



Responses to the Environment

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Organisms respond to changes in their environment through behavioral and physiological mechanisms.

ENE-3.D.2

Organisms exchange information with one another in response to internal changes and external cues, which can change behavior.



Responses to the Environment

IST-5.A.1

Individuals can act on information and communicate it to others.

IST-5.A.2

Communication occurs through various mechanisms—

- a. Organisms have a variety of signaling behaviors that produce changes in the behavior of other organisms and can result in differential reproductive success.
- b. Animals use visual, audible, tactile, electrical, and chemical signals to indicate dominance, find food, establish territory, and ensure reproductive success.



Responses to the Environment

IST-5.A.3

Responses to information and communication of information are vital to natural selection and evolution—

- a. Natural selection favors innate and learned behaviors that increase survival and reproductive fitness.
- b. Cooperative behavior tends to increase the fitness of the individual and the survival of the population.

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What are the different types of communication between organisms?

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Visual
Tactile
Auditory
Chemical
Electrical



Which is favorable for long distance in dark?

- A. Auditory**
- B. Chemical**
- C. Tactile**
- D. Visual**

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Which is favorable for long distance in dark?

A. Auditory



Auditory are noises. This means that it is able to take place in the dark and long distance. Tactile would be appropriate for dark but can NOT be done at long distances. Visual would NOT be appropriate for dark as you will be unable to see the signal. Chemical could take place in the dark, but it takes a long time for chemicals to diffuse which would be an inefficient communication method.



Which is favorable for long distance underwater?

- A. Auditory**
- B. Chemical**
- C. Tactile**
- D. Visual**



Which is favorable for long distance underwater?

B. Chemical

Chemical signals can diffuse in the water to travel long distances. Visual would be inefficient at long distances. Tactile would be inefficient at long distances. Sound waves do not travel long distances in water making auditory inefficient.

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Peacocks are brightly colored to attract a mate. Which does peacock use for mating?

- A. Auditory**
- B. Chemical**
- C. Tactile**
- D. Visual**

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Peacocks are brightly colored to attract a mate. Which does peacock use for mating?

D. Visual



The prompt states that the peacock is brightly colored which is a visual signal.

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Birds sing a song to attract a mate. Which does a bird use in mating?

- A. Auditory**
- B. Chemical**
- C. Tactile**
- D. Visual**

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Birds sing a song to attract a mate. Which does a bird use in mating?

A. Auditory



A song is a noise which would be an example of an auditory signal.

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**Why do organisms
communicate?**

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**Why do organisms
communicate?**



Indicate dominance
Find food
Establish territory
Reproductive success

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Which signal is used by dogs for marking territory?

- A. Auditory**
- B. Chemical**
- C. Tactile**
- D. Visual**

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Which signal is used by dogs for marking territory?

B. Chemical



When the dog urinates on the item (tree, grass, fire hydrant, light pole, etc.), there are chemicals in their urine. This will be used as signal for other dogs in the area that this is their territory.



Innate vs. Learned Behaviors?

- A. Innate is trial/error & learned is born**
- B. Innate is born & learned is trial/error**
- C. Innate is taught by imprinting & learned is trial/error**
- D. Innate is trial/error & learned is taught by imprinting**

Innate vs. Learned Behaviors?

B. Innate is born & learned is trial/error



Innate behaviors usually involve basic life functions, such as finding food or caring for offspring. These are usually under genetic control because those unable to complete will not survive to reproduce. Examples: Spider spinning a web, bird building a nest, caterpillar making a cocoon.

Learning behaviors are trial and error. These develop during the organism's lifetime. Example: crow bending wire into a hook shape, chimp strip leaves from a twig and putting into a termite hole to get food



What is altruism?

- A. Behavior to increase fitness of self**
- B. Behavior to find food**
- C. Selfless behavior that increases fitness of population**
- D. Selfless behavior to feed another member to population**

What is altruism?

C. Selfless behavior that increases fitness of population



Altruistic behaviors are those selfless behaviors completed by organisms. Example: Belding squirrels will make an alarm call when a predator comes into an area which decreases the individual squirrel's fitness but increases the fitness for the population (inclusive fitness)



Where a stimulus affects behavior (ex. bell ringing)

- A. Classical conditioning**
- B. Conditional Learning**
- C. Imprinting**
- D. Operant conditioning**

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Where a stimulus affects behavior (ex. bell ringing)

A. Classical conditioning



Classical conditioning is associative learning in which the behavior is associated with an arbitrary stimulus. I always tell my students to remember the CLASSIC experiment with Pavlov and the dogs – ring the bell, feed the dog, repeat, then ringing the bell induces salivation (even without the introduction of food)



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**Behavior affected by
negative or positive
outcomes**

D. Operant conditioning



Operant conditions is a type of associative learning. This refers to the behavior being associated with a reward or punishment. The wolf that attacks the porcupine and gets quills to the face will not attack another porcupine. The chick-a-dee that pecks at the milk carton getting the cream will continue to peck to get additional cream.



**A sensitive period where
organism learns from parent**

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- C. Imprinting**
- D. Operant conditioning**

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**A sensitive period where
organism learns from
parent**

C. Imprinting



**a rapid learning process that
takes place early in the life of a
social animal (such as a goose)
and establishes a behavior
pattern (such as recognition of
and attraction to its own kind or
a substitute)**

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**What would happen if a bird
was cross fostered during
imprinting phase?**

What would happen if a bird was cross fostered during imprinting phase?



Prezygotic barrier...

The bird would be unable to mate. It has learned the mating song for another species of bird so it will be unable to reproduce with its own species nor the species of the mating song.

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Note:



“What does cross-fostering mean”

Basically being fostered by another species.

Here’s the dictionary term...

cross-fostering (*uncountable*)

1. the technique of removing **eggs** from the nest of one species of bird, to be **incubated** in the nest of another. Usually done to aid the recovery of endangered species.



Mating Calls

- A. Auditory
- B. Chemical
- C. Tactile
- D. Visual

Mating Calls

A. Auditory



Mating calls for sounds, so this would be considered an auditory signal.



**Pheromone trail that ants follow
to find food source**

- A. Auditory**
- B. Chemical**
- C. Tactile**
- D. Visual**

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Pheromone trail that ants follow to find food source

B. Chemical

Pheromones are chemical signals that triggers a social behavior from other members of the same species.



Mating Dance

- A. Auditory
- B. Chemical
- C. Tactile
- D. Visual

Mating Dance

D. Visual



**The mating dance will be seen
by the opposite sex during
intersexual selection.**

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What is differential reproductive success?

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What is differential reproductive success?



A situation in which some individuals leave more offspring in the next generation than do others, often due to traits that provide advantages in survival and/or reproduction.



Innate behaviors are

- A. Associated arbitrary stimulus**
- B. Inborn**
- C. Learning through observations**
- D. Trial and Error**

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B. Inborn



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If a bird is cross fostered, what is the problem in terms of learned behaviors?

Due to imprinting, the baby bird will learn the mating song of the foster parent and be unable to mate with their species. It will undergo behavioral isolation from its own species.

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How does an altruistic behavior increase the inclusive fitness?

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How does an altruistic behavior increase the inclusive fitness?



Altruism is a self-less behavior. I use the example of the Belding Squirrels. If there is a predator present, one squirrel will make an alarm noise. The other squirrels will hide to protect themselves which ensures the colony is able to survive and reproduce.



Energy Flow Through Ecosystems

ENE-1.M.1

Organisms use energy to maintain organization, grow, and reproduce—

a. Organisms use different strategies to regulate body temperature and metabolism.

i. Endotherms use thermal energy generated by metabolism to maintain homeostatic body temperatures.

ii. Ectotherms lack efficient internal mechanisms for maintaining body temperature, though they may regulate their temperature behaviorally by moving into the sun or shade or by aggregating with other individuals.

b. Different organisms use various reproductive strategies in response to energy availability.



Energy Flow Through Ecosystems

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Organisms use energy to maintain organization, grow, and reproduce—

- c. There is a relationship between metabolic rate per unit body mass and the size of multicellular organisms—generally, the smaller the organism, the higher the metabolic rate.**
- d. A net gain in energy results in energy storage or the growth of an organism.**
- e. A net loss of energy results in loss of mass and, ultimately, the death of an organism.**



Energy Flow Through Ecosystems

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Changes in energy availability can result in changes in population size.

ENE.1.N.2

Changes in energy availability can result in disruptions to an ecosystem—

- a. A change in energy resources such as sunlight can affect the number and size of the trophic levels.
- b. A change in the producer level can affect the number and size of other trophic levels.



Energy Flow Through Ecosystems

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Autotrophs capture energy from physical or chemical sources in the environment—

- a. Photosynthetic organisms capture energy present in sunlight.**
- b. Chemosynthetic organisms capture energy from small inorganic molecules present in their environment, and this process can occur in the absence of oxygen.**

ENE-1.0.2

Heterotrophs capture energy present in carbon compounds produced by other organisms.

- a. Heterotrophs may metabolize carbohydrates, lipids, and proteins as sources of energy by hydrolysis.**

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**Warm-blooded organisms are
actually...**

- A. Ectotherms**
- B. Endotherms**

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**Warm-blooded organisms
are actually...**

B. Endotherms



Endotherms are organisms that regulate their own body temperature through metabolism. These organisms are called “warm-blooded” in elementary and middle school classes. Biologists call these organisms “regulators”.



Where do endotherms get their body heat from?

- A. Cellular Respiration**
- B. Environment**
- C. Photosynthesis**
- D. Thermophiles**

Where do endotherms get their body heat from?

A. Cellular Respiration



The process of cellular respiration is an exergonic reaction (releases energy). This process is inefficient so the extra energy that is not used to synthesize ATP is released as heat energy.

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“Cold-Blooded” organisms have cold-blood...

- A. True**
- B. False**

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**“Cold-Blooded” organisms
have cold-blood...**

B. False



This is a misconception that you learned in elementary school. “Cold-blooded organisms” do not have cold-blood. The term “cold-blooded” refers to that the organisms use their environment to control their body temperatures. Biologists call them “conformers”.

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“Cold-Blooded” organisms are...

- A. Ectotherms**
- B. Endotherms**

**“Cold-Blooded” organisms
are...**

A. Ectotherms



Ectotherms are organisms that absorb their heat energy from their environment. These are “conformers” and will use their environment to regulate their internal temperature.



Where do ectotherms get their body heat from?

- A. Cellular Respiration**
- B. Environment**
- C. Photosynthesis**
- D. Thermophiles**

Where do ectotherms get their body heat from?

B. Environment



Ectotherms are “cold-blooded organisms” that regulate their internal body temperature using their environment. Example: crocodile – when they are cold, they bask in the sun or when they are warm, they go take a dip in the water



Assuming the same size of organisms, at cooler temperatures, who would have a higher O_2 consumption?

- A. Ectotherms**
- B. Endotherms**

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Assuming the same size of organisms, at cooler temperatures, who would have a higher O_2 consumption?

B. Endotherms



Endotherms regulate their body temperature using metabolism while ectotherms regulate their body temperature using their environments. Due to this, the endotherm would require a higher concentration of oxygen as oxygen is the final electron acceptor. The endotherm must undergo more cellular respiration to generate the heat to warm the organism,

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How does a litter size change based on energy availability?

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How does a litter size change based on energy availability?



If there is less energy available, the litter size will be smaller.

The organisms will have less offspring due to the low energy available for reproduction and growth.

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**The smaller the organism, the
---- the metabolic rate.**

- A. Higher**
- B. Lower**

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The smaller the organism,
the _____ the metabolic
rate.

A. Higher



The smaller the organism, the
higher the surface area to
volume ratio. This leads to a
higher metabolic rate in the
organism.

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Why is metabolic rate per unit body mass higher in smaller animals?



Why is metabolic rate per unit body mass higher in smaller animals?

However, BMR is higher per unit of body mass in small animals compared to larger ones. This is because the higher metabolic rate of small animals needs a greater delivery of oxygen to tissues around the body.

Also, the smaller animals have a greater surface area to volume ratio, so more heat is lost.



**Net gain of energy by organism
causes...**

- A. Decay & Energy Storage**
- B. Gain of Mass & Death**
- C. Growth & Energy Storage**
- D. Loss of Mass & Death**

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**Net gain of energy by
organism causes...**

**C. Growth & Energy
Storage**



Gain of energy refers to an endergonic process. Growth of an organism is an endergonic process. Energy storage is an endergonic process.



Net loss of energy results in...

- A. Decay & Energy Storage**
- B. Gain of Mass & Death**
- C. Growth & Energy Storage**
- D. Loss of Mass & Death**

**Net loss of energy results
in...**

D. Loss of Mass & Death



Loss of energy refers to an exergonic process. Losing mass refers to an exergonic process. If you lose too much energy, the organism is unable to complete simple tasks which can result in death.



What property of water allows for cooling from sweat?

- A. Adhesion**
- B. Cohesion**
- C. High Heat of vaporization**
- D. Less dense as solid**

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What property of water allows for cooling from sweat?

C. High Heat of vaporization



High heat of vaporization refers to that water requires a large amount of heat energy to vaporize liquid water to gaseous water vapor.

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**What is this called when this
“heat of vaporization” is used?**

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Evaporative cooling

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Goosebumps are a vestigial structure to keep warm.

- A. True**
- B. False**

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Goosebumps are a vestigial structure to keep warm.

A. True



Vestigial structures are homologous structures from a common ancestor with no apparent function.

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Describe how countercurrent exchange keeps core warm.

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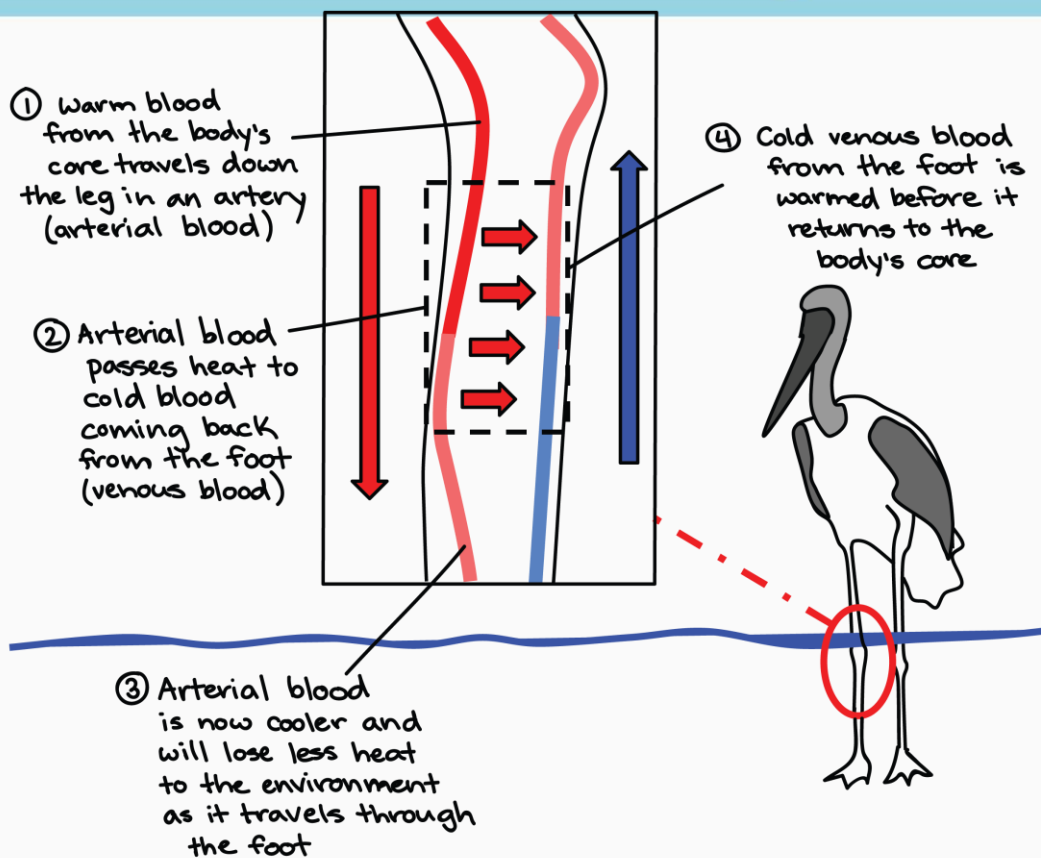


**Countercurrent exchange involves
the fluid moving in the opposite
direction exchanging something.**

**This something in this case is
heat. The blood leaving the core
is warm and that warmth is
transferred to the blood re-
entering the core.**



Describe how countercurrent exchange keeps core warm.



So the blood coming back into the core is warmed by the blood leaving the core. This reduced energy lost to the environment and maintains the body temperature of the organism.



A reduction in ___ would cause a decrease in entire chain.

- A. Decomposer**
- B. Primary Consumer**
- C. Primary Producer**
- D. Sunlight**

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A reduction in ___ would cause a decrease in entire chain.

C. Primary Producer



The primary producer is the food source for the entire food chain. If there is a decrease in the primary producer, there is less available food for the primary consumers. If there is a decrease in the primary consumers, then there is less available food for secondary consumers.



When you control producer level, what type of model does this describe?

- A. Bottom-Up Model**
- B. Top-Down Model**

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When you control producer level, what type of model does this describe?

A. Bottom-Up Model



Using the word to assist your thinking...

BOTTOM-UP model refers to starting at the **BOTTOM** and moving up to the **TOP**. In a food chain, the producer is at the **BOTTOM** of the chain.



What are all secondary consumers?

- A. Carnivores**
- B. Decomposer**
- C. Herbivore**
- D. Producer**

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What are all secondary consumers?

A. Carnivores



A secondary consumer consumes the primary consumer which consumes the primary producer.

The primary producer is an autotroph and relies on the sun.

The secondary producer is a heterotroph and consumes the primary producer which is another organism making the secondary consumer a carnivore.



Where do photosynthetic organisms get most of their energy?

- A. Inorganic molecules**
- B. Moonlight**
- C. Organic molecules**
- D. Sunlight**

Where do photosynthetic organisms get most of their energy?

D. Sunlight



Energy cannot be created or destroyed. The PHOTOSynthetic organisms require LIGHT. This light is used to provide the solar energy for photosynthesis. The LIGHT must come from SUNLIGHT.



Where do chemosynthetic organisms get most of their energy?

- A. Inorganic molecules**
- B. Moonlight**
- C. Organic molecules**
- D. Sunlight**

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Where do chemosynthetic organisms get most of their energy?

A. Inorganic molecules



Energy cannot be created or destroyed. The CHEMOsynthetic organisms require CHEMICALS. This chemical is used to provide the chemical energy for chemosynthesis. These organisms use inorganic molecules to synthesize organic molecules.



What can heterotrophs not metabolize for energy?

- A. Carbohydrates**
- B. Lipids**
- C. Nucleic Acids**
- D. Proteins**

What can heterotrophs not metabolize for energy?

C. Nucleic Acids

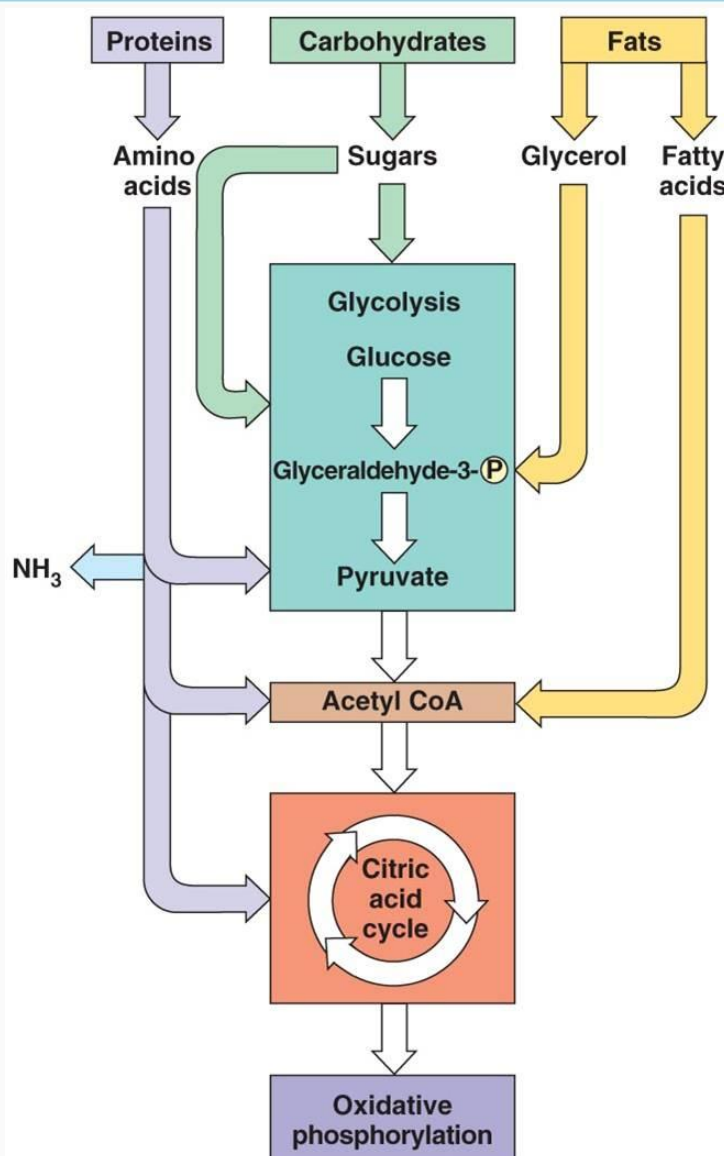


Three of the four macromolecules can be used for energy. Carbohydrates (sugars) enter glycolysis. Proteins (amino acids) enter at the end of glycolysis or the beginning of Krebs cycle. Fats (glycerol) enter in the middle of glycolysis and (fatty acids) enter into the Krebs cycle. There is no mention of nucleic acids because they are **NOT used for energy.**

**What can heterotrophs
not metabolize for
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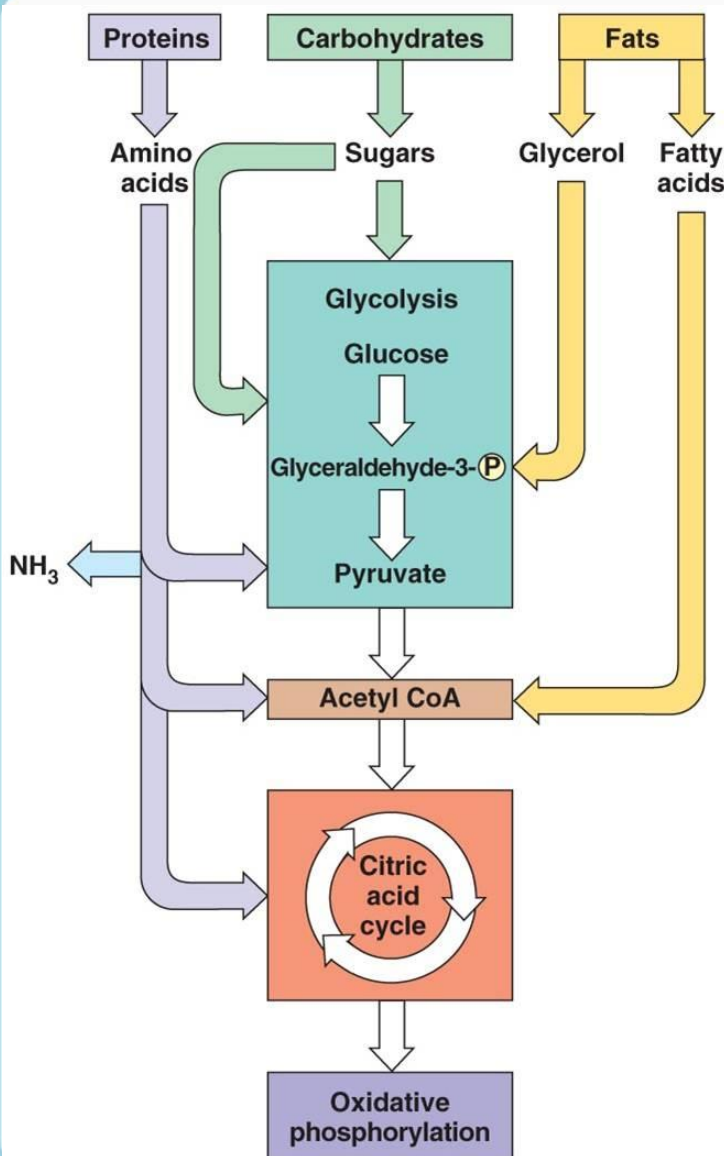
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Which stores the most energy per molecule?

- A. Carbohydrates**
- B. Lipids**
- C. Nucleic Acids**
- D. Proteins**

Which stores the most energy per molecule?

B. Lipids



Fat has the highest energy potential given that it provides **9** calories per gram. Protein and carbohydrates provide **4** calories per gram each. Carbohydrates are the easiest for the body to break down though.



Fun Fact: Where do lipids enter cellular respiration pathway?

- A. Glycolysis**
- B. Krebs Cycle**
- C. Electron Transport**
- D. Chemiosmosis**

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Fun Fact: Where do lipids enter cellular respiration pathway?

B. Krebs Cycle



Fatty acids are oxidized through fatty acid or β -oxidation into two-carbon acetyl CoA molecules, which can then enter the Krebs cycle to generate ATP.



What is an endotherm?

- A. Organism generates heat by metabolism**
- B. Organism generates heat by basking in sun**
- C. Organism that releases heat**
- D. Organism that absorbs heat**

What is an endotherm?

A. Organism generates heat by metabolism



Endotherms are “warm-blooded organisms” that are able to regulate their own body temperature using metabolism.



What is an ectotherm?

- A. Organism that generates heat by performing metabolism**
- B. Organism that uses external sources of heat**
- C. Organism that releases heat to warm the organism**
- D. Organism that absorbs heat to cool the organism**

What is an ectotherm?

B. Organism that uses external sources of heat



Ectotherms are “cold-blooded organisms” that use their external environment to regulate their internal temperature.

When they are cold, they will lay out (“bask”) in the sun.

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Which organism requires more food at the same temperature?

- A. Ectotherm**
- B. Endotherm**

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Which organism requires more food at the same temperature?

B. Endotherm



Since endotherms are generating their own heat through cellular respiration, an endotherm requires more food to provide the fuel to cellular respiration.

Have you ever noticed that snakes only eat once a week?



Which organism consumes more oxygen at cooler temperatures?

- A. Ectotherm**
- B. Endotherm**

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Which organism consumes more oxygen at cooler temperatures?

B. Endotherm



Since endotherms are generating their own heat through cellular respiration, an endotherm requires more oxygen as the final electron acceptor in cellular respiration. Have you ever noticed that fish move their operculum slower in the cold water? These ectotherms have a decrease in cellular respiration as it is colder.

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Why would an endotherm have a higher oxygen consumption at low temperatures?

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Why would an endotherm have a higher oxygen consumption at low temperatures?



Endotherms regulation their body temperature through metabolism (aka cellular respiration). As the temperature decreases, the organism needs to generate heat to maintain body temperature. More metabolism means, more oxygen consumption because oxygen is the final electron acceptor.



How does metabolic rate compare to size of organism?

A. Smaller the organism, the higher the metabolic rate

B. Larger the organism, the higher the metabolic rate

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A. Smaller the organism, the higher the metabolic rate



It's all about that surface area. The smaller the organism, the larger the surface area. This leads to heat loss which results in an additional amount of oxygen required for cellular respiration to maintain body temperatures.



If a secondary consumer population decreases, what would happen to the producers?

- A. Decrease**
- B. Increase**
- C. Stay the Same**

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If a secondary consumer population decreases, what would happen to the producers?

A. Decrease



The secondary consumer will consume the primary consumer. A decrease in the secondary consumer results in an increase in the primary consumer. If there is an increase in the primary consumer, there will be more primary producer consumed leading to a DECREASE.



What is an autotroph?

- A. Produces its own food stored in organic compounds**
- B. Produces its own energy from metabolic reactions**
- C. Produces its own ATP from feeding on lower trophics levels**
- D. Produces its own light energy from chemical reactions**

What is an autotroph?

**A. Produces its own food
stored in organic
compounds**



**Autotrophs will use solar energy
or energy from inorganic
molecules to synthesize organic
compounds to store the energy.**

**Then, they will break down
those organic compounds for
cellular energy through cellular
respiration.**



How does chemoautotroph differ from photoautotroph?

- A. Chemoautotroph makes food from sunlight**
- B. Photoautotroph makes the food from sunlight (solar energy)**
- C. Chemoautotroph makes the food with decomposing detritus**
- D. Photoautotroph makes the food from decomposing detritus**

**How does
chemoautotroph differ
from photoautotroph?**

**B. Photoautotroph makes
the food from sunlight
(solar energy)**



**The “photo” in photoautotroph
means light. The
photoautotrophs are using solar
energy to synthesize organic
compounds. Chemoautotrophs
will use inorganic molecules as
their energy source.**

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**Oxygen is required by the
photosynthesis process**

- A. True**
- B. False**

Oxygen is required by
the photosynthesis
process

B. False



Oxygen is a **PRODUCT** of photosynthesis. During the light reactions in photosystem II, the water molecule undergoes photolysis which splits the water molecule releasing the electrons, protons, and oxygen.

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Plants require oxygen.

- A. True**
- B. False**

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Plants require oxygen.

A. True



Plants have a mitochondria and undergo cellular respiration. The oxygen is the final electron acceptor in cellular respiration.

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Plants have a mitochondria.

- A. True**
- B. False**

Plants have a mitochondria.

A. True



Plants have both a mitochondria (for cellular respiration) and a chloroplast (for photosynthesis).

Recall, all eukaryotes have a mitochondria based on endosymbiotic theory that the chemosynthetic prokaryote was engulfed prior to the photosynthetic prokaryote.

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Mrs. Jones, why do plants have a mitochondria and require oxygen if they are autotrophs?



Mitochondria is believed to be a chemosynthetic prokaryote which was engulfed, so all eukaryotes have a mitochondria.

The ATP synthesized in the process is used in the process. They do not make ATP for cellular activities during photosynthesis. They make carbohydrates which are broken down by mitochondria (hence the higher oxygen consumption)



What is a heterotroph?

- A. Organism that must consume organic molecules for light.**
- B. Organism that breaks down organic molecules for energy.**

What is a heterotroph?

B. Organism that breaks down organic molecules for energy.



Heterotroph must consume an autotroph for cellular energy. These organism break down the organic molecules synthesized by autotrophs (or organic molecules synthesized from consuming autotrophs)



Which macromolecule is not broken down for energy?

- A. Carbohydrates**
- B. Lipids**
- C. Nucleic Acids**
- D. Proteins**

Which macromolecule is not broken down for energy?

C. Nucleic Acids



Three of the macromolecules are used for energy except nucleic acids. The carbohydrates are used in glycolysis, the proteins are used at the end of glycolysis and during Krebs cycle, and fats are used in glycolysis (glycerol) and Krebs cycle (fatty acids)



Population Ecology

SYI-1.G.1

Populations comprise individual organisms that interact with one another and with the environment in complex ways.

RELEVANT EQUATION

Population Growth—

$$\frac{dN}{dt} = B - D$$

where:

dt = change in time

B = birth rate

D = death rate

N = population size

RELEVANT EQUATION

Exponential Growth—

$$\frac{dN}{dt} = r_{max}N$$

where:

dt = change in time

N = population size

r_{max} = maximum per capita growth rate of population



Population Ecology

SYI-1.G.2

Many adaptations in organisms are related to obtaining and using energy and matter in a particular environment—

- a. Population growth dynamics depend on a number of factors. Reproduction without constraints results in the exponential growth of a population.

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8.3



Which of the following add to a population size?

- A. Births & Immigration**
- B. Birth & Emigration**
- C. Death & Emigration**
- D. Death & Immigration**

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**Which of the following
add to a population size?**

A. Births & Immigration



**When an individual is born, this is
an addition of a new individual
which increases the population size.**

**When an individual immigrates, the
addition of the individual into the
area will increase the population
size.**



**Which of the following remove
from a population size?**

- A. Births & Immigration**
- B. Birth & Emigration**
- C. Death & Emigration**
- D. Death & Immigration**

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**Which of the following
remove from a population
size?**

C. Death & Emigration



**Death will remove individuals
from the population as they are
no longer in the population.**

**Emigration will remove
individuals from the population
as they are no longer in the
population.**

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**In the rate of increase formulas,
what does b stand for?**

- A. Births per capita**
- B. Deaths per capita**
- C. Total births/year**
- D. Total deaths/year**

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In the rate of increase formulas, what does b stand for?

A. Births per capita



b = per capita birth rate

d = per capita death rate

$$r = b - d$$

N = population size

dN/dt = change in population size

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**In the rate of increase formulas,
what does d stand for?**

- A. Births per capita**
- B. Deaths per capita**
- C. Total births/year**
- D. Total deaths/year**

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In the rate of increase formulas, what does D stand for?

B. Deaths per capita



b = per capita birth rate

d = per capita death rate

$$r = b - d$$

N = population size

dN/dt = change in population size

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If $b = 4$ and $d = 8$, what is r ?

- A. -12
- B. -4
- C. 4
- D. 12

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8.3

If $B = 4$ and $D = 8$,
what is r ?

B. -4



b = per capita birth rate

d = per capita death rate

$$r = b - d$$

$$r = 4 - 8$$

$$r = -4$$

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8.3



If $r = 0.5$ and $N = 1000$,
what is dN/dt ?

- A. 500
- B. 1000
- C. 1500
- D. 2000

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8.3

If $r = 0.5$ and $N = 1000$, what is dN/dt ?

A. 500



N = population size

$$dN/dt = rN$$

$$dN/dt = 0.5(1000)$$

$$dN/dt = 500$$



**Type of growth from
reproduction without constraint**

- A. Decreasing**
- B. Increasing**
- C. Logistic**
- D. Exponential**

Type of growth from reproduction without constraint

D. Exponential



Exponential growth will allow for the population to grow without any restrictions on size. This is the carrying capacity.

These individuals have no predators and unlimited resource.



What makes up a population?

- A. Different species in the same area**
- B. Different species that interbreed to make hybrids**
- C. Same species in the same area**
- D. Same species separated by geographical barrier**

**What makes up a
population?**

**C. Same species in the
same area**



**By definition, a population is
group of individual of the same
species living in an area.**



**How does a population increase
in individuals?**

- A. Births and Deaths**
- B. Births and Immigration**
- C. Deaths and Emigration**
- D. Immigration and Emigration**

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How does a population increase in individuals?



B. Births and Immigration

Births add new individuals and immigration allow for addition of new individuals. This together leads to an increase in the population.



What decreases a population size?

- A. Births and Deaths**
- B. Births and Immigration**
- C. Deaths and Emigration**
- D. Immigration and Emigration**

What decreases a population size?

C. Deaths and Emigration



Deaths will remove individuals from a population and emigration will lead to individuals leaving the area. This leads to a decrease in population size.



How do you solve for the rate of increase?

- A. Birth Rate + Death Rate**
- B. Birth Rate – Death Rate**
- C. Birth Rate x Death Rate**
- D. Birth Rate/Death Rate**

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How do you solve for the rate of increase?

**B. Birth Rate -
Death Rate**



Per capita rate of increase in the birth rate minus the death rate. This is logical as we subtracting the deaths from the births which tells us how much the population increased by.



**Type of growth rate with
unlimited resources**

- A. Exponential**
- B. Logarithmic**
- C. Logistic**

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Type of growth rate with unlimited resources

A. Exponential



Exponential growth rate curves are also known as J shaped curved since the population size grows exponentially in the presence of unlimited resources.



What maintains the logistic growth?

- A. Carrying Capacity**
- B. Rate of Increase**
- C. Birth Rate**
- D. Death Rate**

What maintains the logistic growth?

A. Carrying Capacity



The carrying capacity is the maximum individuals that can support by the environment in an area.

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If $r = 0.5$ and $N = 200$, how many individuals remain after 1 generation?

- A. 200
- B. 250
- C. 300
- D. 350

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If $r = 0.5$ and
 $N = 200$, how many
individuals remain after 1
generation?

c. 300



$$dN/dt = rN$$

$$dN/dt = 0.5 (200)$$

$$dN/dt = 100$$

$$200 + 100 = 300$$

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If $r = 0.5$, $N = 200$ and $K = 400$, how many individuals remain after 1 generation?

- A. 200
- B. 250
- C. 300
- D. 350

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If $r = 0.5$, $N = 200$
and $K = 400$, how many
individuals remain after 1
generation?

B. 250



$$\begin{aligned}dN/dt &= (K-N)/K \\dN/dt &= (400 - 200)/400 \\dN/dt &= 200/400 \\dN/dt &= 50\end{aligned}$$

$$50 + 200 = 250$$



Effect of Density of Populations

SYI-1.H.1

A population can produce a density of individuals that exceeds the system's resource availability.



Effect of Density of Populations

SYI-1.H.2

As limits to growth due to density-dependent and density-independent factors are imposed, a logistic growth model generally ensues.

RELEVANT EQUATION

$$\frac{dN}{dt} = r_{max} N \left(\frac{K - N}{K} \right)$$

where:

dt = change in time

N = population size

r_{max} = maximum per capita growth rate of population

K = carrying capacity

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What is the term for the largest population size the environment can support?

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What is the term for the largest population size the environment can support?

Carrying Capacity

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**Which variable represents
carrying capacity?**

A. dN/dt

B. N

C. K

D. r

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Which variable represents carrying capacity?

C. K



N = population size

K = carrying capacity

r = per capita rate of increase

dN/dt = change in population size



As K approaches N , what happened to the dN/dt ?

- A. Decreases, then increases**
- B. Decreases, then remains constant**
- C. Increases, then decreases**
- D. Increases, then remains constant**

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**As K approaches N ,
what happened to the
 dN/dt ?**

**B. Decreases, then
remains constant**



$$dN/dt = rN(K-N)/K$$

**As N approaches K , the
difference between the two gets
smaller. This means the
numerator will get smaller, so
the rate will decrease.**

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When is $dN/dt = 0$?

A. $N < K$

B. $N > K$

C. $N = K$

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When is $dN/dt = 0$?

C. $N = K$



$$dN/dt = rN(K-N)/K$$

If $N = K$, then the numerator is zero. When you multiply anything by a zero, the product is always zero.



Which type of factor is an earthquake?

- A. Density dependent**
- B. Density independent**



Which type of factor is an earthquake?

B. Density independent

An earthquake is not dependent on the density of the population. Recall, the density refers to the number of individuals in a certain area.

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Which type of factor is a disease?

- A. Density dependent**
- B. Density independent**

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Which type of factor is a disease?

A. Density dependent



Disease spreads more quickly when the population is more densely populated. Recall, density refers to the number of individuals in an area.

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If $N = 500$, $K = 250$, and $r = 0.1$, solve for dN/dt ?

- A. -500
- B. -50
- C. 50
- D. 500

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8.4

If $N = 500$, $K = 250$,
and $r = 0.01$, solve for
 dN/dt ?

B. **-50**



$$dN/dt = rN((K-N)/K)$$

$$dN/dt = 0.1(500)((250-500)/250)$$

$$dN/dt = 50(-250/250)$$

$$dN/dt = 50(-1)$$

$$dN/dt = -50$$



Which of the following does not represent density?

- A. Number of bacteria in a 10 mL of nutrient media**
- B. Number of elephants in 1 acre of savanna**
- C. Number of offspring in each generation**
- D. Number of fish in a square mile**

Which of the following does not represent density?

C. Number of offspring in each generation



Density is the number of individuals in an area or volume.

A. Number of bacteria (NUMBER OF INDIVIDUALS) in a 10 mL of nutrient media (VOLUME)

B. Number of elephants (NUMBER OF INDIVIDUALS) in 1 acre of savanna (AREA)

D. Number of fish (NUMBER OF INDIVIDUALS) in a square mile (AREA)

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What is the carrying capacity?

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What is the carrying capacity?



The maximum number of individuals that the environment can support



What happens to the growth rate as population size approaches carrying capacity?

- A. Decreases**
- B. Increases**
- C. Stay the Same**

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What happens to the growth rate as population size approaches carrying capacity?

A. Decreases



Recall, rate is slope. If you look at a logistic growth curve, you will see the curve begins to level off. This means that the growth rate **DECREASES.**



How do density dependent factors affect growth rate?

- A. As population size increases, growth rate decreases**
- B. As population size increases, growth rate increases**
- C. As population size increases, growth rate stays the same**

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How do density dependent factors affect growth rate?

A. As population size increases, growth rate decreases



Density dependent factors depend on the density. If there is an increase in population, there will be a decrease in growth rate to keep the population size in check.



How do density independent factors affect growth rate?

- A. As population size increases, growth rate decreases**
- B. As population size increases, growth rate increases**
- C. As population size increases, growth rate stays the same**

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How do density independent factors affect growth rate?

C. As population size increases, growth rate stays the same



Density independent factors do NOT depend on the density of the population. As the population size increases, the growth rate is unaffected because these factors are not dependent on the density.



Disease

- A. Density dependent factor**
- B. Density independent factor**

Disease

**A. Density dependent
factor**



Disease spreads more quickly in a more densely populated area than less densely populated area. Disease is density dependent.



Landslide

- A. Density dependent factor**
- B. Density independent factor**

Landslide

**B. Density independent
factor**



A landslide does NOT depend on the population density, so this would be considered a density independent factor.

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If you have a population of fish in your pond of **500** and then you add **200** more fish, but the carrying capacity is **600** with a rate of increase of **0.25**. What is the population size after **1** generation?

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If you have a population of fish in your pond of **500** and then you add **200** more fish, but the carrying capacity is **600** with a rate of increase of **0.25**. What is the population size after **1** generation?



$$0.25(700)((600-700)/600)$$

$$0.25(700)(-0.16)$$

$$-29.16$$

$$700 - 29.16 = 670.84$$



Community Ecology

ENE-4.A.1

The structure of a community is measured and described in terms of species composition and species diversity.



Community Ecology

ENE-4.B.1

Communities change over time depending on interactions between populations.

RELEVANT EQUATION

Simpson's Diversity Index—

$$\text{Diversity Index} = 1 - \sum \left(\frac{n}{N} \right)^2$$

n = the total number of organisms of a particular species

N = total number of organisms of all species



Community Ecology

ENE-4.B.2

Interactions among populations determine how they access energy and matter within a community

ENE-4.B.3

Relationships among interacting populations can be characterized by positive and negative effects and can be modeled. Examples include predator/prey interactions, trophic cascades, and niche partitioning.



Community Ecology

ENE-4.B.4

Competition, predation, and symbioses, including parasitism, mutualism, and commensalism, can drive population dynamics.

ENE-4.C.1

Cooperation or coordination between organisms, populations, and species can result in enhanced movement of, or access to, matter and energy

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**There's 4 different species.
What's the species richness?**

A. 2

B. 3

C. 4

D. 5

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There's **4** different species. What's the species richness?

c. **4**



Species richness is the number of different species in an area.

There are 4 different species so the species richness is 4.

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**In Simpson's Index formula,
what does "backward E" mean?**

- A. Equilibrium**
- B. Exponential**
- C. Factorial**
- D. Summation**

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In Simpson's Index formula, what does "backward E" mean?

D. Summation



The " Σ " means summation. You will add all the individual numbers together.



As predator population increases, prey population...

- A. Decreases**
- B. Increases**
- C. Stay the Same**

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As predator population increases, prey population...

A. Decreases



**The predator consumes the prey.
If there are more predators,
they will be consuming more
prey so the prey population will
decrease.**

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**As prey population increases,
predator population...**

- A. Decreases**
- B. Increases**
- C. Stay the Same**

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As prey population increases, predator population...

B. Increases



The predator consumes the prey. If the prey population increases, there will be more food available for the predator so the predator population will increase.

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In a trophic structure of four organisms, what is the effect on the last one?

All 3 organisms have a negative effect on the organism below them in the chain

- A. Negative**
- B. No effect**
- C. Positive**

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In a trophic structure of four organisms, what is the effect on the last one?

All 3 organisms have a negative effect on the organism below them in the chain

A. Negative



River



juvenile steelhead



damselfly nymph



midge larva



Cladophora

Each of the organisms has a negative impact on the organism below in the trophic structure, so overall there will be a negative effect. If there's two negative impacts, the overall impact will be positive. If there's three negative impacts, the overall impact will be negative.



Describe the interaction:
Competition

A. +/-

B. -/+

C. +/+

D. -/-

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**Describe the interaction:
Competition**

D. -/-



Competition is negative for both parties as both populations or species will be negatively impacted with less resources.



**Describe the interaction:
Predator/Prey**

A. +/-

B. -/+

C. +/+

D. -/-

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**Describe the interaction:
Predator/Prey**

A. +/-



The predator is benefited (received nutrients) while the prey is harmed (it is consumed by the predator).



Describe the interaction:

Mutualism

A. +/-

B. -/+

C. +/+

D. -/-

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**Describe the interaction:
Mutualism**

C. +/+



**Mutualism is both
populations/species are
benefited.**

**example: termites &
microorganisms in gut**



**Describe the interaction:
Host/Parasite**

A. +/-

B. -/+

C. +/+

D. -/-

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**Describe the interaction:
Host/Parasite**

B. -/+



The host is negatively impacted (the parasite steals nutrients or harms the host) while the parasite is positively impacted (obtains nutrients from the host)

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What is cooperation?

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What is cooperation?



**Interaction between organisms,
populations, community to
enhance movement of/access to
matter and energy**



What is a species?

- A. Group of individuals that live in same area**
- B. Group of individuals that mate**
- C. Group of individuals able to mate and produce fertile, viable offspring**
- D. Group of individuals that look the same**

What is a species?

C. Group of individuals able to mate and produce fertile, viable offspring



The biological species concept refers to two individuals are from the same species if they are able to interbreed and produce fertile, viable offspring.



What is species richness?

- A. The number of different species**
- B. The number of individuals in a species**
- C. The total species that exist on Earth**
- D. The total money that's the species is worth**

What is species richness?

**A. The number of
different species**



Species richness is the number of species in an area. The more species, the more rich the area. The less species, the less rich the area.

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Solve with Simpson's Index

Penguins = 10

Monkeys = 5

RELEVANT EQUATION

Simpson's Diversity Index—

$$\text{Diversity Index} = 1 - \sum \left(\frac{n}{N} \right)^2$$

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Solve with Simpson's
Index

Penguins = 10

Monkeys = 5



$$1 - [(10/15)^2 + (5/15)^2]$$

$$1 - [(0.44) + (0.11)]$$

$$1 - 0.55$$

$$0.45$$

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**Two species are able to survive
with the exact same niche**

- A. True**
- B. False**

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Two species are able to survive with the exact same niche

B. False



The competitive exclusion principle states that two species cannot survive with the exact same niche. It is favorable for the two species to undergo resource partitioning to divide up the resources to ensure both species are successful.



Interaction in which both organisms are harmed.

- A. Competition**
- B. Cooperation**
- C. Mutualism**
- D. Parasitism**

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Interaction in which both organisms are harmed.

A. Competition



Competition is -/- as both individuals are harmed since they are competing for the same resource.

Cooperation is +/+

Mutualism is +/+

Parasitism is +/-



**Interaction in which both species
are benefited**

- A. Competition**
- B. Cooperation**
- C. Mutualism**
- D. Parasitism**

Interaction in which both species are benefited

C. Mutualism



Mutualism is $+/+$ as both individuals are benefited since they are providing a service or resource to each other.

Competition is $-/-$

Cooperation is $+/+$

Parasitism is $+/-$



Interaction in which one species benefits and other is harmed

- A. Competition**
- B. Cooperation**
- C. Mutualism**
- D. Parasitism**

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Interaction in which one species benefits and other is harmed

D. Parasitism



Parasitism is +/- as one is benefited (parasite) while the other is harmed (host) due to the parasite taking resources from the host.

Competition is -/-

Cooperation is +/+

Mutualism is +/+

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What type of interaction is predator/prey?

- A. +/+**
- B. +/-**
- C. +/0**
- D. -/-**

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What type of interaction is predator/prey?

B. +/-



The predator is positively impacted because it obtains nutrients (and food) while the prey is negatively impacted because it dies (and is consumed by the predator).



Predict the result if you separate two obligate mutualistic organisms.

- A. No response**
- B. Organism 1 grows, organism 2 dies**
- C. Both organisms increase growth**
- D. Both organisms decrease growth**

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Predict the result if you separate two obligate mutualistic organisms.

D. Both organisms decrease growth



Obligate mutualistic organisms CANNOT survive without the other organism. If you were to isolate either of these organisms, neither organism will survive.

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Why would both organisms decline if obligate mutualistic organisms are separated?

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Why would both organisms decline if obligate mutualistic organisms are separated?



I always tell my students they are obligated to be together.

They are unable to survive without the other. An example of this would be the microorganisms that live in the gut of a termite. If you kill the microorganism in their gut, the termite will no longer be able to digest cellulose thus it will starve as it only eats wood.

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**If two organisms share a niche,
how do they both survive?**

- A. Competitive exclusion**
- B. Resource partitioning**

If two organisms share a niche, how do they both survive?



B. Resource partitioning

Resource partitioning is a process where species will divide up the resources. This allows the species to co-exist in the same area without the competitive exclusion principle which states that two species cannot share the same niche.



Biodiversity

SYI-3.F.1

Natural and artificial ecosystems with fewer component parts and with little diversity among the parts are often less resilient to changes in the environment.

SYI-3.F.2

Keystone species, producers, and essential abiotic and biotic factors contribute to maintaining the diversity of an ecosystem.



Biodiversity

SYI-3.G.1

The diversity of species within an ecosystem may influence the organization of the ecosystem.

SYI-3.G.2

The effects of keystone species on the ecosystem are disproportionate relative to their abundance in the ecosystem, and when they are removed from the ecosystem, the ecosystem often collapses.

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Which type of community is more resilient to chance?

- A. Less diversity & fewer parts**
- B. Less diversity & more parts**
- C. More diversity & fewer parts**
- D. More diversity & more parts**

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**Which type of community
is more resilient to
chance?**

**D. More diversity & more
parts**



**Chance are random
environmental changes that
might occur. The more diversity
allows for the favorable
characteristic to be present in
the ecosystem.**



Keystone species have a...

- A. Disproportionate affect relative to abundance**
- B. Proportionate affect relative to abundance**

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Keystone species have a...

A. Disproportionate affect relative to abundance

A keystone species is a species on which other species in an ecosystem largely depend, such that if it were removed the ecosystem would change drastically.

Example: The sea otter maintains the kelp forest



What happens if a keystone species is removed...

- A. Community becomes more diverse**
- B. Ecosystem collapses**
- C. No effect due to minor role**
- D. Population becomes less diverse**

What happens if a keystone species is removed...

B. Ecosystem collapses



A keystone species is a species on which other species in an ecosystem largely depend, such that if it were removed the ecosystem would change drastically which affects the existing food web and the ecosystem could collapse.



Which of these does not contribute to maintain diversity?

- A. Decomposer**
- B. Essential abiotic/biotic factor**
- C. Keystone species**
- D. Producer**

Which of these does not contribute to maintain diversity?

A. Decomposer



This is directly from the CED. Diversity refers to the species richness and the relative abundance. A decomposer will break down detritus (decomposing materials).



What type of environment is resistant to change?

- A. Low diversity, low component parts**
- B. High diversity, low component parts**
- C. Low diversity, high component parts**
- D. High diversity, high component parts**

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What type of environment is resistant to change?

D. High diversity, high component parts



A high diversity will allow for the favorable characteristic to be present in the ecosystem.



If the keystone species is removed what happens?

- A. Their predator population increases**
- B. Their predator population decreases**
- C. The ecosystem collapses**
- D. The ecosystem stabilizes**

If the keystone species is removed what happens?

C. The ecosystem collapses



The sea otter is a keystone species. When the sea otter is removed, the sea urchins that the sea otters prey upon increases in population which destroys the kelp forest. The sea otter keeps the sea urchin population in check so the kelp forest can be maintained.



Abiotic factors

- A. Factor that causes living organism to die**
- B. Factor that causes living organisms to reproduce**
- C. Living factor**
- D. Nonliving factor**

Abiotic factors

D. Nonliving factor



Abiotic factors are nonliving factors while biotic factors are living factors.

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Predators are an example of

- A. Abiotic factors**
- B. Biotic factors**

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**Predators are an example
of**

B. Biotic factors



Predators prey upon the other organisms. Since the predators are living and affect the prey population, they would be considered a biotic factor.



What happens if sea otters decrease?

- A. Sea urchins increase, kelp increases**
- B. Sea urchins decrease, kelp increases**
- C. Sea urchins increase, kelp decreases**
- D. Sea urchins decrease, kelp decreases**

**What happens if sea
otters decrease?**

**C. Sea urchins increase,
kelp decreases**



**Sea otters eat sea urchins and
sea urchins eat kelp. If the sea
otter population decreases, the
sea urchin population will
increase which will decrease the
kelp population.**



Disruptions to Ecosystems

EVO-1.0.1

An adaptation is a genetic variation that is favored by selection and is manifested as a trait that provides an advantage to an organism in a particular environment.

EVO-1.0.2

Mutations are random and are not directed by specific environmental pressures.



Disruptions to Ecosystems

SYI-2.A.1

The intentional or unintentional introduction of an invasive species can allow the species to exploit a new niche free of predators or competitors or to outcompete other organisms for resources.

SYI-2.A.2

The availability of resources can result in uncontrolled population growth and ecological changes



Disruptions to Ecosystems

SYI-2.B.1

The distribution of local and global ecosystems changes over time.

SYI-2.B.2

Human impact accelerates change at local and global levels—

- a. The introduction of new diseases can devastate native species.
- b. Habitat change can occur because of human activity.



Disruptions to Ecosystems

SYI-2.C.1

Geological and meteorological events affect habitat change and ecosystem distribution. Biogeographical studies illustrate these changes.



An adaptation is...

- A. Favored by selection and provides no advantage in environment**
- B. Favored by selection and provides advantage in environment**
- C. Not favored by selection and provides no advantage in environment**
- D. Not favored by selection and provides advantage in environment**

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An adaptation is...

B. Favored by selection and provides advantage in environment



Adaptations are characteristics of organisms that allow them to be more favorable to survive in a certain environment. These traits have been selected for by natural selection over many years.

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Why do invasive species have exponential growth?

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**Why do invasive species
have exponential growth?**



No natural predators

**Unlimited resources (no
competitors or outcompeted)**

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What is the disadvantage of adding N and P with fertilizers?

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What is the disadvantage of adding N and P with fertilizers?



Run off leads to eutrophication



What is a mutation?

- A. Change in amino acid sequence**
- B. Change in cell types**
- C. Change in DNA**
- D. Change in polypeptide**

What is a mutation?

C. Change in DNA



Yes, I agree if there's a change in DNA, there will be a change in the amino acid/polypeptide. The change did not originate in the protein, so that's the result of the mutation. The official definition of a mutation is a change in the DNA.



When the mutation allows the organism to better match its environment?

- A. Adaptations**
- B. Carrying capacity**
- C. Conformer**
- D. Imprinting**

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When the mutation allows the organism to better match its environment?

A. Adaptations



Adaptations are characteristics that allow an organism to be more favorable in their environment. These adaptations result from mutations then natural selection acting on the population.



**Why are invasive species
“favorable”?**

- A. No natural predators**
- B. Unlimited resources**
- C. Uncontrolled growths**
- D. All of the above**

**Why are invasive species
“favorable”?**

D. All of the above



With no natural predators, their population is not kept in check, and they are able to undergo exponential growth.

With unlimited resources, their population does not need to compete to obtain enough resources which allows for exponential growth.

Due to the above two reasons, the population undergoes uncontrolled growths.

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Which population growth curve do invasive species have?

- A. C shape**
- B. J shape**
- C. S shape**
- D. W shape**

Which population growth curve do invasive species have?

B. J shape



The J shape curve shows exponential growth. Since the invasive species has exponential growth due to absence of predators and unlimited resources, this population has a J shape growth curve.

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Invasive species can out compete native species.

A. True

B. False

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Invasive species can out compete native species.

A. True



This is one of the issues with invasive species. Due to the presence of the invasive species with unlimited resources and no natural predators, they are able to outcompete native species which changes the diversity of the ecosystem.