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CHEM 263

Exam II

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1. Name the following compound:

(4 points)

2. Using the following partial structure, draw the structure of (Z,3S)-6-hydroxy-3-methoxy-3-methyl-4-hexen-2-one. (5 points)

3. What reagents would you use to effect the following conversions? (15 points)

a.

b.

c.

d.

e.

- 4. 1-Ethoxybutane reacts with HI to give a mixture of 1-iodobutane, iodoéthane, ethanol and1-butanol whereas 2-ethoxy-2-methylpropane gives a mixture of 2-methyl-2-propanol and iodoethane. Explain by means of appropriate mechanisms. (10 points)
- 5. Give the structure(s) of the principle organic products of the following reactions: (12 points)

a.

b.

Br
$$\frac{1. (C_6H_5)_3P}{2. (CH_3)_3CO^{-3}}$$
3. $(CH_3)_2C=O$

c.

d.

$$\frac{1. \text{ Br}_2, \text{ OH}^-}{2. \text{ H}_3\text{O}^+}$$

6. Provide a synthetic pathway for the following transformations using the starting material provided and any other reagents: (18 points)

a.

b.

C.

7. Propose a mechanism for the following reaction (don't forget the curved arrows!): (12 points)