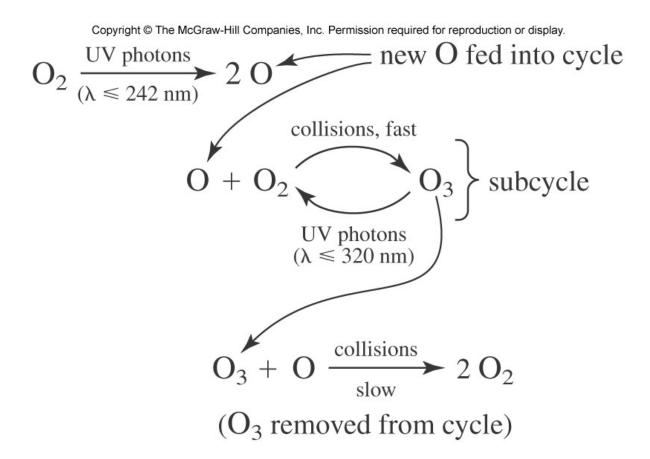
Chapman Cycle

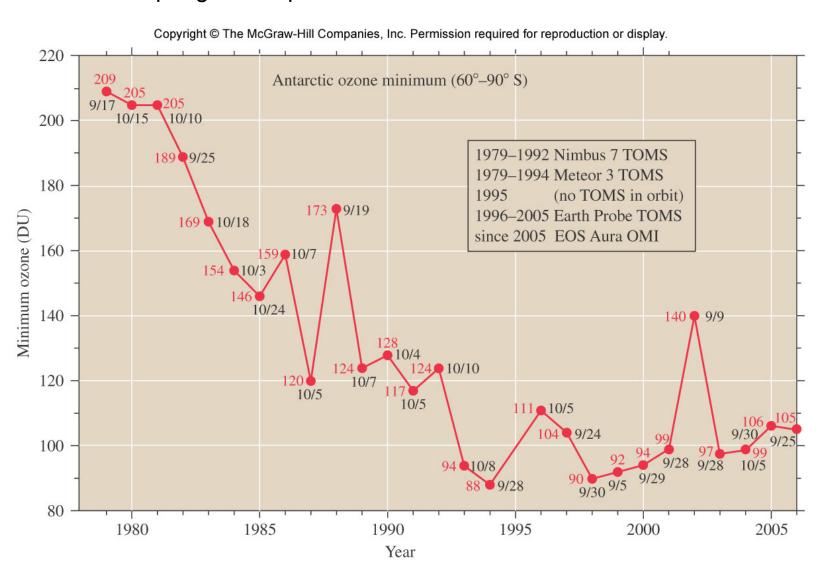
The cycle describes reactions of O₂ and O₃ in stratosphere

Even though reactions are happening, the concentration of O_3 remains constant This is an example of a **dynamic equilibrium** or **steady state condition** (UV light is being consumed)



Ozone Depletion in Antarctica

Minimum spring stratospheric ozone concentration over Antarctica:



Why Does Antarctica Get the Worst of It?

Dude, it's cold there:

Cl-containing molecules condense on Polar Stratospheric Clouds (PSCs)

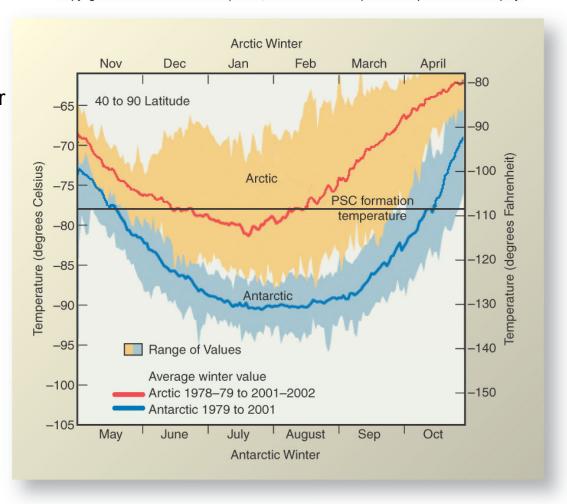
When the sun comes out, PSCs provide surfaces for reactions to occur

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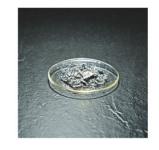
Halogens

Group to the left of the noble gases, including F, Cl, Br, I, At:



Cl₂ (gas)





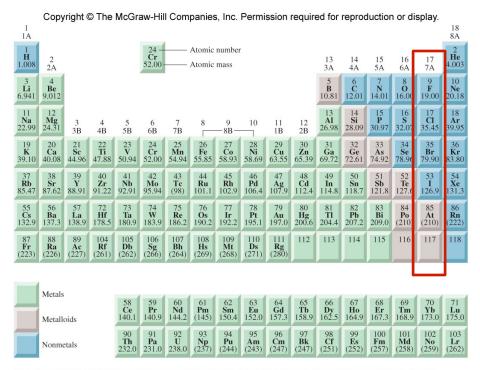
Br₂ (liquid)

l₂ (solid)

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Table 2.2 Total and Outer Electrons for Atoms of the First 18 Elements							
Group 1A	2A	3A	4 A	5A	6A	7A	Noble Gases 8A
1							2
Н						1 1	He
1						1 1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Li	Ве	В	С	N	O	F	Ne
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
Na	Mg	Al	Si	P	S	Cl	Ar
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8

Number above the atomic symbol is the atomic number, the total number of protons. It also gives the total number of electrons in a neutral atom.



The 1–18 group designation has been recommended by the International Union of Pure and Applied Chemistry (IUPAC) but is not yet in wide use. In this text we use the standard U.S. notation for group numbers (1A–8A and 1B–8B). No name has been assigned for element 112. Elements 113–118 have not yet been synthesized.

[•] Number below the atomic symbol is the number of outer electrons in a neutral atom.

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Chlorine



Bromine

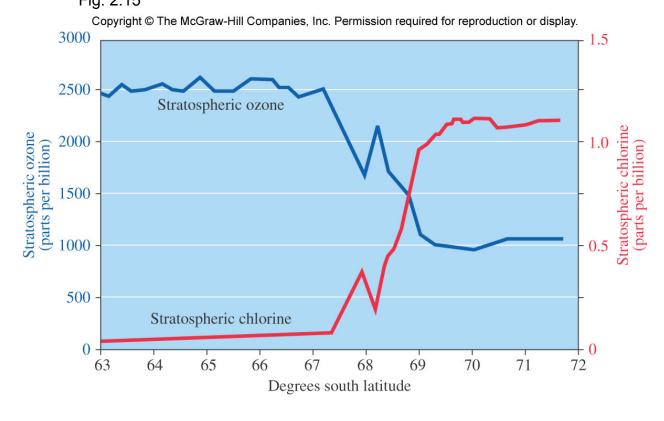


Iodine

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Flight through the Antarctic ozone hole, 1987:

Fig. 2.15



correlated

The Promise of Chlorofluorocarbons (CFCs)

Copyright © The McGraw-Hill Companies, Inc. Permission required for reproduction or display. Table 2.6 **Two Important Chlorofluorocarbons Freon 11 (CFC-11) Freon 12 (CFC-12)** CCl₃F CCl₂F₂ dichlorodifluoromethane trichlorofluoromethane :Cl: Uses: Non-toxic

Excellent refrigerant : replaced NH₃ & SO₂, which are toxic & corrosive Helped growth in humid, hot American south

Pros:

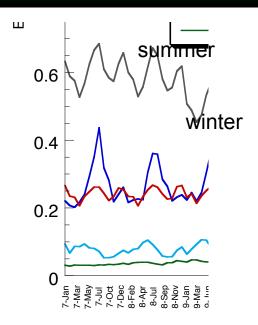
Inert

Cheap

Refrigerant Fire suppressant Solvents (for electronics and surgical instruments)

Discovered in late 1920's

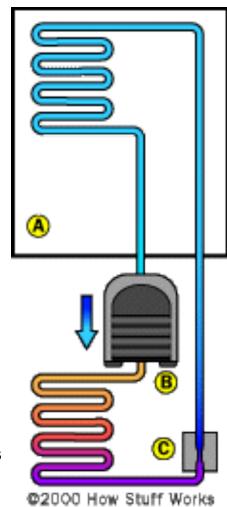
Electricity Seasonal uses & sources





Refrigeration

5. Cold HFC gas is sucked up by the compressor, and the cycle repeats



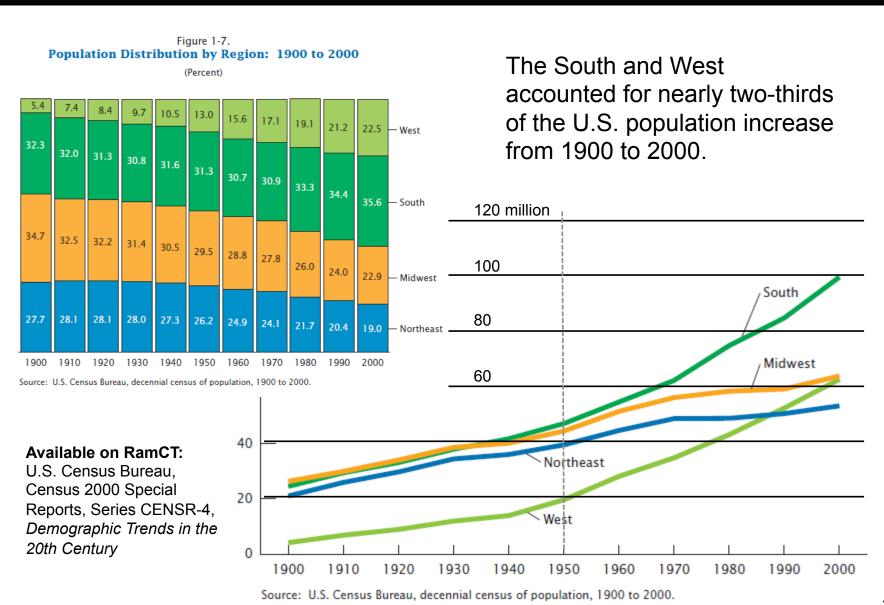
4. Liquid HFC vaporizes (light blue), its temperature dropping to -27 F. This makes the inside of the refrigerator cold (A)

1. Compressor (B) compresses HFC gas. (compressed gas heats up as it is pressurized (orange))

2. Coils on the back of the refrigerator dissipate HFC gas heat. The HFC gas condenses into HFC liquid (purple) at high pressure

3. High-pressure HFC liquid flows through the expansion valve (C). (a small hole). On one side of the hole is high-pressure HFC liquid. On the other side of the hole is a low-pressure area (the compressor is pumping gas out of that side).

US Population by Region in the 20th Century



US Population Growth by Region in the 20th Century

Nine western states and Florida accounted for the ten fastest-growing states from 1900 Between 1900 to 1950 and eight western states plus Florida and 2000, the and Texas were the fastest growing from mean center of 1950 to 2000. the U.S. 1950 - 2000 population moved about 324 miles MT ND west and 101 OR ID miles south. SD WY Nν NE UT CA CO KS MO ΑZ OK NM Percent change Available on RamCT: 200 or more ΤX 100 to 200 U.S. Census Bureau. 50 to 100 Census 2000 Special 0 to 50 Reports, Series CENSR-4, Less than 0 Demographic Trends in the

Air conditioning w/ cheap CFCs helped make this population growth possible.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, decennial census of population, 1900, 1950, and 2000.

20th Century

CFCs: Inertness is a Double Edged Sword

Table 2.6 Two Important Chlorofluorocarbons

Freon 11 (CFC-11) Freon 12 (CFC-12) $CCl_{3}F$ $CCl_{2}F_{2}$ $dichlorodifluoromethane

<math display="block">\vdots F: \vdots \\ \vdots C! - C - C! \\ \vdots C! \vdots \\ \vdots C! \vdots$

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Cons:

Inert

remain intact in atmosphere for a long time survive up 120 years & drift into stratosphere in 5 years

React with UV-radiation to form stable radicals in the stratosphere

CFCs represent the major source of anthropogenic halogen in the atmosphere... with adverse consequences...

Ozone Depletion Chemistry

Natural:
$$H_2O \rightarrow (<240 \text{ nm}) \text{ H} \bullet + \bullet OH \text{ (above 50 km)}$$

Anthropogenic:

F—C—CI
$$\rightarrow$$
 F—C• + •CI $\lambda \leq 220 \text{ nm}$ F

$$2ClO + 2O_{3} \longrightarrow 2ClO + 2O_{2}$$

$$2ClO \bullet \longrightarrow ClOOCl \qquad Cl \bullet \text{ is both a reactant \& a product, it's a catalyst (just like catalytic converter)}$$

$$ClOOCl \longrightarrow ClOO \bullet + \bullet Cl$$

$$ClOO \bullet \longrightarrow Cl \bullet + O_{2}$$

Adding all the equations together:

2CI• + 2O₃ + 2CIO• + CIOOCI + CIOO•
$$\longrightarrow$$
 2CIO• + 2O₂ + CIOOCI + CIOO• + •CI + CI• + O₂ Cancelling common terms:

$$20^{\circ} + 20_{3} + 20^{\circ} + 00^{\circ} + 0$$

Natural and Human: •NO as another source of radicals

Moving Past CFCs

1987: signing of Montreal Protocol on Substances that Deplete the Ozone Layer

Eliminates the production and (eventually) the use of CFCs

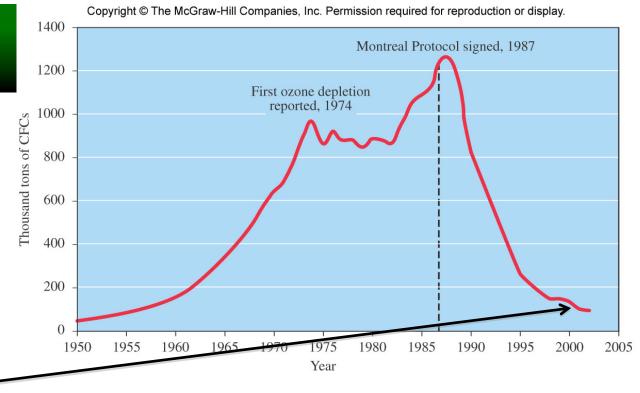
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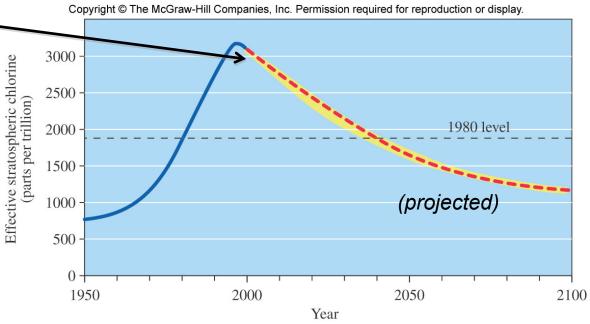
- -fewer CFCs in atmosphere
- -lower [CI•] in atmosphere

Economic consequences:

- -cost of alternatives
- -developing nations

Remember: CFCs can exist for ~100 years in the atmosphere





Replacements for CFCs

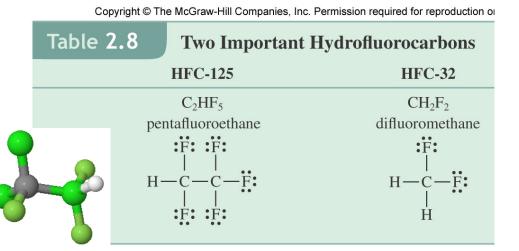
A. HCFCs More reactive (decompose in troposphere) but still have ozone-depleting potential

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Table 2.7 Two Important Hydrochlorofluorocarbons

HCFC-22 HCFC-141b $CHClF_2 C_2H_3Cl_2F$ chlorodifluoromethane dichlorofluoroethane $\vdots \ddot{F} \vdots H - C - \ddot{F} \vdots H - C - C - \ddot{F} \vdots$ $\vdots \dot{C} \vdots H : \dot{C} \vdots$

B. HFCs
Contain no chlorine
but are more reactive



Unit 4.1 Summary

- interaction of light and matter
 - need to understand the relationships between wavelength, frequency and energy
 - need to understand how light can break chemical bonds
- reactivity of ozone
 - Chapman cycle (establishment of steady state concentrations)
 - production of persistent radicals and their interactions with ozone
 - understand the function of catalysts
 - role of CFCs and related materials in ozone depletion
- environmental, biological and political effects of ozone depletion