Spring 2007 Biology 111 In-Class Exam #1 - Cellular Communications KEY

The in-class portion of this exam is designed so that you can complete it in 20 minutes, but you may use the full 50 minutes. There are 3 pages for this exam, including this cover sheet. You are <u>not</u> <u>allowed to use your notes</u>, <u>old tests</u>, <u>the internet</u>, <u>or any books</u>, <u>nor are you allowed to discuss the test</u> <u>with anyone</u> until the in-class exam is completed at 11:30 am on Monday February 12. You <u>may</u> use a calculator and/or ruler for both portions of the exam. The **answers to the in-class exam must be hand written very neatly. If I cannot read your writing, then you will lose points because I cannot determine whether you have the right answer or not.**

-3 pts if you do not follow this direction.

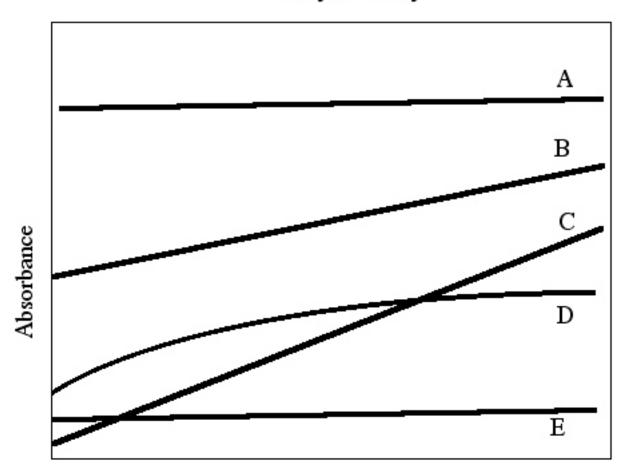
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Write out the pledge and sign:

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Lab Questions:



Enzyme Assay

Time

3 pts.

1) Which line represents the enzyme reaction with the fastest catalytic activity? Circle the correct answer. Note, there were 3 versions of this test, so your letter may differ, but this line is correct.

А	В	C	D	E	impossible to determine

3 pts.

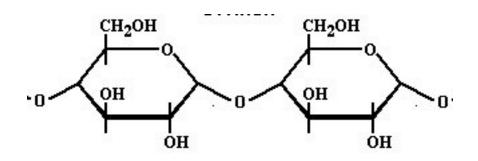
2) Which line represents the enzyme reaction where the reaction consumed all the substrate? Circle the correct answer.

А	В	С	D	Е	impossible to determine

Lecture Questions:

5 pts.

3) In the space provided here, draw the structure of a disaccharide used in glycogen.



3 pts.

4) What is the name of the enzyme that modulates glycogen phosphorylase?

Phosphorylase kinase

3 pts.

5) What is name of the molecule that blocks the myosin binding sites located on actin?

tropomyosin

6 pts.

6) What is responsible for repolarizing a neuron and does not use ATP in the process?

K⁺ ions flowing out of the cell through voltage-gated K⁺ channels.

3 pts.

7) Name a substrate for phosphodiesterase.

cAMP

3 pts.8) Name the product for adenylyl cyclase.

cAMP

3 pts.9) What modulates protein kinase A and what type of modulation is this?

cAMP allosterically modulates PKA

Alternative question was: What modulates adenylyl cyclase and what type of modulation is this?

activated G protein via allosteric modulation