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AQS104 BIOCHEMISTRY: Weekly Programme	
1. Week: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• The foundations of biochemistry• Water	8. Week: <p>Principles of metabolic regulation The citric acid cycle</p>
2. Week: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Amino acids, peptides, and proteins• The three-dimensional structure of proteins	9. Week: <p>Fatty acid catabolism Amino acid oxidation and the production of urea</p>
3. Week: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Protein function• Enzymes	10. Week: <p>Oxidative phosphorylation and photophosphorylation Carbohydrate biosynthesis in plants and bacteria</p>
4. Week: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Carbohydrates and Glycobiology• Nucleotides and Nucleic Acids	11. Week: <p>Lipid biosynthesis Biosynthesis of amino acids, nucleotides, and related molecules</p>
5. Week: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• DNA-based information technologies• Lipids	12. Week: <p>Hormonal regulation and integration of mammalian metabolism Genes and chromosomes</p>
6. Week: <p>Biological membranes and transport Biosignaling</p>	13. Week: <p>DNA metabolism RNA metabolism</p>
7. Week: <p>Bioenergetics and biochemical reaction types Glycolysis, gluconeogenesis, and the pentose phosphate pathway</p>	14. Week: <p>Protein metabolism Regulation of gene expression</p>

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3. Week:

Protein Function
Enzymes

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Protein	Ligand	K_d (M)*
Avidin (egg white)	Biotin	1×10^{-15}
Insulin receptor (human)	Insulin	1×10^{-10}
Anti-HIV immunoglobulin (human) [†]	gp41 (HIV-1 surface protein)	4×10^{-10}
Nickel-binding protein (<i>E. coli</i>)	Ni^{2+}	1×10^{-7}
Calmodulin (rat) [‡]	Ca^{2+}	3×10^{-6} 2×10^{-5}

Typical receptor-ligand interactions

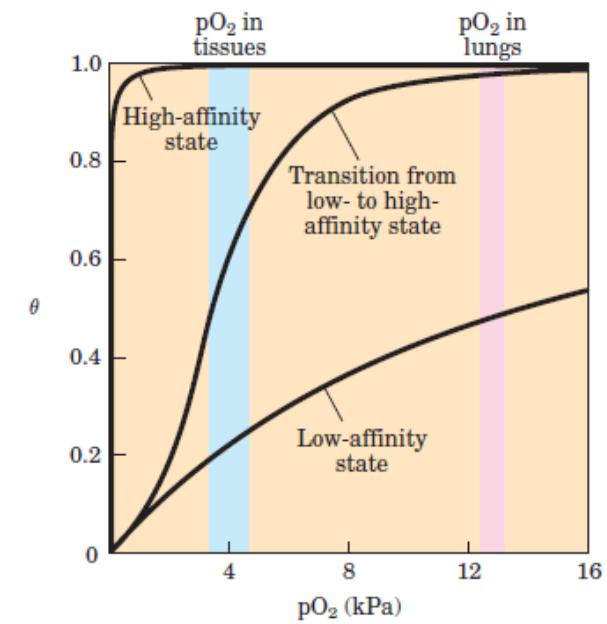
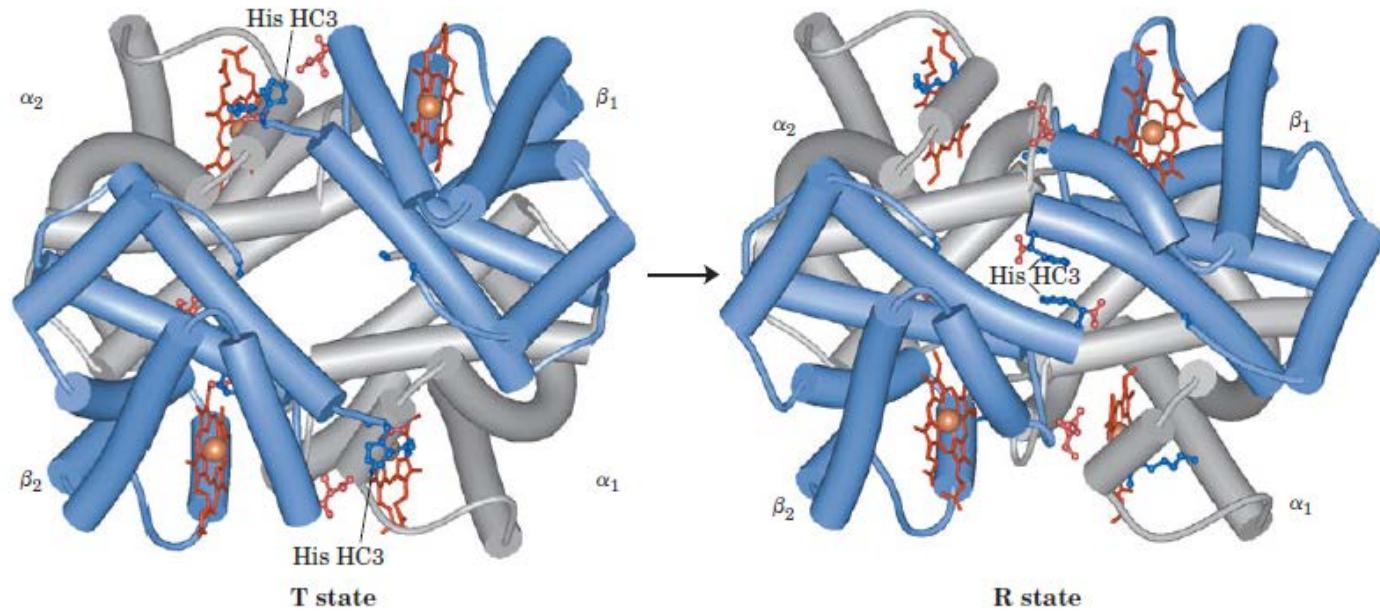
K_d (M)

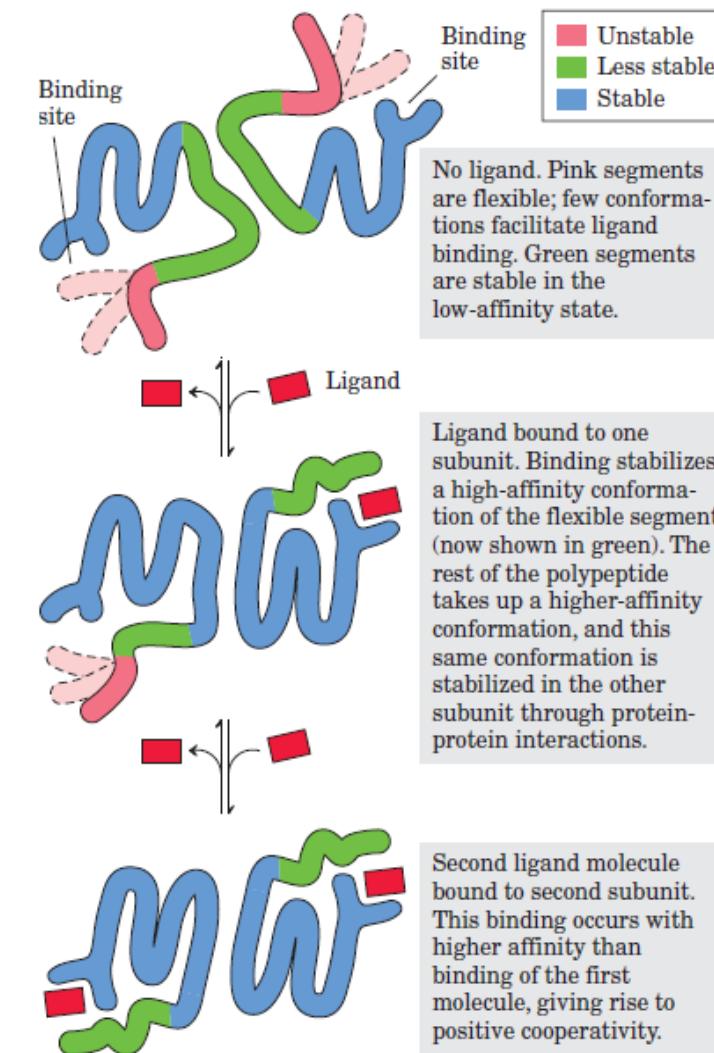
Color bars indicate the range of dissociation constants typical of various classes of interactions in biological systems. A few interactions, such as that between the protein avidin and the enzyme cofactor biotin, fall outside the normal ranges. The avidin-biotin interaction is so tight it may be considered irreversible. Sequence-specific protein-DNA interactions reflect proteins that bind to a particular sequence of nucleotides in DNA, as opposed to general binding to any DNA site.

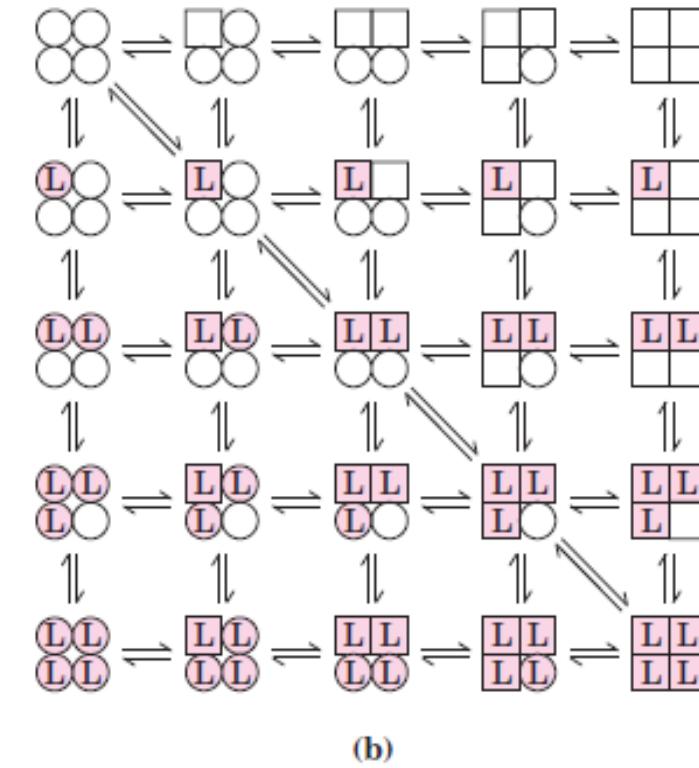
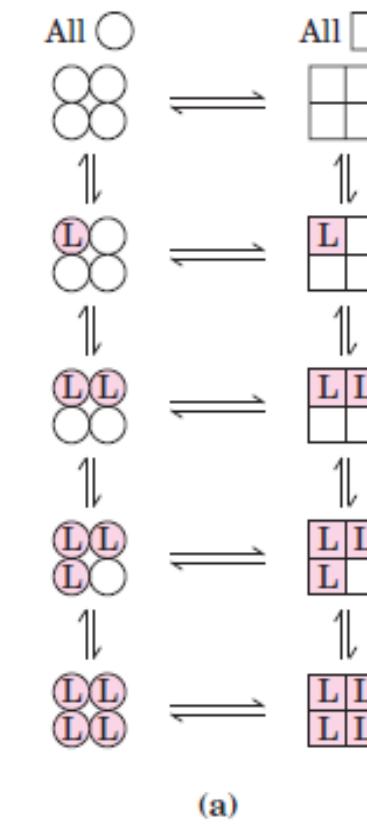
*A reported dissociation constant is valid only for the particular solution conditions under which it was measured. K_d values for a protein-ligand interaction can be altered, sometimes by several orders of magnitude, by changes in the solution's salt concentration, pH, or other variables.

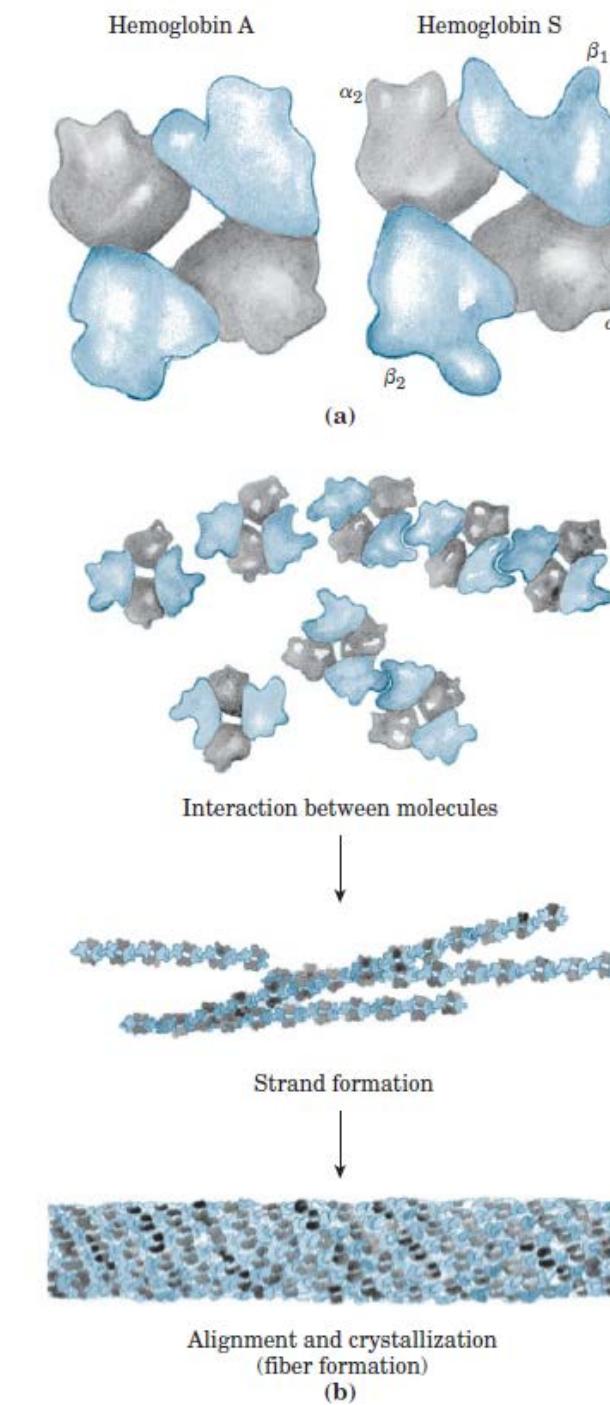
[†]This immunoglobulin was isolated as part of an effort to develop a vaccine against HIV. Immunoglobulins (described later in the chapter) are highly variable, and the K_d reported here should not be considered characteristic of all immunoglobulins.

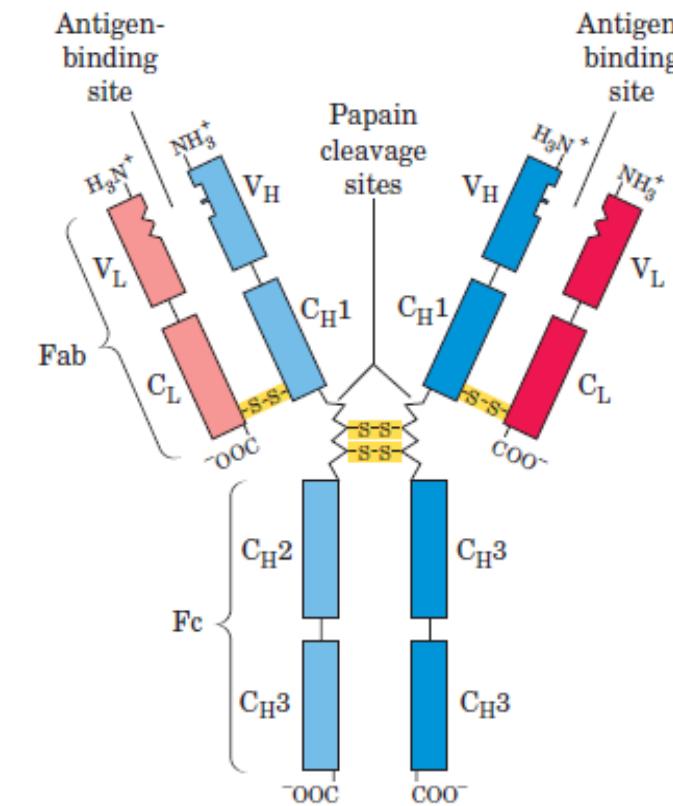
[‡]Calmodulin has four binding sites for calcium. The values shown reflect the highest- and lowest-affinity binding sites observed in one set of measurements.





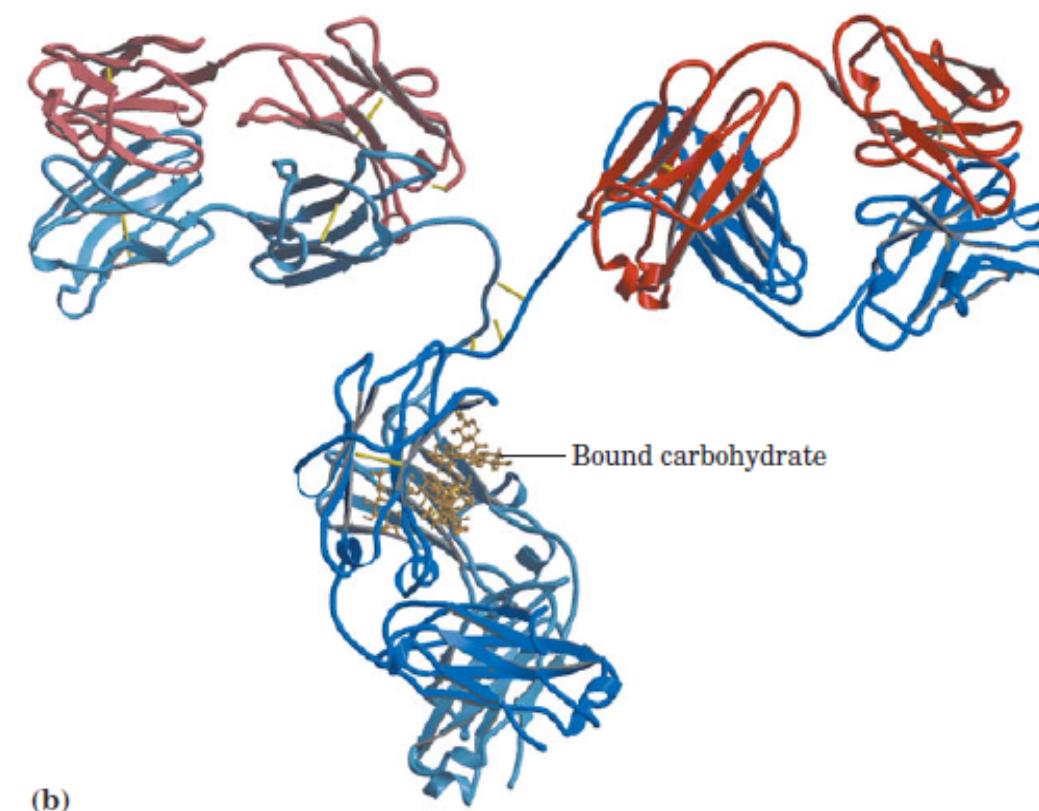




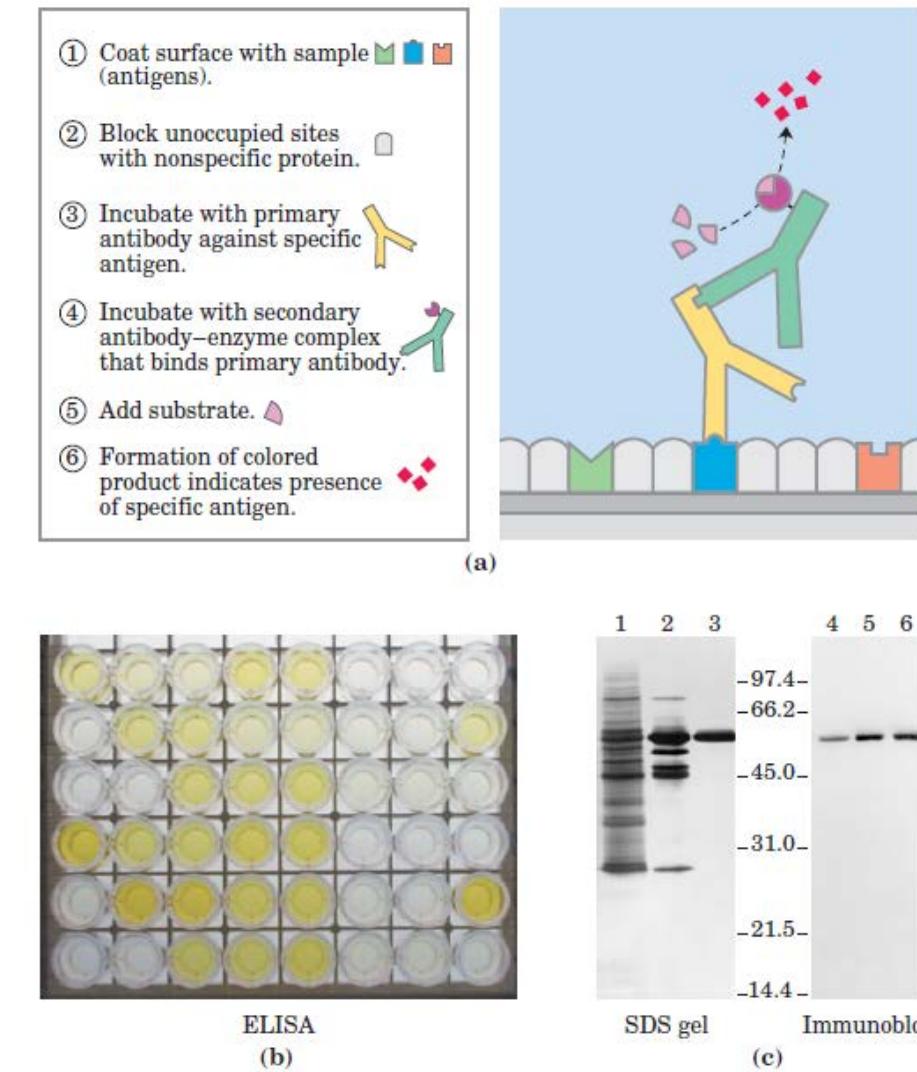


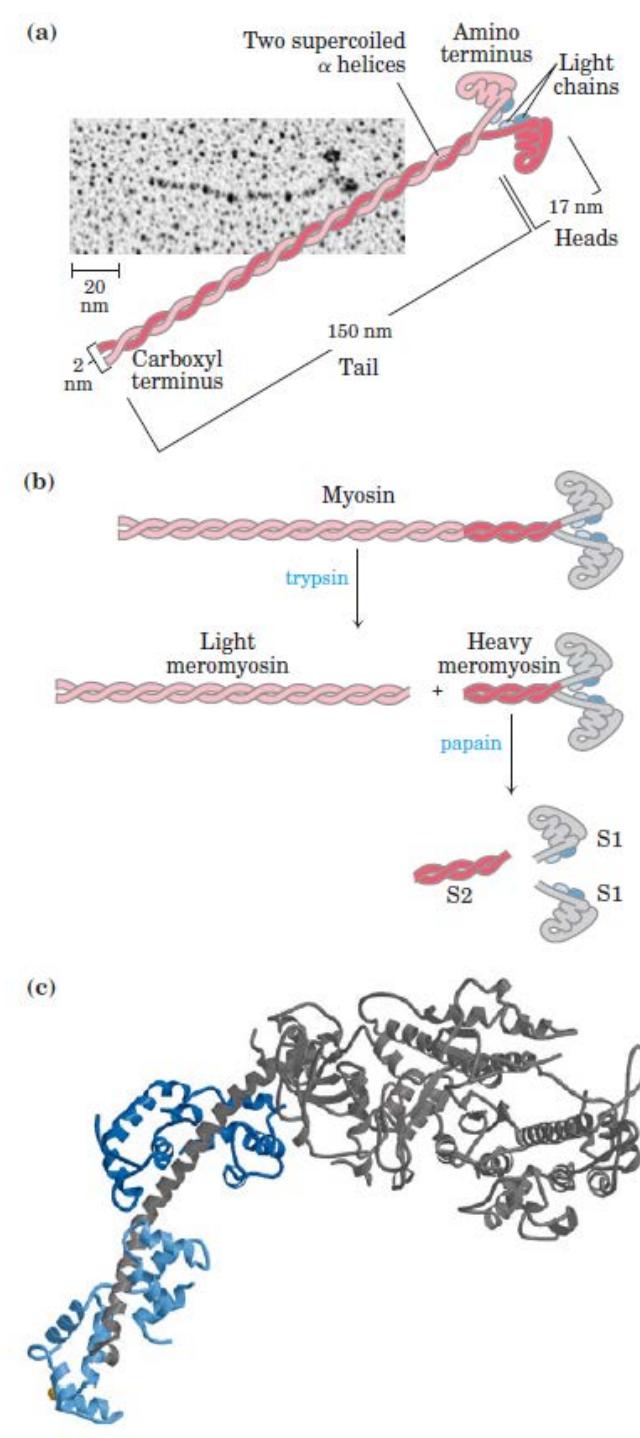
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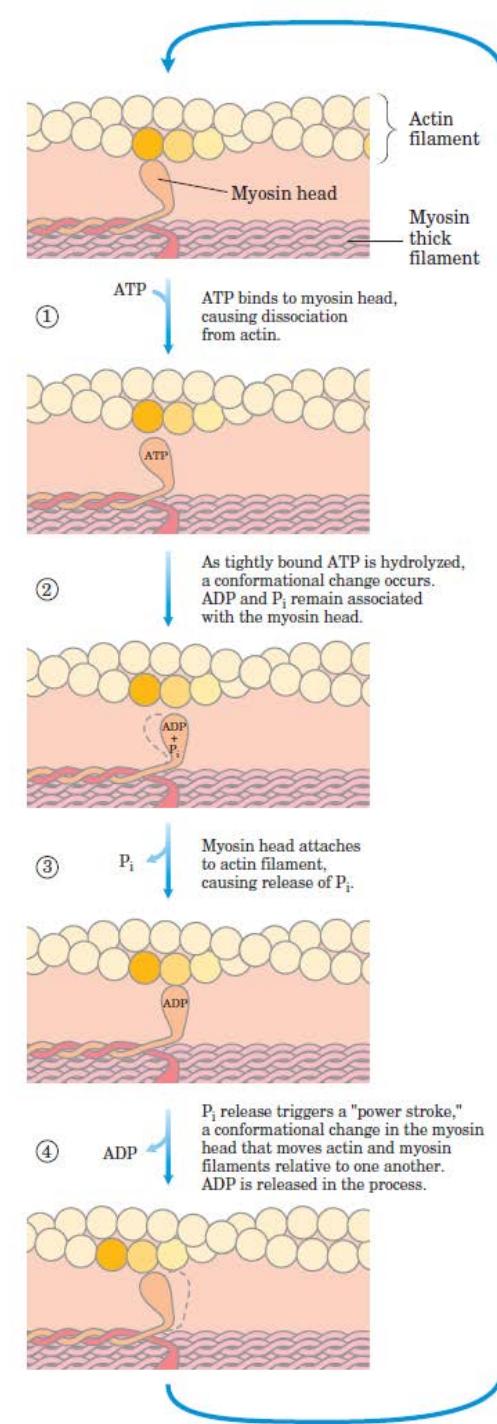
C = constant domain
V = variable domain
H, L = heavy, light chains



(b)

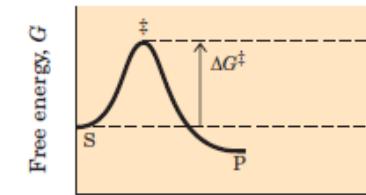
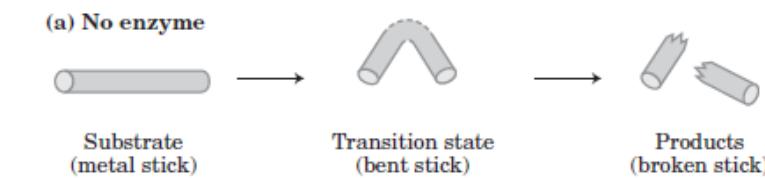




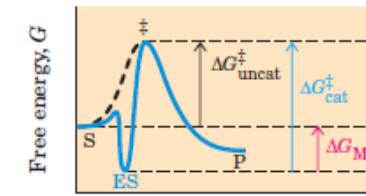
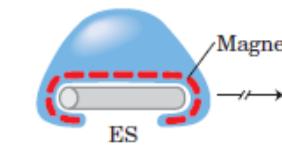


Coenzyme	Examples of chemical groups transferred	Dietary precursor in mammals
Biocytin	CO ₂	Biotin
Coenzyme A	Acyl groups	Pantothenic acid and other compounds
5'-Deoxyadenosylcobalamin (coenzyme B ₁₂)	H atoms and alkyl groups	Vitamin B ₁₂
Flavin adenine dinucleotide	Electrons	Riboflavin (vitamin B ₂)
Lipoate	Electrons and acyl groups	Not required in diet
Nicotinamide adenine dinucleotide	Hydride ion (:H ⁻)	Nicotinic acid (niacin)
Pyridoxal phosphate	Amino groups	Pyridoxine (vitamin B ₆)
Tetrahydrofolate	One-carbon groups	Folate
Thiamine pyrophosphate	Aldehydes	Thiamine (vitamin B ₁)

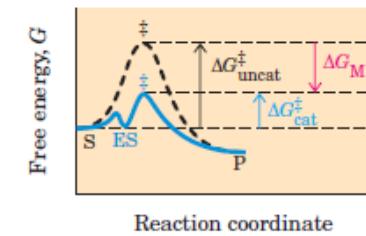
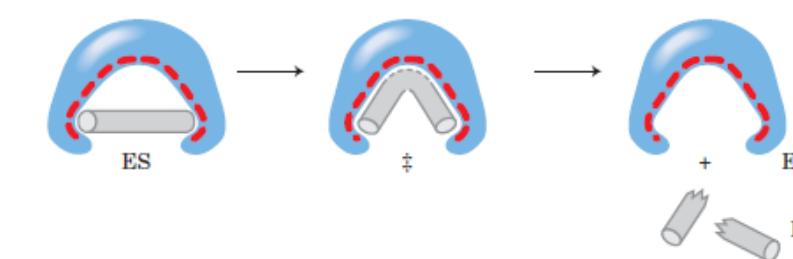
Note: The structures and modes of action of these coenzymes are described in Part II.

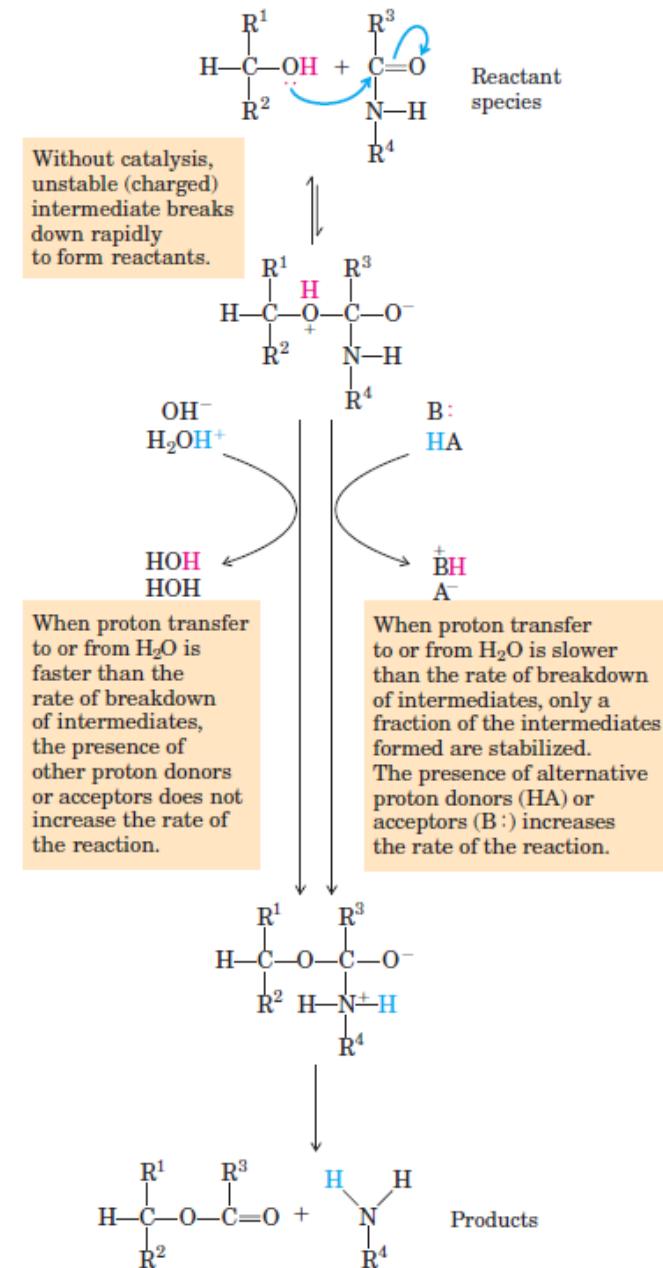


(b) Enzyme complementary to substrate

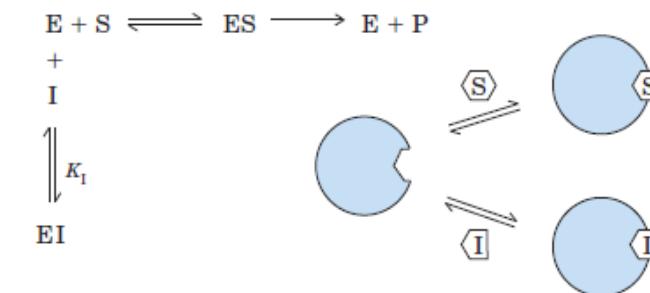


(c) Enzyme complementary to transition state

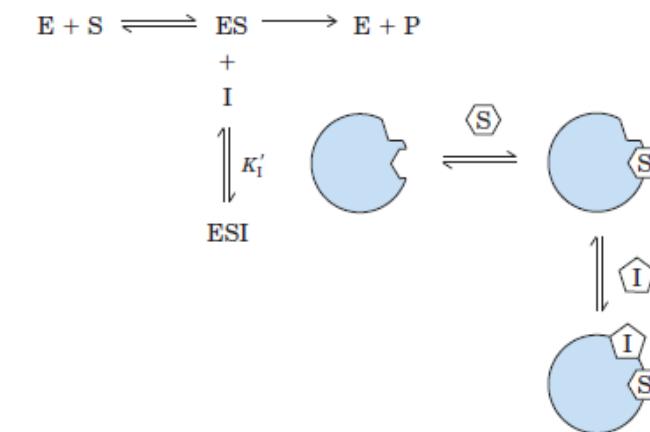




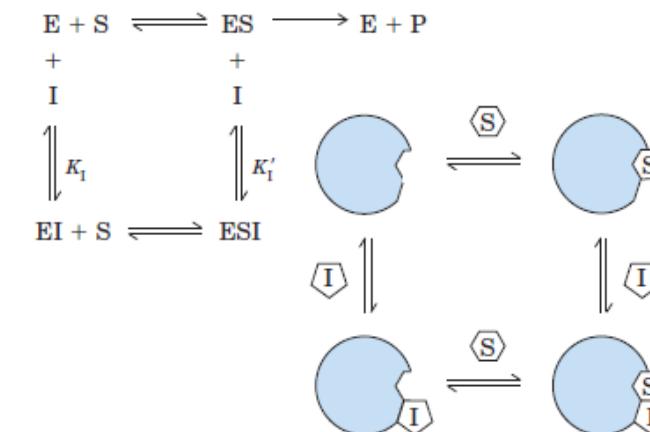
(a) Competitive inhibition



(b) Uncompetitive inhibition



(c) Mixed inhibition



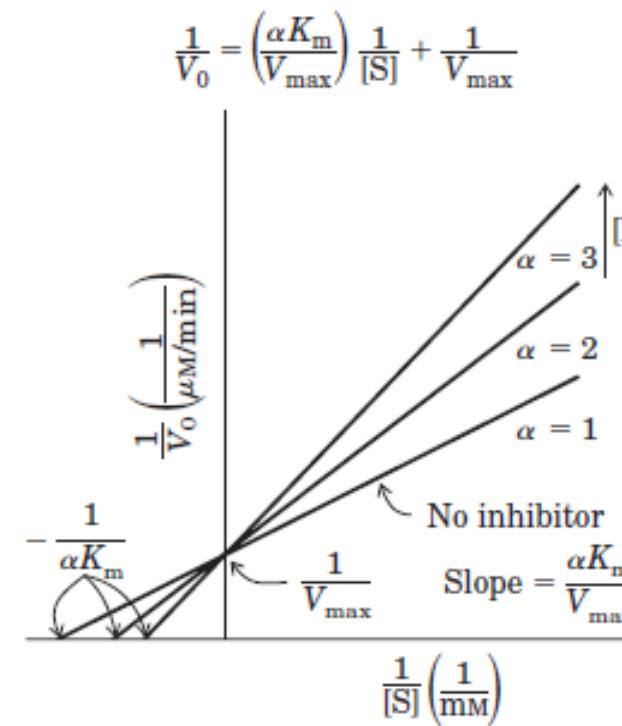


FIGURE 1 Competitive inhibition.

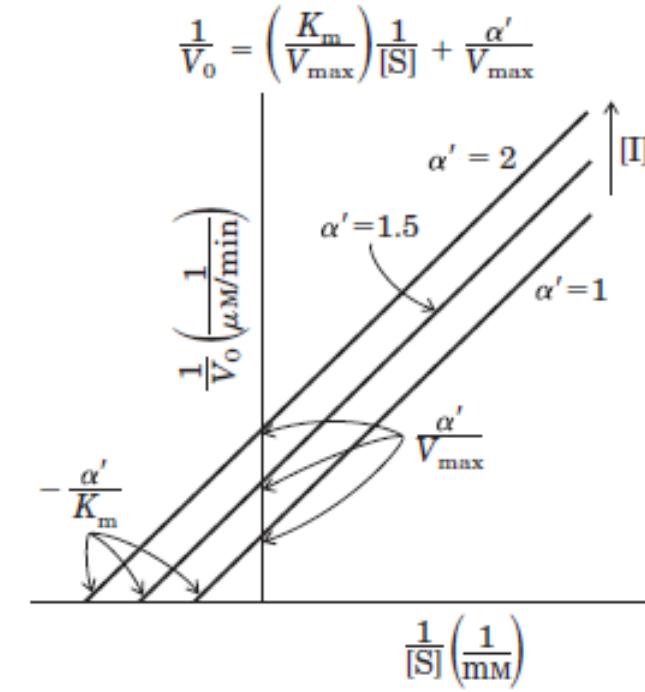


FIGURE 2 Uncompetitive inhibition.

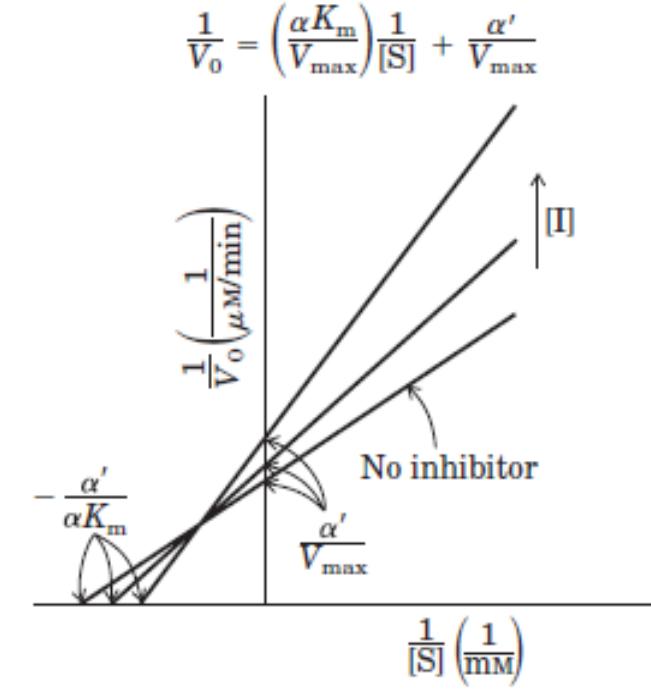
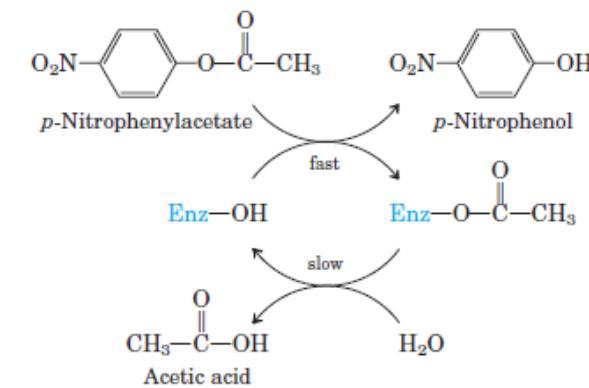
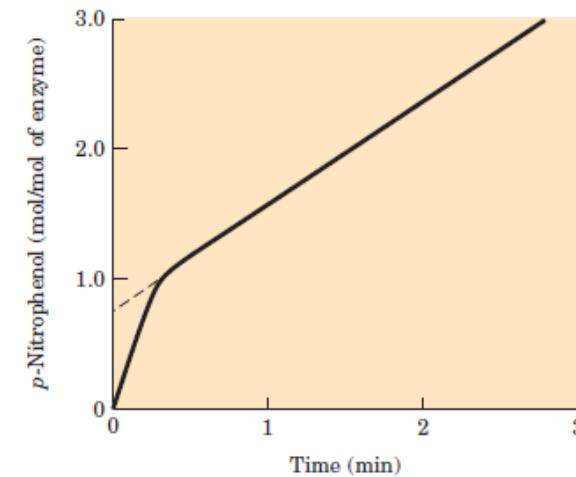
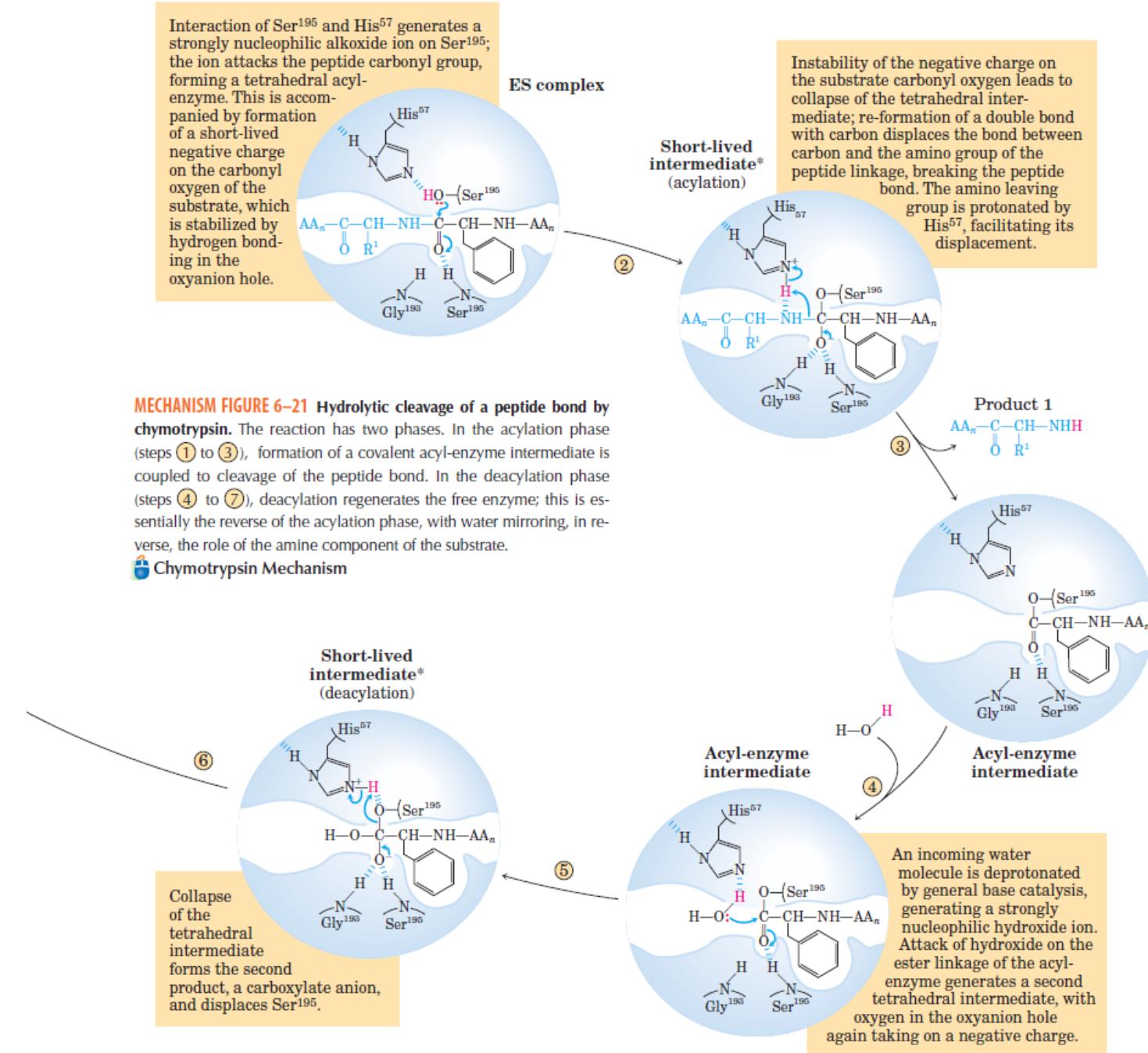
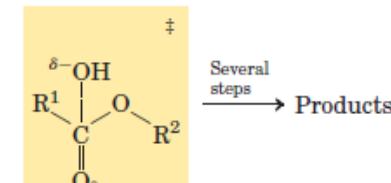
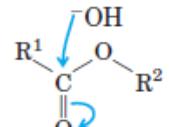


FIGURE 3 Mixed inhibition.

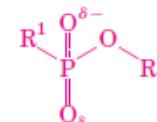




Ester hydrolysis

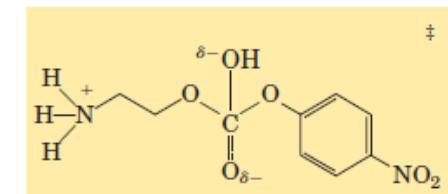
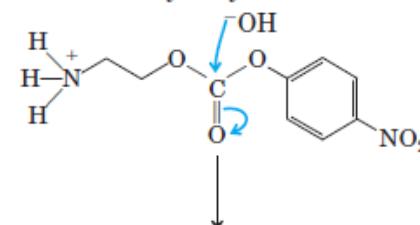


Transition state

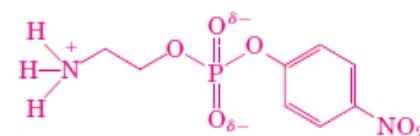


Analog (phosphonate ester)

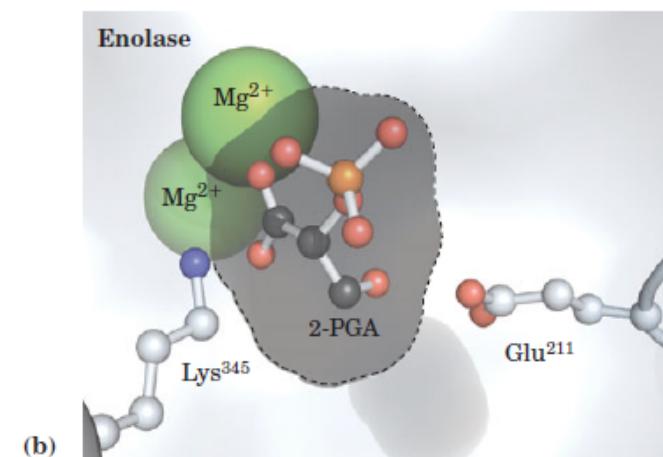
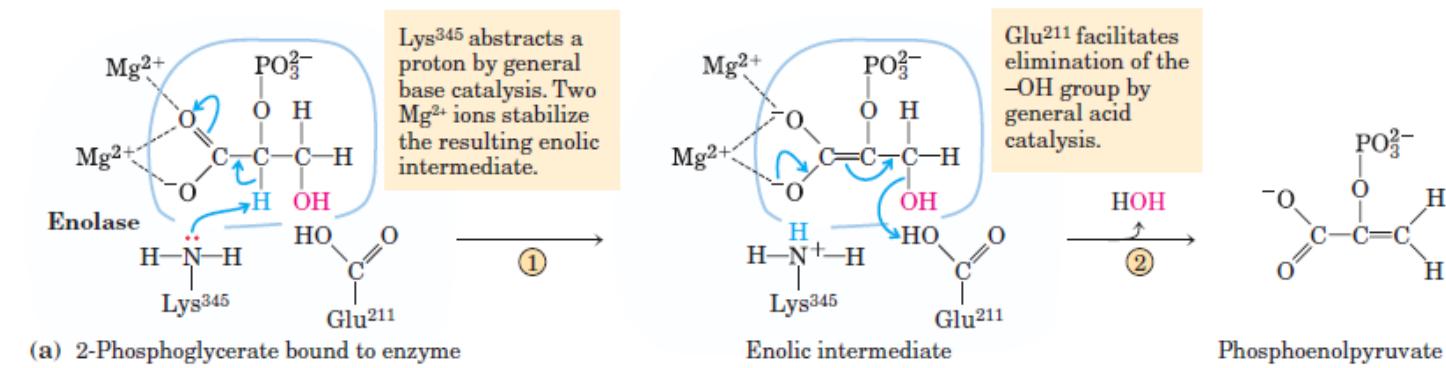
Carbonate hydrolysis

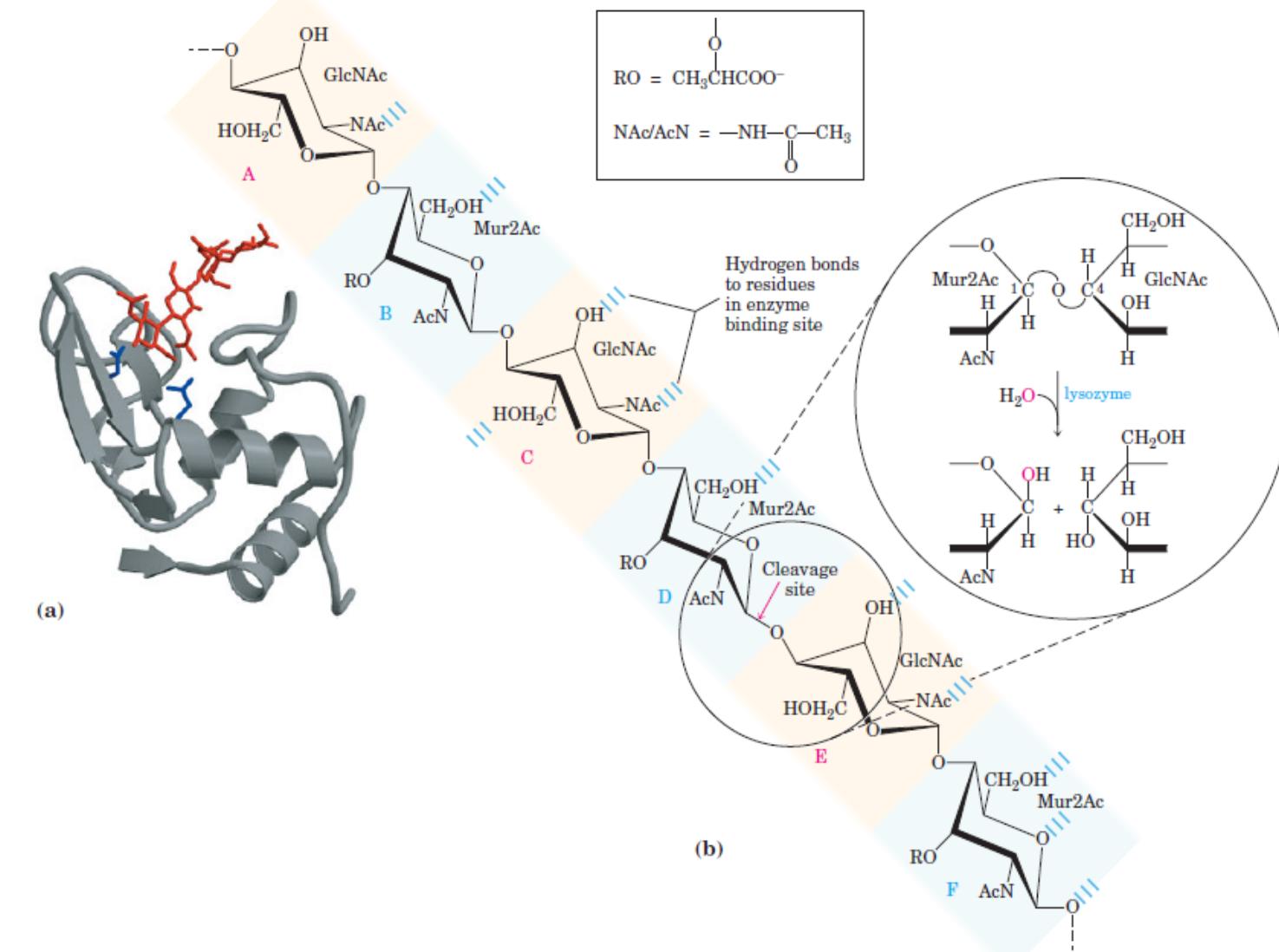


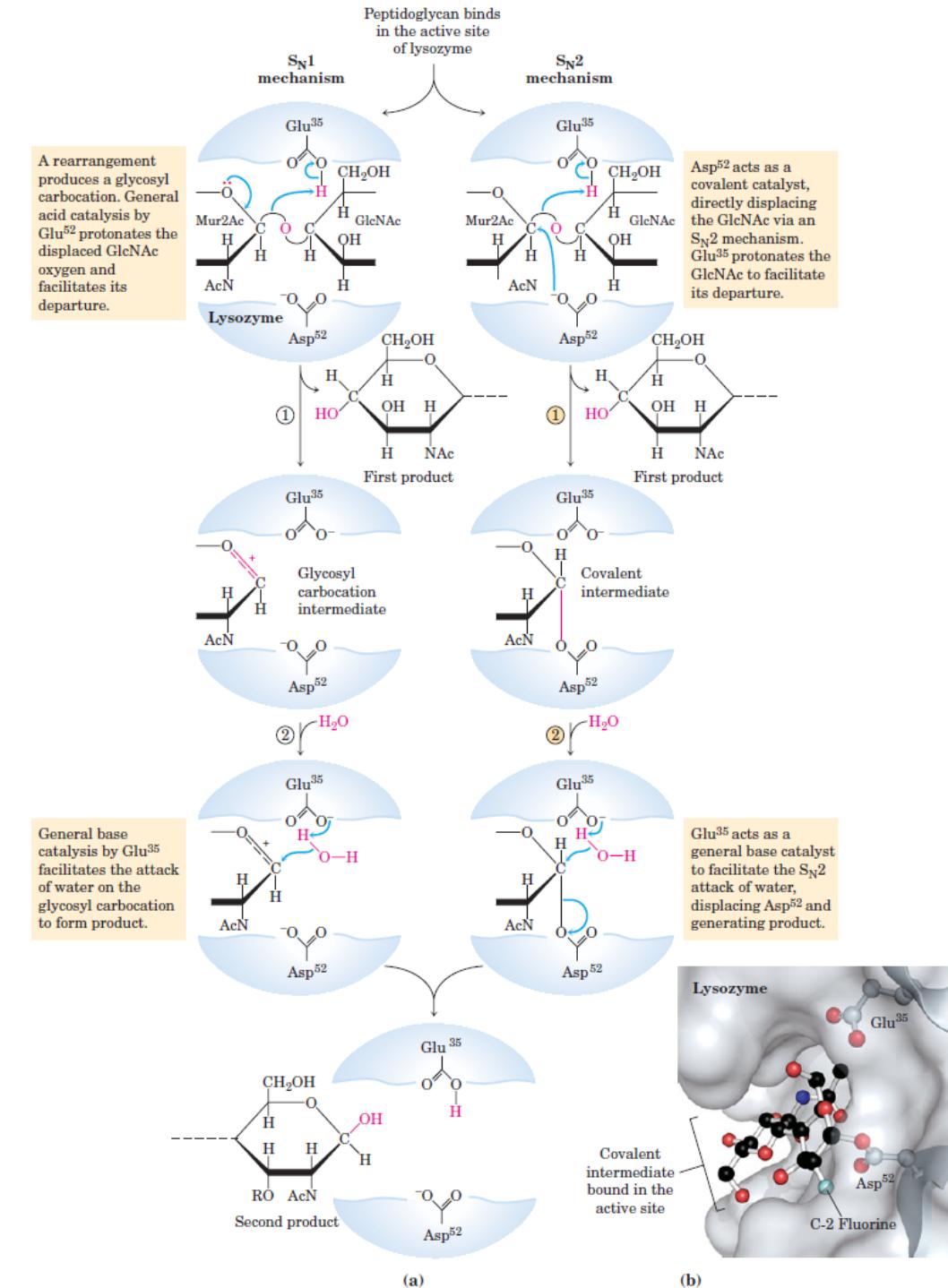
Transition state

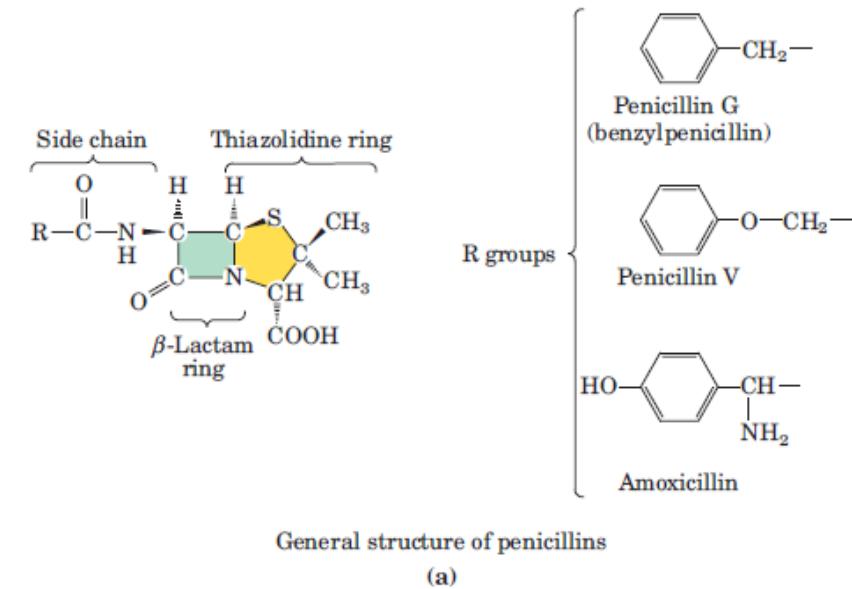


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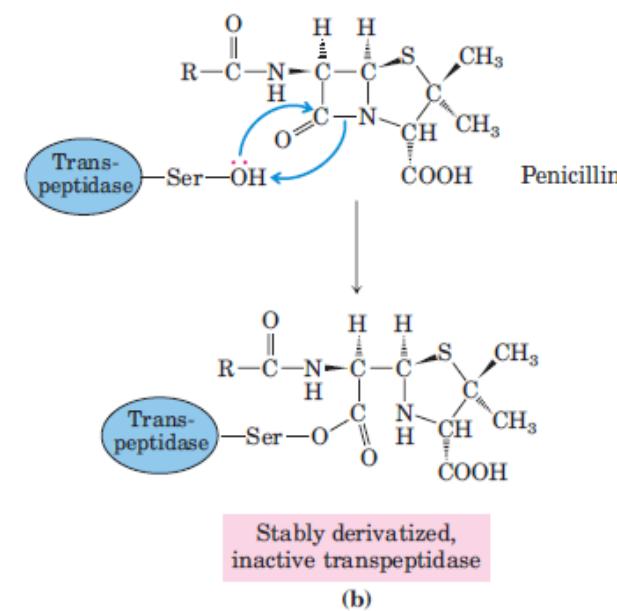






General structure of penicillins

(a)



(b)

