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THE OPEN UNIVERSITY OF SRI LANKA
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CMU2221/CME4221 - Organic Chemistry 1
CONTINUOUS ASSESSMENT TEST III

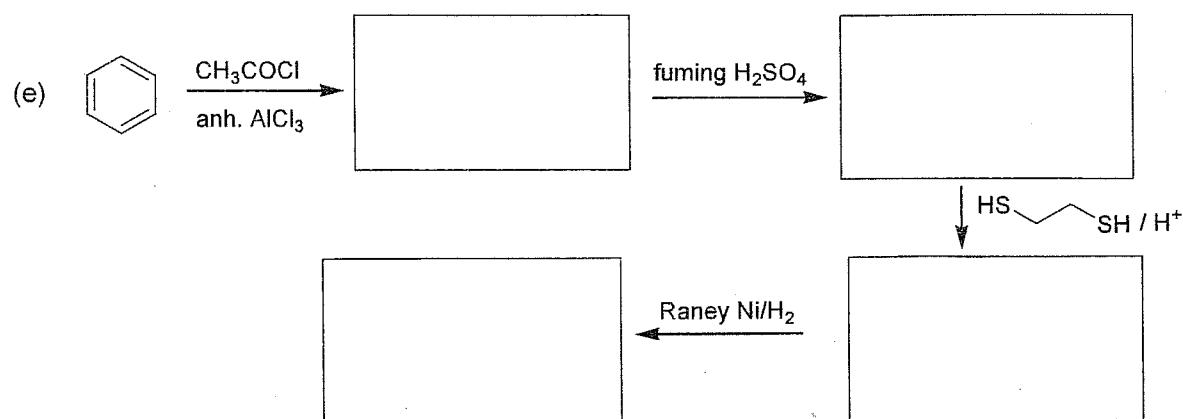
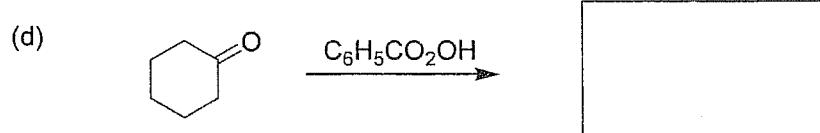
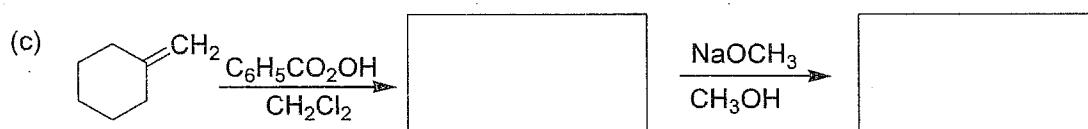
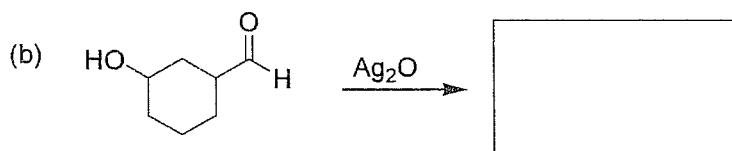
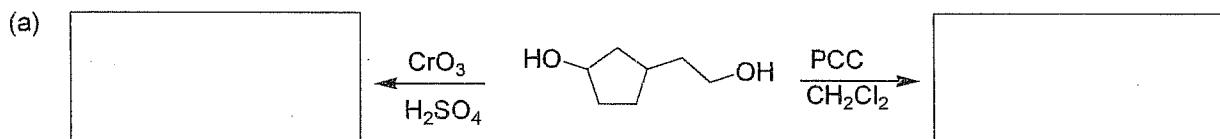
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Saturday 05th November 2016

9.00 a. m. – 10.00 a. m.

ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS

1. Give the major products of each of the following reactions/reaction schemes.



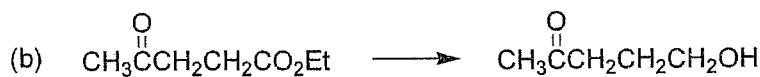
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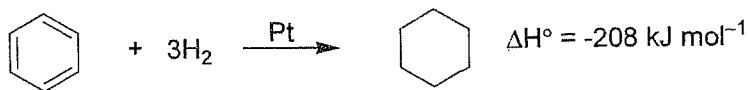
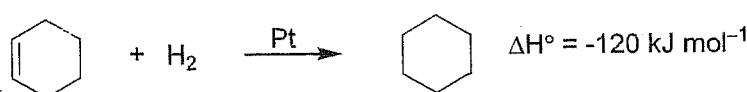
2. Giving necessary reagents and conditions show how you would carry out **ONE (01)** of the following conversions.

(*Hint: You may need to use protective groups for some functional groups*)



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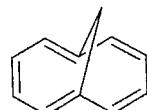
3. (a) Calculate the resonance energy of benzene using the data given below.



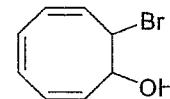
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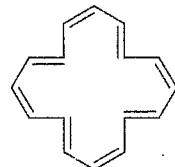
(b) Giving reasons state whether each of the following compound/ion is aromatic, non-aromatic or anti-aromatic.



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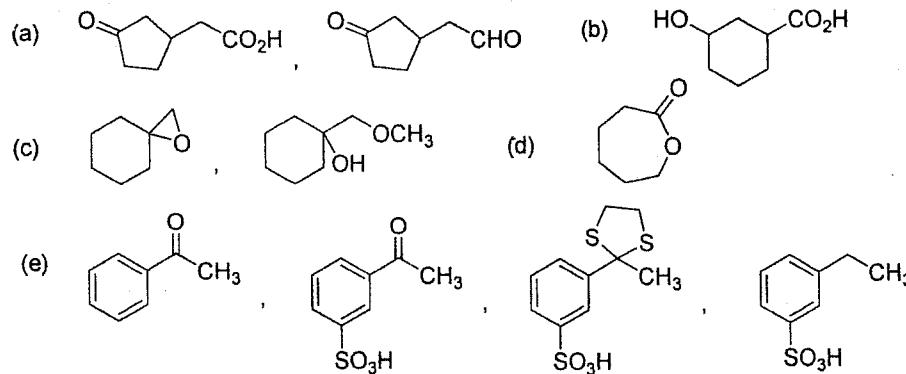
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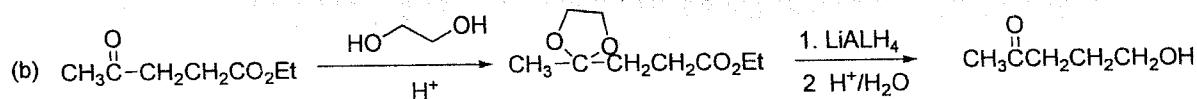
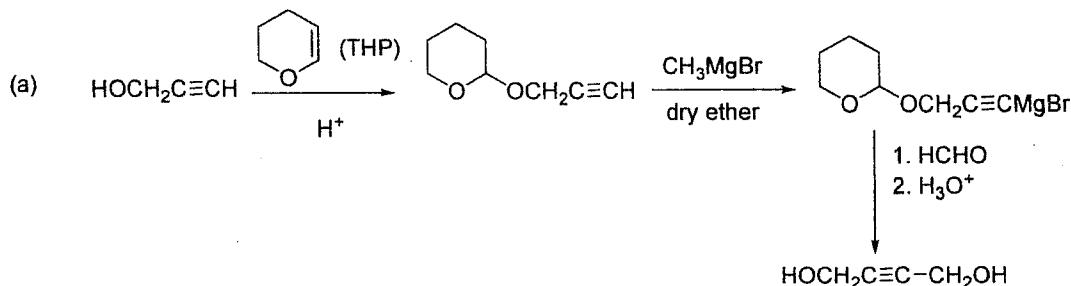
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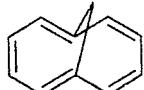
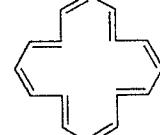
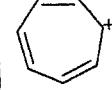
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$$\text{Theoretical } \Delta H^\circ \text{ for benzene} = 3 \times -120 \text{ KJ mol}^{-1}$$

$$\text{Experimental } \Delta H^\circ \text{ for benzene} = -208 \text{ KJ mol}^{-1}$$

$$\text{Resonance energy for benzene} = -208 - (3 \times -120) \text{ KJ mol}^{-1} = 152 \text{ KJ mol}^{-1}$$

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|  | Planar (due to methylene bridge), cyclic molecule. 10π $[(4n+2)\pi]$ electrons in a closed shell. Obeys Huckel rule. \therefore Aromatic. |
|  | OH and Br attached carbons are sp^3 hybridized. 6 π electrons are not completely conjugated. \therefore Non aromatic. |
|  | Nearly planar, monocyclic molecule. 16 π electrons are in complete conjugation. $(4n)$ π electrons. Does not conform to Huckel number. \therefore Anti aromatic. |
|  | Positively charged carbon is sp^2 hybridized. It has an empty p orbital. 6 π electrons can circulate in a closed shell. $[(4n+2)\pi - \text{electrons}]$. Obeys Huckel rule. \therefore Aromatic. |