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Chemistry/Analytical Chemistry/Polymer Chemistry/Chemistry with Specialization in Drug Design and Development

CH 212/CL 212/PC 212/CHDD 512 : ORGANIC CHEMISTRY I

(2020 Admission Onwards)

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 75

SECTION - A

Answer any two sub questions among (a), (b) or (c) from each questions. Each sub-question carries 2 marks.

- 1. (a) Discuss the nomenclature of heteroaromatic systems containing nitrogen.
 - (b) What is axial chirality? How is it differ from and planar chirality?
 - (c) What are the applications of Cram's rule?
- 2. (a) What is Pschorr ring closure reaction?
 - (b) Discuss the various factors affecting the stability of carbenes.
 - (c) Discuss the mechanism of Kolbes electrolytic reaction.
- 3. (a) What are non-classical carbocations?
 - (b) Discuss the mechanism of S_Ni reaction.
 - (c) Discuss the benzyne mechanism.

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- 4. (a) What is Prilezhaev reaction?
 - (b) What are the applications of Robinson Annulation?
 - (c) Discuss the stereochemistry of addition of HBr to alkene.
- 5. (a) What is Lindlar's catalyst? What is its significance?
 - (b) What is Cope elimination?
 - (c) Discuss the effect of substrate structure in elimination reactions.

 $(10 \times 2 = 20 \text{ Marks})$

SECTION - B

Answer either (a) or (b) of each questions. Each question carries 5 marks.

- (a) By taking an example, describe an organic stereo-selective reaction.
 - (b) What is CD? Discuss its application in assigning configuration.
- 7. (a) Discuss the mechanism of the following reaction.

- (b) Discuss the mechanism of Pinacol coupling reaction
- 8. (a) Discuss the mechanism of the following reaction:

(b) Briefly explain the effect of groups present in aromatic ring towards further substitution.

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- 9. (a) Explain the mechanism and applications of Michael reaction.
 - (b) Discuss the mechanism of:

- (a) By taking examples, distinguish between Hoffmann and Saytzeff eliminations.
 - (b) Briefly explain the regioselectivity in elimination reaction.

 $(5 \times 5 = 25 \text{ Marks})$

SECTION - C

Answer any three questions. Each question carries 10 marks.

- 11. (a) Explain the importance of stereochemistry in drug chemistry.
 - (b) Explain the various chiral separation methods.

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- 12. (a) Explain the method of preparation and uses of benzoyl peroxide.
- (b) Explain the mechanism free radical addition of hydrogen halide.

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13. (a) Write down the mechanism of conversion of :

(b) Compare the properties of S_N1 and S_N2 reactions.

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- 14. (a) Discuss the mechanism and modifications of Knoevenagel condensation.
 - (b) Discuss the mechanism of:

- 15. (a) Discuss the Wittig reaction, its mechanism and stereochemistry.
 - (b) Compare E1 and E1cB mechanisms.

 $(3 \times 10 = 30 \text{ Marks})$