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| Problem | Points | Credit |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1. Nomenclature (one structure) | 25 |  |
| 2. 2D Lewis structure (large structure with possible formal charge) | 20 |  |
| 3. 3D Structures, Formal Charge, Resonance, Curved Arrows, Hybridization | 30 |  |
| 4. Thermodynamics, Conformations, Configurations, Stereoisomers, Energy Diagram, Newman Projections | 37 |  |
| 5. Stereochemisty Questions | 27 |  |
| 6. Physical Properties or Bond Energies and Common Names | 15 |  |
| 7. Acid/Base Chemistry (arrow pushing, explanation) | 28 |  |
| 8. $S_{\mathrm{N}}$ and E mechanisms, including stereochemical details | 46 |  |
| 9. RX compounds in $\mathrm{S}_{\mathrm{N}}$ and E reactions, including stereochemistry details, | 33 |  |
| Total | 261 |  |

This is a long exam. It has been designed so that no one question will make or break you. You are not expected to completely finish the exam. The best strategy is to work steadily, starting with those problems you understand best. Make sure you show all of your work. Draw in any lone pairs of electrons, formal charge and curved arrows to show electron movement. Do you best to show me what you know in the time available.

1. Provide an acceptable name for the following structure. Indicate the absolute configuration of any chiral centers shown in three dimensional form (R/S) and any E/Z stereogenic centers. (25 pts)

2. Draw an acceptable 2D Lewis structure for the following formula. Indicate any formal charges present. (20 pts)
overall $\oplus$ formal charge
$\checkmark 6$ carbon ring present
$\mathrm{OHCCHOHCH} 2 \mathrm{CCCH} \mathrm{C}\left(\mathrm{CH}_{3}\right) \mathrm{COCH}\left(\mathrm{NO}_{2}\right) \mathrm{C}\left(\mathrm{CH}_{3}\right)_{2} \mathrm{C}_{6} \mathrm{H}_{4} \mathrm{CH}\left(\mathrm{OCH}_{3}\right) \mathrm{CON}\left(\mathrm{CH}_{3}\right) \mathrm{CH}_{2} \mathrm{CO}_{2} \mathrm{CH}\left(\mathrm{NH}_{3}\right) \mathrm{COCl}$
formal charge in this group
3. First, draw three other 2D resonance structures to quench any formal charge present. Include proper curved arrow conventions, including lone pairs and formal charge. Rank your structures from best (= 1) to poorest. Draw a three-dimensional Lewis structure of "A" and the best other resonance structure. Show $\sigma$ bonds as lines, wedges and dashes and the p orbitals in $\pi$ bonds as well as any orbitals holding lone pairs. Draw 2 dots for lone pair and $\pi$ bond electrons. Use structure A to fill in the table at the bottom. Assume that all nonhydrogens atoms have full octets, unless a carbocation is written. ( 30 pts )

A
B
C
D
3D (A)
3D (best other)
Use structure A to fill in the following table.
Hybridization Angles Shape \#o bonds \#n bonds \# lone pairs
a
b
c
d
e
f
4. a. Draw both chair conformations of cis-1,2-diethylcyclohexane and trans-1,2-diethylcyclohexane. Indicate which conformation is more stable in each pair. Which conformation, overall, is most and least stable? What is the absolute configuration of all stereogenic atoms in chair 1 ? (16 pts)

b. Write a balanced combustion equation for any isomer of 1,2-diethylcyclohexane. (2 pts)
c. The heats of combustion of carbon graphite (per mole) and hydrogen ( $\mathrm{H}_{2}$ ) are -94.0 and $-57.8 \mathrm{kcal} / \mathrm{mole}$, respectively. Given that the heats of combustion of cis-1,2-diethylcyclohexane and trans-1,2-diethylcyclohexane are -1467.1 and -1465.2 , respectively, calculate the heat of formation, $\Delta H^{\circ}$, for each of these isomers. Show all work and analysis clearly, so that I can understand your logic in solving this problem. Sketch a very simple diagram showing the zero reference point, heat of formation and heat of combustion for one of the isomers. Indicate what structures would be drawn at each of those energy points. (10 pts)
show work:

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\begin{gathered}
\text { Ref }=0 \\
\\
\\
\uparrow \\
\operatorname{PE} \\
\mid
\end{gathered}
$$

d. Use the thermodynamic data from part $c$ and the most stable conformation of the cis and trans isomers to estimate the energy of an axial ethyl in a cylclohexane ring. Briefly, show your reasoning for the value provided. (3 pts)
e. Use the second most stable conformation from part a and draw a Newman projection using bonds $\mathrm{C}_{2} \rightarrow \mathrm{C}_{1}$ and $\mathrm{C}_{4} \rightarrow \mathrm{C}_{5}$ for your structure (or... $\mathrm{C}_{1} \rightarrow \mathrm{C}_{2}$ and $\mathrm{C}_{5} \rightarrow \mathrm{C}_{4}$ ). Point out any gauche relationships in the branches and/or the ring. (6 pts)

Newman projection of the second most stable conformation from part a
5. For the following set of Fischer projections answer each of the questions below by circling the appropriate letter(s) or letter combination(s). Hint: Redraw the Fischer projections having the longest carbon chain in the vertical direction and having similar atoms in the top and bottom portion. Classify all chiral centers in the first structure as R or S absolute configuration. (15 pts)


A


B


C


D


E
a. Which are meso?
b. Which is not an isomer with the others?

| $A$ | $B$ | $C$ | $D$ | $E$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $A$ | $B$ | $C$ | $D$ | $E$ |

c. Which pairs are enantiomers?
d. Which pairs are identical?
$A B \quad A C \quad A D \quad A E \quad B C \quad B D \quad B E \quad C D ~ C E ~ D E$
e. Which pairs are diastereomers?
$A B \quad A C \quad A D \quad A E \quad B C \quad B D \quad B E \quad C D \quad C E ~ D E$
$A B \quad A C \quad A D \quad A E \quad B C \quad B D \quad B E \quad C D \quad C E \quad D E$
f. Which would not rotate plane polarized light when mixed in a 50/50 ratio?
$A B \quad A C \quad A D \quad A E \quad B C \quad B D \quad B E \quad C D ~ C E ~ D E$
g. Draw a Fischer projection of any stereoisomers of 2,3,4-trichloropentane which are not shown above. If there are none, indicate this. (4 pts)
h. Briefly, what would happen in the above structures if the top Cl was switched with a Br ? You don't have to redo the problem, but do show at least one example where the problem would change. (4 pts)
i. A sesterterpene ( 25 carbons) was discovered from a small tree in the Himalayas of Nepal (Org. Lett. p.4139, 2004). It is used as an insecticidal agent. Circle all chiral centers and calculate the maximum number of stereoisomers possible. (4 pts)

leucosesterterpenone - naturally occuring sesterpenoid (circle all chiral centers)
maximum number of stereoisomers possible? $\qquad$ (show set-up for calculation)
6. Indicate the bond energy between the two atoms indicated. Use the specific bond energy table provided on the last page. Write the common nomenclature term of each carbon group about the bond energy requested. Draw an arrow to any part of any structure to indicate where a methyl, methylene, methine, primary, secondary, tertiary and quaternary carbon is located. A table of bond energies is provided on the last page ( 12 pts )
a

indicated bond energy = $\qquad$
fragment $\mathrm{a}=$ $\qquad$
fragment $\mathrm{b}=$ $\qquad$
b. Estimate the pi bond energy in an alkyne pi bond. (3 pts)

indicated bond energy = $\qquad$
fragment $\mathrm{a}=$ $\qquad$
fragment $\mathrm{b}=$ $\qquad$
7. The following molecule can act as either an acid or a base (it's amphiprotic). Use a general acid, HA, and show the molecule acting as a base at its most basic site. Use a general base, B:, and show the molecule reacting as an acid at its most acidic site. Use curved arrows to show the flow of electrons and include formal charge and lone pairs. Draw all resonance structures important to the conjugate acid or base. Provide an explanation for why your answers are the "best" choices. (28 pts)
a. reaction in acid, HA

b. reaction in base, B :

8. Use 3S-bromo-4R-methylhexane to provide a simple, arrow-pushing mechanism for each of the following reaction conditions (show curved arrows, lone pairs \& formal charge). Fill in the necessary details to clearly indicate any stereochemical features and/or conformational requirements. If reactants are not drawn in the proper orientation to show how the reaction must proceed, then redraw them in a more informative way that shows this. (46 pts)
a. Draw a 2D structure and then a 3D structure of the reacting molecule. A 3D structure will be provided for the cost of the points of this part. (3 pts)


2D structure 3D structure of 3S-bromo-4R-methylhexane
b. Show the $\mathrm{S}_{\mathrm{N}}$ reaction (what kind?), indicate absolute configuration of all chiral centers. (6 pts)


$\mathrm{C}_{\beta 1}=\mathrm{C}_{2}, \mathrm{C}_{\alpha}=\mathrm{C}_{3}, \mathrm{C}_{\beta 2}=\mathrm{C}_{4}$
c. Show all possible E reaction products (what kind?). Indicate if $\mathrm{E}, \mathrm{Z}$ or neither. (15 pts)
$\mathrm{H}-\ddot{\mathrm{O}}$ :


$\mathrm{H}-\stackrel{\ddot{O}}{-}$ :

d. Show the $S_{N}$ reaction (what kind?), indicate absolute configuration of all chiral centers. (6 pts)

e. Show all possible E reaction products. Indicate if $E, Z$ or neither. If multiple products are formed between two atoms, you can show a single mechanism and just draw the additional possible products. (16 pts)
redraw intermediate from 8d (above)

redraw intermediate from 8d (above)
$\xrightarrow{\mathrm{H}-\ddot{\mathrm{O}}-\mathrm{H}}$
9. Predict all possible $S_{N}$ product(s). Only predict the major E product. State whether $\mathrm{S}_{\mathrm{N}}$ or E is major, minor or they are about the same. Finally, state by what mechanism(s) each product was formed. (33 pts)
a.




f.


h.

i.

j.



Typical Bond Energies for Common Substitution Patterns Found in Organic Chemistry (X-Y)

| $\mathrm{Y}=$ | H- | Me- | $\begin{aligned} & \left(1^{0}\right) \\ & \text { Et- } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} \left(2^{\circ}\right) \\ \mathrm{i}-\mathrm{Pr}- \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{array}{r} \left(3^{0}\right) \\ \mathrm{t} \text {-Bu- } \\ \hline \end{array}$ | ohenyl) Ph- | F- | Cl- | Br- | I- | HO- | $\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{~N}$ - | N 三C- |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| X = |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{CH}_{3}- \\ & \text { methyl (Me-) } \end{aligned}$ | 105 | 90 | 86 | 86 | 84 | 102 | 110 | 85 | 71 | 57 | 93 | 85 | 122 |
| $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{CH}_{3} \mathrm{CH}_{2}{ }^{-} \\ & \text {primary (Et-) } \end{aligned}$ | 98 | 86 | 82 | 81 | 79 | 98 | 108 | 80 | 68 | 53 | 92 | 82 | 118 |
| $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{CH}_{3} \mathrm{CH}_{2} \mathrm{CH}_{2}- \\ & \text { primary (Pr-) } \end{aligned}$ | 98 | 86 | 82 | 80 | 79 | 98 | 107 | 81 | 68 | 53 | 92 | 82 | 117 |
| $\begin{aligned} & \left(\mathrm{CH}_{3}\right)_{2} \mathrm{CH}- \\ & \text { secondary (i-Pr-) } \end{aligned}$ | 95 | 86 | 81 | 79 | 76 | 96 | 106 | 80 | 68 | 54 | 93 | 82 | 116 |
| $\begin{aligned} & \left(\mathrm{CH}_{3}\right)_{3} \mathrm{C}- \\ & \text { tertiary (t-Bu-) } \end{aligned}$ | 93 | 84 | 79 | 76 | 71 | 93 | 110 | 80 | 67 | 52 | 93 | 82 | - |
| $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{C}_{6} \mathrm{H}_{5} \\ & \text { phenyl (Ph-) } \end{aligned}$ | 111 | 102 | 97 | 96 | 93 | 115 | 126 | 96 | 80 | 65 | 111 | 102 | 131 |
| $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{C}_{6} \mathrm{H}_{5} \mathrm{CH}_{2-} \\ & \text { benzyl (Bn-) } \end{aligned}$ | 88 | 76 | 72 | 71 | 70 | 90 | - | 72 | 58 | 48 | 81 | 71 | - |
| $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{CH}_{2}=\mathrm{CHCH}_{2^{-}} \\ & \text {allyl (al-) } \end{aligned}$ | 86 | 74 | 70 | 70 | 67 | - | - | 68 | 54 | 41 | 78 | - | - |
| $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{CH}_{3} \mathrm{CO}- \\ & \text { acyl (Ac-) } \end{aligned}$ | 86 | 81 | 76 | 74 | 72 | 94 | 119 | 81 | 66 | 49 | 107 | - | - |
| $\mathrm{CH}_{3} \mathrm{CH}_{2} \mathrm{O}-$ <br> alkoxy | 104 | 83 | 82 | - | - | 101 | - | - | - | - | 44 | - | - |
| $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{CH}_{2}=\mathrm{CH}- \\ & \text { vinyl } \end{aligned}$ | 110 | 100 | 96 | 95 | 90 | 103 | - | 90 | 78 | - | - | - | 130 |
| H-hydrogen- | 104 | 105 | 98 | 95 | 93 | 111 | 136 | 103 | 88 | 71 | 119 | 107 | 125 |

## Average Bond Energies (kcal/mole)

|  | H | C | Si | N | O | S | F | Cl | Br | I | Bond Energy for multiple bonds |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| H | 104 | 98 | 76 | 92 | 109 | 83 | 135 | 103 | 87 | 71 |  |  |
| C |  | 81 | 72 | 66 | 79 | 65 | 116 | 79 | 66 | 52 |  |  |
| Si |  |  | - | - | 108 | - | 135 | 91 | 74 | 56 | $\mathrm{C}=\mathrm{C}$ | 146 |
| N |  |  |  | 39 | 39 | - | 65 | 46 | - | - | $\mathrm{C}=\mathrm{N}$ | 147 |
| O |  |  |  |  | 34 | - | 45 | 52 | 48 | 56 | $\mathrm{C}=\mathrm{N}$ | 147 |
| S |  |  |  |  |  | 60 | - | 61 | 52 | - | $\mathrm{C}=\mathrm{O}$ | 176 |
| F |  |  |  |  |  |  | 37 | - | - | - | $\mathrm{C}=\mathrm{C}$ | 200 |
| Cl |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 58 | - | - | $\mathrm{C}=\mathrm{C}$ | 200 |
| Br |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 46 | - | $\mathrm{C} \equiv \mathrm{N}$ | 213 |
| I |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 36 |  |  |

We study in youth, we understand with age. Okaa-san(Mom in Japanese)

Problems considered but not used on this exam.


Using the given formula, $\mathbf{C}_{9} \mathbf{H}_{\mathbf{7}} \mathbf{B r}$, draw an isomer which satisfies the given statement. Do not use any given isomer more than one time. If stereochemistry is important make sure you draw your structure so that its three dimensional nature is clearly indicated. Point out the feature of your structure that makes it consistent with the given statement. How many degrees of unsaturation are there? (30 pts)

| a. Undergoes fast $\mathrm{S}_{\mathrm{N}} 2$ reaction with $\mathrm{CH}_{3} \mathrm{O}^{\ominus} / \mathrm{CH}_{3} \mathrm{OH}$ | b. Undergoes fast $\mathrm{S}_{\mathrm{N}} 1$ reaction in $\mathrm{CH}_{3} \mathrm{OH}$ |
| :---: | :---: |
| c. Write the expected product from part a. | d. Write a possible $\mathrm{S}_{\mathrm{N}} 1$ product from part b. |
| e. Gives only one alkene in E2 reaction with $\mathrm{CH}_{3} \mathrm{O}^{\ominus} / \mathrm{CH}_{3} \mathrm{OH}$ | f. Reacts very slowly whether in $\mathrm{CH}_{3} \mathrm{O}^{\ominus} / \mathrm{CH}_{3} \mathrm{OH}$ or $\mathrm{CH}_{3} \mathrm{OH}$ |
| g. Write the expected product from part e. | h. Write a possible E1 product from part b. |
| i. Undergoes E2 reaction but not $\mathrm{S}_{\mathrm{N}} 2$ reaction in $\mathrm{CH}_{3} \mathrm{O}^{\Theta} / \mathrm{CH}_{3} \mathrm{OH}$ | j. Can reasonably react by all four mechanisms ( $\mathrm{S}_{\mathrm{N}} 2, \mathrm{E} 2, \mathrm{~S}_{\mathrm{N}} 1$, E1) |
| k. A reactive allylic structure in $\mathrm{S}_{\mathrm{N}} 2$ reactions | 1. Can exist as an enantiomer (also draw the enantiomer) |
| m. Can exist as a diastereomer (show a diastereomer) | n. Is a meso structure (show a stereoisomer) |

