCIENCES, II SEMESTER M.Sc (CHEMISTRY)

END SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS, APRIL 2019

**SUBJECT: ORGANIC CHEMISTRY II [CHM 4204]
(REVISED CREDIT SYSTEM-2017)**

Time: 3 Hours

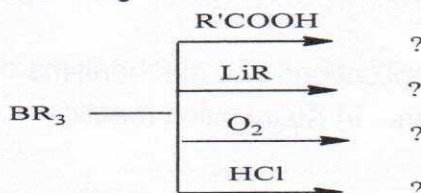
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MAX. MARKS: 50

Note: (i) Answer **ALL** questions

(ii) Write reactions, structures or mechanisms wherever necessary

- 1A. Describe two synthetic methods, structure and bonding of Fischer carbenes. How are they different from Schrock carbenes?
- 1B. i) Explain the common routes of decomposition of transition metal alkyls.
ii) Justify the statement: Reactivity of metal-arenes depends upon the functional groups on arene moieties.
- 1C. i) What happens when methyl cyanide is treated with methyl lithium followed by treatment with H_3O^+ ? Explain the mechanism of the reaction.
ii) Predict the products in the following reactions.

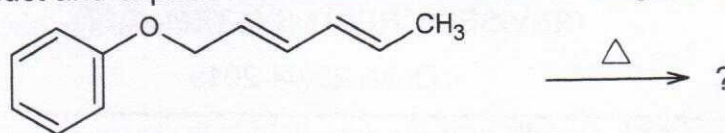


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- 2A. Give two synthetic methods for the following metal complexes.
i) Metal-butadiene complexes
ii) Metal-cyclopentadiene complexes
iii) Metal-arene complexes
- 2B. Describe any two methods of preparation of Grignard reagent and four of its applications in organic synthesis.
- 2C. i) Describe the following methods of preparation of organometallics with example.
a. Transmetallation b. Oxidative addition.
ii) Discuss industrial importance and laboratory applications of organometallic compounds.
- 3A. Discuss the structure and bonding, aromaticity and electrophilic substitution reactions of ferrocene.

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- 3B. i) How is Tebbe's reagent prepared? Give two of its synthetic applications.
 ii) Give chemical properties of organoaluminium compounds.
- 3C. Describe the synthetic importance and mechanism of Ugi reaction. Explain the scope of substrate structures in the generation of molecular libraries. **3+3+4**
- 4A. Predict the product and explain the reaction mechanism using FMO theory.



- 4B. Rationalize why two different products are formed from disrotatory ring closure of (2E, 4Z, 6Z)-octatriene while only one product in case of (2E, 4Z, 6E)-octatriene.
- 4C. Write Woodward Hoffman orbital correlation diagram for a thermally feasible cycloaddition reaction. **3+3+4**
- 5A. Write various reagents used for epoxidation reactions. Give the features of Sharpless asymmetric epoxidation reaction.
- 5B. How is dioxirane reagents prepared? Comment on their reactivity. Explain their synthetic scope and mechanism of one of the reactions.
- 5C. Write the synthetic applications and mechanisms of the following reactions. **3+3+4**
 i) Brook rearrangement ii) Kulinkovich reaction
