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## Chem 30A Spring 2005

### QUIZ #2A (15 Min)

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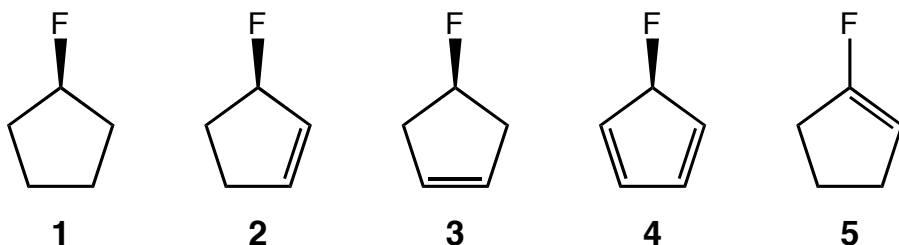
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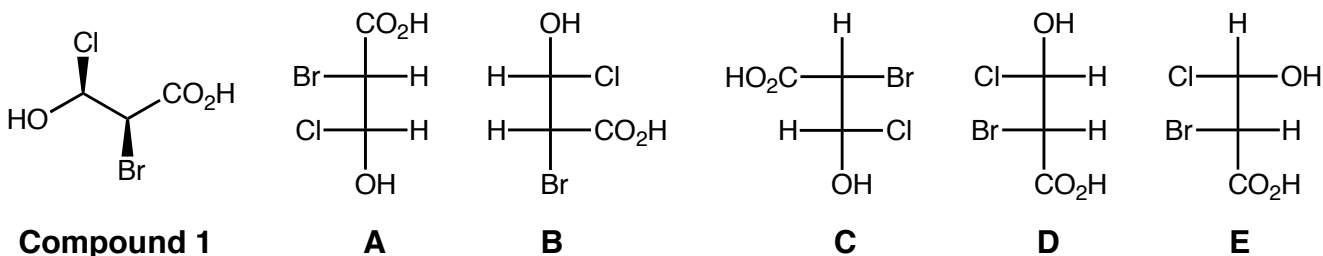
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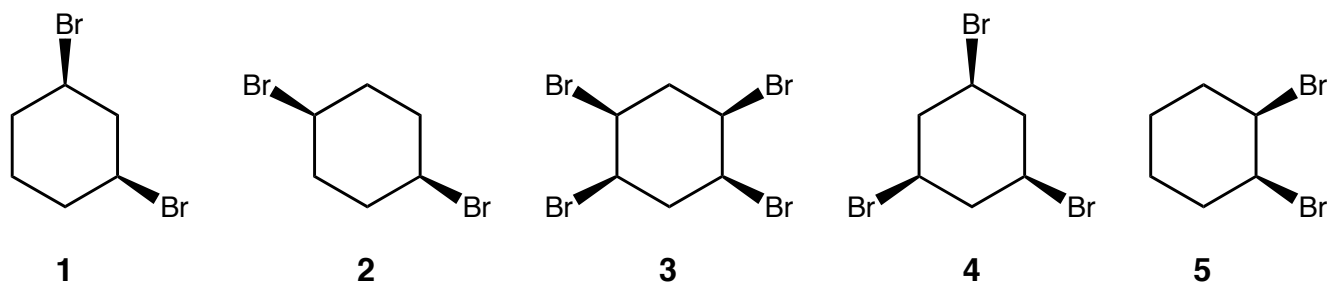
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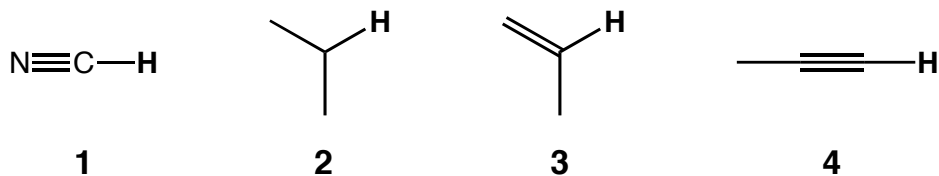
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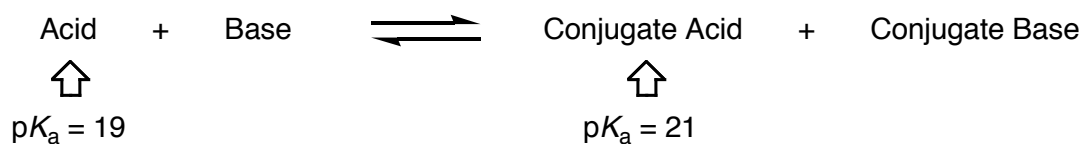
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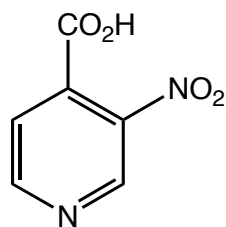
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6. The equilibrium constant ( $K_{eq}$ ) for the reaction shown below is...?



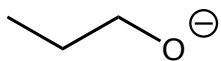
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7. What is the Index of Hydrogen Deficiency (number of double bond equivalents) for the compound drawn below?

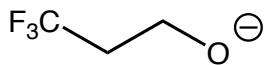


- A** 3      **B** 4      **C** 5      **D** 6      **E** 7

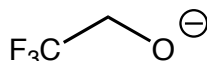
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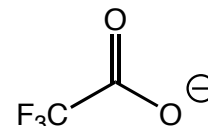
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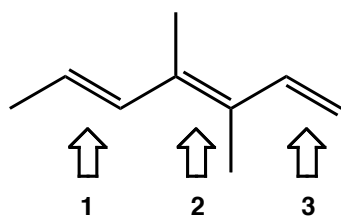
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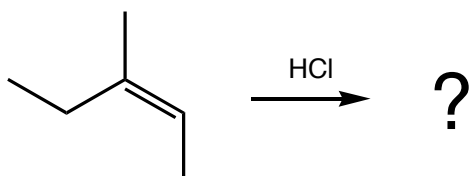
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9. For the triene shown below, for which double bond(s) is it possible to assign *E* or *Z* descriptors?



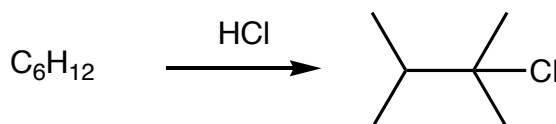
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10. What is the major product of the reaction shown below?



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 B 2-chloro-2-ethylbutane  
 C 3-chloro-2-methylpentane  
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**BONUS:** Three different alkenes with the molecular formula  $C_6H_{12}$  yield 2-chloro-2,3-dimethylbutane as the major product when reacted with HCl – draw the structures of these alkenes on the front cover of this quiz in the box provided.



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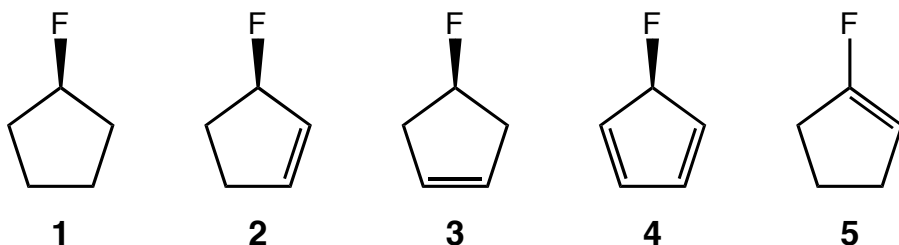
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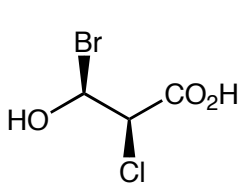
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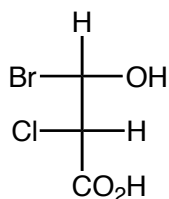


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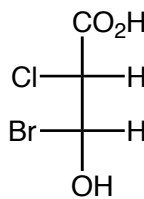
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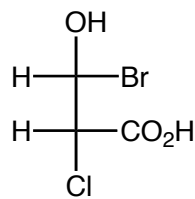
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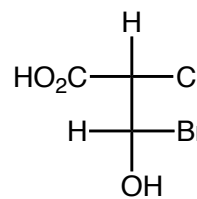
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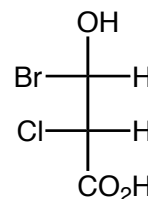
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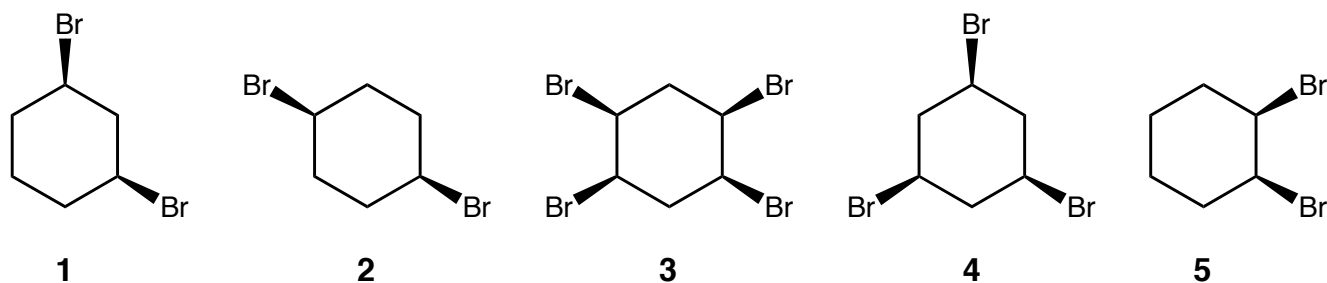


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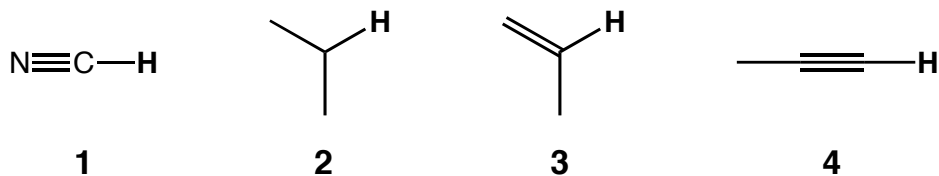
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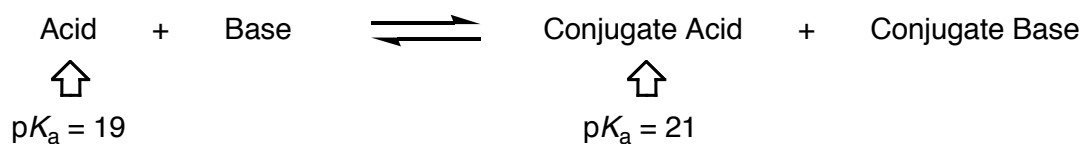
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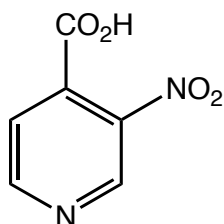
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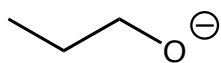
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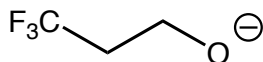


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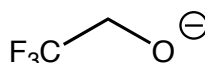
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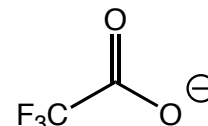
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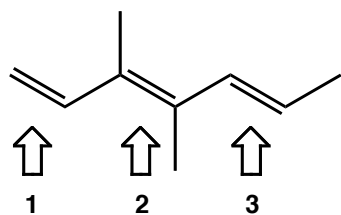
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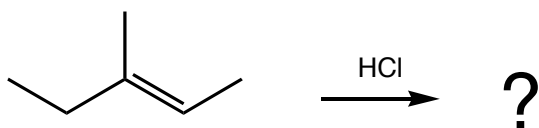
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