1-11. Multiple choice. Choose the *best* answer for the following questions (44 pts)

1. Which of the following is <u>*not*</u> a proper Lewis structure for ozone  $(O_3)$ ?





- 5. Which of the following acids would have the strongest conjugate base?
  - a. NH<sub>3</sub> (ammonia)  $K_{\rm a} = 10^{-32}$
  - b.  $H_3COH$  (methanol)  $K_a = 10^{-18}$
  - c.  $H_3CCO_2H$  (acetic acid)  $K_a = 10^{-5}$
  - d. HCl (hydrochloric acid)  $K_a = 10^7$
- 6. A primary carbon is . . .
  - a. the most reactive carbon of a molecule.
  - b. always numbered as 1 in the IUPAC nomenclature system.
  - c. a carbon bonded to only one other carbon atom.
  - d. the carbon of a complex substituent that is the point of attachment to the parent chain.
- 7. Which of the following is a Lewis Acid, but <u>not</u> a Bronsted acid?
  - a.  $^{+}NH_4$  b.  $(H_3C)_3C^+$  c.  $H_2O$  d.  $H_3C$ -OH

Consider the following acid-base reaction. The equilibrium of the reaction . . . 8.



c. is approximately 1.

a.

- d. can not be predicted based on the information given.
- 9. Which of the following is not a viable method for the preparation of 1-bromo-1methylcyclohexane?



d. none of the above; a, b, and c are all viable methods

- Which reagent is best for the conversion of 1-butanol to 1-chlorobutane? 10.
  - a. HCl SOCl<sub>2</sub> c.

b.  $Cl_2$ , hv

d. All of the above; a, b, and c will work equally well.

11. Which functional groups are part of the compound below.



- a. alcohol, alkene, carboxylic acid, and ketone
- b. alcohol, aldehyde, alkene, and ketone
- c. alcohol, alkene, ketone, and ester
- d. alcohol, alkene, arene, and ketone

12. Identify each pair below as constitutional isomers, stereoisomers, conformers, resonance forms, or identical. (14 pts)



13. Consider the Newman projects of 2-methylbutane. Calculate the relative strain energy of each conformer. Show your work. (8 pts)



CH<sub>3</sub> - CH<sub>3</sub> eclipsed =17 KJ/mol

H -  $CH_3$  eclipsed = 5.0 KJ/mol

14. a. Draw all resonance forms of the nitrate ion (NO<sub>3<sup>-</sup></sub>). Show the interconversion of the resonance forms using curved arrows. (9 pts)



15. The equatorial conformation of methylcyclohexane is favored by 7 KJ/mol over the axial conformation; the equatorial conformation of 1-(1-methylethyl)cyclohexane is favored by 9 KJ/mol. Draw both chair conformations of *cis*-4-methyl-1-(1-methylethyl)cyclohexane. Which conformation is favored? (10 pts)



16. Provide a complete mechanism for the reaction of 2-methyl-2-propanol and HCl to afford 2chloro-2-methylpropane. (12 pts)



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		12:	(14 pts)	15: (10 p	ts)
		13:	(8 pts)	16: (12 p	ts)

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