

inactive precursor
"Pro-Protein"

Complements

25 proteins

IGG1, IGG3, IGA, IGM
(viruses or bacteria)

one IGM enough

Adaptive
Effector arm of Response

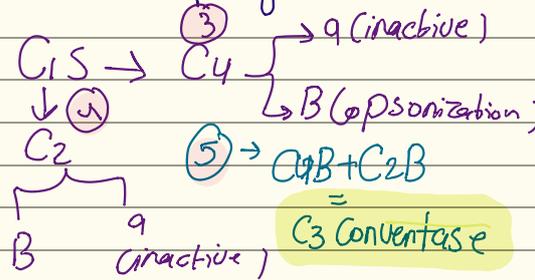
Innate
Activated early in infections

Classical



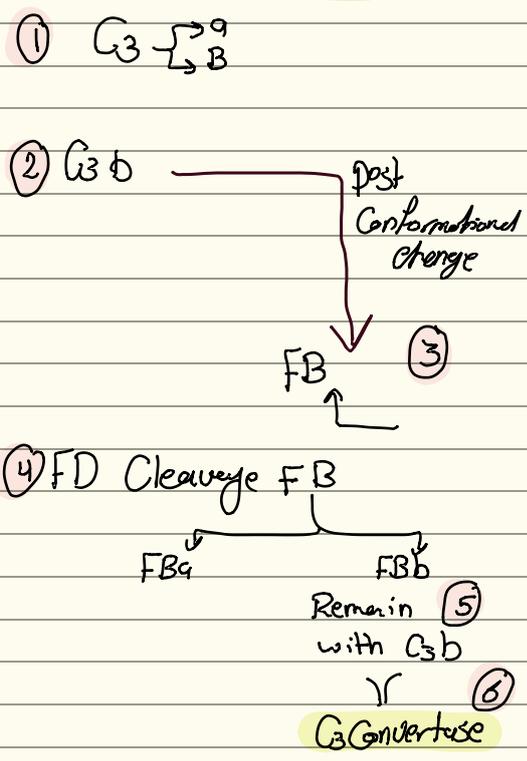
C1 [C1q, C1r, C1s]

activated & proteolytic cascade

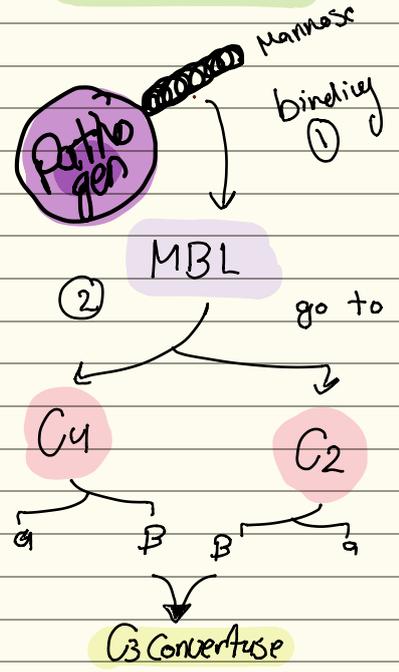


Copsonization

Alternative



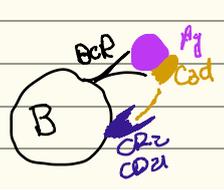
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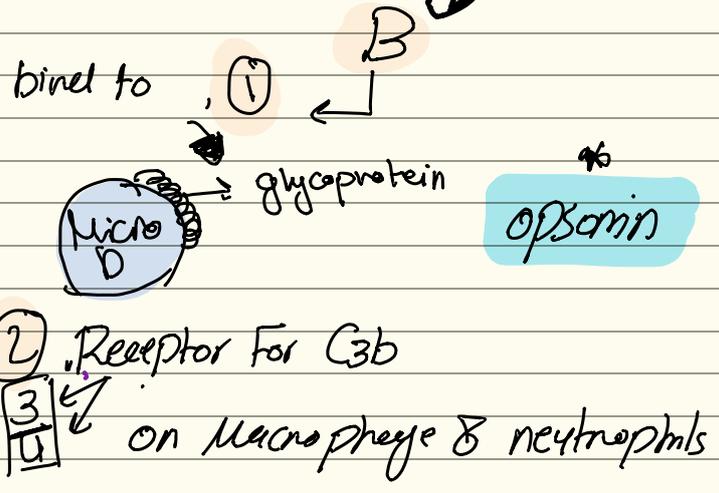
Regulate humoral immunity

↑↑ signaling

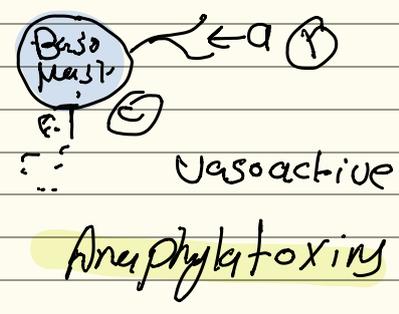
during B activation



C3 Convertase

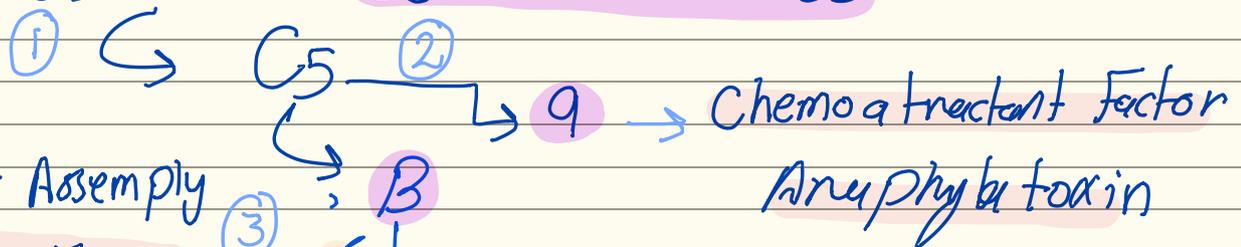


Released into fluid



MAC

C5 Convertase C3 Convertase + C3b



④ polymerization of 18 C9 = Cell Membrane

Receptors :-

① R1 (C3b, C4b)

② CR2 (C3d)

③ R3, 4 → on phagocyte

Regulation of complement activity

Factor H & DAC
Remove Bb from alternative C3 Convertase

CIINH
bind to (C5, C3) inactivate them

CD59

on normal tissue inhibits C9 → C5b-8

Factor I inactivate C3b

inherited deficiency in C3

predispose patients to frequent prob of infection [- gram]

not a problem

Disorder

C1, C2, C3, C4

↓ C2 → lupus SLE erythrematous
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CIINH (hereditary angioedema)

massive release of (C3a, C5a)

dangerous swelling [Edema]

skin/intestine

CD59 ↓

inadequate control of Mac

- intra vascular Red Cell lysis

paroxysmal nocturnal hemoglobinuria