

## **BIOL 230: Cell & Molecular Biology**

**Fall 2019 17-205 MW, Sept. 30-Oct. 2**

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1. Pre-Lab writeups due each Mon. (for both M&W!!) at the start of lab. (briefly, **What? Why? How?** for each expt.). Question & **Hypothesis?**!
2. **LAB this week: nPAGE DATA, Nitrate Oxidation!!!, & Photosynthesis!**
3. **Ch. 10, PHOTOSYNTESIS lecture will be posted online by next week!!**
4. **Native PAGE data** to be posted under "Add'l Materials." (Enzyme Rpt. Due 10/9 Online)
5. **Research Topic paragraph!! ☺ \*\*\*Due THIS WED., Oct. 2 with a Professional, Primary Reference!!**
  - ❖ **What is your topic? Why does it interest you?**
  - ❖ **How does it directly apply to BIOL 230?**
6. **Midterm #1 was returned last week!! M/C Answer key will be under "Additional Materials." REVIEW your exam WITHOUT the key first. SEE ME THIS week, if you scored ≤70!! (Mandatory!)**
7. **Extra Credit: STEM SPEAKER SERIES**, Weds. @ 5pm-6pm, Sept. 11- Nov. 6. (NOT Oct. 9) in 6-102. Write 1 page summary by the following week, and upload to CANVAS. Extra-Extra credit: Ask the speaker a scientific question, and write about the answer.
8. **QUIZ #3 Due WEDNESDAY!!! (Do NOT forget!!)**

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# REVIEW

1. Define **energetic coupling** and provide an example. What types of molecules can couple chemical reactions?
2. Explain how the **change in free energy** affects the equilibrium of a reaction.
3. Diagram and describe **three ways that an enzyme can speed up a chemical reaction**. How does the enzyme affect the energy and equilibrium of a catalyzed reaction?

## **TODAY's Objectives:** Students should be able to....

1. List and describe the effects of 5 factors that can **regulate** enzyme activity.
  2. Diagram and describe the **forms in which energy** may be transferred between molecules and reactions in cells.
  3. Define **Glycolysis** & describe how **redox** reactions & **phosphorylations** drive the process.
  4. Diagram and describe the **forms in which energy** may be transferred between molecules and reactions in cells.
  5. Outline or diagram the **energy** inputs and outputs of Glycolysis and Cellular Respiration. What types of **cofactors** and biomolecules are involved in these processes?
  6. Diagram the inputs & outputs of **carbons** during Glycolysis and Cellular Respiration.
  7. Explain how ATP is synthesized in mitochondria, including the electron transport process. Define **substrate-level phosphorylation, chemiosmosis, & oxidative phosphorylation**.
- ❖ **Objectives and Study Guide Questions are your HOMEWORK between classes!!! DUE WED. at the end of Lecture!!**

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## C. Molecular Structure Determines Enzyme Function *(Imagine that!! 😊)*

- The **active site** where substrate binds
  - determines the **specificity** of an enzyme.
  - Upon binding, some enzymes **change shape**, facilitating catalysis.

**Lock & Key**

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**Induced Fit:**

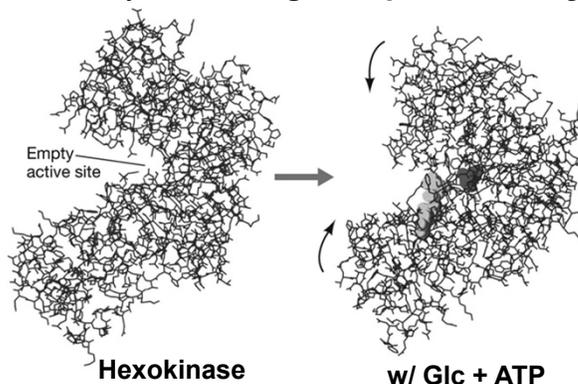


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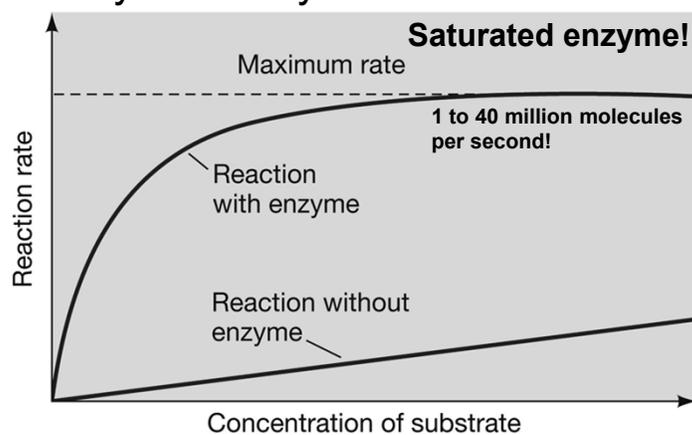
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## 8.3) Enzymes Regulation: A. Environmental Factors

- Substrate concentration** affects the rate of an enzyme-catalyzed reaction.



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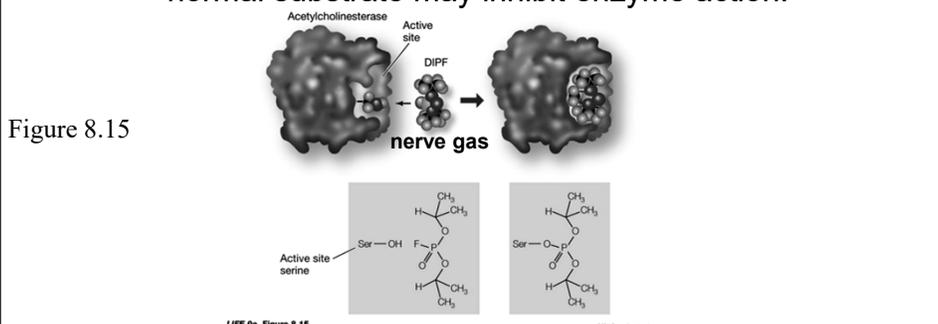
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## C. Enzyme Inhibitors: Chemical Regulators

- **Irreversible Inhibitors:** permanently reduce their catalytic activity. Covalent binding.
- **Reversible Inhibitors:** inhibit enzyme action temporarily. (**Competitive** or **Noncompetitive**)
  - A compound structurally similar to an enzyme's normal substrate may inhibit enzyme action.



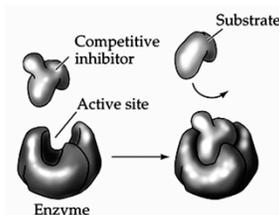
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## Reversible Inhibitors

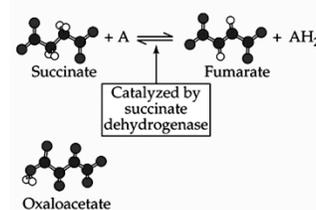
### 1. Competitive:

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#### (a) Competitive inhibition



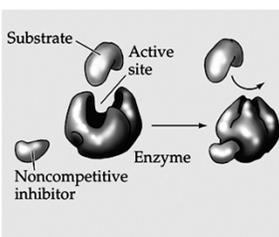
#### Competitive inhibition of succinate dehydrogenase



### 2. Non-Competitive:

- **Allosteric** = “different” + “shape”

#### (b) Noncompetitive inhibition



#### Noncompetitive inhibition of threonine dehydratase

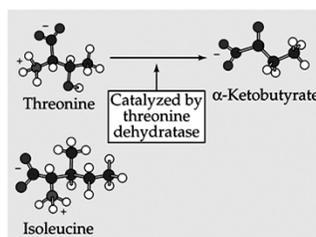


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## Allosteric enzymes

1. **Allosteric** inhibitors bind to a site different from the active site (***Noncompetitive***)
  - stabilize the inactive form of the enzyme.
  - Most allosteric enzymes have quaternary structure.
2. The multiple catalytic subunits of many allosteric enzymes interact **cooperatively**.
  - Binding to one subunit facilitates binding to others

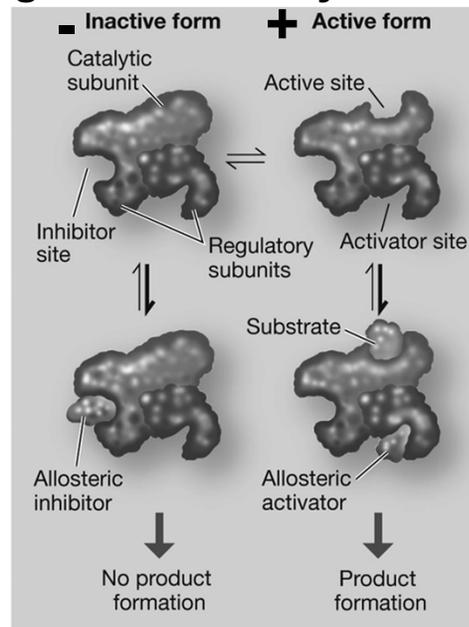
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### Fig 8.17 Allosteric Regulation of Enzymes

- Binding at allosteric site changes shape of separate, active site!
  - Conformational Change

- **Allosteric Regulation:** Activate or Inhibit

- Binding to one subunit facilitates binding to others
  - Activation site
  - **Cooperative Binding**

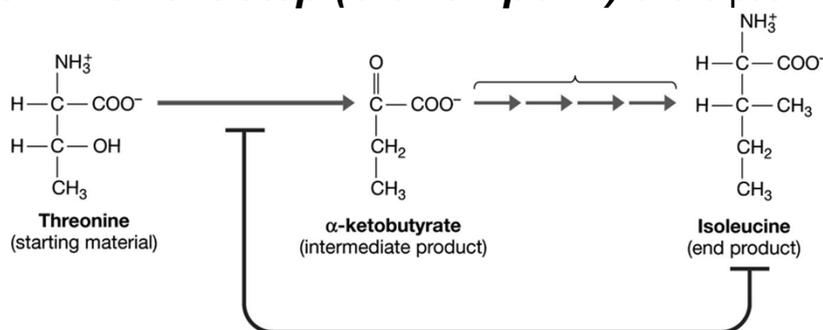


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## G. Allosteric regulation of metabolism

- The **end product** of a metabolic pathway may inhibit the allosteric enzyme that catalyzes the **commitment step (branch-point)** of the pathway.



**Feedback Inhibition:** accumulation of an end product signals to end its own synthesis. Usually ALLOSTERIC inhibition.

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## H. Some Enzymes Require Non-protein “accessories” to work

### Some enzymes require “partners”:

- **Cofactors:** inorganic ions (metals).
- **Coenzymes:** not bound permanently to enzymes.
- **Prosthetic groups:** non-amino acid groups bound to enzymes.

TABLE 8.1

Some Examples of Nonprotein “Partners” of Enzymes

TYPE OF MOLECULE	ROLE IN CATALYZED REACTIONS
<b>COFACTORS</b>	
Iron ( $\text{Fe}^{2+}$ or $\text{Fe}^{3+}$ )	Oxidation/reduction
Copper ( $\text{Cu}^+$ or $\text{Cu}^{2+}$ )	Oxidation/reduction
Zinc ( $\text{Zn}^{2+}$ )	Helps bind NAD
<b>COENZYMES</b>	
Biotin	Carries $-\text{COO}^-$
Coenzyme A	Carries $-\text{CO}-\text{CH}_3$
NAD	Carries electrons
FAD	Carries electrons
ATP	Provides/extracts energy
<b>PROSTHETIC GROUPS</b>	
Heme	Binds ions, $\text{O}_2$ , and electrons; contains iron cofactor
Flavin	Binds electrons
Retinal	Converts light energy

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## Part I – Major Themes So Far!!

1. **Electronegativity, charge and polarity** govern the major chemical and functional properties of water and biomolecules.
2. Molecular **shape/structure** → Molec./Biol. **Function**
  - Lipids, Polysacch., Proteins! (strx. Levels)...., RNA, DNA
3. Biological reactions in eukaryotes are **compartmentalized**.
  - Mitoch., chloroplasts, nucleus, nucleolus, lysosome, RER, SER, vacuole, Golgi.....
4. Membranes are more than just barriers:
  - a) Dynamic – cycling contents!
  - b) regulate transport – passive, active (1°, 2°) and bulk (endocyt., exocyt.)
  - c) transduce signals and energy; enzyme alignment
5. Biochemical energy can be harvested to do cellular work. **COUPLING!!**
  - Endergonic reactions can be powered by exergonic reactions by energetic coupling
    - *Uses ATP and enzymes/cofactors to transfer the energy between reactions*
6. **Enzyme Regulation:** *Physical factors, Inhibition, Allostery, Cooperativity*

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## Chapter 9: Cellular Pathways That Harvest Chemical Energy

1. An Overview: Releasing Energy from Glucose
2. Glycolysis: From Glucose to Pyruvate
3. Pyruvate Oxidation
4. The Citric Acid Cycle: Obtaining Energy and Electrons from Glucose
5. The Respiratory Chain: Electrons, Proton Pumping, & ATP
6. Fermentation: ATP from Glucose, without O<sub>2</sub>
7. Contrasting Energy Yields
8. Metabolic Pathways & Regulation



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# Cellular Pathways

- **Metabolic pathways:**
  1. occur in small steps,
  2. each catalyzed by a specific enzyme,
  3. often compartmentalized, and are
  4. highly regulated (allowed by #s 1-3).

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## 9.1) Obtaining Energy & Electrons from Glucose

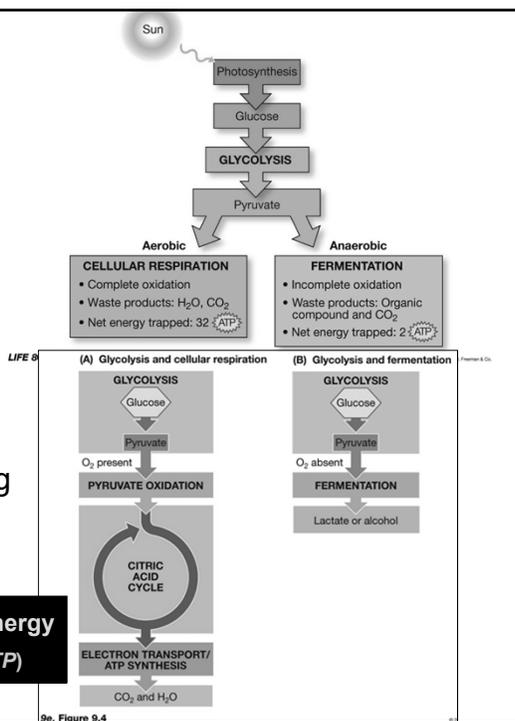
- When glucose burns (combustion), energy is released as heat and light:
 
$$\text{C}_6\text{H}_{12}\text{O}_6 + 6 \text{O}_2 \rightarrow 6 \text{CO}_2 + 6 \text{H}_2\text{O} + \text{energy}$$

(-686 kcal/ mol, *if complete!* = ~57ATP)
- The same equation applies to the metabolism of glucose by cells,
  - but in *many separate steps*
  - so energy can be captured in ATP and electron-carriers.
  - **\*\*Incremental harvesting of released Energy!!**

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# Energy for life: Contrasting Yields!

## 9.4 Energy-Producing Metabolic Pathways



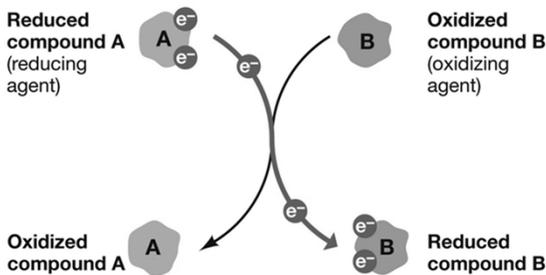
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## A. Redox Reactions: Transferring Electrons

- As a material is oxidized, the electrons it loses transfer to another material, which is thereby reduced.



For GLC: *glc* = Reducing Agent, O<sub>2</sub> = Oxidizing agent



- Such redox reactions transfer a lot of energy.
  - Much of the energy liberated by the oxidation of the reducing agent
  - is captured in the reduction of the oxidizing agent.

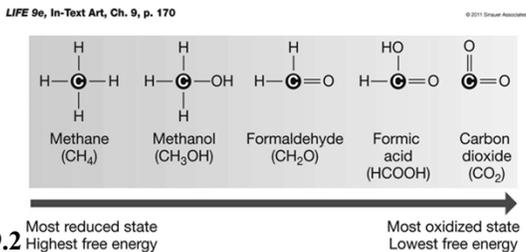


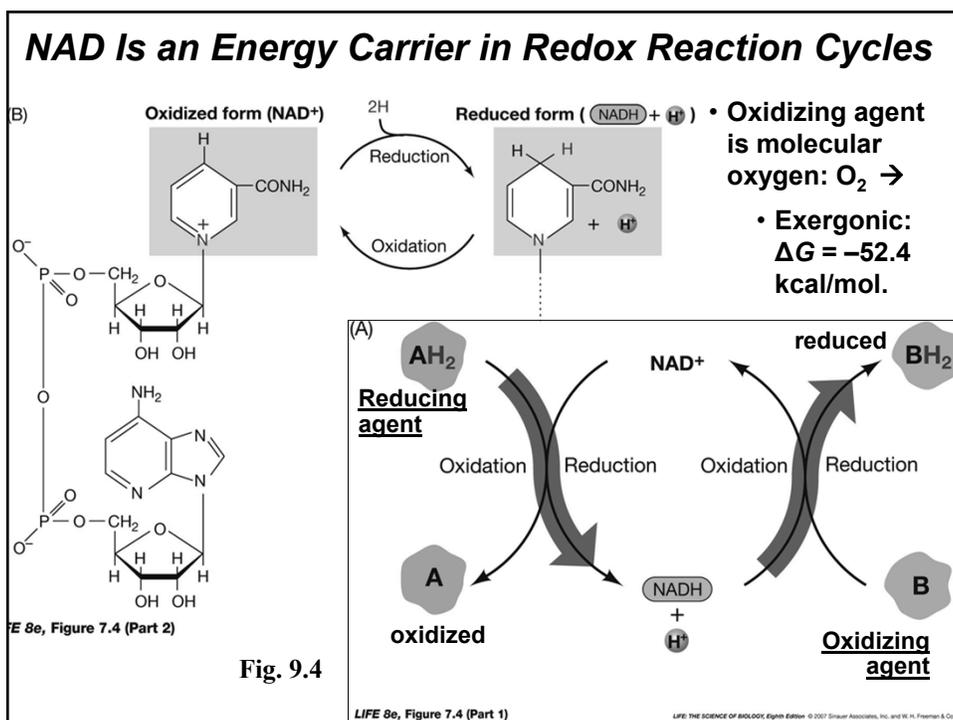
Fig. 9.2

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## Redox Reactions with Glucose

- The **coenzyme NAD** is a key electron carrier in biological redox reactions.
  - Two forms:
    - oxidized ( $\text{NAD}^+$ )
    - **reduced ( $\text{NADH} + \text{H}^+$ )** = includes electrons with their associated Hydrogen nuclei.
      - **Transfer H atom (hydride ion &  $\text{H}^+$ ) = equivalent of electrons being passed/ redox rxn.**

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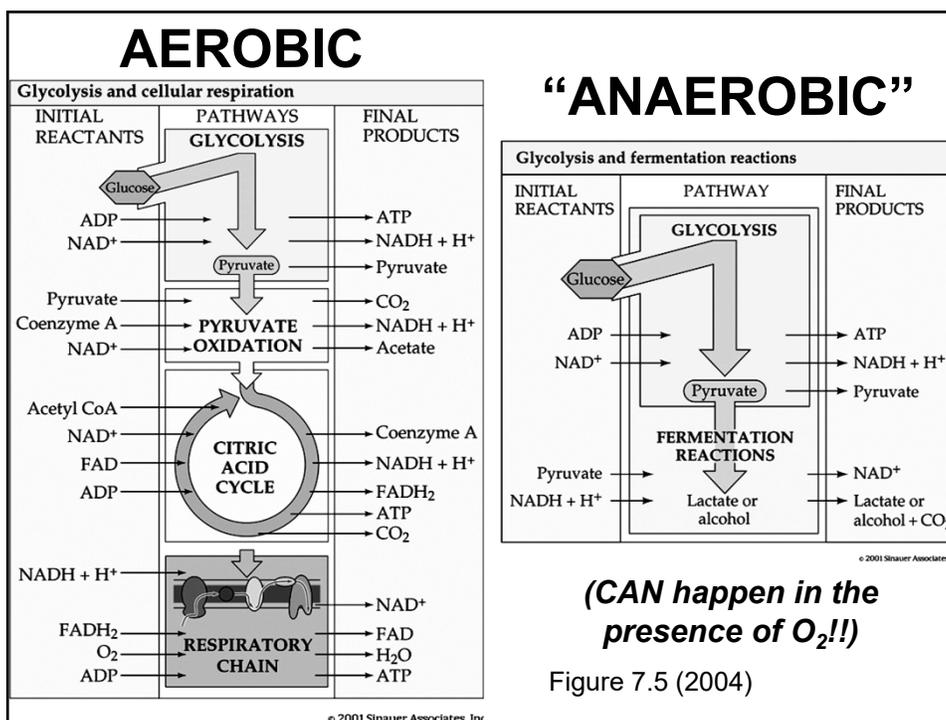


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## B. An Overview: Releasing Energy from Glucose

- **Glycolysis operates in the presence or absence of  $O_2$ .**
- Under aerobic conditions (w/  $O_2$ ), **cellular respiration** continues the breakdown process.

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## Releasing Energy from Glucose

### 1. *Pyruvate oxidation* and the *citric acid cycle* (TCA / Krebs)

- produce  $\text{CO}_2$  and hydrogen atoms
- carried by NADH and FADH<sub>2</sub>.

### 2. The *respiratory chain*

- combines the hydrogens with  $\text{O}_2$ ,
- releasing enough energy for ATP synthesis.

### 3. In some cells under anaerobic conditions, pyruvate can be reduced by NADH (*fermentation*)

- to form lactate or ethanol
- to **regenerate the NAD** needed to sustain glycolysis

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## 9.2) Overview: Releasing Energy from Glucose

### • In eukaryotes,

- glycolysis & fermentation occur in the cytoplasm (outside of the mitochondria)
- pyruvate oxidation, the citric acid cycle (TCA), & the respiratory chain (ETC) operate in mitochondria

### • In prokaryotes,

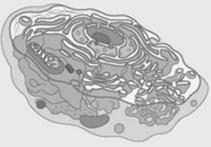
- glycolysis, fermentation, & TCA take place in the cytoplasm
- pyruvate oxidation & ETC operate in association with the plasma membrane

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## Cellular Locations of Energy Pathways

TABLE 9.1

Cellular Locations for Energy Pathways in Eukaryotes and Prokaryotes

	EUKARYOTES	PROKARYOTES
	<b>External to mitochondrion</b> Glycolysis Fermentation	<b>In cytoplasm</b> Glycolysis Fermentation Citric acid cycle (TCA)
	<b>Inside mitochondrion</b> Inner membrane Respiratory chain Matrix Citric acid cycle Pyruvate oxidation	<b>On plasma membrane</b> Pyruvate oxidation Respiratory chain

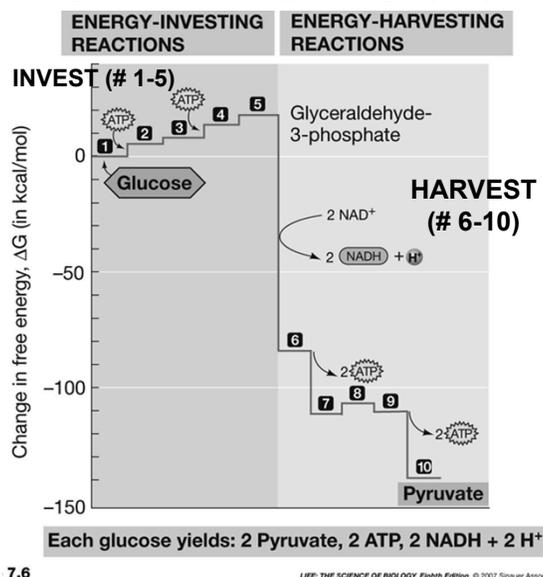
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## A. Glycolysis: From Glucose to Pyruvate

- **Glycolysis** is a pathway of **ten enzyme-catalyzed reactions**
  - located in the cytoplasm (-sol).
  - provides **starting materials for both cellular respiration & fermentation**.
  - +2ATP, no -CO<sub>2</sub>

### Changes in Free Energy During Glycolysis



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## Glycolysis: From Glucose to Pyruvate

- **Energy-investing** reactions of glycolysis (per glc):
  - use 2 ATPs
  - yield 2 glyceraldehyde-3-phosphates (g3p)
- **Energy-harvesting** reactions produce (per glc):
  - 2 NADH molecules (-52 kcal/mol each)
  - 4 ATP molecules by *substrate-level phosphorylation*
  - two pyruvates

**9.5 Glycolysis Converts Glucose into Pyruvate**

**ENERGY-INVESTING REACTIONS**

Glucose

Hexokinase  $\xrightarrow{\text{ATP} \rightarrow \text{ADP}}$

Glucose 6-phosphate (G6P)

Phosphohexose isomerase  $\downarrow$

Fructose 6-phosphate (F6P)

Phosphofructokinase  $\xrightarrow{\text{ATP} \rightarrow \text{ADP}}$

Fructose 1,6-bisphosphate (FBP)

Aldolase  $\downarrow$

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## Glycolysis: From Glucose to Pyruvate

**GLYCOLYSIS**

**REACTIONS 1-5 ARE ENERGY-INVESTING REACTIONS**

START  $\rightarrow$  (6C) CCCCCC

1. Hexokinase: Glucose  $\xrightarrow{\text{ATP} \rightarrow \text{ADP}}$  Glucose 6-phosphate (P-C-CCCCC)

2. Phosphohexose isomerase: Glucose 6-phosphate  $\rightleftharpoons$  Fructose 6-phosphate (P-C-CCCCC)

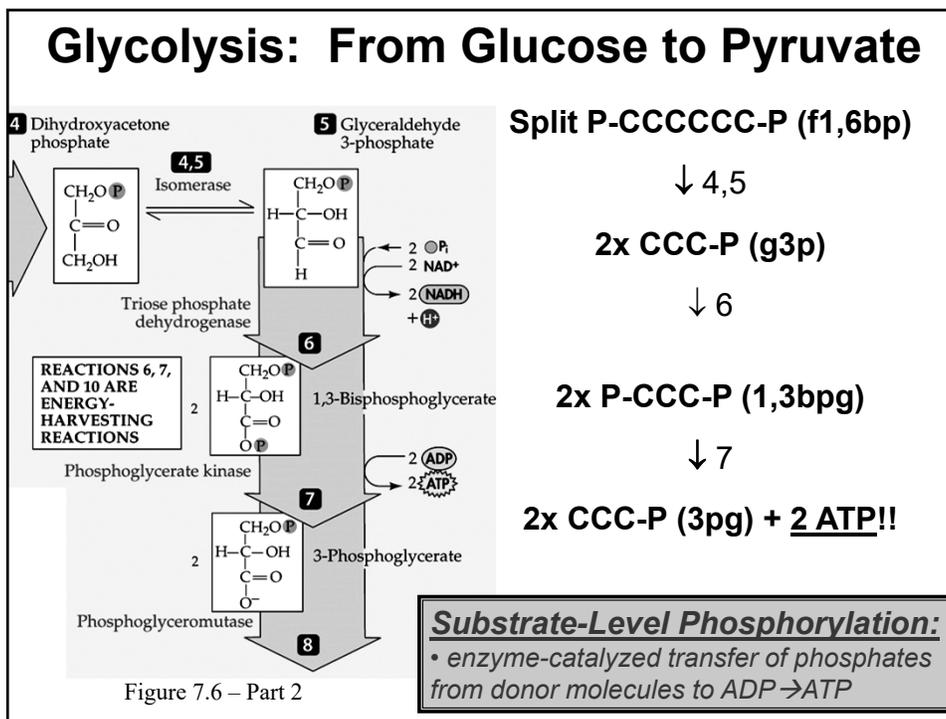
3. Phosphofructokinase: Fructose 6-phosphate  $\xrightarrow{\text{ATP} \rightarrow \text{ADP}}$  Fructose 1,6-bisphosphate (P-C-CCCCC-P)

Aldolase: Fructose 1,6-bisphosphate  $\rightarrow$  Glyceraldehyde-3-phosphate + Dihydroxyacetone phosphate

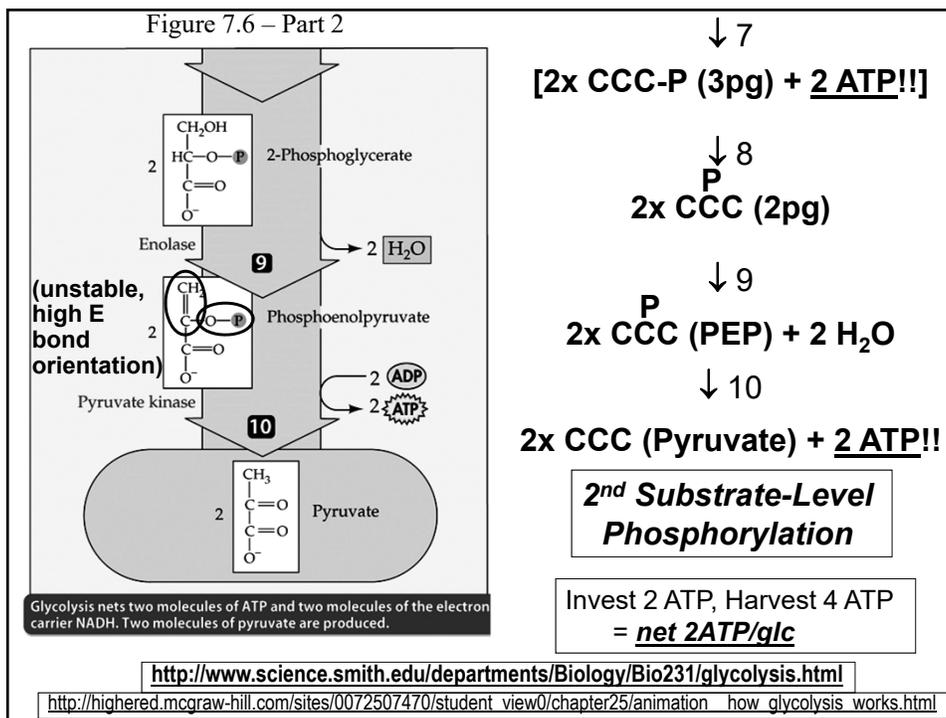
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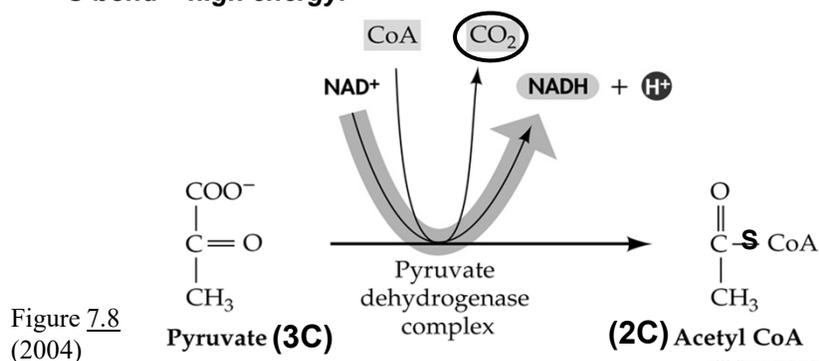
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## B. Pyruvate Oxidation (2 per Glc)

**Pyruvate dehydrogenase complex** (= Huge! 72 subunits, 4.6 MDa)

catalyzes three reactions:

1. Pyruvate = ox'd to acetyl group, releasing 1  $\text{CO}_2$  & energy
2. Some energy is captured when  $\text{NAD}^+$  is reduced to  $\text{NADH} + \text{H}^+$  (stores 52 kcal/mol)
3. Remaining energy is captured in acetyl CoA (stores 7.5 kcal/mol)
  - *S-bond = high energy!*

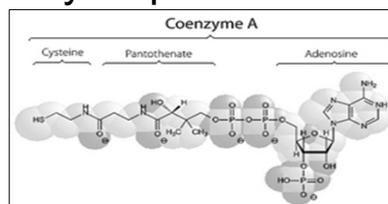


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## C. The Citric Acid Cycle (TCA)

1. Energy in acetyl CoA drives rxn:
  - Acetate (2C) + oxaloacetate (4C) → citrate (6C).
2. TCA Cycle = series of rxns that *oxidize CITR and regenerate OAA (OXAL)*
3. For each acetyl CoA, TCA Cycle produces:

- 2  $\text{CO}_2$
- 3  $\text{NADH}$  (52 kcal/mol)
- 1  $\text{FADH}_2$  (43 kcal/mol)
- 1  $\text{ATP}$  (12 kcal/mol)

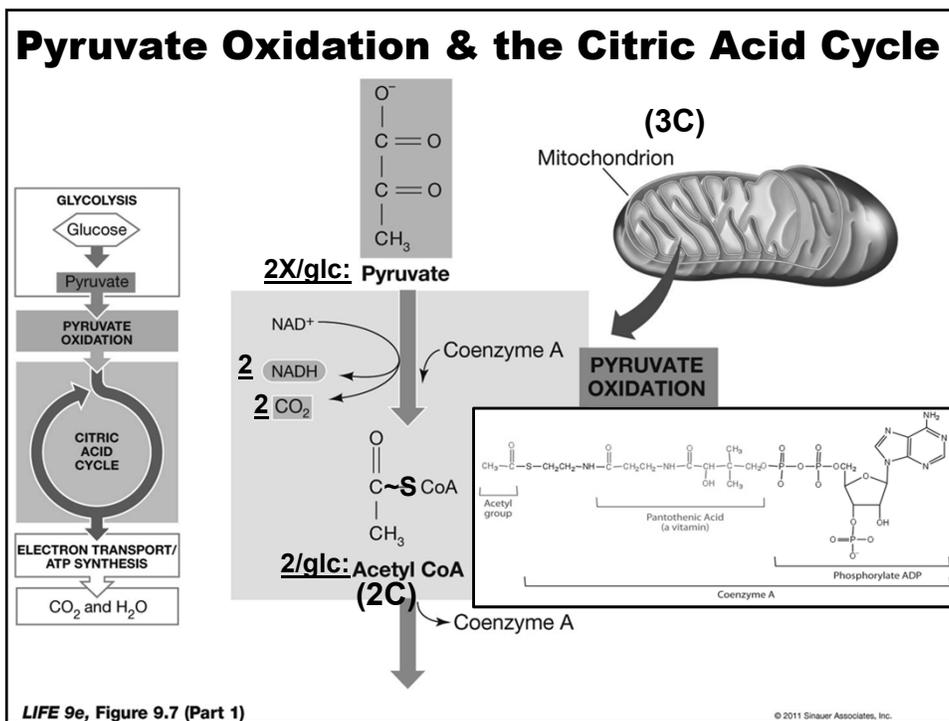


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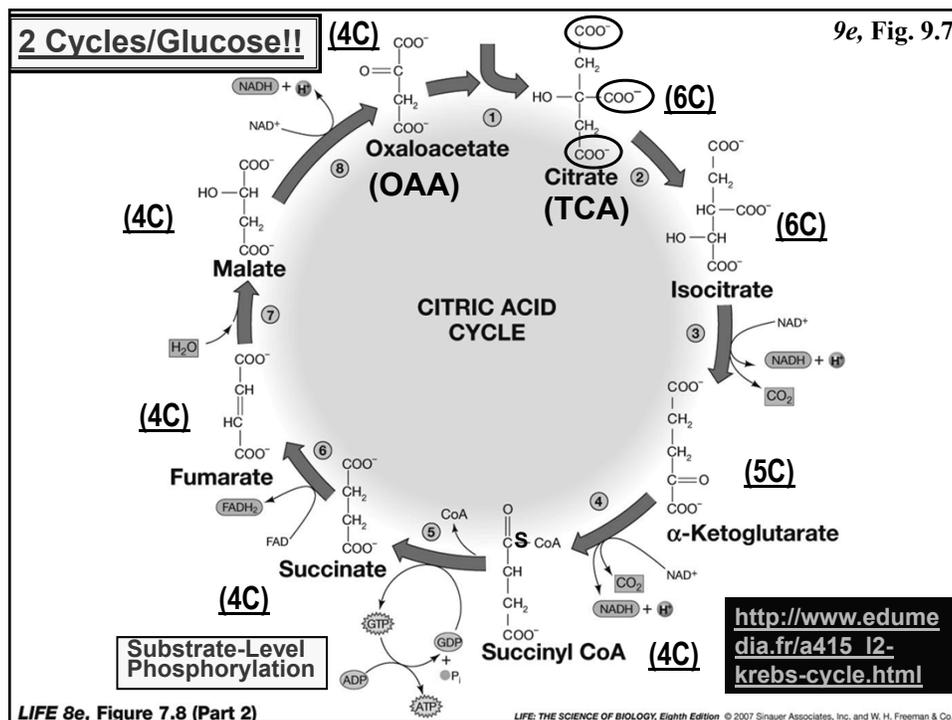
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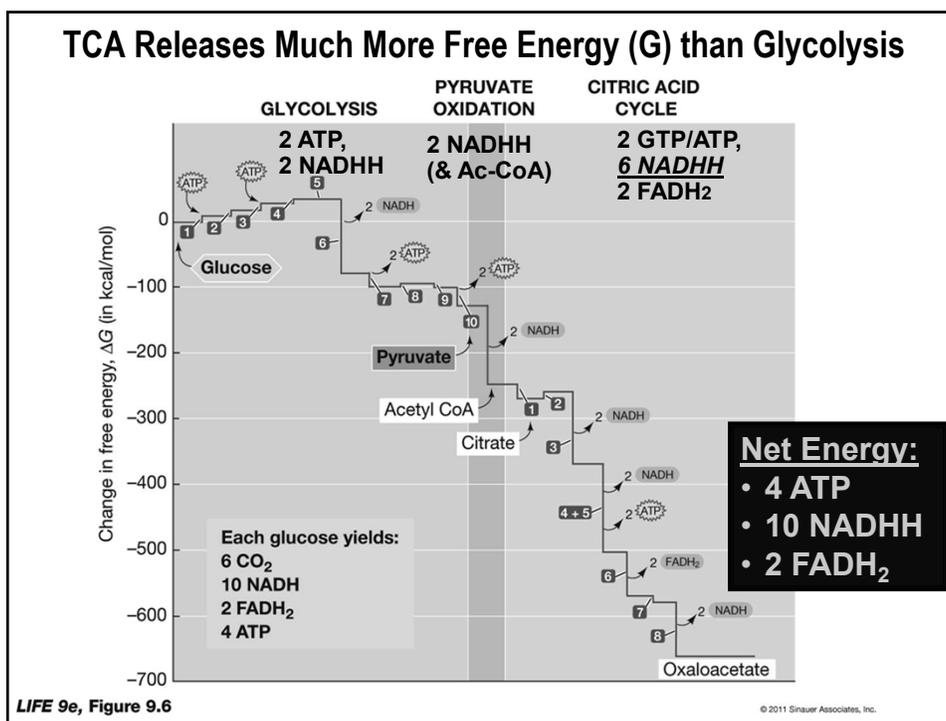
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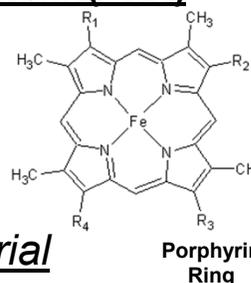
## D. The Respiratory Chain (ETC): Electrons, Proton Pumping, and ATP

### 1. NADH + H<sup>+</sup> and FADH<sub>2</sub> (Glyc, Pyr Ox, TCA)

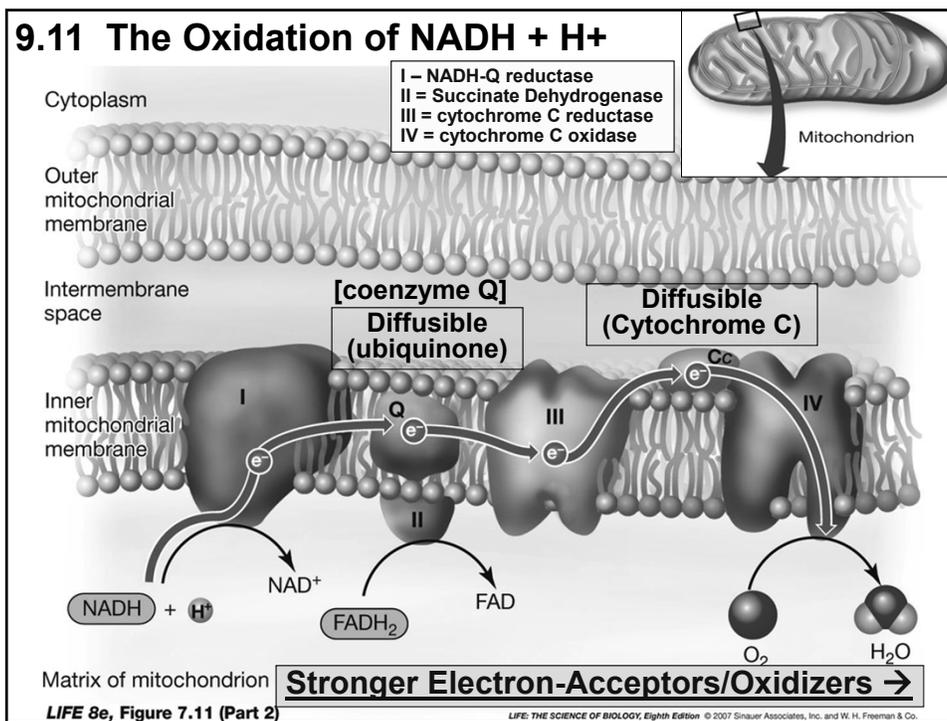
- oxidized by the respiratory chain (ETC)
- regenerating NAD<sup>+</sup> and FAD.

2. Most of the enzymes and other electron carriers of ETC are part of the inner mitochondrial membrane.

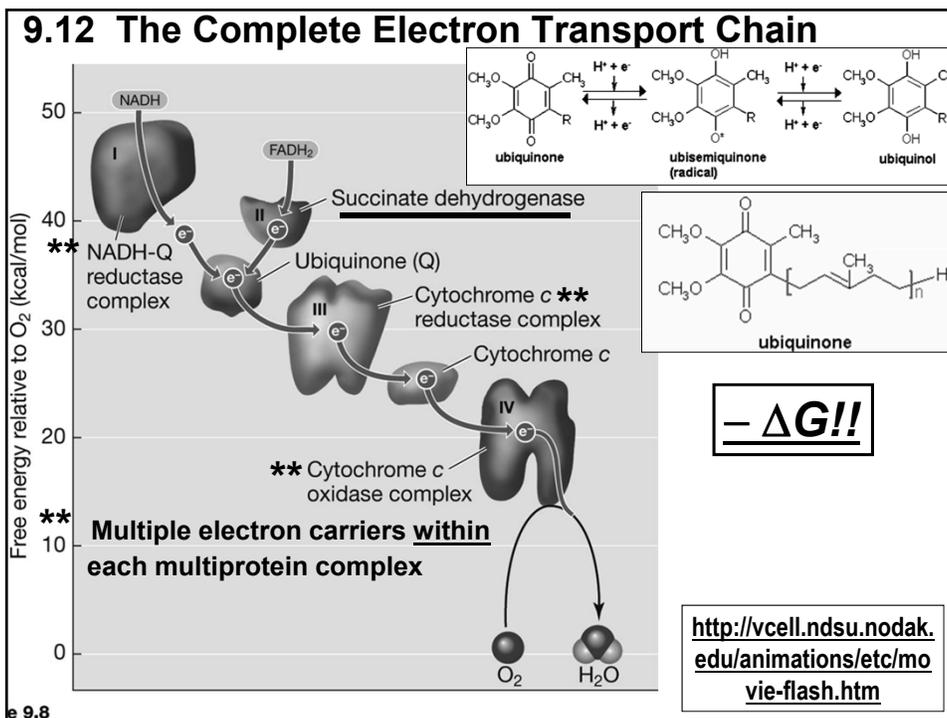
3. O<sub>2</sub> is the final acceptor of electrons and protons, forming H<sub>2</sub>O.



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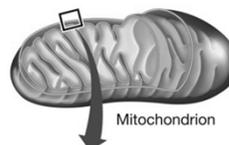
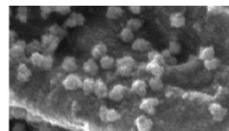


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# 1. CHEMIOSMOSIS

- The chemiosmotic mechanism *couples* proton transport to oxidative phosphorylation.

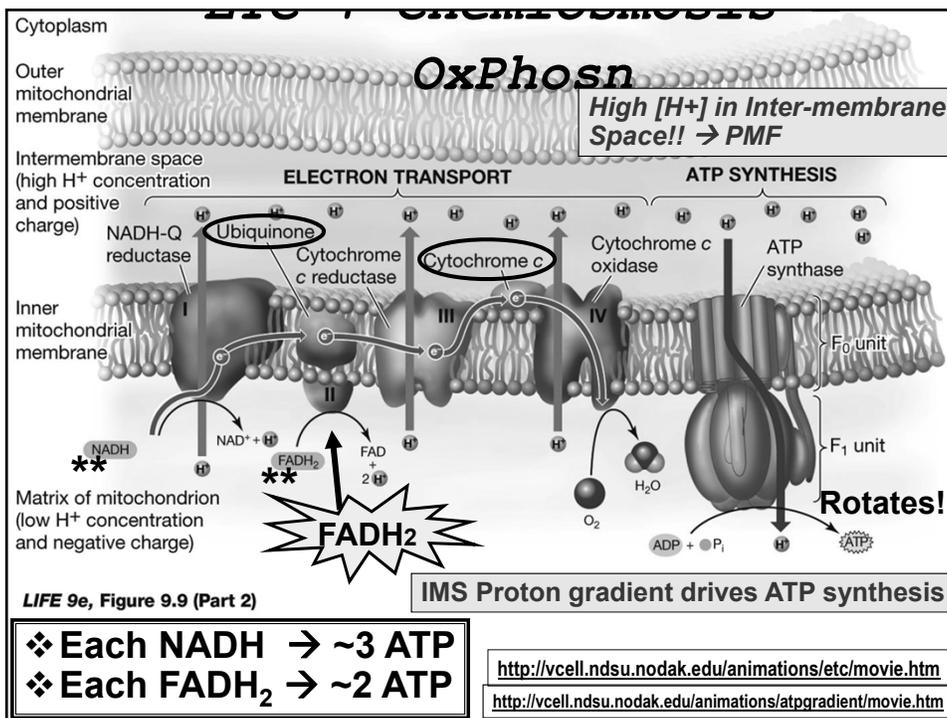
– (PMF → ATP synthesis)



- Electrons moving down the ETC release energy:
  - captured by proton (H<sup>+</sup>) pumps:
    - *actively transport* H<sup>+</sup> out of the mitochondrial matrix (Ch. 5)

❖ *create gradient of [H<sup>+</sup>] and electric charge — the **Proton-Motive Force**.*

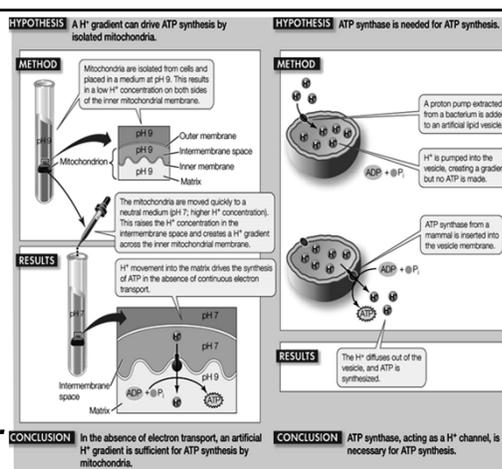
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## 2. PMF

- The **Proton-Motive Force** causes  $H^+$  to diffuse back into the mitochondrial interior (MATRIX) thru **ATP synthase**, which couples  $H^+$  diffusion to the production of ATP.



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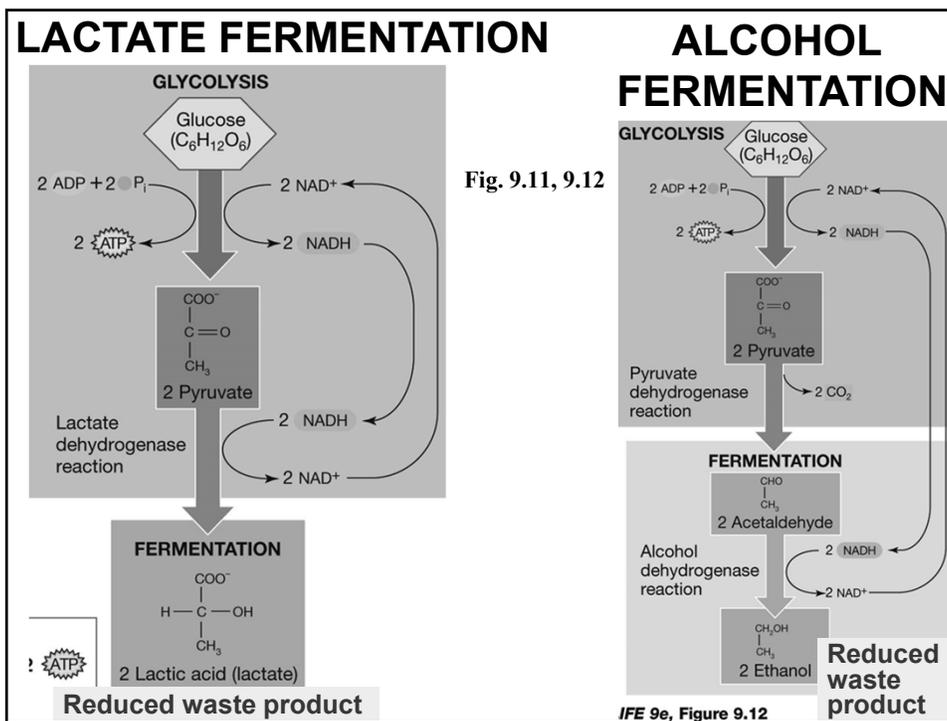
- **Uncoupling → Heat!!** (*thermogenin* in newborns)
  - Proton pore, without ATP synthase;
  - also in **brown fat**
- *Voodoo Lily* – (*calorigen*) early pollination, aromatic amines & indoles

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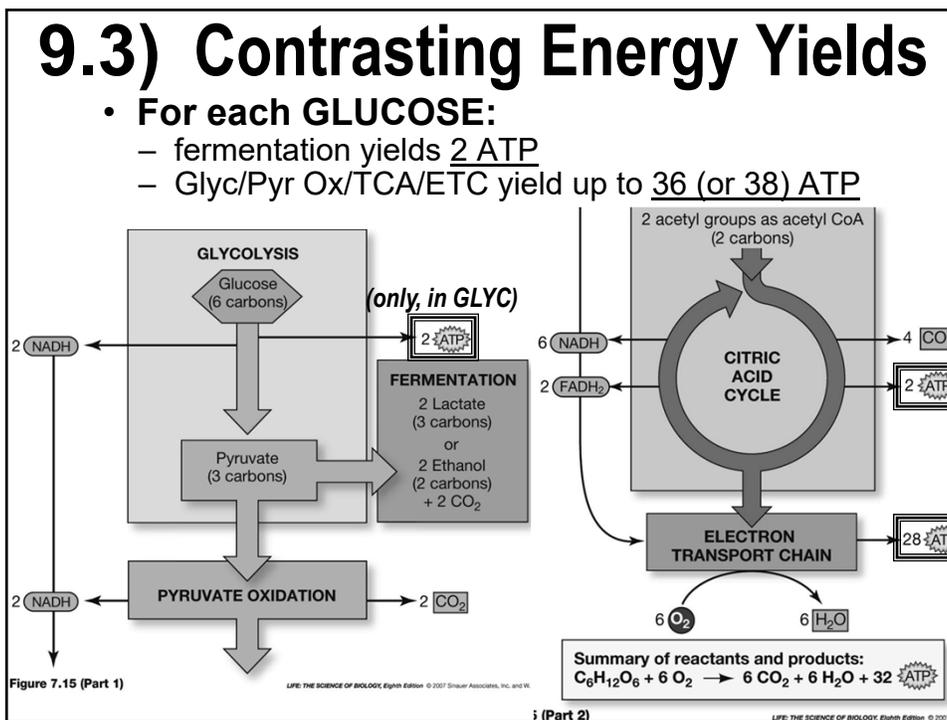
## E. Fermentation: ATP from Glucose, without $O_2$

- Anaerobic organisms
  - energy from **glycolysis & fermentation.**
  - partly oxidize glucose
    - generate energy-containing products
      - (Lactate, EtOH)
  - anaerobically oxidize the  $NADH + H^+$  produced in glycolysis → **recycle  $NAD^+$ .**

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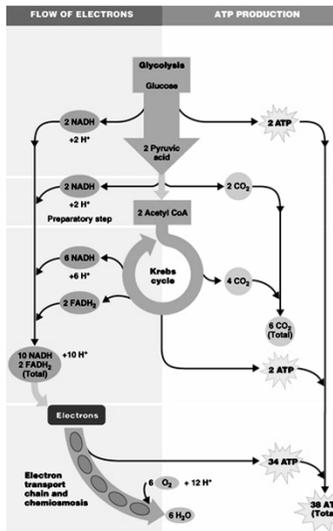


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# Oxidative Metabolic Yield, Summary:

## NET:

1. **Glyc** = **2 ATP**  
(4 made, 2 invested)  
**2 NADHH → 4 ATP**  
*(use 2 ATP on transport into mito. I.M.!!)*
  2. **Pyr.Ox.** = **2 NADHH → 6 ATP**
  3. **TCA** = **6 NADHH → 18 ATP**  
**2 GTP → 2 ATP**  
**2 FADH<sub>2</sub> → 4 ATP**
- 36 ATP total**  
NET from Glycolysis & Oxidative Respiration



<http://vcell.ndsu.nodak.edu/animations/atpgradient/movie.htm>

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## 9.4) Metabolic Pathways: Catabolic pathways feed into the Respiratory pathways

1. **Polysaccharides** → **glucose**  
- enters *glycolysis*
2. **Fats** → **Glycerol**  
- enters glycolysis (DHAP)
3. **Fatty acid degradation** → **Acetyl CoA**  
- enters *TCA cycle*
4. **Proteins** → **amino acids**  
- enter glycolysis & TCA

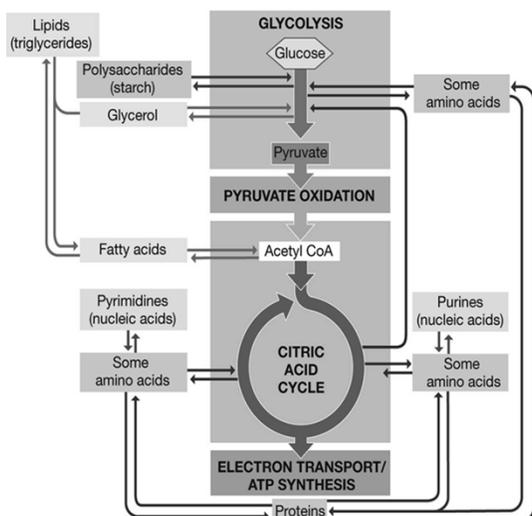


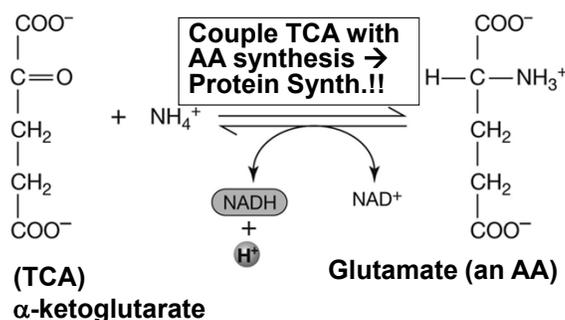
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## 9.5) Anabolic pathways: *coupled* to catabolism by enzymes

- ❖ use respiratory intermediate compounds of metabolism.
  - fats, amino acids, and others
- ❖ synthesize essential building blocks for cellular structure & function.



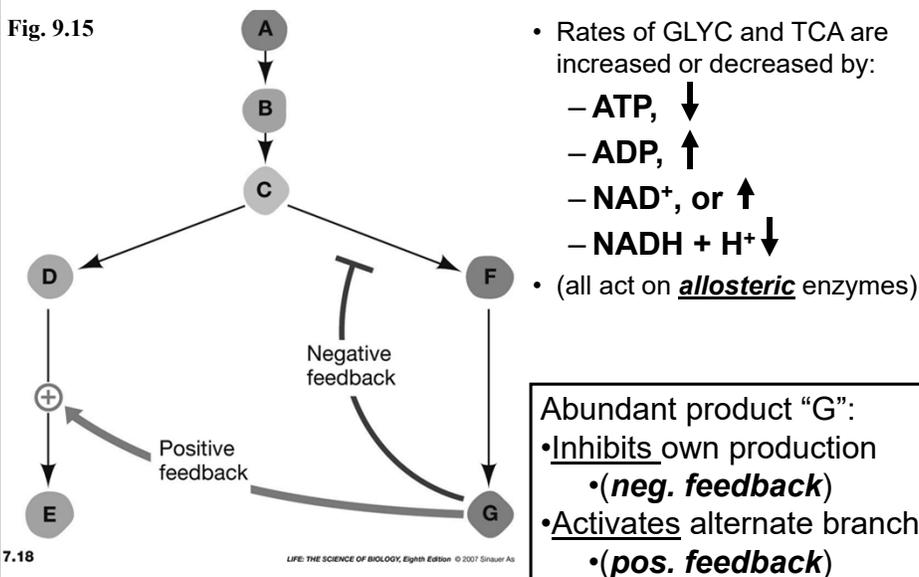
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## 9.6) Regulating Energy Pathways

Fig. 9.15



- Rates of GLYC and TCA are increased or decreased by:
  - ATP, ↓
  - ADP, ↑
  - NAD<sup>+</sup>, or ↑
  - NADH + H<sup>+</sup> ↓
- (all act on allosteric enzymes)

Abundant product "G":

- Inhibits own production  
• (*neg. feedback*)
- Activates alternate branch  
• (*pos. feedback*)

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