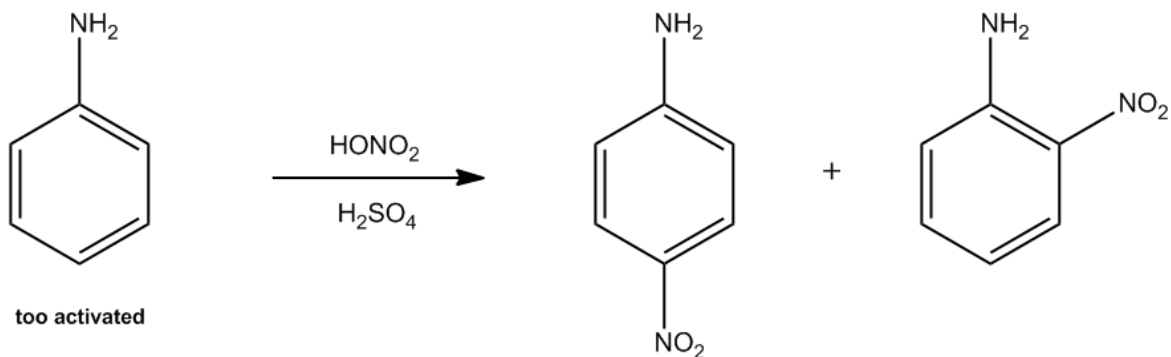
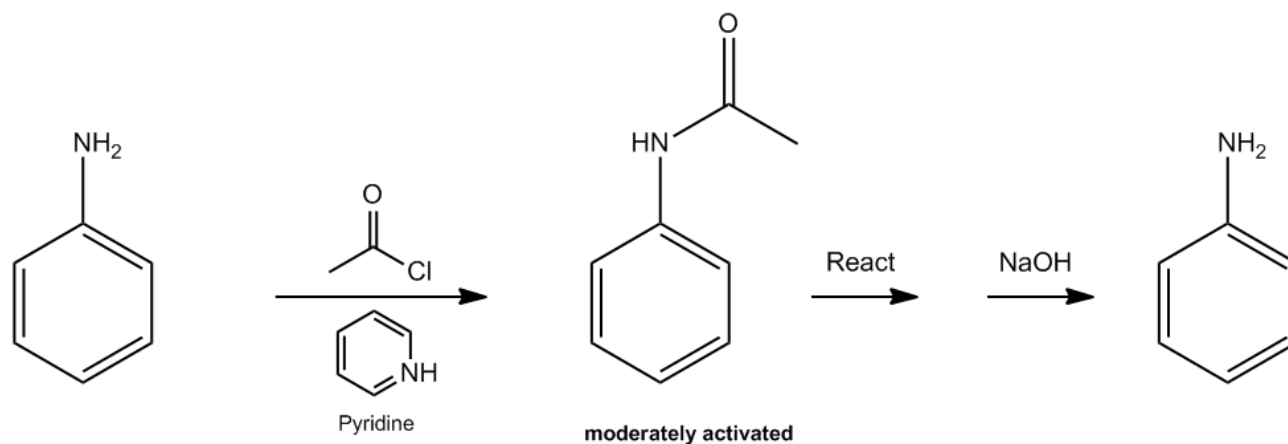


## CONCEPT: EAS – PROTECTION OF ANILINE DERIVATIVES

Strongly activated rings like aniline can open the ring up to *unwanted reactions*.



To avoid this, we can reversibly acetylate (*protect*) the amino group to make it **moderately activating**.



**EXAMPLE:** Synthesize the target molecule from nitrobenzene and any other reagents.

