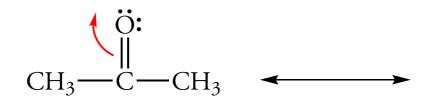
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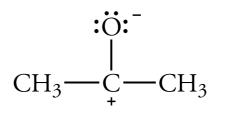
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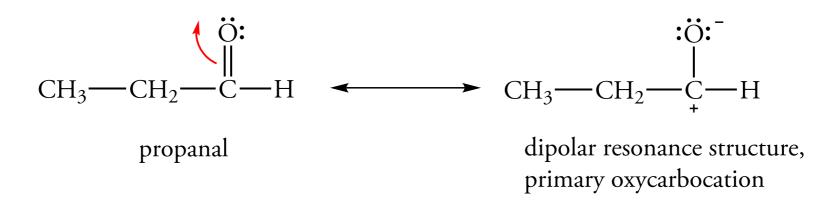
# **19.1 RELATIVE STABILITIES OF ALDEHYDES AND KETONES**



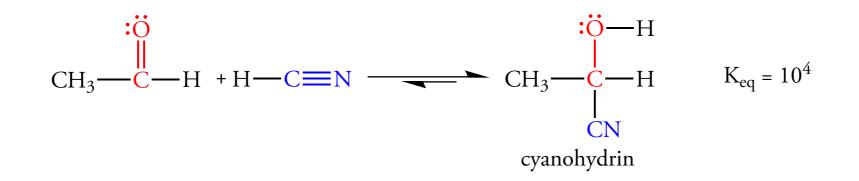
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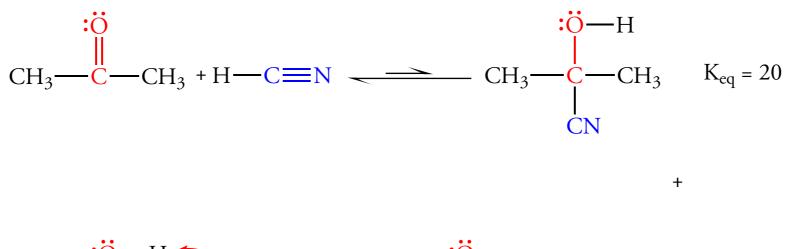


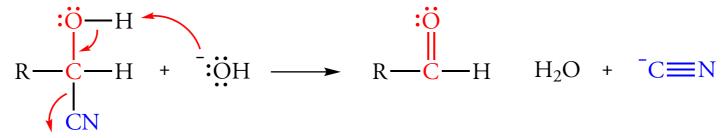
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# **19.2 FORMATION OF CYANOHYDRINS**





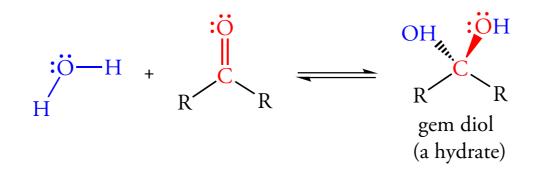


# **19.2 FORMATION OF CYANOHYDRINS**

# Table 19.1 Equilibrium Constants for Cyanohydrin Formation

Compound	$K_{eq}$
acetaldehyde	10,000
acetone	20
benzaldehyde	210
p-methoxybenzaldehyde	30
acetophenone	0.8

# **19.3 HYDRATION OF CARBONYL COMPOUNDS**



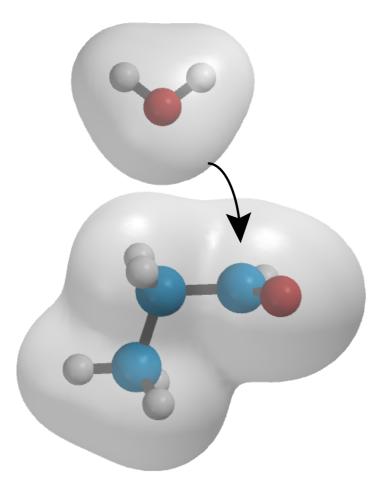
## Table 19.2 Equilibrium Constants for Hydrate Formation

Compound	$K_{_{eq}}$
methanal	$2.2 \ge 10^3$
ethanal	1
chloroacetaldehyde	40
acetone	1.4 x 10 <sup>-3</sup>
benzaldehyde	8 x 10 <sup>-3</sup>
acetophenone	6.6 x 10 <sup>-6</sup>

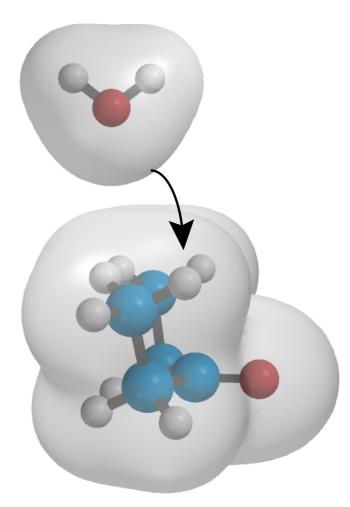
## **19.3 HYDRATION OF CARBONYL COMPOUNDS** Steric Effects on Nucleophilic Addition Reactions

## Figure 19.1 Steric Effects on the Equilibrium of Hydration Reactions

The carbonyl group of an aldehyde (a) is less sterically hindered than the carbonyl group of a ketone (b). Therefore, ketones react more slowly than aldehydes in nucleo-philic addition reactions. The nucleophile here is water.



(a) Hydration of an aldehyde

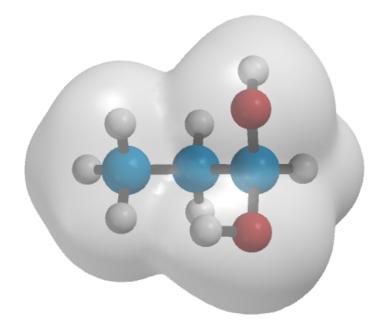


(b) Hydration of a ketone

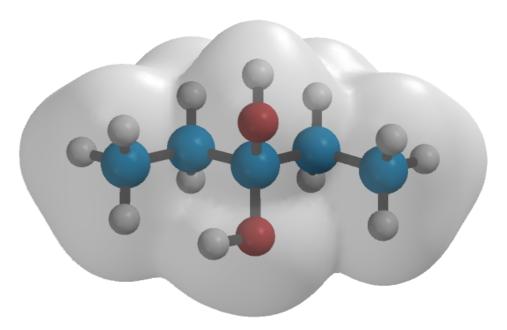
## **19.3 HYDRATION OF CARBONYL COMPOUNDS** Steric Effects on Nucleophilic Addition Reactions

## Figure 19.2 Steric Effects in Hydrates

The hydrate of an aldehyde (a) is less sterically hindered than the hydrate of a ketone (b).



(a) 1,1-propanediol

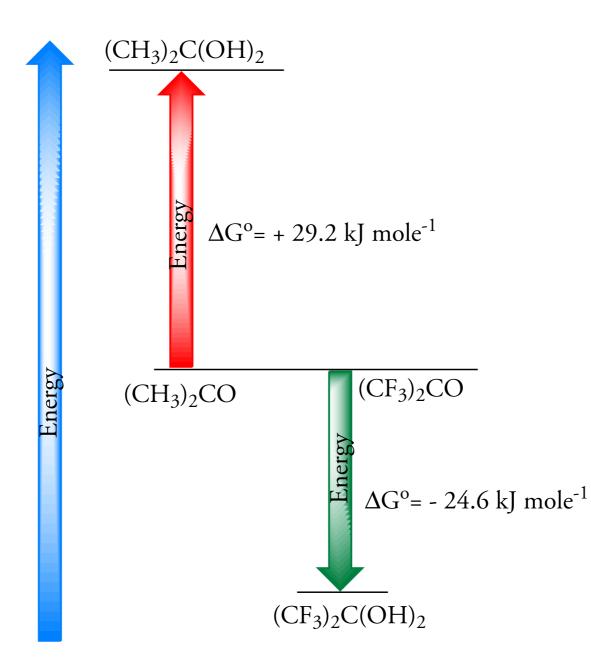


(b) 3,3-pentanediol

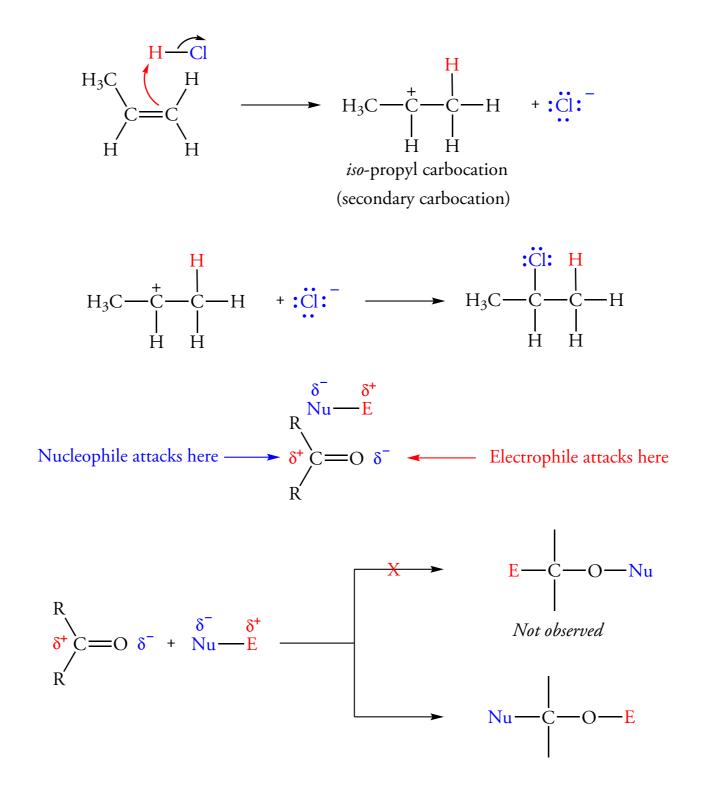
#### **19.3 HYDRATION OF CARBONYL COMPOUNDS** Inductive Effects on Addition Reactions

#### Figure 19.3 Inductive Effects on the Equilibrium of Hydration Reactions

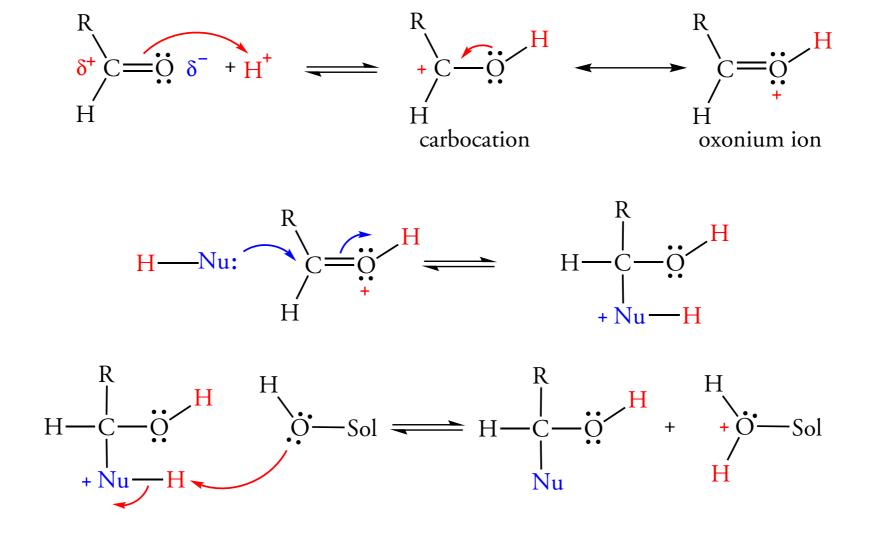
The relative energies of acetone and hexafluoroacetone are arbitrarily set as equal. The free energy of hydration of acetone is positive, whereas the free energy of hydration of hexafluoroacetone is negative.



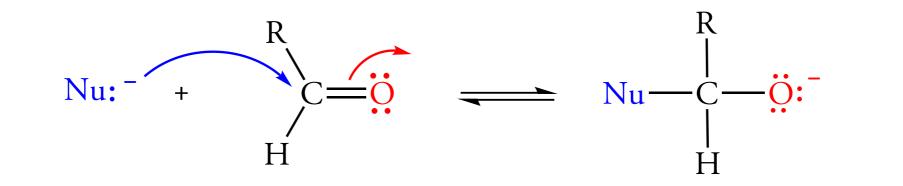
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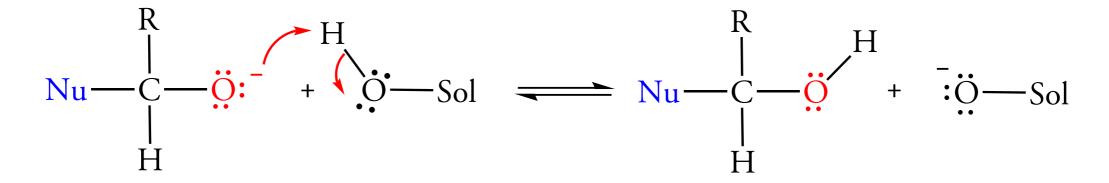


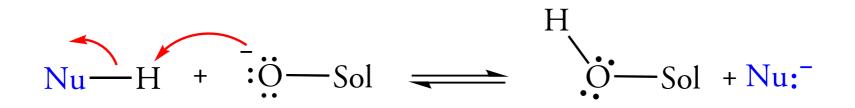
## Acid-Catalyzed Nucleophilic Addition Reactions



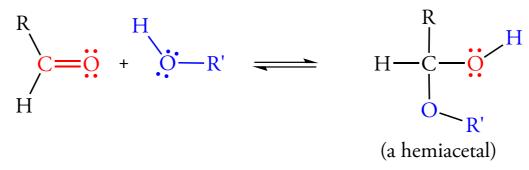
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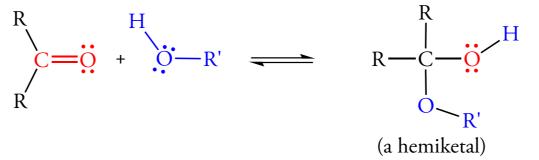


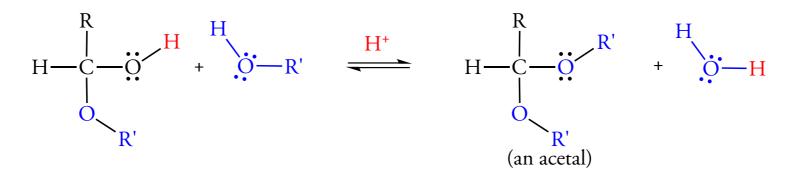


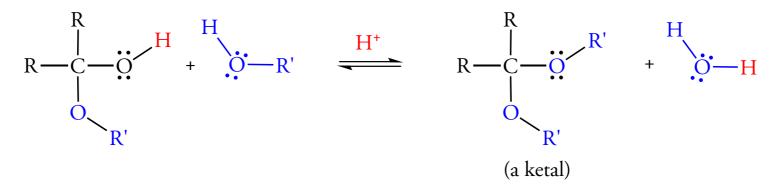


## **19.5 FORMATION OF ACETALS AND KETALS, II**

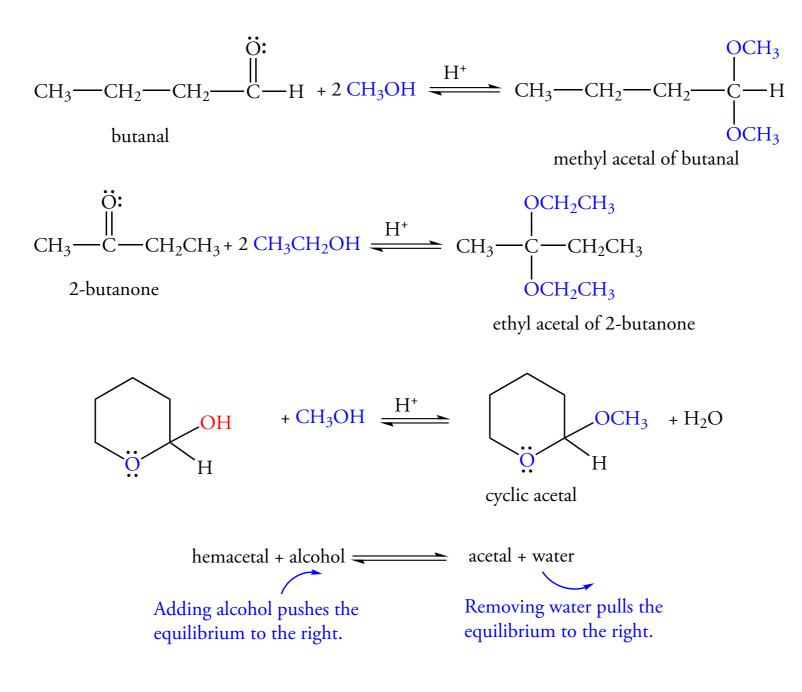




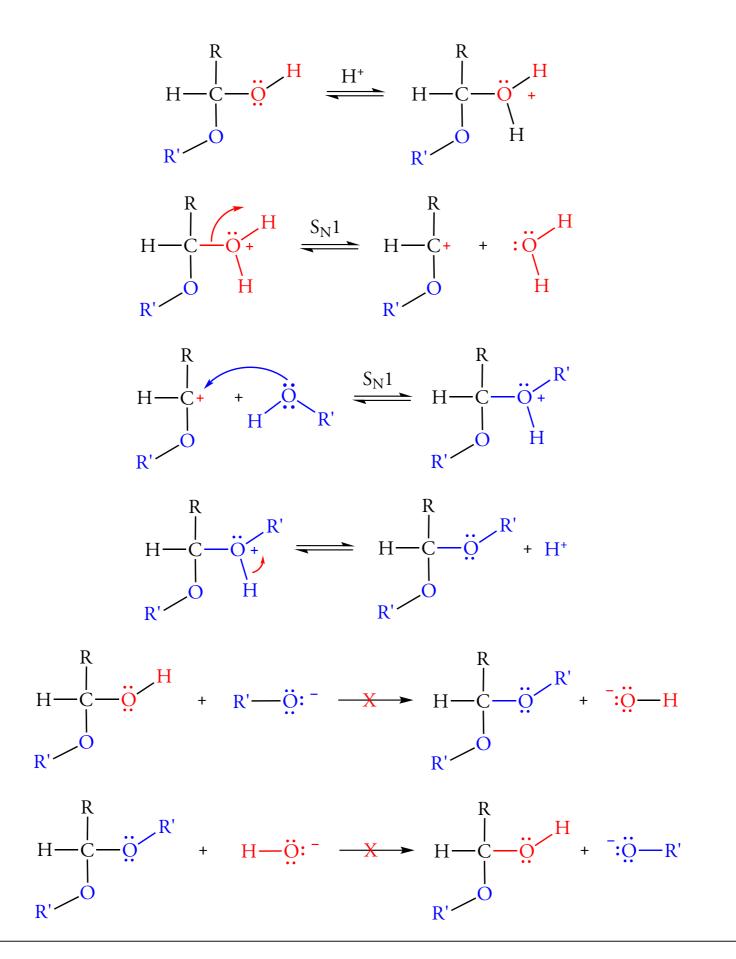




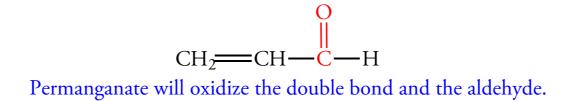
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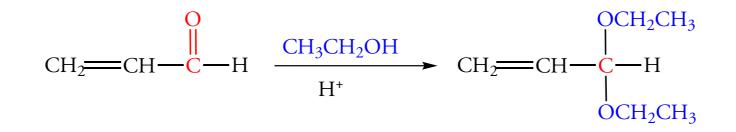


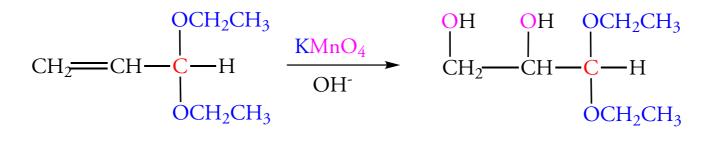
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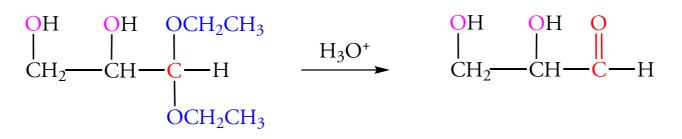


## **19.6** ACETALS AS PROTECTING GROUPS

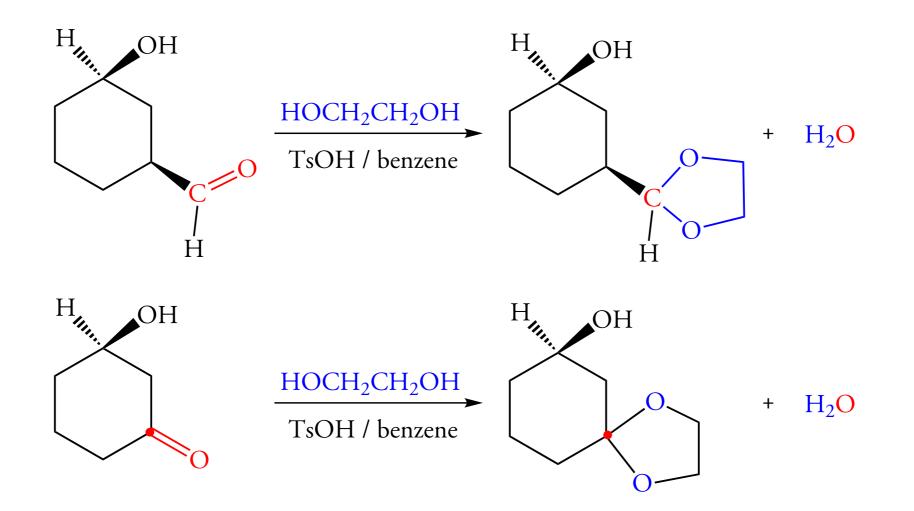


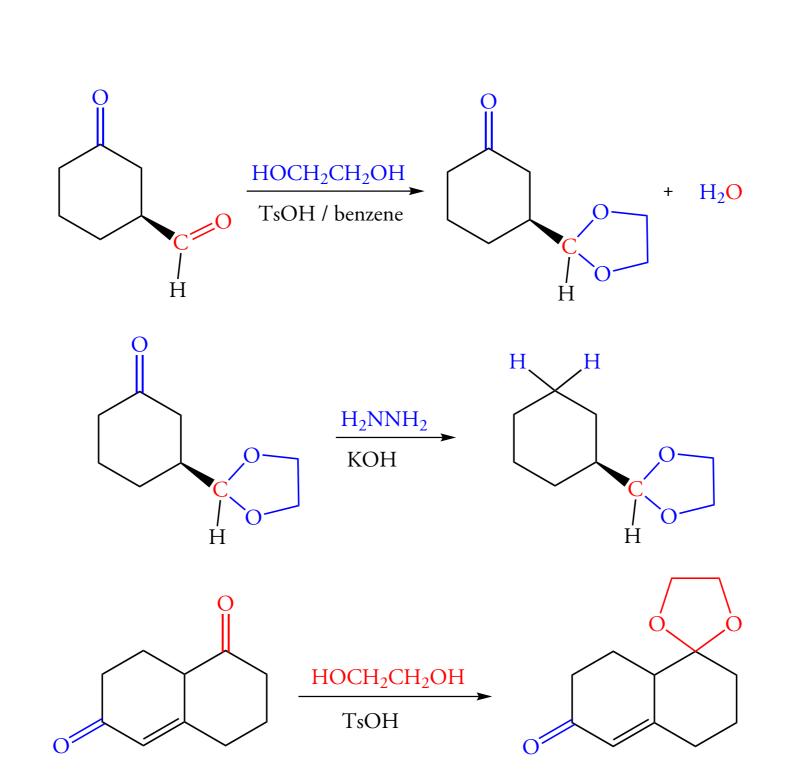


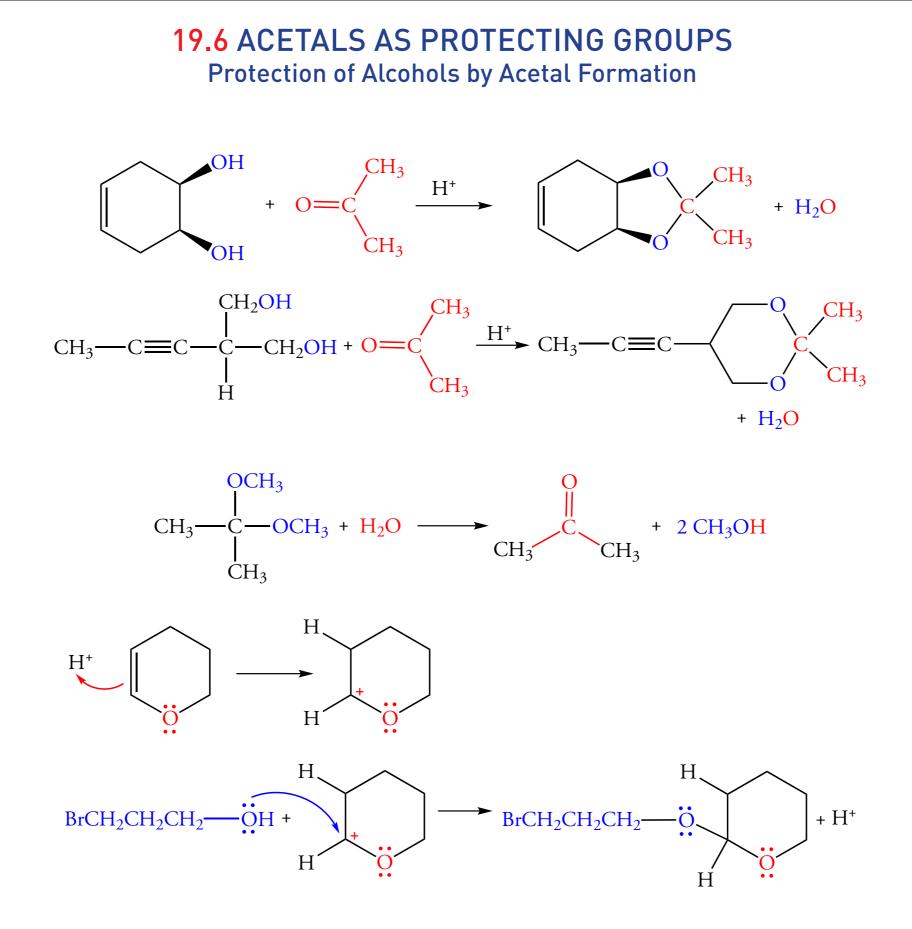




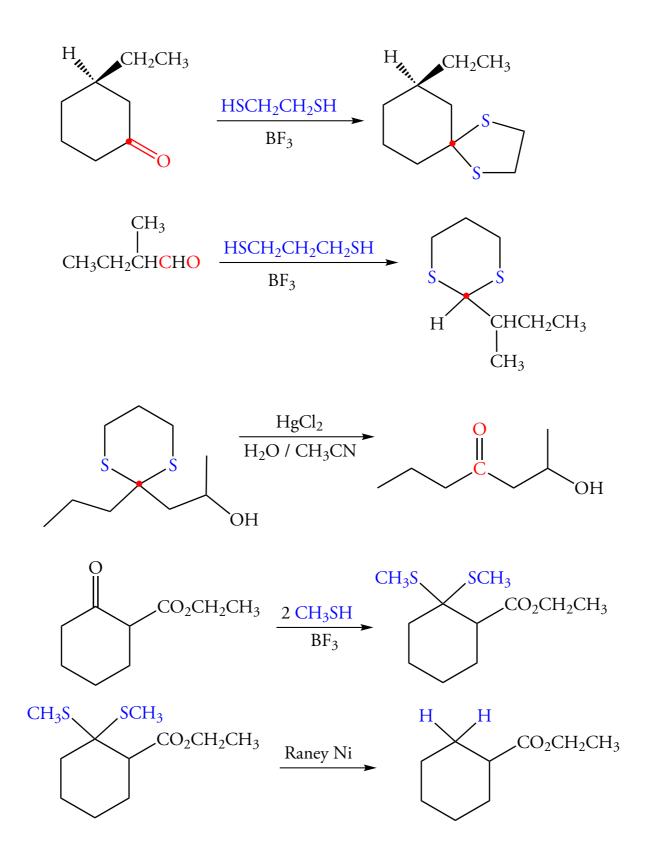
19.6 ACETALS AS PROTECTING GROUPS Synthesis of Cyclic Acetals



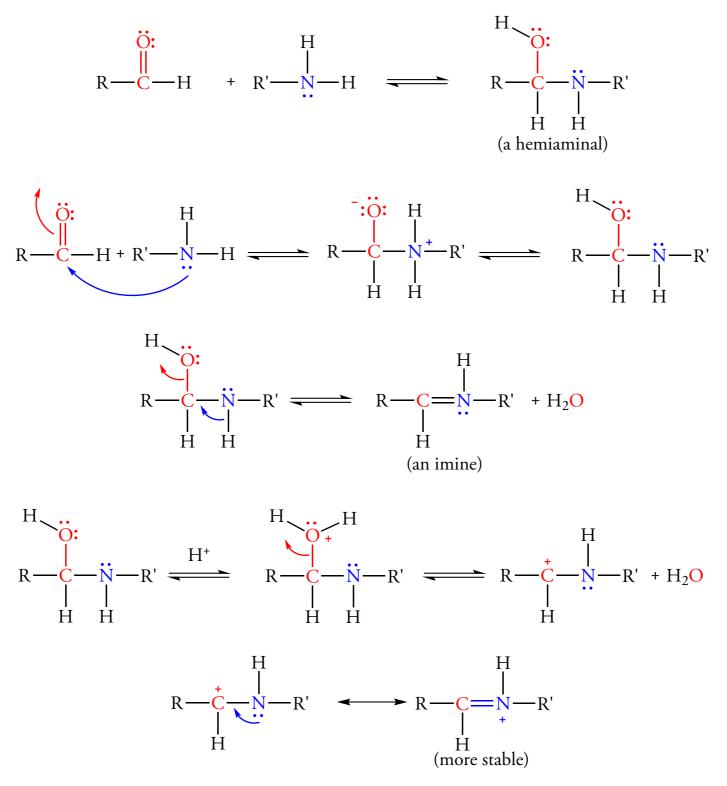




# **19.7 THIOACETALS AND THIOKETALS**

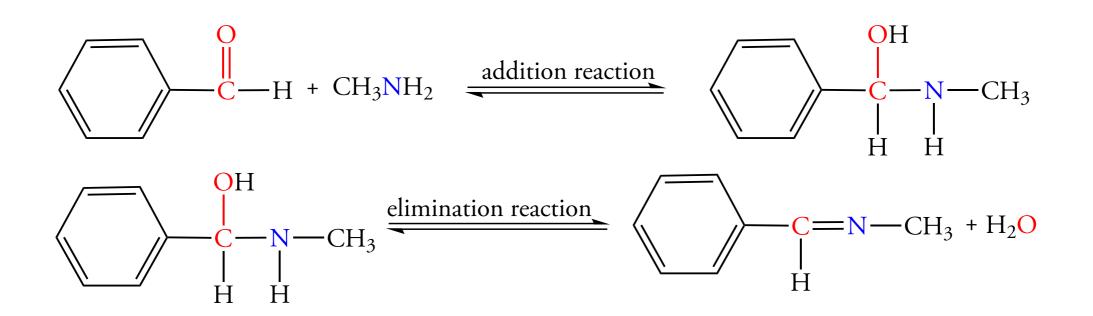


**19.8 ADDITION OF NITROGEN COMPOUNDS TO ALDEHYDES AND KETONES, I** 

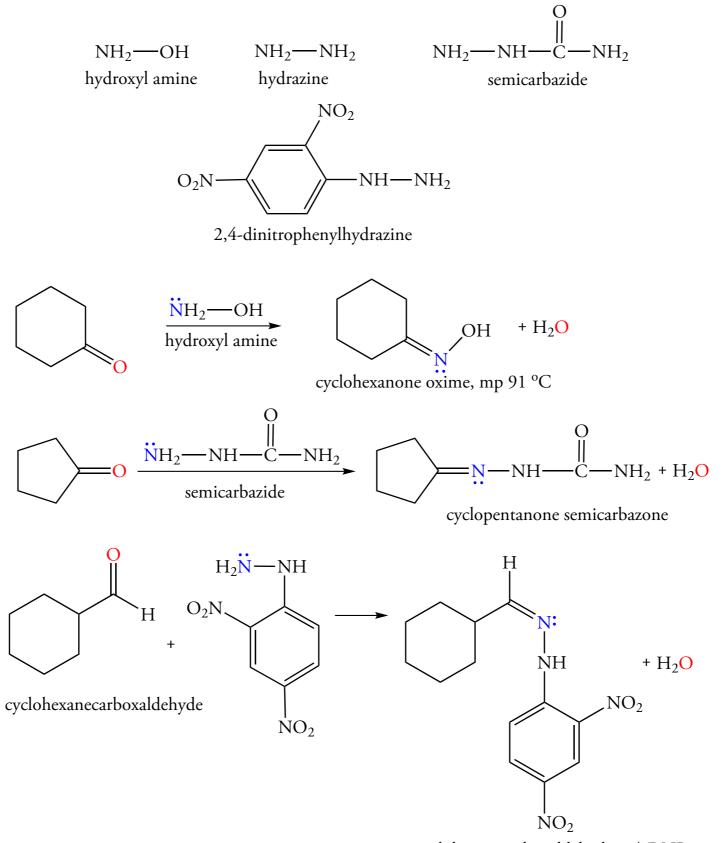


resonance forms of an iminium ion

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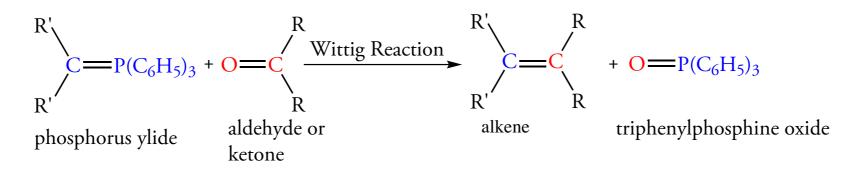


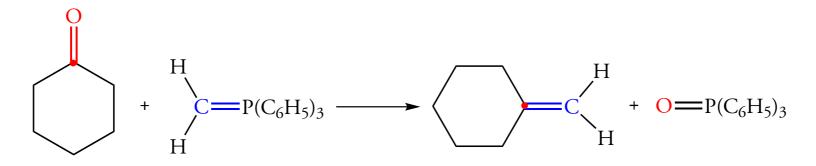
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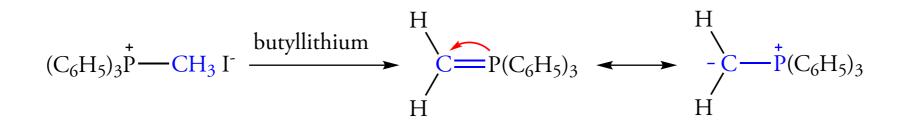
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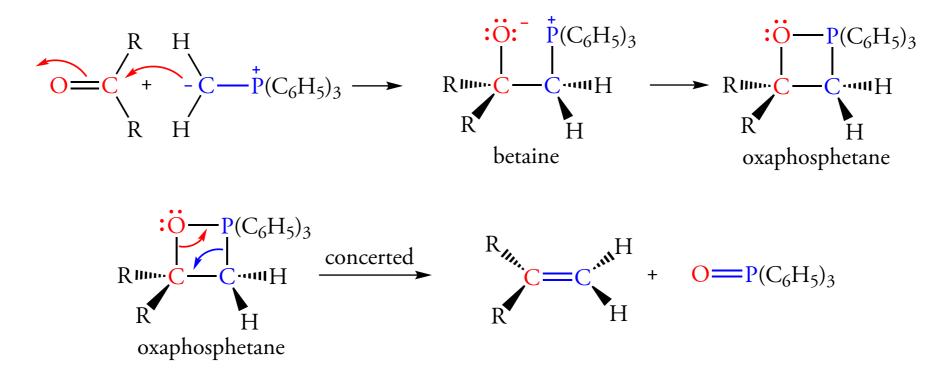
# **19.9 THE WITTIG REACTION**





## **19.9 THE WITTIG REACTION** Preparation of Phosphorus Ylides





## **19.9 THE WITTIG REACTION** The Wittig Reaction in Organic Synthesis

