# Chapter 11 Derivatives of carboxylic acid

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The carbonyl group along with the attached carbon chain (H, R, Ar) is called an *acyl group* (酰基).

Names of acyl group derive from corresponding carboxylic acid. Drop the "-oic acid" ending of the carboxylic acid, and replace it with "-oyl".

Propanoic acid

Propanoyl (丙酰基)

$$O_2N \left(\begin{array}{c}O\\ - \\ \end{array}\right)$$

4-nitrobenzoic acid 4-nitrobenzoyl (4-硝基苯甲酰)

## Sec 1 Nomenclature

I. Acyl halides 酰卤: 酰基名+卤素名

Acyl halides are named by replacing the -ic acid ending of the carboxylic acid with -yl halides.

O CH<sub>3</sub>C-OH

Acetic acid Ethanoic acid O CH<sub>3</sub>C-CI

Acetyl chloride Ethanoyl chloride

乙酰氯

## II. Acid Anhydrides

Symmetrical acid anhydrides are named by replacing the *acid* ending of the carboxylic acid with the word *anhydride*. 单酐: 羧酸名+酐

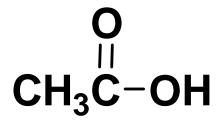
Benzoic anhydride 苯甲酸酐 • Unsymmetrical anhydrides are named by arranging the names of the two parent carboxylic acids followed by the word anhydride.

混酐: 简单羧酸名+复杂羧酸名+酐

Ethanoic propanoic anhydride Acetic propanoic anhydride

乙丙酐,乙酸丙酸酐

#### III. Esters



# **Ethanoic acid Acetic acid**

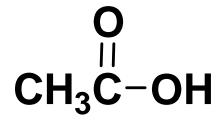
一元醇的酯:某酸某(醇)酯

CH<sub>3</sub>C-OC<sub>2</sub>H<sub>5</sub>

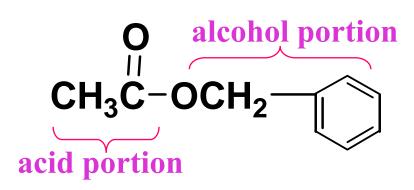
acid portion alcohol portion

**Ethyl ethanoate Ethyl acetate** 

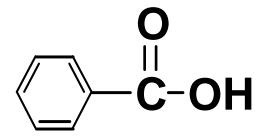
乙酸乙酯



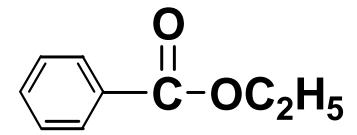
**Acetic acid** 



Benzyl ethanoate (Benzyl acetate)



Benzoic acid



**Ethyl benzoate** 

$$O$$
 $CH_3CH_2CH_2-C-OC_2H_5$ 

Ethyl butanoate Ethyl butyrate COOC<sub>2</sub>H<sub>5</sub>

COOC<sub>2</sub>H<sub>5</sub>

COOC<sub>2</sub>H<sub>5</sub>

Ethyl hydrogen ethanedioate

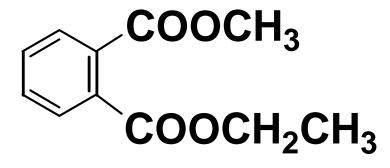
(乙二酸氢乙酯)

**Diethyl ethanedioate** 

(乙二酸二乙酯)

Ethyl methyl ethanedioate

(乙二酸甲乙酯)



Ethyl methyl phthalate

邻-苯二甲酸甲乙酯

- ◆ 一元醇的酯: 某酸某(醇)酯
- ◆ 多元醇的酯: 某醇某酸酯

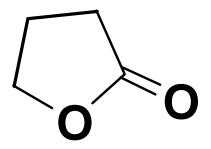
Ethylene diacetate

乙二醇二乙酸酯

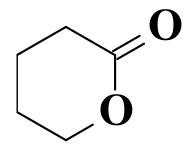
Glyceryl tripalmitate

丙三醇三软脂酸酯

• Cyclic esters are called lactones. A Greek letter identifies the location of the alkyl oxygen relative to the carbonyl group.



y -Butanoic lactone (γ-Butanolactone) γ-丁内酯



δ -Pentanoic lactone
 (δ -Pentanolactone)
 δ -戊内酯

## IV. Amides

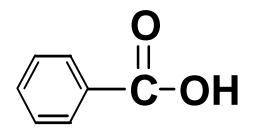
Amides contain three kinds of structures.

$$R-C-NH_{2}$$
  $R-C-N< R'$   $R-C-N< R'$   $R'$ 

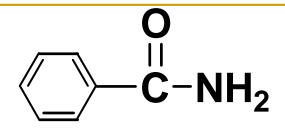
Primary amide Secondary amide Tertiary amide

● For 1° amides, the name of the related acid is used first and the -oic acid (or ic acid) ending is replaced by -amide. 伯酰胺: ── 某酰胺

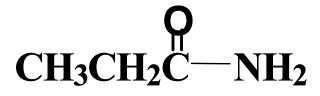
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Benzoic acid

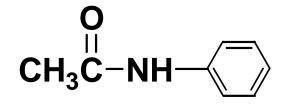


**Benzamide** 



**Propanamide** 

• Amide of PhNH<sub>2</sub> are named as anilides.



CONH<sub>2</sub>

Acetanilide 乙酰苯胺 (Acetyl aniline)

Cyclobutanecarboxamide

• For  $2^{\circ}$  and  $3^{\circ}$  amides, having alkyl substituents on the nitrogen atom, the substituent(s) are identified by adding the prefix N- and the name of the substituent.

仲酰胺: N-某基某酰胺

O CH<sub>3</sub>C-NHCH<sub>3</sub>

**N-Methylacetamide** 

N-甲基乙酰胺

O CH<sub>3</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>C—NHCH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>3</sub> Substituent

N-Ethylpropanamide N-乙基丙酰胺 N,N-二某基某酰胺; N-某基-N-某基某酰胺

$$O$$
 $CH_3$ 
 $CH_3$ 

N,N-Dimethylformamide (DMF, N,N-二甲基甲酰胺)

N,N-Diethylcyclohexanecarboxamide

(N,N-二乙基环己烷甲酰胺)

CH<sub>3</sub> N-Ethyl-N-methylpropanamide

(N-甲基-N-乙基丙酰胺)

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Oyclic amides are called lactams (内酰胺).

δ-Hexanolactam

δ-己内酰胺

Imides (亚酰胺) are nitrogen analogs of anhydrides.

**Phthalimide** 

邻苯二甲酰亚胺

## Sec 2 Structure

$$R-C-L: \longleftrightarrow R-C-L: \longleftrightarrow R-C=L^{+}$$

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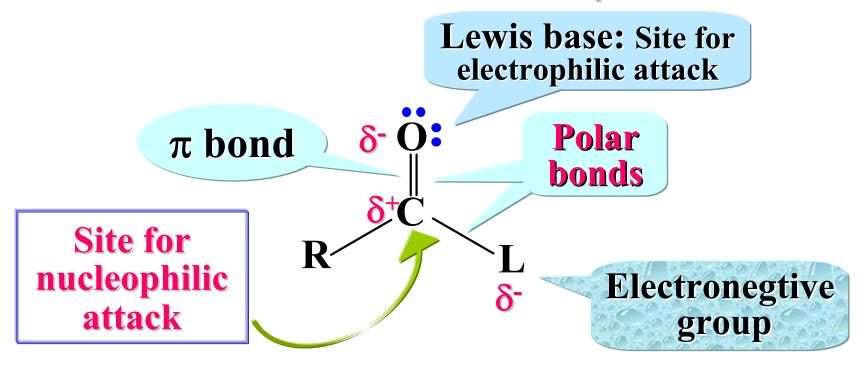
$$-Cl, Br \quad Acyl halide$$

$$-OCOR \quad Anhydride$$

$$-OR \quad Ester$$

$$-NH_{2},-NHR,-NR_{2} \quad Amide$$

## Sec 3 Chemical Properties



- 1. Nucleophilic acyl substitution
- 2. Reactions about α -hydrogen & α -C:

"Claisen Condensation"

## I. Nucleophilic Acyl Substitution Reaction

## The Reaction Mechanism: Two steps

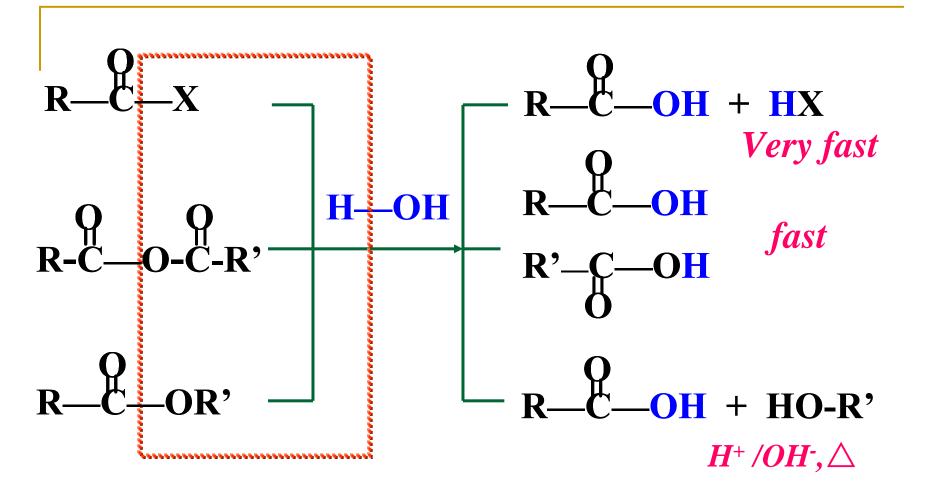
Simulating: mechanism of nucleophilic acyl substitution

## 1. Hydrolysis (a carboxylic acid is formed)

All acyl derivatives can be hydrolyzed back to the original carboxylic acid.

#### General equation:

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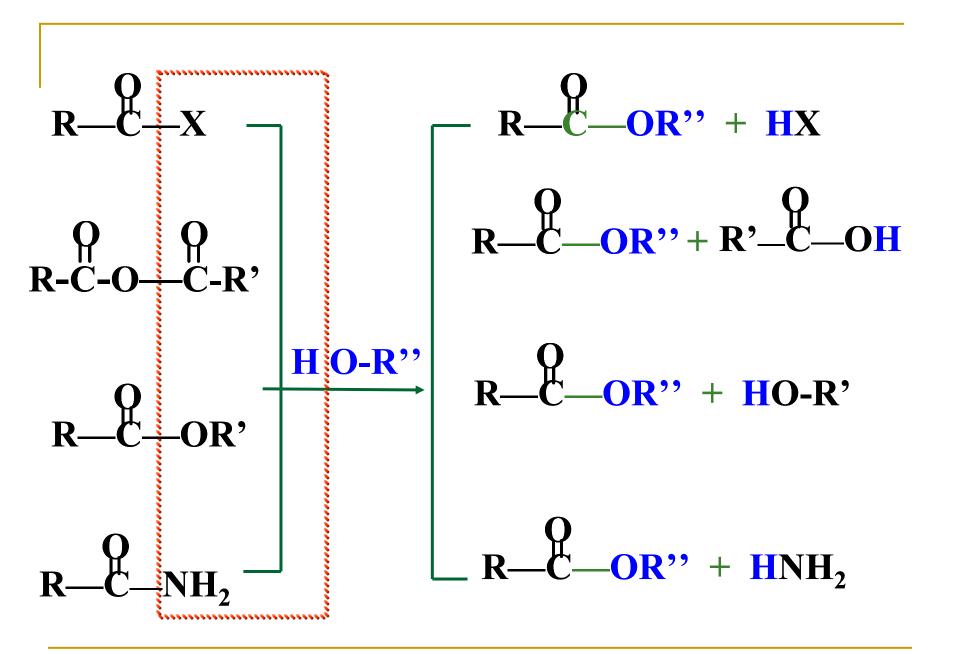


$$CH_3CONH_2 + H_2O \xrightarrow{OH^-} CH_3COO^- + NH_3 \uparrow H^+/OH^-, \triangle$$

## 2. Alcoholysis (an ester is formed)

Acyl halides, acid anhydrides, esters and amides can react with alcohol to form esters. (alcoholyze)

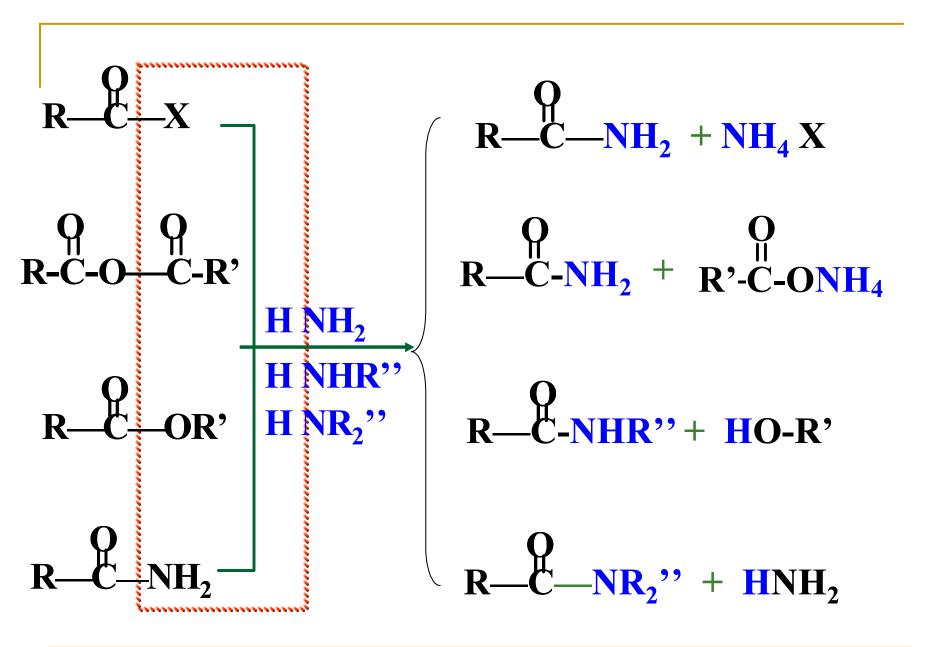
General equation:



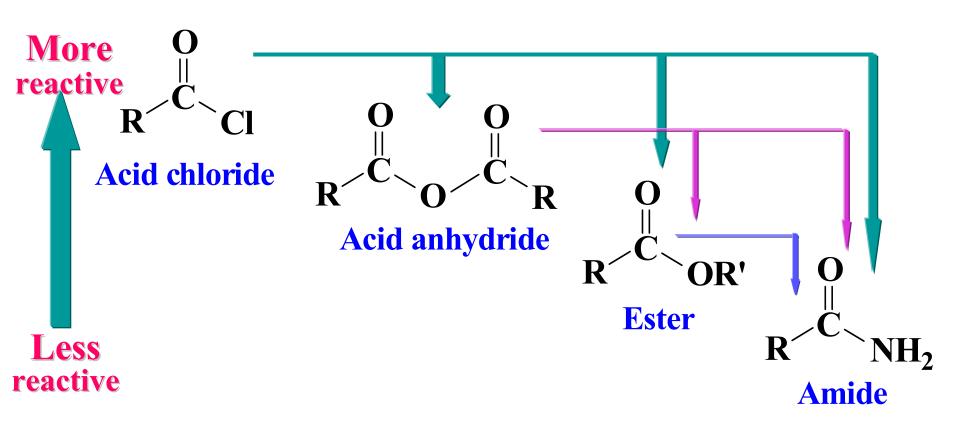
## 3. Ammonolysis (aminolysis, an amide is formed)

• Acyl halides, acid anhydrides, esters and amides can react with ammonia or 1° or 2° amines to obtain amides (ammonolyzed or aminolysis).

Nucleophilicity of ammonia or amines is stronger than water, so reaction of aminolysis is faster than hydrolysis.



## The order of reactivity of acid derivatives



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# Acylating agent (酰化剂):

The agent that can provide acyl group to other compound.

are the best acylating agents.

## II. Claisen Condensation Reaction

$$CH_3C$$
- $OC_2H_5$  +  $H$ - $CH_2C$ - $OC_2H_5$   $\stackrel{EtONa}{=}$   $CH_3CCH_2C$ - $OC_2H_5$  +  $HOC_2H_5$   $\stackrel{EtONa}{=}$   $CH_3CCH_2C$ - $OC_2H_5$  +  $OC_2H_5$   $\stackrel{EtONa}{=}$   $CH_3CCH_2C$ - $OC_2H_5$  +  $OC_2H_5$   $\stackrel{EtONa}{=}$   $CH_3CCH_2C$ - $OC_2H_5$  +  $OC_2H_5$   $\stackrel{EtONa}{=}$   $OC_2H_5$   $\stackrel{EtONa}{=}$   $CH_3CCH_2C$ - $OC_2H_5$  +  $OC_2H_5$   $\stackrel{EtONa}{=}$   $OC_2H_$ 

This reaction between two ester components is known as the *Claisen Condensation reaction*.

Esters without a -hydrogen don't occur Claisen Condensation reaction, but they can condense with other esters with a -hydrogen, called as Cross Claisen Condensation.

$$CH_3CH_2OH + H-C-CH_2-C-OC_2H_5$$

## IV. Carbamide (urea)

## 1. Weak basicity:

Urea is a weak base, it can form salts with strong acids, sparingly soluble salts of nitric and oxalic acid are known.

O  

$$NH_2$$
-C- $NH_2$  +  $HNO_3$   $\rightarrow$   $H_2N$ -C- $NH_2$ •  $HNO_3$   $\downarrow$   
Urea nitrate (white colour)

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## 2. Hydrolysis

Urea, like other amides, is hydrolysed under both acidic or alkaline conditions to form ammonium, carbon dioxide or ammonia, carbonate.

#### 3. React with Nitrous Acid

Like other primary amide, urea reacts with nitrous acid to give nitrogen.

$$NH_2$$
- $C-NH_2 + HNO_2 \longrightarrow N_2^{\uparrow} + CO_2^{\uparrow} + H_2O$ 

#### 4. Formation of Biuret and Biuret Reaction

When urea is heated to  $150\sim160$  °C, two urea molecules condense to form biuret (缩二脲).

The basic solution of the biuret can show purple red with cupper sulfate, the reaction is called **Biuret Reaction** (缩二脲反应), It can be used to identify the peptides or proteins.

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
O & O & O \\
H_2N-C-N-C-NH_2 & \hline
CuSO_4 & \hline
OH^- & red
\end{array}$$

It is a test for all compounds containing two or more than two *peptide bond* (-CO-NH-).

## **Additional Questions**

- 10-1 Write the structures of the following compounds...
- 10-2 Name the following compounds by IUPAC system:
- 10-3 Write the products of reaction of benzoyl chloride with ...
- 10-4 Write the products of reaction of propanoic anhydride
- 10-5 Write reaction equations for the following amides with...
- 10-6 Write equations for the following Claisen condensations...
- 10-7 Write the products of the following:
- \*10-8 Complete the following transformation:
- 10-9 Distinguish the compounds within each set by simple ...
- 10-10 Arrange the following series compounds in order of ...
- 10-11 Compound A (C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>12</sub>O<sub>2</sub>) reacts with acidic water solution ...
- 10-12 Compound A (C<sub>5</sub>H<sub>6</sub>O<sub>3</sub>) reacts with 1 mol ethanol to ...