

1. Major functional group bands in IR spectrum are:

CH_3 next to OH

CH_3 next to $\text{C}=\text{O}$

$(\text{CH}_3)_2$ next to CH

2. Assign all peaks in the NMR spectrum.

| Signal | δ | Integration | Multiplicity | Comments |
|--------|----------|-------------|--------------|---------------------------------|
| | ~4.3 | 1H | m | $\text{CH}-\text{O}$ |
| | ~2.0 | 3H | s | $\text{CH}_3-\text{C}=\text{O}$ |
| | ~1.3 | 6H | d | $(\text{CH}_3)_2-\text{CH}$ |

Assign as many peaks as possible in $\text{C}-13$ spectrum.

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| $\text{C}=\text{O}$ (in ketones) | $\text{C}=\text{O}$ (in acids and esters) |
| 205 - 220 | 170 - 185 |
| $\text{C}=\text{O}$ (in aldehydes) | C in aromatic rings |
| 190 - 200 | 125 - 150 |
| | $\text{C}=\text{C}$ in alkenes |
| | 115 - 140 |
| | $\text{R}-\text{CH}_3$ |
| | 10 - 15 |
| | R_2CH_2 |
| | 16 - 25 |

2. Based on IR, ^1H -NMR, and $\text{C}-13$ NMR spectra for the product the functional groups include $\text{CH}-\text{O}$, CH_3- , $\text{C}=\text{O}$, $(\text{CH}_3)_2-\text{CH}$

3. Based on the assignments made in Q1 & Q2 some key bands that can be used to verify that the product was formed are

$\text{CH}-$
 $(\text{CH}_3)_2$
 $\text{C}=\text{O}$

4. Using the Williamson synthesis ether synthesis how can you make the phenyl benzyl ether.

~~Use~~ By S_N2 reaction in which a metal alkoxide displaces a halide ion from an alkyl halide. The alkoxide is prepared by the reaction of an alcohol with a strong base such as sodium hydride.