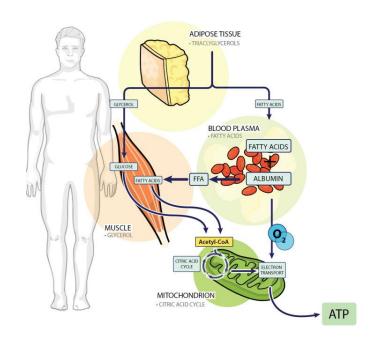


FOOD LIPIDS

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Roles of Food Lipids

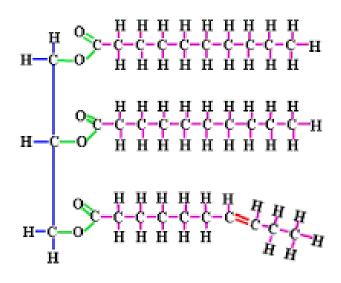
- Energy Source
- Main Flavor Source of Foods
- Mouth Feeling
- Texture of Foods
- Emulsifying Agents
- Carrier of Fat Soluble Vitamins
- Nerve System
- Thermal Insulation of Body
- Hormone and Cell Structure
- Mold Releasing and Anti-spattering Agent



Definition

The term lipid is used to describe a large group of naturally occurring fat-like substances.





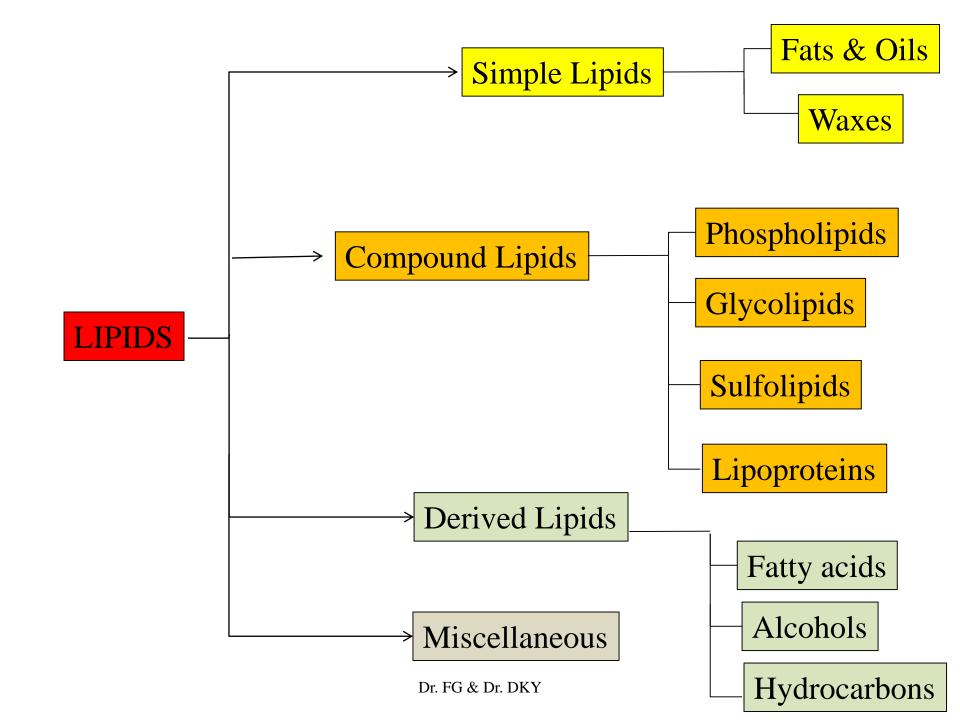
They are organic compounds which all contain carbon, hydrogen and a small amount of oxygen.

In general, lipids are soluble in organic solvents such as chloroform and hexane,



but are not soluble in water.





Phospholipids

Phospholipids are important substances concerned with the transport of lipid in blood stream.

Phospholipids are similar to fats in that they have a structure based on glycerol but instead of the three hydroxyl groups being combined with a fatty acid only two are so combined.

If one of the fatty acids is replaced by a **phosphate** molecule or a **phosphate** molecule is added top it then it is called a **phospholipid**.

FATTY ACID 1

FATTY ACID 2

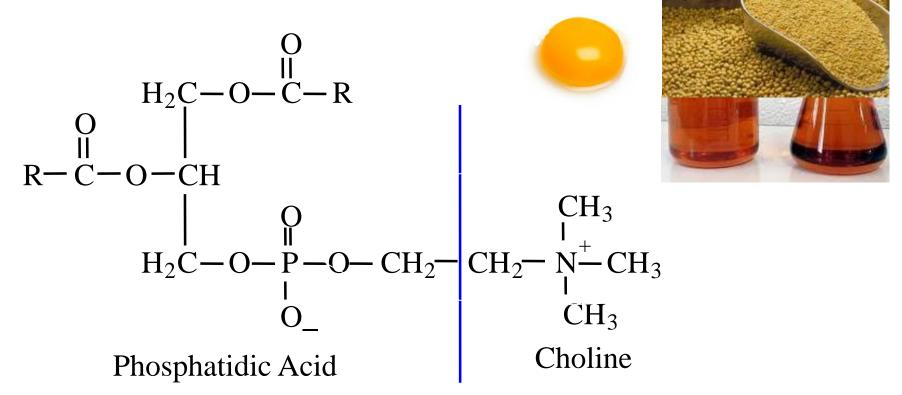
PHOSPHATE

Phospholipids

Lecithin (phosphatidyl choline) is one of the most significant phospholipids.

Lecithin is found in some foods, such as egg-yolk and crude soy

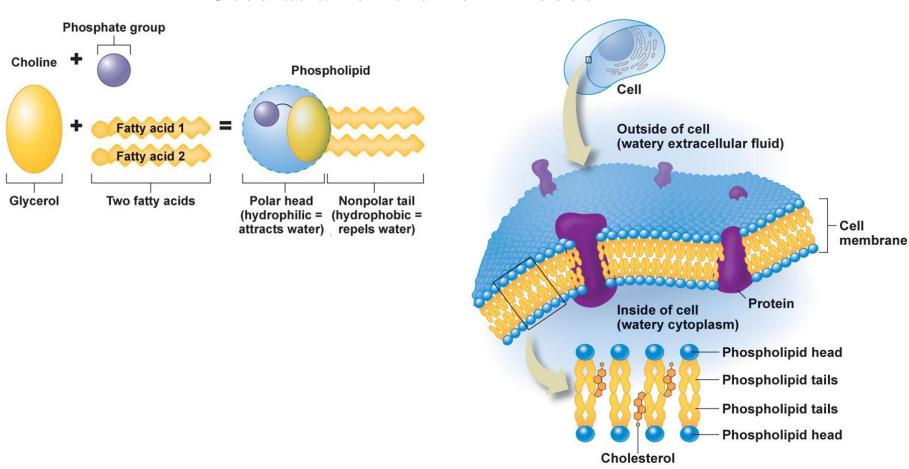
bean oil.



Phospholipids

Lecithin

- A major phospholipid in the cell membrane
- Used as an emulsifier in foods





Fatty acid + Long chain alcohol

Important in fruits:

- 1. Natural protective layer in fruits, vegetables, etc.
- 2. Added in some cases for appearance and protection.

Waxes

Beeswax (myricyl palmitate),

$$C_{30}H_{61}$$
 $-C_{15}H_{31}$





Sunflower wax





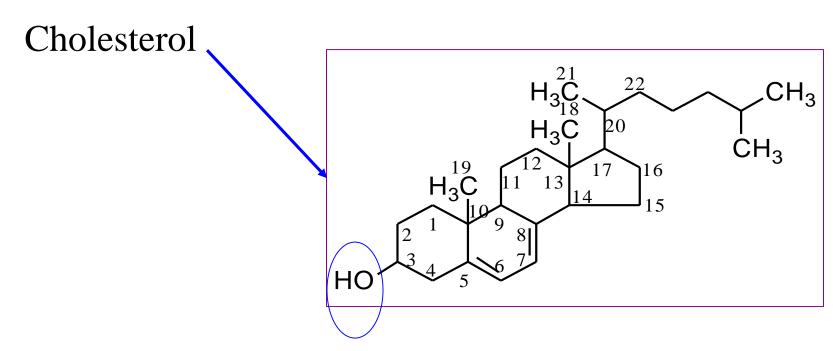
Sterols

Male & female sex hormones

Bile acids

Vitamin D

Adrenal corticosteroids



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Cholesterol

Cholesterol is

- a white fat like substance
- present in the body tissues
- found in animal foods (brain, kidney, liver, egg-yolk,..)

The body obtains some cholesterol from the diet but some is also made in the body, especially by the liver.

LDL cholesterol sometimes is called "bad" cholesterol. A high LDL level leads to a build-up of cholesterol in your arteries. (Arteries are blood vessels that carry blood from your heart to your body.)

HDL cholesterol sometimes is called "good" cholesterol. This is because it carries cholesterol from other parts of your body back to your liver. Your liver removes the cholesterol from your body.

Fat Soluble Vitamins

Vitamin A

Vitamin D₂

$$H_3C$$
 H_3C
 CH_3
 CH_3

Vitamin E

Oils and Fats

Functions of fats in food:

- 1. Provide energy (9 kcal/gm)
- 2. Contribute flavor, aroma, and tenderness
- 3. Provide satiety
- 4. Carry fat-soluble vitamins (A, D, E & K)
- 5. Provide a source of essential fatty acids

Fats and oils are used



• in cooking



as salad oils



as spreads

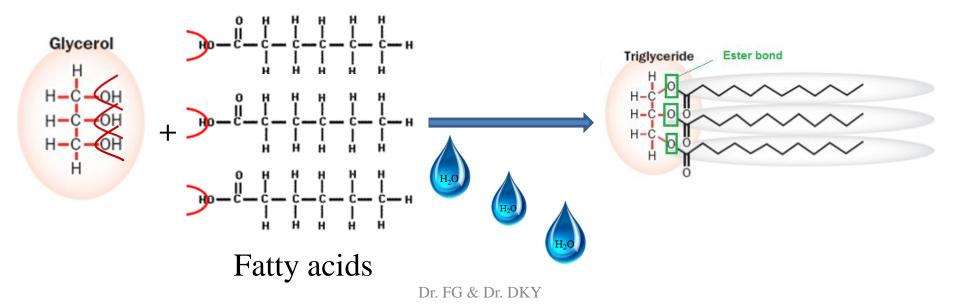
• as ingredients in manufactured and cooked foods

Oils and Fats

Chemically they belong to a class of **esters** which results from the reaction of **acids** and **alcohols**.

Fats and Oils – Triglycerides

The three hydroxyl groups of the **glycerol** molecule can each combine with a **fatty acid** molecule and the resulting **ester** is called a **TRIGLYCERIDE**.



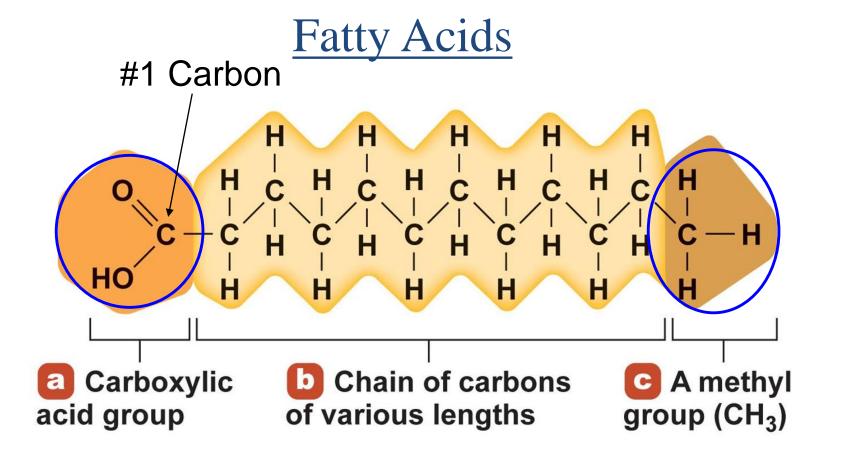
Oils and Fats

Chemically oils and fats are the same; the only distinction between them is that at normal air temparatures oils are liquid while fats are solid.





✓ The nature of fatty acids plays an important role in determining the character of oils and fats



Fatty acids are known as **carboxylic acids** because they contain the carboxyl group (-COOH)

The length of carbon chain varies, and the number of carbon atoms is an even number between 4 and 24

Naturally-occurring Fatty Acids

- 1. Cis form
- 2. Not conjugated --- isolated double bond.
- 3. Even numbered fatty acids.

Types of Fatty Acids

Fatty acids are classified into three classes according to their saturation

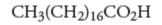
• Fatty acids that possess **no** double bonds are *saturated* (have maximum number of H atoms).

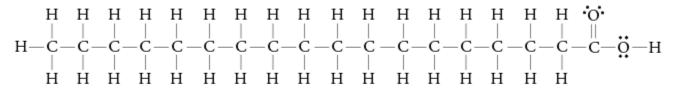
Saturated fatty acids are linear in structure

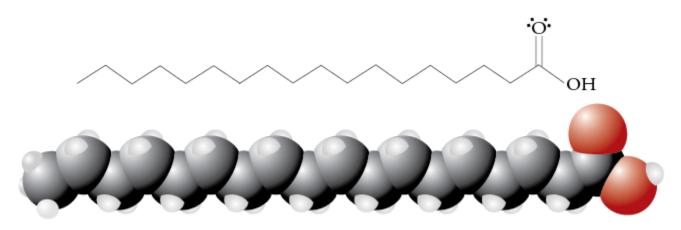
- Fatty acids with one double bond are monounsaturated
- Fatty acids with more than one double are *polyunsaturated*Unsaturated fatty acids are bent in structure

Type of Fatty Acid	Double Bonds	Diagram
Saturated	None	
Monounsaturated	One	/ _//
Polyunsaturated	Multiple (>1)	__\

Saturated Fatty Acids







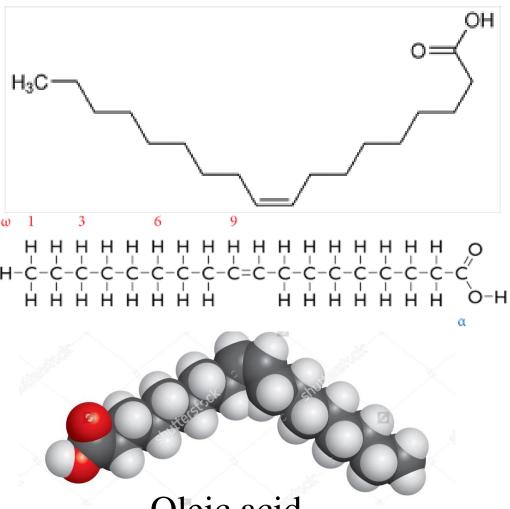
Stearic acid

Saturated Fatty Acids

Common Name	Systematic Name	Formula	Common source
Butyric	Butanoic	CH3(CH2)2COOH	butterfat
Caproic	Hexanoic	CH3(CH2)4COOH	butterfat, coconut
Caprylic	Octanoic	СН3(СН2)6СООН	and palm nut oils coconut and palm
Capric	Decanoic	CH3(CH2)8COOH	nut oils, butterfat coconut and palm
Lauric	Dodecanoic	СН3(СН2)10СООН	nut oils, butterfat coconut and palm
Myristic	Tetradecanoic	СН3(СН2)12СООН	nut oils, butterfat coconut and Palm nut oil, most
Palmitic	Hexadecanoic	СН3(СН2)14СООН	animal and plant fats practically all animal and
Stearic	Octadecanoic	СН3(СН2)16СООН	plant fats animal fats and minor
Arachidic	Eicosanoic	CH3(CH2)18COOH	component of plant fats peanut oil

Monounsaturated Fatty Acids

 $H_3C-(CH_2)_7-CH=CH-(CH_2)_7-COOH$



Oleic acid

Monounsaturated Fatty Acids

Common Name	Systematic Name	Formula	Common source
Palmitoleic	Cis 9-hexadecenoic	С15Н29СООН	Breast milk, plant and animal fats
Oleic	Cis 9-octadecenoic	С17Н33СООН	plant and animal fats
Elaidic	Trans 9-Octadecenoic	С17Н33СООН	animal fats

Polyunsaturated Fatty Acids (PUFA)

Linoleic acid: Cis, cis, 9, 12 - Octadecadienoic acid

Linolenic acid: Cis, cis, cis 9, 12, 15 - Octadecatrienoic acid

Arachidonic acid: Cis, cis, cis, cis 5, 8, 11, 14 - Eicosatetraenoic acid

Linoleic Acid

Linolenic Acid

Arachidonic Acid

Polyunsaturated Fatty Acids

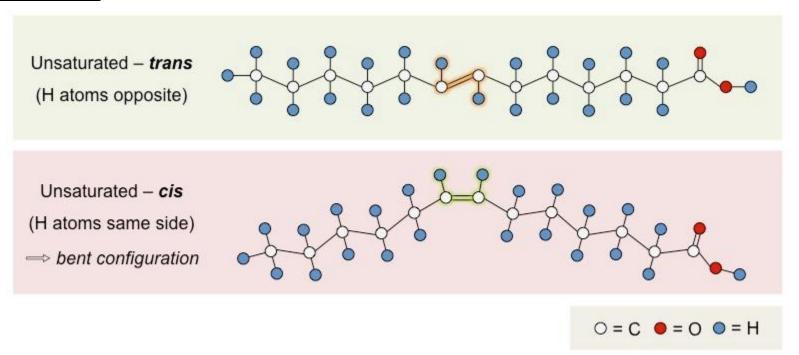
Common Name	Systematic Name	Formula	Common source
	A. with two double bonds		
Linoleic	9,12-Octadecadienoic	С17Н31СООН	peanut, linseed, and cottonseed oils
	B. with three double bond	S	
Linolenic	9,12,15-Octadecatrienoic	C17H29COOH	linseed and other seed
Eleostearic	9,11,13-Octadecatrienoic	С17Н29СООН	oils peanut seed fats
C. with four double bonds			
Moroctic	4,8,12,15- Octadecatetraenoic	С17Н27СООН	fish oils
Arachidoni	c 5,8,11,14- Eicosatetraenoic	С19Н31СООН	traces in animal fats

Cis And Trans Fatty Acids

Unsaturated fatty acids may occur in two distinct structural configurations -cis and trans isomers

Cis: The hydrogen atoms attached to the carbon double bond are on the <u>same</u> side

Trans: The hydrogen atoms attached to the carbon double bond are on <u>different</u> sides



Cis and Trans Fatty Acids

Naturally occurring unsaturated fatty acids have cis forms.

$$CH_{3}(CH_{2})_{7} - \overset{H}{C} = \overset{H}{C} - (CH_{2})_{7} - \overset{O}{C} - OH$$

Non linear in structure

Cis 9 - Octadecenoic Acid (oleic)

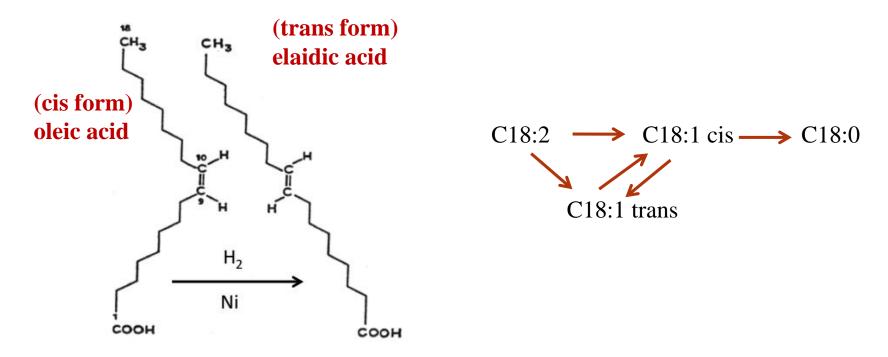
$$CH_{3}(CH_{2})_{7} - C = C - (CH_{2})_{7} - C - OH$$
linear in structure

Trans 9 - Octadecenoic Acid (elaidic acid)

Cis and Trans Fatty Acids

Trans bonds result from

an industrial process called hydrogenation



- high temperature applications (deodorization, frying, etc..)
- microbial action (occur in milk fat and meat)

Cis and Trans Fatty Acids

Old theory: Enzymes can recognize the difference between *cis* and *trans* forms, acting on the *cis* but not *trans*.

New theory: Trans fat is metabolized but competitively inhibits the metabolism of other fatty acids (essential fatty acids)

	Cis Fat	Trans Fat
Health Effect	Generally good for health unless consumed in unreasonably high quantities.	Detrimental — lowers good cholesterol and increases the level of <u>bad cholesterol</u> in the body. Harmful to heart health could cause cardiac death.
Occurs naturally	Yes	While some natural trans fats occur in meat and dairy products, the majority of trans fats come from processed foods (i.e., hydrogenated oils).
Arrangement of atoms	The chains of carbon atoms are on the same side of the double bond, resulting in a kink.	Hydrogen atoms are on the opposite side of the double bonds of the carbon chain, making the fat molecule straight.
Melting Point	Usually low. Some cis fats are liquid at room temperature.	Usually high. Trans fats, like <u>saturated fats</u> , are solid at room temperature.

Trans Fats and Health



Trans fat



What are trans fats?

Trans fats are created when food manufacturers add hydrogen to vegetable oil. This process, called hydrogenation, increases the shelf life and flavor of many foods.

Why are trans fats bad?

Trans fats, along with saturated fats, raise the cholesterol levels in your blood. High cholesterol levels contribute to heart disease.

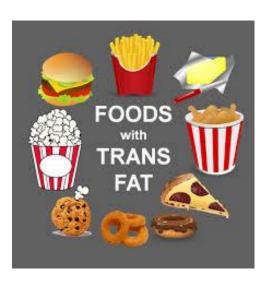
What foods contain trans fats?

Many sweets and baked goods contain high levels of trans fats. Here are a few foods to avoid, or eat in moderation:

- French fries
- Shortening
- Potato chips
- Doughnuts
- Cookies
- Candy bars Source: U.S. Food





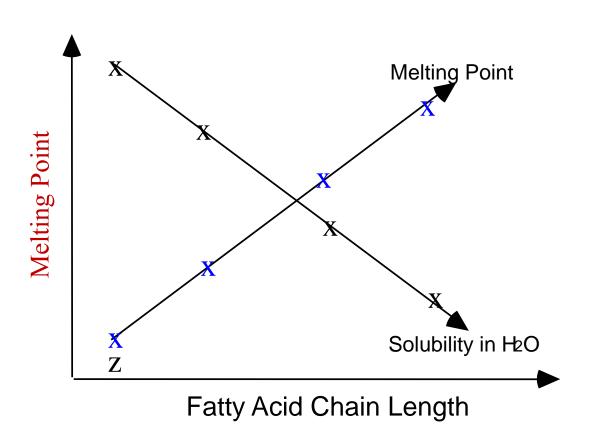


Fatty Acids according to their chain length

Fats vary in the length of their carbon chains, leading to another classification scheme based on their number of carbon pairs:

- Short-chain fatty acids (SCFAs): Less than eight carbons— These are produced in the large bowel as a result of bacterial fermentation of soluble fibre.
- Medium-chain fatty acids (MCFAs): Eight to 14 carbons-Coconut oil is composed of approximately 66% medium-chain fatty acids.
- Long-chain fatty acids (LCFAs): 16 or more carbons- most important fatty acids for human being like ALA, LA, EPA, DHA etc.

Fatty Acids Melting Points and Solubility in Water



Characteristics of Fatty Acids

Fatty Acids	M.P.(C)	mg/100 ml in H2O*
C4	- 8	_
C6	- 4	970
C8	16	75
C10	31	6
C12	44	0.55
C14	54	0.18
C16	63	0.08
C18	70	0.04
		* Solubility

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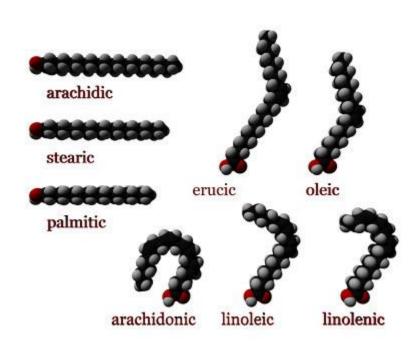
Effects of Double Bonds on the Melting Points

All natural fats contain both saturated and unsaturated fatty acids (combined with glycerol)

The degree of unsaturation of a fat is important in determining its properties.



The more double bonds that a carbon-hydrogen chain possesses the greater is **its degree of unsaturation**.

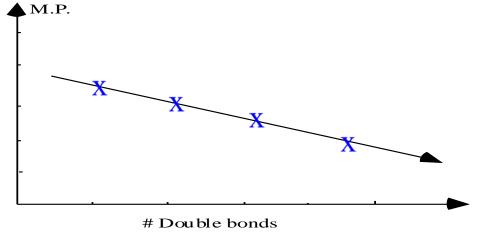


Effects of Double Bonds on the Melting Points

unsaturation/saturation

increases, melting point decreases

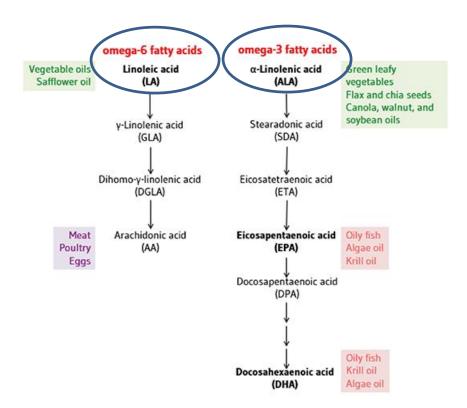
F. A.	M. P. (C)
16:0	60
16:1	1
18:0	63
18:1	16
18:2	-5
18:3	-11
20:0	75
20:4	-50





Polyunsaturated fatty acids (PUFA) are of particular interest in human nutrition because certain of them cannot be made by the body and so must be supplied by food.

Linoleic acid (LA), an omega-6 <u>fatty acid</u>, and α -linolenic acid (ALA), an omega-3 fatty acid, are considered essential fatty acids (EFA) because they cannot be <u>synthesized</u> by humans.



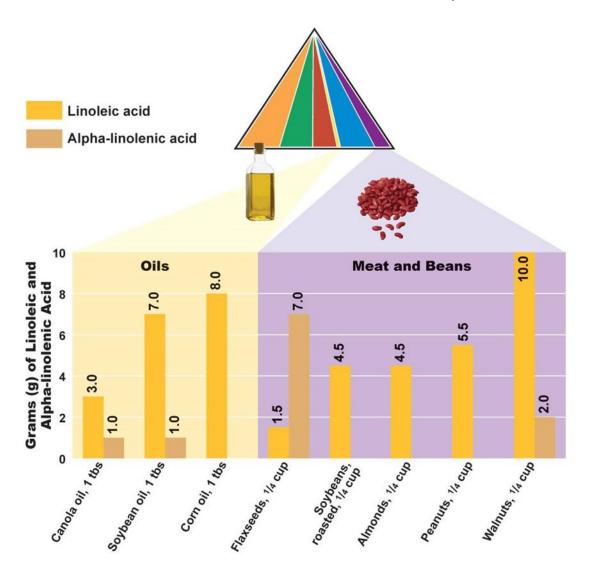
Due to low efficiency of conversion of ALA to

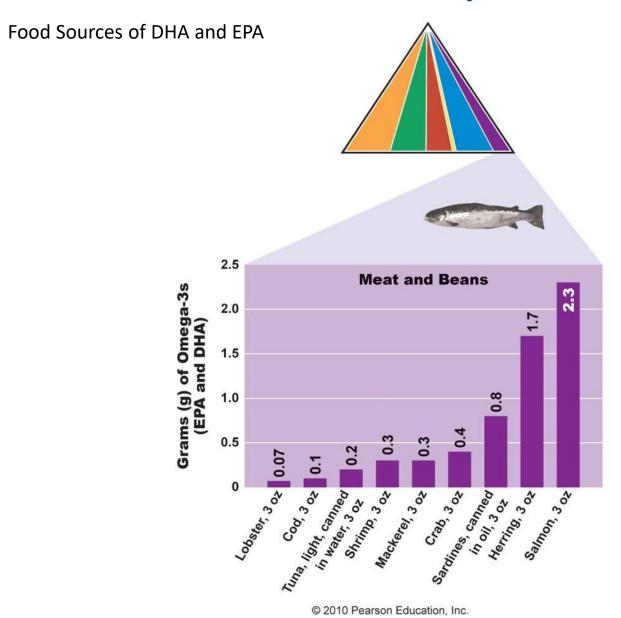
EPA and

DHA,

it is recommended to obtain EPA and DHA from additional sources.

Best Food Sources of Essential Fatty acids





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Triglycerides

Glycerol

3 Fatty Acids

Trigyceride

Glycerides

$$H_{2}C-O-C-(CH_{2})_{16}CH_{3}$$
 $HC-OHO$
 $H_{2}C-O-C-(CH_{2})_{16}CH_{3}$

Monoglyceride (α - monostearin)

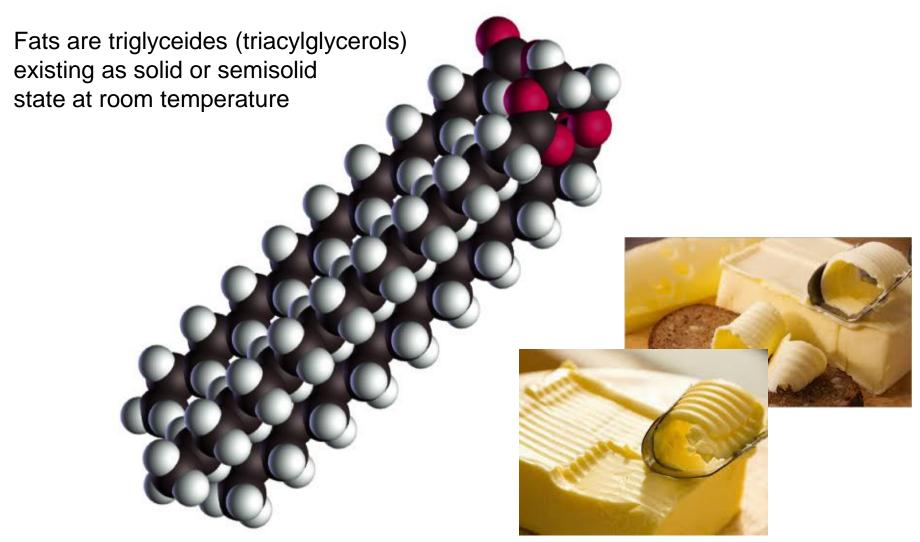
Diglyceride (α , α' - distearin)

$$\begin{array}{c} O \\ H_{2}C-O-C-(CH_{2})_{16}CH_{3} & (C_{18}) \\ O \\ HC-O-C-(CH_{2})_{14}CH_{3} & (C_{16}) \\ O \\ H_{2}C-O-C-(CH_{2})_{16}CH_{3} & (C_{18}) \end{array}$$

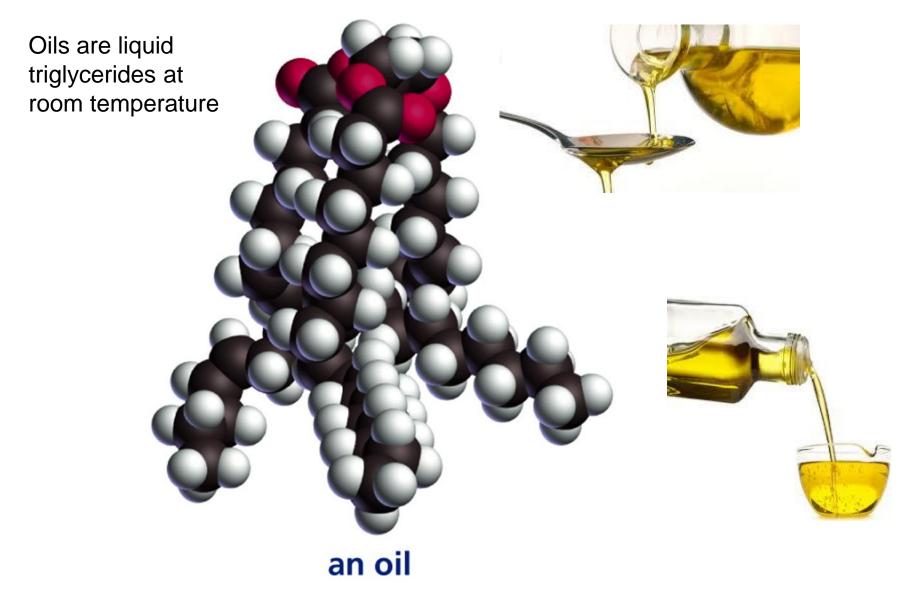
Triglyceride (β - palmityl distearin)

Fatty Acids (%) of Fats and Oils

F	atty Acids	Butter	Coconut	Cottonseed	Soybean
	4	3			
	6	3			
	8	2	6		
	10	3	6		
	12	3	44		
	14	10	18	1	
	16	26	11	4	12
	16:1	7		1	
	18:0	15	6	3	2
	18:1	29	7	18	24
	18:2	2	2	53	54
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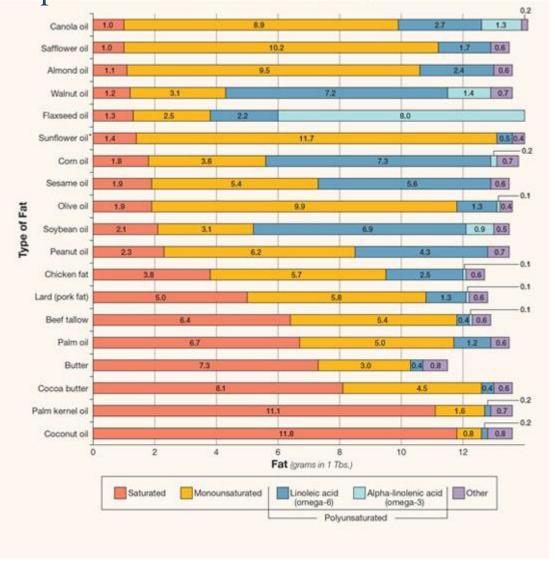


a fat



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Fatty acid compositions of oils and fats



Physical nature of oils and fats

- Fats may either be liquid, plastic or solid at room temperature.
- A plastic fat is moldable because it contains both liquid oil and solid crystals of triglycerides.
- Its texture depends on the ratio of solid to liquid triglycerides; the more liquid triglycerides (more unsaturated f.a. containing), the softer the fat will be, and the more solid triglycerides (more saturated f.a. containing), the harder it will be.
- Fats do not melt at a fixed temperature, but over a range of temperatures. For example; sunflower seed oil -18 to -16, olive

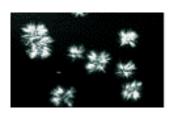
oil -3 to 0, palm oil 33 to 40, butter 28 to 35.

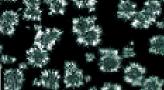




Physical nature of oils and fats

- In this range they are plastic;
 - that is they are soft and can be spread but they do not flow
 - their properties are intermediate between those of a solid and liquid
- They are plastic, because fat is a mixture of different triglycerides, each triglyceride having its own melting point.
- The melting point of fats is also affected by the fact that many triglycerides can exist in several crystalline forms, that is they are polymorphic.





Each crystalline form has its own melting point. So, the way in which an oil is cooled affects the texture and consistency of the product formed.



Refining of crude oils

Most vegetable oils, contain a number of impurities such as moisture, free fatty acids, gums, waxes, coloring matter, odorous compounds and etc.

These impurities affect taste, odor, color, clarity, and are removed during refining.





Refining of crude oils

Pressurized

Crude Oil Extracted CRUDE OIL Crude Oil Water/Acid Degumming **Phospholipids** Lecithin Caustic Soda + Water Neutralisation Soapstock -Fatty Acids Washing Drying Winterisation Waxes Fresh **Bleaching Earth** Bleaching Used Bleaching Earth Steam Fatty acids Deodorisation distillates The oil is now pure and ready for use or blending. It is desirable that REFINED OIL the oil should not come in contact with moisture, air and light. Dr. FG & Dr. DKY

Function/Aim

- > Removal of phospholipids
- > Removal of free fatty acids
- > Removal of moisture
- > Removal of waxes
- Removal of undesirable color pigments
- Removal of odorous volatile compounds

Neutralization

All crude oils contain a small proportion of ffa and low grade oils.

- The acids are removed by neutralizing the oil with a solution of caustic soda (NaOH), which converts the fatty acids into insoluble soap.
- The soap is then removed by centrifugation.

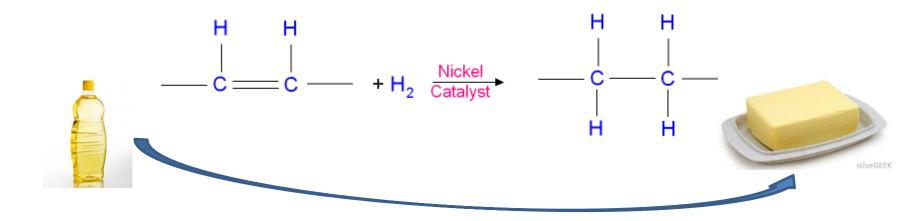
If the acid impurity is palmitic acid, for example, insoluble sodium palmitate is formed:

$$C_{15}H_{31}COOH + NaOH \longrightarrow C_{15}H_{31}COONa + H_2O$$
Palmitic acid Sodium palmitate

free fatty acid soap

Hydrogenation

- Hydrogenation is the process where an oil is converted into a fat, that is, by which it is hardened.
- Hydrogenation is simply the addition of hydrogen to the double bonds of unsaturated fatty acids combined with glycerol in an oil.



- converts unsaturated fatty acids into saturated fatty acids
- increases stability
- but also converts cis forms into trans forms

RANCIDITY

Oils and fats are liable to spoilage which results in the production of unpleasant odors and flavors, such spoilage is usuallly described by the general term rancidity.



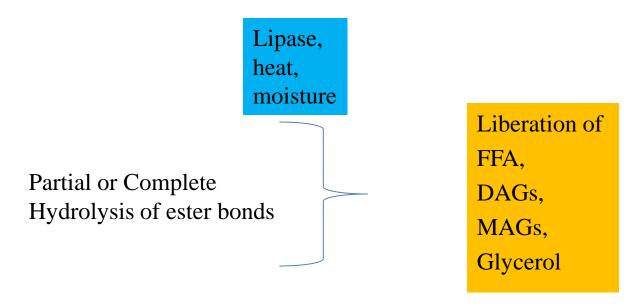


TYPES OF RANCIDITY

- Hydrolytic rancidity
 - Enzyme action (lipase), heat, moisture
 - Free fatty acids provide aroma
- Oxidative rancidity
 - Radical oxidation
 - Aldehydes and other compounds provide aroma

HYDROLYTIC RANCIDITY

- Hydrolytic rancidity occurs as a result of partial or complete hydrolysis of triglyceride molecules.
- It is brought about by the presence of moisture in foods.
- Hydrolysis is accelerated by the presence of enzymes and microorganisms

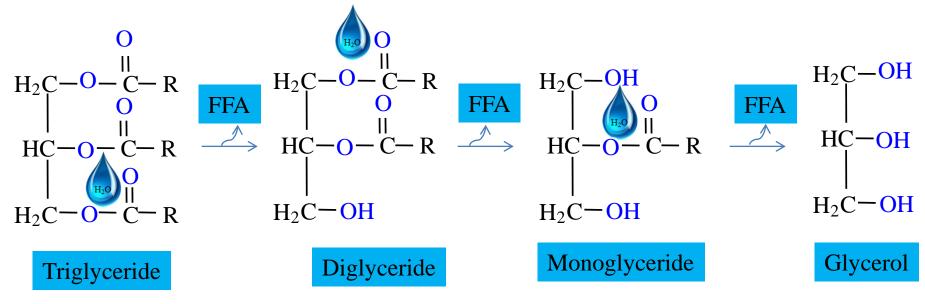


Free fatty acid (FFA) or acid value is the measure (indicator) of hydrolytic rancidity. It is measured by the quantity of potassium hydroxide required to neutralize the free acids present in oil.

HYDROLYTIC RANCIDITY

Flavor and odor produced are dependent on fatty acid composition of the triglycerides

• FFA (4-14 C atom) gives unpleasant flavor and odor

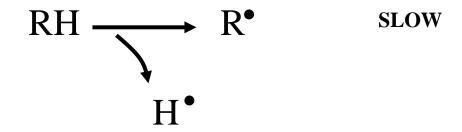


For example: milk fat



- It is the most common and important type of rancidity
- It is caused by the reaction of unsaturated oils with oxygen
- Oxidation of oils takes place by means of a CHAIN REACTION.
- Initiation
 - A radical is formed
- Propagation
 - Radicals react and transfer their unpaired electron to other compounds
- Termination
 - Two radicals combine to stop the reaction

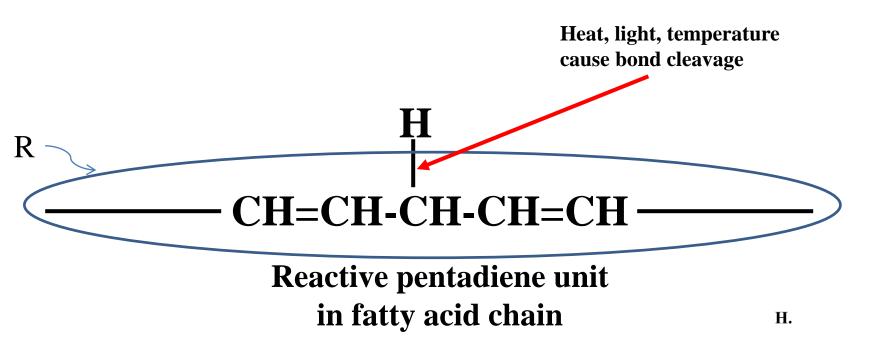
Initiation



A hydrogen atom is removed from an unsaturated triglyceride. Free radicals (R[•]), which are groups containing an unpaired electron, are extremely unstable and immediately react with another molecule to form a more stable substance.

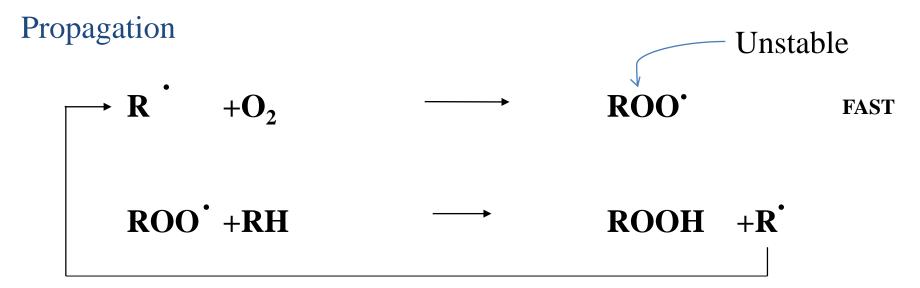
Initiation

This reaction only occurs under the influence of catalyst (metals such as copper) and in the presence of heat and light

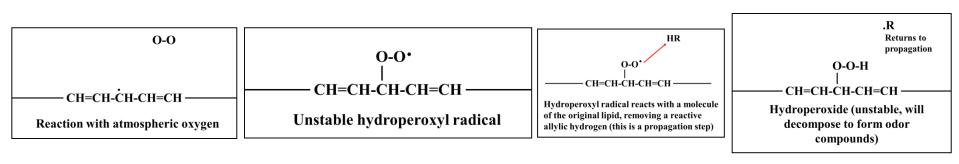


CH=CH-CH-CH=CH

Bond is completely broken

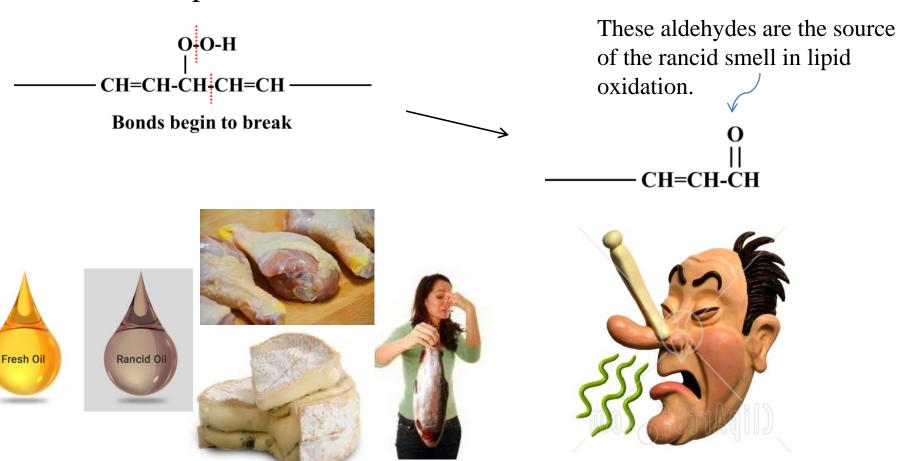


As the reaction proceeds hydroperoxide is continually formed and, being unstable.



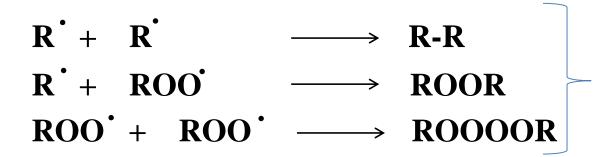
Propagation

Hydroperoxide breaks down to form ketones and aldehydes, which are responsible for the off-flavors of rancid fats

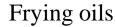


Termination

The propagation can be followed by termination if the free radicals react with themselves to yield non-active products.



It is a polymerization reaction. Produce high molecular weight compounds and cause foaming and increased viscosity.





How can We measure Oxidative rancidity?

- Peroxide value (primary oxidation products)
- p-Anisidine value (secondary oxidation products)
- Thiobarbituric acid test
- •

Because peroxides are easily determined in fats, the peroxide value (PV) is frequently used to measure the progress of oxidative rancidity.

- Measured on the basic ability of peroxides to liberate iodine from potassium iodide.
- The amount of iodine produced is directly proportional to the peroxide value.
- Expressed in terms of milliequivalents per kilogram of fats.

The effect of antioxidants

Antioxidants are added to control Oxidative Rancidity.
 Antioxidants do not prevent oxidation, but they slow it down, thereby extending the induction period and hence the shelf life of fat-containing foods.

Mechanism of antioxidants in oxidation

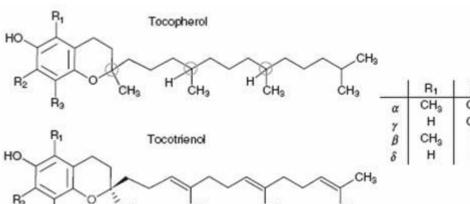
$$R' + AH \longrightarrow RH + A'$$
 $ROO' + AH \longrightarrow ROOH + A'$

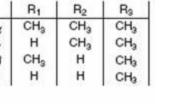
Free radical Antioxidant

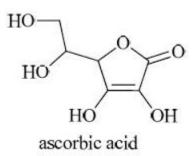
Commonly used antioxidants

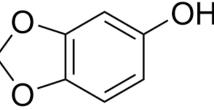
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Antioxidants









Sesamol

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R7 7 A B R2	
R6 R5	

Anthocyanidin	R ₁	R ₂	R ₃	R ₄	R ₅	R ₆	R ₇
Aurantinidin	-H	-OH	-H	-OH	-OH	-OH	-OH
Cyanidin	-OH	-OH	-H	-OH	-OH	-H	-OH
Dephinidin	-OH	-OH	-OH	-OH	-OH	-H	-OH
Europinidin	-OCH ₃	-OH	-OH	-OH	-OCH ₃	-H	-OH
Luteolinidin	-OH	-OH	-H	-H	-OH	-H	-OH
Pelargonidin	-H	-OH	-H	-OH	-OH	-H	-OH
Malvidin	-OCH ₃	-OH	-OCH ₃	-OH	-OH	-H	-OH
Peonidin	-OCH ₃	-OH	-H	-OH	-OH	-H	-OH
Petunidin	-OH	-OH	-OCH ₃	-OH	-OH	-H	-OH
Rosinidin	-OCH ₃	-OH	-H	-OH	-OH	-H	-OCH ₃

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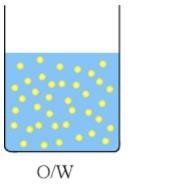
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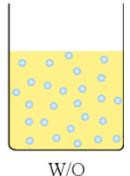
Anthocyanin

When oil is added to water it forms a separate layer above water, We say they are immiscible.



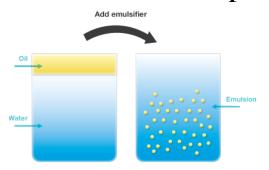


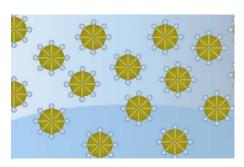




If oil and water are shaken vigorously the two liquids become dispersed in each other and the dispersion is called as EMULSION.

In order for oil and water to form a stable emulsion a third substance, **EMULSIFIER** must be present.



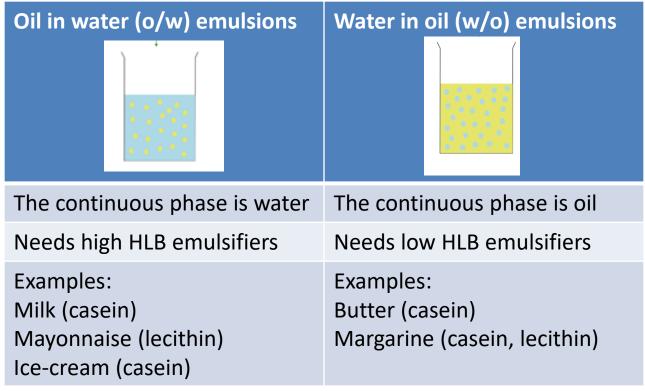




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Types of emulsions

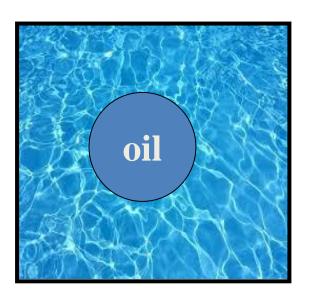




Oil-in-water emulsion

Two oil droplets dispersed in water

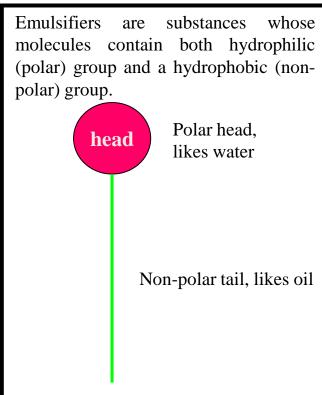


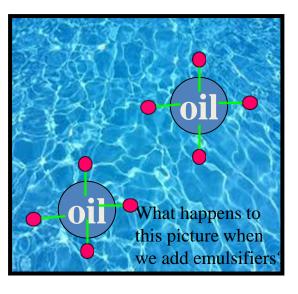


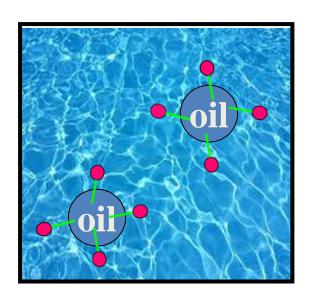


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This system is stabilized due to a lowering of surface tension by the EMULSIFIER

- Now the water sees only the polar emulsifier heads head
- The oil droplets can see only the nonpolar emulsifier tails.
- So, there is no driving force for separation of the phases

Types of Emulsifiers

Natural emulsifying agents

- Proteins
- Complex carbohydrates (agar, pectin, gums, ..)
- Phospholipids (lecithin)

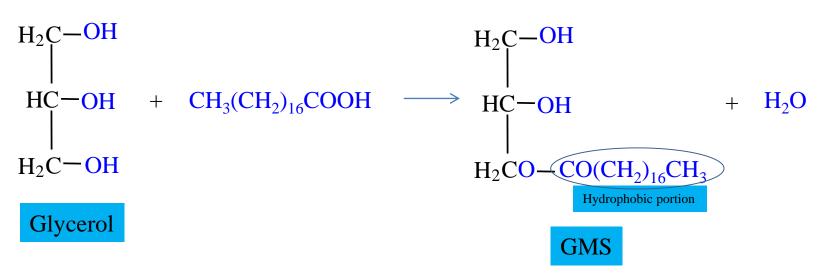
Synthetic emulsifiers

- Sorbitan esters-SPANS (hydrophobic, form w/o emulsions)
- Polysorbates-TWEENS (hydrophilic, form o/w emulsions)
- Soaps
- Mono-, di glycerides (Atmul-Glyceryl monostearate-GMS)

Types of Emulsifiers

Lecithin, which is a phospholipid, is an important natural emulsifier. It is present in egg-yolk and many crude vegetable oils. Mainly extracted from soya bean oil in degumming process.

GMS (**Glyceryl monostearate**) is a monoglyceride, formed when one hyroxyl group of glycerol is esterified with stearic acid.

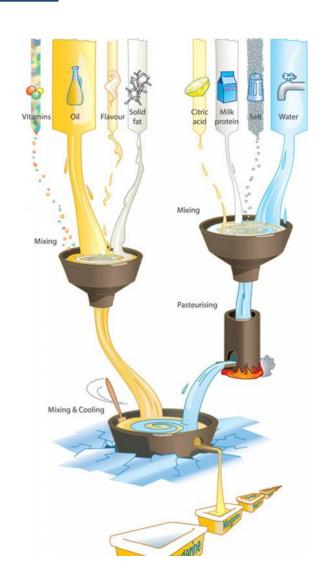


MARGARINE

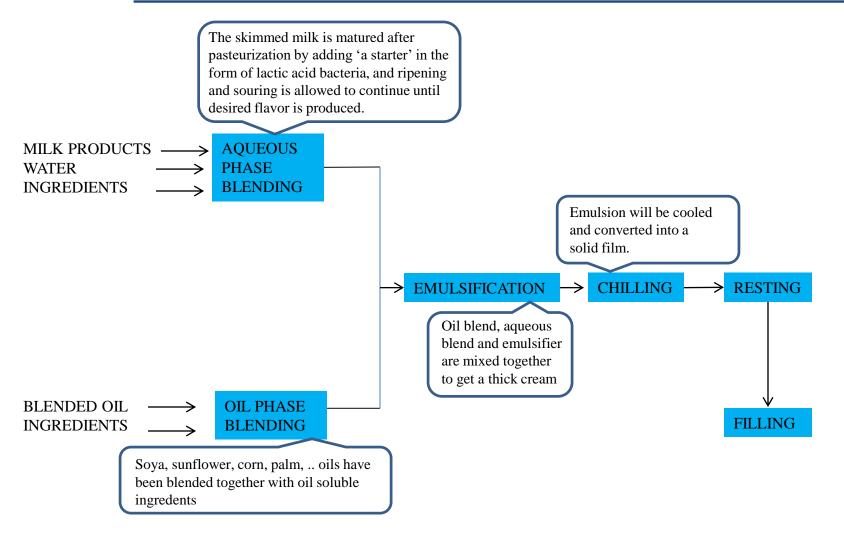
Margarine, an emulsion, was first created in 1869 by a French chemist named Hippolyte Mège-Mouriès.

It was originally made from beef fat and was intended to be a cheaper and less perishable option to regular butter.

By invention of hydrogenation, vegetable oils such as cottonseed and soybean oils replaced the animal fats.



MARGARINE MANUFACTURING



QUESTIONS

1. What is the difference between fats and oil?



Answer:

Both of them in triacylglycerol structure.

However fats are solid at room temperature while oils are liquid.



2. Classify the fatty acids according to their saturation and carbon chain length



Answer:

According to saturation:

- Saturated
- Monounsaturated
- Polyunsaturated

According to chain lenght:

- Short chain
- Medium chain
- Long chain



3. What is the specific name of spoilage for fats and oils?



Answer:

Rancidity



4. Give examples for w/o and o/w emulsions.



Answer:

w/o: margarine

o/w: milk

