Objective 12

Apply Reactivity Principles to Electrophilic Addition Reactions 1: Alkenes Identify structural features (pi bond) and electrophiles Use curved arrows to predict product



Alkenes are Used as Starting Materials for Many Compounds Alkenes Undergo Addition Reactions

Functional group/Bonding/Structure/Reactivity:

C=C-H $C=C \pi$ bond = Nu:⁻, can react with E⁺ (addition rxn)(compare to C-C bond) H = E⁺, can react with base (acid-base rxn) What is pK_a? Is this H a strong or weak E⁺?

<u>Uses</u>: Biology - found in fats and oils, C_2H_4 plant hormone Petroleum - fuel, starting material for many compounds

<u>Preparation</u>: R-OH -- H⁺ catalyst --> alkene (Elimination rxn) R-X + base --> alkene (Elimination rxn)

<u>Reactions</u>: addition reactions polymerization

Alkene Addition Reactions Make Different Functional Groups

Polar Additions: alkene + HX --> alkyl halide alkene + HOH ---> alcohol



OH Η X polyethylene or X Η OH H 0 Х

Many of these reactions are *addition reactions* (polar):



Ethylene is used to make Other Functional Groups



Addition Reaction: <u>pi</u> bond Nucleophile reacts with Electrophile.
Pi bond breaks to form a new functional group.
2 atoms or groups forms bond (ADDS) to each vinylic C.



Synthesis: a good way to make a different functional groups from a pi bond

<u>Structural Features for Addition Reactions</u> Need a:

- 1. Nucleophile (Nu:-) = Pi bond
- 2. Electrophile (E⁺)

The Nucleophile Reacts with Electrophile. 2 atoms or groups adds to each vinylic C.



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A CARBOCATION intermediate forms.

Another type of carbocation intermediate can form. Draw this carbocation.

What is the bond making process in the 2nd step?

Alkene Addition of HX or HOH is a Polar Mechanism

Alkene = π bond = Nu:⁻ reacts with E⁺ to form a _____ intermediate. HX addition: $E^+ = H$ in HX HOH addition: $E^+ = H$ in H₂SO₄ (H₂SO₄ is an acid catalyst)



The Stability of the _____ Intermediate Determines the Product.



Alkenes undergo Addition Reactions

Predict the product of each reaction:



<u>Addition Reaction</u> of HX or HOH is the **REVERSE** of an <u>Elimination Reaction</u> (Use this in Organic Synthesis!)



Progress of reaction

Which reaction requires high T? Why?

Predict the product of each reaction:



What if you want to add -OH or -X to the other C? Reaction Conditions Determine the Product Alkyl halide <----- alkene -----> Alcohol



Which conditions produce the Markovnikov product? Which conditions produce the non-Markovnikov product? <u>Alkene</u> to <u>Alcohol</u>: What if you want to add –OH to <u>other</u> C? 1. H_2SO_4 (acid catalyzed hydration - Markovnikov) 2. BH_3/H_2O_2 , OH^- (hydroboration - anti-Markovnikov) What is the <u>mechanism</u>?



<u>Alkene</u> to <u>Alkyl Halide</u>: What if you want to add –Br to <u>other</u> C? 1. HX (hydrohalogenation - Markovnikov) 2. HX/ ROOR (hydrohalogenation - anti-Markovnikov) <u>Radical</u> mechanism. See Klein, Chapter 11.10

> Peroxide: ROOR --> 2 RO• HBr + RO• --> ROH + •Br •Br + alkene --> alkyl radical

Which intermediate is formed?



Which reagent would you use for each reaction?





Identify functional group.

What reaction type occurs with this functional group? At what atom(s) does this reaction type occur? What reagent is needed for this reaction type to occur? Alkene addition of X_2 , e.g., Br_2 , forms a *dihalide*. Br₂ is non-polar, but at one instant in time, Br is E⁺



Alkene Addition of X_2 is a Polar Mechanism

Alkene Halognenation Stereochemistry



Alkene Halognenation Stereochemistry http://cen.acs.org/articles/93/i3/Classic-Addition-Reaction-Makeover.html

CEN, 1/19/15, p. 5 New catalyst – *syn* addition (instead of *anti*)



Alkene addition of X_2 and H_2O forms a *halohydrin*.



Why does H_2O react and not $Br^?$

Polar mechanism

Alkenes undergo Addition Reactions

Predict the product:



Alkene Addition Forms Different Functional Groups

X-Y adds across C=C double bond



	Х	Y	Reaction Conditions	Product
	Н	Х	HX (Markovnikov) HX/ROOR (Non- Markovnikov)	Alkyl halide
(Н	ОН	H ₂ SO ₄ (Markovnikov) 1. BH ₃ 2. H ₂ O ₂ , OH ⁻ (Non-Markovnikov)	Alcohol
	Х	Х	X ₂	Dihalide
	Х	ОН	X ₂ /H ₂ O	Halohydrin
	Н	Н	H ₂ /Pd, Pt, Ni	Alkane
~	ОН	ОН	Peroxyacid/ H ₃ O⁺	Diol

Very useful in organic synthesis

Convert an Unsaturated fat to a Saturated fat by Hydrogenation But *trans fats* are also formed



Also, polyunsaturated fat ---> monounsaturated fat Why convert an unsaturated fat to a saturated fat? Given the reaction conditions, predict the product (functional group):



How would you synthesis each compound from 1-butene? Determine the reaction conditions for each reaction. See Practice Problem 6b.





Make a smaller compound from a bigger one: **Use OZONOLYSIS** Ozonolysis cleaves (breaks) C=C bond to form two C=O bonds

Predict the products:







1. O₃ 2. Zn, HCI





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Make a Big Compound from a Small Compound Explain how Product 1 is produced. Draw the structure of Product 2.



Hint: carbocation is a _____. Pi bond is a _____ A Reaction Mechanism Describes How a Product is Produced

Once a carbocation forms, <u>any</u> Nu:⁻ can react with it.

<u>Cationic Polymerization</u>: Styrene --> Polystyrene (Klein p. 405). What is A and B?



(Use this reaction to make a larger molecule - *lengthen carbon chain*)

Steroids, e.g., Cholesterol, are Made From Squalene (precursor) http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Squalene http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Cholesterol http://themedicalbiochemistrypage.org/cholesterol.html (2) NADPH (3) ATP HMG-CoA acetyl-CoA synthase 3 rxns HMG-CoA mevalonat - isopentenyl-HMG-CoA acetoacetyl-CoA reductase CO2 dimethyallyI-PP prenylated proteins geranyl-PP isopentenyl-PP geranylgeranyl-PP heme a dolicho farnesyl-PP ubiquinone bile salts steroids farnesyl-PP endocrine live glands squalene Ianosterol Cholesterol 2 rxns 19 rxns

20-25% of total daily cholesterol production occurs in liver

Squalene is Converted to Lanosterol by <u>*Alkene Addition*</u> How is squalene (chain) converted to Lanosterol (rings)?



Squalene Undergoes Alkene Addition, Rearrangements, and *Elimination* to form Lanosterol Squalene enzyme HO HO hydride shifts (2) elimination methyl shifts (2 HO Lanosterol