

CARBOHYDRATE

are polyhydroxy aldehydes / ketones or compounds that can be hydrolysed to them.

C & H ratio are same as water CH ratio, so called 'Hydrates of Carbon'

on basis of its hydrolysis & no. of product formed it can be classified as -

- (i) Monosaccharide
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 Can't be hydrolysed further into polyhydroxy Aldehyde/Ketone.
- (ii) Oligosaccharide
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 Made up of 2/10 mono-saccharide units joined by glycosidic linkage.
 • Most abundant is the disaccharide with 2 Monosaccharide Unit.
- (iii) Polysaccharide
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 Are polymers with 100-1000 monosaccharide units.
 • Not sweet in taste.
 Sunday called Starch

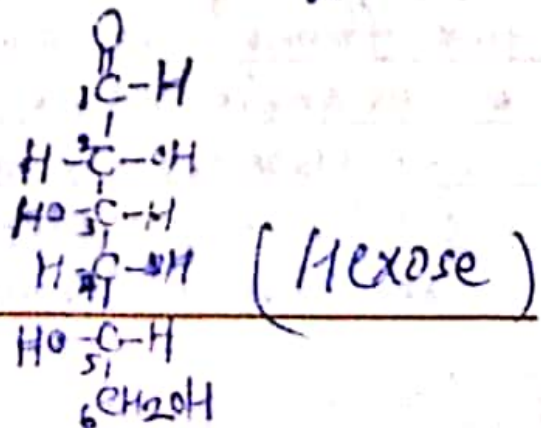
MONOSACCHARIDE :

Simple sugar that can't be hydrolysed ^{further} into simpler forms.

- They have general formula $C_nH_{2n}O_n$.
- Most abundant Monosaccharide in nature is - D-Glucose (e.g)
- Can be classified onto - 2 basis

(a) on basis of no. of carbon atoms present — based on no. of carbon atoms with suffix 'ose' added.

- E.g - 4C — Tetrose
- 5C — Pentose
- 6C — Hexose
- 7C — Heptose, etc.



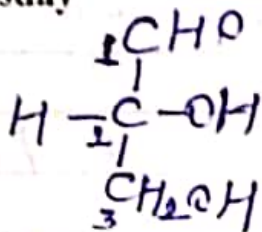
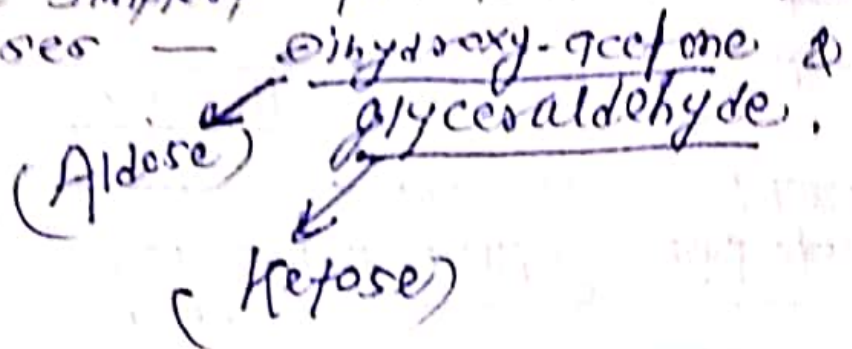
(b) Presence of aldehydes or ketones group:

Aldehydes → are monosaccharides with ^{aldehyde} group.

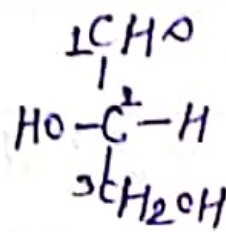
Ketoses → are " " " " ketone group.

• Hexose → Glucose is → Aldehydohexose (Aldehyde group containing)
 → Fructose is → Ketohexose (Ketone group containing)

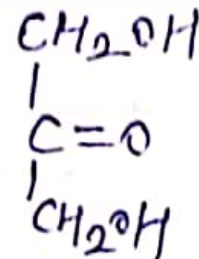
• Trioses → are simplest monosaccharides. Two trioses — dihydroxy-ketone & glycerinaldehyde.



(D-Glycerald)



(L-Glycerald)



(Dihydroxyketone)

• Glycerinaldehyde has a central carbon (C-2) which is chiral or, asymmetrical. Chiral molecules (like glycerinaldehyde) can exist in two forms or, configurations that are nonsuperimposable mirror images of each other. These two forms are called stereoisomers, optical isomers or, enantiomers.

• stereoisomers has absolute configuration (based on OH position either left or, right side, called L or D) on chiral carbon atom.

↳ "Fischer projection,"



(DHA)

Dihydroxy acetone has no any chiral carbon.

All Monosaccharides (except DHA) contain one or more chiral carbon atoms & thus occur in optically active isomeric forms.

eg - The simplest Aldose, glyceraldehyde, contains one chiral center, so it has 2 diff optical isomers or, enantiomer.

As no. of chiral carbon increases, the no. of possible isomers also increases.

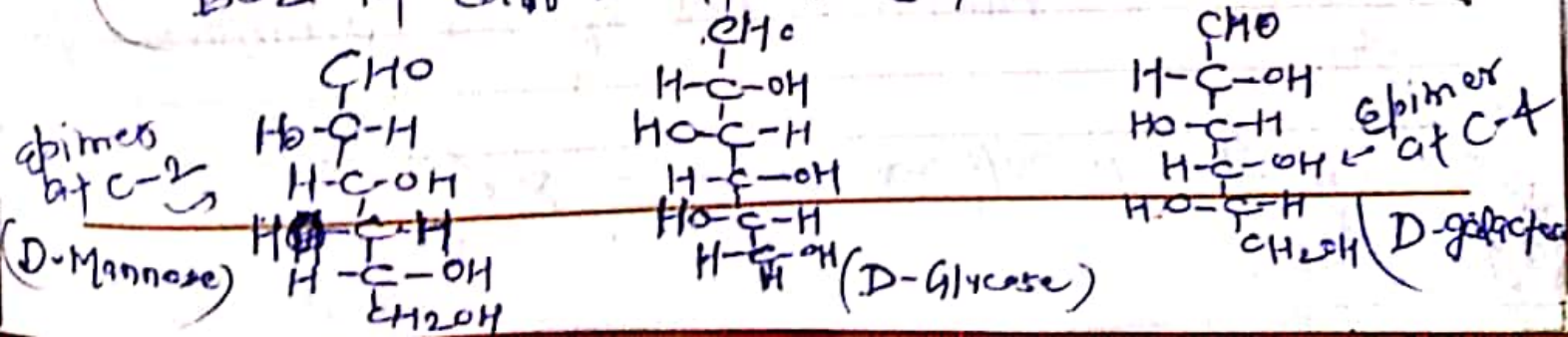
Acc to Van't Hoff's rule, Total no. of possible isomers = 2^n (where n = no. of chiral C' stereoisomers)

Epimers \rightarrow Sugars that differ only by the stereochemistry at a single carbon (Other than anomeric carbon) are called epimers.

eg - D-glucose & D-mannose (differ at C-2 position)

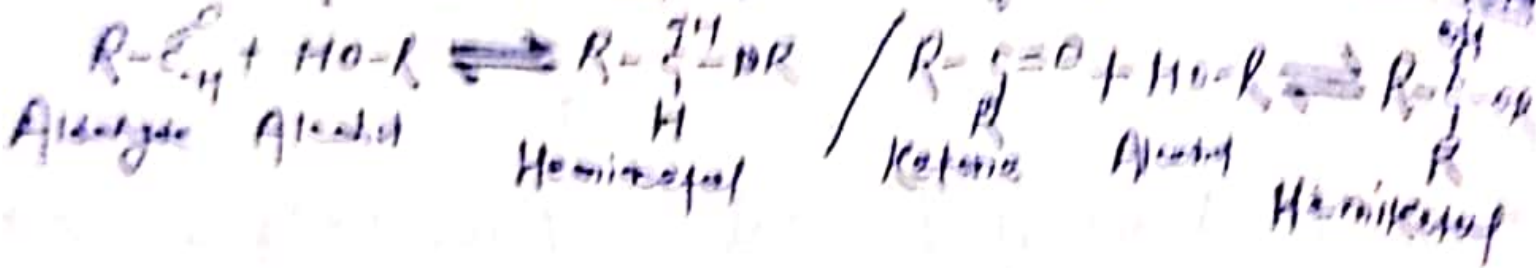
D-glucose & D-galactose (Differ at C-4 position)

(But D-mannose & D-galactose are not epimers) coz it differs at more than one carbons.



* cyclic form → Monosaccharides having 5 or 6 carbons in the chain gives cyclic structure in aqueous solution by intramolecular reaction or hemiacetal formation.

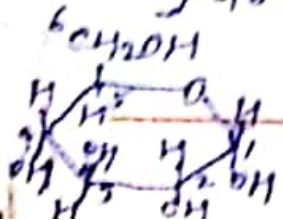
- Aldehyde can react with an alcohol to form a hemiacetal. & when a ketone can react with an alcohol to form a hemiketal.



* Aldohexose such as glucose, the C-1 aldehyde in the open-chain form of glucose reacts with the C-5 hydroxyl group to form an intramolecular hemiacetal. The resulting cyclic hemiacetal, a six-membered ring, is called pyranose because of its similarity to pyran.

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Similarly, the C-2 keto group in the open-chain form of a ketohexose, (like fructose), can form an intramolecular hemiketal by reacting with either the C-6 hydroxyl group to form a six-membered cyclic hemiketal or, the C-5 hydroxyl group to form a five-membered cyclic hemiketal. The five-membered ring is called a furanose because of its similarity to furan.



D-glucopyranose

