2021 CHEMISTRY [HONOURS] Paper : VIII

Full Marks : 80Time : 4 HoursThe figures in the right-hand margin indicate marks.Candidates are required to give their answers in
their own words as far as practicable.

GROUP-A

(Marks : 40)

1. Answer any **two** questions from the following:

 $1 \times 2 = 2$

a) Indicate the major product of the following reaction:



b) Comment on the position of $C \equiv N$ stretching band of nitrile compounds in IR spectrum.

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c) Identify the major product of the following reaction:



d) Arrange the following labelled hydrogens in order of increasing chemical shift value in ¹H NMR:

a b c CH₃CH₂CHO

- 2. Answer any **two** questions from the following: $2 \times 2=4$
 - a) Use Cram's rule to predict the major product of the following reaction:



b) Suggest mechanism for the following reaction:



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- c) 2, 3-Di-tert-butyl-1, 3-butadiene is reluctant to give Diels-Alder reaction with an alkene. Explain.
- d) How would you distinguish the following pair by ¹H-NMR?



- 3. Answer any **four** from the following: $6 \times 4 = 24$
 - a) i) An organic compound with molecular mass 69 is transparent above 200nm. The absorption bands in IR spectrum are 2941cm⁻¹(m), 2273cm⁻¹(m) and 1460cm⁻¹(m). In ¹H-NMR, two signals are observed. One is septet at 2.72ppm and another is doublet at 1.33ppm. Deduce the structure of organic compound.
 - ii) Predict the major product of the following reaction with mechanism:



3+3=6

b) i) What happens when the following tosylates are separately subjected to acetolysis? Explain the reactions and comment on optical activity of the products.



ii) How can you distinguish the following pair by IR spectroscopy?



- c) i) Using frontier orbital overlap, explain the preferred mode of Diels-Alder reaction between butadiene and ethylene.
 - ii) Predict the major product of the following thermal reaction and give the plausible mechanism.



d) i) Identify the product with mechanism in the following reaction:



ii) Based on Woodward rule calculate λ_{max} of the following compound:



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iii) Explain why [1, 5]-sigmatropic H-shift in penta-1,3-diene is very facile but [1, 3]- sigmatropic H-shift is not observed. 2+2+2=6 e) i) Give product with mechanism of the following reaction:



ii) Based on FMO interaction predict the product(s) of the following reaction:



iii) Although a wet sample can be used for UV spectral analysis, a dry sample is necessary for IR analysis. Why?

$$2+2+2=6$$

f) i) Identify 'A' and 'B' in the following conversions and explain their formation with mechanism.



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- ii) What happens when *cis*-4-tbutylyclohexylamine is treated with nitrous acid? Give justification. 4+2=6
- 4. Answer any **one** of the following questions:

 $10 \times 1 = 10$

a) i) A compound has a molecular formula $C_{10}H_{13}Cl$. Assign its structure with the help of the following proton NMR data: singlet 1.578 6H

singlet 3.07δ 2H

singlet 7.27δ 5H

ii) Rationalise the following observation:



 iii) Aldols as such are not always isolated from the condensation. For example, acetaldehyde readily forms the following cyclic hemiacetal during aldol reaction.



How would you explain this observation?

- iv) What do you mean by chemically non equivalent protons? Explain with example. 3+3+2+2=10
- b) i) Optically active 'A' recemises on heating at 50°C with a half-life of 24hr. Rationalize this observation.



ii) Calculate the λ_{max} values for the following compounds:



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- iii) Increase in polarity of the solvent shifts $\pi - \pi^*$ band to longer wavelength but $n - \pi^*$ band to shorter wavelength. Comment on the statement.
- iv) How would you explain the following observations?



GROUP-B

(Marks : 40)

5. Answer any **two** questions from the following:

 $1 \times 2 = 2$

- a) Write down the structure of malachite green.
- b) Assign the correct wittig salt for the following reaction:

 $PhCHO \xrightarrow{?} PhCH = CH(OCH_3)$

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- c) Give one synthetic use of DDQ.
- d) Arrange the following in order of increasing aromaticity:

thiophene, pyrrole, furan.

- 6. Answer any **two** questions from the following: $2 \times 2=4$
 - a) Give the synthesis of methyl orange.
 - b) Show how you would synthesize the following compound using dithiane and other chemicals.



- c) Why does D-fructose give a positive Tollen's test?
- d) Predict the product of the following reaction and suggest the plausible mechanism:



7. Answer any **four** questions from the following:

 $6 \times 4 = 24$

- a) i) α-D-Glucose does not undergo mutarotation in pyridine alone or in phenol alone but it undergoes rapid mutarotation in a mixture of pyridine and phenol. Explain.
 - ii) Give the synthesis of sulfadiazine. Mention its one use. 3+(2+1)=6
- b) i) Why periodic oxidation of D-mannose is faster than that of D-glucose?

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- ii) The monobromination of thiophene-3carboxylic acid gives only one product. What is its structure and why is it the only product formed? 2+(1+3)=6
- c) i) Identify the product(s) in the following reactions (mechanism not required).



- ii) Give the structure of PVC and depict its preparation with one important use. $(3\times1)+(1+1+1)=6$
- d) i) Account for the fact that position 3 of pyridine is the site for nitration and sulphonation, while positions 2 and 4 are sites for attack by sodium amide and alkyl lithium compounds.
 - ii) Indicate the product of the following

reaction with mechanism:

$$\square_{N} \xrightarrow{\text{POCl}_{3}}? \qquad 4+2=6$$

- e) i) What is meant by primary and secondary structures of polypeptide?
 - ii) Carry out the following conversion with appropriate reagent. (mechanism required):



f) Indicating retrosynthetic analysis give the synthetic route to the synthesis of following compounds (any two):





8. Answer any **one** question from the following:

10×1=10

- a) i) Prepare *cis*-and *trans*-1, 2-diols from cyclohexene by applying Prevost and Woodward reactions. Explain with mechanism.
 - ii) Identify the product(s) with mechanismfor the following reactions (any two):







iii) Mention one important use of 'Teflon'. 3+(3+3)+1=10 i) Indicate the product(s) of the following reactions and gives plausible mechanism:



- ii) Explain why primary or tertiary amines cannot be used to prepare enamines.
- iii) How would you use a Michael reaction in one of the steps to prepare the following compound? Sketch the pathways with mechanism.



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