


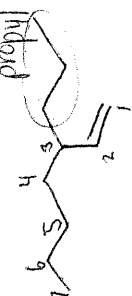




**Naming Summary for Alkenes and Alkynes**

**unsaturated hydrocarbons**

**EXAMPLES**

|                           | Alkene   | Alkyne   |
|---------------------------|--|--|
| Parent Chain              | Longest chain that contains the multiple bond  | <br><br><br> |
| Numbering                 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• C4 ↑ required a # to ID the location of the multiple bond (low # priority)</li> <li>• If a tie - give the substituents low #'s</li> <li>• # indicating the bond may be placed before the root name OR the suffix</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>2-methyl-2-butene OR</li> <li>2-methylbut-2-ene</li> <li>3-methyl-1-butene OR</li> <li>3-methylbut-1-ene</li> <li>3-propyl-1-heptene OR</li> <li>3-propylhept-1-ene</li> </ul>  |
| More than 1 multiple bond | <p>Like substituents, give the position of each double bond and use suffix diene, -triene, etc.</p> <p>Alternating double + single bonds, are said to be conjugated.</p>   | <p>Enynes: compounds that contain double + triple bonds.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• # from 1<sup>st</sup> mult. bond</li> <li>• If a tie, double bonds get lower number</li> </ul>   |
| Rings                     | <p>Double bond must be b/t C1 + C2 - no # used unless there are multiple double bonds.</p> <p>First substituent is given lowest # possible</p>   | <br>   |

| Structure  | IUPAC                                     | COMMON                          |
|--|---|---------------------------------|
| $\begin{array}{c} \text{H} & & \text{H} \\ & \diagdown & / \\ & \text{C} = \text{C} & \\ & / & \diagdown \\ \text{H} & & \text{H} \end{array}$             | Ethane                                    | Ethylene                        |
| $\begin{array}{c} \text{H} & & \text{H} \\ & \diagdown & / \\ \text{H}_3\text{C} - \text{C} = \text{C} & & \\ & / & \diagdown \\ & & \text{H} \end{array}$ | Propene                                   | Propylene                       |
| $\text{HC} \equiv \text{CH}$   | Ethyne                                    | Acetylene<br>↑<br>not an alkene |
| $\text{R} = \text{CH}_2$   |   | methylene                       |
| $\text{R} - \text{CH} = \text{CH}_2$<br>$\text{R} \text{ --- } \text{---} \text{---} \text{---}$   | (1-ethenyl)<br>↑<br>branch<br>double bond | vinyl<br>substituents           |
| $\text{R} - \text{CH}_2\text{CH} = \text{CH}_2$<br>$\text{R} \text{ --- } \text{---} \text{---} \text{---} \text{---}$                                     | (2-propenyl)                              | Allyl                           |