Carbon and Organic Chemistry

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Carbon Allotropic forms

Coal Amorphous – no definite crystal structure



Bituminous Coal:

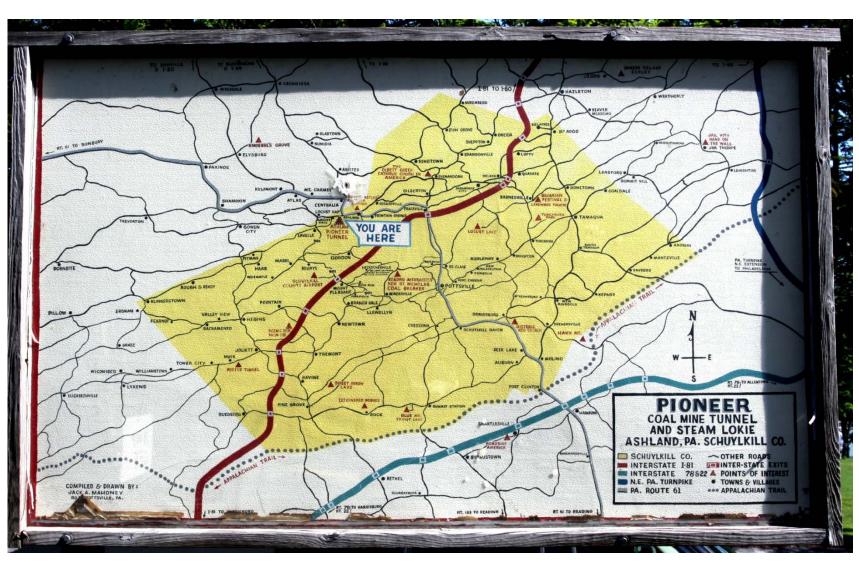
Great pressure results in the creation of bituminous, or "soft" coal. This is the type most commonly used for electric power generation in the U.S. It has a lower heating value than anthracite.



Anthracite:

Sometimes also called "hard coal". Formed from bituminous coal when great pressures developed in folded rock strata during the creation of mountain ranges. Anthracite has the highest energy content of all coals.

The Pioneer Coal Mine Ashland, PA







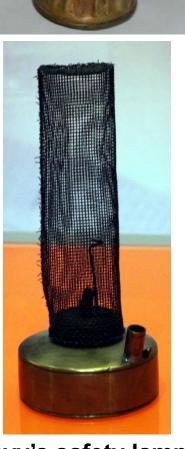








Miner's carbide lamp and safety lamps





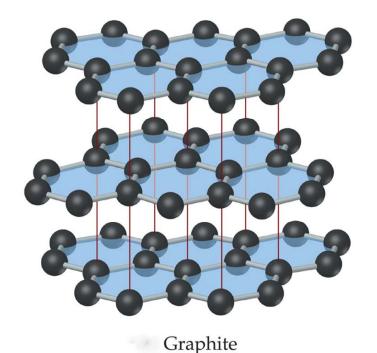


Davy's safety lamp, 1815





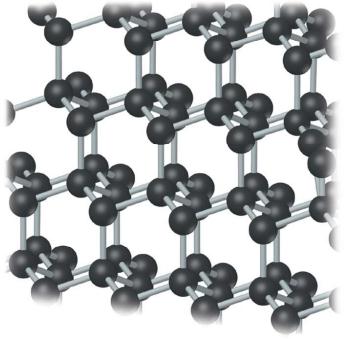




Graphite

Graphite consists of layers of carbon atoms in a hexagonal arrangement. There are only weak bonds between layers, allowing the layers to slide over one another. Graphite is used in the "lead" of lead pencils, as a dry lubricant, and in electroplating of substances.





Diamond

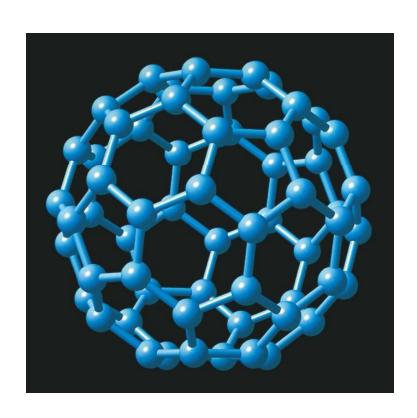
Diamond

Diamond has a framework structure where each carbon atom is bonded to 4 other carbons in a three-dimensional structure.

Diamond is the hardest naturally occurring mineral found in nature.

Used for drills, cutting wheels, and polishing of many substances, as well as for jewelery.

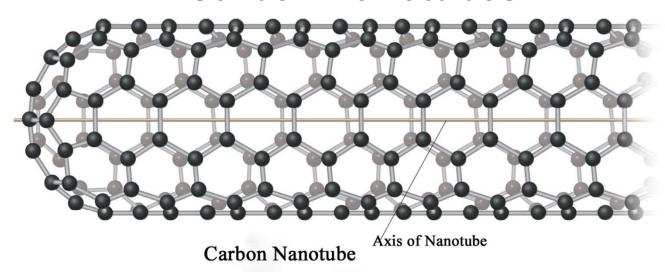
Buckminsterfullerene



Buckminsterfullerene, consisting of 60 carbon atoms in a spherical shape similar to a soccer ball, is formed electrically evaporating graphite in an atmosphere of He gas. Note that the structure consists of both 5 and 6 member carbon rings. Because the shape is similar to that of a geodesic dome invented by R. Buckminster Fuller, it was named buckminsterfullerene or "Bucky Ball" for short. Fullerenes have been prepared with as few as 20 carbon atoms and more than 80 atoms.

Applications include superconductors, along with compounds with interesting electrical, magnetic, and optical properties.

Carbon Nanotubes



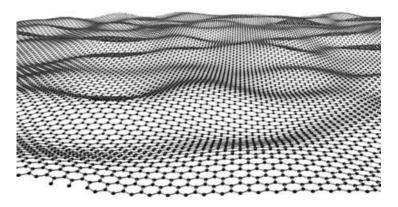
Discovered in 1952, and again noted in subsequent years, they were overlooked until about 1991. Carbon nanotubes are essentially a sheet of graphite rolled into a seamless tube approximately 1 nm in diameter. They have very high strength and high electrical and heat conductivity. (Multi-wall carbon nanotubes have been synthesized.)

Uses include wires or structural elements, special conductors, transistors, computer memory elements, nanoscale motors, and medical delivery systems.

Graphene

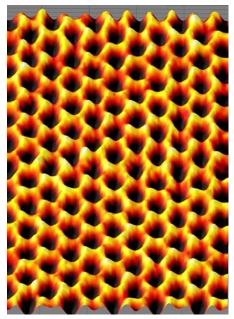
Graphene is a single planar sheet of carbon atoms that are densely packed in a honeycomb crystal lattice. Graphene is the basic structural element for all other graphitic materials including graphite, carbon nanotubes and fullerenes.

Made by high temperature reduction of SiC and also by microelectronic methods, it was made in 2004 when physicists from University of Manchester and Institute for Microelectronics Technology, Chernogolovka, Russia, found a way to isolate graphene by peeling it off from graphite with Scotch tape and optically identify it by transferring them to a silicon dioxide layer on Si. Graphene's high electrical conductivity and high optical transparency make it a candidate for transparent conducting electrodes, required for such applications as touchscreens, liquid crystal displays, organic photovoltaic cells, and Organic light-emitting diodes.



Above: A sheet of graphene (note its rippled structure)

Right: An atomic force microscope image of graphene



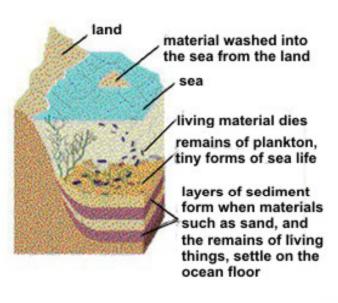
Carbon has an almost unique ability among the elements to bond with itself forming long continuous chains of carbon atoms.

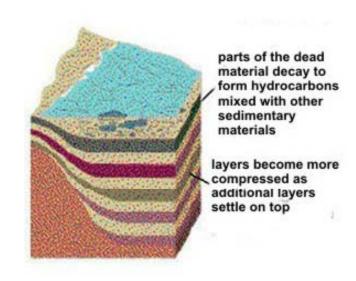
The only other common element that can do this is silicon.

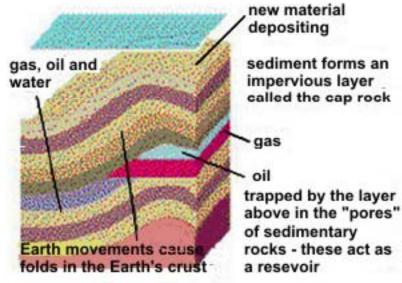
The major naturally occurring source of carbon compounds is petroleum.

Many complex compounds are extracted from plants or animals.

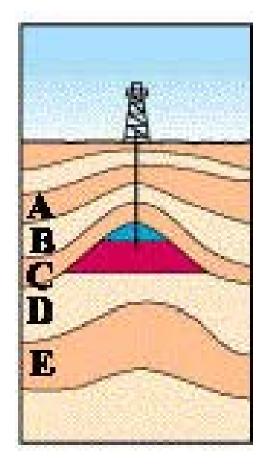
Formation of Petroleum



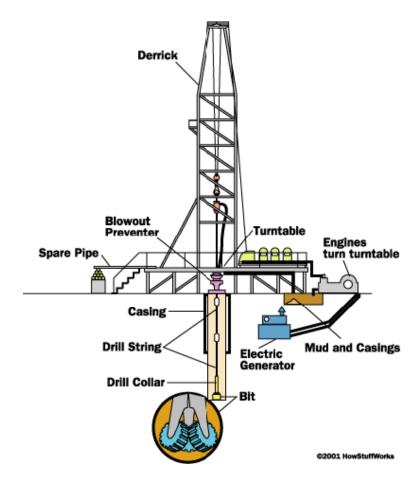




Drilling for Petroleum

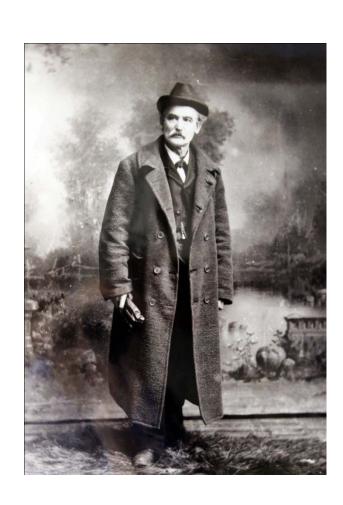


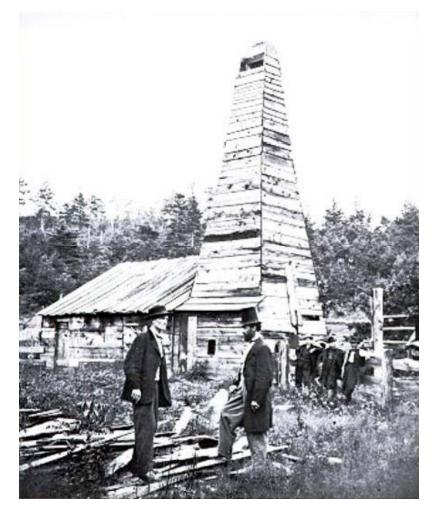
For land deposits, an oil rig needs to drill through the cap rock into the oil deposit



An oil rig system

Colonel Edwin Drake and the first commercial oil well Titusville, PA 1858







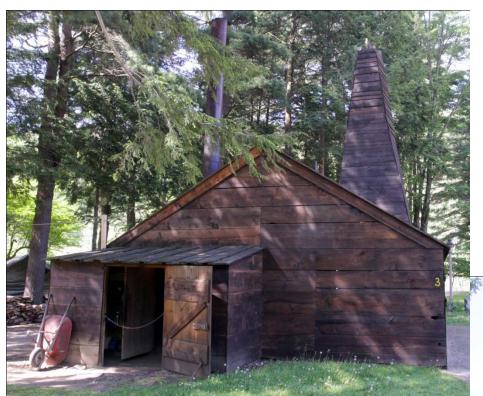
Drilling for oil in Pennsylvania

Left: Empire Well, Funkville, PA,

1863

Below: Triumph Hill, 1871





The rebuilt Drake well at the Drake Museum, Titusville, PA





The rebuilt pump in the Drake well, Titusville, PA





Vaseline





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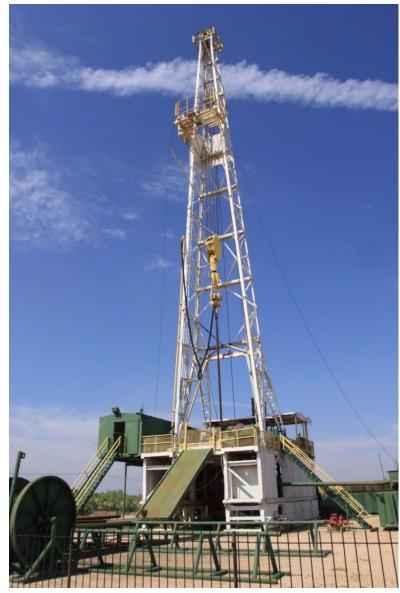
The New York Tribune gives an account of a new product of petroleum called vaseline, which promises to be of considerable value, both in the arts, for toilet purposes and medial agent. It is described 'a highly concentrated essence petroleum, refined without of chemicals, by process discovered by Mr. Robert A. Chesebrough, of New York. It appears as a dense, oleaginous substance of a light translucent opal color and is of the consistency of jelly, which it resembles, and possesses neither odor nor taste.." If the crude petroleum is refined without distillation of chemicals, it must necessarily be filtered to make it of the color indicated, and how it is converted into a jelly without chemicals, or mincing it with, other substances, is not very cléarly apparent.













Fish tail bit



Early cross roller bit



Cross roller bit



Early tungsten carbide bit

Blowout preventers (BOPs)

Blowout prevention equipment stands as a muscular giant to protect both man and machine. Blowout prevention equipment is one of the most important assemblies of equipment on a drilling rig. If used properly, this powerful equipment can increase drilling rates, by use of lighter drilling fluid, and more importantly, insure the safety of rig personnel and rig installations involved in increasingly complex drilling situations.

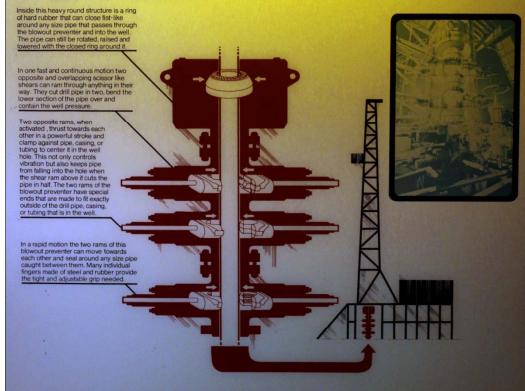
When man drills into the depths of the earth, he provides a hole that can be the escape route of the gas, oil or water stored there under tremendous pressures. When a release of this gas, oil or water is uncontrolled, the well goes wild and a blowout occurs. The blowout preventer is the man made metal guardian that can

control and prevent blowouts. A blowout preventer stack is an assembly of different types of blowout preventers which work under varied drilling conditions with or without pipe in the well.

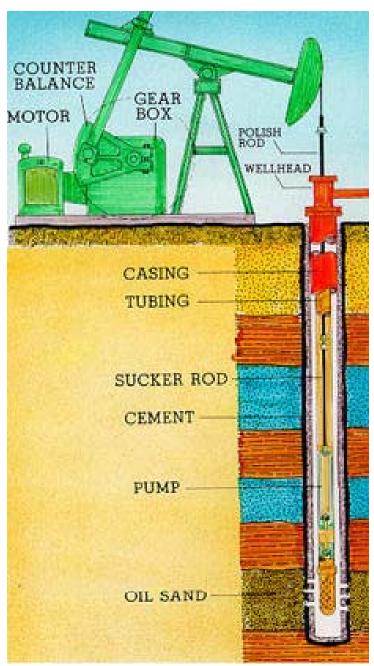
The most important step in preventing an impending blowout is closing the proper blowout preventer to seal in the well pressure.

Each of the blowout preventers in the stack functions differently to provide protection in any drilling situation. The well's owner specifies the number, type, and arrangement of blowout preventers in the stack. The Cameron stack here has a typical arrangement of blowout preventers.

A typical stack ...









Once the petroleum is found, the rig is removed and a pump is placed on the well head.

The Athabasca Tar Sands Fort McMurray, Alberta, Canada







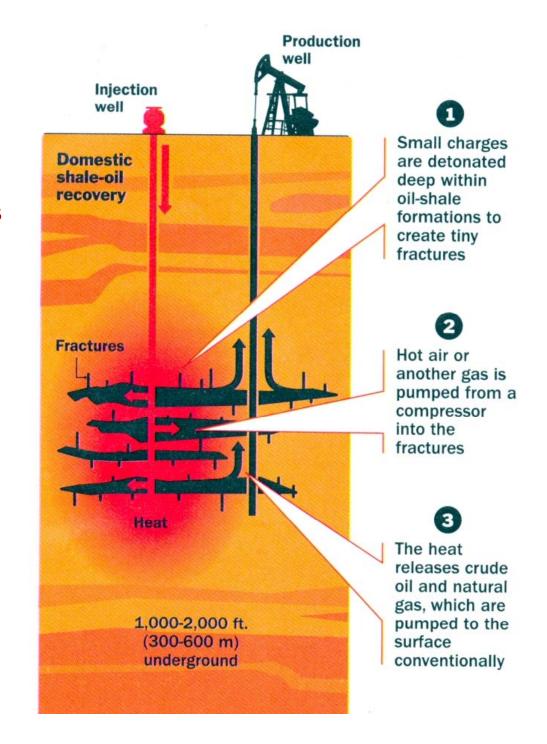


Oil Shale Colorado, Wyoming and Utah

Estimates of global deposits range from 2.8 trillion to 3.3 trillion barrels of recoverable oil







Refining Petroleum

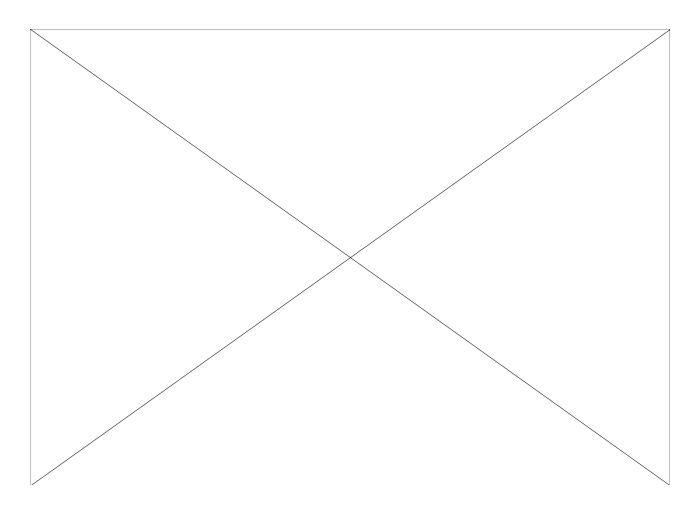


Anacortes Refinery, north end of March Point southeast of Anacortes, Washington

Fractional Distillation of Petroleum



Crude oil contains hundreds of different hydrocarbons mixed together. To obtain useful products, the process of fractional distillation is used. The following diagram shows a schematic of a fractional distillation column.



Longer hydrocarbon chain lengths have progressively higher boiling points, so they can all be separated by distillation. Crude oil is heated and the different chains are separated by boiling temperatures.

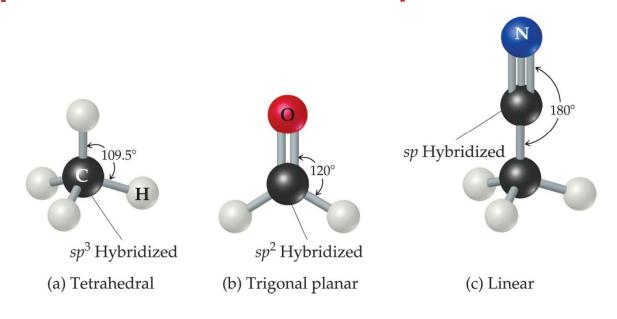
Glucose (C₆H₁₂O₆) Ascorbic acid (HC₆H₇O₆) Surfactant (C₁₇H₃₅COO⁻)

Organic Chemistry

- The chemistry of carbon compounds.
- Carbon has the ability to bond with itself to form long chains.
- Without this property, large biomolecules such as proteins, lipids, carbohydrates, and nucleic acids could not form.
- Originally believed that these compounds had to come from a living organism, now they are synthesized in the laboratory.

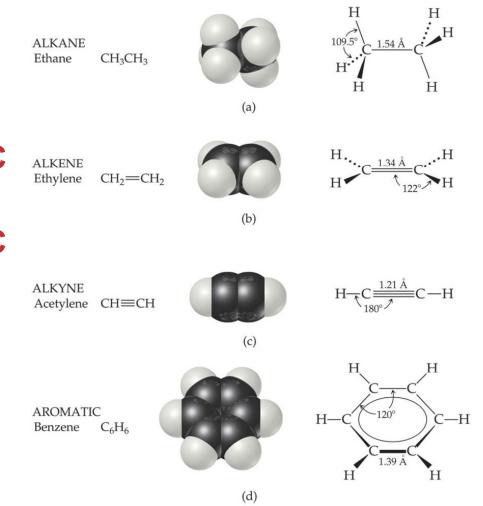
Structure of Carbon Compounds

- There are three hybridization states and geometries found in organic compounds:
 - $> sp^3$ Tetrahedral: C-C and C-H single bonds
 - > sp² Trigonal planar: C=C and C=O double bonds
 - > sp Linear: C≡C and C≡N triples bonds



Hydrocarbons

- Four basic types:
 - ➤ Alkanes: all C-C single bonds
 - ➤ Alkenes: contain a C=C double bond
 - ➤ Alkynes: contain a C≡C triple bond
 - Aromatic hydrocarbons: contain a benzene structure



Carbon Bonding in Hydrocarbons

A C atom single-bonded to one other C atom is bonded

to three H atoms.

A C atom single-bonded to four other atom is already fully bonded (no H atoms).

A C atom single-bonded to two other C atoms is bonded to two H atoms.

A C atom single-bonded to three other C atoms is bonded to one H atom.

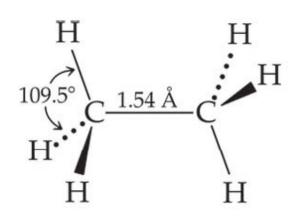
A double-bonded C atom is treated as if it were bonded to two other atoms.

A double- and singlebonded C atom or a triplebonded C atom is treated as if it were bonded to three other atoms.

Alkanes

ALKANE Ethane CH₃CH₃

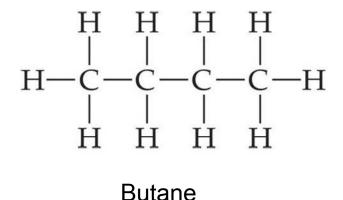




- Only carbon-carbon single bonds.
- Called saturated hydrocarbons.
 - > "Saturated" with hydrogens
 - All carbons have tetrahedral arrangement of bonds

Formulas

Lewis structures of alkanes look like this.



Also called structural formulas.

Since these take up a lot of space...

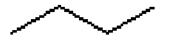
Formulas

...so more often condensed structural formulas are used.

$$H_3C-CH_2-CH_2-CH_3$$

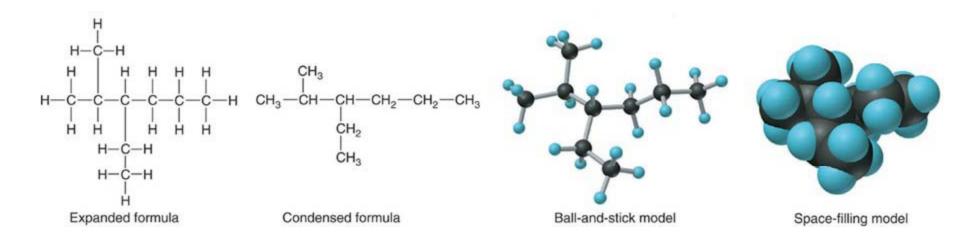
or

Even simpler than condensed structures are skeletal or line structures



Formulas

A summary of different organic formulas:

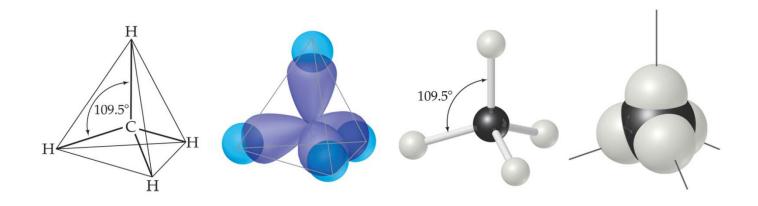


Names and Properties of Alkanes

Molecular Formula	Condensed Structural Formula	Name	Boiling Point (°C)
CH_4	CH_4	Methane	-161
C_2H_6	CH ₃ CH ₃	Ethane	-89
C_3H_8	CH ₃ CH ₂ CH ₃	Propane	-44
C_4H_{10}	CH ₃ CH ₂ CH ₂ CH ₃	Butane	-0.5
C_5H_{12}	CH ₃ CH ₂ CH ₂ CH ₂ CH ₃	Pentane	36
C_6H_{14}	CH ₃ CH ₂ CH ₂ CH ₂ CH ₂ CH ₃	Hexane	68
C_7H_{16}	CH ₃ CH ₂ CH ₂ CH ₂ CH ₂ CH ₃	Heptane	98
C_8H_{18}	CH ₃ CH ₂ CH ₂ CH ₂ CH ₂ CH ₂ CH ₃	Octane	125
C_9H_{20}	CH ₃ CH ₂ CH ₂ CH ₂ CH ₂ CH ₂ CH ₂ CH ₃	Nonane	151
$C_{10}H_{22}$	CH ₃ CH ₂ CH ₃	Decane	174

- Only van der Waals forces: London forces.
- Boiling point increases with length of chain.

Structure of Alkanes



- Carbons in alkanes sp³ hybrids.
- Tetrahedral geometry.
- 109.5° bond angles.

Structure of Alkanes



- Only σ -bonds in alkanes
- Free rotation about C—C bonds.

Isomers





$$\begin{array}{c|cccc} H & H & H \\ H-C-C-C-C-H \\ H & H \\ H-C-H \\ H \\ CH_3-CH-CH_3 \\ CH_3 \\ Isobutane \\ (2-methylpropane) \\ mp & -145^{\circ}C \\ bp & -10^{\circ}C \\ \end{array}$$





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$$\begin{array}{c} CH_3 \\ \mid & \text{Neopentane} \\ CH_3-C-CH_3 \\ \mid & \text{mp} -20^{\circ}C \\ CH_3 \\ \mid & \text{bp} +9^{\circ}C \end{array}$$

Have same molecular formulas, but atoms are bonded in different order or arrangement.

- Four parts to a compound name:
 - > Parent chain: Tells how many carbons are in the longest continuous chain.

meth = 1 eth = 2 prop = 3 but = 4 etc.

location prefix parent chain suffix

The parent chain on this molecule is 4 carbon atoms long. 4 = but

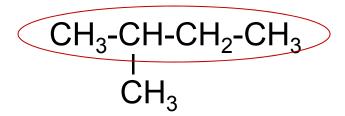
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Suffix: Tells what type of compound it is:

ane = alkane ene = alkene yne = alkyne

location prefix parent chain suffix



The parent chain contains all carbon-carbon single bonds. It is an alkane. Its name is butane.

- Four parts to a compound name:
 - ➤ Parent chain: Tells how many carbons are in the longest continuous chain.
 - ➤ Suffix: Tells what type of compound it is.
 - ➤ Prefix: Tells what groups, or branches are attached to chain:

$$-CH_3 = methyl$$
 $-CH_2CH_3 = ethyl$ $-CH_2CH_2CH_3 = propyl$

location prefix parent chain suffix

This compound has a single branch consisting of $-CH_3$ = methyl Its name is methylbutane (Note: this is written as a single word.)

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 - ➤ Location: Tells where groups, or branches, are attached to chain.

 $2 = 2^{\text{nd}}$ carbon $3 = 3^{\text{rd}}$ carbon $4 = 4^{\text{th}}$ carbon

Note: alkyl groups cannot be located on the 1st or last carbon

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The methyl group is located on the second carbon atom of the parent chain, so the complete name for the compound is **2-methylbutane**

Note 1: Always count from the end of the molecule closest to the branches to get the lowest possible numbers for their location.

Note 2: Separate numbers from names by a dash (-)

Isomers of butane and pentane

Systematic Name (Common Name)	Condensed Formula	Expanded Formula	Space-filling Model	Density (g/mL)	Boiling Point (°C)
Butane (n-butane)	CH ₃ —CH ₂ —CH ₂ —CH ₃	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$		0.579	-0.5
2-Methylpropane (isobutane)	CH ₃ —CH—CH ₃ CH ₃	H H H H-C-C-C-H H H H-C-H		0.549	-11.6
Pentane (n-pentane)	CH ₃ —CH ₂ —CH ₂ —CH ₃	H H H H H H-C-C-C-C-C-H H H H H H		0.626	36.1
2-Methylbutane (isopentane)	CH ₃ —CH—CH ₂ —CH ₃ CH ₃	H H H H H-C-C-C-C-H H H H H H-C-H	***	0.620	27.8
2,2-Dimethylpropane (neopentane)	CH ₃ 	H-C-H H-C-H H-C-C-H H-C-H H-C-H		0.614	9.5

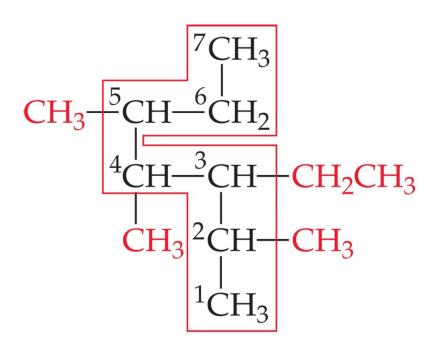
To Name a Compound...

2-Methyl*hexane*

Group	Name		
CH ₃ — CH ₃ CH ₂ — CH ₃ CH ₂ CH ₂ — CH ₃ CH ₂ CH ₂ CH ₂ —	Methyl Ethyl Propyl Butyl		
CH ₃ HC— CH ₃	Isopropyl		
CH ₃ CH ₃ CH ₃ CH ₃	tert-Butyl		

- 1. Find the longest chain in the molecule.
- 2. Number the chain from the end nearest the first substituent (or branch) encountered.
- 3. List the substituents (branches) as prefixes along with the number(s) (locations) of the carbon(s) to which they are attached.

To Name a Compound...



3-Ethyl-2,4,5-trimethylheptane

If there is more than one type of substituent in the molecule, list them alphabetically.

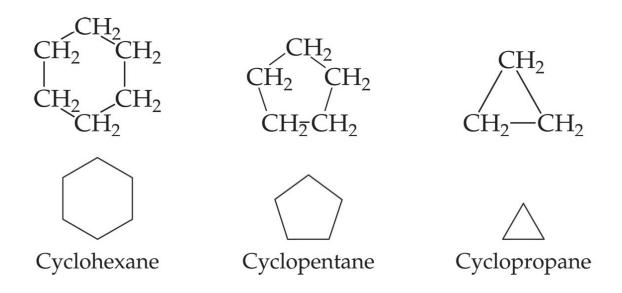
If there are more than one substituent of the same type, use the prefixes:

$$di = 2$$
 $tri = 3$ $tetra = 4$

There must be a number assigned to tell the location of each substituent group.

Cycloalkanes

- Carbon can also form ringed structures.
- Five- and six-membered rings are most stable.
 - ➤ Can take on conformation in which angles are very close to tetrahedral angle.
 - Smaller rings are quite strained.



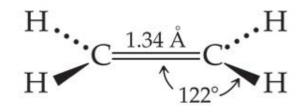
Reactions of Alkanes

- Rather unreactive due to presence of only C—C and C—H single bonds.
- Therefore, great nonpolar solvents.

Alkenes

ALKENE Ethylene CH_2 = CH_2

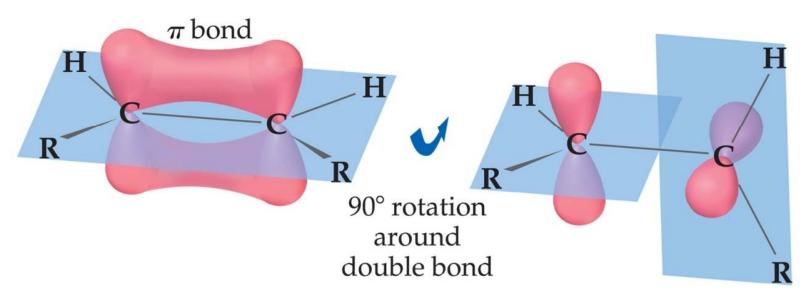




- Contain at least one carbon—carbon double bond.
- Unsaturated.
 - > Have fewer than maximum number of hydrogens.

Structure of Alkenes

- Unlike alkanes, alkenes cannot rotate freely about the double bond.
 - \triangleright Side-to-side overlap makes this impossible without breaking π -bond.



Structure of Alkenes

This creates geometric isomers, which differ from each other in the spatial arrangement of groups about the double bond.

Geometric isomers are noted by the prefix *cis-* or *trans-*.

$$CH_3$$
— CH_2
 $C=C$
 H
 CH_3

cis-2-Pentene

$$CH_{3}$$
— CH_{2}
 $C=C$
 CH_{3}
 $C=C$
 CH_{3}

trans-2-Pentene

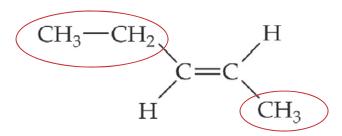
Properties of Alkenes

Structure affects physical properties of alkenes such as their boiling points.

Nomenclature of Alkenes

- Chain numbered so double bond gets smallest possible number.
- cis- alkenes have carbons in chain on same side of molecule. (Note: parts of chain are circled)
- trans- alkenes have carbons in chain on opposite side of molecule.

$$CH_3$$
— CH_2 — CH = CH_2
1-Pentene



$$CH_3$$
 $C=C$
 CH_3
 $C=C$
 CH_3

cis-2-Pentene

Suffix to name of parent chain is -ene = alkene

Reactions of Alkenes

$$H_2C = CH_2 + Br_2 \longrightarrow H_2C - CH_2$$
 $Br Br$

Addition Reactions

- Two atoms (e.g., bromine) can add across the double bond.
- \triangleright One π -bond and one σ -bond are replaced by two σ -bonds; therefore, ΔH is negative.
- This reaction is called a bromination reaction (i.e., addition of bromine).

Reactions of Alkenes

$$H_2C=CH_2 + H_2 \longrightarrow H_2C-CH_2$$
 $H H H$

Addition Reactions

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- This reaction is called a hydrogenation reaction (i.e., addition of hydrogen).

Mechanism of Addition Reactions

The addition of HBr

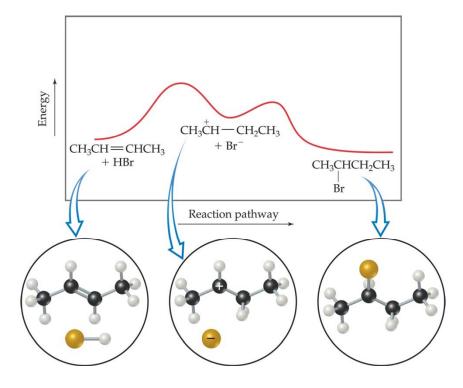
$$CH_{3}CH = CHCH_{3} + H = \ddot{B}\ddot{r}: \xrightarrow{slow} CH_{3} - C - C - CH_{3} + : \ddot{B}\ddot{r}: \xrightarrow{fast} CH_{3} - C - C - CH_{3}$$

$$\vdots \ddot{B}\ddot{r}: H$$

- Two-step mechanism:
 - First step is slow, rate-determining step.
 - ➤ Second step is fast.

Mechanism of Addition Reactions

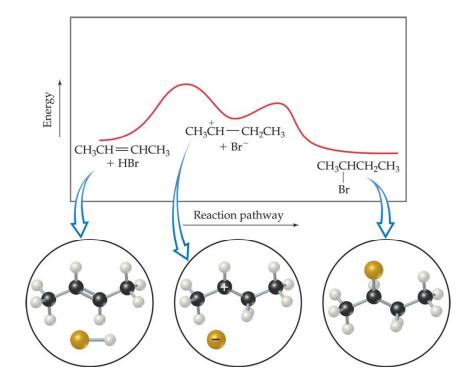
In first step, π -bond breaks and new C—H bond and cation form.



$$CH_{3}CH = CHCH_{3} + HBr \longrightarrow \begin{bmatrix} CH_{3}^{\delta +} - CHCH_{3} \\ H \\ Br^{\delta -} \end{bmatrix} \longrightarrow CH_{3}^{+}CH - CH_{2}CH_{3} + Br^{-}$$

Mechanism of Addition Reactions

In second step, new bond forms between negative bromide ion and positive carbon.



$$CH_{3}\overset{+}{C}H-CH_{2}CH_{3} + Br^{-} \longrightarrow \begin{bmatrix} CH_{3}\overset{\boldsymbol{\delta}^{+}}{C}H-CH_{2}CH_{3} \\ \vdots \\ Br^{\boldsymbol{\delta}^{-}} \end{bmatrix} \longrightarrow CH_{3}CHCH_{2}CH_{3}$$

Alkynes

ALKYNE Acetylene CH≡CH



$$H - C = C - H$$

- Contain at least one carbon–carbon triple bond.
- Carbons in triple bond sp-hybridized and have linear geometry.
- Also unsaturated.

Nomenclature of Alkynes

$$CH_3-C\equiv C-CH-CH_3$$

$$CH_3$$

$$CH_3$$

4-methyl-2-pentyne

- Analogous to naming of alkenes.
- Suffix is -yne rather than -ene.

Reactions of Alkynes

- Undergo many of the same reactions alkenes do.
- As with alkenes, impetus for reaction is replacement of π -bonds with σ -bonds.

$$CH_3C \equiv CCH_3 + 2 Cl_2 \longrightarrow CH_3 - C - C - CH_3$$

$$C1 C1$$

$$C1$$

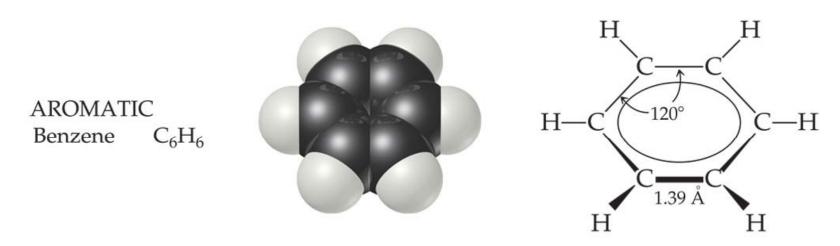
$$CH_3 - C - C - CH_3$$

$$C1 C1$$

2-Butyne

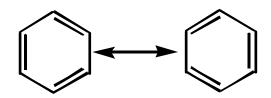
2,2,3,3-Tetrachlorobutane

Aromatic Hydrocarbons



- Cyclic hydrocarbons containing a benzene structure.
- p-Orbitals on each atom result in delocalized electrons throughout the ring.
 - ➤ Molecule is planar.
- Odd number of electron pairs in π -system.

Some representations of benzene



Resonance structures
If the bonds are shown,
only one of these is used.



or

Resonance hybrid structures





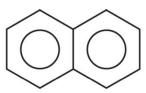
A resonance hybrid diagram showing the delocalized π-electrons

Aromatic Nomenclature

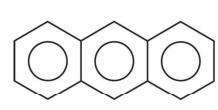
Many aromatic hydrocarbons are known by their common names.



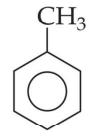




Naphthalene

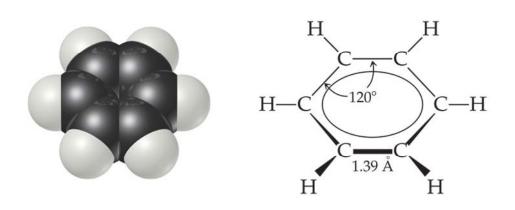


Anthracene



Toluene Methylbenzene

Reactions of Aromatic Compounds



- Unlike in alkenes and alkynes, πelectrons do not sit between two atoms.
- Electrons are delocalized; this stabilizes aromatic compounds.

Reactions of Aromatic Compounds

- Due to stabilization, aromatic compounds do not undergo addition reactions; they undergo substitution.
- Hydrogen is replaced by substituent.

Structure of Aromatic Compounds

$$NO_2$$
 NO_2
 NO_2

- If there are two substituents on a benzene ring, their positions are noted as part of their names
 - > ortho-: On adjacent carbons.
 - > meta-: One carbon between them.
 - > para-: On opposite sides of ring.

Reactions of Aromatic Compounds

Halogenation

$$+ CH_3CH_2Cl \xrightarrow{AlCl_3} + HCl$$

Friedel-Crafts Reaction

Reactions of aromatic compounds often require a catalyst.

Functional Group Compounds

Functional Group	Compound Type	Suffix or Prefix of Name	Example		Systematic Name (Common Name)
)c=c(alkene	-ene	HC=CH		eth <mark>ene</mark> (ethylene)
-c≡c-	alkyne	-yne	н−с≡с−н	• • •	eth <mark>yne</mark> (acetylene)
-c-ё-н	alcohol	-ol	н—с—ё—н Н	3	methanol (methyl alcohol)
_c—∷: (X=halogen)	haloalkane	halo-	н—с—ċi: Н	***	chloromethane (methyl chloride)
-c-i-	amine	-amine	H H 	7 kg	ethylamine
:0: 	aldehyde	-al	H-C-C-H H :0:	3-4	ethan <mark>al</mark> (acetaldehyde)

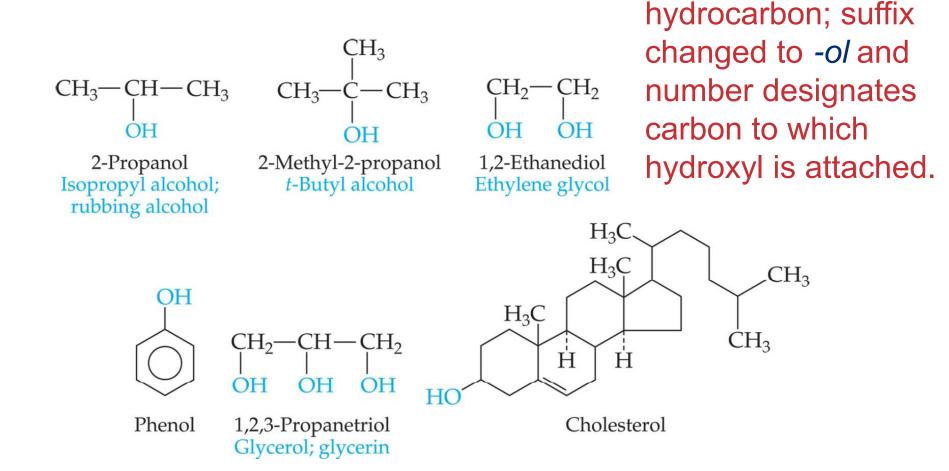
Functional Group Compounds (continued)

Functional Group	Compound Type	Suffix or Prefix of Name	Example	Systematic Name (Common Name)
-c-c-c-	ketone	-one	H :0: H H = C - C - C - H H = H	2-propanone (acetone)
-с-ё-н :0:	carboxylic acid	-oic acid	н—с—с—ё—н	ethanoic acid (acetic acid)
:0: -c-ö-¢-	ester	-oate	H-C-C-Ö-C-H	methyl ethanoate (methyl acetate)
:0: 	amide	-amide	H :0: H—C—C—N—H H H	ethanamide (acetamide)
—c≡n:	nitrile	-nitrile	H-C-C≡N:	ethanenitrile (acetonitrile, methyl cyanide)

Alcohols

Named from parent

Contain one or more hydroxyl groups, —OH



Alcohols

- Much more acidic than hydrocarbons.
 - $\rightarrow pK_a \sim 15$ for most alcohols.
 - Aromatic alcohols have $pK_a \sim 10$.

 CH_3

$$CH_3$$
— CH — CH_3 CH_3 — C — CH_3
 CH_3

2-Propanol Isopropyl alcohol; rubbing alcohol

2-Methyl-2-propanol t-Butyl alcohol

1,2-Ethanediol Ethylene glycol

 H_3C

Some common alcohols

Methanol, CH₃OH

Common names: methyl alcohol, wood alcohol

Poison, oral and by inhalation, LD50 Rat 5600 mg/Kg

Boiling point: 64.7° C

Uses: solvent, antifreeze, fuel

Ethanol, CH₃CH₂OH

Common names: ethyl alcohol, grain alcohol, vodka

Poison, oral and by inhalation, LD50 Rat 7060 mg/Kg

Boiling point: 78° C

Uses: beverage, solvent, antifreeze, fuel

Some common alcohols

2-propanol, CH₃CHOHCH₃

Common names: isopropyl alcohol, rubbing alcohol

Poison, oral and by inhalation, LD50 Rat 5045 mg/Kg

Boiling point: 82° C

Uses: cleaner, solvent, antifreeze

Ethers

- Tend to be quite unreactive.
- Good solvents (slighly polar).
- Most common ether:

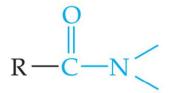
Diethyl ether or ethoxyethane (formula, above)

Boiling point: 34.6° C

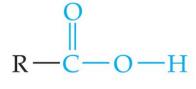
Uses: anesthetic, solvent

(Other ethers, such as methyl propyl ether, have replaced diethyl ether as an anesthetic.)

Carbonyl Compounds



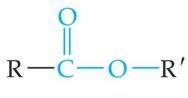
Amide



Carboxylic acid



Aldehyde



Ester

- Contain C=O double bond.
- Includes several classes of compounds:

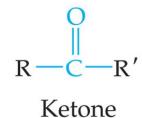
Amides

Aldehydes

Ketones

Carboxylic acids

Esters

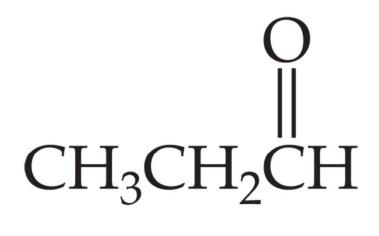


Aldehydes

Carbonyl group is on an end carbon.

At least one hydrogen attached to carbonyl carbon.

Named from parent hydrocarbon; suffix changed to -al



propanal

Some common aldehydes

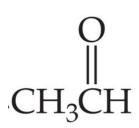
Methanal,



common name: methyl aldehyde, formaldehyde

Uses: solvent, preservative

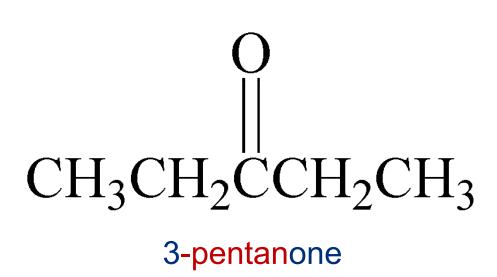
Ethanal,



common name: ethyl aldehyde, acetaldehyde

Uses: solvent, intermediate for manufacture of other compounds

Ketones



Two carbons bonded to carbonyl carbon.

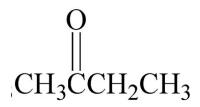
Carbonyl group is in the parent chain, not on the end.

Name is similar to alkenes: prefix is number of carbonyl carbon, suffix is -one

Some common ketones

2-propanone common name: CH₃CCH₃ dimethyl ketone, acetone use: solvent

2-butanone



common name: CH₃CCH₂CH₃ methyl ethyl ketone use: solvent

Carboxylic Acids

Have hydroxyl group bonded to carbonyl group.

Sour taste.

Carboxylic acids are weak acids.

Name as parent chain with suffix: -oic acid



CH₃COOH

ethanoic acid

Some common carboxylic acids

Some common carboxylic acids

methanoic acid

formic acid
occurrence:
 venom in bee and ant
 stings
use: intermediate in

chemical synthesis

ethanoic acid

common names:

acetic acid, vinegar occurrence:
 oxidation of ethanol use: foods (vinegar), polymers, glues, synthetic fibers

Some common carboxylic acids

lactic acid

$$H_3C$$
OH
OH

common name:
 milk acid
 occurrence:
 milk, fermentation in
 normal exercise
 use: polymers, foods

citric acid

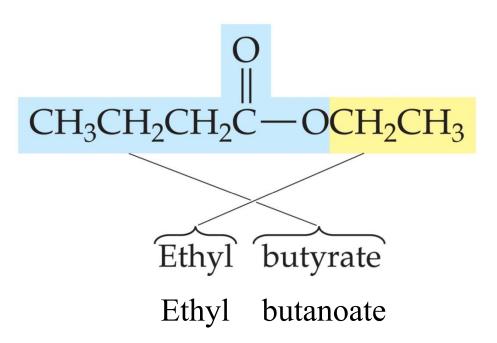
common name:

sour salt

occurrence:

fruits and vegetables use: foods, cosmetics, cleaning materials

Esters



- Products of reaction between carboxylic acids and alcohols.
- Found in many fruits and perfumes.
- Name alcohol portion as alkyl group (i.e., methyl, ethyl, etc.) and acid portion as alkane minus –e (last letter) and add –oate ending.

Note: Common names for acids are often used.

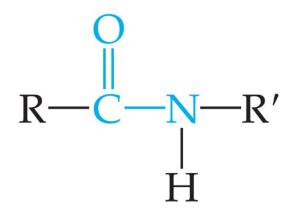
Some common esters

Formula	Common name	IUPAC name	Flavor/odor
O II HC-O-CH ₂ -CH ₃	ethyl formate	ethyl methanoate	rum
O II H ₃ C-C-O-CH ₂ -(CH ₂) ₃ -CH ₃	n-amyl acetate	pentyl ethanoate	pears, bananas
O II H ₃ C-C-O-CH ₂ -CH ₂ -CH(CH ₃) ₂	isoamyl acetate	3-methylbutyl ethanoate	pears, bananas
O II H ₃ C-C-O-CH ₂ -(CH ₂) ₆ -CH ₃	n-octyl acetate	octyl ethanoate	oranges
O II H ₃ C-CH ₂ -C-O-CH ₂ -CH(CH ₃) ₂	isobutyl propionate	2-methylpropyl propanoate	rum
O II H ₃ C-CH ₂ -CH ₂ -C-O-CH ₃	methyl butyrate	methyl butanoate	apples
O II H ₃ C-CH ₂ -CH ₂ -C-O-CH ₂ -CH ₃	ethyl butyrate	ethyl butanoate	pineapples

Amides

Formed by reaction of carboxylic acids with amines.

Last part of compound name is -amide such as ethanamide (or acetamide)



Amines

- Organic bases.
- Generally have strong, unpleasant odors.
- Last part of compound name is –amine

(Note: common names are often used)

CH₃CH₂NH₂

 $(CH_3)_3N$

 $\left\langle \bigcirc \right\rangle$ -NH₂

Ethylamine

Ethanamine

Trimethylamine

Phenylamine Aniline