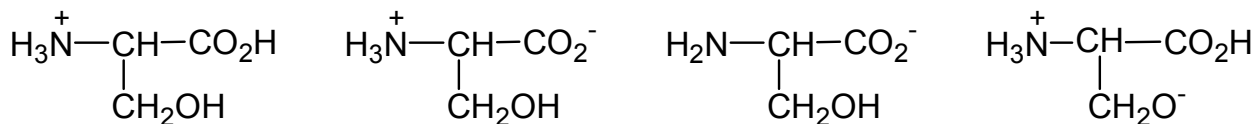


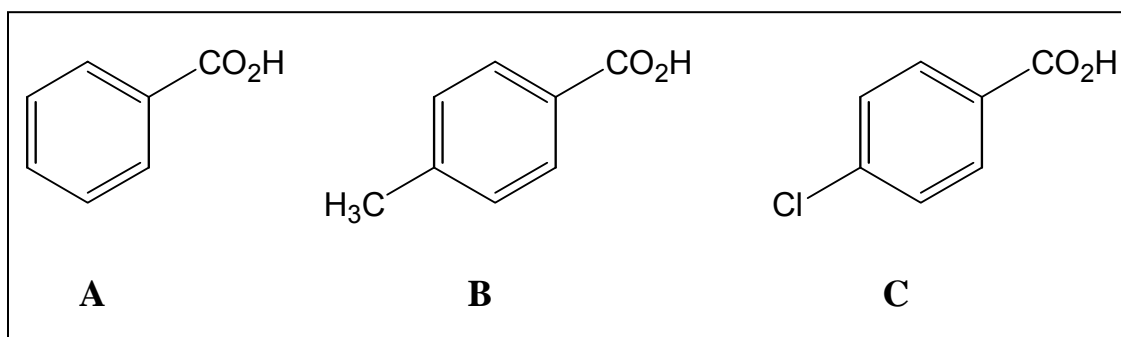


1. Multiple Choice Questions. Clearly circle your chosen answer. (30 points; 3 apiece)

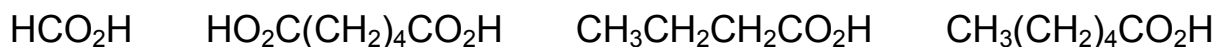
a) Which is the structure of serine at its isoelectric point? (Problem 19.58b, p 720)



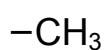
b) Rank the compounds in the box in order of increasing acidity. (Problem 19.18a, p 706)



c) Which compound is caproic acid? (Table 19.1, p 691)

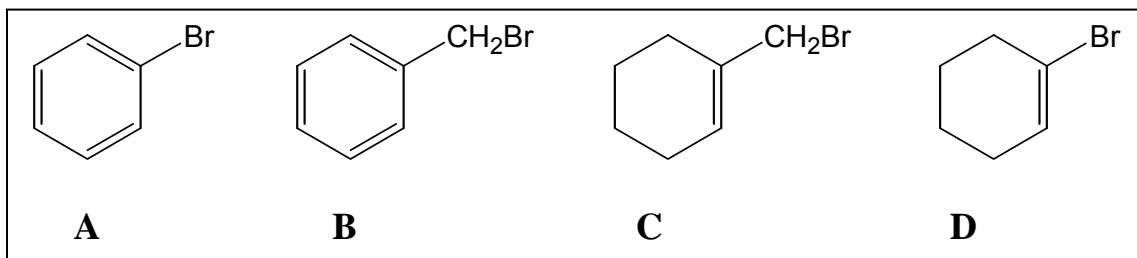


d) Which of the following substituents is the most powerful ring activator in EAS reactions?



Name: \_\_\_\_\_

- e) Which compounds in the box do not react in Friedel-Crafts alkylation reactions?  
(Problem 18.8, p 650)



**A only**

**A and D**

**A, B and D**

**all of them**

- f) For EAS reactions, which substituent possesses all of the following properties:  
1) inductive electron withdrawer; 2) electron donor by resonance; 3) ring deactivator?

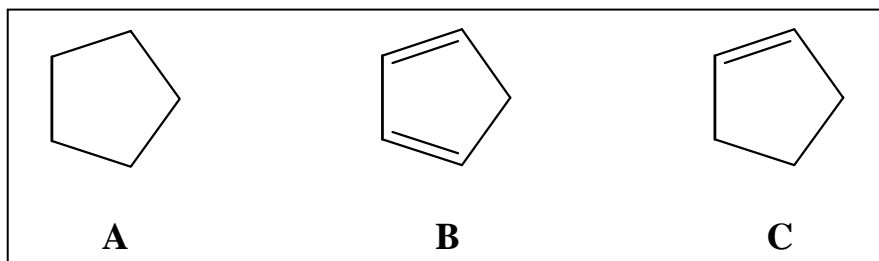
-Cl

-NO<sub>2</sub>

-COCH<sub>3</sub>

-OCH<sub>3</sub>

- g) Rank the compounds in the box in order of increasing acidity. (Problem 17.17, p 624)



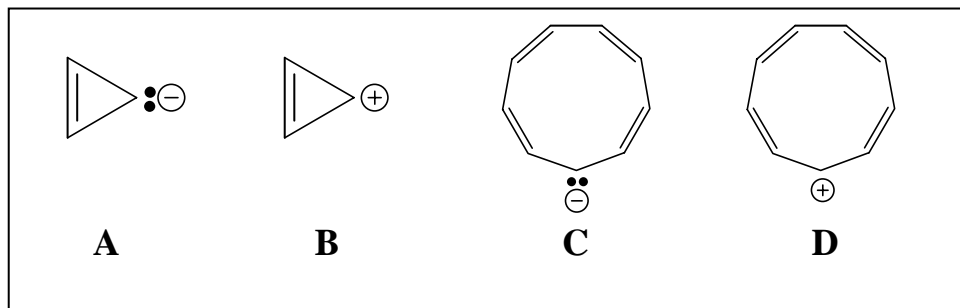
**A < B < C**

**C < A < B**

**B < C < A**

**A < C < B**

h) Which ions are aromatic? Assume the rings are planar. (Problem 17.19, p 625)



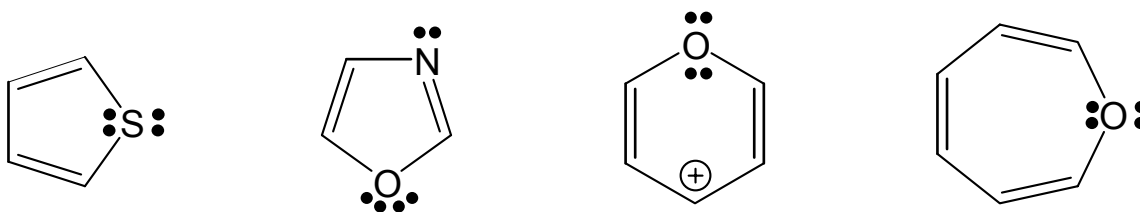
**B and C**

**C only**

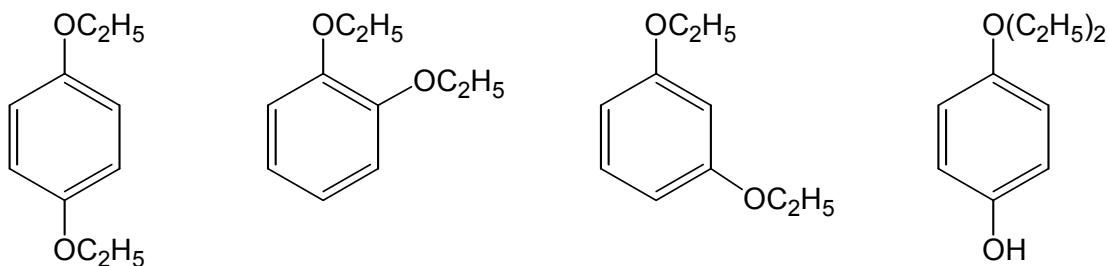
**A, B and C**

**none of them**

i) Which heterocycle is antiaromatic? (Problem 17.29, p 634)



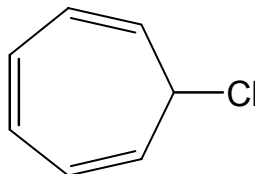
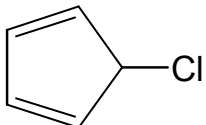
j) What is the structure of a compound  $C_{10}H_{14}O_2$  that has a strong IR absorption at  $3150 - 2850\text{ cm}^{-1}$  and gives the following  $^1\text{H}$  NMR data:  $\delta 1.4\text{ ppm}$  (triplet, 6H);  $\delta 4.0\text{ ppm}$  (quartet, 4H);  $\delta 6.8\text{ ppm}$  (singlet, 4H)? (Problem 17.6, p 612)



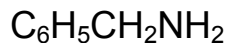
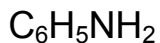
Name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Comparison Questions. Clearly circle your chosen answer. (14 points; 2 apiece)

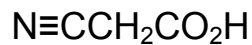
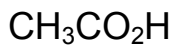
a) Which compound is more reactive in  $S_N1$  reactions? (Problem 17.35, p 634)



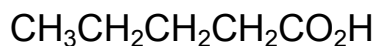
b) Which compound reacts faster in EAS reactions? (Problem 18.41e, p 682)



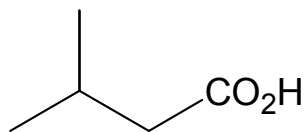
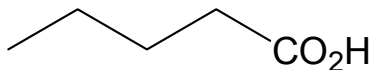
c) Which compound has the stronger conjugate base? (Problem 19.36d, p 715)



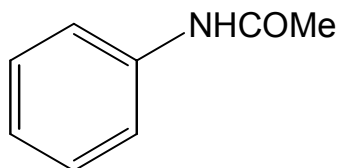
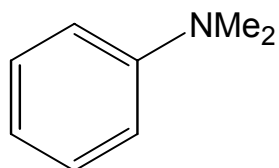
d) Which compound has the higher boiling point? (Problem 19.31a, p 714)



e) Which compound gives the following  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR data: peaks at 14, 22, 27, 34, 181 ppm? (Problem 19.55, p 719)



- f) Which compound does not undergo Friedel-Crafts alkylation with  $\text{CH}_3\text{Cl}$  and  $\text{AlCl}_3$ ?  
(Problem 18.22, p 666)



- g) When analyzed by the inscribed polygon method, which species has unfilled molecular orbitals? (Sample Problem 17.1 and problem 17.21, pp 629 and 630)

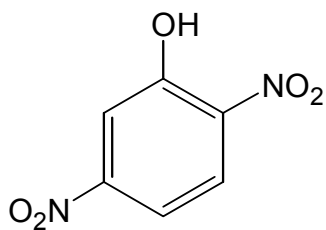
**cyclopropyl cation**

**cyclobutadiene**

3. Draw structures or provide names for the following compounds. Names are right or wrong.  
(12 points; 4 apiece)

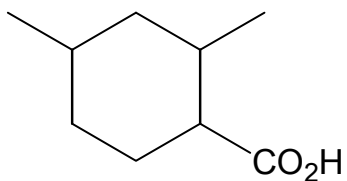
a) Pyridine

b) Problem 17.25f, p 633



Name: \_\_\_\_\_

c) Problem 19.28f, p 714



4. Structures from Spectroscopic Data (16 points; 4 apiece)

a) Propose a structure for a compound  $C_8H_{11}N$  that gives the following  $^1H$  NMR data.

$\delta$  1.4 ppm (doublet, 3H),  $\delta$  1.7 ppm (broad singlet, 2H)

$\delta$  4.1 ppm (quartet, 1H),  $\delta$  7.3 ppm (multiplet, 5H)

b) Propose a structure for a compound  $C_8H_8O_3$  that gives the following spectral data.

(Problem 19.51b, p 717)

IR:  $3500 - 2500\text{ cm}^{-1}$ ,  $1688\text{ cm}^{-1}$

$^1H$ NMR:  $\delta$  3.8 ppm (singlet, 3H),  $\delta$  7.0 ppm (doublet, 2H)

$\delta$  7.9 ppm (doublet, 2H),  $\delta$  11.3 ppm (singlet, 1H)

c) Propose a structure that is consistent with the following data. (Problem 17.49b, p 638)

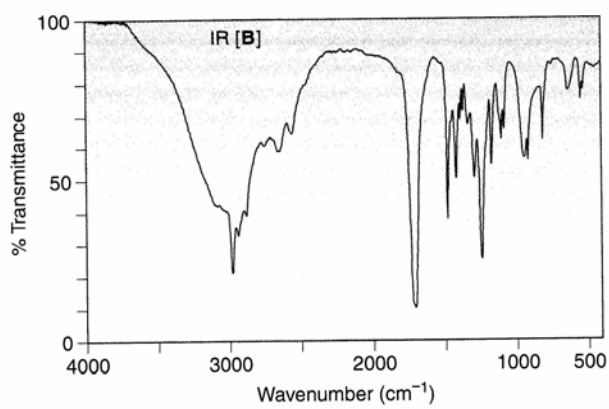
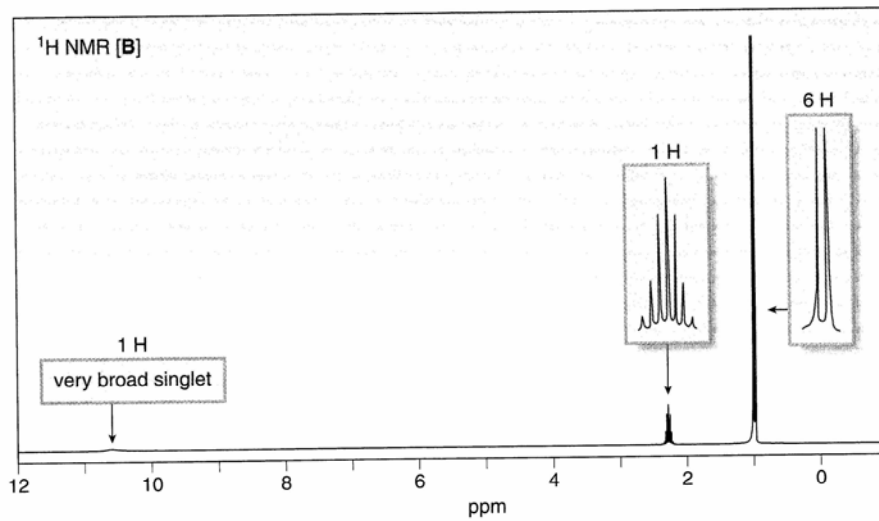
Molecular formula:  $C_9H_{10}O_2$

IR absorptions at  $1669\text{ cm}^{-1}$  and  $3150 - 2850\text{ cm}^{-1}$

$^1H$  NMR:  $\delta$  2.5 ppm (singlet, 3H),  $\delta$  3.8 ppm (singlet, 3H)

$\delta$  6.9 ppm (doublet, 2H),  $\delta$  7.9 ppm (doublet, 2H)

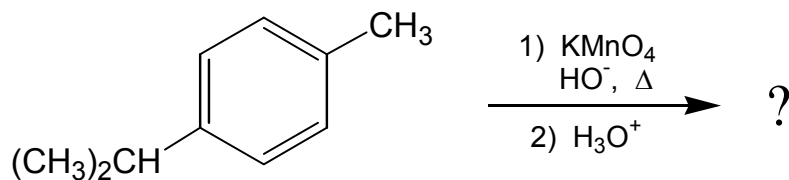
- d) Provide the structure of the compound  $C_4H_8O_2$  that gives the following  $^1H$ NMR and IR spectra. (Problem 19.51, pp 718 and 719)



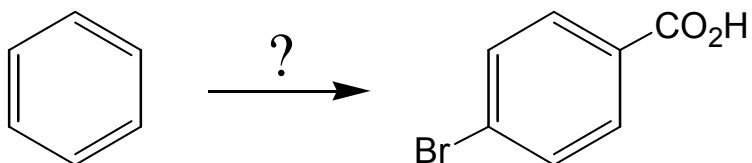
Name: \_\_\_\_\_

5. Provide the missing products or reactants for the following reactions. If more than one product is formed, indicate which is the major and which the minor product. If there is no reaction, so indicate. If multiple steps are required, clearly show reagents for each step. (20 points; 4 apiece)

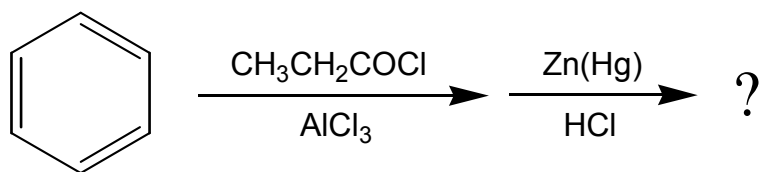
a) Problem 19.32b, p 678



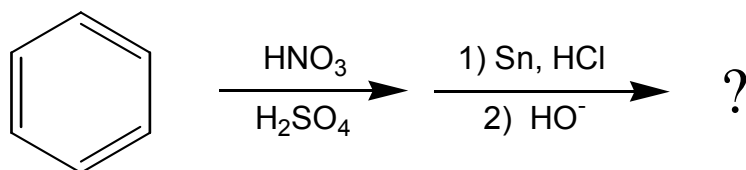
b) Problem 18.57h, p 649.



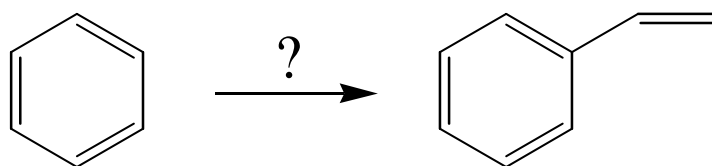
c)



d) Problem 18.34h, p 646



e)



**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

6. Outline an electron-pushing mechanism for electrophilic aromatic nitration of benzene. Show all steps, including those that generate the electrophile. (8 points)