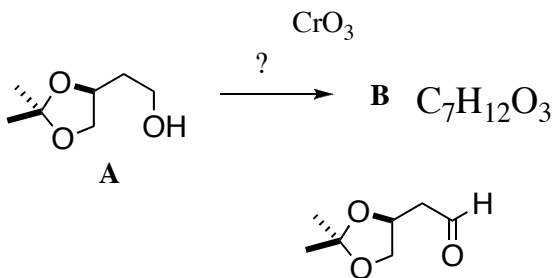


This is an open-book, open notes exam. Please show your work in detail.

1. (20 points) Deduce the structure of **B**, and fill in the missing reagent(s). You do not need to show mechanisms.



**$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR:**

200.0, d

109.2, s

70.6, d

69.1, t

47.8, t

26.8, q

25.4, q

**$^1\text{H}$  NMR:**

9.80 dd, 1H,  $J = 1.2, 2.0$

4.55 tt, 1H,  $J = 6.0, 6.8$

4.18 dd, 1H,  $J = 6.0; 8.4$

3.58 dd, 1H,  $J = 6.8, 8.4$

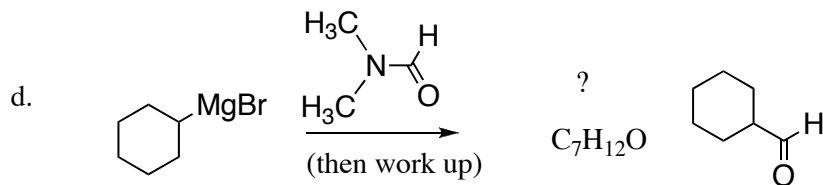
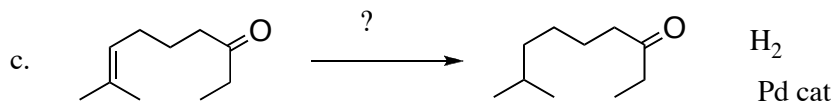
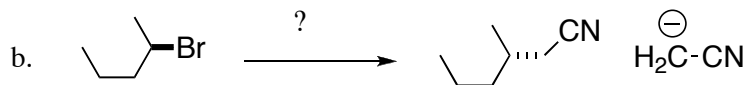
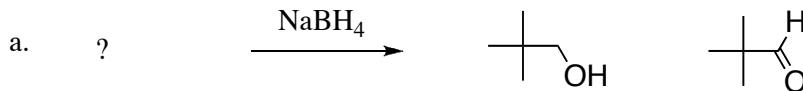
2.85 ddd, 1H,  $J = 2.0, 6.8, 17.2$

2.65 ddd, 1H,  $J = 1.2, 6.0, 17.2$

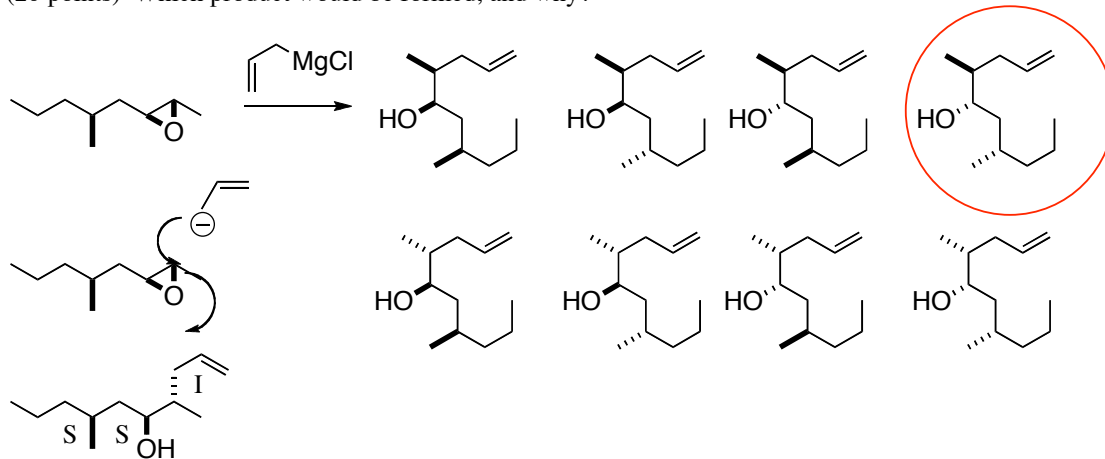
1.41 s, 3H

1.36 s, 3H

3. (20 points) Fill in the missing starting material, reagent or product.



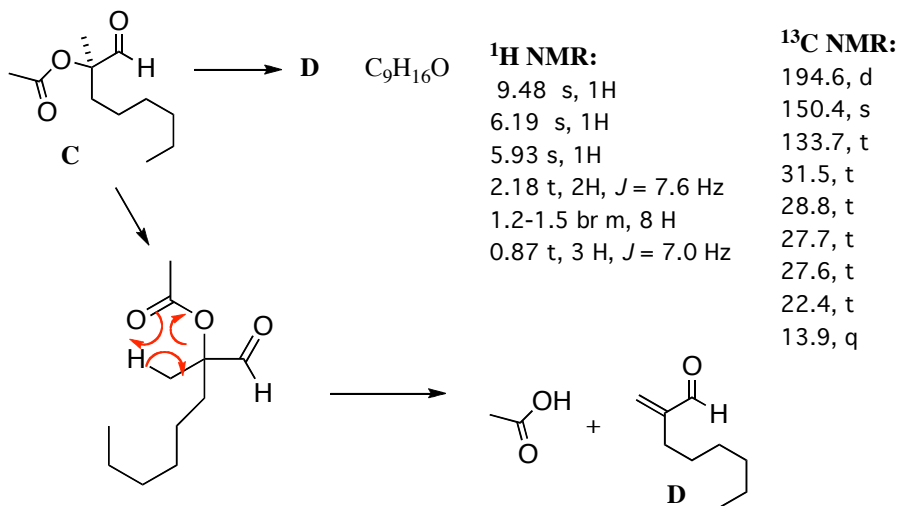
3. (20 points) Which product would be formed, and why?



S = same

I = inverted

4. (20 points) Deduce the structure of **D**, and draw an arrow-pushing mechanism for the transformation.



5. (20 points) Draw a detailed arrow-pushing mechanism for the transformation of **E** to **F**.

