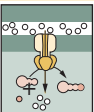


# ENERGY PRODUCTION

(A)

## ATP synthesis



$$N_{\text{peptide bonds}} \approx 3 \times 10^6 \text{ proteins} \times \frac{300 \text{ peptide bonds}}{1 \text{ protein}} \approx 10^9 \text{ peptide bonds}$$

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$$N_{\text{ATP}}^{(\text{prot.})} \approx \frac{5 \text{ ATP}}{\text{peptide bond}} \times 10^9 \text{ peptide bonds} \approx 5 \times 10^9 \text{ ATP}$$

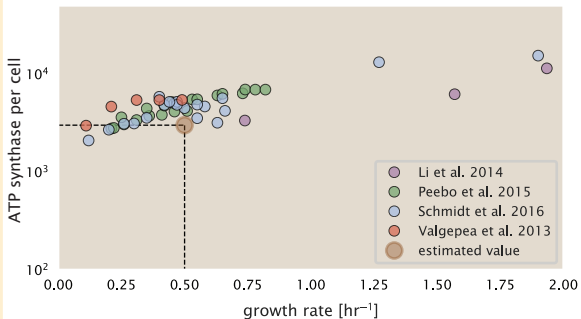
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$$N_{\text{ATP}}^{(\text{total})} \approx \frac{N_{\text{ATP}}}{0.8} \approx 6 \times 10^9 \text{ ATP}$$

$$r_{\text{ATP synthesis}} \approx \frac{300 \text{ ATP / sec}}{\text{synthase}}$$

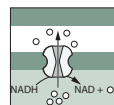
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$$N_{\text{synthase}} \approx \frac{6 \times 10^9 \text{ ATP}}{1 \text{ cell}} \times \frac{1 \text{ sec}}{300 \text{ ATP}} \times \frac{1 \text{ cell}}{6000 \text{ sec}} \approx 3000 \text{ synthases}$$



(B)

## maintenance of proton gradient



$$r_{\text{proton use}} \approx N_{\text{ATP synthases}} \times \frac{300 \text{ ATP}}{1 \text{ s}} \times \frac{4 \text{ protons}}{1 \text{ ATP}} \approx 4 \times 10^6 \text{ protons / s}$$

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$$r_{\text{transport}} \approx 1500 \frac{\text{protons / s}}{\text{electron transport complex}}$$

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$$N_{\text{transporters}} \approx \frac{4 \times 10^6 \text{ protons}}{1 \text{ s}} \times \frac{1 \text{ s}}{1500 \text{ protons}} \approx 2500 \text{ electron transport complexes}$$

