• Dopa is a non-proteinogenic amino acid used to treat Parkinson's disease. Only the enantiomer (**X**) is effective in restoring nerve function. The other enantiomer is highly toxic.

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What is the molecular formula of (X)?

List the substituents attached to the stereogenic centre in descending order of priority according to the sequence rules.

highest priority		lowest priority	

What is the absolute stereochemistry of (X)? Write (R) or (S).

Name the functional groups, highlighted by the boxes **a** and **b**, present in (**X**).

Give the constitutional formula of the product obtained when (\mathbf{X}) is treated with NaHCO₃.