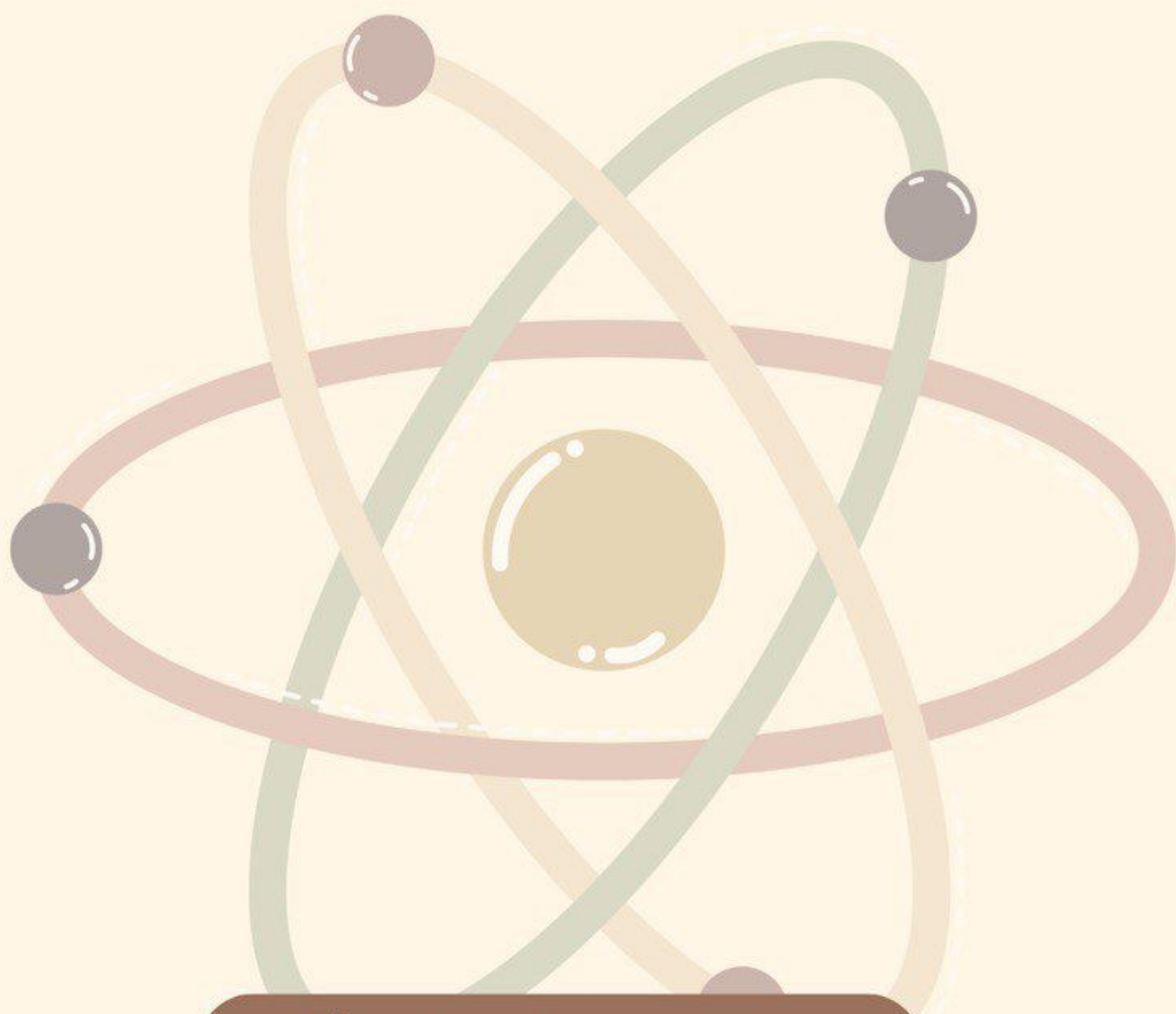


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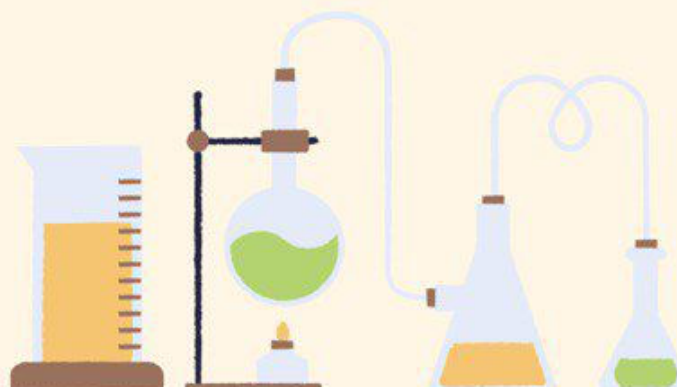


Chapter 2 summary

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# Chapter two

## Alkanes and Cycloalkanes

### First : Alkanes

- Acyclic Hydrocarbons
- General formula  $C_nH_{2n+2}$
- each carbon is  $SP^3$  hybridized

The Physical properties:

1. Alkanes are insoluble in water
2. Alkanes have low boiling point cuz of the weak forces (Van der Waals) among molecules.

Naming of alkanes

#### 1. IUPAC system

First : for continuous chain

CH <sub>4</sub>	Methane.	C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>14</sub> .	Hexane
C <sub>2</sub> H <sub>6</sub>	Ethane.	C <sub>7</sub> H <sub>16</sub> .	Heptane
C <sub>3</sub> H <sub>8</sub> .	Propane.	C <sub>8</sub> H <sub>18</sub> .	Octane
C <sub>4</sub> H <sub>10</sub> .	Butane.	C <sub>9</sub> H <sub>20</sub> .	Nonane
C <sub>5</sub> H <sub>12</sub> .	Pentane.	C <sub>10</sub> H <sub>22</sub> .	Decane

لتسهيل الحفظ:

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Second : for branched alkanes

1. Determine the longest continuous carbon chain
2. Number the chain from the nearer to the first substituent
3. Determine the position of each substituent on the longest chain
4. write substituents first then parent name based on alphabetical order

Note : for more than one identical branch use prefixes

Di (2)          Tri (3)          Tetra (4)

Types of substituents

1. Alkyl group (  $C_nH_{2n+1}$  )

-CH<sub>3</sub> — Methyl

-C<sub>2</sub>H<sub>5</sub> — Ethyl

-C<sub>3</sub>H<sub>7</sub> — Propyl

- CH<sub>3</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub> ~ Propyl
- CH<sub>3</sub>CHCH<sub>3</sub>      Isopropyl

-C<sub>4</sub>H<sub>9</sub> — Butyl

- CH<sub>3</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub> ~ Butyl
- CH<sub>3</sub>CHCH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>3</sub>      Sec-butyl
- CH<sub>3</sub>CHCH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>3</sub>      Isobutyl
- CH<sub>3</sub>  
CH<sub>3</sub>CCH<sub>3</sub>      Tertbutyl

2. Halogens.

- Chloro Cl ~
- Bromo Br ~
- Fluoro F ~
- Iodo I ~

## Notes:

1-If you have two equal long of carbon chain select one with the most branches.

2-If branching occurs at equidistant then number the chain according to the alphabetical order.

Equidistant: أن تكون التفرعات على نفس البعد

3-prefixes ( di tri tetra sec tert are not included in alphabetical order **except iso is included** )

**In common names write organic part first**

## **Second : Cycloalkanes**

-cyclic Hydrocarbons

-General formula  **$C_nH_{2n}$**

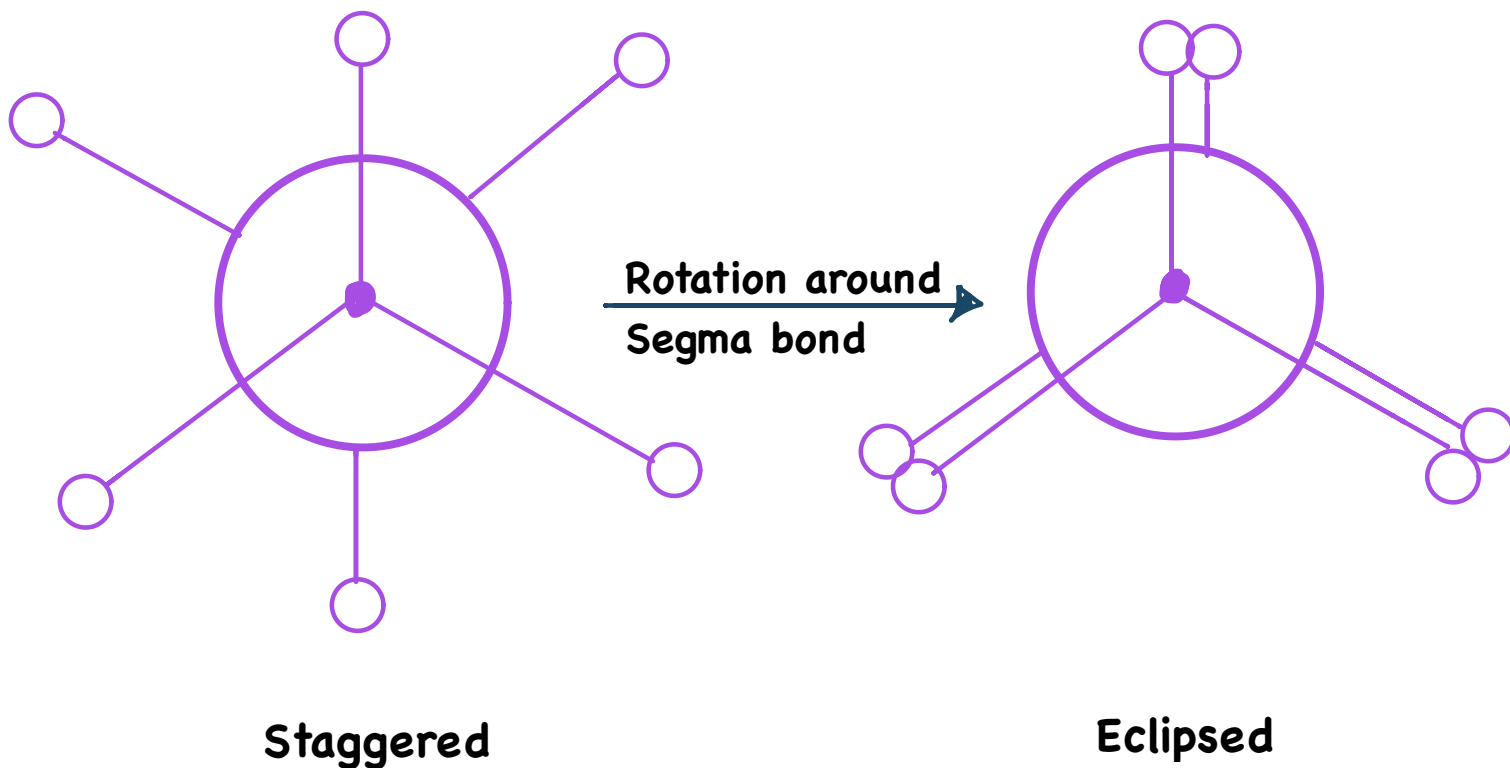
Naming of cycloalkanes

1.If there is one substituent → no need for numbering

2.If there are two substituent → Give number 1 to the carbons according to the alphabetical order and 2 to the second one.

Conformers (Conformational isomers) : they are isomers (same molecular formula) with same arrangement of atoms (not constitutional isomers) , they are obtained by interconvertible rotation around (C) bond.

## First : Alkane

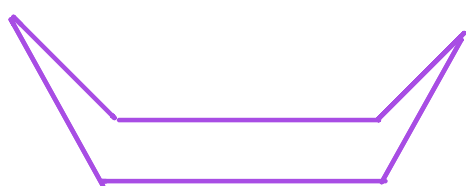


-Staggered conformers are more stable than eclipsed ones

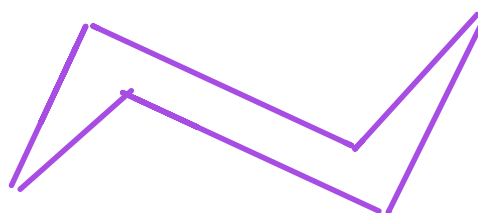
-The relationship is conformers

## Second: cyclohexane

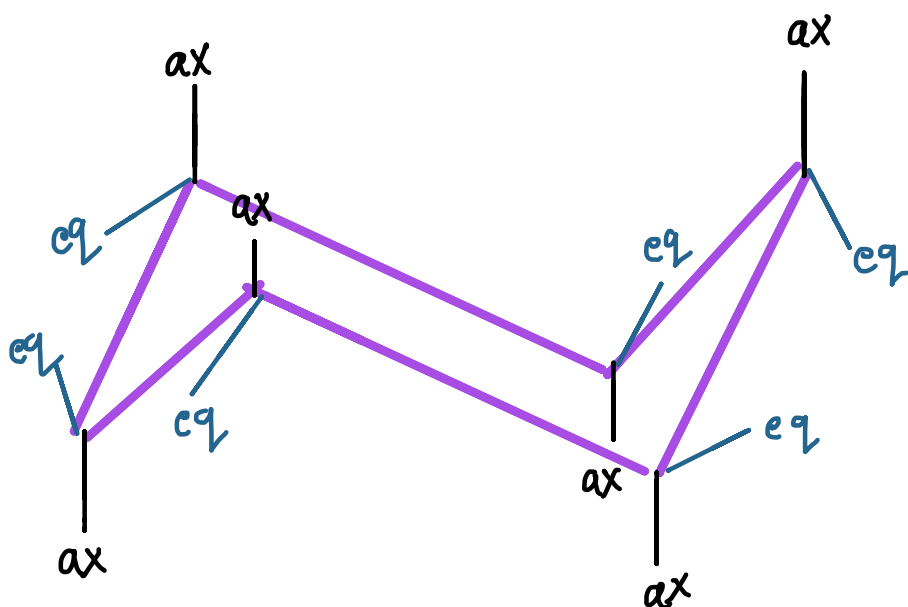
Cyclohexane is the most stable and the least strained cycloalkanes.



Boat (less stable)



Chair (more stable)



Axial bond is  $\perp$  On the plane (less stable)  
 Equatorial bond is in the plane (more stable)

Notes:

- If ring flips then each ax becomes eq and each eq becomes ax
- If 2 substituents are **up up** or **down down** (same sides) then they called **cis**, if they are **1 up 1 down** (opposite sides) then they called **trans**.
- there is no relation ship between up down and ax , eq.
- ax , eq refers to the stability

Cis - trans isomers conditions in cycloalkanes:

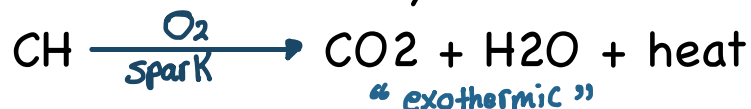
-cyclic.

-2 substituents (not one or three).

-not located at same carbon.

## Reactions of Alkanes :

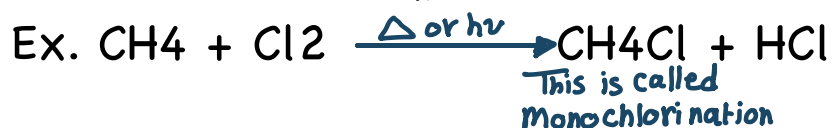
1.combustion of Hydrocarbons



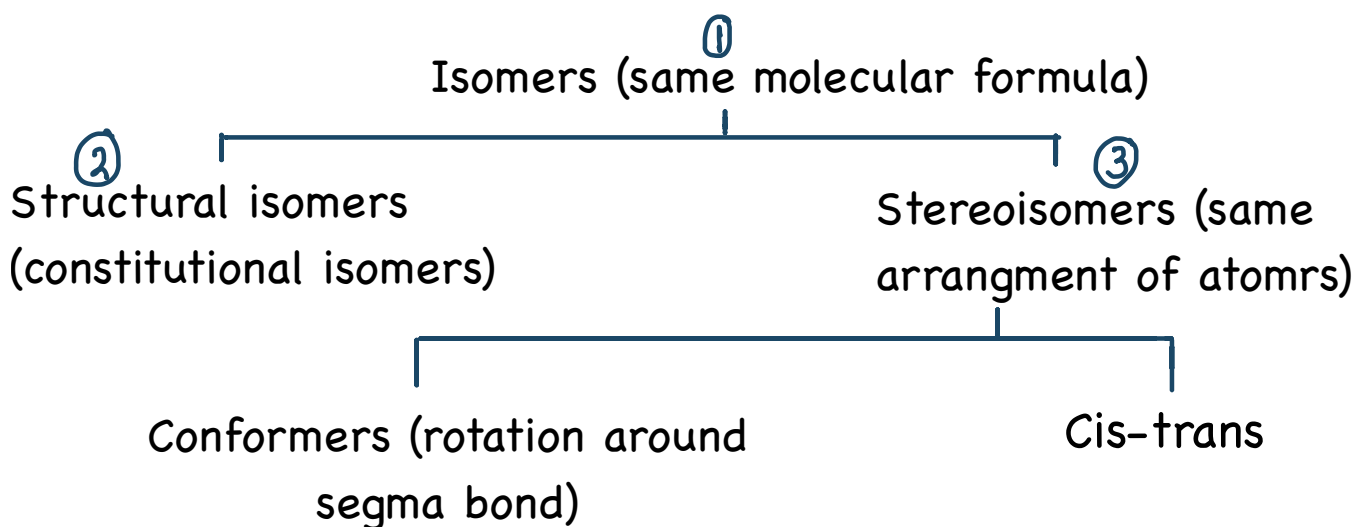
2.Radical substituent reaction

Radical ( Odd number of electrons that is very

reactive ) ex  $\cdot\ddot{\text{Cl}}$   $\cdot\text{CH}$



## Summary of isomerism



Ex: eclipsed & staggered

Ring flip of cyclohexane

Note: You can't find a relationship (Cis-trans) and (Conformers) at same time.