

**B.Sc. Semester-IV
Core Course-IX (CC-IX)
Organic Chemistry-III**



III. Heterocyclic Compounds

1. Paal-Knorr Furan Synthesis



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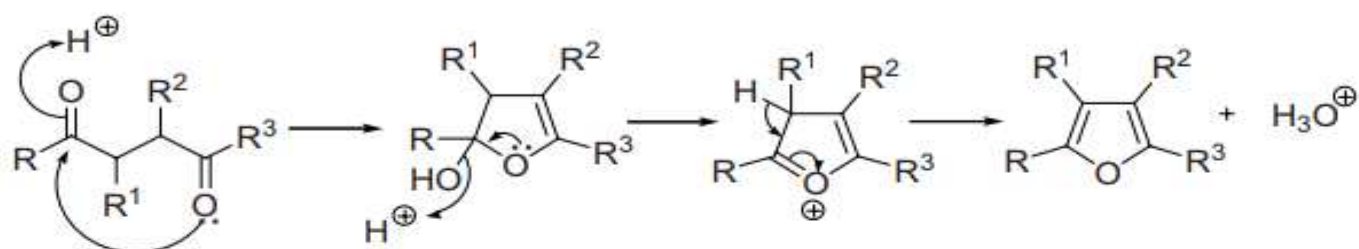
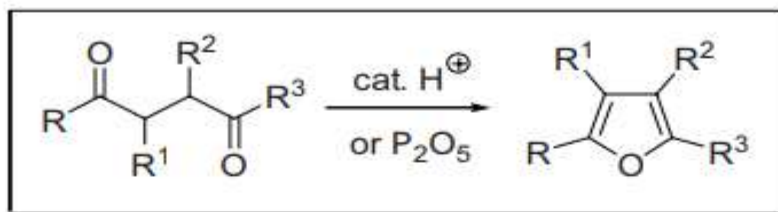
Heterocyclic Compounds

Classification and nomenclature, Structure, aromaticity in 5-numbered and 6-membered rings containing one heteroatom; Synthesis, reactions and mechanism of substitution reactions of: Furan, Pyrrole (Paal-Knorr synthesis, Knorr pyrrole synthesis, Hantzsch synthesis), Thiophene, Pyridine (Hantzsch synthesis), Pyrimidine, Structure elucidation of indole, Fischer indole synthesis and Madelung synthesis), Structure elucidation of quinoline and isoquinoline, Skraup synthesis, Friedlander's synthesis, Knorr quinoline synthesis, Doebner- Miller synthesis, Bischler-Napieralski reaction, Pictet-Spengler reaction, Pomeranz-Fritsch reaction
Derivatives of furan: Furfural and furoic acid.

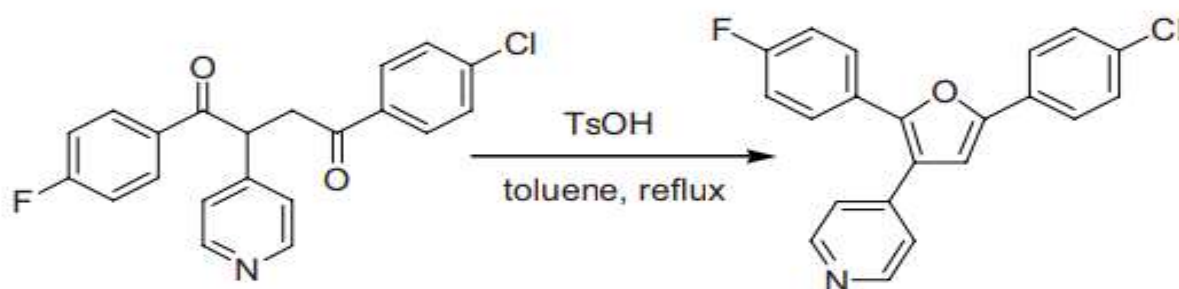
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Paal-Knorr furan synthesis

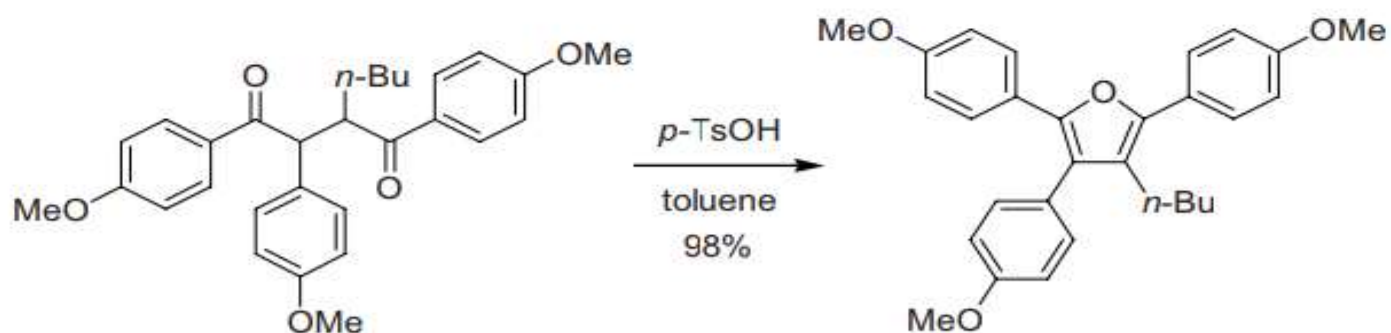
Acid-catalyzed cyclization of 1,4-diketones to form furans.



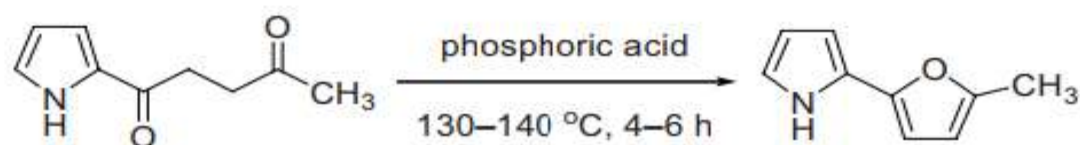
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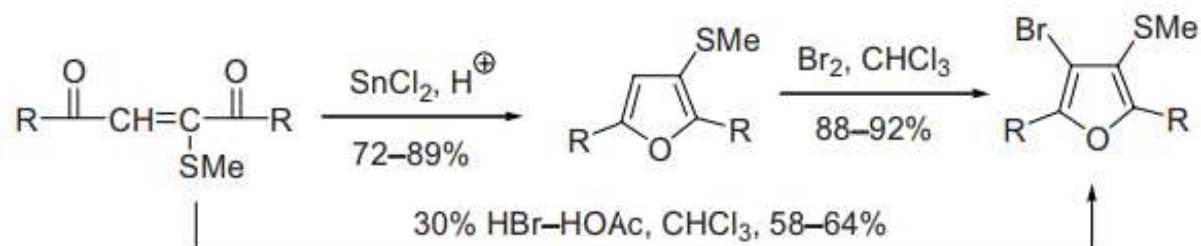
Example 2⁶



Example 3⁹



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