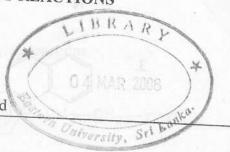


EASTERN UNIVERSITY, SRI LANKA. THIRD EXAMINATION IN SCIENCE- 2005/2006 - PROPER FIRST SEMESTER (SEPTEMBER 2007) CH 302 HETEROCYCLIC CHEMISTRY AND ORGANIC REARRANGEMENT REACTIONS

Time allowed: ONE Hour

Answer all the questions

The use of a non-programmable calculator is permitted



1. (a) By means of equations show how the following transformations could be effected.

Give essential experimental conditions.

(30 marks)

(b) (i) Write the product/products of the following reactions.

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2.
$$C_6 H_5 NH_2 \rightarrow$$

3.
$$\frac{Br_2/Ag_2SO_4}{H_2SO_4}$$

4.
$$\frac{\text{CH}_3\text{CO}_2\text{NO}_2}{\text{Ag}_2\text{O}/-10^{\circ}\text{C}}$$

5.
$$\frac{NH_3, H_2O}{Al_2O_3, 400°C}$$

(20 Marks)

(ii) Write plausible mechanisms involved in the following reactions.

1.
$$CH_3$$
 CH_2
 CH_3
 CH_3
 CH_3
 CH_3
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 CH_3

(c) (i) The compound $\underline{\mathbf{C}}$ was synthesized from a cyclic compound $\underline{\mathbf{A}}$. The sequence of reactions is given below. Deduce the compounds $\underline{\mathbf{A}}$, $\underline{\mathbf{B}}$ and $\underline{\mathbf{C}}$.

$$\underline{\underline{A}} (C_4 H_4 O) \xrightarrow{Hg Cl_2} \underline{\underline{B}} (C_4 H_3 O Hg Cl_1) \xrightarrow{Cl_2} \underline{\underline{C}} (C_4 H_3 O Cl_1)$$

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(ii) Deduce the compound $\underline{\mathbf{P}}$ and suggest a plausible mechanism involved in the reaction.

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$$C_6H_6$$
, P (30 marks)

2. (a) Write plausible mechanisms involved in the following reactions.

1.
$$CH_2-COCH_2CI \xrightarrow{OH^-} CH_2-CH_2-COO^-$$

2. $CH_2-CH_2-CH_2-COO^-$

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3. $CH_2-CH_2-CH_2-COO^-$

COOH

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(60 marks)

(b) Complete the scheme by inserting missing structures and reagents (\underline{P} , \underline{Q} , \underline{R} and \underline{S}) and write plausible mechanisms involved in the reaction \underline{R} to \underline{S} .

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