Chapter 19 Practice Problems

1. Provide IUPAC names for the following compounds



2. Predict the major product(s) formed by matching each of the substituted benzenes below (A- E) with each of the reagents (I - V) individually:



- I. Br₂, FeBr₃
- II. HNO₃, H₂SO₄
- III. SO₃, H₂SO₄
- IV. CH₃CH₂Cl, AlCl₃ (Friedels Craft alkylation reaction will not work on benzene rings with strong electron withdrawing groups, so NO REACTION with B and D)
- V. I_2 , CuCl₂
- VI. CH₃CH₂(CO)Cl (Friedels Craft acylation reaction will not work on benzene rings with strong electron withdrawing groups, so NO REACTION with B and D)

3. Starting from benzene and any other needed reagents, provide a synthesis for each of the following compounds:



4. Compound 1 and 2 were both treated with $Br_2/FeBr_3$. Compound 1 resulted in 95% bromination at the meta site. Similar reaction with compound 2 only resulted in 55% bromination at the meta site. Explain this observation.



5. Explain how the following reaction might take place (HINT: consider the steps of a Friedel-Crafts alkylation):



6. The rate of bromination of trimethylsilylbenzene (below) is twice as fast as benzene but three times slower than the reaction with *tert*-butylbenzene. Given this information:



i. Is the trimethylsilyl group an electron donating group or an electron withdrawing group? Explain

ii. What are the relative strengths of electron donating ability of the trimethylsilyl group and the *tert*-butyl group?

iii. Draw the expected major product(s) from bromination of trimethylsilylbenzene

iv. In the bromination of *tert*-butylbenzene, the major product is the para-*tert*-butylbromobenzene with only a small amount of ortho product detected. Why is this?

7. The following compound was made by a Friedel-Crafts acylation reaction. There are two potential ways to make it, what are they? Which would be best? And why?



8. Starting from benzene and any other needed reagents, provide a synthesis for each of the following compounds:



9. Each of the following reactions gives single major product. Draw the product.



10. What would be the names of the following compounds?

