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## Enzymes and Enzyme Regulation

Getting started:

- Go to [learn-biology.com](http://learn-biology.com). Use the menu from your course to find “Enzymes and Enzyme Regulation”
- If you’re submitting this electronically to your instructor, please type your answers in blue, red, or any other color your instructor suggests.
- **As you go, change  to a**

### Enzymes tutorial, Part 1

1. Read the introduction. Check the box when you’re finished.

In the space below, summarize the effect of amylase on starch.

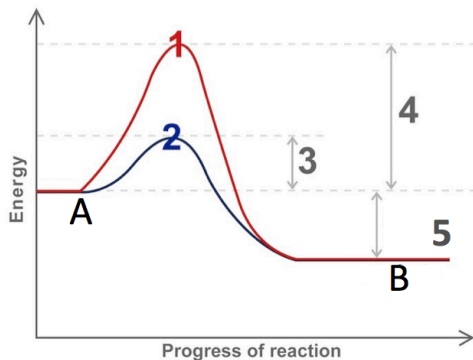
What are enzymes?

2. Complete the interactive reading: Enzymes and Activation Energy. Check the box when you’re done. As you read, answer the following questions.

a. A catalyst is...

b. Enzymes speed reactions by

c. Complete the key for the diagram below:



A:

B:

1:

2: Course of reaction *with* an enzyme

3:

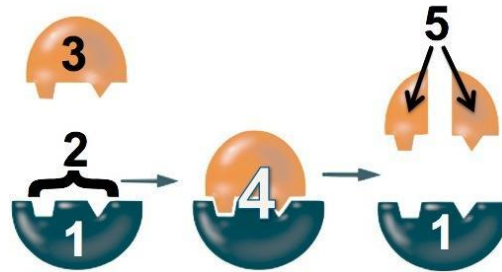
4: Activation energy *without* an enzyme

5:

3. Complete the interactive reading: “Enzymes and Substrates.” Check the box when you’re done.

a. What’s a substrate?

b. Make a key for the diagram below:



1.

2.

3.

4.

5.

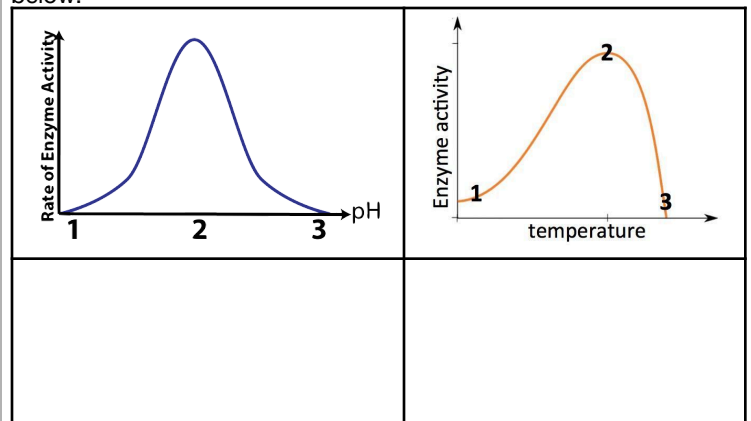
c. What is the “lock and key” model of enzyme action?

d. What is the “induced fit” model of enzyme action.

4. Complete the interactive reading: “Enzymes and their Environment.” Check the box when you’re done.

a. What is denaturation?

b. Use *denaturation* and *optimum* to explain the two graphs below:



5. Complete the enzymes flashcards. Check the box when you’re done.

6. Take the enzymes quiz. Check the box when you're done

7. Complete the Enzymes, Interactive Lyrics. Check the box when you're done.

PRACTICE RECALLING WHAT YOU KNOW. In the space below, write down everything you've learned so far about enzymes.

## Enzymes

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They're the protein catalysts in every organism:  
ENZYMES!

Through enzymatic action your metabolism's  
driven: ENZYMES!

In *staphylococcus*, jellyfish, tarantulas and trees,  
They lower activation energy  
Enzymes, in you and me now, ENZYMES!

You got 'em in your cells where they do cellular  
digestion: ENZYMES!

You got 'em in your mouth and in your stomach  
and intestines: ENZYMES!

The thing an enzyme acts upon is called a  
substrate.

They fit like lock and key with complementary  
shape

Enzymes, speed up reaction rates: ENZYMES!

An enzyme binds its substrate at its active site:  
ENZYMES!

Bound together in a complex where they snuggle  
so tight: ENZYMES!

New bonds will form and break due to the active  
site's chemistry

Reactants become products, it's the enzyme's  
specialty,

Product gets release enzyme repeats its action  
readily: ENZYMES!

Like any molecule an enzyme's shape defines its  
function: ENZYMES!

Environmental change that changes shape leads  
to malfunction: ENZYMES!

Every enzyme has a pH where it catalyzes best,  
a pH change will set enzyme activity to rest.  
Enzymes are so sensitive they're easily upset:  
ENZYMES!

More heat until a certain point increases their  
efficiency: ENZYMES!

But too much heat denatures them destroying  
their activity: ENZYMES!

That's why a fever running high's a dangerous  
situation,

All that heat can alter enzymatic conformation.

Keep it 98.6 for enzyme optimization: ENZYMES!

Enzymes in saliva will break starch into glucose:  
ENZYMES!

If you lack the enzyme lactase then you won't  
enjoy milk lactose: ENZYMES!

Tay-sachs, galactosemia and PKU disease,  
All caused by inherited enzyme deficiencies  
ENZYMES, they're what everybody needs:  
ENZYMES

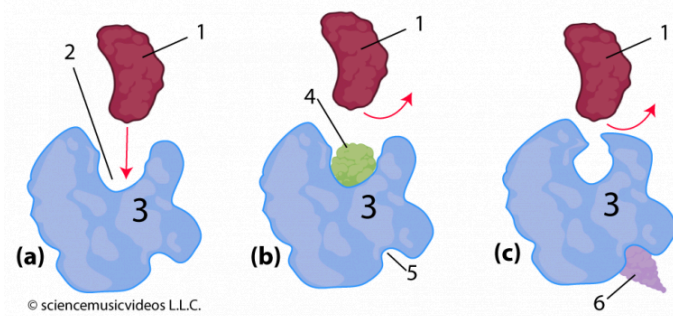
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### Enzymes tutorial, Part 2 (Enzyme Inhibition and Regulation)

1. Read the introduction and the section on Enzyme Inhibition. . Check the box below when you're finished. In the space below , summarize the difference between competitive and non-competitive inhibition.

Take the "Enzyme Inhibition" Quiz.  
CONSOLIDATING YOUR LEARNING  
Make a key to the diagram below. Try to do this without looking at the page. Then go back and check your work.



- a:
- b:
- c:
- 1:
- 2:
- 3:
- 4:
- 5:
- 6:

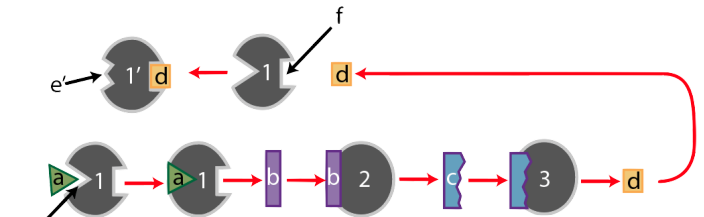
2. Read the section on enzyme regulation. Check the box when you're done.

Briefly define the following terms:

- Metabolic pathway:
  
- Feedback inhibition:

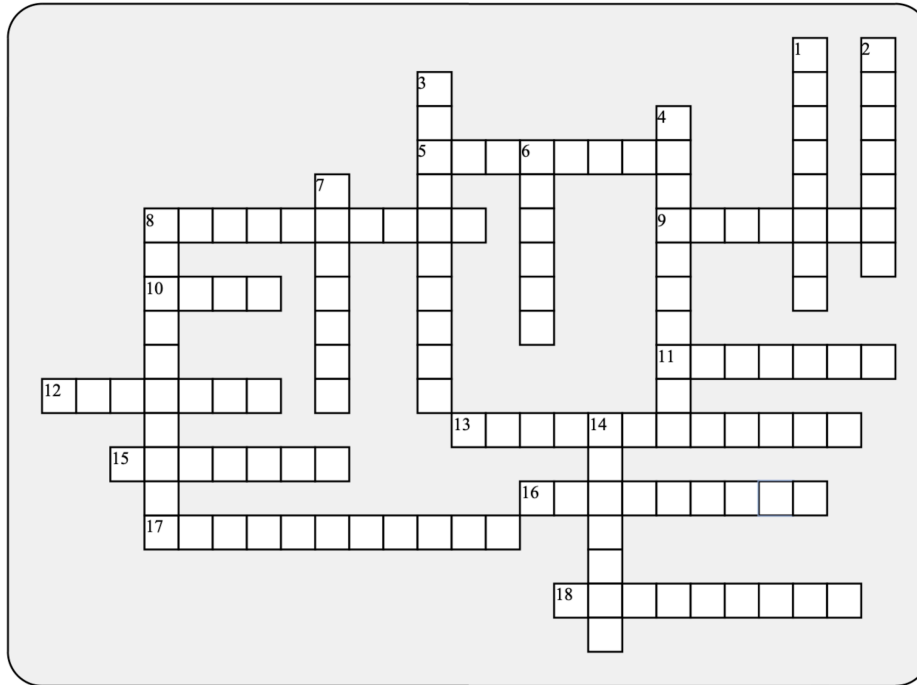
- Intermediate compound
  
- Feedback inhibition
  
- Allosteric site
  
- Allosteric inhibitor
  
- Allosteric activator

Take the "Enzyme Regulation" Quiz.  
Make a key to the diagram below:



- 1:
- 1':
- 2:
- 3:
- a:
- b:
- c:
- d:
- e:
- e':
- f:

Reflect: how are allosteric inhibition and non-competitive inhibition similar? How do they differ?



NOTE: if you can't print out this student learning guide, then just make a table below the clues with your answers

Across:

- 5 - Too much heat can \_\_\_\_\_ an enzyme
- 8 - Enzymes work by lowering \_\_\_\_\_ energy
- 9 - An enzyme required for digesting starch
- 10 - Enzymes fit substrates like a key fits a
- 11 - The changed shape an enzyme acquires after binding its substrate is known as \_\_\_\_\_ fit
- 12 - The class of macromolecule that most enzymes belong to
- 13 - The three dimensional shape of an enzyme is known as its
- 15 - Measuring the appearance of \_\_\_\_\_ is one way to measure the rate of enzyme activity.
- 16 - The name of substances that speed up a chemical reaction without being changed by that reaction
- 17 - The kind of inhibition that occurs when an inhibitor blocks the active site.
- 18 - The thing an enzyme acts upon

Down:

- 1 - Inhibition that involves the product of a pathway interfering with one of the pathway's enzymes
- 2 - They're the protein catalysts in every organism
- 3 - \_\_\_\_\_ enzymes break polymers into monomers
- 4 - Enzymatic action drives your \_\_\_\_\_.
- 6 - The \_\_\_\_\_ site is where an enzyme binds with its substrate
- 7 - An enzyme required for digesting milk sugar
- 8 - A binding site away from the active site that can change the shape of the active site.
- 14 - Every enzyme has a pH \_\_\_\_\_ where it operates most efficiently

Possible Answers:

Activation, Enzymes, Induced, active, allosteric, amylase, catalysts, competitive, conformation, denature, feedback, hydrolytic, lactase, lock, metabolism, optimum, product, protein, substrate