

Unicellular Organism Cheat Sheet

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Black Death

Victims developed painful, swollen lumps called **buboes**, usually in the armpits, groin, or neck.

The disease spread rapidly and widely, often wiping out entire villages within days.

It caused high fever, chills, vomiting, and dark patches on the skin, which gave it the name "Black Death."

Caused by the bacterium **Yersinia pestis**, which was primarily spread through **fleas on rats**.

Tackling Diseases

Antibiotic Vaccines -> Substances introduces into the body that -> Kill activates specific white blood cells to eliminate virus or bacteria bacterium

Soap -> Keep microorganism away from skin, Disinfectants -> Kill bacteria

Aerobic & Anaerobic in Fungi (Yeast) and Bacteria

Yeast (Aerobic) -> Uses oxygen to break down sugar. Helps bread to rise when baking.

Bacteria (Aerobic) -> Some bacteria use oxygen to get energy. They produce carbon dioxide and water. These bacteria live in places with air. Yeast (Anaerobic) -> Without oxygen, yeast does fermentation.
Used in making wine and beer.

Bacteria (Anaerobic) -> Some bacteria don't need oxygen to live. They use nitrate instead of oxygen. They live in places like mud or inside the body.

Kingdoms

Fungi -> Eukaryotic organisms that absorb nutrients from other materials and often act as decomposers. Most are multicellular, except for yeast. Examples: Mushroom, Yeast, Penicillium.

Plants -> Multicellular, autotrophic organisms that make their own food through photosynthesis and have cell walls made of cellulose.

Examples: Sunflower, Oak tree, Fern.

Animals -> Multicellular,
heterotrophic organisms that
usually move and rely on
other organisms for food.
They don't have cell walls.
Examples: Human, Elephant,
Butterfly.

Protists -> Mostly unicellular eukaryotes that don't belong to plants, animals, or fungi. Examples: Amoeba, Paramecium, Euglena.

Bacteria -> Unicellular prokaryotic organisms that reproduce quickly and live in many environments.

Some are helpful, while others cause diseases. Examples: Escherichia coli (E. coli), Streptococcus, Lactobacillus.

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Growth Curve of Yeast

Shows how its population changes over time in a

culture.

It has four phases: lag phase (adjusting to the environment), exponential phase (rapid growth), stationary phase (growth slows as nutrients run out), and death phase.

Helps understand yeast's behavior in baking and fermentation



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