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DSC 6: Reaction Mechanism in Organic Synthesis and Pericyclic Reactions

(NEP)

Time: 3 Hours Maximum Marks: 70

Note: Answer **any five** of the following questions. Question No.1 (Q.1) is **compulsory** and each question carries **equal** marks.

1. (a) How the reaction mechanism determined by kinetic method?

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- (b) Discuss the condition that forms E_1cB mechanism.
- (c) What are diazonium salts? How are they prepared?
- 2. (a) Predict the product for the following reaction with mechanism.

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$$\frac{B_2H_6/THF}{H_2O_2/NaOH}$$

- (b) Describe the hydrogenation of double and triple bond with suitable example.
- (c) What is meant by chemoselectivity? Give an example.
- 3. (a) Predict the product and explain the mechanism.

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$$COOC_2H_5$$

$$CH_3OH$$
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(b) Suggest the reagents and propose the mechanism for the following transformation.

(c) Write any two synthetic application of Grignard reagent.

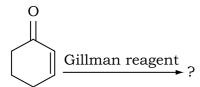
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4. (a) What are phase transfer catalyst? Mention any two uses in organic synthesis.

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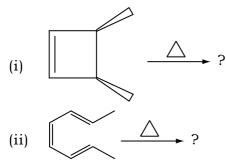
(b) Predict the product and sketch the mechanism for the following.



- (c) Write a note on peterson's synthesis.
- **5.** (a) How are pericyclic reactions classified? Give the main classes.

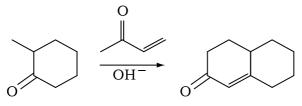
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(b) With explanation predict the products with proper stereochemistry.



- (c) Explain FMO approach for the [4+2] Diels Alder cyclisation reaction.
- **6.** (a) Write the mechanism for the following.

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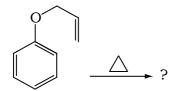


- (b) Differentiate between chemoselectivity and regioselectivity.
- (c) Predict the product and explain the mechanism involved.

7. (a) Write the frontier orbital diagram of 1,3,5-hexatriene.

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(b) Predict the product and mechanism for the following reaction.



(c) Thermal [1,3]-sigmatropic shift to hydrogen is not observed. Justify.

8. (a) Name the product and sketch the mechanism for the following transformation.

- (b) Discuss the salient features and mechanism of Claisen and Cope rearrangement.
- (c) Write any two synthetic applications of the following reagents by taking suitable example.
 - (i) Dicyclohexylcarbodiimide(DDC)
 - (ii) 2,3-dichloro-5,6-dicyano-1,4-benzoquinone. (DDQ).



