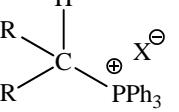
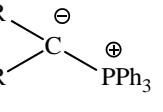
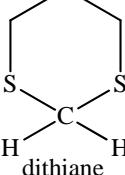
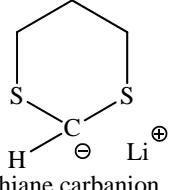
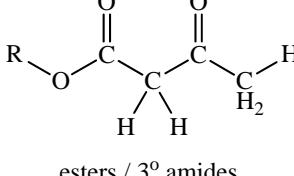
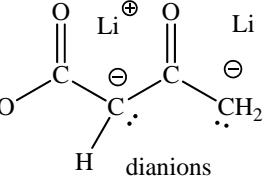
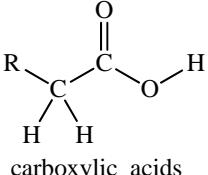
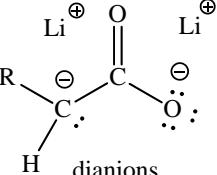
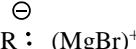
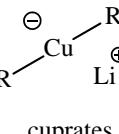


Important preparative reactions (acid/base and organometallic reactions) used in the examples below. These are sometimes necessary to set up reaction conditions.

<u>Acid</u>	<u>Base</u>	<u>New Base</u>	<u>Comments</u>
	 $K_{eq} = \frac{K_a(RCO_2H)}{K_a(H_2O)}$ $K_{eq} = \frac{10^{-5}}{10^{-16}} = 10^{+11}$		Carboxylates are good nucleophiles, $S_N2 > E2$ at Me, 1° and 2° RX, only $E2$ at 3° RX.
	 $K_{eq} = \frac{K_a(ROH)}{K_a(H_2)}$ $K_{eq} = \frac{10^{-17}}{10^{-35}} = 10^{+18}$		alkoxides are OK nucleophiles, $S_N2 > E2$ at Me, 1° RX and 2° allylic/benzylic centers. They are strong bases, $E2 > S_N2$ at 2° and only $E2$ at 3° RX.
	 $K_{eq} = \frac{K_a(RSH)}{K_a(H_2O)}$ $K_{eq} = \frac{10^{-8}}{10^{-16}} = 10^{+8}$		thiolates are good nucleophiles, $S_N2 > E2$ at Me, 1° and 2° RX, and bases, $E2 > S_N2$ at 3° RX.
	 $K_{eq} = \frac{K_a(RCCH)}{K_a(HNR_2)}$ $K_{eq} = \frac{10^{-25}}{10^{-37}} = 10^{+12}$		terminal acetylides are OK nucleophiles, $S_N2 > E2$ at Me and 1° RX, and strong bases, $E2 > S_N2$ at 2° and only $E2$ at 3° RX.
	 $K_{eq} = \frac{K_a(HNR_2)}{K_a(H-C_4H_9)}$ $K_{eq} = \frac{10^{-37}}{10^{-50}} = 10^{+13}$		LDA is a very strong base that is also very sterically hindered, it always acts as a base in our course. We use LDA to remove C_α -H protons from carbonyl compounds to make enolates and epoxides to make allylic alcohols.
	 $K_{eq} = \frac{K_a(RCOCH_3)}{K_a(HNR_2)}$ $K_{eq} = \frac{10^{-20}}{10^{-37}} = 10^{+17}$		enolates are good nucleophiles, $S_N2 > E2$ at Me, 1° and 2° RX, and strong bases, $E2 > S_N2$ at 3° RX. Low temperature ($-78^\circ C$) is important to prevent other reaction possibilities.
	 $K_{eq} = \frac{K_a(ROCOCH_3)}{K_a(HNR_2)}$ $K_{eq} = \frac{10^{-25}}{10^{-37}} = 10^{+12}$		enolates are good nucleophiles, $S_N2 > E2$ at Me, 1° and 2° RX, and strong bases, $E2 > S_N2$ at 3° RX. Low temperature ($-78^\circ C$) is important to prevent other reaction possibilities.

 Wittig salt = ylid	Li $^+$ n-Bu^- $K_{\text{eq}} = \frac{K_a(\text{HCR}_2\text{PPh}_3)}{K_a(\text{H-C}_4\text{H}_9)}$ $K_{\text{eq}} = \frac{10^{-33}}{10^{-50}} = 10^{17}$	 betaine	n-butyl lithium removes proton from Wittig salt and makes a good nucleophile at ketones and aldehydes, forming alkenes.
 dithiane	Li $^+$ n-Bu^- $K_{\text{eq}} = \frac{K_a(\text{dithiane})}{K_a(\text{H-C}_4\text{H}_9)}$ $K_{\text{eq}} = \frac{10^{-33}}{10^{-50}} = 10^{17}$	 dithiane carbanion	n-butyl lithium removes proton from dithiane and makes a good nucleophile at RX compounds. Can react once or twice in $\text{S}_{\text{N}}2$ reactions. Sulfur acetal forms carbonyl group after hydrolysis. Makes aldehydes and ketones.
 esters / 3° amides	$\text{Na}^+ \text{NR}_2^-$ -78°C $K_{\text{eq}} = \frac{K_a(\text{ROCOCH}_3)}{K_a(\text{HNR}_2)}$ $K_{\text{eq}} = \frac{10^{-25}}{10^{-37}} = 10^{12}$	 dianions	dianions are good nucleophiles, $\text{S}_{\text{N}}2 > \text{E2}$ at Me, 1° and 2° RX, esters and C=O groups.. Low temperature (-78°C) is typical. They react at the less stable position first.
 carboxylic acids	$\text{Na}^+ \text{NR}_2^-$ -78°C $K_{\text{eq}} = \frac{K_a(\text{ROCOCH}_3)}{K_a(\text{HNR}_2)}$ $K_{\text{eq}} = \frac{10^{-25}}{10^{-37}} = 10^{12}$	 dianions	dianions are good nucleophiles, $\text{S}_{\text{N}}2 > \text{E2}$ at Me, 1° and 2° RX, esters and C=O groups.. Low temperature (-78°C) is typical. They react at the less stable position first.
 bromoalkanes, alkenes and aromatics	Mg	 carbanion equivalents	Grignard reagents are very strong bases and very powerful nucleophiles. They react well with carbonyl compounds (aldehydes, ketones, esters, 3° amides & nitriles) and epoxides, but not with other RX compounds.
 bromoalkanes, alkenes and aromatics	2 Li	 carbanion equivalents	Organolithium reagents react similarly to Grignard reagents, except if you use 2 equivalents with carboxylic acids you will get ketones. We also use them to make cuprates (in our course).
	0.5 CuBr	 cuprates	We react cuprates with other RX, in an $\text{SN}2$ -like reaction, conjugate addition to α,β -unsaturated C=O compounds and acid chlorides to make ketones, all reactions not possible with Grignard and organo-lithium reagents, above.

S_N2 versus E2 choices at 2°RX.

At secondary RX (X= OTs, I, Br, Cl) S_N2 and E2 products are in close competition with each other. Anions whose conjugate acids have higher pK_a's (stronger bases have weaker acids) generally produce more E2 relative to S_N2. The two examples that we will emphasize at 2°RX centers are carboxylates (S_N2 > E2) vs hydroxide and alkoxides (E2 > S_N2), and cyanide (S_N2 > E2) vs terminal acetylides (E2 > S_N2). Any additional steric hindrance in RX or the electron pair donor tends to favor the proportion of E2 > S_N2.

Similar looking base/nucleophiles (used in our course) that react differently with 2°RX structures. (They all react by S_N2 at methyl and 1°RX and they all react by E2 at 3°RX.)

At 2° RX structures the less basic anion type prefers S_N2 reaction and the more basic anion type prefers E2 reaction.

Less basic, so S _N 2 > E2.	More basic, so E2 > S _N 2.	Less basic, so S _N 2 > E2.	More basic, so E2 > S _N 2.	Less basic, so S _N 2 > E2. pK _a of conjugate acid = 9	Very basic, only E2. pK _a of conjugate acid = 37

Alkanes

starting structures	reaction conditions	CH ₄				
Br ₂ / hν free radical halogenation						
O ₂ / Δ combustion		1 CO ₂ + 2 H ₂ O	2 CO ₂ + 3 H ₂ O	3 CO ₂ + 4 H ₂ O	5 CO ₂ + 5 H ₂ O	6 CO ₂ + 6 H ₂ O

Bromoalkanes

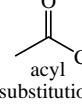
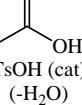
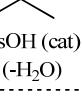
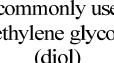
starting structures	reaction conditions	H ₃ C-Br				
Na ⁺ H-O ⁻						
Na ⁺ R-O ⁻						
Na ⁺ O-C(=O)-O ⁻						
1. O-C(=O)-Na ⁺ 2. NaOH						

$\text{K}^+ \text{O}^-$	$\text{S}_{\text{N}}2$	E2	E2	E2	E2	E2
starting structures reaction conditions	$\text{H}_3\text{C}-\text{Br}$	CH_3Br	$\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{Br}$	$\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{Br}$	Cyclopentyl-Br	Cyclohexyl-Br
$\text{Na}^+ \text{H-O}^-$	$\text{H}_3\text{C}-\text{OH}$ $\text{S}_{\text{N}}2$	CH_3OH $\text{S}_{\text{N}}2$	$\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{OH}$ $\text{S}_{\text{N}}2$		$\text{E2} > \text{S}_{\text{N}}2$	$\text{E2} > \text{S}_{\text{N}}2$
$\text{Na}^+ \text{R-O}^-$	$\text{H}_3\text{C}-\text{O-R}$ $\text{S}_{\text{N}}2$	$\text{CH}_3\text{O-R}$ $\text{S}_{\text{N}}2$	$\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{O-R}$ $\text{S}_{\text{N}}2$		$\text{E2} > \text{S}_{\text{N}}2$	$\text{E2} > \text{S}_{\text{N}}2$
$\text{Na}^+ \text{C(=O)O}^-$	$\text{CH}_3\text{C(=O)O}$ $\text{S}_{\text{N}}2$	$\text{CH}_2\text{C(=O)O}$ $\text{S}_{\text{N}}2$	$\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{C(=O)O}$ $\text{S}_{\text{N}}2$	$\text{CH}_3\text{C(=O)OC}_2\text{H}_5$ $\text{S}_{\text{N}}2$	$\text{Cyclopentyl-C(=O)O}$ $\text{S}_{\text{N}}2$	Cyclohexyl-C(=O)O $\text{S}_{\text{N}}2$
$1. \text{Na}^+ \text{C(=O)O}^-$ $2. \text{NaOH}$	$\text{H}_3\text{C}-\text{OH}$ $1. \text{S}_{\text{N}}2$ $2. \text{acyl substitution}$	CH_3OH $1. \text{S}_{\text{N}}2$ $2. \text{acyl substitution}$	$\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{OH}$ $1. \text{S}_{\text{N}}2$ $2. \text{acyl substitution}$	CH_3OH $1. \text{S}_{\text{N}}2$ $2. \text{acyl substitution}$	Cyclopentyl-OH $1. \text{S}_{\text{N}}2$ $2. \text{acyl substitution}$	Cyclohexyl-OH $1. \text{S}_{\text{N}}2$ $2. \text{acyl substitution}$
$\text{K}^+ \text{O}^-$	$\text{S}_{\text{N}}2$	E2	E2	E2	E2	E2
H-O-H	N.R.	N.R.	N.R.	CH_3OH $\text{S}_{\text{N}}1$, possible rearrangement	Cyclopentyl-OH $\text{S}_{\text{N}}1$, possible rearrangement	Cyclohexyl-OH $\text{S}_{\text{N}}1$, possible rearrangement
R-O-H	N.R.	N.R.	N.R.	CH_3OR $\text{S}_{\text{N}}1$, possible rearrangement	Cyclopentyl-OR $\text{S}_{\text{N}}1$, possible rearrangement	Cyclohexyl-OR $\text{S}_{\text{N}}1$, possible rearrangement
C(=O)OH	N.R.	N.R.	N.R.	$\text{CH}_3\text{C(=O)O}$ $\text{S}_{\text{N}}1$, possible rearrangement	$\text{Cyclopentyl-C(=O)O}$ $\text{S}_{\text{N}}1$, possible rearrangement	Cyclohexyl-C(=O)O $\text{S}_{\text{N}}1$, possible rearrangement
$\text{Na}^+ \text{C}\equiv\text{N}^-$	$\text{CH}_3\text{C}\equiv\text{N}$ $\text{S}_{\text{N}}2$	$\text{CH}_2\text{C}\equiv\text{N}$ $\text{S}_{\text{N}}2$	$\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{C}\equiv\text{N}$ $\text{S}_{\text{N}}2$	$\text{CH}_3\text{C}\equiv\text{N-C}_2\text{H}_5$ $\text{S}_{\text{N}}2$	$\text{Cyclopentyl-C}\equiv\text{N}$ $\text{S}_{\text{N}}2$	$\text{Cyclohexyl-C}\equiv\text{N}$ $\text{E2} > \text{S}_{\text{N}}2$
$\text{Na}^+ \text{HC}\equiv\text{N}^-$	$\text{CH}_2\text{C}\equiv\text{N}$ $\text{S}_{\text{N}}2$	$\text{CH}_3\text{C}\equiv\text{N}$ $\text{S}_{\text{N}}2$	$\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{C}\equiv\text{N}$ $\text{S}_{\text{N}}2$		$\text{E2} > \text{S}_{\text{N}}2$	$\text{E2} > \text{S}_{\text{N}}2$

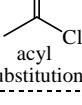
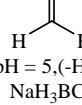
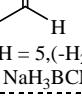
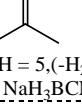
				E2 > S _N 2			
1. NaN ₃ 2. LiAlH ₄							
1. NaOH 2. R-Br 3. NaOH "Gabriel"							
Na							
Na							
Mg Grignard reagents							
Li organolithium reagents							
R : (MgBr) ⁺ R : Li ⁺	poor result with RX	poor result with RX	poor result with RX	poor result with RX	poor result with RX	poor result with RX	poor result with RX
	see cuprates for a workable alternative (next example), make cuprates from organolithiums + CuBr						
R-Cu-R Li ⁺							

Alcohols

starting structures → reaction conditions ↓							
Na ⁺ H [:] acid/base							
1. Na ⁺ H [:] 2. R-Br							E2 > S _N 2

	Beauchamp						
HBr	<chem>CClBr</chem>	<chem>CCBr</chem>	<chem>CCCBr</chem>	<chem>CC(C)Br</chem>	<chem>C1CCCC1Br</chem>	<chem>C1CCCCC1Br</chem>	<chem>CC(C)(C)Br</chem>
SOBr ₂	S _N 2	S _N 2	S _N 2	S _N 1 rearrangement possible	S _N 1 rearrangement possible	S _N 1 rearrangement possible	S _N 1 rearrangement possible
PBr ₃							
a. Ts-Cl / py b. NaBr	<chem>CClBr</chem>	<chem>CCBr</chem>	<chem>CCCBr</chem>	<chem>CC(C)Br</chem>	<chem>C1CCCC1Br</chem>	<chem>C1CCCCC1Br</chem>	<chem>CC(C)(C)Br</chem>
use when rearrangement is a problem	a. acyl-like substitution b. S _N 2	a. acyl-like substitution b. S _N 2	a. acyl-like substitution b. S _N 2	a. acyl-like substitution b. S _N 2			
 acyl substitution	<chem>CC(=O)OC</chem>	<chem>CC(=O)OC2CC2</chem>	<chem>CC(=O)OC2CCC2</chem>	<chem>CC(=O)OC(C)C</chem>	<chem>CC(=O)OC1CCCC1</chem>	<chem>CC(=O)OC1CCCCC1</chem>	<chem>CC(=O)OC(C)(C)C</chem>
 acyl substitution	<chem>CC(=O)OC</chem>	<chem>CC(=O)OC2CC2</chem>	<chem>CC(=O)OC2CCC2</chem>	<chem>CC(=O)OC(C)C</chem>	<chem>CC(=O)OC1CCCC1</chem>	<chem>CC(=O)OC1CCCCC1</chem>	<chem>CC(=O)OC(C)(C)C</chem>
 ketal a. C=O addition b. S _N 1	<chem>CC(=O)OC(C)(C)C</chem>	<chem>CC(=O)OC(C)(C)C2CC2</chem>			 commonly use ethylene glycol (diol)		 H ₂ O (remove forms ketal, add H ₂ O forms ketone)
use 2 equivalents of "ROH"							

Amines

starting structures →	<chem>CCN</chem>	<chem>CCCN</chem>	<chem>CCCCN</chem>	<chem>CC(C)N</chem>	<chem>C1CCCC1N</chem>	<chem>C1CCCCC1N</chem>	<chem>CC(C)(C)N</chem>
reaction conditions ↓							
 acyl substitution	<chem>CC(=O)NH</chem>	<chem>CC(=O)NCC</chem>	<chem>CC(=O)NCC2CC2</chem>	<chem>CC(=O)N(C)C</chem>	<chem>CC(=O)N(C)C1CCCC1</chem>	<chem>CC(=O)N(C)C1CCCCC1</chem>	<chem>CC(=O)N(C)C(C)C</chem>
 pH = 5,(-H ₂ O) NaH ₃ BCN	<chem>CN</chem>	<chem>CNCC</chem>	<chem>CNCC2CC2</chem>	<chem>CN(C)C</chem>	<chem>CN(C)C1CCCC1</chem>	<chem>CN(C)C1CCCCC1</chem>	<chem>CN(C)C(C)C</chem>
a. imine forms b. hydride reduction							
 pH = 5,(-H ₂ O) NaH ₃ BCN	<chem>CNCC</chem>	<chem>CNCC2CC2</chem>	<chem>CNCC(C)C</chem>	<chem>CN(C)C1CCCC1</chem>	<chem>CN(C)C1CCCCC1</chem>	<chem>CN(C)C(C)C</chem>	
a. imine forms b. hydride reduction							
 pH = 5,(-H ₂ O) NaH ₃ BCN	<chem>CN(C)C</chem>	<chem>CN(C)C2CC2</chem>	<chem>CN(C)C2CCC2</chem>	<chem>CN(C)C(C)C</chem>	<chem>CN(C)C1CCCC1</chem>	<chem>CN(C)C1CCCCC1</chem>	<chem>CN(C)C(C)C</chem>
a. imine forms b. hydride reduction							

Epoxides

starting structures → reaction conditions			
$\text{H}_3\text{O}^+ / \text{H}_2\text{O}$ hydrolysis (adds H_2O)			
CH_3OH_2^+ HOCH_3			
$\text{HO}^- / \text{H}_2\text{O}$ hydrolysis (adds H_2O)			
CH_3O^- HOCH_3			
1. $\text{Na}^+ \text{C}\equiv\text{N}^-$ 2. WK			
1. $\text{Na}^+ \text{C}\equiv\text{N}^-$ HC≡C 2. WK			
1. $\text{R}^- : \text{Li}^+$ 2. WK organolithium reagent			
1. $\text{R}^- : (\text{MgBr})^+$ 2. WK Grignard reagent			
1. $\text{H}_3\text{C}-\overset{\oplus}{\text{C}}(\text{O})-\text{Li}^-$ enolate 2. WK			
1. $\text{C}_8\text{H}_{16}\text{S}_2^- : \text{Li}^+$ dithiane 2. WK			
1. NaBD_4 or LiAlD_4 nucleophilic hydride 2. WK			

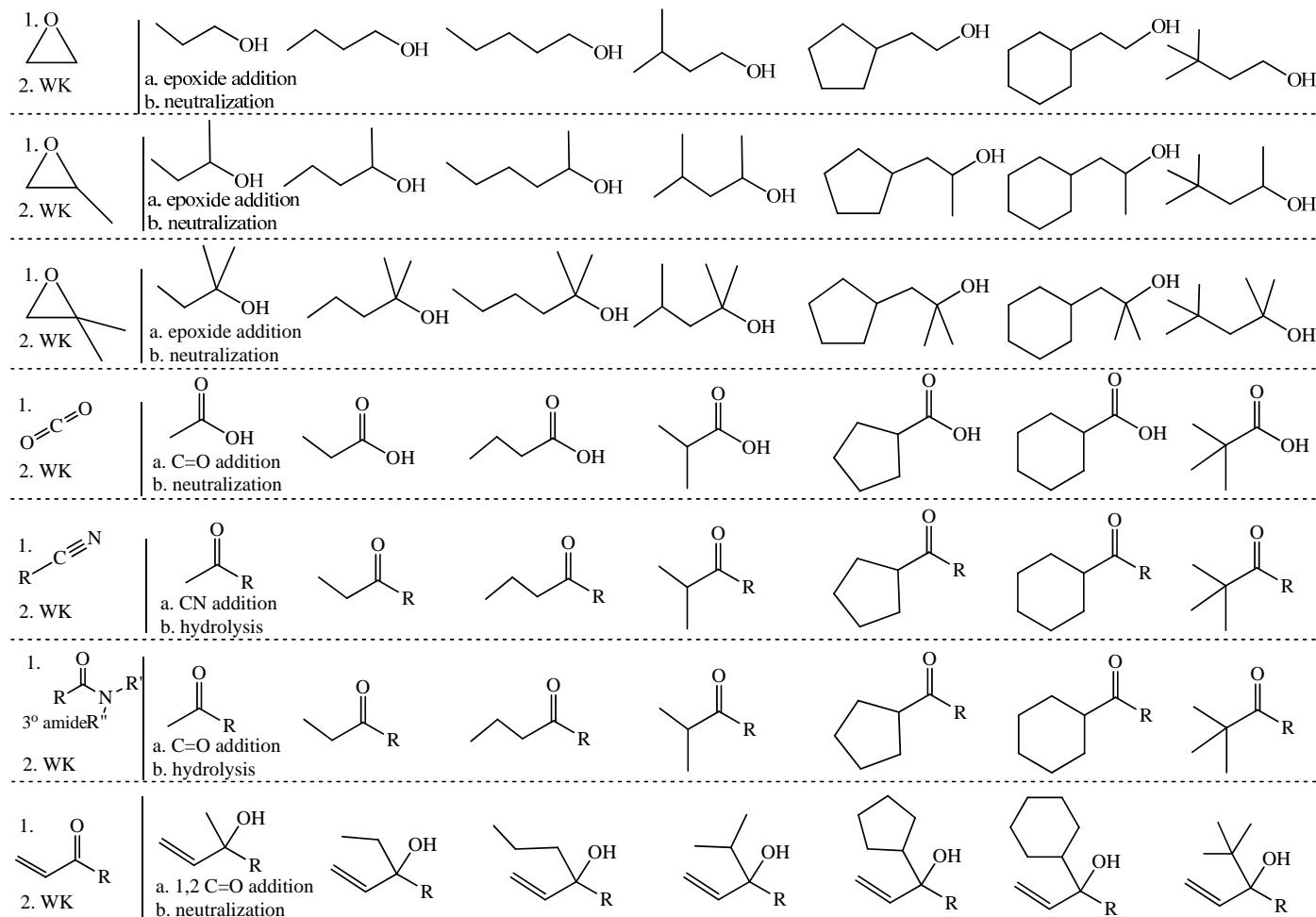
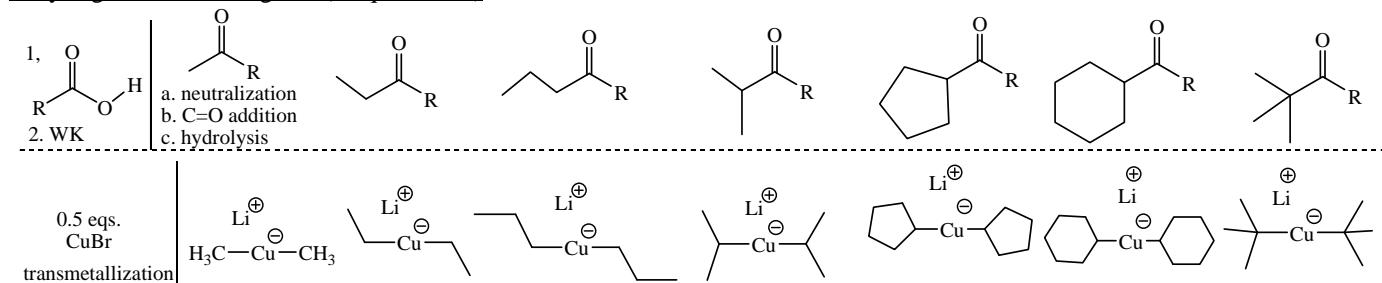
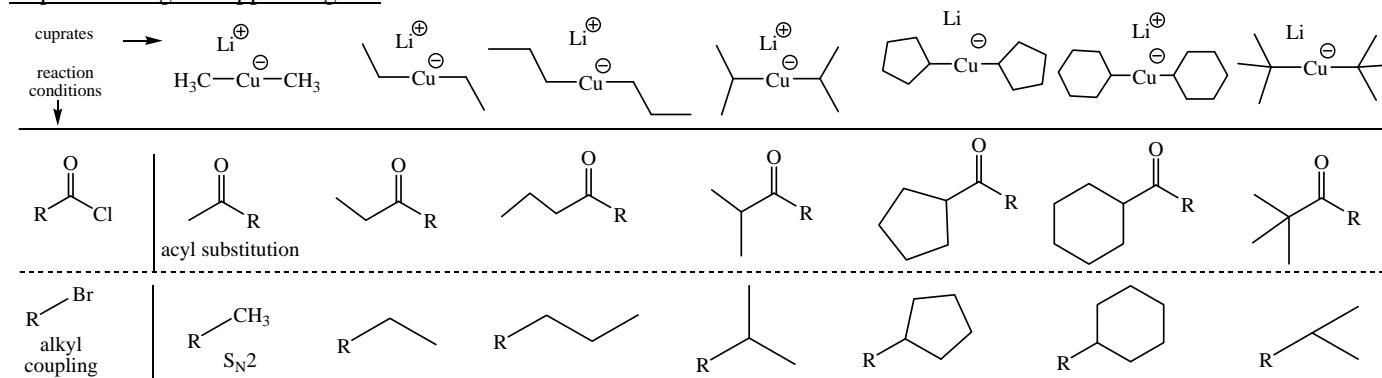
"D" used in these examples to show where attack occurs. "H" is more common.

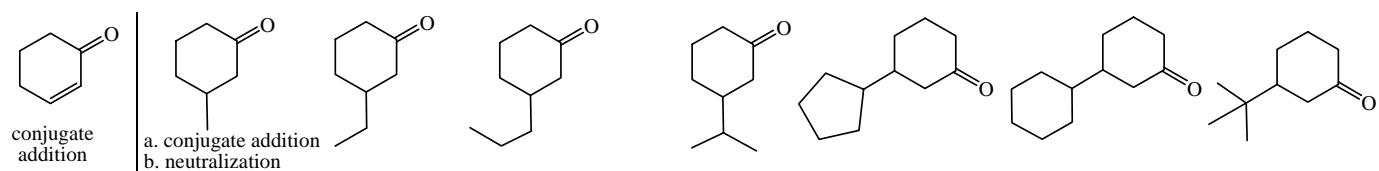
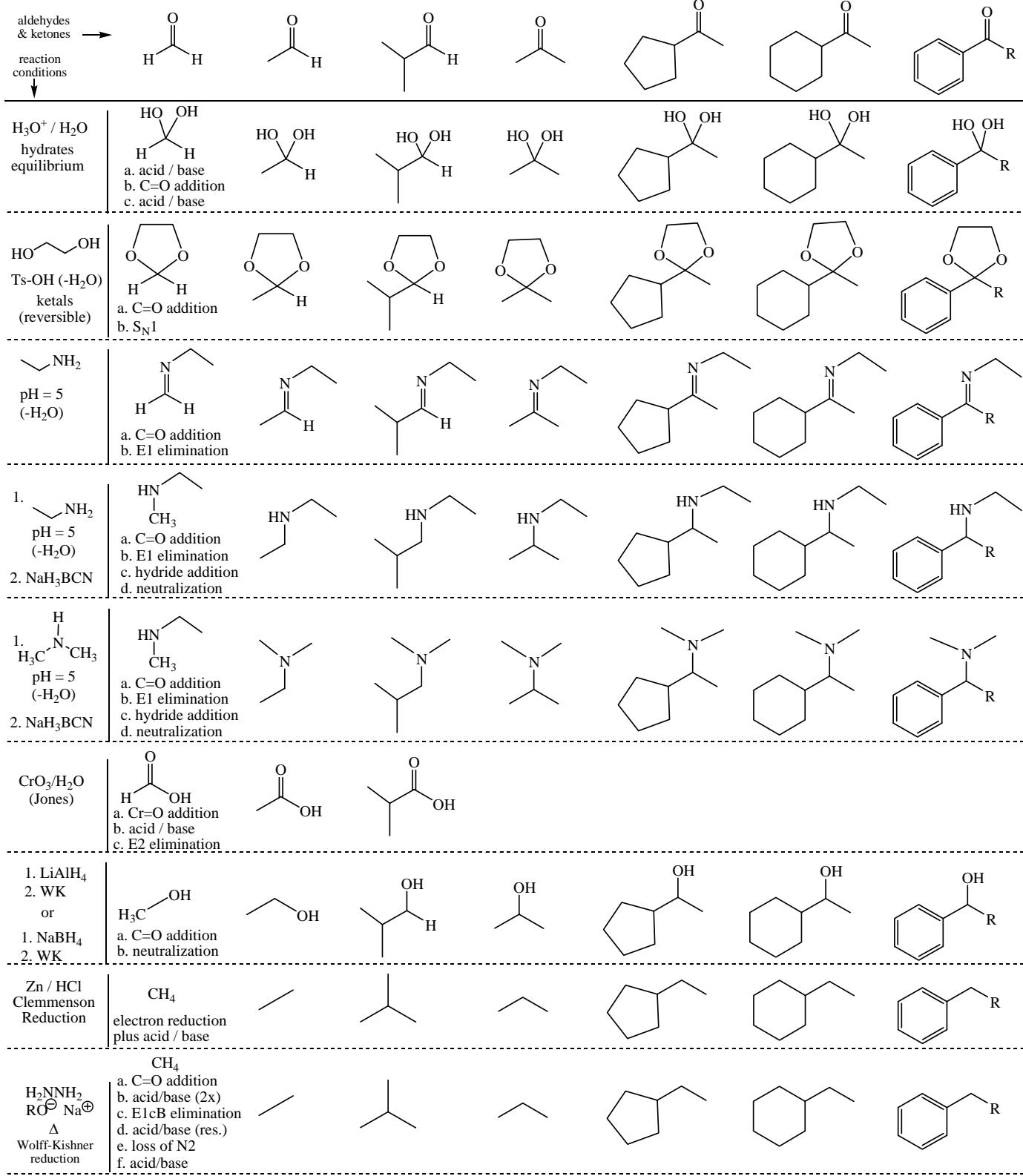
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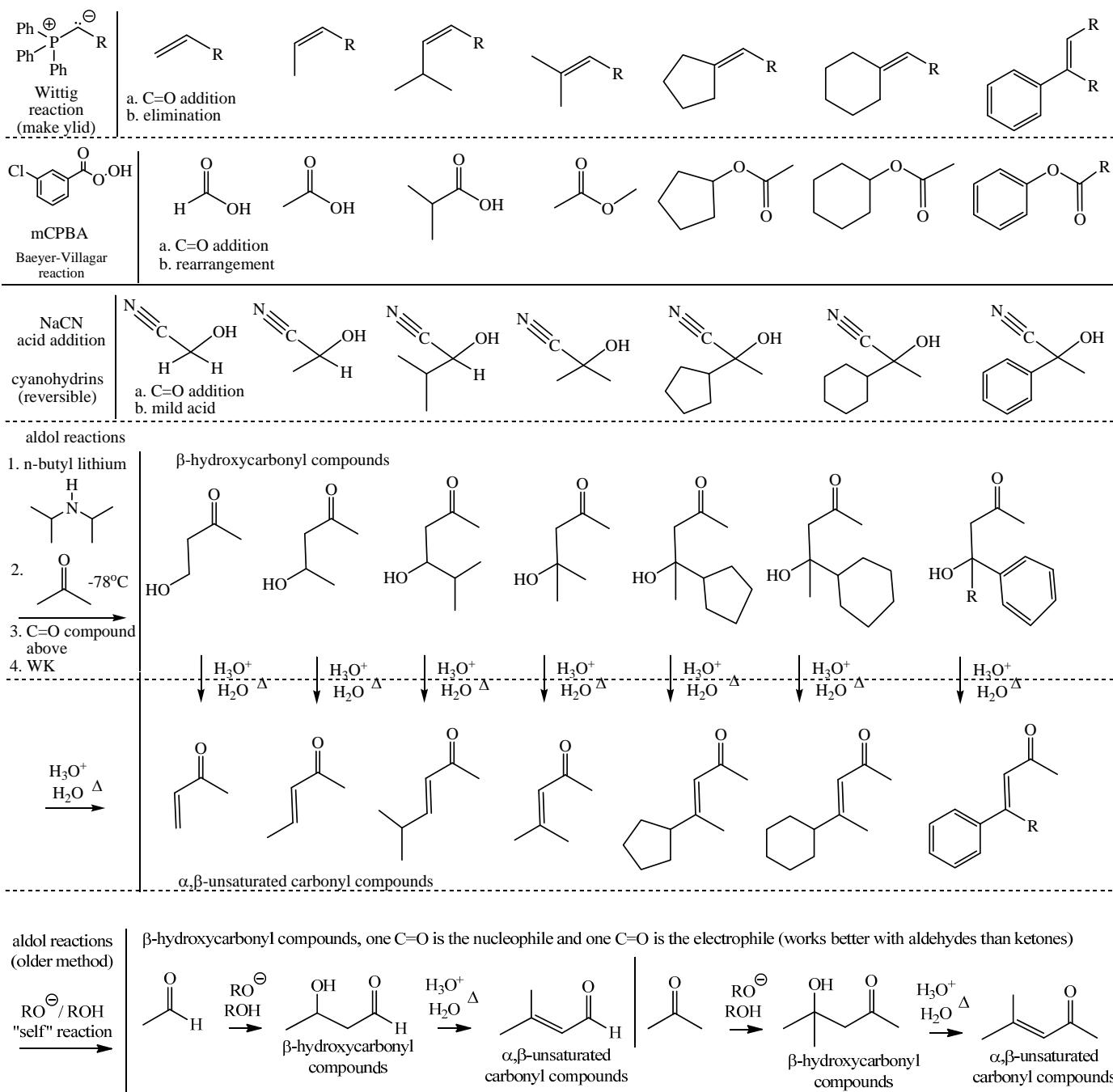
starting structures →							
reaction conditions ↓							
HCl / H ₂ O							
hydrolysis (adds H ₂ O) tautomers							
H ₂ SO ₄ / H ₂ O Δ hydrolysis (adds H ₂ O) tautomers acyl substitution							
R-Al-R 1. DIBAH 2. WK							
1. R : Li ⁺ 2. WK							
1. LiAlH ₄ 2. WK							

Organometallics – except for reactions with RCO₂H, these reagents react in a similar manner (in our course)

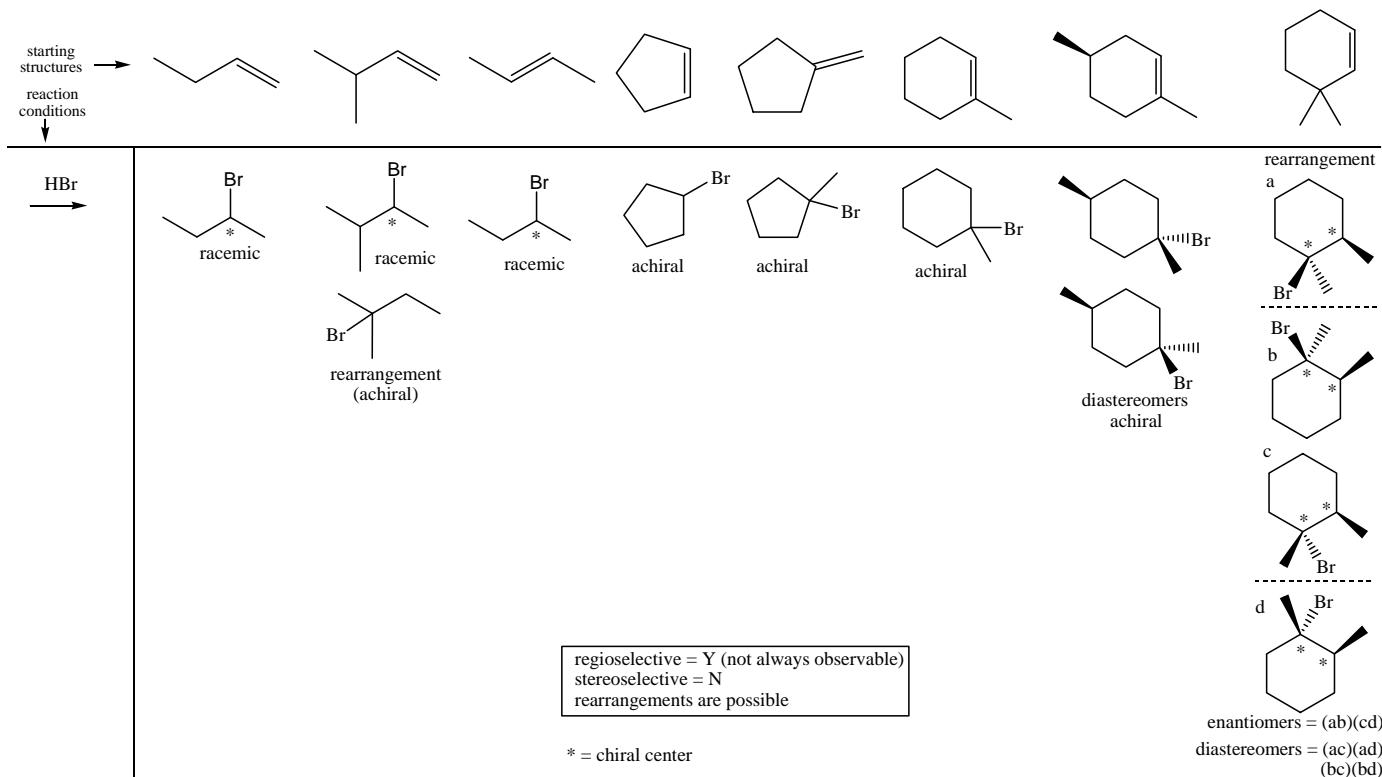
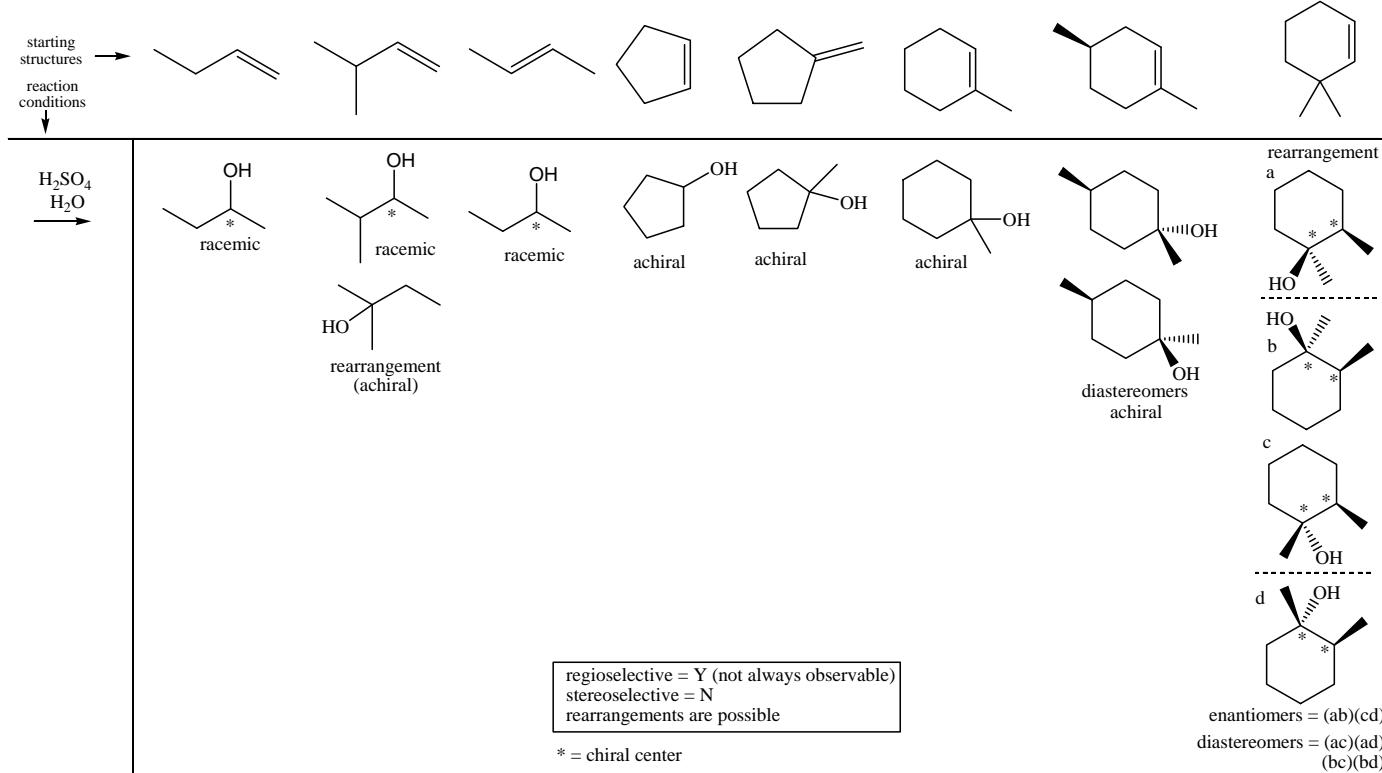
Grignard reagents →							
organolithium reagents → reaction conditions ↓							
1. H ₂ C=O 2. WK							
1. HCHO 2. WK							
1. O=C=O 2. WK							
1. O=C=O 2. WK							
1. O=C=O 2. WK (reacts twice)							

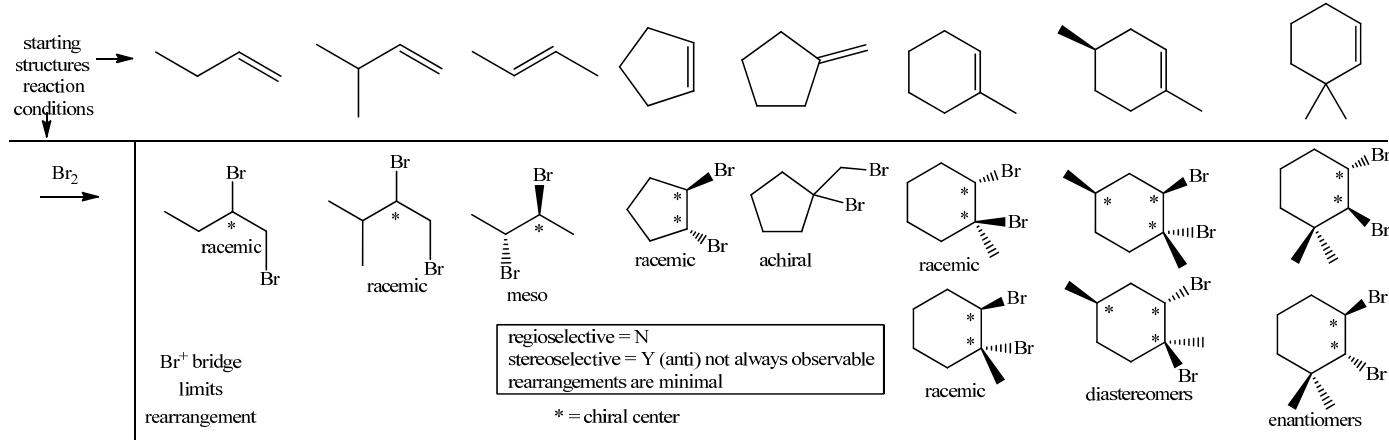
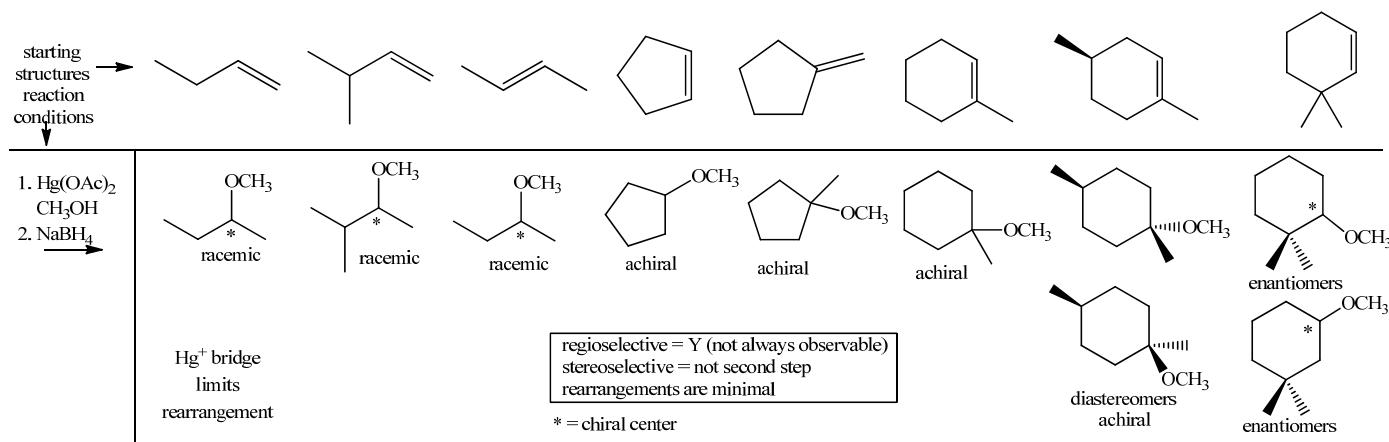
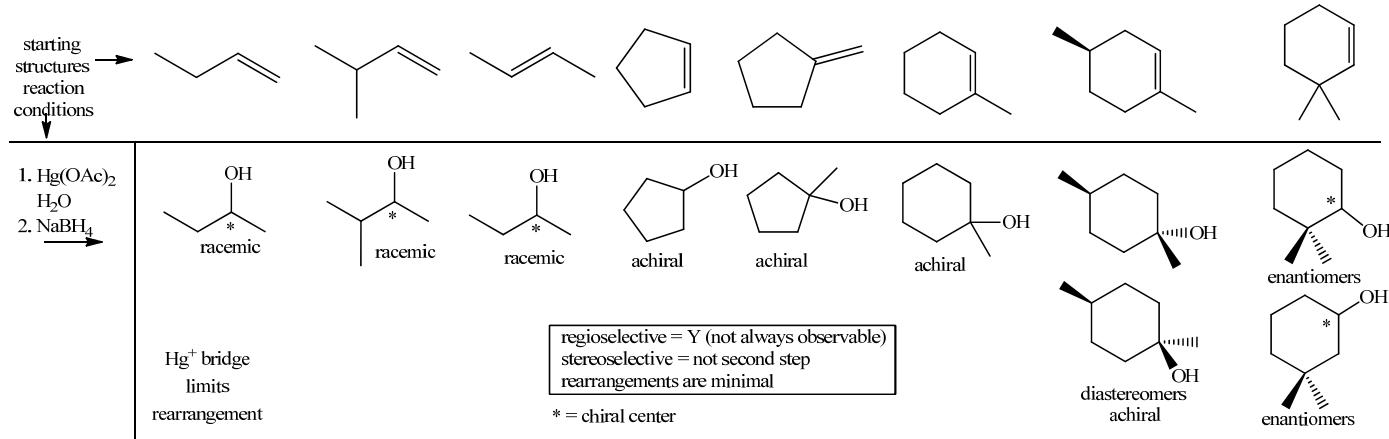
Only organolithium reagents (2 equivalents)Cuprates – Organocuprate reagents

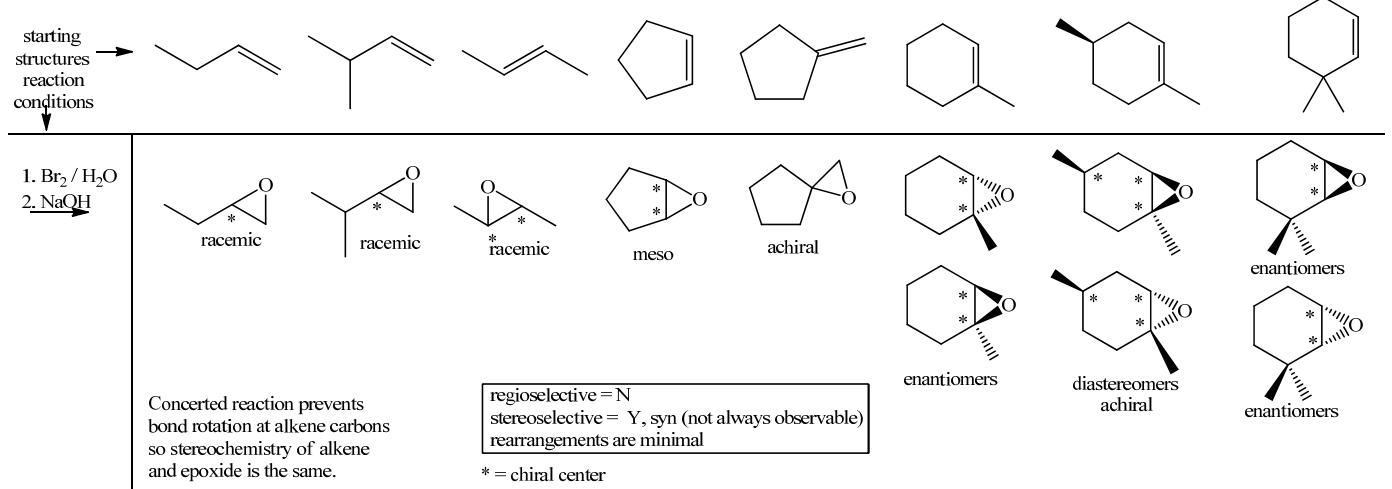
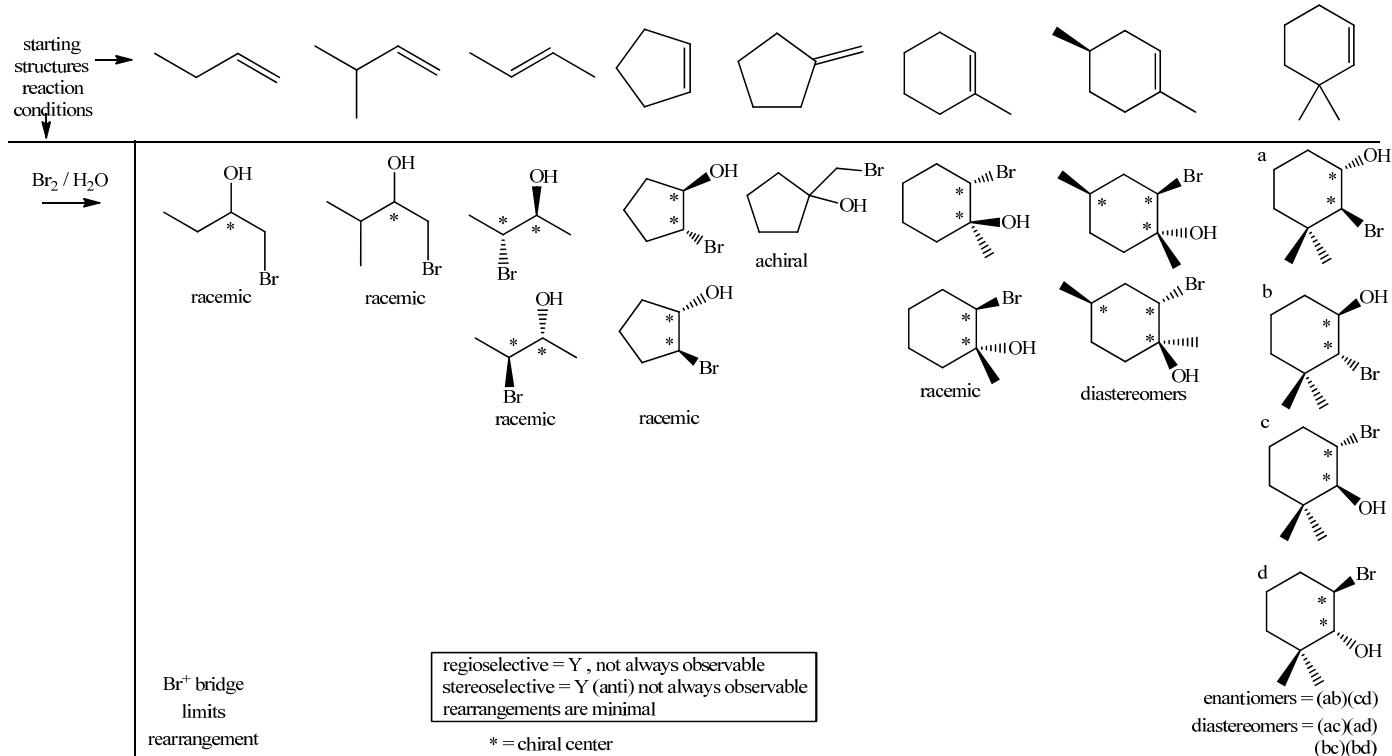
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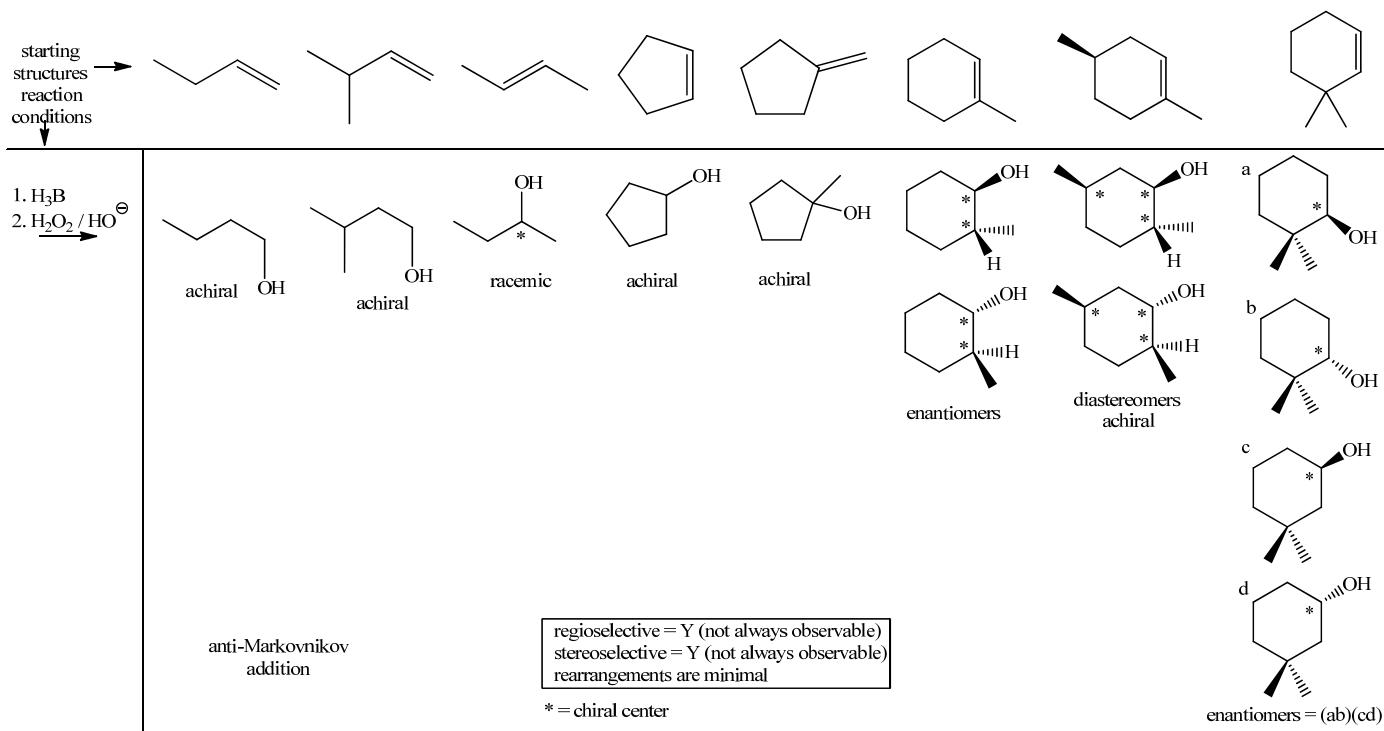
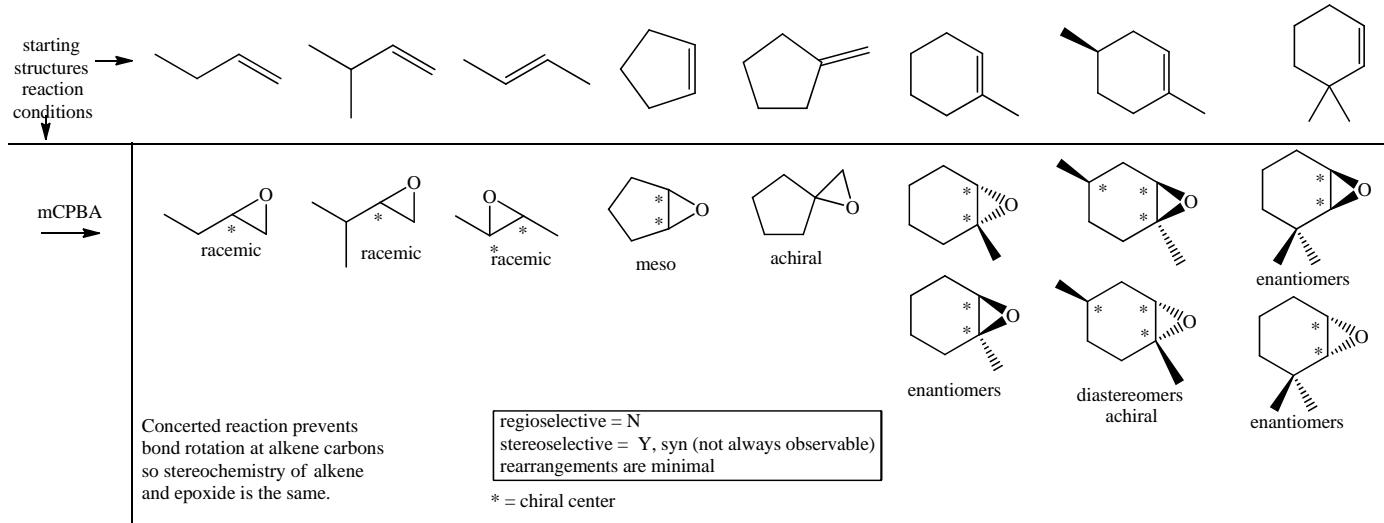


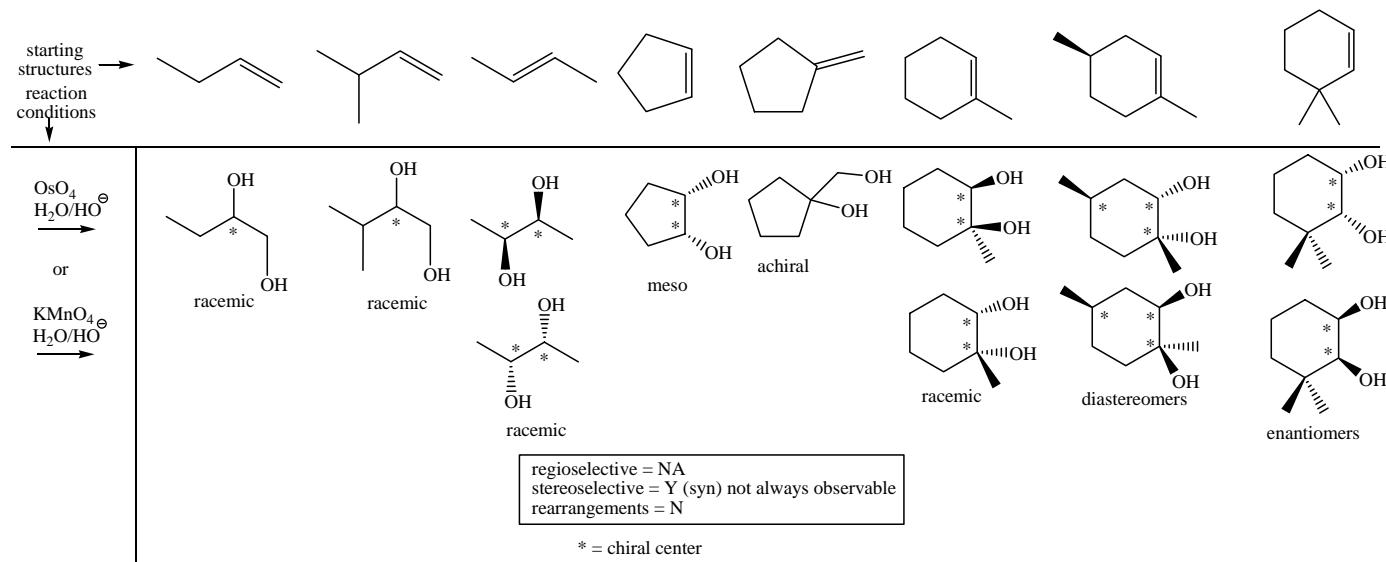
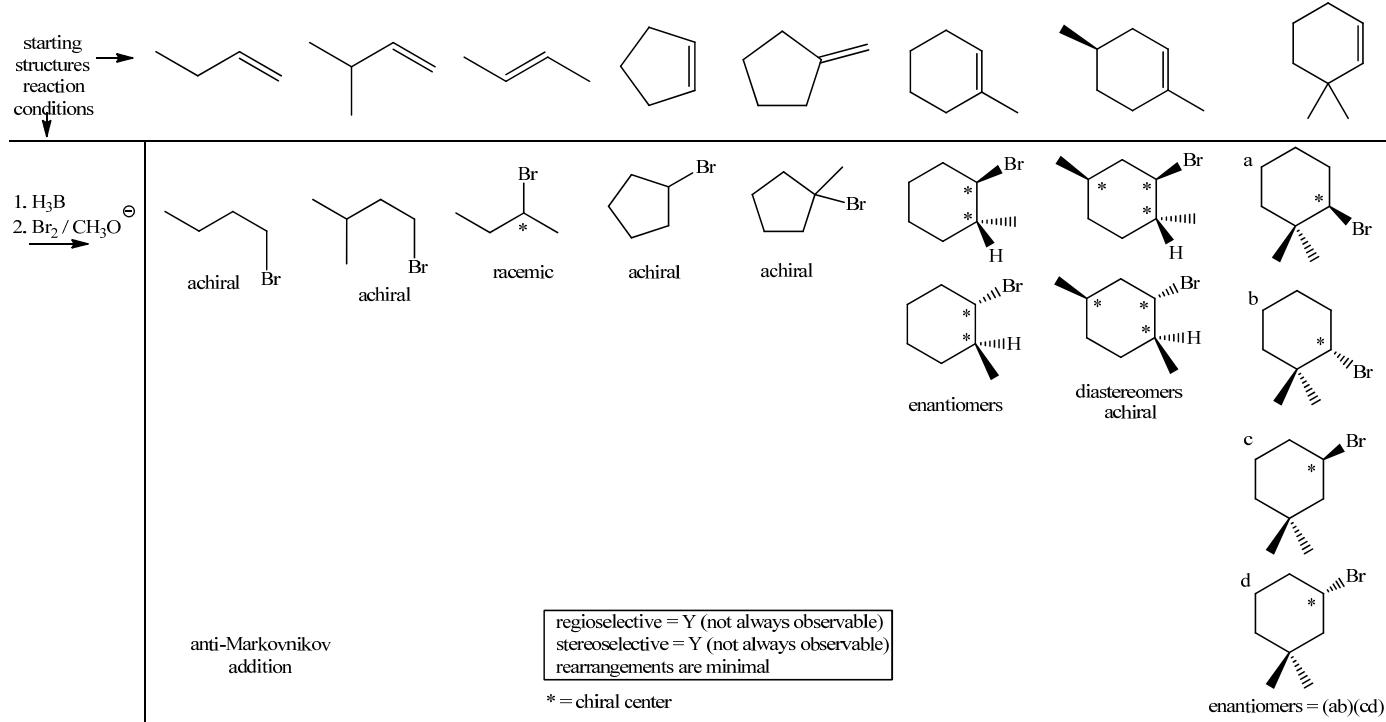
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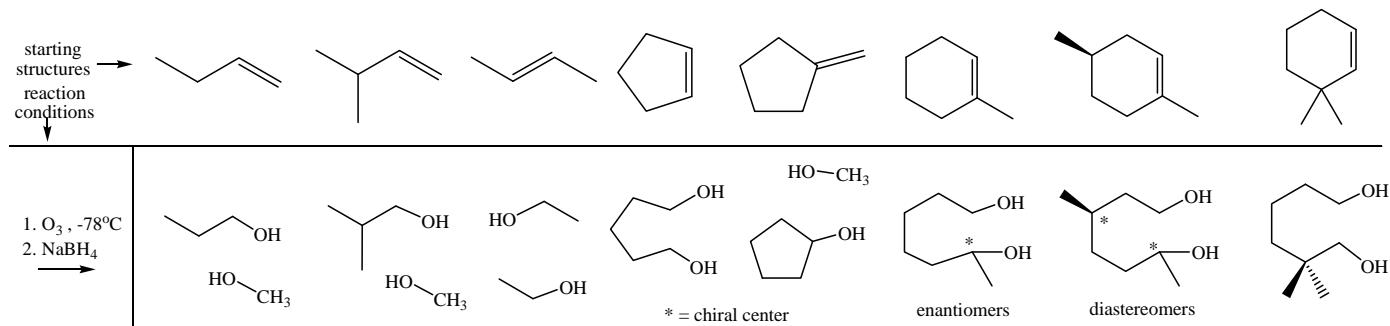
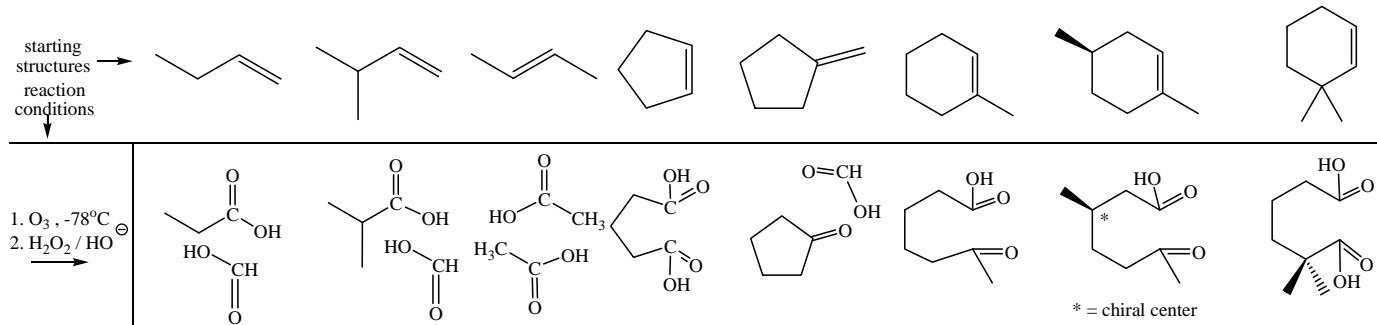
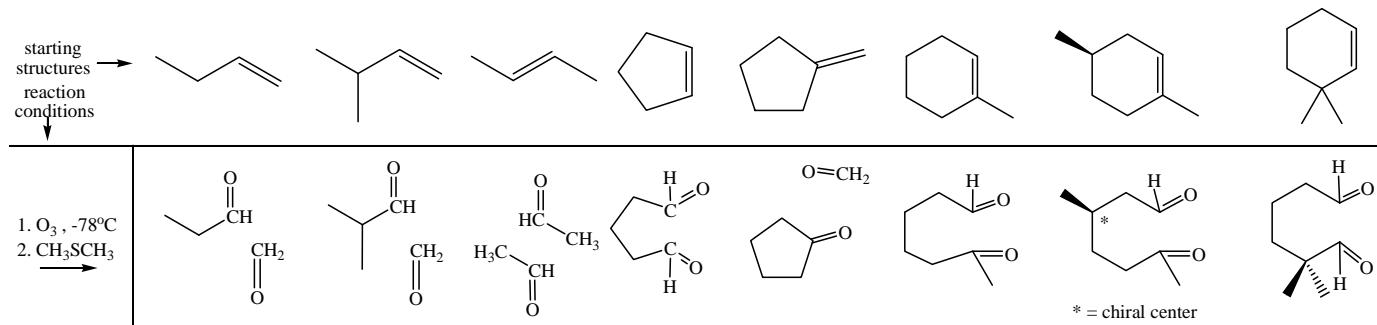
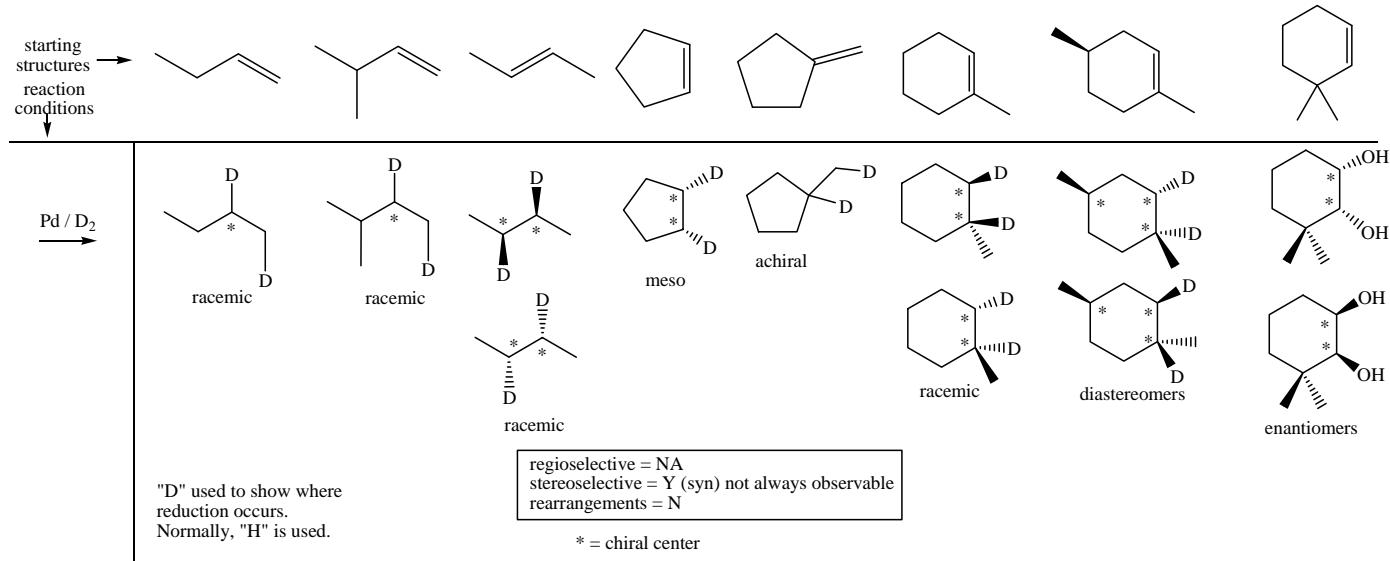












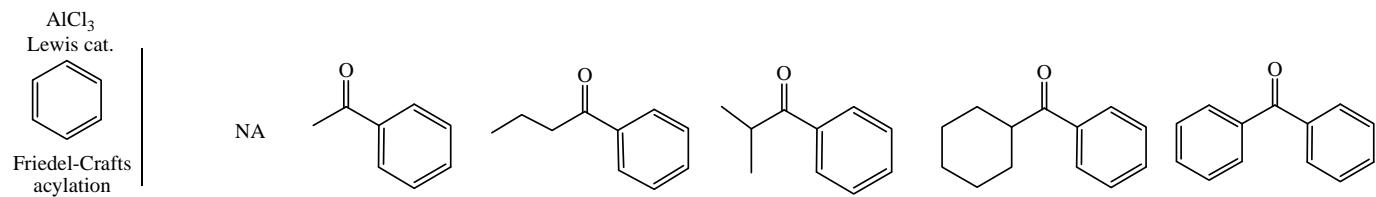
Alkyne reactions

starting structures reaction conditions					
$\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 / \text{H}_2\text{O}$ Hg^{+2}					
1. R_2BH 2. $\text{H}_2\text{O}_2 / \text{HO}^-$					NA
1. excess NaNR_2 2. WK					
1. excess NaNR_2 2. WK					
1. excess NaNR_2 2. $\text{CH}_3\text{-Br}$					
1. excess NaNR_2 2. $\text{CH}_2=\text{O}$ 3. WK					
1. excess NaNR_2 2. O_2 3. WK					
Pd / H_2					
Pd / D_2 quinoline (Lindlar's cat.)					
Na / NH_3 (Birch Reduction)	poor yields on terminal alkynes	poor yields on terminal alkynes			

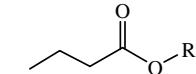
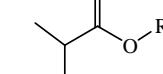
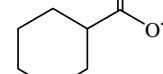
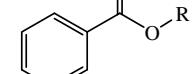
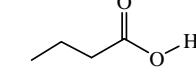
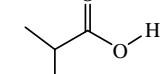
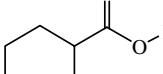
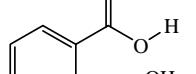
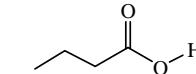
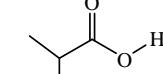
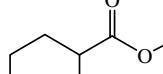
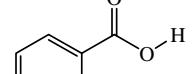
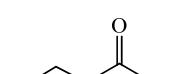
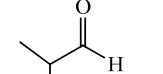
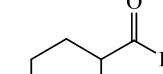
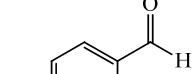
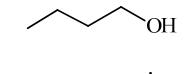
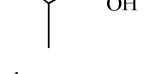
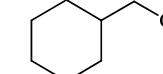
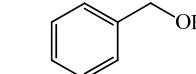
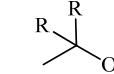
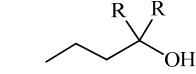
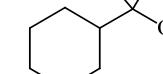
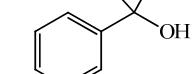
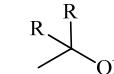
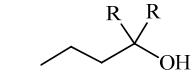
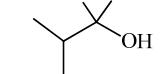
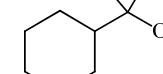
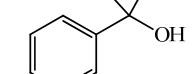
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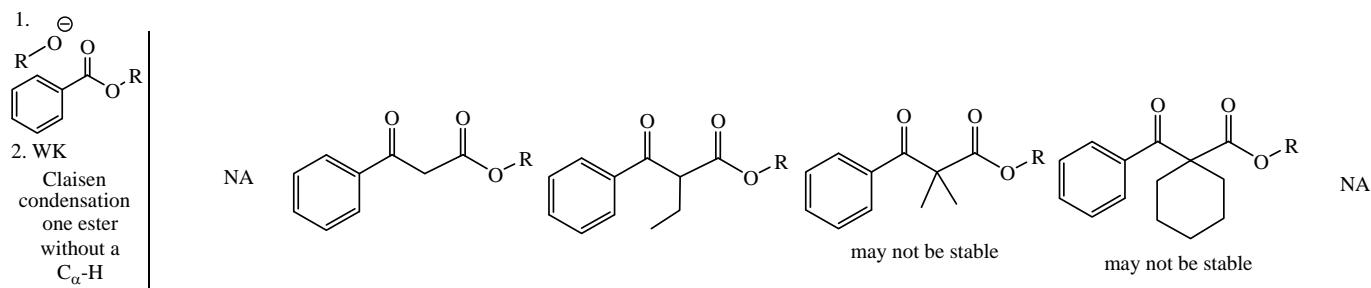
carboxylic acids reaction conditions							
NaOH acid / base reaction							
SOCl ₂ thionyl chloride	 not stable						
ROH TsOH (-H ₂ O) Fischer ester syn.							
1. 2 eqs. LDA makes dianions 2. react with electrophile	NA					NA	
1. 2 eqs. R-Li 2. WK makes ketones							
Hell-Volhard-Zelinsky reaction (HVZ) - makes acid bromide and C _α -Br.	NA					NA	
1. Br ₂ 2. H ₂ O	NA					NA	
1. Br ₂ 2. ROH	NA					NA	
Acid chloride reactions	acid chlorides reaction conditions	not stable					
R-COOH make anhydrides	reverse reaction						
R-OH make esters	NA						

$\text{R}-\text{NH}_2$ 1° amines make 2° amides	NA					
$\text{H}-\text{N}-\text{R}$ 2° amines make 3° amides	NA					
$\text{R}-\text{SH}$ thiols make thioesters	NA					
1. $\text{R}_2\text{Cu}^\ominus$ 2. WK Li^\oplus cuprates make ketones	NA					
1. $\text{R}_2\text{Al-H}$ -78°C 2. WK DIBAH make aldehydes	NA					
AlCl_3 Lewis cat. 	NA					
H-O-H usually an undesired side rxn	NA					
Anhydride reactions						
carboxylic anhydrides reaction conditions ↓						
$\text{R}-\text{OH}$ make esters	NA					
$\text{R}-\text{NH}_2$ 1° amines make 2° amides	NA					
$\text{H}-\text{N}-\text{R}$ 2° amines make 3° amides	NA					

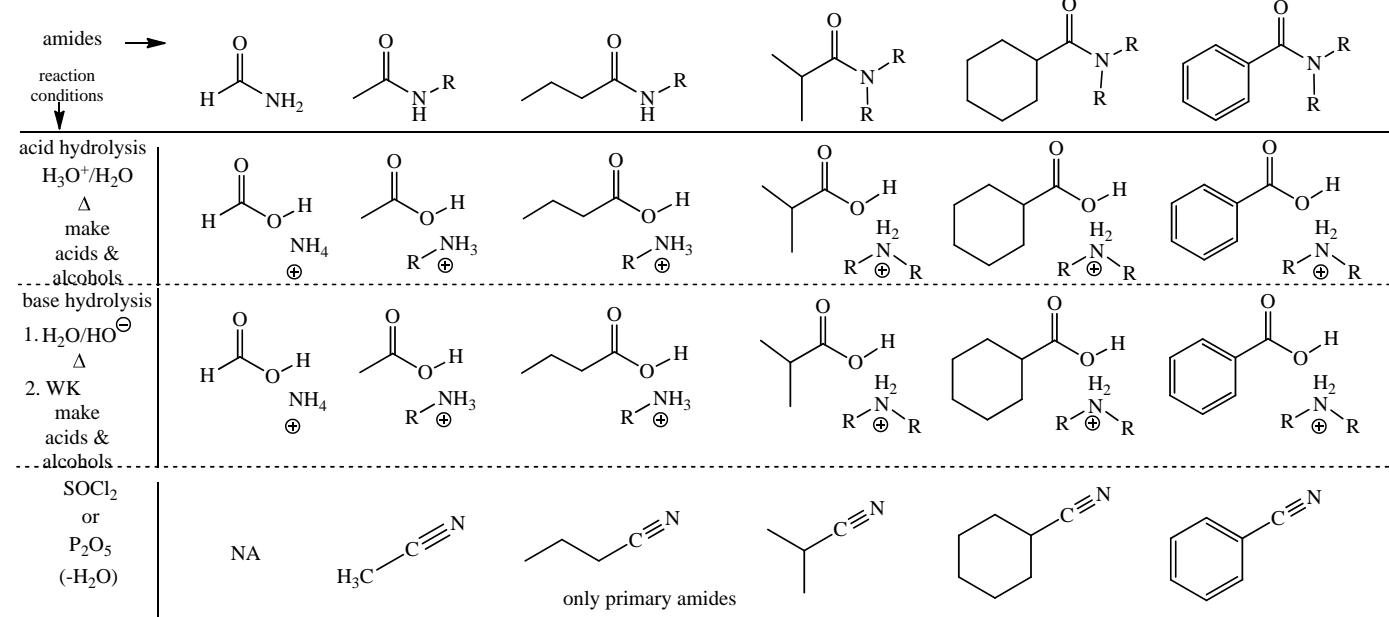


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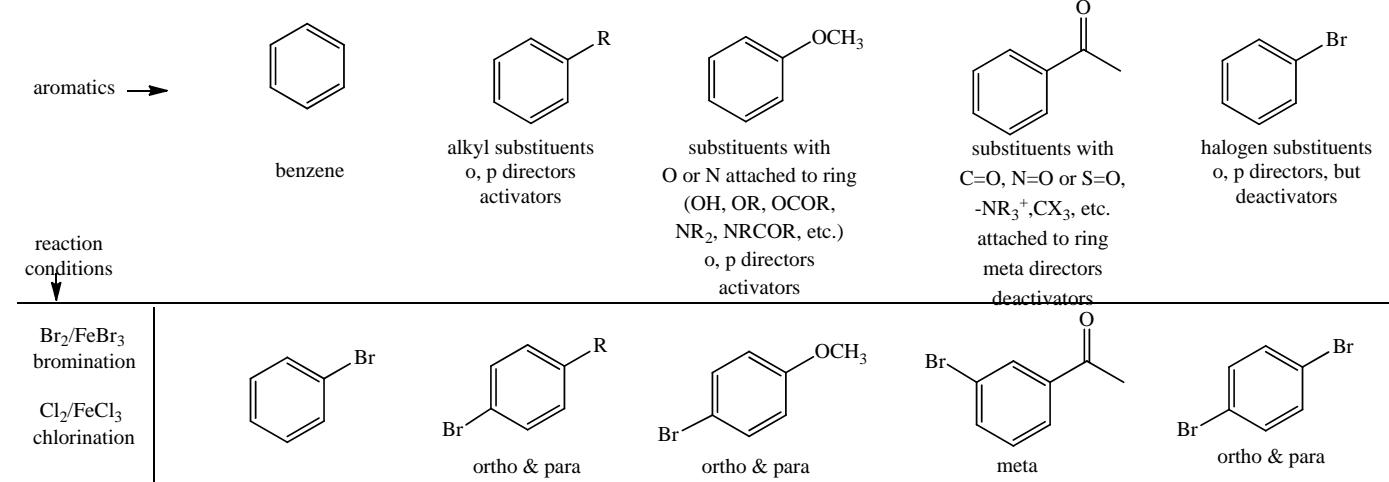
esters reaction conditions ↓						
acid hydrolysis $\text{H}_3\text{O}^+/\text{H}_2\text{O}$ make acids & alcohols						
base hydrolysis 1. $\text{H}_2\text{O}/\text{HO}^-$ 2. WK make acids & alcohols						
1. $\text{R}_2\text{Al-H}$ -78°C 2. WK DIBAH make aldehydes						
1. 2 eqs LiAlH_4 2. WK LAH makes 1° ROH						
1. 2 eqs NaBH_4 2. WK	no reaction	no reaction	no reaction	no reaction	no reaction	no reaction
1. 2 eqs RMgBr 2. WK	 2° alcohol	 3° alcohol	 2° alcohol	 3° alcohol		
1. 2 eqs RLi 2. WK	 2° alcohol	 3° alcohol	 2° alcohol	 3° alcohol		

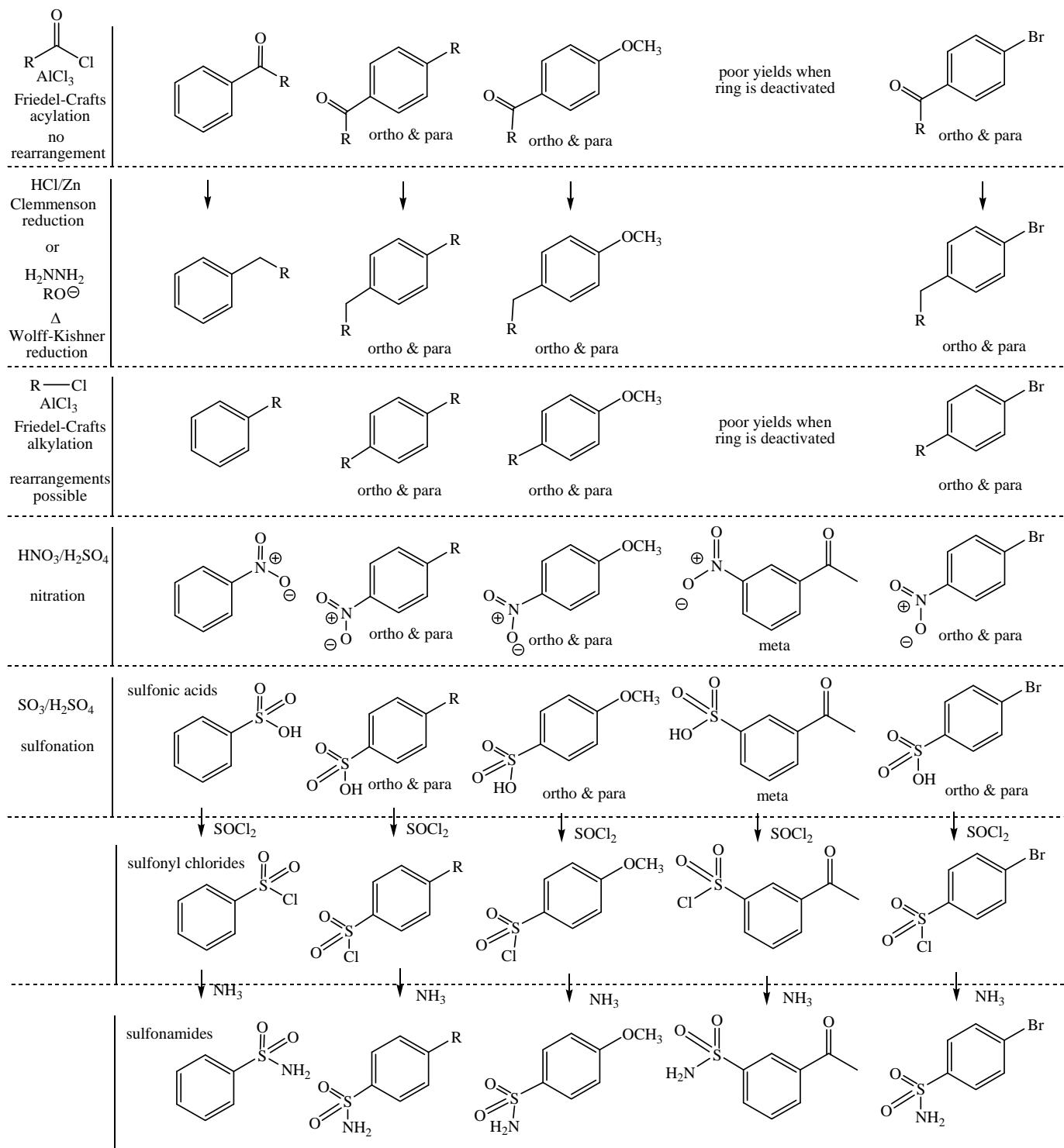


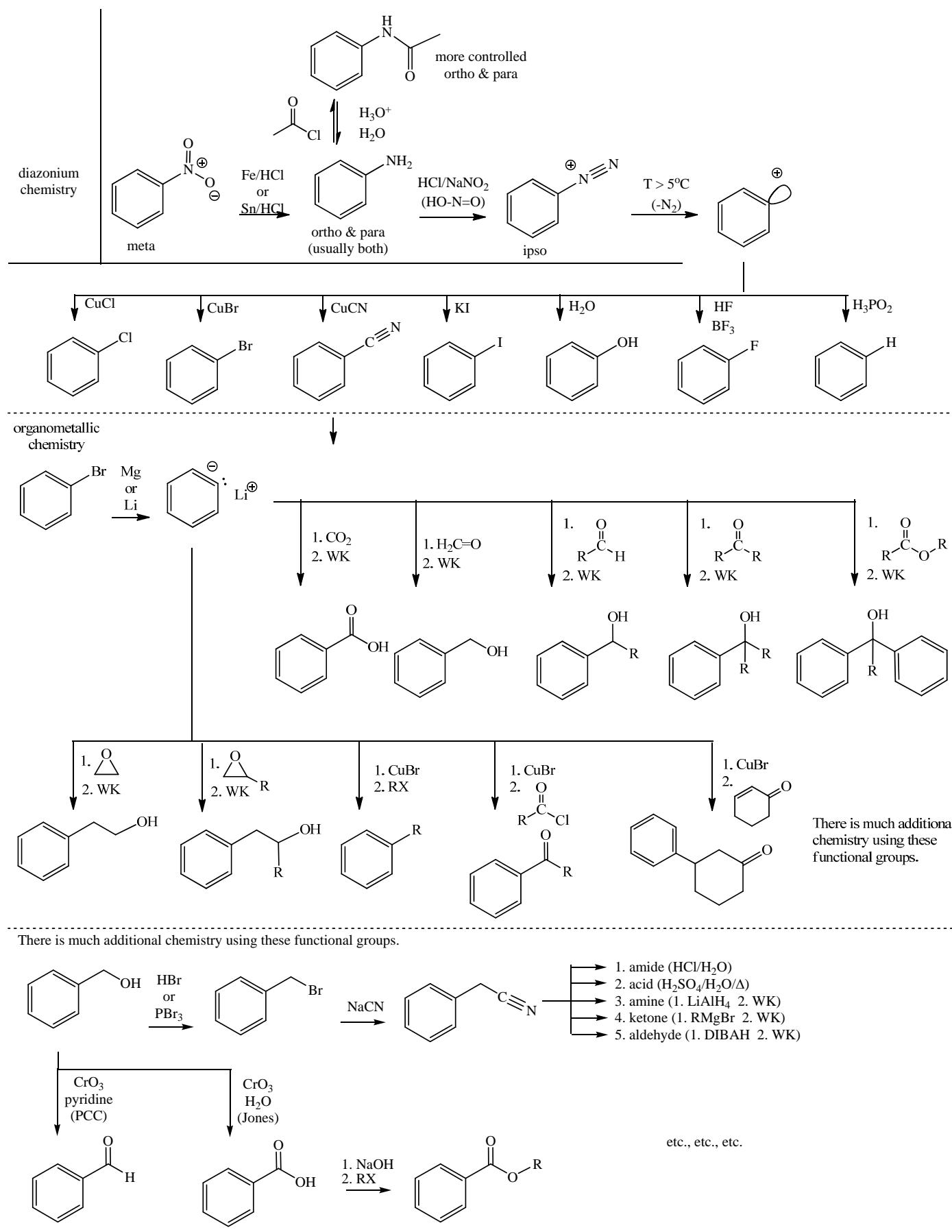
Amide reactions



Aromatic reactions

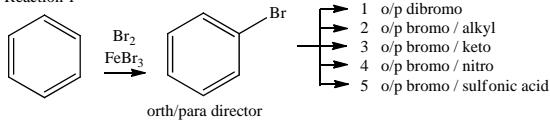




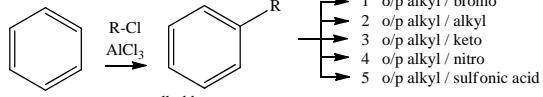


Electrophilic aromatic substitution reaction (aromatic ring is a π nucleophile).

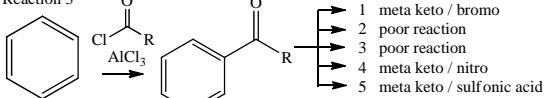
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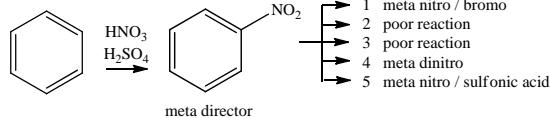
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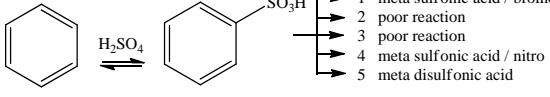
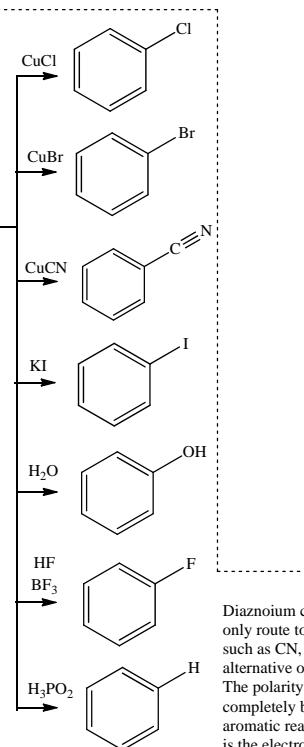
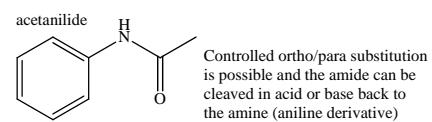
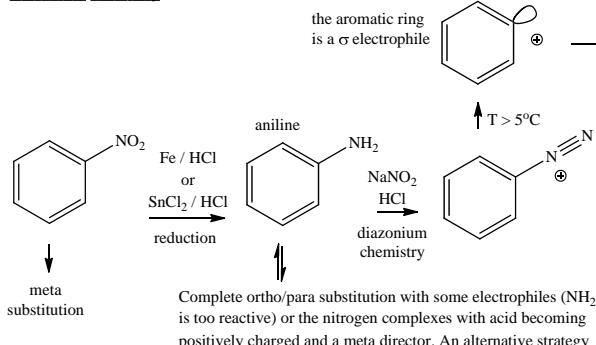
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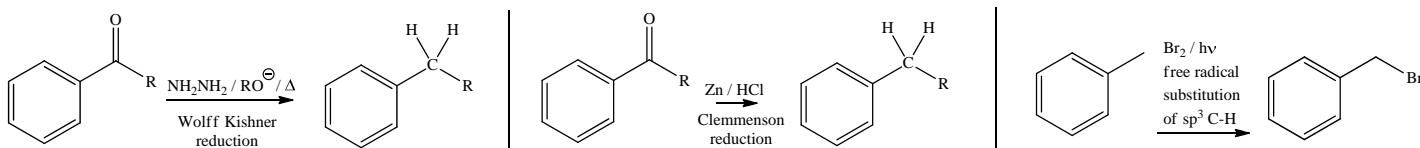
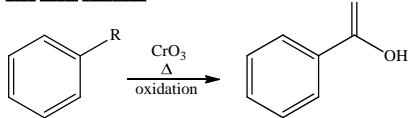
Reaction 4



Reaction 5

Diazonium chemistry

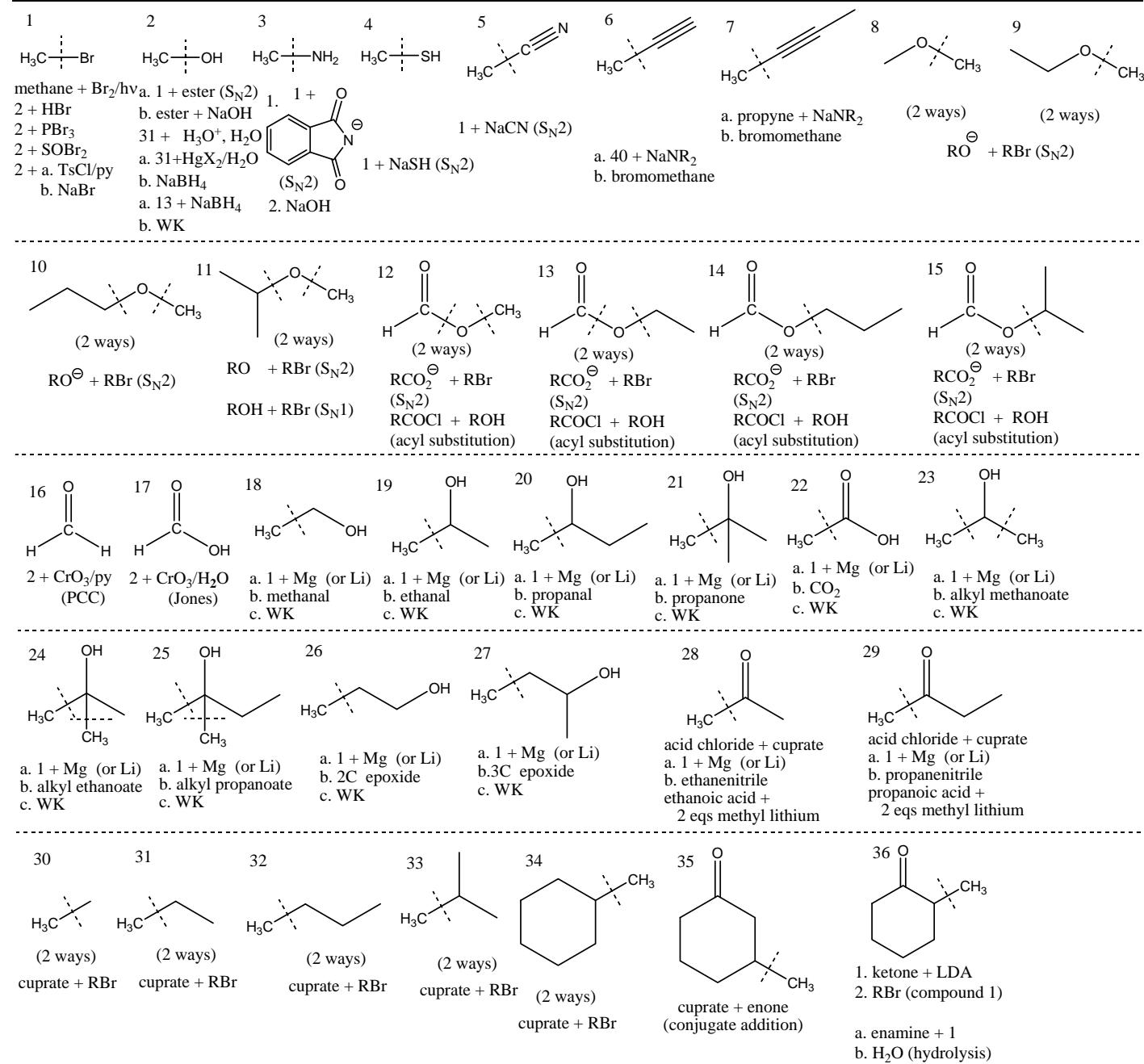
Diazonium chemistry provides our only route to some aromatic substituents, such as CN, I, OH and F. There are alternative options for Cl, Br and H. The polarity of the joining groups is completely backwards from the other aromatic reactions. The aromatic ring is the electrophile.

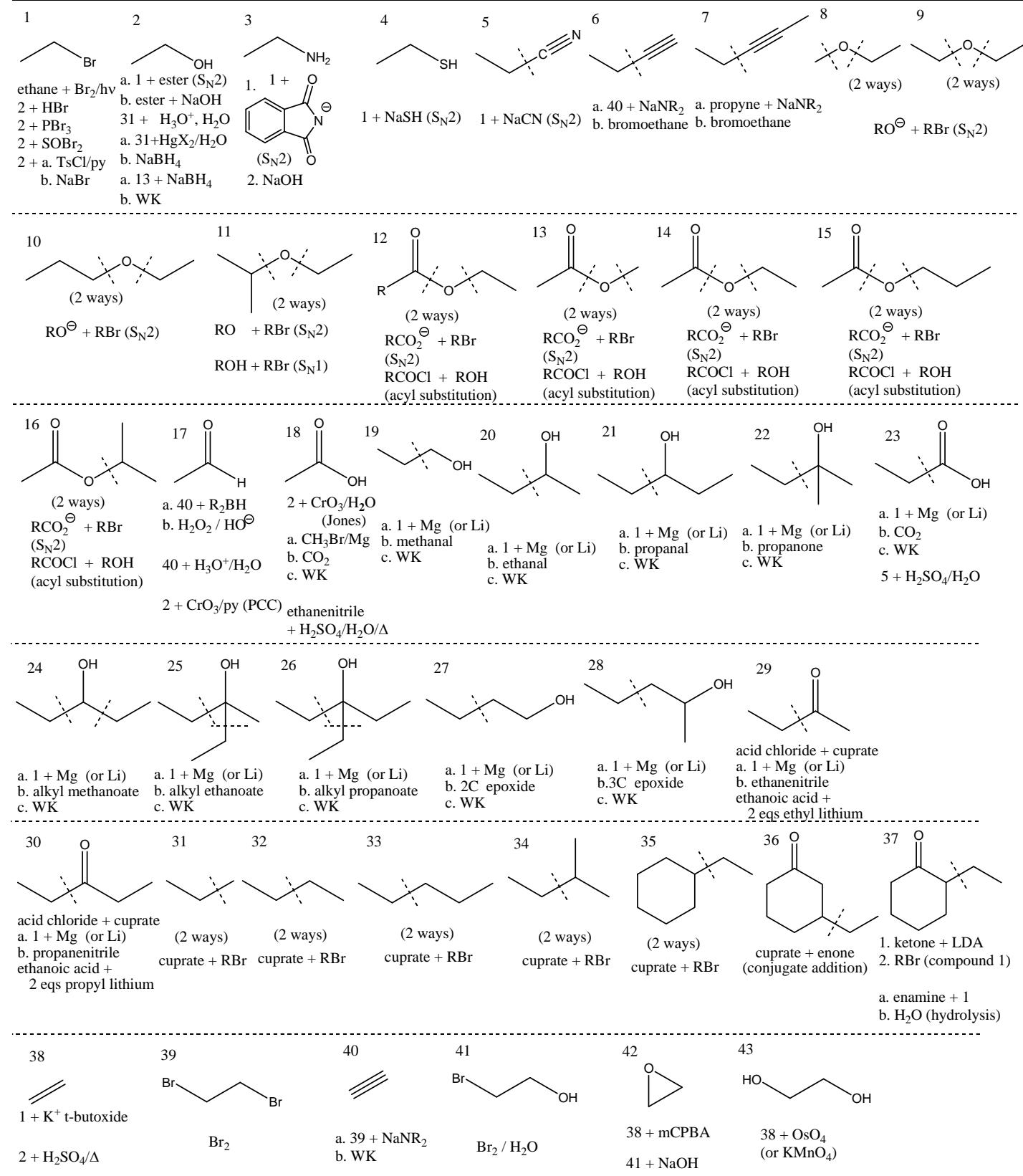
Side chain reactions

Propose synthetic reactions for the indicated target structures from the given starting materials. Show the starting material (methane, ethane and propane), a reaction arrow with the reagent and a product for each synthetic step of your synthesis. If a compound has been prepared earlier you do not need to remake it (just refer to the part where you made it). Common organic reagents may be used as needed. Additional “carbon” compounds available include bromobenzene, cyclohexane, carbon dioxide and sodium cyanide.

1. Given starting material = methane, (CH_4)

Target molecules (the part from methane has the “C” written out).

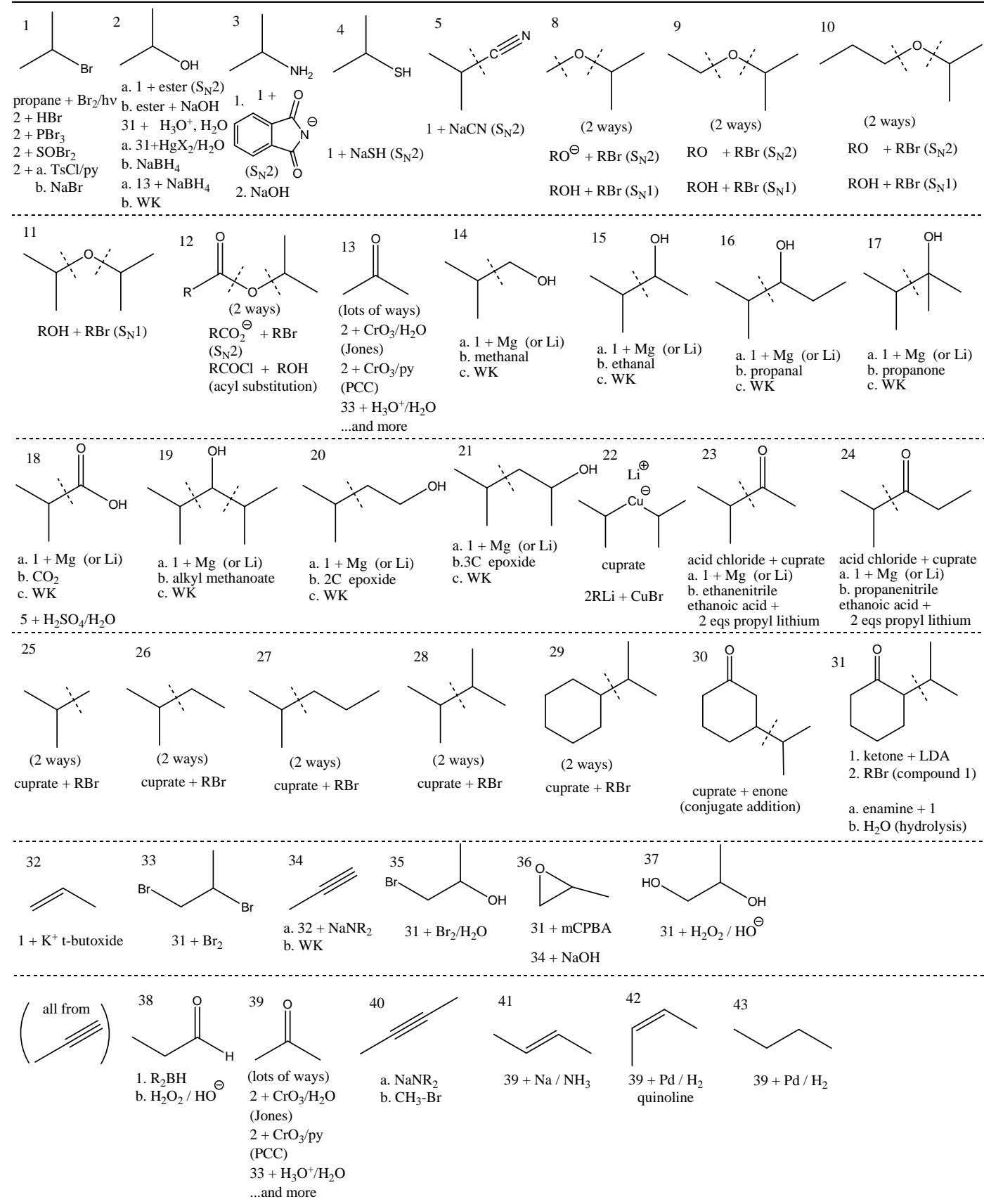


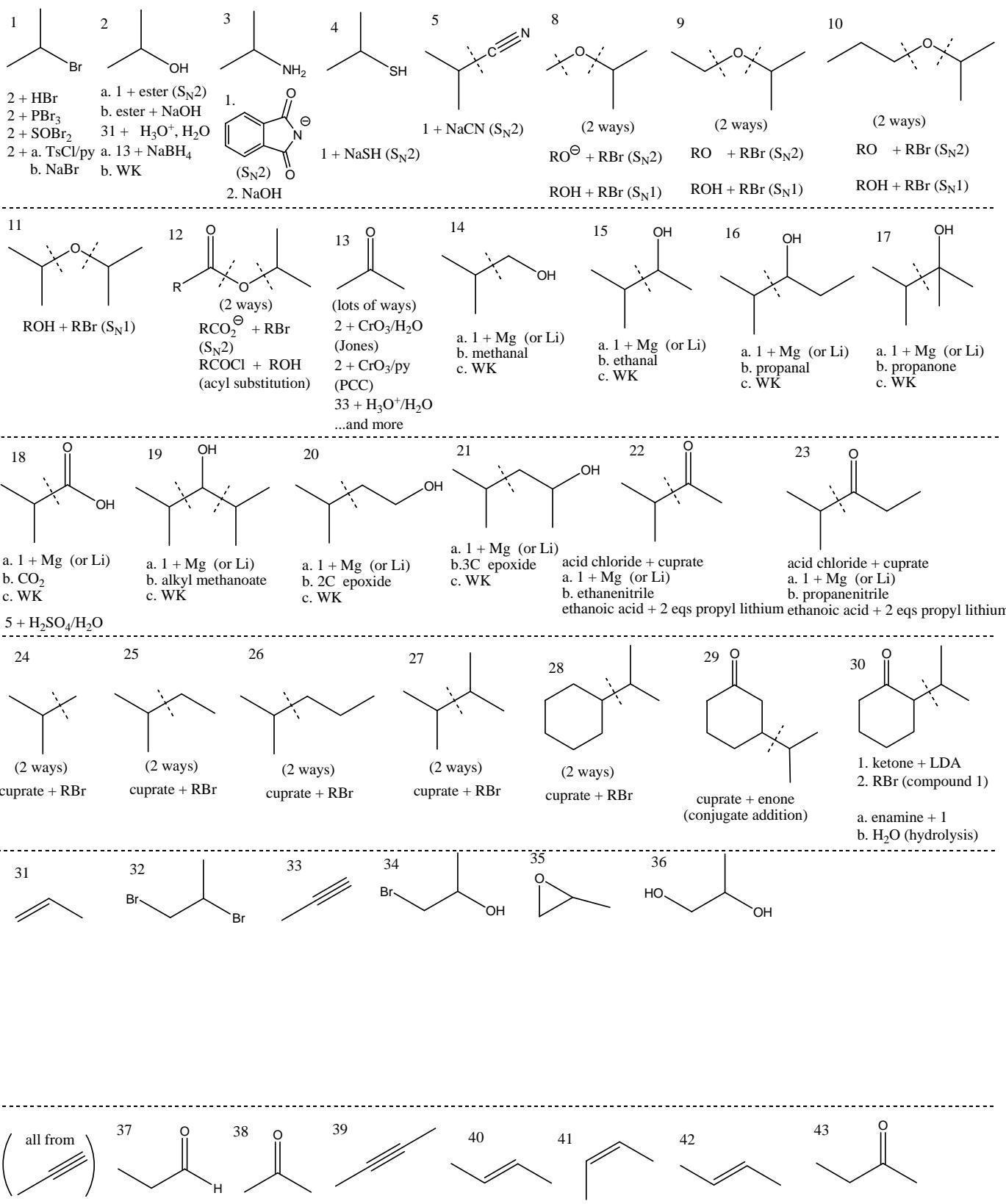
2. Given starting material = ethane, (CH_3CH_3)

Wittig =
 methanal + ylid

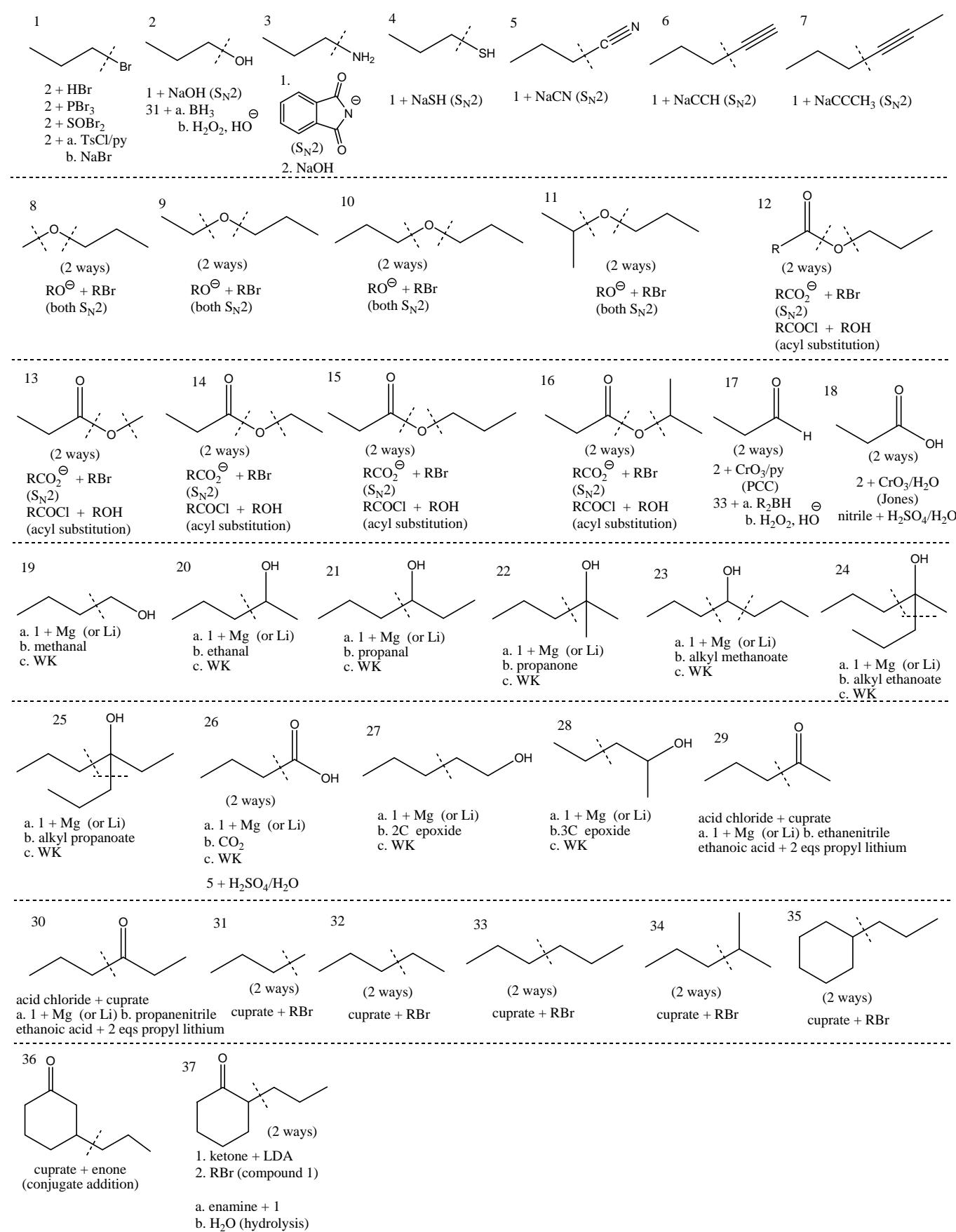
3. Given starting material = propane, ($\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3$)

a.



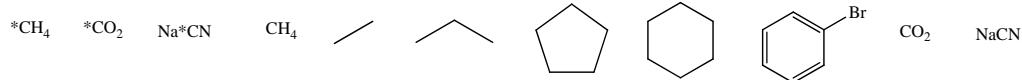


b.

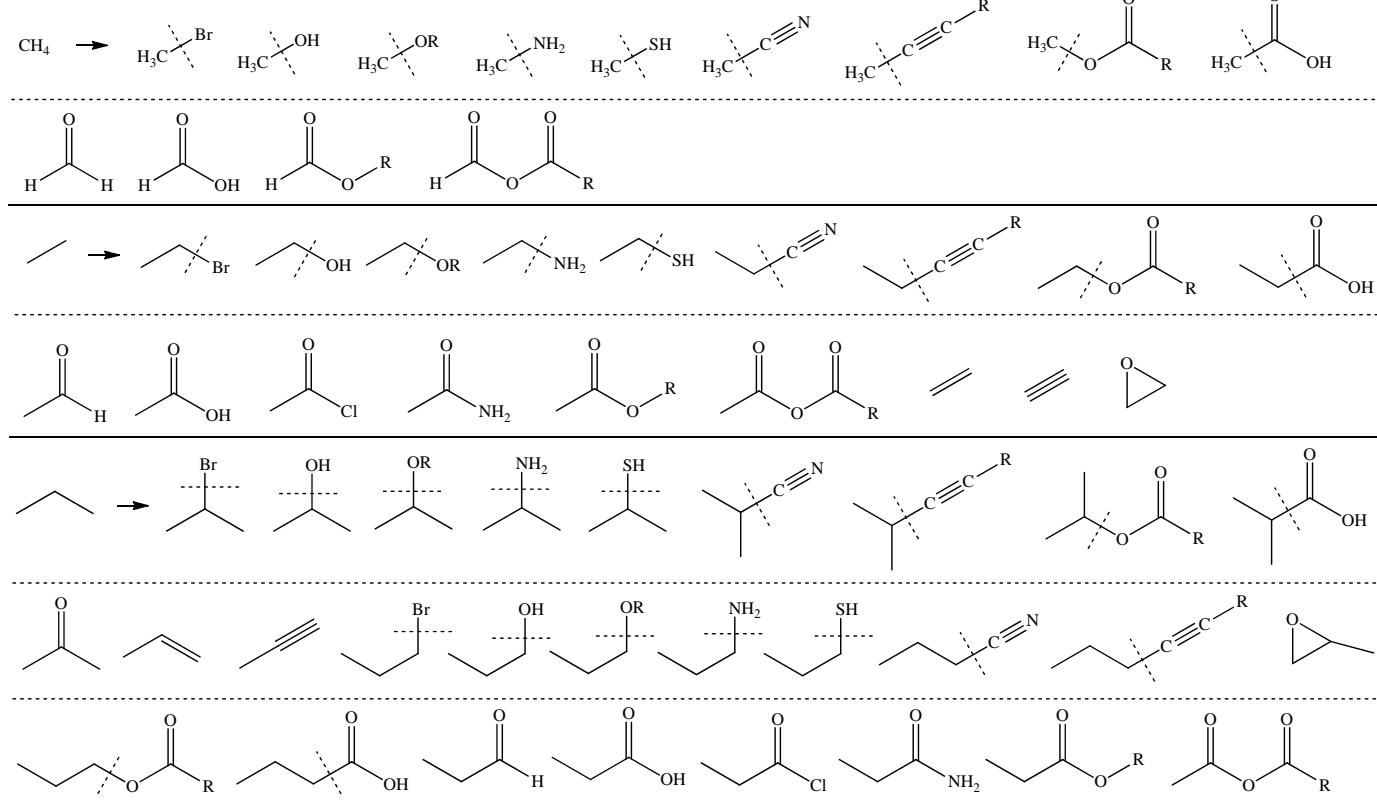


Propose a synthesis for the following compounds using only $^{14}\text{CH}_4$, Na^{14}CN , and $^{14}\text{CO}_2$ as your source of radioactive ^{14}C isotope. Bromobenzene, methane, ethane, propane and cyclohexane are also available. Work backwards from the target. The last step of the synthesis should be your first step. Show the reagents and reactant for each backwards step until you reach one of the ^{14}C compounds above and the other allowed starting structures. If a specific functional group or type of reaction is listed, try to use that group or reaction in your synthesis. For many of the target structures, there is more than one possible approach and for some there may be several possible approaches. Any approach is acceptable for this problem as long as the steps are reasonable and any necessary conditions are met. Do not show mechanisms.

Allowed ^{14}C precursors: Use any typical reagents from our course and limited sources of carbon.

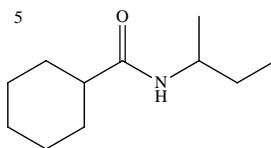
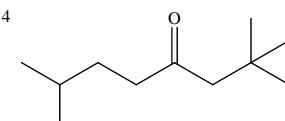
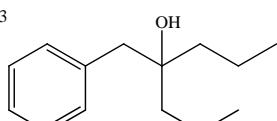
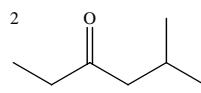
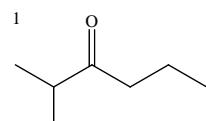


Other possible structures that can be made in a small number of steps.



Synthetic Targets

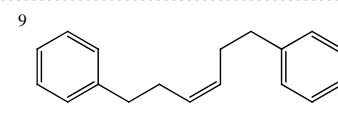
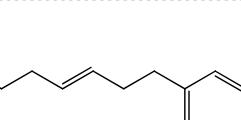
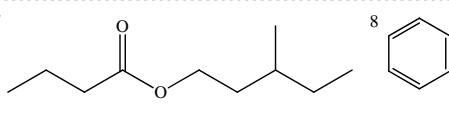
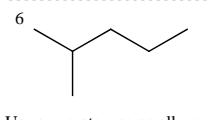
Put "*" at various carbon positions to make problems more challenging (* = ^{14}C).



Use an acid chloride, use a nitrile, use a carboxylic acid, use a 2° alcohol, use an alkyne, use an epoxide, use an alkene.

There are many approaches to ketones. $7\text{C} = 3+3+1$ or $3+2+2$ or something else.

Use the Gabriel amine syn, use an azide, use cyanide, use CO_2 , use a primary alcohol. Can you make this into a 2° amine?

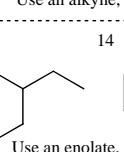
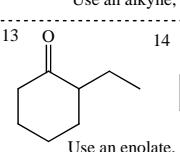
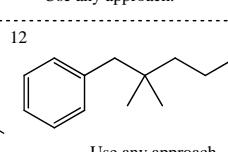
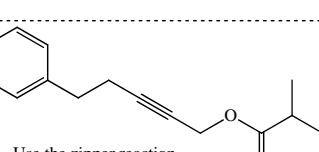
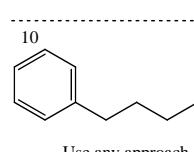


Use a cuprate, use an alkyne.

Use any approach.

Use any approach.

Use an alkyne, use the Wittig reaction.



Use any approach.

Use the zipper reaction.

Use any approach.

Use an enolate, use an enamine.

Use an imine.