

Schedule of Experiments

Text: Wade, *Organic Chemistry*, 9th edition
Laboratory manual: California State University, Northridge, Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry,
Chemistry 333L Laboratory Manual, Fall 2025

<u>Dates</u>	<u>Experiment, Pre-Laboratory Preparation</u>
Jan. 20–22	Introduction Safety Review Check-In CSU Northridge Chemistry 333L Manual, pp. 1–17 UCLA video: Safety
Jan. 27–29	Melting-Point Analysis Evaluation of Purity by Melting-Point Determination Melting-Point Determination of an Unknown CSU Northridge Chemistry 333L Manual, pp. 18–28 CSU Northridge video: Melting-Point Determination UCLA video: Melting-Point Determination
Feb. 3–5	Recrystallization of Acetanilide CSU Northridge Chemistry 333L Manual, pp. 29–41 CSU Northridge video: Recrystallization UCLA video: Recrystallization
Feb. 10–12	Simple Distillation of α -Pinene CSU Northridge Chemistry 333L Manual, pp. 48–67 CSU Northridge video: Simple Distillation UCLA video: Simple Distillation
Feb. 17–26	Fractional Distillation of Cyclohexane and Toluene With and Without a Vigreux Column CSU Northridge Chemistry 333L Manual, pp. 68–73 Work together in pairs to do both distillations CSU Northridge video: Fractional Distillation UCLA video: Fractional Distillation UCLA video: Gas Chromatography

March 3–5	Extraction Which Phase is Which? The "Salting-Out" Effect Acid-Base Extraction of Benzil and Benzoic Acid CSU Northridge Chemistry 333L Manual, pp. 87–96, 99–101 CSU Northridge video: Extraction CSU Northridge video: Extraction Demonstrations UCLA video: Extraction
March 10–12	Thin-Layer Chromatography (TLC) TLC Analysis of <i>o</i>-Hydroxyacetophenone and <i>p</i>-Hydroxyacetophenone TLC Analysis of a Mixture of Common Analgesics CSU Northridge Chemistry 333L Manual, pp. 103–112 CSU Northridge video: Thin-Layer Chromatography UCLA video: Thin-Layer Chromatography
March 17–19	Spring Break
March 24–26	Separation of Cholesterol and a Cholesteryl Ester by Column Chromatography CSU Northridge Chemistry 333L Manual, pp. 113–124 CSU Northridge video: Column Chromatography: Separation of Cholesterol and a Cholesteryl Ester UCLA video: Column Chromatography
March 31 – April 2	no laboratories
April 7–9	Acid-Catalyzed Dehydration of 2-Methylcyclohexanol CSU Northridge Chemistry 333L Manual, pp. 125–133, 189–192 Wade, Sections 6-13 to 6-15, 7-8A to 7-8C, 7-10, 7-11, 7-17B, 7-18, 11-7, and 11-10 CSU Northridge video: Acid-Catalyzed Dehydration of 2-Methylcyclohexanol UCLA video: Gas Chromatography
April 14–16	Stereoselective Reduction of 4-<i>tert</i>-Butylcyclohexanone CSU Northridge Chemistry 333L Manual, pp. 138–142, 183–184, 189–192 Wade, Sections 10-11 and 18-11 CSU Northridge video: Stereoselective Reduction of 4-<i>tert</i>-Butylcyclohexanone UCLA video: Gas Chromatography UCLA video: Infrared Spectroscopy

April 21–23

Check-Out

April 28–30

Infrared Spectroscopy

CSU Northridge Chemistry 333L Manual, pp. 143–149, 183–184

Wade, Sections 12-1 to 12-12

Appendices 2A and 2B

CSU Northridge video: [Infrared Spectroscopy](#)

UCLA video: [Infrared Spectroscopy](#)

May 5–7

Nuclear Magnetic Resonance (NMR) Spectroscopy

CSU Northridge Chemistry 333L Manual, pp. 150–163, 183–188

Wade, Sections 12-1 to 12-12, 13-1 to 13-13

Appendices 1B, 1C, 2A, and 2B

CSU Northridge video: [NMR Spectroscopy](#)