

Electromagnetic Radiation:**Infrared (IR) Spectroscopy – Background only:**

$E = hc/\lambda = h\nu$, energy is quantized

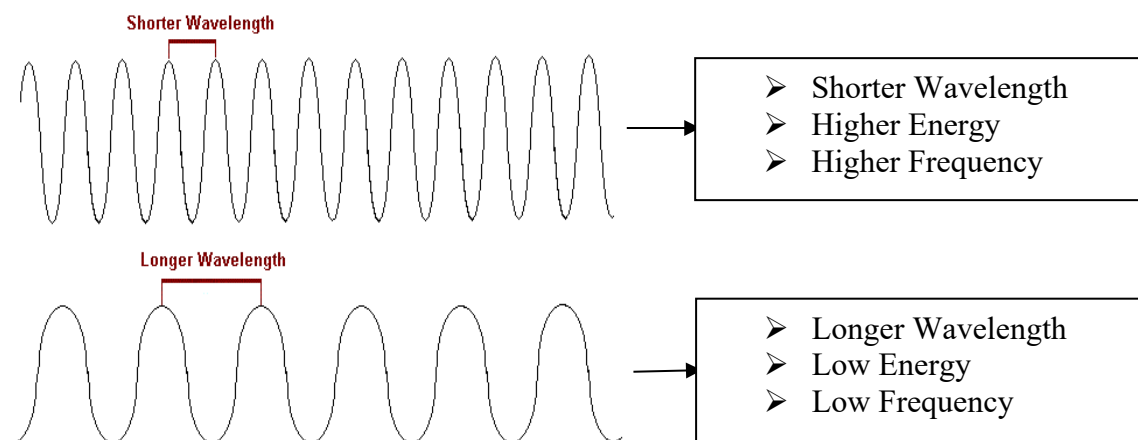
E = Energy

h = Planck's Constant = 6.6×10^{-34} joules/sec

ν = Frequency

λ = Wavelength

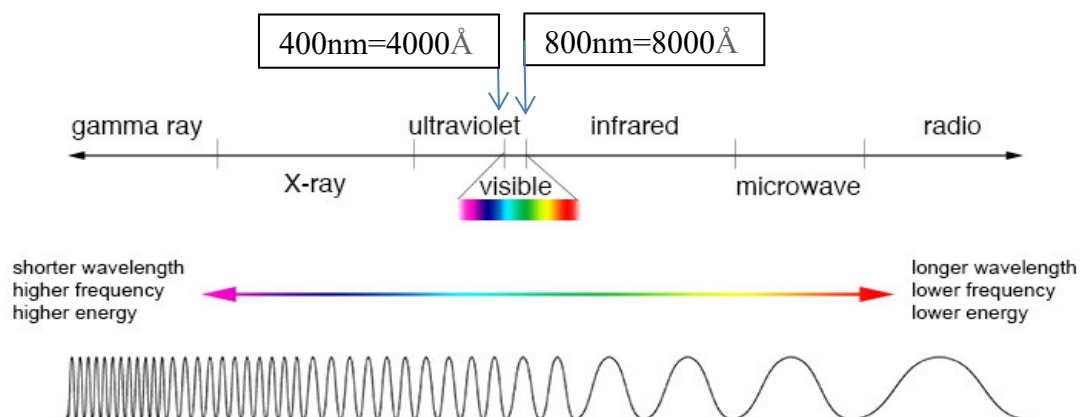
c = Speed of light = 3.0×10^{10} cm/sec



NB: There is an inverse relationship between wavelength and frequency.

Electromagnetic Spectrum:

NB: 1nm = 10 angstrom



UV and visible light: conjugated double bond systems

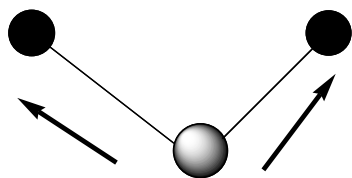
e.g. C=C bonds absorb UV light and some visible light

Infrared Radiation: bond stretching and bending modes

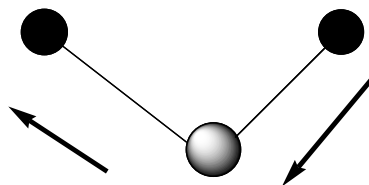
- Measured in wavenumbers (cm^{-1})

- Defined as cycles/second

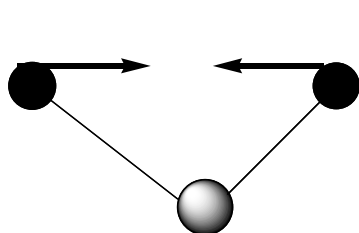
e.g. O-H bond can be seen around $\sim 3400\text{cm}^{-1}$ in an IR spectrum



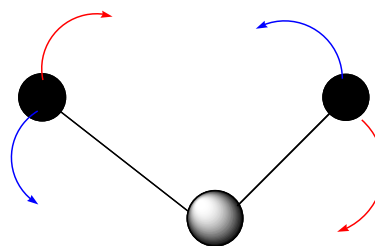
SYMMETRIC STRETCHING



ASYMMETRIC STRETCHING



IN PLANE BENDING
(SCISSORING)



OUT OF PLANE BENDING
(TWISTING)

IR is Background Only - NOT on Midterm for Lecture Part

NEXT SECTION: Lecture Outline 2: ALKANES

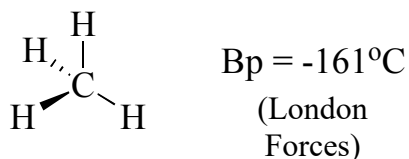
Hydrocarbons – Compounds that contain only C and H

- Alkanes contain only single bonds (C-H, C-C), sp^3
- Alkenes = Olefins (C=C), sp^2
- Alkynes = Acetylenes (C \equiv C), sp

Alkanes

- All carbons are sp^3 hybridized (optimal bond angle of 109°)
- Single bonds (σ bonds).
- Tetrahedral geometry at every carbon
- Held together by London (dispersion) forces

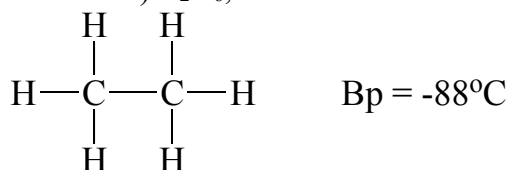
Ex #1) CH₄, methane



BP = -164°C

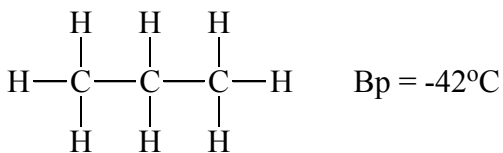
CH₄ H₄C CH₃-H

Ex #2) C₂H₆, ethane



C₂H₆ CH₃-CH₃ BP = -88°C
H₃C-CH₃

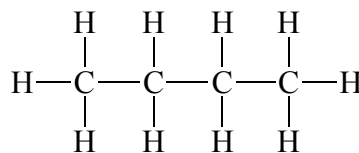
Ex #3) C₃H₈, propane

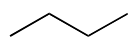
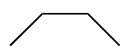


C₃H₈ CH₃CH₂CH₃  H₃C 

BP = -42°C

Ex #4) C₄H₁₀, butane

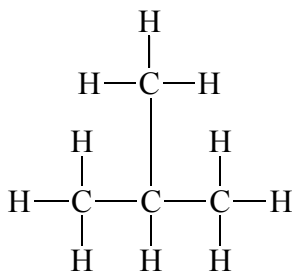


 
C₄H₁₀, CH₃CH₂CH₂CH₃

n-Butane: normal straight chain butane

NOTE: Propane has a boiling point of -42°C , which is higher than methane because its chain-like structure allows for more surface area for London dispersion forces to take effect.

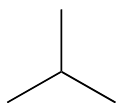
Ex #5) C_4H_{10} , isobutane or i-Butane



- Isomers are different compounds that have the same molecular formula and different structure. They have different physical properties (e.g. mp, bp, odour, biological effects)

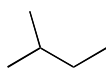
- iso - mers
same - parts

one type: structural (same as constitutional)

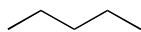


structural isomer = constitutional isomer

Ex #6) Pentane



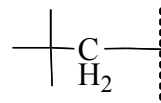
(isopentane or
2-methylbutane)



n - pentane



Neopentane

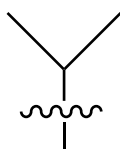


Neo Group

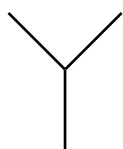
Systematic (IUPAC) Nomenclature

RULES:

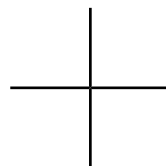
1. Find the longest straight chain
2. Number from end of the chain, so that the 1st branch point has the lowest number
3. Name the chain, then add prefixes (for the groups attached) with number and name the groups attached
4. Separate numbers and names by dash



isopropyl



isobutane
2-methylpropane



neopentane
2,2-dimethylpropane

Note: iso = second-to-last carbon of the chain is disubstituted (2 methyl groups)
 neo = second-to-last carbon of the chain is trisubstituted (3 methyl groups)

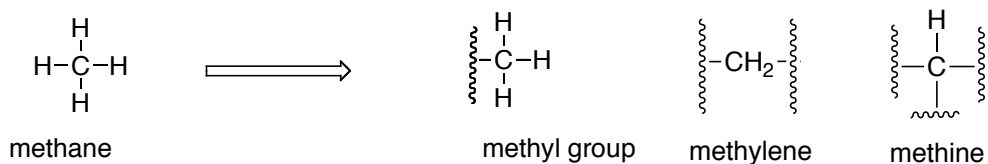
Prefixes for naming:

Di (2), Tri (3), Tetra (4), Penta (5), Hexa (6) etc.

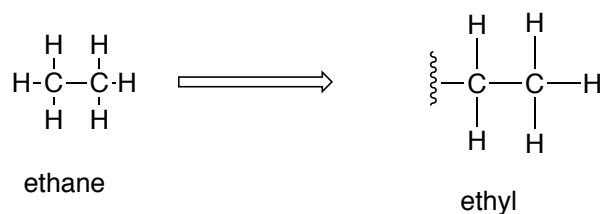
Groups (part of an alkane structure)

- In naming the particular group, drop the “ane” part and add “yl” to the name
- For example, methane → methyl

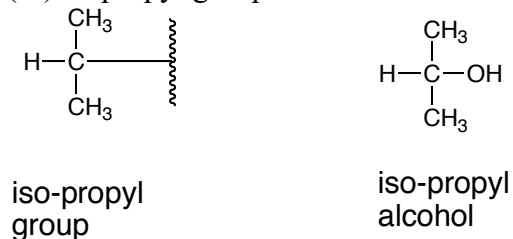
(i) Methyl group – CH₃



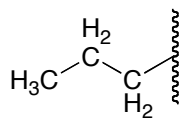
(ii) Ethyl group – CH₂CH₃



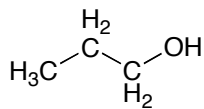
(iii) Isopropyl group



(iv) *n*-Propyl group

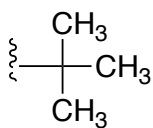


n-propyl chain

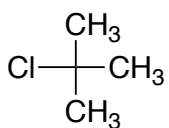


n-propyl alcohol

(v) *tert*-Butyl group (t-butyl)

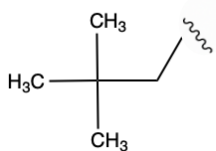


tert-Butyl chain

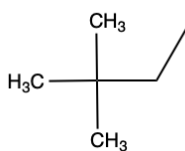


tert-Butyl chloride

(vi) neo group

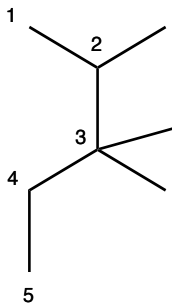


neo chain

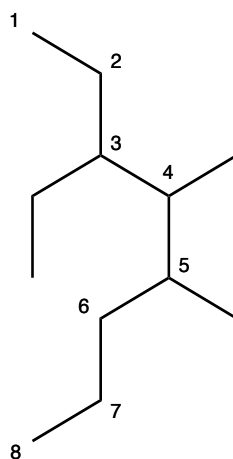


2,2-dimethylbutane

Naming Examples:



2,3,3-trimethylpentane



3,5-diethyl-4-methyloctane

Cycloalkanes:

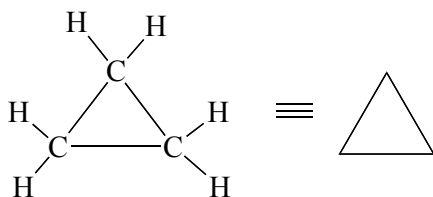
General Molecular Formula of Alkanes

- Linear alkanes: general formula is C_NH_{2N+2}
- Each deviation of 2 hydrogens from the C_NH_{2N+2} formula is a **degree of unsaturation**
- Cycloalkanes always have at least 1 degree of unsaturation
 - e.g.
 - o 1 Degree of unsaturation: C_NH_{2N} Alkanes with one ring or double bond
 - o 2 Degrees of unsaturation: C_NH_{2N-2} Alkanes with two rings or double bonds, or one each

Note: Ring Structure Naming

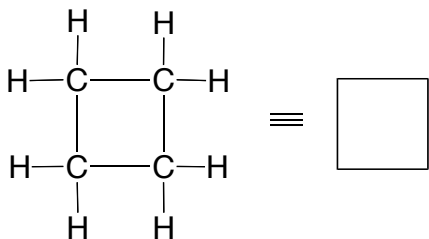
- Prefix with "cyclo"
- Start with numbering at point of maximum branching/most important functional group
- Number so as to give next branch/functional group lowest number

Cyclopropane, C_3H_6

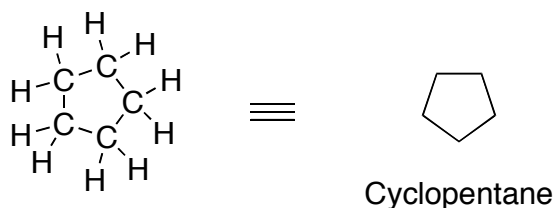


- One degree of unsaturation (*n*-propane is C_3H_8)
 - Not a structural isomer (different molecular formula)
- C-C-C bond angle (60°)
- Highly reactive due to ring strain (sp^3 carbons prefer to be 109°)

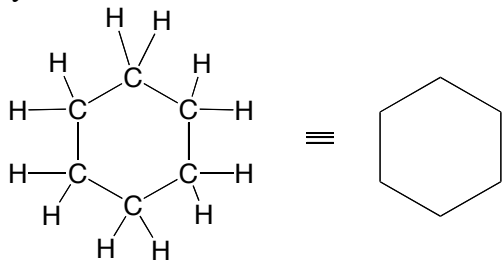
Cyclobutane, C_4H_8

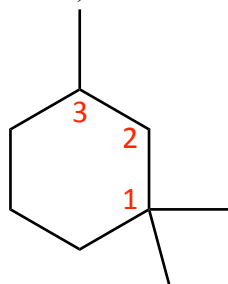


Cyclopentane, C_5H_{10}



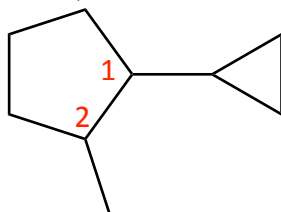
Cyclohexane, C_6H_{12}



Examples of Naming Cycloalkanes:Ex #1) C_9H_{18} 

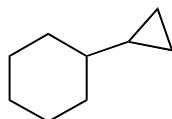
1,1,3-trimethylcyclohexane

Degree of Unsaturation= 1

Ex #2) C_8H_{14} 

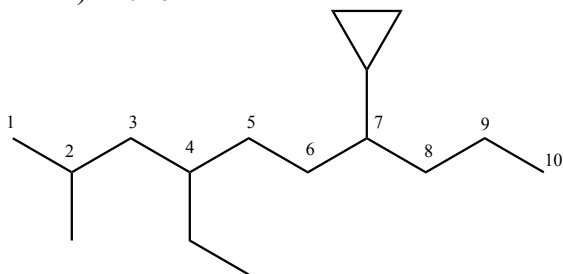
1-cyclopropyl-2-methylcyclopentane

Degree of Unsaturation= 2

Ex #3) C_9H_{16} 

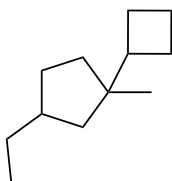
1-Cyclopropylcyclohexane

Degree of Unsaturation= 2

Ex #4) $C_{16}H_{32}$ 

7-cyclopropyl-4-ethyl-2-methyldecane

Degree of Unsaturation= 1

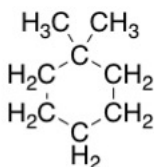
Ex #5) $C_{12}H_{22}$ 

Degree of Unsaturation= 2

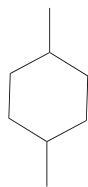
1-Cyclobutyl-3-ethyl-1-methylcyclopentane

ISOMERS**Structural (Constitutional) Isomers**

Share the same molecular formula but have the atomic bonds in different places

 C_8H_{16}

1,1-dimethylcyclohexane

 C_8H_{16}

1,4-dimethylcyclohexane

The above two compounds are structural (also known as constitutional) isomers

Structural or constitutional isomers

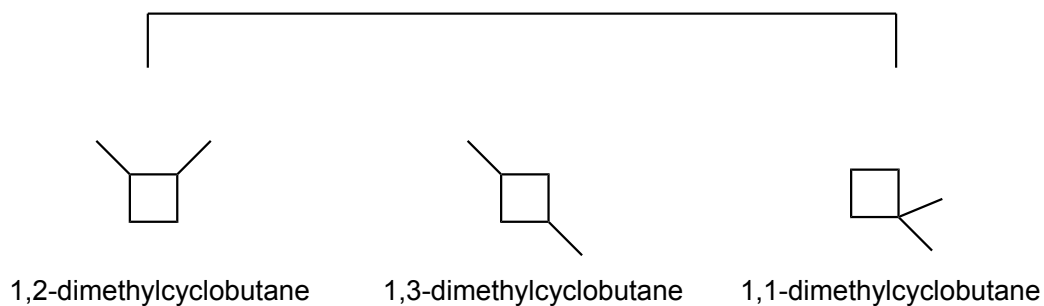


1,1,3-trimethylcyclopentane

1,1,2-trimethylcyclopentane

1,2,3-trimethylcyclopentane

Structural or constitutional isomers

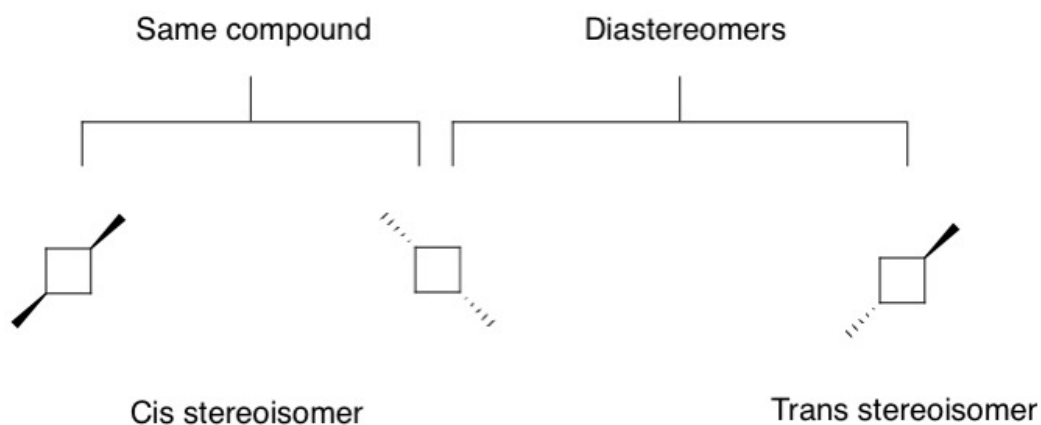
**Stereoisomers**

Compounds with the same molecular formula, same order of connection (base name) but connection of atoms that differ in 3D geometry

Two Types:

1. Diastereomers - stereoisomers that are not mirror images
2. Enantiomers - stereoisomers that are non-superposable mirror images of each other

Example: 1,3 dimethylcyclobutane

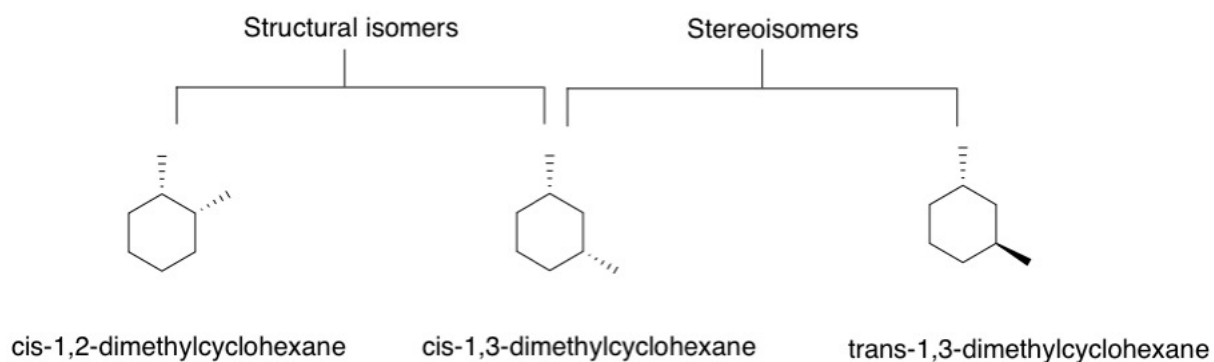


The first and second compounds are the same compound rotated in 3D space. The third compound has different geometry at one center, making it a stereoisomer, specifically a diastereomer.

Cis - the substituents are on the same side of the ring

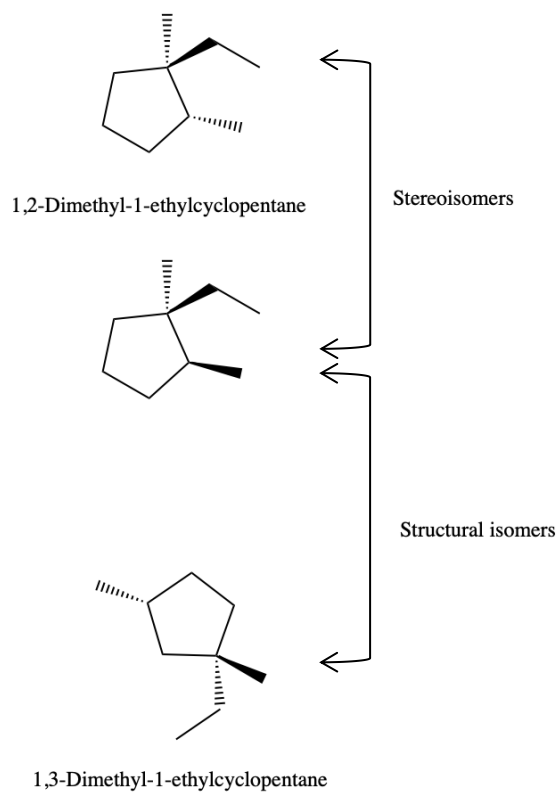
Trans - the substituents are on opposite sides of the ring

Example: 1,2-dimethylcyclohexane and 1,3-dimethylcyclohexane



The second two compounds are diastereomers of each other.

Example:



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