Stereochemistry Illustrated By Carbohydrates

from chapter(s) _____ in the recommended text

A. Introduction

B. Assigning *R*- and *S*-Configurations





C. Stereochemical Representations Of Carbohydrates

are all used to describe compounds in this series. (eg glucose): if they contain an aldehyde they are called aldoses ketoses.





enantiomers. epimers.



triose pentoses, hexose.

be D-. are D-.



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Extra examples:





D. Carbohydrates Can Cyclize To Hemiacetals Or Hemiketals

(six-membered ring) (five-membered ring





 H^+

protonated pyranose form





protonated furanose form





protonated aldehyde redrawn poised for 5-membered ring formation

protonated aldehyde



pyranose

hexoses to Fischer projections.



is β-.









trans to the -CH₂OH













E. Homologation Of Sugars By Reaction With HCN

imines aldoses



F. Conversion Of Aldoses To Lower Homologs

left right.





Fill in the gaps in the following sequence.



11			ĢNO	
Н—	—он	-HCN	Н—	—ОН
Н—	—ОН		Н—	—ОН
Н—	—ОН		Н—	—ОН
ĊH₂OH			Ċ	CH₂OH

G. Other Reactions Of Sugars oxidized

reducing



H. Relative Stabilities Of Anomers

axial non-bonded





β-anomer σ-to-σ* interactions <u>impossible</u>

α**-anomer** σ-to-σ* interactions <u>possible</u>

I. Di- And Oligosaccharides

acetal or ketal



cellobiose





linkages are: β-1,4

linkage is: α 1, β 2

poly-saccharide, *di*-saccharide. photosynthesis.

J. Carbohydrates In Summary



 β -D-ribofuranose. β -D-2-deoxyribofuranose.