- b) Why the synthesis of 2, 2– dimethylcyclohexanone can not be achieved by Stork enamine synthesis?
- c) Describe the synthesis of phenylalanine by Strecker synthesis.
- d) What is Nef carbonyl synthesis? Describe the mechanism with a suitable example.
- e) What product would you obtain from the following reaction? Explain with mechanism.

INTER B. Sc. Examination, 2017

(2nd Semester)

CHEMISTRY (HONOURS)

PAPER - IX

ORGANIC CHEMISTRY

Time: Two hours Full Marks: 50

(25 marks for each group)

Use a separate answerscript for each group.

GROUP-A

1. a) What happens when benzoic acid is treated separately with excess RLi and excess RMgBr ? Justify your answer.

 $2\frac{1}{2}$

- b) Show the radical cycle operative in the reaction of phenyldiazonium chloride with ethyl acrylate in presence of CuCl_2 .
- c) What would be the major product in the following reaction? Mechanistically rationalise your answer. $2\frac{1}{2}$

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d) Suggest reagent (s) for the following transformations:

i)
$$ArN_2^{\oplus}Cl \xrightarrow{\bigcirc} ArNHNH_2$$
 1×3

$$\stackrel{\text{ii)}}{\longrightarrow} \stackrel{\text{OH}}{\longrightarrow}$$

iii)
$$CH_3$$
 CHO

e) Mechanistically ascertain the structure of the product(s) in the following reactions (any four) $2\frac{1}{2}x4$

i)
$$C\cdot H_2SO_4$$

ii)
$$NO_2$$
 $\xrightarrow{PCl_5}$ Heat

e) Identify the products $\underline{\underline{A}}$ and $\underline{\underline{B}}$ in the following reaction sequence.

$$\begin{array}{c|c} OH \\ \hline \\ MeO \\ \hline \\ OMe \\ \end{array} \begin{array}{c} \underline{NaH,CS_2}\\ \underline{AIBN} \\ \underline{Bu_3SnH}\\ \underline{AIBN} \\ \underline{B} \\ Toluene, \Delta \\ \end{array}$$

f) Predict the products of the following reaction and explain with mechanism.

$$\begin{array}{c} \text{Me} & \text{CO}_2\text{Et} \\ & \xrightarrow{1) \text{ SeO}_2, \text{ EtOH}} \\ \hline & \text{2) H}_2\text{O} \end{array}$$

- 3. Answer *all* the questions:
 - a) Identify the products and explain with plausible mechanism. 2+2

i)
$$Me$$
 CO_2H
 HN_3
 $H_2SO_4(Conc)$
 Me

ii)
$$+ Me_3SI \xrightarrow{\text{DMSO}} \text{NaH}$$

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GROUP - B

2. Answer *all* the questions:

- a) What will happen when Grignand reagent is treated with triethyl orthoformate? Explain with mechanism.
- b) How can you carry out the following transformations ? (mention the reagents only) $1\frac{1}{2}+1\frac{1}{2}$

$$\stackrel{\text{i)}}{\longrightarrow} \stackrel{\text{OH}}{\longrightarrow}$$

c) Predict the products and explain with mechanism.

$$\begin{array}{c} O \\ \\ Me \end{array} \xrightarrow{\begin{array}{c} Ph_2CuLi \\ \hline THF \end{array}} \begin{array}{c} 2 \\ \end{array}$$

d) How can you prepare Me_3SiI ? Give an use of this reagent.

iv)
$$\xrightarrow{\text{O}}$$
 $\xrightarrow{\text{Br}}$ $\xrightarrow{\text{NaHSO}_3}$ $\xrightarrow{\text{NaHSO}_3}$

- v) RCHO $\xrightarrow{\text{Al(OEt)}_3}$
- f) How would you convert

 CH_3 CO_2H

What product would you expect when phenol is heated with phthalic anhydride in presence of conc. H_2SO_4 ? What structural change does the product undergo at different pH? $2\frac{1}{2}$

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 $2\frac{1}{2}$