

BB 422/622

OUTLINE:

Introduction and Review
Transport
Glycogenolysis
Glycolysis
Other sugars
Pasteur: Anaerobic vs Aerobic

Fermentations

Exam-1 material

Pyruvate

Exam-2 material

Krebs' Cycle

Oxidative Phosphorylation

Electron transport

Chemiosmotic theory: Phosphorylation

Fat Catabolism

Exam-3 material

Fatty acid Catabolism

Mobilization from tissues (mostly adipose)

Activation of fatty acids

Transport; carnitine

Oxidation: β -oxidation, 4 steps:

Protein Catabolism

Amino-Acid Degradation

Dealing with the nitrogen; Urea Cycle

Dealing with the carbon; Seven Families

Nucleic Acid & Nucleotide Degradation

PHOTOSYNTHESIS:

Overview of Photosynthesis

Key experiments:

Light Reactions

energy in a photon

pigments

HOW

Light absorbing complexes—"red-drop experiment"

Reaction center

Photosystems (PS)

PSII – oxygen from water splitting

PSI – NADPH

Proton Motive Force – ATP

Overview of light reactions

ANABOLISM I: Carbohydrates

Carbon Assimilation – Calvin Cycle

Stage One – Rubisco

Carboxylase

Oxygenase

Glycolate cycle

Stage Two – making sugar

Stage Three – remaking Ru 1,5P₂

Overview and regulation

Calvin cycle connections to biosynthesis

C4 versus C3 plants

Kornberg cycle – glyoxylate

Know mechanism

Know pathway

Carbohydrate Biosynthesis in Animals

precursors

Cori cycle

Gluconeogenesis

reversible steps

irreversible steps – four

energetics

2-steps to PEP in mitochondria: Pyr carboxylase-biotin & PEPCK

FBPase

G6Pase

Glycogen Synthesis

UDP-Glc

Glycogen synthase

branching

Pentose-Phosphate Pathway

Know pathway

oxidative-NADPH

non-oxidative-Ribose 5-P

Regulation of Carbohydrate Metabolism

Acetyl-CoA/Pyruvate

Pyruvate/PEP

F6P/FBP: Fru 2,6P₂

Glc/Glc6P: sequestration

Glycogen: PKA/PP1

Insulin signaling

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Anaplerotic reactions

Biosynthesis of Lipids

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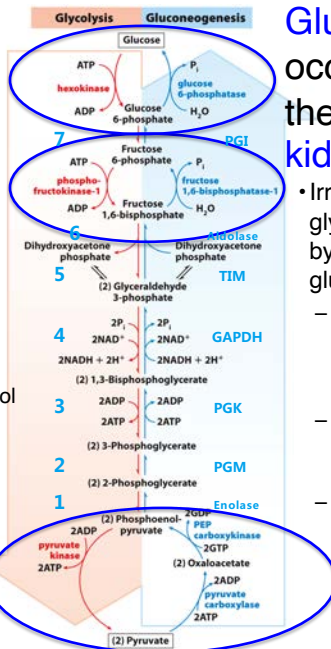
Catabolism vs. Anabolism

RECALL: Gluconeogenesis

Glycolysis versus Gluconeogenesis

Glycolysis occurs mainly in the **muscle and brain**.

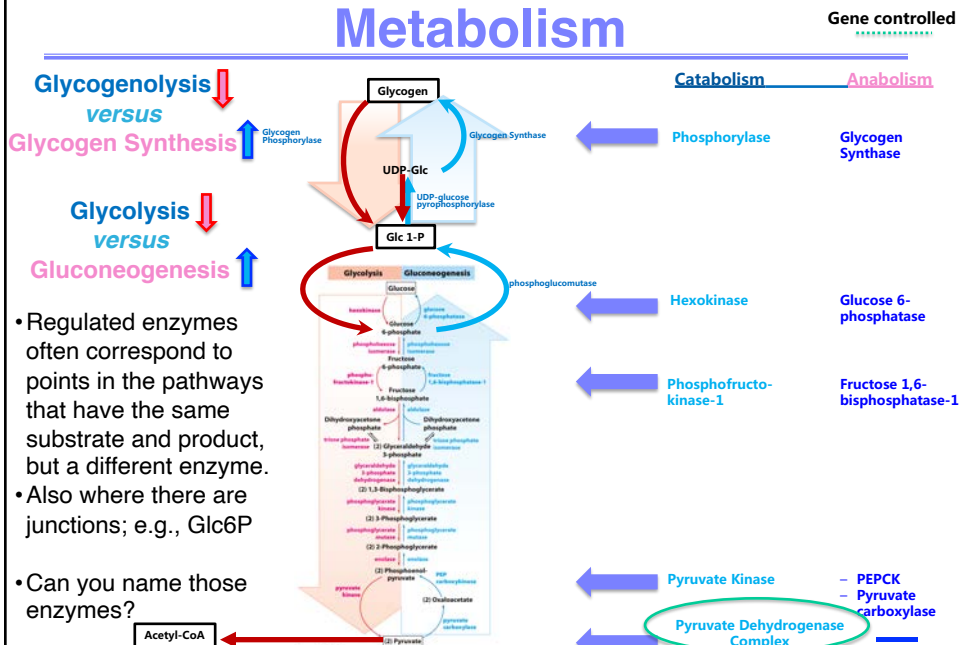
- Opposing pathways that are both thermodynamically favorable:
- Glycolysis: $\Delta G^\circ = -35 \text{ kcal/mol}$
- Gluconeogenesis: $\Delta G^\circ = -9 \text{ kcal/mol}$
 - operate in opposite direction
 - end product of one is the starting compound of the other
- **Seven** Reversible reactions are used by both pathways.
- **Three** "glycolysis-specific" steps are reversed with **Four** "gluconeogenesis-specific" steps.



Gluconeogenesis occurs mainly in the **liver and kidney cortex**.

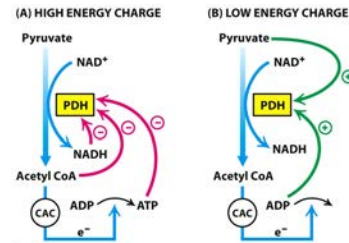
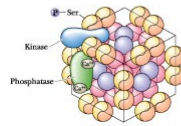
- Irreversible reactions of glycolysis must be bypassed in gluconeogenesis.
 - no ATP generated during gluconeogenesis; instead 6 ATPs and 2 NADH needed per Glc.
 - Some different enzymes results in the different pathways
 - differentially regulated to prevent a futile cycle

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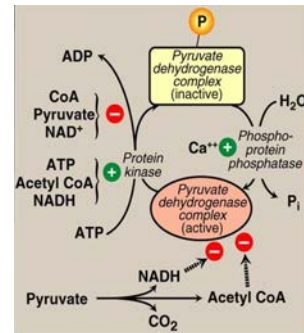


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Regulation of Pyruvate Dehydrogenase Complex

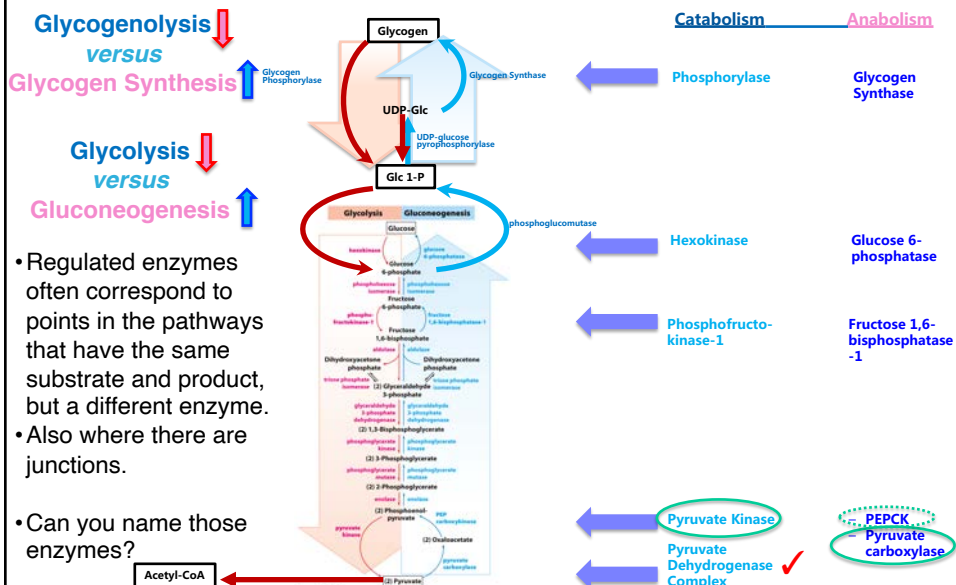


- Allosteric regulation by energy charge and substrate/product
 - ADP & pyruvate **activates**
 - ATP/NADH & acetyl-CoA **inhibit**
- Regulated by reversible phosphorylation of E1
 - phosphorylation: **inactive**
 - dephosphorylation: **active**
- PDH kinase and PDH phosphatase are part of mammalian PDH complex.
 - Kinase is activated by ATP.
 - high ATP → phosphorylated PDH → less acetyl-CoA made
 - low ATP → kinase is less active and phosphoprotein phosphatase removes phosphate from PDH → more acetyl-CoA made



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Gene controlled

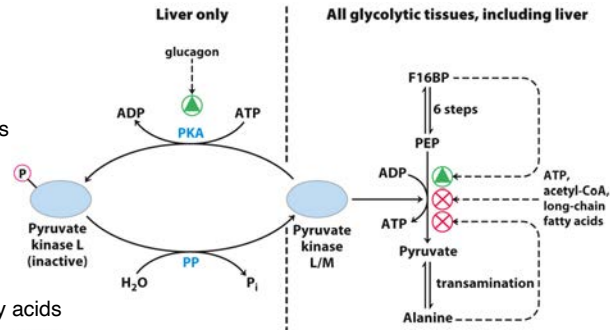


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Regulation of Pyruvate Kinase

All tissues

- Allosterically **activated** by fructose-1,6-bisphosphate
 - increase flow through glycolysis
 - Feed-forward activation
- Allosterically **inhibited** by signs of **abundant energy** supply.
 - ATP
 - acetyl-CoA and long-chain fatty acids
 - alanine (enough amino acids)



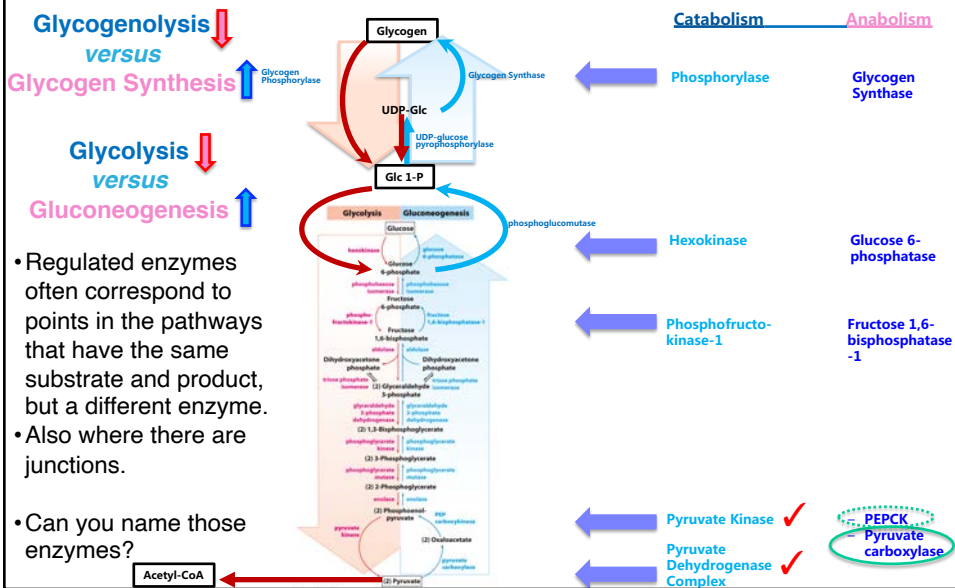
Liver only (under hormonal control)

Inactivated by phosphorylation in response to signs of **glucose depletion** (low blood-glucose → glucagon) (liver only)
Glucose from liver is exported to the brain and other vital organs.

This is not the only time we'll see hormonal control of these pathways.

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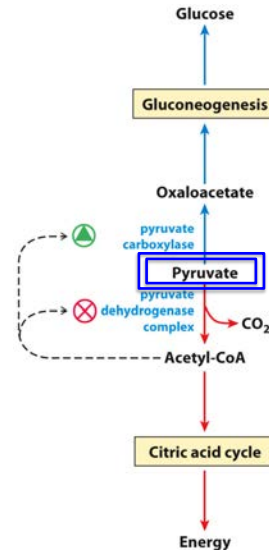
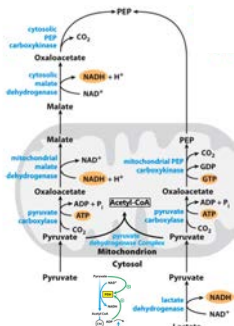
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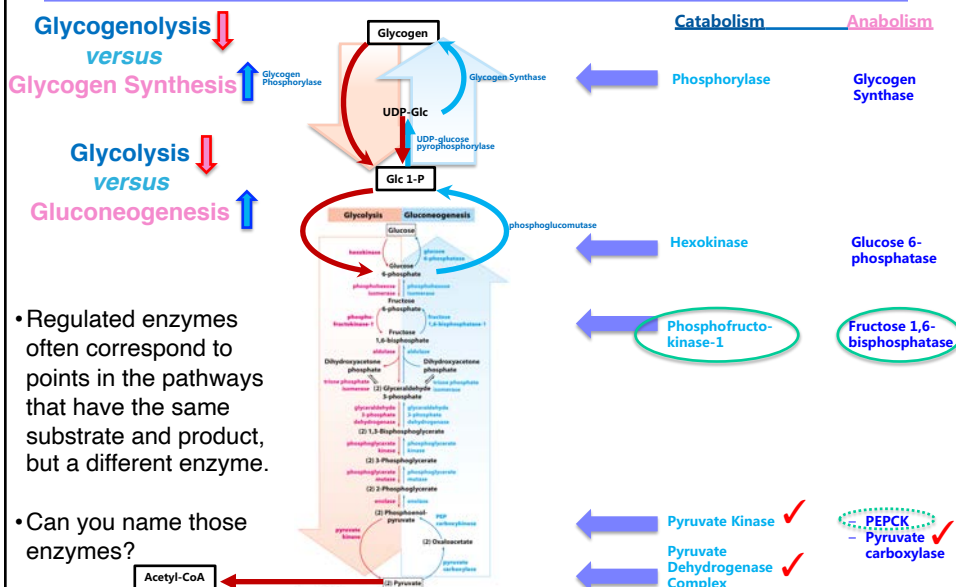
Regulation of Pyruvate Carboxylase

- Allosteric **activation** of pyruvate carboxylase by **acetyl-CoA**
 - stimulates glucose synthesis via gluconeogenesis because plenty of acetyl-CoA signals no need to make more and save pyruvate.
- Notice the reciprocal control of PC & PDHC by **acetyl-CoA**



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- Regulated enzymes often correspond to points in the pathways that have the same substrate and product, but a different enzyme.

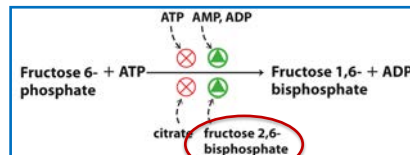
- Can you name those enzymes?

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Regulation of Phosphofructokinase-1 versus Fructose 1,6-bisphosphatase-1

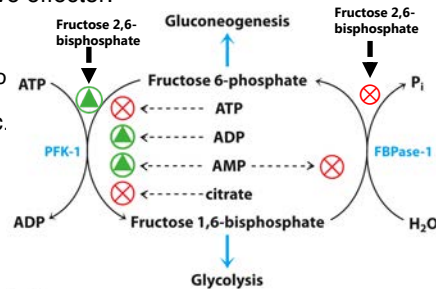
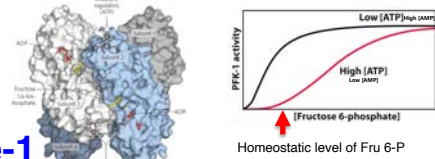
Fructose 1,6-bisphosphatase-1

- Fructose-6-phosphate → fructose 1,6-bisphosphate is the **commitment step in glycolysis**
- While ATP is a substrate, ATP is also a negative effector.
 - Do not spend glucose in glycolysis if there is plenty of ATP.
 - Same for citrate, if there is plenty of citrate, do not waste glucose
- Low energy charge inhibits biosynthesis of Glc.



Is this a typo?

Bumble bees are missing an FBPase that responds to AMP

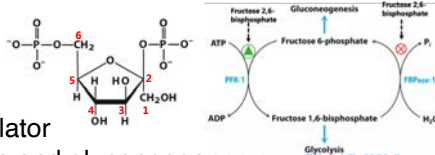


- Go glycolysis if AMP is high and ATP is low.
- Go gluconeogenesis if AMP is low.

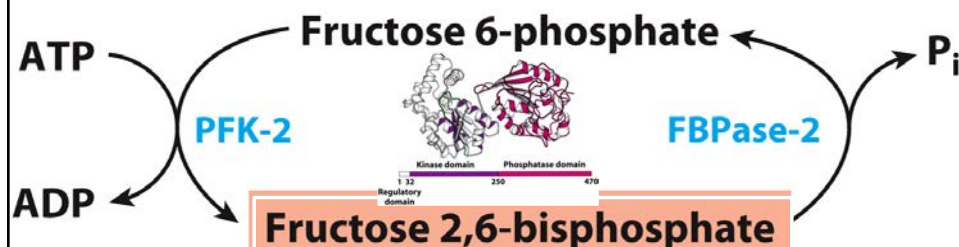
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Fructose 2,6-(bis)phosphate (β D-Fru-2,6P₂)

- **NOT** a glycolytic intermediate, only a regulator
- Produced specifically to regulate glycolysis and gluconeogenesis
 - **activates** phosphofructokinase-1 (PFK-1) (glycolysis)
 - **inhibits** fructose 1,6-bisphosphatase (FBPase-1) (gluconeogenesis)



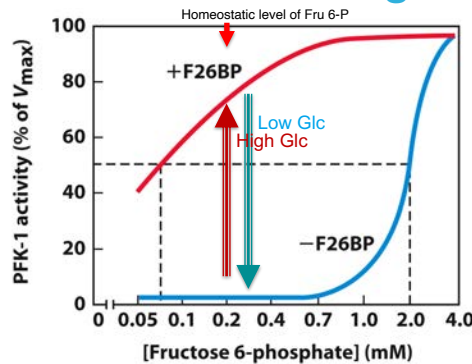
Enzyme for synthesis and degradation of Fru 2,6P₂ done with a dual-function enzyme: **PFK-2/FBPase-2***



*6-phosphofructo-2-kinase/fructose-2,6-bisphosphatase

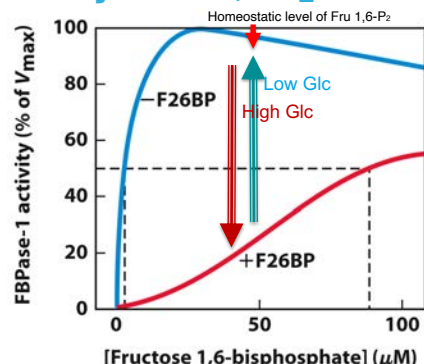
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Regulation of Glycolysis and Gluconeogenesis by Fru-2,6P₂



- Without Fru 2,6P₂, STOP glycolysis
- GO gluconeogenesis.

This would be the state of low Glc



- With Fru 2,6P₂ (130 nM), GO glycolysis.
- With Fru 2,6P₂ (1300 nM), Stop gluconeogenesis.

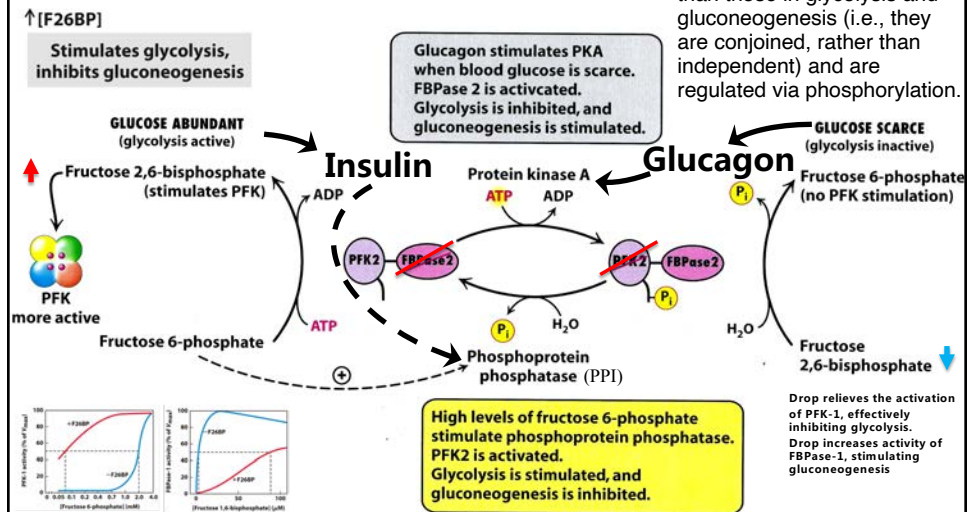
This would be the state of high Glc

What controls PFK-2/FBPase-2?

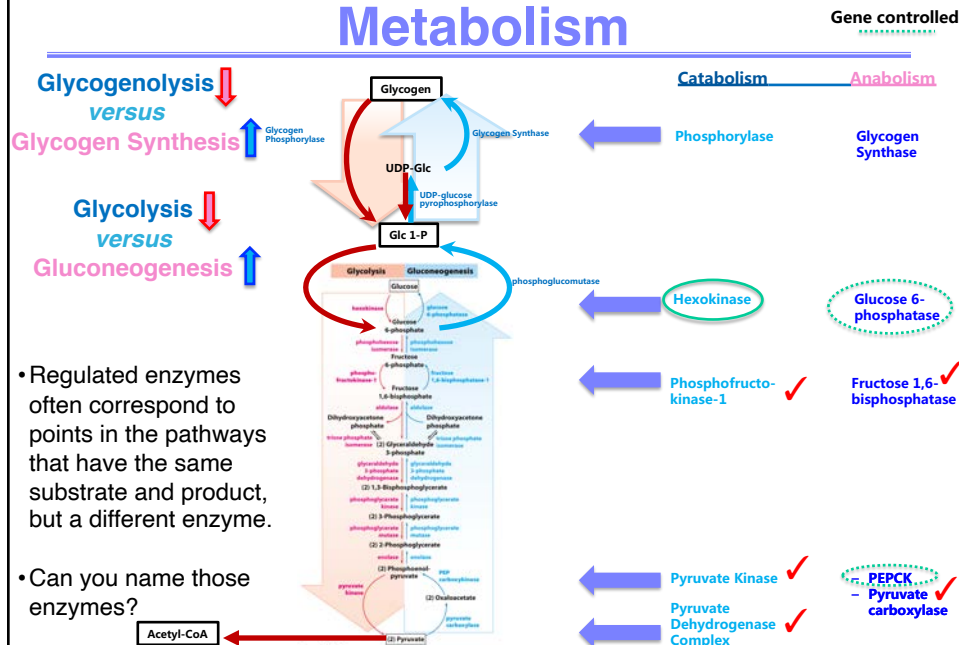
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Regulation of Fru-2,6-P₂ Levels

Structurally, this enzyme, with its two activities is different than those in glycolysis and gluconeogenesis (i.e., they are conjoined, rather than independent) and are regulated via phosphorylation.



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Regulation of Hexokinase

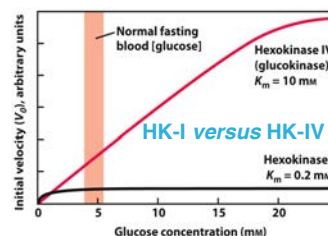
There Are Four Isozymes of Hexokinase (I-IV)

- Isozymes are different enzymes that catalyze the same reaction.

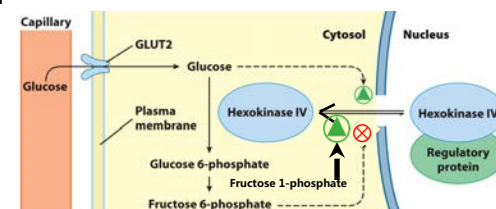
- typically share similar sequences
- may have different kinetic properties
- can be regulated differently

- HK I is expressed in all tissues, to different levels.
- HK IV (glucokinase) is only expressed in the liver and pancreas.

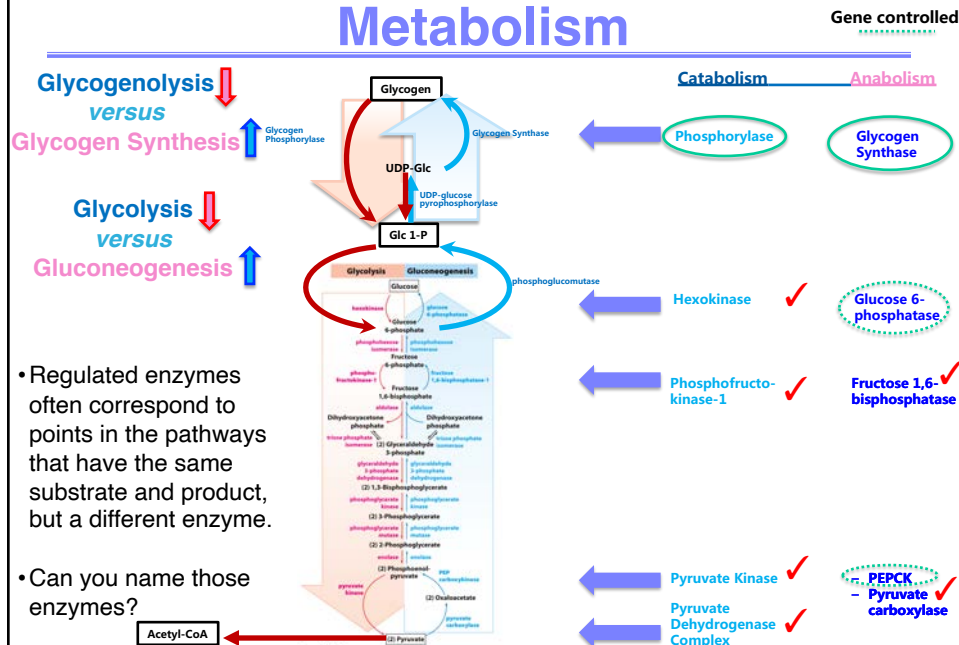
- has higher K_m , so responsive to higher [glucose]
- not inhibited by glucose-6-phosphate, so can function at higher [glucose]
- functions to clear blood glucose at higher [glucose] for storage as glycogen *also Fru1P*
- Glc activates release/Fru6P inhibits



Glucokinase Is Regulated by Sequestration

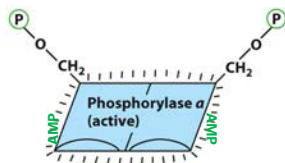
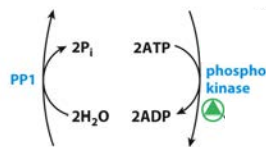
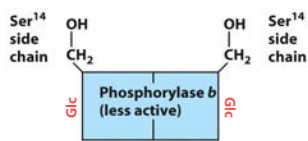


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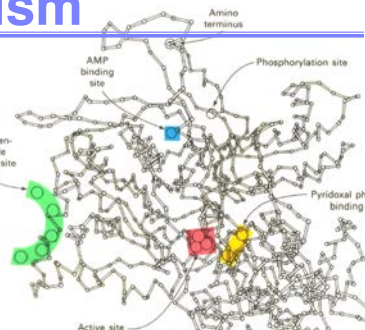
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Regulation of Glycogen Phosphorylase

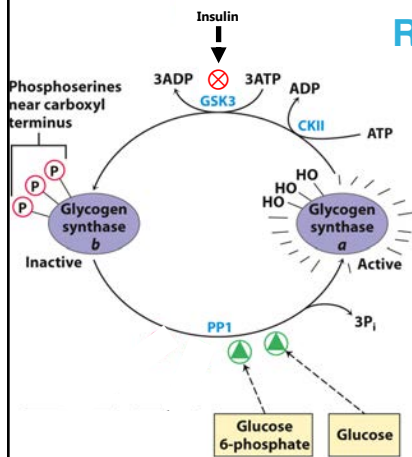


Nobel Prize 1972
Earl Sutherland
1915-1974

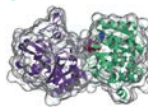
- Glycogen phosphorylase cleaves glucose residues off glycogen, generating glucose-1-phosphate (Glc 1P).
- Phosphorylation **activates** glycogen phosphorylase-b
 - Phosphorylase-b Kinase
 - Accentuated by allosteric binding of AMP (muscle only)
- Dephosphorylation **inhibits** glycogen phosphorylase-a
 - Phosphoprotein phosphatase-1 (PP1)
 - Accentuated by allosteric binding of Glc (in liver only)



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Regulation of Glycogen Synthesis



Need energy: stop storing & release

- Glycogen synthase adds glucose residues to glycogen using UDP-Glc.
- Phosphorylation **inhibits** glycogen synthase-a
 - Its complicated, responding to multiple signals
 - Example: First Casein Kinase-2 (CKII), then Glycogen Synthase Kinase-3 (GSK3) [inactivated by insulin]

Regulation of glycogen synthase/glycogen phosphorylase is somewhat similar to regulation of PDH complex

Phosphorylation sites on glycogen synthase

Kinase	Phosphorylation sites	Degree of synthase inactivation
Protein kinase A	1A, 1B, 2, 4	+
Protein kinase G	1A, 1B, 2	+
Protein kinase C	1A	+
Ca ²⁺ /calmodulin kinase	1B, 2	+
Phosphorylase b kinase	2	+
Casein kinase I	At least nine	+++
Casein kinase II	5	0
Glycogen synthase kinase 3	3A, 3B, 3C	+++
Glycogen synthase kinase 4	2	+

- Dephosphorylation **activates** glycogen synthase-b
 - Phosphoprotein phosphatase-1 (PP1) (in liver it's a different PP)
 - PP1 is bound to GS-b
- Also, feedforward control by glucose and Glc-6P
 - Binding causes a conformation favorable for PP-1 binding
 - Binding does not allow GSK-3 access to phosphorylation sites

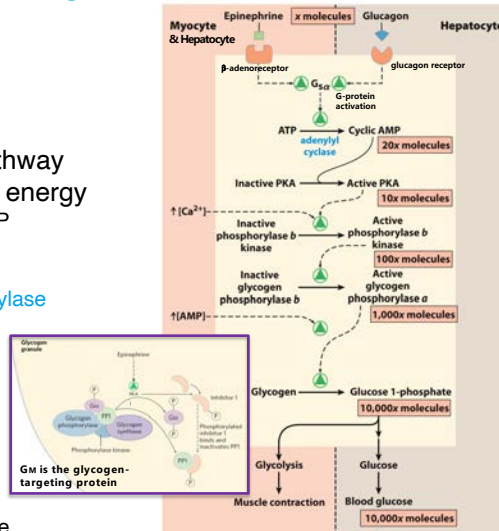
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Glycogen Phosphorylase Cascade

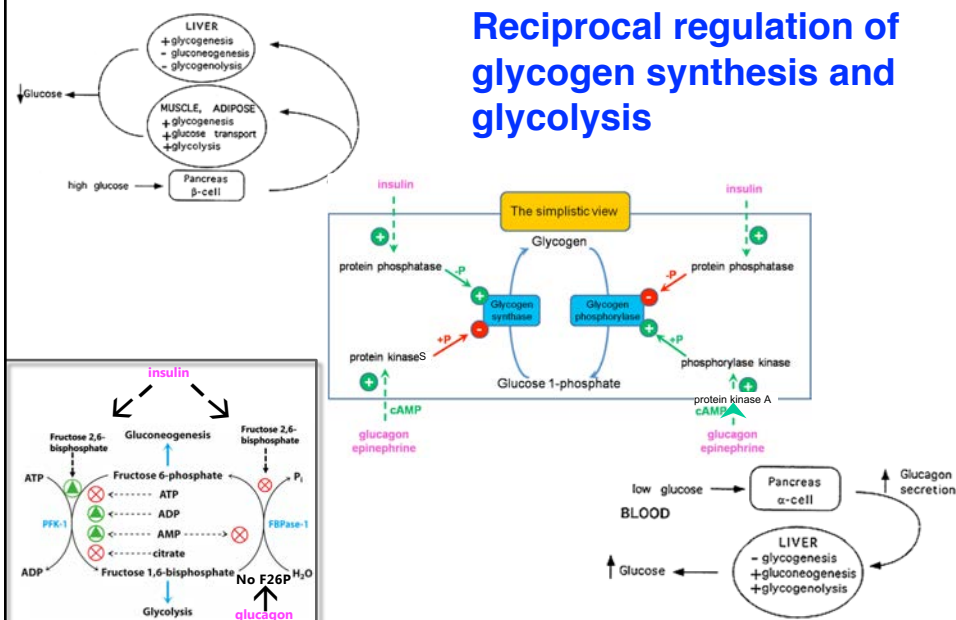


Nobel Prize 1992
Edwin Krebs
1918-2009

- Glucagon/epinephrine signaling pathway **activated** when there is a NEED for energy
 - starts phosphorylation cascade via cAMP
 - cAMP **activates** PKA
 - PKA **activates** phosphorylase-b kinase
 - this kinase **activates** glycogen phosphorylase
 - Massive degradation of glycogen
 - In muscle: Glc1P → Glc6P → glycolysis
 - In liver: Glc1P → Glc6P → Blood glucose
- There is reciprocal **inhibition** of GS
 - PKA phosphorylates G_M, which is bound to PP1 on GS, thus dissociating it.
 - PKA also phosphorylates PP1-inhibitor protein, which binds and **inactivates** the free PP1, thus leaving GS-⊖ and inactive



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