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Enzyme and Protein 2

Ι.

(a)

- Enzymes increase reaction rates by lowering activation energy, but do not affect the favorability of a reaction.! They don't affect the concentrations of products and reactants at equilibrium.
- Due to the bending of bonds.

(b)

Allow I max for

578/3.0 × 10-9

 $1.93 \times 10^{\times}$ when $\times \neq 11$

Correct answer with incorrect standard form e.g. 19.3×10^{10}

(Accept any number of significant figures ≥2, if rounding correct (1.926· × 10"). Same principle applies to one max answers.)

(c)

= (0.44/1.4) ×100 = 0.31× 100 = 31.4%

(d) When lyxose bind to enzyme:

- Alters tertiary structure of enzyme
- Active site changes shape
- More enzyme- substrate complexes are formed, increasing rate of reaction.



(a)



(b) More than one codon codes for a single amino acid.

UGU codes for 'Cys' amino acid, UGC also codes for 'Cys' amino acid

(c) 465 × 3 = 1395

(d) CAA \rightarrow CGA

(e)

- A negatively charged to positively charged change in amino acid.
- Change at amino acid 300 doesn't change the shape of the active site.
- Amino acid 279 may have been involved in ionic, hydrogen bonds and disulfide bridges- changing active site shape

3.(a)

- IV on x axis and DV on y axis and both axes on linear scales;
- Axes labelled clearly and with correct units separated from variable by solidus or in brackets;
- All rates calculated correctly
- Points plotted correctly and joined by ruled lines and no extrapolation

(b) Yes

It is similar to temperature where bacterium lives

The optimum temperature for enzyme (appears to be around) 15 $^{\circ}$ C

(c)

- Initial / starting substrate concentration
- Enzyme concentration
- рН

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