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QA1 - Amino Acid Biochemistry

1. How many possible different tripeptides could form, by combining three different amino acids?

2. Draw a tripeptide formed from the following amino acids: valine, tyrosine, and glycine

3. Draw the products of the following reaction

$$HO \longrightarrow NH_2$$
 $Heat \longrightarrow H_2O$





4.	Using the following diagram, define the terms Primary Structure , Secondary Structure , and
4.	Tertiary Structure. In your answer, explain how these structures form.
5.	Explain what would need to happen to the protein, for it to have a quaternary structure, and to be a conjugated protein.
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6.	How do genes determine the overall structure of a protein?