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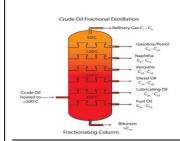
#### **Crude oil**

Mixture of hydrocarbons

Formed over millions of years, from dead animals and plants.

Finite resource

## **Fractional distillation**



Crude oil goes in at the bottom

Small hydrocarbons evaporate first at the top (lower bp)

Larger molecules evaporate later at the bottom (higher bp)

Evaporate → Condensate → Collect

As crude oil is heated, it begins to evaporate and its vapour begins to rise through the column, these vapours condense at the different fractions.

(H) – Greater Intermolecular forces in large molecules mean higher boiling points.

## **Homologous series trends**

## **Hydrocarbons**

#### **Combustion**

Complete- occurs when there is enough oxygen for a fuel to burn. A hydrocarbon will react with oxygen to produce carbon dioxide and water Hydrocarbon + oxygen → carbon dioxide + water

Incomplete – occurs when there is not enough oxygen for a fuel to burn. The product in this reaction are water and poisonous carbon monoxide + soot

Hydrocarbon + oxygen → carbon monoxide + water (+soot)

#### **Pollution**

**Acid rain** 

Sulfur impurities from crude oil, forms sulfur dioxide which dissolve in rainwater to form sulfuric acid.

Nitrous oxides NO<sub>x</sub> from burning fuels in engines form nitrous acid from dissolving in rainwater.

# <u>Alkanes</u>

 $C_nH_{2n+2}$ 

For every carbon atom (n), there is double the number of hydrogens + 2 more.

Propane

Single covalent bonds Saturated Bromine water stays brown.

#### **Alkenes**

 $C_nH_{2n}$ 

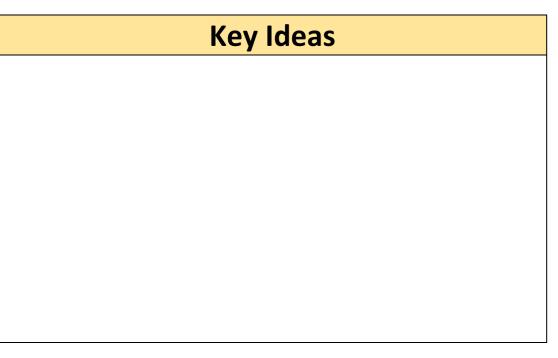
For every carbon atom (n), there is double the number of hydrogens.

double e, double bond, double hydrogens.

propene

1 double covalent bond
Unsaturated
Bromine water decolourises.

Cracking	Alcohols & carboxylic acids (H)	Early atmosphere	Climate change
			Green house gases
			Methane
			Carbon dioxide
			Water vapour
			Nitrous oxide





Keywords and Definitions		
Hydrocarbons	Compounds made up of hydrogen and carbon atoms only.	
Finite	Will run out	
Fractional Distillation		
Fraction	Each fraction have hydrocarbons with similar chain lengths.	