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Q.1. Encircle the right answer cutting and overwriting is not allowed. (10x1=10)

I) Among the following which is aprotic polar solvent?

- a) Ethanol
- b) Dimethyl sulfoxide
- c) Water
- d) n-Hexane

II) Among the following which is the most reactive in S_N1 reaction?

- a) *t*-Butyl fluoride
- b) *t*-Butyl chloride
- c) *t*-Butyl bromide
- d) *t*-Butyl iodide

III) Among the following which is the best nucleophile?

- a) CH_3OH
- b) HO^-
- c) CH_3COO^-
- d) CH_3S^-

IV) In which solvent rate of S_N1 reaction will be highest?

- a) Water
- b) Diethyl ether
- c) n-Hexane
- d) Chloroform

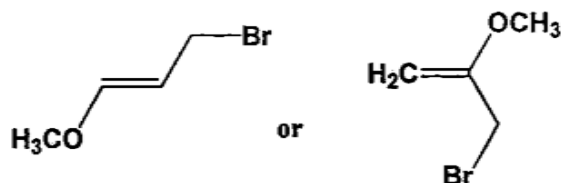
V) The major product of elimination reaction of 2-chloropentane with hydroxide is

- a) 1-Pentene
- b) 2-Pentene
- c) 2-Methyl-2-butene
- d) 1-Methyl-2-butene

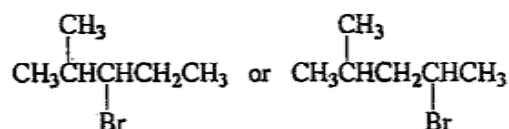
- VI) Among the following which condition is best for S_N2 reaction?
- a) High concentration of a good nucleophile
 - b) Low concentration of a good nucleophile
 - c) High concentration of a poor nucleophile
 - d) Low concentration of a poor nucleophile
- VII) Among the following which is most reactive in E1 elimination reaction?
- a) Alkyl fluoride
 - b) Alkyl chloride
 - c) Alkyl bromide
 - d) Alkyl iodide
- VIII) E2 reaction is a
- a) First order reaction
 - b) Second order reaction
 - c) Third order reaction
 - d) Fourth order reaction
- IX) Aryl halides and Vinylic halides
- a) Do not undergo S_N1 reactions but undergo S_N2 reactions
 - b) Do not undergo S_N2 reactions but undergo S_N1 reactions
 - c) Do not undergo either S_N1 or S_N2 reactions
 - d) Undergo both S_N1 and S_N2 reactions
- X) When tertiary amine oxide containing a β -hydrogen is heated at about 200°C , elimination occurs, resulting in the formation of
- a) An alkane
 - b) An alkene
 - c) An alkyne
 - d) A cycloalkane

**ATTEMPT THIS (SUBJECTIVE) ON THE SEPARATE ANSWER SHEET PROVIDED****Q.2. Give short answers of the following: (5x4=20)**

- I) Which is a better nucleophile in an aqueous solution, RO^- or RS^- ? Justify your answer.
- II) Which alkyl halide would you expect to be more reactive in an $\text{S}_{\text{N}}1$ solvolysis reaction? Justify your answer.



- III) In which solvent, methanol or dimethyl sulfoxide, acetate ion is more reactive as a nucleophile?
- IV) Which alkyl halide would you expect to be more reactive in an $\text{E}2$ reaction? Give reason.



- V) Which isomer reacts more rapidly in an $\text{E}2$ reaction, *cis*-1-bromo-4-*tert*-butylcyclohexane or *trans*-1-bromo-4-*tert*-butylcyclohexane? Justify your choice.

Q.3. Answers the following questions.

- I) What product would be formed from the $\text{S}_{\text{N}}2$ reaction of the following? Draw complete mechanism for both reactions. [10]
- a. (*R*)-2-bromobutane and hydroxide ion
- b. Methyl iodide (excess) and ethylamine
- II) What is deuterium kinetic isotope effect? How it can be used for determining reaction mechanism? [6]
- III) Describe the synthetic applications of pyrolytic elimination reactions. [8]
- IV) Explain the chemical kinetics of $\text{E}1\text{cB}$ elimination mechanisms. [6]