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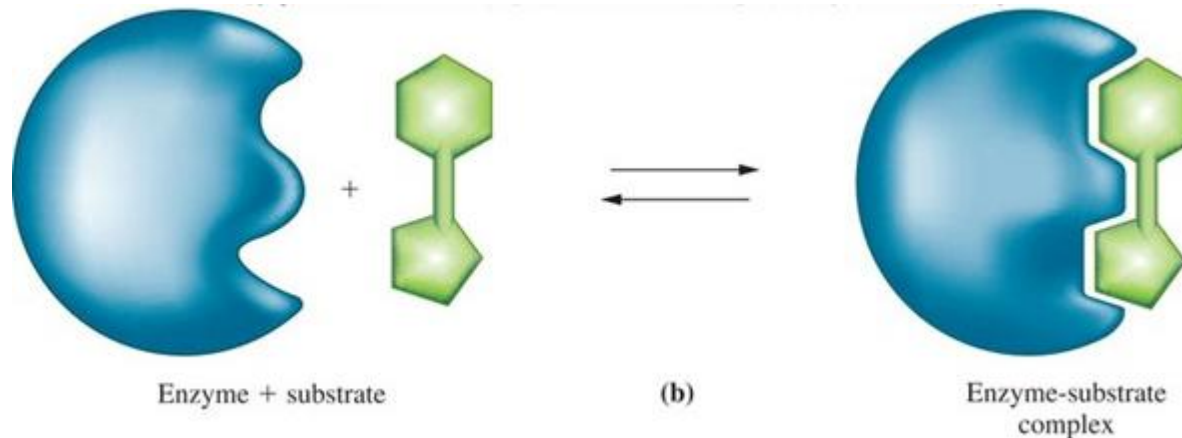
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# Induced Fit Enzyme Model



- The induced-fit model of enzyme action assumes that the enzyme active site is more a flexible pocket whose conformation changes to accommodate the substrate molecule

## Classes of Enzyme Specificity

- Absolute: enzyme reacts with only one substrate
- Group: enzyme catalyzes reaction involving any molecules with the same functional group
- Linkage: enzyme catalyzes the formation or break up of only certain category or type of bond
- Stereochemical: enzyme recognizes only one of two enantiomers

# Cofactors and Coenzymes

- Active enzyme / Holoenzyme:
  - Polypeptide portion of enzyme (apoenzyme)
  - Nonprotein prosthetic group (cofactor)
- Cofactors are bound to the enzyme for it to maintain the correct configuration of the active site
  - Organometallic compounds
  - Metal ions
  - Organic compounds

# Water-Soluble Vitamins and Their Coenzymes

Vitamin	Coenzyme	Function
Thiamine (B <sub>1</sub> )	Thiamine pyrophosphate	Decarboxylation reactions
Riboflavin (B <sub>2</sub> )	Flavin mononucleotide (FMN) Flavin adenine dinucleotide (FAD)	Carrier of H atoms
Niacin (B <sub>3</sub> )	Nicotinamide adenine dinucleotide (NAD <sup>+</sup> ) Nicotinamide adenine dinucleotide phosphate (NADP <sup>+</sup> )	Carrier of hydride ions
Pyridoxine (B <sub>6</sub> )	Pyridoxal phosphate Pyridoxamine phosphate	Carriers of amino and carboxyl groups
Cyanocobalamin (B <sub>12</sub> )	Deoxyadenosyl cobalamin	Coenzyme in amino acid metabolism
Folic acid	Tetrahydrofolic acid	Coenzyme for 1-C transfer
Pantothenic acid	Coenzyme A	Acyl group carrier
Biotin	Biocytin	Coenzyme in CO <sub>2</sub> fixation
Ascorbic acid	Unknown	Hydroxylation of proline and lysine in collagen

## NAD<sup>+</sup> to NADH Mechanism

- The nicotinamide part of NAD<sup>+</sup> accepts a hydride ion (H plus two electrons) from the alcohol to be oxidized
- The alcohol loses a proton ( H<sup>+</sup> ) to the solvent

Oxidized form      Reduced form

