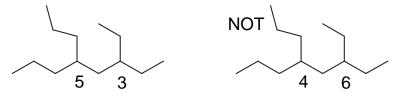
Alkanes Pg 68-74, 4th ed of Vollhardt and Schore

hexane

2-methylhexane

4-(1,1-dimethylethyl)octane common: 4-(t-butyl)octane

More than one branch point: First Point of difference



3-Ethyl-5-propyloctane

If equal distances: larger group gets priority

name alphabetically

4-ethyl-1-propylcyclohexane

Haloalkanes Pg 73

Halides get the same priority as alkyls

6-Bromo-3-ethylnonane

Common names:

Alkyl halides

CH₃I iodomethane (IUPAC) methyliodide (common)

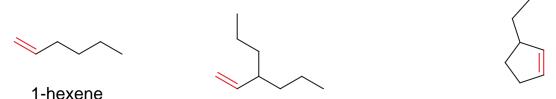
Ethers: are named as alkoxyalkanes Pg 334-335

5-(1-methylethoxy)-4-propylnonane

From this point on, the functional group with the highest priority defines C-1 of the parent chain

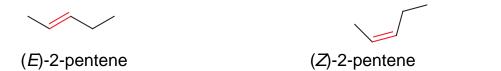
Alkenes: Pg 432-435

Find the longest chain with the functional group



3-propyl-1-hexene (even though there is a heptyl chain)

opyl-1-hexene 3-ethylcyclopentene



trans-2-pentene (common) cis-2-pentene (common)

Entgegen: against Zusammen: together

Substituents: alkenyl groups

Alkynes: Pg 534-535

Take priority over alkenes in naming

5-bromo-2-hexyne

(*E*)-4-hexen-1-yne

Substituents are referred to as alkynyl groups

Amines: Alkanamines if the amine has priority; otherwise amino

Pg 924-925

Methanamine

3-methyl-2-hexanamine

Thiols and sulfides:

Pg 351 thiol, if highest priority as a substituent, mercapto

3-propyl-2-hexanethiol

5-mercapto-2-hexanol

sulfides are named as thioalkyl groups

2-thiomethylhexane

Alcohols Pg 277-278

Find the longest chain with an OH group

2-propyl-1-hexanol

3-ethyl-5-hexen-2-ol

if lower priority, substituents are called hydroxy groups

KetonesPg 722-724

Named as alkanones; if another group has priority, then it is called "oxo"

$$\begin{array}{c|c}
 & \text{NH}_2 \\
\hline
 & 5 \\
\hline
 & 6 \\
\hline
 & OH \\
\hline
 & O
\end{array}$$

6-amino-5-hydroxy-3-heptanone

3,3-dimethyl-4-mercaptocyclohexanone

(E)-7-ethyl-3-decen-2-one

Aldehydes Pg 722-724

Named as alkanals.

• If another group has priority, then it is named as an "oxo" group

5-chloro-4-oxopentanal

Cyclic aldehydes are named as cycloalkanecarboxaldehydes

3,3-dimethylcyclohexanecarboxaldehyde

3-hydroxy-6-heptenal

Nitriles Pg 890-891

- Named as "Alkanenitriles"; The nitrile carbon is C-1 of the parent chain.
- If another group has priority, then it is named as a "cyano" group

3-oxoheptanenitrile

Cyclic nitriles are named as cycloalkanecarbonitriles

cyclohexanecarbonitrile

CH₃CN

ethanenitrile common: "acetonitrile"

Carboxylic Acids Pg 890-891

• Named as alkanoic acids. Diacids are alkanedioic acids

5-oxopentanoic acid

Cyclic acids are named as cycloalkanecarboxylic acids

3-mercaptocyclopentanecarboxylic acid

(E)-6-butyl-7-nonenoic acid

HOOC

hexanedioic acid

Esters and Amides

• Named as alkyl alkanoates and alkanamides, respectively

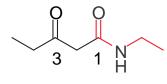
Ethyl butanoate

4 NH₂

1,1-dimethylethyl 4-aminopentanoate

Pg 882-883

N,N-diethyl butanamide



N-ethyl 3-oxopentanamide

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Getting Your Priorities Straight:

Acid > ester > amide > nitrile > aldehyde > ketone > alcohol > thiol > amine

highest lowest