1.

- a. What reagents/conditions would cause the formation of **2** from **1**? Draw the mechanism.
- b. When this reaction was performed on a larger scale with the enantiomer of **1**, product **27** was also isolated. How was it formed? Draw the mechanism.

2.

- a. Product A is an isolable alpha-hydroxy ketone. What is it?
- b. **B** is an intermediate towards the formation of products **13** and **15**. What is the general structure?
- c. Draw the mechanism for all transformations