2017 CHEMISTRY Paper: 402 (0)

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ORGANIC SYNTHESIS

Full Marks: 80 Time: 3 hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions

1. Answer the following questions

- a. What do you mean by photoisomerization and photocycloaddition of benzene?
- b. What do you mean by the following reactions? Give two examples for each reaction. (*Answer any four*)

 $2 \times 4 = 8$

- (i) Paterno-Buchi reaction
- (ii) Aza di- π -methane rearrangement
- (iii) Barton rearrangement
- (iv) Norrish type I reaction
- (v) Oxa di- π -methane rearrangement
- c. What will be the products of the following reactions? $1 \times 8 = 8$

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NaCN, H2O

2. Answer the following questions

 $3 \times 5 = 15$

- a. Anti- and Syn- periplanar eliminations are seen in Peterson reactions. Explain with examples?
- b. What do you mean by umpolung of aldehydes? How singlet and triplet carbenes can be generated? Write their reactions.

2+3

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c. Write the products of the following reactions.

i)

1. NaOEt
2. Diethyl carbonate
3. PhCH₂Br, H₃O⁺, Heat

(ii)

R

S

R

BuLi

RX

(iii)
$$COOMe$$
 $COOEt$ $COOEt$ $COOMe$ $COOMe$

(v)
$$Me^{-\frac{\text{SiMe}_3}{\text{Ph}}} + Ph^{-\frac{\text{CHO}}{\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2}}$$

3. Answer the following questions (Any two)

 $2 \times 5 = 10$

- a. What do you mean by 1, 3-dipolar cycloaddition reaction? How they are classified on the basis of FMO theory? Explain. 1+4
- b. What do you mean by dyotropic rearrangements? Explain with examples.
- c. What are Ene and Retro-Ene reactions? Ene reaction is a thermally suprafacial favoured reaction. Explain. 2+3

4. Answer the following question

a. What will be the products of the following reactions? (*Any five*) $2 \times 5 = 10$

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3

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5. Answer the following questions (Any three)

 $3 \times 5 = 15$

- a. How singlet and triplet nitrenes can be generated? Write their various reactions. 2+3
- b. What are Sonogashira coupling reaction and Heck reaction? Give at least two examples of each reaction. $2\frac{1}{2} + 2\frac{1}{2}$
- c. What do you mean by Hofmann–Loeffler–Freytag reaction? Write the mechanism and applications of the reaction. 1+2+2
- d. What are organocopper reagents? How they are prepared? Write the synthetic uses of organocopper reagents. 1+1+3
- 6. Write the products of the following reactions $1 \times 10 = 10$

(i)
$$(CH_2)_4N(Br)CH_3$$
 $H_2SO_4/Light$ (ii) R_2CuLi (iii) R_2CuLi OH $Pb(OAc)_4$

(iii)
$$\underbrace{ \begin{array}{c} 1. \text{ conc. } H_2SO_4, \text{ Heat} \\ 2. \text{ NaOH} \end{array}}$$
 (iv)
$$\underbrace{ \begin{array}{c} OH \\ Pb(OAc)_4 \\ Heat \end{array}}$$

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