

Food Chains and Food Webs Notes

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I. Nature moves in Biological Cycles

A. Biological Law states that Nothing is created or destroyed.

1. Energy just changes its form.

B. Food Chain----Food Web

1. Composed of different levels of organisms and elements.

2. Food Web = closely knit biological unit with organisms eating, decaying and reentering the food cycle

3. Never ending cycle which is constant and interdependent.

4. Tropic Pyramid show various stages of the web.
Simplest organisms at the bottom

Producers Consumers Decomposers Nutrients

Plants
Phyto pl.

Small
Animals

Bacteria
Fungi

Na, S
Cl, N, P