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THERMOREGULATION

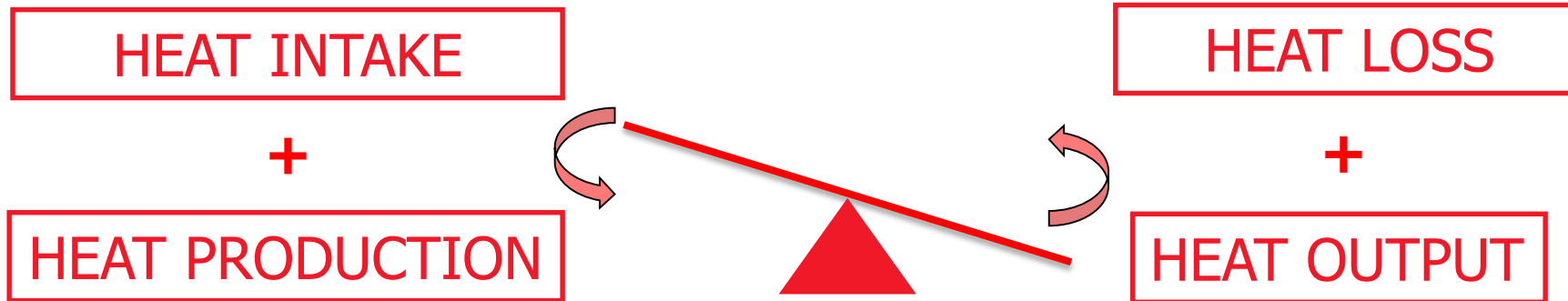


Endothermic (warm-blooded) vs. ectothermic (cold-blooded) species

Arctic (20° - 40°C) vs. tropic (22° - 27°C water, 32° - 35°C) animals

THERMOREGULATION

All processes keeping body temperature within (relatively) narrow range



- Core temperature – **homoeothermic regulation**
- Peripheral temperature – **poikilothermic regulation**

THERMOREGULATORY BEHAVIOUR

Social thermoregulation

Temperature (C)	Symptoms
28	muscle failure
30	loss of body temperature control
33	loss of consciousness
37	normal
42	central nervous system breakdown
44	death

Hypothermia

Hyperthermia

HEAT „CONVECTION“

- **Inner** heat convection (among inner organs and skin)
- **Outer** heat convection – **heat output**

HEAT INTAKE/LOSS

- **Radiation** (irradiation, without touch, IR)
 - **Convection** (temperature gradient, touch)
- (+ **Conduction** - wind)
- } up to **36°C**

HEAT OUTPUT

Evaporation

perspiratio sensibilis (sweat glands)
p. insensibilis (diffusion – skin and mucosae)

1 litre of evaporated sweat – 2428 kJ

HEAT PRODUCTION

- Depends on energetic exchange (10% of BM - 1°C)
- Difference between rest and exercise (increases muscle rate – up to 90%)
- Shivering and **nonshivering** thermogenesis (voluntary and non-voluntary thermogenesis)
- **Brown adipose tissue** (β_3 adrenoreceptors, NA, lipolysis, expression of lipoproteinlipase and thermogenin, uncoupling of oxidative chain)

THERMOREGULATION CONTROL

Afferentation: TRP channels – 2 types

(TRPM8-cold, TRPV1-hot)

- **Central** thermoreceptors
- **Peripheral** thermoreceptors (skin – cold)

Mechanisms:

- Vegetative
- Somatic
- Endocrine (CA, thyroxin, TSH)
- Modification of behaviour

Thermoregulatory centres – CENTRAL THERMOSTAT:

Posterior hypothalamus – reaction to cold

Anterior hypothalamus – reaction to heat

(Upper part of middle brain - ?)

THERMOREGULATORY MECHANISMS

COLD ACTIVATED	Decrease of heat output
Skin vasoconstriction	+
Twisting	+
Horripilation	+
	Increase of heat production
Muscle shivering	+
Hunger	+
Increase of intentional movements	+
Increase of CA secretion	+
HEAT ACTIVATED	Increase of heat output
Skin vasodilatation	+
Sweating	+
Increase of ventilation	+
Loss of appetite, apathy, inactiveness	Decrease of heat production

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PHYSIOLOGY OF EXERCISE

What is it work???



MUSCLE TYPES

- Skeletal
- Heart
- Smooth

EXERCISE:

1. **Dynamic** (positive/negative)
2. **Static**



CHANGES DURING EXERCISE:

1. Cardiovascular
2. Respiratory
3. Metabolic

HOMEOSTASIS

THERMOREGULATION

Ergotropic system – sympathetic nervous system

ANTICIPATION OF EXERCISE

„Fight or flight“ – EVOLUTIONARY ASPECT

CARDIOVASCULAR REACTIONS DURING EXERCISE

1. Heart reactions
2. Circulation reactions

1. Increase of cardiac output (heart reserve !)
2. Increase in coronary blood flow
3. **Hyperaemia** in lung circulation
4. **Hyperaemia** in muscles (difference between contraction and relaxation!!!)
5. Higher supply of O₂ and metabolites, higher removal of CO₂ and catabolites

METABOLIC AUTOREGULATION OF BLOOD FLOW

Decreased pH, decreased pO₂, increased pCO₂, increased K⁺, increased body temperature

CARDIAC RESERVE = maximal CO / resting CO

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CORONARY RESERVE = maximal CF / resting CF

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CHRONOTROPIC RESERVE = maximal HR / resting HR

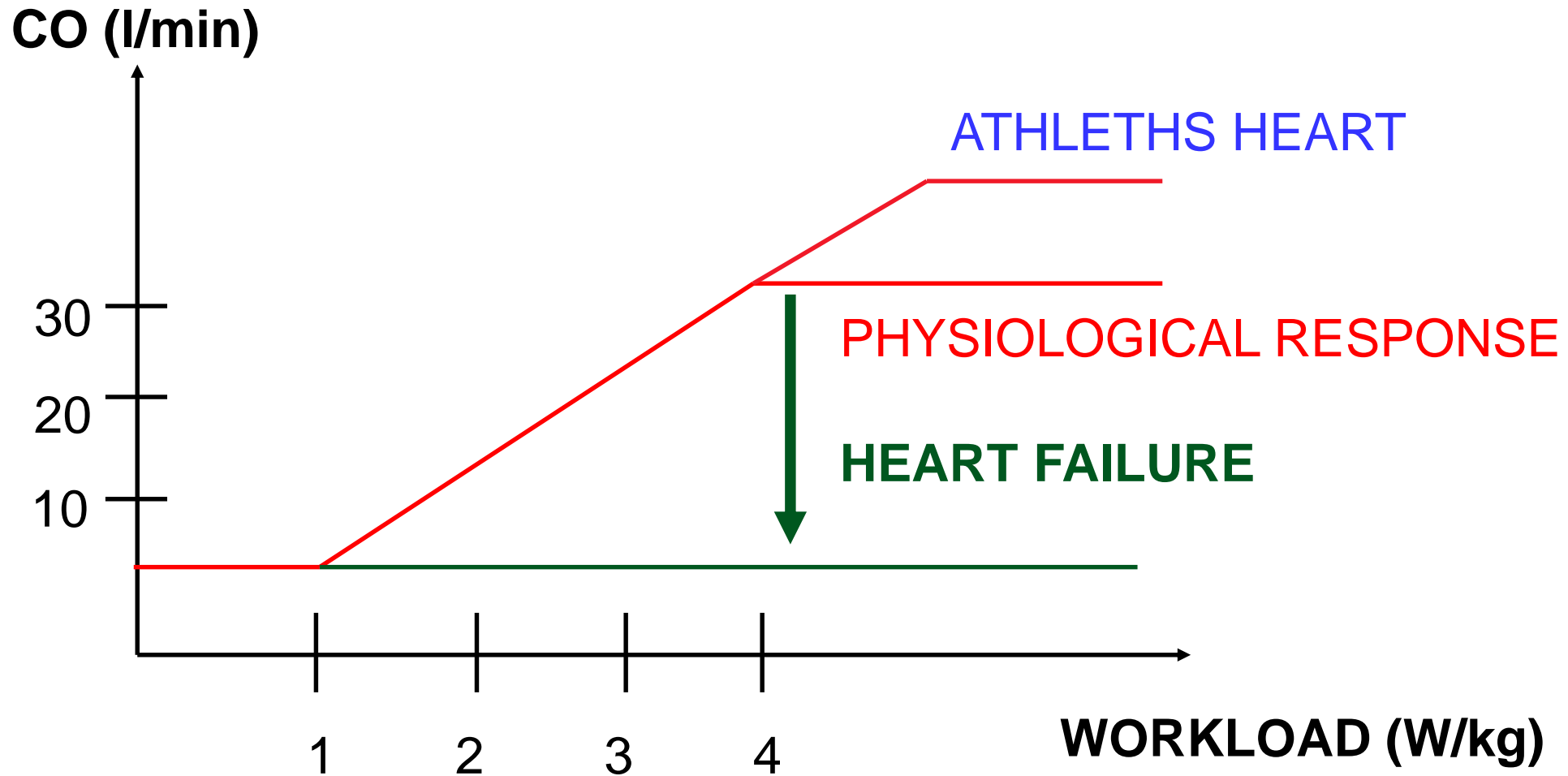
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VOLUME RESERVE = maximal SV / resting SV

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CO – cardiac output (l/min), CF – coronary flow (l/min/100gr), HR – heart rate (min⁻¹), SV – stroke volume (ml)

CARDIAC RESERVE in healthy and diseased heart



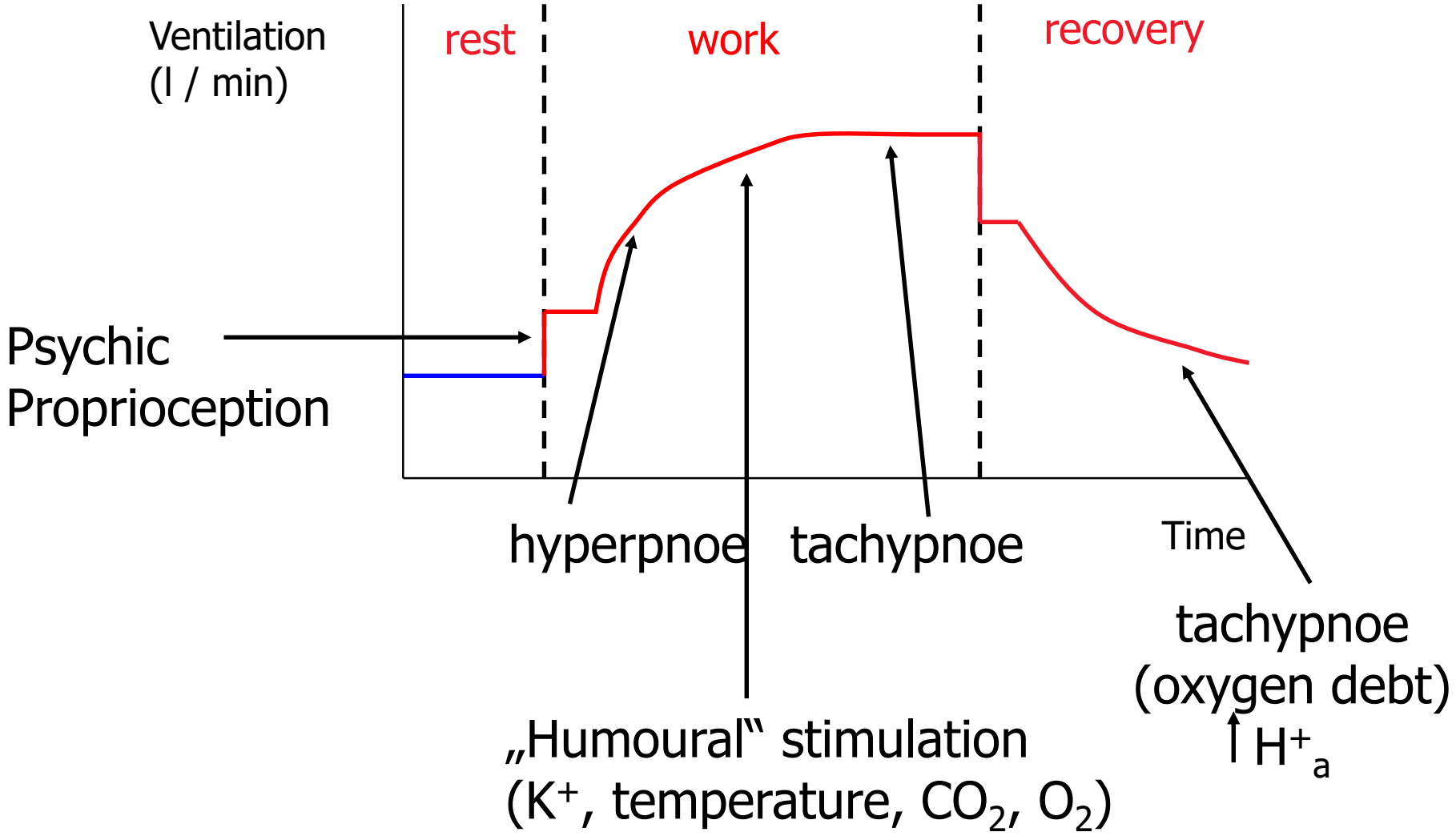
PARAMETER	REST	EXERCISE	INCREASE (x)
Cardiac output (l/min)	5-6	25 (35)	4-5 (7) <i>Cardiac reserve</i>
Heart rate (t/min)	70	210 (250-190) <i>depends on age</i>	3-5 <i>Chronotropic reserve</i>
Stroke volume (ml)	75	115	1.5 <i>Volume reserve</i>
Systolic BP (mmHg)	120	↑ ?	-
Diastolic BP (mmHg)	70	↓ ↑ — ?	-
Pulse BP (mmHg)	50	70-100	1.5-2
Mean BP (mmHg)	-	-	minor increase
Muscle perfusion (ml/min/100g)	2-4	60-120	30 (10% MV _{max})

RESPIRATORY REACTIONS DURING EXERCISE

Demands on respiratory system:

1. Higher gases exchange – higher diffusion
2. Higher ventilation
3. Higher perfusion (hyperaemia in lung circulation)

PARAMETER	REST	EXERCISE	INCREASE (x)
Minute ventilation (l/min)	6-12	90-120	15-20
Respiratory frequency (d/min)	12-16	40-60	4-5
Tidal volume (ml)	0,5-0,75	2	3-4
Blood flow (l/min)	5,5	20 – 35	4-6
O₂ intake (ml/min) -V _{O₂}	250-300	3000	10-12
Total CO₂ (ml/min)	200	8000	40
pO₂ (Torr)	40	25	
O₂ extraction (%)	+	+	++

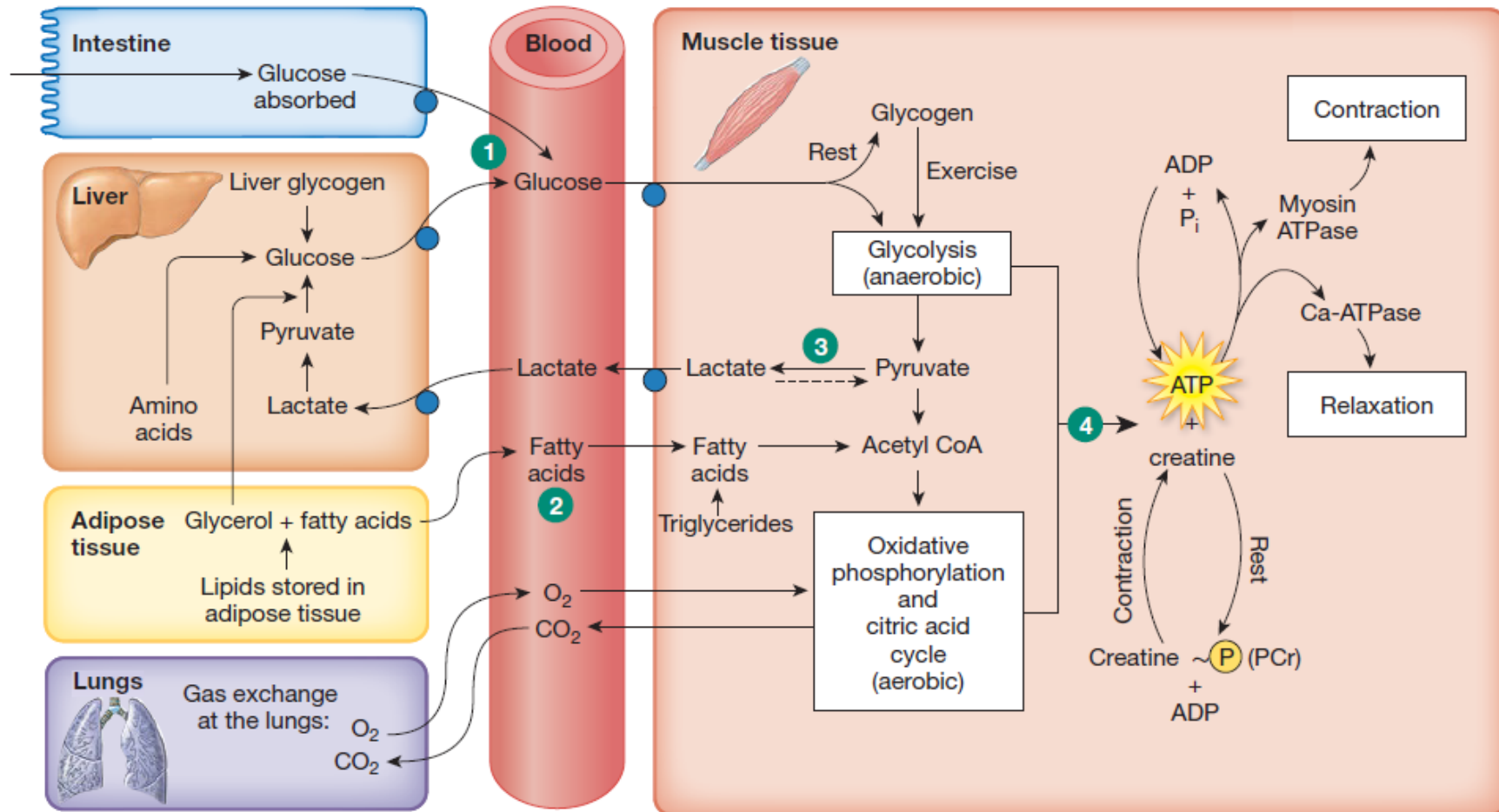


R = 1.5 - 2.0

R = 0.5

OVERVIEW OF MUSCLE METABOLISM

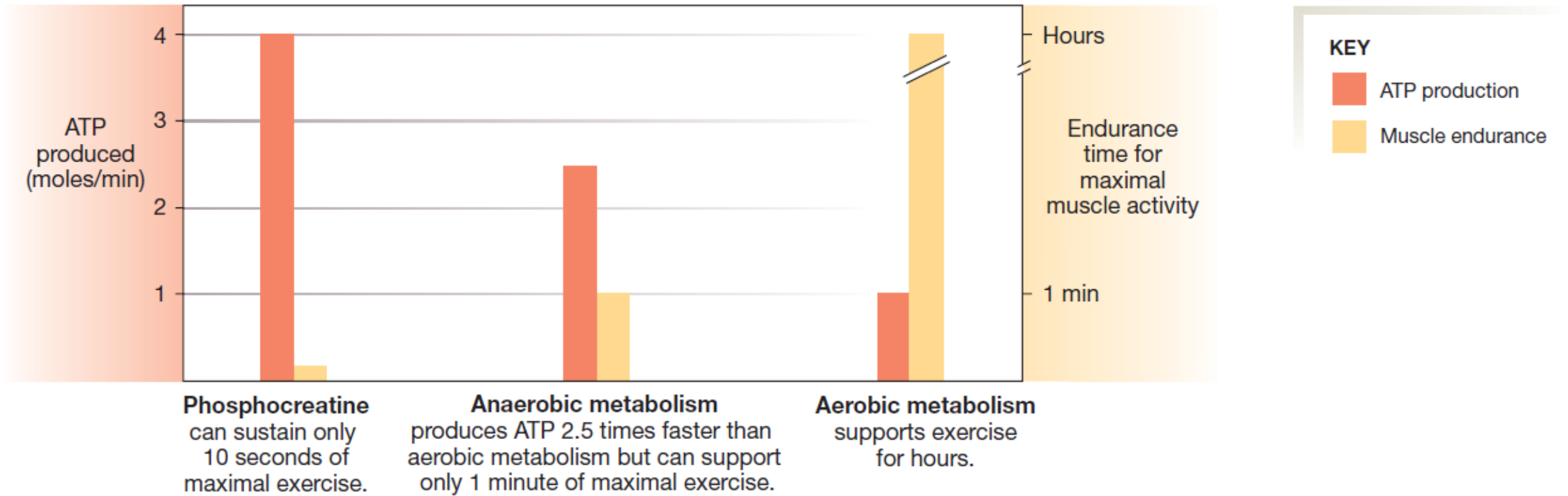
ATP for muscle contraction is continuously produced by aerobic metabolism of glucose and fatty acids. During short bursts of activity, when ATP demand exceeds the rate of aerobic ATP production, anaerobic glycolysis produces ATP, lactate, and H^+ .



- 1 Glucose comes from liver glycogen or dietary intake.
- 2 Fatty acids can be used only in aerobic metabolism.
- 3 Lactate from anaerobic metabolism can be converted to glucose by the liver.
- 4 Both aerobic and anaerobic metabolism provide ATP for muscle contraction.

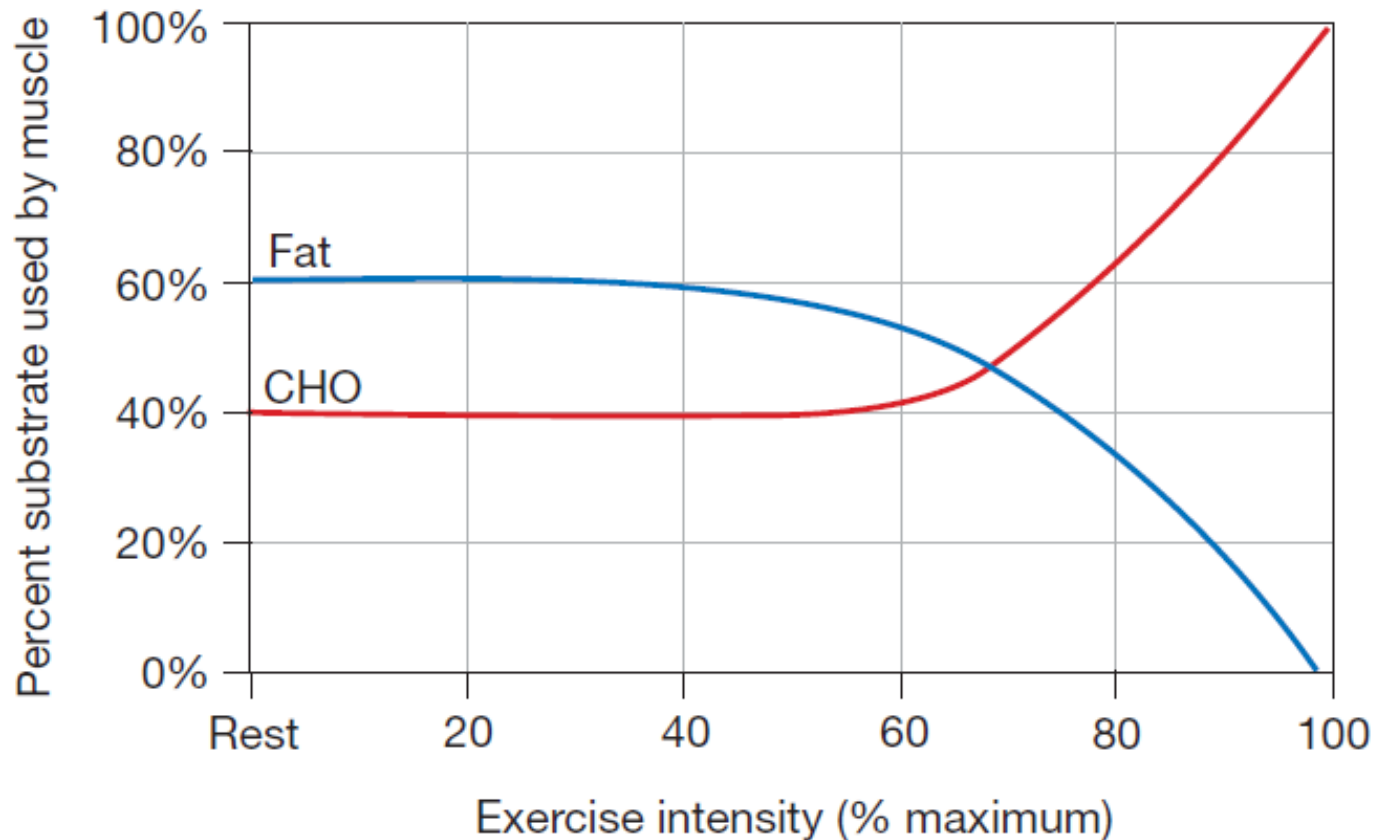
AEROBIC VERSUS ANAEROBIC METABOLISM

Anaerobic metabolism produces ATP 2.5 times faster than aerobic metabolism, but aerobic metabolism can support exercise for hours.



ENERGY SUBSTRATE USE DURING EXERCISE

At low-intensity exercise, muscles get more energy from fats than from glucose (CHO). During high-intensity exercise (levels greater than 70% of maximum), glucose becomes the main energy source.



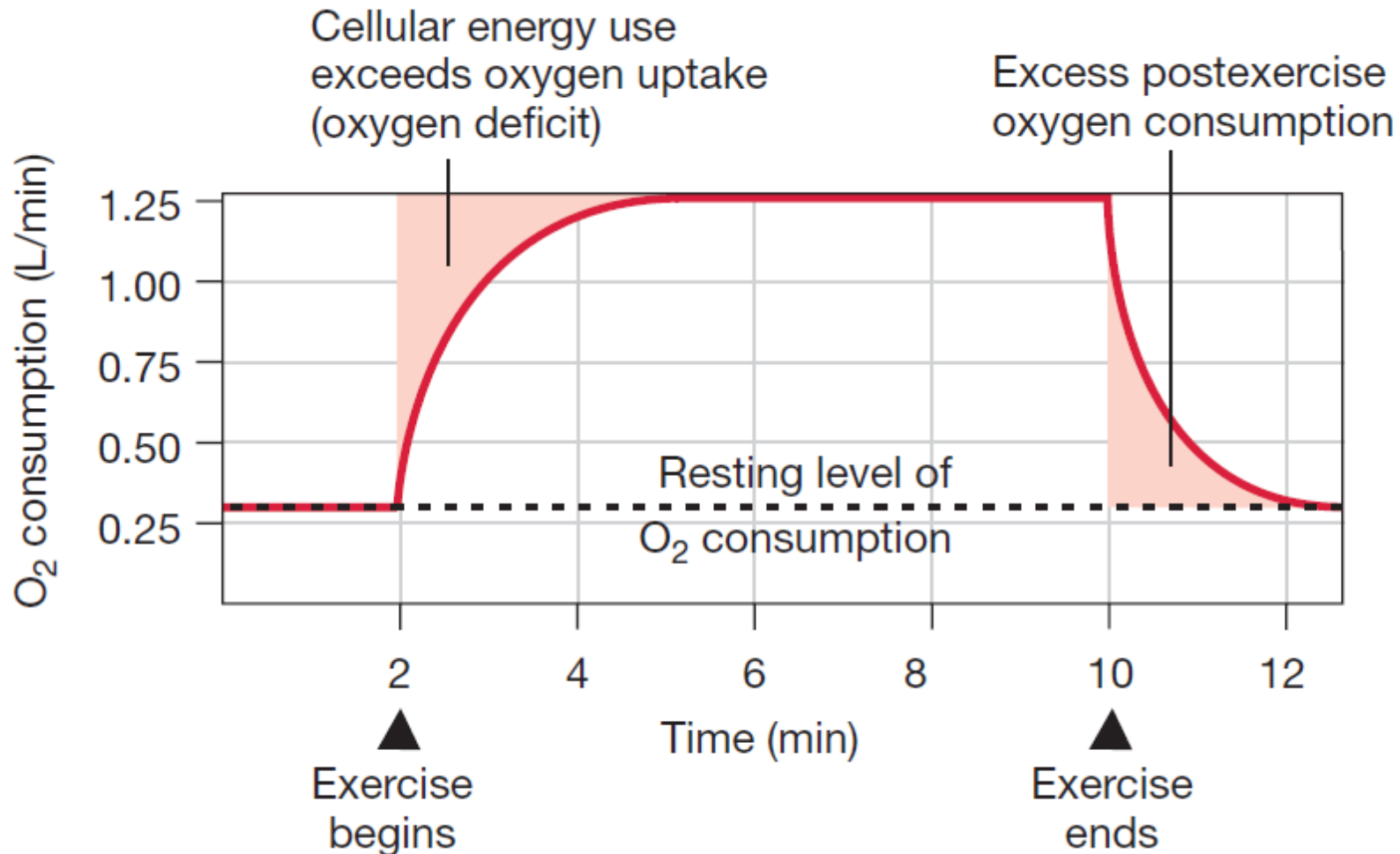
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OXYGEN CONSUMPTION AND EXERCISE

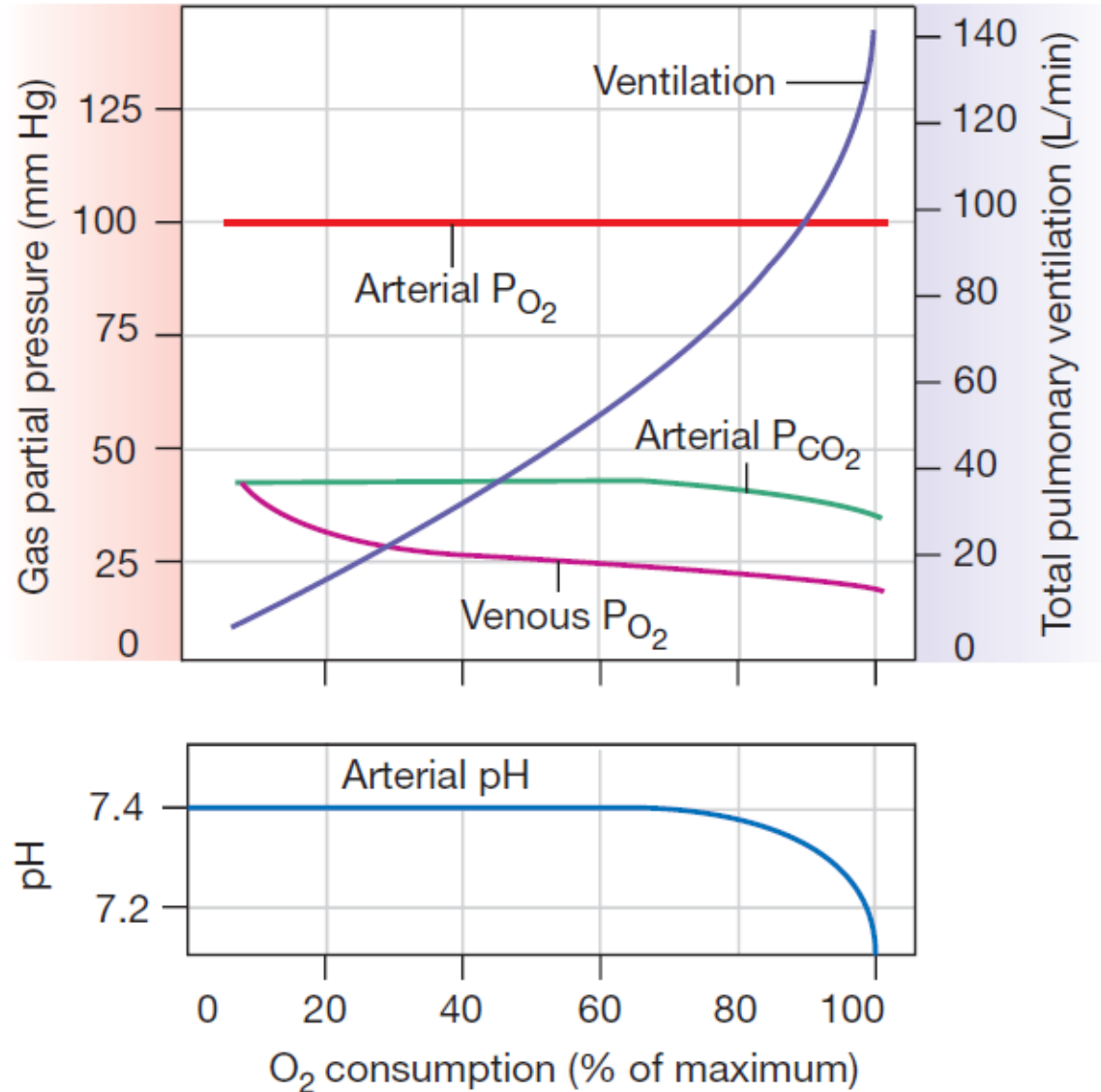
Oxygen supply to exercising cells lags behind energy use, creating an oxygen deficit. Excess postexercise oxygen consumption compensates for the oxygen deficit.

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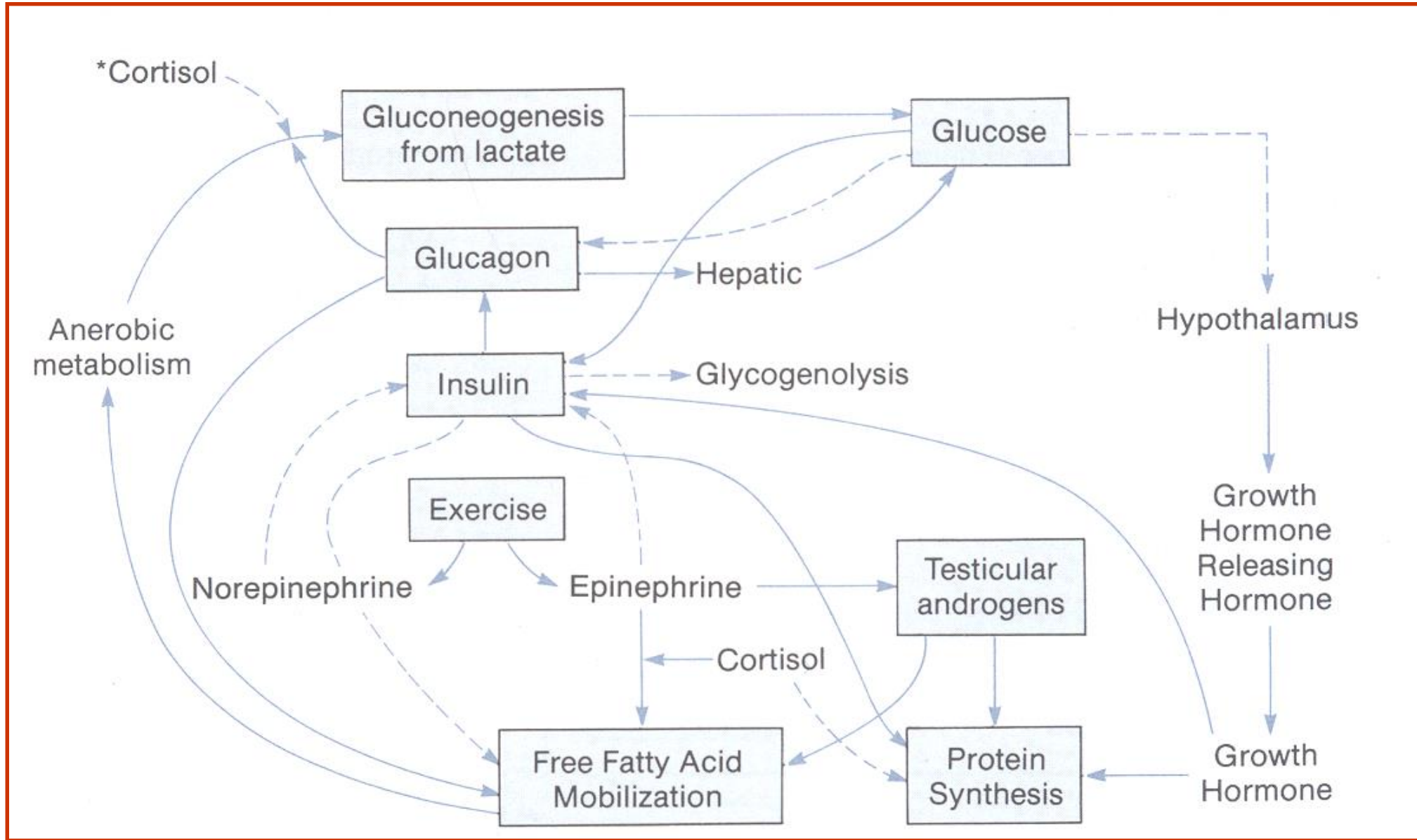


BLOOD GASES AND EXERCISE

Arterial blood gases and pH remain steady with submaximal exercise.



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- Spiroergometry
- Types of ergometers
- Index W_{170}
- Training
- Fatigue (aerobic, anaerobic threshold)
- Adaptation to exercise

