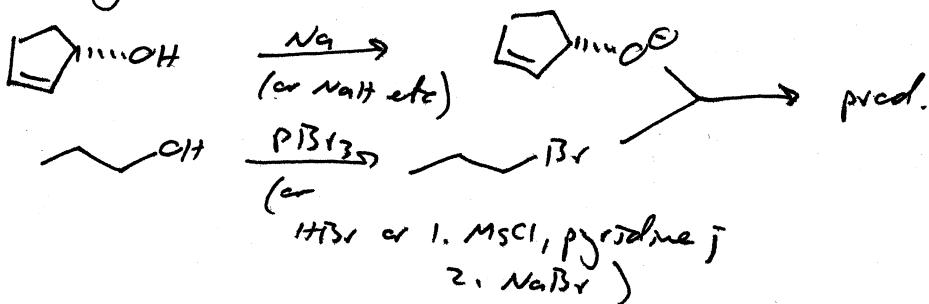
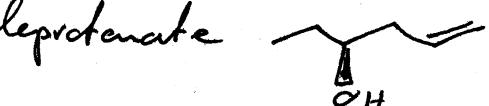


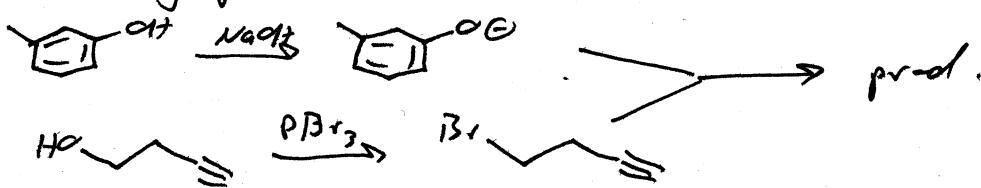
(a) Make the $1^{\circ}\text{C}-\text{O}$ bond via $\text{C}_6\text{H}_5\text{CO}^- + 1\text{-bromopropane}$
starting with 2 alcohols...



(b) same idea - you'll need to deprotonate (S)-2-butanol, then use this alkoxide to displace a halogen (or other l.g.) from the 1°C of the other component - made, e.g., by (R)-3-methyl-1-pentanol + PBr_3

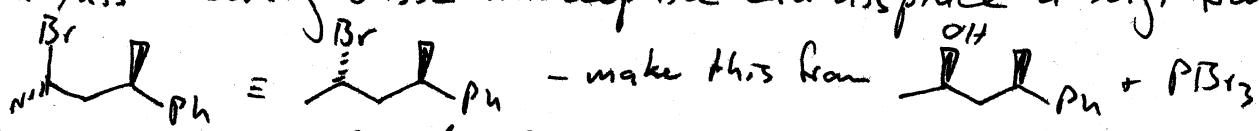
(c) deprotonate  , then alkoxide + $\text{CD}_3\text{-I}$ (from CD_3OH + PI_3)

(d) The only option here is to make the $1^{\circ}\text{C}-\text{C}$ bond, so

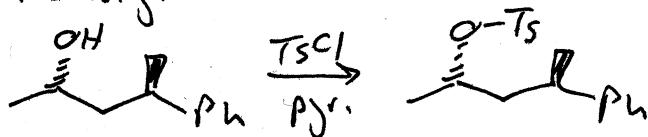


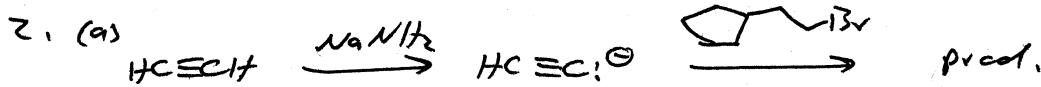
(e) deprotonate acrylic acid with $\text{NaHCO}_3 \rightarrow \text{CH}_2=\text{CHCOO}^-$, then use this nucleophile to displace the l.g. from the benzylic position of  (from alcohol + PBr_3 or HBr)

(f) 1-methylcyclobutane carboxylic acid + NaHCO_3 , then this weakly basic nucleophile can displace a l.g. from:



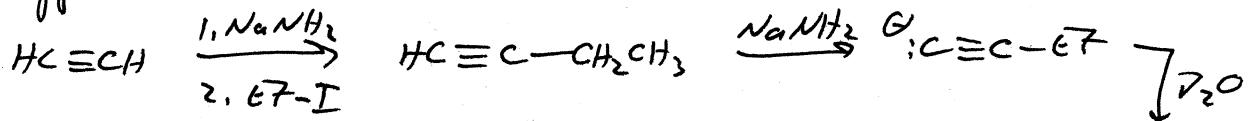
or use a sulfonate l.g. -



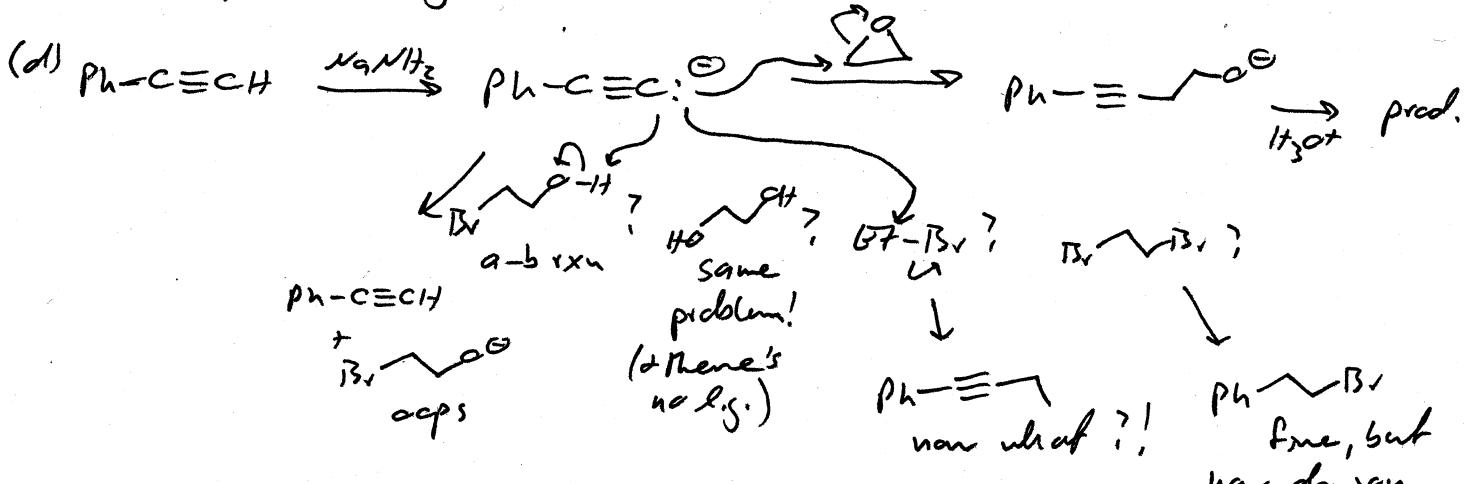


(b) as above - deprotonate first, then SnZ to make
 $\text{+} \equiv \text{C}^{\ominus}$ or $\equiv \text{C}^{\ominus} \text{Ph}$ as an intermediate,
 then deprotonate again + SnZ on the other side

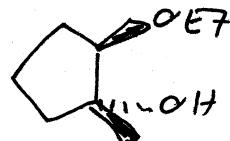
(c) best approach here is to add the ethyl first, then the D...



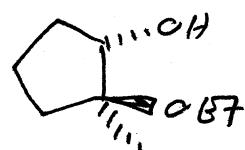
why not D first, then Et?? You can make pred.
 $\text{HC}\equiv\text{CD}$, but then how do you pull off just
 the H + not the D in the next step? If you could
 make $\text{DC}\equiv\text{CD}$, that would work, but how do you make
 that? NaNH_2 can't deprotonate both ends at the same
 time, so you'd make $\text{HC}\equiv\text{CD}$ first + have the same
 problem again!



3. (a) left - EtO^{\oplus} backside at
 less hindered 2°
 (then protonation of the O^{\ominus}
 by solvent)

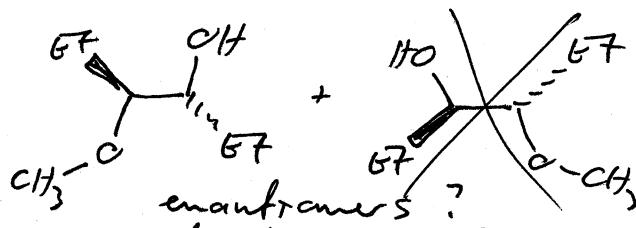


right - prof. of epoxide α , then
 attack by EtO^{\oplus} backside on
 C with more pos
 charge (3°)
 (then loss of H^+ to
 solvent)



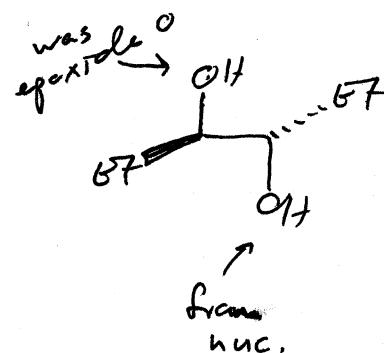
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(b) left prot, then HO^- either side



look carefully - those are
the same! so draw
once

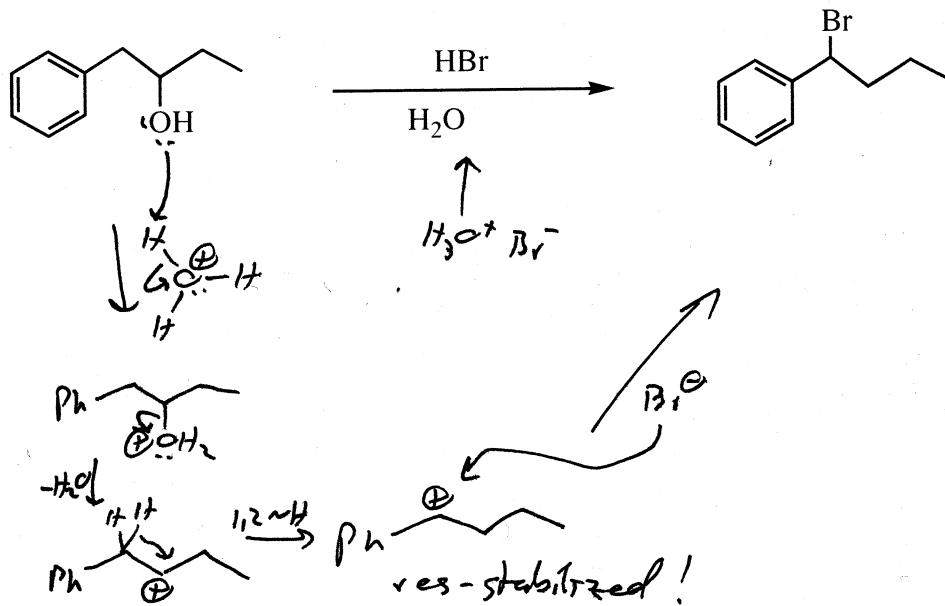
right - HO^- ss nuc.



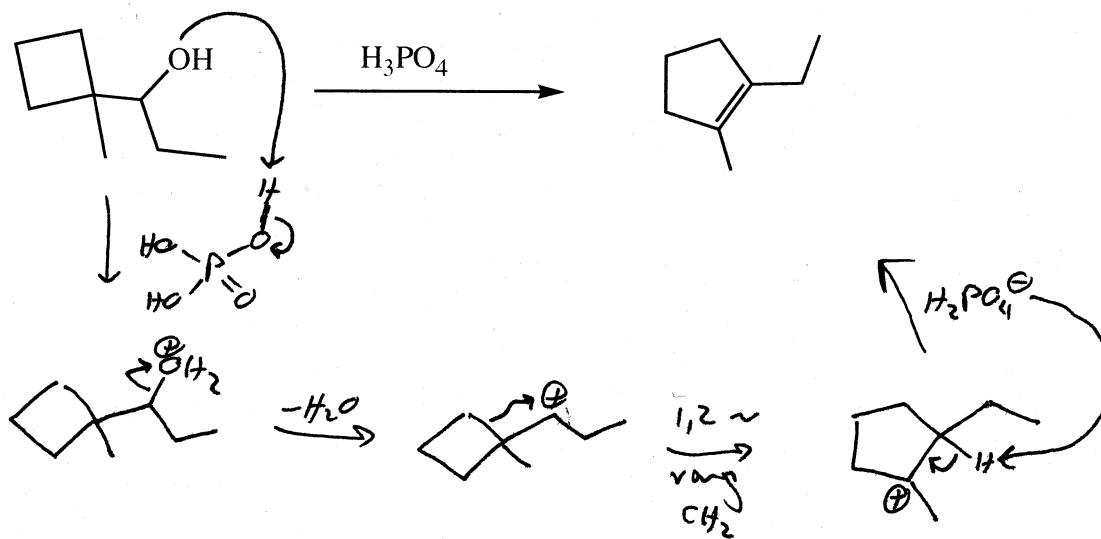
attack at
other C \rightarrow
same
thing.
Notice that's
a meso
cyclo-

4. Write a mechanism that explains each of the following reactions. Assume that chiral compounds are racemic unless stated otherwise.

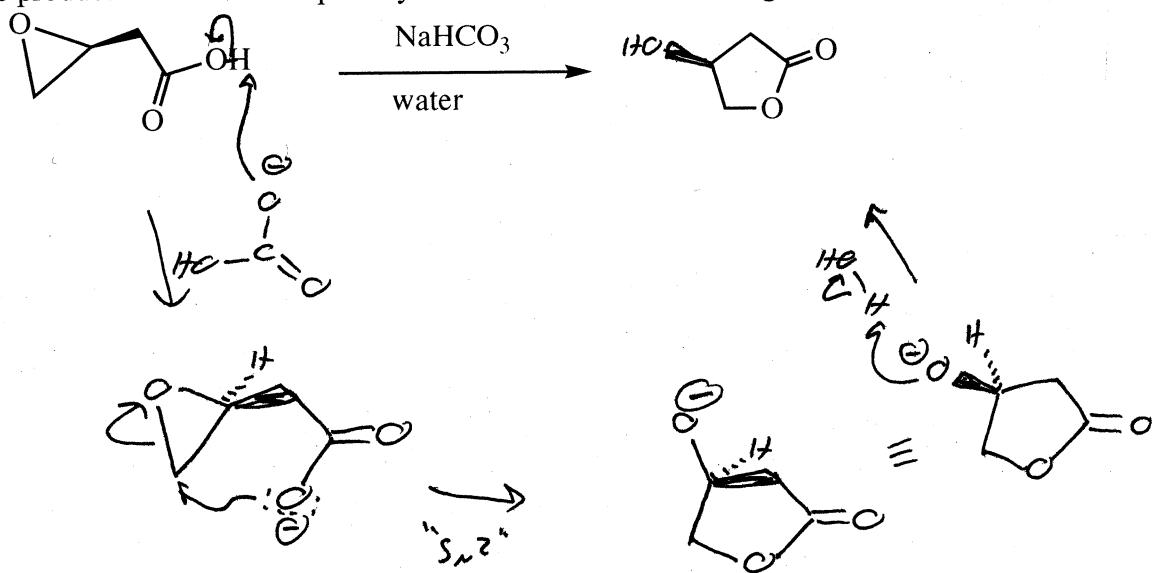
(a)



(b)



(c) The product in this case is optically active. Add a dash or wedge to show the stereochemistry.



(d) Same here.

