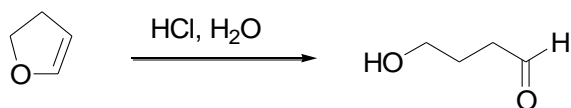


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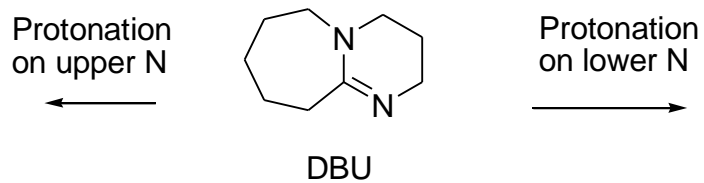
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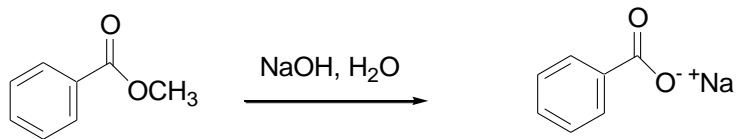
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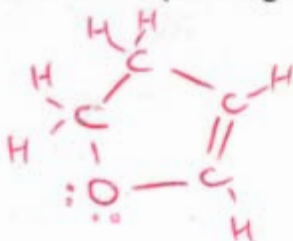
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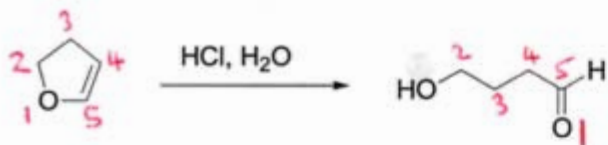
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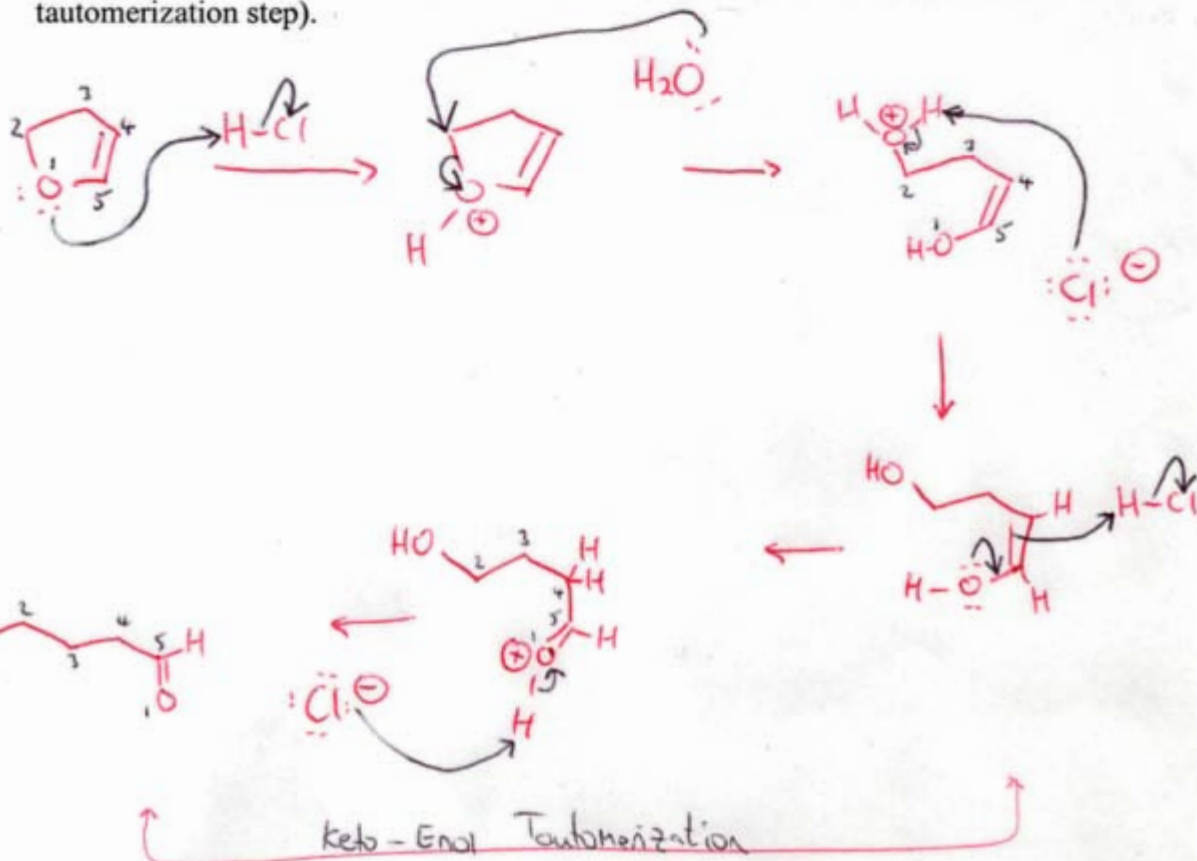
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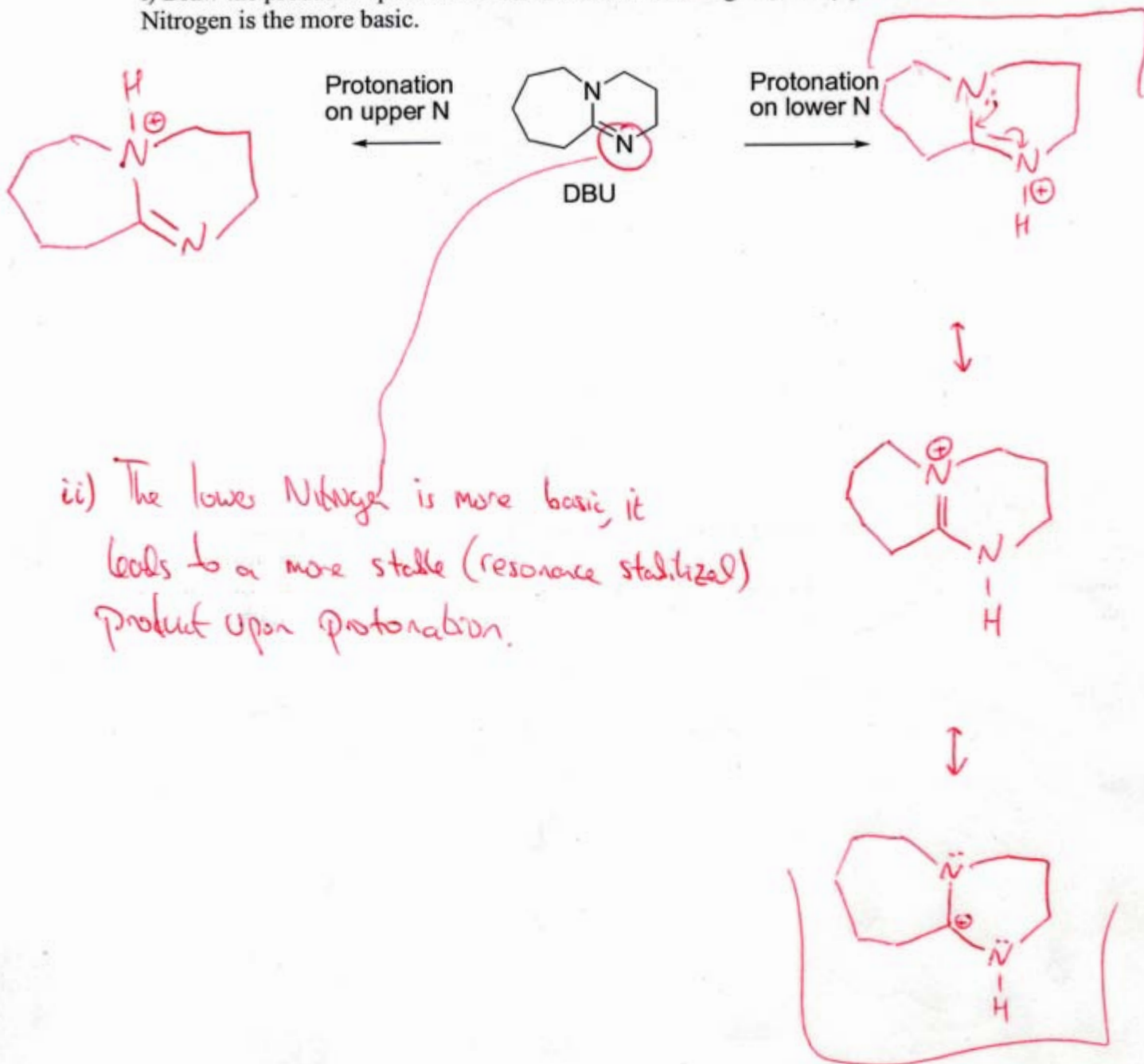
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i) Draw the product of protonation on the different Nitrogens, and (ii) decide which Nitrogen is the more basic.



ii) The lower Nitrogen is more basic, it leads to a more stable (resonance stabilized) product upon protonation.

17-20) Write the mechanism for the following transformation.

