

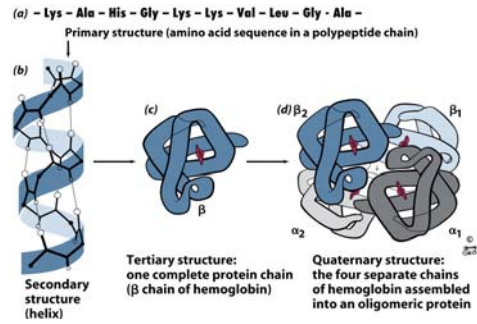
## Exam II Review

(10 / 21 / 2008)

### TOPICS

- Protein Structure
- Myoglobin/Hemoglobin
- Enzymes
- Enzyme Kinetics

### Example of each level of protein structure



### Fibrous Proteins

#### $\alpha$ Keratin - A Coiled Coil

Nails, hair, horns and feathers

$\alpha$  or  $\beta$ -forms

30 variants, tissue specific

type I and type II

acidic negative charge      basic positive charge

$\alpha$  keratin

- hair- 20  $\mu$ M diameter
- microfibril 2000 Å parallel to hair
- microfibril 80 Å and high sulfur content protein
- can break -S-S- with mercaptans and reconnect (i.e. can give hair a "permanent" wave)

#### $\alpha$ keratin proteins are helical

but spacing differs from a regular  $\alpha$ -helix  
 a 5.1 Å vs. 5.4 Å pitch.

This change in pitch forms closely associated pairs of helices.

Each pair consists of a type I and type II protein

Left-handed coil      coiled-coil

310 AA residues 7-residue pseudo repeat.

Helical wheel - 3.6 residues/turn  $360^\circ = 100^\circ$  per residue

a - b - c - d - e - f - g - a      repeat on side of helix

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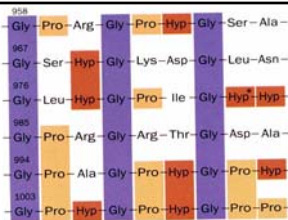
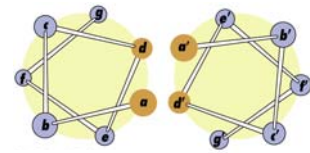
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View down the coil axis

Helical wheel diagram

a and d residues are nonpolar.

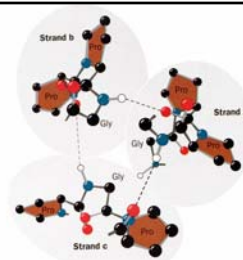


**Collagen triple residue repeat:**

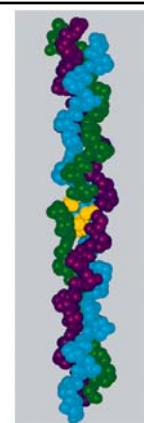
Gly-X-Y    X often Pro    Y often Hyp  
 like a poly Gly or poly Pro helix

Left-handed 3.0 residues/turn pitch  $9.4^\circ$  extended conformation the prolines avoid each other.

3 left handed helices combine in a triple right handed coil.

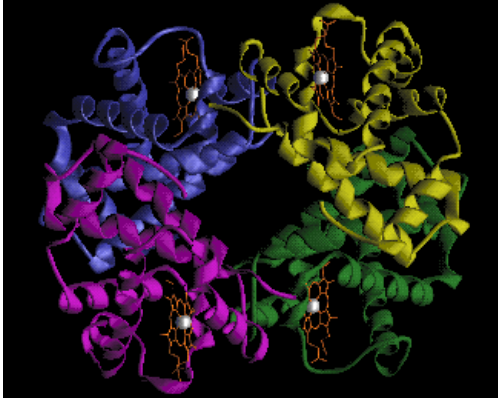


Rope twist or metal cable  
 longitudinal force (pulling) is supported by lateral compression  
 opposite twisted strands prevents twists from pulling out.



Courtesy of Hans Berman, Rutgers University

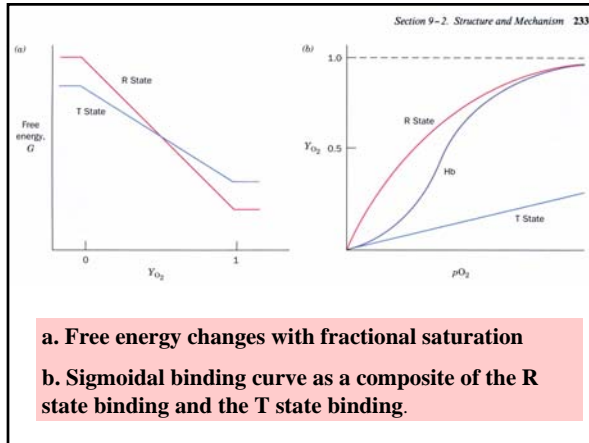
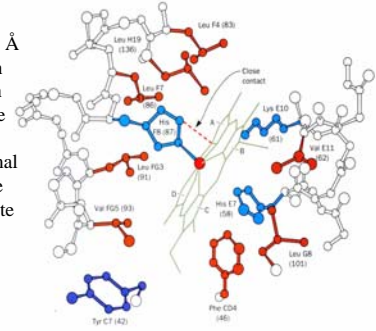
## Hemoglobin switch T to R states



## The positive cooperativity of O<sub>2</sub> binding to Hb

The effect of the ligand-binding state of one heme on the ligand-binding affinity of another.

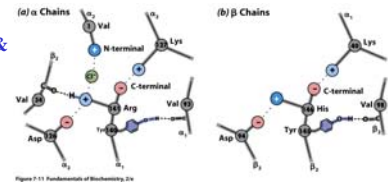
The Fe iron is about 0.6 Å out of the heme plane in the deoxy state. When oxygen binds it pulls the iron back into the heme plane. Since the proximal His F8 is attached to the Fe this pulls the complete F helix like a lever on a fulcrum.



## Origin of the Bohr Effect

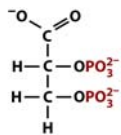
The T → R transition causes the changes in the pK's of several groups. The N-terminal amino groups are responsible for 20-30% of the Bohr effect. His146β accounts for about 40% of the Bohr effect salt bridged with Asp 94β. This interaction is lost in the R state.

Networks of H-bonds & ion pairs in T-state



- The T-state is shown above.
- T→R transition causes breakage of terminal interactions and changes in ionization states of His146β and Val1α (part of Bohr effect)

## D-2,3-bisphosphoglycerate (BPG)



BPG binds to Hb (deoxy state) and decreases the O<sub>2</sub> affinity and keeps it in the deoxy form.

### D-2,3-Bisphosphoglycerate (BPG)

BPG binds 1:1 with a  $K=1 \times 10^{-5}$  M to the deoxy form but weakly to the oxy form

Fetal Hb ( $\alpha_2\gamma_2$ ) has low BPG affinity  
β-His143 to Ser in γ chain

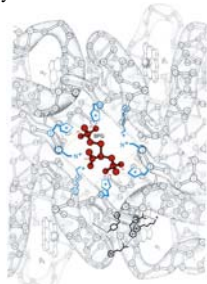
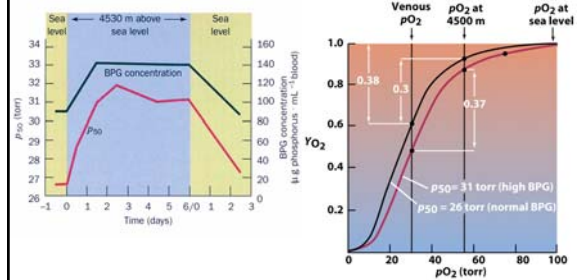


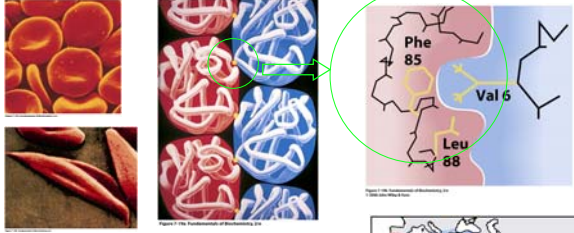
Figure 7-13 Fundamentals of Biochemistry, 2/e

## BPG levels are partially responsible for High-Altitude adaptation



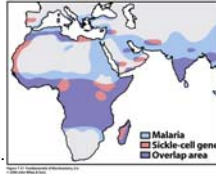
BPG restores the 37% release of O<sub>2</sub> at higher elevations between arterial and venous blood

## Sickle Cell Mutation



Glu 6 → Val 6 mutation on the hemoglobin B chain

Heterozygotes carrying only one copy of the sickle-cell gene are more resistant to malaria than those homozygous for the normal gene.

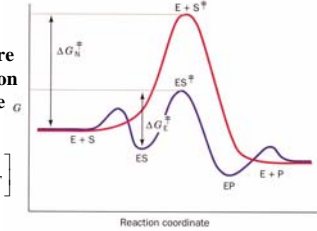


**Enzymes:** The more tightly an enzyme binds its reaction's transition state ( $K_T$ ) relative to the substrate ( $K_R$ ), the greater the rate of the catalyzed reaction ( $k_E$ ) relative to the uncatalyzed reaction ( $k_N$ )

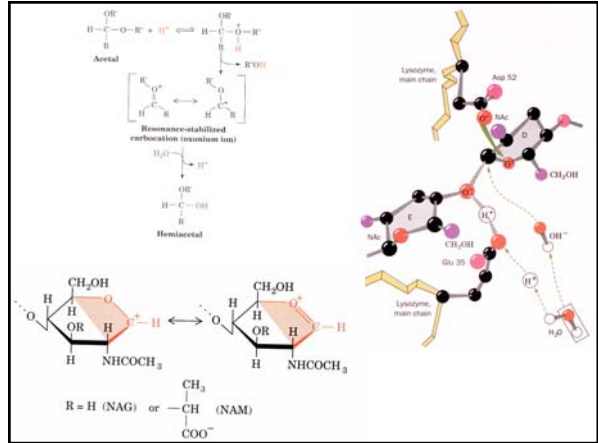
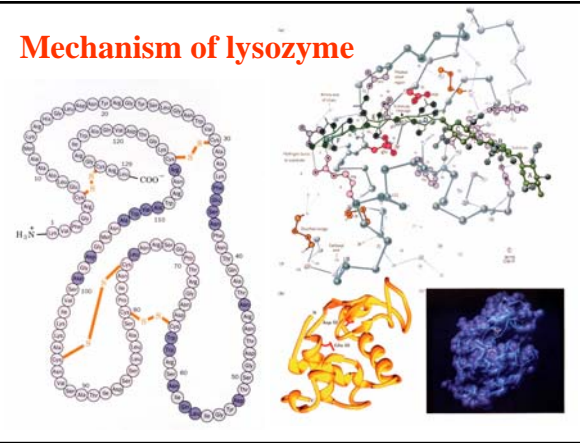
**$10^6$  rate enhancement requires a  $10^6$  higher affinity which is 34.2 kJ/mol**

Catalysis results from the preferred binding and therefore the stabilization of the transition state ( $S^\ddagger$ ) relative to that of the substrate (S).

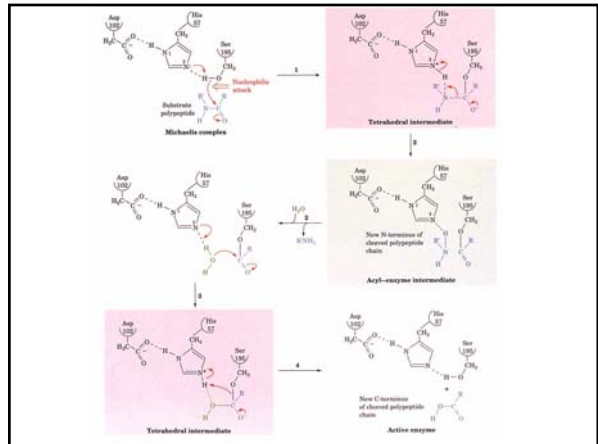
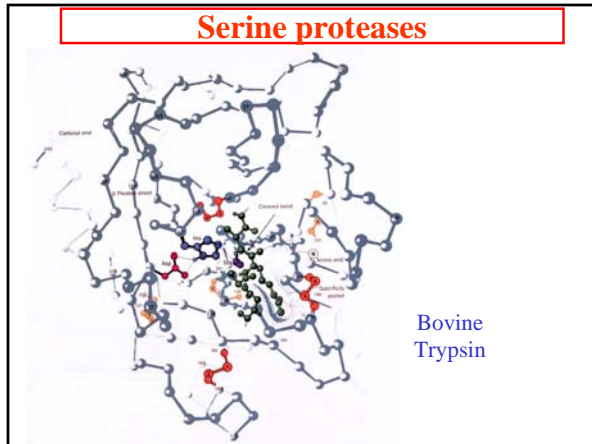
$$\frac{k_E}{k_N} = \exp\left[\frac{(\Delta G^\ddagger_N - \Delta G^\ddagger_E)}{RT}\right]$$

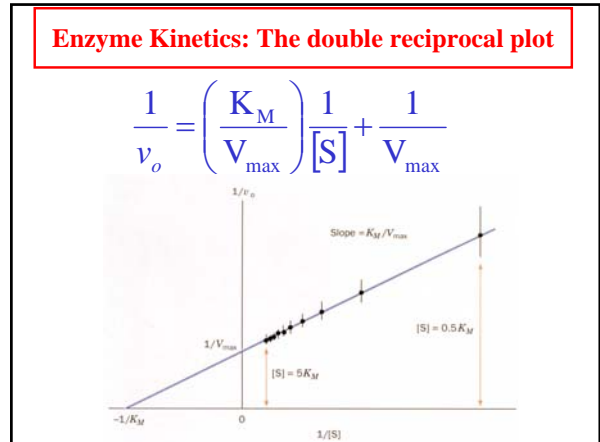
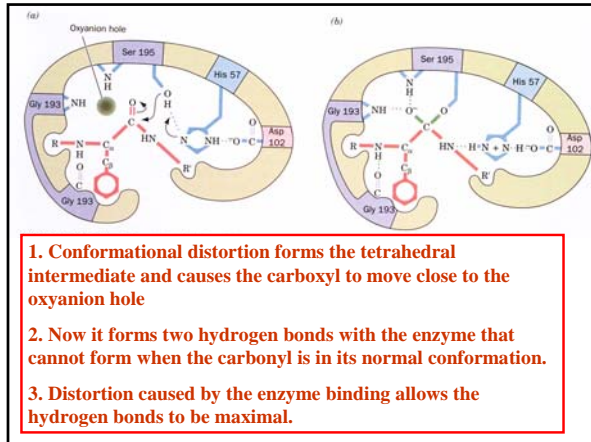


## Mechanism of lysozyme



## Serine proteases





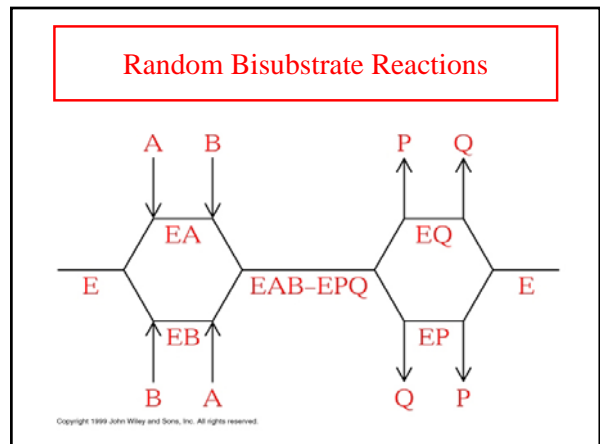
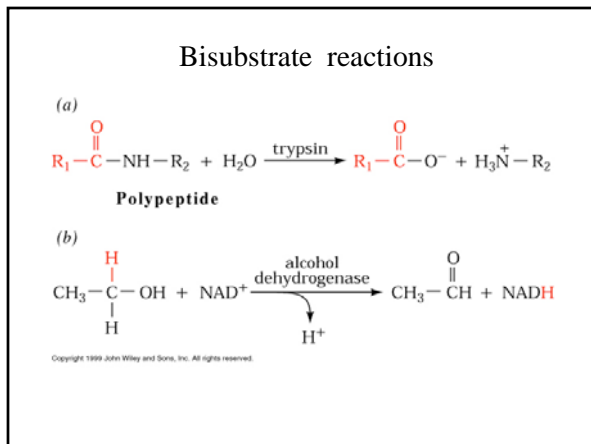
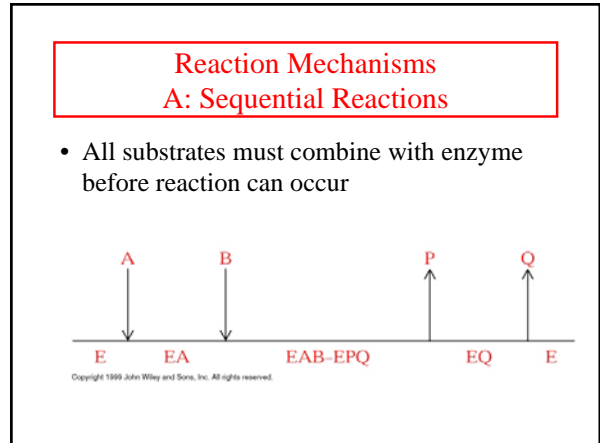
**What is catalytic perfection?**  $k_{cat} = \frac{V_{max}}{[E]_T}$

When  $k_2 \gg k_{-1}$  or the ratio  $\frac{k_1 k_2}{k_{-1} + k_2}$  is maximum

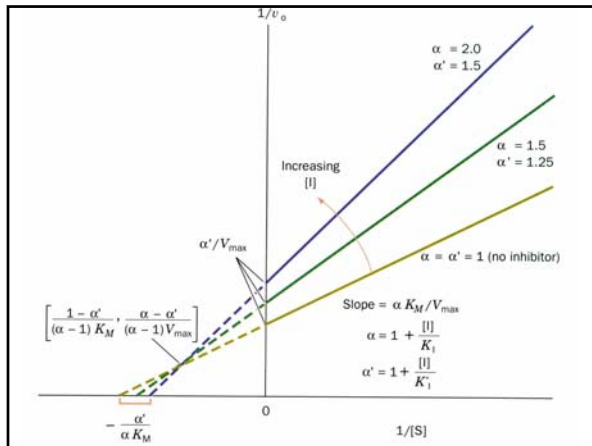
Or when every substrate that hits the enzyme causes a reaction to take place. This is catalytic perfection. Note that for Michaelis-Menton kinetics  $k_2 = k_{cat}$

Then  $\frac{k_{cat}}{K_M} = k_1$

**Diffusion-controlled limit- diffusion rate of a substrate is in the range of  $10^8$  to  $10^9$  M<sup>-1</sup>s<sup>-1</sup>. An enzyme lowers the transition state so there is no activation energy and the catalyzed rate is as fast as molecules collide.**







Mixed inhibition is when the inhibitor binds to the enzyme at a location distinct from the substrate binding site. The binding of the inhibitor will either alter the  $K_M$  or  $V_{max}$  or both.

$$K_I = \frac{[E][I]}{[EI]} \quad K'_I = \frac{[ES][I]}{[ESI]}$$

$$v_o = \frac{V_{max}[S]}{\alpha K_M + \alpha'[S]} \quad \alpha' = \left(1 + \frac{[I]}{K'_I}\right)$$

TABLE 13-2. THE EFFECTS OF INHIBITORS ON THE PARAMETERS OF THE MICHAELIS-MENTEN EQUATION<sup>a</sup>

Type of Inhibition	$V_{max}^{app}$	$K_M^{app}$
None	$V_{max}$	$K_M$
Competitive	$V_{max}$	$\alpha K_M$
Uncompetitive	$V_{max}/\alpha'$	$K_M/\alpha'$
Mixed	$V_{max}/\alpha'$	$\alpha K_M/\alpha'$

<sup>a</sup>  $\alpha = 1 + \frac{[I]}{K_I}$  and  $\alpha' = 1 + \frac{[I]}{K'_I}$

Next Lecture 18  
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Lecture 19 10/28/08  
Metabolism