

# Amino Acids — Last Lecture



Note Title

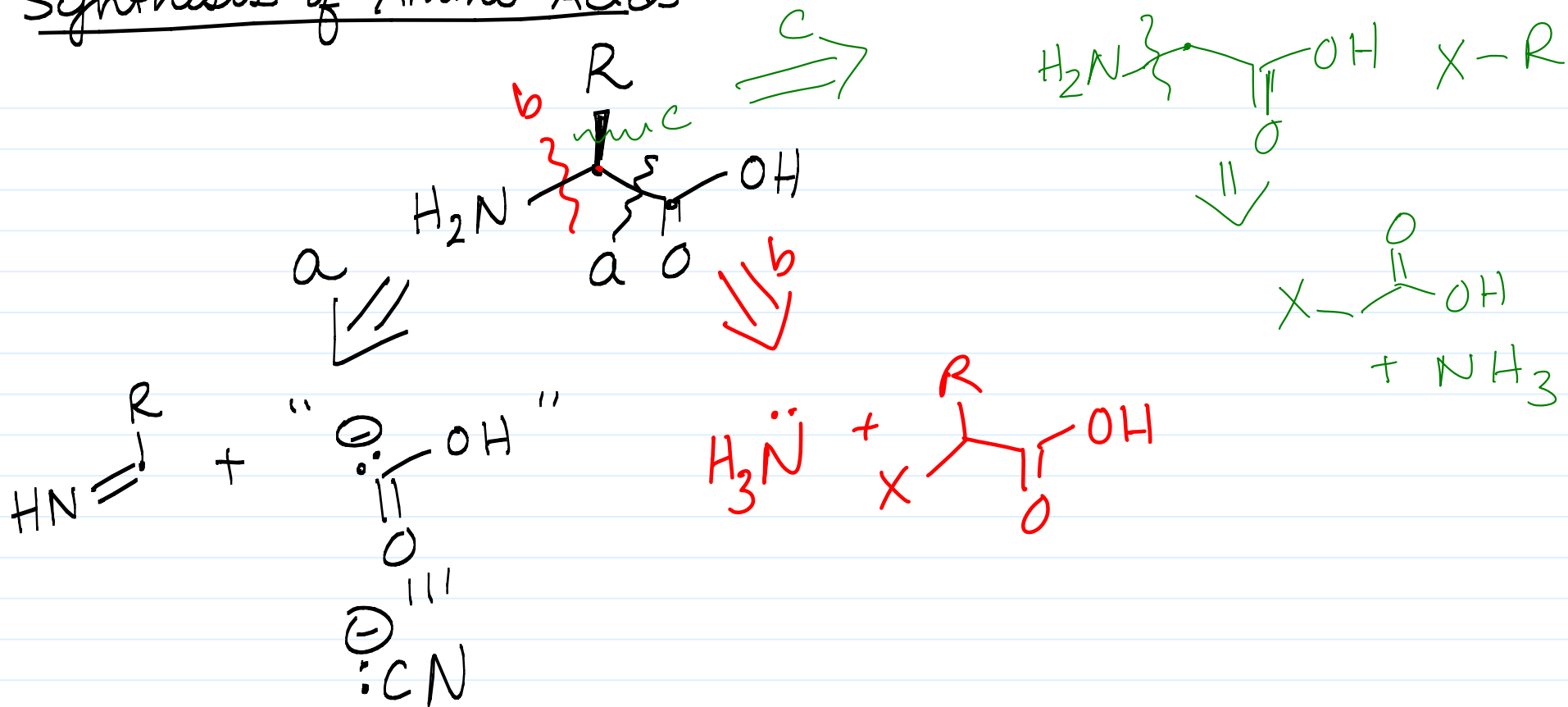
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## Announcements:

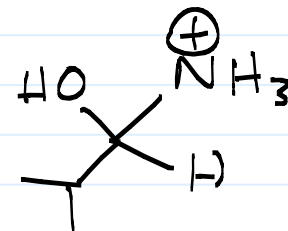
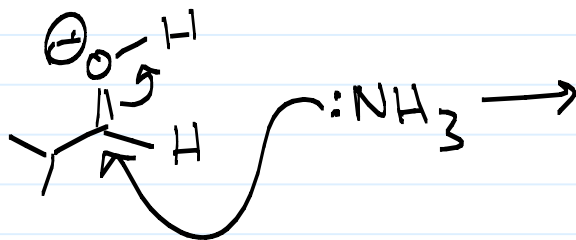
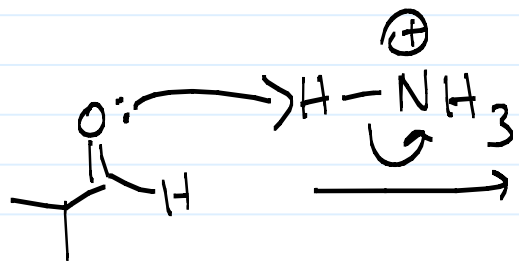
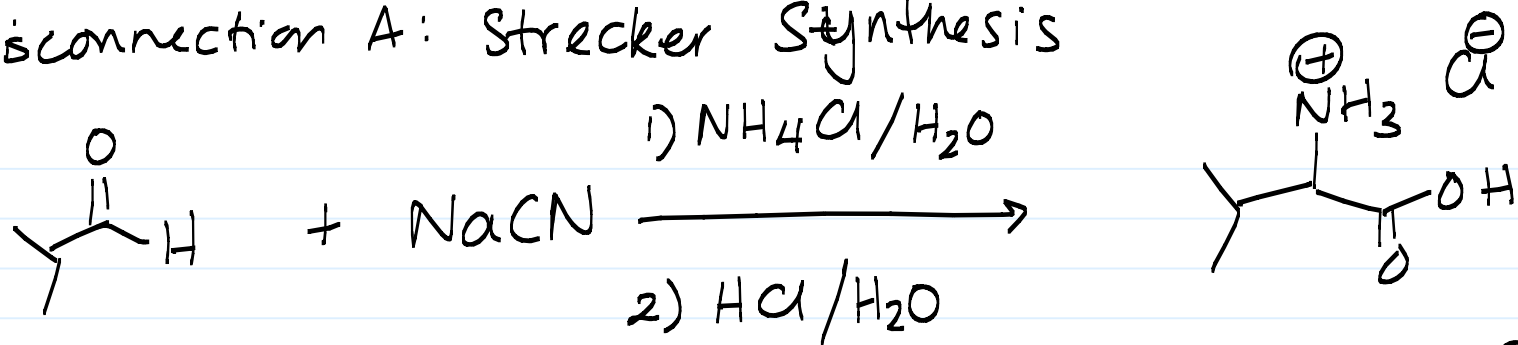
- (1) Please fill out course evaluations + Discussion section evaluations.
- (2) VMA's : TODAY , 5-7 pm, 130 Sharp Lab
- (3) Final Exam: Wed, 5/28 7-10 pm  
Room: TBA
- (4) Extra Office Hours/Review Sessions:

Tues, 5/20	12:30 - 1:30, 205 BRL (Jixin)
	3:30 - 4:30, 220 BRL (Mary)
Thurs, 5/22	10:30 - 11:30, 220 BRL (Mary)
Tues, 5/27	12:30 - 1:30, 205 BRL (Songnan)
	3:30 - 5:00, 319 WHL (Mary, Kelsey)
- (5) Rec Letters?

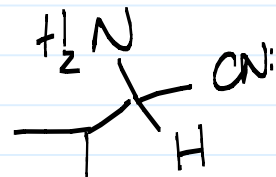
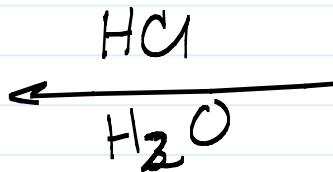
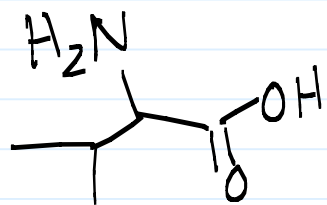
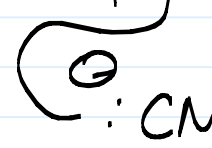
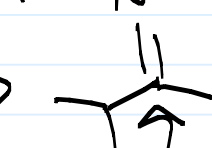
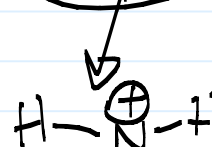
# Synthesis of Amino Acids



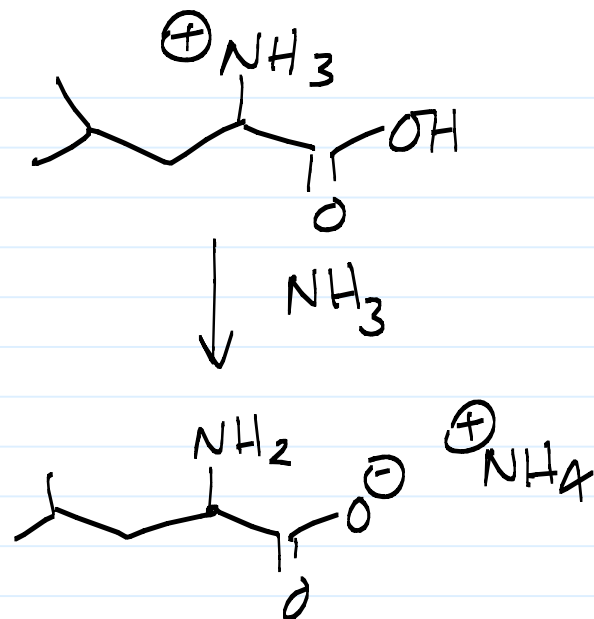
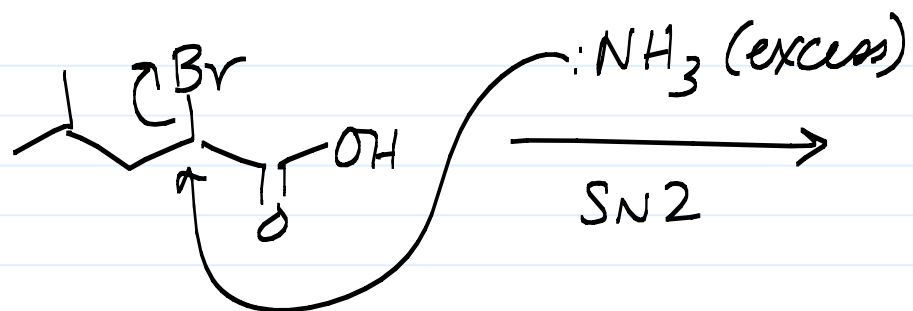
# Disconnection A: Strecker Synthesis



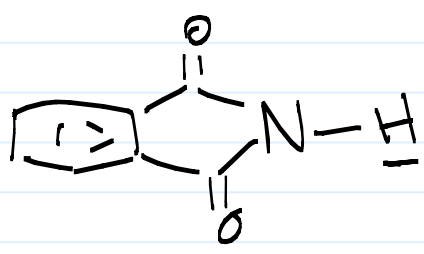
imine



Disconnection B: Alkylation of Ammonia

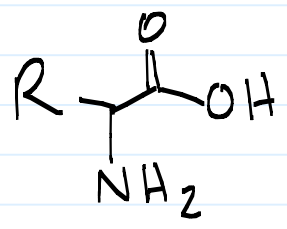
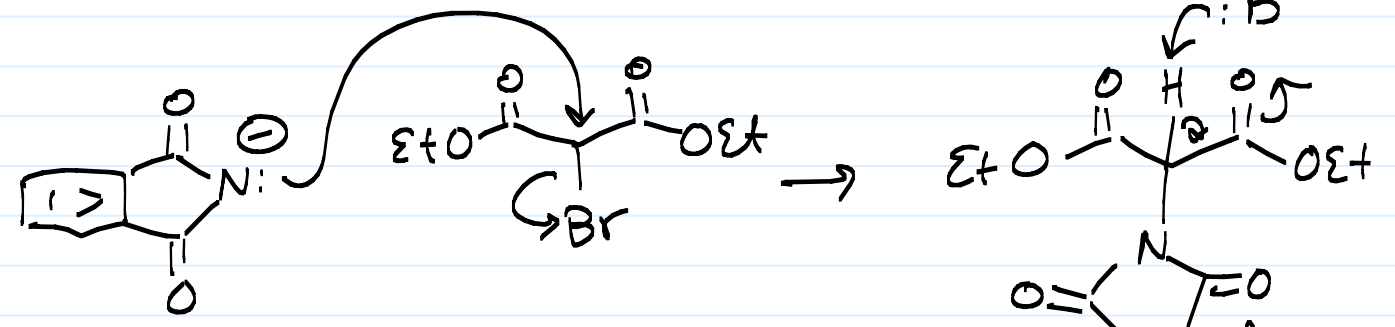
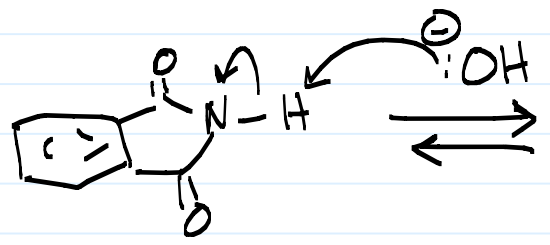
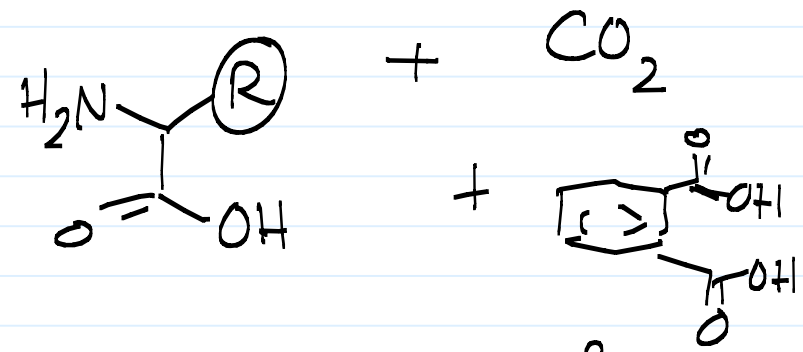


# Disconnection C: Gabriel Malonic Ester Synthesis

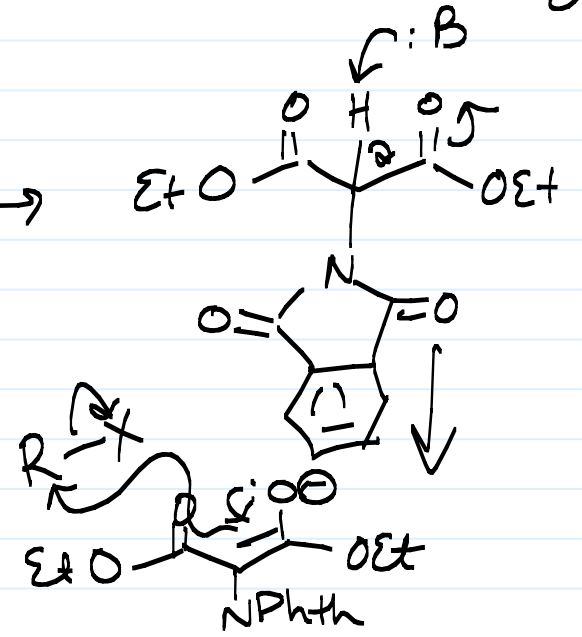
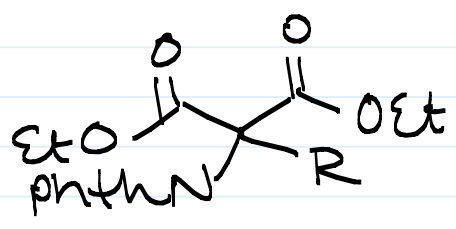


phthalimide  
Phth-NH

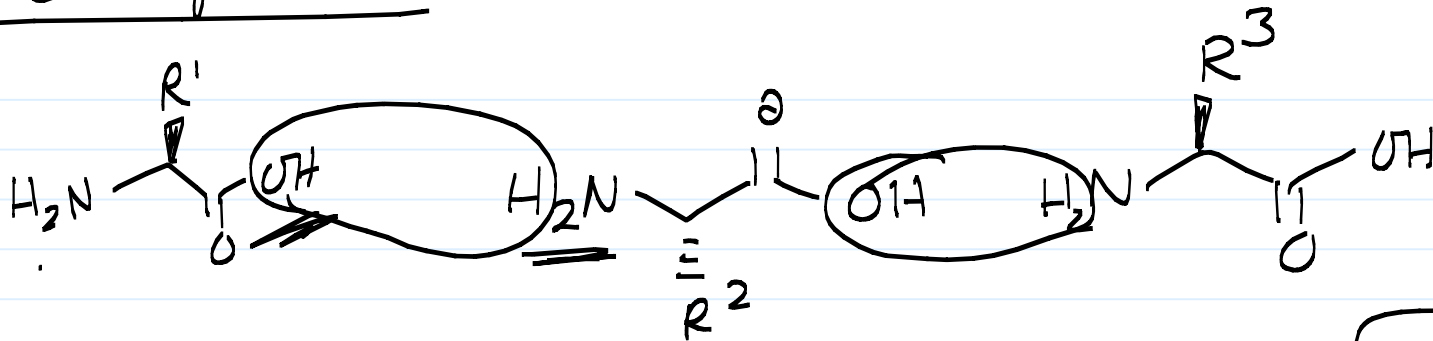
- 1)  $K_2CO_3$ ,  $EtO-C(=O)-CH(Br)-C(=O)-OEt$
- 2)  $K_2CO_3$ ,  $(R)-X$
- 3)  $HCl/H_2O$



$HCl$   
 $\longleftarrow$   
 $H_2O$

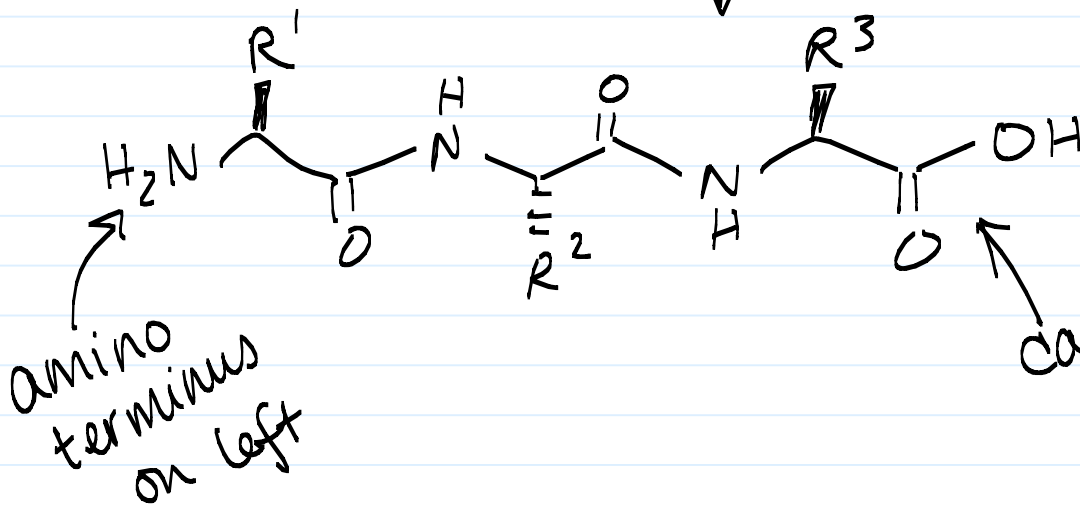


# Peptide Synthesis

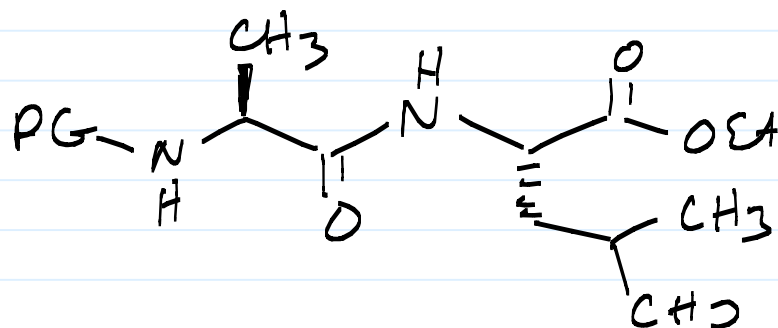
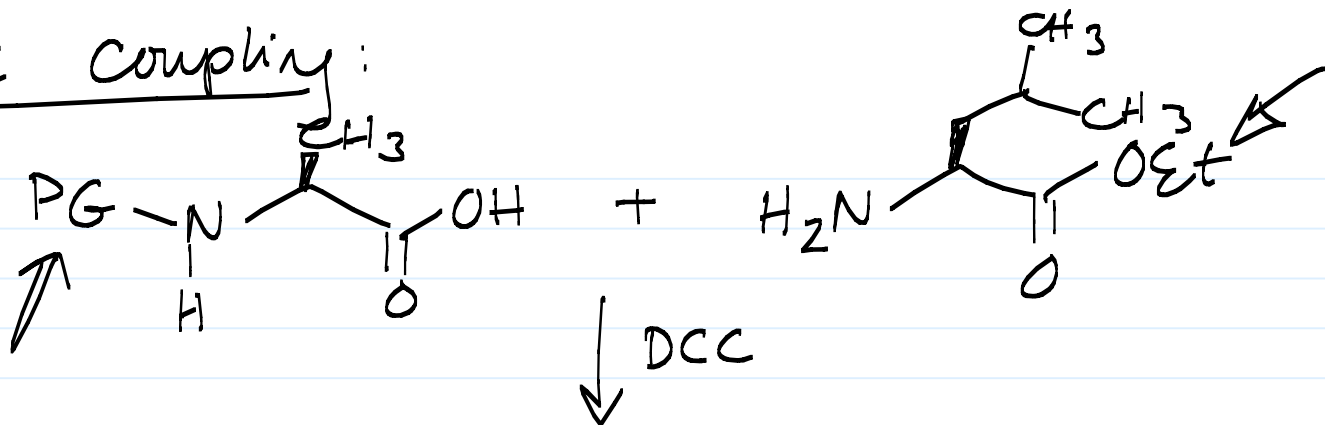


↓ loss of  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  →

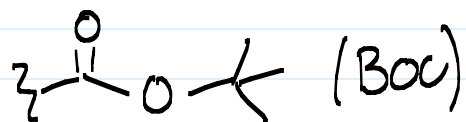
**DCC**



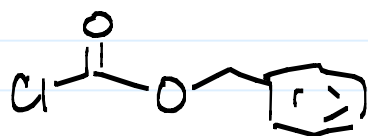
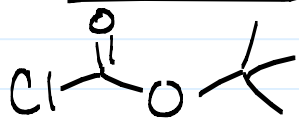
## DCC Coupling:



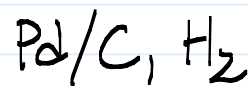
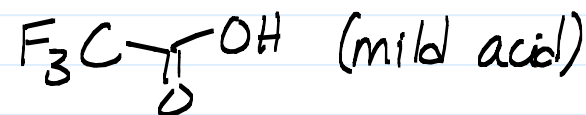
### Protecting Group

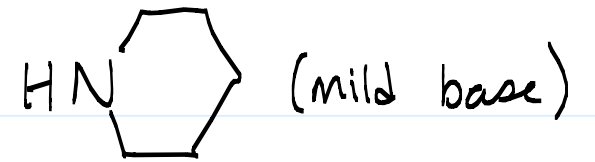
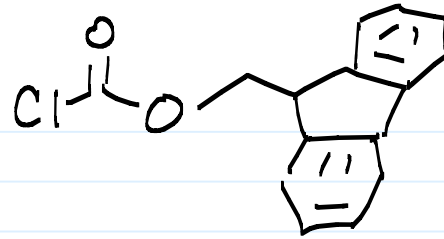
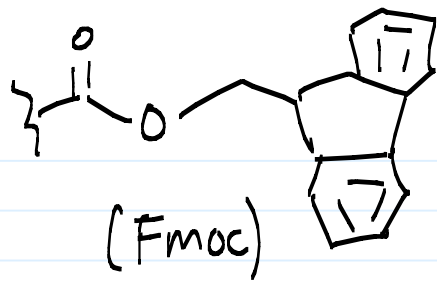


### Protection

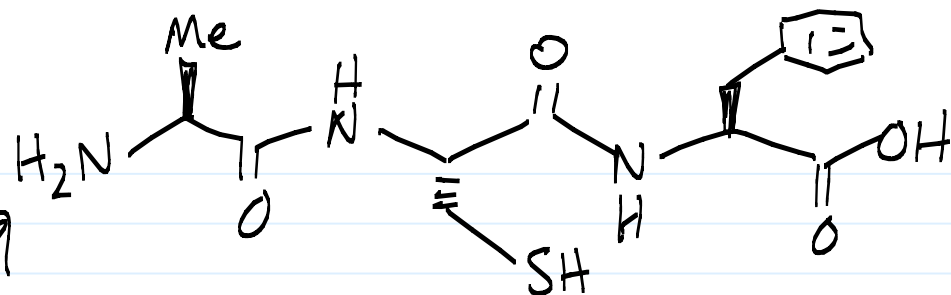


### Deprotection









amino  
terminus  
on left

alanine  
Ala  
A

Cysteine  
Cys  
C

phenylalanine  
Phe  
F

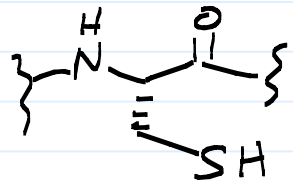
ACF (not FCA)

# Protein Structure

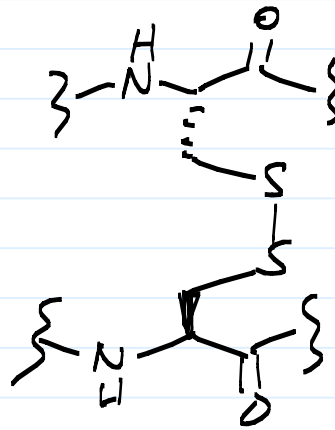
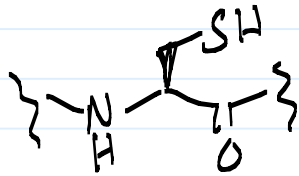
① Primary Structure = Amino Acid Sequence

② Secondary Structure

## Disulfide Bridges



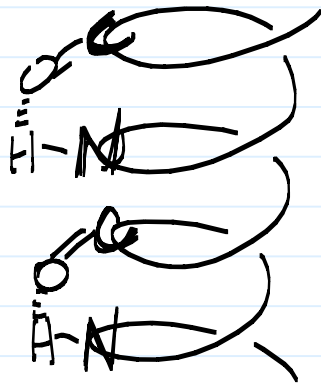
oxidation  
→



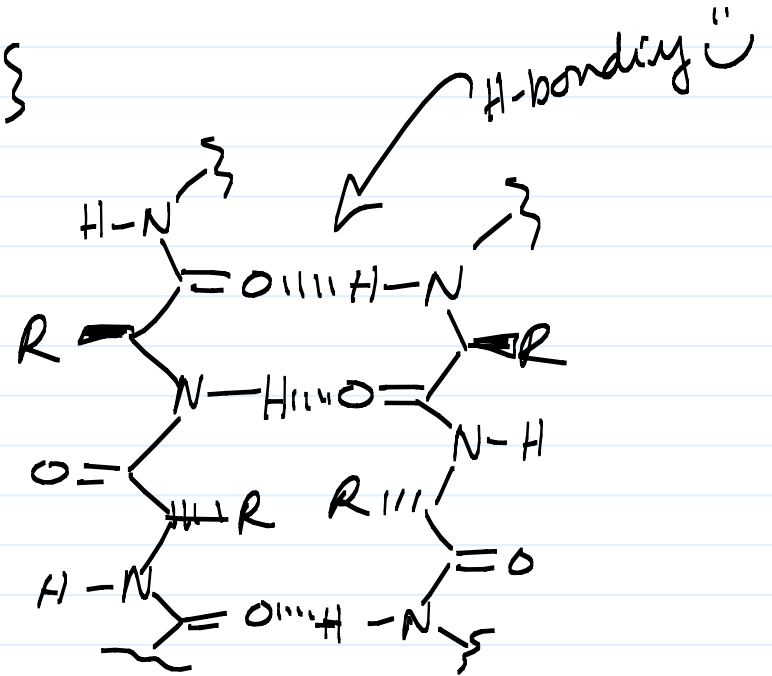
← covalent bond!

## Hydrogen Bonding

α-helix



β-sheet



### ③ Tertiary Structure

Overall topology of Protein

- hydrophobic

- hydrophilic

### ④ Quaternary Structure

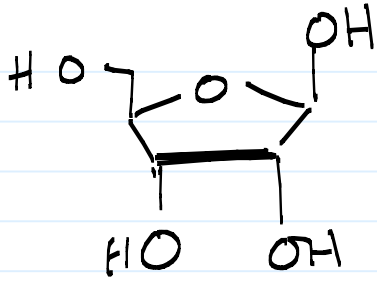
protein/protein interactions

DNA + RNA

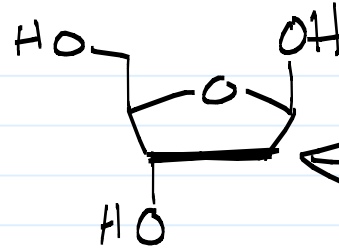
RNA

DNA

Sugar



$\beta$ -ribofuranose

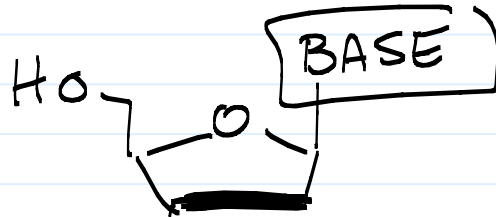


← deoxy!

$\beta$ -2-deoxyribofuranose

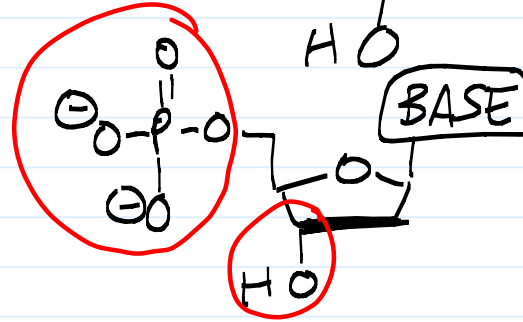
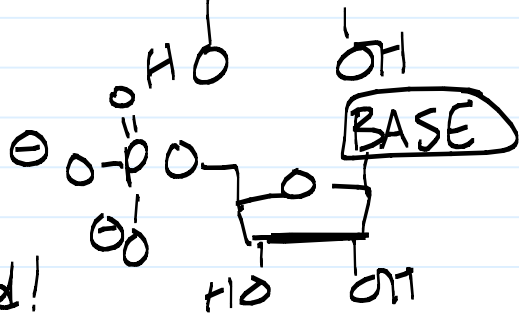
Nucleoside

Add the Base

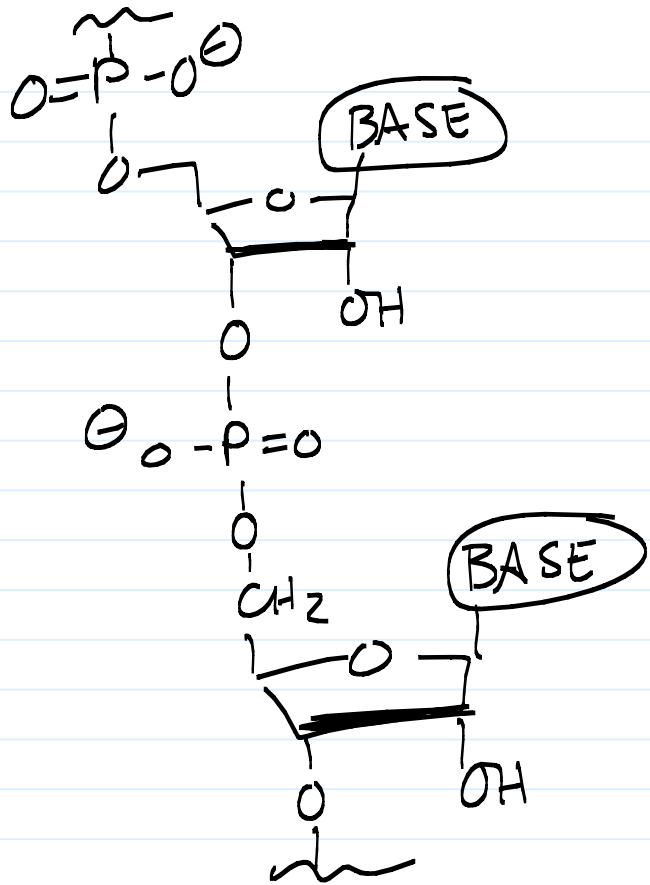


Nucleotide

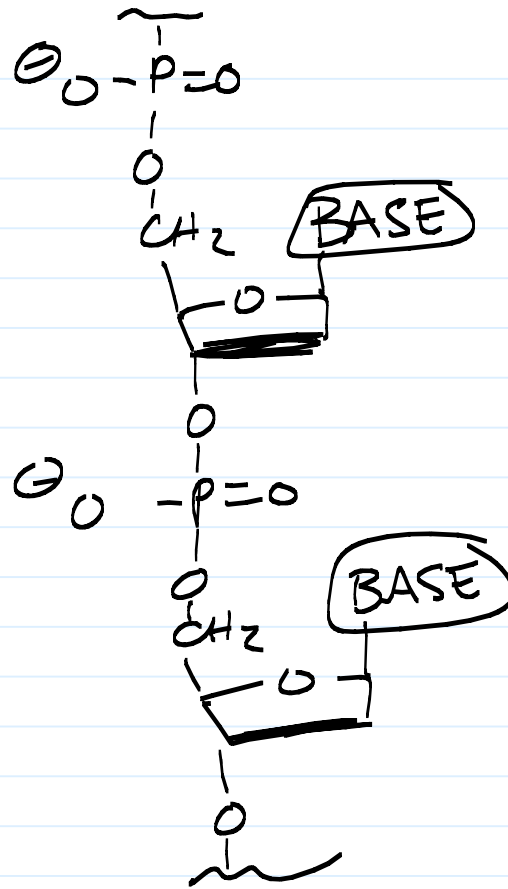
Phosphorylated!



RNA

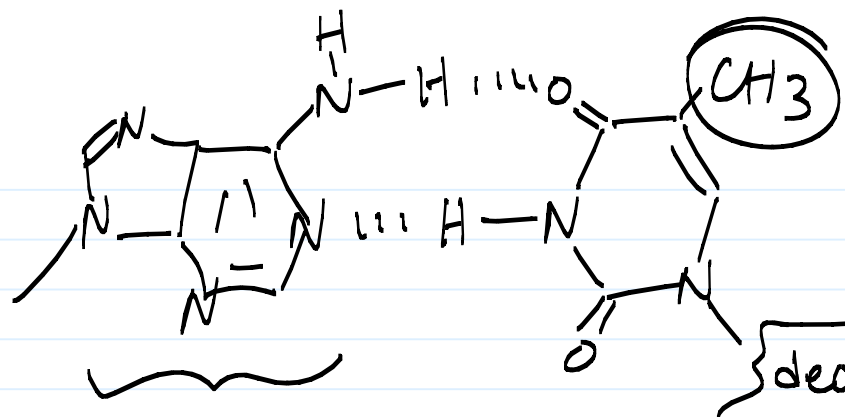


DNA

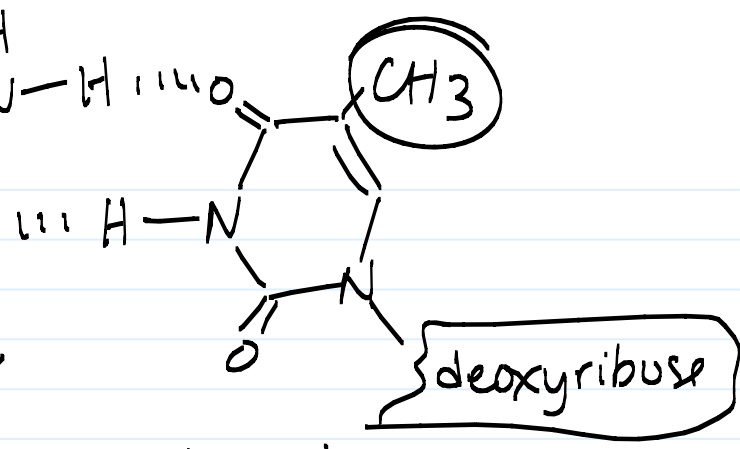


BASES:

deoxyribose

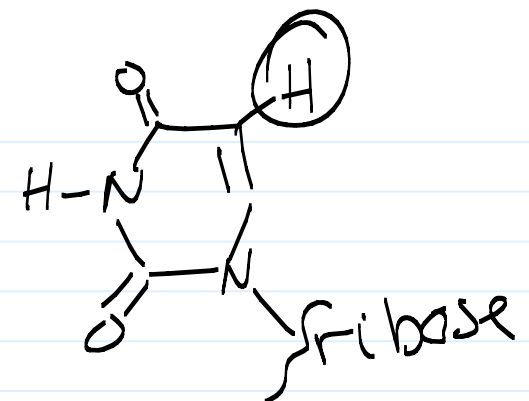


Adenine  
(A)



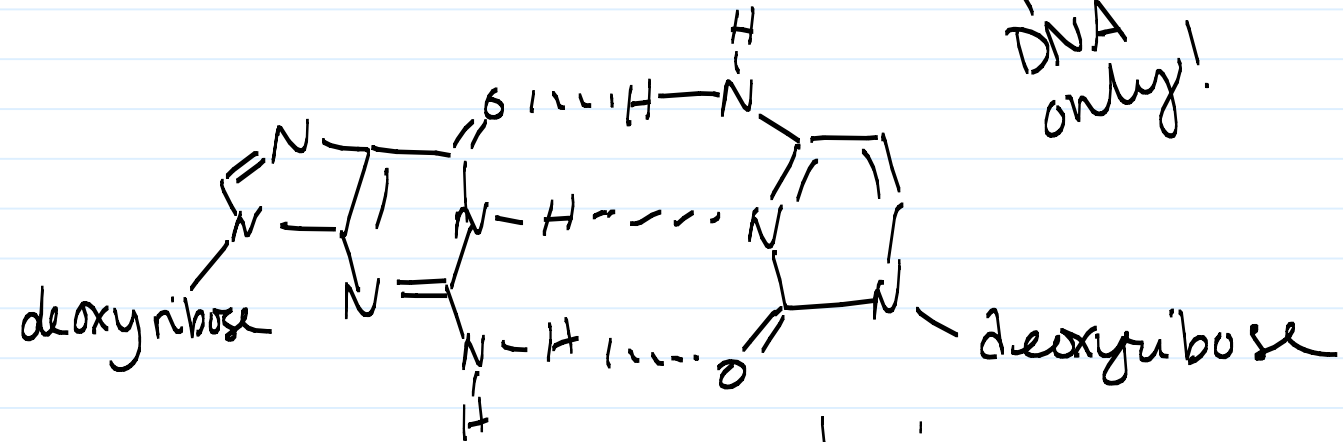
Thymine  
(T)

DNA only!



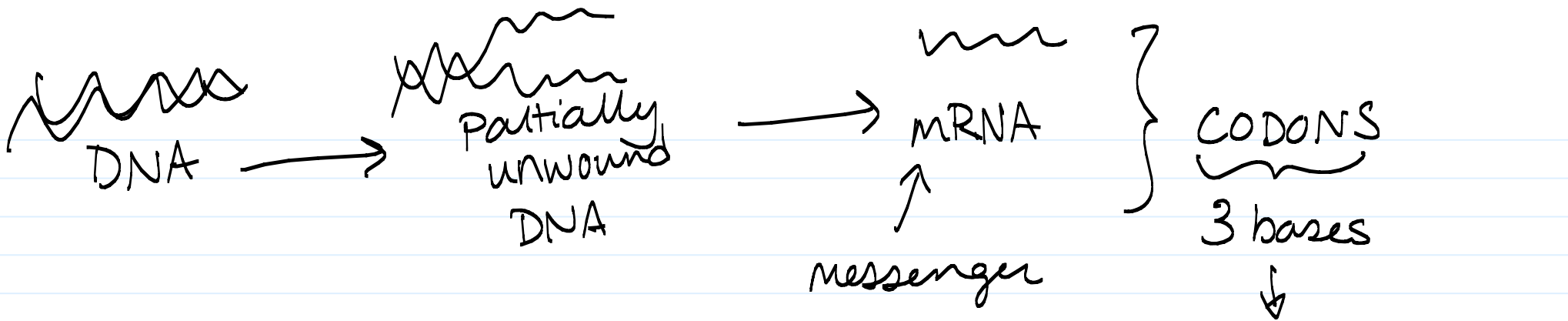
uracil  
(U)

RNA only!



guanine  
(G)

cytosine  
(C)



"start" = AUG

^stop" UAA  
UGA  
UAG

UUU → phe  
UCU → Ser

See Table 23.2.