IB Biology

Topic 08 – Metabolism, Respitaion & Photosynthesis

HL Revision Sheet



A metabolic pathway is	Threoni	$ne \rightarrow X \rightarrow Y \rightarrow Z \rightarrow Isoleucine$	Calculate the rate of reaction of the enzyme below. Show your working.	
• An enzyme is	The diagram illustrates a metabolic pathway controlled by end product inhibition. Explain		Time / seconds Volume of oxygen / ml	
Activation energy is	what the arrows represent.		0 0	
An enzyme inhibitor is	and how isoleucine controls the	ne nathway	60 240 120 480	
Competitive inhibitors bind to	and now isoleucine controls to	ic paniway.	120 460	
Non-competitive inhibitors bind to				
End product inhibitions is when the 'end product' of a metabolic pathway inhibits the				
Re-order the bullet points to explain cell respiration		Draw a sketch graph which show how an enzyme controlled reaction rate increase as the substrate	Chemiosmosis is the flow of protons from	
Pyruvate is decarboxylated, oxidised and attached to coenzyme A.		concentration increases	to	
Glucose is converted to pyruvate in glycolysis			Protone flow through the enzyme which	
Glucose is phosphorulated to make it less stable			makes ATP, called	
The link reaction converts pyruvate to acetyl coenzyme A.				
• In the Krebs cycle the acetyl group is oxidised and NAD is reduced, forming CO ₂			A concentration gradient of H ⁺ ions is	
 Electron carriers in the inner membrane transfer electrons and pump protons to the intermembrane space. Oxygen binds to free protons (H⁺ ions) forming water 			maintained by proton pumps which	
 Energy released from the oxidisation reactions is carried to mitochondria inner membranes by NADH (&FADH) 		Add lines showing rate of the same reaction after the	and by the	
Glycolysis provides a small gain of ATP & doesn't require oxygen.h		addition of a competitive & a non-competitive inhiitor.	reaction of oxygen which	
Photosynthesis is composed of 2 sets of reactions and and		What happens to each of these chemicals in light independent reactions?	Annotate the mitochondrion to show how it is adapted to its function	
Photolysis is the splitting of and it occurs in the found in the thylakoid membrane		ane. Glycerate-3-phosphate	ATP synthase particles	
			inter membrane space Matrix	
Light dependent reactions make (reduced NADP) and which are needed for light independent reactions. Triose phosphate			Ribosome Cristae Granules	
The stroma of the chloroplast is the and this is where the reactions occur.				
RuBP is the molecule which binds to catalysed by the enzyme			Inner membrane Outer membrane DNA	
Describe the carboxylation of RuBP Compare & contrast light dependent & independent reactions Annotate the chloroplast to show how it is adapted for photosynthesis.		Describe the use of electron tomography		
Light dependent Light independent				
		Chloroplast envelope Thylakoid		
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		Stroma	Why is it better than electron microscope	
			imaging?	
What is Calvin's lolipop apparatus?				
		Granum Lipid globules		

