Ex/FCH/I/12/34/2018(S)

FINAL B. Sc. EXAMINATION, 2018

(1st Semester, Special Supplementary)

CHEMISTRY (HONOURS)

PAPER - XII

ORGANIC CHEMISTRY

Time : Two hours

Full Marks : 50

Use a separate answerscript for each group.

GROUP-A

- 1. a) Find out the point group of the twist-boat conformation of cyclohexane and also the symmetry number. $1+\frac{1}{2}$
 - b) Suggest and draw the preferred conformation of each of the following compounds with brief reasoning.
 - i) cis-1, 3-di-tert-butylcyclohexane
 - ii) *trans*-1, 3-di-*tert*-butylcyclohexane 2
 - c) Of two isomers of 4-*tert*-butylcyclohexanecarboxylic acids, which one is more acidic and why? $1\frac{1}{2}$
 - d) Draw the conformations of *cis*-1, 2-dimethylcyclohexane and *cis*-1, 3-dimethylcyclohexane and comment on their relative stability by calculating the enthalpy value and also chirality.

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e) Assign the R/S to the following molecules indicating the



- f) Comment on the topic relationship of the underlined ligands in the following compounds and justify your answer.
 i) H OH ii) H Br Br
- g) Deliniate the fate of the following reaction with proper reasoning (Felkin Anh model): 2 $S - PhCH(Me)COMe \xrightarrow{\text{LiAIH}_4, \text{THF}}_{\text{H}_30^{\oplus}}$

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- h) Attempt *any one* of the following questions :
- i) Suggest reagents for the asymmtric epoxidation of the allylic alcohol to give the epoxide below :

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b) Identify the product(s) A, B and C and draw the



c) Mention the reagents for the following transformations :

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iii) $PhCOCMe_3 \rightarrow PhCOOCMe_3$

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b) Using ¹H – NMR , how do you distinguish the following compounds ?

$$\begin{array}{c} O & O \\ CH_3 - C - OCH_2CH_3 \end{array} \text{ and } \begin{array}{c} CH_3 - O - C - CH_2CH_3 \end{array}$$

c) Using Woodward-Fieser rule distinguish the following compounds on the basis of UV-vis spectroscopy.



 d) State Hooke's law and comment on the effect of Hbonding on IR-bands of -CO₂H group.

GROUP - C

5. a) Identify the product(s) of the following reactions and explain their formation: $2\frac{1}{2}\times4$





GROUP - B

- 2. Answer *any one* of the following questions :
 - a) State Lambert-Beer's Law of absorption and comment on its limitations. 2+1
 - b) Between $n \pi^*$ and $\pi \pi^*$ electronic transitions, which one has the higher extinction coefficient and why? 1+2
- 3. Answer *any four* of the following questions : 2x4
 - a) Calculate the energy of a mole of photon of a electromagnetic radiation of $\lambda = 400$ nm.
 - b) What is auxochrome ? How does it play its role in UV-vis spectroscopy ? Explain with example.
 - c) Comment on the selection rule of IR-spectroscopy. Does
 CO₂ give IR-absorption band ? Explain.
 - d) What is shielding constant in NMR-spectroscopy ? How do you determine the –I effect of Br by NMR spectroscopy ?
 - e) Explain the effect of neighbouring group anisotropy in ¹H -NMR with proper examples.
- 4. Answer *any three* of the following questions : 2×3
 - a) Distinguish the following compounds by IR-Spectroscopy.



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