

### MODULATION OF ENZYME ACTIVITY

Effectors

Inhibitor:  
decreases  
reaction rate

$v_i$

Degree of inhibition:

$$\mathcal{E}_i = \frac{v_0 - v_i}{v_0}$$

Activator:  
increases  
reaction rate

$v_a$

Degree of activation:

$$\mathcal{E}_a = \frac{v_a - v_0}{v_0}$$

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### INHIBITION

REVERSIBLE

$$E + S \rightleftharpoons ES \longrightarrow E + P$$

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EI

IRREVERSIBLE

$$E + S \xrightleftharpoons{k_s} ES \xrightarrow{k_p} E + P$$

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EI

distinction:

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### Competitive inhibition

Competition between S and I for the active sites of the enzyme, or mutual exclusion

I may be an:

- substrate analogue
- alternative substrate
- product

MODEL 1.: Classical competitive inhibition:  
I competes with S for occupation of the same active site

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### COMPETITIVE INHIBITION

MODEL 2.: steric hindrance A

Binding of I to another site sterically hinders S in binding to the active site of enzyme.

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### COMPETITIVE INHIBITION

MODEL 3.: steric hindrance B

An analog part of S and I compete for a common binding site.

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### COMPETITIVE INHIBITION

MODEL 4.: overlapping

Sites 1 and 3 can bind I, 2 and 4 can bind S, but both exclude each other.

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### COMPETITIVE INHIBITION

MODEL 5.:

Binding of **I** changes the conformation of the enzyme which prevents binding of **S** to the active centre.

End product inhibition (feed back inhibition) is typical example of this case.

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### Kinetics of competitive inhibition

Basic equations for competitive inhibition:

$$E + S \xrightleftharpoons{K_s} ES \xrightarrow{k_2} E + P$$

$$K_s = \frac{E \cdot S}{(ES)}$$

$$E + I \xrightleftharpoons{K_i} EI \xrightarrow{k_{app}} E + P'$$

$$K_i = \frac{E \cdot I}{(EI)}$$

- if  $k_{app} > 0$  than **I** is an alternative substrate
- if  $k_{app} = 0$  than **I** is a „dead end” competitive inhibitor

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### Kinetics of competitive inhibition

*Alternative substrate:* the enzyme is able to transform the structural analogous molecule, too. → an *alternative product* is formed.

$$E + S' \rightleftharpoons E + P'$$

Enzymes with group and region specificity have numerous alternative substrates

Example: the enzymes of liver: alcohol dehydrogenase, aldehyde dehydrogenase:

$$\begin{array}{c} \text{H} & \text{H} \\ | & | \\ \text{H}-\text{C}-\text{C}-\text{OH} \\ | & | \\ \text{H} & \text{H} \end{array} \xrightarrow{\text{ADH}} \begin{array}{c} \text{H} & \text{H} \\ | & | \\ \text{H}-\text{C}-\text{C}=\text{O} \\ | & | \\ \text{H} & \text{H} \end{array} \xrightarrow{\text{ALDH}} \begin{array}{c} \text{H} \\ | \\ \text{H}-\text{C}-\text{C}=\text{O} \\ | \\ \text{H} \end{array}$$

etanol      acetaldehid      ecetsav

$$\begin{array}{c} \text{H} \\ | \\ \text{H}-\text{C}-\text{OH} \\ | \\ \text{H} \end{array} \xrightarrow{\text{ADH}} \begin{array}{c} \text{H} \\ | \\ \text{H}-\text{C}=\text{O} \\ | \\ \text{H} \end{array} \xrightarrow{\text{ALDH}} \begin{array}{c} \text{H} \\ | \\ \text{H}-\text{C}=\text{O} \\ | \\ \text{OH} \end{array}$$

metanol      formaldehid      hangyasav

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### Kinetics of competitive inhibition

Repeat the deduction:

$$E + S \xrightleftharpoons{K_s} ES \xrightarrow{k_2} E + P$$

$$+ I \rightleftharpoons^{K_i} EI \xrightarrow{k_{cp}} E + P'$$

$K_s = \frac{E \cdot S}{(ES)}$ 
 $K_i = \frac{E \cdot I}{(EI)}$ 

product formation rate:

 $V = \frac{dP}{dt} = k_2(ES)$

Mass balance of enzyme:  $E_0 = E + (ES) + (EI)$

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### Kinetics of competitive inhibition

Divide the two equation:

$$\frac{V}{E_0} = \frac{k_2(ES)}{E + (ES) + (EI)}$$

Substitute:

$K_s = \frac{E \cdot S}{(ES)}$

$K_i = \frac{E \cdot I}{(EI)}$

$\frac{V}{E_0} = \frac{k_2 E \frac{S}{K_s}}{E + E \frac{S}{K_s} + E \frac{I}{K_i}}$

→

$\frac{V}{E_0} = \frac{\frac{S}{K_s}}{1 + \frac{S}{K_s} + \frac{I}{K_i}}$

$V_{max} = k_2 E_0$

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### Kinetics of competitive inhibition

Simplified forms of reaction rate:

$\frac{V}{V_{max}} = \frac{S}{K_s \left(1 + \frac{I}{K_i}\right) + S}$

or:

$V = V_{max} \frac{S}{K_s \left(1 + \frac{I}{K_i}\right) + S}$

or:

$$v_i = \frac{v_{max}(S)}{K_s \left[ \frac{K_i + (I)}{K_i} \right] + (S)}$$

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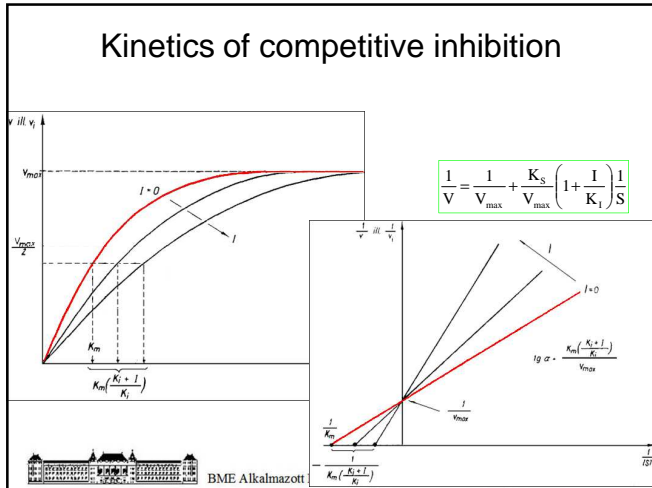
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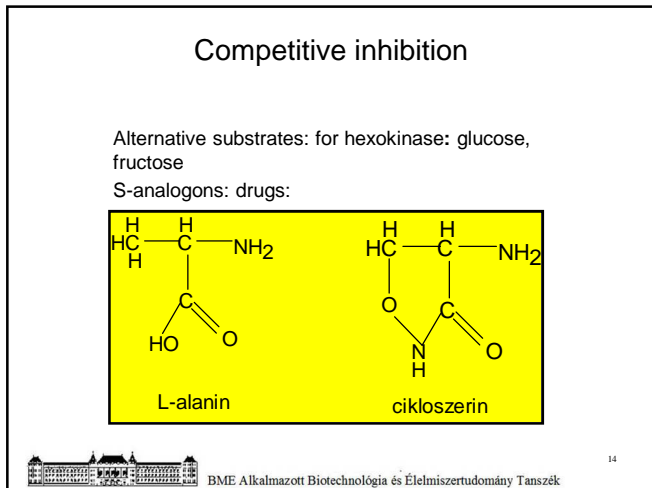
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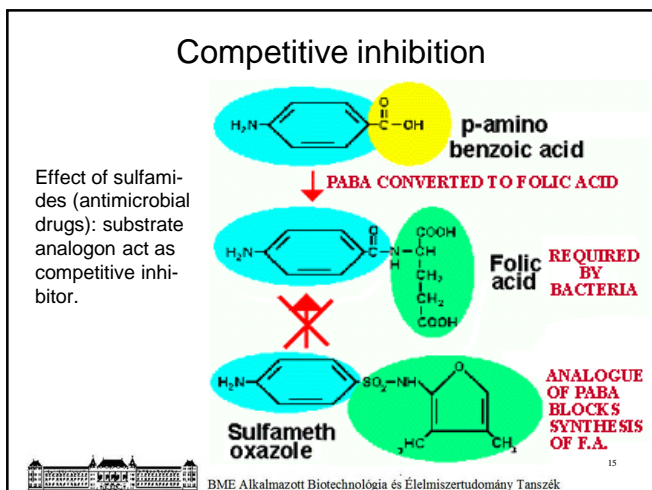
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### Analogous inhibitions

competitive inhibition: 
$$V = V_{\max} \frac{S}{K_s \left(1 + \frac{I}{K_i}\right) + S}$$

product inhibition: 
$$V = V_{\max} \frac{S}{K_s \left(1 + \frac{P}{K_p}\right) + S}$$

alternative or competing substrates

$$V_1 = V_{1\max} \frac{S_1}{K_{S1} \left(1 + \frac{S_2}{K_{S2}}\right) + S_1}$$

$$V_2 = V_{2\max} \frac{S_2}{K_{S2} \left(1 + \frac{S_1}{K_{S1}}\right) + S_2}$$


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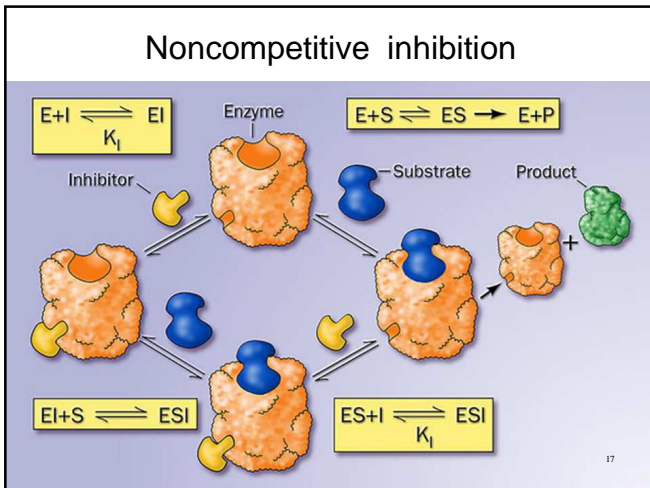
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### Noncompetitive inhibition

Inhibitor binds to an other active site of the enzyme and does not affect the binding of the substrate – does not change the affinity of the enzyme to the substrate.


It exists only when rapid equilibrium can be supposed,  $K_s = K_m$ .

Equations of noncompetitive inhibition:

$$E + S \xrightleftharpoons{K_s} ES \xrightarrow{k_p} E + P \quad K_s = \frac{E \cdot S}{ES} = \frac{E \cdot S}{ESI} \quad \text{és} \quad K_i = \frac{E \cdot I}{EI} = \frac{E \cdot I}{ESI}$$

$$EI + S \xrightleftharpoons{K_s} ESI$$

$V = k_p(ES)$

$$\frac{V}{V_{\max}} = \frac{ES}{E + ES + EI + ESI}$$


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### Noncompetitive inhibition

$$\frac{V}{V_{max}} = \frac{\frac{S}{K_s}}{1 + \frac{S}{K_s} + \frac{I}{K_i} + \frac{S \cdot I}{K_s K_i}}$$


$$\frac{V}{V_{max}} = \frac{S}{K_s \left(1 + \frac{I}{K_i}\right) + S \left(1 + \frac{I}{K_i}\right)}$$

$$V = V_{max} \frac{S}{\left(1 + \frac{I}{K_i}\right) K_s + S}$$

$\frac{V}{V_{max}} = \frac{ES}{E + ES + EI + ESI}$   
 Inhibitor changes the value of the apparent  $V_{max}$ , but does not change the values of  $K_s$  ( or  $K_m$ ).

where  $V_{maxi} = V_{max} \frac{1}{1 + \frac{I}{K_i}}$

$V = V_{maxi} \frac{S}{K_s + S}$



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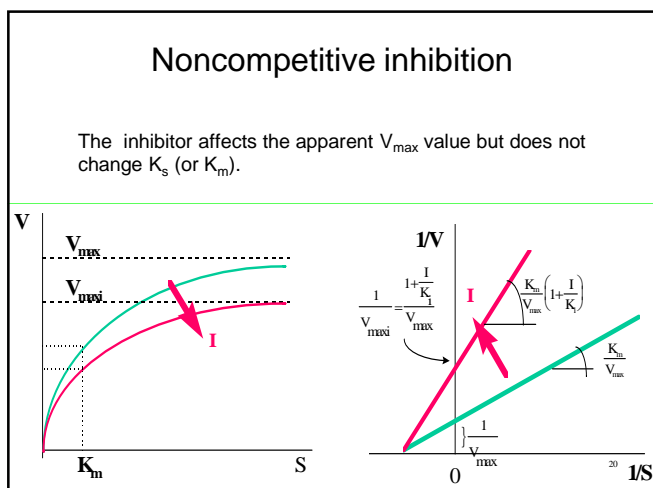
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### Noncompetitive inhibition

Examples:

**H<sup>+</sup> ions' effect on chymotripsine.** Here a proton acceptor site exists in the active centre, which can be inhibited by increasing H<sup>+</sup>-ion concentration. (L-B plot shows clear noncompetitive inhibition, (but do not forget the complex effect of the pH on enzymes).

**Heavy metal molecules(-SH reagensek), or cyanides.**  
Often these effects are irreversible.



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### Noncompetitive inhibition

Surface of slices apple gets brown in air: o-diphenol oxidase enzyme catalyses the catechol → o-quinone reaction

(A)

catechol + 1/2 O<sub>2</sub> → o-quinone + H<sub>2</sub>O

this and other reaction products give the brown color

(B)

para-hydroxybenzoic acid (PHBA)

competitive inhibitor of o-diphenol oxidase is para-hydroxybenzoic acid (PHBA), a structural analog.

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### Noncompetitive inhibition

competitive inhibitor of o-diphenol oxidase is para-hydroxybenzoic acid (PHBA), a structural analog

noncompetitive inhibitor is: phenylthiourea, bound to copper ion what is necessary to enzyme activity.

Phe-NH-C(=S)-NH<sub>2</sub>

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### Uncompetitive inhibition

Fixed order: the inhibitor must join second, after the substrate

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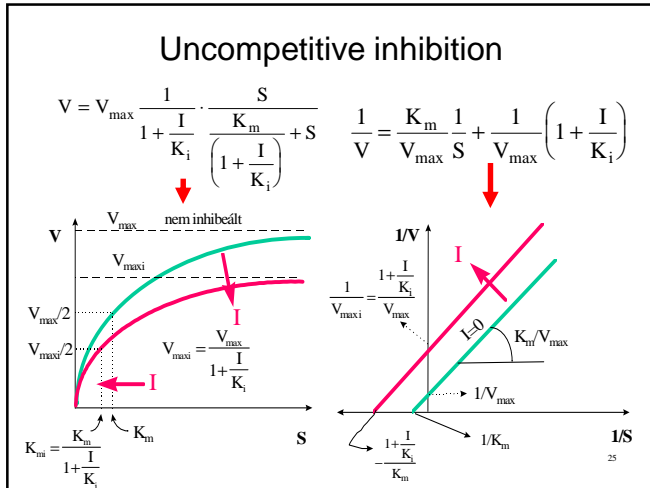
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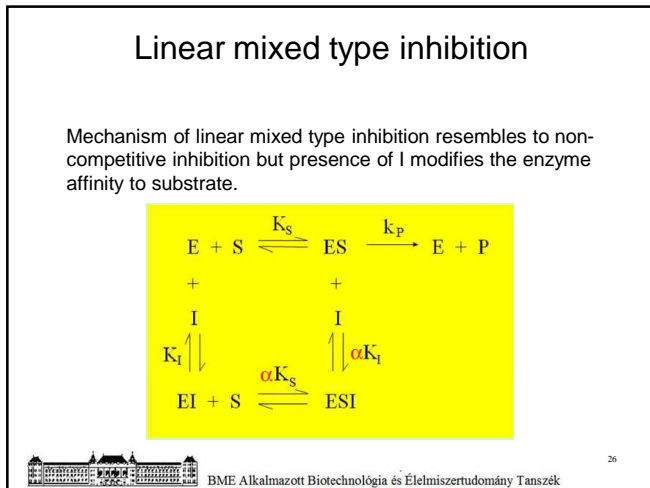
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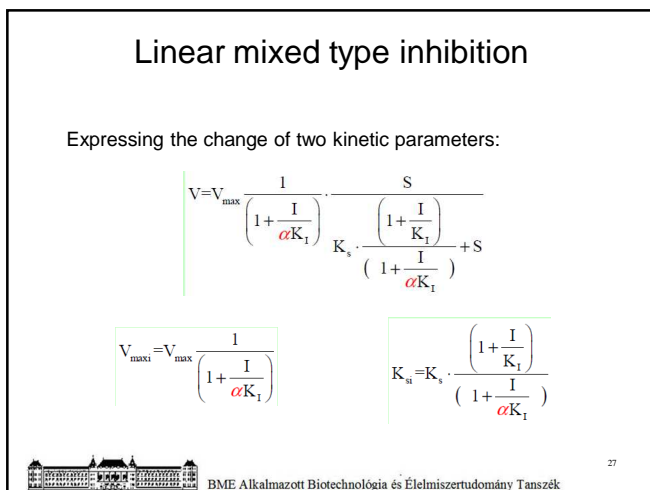
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competitive	noncompetitive	uncompetitive
$V = V_{max} \frac{S}{K_s \left(1 + \frac{I}{K_i}\right) + S}$	$V = V_{max} \frac{1}{\left(1 + \frac{I}{K_i}\right)} \frac{S}{K_s + S}$	$V = V_{max} \frac{S}{K_s + S \left(1 + \frac{I}{K_i}\right)}$
mixed		
$V = V_{max} \frac{S}{K_s \left(1 + \frac{I}{K_i}\right) + S \left(1 + \frac{I}{\alpha K_i}\right)}$ $V = V_{max} \frac{1}{\left(1 + \frac{I}{\alpha K_i}\right)} \frac{S}{\left(1 + \frac{I}{K_i}\right) + S}$		

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### Summary of the inhibition types

S and I mutually exclude each other from the enzyme  
**COMPETITIVE**

S and I bind to the enzyme independently on each other  
**NONCOMPETITIVE**

I binds only after S  
**UNCOMPETITIVE**

Like former but I modifies the affinity of the enzyme  
**MIXED TYPE**

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### Substrate inhibition

The substrate binds to two or more sites.  
If the S concentration is high, it can occur that two S bind to one and the other binding site forming inactive complex.  
(also reversible inhibition).

Succinate

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Malonate

S inhibition

Normal

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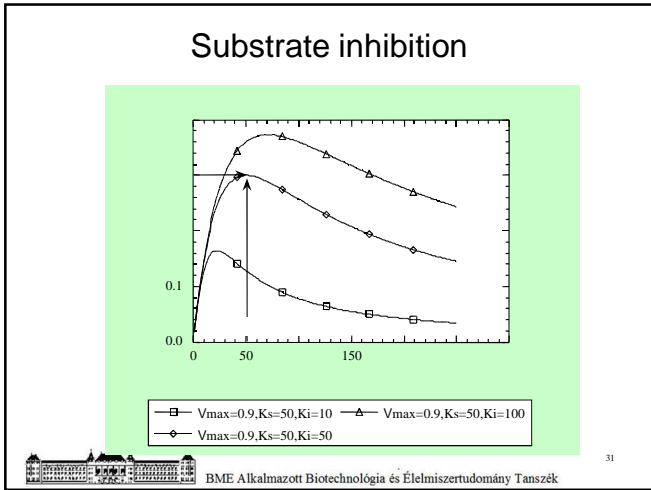
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