Amino acid tables are at the end of this document.

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19 K 39.10	20 Ca 40.08	21 Sc 44.96	22 Ti 47.90	23 V 50.94	24 Cr 52.00	25 Mn 54.94	26 Fe 55.85	27 Co 58.93	28 Ni 58.70	29 Cu 63.55	30 Zn 65.38	31 Ga 69.72	32 Ge 72.59	33 As 74.92	34 Se 78.96	35 Br 79.90	36 Kr 83.80
37 Rb 85.47	38 Sr 87.62	39 Y 88.91	40 Zr 91.22	41 Nb 92.91	42 Mo 95.94	43 Tc (98)	44 Ru 101.1	45 Rh 102.9	46 Pd 106.4	47 Ag 107.9	48 Cd 112.4	49 In 114.8	50 Sn 118.7	51 Sb 121.8	52 Te 127.6	53 I 126.9	54 Xe 131.3
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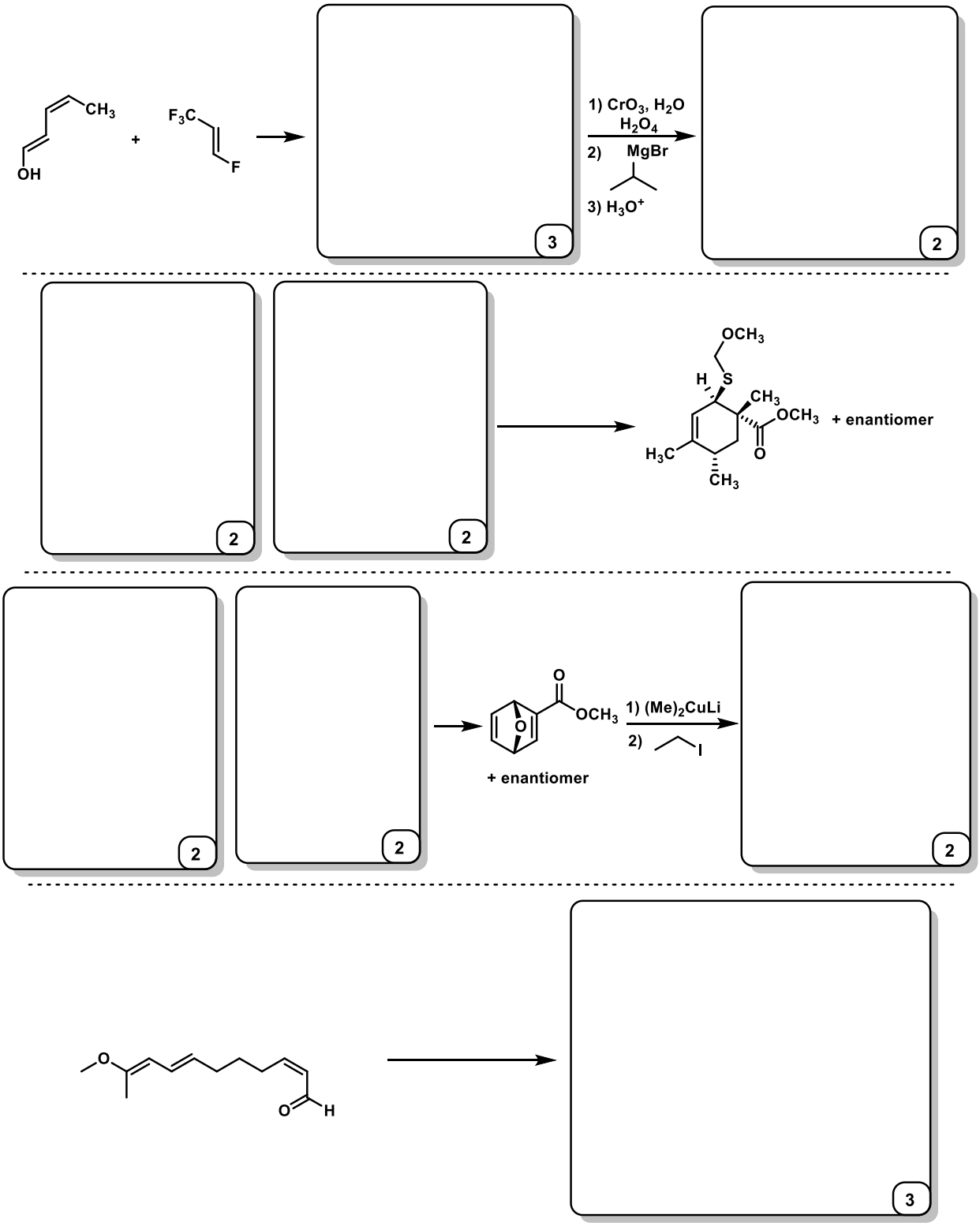
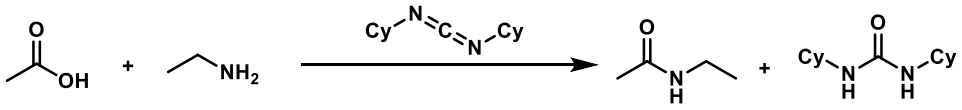
** 90 Th 232.0	91 Pa (231)	92 U 238.0	93 Np (244)	94 Pu (242)	95 Am (243)	96 Cm (247)	97 Bk (247)	98 Cf (251)	99 Es (252)	100 Fm (257)	101 Md (258)	102 No (259)	103 Lr (260)

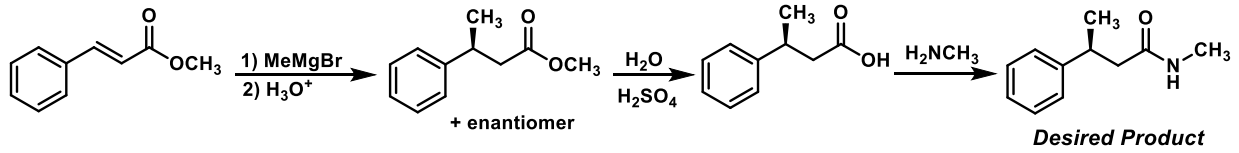
1. **Quick Synthesis.** Fill in the boxes with either the correct reagents or products. Please be sure to indicate stereochemistry (where appropriate) and steps, if needed.



2. **Mechanism.** Provide an arrow pushing mechanism for the reaction shown below.



3. **Flawed Synthesis.** Below you will find a synthesis that will not ultimately lead to the ***Desired Product***. In the first box, describe the flaw(s) inherent in the synthetic route presented. In the second box, provide a new synthetic route that will lead to the ***Desired Product***.



Desired Product

4. **Peptide Structure.** In the box, provide the major form of the following tetrapeptide at the indicated pH: Pro – Cys – Asn – His.

Proline - Cysteine - Asparagine - Histidine

Provide the major form at pH = 9.5

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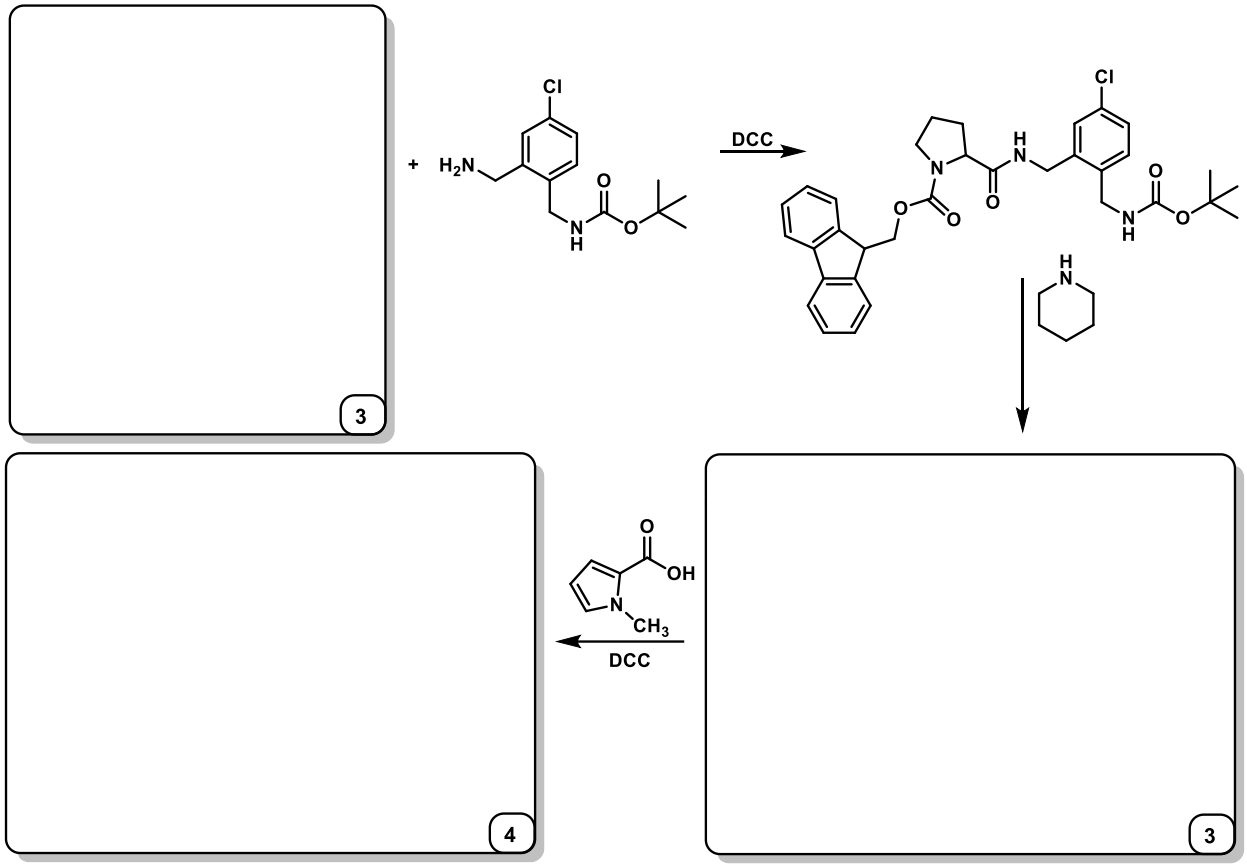
5. **Guided Synthesis.** Fill in the boxes with the missing starting material, intermediate and final product of the synthesis below.



6. **Isoelectric Point.** Using the charts found at the end of the exam, provide the zwitter ion form of each of the following amino acids / peptide chains, in addition to their respective isoelectric points (12 pts)

Arginine:

pI:

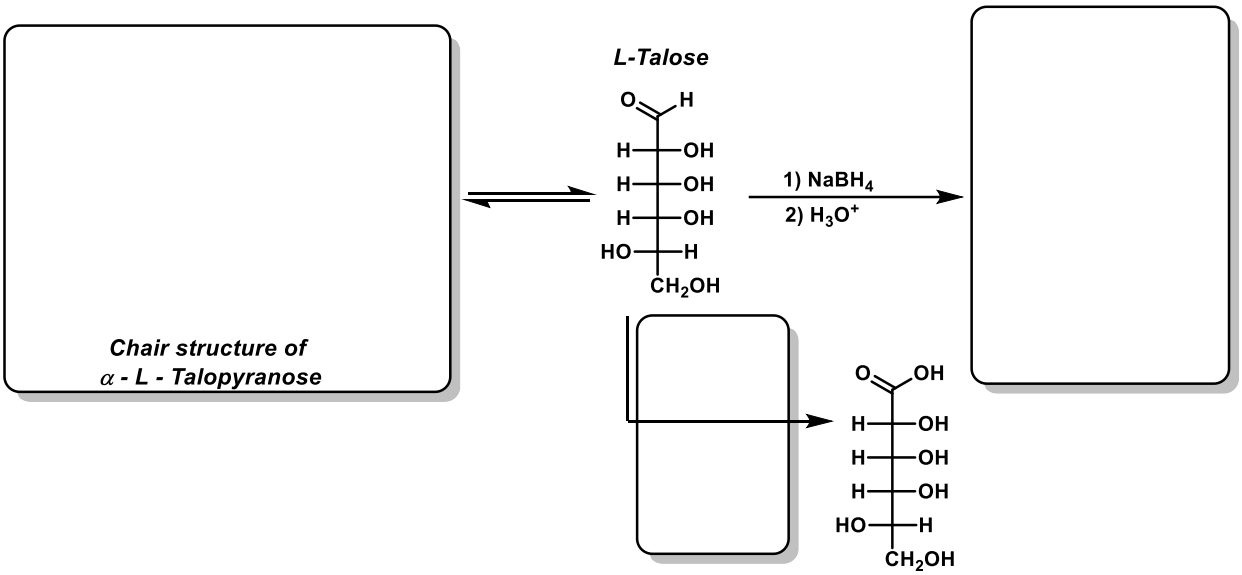
Aspartic Acid:

pI:

Lysine - Serine:

pI:

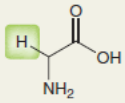
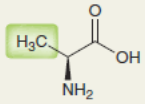
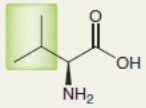
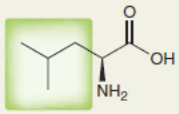
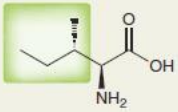
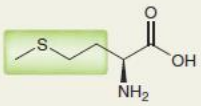
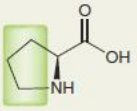
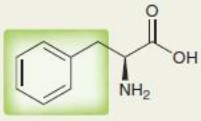
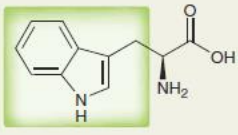
7. **Carbohydrate Structure.** First, provide the chair structure of the indicate pyranose sugar based on the information provided. (hint – start with a Haworth projection) Then, provide either the reagents or the product of the two reactions stemming from the acyclic sugar. (10 points)



8. **Peptide Synthesis.** Provide a complete synthesis of the following tripeptide starting from the individual amino acids: Lysine – Methionine – Valine. You may use abbreviations for reagents and protecting groups, where appropriate.

Lysine - Methionine - Valine

TABLE 25.1 THE STRUCTURES OF THE TWENTY NATURALLY OCCURRING AMINO ACIDS THAT ARE FOUND IN PROTEINS

Name	Structure	Abbreviation
Amino acids with nonpolar side chains		
Glycine		Gly G
Alanine		Ala A
Valine		Val V
Leucine		Leu L
Isoleucine		Ile I
Methionine		Met M
Proline		Pro P
Phenylalanine		Phe F
Tryptophan		Trp W

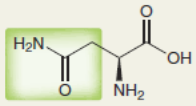
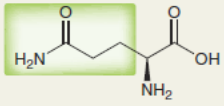
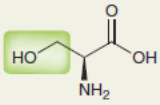
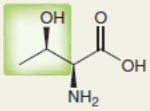
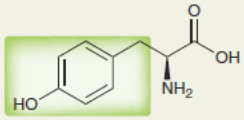
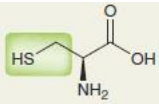
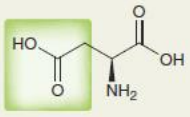
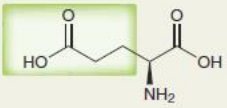
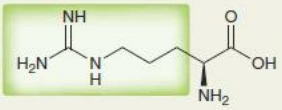
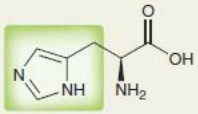
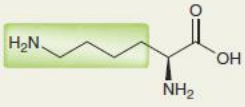
Name	Structure	Abbreviation
Amino acids with polar side chains		
Asparagine		Asn N
Glutamine		Gln Q
Serine		Ser S
Threonine		Thr T
Tyrosine		Tyr Y
Cysteine		Cys C
Amino acids with acidic side chains		
Aspartic acid		Asp D
Glutamic acid		Glu E
Amino acids with basic side chains		
Arginine		Arg R
Histidine		His H
Lysine		Lys K

TABLE 25.2 THE pK_a VALUES FOR TWENTY NATURALLY OCCURRING AMINO ACIDS

AMINO ACID	α-COOH	α-NH_3^+	SIDE CHAIN
Alanine	2.34	9.69	—
Arginine	2.17	9.04	12.48
Asparagine	2.02	8.80	—
Aspartic acid	1.88	9.60	3.65
Cysteine	1.96	10.28	8.18
Glutamic acid	2.19	9.67	4.25
Glutamine	2.17	9.13	—
Glycine	2.34	9.60	—
Histidine	1.82	9.17	6.00
Isoleucine	2.36	9.60	—
Leucine	2.36	9.60	—
Lysine	2.18	8.95	10.53
Methionine	2.28	9.21	—
Phenylalanine	1.83	9.13	—
Proline	1.99	10.60	—
Serine	2.21	9.15	—
Threonine	2.09	9.10	—
Tryptophan	2.83	9.39	—
Tyrosine	2.20	9.11	10.07
Valine	2.32	9.62	—