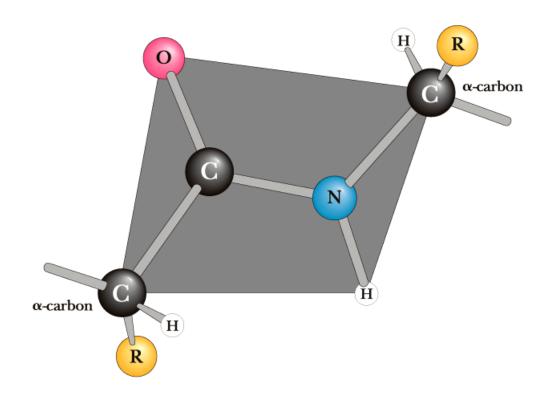
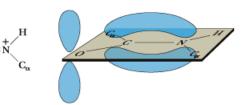
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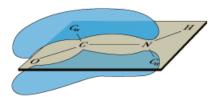


A pure double bond between C and O would permit free rotation around the C — N bond.

(b)



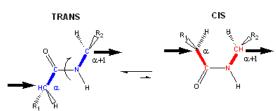
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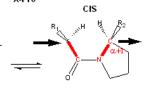


(c) The true electron density is intermediate. The barrier to C — N bond rotation of about 88 kJ mol is enough to keep the amide group planar.

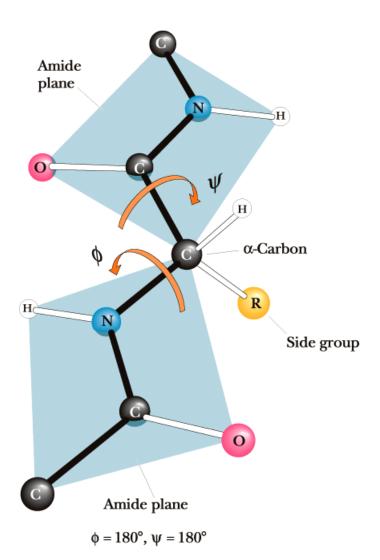
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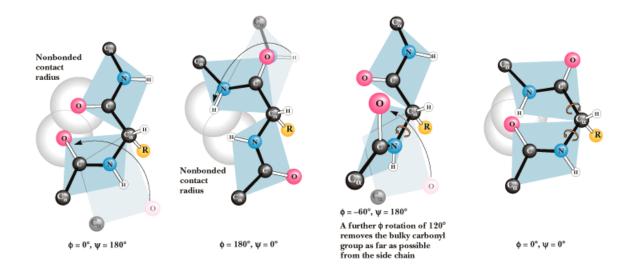




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