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What ^{step involved} uric acid formation?

~~What is the role of uric acid?~~

Ans. Uric acid stone formation
Kidney stones can ~~microcrystals~~
form through deposit of
Sodium urate microcrystal
saturation level of uric
acidity (pH) = 5.6
Solubility in water: 6 mg/100ml
(at 20°C)

Chemical formula: $C_5H_4N_4O_3$

melting point: 300°C (572°F)

uric acid

Uric acid a heterocyclic

Compound of carbon hydrogen

oxygen and nitrogen with

its formula $C_5H_4N_4O_3$

it forms ions and

salts known as urates and

acid urates such as

ammonium acid urate

uric acid is a purine

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of the metabolic and it is a normal component of nucleotides and it component of uric acid. High blood concentration of uric acid can lead to gout and are associated with other medical conditions, including diabetes and the formation of a ammonium acid urate kidney stone.

xanthinase is an enzyme which catalyze the formation of uric acid from xanthinase and hypoxanthine which in turn are product from other purine. xanthinase and uricase is a large enzyme whose active site consists of the metal

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molybdenum bound to
sulfur and oxygen⁽¹⁰⁾
within cells xanthine oxidase
can exist as xanthine
dehydrogenase and xanthine
oxidoreductase which has
also been purified from
bovine milk and spleen
extract⁽¹¹⁾ uric acid is
released hypoxic conditions
(low oxygen saturation)⁽¹²⁾

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Q. How uric acid formation takes place in body? They can also be formed in the body when DNA is broken down when purine are broken down to uric acid in the blood the body gets rid of it when you urinate or have a bowel movement. But if your body makes too much uric acid or if your ~~body~~ body makes too much uric acid or if your kidneys aren't working well uric acid can build up in the blood.

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Learn about eight natural ways to lower uric acid levels. -

- (1) Limit purine-rich foods
- (2) Avoid drugs raise uric acid levels
- (3) maintain a healthy body weight
- (4) Drink coffee
- (5) eat more low purin food
- (6) try a vitamin C supplement
- (7) Avoid alcohol and sugar drinks
- (8) eat cherries

Symptoms :-

Symptoms of hyperuricemia you may have fever chills
Lethargy if you have (Gout) from cancer and your uric acid levels are elevated you may notice an inflammation of a joint. if the uric acid crystals deposit in one of your joints

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How many proteins are involved in electron transport chain and how do electrons move in the electron transport chain?

Ans. Electron transport and oxidative phosphorylation each turn of TCA cycle generate 3 NADH and 1 FADH₂.

each electron transport and oxidative phosphorylation occur in the mitochondria



energy from NADH can be used to synthesis of ATP several times.

Oxidative phosphorylation

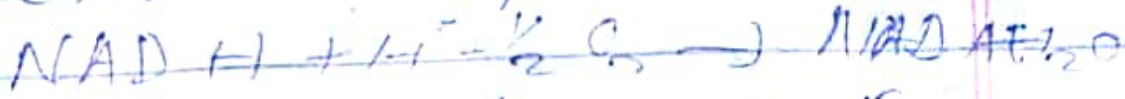
Oxidative phosphorylation

is the process by which

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The energy stored in NADH and FADH

oxidant step: ETC



phosphorylation step



ETC

ETC is made up of different complexes and contains electron

carriers. Each sequential

carrier in the ETC has

increasing reduction potential

greater affinity for electrons

and energy released during

the transfer used to transport

H⁺ across the inner

mitochondrial membrane against

electrochemical gradient

Complex I uses NADH to

reduce CoQ and then transfer

to electron carriers

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of Complex 3.

Complex 11 uses $FADH_2$ product for the conversion of Succinate to Fumarate in the CA cycle and also reduce CoQ which will transfer H^+ to cytochromes in Complex 2.

However that NADH generates energy than $FADH_2$ since 6 H^+ are moved into the intermembrane space.

Compared to H_2O_2 fed Complex 2.

$\frac{1}{2} O_2 \rightarrow \frac{1}{2} O_2 + 2e^-$
energy released in the H_2O_2

Electron transport via Complex 1, 3, 4 will be used to transport H^+ across the membrane and

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electron transport to O_2 to form water

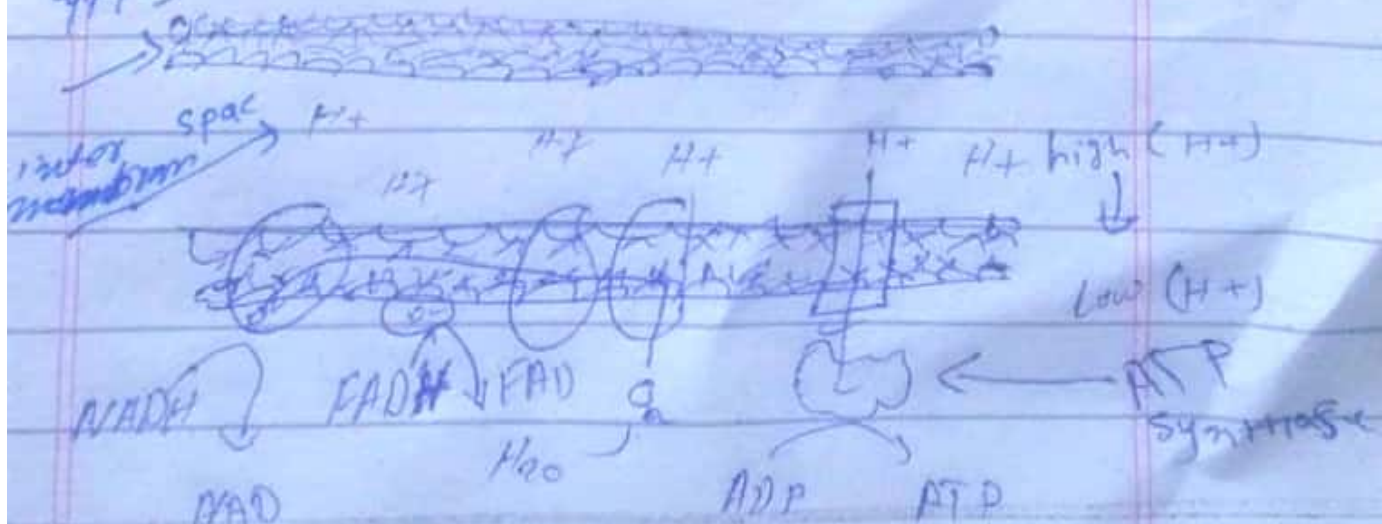
The Respiratory Complex are proton pumps

As electrons pass through Complex I, III and IV hydrogen ions are pumped

across the inner mitochondrial membrane into the intermembrane space

The Proton Concentration in the intermembrane space increase relative to the mitochondrial matrix with generation

a proton motive force



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Q write down the four steps involved in beta oxidation?

Ans Beta oxidation takes place in four steps. dehydrogenation hydration oxidation and thiolysis. Each step is catalyzed by a distinct enzyme. Briefly each cycle of this process begins with a acyl-CoA and ends with an acyl-CoA one FADH₂ one NADH and water and the acyl-CoA chain becomes two carbons shorter.

Dehydrogenation is - Step ①
In the first step acyl-CoA is oxidized by the enzyme acyl-CoA dehydrogenation. A double

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bond is found between
(C₁ and C₂) of the
acyl-CoA chain entering
the beta oxidation cycle
The end product of this
reaction is trans- Δ^2 -enoyl-
CoA (trans-delta 2-enoyl CoA)
the step uses FAD
and produces FADH₂
which will enter the
citric acid cycle and
form ATP to be used
as energy. Notice in the
following figure that
the carbon count starts
on the right side
the rightmost carbon
below the oxygen atom
is C₁, then C₂ on the
left forming a double
bond with C₃ and
so on.)

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Hydration Step - 2 :-

In the second step,

The double bond between C_2 and C_3 of trans- Δ^2 -enoyl-CoA is hydrated forming the end product

L- β -hydrated CoA, which has a hydroxyl group (OH) in place of the double bond. The reaction is

Catalyzed by another

enzyme: enoyl CoA hydratase. The step requires water.

Oxidation (step 3) :-

In the third step

the hydroxyl group C_2 of L- β -hydroxyacyl CoA is oxidized by

NAD⁺ in a reaction that

is catalyzed by β -

hydroxyacyl-CoA

dehydrogenase. The

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The end products are β -ketoacyl CoA and NADH + H. NADH will enter the Citric Acid cycle and produce ATP that will be used as energy.

Thiolysis Step (4) :-

Finally, in the fourth step, β -ketoacyl CoA is cleaved by a thiol group (SH) of another CoA molecule (CoA-SH). The enzyme that catalyzes this reaction is β -ketothiolase. The cleavage takes place between C₂ and C₃. Therefore, the end products are two acetyl-CoA molecules with the original two first carbons (C₁ and C₂) and a β -ketoacyl CoA chain two carbons shorter than the original β -ketoacyl CoA chain that entered the beta-oxidation cycle.

Q7 write down Clinical Significance of the following enzymes.
(a) Creatine Kinase (b) Gamma-glutamyl transferase
(c) Alkaline phosphatase?

Ans: Creatine Kinase :- (CK)

⇒ Is an enzyme found in the heart, brain, skeletal and other tissues. Increased amounts of CK are released into the blood when there is muscle damage. This test measures the amount of Creatine Kinase in the blood. The small amount of CK that is normally in the blood come from skeletal muscles. Any condition that causes muscle damage and interferes with muscle energy production or use can cause an increase in the muscle diseases caused by high level of CK.

⇒ CK-MB (Creatine Kinase-myocardial band) is an isoenzyme of CK, your muscle makes 3 forms of CK, including CK-MB.

CK is found in the heart, muscles and other organs. These include the small intestine, brain, and uterus. If you have a heart attack, injured heart muscle cells release CK-MB into your blood. Because many tissues contain CK, high levels of CK can be a sign of a wide range of problems. Higher CK-MB may point more directly to heart damage.

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(B) Gamma-glutamyl transferase (GGT) :-

The gamma-glutamyl transferase (GGT) test may be used to determine the cause of elevated alkaline phosphatase (ALP). Both "ALP" and "GGT" are elevated in disease of the bile ducts and in some liver diseases, but only "ALP" will be elevated in bone disease.

And bile also help in fat degradation but in the case of liver disease bile unable to perform its activity properly. Bile use fat's to make energy for body with the help of L-carnitine. L-carnitine ~~can~~ bind with body fat's and carries from belly or abdomen to liver where fat's degraded by bile juice.

(C) Alkaline Phosphatase "ALP".

"ALP" is an enzyme that found in the liver and bone and is important for breaking down proteins. Higher than normal level of "ALP" may indicate liver damage or disease, such as a blocked bile duct, or certain bone diseases.

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⇒ "ALP" helpful large protein molecules into amino acid. Amino acid is the unit of protein, so the breakdown of protein molecules is done by "Alkaline phosphatase" enzyme. In bone disease these enzyme are cause ~~many~~ malfunction. So that's why the bone disease occur. When in liver the "ALP" level decrease it cause blocking the duct's of liver and bile too.