

Today

More Organic

Polymer

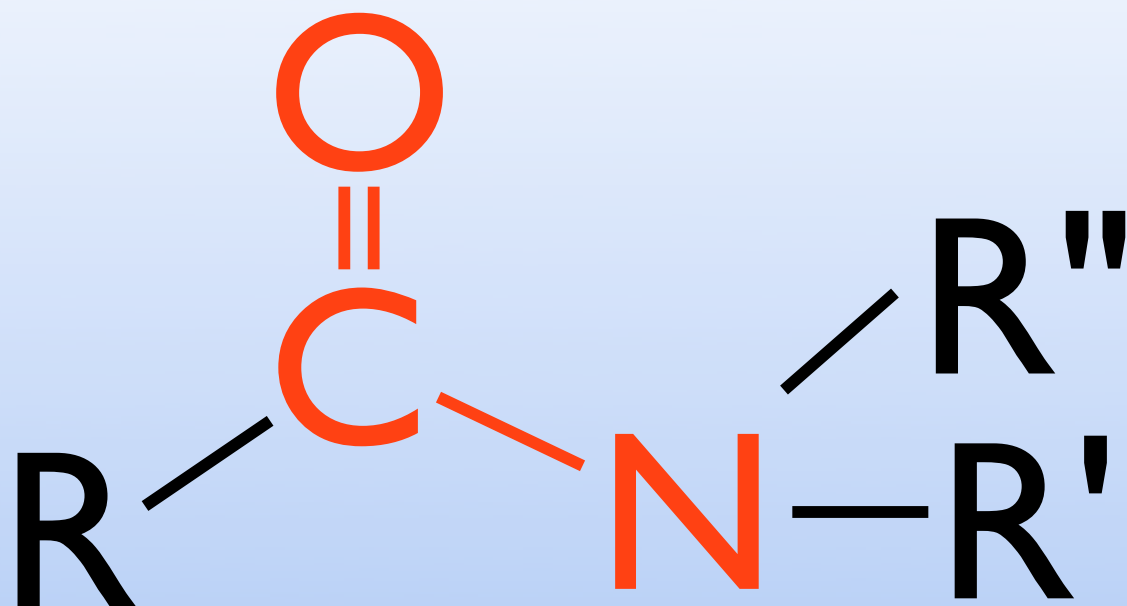
Biopolymers

Primary Amine



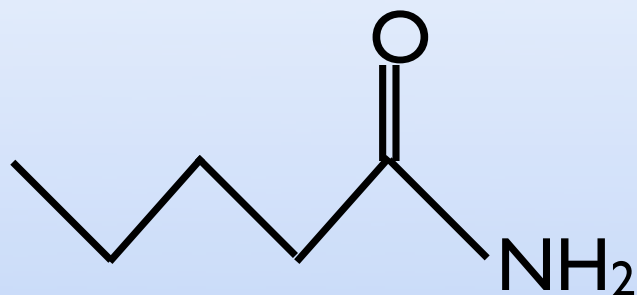
$-\text{NH}_2$ group is an amine
suffix is **-amine**

Amide

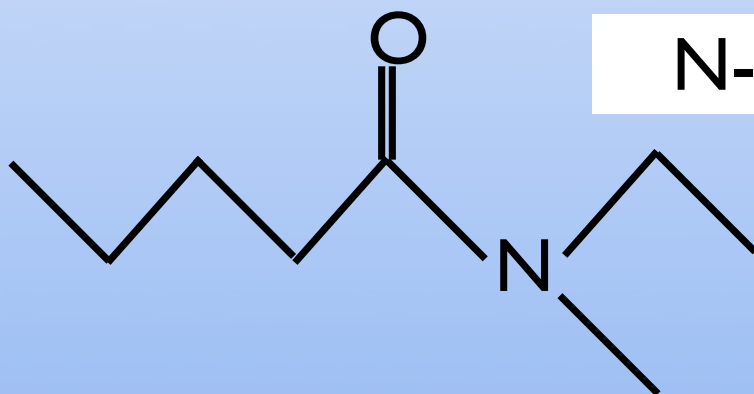


carbon double bonded to an oxygen
bonded to carbon on one side
N on the other side
suffix is -amide

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



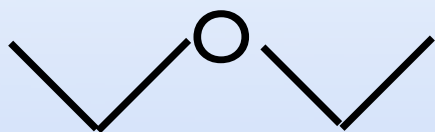
pentanamide



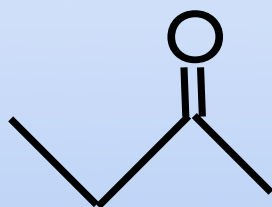
N-ethyl-N-methylpentanamide



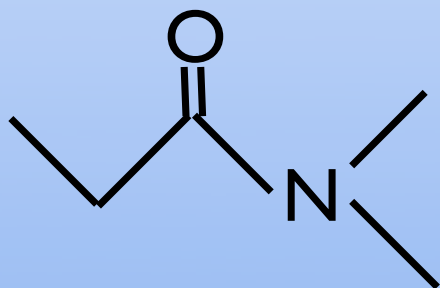
Amine



Ether



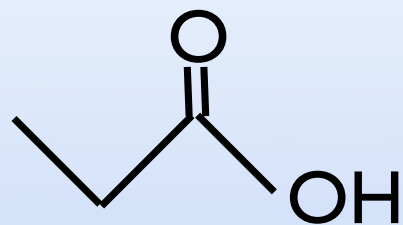
Ketone



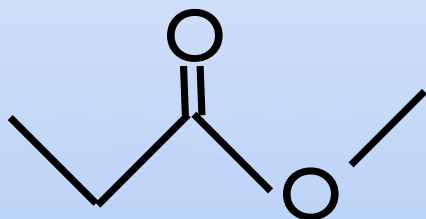
Amide



Alcohol



Carboxylic Acid



Ester



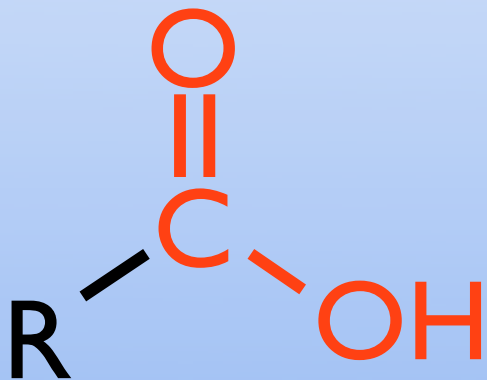
Alkene

Important Reaction for Biochemistry

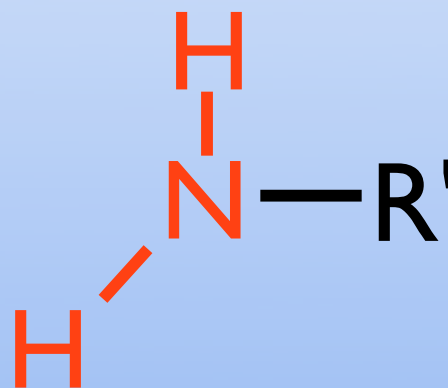
Formation of an Amide

The don't call them functional groups for nothing

Carboxylic Acid

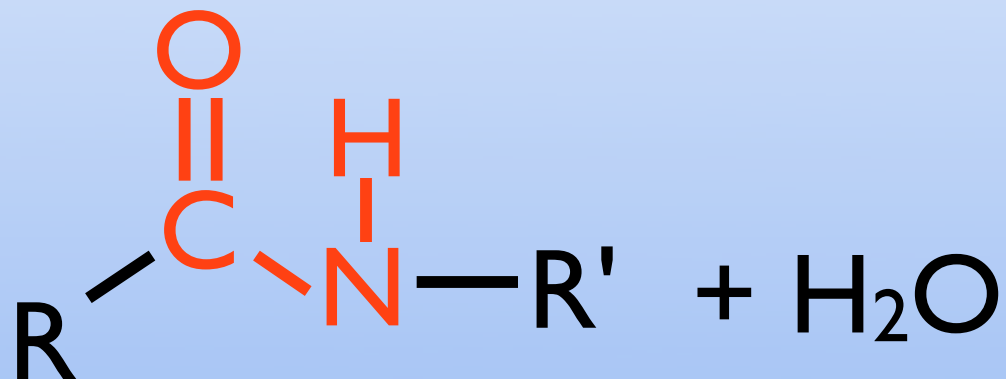
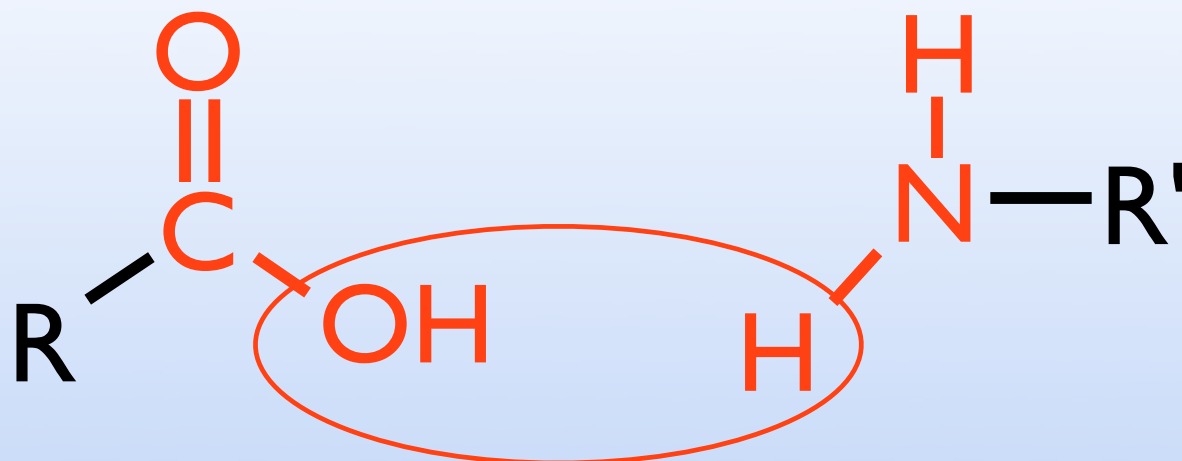


Primary Amine



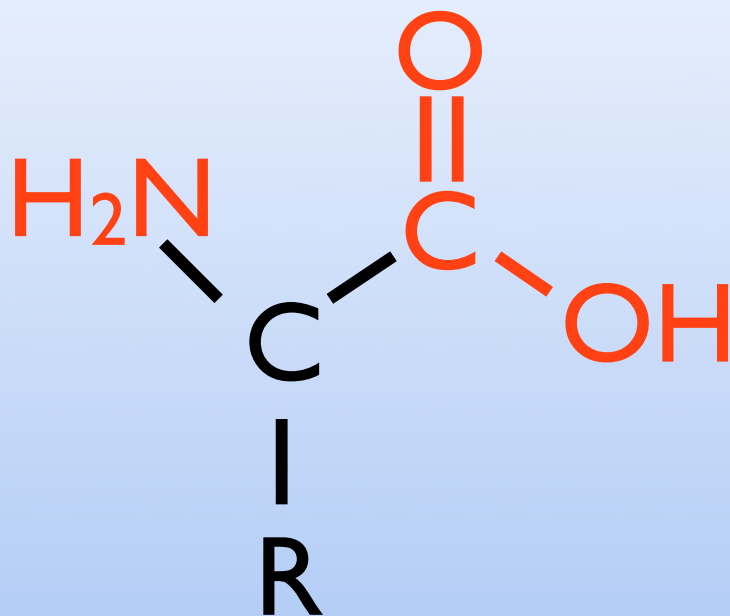
Carboxylic Acid

Primary Amine



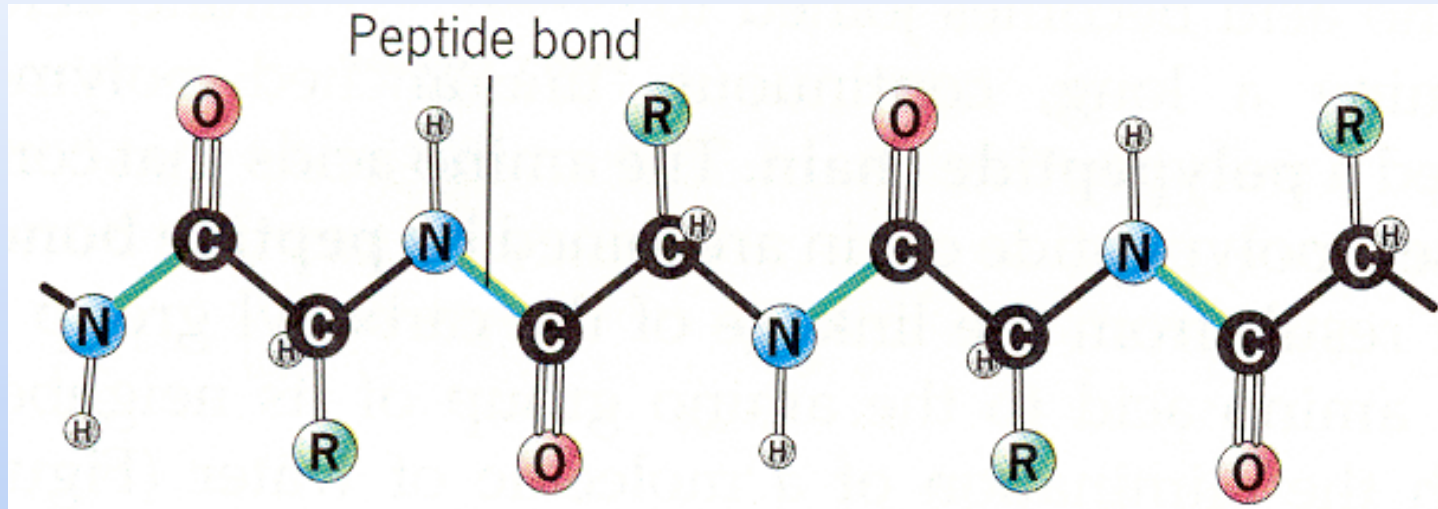
Amide + Water

Amino Acid



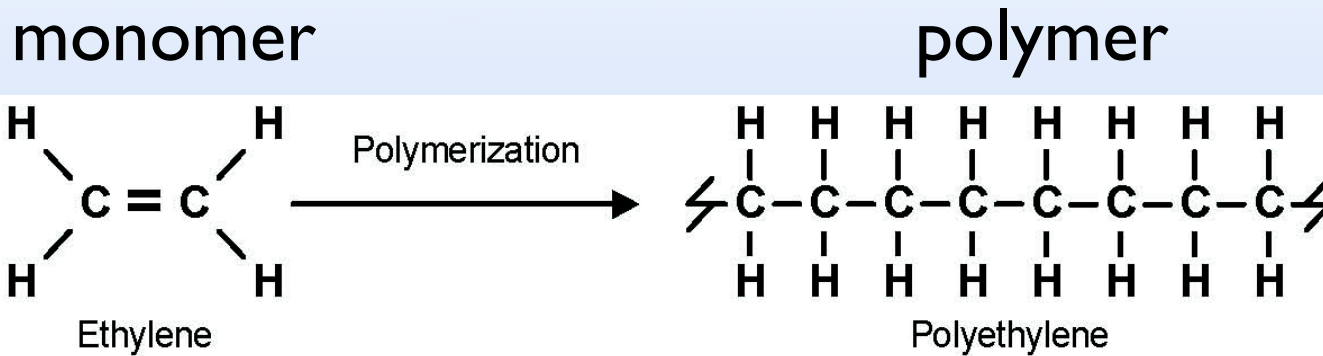
Carboxylic End and Amine End
Can react with itself
(or similar molecules) in a chain

Polypeptide



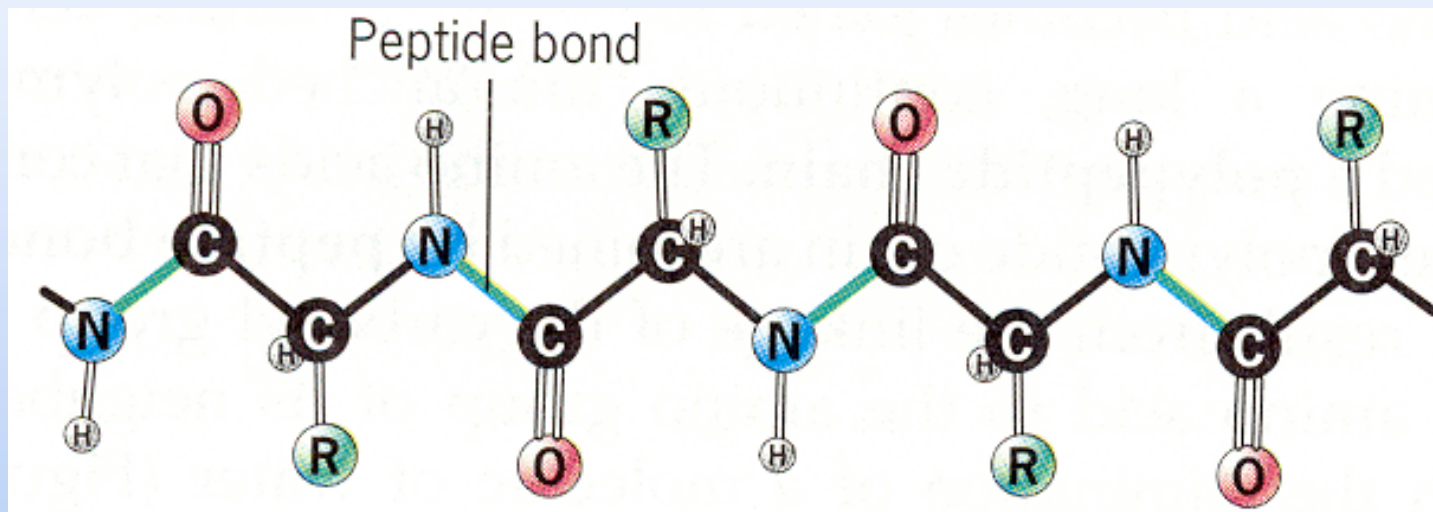
Two distinct ends
N-terminus is an amine
C-terminus is a carboxylic acid

Such a compound is called a polymer



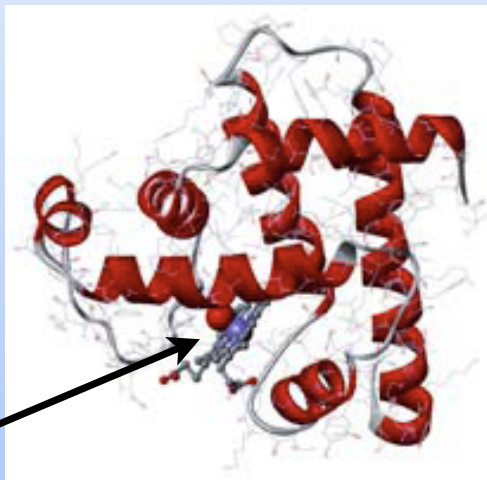
polyethylene = plastic shopping bag

Biopolymer (polymer that is biologically relevant)

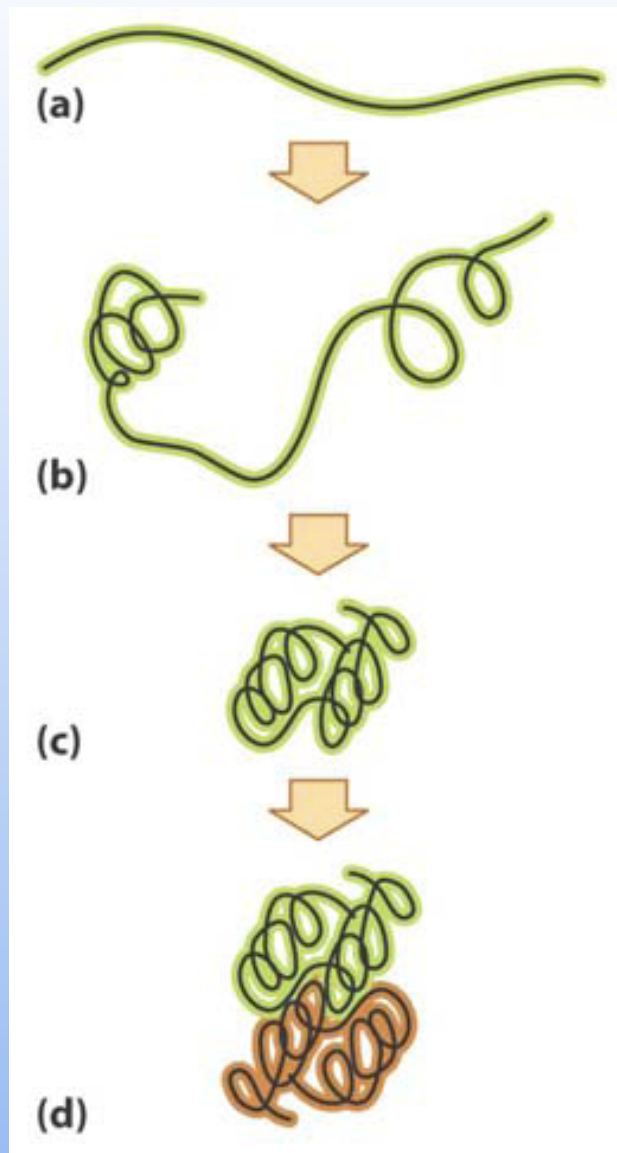


monomer = amino acid

Polypeptides have unique structures that give them function
(proteins)



binding site
might be an enzyme
(catalyst)



primary structure = sequence

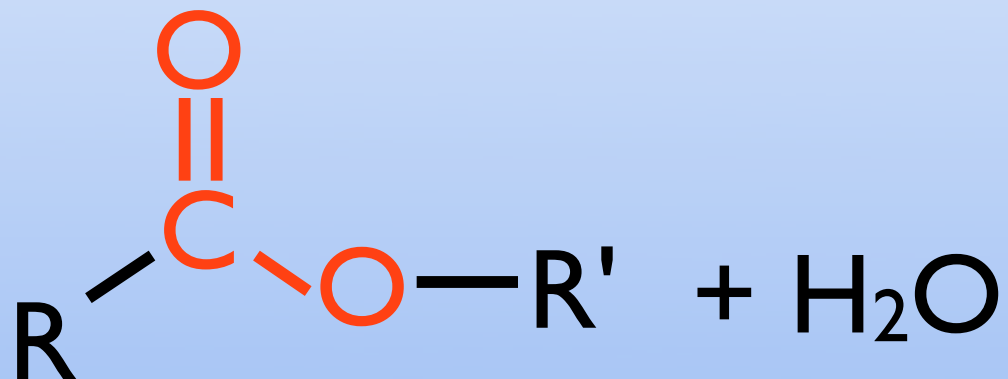
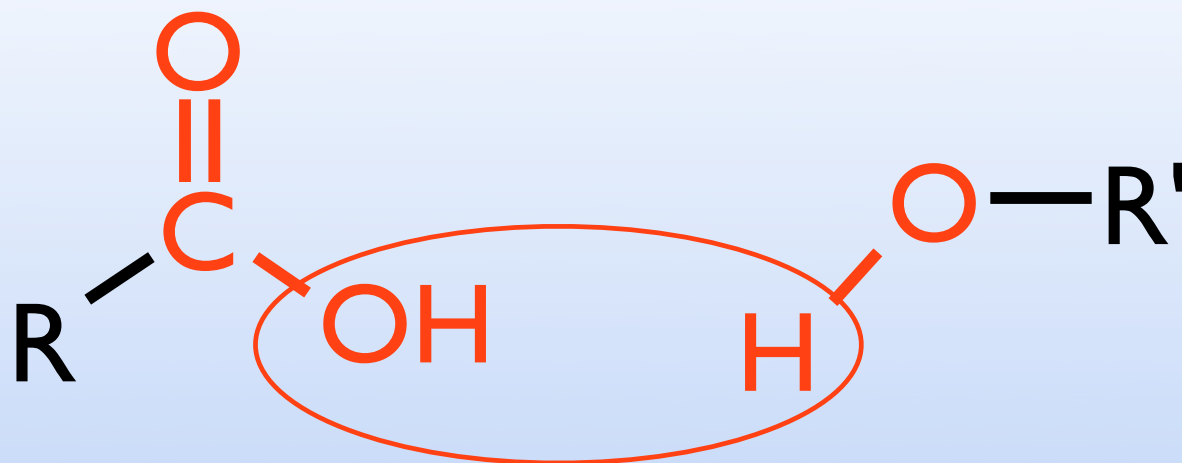
secondary structure = folds

tertiary structure = 3-D arrangement

quaternary structure = interactions with other proteins

Carboxylic Acid

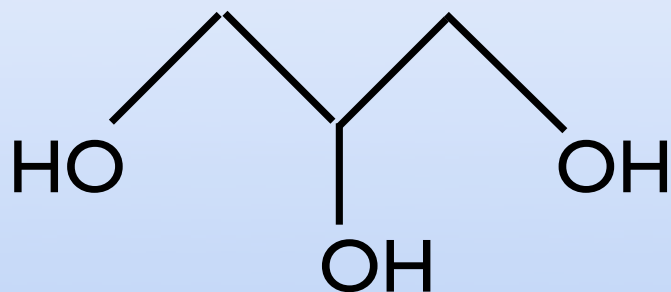
Alcohol



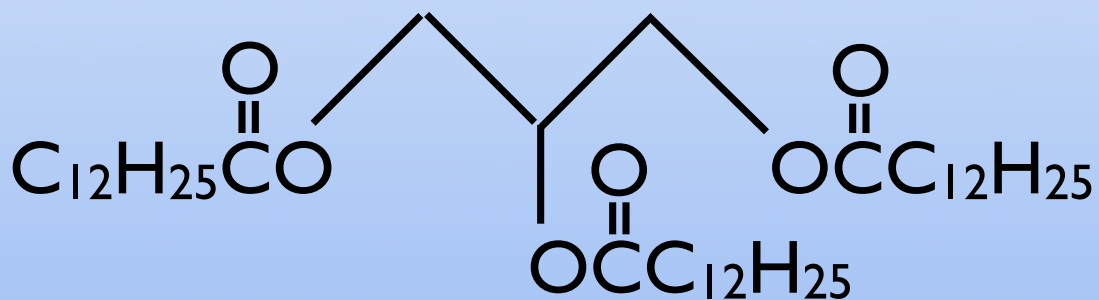
Ester + Water

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

saturated fats

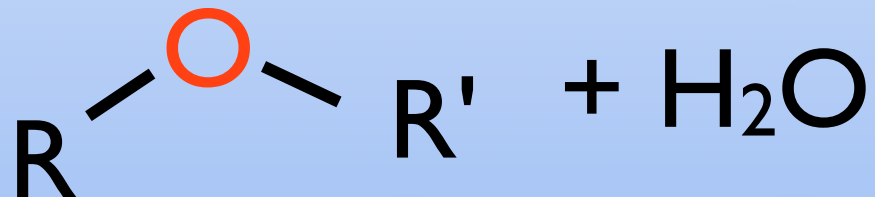
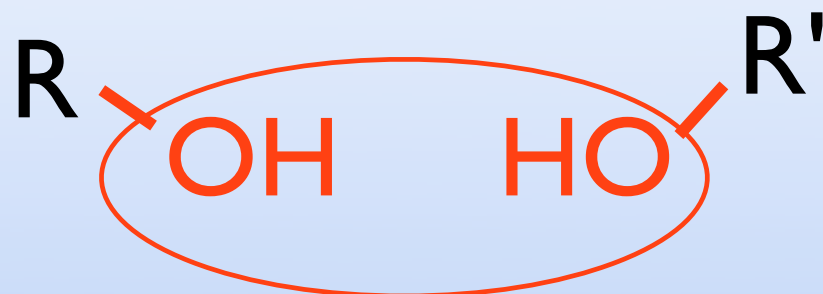
all sp^3 carbon
(no double bonds)
strong intermolecular forces
solid
(lard, crisco,)

unsaturated fats

some sp^2 carbon
(some double bonds)
weaker intermolecular forces
liquid
(canola oil, olive oil,)

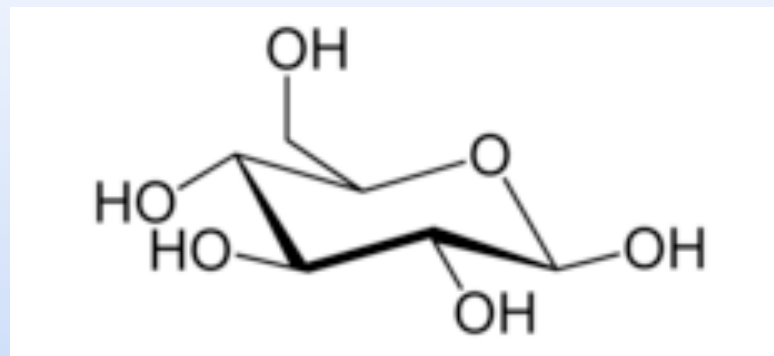
Alcohol

Alcohol



Ether + Water

Sugars

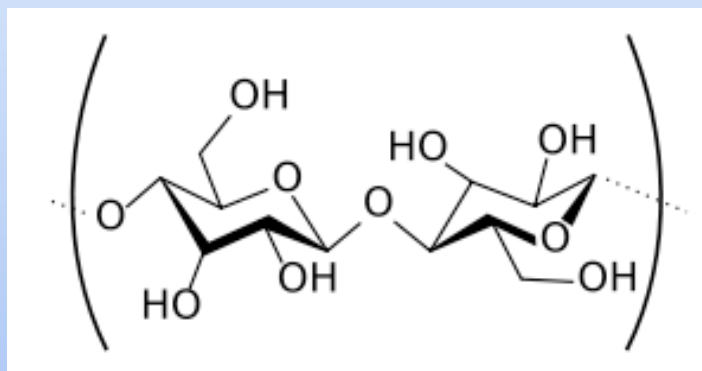
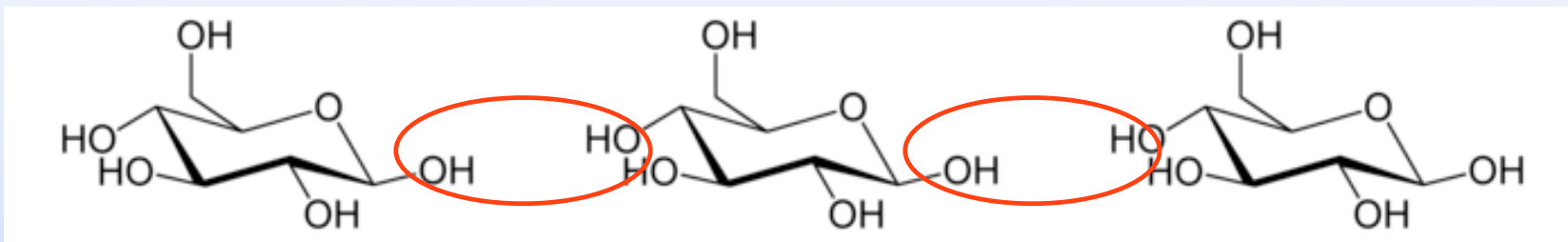


Glucose

(key factor for sugars lots of hydroxyls)

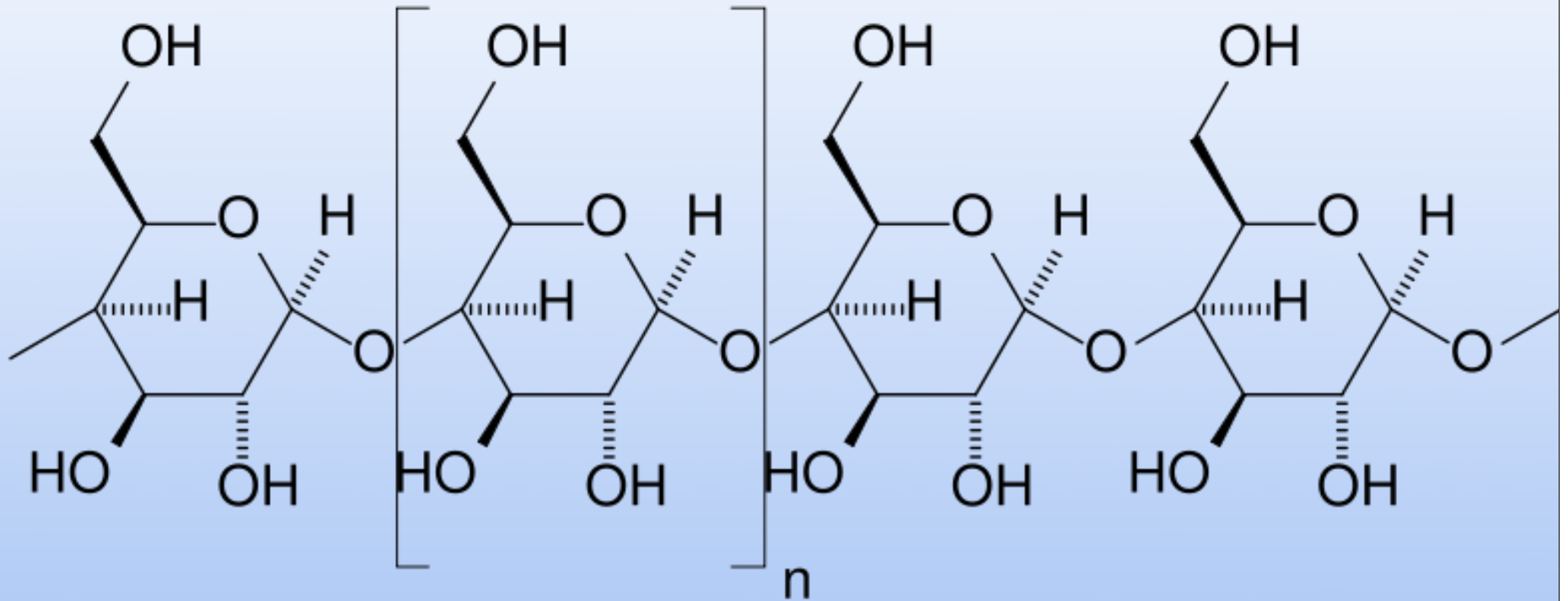
They can react to form chains of sugars
polysaccharide

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

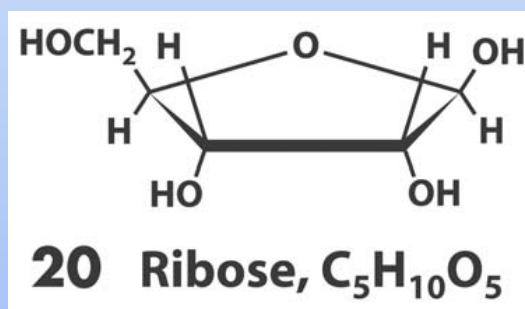
Carboxylic Acid + Alcohol = Ester + water

Alcohol + Alcohol = Ether + water

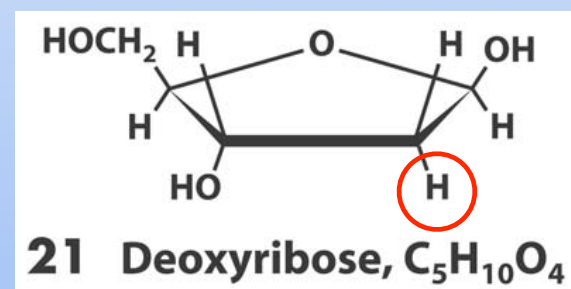
Other important biopolymers

(RNA and DNA)

Three pieces Base, Sugar, Phosphate

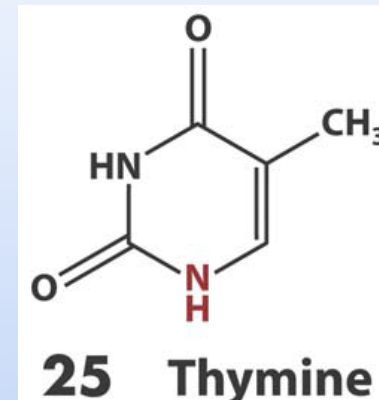
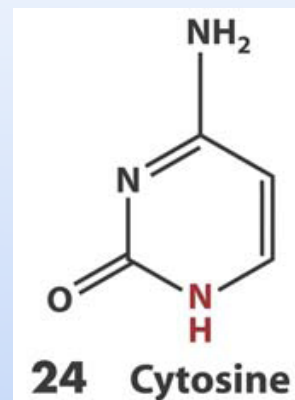
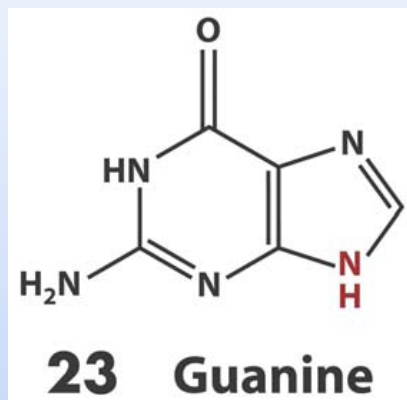
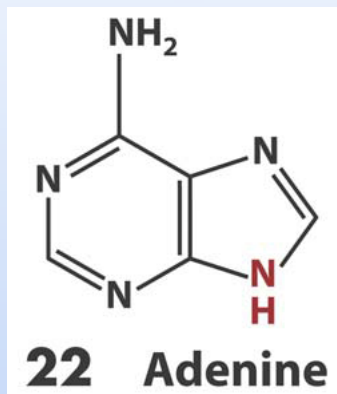


RNA sugar



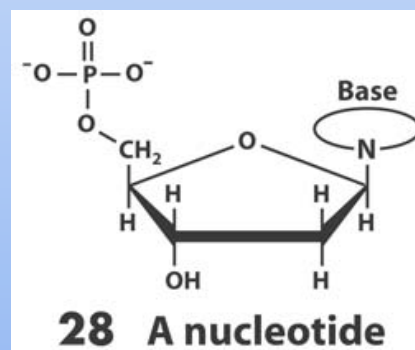
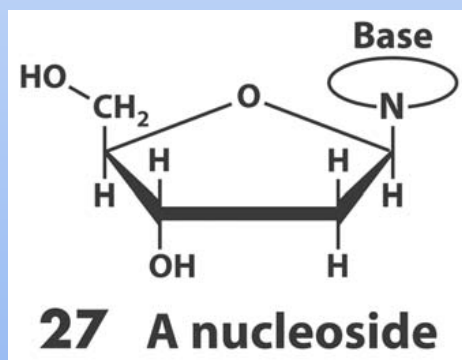
DNA sugar

Base units (4 DNA base units)

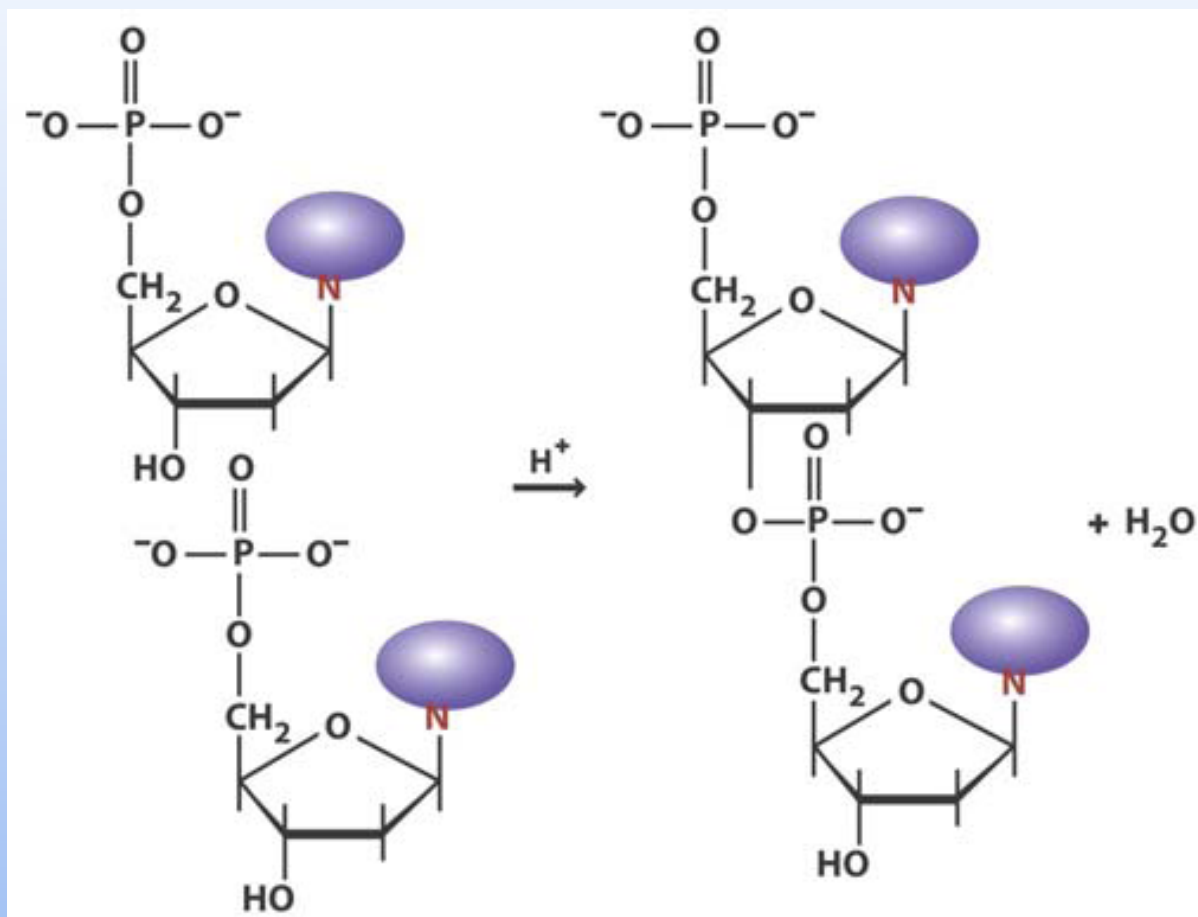


guanidine

pyrimidine



Put it all together and you get a polymer



opposite of this reaction is hydrolysis

what about tertiary structure? double helix due to hydrogenbonds

