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CHAPTER (3): Growth

* Growth cycle

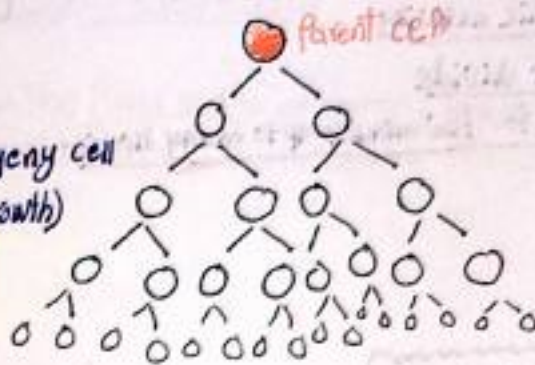
* bacteria reproduce by: binary fission

* binary fission: Parent cell divides to form 2 progeny cell

* bacteria undergo: exponential growth (logarithmic growth)

No. of cell: 1 2 4 8 16 32 64

Exponential: 2^0 2^1 2^2 2^3 2^4 2^5 2^6
generation



* 1 bacteria with produce $2^4 = 16$ bacteria after 4 generation.

* doubling time (generation) time of bacteria ranges from as

* little as 20 minutes E. coli

* to as long as 18 hours for mycobacterium tuberculosis

* Clostridium perfringens 10 minutes → one of the fastest bacteria

* Pyrifera → fastest bacteria (fastest growing bacteria in the world)

* M. leprae longest known generation time of about 14 days

mycobacterium

* Slow growth bacteria has less mutation

* Antibiotic resistance more in fast growing bacteria

* Short doubling (generation) time due to → produce large number of bacteria.

* Example

E. coli will produce over 1000 progeny in about 3 hours

over 1000 000 in about 7 hours

* doubling time varies from bacteria to another parts

A) Species

B) amount of nutrients

C) Temperature

D) pH

E) environmental factor

* The growth cycle of bacteria has 4 major phases:

A) lag phase lag phase

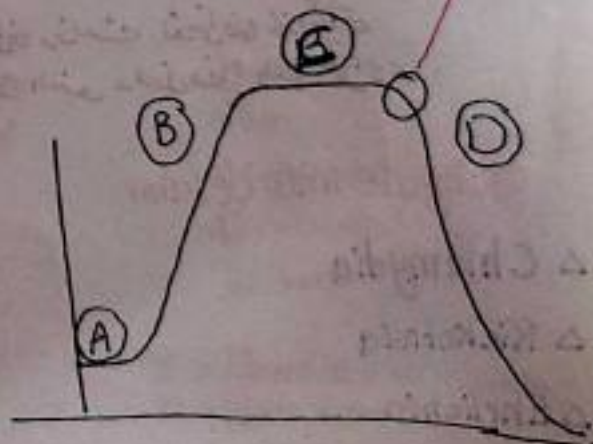
B) log, exponential (logarithmic) growth phase

C) stationary phase

D) Death phase (logarithmic decline)

Toxins

* late stationary
* early death



Growth cycle:

1 log phase

* metabolic activity

* cell not divide

* can last for few minutes up to many hours.

3 Stationary phase

* nutrient depletion

* product such as toxic

* No. of new cell = No. of die cells

[steady state]

* [chemostat]

→ apparatus

→ nutrients

waste

ويعمل البكتريا في

log phase

و ينتج في مرحلة على

stationary phase

2 log (logarithmic) phase (exponential phase)

* rapid cell division

* many antibiotics are most efficacious [penicillin]

→ because they act by disrupting biosynthesis processes carried out by bacterial cell during active growth

لذلك تعمل من خلال تعطيل عمليات التخليق الحيوي التي تقوم بها الخلية البكتيرية أثناء النمو.

* (هي أكثر منطقة لنجاح البكتريا)

4 Death phase

(decline phase)

marked by decline in the number of viable bacteria.

* Obligate intracellular growth

bacterial

* most pathogens of humans are capable of growing on: artificial media in the clinical laboratory

* Artificial: the medium is composed of purified chemical such as A) sugar B) amino acid C) salt (NaCl)

* غالباً ما يضاف الدم على سطح دم الحمار و ذلك لتوفير غذائهم و ليس لأن البكتريا تحتاج الى النمو داخل خلايا الدم الحمراء.

Obligate intracellular

Δ Chlamydia

Δ Rickettsia

Δ Ehrlichia

Δ Anaplasma

سبب المنفعة

* لديهم لا يستطيعون إنتاج

ATP بكمية كافية فذلك

يضعوا داخل الخلية عشان

يستخدموا الـ ATP الذي

تنتجه الخلية.

Aerobic + Anaerobic Growth

* supply of oxygen enhances metabolism and Growth

* The oxygen act as Hydrogen acceptor in the final steps of energy production
Catalyzed by flavoproteins, cytochromes because the use of oxygen generate 2 toxic molecules:

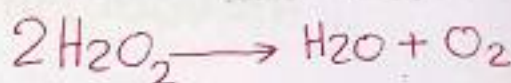
- A) Hydrogen peroxide (H_2O_2)
- B) Free radical superoxide (O_2^-)

* Bacteria require 2 enzymes to detoxify these molecules when oxygen is used.

A) Superoxide dismutase $\rightarrow$ catalyzes the following reaction



B) Catalase $\rightarrow$ catalyzes the following reaction



oxygen is an important criterion for
Classifying bacteria

O_2
Obligate aerobes

- * require oxygen because its
- * ATP generation system dependent on oxygen as a hydrogen acceptor

DL2

* Mycobacterium tuberculosis
(M. tuberculosis)

* B. Chlamidia

* Rickettsia

$O_2 \times$
Facultative anaerobes

- * use oxygen if present to generate energy by respiration

- * Can use fermentation pathway to synthesis in the absence of sufficient oxygen

DL2

* E. coli

Microaerophilic
Need to live in low O_2

Aerotolerant Anaerobe

- * Don't O_2 but can tolerate it
- * has dismutase or catalase

$O_2 \times$
obligate anaerobes

- * cannot grow in the presence of oxygen

$\downarrow$
because they lack either

- A) superoxide dismutase
- B) catalase
- or both.

* different in their response to oxygen exposure

Some can survive but are not able to grow

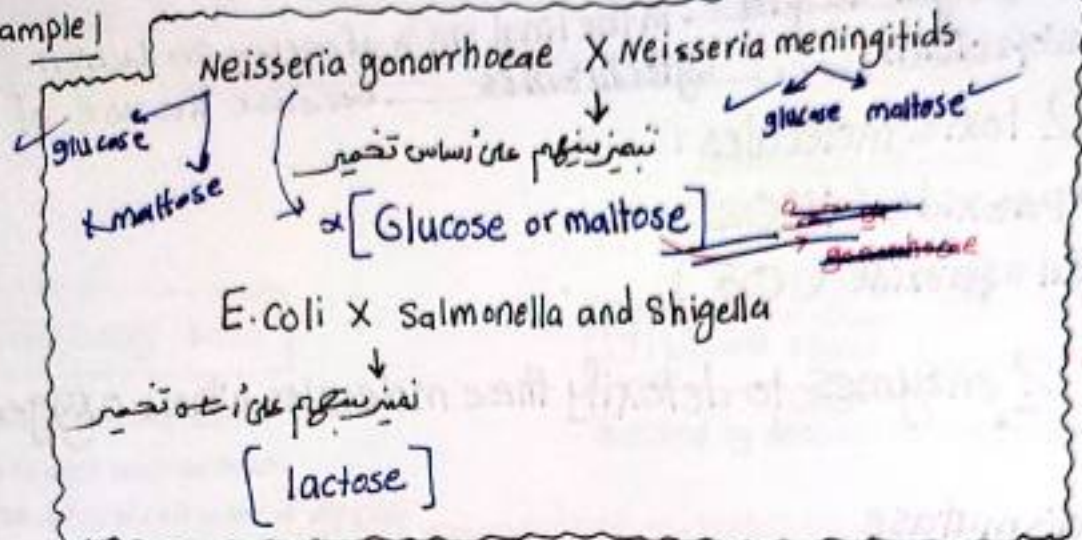
$\rightarrow$ others are killed rapidly

DL2

Clostridium tetani

→ important in clinical microbiology Pathogens is ... sugar

Example 1



Fermentation mean → Break down of sugar (glucose - maltose - galactose) To pyruvic acid and then usually to lactic acid
 (glycolytic) sugar → pyruvic acid → lactic acid

Notes

- 1 Fermentation called **glycolytic**
- 2 glyco mean **sugar** and lytic mean **break down**
- 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ lactose is a **disaccharide** composed of **glucose** + **galactose** so you should be cleaved by **β galactosidase** in E. coli before Fermentation can occur.

Fermentation ← هي العملية التي يتقوم فيها Facultative bacteria بتوليد الطاقة من غياب O_2

Krebs cycle

* في حال وجود O_2 يدخل Pyruvate الناتج من Fermentation في دورة **Krebs cycle = oxidation cycle = tricarboxylic acid cycle** وبعدها metabolize وينتج $CO_2 + H_2O$

* **Krebs cycle** ينتج طاقة < من **glycolytic cycle**

لذلك Facultative bacteria تنمو **faster** في وجود O_2

* **Facultative** + **aerobic** ← يعمل الهم Fermentation ولكنه
 * **anaerobic** aerobes which can only grow in presence O_2
 لا يتنفس
Pseudomonas aeruginosa

[على سبيل المثال]

- * Sugar is fermented in the presence of phenol red (indicator) the pH becomes acidic — the medium turns yellow
- * Sugar Not fermented → no acid is produced + phenol red remains Red.

* Iron metabolism

- * Iron in the form of Ferric ion (Fe^{+3})
- * Fe^{+3}
 - Required for the growth of bacteria.
 - essential component of cytochromes + other enzymes.
- * amount of iron available for pathogenic bacteria in human body is very low because the iron is sequestered in iron binding protein such as Transferrin.

To obtain iron for their growth, bacteria produce iron binding compound called Siderophores
حاملات الحديد

siderophores → such as Enterobactin → Produced by *E. coli*

- secreted by bacteria
- تلتصق capture iron by مستقبل chelating it → then attach to specific receptors on the bacterial surface and are → actively transported into → cell → where the iron becomes available for use.

