Chapters 6 & 16 – Practice Questions

- 1. Which of the following is an incorrect representation of relative nucleophile strength? A) $-NH_2 > F^-$
 - B) $HO^- > HS^-$
 - C) $CH_{3}^{-} > HO^{-}$
 - D) $CH_3O^- > CH_3OH$
 - E) $I^{-} > Br^{-}$
- 2. What is the mechanism of the following reaction?



- A) S_N1
- B) S_N2
- C) E1
- D) E2
- E) both A and B
- 3. Which statement is true for $S_N 2$ reactions?
 - A) The rate of the reaction is dependent on the stability of a carbocation.
 - B) The rate of reaction is dependent on just the substrate.
 - C) The fastest reaction will occur with a tertiary halide.
 - D) Displacement occurs with inversion of configuration.
 - E) The mechanism is a two step process.
- 4. The structure below represents the transition state for the reaction of

- A) methanol with 2-bromopropene.
- B) methoxide with 2-bromopropane.
- C) sodium bromide with isopropyl methyl ether.
- D) methanol with 2-bromopropane.
- E) methoxide with 1-bromopropane.
- 5. When 1-bromobutane is reacted with the bulky base, potassium *tert*-butoxide, in *tert*-butyl alcohol, the major elimination product is:
 - A) 1-butene
 - B) *cis*-2-butene
 - C) *trans*-2-butene
 - D) butyl tert-butyl ether
 - E) butyl alcohol

6. The energy-reaction diagram below is for



- A) an $S_N 2$ reaction only.
- B) an $S_N 1$ reaction only.
- C) an E2 reaction only.
- D) an E1 reaction only.
- E) an $S_N 1$ or E1 reaction.
- F) an $S_N 2$ or E2 reaction

7. What is the final product of the following sequence of reactions?



- A) I
- B) II
- C) III
- D) IV
- E) III and IV

8. Which of the following halocarbons is the raw material for the synthesis of Teflon?



Chapter 16 Questions

1. Which of the following can be classified as an aldopentose?



- A) 1
- B) 2
- C) 3
- D) 4
- E) 3 and 4
- 2. Glucose can be classified as a:
 - A) monosaccharide
 - B) disaccharide
 - C) trisaccharide
 - D) polysaccharide
 - E) table sugar

- 3. Which of the following can be considered a polysaccharide?
 - A) sucrose
 - B) cellobiose
 - C) lactose
 - D) maltose
 - E) cellulose

4. The difference between the pyranose and furanose forms of a given aldohexose is:

- A) the ring size
- B) the number of the anomeric C
- C) the type of functional groups
- D) the number of functional groups
- E) there is no difference