

Chapter 13

- _____ 1. A group of gray wolves living in Minnesota is an example of
- a community.
 - a population.
 - a biome.
 - an ecosystem.
- _____ 2. Which of the following can be both primary and secondary consumers?
- herbivores
 - carnivores
 - omnivores
 - detritivores
- _____ 3. Which phrase best describes biodiversity?
- the number of individuals in a population
 - the amount of biomass in a community
 - the amount of available energy in a food web
 - the number of species in an ecosystem
- _____ 4. Bacteria are important in the nitrogen cycle because they
- help convert nitrogen into a form that organisms can use.
 - respire, returning carbon dioxide into the atmosphere.
 - decay and eventually form fossil fuels.
 - produce sugars that plants can use.
- _____ 5. An ecologist surveys weeds to monitor their populations. Which of the following best describes the ecologist's methods?
- modeling
 - observation
 - experimentation
 - hypothesizing
- _____ 6. Which of the following best describes an ecosystem?
- all of the different species living in a given area
 - all of the members of a single species living in a given area
 - all of the biotic and abiotic factors in a given area
 - all of the non-living factors that characterize a given area

7. Which of the following parts of Figure 13.2 are biotic factors?

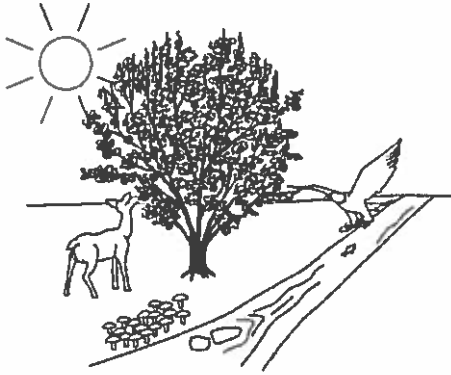


FIG.13.2

- a. soil, mushroom, tree
- b. soil, sunlight, river
- c. deer, mushroom, tree
- d. sunlight, river, deer

8. All of the organisms that inhabit the savanna make up a(n)

- a. ecosystem.
- b. biome.
- c. species.
- d. population.

9. Which statement is true of producers?

- a. They consume most of the biomass in ecosystems.
- b. They fix most of the nitrogen in ecosystems.
- c. They produce most of the carbon dioxide in ecosystems.
- d. They provide most of the energy in ecosystems.

10. What are two processes by which autotrophs make food?

- a. chemosynthesis and photosynthesis
- b. photosynthesis and respiration
- c. chemosynthesis and decomposition
- d. decomposition and combustion

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Chapter 14

11. The European red squirrel population is declining due to competition with the North American gray squirrel. Most likely, what will eventually happen to the red squirrel?
- It will win its competition with the gray squirrel.
 - It will be an ecological equivalent of the gray squirrel.
 - It will become extinct.
 - It will move to a different community

12. What word or phrase would be most appropriate opposite "commensalism" under "organism 2"?

Symbiosis 1	Organism 1	Organism 2	Example
Mutualism	Benefits	Benefits	Bee/Flowering Plant
Commensalism	Benefits		Human/Eyelash Mite
Parasitism	Benefits	Is Harmed	Dog/Flea

FIG. 14.1

- Neither Harms or Benefits
- Is Harmed
- Benefits
- Benefits over Time

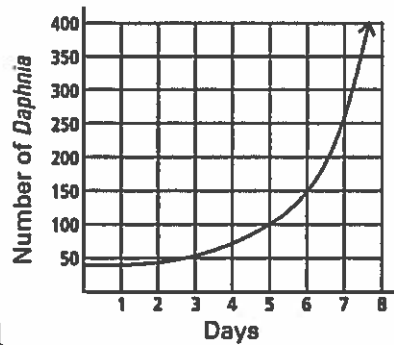
13. The white-tailed deer and the kangaroo are both large herbivorous mammals that occupy similar niches but live on different continents. They are an example of
- ecological equivalents.
 - competitors.
 - niche partitioning.
 - competitive exclusion.

14. A herd of caribou has more births than deaths and more immigration than emigration. What will most likely happen to the size of the herd?
- It will increase.
 - It will decrease.
 - It will increase, and then decrease.
 - It will stay the same.

15. In 1988 several large forest fires occurred in Yellowstone National Park. What process occurred after these fires?
- primary succession
 - secondary succession
 - pioneer succession
 - symbiotic succession

16. Which statement is most likely true about the *Daphnia* population shown in the graph?

**DAPHNIA POPULATION
GROWTH**



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FIG. 14.2

- a. It has reached its carrying capacity.
- b. It has a large food supply.
- c. It has a small food supply.
- d. It will level off during day 8.

17. Lions eat zebras. Zebras are part of the lion's

- a. biotic factors.
- b. ecological niche.
- c. local habitat.
- d. abiotic conditions.

18. Parasitism is most similar to


- a. interspecific competition.
- b. mutualism.
- c. commensalism.
- d. predation.

19. Fourteen beavers live in a pond with an area of 2 square kilometers. What is the population density of the beavers?

- a. 7 beavers per square kilometer
- b. 14 beavers per square kilometer
- c. 16 beavers per square kilometer
- d. 28 beavers per square kilometer

20. The new island of Surtsey was formed near Iceland by a series of volcanic eruptions. Which of these processes occurred first on Surtsey?

- a. A complex ecosystem developed.
- b. Volcanic rock broke down into soil.
- c. Plants grew on the island.
- d. Animals moved onto the island.

- _____ 21. Many endoparasites lack complex digestive systems. Which is the most likely reason for this?
- a. Endoparasites eat only plants, which are easy to digest.
 - b. Endoparasites do not usually kill their hosts.
 - c. Endoparasites feed on food already digested by the host.
 - d. Endoparasites live only inside their hosts, not outside.
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Chapter 16

- _____ 22. Which statement best describes Earth's human carrying capacity? It is
- a. a fixed number that we will soon exceed.
 - b. increasing due to improved technology and medicine.
 - c. decreasing due to increasing population.
 - d. decreasing due to decreasing death rates.

- _____ 23. Why is firewood considered to be a renewable resource?
- a. It can be replenished over time.
 - b. It is used up faster than it can form.
 - c. It is made from coal.
 - d. It can be made synthetically.

- _____ 24. Which of these practices has contributed to the depletion of fish populations worldwide?
- a. rotating catches
 - b. catching reproduction-age fish
 - c. fishing bans
 - d. harvest reduction

- _____ 25. Increasing the biodiversity of an ecosystem would be likely to
- a. cause some species in the ecosystem to become extinct.
 - b. reduce the number of species in the ecosystem.
 - c. increase the ecosystem's stability.
 - d. make it harder for the ecosystem to thrive.

- _____ 26. A predator might control an introduced species by
- a. keeping the population from increasing.
 - b. increasing available niches.
 - c. causing habitat fragmentation.
 - d. reducing biodiversity in the area.
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27. Canned tuna made from small fish is generally considered to be safer to eat than canned tuna from large fish. Large fish have more pollutants
- a. because they drink more water.
 - b. because they live in more polluted water.
 - c. due to their larger surface area.
 - d. due to biomagnification.

Chapter 2

28. Which phrase best describes an atom?
- a. substance made of different elements
 - b. smallest basic unit of matter
 - c. substance that includes covalent bonds
 - d. contains electrons in its nucleus

29. Which substance would be considered to be the solute in Figure 2.1?

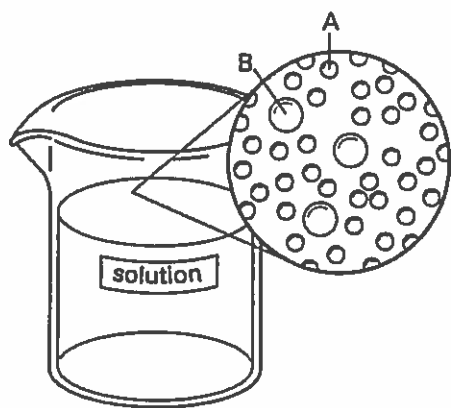


FIG. 2.1

- a. Substance A is the solution and substance B is the solvent.
- b. Substance A is the solute because it is smaller than substance B.
- c. Substance B is the solute because it is present in smaller amounts.
- d. Both substances A and B are solutes.

30. What are the four main groups of carbon-based molecules?
- a. starches, cholesterol, fatty acids, and amino acids
 - b. sugars, cellulose, triglycerides, and monosaccharides
 - c. polysaccharides, sugars, oils, and polymers
 - d. carbohydrates, lipids, proteins, and nucleic acids

31. Chemical reactions change substances into different substances by

- a. reaching chemical equilibrium.
- b. breaking and forming bonds
- c. changing the substance's properties.
- d. maintaining constant energy.

32. What is the term for the substances that are changed during a chemical reaction?

- a. products
- b. catalysts
- c. enzymes
- d. reactants

33. The function of a catalyst in a chemical reaction is to increase the

- a. reaction rate.
- b. activation energy.
- c. pH.
- d. number of substrates.

34. The lock-and-key model of enzyme function shown in Figure 2.2 illustrates which important characteristic of enzymes?

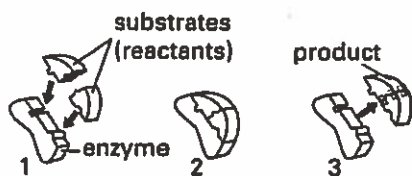


FIG. 2.2

- a. ability to bind with many reactants
- b. ever-changing structure
- c. precise fit with a particular substrate
- d. ability to bond with a product

35. What aspects of a chemical reaction are enzymes known to affect?

- a. direction and reactant concentration
- b. rate and activation energy
- c. temperature and pH
- d. conditions needed for equilibrium

Chapter 3

36. Cell theory establishes which of the following conclusions about cells?

- a. All cells have the same size and shape.
 - b. All cells form by free-cell formation.
 - c. All cells are produced by other living cells.
 - d. All cells have a cell wall.
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37. How is the cell shown in Figure 3.1 different from a prokaryotic cell?

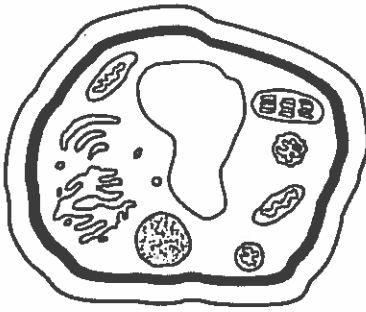


FIG. 3.1

- a. It has a nucleus.
- b. It has DNA.
- c. It has cytoplasm.
- d. It has a cell membrane.

38. Which statement is true about a nucleus?

- a. It is the site of enzyme storage.
- b. It is the site of energy conversion.
- c. It is surrounded by the nucleolus.
- d. It is surrounded by a double membrane.

39. Which organelles are present both inside the nucleolus and on the surface of the ER?

- a. ribosomes
- b. vacuoles
- c. mitochondria
- d. vesicles

40. Which phrase describes the function of the mitochondria?

- a. breaks down chemicals
- b. packages proteins
- c. supplies energy to the cell
- d. fluid-filled sac used for storage

41. Which organelles are involved in defending a cell against viruses?

- a. centrosomes
- b. lysosomes
- c. vacuoles
- d. chloroplasts

42. Which features are found in plant cells but not in animal cells?

- a. mitochondria and ribosomes
- b. vesicles and vacuoles
- c. cell walls and chloroplasts
- d. centrioles and centrosomes

43. Mitochondria and chloroplasts are both sites of

- a. energy conversion.
- b. energy manufacturing.
- c. photosynthesis.
- d. protein synthesis.

44. What phrase best describes the process shown in Figure 3.2?

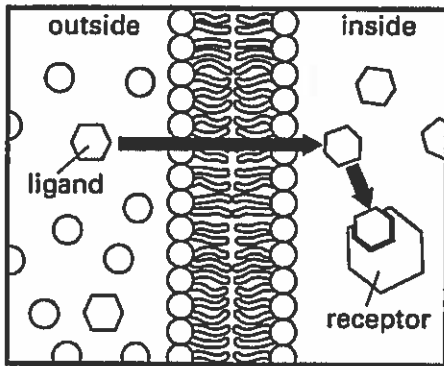


FIG. 3.2

- a. osmosis
- b. facilitated diffusion
- c. the formation of a transport protein
- d. the formation of a receptor-ligand complex

45. Water enters a cell when the solution surrounding the cell is

- a. concentrated.
- b. hypotonic to the cell.
- c. weak.
- d. hypertonic to the cell.

46. Which of the following phrases best describes active transport?

- a. moves substance against concentration gradient
- b. does not use chemical energy
- c. forms a vesicle around a large particle
- d. relies on diffusion of materials

47. Which phrase best describes the process of facilitated diffusion?

- a. moves molecules against a concentration gradient
- b. requires ATP
- c. moves only nonpolar molecules
- d. requires no energy from the cell

48. Which organelles are involved in the process called endocytosis?

- a. macrophages and ribosomes
- b. lysosomes and vesicles
- c. phagocytes and centrioles
- d. mitochondria and ribosomes

49. Which sentence best describes exocytosis?

- a. A vesicle fuses to a lysosome and its contents are destroyed
- b. A vesicle fuses to the cell membrane and its contents enter the cell
- c. A vesicle fuses to the cell membrane and its contents leave the cell.
- d. A vesicle fuses to the nuclear envelope and its contents enter the nucleus.

Chapter 4

50. Which of the following statements is true of ATP?

- a. It stores energy as glucose.
- b. It transfers energy to cell processes.
- c. It releases energy when it gains a phosphate group.
- d. It converts sunlight into chemical energy.

51. The breakdown of which of the following provides the largest number of ATP per molecule?

- a. carbohydrates
- b. lipids
- c. proteins
- d. cellulose

52. Which of the following reactions provides the chemical energy for most cell functions?

- a. $\text{ATP} - \text{P} \rightarrow \text{ADP}$
- b. $\text{ATP} + \text{P} \rightarrow \text{ADP}$
- c. $\text{ADP} - \text{P} \rightarrow \text{ATP}$
- d. $\text{ADP} + \text{P} \rightarrow \text{ATP}$

53. Which process would bacteria living near a heat vent on the ocean floor use to build carbon-based molecules, such as sugars?

- a. light-independent reactions
- b. cellular respiration
- c. fermentation
- d. chemosynthesis

_____ 54. Which of the following is the site of the photosystems in the light-dependent reactions of photosynthesis?

- a. stroma
- b. thylakoid membrane
- c. ATP synthase
- d. mitochondrial matrix

_____ 55. What is the name of the process that breaks glucose down into the pyruvate that is used in cellular respiration?

- a. fermentation
- b. electron transport
- c. glycolysis
- d. the Krebs cycle

_____ 56. The aerobic stages of cellular respiration take place in the

- a. cell membrane.
- b. mitochondria.
- c. cytoplasm.
- d. grana.

57. Which process is best represented by the chemical equation $C_6H_{12}O_6 + 6O_2 \rightarrow 6CO_2 + 6H_2O$?

- a. cellular respiration
- b. photosynthesis
- c. glycolysis
- d. fermentation

58. An electron transport chain is part of

- a. the Krebs cycle only.
- b. cellular respiration only.
- c. both photosynthesis and cellular respiration.
- d. both glycolysis and the Krebs cycle.

59. Which process allows glycolysis to continue in the absence of oxygen?

- a. chemosynthesis
- b. photosystem I
- c. cellular respiration
- d. fermentation

60. Which organisms use alcoholic fermentation to allow glycolysis to continue to produce ATP?

- a. reptiles c. humans
- b. yeasts d. mammals

61. When pyruvate is a reactant in cellular respiration it means that

- a. oxygen is present.
- b. all ATP is made in the cytoplasm.
- c. only fermentation is taking place.
- d. glycolysis has stopped.

62. Which chemical equation best represents the process of photosynthesis?

- a. $6CO_2 + 6O_2 \rightarrow C_6H_{12}O_6 + 6O_2$
- b. $C_6H_{12}O_6 + 6H_2O \rightarrow C_6H_{12}O_6 + 6O_2$
- c. $6CO_2 + 6H_2O \rightarrow C_6H_{12}O_6 + 6O_2$
- d. $C_6H_{12}O_6 + 6O_2 \rightarrow 6CO_2 + 6H_2O$