

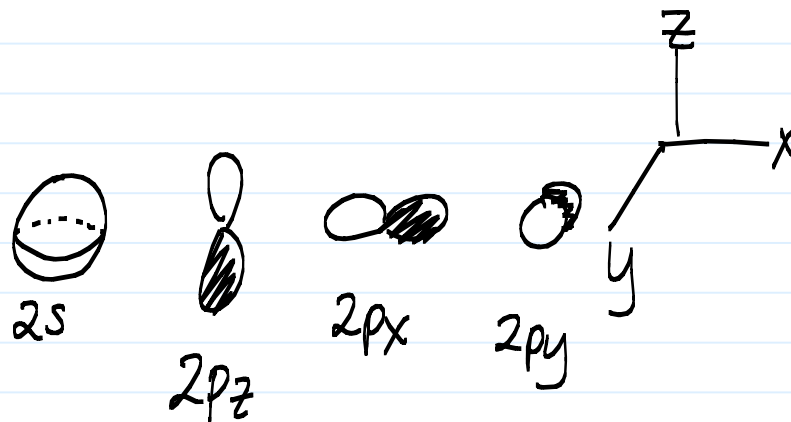
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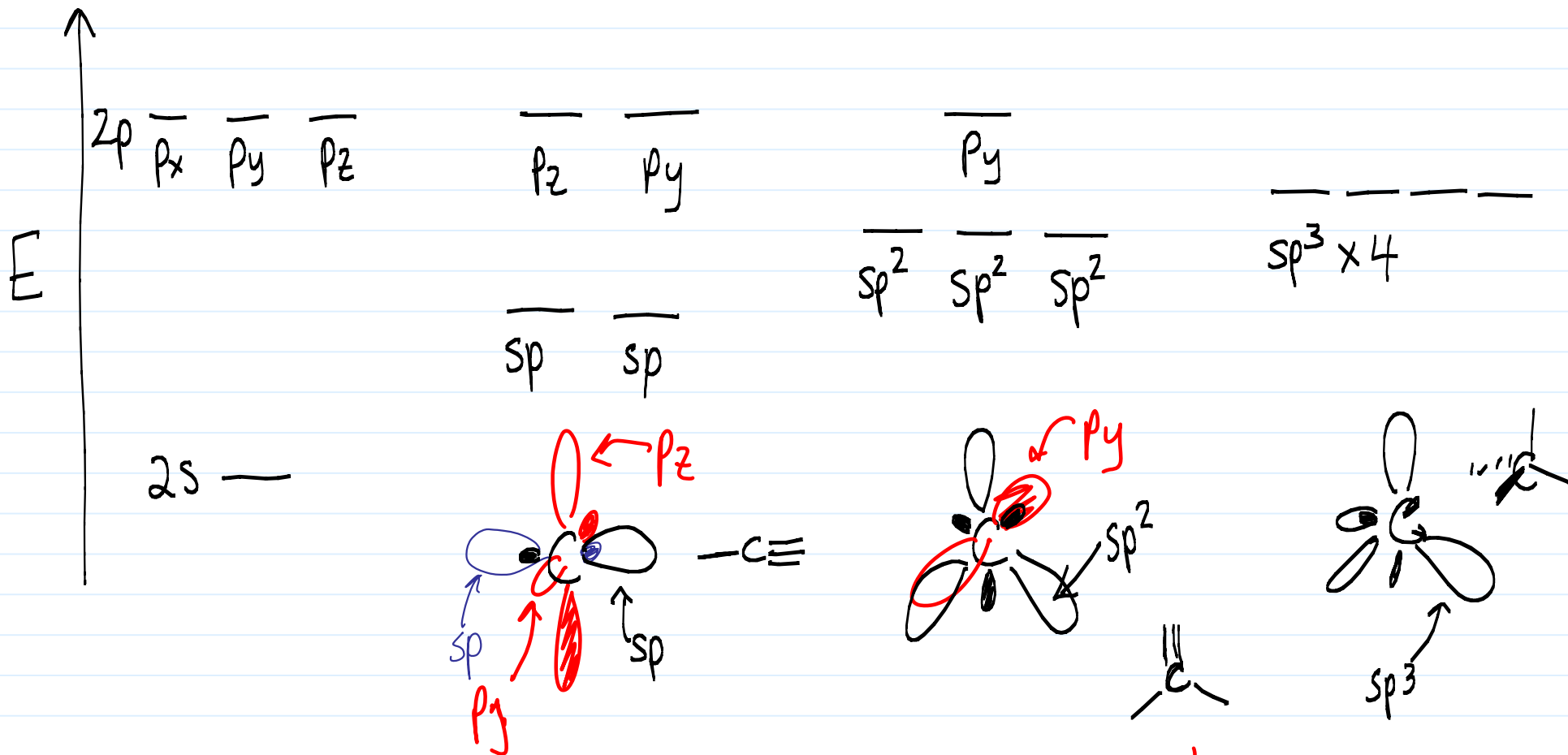
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(1) Atomic & Molecular Orbitals

Consider carbon: Valence Atomic Orbitals =



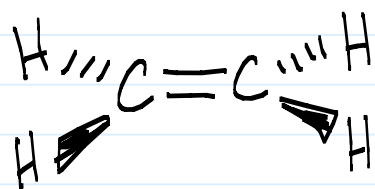
These orbitals hybridize to match
observed geometries of carbon...



p orbitals are perpendicular to bonds!

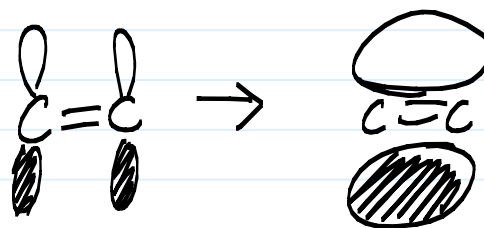
Molecular Orbitals \rightarrow from Atomic Orbitals/Hybridized Atomic Orbitals

ex: Ethylene



C-H bonds \Rightarrow C sp^2 + H 1s

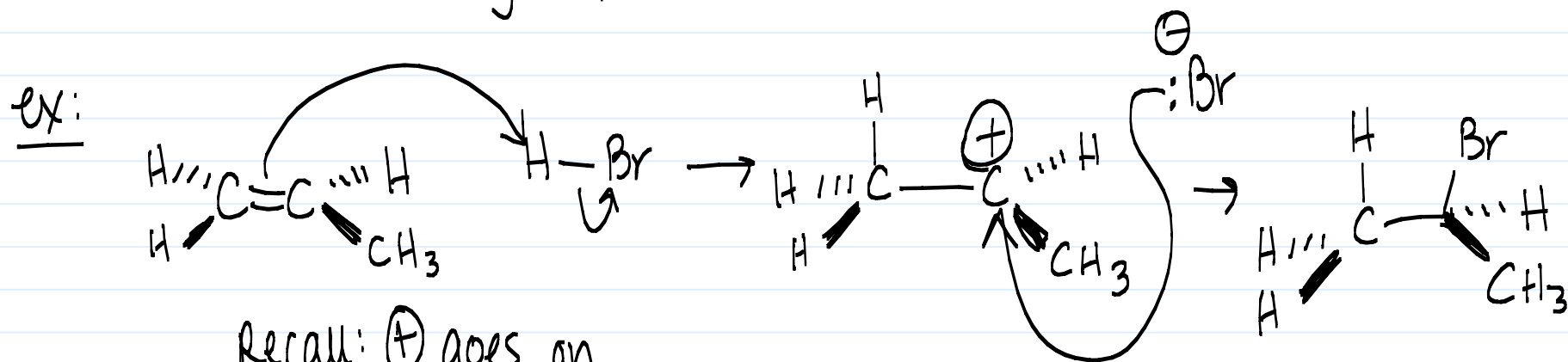
π -bond \Rightarrow p-orbitals on C



π -bond is perpendicular to
C=C & C-H bonds!

(2) Arrow-Pushing Mechanisms

- represent e^- flow from HOMO \rightarrow LUMO (emerges from our understanding of molecular orbitals)



Recall: \oplus goes on more substituted C.
(H^+ goes on other C)

* ALWAYS START ARROWS FROM e^- S
(double bond or lone pair)

* NEVER START ARROWS FROM H^+ !!