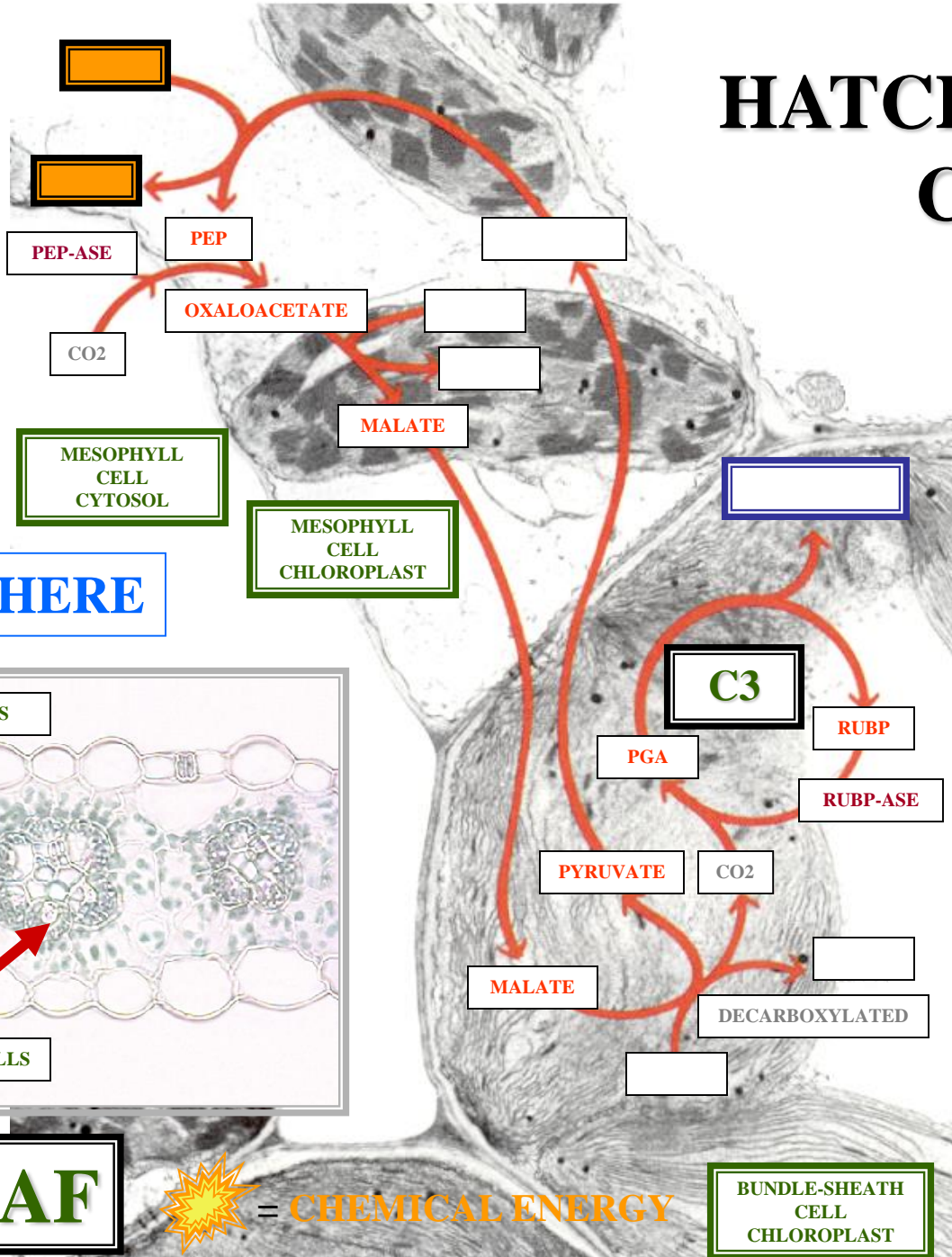


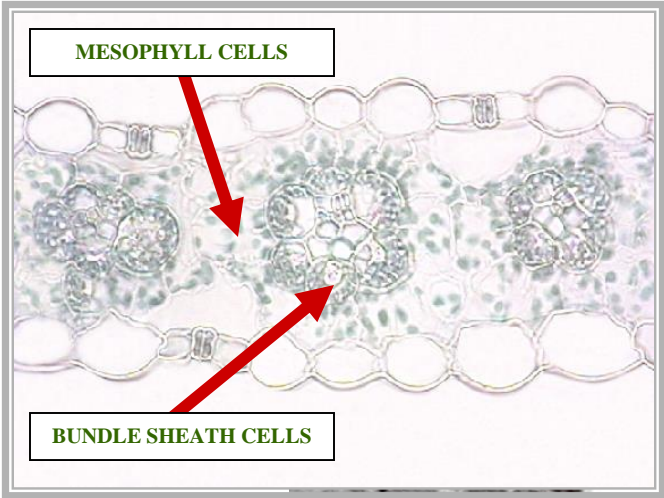
# HATCH & SLACK CYCLE



**CORN**



**ATMOSPHERE**



**C4 LEAF**

= CHEMICAL ENERGY

**BUNDLE-SHEATH CELL CHLOROPLAST**

**ALL RXTS REQUIRE A SPECIFIC ENZYME**

**C4**



CO<sub>2</sub> + **RIBULOSE BISPHOSPHATE / (RUBP)**

**FEEDBACK**

G

+

**RIBULOSE BISPHOSPHATE  
CARBOXYLASE  
(RUBP-CARBOXYLASE)**

**PHOSPHOGLYCERATE / (PGA)**

**UNSTABLE 6C COMPOUND**

**PHOSPHOGLYCERATE / (PGA)**

**ATP**

**ATP**

**BISPHOGLYCERATE / (BIPGA)**

**BISPHOGLYCERATE / (BIPGA)**

**NADPH**

**NADPH**

**PHOSPHOGLYCERALDEHYDE / (PGAL)**

**PHOSPHOGLYCERALDEHYDE / (PGAL)**

**C<sub>3</sub>**

**COMPLEX SERIES  
CHEMICAL RXTS  
(CSCR)**

**COMPLEX SERIES  
CHEMICAL RXTS  
(CSCR)**

**GLUCOSE**

**C<sub>3</sub> PATHWAY  
CALVIN CYCLE**

**ATP**

**RIBULOSE BISPHOSPHATE / (RUBP)**

**= CHEMICAL ENERGY**

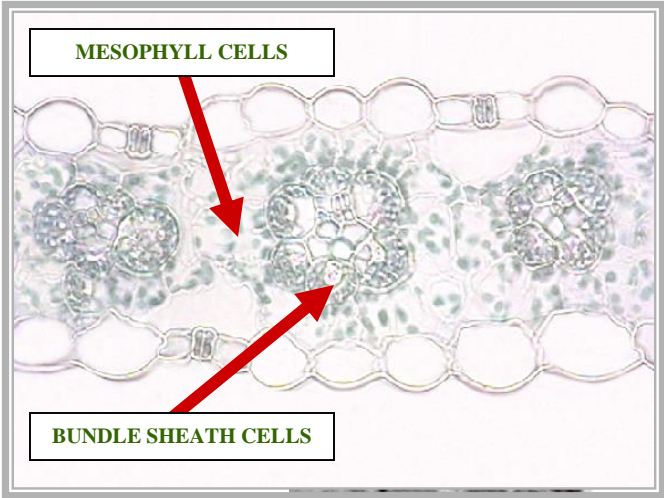


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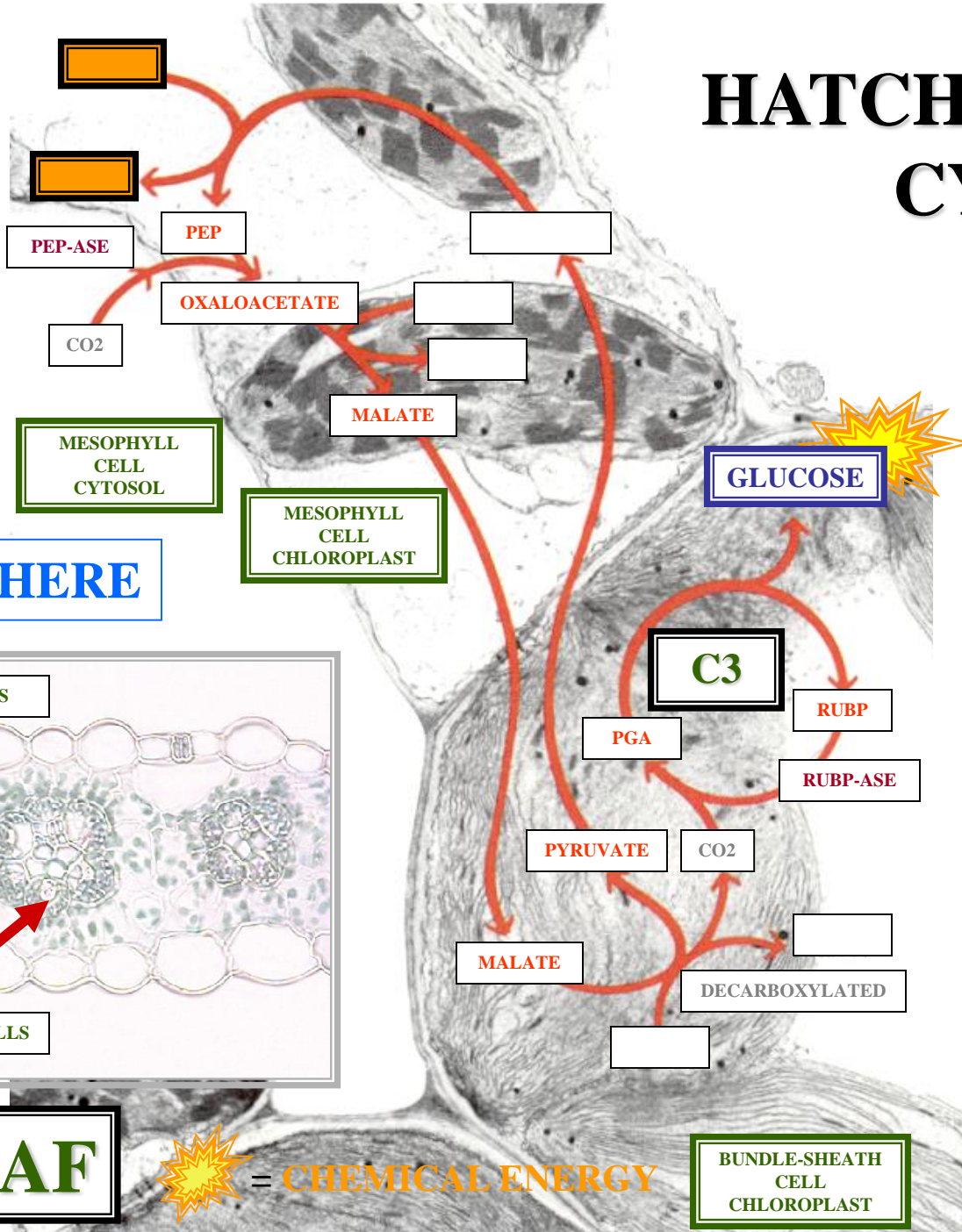


**CORN**

**ATMOSPHERE**



**C4 LEAF**



**ALL RXTS REQUIRE A SPECIFIC ENZYME**

**C4**

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**BUNDLE-SHEATH CELL CHLOROPLAST**

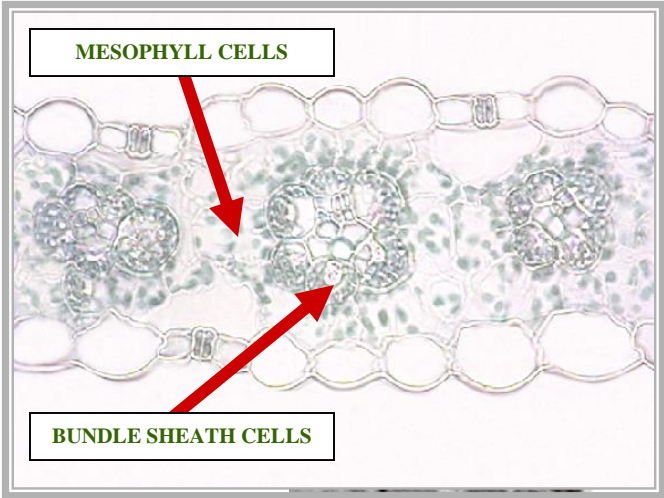


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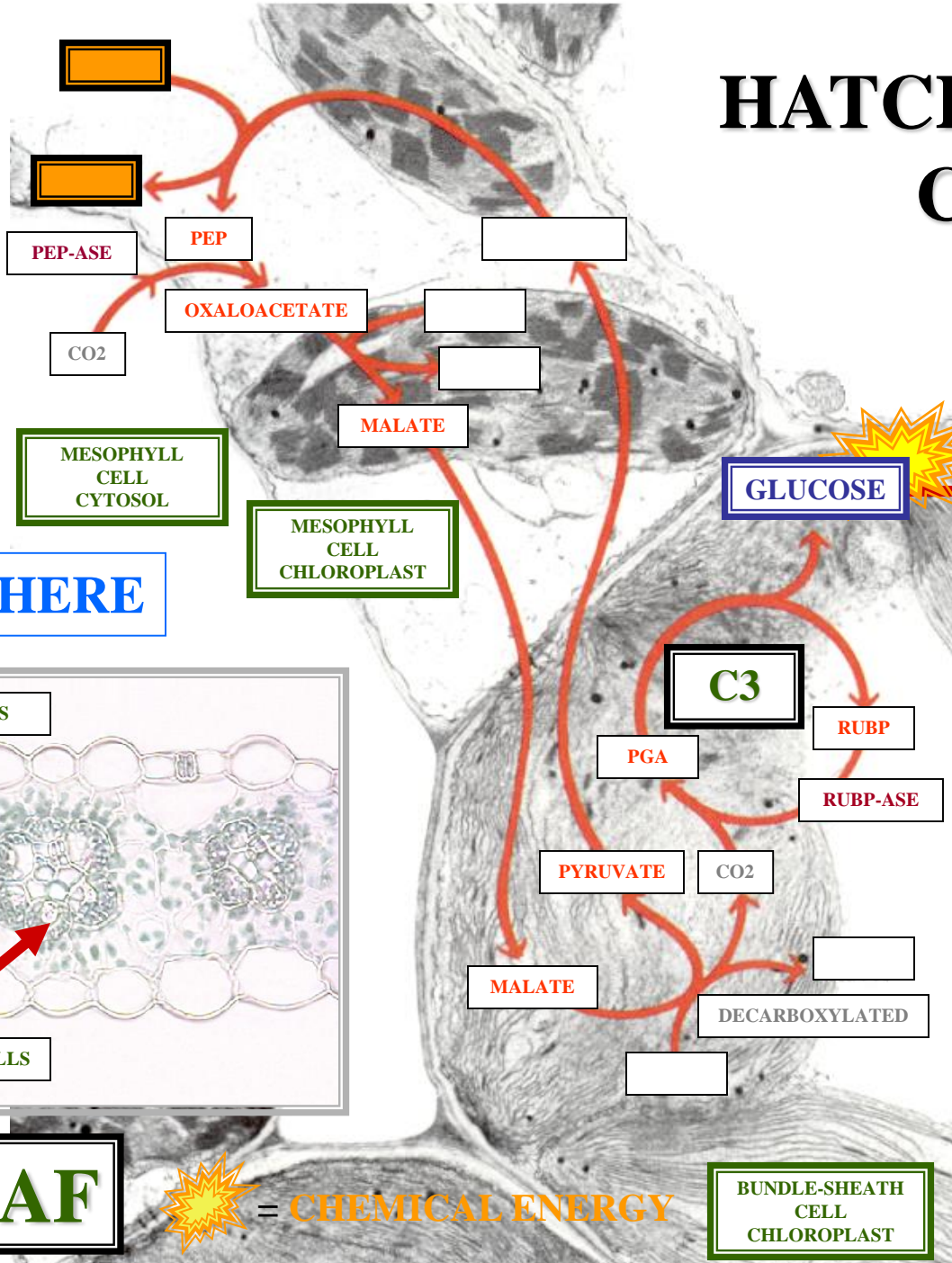


**CORN**

**ATMOSPHERE**



**C4 LEAF**



**CHEMICAL ENERGY**

**GLUCOSE**

**METABOLISM**

**C4**

**BUNDLE-SHEATH CELL CHLOROPLAST**



# QUESTION

DOES A C4 PLANT  
ALSO CONDUCT C3?

# QUESTION

**ANSWER**

**YES**

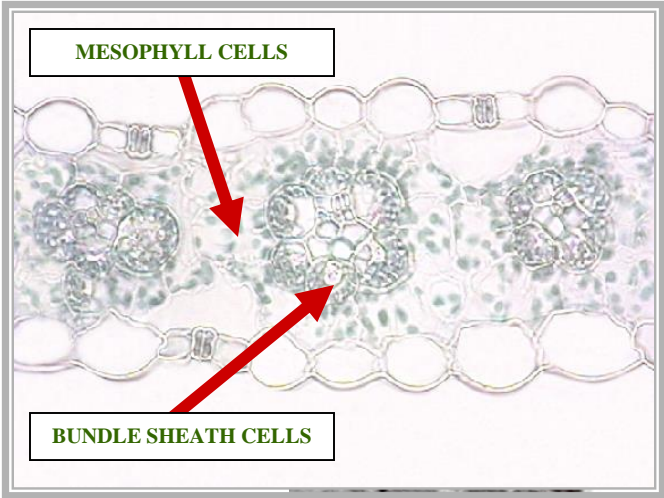
**ANSWER**

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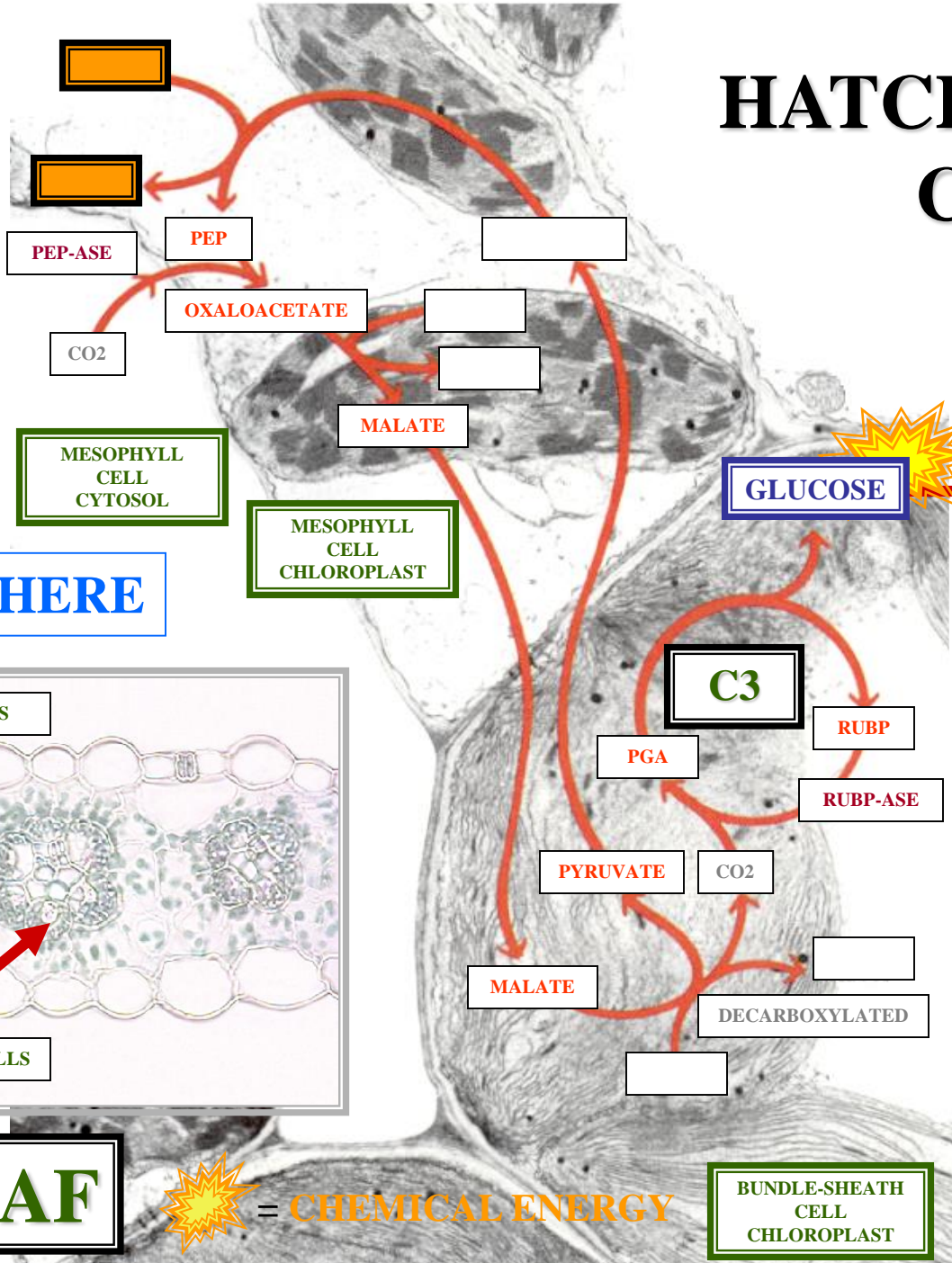


**CORN**

**ATMOSPHERE**



**C4 LEAF**



**C4**

**CHEMICAL ENERGY**



A photograph of a cornfield with green stalks and tassels. The text is overlaid on the image.

*C4 PLANTS*

?

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*C4 PATHWAY*

&

*C3 PATHWAY*

?





**CATABOLIC  
METABOLISM  
&  
ANABOLIC  
METABOLISM  
?**



**EXERGONIC  
REACTIONS  
&  
ENDERGONIC  
REACTIONS  
?**

**REDUCTION  
REACTIONS  
&  
OXIDATION  
REACTIONS  
?**





**LIGHT  
REACTION  
&  
DARK  
REACTION  
?**

*C4 PLANTS*

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*C4 PATHWAY*

&

*C3 PATHWAY*

?



*C4 PLANTS*

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*C4 PATHWAY*

*&*

*C3 PATHWAY*

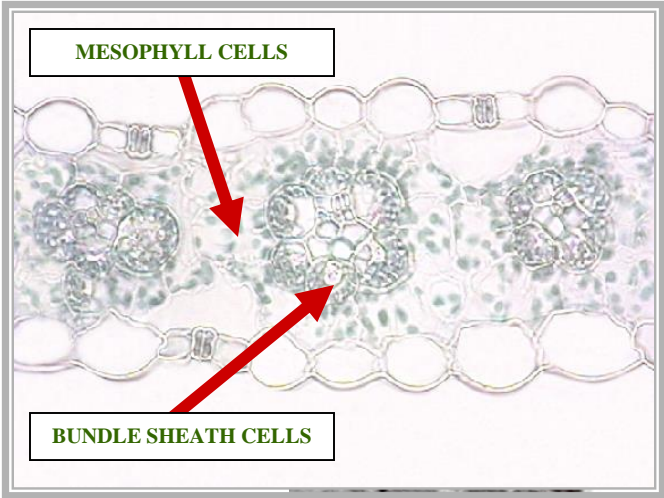
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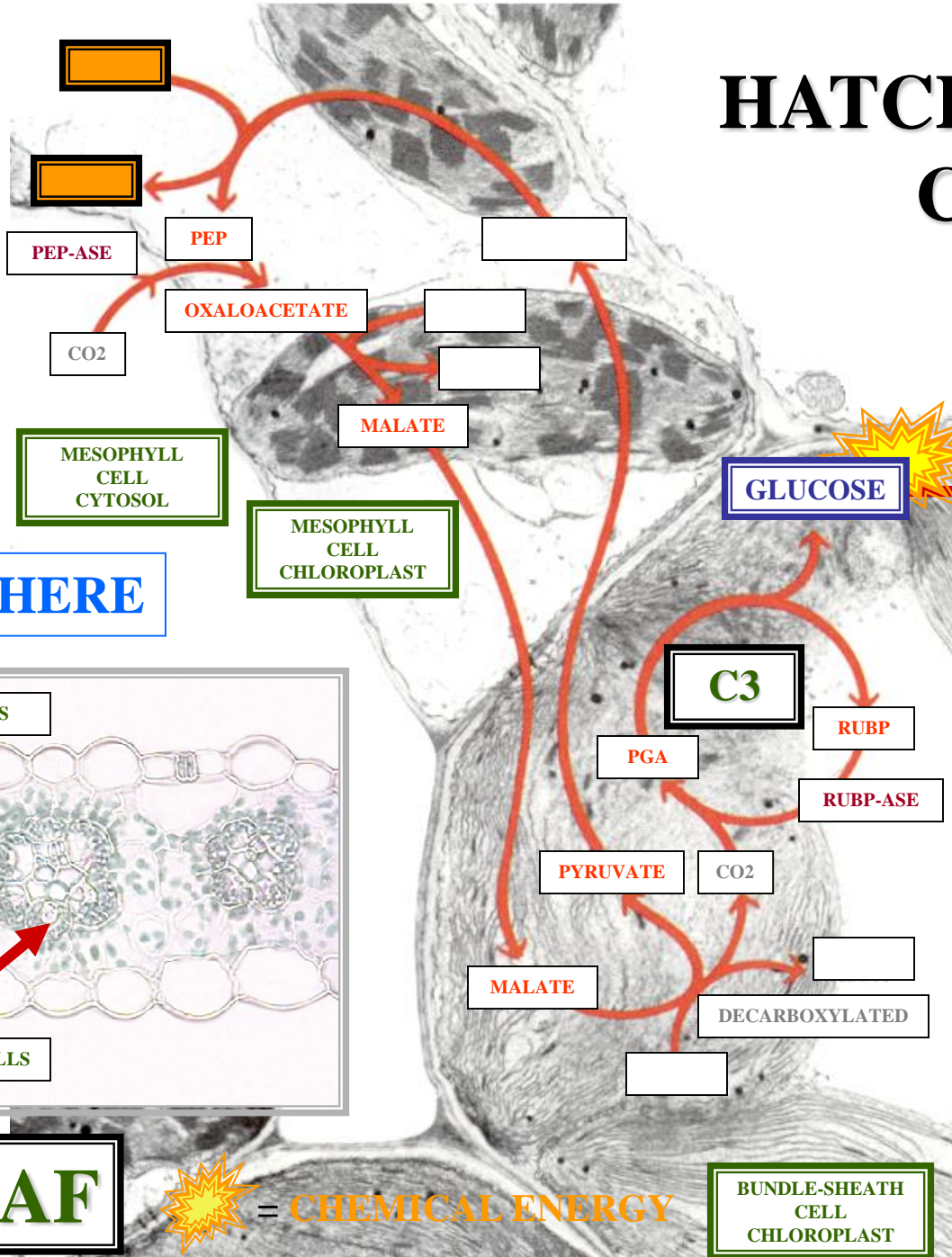


**CORN**

**ATMOSPHERE**



**C4 LEAF**



**C4**

**CHEMICAL ENERGY**

**BUNDLE-SHEATH CELL CHLOROPLAST**



# PYRUVATE

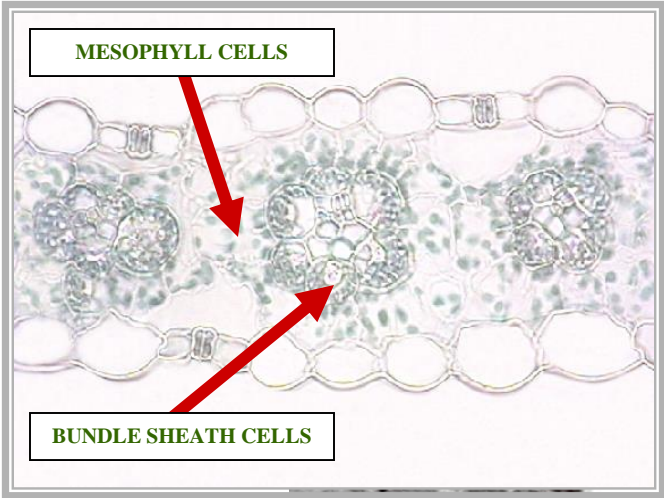


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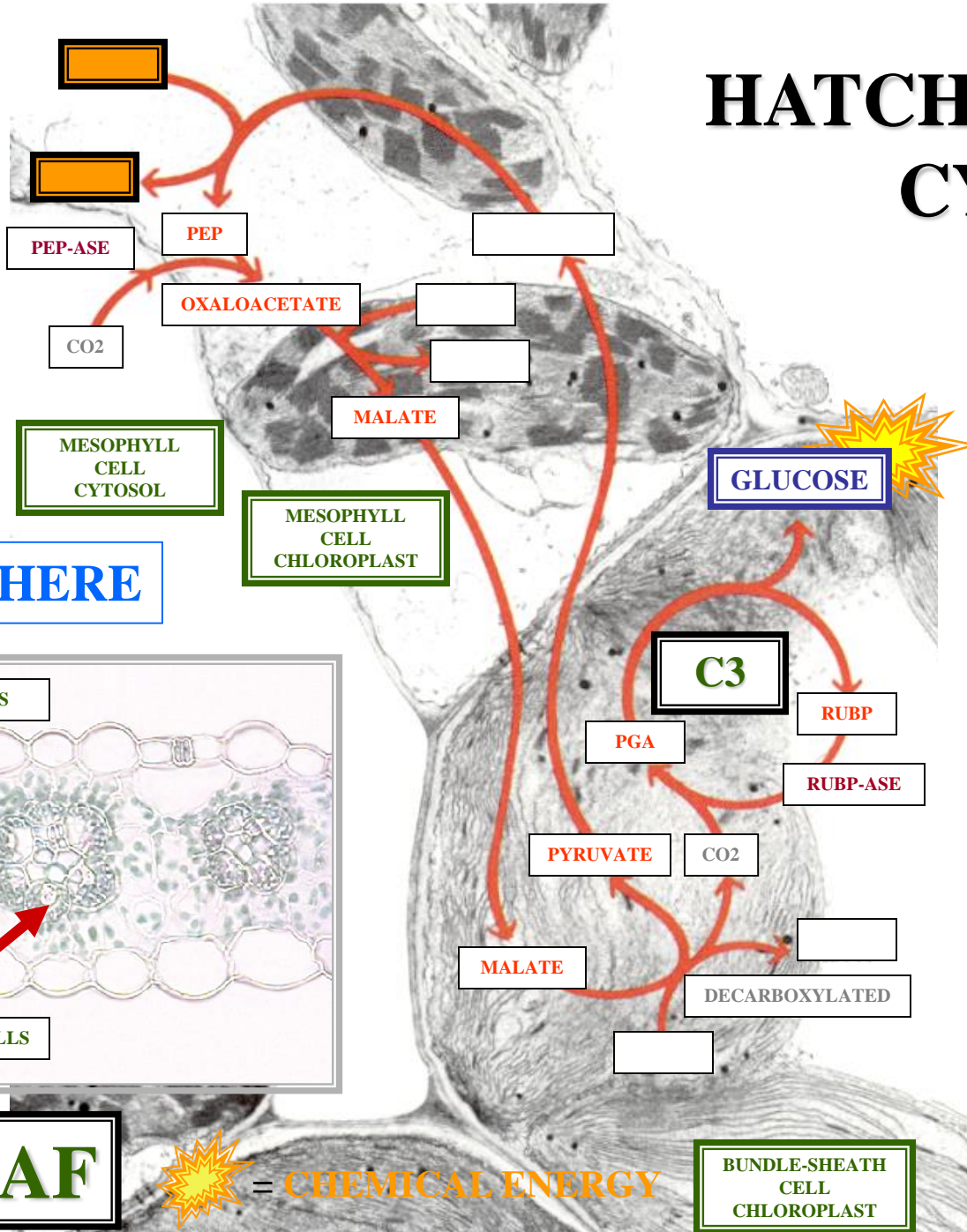


**CORN**

**ATMOSPHERE**



**C4 LEAF**



**ALL RXTS REQUIRE A SPECIFIC ENZYME**

**C4**

**CHEMICAL ENERGY**

**BUNDLE-SHEATH CELL CHLOROPLAST**

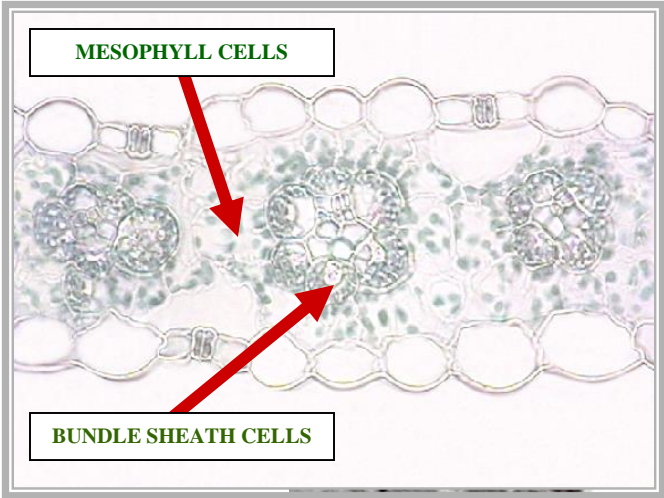


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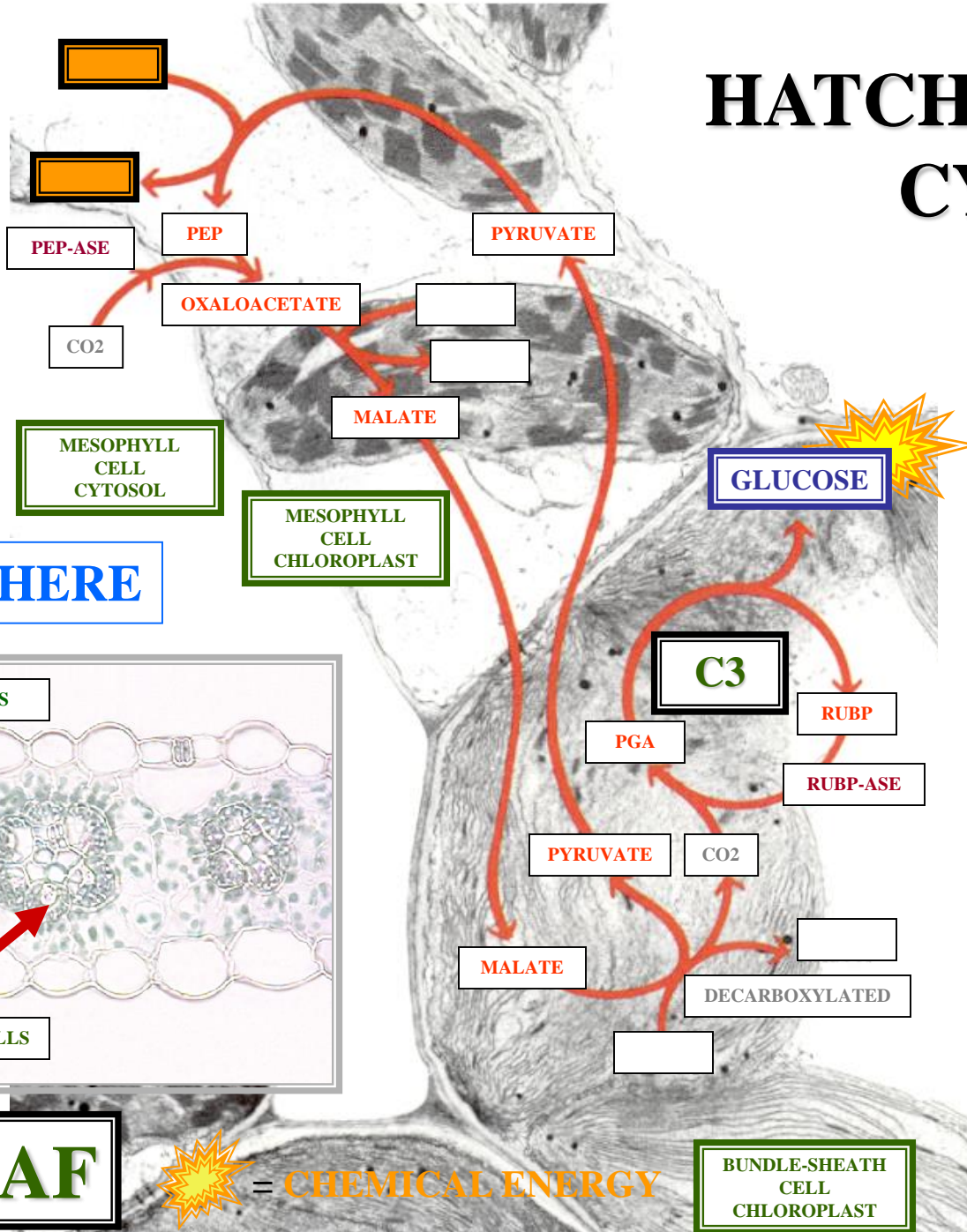


**CORN**

**ATMOSPHERE**



**C4 LEAF**



**ALL RXTS REQUIRE A SPECIFIC ENZYME**

**C4**

**= CHEMICAL ENERGY**

**BUNDLE-SHEATH CELL CHLOROPLAST**





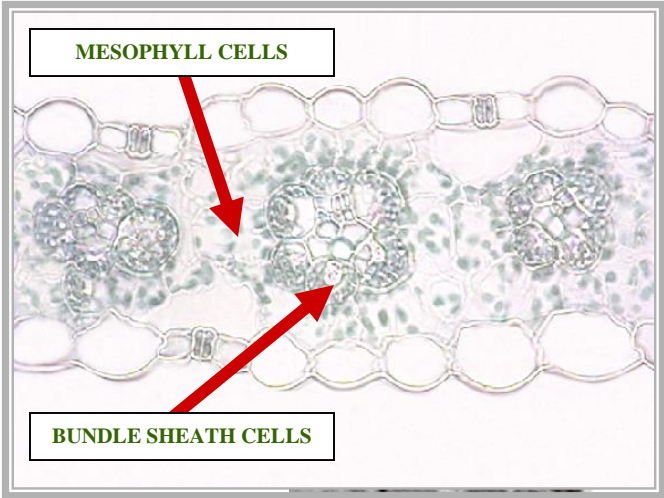
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# HATCH & SLACK CYCLE

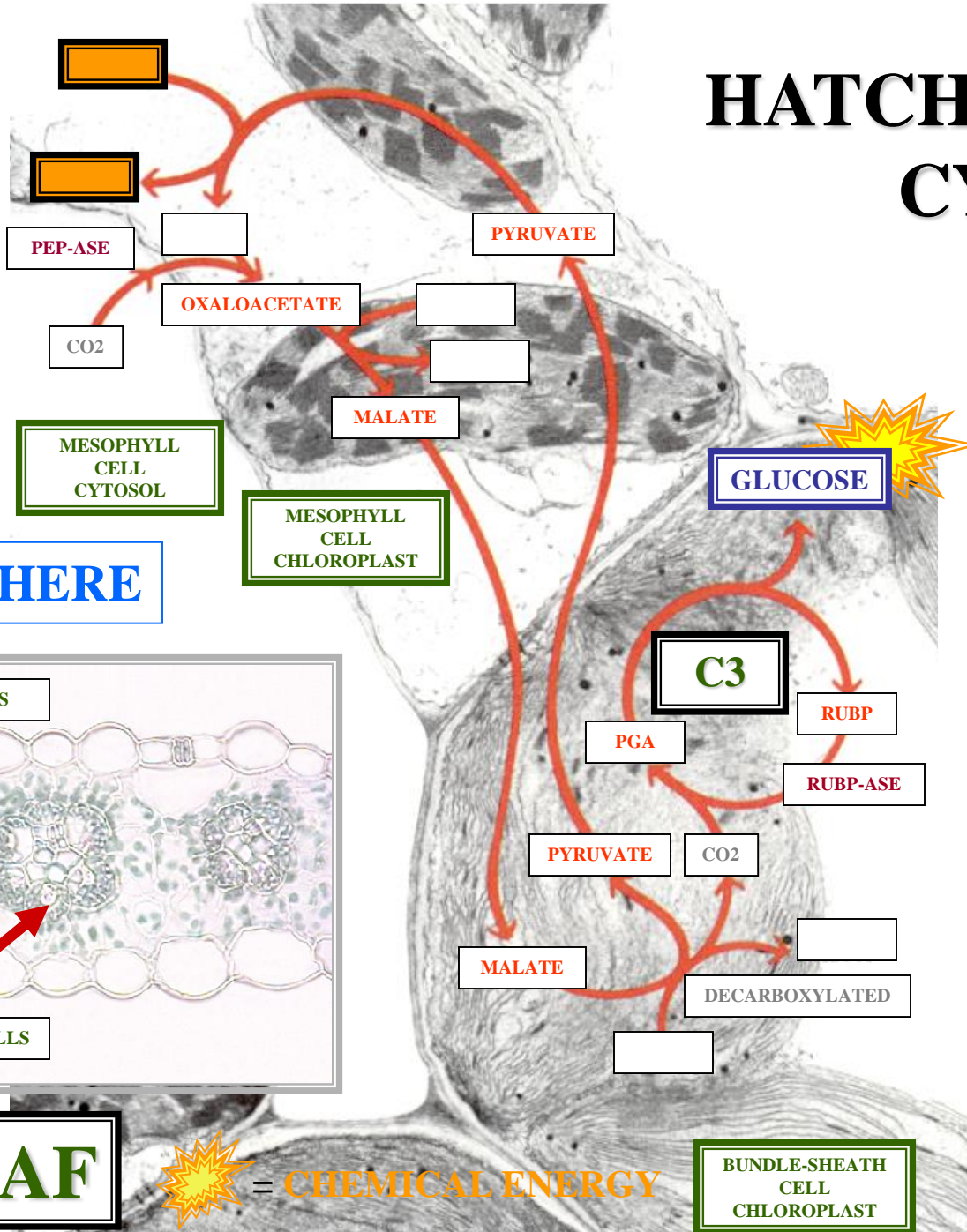


**CORN**

**ATMOSPHERE**



**C4 LEAF**



**ALL RXTS REQUIRE A SPECIFIC ENZYME**

**C4**

**= CHEMICAL ENERGY**

**BUNDLE-SHEATH CELL CHLOROPLAST**

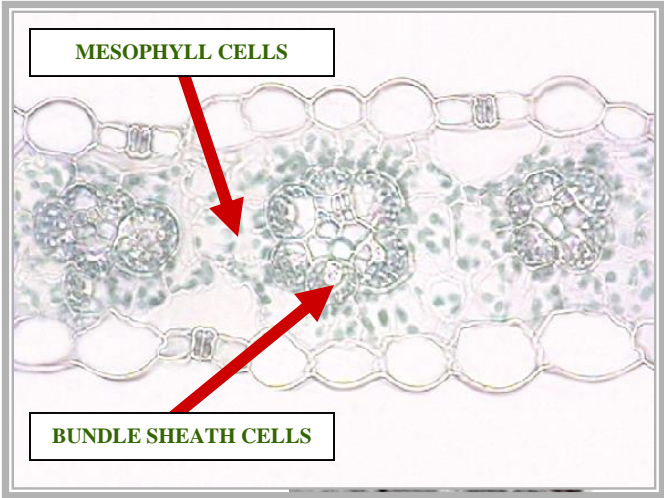
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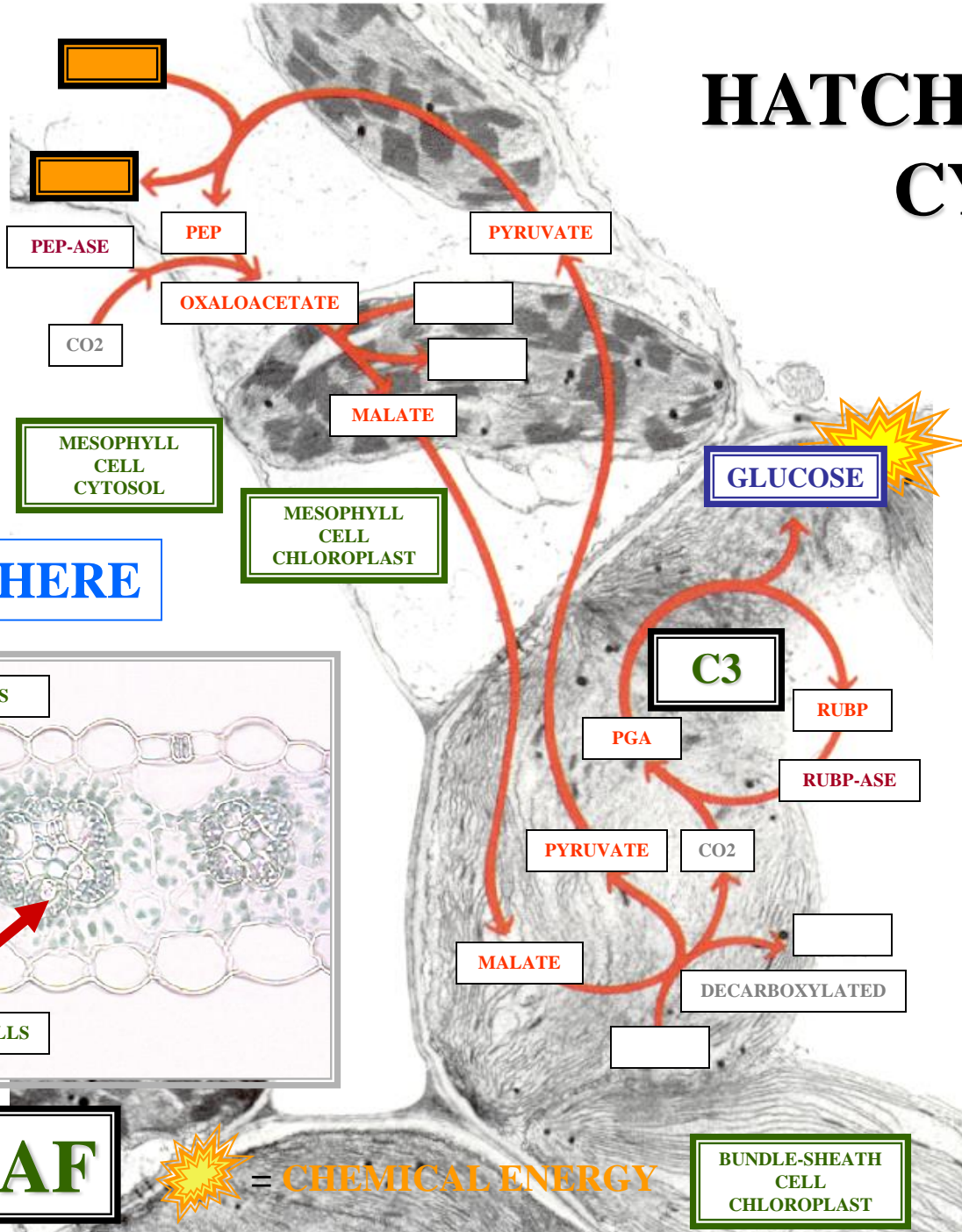


**CORN**

**ATMOSPHERE**



**C4 LEAF**



**ALL RXTS REQUIRE A SPECIFIC ENZYME**

**C4**

**A = CHEMICAL ENERGY**

**BUNDLE-SHEATH CELL CHLOROPLAST**

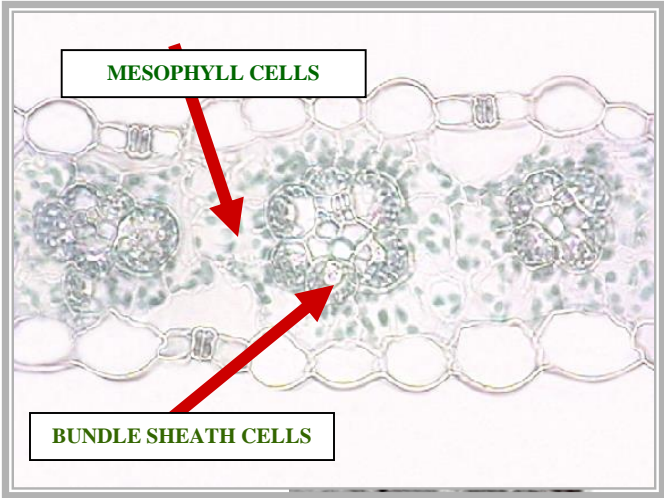


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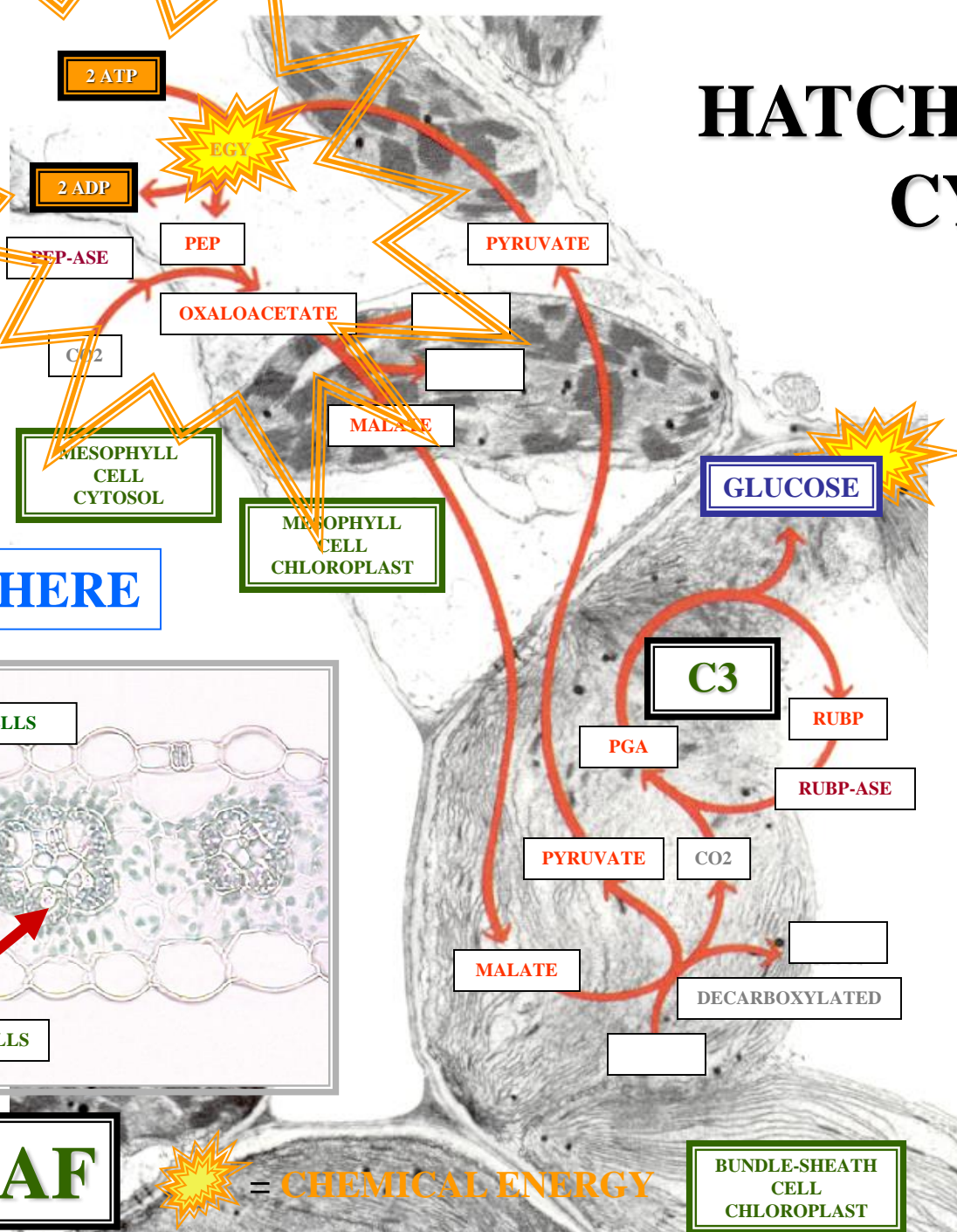


**CORN**

**ATMOSPHERE**



**C4 LEAF**



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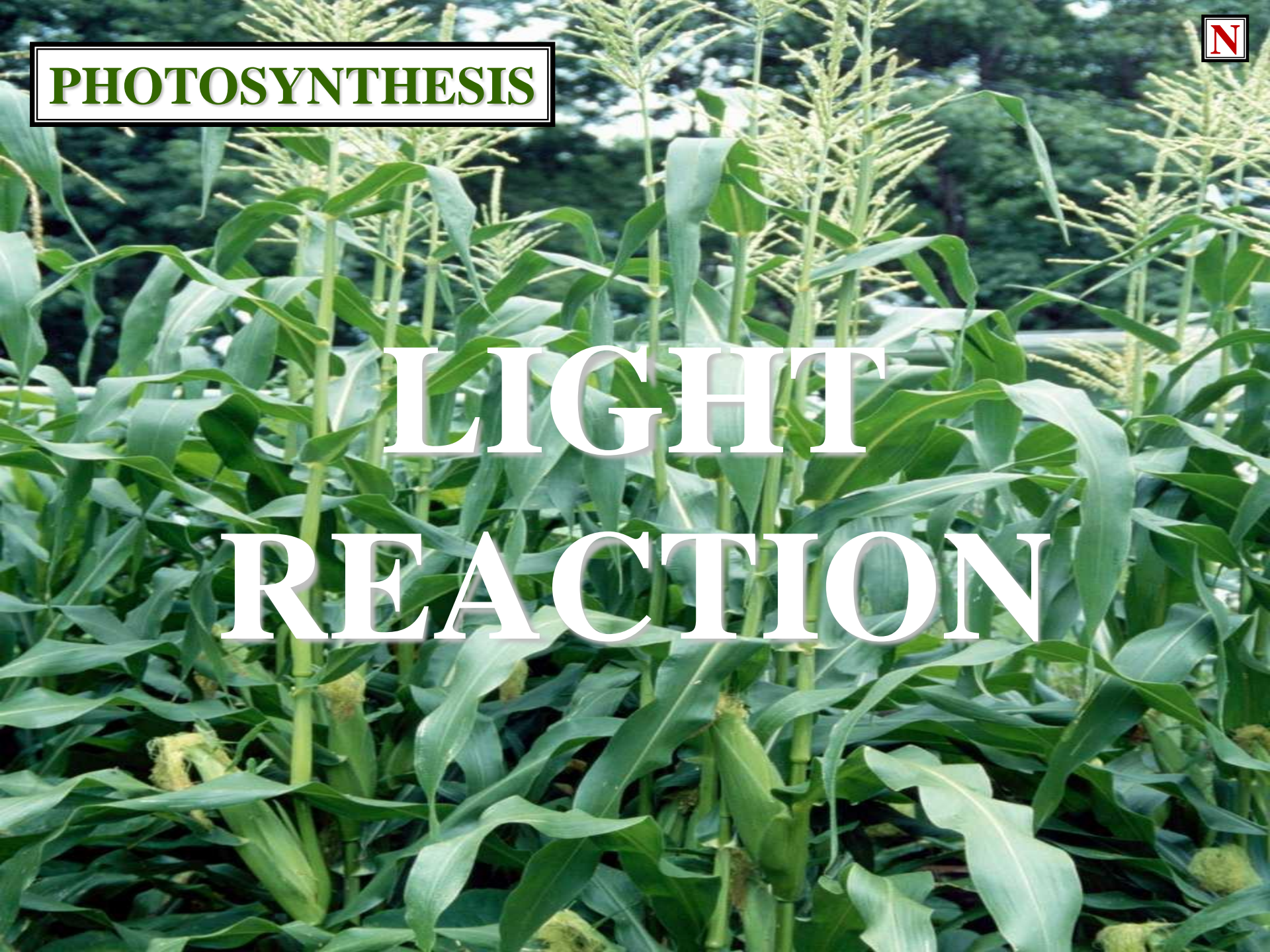
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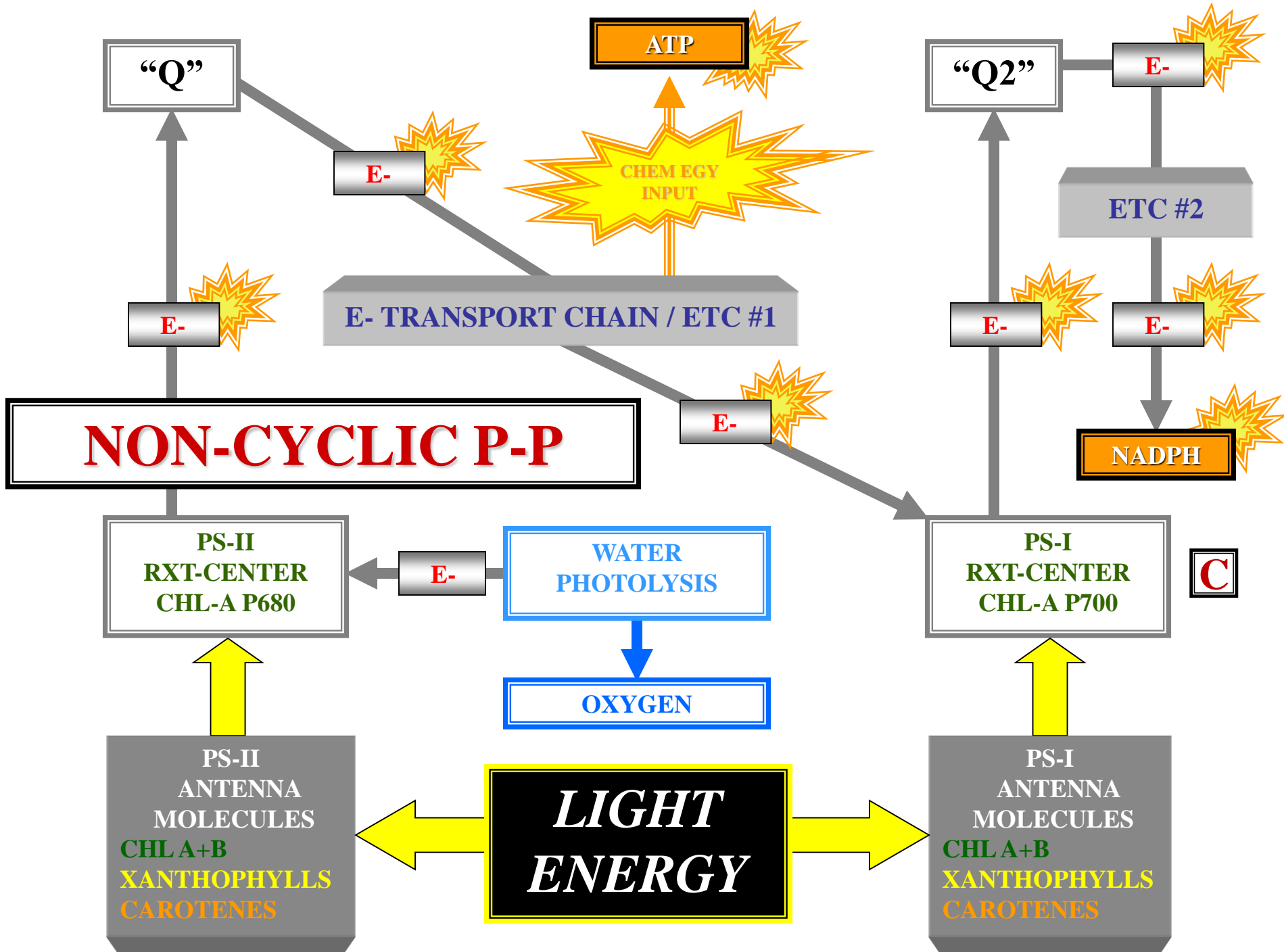
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**PHOTOSYNTHESIS**

**LIGHT  
REACTION**







# CYCLIC P-P

“Q2”

E-

ETC #3

CHEM  
EGY  
INPUT

ATP

E-

E-

E- = RECYCLED

PS-I  
RXT-CENTER  
CHL-A P700

LIGHT  
ENERGY

PS-I  
ANTENNA  
MOLECULES  
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LIGHT  
ENERGY

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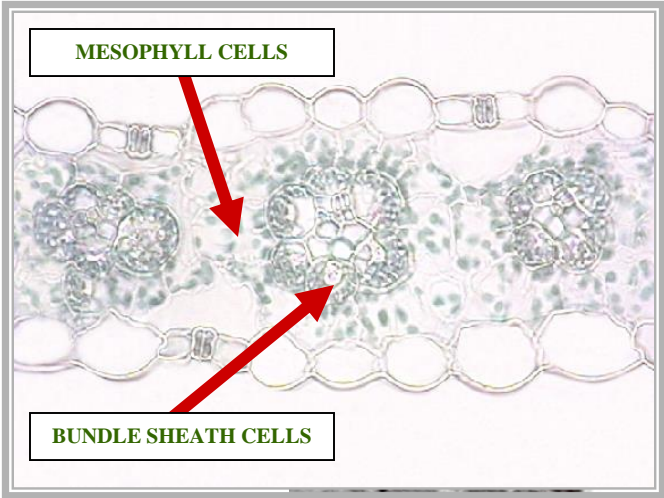
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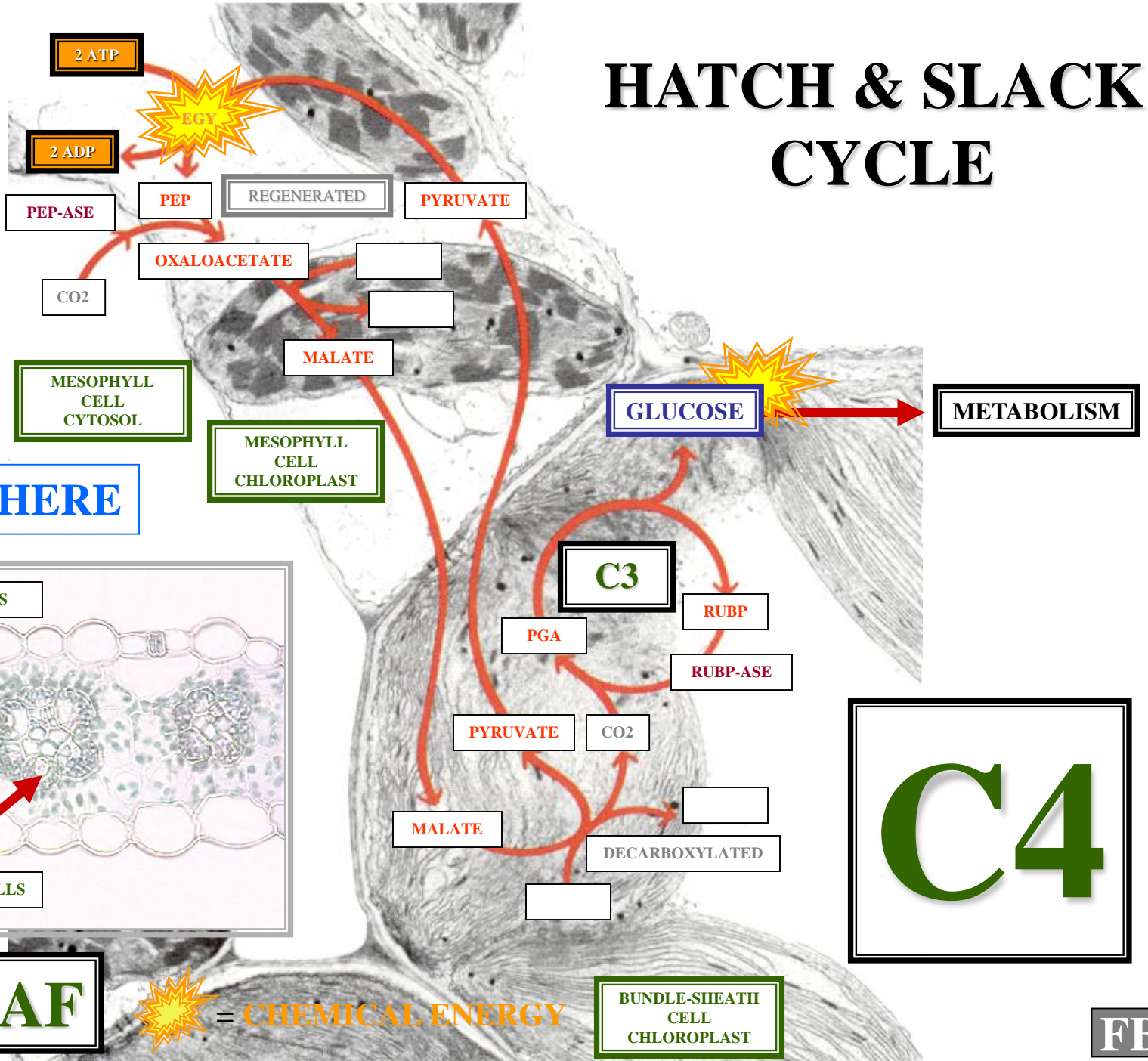


**CORN**

**ATMOSPHERE**



**C4 LEAF**



= CHEMICAL ENERGY

BUNDLE-SHEATH CELL CHLOROPLAST

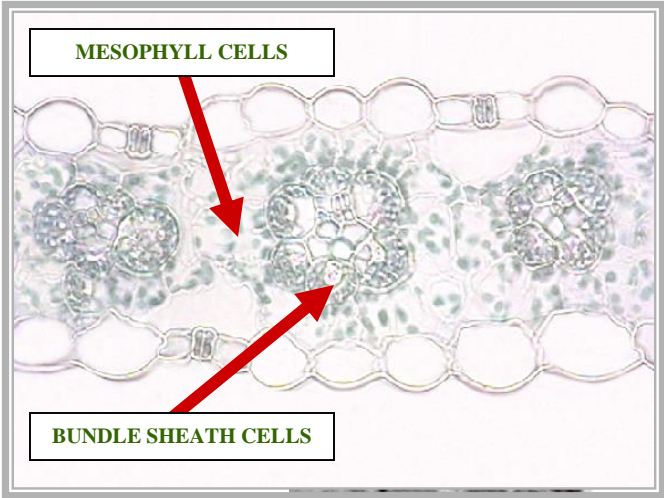
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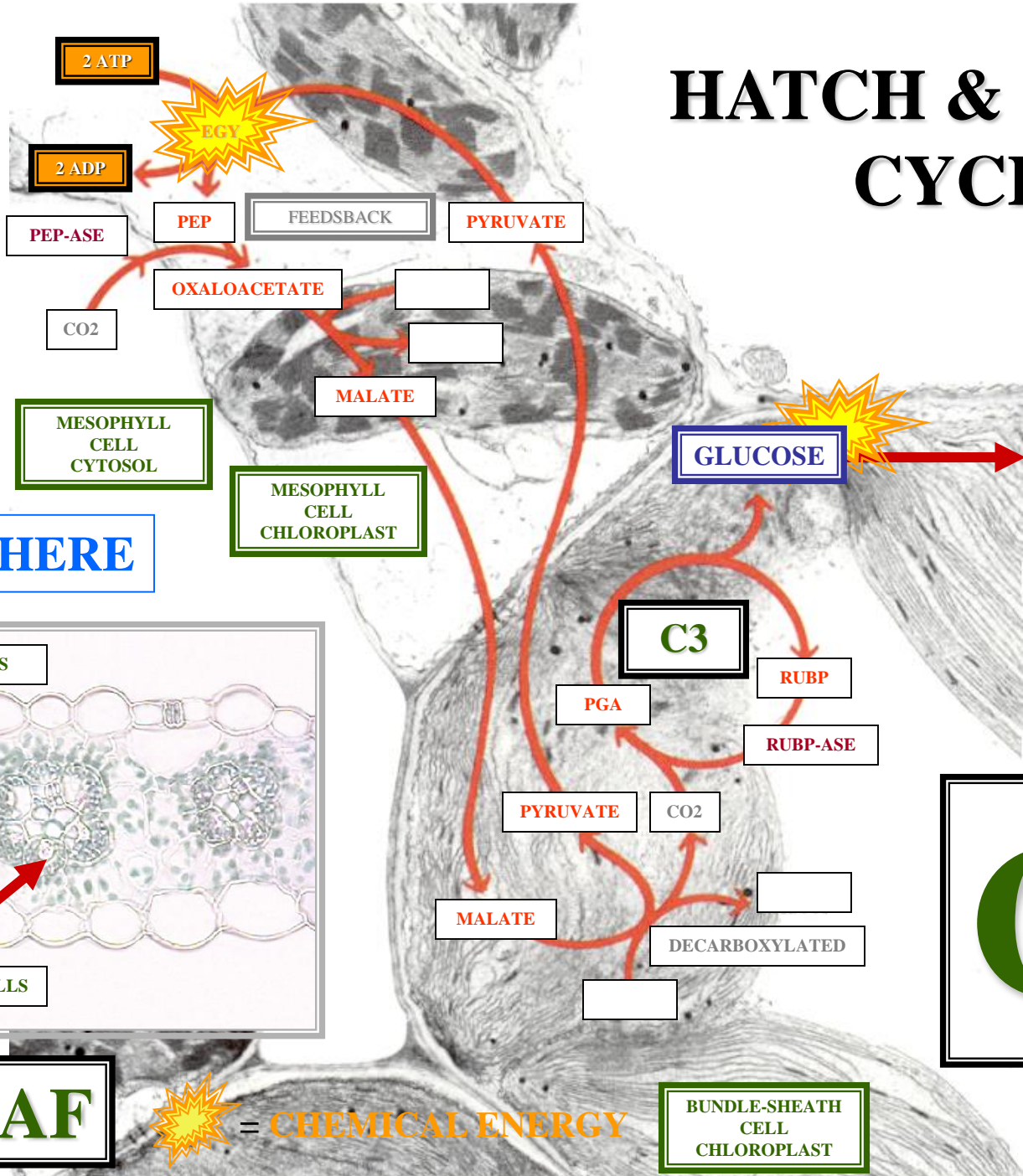


**CORN**

**ATMOSPHERE**



**C4 LEAF**



**EGY = CHEMICAL ENERGY**

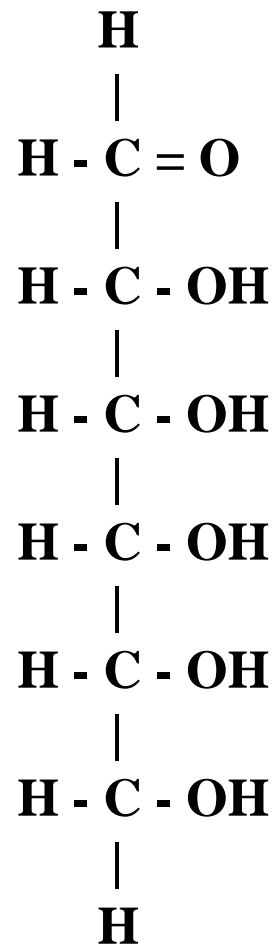
**C4**

**BUNDLE-SHEATH CELL CHLOROPLAST**



**C4**  
**PATHWAY**  
**ENERGY COST**

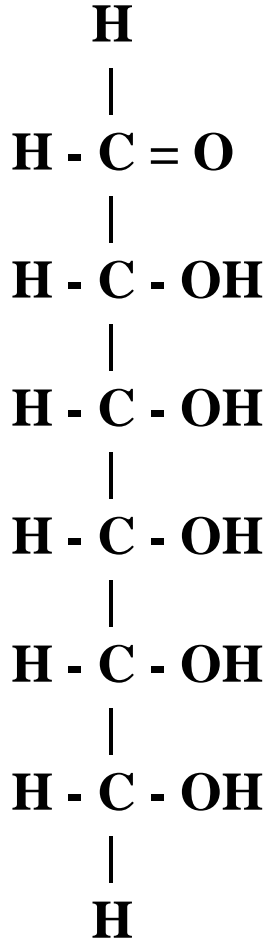
# GLUCOSE





# GLUCOSE

**GLUCOSE**  
**6C**  
**SUGAR**



**GLUCOSE**  
**6C**  
**SUGAR**



# QUESTION



**WHAT COMPOUND  
CONTRIBUTES C ATOMS  
TO THE SYNTHESIS OF  
GLUCOSE?**

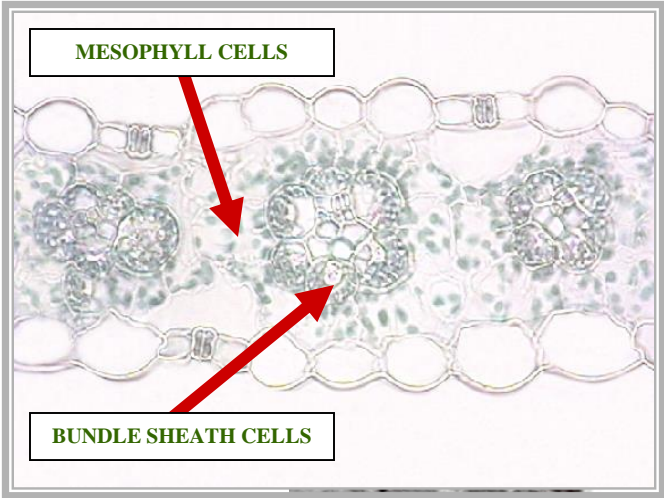
# QUESTION

# HATCH & SLACK CYCLE

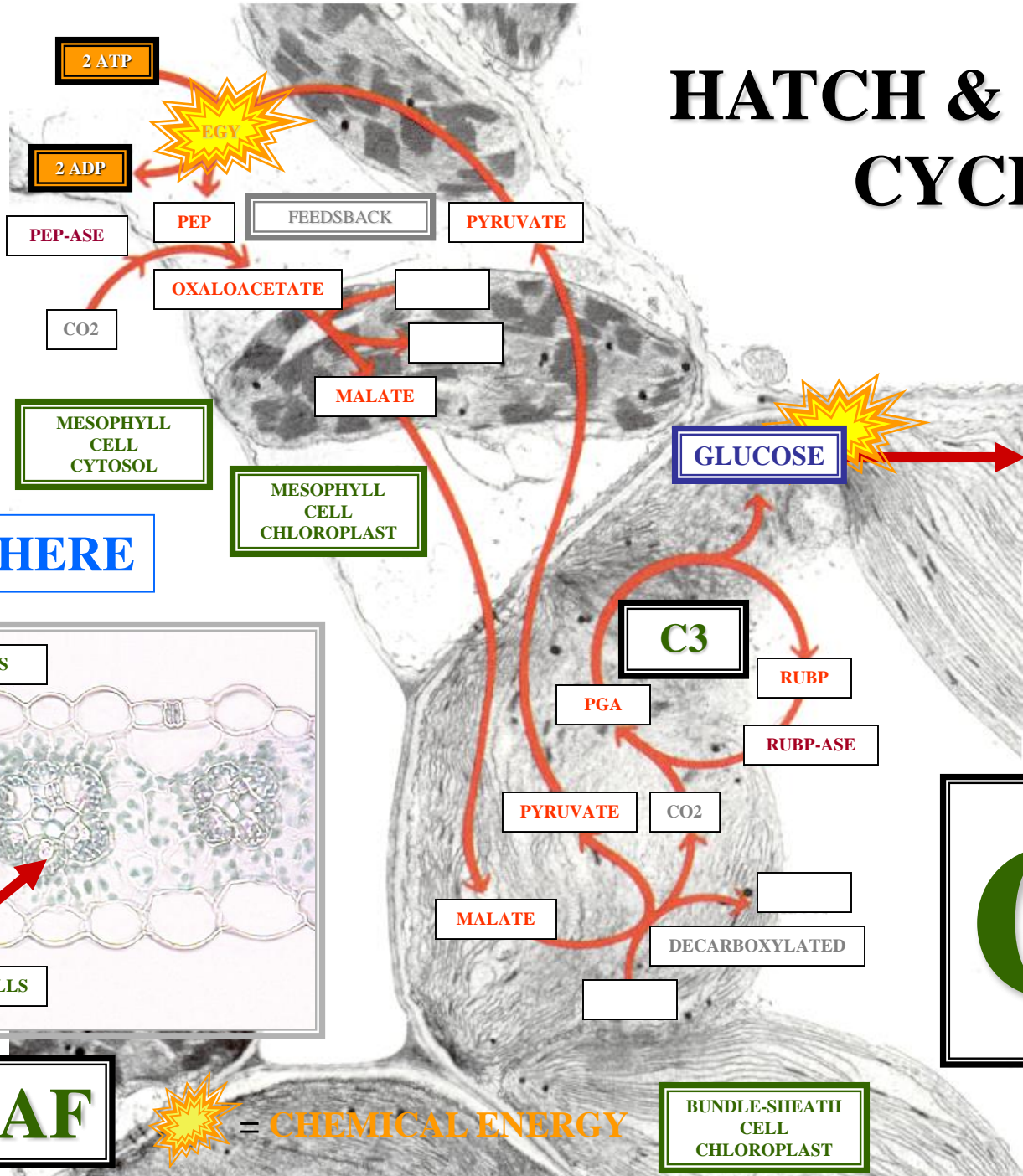


**CORN**

**ATMOSPHERE**



**C4 LEAF**



**EGY = CHEMICAL ENERGY**

**BUNDLE-SHEATH CELL CHLOROPLAST**

**C4**





**ANSWER**

**CO2**

**ANSWER**

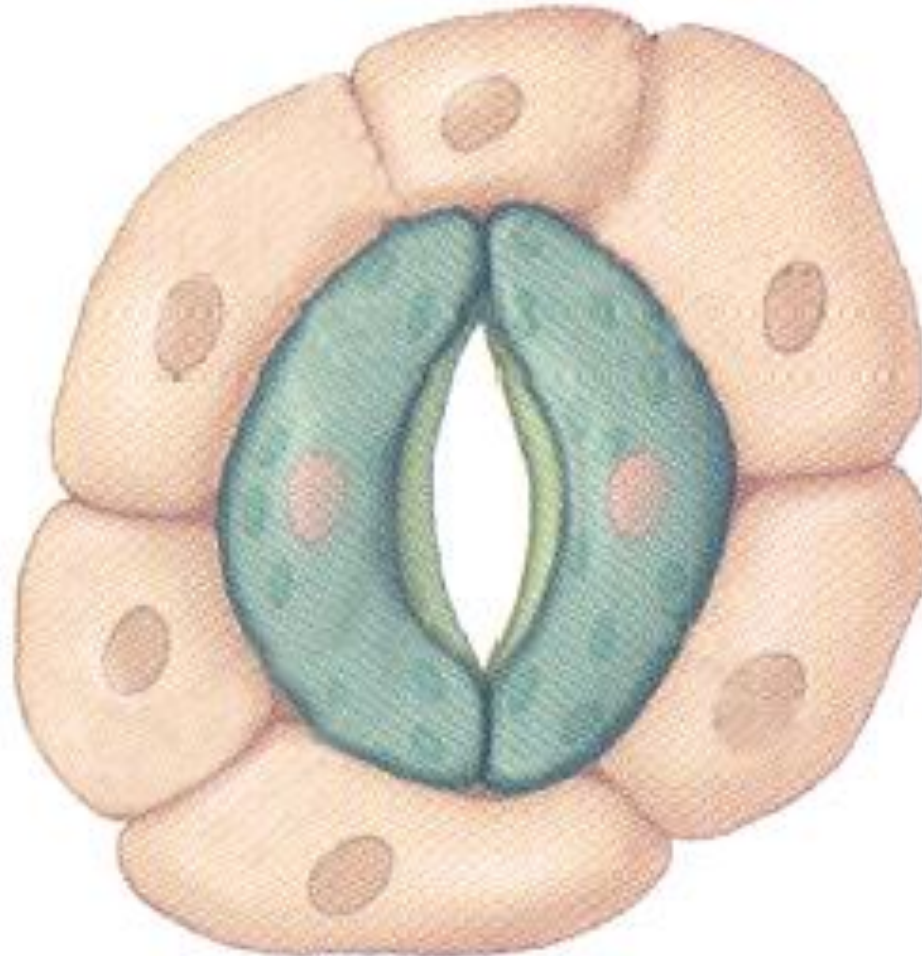


ATMOSPHERE

# LEAF STOMATE

ATMOSPHERE

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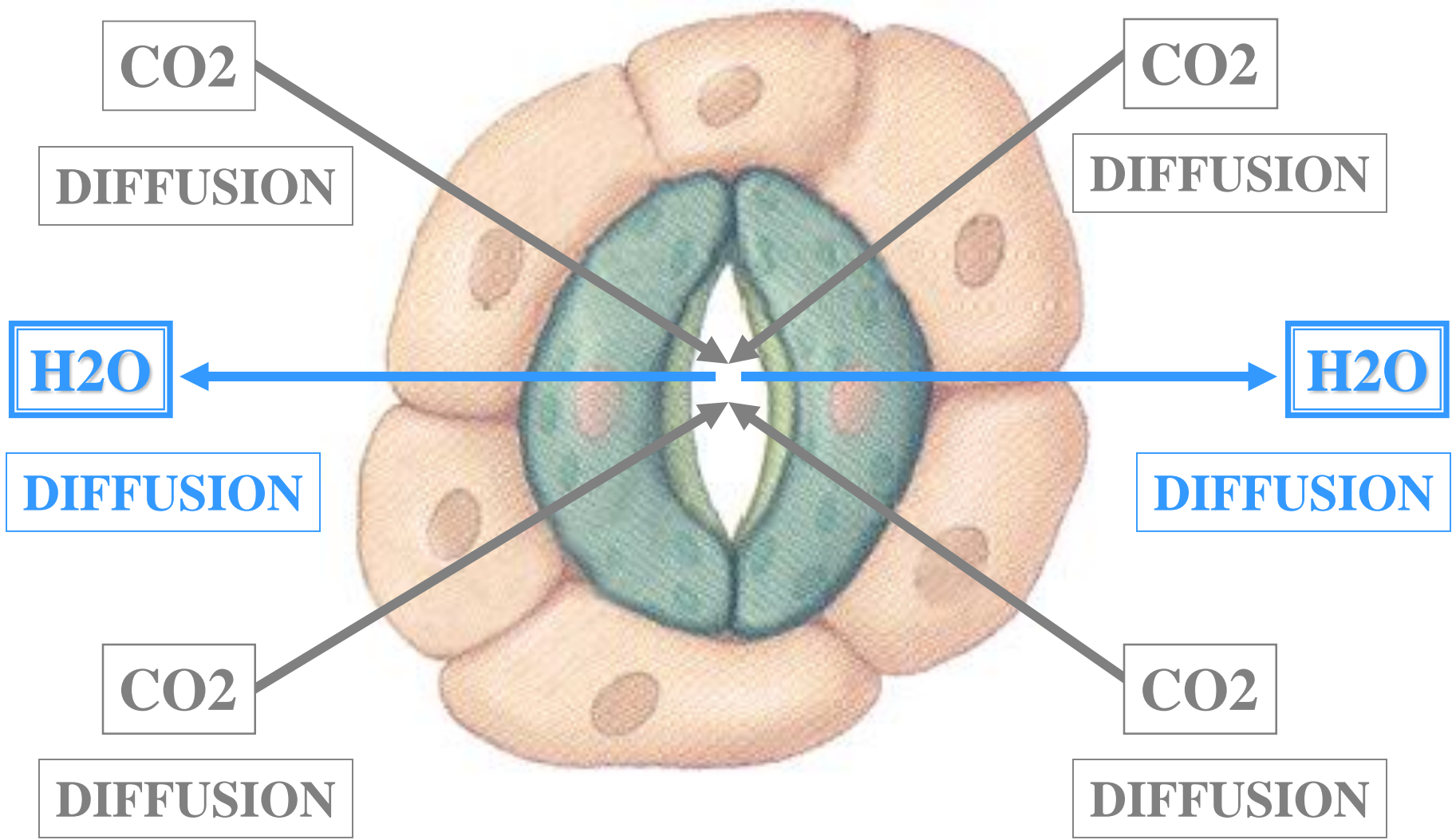
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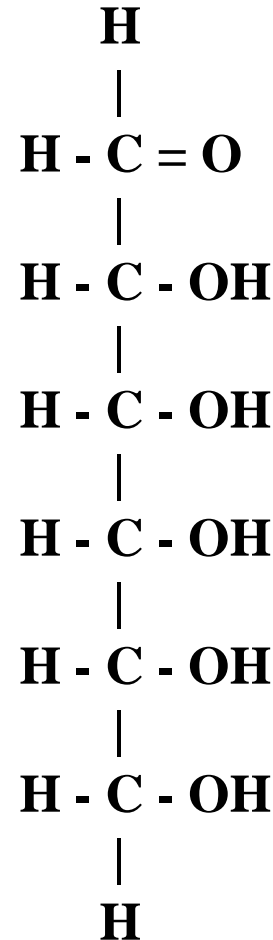
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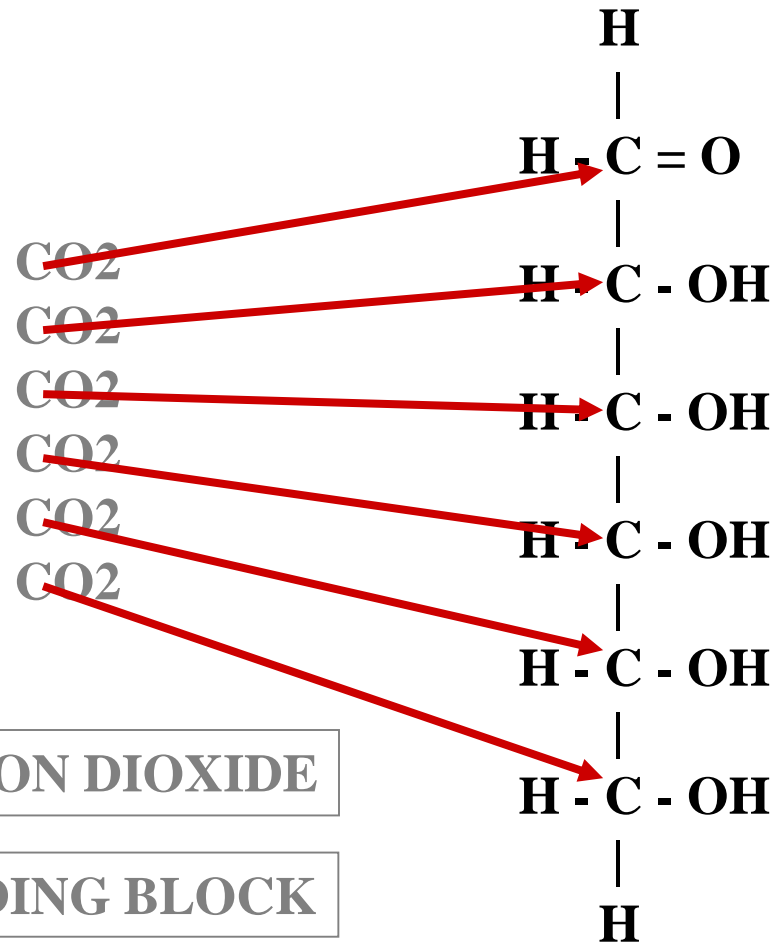
CARBON DIOXIDE

BUILDING BLOCK

C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>12</sub>O<sub>6</sub>

GLUCOSE

# PHOTOSYNTHESIS



CARBON DIOXIDE

BUILDING BLOCK



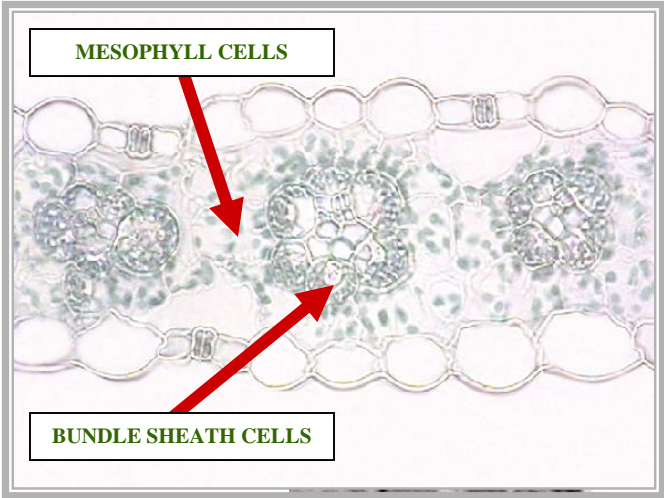
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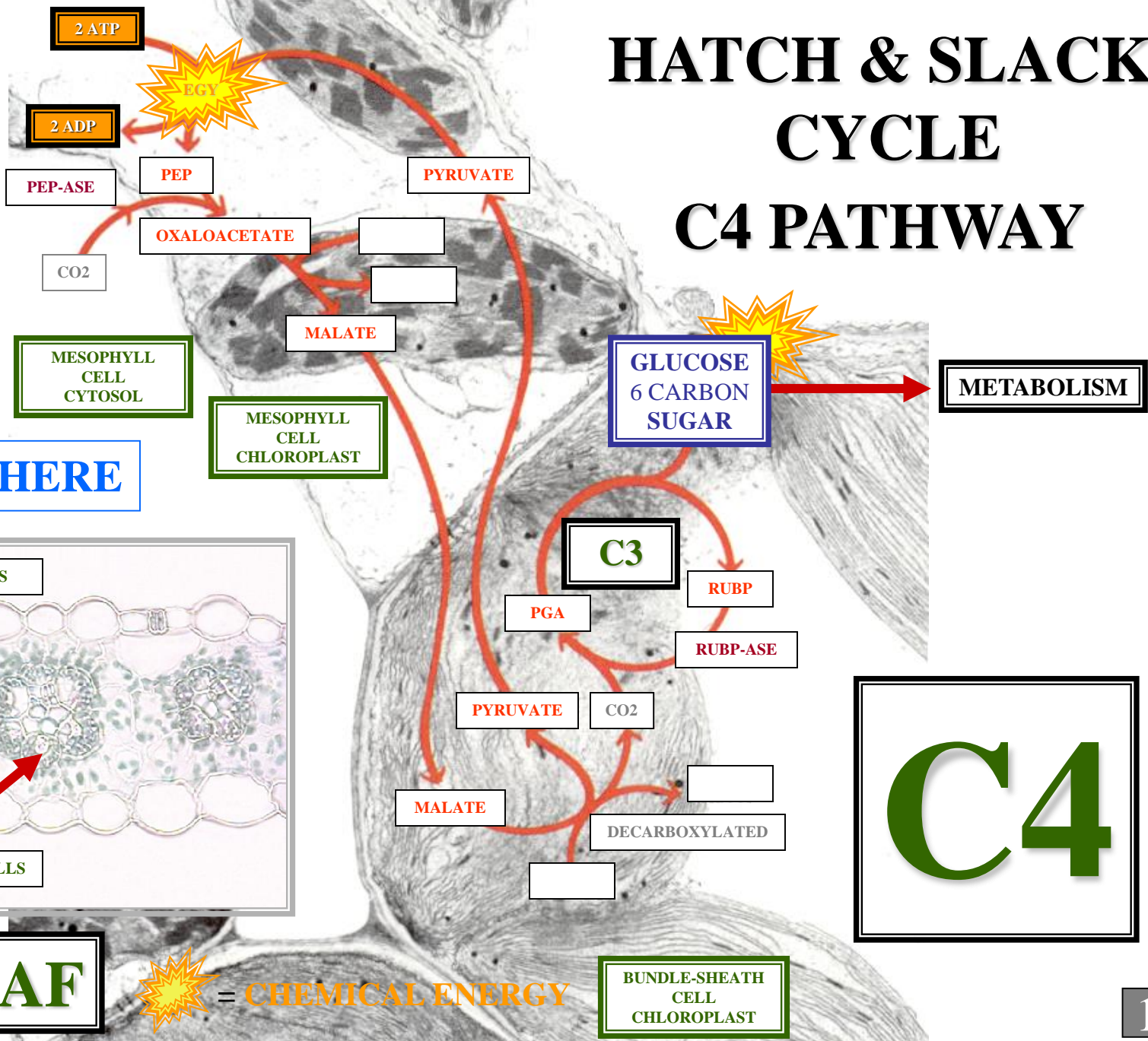


**CORN**

**ATMOSPHERE**



**C4 LEAF**

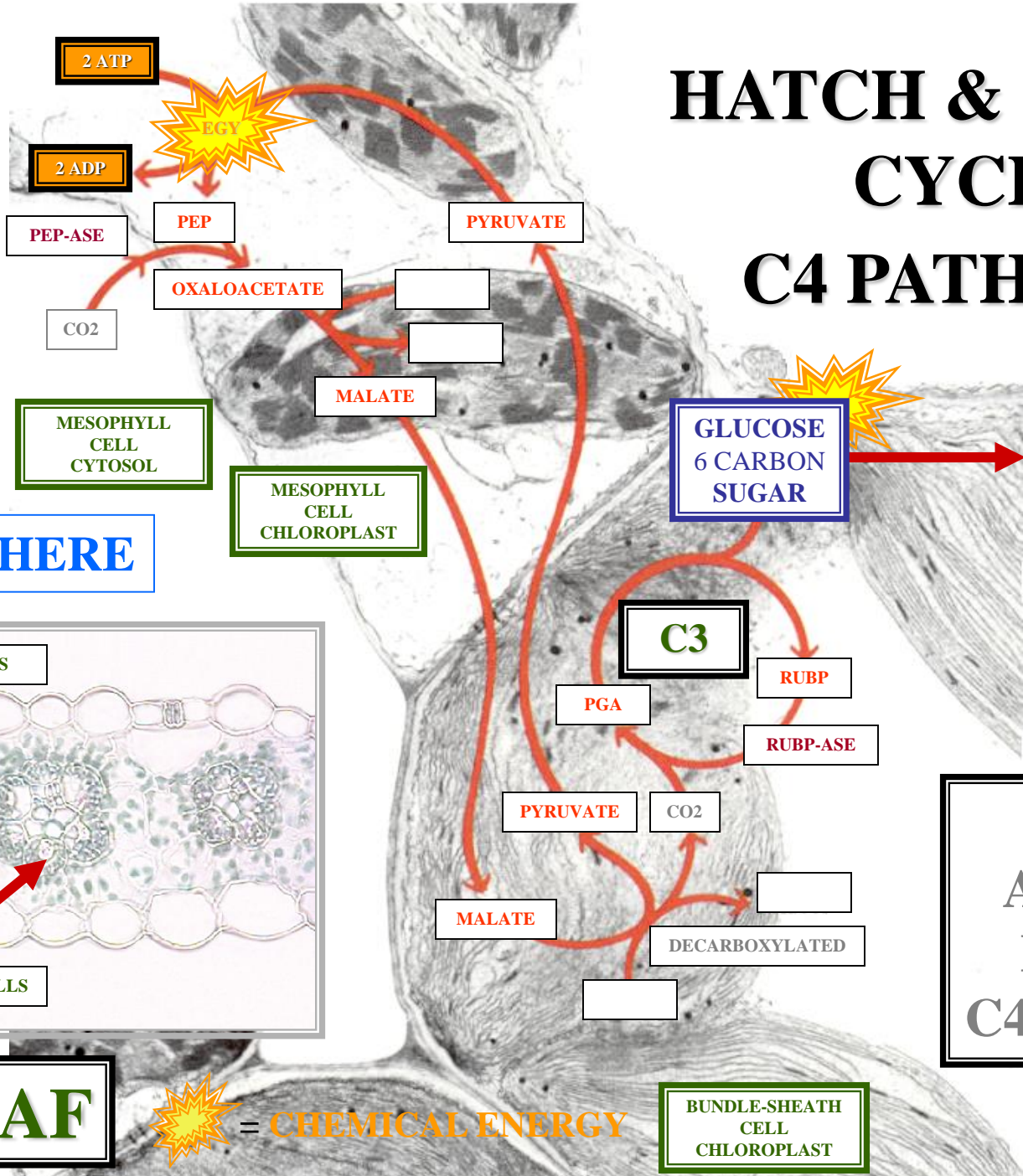


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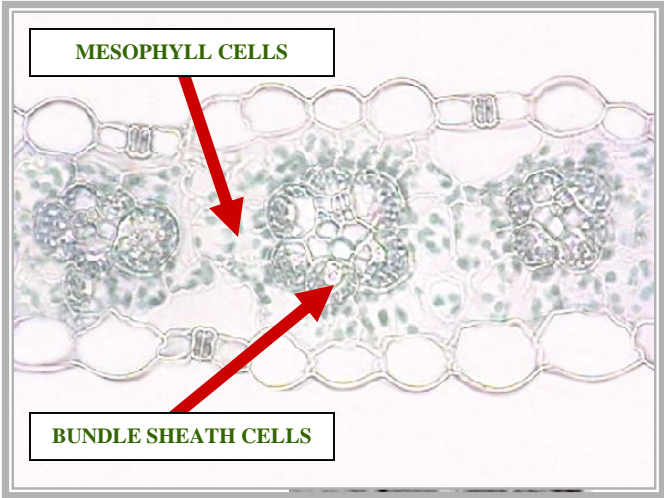


CORN

# HATCH & SLACK CYCLE C4 PATHWAY



ATMOSPHERE



C4 LEAF

 = CHEMICAL ENERGY

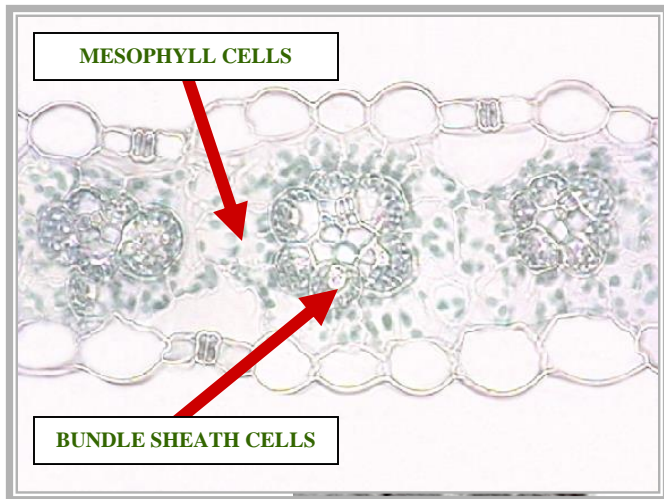
1 CO2  
ADDED  
EACH  
C4 CYCLE



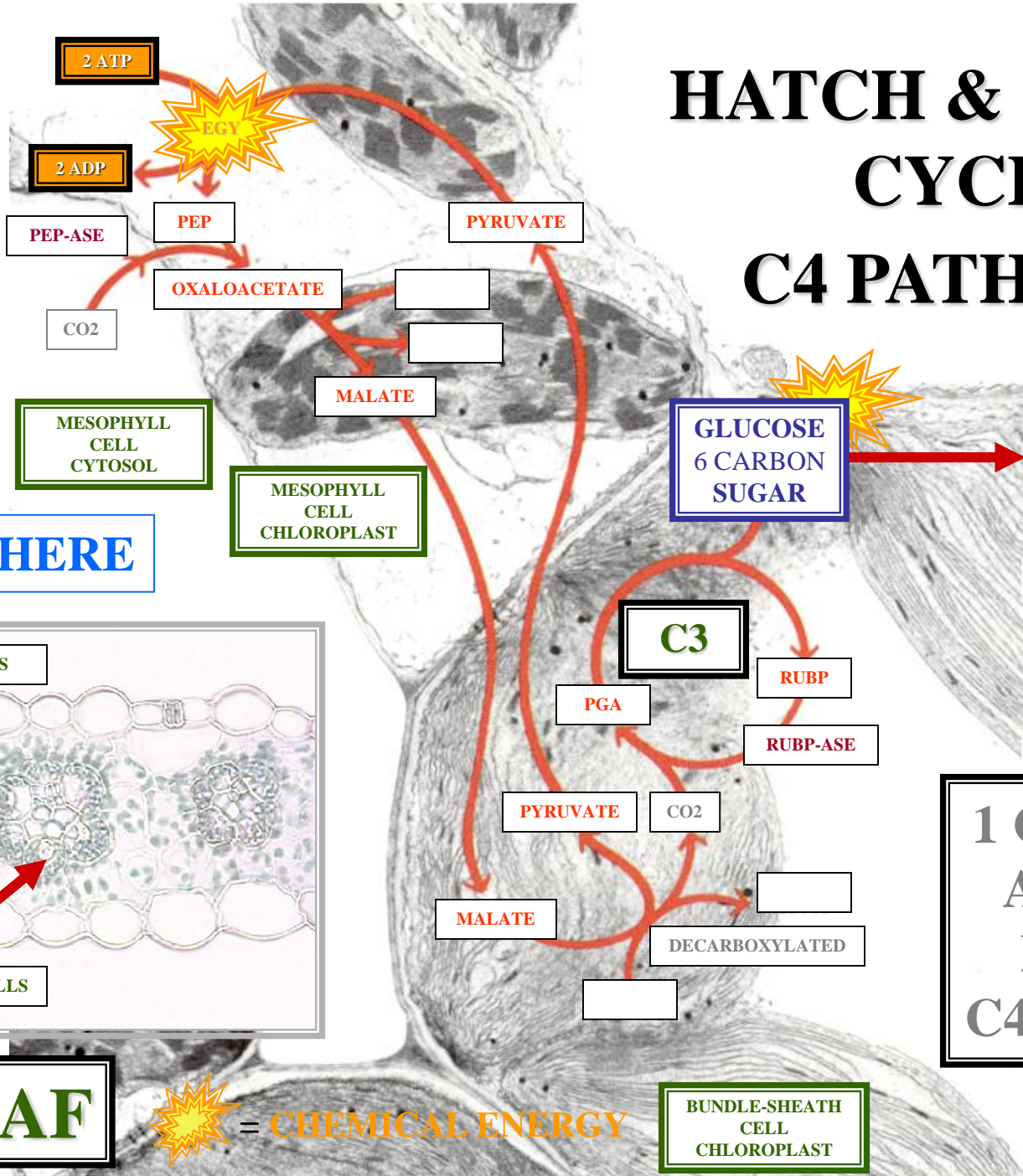
**CORN**

# HATCH & SLACK CYCLE C4 PATHWAY

**ATMOSPHERE**



**C4 LEAF**



2 ATP

2 ADP



PEP

PEP-ASE

OXALOACETATE

CO2

PYRUVATE

MALATE

MESOPHYLL  
CELL  
CYTOSOL

MESOPHYLL  
CELL  
CHLOROPLAST

GLUCOSE  
6 CARBON  
SUGAR

METABOLISM

C3

RUBP

PGA

RUBP-ASE

PYRUVATE

CO2

MALATE

DECARBOXYLATED

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C4 CYCLE

= CHEMICAL ENERGY

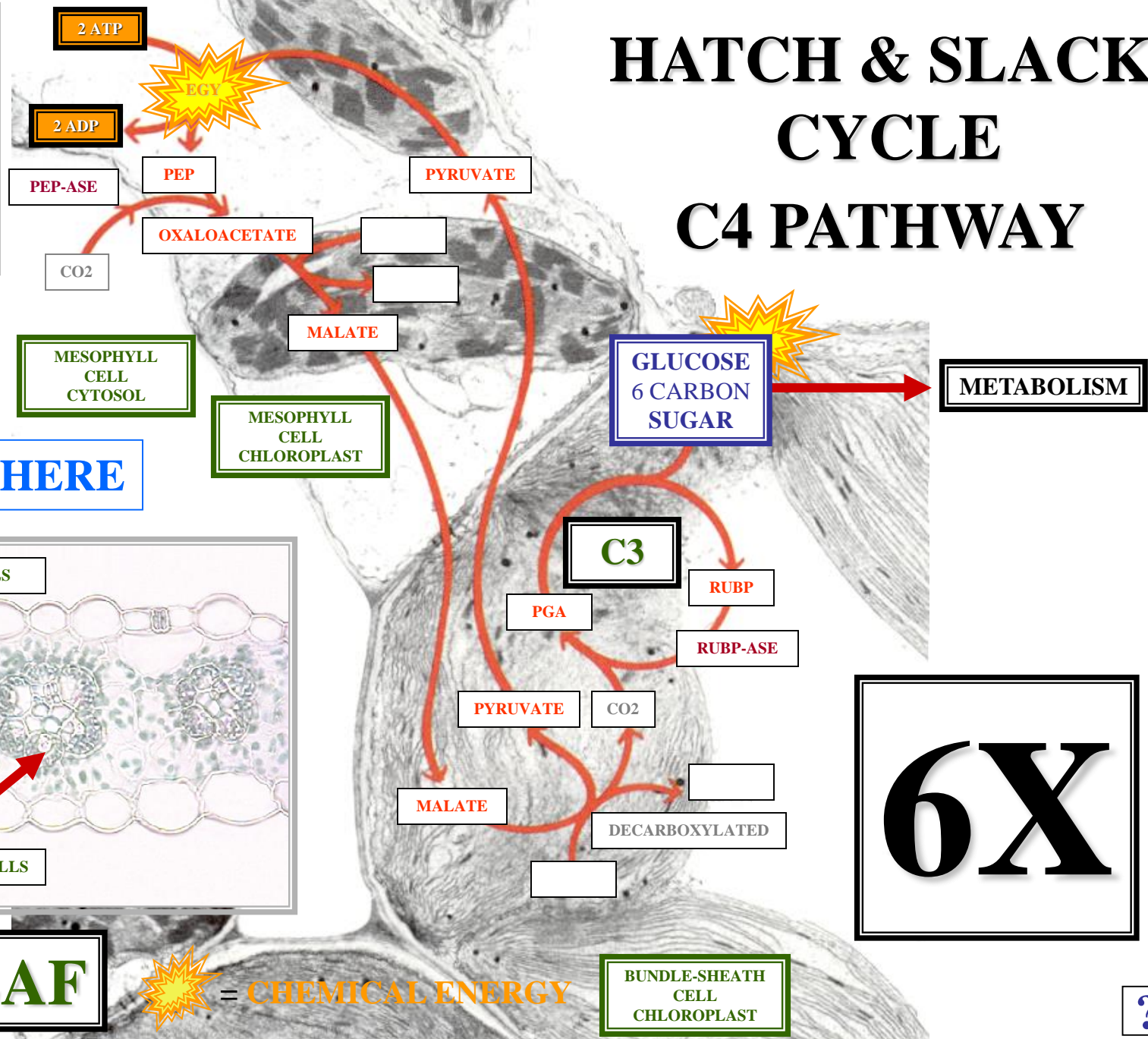
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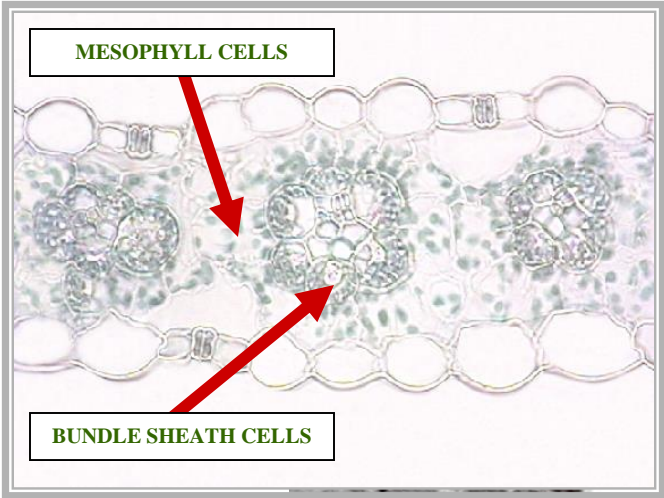


**CORN**

# HATCH & SLACK CYCLE C4 PATHWAY



**ATMOSPHERE**



**C4 LEAF**

**EGY** = **CHEMICAL ENERGY**

**QUESTION**

**DOES A C4 PLANT  
ALSO CONDUCT C3?**

**QUESTION**



**ANSWER**

**YES**

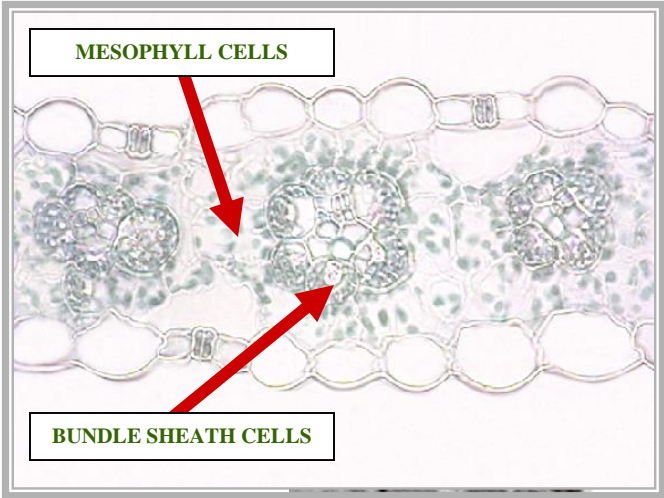
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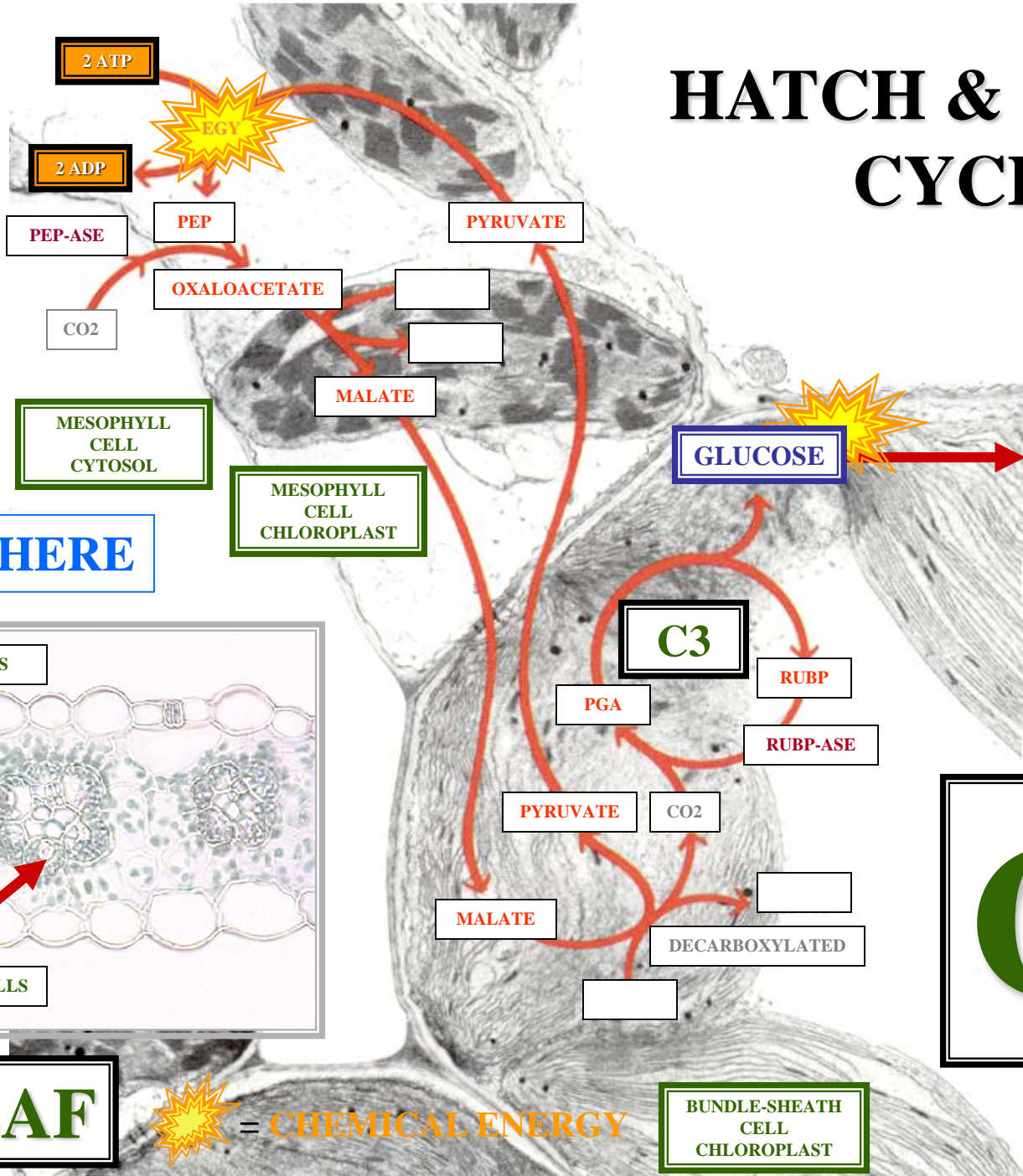


**CORN**

**ATMOSPHERE**



**C4 LEAF**



MESOPHYLL CELL CYTOSOL

MESOPHYLL CELL CHLOROPLAST

BUNDLE-SHEATH CELL CHLOROPLAST

**C4**

**CP >**

**EGY = CHEMICAL ENERGY**

**METABOLISM**

**GLUCOSE**

**C3**

PGA

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DECARBOXYLATED

MALATE

MALATE

OXALOACETATE

PYRUVATE

PEP

PEP-ASE

2 ATP

2 ADP

**EGY**

CO2



*C4 PLANTS*

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*C4 PATHWAY*

*&*

*C3 PATHWAY*

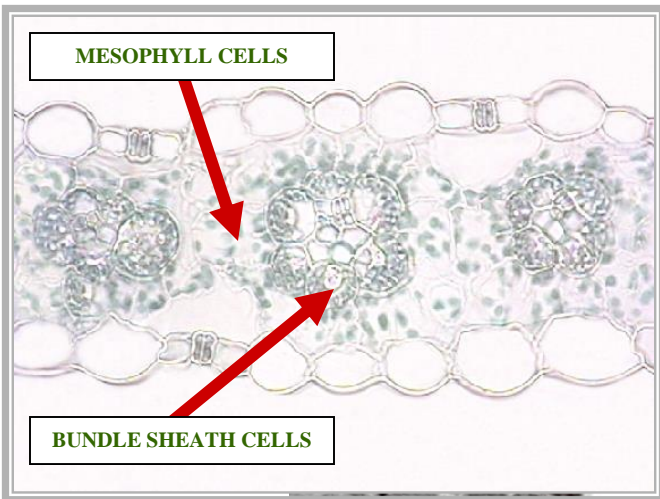
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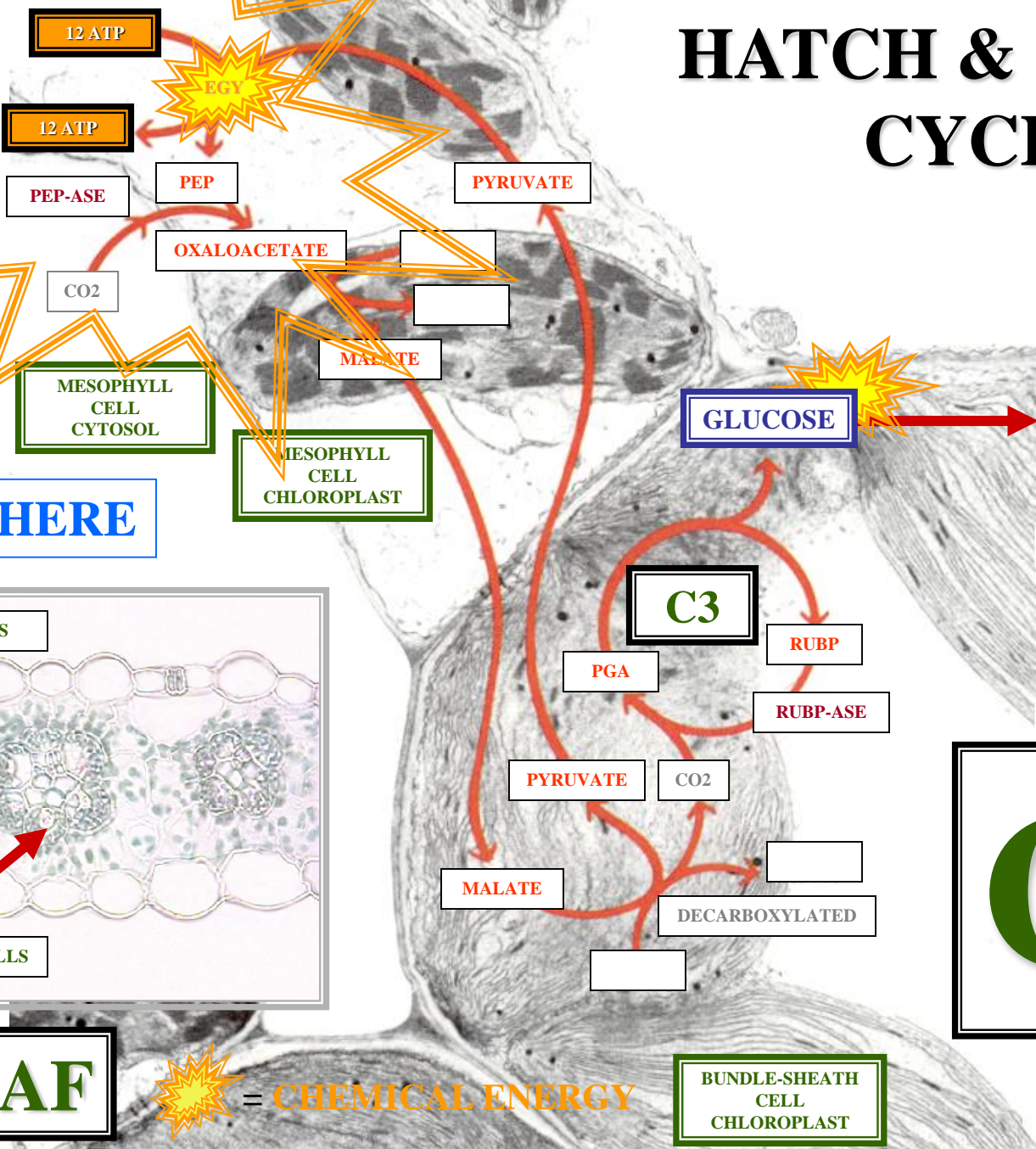


**CORN**

**ATMOSPHERE**



**C4 LEAF**



**EGY** = CHEMICAL ENERGY

**C4**

**C3**

**METABOLISM**

**GLUCOSE**

**12 ATP**

**12 ATP**

**PEP-ASE**

**PEP**

**PYRUVATE**

**OXALOACETATE**

**CO2**

**MALATE**

**MESOPHYLL CELL CYTOSOL**

**MESOPHYLL CELL CHLOROPLAST**

**C3**

**RUBP**

**PGA**

**RUBP-ASE**

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**BUNDLE-SHEATH CELL CHLOROPLAST**



**CORN**

CO<sub>2</sub> + **RIBULOSE BISPHOSEPHATE / (RUBP)**

**FEEDBACK**

**RIBULOSE BISPHOSEPHATE  
CARBOXYLASE  
(RUBP-CARBOXYLASE)**



UNSTABLE 6C COMPOUND

PHOSPHOGLYCERATE / (PGA)

PHOSPHOGLYCERATE / (PGA)

**ATP**

**ATP**

BISPHOGLYCERATE / (BIPGA)

BISPHOGLYCERATE / (BIPGA)

**NADPH**

**NADPH**

PHOSPHOGLYCERALDEHYDE / (PGAL)

PHOSPHOGLYCERALDEHYDE / (PGAL)

COMPLEX SERIES  
CHEMICAL RXTS  
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**C<sub>3</sub>**

**C<sub>3</sub> PATHWAY**

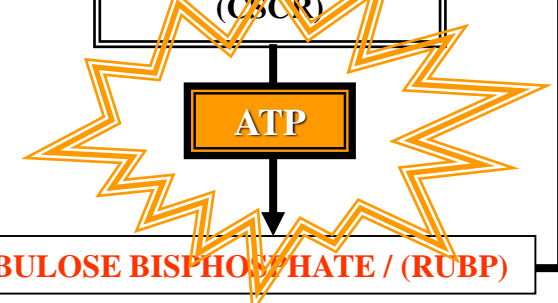
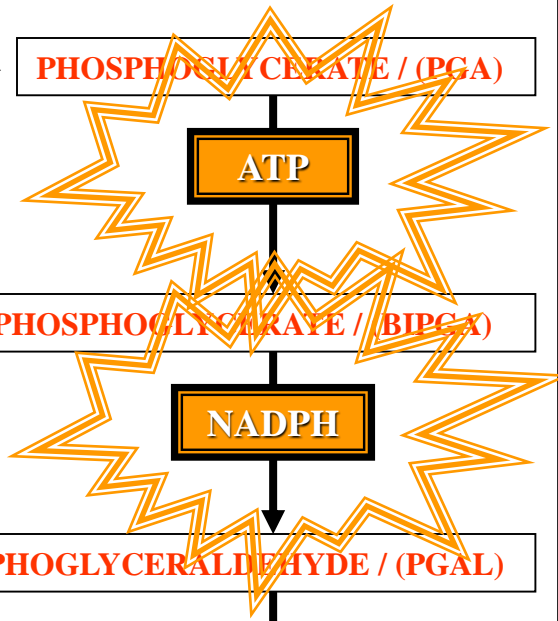
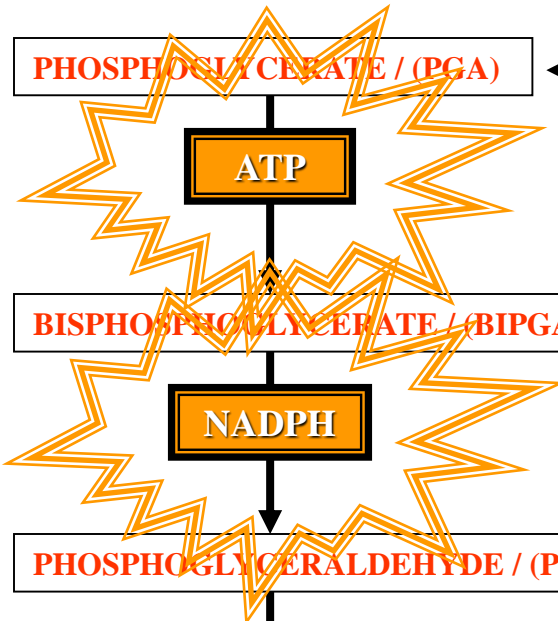
**CALVIN CYCLE**

**GLUCOSE  
6 CARBON  
SUGAR**

**ATP**

**RIBULOSE BISPHOSEPHATE / (RUBP)**

**= CHEMICAL ENERGY**





# ENERGY EXPENSE



# PHOTOSYNTHESIS



A

WATER

**LIGHT ENERGY**

E-

PHOTOLYSIS

LT RXT

THYLAKOID

DK RXT

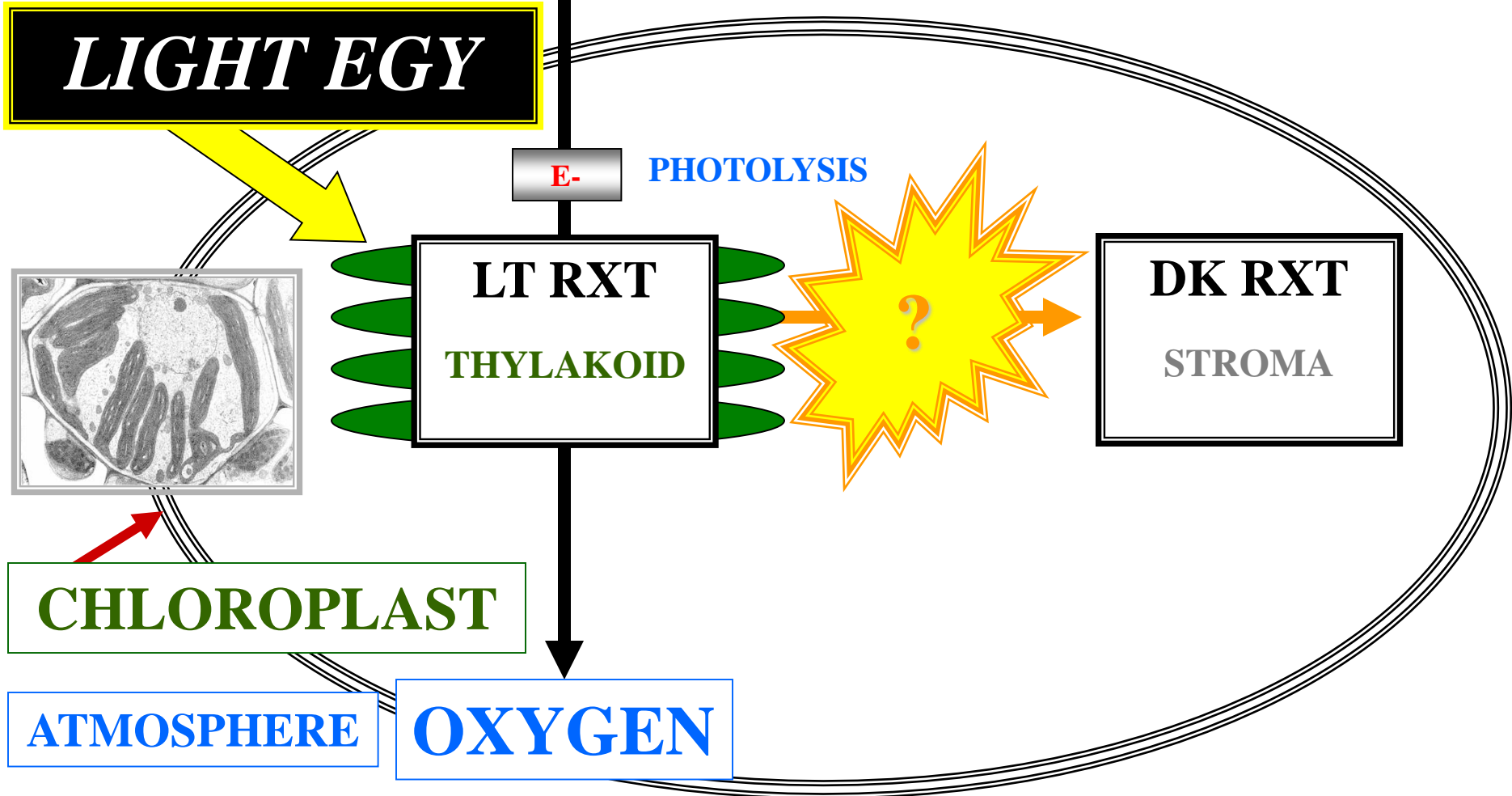
STROMA



CHLOROPLAST

ATMOSPHERE

OXYGEN



# PHOTOSYNTHESIS

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WATER

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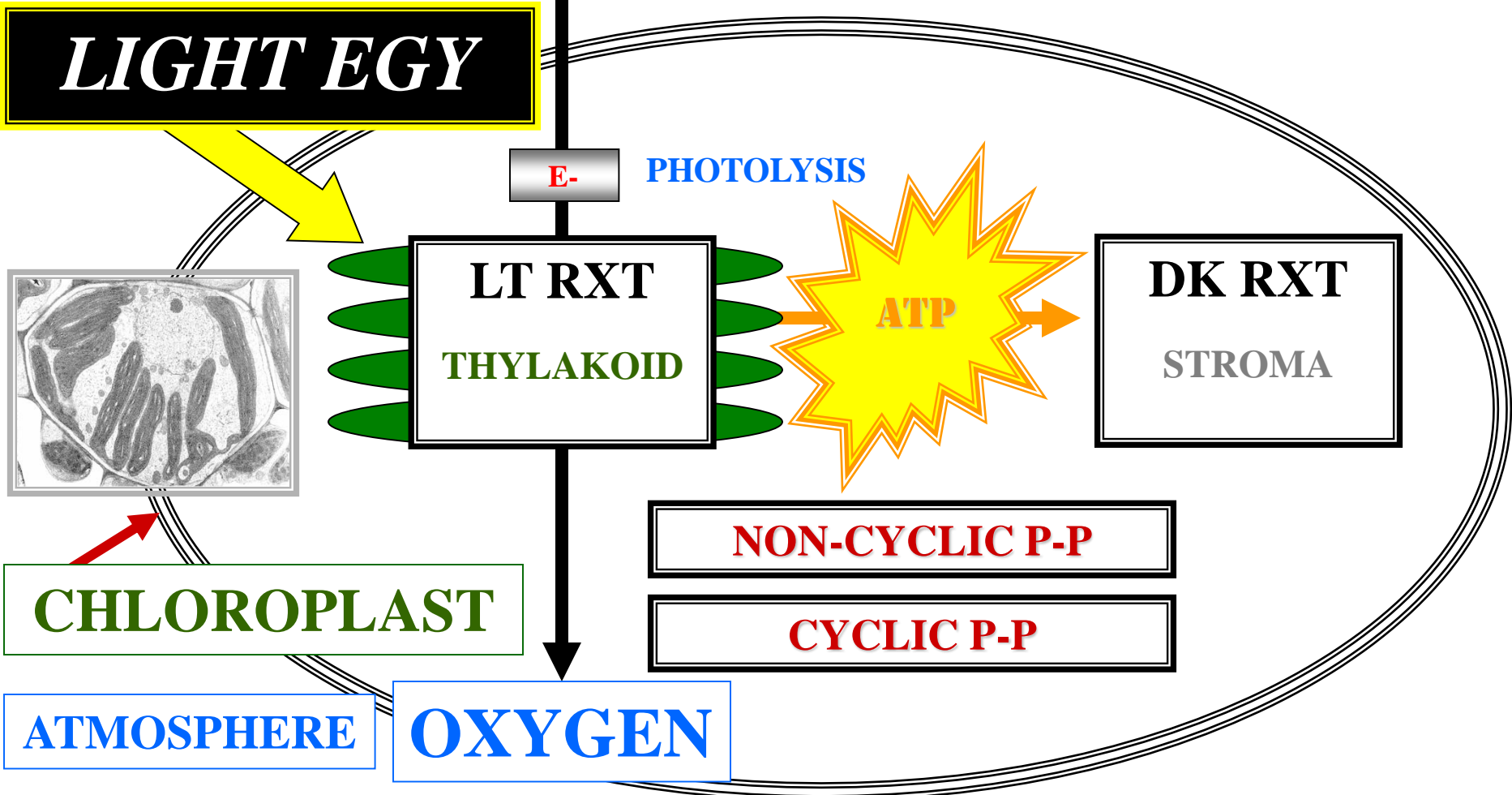
NON-CYCLIC P-P

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CHLOROPLAST

ATMOSPHERE

OXYGEN



# PHOTOSYNTHESIS



WATER

**LIGHT ENERGY**

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DK RXT

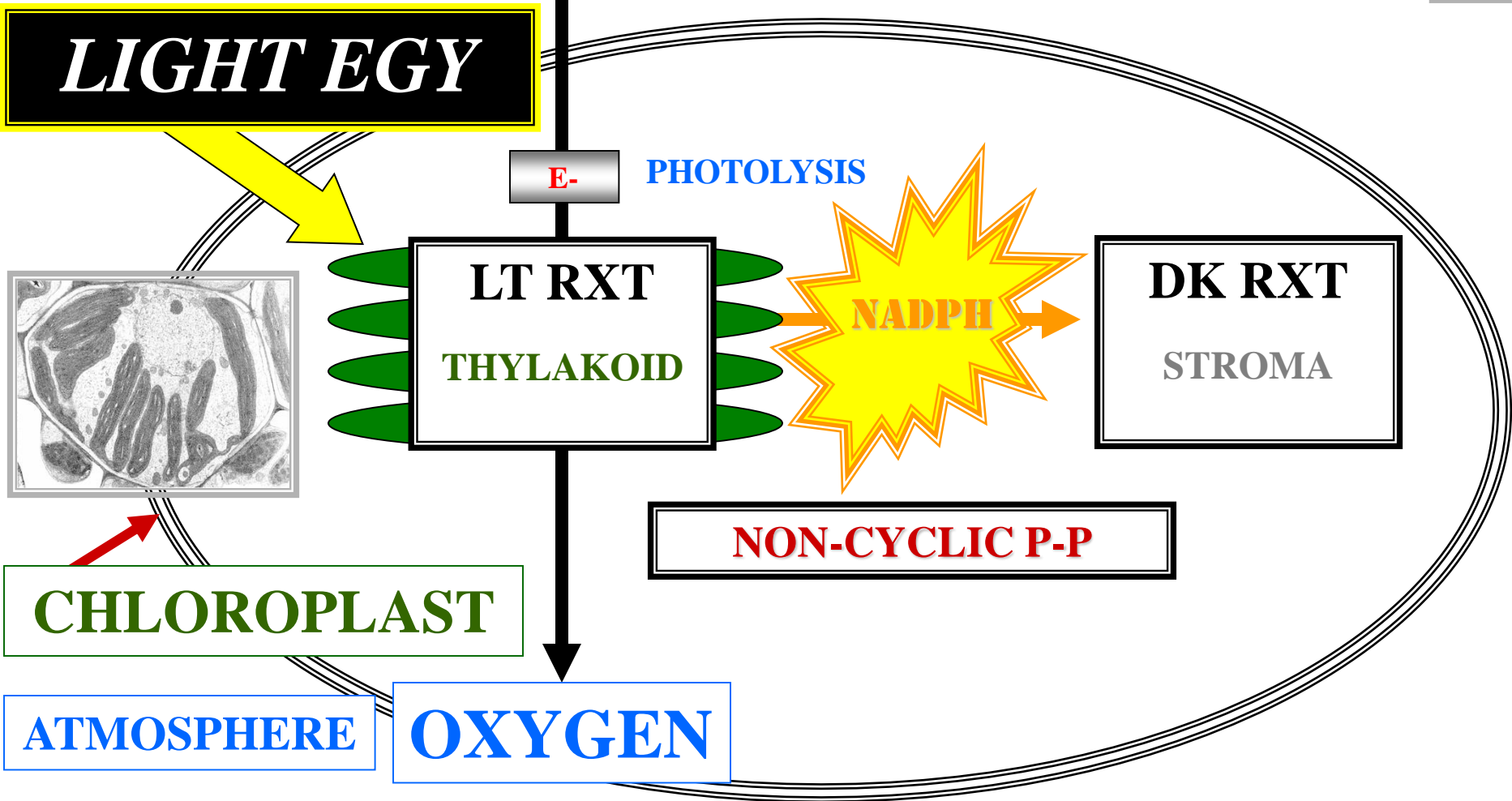
STROMA

NON-CYCLIC P-P

CHLOROPLAST

ATMOSPHERE

OXYGEN





**ATP**

**ENERGY EXPENSE**

**C4**

**CORN**

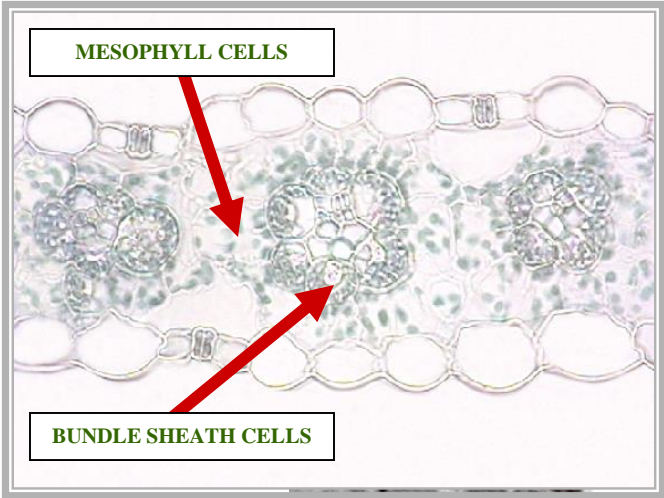


**CORN**

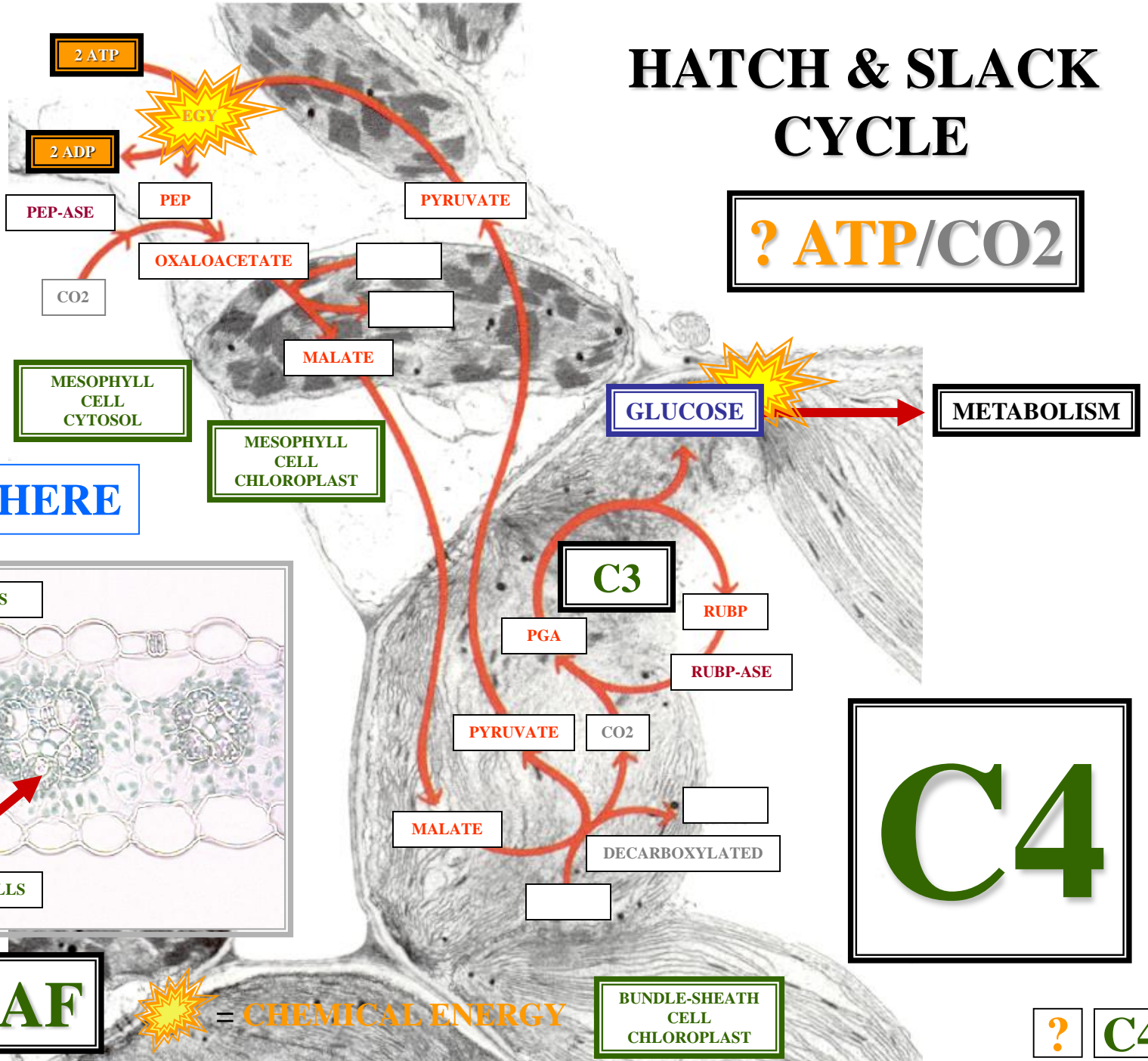
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**? ATP/CO2**

**ATMOSPHERE**



**C4 LEAF**



MESOPHYLL CELL CYTOSOL

MESOPHYLL CELL CHLOROPLAST

BUNDLE-SHEATH CELL CHLOROPLAST

**C4**

**? C4**

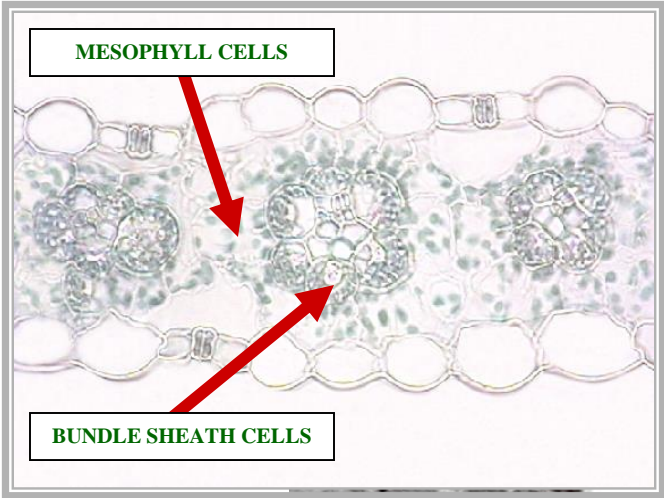
**= CHEMICAL ENERGY**

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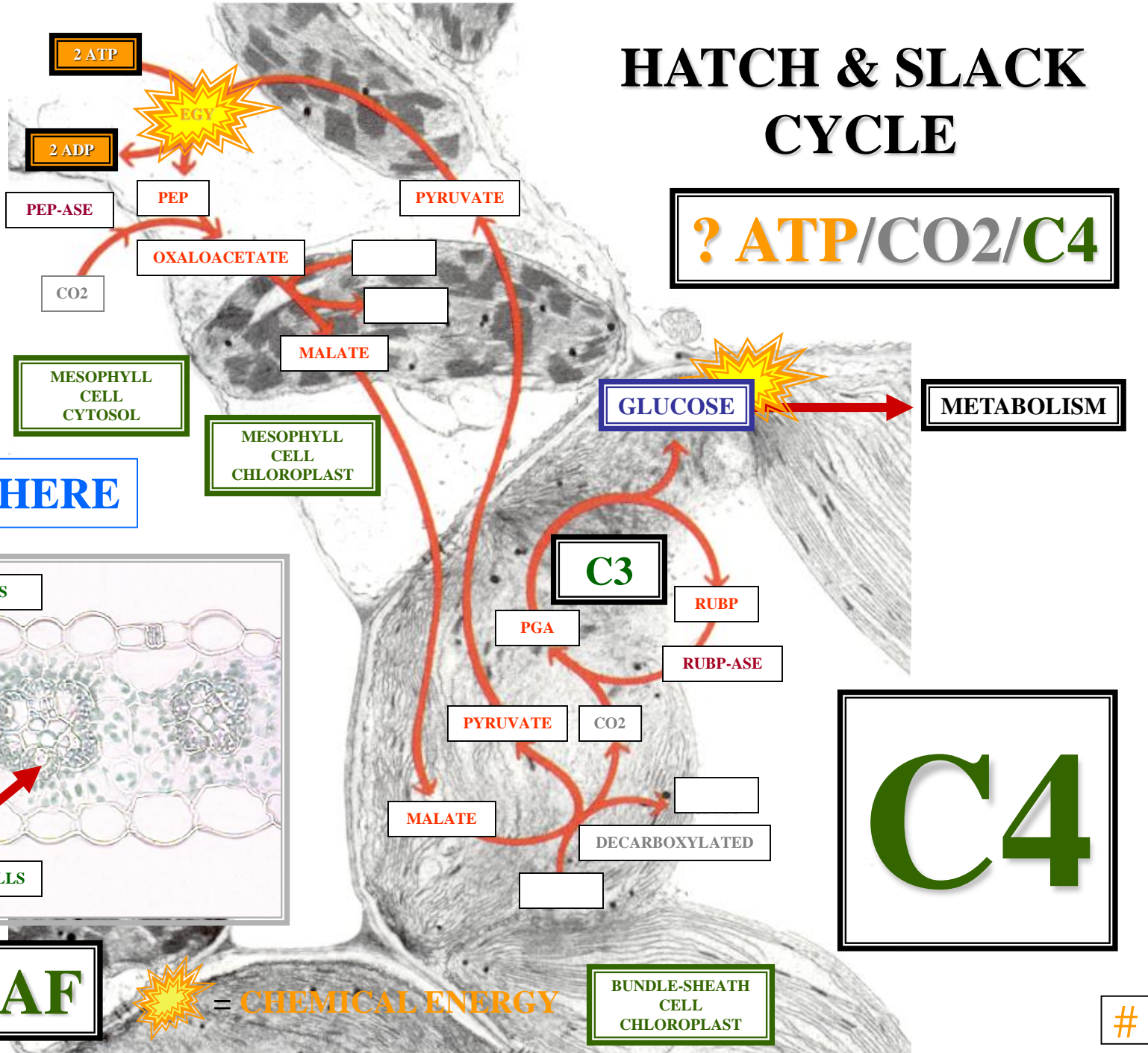


**CORN**

**ATMOSPHERE**



**C4 LEAF**



**? ATP/CO2/C4**

**METABOLISM**

**C3**

**C4**

**EGY = CHEMICAL ENERGY**

**BUNDLE-SHEATH CELL CHLOROPLAST**

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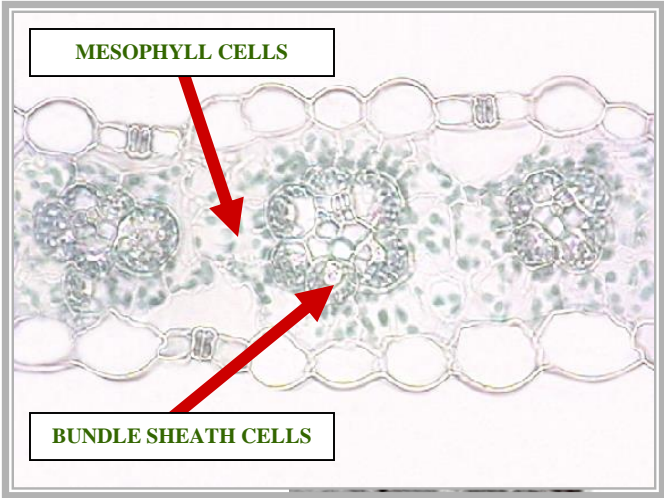
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**2 ATP/CO<sub>2</sub>/C<sub>4</sub>**

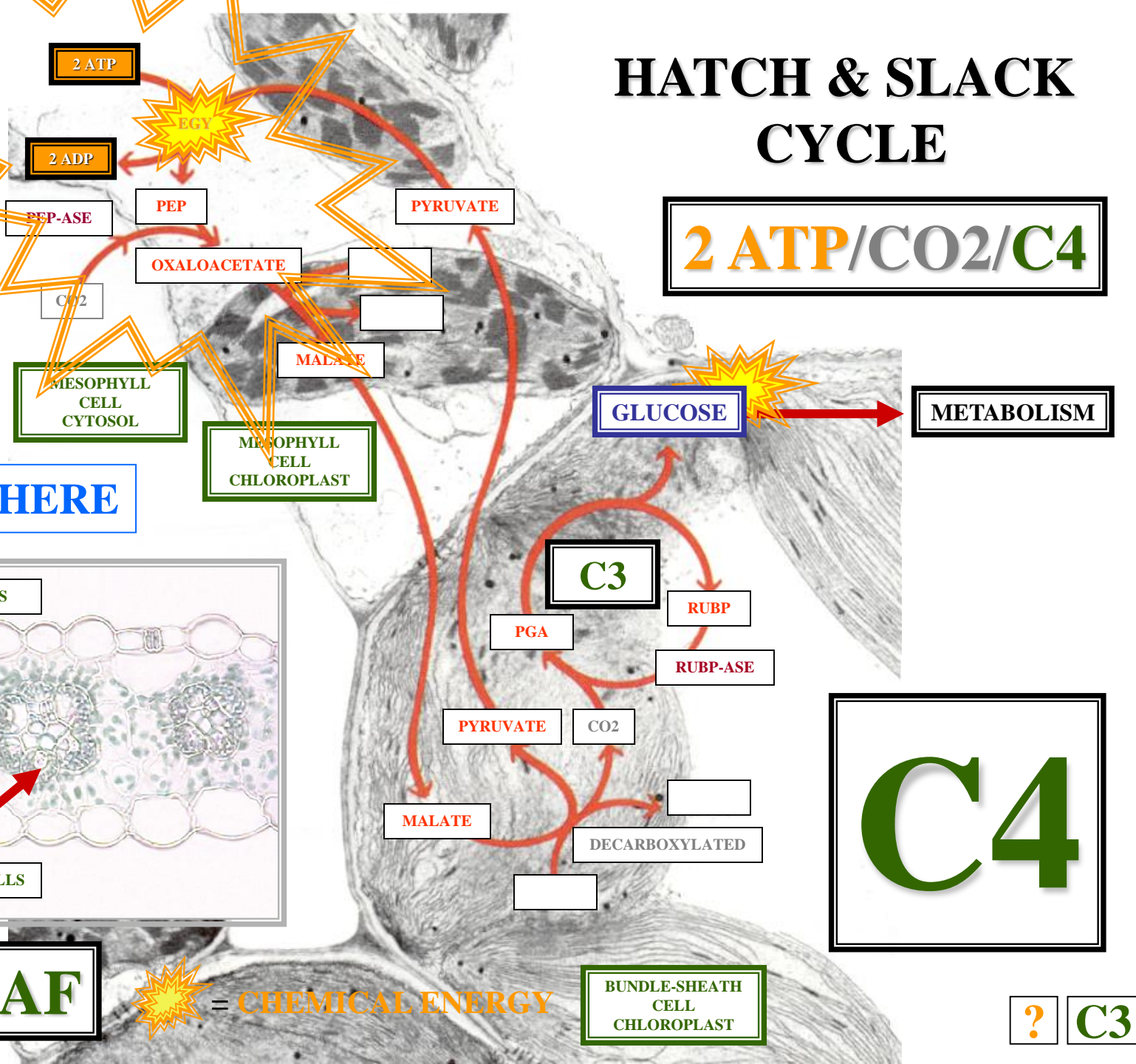


**CORN**

**ATMOSPHERE**



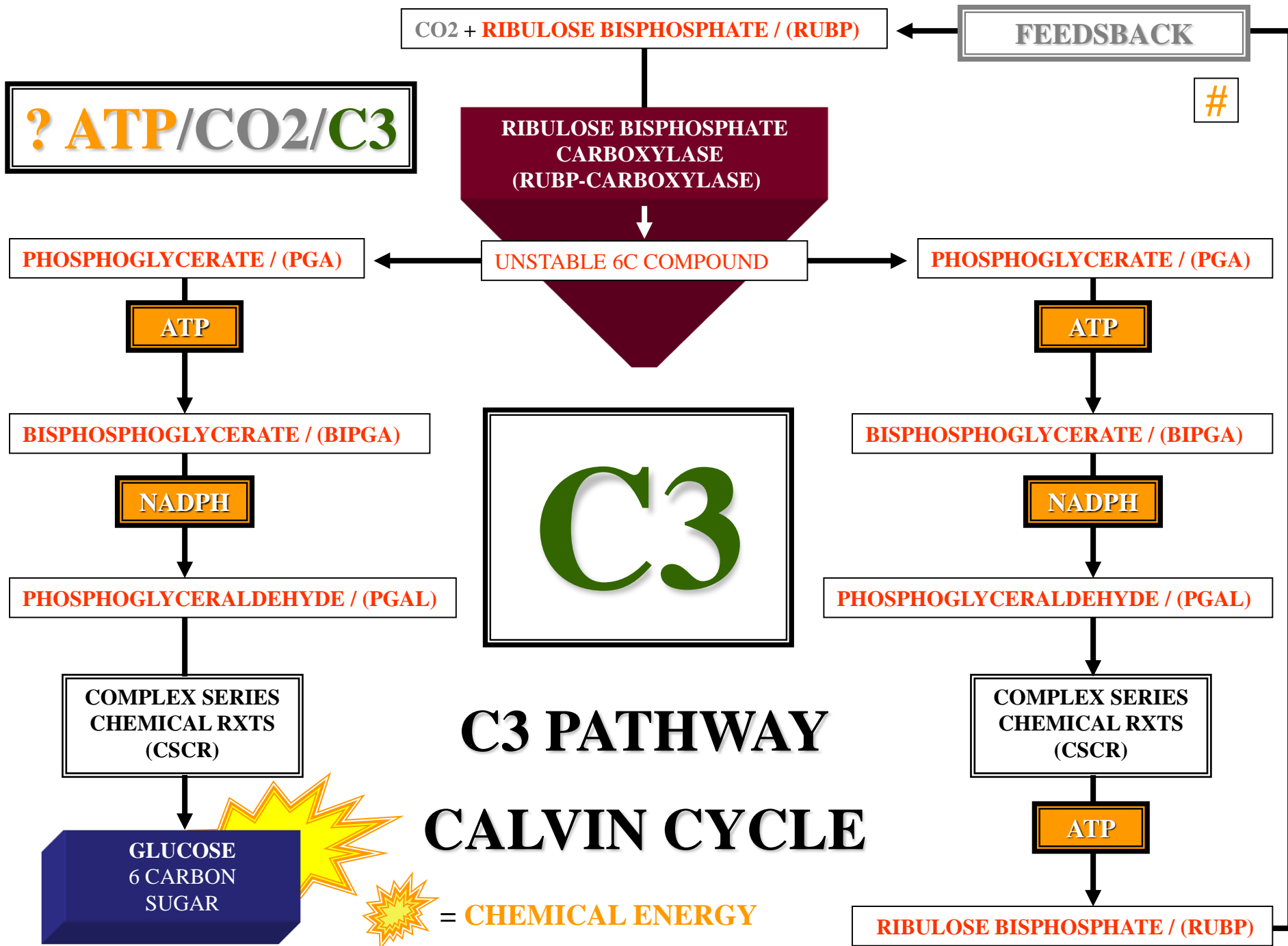
**C<sub>4</sub> LEAF**



**EGY = CHEMICAL ENERGY**

**C<sub>4</sub>**

**? C<sub>3</sub>**



? ATP/CO<sub>2</sub>/C<sub>3</sub>

CO<sub>2</sub> + RIBULOSE BISPHOSEPHATE / (RUBP)

FEEDBACK #

RIBULOSE BISPHOSEPHATE CARBOXYLASE (RUBP-CARBOXYLASE)

PHOSPHOGLYCERATE / (PGA)

UNSTABLE 6C COMPOUND

PHOSPHOGLYCERATE / (PGA)

ATP

ATP

BISPHOPHOGLYCERATE / (BIPGA)

BISPHOPHOGLYCERATE / (BIPGA)

NADPH

NADPH

PHOSPHOGLYCERALDEHYDE / (PGAL)

PHOSPHOGLYCERALDEHYDE / (PGAL)

C<sub>3</sub>

COMPLEX SERIES CHEMICAL RXTS (CSCR)

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GLUCOSE 6 CARBON SUGAR

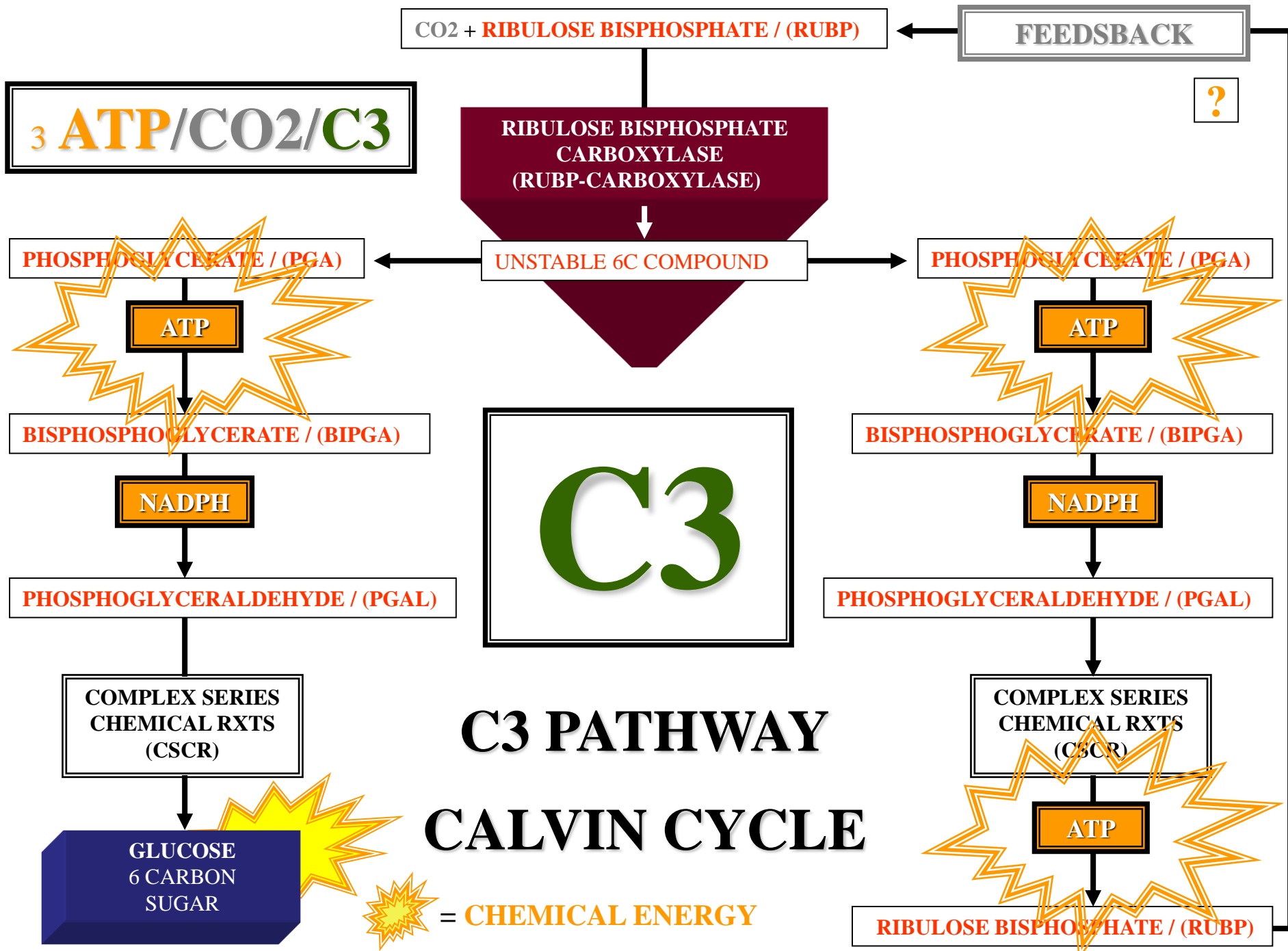
ATP

RIBULOSE BISPHOSEPHATE / (RUBP)

= CHEMICAL ENERGY

C<sub>3</sub> PATHWAY CALVIN CYCLE



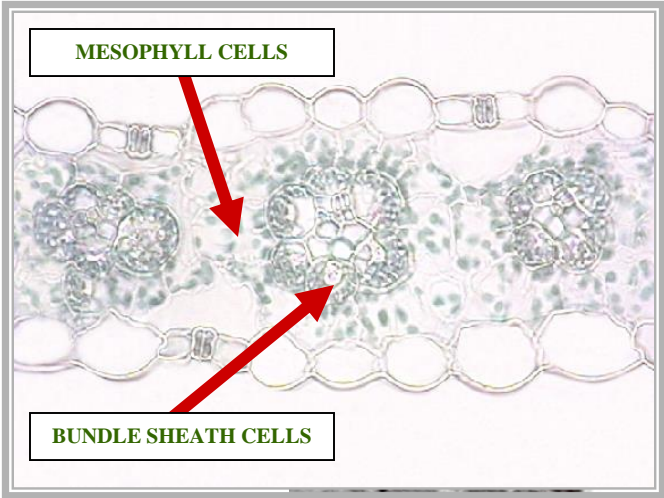


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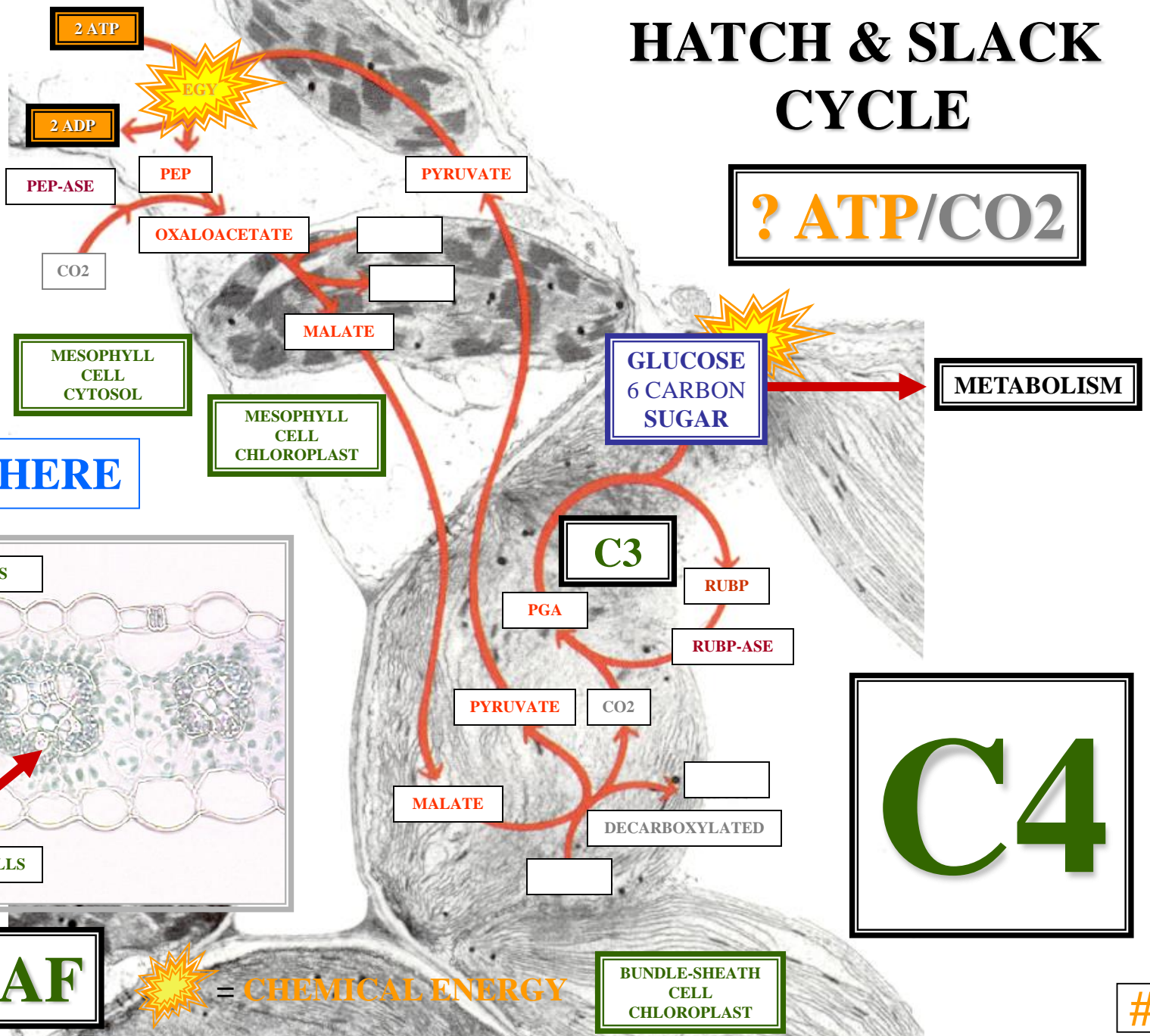


**CORN**

**ATMOSPHERE**



**C4 LEAF**



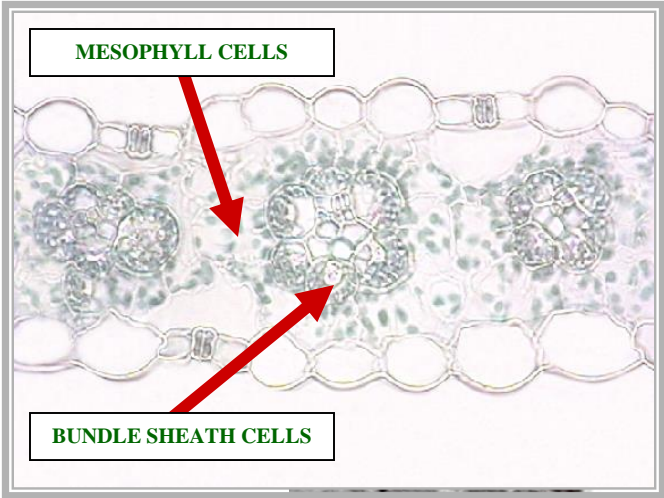
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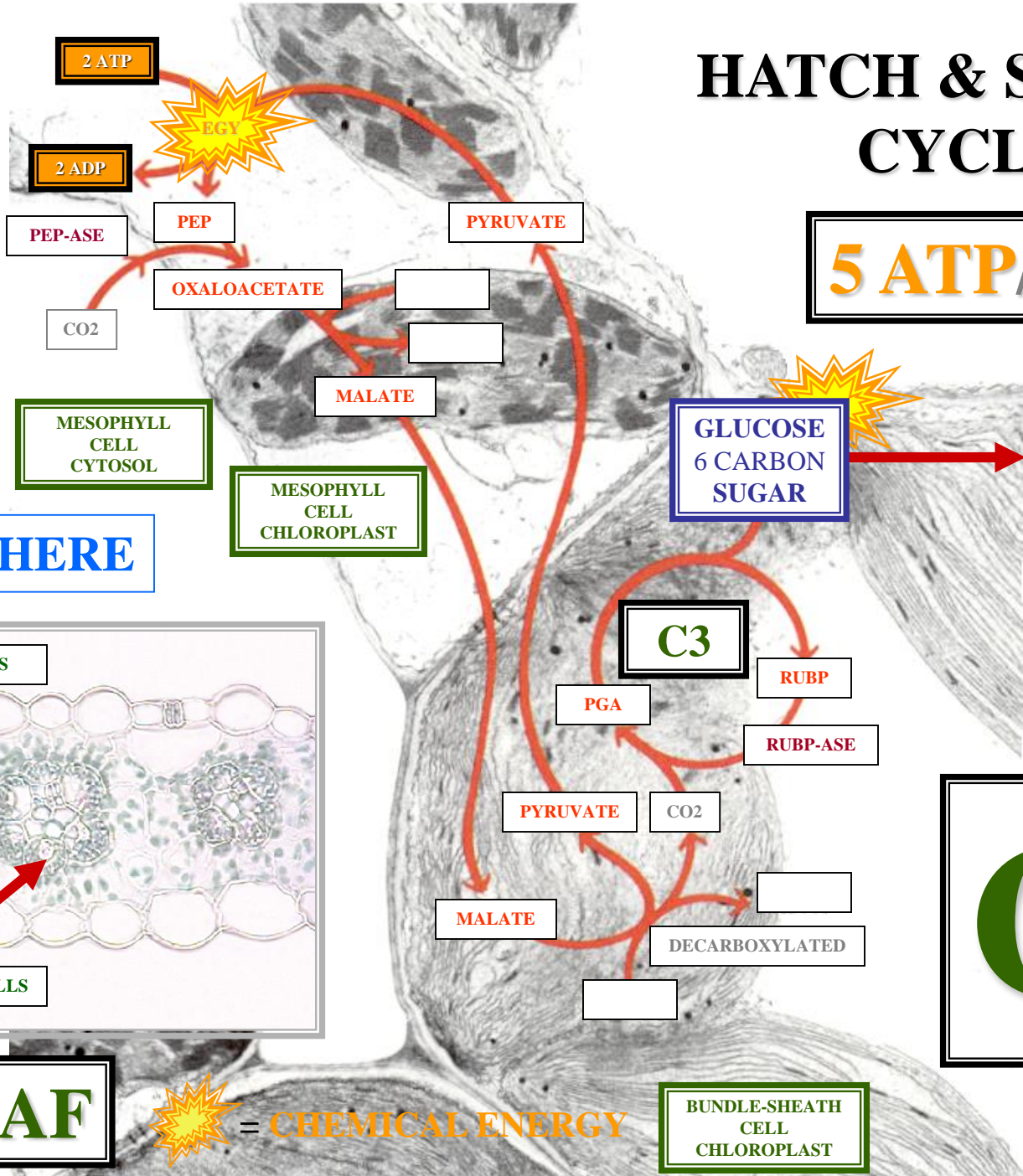
**CORN**

**5 ATP/CO<sub>2</sub>**

**ATMOSPHERE**



**C4 LEAF**



= CHEMICAL ENERGY

**BUNDLE-SHEATH CELL CHLOROPLAST**

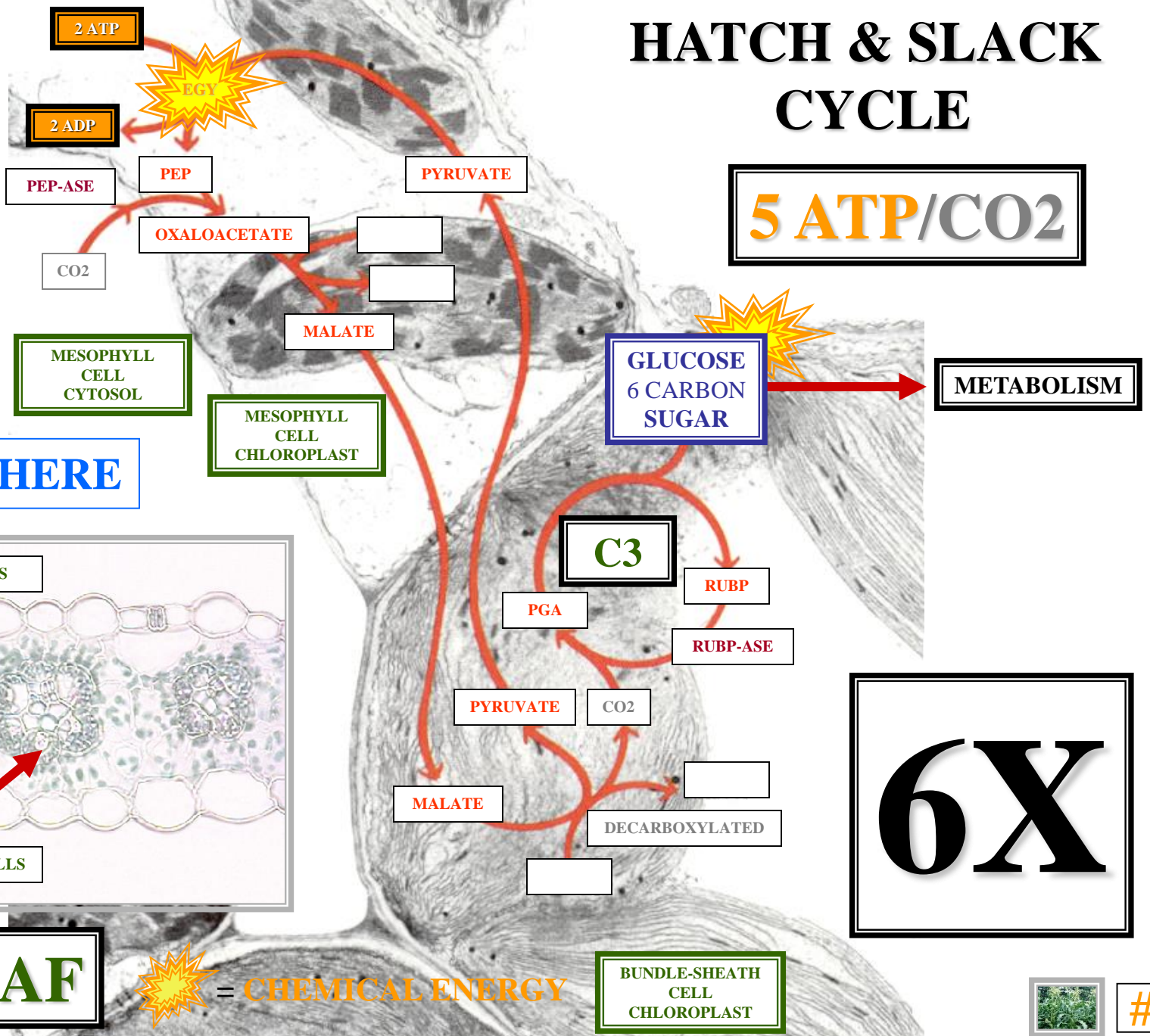
**C<sub>4</sub>**

**6X**

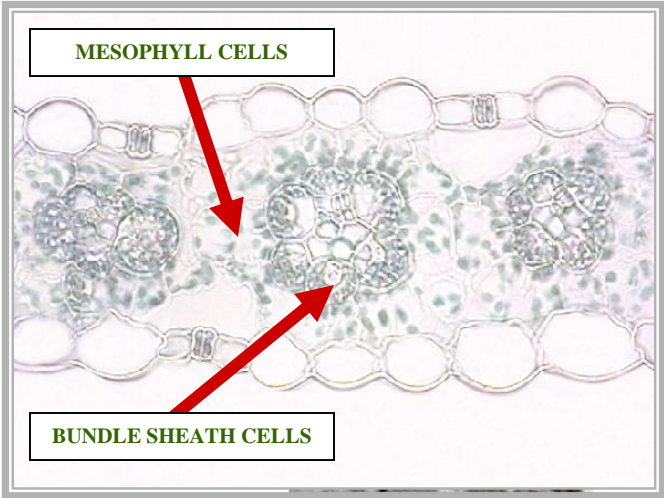
# HATCH & SLACK CYCLE



**CORN**



**ATMOSPHERE**



**C4 LEAF**



# PHOTOSYNTHESIS

LR



ATP  
ENERGY EXPENSE

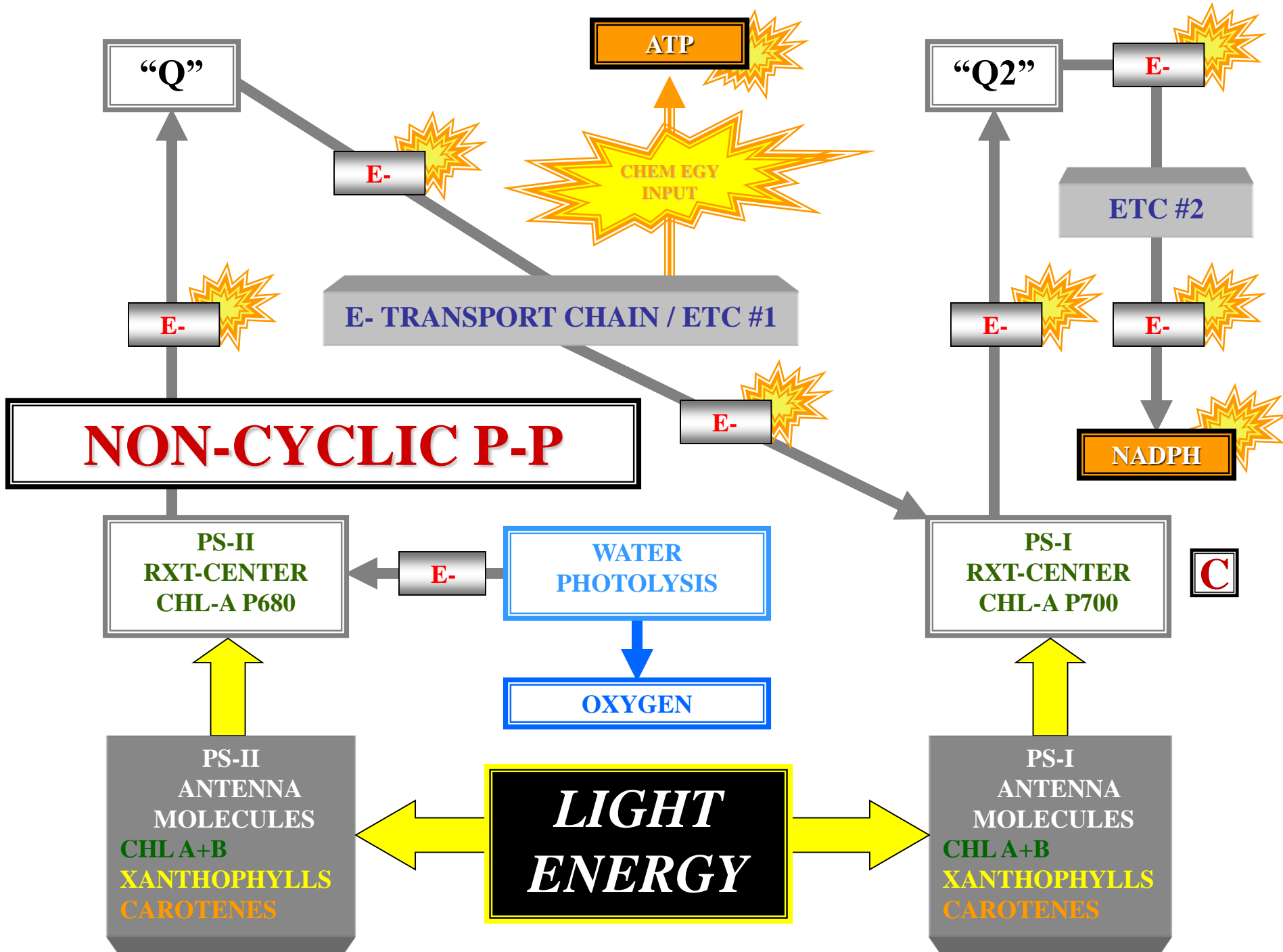
30 ATP

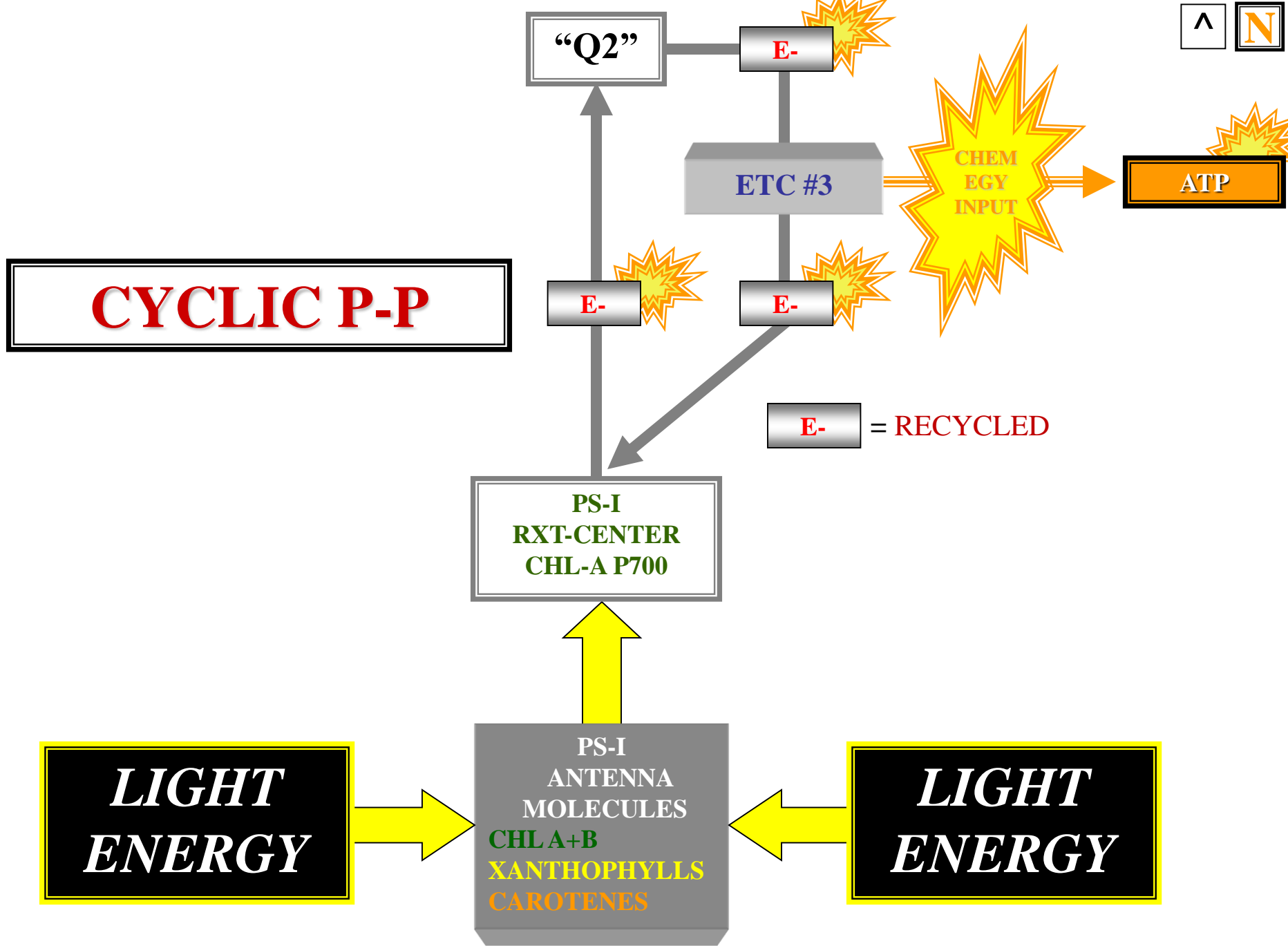
C4

CORN



# LIGHT REACTION









**NADPH**

**ENERGY EXPENSE**

**C4**

**CORN**

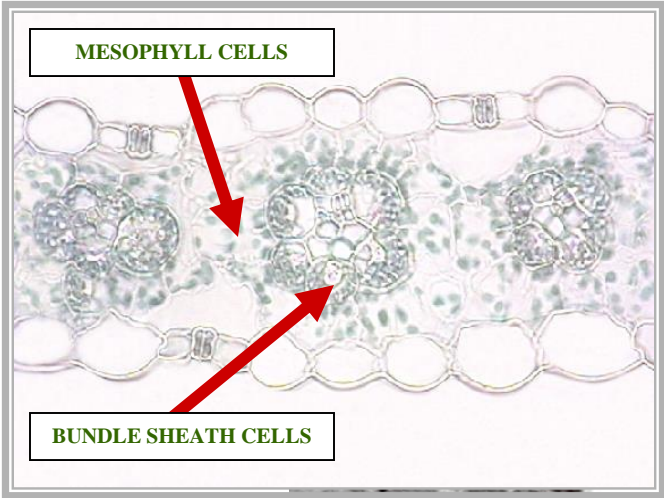


**CORN**

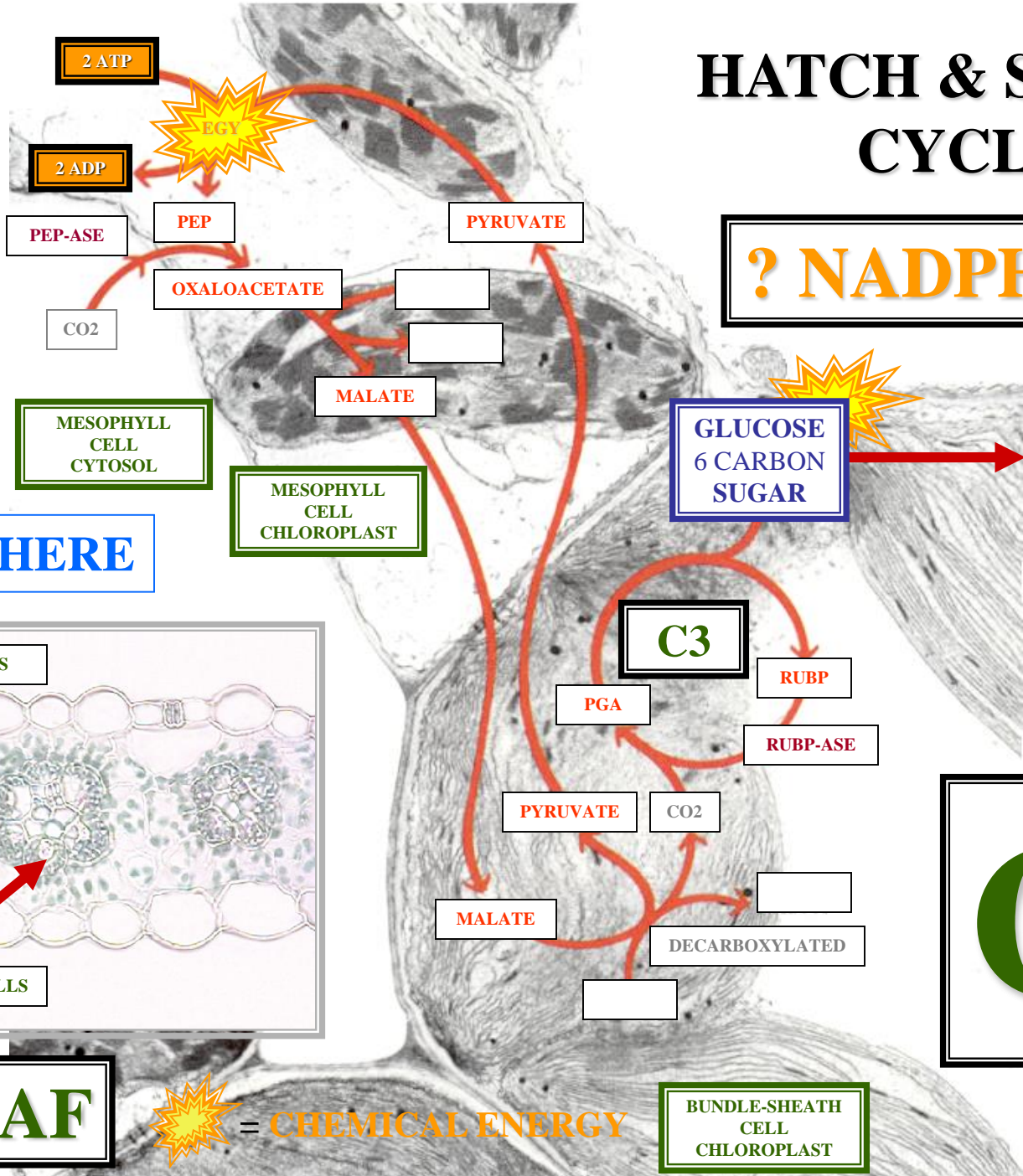
# HATCH & SLACK CYCLE

**? NADPH/CO<sub>2</sub>**

**ATMOSPHERE**



**C4 LEAF**



**METABOLISM**

**C4**

**EGY = CHEMICAL ENERGY**

**BUNDLE-SHEATH CELL CHLOROPLAST**

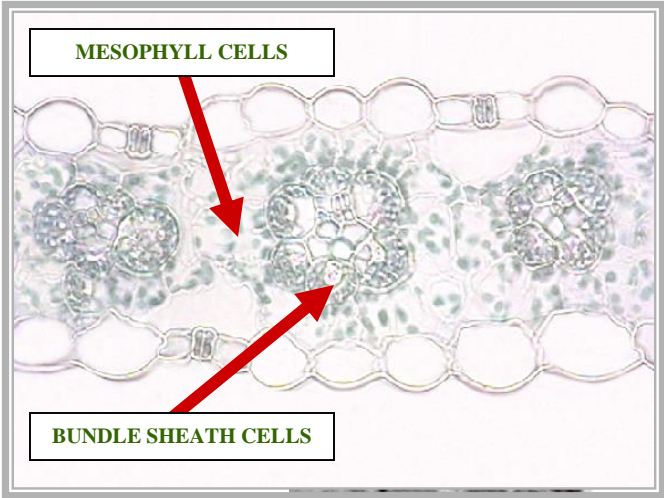
**? C4**

# HATCH & SLACK CYCLE

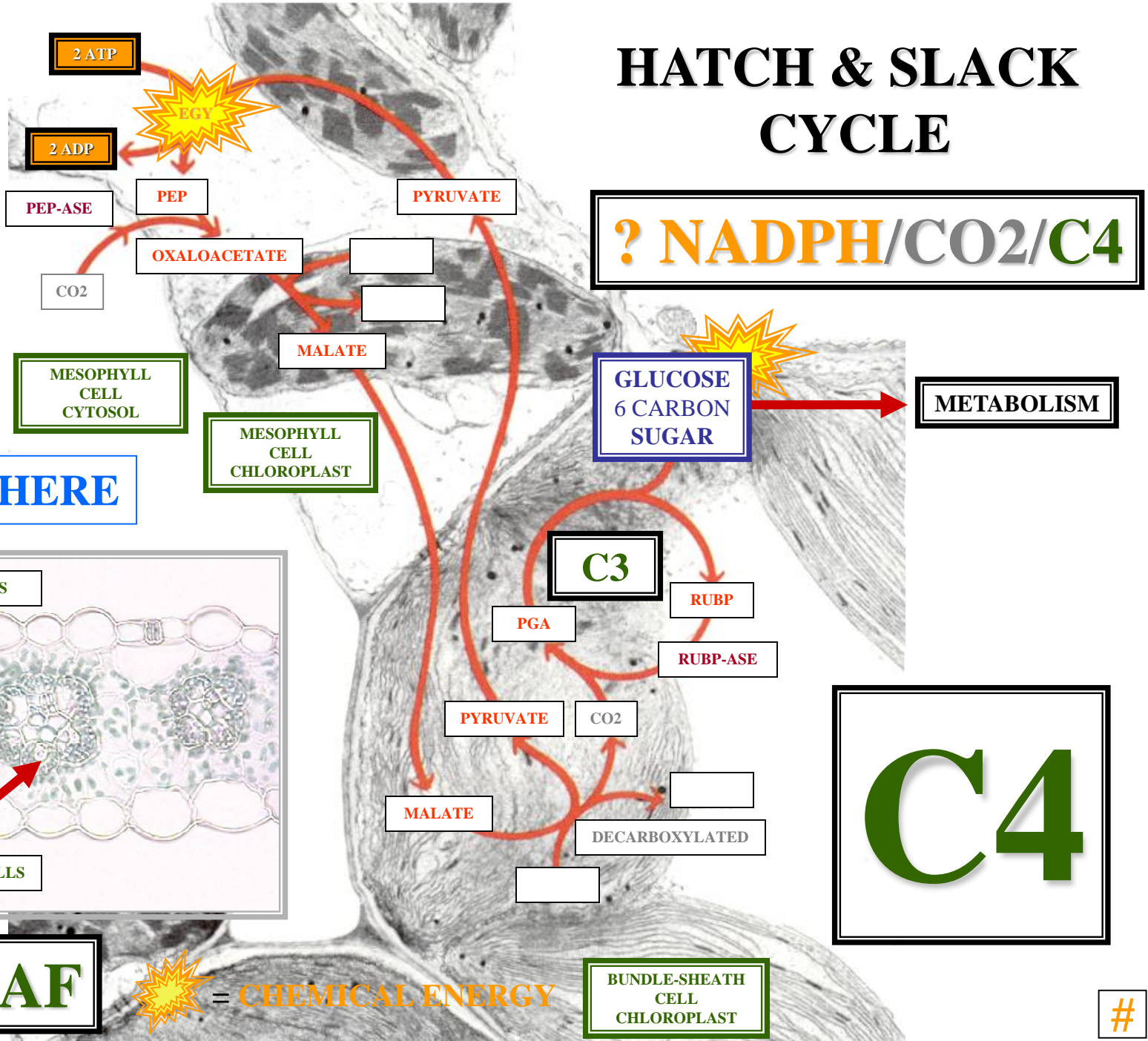


**CORN**

**ATMOSPHERE**



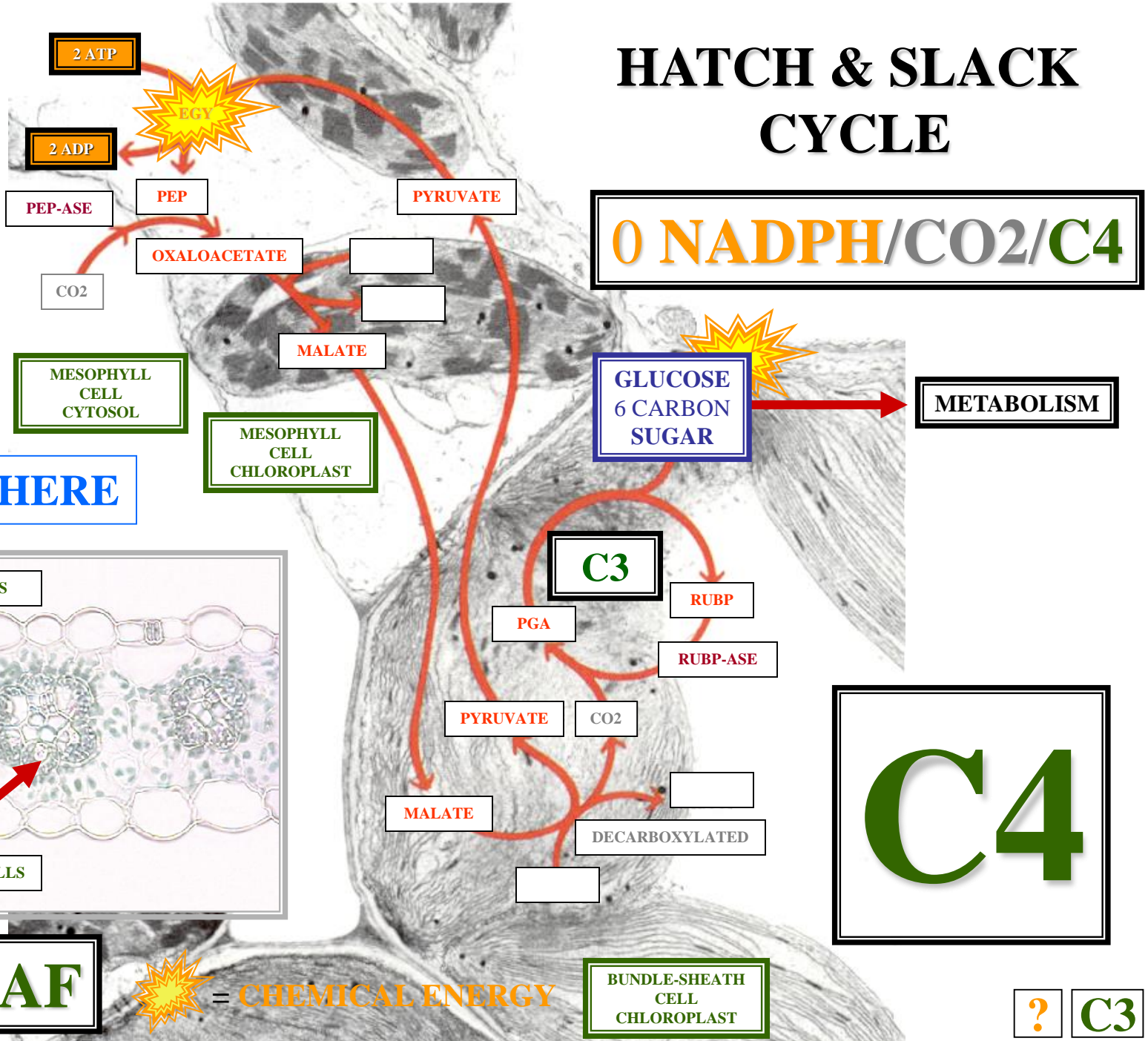
**C4 LEAF**



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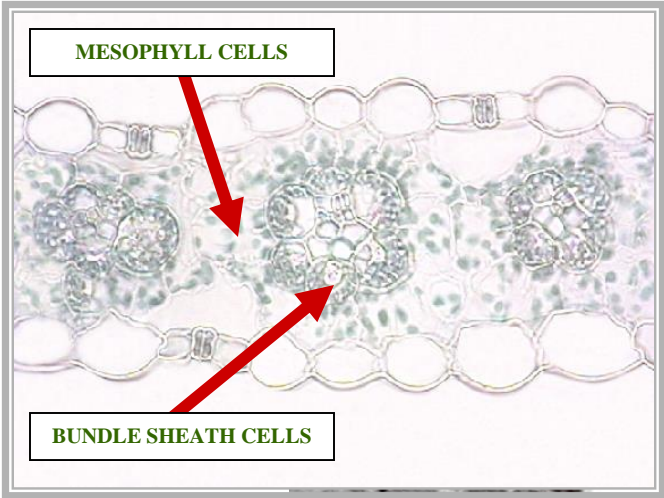


**CORN**



**0 NADPH/CO<sub>2</sub>/C<sub>4</sub>**

**ATMOSPHERE**



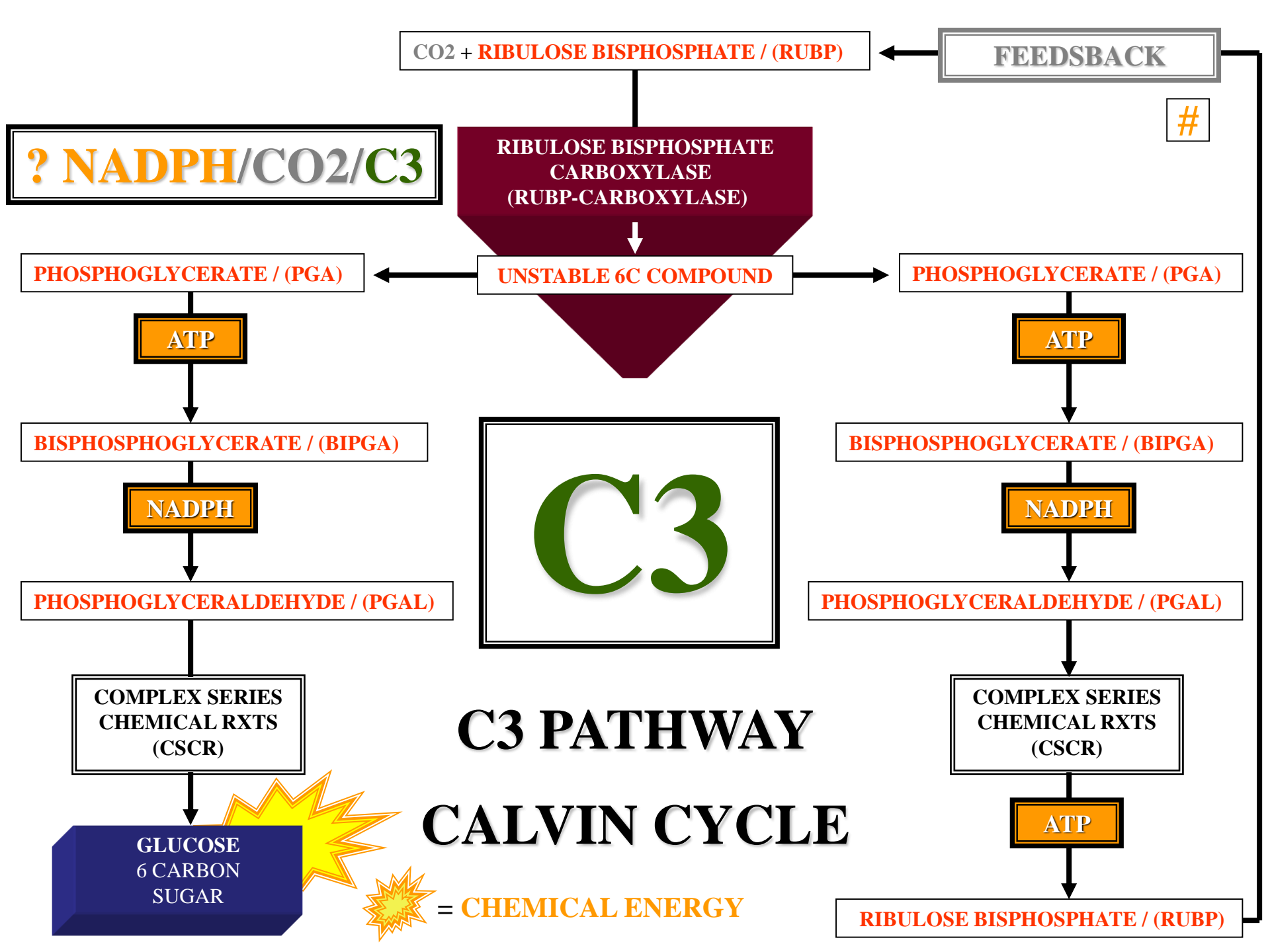
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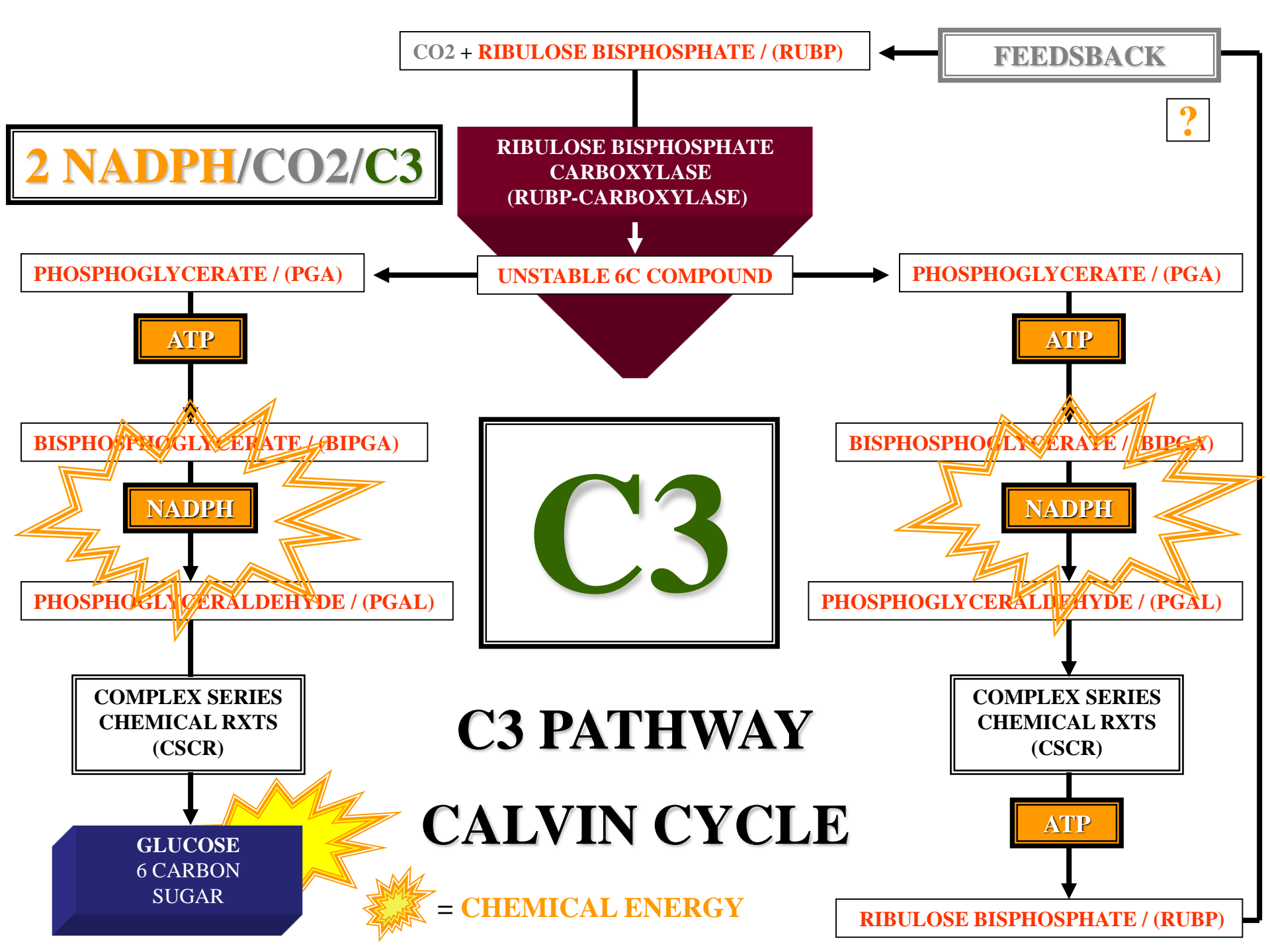
**EGY = CHEMICAL ENERGY**

**C<sub>4</sub>**

**BUNDLE-SHEATH CELL CHLOROPLAST**

**? C<sub>3</sub>**



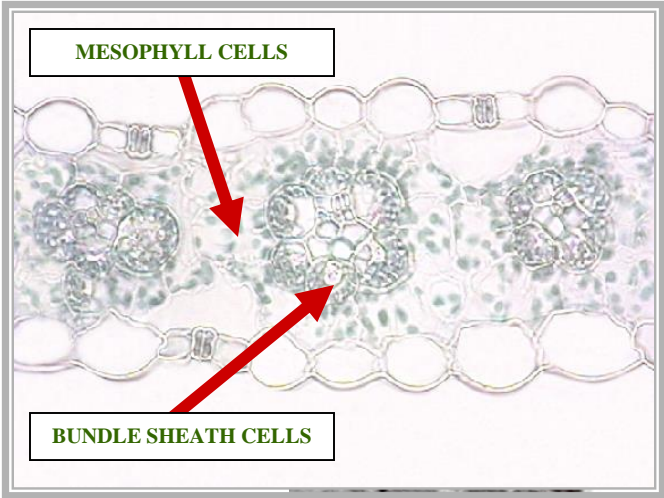


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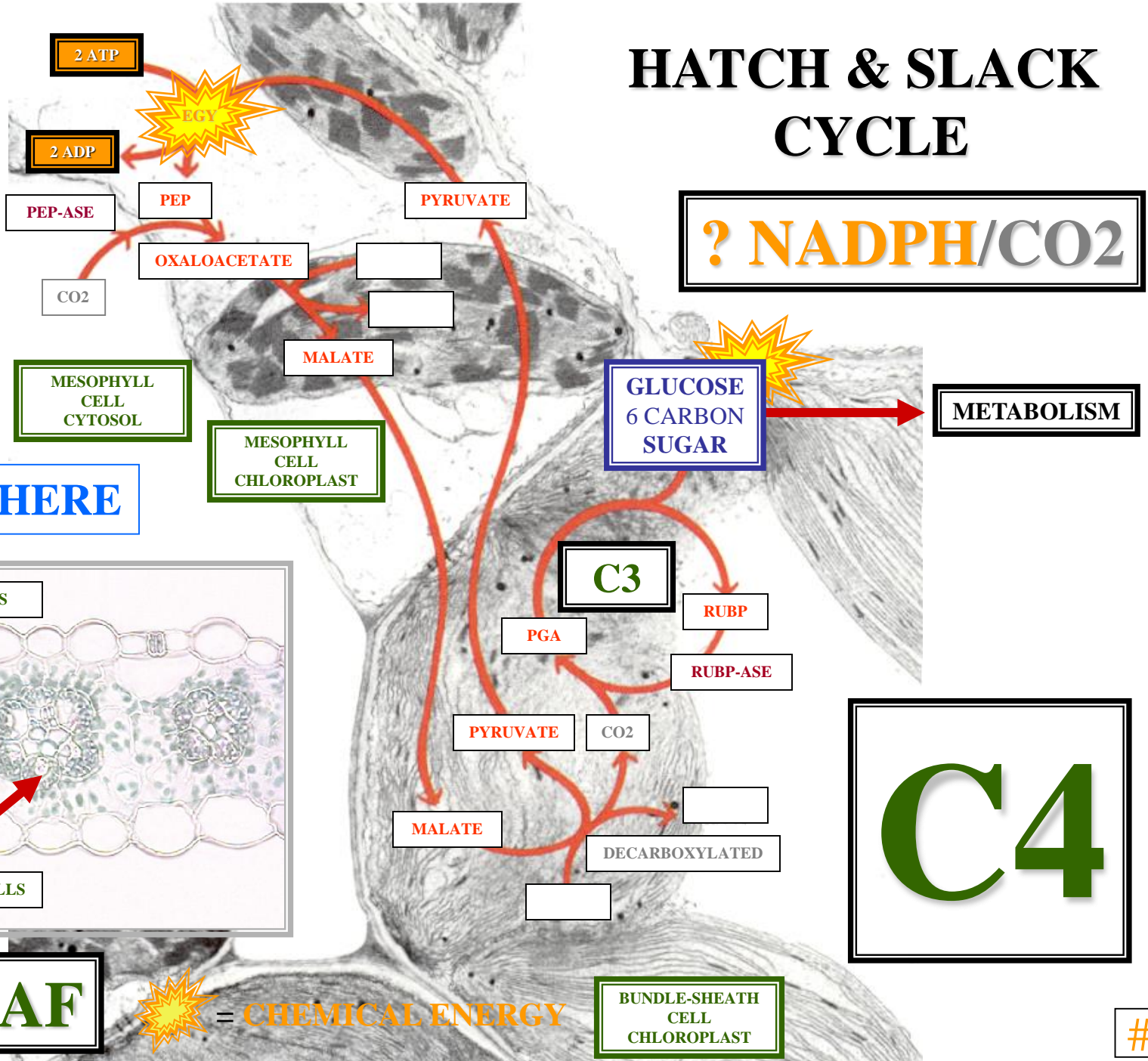


**CORN**

**ATMOSPHERE**



**C4 LEAF**

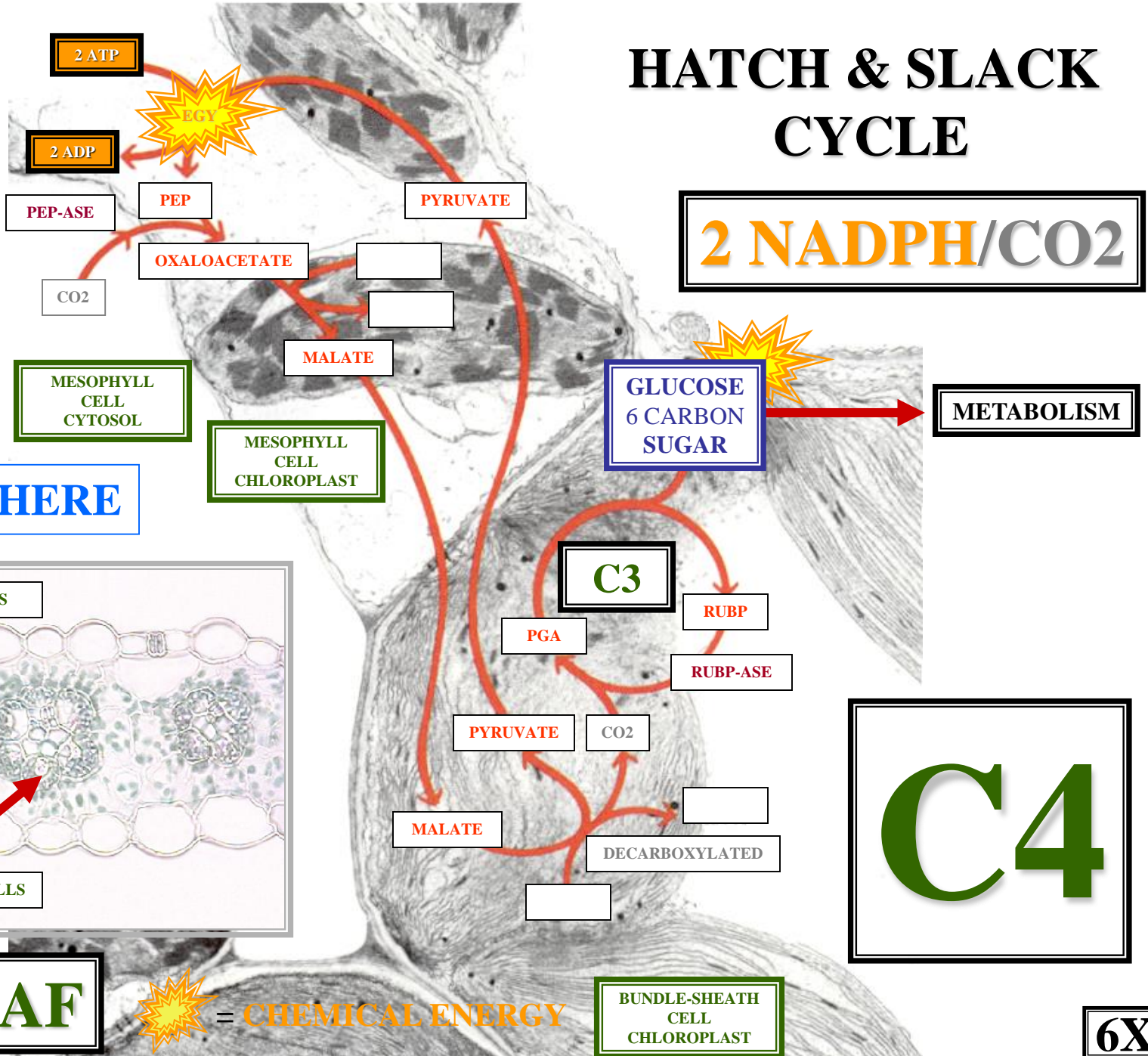


**EGY** = **CHEMICAL ENERGY**

# HATCH & SLACK CYCLE

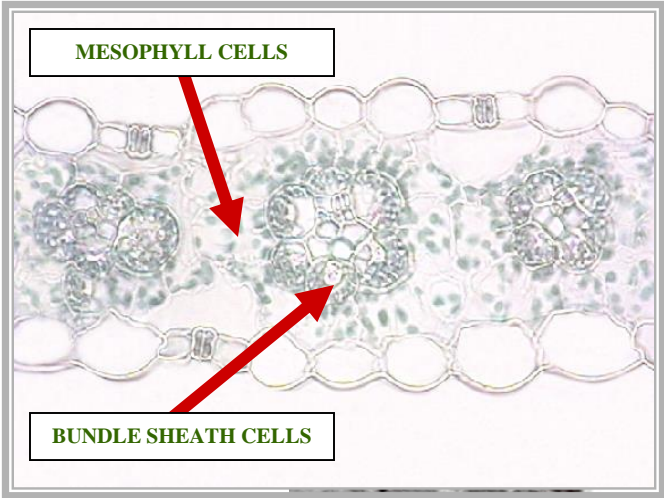


**CORN**



**2 NADPH/CO<sub>2</sub>**

**ATMOSPHERE**



**C4 LEAF**

**EGY = CHEMICAL ENERGY**

**BUNDLE-SHEATH CELL CHLOROPLAST**

**C<sub>4</sub>**

**6X**

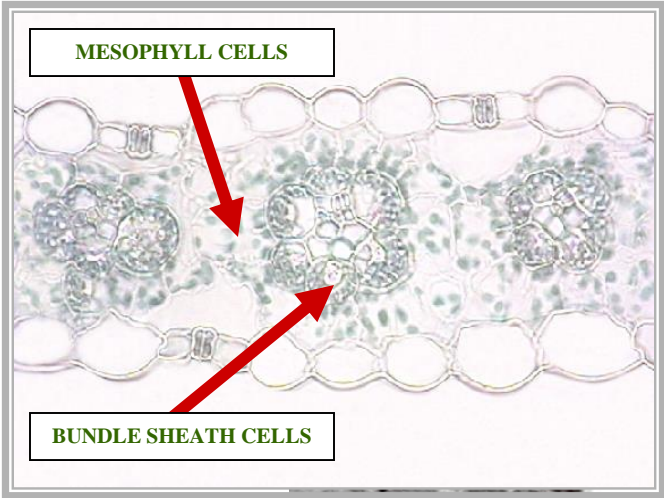


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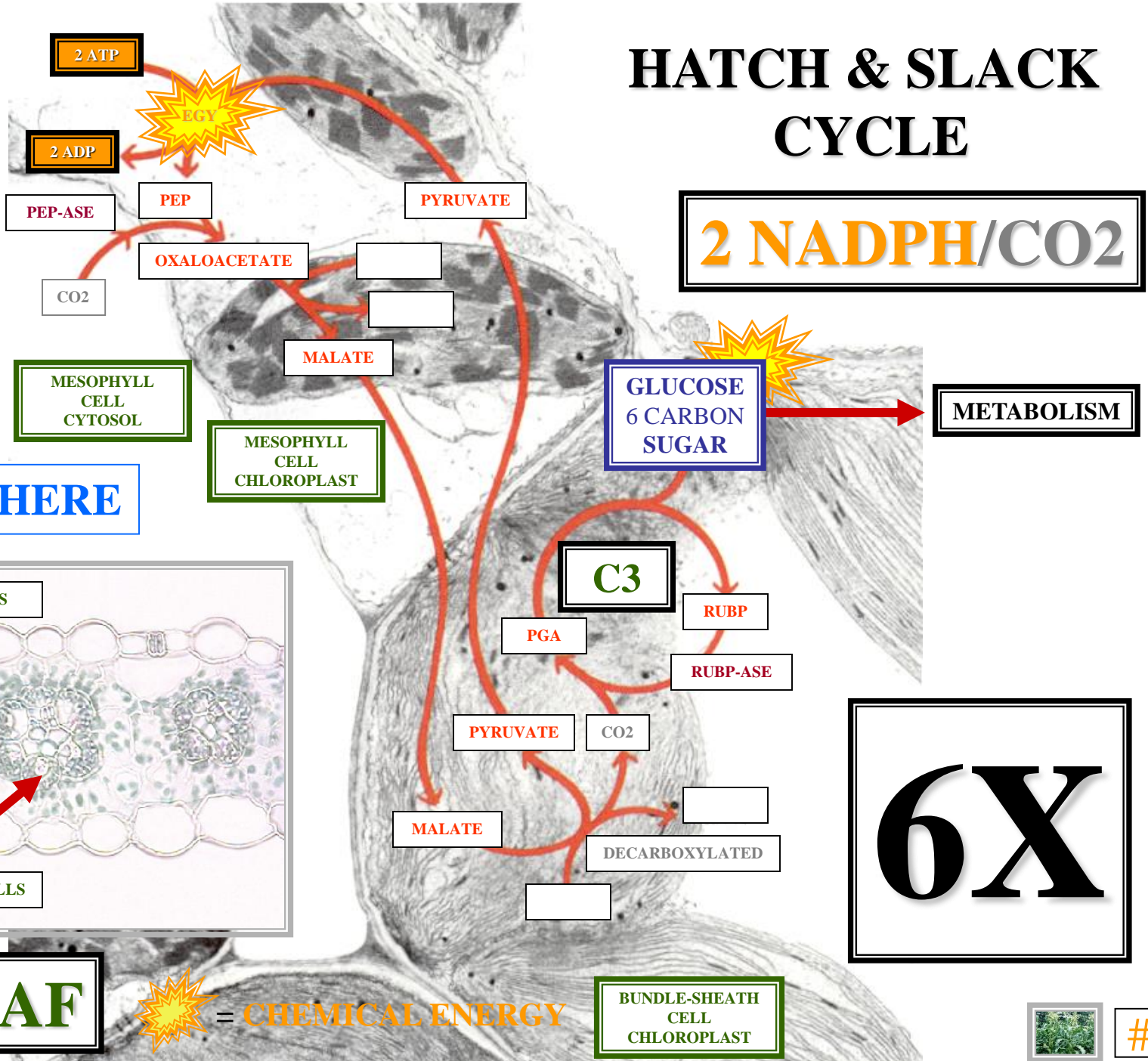


**CORN**

**ATMOSPHERE**



**C4 LEAF**



**EGY = CHEMICAL ENERGY**

**BUNDLE-SHEATH CELL CHLOROPLAST**

**MESOPHYLL CELL CYTOSOL**

**MESOPHYLL CELL CHLOROPLAST**

**GLUCOSE 6 CARBON SUGAR**

**METABOLISM**

**C3**

**6X**



#



**NADPH**  
**ENERGY EXPENSE**  
**12 NADPH**

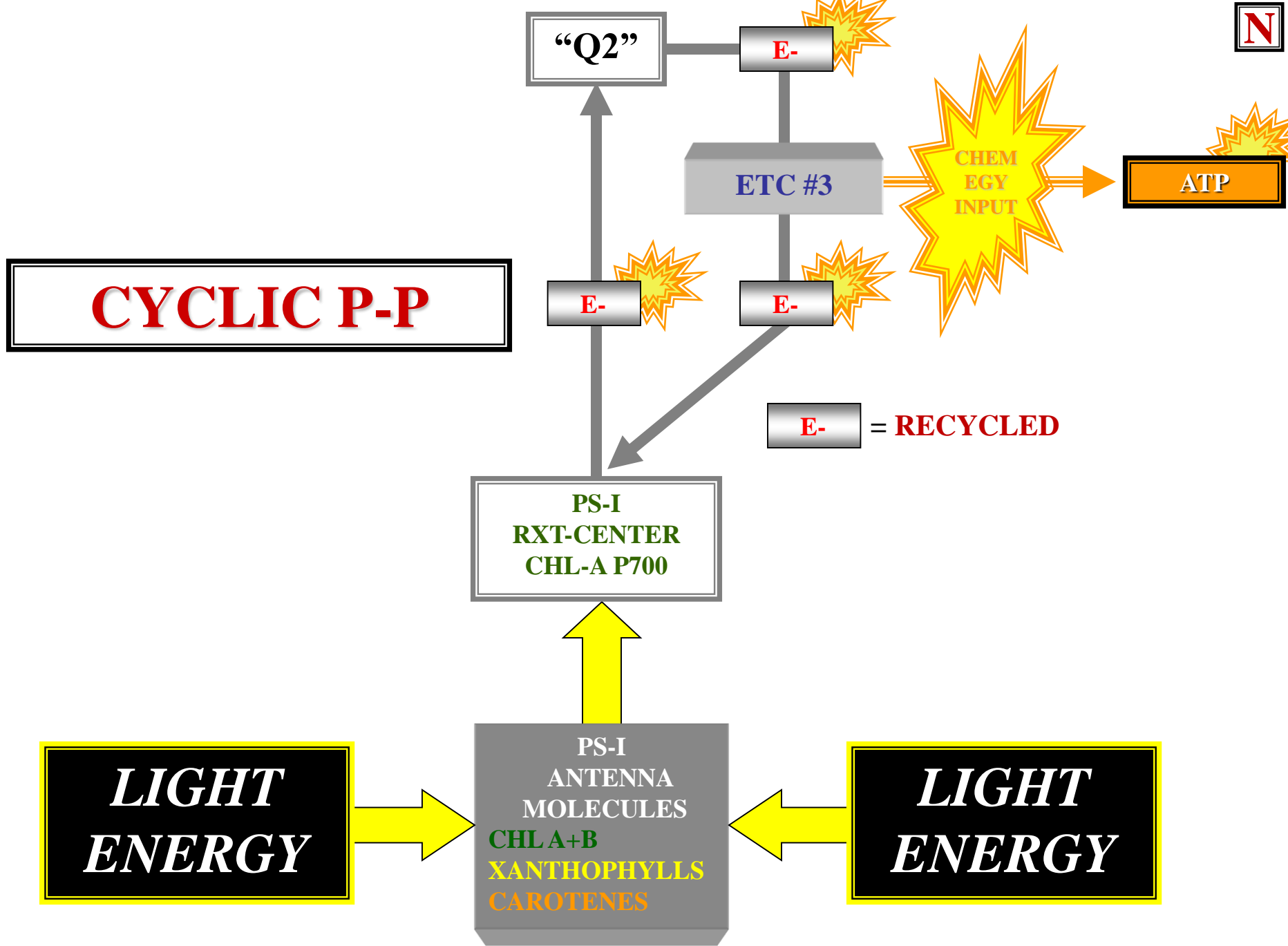
**C4**

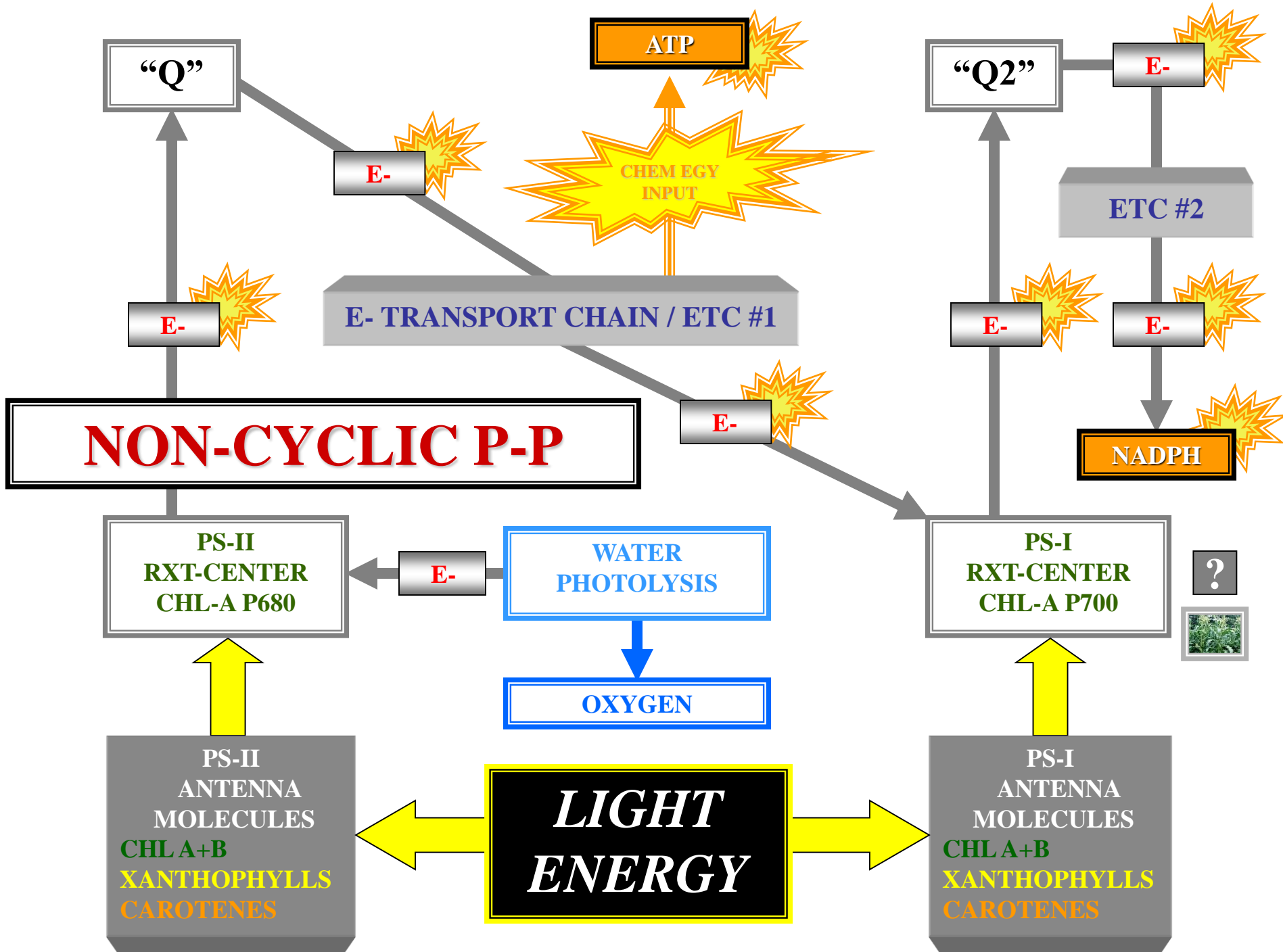
**CORN**

# PHOTOSYNTHESIS

A photograph of a cornfield with several stalks of corn in the foreground and middle ground. The leaves are green and the tassels are yellowish. The background is a dense line of trees.

# LIGHT REACTION





*C4 PLANTS  
REQUIRE  
MORE OR LESS  
ATP  
THAN C3 PLANTS?*



C3



*C4 PLANTS  
REQUIRE  
MORE  
ATP  
THAN C3 PLANTS*



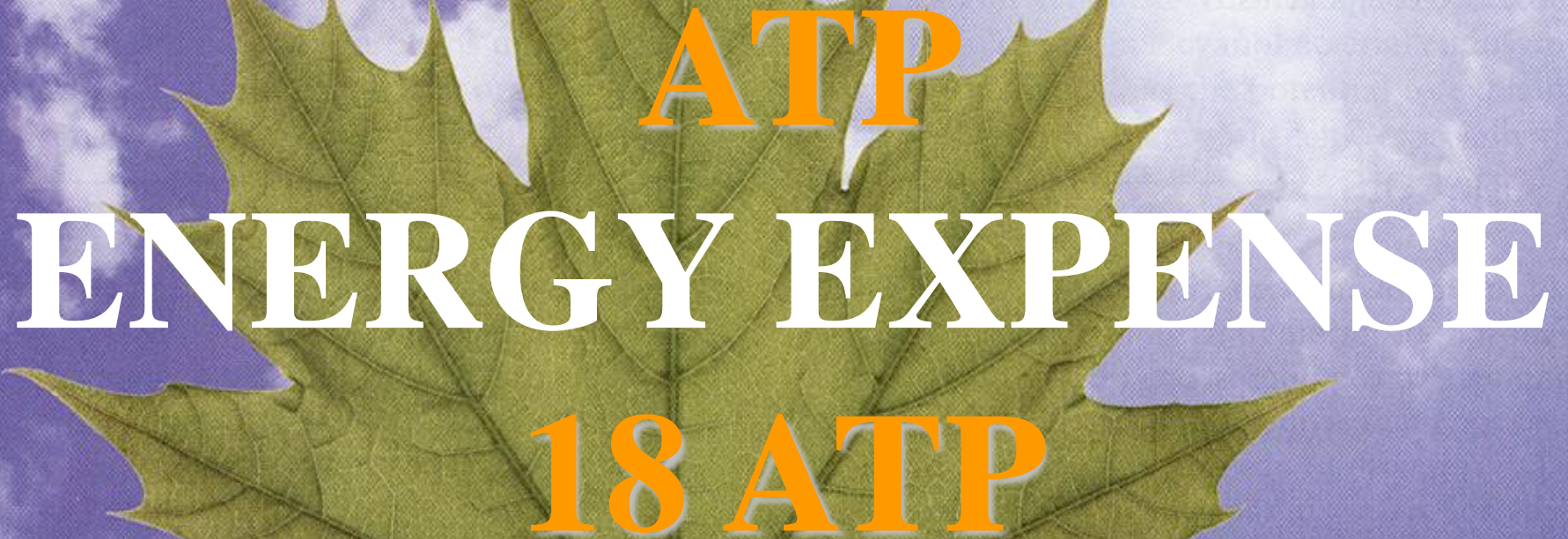
# ATP ENERGY EXPENSE

?

C3

MAPLE





**ATP**  
**ENERGY EXPENSE**  
**18 ATP**

**C3**

**MAPLE**

ATP  
ENERGY EXPENSE

30 ATP

C4

CORN

*C4 PLANTS  
REQUIRE  
12 ATP  
MORE  
THAN C3 PLANTS*



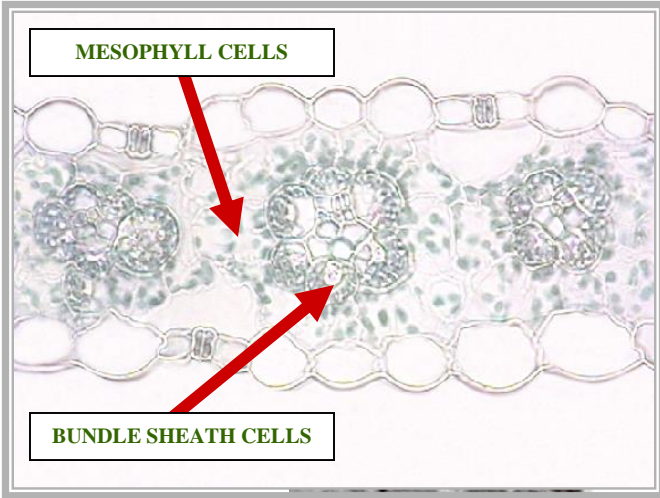
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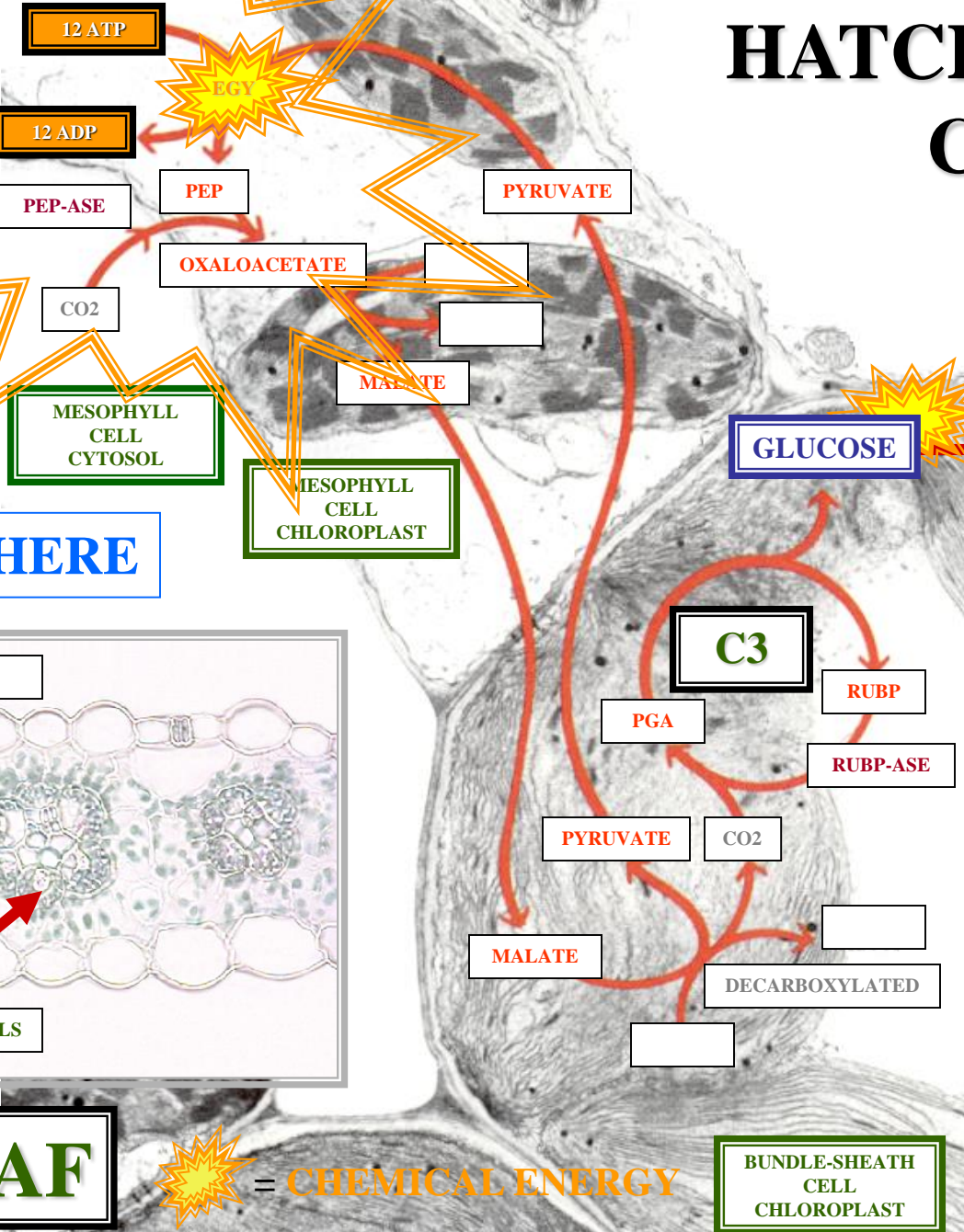


**CORN**

**ATMOSPHERE**



**C4 LEAF**



**GLUCOSE**

**METABOLISM**

**C<sub>4</sub>**

**CHEMICAL ENERGY**

**BUNDLE-SHEATH CELL CHLOROPLAST**



# QUESTION

WHAT WOULD THE  
PLANT PREFER  
C3 OR C4?

# QUESTION

**ANSWER**

**PLANT WOULD  
PREFER  
C3**

**ANSWER**



**ENERGY**

**C4  
PATHWAY  
ADVANTAGE**



**ENZYME**

?

**PHOSPHOENOLPYRUVATE  
CARBOXYLASE  
(PEP-ASE)**

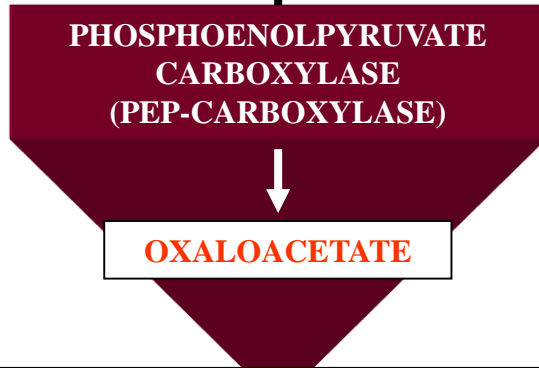
**ENZYME**

# C4

CO<sub>2</sub>  
ENTERS  
MESOPHYLL CYTOSOL



CO<sub>2</sub> + PHOSPHOENOLPYRUVATE / (PEP)



E

?

# ENZYME

# C4 CO<sub>2</sub> FIXATION ENZYME

**C4**

CO<sub>2</sub>  
ENTERS  
MESOPHYLL CYTOSOL

CO<sub>2</sub> + PHOSPHOENOLPYRUVATE / (PEP)

PHOSPHOENOLPYRUVATE  
CARBOXYLASE  
(PEP-CARBOXYLASE)

OXALOACETATE



**EFFICIENT  
ENZYME**

**C4 CO<sub>2</sub> FIXATION ENZYME**



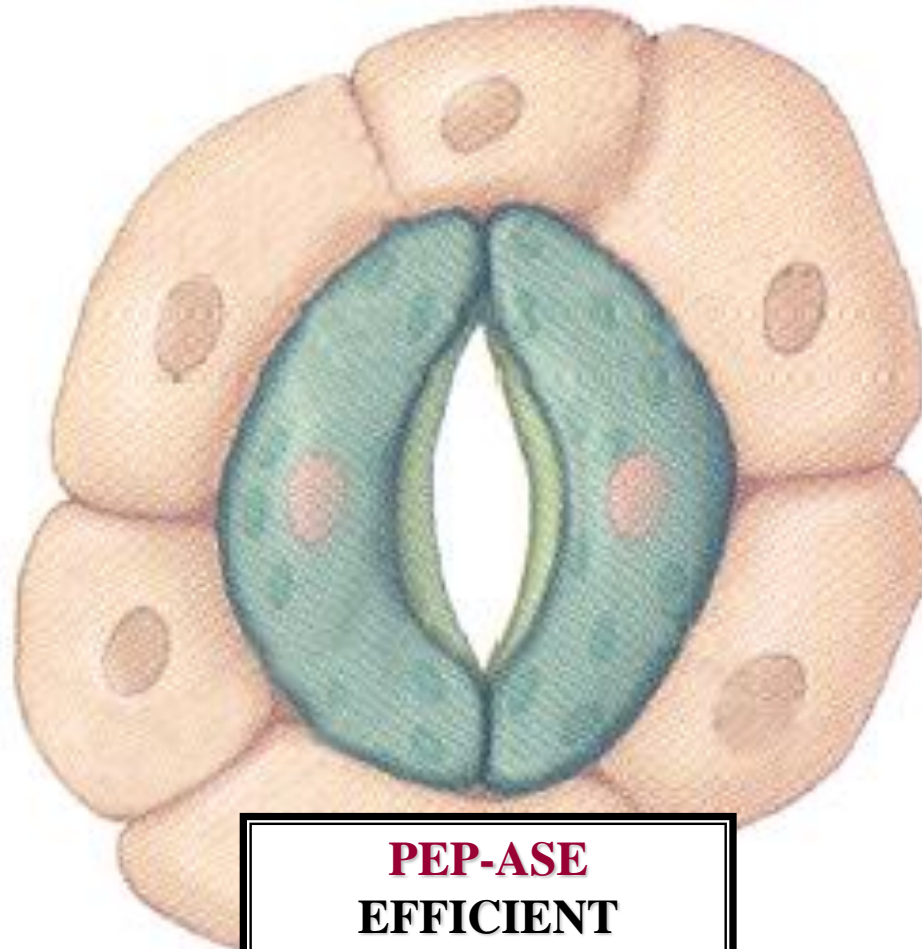
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# LEAF STOMATE

ATMOSPHERE

CO<sub>2</sub>

CO<sub>2</sub>



CO<sub>2</sub>

CO<sub>2</sub>

**PEP-ASE**  
**EFFICIENT**  
**ENZYME**



# LEAF STOMATE

ATMOSPHERE

ATMOSPHERE

CO<sub>2</sub>

CO<sub>2</sub>

DIFFUSION

DIFFUSION

H<sub>2</sub>O

H<sub>2</sub>O

DIFFUSION

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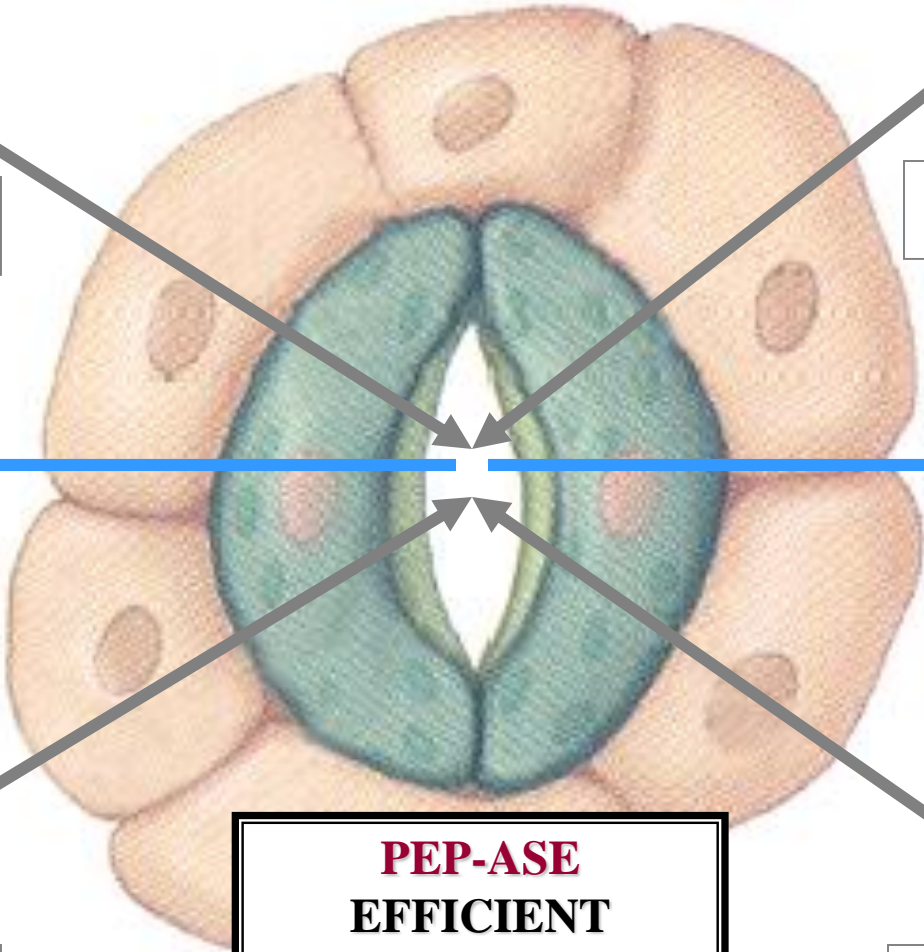
CO<sub>2</sub>

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DIFFUSION

DIFFUSION

**PEP-ASE**  
EFFICIENT  
ENZYME



# LEAF STOMATE

ATMOSPHERE

ATMOSPHERE



CO<sub>2</sub>

CO<sub>2</sub>

DIFFUSION

DIFFUSION

H<sub>2</sub>O

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DIFFUSION

DIFFUSION

NONE  
ESCAPES

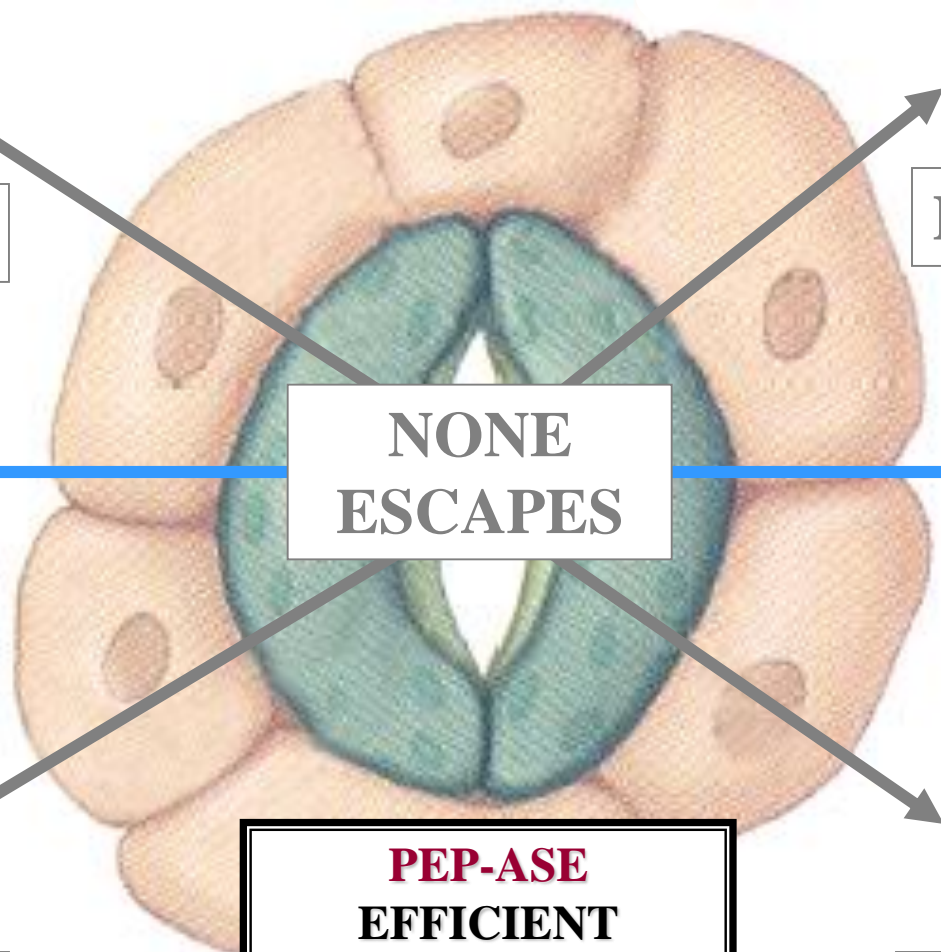
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DIFFUSION

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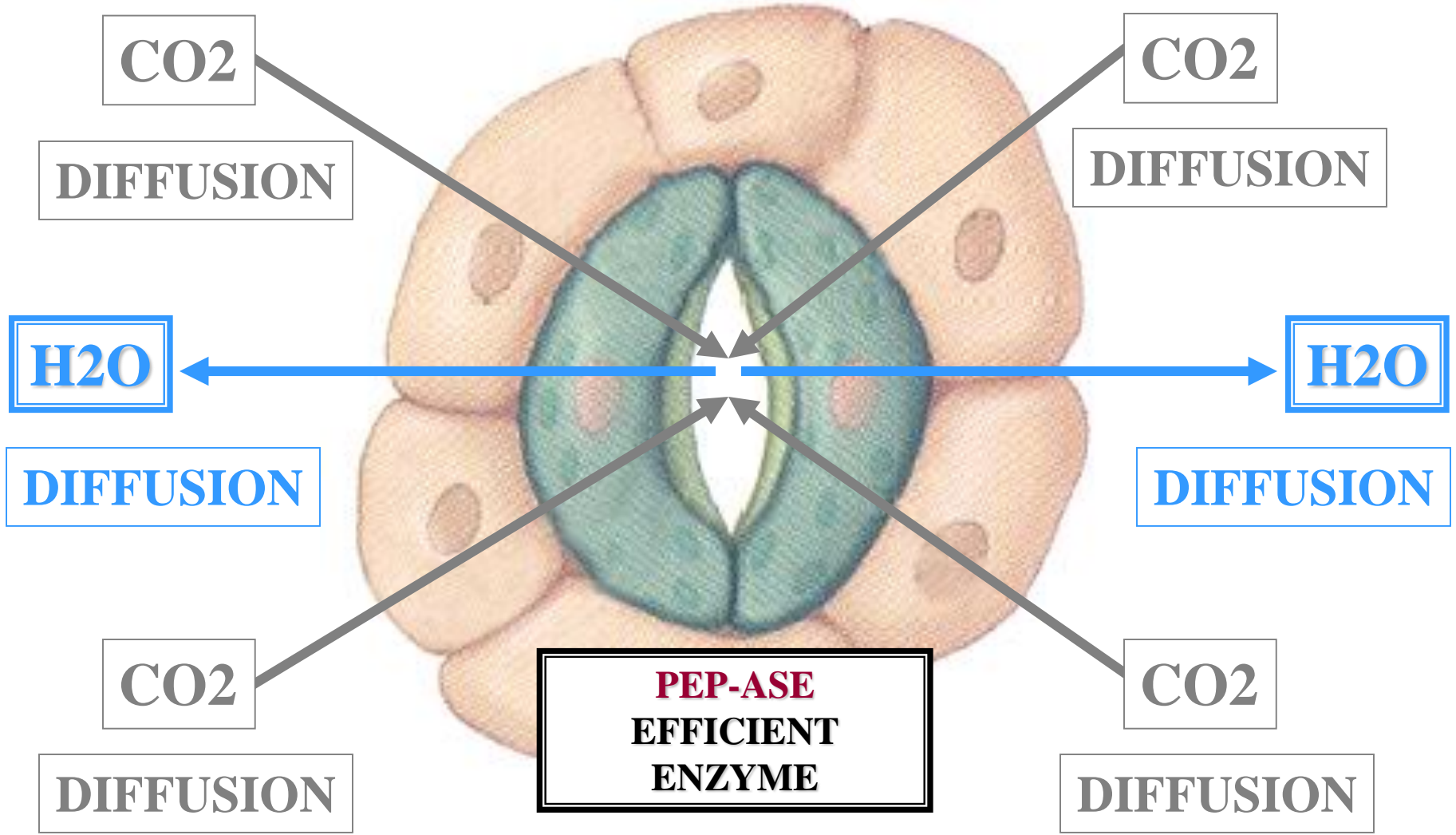
**PEP-ASE**  
EFFICIENT  
ENZYME



# LEAF STOMATE

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# LEAF STOMATE

CO<sub>2</sub>

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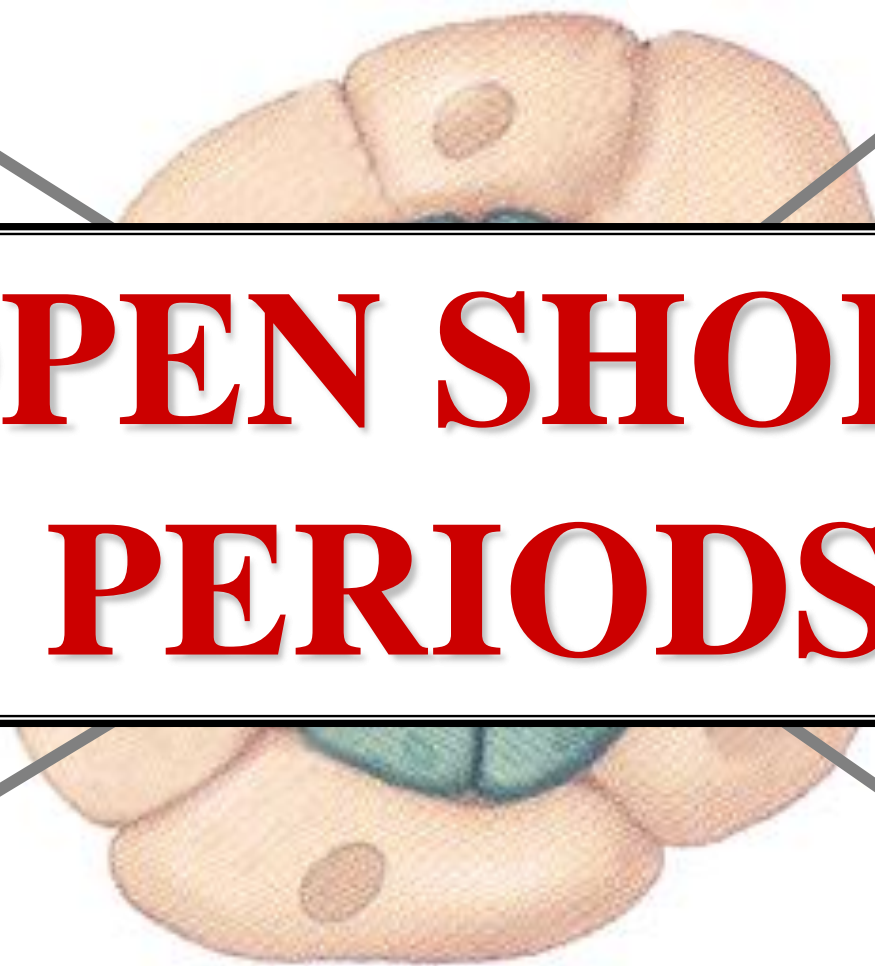
**OPEN SHORT PERIODS**

C<sub>4</sub>

C<sub>4</sub>

CO<sub>2</sub>

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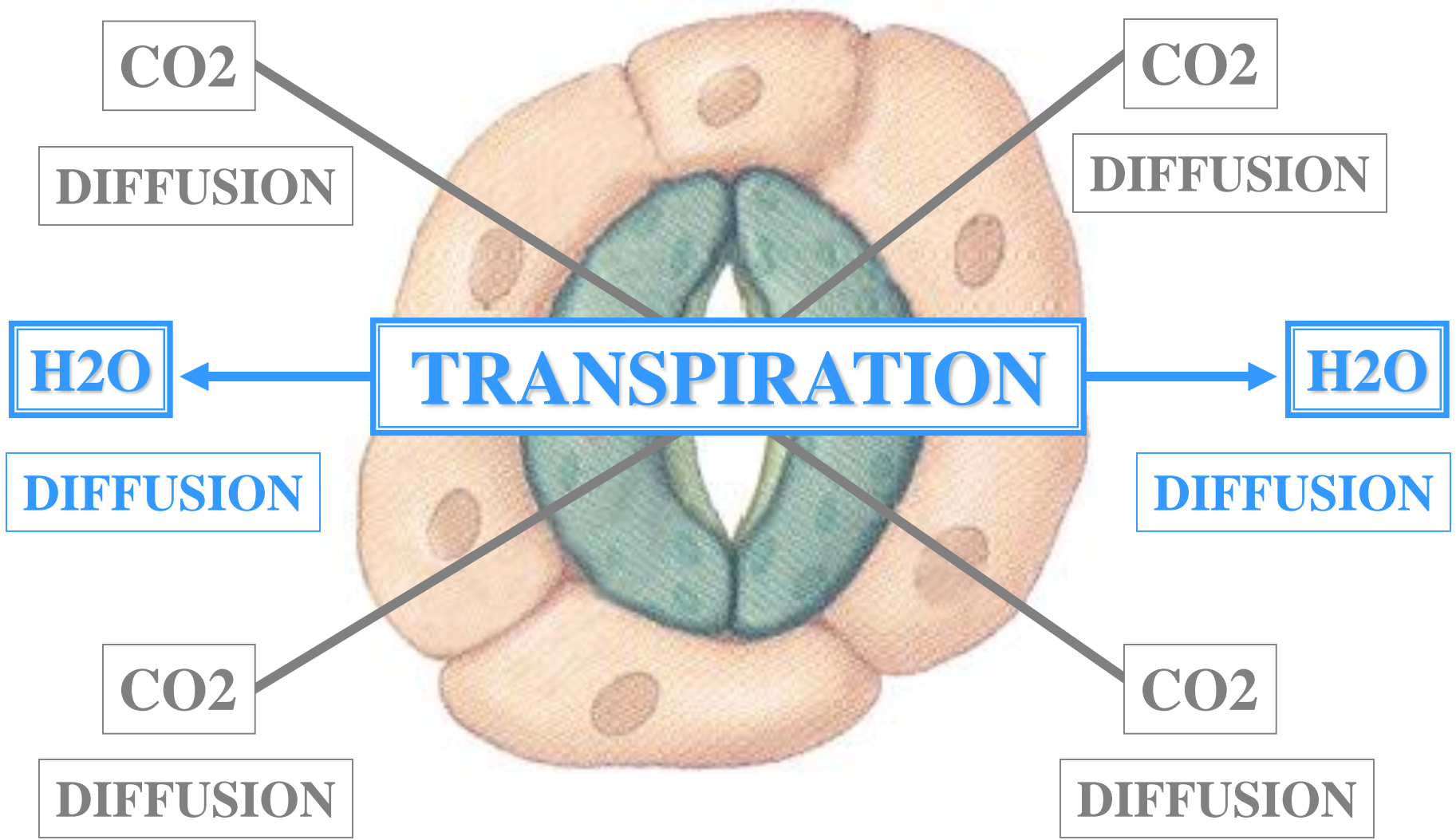




# LEAF STOMATE

ATMOSPHERE

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C<sub>4</sub>

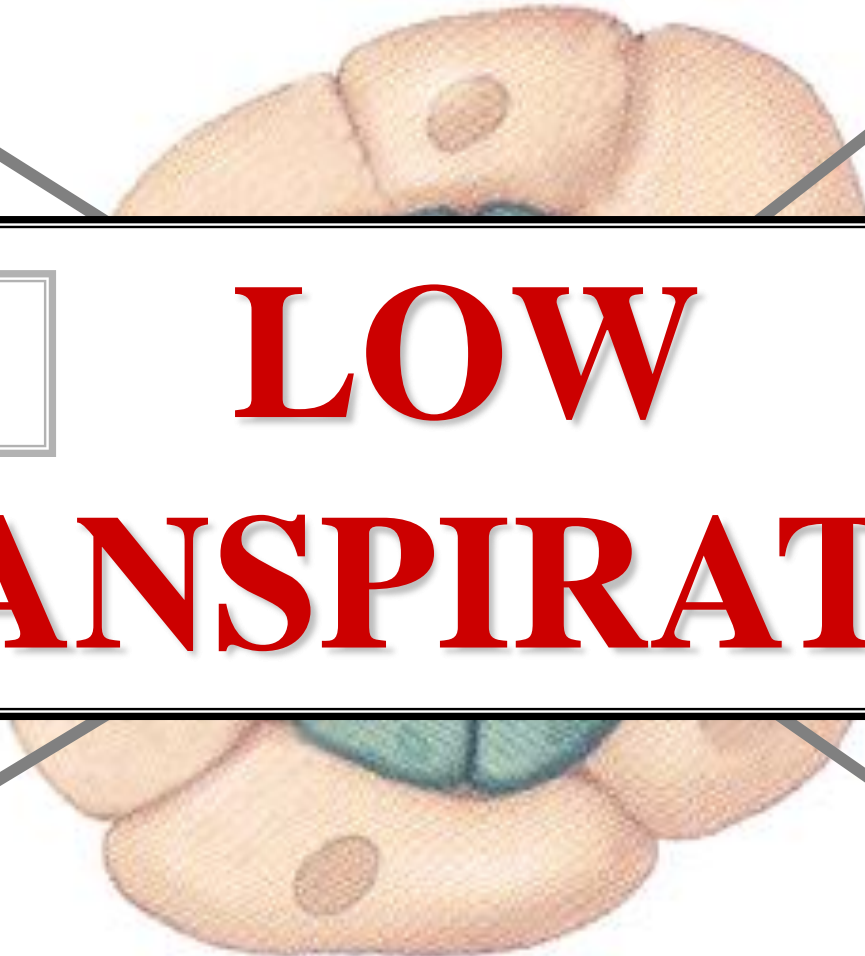
LOW

C<sub>4</sub>

TRANSPIRATION

CO<sub>2</sub>

CO<sub>2</sub>





*C4 ADVANTAGE  
LESS  
TRANSPIRATION  
PER GLUCOSE  
THAN C3*



# C4 PATHWAY ECOLOGY