

1. (12 pts.) Using valence bond theory (hybridization) explain why alkenes are nucleophilic. 1. \_\_\_\_\_

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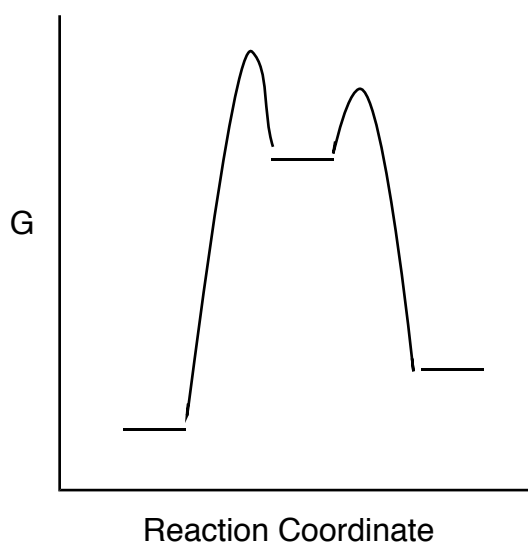
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2. (2 pts. ea.) The questions below refer to the reaction coordinate diagram draw to the right.

- Label the reactants with an "a".
- Label the products with a "b".
- Label the intermediates with a "c".
- Label the transition state(s) with a "d".
- Does this reaction absorb or release energy?
- Would this reaction have a positive or negative  $\Delta G$ ?
- Does the equilibrium favor the reactants or products.



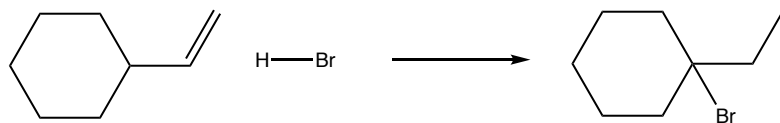
7. \_\_\_\_\_

8. \_\_\_\_\_

3. (16 pts.) Determine whether the following are nucleophiles, electrophiles, or neither.

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| $H^+$   | $CH_3CHCH_2$ | $CH_3CH_2CH_2CH_2CH_3$ |  |
| $HNO_3$ | $Br^-$       | $CH_3CH_2OH$           |  |

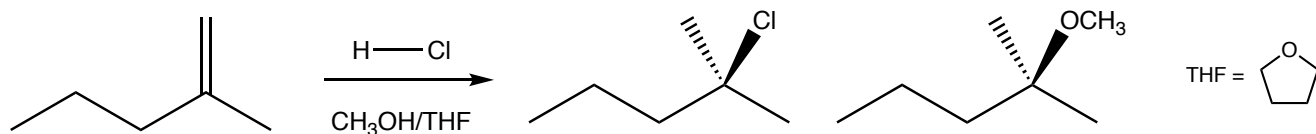
4. (12 pts.) Draw a mechanism for the reaction shown below. Include electron movement arrows with the mechanism.



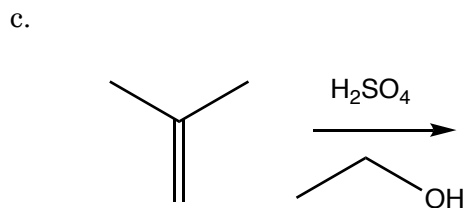
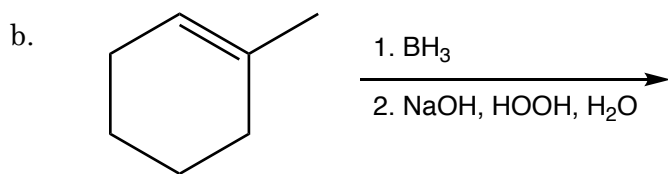
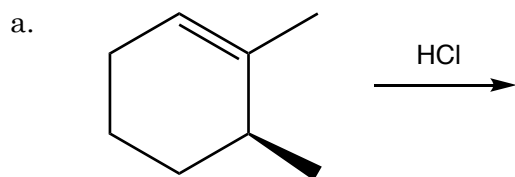
5. a. (6 pts.) Draw a skeletal structure of a molecule that has a 3° carbocation. (b. 6 pts.) Briefly, explain why a 3° carbocation is more stable than a 2° carbocation.

6. (6 pts.) (a.) Do Br<sub>2</sub> and Cl<sub>2</sub> initiated electrophilic addition reactions occur in a syn, an anti, or both a syn and anti fashion? (b. 6 pts.) Draw the an example of the expected intermediate in the reaction and explain your choice.

7. (12 pts.) In the electrophilic addition reaction below, the HCl and 2-methyl-1-pentene are dissolved in a mixture of THF and methanol. Explain why 2-methoxy-2-methylpentane will be produced.



8. (8 pts. ea.) Predict the major organic products for the following reactions. Remember to indicate the stereochemistry of the products using wedge ( $\blacktriangle$ ), dashed ( $\cdots$ ), or squiggly ( $\sim$ ) bonds where appropriate (If you don't know/remember what squiggly bonds are, just use the wedge and dashed bonds where appropriate).



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| 1  | <b>H</b><br>1.0079  |    |                     |    |           |     |           |     |           |     |           |     |           |     |           |     |           | 2   | <b>He</b><br>4.0026 |     |                      |     |           |    |           |     |           |    |           |    |           |    |           |    |           |
| 3  | <b>Li</b><br>6.941  | 4  | <b>Be</b><br>9.012  |    |           |     |           |     |           |     |           |     |           |     |           |     |           |     |                     | 10  | <b>Ne</b><br>20.1797 |     |           |    |           |     |           |    |           |    |           |    |           |    |           |
| 11 | <b>Na</b><br>22.989 | 12 | <b>Mg</b><br>24.305 |    |           |     |           |     |           |     |           |     |           |     |           |     |           |     |                     | 18  | <b>Ar</b><br>39.948  |     |           |    |           |     |           |    |           |    |           |    |           |    |           |
| 19 | <b>K</b>            | 20 | <b>Ca</b>           | 21 | <b>Sc</b> | 22  | <b>Ti</b> | 23  | <b>V</b>  | 24  | <b>Cr</b> | 25  | <b>Mn</b> | 26  | <b>Fe</b> | 27  | <b>Co</b> | 28  | <b>Ni</b>           | 29  | <b>Cu</b>            | 30  | <b>Zn</b> | 31 | <b>Ga</b> | 32  | <b>Ge</b> | 33 | <b>As</b> | 34 | <b>Se</b> | 35 | <b>Br</b> | 36 | <b>Kr</b> |
| 37 | <b>Cs</b>           | 38 | <b>Sr</b>           | 39 | <b>Y</b>  | 40  | <b>Zr</b> | 41  | <b>Nb</b> | 42  | <b>Mo</b> | 43  | <b>Tc</b> | 44  | <b>Ru</b> | 45  | <b>Rh</b> | 46  | <b>Pd</b>           | 47  | <b>Ag</b>            | 48  | <b>Cd</b> | 49 | <b>In</b> | 50  | <b>Sn</b> | 51 | <b>Sb</b> | 52 | <b>Te</b> | 53 | <b>I</b>  | 54 | <b>Xe</b> |
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