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Organic chemistry is a vibrant and growing scientific discipline that touches a vast number of scientific areas. This sixth edition of "March's Advanced Organic Chemistry" has been thoroughly updated to reflect new areas of Organic chemistry, as well as new advances in well-known areas of Organic chemistry. Every topic retained from the fifth edition has been brought up to date. Changes include the addition of a few new sections, significant revision to sections that have seen explosive growth in that area of research, moving sections around within the book to better reflect logical and reasonable chemical classifications, and a significant rewrite of much of the book. More than 7000 new references have been added. As with the fifth edition, when older references were deleted and in cases where a series of papers by the same principal author were cited, all but the most recent were deleted. The older citations should be found within the more recent one or ones. The fundamental structure of the sixth edition is essentially the same as that of all previous ones, although acyl substitution reactions have been moved from chapter 10 to chapter 16, and many oxidation or reduction reactions have been consolidated into chapter 19.

Like the first five editions, the sixth is intended to be a textbook for a course in advanced organic chemistry taken by students who have had the standard undergraduate organic and physical chemistry courses.

The goal, as in previous editions is to give equal weight to the three fundamental aspects of the study of organic chemistry: reactions, mechanisms, and structure. A student who has completed a course based on this book should be able to approach the literature directly, with a sound knowledge of modern basic organic chemistry. Major special areas of organic chemistry: terpenes, carbohydrates, proteins, many organometallic reagents, combinatorial chemistry, polymerization and electrochemical reactions, steroids, etc. have been treated lightly or ignored completely. I share the late Professor March's opinion that these topics are best approached after the first year of graduate study, when the fundamentals have been mastered, either in advanced courses, or directly, by consulting the many excellent books and review articles available on these subjects. In addition, many of these topics are so vast, they are beyond the scope of this book.

The organization is based on reaction types, so the student can be shown that despite the large number of organic reactions, a relatively few principles suffice to explain nearly all of them. Accordingly, the reactions-mechanisms section of this book (Part 2) is divided into 10 chapters (10–19), each concerned with a different type of reaction. In the first part of each chapter the appropriate basic

mechanisms are discussed along with considerations of reactivity and orientation, while the second part consists of numbered sections devoted to individual reactions, where the scope and the mechanism of each reaction are discussed. Numbered sections are used for the reactions. Since the methods for the preparation of individual classes of compounds (e.g., ketones, nitriles, etc.) are not treated all in one place, an index has been provided (Appendix B) by use of which all methods for the preparation of a given type of compound will be found. For each reaction, a list of *Organic Syntheses* references is given where they have been reported. Thus for many reactions the student can consult actual examples in *Organic Syntheses*. It is important to note that the numbers for each reaction *differ* from one edition to the other, and many of the sections in the fifth edition do not correlate with the fourth. A correlation table is included at the end of this Preface that directly correlates the sections found in the 5th edition with the new ones in the 6th edition.

The structure of organic compounds is discussed in the first five chapters of Part 1. This section provides a necessary background for understanding mechanisms and is also important in its own right. The discussion begins with chemical bonding and ends with a chapter on stereochemistry. There follow two chapters on reaction mechanisms in general, one for ordinary reactions and the other for photochemical reactions. Part 1 concludes with two more chapters that give further background to the study of mechanisms.

In addition to reactions, mechanisms, and structure, the student should have some familiarity with the literature of organic chemistry. A chapter devoted to this topic has been placed in Appendix A, though many teachers may wish to cover this material at the beginning of the course.

The IUPAC names for organic transformations are included, first introduced in the third edition. Since then the rules have been broadened to cover additional cases; hence more such names are given in this edition. Furthermore, IUPAC has now published a new system for designating reaction mechanisms (see p. 420), and some of the simpler designations are included.

In treating a subject as broad as the basic structures, reactions, and mechanisms of organic chemistry, it is obviously not possible to cover each topic in great depth. Nor would this be desirable even if possible. Nevertheless, students will often wish to pursue individual topics further. An effort has therefore been made to guide the reader to pertinent review articles and books published since about 1965. In this respect, this book is intended to be a guide to the secondary literature (since about 1965) of the areas it covers. Furthermore, in a graduate course, students should be encouraged to consult primary sources. To this end, more than 20,000 references to original papers have been included.

Although basically designed for a one-year course on the graduate level, this book can also be used in advanced undergraduate courses, but a one-year course in organic chemistry prior to this is essential, and a one year course in physical chemistry is strongly recommended. It can also be adapted, by the omission of a large part of its contents, to a one-semester course. Indeed, even for a one-year course, more is included than can be conveniently covered. Many individual sections can be easily omitted without disturbing continuity.

The reader will observe that this text contains much material that is included in first-year organic and physical chemistry courses, though in most cases it goes more deeply into each subject and, of course, provides references, which first-year texts do not. It has been my experience that students who have completed the first-year courses often have a hazy recollection of the material and greatly profit from a representation of the material if it is organized in a different way. It is hoped that the organization of the material on reactions and mechanisms will greatly aid the memory and the understanding. In any given course the teacher may want to omit some chapters because students already have an adequate knowledge of the material, or because there are other graduate courses that cover the areas more thoroughly. Chapters 1, 4, and 7 especially may fall into one of these categories.

This book is probably most valuable as a reasonably up-to-date reference work. Students preparing for qualifying examinations and practicing organic chemists will find that Part 2 contains a survey of what is known about the mechanism and scope of a large number of reactions, arranged in an orderly manner based on reaction type and on which bonds are broken and formed. Also valuable for reference purposes are the previously mentioned lists of reactions classified by type of compound prepared (Appendix B) and of all of the *Organic Syntheses* references to each reaction.

Anyone who writes a book such as this is faced with the question of which units to use, in cases where international rules mandate one system, but published papers use another. Two instances are the units used for energies and for bond distances. For energies, IUPAC mandates joules, and many journals do use this unit exclusively. However, organic chemists who publish in United States journals overwhelmingly use calories and this situation shows no signs of changing in the near future. Since previous editions of this book have been used extensively both in this country and abroad, I have now adopted the practice of giving virtually all energy values in both calories and joules. The question of units for bond distances is easier to answer. Although IUPAC does not recommend Ångstrom units, nearly all bond distances published in the literature anywhere in the world, whether in organic or in crystallographic journals, are in these units, though a few papers do use picometers. Therefore, I continue to use only Ångstrom units.

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I encourage those who read and use the sixth edition to contact me directly with comments, errors, and with publications that might be appropriate for future editions. I hope that this new edition will carry on the tradition that Professor March began with the first edition.

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Professor Smith's current research involves the synthesis and structural verification of several bioactive lipids obtained from the dental pathogen *Porphyromonas gingivalis*. Another area of research examines the chemical reactivity of conducting polymers such as poly(ethylenedioxy)thiophene (PEDOT). Such polymers are supposed to be chemically inert but, in fact, induce a variety of chemical reactions, including Friedel-Crafts alkylation of aromatic compounds with alcohols. Another area of research involves the development of a dye-conjugate designed to target and image tumors, as well as the total synthesis of anti-cancer phenanthridone alkaloids such as pancratistatin.

ABBREVIATIONS

Ac Acetyl acac Acetylacetonato **AIBN** Azoisobutyronitrile Aqueous aq. 9-Borabicyclo[3.3.1]nonylboryl 9-BBN 9-Borabicyclo[3.3.1]nonane Borohydride exchange resin **BER BINAP** (2R,3S),2,2'-bis(diphenylphosphino)-1,1'-binapthyl Bn Benzyl BzBenzoyl **BOC** tert-Butoxycarbonyl 2,2'-Bipyridyl bpy (bipy) Bu n-Butyl -CH2CH2CH2CH3 CAM Carboxamidomethyl **CAN** Ceric ammonium nitrate $(NH)_2Ce(NO_3)_6$ c-Cyclo-Catalytic cat. Cbz Carbobenzyloxy (2S,3R)-(+)-4-dimethylamino-1,2-diphenyl-3-methylbutan-2-o1 Chirald Cod 1,5-Cyclooctadiene (ligand) 1,3,5,7-Cyclooctatetraene (ligand) Cot Cyclopentadienyl Cp Camphorsulfonic acid **CSA CTAB** Cetyltrimethylammonium bromide $C_{16}H_{33}NMe_{3}^{+}Br^{-}$ Cy $(c-C_6H_{11})$ Cyclohexyl Temperature in degrees Centigrade °C 1,4-Diazobicyclo[2.2.2]octane **DABCO** dba Dibenzylidene acetone DBE 1,2-Dibromoethane BrCH₂CH₂Br 1,8-Diazabicyclo[5.4.0]undec-7-ene **DBU** DBN 1,5-Diazabicyclo[4.3.0]non-5-ene 1,3-Dicyclohexylcarbodiimide $c-C_6H_{13}-N=C=N-c-C_6H_{13}$ **DCC DCE** 1.2-Dichloroethane CICH₂CH₂Cl

XVIII ABBREVIATIONS

DDQ 2,3-Dichloro-5,6-dicyano-1,4-benzoquinone

% de % Diasteromeric excess

DEA Diethylamine HN(CH₂CH₃)₂
DEAD Diethylazodicarboxylate EtO₂C-N=NCO₂Et
Dibal-H Diisobutylaluminum hydride (Me₂CHCH₂)₂AIH
Diphos (dppe) 1,2-bis(Diphenylphosphino)ethane Ph₂PCH₂CH₂PPh₂
Diphos-4 (dppb) 1,4-bis(Diphenylphosphino)butane Ph₂P(CH₂)₄PPh₂

DMAP 4-Dimethylaminopyridine

DMA Dimethylacetamide

DME 1,2-Dimethoxyethane MeOCH₂CH₂OMe

DMF N,N'-Dimethylformamide

dmp bis-[1,3-Di(*p*-methoxyphenyl)-1,3-propanedionato]

DMSO Dimethyl sulfoxide dpm Dipivaloylmethanato

dppb 1,4-bis(Diphenylphosphino)butane

Ph₂P(CH₂)₄PPh₂

dppe 1,2-bis(Diphenylphosphino)ethane

Ph₂PCH₂CH₂CH₂PPh₂

dppf bis(Diphenylphosphino)ferrocene

dppp 1,3-bis(Diphenylphosphino)propane Ph₂P(CH₂)₃PPh₂

dvb Divinylbenzene e Electrolysis

% ee % Enantiomeric excess

EE1-EthoxyethylEtO(Me)HCO-EtEthyl $-CH_2CH_3$ EDAEthylenediamine $H_2NCH_2CH_2NH_2$

EDTA Ethylenediaminetetraacetic acid

FMN Flavin mononucleotide

fod *tris*-(6,6,7,7,8,8,8)-Heptafluoro-2,2-dimethyl-3,5-octanedionate

Fp Cyclopentadienyl-bis(carbonyl iron)

FVP Flash vacuum pyrolysis

h Hour (hours)

hv Irradiation with light 1,5-HD 1,5-Hexadienyl

HMPAHexamethylphosphoramide $(Me_3N)_3P=O$ HMPTHexamethylphorous triamide $(Me_3N)_3P$ iPrIsopropyl $-CHMe_2$

IR Infrared

LICA (LIPCA) Lithium cyclohexylisopropylamide

LDA Lithium diisopropylamide LiN(*i*Pr)₂ LHMDS Lithium hexamethyl disilazide LiN(SiMe₃)₂

LTMP Lithium 2,2,6,6-tetramethylpiperidide

MABR Methylaluminum bis(4-bromo-2,6-di-*tert*-butylphenoxide)

MAD bis(2,6-Di-*tert*-butyl-4-methylphenoxy)methyl aluminum

mCPBA meta-Chloroperoxybenzoic acid

MS Molecular sieves (3 Å or 4 Å)

MTM Methylthiomethyl CH₃SCH₂—

NAD Nicotinamide adenine dinucleotide NADP Sodium triphosphopyridine nucleotide

Napth Naphthyl (C₁₀H₈)
NBD Norbornadiene
NBS N-Bromosuccinimide
NCS N-Chlorosuccinimide
NIS N-Iodosuccinimide
Ni(R) Raney nickel

NMP *N*-Methyl-2-pyrrolidinone

NY New York

NMRNuclear magnetic resonanceOxone $2 \text{ KHSO}_5 \cdot \text{KHSO}_4 \cdot \text{K}_2 \text{SO}_4$ PPolymeric backbonePCCPyridinium chlorochromatePDCPyridinium dichromatePEGPolyethylene glycol

Ph Phenyl
PhH Benzene
PhMe Toluene
Phth Phthaloyl

pic 2-Pyridinecarboxylate

Pip Piperidyl

PMP 4-Methoxyphenyl

Pr n-Propyl $-CH_2CH_2CH_3$

Py Pyridine

quant. Quantitative yield

Red-Al [(MeOCH₂CH₂O)₂AlH₂]Na

sBusec-Butyl $CH_3CH_2CH(CH_3)$ sBuLisec-Butyllithium $CH_3CH_2CH(Li)CH_3$ SiamylDiisoamyl $(CH_3)_2CHCH(CH_3)$ -

TADDOL $\alpha, \alpha, \alpha' \alpha'$ -Tetraaryl-4,5-dimethoxy-1,3-dioxolane

TASF tris-(Diethylamino)sulfonium difluorotrimethyl silicate

TBAF Tetrabutylammonium fluoride $n\text{-Bu}_4\text{N}^+\text{F}^-$ TBDMS tert-Butyldimethylsilyl $t\text{-BuMe}_s\text{Si}$ TBHP tert-Butylhydroperoxide (t-BuOOH) tert-Butylhydroperoxide

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<i>t</i> -Bu	tert-Butyl	$-C(CH_3)_3$
TBS	tert-Butyl dimethylsilyl	t-BuMe ₂ Si
TEBA	Triethylbenzylammonium	$Bn(CH_3)_3N^+$
TEMPO	Tetramethylpiperdinyloxy free radical	
TFA	Trifluoroacetic acid	CF ₃ COOH
TFAA	Trifluoroacetic anhydride	$(CF_3CO)_2O$
Tf (OTf)	Triflate	$-SO_2CF_3(-OSO_2CF_3)$
THF	Tetrahydrofuran	
THP	Tetrahydropyran	
TMEDA	Tetramethylethylenediamine	Me ₂ NCH ₂ CH ₂ NMe ₂
TMG	1,1,3,3-Tetramethylguanidine	
TMS	Trimethylsilyl	$-Si(CH_3)_3$
TMP	2,2,6,6-Tetramethylpiperidine	
TPAP	tetra-n-Propylammonium perruthenate	
Tol	Tolyl	$4\text{MeC}_6\text{H}_4$
Tr	Trityl	$-CPh_3$
TRIS	Triisopropylphenylsulfonyl	
Ts(Tos)	Tosyl = p -Toluenesulfonyl	$4-MeC_6H_4$
UV	Ultraviolet	
X_c	Chiral auxiliary	