

(AUTONOMOUS)

**BSc DEGREE EXAMINATION MAY 2018**

(Sixth Semester)

Branch – **CHEMISTRY**

**ORGANIC CHEMISTRY - II**

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 75 Marks

**SECTION-A (20 Marks)**

Answer **ALL** questions

**ALL** questions carry **EQUAL** marks (10 x 2 = 20)

- 1 How does isoquinoline react with alkaline  $\text{KMnO}_4$ ?
- 2 How does NBS react with propene?
- 3 Classify the following proteins: (i) Keratin (ii) Insulin.
- 4 What are nucleic acids?
- 5 How are molecular rearrangement reactions classified? Give an example for each class.
- 6 How will you convert acetamide into methylamine?
- 7 How does nature of solvent affect the aliphatic nucleophilic substitution reaction?
- 8 What is Saytzeff's elimination reaction?
- 9 Give the Sawhorse representations of conformers of ethane.
- 10 Calculate angle strain in cycloheptane using Baeyer's strain theory.

**SECTION - B (25 Marks)**

Answer **ALL** Questions

**ALL** Questions Carry **EQUAL** Marks (5 x 5 = 25)

- 11 a How will you prepare pyridine from pyrrole? How does pyridine react with (i)  $\text{H}_2 / \text{Ni}$  (ii)  $\text{CH}_3 - \text{Br}$  (iii)  $\text{NaNH}_2 / \text{liq. NH}_3$ .  
OR  
b Discuss any five synthetic applications of selenium dioxide.
- 12 a Distinguish between DNA and RNA.  
OR  
b Discuss the different steps involved in the synthesis of Glycylalanine (Gly - Ala) peptide.
- 13 a Give the mechanism of Wolf Kishner reduction.  
OR  
b What is Benzilic acid rearrangement? Give its mechanistic pathway.
- 14 a Explain benzyne mechanism of aromatic nucleophilic substitution reaction.  
OR  
b What are bimolecular elimination reactions? Explain their mechanism by taking a suitable example.
- 15 a Outline the Coulson and Moffit's concept of stability of cycloalkenes.  
OR  
b Discuss the chair and boat conformations of cyclohexane.

**SECTION - C (30 Marks)**

Answer any **THREE** Questions

**ALL** Questions Carry **EQUAL** Marks (3 x 10 = 30)

- 16 Give any one preparation for (i) Furan (ii) Thiophen (iii) Pyrrole (iv) Indole and (v) Quinoline. (5X2=10)
- 17 Describe the primary and secondary structures of proteins.
- 18 Discuss the mechanisms of i) Claisen rearrangement ii) Curtius rearrangement.
- 19 Explain  $\text{S}_{\text{N}}1$  and  $\text{S}_{\text{N}}2$  mechanisms with suitable examples.
- 20 Give three different methods of preparation and three different properties of cycloalkanes.