

CHIMICA ORGANICA I

Organizzazione

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Organizzazione

8 CFU / 64 ore

Lezioni frontali (teoria) ed esercizi

Lavagna/power point

Raccomandato prendere appunti e usare un libro.

Libri di testo

John McMurry
Chimica Organica
PICCIN-NUOVA LIBRARIA

D'Auria M.V.; Tagliatela Scafati O.;
Zampella A.

Guida ragionata allo svolgimento di
esercizi di chimica organica

LOGHIA

Brown W.H.; Foote, C.S.; Iverson, B.L.
Chimica Organica
EdiSES

Janice Gorzynski Smith
Organic Chemistry
McGraw-Hill

Vollhardt K. Peter; Schore Neil E.
Chimica organica
Zanichelli

Solomons T.W. Graham;
Fryhle Craig B.
Chimica organica
Zanichelli

Seyhan N. Ege
Chimica Organica: Struttura e
reattività
Idelson-Gnocchi

Modalità di esame

Scritto e orale

Scritto: 2 verifiche in itinere o prova scritta in appello

Esito: ammesso o non ammesso alla prova orale

In caso di superamento il voto resta valido per tutto l'anno accademico (fino alla sessione straordinaria)

Orale: negli appelli ufficiali

Prerequisiti: aver superato l'esame di Chimica Generale ed Inorganica

L' ATTUALE SITUAZIONE LEGATA AL COVID E ALLA SUA EVOLUZIONE POTREBBERO INFLUIRE SULL' ORGANIZZAZIONE DEL CORSO E SULLE MODALITA' DI ESAME. QUESTI ASPETTI VERRANNO DISCUSSI CON IL DOCENTE

Obiettivi formativi

Acquisire le conoscenze di base su:

- struttura e legame di molecole organiche semplici (monofunzionali),
- meccanismi delle principali reazioni organiche,
- reattività dei principali gruppi funzionali,
- sintesi delle principali classi di composti organici,
- proprietà stereochimiche delle molecole organiche e chiralità.

Materiale in Moodle

ORGANIC CHEMISTRY = Chemistry of Carbon Compounds



Joseph Proust 1754-1826

The Inorganic World
Non-Living Entities
Rational Laws

Organic World
Living Entities
Vital Spark

Inorganic Compounds:
Es. NH_3 , H_2O
Definite Proportions

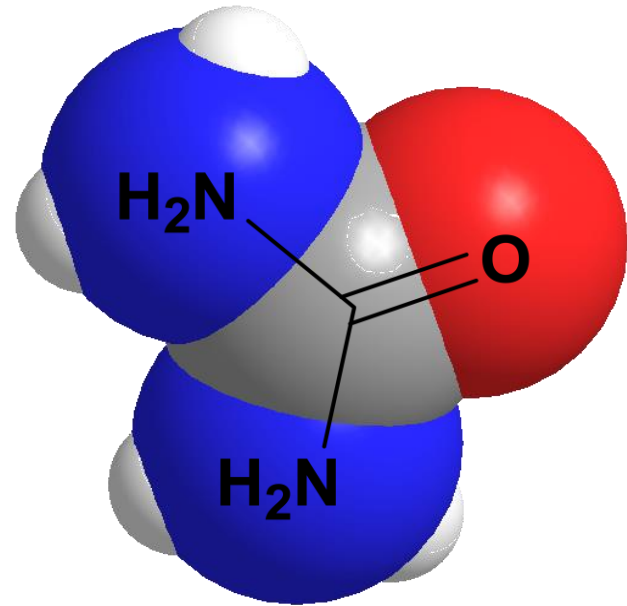
Organic World: Es. CH_4 , C_2H_6 , C_3H_8 ,
 C_2H_4
 C_2H_2

Similar properties but different proportions:
Vitalism!

1828: The End of Vitalism



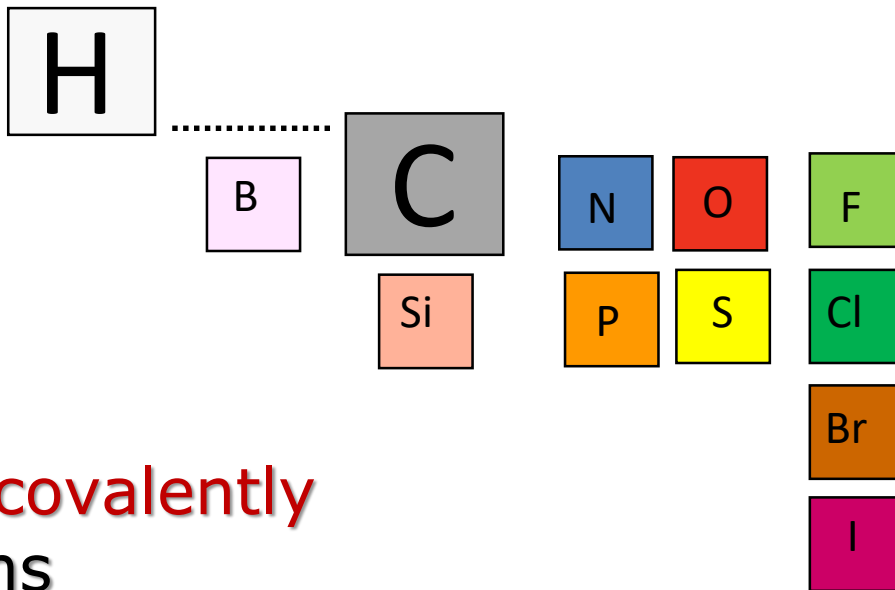
Friedrich Woehler
1800-1882



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ORGANIC CHEMISTRY = Chemistry of Covalent Carbon Compounds



- Carbon Compounds **covalently** bonded to other atoms

H B N O Si P S F Cl Br I

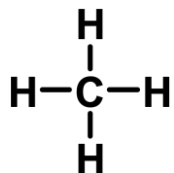
Heteroatoms

Organic Compounds are Ubiquitous

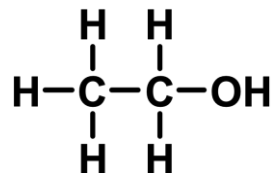
There are approximately 60.000.000 organic molecules.

- Biomolecules: *carbohydrates, lipids, proteins and nucleic acids.*
- Materials: *cotton, paper, wood, leather, silk, wool, benzine, mineral oils.*
- Synthetic molecules and materials: *drugs, plastics, paints, dyes, artificial fibres, fertilizers, aromas, cosmetics, detergents, perfumes, sweeteners, etc.*

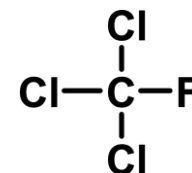
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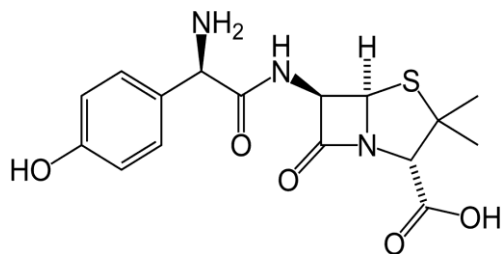
Methane



Ethanol

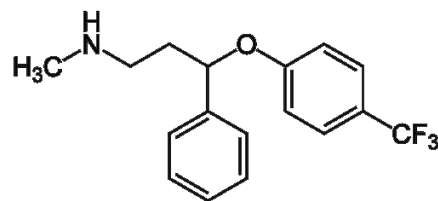


Trichlorofluoromethane



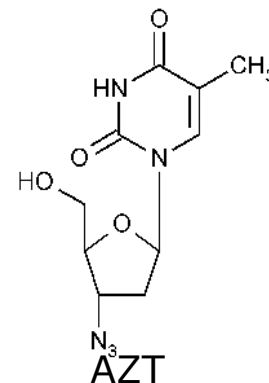
Amoxicillin

(2*S*,5*R*,6*R*)-6-(2-amino-2-(4-hydroxyphenyl)acetamido)-3,3-dimethyl-7-oxo-4-thia-1-azabicyclo[3.2.0]heptane-2-carboxylic acid



Fluoxetin
Prozac

N-methyl-3-phenyl-3-[4-(trifluoromethyl)phenoxy]propan-1-amine



3'-azido-3'-deoxythymidine

The Carbon Atom

- Atomic Number: 6
- 2 Isotopes
 - ^{12}C (98,9%): 6 protons, 6 neutrons
 - ^{13}C (1,1%): 6 protons, 7 neutrons
- Electron Configuration: $1s^2 2s^2 2p^2$

1. Carbon Forms Covalent Bonds With Many Other Elements

1 H Hydrogen 1.0																	2 He Helium 4.0
3 Li Lithium 6.9	4 Be Beryllium 9.0											5 B Boron 10.8	6 C Carbon 12.0	7 N Nitrogen 14.0	8 O Oxygen 16.0	9 F Fluorine 19.0	10 Ne Neon 20.2
11 Na Sodium 23.0	12 Mg Magnesium 24.3											13 Al Aluminum 27.0	14 Si Silicon 28.1	15 P Phosphorus 31.0	16 S Sulfur 32.1	17 Cl Chlorine 35.5	18 Ar Argon 40.0
19 K Potassium 39.1	20 Ca Calcium 40.2	21 Sc Scandium 45.0	22 Ti Titanium 47.9	23 V Vanadium 50.9	24 Cr Chromium 52.0	25 Mn Manganese 54.9	26 Fe Iron 55.9	27 Co Cobalt 58.9	28 Ni Nickel 58.7	29 Cu Copper 63.5	30 Zn Zinc 65.4	31 Ga Gallium 69.7	32 Ge Germanium 72.6	33 As Arsenic 74.9	34 Se Selenium 79.0	35 Br Bromine 79.9	36 Kr Krypton 83.8
37 Rb Rubidium 85.5	38 Sr Strontium 87.6	39 Y Yttrium 88.9	40 Zr Zirconium 91.2	41 Nb Niobium 92.9	42 Mo Molybdenum 95.9	43 Tc Technetium 99	44 Ru Ruthenium 101.0	45 Rh Rhodium 102.9	46 Pd Palladium 106.4	47 Ag Silver 107.9	48 Cd Cadmium 112.4	49 In Indium 114.8	50 Sn Tin 118.7	51 Sb Antimony 121.8	52 Te Tellurium 127.6	53 I Iodine 126.9	54 Xe Xenon 131.3
55 Cs Caesium 132.9	56 Ba Barium 137.4	57-71 Lanthanides	72 Hf Hafnium 178.5	73 Ta Tantalum 181.0	74 W Tungsten 183.9	75 Re Rhenium 186.2	76 Os Osmium 190.2	77 Ir Iridium 192.2	78 Pt Platinum 195.1	79 Au Gold 197.0	80 Hg Mercury 200.6	81 Tl Thallium 204.4	82 Pb Lead 207.2	83 Bi Bismuth 209.0	84 Po Polonium 210.0	85 At Astatine 210.0	86 Rn Radon 222.0
87 Fr Francium 223.0	88 Ra Radium 226.0	89-103 Actinides	104 Rf Rutherfordium 261	105 Db Dubnium 262	106 Sg Seaborgium 263	107 Bh Bohrium 262	108 Hs Hassium 265	109 Mt Meitnerium 266	110 Uun Ununnilium 272								

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89 Ac Actinium 132.9	90 Th Thorium 232.0	91 Pa Protactinium 231.0	92 U Uranium 238.0	93 Np Neptunium 237.0	94 Pu Plutonium 242.0	95 Am Americium 243.0	96 Cm Curium 247.0	97 Bk Berkelium 247.0	98 Cf Californium 251.0	99 Es Einsteinium 254.0	100 Fm Fermium 253.0	101 Md Mendelevium 256.0	102 No Nobelium 254.0	103 Lr Lawrencium 257.0

2. Carbon Is Tetravalent

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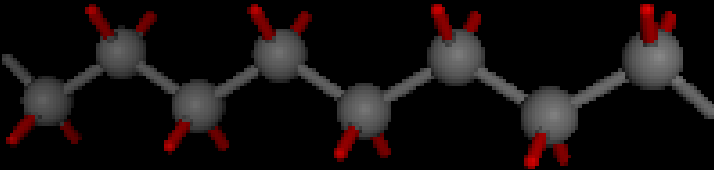
3. Carbon Forms Very Strong Bonds

Bond	Bond Dissociation Energy (kJ/M)
C—C	360
C—H	400-550
C—O	350-400
C—N	360
N—N	250
O—O	180

4 Carbon forms chains

Energy (kJ/mol)

C-C 360
 N-N 230-280
 O-O 160-200



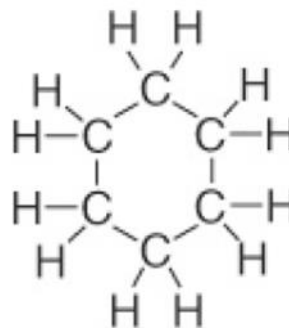
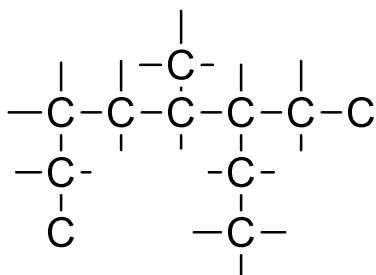
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$2s^2 2p^2$

$3s^2 3p^4$

3. Carbon Forms Branched Chains and Cyclic Structures



5. Carbon Forms Multiple Bonds

Bond	Bond Dissociation Energy (kJ/M)
$\text{C}—\text{C}$	360
$\text{C}=\text{C}$	700
$\text{C}\equiv\text{C}$	950
$\text{C}—\text{O}$	400
$\text{C}=\text{O}$	750
$\text{C}—\text{N}$	360
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Organic Chemistry

- Structure
- Reactivity
- *Structure and reactivity are correlated.*

STRUCTURE



REACTIVITY

Goals

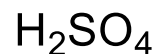
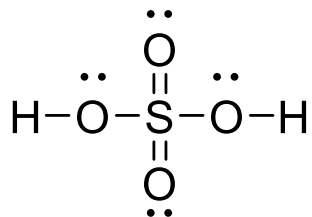
- Assign Structure and Name to Organic Compounds.
- Predict:
 - The tridimensional structure
 - The effects on reactivity (reaction rates and equilibrium constants)
- Design simple synthetic pathways
- Communicate with an appropriate language

Drawing molecules

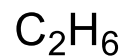
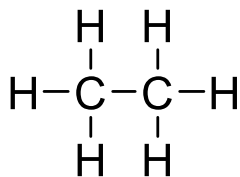
Molecular Formula

structural

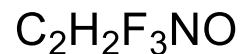
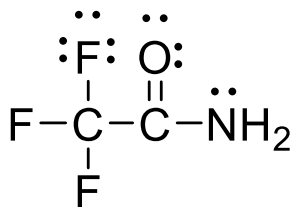
empirical



Sulfuric acid



Ethane

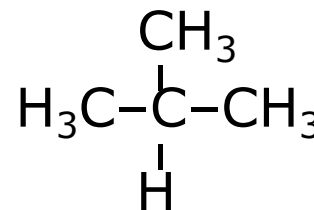
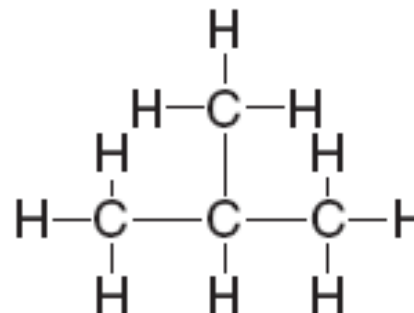
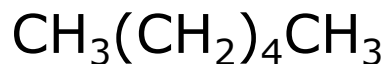
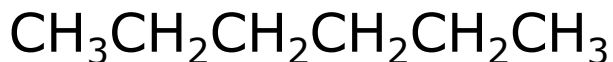
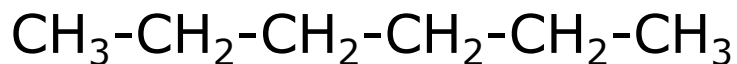
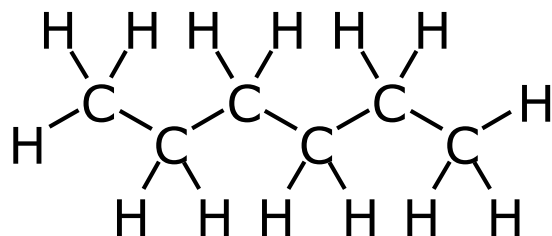


Trifluoroacetamide

General empirical formula of organic compounds: $\text{C}_C\text{H}_H\text{Br}_{Br}\text{Cl}_{Cl}\text{F}_F\text{I}_I\text{N}_N\text{O}_O$

Condensed Formula

- Different degrees of condensation



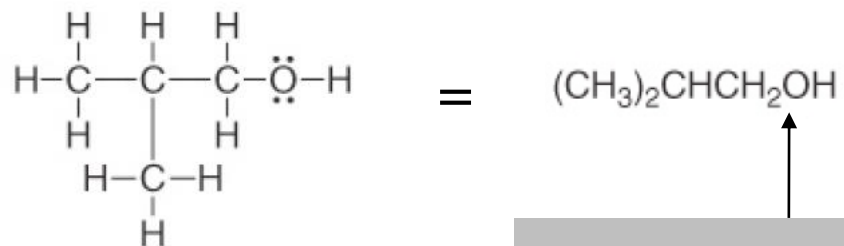
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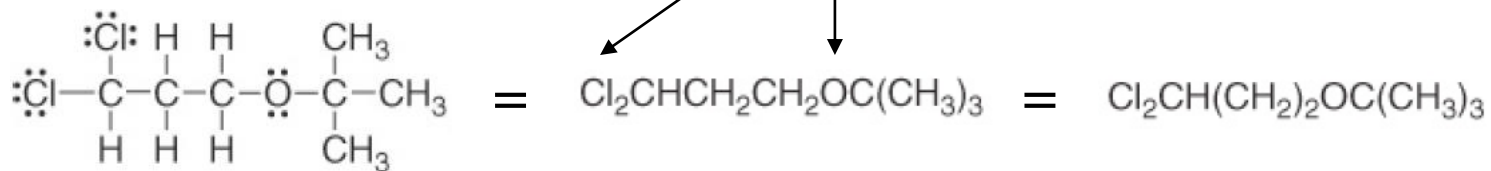
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The double bond is maintained

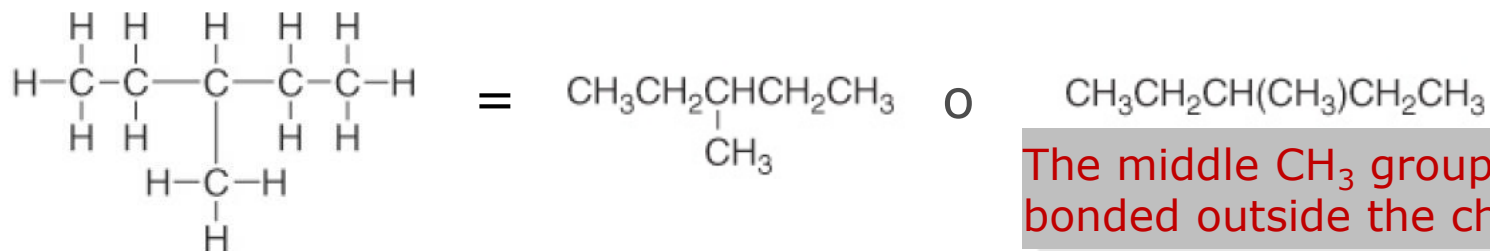


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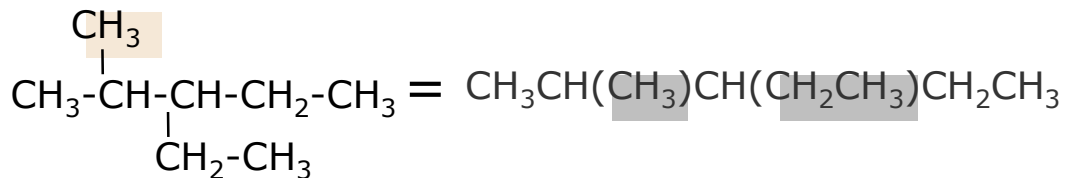


Condensed Formula

- Complex structures can be written on a single line using parentheses.



The middle CH₃ group is bonded outside the chain

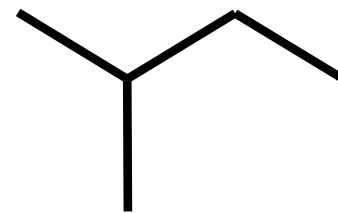


Branched alkanes

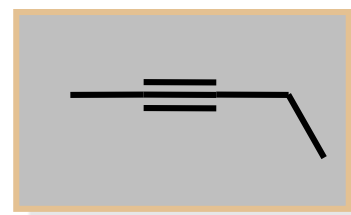
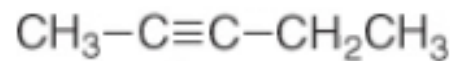
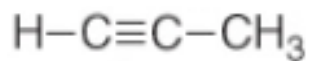
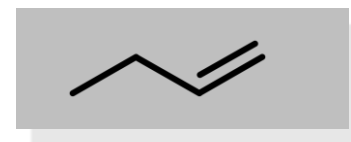
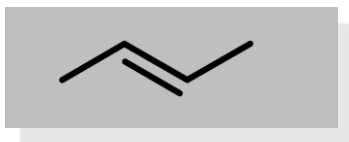
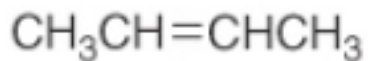
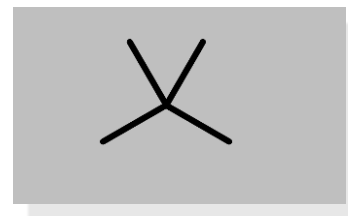
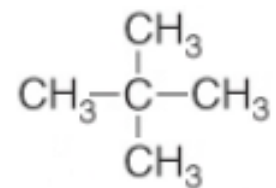
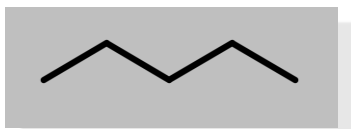
Skeletal (Linear) Formula

Minimal, non ambiguous, information

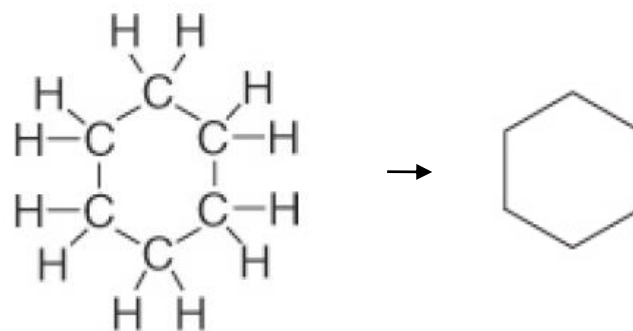
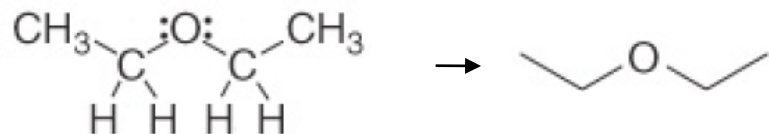
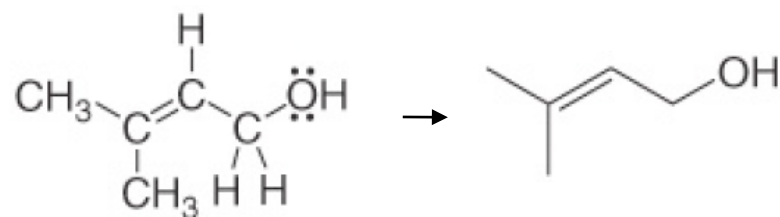
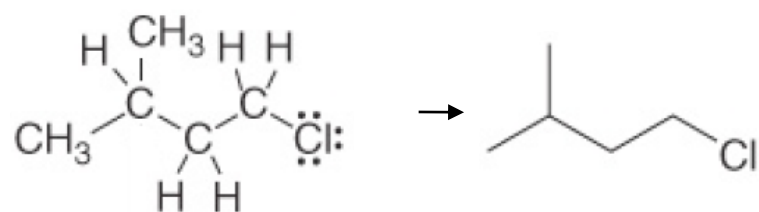
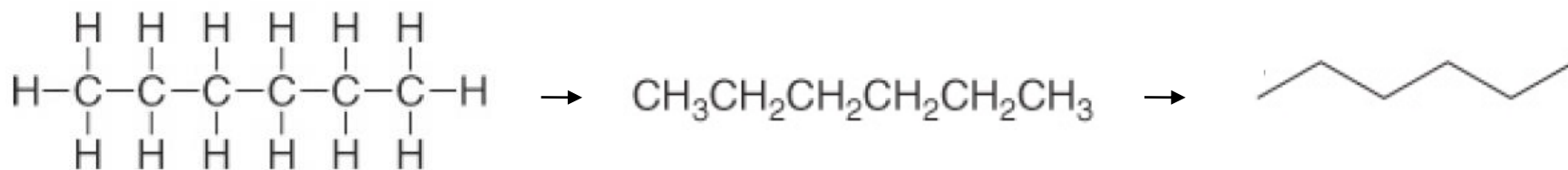
- Carbon atoms are omitted and lie on interceptions between bonds and at the end of the chain.
- Hydrogen atoms are omitted. Each carbon atom free valence is saturated with hydrogens.
- Atoms other than C and H (heteroatoms) are not omitted.



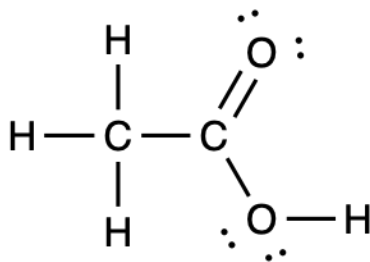
Skeletal (Linear) Formula



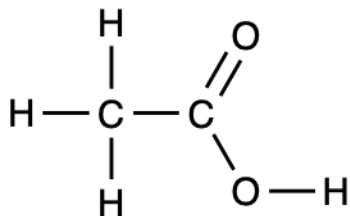
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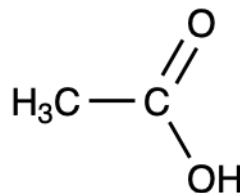
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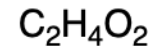
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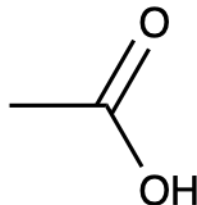
Structural Formula



Condensed Formula

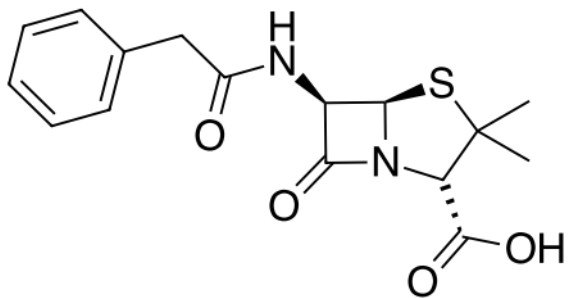


Empirical
Formula

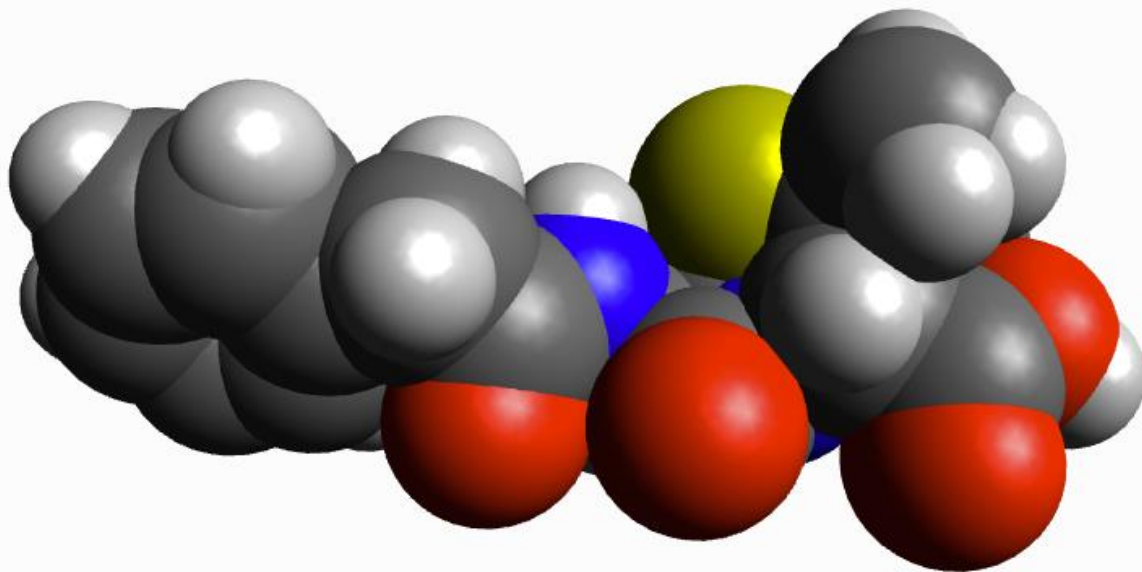
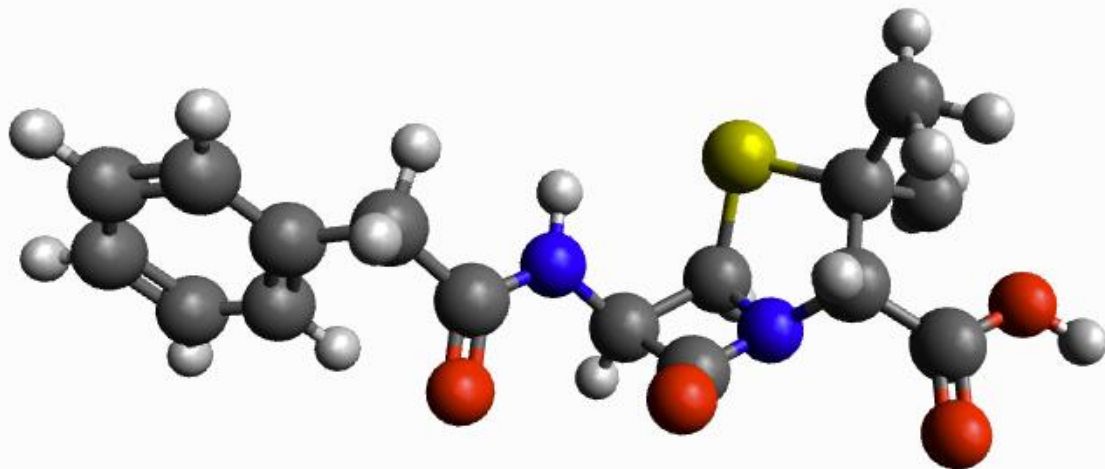


Skeletal Formula

Molecular Models



Benzylpenicillin
(penicillin G)



Element Coloring Scheme

H																	He
Li	Be											B	C	N	O	F	Ne
Na	Mg											Al	Si	P	S	Cl	Ar
K	Ca	Sc	Ti	V	Cr	Mn	Fe	Co	Ni	Cu	Zn	Ga	Ge	As	Se	Br	Kr
Rb	Sr	Y	Zr	Nb	Mo	Tc	Ru	Rh	Pd	Ag	Cd	In	Sn	Sb	Te	I	Xe
Cs	Ba	L*	Hf	Ta	W	Re	Os	Ir	Pt	Au	Hg	Tl	Pb	Bi	Po	At	Rn
Fr	Ra	A*	Rf	Db	Sg	Bh	Hs	Mt									

(L:)	La	Ce	Pr	Nd	Pm	Sm	Eu	Gd	Tb	Dy	Ho	Er	Tm	Yb	Lu
(A:)	Ac	Th	Pa	U	Np	Pu	Am	Cm	Bk	Cf	Es	Fm	Md	No	Lr

Atomic Structure and Bonding

Chapter 1

Organic Chemistry, *8th Edition*

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Common Elements

Groups	1A	2A		3A	4A	5A	6A	7A	8A
First row	H								
Second row	Li			B	C	N	O	F	
	Na	Mg			Si	P	S	Cl	
	K							Br	
								I	

In most organic molecules carbon is combined with relatively few elements

Columns

Lewis Model

- Bonds are made by localised electron pairs.
- In Lewis structures electrons are represented as dots.
- Three general rules.
 - Include only valence electrons.
 - If possible, every 2nd row element should have 8 electrons.
 - Every H atom has 2 electrons.

2 electrons (He)

8 electrons (Ne)



Lewis
structure

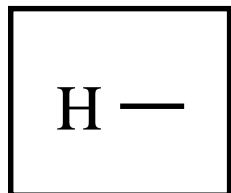


Kekulé
structure

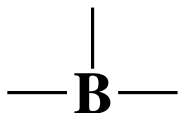
Lewis Symbols for elements

I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII
H·							He
Li·	·Be·	·B·	·C·	·N·	:O:	:F:	:Ne:
Na·	·Mg·	·Al·	·Si·	·P·	:S:	:Cl:	:Ar:
K·	·Ca·		·Ge·	·As·	:Se:	:Br:	:Kr:
			·Sn·	·Sb·	:Te:	:I:	:Xe:

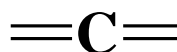
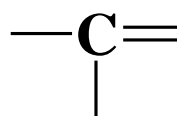
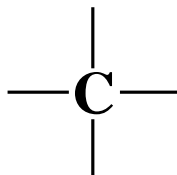
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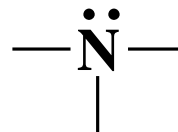
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no pairs



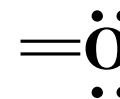
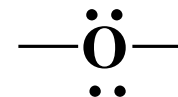
trivalent
no pairs



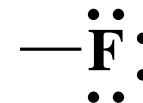
tetravalent
no pairs



trivalent
one pair



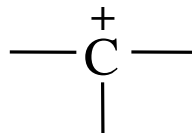
bivalent
two pairs



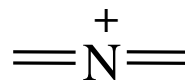
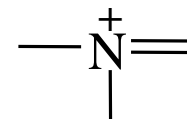
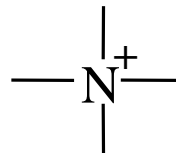
monovalent
three pairs

Bonding Patterns for ions

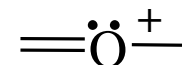
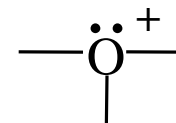
CATIONS



trivalent
no pairs

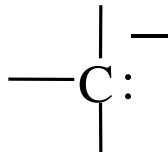


tetravalent
no pairs

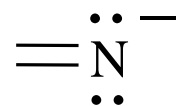
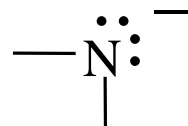


trivalent
one pair

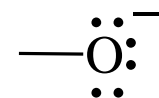
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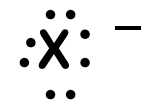
trivalent
one pair



bivalent
two pairs



monovalent
one pair



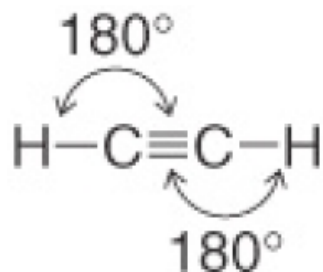
Geometry – VSEPR Theory

- The number of *Valence Shell Electron Pairs* (groups) around an atom defines the geometry of that atom.
- A group is an atom or a non bonding pair of electrons.
- Groups will tend to be as far apart as possible.

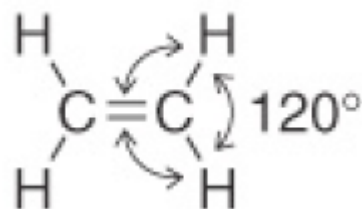
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3	trigonal planar	120°
4	tetrahedral	109.5°

Geometry – VSEPR Theory

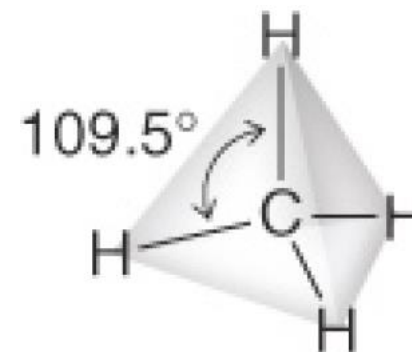
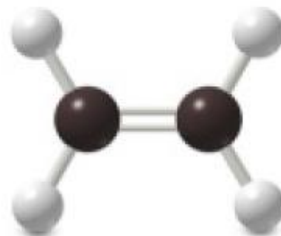
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acetylene



ethylene

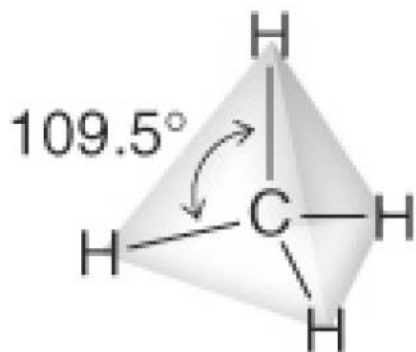


methane



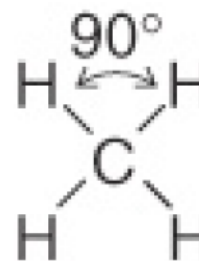
4 groups: CH₄

Tetrahedral



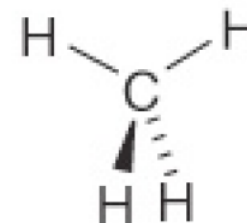
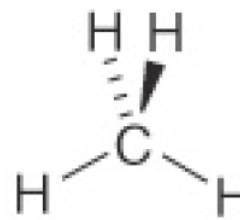
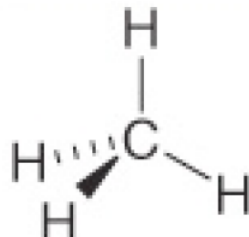
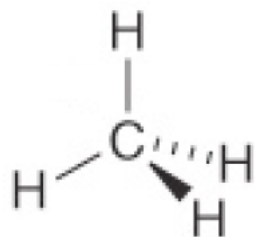
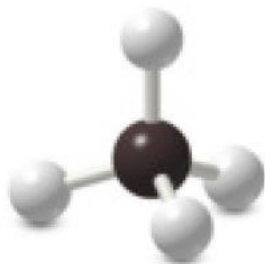
Preferred

Square planar



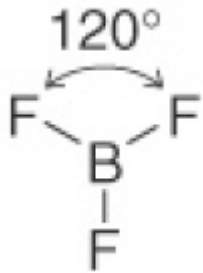
Not observed

Tridimensional representations of methane



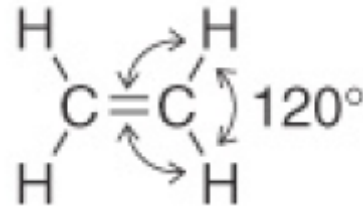
3 groups: BF_3 and C_2H_4

2 trigonal molecules



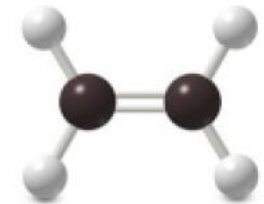
3 atoms around B

All 3 atoms are in the plane



3 atoms around each C

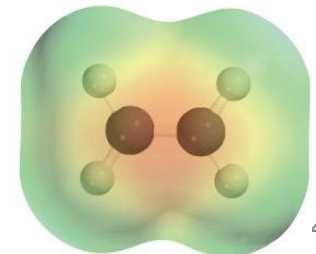
All 6 atoms are in the plane



ball-and-stick model

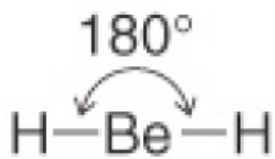


space-filling model

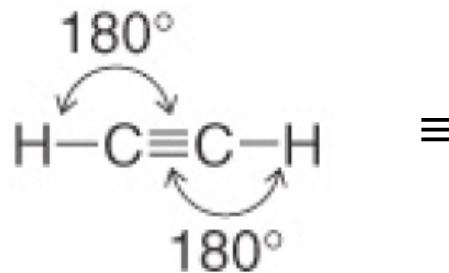


2 groups: BeH_2 and C_2H_2

2 linear molecules



2 atoms around Be



2 atoms around each C



Energies of Multiple Bonds

Bond	Bond Dissociation Energy (kJ/M)
C—C	360
C=C	700
C≡C	950
C—O	400
C=O	750
C—N	360
C=N	700
C≡N	950

The Lewis model is not adequate!

Models for the Chemical Bond

- **Valence Orbital** theory.

- Covalent bonds are formed by the overlap of two atomic orbitals and the electron pair is shared by both atoms.
- A valence bond is localized between two atoms.

- **Molecular Orbital** theory.

- n atomic orbitals are combined to give a new set of n molecular orbitals (bonding and antibonding).
- Molecular orbitals are delocalized on the whole molecule.

Valence Orbitals

- Bonds are formed by the in-phase overlap of two atomic orbitals each contributing one electron.
- The electron pair is localized between two atoms and is shared by both atoms.
- Hydrogen uses the 1s orbital to form σ bonds.
- 2nd row atoms use hybrid orbitals (sp^3 , sp^2 , sp) to form σ bonds.
- 2nd row atoms use p orbitals to form π bonds that have a nodal plane.
- Atomic orbitals overlap better in σ bonds (co-linear) than in π bonds (parallel).

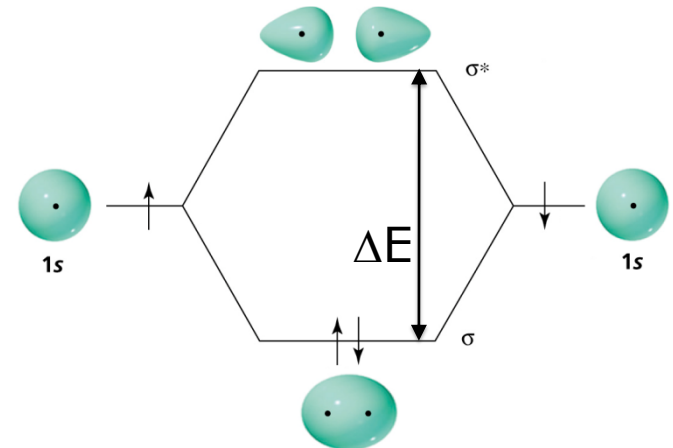
Molecular Orbitals

- Valence electrons occupy molecular orbitals delocalized on the whole molecule.
- The combination of n atomic orbitals gives n new molecular orbitals.
- Bonding orbitals have lower energies and antibonding orbitals have higher energies than the starting atomic orbitals



Robert Mulliken
(1896-1986)

The H₂ molecule:



Atomic Orbitals of Carbon

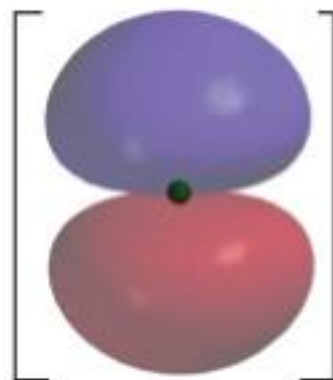
$1s^2 2s^2 2p^2$



s



p

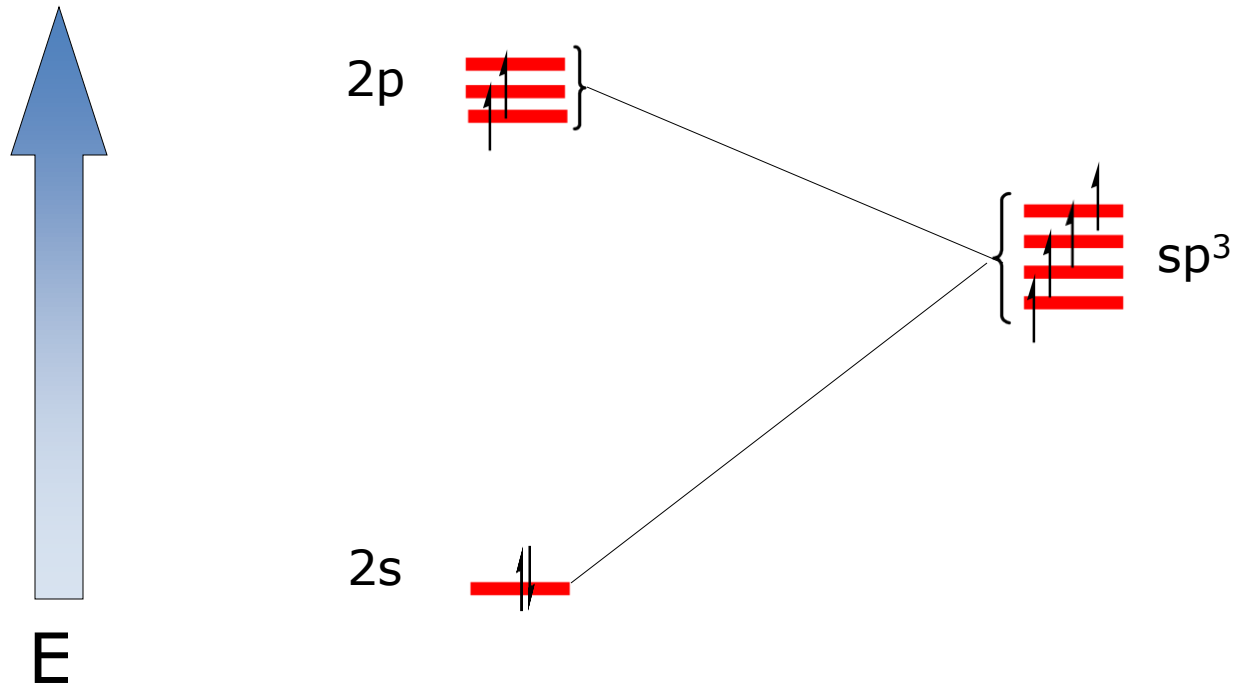


2p



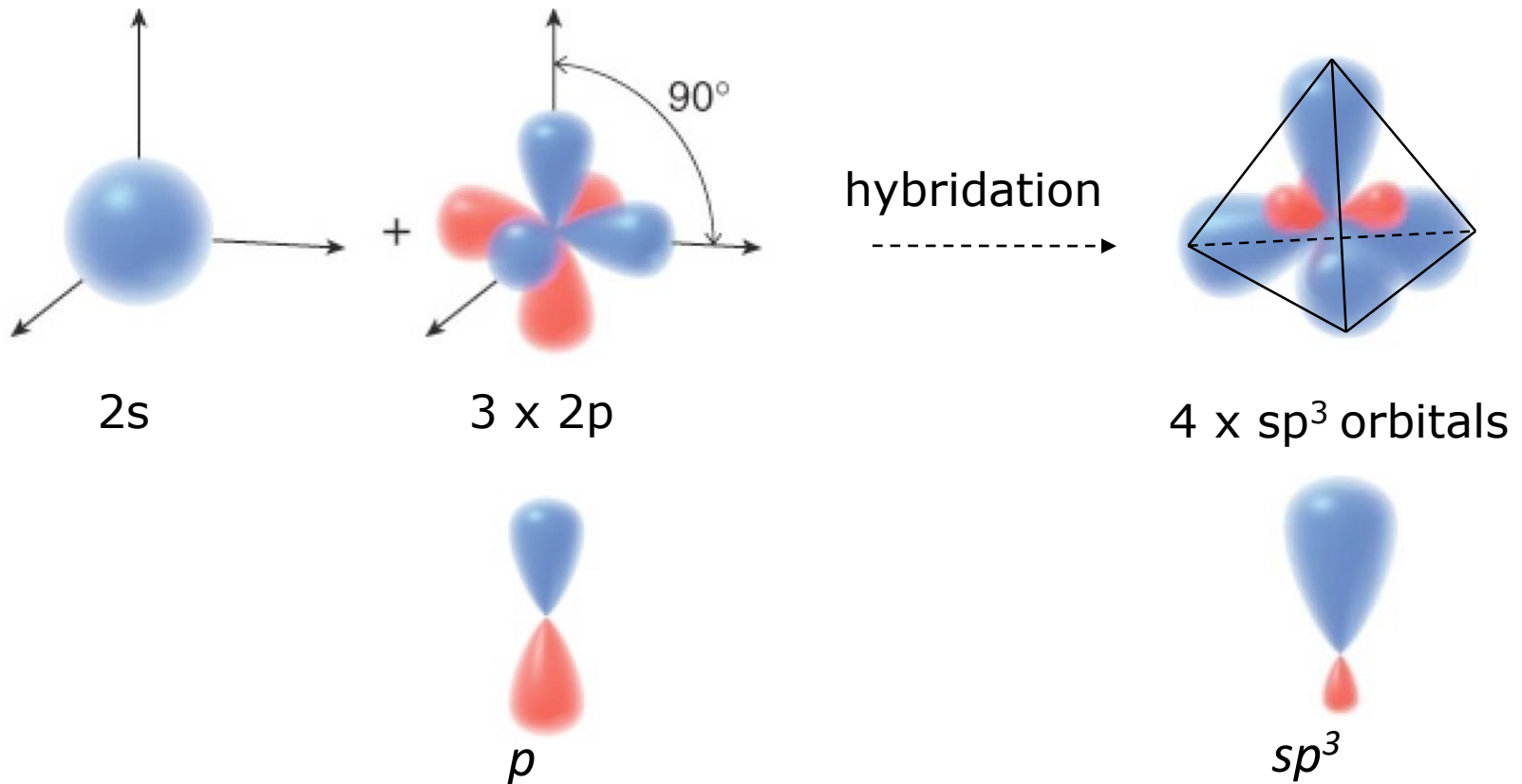
3 x 2p orbitals

sp^3 Hybrids



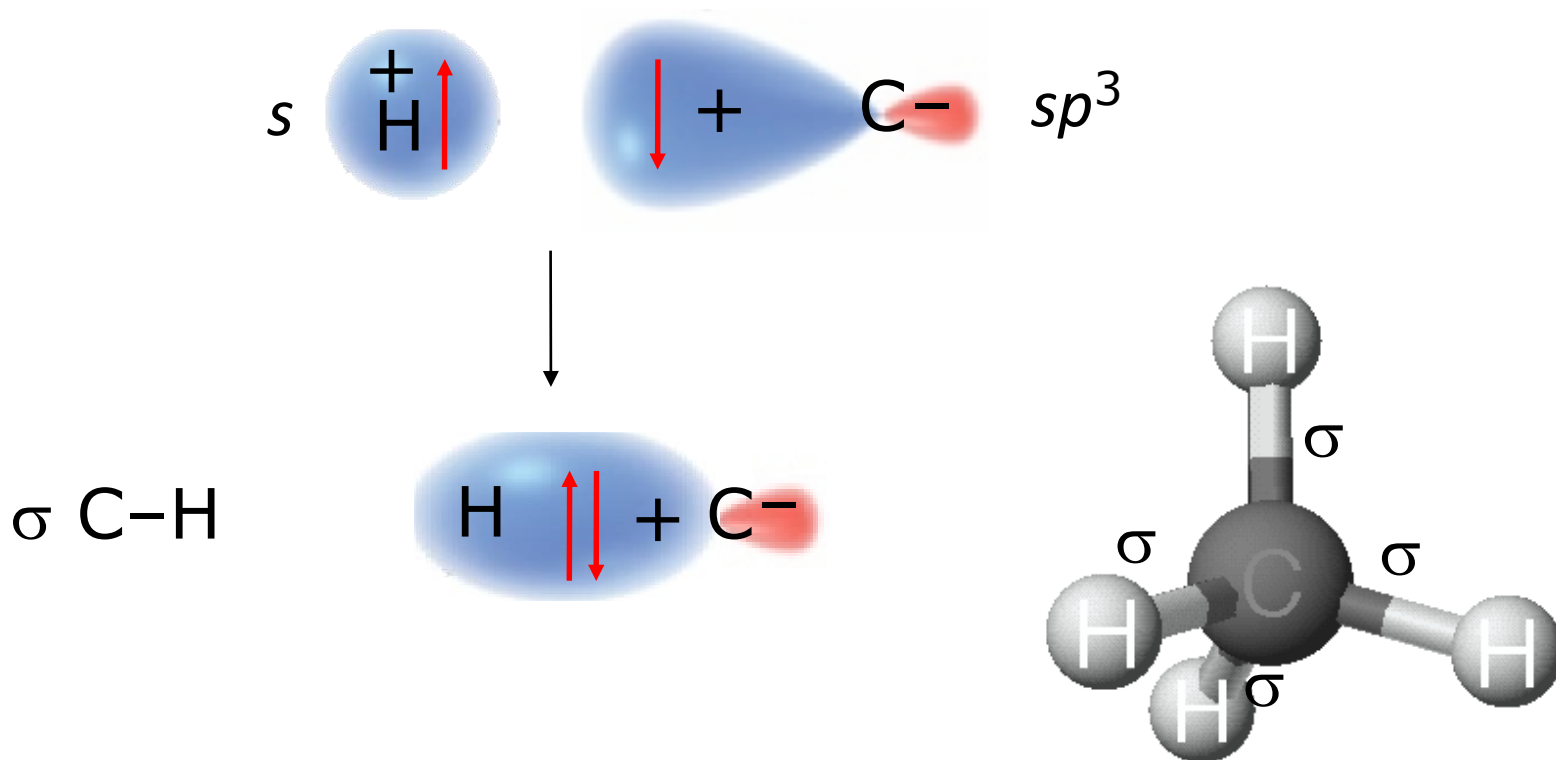
sp^3 Hybrids

- The mixing of a spherical $2s$ orbital and three $2p$ orbitals generates four sp^3 orbitals, each with a small and a large lobe.

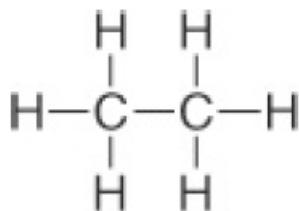


Methane

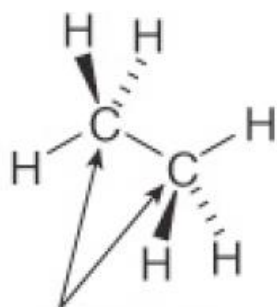
The overlap of a half-full $1s$ orbital of hydrogen with a half-full sp^3 orbital of carbon bond gives a σ orbital.



Ethane

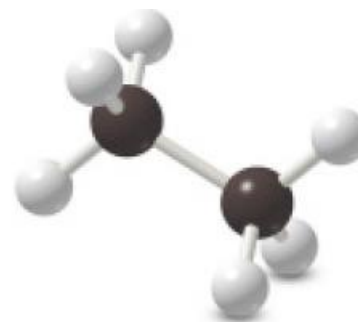


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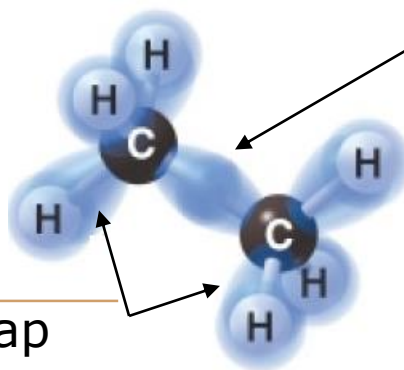


tetrahedral sp^3 C

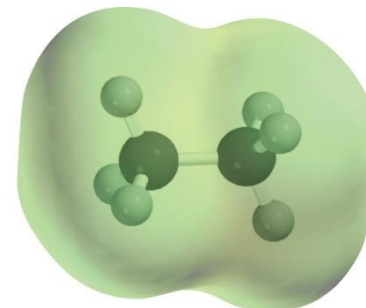
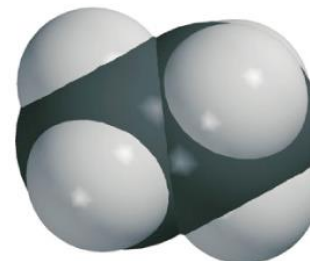
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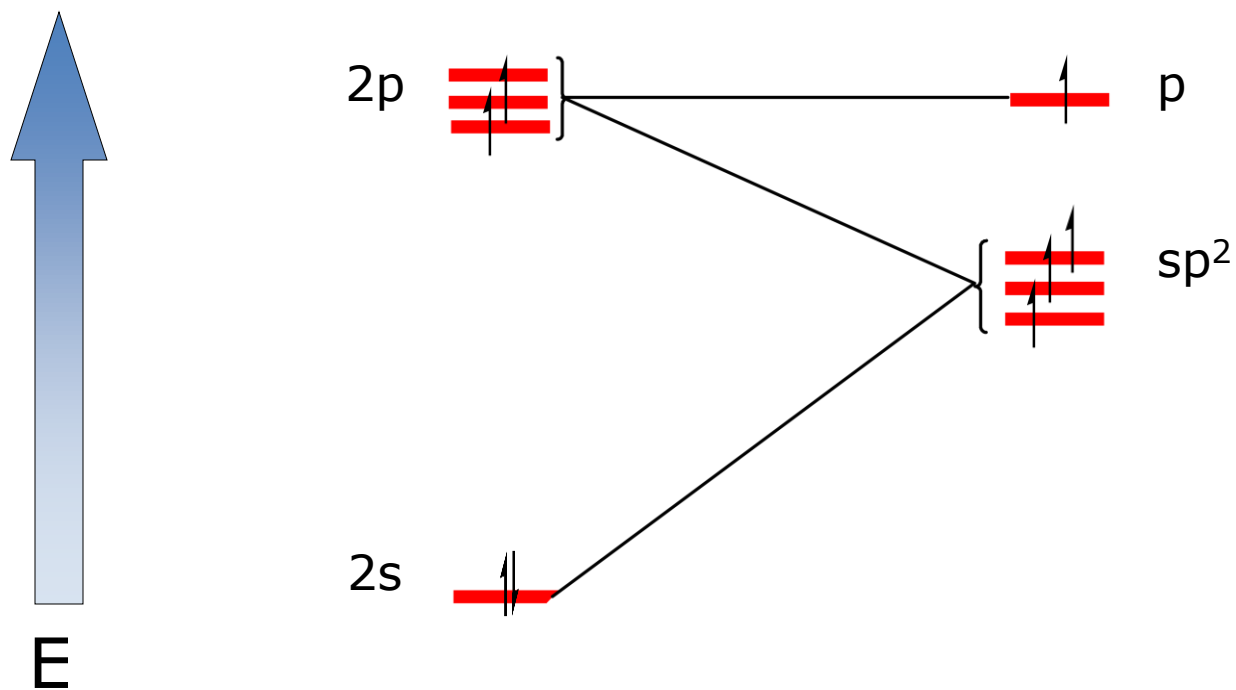
Two sp^3 hybrids overlap giving the C-C σ bond



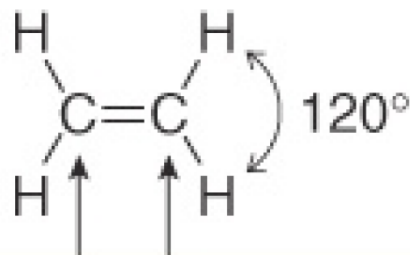
sp^3 hybrids on C overlap with $1s$ orbitals on H giving the C-H σ bonds.



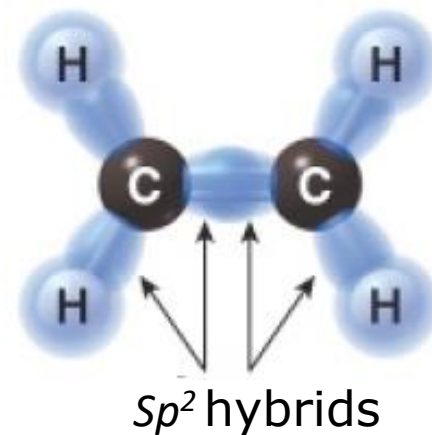
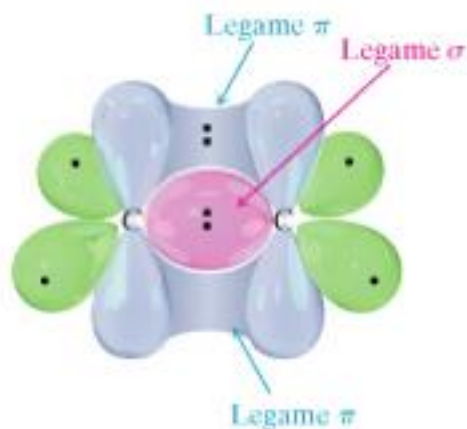
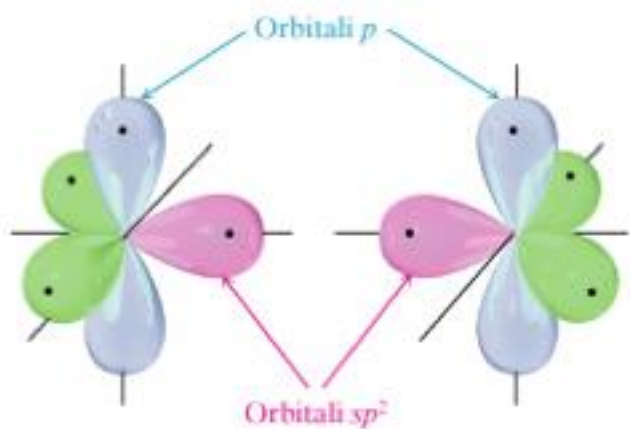
sp^2 Hybrids



Ethylene C₂H₄

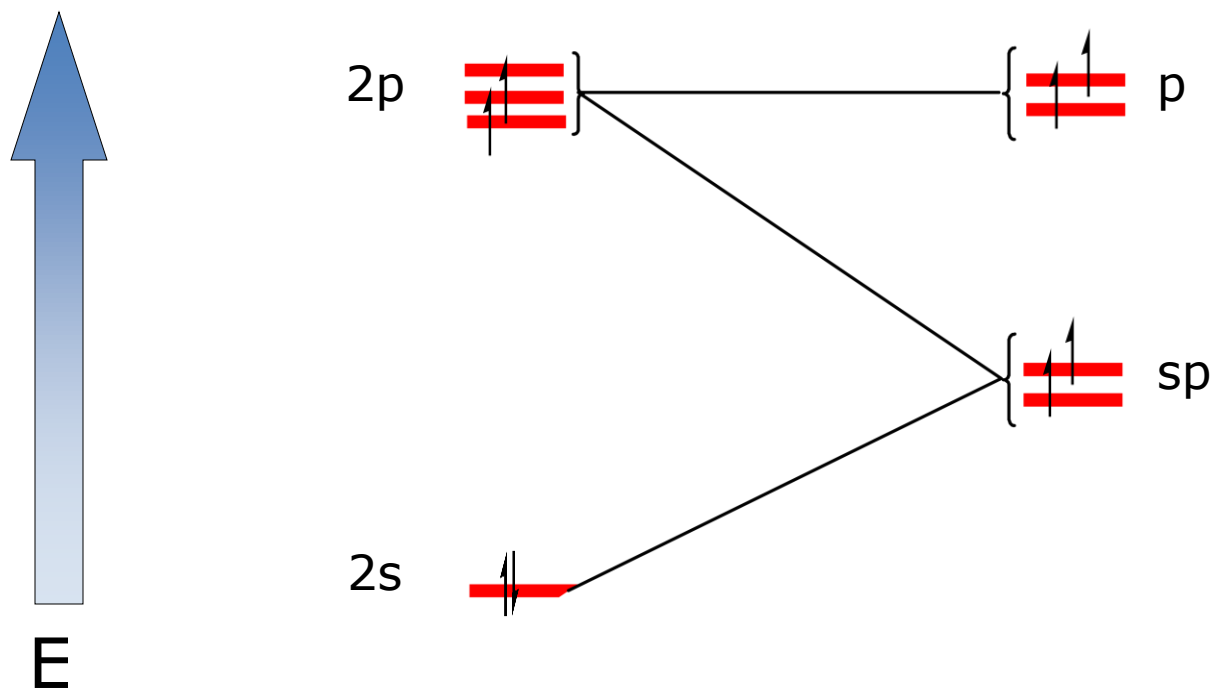


3 groups around C
C atoms are sp^2

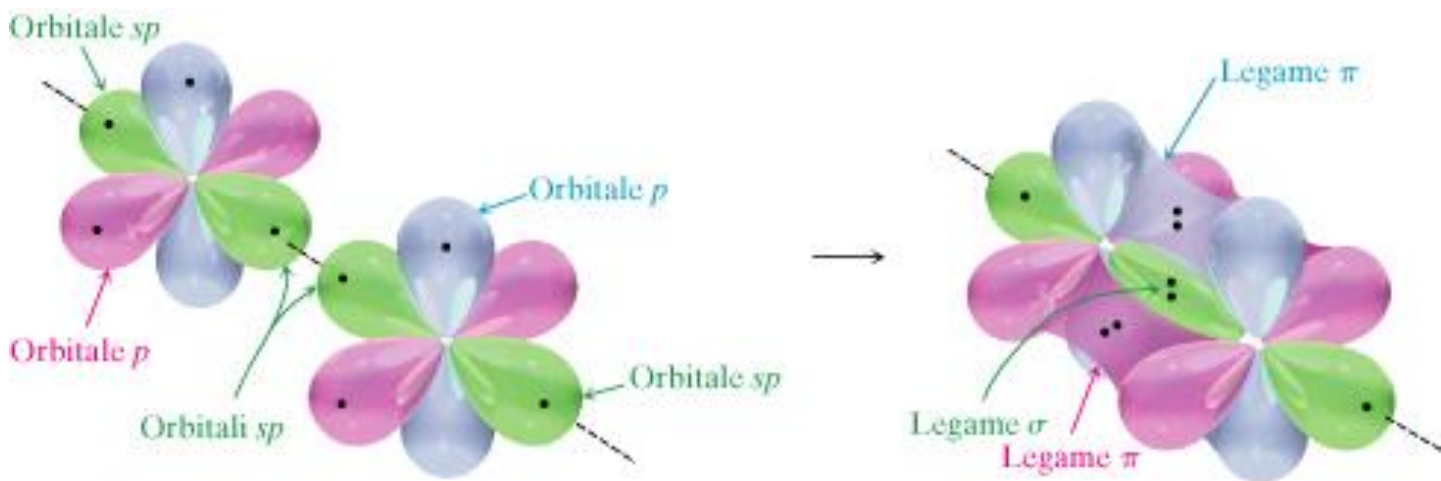


C-C double bond

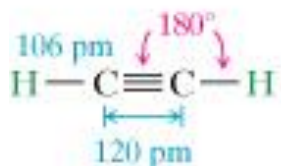
sp Hybrids



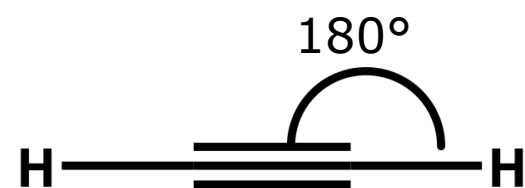
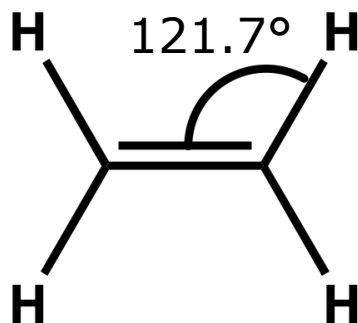
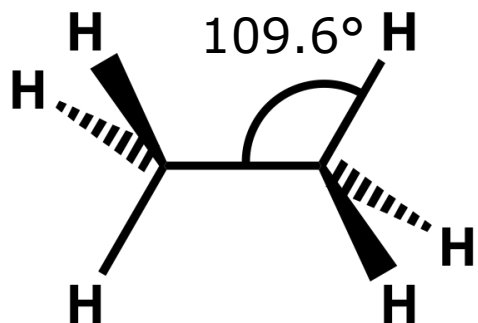
Acetylene C_2H_2



C-C triple bond



Structures of C_2H_6 , C_2H_4 , C_2H_2



d_{C-C} (pm): 154
 d_{C-H} (pm): 110
 E_{C-C} (kJ/M): 376

133
107.6
611

120
106
835

Polar Bonds

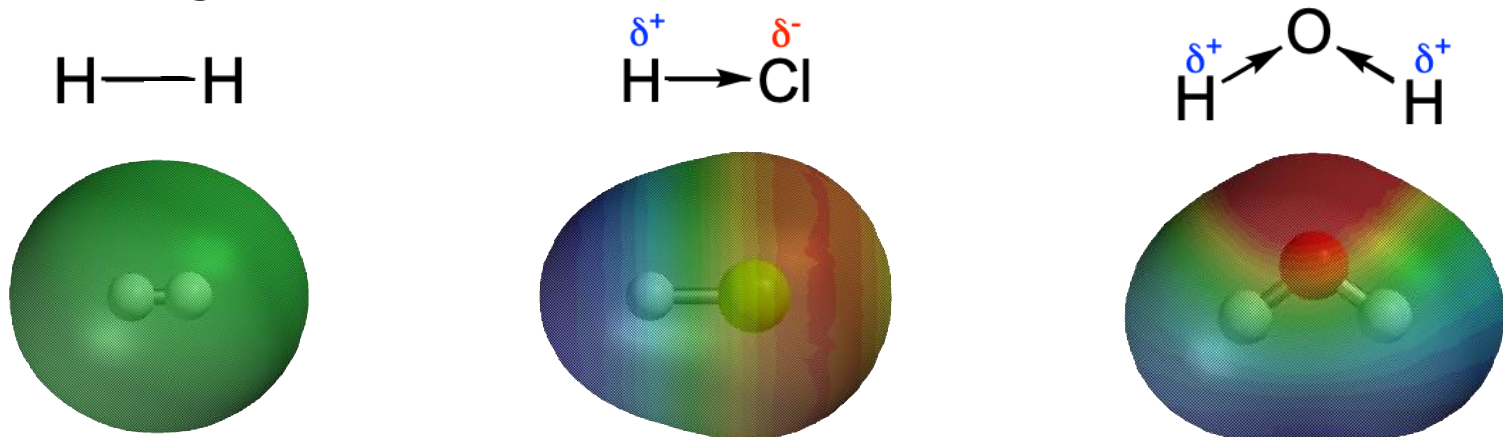
Intermolecular Interactions

Delocalised Bonds

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Polar Covalent Bonds

- In polar bonds, bonding electrons are attracted towards the more electronegative atom.

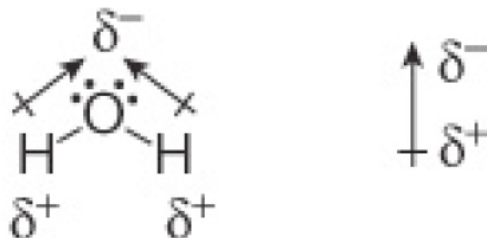


- The higher the electronegativity difference, the higher the polar character of a covalent bond.
 - $\Delta X > 1.9 \Rightarrow$ ionic bond
 - $\Delta X < 0.5 \Rightarrow$ apolar covalent bond : C-C, C-H
 - $\Delta X = 0.5 - 1.9 \Rightarrow$ polar covalent bond : H-F, H-Cl, O-H, N-H, C-N, C-O, C-F, C-Cl, C-Li, C-Mg

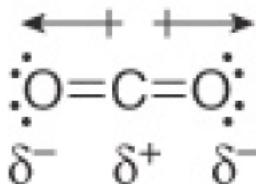
Dipole Moments

- Polar molecules have one or more polar bonds.

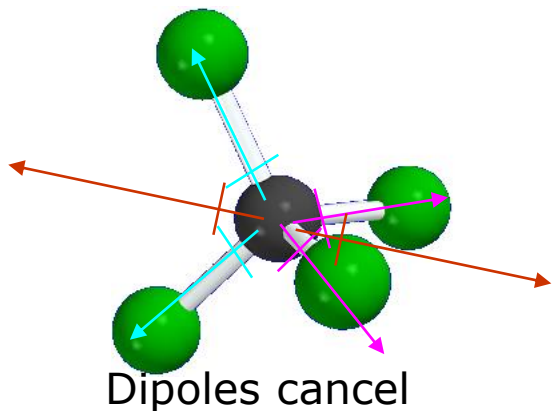
Es. H₂O



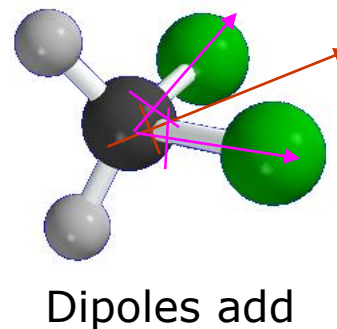
- Apolar molecules either do not have polar bonds or have polar bonds whose dipoles cancel each other. E.g. CO₂



CCl₄ $\mu = 0$ D




CH₂Cl₂ $\mu = 1.62$ D



Intermolecular interactions

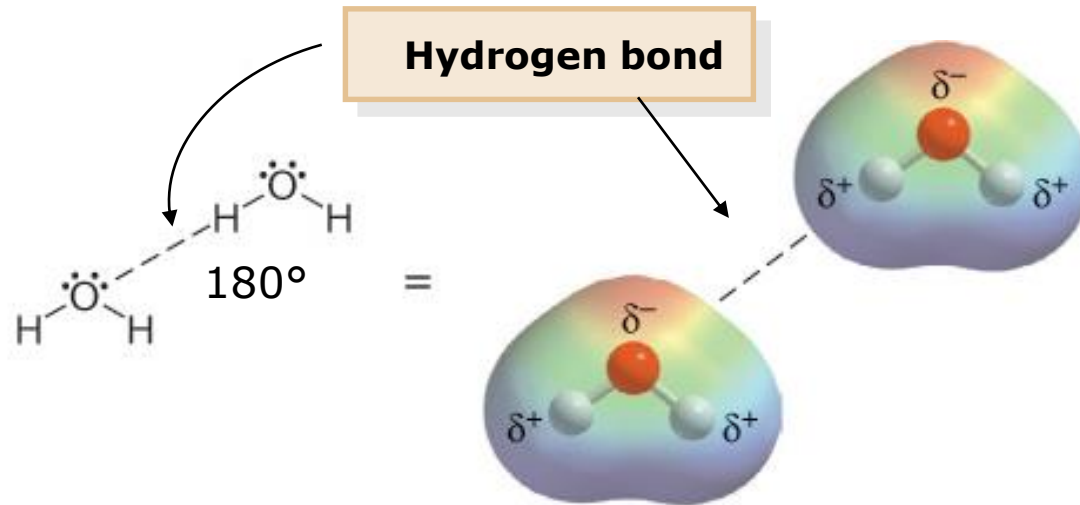
- ❑ Intermolecular interactions are also called non-covalent or non-bonded interactions.
- ❑ Intermolecular interactions depend on the type and number of functional groups.
- ❑ In neutral molecules there are three main types of intermolecular interactions.
 - Vand der Waals interactions (London dispersion forces) – VDW
 - Dipole-dipole interactions – DD
 - Hydrogen bonds– HB



strength

The Hydrogen Bond

- The hydrogen bond is an electrostatic interaction between a O-H or N-H group and a lone pair on O or N.

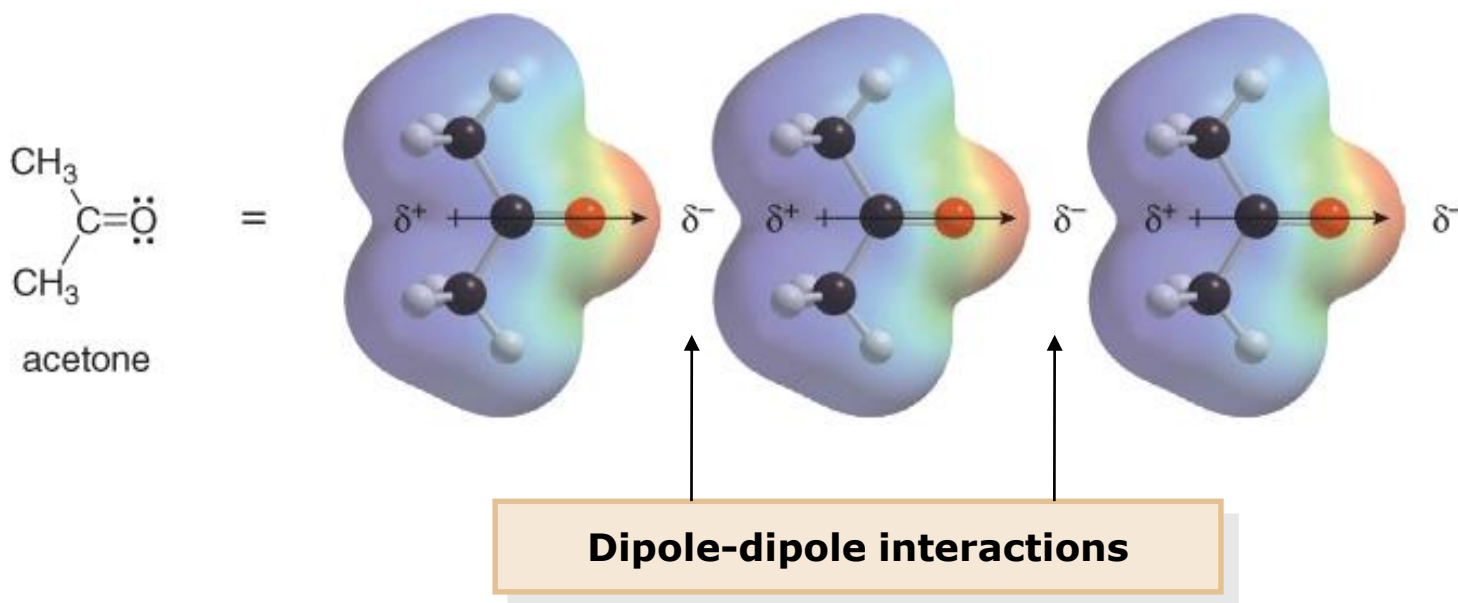


The Hydrogen Bond

	<i>MW</i>	<i>b.p. (°C)</i>	<i>H-bond</i>
$\text{H}_3\text{C}-\text{CH}_3$	30	-89	<i>none</i>
$\text{H}_3\text{C}-\text{NH}_2$	31	-6	<i>weak</i>
$\text{H}_3\text{C}-\text{OH}$	32	65	<i>strong</i>

Dipole-Dipole Interactions

- Dipole-dipole interactions are attraction forces between the permanent dipoles of two molecules.

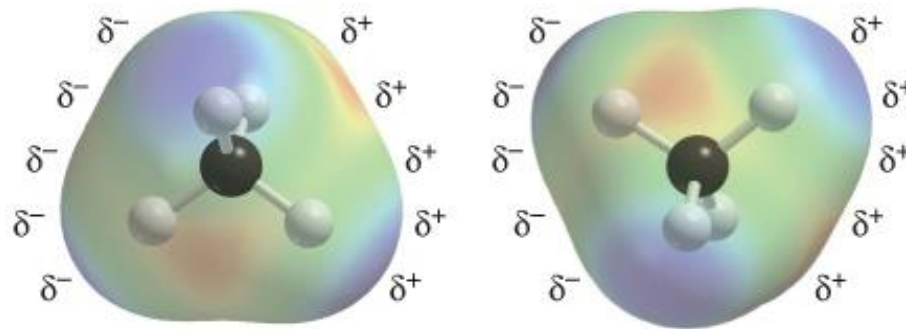


	<i>MW</i>	<i>b.p.</i> (°C)
	56	-5
	58	56

Van der Waals (London) Forces

- ❑ VdW forces are weak interactions originating from temporary variations of the molecule's electron density distribution.
- ❑ They are the only attractive forces in apolar molecules.

Van der Waals interactions between two CH₄ molecules

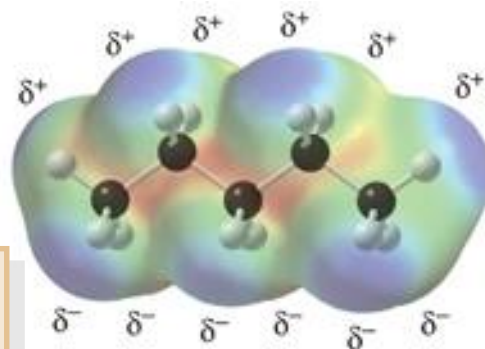


Dipoles generated by a temporary asymmetry in the electron density

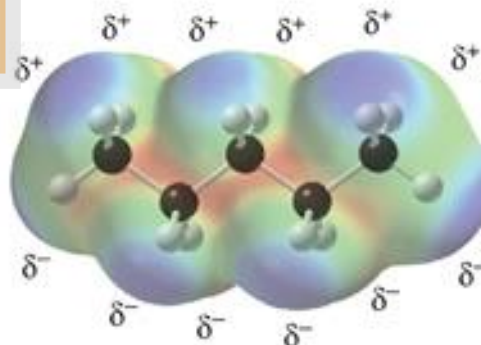
Van der Waals (London) Forces

- Van der Waals interactions are present in all molecules.
- The larger the surface area, the larger the attractive force between two molecules, and the stronger the intermolecular forces.

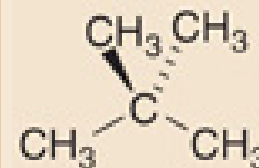
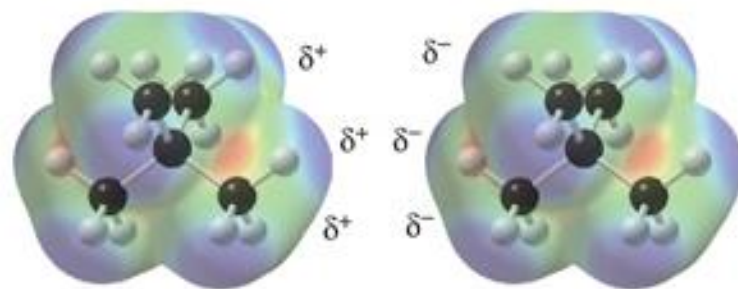
**Long, cylindrical molecules:
stronger interactions**



$\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3$
n-pentane
***b.p.* 36 °C**



**Compact, spherical molecules:
weaker interactions**



neopentane
***b.p.* 10 °C**

Van der Waals (London) Forces

- ❑ VdW forces depend on polarizability.
- ❑ Larger atoms, like iodine, which have more loosely held valence electrons, are more polarizable than smaller atoms like fluorine, which have more tightly held electrons

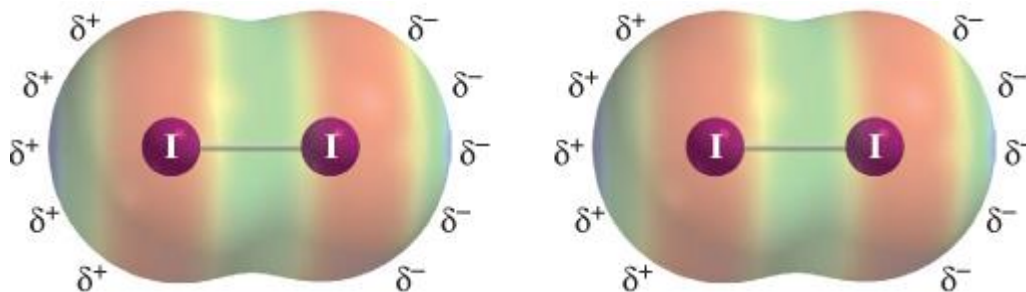
Weak interaction

Small atoms: lower polarizability



Stronger interaction

Large atoms: higher polarizability



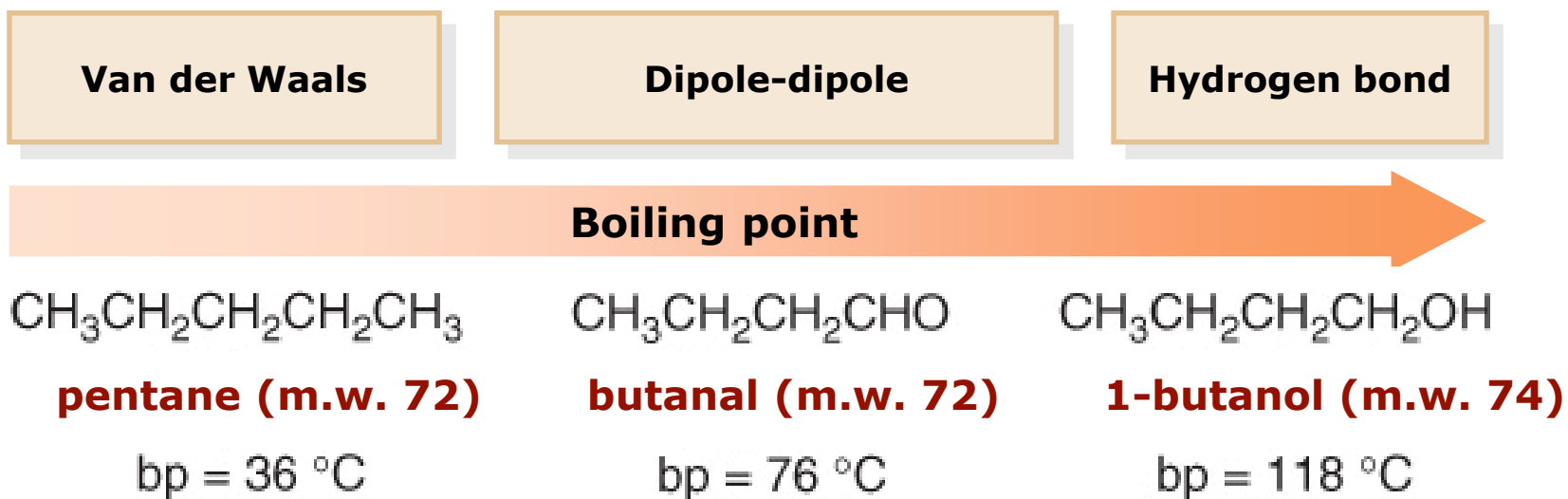
Summary

Interaction	Relative strength	Present in	Examples
Van der Waals VDW	Very weak	All molecules	$\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3$ $\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CHO}$ $\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{OH}$
Dipole-dipole DD	weak	Permanent dipoles	$\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CHO}$ $\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{OH}$
Hydrogen bond HB	strong	Molecules with OH, NH, funct. groups	$\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{OH}$
ionic	Very strong	Ionic compounds	NaCl, LiF

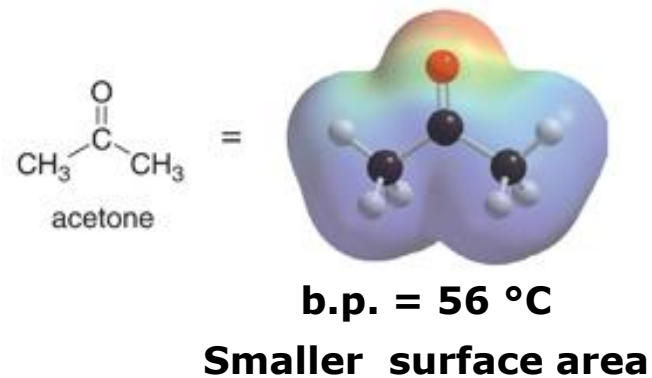
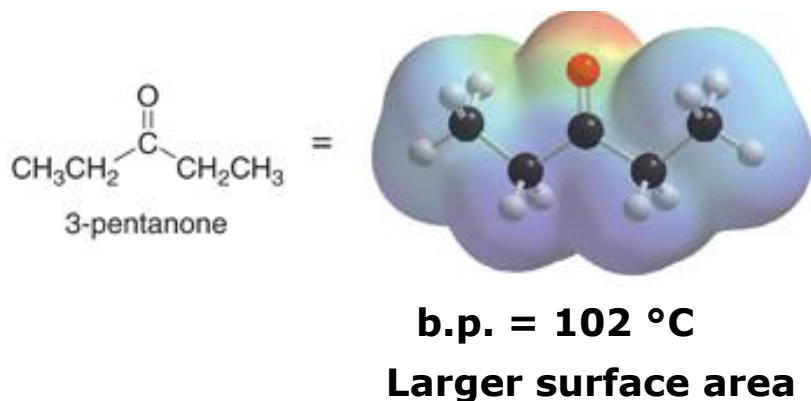
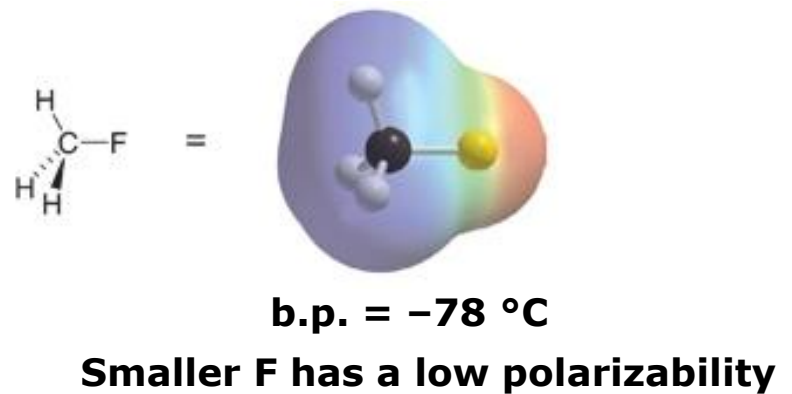
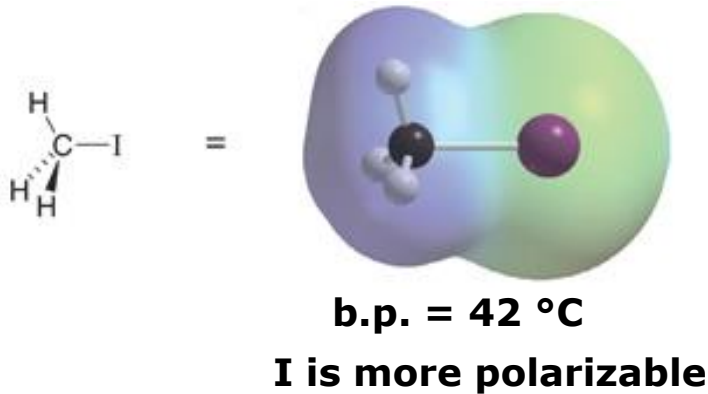
Polar molecules interact strongly than apolar ones.

Boiling Point

- The boiling point is the temperature at which the vapor pressure of a liquid is equal to the external pressure.
- Energy is required to break intermolecular interactions.
- The higher the intermolecular interactions, the higher the b.p..
- Compounds with similar M.W.:



Boiling Point



Melting Point

- M.p. and b.p. follow the same trend.



pentane

mp = $-130\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$



butanal

mp = $-96\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$



1-butanol

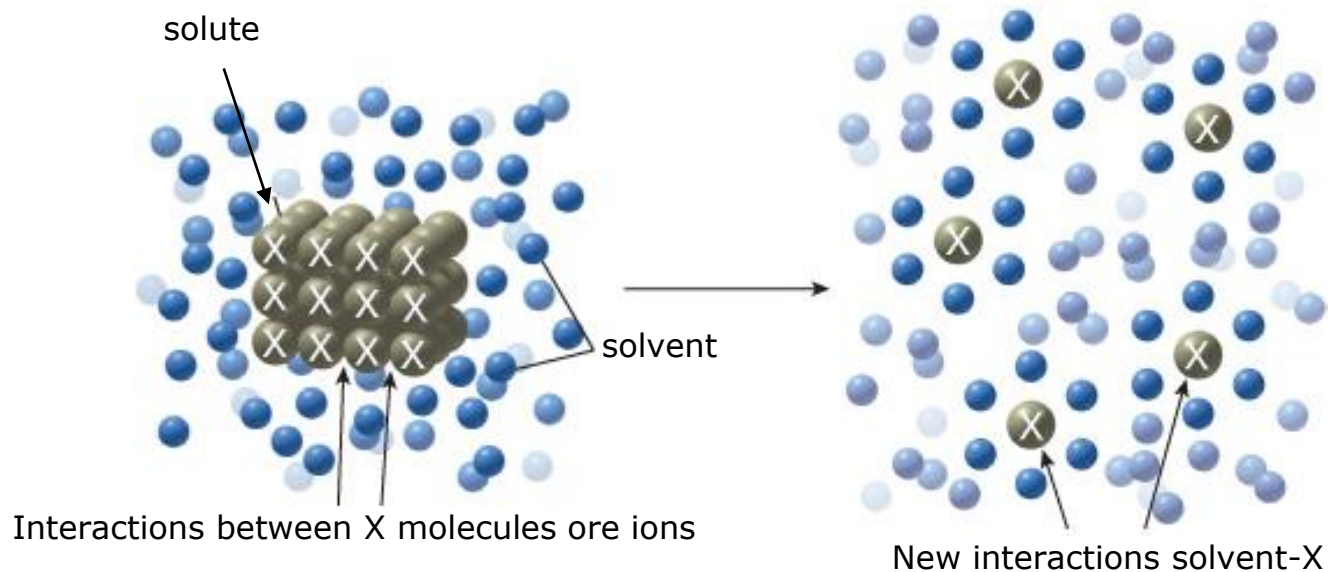
mp = $-90\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$

Melting point



Solubility

- Solubility is a measure of the degree to which a compound (solute) dissolves in a liquid (solvent).
- Interactions between ions or molecules are replaced by interactions with the solvent



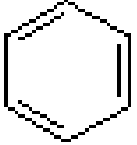
Solubility

- Compounds dissolve in solvents with which they can interact efficiently.
- “Like dissolves like.”
- Polar compounds dissolve in polar solvents. Apolar or weakly polar compounds dissolve in apolar/weakly polar solvents)
- Three physical quantities are related to polarity:
 - The dipole moment μ
 - The dielectric constant ϵ
 - The miscibility with water

Solvents

- Solvents are generally classified in three categories.
 - *polar protic*: containing OH.
 - *(di)polar aprotic*: they have a high dipole moment but do not contain –OH groups
 - *apolar*: low dielectric constants; do not mix with water

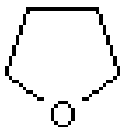
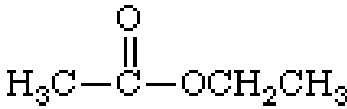
Apolar Solvents

Name	Structure	b.p., °C	dipole moment	dielectric constant
hexane	$\text{CH}_3(\text{CH}_2)_4 \text{CH}_3$	69	----	2.02
benzene		80	0	2.28
carbon tetrachloride	CCl_4	76	0	2.24

Polar Protic Solvents

Name	Structure	b.p., °C	Dipole moment	Dielectric constant
water	H-OH	100	1.85	80
methanol	CH ₃ -OH	68	1.70	33
ethanol	CH ₃ CH ₂ -OH	78	1.69	24.3
1-propanol	CH ₃ CH ₂ CH ₂ -OH	97	1.68	20.1
1-butanol	CH ₃ CH ₂ CH ₂ CH ₂ -OH	118	1.66	17.8
formic acid	$\begin{array}{c} \text{O} \\ \parallel \\ \text{H}-\text{C}-\text{OH} \end{array}$	100	1.41	58
acetic acid	$\begin{array}{c} \text{O} \\ \parallel \\ \text{H}_3\text{C}-\text{C}-\text{OH} \end{array}$	118	1.74	6.15
formamide	$\begin{array}{c} \text{O} \\ \parallel \\ \text{H}-\text{C}-\text{NH}_2 \end{array}$	210	3.73	109

Polar Aprotic Solvents

Name	Structure	b.p., °C	dipole moment	dielectric constant
acetone	$(\text{CH}_3)_2\text{C}=\text{O}$	56	2.88	20.7
tetrahydrofuran (THF)		66	1.63	7.52
diethyl ether	$\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{OCH}_2\text{CH}_3$	35	1.15	4.34
Ethyl acetate		78	1.78	6.02
acetonitrile	CH_3CN	81	3.92	36.6
N,N-dimethylformamide (DMF)	$(\text{CH}_3)_2\text{NCHO}$	153	3.82	38.3
dichloromethane	CH_2Cl_2	40	1.60	9.08
dimethyl sulfoxide (DMSO)	$(\text{CH}_3)_2\text{S}=\text{O}$	189	3.96	47.2

Delocalized Electrons and Bonds. Resonance

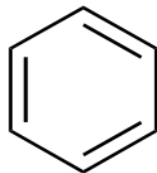
- The structure and properties of certain molecules can not be explained by the simple valence orbital model with localized electrons.
- In this case, a single Lewis structure is replaced by a set of Lewis structures called resonance structures.

Resonance

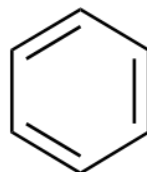
- Resonance structures have the same disposition of atoms but a different arrangement of electrons (π electrons and lone pairs).
- Bond lengths and angles do not change in resonance structures.
- Resonance is a simple theory to adapt conventional Lewis structures to the representation of molecules with delocalized electrons and bonds.

Resonance - Delocalized Bonds

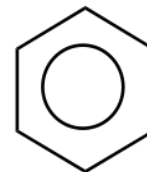
Benzene (C_6H_6)



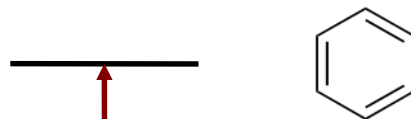
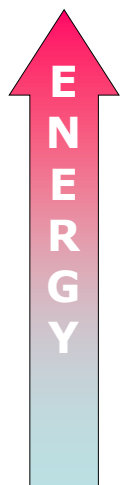
Very stable
6 identical C-C bonds
139 pm



Resonance structures

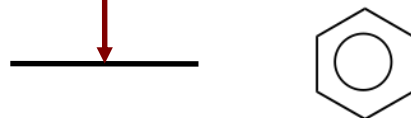


Resonance hybrid



6 localized
 π electrons

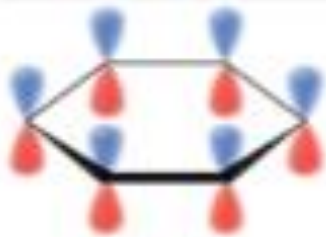
$E_r = 150.7 \text{ kJ/mol}$
(36 kcal/mol)



6 delocalized
 π electrons

Resonance

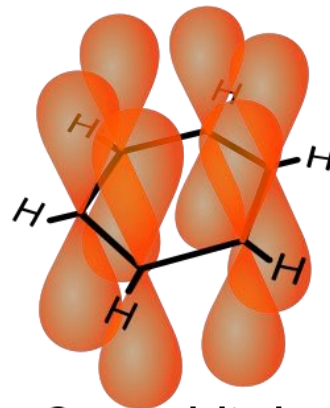
Cyclic compound



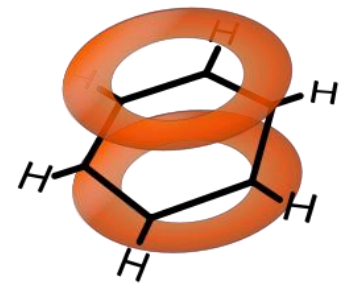
benzene

Every p orbital overlaps with two neighboring p orbitals.

aromatic



6 p -orbitals



delocalized

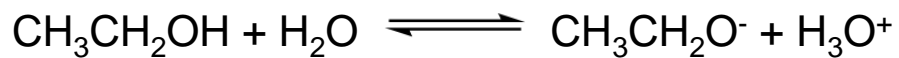
Resonance

1. Resonance structures **are not real**. No single resonance structure can adequately represent the real structure of a species with delocalized electrons.
2. Resonance structures **are not isomers**. They only differ in the distribution of electrons not in the disposition of the nuclei.
3. Resonance structures **are not in equilibrium**.

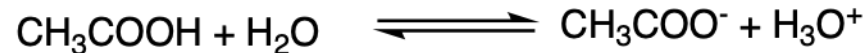
Resonance

$\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{OH}$: pK_a 16

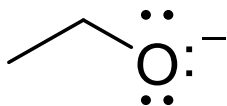
CH_3COOH : pK_a 4.75



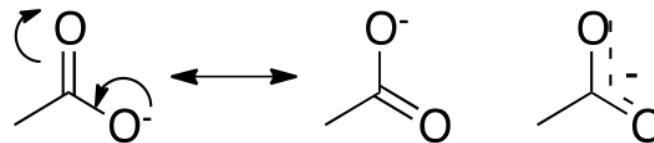
Ethoxide



Acetate



Localized
charge
less stable



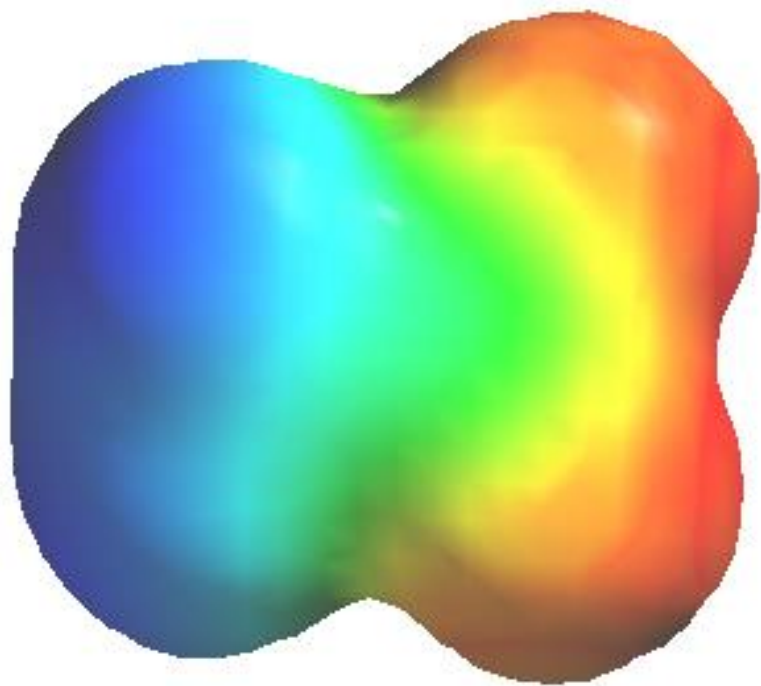
Resonance structures

Resonance
hybrid

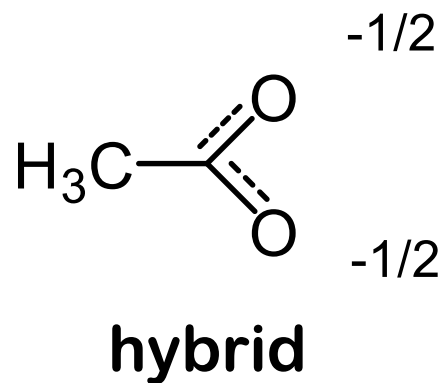
Delocalized
charge
more stable

Acetate ion

(ab initio 3-21g calculation)



electrostatic potential
mapped onto the Van der Waals
surface



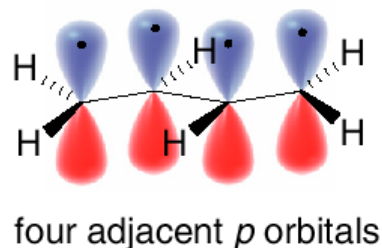
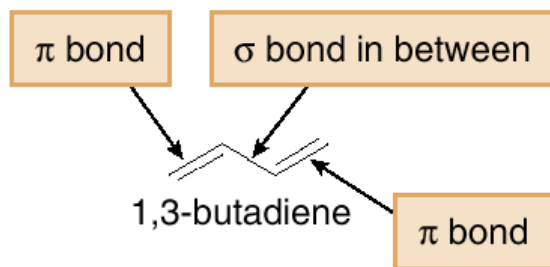
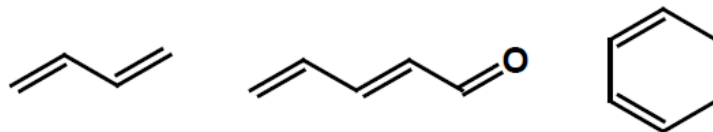
note
symmetry

Conjugation and resonance

Delocalization occurs in conjugated systems

Conjugated systems have at least three adjacent and parallel p orbitals

Conjugated double bonds

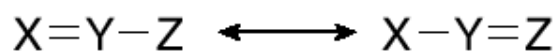


Each C is sp^2 hybridized and has a p orbital containing one electron.

See chapter: Conjugated dienes

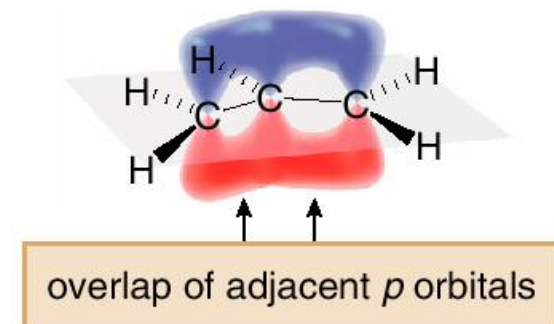
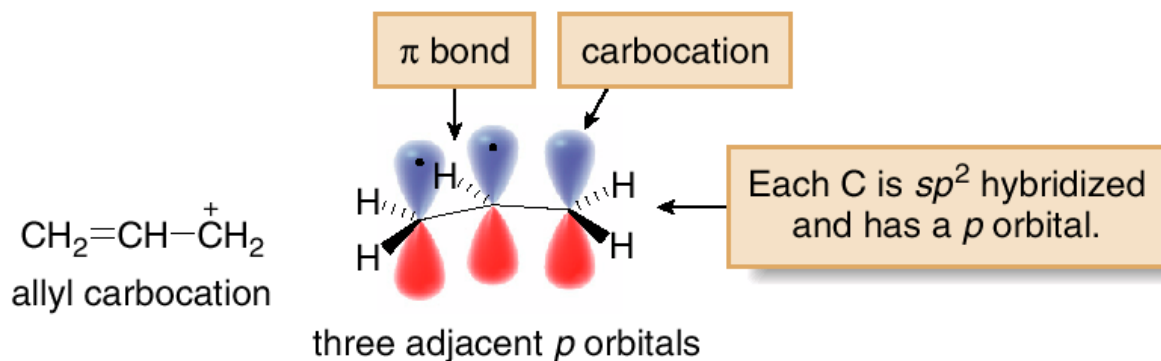
Conjugation and resonance

Allylic systems



0, 1, or 2 electrons

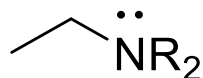
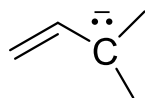
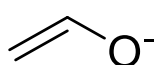
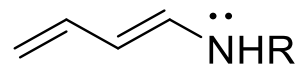
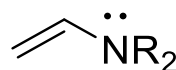
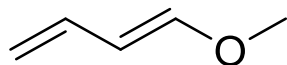
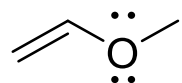
- Allylic carbocation is an example of **conjugated system**.



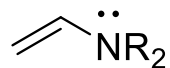
- Conjugation stabilizes allylic carbocation

Conjugation and resonance

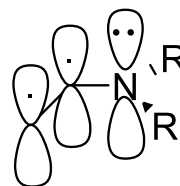
Allylic systems



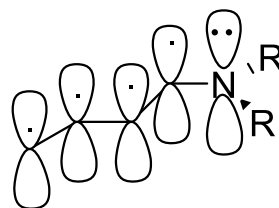
Localized pair
in sp^3



Delocalized pair
in sp^2

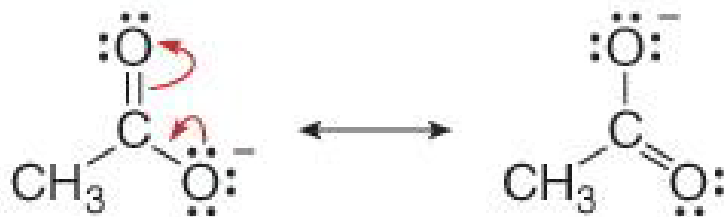
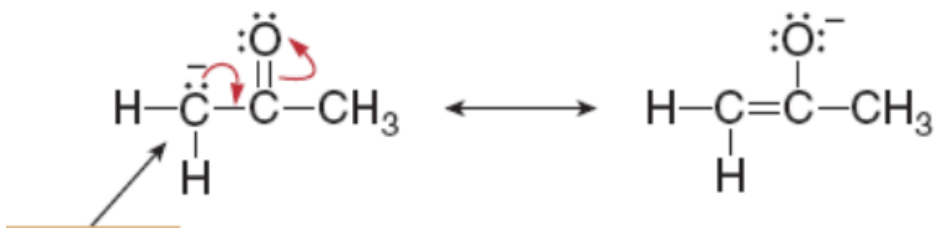


Trigonal sp^2 nitrogen



Writing resonance structures

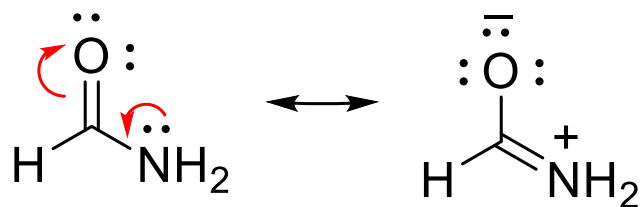
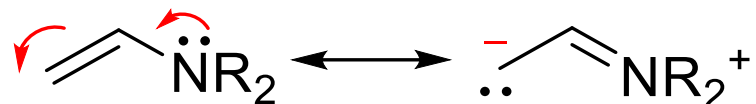
1. Atom with lone pair adjacent to a π bond: anions



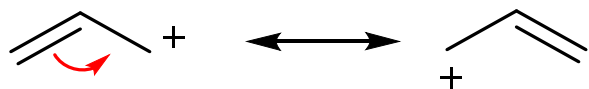
Exercise: write the resonance hybrid

Writing resonance structures

2. Atom with lone pair adjacent to a π bond: neutral molecules



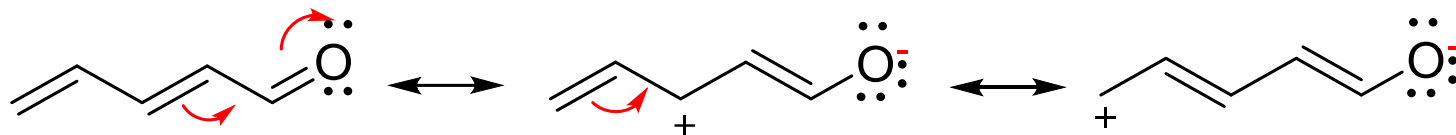
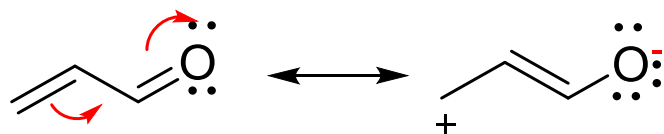
3. Carbocation adjacent to a π bond



Exercise: write the resonance hybrid

Writing resonance structures

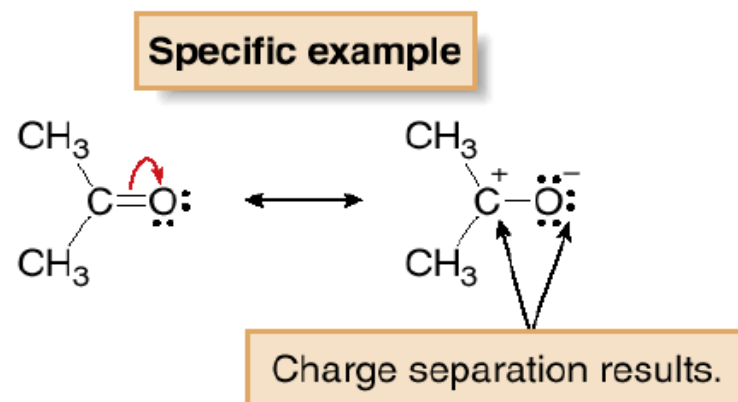
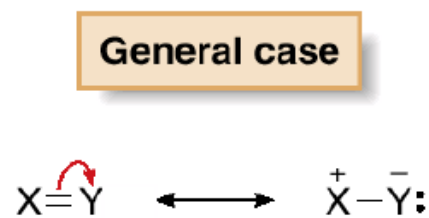
4. Conjugated double bonds



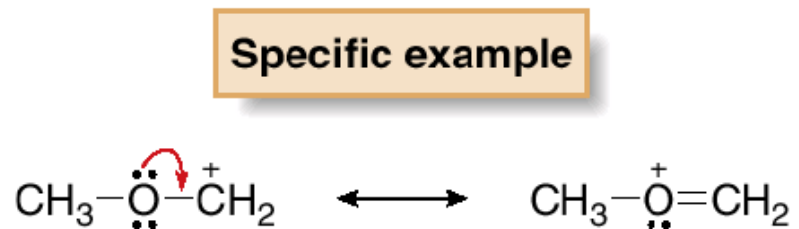
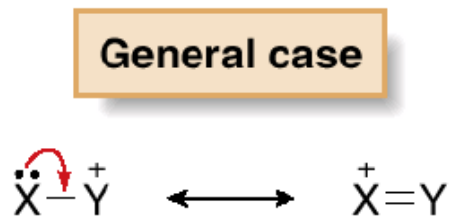
Exercise: write the resonance hybrid

Other systems described by resonance

3. Polar double bonds



4. Electron pair adjacent to a positive charge



Acids and Bases

Electrophiles and Nucleophiles

Organic Reaction Mechanisms

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Brønsted-Lowry Acids and Bases

- Acids donate protons to an acceptor

All Brønsted-Lowry acids contain a ionizable proton.

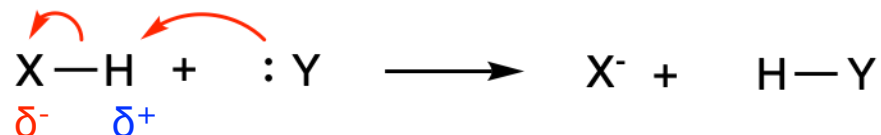
- Bases accept protons from a donor

All Brønsted-Lowry bases contain a lone pair or a π bond.

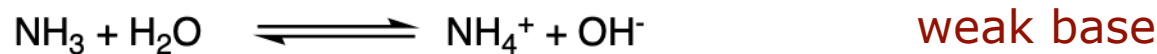
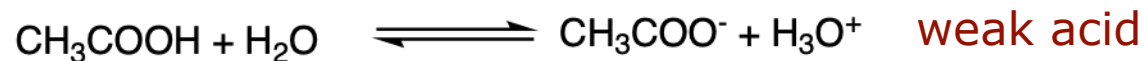
Brønsted-Lowry acids HA		Brønsted-Lowry bases B:	
Inorganic	Organic	Inorganic	Organic
HCl H ₂ SO ₄ HSO ₄ ⁻ H ₂ O H ₃ O ⁺	CH ₃ CO ₂ H acetic acid $\begin{array}{c} \text{OH} \\ \\ \text{HO}_2\text{CCH}_2-\text{C}-\text{CH}_2\text{CO}_2\text{H} \\ \\ \text{COOH} \end{array}$ citric acid	H ₂ Ö: $\begin{array}{c} \text{:}\ddot{\text{O}}\text{H} \end{array}$:NH_3 $\begin{array}{c} \text{:}\ddot{\text{N}}\text{H}_2 \end{array}$ CH ₃ NH ₂ methylamine $\begin{array}{c} \text{CH}_3 \\ \\ \text{C}=\ddot{\text{O}} \\ \\ \text{CH}_3 \end{array}$ acetone CH ₃ Ö: ⁻ methoxide ion CH ₂ =CH ₂ ethylene

Brønsted-Lowry Acids and Bases

- An acid-base reaction is a proton transfer reaction



- Acids donate protons to an acceptor
All Brønsted-Lowry acids contain a polar X-H bond.
(X=O, Halogens)
- Bases accept protons from a donor
All Brønsted-Lowry bases contain a lone pair.



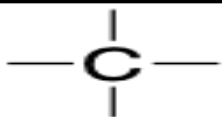


Organic Acids

Element	Electronegativity	Bond	Acidity
H	2.1		
C	2.5	C-H	NO
N	3.0	N-H	NO
O	3.5	O-H	YES

Formula	Name	K _a	pK _a	acidity
R-OH	alcohols	$< 10^{-15}$	> 15	less than H ₂ O
Ar-OH	phenols	10^{-9}	9	slightly dissociated
R-COOH	carboxylic acids	$> 10^{-5}$	> 5	more dissociated

Ar = aromatic

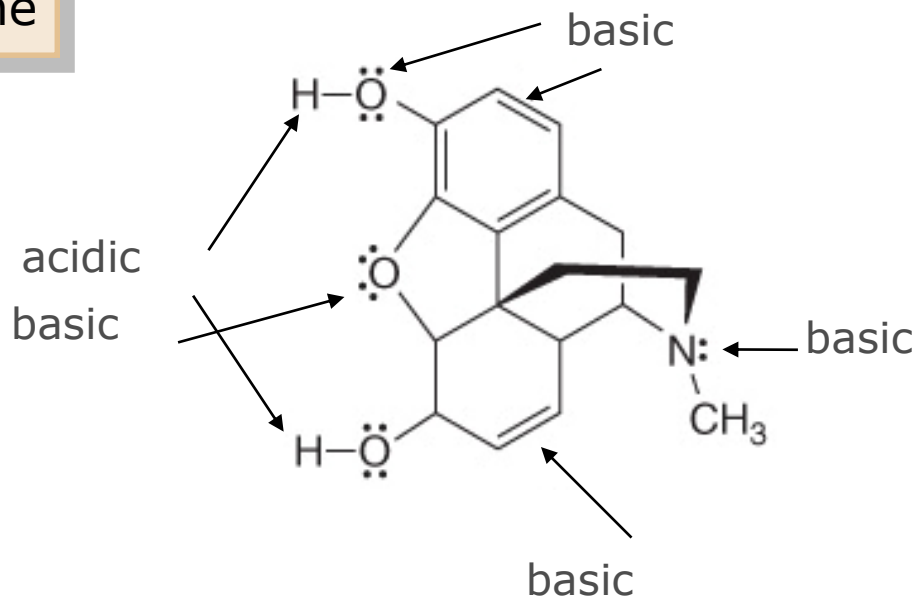
Organic Bases

Group	electron pairs	electronegativity	Basicity
	NO	-	NO
	1	3.0	YES
	2	3.5	WEAK

Brønsted-Lowry Acids and Bases

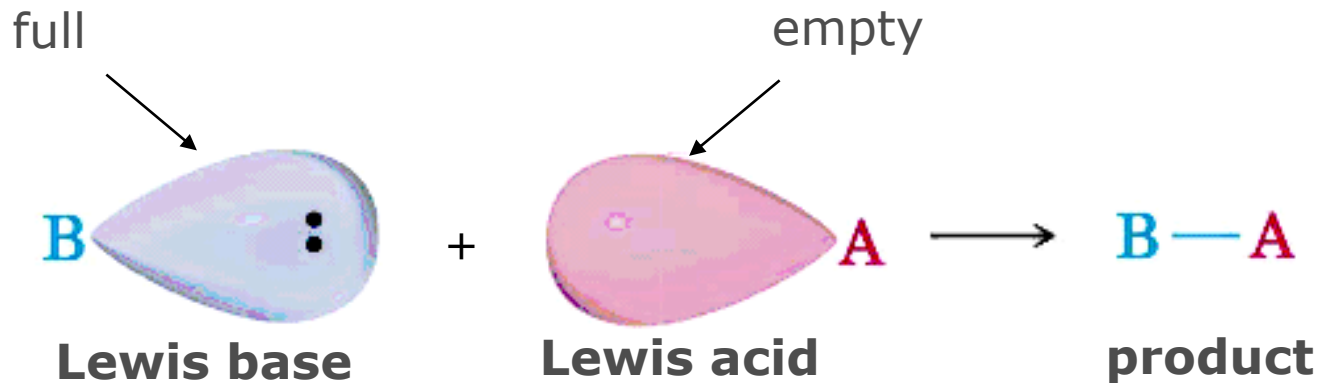
- Certain molecules can behave both as acids and bases.

Morphine



Lewis Acids and Bases

- A Lewis acid accepts an electron pair from a donor. Lewis acids have a low energy empty orbital.
- A Lewis base donates an electron pair to an acceptor. Lewis bases have a high energy full orbital (lone pair or π bonds).



Lewis Acids and Bases

- All Brønsted-Lowry acids are Lewis acids. Not all Lewis acids are Brønsted-Lowry acids.
- Only species with ionizable protons are Brønsted-Lowry acids. Any electron acceptor is a L.A.

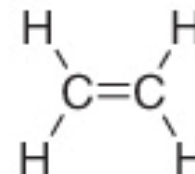
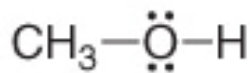
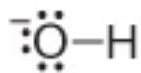


Brønsted-Lowry and
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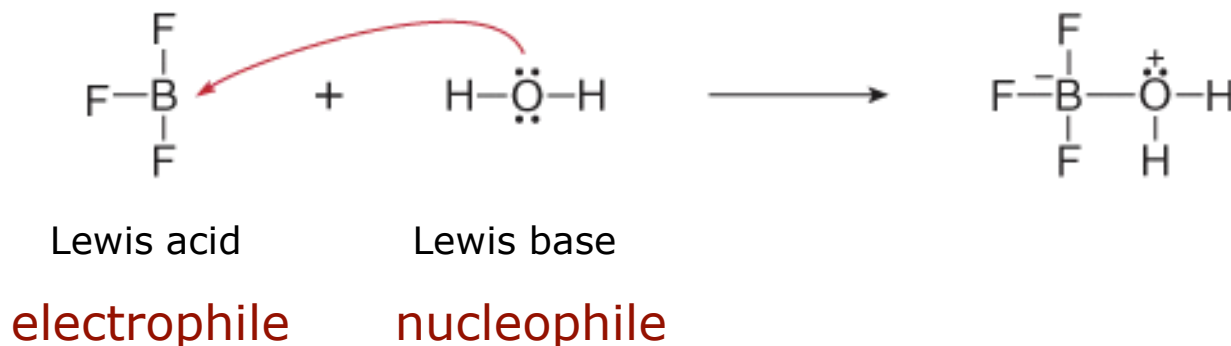
Lewis acids

- All Brønsted-Lowry bases are also Lewis bases. They must have either a lone pair or a π bond.

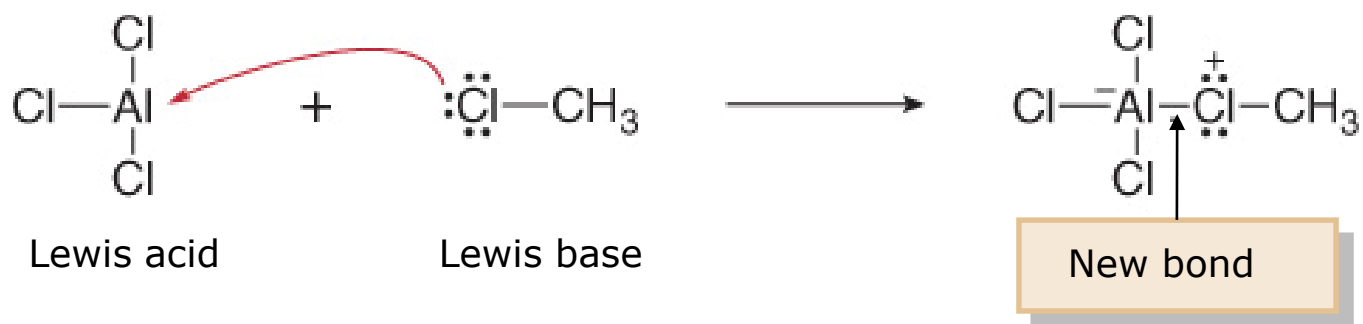
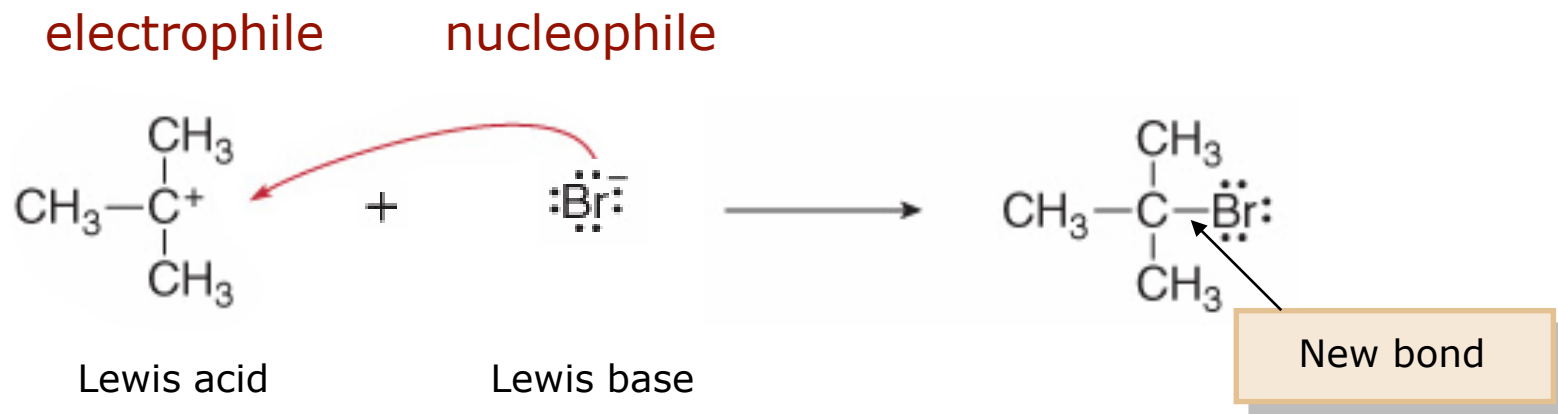


Reactions Between Lewis Acids and Bases

- Organic reactions can in most cases be described as reactions between electron poor species (Lewis acids) and electron rich species (Lewis bases).
- The electron poor species (Lewis acid) is called **electrophile**.
- The electron rich species (Lewis base) is called **nucleophile**.
- The movement of electrons is indicated with curved arrows.

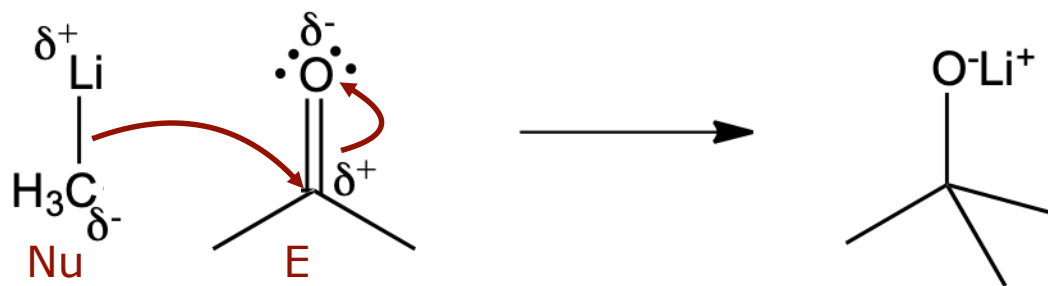
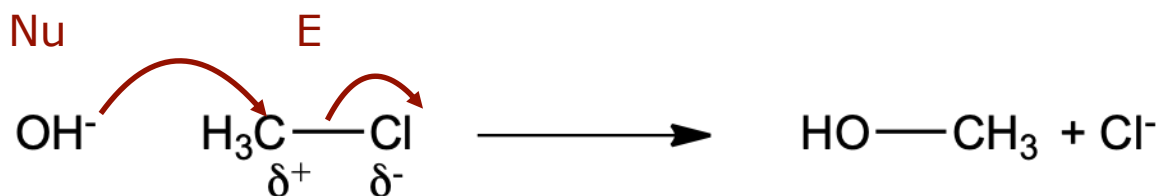


Electrophiles and Nucleophiles

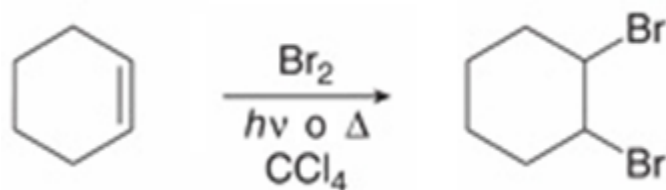
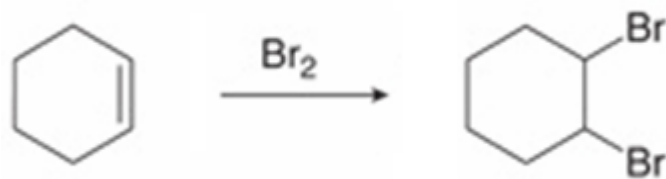


Electrophiles and Nucleophiles

- Nucleophiles and electrophiles may also contain polar bonds

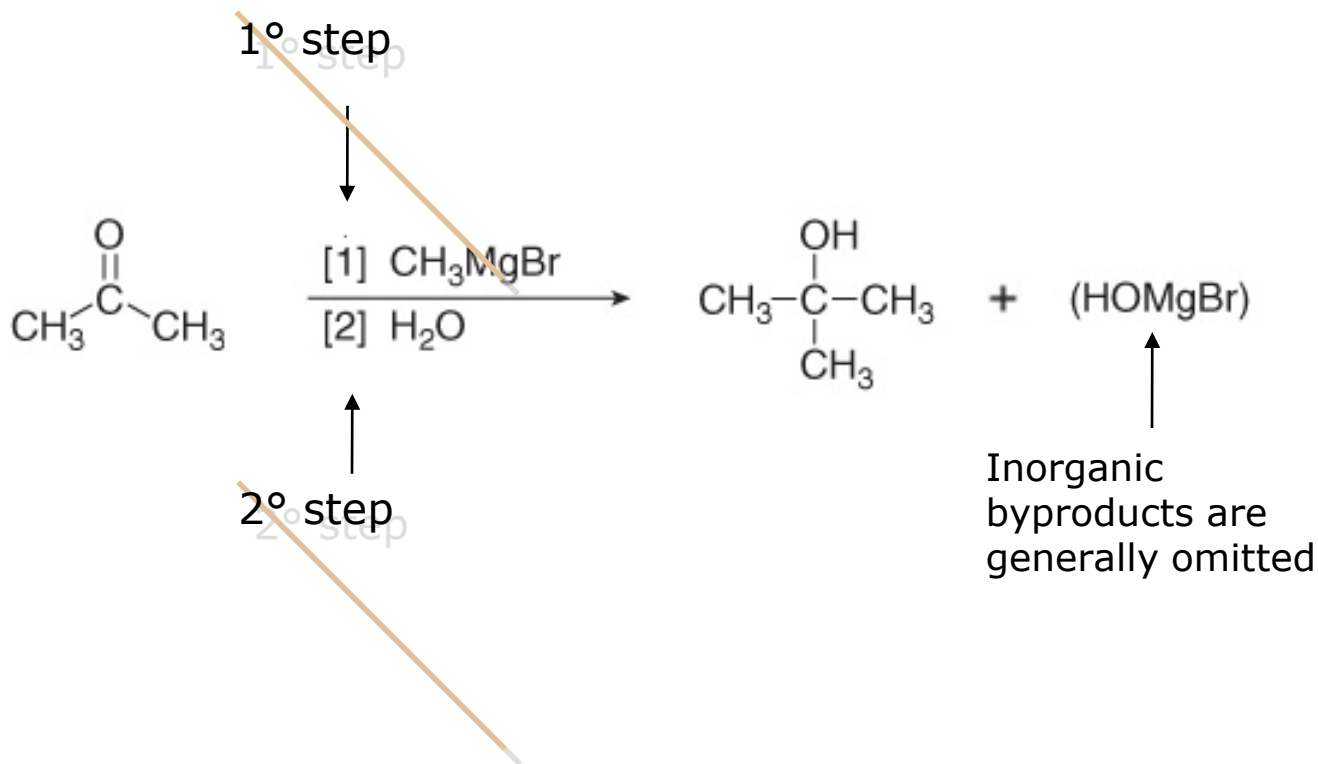


How to Write an Organic Reaction



How to Write an Organic Reaction

- In a sequence, the individual steps are numbered.

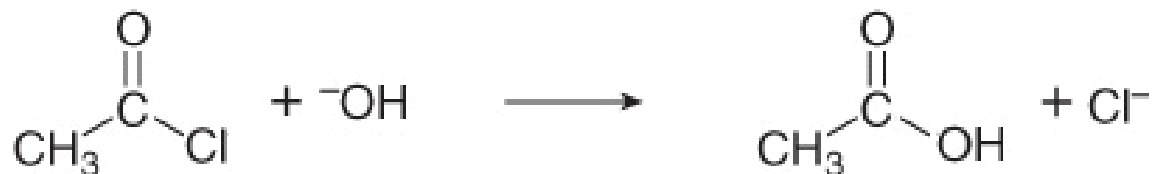
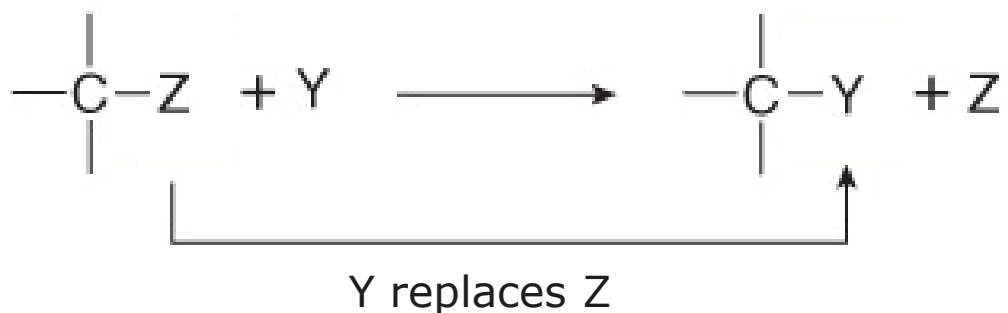


Organic Reactions

- Type of reaction (bond breaking/bond formation):
 - substitution
 - addition
 - elimination
 - rearrangement/transposition
- Mechanism = movement of electrons:
 - ionic (polar)
 - radicalic
 - pericyclic

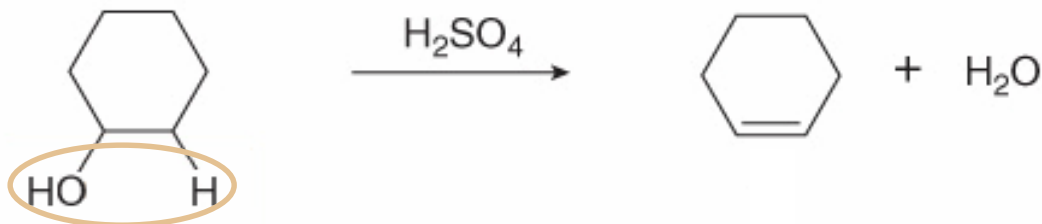
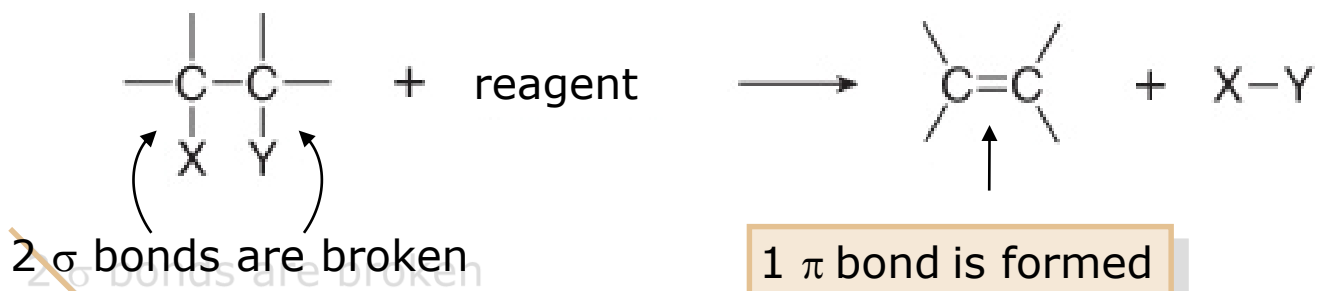
Substitutions

- In a general substitution reaction, an atom or group Y replaces an atom or group Z at carbon.
- Substitutions involve breaking and forming σ bonds.



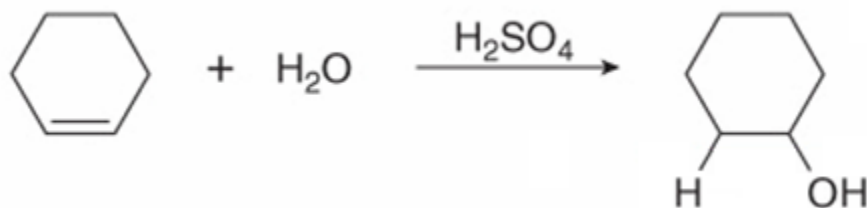
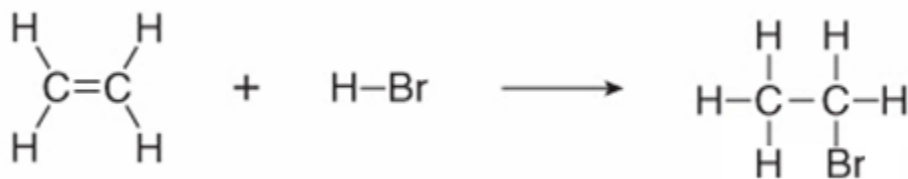
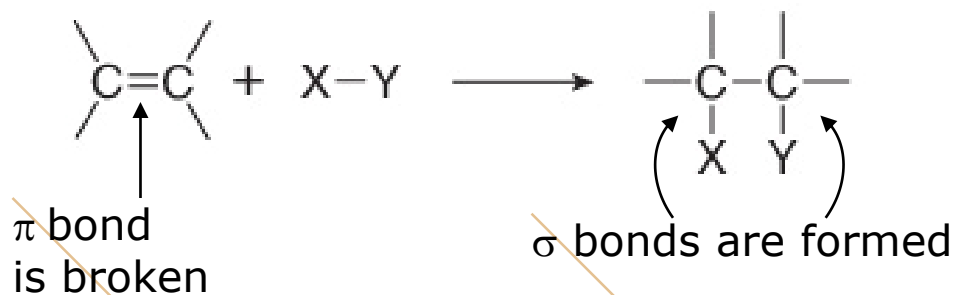
Eliminations

- In an **elimination** reaction two σ bonds are broken and one π bond is formed.



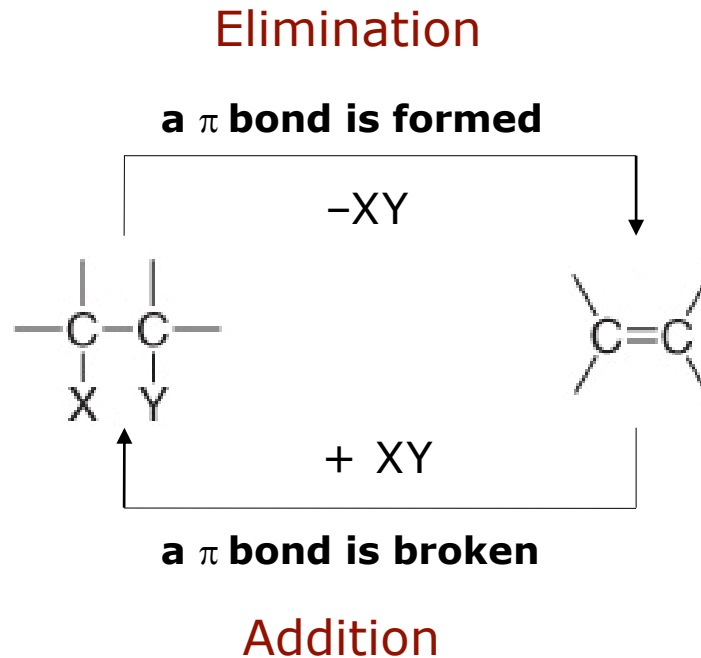
Additions

- In an **addition** reaction a π bond is broken and two new σ bond are formed.



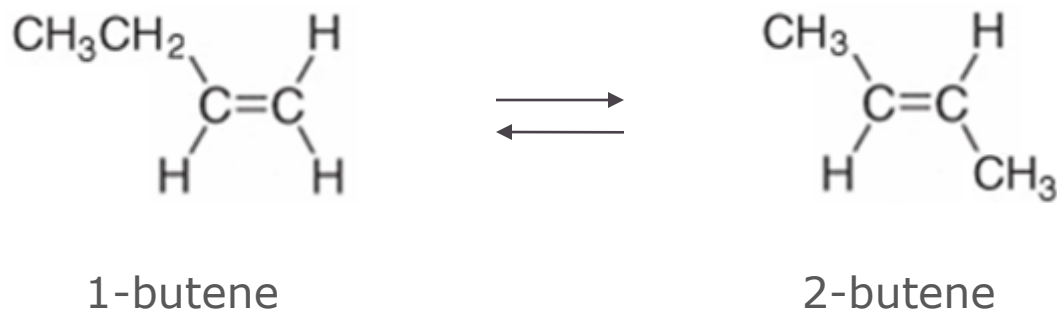
Additions and Eliminations

- Eliminations are the inverse of additions. A π bond is formed in eliminations and a π bond is broken in additions.

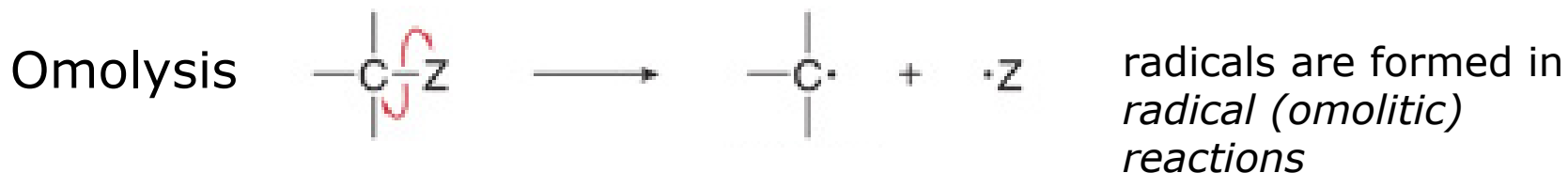


Rearrangements or Transpositions

- In a rearrangement or transposition the bonding pattern of a single reagent changes giving a constitutional isomer.



Bond Breaking



Radical



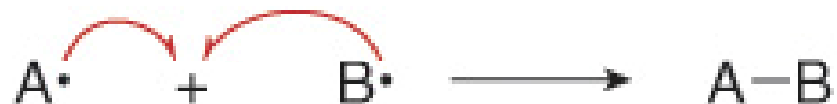
Carbocation



Carbanion

Bond Formation

- A new bond can be formed in two ways:
 - From two **radicals** each contributing a single electron.



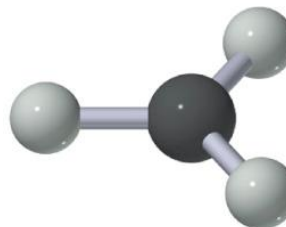
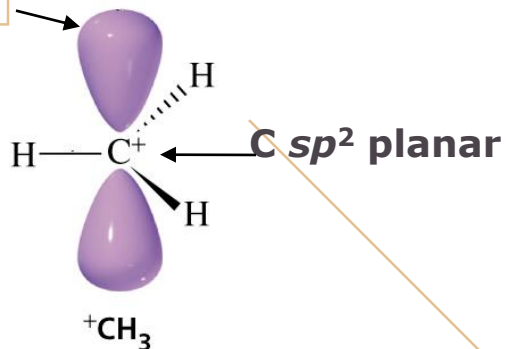
- From a **nucleophile** contributing an electron pair and an **electrophile** accepting the electron pair. Nu and E may be ions or neutral molecules



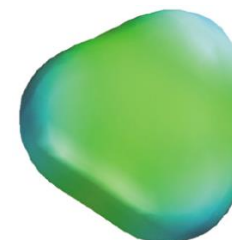
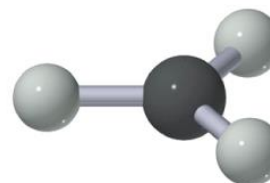
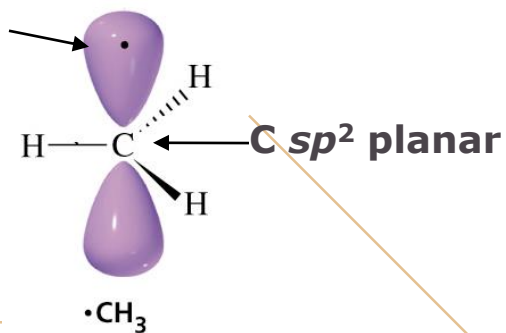
Energy is released in the formation of a bond

Carbocations, Carbanions, Radicals

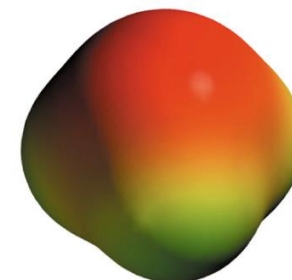
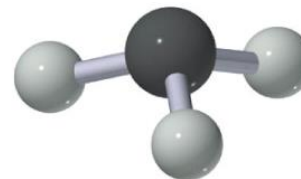
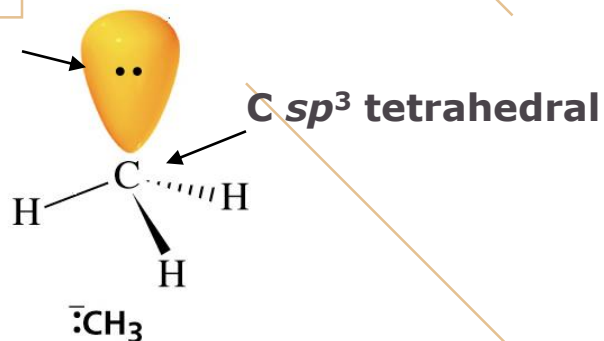
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Singly occupied p orbital

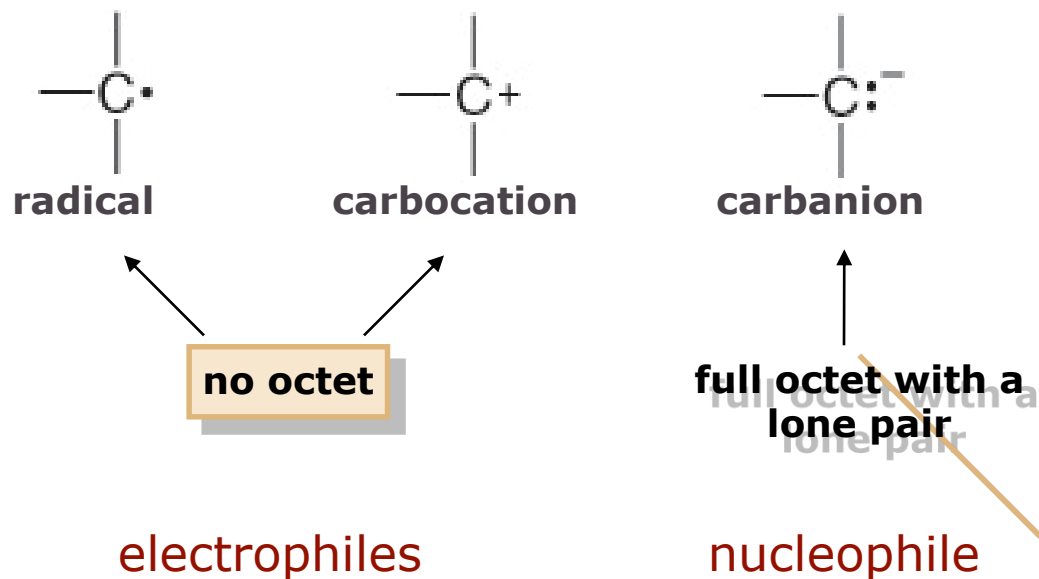


lone pair sp^3



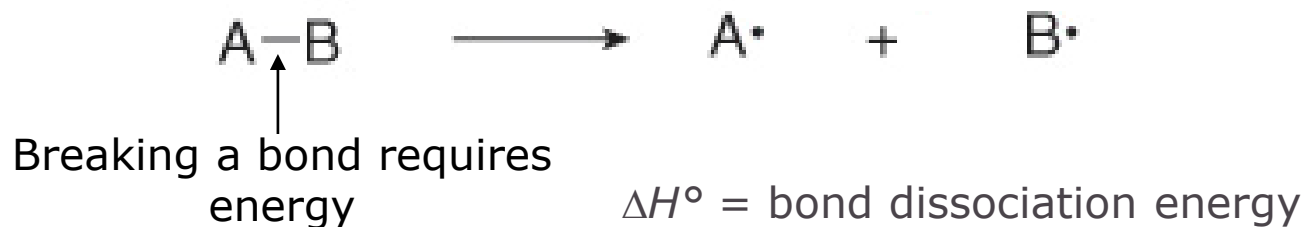
Carbocations, Carbanions, Radicals

- Radicals and carbocations are **electrophiles** because the carbon atom does not have a full octet.
- Carbanions are **nucleophiles** because the carbon atom has a lone pair.



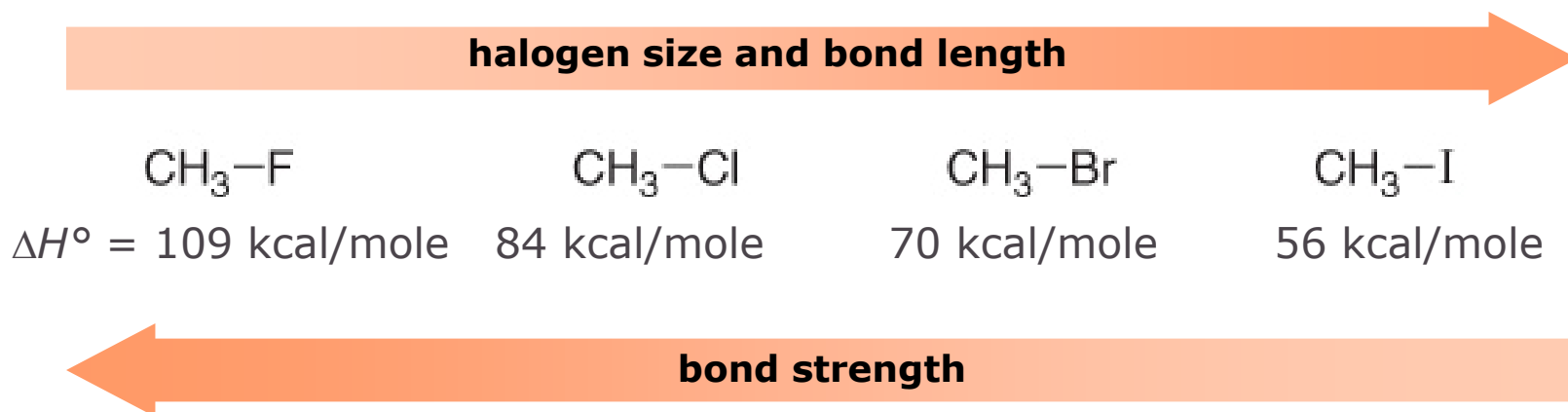
Bond Dissociation Energy

- Bond dissociation energy is the energy necessary to break a bond homolytically.



Bond Dissociation Energy

- The bond dissociation energy is a measure of the strength of the bond.
- The stronger the bond, the higher its dissociation energy.
- In general, shorter bonds are stronger.
- Bond dissociation energies decrease along a group.



A Reaction Mechanism.....

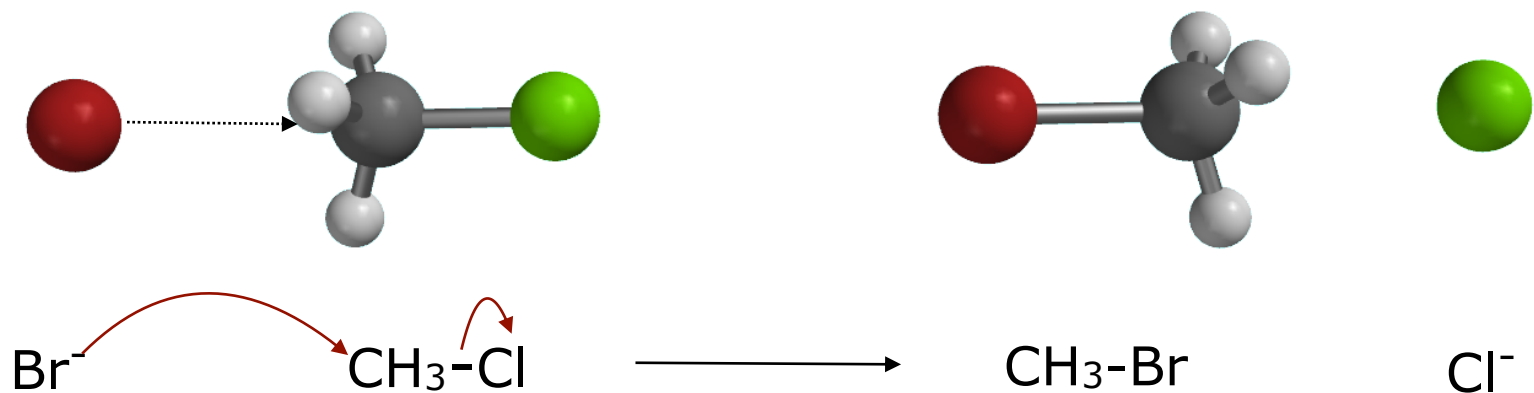
- Accounts for all reagents and products and their ratios.
- Describes in which order bonds are broken and formed and the rates of individual steps.
- In a *concerted reaction* reagents are directly converted into products in a single step.



- A multistep reaction involves the formation of one or more reactive intermediates.



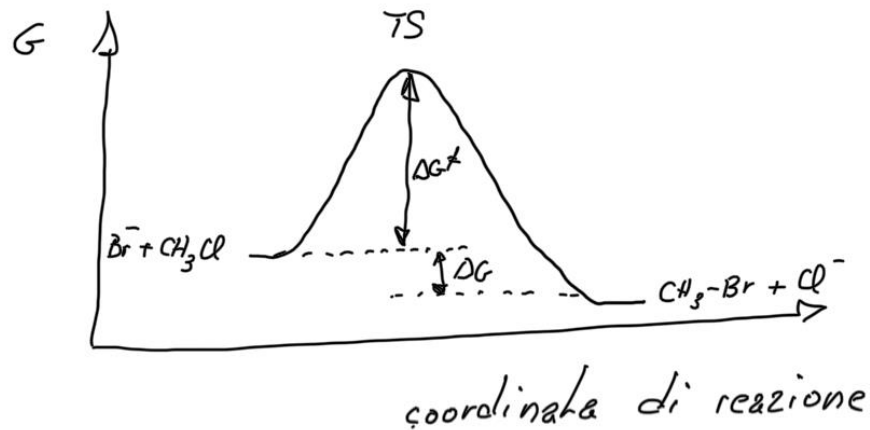
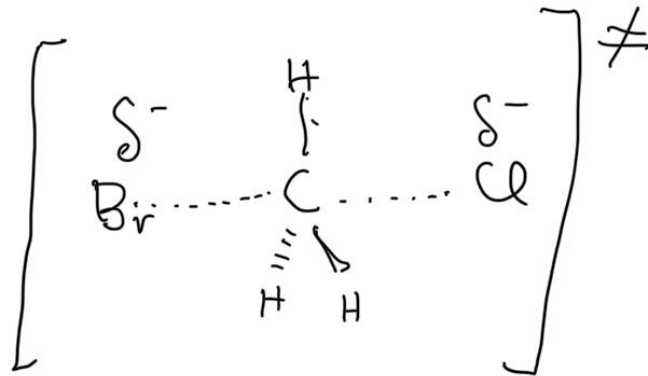
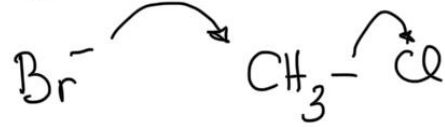
Transition State Theory and Collisional Theory



- ❑ Collisional theory: rigid collision between reacting species.
- ❑ Transition state theory: continuous deformation of reagent structure into product structure

Transition State

Struttura dello stato di transizione



Transition State Theory - Energy Diagrams

- The activation energy ΔG^\ddagger is the energy required for a reaction to take place.
- ⊕ $\Delta G^\ddagger = \Delta H^\ddagger - T\Delta S^\ddagger$
- ⊕ ΔG^\ddagger is correlated with the reaction's rate constant.

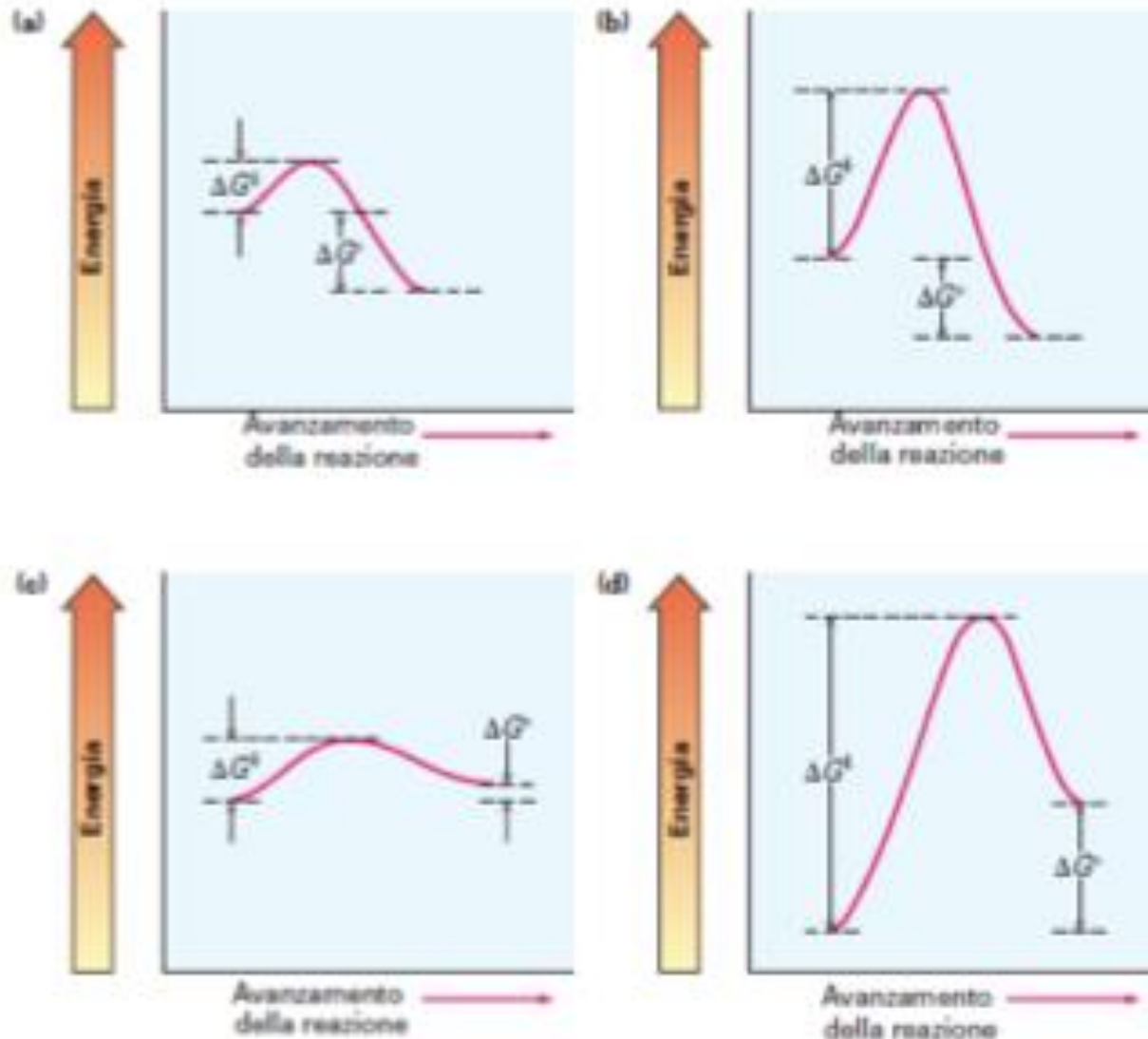
Eyring equation:

$$k = \frac{k_B T}{h} e^{-\frac{\Delta G^\ddagger}{RT}}$$

- The transition state structure is intermediate between the structures of reagents and products. In the transition state there are partial bonds and partial charges (if the mechanism is ionic).
- Transition states are represented in brackets with the \ddagger symbol.

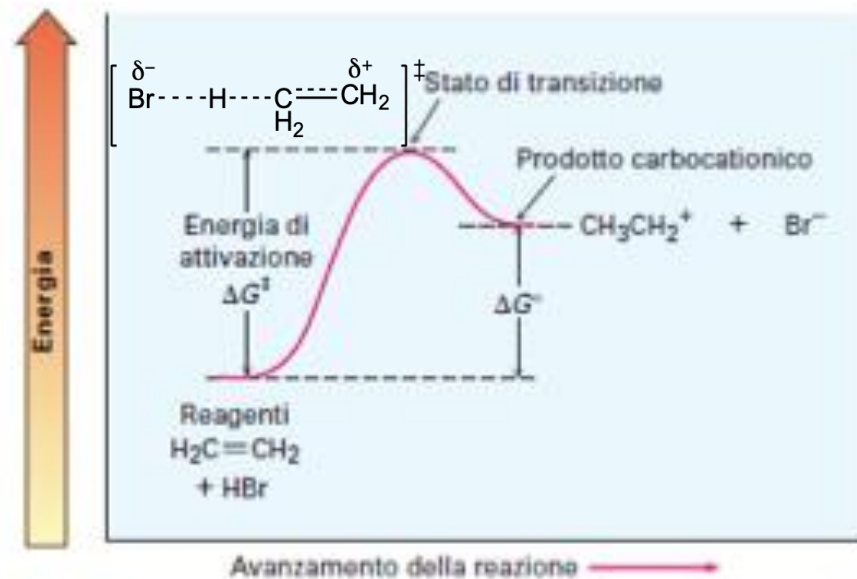
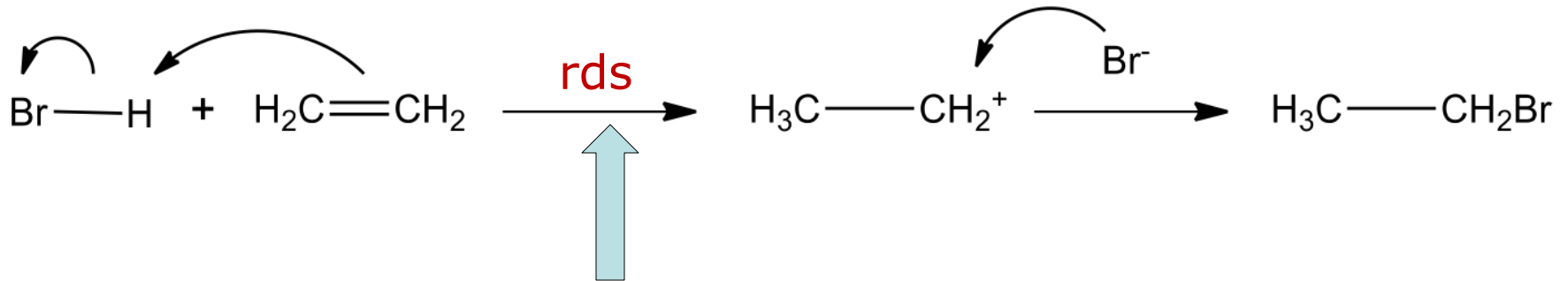
Energy Diagrams

One step reaction



Energy Diagrams

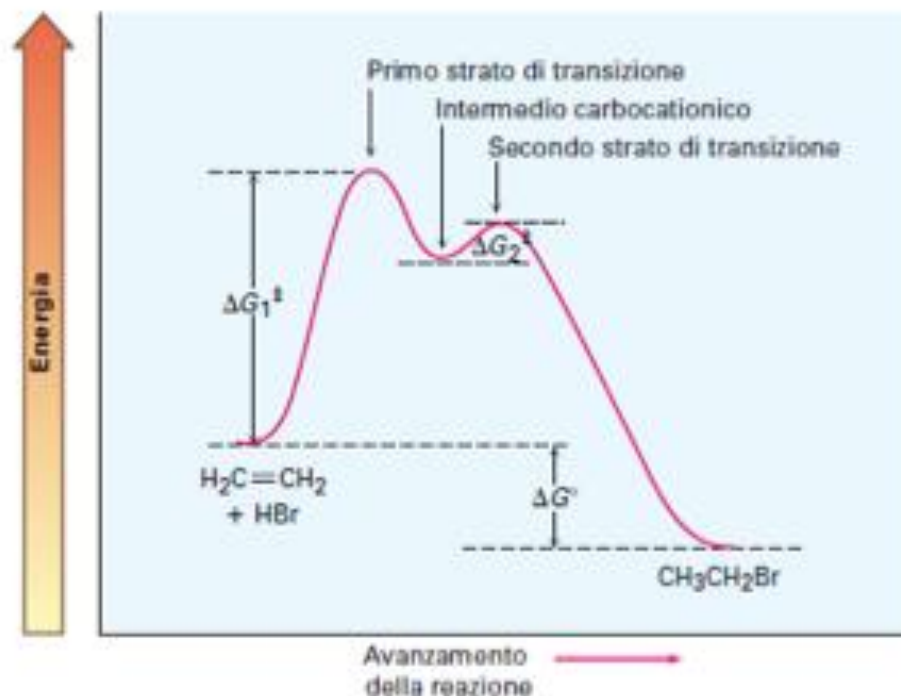
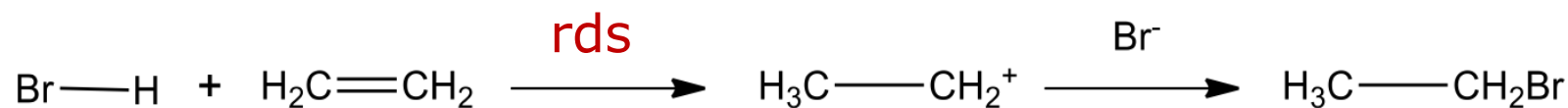
Two-step reaction



rds: rate determining step

Energy Diagrams

Complete energy diagram for the two-step reaction:



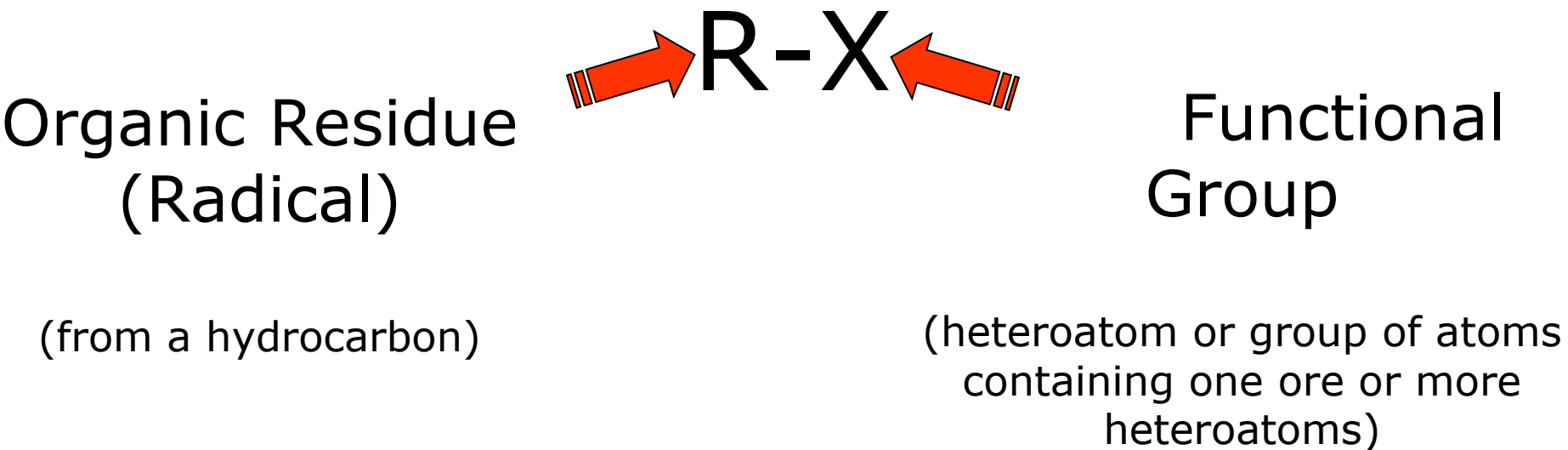
Functional Groups

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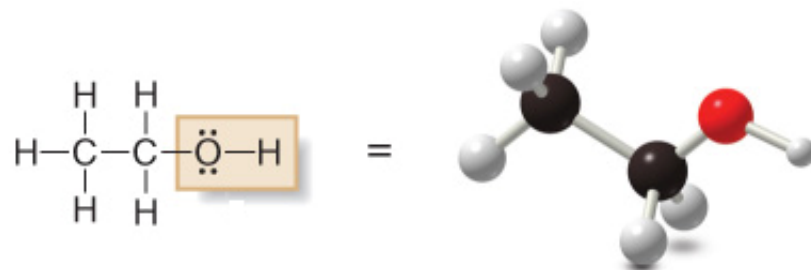
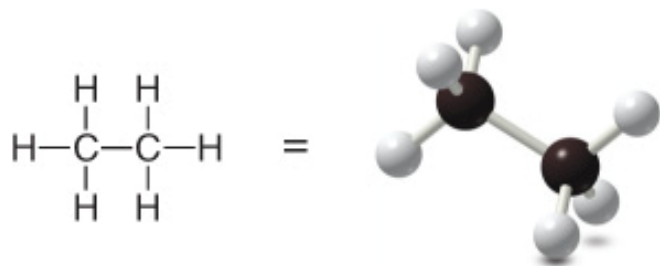
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Functional Groups



A functional group is an atom or a group of atoms all or in part \neq than C with specific and well defined physico-chemical properties.

Functional Groups



- Only C—C and C—H bonds
- No functional groups
- Does not possess polar bond or π bonds: very unreactive.
- Gas at NTP
- Insoluble in water

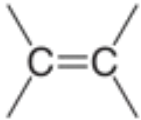
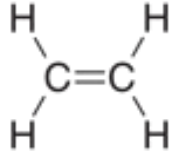
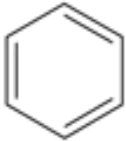
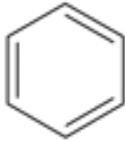
- OH functional groups
- Polar C-O and O-H bonds
- Lone pair on O
- Reacts with electrophiles
- Reacts with strong bases
- Liquid at NTP
- Soluble in water

Functional Groups

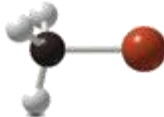


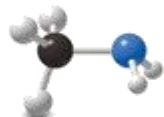


1. Define a class of compounds
 - Compounds belonging to the same class have **similar properties and reactivity**.
2. Are frequently the **reaction site**
 - Define the **reactivity** of a molecule
3. Determine the name
 - For example all ketones have the suffix **-one**:
 - » acet**one**
 - » cyclopropan**one**
 - » cortis**one**

Hydrocarbons

- Hydrocarbons possess only C–C e C–H bonds.
 - aliphatic** (alkanes, alkenes, alkynes) and **aromatic**.

Hydrocarbon	General structure	Example	Functional Group
Alkanes	$R-H$	CH_3CH_3	-----
Alkenes			Double bond
Alkynes	$-C\equiv C-$	$H-C\equiv C-H$	Triple bond
Aromatics			Aromatic ring

Functional Groups Containing C–Y σ bonds

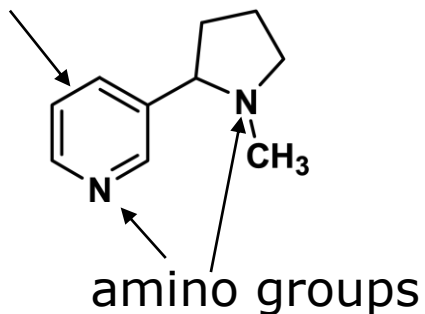
Class Name	Structure	Example	3D Structure	Functional Group
Alkyl Halide	$R-\ddot{X}:$ (X=F, Cl, Br, I)	$CH_3-\ddot{Br}:$		–X halo
Alcohol	$R-\ddot{O}H$	$CH_3-\ddot{O}H$		–OH hydroxy
Ether	$R-\ddot{O}-R$	$CH_3-\ddot{O}-CH_3$		–OR alcoxy
Amine	$R-\ddot{N}H_2$ or $R_2\ddot{N}H$ or $R_3\ddot{N}$	$CH_3-\ddot{N}H_2$		–NH ₂ amino
Thiol	$R-\ddot{S}H$	$CH_3-\ddot{S}H$		–SH mercapto
Sulfide	$R-\ddot{S}-R$	$CH_3-\ddot{S}-CH_3$		–SR alkylthio

Functional Groups Containing The C=O Bond

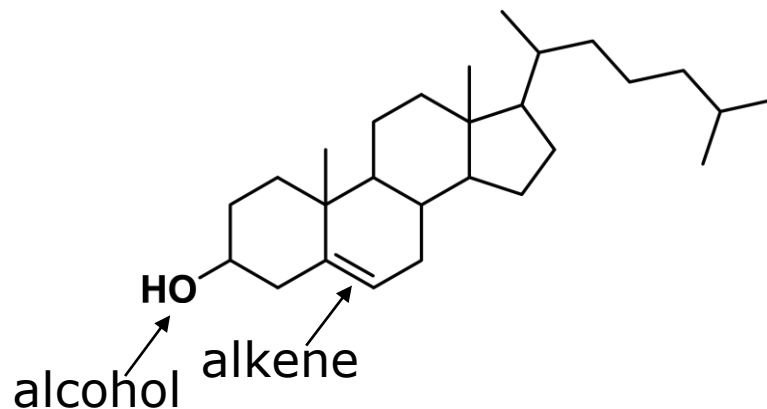
Class Name	Structure	Example	3D Structure	Functional Group
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Ketone	$\begin{array}{c} \text{:O:} \\ \parallel \\ \text{R}-\text{C}-\text{R} \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c} \text{:O:} \\ \parallel \\ \text{CH}_3-\text{C}-\text{CH}_3 \end{array}$		C=O carbonyl
Carboxylic Acid	$\begin{array}{c} \text{:O:} \\ \parallel \\ \text{R}-\text{C}-\ddot{\text{O}}\text{H} \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c} \text{:O:} \\ \parallel \\ \text{CH}_3-\text{C}-\ddot{\text{O}}\text{H} \end{array}$		-COOH carboxylate
Ester	$\begin{array}{c} \text{:O:} \\ \parallel \\ \text{R}-\text{C}-\ddot{\text{O}}\text{R} \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c} \text{:O:} \\ \parallel \\ \text{CH}_3-\text{C}-\ddot{\text{O}}\text{CH}_3 \end{array}$		-COOR
Amide	$\begin{array}{c} \text{:O:} \\ \parallel \\ \text{R}-\text{C}-\ddot{\text{N}} \begin{array}{l} \text{H (o R)} \\ \text{H (o R)} \end{array} \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c} \text{:O:} \\ \parallel \\ \text{CH}_3-\text{C}-\ddot{\text{N}}\text{H}_2 \end{array}$		-CONH ₂ -CONHR -CONR ₂
Acid Chloride	$\begin{array}{c} \text{:O:} \\ \parallel \\ \text{R}-\text{C}-\ddot{\text{Cl}} \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c} \text{:O:} \\ \parallel \\ \text{CH}_3-\text{C}-\ddot{\text{Cl}} \end{array}$		-COCl

Polyfunctional Molecules

aromatic

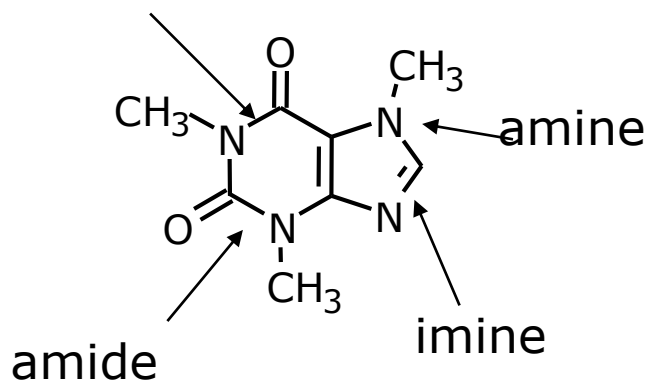


nicotine

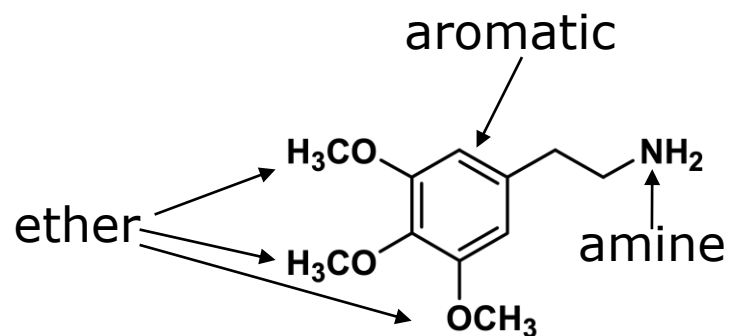


cholesterol

amide

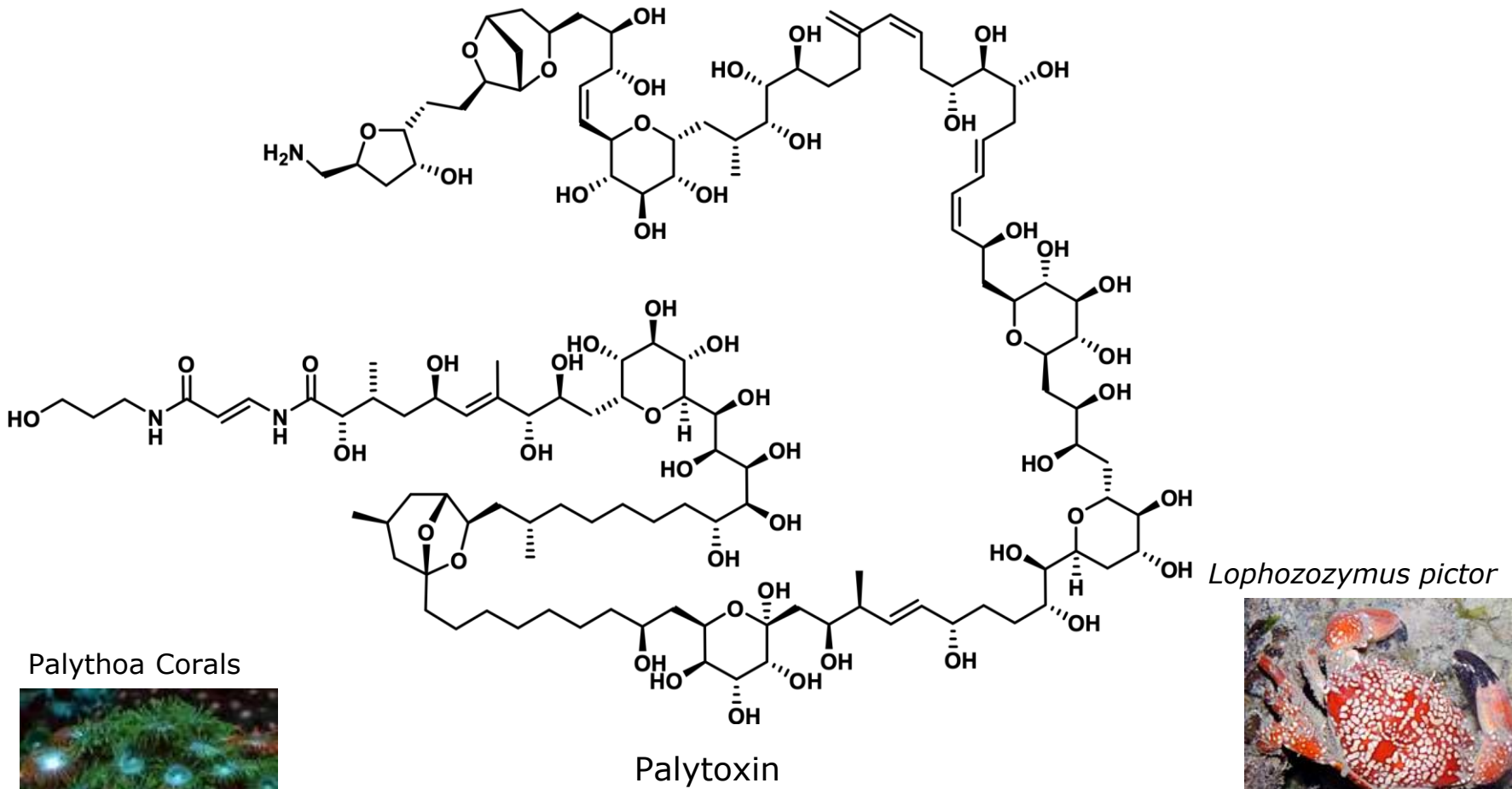


caffeine



mescaline

Organic Compounds

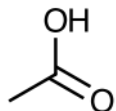


Palythoa Corals



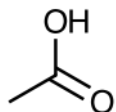
Line Notations

SMILES (**S**implified **M**olecular **I**nterface **L**anguage **E**xecutable **S**ystem)



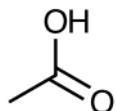
CC(=O)O

InChI (**I**nternational **C**hemical **I**dentifier)

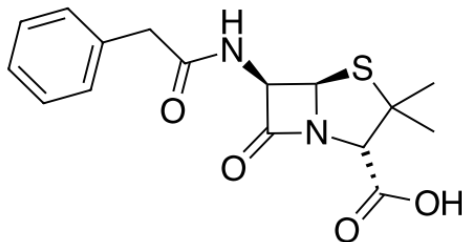


InChI=1S/C2H4O2/c1-2(3)4/h1H3,(H,3,4)

InChIKey (A hashed version of InChI)



QTBSBXVTEAMEQO-UHFFFAOYSA-N



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SMILES: OC([C@@H]1N2C([C@@H](NC(CC3=CC=CC=C3)=O)[C@H]2SC1(C)C)=O)=O

InChI: InChI=1S/C16H18N2O4S/c1-16(2)12(15(21)22)18-13(20)11(14(18)23-16)17-10(19)8-9-6-4-3-5-7-9/h3-7,11-12,14H,8H2,1-2H3,(H,17,19)(H,21,22)/t11-,12+,14-/m1/s1

InChIKey: JGSARLDLIJGVTE-MBANYWOFBSA-N

1. Carbon Forms Covalent Bonds With Many Other Elements

Groups → 1A 2A 3A 4A 5A 6A 7A 8A

First row → H

Second row → Li // B **C** N O F

Na Mg // Si P S Cl

K // Br

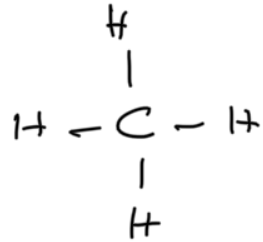
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Columns

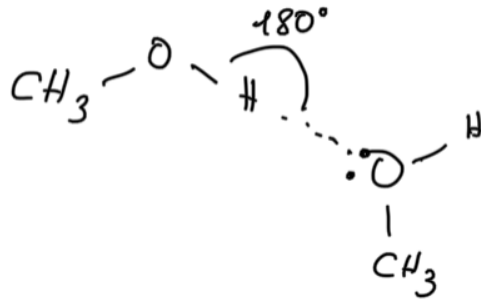
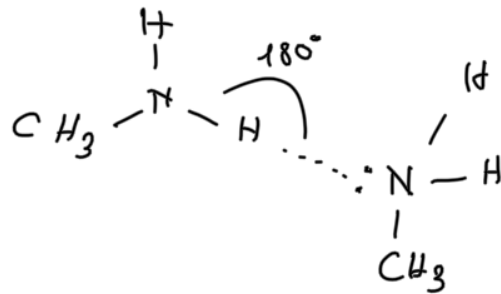
In most organic molecules carbon is combined with relatively few elements

The Hydrogen Bond

LEGAME IDROGENO



NO



Transition State

Struttura dello stato di transizione

