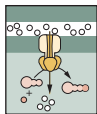


(A)

ATP synthesis

Assuming protein synthesis primary consumer of ATP



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

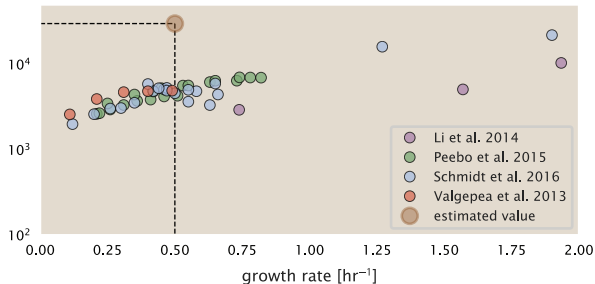
$$N_{\text{ATP}} \approx \frac{4 \text{ ATP}}{\text{peptide bond}} \times 10^{10} \text{ peptide bonds} \approx 5 \times 10^{10} \text{ ATP}$$

$$r_{\text{ATP synthesis}} \approx 300 \cdot \text{sec}^{-1} \cdot \text{synthase}^{-1} \quad \text{BNID: 114701}$$

$$N_{\text{ATP synthases}} \approx \frac{5 \times 10^{10} \text{ ATP}}{1 \text{ cell}} \times \frac{1 \text{ sec}}{300 \text{ ATP}} \times \frac{1 \text{ cell}}{6000 \text{ sec}} \approx 3 \times 10^4 \text{ synthetases}$$

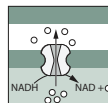
(B)

complexes per cell



(B)

maintenance of proton gradient



$$r_{\text{proton use for ATP synthesis}} \approx N_{\text{ATP synthases}} \times \frac{300 \text{ ATP}}{1 \text{ sec}} \times \frac{4 \text{ protons}}{1 \text{ ATP}} \approx 4 \times 10^7 \text{ protons} \cdot \text{sec}^{-1}$$

$$r_{\text{proton transport}} \approx 5000 \text{ protons} \cdot \text{sec}^{-1} \cdot \text{electron transport complex}^{-1}$$

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$$N_{\text{electron transport complexes}} \approx \frac{4 \times 10^7 \text{ protons}}{1 \text{ sec}} \times \frac{1 \text{ sec}}{5000 \text{ protons}} \approx 10^4 \text{ complexes}$$

complexes per cell

