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Exam I

Chem. 210

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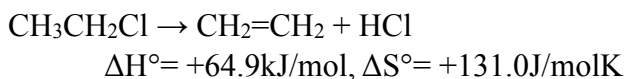
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1) Given a selectivity ratio for free-radical chlorination of 5:4:1:0.004 (tertiary:secondary:primary:methyl) Predict the product yields for the monochlorination of 2-methylbutane

2) What is the rate of the reaction for the first-order rate law, $\text{rate} = k[A]$, when the $[A]$ drops to half its initial value (50% consumed)?

3) Draw the Kekulé (Lewis) structure for $\text{C}_2\text{H}_3\text{O}_2^-$ include resonance structures and formal charges. This is the polyatomic acetate ion that forms from acetic acid. It is resonance stabilized, which helps acetic acid to be more acidic. The structure contains 24 electrons. 12 used for bonds leaving 12. Give 12 to oxygens, then form = to C to satisfy octet rule.

4) Calculate ΔG° at 500°C for this reaction:



5) Draw a curved arrow diagram to form the conjugate base from this acid: H_2S

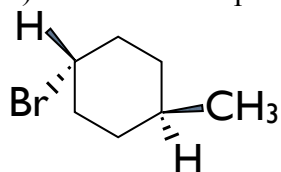
6) Which is the weakest acid

a) hydrogen cyanide, $\text{pK}_a = 9.2$

b) ammonium ion, $\text{pK}_a = 9.3$

c) methanethiol, $\text{pK}_a = 10.0$ (This one has the smallest K_a value)

7) Name this compound

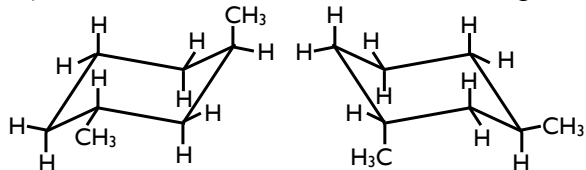


8) Draw this compound: cis-1,2-dimethylcyclopropane

9) Write a balanced equation for the combustion of propane

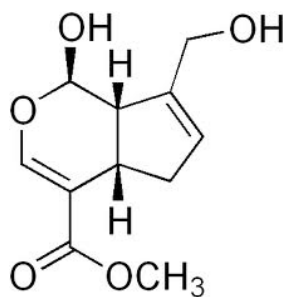
10) Provide the expected bond angles in CH_3Cl

11) Which conformer is more stable? Explain why.



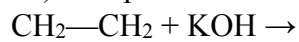
12) Show the bond polarity (partial positive and negative charges) for carbon and oxygen in: CH_2CO

13) Circle and identify the functional groups in the molecule below.



14) Write and name all the isomers (constitutional and stereoisomers) of C₅H₁₀ that contain one ring.

15) Complete this reaction (elimination)



16) Provide the geometry about central atom for PCl₃

17) Write the initiation, propagation, and termination steps (radical chain mechanism) of free-radical chlorination of methane.

18) Which compound is 84% carbon and 16% hydrogen?

A. CH₄O

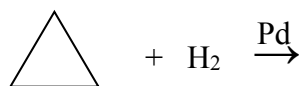
B. C₇H₁₆

C. C₆H₁₀

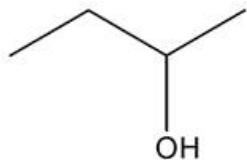
D. C₁₄H₂₂

E. C₆H₁₄O₂

19) Complete this reaction:

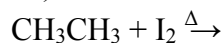


20) Provide the class of organic molecule based on the functional group



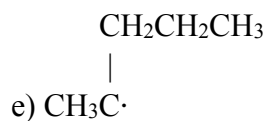
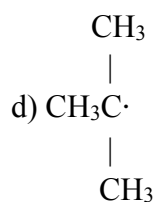
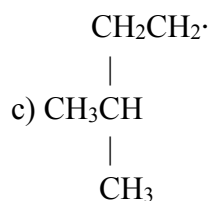
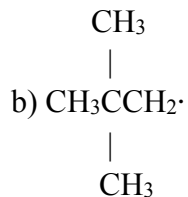
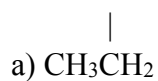
21) The calculated $\Delta H_{\text{comb}}^{\circ}$ for cyclopropane is 1976kJ/mol (based on three CH_2 groups). The experimental $\Delta H_{\text{comb}}^{\circ}$ for cyclopropane is 2091kJ/mol. What factors could explain this difference?

22) Predict the major product(s) (if any) for this reaction:



23) Draw two constitutional isomers for C_4H_{10} showing all atoms and bonds.

24) Which radical is the most stable



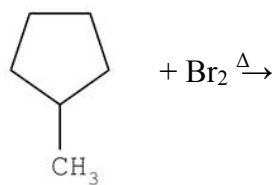
25) Calculate the ΔH° value for cyclobutane using these data:

Table of bond-dissociation energies.

<u>Bond</u>	<u>kJ/mol</u>
C ₂ H ₅ C–C ₂ H ₅	368

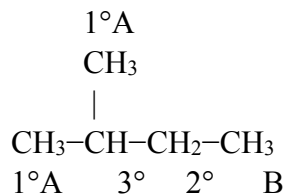
<u>Ring size</u>	<u>Total Strain</u>
3	115
4	110
5	27
6	0.4

26) Predict the major product (if any) for this reaction:



Answers

1)



primary 1°A $6\text{H} \times 1 = 6$ giving 27% 1-chloro-2-methylbutane

primary 1°B $3\text{H} \times 1 = 3$ giving 14% 1-chloro-3-methylbutane

secondary 2° $2\text{H} \times 4 = 8$ giving 36% 2-chloro-3-methylbutane

tertiary 3° $1\text{H} \times 5 = 5$ giving 23% 2-chloro-2-methylbutane

Total 22

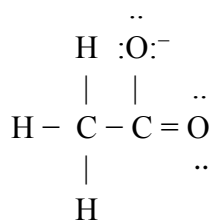
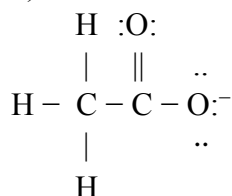
2)

Initially: $\text{rate}(0) = k[\text{A}_0]$

Halfway: $\text{rate}(1/2) = k \cdot 1/2[\text{A}_0]$

$\text{rate}(1/2)/\text{rate}(0) = 1/2$, so the rate when $[\text{A}]$ drops to half of its initial value is 1/2 of the initial rate

3)



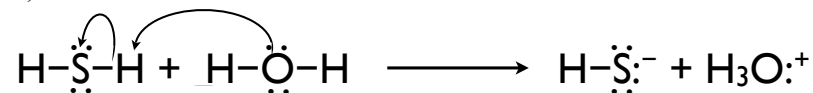
The formal charges are as marked. Most atoms are 0. The formal charge on $(:\ddot{\text{O}}^-)$ is given by

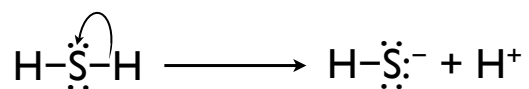
$$\text{FC} = \text{Group number} - \text{nonbonding electrons} - 1/2 \text{ bonding electrons} = 6 - 6 - 1/2(2) = -1$$

A structural formula may be provided such as CH_3CO_2^-

4) $\Delta G^\circ = -36.4 \text{ kJ/mol}$ at 500°C (773K).

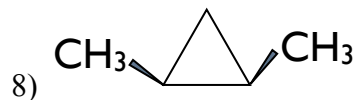
5)





6) *c) methanethiol, pKa=10.0 (This one has the smallest Ka and biggest pKa value)

7) trans-1-bromo-4-methylcyclohexane

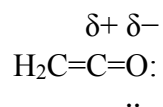


9) $\text{C}_3\text{H}_8 + 5\text{O}_2 \rightarrow 3\text{CO}_2 + 4\text{H}_2\text{O}$

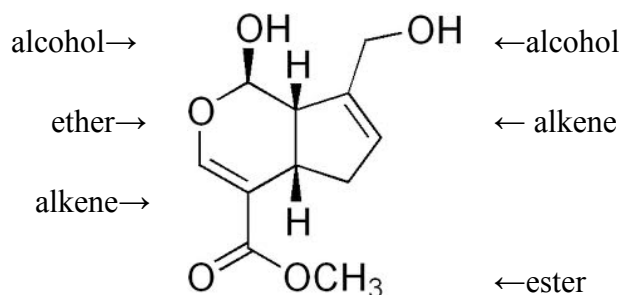
10) 109.5°

11) Both conformers are equally stable with 1 axial & 1 equatorial CH_3

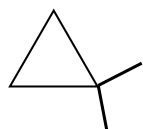
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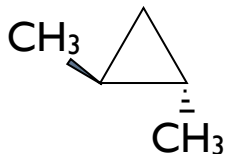
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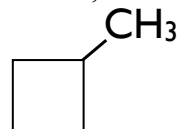
14)



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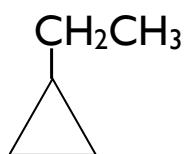
trans-1,2-dimethylcyclopropane



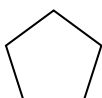
methylcyclobutane



cis-1,2-dimethylcyclopropane



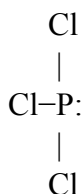
ethylcyclopropane



cyclopentane

15) $\text{H}_2\text{C}=\text{CH}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O} + \text{KI}$

16)



(either tetrahedral for the electron-pair geometry or pyramidal for the molecular geometry)

17)

Initiation: $\text{Cl}-\text{Cl} \rightarrow 2\text{Cl}\cdot$ ($\Delta H^\circ = 243\text{kJ/mol}$)

Propagation step 1: $\text{Cl}\cdot + \text{H}_3\text{C}-\text{H} \rightarrow \text{H}-\text{Cl} + \text{H}_3\text{C}\cdot$ ($\Delta H^\circ = 8\text{kJ/mol}$)

Propagation step 2: $\text{H}_3\text{C}\cdot + \text{Cl}-\text{Cl} \rightarrow \text{Cl}\cdot + \text{H}_3\text{C}-\text{Cl}$ ($\Delta H^\circ = -113\text{kJ/mol}$)

(The sum of ΔH° for the two propagation steps is always ΔH° for the reaction)

Termination: $\text{Cl}\cdot + \text{Cl}\cdot \rightarrow \text{Cl}-\text{Cl}$

$\text{H}_3\text{C}\cdot + \text{H}_3\text{C}\cdot \rightarrow \text{CH}_3-\text{CH}_3$

$\text{H}_3\text{C}\cdot + \text{Cl}\cdot \rightarrow \text{H}_3\text{C}-\text{Cl}$

18)

A and E are not possible because they contain oxygen.

B has $7 \times 12 = 84\text{gC}$ in $7 \times 12 + 1 \times 16\text{g} = 100\text{g}$ compound = 84% C, so the answer is B

19) $\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3$

20) alcohol

21) ring strain, torsional strain, and bond-angle strain.

22) No reaction, iodine does not undergo free-radical halogenation

23)

$\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3$ and CH_3CHCH_3



24) d - tertiary radicals are the most stable because it takes the least energy to break the tertiary C-H bond homolytically.

25) Cyclobutane = $368 - 110 = 258\text{kJ/mol}$

26) The major product is 1-bromo-1-methylcyclopentane