

4.B-C Exam Expectations

DEFINE hydrolytic enzymes

LIST all places in a eukaryotic cell where you might find ribosomes

LIST five requirements for the maintenance of the Hardy-Weinberg equilibrium

OUTLINE the concept of compartmentalization and its importance to cells

OUTLINE the four levels of protein structure

OUTLINE allosteric regulation

OUTLINE evolutionary fitness

OUTLINE introns and exons

OUTLINE competitive exclusion principle

OUTLINE exon shuffling

OUTLINE why agricultural lands today often require nutritional supplementation

OUTLINE resource partitioning

OUTLINE what it means when we say “genes are highly conserved”

OUTLINE transposition

OUTLINE ecological succession

OUTLINE the role(s) of cellular organelles (limited to those in the ppt)

OUTLINE how enzymes are able to speed up chemical reactions

OUTLINE the Island Equilibrium Model

OUTLINE what it means when we say a disease is multifactorial

OUTLINE the roles of competition, keystone species, disturbances, migration and patchy environments on overall species diversity

DESCRIBE the active site of an enzymes (in general)

DESCRIBE the workings of the endomembrane system

DESCRIBE sickle cell anemia

DESCRIBE the Hubbard Brook Experiment (limited to depth of the textbook)

DESCRIBE the theory of evolution in one sentence

CALCULATE allele or genotypic frequencies using the Hardy-Weinberg equation

IDENTIFY examples of ecosystem services from a list of choices

IDENTIFY threats to biodiversity from a list of choices

COMPARE the structure of starch, cellulose and glycogen

COMPARE the different types of chromosomal mutations (mechanisms, not effects)

COMPARE competitive and non-competitive inhibition of enzyme activity

COMPARE cofactors and coenzymes

COMPARE species richness and abundance

COMPARE ecological stability and resistance

COMPARE sympatric and allopatric populations

SUGGEST the levels of protein structure that could be altered to effect its function(s)

SUGGEST how well adapted structures originate in a population

SUGGEST likely outcomes from the convergence of two continental land masses

SUGGEST a strategy for saving a species from the extinction vortex

SUGGEST likely outcomes from deforestation

DISCUSS the consequences that the production of oxygen had on earth & organisms

DISCUSS the biogeographical aspects of diversity

DISCUSS how the biodiversity crisis relates to ecosystem services that benefit humans

EXPLAIN why humans can digest starch but cellulose

EXPLAIN gene duplication

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EXPLAIN why ecosystem services are rarely included in economic analysis

EXPLAIN inducible and repressible operons

EXPLAIN the sources of variations for evolution to work with

EXPLAIN how habitat fragmentation relates to extinction

EXPLAIN why evolution is unable to produce perfect structures or organisms

EXPLAIN interactions that take place between the respiratory and circulatory systems

DEDUCE the location of a proteins synthesis given its final destination/use

DEDUCE evolutionary fitness based upon changing gene frequencies in a population

PREDICT the outcome of an accident on populations with differing diversities

PREDICT which scenario would most likely lead to resource partitioning