

An Introduction to Enzyme and Coenzyme Chemistry, 3rd Ed.
 T. D. H. Bugg, Wiley, New York, 2012

Hydrolytic Enzymes:

Proteases	Chapter 5, pp 79-92
Phosphatases	Chapter 5, pp 95-102

Cofactors (Coenzymes):

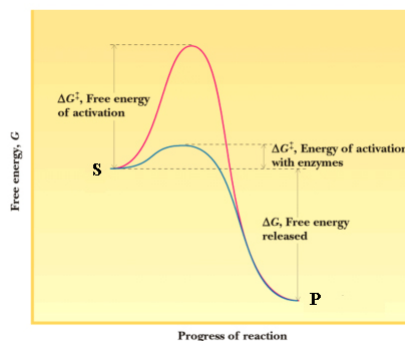
redox	[2 e ⁻	Thiamin	Chapter 7, pp 165-188
		1 e ⁻ or 2 e ⁻	Pyridoxal phosphate	Chapter 9, pp 197-212
			Nicotinamide	Chapter 6, pp 115-122
mutase	[1 e ⁻	Flavin Coenzymes	Chapter 6, pp 122-133
			Heme	Chapter 6, pp 136-140
			Vitamin B ₁₂	Chapter 11, pp 225-229

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Enzymes:

all enzymes are proteins

catalysts speed up reactions by lowering the activation energy (ΔG^\ddagger), NOT by changing the thermodynamics of the reaction (ΔG°)

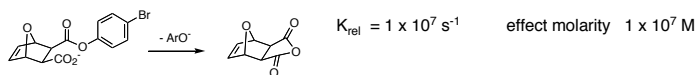
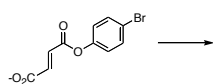
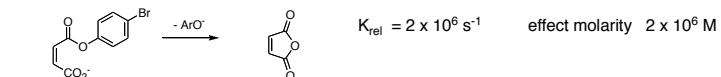
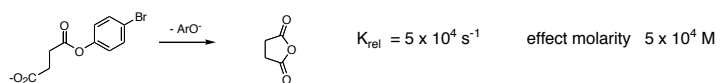
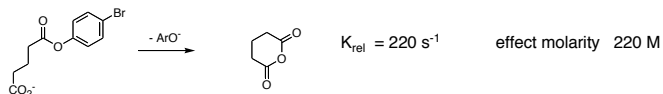
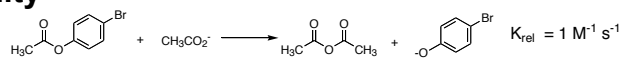


Stabilization of the transition state

Bringing reactants together in the proper orientation for the reaction to occur

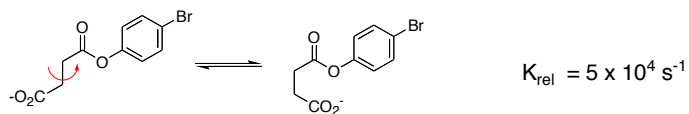
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Proximity

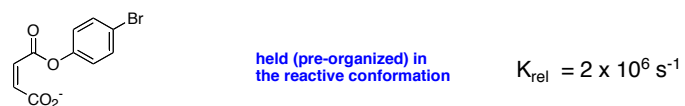


Bugg, pp 30-32

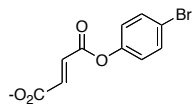
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reactive conformation for cyclization reaction



held (pre-organized) in the reactive conformation



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Mechanism:

Mechanisms can not be proven absolutely, they can only be disproved (inconsistent with the available data)

Accepted mechanism is based on the preponderance of the available evidence

- consistent with the products - labeling studies
- intuition: consistent with well-known chemistry and widely accepted mechanistic tenets
- consistent with modest changes in the substrate
- kinetic rate expression
- model reactions - easier to study

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Enzyme Commission (EC) classification – IUBMB #.#.#.#.#X##

<u>Class</u>	<u>Reaction</u>
EC 1	Oxidoreductases – catalyzes oxidations and reductions
EC 2	Transferases – functional group transfer
EC 3	Hydrolases – hydrolysis (overall addition of H ₂ O) to a substrate to give two products
EC 4	Lyases – non-hydrolytic addition or removal of groups (i.e., H ₂ O, NH ₃ , etc) from a substrate.
EC 5	Isomerases (mutase) – product is a structural isomer of the substrate
EC 6	Ligases – joins two substrates by a bond formation reaction of two substrates using ATP to drive the reaction.

EC#'s define a biochemical reaction, not a specific enzyme

<http://www.brenda-enzymes.org/index.php4>

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Simple enzymes: consists only of the proteins.

Complex Enzyme: Protein contains other non-protein group(s) that assist in the catalysis = coenzyme (vitamins or metal ions)

Coenzymes are bound to the protein by non-covalent interactions

Prosthetic group: cofactor is covalently bound to the protein

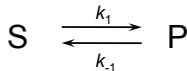
Holoenzyme – protein – coenzyme complex

Apoenzyme – protein only, missing the coenzyme.

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Rates, equilibria and reaction order

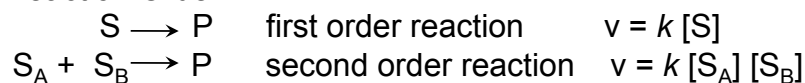
Velocity: $v = k [S]$



$$v_1 = k_1[S]$$
$$v_{-1} = k_{-1}[P]$$

$$K_{eq} = \frac{[P]}{[S]} = \frac{k_1}{k_{-1}}$$

Reaction Order:



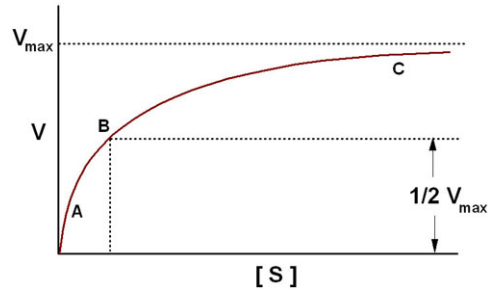
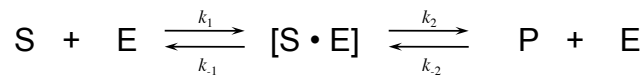
half-life $t_{1/2} = \ln 2/k$ (k = first order rate constant)

Rate-limiting (determining) step: slowest step in a multi-step chemical reaction. The overall rate of a reaction is dependent on the rate-limiting step

Bugg, pp 52-59

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Plot of substrate concentration versus reaction velocity



Steady-state approximation: $[S \cdot E]$ is constant

V_{max} : the maximum velocity at saturating $[S]$

K_m : $[S]$ at half the V_{max} ; rough estimate of the affinity of the S

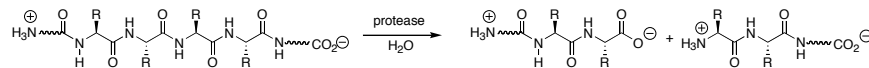
k_{cat} : $V_{max}/[E]$; turnover number

V_{max}/K_m or k_{cat}/K_m : catalytic efficiency of the reaction

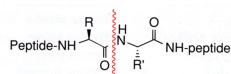
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Proteases: catalyzes the hydrolysis of peptide bonds

Bugg, Chapter 5, pp. 81-98

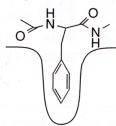


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|----------------------------|-------------|
| 1. Serine protease | Bugg, p. 84 |
| 2. Cysteine protease | p. 89 |
| 3. Aspartyl protease | p. 95 |
| 4. Zinc (metallo) protease | p. 92 |

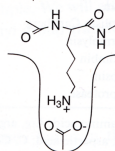


- specific for L-amino acids (or D- in a few cases)
- usually specific for amino acid preceding cleavage site.

α -chymotrypsin
- cuts after Phe, Tyr, Trp
(aromatic sidechains)



Trypsin
- cuts after Arg, Lys
(basic sidechains)

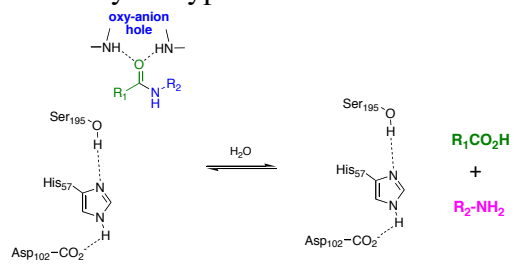


- chymotrypsin: cleaves at the C-terminal side of aromatic residues Phe, Tyr, Trp
- trypsin: cleaves at the C-terminal side of basic residues Arg, Lys but not His

Fig. 5.3 Specificity of endopeptidases.

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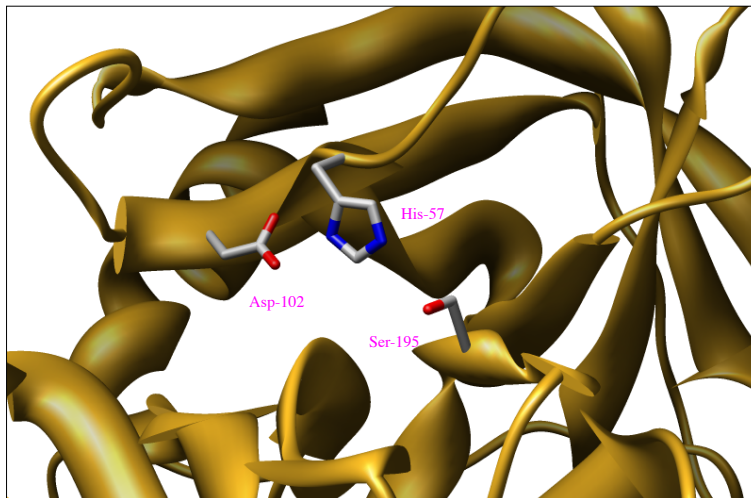
Serine Protease: Chymotrypsin



Bugg, p. 82

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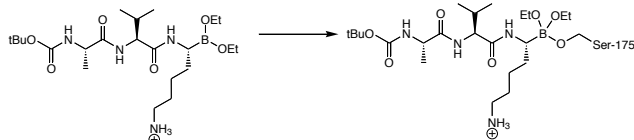
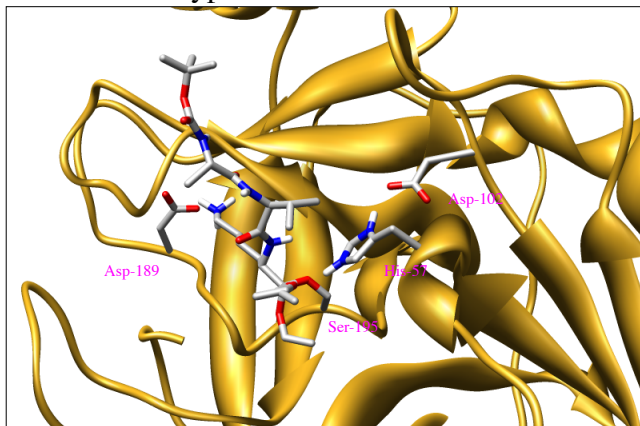
Catalytic triad of α -chymotrypsin



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Active site of bovine trypsin with a bound inhibitor



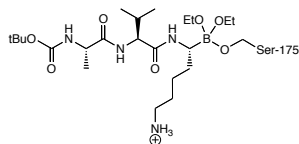
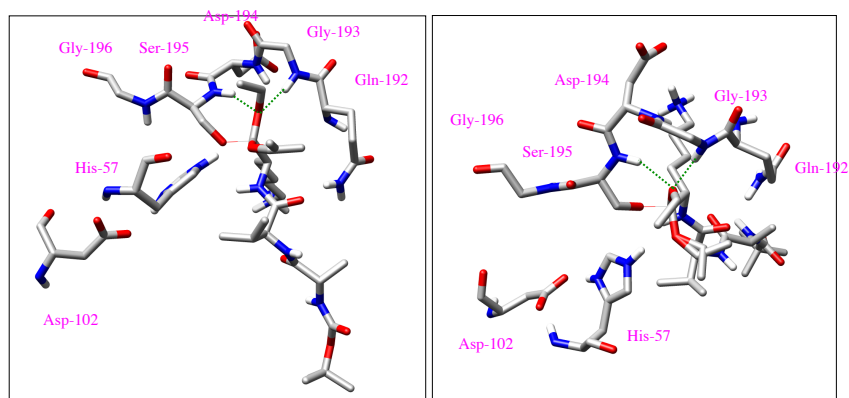
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Katz, B. A.; Finer-Moore, J.; Mortezaei, R.; Rich, D. H.; Stroud, R. M.
 Biochemistry 1995, 34, 8264-8280.

Bugg, p. 81

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Oxy-anion hole of trypsin

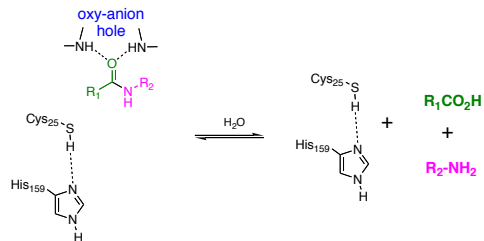


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Cysteine Protease: Papain (212 amino acids)

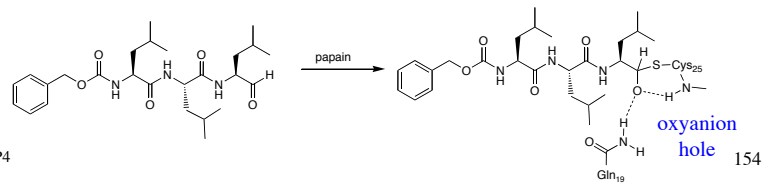
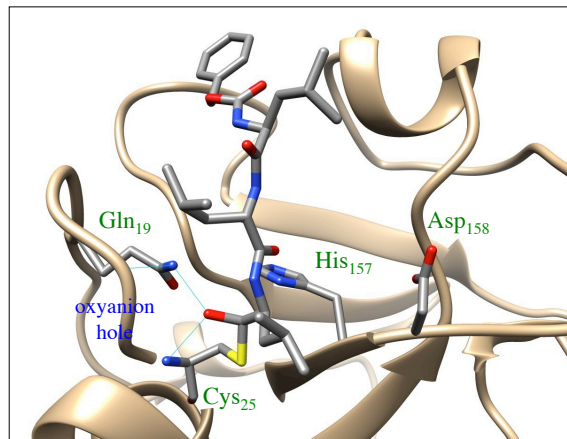
active-site cysteine and histidine, overall mechanism is similar to serine proteases
usually not a digestive enzyme (intracellular)



Bugg, p. 85

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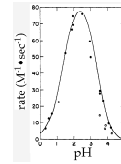
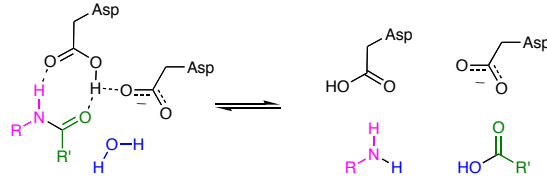
Structure of papain with a bound inhibitor



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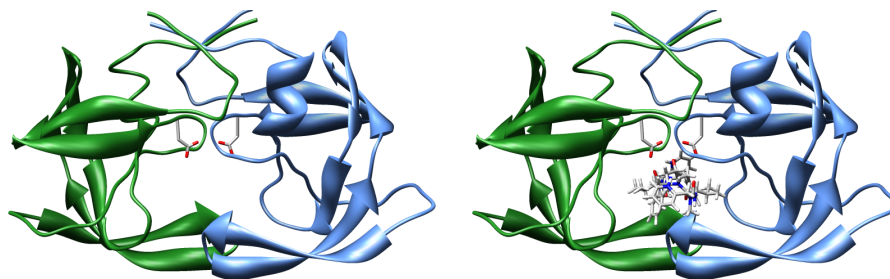
Aspartyl Protease Mechanism: Renin, HIV protease
 Bell shaped pH vs. rate profile: max rate at pH ~ 2.4
 indicative of *general acid-general base catalysis*.



Bugg, p 91

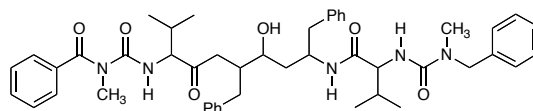
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HIV Protease: an Aspartyl Protease



Catalytic Asp-25

with a bound inhibitor

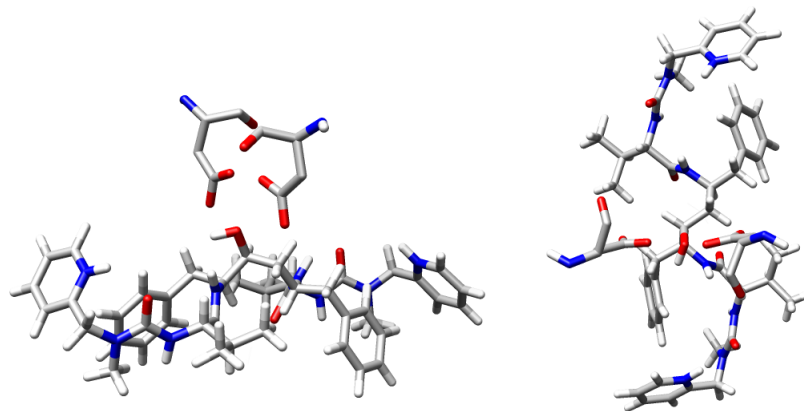


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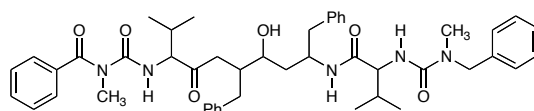
inhibitor

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Interaction of the catalytic Asp-25 with the bound inhibitor



pdb code: 1HVJ



inhibitor

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Metallo-protease (zinc): carboxypeptidase:

important catalytic groups: Glu-270, Tyr-248

Zn ion coordination: Glu-72, His-196, His-69

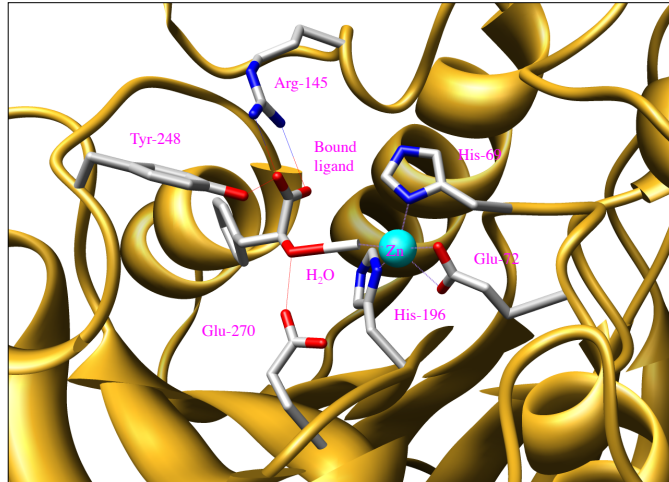
General base mechanism

Nucleophilic mechanism (acyl enzyme complex)

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Active site of carboxypeptidase



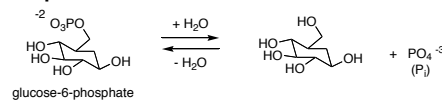
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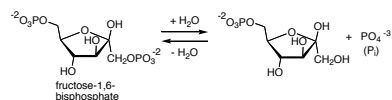
Phosphate ester hydrolysis

1. Phosphatases: over transfer (hydrolysis) of a phosphate monoester to water
2. Phosphodiesterases: hydrolysis of a phosphodiester to a phosphate monoester and an alcohol
3. Kinases: transfer of the γ -phosphate group of ATP to an acceptor group

Glucose 6-phosphatase



Fructose 1,6-bisphosphatase: M^{+2} dependent



Alkaline phosphatase: M^{+2} dependent

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Bugg, pp. 95-102

Phosphatases: General acid-base mechanism

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Phosphatases: Covalent mechanism

S_N2 mechanism

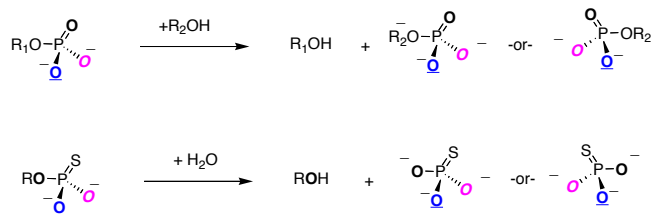
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Glucose 6-phosphatase: covalent catalysis

Fructose 1,6-bisphosphatase: General acid-base catalysis

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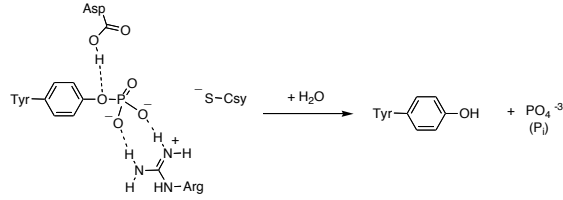
Associative vs dissociative mechanism: Chiral phosphate
Use three isotopes of oxygen, ^{16}O , ^{17}O , ^{18}O



Does the observation of stereochemically defined products (retention or inversion of stereochemistry) rule out the dissociative mechanism involving metaphosphate ion?

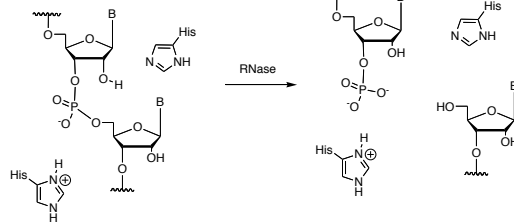
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Tyrosine phosphatase
conserved aspartate, cysteine, and arginine



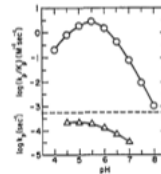
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Phosphodiesterase:
Ribonuclease (RNase): catalyzes the hydrolysis of the phosphodiester bond of RNA.
Catalytic groups are His-12 and His-119



Bell shaped pH vs. rate profile: max rate at pH ~ 6.0 indicative of general acid-general base catalysis.
 Mechanism requires both an imidazole and imidazolium for catalysis

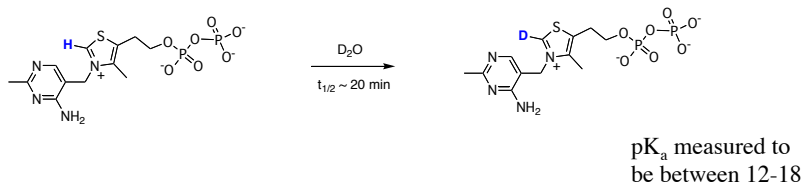
pK_{a3} of histidine is ~ 6.1



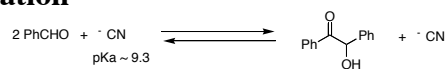
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Mechanistic insight into thiamin dependent reactions:

Breslow, R. *J. Am. Chem. Soc.* **1958**, *80*, 3719.

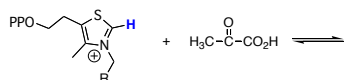


Benzoin condensation



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Mechanism of pyruvate decarboxylase:



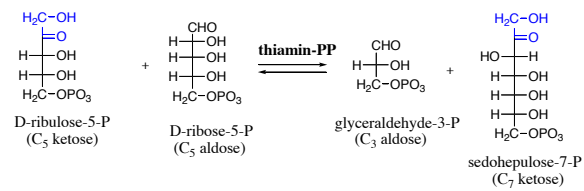
Mechanism of acetolactate synthase:

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Pyruvate Dehydrogenase: dihydrolipoyl transacetylase

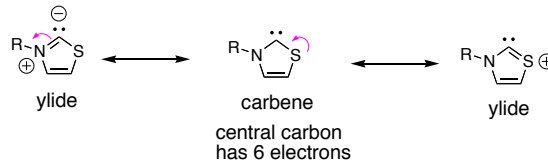
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Transketolase: carbohydrate biosynthesis

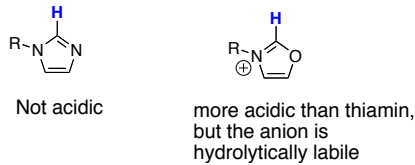


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Thiamin acidity and anion stability is special to the *N*-alkyl thiazole ring system: anion is stabilized by three major resonance structures: two are ylides, one is a carbene

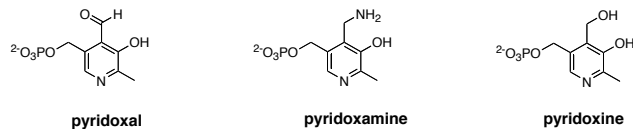


Nature may have tried the imidazole and oxazole ring systems, but these would not have performed the necessary chemistry.

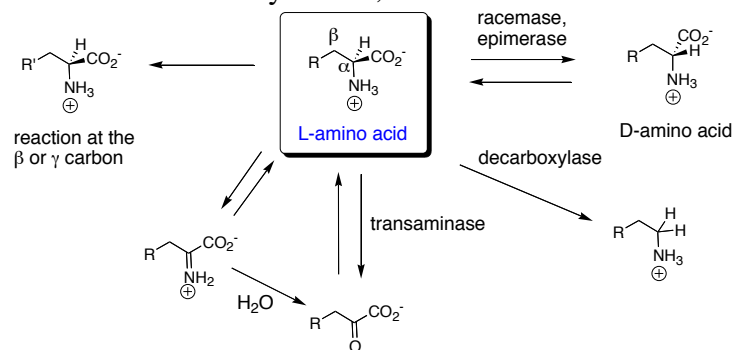


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Pyridoxal Phosphate (PLP) dependent enzymes (Vitamin B₆)
(Bugg, Chapter 9, pp 197-212)

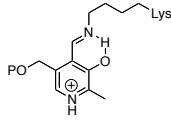


Involved in amino acid biosynthesis, metabolism and catabolism



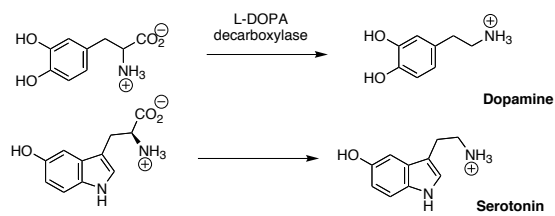
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Pyridoxal is often covalently bound to the resting enzyme as a Schiff base to the sidechain of an active site lysine residue.



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Decarboxylase:

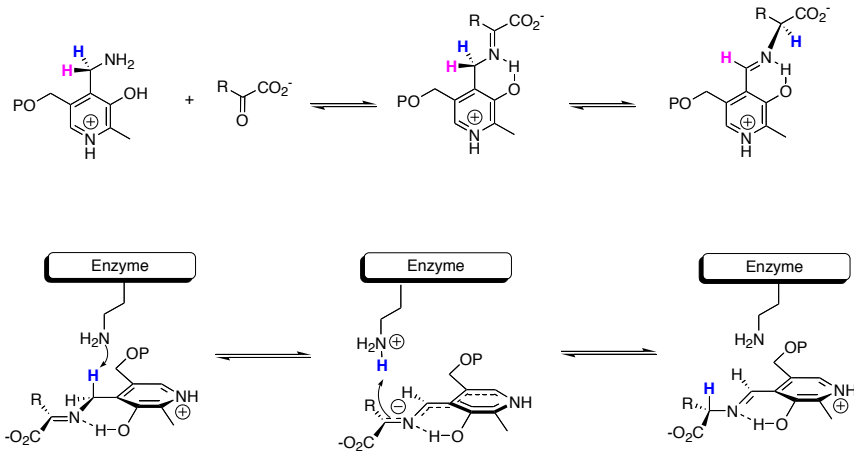


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Transaminase: amino acid biosynthesis

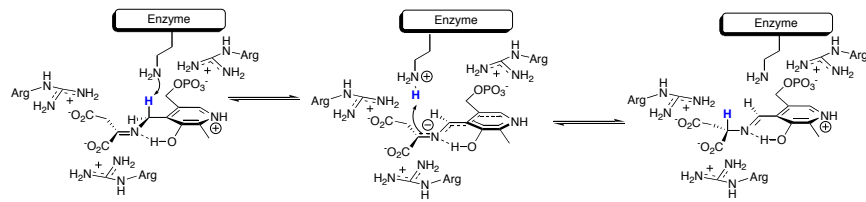
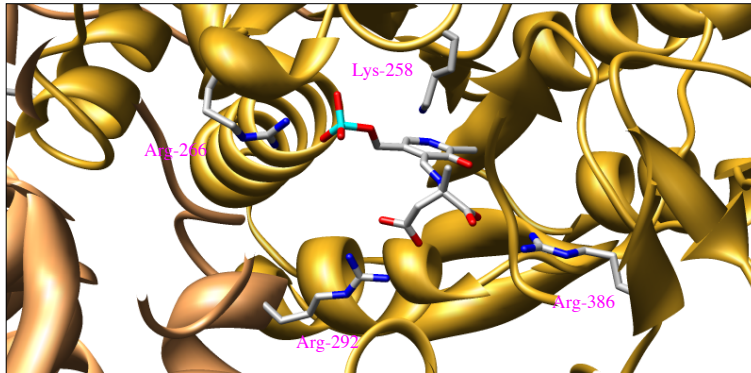
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Stereochemistry of the transamination reaction: proton transfer is mediated by an active site lysine



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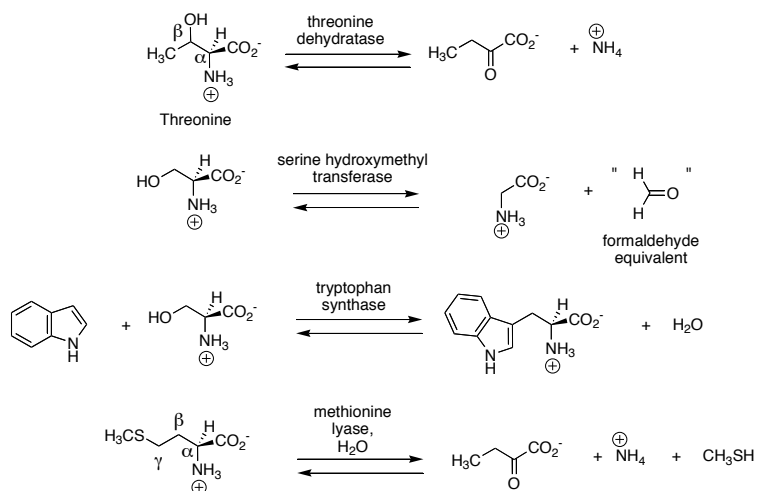
Stereochemistry of transamination (aspartate aminotransferase)



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Reactions at the β - and γ -carbons of amino acids



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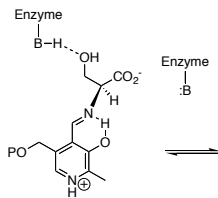
Threonine Dehydratase

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Tryptophan Synthase:

reactivity of indole toward electrophiles:

Similar to the mechanism of threonine dehydratase an electrophilic
PAL-amino acid complex is generated



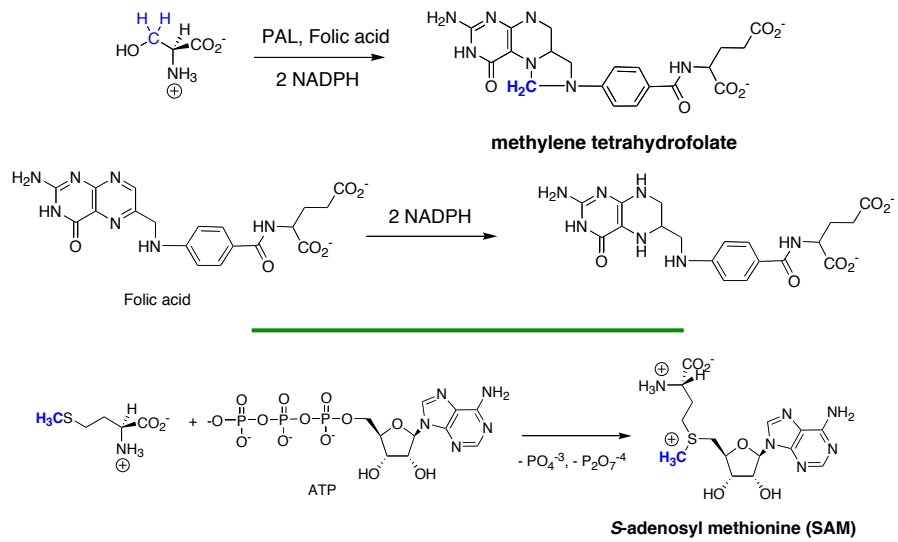
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Tryptophan Synthase (con' t):

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Serine hydroxymethyl transferase: one-carbon (methyl) donors in biology

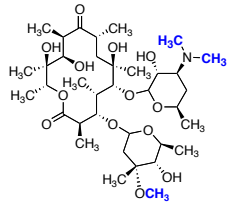
Bugg, Ch. 9, pp. 206-7



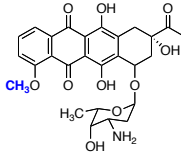
Methyl groups from:

SAM

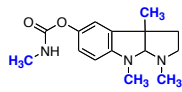
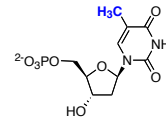
Methylene tetrahydrofolate



Erythromycin



Daunomycin



Physostigmine

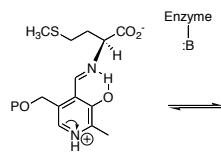
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Mechanism of serine hydroxymethyl transferase:

Note: this mechanism is not the same as on page 207 of Bugg, which is probably incorrect

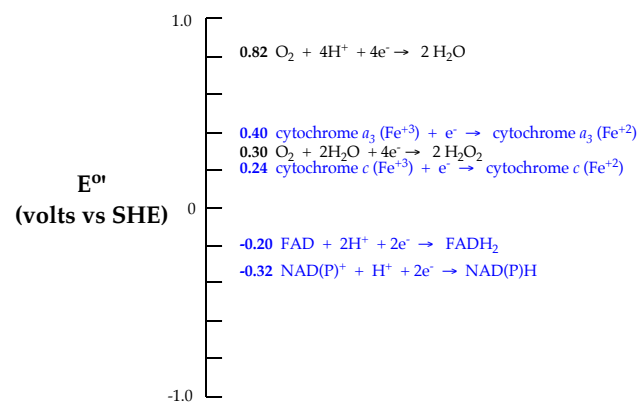
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Mechanism of methionine γ -lyase



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Redox Cofactors



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