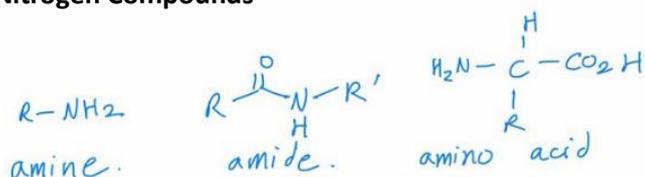


## Nitrogen Compounds



## Preparation of Amines

### Nucleophilic Substitution of halogenoalkane -> amine

- Refer to Halogen Derivatives Masterclass

### Reduction of -CN -> amines

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### Reduction of Amides -> Amines



Reagent & Condition

$LiAlH_4$  in dry ether, r.t.

### Reduction of Nitrobenzene -> Amine

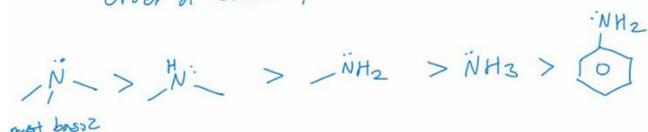


Reagent & Condition

$Sn$ , conc.  $HCl$ , heat

## Basicity of Amines

Order of basicity



When the number of electron-donating alkyl groups bonded to N atom increases -> the electron density on N atom increases -> lone pair on N is more available for donation -> more basic

Phenylamine is the weakest base

- Lone pair on N delocalized into the benzene ring due to p-orbital of N atom having side-on overlap with pi electron cloud of benzene ring
  - o Lone pair less available for donation

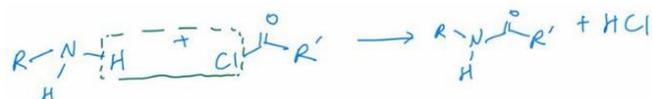
Note: Number/Proximity/Strength of Electron-donating or Electron-Withdrawing group affects the electron density of N atom and thus availability of lone pair of N atom for donation

## Reaction of Amines

### Nucleophilic Substitution with Halogenoalkane

- Refer to Halogen Derivatives Masterclass

### Nucleophilic Substitution with Acyl Chloride



Reagent & Condition

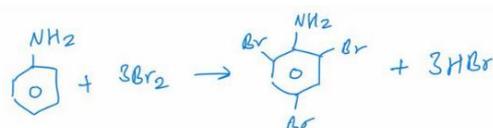
Anhydrous  $R'COCl$ , r.t.

!-> obs: white fumes of  $HCl$

### Electrophilic Substitution of Phenylamine

- $NH_2$  has the same electron-donating properties as -OH to the benzene ring

-2,4-directing



Reagent & Condition

$Br_2$   $CS_2$

!> obs: Orange  $Br_2$  decolourises, white ppt and white fumes of  $HBr$  formed

### Lack of basicity in Amides

- Lone Pair on N delocalizes into the pi electron cloud of adjacent C=O bond
  - o Lone pair not available for donation

### Preparation of Amides

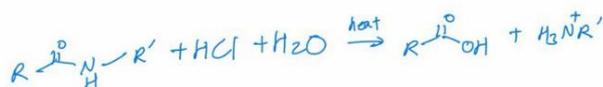
#### Nucleophilic Substitution with Acyl Chloride

- Refer Earlier in Masterclass

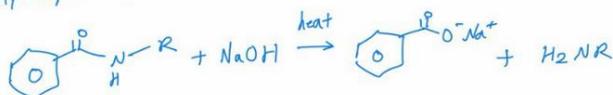
### Reaction of Amides

#### Hydrolysis

Hydrolysis in acid.



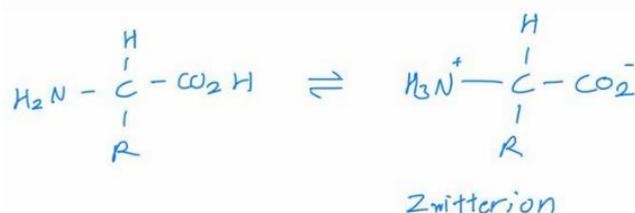
Hydrolysis in base.



#### Reduction of Amide -> Amine

- Refer Earlier in Masterclass

### Amino Acid and Zwitterion



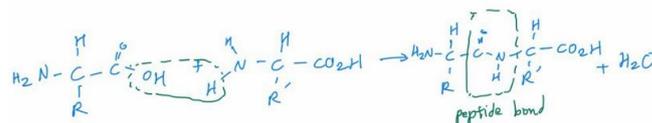
#### Physical Properties

- Amino Acids exist as crystalline solid with high melting points (above 200°C)
- Amino Acids are amphoteric in nature, can act as acid or base

### Reaction of Amino Acids

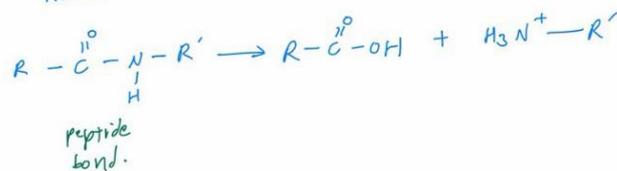
- Has both acidic and basic properties

#### Formation of Peptide Bond btwn amino acids



#### Hydrolysis of Peptide Bond

Acidic hydrolysis



Basic hydrolysis

