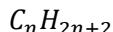


# C11 - 6.1 - Alkane/Alkyl Notes

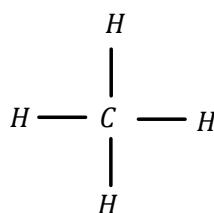
HydroCarbon



$$H = 2C + 2$$

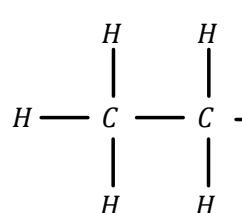
Naming: ane

Methane:  $CH_4$



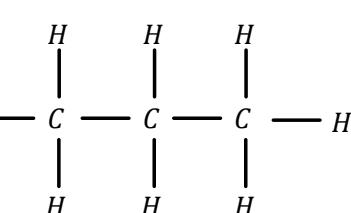
Full

Ethane:  $C_2H_6$



Condensed

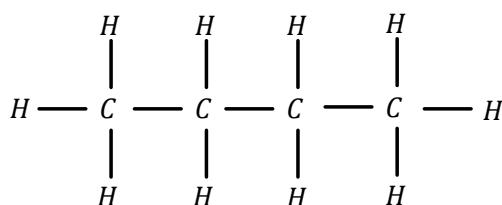
Propane:  $C_3H_8$



$CH_3 - CH_2 - CH_3$

Line

Butane:  $C_4H_{10}$



$CH_3 - CH_2 - CH_2 - CH_3$

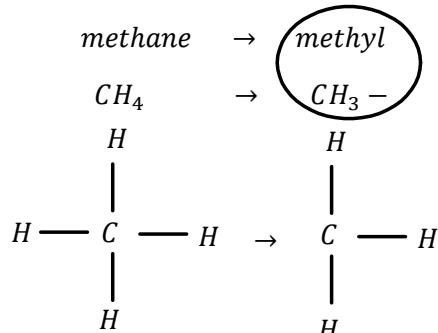


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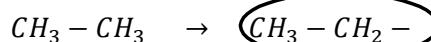
$C_5H_{12}$	Pentane:
$C_6H_{14}$	Hexane:
$C_7H_{16}$	Heptane:
$C_8H_{18}$	Octane:

Alkyl: An Alkane that has lost a Hydrogen Atom

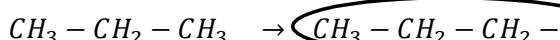
Naming: Ane  $\rightarrow$  yl



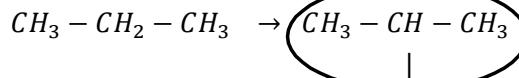
ethane  $\rightarrow$  ethyl



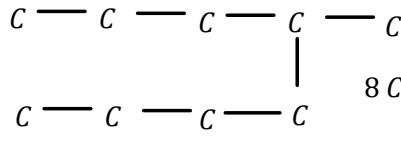
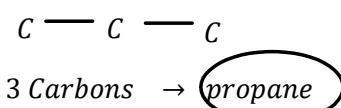
propane  $\rightarrow$  propyl



OR

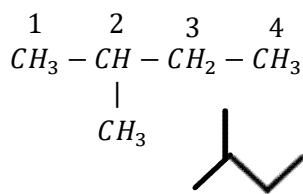


Parent: Longest Chain



8 Carbons  $\rightarrow$  octane

Each Carbon needs a combination of dashes and H's attached to add to 4!



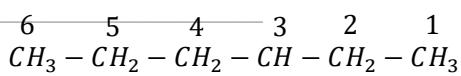
2-methylbutane  
 (aka methylbutane)

- 1) butane: Longest Alkane Chain
- 2) methyl: Attached Alkyl
- 2) 2 - Location of attached methyl

Alphabetical

Smallest Number

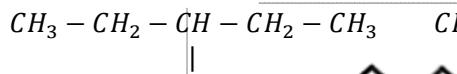
## C11 - 6.1 - Alkane/Alkyl/Structural Isomers Notes



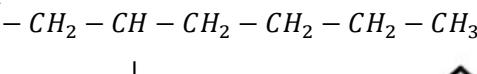
3-methylhexane

(≠ 4-methylhexane)

Smallest Number

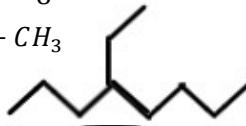


3-ethylpentane

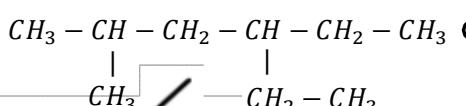


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4-ethyloctane

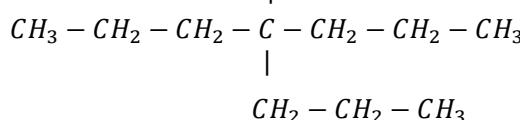


3-ethyl-5-methylhexane

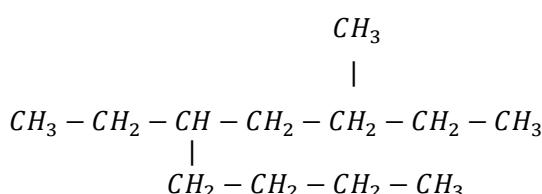
≠ 2-methyl-4-ethylhexane

E < M

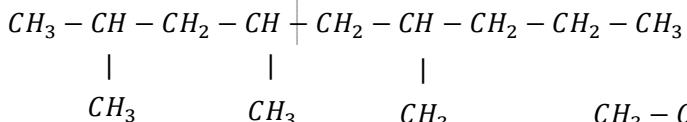
- 1) Alphabetical
- 2) Smallest #



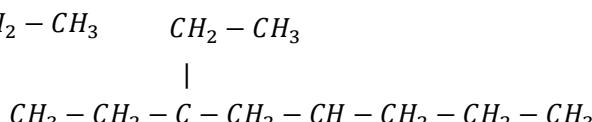
4-methyl-4-propylheptane



5-ethyl-3-methylnonane



2,4,6-trimethylnonane



Di-is not in  
alphabetical!

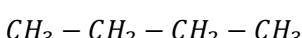
3-ethyl-3,5 dimethyloctane

E < M

3-ethyl-5 ethyl = 3,5 dimethyl

**Structural Isomers:** Structurally different with the same molecular formula.

$C_4H_{10}$



OR

Butane



$C_4H_{10}$



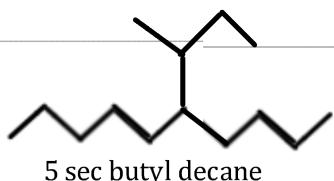
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CH<sub>3</sub>

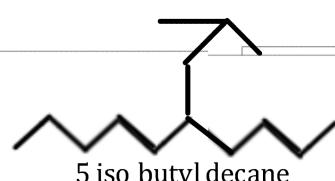


2-methylpropane

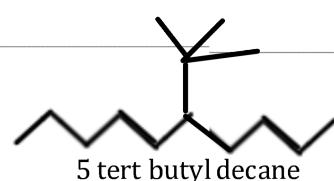
sec 1
iso 2
tert 3



5 sec butyl decane



5 iso butyl decane



5 tert butyl decane