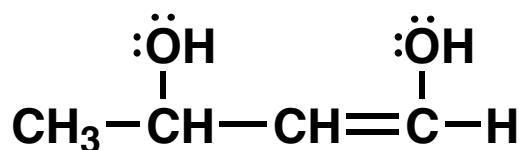
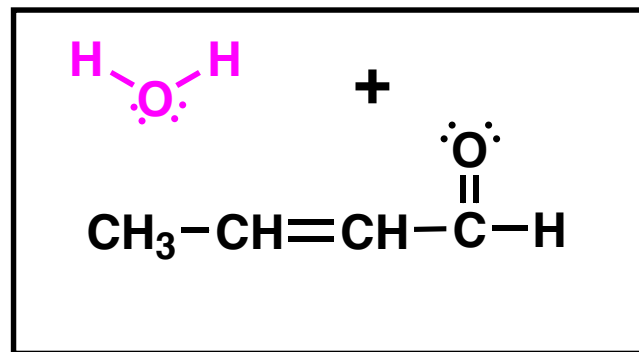
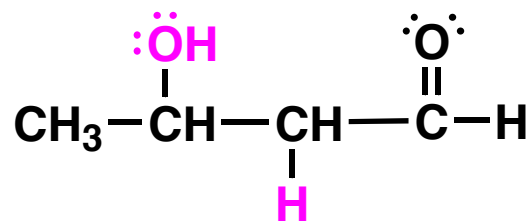
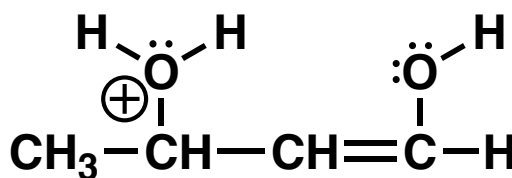
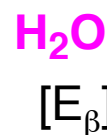
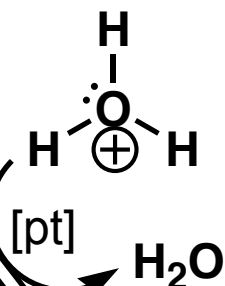
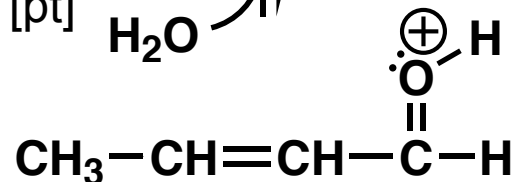
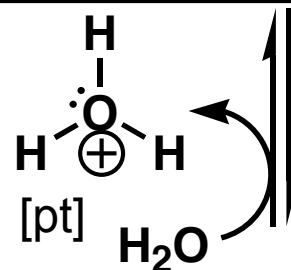


Dehydration of β -Hydroxy Carbonyl Compounds Is Common in Aldol Reactions



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The acid-catalyzed dehydration is shown. The base-catalyzed dehydration follows the [E1cb] pathway.

