

*Please read the following before proceeding*

1. The exam is divided into two parts.

**Part A is Scantron scored (with Extra credit 44 points)**

- a. Bubble-in your GTID number correctly.
- b. Bubble-in the TEST FORM, located at the top of the page.

**Part B and C are free response (60 points)**

**Exam 3 Total (104 points available)**

2. Materials: Turn off cell phones and wireless PDA devices. Place all other materials on the floor. You will only need a pencil. Molecular models are optional.
2. Show your Buzz Card when you turn in your completed exam.
3. You must work alone.
4. This is a closed book exam. Give or take no assistance from other students. Recall the Georgia Tech Honor Code.

“I pledge my honor that I have not violated the Honor Code during this examination.”

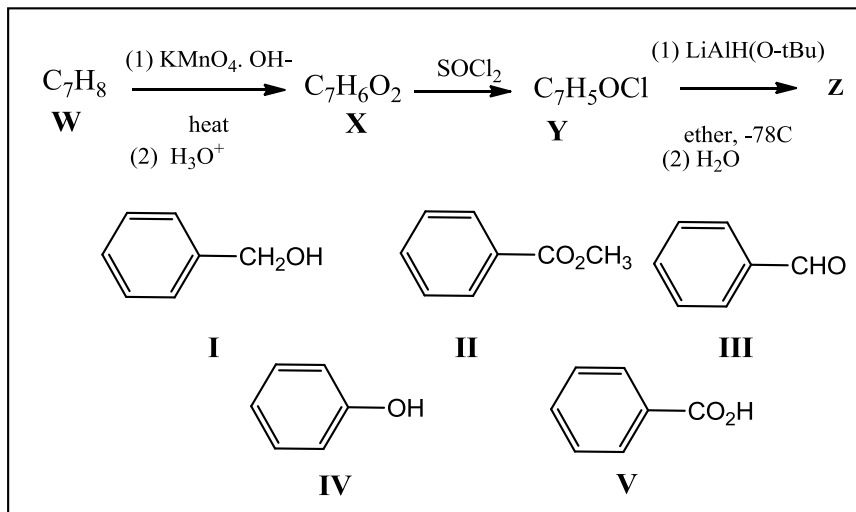
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**\*\*\*NOTE: Periodic and pKa tables are provided on the last page.\*\*\***

## PART A – Scantron Scored

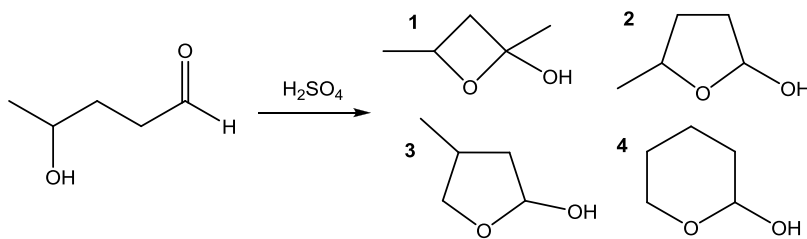
(40 points, 4 points each) Bubble-in the correct answer on the Scantron card. There is only one correct answer. Also circle your answer below for later review with the answer key.

1. What is the final product, Z, of the following synthesis?



- A) I  
 B) II  
 C) III  
 D) IV  
 E) V

2. What is the major organic product obtained from the following reaction?

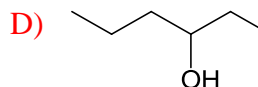
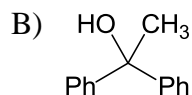
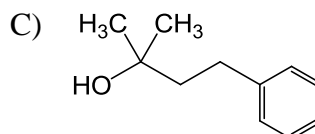
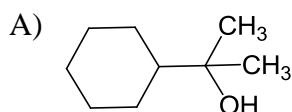


- A) 1  
 B) 2  
 C) 3  
 D) 4

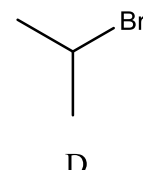
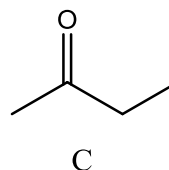
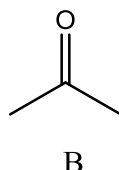
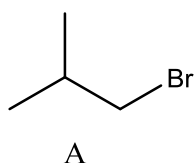
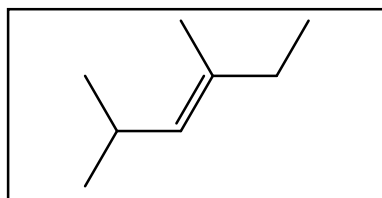
3. Which of the following compounds is the least reactive towards nucleophilic attack?

- A) 3-hexanone
- B) methyl propyl ketone
- C) 4-methyl-3-hexanone**
- D) 2-butanone
- E) propanal

4. Which of the following cannot be made by addition of a Grignard reagent to an ester?



5. Which compounds from the list below would you select as starting materials to prepare the following alkene by the Wittig method?



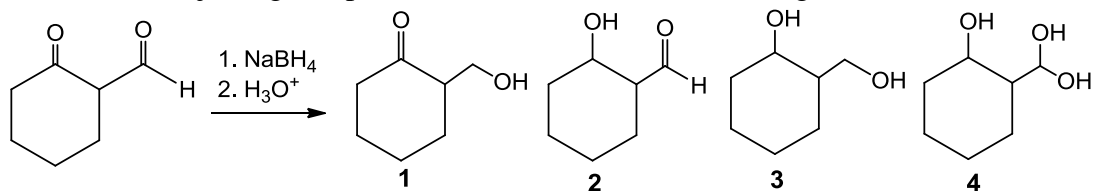
- A) A and B
- B) A and C**

- C) B and D
- D) C and D

6. Which reagent(s) will distinguish between 2-methyl-2-propanol and 2-propanol

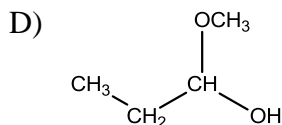
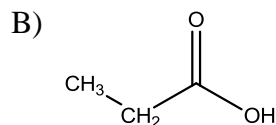
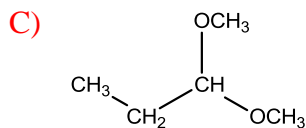
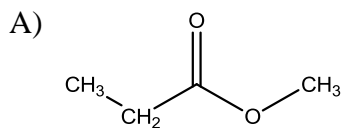
- A)  $\text{Br}_2/\text{CCl}_4$
- B)  $\text{OsO}_4$  (cold)
- C)  $\text{CrO}_3/\text{aqueous H}_2\text{SO}_4$**
- D)  $\text{NaOH}$  (aq)
- E)  $\text{LiAlH}_4$

7. What is the major organic product obtained from the following reaction?



- A) 1  
B) 2  
C) 3  
D) 4

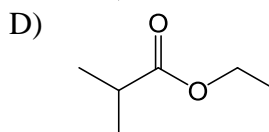
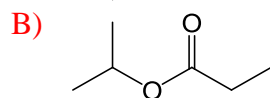
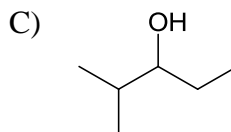
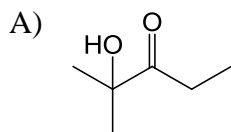
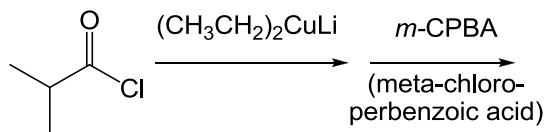
8. What new compound will be formed when gaseous HCl is added to a solution of propanal in methanol solvent?



9. Your task is to synthesize 2-phenyl-2-pentanol through a Grignard synthesis. Which pairs of compounds listed below would you choose as starting materials?

- A) Methyl phenyl ketone and propyl bromide  
B) Butanal and bromobenzene  
C) Benzaldehyde and 2-bromobutane  
D) More than one of these

10. What is the major product of the following reaction sequence?

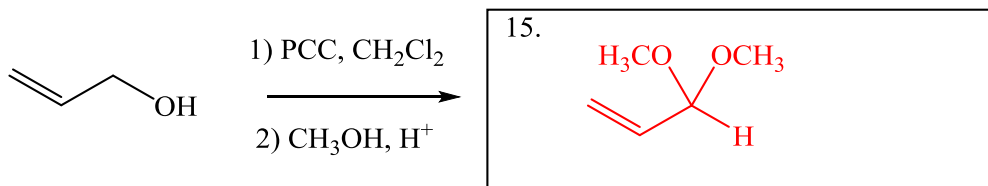
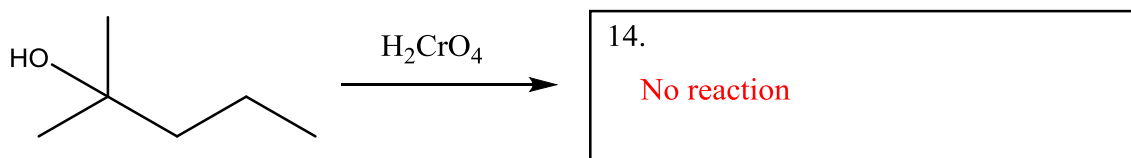
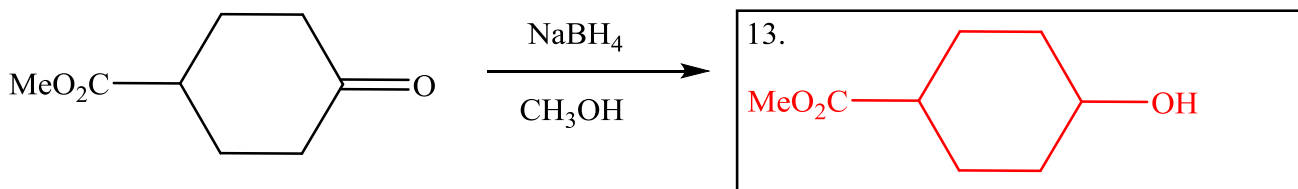
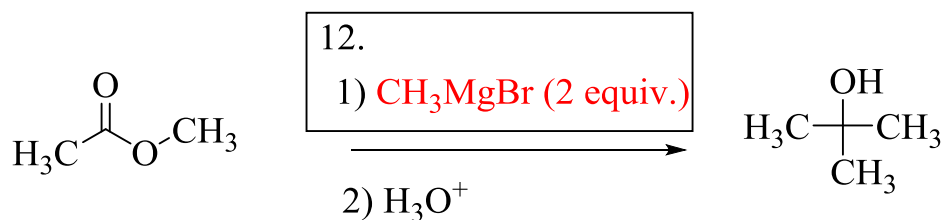


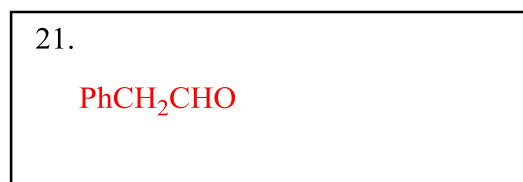
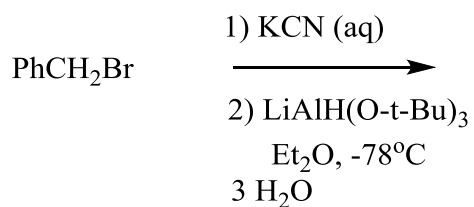
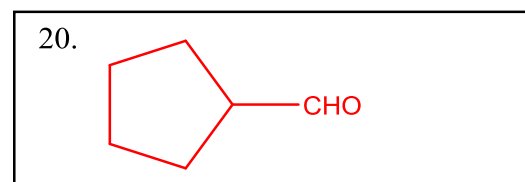
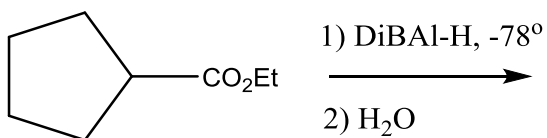
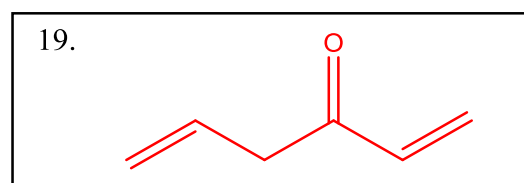
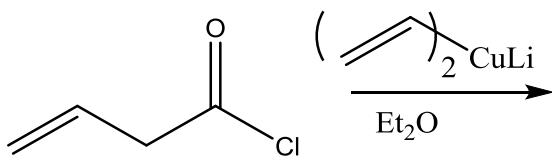
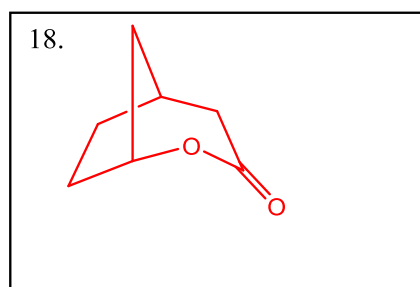
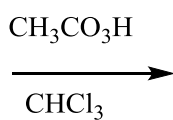
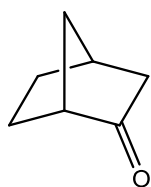
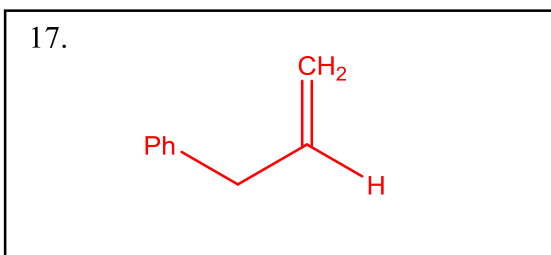
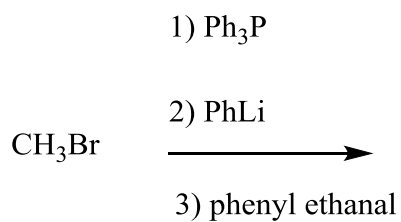
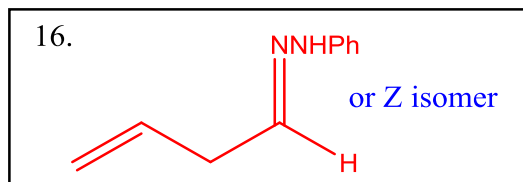
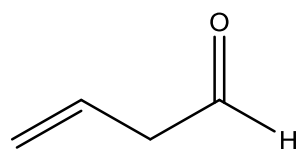
11. Which of the following is **not** true?

- A) Nucleophiles react with aldehydes and ketones to form tetrahedral carbonyl addition intermediates.
- B) A Grignard reagent is a good nucleophile
- C) An acetal can only result from the acid-catalyzed addition of an alcohol to a hemiacetal.
- D) Ketones react with Grignard reagents (followed by acid workup) to form secondary alcohols.
- E) A hemiacetal can result from the acid-catalyzed or base-catalyzed addition of an alcohol to an aldehyde or ketone.

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**BEGIN PART B – free response**

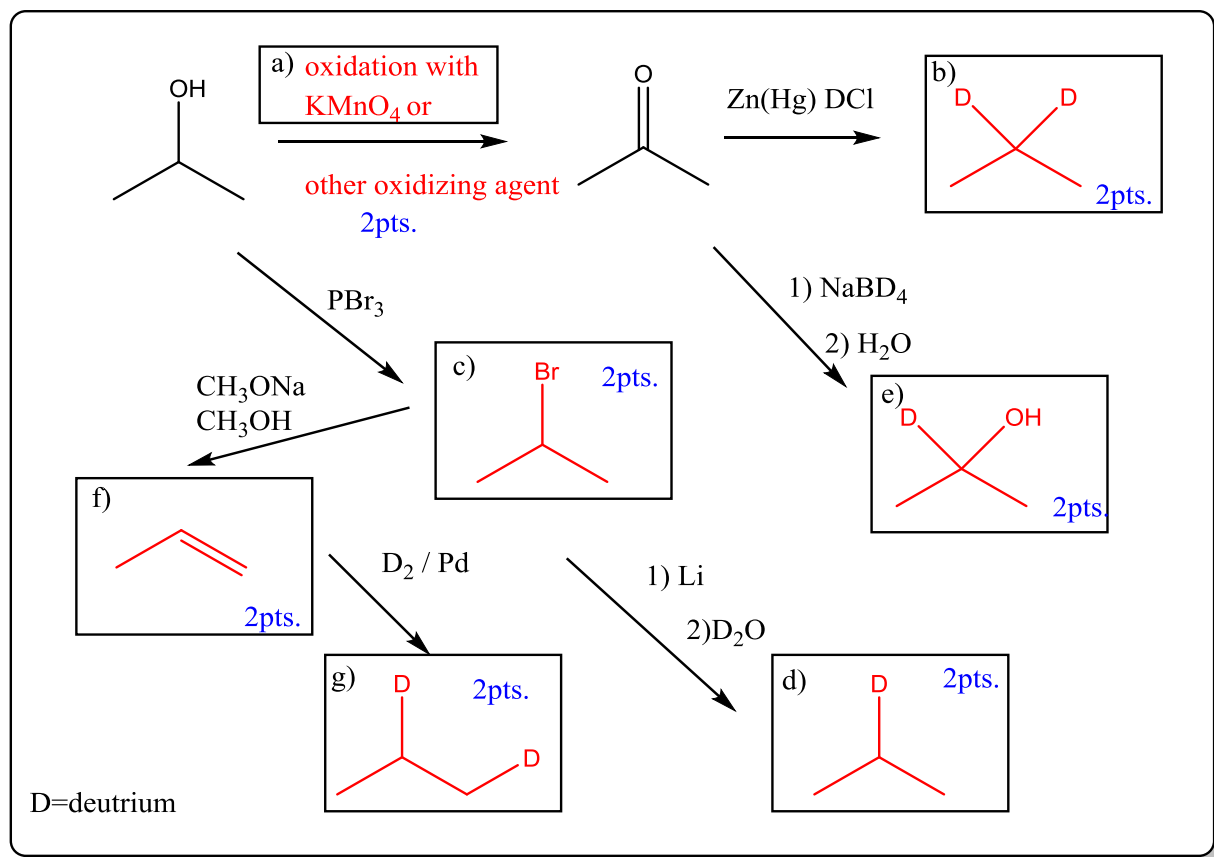




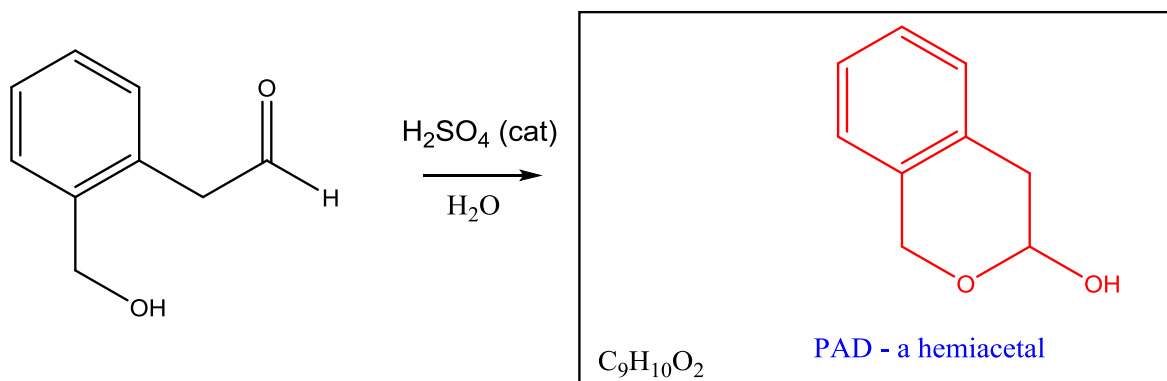
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## Begin Part C

22. (14 points) **Multi-step Synthesis:** Complete the following set of reactions. Most involve isotopic labeling with deuterium ( $^2\text{H} = \text{D}$ ). Do not show the mechanism.



23. (6 points.) **Mechanistic Understanding:** You know the mechanism. What is the product of the following reaction?



END OF PART C

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Total (Part B only) \_\_\_\_\_ (60)