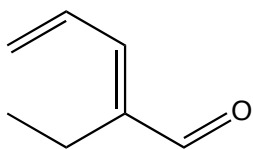


1. (12 pts.) Draw resonance contributors for the following structures. Do not draw any structures that would be considered insignificant contributors to the resonance hybrid.

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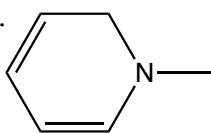
2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

5. _____

b.



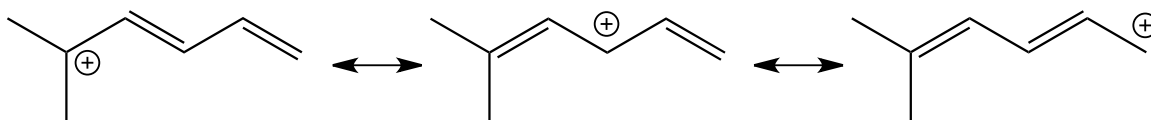
6. _____

7. _____

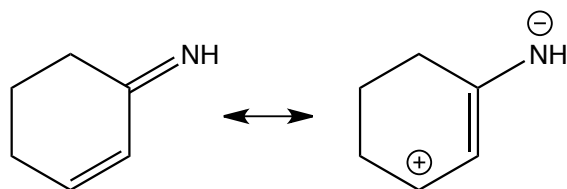
8. _____

2. (a. 12 pts.) Rank the following resonance contributes in order of decreasing contribution to the resonance hybrid. (b. 12 pts.) Draw the resonance hybrid.

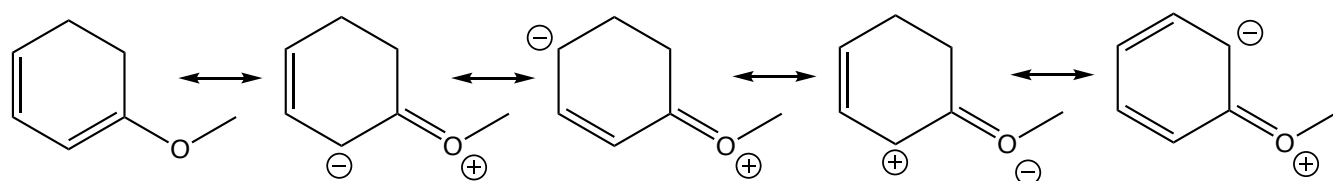
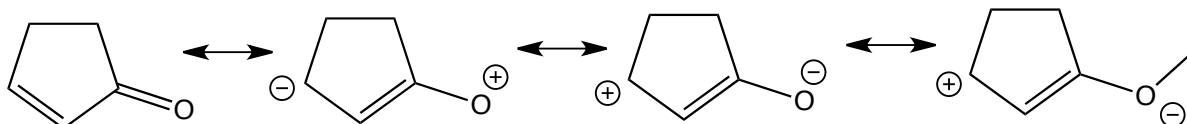
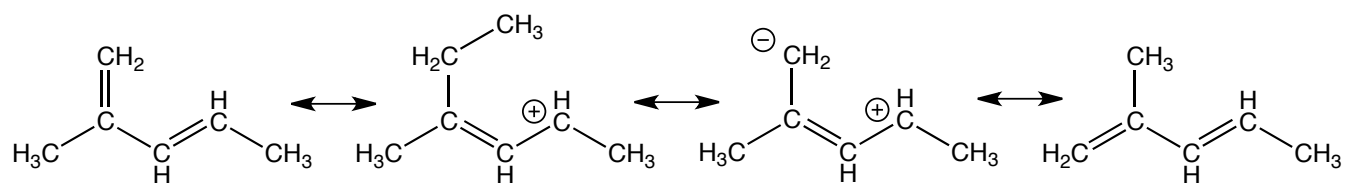
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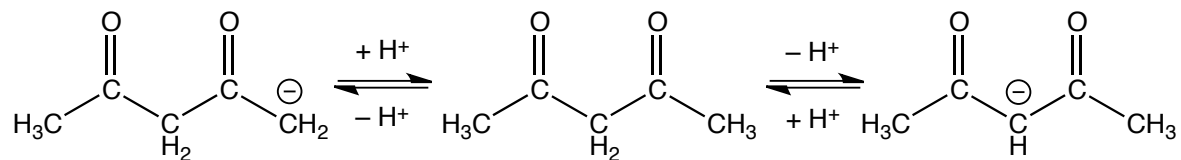
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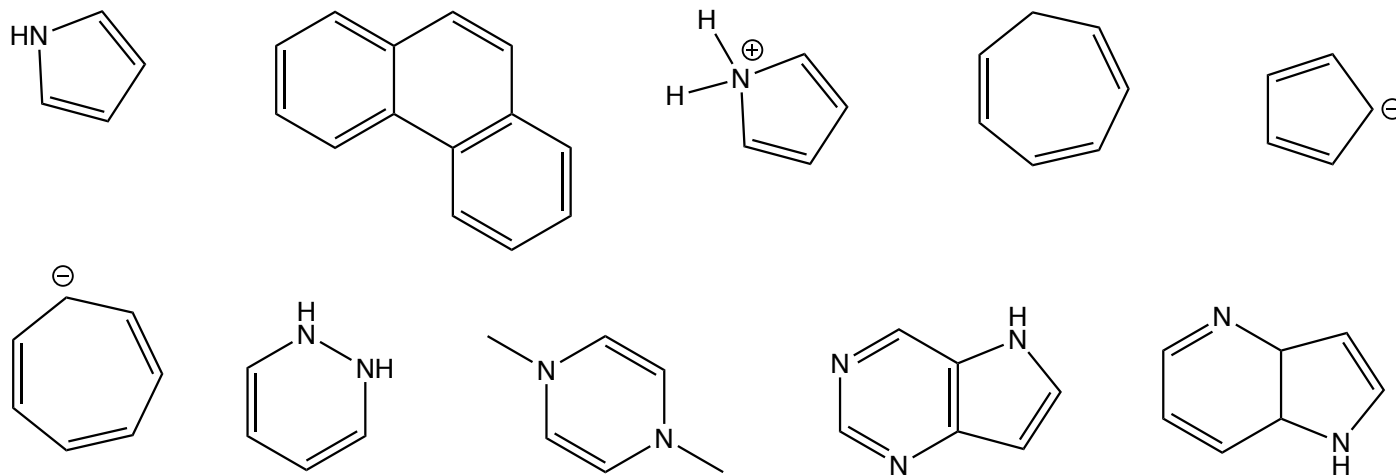
3. (10 pts.) For each of the molecules on the left, possible resonance contributors are drawn to the right. Some are valid, some are considered insignificant contributors, and some are simply incorrect. Label each contributor as valid, insignificant, or incorrect.



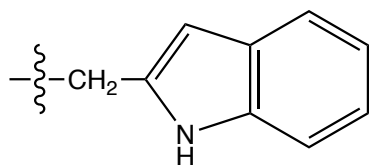
4. (12 pts.) Hydrogen atoms bonded to carbons that are adjacent to carbonyls, the so-called α -H, can be abstracted by reasonably strong bases. Explain why the α -H atoms on the CH_2 can be more easily abstracted by a base than the α -H atoms on the CH_3 in the following molecule.



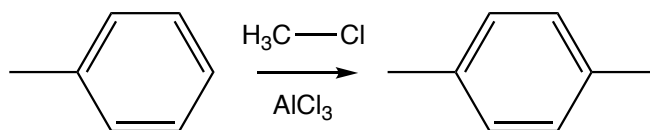
5. (10 pts.) Label the following molecules as aromatic, antiaromatic, or neither.



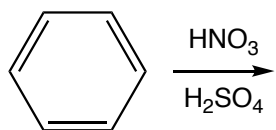
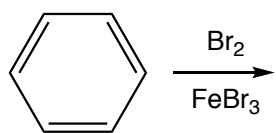
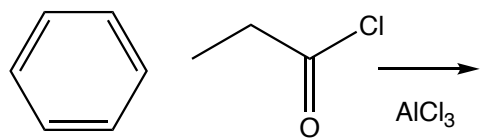
6. (12 pts.) The amino acid tryptophan has a side chain that does not act as a base even though there is a trivalent nitrogen atom in the side chain (trivalent means bonded to three other atoms). Explain why the tryptophan side chain is not basic in spite of the presence of a trivalent nitrogen atom.



7. (12 pts.) Draw a mechanism for the following electrophilic aromatic substitution (EAS) reaction. Remember to draw electron movement arrows.



8. (6 pts. ea.) Predict the products of the following EAS reactions.



1	H 1.0079																	2	He 4.0026			
3	4	Li 6.941	Be 9.012													5	B 10.811	C 12.011	N 14.007	O 15.999	F 18.998	Ne 20.1797
11	12	Na 22.989	Mg 24.305													13	Al 26.981	Si 28.086	P 30.974	S 32.065	Cl 35.453	Ar 39.948
19	20	K 39	Ca 40	Sc 41	Ti 42	V 43	Cr 44	Mn 45	Fe 46	Co 47	Ni 48	Cu 49	Zn 50	Ga 51	Ge 52	As 53	Se 54	Br 55	Kr 56			
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87	88	Fr 121	Ra 122	Ac 123																118		

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