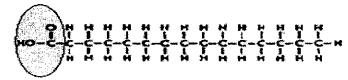
Lipids and Nucleic Acids

I. Lipid Structure





a. (subunits) = long straight chains of hydrogen and carbon atoms that have a

attached

b. Three classes of lipid polymers contain fatty acids:

II. Lipid Function

A. Store

for future use

B. to maintain normal body temperature and **cushion** the internal organs

C. surfaces of animals and plants (waxes)

D. Form biological (

- E. Produce hormones (steroids)
 - a. Two Types of Steroids:

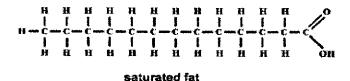
(Testosterone and Estrogen) and

(Increase muscle mass)

- b. Cholesterol
 - 1. Makes
 - 2. Too much cholesterol in blood

III. Types of Fatty Acids:

VS.



IV. Lipids at the Atomic Level

THINK:

A. Like carbohydrates, lipids are made up of:

B. Carbohydrates have twice as many of atoms. EX:

atoms as the number

C. Lipids have MANY MORE atoms. EX:

atoms than cholesterol