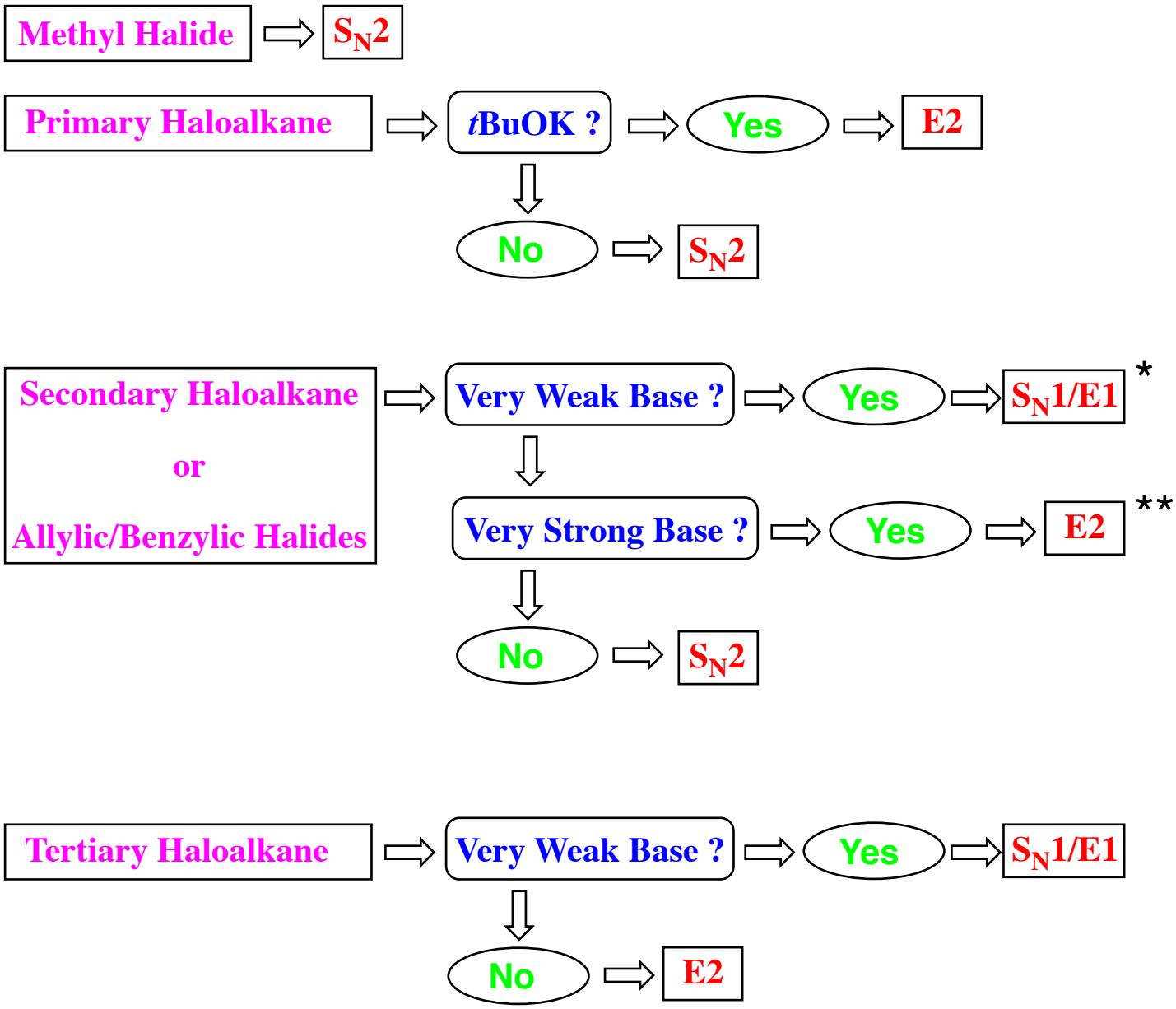
Substitution/Elimination Decision Map



For S_N2 Remember Chiral Center InVERSiON
For E2 Remember anti-periplanar and Zaitsev
For S_N1 Remember Chiral Center Scrambling
For E1 Remember Zaitsev

* Note: With Very Weak Bases, SN2 can compete here, but for the purposes of this class, assume SN1 / E1 predominate

** Note: If tBuOK is the very strong base, an appreciable amount of a non-Zaitsev product can be formed because the bulky tBuOK will tend to react with the most accessible H atom.