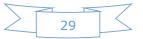
# (Chapter 11)(Alcohols Phenols and Ethers)

# **Intext Questions**

**Question 11.1:** Classify the following as primary, secondary and tertiary alcohols: (i) CH CH<sub>3</sub>-C-CH<sub>2</sub>OH www.dreamiopper.im CHt (ii)  $H_2C = CH - CH_2OH$  $CH_3 - CH_2 - CH_2 - OH_{III}$ ( (iv) OH CH-CH3 (v) - CH - CH<sub>3</sub> CH2-ÓН (vi) CH<sub>1</sub>  $CH = CH - \dot{C} - OH$ CH<sub>3</sub> Answer Primary alcohol  $\rightarrow$  (i), (ii), (iii) Secondary alcohol  $\rightarrow$  (iv), (v) Tertiary alcohol  $\rightarrow$  (vi) **Question 11.2:** Identify allylic alcohols in the above examples.



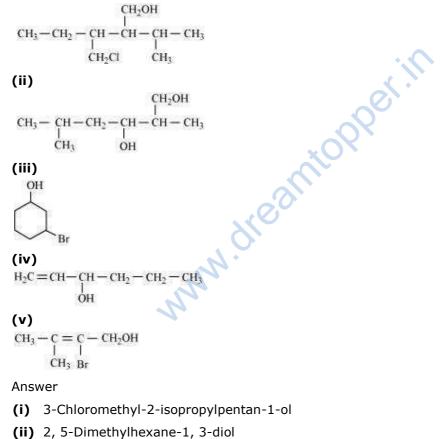
#### Answer

The alcohols given in (ii) and (vi) are allylic alcohols.

# **Question 11.3:**

Name the following compounds according to IUPAC system.

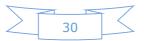
# (i)



(iii) 3-Bromocyclohexanol

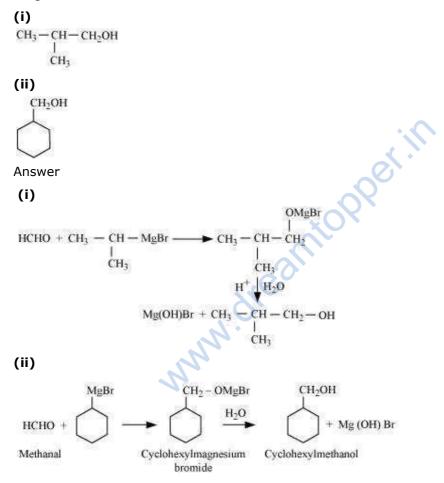
(iv) Hex-1-en-3-ol

(v) 2-Bromo-3-methylbut-2-en-1-ol



**Question 11.4:** 

Show how are the following alcohols prepared by the reaction of a suitable Grignard reagent on methanal?

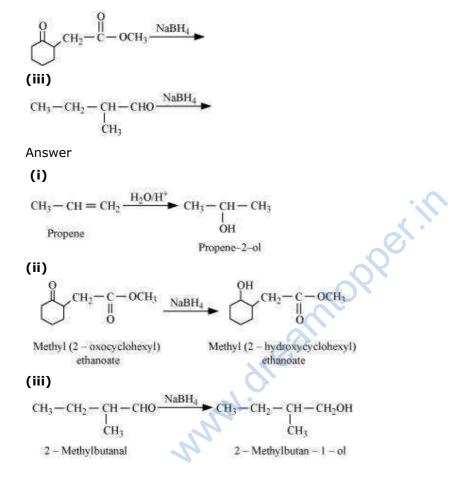


Question 11.5:

Write structures of the products of the following reactions:

(i)  $CH_3 - CH = CH_2 \xrightarrow{H_2O/H^+}$ (ii)





# **Question 11.6:**

Give structures of the products you would expect when each of the following alcohol reacts with (a)  $HCI-ZnCl_2$  (b) HBr and (c)  $SOCl_2$ .

(i) Butan-1-ol

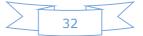
(ii) 2-Methylbutan-2-ol

# Answer

(a)

# (i)

 $CH_3 - CH_2 - CH_2 - CH_2 - OH \xrightarrow{HC1 + ZnCl_2} No reaction$ Butan -1 - ol



Primary alcohols do not react appreciably with Lucas' reagent (HCl-ZnCl<sub>2</sub>) at room temperature.

(ii)  $CH_3 - CH_2 - CH_3 \xrightarrow[CH_3]{HCI - ZnCl_2} \rightarrow CH_3 - CH_2 - CH_3 + H_2O$ 2 - Methylbutan - 2 - ol (3°) 2 - Chloro - 2 - Methylbutane (White turbidity) Tertiary alcohols react immediately with Lucas' reagent. (b) (i)  $CH_3CH_2CH_2CH_2OH + HBr \longrightarrow CH_3CH_2CH_2CH_2Br$ Butan-1-ol **I-Bromobutane** (ii)  $\begin{array}{c} & & & \\$ OH Br CH<sub>3</sub>-CH<sub>2</sub>-C-CH<sub>3</sub>+HBr -CH<sub>3</sub> 2 - Methylbutan - 2 - ol (3°) (c) (i)  $CH_3CH_2CH_2CH_2OH + SOCl_2 \longrightarrow CH_3CH_2CH_2CH_2CI + SO_2 + HCI$ Butan-1-ol 1-chlorobutane (ii)  $CH_3 - CH_2 - \bigcup_{\substack{l \\ CH_3}}^{I} - CH_3 + SOCI_2 \longrightarrow CH_3 - CH_2 - \bigcup_{\substack{l \\ CH_3}}^{Cl} - CH_3 + SO_2 + HCI$ 2 - Methylbutan - 2 - ol 2 - Chloro - 2 - Methylbutane

Question 11.7:

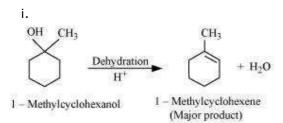
Predict the major product of acid catalysed dehydration of

(i) 1-methylcyclohexanol and



# (ii) butan-1-ol

Answer



# (ii)

 $\begin{array}{c} CH_{3}CH_{2}CH_{2}CH_{2}OH \xrightarrow{Dehydration} CH_{3}CH = CHCH_{3} + H_{2}O \\ Butan-1-ol & But-2-ene \end{array}$ 

(Major product)

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# Question 11.8:

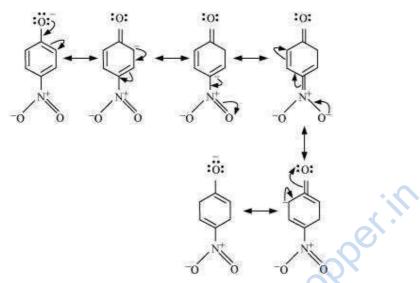
*Ortho* and *para* nitrophenols are more acidic than phenol. Draw the resonance structures of the corresponding phenoxide ions.

Answer

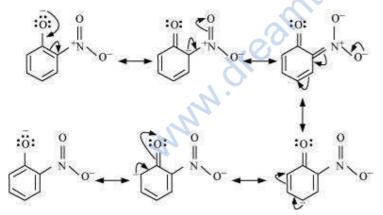
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Resonance structure of the phenoxide ion





Resonance structures of *p*-nitrophenoxide ion



Resonance structures of *m*-nitrophenoxide ion

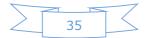
It can be observed that the presence of nitro groups increases the stability of phenoxide ion.

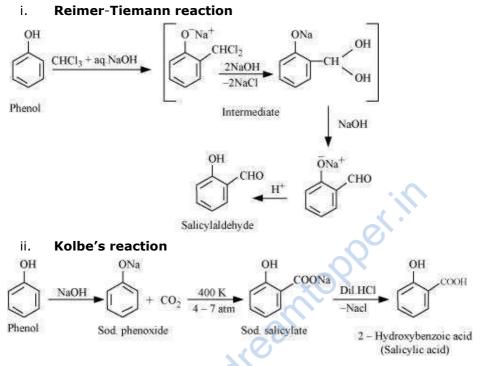
### Question 11.9:

Write the equations involved in the following reactions:

- (i) Reimer-Tiemann reaction
- (ii) Kolbe's reaction

Answer



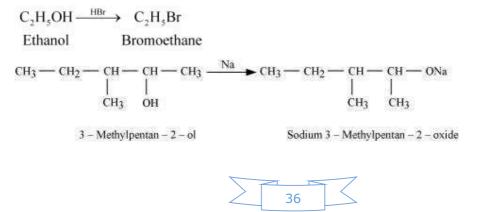


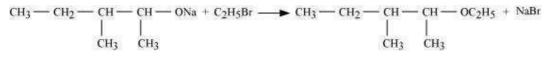
# Question 11.10:

Write the reactions of Williamson synthesis of 2-ethoxy-3-methylpentane starting from ethanol and 3-methylpentan-2-ol.

Answer

In Williamson synthesis, an alkyl halide reacts with an alkoxide ion. Also, it is an  $S_N 2$  reaction. In the reaction, alkyl halides should be primary having the least steric hindrance. Hence, an alkyl halide is obtained from ethanol and alkoxide ion from 3methylpentan-2-ol.



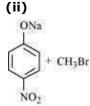


2 - Ethoxy - 3 - methylpentane

### Question 11.11:

Which of the following is an appropriate set of reactants for the preparation of 1methoxy-4-nitrobenzene and why?

# (i) Br + CH<sub>3</sub>ONa NO2



# Answer

unts for Set (ii) is an appropriate set of reactants for the preparation of 1-methoxy-4nitrobenzene.



1 - Methoxy - 4 - nitrobenzene

In set (i), sodium methoxide ( $CH_3ONa$ ) is a strong nucleophile as well as a strong base. Hence, an elimination reaction predominates over a substitution reaction.

### Question 11.12:

Predict the products of the following reactions:

(i) 
$$CH_3 - CH_2 - CH_2 - O - CH_3 + HBr \rightarrow$$
  
(ii)

