

Today

Organic

Carbon Chemistry

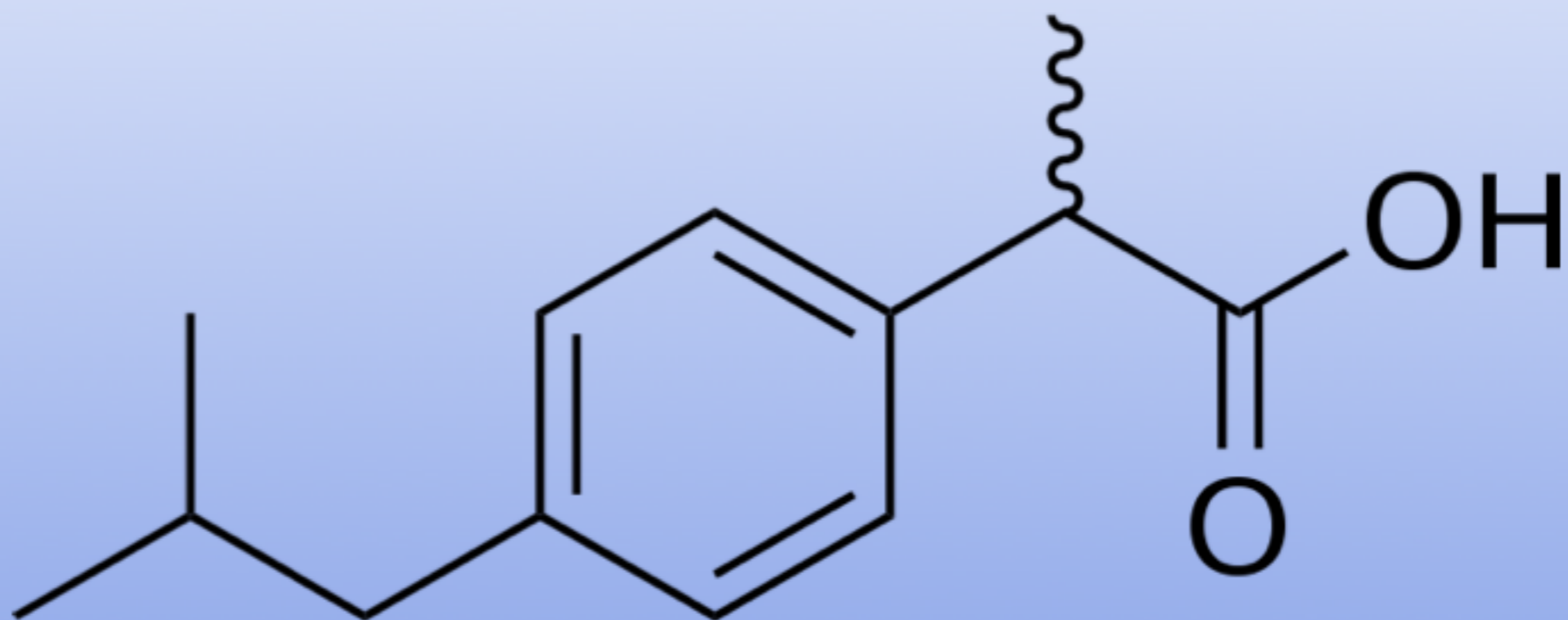
# Organic

You know more than you think already

What you will need  
Lewis dot, VSEPR  
VB, hybrid orbitals, MO  
electronegativity  
intermolecular forces

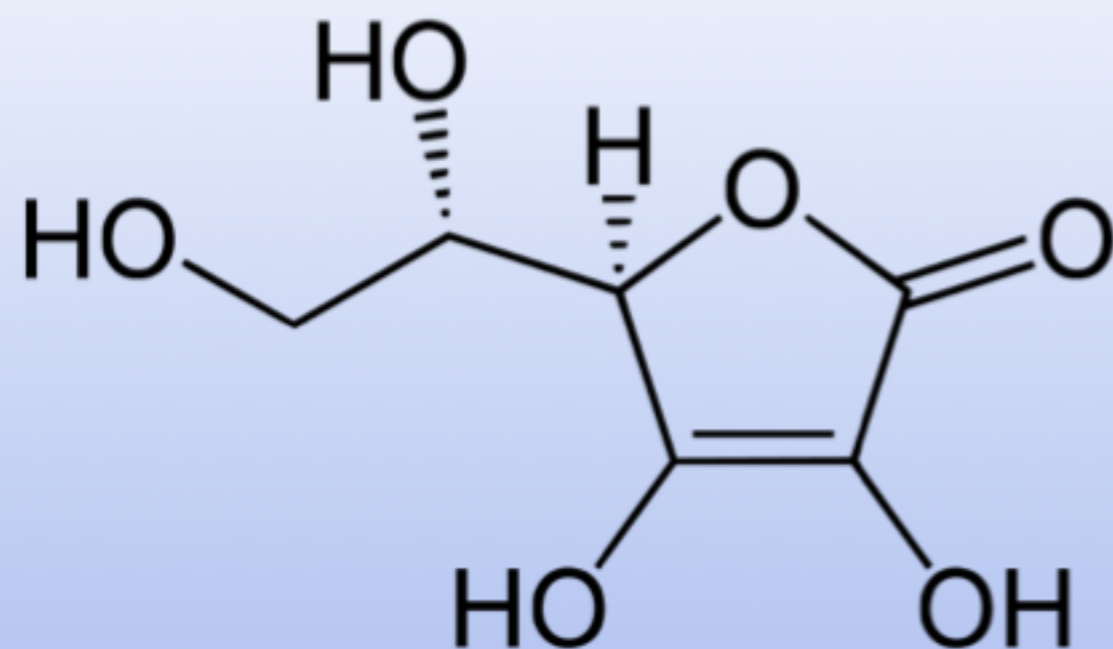
Two hurdles we will deal with

Understanding structures  
Nomenclature



Ibuprofen

*RS*-2-(4-(2-methylpropyl)phenyl)propanoic acid



**vitamin C**

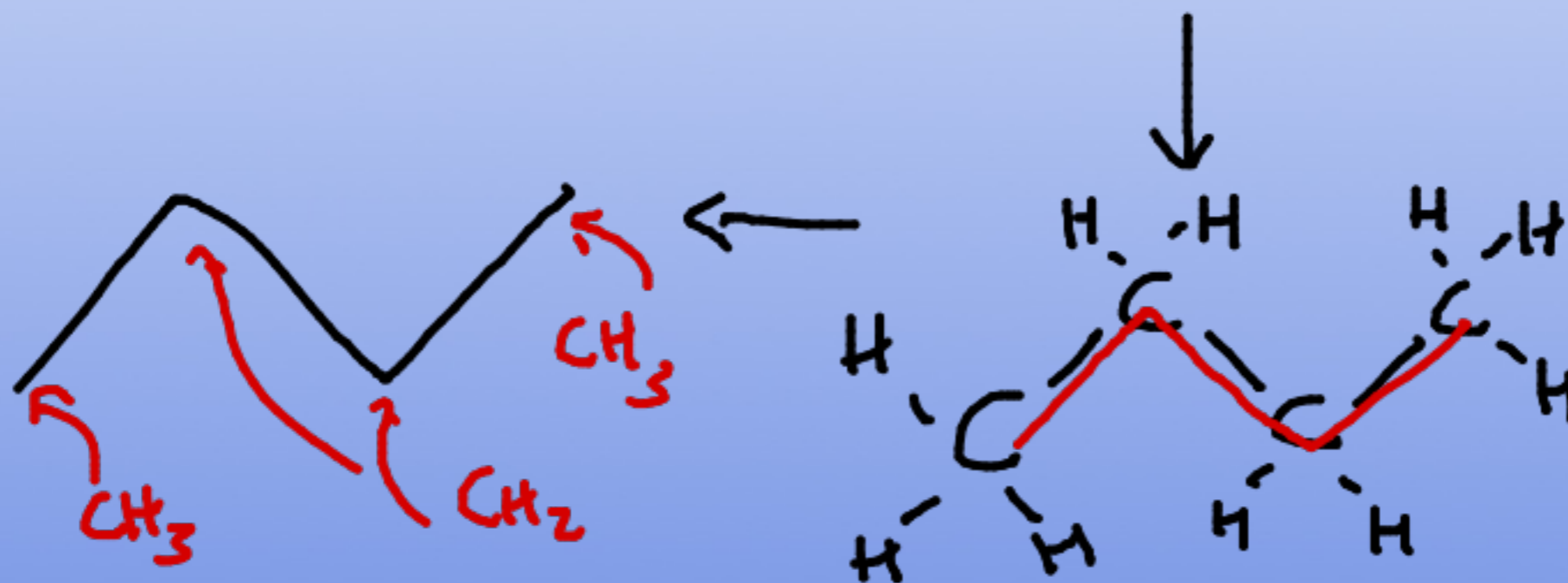
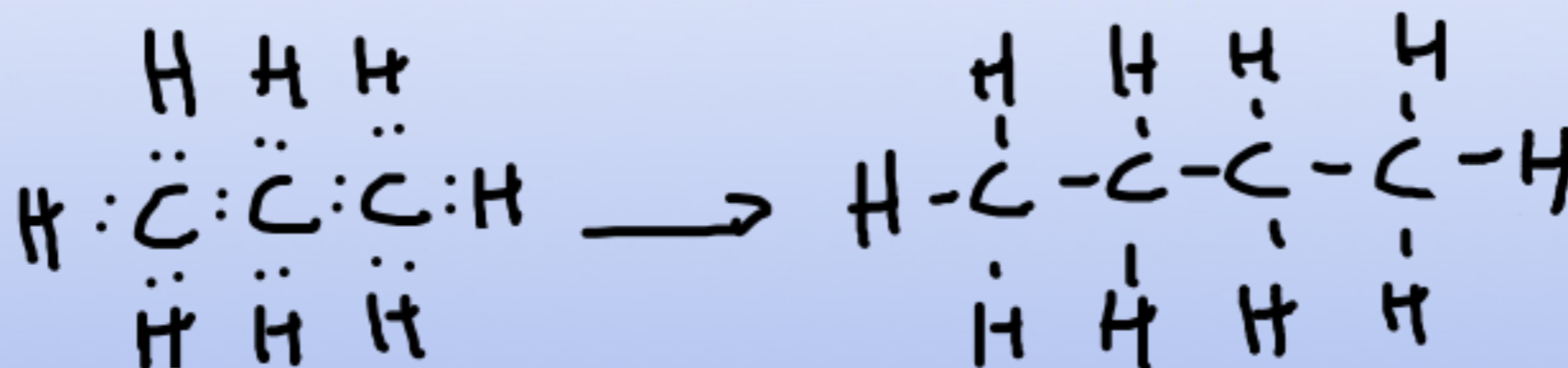
**L-ascorbic acid**

*R*)-3,4-dihydroxy-5-((*S*)- 1,2-dihydroxyethyl)furan-2(5*H*)-one

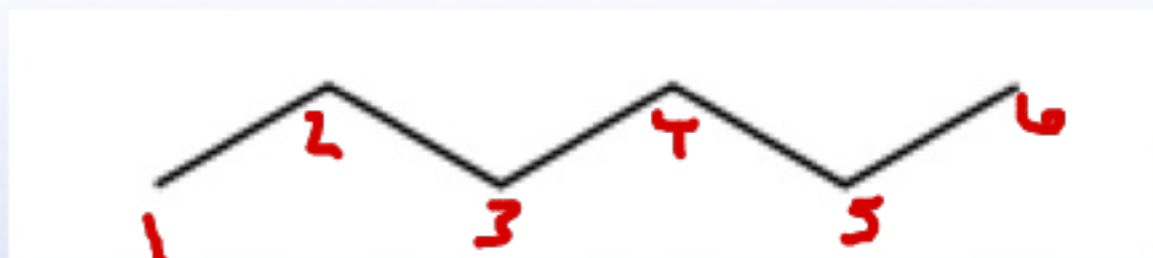


# First Structures

Let's look at a simple molecule,  
butane  $C_4H_{10}$



How many carbon atoms does this molecule have?



A. 0

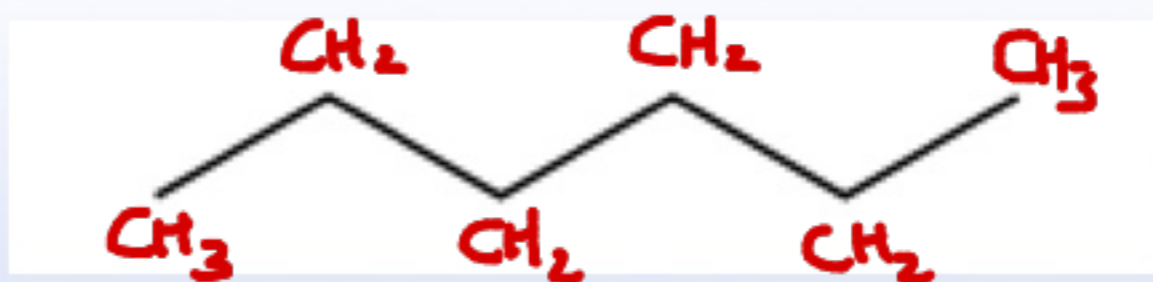
B. 4

C. 5

D. 6

E. 7

How many hydrogen atoms does this molecule have?



- A. 6
- B. 10
- C. 12
- D. 14**
- E. 16

How many carbons and hydrogens in the following?



A. 6 C, 14 H

B. 6 C, 15 H

C. 6 C, 16 H

D. 7 C, 15 H

E. 7 C, 14 H

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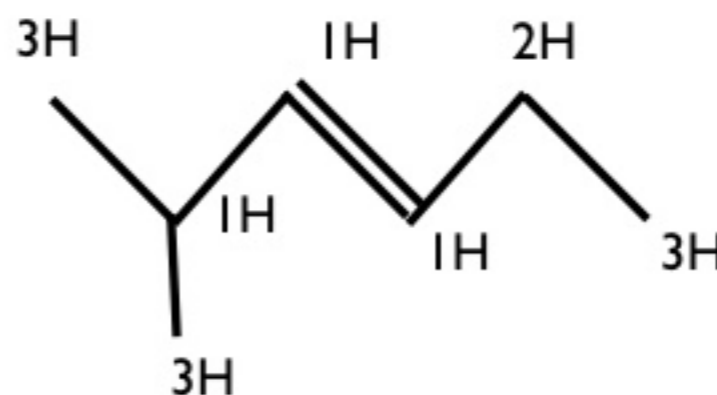
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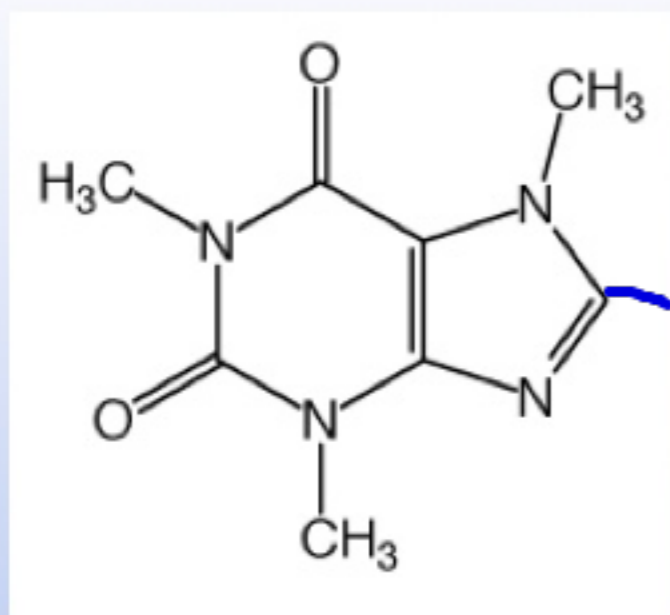
B. 6 C, 15 H

C. 6 C, 16 H

D. 7 C, 15 H

E. 7 C, 14 H





this is the structure for caffeine

how many hydrogens are not shown?

A. 0

B. 1

C. 2

D. 3

E. 4

C 4 Bonds

N 3 Bonds

O 2 Bonds

## Step 1

### Nomenclature

prefix

parent

suffix

parent is the name of the longest carbon chain. Each length has a given name

1 carbon methane

2 carbons ethane

5 carbons pentane



## Step I

### Nomenclature

prefix

parent

suffix

suffix is the name of the "functional group"

-ol alcohol

-one ketone

-ane alkane



## Step 1

### Nomenclature

prefix

parent

suffix

prefix is the name of any substituent groups typically a carbon chain(sidechains)

1 carbon methyl

2 carbons ethyl

5 carbons pentyl

## Names for parent groups

First lets look at alkanes  
(essentially no functional group)

All single bonds

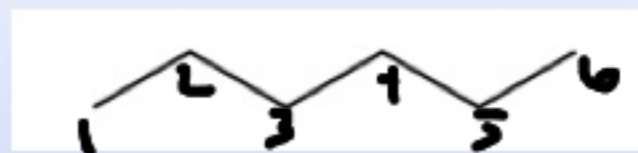
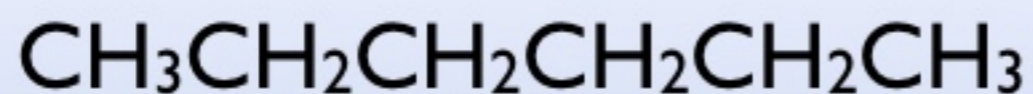
suffix is **ane**

meth**ane**    but**ane**    5-methyloct**ane**

## SIDE CHAIN

Number of carbon atoms	Formula	Name of alkane	Name of alkyl group	Formula
1	$\text{CH}_4$	methane	methyl	$\text{CH}_3-$
2	$\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_3$	ethane	ethyl	$\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2-$
3	$\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3$	propane	propyl	$\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2-$
4	$\text{CH}_3(\text{CH}_2)_2\text{CH}_3$	butane	butyl	$\text{CH}_3(\text{CH}_2)_2\text{CH}_2-$
5	$\text{CH}_3(\text{CH}_2)_3\text{CH}_3$	pentane	pentyl	$\text{CH}_3(\text{CH}_2)_3\text{CH}_2-$
6	$\text{CH}_3(\text{CH}_2)_4\text{CH}_3$	hexane	hexyl	$\text{CH}_3(\text{CH}_2)_4\text{CH}_2-$
7	$\text{CH}_3(\text{CH}_2)_5\text{CH}_3$	heptane	heptyl	$\text{CH}_3(\text{CH}_2)_5\text{CH}_2-$
8	$\text{CH}_3(\text{CH}_2)_6\text{CH}_3$	octane	octyl	$\text{CH}_3(\text{CH}_2)_6\text{CH}_2-$
9	$\text{CH}_3(\text{CH}_2)_7\text{CH}_3$	nonane	nonyl	$\text{CH}_3(\text{CH}_2)_7\text{CH}_2-$
10	$\text{CH}_3(\text{CH}_2)_8\text{CH}_3$	decane	decyl	$\text{CH}_3(\text{CH}_2)_8\text{CH}_2-$
11	$\text{CH}_3(\text{CH}_2)_9\text{CH}_3$	undecane	undecyl	$\text{CH}_3(\text{CH}_2)_9\text{CH}_2-$
12	$\text{CH}_3(\text{CH}_2)_{10}\text{CH}_3$	dodecane	dodecyl	$\text{CH}_3(\text{CH}_2)_{10}\text{CH}_2-$

The following compound is

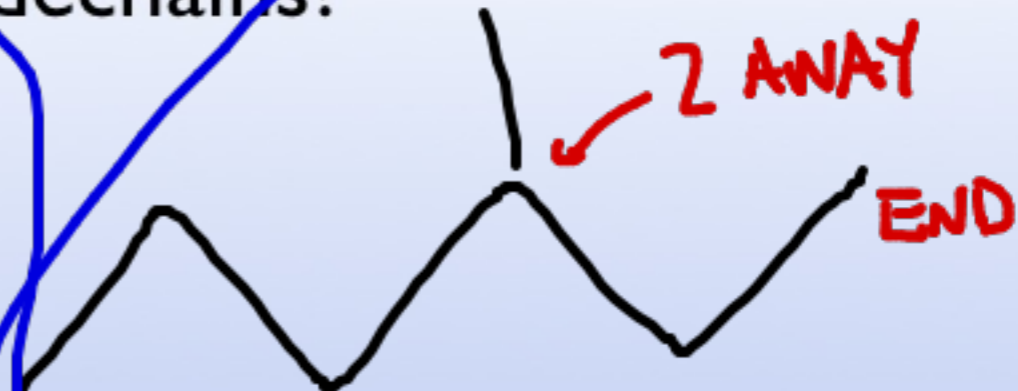


- A. butane
- B. isobutane
- C. pentane
- D. hexane
- E. heptane

What about sidechains?



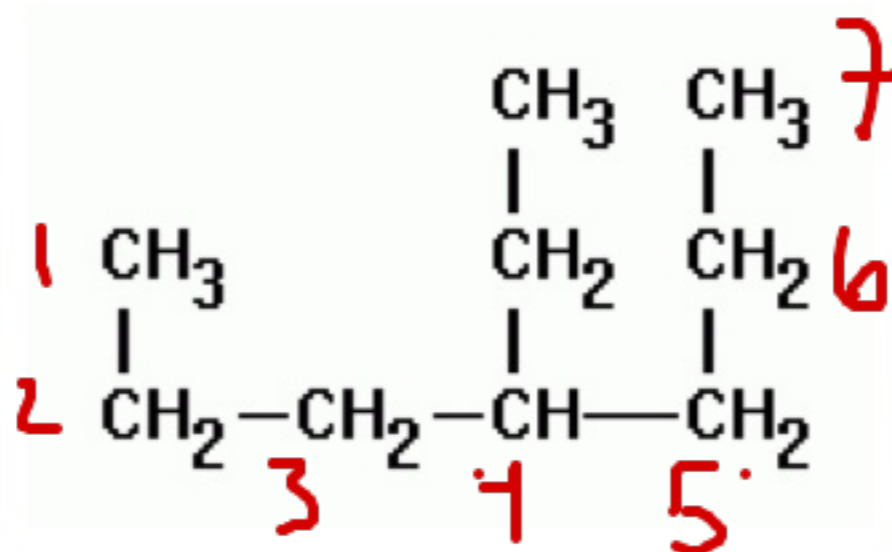
SAME



SAME



The following compound is



- A. 3-ethylhexane
- B. 3-ethylpropane
- C. 4-propylhexane
- D. 4-ethylheptane**
- E. 3-ethylheptane



Which numbers do I use?

longest main chain  
lowest possible numbers

The next simplest  
add a functional group

$C=C$  Double bond

suffix -ene

$C\equiv C$  Triple bond

suffix -yne





Different  
Molecules  
Since  
Double/Triple  
Bonds have  
different  
reactivities.

The following compound is



A. 2-hexene

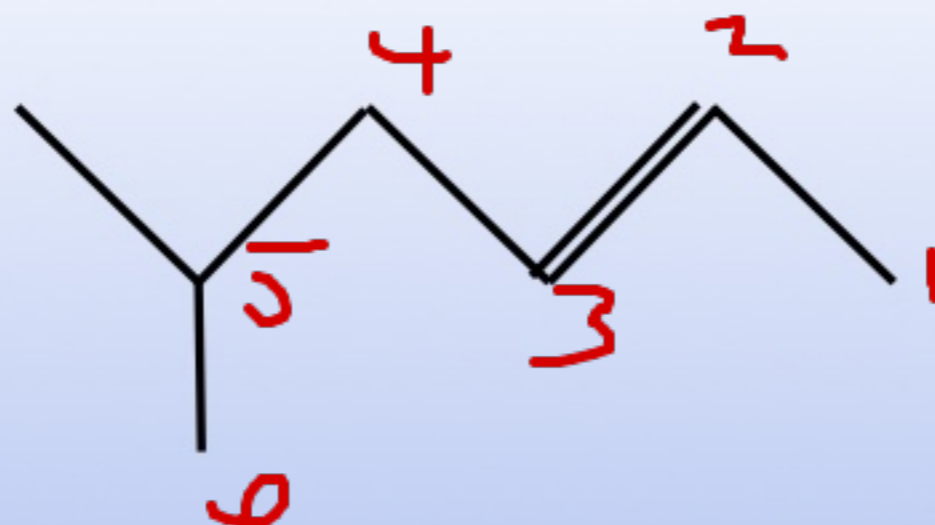
B. 3-hexene

C. 4-heptene

D. 4-hexene

E. 2 methyl, butene

The following compound is



Lowest  
possible #  
for functional  
group

A. 5-methyl 2-hexene

B. 2-methyl 5-hexene

## Nomenclature with functional group

Put the number by before the functional group suffix



old system  
(everyone uses)

1 butene

official IUPAC  
name

but-1-ene

Name this compound



- A. 2-methyl 5-pentene
- B. 2-methyl 3-hexene**
- C. 1,1-dimethyl 2-pentene
- D. ~~5-methyl 3-hexene~~
- E. 5-methyl 4-hexene

3 is lowest possible for functional group.

choose lowest choice for side chain

## Other side-chains

Halogens

F Fluoro

Cl Chloro

Br Bromo

I Iodo

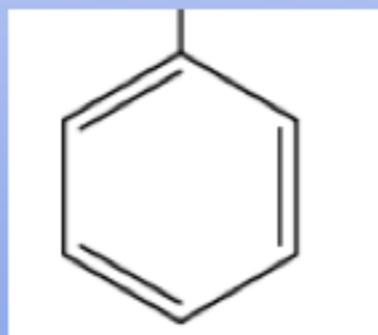
OH group

hydroxy

NH<sub>2</sub> group

amino

Benzene Ring  
phenyl





## Cyclic Hydrocarbons

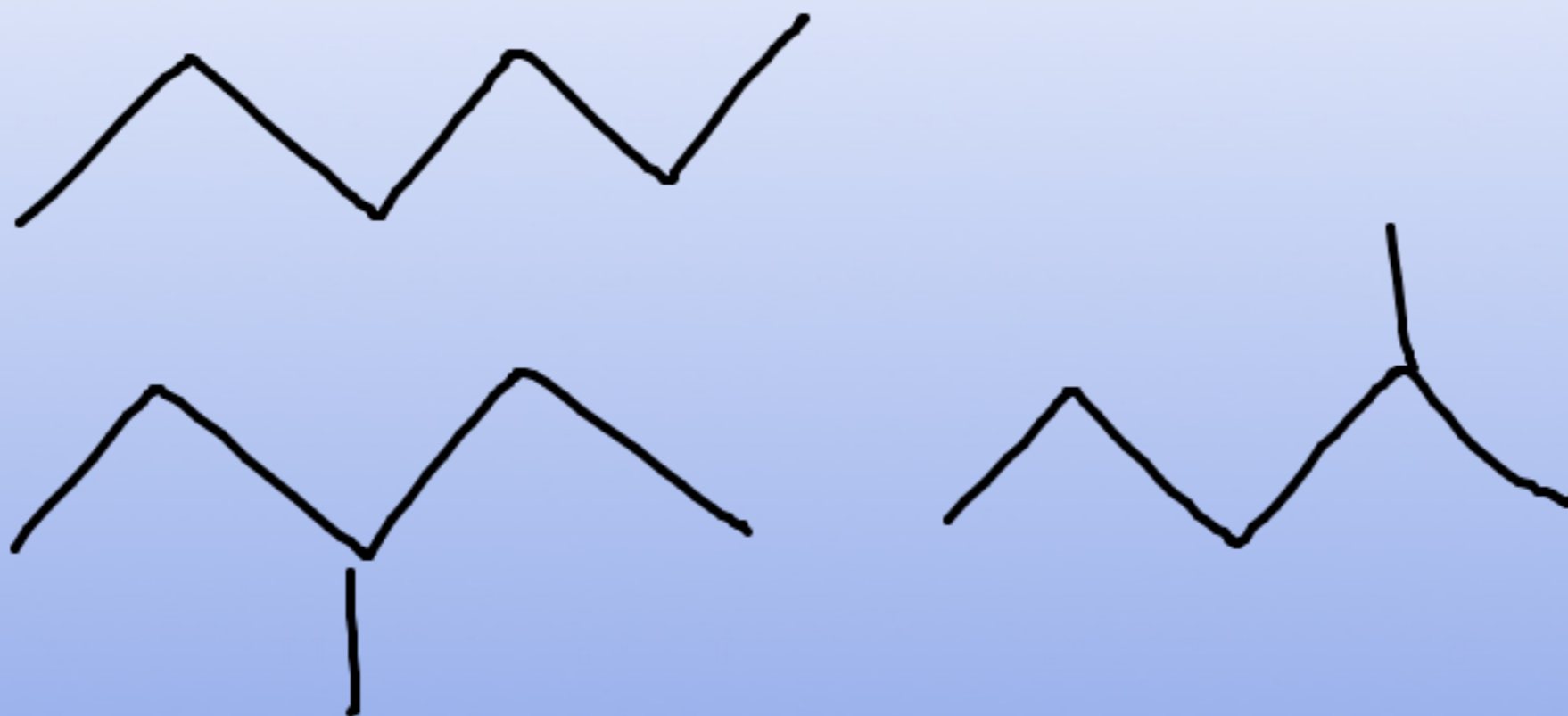
the carbon chain connects back to itself



cyclobutane

## Structural Isomers

hexane ( $C_6H_{14}$ )



All Hexanes



Are these the same molecule?



- A. Yes
- B. No

## Structural Isomer (constitutional isomers)

Same atoms and bonds, different bonding pattern

## Stereo Isomer (spatial isomers)

Same bonding pattern, different orientations in space

## Structural isomers

n-hexane

2 methyl pentane

## Stereoisomers

Diastereomer

(can interconvert)

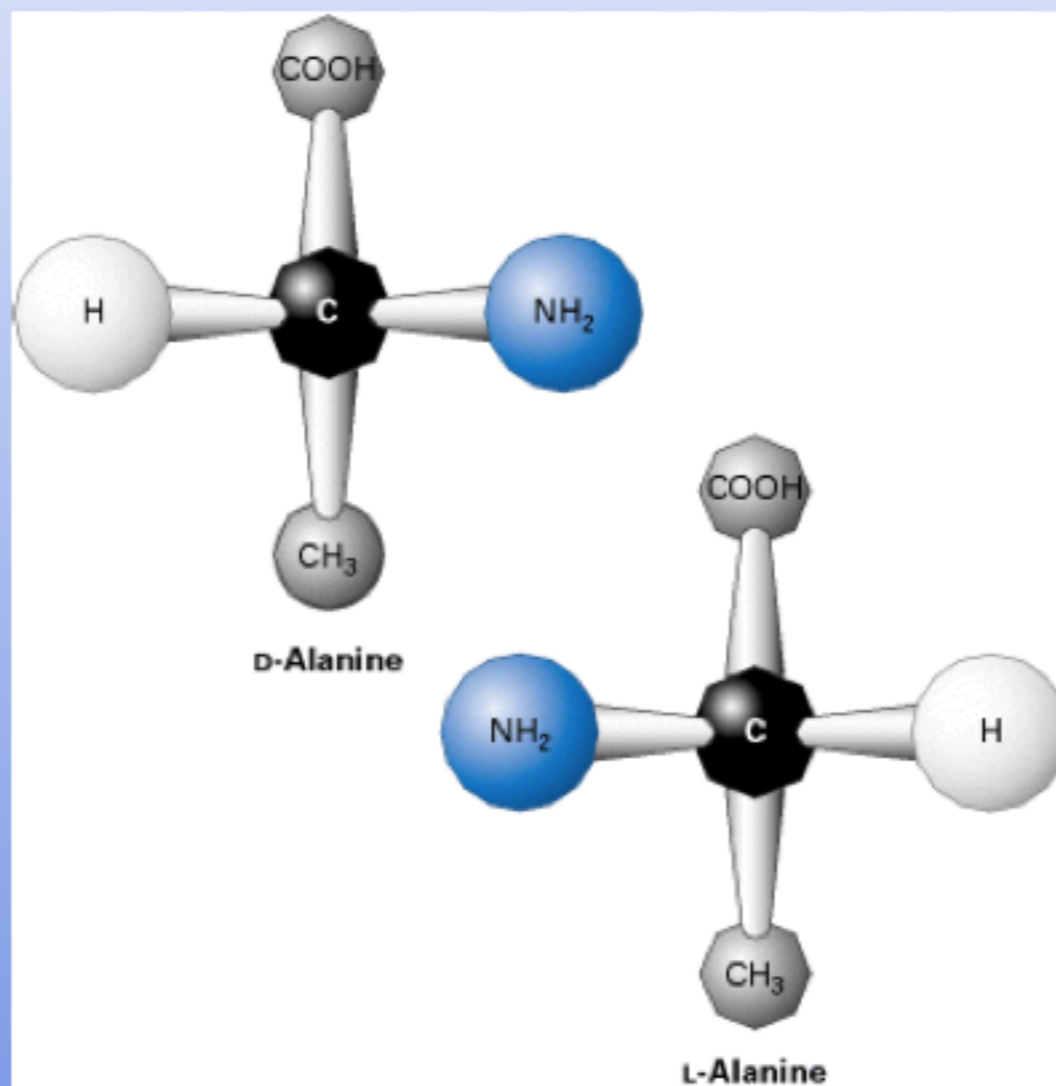
cis dichloro ethene

trans dichloroethene

Stereoisomers

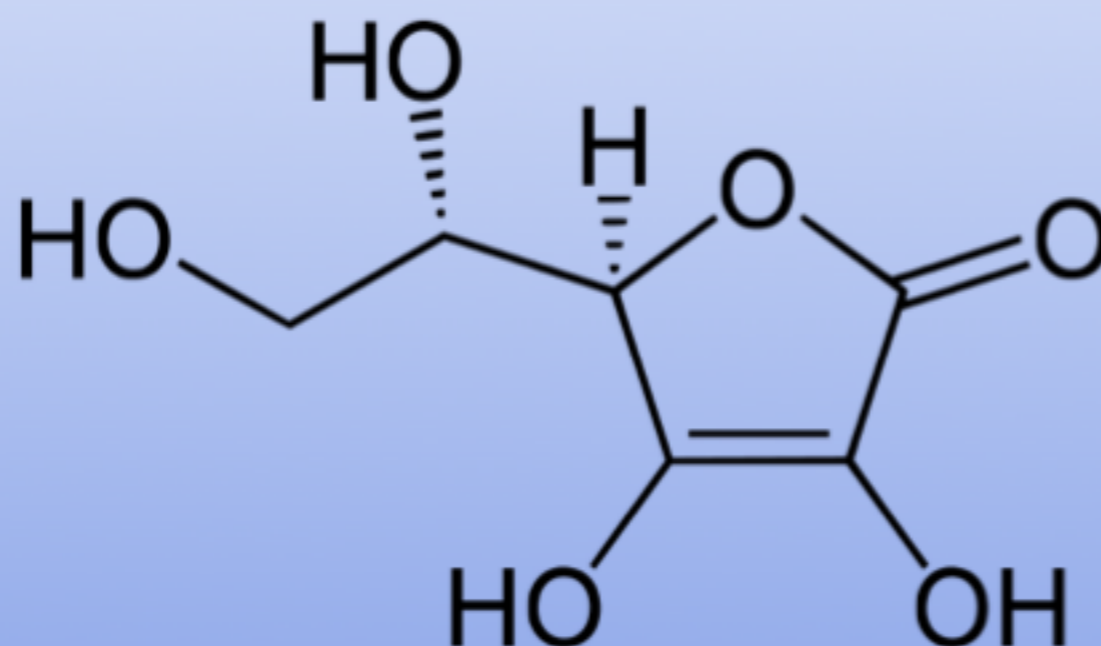
Enantiomers  
(chiral molecules)

Molecules cannot be superimposed  
(left and right hand versions)



Chiral Center  
(place where the chirality arises)

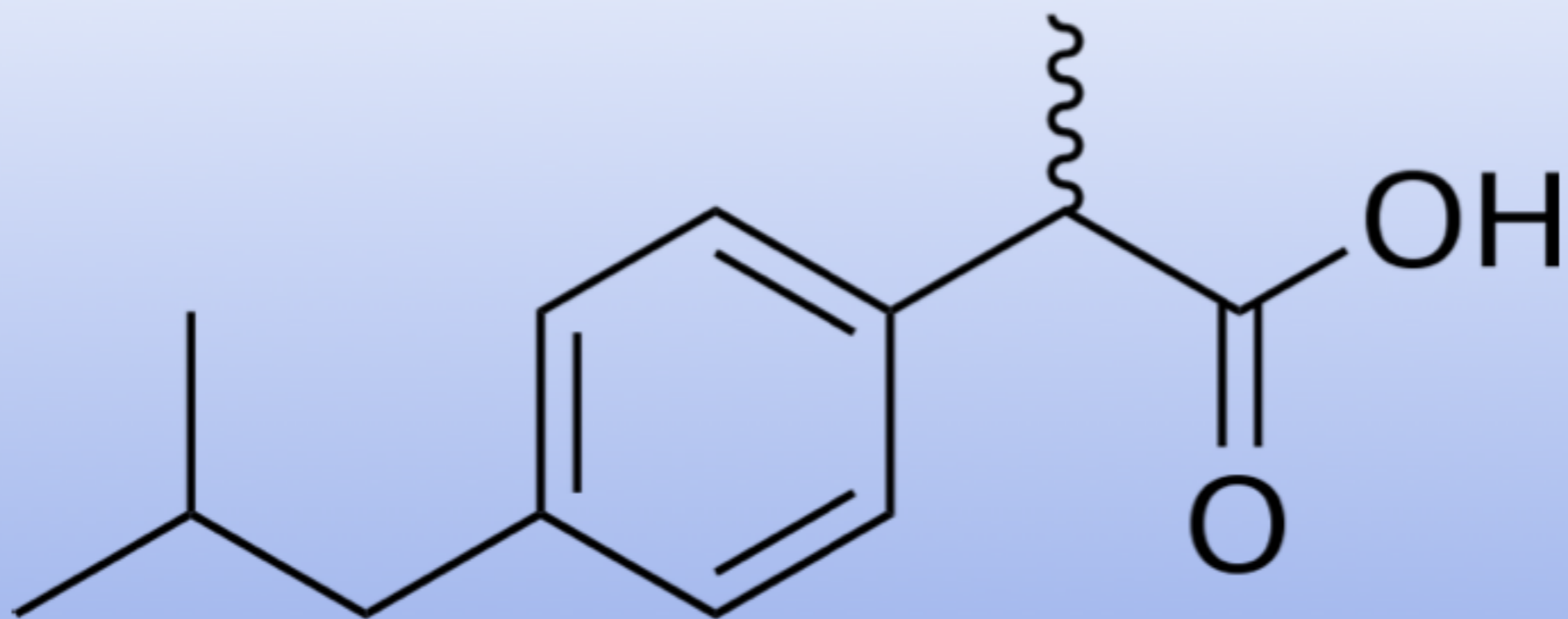
Carbon (or other atom)  
with 4 different substituents



vitamin C

L-ascorbic acid

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Ibuprofen

*RS*-2-(4-(2-methylpropyl)phenyl)propanoic acid

## Dienes

Two double bonds



5 carbon chain, parent  
penta

no side chains

two double bonds diene  
position 1 and 3

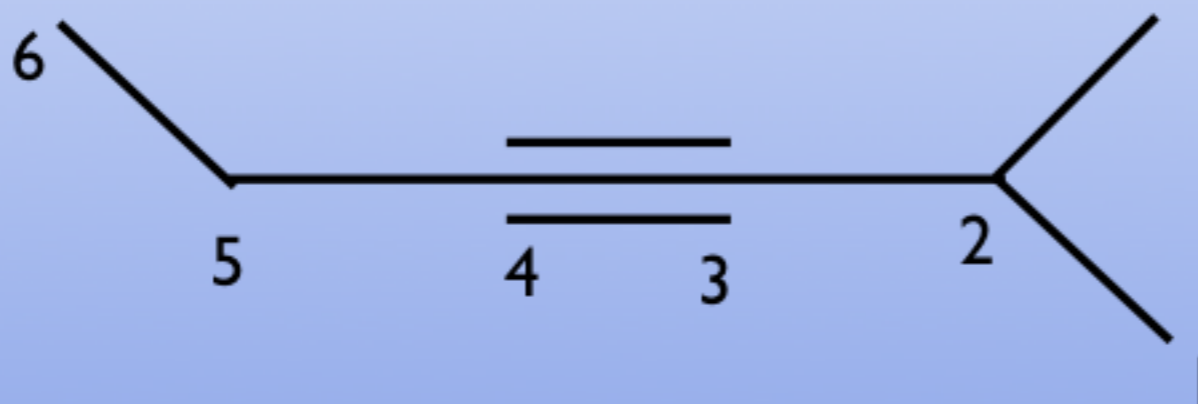
penta-1,3-diene



# Alkyne

Carbon Carbon Triple Bond

Suffix **-yne**



2 methyl hex-3-yne

Other functional groups

Common  
Ethanol

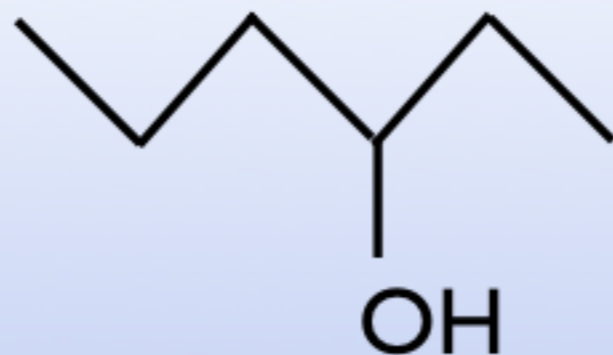


R = Generic representation  
of the rest of the molecule

functional group

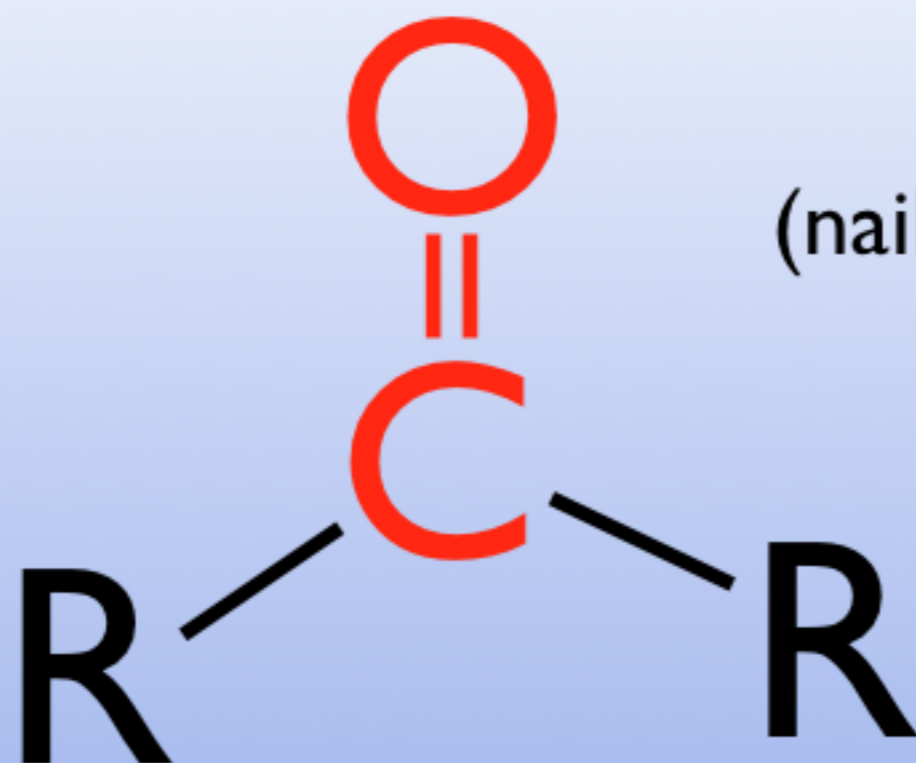
**-OH** group is an alcohol  
suffix is **-ol**

Name this compound



- A. heptan-2-ol
- B. hexan-4-ol
- C. 2-ethylbutan-1-ol
- D. 2-ethylpentan-1-ol
- E. hexan-3-ol

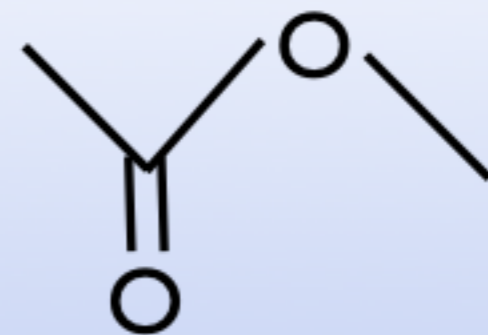
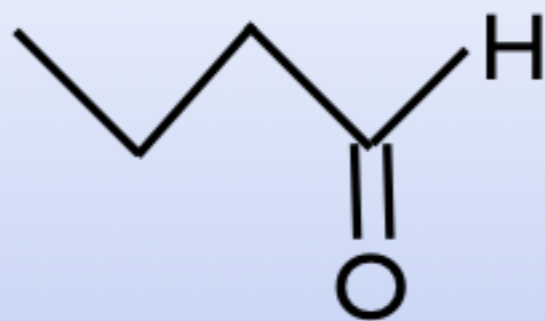
## Ketone



Common  
Acetone  
(nail polish remover)

carbon double bonded to an oxygen  
bonded to carbons on either side  
suffix is **-one**

Which of the following is a ketone?



A. A

B. B

C. C

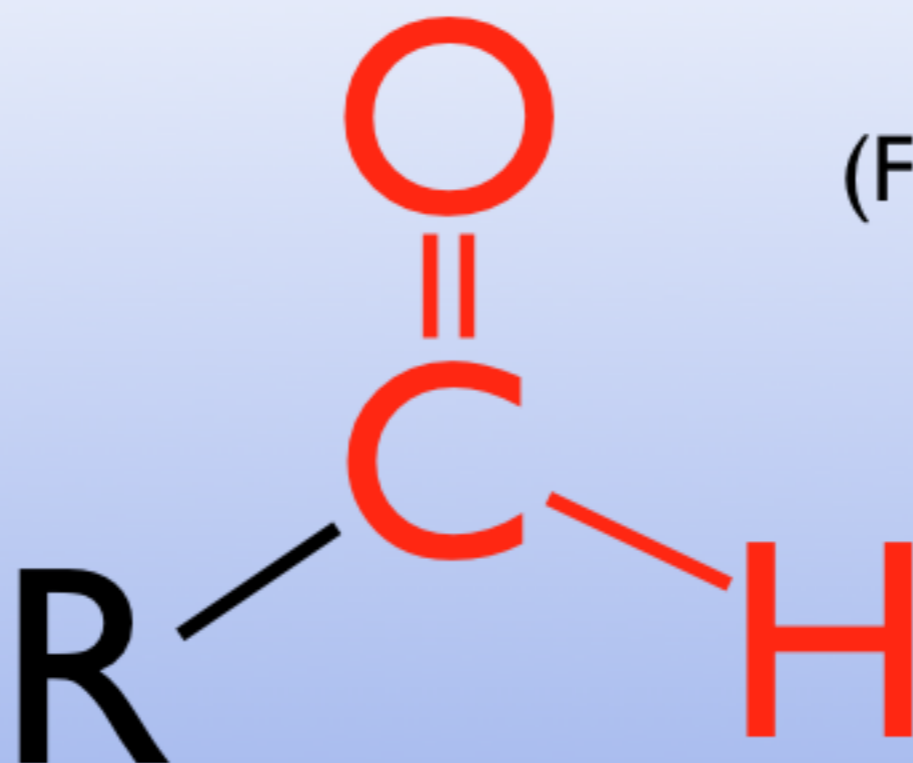
D. A & B

E. all three

butan-3-one

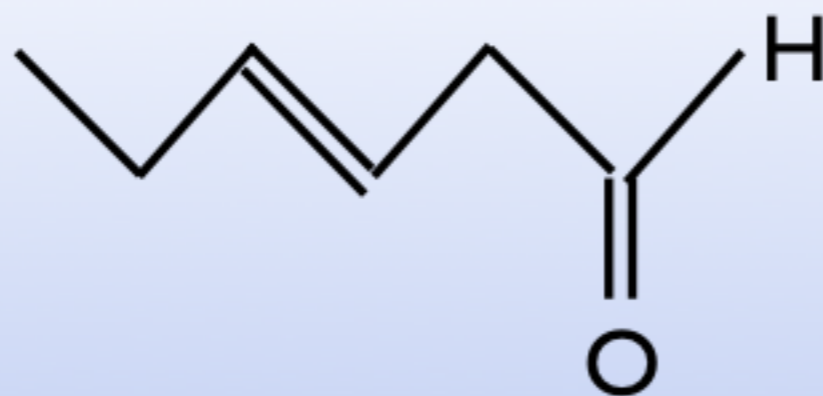
## Aldehyde

Common  
Formaldehyde  
(Fetal Pig Storage)



carbon double bonded to an oxygen  
bonded to carbon on one side  
(like a ketone at the end of a chain)  
suffix is -al

Name this compound



A. hex-3-enal

B. hex-3-en-1-al

C. hex-3-en-6-al

D. hex-6-al-3-ene

E. hexene6-3-al

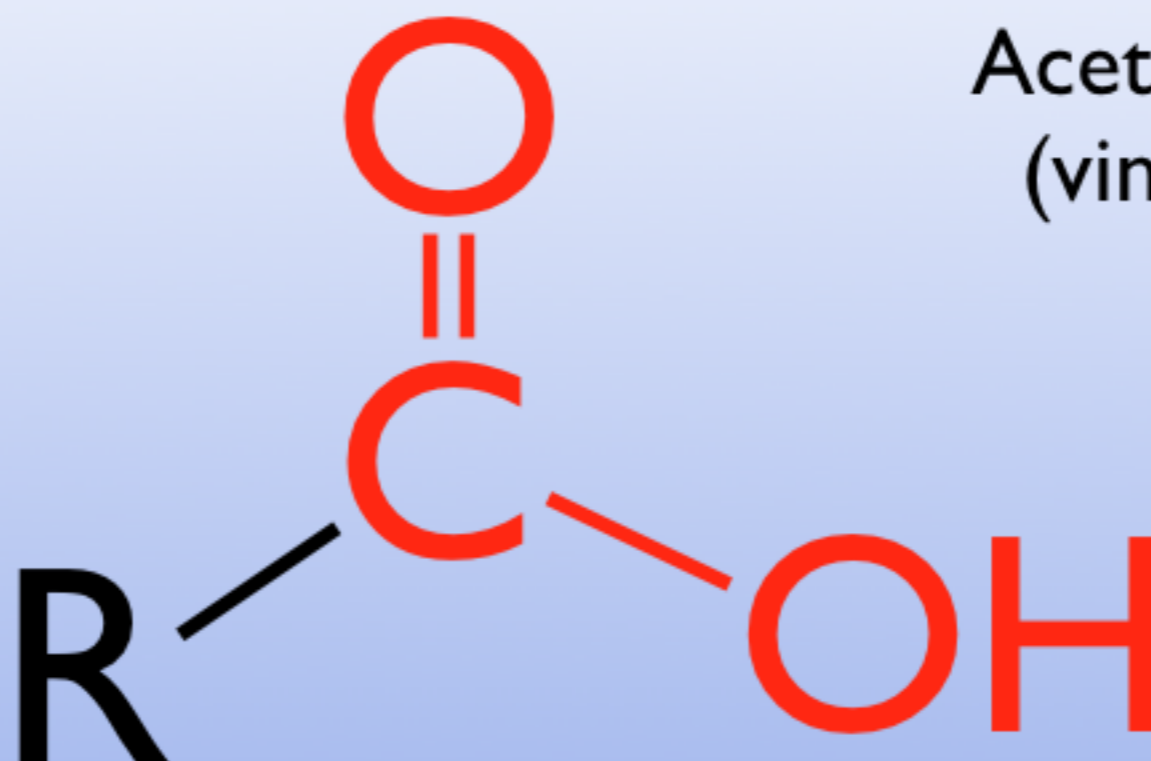
No need to number aldehyde  
its always at the end

H shown to emphasize the  
functional group



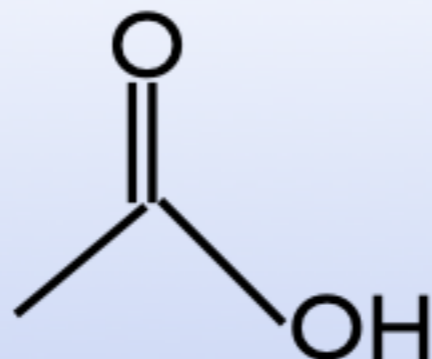
## Carboxylic Acid

Common  
Acetic Acid  
(vinegar)



carbon double bonded to an oxygen  
bonded to carbon on one side  
OH on the other side  
suffix is -oic acid

Name this compound



A. methanoic acid

B. ethanoic acid

C. propanoic acid

D. 3 hydroxy propan-2-one

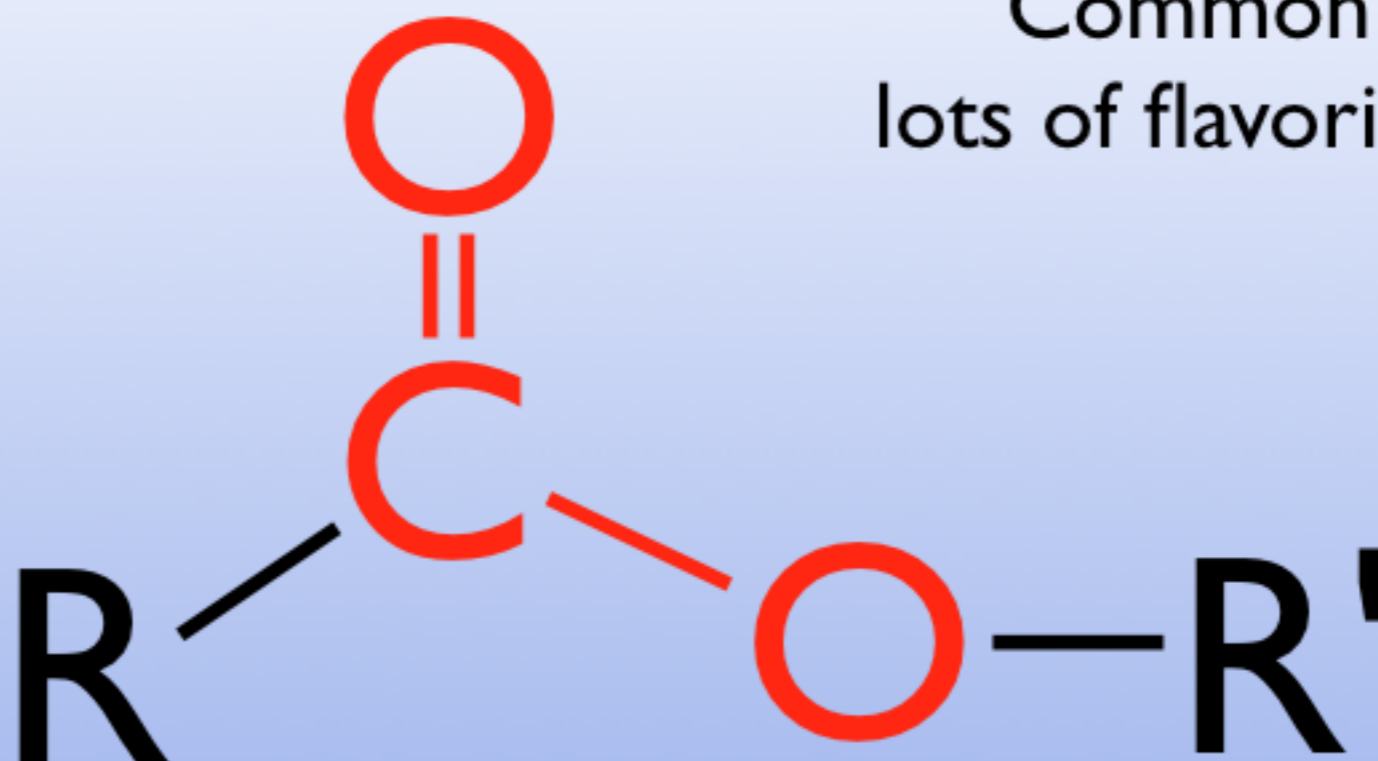
E. propanol

No need to number carboxylic acid  
its always at the end

this compound is also  
commonly known as acetic acid

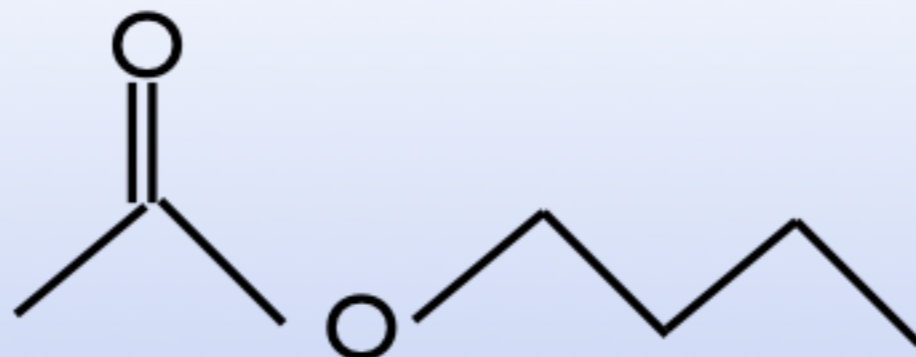
## Ester

Common  
lots of flavorings



carbon double bonded to an oxygen  
bonded to carbon on one side  
OR on the other side  
suffix is -oic acid

Name this compound



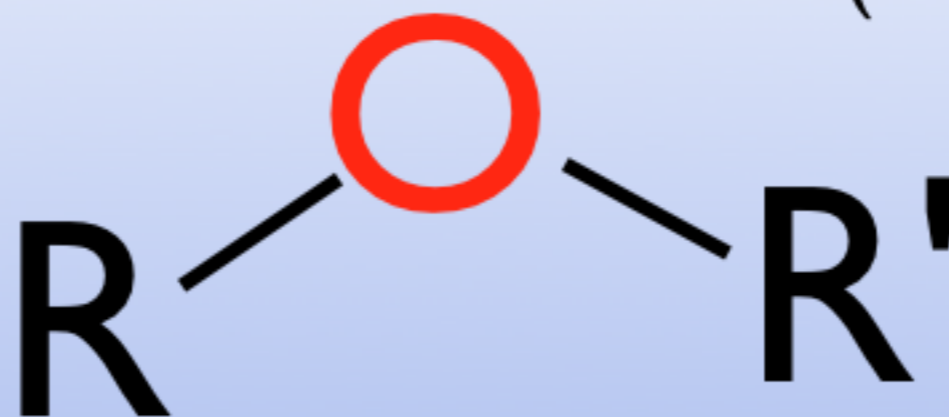
- A. ethyl butanoate
- B. butyl methanoate
- C. methyl heptanoate
- D. butyl ethanoate**
- E. pentyl ethanoate

No need to number ester  
name the two sides

part with the carboxyl (C=O)  
is the parent  
other part is like the side chain

Ether

Diethyl Ether  
(knocks you out)



carbon oxygen in the middle of the chain  
suffix is -ether



Treat as two "side chains"

methyl ethyl ether

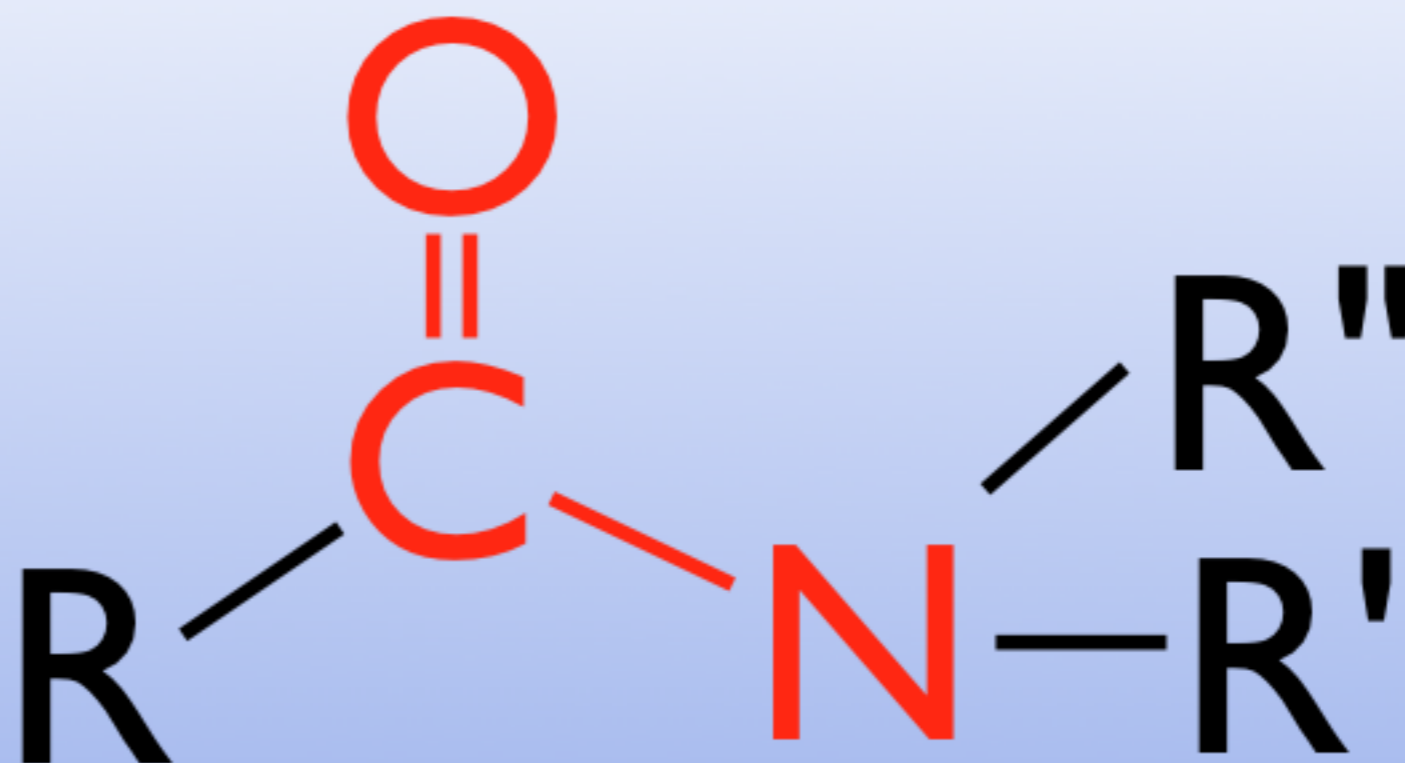
## Primary Amine



$-\text{NH}_2$  group is an amine  
suffix is **-amine**



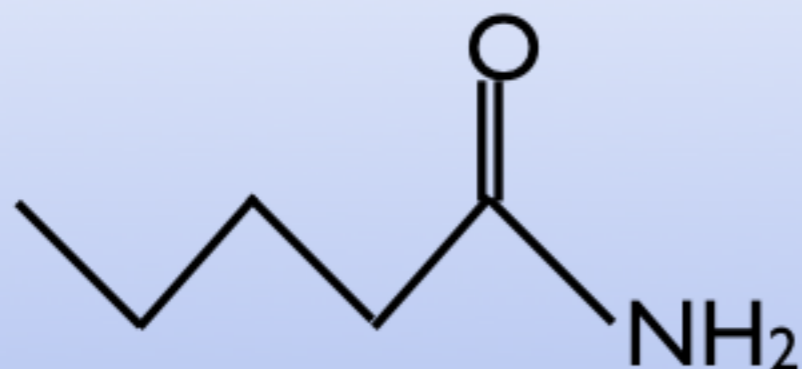
## Amide



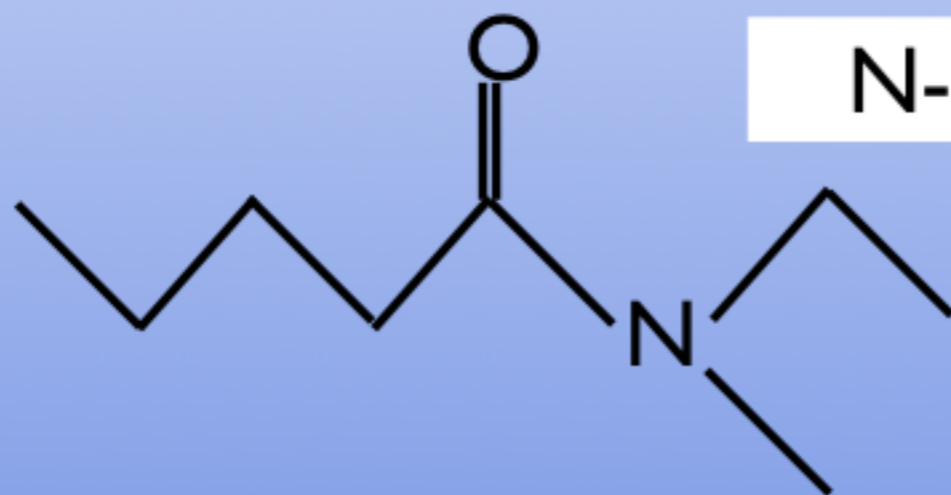
carbon double bonded to an oxygen  
bonded to carbon on one side  
N on the other side  
suffix is -amide

## Naming amide

Treat part with C=O as parent  
parts on the N as sidechains



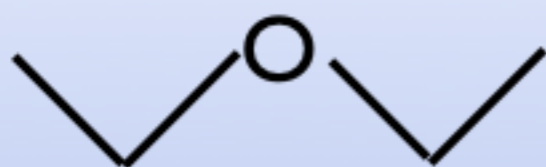
pentanamide



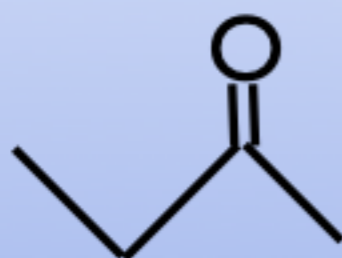
N-ethyl-N-methylpentanamide



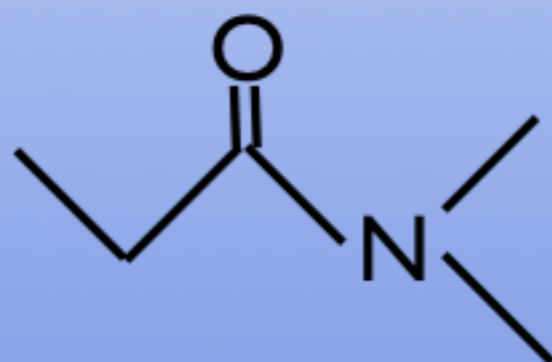
Amine



Ether



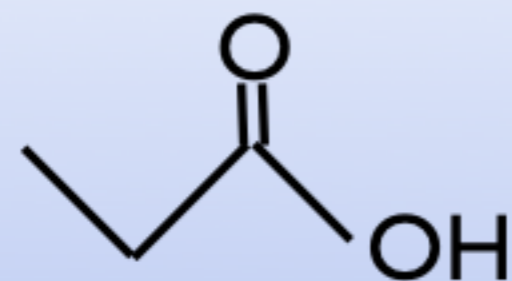
Ketone



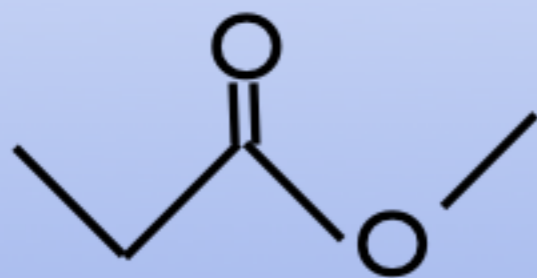
Amide



Alcohol



Carboxylic Acid



Ester



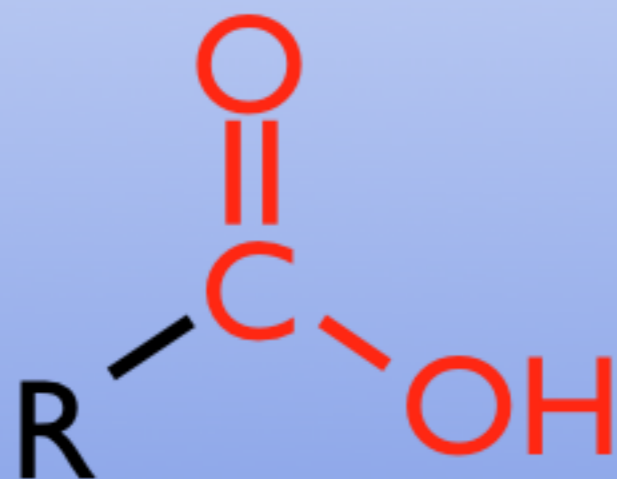
Alkene

# Important Reaction for Biochemistry

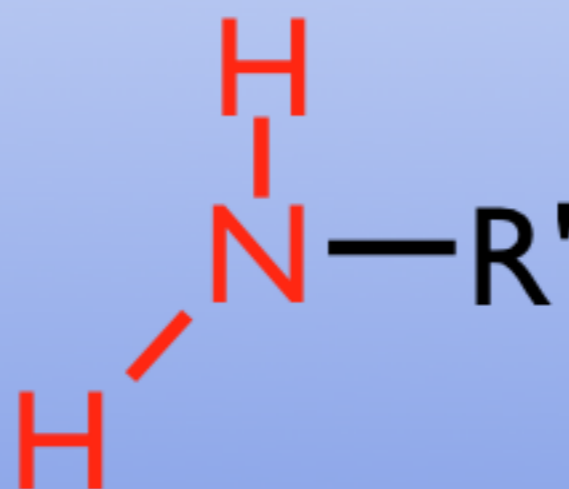
## Formation of an Amide

The don't call them functional groups for nothing

Carboxylic Acid

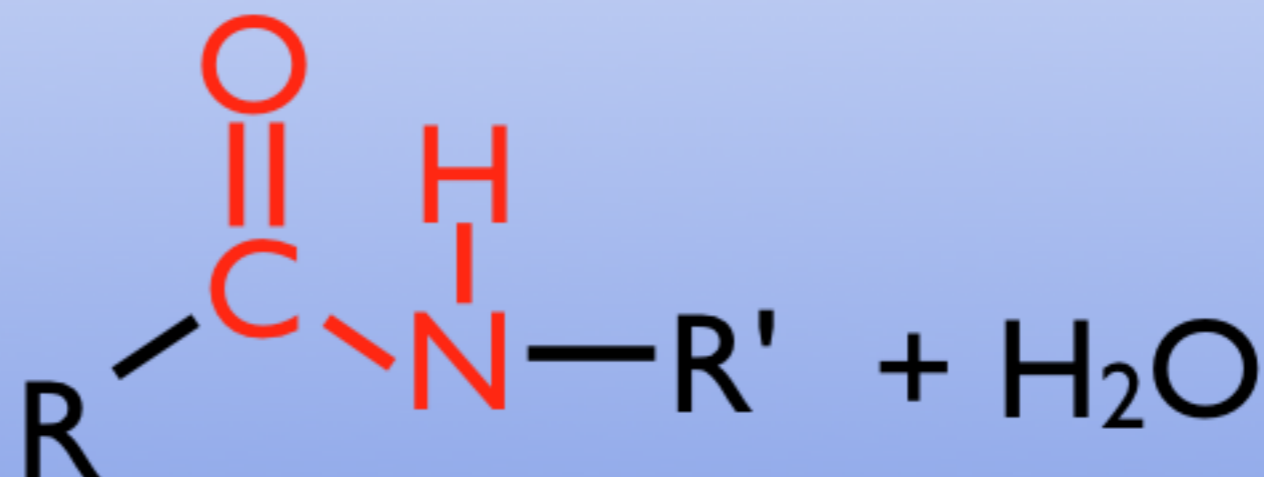
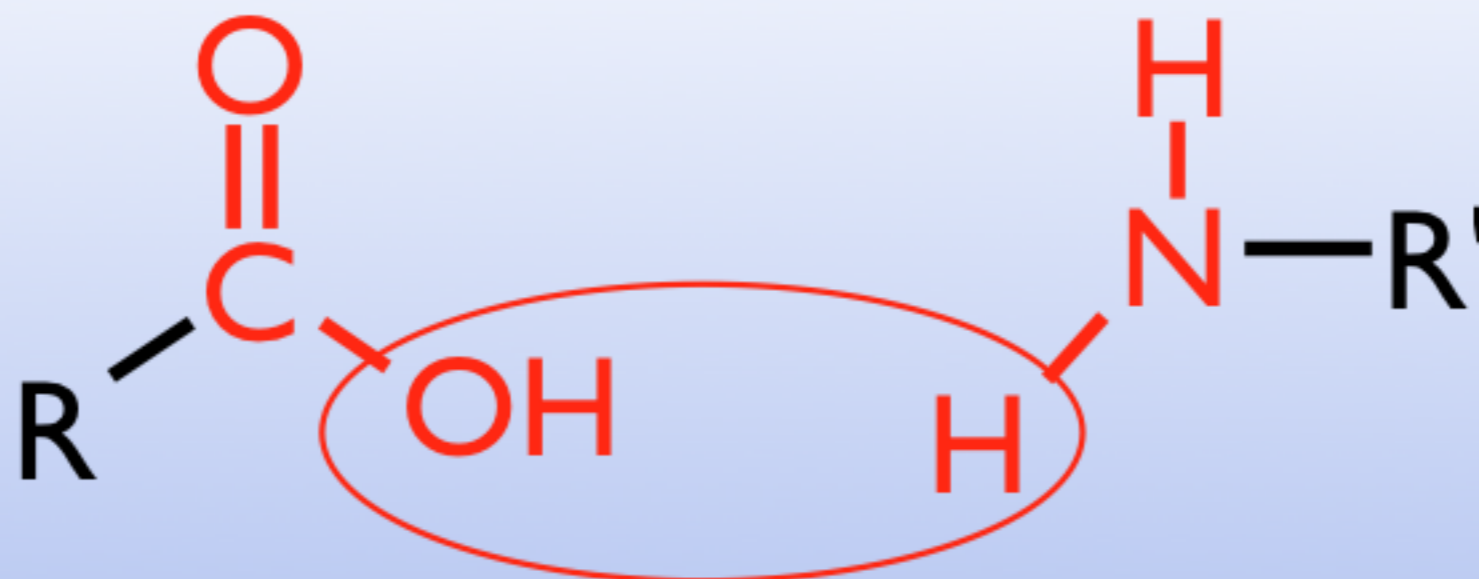


Primary Amine



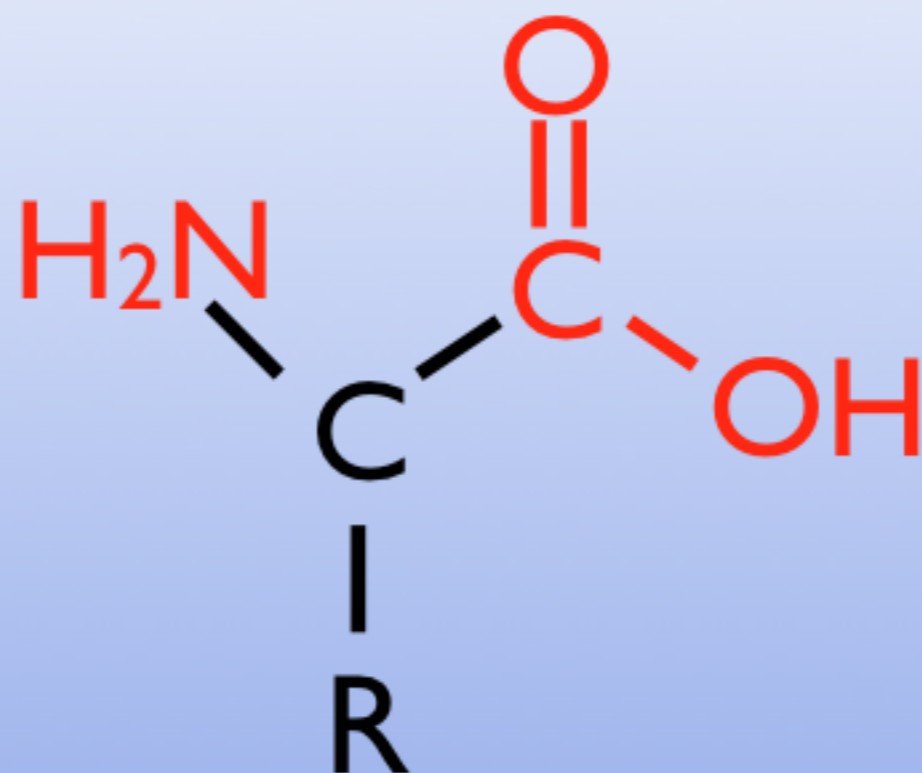
Carboxylic Acid

Primary Amine



Amide + Water

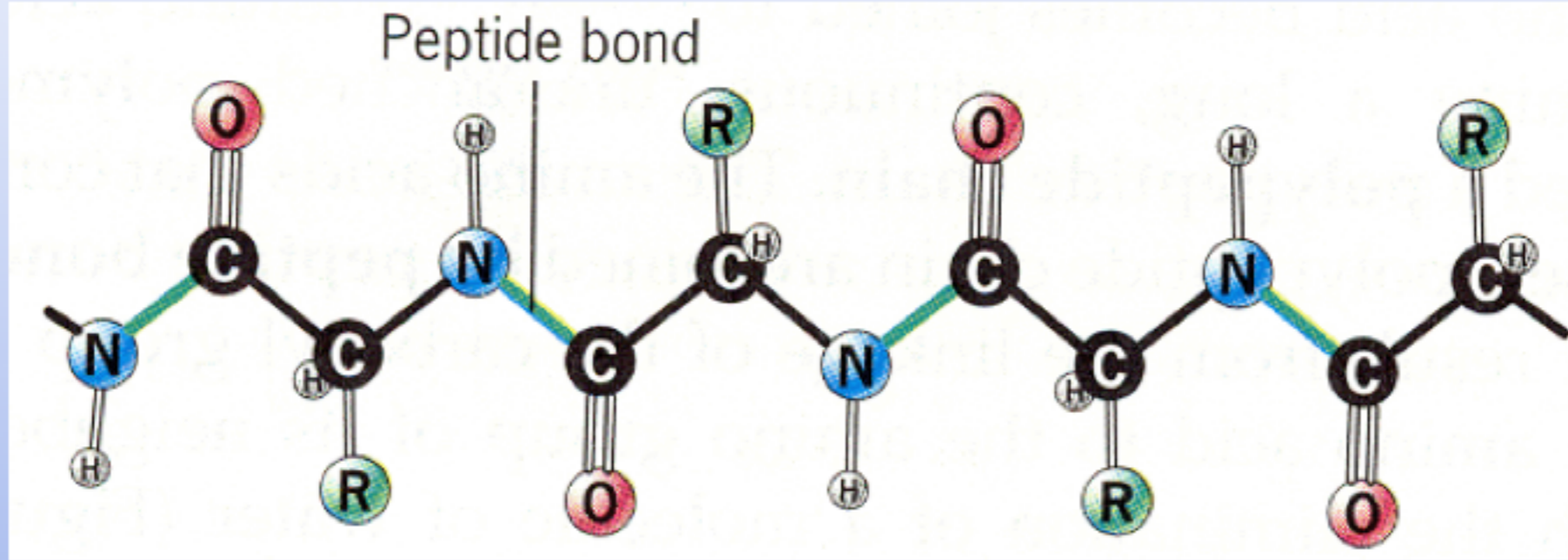
## Amino Acid



Carboxylic End and Amine End  
Can react with itself  
(or similar molecules) in a chain



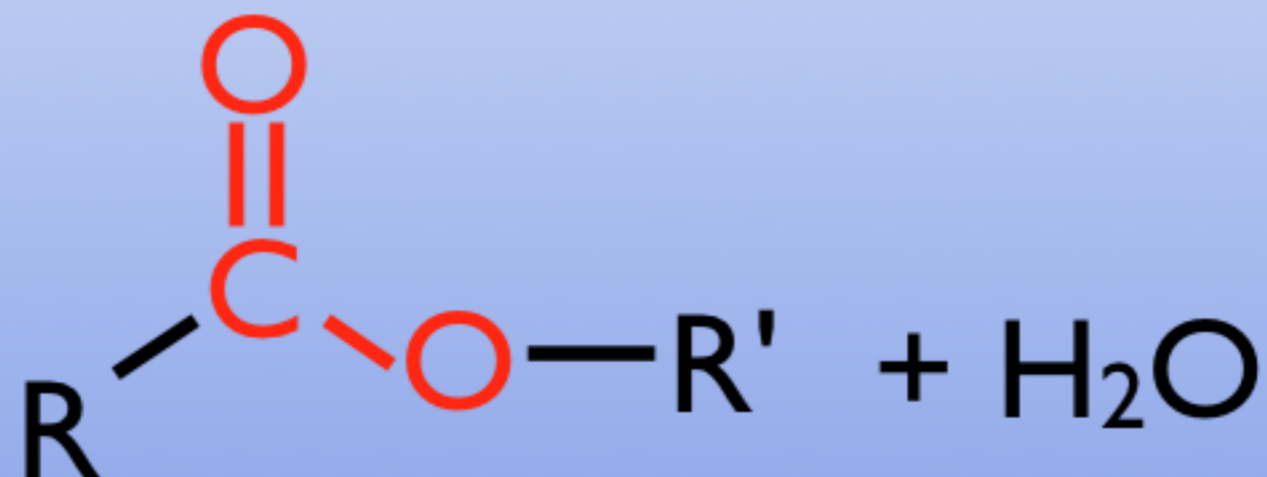
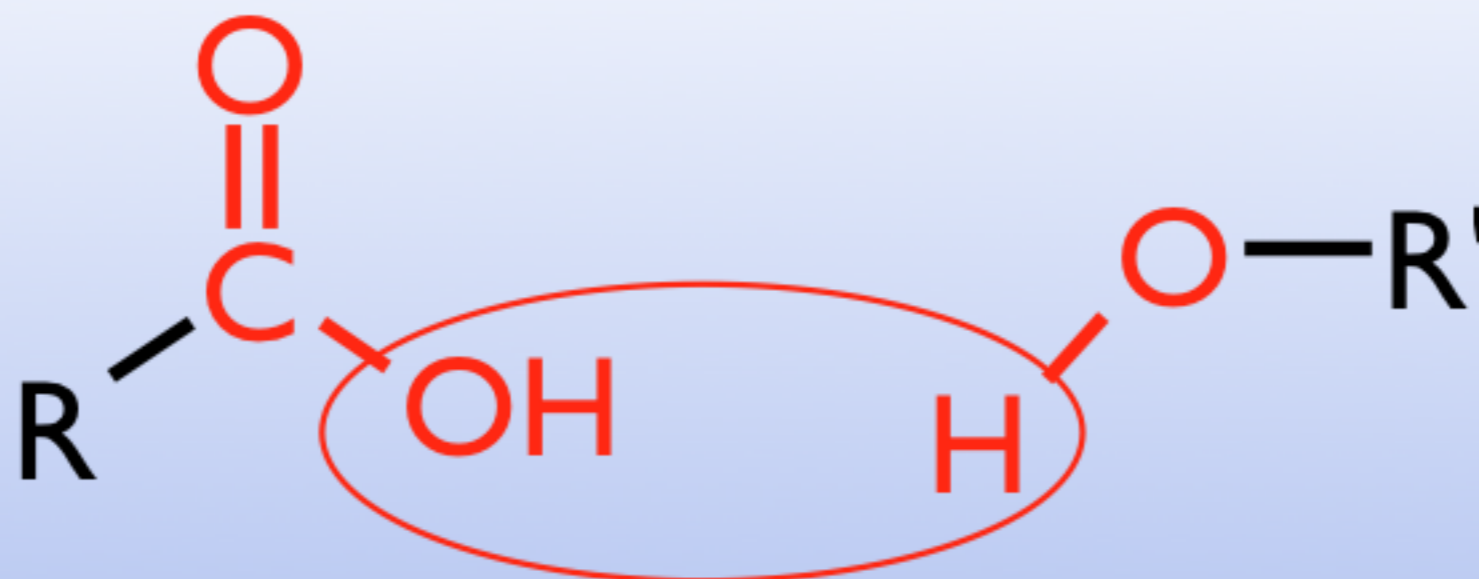
# Polypeptide



Two distinct ends  
N-terminus is an amine  
C-terminus is a carboxylic acid

Carboxylic Acid

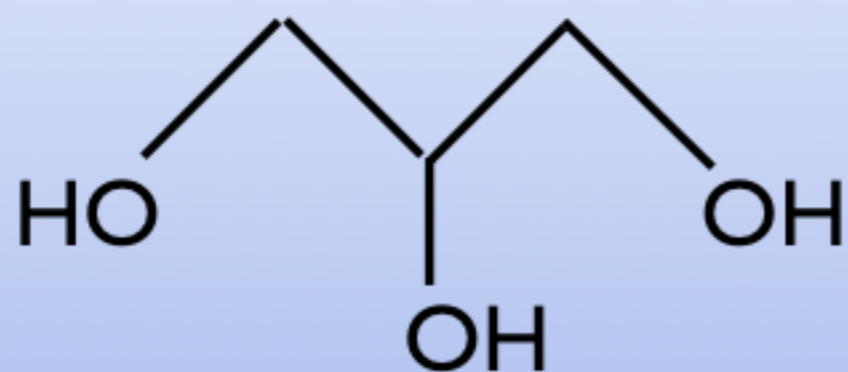
Alcohol



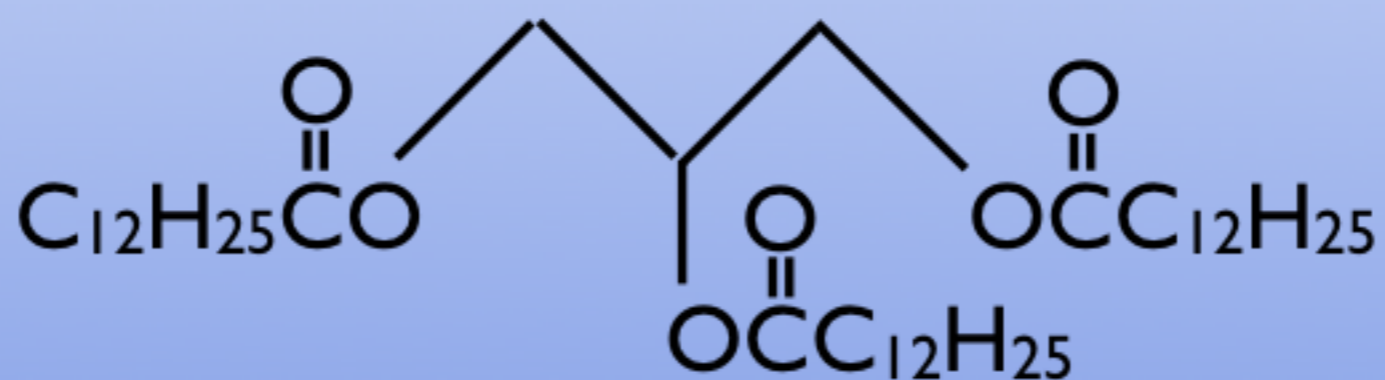
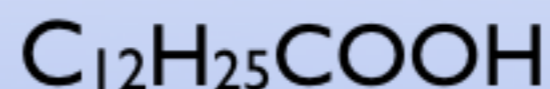
Ester + Water

## Triglycerides

Glycerol



Fatty Acid  
(carboxylic acid with long chain)



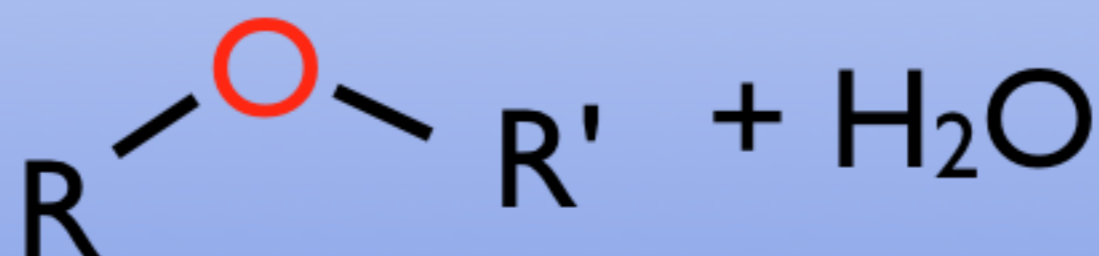
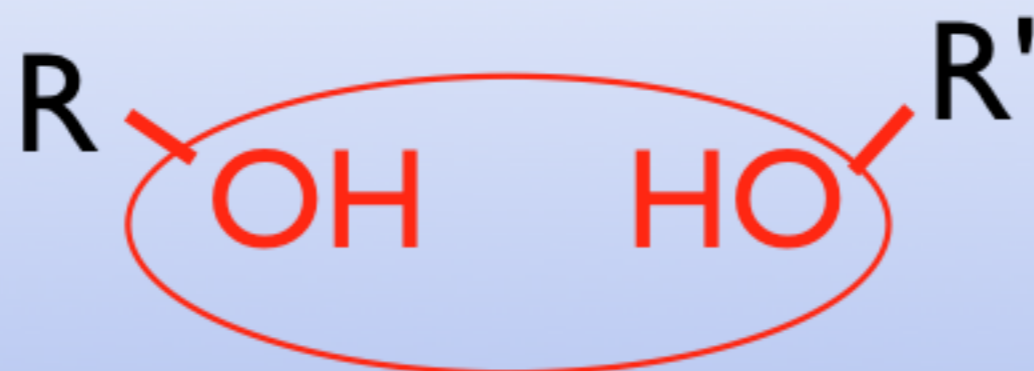
Makes Triglyceride

The three fatty acids can  
all be the same or different

High levels of triglycerides is linked to  
build up of plaque in the arteries  
= heart disease

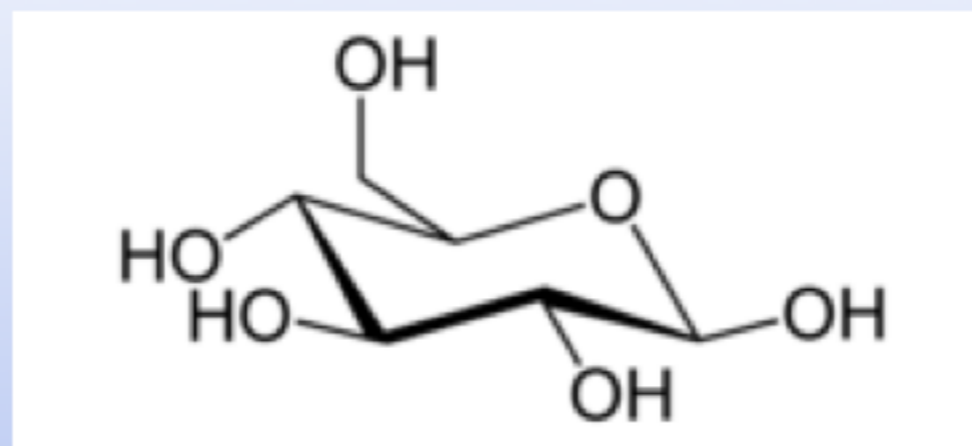
Alcohol

Alcohol



Ether + Water

## Sugars

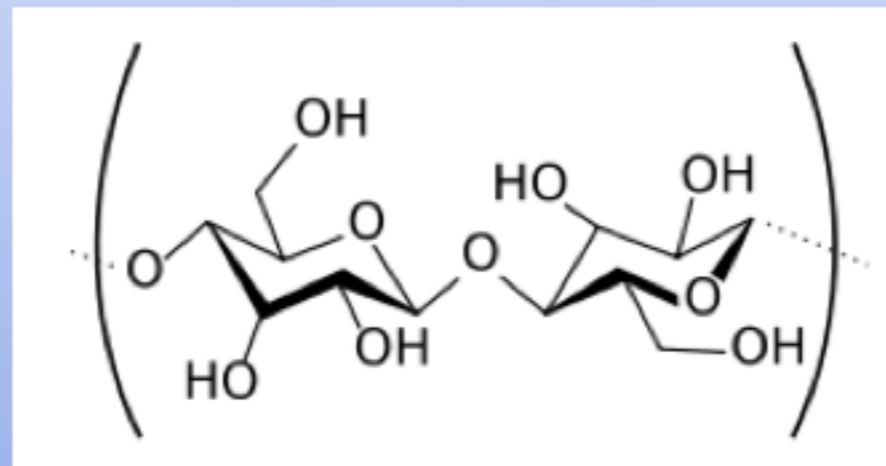
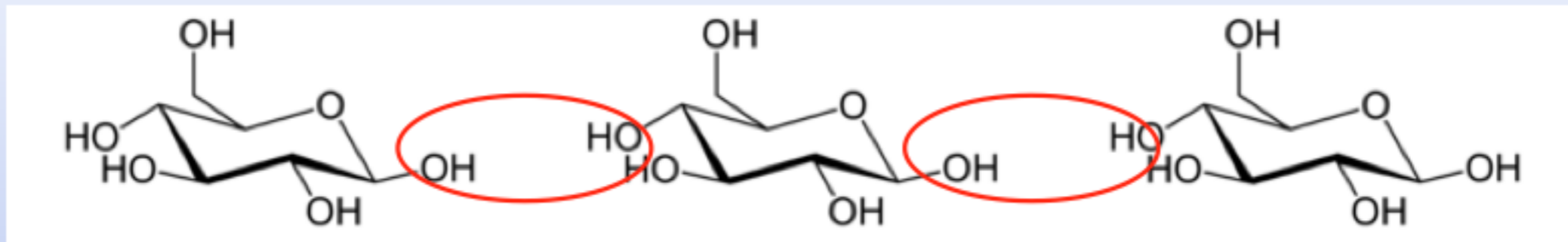


### Glucose

(key factor for sugars lots of hydroxyls)

They can react to form chains of sugars  
polysaccharide

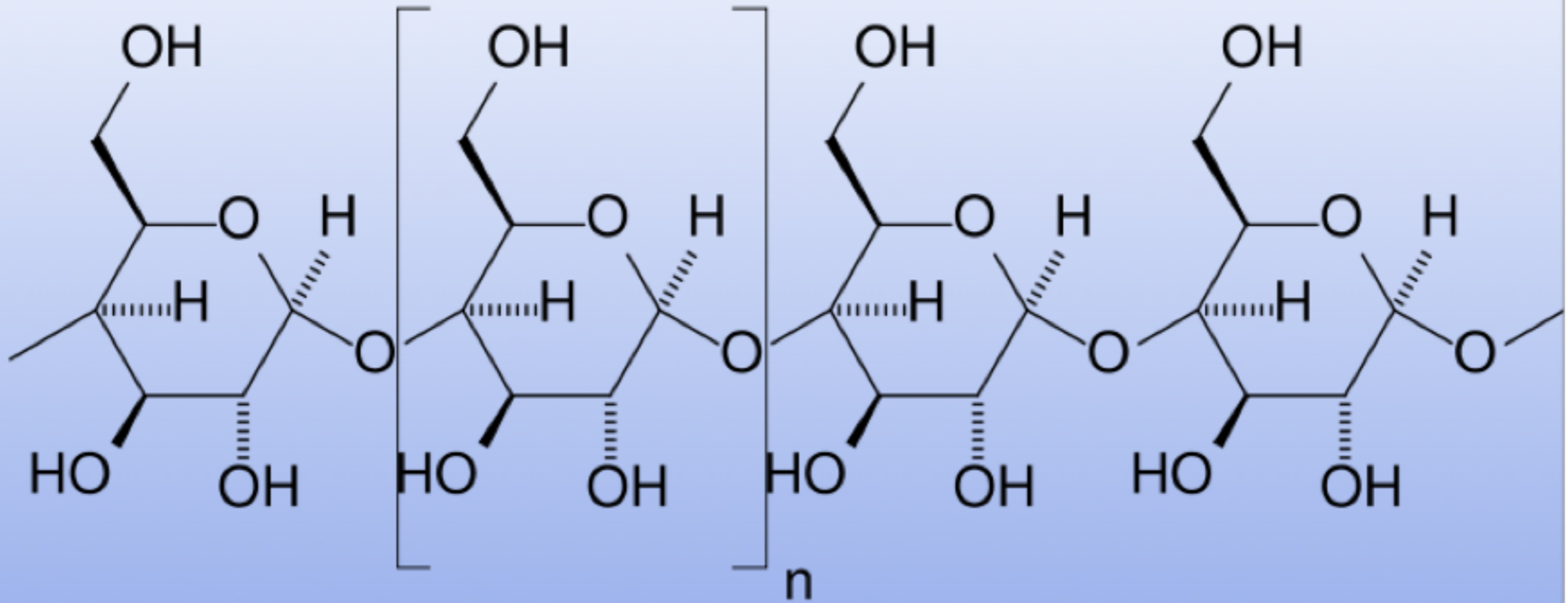
# Cellulose



Very long ether chain  
(pretty much all plant material)



# Polysaccharide (Starch)



Sugars, Carbohydrates  
monosaccharides (one)  
disaccharides (two)  
polysaccharides (many)

## Condensation Reactions

(two molecules make one + water)

Carboxylic Acid + Amine = Amide + water

Carboxylic Acid + Alcohol = Ester + water

Alcohol + Alcohol = Ether + water