

Chapter 2 CHEMISTRY OF LIFE



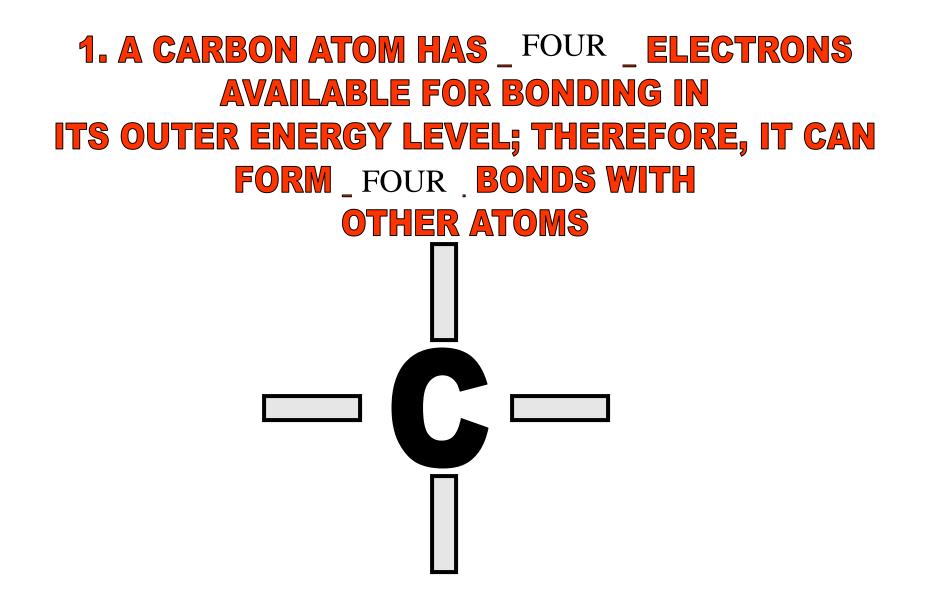
THE ELEMENT FOUND IN ALL LIVING THINGS

"THE BUILDING BLOCK OF THE MOLECULES OF LIFE"

ORGANIC COMPOUNDS

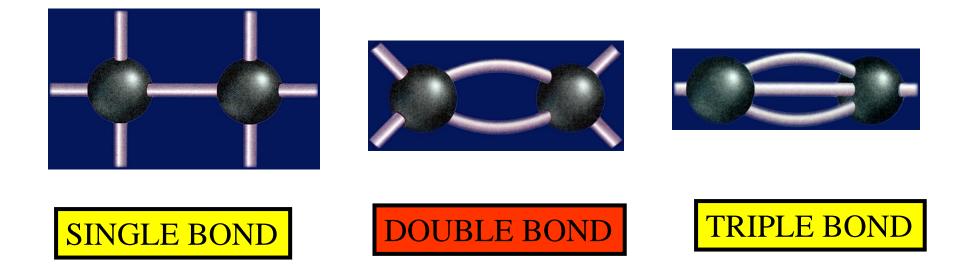
MOLECULES CONTAINING CARBON THAT ARE FOUND IN LIVING THINGS

UNIQUE PROPERTIES OF CARBON:



2. WHEN CARBON ATOMS BOND, THEY

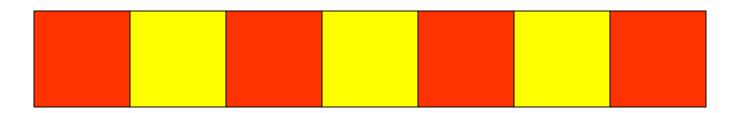
CAN FORM <u>SINGLE</u> BONDS, DOUBLE BONDS, OR <u>TRIPLE</u> BONDS





LARGE MOLECULES FORMED WHEN MANY SMALLER MOLECULES BOND TOGETHER ALSO KNOWN AS MACROMOLECULES





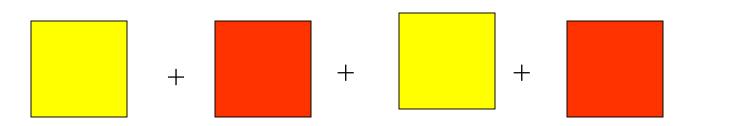
SMALLER MOLECULES FORM POLYMERS



THE SMALLER UNITS COMPOSING A POLYMER

ALSO KNOWN AS SUBUNITS

MONO = "ONE " SUB = "BELOW "



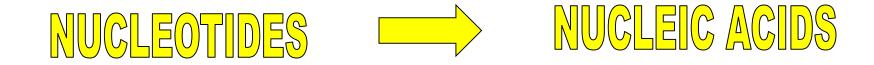
MONOMERS BOND TO FORM POLYMERS



MONOSACCHARIDES — CARBOHYDRATES

GLYCEROL + FATTY ACIDS _____ LIPIDS

AMINO ACIDS PROTEINS





OCCUR WHEN BONDS ARE FORMED OR BROKEN, CAUSING SUBSTANCES TO RECOMBINE INTO DIFFERENT SUBSTANCES



PRODUCTS

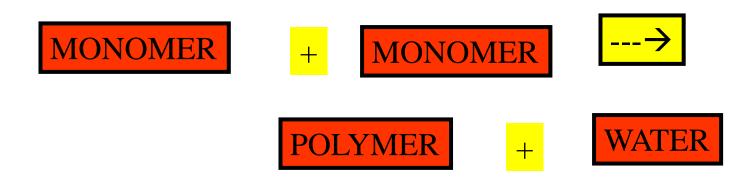
PARTS OF A CHEMICAL REACTION:



REACTANTS

TYPES OF REACTIONS INVOLVING MONOMERS AND POLYMERS:

1. CONDENSATION REACTIONS - REACTIONS IN WHICH MONOMERS REMOVE A MOLECULE OF WATER TO FORM A POLYMER CON = " WITH _; TOGETHER _"



Types of Energy

Exothermic Energy: Chemical Reaction releases more energy than it absorbs.

<u>Endothermic Energy</u>: Chemical Reaction absorbs more energy than it releases.

<u>Activation Energy</u>: Is the amount of energy that needs to be absorbed for a chemical reaction to start.

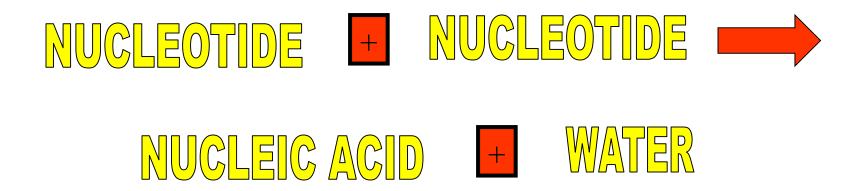


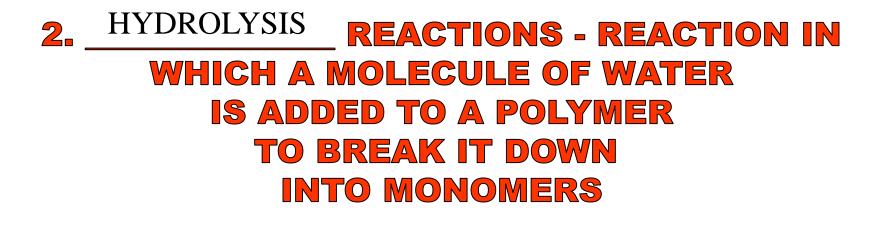
MONOSACCHARIDE <u>+</u> MONOSACCHARIDE



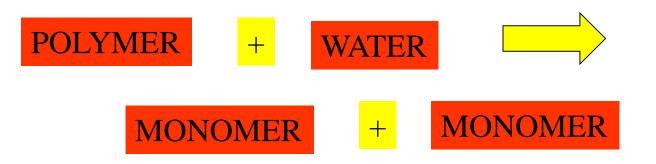
GLYCEROL + FATTY ACIDS LIPID + WATER

AMINO ACID + AMINO ACID + PROTEIN + WATER





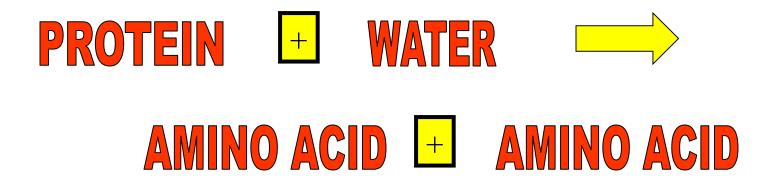
$$HYDRO \equiv WATER USS \equiv TO SPLIT$$



EXAMPLES OF HYDROLYSIS REACTIONS:



GLYCEROL + FATTY ACIDS





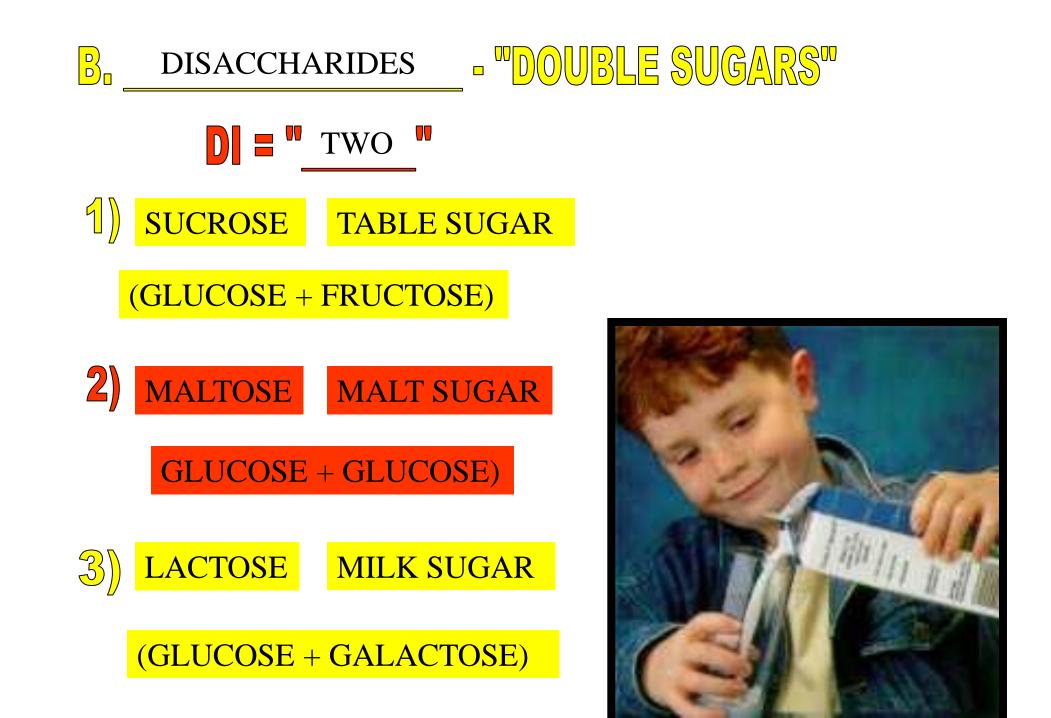
NUCLEOTIDE - NUCLEOTIDE

EXAMPLES OF ORGANIC COMPOUNDS: CARBOHYDRATES AN ORGANIC COMPOUND COMPOSED OF CARBON, HYDROGEN, AND OXYGEN WITH A RATIO OF 2 HYDROGEN ATOMS AND 1 OXYGEN ATOM FOR EVERY CARBON ATOM CH O 2 USED BY CELL TO STORE AND RELEASE ENERGY



A MONOSACCHARIDES . "SIMPLE SUGARS"

MONOMERS OF CARBOHYDRATES



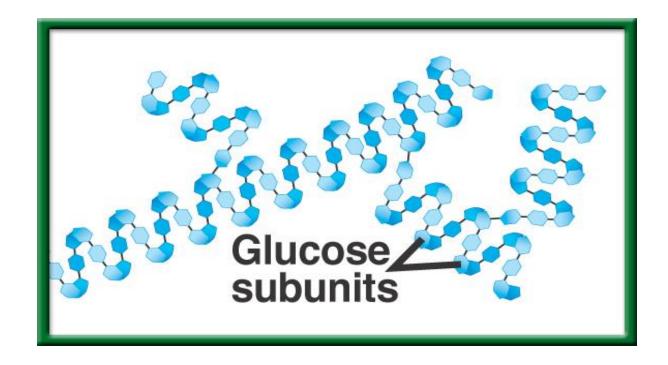
Test for monosaccharides using Benedict's Solution (glucose,fructose etc)

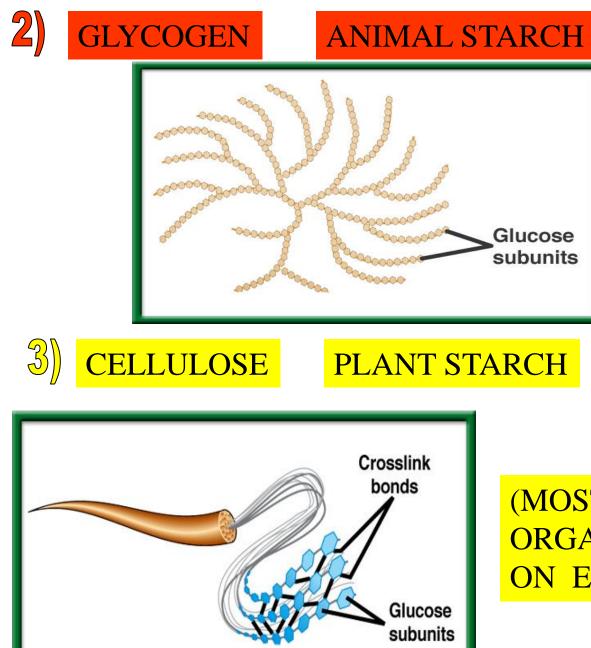
Color of Benedict's reagent	Approximate sugar concentration
Blue	nil
Light green	0.5-1.0%
Green to yellow	1.0%-1.5%
Orange	1.5%-2.0%
Red to red brown	>2.0%



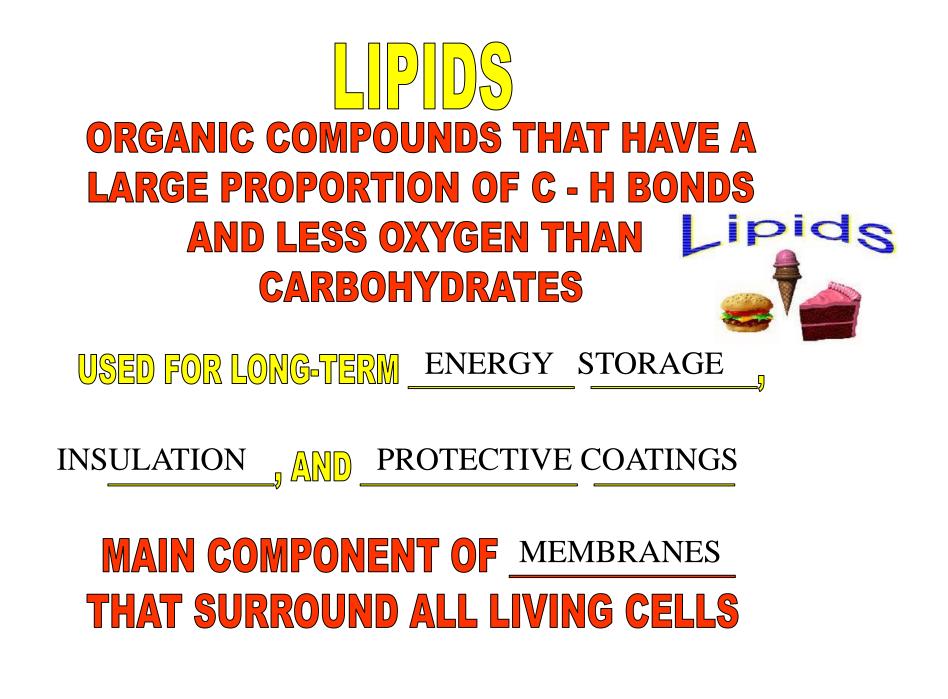


HIGHLY BRANCHED GLUCOSE CHAINS





(MOST ABUNDANT ORGANIC COMPOUND ON EARTH) Starch Test: Lugol's solution contains iodine and is an indicator for starch.Iodine turns blue-black in presence of starch.



FORMED BY CONDENSATION REACTIONS

H
$$H - C - OH$$

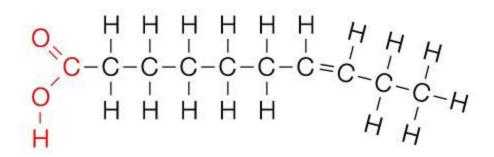
 $H - C - OH$

FATTY ACID CHAIN



Saturated

Unsaturated



Sudan IV is an indicator of lipids. Lipids turn from pink to a red colour.



LARGE, COMPLEX POLYMER COMPOSED **OF CARBON, HYDROGEN, OXYGEN, NITROGEN, AND SOMETIMES SULFUR**

FORMED BY CONDENSATION REACTIONS

CHARACTERISTICS OF PROTEINS:

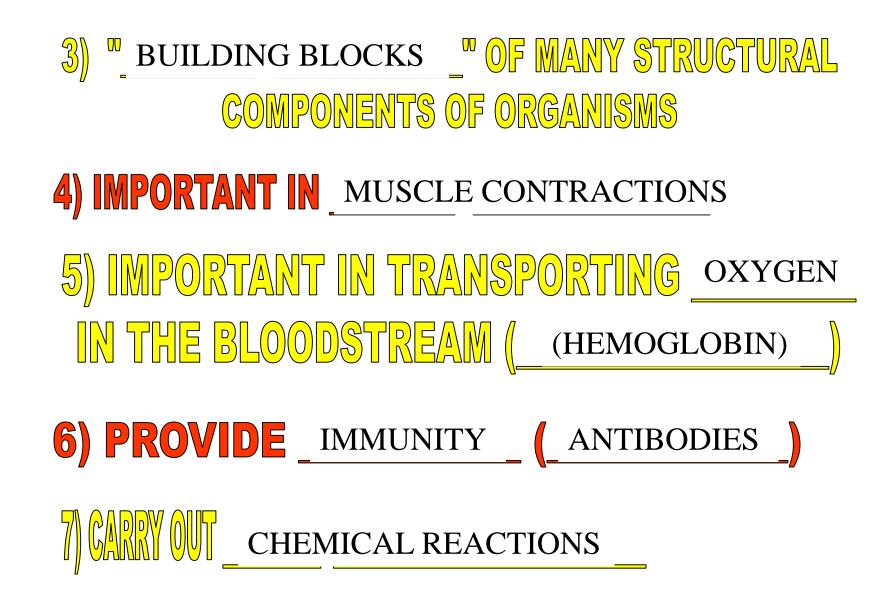
2) BUILD STRUCTURE AND CARRY OUT

CELL METABOLISM

1) ESSENTIAL TO ALL LIFE

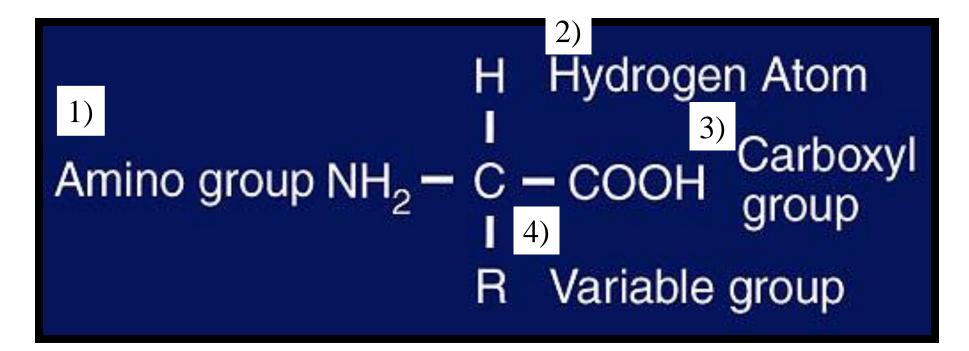
ADAM

Proteins





THE BASIC BUILDING BLOCKS OF PROTEINS



THERE ARE APPROXIMATELY 20 DIFFERENT AMINO ACIDS IN THE HUMEN BODY! THE SEQUENCE OF AMINO ACIDS IN THE PROTEIN DETERMINE THE FUNCTION OF THE PROTEIN

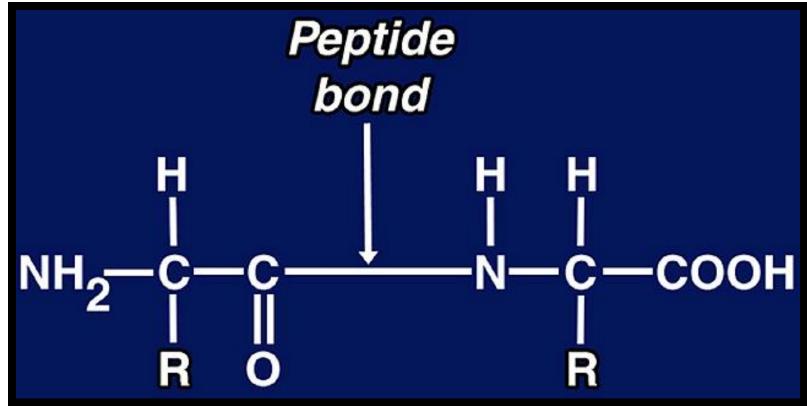
SOME AMINO ACIDS ARE ACIDIC

SOME AMINO ACIDS ARE BASIC

SOME AMINO ACIDS ARE NOT CHARGED



THE COVALENT BOND BETWEEN TWO AMINO ACIDS WHEN FORMING PROTEINS



Protein test:

<u>Biuret reagent reacts with the</u> peptide bonds that join amino acids together, producing colour changes from blue to pink(+),violet(++),and purple(+++).The + sign indicates the relative amounts of peptide bonds.

Type of nutrient	Type of test/reagent
Monosaccharides	Benedict's reagent
Starch	Lugol's solution
Lipids	Sudan IV indicator
Proteins	Biuret reagent



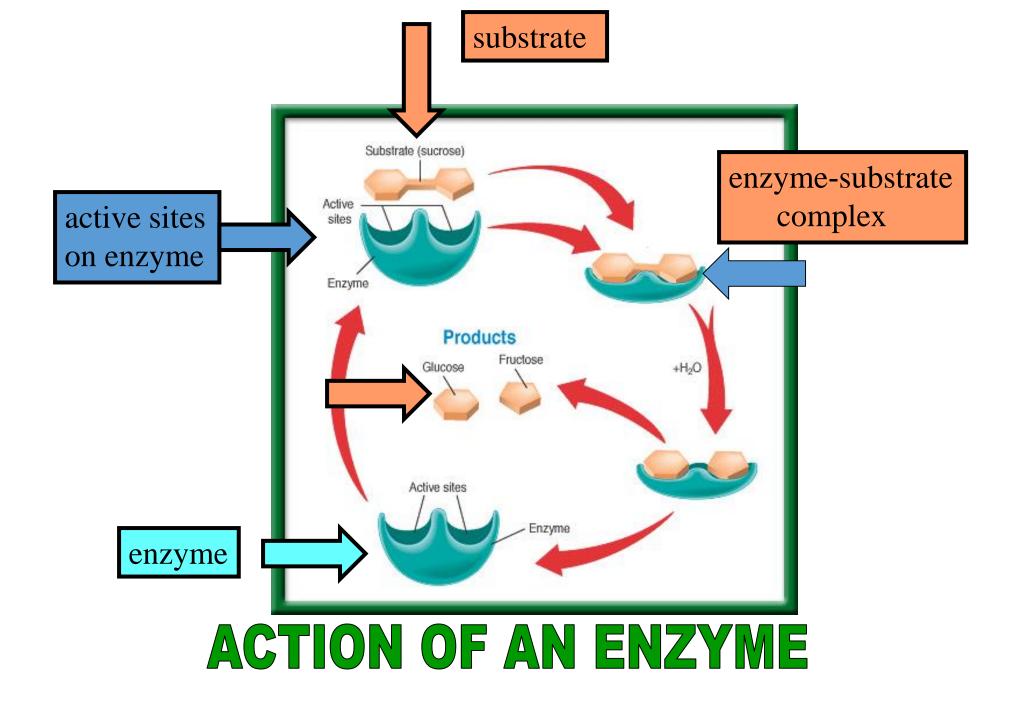
A PROTEIN THAT CHANGES THE RATE OF A CHEMICAL REACTION

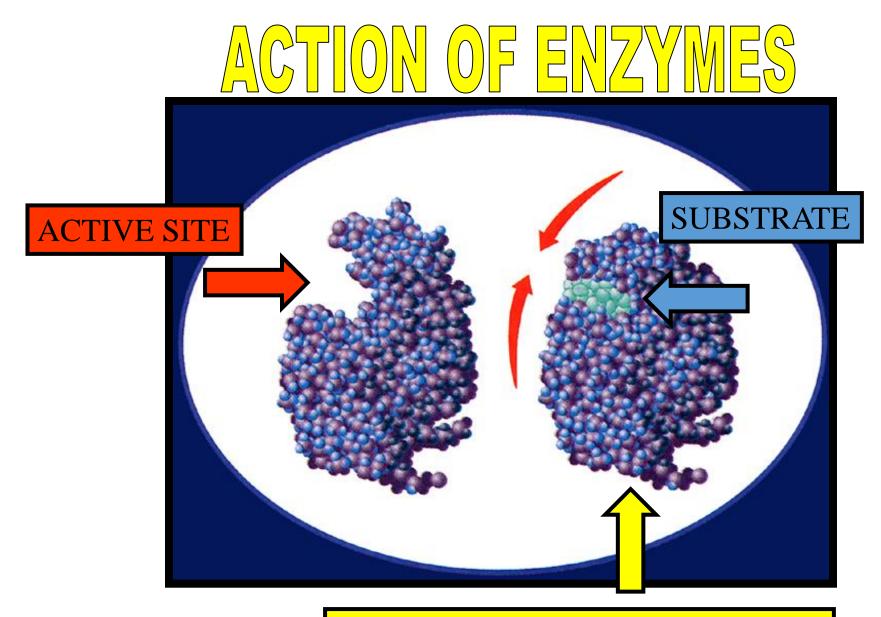
"BIOLOGICAL CATALYSTS"

ACT AS CATALYSTS TO SPEED UP CHEMICAL REACTIONS OCCURING IN THE CELL

INVOLVED IN NEARLY ALL

METABOLIC PROCESSES





ENZYME-SUBSTRATE COMPELX

CHAPTER 3: CELLSTRUCTURE AND FUNCTION



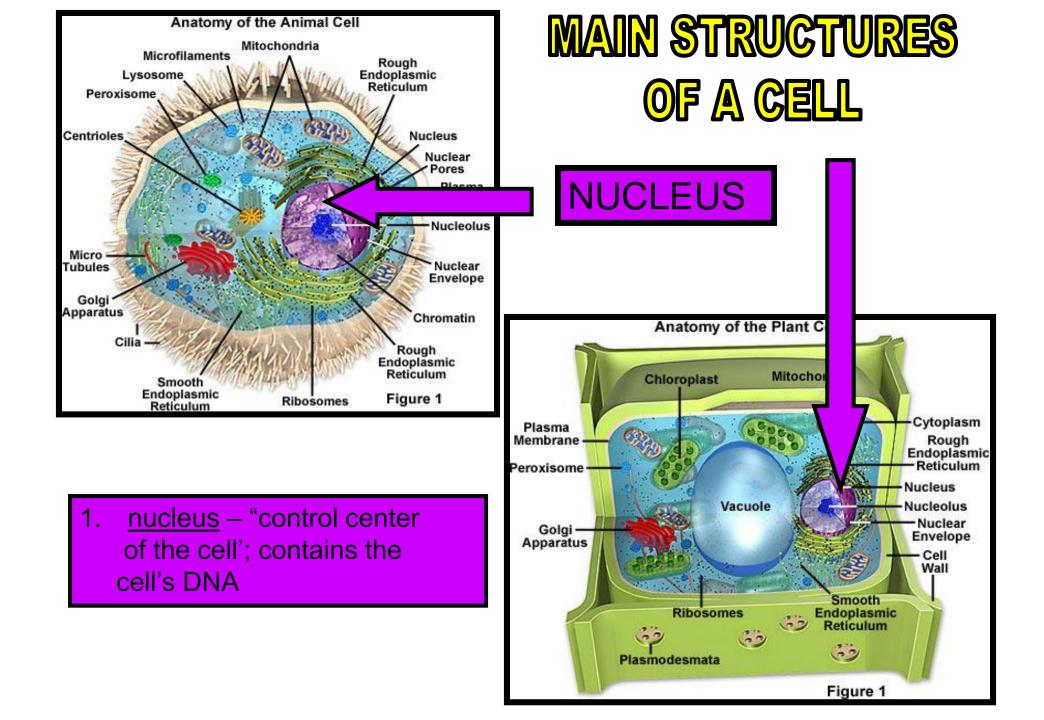
basic structural and functional units of life

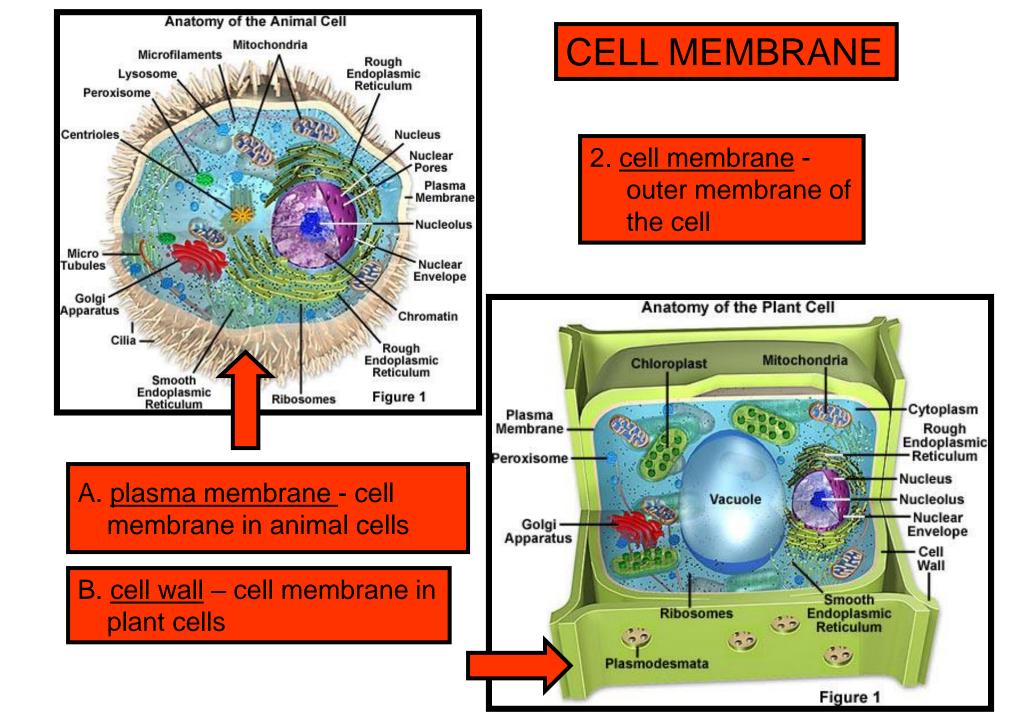


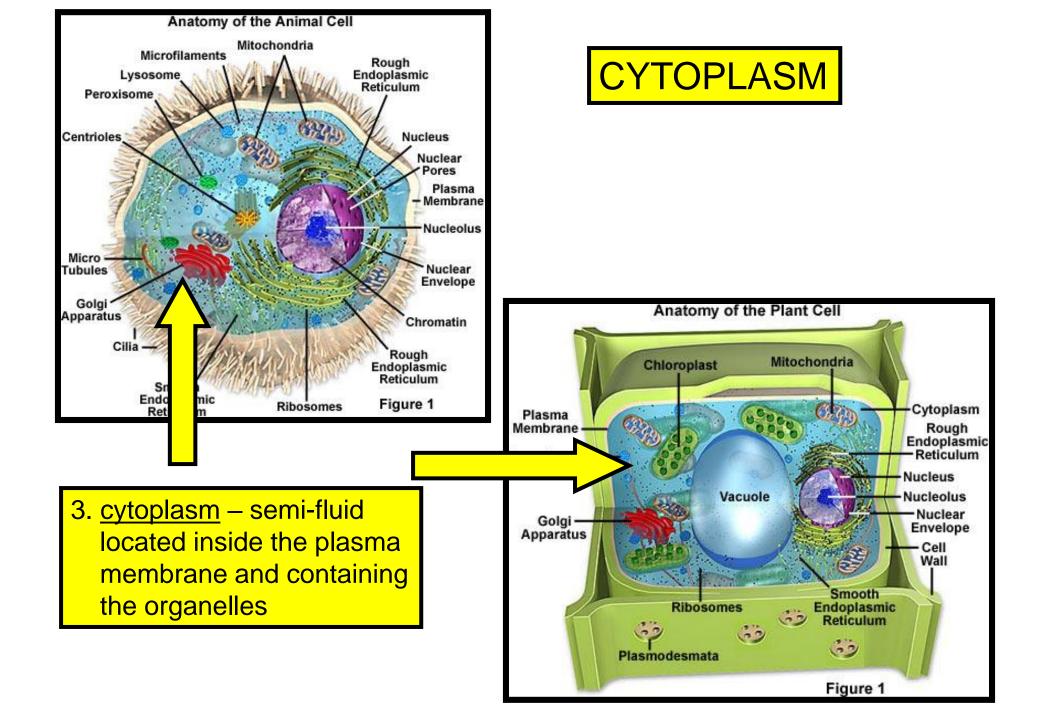
the basic units of living organisms; the basic structural and functional units of life; they carry out the life functions of an organism

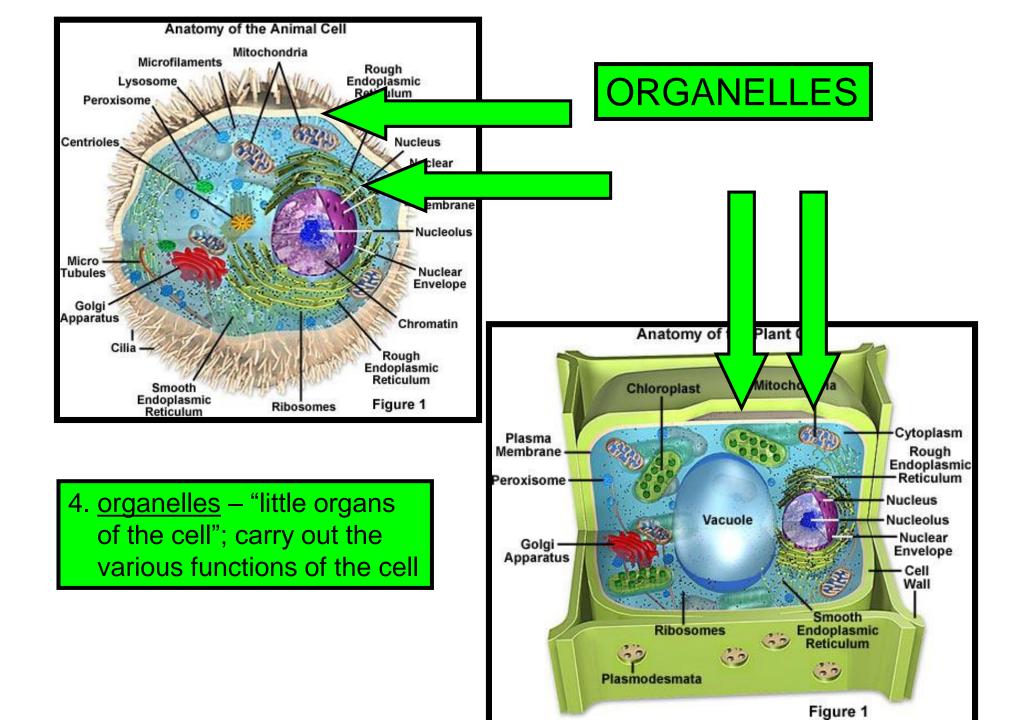
Cells take in <u>raw materials</u>, such as amino acids, change them into more <u>complex molecules</u> such as protein, and then transport these molecules where they are needed.

Cells produce <u>energy</u> for life processes by breaking down molecules like glucose. They also get rid of <u>waste molecules</u> produced by these processes.



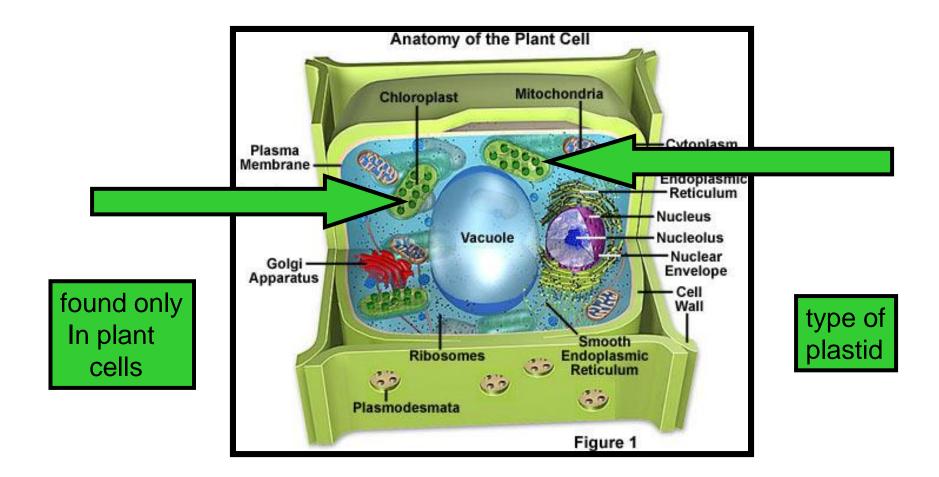


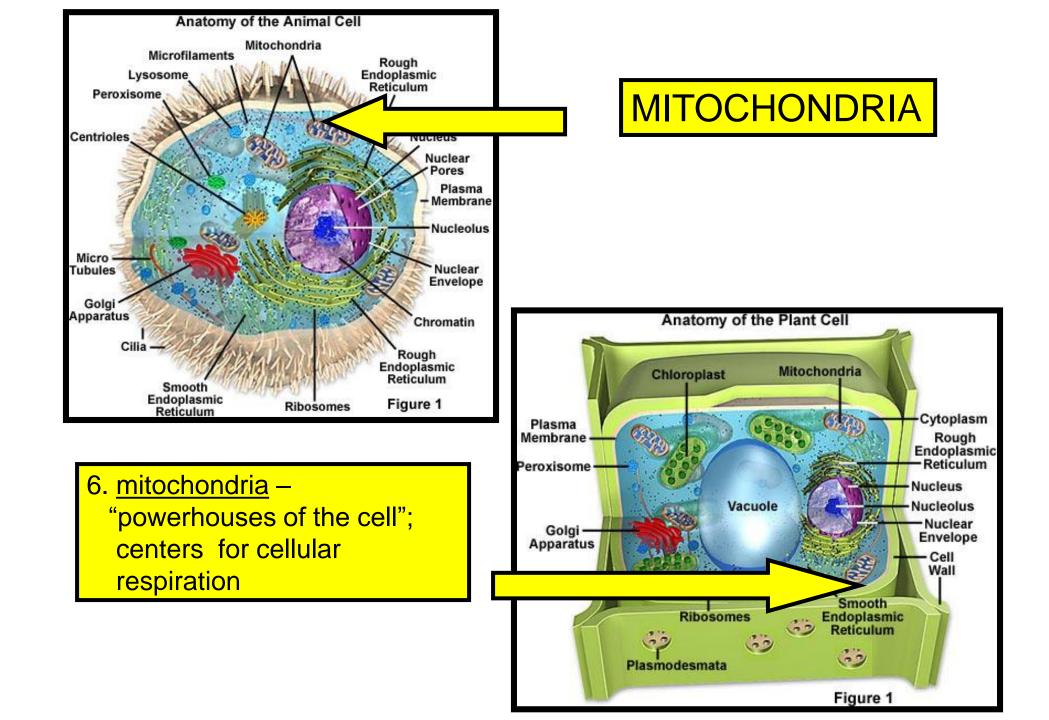


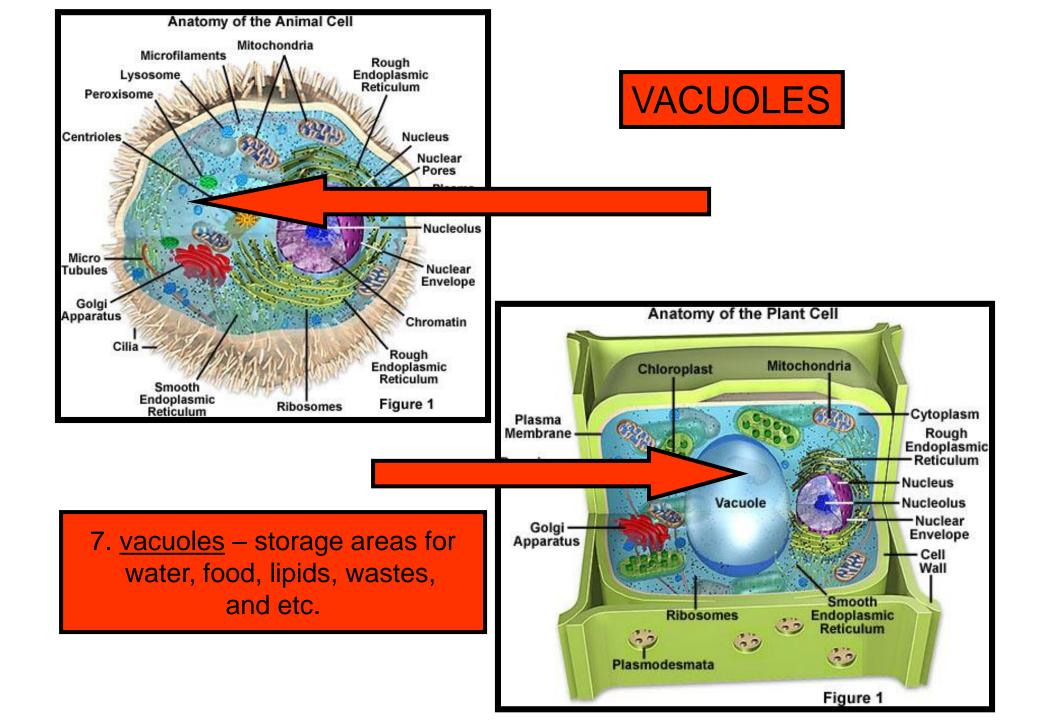


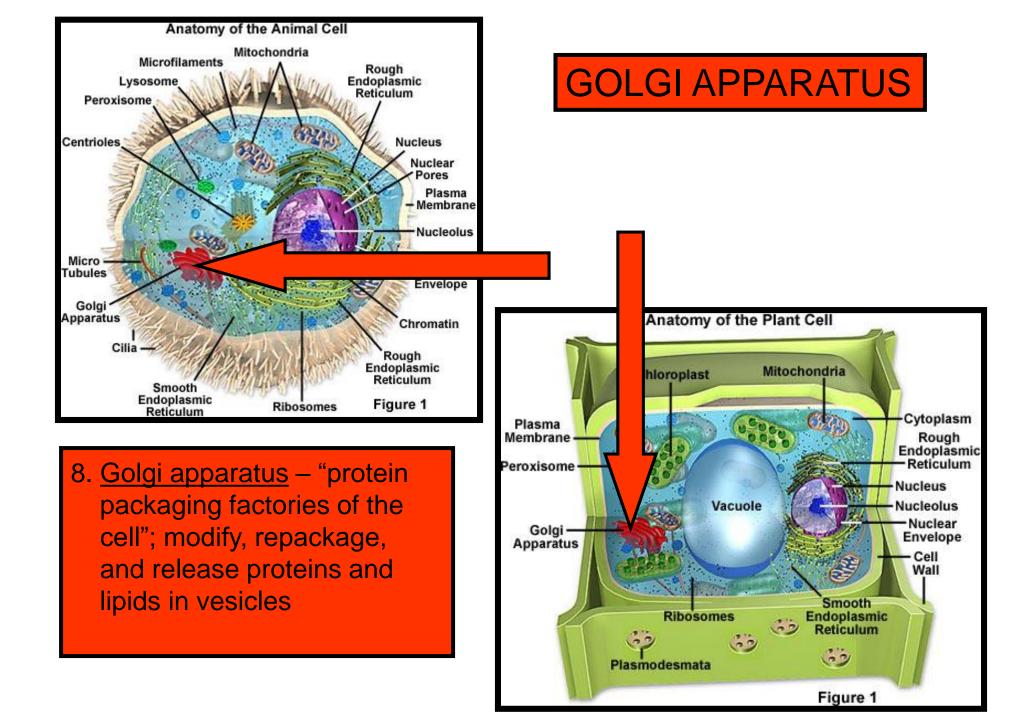


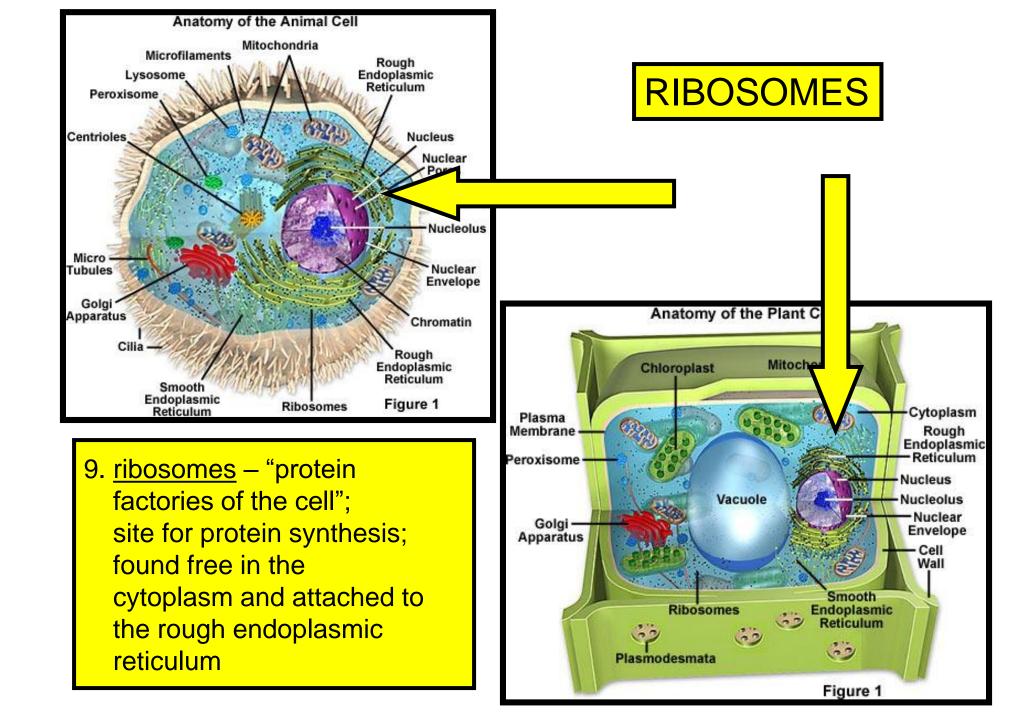
5. <u>chloroplasts</u> – specialized plastids in plant cells; sites for the process of photosynthesis

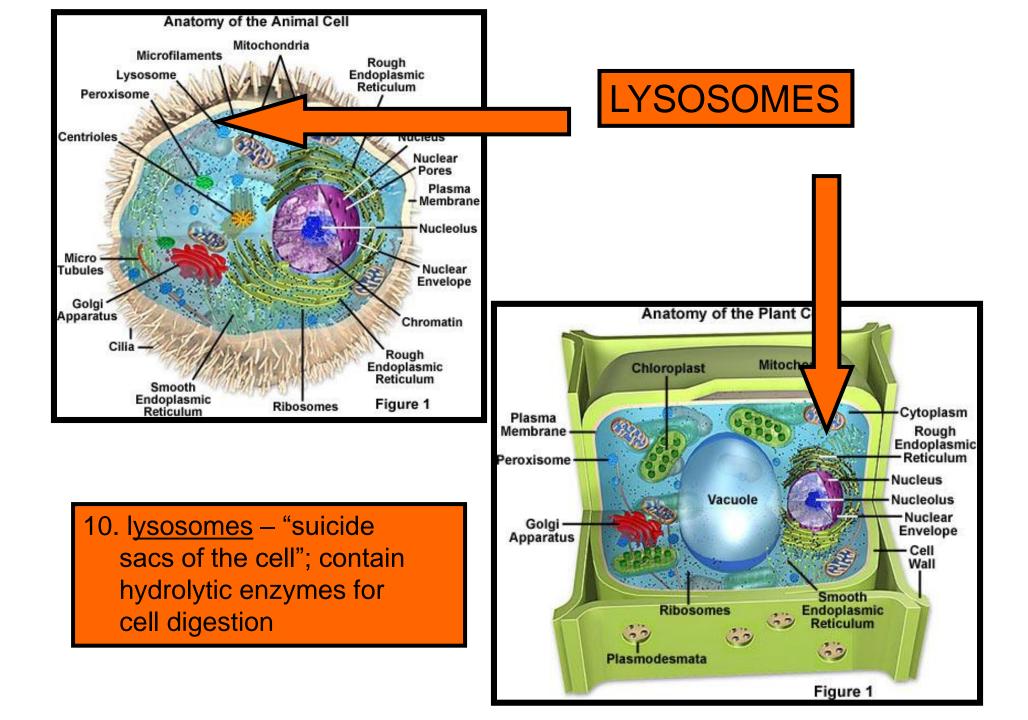


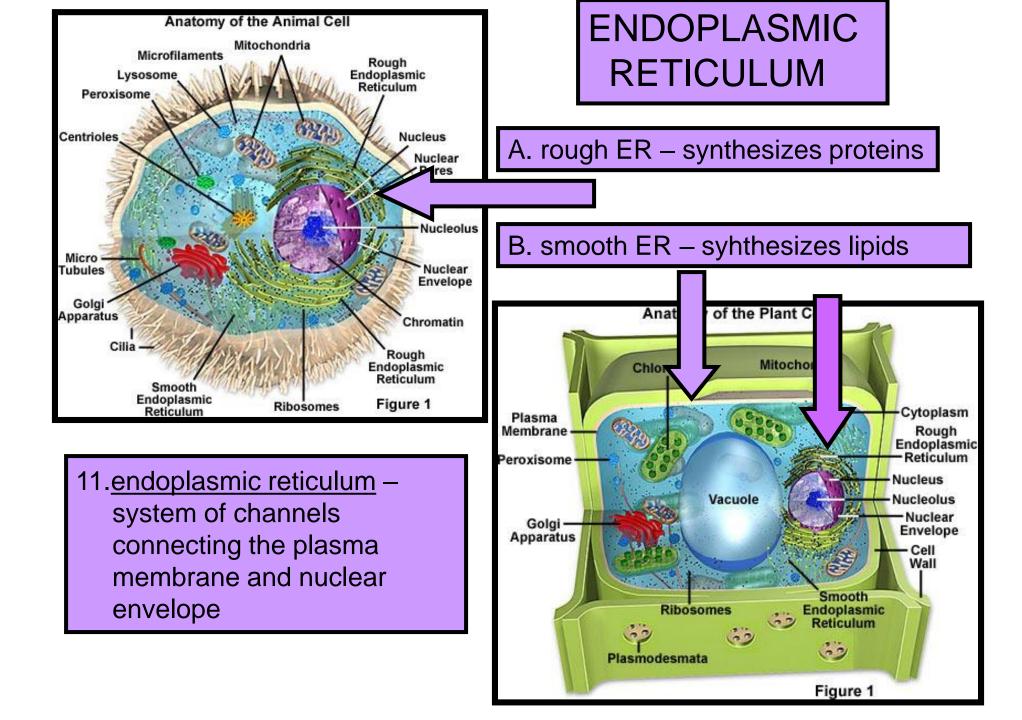


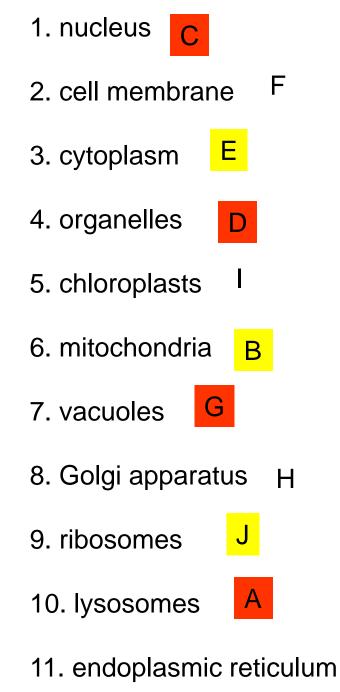












Match the structures of the cell with their appropriate functions:

- A. "suicide sacs"
- B. "powerhouses"
- C. "control center"
- D. "little organs"
- E. semi-fluid containing organelles
- F. outer membrane
- G. storage depots
- H. "protein packaging factories"
- I. sites of photosynthesis
- J. "protein factories"

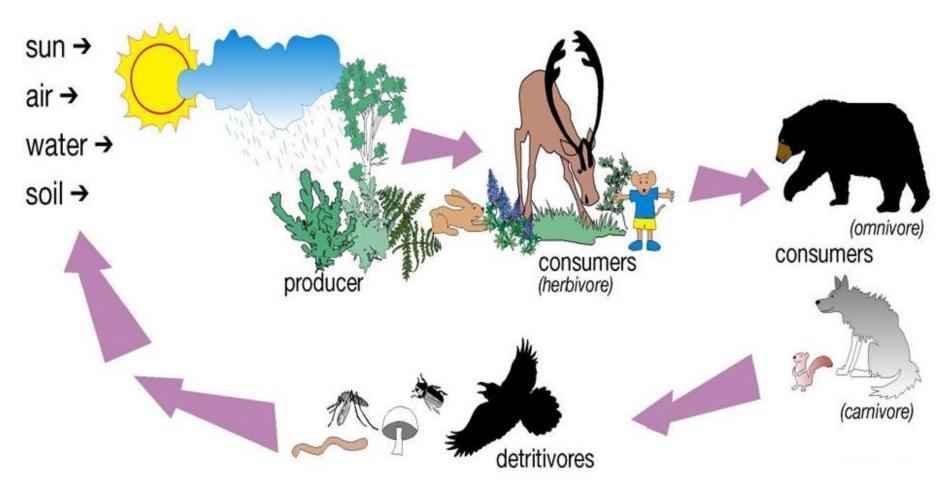
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K. system of channels

Cell Energy (Photosynthesis and Respiration) Notes

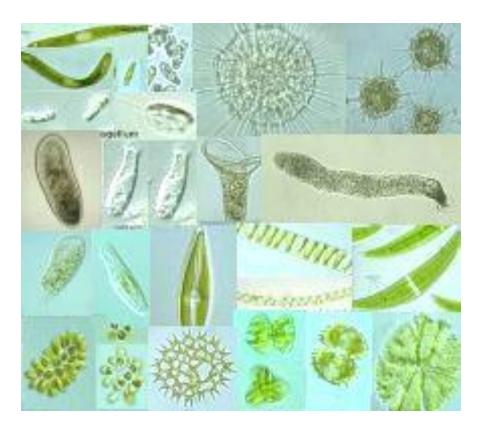
Energy:

• Energy for living things comes from <u>food</u>. Originally, the energy in food comes from the <u>sun</u>.



CHAPTER 4: CELLS AND ENERGY

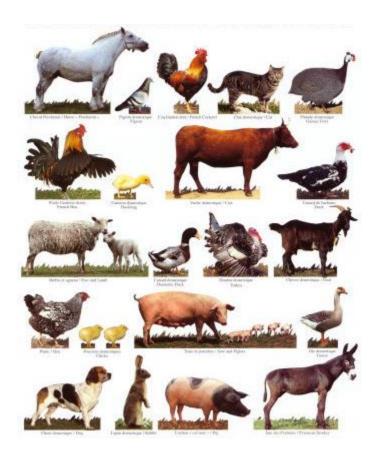
Organisms that use <u>light energy</u> from the sun to produce food—<u>autotrophs</u> (auto = self)
 Ex: <u>plants</u> and some microorganisms (some bacteria and protists)

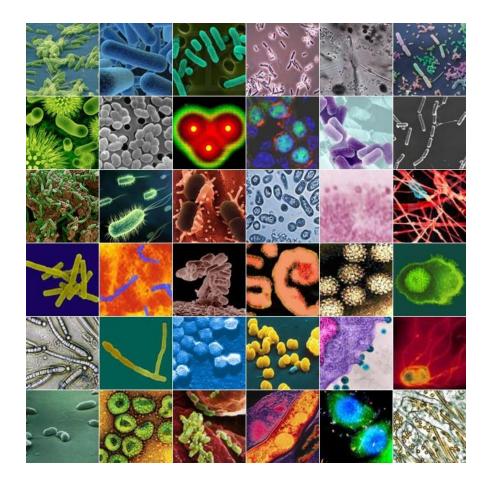




Organisms that <u>CANNOT</u> use the sun's energy to make food—<u>heterotrophs</u>

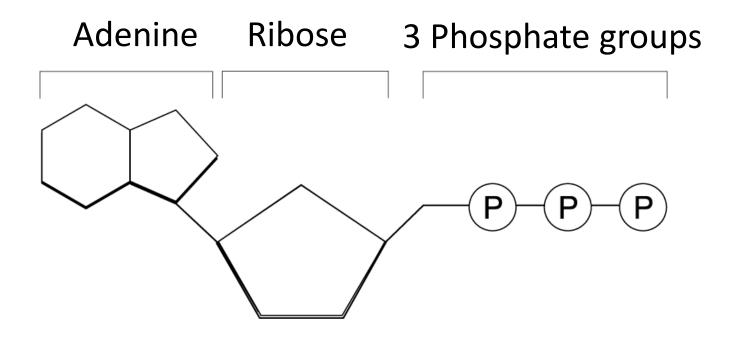
Ex: **animals** and most microorganisms



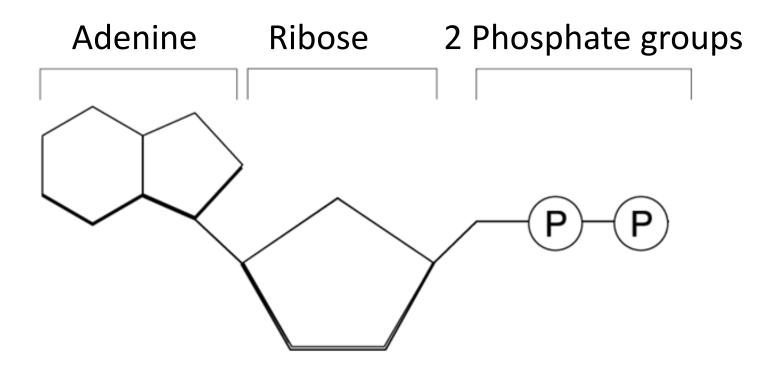


Cell Energy:

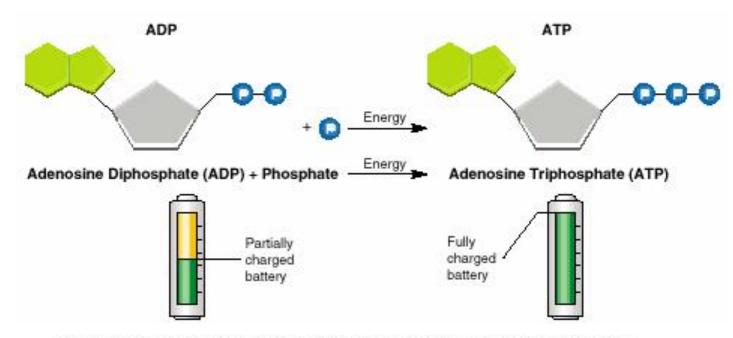
- Cells usable source of <u>energy</u> is called <u>ATP</u>
- ATP stands for **adenosine triphosphate**



• ADP stands for **adenosine diphosphate**

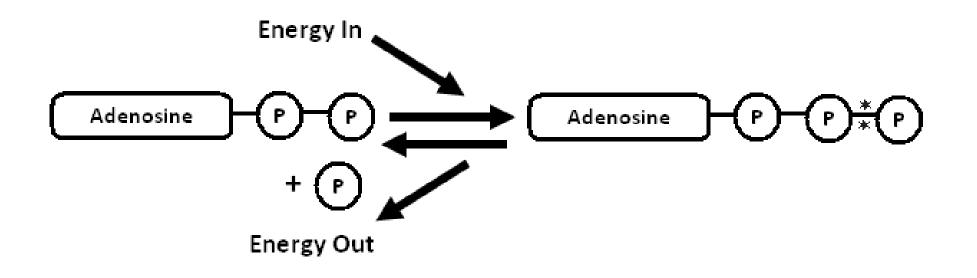


- All energy is stored in the <u>bonds</u> of compounds— <u>breaking</u> the bond <u>releases</u> the energy
- When the cell has energy available it can store this energy by adding a phosphate group to ADP, producing <u>ATP</u>



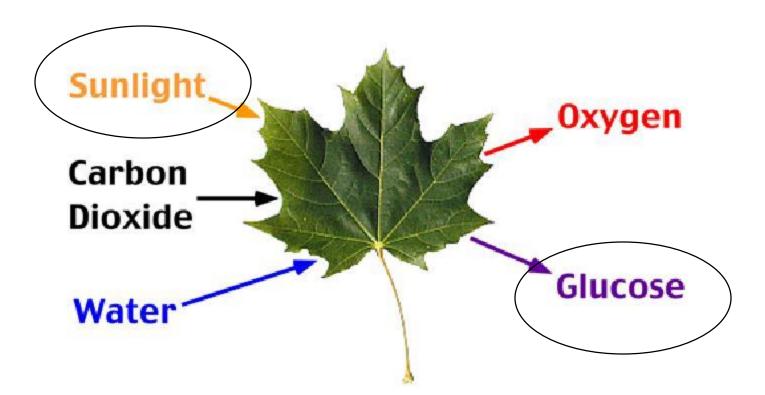
ADP vs. ATP ATP can be compared to a fully charged battery because both contain stored energy, whereas ADP resembles a partially charged battery. Predicting What happens when a phosphate group is removed from ATP?

 ATP is converted into ADP by breaking the <u>bond</u> between the second and third phosphate groups and releasing <u>energy</u> for cellular processes.

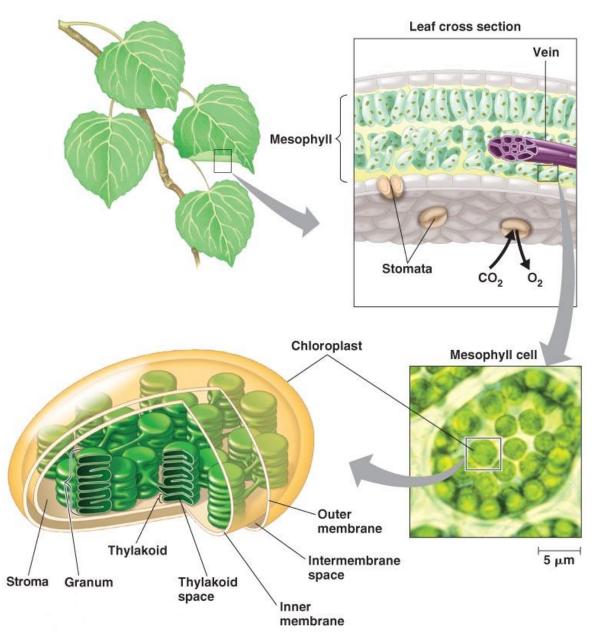


Photosynthesis:

 Photosynthesis is the process by which the energy of sunlight is converted into the energy of glucose

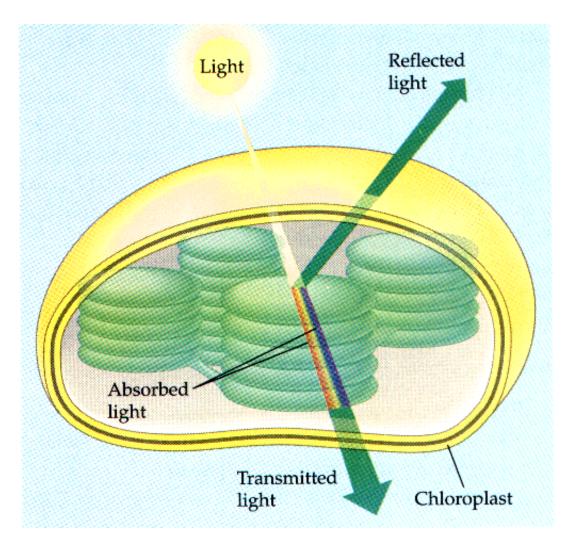


• Photosynthesis occurs in the <u>chloroplasts</u> of plants

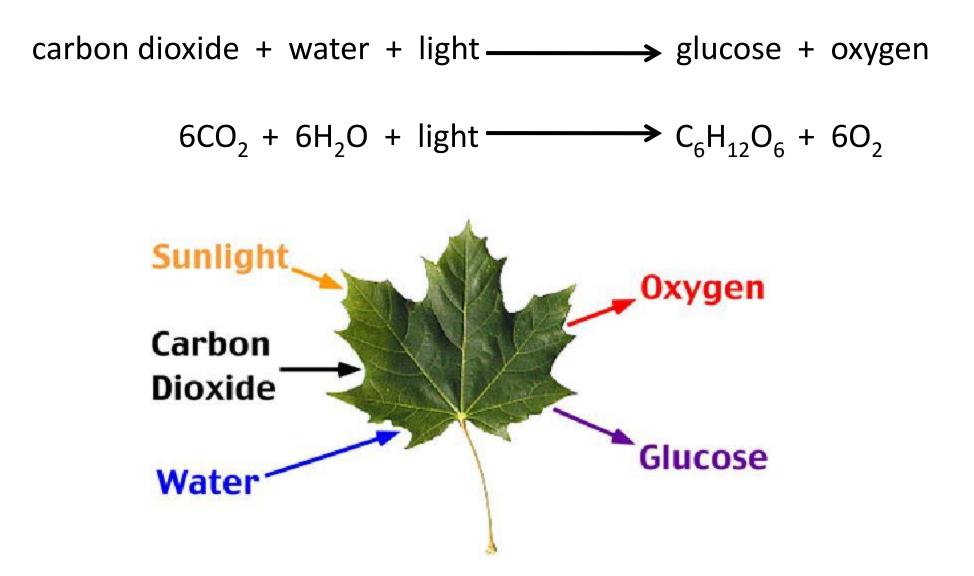


 Light absorbing compound is a <u>pigment</u>—pigments <u>absorb</u> some <u>wavelengths</u> of light and <u>reflect</u> others the color our eyes see is the color that the pigment



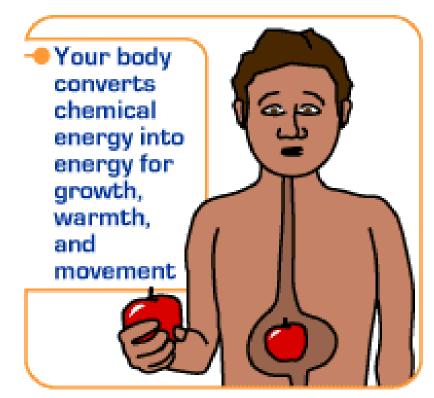


• General formula for photosynthesis

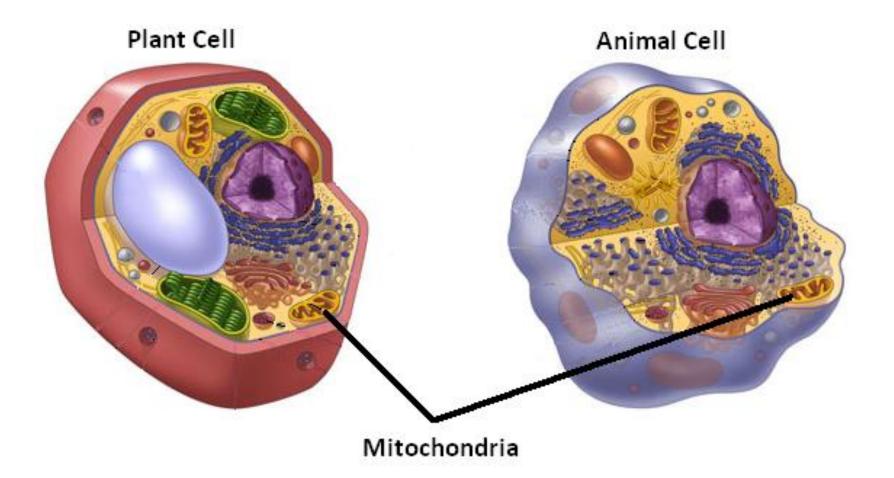


Cellular Respiration: (2 kinds—Aerobic and Anaerobic)

 Cellular respiration is the process by which the energy of <u>glucose</u> is <u>released</u> in the cell to be used for life processes (<u>movement, breathing, blood circulation</u>, etc...)

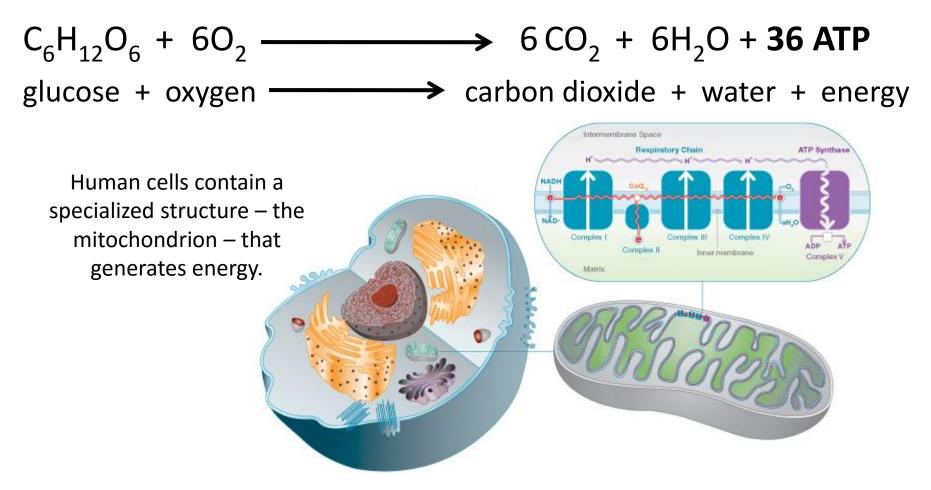


 Respiration occurs in <u>ALL cells</u> and can take place either <u>with or without oxygen</u> present.

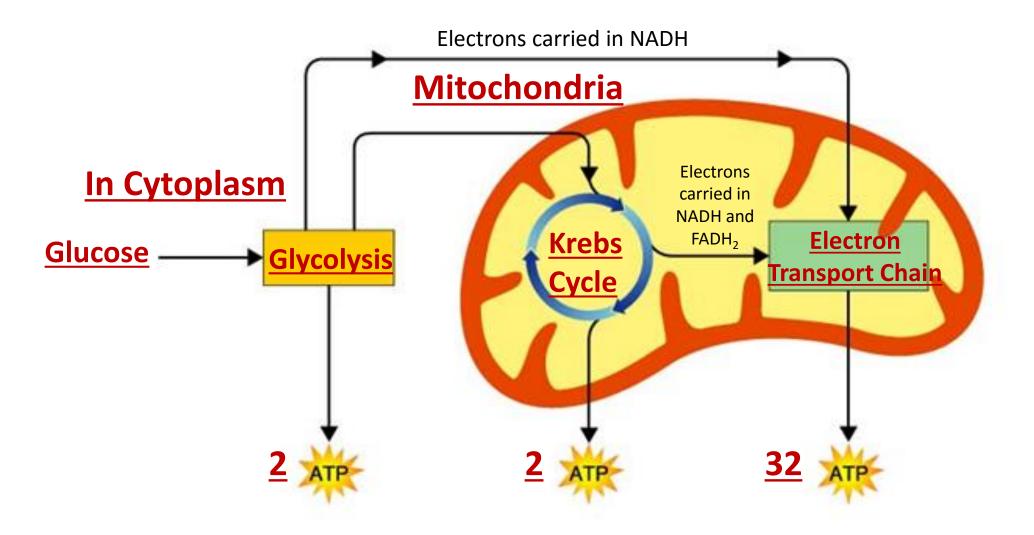


Aerobic Respiration: requires oxygen

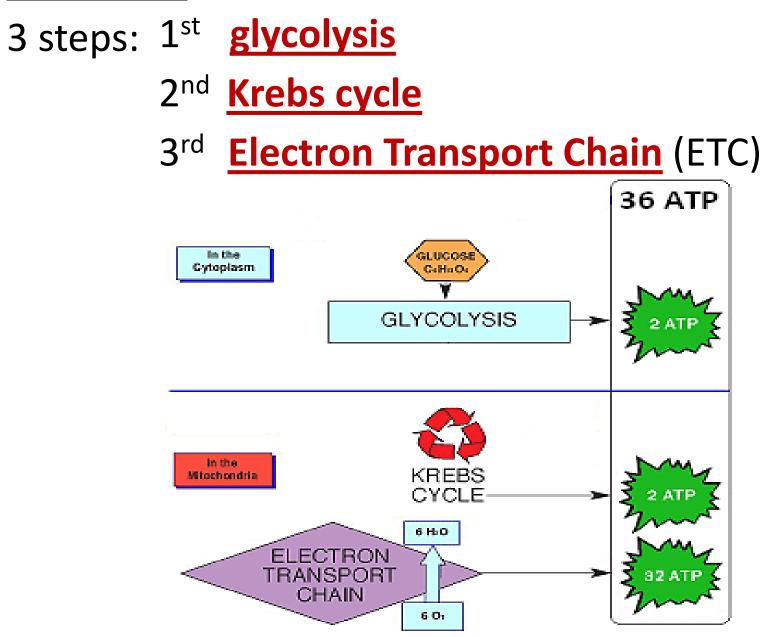
- Occurs in the mitochondria of the cell
- Total of <u>36 ATP</u> molecules produced
- General formula for aerobic respiration:





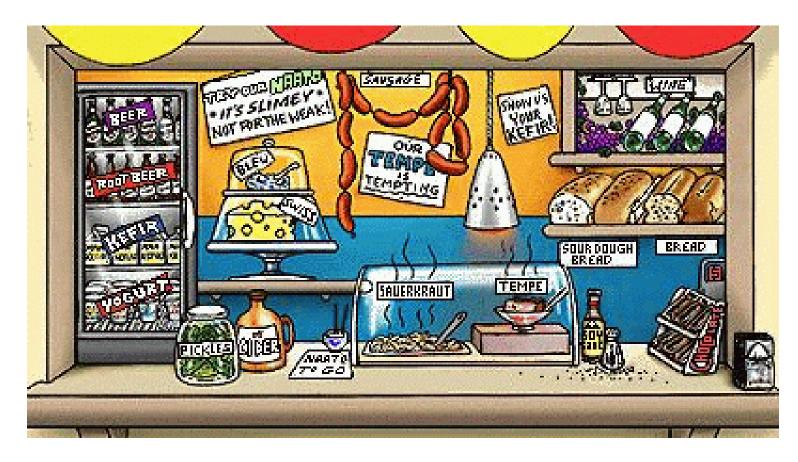


Summary:



Anaerobic Respiration: occurs when <u>no oxygen</u> is available to the cell (2 kinds: Alcoholic and Lactic Acid)

- Also called **fermentation**
- Much less ATP produced than in aerobic respiration



<u>Alcoholic</u> fermentation—occurs in <u>bacteria</u> and <u>yeast</u>

Process used in the <u>baking</u> and <u>brewing</u> industry—yeast produces CO_2 <u>gas</u> during fermentation to make dough <u>rise</u> and give bread its holes





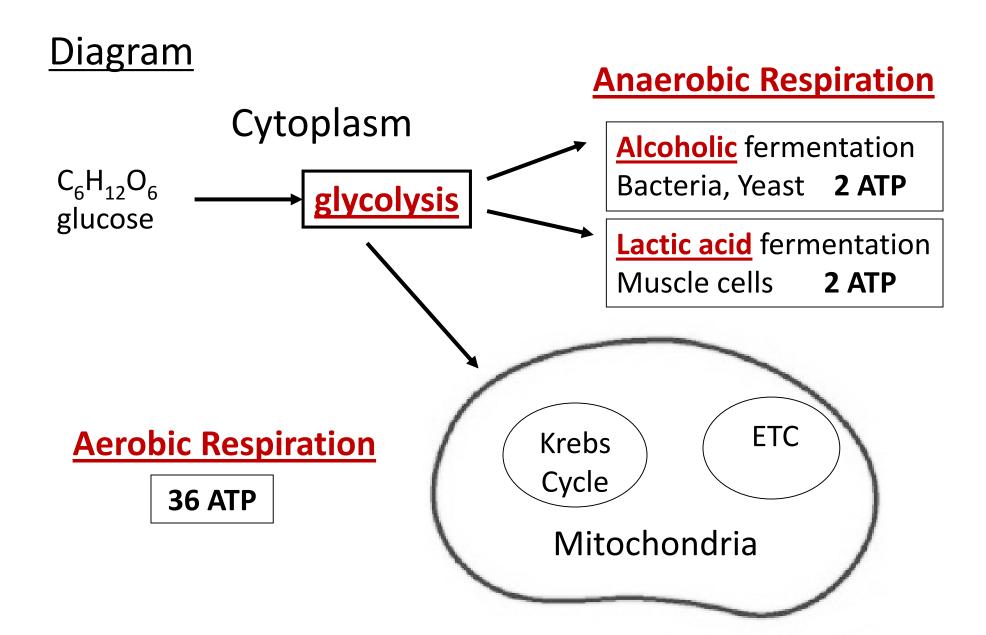
• Lactic acid fermentation—occurs in muscle cells

Lactic acid is produced in the muscles during rapid <u>exercise</u> when the body <u>cannot</u> supply enough <u>oxygen</u> to the <u>tissues</u>—causes <u>burning sensation</u> in muscles

glucose — Jactic acid + carbon dioxide + 2 ATP

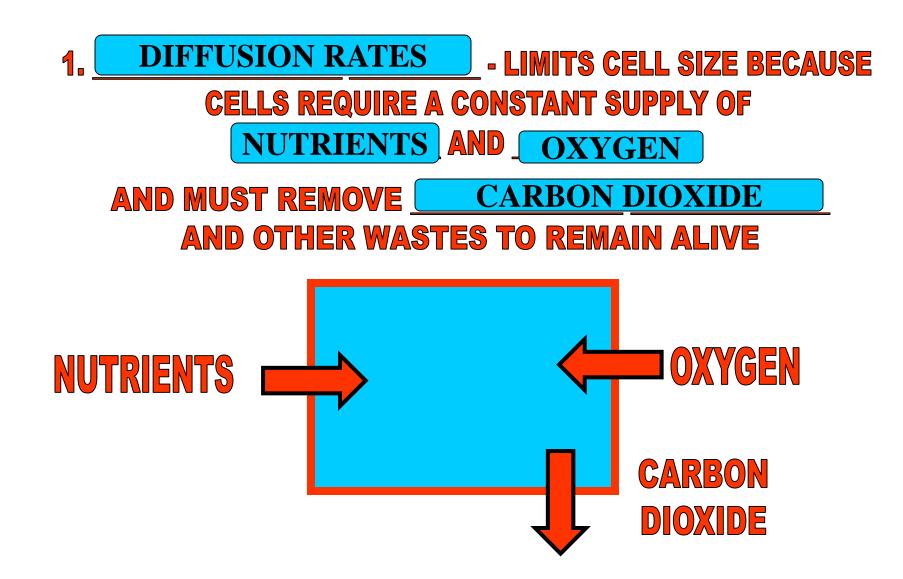


• First step in anaerobic respiration is also glycolysis



CHAPTER 5: CELL GROWTH AND DIVISION

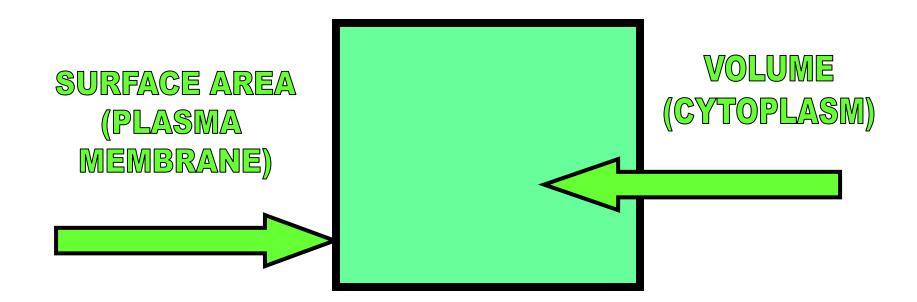


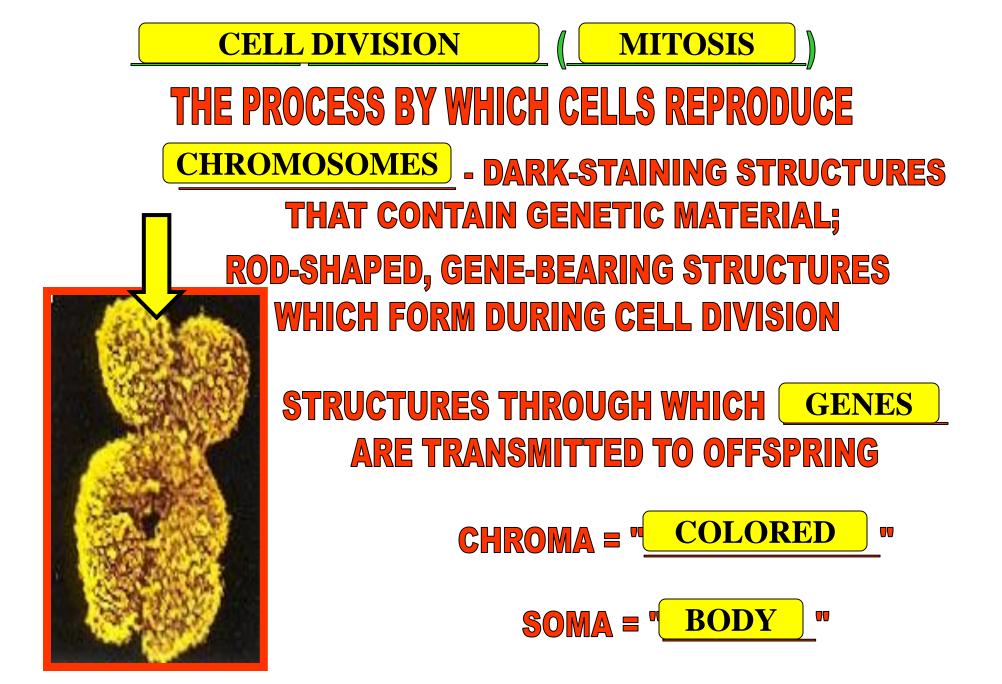




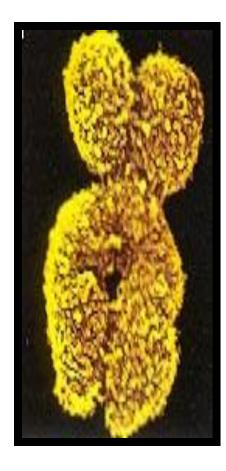
3.

AS A CELL'S SIZE INCREASES, ITS VOLUME INCREASES MUCH FASTER THAN ITS SURFACE AREA





HOMOLOGOUS CHROMOSOMES THAT ARE IDENTICAL IN FORM AND LINEAR ARRANGEMENT; MORPHOLOGICALLY SIMILAR







1. <u>chromatids</u> each of the two identical halves of a chromosome; sometimes called "sister chromatids"

2. <u>centromere</u> the point of attachment of the sister chromatids

mere = " portion ; share "

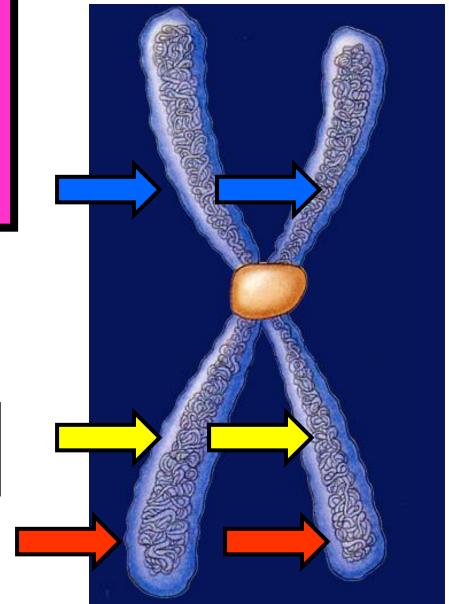
5. <u>alleles</u>

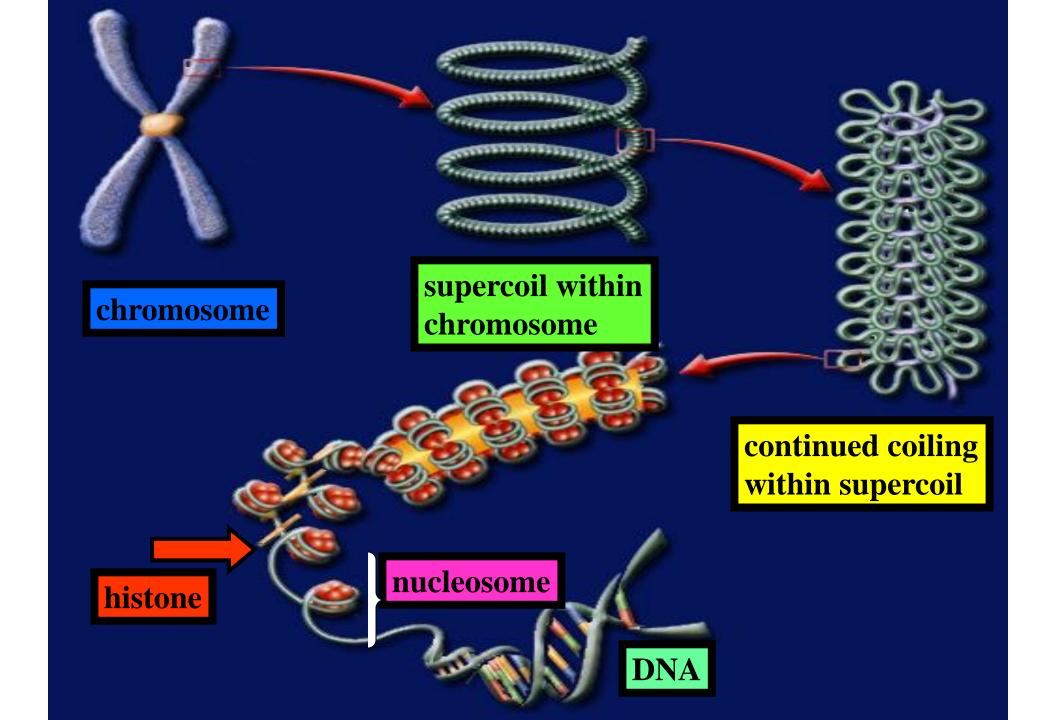
genes for the same trait that may have differing expressions and located at the same location on sister chromatids

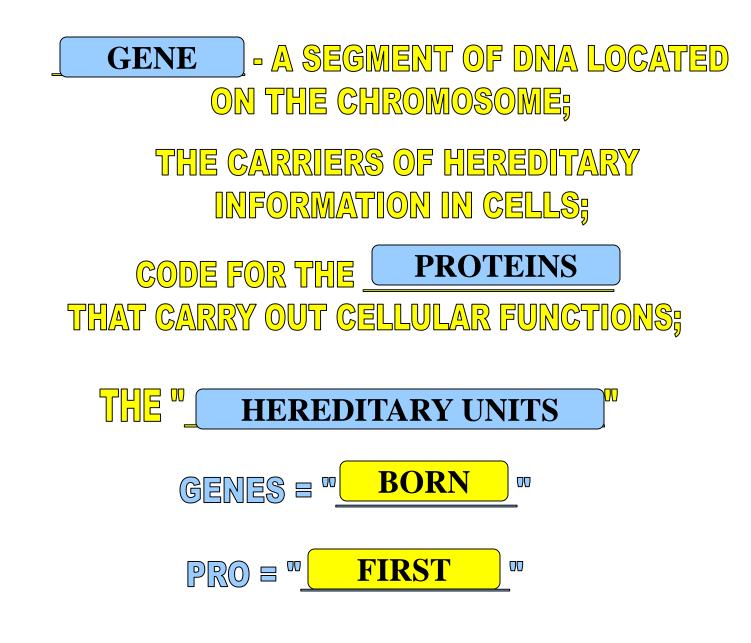
> genetic disease normal, diseased

hair color red, blonde, black, brown

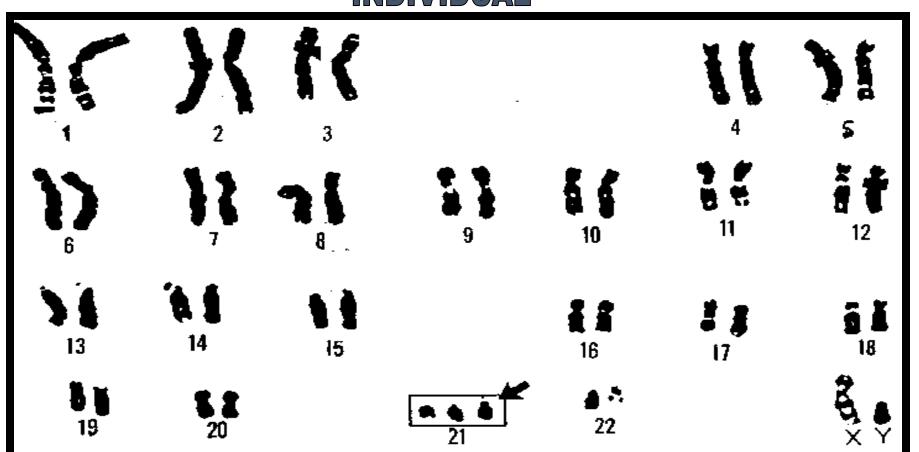
> shape of nose straight, pug, roman







KARYOTYPE - CHARTED ARRANGEMENT OF THE CHROMOSOMES POSSESSED BY AN INDIVIDUAL



HELPFUL IN LOCATING ABNORMALITIES IN HUMAN CHROMOSOME NUMBERS

Chromosomes in normal humans:

autosomes (body cell chromosomes) = 22 pairs or 44

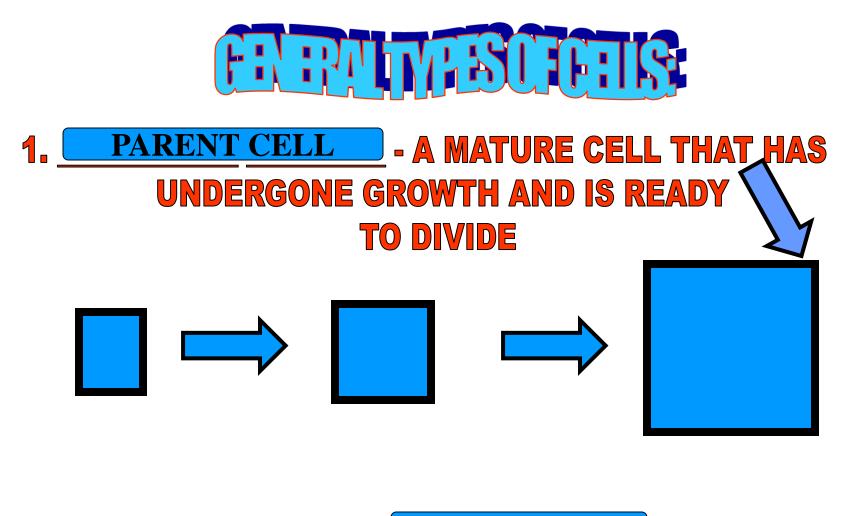
sex chromosomes =



X and X sex chromosomes = female

X and Y sex chromosomes = male

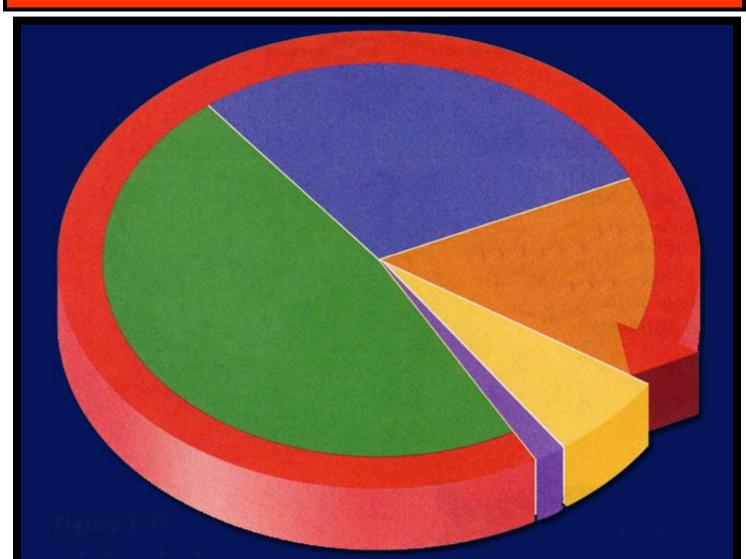




PRECEEDED BY <u>REPLICATION</u> OF THE DNA SO THAT EACH RESULTING CELL WILL HAVE IDENTICAL GENETIC MATERIALS



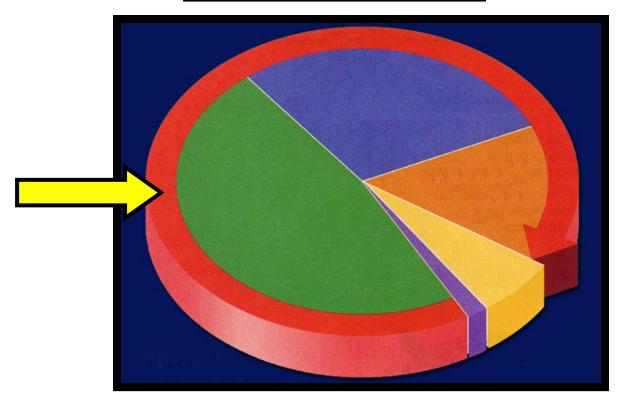
continuous sequence of growth and division of a cell, which is controlled by key enzymes



General periods of the cell cycle:

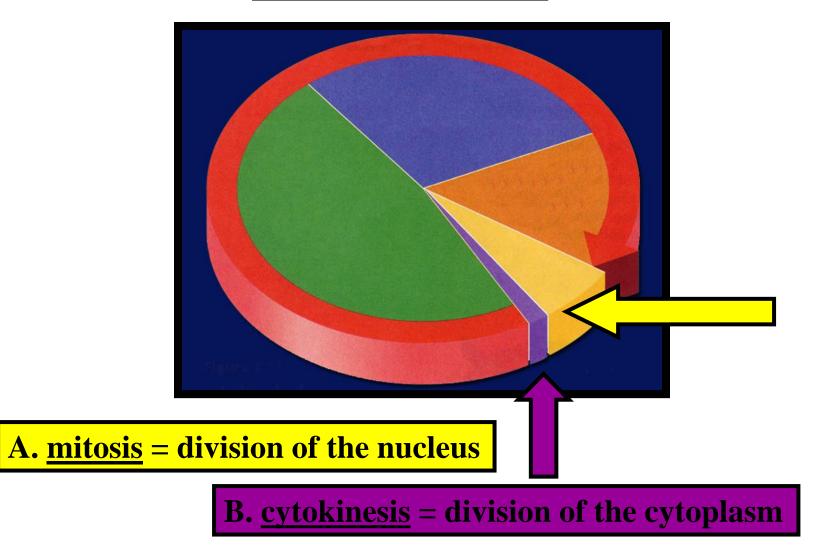
interphase

1. period of growth





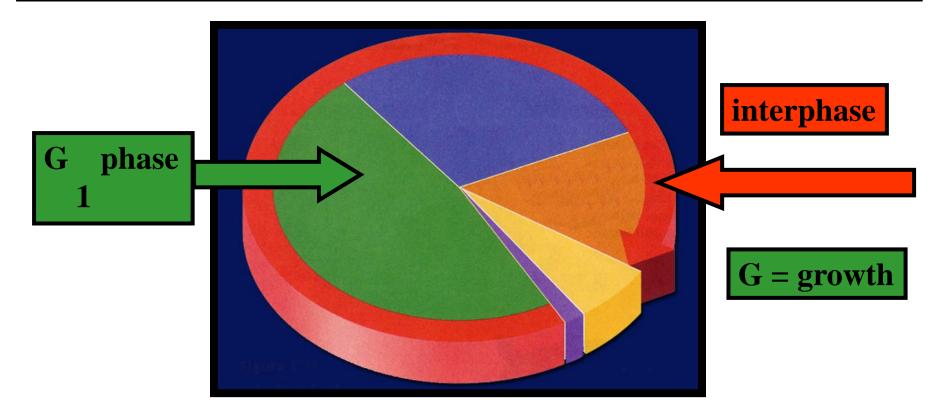


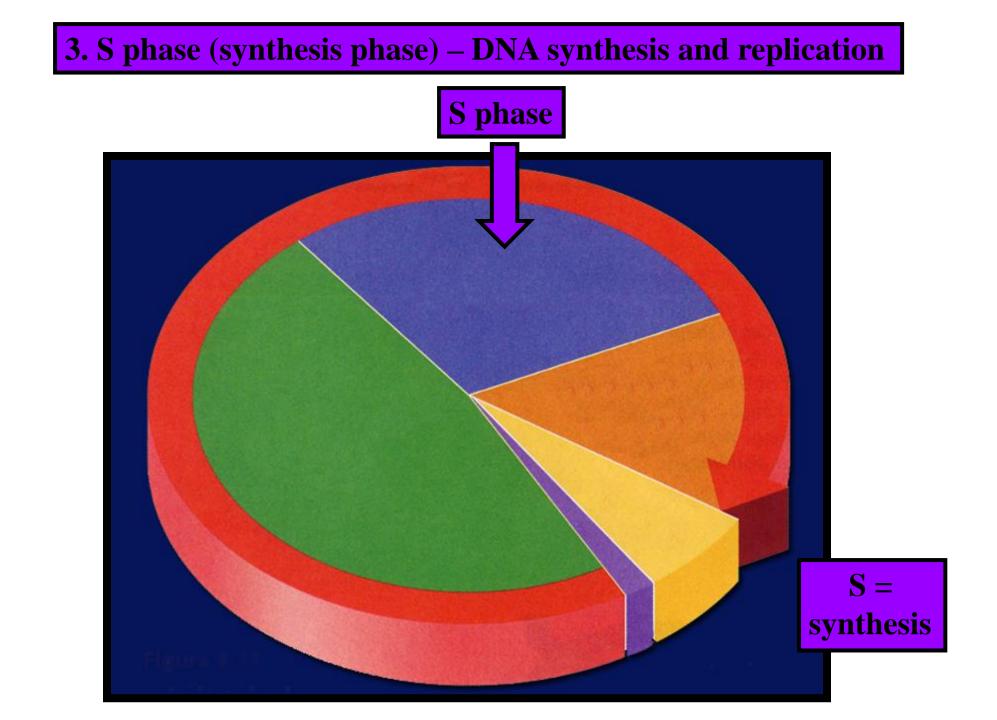


Characteristics of Interphase:

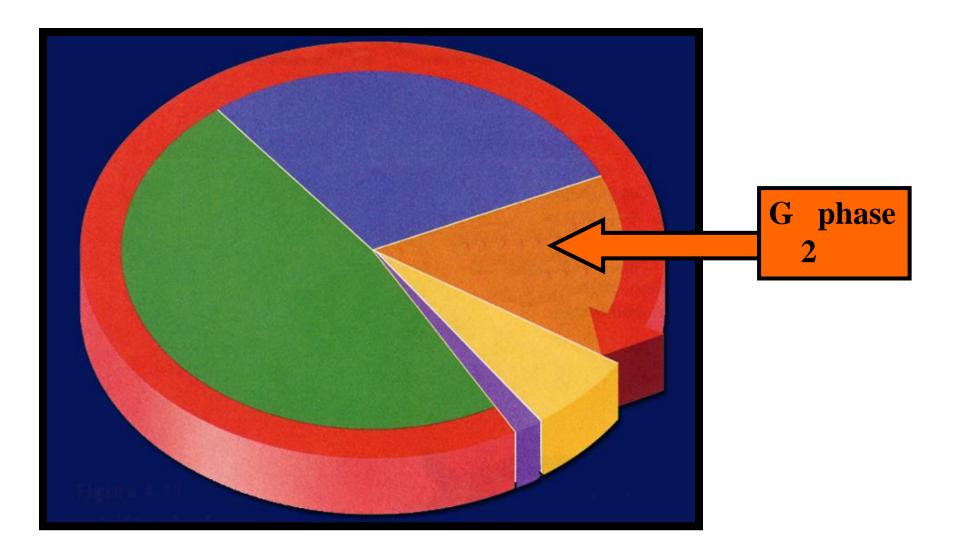
1. the **busiest** phase of the cell cycle

2. G phase (gap 1 phase) – rapid growth and metabolic activity 1





G phase (gap 2 phase) – centrioles replicate; cell prepares 2 for division



The phases of mitosis: A. prophase

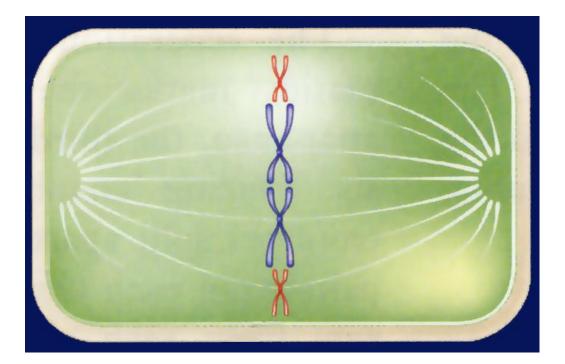
1. <u>first</u> and <u>longest</u> phase of mitosis







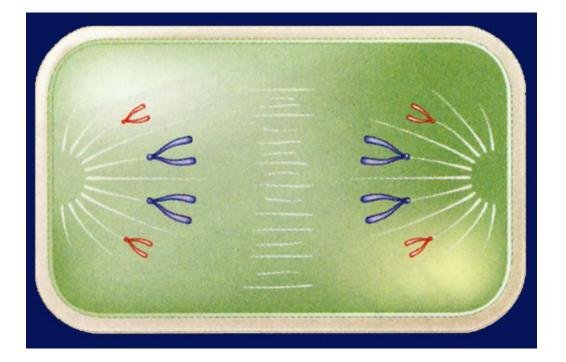
1. the <u>second</u> and <u>shortest</u> phase of mitosis







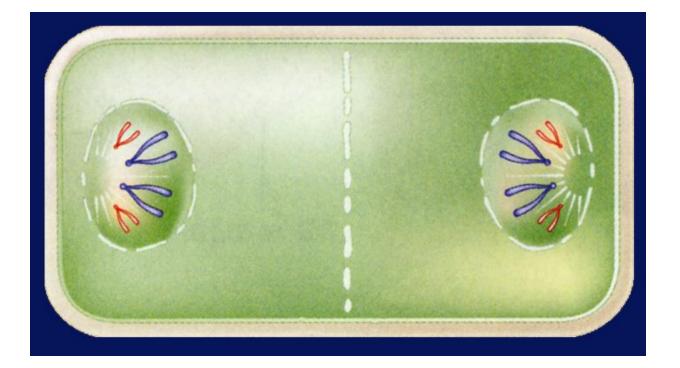
1. the <u>third</u> phase of mitosis in which the <u>separation</u> of sister chromatids occurs



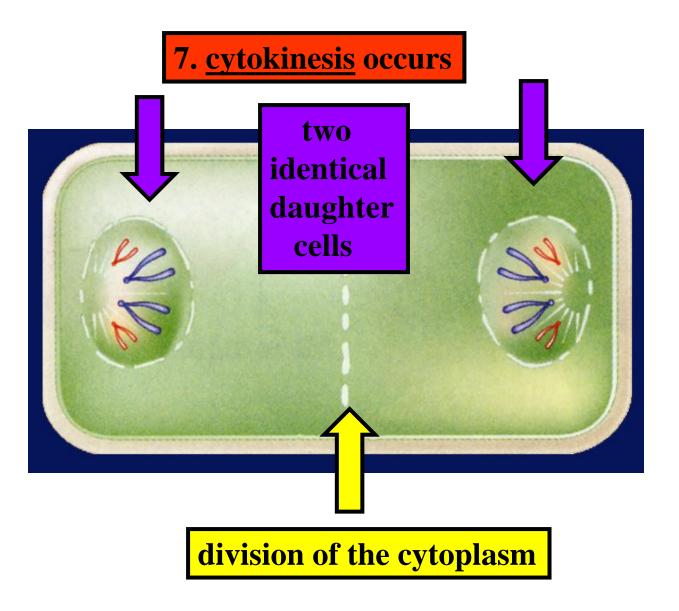




1. the <u>fourth</u> and <u>final</u> phase of mitosis







8. two <u>daughter cells</u> are formed

Differences between cytokinesis in plant and animal cells:

1. <u>animal cells – cytokinesis begins during early anaphase</u> when the <u>plasma membrane</u> begins pinching in from the <u>outside</u> to the <u>inside</u> to form the <u>cleavage furrow</u> until the cell divides into two <u>identical daughter</u> cells

2. <u>plant</u> cells – vesicles formed by the <u>Golgi apparatus</u> fuse at the equator of the cell forming the <u>cell plate</u> which grows from the <u>inside</u> to the <u>outside</u> until the cell divides into two <u>identical daughter</u> cells; the cell plate forms into the <u>cell</u> <u>wall</u>

Main phases of mitosis:

karyokinesis

1. division of the nucleus

karyo = "___kernel ; ___nucleus " kinesis = "___motion "

cytokinesis

2. division of the cytoplasm

Results of mitosis:

1. guarantees the continuity of life, resulting in the production of <u>two new cells</u> with chromosome sets that are <u>identical</u> to those of the <u>parent cell</u>

2. <u>unicellular</u> organisms remain as single cells – produces two complete new <u>organisms</u>

3. <u>multicellular</u> organisms result in cell <u>growth</u> and <u>reproduction</u> which provides new tissues, organs, and organ systems



a malignant growth resulting from uncontrolled cell division

"a mistake in the cell cycle"

Possible causes of cancer:

1. genetic factors – predisposition in the family; genes inherited

2. environmental factors – smoking; air and water pollution

3. viral infections – that damage the genes

Cancer Prevention:



1. no cigarette smoking

2. low fat diet

3. high fiber in diet



CHAPTER 6: MEIOSIS AND MENDEL

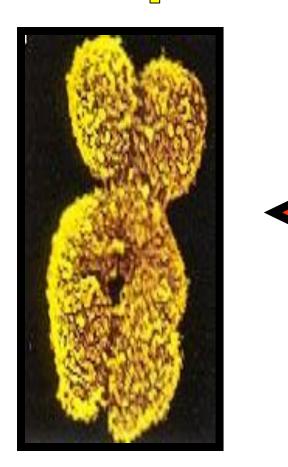


the segment on a chromosome that controls a particular trait

Types of chromosome numbers: 1. diploid (2n) - a cell with two of each kind of chromosome

2. haploid . (1n) - a cell containing one of each kind of chromosome

homologous chromosomes the two chromosomes of each pair in a diploid cell

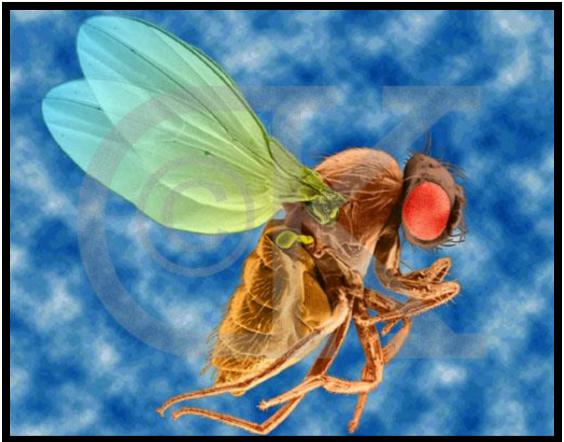




Example: Diploid #: Haploid #:

4

1. fruit fly



8

9. Adder's tongue fern1260630



Relationship between the number of chromosomes and the complexity of an organism: there is no relationship

meiosis "reduction division" the process of nuclear division that reduces the number of chromosomes from the diploid number to the haploid number

occurs only in the gametes (egg and sperm cells)

Phases of meiosis:

1. <u>meiosis</u> - first division in which the homologous chromosomes are separated into separate cells 2. meiosis II- second division in which the chromatids of each chromosome are segregated into separate cells, resulting in daughter cells with one-half the number of chromosomes of the parent cell

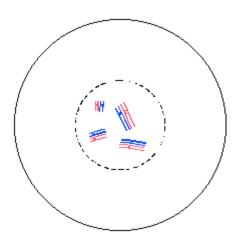
results in four haploid daughter cells which develop into egg and sperm cells



the process that restores the diploid number from the haploid egg and sperm cells (zygote)

Events of meiosis I: 1. Prophase A. the DNA of the chromosomes coils up and a spindle forms B. as the DNA coils, homologous chromosomes line up with each other, gene by gene, along their length, to form a four part structure called a tetrad

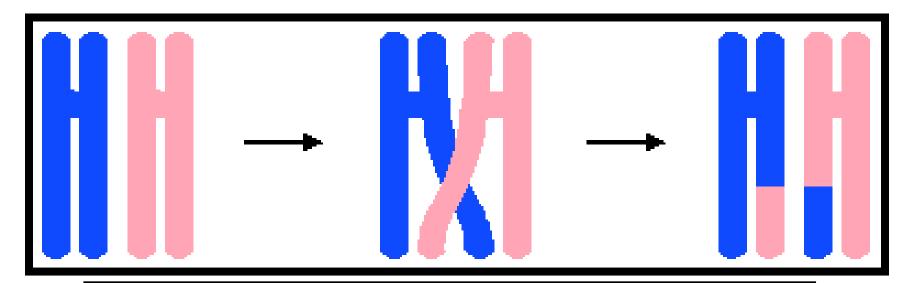
(each tetrad consists of two homologous chromosomes, each made up of two sister chromatids) tetra = " four"



Homologous chromosomes become paired. Crossing-over occurs between homologous chromosomes.

C. Crossing - over may occur between the tightly paired chromatids of the tetrad

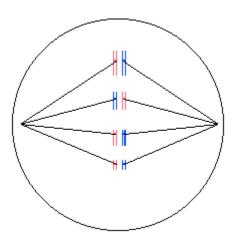




Human crossing over averages 3 to 4 crossovers for each pair of homologous chromosomes.



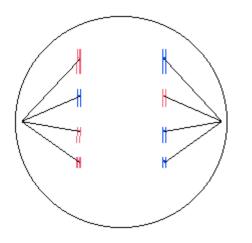
A. the centromere of each chromosome becomes attached to a spindle fiber



Homologous pairs become aligned in the center of the cell.



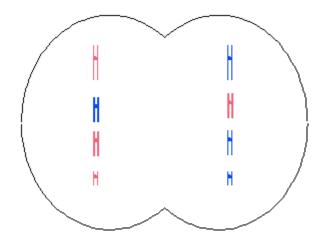
A. homologous chromosomes, each with two chromatids separate and move to opposite poles of the cell



Homologous chromosomes separate

4. Telophase I:

A. the spindle breaks down, the chromosomes uncoil, and the cytoplasm divides into two new cells



This stage is absent in some species

B. each cell has half the genetic information of the original cell because it has only one chromosome from each homologous pair

Interkinesis

Interkinesis is similar to <u>interphase</u> except DNA synthesis does not occur.

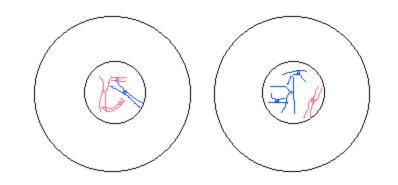


The newly formed cells in some organisms undergo a short resting stage (interkinesis); in other organisms, the cells go from late anaphase of meiosis I directly to meiosis II.

The second division in meiosis is simply a mitotic division of the products of meiosis I.

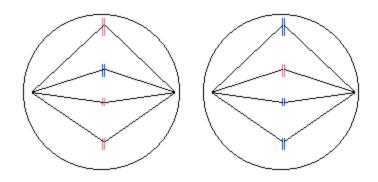
1. Prophase II:

A. a spindle forms in each of the two new cells and the spindle fibers attach to the chromosomes



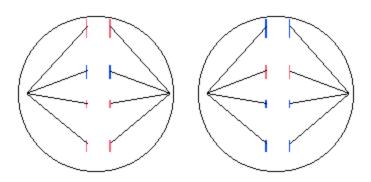
2. Metaphase II:

A. the chromosomes, still composed of sister chromatids, are pulled to the equator of the cell and line up randomly at the equator



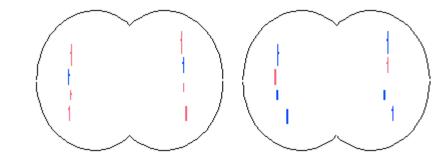
3. Anaphase II:

A. the centromeres of each chromosome splits, allowing the sister chromatids to separate and move to opposite poles

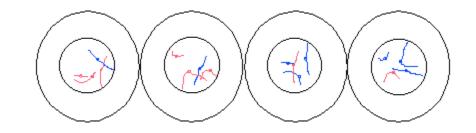


4. Telophase II:

A. nuclei reform, the spindles break down, and the cytoplasm divides



B. at the end of meiosis II, four haploid cells have been formed from one diploid cell



Each cell develops into a gamete.



Sperm cell entering an egg cell.

Results of mitosis: produces identical daughter cells to the parent cell **Results of meiosis:** because of crossing over, it results in haploid daughter cells with variations



the branch of biology that studies heredity

genes = " born "

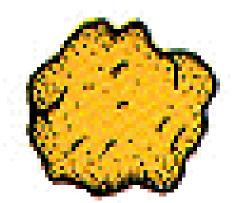
HEREDITY

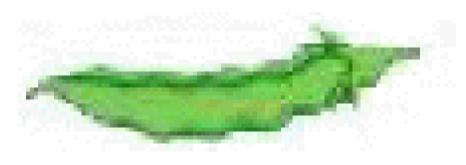
the passing on of characteristics from parents to offspring



HYBRID

offspring of parents that have different forms of a trait





(heterozygous)



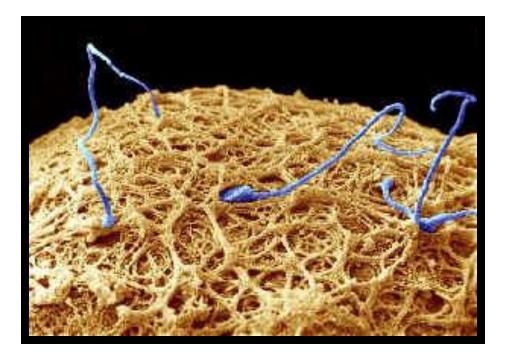
the transfer of pollen from the anthers of the male part of the plant to the stigma of the female part of the plant

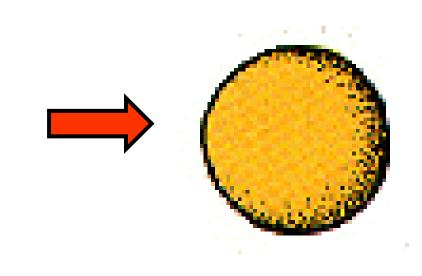
process in which the male gamete unites with the female gamete

(equivalent to fertilization in animals)



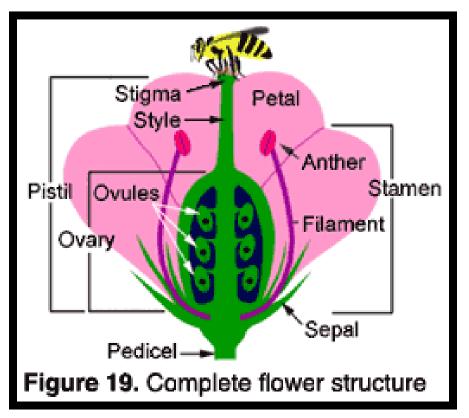
fertilized egg cell which then developes into a seed







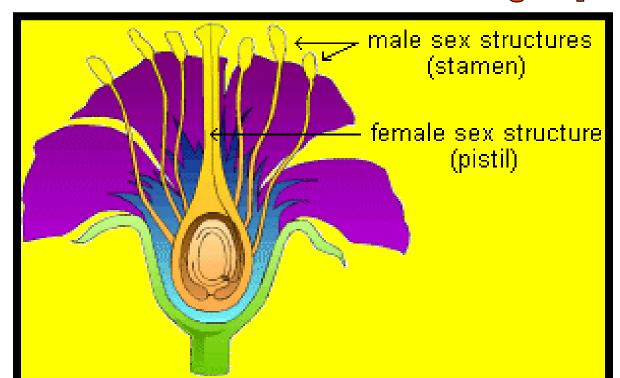
reproductive structure in plants; both male and female reproductive organs are located in the same flower

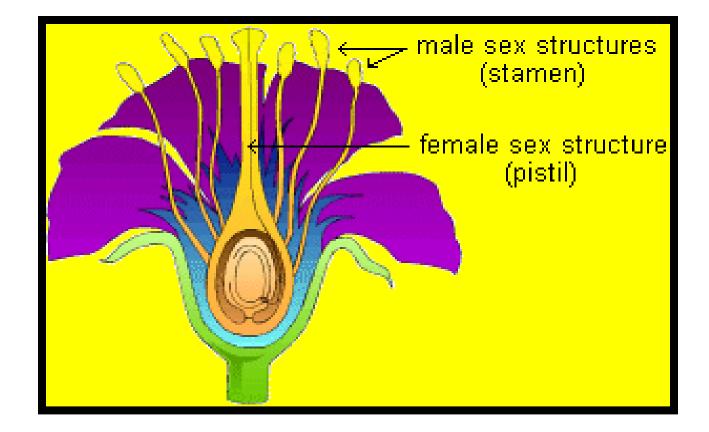


TYPES OF POLLINATION IN PLANTS:

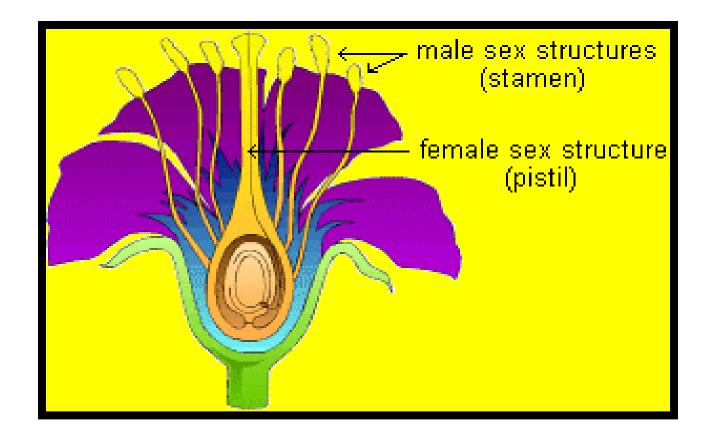
self-pollination

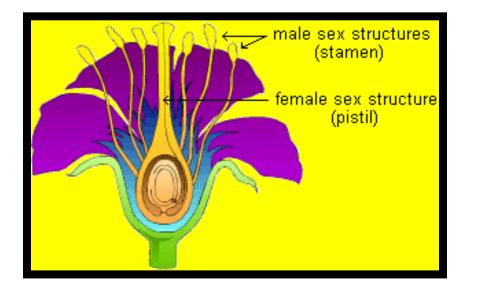
a reproductive process in which fertilization occurs within a single plant

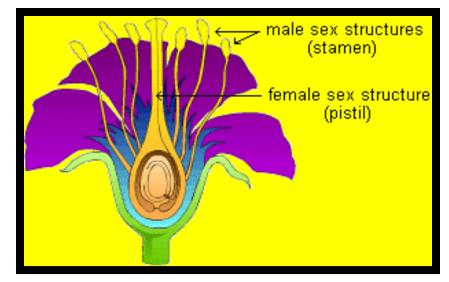




B. ovules (stigma tips) located in the ovary and produce eggs







2. <u>cross - pollination</u> the transfer of pollen from the anthers of one plant pure for one trait to the stigma of another plant pure for the contrasting trait

GENERATIONS OF CROSSES:

1. <u>- the parental generation</u> or the original cross P = parent 2. **F**1 - first filial generation; the offspring resulting from a cross between the parental generation

3. 2 - second filial generation; the offspring resulting from a cross between the first filial generation

 $\mathbf{F} = \mathbf{FILIAL}$



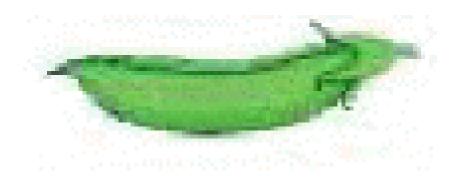
trait that always shows up;

represented by a capital letter

2 recessive trait

the trait that appeared to be lost in the F 1 generation but that showed back up in the F 2 generation

the trait that may be masked or covered up by the dominant trait;



represented by a small letter in genetics

RULE OF UNIT FACTORS

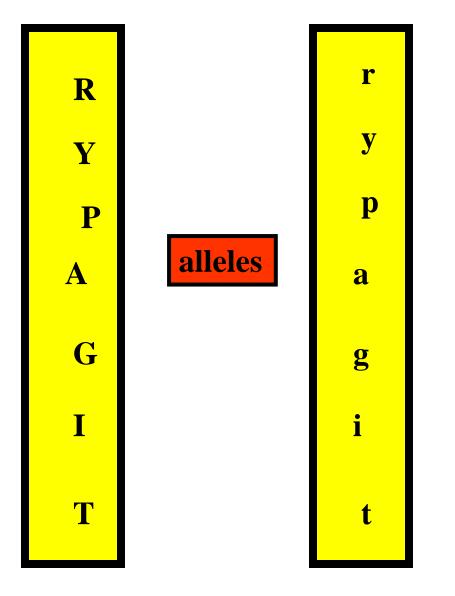
states that each trait is governed by two genes (alleles) located on chromosomes

ALLELES

alternating forms for a gene for each variation of a trait of an

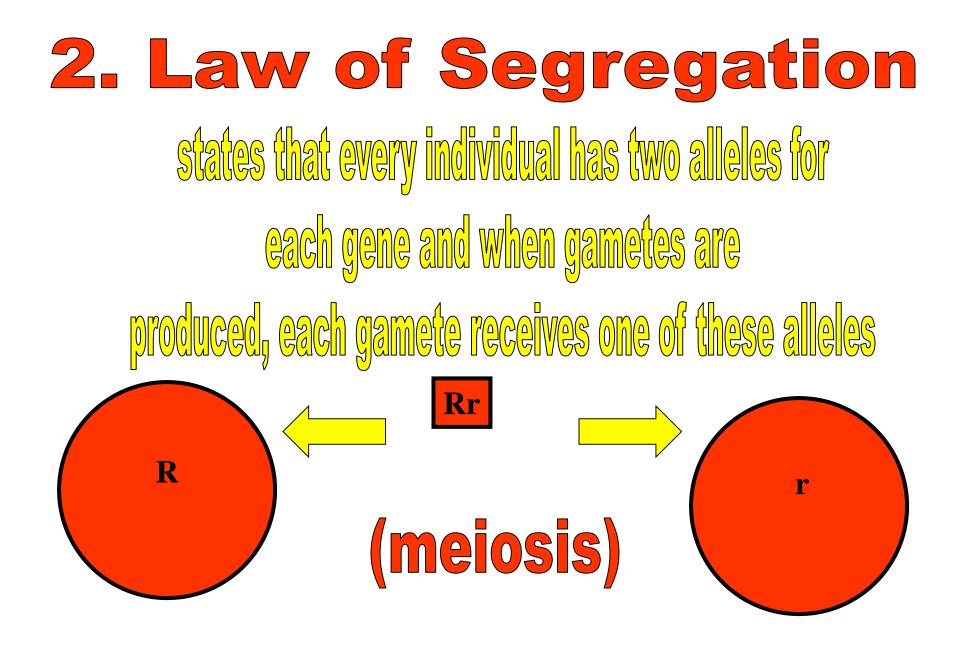
organism

allelon = "of each other"



MENDEL'S LAWS OF GENETICS:

1. Law of dominance and recessiveness states that one factor in a pair may mask the other factor or prevent it from showing up (dominant trait); the other factor in a pair may be masked or prevented from showing up (recessive trait

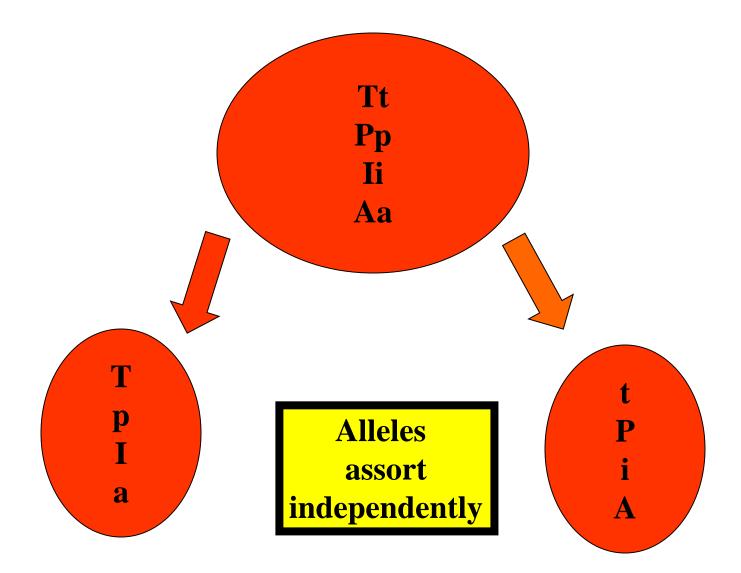




states that genes for different traits are inherited independently of each other

Mendel's factors =

"genes or alleles"





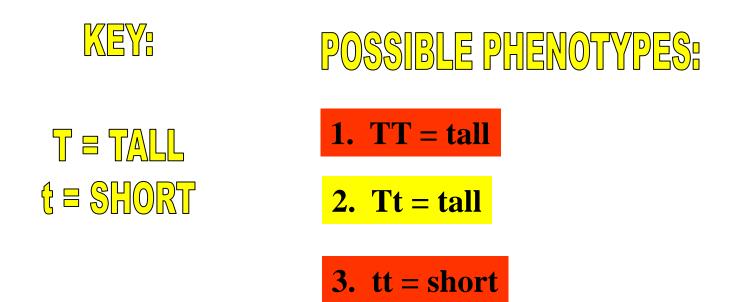
1. <u>genotype</u> - the actual genetic makeup of an organism; uses <u>letters</u> to represent traits

genea = "breed; kind"





pheno = "visible"

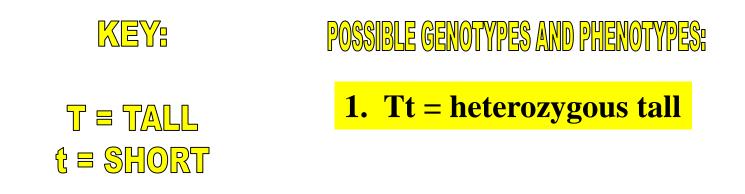


TYPES OF ALLELE PAIRS:

1.	homozygous	when both alleles of a pair
	are the same (pure)	
	homo = "same"	
	KEY:	POSSIBLE GENOTYPES AND PHENOTYPES:
	= TALL	1. TT = homozygous tall
t =	SHORT	2. tt = homozygous short



hetero = "different"



TYPES OF GENETIC CROSSES:

1.<u>monohybrid</u> <u>Cross</u> - cross between individuals that involves one pair of contrasting traits; results in four offspring



 2. dihybrid cross between two individuals
 that involves two pairs of contrasting traits;
 results in sixteen offspring

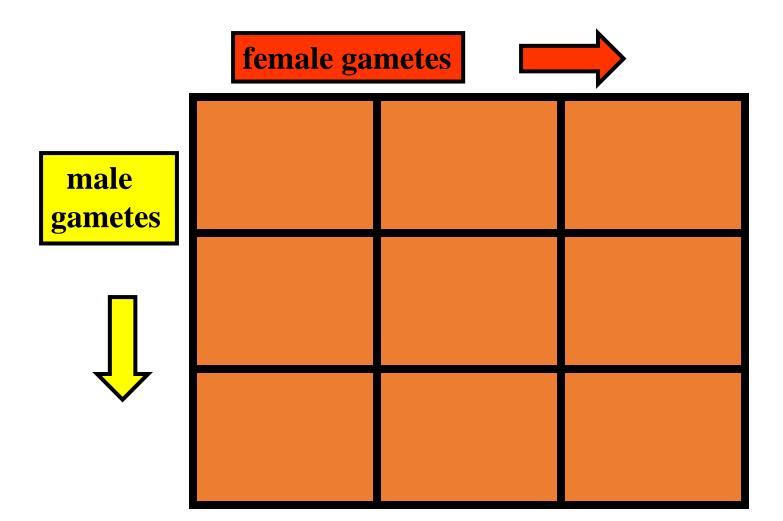
di = "two"

3. <u>trihybrid Cross</u> - cross between two individuals that involves three pairs of contrasting traits; results in sixty-four offspring



PUNNETT SQUARE

chart used to predict probabilities



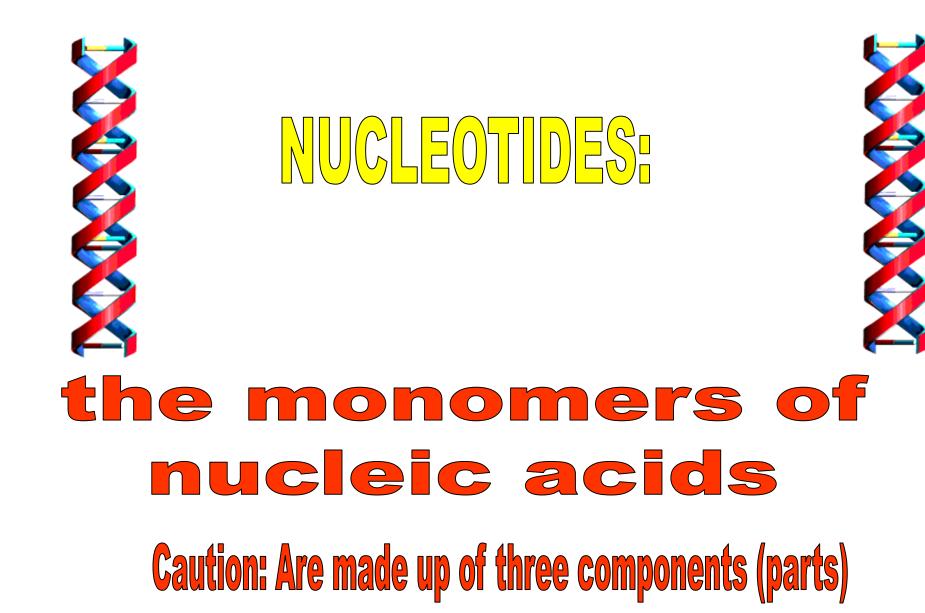
CHAPTER 8: DNA TO PROTEINS





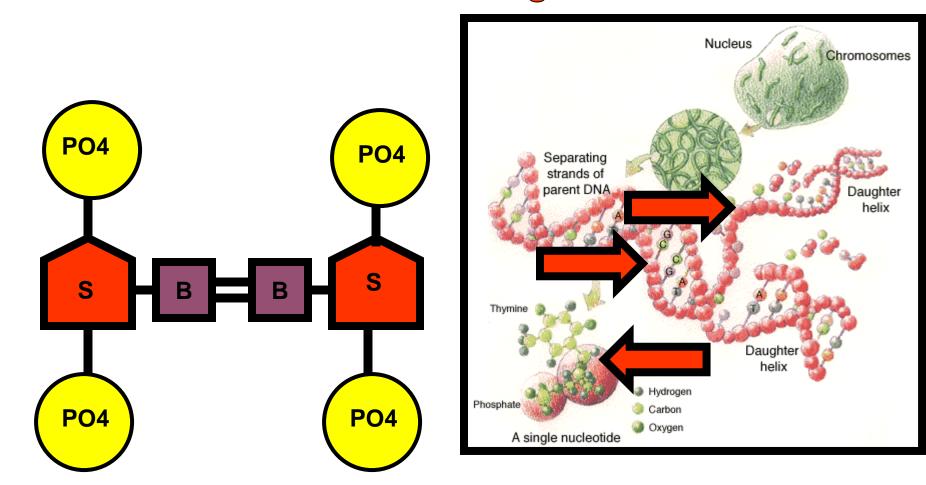
NUCLEIC ACIDS

Are complex macromolecules that store information in cells in coded form.

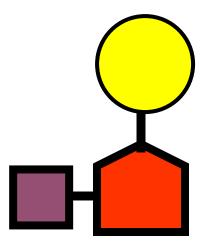


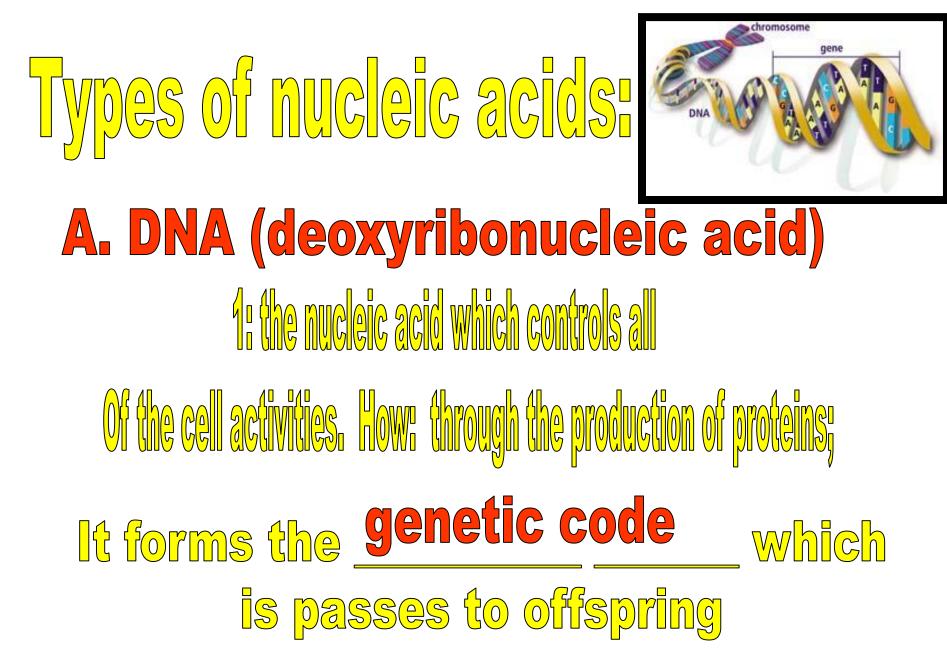


Part 1. five carbon sugar

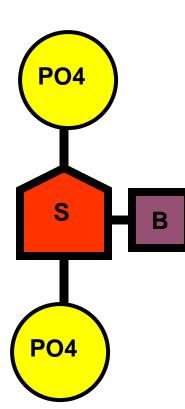


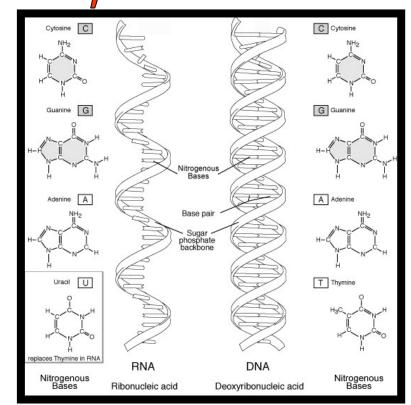
Review: the three parts that makeup a nucleotide



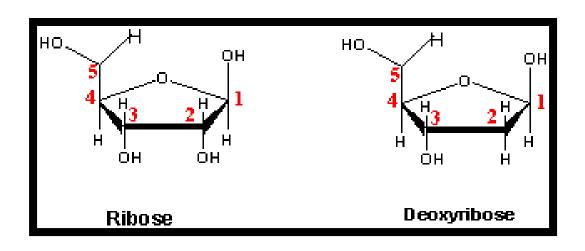


Nucleic Acid #2: RNA (ribonucleic acid) Function: It's RNA which synthesizes(makes) Proteins (Where?)







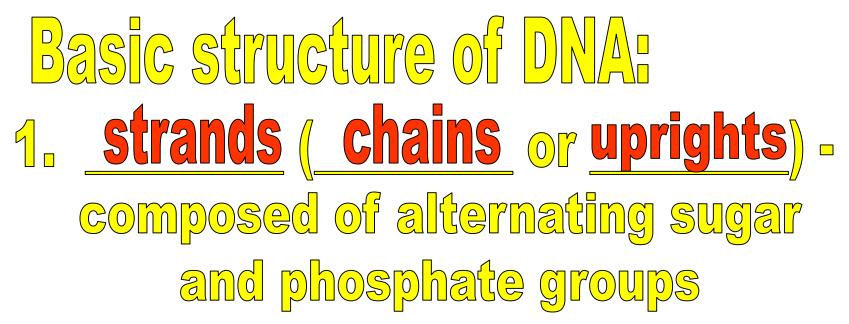


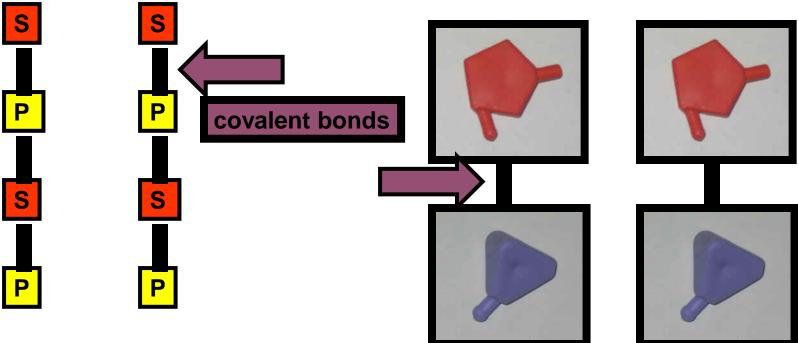


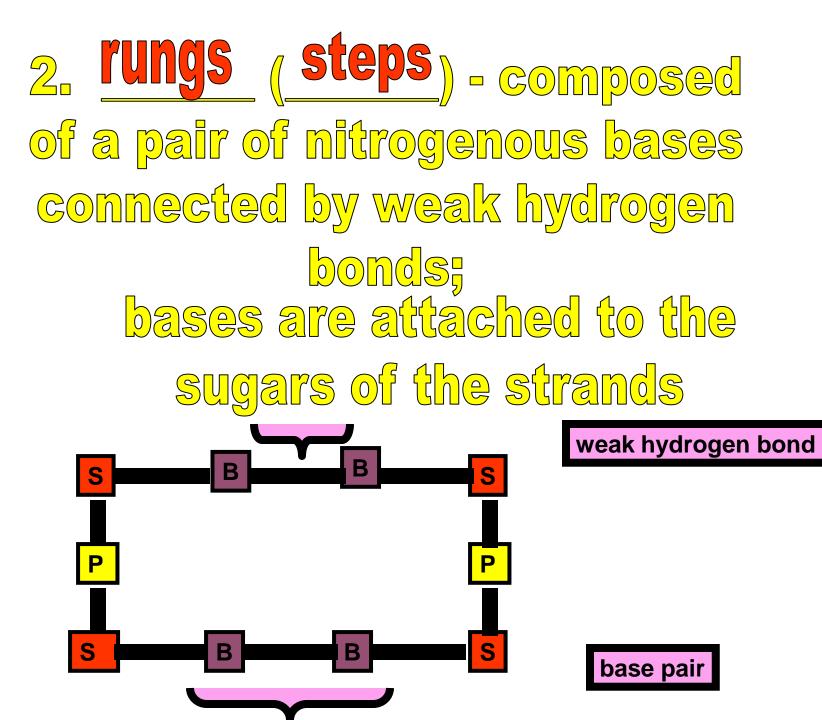
Primary functions of DNA:

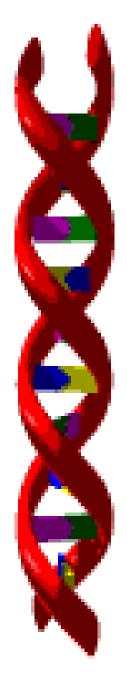
1. to copy itself exactly for new cells that are created

2. to store and use information to direct the activities of the cell

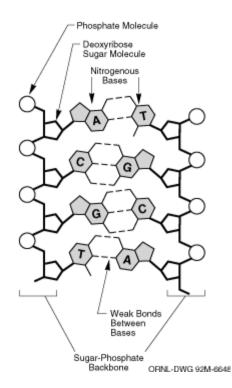


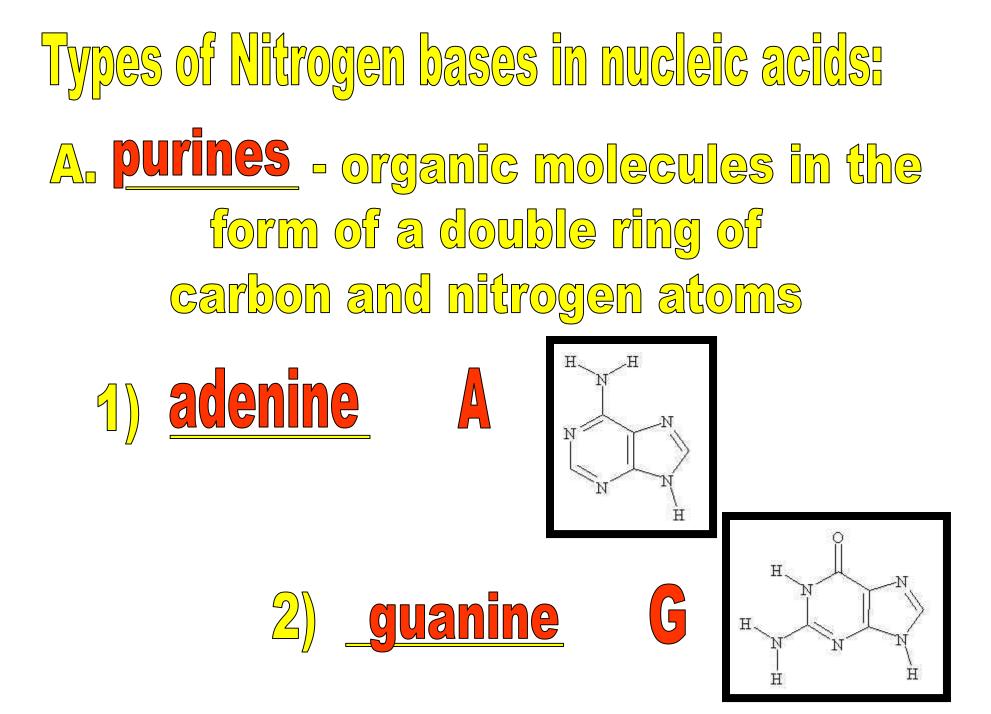


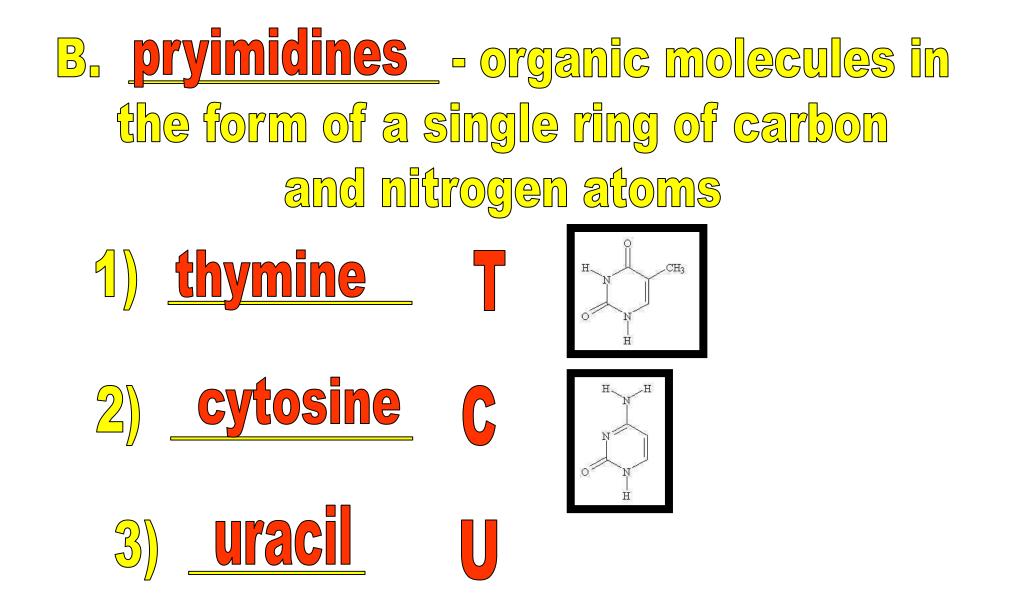




The general shape of the DNA molecule is a <u>double Stranded</u> spiralled helix.



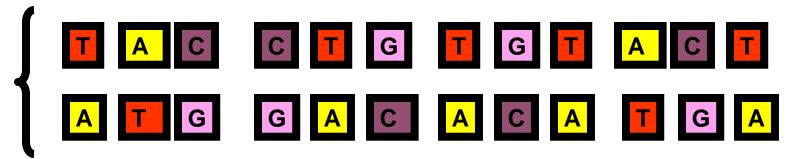




Complementary base pairings in DNA: thymine **adenine A T** (forms two weak hydrogen bonds) cytosine \equiv guanine $C \equiv G$ (forms three weak hydrogen bonds)

complementary strands

the sequential arrangement of nitrogen bases along one strand is the exact complement of the sequential arrangement of bases on the adjacent strand



complementary strands

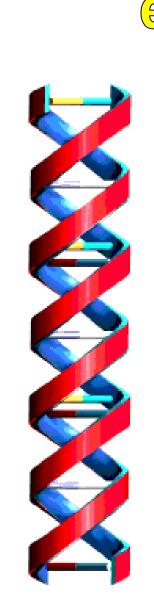
All organisms have the same four nucloetide bases in their DNA, <u>adenine</u>, <u>thymine</u>, <u>cytosine</u>, and **<u>guanine</u>** but the sequence of nucleotide bases forms the unique genetic information of an organism.



DNA Replication

the process occurs in the nuclues, in which a DNA molecule is duplicated, enabling the DNA to pass on an identical copy of itself.

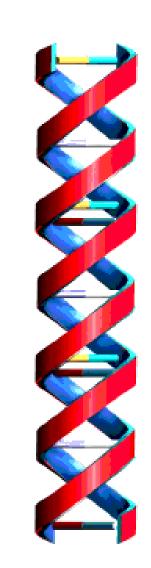
> Results: the genetic code Is passed to the daughter cells during mitosis (cell reproduction



errors are corrected by repair enzymes

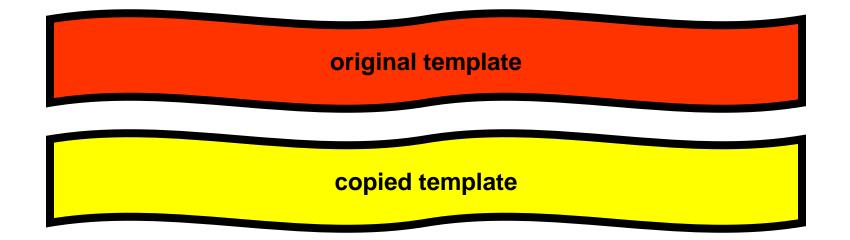
In replication:



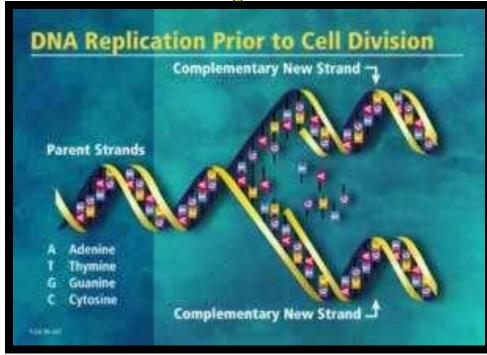




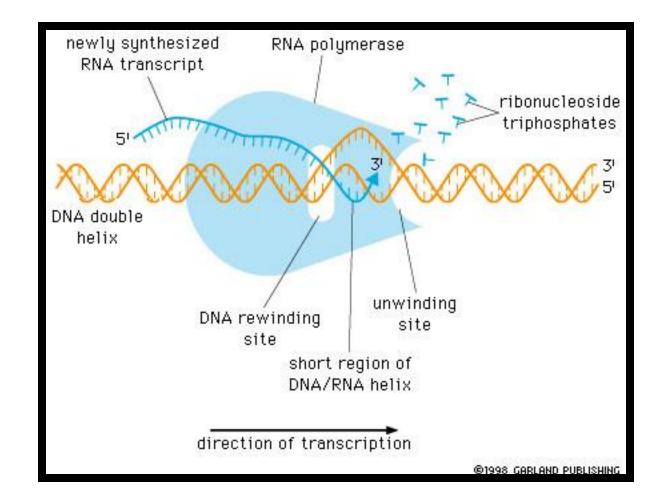
a pattern or mold established by each strand of the DNA molecule for replication

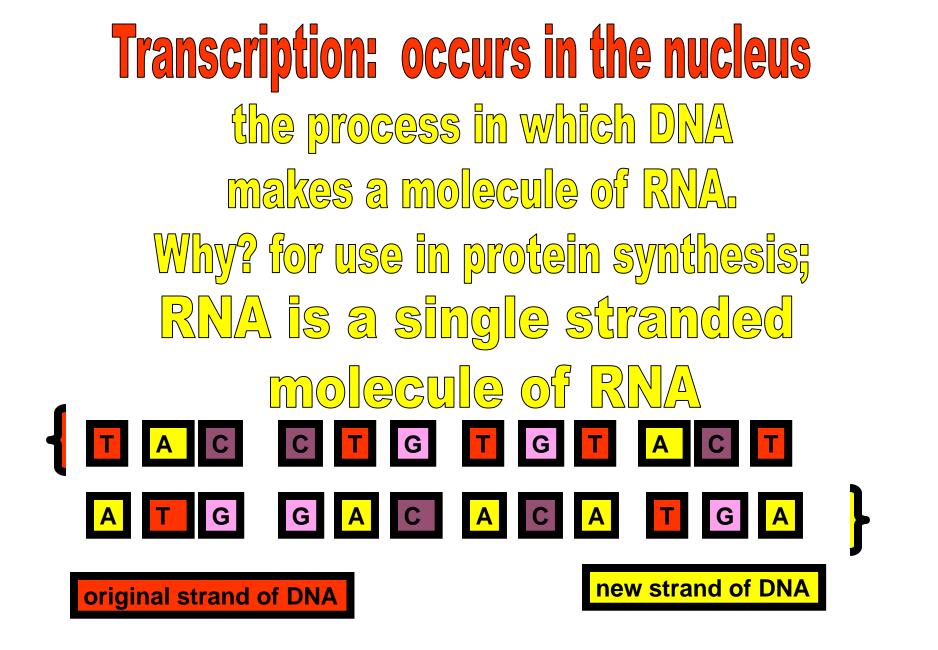


Enzymes used in nucleic acids: 1. DNA helicase the weak hydrogen bonds between the two strands of the DNA molecule so that replication can occur

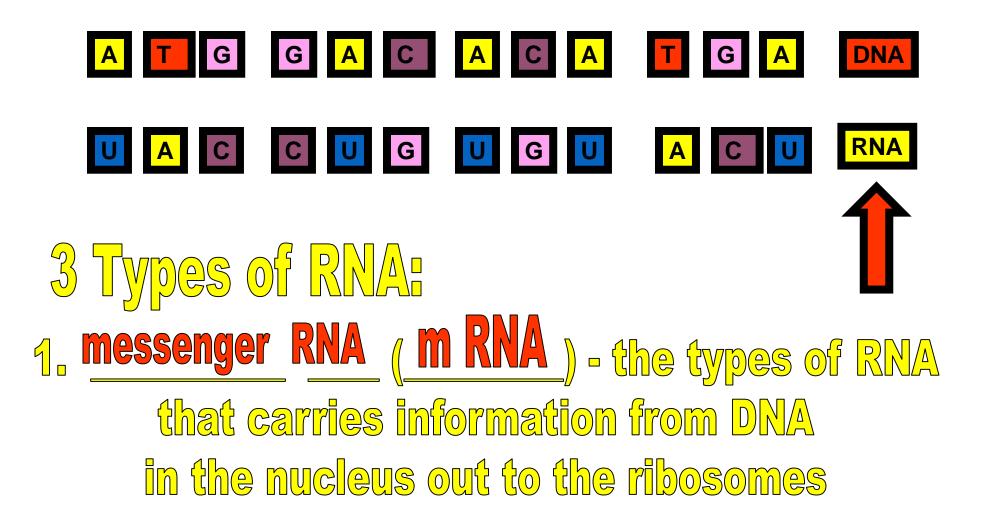


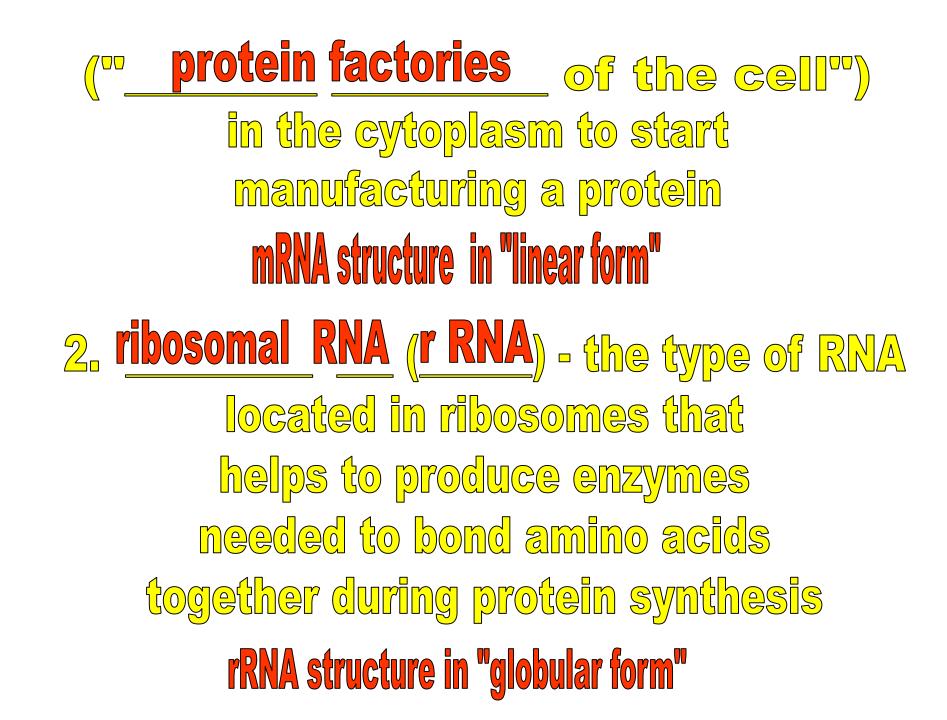
2. RNA polymerase - enzyme used when DNA makes a molecule of RNA

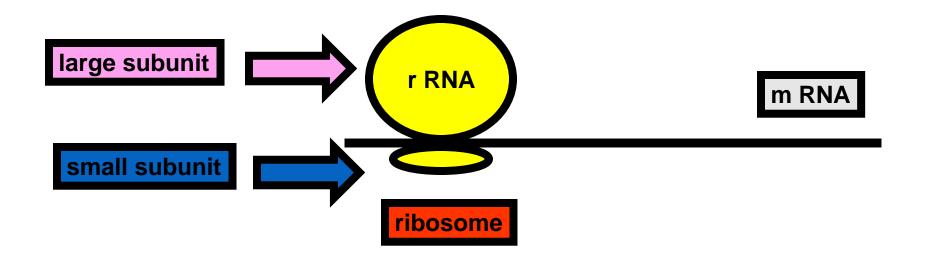




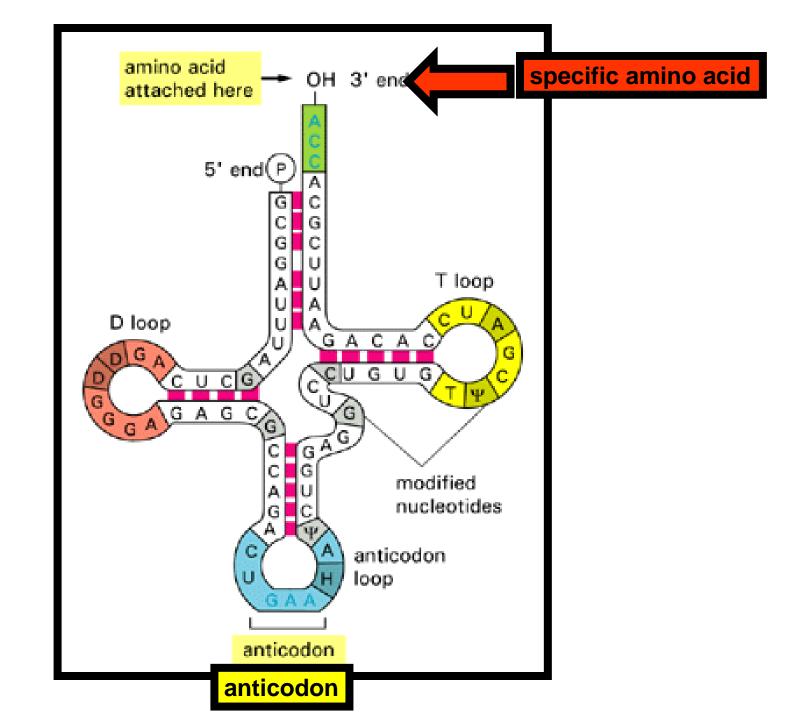








3. **transfer RNA** (**t RNA**) - the type of RNA which picks up specific amino acids in the cytoplasm and brings them to the m RNA located on the surface of the ribosomes



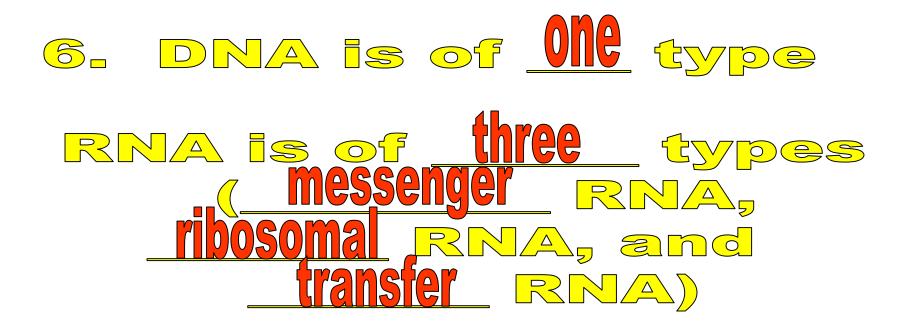


DNA establishes a template for the formation of all three types of RNA RNA establishes a template for the specific <u>amino acids</u> <u>amino acids</u> establishes a template for the formation a <u>protein</u>

therefore, DNA establishes a template for the formation of a protein

Basic differences between DNA and RNA: 1. DNA has one less Oxygen than RNA 2. DNA has the sugar deoxyribose RNA has the sugar ribose

3. DNA is a **double** stranded molecule RNA is a **<u>Single</u>** stranded molecule 4. DNA has the base thymine RNA has the base _ Uraci 5. DNA is made by the process of replication RNA is made by the process of transcription

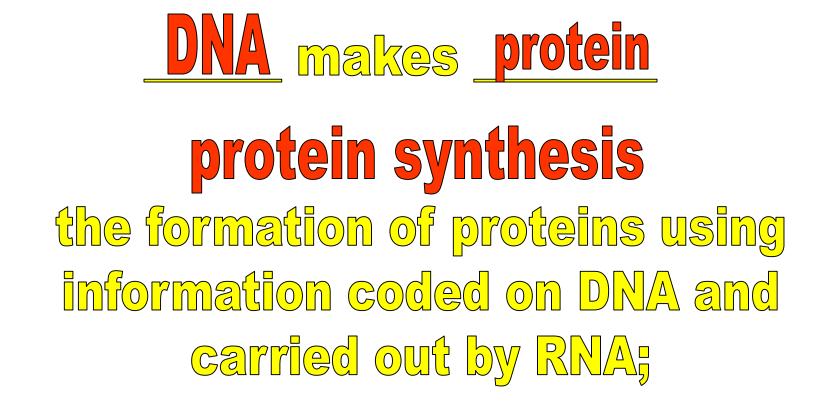


7. DNA remains in the nucleus

RNA leaves the nucleus and travels to the **ribosomes** in the cytoplasm

Translation: occurs in the ribosomes the process of converting the information in a sequence of nitrogen bases in messenger RNA into a sequence of amino acids that make up a protein

In translation:

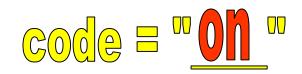






a group of three sequential bases of messenger RNA; each codes for a specific amino acid;

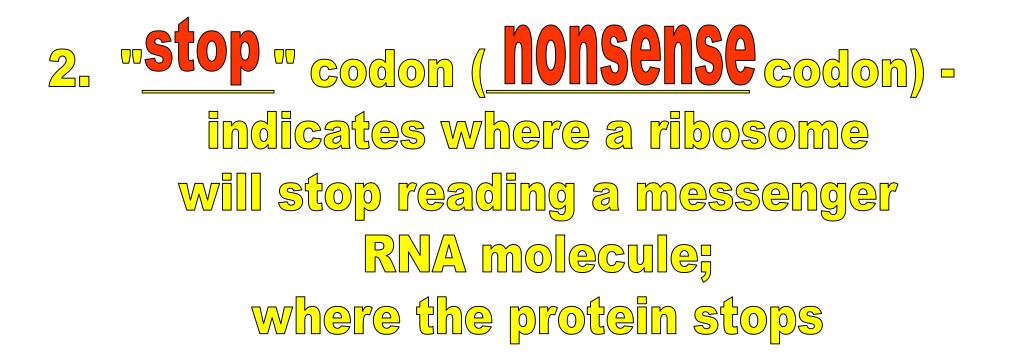


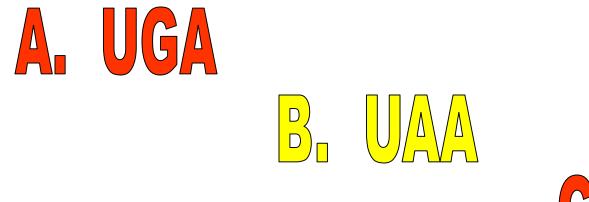


Codon Chart							
Second Position							
		U	С	А	G		
First Position (5′)	U	Phenylalanine Phenylalanine Leucine Leucine	Serine Serine Serine Serine	Tyrosine Tyrosine Stop Stop	Cysteine Cysteine Stop Tryptophan	U C A G	Third Position (3')
	С	Leucine Leucine Leucine Leucine	Proline Proline Proline Proline	Histidine Histidine Glutamine Glutamine	Arginine Arginine Arginine Arginine	U C A G	
	A	Isoleucine Isoleucine Isoleucine Methionine	Threonine Threonine Threonine Threonine	Asparagine Asparagine Lysine Lysine	Serine Serine Arginine Arginine	U C A G U C A G	
	G	Valine Valine Valine Valine	Alanine Alanine Alanine Alanine	Aspartic acid Aspartic acid Glutamic acid Glutamic acid	Glycine Glycine Glycine Glycine		

 ${}^{\scriptscriptstyle 5'}\mathsf{AGAUCGAGU}{}^{\scriptscriptstyle 3'} \to {}^{\scriptscriptstyle 5'}\mathsf{A}\underline{\mathit{C}}\mathsf{AUCGAGU}{}^{\scriptscriptstyle 3'}$

Special codons required for protein synthesis: 1. "<u>Start</u> " codon (<u>initiation</u> or <u>initiator</u> codon) indicates where a ribosome will start reading a messenger RNA; where the protein begins methionine - start codon - AUG

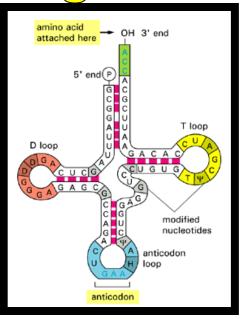






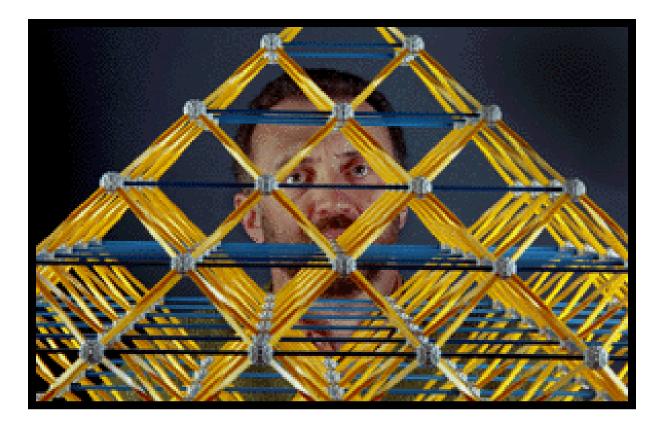
anticodon

the three sequential bases on a region of the transfer RNA complementary to the codons on messenger RNA





The sequence of amino acids in a protein determines the **characteristics** of that protein.



Use of a lattice to determine the folding patterns of different proteins.

Computer scientist Soren Istrail

protein an organic compound composed of two or more chains of polypeptides, which in turn, are formed from amino acids polypeptide a long chain of amino acids, hooked together by peptide bonds



peptide bond

type of bond which forms between amino acids in a protein; covalent bond between a nitrogen and a carbon atom



a segment of DNA located on a chromosome; directs the protein production that controls the cell activities;





"Section 11.3"



Two types of mutations (Chromosomal/Gene Mutations:

1. chromosomal mutations – mutation that occurs at the chromosome level resulting in changes in the gene distribution to gametes during meiosis; caused when parts of chromosomes break off or rejoin incorrectly

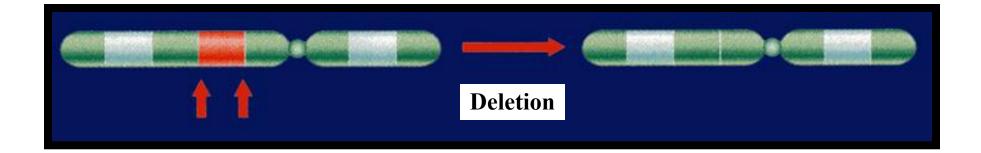
A. Division often occurs during cell division.

B. Can change the structure of the chromosome.

C. Cause loss of an entire chromosome.

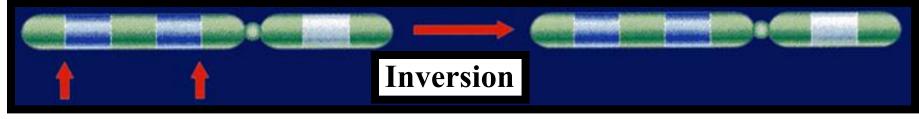
Types of chromosomal mutations:

1) deletion – results when a piece of a chromosome breaks off



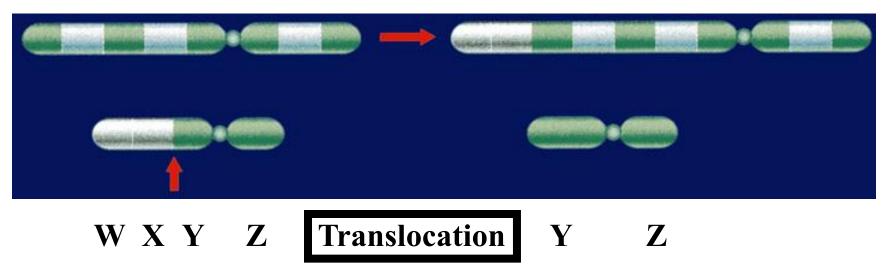
2) inversion – results when a piece of a chromosome breaks off and reattaches itself in reverse order



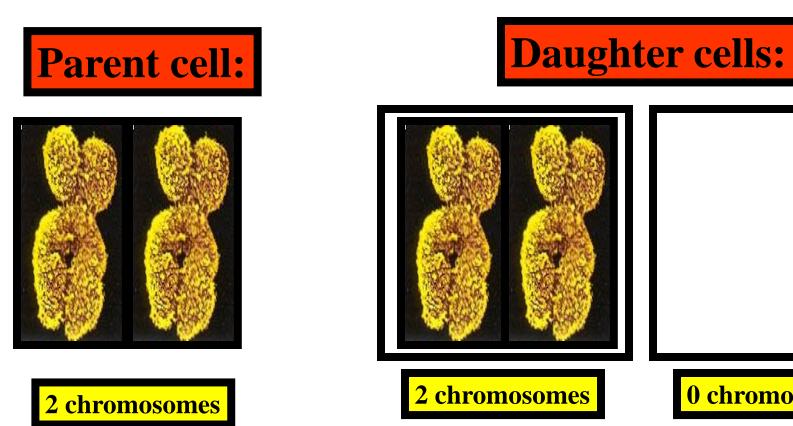


3) translocation – results when a broken piece attaches itself to a nonhomologous chromosome

A B C D E F G H W X A B C D E F G H



4) nondisjunction – results when a replicated chromosome fails to separate during cell division

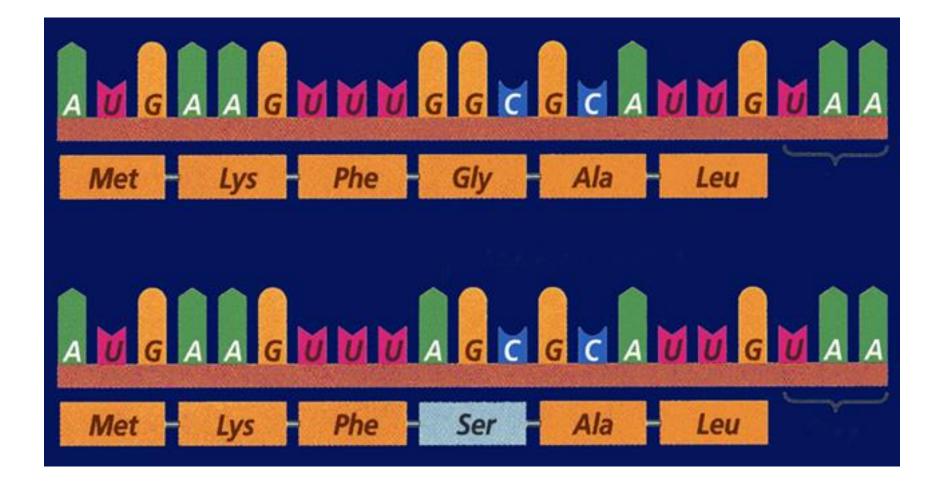




2. gene mutations - mutation that may involve a single nitrogen base or large segments of DNA depending on the type of mutation

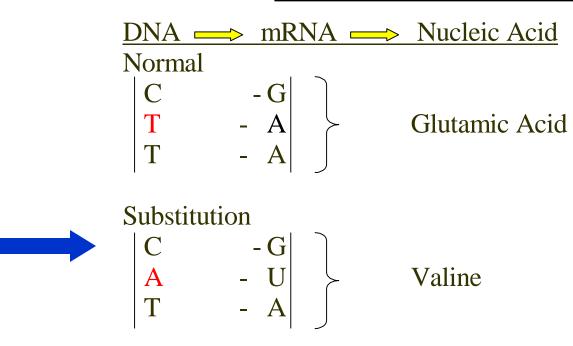


1) point mutation - mutation in a DNA sequence; occurs from a change in a single base pair



a substitution of a single nitrogen base

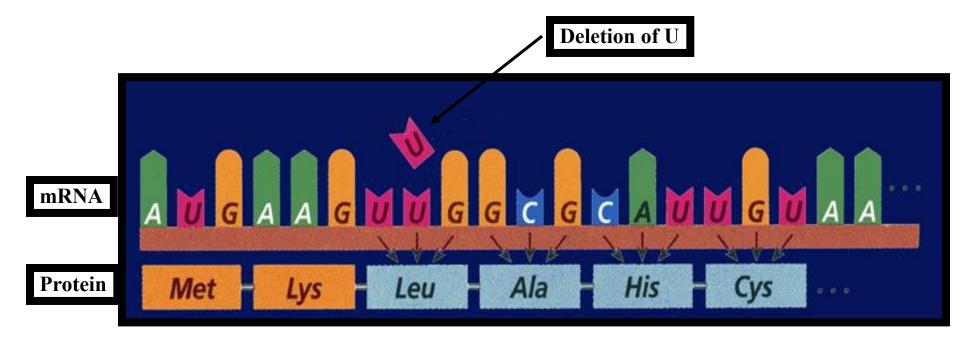




Base substitution:

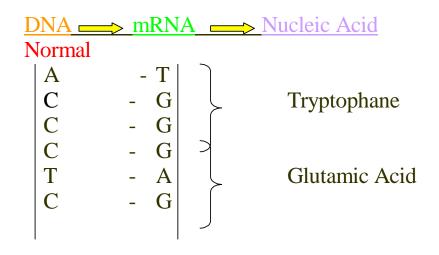


2) frameshift mutation - mutation that occurs when a single base is added or deleted from DNA; causes a shift in the reading of codons by one base



the addition or deletion of one or more nitrogen bases

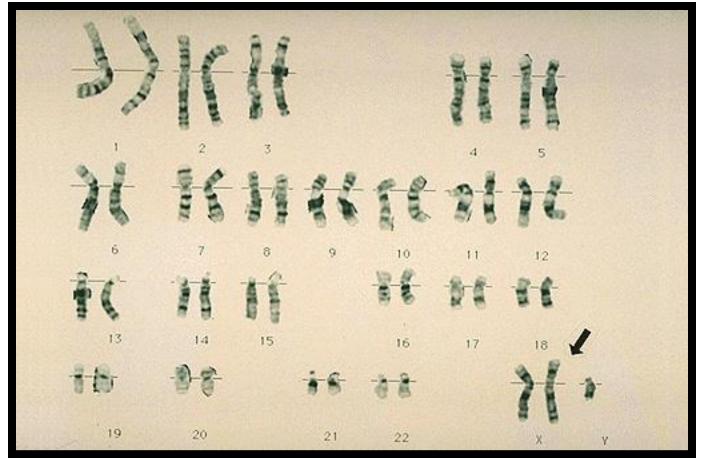
Frame Shift Mutations



Frame shift: (deletion of a nitrogen base)



Technique used to diagnose genetic disorders Used to learn more about chromosome shape, structure, and size.



<u>Pedigrees</u>

A chart used to show how a trait and the genes that control it are inherited within a family. Involves interviews with family members and friends of the family to collect information about the family's genetic history and traits.

