Conformational Analysis Week 3 Problem Set susanp@chem.ucla.edu

1. Draw each chair 5 times each. Include all axial and equatorial hydrogens.





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2. Identify each pair as structural, conformational, same, or unrelated structures.

(a)



3. Draw a Newman projection of the most stable staggered conformation of the structures below from the viewpoint of the eye.



4. Draw the following substituted cyclohexanes in the *most stable* chair conformations.

(a)



(b)



(c)



5. The substituted cyclohexane A has an equatorial tert-butyl group and an axial methyl substituent in its lowest energy conformation. The 1,3-dioxane B has an axial tert-butyl group and an equatorial methyl group in its lowest energy conformation. Rationalize why B is different from A. *Hint: draw all hydrogens.*



