Addition Reactions to C=C and C≡C

- Addition Reactions to Alkenes
- Markovnikov's Rule
- Stereochemistry of Ionic Addition to Alkenes
- H₂SO₄ Additions to Alkenes
- H₂O Additions to Alkenes
- Oxymercuration/Demurcuration
- Hydroboration/Oxidation
- Addition of Br₂ and Cl₂ to Alkenes
- Stereochemistry of Dihalide Additions
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- Additions to Alkynes
- Oxidative Cleavage of Alkynes
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Addition Reactions: Addition to Alkenes



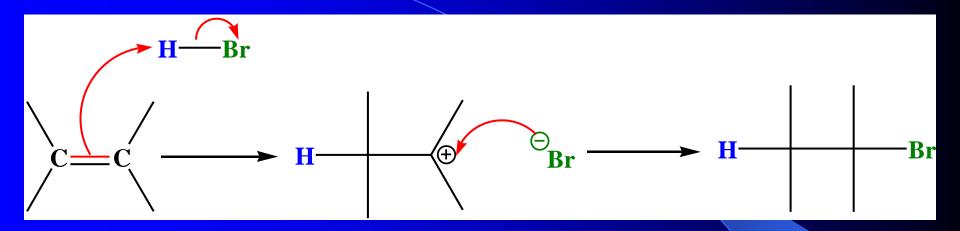
- Have Already Looked at Addition of H₂ (Hydrogenation)
- Will Now Add Additional Reagents

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$$HX (I, Br, CI)$$
 > Br_2
> H_2SO_4 > Cl_2
> H_2O > I_2

Why Do Additions to Alkenes Work?

- Conversion of π Bond to 2 σ Bonds Typically Energy Favored
- Two σ Bonds Higher Energy than One π + One σ
- Overall Process is thus Typically Exothermic
- π Electrons are Exposed (ABOVE and BELOW sp² Plane)
- π Bonds Good at Capturing Electrophiles (H+, Lewis Acids, X₂)
- Metal Ions With Vacant Orbitals Also Good Electrophiles
- Let's Look at the Addition Reaction of a Hydrogen Halide

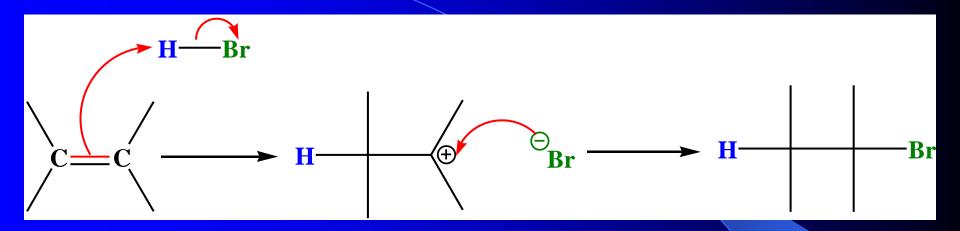
Addition Reactions: HX to Alkenes



General Order of HX Reactivity:

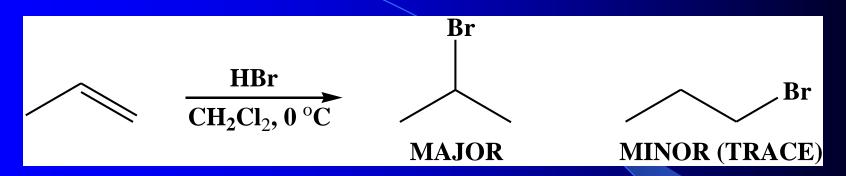
- Usually Dissolved in Solvent (CH₃CO₂H, CH₂Cl₂)
- Can be Bubbled Through Solution as a Gas

Addition Reactions: HBr to Alkenes



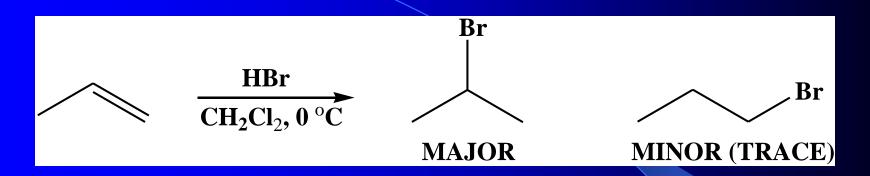
- π Bond (Nucleophile) Protonate \rightarrow Carbocation Intermediate
- Carbocation Captured by Br[−] (Nucleophile) → HBr Added
- HBr (or other HX) Addition in Two Overall Steps
- H⁺ and Carbocation are the Respective Electrophiles
- This is a SYMMETRIC Alkene → ASYMMETRIC ALKEN

Markovnikov's Rule: HBr to Alkenes

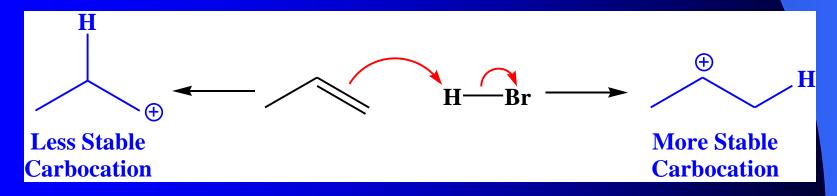


- 2-Bromopropane is Major Product
- Only Very Small Amount of 1-Bromopropane Observed
- True With Other Alkenes

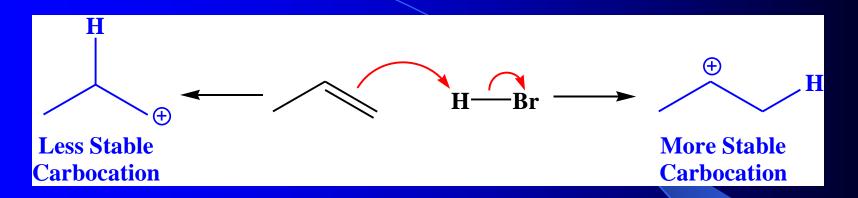
Markovnikov's Rule: Why?



- Product Distribution Explained When Looking at Intermediates
- Recall Discussion of Carbocation Stability (2° > 1°)
- Major Product Formed From More Stable C⁺ Intermediate



Markovnikov's Rule: C+ Stability

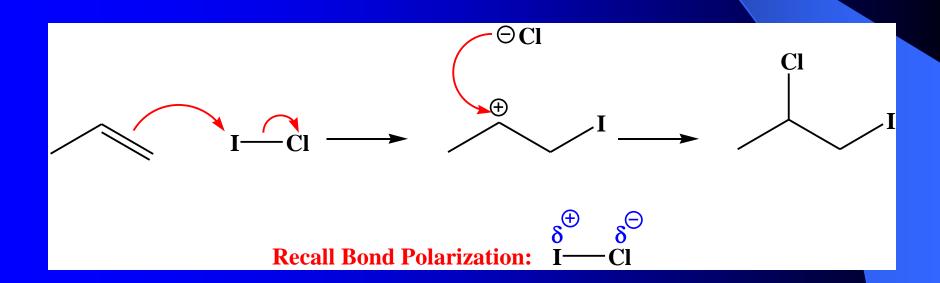


- We Know 2° Carbocations More Stable Than 1°
- Major Product Formed From More Stable C⁺ Intermediate
- Means TS in 2° Carbocation Pathway Lower in Energy
- Lower Energy of Activation
- Activation Energies in 1° Carbocation Pathways Much Larger

Markovnikov's Rule: Summary

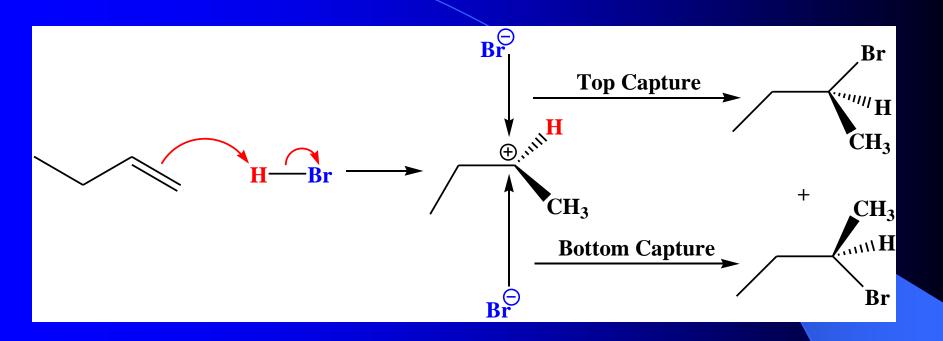
MARKOVNIKOV'S RULE:

In the ionic additions of an unsymmetrical reagent to a double bond, the positive portion of the adding reagent attaches itself to a carbon atom of the double bond so as to yield the MORE STABLE CARBOCATION as an INTERMEDIATE



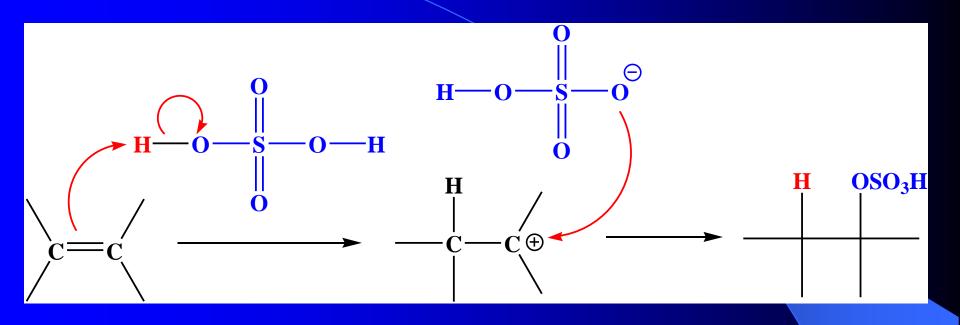
This Addition "Preference" is Called REGIOSELECTIVITY

Stereochemistry in Ionic Additions



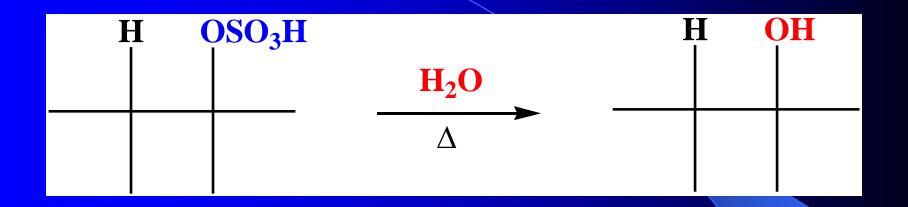
- Just as we saw in S_N1 : C+ Has TWO FACES
- Top and Bottom Attack Give Two Stereochemical Products
- R and S Enantiomers Formed as a Racemic Mixture (50:50)

H₂SO₄ Addition to Alkenes



- Must Add COLD Sulfuric Acid; Form Alkyl Hydrogen Sulfates
- Regioselective Reaction: Obeys Markovnikov's Rule
- Note Mechanistic Similarities w/ HX Addition to Alkenes

Alcohols From Alkyl Hydrogen Sulfates



- HYDROLYSIS Reaction of Alkyl Hydrogen Sulfate
- Simply Heat the Sulfate in Water
- Net Reaction is Markovnikov Addition of H₂O to Alkene
- Used in One Industrial Ethanol Making Process

Addition of H₂O to Alkenes: Hydration

$$C = C$$
 + HOH $H_{3}O$ H OH

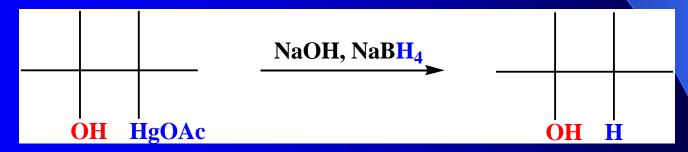
- HYDRATION Reaction of an Alkene
- Acid Catalyzed Addition of H₂O Across Double Bond
- Net Reaction is Markovnikov Addition of H₂O to Alkene
- We've Seen a Similar Reaction: Acid Catalyzed Dehydration
- Carbocation Rearrangements Possible w/ Dehydration Reactions

Oxymercuration-Demercuration

OXYMERCURATION:

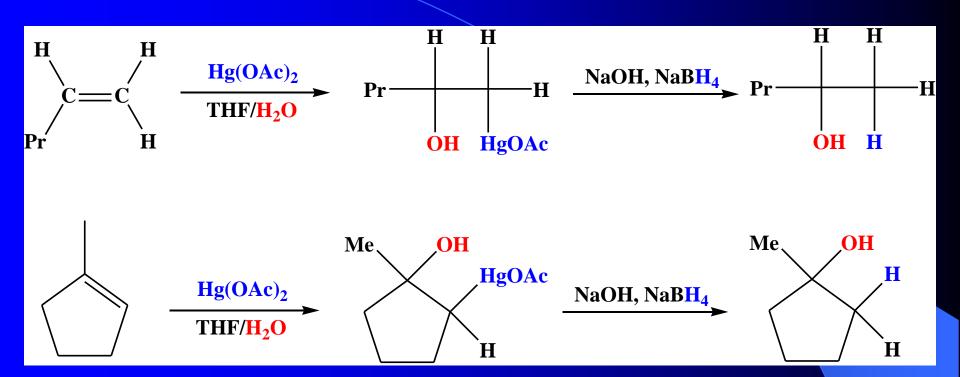
$$C = C + H_2O + Hg(OAc)_2$$
 THF OH HgOAc

DEMERCURATION:



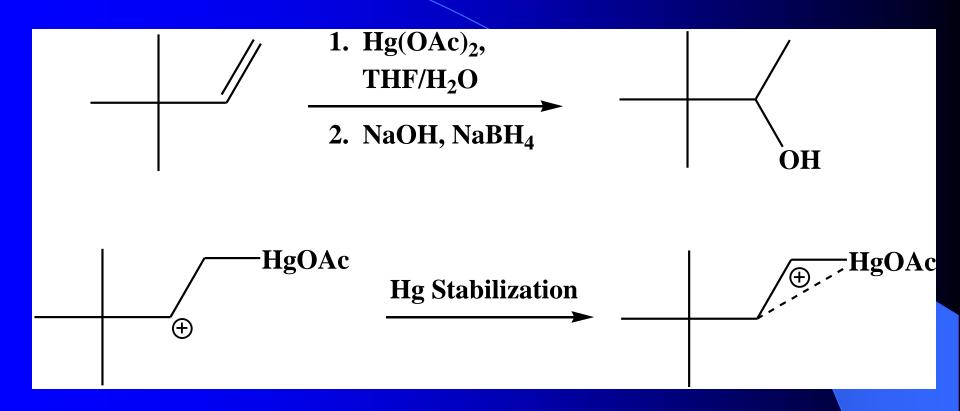
- Net Reaction: Markovnikov Addition of H₂O to Alkene
- Both Reactions Quite Rapid; Alcohol Yields Usually > 90%
- NaBH₄: Sodium Borohydride → "H" Delivering Agent

Oxymercuration-Demercuration (2)



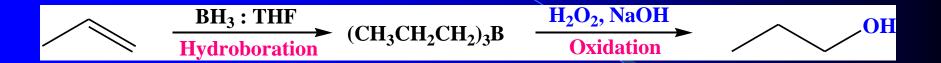
- Added Benefit of Oxymercuration/Demercuration:
 - C+ REARRANGEMENTS Seldom Observed
 - Consider Example Seen on Next Slide

Oxymercuration-Demercuration (3)



- Would Expect 2° Carbocation to Rearrange to 3°
- Added C⁺ Stabilization from Hg Atom Prevents Rearrangment
- Useful Hydration Process for Avoiding Skeletal Migrations

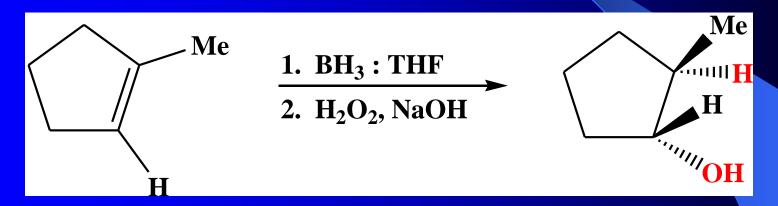
Hydroboration—Oxidation Reactions



- Hydroboration: Addition of H and B to Alkene
- Neutral Boron has 3 Coordination Sites
 - Get Trialkyl Boranes as an Intermediate (Tripropylborane)
- Oxidation: H₂O₂, NaOH Oxidize to Trialkylborate Ester
- Oxidation Followed by a Hydrolysis, Cleaves Borate Ester
- ANTI-MARKOVNIKOV Product (Good for 1° Alcohols!)

Hydroboration—Oxidation Reactions

- We Mentioned anti-Markovnikov Regiochemistry
- Reaction also Proceeds with SYN Stereochemistry



H and OH Delivered anti-Markovnikov to the SAME FACE of the π Bond

Addition of Cl₂ and Br₂ to Alkenes

$$H_{3}CHC = CHCH_{3} \xrightarrow{Cl_{2}} H_{3}CHC - CHCH_{3}$$

$$H_{3}CH_{2}CHC = CH_{2} \xrightarrow{Cl_{2}} H_{3}CH_{2}CHC - CH_{2}$$

$$H_{3}CH_{2}CHC = CH_{2} \xrightarrow{-9 \text{ °C}} CI \quad CI$$

$$H_{3}CH_{2}CHC - CH_{2}$$

$$CI \quad CI$$

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$$H_{3}CH_{2}CHC - CH_{2}$$

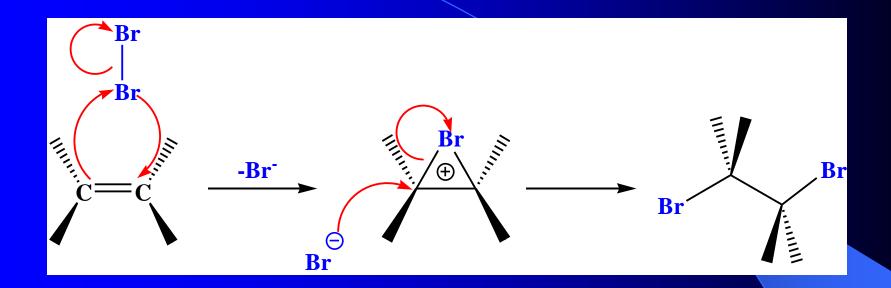
$$CI \quad CI$$

$$H_{3}CH_{2}CHC - CH_{2}$$

$$CI \quad CI$$

- Obtain Vicinal Dihalides as Reaction Products
- Want to use a Non-Nucleophilic Solvent (Due to Intermediate)
 - Important to Run Reactions in Dark (Avoid Radicals)

General Mechanism of Dihalide Addition

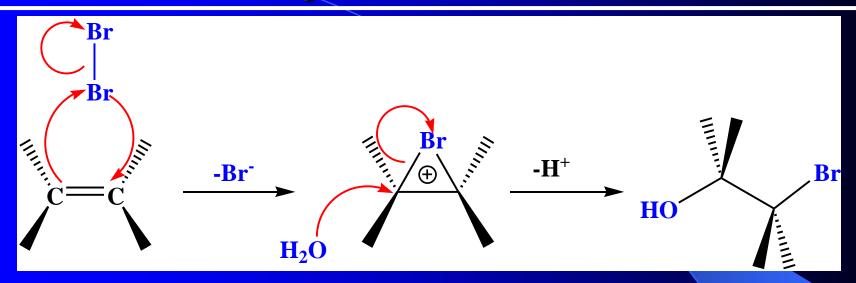


- Intermediate is a BROMONIUM ION (in Br₂ Case)
- Nucleophilic Solvents Can Capture (Open) Bromonium Ion
 - **Bromonium Ion Opening is S**_N2 \rightarrow Anti Addition of Br₂

Stereochemistry of Dihalide Additions

- Can Open Symmetric Bromonium Ions at Either Carbon
- Always (for now) Anti (Trans) Addition of X₂
- Reaction Products Are Enantiomers
- Racemic Mixtures (50:50) in Symmetric Bromonium Ions
- Will Get Excess of One Enantiomer in Asymmetric Cases
- Stereospecific Reactions: One Stereoiomeric Form of the Starting Material Reacts in Such a Way to Form a Specific Stereoisomeric Form of the Product

Halohydrin Formation



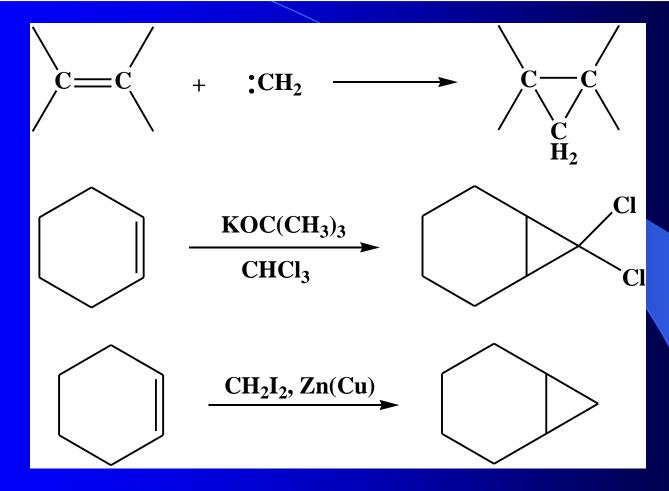
- Intermediate is Still a BROMONIUM ION (in Br₂ Case)
- Nucleophilic Solvents Can Capture (Open) Bromonium Ion
 - **→** H₂O Opens the Bromonium Ion; Another H₂O Deprotonates
 - **Product is Halohydrin** → Net X-OH Addition to Alkene
 - Still Can Get Stereoisomeric Products (Open Either End)

Divalent Carbon Compounds: Carbenes

$$\begin{array}{c|c} \bigcirc \\ : CH_2 \longrightarrow \\ \hline \\ Diazomethane \\ \hline \\ & (A Carbene) \\ \end{array}$$

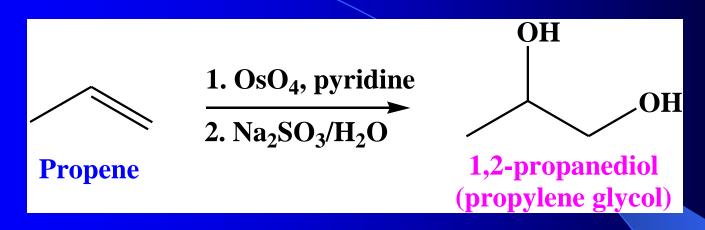
- Common Way of Generating Carbenes (Divalent Carbon)
- Diazomethane: 3 Resonance Structures (Draw Others??)
- Carbenes are Highly Reactive Species; Short-Lived
- Excellent Utility is in the Synthesis of Cyclopropanes

Divalent Carbon Compounds: Carbenes



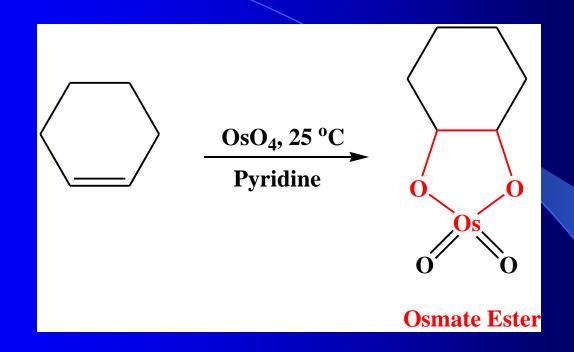
- Halogen Substituted Carbenes from Haloforms (CHCl₃, etc.)
- Last Reaction is Called the "Simmons-Smith" Reaction

Oxidation: Syn Dihydroxylation



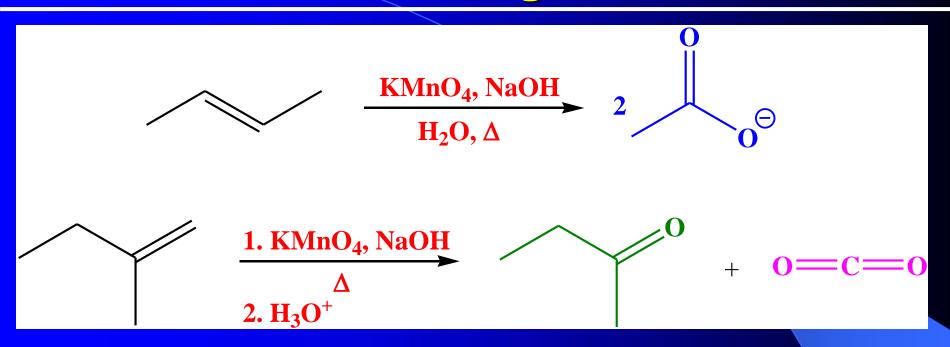
- C=C is Oxidized by OsO₄
- Addition of Hydroxyl Groups Proceeds w/ SYN Stereochemistry
- Can Also use KMNO₄ (More Powerful, May Cleave Diol)
- If Using KMNO₄, need COLD Reaction Temperatures

Oxidation: Syn Dihydroxylation



- Syn Addition Due to 5-membered Transition State
- Transition State Same for KMNO₄ Oxidations
- Cleavage of Osmate Ester Does Not Change C-O Stereochemistry

Oxidative Cleavage of Alkenes



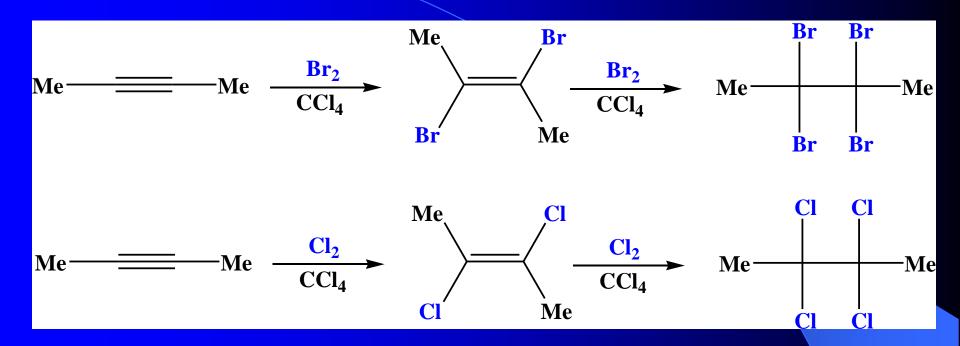
- Diol is Believed to be Intermediate in Cleavage Reaction
- Unsubstituted Alkene Carbons Oxidized to Carbon Dioxide
- Monosubstituted Alkene Carbons Oxidized to Carboxylates
- Disubstituted Alkene Carbons Oxidized to Ketones

How You May See Oxidative Cleavage

An Unknown Alkene (C₈H₁₆) Gives Two Products When Treated w/ Hot KMnO₄:

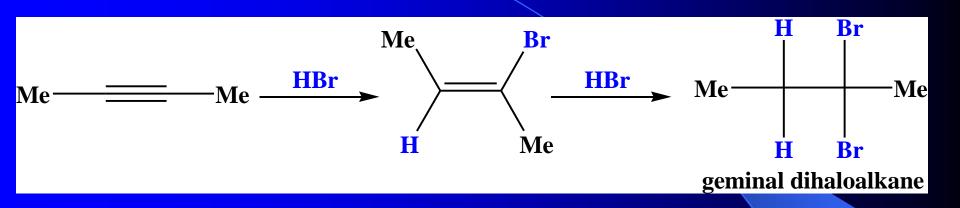
The Products are a Carboxylic Acid and a Ketone, So Our Alkene Must Be Trisubstituted. We Don't Know if it is CIS or TRANS, but we Can Put the Rest of the Structure Together:

Dihalide Addition To Alkynes



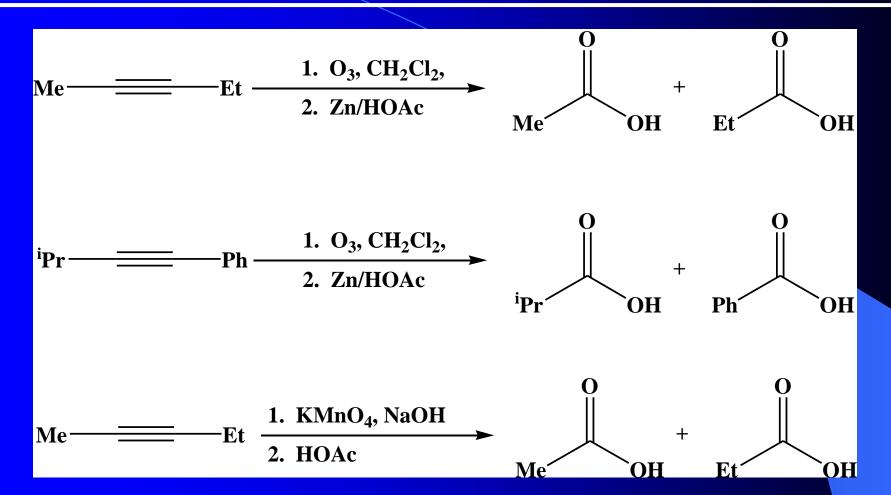
- Addition Reactions, Just as in Alkenes (adds Once or Twice)
- Anti Additions, First Product Usually a Trans Dihaloalkene
- Can Get Relatively Good Trans Dihaloalkene Yields (1 eq X2)

Addition of HX to Alkynes



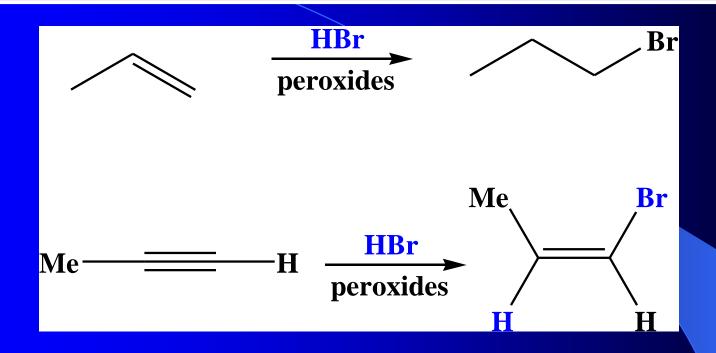
- Addition Reactions, Just as in Alkenes (adds Once or Twice)
- Final Product Typically Geminal Dihaloalkene
- Both Additions Follow Markovnikov's Rule (explains gem.)
- Alumina Accelerates Reaction Rate (as seen w/ Alkenes)

Oxidative Cleavage of Alkynes



- Can Use Either Ozonolysis or KMnO₄ as with Alkenes
- Products of the Oxidative Cleavage are Carboxylic Acids

Anti-Markovnikov HBr Addition



- Addition of Peroxides (ROOR) → ANTI-MARKOVNIKOV
- Goes Through a Radical Mechanism
- Right Now Focus on Regiochemistry (Know the Reaction)

The Diels-Alder Reaction

Synthetic method for preparing compounds containing a cyclohexene ring

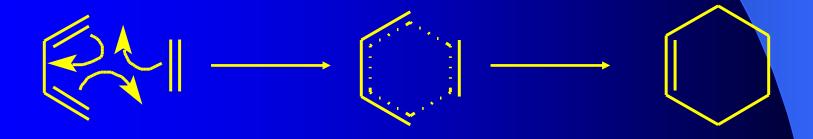
The Reaction



conjugated diene

alkene dienophile

cyclohexene



transition state

Mechanistic features

- concerted mechanism
- cycloaddition
- pericyclic reaction
 - -a concerted reaction that proceeds through a cyclic transition state

Recall the general reaction...



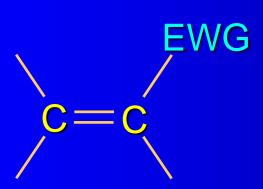
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cyclohexene

The equation as written is somewhat misleading because ethylene is a relatively unreactive dienophile.

What makes a reactive dienophile?

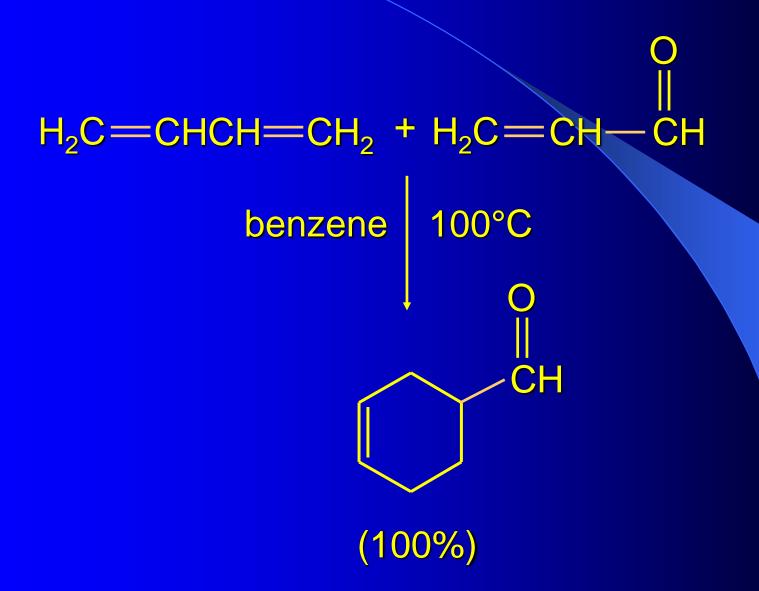
The most reactive dienophiles have an electron-withdrawing group (EWG) directly attached to the double bond.

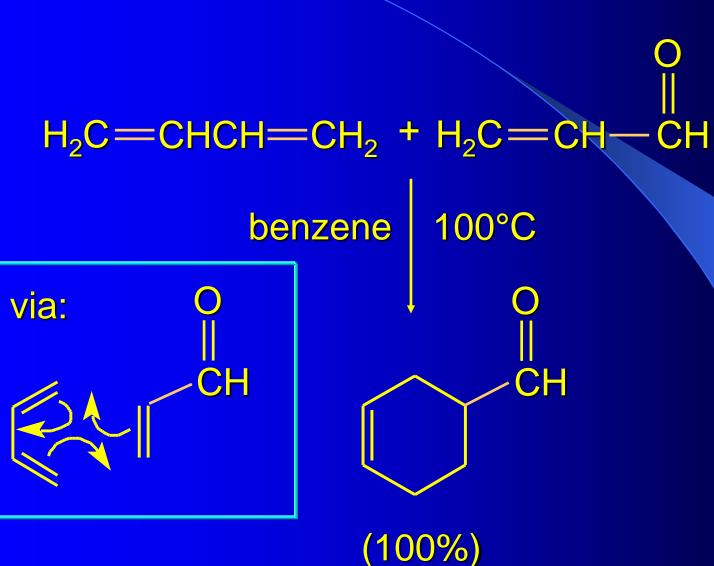


Typical EWGs

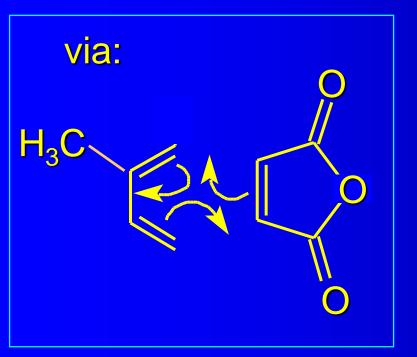
$$C=0$$

$$-c \equiv N$$



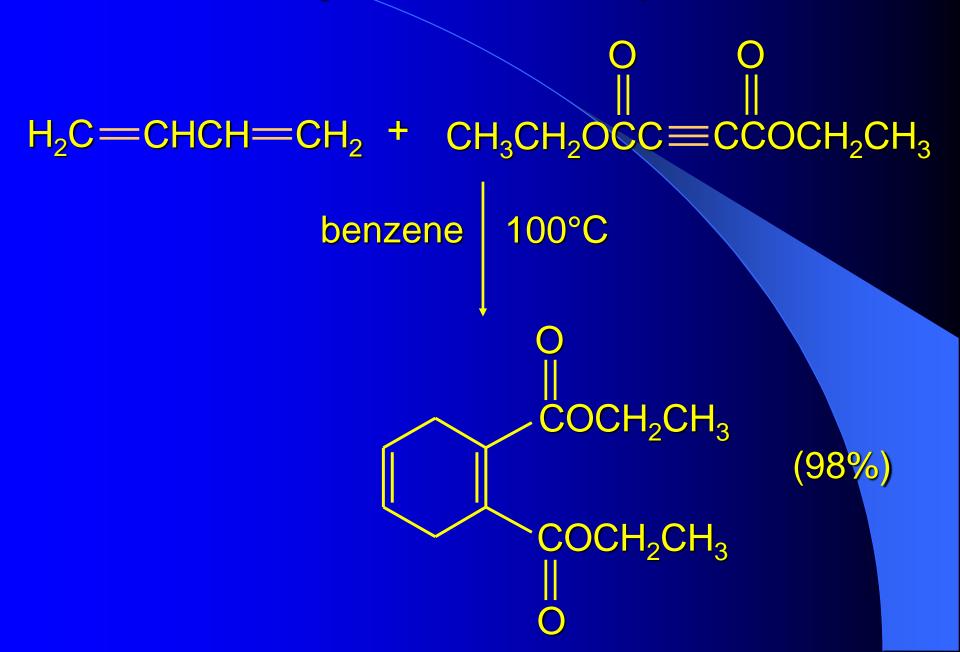


benzene 100°C o





Acetylenic Dienophile

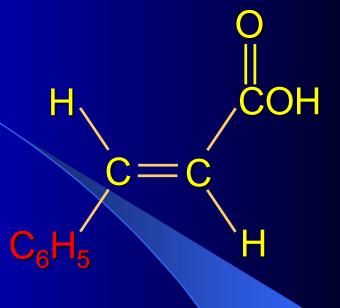


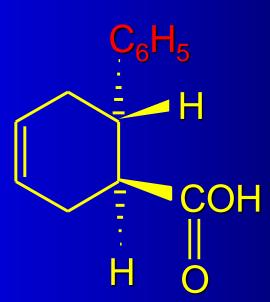
Diels-Alder Reaction is Stereospecific*

- syn addition to alkene
- cis-trans relationship of substituents on alkene retained in cyclohexene product

*A stereospecific reaction is one in which stereoisomeric starting materials give stereoisomeric products; characterized by terms like syn addition, anti elimination, inversion of configuration, etc.

Example C_6H_5 COH H₂C=CHCH=CH₂ + C₆H₅ only product

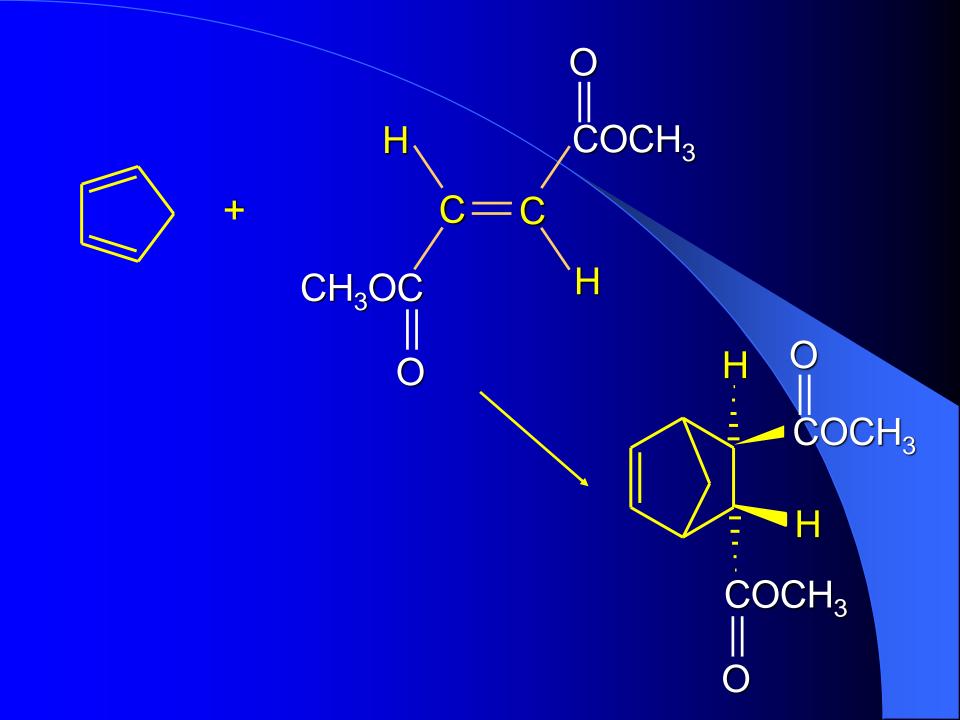


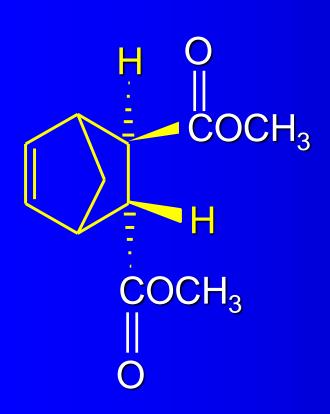


only product

Cyclic dienes yield bridged bicyclic Diels-Alder adducts.







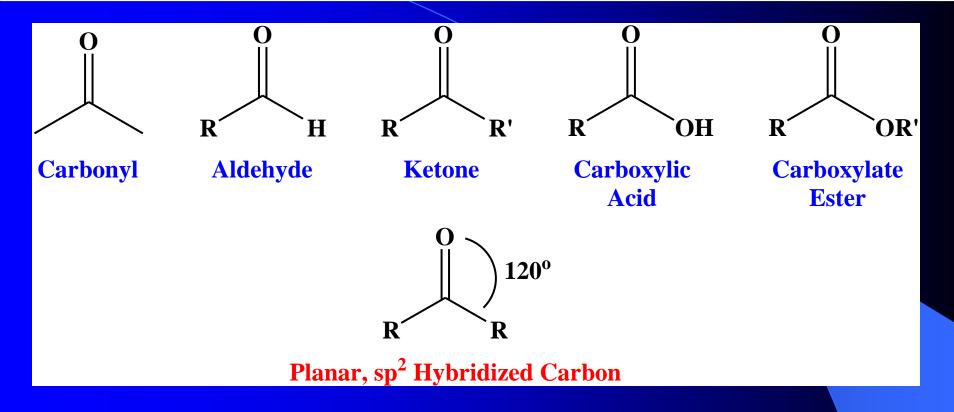
• is the same as



Alcohols, Carbonyls and REDOX

- The Carbonyl Group
- Oxidation/Reduction Reactions: Review
- Reduction of Carbonyls to Alcohols
- Oxidation of Alcohols
- Organometallic Compounds
- Organolithium and Magnesium Compounds
- Reactions of Organolithium/Magnesium Species
- Alcohols from Grignard Reactions
- Lithium Dialkylcuprates

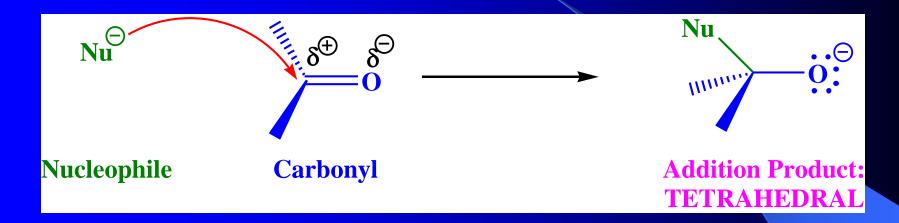
The Carbonyl Functional Group



- Carbonyl Features 1 σ and 1 π Bond
- Carbonyl Group Quite Polarized (C^{δ+}, O^{δ-})

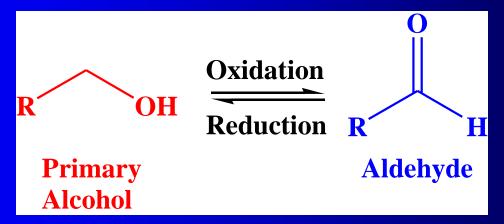
General Reactions of Carbonyls

Nucleophilic Addition to Carbonyl Groups:



Oxidation of Alcohols/Reduction of Carbonyls:

More Hydrogen Content

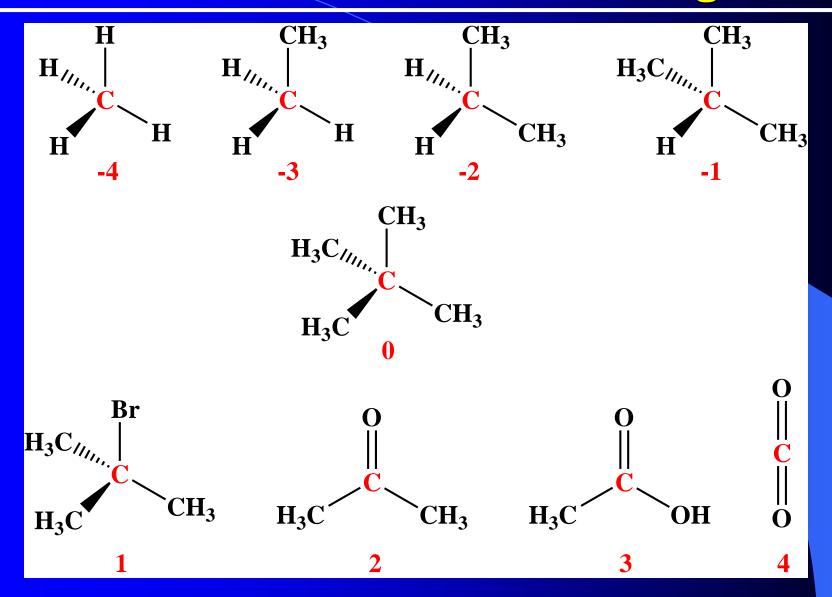


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Oxidation/Reduction Reactions

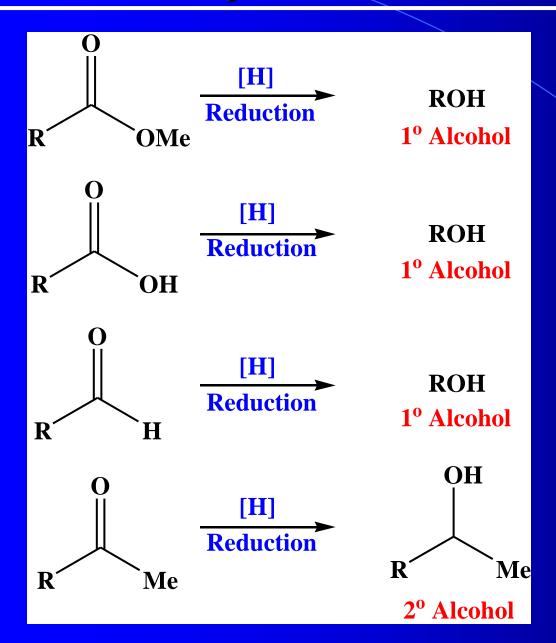
- Commonly Termed 'REDOX' Reactions
- From General Chemistry, we Will Recall
 - Oxidation: Loss of Electrons
 - Reduction: Gain of Electrons
- Organic Chemists will Typically use Different Definitions
 - Reduction: Increase Hydrogen Content (Decrease Oxygen)
 - Oxidation: Decrease Hydrogen Content (Increase Oxygen)
- Oxidizing/Reducing Agents: Usually Inorganic Compounds (M+)
- We will also Recall that in REDOX Reactions:
 - Oxidizing Agents get Reduced
 - Reducing Agents get Oxidized

Oxidation States of Carbon: Organics



• +1 For More Electronegative, -1 For Less, 0 For Bonded Carbon

Alcohol Synthesis: Carbonyl Reduction



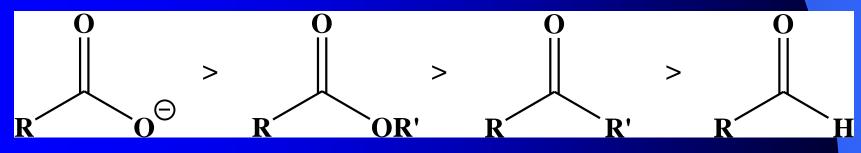
Carboxylic Acids, Esters, Aldehydes Reduced to 1° Alcohols

Ketones Reduced to 2° Alcohols

Several Hydrogen Sources
Are Used In Organic
Reactions: We've Already
Seen NaBH₄

Reducing Agents: 1° and 2° Alcohols

- Sodium Borohydride: NaBH₄
- Lithium Aluminum Hydride: LiAIH₄ (LAH)
- H₂/Transition Metal Catalyst
- NaBH₄ and LiAlH₄ are Hydride Transfer Agents
- Hydride (H⁻) Acts as a Nucleophile
- Carbonyls Have Varying Degrees of Ease of Reduction:



Hardest Easiest

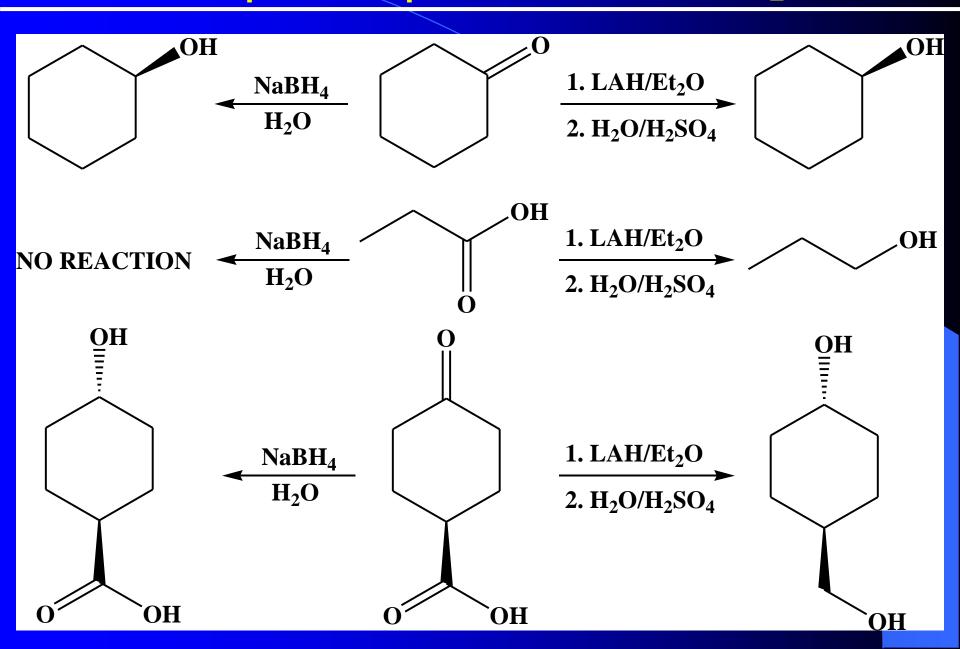
Selection of a Reducing Agent

- Choice of Reducing Agent Impacts Reaction Products
- For Ketones/Aldehydes Either Reductant Suffices

	Carboxylate	Ester	Ketone	Aldehyde
LiAlH ₄	1° Alcohol	1° Alcohol	2° Alcohol	1° Alcohol
NaBH ₄	No Reaction	No Reaction	2° Alcohol	1º Alcohol

- Carboxylates/Esters Only Reduced by LiAlH₄
- For Compounds w/ Multiple Carbonyl F.G.s; Select Based on Which Group(s) Need to be Reduced

NaBH₄/LiAlH₄ Reduction Examples



DIBAL (diisobutylaluminum hydride [(CH₃)₂CHCH₂]₂AIH) allows the addition of one equivalent of hydride to an ester

$$CH_{3}CH_{2}CH_{2}COCH_{3}$$
 an ester
$$1. [(CH_{3})_{2}CHCH_{2}]_{2}AIH, -78 \, ^{\circ}C$$

$$CH_{3}CH_{2}CH_{2}CH_{2}CH$$
 an aldehyde

Replacing some of hydrogens of LiAIH₄ with OR groups decreases the reactivity of the metal hydride

Formation of Amines by Reduction

$$CH_{3}CH_{2}CH_{2}CNH_{2} \xrightarrow{\text{1. LiALH}_{4}, \text{ dry}} \xrightarrow{\text{THF, 0} \circ \text{C}} CH_{3}CH_{2}CH_{2}CH_{2}NH_{2}$$

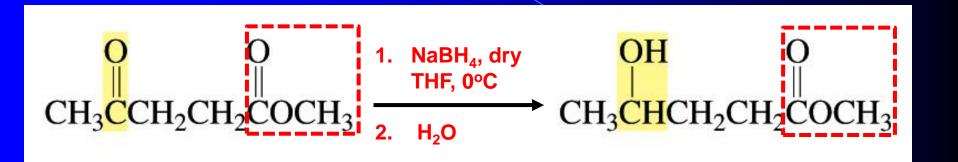
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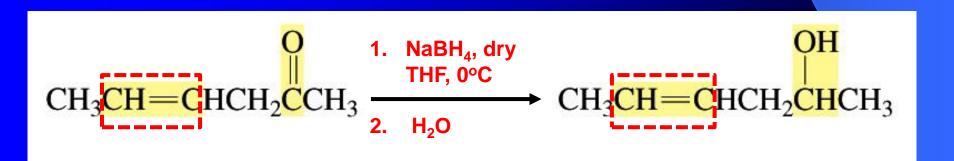
$$a \text{ secondary amine}$$

$$CH_{3}CH_{2}CH_{2}CH_{2}CH_{3} \xrightarrow{\text{1. LiALH}_{4}, \text{ dry}} \xrightarrow{\text{THF, 0} \circ \text{C}} CH_{3}CH_{2}CH_{2}CH_{2}NCH_{3}$$

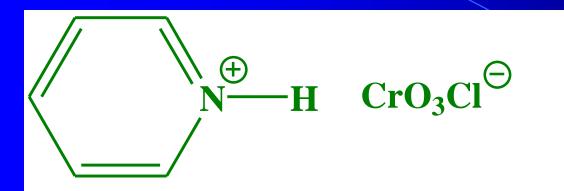
$$a \text{ tertiary amine}$$

NaBH₄ can be used to selectively reduce an aldehyde or a ketone in a compound keeping the ester or a C=C unaffected





Oxidizing Agents in Organic Chemistry



Pyridinium chlorochromate (PCC)



Chromic Acid(Jones Reagent)

- PCC Generally a Mild Oxidant (1° Alcohol → Aldehyde)
- Jones Reagent Harsher Oxidant (1° Alcohol → Carboxylic Acid)
- Choose Oxidant Based on Desired Carbonyl Functional Group

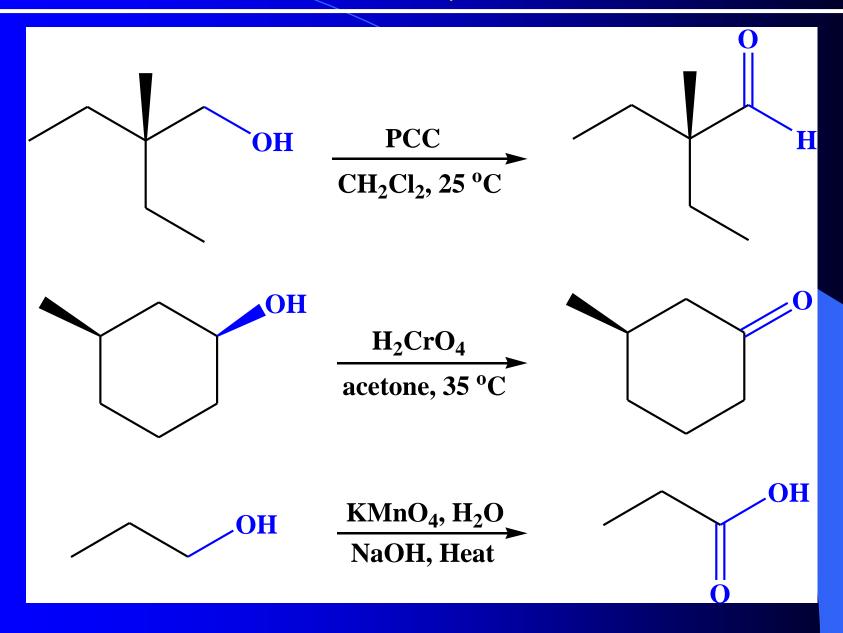
General Oxidizing Agent Selection

- Just as in Reductions, Oxidation Products Depend on Reagent
- Generally Don't Oxidize 3° Alcohols

	MeOH	1° Alcohol	2° Alcohol	3° Alcohol
PCC	H ₂ C=O	Aldehyde	Ketone	No Reaction
Cr ⁶⁺ H ₂ SO ₄	HCO ₂ H	Carboxylic Acid	Ketone	No Reaction

- PCC Good For Aldehydes From Primary Alchols
- Cr⁶⁺/H₂SO₄ Reagents, KMNO₄ Primary → Carboxylic Acids
- Use What You Like For Most Ketones

Oxidation of 1°, 2° Alcohols



Oxidation Mechanisms: Chromate Esters

