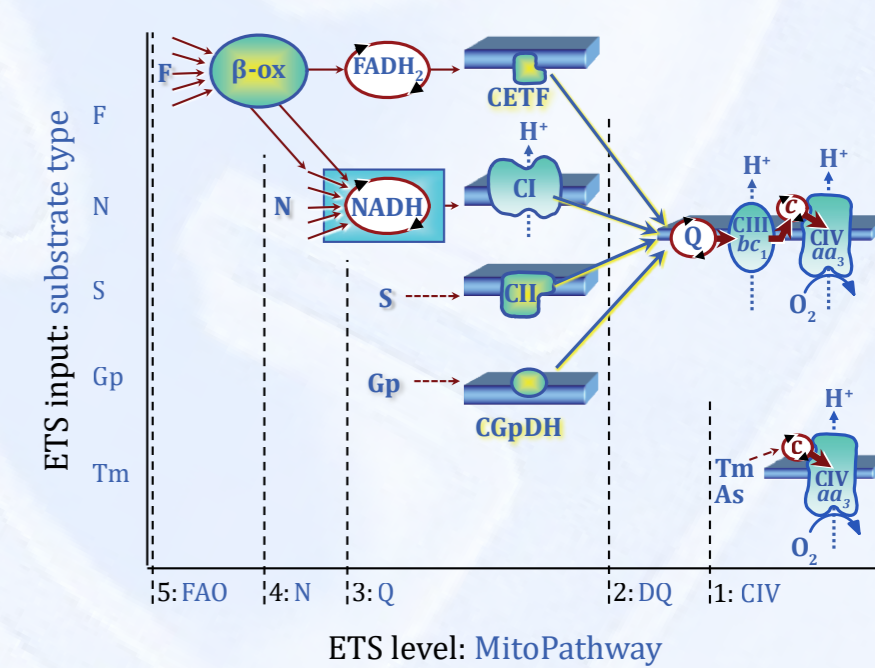
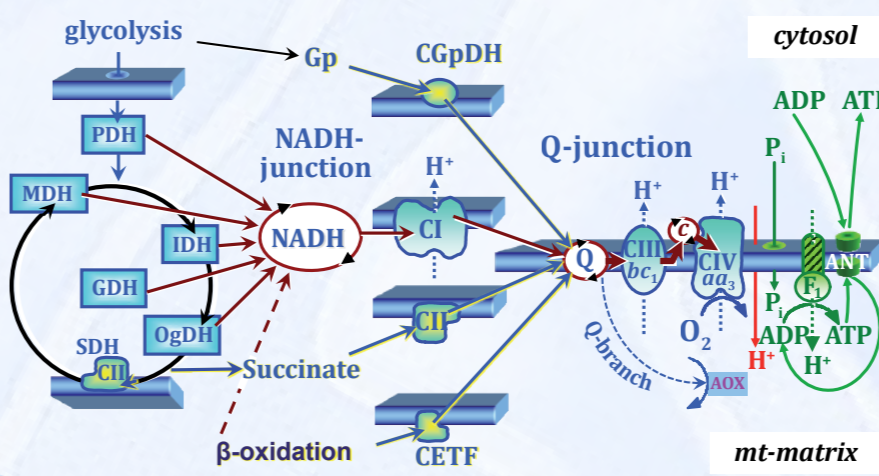
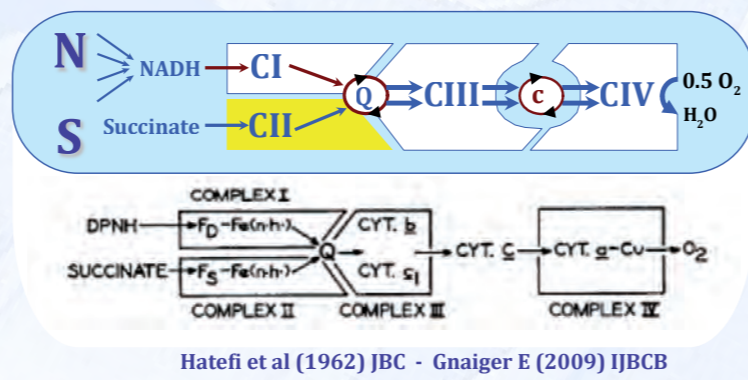


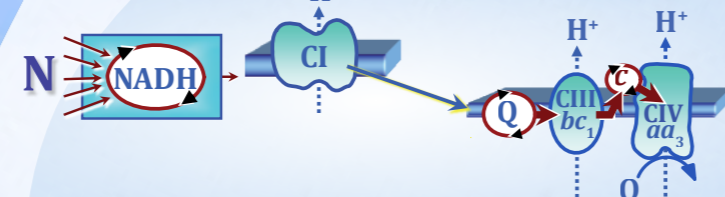
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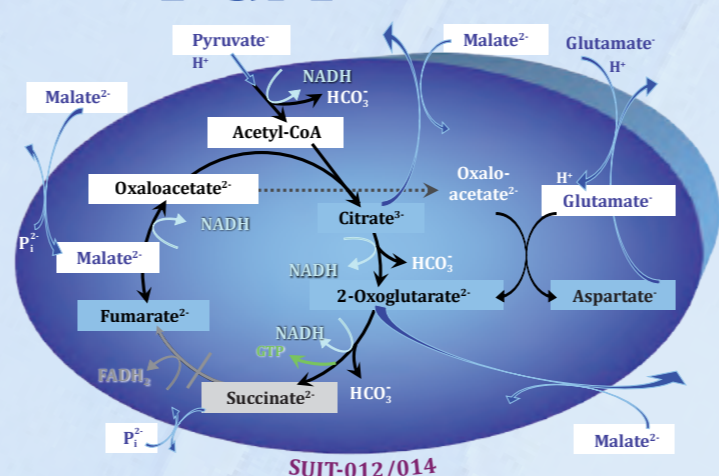


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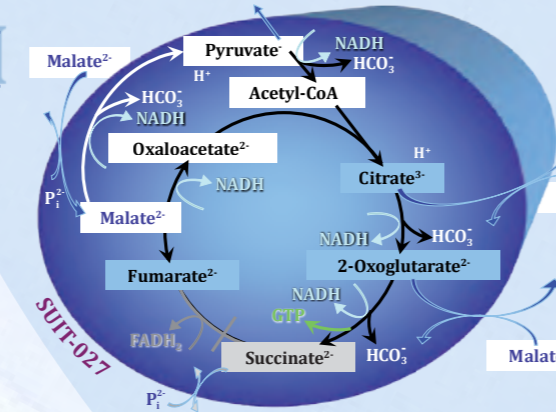
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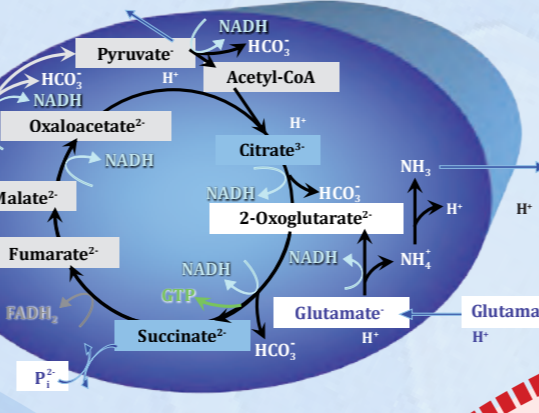
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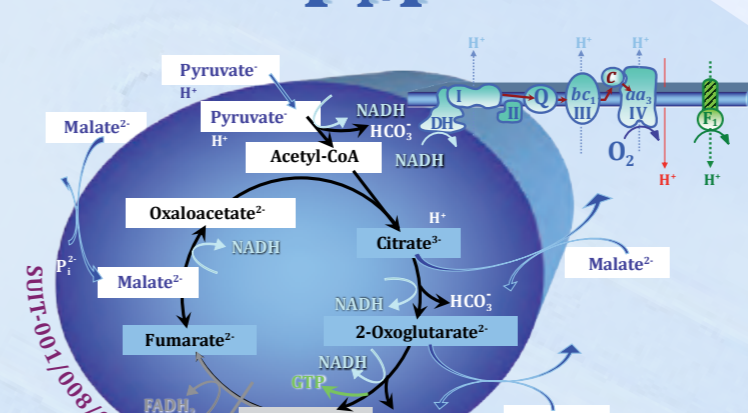
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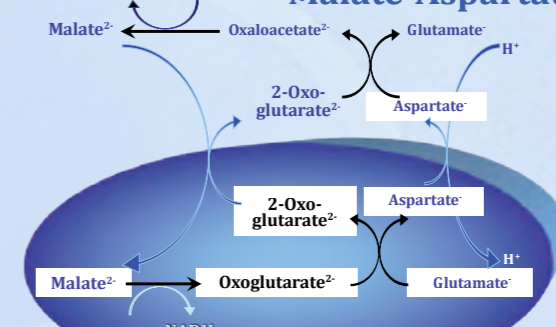
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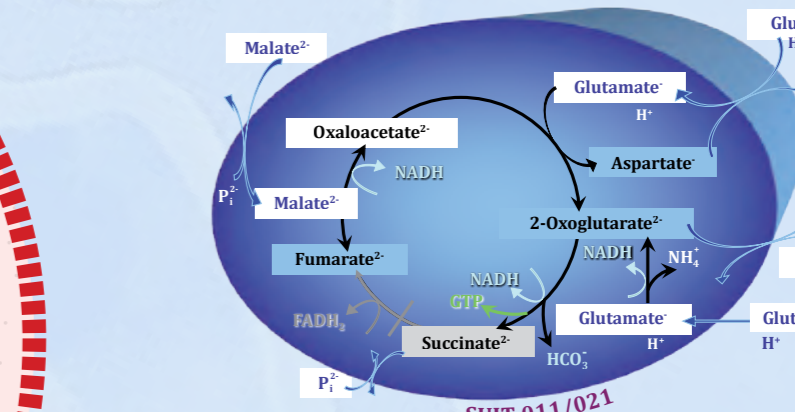
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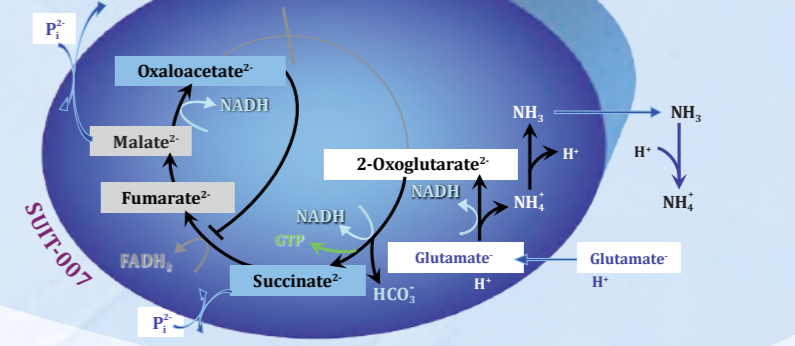
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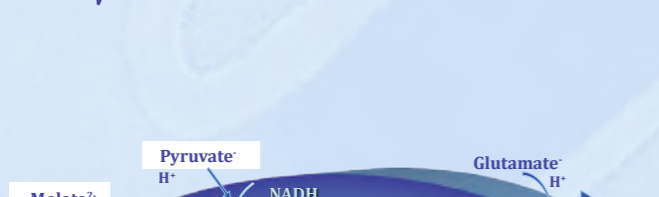
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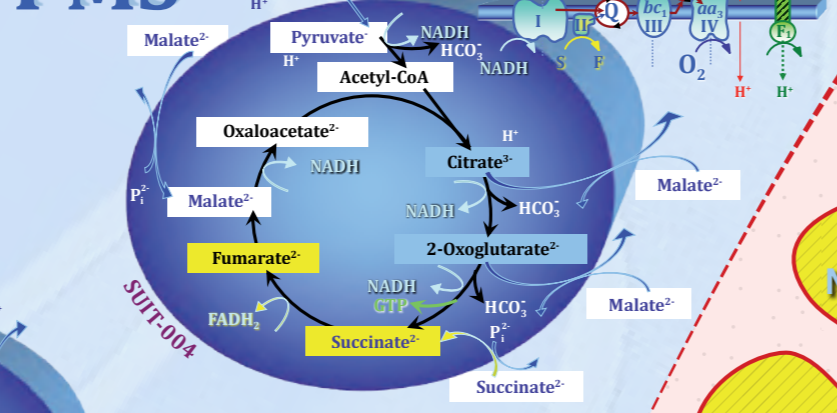
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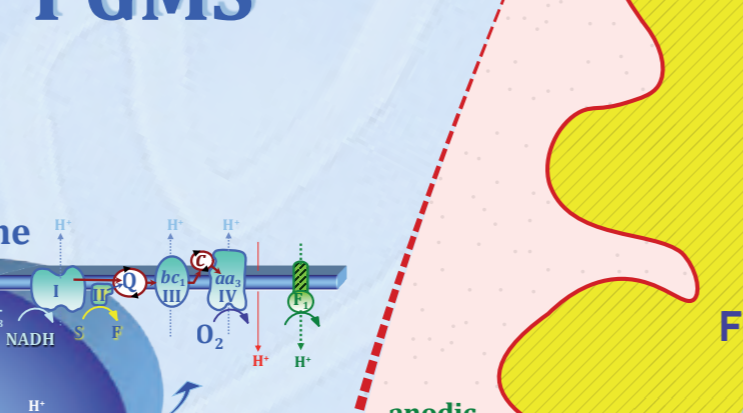
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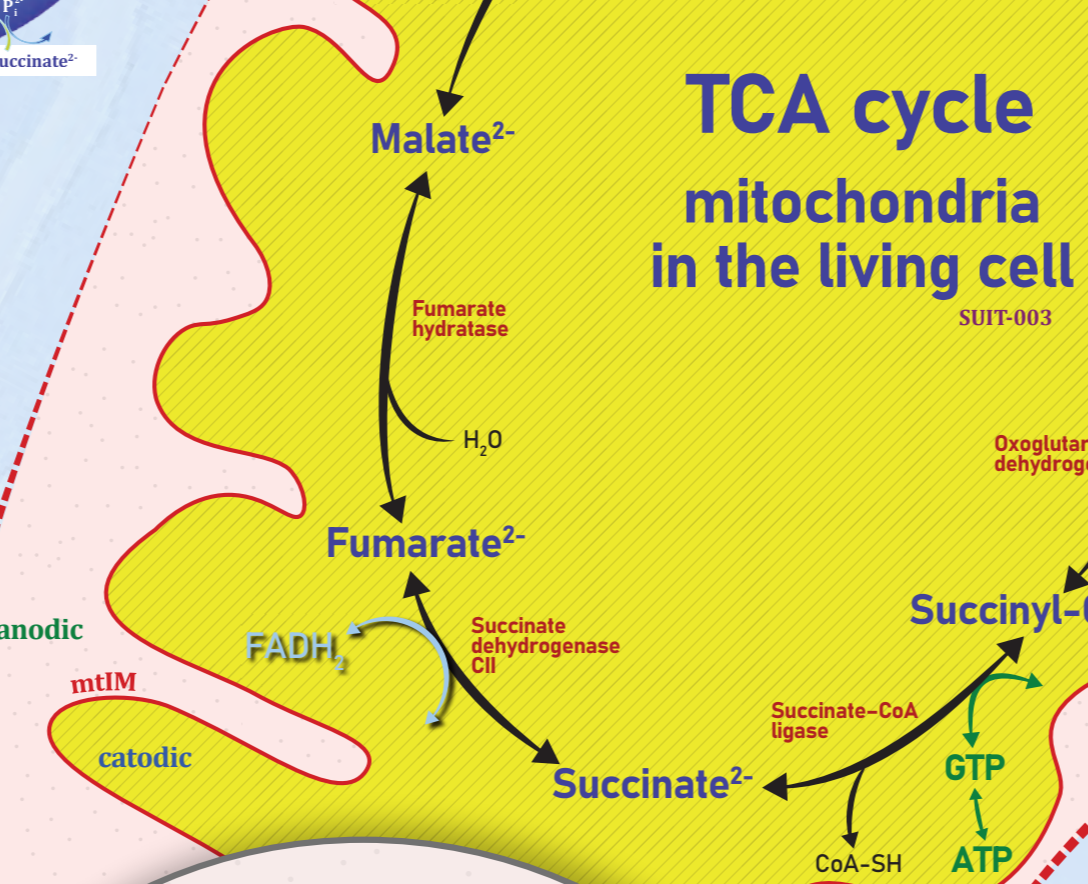
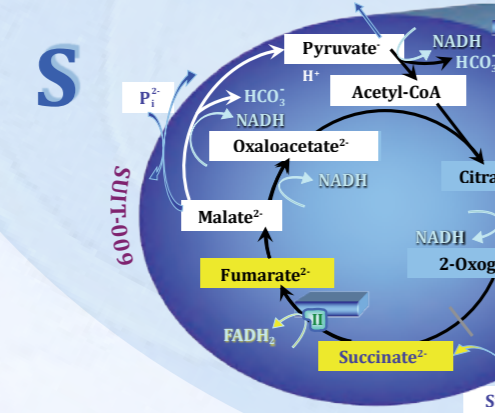
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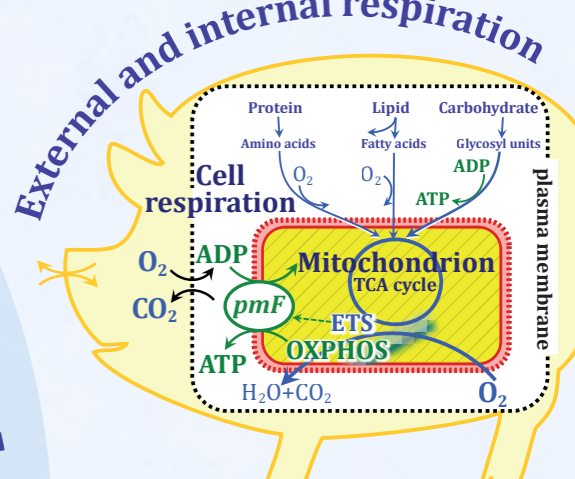
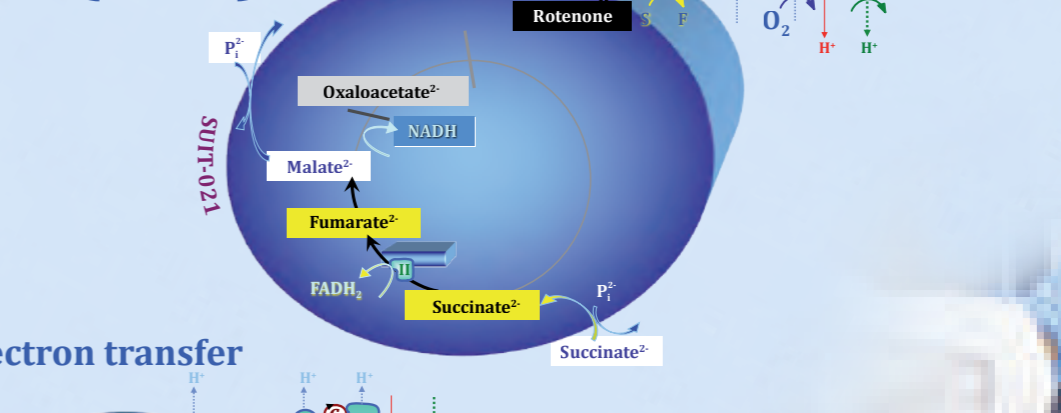
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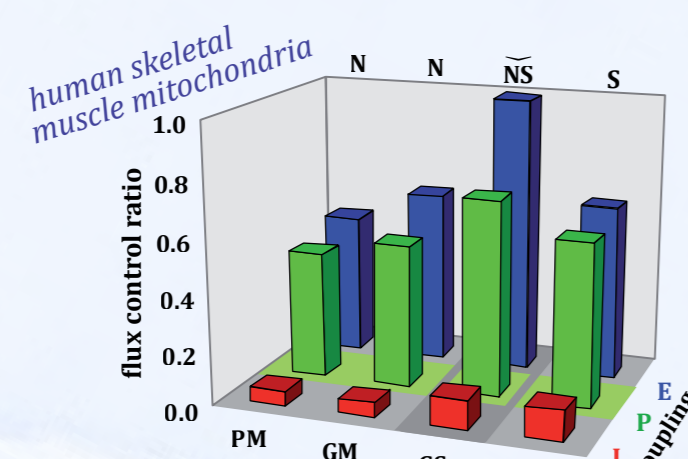
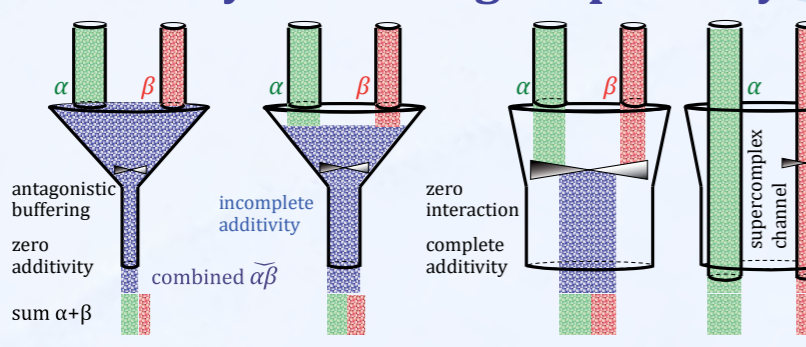
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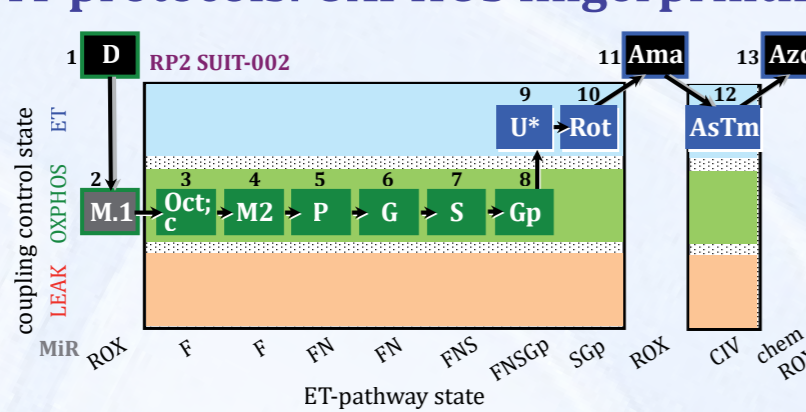
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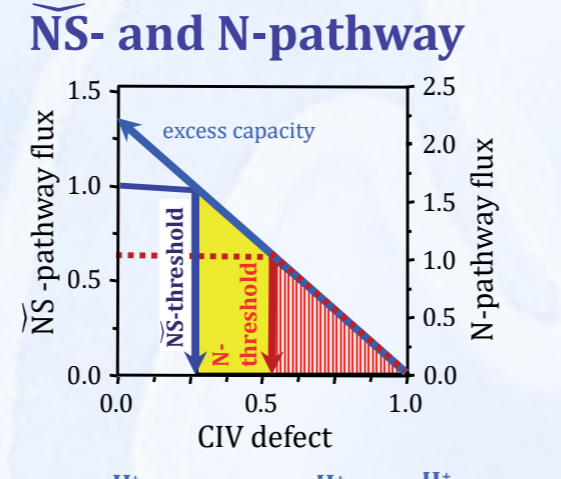
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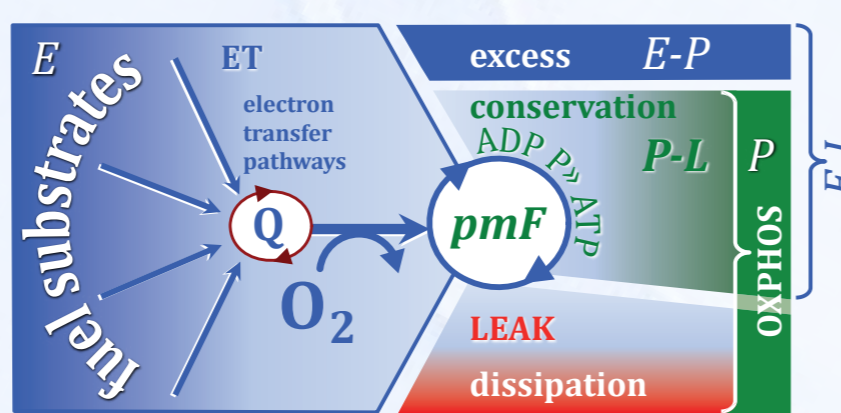
SUIT protocols: OXPHOS fingerprinting



Biochemical threshold: NS- and N-pathway



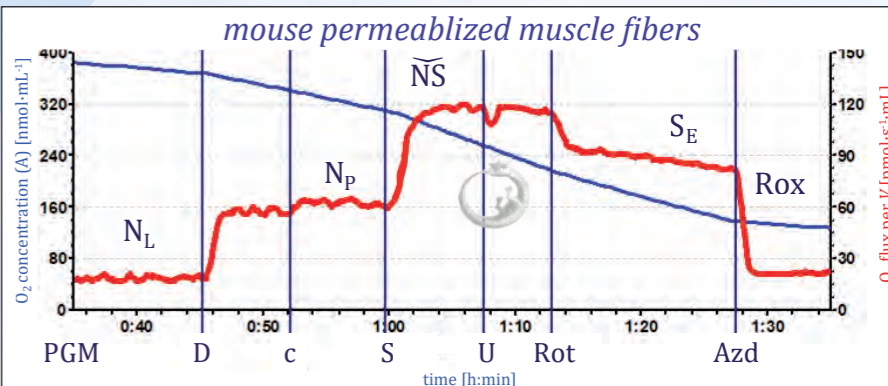
Coupling states and rates



Respiratory rates in coupling-control states

Symbol	Definition	mt-Preparations, ET-competent pathway states	Living cells, exogenous or endogenous substrates
J_{O_2} or J_{AO_2}	rate		
P	OXPHOS capacity, coupled, pmF supports J_p	saturation ADP and P_p , or J_{max} from ADP kinetics	can saturating [ADP] and [P] be achieved?
R	ROUTINE respiration, physiological control of energy turnover in the range from L to P , variable pmF	limiting steady-state ADP levels simulating ROUTINE respiration above L and below P	physiological control of cellular substrate uptake, intermediary metabolism and energy turnover
E	ET capacity, electron transfer capacity, uncoupled, very low pmF	optimal uncoupler concentration for maximum respiration	optimal uncoupler concentration for maximum respiration
L	LEAK respiration, non-phosphorylating, maximum pmF	$L(N)$ and $L(Omy)$; general; $L(T)$; excluding ATPase activity	$L(Omy)$
Rox	residual oxygen consumption	substrate depletion, or inhibition of CI to CIV	
Rox	consumption	collapsed or driven by reverse F-ATPase	

High-resolution respirometry



SUIT protocol and chemicals

Substrates	Event	Concentration in syringe (solvent)	Storage [°C]	Final conc. in 2 mL	Titration [μL]	Syringe [μL]
Pyruvate	P	2 M (H ₂ O)	fresh	5 mM	5	25
Glutamate	G	2 M (H ₂ O)	fresh	10 mM	10	25
Malate	M	0.4 M (H ₂ O)	-20	2 mM	10	25
Malate	M	0.05 M (H ₂ O)	-20	0.1 mM	4	10
Succinate	S	1 M (H ₂ O)	-20	10 mM	20	50
Octanoylcarbamate	Oct	0.1 M (H ₂ O or DMSO)	-20	0.5 mM	10	25
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Glycerophosphate	Gp	1 M (H ₂ O)	-20	10 mM	20	50
Aspartate	As	0.8 M (H ₂ O)	-20	2 mM	5	25
TMPD	Tm	0.2 M (H ₂ O)	-20	0.5 mM	5	25
Cyt. c	C	4 mM (H ₂ O)	-20	10 mM	5	25
ADP+ Mg ²⁺	D	0.5 M (H ₂ O)	-80	1 - 5 mM	4 - 20	25
ATP+ Mg ²⁺	T	0.5 M (H ₂ O)	-80	1 - 5 mM	4 - 20	25
Uncoupler						
CCCP	U	0.1 mM (EtOH)	-20	0.05 μM step	1 μL step	10
CCCP	U	1.0 mM (EtOH)	-20	0.5 μM step	1 μL step	10
Inhibitors						
Rotenone	Rot	1 mM (EtOH)	-20	0.5 μM	1	10
Malonic acid	Mna	2 M (H ₂ O)	fresh	5 mM	5	25
Antimycin A	Aa	5 mM (EtOH)	-20	2.5 μM	1	10
Mycinolide	Myx	1 mM (EtOH)	-20	0.5 μM	1	10
Sodium azide	Az	4 M (H ₂ O)	-20	±100 mM	±50	100
KCN	Kcn	0.5 M (H ₂ O)	fresh	3.0 mM	4	10
Oligomycin	Omy	0.01 mM (EtOH)	-20	5 - 10 μM	1 - 2	10
Carboxyatractylide	Car	2 mM (H ₂ O)	-20	1 - 5 mM	1 - 5	10
Other						
Digitonin	Dig	10 mg/mL (DMSO)	-20	10 μg/Mxcells	1 μL/Mx	10
Catalase in MIR06	Cl	112 000 U/mL	-20	280 U/mL	5	25
H ₂ O ₂ for reoxygenation	Hp	200 mM	fresh		1 - 3	10

*0.1 mM stock for mt-preparations with high uncoupler sensitivity; 1 mM stock for mt-preparations with low uncoupler sensitivity; living cells in various culture media (e.g. RPMI, DMEM, BCC) and for T192c.
SUIT symbols have evolved for laboratory practice with the requirement to keep abbreviations short. They are not intended for use outside the SUIT framework.
Caution: When using the O2k-V-Module (small-volume O2k-Chamber: 0.5 mL), titration volumes and stock concentrations have to be adjusted.

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