

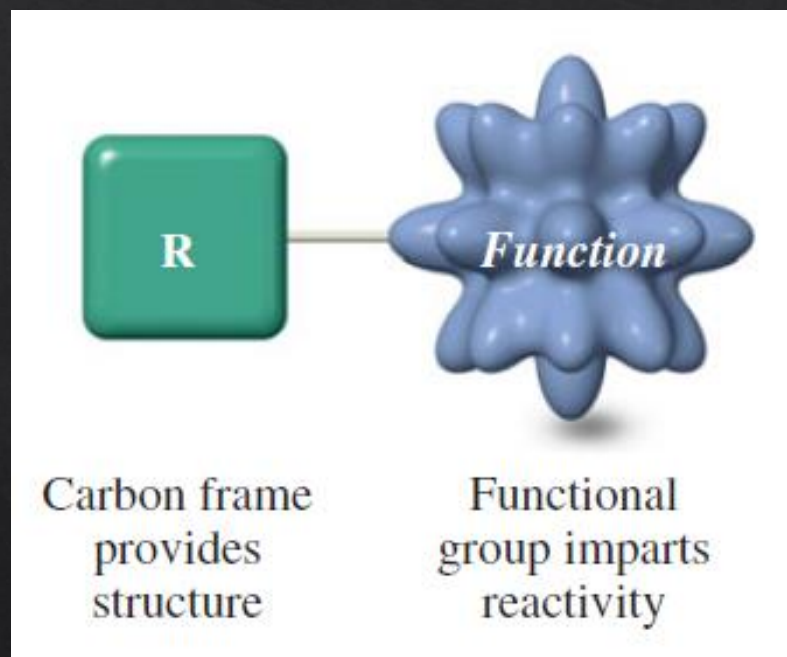
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Acid/bases

Nucleophilic/electrophilic

Functional groups

Functional groups



Picture from Vollhardt & Schore

Alkanes, Alkenes and Alkynes

Alkane Name	Alkene name	Alkyne name
Methane	-	-
Ethane	Ethene	Ethyne
Propane	Propene	Propyne
Butane	Butene	Butyne
Pentane	Pentene	Pentyne
Hexane	Hexene	Hexyne
Heptane	Heptene	Heptyne
Octane	Octene	Octyne
Nonane	Nonene	Nonyne
Decane	Decene	Decyne

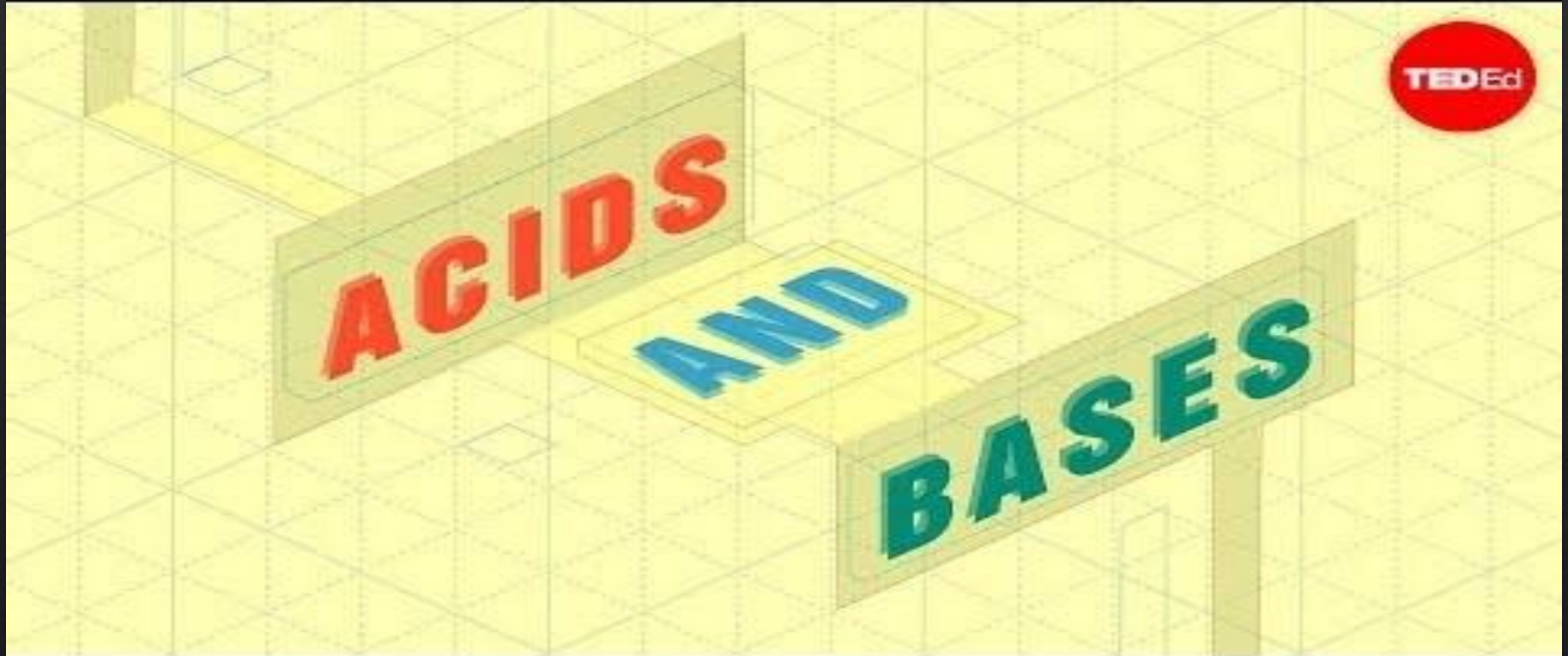


Functional groups



Name	Formula	Suffix/Prefix
Carboxylic Acids	-COOH	-oic acid
Esters	-COOR	-oate
Halogenoid Acids	-COX	Chloro-/Bromo- etc.
Amides	-CONH ₂	-ide
Nitriles	-CN	Cyano-
Aldehydes	-CHO	-al
Ketones	-CO-	-one
Alcohols	-OH	-ol
Phenols	-OH	Pheno(1)-
Amines	-NH ₂	-amine
Ethers	-OR	-ethane

But first...



Electrophiles & Nucleophiles



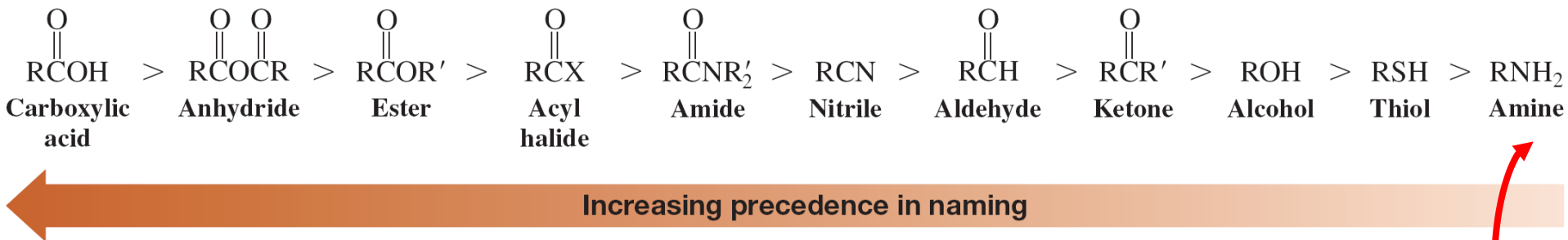
Brønsted and Lowry:

Acid = proton donor (electrophile)
Base = proton acceptor (nucleophile)

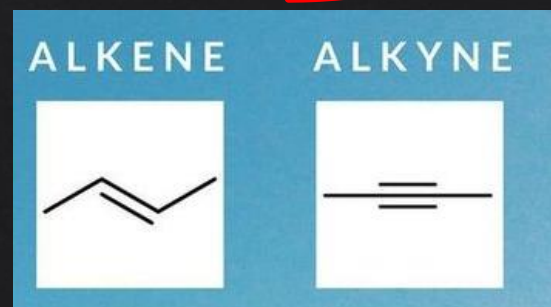
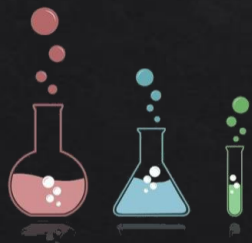


Priority of functional groups

Order of Precedence of Functional Groups



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Alcohols

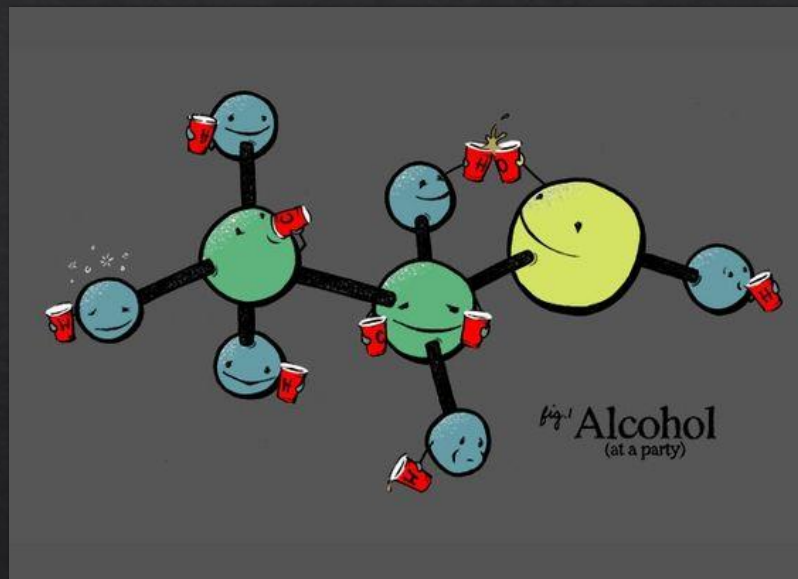
Functional group **-OH**
(hydroxy)

IUPAC names: alkane +
ending **-ol** (e.g. propanol).
Longest carbon chain
containing the **-OH**, not
necessarily the longest one.

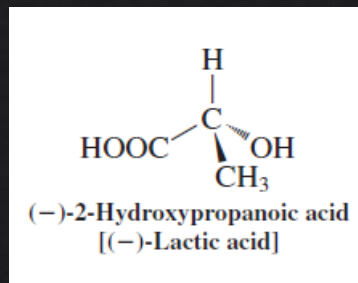
If more **-OH** present: **-diol**,
-triol, etc.

When a substituent (group
with higher priority present):
hydroxy- (e.g. (-)-2-
hydroxypropanoic acid)

Common name: alkyl group + alcohol
(e.g. methyl alcohol)



Picture from [D. Shoshan](#)



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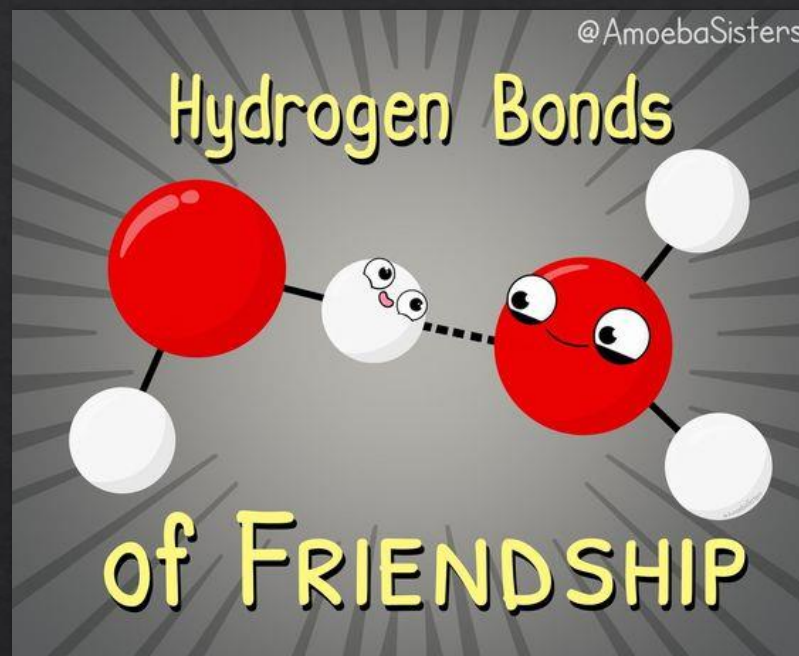
Alcohols properties

O-H bond shorter than C-H bond

Oxygen electronegativity polarizes the O-H bond → formation of **hydrogen bonds** between molecules → higher* boiling point

-OH is hydrophilic → increased* solubility in water

The hydrocarbon chain increases the solubility in nonpolar solvents



* Compared to the corresponding hydrocarbon

Ethers

Ethers might be considered alcohols where the H in -OH has been replaced by an alkyl group

The R (alkyl) group can be the same (R-O-R ; symmetric ether) or different ($\text{R-O-R}'$; asymmetric ether)

IUPAC names: the shorter hydrocarbon is considered part of the substituent, the longer defines the stem, the two connected by **-oxy-**

$\text{CH}_3\text{OCH}_2\text{CH}_3 \rightarrow \text{Methoxyethane}$



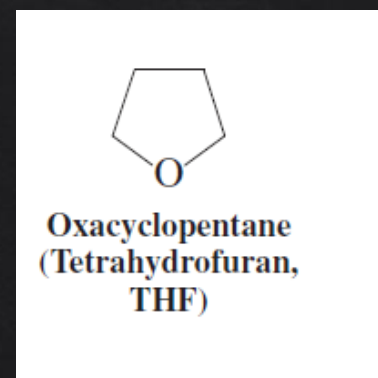
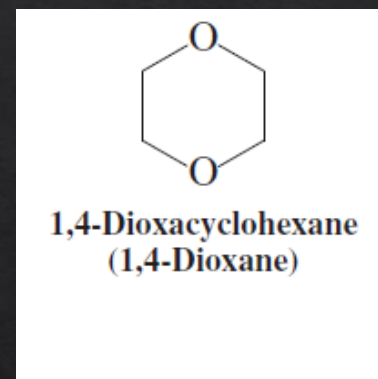
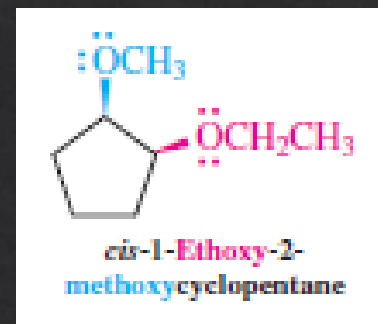
Common name: two alkyl group + ether
(e.g. methyl ethyl ether)



Cyclic ethers

Cyclic ethers can be a cyclic molecule with one or more oxygen atoms and the connected R group are substituents

But they can also have the oxygen replacing one or more of the carbon atoms

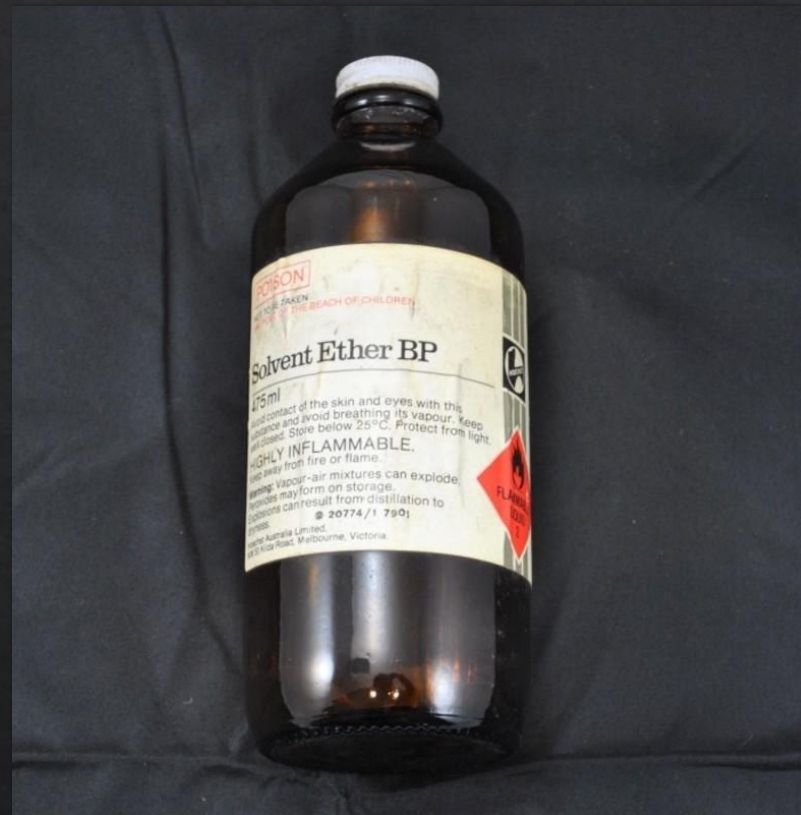


Ethers properties

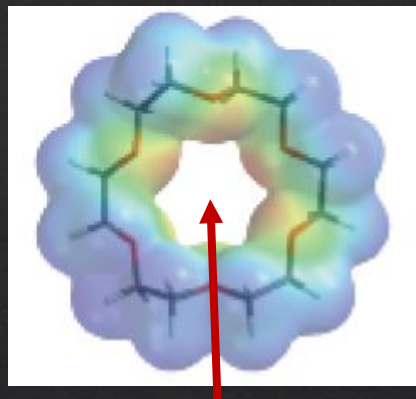
Fairly unreactive → used as solvents

No hydrogen bonding → lower boiling points than isomeric alcohols

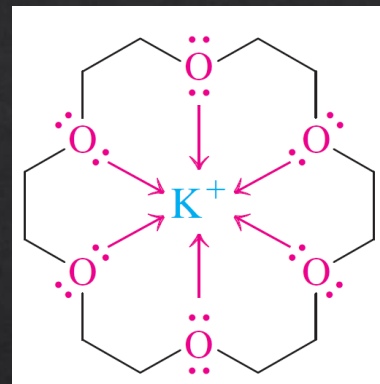
Only the two smallest are soluble in water, with increasing length of the hydrocarbon chain they become less soluble in water



Crown ethers properties



Hole size
perfect for K^+



18-Crown-6

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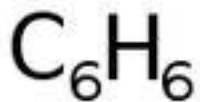
The inside of the crown is Lewis basic

The inside of the crown can bind metal cations and dissolve salts in organic media

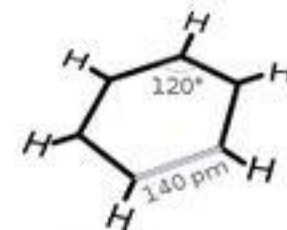
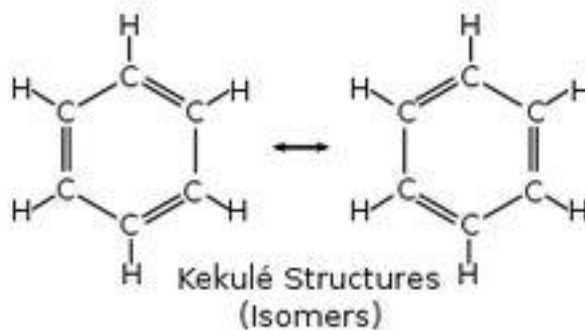
Together with polycyclic ethers (cryptands) they are ion transport agents making ions more soluble in non polar solvents



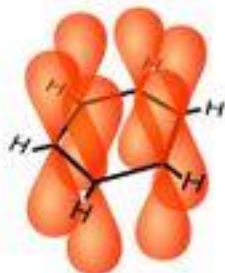
Benzenes



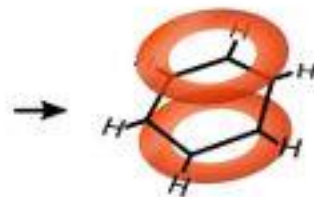
Benzene
Molecular formula



Sigma Bonds
 sp^2 Hybridized orbitals



6 p_z orbitals

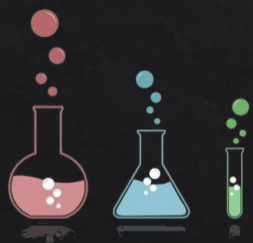


delocalized pi
system



Benzene ring
Simplified depiction

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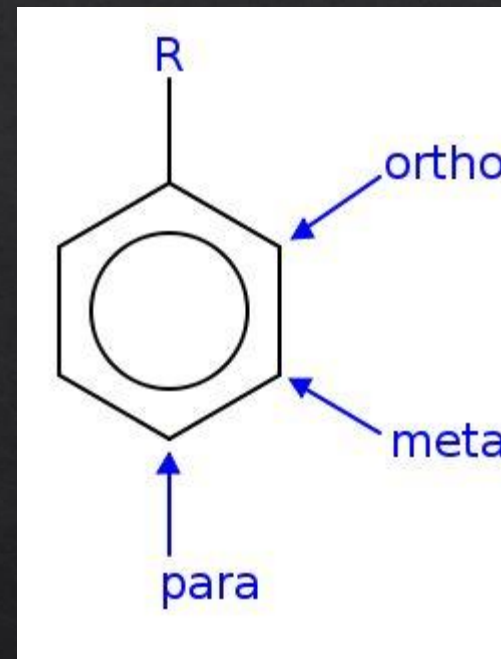


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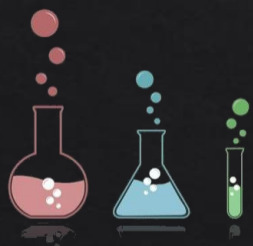
If there's no functional group, monosubstituted benzenes are named substituent prefix + benzene (e.g. fluorobenzene, methylbenzene)

Disubstituted: 1,2-, 1,3-, 1,4- or (o-, m-, p-). Alphabetical order!

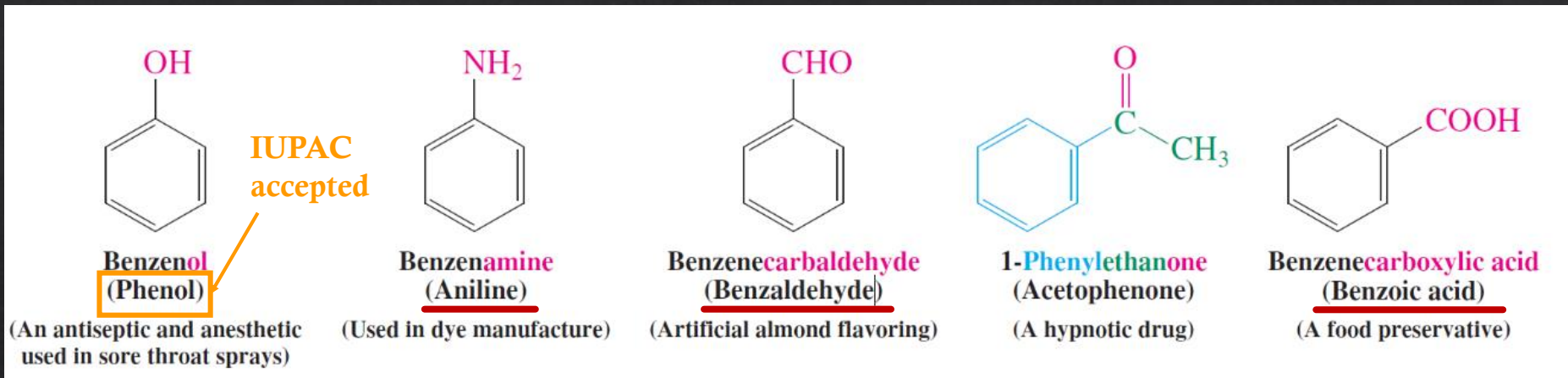
Polysubstituted: lowest number, if equal, alphabetical



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Benzenes



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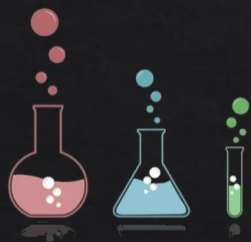
If there is a functional group, we add the corresponding suffix after benzen.

Common names

General term for benzene derivatives:
Arene.

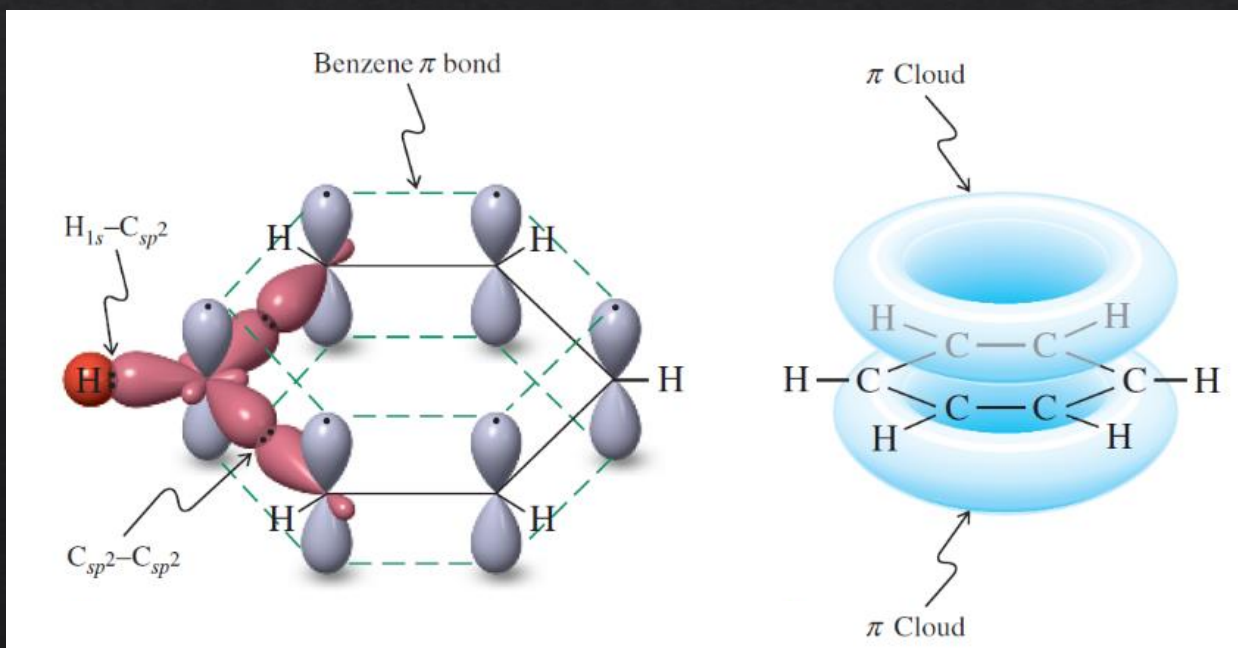
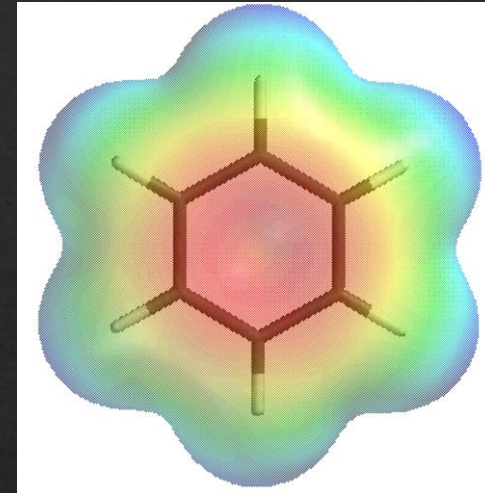
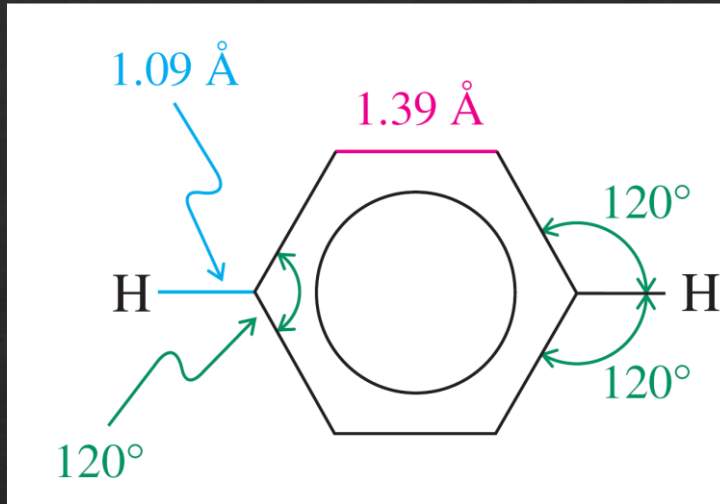
C_6H_5- is **phenyl**; general **aryl**.

$C_6H_5CH_2-$ is **phenylmethyl** or **benzyl**.



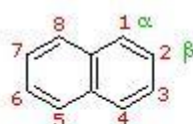
Benzenes properties

Both the π and σ frame symmetrize the structure

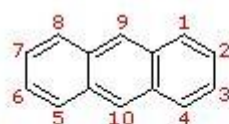


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Benzenes properties



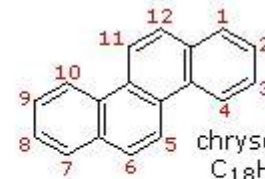
naphthalene
 $C_{10}H_8$
m.p. $81^{\circ}C$



anthracene
 $C_{14}H_{10}$
m.p. $217^{\circ}C$



phenanthrene
 $C_{14}H_{10}$
m.p. $100^{\circ}C$



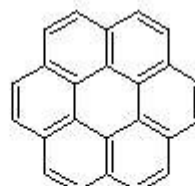
chrysene
 $C_{18}H_{12}$
m.p. $253^{\circ}C$



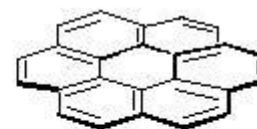
pyrene
 $C_{16}H_{10}$
m.p. $150^{\circ}C$



corannulene
 $C_{20}H_{10}$
m.p. $268^{\circ}C$

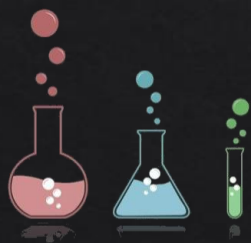


coronene
 $C_{24}H_{12}$
m.p. $442^{\circ}C$

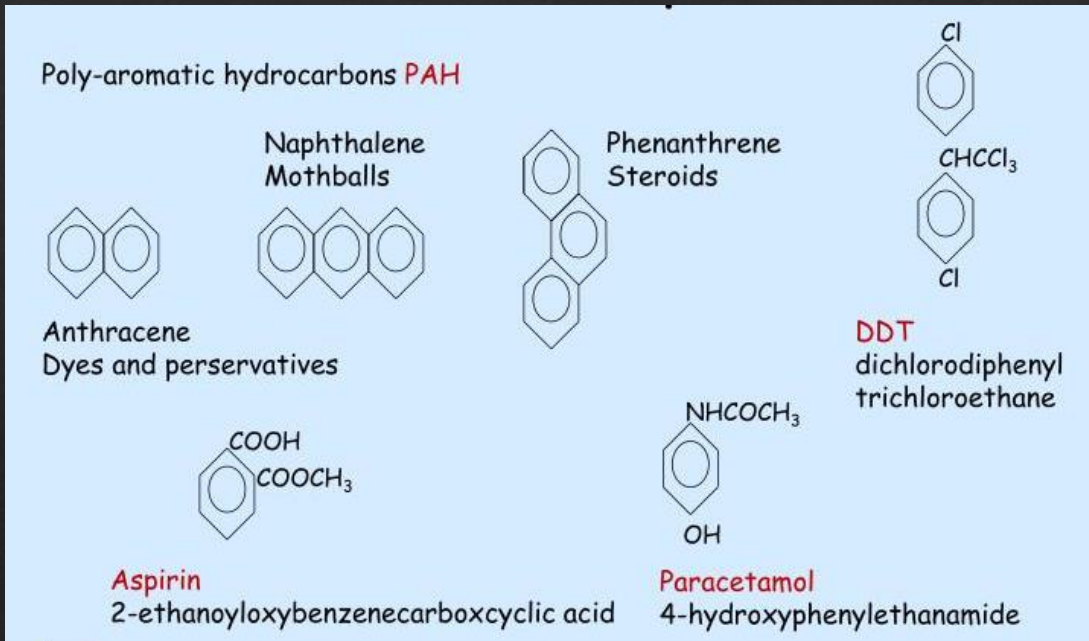


hexahelicene
 $C_{26}H_{16}$
m.p. $230^{\circ}C$

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Benzenes



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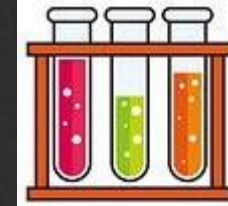


STEROID EFFECTS: THE GOOD, THE BAD AND THE UGLY OF ANABOLIC STEROIDS

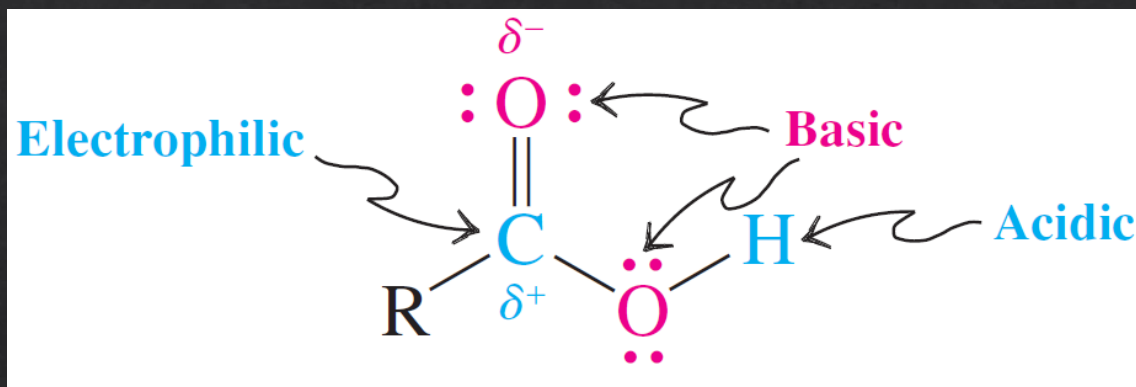


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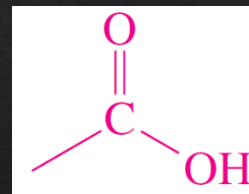


Carboxylic acids

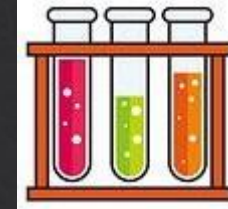


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Carboxy group: $-\text{COOH}$, $-\text{CO}_2\text{H}$,



Carboxylic acids

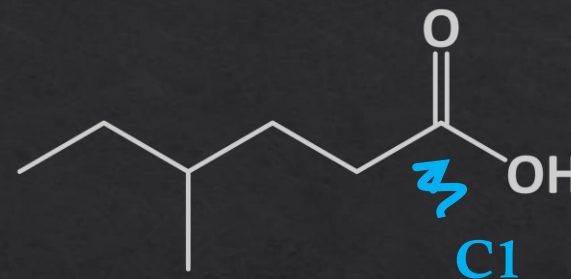


Replace $-e$ of alkane name with $-oic\ acid$

$HCOOH$ Methanoic acid (Formic acid)

CH_3COOH Ethanoic acid (Acetic acid)

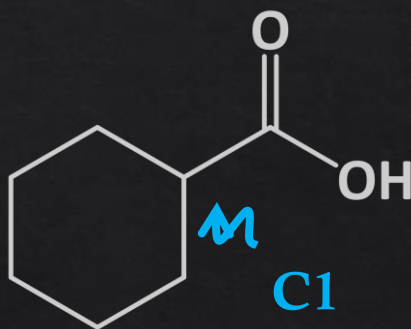
CH_3CH_2COOH Propanoic acid



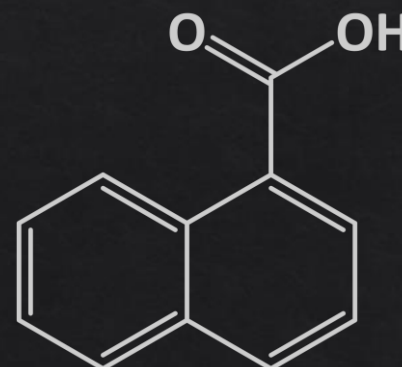
4-Methylhexanoic acid

If two $-COOH$ present: $-dioc\ acid$

Cyclic: Cycloalkanecarboxylic acids

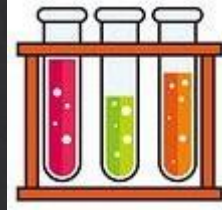


Cyclohexanecarboxylic acid



1-Naphthalenecarboxylic acid

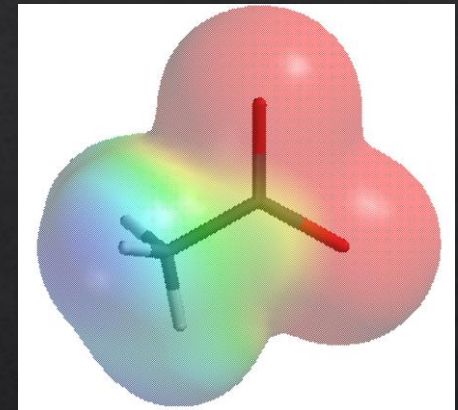
Carboxylic acids properties



The carboxy group is relatively acidic.

Strong polarity → hydrogen bond → up to butanoic acid are soluble in water

Strong odor



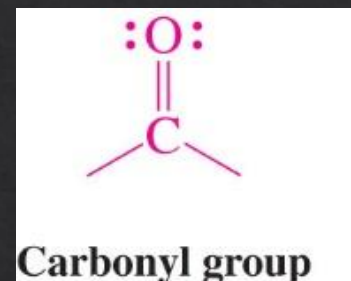
Acetate ion



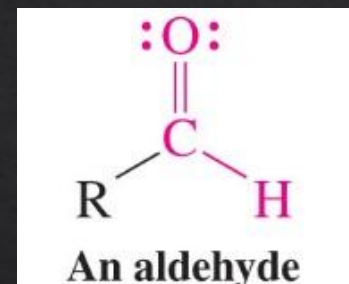
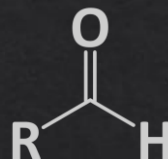


Aldehydes & Ketones

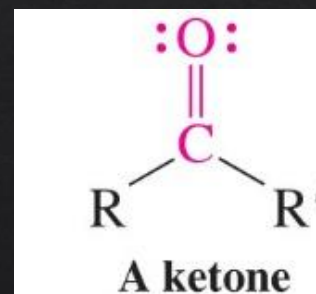
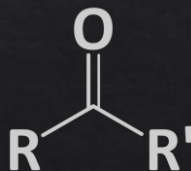
Functional Group: Carbonyl



Aldehyde: RCHO,



Ketone: RCOR',



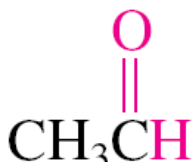


Aldehydes

Alkan**e** → Alkan**al**. Longest chain starts at **-CH=O**, which contains **C1** (might not be the absolute longest).



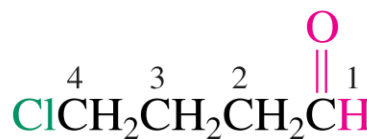
Form**aldehyde**



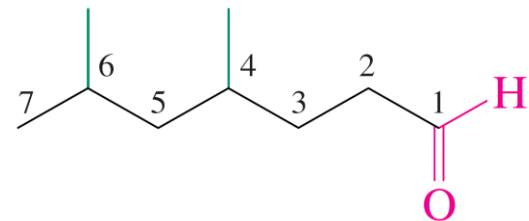
Acet**aldehyde**



Propan**al**



4-**Chlorobutanal**



4,6-**Dimethylheptanal**

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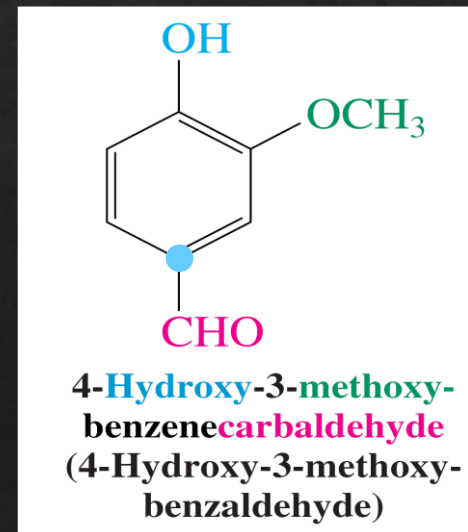
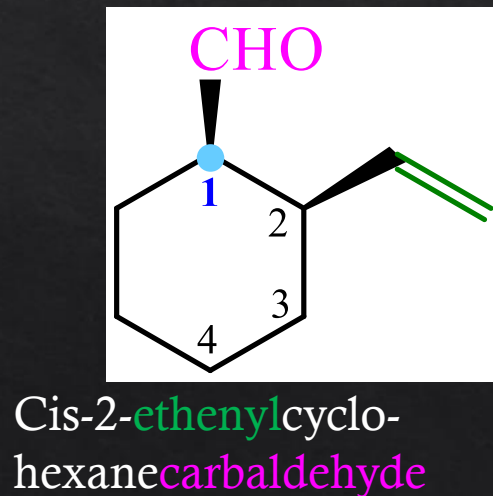
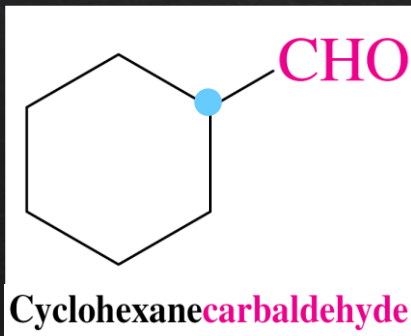
IUPAC-accepted common names

A compound with two carbonyl groups ends in **-dial**



Aldehydes on a ring

-**carbaldehyde** after cycloalkane name.
The carbon attached to $-\text{CH}=\text{O}$ is **C1**.

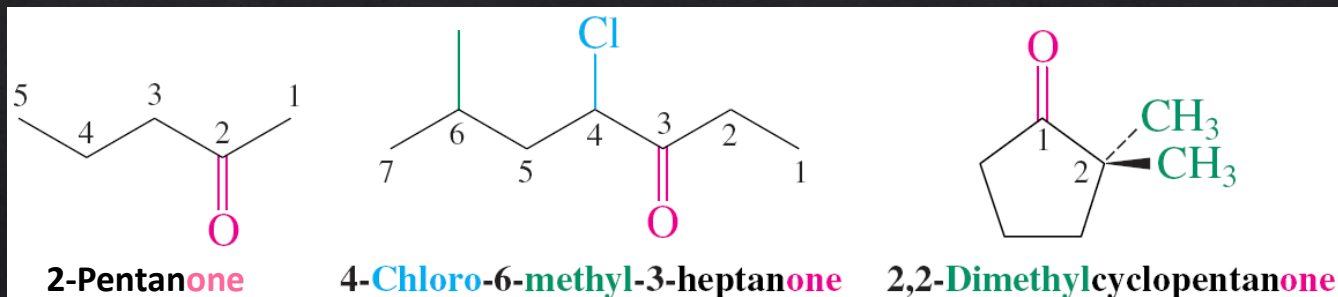




Ketones

Alkane \rightarrow Alkanone. Longest chain incorporates carbonyl carbon and is numbered from terminus close to $C=O$.

Cyclic ketones are cycloalkanones



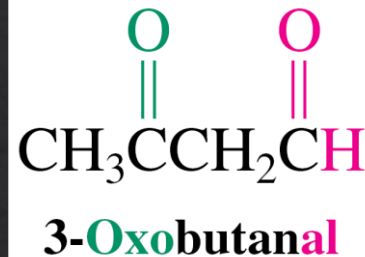
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If more $C=O$ present: **-dione**, **-trione**, etc.

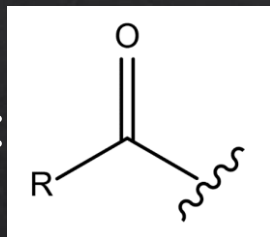


Aldehydes & Ketones

An aldehyde containing a ketone C=O is called an **oxoalkanal**.

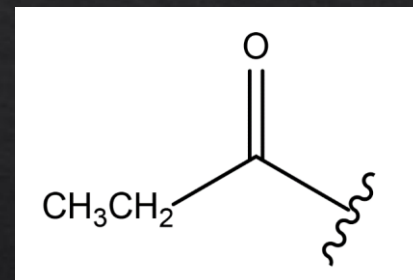


Substituent name:

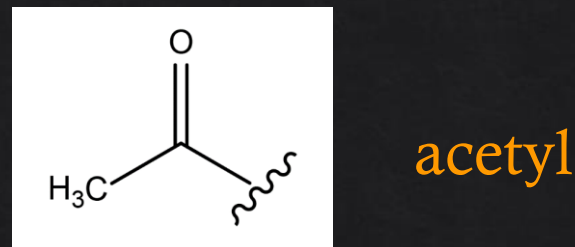


carboxylic acid name **+yl**

propanoyl



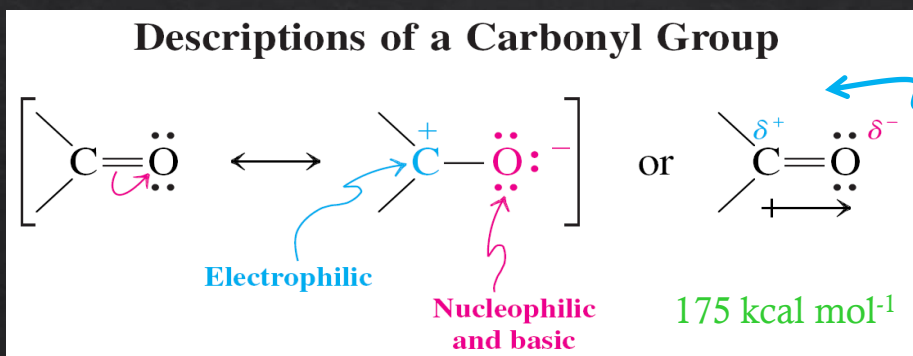
IUPAC accepted common names





Aldehydes & Ketones properties

The carbonyl group contains a short, strong, and very polar bond.



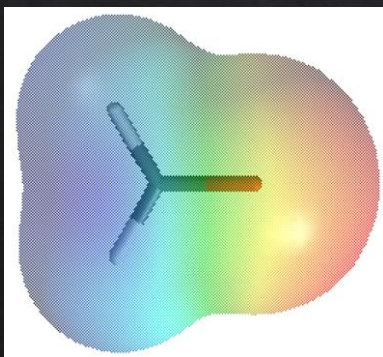
Polarization

C is electrophilic

O nucleophilic and slightly basic

Higher boiling points than corresponding hydrocarbon

Smaller carbonyl derivatives soluble in water, >6C insoluble

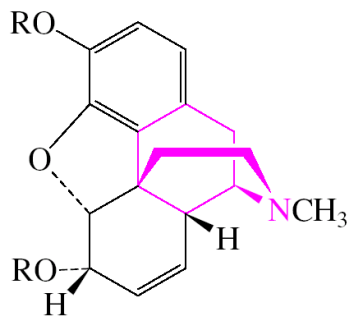
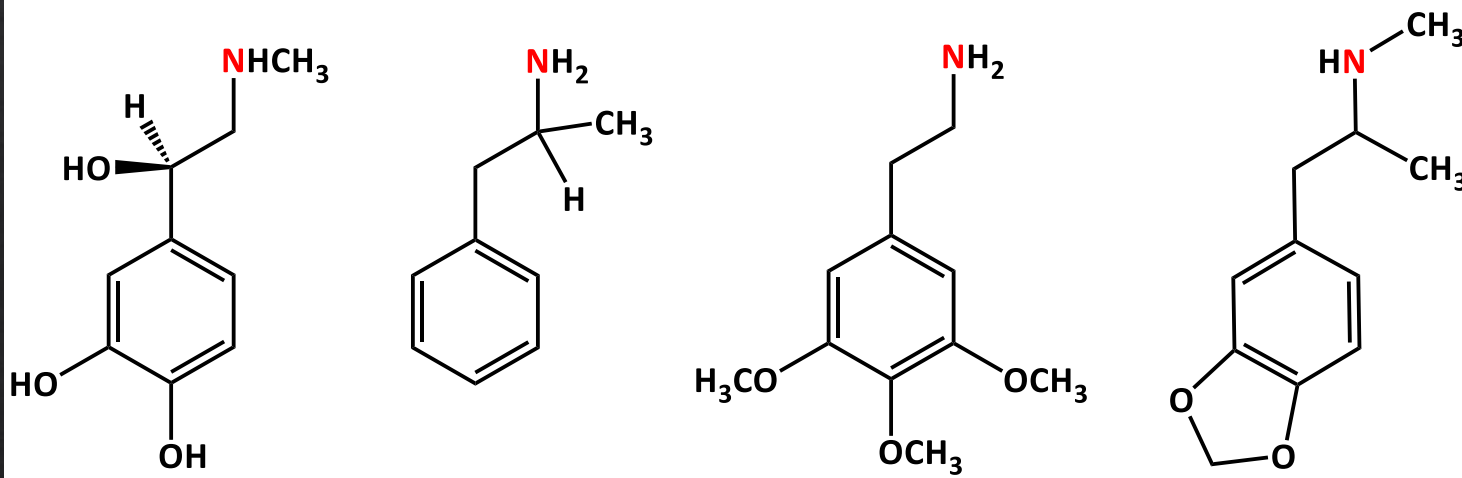


Electrostatic Potential Map

Amines

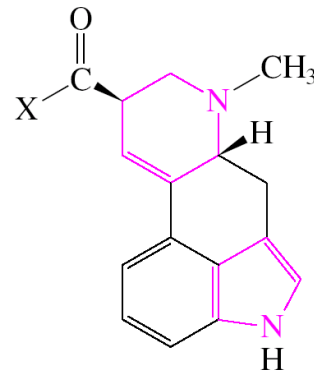


Found in many medicines and alkaloids (natural amines)



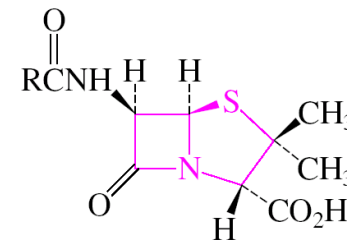
Morphine (R = H)

Heroin (R = $\text{CH}_3\text{C}=\text{O}$)



Lysergic acid (X = OH)

Lysergic acid diethylamide, LSD
[X = $(\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2)_2\text{N}$]



Penicillin

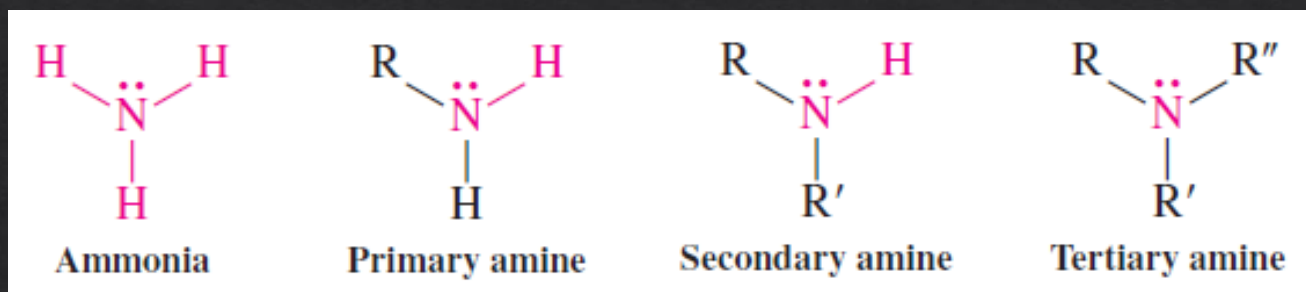
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Amines

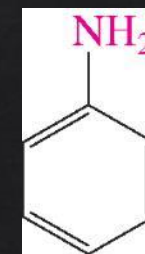


Amines are derivatives of ammonia

The number of R substituents determines the amine classification



IUPAC: Primary amines Alkanamines



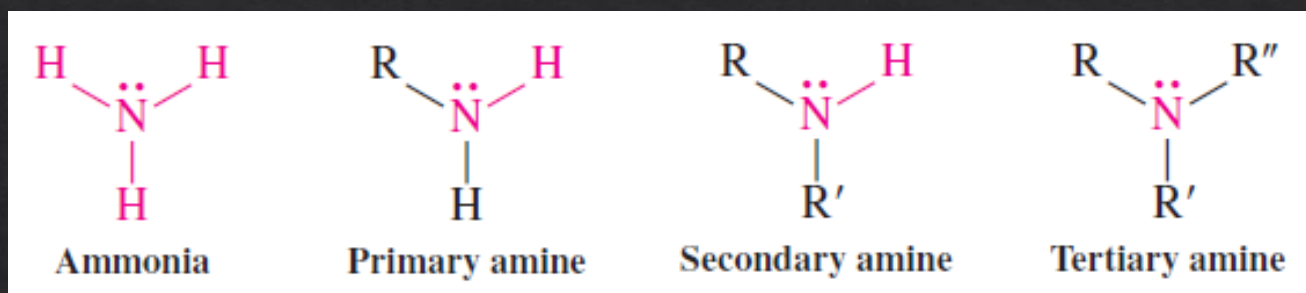
Benzenamine
(Aniline)

Amines



Amines are derivatives of ammonia

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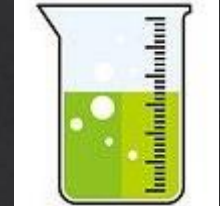


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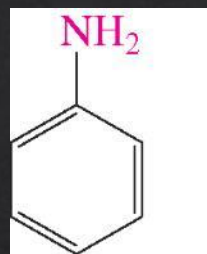
If two amine functions present: -diamines

Amines



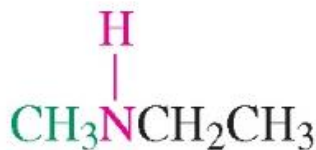
Aromatic amines are called **anilines**

But the naming doesn't change, **-amine** at the end. Or, if more groups present benzen**diamines**, **-triamines**, etc.



Benzenamine
(Aniline)

Secondary amines
N-alkyl alkan **amines**



***N*-Methylethanamine**

Amines

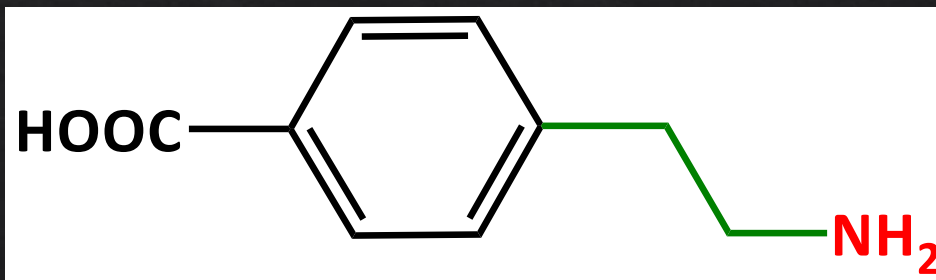


Tertiary amines
N,N-alkyl alkan amines



N,N-Dimethyl-1-propanamine

Lowest priority group, prefix amino



4-(2-Aminoethyl)benzoic acid

Amines properties

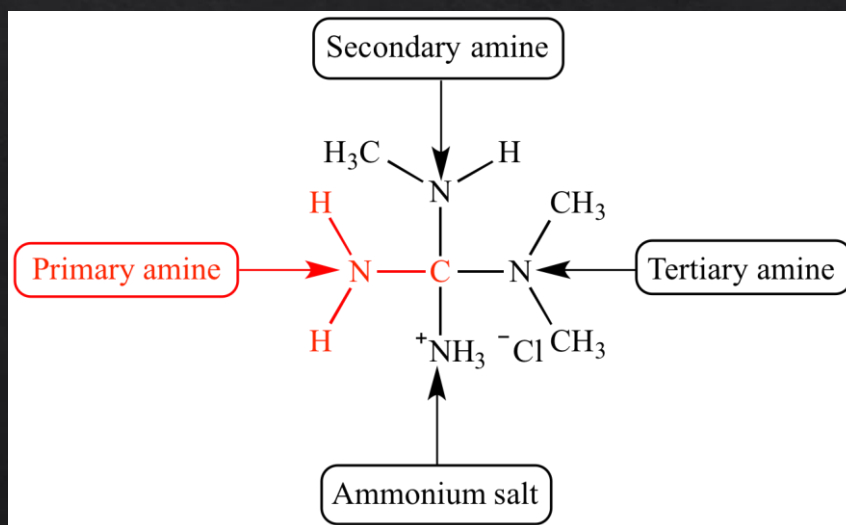


All amines are basic, but primary and secondary amines can also behave like acids

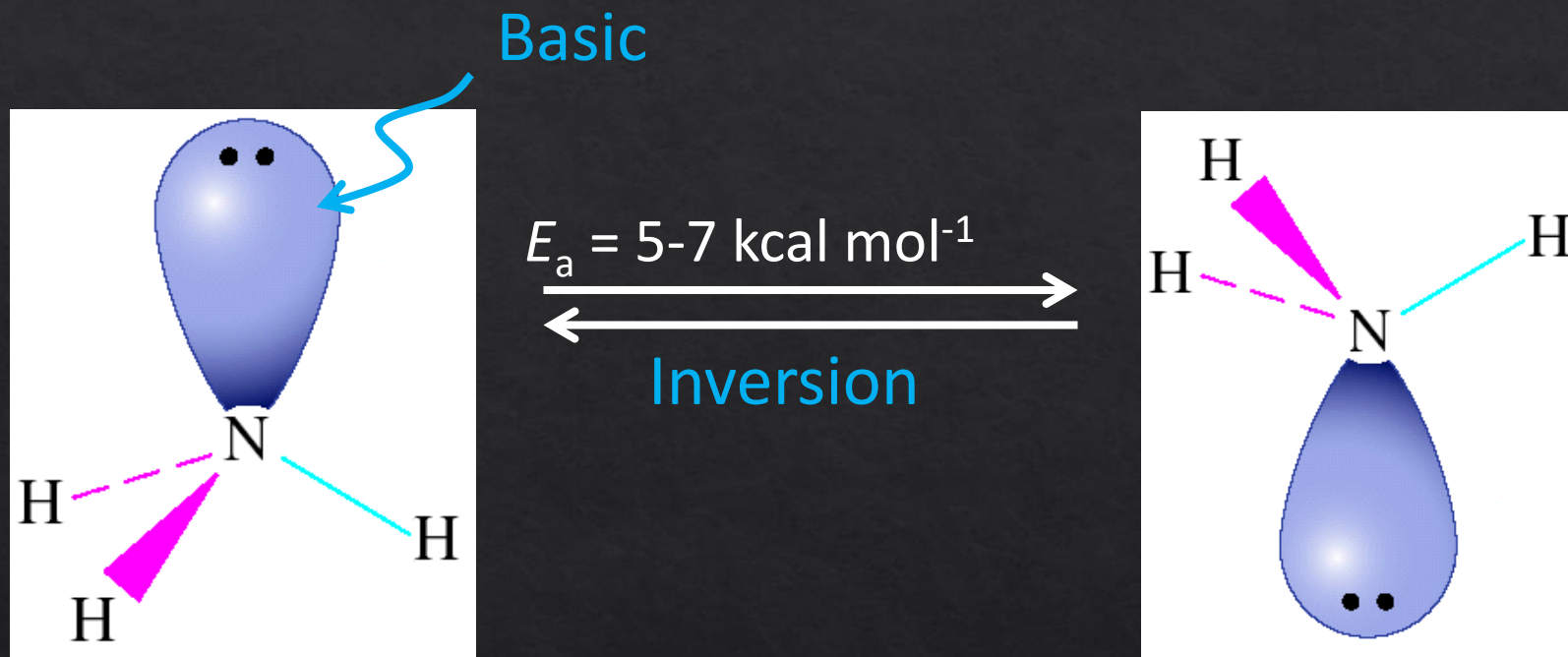
Weak hydrogen bonds → lower boiling points and less soluble in water than alcohols (in between alkanes and alcohols)

Nucleophiles

Primary and secondary amines are less acidic and form weaker hydrogen bonds than alcohols, and they are more basic and more nucleophilic



Amines - inversion



Although they form enantiomers, it's difficult to maintain an enantiomerically pure form