

Organic Chemistry Exam 2 Cheat Sheet by Shelbeans (shelbeans) via cheatography.com/177819/cs/37568/

Terms to know

Markovnikov's rule

in addition reactions, the proton is added to the carbon atom with the **greatest** number of hydrogen atoms attached to it

anti-Markovnikov's rule

in addition reactions, the proton is added to the carbon atom with the **lowest number** of hydrogen atoms attached to it

zaitsev's rule

in **elimination reactions**, the major product is the **more stable** alkene with the **highly substituted** double bond

M, Anti-M and V

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Elimination Reactions

E1

multistep,

E2

single step,

Terms

Protic

Solvents with O-H or N-H bonds and the ability to hydrogen bond

Aprotic

Solvents that dont

Nucleophile

A simple metal and salt, nucleus "loving", usually anions

Electrophile

Must contain a C-LG bond, electron "loving", usually cations

Solvolysis Reaction

the nucleophile is also the solvent

Terms (cont)

E/Z System

1. Prioritize the 2 groups attached to each carbon relative to one another. If the higher priority groups are **cis**, its **Z**, it their **trans**. its **E**

Terms

Vicinal

2 atoms or groups bonded to same carbon

Geminal

2 atoms or groups beonged to the same side of the carbon

syn-addition

added to same plane or same side of compound

anti-addition

added to different sides of compounds

Geminal vs Vicinal

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Anti vs Syn

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Substitution Reactions

SN1

2 step, RR possible, tertiary reacts fastest

SN2

1 step, no RR, Primary reacts fastest

Elimination and Substitution Flowchart

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Addition Reactions

Names of Kind of Whats Product
Reaction Reactant on structure
Arrow

Addition Reactions (cont)

Catalytic Alkene H2, Ni, Pt

Hydrog- or Pd not applic enation able, syn, No RR

Addition of Alkene H-X M, No hydrogen syn/anti, l halides possible

Acid Alkene H2SO4 or New H ar
Catalyzed H+, H2O OH added
hydration M, no

syn/anti, l possible

no RR

alkane, M

Hydrob- Alkene 1. B3H6, New H ar oration-O- 2. H20, - OH adder xidation OH Anti-M, S

Addition of Alkene X2, new vicin Halogens/- CH3Cl halogens not applic

able, Anti No RR

new

Cohalo- Alkene Br2, H2O genation

nation

OH, M of OH and Anti-M for

halogen,

halogen a

Anti, No F

Expoxi- Alkene RCOO- Expodie i
dation OH formed, N
(peroxide) not applic

No RR
O3, 2. 2 carbony

Ozonolysis Alkene 1. O3, 2. H2O

compoun nothing e applicable

able, Syn

M=Markovnikov's Rule

Anti-M= Anti-Markovnikov's Rule

RR=Rearrangement

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