

## Chapter 25

# Halogen Containing Compounds

Compounds derived from hydrocarbons by the replacement of one or more hydrogen atoms by the corresponding number of halogen atoms are termed as halogen derivatives. The halogen derivatives of the hydrocarbons are broadly classified into three classes:

Halogen derivatives of saturated hydrocarbons (Alkanes)- Halo-alkanes.

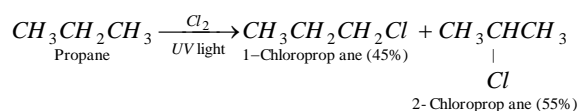
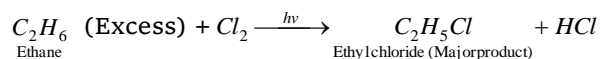
Halogen derivatives of unsaturated hydrocarbons (Alkenes and alkynes)-Halo-alkene or alkyne.

Halogen derivatives of aromatic hydrocarbons (Arenes)-Halo-arenes.

### General methods of preparation of Alkyl Halides

#### (1) From alkanes

##### (i) By halogenation :



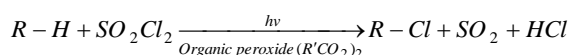
This reaction proceed through free radical mechanism.

□ Order of reactivity of  $X_2$  for a given alkane is,  $F_2 > Cl_2 > Br_2 > I_2$ .

□ The reactivity of the alkanes follows the order :

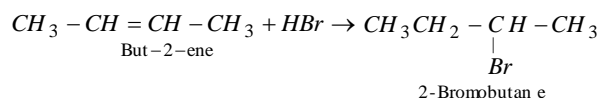
$3^\circ\text{alkane} > 2^\circ\text{alkane} > 1^\circ\text{alkane}$ .

##### (ii) With sulphuryl chloride :



□ This reaction is a fast due to in presence of light and trace of an organic peroxide.

(2) **From alkenes** (Hydrohalogenation by Electrophilic addition)



□ Addition of  $\text{HBr}$  to alkene in the presence of organic peroxide take place due to peroxide effect or Kharasch's effect.

□ This addition take place by two mechanism, Peroxide initiates free radical mechanism.

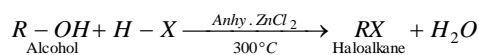
Markownikoff's addition by electrophilic mechanism.

□ The order of reactivity of halogen acids is,  $\text{HI} > \text{HBr} > \text{HCl}$ .

#### (3) From alcohols

##### (i) By the action of halogen acids

Groove's process



□ The reactivity order of  $\text{HX}$  in the above reaction is :  $\text{HI} > \text{HBr} > \text{HCl} > \text{HF}$ .

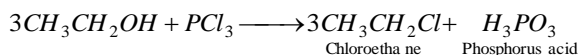
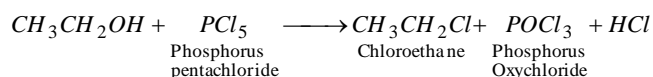
□ Reactivity order of alcohols  $3^\circ > 2^\circ > 1^\circ > \text{MeOH}$ .

□  $2^\circ$  and  $3^\circ$  alcohols undergo  $S_N1$ ; where as  $1^\circ$  and  $\text{MeOH}$  undergo  $S_N2$  mechanism.

□ Concentrated  $\text{HCl}$  + anhy.  $\text{ZnCl}_2$  is known as lucas reagent.

##### (ii) Using $\text{PCl}_5$ and $\text{PCl}_3$ :

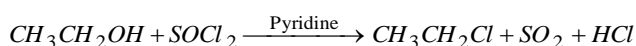
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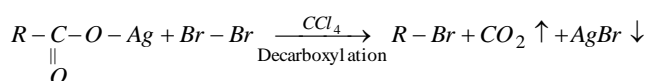
❑ Bromine and iodine derivatives cannot be obtained from the above reaction, because  $\text{PBr}_5$  or  $\text{PI}_5$  are unstable.

❑ This method gives good yield of primary alkyl halides but poor yields of secondary and tertiary alkyl halides.

(iii) **By the action of thionyl chloride** (Darzan's process) : Reaction takes place through  $\text{S}_\text{N}^2$  mechanism.



(4) **From silver salt of carboxylic acids** (Hunsdiecker reaction, Decarboxylation by Free radical mechanism)

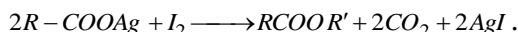


❑ The reactivity of alkyl group is  $1^\circ > 2^\circ > 3^\circ$

❑ Only bromide are obtained in good yield.

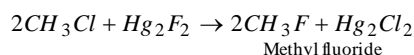
❑ Not suitable for chlorination because yield is poor.

❑ In this reaction iodine forms ester instead of alkyl halide and the reaction is called Birnbourn-Simonini reaction,

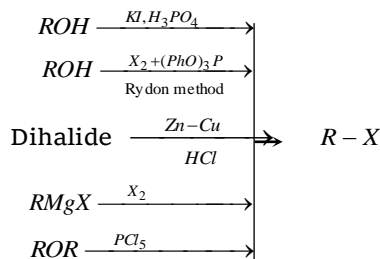


(5) **By Finkelstein reaction** (Halide exchange method) :  $\text{R}-\text{X} + \text{NaI} \xrightarrow[\text{Reflux}]{\text{Acetone}} \text{R}-\text{I} + \text{NaX} (\text{X} = \text{Cl}, \text{Br})$

❑ Alkyl fluorides can not be prepared by this method. They can be obtained from corresponding chlorides by the action of  $\text{Hg}_2\text{F}_2$  or antimony trifluoride. (swart reaction)



### (6) Other method



## Properties of Alkyl Halides

### (1) Physical properties

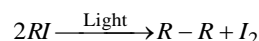
(i)  $\text{CH}_3\text{F}, \text{CH}_3\text{Cl}, \text{CH}_3\text{Br}$  and  $\text{C}_2\text{H}_5\text{Cl}$  are gases at room temperature. The alkyl halides upto  $\text{C}_{18}$  are colourless liquids while higher members are colourless solids.

(ii) Alkyl halides are insoluble in water but soluble in organic solvents.

(iii) They burn on copper wire with green edged flame (Beilstein test for halogens).

(iv) Alkyl bromides and iodides are heavier than water. Alkyl chlorides and fluorides are lighter than water.

(v) Alkyl iodides become violet or brown in colour on exposure as they decompose in light.



(vi) For a given alkyl group, the boiling points of alkyl halides are in the order  $\text{RI} > \text{RBr} > \text{RCl} > \text{RF}$  and for a given halogen the boiling points of alkyl halides increase with the increase of the size of the alkyl group.

(vii) Alkyl halides are in general toxic compounds and bring unconsciousness when inhaled in large amounts.

(2) **Chemical properties** : The alkyl halides are highly reactive, the order of reactivity is,

Iodide > Bromide > Chloride (Nature of the halogen atom)

Tertiary > Secondary > Primary (Type of the halogen atom)

Amongst the primary alkyl halide, the order of reactivity is :  $\text{CH}_3\text{X} > \text{C}_2\text{H}_5\text{X} > \text{C}_3\text{H}_7\text{X}$ , etc.

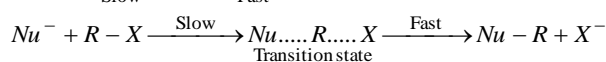
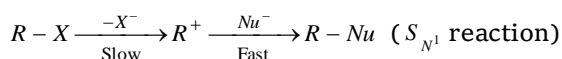
The high reactivity of alkyl halides can be explained in terms of the nature of  $\text{C}-\text{X}$  bond which is highly polarised covalent bond due to large difference in the electronegativities of carbon and halogen atoms. The halogen is far more electronegative than carbon and tends to pull the electrons away from carbon, i.e., halogen acquires a small negative charge and carbon a small positive charge.



This polarity is responsible for reactions,

(i) Nucleophilic substitution reactions (ii) Elimination reactions

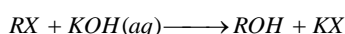
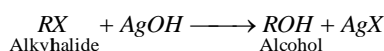
(i) **Nucleophilic substitution ( $\text{S}_\text{N}$ ) reactions** : The  $\text{C}^{\delta+}$  site is susceptible to attack by nucleophiles (An electron rich species).



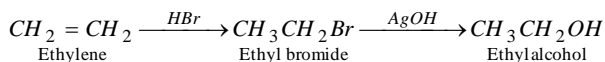
( $\text{S}_\text{N}^2$  reaction)

Examples of  $S_N$  reactions,

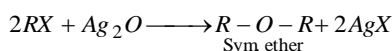
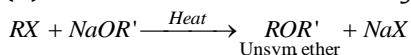
(a) **Hydrolysis :**



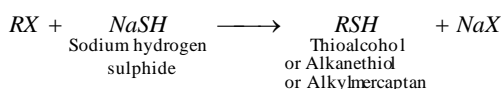
□ With the help of this reaction an alkene can be converted into alcohol. Alkene is first reacted with  $HBr$  to form alkyl bromide and then hydrolysis is done.



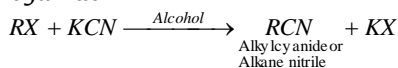
(b) **Reaction with alkoxides or dry silver oxide :**



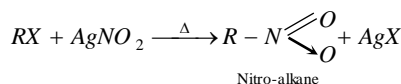
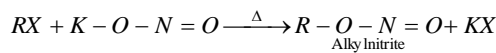
(c) **Reaction with sodium or potassium hydrogen sulphide :**



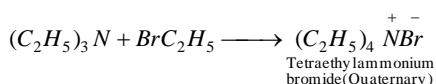
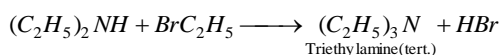
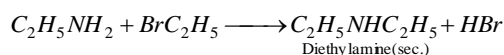
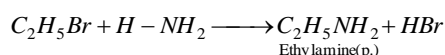
(d) **Reaction with alcoholic potassium cyanide and silver cyanide :**



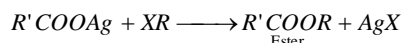
(e) **Reaction with potassium nitrite or silver nitrite :**



(f) **Reaction with ammonia :**



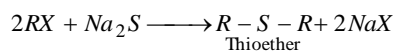
(g) **Reaction with silver salts of fatty acids :**



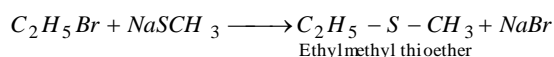
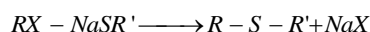
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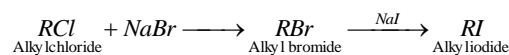
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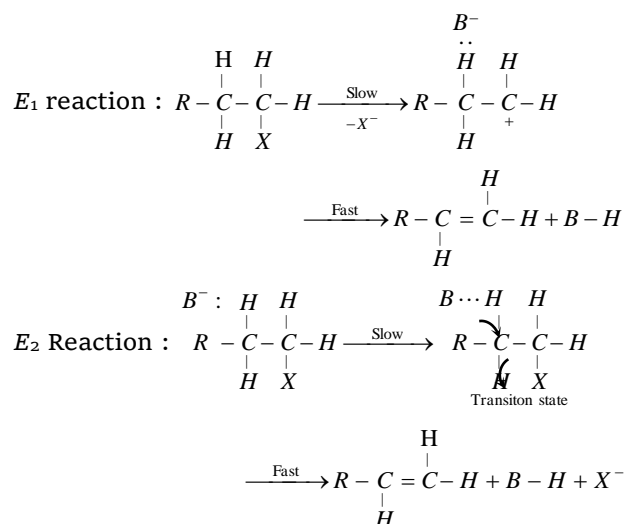
Thioethers can also be obtained by



(j) **Reaction with halides :**



(ii) **Elimination reactions :** The positive charge on carbon is propagated to the neighbouring carbon atoms by inductive effect. When approached by a strongest base ( $B^-$ ), it tends to lose a proton usually from the  $\beta$ -carbon atom. Such reactions are termed elimination reactions. They are also  $E_1$  and  $E_2$  reactions.



As the above reactions involve leaving of  $X^-$ , the reactivity of alkyl halides (Same alkyl group, different halogens) should be limited with  $C-X$  bond strength.

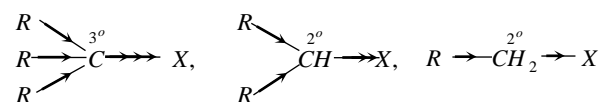
Type of bond  
 $C-I$   
 $C-Cl$

Bond strength (kcal/mol) 45.5 54  
66.5

Bond strength

The breaking of the bond becomes more and more difficult and thus, the reactivity decrease.

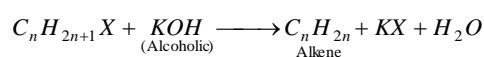
The order of reactivity (Tertiary > Secondary > Primary) is due to +I effect of the alkyl groups which increases the polarity of  $C-X$  bond.



The primary alkyl halides undergo reactions either by  $S_N2$  or  $E_2$  mechanisms which involve the formation of transition state. The bulky groups cause steric hindrance in the formation of transition state. Therefore, higher homologues are less reactive than lower homologues.  $CH_3X > C_2H_5X > C_3H_7X$ , etc.

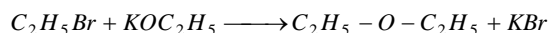
**Example of elimination reaction**

(a) **Dehydrohalogenation :**

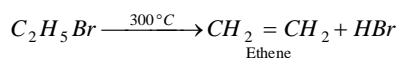
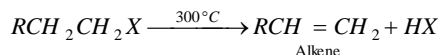


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In this reactions, ether is a by-product as potassium ethoxide is always present in small quantity.



(b) *Action of heat* :



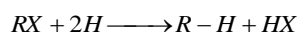
The decomposition follows the following order,

Iodide > Bromide > Chloride (When same alkyl group is present) and

Tertiary > Secondary > Primary (When same halogen is present).

(iii) **Miscellaneous reactions**

(a) *Reduction* : Alkyl halides are reduced with nascent hydrogen obtained by  $Zn/HCl$  or sodium and alcohol or  $Zn/Cu$  couple or  $LiAlH_4$ .

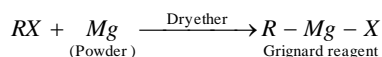


Reaction is used for the preparation of pure alkanes

(b) *Wurtz reaction* : An ether solution of an alkyl halide (Preferably bromide or iodide) gives an alkane when heated with metallic sodium.



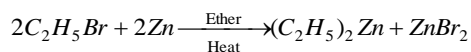
(c) *Reaction with magnesium* : Alkyl halides form Grignard reagent when treated with dry magnesium powder in dry ether.



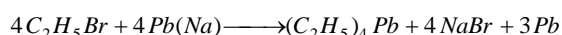
Grignard reagents are used for making a very large number of organic compounds.

(d) *Reaction with other metals* : Organometallic compounds are formed.

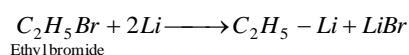
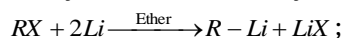
□ When heated with zinc powder in ether, alkyl halides form dialkyl zinc compounds. These are called Frankland reagents.



□ When heated with lead-sodium alloy, ethyl bromide gives tetra ethyl lead which is used as antiknock compound in petrol.

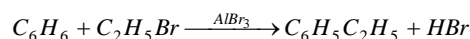
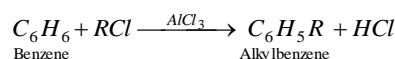


□ *Reaction with lithium* : Alkyl halides react with lithium in dry ether to form alkyl lithiums.

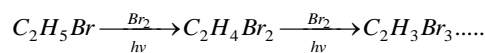


Alkyl lithiums are similar in properties with Grignard reagents. These are reactive reagents also.

(e) *Friedel-Craft's reaction* :



(f) *Substitution (Halogenation)* : Alkyl halides undergo further halogenation in presence of sunlight, heat energy or peroxide.

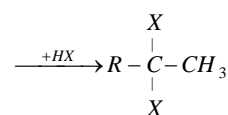
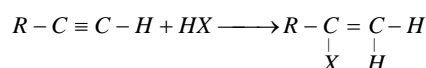


## Preparations and properties of Dihalides

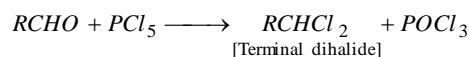
(1) **Methods of preparation of dihalides**

(i) **Methods of preparation of gemdihalide**

(a) *From alkyne (Hydrohalogenation)* :



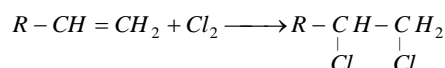
(b) *From carbonyl compound* :



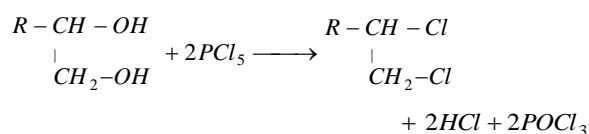
□ If ketone is taken internal dihalide formed.

(ii) **Methods of preparation of vicinal dihalide**

(a) *From alkene [By halogenation]* :



(b) *From vicinal glycol* :



(2) **Properties of dihalides**

(i) **Physical properties**

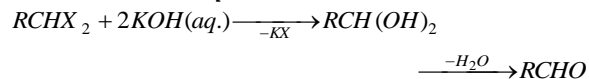
(a) Dihalide are colourless with pleasant smell liquid. Insoluble in water, soluble in organic solvent.

(b) *M.P* and *B.P*  $\propto$  -molecular mass.

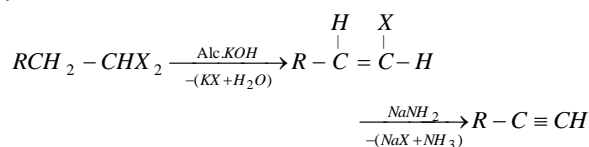
(c) Reactivity of vicinal dihalides > Gem dihalide.

(ii) **Chemical properties of dihalide**

(a) *Reaction with aqueous KOH* :

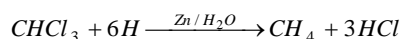


(b) *Reaction with alcoholic KOH* :

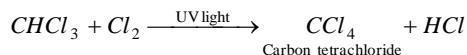




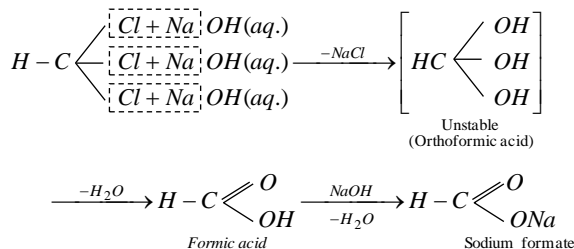
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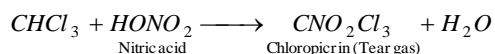
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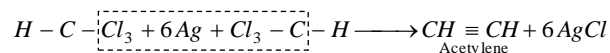
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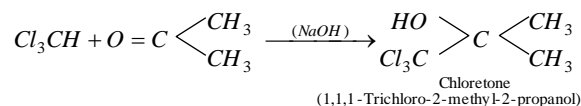
(v) **Nitration** : The hydrogen of the chloroform is replaced by nitro group when it is treated with concentrated nitric acid. The product formed is chloropicrin or trichloronitro methane or nitro chloroform. It is a liquid, poisonous and used as an insecticide and a war gas.



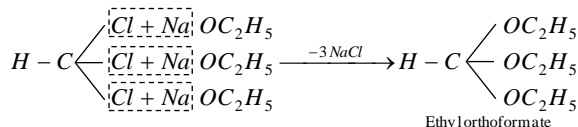
### (vi) Heating with silver powder :



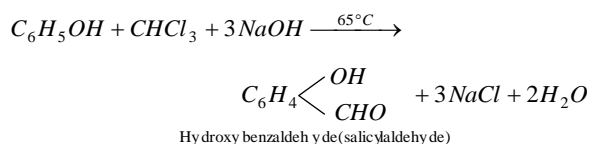
(vii) **Condensation with acetone** : Chloroform condenses with acetone on heating in presence of caustic alkalies. The product formed is a colourless crystalline solid called chloretone and is used as **hypnotic** in medicine.



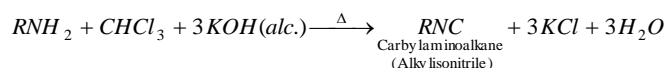
### (viii) Reaction with sodium ethoxide :



### (ix) Reimer-Tiemann reaction :



(x) **Carbylamine reaction** (Isocyanide test) : This reaction is actually the test of primary amines. Chloroform, when heated with primary amine in presence of alcoholic potassium hydroxide forms a derivative called isocyanide which has a very offensive smell.



This reaction is also used for the test of chloroform.

### (4) Uses

(i) It is used as a solvent for fats, waxes, rubber, resins, iodine, etc.

(ii) It is used for the preparation of chloretone (a drug) and chloropicrin (Insecticide).

(iii) It is used in laboratory for the test of primary amines, iodides and bromides.

(iv) It can be used as **anaesthetic** but due to harmful effects it is not used these days for this purpose.

(v) It may be used to prevent putrefaction of organic materials, i.e., in the preservation of anatomical species.

### (5) Tests of chloroform

(i) It gives isocyanide test (Carbylamine test).

(ii) It forms silver mirror with Tollen's reagent.

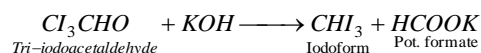
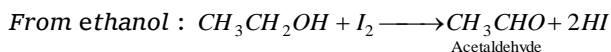
(iii) Pure Chloroform does not give white precipitate with silver nitrate.

### Iodoform or tri-iodomethane, CHI<sub>3</sub>

Iodoform resembles chloroform in the methods of preparation and properties.

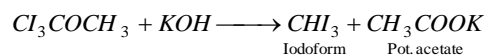
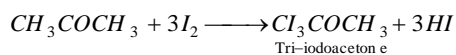
#### (1) Preparation

##### (i) Laboratory preparation :



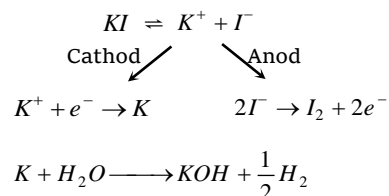
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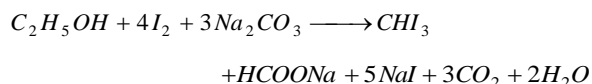


Sodium carbonate can be used in place of KOH or NaOH. These reactions are called iodoform reactions.

(ii) **Industrial preparation** : Iodoform is prepared on large scale by electrolysis of a solution containing ethanol, sodium carbonate and potassium iodide. The iodine set free, combine with ethanol in presence of alkali to form iodoform. The electrolysis carried out in presence of CO<sub>2</sub> and the temperature is maintained at 60-70°C.



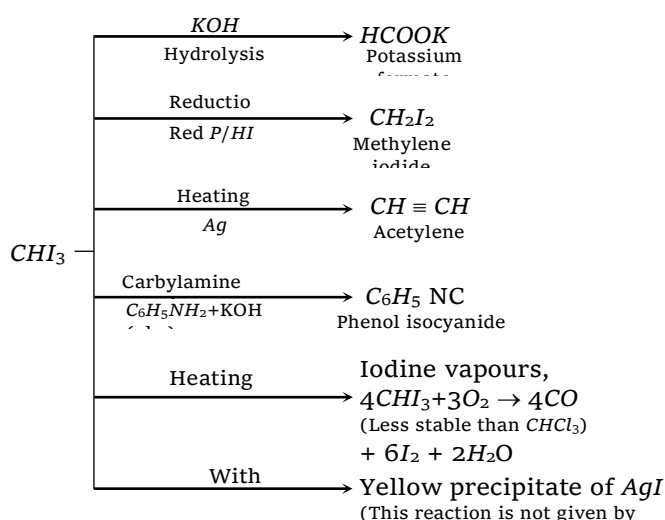
KOH is neutralised by  $CO_2$  :



## (2) Physical properties

- It is a yellow crystalline solid.
- It has a pungent characteristic odour.
- It is insoluble in water but soluble in organic solvents such as alcohol, ether, etc.
- It has melting point  $119^\circ C$ . It is steam volatile.

## (3) Chemical Reactions of iodoform



(4) **Uses** : Iodoform is extensively used as an **antiseptic** for dressing of wounds; but the antiseptic action is due to the liberation of free iodine and not due to iodoform itself. When it comes in contact with organic matter, iodine is liberated which is responsible for antiseptic properties.

## (5) Tests of iodoform

(i) **With  $AgNO_3$**  :  $CHI_3$  gives a yellow precipitate of  $AgI$ .

(ii) **Carbylamine reaction** :  $CHI_3$  on heating with primary amine and alcoholic KOH solution, gives an offensive smell of isocyanide (Carbylamine).

(iii) **Iodoform reaction** : With  $I_2$  and  $NaOH$  or  $I_2$  and  $Na_2CO_3$ , the iodoform test is mainly given by ethyl

alcohol ( $CH_3CH_2OH$ ), acetaldehyde ( $CH_3-\overset{O}{\underset{\parallel}{C}}-H$ ),  $\alpha$ -methyl ketone or 2-one ( $-\overset{O}{\underset{\parallel}{C}}-CH_3$ ), secondary alcohols

or 2-ol ( $-CHOH \cdot CH_3$ ) and secondary alkyl halide at  $C_2(-CHClCH_3)$ . Also lactic acid ( $CH_3-CHOH-COOH$ ),

Pyruvic acid ( $CH_3-\overset{O}{\underset{\parallel}{C}}-COOH$ ) and methyl phenyl ketone ( $C_6H_5-\overset{O}{\underset{\parallel}{C}}-CH_3$ ) give this test.

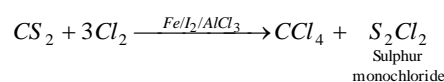
## Tetra-halides (Carbon tetrachloride, $CCl_4$ )

It is the most important tetrahalogen derivative of methane.

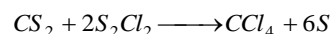
### (1) Manufacture

(i) **From methane** :  
 $CH_4 + 4Cl_2 \xrightarrow{400^\circ C} CCl_4 + 4HCl$

(ii) **From carbon disulphide** :

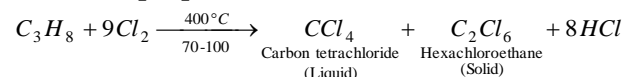


$S_2Cl_2$  further reacts with  $CS_2$  to form more of carbon tetrachloride.



Carbon tetrachloride is separated out by fractional distillation. It is washed with sodium hydroxide and then distilled to get a pure sample.

(iii) **From propane** :

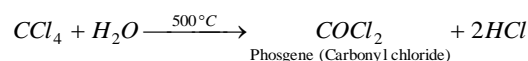


### (2) Physical properties

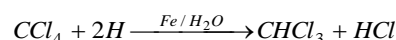
- It is a colourless liquid having characteristic smell.
- It is non-inflammable and poisonous. It has boiling point  $77^\circ C$ .
- It is insoluble in water but soluble in organic solvents.
- It is an excellent solvent for oils, fats, waxes and greases.

(3) **Chemical properties** : Carbon tetrachloride is less reactive and inert to most organic reagents. However, the following reactions are observed.

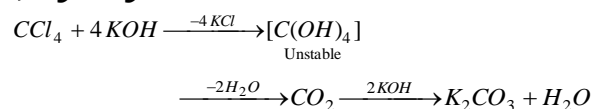
(i) **Reaction with steam** (Oxidation) :



(ii) **Reduction** :

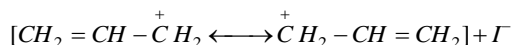


(iii) **Hydrolysis** :

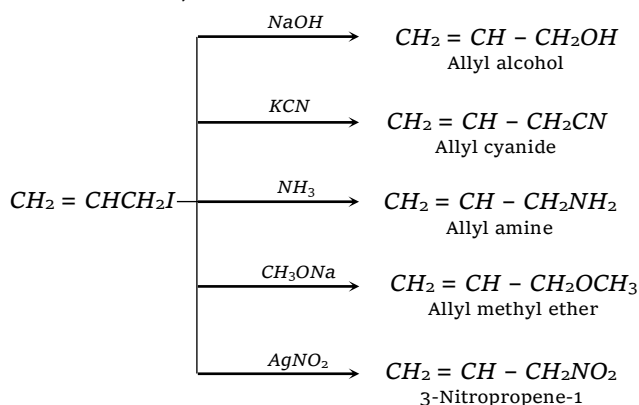




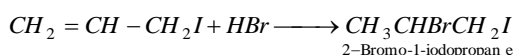
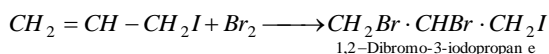




**Substitution reactions :** Nucleophilic substitution reactions occur,



**Addition reactions :** Electrophilic addition reactions take place in accordance to Markownikoff's rule.



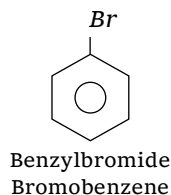
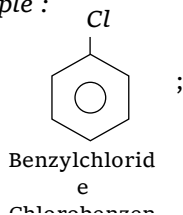
Allyl iodide is widely used in organic synthesis.

## Halo-arenes

In these compounds the halogen is linked directly to the carbon of the benzene nucleus.

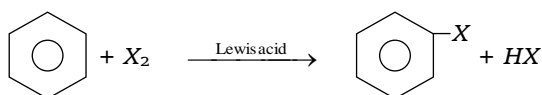
(1) **Nomenclature :** Common name is aryl halide IUPAC name is halo-arene.

Example :



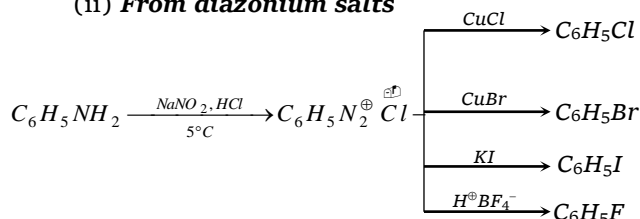
## (2) Methods of preparation

### (i) By direct halogenation of benzene ring

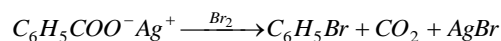


Lewis acid =  $FeX_3, AlX_3, Ti(OAC)_3$ ;  $X_2 = Cl_2, Br_2$

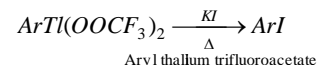
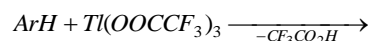
### (ii) From diazonium salts



### (iii) Hunsdiecker reaction :



### (iv) From Aryl thallium compound :



## (3) Physical properties

(i) **Physical state :** Haloarenes are colourless liquid or crystalline solid.

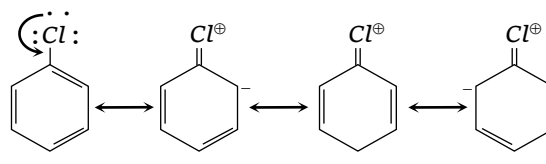
(ii) **Solubility :** They are insoluble in water, but dissolve readily in organic solvents. Insolubility is due to inability to form hydrogen bonding in water. Para isomer is less soluble than ortho isomer.

(iii) Halo-arenes are heavier than water.

(iv) B.P. of halo-arenes follow the trend. Iodo arene > Bromo arene > Chloro arene.

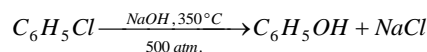
## (4) Chemical properties

**Inert nature of chlorobenzene :** Aryl halides are unreactive as compared to alkyl halides as the halogen atom in these compounds is firmly attached and cannot be replaced by nucleophiles. Such as  $OH^-, NH_2^-, CN^-$  etc.

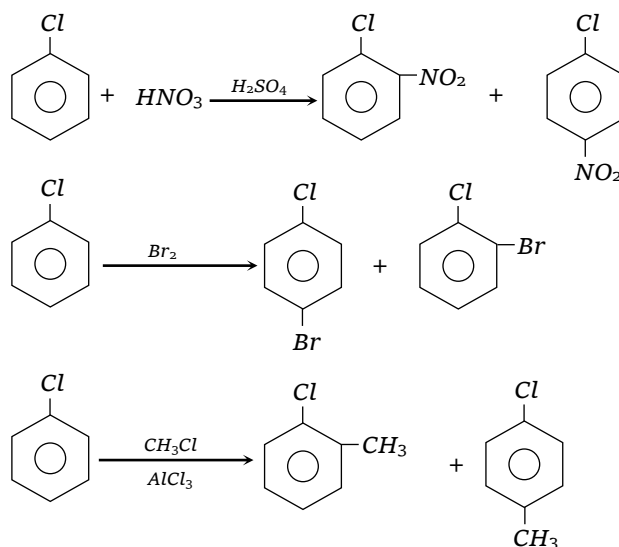


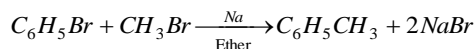
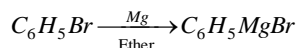
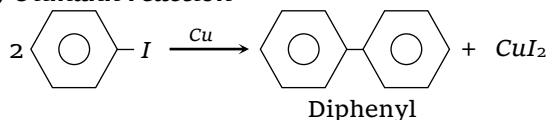
Thus delocalization of electrons by resonance in aryl halides, brings extra stability and double bond character between  $C-X$  bond. This makes the bond stronger and shorter than pure single bond. However under vigorous conditions the following nucleophilic substitution reactions are observed,

### (i) Nucleophilic displacement :



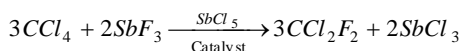
### (ii) Electrophilic aromatic substitution



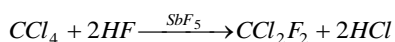
(iii) **Wurtz – fittig reaction :**(iv) **Formation of grignard reagent :**(v) **Ullmann reaction****Some more important halogen derivatives**

(1) **Freons** : The chloro fluoro derivatives of methane and ethane are called freons. Some of the derivatives are:  $CHF_2Cl$  (monochlorodifluoromethane),  $CF_2Cl_2$  (dichlorodifluoro-methane),  $HCF_2CHCl_2$  (1,1-dichloro-2,2-difluoroethane). These derivatives are non-inflammable, colourless, non-toxic, low boiling liquids. These are stable upto  $550^\circ C$ . The most important and useful derivative is  $CF_2Cl_2$  which is commonly known as **freon** and **freon-12**.

Freon or freon-12 ( $CF_2Cl_2$ ) is prepared by treating carbon tetrachloride with antimony trifluoride in the presence of antimony pentachloride as a catalyst.



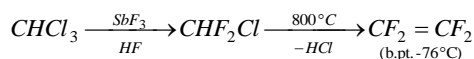
Or it can be obtained by reacting carbon tetrachloride with hydrofluoric acid in presence of antimony pentafluoride.



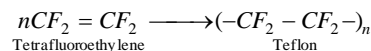
Under ordinary conditions freon is a gas. Its boiling point is  $-29.8^\circ C$ . It can easily be liquified. It is chemically inert. It is used in air-conditioning and in domestic refrigerators for cooling purposes (As refrigerant). It causes depletion of ozone layer.

(2) **Teflon** : It is plastic like substance produced by the polymerisation of tetrafluoroethylene ( $CF_2 = CF_2$ ).

Tetrafluoroethylene is formed when chloroform is treated with antimony trifluoride and hydrofluoric acid.

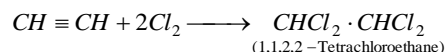


On polymerisation tetrafluoroethylene forms a plastic-like material which is called **teflon**.



Teflon is chemically inert substance. It is not affected by strong acids and even by boiling aqua-regia. It is stable at high temperatures. It is, thus, used for electrical insulation, preparation of gasket materials and non-sticking frying pans.

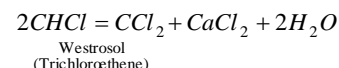
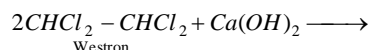
(3) **Acetylene tetrachloride (Westron),  $CHCl_2 \cdot CHCl_2$**  : Acetylene tetrachloride is also known as sym. tetrachloroethane. It is prepared by the action of chlorine on acetylene in presence of a catalyst such as ferric chloride, aluminium chloride, iron, quartz or kieselguhr.



In absence of catalyst, the reaction between chlorine and acetylene is highly explosive producing carbon and  $HCl$ . The reaction is less violent in presence of a catalyst.

It is a heavy, non-inflammable liquid. It boils at  $146^\circ C$ . It is highly toxic in nature. Its smell is similar to chloroform. It is insoluble in water but soluble in organic solvents.

On further chlorination, it forms penta and hexachloroethane. On heating with lime (Calcium hydroxide), it is converted to useful product **westrosol** ( $CCl_2 = CHCl$ ).



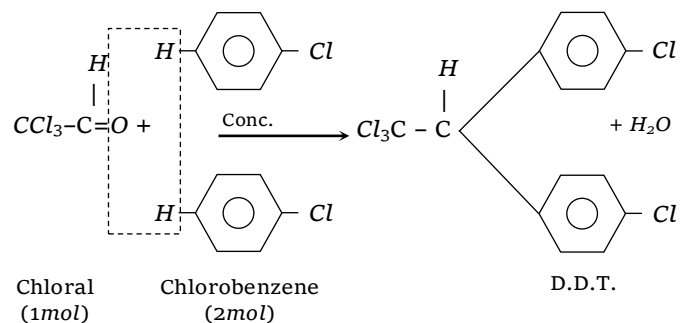
Both westron and westrosol are used as solvents for oils, fats, waxes, resins, varnishes and paints, etc.

(4) **p-Dichlorobenzene** : It is prepared by chlorination of benzene.

It is a white, volatile solid having melting point of  $325\text{ K}$ , which readily sublimes. It resembles chlorobenzene in their properties.

It is used as general insecticides, germicide, soil fumigant deodorant. It is used as a larvicide for cloth moth and peach tee borer.

(5) **DDT; 2, 2-bis (p-Chlorophenyl) -1,1,1-trichloroethane :**



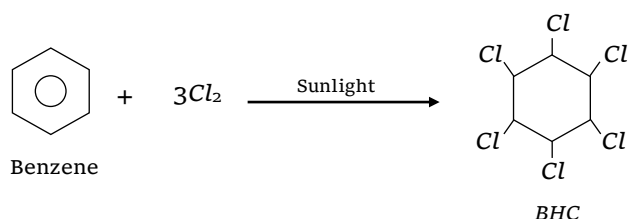
### Properties and uses of D.D.T.

(i) D.D.T. is almost insoluble in water but it is moderately soluble in polar solvents.

(ii) D.D.T. is a powerful insecticide. It is widely used as an insecticide for killing mosquitoes and other insects.

**Side Effects of D.D.T. :** D.D.T. is not biodegradable. Its residues accumulate in environment and its long term effects could be highly dangerous. It has been proved to be toxic to living beings. Therefore, its use has been abandoned in many western countries. However, in spite of its dangerous side effects, D.D.T. is still being widely used in India due to non-availability of other cheaper insecticides.

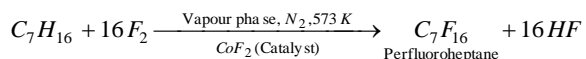
### (6) BHC (Benzene hexachloride), $C_6H_6Cl_6$ :



**Uses :** It is an important agricultural pesticide mainly used for exterminating white ants, leaf hopper, termite, etc. It is also known by the common name **gammaxene or lindane or 666**.

□ aaaaaa conformation of  $C_6H_6Cl_6$  is most powerful insecticide.

(7) **Perfluorocarbons (PFCs) :** Perfluorocarbons ( $C_nF_{2n+2}$ ) are obtained by controlled fluorination of vapourized alkanes diluted with nitrogen gas in the presence of a catalyst.



These are colourless, odourless, non-toxic, non-corrosive, non-flammable, non-polar, extremely stable and unreactive gases, liquids and solids. These are stable to ultraviolet radiations and other ionising radiations and therefore, they do not deplete the ozone layer like freons.

These are good electrical insulators. These have many important uses such as :

(i) These are used as lubricants, surface coatings and dielectrics.

(ii) These are used as heat transfer media in high voltage electrical equipment.

(iii) These are used for vapour phase soldering, gross leak detection of sealed microchips etc. in electronic industry.

(iv) These are also used in health care and medicine such as skin care cosmetics, wound healing,

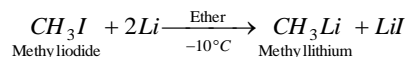
liquid ventilation, carbon monoxide poisoning and many medical diagnosis.

### Organometallic compounds

Organic compounds in which a metal atom is directly linked to carbon or organic compounds which contain at least one carbon-metal bond are called organometallic compounds.

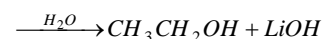
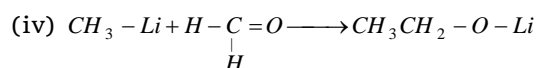
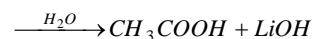
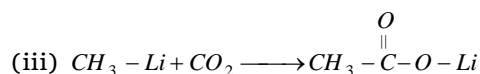
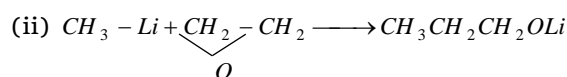
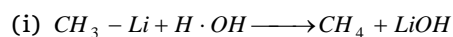
**Example :** Methyl lithium ( $CH_3Li$ ), Dialkyl zinc ( $R_2Zn$ ), Alkyl magnesium halide ( $R-Mg-X$ )

#### (1) Methyl lithium :

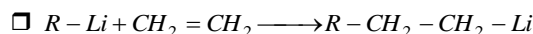


□ High reactivity of  $CH_3Li$  over grignard reagent is due to greater polar character of  $C-Li$  bond in comparison to  $C-Mg$  bond.

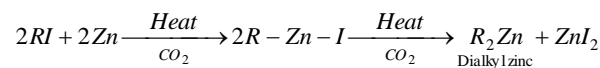
#### Chemical properties



□ Unlike grignard reagents, alkyl lithium can add to an alkenic double bond.

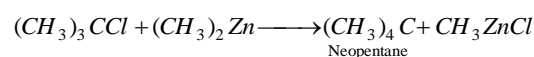


(2) **Dialkyl zinc :** First organometallic compound discovered by Frankland in 1849.



#### Chemical properties

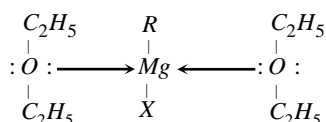
Preparation of quaternary hydrocarbon :



(3) **Grignard reagent :** Grignard reagent are prepared by the action of alkyl halide on dry burn magnesium in presence of alcohol free dry ether.

Dry ether dissolves the grignard reagent through solvation.

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Grignard reagents are never isolated in free state on account of their explosive nature.

□ For given alkyl radical the ease of formation of a grignard reagent is, Iodide > Bromide > Chloride

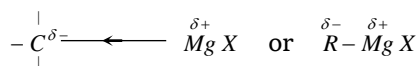
Usually alkyl bromides are used.

□ For a given halogen, the ease of formation of grignard reagent is,  $\text{CH}_3\text{X} > \text{C}_2\text{H}_5\text{X} > \text{C}_3\text{H}_7\text{X}$ .....

□ Since tertiary alkyl iodides eliminate HI to form an alkene, tertiary alkyl chlorides are used in place of tertiary alkyl iodides.

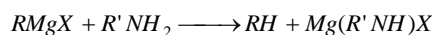
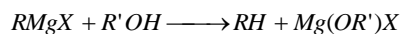
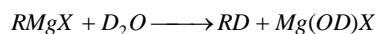
□ Grignard reagent cannot be prepared from a compound which consists in addition to halogen, some reactive group such as  $-\text{OH}$  because it will react rapidly with the grignard reagent.

The  $\text{C}-\text{Mg}$  bond in grignard reagent is somewhat covalent but highly polar.

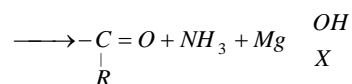
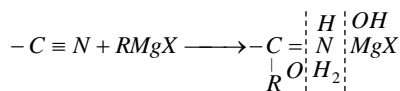
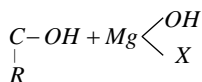
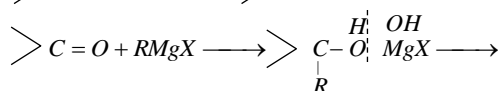
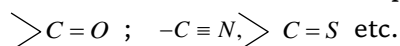


The alkyl group acts as carbanion. The majority of reaction of grignard reagent fall into two groups:

(i) Double decomposition with compound containing active hydrogen atom or reactive halogen atom



(ii) Addition reaction with compounds containing



## Tips & Tricks

✗ Iodination of alkanes is a reversible process, therefore, formation of iodoalkanes is possible only in the presence of oxidising agents such as  $\text{HIO}_3$ .

✗ Iodination with methane does not take place at all.

✗ Fluorination of alkanes takes place with rupture of  $\text{C}-\text{C}$  bonds in higher alkanes. Therefore alkyl fluorides are generally prepared by halide exchange reactions.

✗ Phosphorous halides are generally used to prepare lower alkyl bromides in the laboratory.

✗  $\text{SOBr}_2$  is less stable and  $\text{SOI}_2$  does not exist. Thus,  $\text{R}-\text{Br}$  and  $\text{R}-\text{I}$  cannot be prepared by Darzan's method.

✗ Hunsdiecker reaction proceeds through free radical mechanism. It is used to reduce the length of carbon chain.

✗ Reactivity of halides towards  $\text{S}_\text{N}^1$  mechanism is  $3^\circ > 2^\circ > 1^\circ$ .

✗ Reactivity of halides towards  $\text{S}_\text{N}^2$  mechanism is  $1^\circ > 2^\circ > 3^\circ$ .

✗ Polar solvents favour  $\text{S}_\text{N}^1$  mechanism.

✗ Non polar solvents favour  $\text{S}_\text{N}^2$  mechanism.

✗ High concentration of nucleophile favour  $\text{S}_\text{N}^2$  mechanism while low concentration of nucleophile favour  $\text{S}_\text{N}^1$  mechanism.

✗  $\text{S}_\text{N}^1$  reactions partial racemisation occurs with inverted product predominant in yield whereas in  $\text{S}_\text{N}^2$  reactions, inverted product is formed.

✗ Order of nucleophilicity among halide ions decreases in the order  $\text{I}^- > \text{Br}^- > \text{Cl}^- > \text{F}^-$ .

✗ During elimination reactions, the H atom is lost from the carbon atom carrying minimum number of H atom.

✗  $\text{C}_2\text{H}_5\text{SH}$  (Ethyl mercaptan) is added to LPG (household cooking gas) to detect leakage. The

compound has a typical smell.

✍ In Sandmeyer reaction,  $Cl$  of  $CuCl$  is attached to benzene ring.

✍ Nuclear halogenation takes place by electrophilic substitution mechanism whereas side chain halogenation takes place by free radical mechanism.

✍ Aryl halides and vinyl halides ( $CH_2 = CH - X$ ) are less reactive than alkyl halides and are not easily hydrolysed. Thus alkyl halides on reaction with  $NaOH$  give coloured precipitate but aryl and vinyl halide does not.

✍ Before using the sample of chloroform as an anaesthetic it is tested by treating with aqueous solution of  $AgNO_3$ . A pure sample does not give ppt. with aq.  $AgNO_3$ .

✍ Halothane,  $CF_3-CHClBr$ , is a general anaesthetic which replace diethyl ether.

✍  $CCl_4$  resist hydrolysis with boiling water due to non availability of  $d$ -orbital in  $C$ .

✍  $C_2Cl_6$  is an solid and is known as artificial camphor.

✍ Chlorobenzene commercially produced by Raschig process.

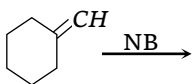
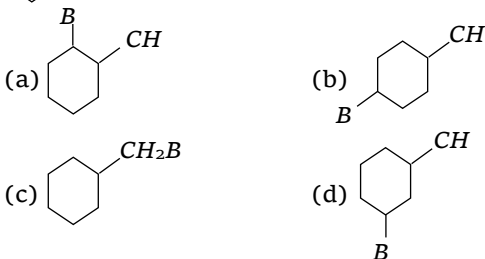


- (a)  $CH_3CH_2Cl + HCl$   
 (b)  $C_2H_5Cl + HCl + SO_2$   
 (c)  $CH_3CH_2Cl + H_2O + SO_2$   
 (d)  $CH_3CH_2Cl + HCl + SO_2$
8. Preparation of alkyl halides in laboratory is least preferred by [DPMT 2000]  
 (a) Treatment of alcohols  
 (b) Addition of hydrogen halides to alkenes  
 (c) Halide exchange  
 (d) Direct halogenation of alkanes
9. Which of the following organic compounds will give a mixture of 1-chlorobutane and 2-chlorobutane on chlorination [CPMT 2001]  
 (a)  $CH_3 - \underset{\substack{| \\ CH_3}}{CH} - CH = CH_2$   
 (b)  $HC \equiv C - \underset{\substack{| \\ H}}{C} = CH_2$   
 (c)  $CH_2 = CH - CH = CH_2$   
 (d)  $CH_2 = CH - CH_2 - CH_3$
10. The chlorobenzene is generally obtained from a corresponding diazonium salt by reacting it with [MP PMT 2000]  
 (a)  $Cu_2Cl_2$  (b)  $CuSO_4$   
 (c)  $Cu$  (d)  $Cu(NH_3)_4^{2+}$
11. Decreasing order of reactivity of  $HX$  in the reaction  $ROH + HX \rightarrow RX + H_2O$  [RPET 2000; AIIMS 1983; MP PET 1996]  
 (a)  $HI > HBr > HCl > HF$  (b)  $HBr > HCl > HI > HF$   
 (c)  $HCl > HBr > HI > HF$  (d)  $HF > HBr > HCl > HI$
12. The product of the following reaction :  $CH_2 = CH - CCl_3 + HBr$  [RPET 2000]  
 (a)  $CH_3 - CH(Br) - CCl_3$  (b)  $CH_2(Br) - CH_2 - CCl_3$   
 (c)  $BrCH_2 - CHCl - CHCl_2$  (d)  $CH_3 - CH_2 - CCl_3$
13. Chlorobenzene is prepared commercially by [JIPMER 2000; CPMT 1976; Pb. CET 2002]  
 (a) Raschig process (b) Wurtz Fitting reaction  
 (c) Friedel-Craft's reaction (d) Grignard reaction
14. In methyl alcohol solution, bromine reacts with ethylene to yield  $BrCH_2CH_2OCH_3$  in addition to 1, 2-dibromoethane because [Pb. PMT 1998]  
 (a) The ion formed initially may react with  $Br^-$  or  $CH_3OH$   
 (b) The methyl alcohol solvates the bromine  
 (c) The reaction follows Markownikoff's rule  
 (d) This is a free-radical mechanism
15.  $C_3H_8 + Cl_2 \xrightarrow{\text{Light}} C_3H_7Cl + HCl$  is an example of which of the following types of reactions [AFMC 1997; CPMT 1999]  
 (a) Substitution (b) Elimination  
 (c) Addition (d) Rearrangement
16. Which of the following would be produced when acetylene reacts with  $HCl$  [MH CET 1999]  
 (a)  $CH_3CH_2Cl$  (b)  $CH_3CHCl_2$   
 (c)  $CHCl = CHCl$  (d)  $CH_2 = CHCl$
17.  $R-OH + HX \rightarrow R-X + H_2O$   
 In the above reaction, the reactivity of different alcohols is [CPMT 1997]  
 (a) Tertiary > Secondary > Primary  
 (b) Tertiary < Secondary < Primary  
 (c) Tertiary < Secondary > Primary  
 (d) Secondary < Primary < Tertiary
18.  $C_6H_6 + Cl_2 \xrightarrow{\text{UV Light}} \text{Product}$ . In above reaction product is [CPMT 1997]  
 (a)  $CCl_3CHO$  (b)  $C_6H_6Cl_6$   
 (c)  $C_6H_{12}Cl_6$  (d)  $C_6H_9Cl_2$
19. Benzene reacts with chlorine to form benzene hexachloride in presence of [MP PET 1999]  
 (a) Nickel (b)  $AlCl_3$   
 (c) Bright sunlight (d) Zinc
20. The final product obtained by distilling ethyl alcohol with the excess of chlorine and  $Ca(OH)_2$  is [MP PET 1999]  
 (a)  $CH_3CHO$  (b)  $CCl_3CHO$   
 (c)  $CHCl_3$  (d)  $(CH_3)_2O$
21. When ethyl alcohol and  $KI$  reacted in presence of  $Na_2CO_3$ , yellow crystals of..... are formed [AFMC 1989]  
 (a)  $CHI_3$  (b)  $CH_3I$   
 (c)  $CH_2I_2$  (d)  $C_2H_5I$
22. In preparation of  $CHCl_3$  from ethanol and bleaching powder, the latter provides [BHU 1986]  
 (a)  $Ca(OH)_2$  (b)  $Cl_2$   
 (c) Both (a) and (b) (d) None of these
23. Which one of the following processes does not occur during formation of  $CHCl_3$  from  $C_2H_5OH$  and bleaching powder [DPMT 1984]  
 (a) Hydrolysis (b) Oxidation  
 (c) Reduction (d) Chlorination
24. Which of the following is obtained when chloral is boiled with  $NaOH$  [CBSE PMT 1991; RPMT 1999]  
 (a)  $CH_3Cl$  (b)  $CHCl_3$   
 (c)  $CCl_4$  (d) None of these
25. Chloroform can be obtained from [MNR 1986]  
 (a) Methanol (b) Methanal  
 (c) Propanol-1 (d) Propanol-2
26. Chlorine reacts with ethanol to give [MP PMT 1989; CPMT 1997; KCET 1998; JIPMER 1999]  
 (a) Ethyl chloride (b) Chloroform  
 (c) Acetaldehyde (d) Chloral

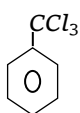
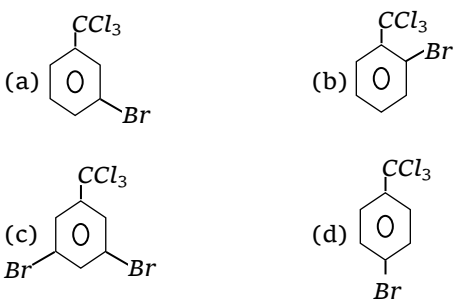
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27. On heating diethyl ether with conc.  $HI$ , 2 moles of which of the following is formed  
[IIT-JEE 1983; MP PET 1990; EAMCET 1990; AFMC 1993; JIPMER 2001]  
(a) Ethanol (b) Iodoform  
(c) Ethyl iodide (d) Methyl iodide
28. Lucas reagent is [MP PMT 1996; MP PET 1992, 95; CPMT 1986, 89; AIIMS 1980; Kurukshetra CEE 2002]  
(a) Concentrated  $HCl$  + anhydrous  $ZnCl_2$   
(b) Dilute  $HCl$  + hydrated  $ZnCl_2$   
(c) Concentrated  $HNO_3$  + anhydrous  $ZnCl_2$   
(d) Concentrated  $HCl$  + anhydrous  $MgCl_2$
29. Which compound does not form iodoform with alkali and iodine [IIT-JEE 1985]  
(a) Acetone (b) Ethanol  
(c) Diethyl ketone (d) Isopropyl alcohol
30. Which compound gives yellow ppt. with iodine and alkali [IIT-JEE 1984]  
(a) 2-hydroxy propane (b) Acetophenone  
(c) Methyl acetone (d) Acetamide
31. Acetone reacts with  $I_2$  in presence of  $NaOH$  to form [MP PMT 1992]  
(a)  $C_2H_5I$  (b)  $C_2H_4I_2$   
(c)  $CHI_3$  (d)  $CH_3I$
32. Ethanol is converted into ethyl chloride by reacting with [MP PET 1991; MP PMT 1990; BHU 1997]  
(a)  $Cl_2$  (b)  $SOCl_2$   
(c)  $HCl$  (d)  $NaCl$
33.  $C_6H_5Cl$  prepared by aniline with [IIT-JEE 1984]  
(a)  $HCl$   
(b)  $Cu_2Cl_2$   
(c)  $Cl_2$  in presence of anhydrous  $AlCl_3$   
(d)  $HNO_2$  and then heated with  $Cu_2Cl_2$
34. The starting substance for the preparation of  $CH_3I$  is [CPMT 1975]  
(a)  $CH_3OH$  (b)  $C_2H_5OH$   
(c)  $CH_3CHO$  (d)  $(CH_3)_2CO$
35. A Grignard's reagent may be made by reacting magnesium with [CPMT 1973, 83, 84]  
(a) Methyl amine (b) Diethyl ether  
(c) Ethyl iodide (d) Ethyl alcohol
36. Which of the following is responsible for iodoform reaction [CPMT 1980; RPMT 1997]  
(a) Formalin (b) Methanol  
(c) Acetic acid (d) Ethanol
37. When a solution of sodium chloride containing ethyl alcohol is electrolysed, it forms  
(a) Ethyl alcohol (b) Chloral  
(c) Chloroform (d) Acetaldehyde
38. Which reagent cannot be used to prepare an alkyl halide from an alcohol [CPMT 1989, 94]  
(a)  $HCl + ZnCl_2$  (b)  $NaCl$   
(c)  $PCl_5$  (d)  $SOCl_2$
39. Ethyl benzoate reacts with  $PCl_5$  to give [KCET 2003]  
(a)  $C_2H_5Cl + C_6H_5COCl + POCl_3 + HCl$   
(b)  $C_2H_5Cl + C_6H_5COCl + POCl_3$   
(c)  $CH_3COCl + C_6H_5COCl + POCl_3$   
(d)  $C_2H_5Cl + C_6H_5COOH + POCl_3$
40. On treatment with chlorine in presence of sunlight, toluene gives the product [Orissa JEE 2003; MH CET 1999, 2002]  
(a) o-chloro toluene (b) 2, 5-dichloro toluene  
(c) p-chloro toluene (d) Benzyl chloride
41. When chlorine is passed through warm benzene in presence of the sunlight, the product obtained is [KCET 2003]  
(a) Benzotrichloride (b) Chlorobenzene  
(c) Gammexane (d) DDT
42. Which of the following acids adds to propene in the presence of peroxide to give anti-Markownikoff's product [MP PET 2003]  
(a)  $HF$  (b)  $HCl$   
(c)  $HBr$  (d)  $HI$
43. Propene on treatment with  $HBr$  gives [CPMT 1986]  
(a) Isopropyl bromide (b) Propyl bromide  
(c) 1, 2-dibromoethane (d) None of the above
44. The catalyst used in Raschig's process is  
(a)  $LiAlH_4$  (b) Copper chloride  
(c) Sunlight (d) Ethanol/ $Na$
45. The compound formed on heating chlorobenzene with chloral in the presence of concentrated sulphuric acid, is [AIEEE 2004]  
(a) Freon (b) DDT  
(c) Gammexene (d) Hexachloroethane
46. Acetone is mixed with bleaching powder to give [AFMC 2004]  
(a) Chloroform (b) Acetaldehyde  
(c) Ethanol (d) Phosgene
47. Which of the following compounds gives trichloromethane on distilling with bleaching powder [KCET 2004; EAMCET 1986]  
(a) Methanal (b) Phenol  
(c) Ethanol (d) Methanol
48. The product formed on reaction of ethyl alcohol with bleaching powder is [Orissa JEE 2004; DPMT 1978; AIIMS 2004]  
(a)  $CHCl_3$  (b)  $CCl_3CHO$   
(c)  $CH_3COCH_3$  (d)  $CH_3CHO$



49. Ethylene reacts with bromine to form [Pb. CET 2000]  
 (a) Chloroethane (b) Ethylene dibromide  
 (c) Cyclohexane (d) 1-bromo propane
50. Best method of preparing alkyl chloride is [MH CET 2004]  
 (a)  $ROH + SOCl_2 \longrightarrow$   
 (b)  $ROH + PCl_5 \longrightarrow$   
 (c)  $ROH + PCl_3 \longrightarrow$   
 (d)  $ROH + HCl \xrightarrow{\text{anhy. ZnCl}_2}$
51. DDT is prepared by reacting chlorobenzene with [BHU 1998, 2005]  
 (a)  $CCl_4$  (b)  $CCl_3 - CHO$   
 (c)  $CHCl_3$  (d) Ethane
52. Which compound needs chloral in its synthesis [Pb. PET 2003]  
 (a) D. D. T. (b) Gammexane  
 (c) Chloroform (d) Michler's Ketone
53. To get DDT, chlorobenzene has to react with which of the following compounds in the presence of concentrated sulphuric acid [KCET (Engg/Med.) 2001]  
 (a) Trichloroethane (b) Dichloroacetone  
 (c) Dichloroacetaldehyde (d) Trichloroacetaldehyde
54. What will be the product in the following reaction [BHU 2005]
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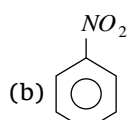
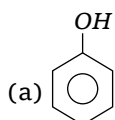
## Properties of Halogen containing compounds

1.  A. Compounds A is [Orissa JEE 2005]
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2. Ethyl bromide can be converted into ethyl alcohol by [KCET 1989]  
 (a) Heating with dilute hydrochloric acid and zinc  
 (b) Boiling with an alcoholic solution of KOH  
 (c) The action of moist silver oxide  
 (d) Refluxing methanol
- Reaction of ethyl chloride with sodium leads to [NCERT 1984]  
 (a) Ethane (b) Propane  
 (c) n-butane (d) n-pentane
4. Treatment of ammonia with excess of ethyl chloride will yield [AIIMS 1992]  
 (a) Diethyl amine  
 (b) Ethane  
 (c) Tetraethyl ammonium chloride  
 (d) Methyl amine
5.  $2CHCl_3 + O_2 \xrightarrow{X} 2COCl_2 + 2HCl$   
 In the above reaction, X stands for  
 (a) An oxidant (b) A reductant  
 (c) Light and air (d) None of these
6. Phosgene is the common name for [DPMT 1983; CPMT 1993; MP PMT 1994; Kurukshetra CEE 1998; RPMT 2000, 02]  
 (a)  $CO_2$  and  $PH_3$  (b) Phosphoryl chloride  
 (c) Carbonyl chloride (d) Carbon tetrachloride
7. When chloroform is treated with amine and KOH, we get [CPMT 1979]  
 (a) Rose odour smell  
 (b) Sour almond like smell  
 (c) Offensive odour  
 (d) Sour oil of winter green like smell
8. A mixture of two organic chlorine compounds was treated with sodium metal in ether solution. Isobutane was obtained as a product. The two chlorine compounds are [KCET 1988]  
 (a) Methyl chloride and propyl chloride  
 (b) Methyl chloride and ethyl chloride  
 (c) Isopropyl chloride and methyl chloride  
 (d) Isopropyl chloride and ethyl chloride
9. Alkyl halides can be converted into Grignard reagents by [KCET 1989]  
 (a) Boiling them with Mg ribbon in alcoholic solution  
 (b) Warming them with magnesium powder in dry ether  
 (c) Refluxing them with  $MgCl_2$  solution  
 (d) Warming them with  $MgCl_2$
10. Which is not present in Grignard reagent [CBSE PMT 1991]  
 (a) Methyl group (b) Magnesium  
 (c) Halogen (d)  $-COOH$  group

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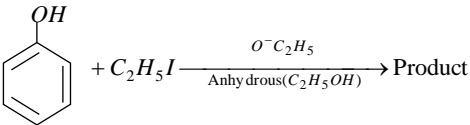
11. The reactivity of ethyl chloride is [KCET 1986]
  - (a) More or less equal to that of benzyl chloride
  - (b) More than that of benzyl chloride
  - (c) More or less equal to that of chlorobenzene
  - (d) Less than that of chlorobenzene
12. The reactivity of halogen atom is minimum in [KCET 1985]
  - (a) Propyl chloride
  - (b) Propyl iodide
  - (c) Isopropyl chloride
  - (d) Isopropyl bromide
13. Chlorobenzene is
  - (a) Less reactive than benzyl chloride
  - (b) More reactive than ethyl bromide
  - (c) Nearly as reactive as methyl chloride
  - (d) More reactive than isopropyl chloride
14. The reactivities of methyl chloride, propyl chloride and chlorobenzene are in the order [KCET 1988]
  - (a) Methyl chloride > propyl chloride > chlorobenzene
  - (b) Propyl chloride > methyl chloride > chlorobenzene
  - (c) Methyl chloride > chlorobenzene > propyl chloride
  - (d) Chlorobenzene > propyl chloride > methyl chloride
15. Which of the following compound will make precipitate most readily with  $AgNO_3$  [CPMT 1992]
  - (a)  $CCl_3CHO$
  - (b)  $CHCl_3$
  - (c)  $C_6H_5CH_2Cl$
  - (d)  $CHI_3$
16. Carbylamine is liberated when..... is heated with chloroform and alcoholic potash [KCET 1992]
  - (a) An aldehyde
  - (b) A primary amine
  - (c) A secondary amine
  - (d) A phenol
17. Salicylic acid can be prepared using Reimer-Tiemann's reaction by treating phenol with [KCET 1989]
  - (a) Methyl chloride in the presence of anhydrous aluminium chloride
  - (b) Carbon dioxide under pressure in sodium hydroxide solution
  - (c) Carbon tetrachloride and concentrated sodium hydroxide
  - (d) Sodium nitrite and a few drops of concentrated sulphuric acid
18. Grignard reagent is prepared by the reaction between [CBSE PMT 1994; DPMT 1996; Pb. PMT 1999; MH CET 1999]
  - (a) Zinc and alkyl halide
  - (b) Magnesium and alkyl halide
  - (c) Magnesium and alkane
  - (d) Magnesium and aromatic hydrocarbon
19. Reaction of *t*-butyl bromide with sodium methoxide produces [CBSE PMT 1994]
  - (a) Isobutane
  - (b) Isobutylene
  - (c) Sodium *t*-butoxide
  - (d) *t*-butyl methyl ether
20. War gas is formed from [BHU 1995]
  - (a)  $PH_3$
  - (b)  $C_2H_2$
  - (c) Zinc phosphate
  - (d) Chloropicrin
21. What happens when  $CCl_4$  is treated with  $AgNO_3$  [EAMCET 1987; CBSE PMT 1988; MP PET 2000]
  - (a)  $NO_2$  will be evolved
  - (b) A white ppt. of  $AgCl$  will be formed
  - (c)  $CCl_4$  will dissolve in  $AgNO_3$
  - (d) Nothing will happen
22. If we use pyrene ( $CCl_4$ ) in the Reimer-Tiemann reaction in place of chloroform, the product formed is [CBSE PMT 1989; MP PMT 1990; MH CET 1999]
  - (a) Salicylaldehyde
  - (b) Phenolphthalein
  - (c) Salicylic acid
  - (d) Cyclohexanol
23.  $C_6H_5CH_2Cl + KCN(aq.) \rightarrow X + Y$   
Compounds X and Y are [BHU 1979]
  - (a)  $C_6H_6 + KCl$
  - (b)  $C_6H_5CH_2CN + KCl$
  - (c)  $C_6H_5CH_3 + KCl$
  - (d) None of these
24. The bad smelling substance formed by the action of alcoholic caustic potash on chloroform and aniline is [MP PMT 1971, 92, 2001; CPMT 1971, 86; AFMC 2002; RPMT 1999]
  - (a) Phenyl isocyanide
  - (b) Nitrobenzene
  - (c) Phenyl cyanide
  - (d) Phenyl isocyanate
25. Ethylidene chloride on treatment with aqueous KOH gives [MP PMT 1986]
  - (a) Ethylene glycol
  - (b) Acetaldehyde
  - (c) Formaldehyde
  - (d) None
26. Reaction  $C_2H_5I + C_5H_{11}I + 2Na \rightarrow C_2H_5 - C_5H_{11} + 2NaI$  is called [MP PMT 1992]
  - (a) Hoffmann's reaction
  - (b) Dow's reaction
  - (c) Wurtz's reaction
  - (d) Reimer-Tiemann's reaction
27. In presence of  $AlCl_3$ , benzene and *n*-propyl bromide react in Friedal-Craft's reaction to form [MP PMT]
  - (a) *n*-propyl benzene
  - (b) 1, 2-dinormal propyl benzene
  - (c) 1, 4-dinormal propyl benzene
  - (d) Isopropyl benzene
28. The dehydrobromination of 2-bromobutane gives  $CH_3CH = CHCH_3$ . The product is
  - (a) Hofmann product
  - (b) Saytzeff product
  - (c) Hoffmann-Saytzeff product
  - (d) Markownikoff product
29. Ethylene difluoride on hydrolysis gives
  - (a) Glycol
  - (b) Fluoroethanol

- (c) Difluoroethanol (d) Freon
30. Benzyl chloride when oxidised by  $pb(NO_3)_2$  gives  
[MP PMT 1989]  
(a) Benzoic acid (b) Benzaldehyde  
(c) Benzene (d) None
31. Which of the following statements about chloroform is false  
[Manipal MEE 1995]  
(a) It is a colourless, sweet-smelling liquid  
(b) It is almost insoluble in water  
(c) It is highly inflammable  
(d) It can be used as an inhalational anaesthetic agent
32.  $CCl_4$  cannot give precipitate with  $AgNO_3$  due to  
[CPMT 1979]  
(a) Formation of complex with  $AgNO_3$   
(b) Evolution of  $Cl_2$  gas  
(c) Chloride ion is not formed  
(d)  $AgNO_3$  does not give silver ion
33. On heating  $CHCl_3$  with aq.  $NaOH$ , the product is  
[CPMT 1971, 78; BHU 1997; EAMCET 1998; JIPMER (Med.) 2002]  
(a)  $CH_3COONa$  (b)  $HCOONa$   
(c) Sodium oxalate (d)  $CH_3OH$
34. Ethyl bromide reacts with lead-sodium alloy to form  
[MP PMT/PET 1988; MP PET 1997]  
(a) Tetraethyl lead (b) Tetraethyl bromide  
(c) Both (a) and (b) (d) None of the above
35. Iodoform heated with  $Ag$  powder to form [DPMT 1985]  
(a) Acetylene (b) Ethylene  
(c) Methane (d) Ethane
36. Ethyl bromide reacts with silver nitrite to form  
[DPMT 1985; IIT-JEE 1991]  
(a) Nitroethane  
(b) Nitroethane and ethyl nitrite  
(c) Ethyl nitrite  
(d) Ethane
37. Which of the following reactions leads to the formation of chloritone  
[RPMT 2003]  
(a)  $CHCl_3 + CH_3COCH_3$  (b)  $CCl_4 +$  Acetone  
(c)  $CHCl_3 + KOH$  (d)  $CHCl_3 + HNO_3$
38.  $CH_3 - CH_2 - CH_2Br + KOH$  (alc.)  $\rightarrow$  Product Product in above reaction is  
[RPMT 2003]  
(a)  $CH_3 - CH = CH_2$  (b)  $CH_3 - CH_2 - CH_3$   
(c) (a) and (b) both (d) None of these
39.  $A + CCl_4 + KOH \rightarrow$  Salicylic acid  
'A' in above reaction is [RPMT 2003]






40. Identify  $X$  and  $Y$  in the following sequence  
 $C_2H_5Br \xrightarrow{X} \text{product} \xrightarrow{Y} C_3H_7NH_2$   
[Orissa JEE 2005]  
(a)  $X = KCN, Y = LiAlH_4$   
(b)  $X = KCN, Y = H_3O^+$   
(c)  $X = CH_3Cl, Y = AlCl_3 / HCl$   
(d)  $X = CH_3NH_2, Y = HNO_2$
41. 1-chlorobutane reacts with alcoholic  $KOH$  to form  
[IIT-JEE 1991; AFMC 1998]  
(a) 1-butene (b) 2-butane  
(c) 1-butanol (d) 2-butanol
42. Which of the following reactions gives  $H_2C = C = C = CH_2$  [Roorkee Qualifying 1998]  
(a)  $CH_2Br - CBr = CH_2 \xrightarrow{Zn / CH_3OH}$   
(b)  $HC \equiv C - CH_2 - COOH \xrightarrow[40^\circ C]{Aq. K_2CO_3}$   
(c)  $CH_2Br - C \equiv C - CH_2Br \xrightarrow[Heat]{Zn}$   
(d)  $2CH_2 = CH - CH_2I \longrightarrow$
43. When ethyl amine is heated with chloroform and alcoholic  $KOH$ , a compound with offensive smell is obtained. This compound is [CPMT 1983, 84; RPMT 2002]  
(a) A secondary amine (b) An isocyanide  
(c) A cyanide (d) An acid
44. Chlorobenzene on fusing with solid  $NaOH$  gives  
[DPMT 1981; CPMT 1990]  
(a) Benzene (b) Benzoic acid  
(c) Phenol (d) Benzene chloride
45. DDT can be prepared by reacting chlorobenzene (in the presence of conc.  $H_2SO_4$ ) with  
(a)  $Cl_2$  in ultraviolet light (b) Chloroform  
(c) Trichloroacetone (d) Chloral hydrate
46. When phenol reacts with  $CHCl_3$  and  $KOH$ , the product obtained would be [RPMT 1997]  
(a) Salicylaldehyde (b)  $p$ -hydroxy benzaldehyde  
(c) Both (a) and (b) (d) Chloretone
47. Ethyl chloride on heating with silver cyanide forms a compound  $X$ . The functional isomer of  $X$  is  
[EAMCET 1997; KCET 2005]  
(a)  $C_2H_5NC$  (b)  $C_2H_5CN$   
(c)  $H_3C - NH - CH_3$  (d)  $C_2H_5NH_2$
48. Which of the following statements is incorrect [CPMT 1977]

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- (a)  $C_2H_5Br$  reacts with alco.  $KOH$  to form  $C_2H_5OH$
- (b)  $C_2H_5Br$  when treated with metallic sodium gives ethane
- (c)  $C_2H_5Br$  when treated with sodium ethoxide forms diethyl ether
- (d)  $C_2H_5Br$  with  $AgCN$  forms ethyl isocyanide
49. When chloroform is exposed to air and sunlight, it gives  
[NCERT 1984; CPMT 1978, 87; CBSE PMT 1990; EAMCET 1993; MNR 1994; MP PET 1997, 2000; BHU 2001; AFMC 2002]
- (a) Carbon tetrachloride (b) Carbonyl chloride  
(c) Mustard gas (d) Lewisite
50. An organic halide is shaken with aqueous  $NaOH$  followed by the addition of dil.  $HNO_3$  and silver nitrate solution gave white ppt. The substance can be [JIPMER 1997]
- (a)  $C_6H_4(CH_3)Br$  (b)  $C_6H_5CH_2Cl$   
(c)  $C_6H_5Cl$  (d) None of these
51. A compound A has a molecular formula  $C_2Cl_3OH$ . It reduces Fehling solution and on oxidation gives a monocarboxylic acid (B). A is obtained by action of chlorine on ethyl alcohol. A is [CBSE PMT 1994; MP PET 1997; KCET 2005]
- (a) Chloral (b)  $CHCl_3$   
(c)  $CH_3Cl$  (d) Chloroacetic acid
52. Following equation illustrates  
$$C_6H_5Cl + 2NaOH \xrightarrow[200\text{ atm}]{200-250^\circ C} C_6H_5ONa + NaCl + H_2O$$
  
[Bihar CEE 1995]
- (a) Dow's process (b) Kolbe's process  
(c) Carbylamine test (d) Haloform reaction
53. One of the following that cannot undergo dehydro-halogenation is [J & K 2005]
- (a) Iso-propyl bromide (b) Ethanol  
(c) Ethyl bromide (d) None of these
54. A compound X on reaction with chloroform and  $NaOH$  gives a compound with a very unpleasant odour. X is [MP PMT 1999]
- (a)  $C_6H_5CONH_2$  (b)  $C_6H_5NH_2$   
(c)  $C_6H_5CH_2NHCH_3$  (d)  $C_6H_5NHCH_3$
55.   
In the above reaction product is
- (a)  $C_6H_5OC_2H_5$  (b)  $C_2H_5OC_2H_5$   
(c)  $C_6H_5OC_6H_5$  (d)  $C_6H_5I$
56.  $C_2H_5Cl + KCN \longrightarrow X \xrightarrow{\text{Hydrolysis}} Y$ . 'X' and 'Y' are [MP PET 1995]
- (a)  $C_2H_6$  and  $C_2H_5CN$   
(b)  $C_2H_5CN$  and  $C_2H_6$   
(c)  $C_2H_5CN$  and  $C_2H_5CH_2NH_2$   
(d)  $C_2H_5CN$  and  $C_2H_5COOH$
57. Iodoform is formed on warming  $I_2$  and  $NaOH$  with [MP PET 1995; DCE 1999; RPET 1999; RPMT 2002]
- (a)  $C_2H_5OH$  (b)  $CH_3OH$   
(c)  $HCOOH$  (d)  $C_6H_6$
58. Which of the following reacts with phenol to give salicylaldehyde after hydrolysis [MP PMT 1995]
- (a) Dichloromethane (b) Trichloromethane  
(c) Methyl chloride (d) None of these
59. Dehydrohalogenation in monohaloalkanes produces
- (a) A single bond (b) A double bond  
(c) A triple bond (d) Fragmentation
60. When chloroform is treated with conc.  $HNO_3$  it gives [CPMT 1986; MP PMT 1989; AFMC 1998, 99; EAMCET 1991; BHU 1999]
- (a)  $CHCl_2NO_2$  (b)  $CCl_3NO_2$   
(c)  $CHCl_2HNO_3$  (d) None of these
61. A sample of chloroform being used as anaesthetic is tested by [AIIMS 1980; CPMT 1983]
- (a) Fehling solution  
(b) Ammoniacal  $Cu_2Cl_2$   
(c)  $AgNO_3$  solution  
(d)  $AgNO_3$  solution after boiling with alcoholic  $KOH$  solution
62. Dehydrohalogenation of an alkyl halide is [MP PMT 1996]
- (a) An addition reaction (b) A substitution reaction  
(c) An elimination reaction (d) An oxidation reaction
63. Reaction of aqueous sodium hydroxide on (i) ethyl bromide and (ii) chlorobenzene gives
- (a) (i) Ethene and (ii) o-chlorophenol  
(b) (i) Ethyl alcohol and (ii) o-chlorophenol  
(c) (i) Ethyl alcohol and (ii) phenol  
(d) (i) Ethyl alcohol and (ii) no reaction
64. 2-bromopentane is heated with potassium ethoxide in ethanol. The major product obtained is [CBSE PMT 1998]
- (a) Pentene-1 (b) cis pentene-2  
(c) trans pentene-2 (d) 2-ethoxypentane
65. What is the product formed in the following reaction  $C_6H_5OH + CCl_4 \xrightarrow[(2) H^+]{(1) NaOH}$  [KCET 1998]
- (a) p-hydroxybenzoic acid (b) o-hydroxybenzoic acid  
(c) Benzaldehyde (d) Salicylaldehyde

66. When chloroform is treated with excess oxygen it forms  
[MH CET 1999]  
(a)  $\text{COCl}_2 + \text{HCl}$   
(b)  $\text{COCl}_2 + \text{Cl}_2 + \text{H}_2$   
(c)  $\text{COCl}_2 + \text{Cl}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O}$   
(d) No product will be formed
67. Which isomer of cyclohexane hexachloride is a very strong insecticide [MP PET 2003]  
(a)  $\alpha$  (b)  $\beta$   
(c)  $\gamma$  (d)  $\delta$
68. Haloalkane in the presence of alcoholic KOH undergoes [KCET (Engg./Med.) 2002]  
(a) Elimination (b) Polymerisation  
(c) Dimerisation (d) Substitution
69. The set of compounds in which the reactivity of halogen atom in the ascending order is [KCET (Engg.) 2002]  
(a) Vinyl chloride, chloroethane, chlorobenzene  
(b) Vinyl chloride, chlorobenzene, chloroethane  
(c) Chloroethane, chlorobenzene, vinyl chloride  
(d) Chlorobenzene, vinyl chloride chloroethane
70. Alkyl halides react with Mg in dry ether to form [DPMT 2000; MP PET 2001]  
(a) Magnesium halide (b) Grignard's reagent  
(c) Alkene (d) Alkyne
71. In the following sequence of reactions  
 $\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{Br} \xrightarrow{\text{KOH(alc)}} \text{A} \xrightarrow{\text{HBr}} \text{B} \xrightarrow{\text{KOH(aq.)}} \text{C}$ ,  
The product (C) is [JIPMER 2001]  
(a) Propan-2-ol (b) Propan-1-ol  
(c) Propyne (d) Propene
72. Alkyl halide on heating with alc.  $\text{NH}_3$  in a sealed tube results... [Orissa JEE 2002]  
(a) 1° amine (b) 2° amine  
(c) 3° amine (d) All of these
73. When  $\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{CHCl}_2$  is treated with  $\text{NaNH}_2$ , the product formed is [CBSE PMT 2002]  
(a)  $\text{CH}_3 - \text{CH} = \text{CH}_2$  (b)  $\text{CH}_3 - \text{C} \equiv \text{CH}$   
(c)  $\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{CH}(\text{NH}_2)(\text{Cl})$  (d)  $\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{C}(\text{NH}_2)_2$
74. By heating a mixture of  $\text{CHCl}_3$  with silver powder, the compound formed is [Kurukshetra CET 2002]  
(a) Acetylene (b) Silver acetate  
(c) Methanol (d) None of these
75. Chloropicrin is [Kurukshetra CET 2002]  
(a) Trichloro acetaldehyde (b) Nitrochloroform  
(c) 2,4,6-trinitro phenol (d) None of these
76. Which of the following are correct statements about  $\text{C}_2\text{H}_5\text{Br}$  [Roorkee 1999]  
(a) It reacts with metallic Na to give ethane  
(b) It gives nitroethane on heating with aqueous ethanolic solution of  $\text{AgNO}_2$   
(c) It gives  $\text{C}_2\text{H}_5\text{OH}$  on boiling with alcoholic potash  
(d) It forms ethylacetate on heating with silver acetate
77. Aryl halide is less reactive than alkyl halide towards nucleophilic substitution because [RPMT 2002]  
(a) Less stable carbonium ion  
(b) Due to large C-Cl bond energy  
(c) Inductive effect  
(d) Resonance stabilization and  $sp^2$ -hybridisation of C attached to halide
78. Methyl chloride reacts with silver acetate to yield [BVP 2003]  
(a) Acetaldehyde (b) Acetyl chloride  
(c) Methyl acetate (d) Acetic acid
79. Chloroform for anesthetic purposes is tested for its purity with the reagent [DPMT 2001]  
(a) Silver nitrate (b) Lead nitrate  
(c) Ammoniacal  $\text{Cu}_2\text{Cl}_2$  (d) Lead nitrate
80. 2, 6 - Dimethylheptane on monochlorination produces..... derivatives [DPMT 2001]  
(a) 5 (b) 6  
(c) 3 (d) 4
81. The less reactivity of chlorine atom in  $\text{CH}_2 = \text{CH} - \text{Cl}$  is due to [DCE 2001]  
(a) Inductive effect (b) Resonance stabilization  
(c) Electromeric effect (d) Electronegativity
82.  $\text{CH}_3 - \text{CH}_2 - \text{Br} \xrightarrow{\text{alc.KCN}} \text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{CN} \xrightarrow{\text{HOH}} \text{X}$   
In this reaction, product X is  
(a) Acetic acid (b) Propionic acid  
(c) Butyric acid (d) Formic acid
83. In alkaline hydrolysis of a tertiary alkyl halide by aqueous alkali if concentration of alkali is doubled, then the reaction [MH CET 2002]  
(a) Will be doubled (b) Will be halved  
(c) Will remain constant (d) Can't say
84.  $\text{AgNO}_3$  does not give precipitate with  $\text{CHCl}_3$  because [MP PET 1999; CPMT 2002]  
(a)  $\text{CHCl}_3$  does not ionise in water  
(b)  $\text{AgNO}_3$  does not reacts with  $\text{CHCl}_3$   
(c)  $\text{CHCl}_3$  is chemically inert  
(d) None of these
85. The reaction between chlorobenzene and chloral in the presence of concentrated sulphuric acid produces [Pb. PMT 2001]  
(a) Gammexane  
(b) *p,p*-dichloro diphenyl trichloro ethane  
(c) Chloropicrin  
(d) Benzene hexachloride
86. False statement is [RPET 1999]  
(a) Chloroform is heavier than water

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- (b)  $CCl_4$  is non-inflammable  
(c) Vinyl chloride is more reactive than allyl chloride  
(d)  $Br^-$  is a good nucleophile as compared to  $I^-$
87. Chloroform is slowly oxidised by air in presence of light to form [MH CET 1999; UPSEAT 2001, 02; RPMT 2003]  
(a) Formyl chloride (b) Phosgene  
(c) Trichloroacetic acid (d) Formic acid
88. Alcoholic potash is used to bring about [KCET (Engg.) 2001]  
(a) Dehydrogenation (b) Dehydration  
(c) Dehydrohalogenation (d) Dehalogenation
89. Vinyl chloride reacts with  $HCl$  to form [JIPMER 2000]  
(a) 1, 1-dichloro ethane  
(b) 1, 2-dichloro ethane  
(c) Tetrachloro ethylene  
(d) Mixture of 1, 2 and 1, 1-dichloro ethane
90.  $R-X + NaOH \longrightarrow ROH + NaX$   
The above reaction is classified as [BHU 1982; CBSE PMT 1991; RPET 2000]  
(a) Nucleophilic substitution  
(b) Electrophilic substitution  
(c) Reduction  
(d) Oxidation
91. Reduction of acetyl chloride with  $H_2$  in presence of  $Pd$  gives [MP PMT 2001]  
(a)  $CH_3COCH_3$  (b)  $C_2H_5OH$   
(c)  $CH_3COOH$  (d)  $CH_3CHO$
92. When methyl bromide is heated with  $Zn$  it gives [MP PMT 2001]  
(a)  $CH_4$  (b)  $C_2H_6$   
(c)  $C_2H_4$  (d)  $CH_3OH$
93. Phenol reacts with  $CHCl_3$  and  $NaOH$  (at  $340 K$ ) to give [MP PMT 1997; CBSE PMT 2002]  
(a) o-chlorophenol (b) Salicylaldehyde  
(c) Benzaldehyde (d) Chlorobenzene
94. Iodoform on heating with  $KOH$  gives [MP PMT 2000]  
(a)  $CH_3CHO$  (b)  $CH_3COOK$   
(c)  $HCOOK$  (d)  $HCHO$
95. Which reaction is correct in the conversion of chloroform to acetylene [Pb. PMT 2000]  
(a)  $CHCl_3 + AgNO_3$  (b)  $CHCl_3 + O_2$   
(c)  $CHCl_3 + HNO_3$  (d)  $CHCl_3 + Ag$
96. Which of the following gases are poisonous [Pb. PMT 2000]  
(a)  $CHCl_3$  (b)  $CO_2$   
(c) None of these (d)  $CO$
97. Which of the following alkyl halide is used as a methylating agent [KCET (Med.) 2000; MP PET 1999]  
(a)  $CH_3I$  (b)  $C_2H_5Br$  (c)  $C_2H_5Cl$  (d)  $C_6H_5Cl$
98.  $C_6H_6Cl_6$ , on treatment with alcoholic  $KOH$ , yields [AFMC 2000]  
(a)  $C_6H_6$  (b)  $C_6H_3Cl_3$   
(c)  $(C_6H_5)OH$  (d)  $C_6H_5Cl_4$
99. When ethyl iodide is heated with silver nitrate, the product obtained is [CPMT 2000]  
(a)  $C_2H_5Ag$  (b)  $Ag-O-NO_2$   
(c)  $C_2H_5O-NO_2$  (d)  $C_2H_5I-NO_2$
100.  $CHCl_3$  and  $HF$  lead to the formation of a compound of fluorine of molecular weight 70. The compound is [RPET 2000]  
(a) Fluoroform (b) Fluorine monoxide  
(c) Fluorine dioxide (d) Fluoromethanol
101. Chloroform with zinc dust in water gives [UPSEAT 2000]  
(a)  $CH_4$  (b) Chloropicrin  
(c)  $CCl_4$  (d)  $CH_2Cl_2$
102. Which of the following is used as a catalyst for preparing Grignard reagent [KCET 1998]  
(a) Iron powder (b) Iodine powder  
(c) Activated charcoal (d) Manganese dioxide
103. For a given alkyl group the densities of the halides follow the order [MP PMT 1997]  
(a)  $RI < RBr < RCl$  (b)  $RI < RCl < RBr$   
(c)  $RBr < RI < RCl$  (d)  $RCl < RBr < RI$
104. Which halide will be least reactive in respect to hydrolysis [MP PET 2003]  
(a) Vinyl chloride (b) Allyl chloride  
(c) Ethyl chloride (d) t-Butyl chloride
105. In nucleophilic aliphatic substitution, the nucleophiles are generally  
(a) Acids (b) Bases  
(c) Salts (d) Neutral molecules
106. Which one of the following compounds does not react with bromine [DPMT 1983]  
(a) Ethylamine (b) Propene  
(c) Phenol (d) Chloroform
107. Allyl chloride on dehydro chlorination gives [Kerala (Med.) 2003]  
(a) Propadiene (b) Propylene  
(c) Acetylchloride (d) Acetone
108. Toluene reacts with excess of  $Cl_2$  in presence of sunlight to give a product which on hydrolysis followed by reaction with  $NaOH$  gives [Orissa JEE 2004]  
(a)  (b)   
(c)  (d) None of these

109. An alkyl bromide produces a single alkene when it reacts with sodium ethoxide and ethanol. This alkene undergoes hydrogenation and produces 2-methyl butane. What is the identity of the alkyl bromide [Kerala PMT 2004]
- 1-bromo-2, 2-dimethylpropane
  - 1-bromobutane
  - 1-bromo-2-methylbutane
  - 2-bromo-2-methylbutane
  - 2-bromopentane
110. On treating a mixture of two alkyl halides with sodium metal in dry ether, 2-methyl propane was obtained. The alkyl halides are [KCET 2004]
- 2-chloropropane and chloromethane
  - 2-chloropropane and chloroethane
  - Chloromethane and chloroethane
  - Chloromethane and 1-chloropropane
111. In which case formation of butane nitrile is possible [Orissa JEE 2004]
- $C_3H_7Br + KCN$
  - $C_4H_9Br + KCN$
  - $C_3H_7OH + KCN$
  - $C_4H_9OH + KCN$
112. The reaction of an aromatic halogen compound with an alkyl halides in presence of sodium and ether is called [MP PMT 2004]
- Wurtz reaction
  - Sandmeyer's reaction
  - Wurtz-fittig reaction
  - Kolbe reaction
113. The compound added to prevent chloroform to form phosgene gas is [MP PET 2004]
- $C_2H_5OH$
  - $CH_3COOH$
  - $CH_3COCH_3$
  - $CH_3OH$
114. Among the following, the one which reacts most readily with ethanol is [AIIMS 2004]
- p*-nitrobenzyl bromide
  - p*-chlorobenzyl bromide
  - p*-methoxybenzyl bromide
  - p*-methylbenzyl bromide
115. Chloropicrin is obtained by the reaction of [CBSE PMT 2004]
- Chlorine on picric acid
  - Nitric acid on chloroform
  - Steam on carbon tetrachloride
  - Nitric acid on chlorobenzene
116. In Wurtz reaction alkyl halide react with [MH CET 2004]
- Sodium in ether
  - Sodium in dry ether
  - Sodium only
  - Alkyl halide in ether
117. Chloroform, when kept open, is oxidised to [CPMT 2004]
- $CO_2$
  - $COCl_2$
  - $CO_2, Cl_2$
  - None of these
118. Chloroform reacts with concentrated  $HNO_3$  to give [Pb. CET 2000]
- Water gas
  - Tear gas
  - Laughing gas
  - Producer gas
119. When ethyl chloride and alcoholic  $KOH$  are heated, the compound obtained is [MH CET 2003]
- $C_2H_4$
  - $C_2H_2$
  - $C_6H_6$
  - $C_2H_6$
120. Chloroform, on warming with  $Ag$  powder, gives [MH CET 2003]
- $C_2H_6$
  - $C_3H_8$
  - $C_2H_4$
  - $C_2H_2$
121. When alkyl halide is heated with dry  $Ag_2O$ , it produces [CPMT 1997; BHU 2004]
- Ester
  - Ether
  - Ketone
  - Alcohol
122. Reaction of alkyl halides with aromatic compounds in presence of anhydrous  $AlCl_3$  is known as [UPSEAT 2004]
- Friedal-Craft reaction
  - Hofmann degradation
  - Kolbe's synthesis
  - Beckmann rearrangement
123. Two percent of ethanol is added during the oxidation of chloroform to stop the formation of carbonyl chloride. In this reaction ethanol acts as [Pb. CET 2003]
- Auto catalyst
  - Negative catalyst
  - Positive catalyst
  - None of these
124. When benzene is heated with chlorine in the presence of sunlight, it forms [Pb. CET 2000]
- B.H.C.
  - Cyclopropane
  - p*-dichlorobenzene
  - None of these
125. Ethylene di bromide on heating with metallic sodium in ether solution yields [Pb. CET 2004]
- Ethene
  - Ethyne
  - 2-butene
  - 1-butene
126. The reaction,  $CH_3Br + Na \rightarrow$  Product, is called [Pb. CET 2003]
- Perkin reaction
  - Levit reaction
  - Wurtz reaction
  - Aldol condensation
127. At normal temperature iodoform is [MP PET 2004]
- Thick viscous liquid
  - Gas
  - Volatile liquid
  - Solid
128. Which of the following statements about benzyl chloride is incorrect [KCET 2004]
- It is less reactive than alkyl halides
  - It can be oxidised to benzaldehyde by boiling with copper nitrate solution
  - It is a lachrymatory liquid and answers Beilstein's test
  - It gives a white precipitate with alcoholic silver nitrate

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- 129.** Ethylene dichloride and ethylidene chloride are isomeric compounds. The false statement about these isomers is that they [DCE 2003]  
 (a) React with alcoholic potash and give the same product  
 (b) Are position isomers  
 (c) Contain the same percentage of chlorine  
 (d) Are both hydrolysed to the same product
- 130.** An alkyl bromide ( $X$ ) reacts with  $\text{Na}$  to form 4,5-diethyloctane. Compound  $X$  is [Roorkee 1999]  
 (a)  $\text{CH}_3(\text{CH}_2)_3\text{Br}$   
 (b)  $\text{CH}_3(\text{CH}_2)_5\text{Br}$   
 (c)  $\text{CH}_3(\text{CH}_2)_3\text{CH.Br.CH}_3$   
 (d)  $\text{CH}_3(\text{CH}_2)_2\text{CH.Br.CH}_2\text{CH}_3$
- 131.** In the following reaction  $X$  is  
 $\text{CH}_3\text{NH}_2 + X + \text{KOH} \rightarrow \text{CH}_3\text{NC}$  (highly offensive odour)  
 [MP PET 1994]  
 (a)  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$  (b)  $\text{CHCl}_3$   
 (c)  $\text{CH}_3\text{Cl}$  (d)  $\text{CCl}_4$
- 132.** Which metal is used in Wurtz synthesis [CPMT 1986; DPMT 1979; MP PET 2002]  
 (a)  $\text{Ba}$  (b)  $\text{Al}$   
 (c)  $\text{Na}$  (d)  $\text{Fe}$
- 133.** Which of the following is boiled with ethyl chloride to form ethyl alcohol [MNR 1982]  
 (a) Alcoholic  $\text{KOH}$  (b) Aqueous  $\text{KOH}$   
 (c)  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  (d)  $\text{H}_2\text{O}_2$
- 134.** Why is chloroform put into dark coloured bottles [MP PET 2002]  
 (a) To prevent evaporation  
 (b) To prevent from moisture  
 (c) To prevent it from oxidation to form phosgene  
 (d) To prevent its reaction with glass
- 135.** DDT is  
 (a) A solid (b) A liquid  
 (c) A gas (d) A solution
- 136.** Bottles containing  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_5\text{I}$  and  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_5\text{CH}_2\text{I}$  lost their original labels. They were labelled  $A$  and  $B$  for testing.  $A$  and  $B$  were separately taken in test tubes and boiled with  $\text{NaOH}$  solution. The end solution in each tube was made acidic with dilute  $\text{HNO}_3$  and then some  $\text{AgNO}_3$  solution was added. Substance  $B$  give a yellow precipitate. Which one of the following statements is true for this experiment [AIEEE 2003]  
 (a)  $A$  was  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_5\text{I}$   
 (b)  $A$  was  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_5\text{CH}_2\text{I}$   
 (c)  $B$  was  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_5\text{I}$   
 (d) Addition of  $\text{HNO}_3$  was unnecessary
- 137.** Which of the following statements is incorrect regarding benzyl chloride [KCET 2003]  
 (a) It gives white precipitate with alcoholic  $\text{AgNO}_3$   
 (b) It is an aromatic compound with substitution in the side chain  
 (c) It undergoes nucleophilic substitution reaction  
 (d) It is less reactive than vinyl chloride
- 138.** Alkyl halide can be converted into alkene by [BCECE 2005]  
 (a) Nucleophilic substitution reaction  
 (b) Elimination reaction  
 (c) Both nucleophilic substitution and elimination reaction  
 (d) Rearrangement
- 139.** The major product formed in the following reaction is  

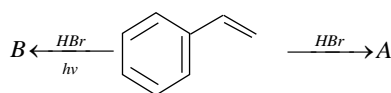
$$\text{CH}_3 - \overset{\text{CH}_3}{\underset{\text{H}}{\text{C}}} - \text{CH}_2\text{Br} \xrightarrow[\text{CH}_3\text{OH}]{\text{CH}_3\text{O}^-} \text{[AIIMS 2005]}$$
  
 (a)  $\text{CH}_3 - \overset{\text{CH}_3}{\underset{\text{H}}{\text{C}}} - \text{CH}_2\text{OCH}_3$  (b)  $\text{CH}_3 - \overset{\text{OCH}_3}{\underset{\text{H}}{\text{C}}} - \text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3$   
 (c)  $\text{CH}_3 - \overset{\text{CH}_3}{\text{C}} = \text{CH}_2$  (d)  $\text{CH}_3 - \overset{\text{CH}_3}{\underset{\text{OCH}_3}{\text{C}}} - \text{CH}_3$
- 140.** The major product obtained on treatment of  $\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{CH}(\text{F})\text{CH}_3$  with  $\text{CH}_3\text{O}^- / \text{CH}_3\text{OH}$  is [AIIMS 2005]  
 (a)  $\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{CH}(\text{OCH}_3)\text{CH}_3$   
 (b)  $\text{CH}_3\text{CH} = \text{CHCH}_3$   
 (c)  $\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{CH} = \text{CH}_2$   
 (d)  $\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{OCH}_3$
- 141.** When phenyl magnesium bromide reacts with  $t$ -butanol, the product would be [IIT 2005]  
 (a) Benzene (b) Phenol  
 (c)  $t$ -butyl benzene (d)  $t$ -butyl phenyl ether
- 142.** Alkyl halides react with dialkyl copper reagents to give [AIEEE 2005]  
 (a) Alkenes (b) Alkyl copper halides  
 (c) Alkanes (d) Alkenyl halides
- 143.** Which of the following is liquid at room temperature [AFMC 2005]  
 (a)  $\text{CH}_3\text{I}$  (b)  $\text{CH}_3\text{Br}$   
 (c)  $\text{C}_2\text{H}_5\text{Cl}$  (d)  $\text{CH}_3\text{F}$
- 144.** Which of the following haloalkanes is most reactive [KCET 2005]  
 (a) 1-chloropropane (b) 1-bromopropane  
 (c) 2-chloropropane (d) 2-bromopropane
- 145.** Grignard reagent adds to [KCET 2005]  
 (a)  $> \text{C}=\text{O}$  (b)  $-\text{C}\equiv\text{N}$



(c)  $> C=S$ 

(d) All of the above

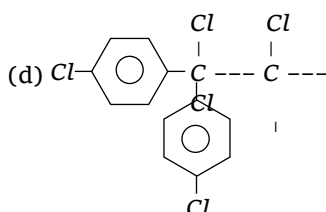
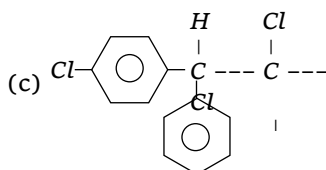
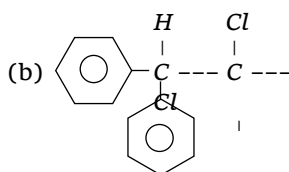
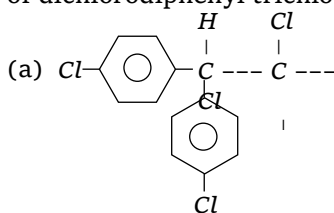
146. Analyse the following reaction and identify the nature of A and B [Kerala CET 2005]



- (a) Both A and B are
- (b) Both A and B are
- (c) A is & B is
- (d) A is & B is
- (e) A is & B is

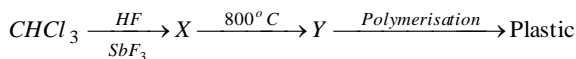
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1. Which of these can be used as moth repellent [CPMT 1987]  
 (a) Benzene hexachloride (b) Benzal chloride  
 (c) Hexachloroethane (d) Tetrachloroethane
2. Which one of the following is the correct formula of dichlorodiphenyl trichloroethane [AIIMS 1982]

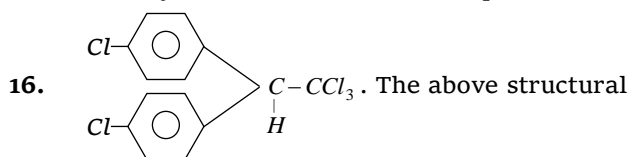


3. The compound  $(CH_3)_2C(OH)CCl_3$  is  
 (a) Chloretone (b) Chloroquin  
 (c) Chloropicrin (d) Chloropropyl chloride
4. Depletion of ozone layer is caused by [RPMT 2002]  
 (a) Freon (b) Alkane  
 (c) Grignard reagent (d) All of these
5. Which of the following is Teflon [RPMT 2002]  
 (a)  $[-CF_2 - CF_2 -]_n$  (b)  $CF_2 = CF_2$   
 (c)  $CF \equiv CF$  (d) None of these
6. Statement "Ozone in atmosphere is decreased by chloro-fluoro-carbon ( $Cl_2F_2C$ )" [RPET 1999]  
 (a) Is true  
 (b) Is false  
 (c) Only in presence of  $CO_2$   
 (d) Only in absence of  $CO_2$
7.  $CF_xCl_y$  [where  $x + y = 4$ ]. These compounds are not used because [RPET 2000]  
 (a) These are fluoro carbons  
 (b) These are difficult to synthesise  
 (c) They deplete ozone layer  
 (d) None of the these
8. The molecular formula of DDT has [MP PMT 1997]  
 (a) 5 chlorine atoms (b) 4 chlorine atoms  
 (c) 3 chlorine atoms (d) 2 chlorine atoms
9. What is the reagent used for testing fluoride ion in water [EAMCET 2003]  
 (a) Alizarin - S (b) Quinalizarin  
 (c) Phenolphthalein (d) Benzene
10. Chloropicrin is used as [UPSEAT 2000]  
 (a) Solvent (b) Anaesthetic  
 (c) Perfume (d) Tear gas
11. Which is used in the manufacture of plastic  
 (a)  $CH_2 = CHCl$  (b)  $CH \equiv CH$   
 (c)  $CH_2 = CH - CH_2I$  (d)  $CCl_4$
12. Freon (dichlorodifluoro methane) is used [CPMT 1986; DPMT 1983; CBSE PMT 2001]  
 (a) As local anaesthetic  
 (b) For dissolving impurities in metallurgical process  
 (c) In refrigerator  
 (d) In printing industry
13. Which of the following is known as freon which is used as a refrigerant [DPMT 1982; CPMT 1979, 81, 89; AFMC Manipal MEE 1995; MP PET 1995, 2004]  
 (a)  $CCl_2F_2$  (b)  $CHCl_3$   
 (c)  $CH_2F_2$  (d)  $CF_4$
14. Benzene hexachloride (BHC) is used as [MP PMT 1994; KCET 1999]  
 (a) Dye (b) Antimalarial drug  
 (c) Antibiotic (d) Insecticide
15. Which plastic is obtained from  $CHCl_3$  as follows

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- (a) Bakelite (b) Teflon  
(c) Polythene (d) Perspex



formula refers to [MP PET 1997]

- (a) BHC (b) DNA  
(c) DDT (d) RNA

17. The commercial uses of DDT and benzene hexachloride are

(a) DDT is a herbicide, benzene hexachloride is a fungicide

- (b) Both are insecticides  
(c) Both are herbicides  
(d) DDT is a fungicide and benzene hexachloride is a herbicide

18. Which of the following is used in fire extinguishers

[AFMC 1993]

- (a)  $\text{CH}_4$  (b)  $\text{CHCl}_3$   
(c)  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$  (d)  $\text{CCl}_4$

19. Iodoform can be used as [NCERT 1981]

- (a) Anaesthetic (b) Antiseptic  
(c) Analgesic (d) Antifebrin

20. Which of the following is an anaesthetic [AFMC 1989]

- (a)  $\text{C}_2\text{H}_4$  (b)  $\text{CHCl}_3$   
(c)  $\text{CH}_3\text{Cl}$  (d)  $\text{C}_2\text{H}_5\text{OH}$

21. An important insecticide is obtained by the action of chloral on chlorobenzene. It is [KCET 1989]

- (a) BHC (b) Gammexene  
(c) DDT (d) Lindane

22. In fire extinguisher, pyrene is [DPMT 1985]

- (a)  $\text{CO}_2$  (b)  $\text{CCl}_4$   
(c)  $\text{CS}_2$  (d)  $\text{CHCl}_3$

23. B.H.C. is used as [Pb. CET 2002]

- (a) Insecticide (b) Pesticide  
(c) Herbicide (d) Weedicide

24. The use of the product obtained as a result of reaction between acetone and chloroform is [RPMT 1999]

- (a) Hypnotic (b) Antiseptic  
(c) Germicidal (d) Anaesthetic

25. Use of chlorofluoro carbons is not encouraged because

[KCET 2005]

(a) They are harmful to the eyes of people that use it

(b) They damage the refrigerators and air conditioners

(c) They eat away the ozone in the atmosphere

(d) They destroy the oxygen layer

## Critical Thinking

### Objective Questions

- Among the following, the molecule with the highest dipole moment is [IIT-JEE (Screening) 2003]  
(a)  $\text{CH}_3\text{Cl}$  (b)  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$   
(c)  $\text{CHCl}_3$  (d)  $\text{CCl}_4$
- When  $\text{CHCl}_3$  is boiled with  $\text{NaOH}$ , It gives [Orissa JEE 2003]  
(a) Formic acid (b) Trihydroxy methane  
(c) Acetylene (d) Sodium formate
- The hybridization state of carbon atoms in the product formed by the reaction of ethyl chloride with aqueous potassium hydroxide is [EAMCET 1997]  
(a)  $sp$  (b)  $sp^2$   
(c)  $sp^3$  (d)  $sp^3d$
- Which of the following compounds does not undergo nucleophilic substitution reactions [KCET 1998]  
(a) Vinyl chloride (b) Ethyl bromide  
(c) Benzyl chloride (d) Isopropyl chloride
- Replacement of  $\text{Cl}$  of chlorobenzene to give phenol requires drastic conditions but chlorine of 2, 4-dinitrochlorobenzene is readily replaced because [CBSE PMT 1999]  
(a)  $\text{NO}_2$  make ring electron rich at ortho and para  
(b)  $\text{NO}_2$  withdraws  $e^-$  from meta position  
(c) denotes  $e^-$  at meta position  
(d)  $\text{NO}_2$  withdraws  $e^-$  from ortho/para positions
- Among the following one with the highest percentage of chlorine is [MNR 1989; BHU 1998; MH CET 1999]  
(a) Chloral (b) Pyrene  
(c) PVC (d) Gammexene
- In which alkyl halide,  $\text{SN}^2$  mechanism is favoured maximum [RPMT 1997]  
(a)  $\text{CH}_3\text{Cl}$  (b)  $\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}$   
(c)  $(\text{CH}_3)_2\text{CHCl}$  (d)  $(\text{CH}_3)_3\text{CCl}$
- Which conformation of  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_6\text{Cl}_6$  is most powerful insecticide  
(a) aaeeee (b) aaaeee  
(c) aaaaae (d) aaaaaa
- The odd decomposition of carbon chlorine bond form [UPSEAT 1999]  
(a) Two free ions (b) Two-carbanium ion  
(c) Two carbanion (d) A cation and an anion
- A new carbon-carbon bond formation is possible in

[IIT-JEE 1998]

(a) Cannizzaro reaction (b) Friedel-Craft's alkylation

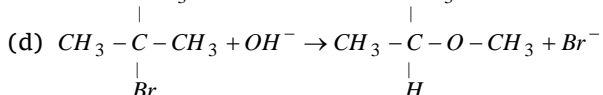
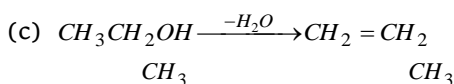
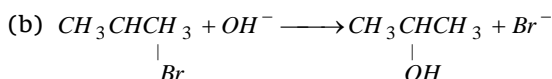
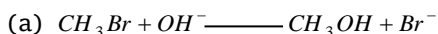
(c) Clemmensen reduction (d) Reimer-Tiemann reaction

11. An isomer of  $C_3H_6Cl_2$  on boiling with aqueous KOH gives acetone. Hence, the isomer is [UPSEAT 2000]

(a) 2, 2-dichloropropane (b) 1, 2-dichloropropane  
(c) 1, 1-dichloropropane (d) 1, 3-dichloropropane

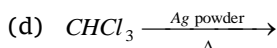
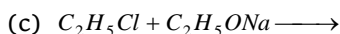
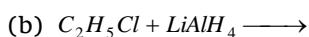
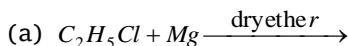
12. Which of the following is the example of  $SN^2$  reaction

[CPMT 1999]



13. Wurtz reaction of methyl iodide yields an organic compound X. Which one of the following reactions also yields X

[EAMCET 2003]

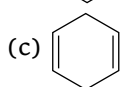
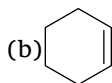
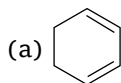


14. Ethyl orthoformate is formed by heating with sodium ethoxide [EAMCET 2003]



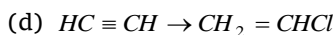
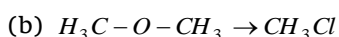
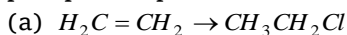
15. 1, 2 di-bromo cyclohexane on dehydro halogenation gives

[UPSEAT 2003]



(d) None of these

16. In which one of the following conversions phosphorus pentachloride is used as a reagent [EAMCET 1997]



17. When but -3-en -2- ol reacts with aq. HBr, the product formed is [DCE 2001]

(a) 3 - bromobut - 1 - ene

(b) 1 - bromobut - 2 - ene

(c) A mixture of both a and b

(d) 2 - bromobut - 2 - ene

18. Which of these do not form Grignard reagent

(a)  $CH_3F$

(b)  $CH_3Cl$

(c)  $CH_3Br$

(d)  $CH_3I$

19. An organic compound  $A(C_4H_6Cl)$  on reaction with Na/diethyl ether gives a hydrocarbon, which on monochlorination gives only one chloro derivative. A is

[Kerala PMT 2004]

(a) *t*-butyl chloride

(b) *s*-butyl chloride

(c) Isobutyl chloride

(d) *n*-butyl chloride

(e) None of these

20. Among the following the most reactive towards alcoholic KOH is [AIIMS 2004]

(a)  $CH_2=CHBr$

(b)  $CH_3COCH_2CH_2Br$

(c)  $CH_3CH_2Br$

(d)  $CH_3CH_2CH_2Br$

21. Which one of the following possess highest m.pt.

[Pb. CET 2004]

(a) Chlorobenzene

(b) *o*-dichlorobenzene

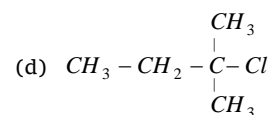
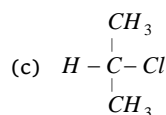
(c) *m*-dichlorobenzene

(d) *p*-dichlorobenzene

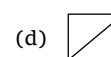
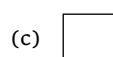
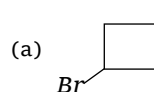
22. Which chlorine atom is more electronegative in the following [UPSEAT 2004]

(a)  $CH_3-Cl$

(b)  $CH_3-CH_2-Cl$



23. What would be the product formed when 1-Bromo-3-chloro cyclobutane reacts with two equivalents of metallic sodium in ether [IIT-JEE (Screening)]



## Assertion & Reason

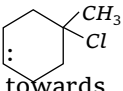
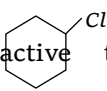
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Read the assertion and reason carefully to mark the correct option out of the options given below:

- (a) If both assertion and reason are true and the reason is the correct explanation of the assertion.  
(b) If both assertion and reason are true but reason is not the correct explanation of the assertion.  
(c) If assertion is true but reason is false.  
(d) If the assertion and reason both are false.  
(e) If assertion is false but reason is true.

1. Assertion :  $CHCl_3$  is stored in transparent bottles.

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- Reason :  $CHCl_3$  is oxidised in dark. [AIIMS 1996]
2. Assertion : Addition of bromine to trans-2-butene yields meso-2, 3-dibromobutane  
Reason : Bromine addition to an alkene is an electrophilic addition.  
[IIT-JEE (Screening) 2001]
3. Assertion : Alkyl halides are soluble in organic solvents.  
Reason : *p*-dichlorobenzene possesses low melting point.
4. Assertion :  $CCl_4$  is not a fire extinguisher.  
Reason :  $CCl_4$  is insoluble in water.
5. Assertion : Aqueous hydrohalogen acids are used to prepare alkyl halides from alkenes.  
Reason : Hydrogen iodide readily reacts with alkenes to form alkyl halides.
6. Assertion : Alkyl halides form alkenes when heated above  $300^\circ\text{C}$ .  
Reason :  $CH_3CH_2I$  react slowly with strong base when compared to  $CD_3CH_2I$ .
7. Assertion : Halogen acids react with alcohols to form haloalkanes.  
Reason : Order of reactivity of halogen acids  $HCl > HBr > HI$
8. Assertion :  is less reactive than  towards reactions.  
Reason : Tertiary alkyl halides react predominantly by  $S_N1$  mechanism.
9. Assertion : Electron withdrawing groups in aryl halides decrease the reactivity towards nucleophilic substitution.  
Reason : 2, 4-Dinitrochlorobenzene is less reactive than chlorobenzene.
10. Assertion : Aryl halides undergo electrophilic substitutions more readily than benzene.  
Reason : Aryl halide gives a mixture of *o*- and *p*- products.
11. Assertion : Addition of  $Br_2$  to cis-but-2-ene is stereoselective.  
Reason :  $S_N2$  reactions are stereospecific as well as stereoselective.
12. Assertion : Optically active 2-iodobutane on treatment with  $NaI$  in acetone undergoes racemization.  
Reason : Repeated Walden inversions on the reactant and its product eventually gives a racemic mixture.

13. Assertion : Nucleophilic substitution reaction on an optically active alkyl halide gives a mixture of enantiomers.

Reason : The reaction occurs by  $S_N1$  mechanism.

# Answers

## Introduction of Halogen containing compounds

1	a	2	b	3	b	4	c	5	b
6	a	7	b	8	a	9	b	10	a
11	d	12	a	13	b				

## Preparation of Halogen containing compounds

1	b	2	d	3	b	4	a	5	a
6	b	7	d	8	d	9	b	10	a
11	a	12	b	13	a	14	a	15	a
16	b	17	a	18	b	19	c	20	c
21	a	22	c	23	c	24	b	25	d
26	d	27	c	28	a	29	c	30	b
31	c	32	b	33	d	34	a	35	c
36	d	37	c	38	b	39	b	40	d
41	c	42	c	43	a	44	b	45	b
46	a	47	c	48	a	49	b	50	a
51	b	52	a	53	d	54	a		

## Properties of Halogen containing compounds

1	a	2	c	3	c	4	c	5	c
6	c	7	c	8	c	9	b	10	d
11	b	12	c	13	a	14	a	15	d
16	b	17	c	18	b	19	b	20	d
21	d	22	c	23	b	24	a	25	b
26	c	27	d	28	b	29	a	30	b
31	c	32	c	33	b	34	a	35	a
36	a	37	a	38	a	39	a	40	a
41	a	42	c	43	b	44	c	45	d
46	c	47	b	48	ab	49	b	50	b
51	a	52	a	53	b	54	b	55	a
56	d	57	a	58	b	59	b	60	b
61	c,d	62	c	63	c	64	c	65	b
66	c	67	c	68	a	69	d	70	b
71	a	72	d	73	d	74	a	75	b
76	b,d	77	d	78	c	79	a	80	d

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81	b	82	b	83	c	84	a	85	b
86	cd	87	b	88	c	89	a	90	a
91	d	92	b	93	b	94	c	95	d
96	d	97	a	98	b	99	c	100	a
101	a	102	b	103	d	104	a	105	b
106	d	107	a	108	b	109	c	110	a
111	a	112	c	113	a	114	c	115	b
116	a	117	b	118	b	119	a	120	d
121	b	122	a	123	b	124	a	125	c
126	c	127	d	128	a	129	d	130	d
131	b	132	c	133	b	134	c	135	a
136	a	137	d	138	b	139	d	140	b
141	a	142	c	143	a	144	d	145	d
146	c								

## Uses of Halogen containing compounds

1	c	2	a	3	a	4	a	5	a
6	a	7	c	8	a	9	a	10	d
11	a	12	c	13	a	14	d	15	b
16	c	17	b	18	d	19	b	20	b
21	c	22	b	23	a	24	a	25	c

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### Critical Thinking Questions

1	a	2	b	3	c	4	a	5	d
6	b	7	a	8	b	9	d	10	bd
11	a	12	a	13	b	14	a	15	d
16	bc	17	c	18	a	19	a	20	d
21	d	22	d	23	d				

### Assertion and Reason

1	d	2	b	3	c	4	e	5	e
6	c	7	c	8	e	9	d	10	e
11	b	12	a	13	a				

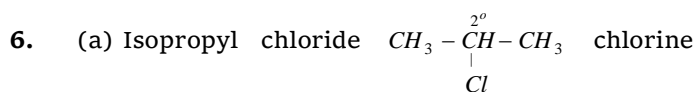
## Answers and Solutions

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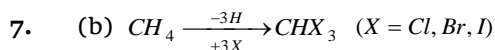
$$2. \quad (b) \% \text{ of Br} = \frac{\text{Mass of Br}}{\text{Mass of organic compound}} \times 100$$

$$= \frac{80}{109} \times 100 = 73.39\% \text{ or approx. } 75\%$$

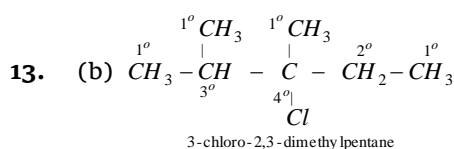
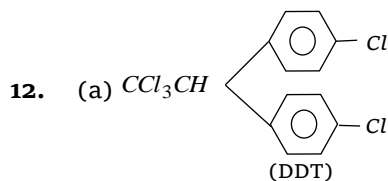
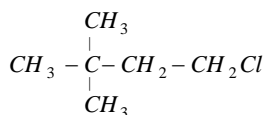
3. (b) Gem-dihalides are those in which two halogen atoms are attached on the same carbon atom.



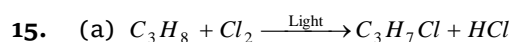
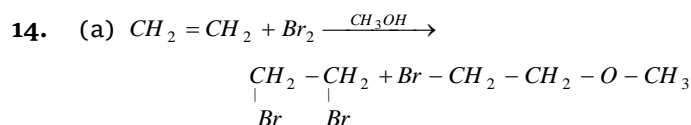
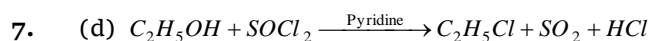
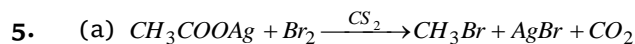
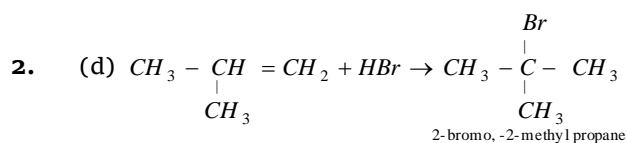
atom is attached to  $2^\circ$  carbon atom.



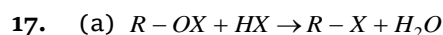
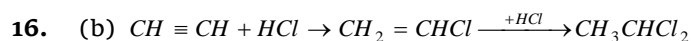
11. (d) Neohexyl chloride is a primary halide as in it Cl-atom is attached to a primary carbon.



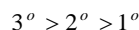
### Preparation of Halogen containing compounds



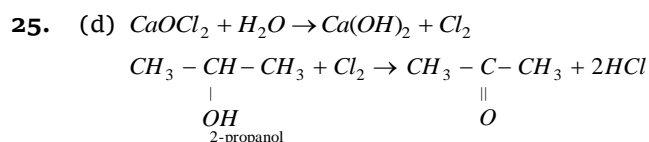
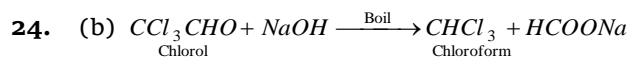
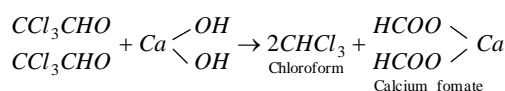
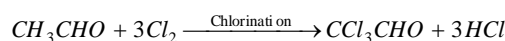
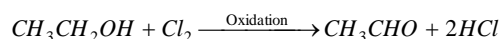
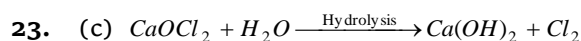
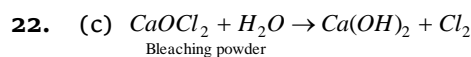
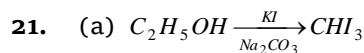
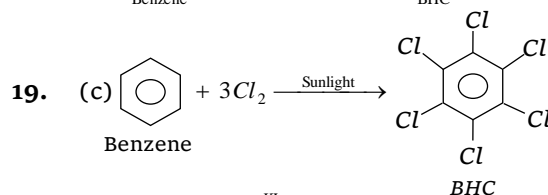
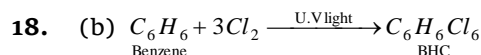
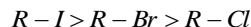
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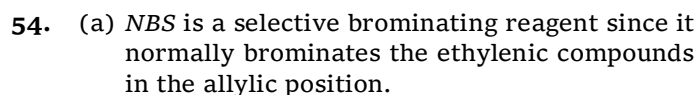
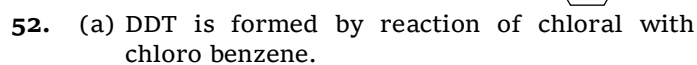
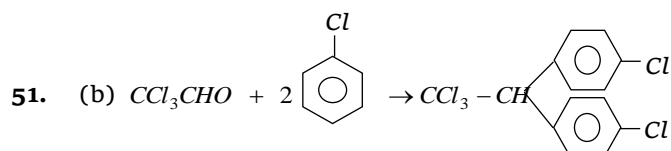
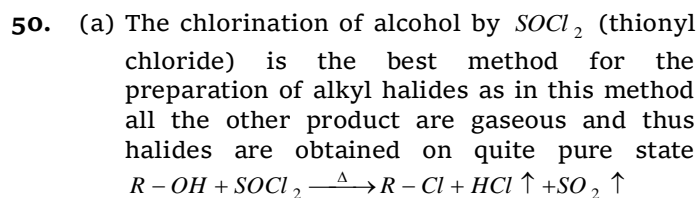
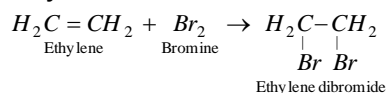
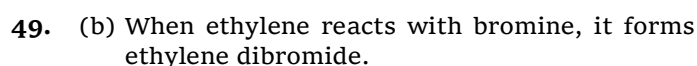
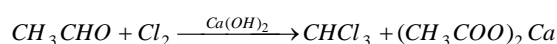
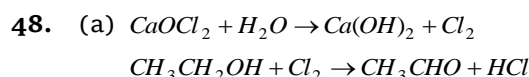
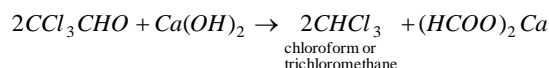
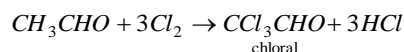
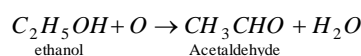
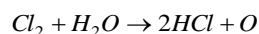
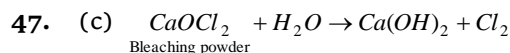
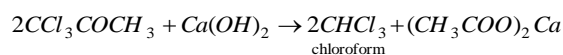
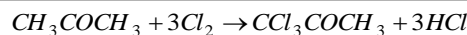
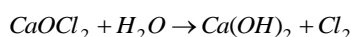
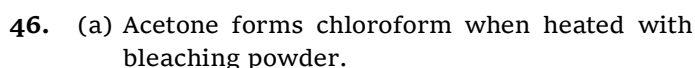
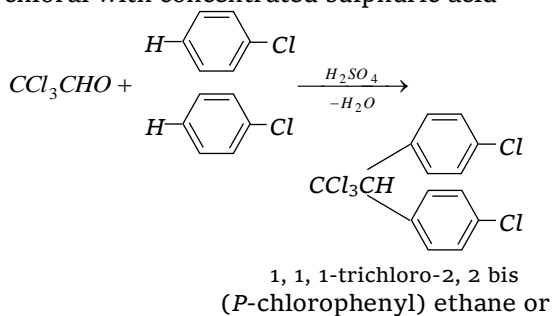
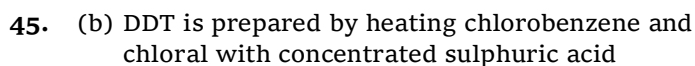
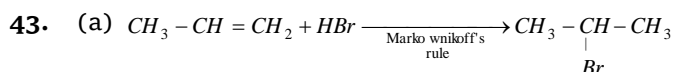
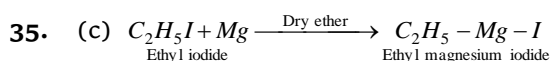
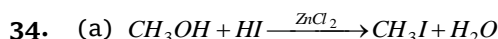
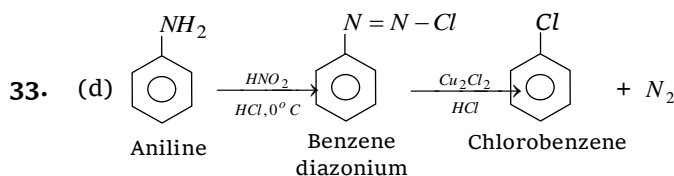
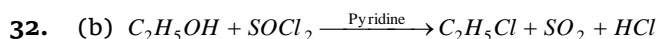
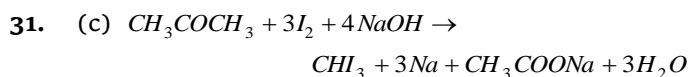
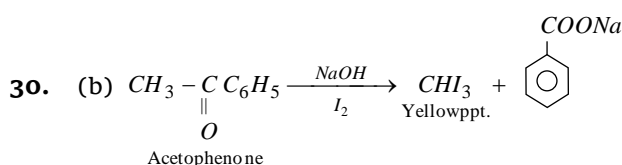
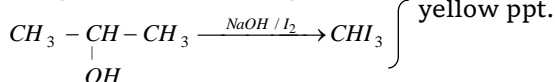
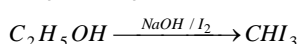
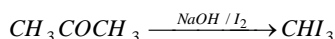
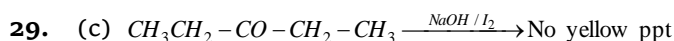
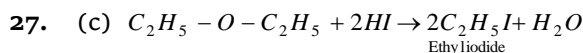
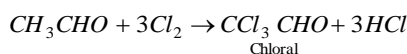
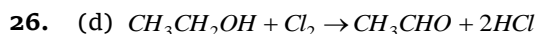
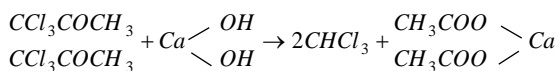
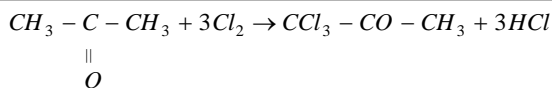


Reactivity order of alcohols for this reaction

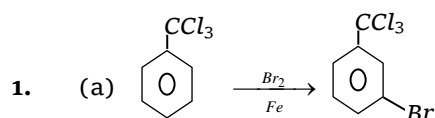


Reactivity order of halogen acids

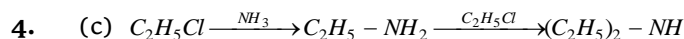
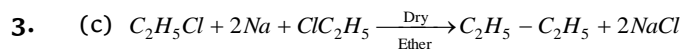
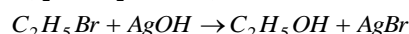
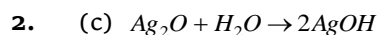




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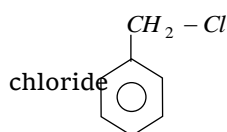
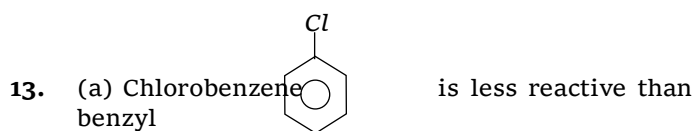
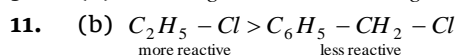
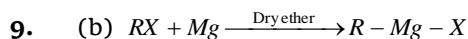
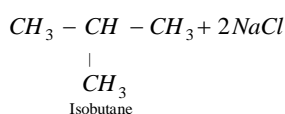
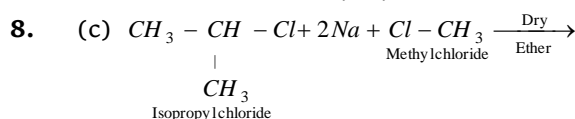


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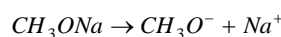
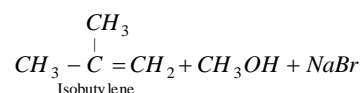
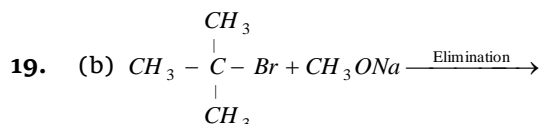
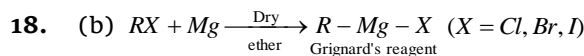
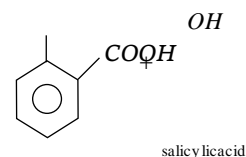
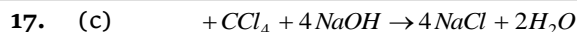
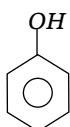
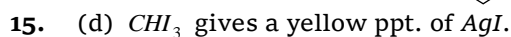
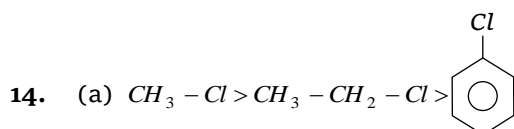
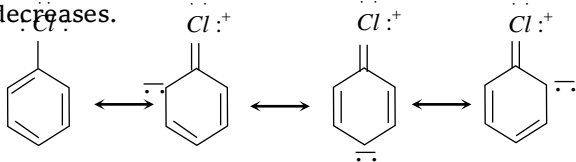


5. (c)  $2CHCl_3 + O_2 \xrightarrow[\text{air}]{\text{Light}} 2COCl_2 + 2HCl$   
Phosgene

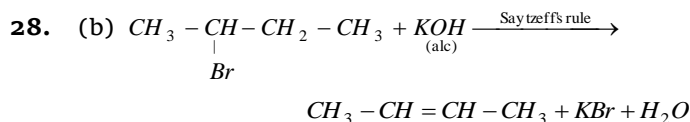
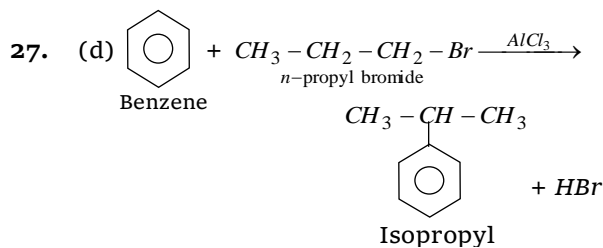
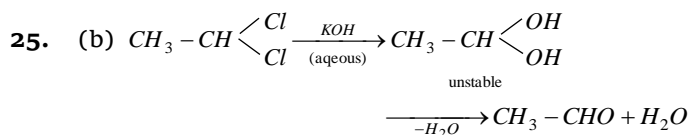
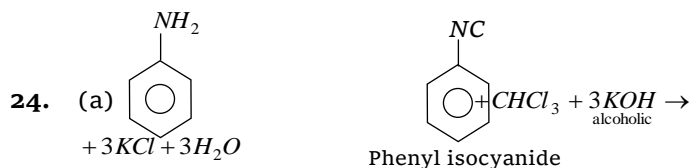
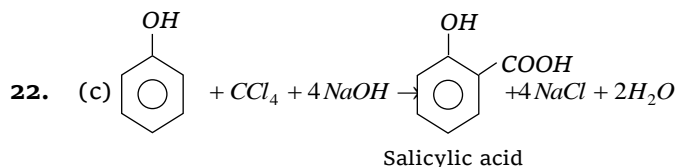
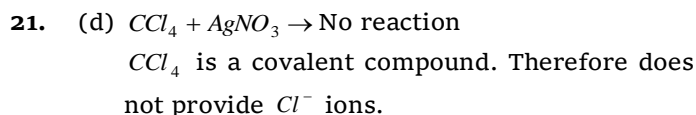
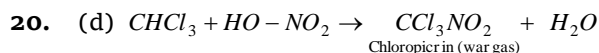
7. (c)  $C_2H_5NH_2 + CHCl_3 + 3KOH \rightarrow$



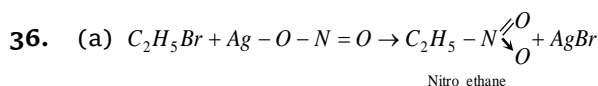
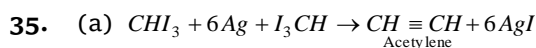
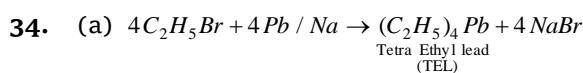
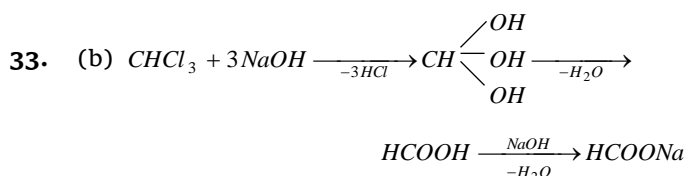
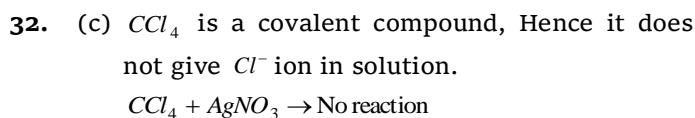
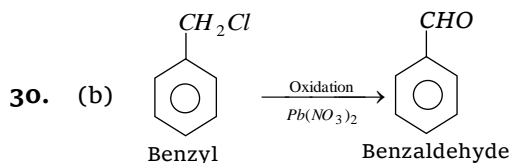
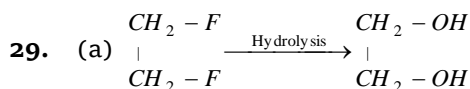
In chlorobenzene the lone pairs present on *Cl* atom get involved in resonance with  $\pi$  electrons of benzene due to which *C-Cl* bond acquires double bond character. Hence, reactivity decreases.



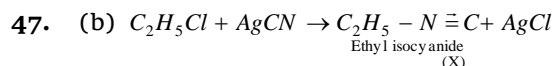
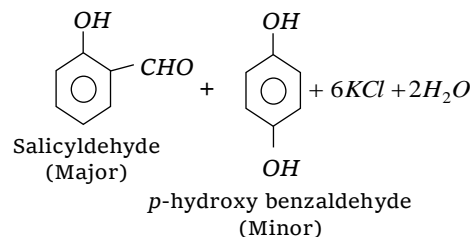
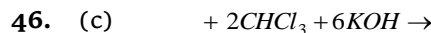
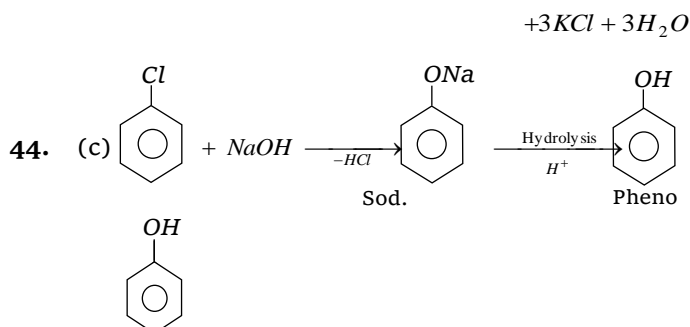
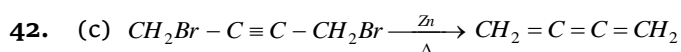
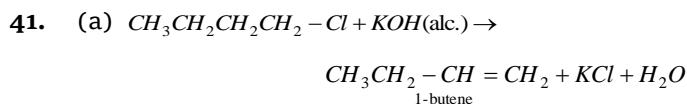
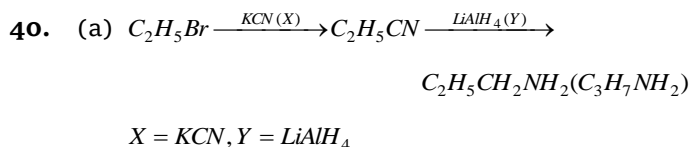
methoxide ion ( $\text{CH}_3\text{O}^-$ ) is a strong base, therefore it abstract proton from  $3^\circ$  alkyl halide and favours elimination reaction.



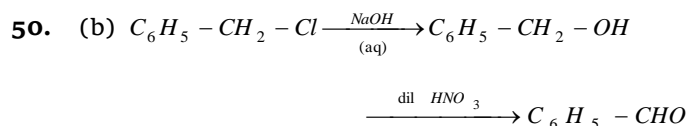
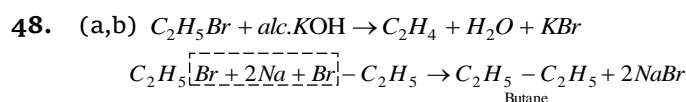




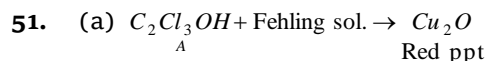
$\text{Ag} - \text{O} - \text{N} = \text{O}$  is a covalent compound. Therefore, attack of nucleophile occurs through Nitrogen atom. Hence, nitroethane is formed.



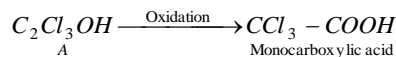
The functional isomer of ethyl isocyanide is ethyl cyanide  $\text{C}_2\text{H}_5 - \text{C} \equiv \text{N}$ .



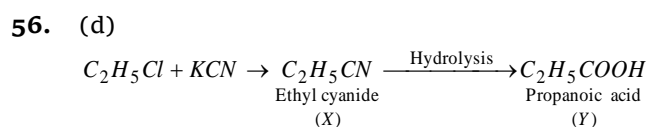
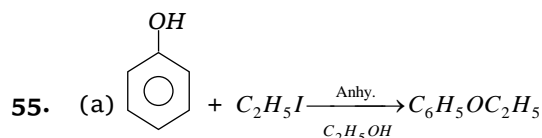
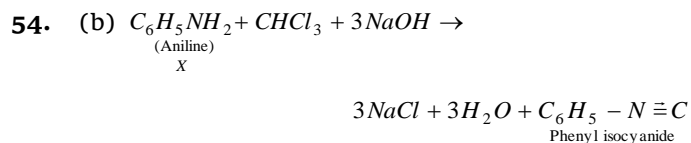
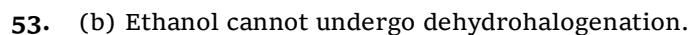
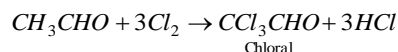
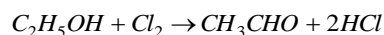
White ppt of  $\text{AgCl}$  are obtained.



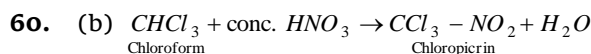
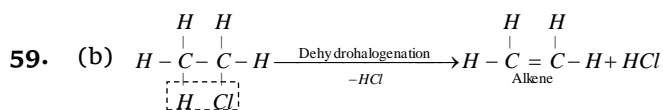
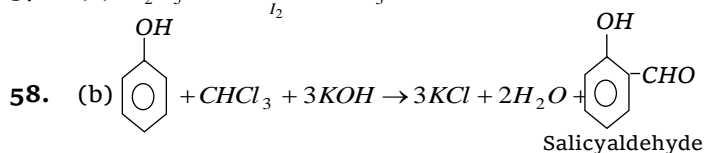
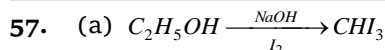
It means  $-\text{CHO}$  group is present.



It means only one  $-\text{CHO}$  group is present.

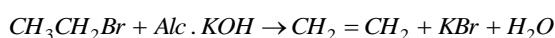


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61. (c,d) Before using the sample of chloroform as an anaesthetic, it is tested by treating with aq. solution of  $AgNO_3$ . A pure sample does not give ppt with aq.  $AgNO_3$ .

62. (c) Alkyl halide gives alkene on elimination, reaction takes place in presence of alc.  $KOH$ .

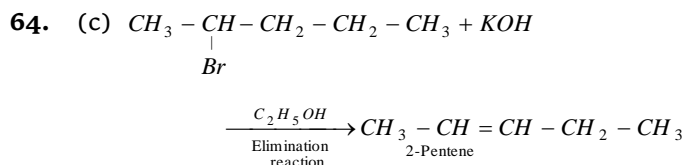
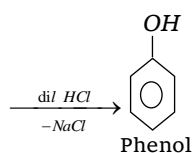
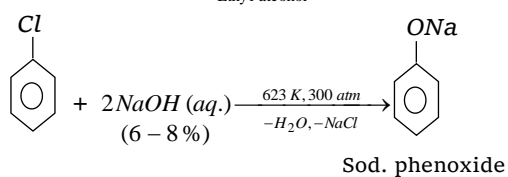
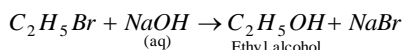


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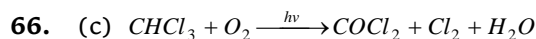
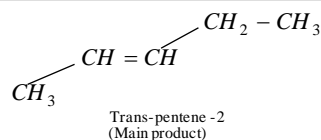
(a)  $E_1 \rightarrow$  Unimolecular elimination

(b)  $E_2 \rightarrow$  Bimolecular elimination

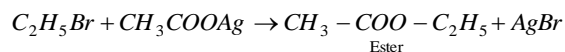
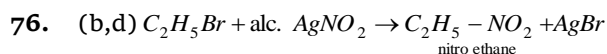
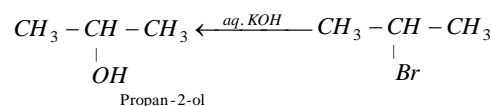
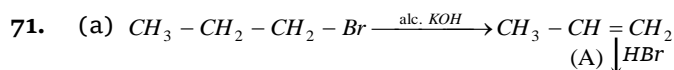
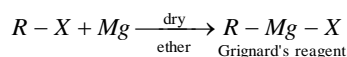
63. (c) (i) Ethyl alcohol (ii) Phenol



When alkyl halide reacts with alc.  $KOH$  then it favours elimination reaction (Dehydrohalogenation). Since, *trans* pentene-2 is more symmetrical than *cis* isomers. Hence, it is main product.

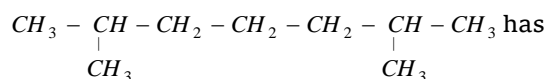


70. (b) Alkyl halide reacts with  $Mg$  in presence of dry ether to give alkyl magnesium halide which is also called as Grignard reagent. This reaction is also called as Grignard's reaction.



79. (a) If  $CHCl_3$  sample contains phosgene ( $COCl_2$ ) then it will give a white ppt. When treated with cold  $AgNO_3$ .

80. (d) Because



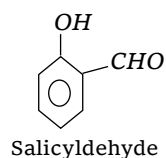
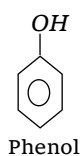
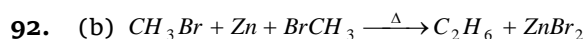
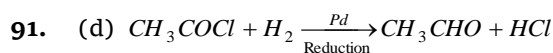
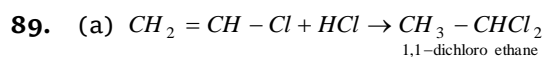
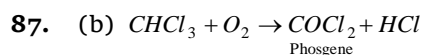
four methyl groups on the corner so it can produce for derivatives.

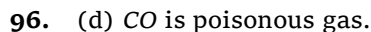
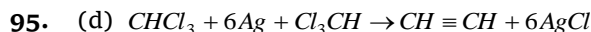
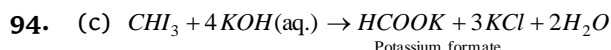
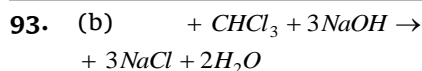
84. (a)  $CHCl_3 + AgNO_3 \rightarrow$  No react

$CHCl_3$  is a covalent compound. It does not ionize in water.

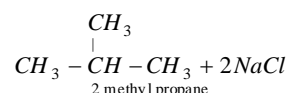
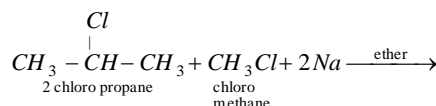
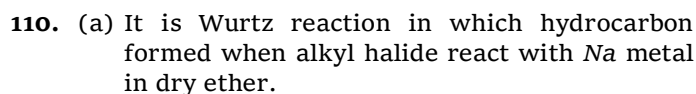
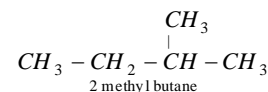
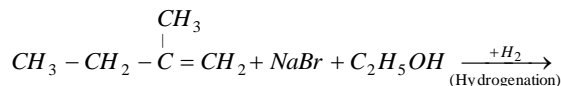
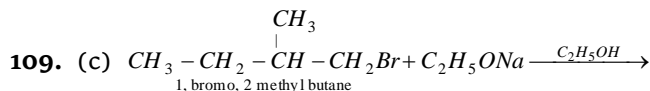
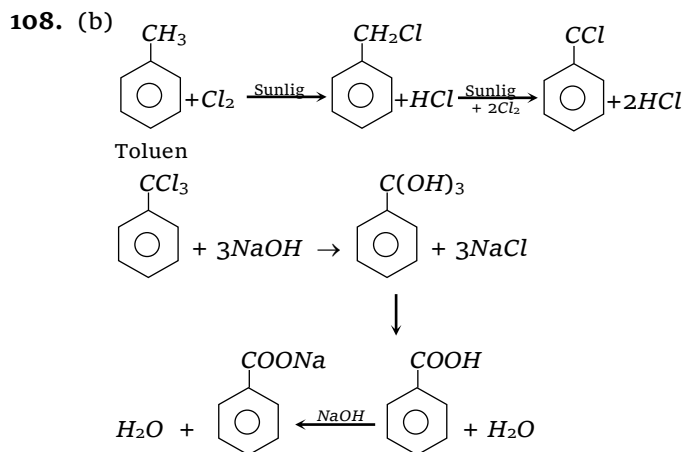
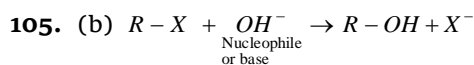
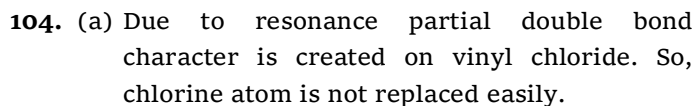
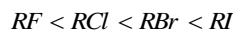
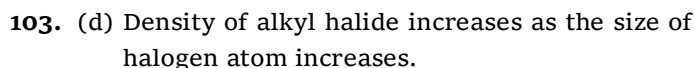
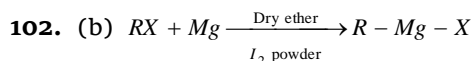
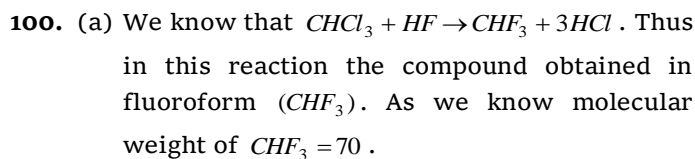
86. (c,d) Vinyl chloride is less reactive than allyl chloride due to resonance effect.

Order of nucleophilicity amongst the halide ion are as  $I^- > Br^- > Cl^-$ .

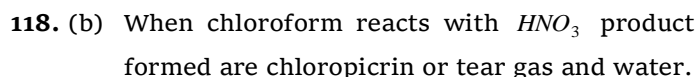
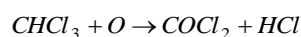
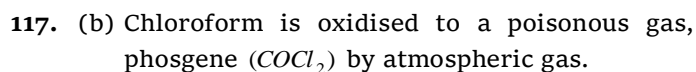
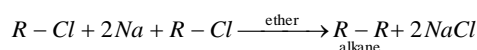
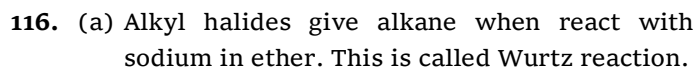
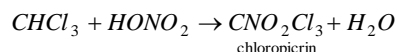
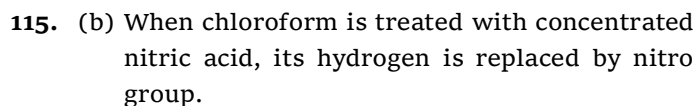
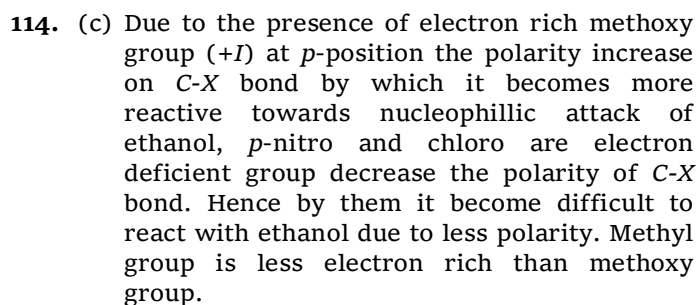
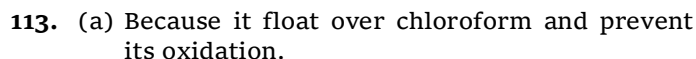
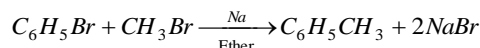
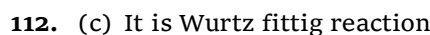




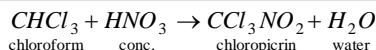
Thus Benzene hexahalides decomposes when heated with alc. KOH and yield trichloro benzene.



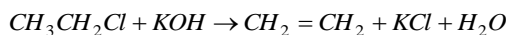
In IUPAC system the carbon of functional group also take in numbering. So  $\text{C}_3\text{H}_7\text{CN}$  is butane nitrile.



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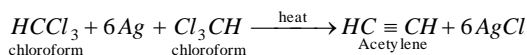


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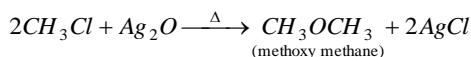
Thus in this reaction ethene ( $\text{C}_2\text{H}_4$ ) is produced.

120. (d) We know that

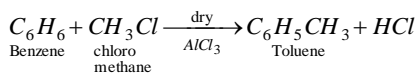


Thus in this reaction acetylene ( $\text{HC} \equiv \text{CH}$ ) is produced.

121. (b) Alkyl halide on reaction with dry silver oxide furnish ether.

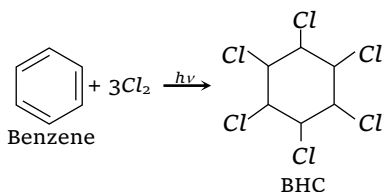


122. (a) Acylation or alkylation of aromatic compound in presence of  $\text{AlCl}_3$  is known as Friedal-craft reaction.

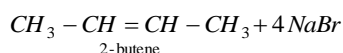


123. (b) Any substance which when added to a chemical reaction inhibit or decrease the rate of reaction is called negative catalyst. In  $\text{CHCl}_3$  when two percent ethanol is added, it stops the formation of carbonyl chloride. So ethanol acts as negative catalyst.

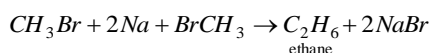
124. (a) When benzene is heated with chlorine in the presence of sunlight, it form benzene hexachloride.



125. (c)  $\text{CH}_3\text{CH} \begin{smallmatrix} \text{Br} \\ \text{Br} \end{smallmatrix} + 4\text{Na} + \begin{smallmatrix} \text{Br} \\ \text{Br} \end{smallmatrix} \text{CH} - \text{CH}_3 \xrightarrow[\Delta]{\text{ether}}$

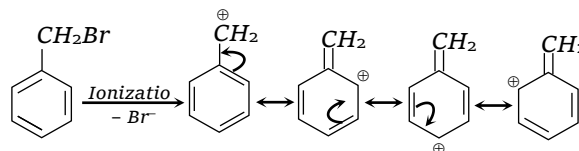


126. (c) It is a common method to prepare alkanes. Methane cannot be prepared by Wurtz reaction.

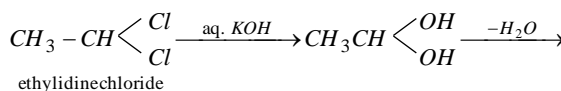
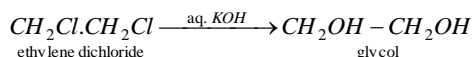


127. (d) At room temperature iodoform is the yellow solid.

128. (a) Benzyl chloride are far more reactive than alkyl halide towards nucleophilic substitution reaction due to the reason that the carbocation formed after the removal of halide ion is stabilized by resonance.



129. (d) On hydrolysis, ethylene dichloride gives ethylene glycol. While ethylidene chloride give acetaldehyde.

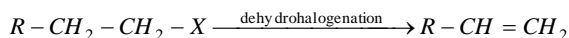


131. (b)  $\text{CH}_3\text{NH}_2 + \text{CHCl}_3 + 3\text{KOH} \rightarrow 3\text{KCl} + \text{CH}_3\text{NC} + 3\text{H}_2\text{O}$   
(X)

132. (c)  $\text{CH}_3\text{Br} + 2\text{Na} + \text{Br} - \text{CH}_3 \xrightarrow[\text{Ether}]{\text{Dry}} \text{CH}_3\text{CH}_3 + 2\text{NaBr}$

133. (b)  $\text{C}_2\text{H}_5\text{Cl} + \text{KOH} \xrightarrow{\text{(aq)}} \text{C}_2\text{H}_5\text{OH} + \text{KCl}$

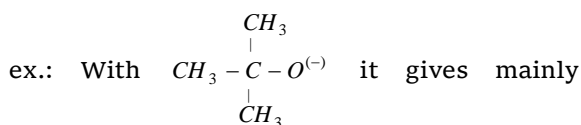
138. (b) Alkyl halide is best converted to alkene by mean of elimination reaction in form of dehydrohalogenation.



139. (d)  $\text{H}_3\text{C} - \underset{\text{H}}{\overset{\text{CH}_3}{\text{C}}} - \text{CH}_2 - \text{Br} \xrightarrow[\text{CH}_3\text{OH}]{\text{CH}_3\text{O}^-} \text{A} ?$

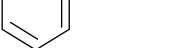
Alkyl halide is  $1^\circ$ .

Keep in mind  $1^\circ$  halide give product by  $\text{S}_\text{N}2$  /  $\text{E} - 2$  mechanism and  $1^\circ$  halide always gives substitution reaction except when strongly hindered base is used.



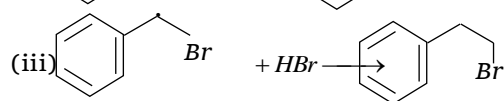
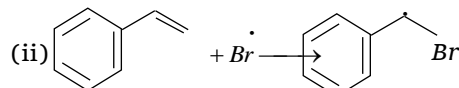
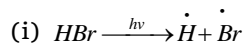
elimination.

The reaction involves carbocation intermediate.

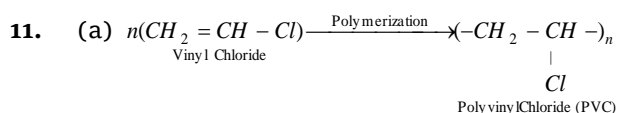
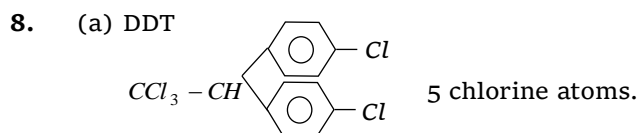
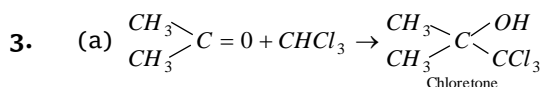
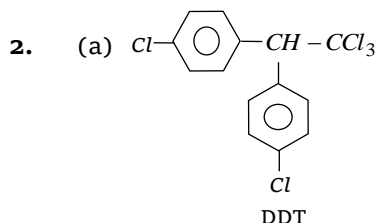
- (ii) 

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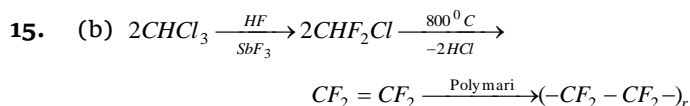
Formation of B is a free radical addition reaction



## Uses of Halogen Containing Compounds



12. (c) Freon ( $\text{CCl}_2\text{F}_2$ ) is an odourless, non-corrosive, non toxic gas which is stable even at high temperatures and pressures. It has low b.pt, low specific heat and can be easily liquified by applying pressure at room temperature. It is therefore, widely used in refrigerant (cooling agent) in refrigerators and air conditioners.



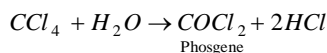
18. (d) Its vapours are non inflammable (i.e. do not catch fire). Hence used as fire extinguishers under the name pyren.

19. (b) Iodoform is used as an antiseptic for dressing wounds. When it comes in contact with skin (organic matter), Iodine is set free which responsible for antiseptic action.

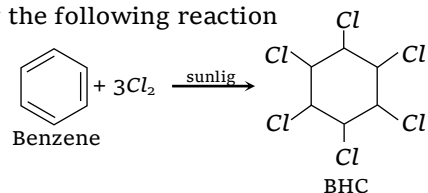
20. (b) Inhalation of  $\text{CHCl}_3$  vapours produces loss of consciousness and is therefore, used as a general anaesthetic agent in surgery.

22. (b)  $\text{CCl}_4$  is stable to red heat. Its vapours are highly non-inflammable i.e. do not catch fire. It is because of this property  $\text{CCl}_4$  is used as a fire extinguisher. But now a days its use as a

fire extinguisher is restricted because with water vaporous. It forms highly poisonous phosgene gas



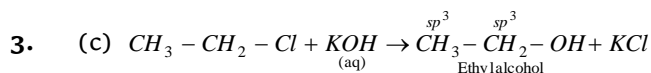
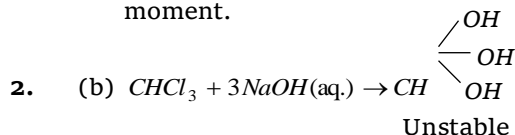
23. (a) Benzene hexachloride is an insecticide generally known as gammexane. It is obtained by the following reaction



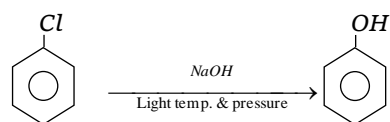
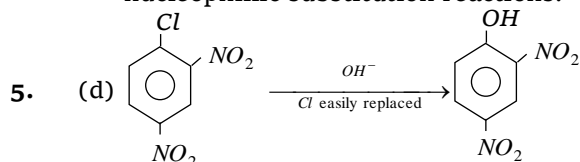
25. (c) Chlorofluorocarbon is used in air-conditioning and in domestic refrigerators for cooling purposes. Its main drawback is this, it is responsible for ozone depletion.

## Critical Thinking Questions

1. (a)  $\text{CH}_3\text{Cl}$  have one Cl atom which is more electronegative so it will have highest dipole moment.



4. (a) As a result of resonance, the carbon-chloride bond acquires some double bond character. Hence, vinyl chloride does not undergo nucleophilic substitution reactions.



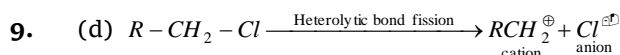
6. (b) % of chlorine =  $\frac{\text{Mass of chlorine}}{\text{Mass of organic compound}} \times 100$

$$\text{Chloral } (\text{CCl}_3\text{CHO}) = \frac{106.5}{147.5} \times 100 = 72.20$$

$$\text{Pyrene } (\text{CCl}_4) = \frac{142}{154} \times 100 = 92.20 \text{ Highest}$$

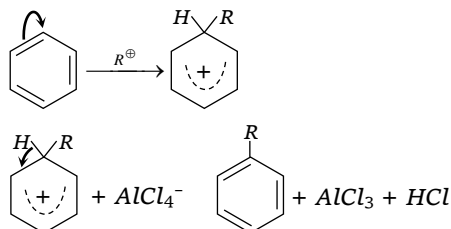
$$\text{Gammexene } (C_6H_6Cl_6) = \frac{213}{291} \times 100 = 73.19$$

7. (a)  $SN^2$  Substitution nucleophilic bimolecular  
order of different alkyl halides.  $1^\circ > 2^\circ > 3^\circ$   
 $SN^1$  Substitution nucleophilic unimolecular order  
of different alkyl halides,  $3^\circ > 2^\circ > 1^\circ$ .
8. (b) aaaa form is the most powerful insecticide  
form of  $C_6H_6Cl_6$ .

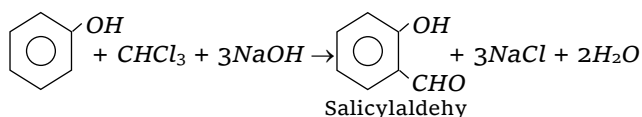


*Cl* is more electronegative than *C* by which it form anion and hydrocarbon form cation.

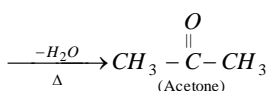
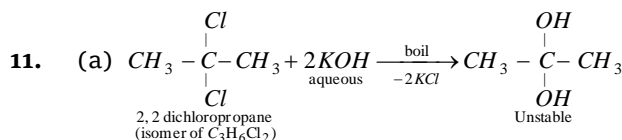
10. (b,d) New carbon-carbon bond formation take place in Friedel Craft's alkylation and Reimer-Tiemann reaction. In Friedel Craft's alkylation following mechanism involve



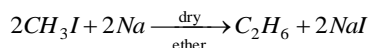
Here new C-C bond formed between carbon of benzene ring and alkyl group.  
Similarly in Reimer-Tiemann reaction.



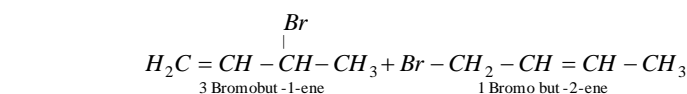
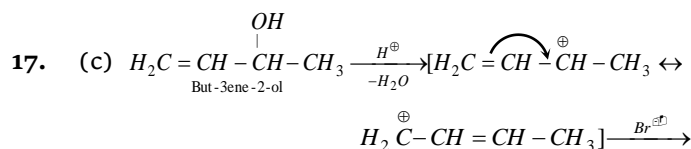
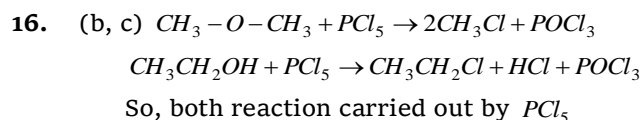
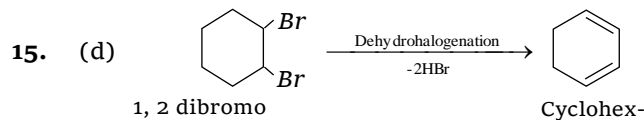
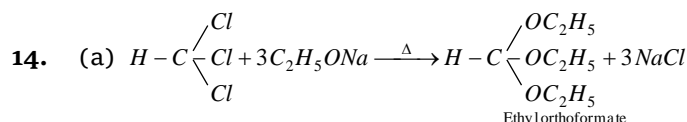
Here new C-C bond formed between carbon of benzene ring and -CHO group.



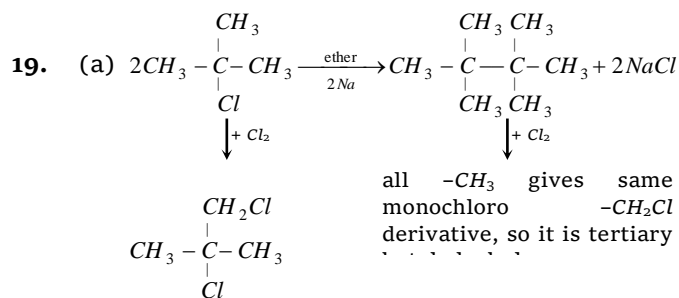
12. (a) Only 1° alkyl halides, i.e.  $\text{CH}_3\text{Br}$  undergoes  $\text{S}_\text{N}2$  reaction.
13. (b) Wurtz reaction gives ethane



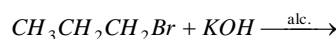
Similarly  $C_2H_5Cl$  reduced by  $LiAlH_4$  to give ethane



- 18.** (a) The C-F bond energy is maximum in  $CH_3F$ .  
Thus fluoride is the less reactive to form the grignard reagent with  $Mg$ .



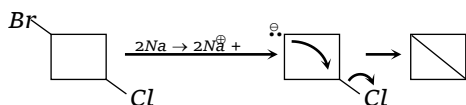
- 20.** (d) The polarity between C-X bond increase by increasing the +I effect which increase by increasing the alkyl group by which X of C-X easily eliminate. In  $CH_3CH_2CH_2Br$  the polarity is maximum due to 3 alkyl group while in rest polarity decrease due to the presence of double bond, presence of -CO group (-I) and less no. of alkyl group.



21. (d) *p*-dichlorobenzene molecule has symmetrical structure. It can fit well in its crystal lattice. The intermolecular forces of attraction are strong. Hence, it possesses highest melting point.

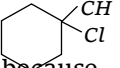
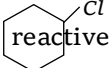
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22. (d) Due to +I effect of 3 alkyl group in option (d), the chlorine atom occupy the maximum charge in it so it is more electronegative.
23. (d) It is the example of Wurtz reaction.



### Assertion and Reason

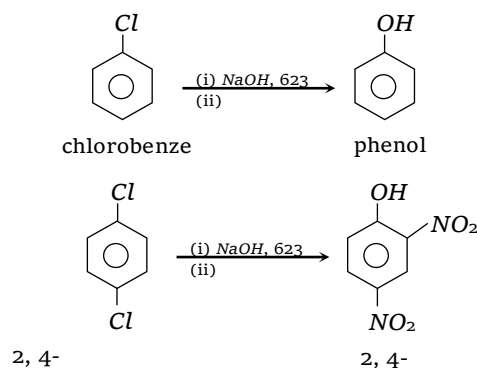
- (d)  $\text{CHCl}_3$  is stored in dark bottles to prevent oxidation of  $\text{CHCl}_3$  in presence of sunlight.
- (c) Due to symmetrical nature and more closer packing *p*-dichlorobenzene has highest melting point.
- (e)  $\text{CCl}_4$  is used as a fire extinguisher. The dense, non combustible vapours cover the burning substance and prevents the availability of oxygen round burning material.
- (e) Dry gaseous hydrohalogen acids are better electrophile. Also in aqueous solution,  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ , acting as nucleophile may produce alcohol.
- (c)  $\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{I}$  reacts more rapidly with strong base in comparison to  $\text{CD}_3\text{CH}_2\text{I}$ . The elimination of  $\text{HI}$  (or  $\text{DI}$ ) in presence of strong base shows  $\text{E}_2$  elimination. The rate determining step involves the breaking up of  $\text{C-H}$  (or  $\text{C-D}$ ) bond. The  $\text{C-D}$  bond being stronger than  $\text{C-H}$  and thus elimination is faster in case of  $\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{I}$ .
- (c) For a given alcohol the order of reactivity of halogen acids follows the sequence  $\text{HI} > \text{HBr} > \text{HCl}$ . It is because of the fact that  $\text{I}^-$  is a stronger nucleophile than  $\text{Br}^-$  which in turn is a stronger nucleophile than  $\text{Cl}^-$ .

8. (e)  is more reactive than  because

the former is a tertiary alkyl halide and the latter is a secondary alkyl halide. Tertiary alkyl halides react predominantly by  $\text{S}_{\text{N}}1$  mechanism.

9. (d) Halobenzenes become reactive to nucleophilic substitution reactions when electron withdrawing groups (nitro, cyano) are present at ortho/para position. This is evident from the

milder conditions required for hydrolysis in 2, 4-dinitrochlorobenzene than chlorobenzene.



- (e) Halogens are somewhat deactivating but *o*, *p*-directing. As a result, aryl halides undergo the usual electrophilic substitution reactions less readily than benzene.
- (b) A reaction is said to be stereo selective if a particular stereoisomer can give two or more stereoisomeric products but gives one of them in greater amount than the other or even to the exclusion of the other. So, addition of  $\text{Br}_2$  to *cis*-but-2-ene is stereoselective since it gives only ( $\pm$ ) 2, 3-dibromobutane.
- (a) In  $\text{S}_{\text{N}}1$  mechanism, racemization takes place, which is due to inverting nucleophilic displacement of halogen atom from the alkyl halide by the halide in solution.



## Halogen Containing compounds

## Self Evaluation Test -25

- Preparation of alkyl halides in laboratory is least preferred by
  - Halide exchange
  - Direct halogenation of alkanes
  - Treatment of alcohols
  - Addition of hydrogen halides to alkenes
- An alkyl halide may be converted into an alcohol by  
[EAMCET 1980; CBSE PMT 1997; BHU 1999; AIIMS 2001]
  - Addition
  - Substitution
  - Dehydrohalogenation
  - Elimination
- The  $C-Cl$  bond in chlorobenzene as compared with  $C-Cl$  bond in methyl chloride is [MP PMT 1995]
  - Longer and weaker
  - Shorter and weaker
  - Shorter and stronger
  - Longer and stronger
- A salt solution is treated with chloroform drops. Then it is shaken with chlorine water. Chloroform layer becomes violet. Solution contains [CPMT 1982]
  - $NO_2^-$  ion
  - $NO_3^-$  ion
  - $Br^-$  ion
  - $I^-$  ion
- The following reaction belongs to  

$$(CH_3)_3C-Br \xrightarrow{H_2O} (CH_3)_3C-OH$$
 [AIEEE 2002]
  - Elimination reaction
  - Substitution reaction
  - Free radical reaction
  - Displacement reaction
- The order of reactivities of methyl halides in the formation of Grignard reagent is [KCET 2003]
  - $CH_3I > CH_3Br > CH_3Cl$
  - $CH_3Cl > CH_3Br > CH_3I$
  - $CH_3Br > CH_3Cl > CH_3I$
  - $CH_3Br > CH_3I > CH_3Cl$
- Identify Z in the following series  

$$C_2H_5I \xrightarrow{Alco., KOH} X \xrightarrow{Br_2} Y \xrightarrow{KCN} Z$$
 [AIIMS 1983; AFMC 1998; MP PET 1997]
  - $CH_3CH_2CN$
  - $$\begin{array}{c} CH_2CN \\ | \\ CH_2CN \end{array}$$
  - $BrCH_2-CH_2CN$
  - $BrCH=CHCN$
- The total number of stereoisomeric forms of  $C_6H_6Cl_6$  known is
  - 6
  - 7
  - 8
  - None of these
- The correct order of  $C-X$  bond polarity is [RPMT 2000]
  - $CH_3Br > CH_3Cl > CH_3I$
  - $CH_3I > CH_3Br > CH_3Cl$
  - $CH_3Cl > CH_3Br > CH_3I$
  - $CH_3Cl > CH_3I > CH_3Br$
- The order of reactivities of the following alkyl halides for a  $SN^2$  reaction is [IIT-JEE (Screening) 2000]
  - $RF > RCl > RBr > RI$
  - $RF > RBr > RCl > RI$
  - $RCl > RBr > RF > RI$
  - $RI > RBr > RCl > RF$
- Which of the following reactions doesn't give benzene  
[RPMT 2003]
  - $C_6H_5N_2Cl \xrightarrow[H_2O]{\text{boiling}}$
  - $C_6H_5N_2Cl \xrightarrow[\Delta]{C_2H_5OH}$
  - $C_6H_5N_2Cl + H_3PO_2 + H_2O \longrightarrow$
  - All of these
- Benzene hexachloride is prepared from benzene and chlorine in sunlight by
  - Substitution reaction
  - Elimination reaction
  - Addition reaction
  - Rearrangement
- Carbon-halogen bond is strongest among the following  
[MP PMT 1995]
  - $CH_3Cl$
  - $CH_3Br$
  - $CH_3F$
  - $CH_3I$
- Which of these do not undergo Wurtz reaction
  - $C_2H_5F$
  - $C_2H_5Br$
  - $C_2H_5Cl$
  - $C_2H_5I$
- When ethyl bromide reacts with sodium acetylide the main product is  
[Pb. CET 2002]
  - 1-butane
  - 1-butene
  - 1-butyne
  - 2-butyne

16.  $C_2H_5I$  and  $Ag_2O$  reacts to produce [Pb. PMT 2004]

 (a)  $C_2H_6$ 

 (b)  $C_2H_5 - C_2H_5$ 

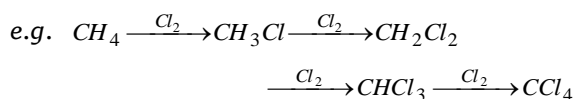
 (c)  $C_2H_5 - O - C_2H_5$ 

 (d)  $C_2H_5 - CH_3$ 

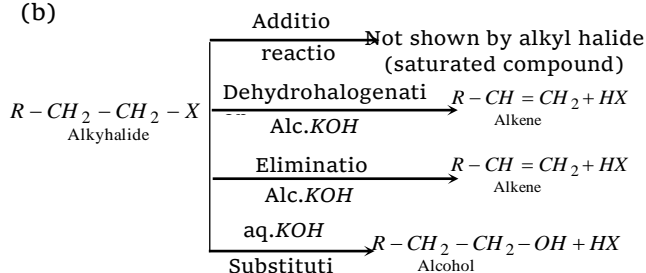
# AS Answers and Solutions

(SET -25)

1. (b) Direct halogenation of alkenes is not preferred because in it a mixture of monohalogen, dihalogen, trihalogen and tetrahalogen substituted product is obtained which is difficult to separate.



2. (b)



3. (c) In chlorobenzene C - Cl bond acquires partial double bond character because of resonance.

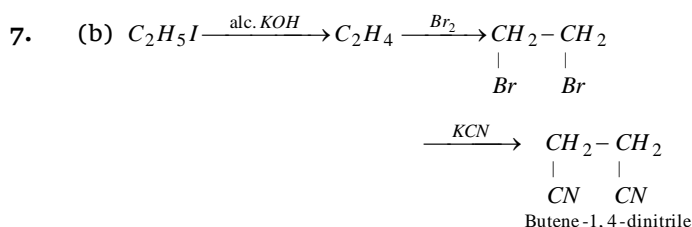
4. (d)  $2NaI + Cl_2 \rightarrow 2NaCl + I_2$  (Dissolves in  $CHCl_3$  to give violet colour)

Chlorine displaces iodine from salt. The iodine get dissolve in  $CHCl_3$  or  $CCl_4$  to produce violet colour.

5. (b)  $(CH_3)_3C-Br \xrightarrow{H_2O} (CH_3)_3C-OH$

Here Br substitute by -OH group.

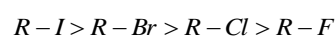
6. (a) Reactivity towards grignard reagent are as under  $CH_3I > CH_3Br > CH_3Cl$



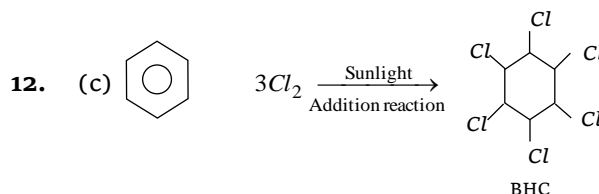
8. (c)  $C_6H_6Cl_6$  has 8 stereoisomer.

9. (c) The C - X bond polarity order are as under  $CH_3Cl > CH_3Br > CH_3I$

10. (d) The order of reactivity of alkyl halides for  $SN^2$  reaction is



11. (a)  $C_6H_5N_2Cl \xrightarrow[H_2O]{\text{Boiling}} C_6H_5OH + N_2 + HCl$



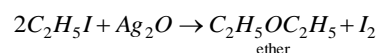
13. (c)  $CH_3F > CH_3Cl > CH_3Br > CH_3I$

14. (a)  $C_2H_5F + 2Na + FC_2H_5 \xrightarrow[\text{ether}]{\text{Dry}}$  No reaction

15. (c)  $C_2H_5Br + NaC \equiv CH \rightarrow C_2H_5C \equiv CH + NaBr$   
Ethyl bromide      sodium acetylide      1-butyne      sodium bromide

Thus in this reaction 1-butyne is main product.

16. (c)  $C_2H_5I$  and  $Ag_2O$  reacts as below



Thus,  $C_2H_5 - O - C_2H_5$  is produced.

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