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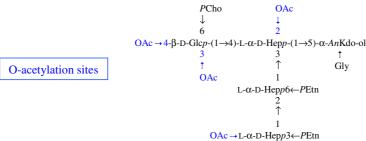
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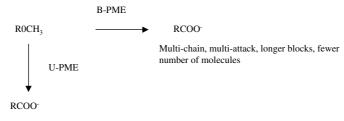
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Multi-chain, multi-attack, shorter blocks, greater number of molecules

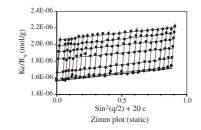
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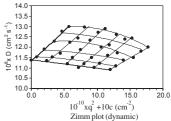
Pure chitosan, glutaraldehyde crosslinked chitosan, and a blend of chitosan with poly(ethylene oxide) (PEO) membranes were prepared and characterized in terms of their swelling capacity and permeability to a drug model (sulfamerazine sodium salt).

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Crystal structure and solid-state ¹³C NMR analysis of N-p-nitrophenyl-α-D-ribopyranosylamine, pp 2645-2653 N-p-nitrophenyl-α-D-xylopyranosylamine, and solid-state ¹³C NMR analysis of N-p-nitrophenyl-2,3,4-tri-O-acetyl-β-D-lyxopyranosylamine and N-p-nitrophenyl-2,3,4-tri-O-acetyl-α-L-arabinopyranosylamine Andrzej Temeriusz,* Tomasz Gubica, Paulina Rogowska, Katarzyna Paradowska and Michał K. Cyrański

$$R_1 = R_3 = R_6 = R_7 = H$$
, $R_2 = NH-C_6H_4-4-NO_2$, $R_4 = R_5 = R_8 = OH$

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HO
$$CH_3$$
 OCH_3 OC

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$$\leftarrow$$
2)-α-Col p -(1 \rightarrow 4)-β-D-Glc p NAc-(1 \rightarrow 4)-β-D-Glc p A-(1 \rightarrow 3)-β-D-Gal p NAc-(1 \rightarrow α-Col p -(1 \rightarrow 2)-β-D-Gal p -(1 \rightarrow 3) $^{\bot}$

Oxidation of lactose with bromine

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Distribution of reaction products as compound 1 equivalents, based on peak area in GLC-FID analyses

	Compound	Relative amount (%)		Compound	Relative amount (%)
1	Galactosylgluconic acid	100.0	10	Lyxonic acid	0.9
2	Galactosylerythronic acid	2.9	11	Arabinonic acid	1.4
3	Galactosylarabinonic acid	7.5	12	Xylonic acid	0.5
4	Galacturonosylarabinonic acid	0.4	13	Threonic acid	1.0
5	Galactosylarabinaric acid	0.5	14	Erythronic acid	0.4
6	Galactosylglucaric acid	0.2	15	Tartaric acid	3.7
7	Galactose	2.5	16	Glyceric acid	0.6
8	Gluconic acid	3.2	17	Oxalic acid	0.6
9	Galactonic acid	2.3			

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COVER

Model of blood group A trisaccharide in the binding site of the *Dolichos biflorus* lectin as established by a combination of theoretical and experimental approaches. Molecular modeling of the oligosaccharide demonstrated that two different conformations could be adopted by the trisaccharide in the binding site. NMR experiments using transferred nuclear Overhauser effects (TRNOE) displayed intermolecular contacts (blue arrows) corresponding to only one of the two theoretical conformations. This work is a collaboration between Anne Imberty (CERMAV, Grenoble) and Thomas Peters (University of Lübeck) and was presented during the XXIInd International Carbohydrate Symposium (Glasgow, 2004) on the occasion of the Whistler award.

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