

Proteins

-Made up of C, H, O, N (and sometimes P and S)

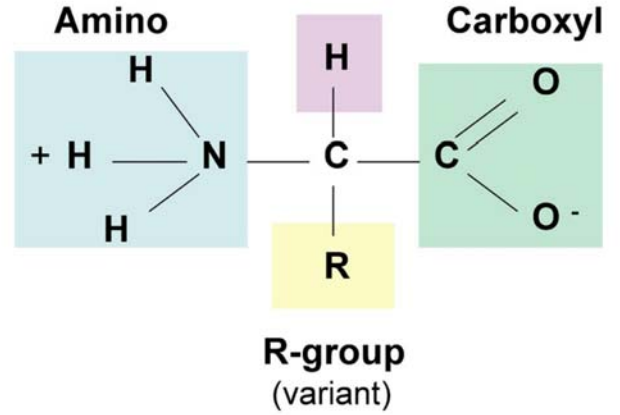
-**Monomers** = amino acids

*there are 20 amino acids



Amino Acid Structure

Hydrogen



Small



Glycine (Gly, G)
MW: 57.05

Nucleophilic



Alanine (Ala, A)
MW: 71.09



Serine (Ser, S)
MW: 87.08, pK_a = 16



Threonine (Thr, T)
MW: 101.11, pK_a = 16



Cysteine (Cys, C)
MW: 103.15, pK_a = 8.35

Hydrophobic



Valine (Val, V)
MW: 99.14



Leucine (Leu, L)
MW: 113.16



Isoleucine (Ile, I)
MW: 113.16



Methionine (Met, M)
MW: 131.19



Proline (Pro, P)
MW: 97.12

Aromatic



Phenylalanine (Phe, F)
MW: 147.18



Tyrosine (Tyr, Y)
MW: 163.18



Tryptophan (Trp, W)
MW: 186.21

Acidic



Aspartic Acid (Asp, D)
MW: 115.09, pK_a = 3.9



Glutamic Acid (Glu, E)
MW: 129.12, pK_a = 4.07

Amide



Asparagine (Asn, N)
MW: 114.11



Glutamine (Gln, Q)
MW: 128.14



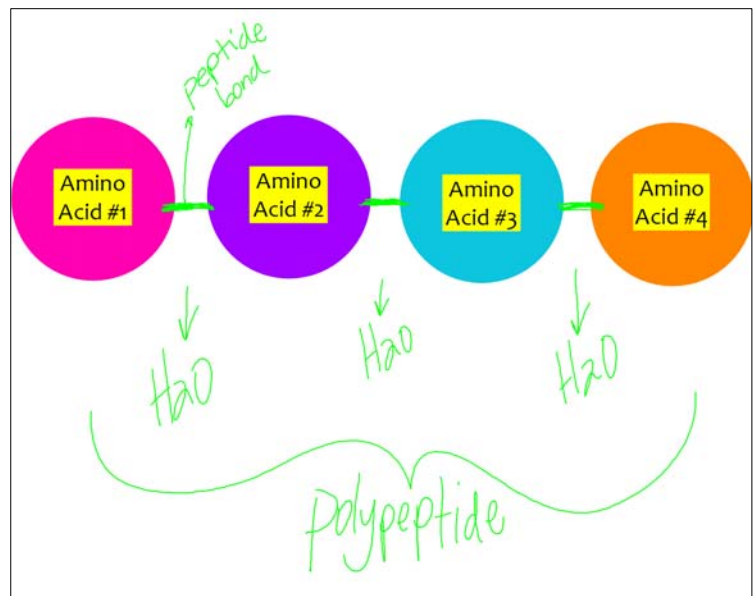
Histidine (His, H)
MW: 137.14, pK_a = 6.04



Lysine (Lys, K)
MW: 128.17, pK_a = 10.79



Arginine (Arg, R)
MW: 156.19, pK_a = 12.48



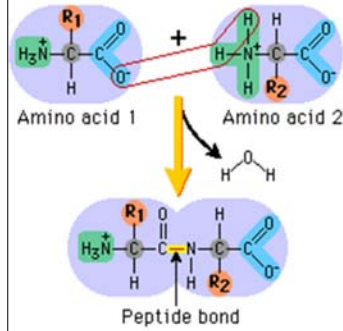
Protein Polymers: Polypeptides



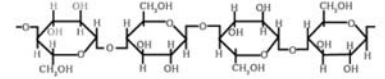
Proteins can contain **more than 1 polypeptide chain**

■ Peptide Bond

■ Polypeptide



Primary protein structure-
a polypeptide chain

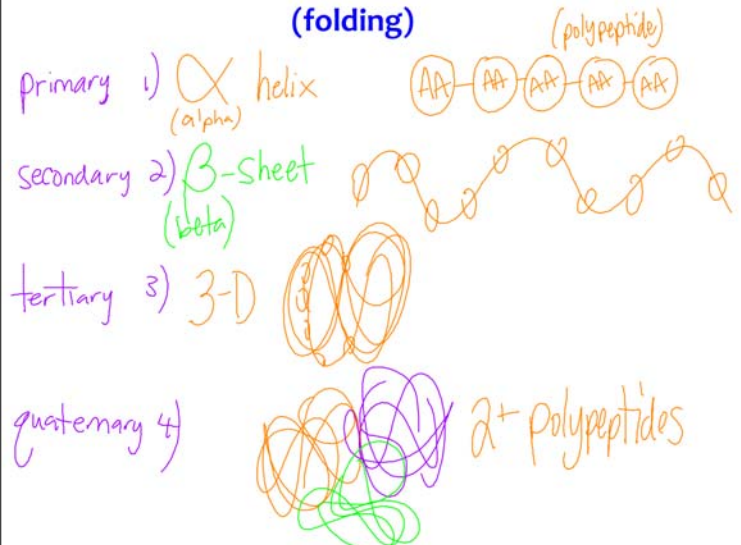


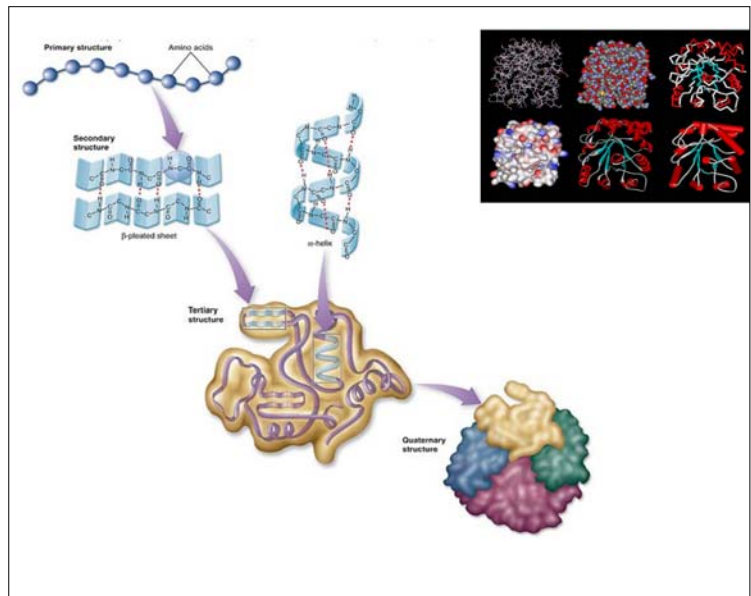
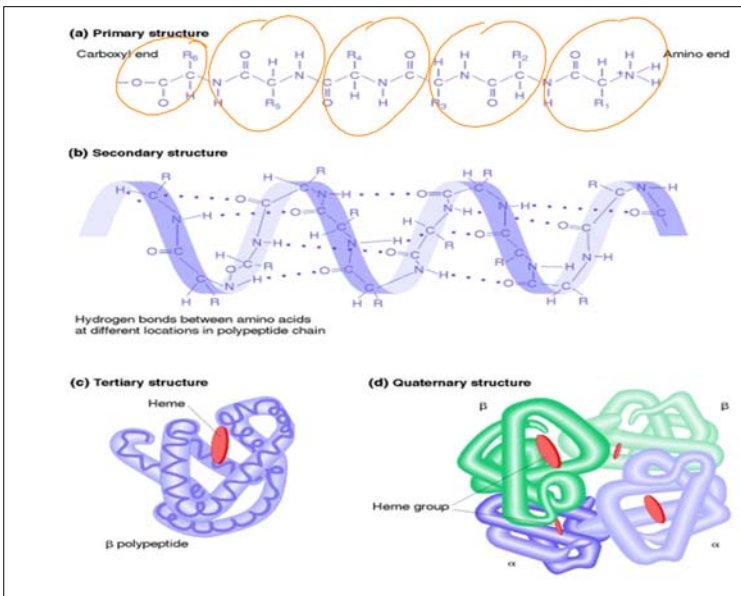
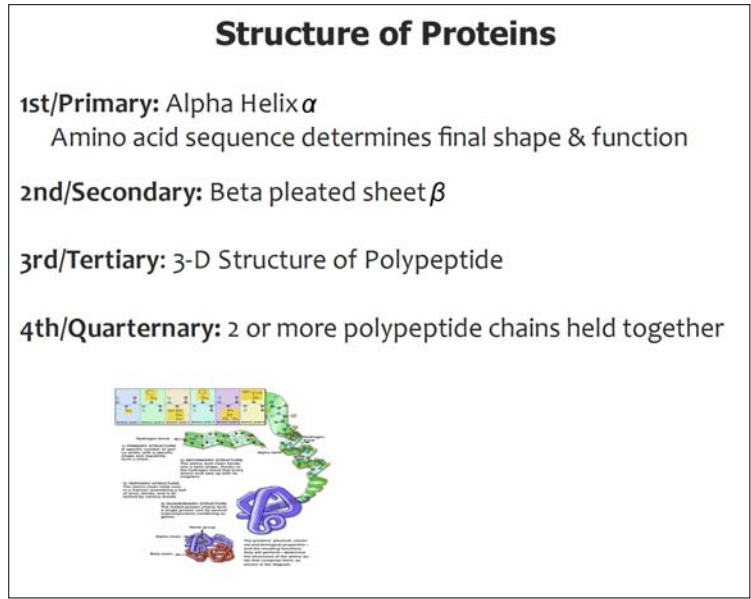
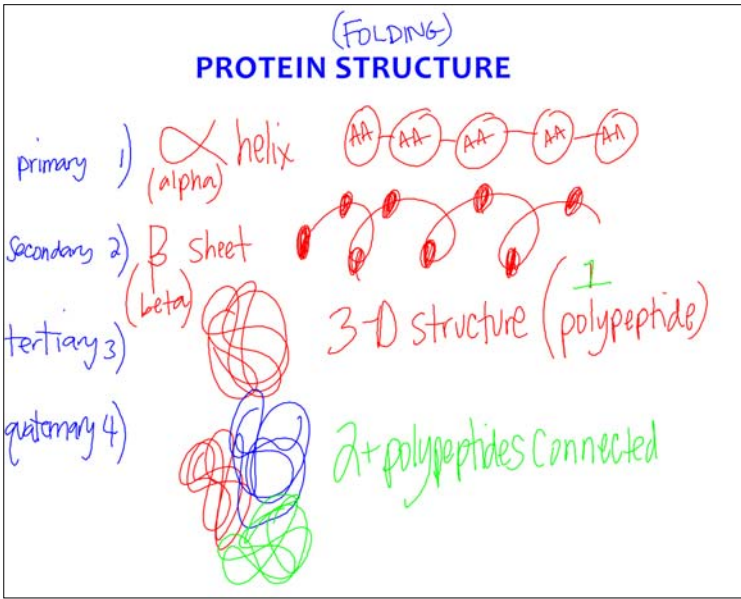
Proteins:

■ Functions:

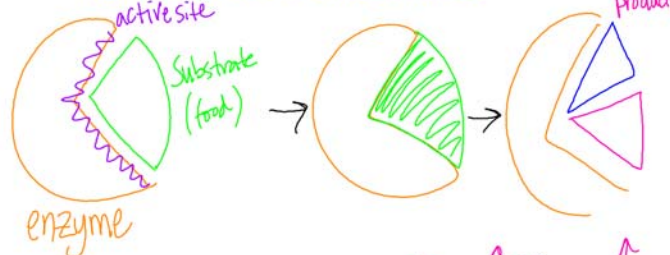
- Muscle Growth & Repair
- Immune System
- Digest food (enzymes)

BIOMED: PROTEIN STRUCTURE (folding)





EXAMPLE = ENZYMES



"Lock & Key"
Structure

Temp ↑ Enzyme ↑
Temp ↓ E ↓
Temp ↑ ↓ E stop (denature)

