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B.A./B.Sc. (General) 1st Semester
(2123)

CHEMISTRY

(Same for B.Sc. Microbial & Food Tech.)

Paper-II Organic Chemistry-A

Time Allowed : Three Hours]

[Maximum Marks : 22

Note :—Attempt **five** questions in all, including Question No. 9 (Unit V) which is compulsory and taking at least **one** question each from Unit I-IV.

UNIT-I

1. (a) What is Inductive Effect ? Give its application in stability of different classes of carbocations. 2
- (b) Discuss the effect of resonance in explaining the relative acid strength of aryl and alkyl carboxylic acids. 2
2. (a) What are Free Radicals ? Discuss the relative stability of different classes of free radicals. 2
- (b) How do the methods such as 'isotope effect' and 'stereochemical studies' help in determination of reaction mechanism ? 1
- (c) Assign formal charge on Methyl Carbanion and Dichlorocarbene. 1

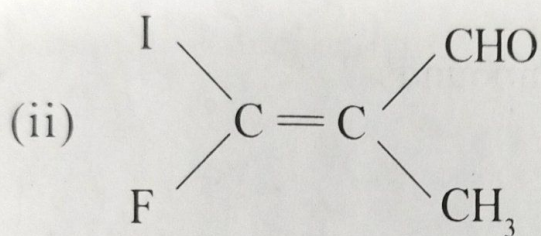
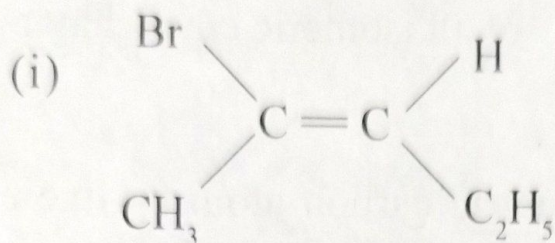
UNIT-II

3. (a) Give the mechanism of halogenation of alkane. 2
(b) Give mechanism of Kolbe electrolysis reaction. 1
(c) Write a note on alternation effect with reference to alkane. 1
4. (a) Compare reactivity and selectivity in reference of halogenation of alkane. Calculate the percentage of 2-Chloropropane and 1-Chloropropane obtained by chlorination of propane, if the reactivity ratio is 1 : 3.8 : 5. 2
(b) Differentiate between Clemmenson reduction and Wolff-Kishner reduction by taking suitable example. 2

UNIT-III

5. (a) Draw the structure of erythro and threo isomers of Butane-2,3-diol. 1
(b) Give difference between external and internal compensation. 1
(c) Give difference between enantiomers and diastereomers. 2
6. (a) Explain with examples Configurational and Conformational isomers. 2
(b) By taking examples discuss that the presence or absence of chiral carbon atoms in a molecule is not the necessary and sufficient condition for the existence of optical activity. 1
(c) Define and illustrate the terms : Retention and inversion of configuration. 1

7. (a) Assign priorities and then assign E and Z configuration to the following :



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- (b) Discuss the conformations of n-Butane and their relative stabilities. 2

8. (a) Draw the two chair conformations of methyl cyclohexane. Also draw the Newman projection formulae. Which out of the two is more stable and why ? 2

- (b) What are geometric isomers ? How do we find out configuration of geometric isomers on the basis of :

(i) Melting point,

(ii) Dipole moment ?

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(Compulsory Question)

9. (a) Define localized chemical bond by taking an example.
- (b) What are substitution reactions ? Give example.
- (c) Draw the structures of all isomeric ethers having formula $C_5H_{12}O$.
- (d) What is an asymmetric carbon atom ? Give example.
- (e) Give the structures of the lowest molecular mass alkyl iodide which is chiral.
- (f) What are meso compounds ?

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