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FINAL B. Sc. EXAMINATION, 2017

(1st Semester)

CHEMISTRY (HONOURS)

PAPER - XVI

ORGANIC CHEMISTRY

Time: Two hours

Full Marks: 50

Use a separate answerscript for each group.

GROUP-A

1. a) Explain the following observation : $1\frac{1}{2}$



b) Which of the following compounds *A* and *B* would undergo faster acetolysis in acetic acid at 150°C and why?



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c) Predict the product(s) with stereochemistry and explain on the basis of FMO theory (attempt any *three*) $1\frac{1}{2} \times 3$







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- c) Carry out the following conversions (attempt *any two*):

 $1\frac{1}{2} \times 2$

- i) Acetylene to neoprene rubber.
- ii) D-Glucose to glucuronic acid.
- iii) D-Glucose to D-fructose.
- 7. a) Write down the reaction products when sucrose undergoes periodic acid oxidation. 2
 - b) Synthesize polypropylene following the radical polymerization. Comment on the stereo chemistry of CH_3 groups and the properties of the resulting polymer. $1\frac{1}{2}+1$
 - c) Mention the name of the monomeric units involved in the polymers (i) melamine and (ii) glyptal. 1
 - d) What is nucleotide ? Write the structure of the following trinucleotide : $1\frac{1}{2}$

$G_p C_p A_p$

e) What are the major differences between β -DNA an Z-DNA. 2

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b) Comment on the cyclisation of the following compound under acidic or basic condition. Explain your answer. 2



c) Arrange the following dienes in order of increasing reactivity in Diels-Alder cycloaddition reaction with tetra-cyanoethylene. Give suitable explanation in favour of your choice.



5. How do you carry out the following chemical conversions?





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GROUP - B

- 3. Answer *any two* of the following questions. $1\frac{1}{2}x^2$
 - a) Pyrrole is more reactive than pyridine towards electrophilic substitution-Explain.
 - b) Explain the aromatic character of pyrrole on the basis of resonance and molecular orbital structures.
 - c) Quinoline undergoes electrophilic attack in the benzene ring while nucleophilic attack takes place in the pyridine ring Explain.
- 4. Predict the product with plausible mechanism. (Answer *any four*) 2×4



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GROUP - C

- a) Draw the Haworth Structure for methyl β-D-fructofuranoside.
 - b) Explain the following observations. (attempt *any two*) $1\frac{1}{2} \times 2$
 - Oxidation of D-fructose with Tollen's reagent yields a mixture of anions of D-mannonic acid and D-gluconic acid.
 - ii) The purine nucleosides undergo faster acid hydrolysis than the pyrimidine nucleosides.
 - iii) The mutarotation of D-glucose in benzene by 2hydroxypyridine is faster than by a mixture of phenol and pyridine.

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- a) Discuss the retrosynthetic analysis and also the forward synthesis from easily available starting materials of the following compounds. (Attempt *any three*) 2×3

