

Table 7.1 $K_{\rm M}$ values of some enzymes

Enzyme	Substrate	<i>K_M</i> (μM)
Chymotrypsin	Acetyl-L-tryptophanamide	5000
Lysozyme	Hexa-N-acetylglucosamine	6
β-Galactosidase	Lactose	4000
Carbonic anhydrase	CO,	8000
Penicillinase	Benzylpenicillin	50

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Table 7.2 Turnover numbers of some enzymes

Enzyme	Turnover number (per second)	
Carbonic anhydrase	600,000	
3-Ketosteroid isomerase	280,000	
Acetylcholinesterase	25,000	
Penicillinase	2,000	
Lactate dehydrogenase	1,000	
Chymotrypsin	100	
DNA polymerase I	15	
Tryptophan synthetase	2	
Lysozyme	0.5	

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Table 7.3 Substrate preferences of chymotrypsin

Amino acid in ester	Amino acid side chain	$k_{\text{cat}} / K_{\text{M}} (\text{s}^{-1} \text{ M}^{-1})$ 1.3 × 10 ⁻¹
Glycine	н	1.3×10^{-1}
Valine	CH₂ —CH	2.0
	CH ₃	
Norvaline	—СН ₂ СН ₂ СН ₃	3.6×10^2
Norleucine	$-CH_2CH_2CH_2CH_3$	3.0×10^3
Phenylalanine	—CH ₂ ——	1.0 × 10 ⁵

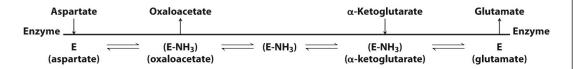
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(A) Sequential reaction



(B) Double-displacement reaction

Figure 7.6
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