

CARBOIDRATI

sotto forma di zucchero e amido rappresentano una tra le principali fonti di calorie per l'uomo e la maggior parte degli animali e anche per molti microorganismi.

Sono al centro del metabolismo delle piante verdi.

fotosintesi



carboidrati



fonte di energia
per cellule non fotosintetiche

FUNZIONI

- 1) fonte di energia
- 2) riserva di glucosio (amido e glicogeno)
- 3) struttura e supporto (pareti cellulari batteri e piante, tessuti connettivi animali)
- 4) lubrificazione articolazioni (acido ialuronico)
- 5) informazione: tra cellule ed ambiente circostante
 - marcano proteine (per trasporto o catabolismo)
 - siti di riconoscimento

CLASSIFICAZIONE

poliidrossi-aldeidi
poliidrossi-chetoni

ALDOSI
CHETOSI

monosaccaridi: zuccheri semplici, consistono di una singola unità di poliidrossi aldeide o chetone

es: glucosio, mannosio, galattosio, fruttosio

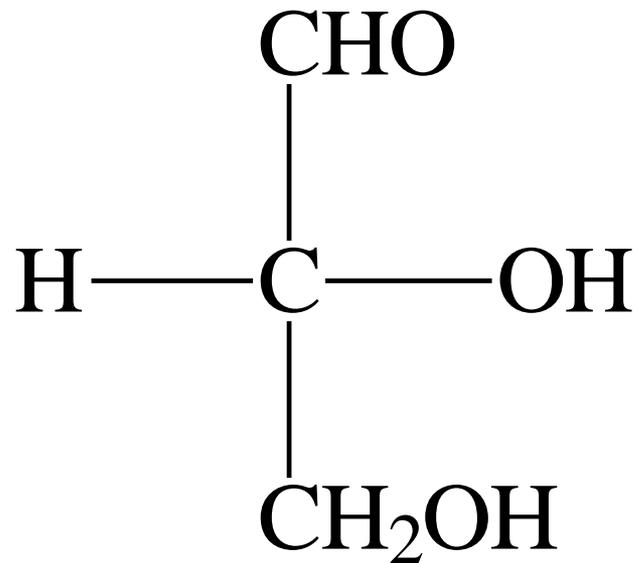
oligosaccaridi: corte catene di monosaccaridi legati da legami covalenti (2-10)

es: saccarosio, maltosio, lattosio

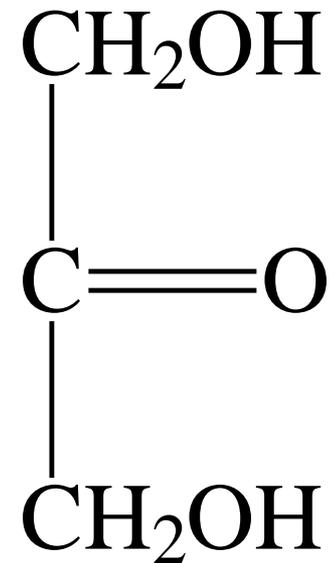
polisaccaridi: lunghe catene di unità monosaccaridiche (>10)

es: cellulosa, glicogeno, amido

TRIOSI

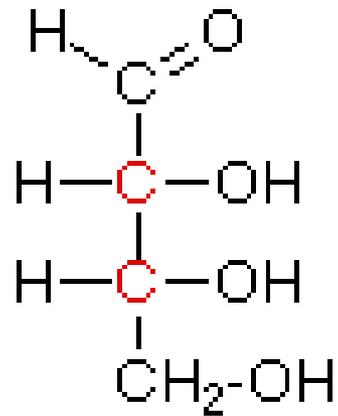


D-gliceraldeide

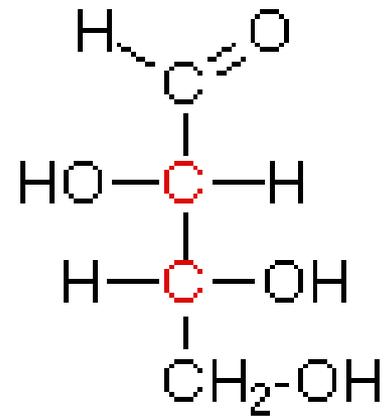


Di-idrossi acetone

TETROSI

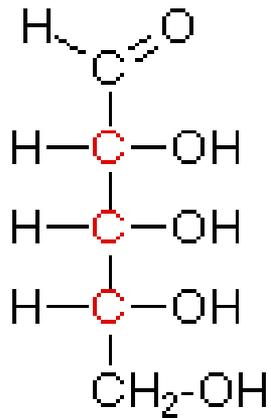


D-(-)-erythrose

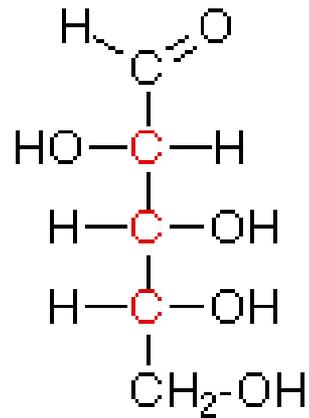


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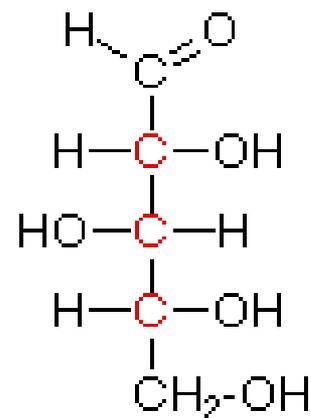
PENTOSI



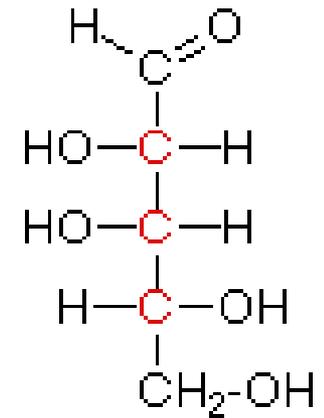
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D-(-)-arabinose

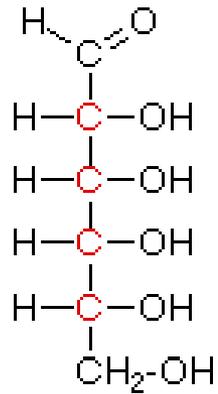


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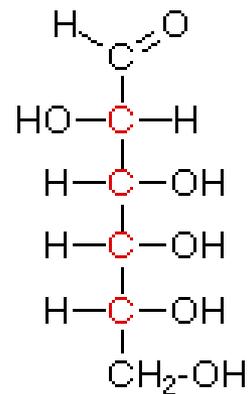


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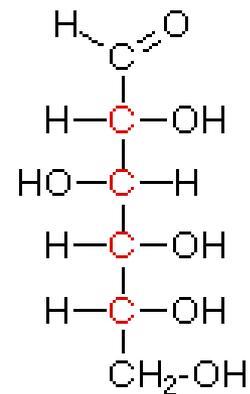
ESOSI



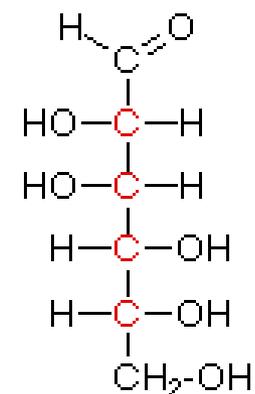
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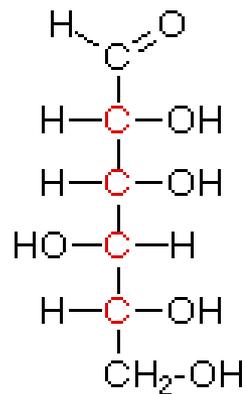
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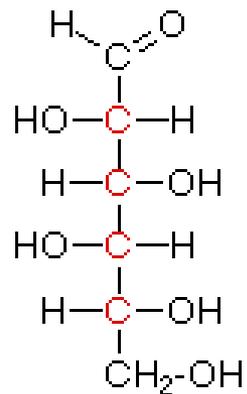
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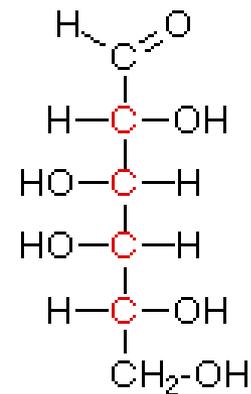
D-(+)-mannose



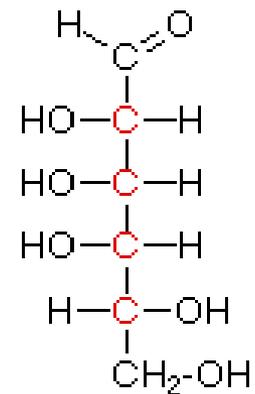
D-(-)-gulose



D-(-)-idose

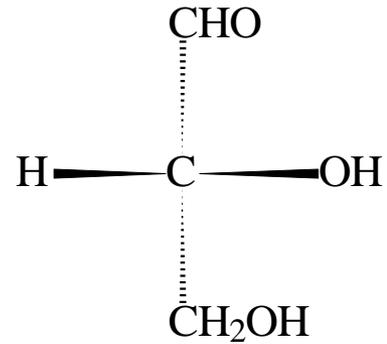
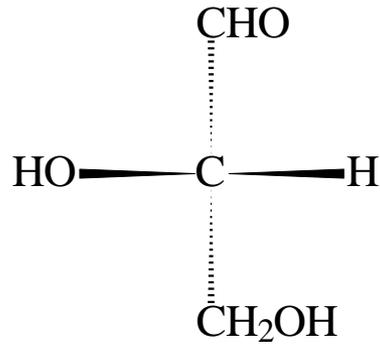


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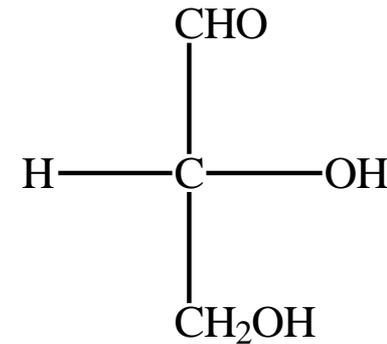
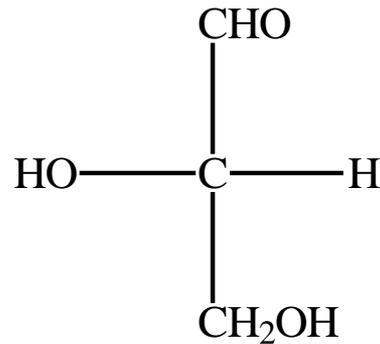


D-(+)-talose

I monosaccaridi hanno centri asimmetrici.



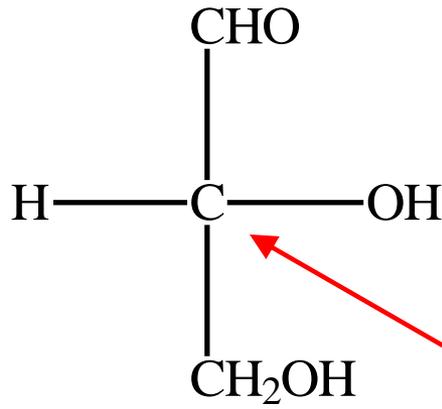
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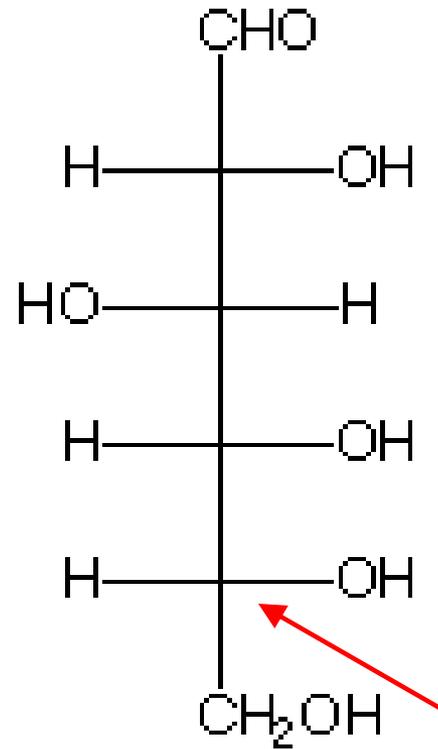
L-gliceraldeide

D-gliceraldeide

CENTRI CHIRALI

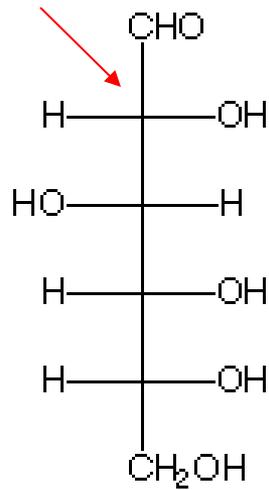


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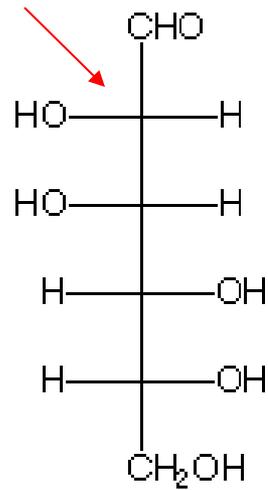


D-Glucosio

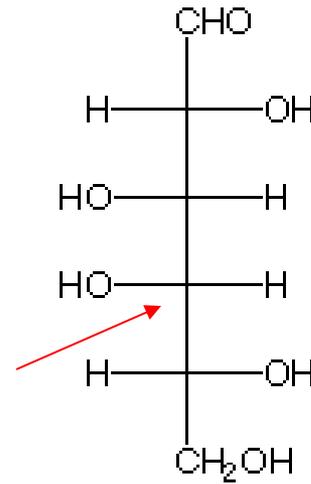
EPIMERI



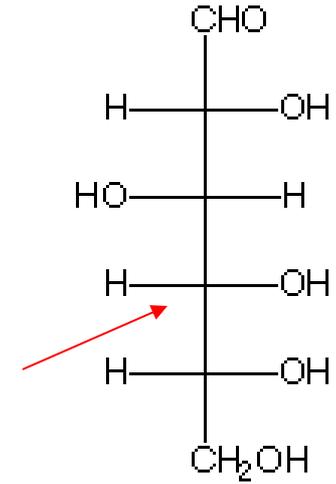
D-Glucose



D-Mannose



D-Galactose

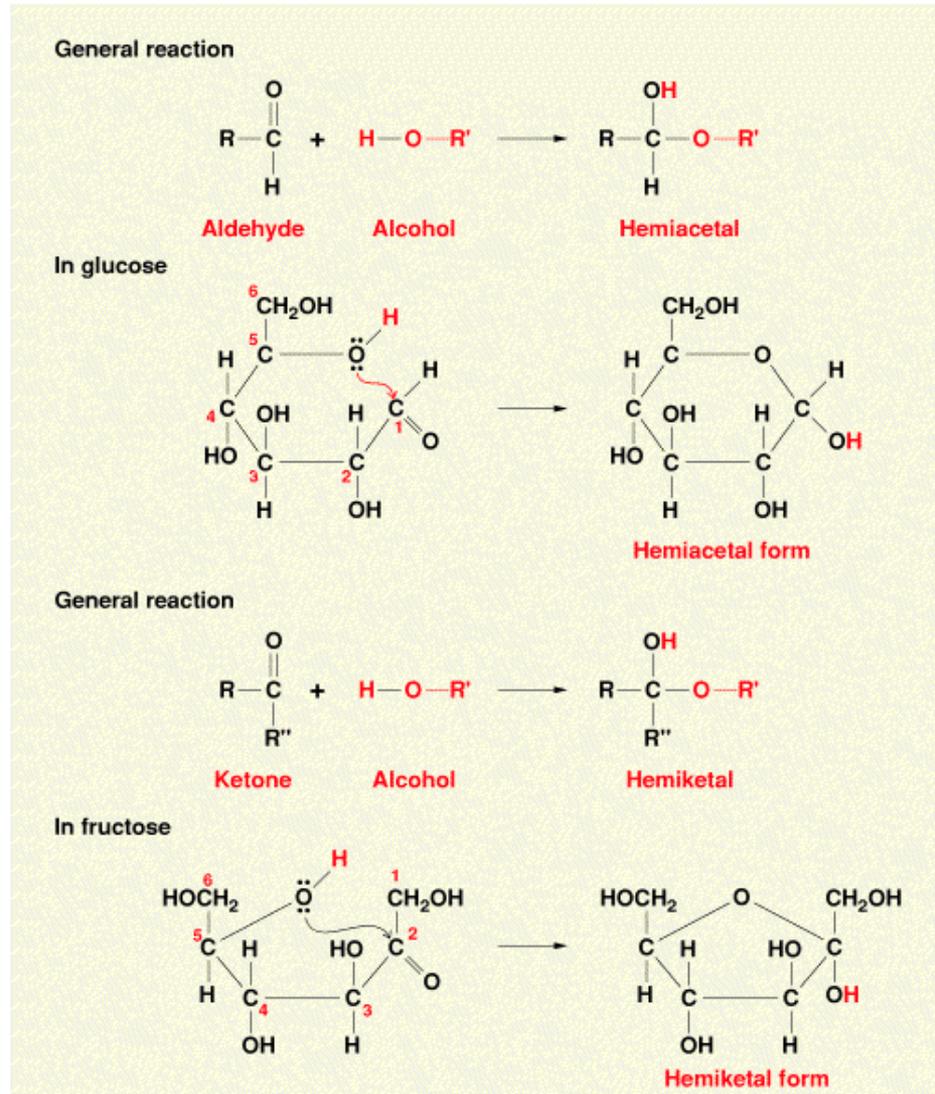


D-Glucose

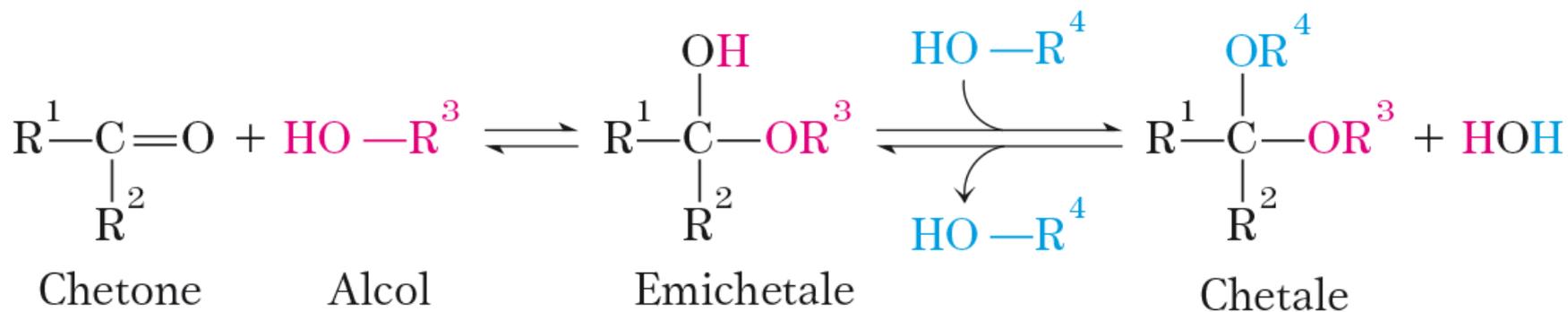
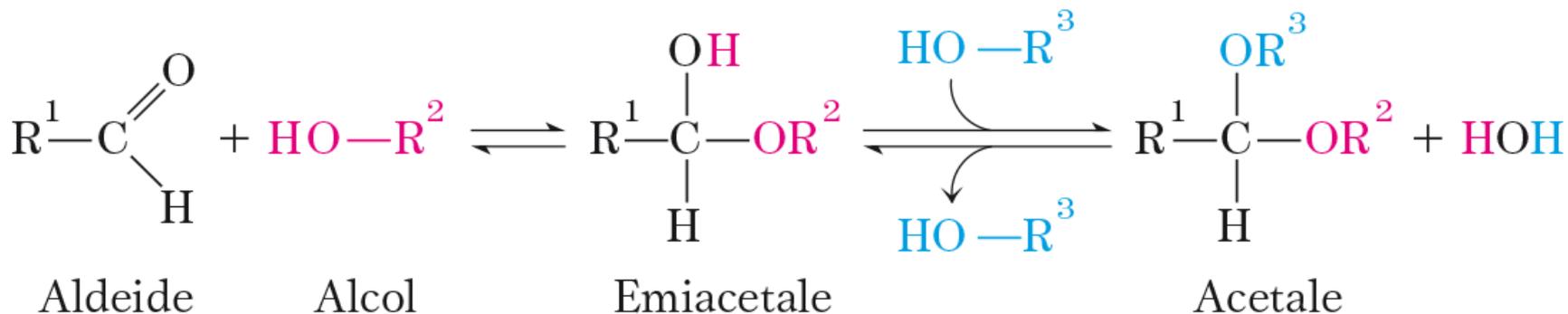
Epimeri in C-2

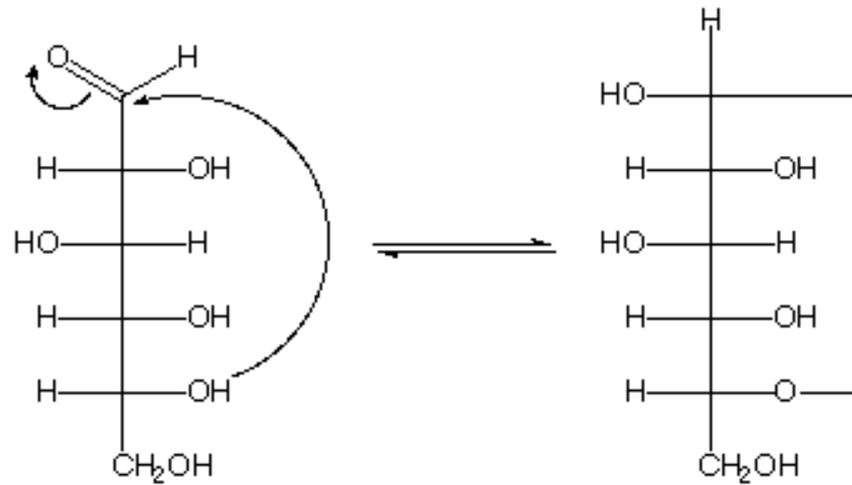
Epimeri in C-4

I monosaccaridi assumono forme cicliche

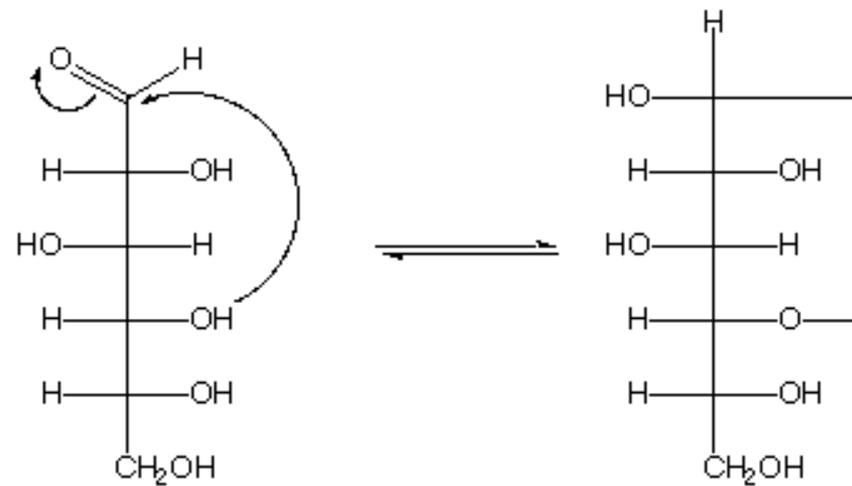


FORMAZIONE DI UN ACETALE E DI UN CHETALE



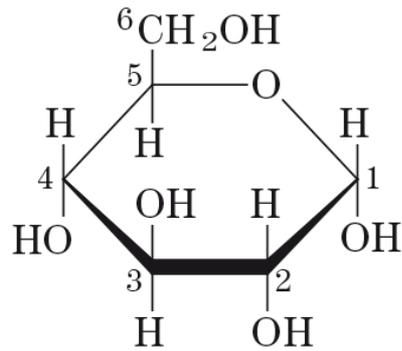


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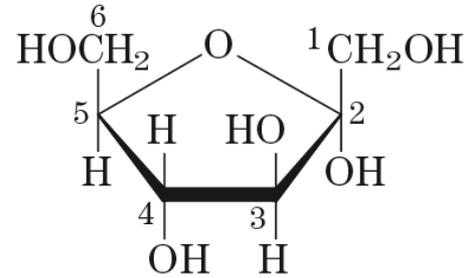


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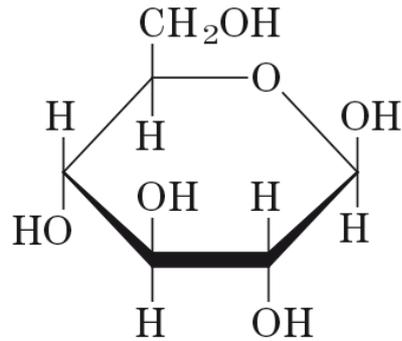
Proiezione di Haworth



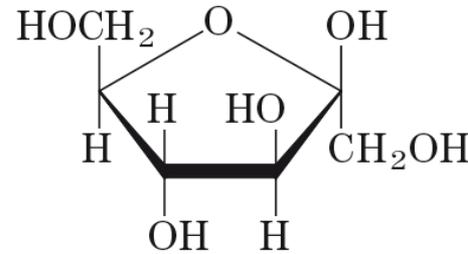
α -D-Glucopiranosio



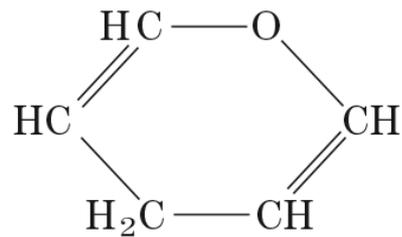
α -D-Fruktofuranosio



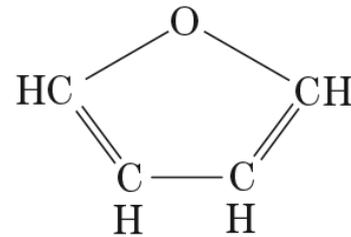
β -D-Glucopiranosio



β -D-Fruktofuranosio

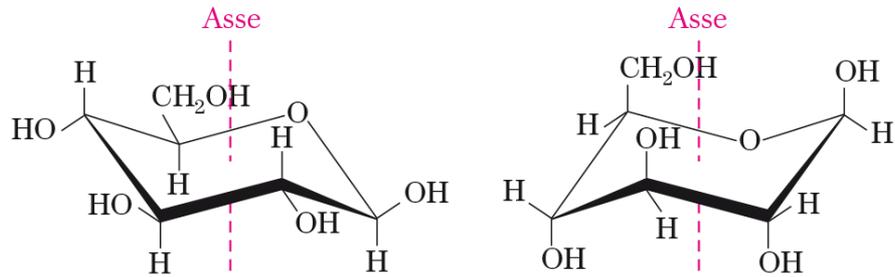


Pirano

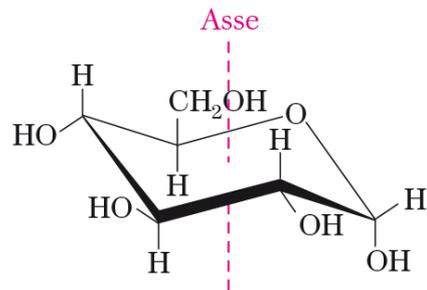


Furano

FORMULE CONFORMAZIONALI

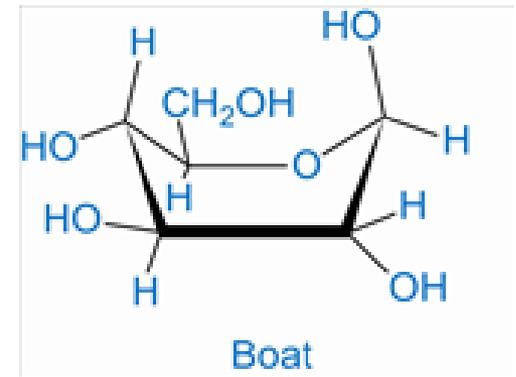


Le due possibili forme a sedia del β -D-glucopiranosio
(a)

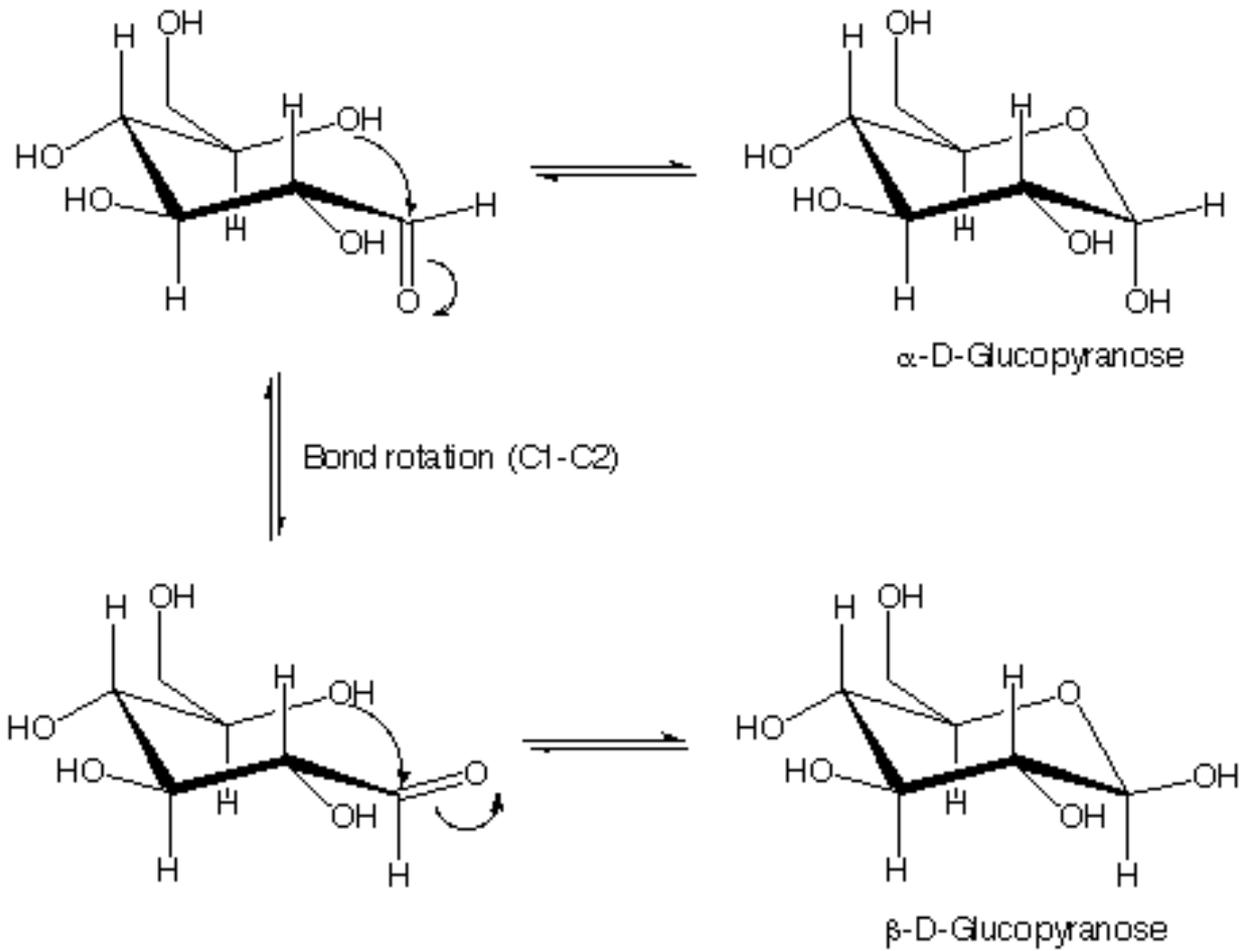


α -D-Glucopiranosio
(b)

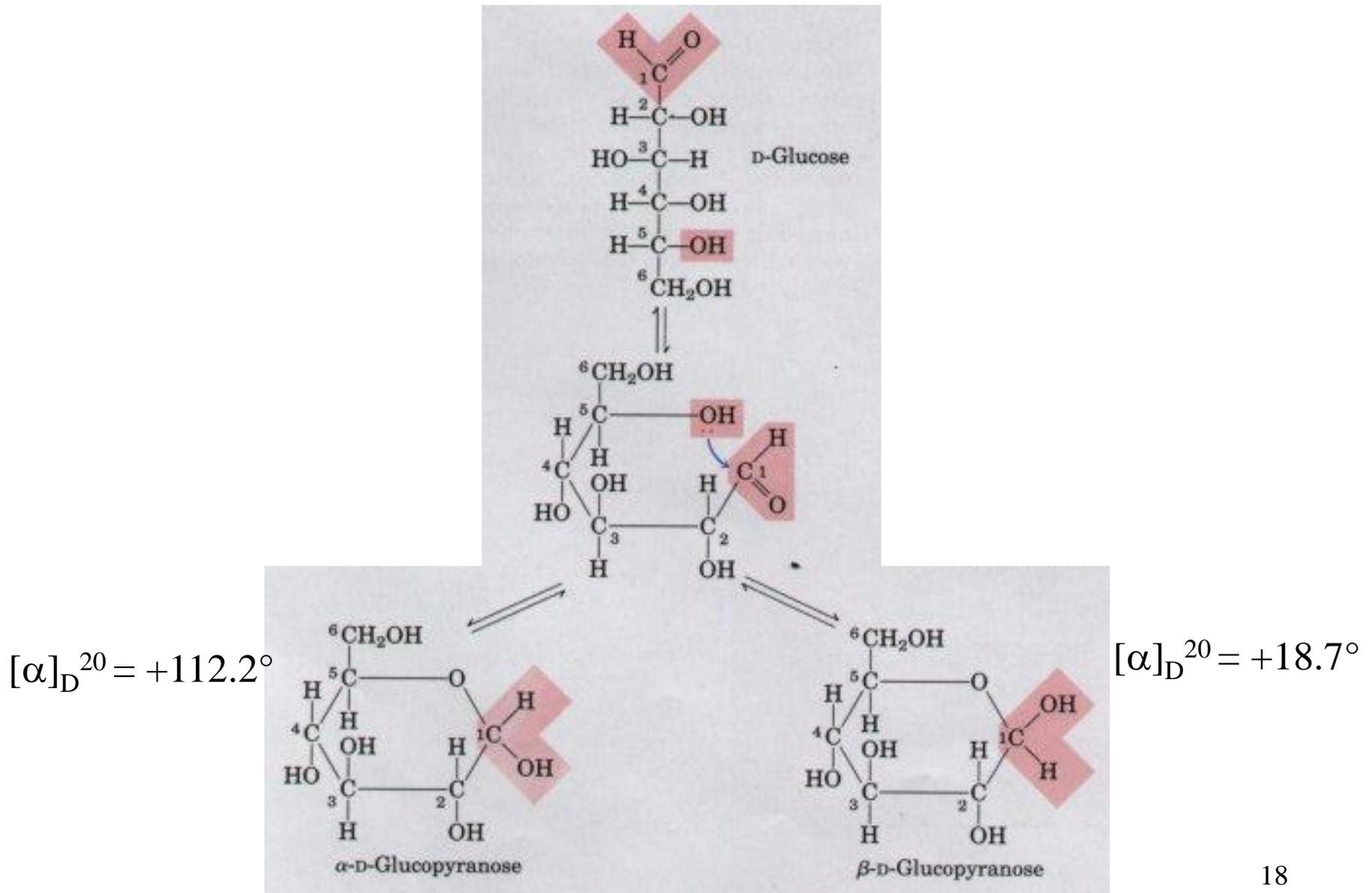
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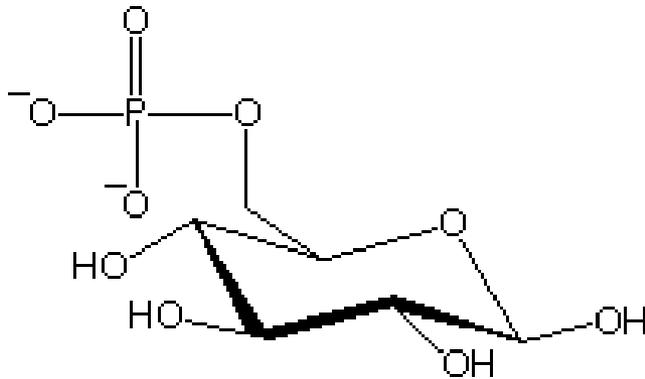
barca



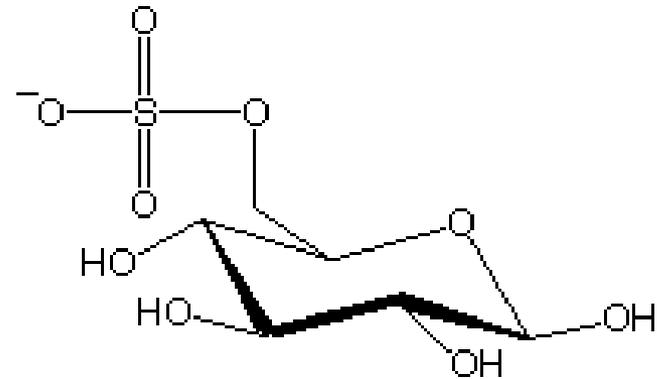
ANOMERI α e β e MUTAROTAZIONE



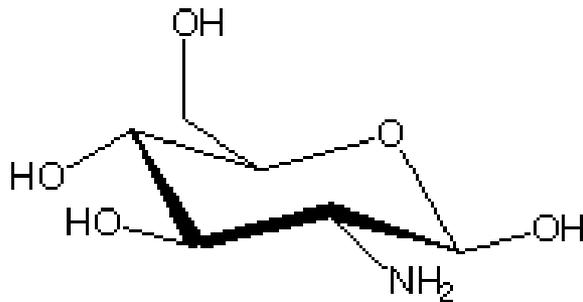
DERIVATI DEL GLUCOSIO



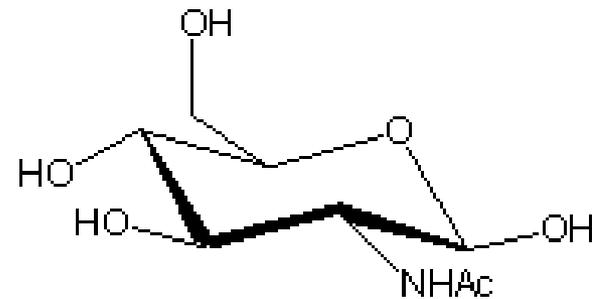
β -D-glucopyranose-6-phosphate



β -D-glucopyranose-6-sulfate



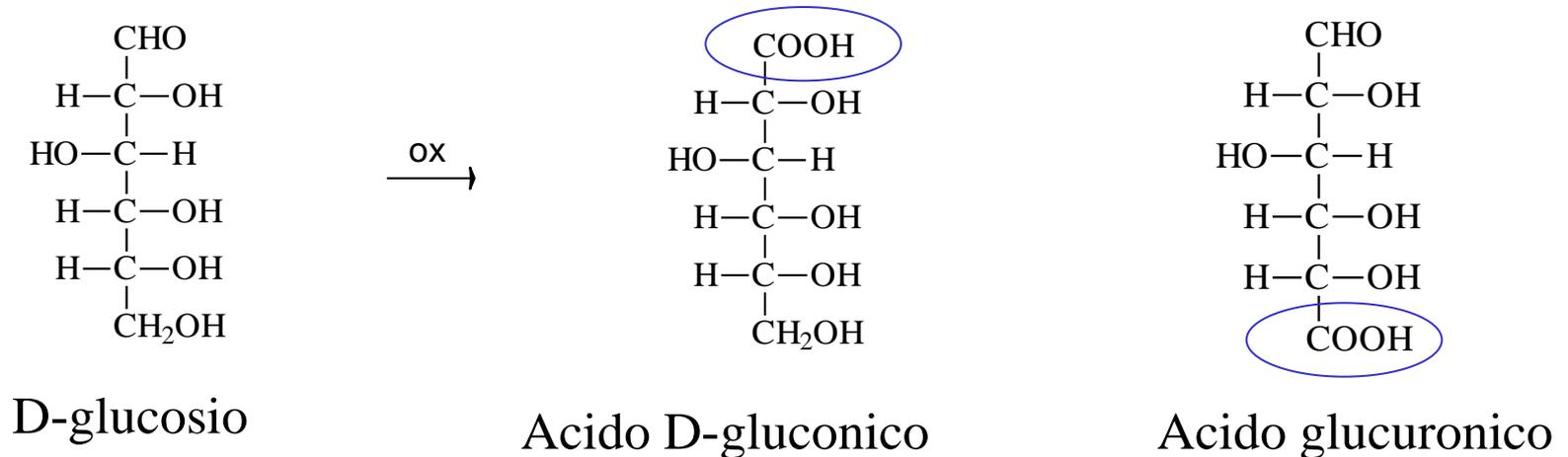
β -D-glucopyranose-2-amine
(glucosamine)



N-Acetyl- β -D-glucopyranose-2-amine
(N-acetylglucosamine)

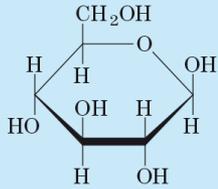
OSSIDAZIONE DEL GLUCOSIO

I monosaccaridi riducono facilmente agenti ossidanti. Lo zucchero viene ossidato a livello del carbonile, mentre l'agente ossidante si riduce. Per questo vengono chiamati zuccheri riducenti. Questa proprietà è importante per l'analisi degli zuccheri. Misurando la quantità di agente ossidante che viene ridotto da una soluzione di zucchero, si determina anche la concentrazione dello zucchero.

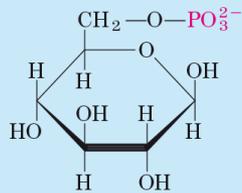


DERIVATI DEGLI ESOSI

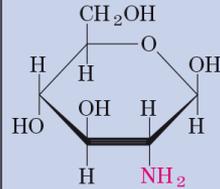
Famiglia del glucosio



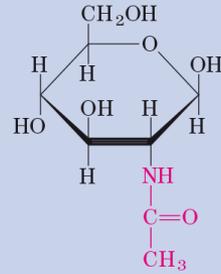
β -D-Glucosio



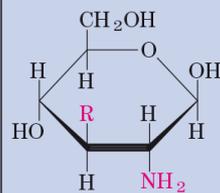
β -D-Glucosio 6-fosfato



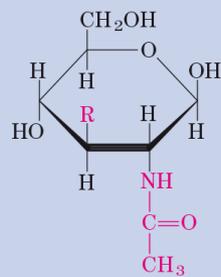
β -D-Glucosammina



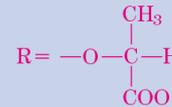
N-Acetil- β -D-glucosammina



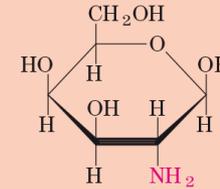
Acido muramico



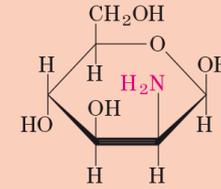
Acido *N*-acetilmuramico



Amminozuccheri

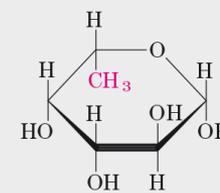


β -D-Galattosammina

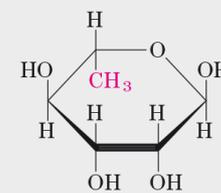


β -D-Mannosammina

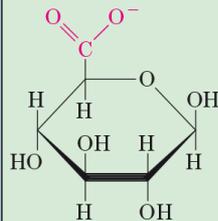
Deossizuccheri



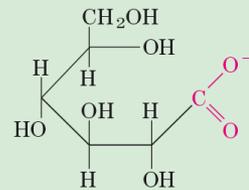
β -L-Fucosio



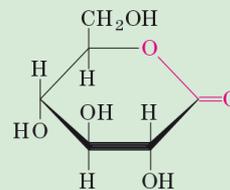
α -L-Ramnosio



β -D-Glucuronato

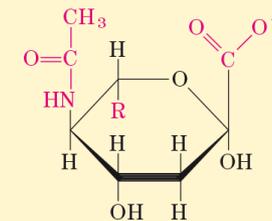


D-Gluconato

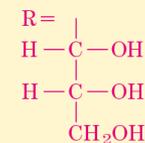


D-Glucono- δ -lattone

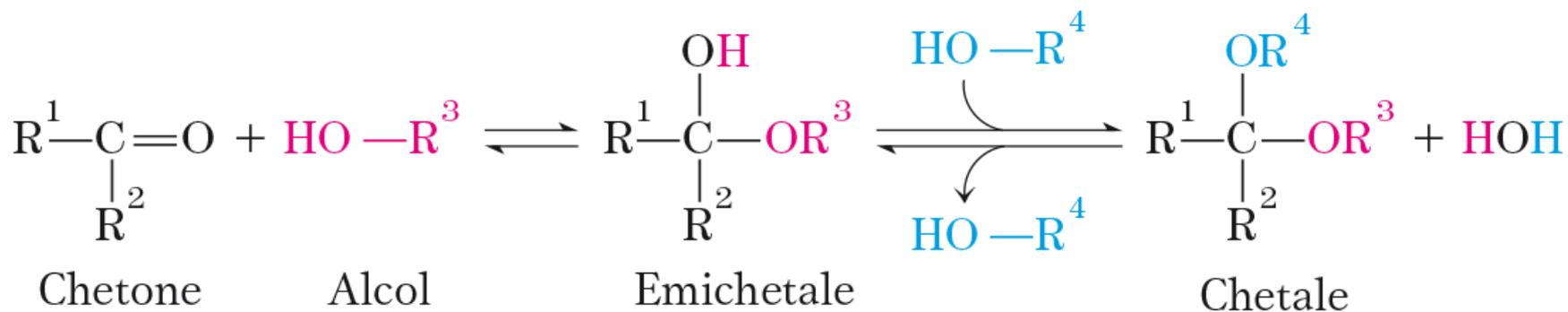
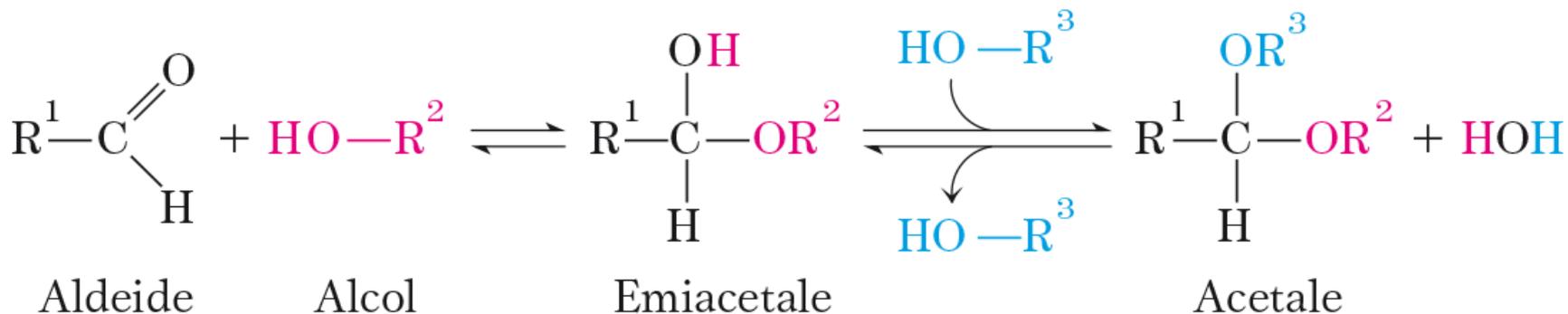
Zuccheri acidi



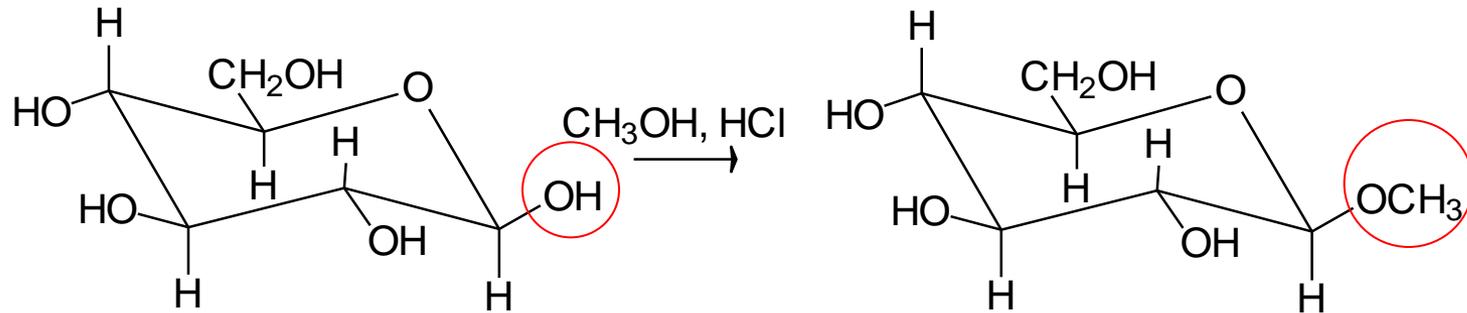
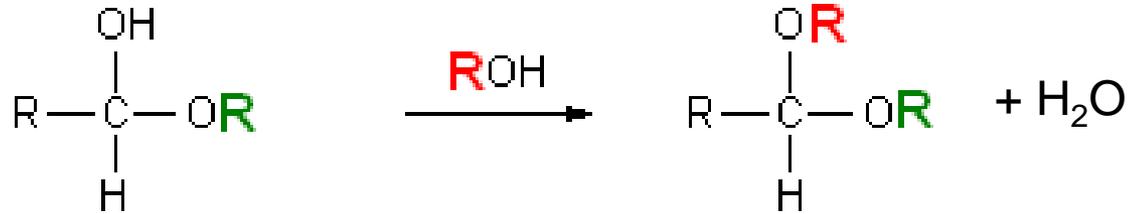
Acido *N*-acetilneuramminico
(acido sialico)



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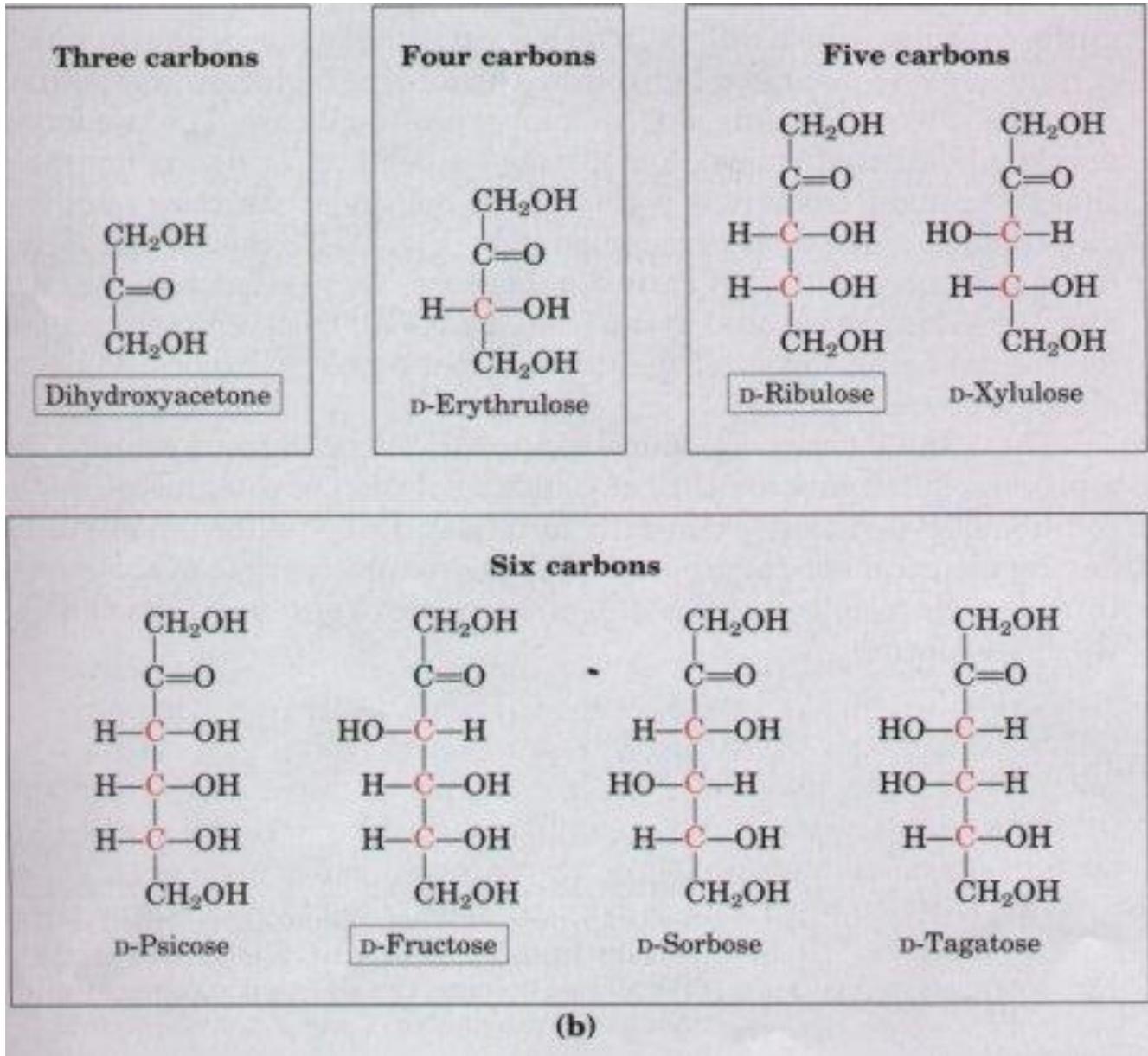
FORMAZIONE DI UN ACETALE



β -D-glucosio

Metil β -D-glucoside

D-chetosi



FRUTTOSIO

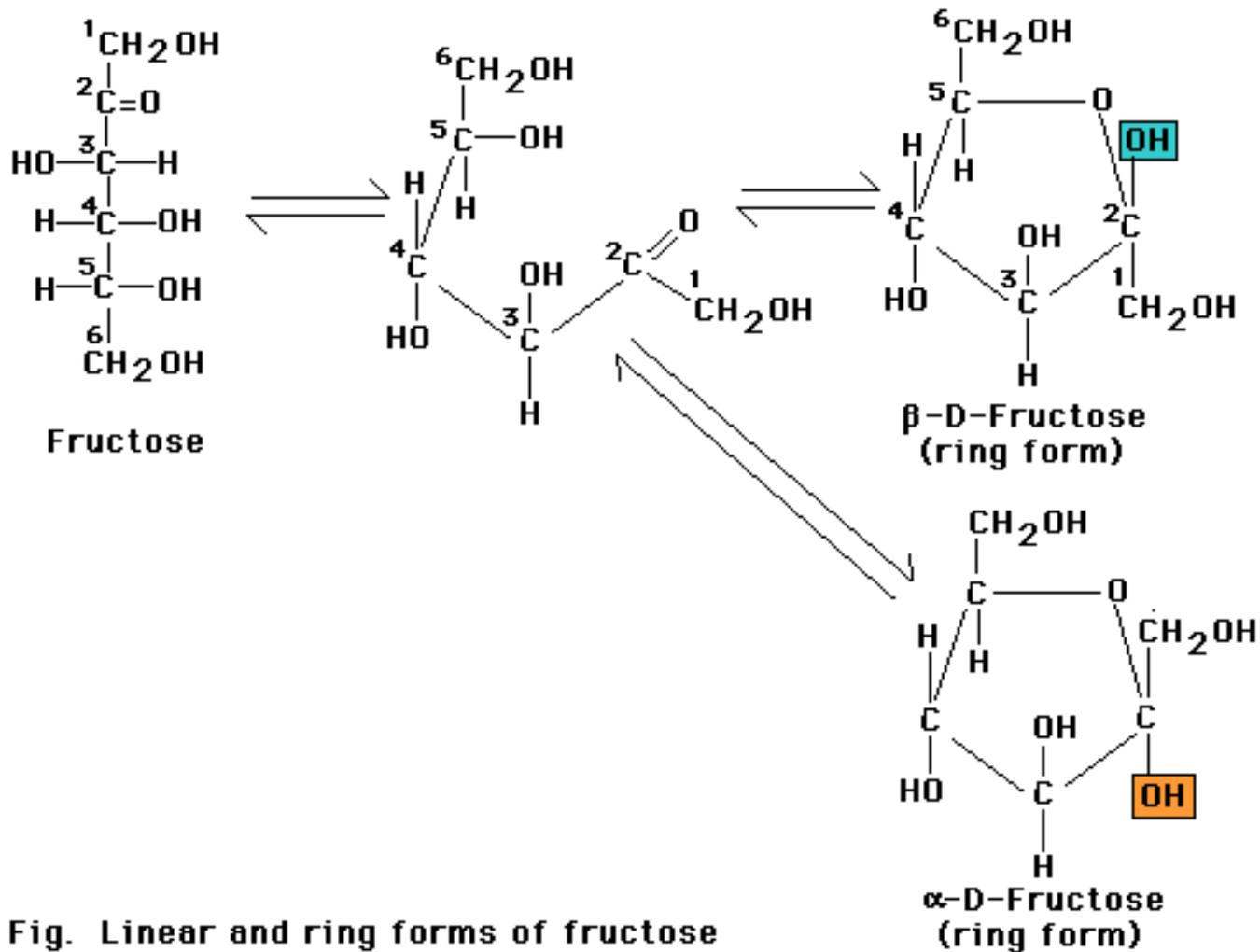
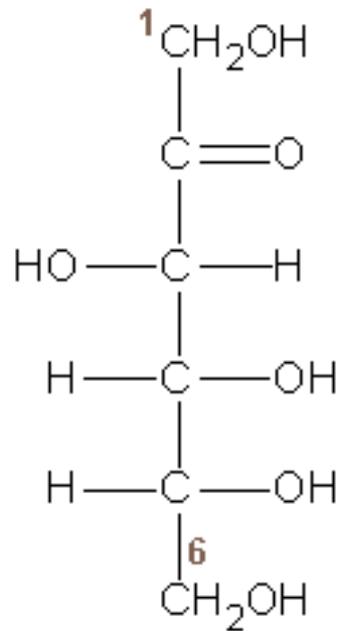
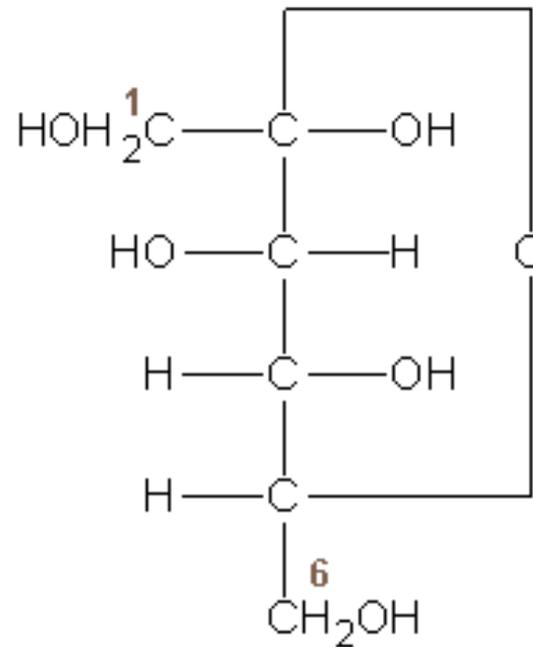
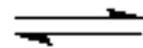


Fig. Linear and ring forms of fructose

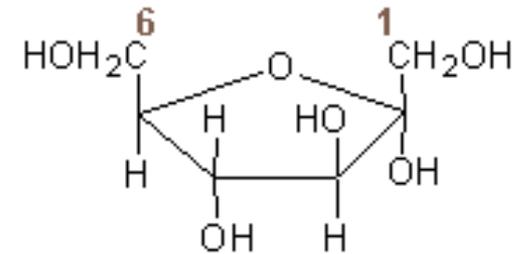
FRUTTOSIO



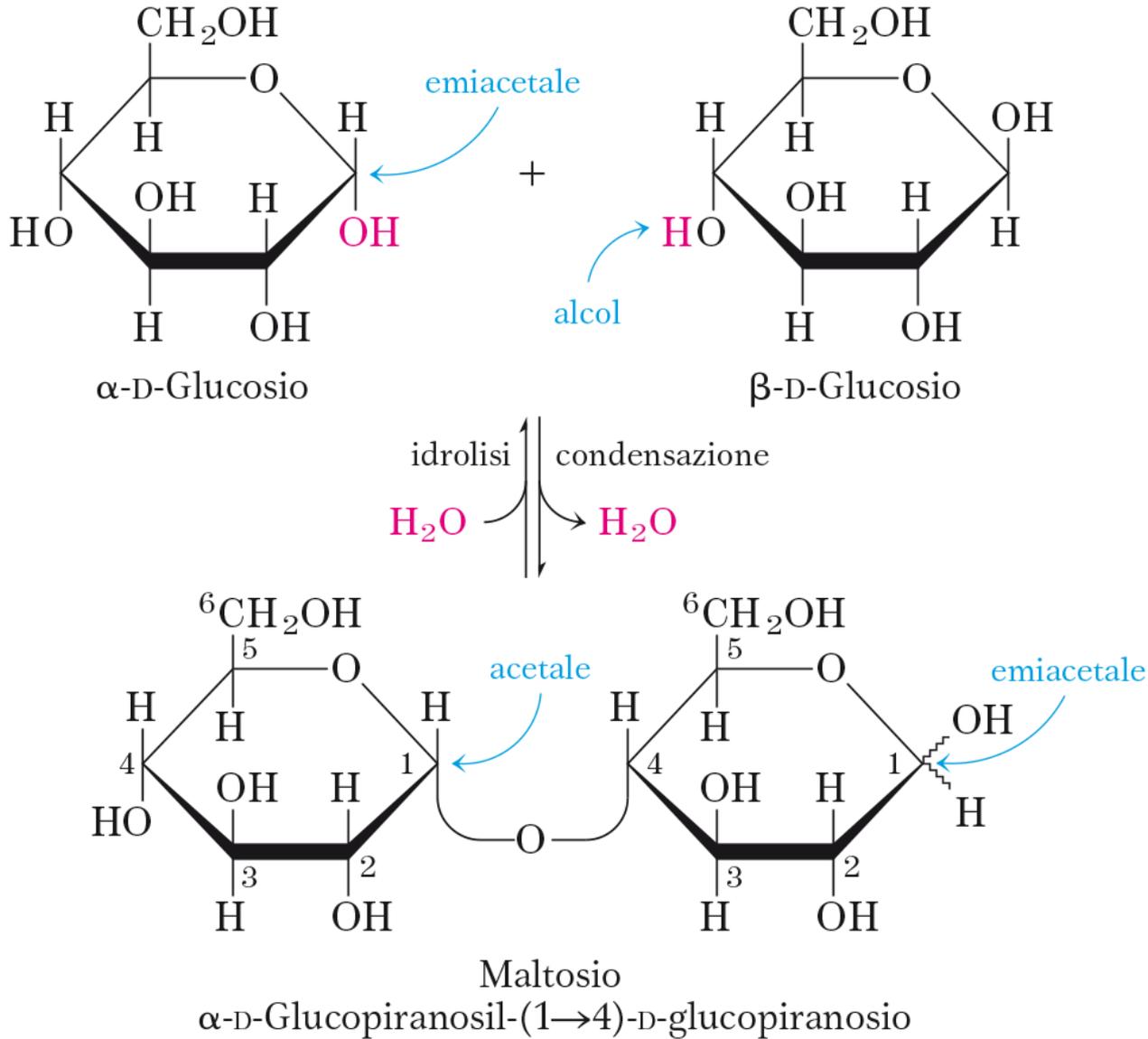
**D-(-)-Fructose
(Ketoseform)**



**α -D-(-)-Fructose
(Furanoseform)**



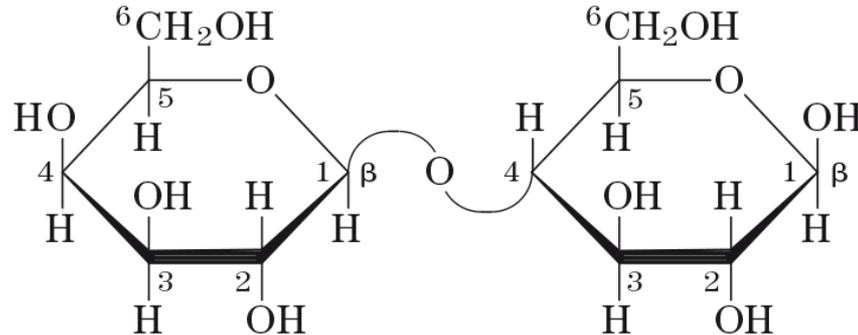
LEGAME GLICOSIDICO



Il legame *O*-glicosidico si forma quando un gruppo ossidrilico di un monosaccaride reagisce con l'atomo di carbonio anomero di un altro monosaccaride.

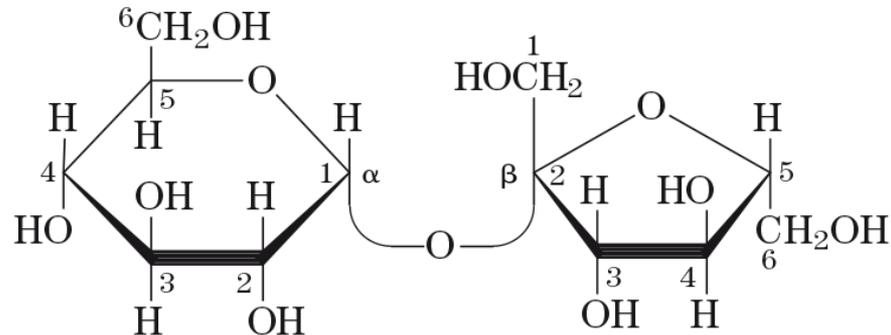
DISACCARIDI

sono costituiti da 2 monosaccaridi legati da un legame *O*-glicosidico



Lattosio (forma β)

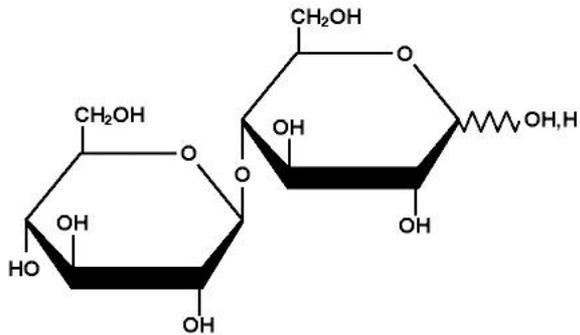
β -D-galattopiranosil-(1 \rightarrow 4)- β -D-glucopiranosio
Gal(β 1 \rightarrow 4)Glc



Saccarosio

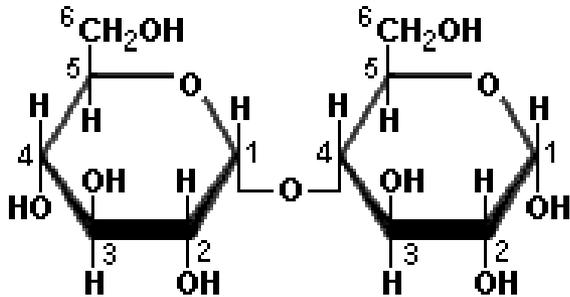
β -D-fruttofuranosil α -D-glucopiranoside
Fru(2 β \leftrightarrow 1 α)Glc \equiv Glc(1 α \leftrightarrow 2 β)Fru

DISACCARIDI



Cellobiosio:

β -D-glucopiranosil-(1→4)- β -D-glucopiranosio



Maltosio:

α -D-glucopiranosil-(1→4)- β -D-glucopiranosio

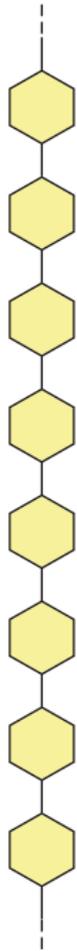
POLISACCARIDI

- 1) forma di riserva di monosaccaridi (amido e glicogeno)
- 2) elementi strutturali nelle pareti cellulari e nei tessuti connettivi

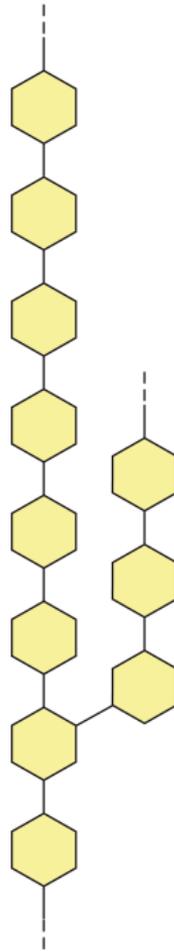
A seconda dei monosaccaridi che li costituiscono si dividono in:
omopolisaccaridi ed eteropolisaccaridi

Omopolisaccaridi

Non ramificato



Ramificato

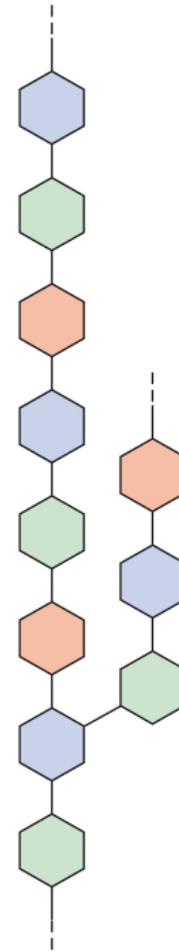


Eteropolisaccaridi

Due tipi
di monomeri
non ramificati



Diversi tipi
di monomeri
ramificati



POLISACCARIDI DI RISERVA

sono presenti nelle cellule sotto forma di granuli. Sono molecole fortemente idratate

AMIDO

costituito da amilosio e amilopectina

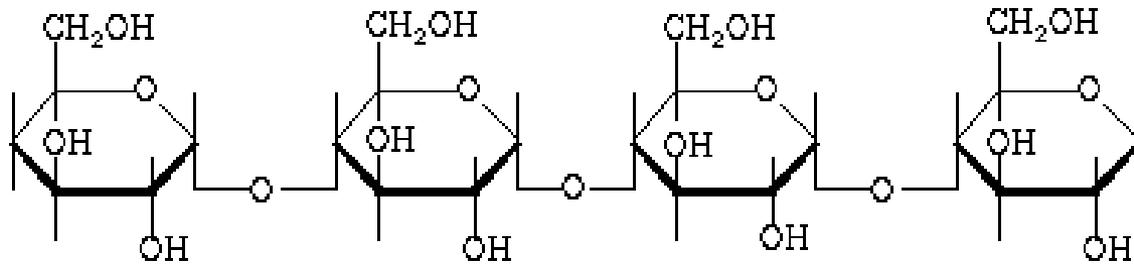
amilosio: lunghe catene di D-glucosio legate da legami $\alpha(1-4)$. Il peso molecolare varia da poche migliaia a 500000.

amilopectina: catene di D-glucosio legate da legami $\alpha(1-4)$ e ramificazioni $\alpha(1-6)$ ogni 23-30 residui. Il peso molecolare è più elevato di quello dell'amilosio.

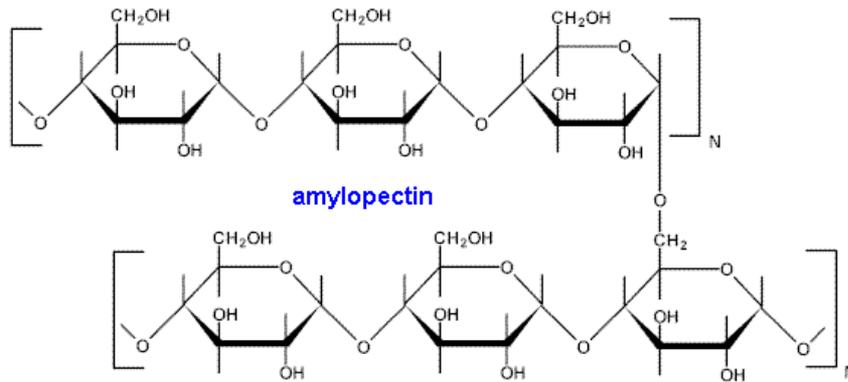
GLICOGENO

E' simile all'amilopectina, ma è molto più ramificato, circa ogni 8-12 residui. E' molto abbondante nel fegato e nel muscolo scheletrico.

Perchè il glucosio non viene conservato tal quale?

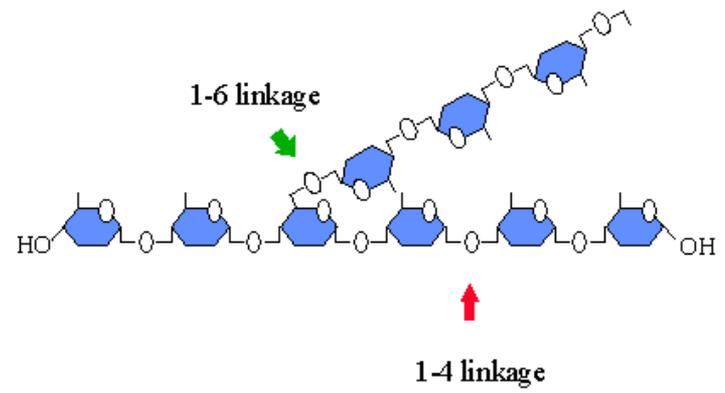


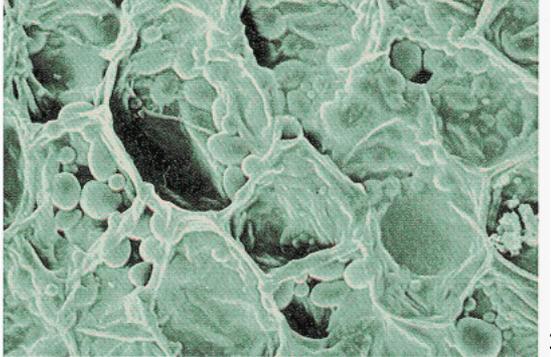
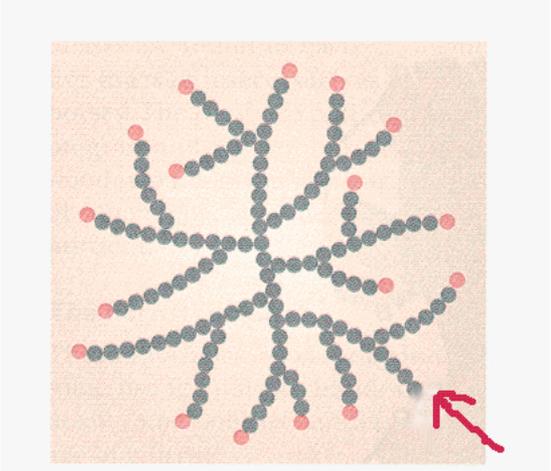
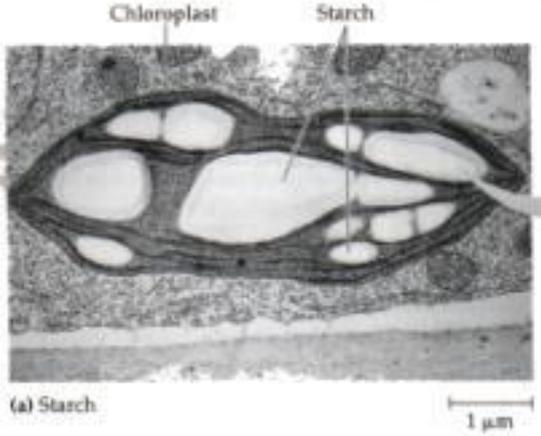
amilosio



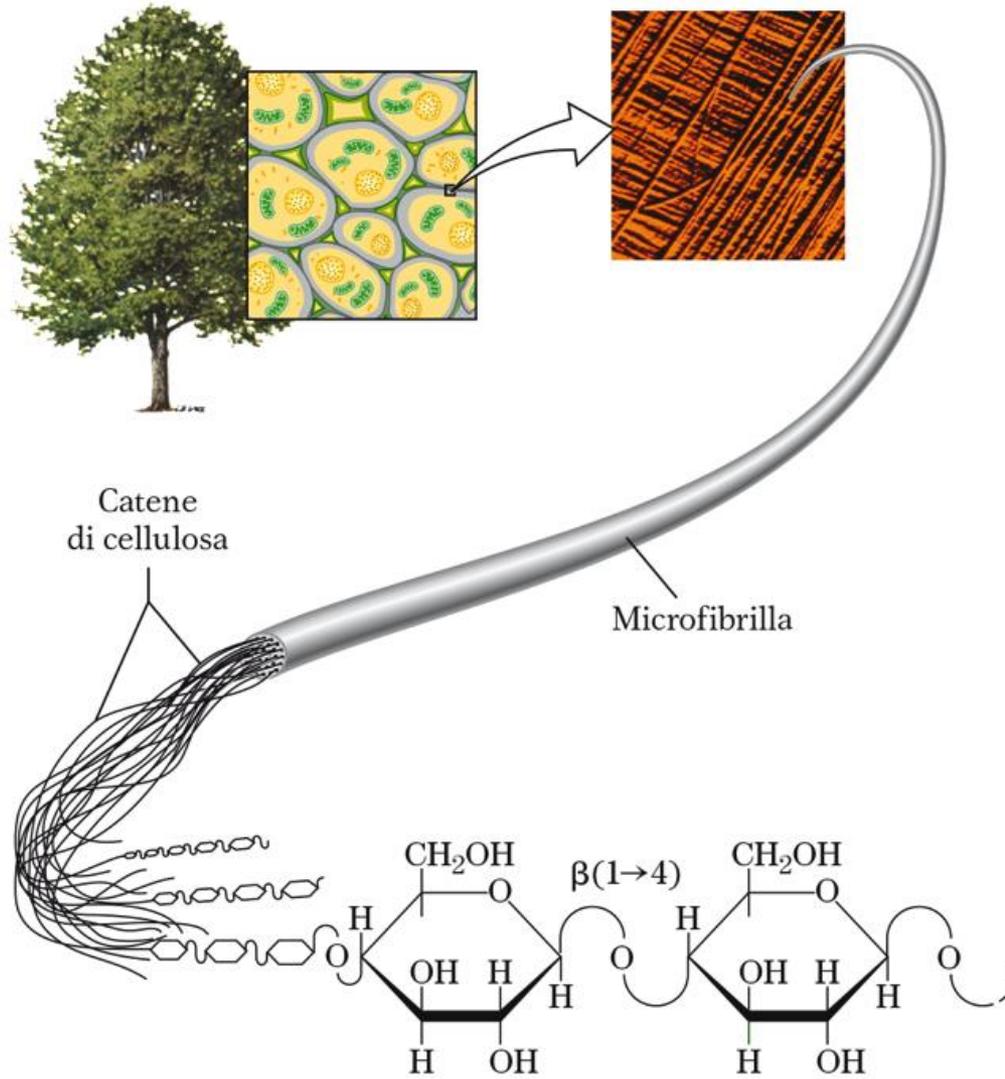
amylopectin

amilopectina



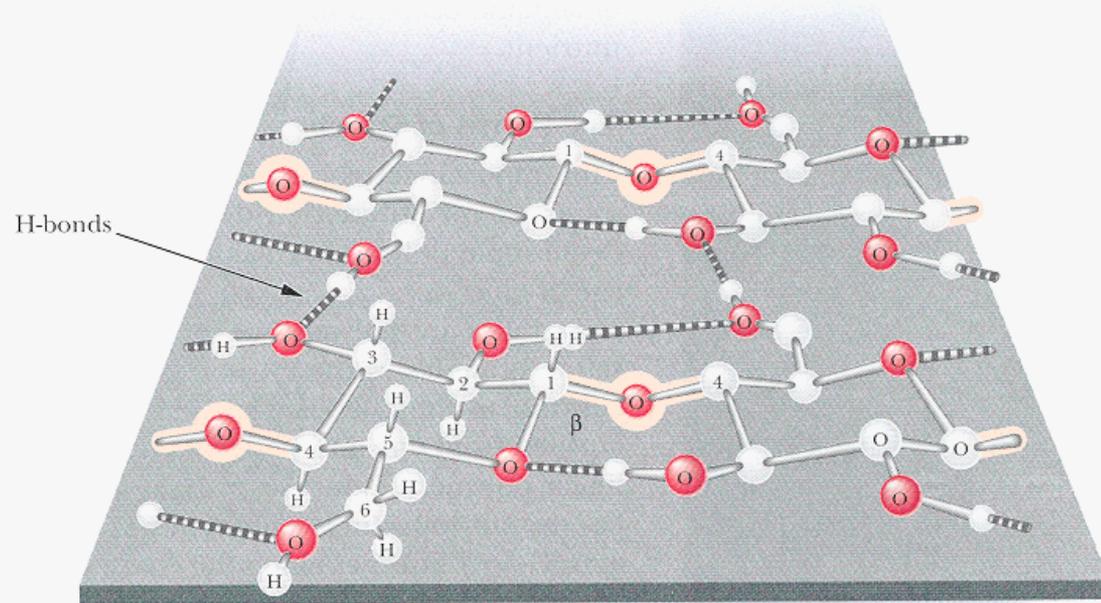
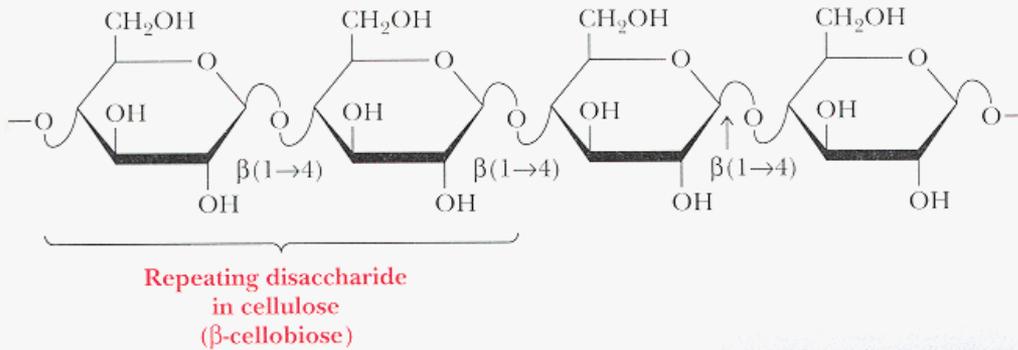


Microfibrille di cellulosa
della parete
delle cellule vegetali



CELLULOSA

presente nella parete cellulare delle piante. Sostanza fibrosa, resistente e insolubile, costituita da unità di D-glucosio legate con legame $\beta(1-4)$.



PARETE CELLULARE BATTERICA

La parete cellulare è costituita da catene polisaccaridiche lunghe e parallele, legate una all'altra da corte catene peptidiche

Le catene polisaccaridiche contengono:

N-acetil-D-glucosammina e acido N-acetil murammico

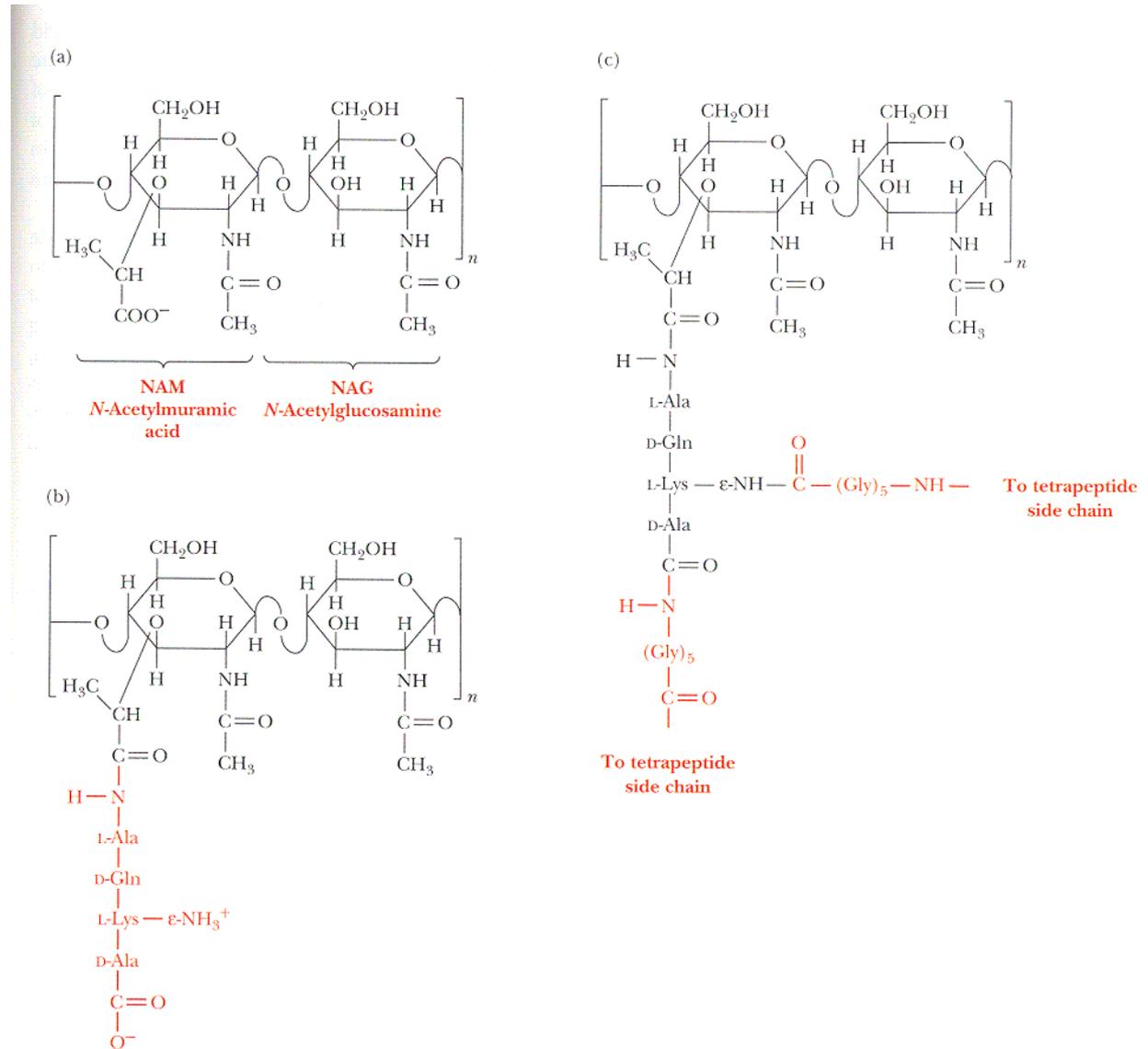
Questa struttura si chiama peptidoglicano. Esso è continuo intorno alla cellula batterica. Conferisce protezione alla cellula batterica.

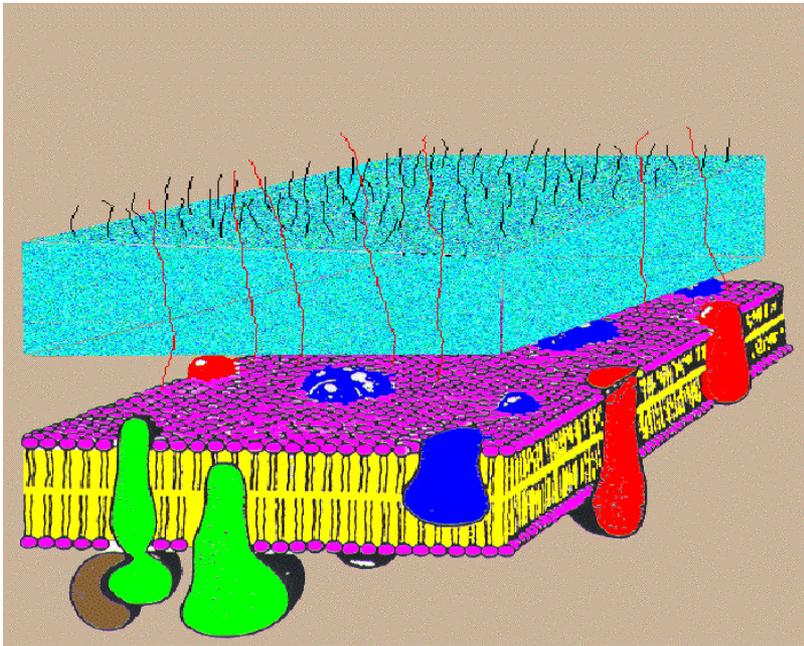
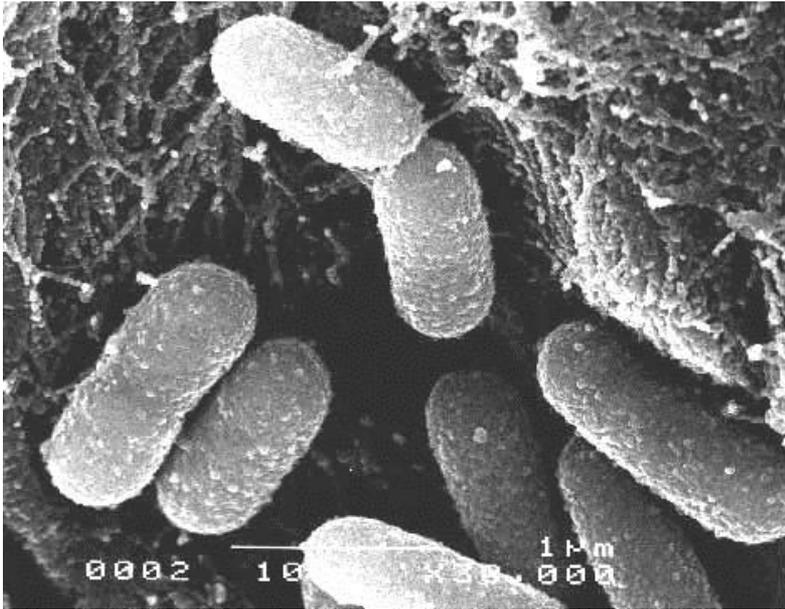
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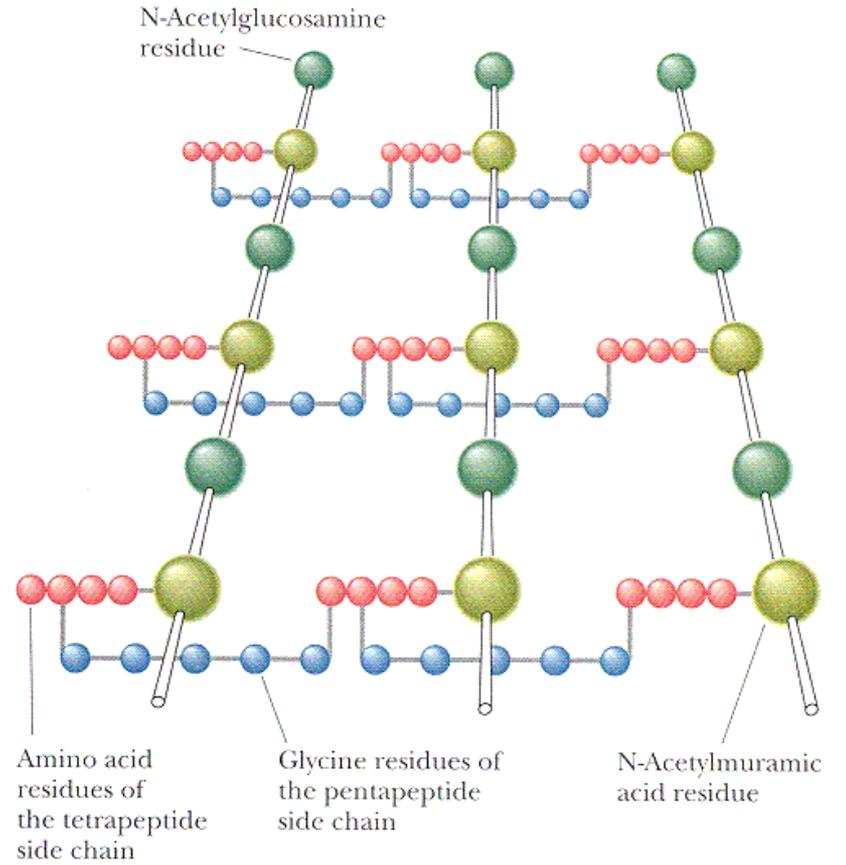
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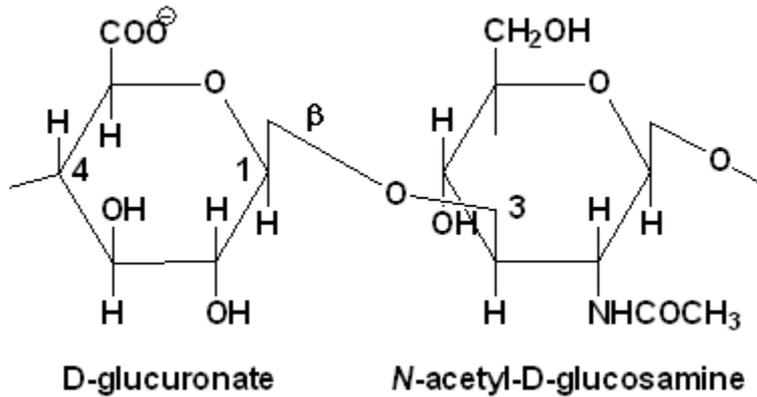


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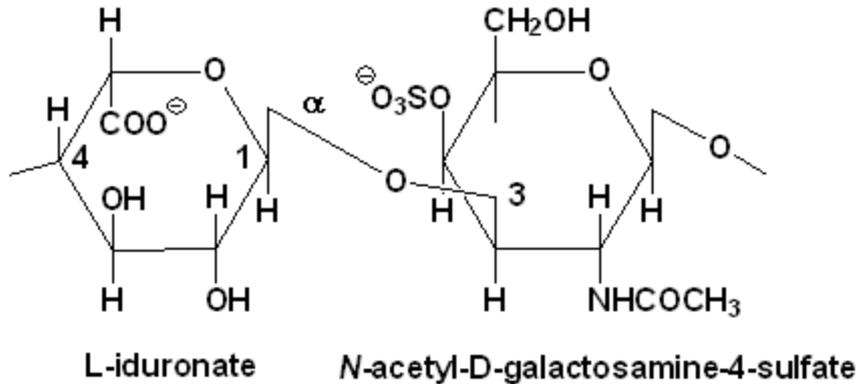


ETEROPOLISACCARIDI

GLICOSAMMINOGLICANI



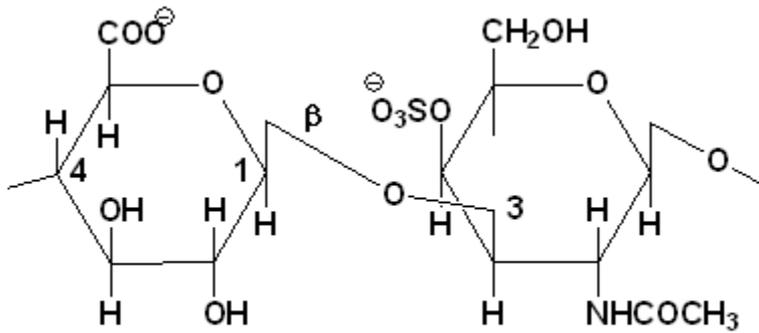
IALURONATO:
D-GlcA + GlcNAc
legame β (1, 4)



DERMATAN SOLFATO:
L-IduA (presenza di S) + GalNAc-4-sulfate
legame β (1, 4)

CONDROITINA 4 O 6 SOLFATO :

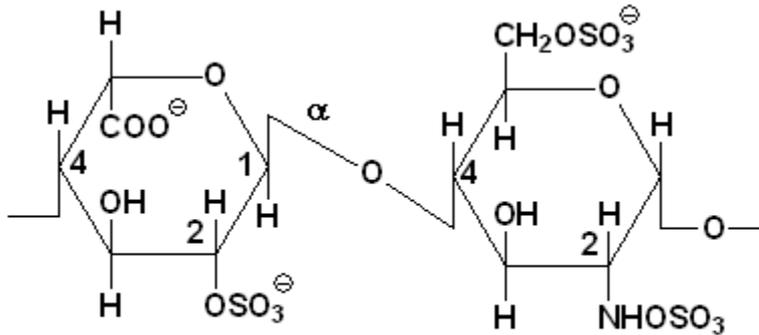
D-GlcA + GalNAc-4- o 6-sulfate
legame $\beta(1, 4)$



D-glucuronate N-acetyl-D-glactosamine-4-sulfate

EPARINA E EPARAN SOLFATO:

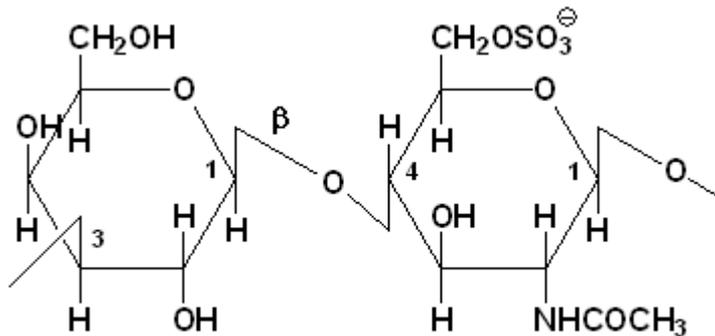
L-Idu-sulfate (D-GlcA-2-sulfate) + N-sulfo-D-GlcNe-6-S
legame $\alpha(1, 4)$
(heparans have less sulfate than heparins)



L-iduronate-2-sulfate N-sulfo-D-glucosamine-6-sulfate

CHERATAN SOLFATO:

Gal + GlcNAc-6-S
legame $\beta(1, 3)$



D-galactose N-acetyl-D-glucosamine-6-sulfate

CARATTERISTICHE DEI GAG

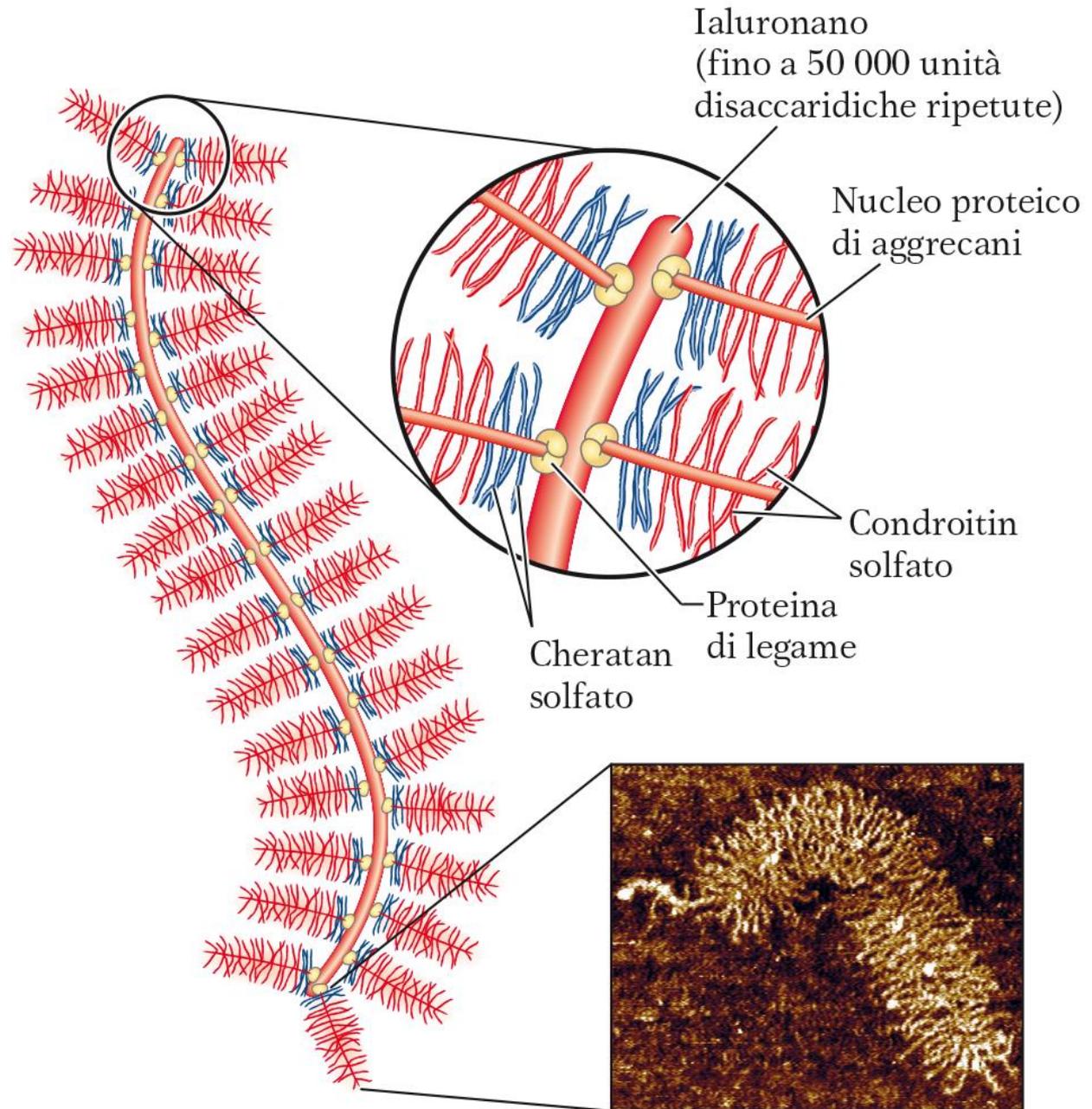
GAG	Localizzazione	Commenti
Ialuronato	Liquido sinoviale, umor vitreo, matrice extracellulare tessuto connettivo molle	Polimero ad alto MW, resistente alla compressione
Condroitin solfato	Cartilagine, osso, valvole cardiache	GAG più abbondante
Eparan solfato	Membrana basale, superficie cellulare	
Eparina	Componente dei granuli intracellulari dei mastociti che si trovano nelle arterie dei polmoni, fegato e pelle	Più solfato dell'eparan solfato
Dermatan solfato	Pelle, vasi sanguigni, valvole cardiache	
Cheratan solfato	Cornea, osso, cartilagine	

PROTEOGLICANI

- Macromolecole della superficie cellulare e della matrice extracellulare
- Sono costituiti da una proteina a cui sono legati i GAG
- Forniscono un punto di adesione, di riconoscimento e di informazione tra le cellule, o tra le cellule e la matrice extracellulare.
- La secrezione di alcuni proteoglicani è coinvolta nella proliferazione e nel differenziamento cellulare.
- Possono legare molecole segnale extracellulari e quindi aumentare la loro concentrazione locale, rinforzando il legame di queste molecole segnale con i recettori cellulari.

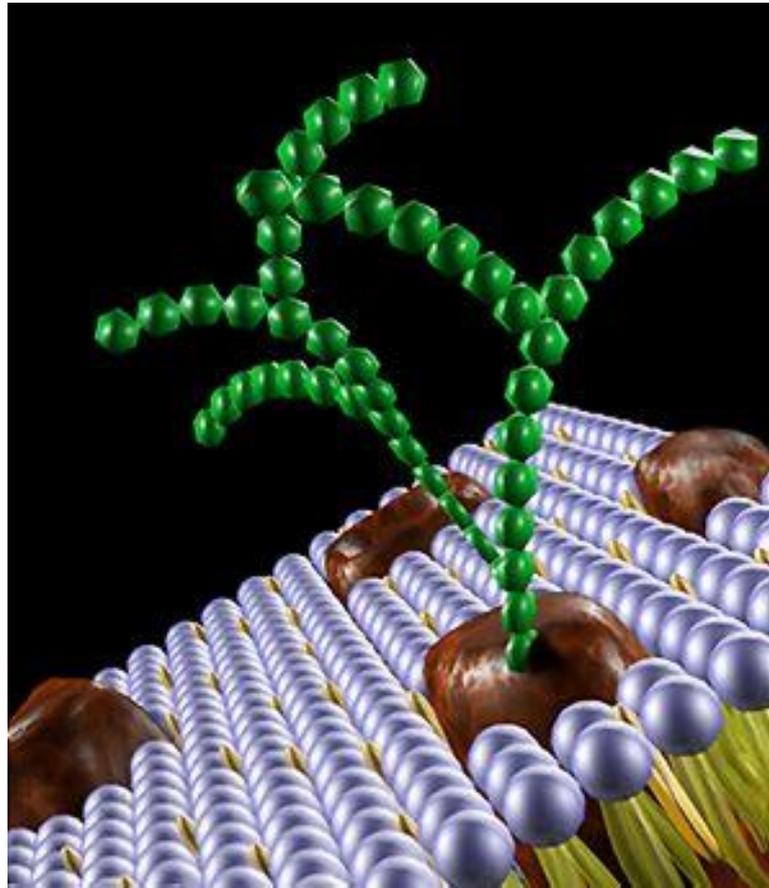
AGGREGANO:

un proteoglicano che contiene condroitin solfato. Forma complessi con lo ialuronano. E' il principale componente della cartilagine articolare.



GLICOPROTEINE

proteine che hanno legati covalentemente monosaccaridi od oligosaccaridi. Quasi tutte si trovano sulla superficie esterna delle cellule animali. La maggior parte delle proteine che vengono secrete sono glicoproteine.



Esempi di glicoproteine: proteine della superficie cellulare, proteine extracellulari, proteine secrete (mucine, anticorpi, lattalbumina), molte proteine dei lisosomi.

I monosaccaridi possono dar luogo a una varietà enorme di strutture di oligosaccaridi.

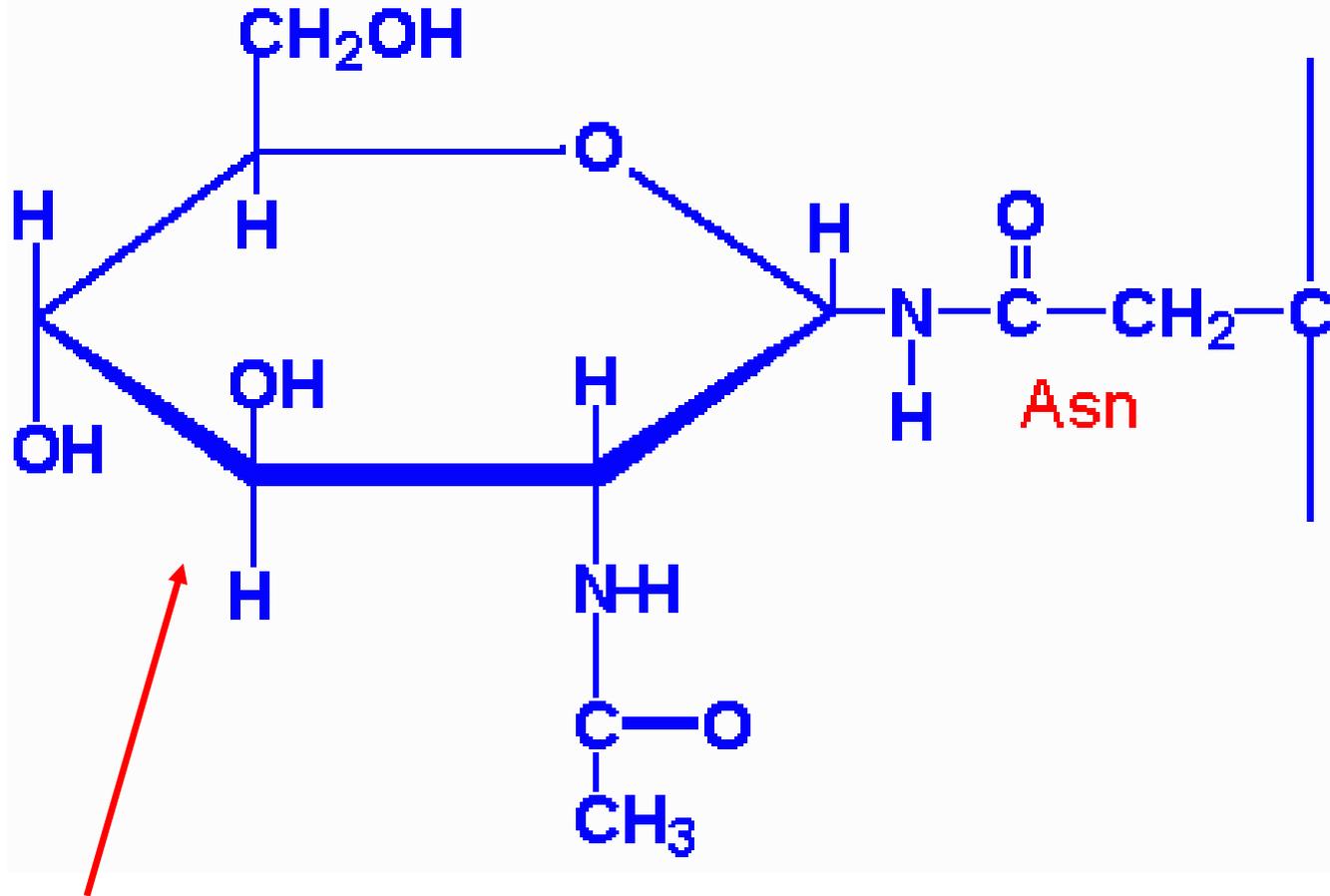
FUNZIONI

Gli oligosaccaridi delle glicoproteine:

- influenzano il ripiegamento e la stabilità delle proteine;
- sono etichette di riconoscimento per la destinazione delle proteine;
- sono siti di riconoscimento specifico per proteine chiamate **LECTINE**;
- sono siti di riconoscimento per batteri, virus e alcuni parassiti.

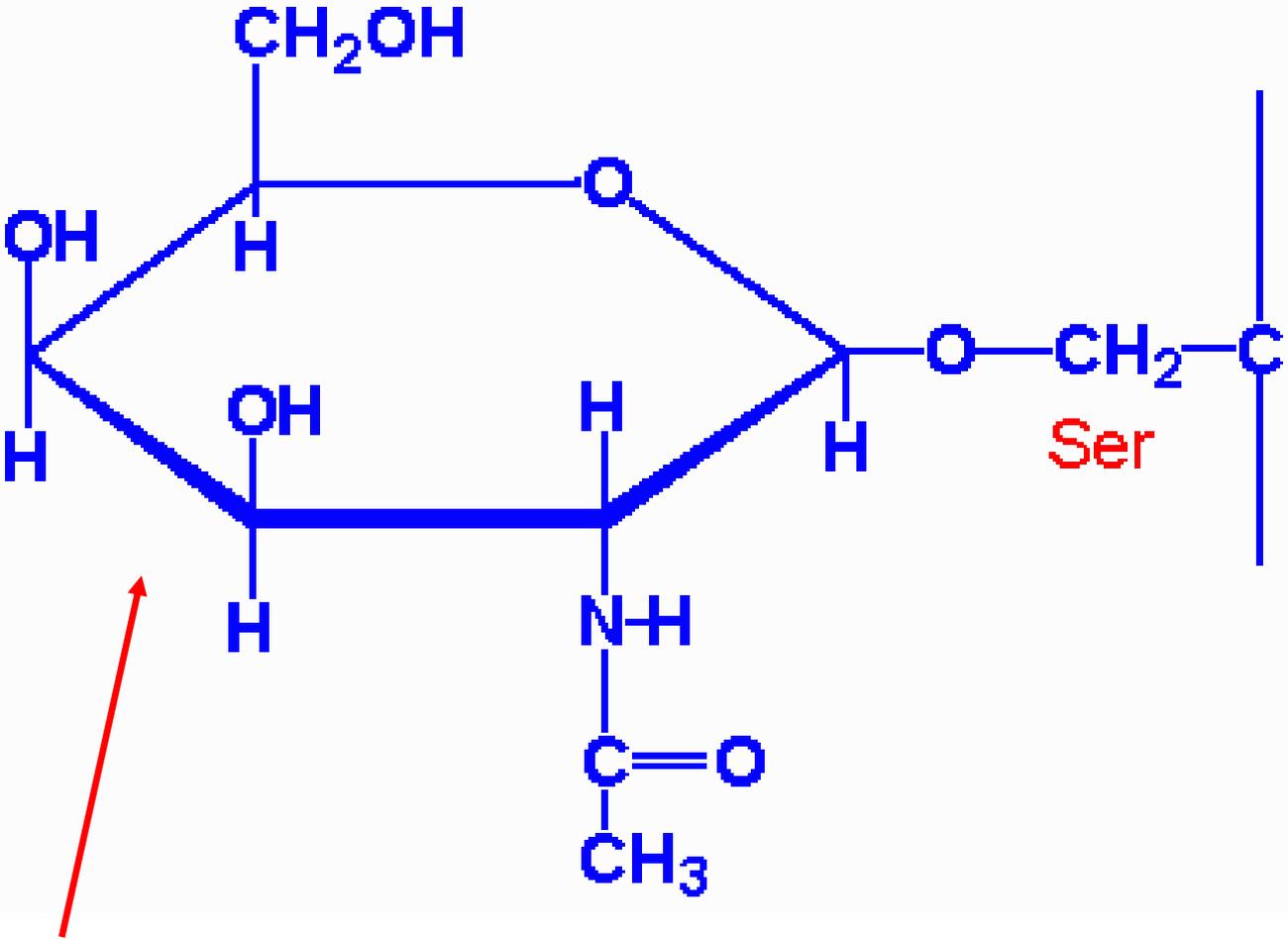
Le lectine si trovano sulla superficie esterna delle cellule e prendono parte ai processi di interazione con altre cellule.

Legame N-glicosidico sulla catena laterale della asparagina



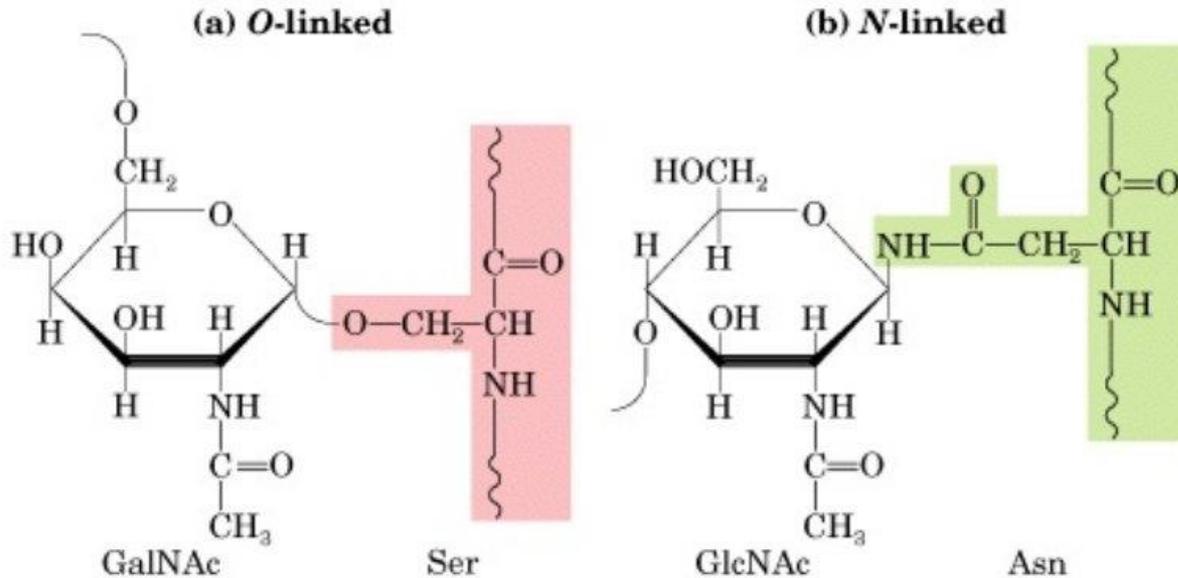
2-N-Acetilglucosammina

Legame O-glicosidico sulla catena laterale della serina

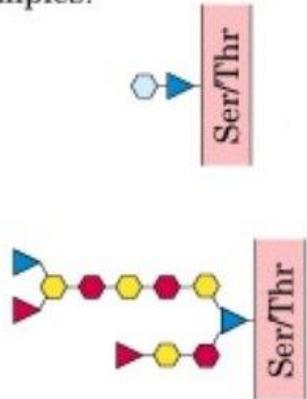


2-N-Acetilgalattosammina

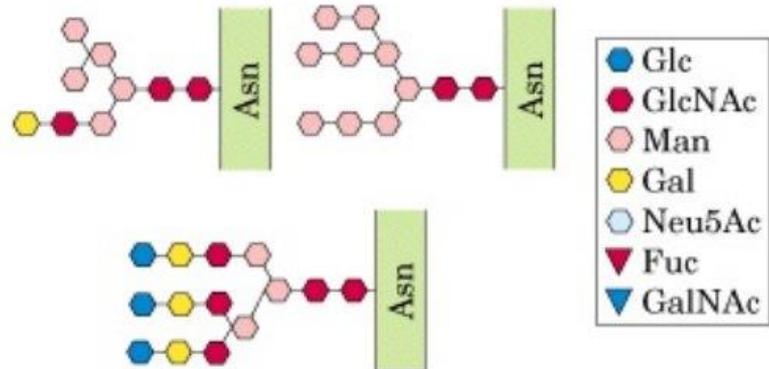
N & O glycoproteins



Examples:



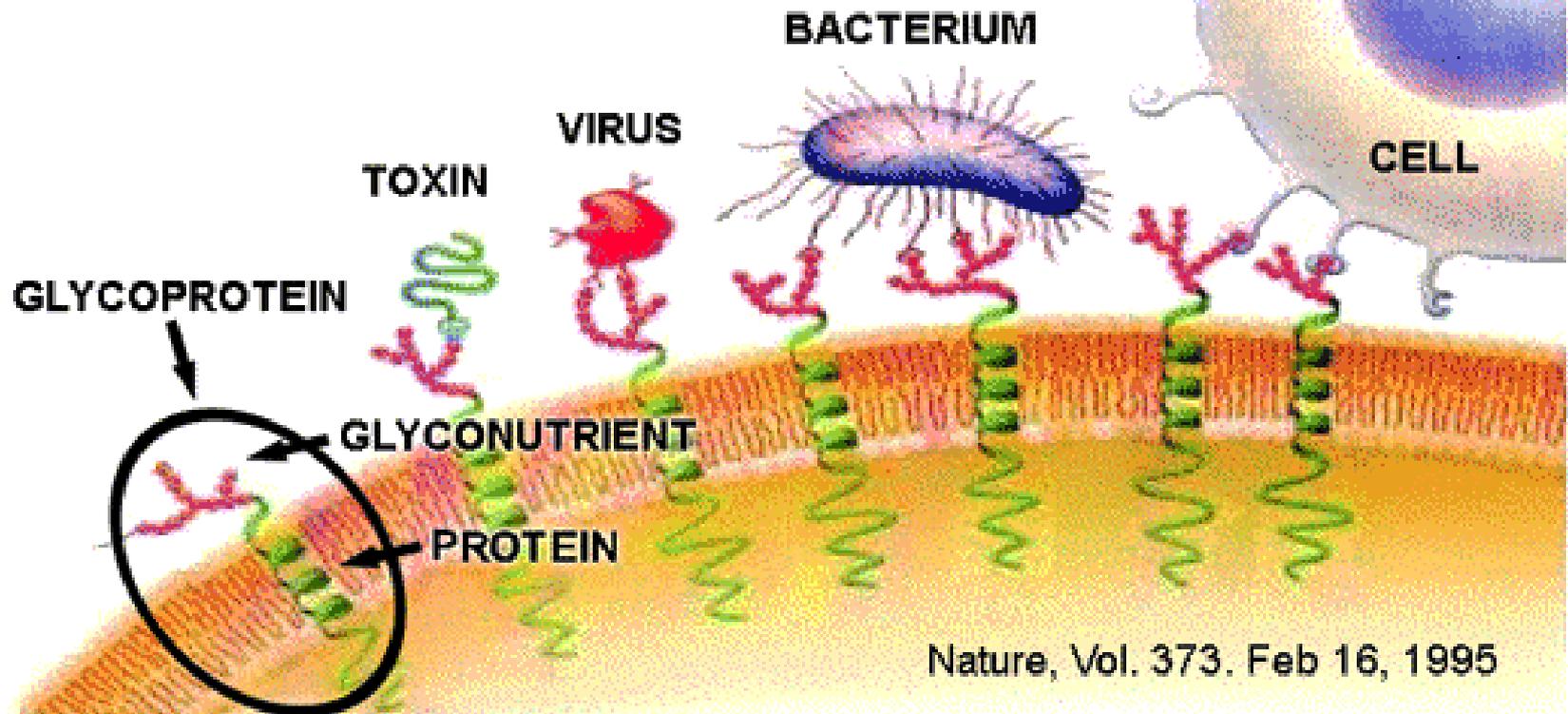
Examples:



- Glc
- GlcNAc
- Man
- Gal
- Neu5Ac
- ▼ Fuc
- ▼ GalNAc

Glycoprotein Cell Receptors

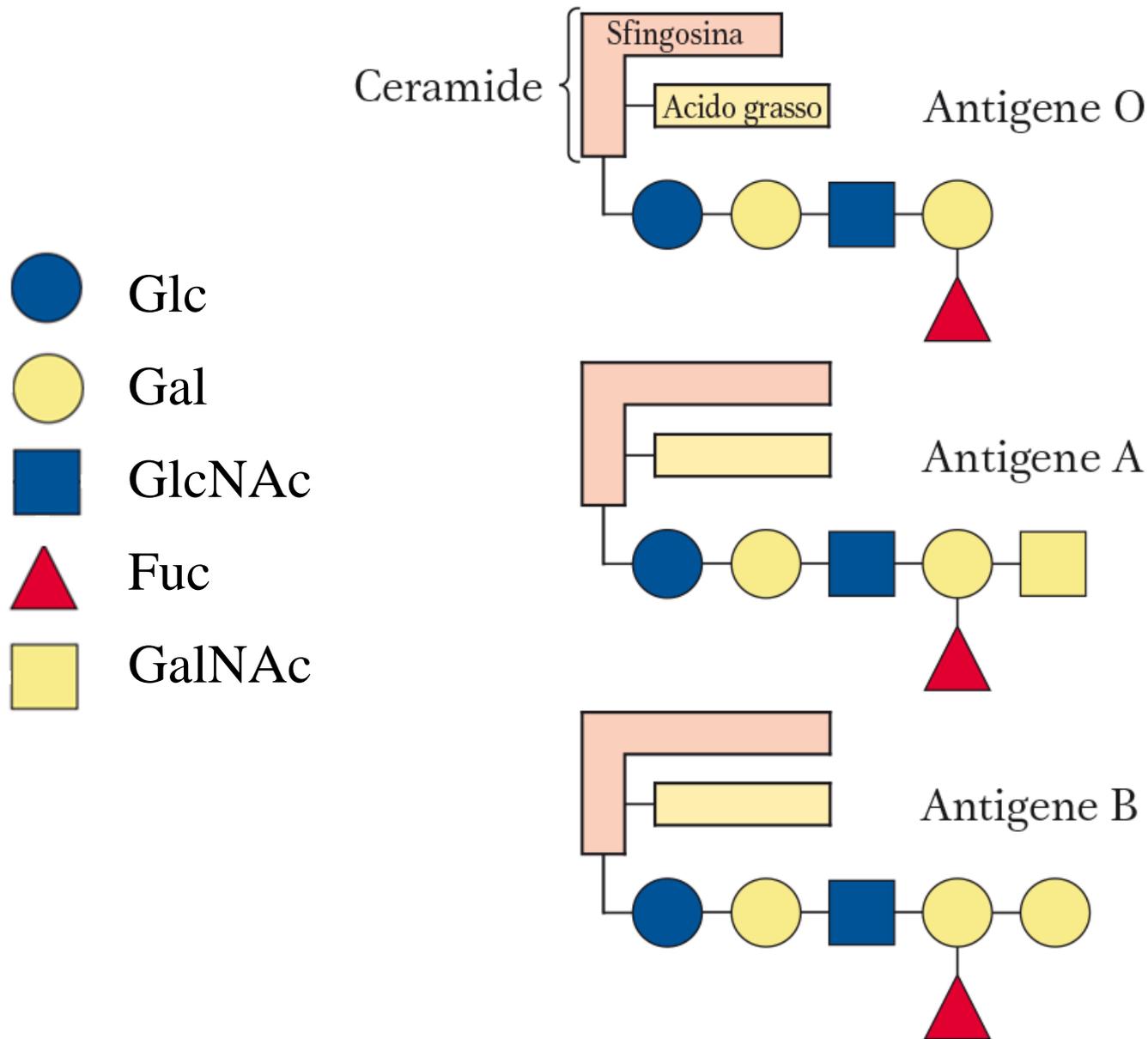
Surface carbohydrates on cells serve as points of attachment for other cells, infectious bacteria, viruses, toxins, hormones and many other molecules.



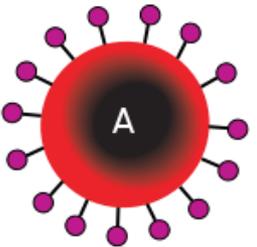
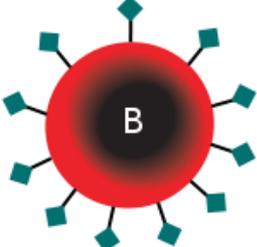
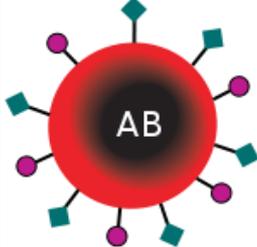
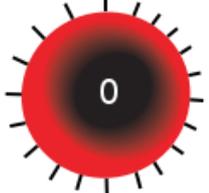
ANTIGENI DEI GRUPPI SANGUIGNI UMANI

Le proteine sulla superficie degli eritrociti sono glicosilate e la parte saccaridica è responsabile della distinzione tra i gruppi sanguigni. Esistono 4 gruppi nell'uomo: A, B, AB e 0

ANTIGENI DEI GRUPPI SANGUIGNI UMANI



ANTIGENI DEI GRUPPI SANGUIGNI UMANI

	Gruppo A	Gruppo B	Gruppo AB	Gruppo 0
Tipi di GLOBULI ROSSI				
Anticorpi presenti	 Anti-B	 Anti-A	Nessuno	 Anti-A e Anti-B
Antigeni presenti	 A	 B	 A e B	Nessuno