

Chem 314

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Midterm Exam
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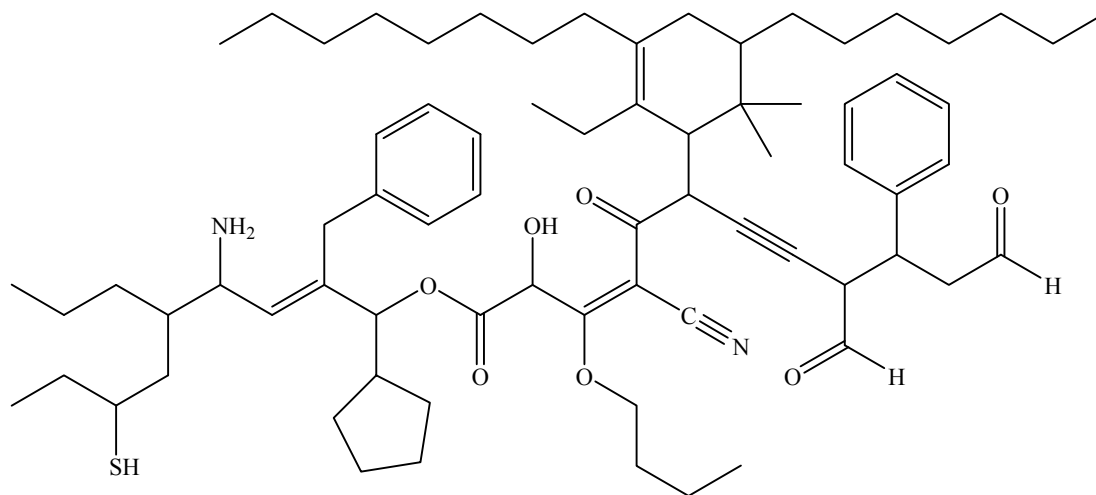
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Problem	Points	Credit
1. Nomenclature	30	
2. 2D Lewis structures	20	
3. 3D Structures, Formal Charge & Resonance	34	
4. Physical Properties or Functional Groups & degree of unsaturation	21	
5. Molecular Orbital Diagram or Special Nomenclature Terms	15	
6. Thermodynamics, Bond Energies & Reactions	30	
7. Conformations, Energy (Cyclohexane chairs), Newman Projections	25	
8. Conformations, Energy (Chains), Newman Projections	25	
Total	200	

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 wherever necessary. Only write in the space available. Also, consider the point values in your choice of questions. Do your best to show me what you know in the available time.

The important thing is this: To be able at any moment to sacrifice what we are for what we could become.
Charles DuBois

1. Provide an acceptable name for the following structure. (30 pts)



2. Draw an acceptable 2D Lewis structure for the following formula. Indicate any formal charges present, all lone pair electrons and completely draw out all atoms (e.g. do not write CH_3). (20 pts)

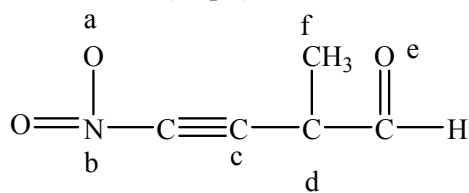
six carbon ring



has formal charge



3. First, draw three other reasonable 2D resonance structures that delocalize the **most** unstable charge that is present. Include proper arrow conventions. Rank your structures from best (= 1) to poorest. Draw a three-dimensional Lewis structure for the given representation and the best resonance structure among B, C and D. Show σ bonds as lines, wedges and dashes and the p orbitals in π bonds, as well as any orbitals holding lone pairs. Draw two dots for lone pair and pi bond electrons. Indicate any formal charge present and give the hybridization, bond angles and shape of each **labeled** nonhydrogen atom (below). **Assume that all non-hydrogen atoms have full octets, unless a carbocation is written.** (34 pts)



A

B \updownarrow 

D

C

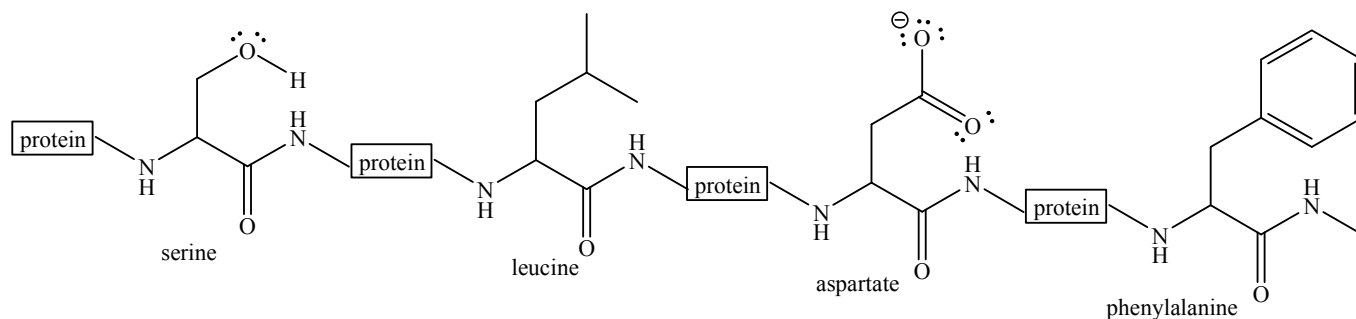
3D (A)

3D (best other)

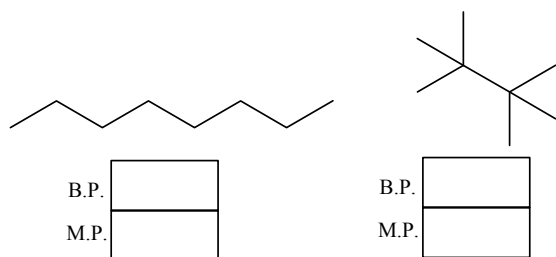
Use structure A to fill in the following table.

	Hybridization	Angles	Shape	# σ bonds	# π bonds	lone pairs
a						
b						
c						
d						
e						
f						

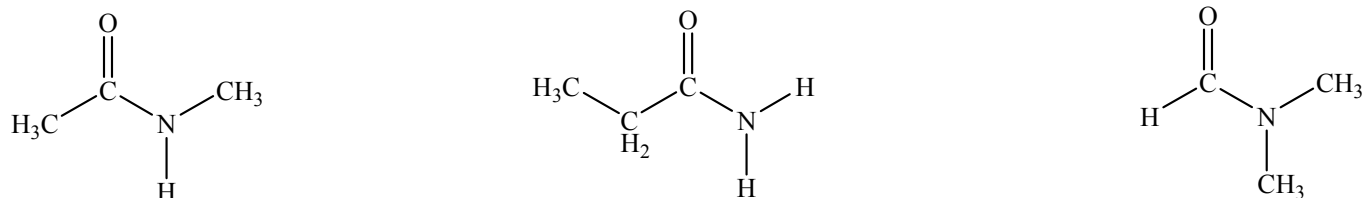
4. a. Hydrophobic lipid bilayers are a large component of cell membranes. They help separate the aqueous environments of blood and cytosol. There are many proteins embedded in the cell membrane, pointing outward toward the blood, inward toward the cytosol or completely spanning the membrane. Four of the 20 common amino acids making up proteins are shown below. State whether you would expect each amino acid to prefer the hydrophobic cell membrane or the aqueous cytosol/blood environment. Explain your reasoning. (7 pts)



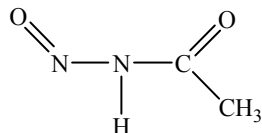
- b. Match the melting points and boiling points with the given structures and provide a very brief explanation. Your matches must be completely correct. Temperatures = -57°C , 100°C , 106°C and 125°C . (7 pts)



- c. Match the boiling points with the compounds and provide a very brief explanation. Temperatures = 152°C , 205°C , 213°C . (7 pts)

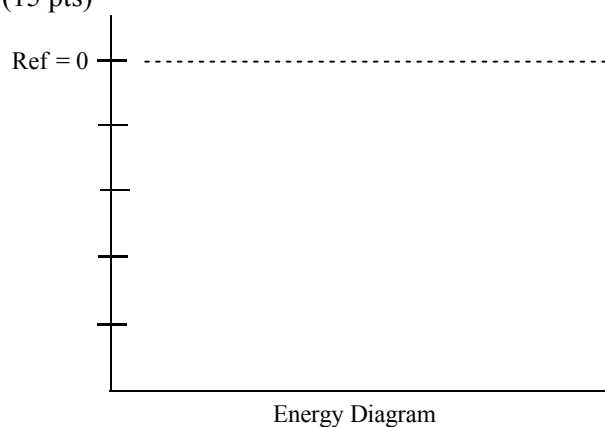


5. Draw a qualitative molecular orbital diagram for the following molecule. Include all sigma bonds to hydrogen together at the same energy. Include all other sigma bonds together at a different energy (assume these are stronger bonds). Include all pi bonds together at a different (and appropriate) energy. Also, place nonbonding electrons at an appropriate energy. Label your molecular orbitals with σ , σ^* , π , π^* and n , along with identifying subscripts that show what bonded atoms they represent. Identify the HOMO and LUMO orbitals (15 pts)



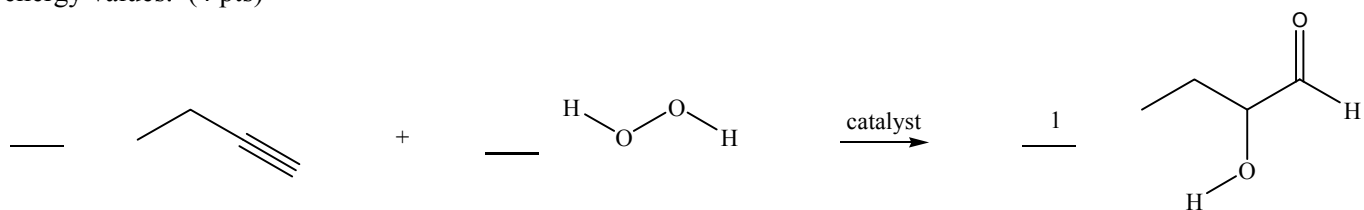
6. a. The heat of combustion of **2-hydroxybutanal** is -509.7 kcal/mole. Write an equation for this reaction. Limited heats of formation are also provided below. Use this information to calculate a heat of formation for **2-hydroxybutanal**. Draw an energy diagram that includes the zero energy reference point, the various other energy values and the compounds associated with them. Show your work. (15 pts)

Combustion Equation



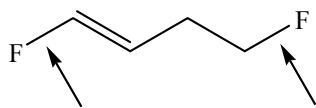
	ΔH_f° (kcal/mole)
CO ₂	-94.0
H ₂ O	-57.8
H ₂ O ₂	-32.5
	+39.5

b. Balance the following equation and calculate the heat of reaction. Clearly show your set up and the appropriate energy values. (4 pts)



c. Calculate the same heat of reaction, as in part b, using the **average** bond energies at the end of this exam. How does this value compare to that of part b? (6 pts)

d. Determine the bond energies of the C-F bonds below (use the specific substitution pattern bond energy table at the end of this exam). Provide a possible explanation for any differences. (5 pts)

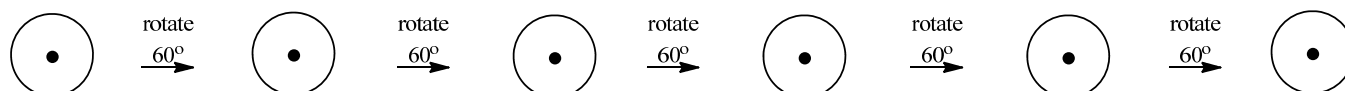


B.E. = _____ B.E. = _____

8. a. Use a Newman projection of the C3→C2 bond of 3-ethyl-2,4-dimethyl-2-phenylpentane to show the conformations and relative energies. **Show the most stable conformation first.** Rotate through all of the eclipsed and staggered conformations. Use the energy values provided below to calculate the relative energies of the different conformations. Hint: Draw a 2D structure first, "bold" the bond viewed in your Newman projection and sight down the correct direction. (structure provided for 2 points) (21 pts)

2D structure

most stable conformation



$\Delta H^\circ =$

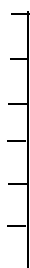
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Approximate Eclipsing Energy
Values (kcal/mole)

	H	Me	Et	i-Pr	t-Bu	Ph
H	1.0	1.3	1.4	1.6	3.0	1.7
Me	1.3	2.5	2.7	3.0	8.5	3.3
Et	1.4	2.7	3.3	4.5	10.0	3.8
i-Pr	1.6	3.0	4.5	7.8	13.0	8.1
t-Bu	3.0	8.5	10.0	13.0	23.0	13.5
Ph	1.7	3.3	3.8	8.1	13.5	8.3

Approximate Gauche Energy
Values (kcal/mole)

	H	Me	Et	i-Pr	t-Bu	Ph
H	0	0	0.1	0.2	0.5	0.2
Me	0	0.8	0.9	1.1	2.7	1.4
Et	0.1	0.9	1.1	1.6	3.0	1.5
i-Pr	0.2	1.1	1.6	2.0	4.1	2.1
t-Bu	0.5	2.7	3.0	4.1	8.2	3.9
Ph	0.2	1.4	1.5	2.1	3.9	2.3

$$\Delta G \approx \Delta H \quad K_{\text{eq}} = 10^{\frac{-\Delta H}{2.3RT}}$$

least stable conformation \rightleftharpoons most stable conformation

$\Delta H = ?$

- b. Calculate a $K_{\text{equilibrium}}$ between the least stable and most stable conformations. Assume $R = 2 \text{ cal}/(\text{mol}\cdot\text{K})$ and $T = 300 \text{ K}$. (4 pts)

Typical Substitution Pattern Bond Energy Table (X-Y \equiv bond) (* values in parentheses are estimated)

X	Y =	H-	Me-	Et-	i-Pr	t-Bu	Ph	F-	Cl-	Br-	I-	RO-	H ₂ N-	N \equiv C-
CH ₃ -methyl		103	88	85	84	81	101	110	85	71	57	(96)	87	116
CH ₃ CH ₂ -primary		98	85	82	81	78	99	110	82	70	54	(92)	87	114
(CH ₃) ₂ CH-secondary		95	84	81	79	74	97	109	81	69	54	(91)	86	112
(CH ₃) ₃ C-tertiary		93	81	78	74	68	94	(108)	80	66	51	(90)	85	(111)
CH ₂ =CHCH ₂ -allyl		88	75	72	71	67	(87)	(96)	70	56	42	82	75	(104)
C ₆ H ₅ CH ₂ -benzyl		85	73	71	70	67	83	94	68	55	40	79	72	(100)
CH ₂ =CH-vinyl		110	98	95	93	89	108	(124)	92	79	(63)	not stable	not stable	128
C ₆ H ₅ -phenyl		111	101	97	95	92	110	124	95	80	64	111	104	128
CH ₃ CO-acyl		87	81	78	76	72	93	119	82	68	51	107	95	not common
CH ₃ CH ₂ O-alkoxy		104	(96)	(92)	(91)	(90)	101	low	low	low	low	40	low	low
H-hydrogen		119	103	98	95	93	111	135	103	88	71	111	93	125

Average Bond Energies (kcal/mole) (1 kcal = 4.184 joules)

	H	C	Si	N	O	S	F	Cl	Br	I	P
H	104	99	76	93	111	81	135	103	88	71	77
C		83	76	82	92	65	110	81	68	52	70
Si			53	85	108	70	135	91	74	56	76
N				40	48	X	65	46	X	X	X
O					40	X	45	52	48	48	80
S						60	68	61	52	X	X
F							37	X	X	65	117
Cl								58	X	50	78
Br									46	42	63
I										36	44
P											48

Multiple Bond Energies

C=C	146	C \equiv C	200
C=N	147	C \equiv N	213
C=O	179	C \equiv O	258
C=S	137	N \equiv N	226
N=N	109	P \equiv P	117
N=O	143		
P=O	130		
O=O	118		
S=O	128		
S=S	102		
P=P	84		