

**Recall:****Nomenclature of Alkene**

- Note that there is no free rotation around C=C.

**Rules:**

1. Find longest chain
2. Number from end to contain both ends of C=C and give lowest number to 1<sup>st</sup> C of C=C
3. Change “ane” to “ene” precede with number to indicate first double bond position

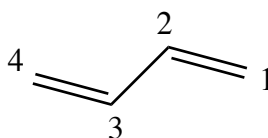
**Nomenclature of alkenes with multiple carbon-carbon double bonds (poly-enes):**

Multiple C=C

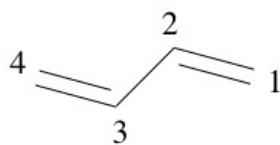
2 Diene

3 Triene

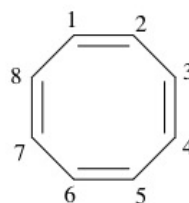
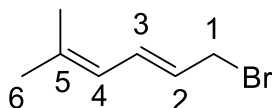
4 Tetraene

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...etcButa-1,3-Diene  
1,3-ButadieneDrop -ne and add “diene”,  
“triene”, etc.

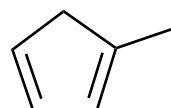
- 1) Find the longest chain containing the maximum number of double bonds.
- 2) Start numbering such that the first doubly bonded position would have the lowest number possible
- 3) Write out the full name. Number the substituents according to their position in the chain and list them alphabetically.

Buta-1,3-diene  
1,3-Butadiene

1,3-Cyclobutadiene

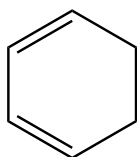
1,3,5,7-Cyclooctatetraene (All Z)  
COT

3E-1-bromo-5-methyl-2,4-hexadiene

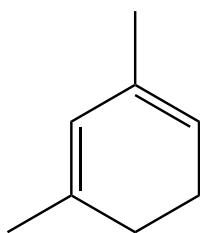


1-methyl-1,3-cyclopentadiene

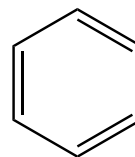
**Other examples:**



1,3-cyclohexadiene

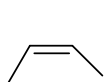


1,3-dimethyl-1,3-cyclohexadiene

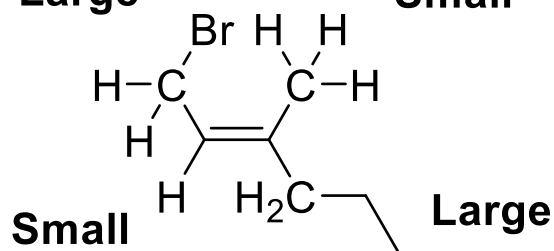
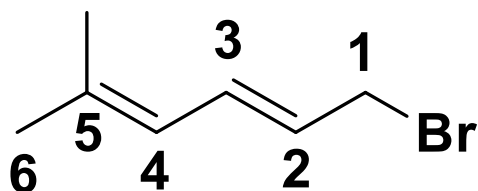
benzene  
(NOT a cyclohexatriene)  
(aromatic)Abbrev:  
PhH or C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>6</sub> or φH**E, Z - Nomenclature**

E - Entgegen - Opposite

Z - Zusammen - Together

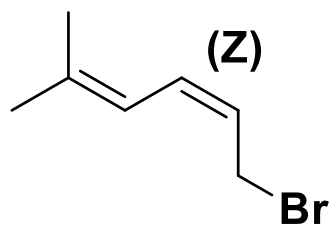
**Cis (Z)****Trans (E)****2-butene**

Naming based on atomic number, similar process to identifying S/R stereochemistry

**Example 1: 1-bromo-3-methyl-2-hexene****Large****Small****Example 2: (E)-1-bromo-5-methylhexa-2,4-diene**

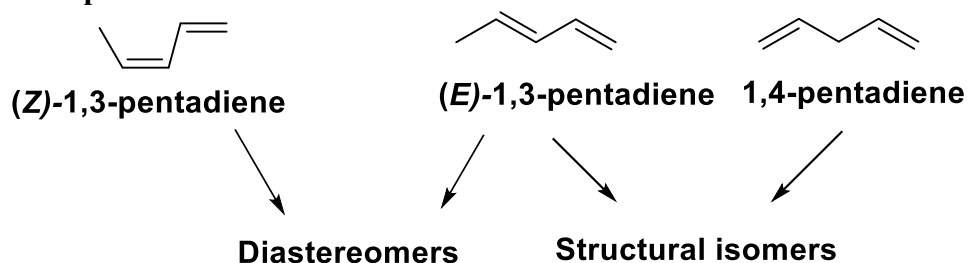
4,5 positions: no stereochemistry

Position 2,3: E



This is a diastereomer

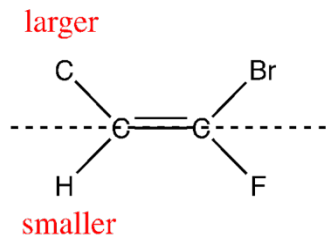
**Example 3:**



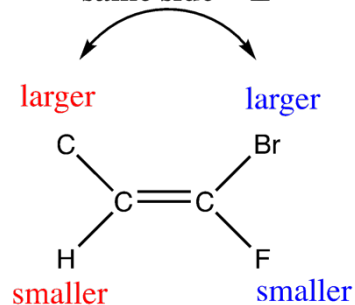
**Example 4: 1-bromo-1-fluoro-1-propene**

- compare the atomic no. of the adjacent atoms. These are diastereomers (non-superimposable, non-mirror images)

Compare the **left** side of the C=C bond

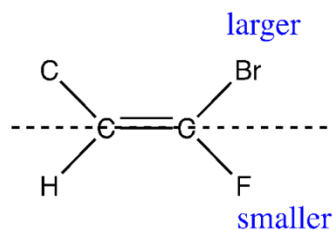


**same side = Z**

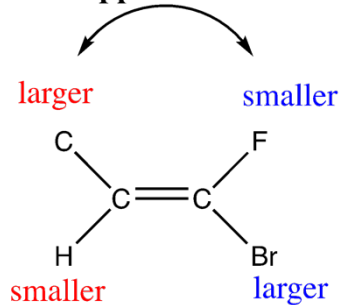


**(Z)-1-bromo-1-fluoro-1-propene**

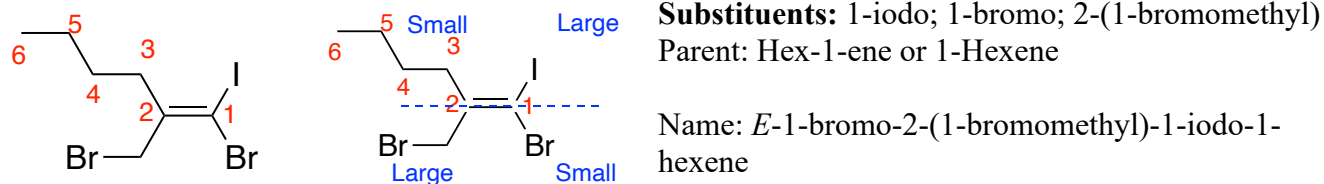
Compare the **right** side of the C=C bond



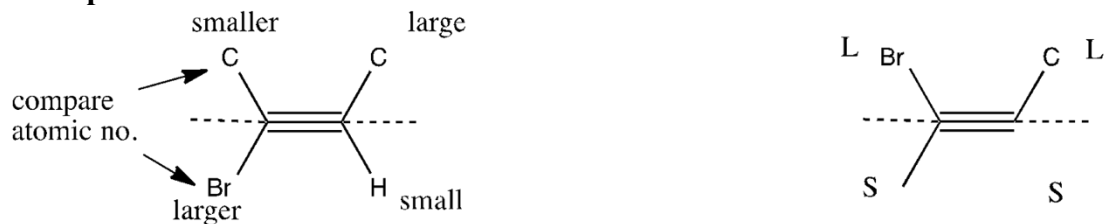
**opposite = E**



**(E)-1-bromo-1-fluoro-1-propene**

**Example 5:**

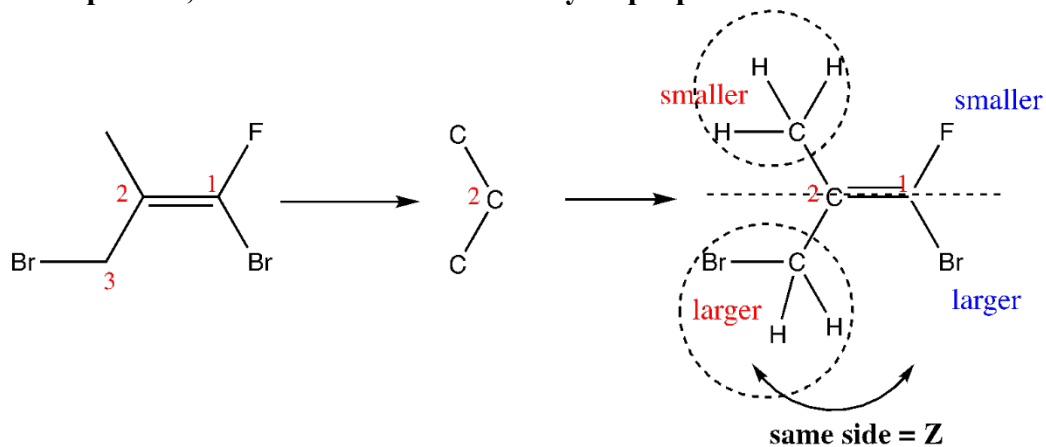
Iodine is on the opposite side to the bromomethyl (highest priority groups on either side of the alkene) and so the stereochemistry is deemed E

**Example 6: 2-bromo-2-butene**

Large groups are on opposite sides on the C=C --> E

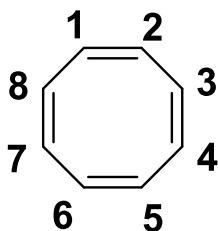
E-2-bromo-2-butene

Z-2-bromo-2-butene

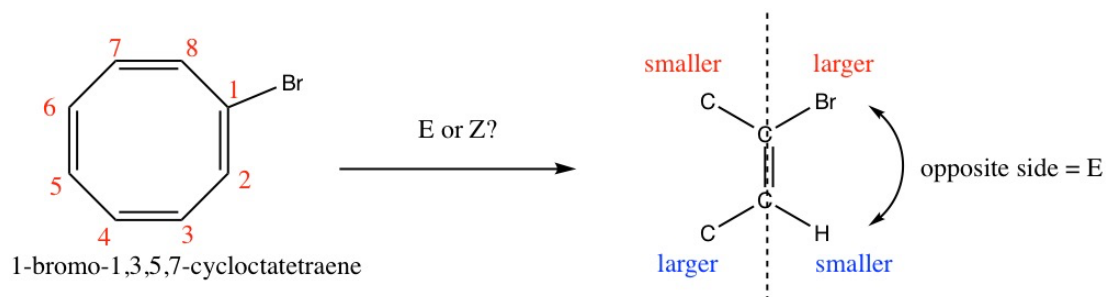
**Example 7: 1,3-dibromo-1-fluoro-2-methyl-1-propene**

Therefore the name is: (*Z*)-1,3-dibromo-1-fluoro-2-methyl-1-propene

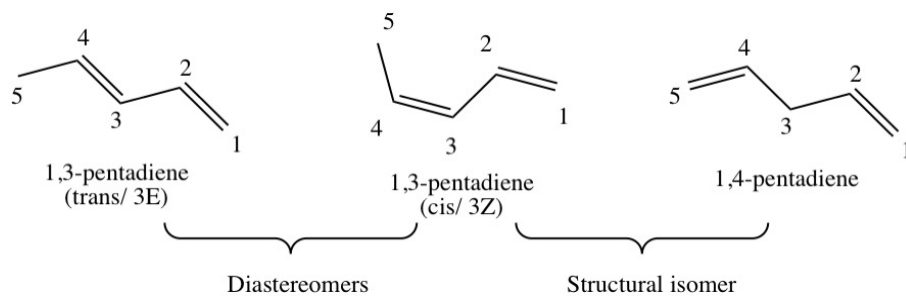
**Note:** If you cannot decide on basis of atomic number of atoms directly attached to double bond, go to the next set of atoms until a higher atomic number is found



### 1,3,5,7-cyclooctatetraene

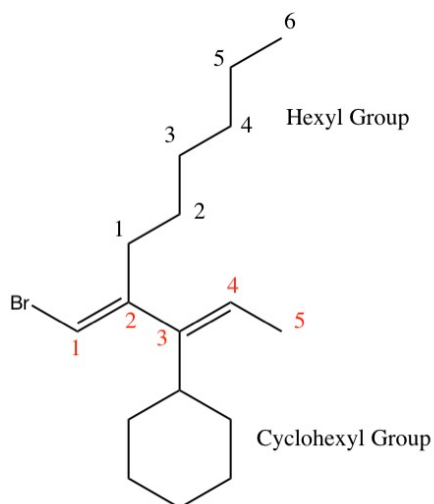


It is therefore (E)-1-bromo-1,3,5,7-cyclooctatetraene



1,3-pentadiene (trans) = (E)-1,3-pentadiene

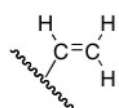
1,3-pentadiene (cis) = (Z)-1,3-pentadiene



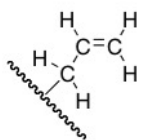
1E,3E-1-Bromo-3-cyclohexyl-2-hexyl-1,3-pentadiene

**Note:** Carbons attached to double and triple bonds are depicted as additional carbon-carbon bonds in the representations above.

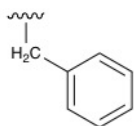
### Special Nomenclature of Common Groups:



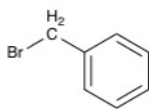
Vinyl group

Vinyl chloride  
1-chloroethene

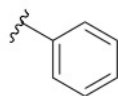
Allyl group

Allyl chloride  
3-chloropropene

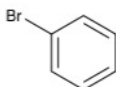
Benzyl group



Benzyl bromide

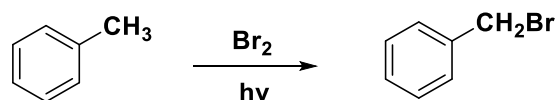


Phenyl group



Phenyl bromide

**Note:** phenyl bromide is commonly called bromobenzene



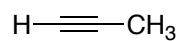
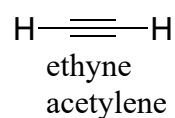
Toluene

Benzyl bromide

### Nomenclature of Alkynes (also known as acetylenes)

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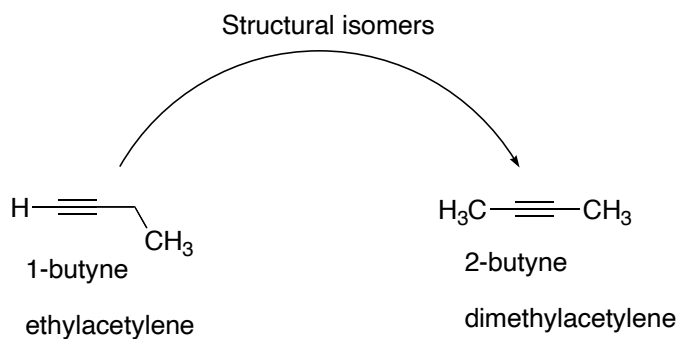
- Find longest chain with max number of multiple bonds
- Number from end to give 1<sup>st</sup> multiply bonded position the lowest number
- Drop “ane” and add “yne”
- For multiple triple bonds, drop “ne” and add “diyne”, “triyne”, etc.
- Halides and alkyl substituents take lower priority than double or triple bond



propyne

methylacetylene (common name)

1-propyne



### Multiple alkynes end with:

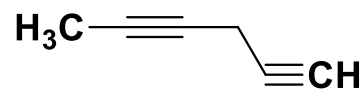
2  $\text{C} \equiv \text{C}$  diyne

3  $\text{C} \equiv \text{C}$  triyne

4  $\text{C} \equiv \text{C}$  tetrayne

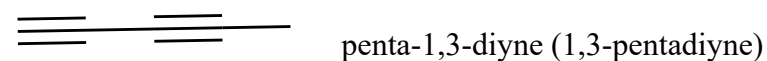
Mixed double and triple bond containing compounds are “eneynes.”

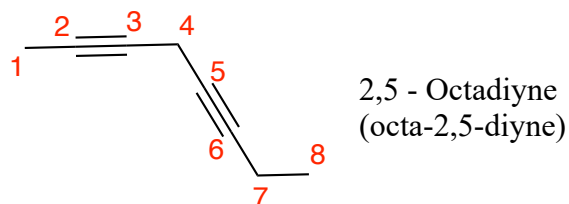
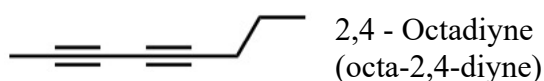
### Example 1:



**1,4-hexadiyne**

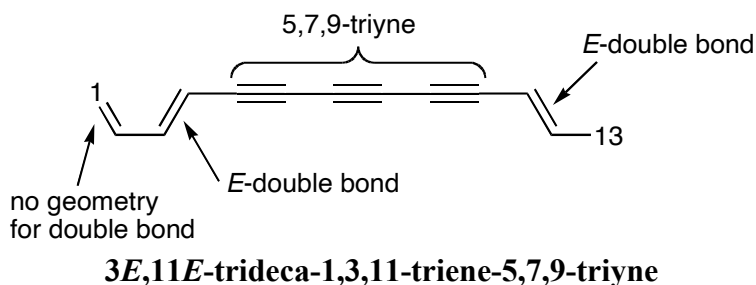
Example 2:



**Example 3****Example 4:****Example 5:**

The below example is from canola – defense substance (anti-nematode)

- Parent alkane of 13 carbons is tridecane – hence trideca
- Start numbering the chain such that the **first multiply bonded position** gets the lowest number possible.



**Note:** alkene stereochemistry can go right to the numbers indicating positions of double bonds:  
**trideca-1,3E,11E-triene-5,7,9-triyne**