

Chem 331, Spring 2006

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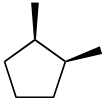
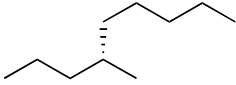

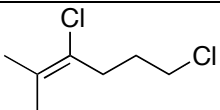
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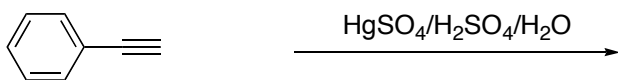
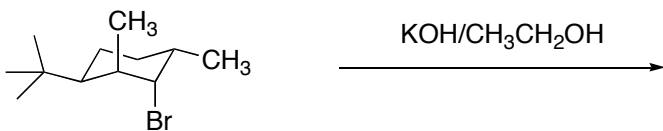
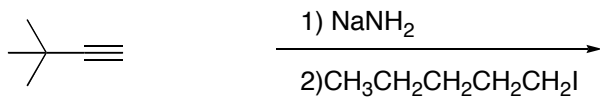
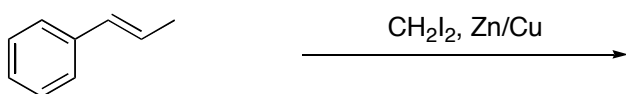
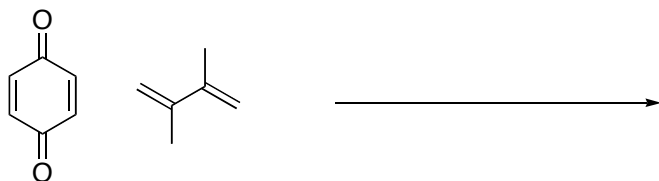
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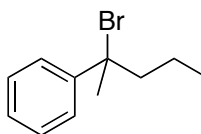
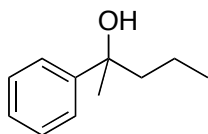
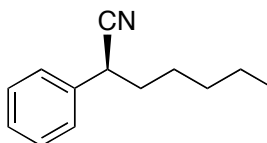
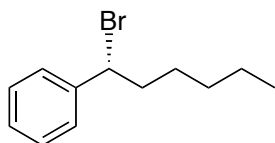
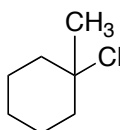
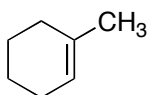
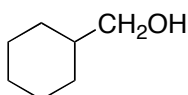
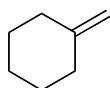
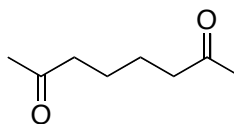
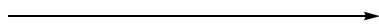
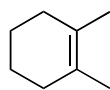
- I. 30 points. Nomenclature. Provide the name or structure, as appropriate. Remember to indicate stereochemistry (e.g., R/S, *cis/trans*, or *E/Z* in names and hash/wedge in drawings) as needed.

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| <p><i>m</i>-propylphenol</p> | <p><i>p</i>-nitrotoluene</p> |
| <p>(<i>Z</i>)-2-chloro-5-methyl-2-heptene</p> | <p>1,1,-diphenylcyclooctane</p> |
| <p>3-bromothiophene (The numbering system starts with S="1").</p> | <p>5-(2-methylpropyl)-1-decyne</p> |

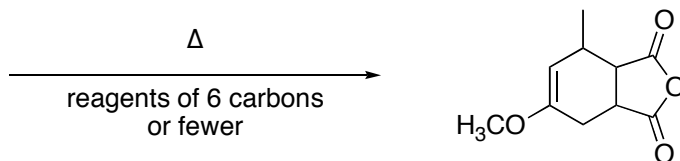
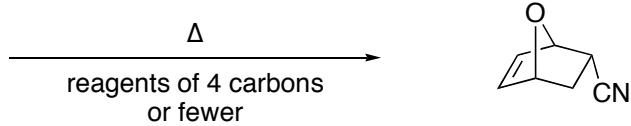
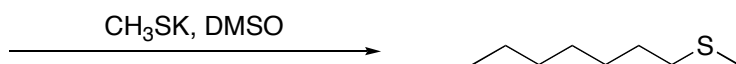
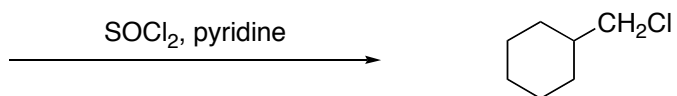
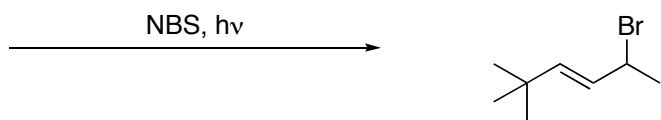
- II. 15 points, 3 points each. Provide structures corresponding to the major organic products. You do not need to indicate small-molecule byproducts like NaCl or H₂O.



III. 15 points, 3 points each. Provide reagents/conditions to carry out the following transformations. Reagents should contain 4 carbons or fewer. (You may use any appropriate solvent that isn't directly involved.)



IV. 15 points, 3 each. Provide starting materials that would give the indicated products under the given reaction conditions.



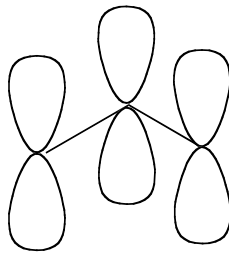
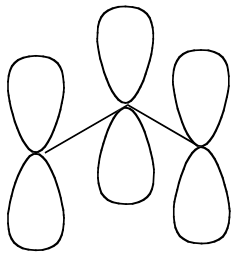
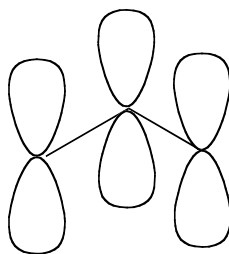
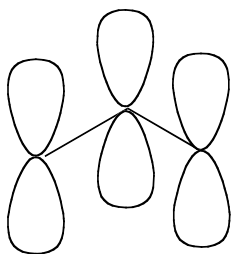
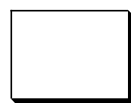
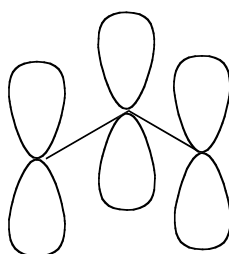
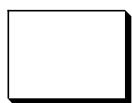
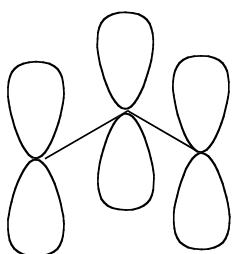
V. 21 points. Consider the allyl cation: $\text{H}_2\text{C}=\text{CH}-\text{CH}_2^+$.

How many π -type molecular orbitals are there in this three-carbon system? _____

How many electrons reside within this π -system? _____

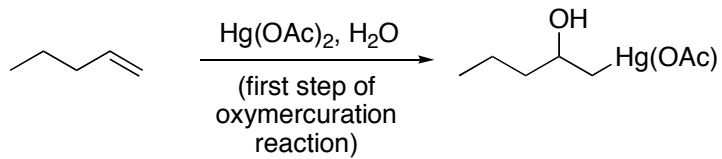
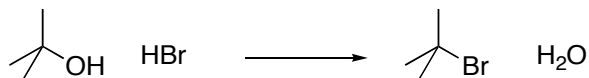
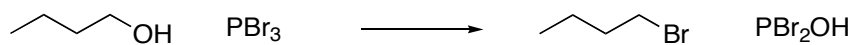
How many π -type orbitals will be filled? _____

Using the C-atom templates, sketch the molecular orbitals. (There may be more templates than you need.). Number them 1 through however-many-you-draw, with "1" being the lowest energy MO, 2 being the second-lowest energy MO, etc.

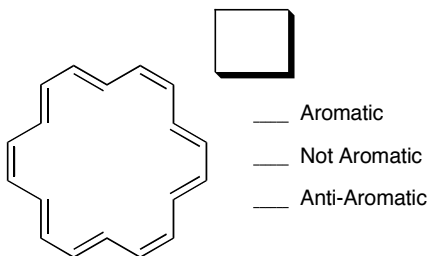
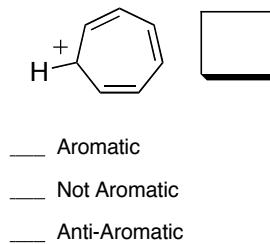
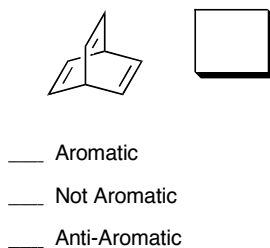
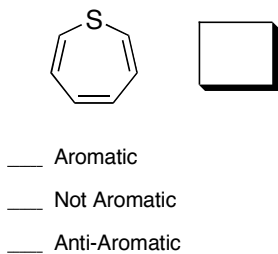
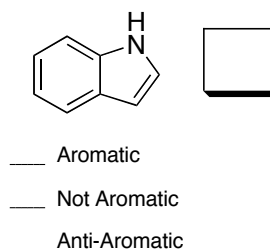
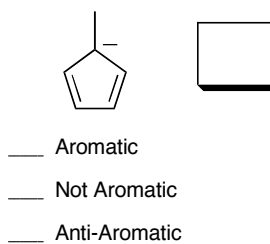
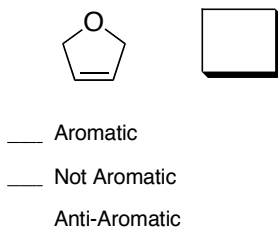
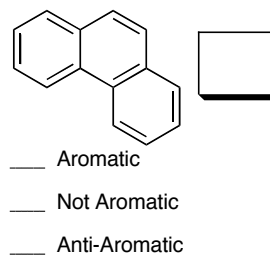
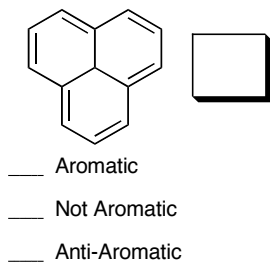
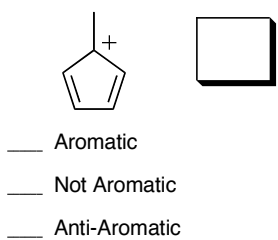


Indicate the filled MO(s) by circling.

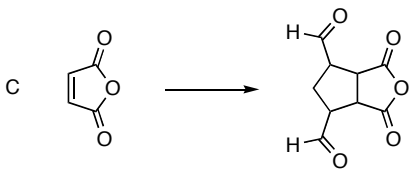
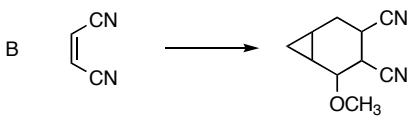
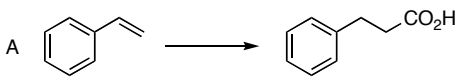
- VI. 20 points. Draw out reasonable arrow-pushing mechanisms for **TWO** of the reactions shown below. (If you do more than two, only the first two will be graded.)



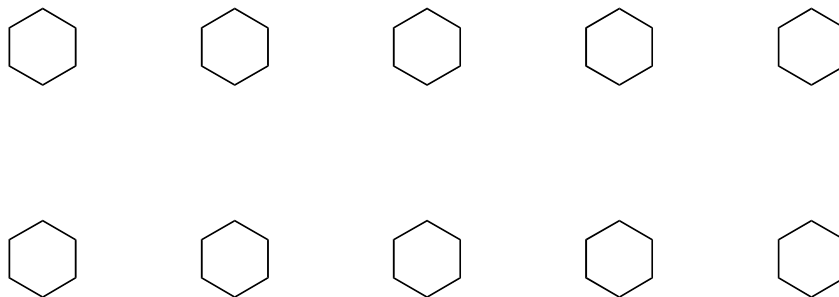
VII. 20 points. For each compound, indicate whether the molecule is aromatic, non-aromatic, or anti-aromatic (as drawn) by marking the appropriate line. *In the little boxes, write down the number of ^{13}C NMR signals the compound will have.*



VIII. 24 points. Synthesis. Show how the following transformations could be accomplished using reagents containing 5 carbons or fewer. *More than one reaction is required.*



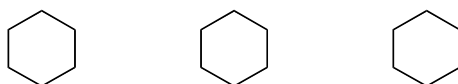
- IX. 20 points. There are 8 possible stereoisomers of 1-chloro-3-fluoro-5-methylcyclohexane. Using the templates below, draw them using hash and wedge notation. (There are a couple of extra templates in case you make a mistake and want to cross one or two out.)



Pick a pair of stereoisomers of 1-chloro-3-fluoro-5-methylcyclohexane that are enantiomers, and put a circle around each of them.

Pick a pair of stereoisomers of 1-chloro-3-fluoro-5-methylcyclohexane that are diastereomers, and put a triangle around each of them.

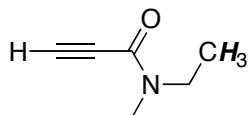
There are only two possible stereoisomers of 1,3,5-trichlorocyclohexane. Using the templates below, draw them using hash and wedge notation. (Again, there is an extra in case you make a mistake.)



Briefly explain why there are only two isomers. Why aren't there 8, like for the case of 1-chloro-3-fluoro-5-methylcyclohexane?

Put a square around every *meso* stereoisomer of 1-chloro-3-fluoro-5-methylcyclohexane and 1,3,5-trichlorocyclohexane.

X. 20 points. Consider the following molecule and provide appropriate answers:



- Indicate the hybridization (sp , sp^2 , sp^3) at each carbon atom.
- One methyl group has its H atoms indicated in bold-italic. What is the multiplicity of the ^1H NMR peak for that set of H's? (singlet, doublet, triplet, quartet, quintet, sextet or septet?)
- The indicated structure is the best resonance form for this molecule. Draw another resonance form that contributes to the actual structure, i.e., another "reasonably good" resonance form.
- What is the molecular weight of this compound?
- Draw two other compounds with the same molecular weight.