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alkene structure of alkene nomenclature

Usually alkenes end in the suffix 'ene. ' This indicates that one double bond is present in the carbon chain. However, for two double bonds the name will end in 'diene,' for three the suffix with be ~triene,' and so forth for additional double bonds. The prefix has to do with how many carbons are in the main chain.

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- 4. The smaller of the two numbers designating the carbon atoms of the double bond is used as the double bond locator.

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- 5. If more than one double bond is present the compound is named as a diene, triene or equivalent prefix indicating the number of double bonds, and each double bond is assigned a locator number.
- 6. Substituent groups containing double bonds are:
- **H**₂**C**=**CH**− Vinyl group
- H₂C=CH-CH₂- Allyl group

CHEMICAL Reactions of Alkenes

Alkenes are primarily prepared by elimination reactions of molecules that contain good leaving groups attached to sp^3 carbons. Examples of such reactions are dehydrohalogenations with strong base, and acid-catalyzed dehydrations of alcohols. The opposite of an elimination is an addition reaction. In an addition reaction an alkene adds elements to each of the carbons involved in the π -bond, resulting in formation of sp^3 carbons from sp^2 carbons



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