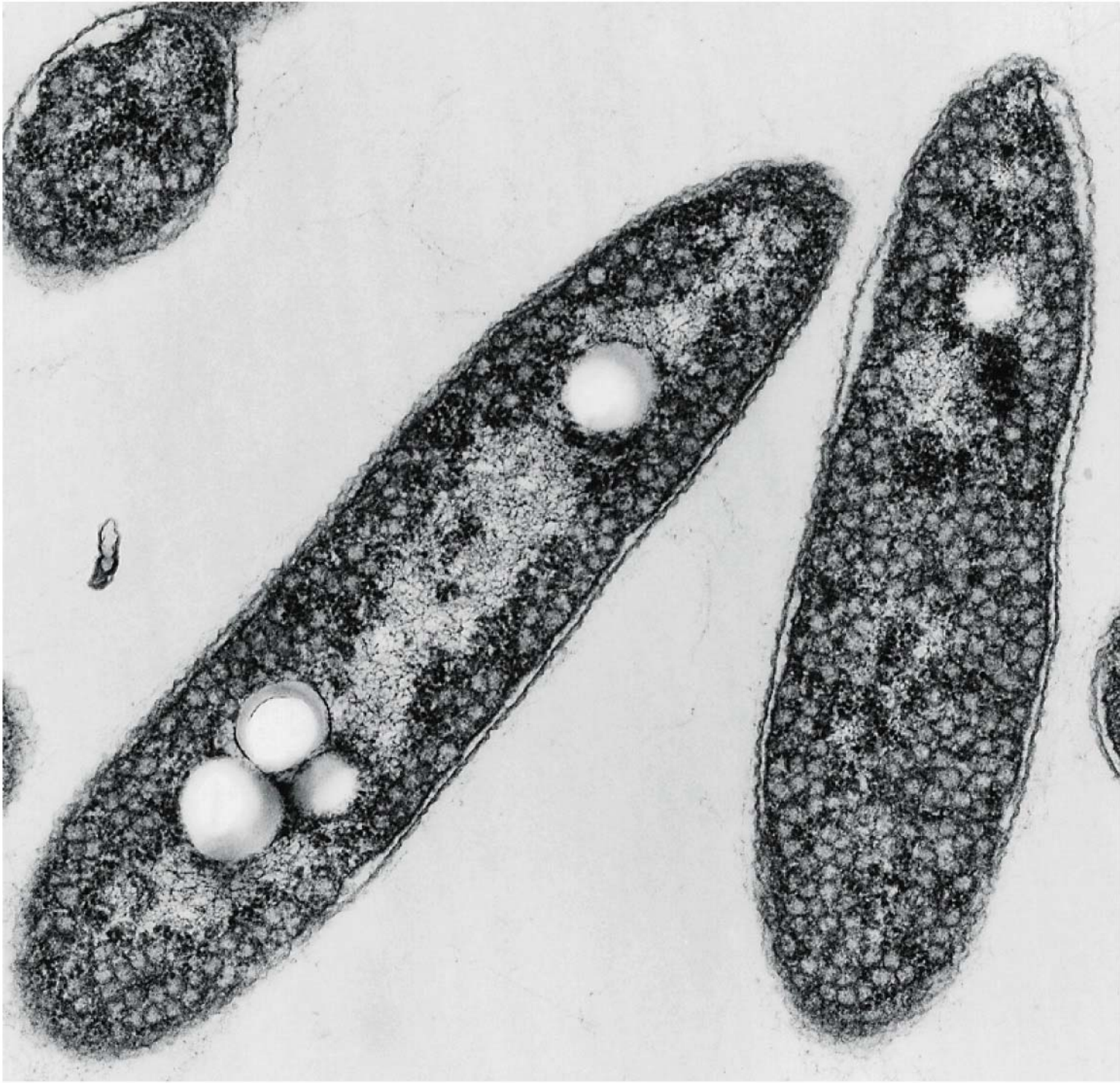


PHOTOTROPHS
(use light
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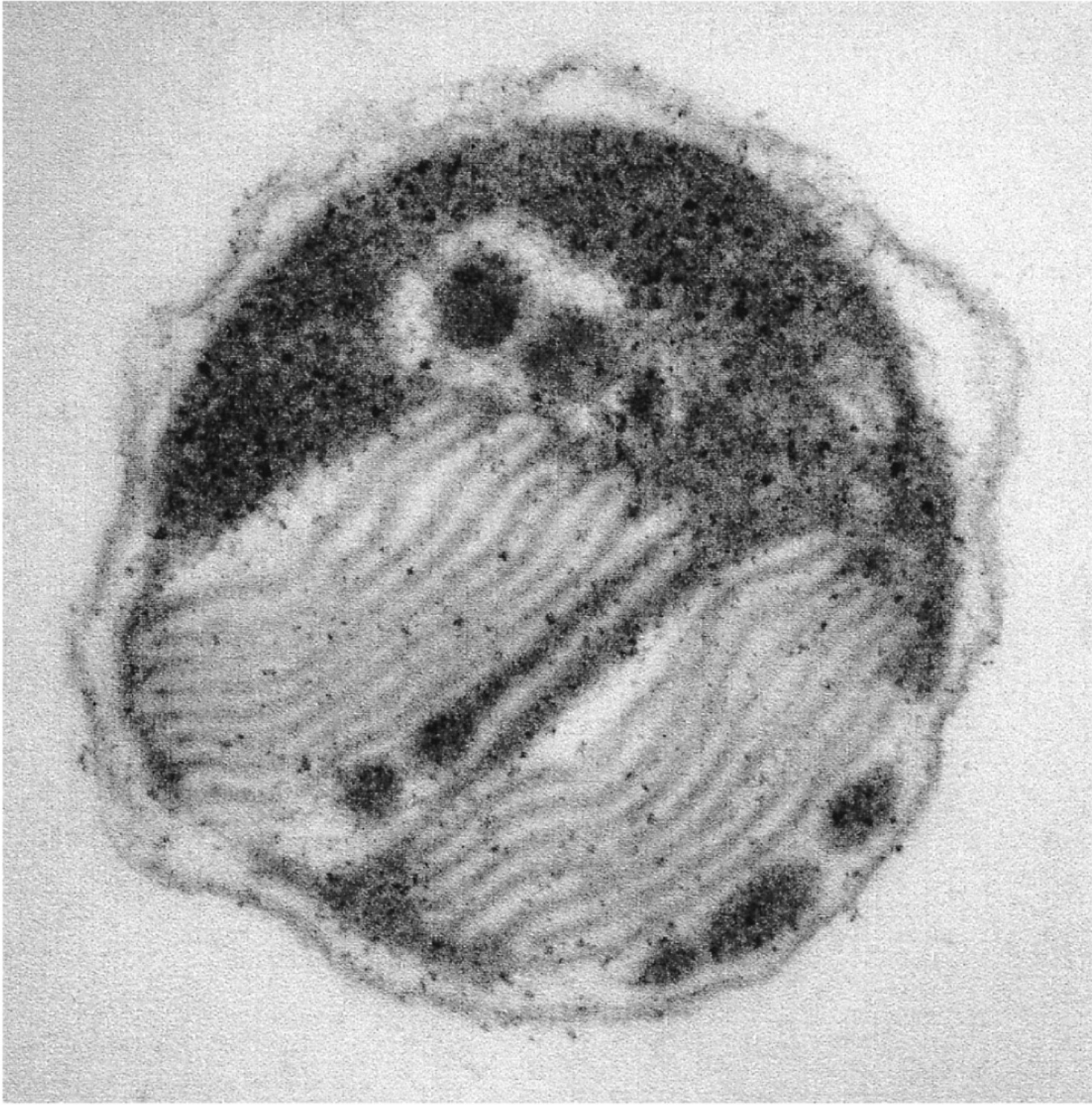
Photoautotrophs
C=CO₂

Photoheterotrophs
C=Organic



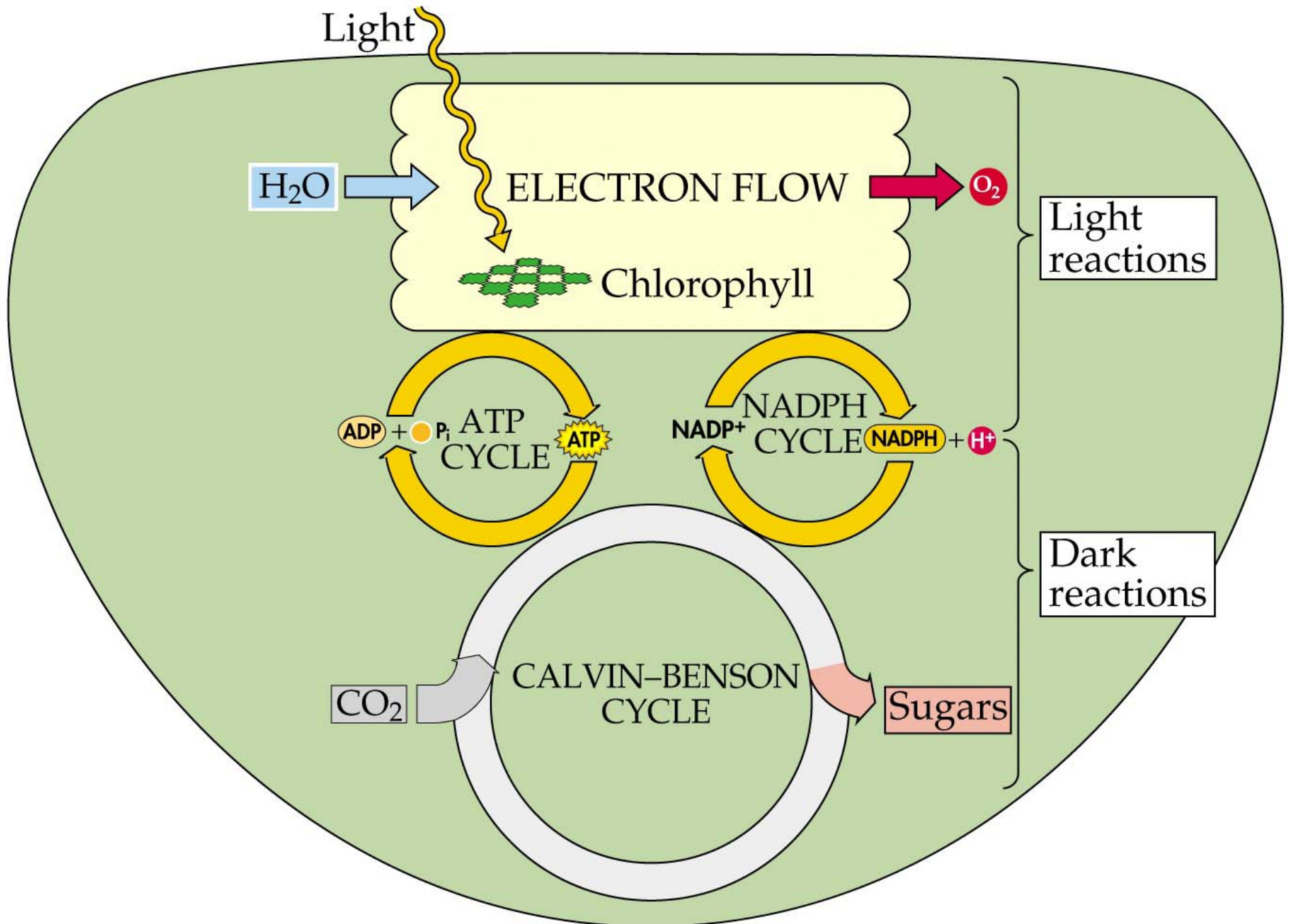
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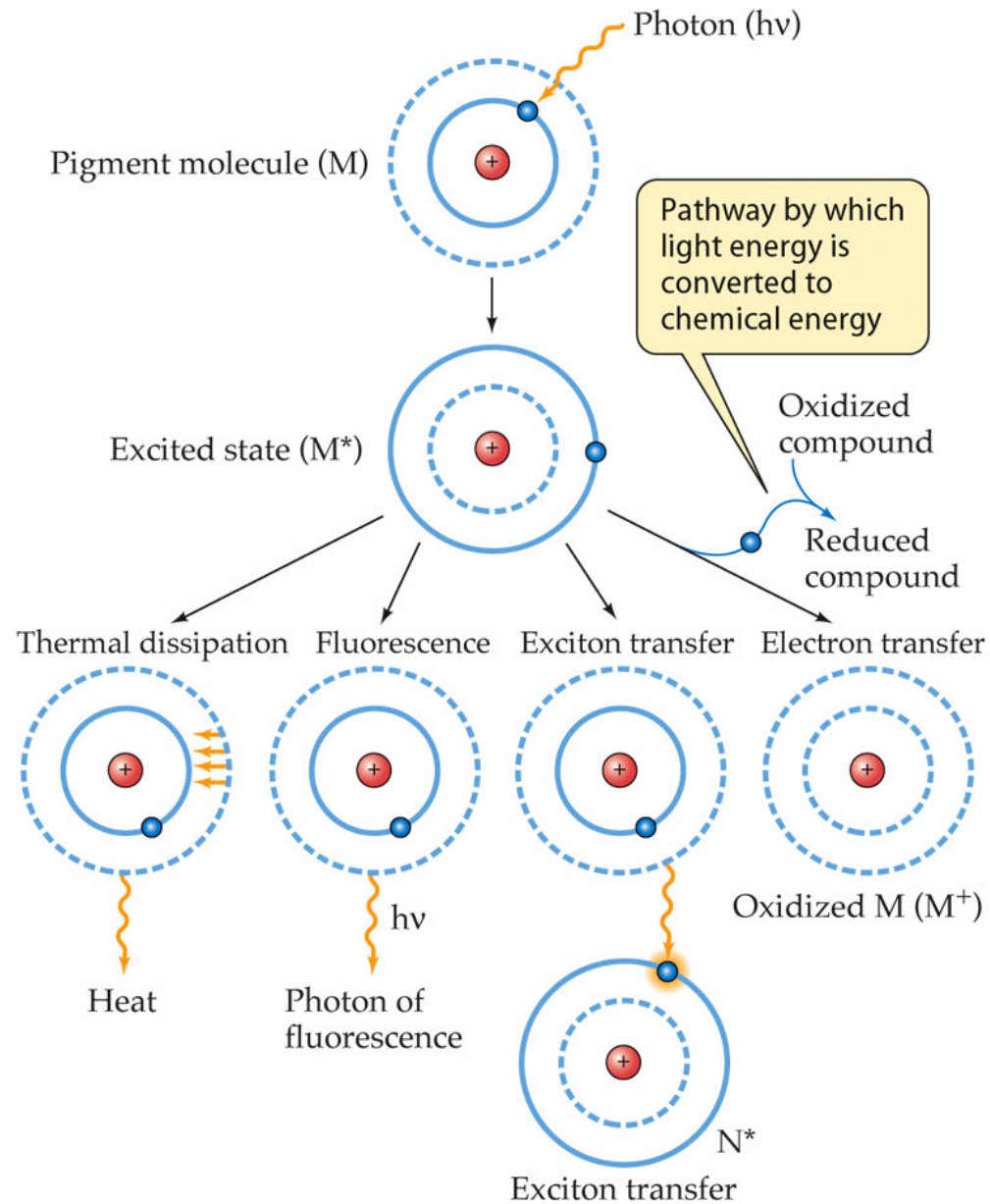


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The possible fates of an excited electron

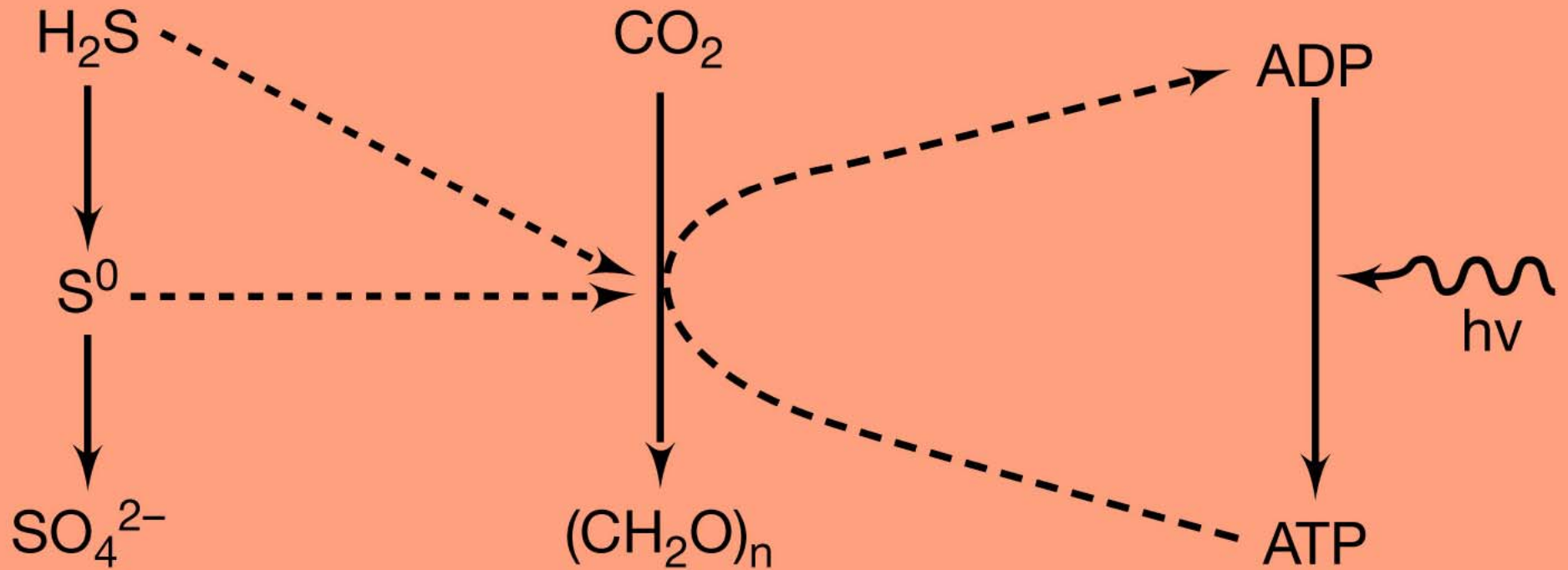


Anoxygenic

Reducing power

Carbon

Energy

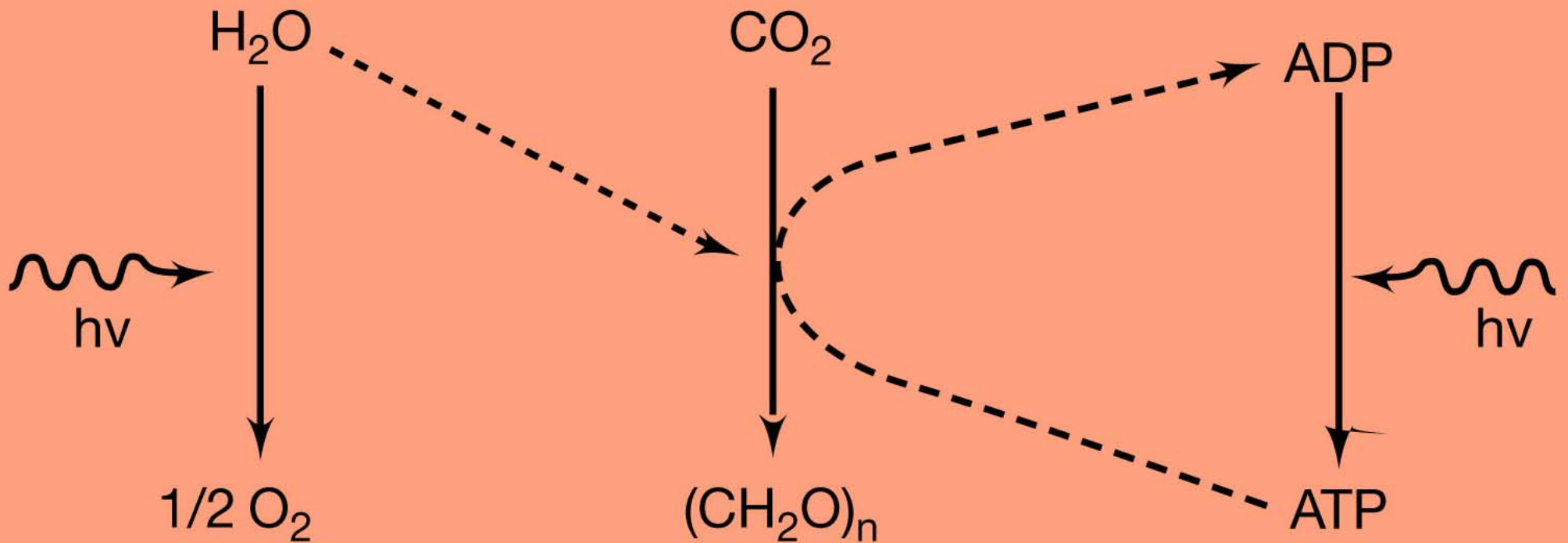


Oxygenic

Reducing power

Carbon

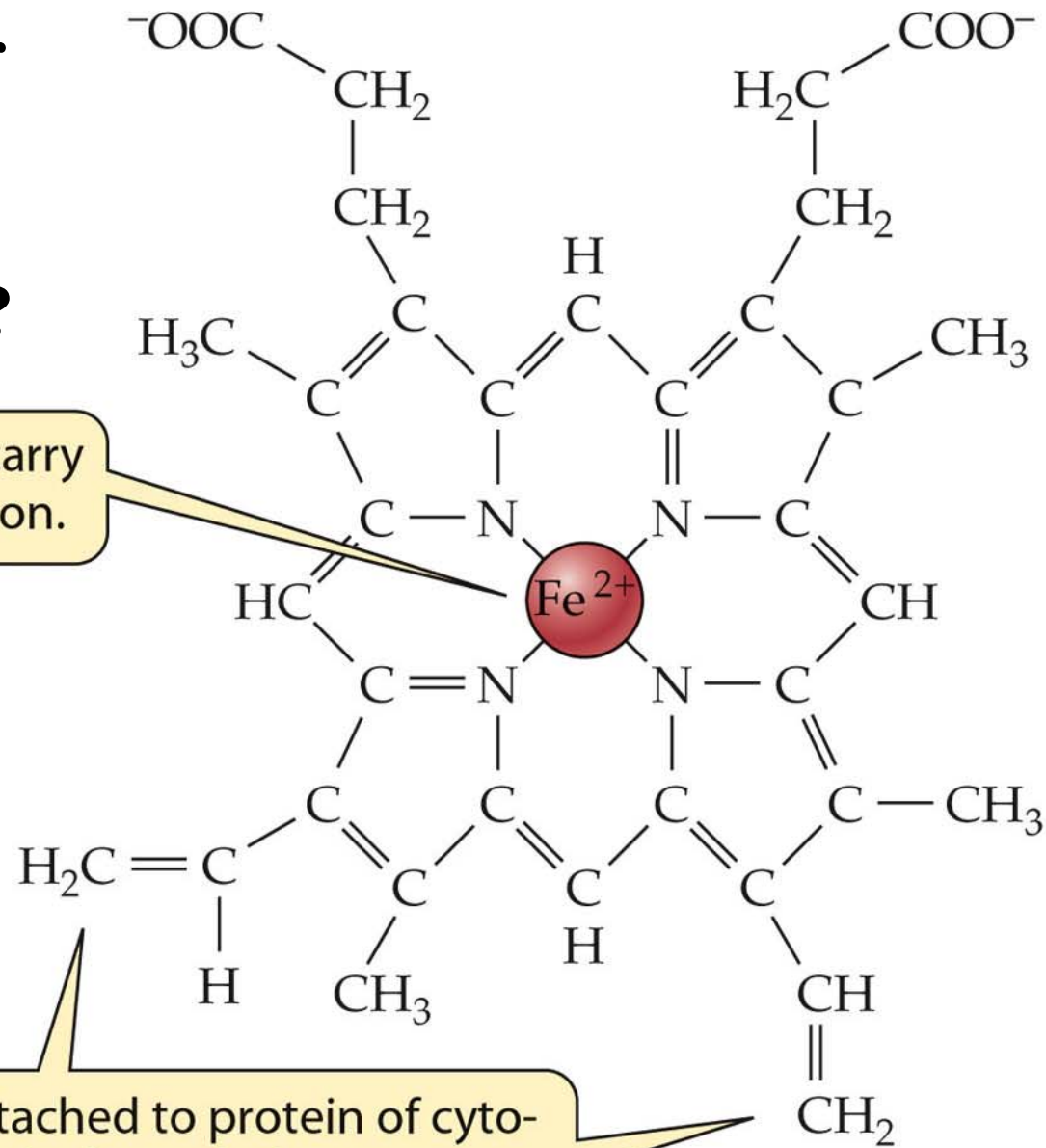
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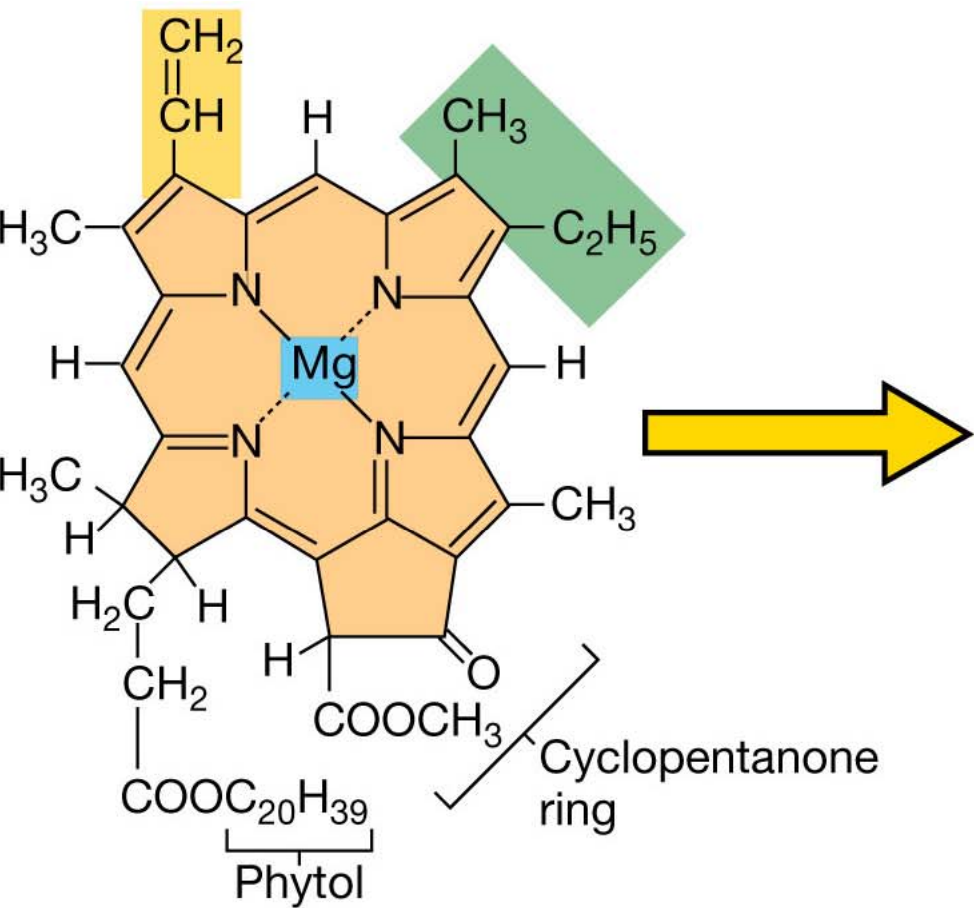
Porphyrin ring with an Fe center

What about an Mg or Co center?

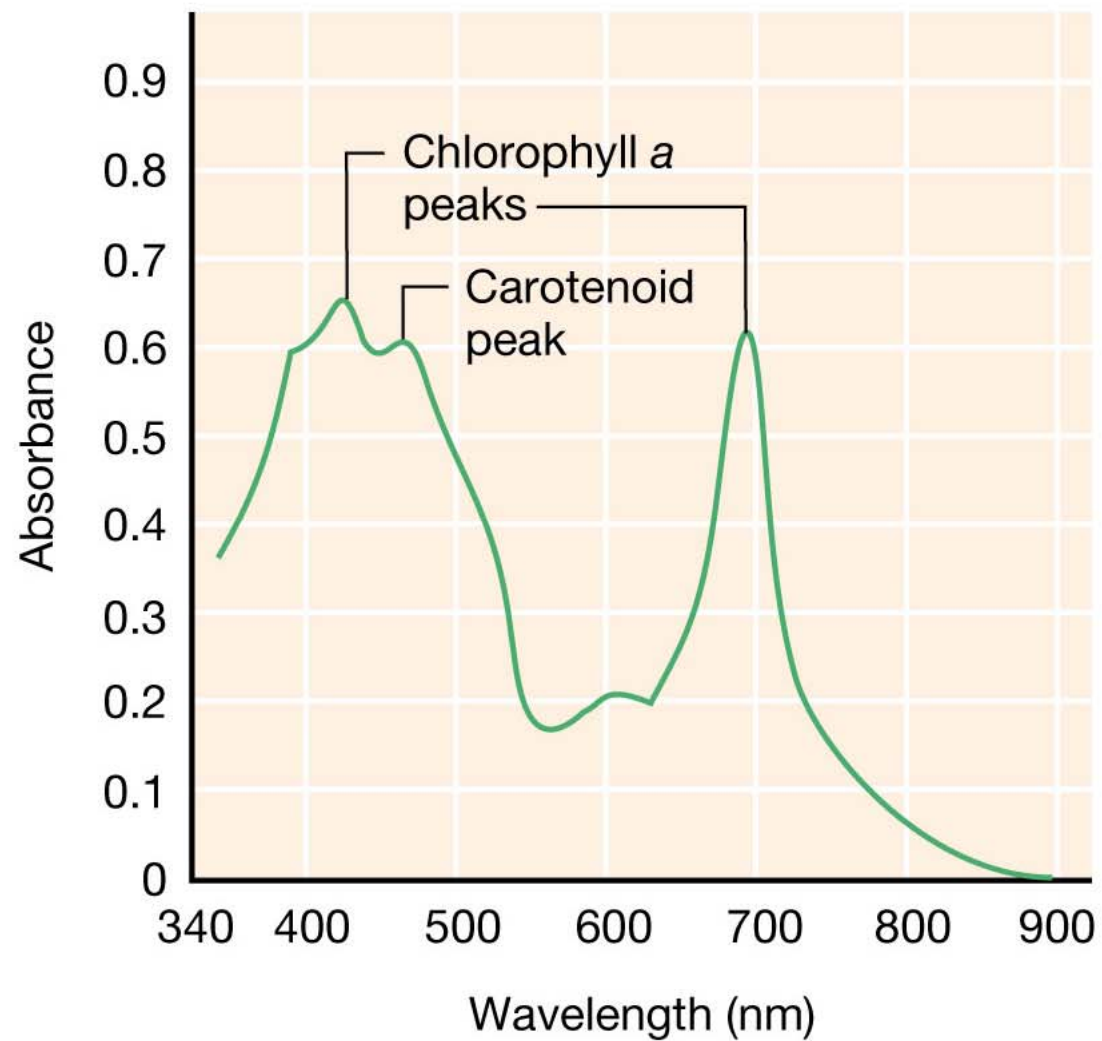
The iron can carry
a single electron.

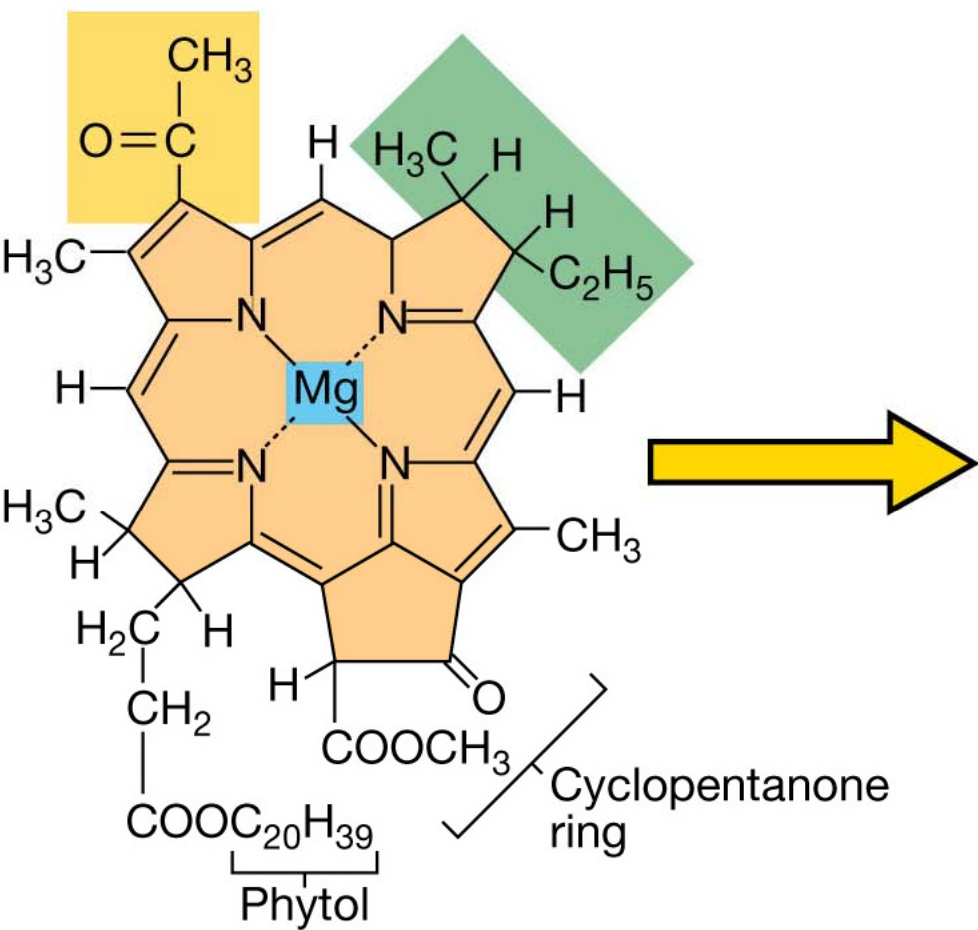


The heme is attached to protein of cytochrome molecule through these groups.

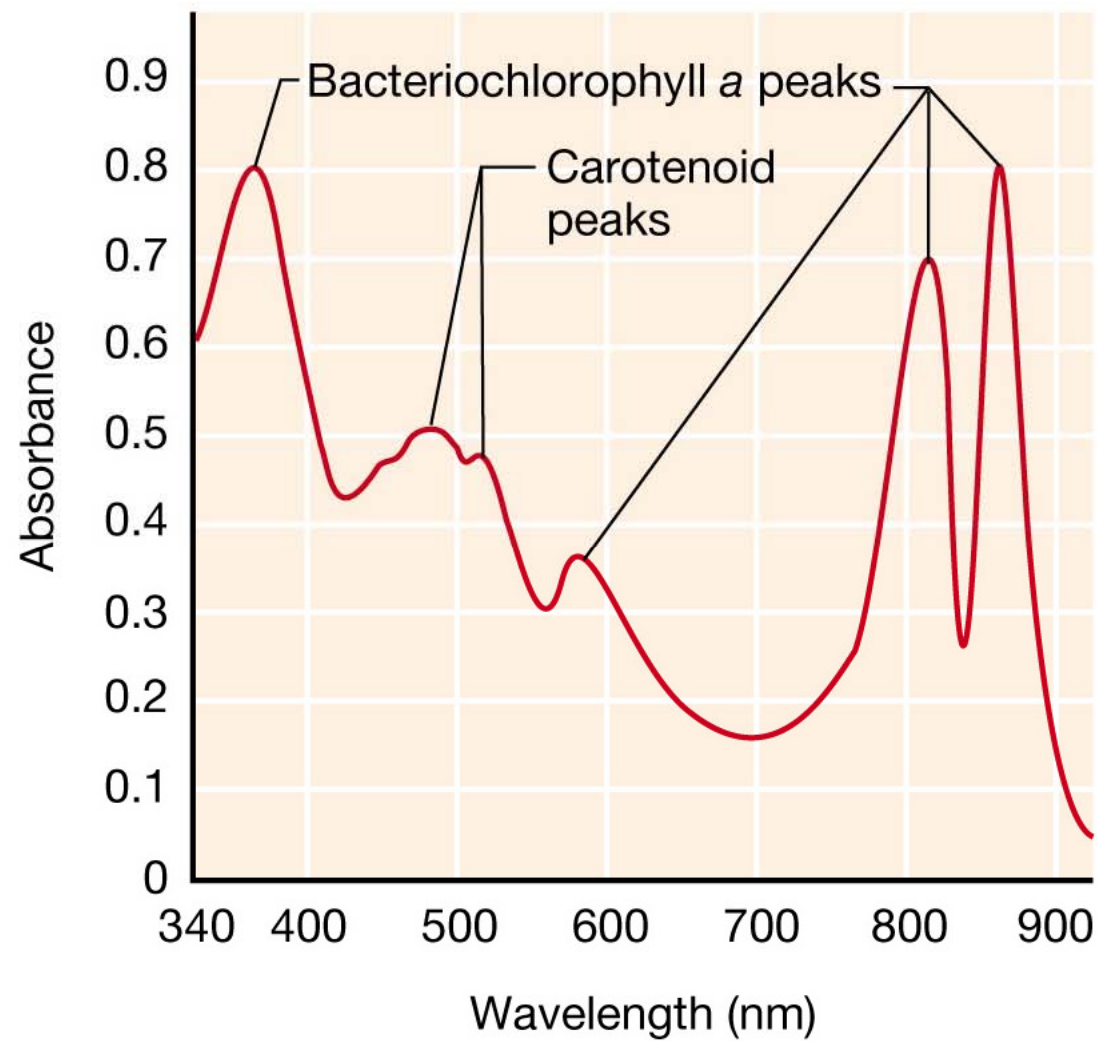


Chlorophyll a





Bacteriochlorophyll a



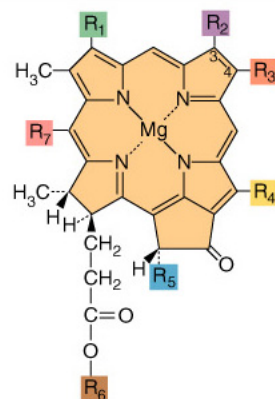
Pigment	R ₁	R ₂	R ₃	R ₄	R ₅	R ₆	R ₇	Absorption maxima (nm)	
								<i>In vivo</i>	Extract (methanol)
Bacteriochlorophyll <i>a</i> (purple bacteria)	$\begin{array}{c} \text{—C—CH}_3 \\ \parallel \\ \text{O} \end{array}$	—CH_3^b	$\text{—CH}_2\text{—CH}_3$	—CH_3	$\begin{array}{c} \text{—C—O—CH}_3 \\ \parallel \\ \text{O} \end{array}$	P/Gg ^a —H		805 830–890	771
Bacteriochlorophyll <i>b</i> (purple bacteria)	$\begin{array}{c} \text{—C—CH}_3 \\ \parallel \\ \text{O} \end{array}$	—CH_3^c	$\begin{array}{c} \text{=C—CH}_3 \\ \\ \text{H} \end{array}$	—CH_3	$\begin{array}{c} \text{—C—O—CH}_3 \\ \parallel \\ \text{O} \end{array}$	P	—H	835–850 1020–1040	794
Bacteriochlorophyll <i>c</i> (green sulfur bacteria)	$\begin{array}{c} \text{H} \\ \\ \text{—C—CH}_3 \\ \\ \text{OH} \end{array}$	—CH_3	$\text{—C}_2\text{H}_5$ $\text{—C}_3\text{H}_7^d$ $\text{—C}_4\text{H}_9$	$\text{—C}_2\text{H}_5$ —CH_3	—H	F	—CH ₃	745–755	660–669
Bacteriochlorophyll <i>c</i> _s (green nonsulfur bacteria)	$\begin{array}{c} \text{H} \\ \\ \text{—C—CH}_3 \\ \\ \text{OH} \end{array}$	—CH_3	$\text{—C}_2\text{H}_5$	—CH_3	—H	S	—CH ₃	740	667
Bacteriochlorophyll <i>d</i> (green sulfur bacteria)	$\begin{array}{c} \text{H} \\ \\ \text{—C—CH}_3 \\ \\ \text{OH} \end{array}$	—CH_3	$\text{—C}_2\text{H}_5$ $\text{—C}_3\text{H}_7$ $\text{—C}_4\text{H}_9$	$\text{—C}_2\text{H}_5$ —CH_3	—H	F	—H	705–740	654
Bacteriochlorophyll <i>e</i> (green sulfur bacteria)	$\begin{array}{c} \text{H} \\ \\ \text{—C—CH}_3 \\ \\ \text{OH} \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c} \text{—C—H} \\ \parallel \\ \text{O} \end{array}$	$\text{—C}_2\text{H}_5$ $\text{—C}_3\text{H}_7$ $\text{—C}_4\text{H}_9$	$\text{—C}_2\text{H}_5$	—H	F	—CH ₃	719–726	646
Bacteriochlorophyll <i>g</i> (heliobacteria)	$\begin{array}{c} \text{H} \\ \\ \text{—C=CH}_2 \end{array}$	—CH_3^b	$\text{—C}_2\text{H}_5$	—CH_3	$\begin{array}{c} \text{—C—O—CH}_3 \\ \parallel \\ \text{O} \end{array}$	F	—H	670, 788	765

^aP, Phytol ester (C₂₀H₃₉O—); F, farnesyl ester (C₁₅H₂₅O—); Gg, geranylgeraniol ester (C₁₀H₁₇O—); S, stearyl alcohol (C₁₈H₃₇O—).

^bNo double bond between C₃ and C₄; additional H atoms are in positions C₃ and C₄.

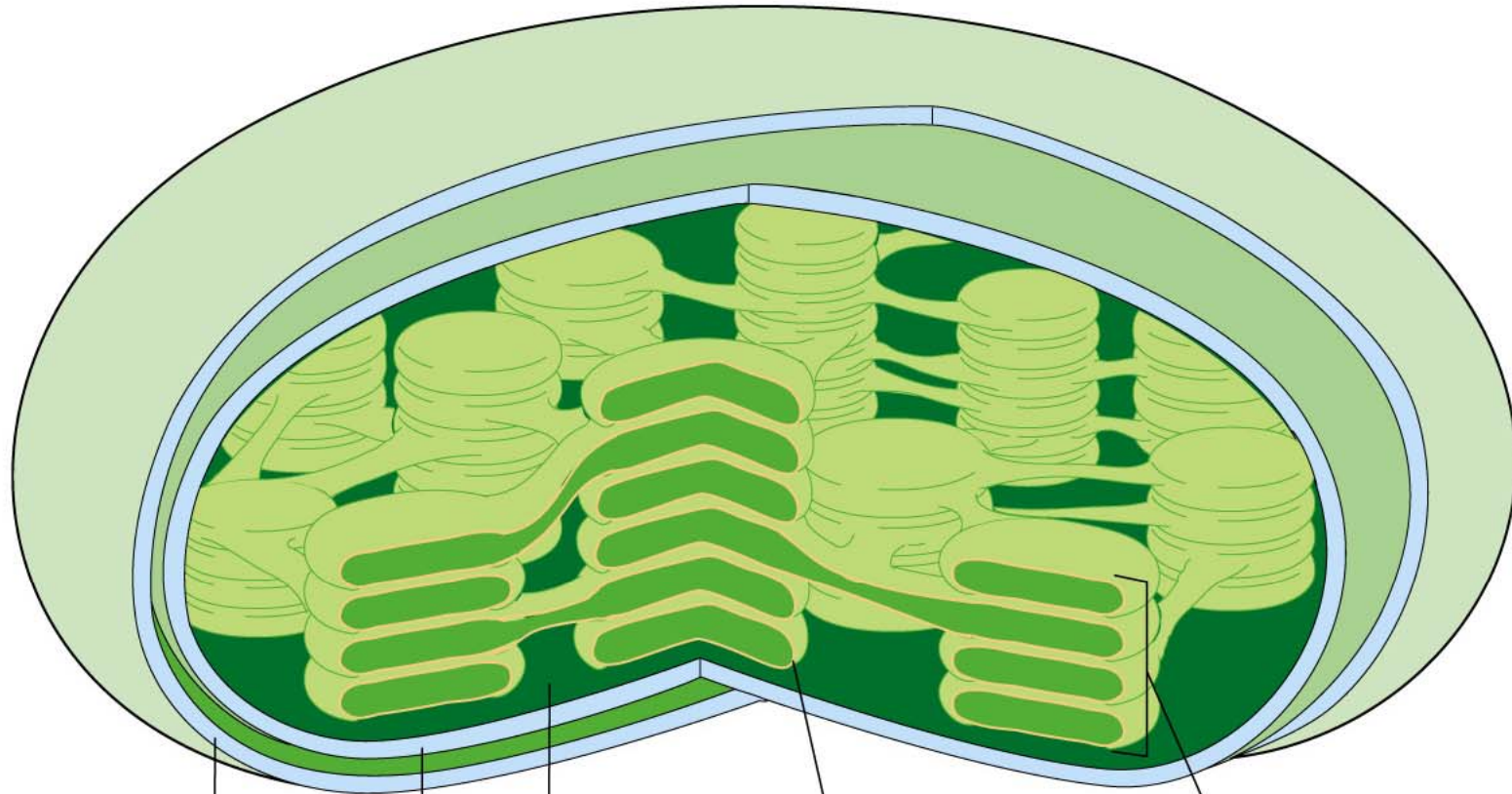
^cNo double bond between C₃ and C₄; an additional H atom is in position C₃.

^dBacteriochlorophylls *c*, *d*, and *e* consist of isomeric mixtures with the different substituents on R₃ as shown.



Bacteriochlorophyll Structures

Chloroplast Structure



Outer membrane

Inner membrane

Stroma
Thylakoid membrane

Stacked thylakoids forming grana

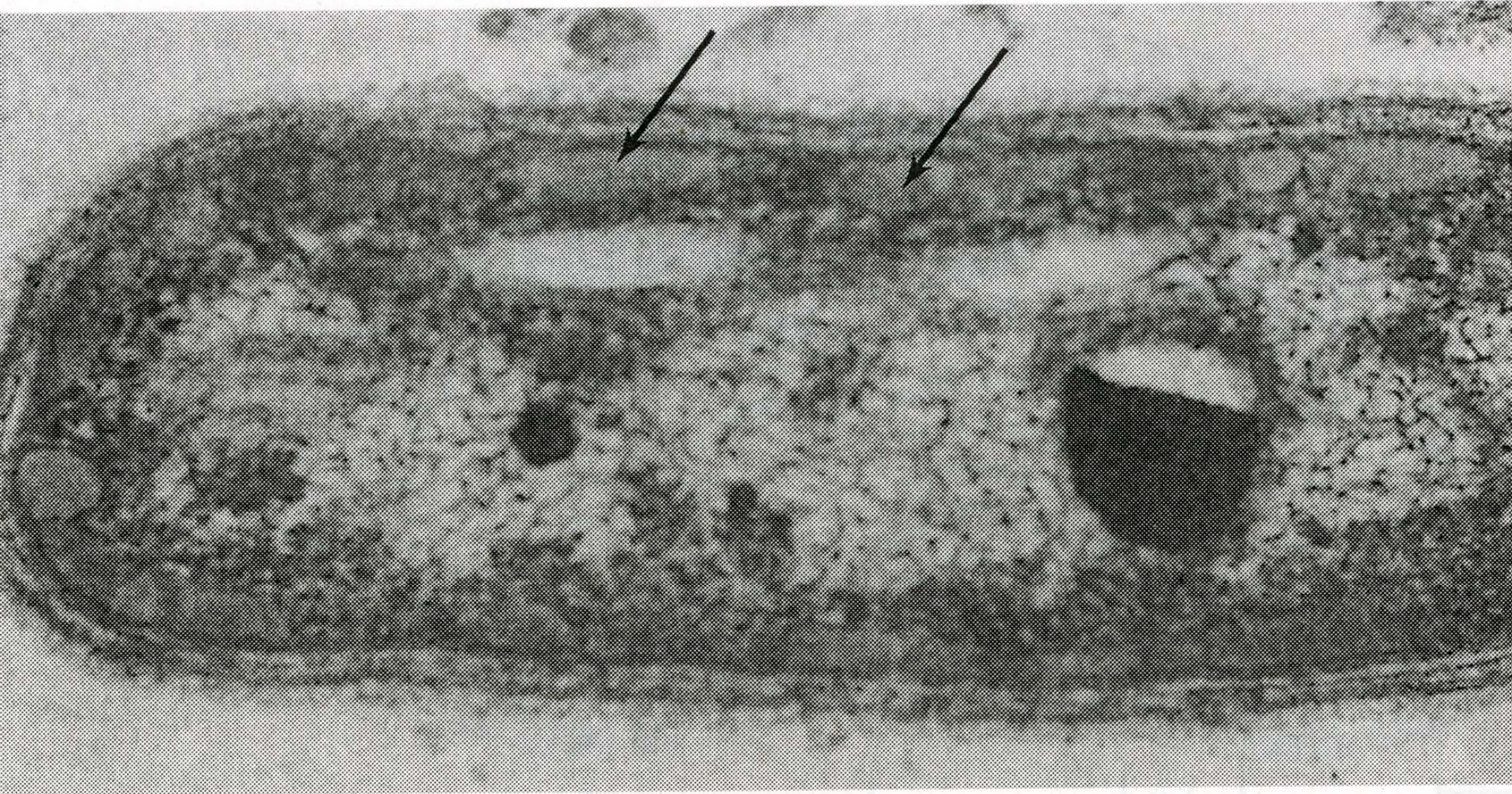
(b)

Table 9.1**Some general properties of the various photosynthetic bacteria**

	Nonsulfur Purple Bacteria	Purple Sulfur Bacteria	Green Sulfur Bacteria	Cyano- bacteria	Helio- bacteria
Source of reducing power (e^-)	H_2 , reduced organic	H_2S	H_2S	H_2O	Lactate, organic
Oxidized product	Oxidized organic	SO_4^{2-}	SO_4^{2-}	O_2	Oxidized organic
Source of carbon	CO_2 or organic	CO_2	CO_2	CO_2	Lactate pyruvate
Heterotrophic growth	Common	Limited ^a	Limited ^a	Limited ^a	Required

^aGenerally limited to assimilation of low molecular weight organics during autotrophic growth.

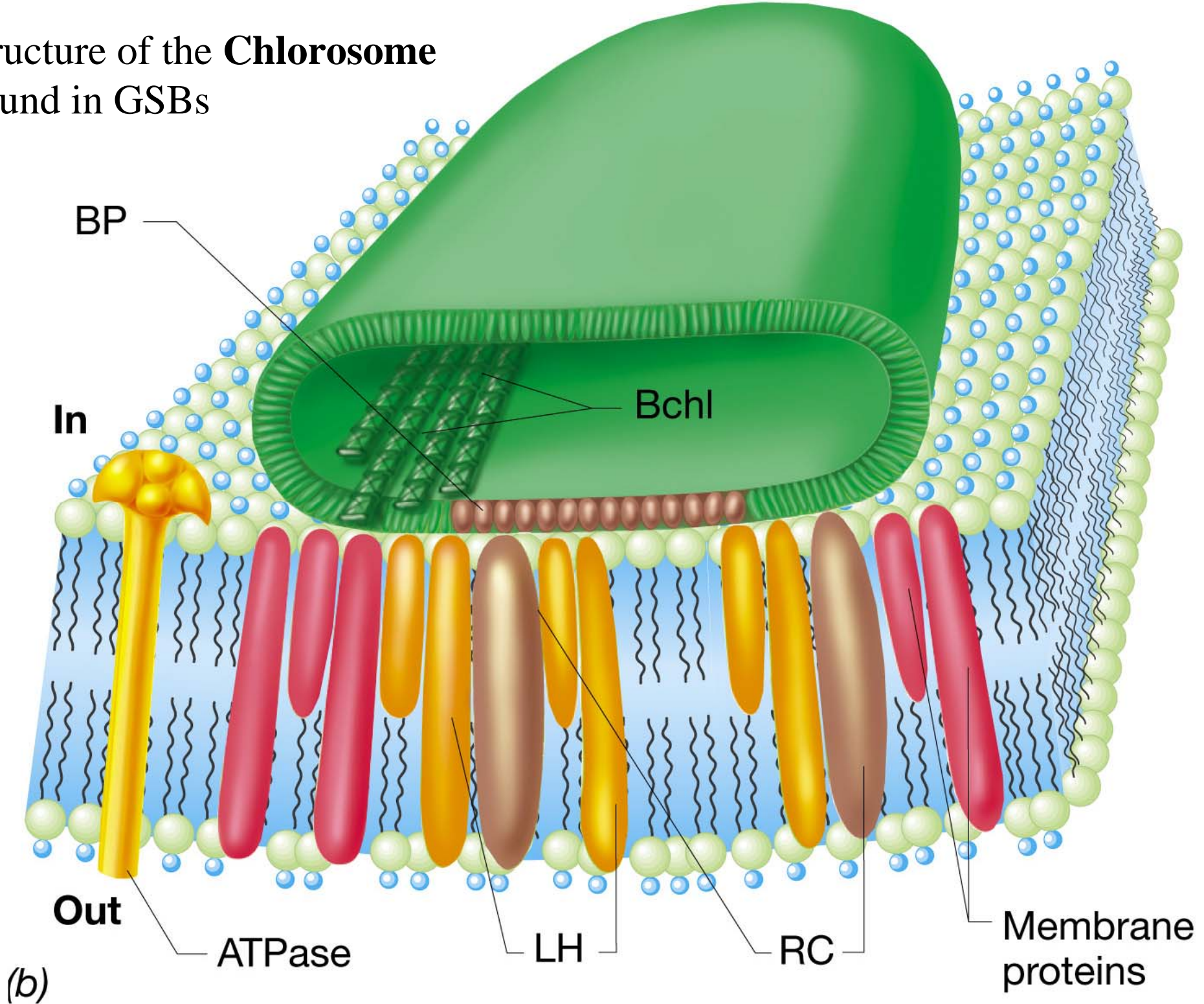
Structure and Location of the **Chlorosome**



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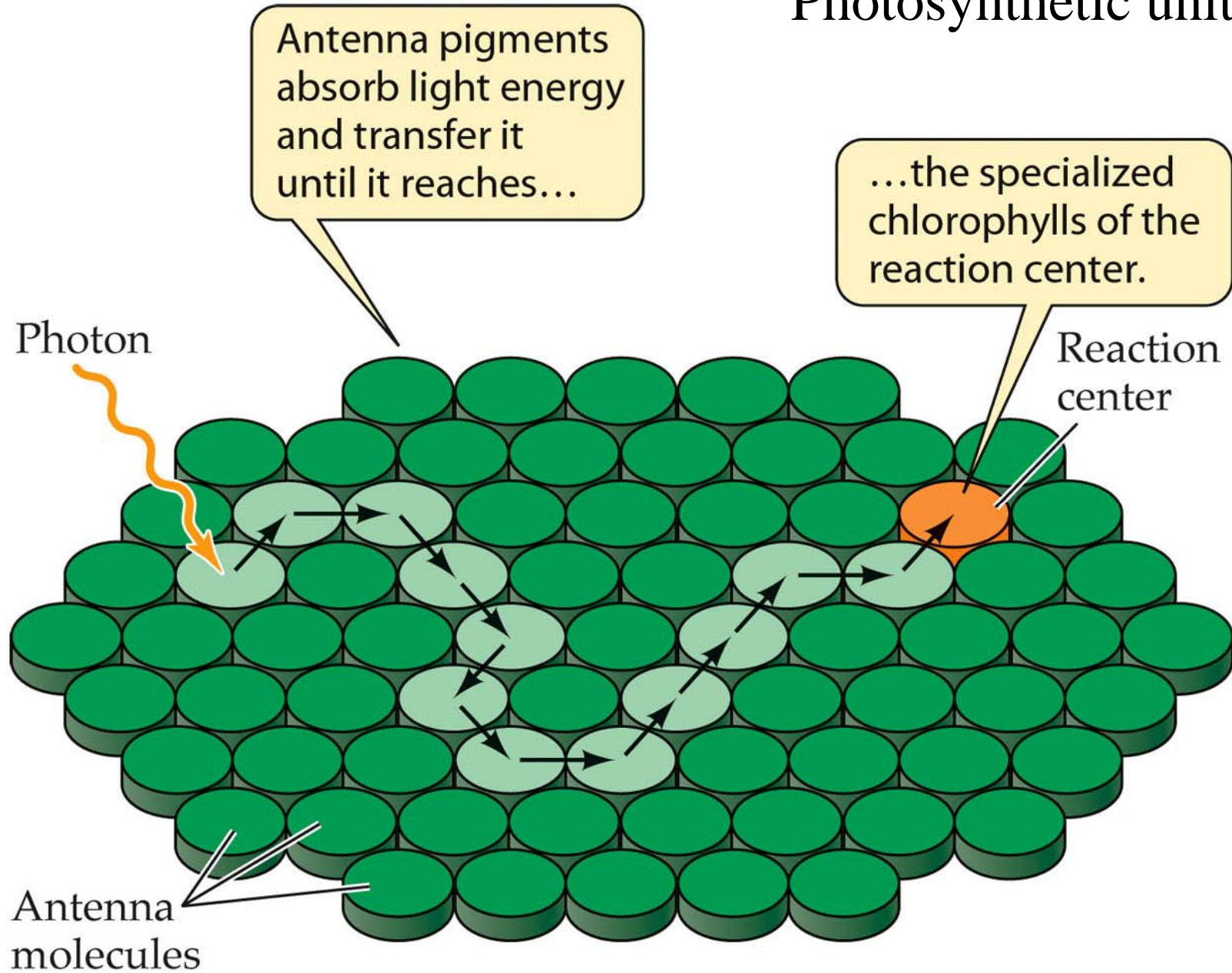
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Structure of the Chlorosome Found in GSBs



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Photosynthetic unit



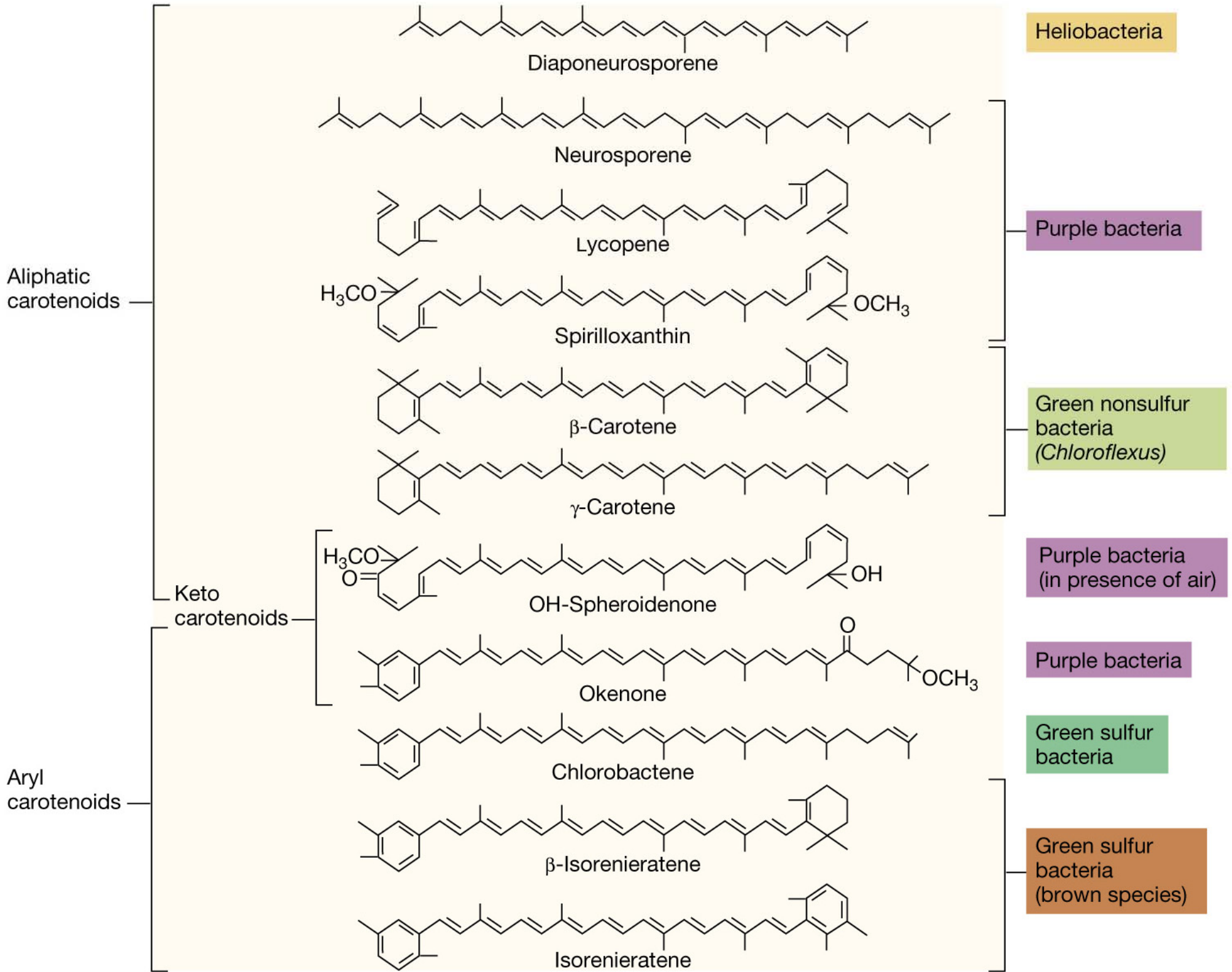
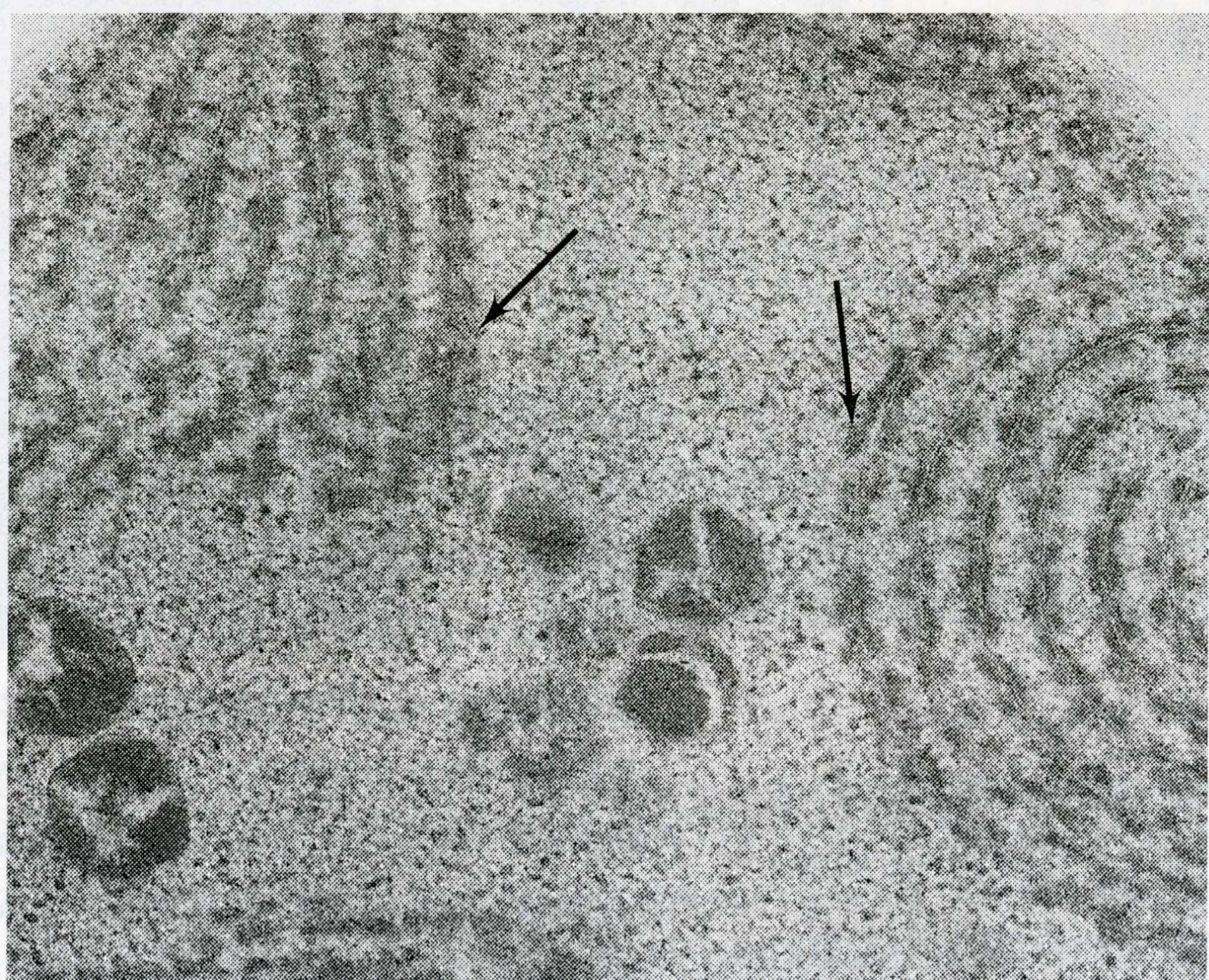


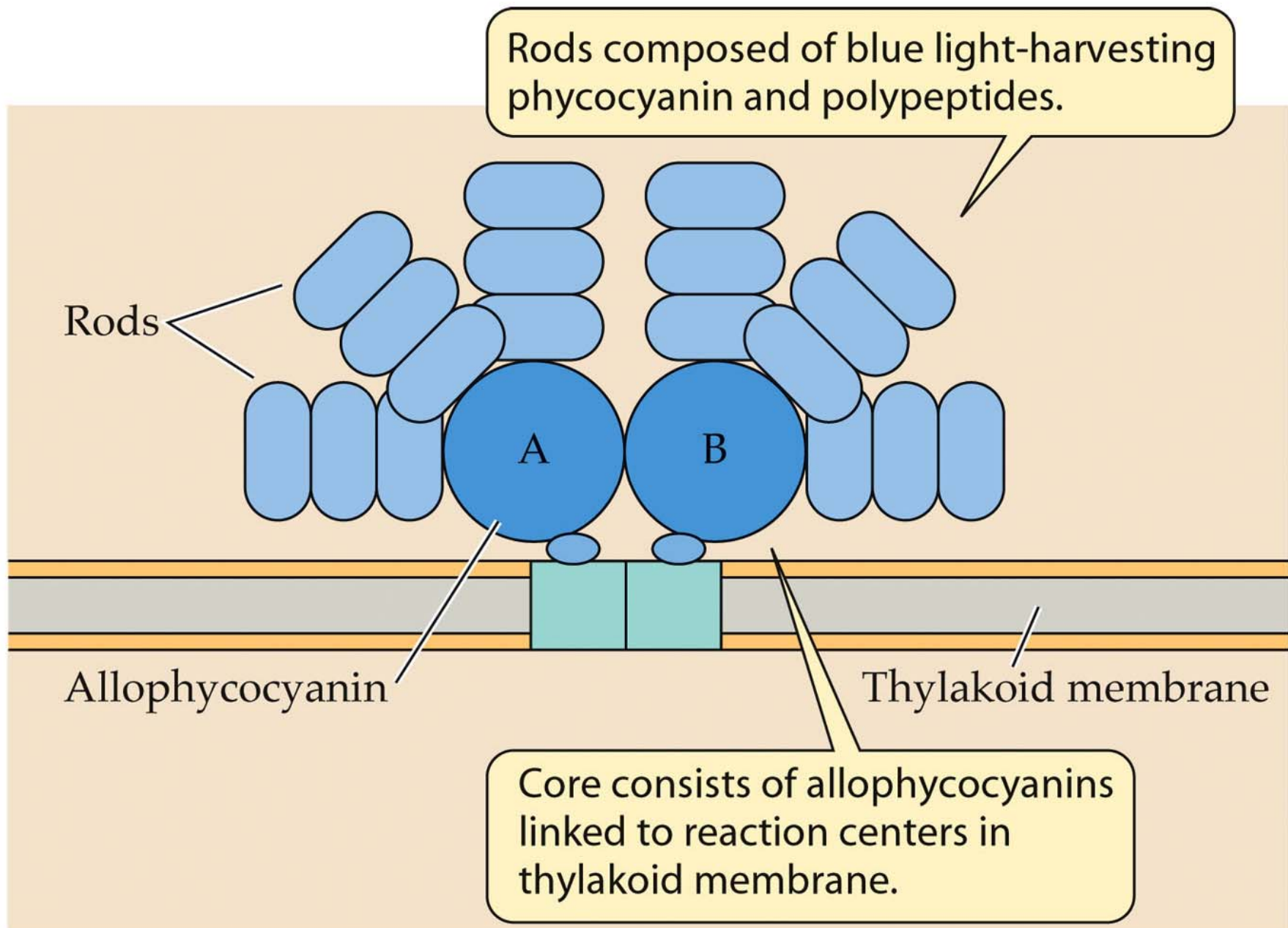
Table 9.2**The bacteriochlorophyll present in photosynthetic bacteria and primary acceptors involved in energy conserving reactions**

	Electron Donor	Electron Acceptor
Purple nonsulfur bacteria	Bacteriochlorophyll <i>a</i> and <i>b</i>	Bacteriopheophytin <i>a</i> , Q_A , and Q_B
Green sulfur bacteria	Bacteriochlorophyll <i>c</i> , <i>d</i> , and <i>e</i>	Bacteriopheophytin <i>a</i> and FeS-protein
Cyanobacteria photosystem I	Chlorophyll <i>a</i>	Chlorophyll <i>a</i> and FeS-protein
Cyanobacteria photosystem II	Chlorophyll <i>a</i>	Pheophytin <i>a</i> , Q_A , Q_B , and plastoquinones
<i>Heliobacteria</i>	Bacteriochlorophyll <i>g</i>	Bacteriochlorophyll <i>c</i> and FeS-protein

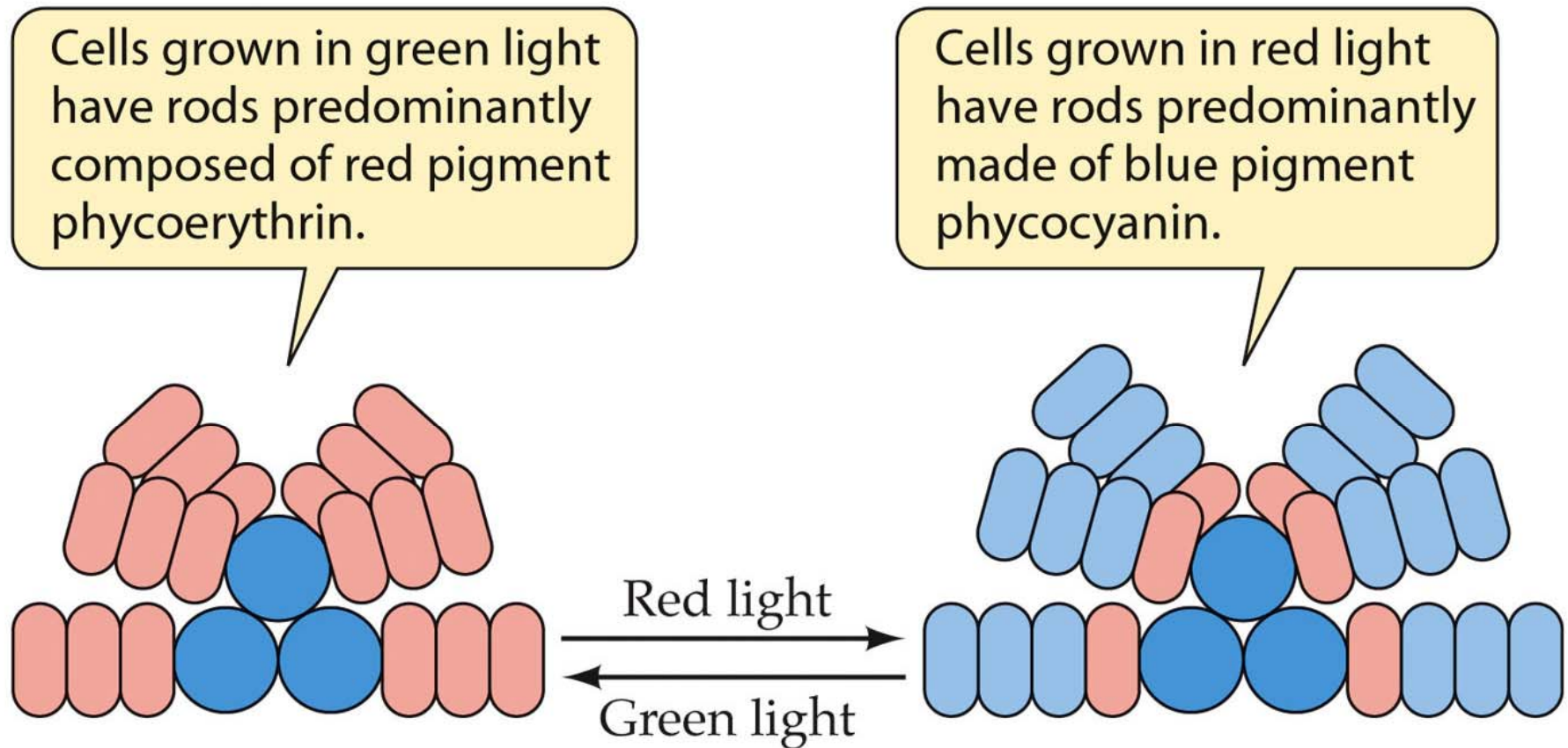
Structure and Location of **Phycobilisomes**



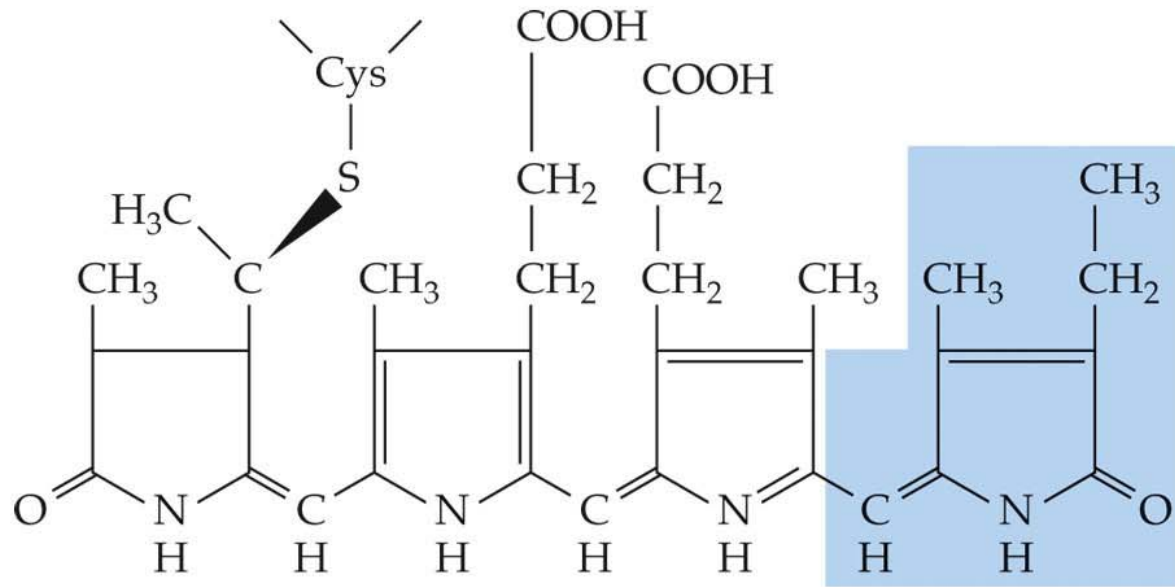
Phycobilisome of cyanobacteria



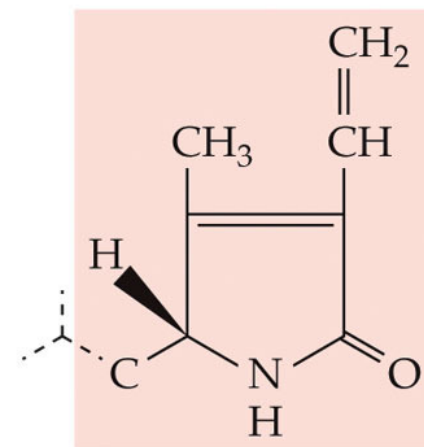
Chromatic adaptation of a phycobilisome



Chromophores of phycobilisomes

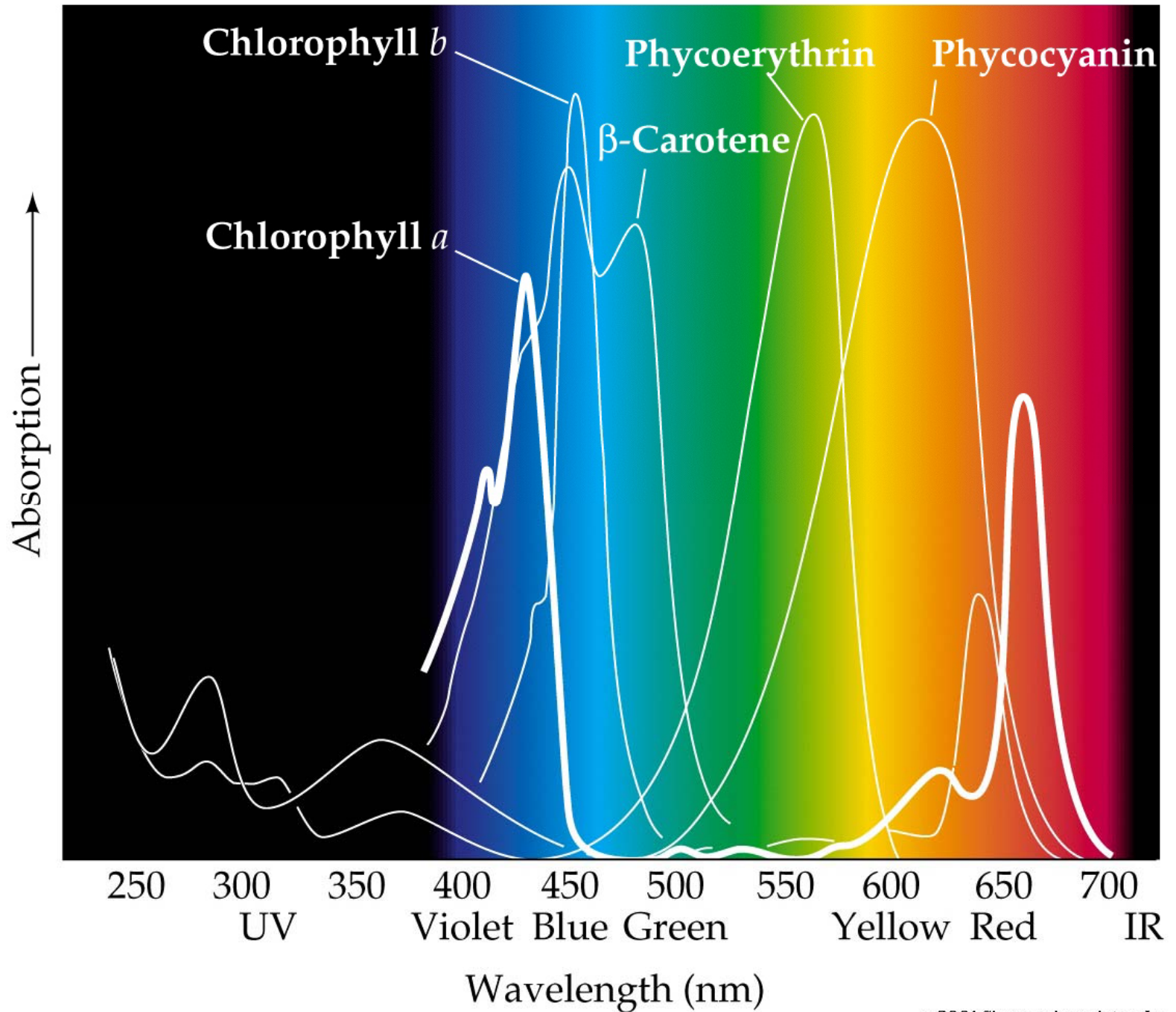


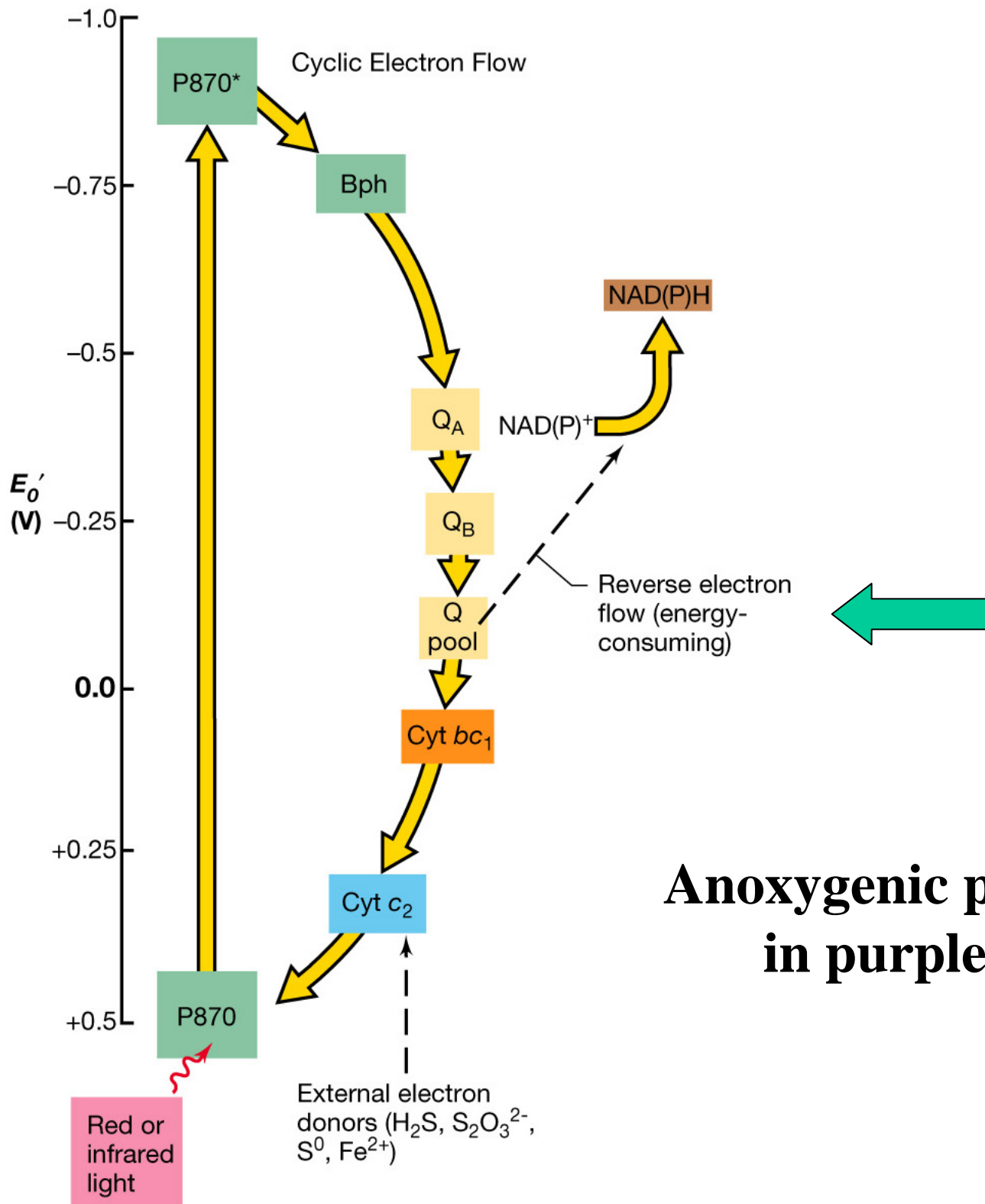
Phycocyanin (blue)



Phycoerythrin (red)

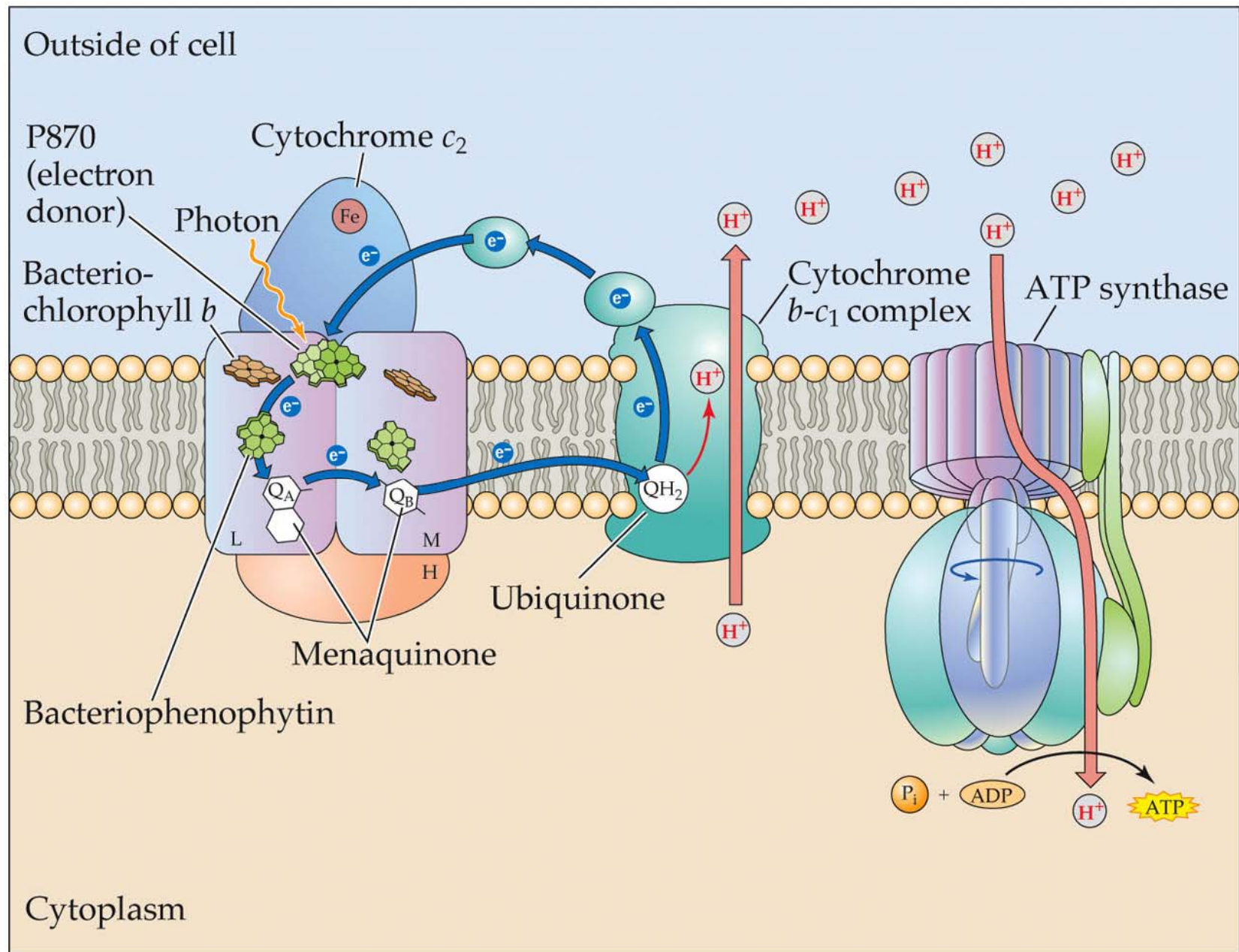
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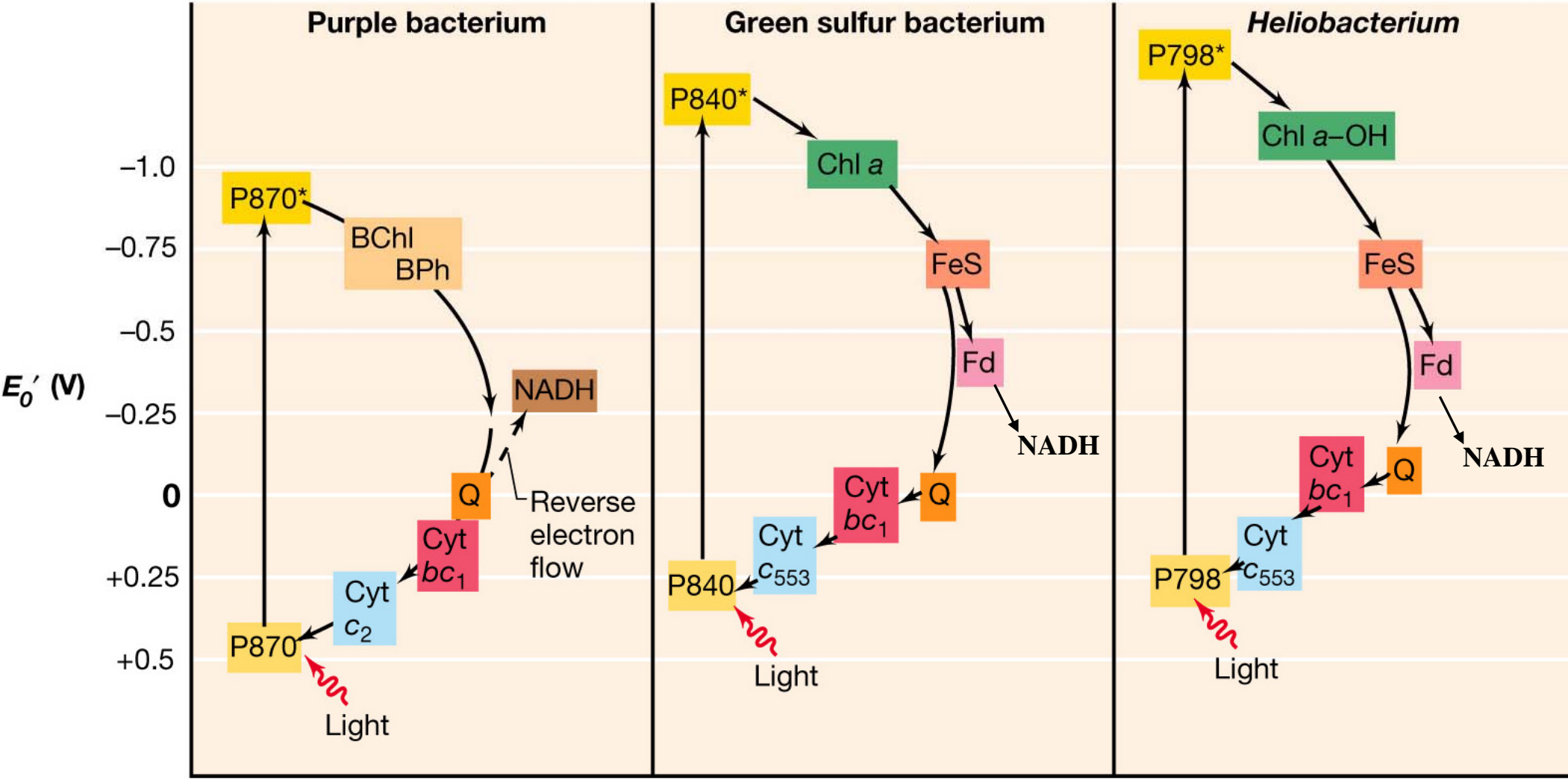


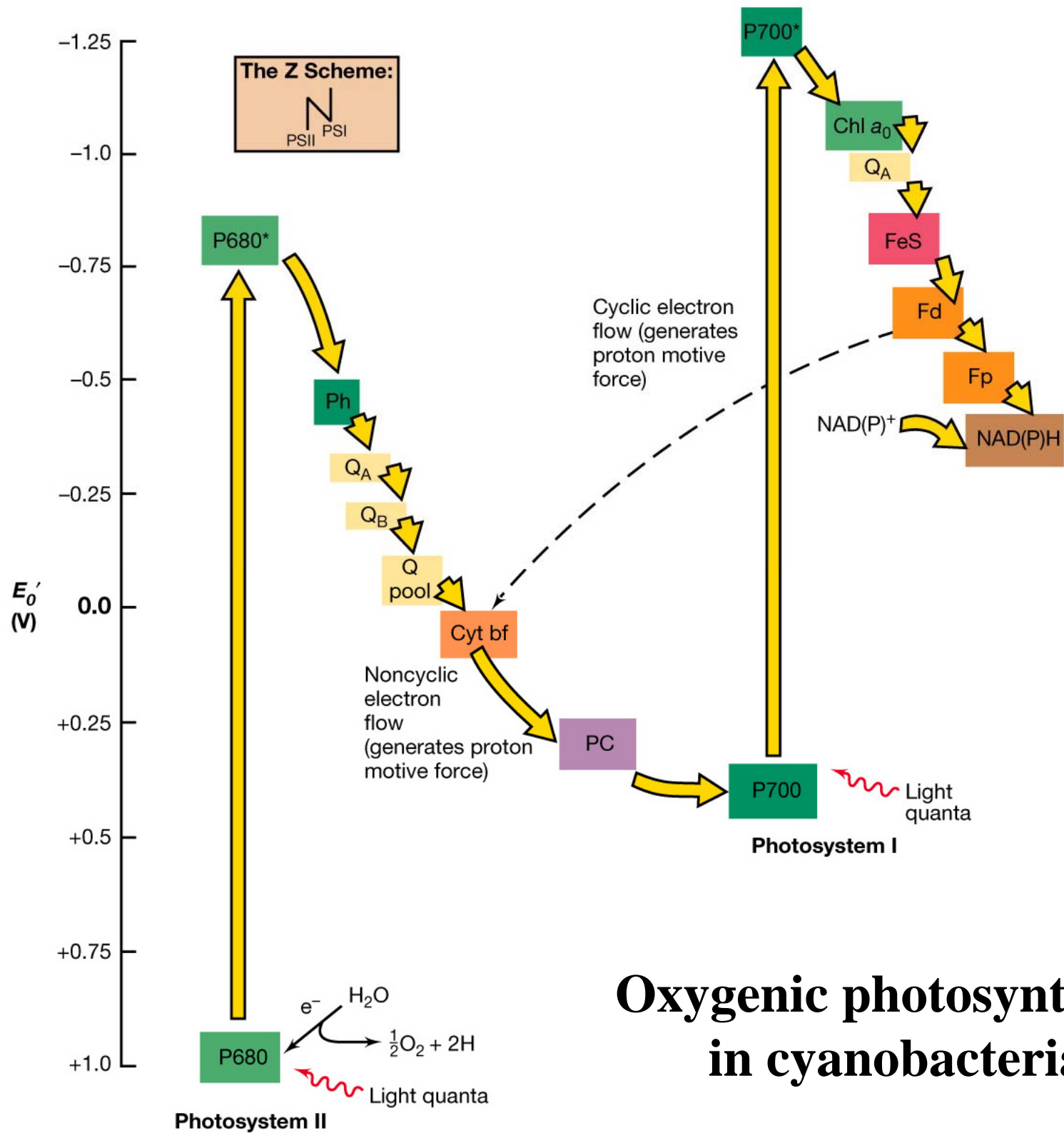
Anoxygenic photosynthesis in purple bacteria

Reaction center of purple nonsulfur bacteria



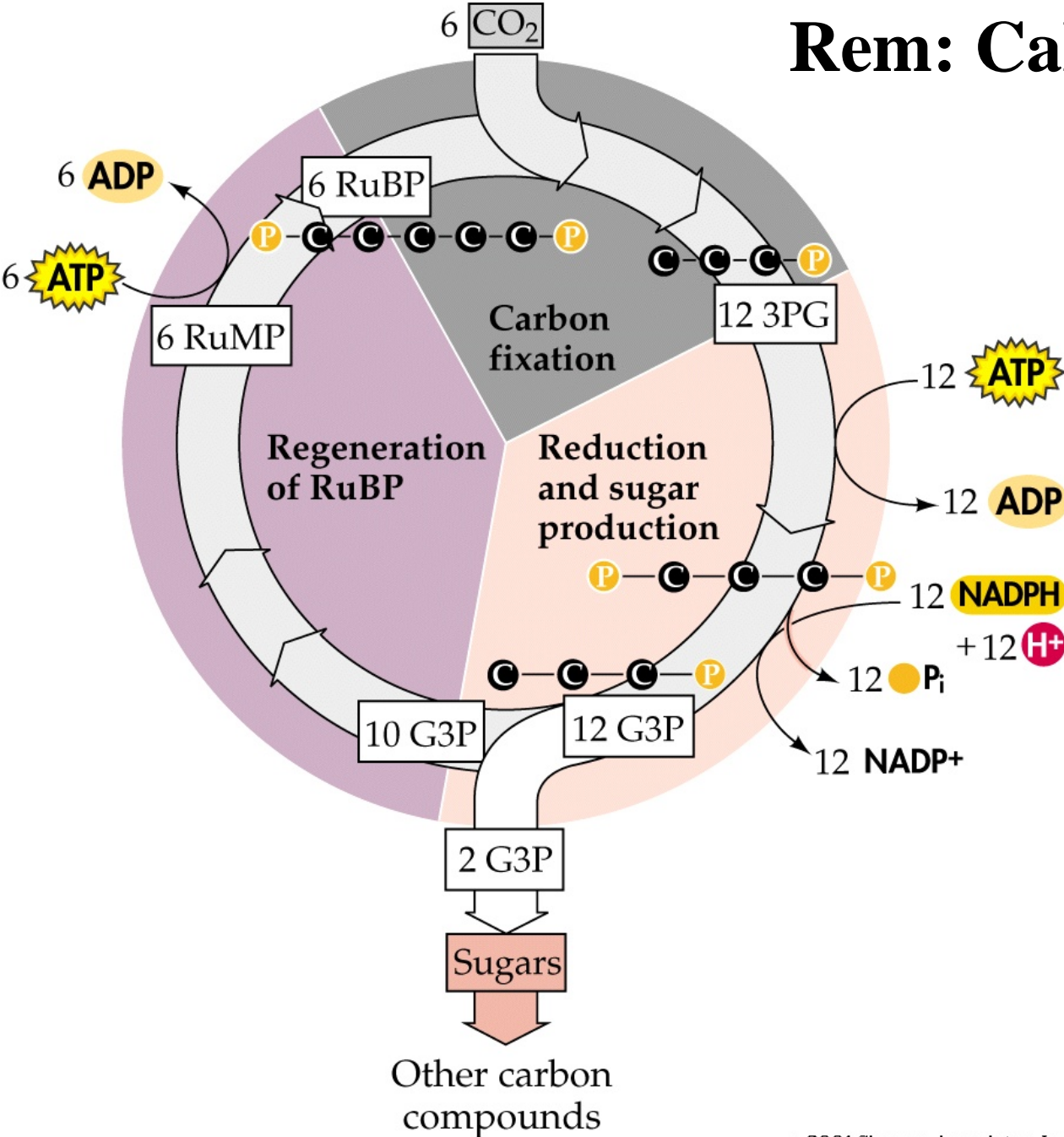
Electron flow in phototrophs

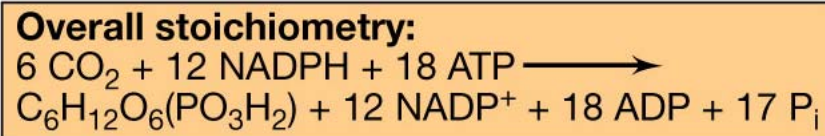
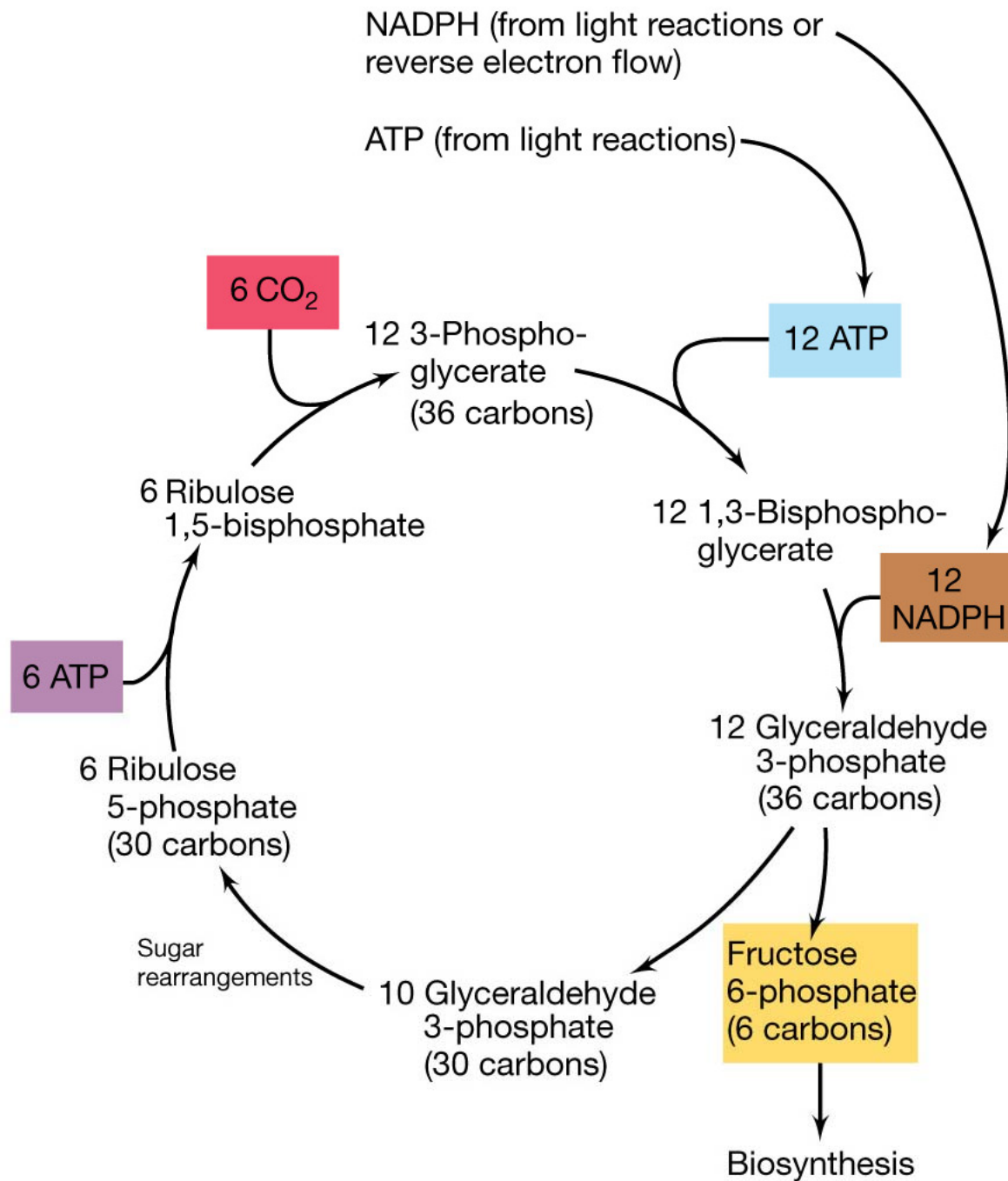




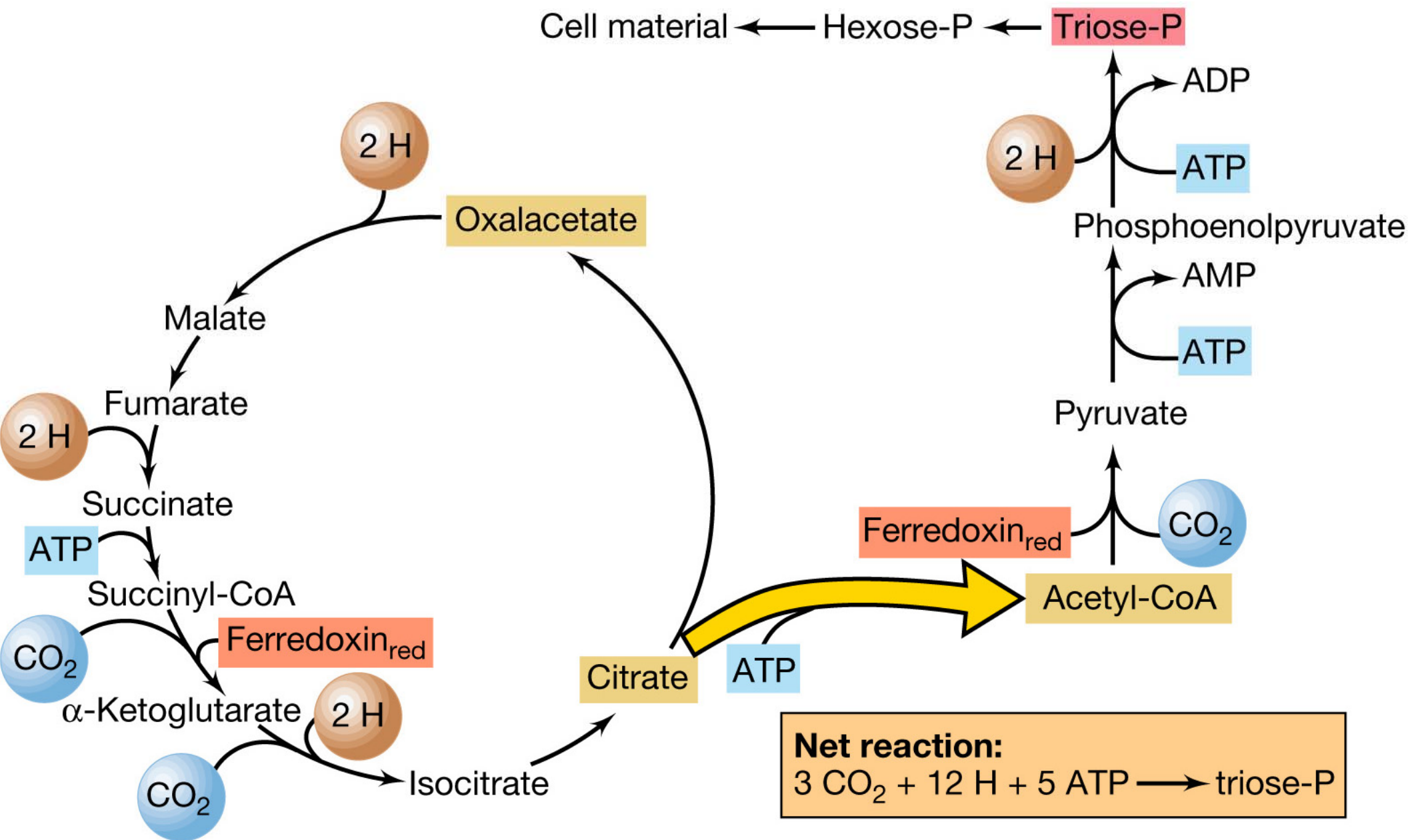
Oxygenic photosynthesis in cyanobacteria

Rem: Calvin Cycle

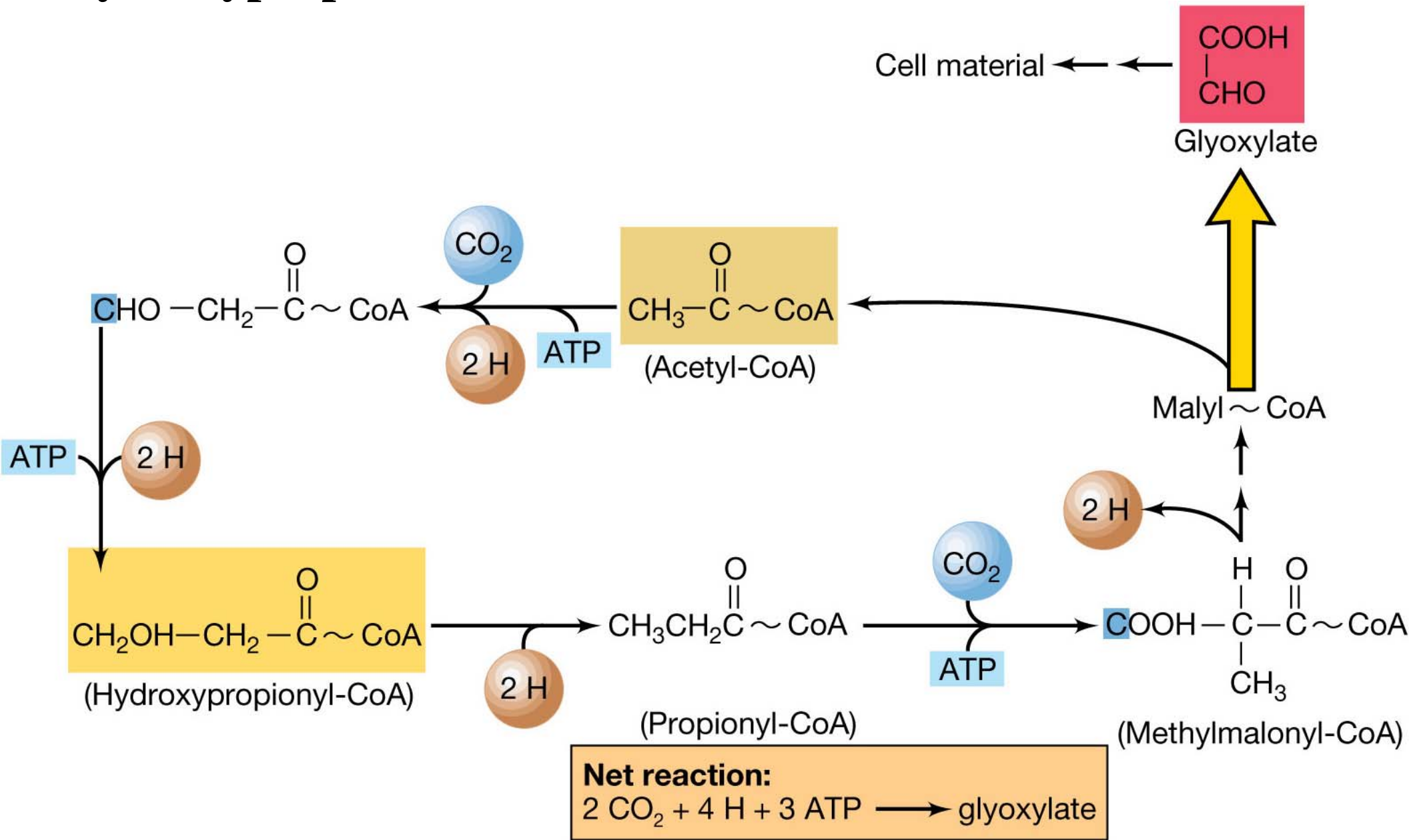


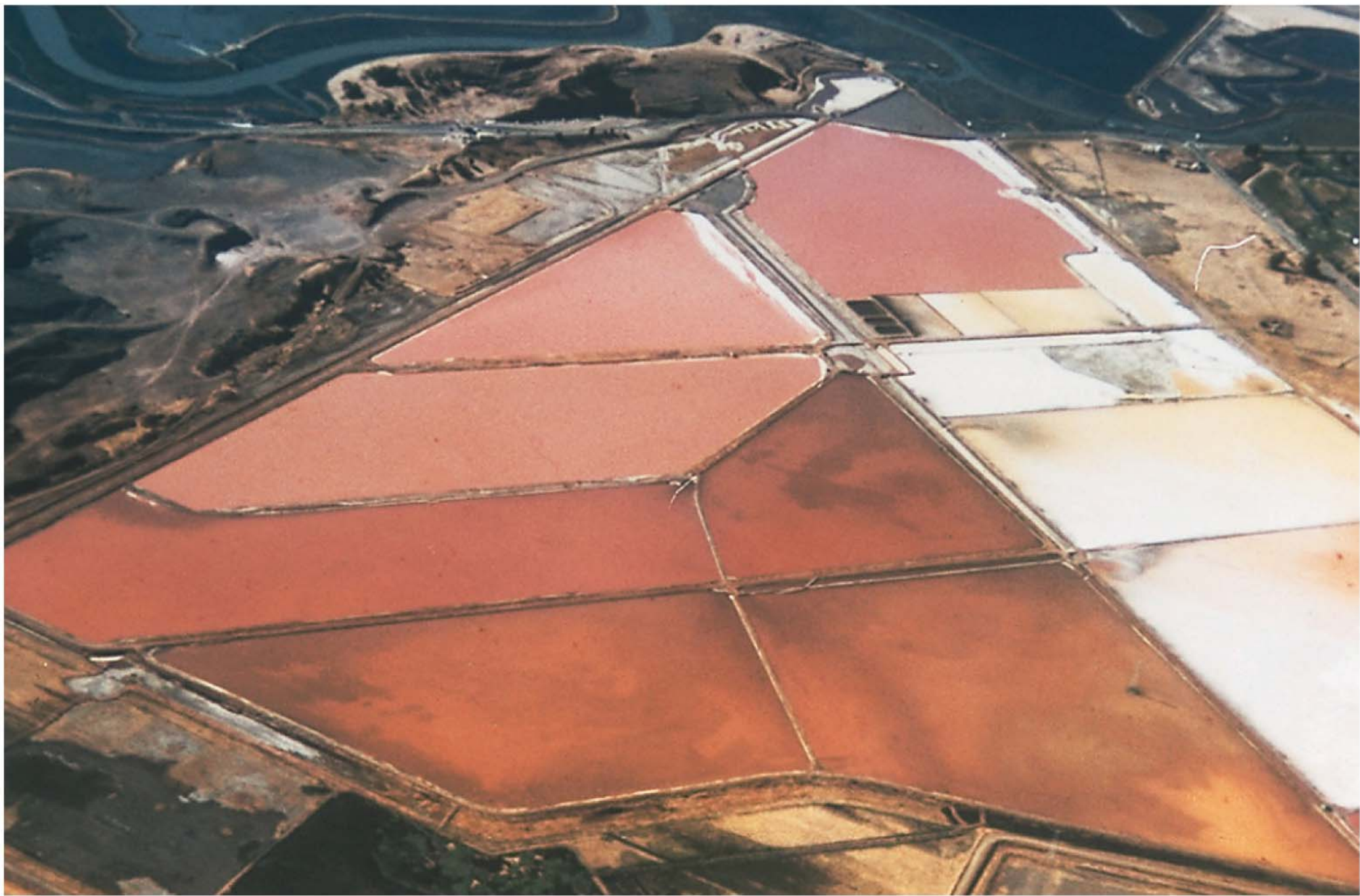


Reverse TCA in GSBs



Hydroxypropionate in GNBs

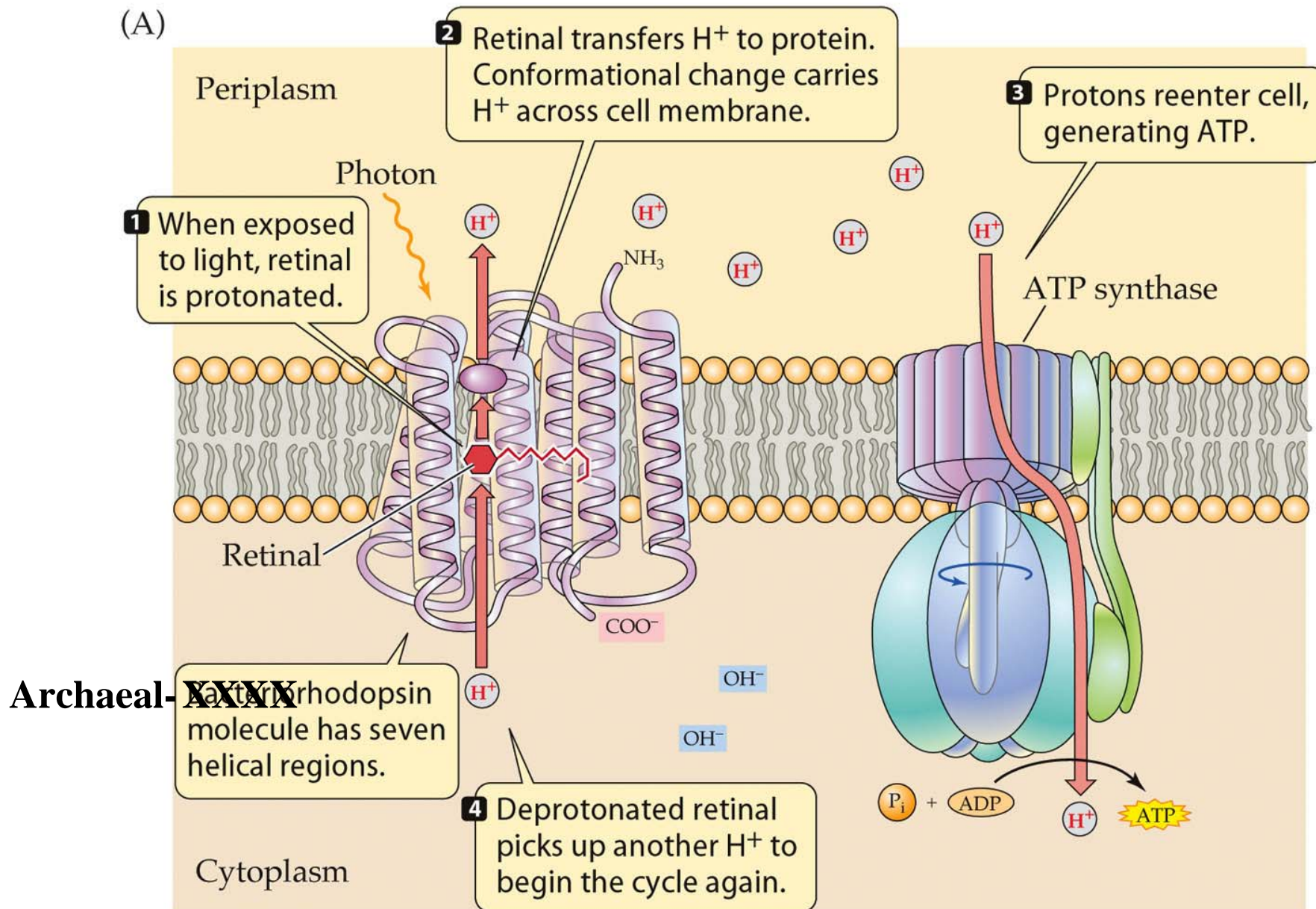




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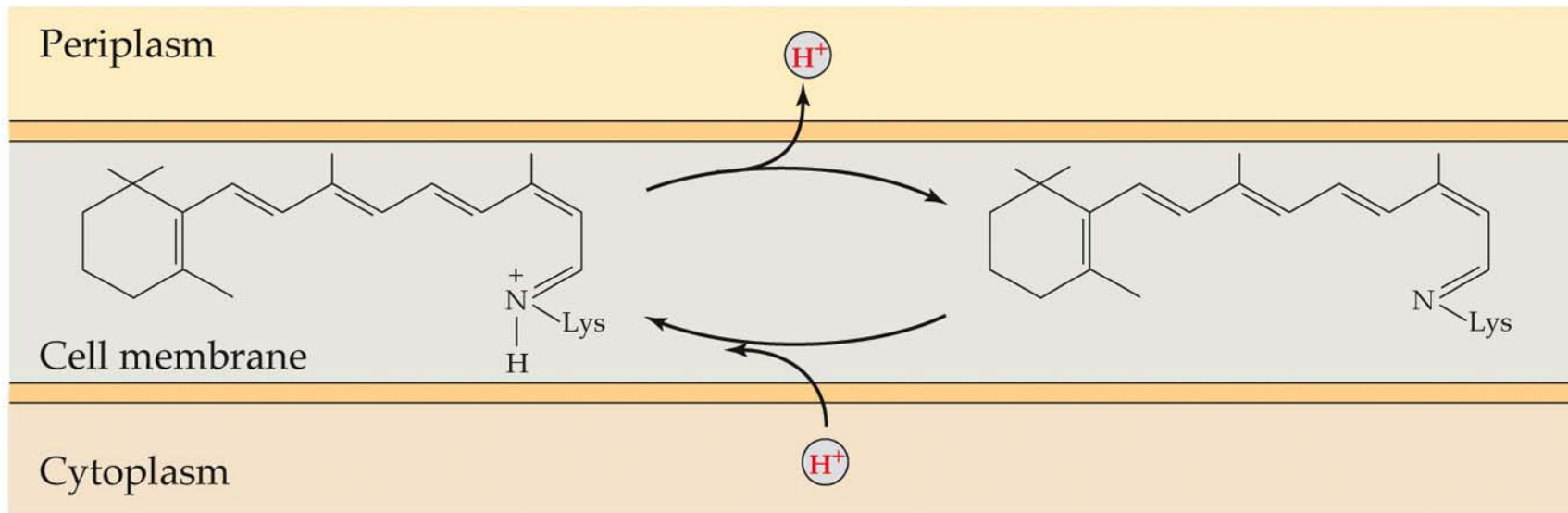
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A light-driven proton pump of halophilic archaea



Light-driven proton pump of halophilic archaea

(B)



Archaeal rhodopsin: retinal structure

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Oxygenic or anoxygenic photosynthesis: $\text{Fe}^{2+}_{\text{sol}}$ to $\text{Fe}^{3+}_{\text{insol}}$