

## **Introduction to Enzymes**

Pasteur (1880)

Buchner (1896)

Sumner (1926)

Catalyst

Enzyme

Composition

Nomenclature: -ase

Transition-state

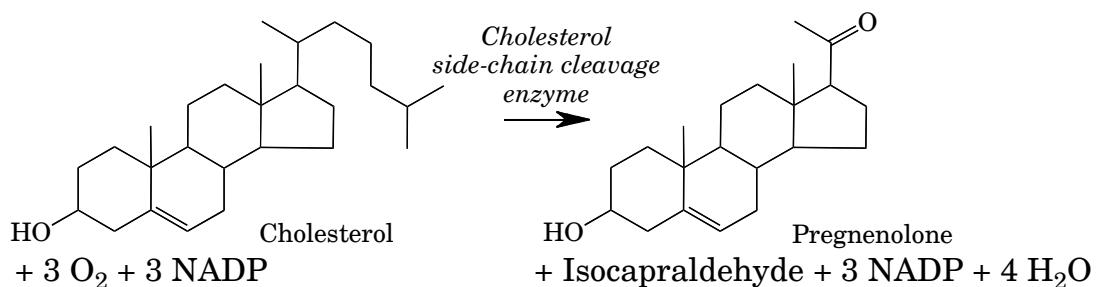
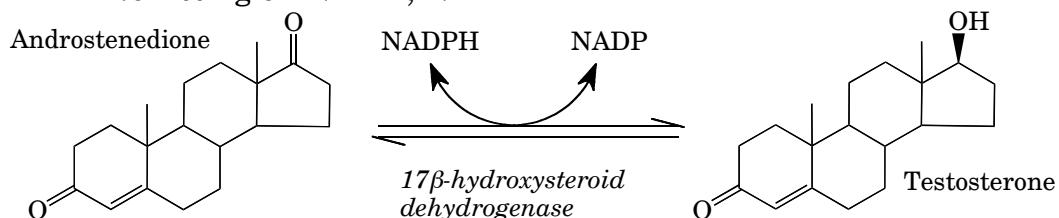
## **Mechanisms**

1. “Concentration”
2. Position
3. Strain
4. Acid-base chemistry
5. Charge stabilization
6. Covalent interactions

## International classification of enzymes

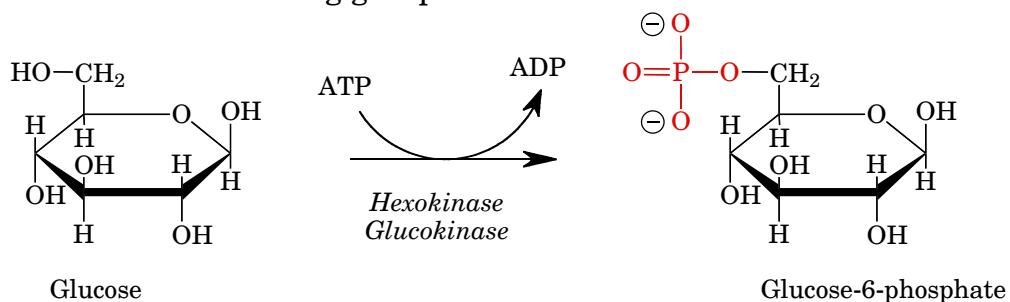
### 1. Oxidoreductases (oxidation-reduction reactions)

- 1.1 Acting on CH-OH
- 1.2 Acting on C=O
- 1.3 Acting on HC=CH
- 1.4 Acting on CH-NH<sub>2</sub>
- 1.5 Acting on CH-NH-
- 1.6 Acting on NADH; NADPH



### 2. Transferases (transfer of functional groups)

- 2.1 One-carbon groups
- 2.2 Aldehydic or ketonic groups
- 2.3 Acyl groups
- 2.7 Phosphate groups
- 2.8 S-containing groups



### 3. Hydrolases (hydrolysis reactions)

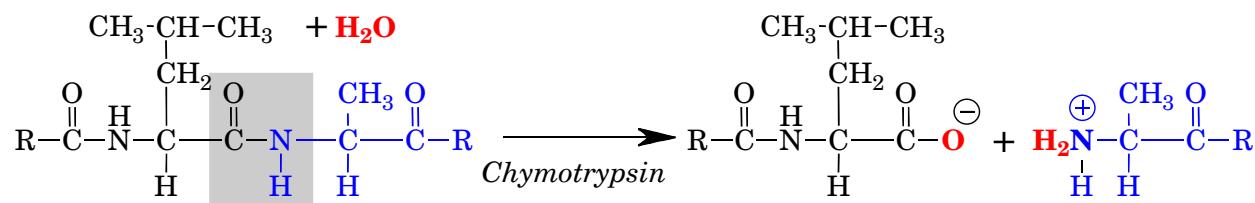
3.1 Esters

3.2 Glycosidic bonds

3.4 Peptide bonds

3.5 Other C-N bonds

3.6 Acid anhydrides

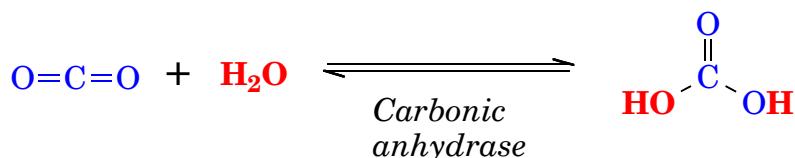


### 4. Lyases (addition to double bonds)

4.1 C=C

4.2 C=O

4.3 C=N



### 5. Isomerases

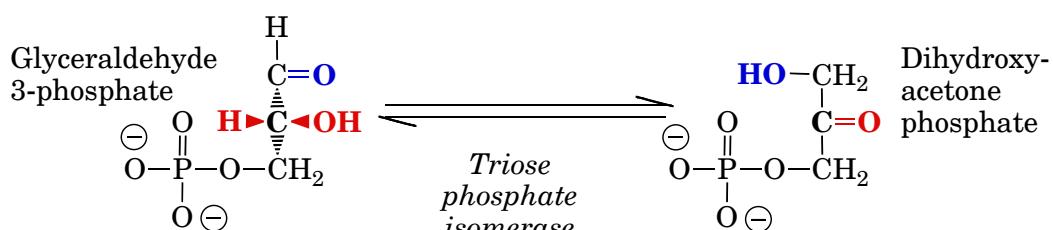
5.1 Racemases

5.2 *cis-trans* isomerases

5.3 Intramolecular oxidoreductases

5.4 Mutases (intramolecular transferases)

5.5 Intramolecular lyases



### 6. Ligases (formation of bonds with ATP cleavage)

6.1 C-O

6.2 C-S

6.3 C-N

6.4 C-C

