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## STEREOCHEMISTRY

## Practice Exercise

1. Which class of compounds can exhibit geometrical isomerism?
A. $\mathrm{C}_{6} \mathrm{H}_{5} \mathrm{CH}=\mathrm{NOH}$
B. $\mathrm{CH}_{3} \mathrm{CH}=\mathrm{CHCH}_{3}$
C. ${ }^{\mathrm{HOOCOH}-\mathrm{CH}_{2}-\mathrm{CHCOOH}}$
D. All of the above

## Answer: D

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2. Which of the following shows geometrical isomerism?
A. 1,2-dichloroethene
B. 1,2-dimethylcyclopropane
C. ${ }^{\mathrm{CHOH}}{ }^{\mathrm{CHH}-\mathrm{CO}} \mathrm{CHOH}_{5}$
D. All of the above

## Answer: D

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3. The number of isomers of the compound $C_{2} F C l B r l$ is :
A. 3
B. 4
C. 5
D. 6

Answer: D

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4. Which will form geometrical isomers?

B. $\mathrm{CH}_{3} \mathrm{CH}=\mathrm{NOH}$
C.

## D. All of the above

Answer: D
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double bonds are
A. cic,cis
B. cis,trans
C. trans, cis
D. trans, trans

Answer: C

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6. Number of geometrical isomers for the molecule

A. 2
B. 3
C. 4
D. 5

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## 7. Racemic modification can be resolved by

A. the use of enzymes
B. fractional crystailisation
C. fractional distillation
D. none of the above
8. Racemic tartaric acid is optically inactive due to
A. external compensation
B. internal compensation
C. presence of plane of symmetry
D. All of the above

Answer: A
9. (+) and (-) forms of optically active compounds are different in
A. boiling points
B. melting points
C. specific gravity
D. specific rotation

Answer: D

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10. Which of the following fischer projection formula is same as D_glyceraldehyde?

B. ${\underset{C H}{C H}}_{\mathrm{CH}_{2} \mathrm{OH}}^{-\mathrm{OH}}$

C. $\mathrm{CH}_{2} \mathrm{OH}$


11. How many carbon atoms in the molecule
$\mathrm{HOOC}-(\mathrm{CHOH})_{2}-\mathrm{COOH}$
are asymmetric?
A. 1
B. 2
C. 3
D. none of these


Number of chiral centres in
A. 1
B. 2
C. 3
D. 4

Answer: B
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13.


The following compound can exhibits
A. tautomerism
B. optical isomerism
C. geometrical isomerism
D. geometrical and optical isomerism

Answer: B

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14. Which of the following statements is not correct?
A. A meso compound has chiral centres but exhibits no optical activity
B. A meso compound has no chiral centre.

Thus it is optically inactive.
C. A meso compound has molecule in
which one-half of molecule is
superimposable on the other even
through chiral centre is present in them
D. A meso compound is optically inactive
because the rotation caused by one-half

# of molecule is cancelled by the rotation 

 produced by another half
## Answer: D

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15. An enantiomerically pure acid is treated with racemic mixture of an alcohol having one chiral carbon. The ester formed will be :
A. optically active mixture

## B. pure enantiomer

C. meso compound
D. racemic mixture.

Answer: A

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16. Which of the following will exhibit geometrical isomerism?
A. Propene
B. Butene-2
C. Butene-1
D. 1,1-dichloro butane

Answer: B

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17. Which statement is true?
A. A compound with $R$ configuration is the
(+) enantiomer
B. If configuration changes from + to - , that essentially means
configuration takes place
C. An achiral molecule reacts always with racemic forms, to give a chiral molecule.
D. By breaking two bonds on the chiral centre, configuration changes.

## Answer: D

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the compound whose stereo chemical formula
is written below, exhibits $x$-geometrical
isomers and $y$-optical isomers. The value of $x$ and y respectively are
A. 4 are 4
B. 2 and 2

## C. 2 and 4

D. 4 and 2

Answer: B

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19. Incorrect statement is
A. ethane can have an infinite number of
conformations
B. cyclopropane molecule has considerable angle strain
C. eclipsed form of ethane is less stable than staggered conformation

D. staggered conformation possesses

maximum energy.

## Answer: D

20. At room temperature, the eclipsed and the staggered forms of ethane cannot be isolated because
A. both the conformers are equally stable
B. they interconvert rapidly
C. There is a large energy barrier of
rotation about the $\sigma$-bond
D. the energy difference between the
conformers is large.

Answer: B

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21. The most stable conformation of ethane chlorohydrin at room temperature is
A. fully eclipsed
B. partially eclipsed
C. gauche
D. staggered

## Answer: C

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the number of chiral carbon atoms present in
the molecule.
A. 3
B. 4
C. 2
D. 1

Answer: C

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23. Which of the following are diastereomers ?

(I)

ii.

(II)
iv.

A. I and III
B. II and IV
C. I and II
D. None of these

## Answer: C

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COOH

24.

The R -isomer among the following are
A. I and II
B. II and III

## C. III and IV

## D. I and III

Answer: A

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\mathrm{Me}{\underset{\mathrm{OH}}{\mathrm{H}}}^{\mathrm{Me}} \xrightarrow{\mathrm{H}^{\oplus}} \mathrm{X} \xrightarrow{\mathrm{Br}_{2}}
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25. formula $\mathrm{C}_{4} \mathrm{H}_{4} \mathrm{Br}_{2}$ 。

Five compounds with formula $\mathrm{C}_{4} \mathrm{H}_{8} \mathrm{Br}_{2}$
How many structrue of $(X)$ are possible?
A. 2
B. 3
C. 4
D. 5

Answer: B

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26. 



Configuration of
A. R,R
B. R,S
C. S,S
D. $S, R$

Answer: B

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27. The specific rotation of a pure enantiomer
is $+16^{\circ}$ its observed rotation if it is isolated
from a reaction with $25 \%$ racemisation and $75 \%$ retention is,
A. $-12^{\circ}$
B. $+12^{\circ}$
C. $+16^{\circ}$
D. $-16^{\circ}$

Answer: B
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28. Out of following, the alkane that exhibit optical isomerism is
A. 3-methyl-2-pentene
B. 4-methyl-1-pentene
C. 3-methyl-1-pentene
D. 2-methyl-2-pentene

Answer: C
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29. The alkene that exhibits geometrical isomerism is
A. propene
B. 2-methyl propene
C. 2-butene
D. 2-methyl-2-butene

Answer: C

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## 30. The absolute configuration of

A. S,S
B. $R, R$
C. R,S
D. $S, R$

Answer: B

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1. Which among the following is likely to show geometrical isomerism?

> A. $\mathrm{CH}_{3} \mathrm{CH}=\mathrm{NOH}$
> B. $\mathrm{CH}_{3} \mathrm{CH}=\mathrm{CH}_{2}$
> C. $\mathrm{CH}_{2}=\mathrm{CH}-\mathrm{CH}=\mathrm{CCl}_{2}$
> D. $\mathrm{CH}_{3} \mathrm{C}(\mathrm{Cl})=\mathrm{C}\left(\mathrm{CH}_{3}\right)_{2}$

Answer:

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\text { 2. } \quad \begin{aligned}
& { }^{\mathrm{Cl}} \\
& \mathrm{Cr}_{\mathrm{Cl}}^{\mathrm{Cl}}>\mathrm{C}=\mathrm{C} \ll_{\mathrm{F}}^{\mathrm{Br}}
\end{aligned}
$$

Which of the following compound (S) has Zconfiguration?
A. Only I

B. Only II

C. Only III
D. I and III

## Answer:

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