B - Amides: An organic compound containing a carboxyl group, in which the hydroxyl group is replaced by a nitrogen atom bonded with other atoms.

General formula: $\begin{array}{c} & O & H \\ \parallel & \parallel & \parallel \\ & -C - N - \end{array}$ Name: alkane (each number of carbon atoms) + Amide

Ethan amide Common name: (<u>acetamide</u>) = derived from acetic acid

Example: pain reliever (acetaminophen) instead of aspirin (4-hydroxyphenylacetamide)

Consists of an amine group (- NH -) bonded with a carbonyl group and an aromatic group

Example: One important amide is caramide (NH₂CONH₂), $\begin{array}{ccc} H & O & H \\ & & \parallel & \parallel & \parallel \\ H - N - C - N - H \end{array}$ or urea.

Urea is: an end product in the metabolic breakdown of proteins in mammals.

found in the blood, bile, milk, and perspiration of mammals.

Important note: natural proteins, and some industrial materials contain the functional group of amide repeated several times

(Proteins)

Important note: When proteins break down, the amine groups leave, these amino groups (NH₂) turn into ammonia molecules (NH₃), and are considered toxic to the body.

The toxic ammonia is converted to nontoxic urea in the liver. The urea is filtered out of the blood in the kidneys and passed from the body in urine.

Because of the high nitrogen content of urea and because it is easily converted to ammonia in the soil, urea is a common commercial fertilizer. Urea is also used as a protein supplement for ruminant animals, such as cattle and sheep. These animals use urea to produce proteins in their bodies.

condensation reaction: two smaller organic molecules combine to form a more complex molecule, accompanied by the loss of a small molecule such as water.

Example: Producing an aspirin (acetylsalicylic acid) from an acetic acid and a salicylic acid.

Note: **condensation reactions** are considered to be *Elimination reaction*., in which two atoms are bonded and that are not previously bonded together.

the most common of these reactions is: Carboxylic acid reactions with other organic substances, such as:

Carboxylic acid + alcohol
$$\rightarrow$$
 ester + water

O

R-C-OH + H-O-R

R-C-O-R + H₂O

Section 22.3 Assessment

Section Summary

- Carbonyl compounds are organic compounds that contain the C=O group.
- Five important classes of organic compounds containing carbonyl compounds are aldehydes, ketones, carboxylic acids, esters, and amides.
- 14. MAIN (Idea Classify each of the carbonyl compounds as one of the types of organic substances you have studied in this section.

- **15. Describe** the products of a condensation reaction between a carboxylic acid and an alcohol.
- **16. Determine** The general formula for alkanes is C_nH_{2n+2} . Derive a general formula to represent an aldehyde, a ketone, and a carboxylic acid.
- 17. Infer why water-soluble organic compounds with carboxyl groups exhibit acidic properties in solutions, whereas similar compounds with aldehyde structures do not exhibit these properties.

Mastering Concepts

- **42.** Draw the general structure for each of the following classes of organic compounds.
 - a. aldehyde

d. ester

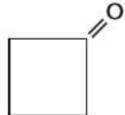
b. ketone

- e. amide
- c. carboxylic acid
- 43. Common Uses Name an aldehyde, ketone, carboxylic acid, ester, or amide used for each of the following purposes.
 - a. preserving biological specimens
 - **b.** solvent in fingernail polish
 - c. acid in vinegar
 - d. flavoring in foods and beverages
- 44. What type of reaction is used to produce aspirin from salicylic acid and acetic acid?

Mastering Problems

- 45. Draw structures for each of the following carbonyl compounds.
 - a. 2,2-dichloro-3-pentanone
 - b. 4-methylpentanal
 - c. isopropyl hexanoate
 - d. octanoamide
 - e. 3-fluoro-2-methylbutanoic acid
 - f. cyclopentanal
 - g. hexyl methanoate
- **46.** Name each of the following carbonyl compounds.

a.



b.

$$CH_3 - CH_2 - CH_2 - C - H$$

c.

$$CH_3 + CH_2 + C - NH_2$$

d.