

Alkene synthesisDehydrohalogenation

strong base

Dehalogenation of a vicinal dibromide

NaI, acetone

Reactions of alkenesElectrophilic addition of HX

mark

alkyl halide

HX and polar solvent

Free radical addition of HBr

antimark

alkyl halide

HBr, ROOH, heat

Electrophilic H₂O addition

mark

alcohol

H⁺, H₂OOxymercuration/demercuration

mark

alcohol

Hg(OAc)₂/H₂O, NaBH₄Hydroboration/oxidation

antimark

alcohol

BH₃/THF, H₂O₂/KOHHydrogenation

alkane

H₂ and Pt/CHalogenation

vicinal dihalide

X₂Hydrohalogenation

mark (OH)

halohydrin (alcohol moiety)

X₂, H₂OO₃, (CH₃)₂S

Cationic polymerization

BF₃ or ROORSyn dihydroxylation

dialcohol

OsO₄ or KMnO₄, H₂O₂Epoxidation/hydrolysis

anti dialcohol

MCPBA, H₂/H₂OOzonolysis

cleaved double bond

If you want	and you have	reagents	+/-	
alcohol	alkene	H^+ , H_2O	+	hydration
	alkene	$\text{Hg}(\text{OAc})_2/\text{H}_2\text{O}$, NaBH_4	+	oxymercuration
	alkene	BH_3/THF , $\text{H}_2\text{O}_2/\text{KOH}$	-	hydroboration
	alkene	OsO_4 , H_2O_2		syn dihydroxylation
	alkene	MCPBA, $\text{H}_2/\text{H}_2\text{O}$		epoxidation/hydrolysis
alkyl halide	alkene	HX, polar solvent	+	electrophilic HX addition
	alkene	HBR, ROOH, Δ	-	free radical addition
vicinal dihalide	alkene	X_2		halogenation
halohydrin	alkene	X_2 , H_2O	+	halohydrogenation
alkane	alkene	H_2 and Pt/C		hydrogenation
alkene	alkyl halide	strong base		dehydrohalogenation
	vicinal dibromide	NaI, acetone		dehalogenation
	alcohol	strong acid (H_2SO_4)		dehydration of alcohol

Carbene reactions

acts like a radical

prone to forming 3-membered rings

$\text{I}_2\text{CH}_2 + \text{Zn}$ or Cu

Epoxidation of alkenes

3-membered ring

uses MCPBA (metachloroperbenzoic acid)

Reactions of alkynes

Lindlar's catalyst

$\text{Pd} + \text{BaSO}_4 + \text{quinine}$

turn alkyne into alkene

Acetylide ion

deprotonate $\equiv\text{C}-\text{H}$ to get $\equiv\text{C}:^-$

only way to make a C-C bond

NaNH_2

Look at synthesis of alkynes!!