

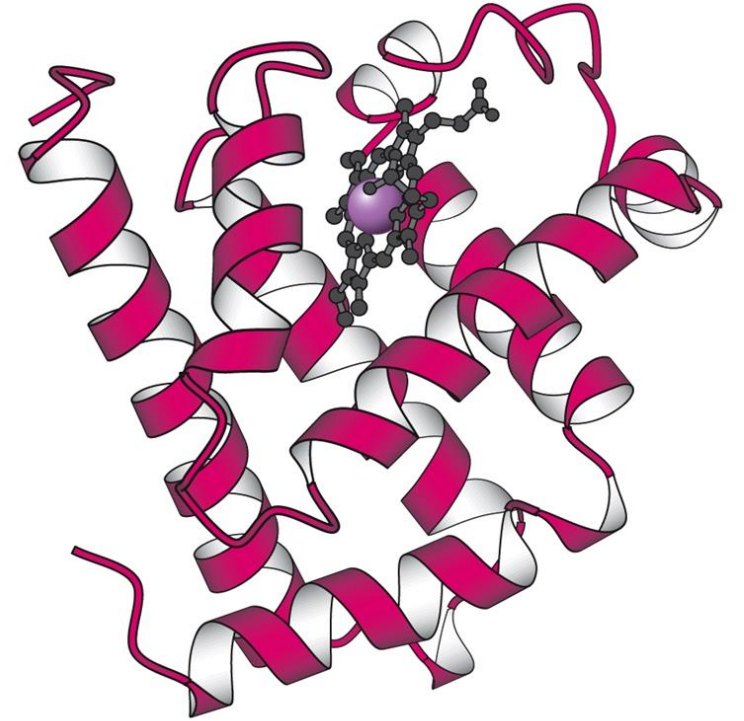
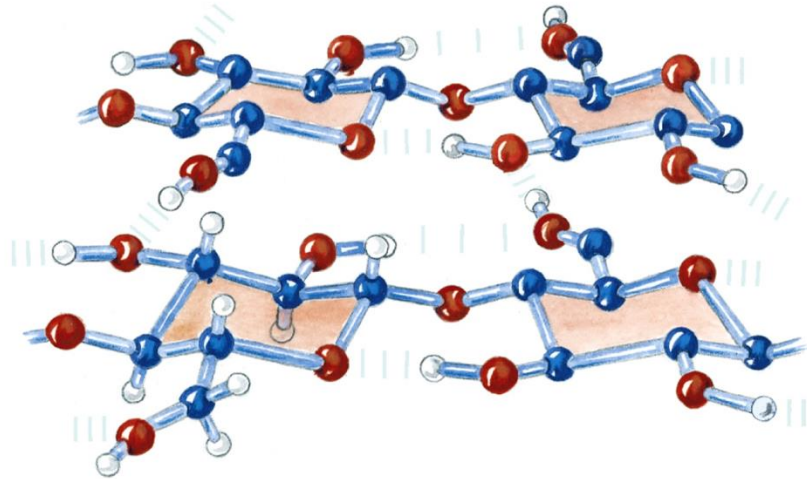
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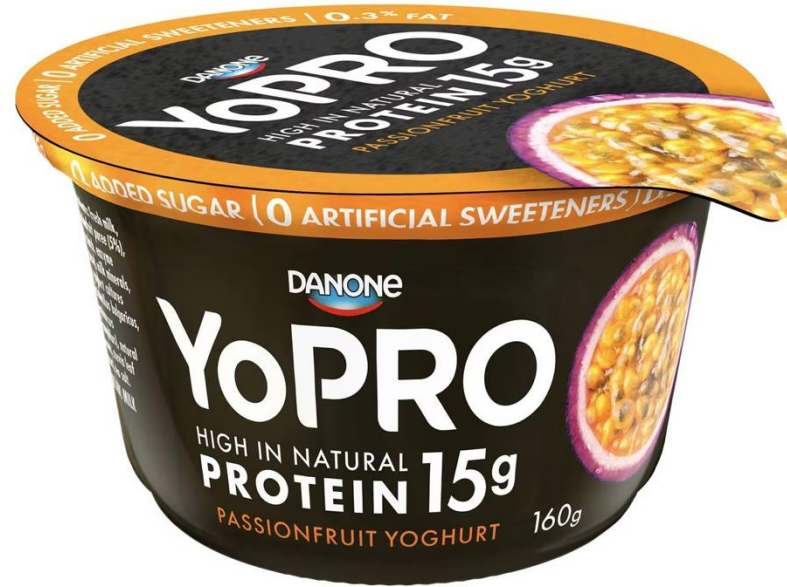


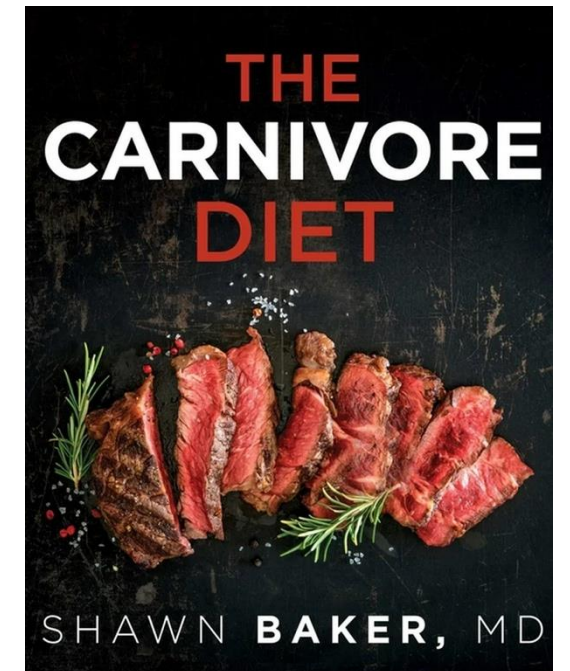
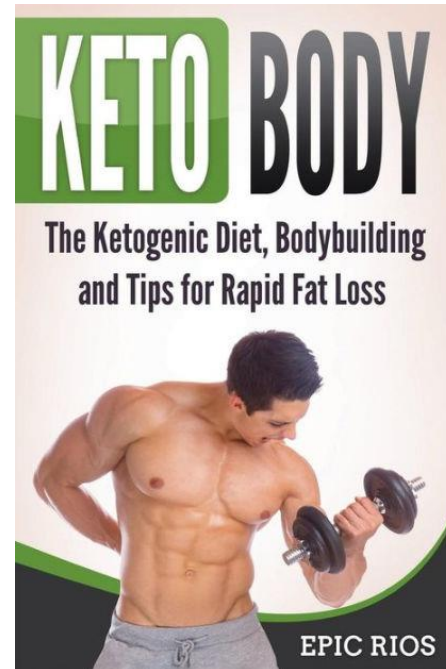
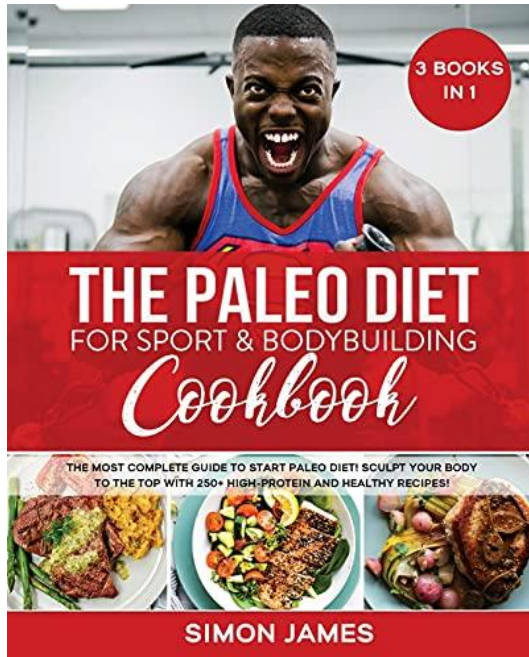
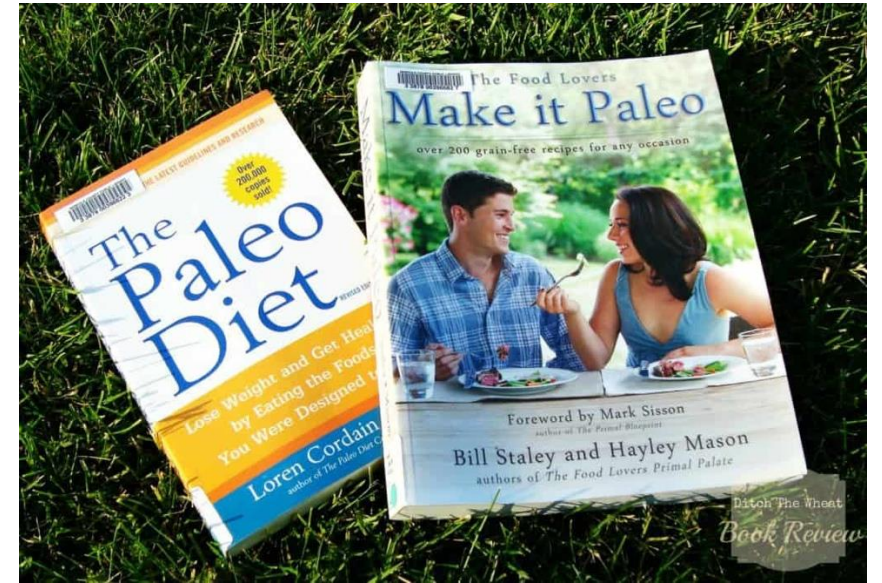
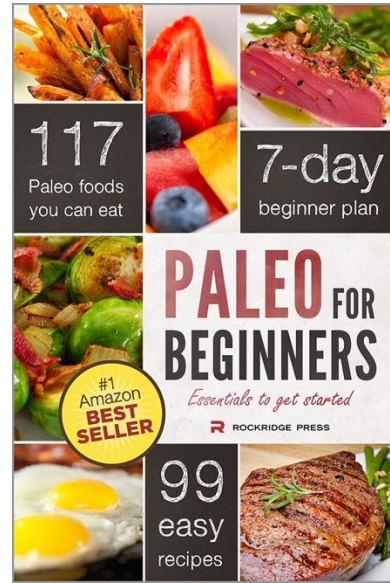
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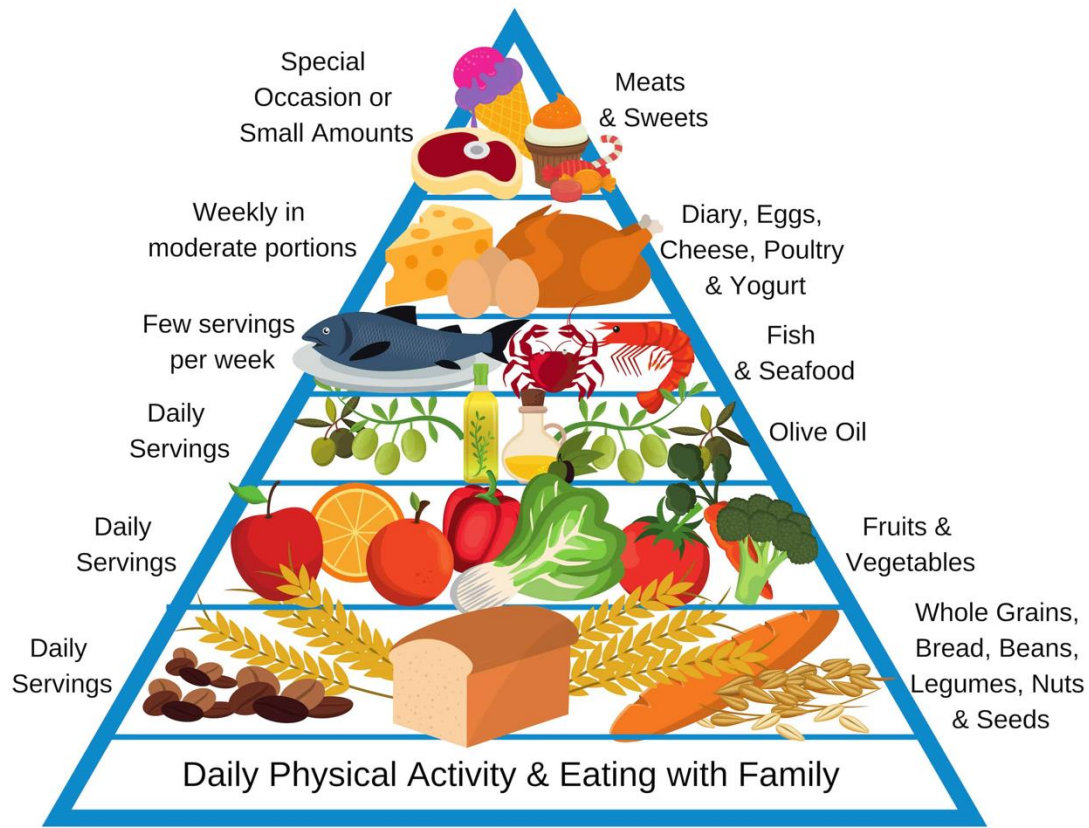


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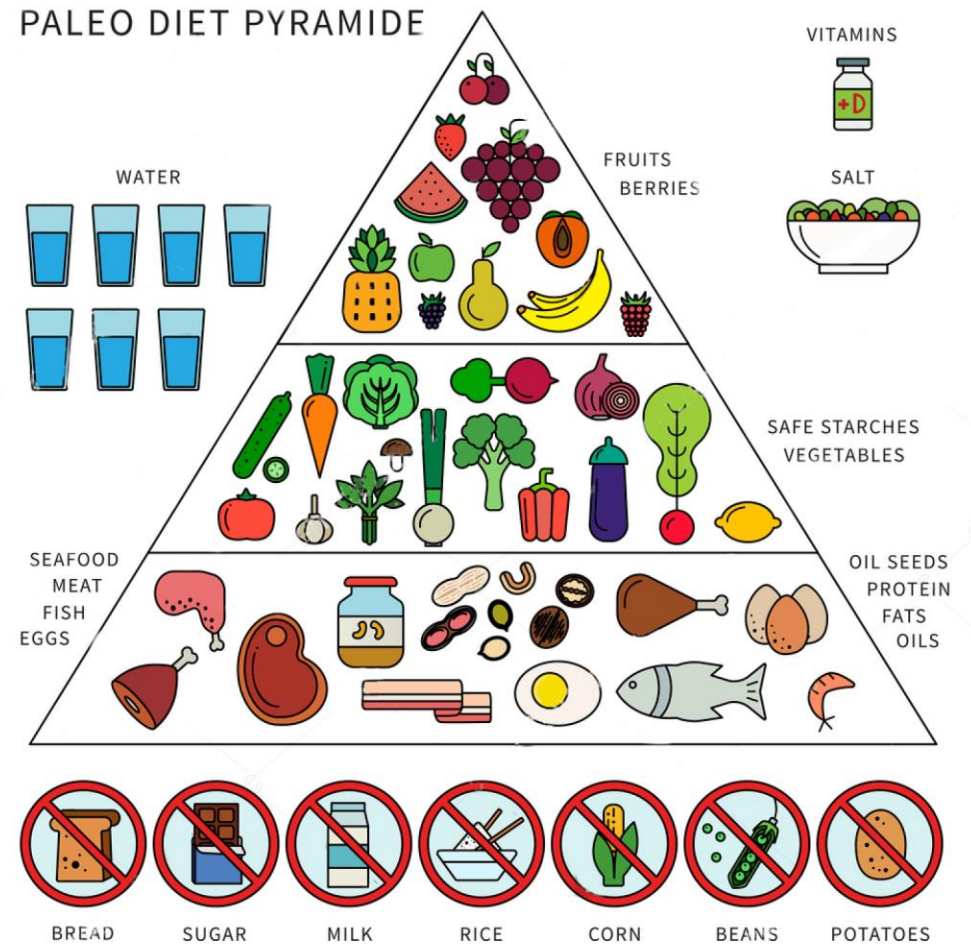






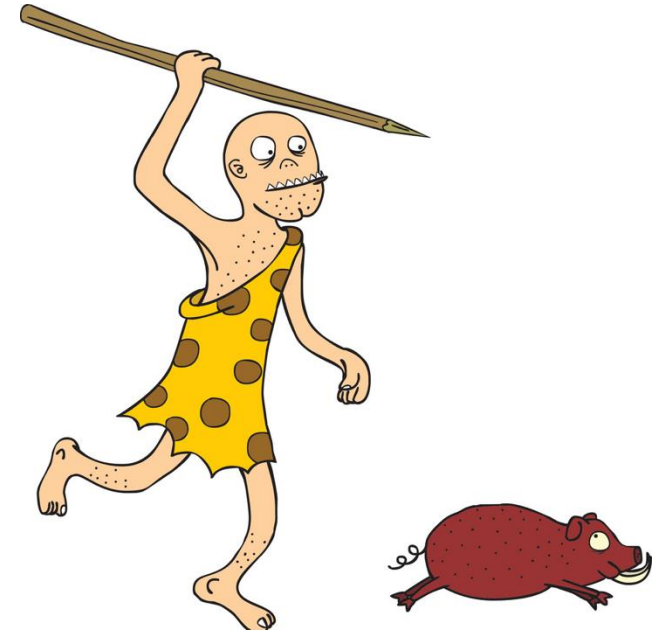
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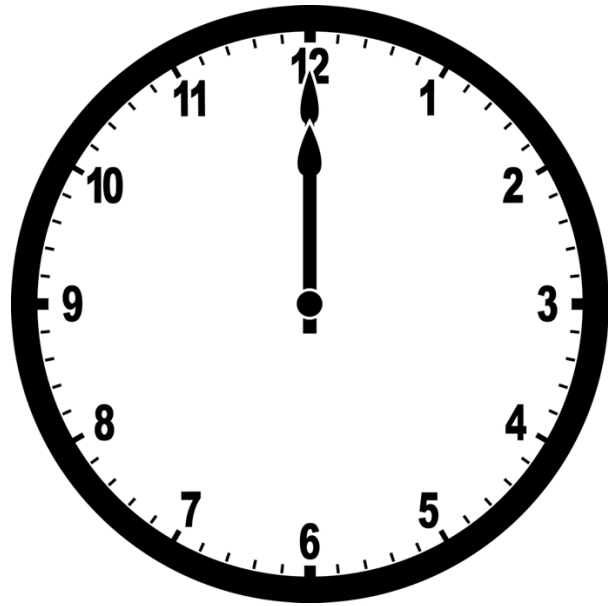
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- Βασίζεται η εξέλιξη του Homo Sapiens στην κατανάλωση κρέατος?
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- Μπορούμε να λάβουμε επαρκή πρωτεΐνη με μια φυτική διατροφή?
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- Τα BCAA και η ανάπτυξη μυϊκής μάζας
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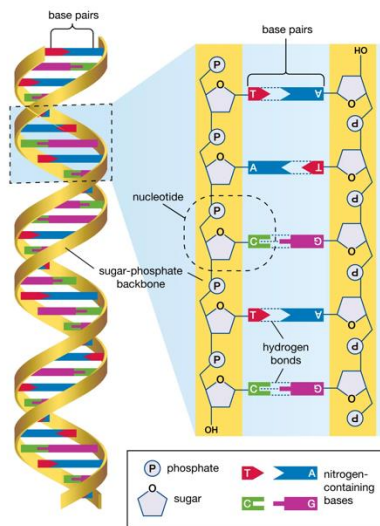
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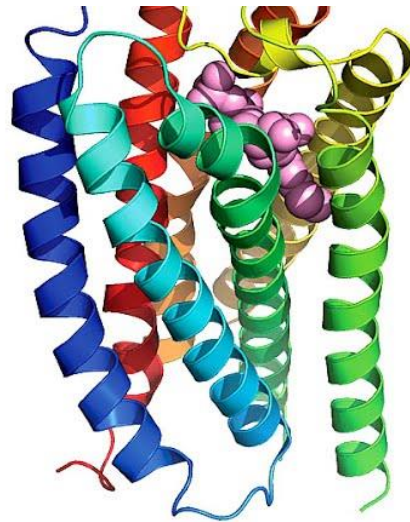
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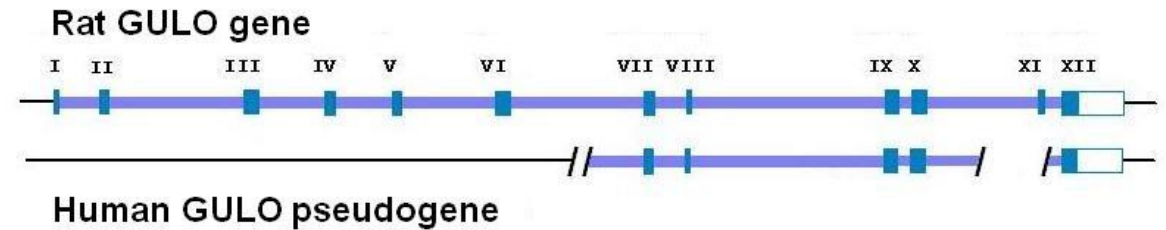
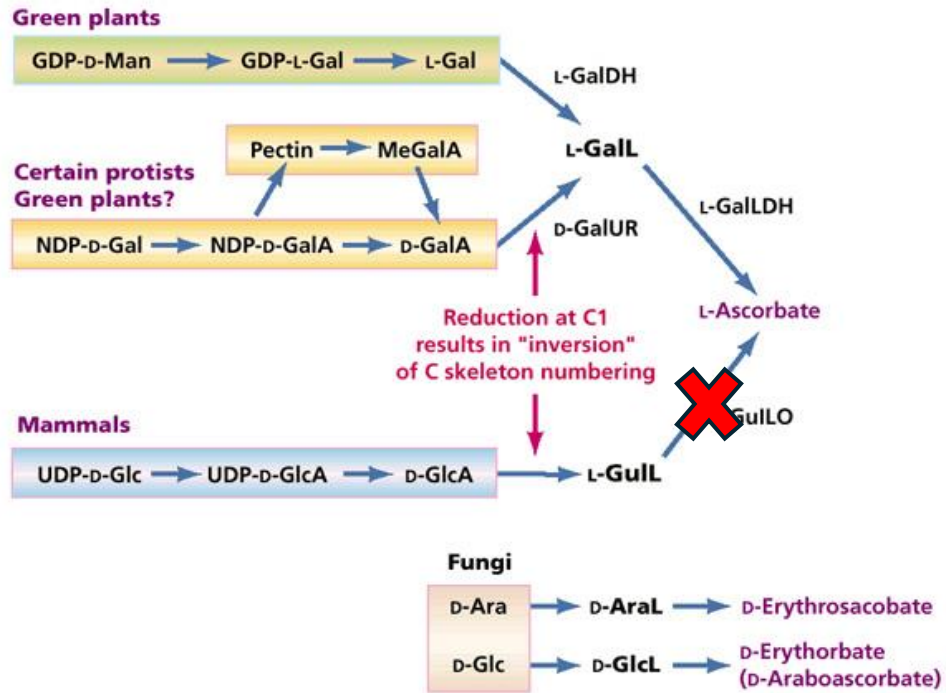
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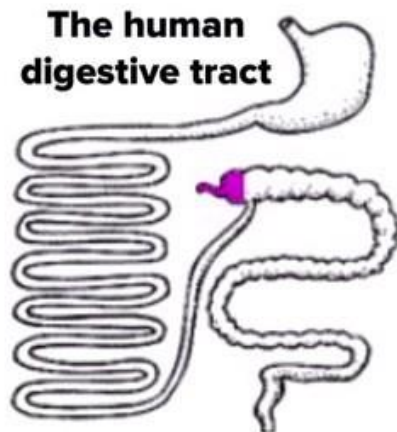
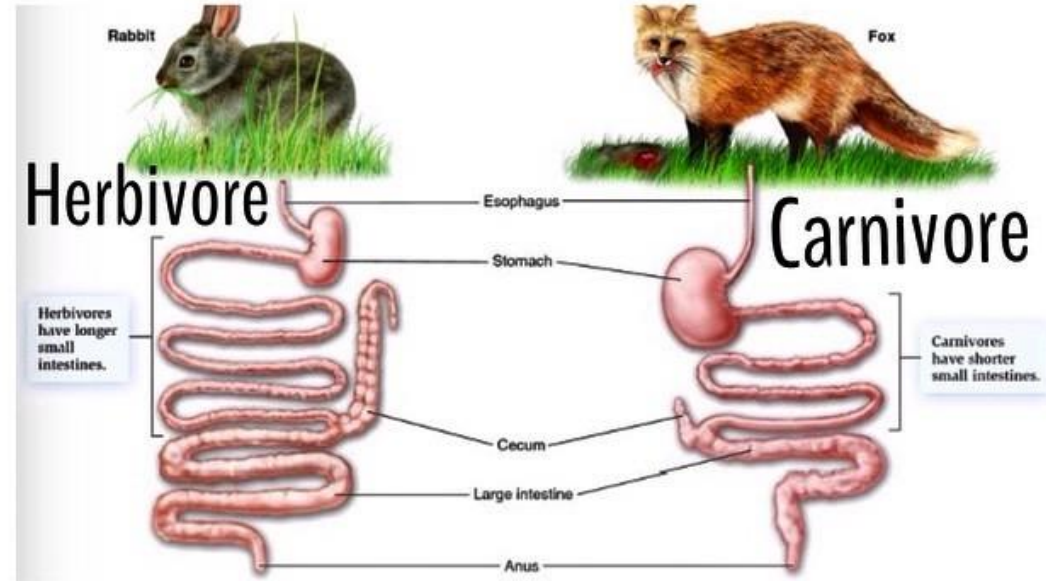


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COLOR VISION HUMANS & CATS



What Humans See

人类眼中的世界



Human Spectrum

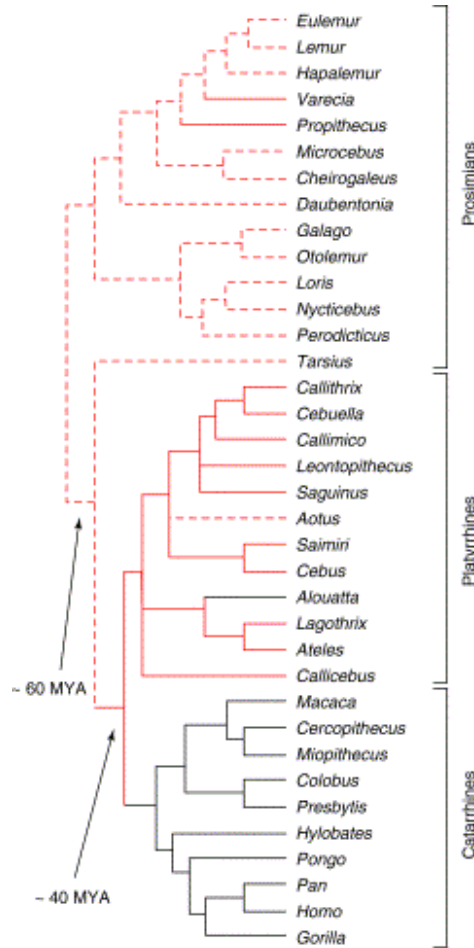


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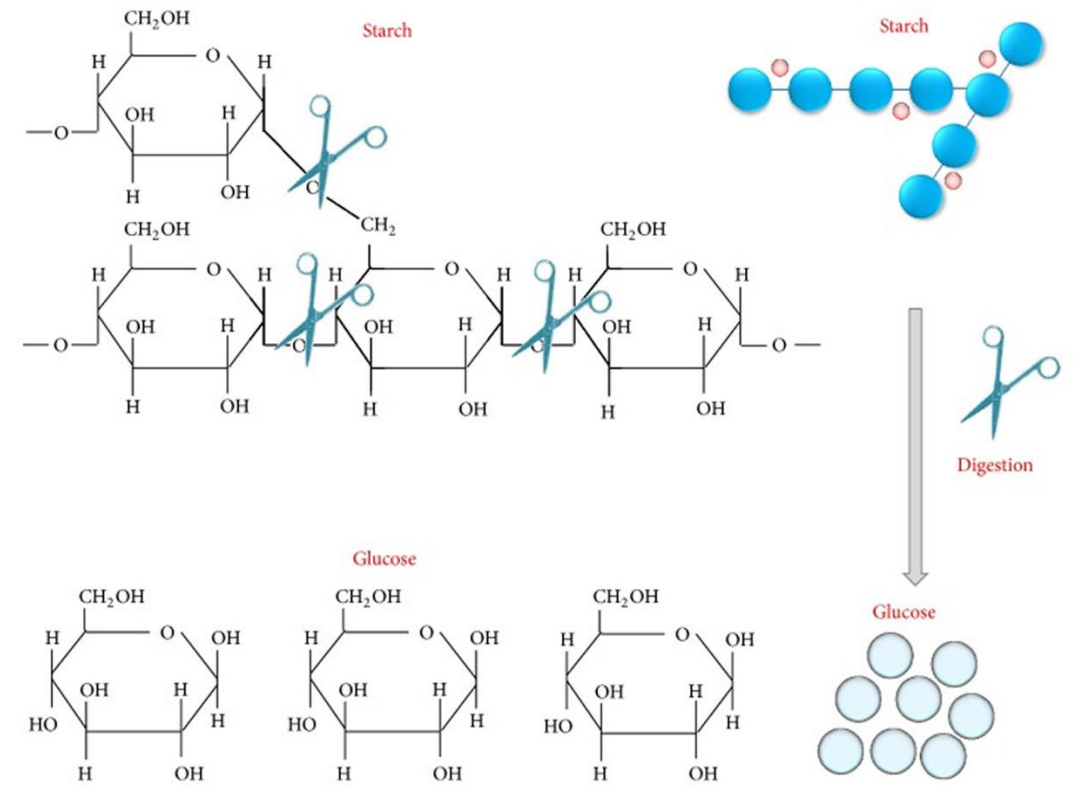
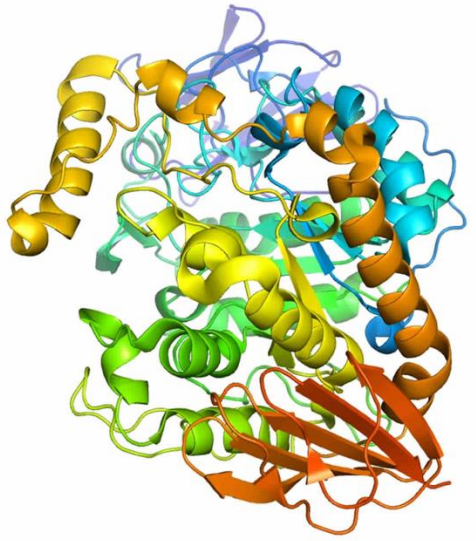


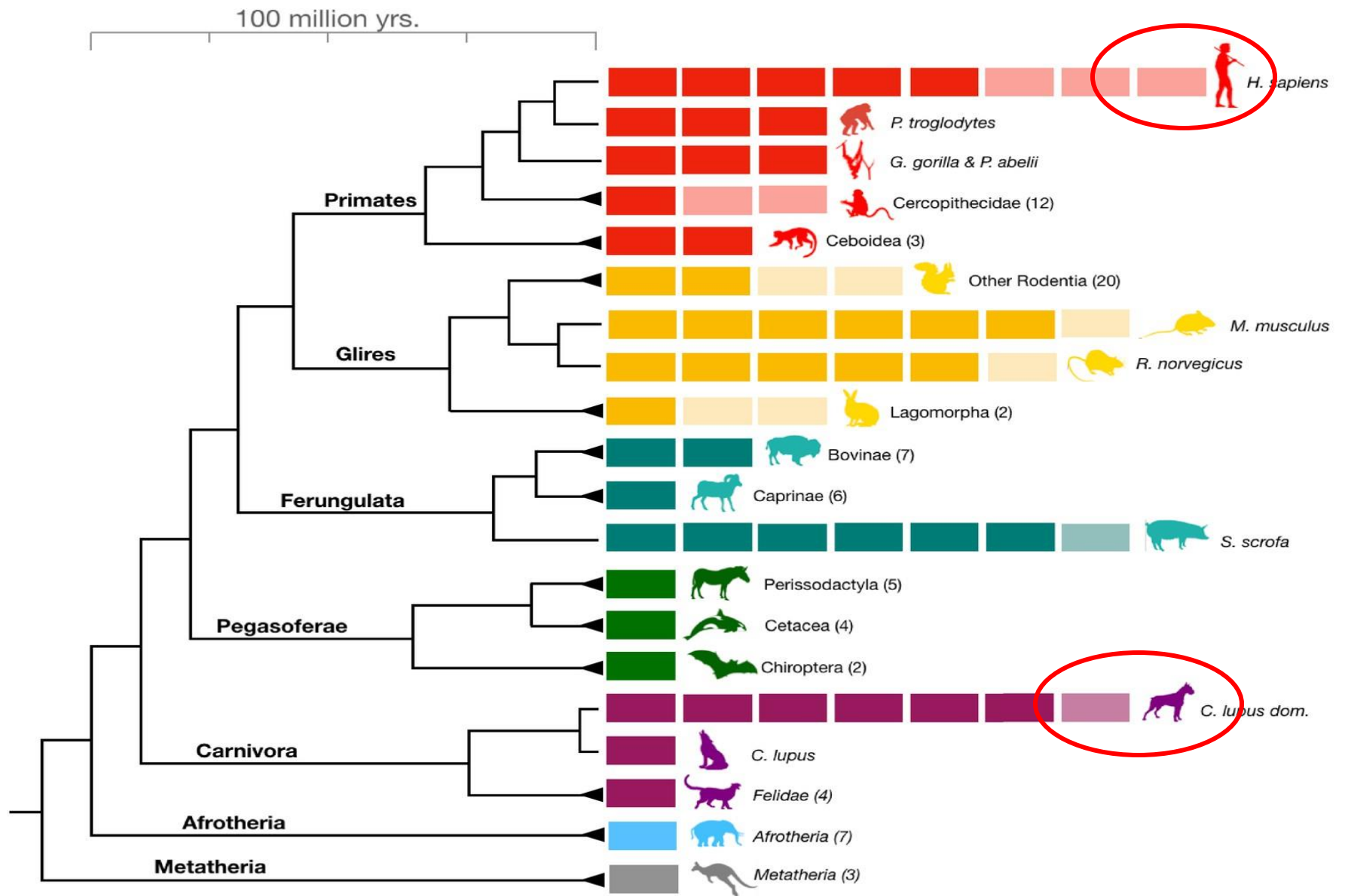
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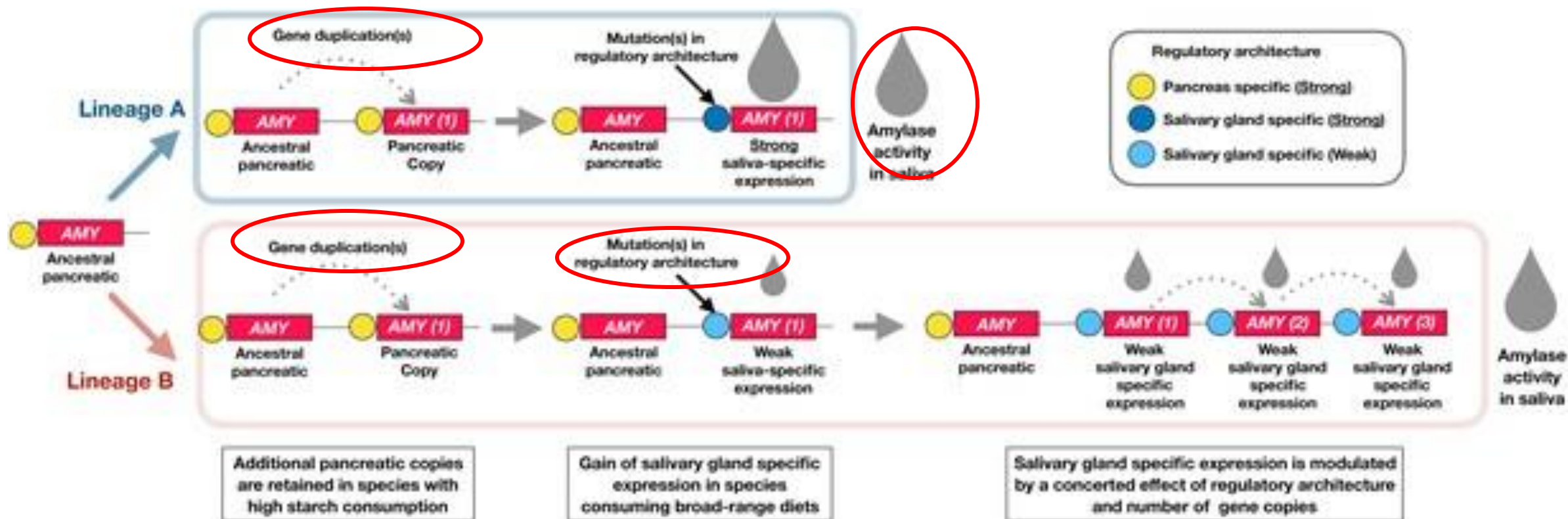
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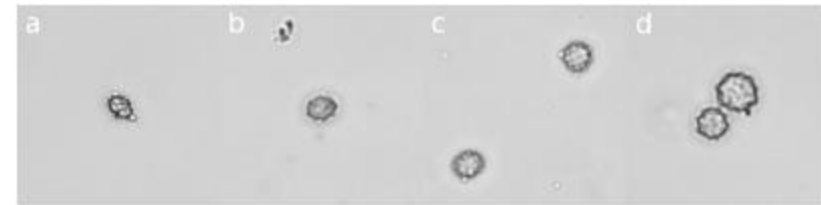
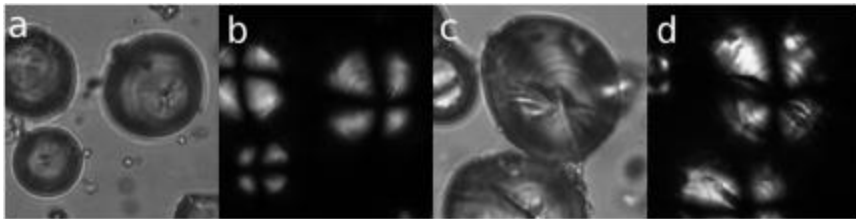
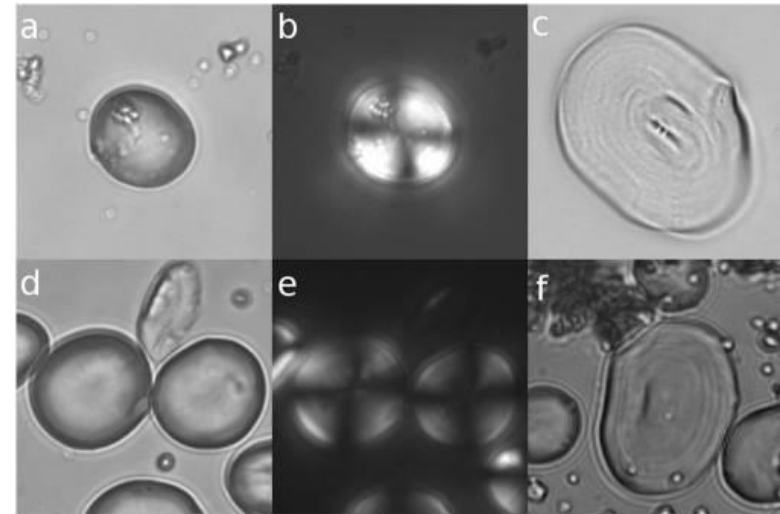
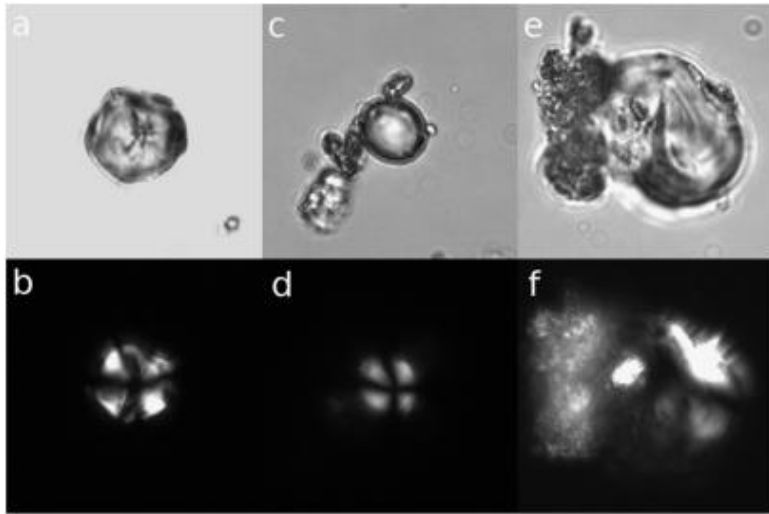


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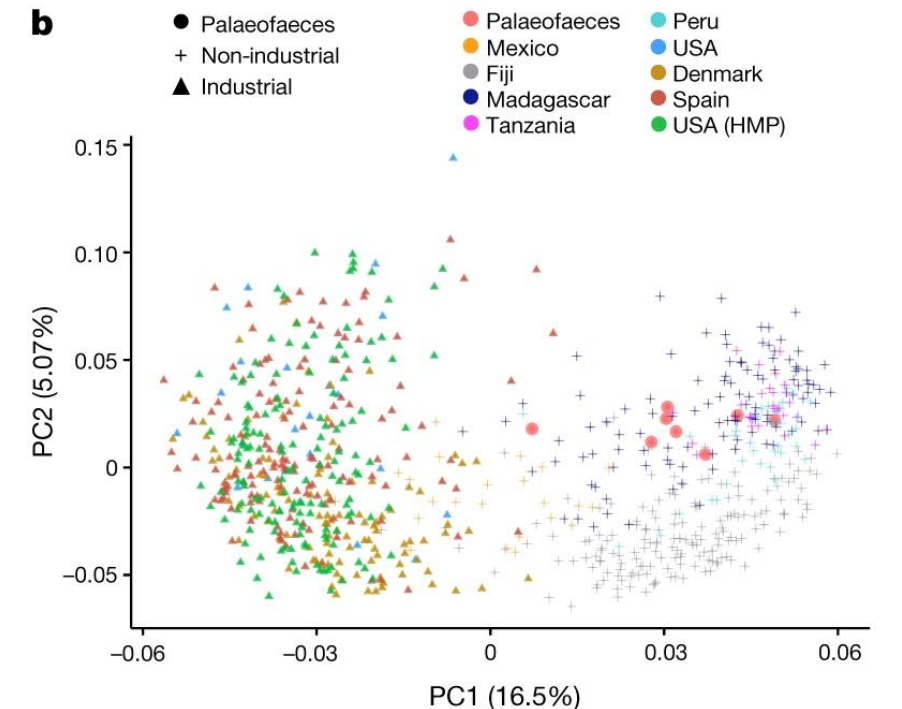
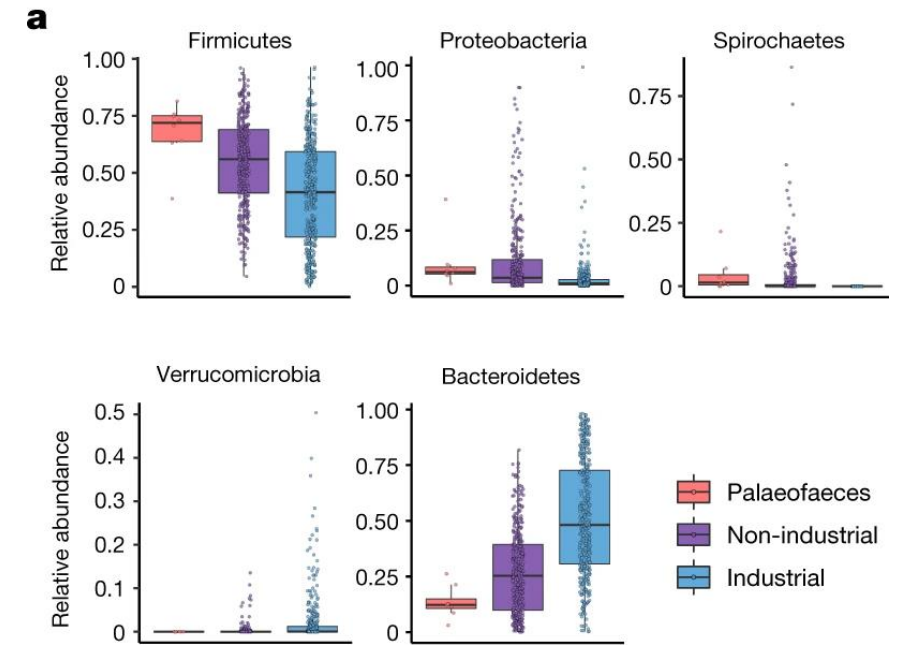


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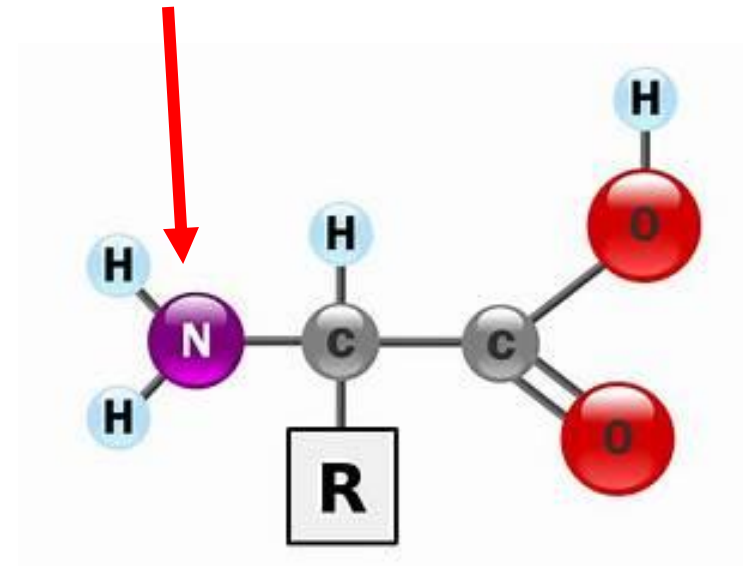
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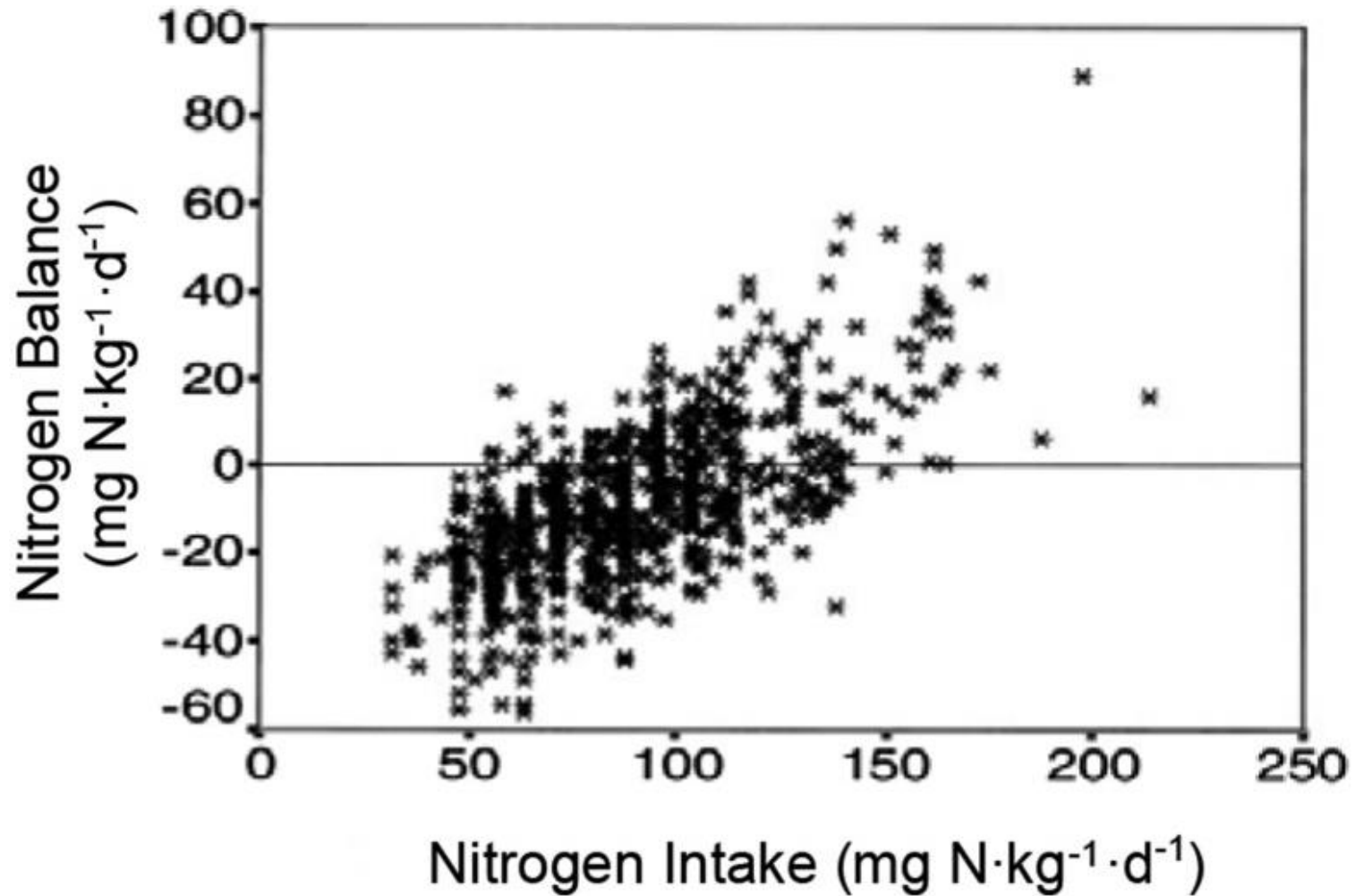


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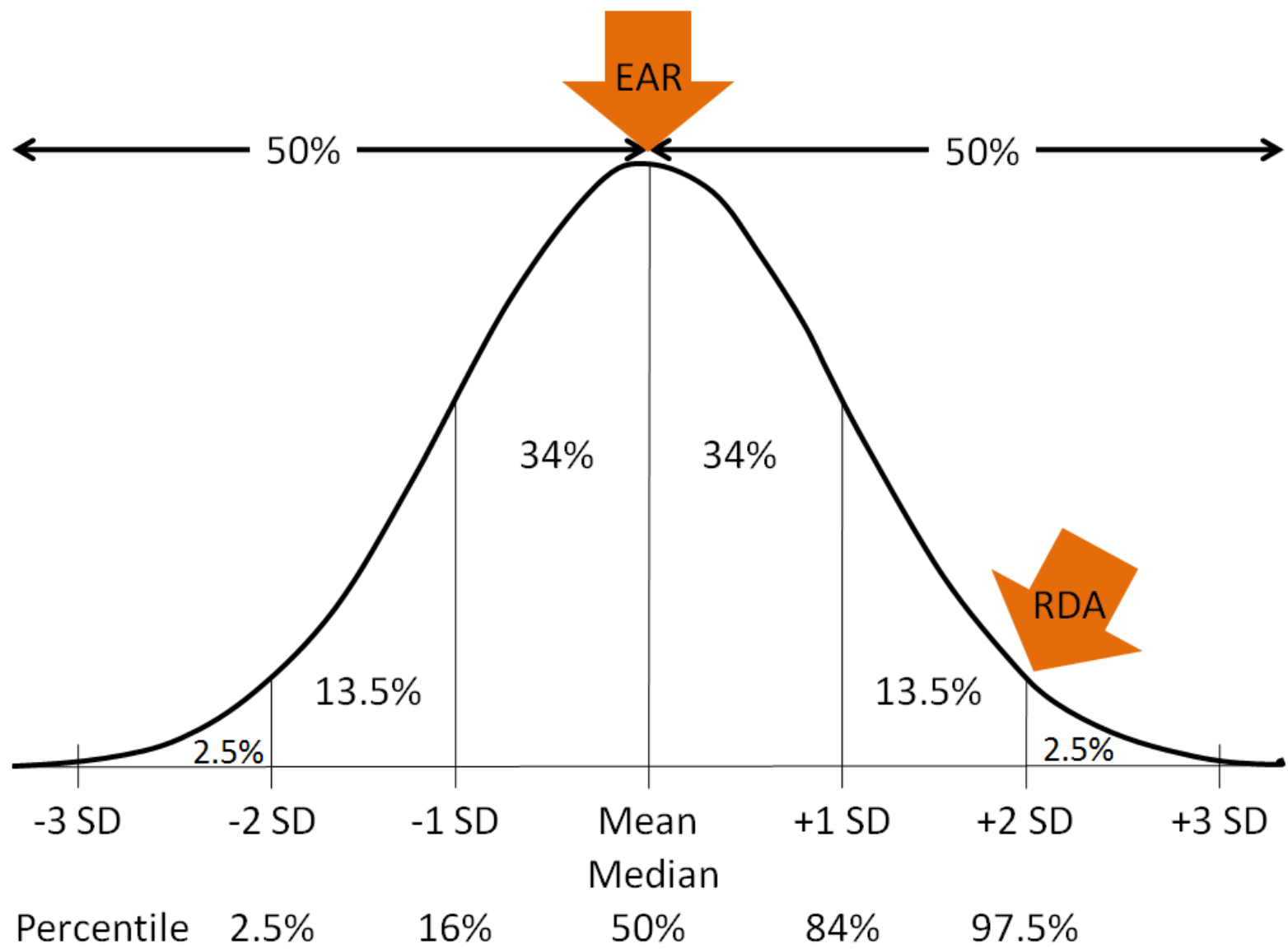
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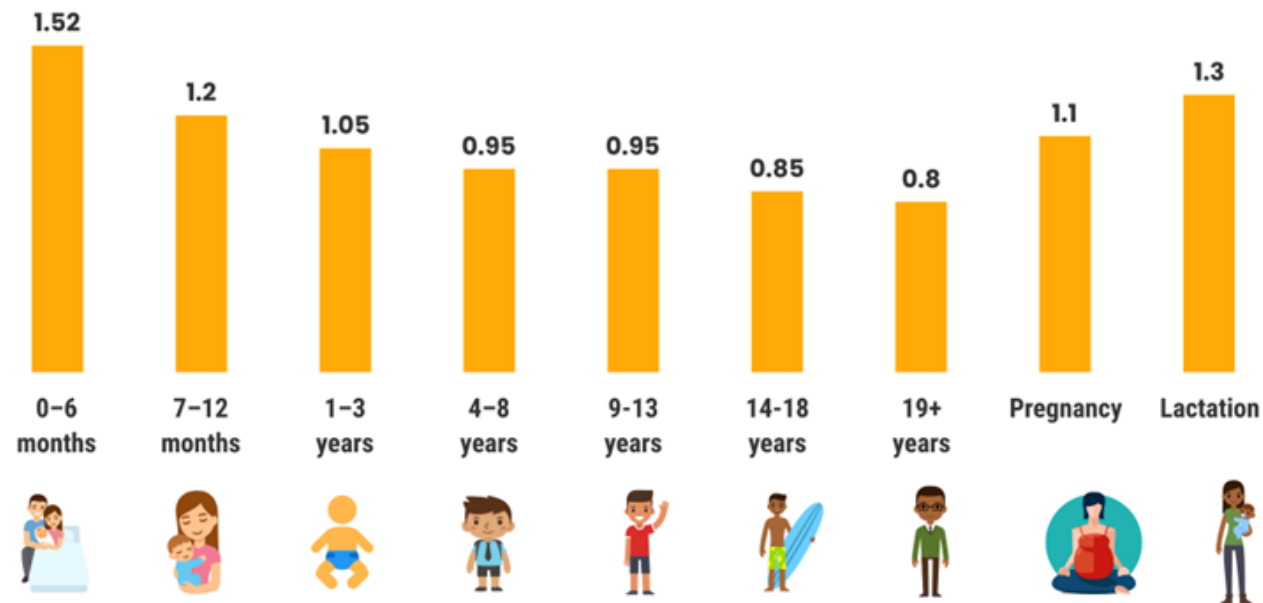
EAR = Estimated Average Requirement
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PROTEIN INTAKE

RECOMMENDED INTAKE LEVELS FOR ALL AGE GROUPS (g/kg/d)



Recommended Daily Intake



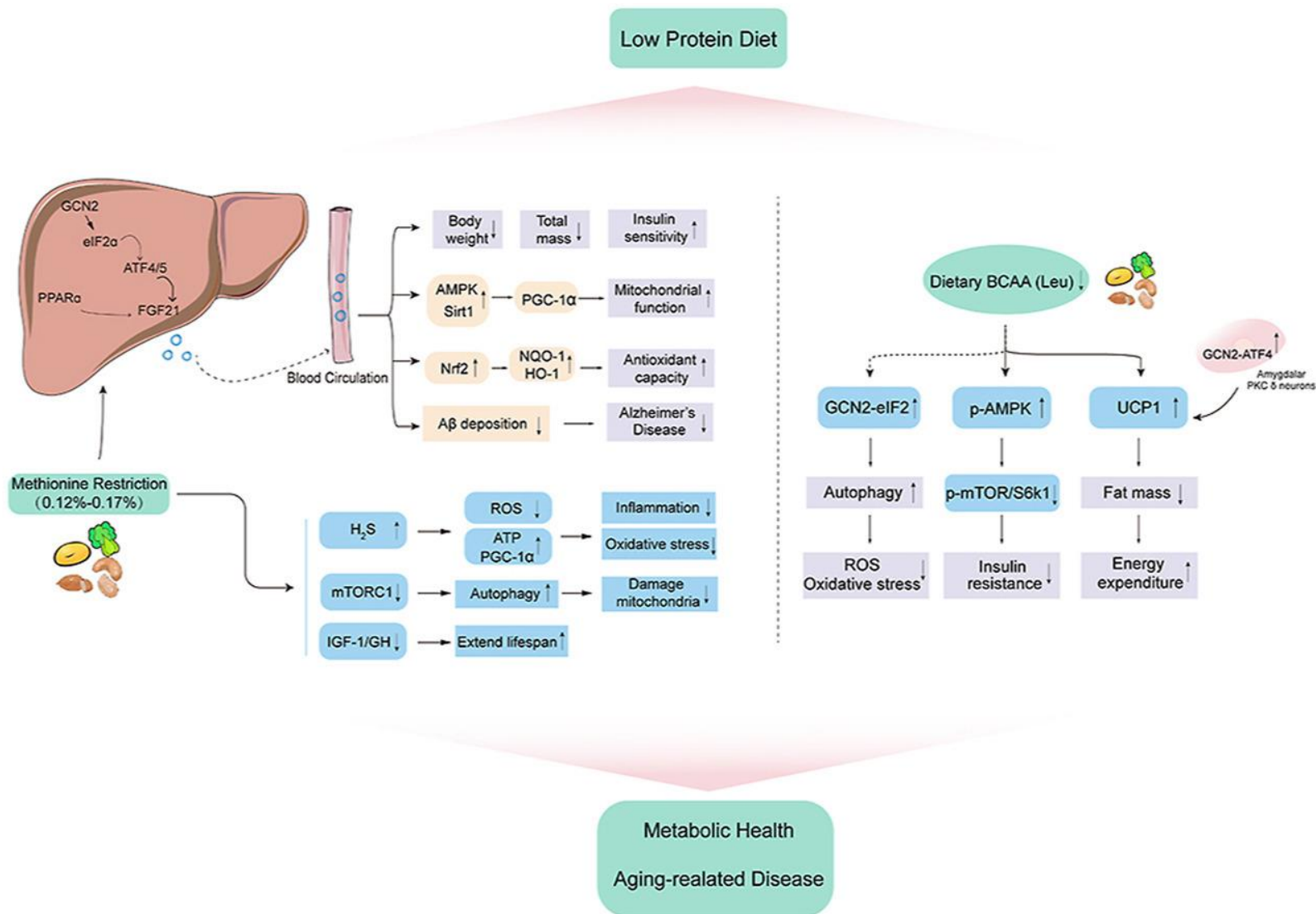
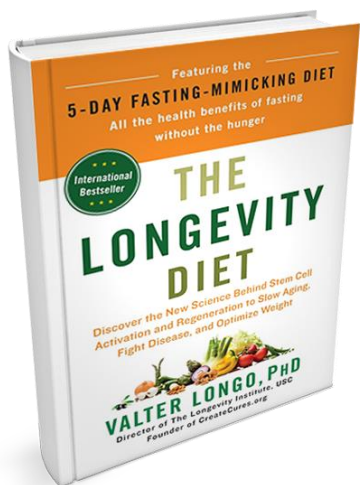
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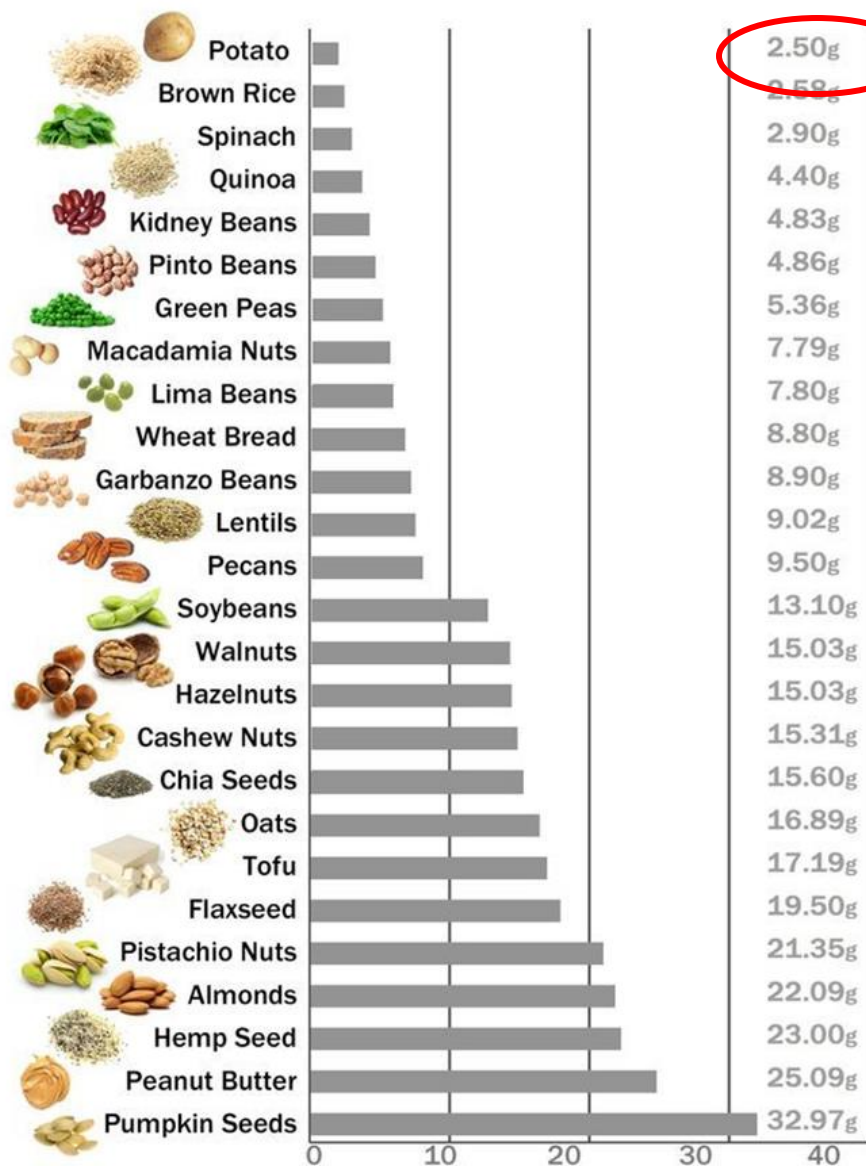


PLANT PROTEIN

1 gram edible protein per 100g (3.5 oz) in weight

0,8 g/kg σωματικού βάρους/ημέρα

70Kg- -> 56g



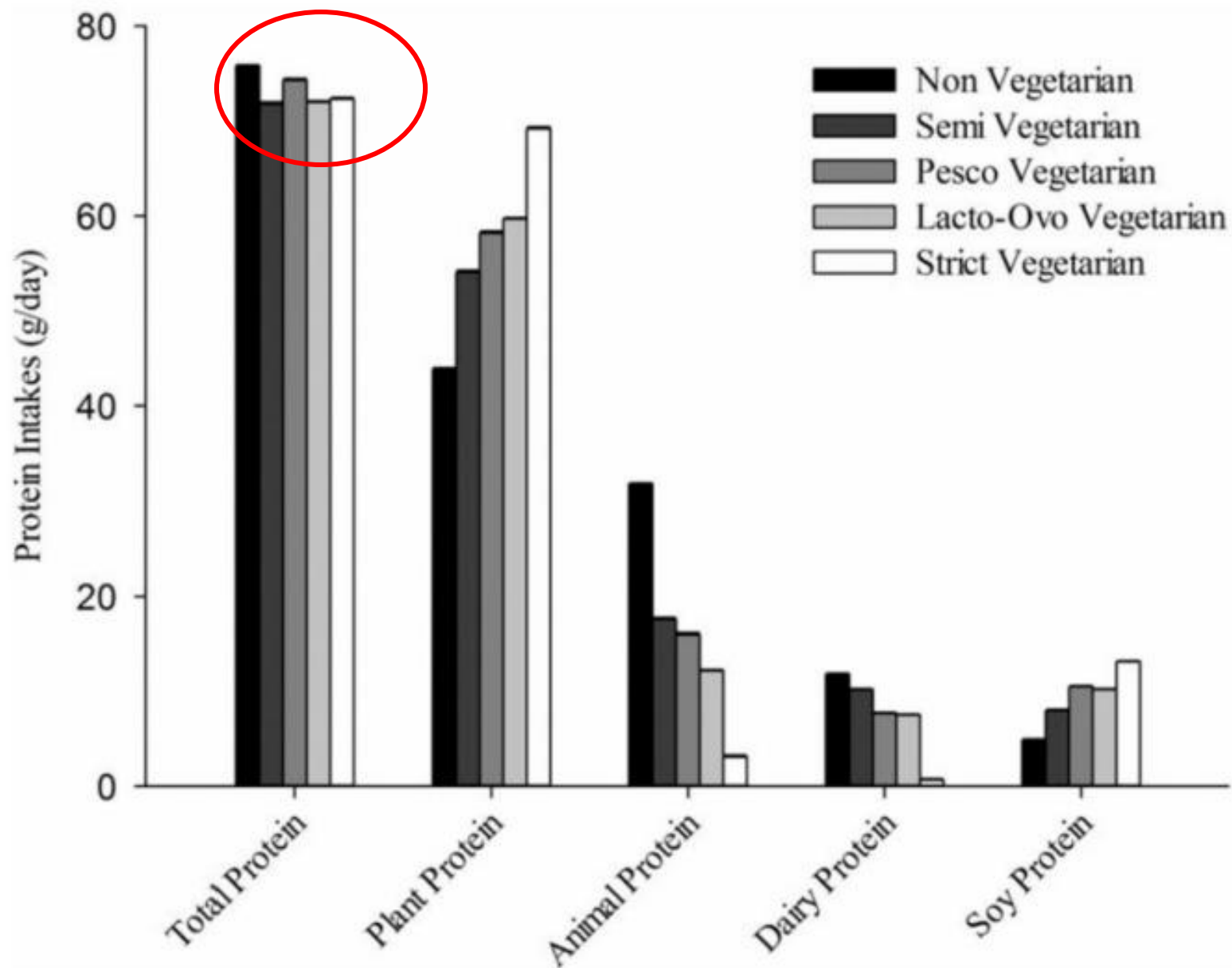
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	Meat-Eaters	Fish-Eaters	Lacto-ovo-Vegetarians	Vegans
<i>n</i> (%)	18,244 (60)	4531 (15)	6673 (22)	803 (3)
Energy (kcal)	2091	2030	2002	1944
% Energy from protein	17.2	15.5	14.0	13.1
Protein (g/kg of body weight) ¹	1.28	1.17	1.04	0.99
Protein (g) ²	90	79	70	64
Body weight (kg) ²	70	67	67	64

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**Protein intake
 (g/day) in the
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 Health Study 2**



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Average protein intake of vegans based on different samples in the literature.

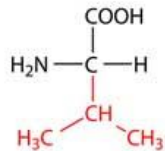
Study	Protein Intake			Vegans (n)	Method
	%E	g	g/kg bw		
EPIC-Oxford (UK)	13.1	64 ¹	0.99	803	FFQ ²
Nutrinet (France)	12.8	62		789	Multiple 24-h R
AHS-2 (North America)	14.1	71		5694	FFQ
A Belgian study	14	82		102	FFQ
A Danish Survey	11.1 ¹	67		70	4-d weighted Record
Recommended Dietary Allowance (RDA)	>10 (approx.)	50 (approx.)	0.83 (exactly)		



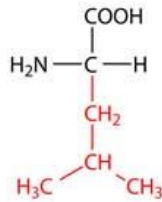
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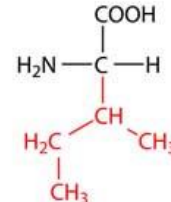
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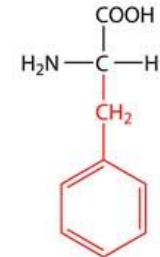
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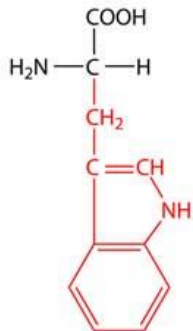
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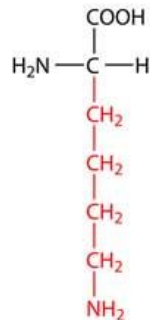
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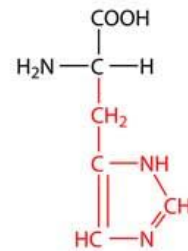
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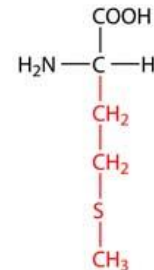
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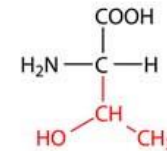
Lysine



Histidine



Methionine



Threonine

Essential amino acids in some common foods*

	chicken egg, boiled, 1 large (50 g)	ground beef, lean, broiled, 100 g (3.5 oz)	cow's milk, lowfat, 2%, 246 g (8 fl oz)	soybeans, dry roasted, 86 g (1/2 cup)	cornmeal, whole grain, 122 g (1 cup)	flour, whole wheat, 120 g (1 cup)	pinto beans, boiled, 171 g (1 cup)	sunflower seeds, dry roasted, 28 g (1 oz)
tryptophan	77	277	115	494	<u>70</u> **	254	166	84
threonine	302	1,080	366	1,478	372	474	592	223
isoleucine	343	1,111	490	1,651	355	610	621	274
leucine	538	1,954	795	2,772	1,215	1,111	1,122	399
lysine	452	2,057	644	2,265	<u>278</u>	<u>454</u>	964	<u>225</u>
methionine	196	633	205	459	207	254	<u>212</u>	119
phenylalanine	334	965	393	1,777	487	775	759	281
valine	384	1,202	544	1,699	501	742	735	316
histidine	149	846	220	918	303	380	392	152

*In milligrams.

**Underscored number indicates limiting amino acid.

Source: Jean A.T. Pennington, *Bowes and Church's Food Values of Portions Commonly Used*, 17th ed. (1998).

Table 5 Amounts of sample foods required to provide [B] a total amount of EAAs equal to the recommended daily sum of total EAAs (i.e., ~12.9 g) or [C] the RDA for each individual EAA.

From: [Essential amino acids: master regulators of nutrition and environmental footprint?](#)

	Egg	Milk	Beef	Pig	Chicken	Sea bass	Soybeans	Beans	Peas	Wheat	Maize	Rice	Potato	Cauliflower	Quinoa
B	206 ¹	718	123	137	109	131	65	267	642	339	337	439	2063	1775	154
C	295 ²	890	171	168	140	174	89	478	1105	879	814	817	2856	2169	205

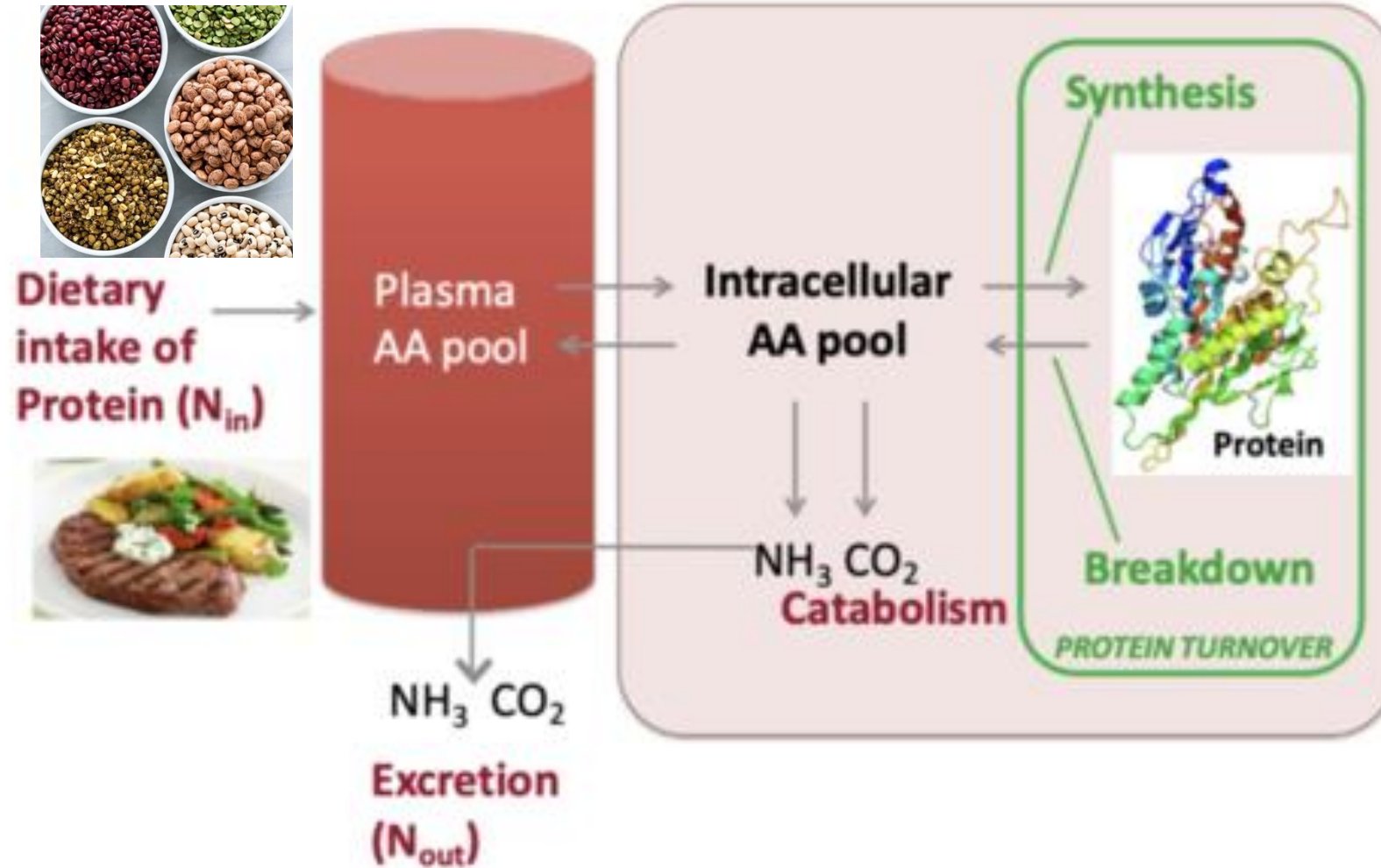
Recommended daily allowances (RDA, referred to a 70-kg man) (see [Table 2](#) for references). Data are expressed in grams (g) of edible parts, with the exception of milk (ml).

¹Corresponding to 3.74 eggs.

²Corresponding to 5 eggs.



Amino Acid Pools & Protein Turnover





FROM THE ACADEMY

Position Paper

Position of the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics: Vegetarian Diets

ABSTRACT

It is the position of the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics that appropriately planned vegetarian, including vegan, diets are healthful, nutritionally adequate, and may provide health benefits for the prevention and treatment of certain diseases. These diets are appropriate for all stages of the life cycle, including pregnancy, lactation, infancy, childhood, adolescence, older adulthood, and for athletes. Plant-based diets are more environmentally sustainable than diets rich in animal products because they use fewer natural resources and are associated with much less environmental damage. Vegetarians and vegans are at reduced risk of certain health conditions, including ischemic heart disease, type 2 diabetes, hypertension, certain types of cancer, and obesity. Low intake of saturated fat and high intakes of vegetables, fruits, whole grains, legumes, soy products, nuts, and seeds (all rich in fiber and phytochemicals) are characteristics of vegetarian and vegan diets that produce lower total and low-density lipoprotein cholesterol levels and better serum glucose control. These factors contribute to reduction of chronic disease. Vegans need reliable sources of vitamin B-12, such as fortified foods or supplements.

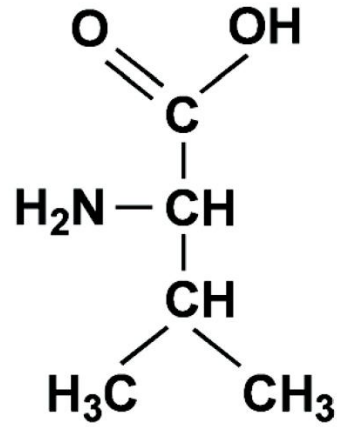
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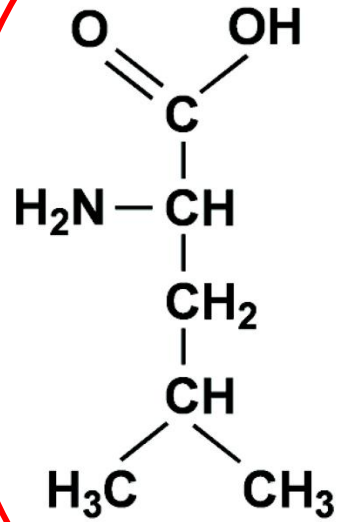
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protein intakes, when caloric intakes are adequate.⁶⁻⁸ The terms *complete* and *incomplete* are misleading in relation to plant protein. Protein from a variety of plant foods, eaten during the course of a day, supplies enough of all indispensable (essential) amino acids when caloric requirements are met.⁷ The regular use of legumes and soy products will ensure an adequate protein intake for the vegetarian, as well as providing other essential nutrients.⁹

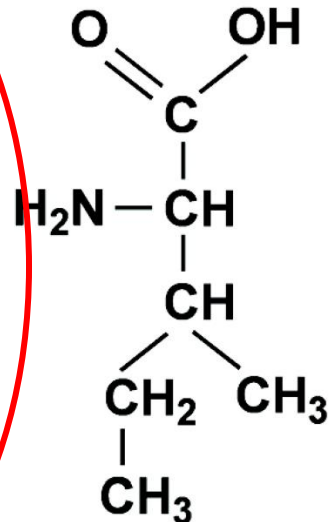
Τα BCAA και η ανάπτυξη μυϊκής μάζας



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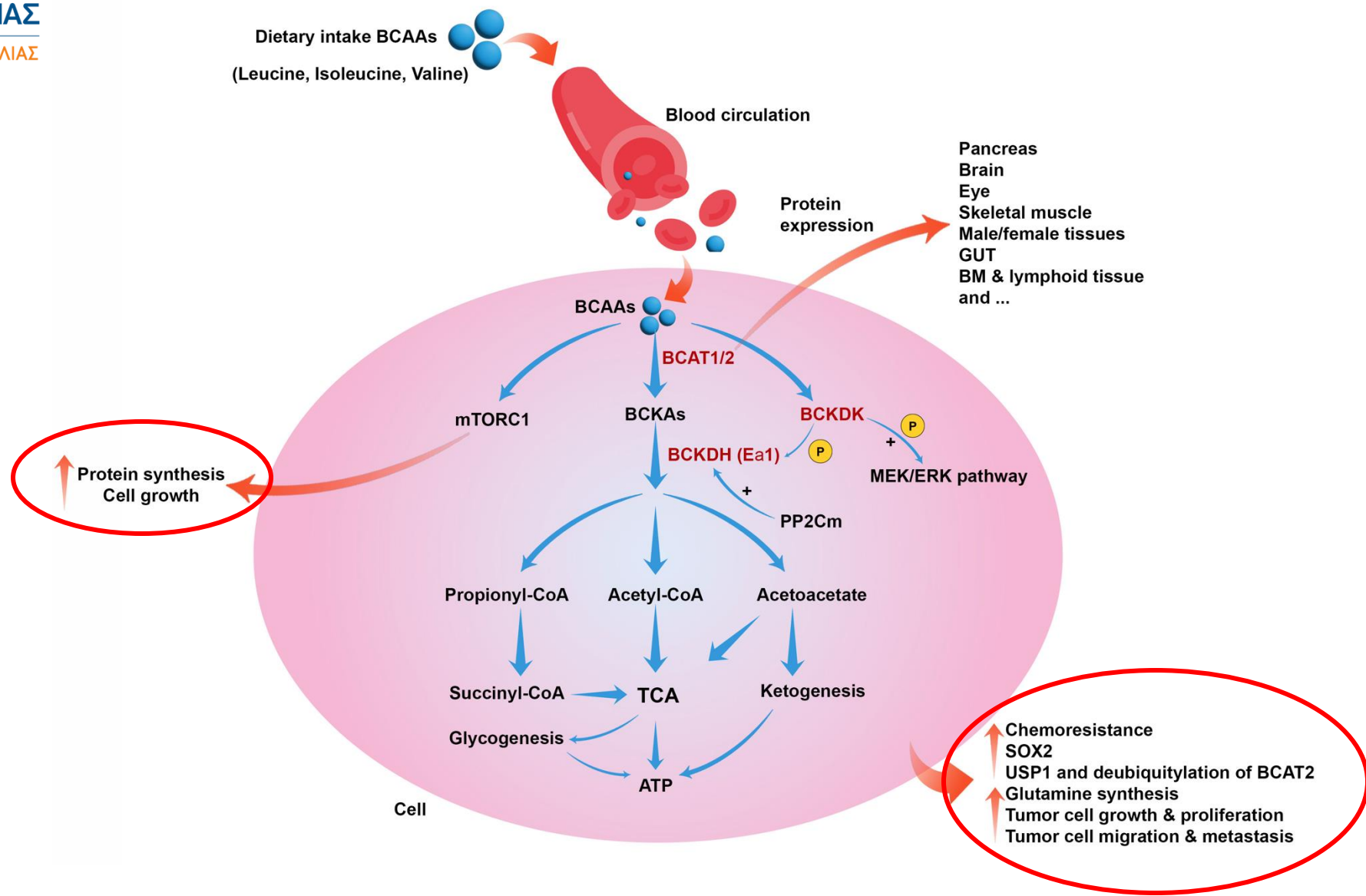


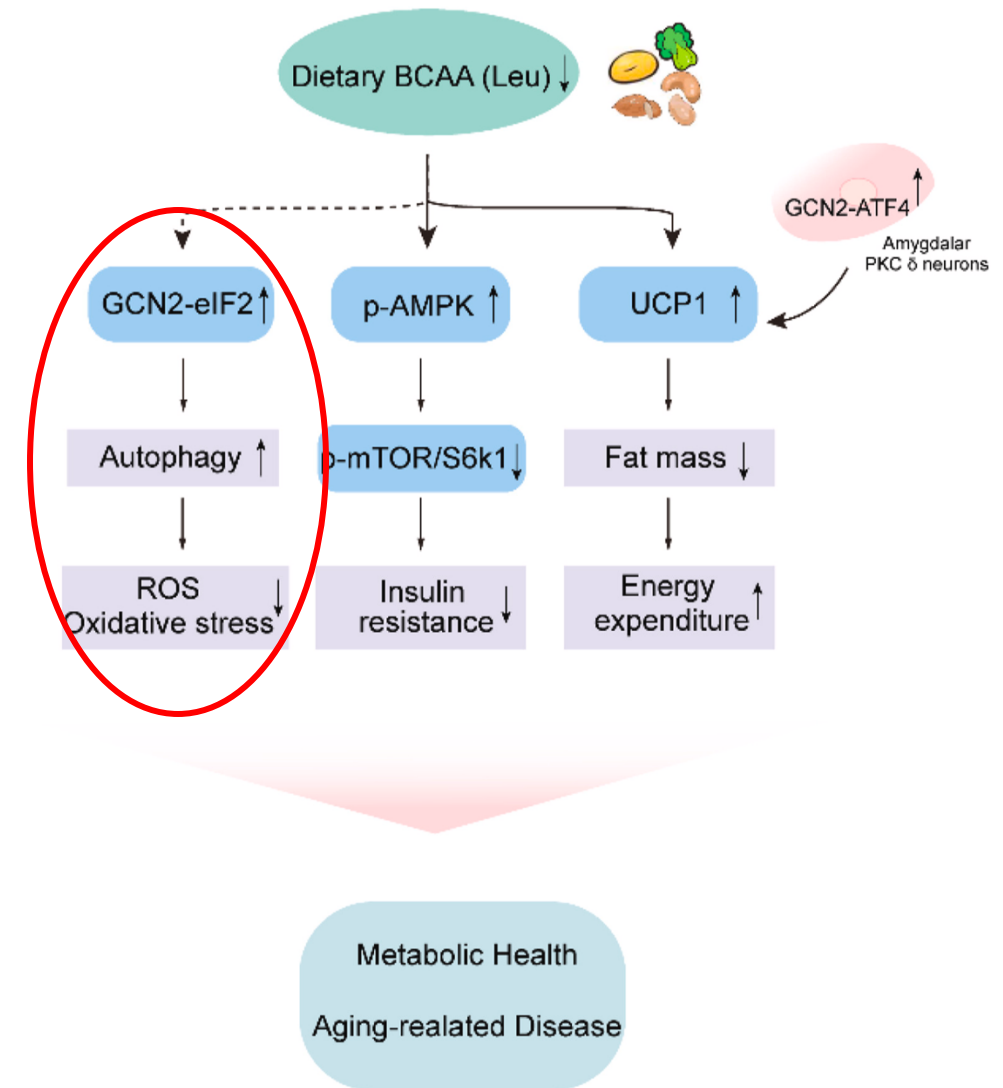
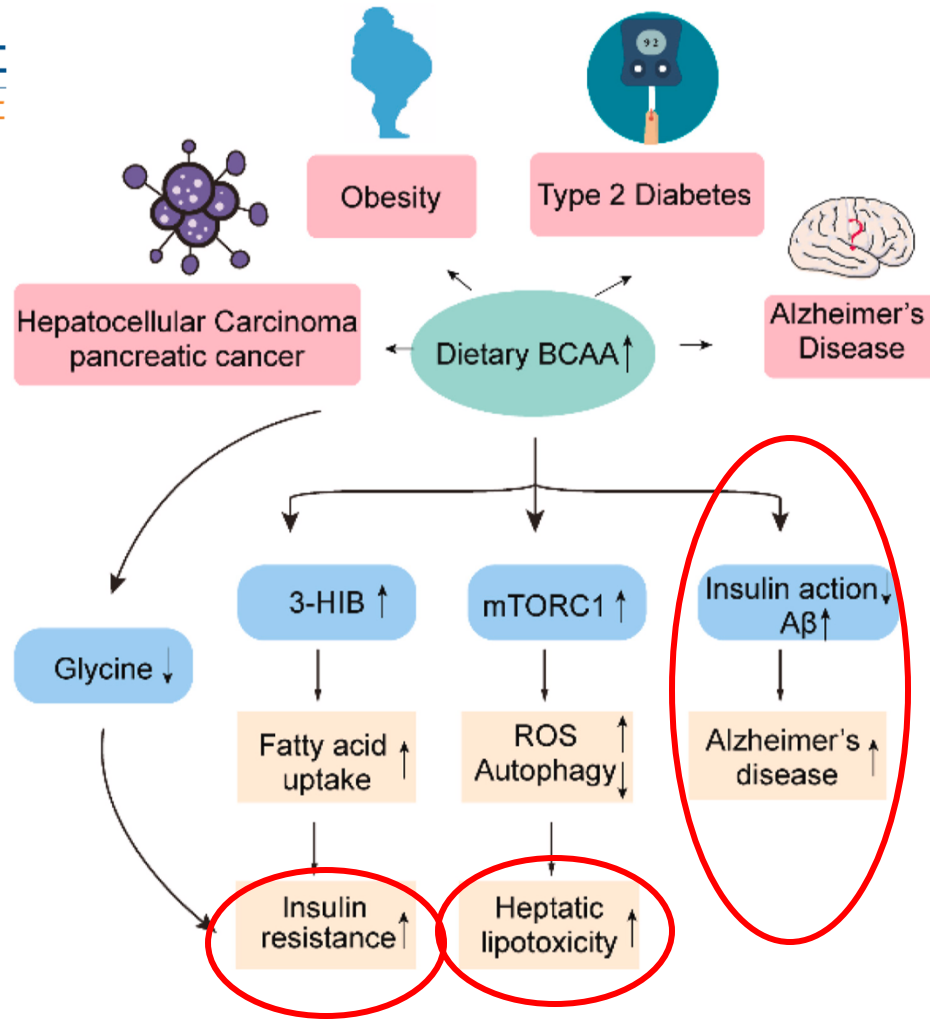
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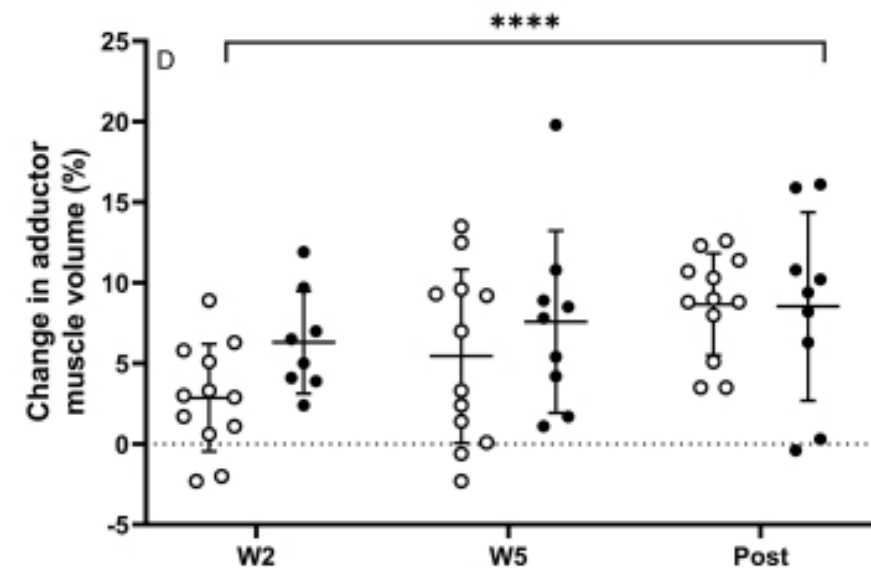
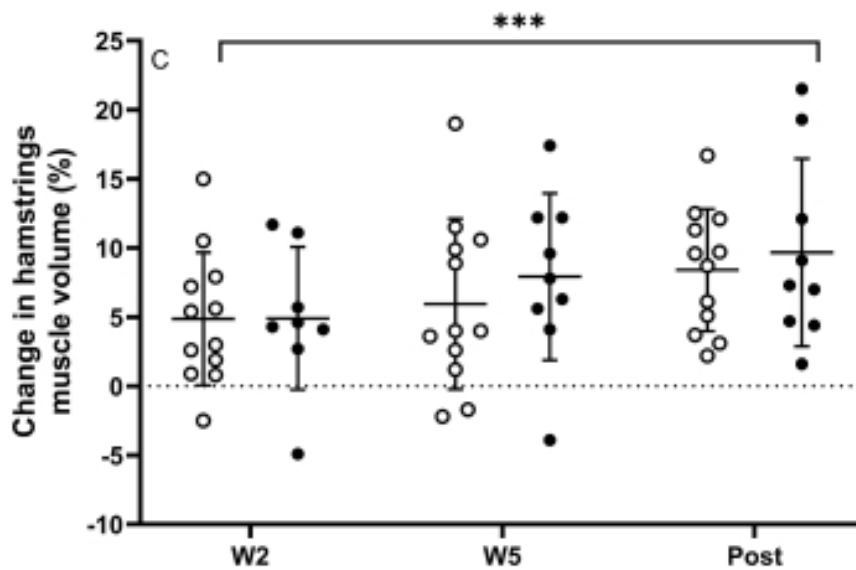
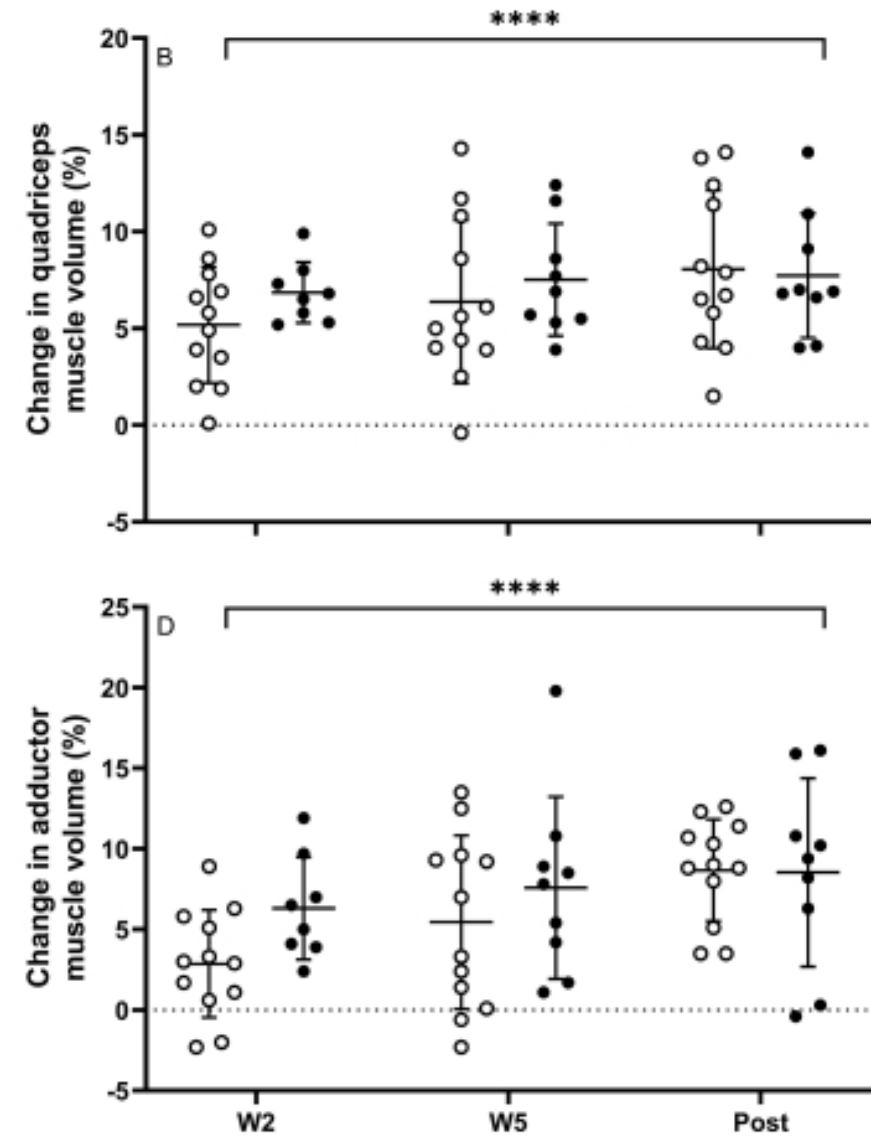
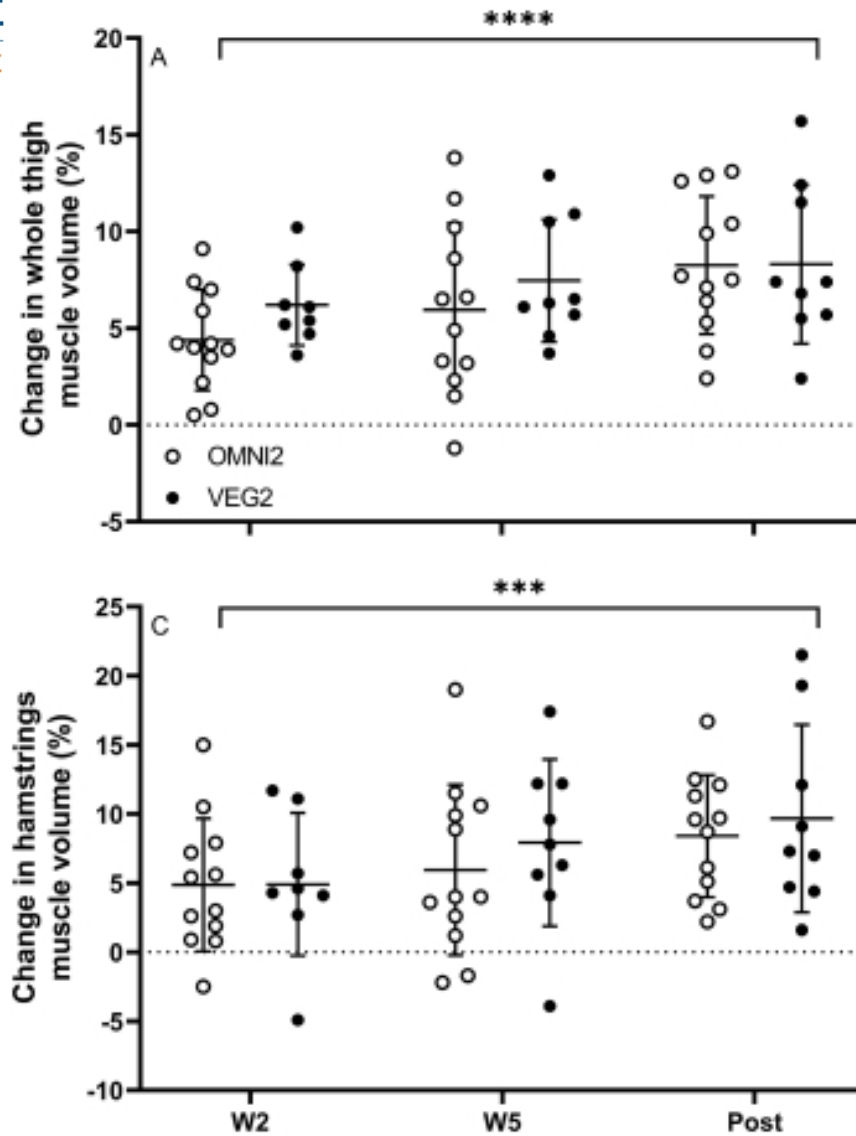


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Βιοδιαθεσιμότητα - Αντιθρεπτικά

Protein digestibility-corrected amino acid score (PDCAAS)

Digestible Indispensable Amino Acid Score (DIAAS)

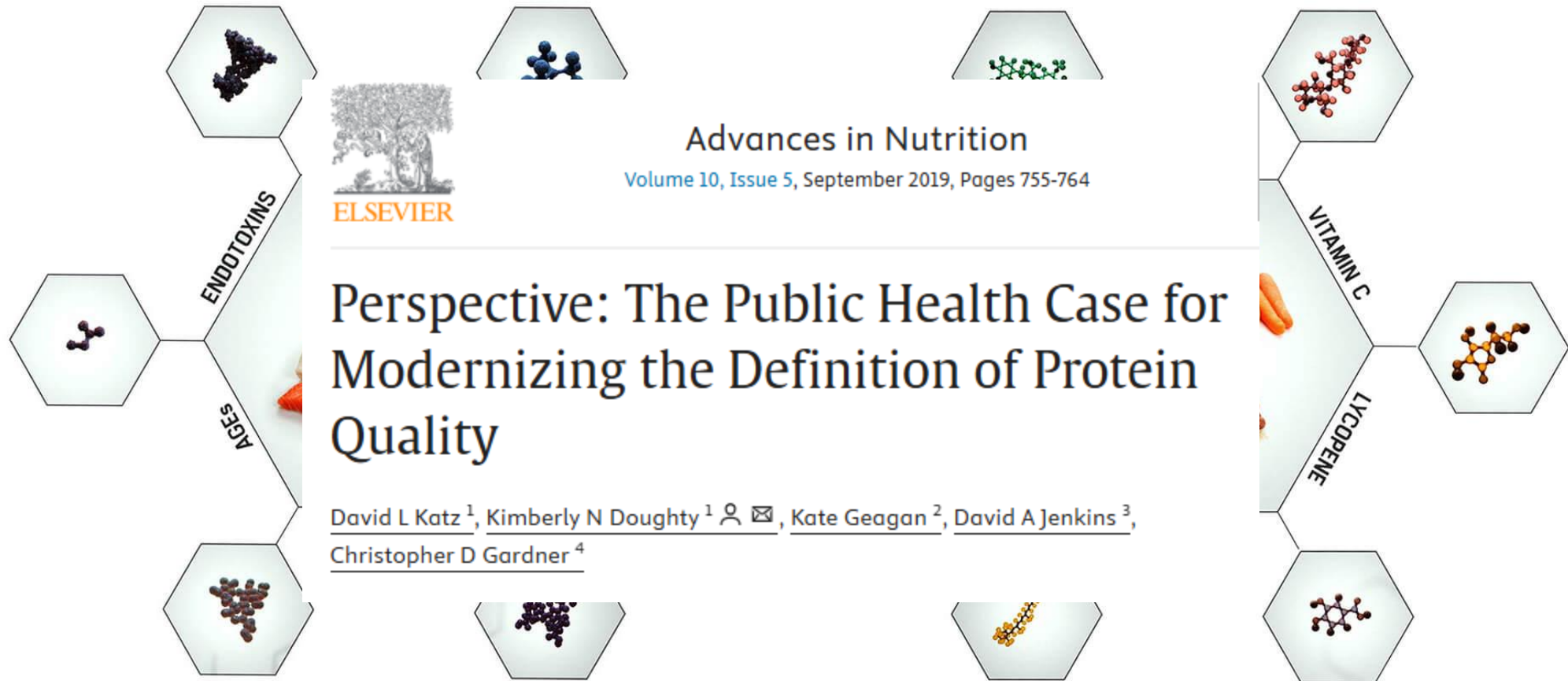
$$\frac{\text{Amino Acid in protein}}{\text{Amino Acid requirement}} \times \text{Protein digestibility} = \text{PDCAAS score truncated to max.1.0}$$

$$\frac{\text{Amino Acid in protein}}{\text{Amino Acid requirement}} \times \text{Amino Acid digestibility} = \text{DIAAS score (no truncation)}$$

Protein Sources	PDCAAS	DIAAS
Animal proteins		
Skimmed milk powder	100 *	123
Milk protein concentrate	100 *	141
Casein		117
Whey protein isolate	100 *	125
Whey		85
Whey protein concentrate	100 *	133
Pork		117
Beef		112
Chicken	100	108
Egg	100	101
Insect protein		75

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Plant proteins		
Wheat	51	54
Oats	64	57
Oat protein concentrate	69	67
Soy		91
Soy flour	100 *	105
Soy protein isolate	100 *	98
Pea	64	70
Pea protein concentrate	84	73
Fava beans		55
Rapeseed		67
Lupin	40–80	68
Canola		72
Corn		36
Potato	100	100
Gelatine		2
Red kidney beans		51
Chickpeas		85
Split red lentils		50
Split yellow peas		73





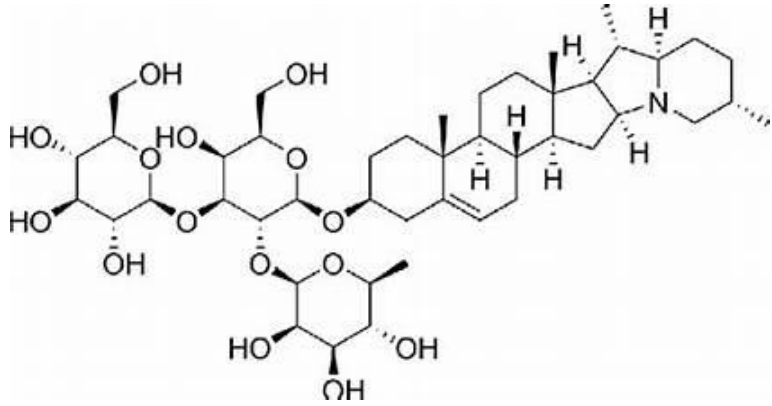
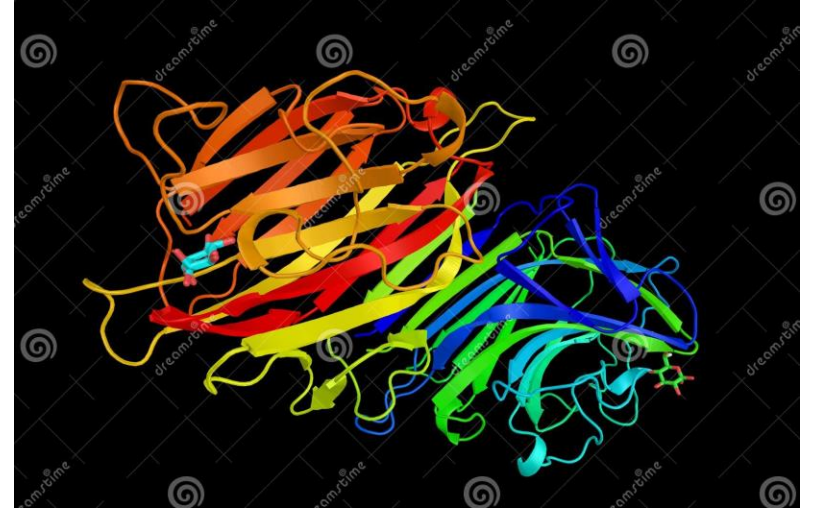
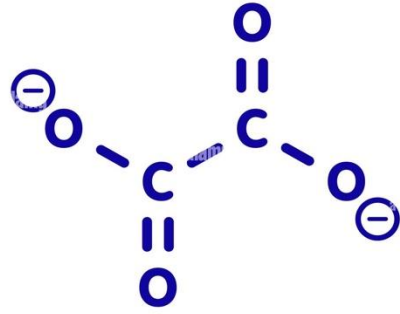
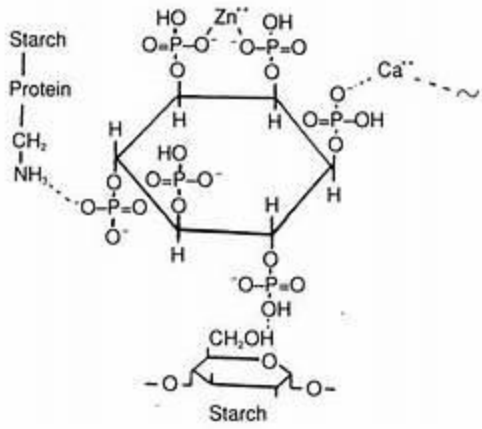
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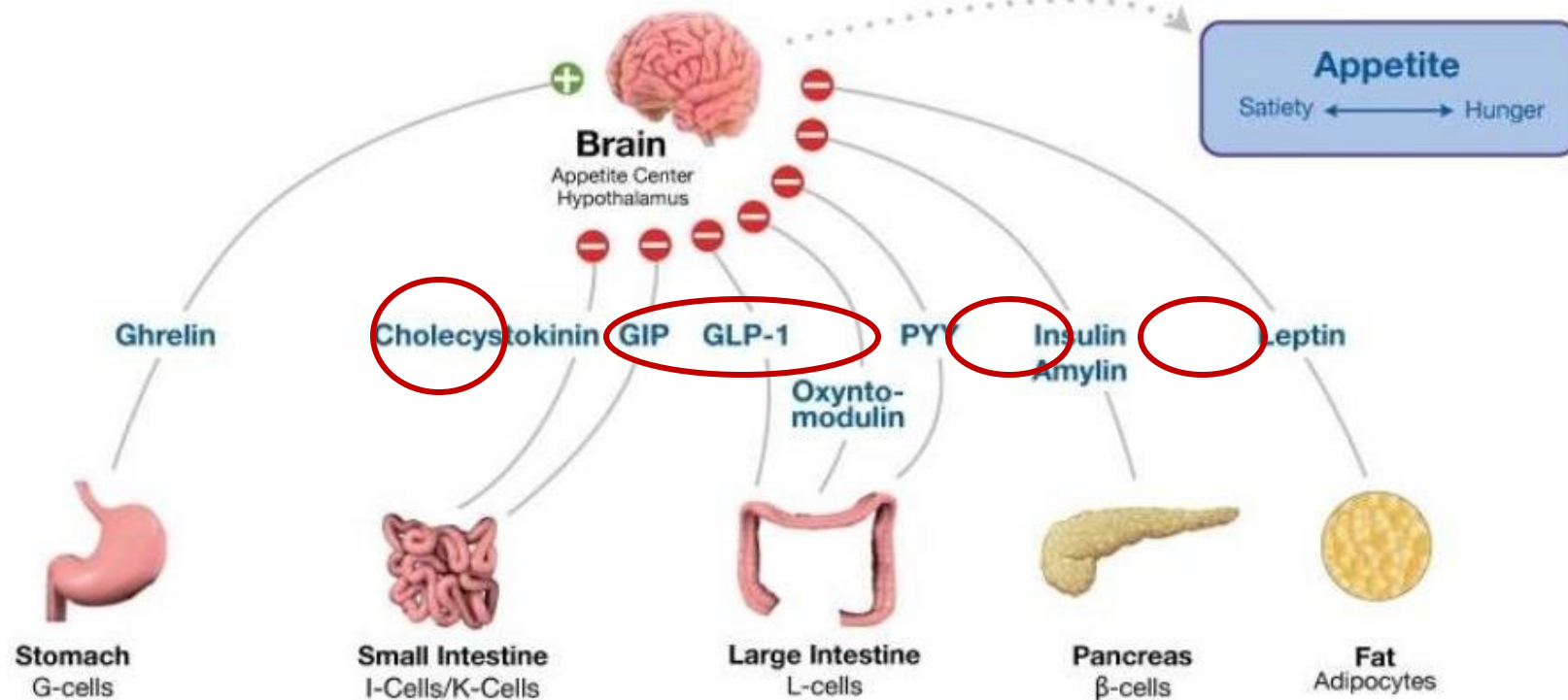
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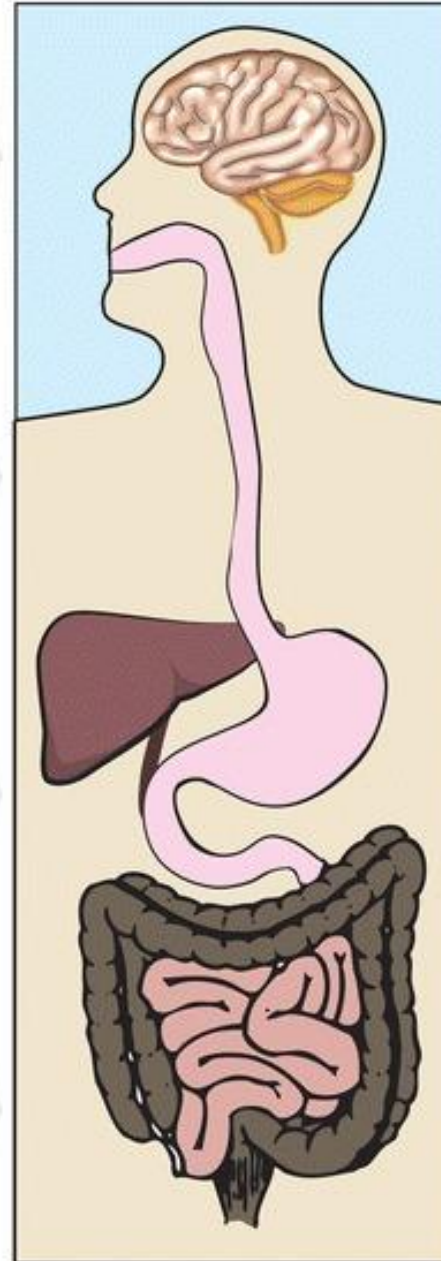
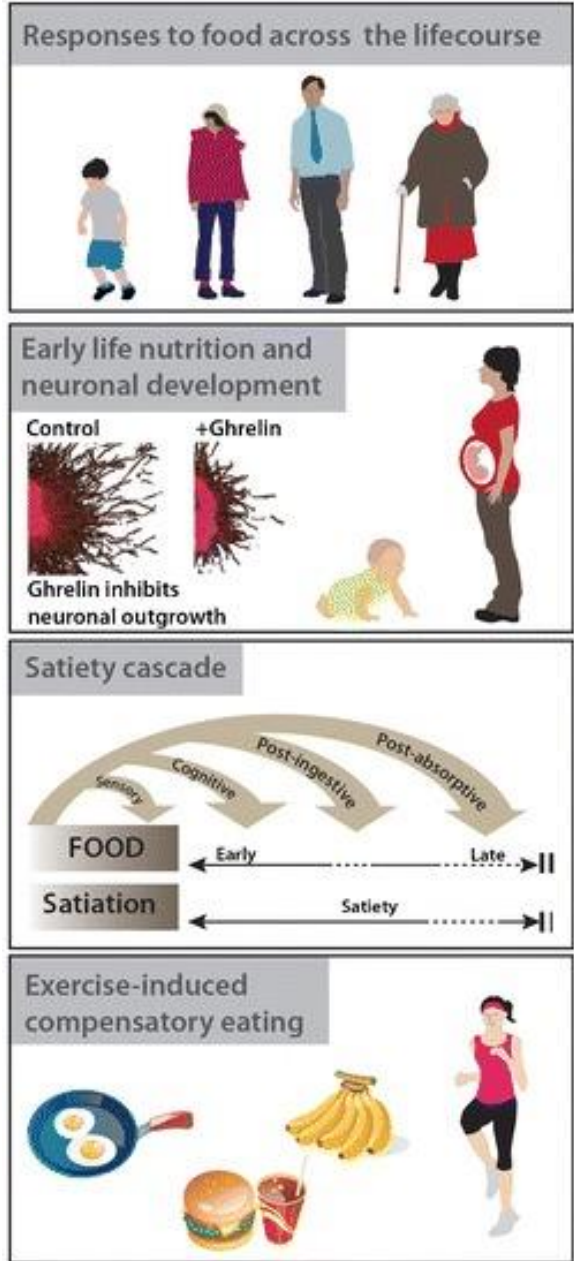


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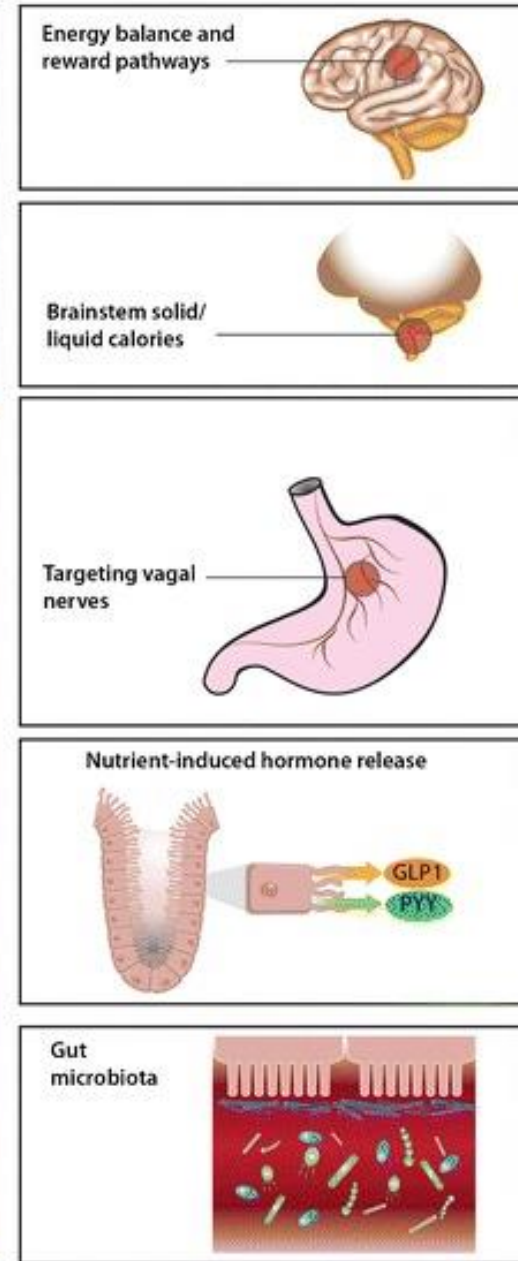
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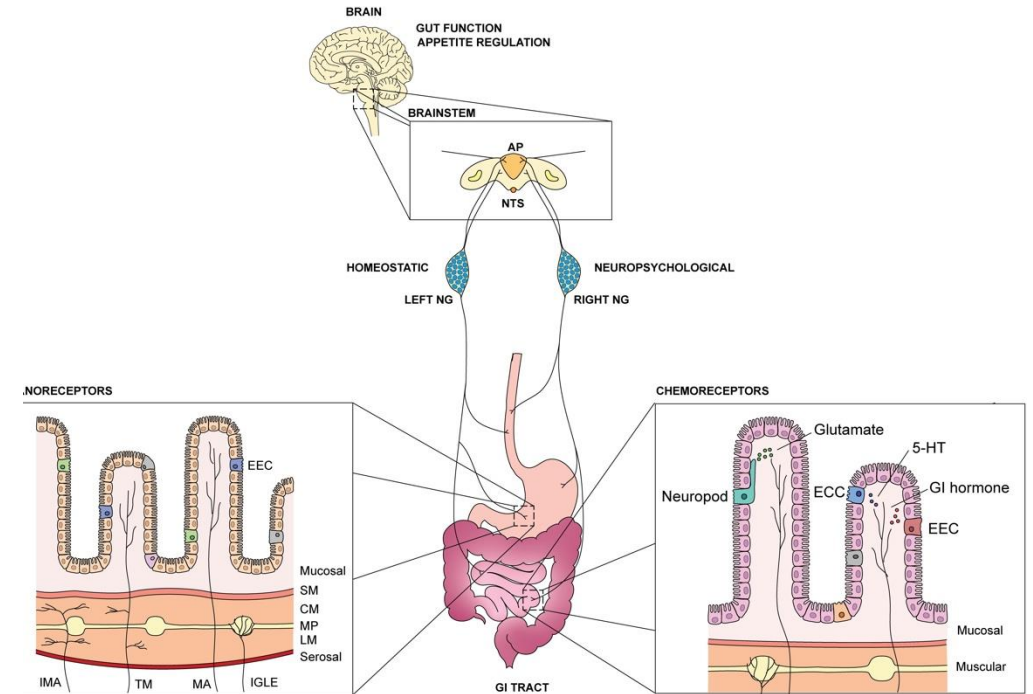
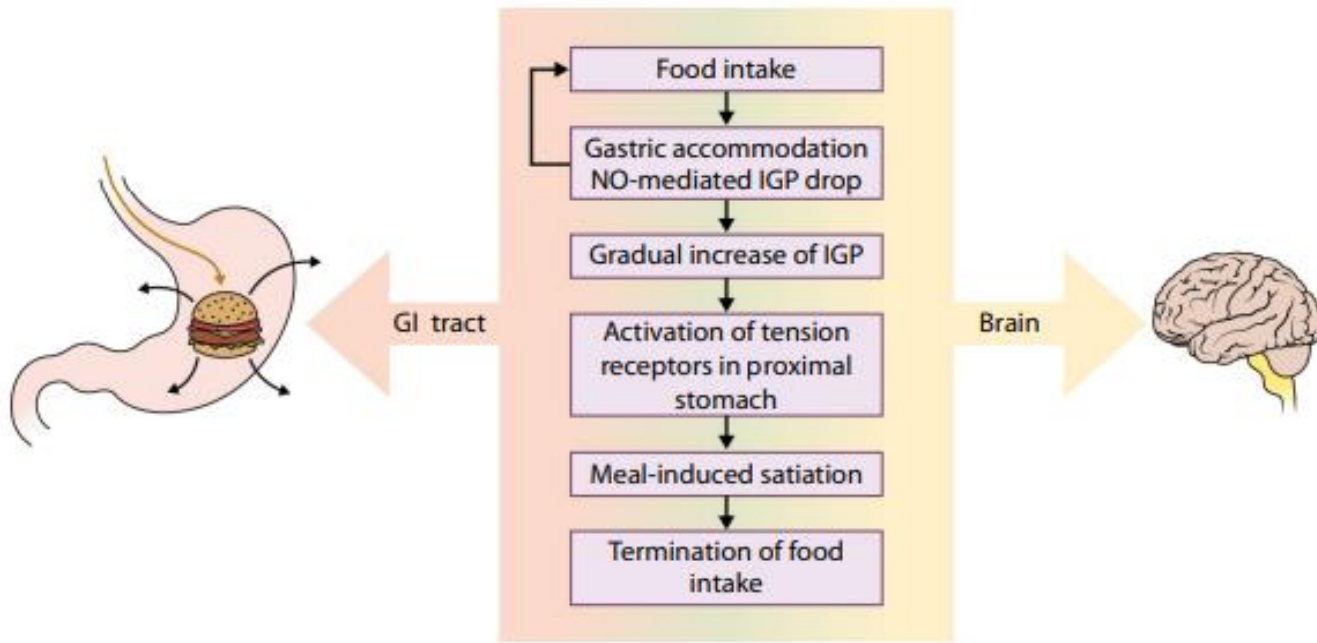


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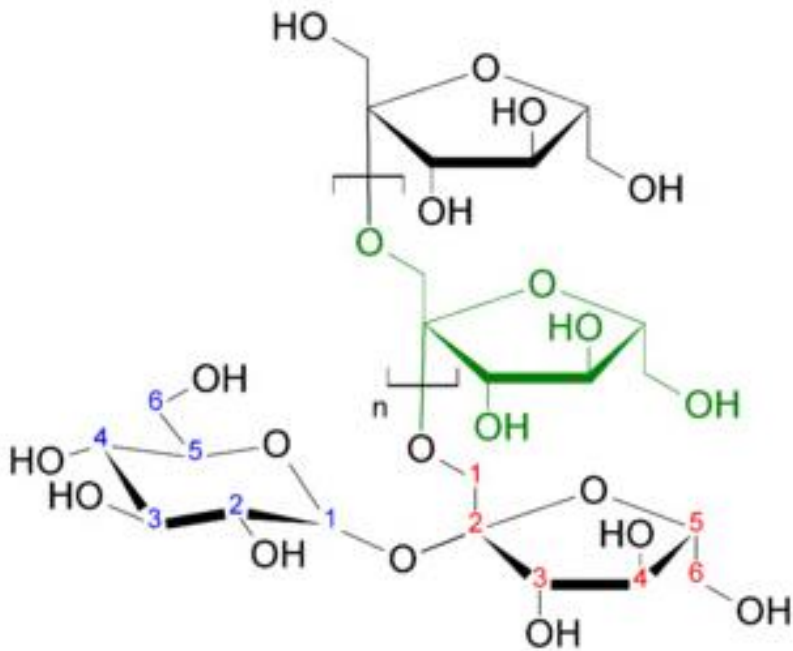
Οι φυτικές ίνες, ιδιαίτερα οι διαλυτές ίνες, ζυμώνονται στο έντερο και παράγουν βραχείας αλυσίδας λιπαρά οξέα (SCFAs), τα οποία ενισχύουν περαιτέρω το PYY και το GLP-1, ενισχύοντας το αίσθημα πληρότητας.

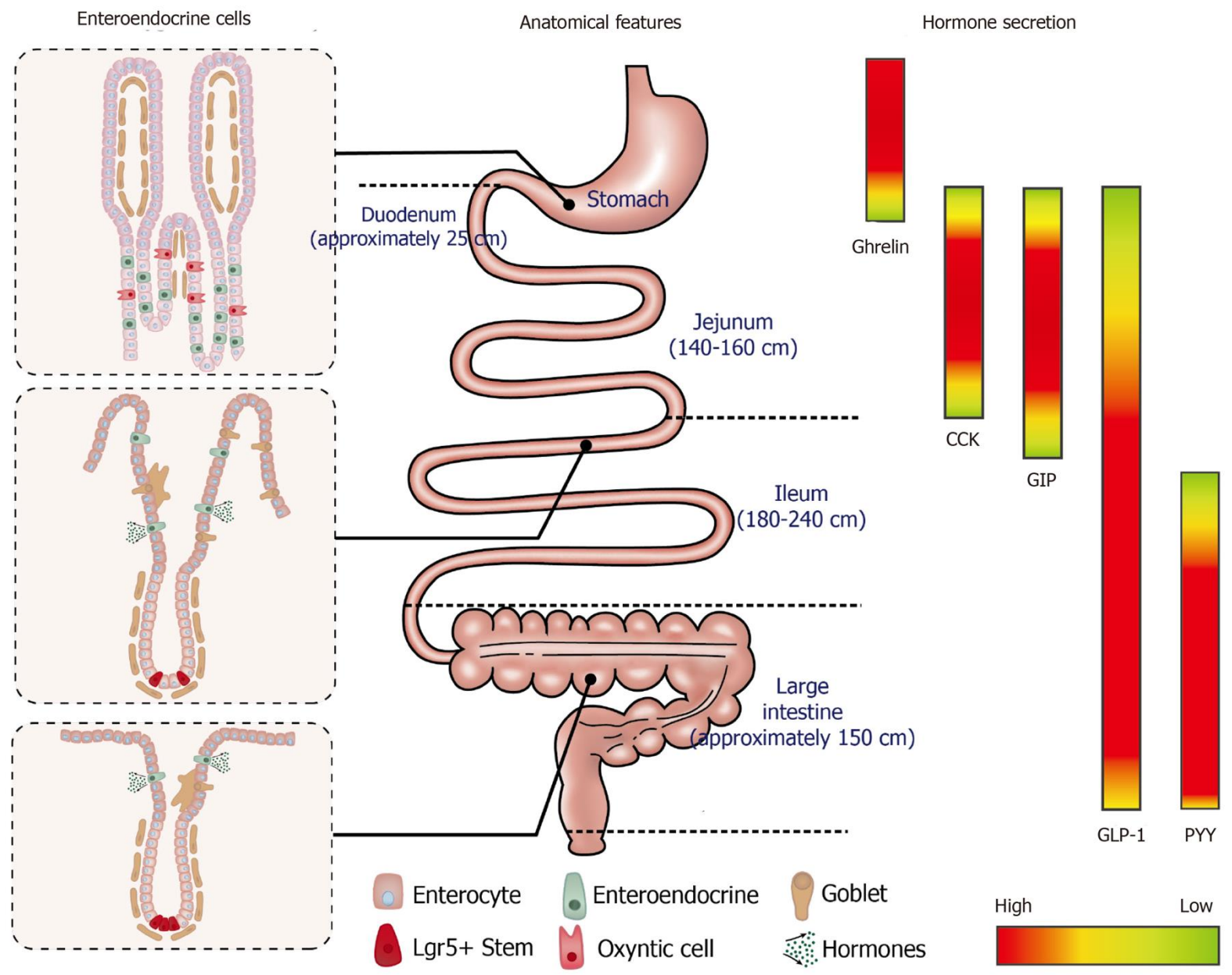
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Οι φυτικές ίνες μειώνουν επιπλέον την απορρόφηση της γλυκόζης, διατηρώντας τα επίπεδα ενέργειας σταθερά και μειώνοντας τις λιγούρες.

Οι φυτικές ίνες θρέφουν τα ωφέλιμα βακτήρια του εντέρου, που παράγουν SCFAs (όπως το βουτυρικό και το προπιονικό οξύ), τα οποία αυξάνουν την παραγωγή ορμονών κορεσμού και επηρεάζουν τον υποθάλαμο μειώνοντας την πείνα.

Οι τροφές με φυτικές ίνες (όπως τα λαχανικά, τα όσπρια και τα δημητριακά ολικής αλέσεως) αυξάνουν τον όγκο των γευμάτων χωρίς πολλές θερμίδες, διατείνοντας το στομάχι και ενεργοποιώντας μηχανικούς υποδοχείς κορεσμού.





ΣΥΝΟΨΗ

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- Σε μια διατροφή με ποικιλία τροφών λαμβάνουμε την απαραίτητη ποσότητα και ποιότητα πρωτεΐνης
- Η ζωική πρωτεΐνη δεν είναι απαραίτητη για την ανάπτυξη μυϊκής μάζας
- Η διαφορά βιοδιαθεσιμότητας μεταξύ ζωικών και φυτικών πρωτεϊνών είναι μικρή
- Οι φυτικές πηγές πρωτεΐνης μπορούν να προκαλέσουν μεγαλύτερη αίσθηση κορεσμού

