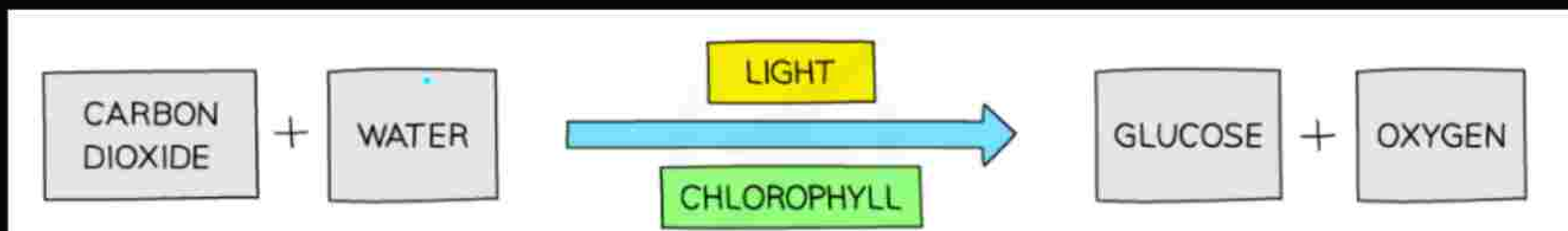


# Photosynthesis

=> endothermic process

↳ it releases energy.



word equation

↓

reactants

↓

conditions

↓

products

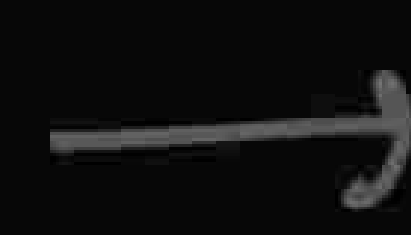
Formula Equation :- (IMP)



starch (storage)

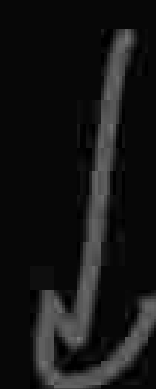


glucose



cellulose  
for strength  
of cell wall

Converted into  
fats + oils in  
seeds.



respiration  
to release energy.

Is light a raw material for photosynthesis?  
⇒

↓  
its energy not material

↓

something made  
up of atoms

←  
eg  
 $\text{CO}_2$  or  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$

limiting factors for photosynthesis :-

↓

the one that's present in  
less amount

↓

it gonna determine my  
process.

- There are three main factors that limit the rate of photosynthesis:
  - Temperature
  - Light intensity
  - Carbon dioxide concentration



## Temperature :-

sufficient temperature  $\rightarrow$  sufficient kinetic energy

enzyme  
 $\downarrow$   
speeds up a reaction.

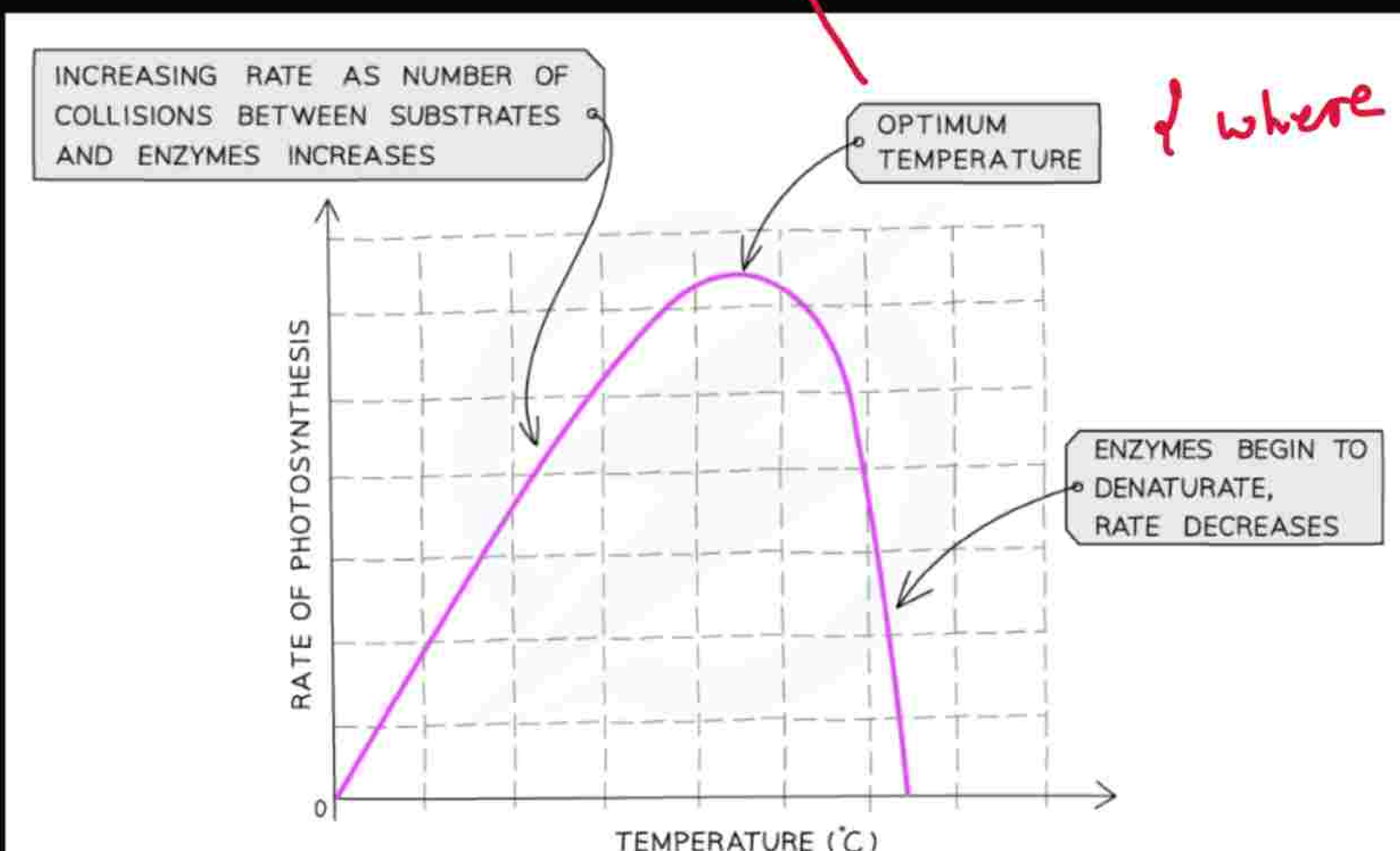
reactants can collide and change into product

at higher temperature  $\rightarrow$  enzymes denature



rate can decrease.

highest rate of photosynthesis



where

enzymes can work at high efficiency

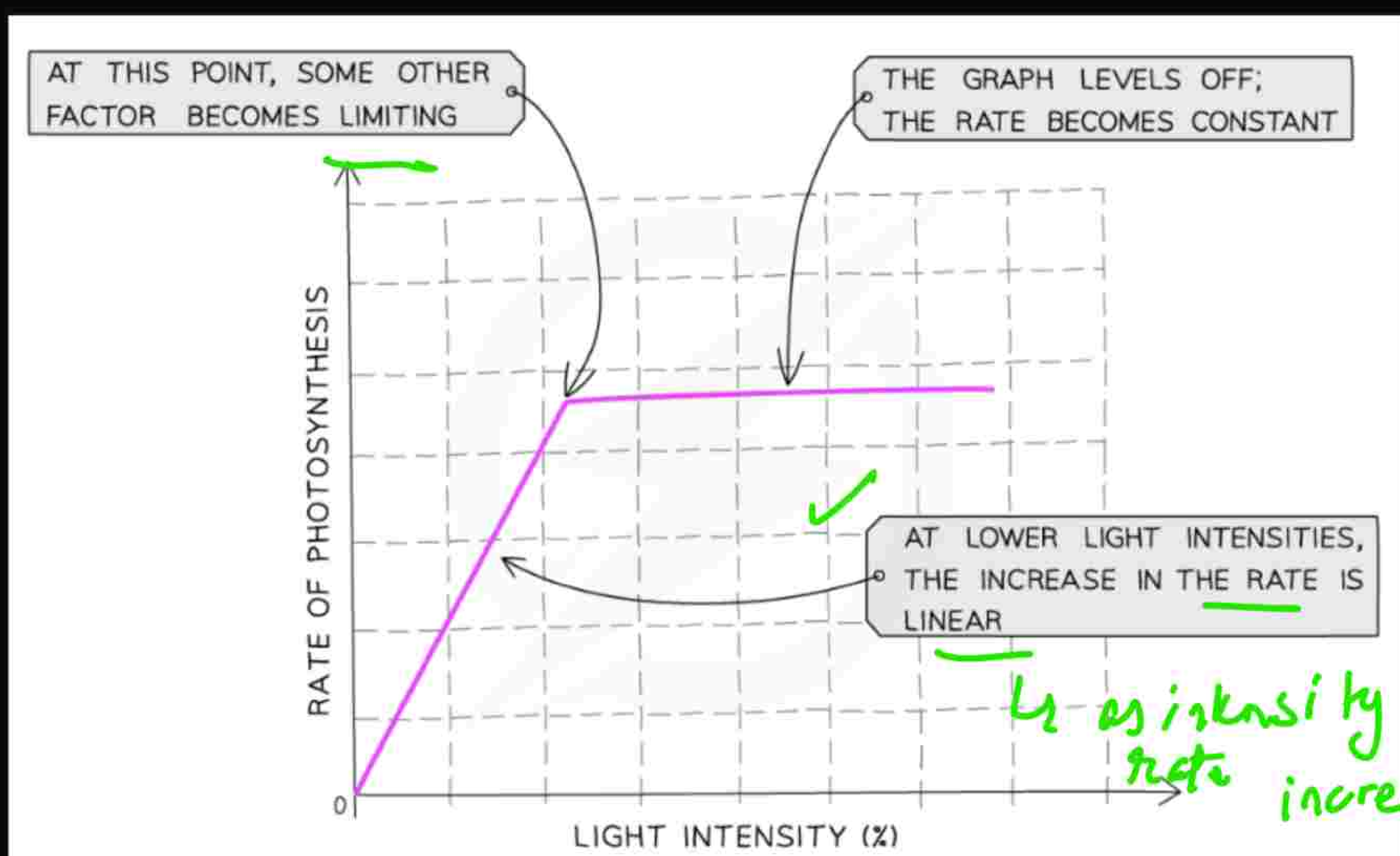
(they lose their capacity to work)

# Light Intensity :-

generally:-

more sunlight  $\longrightarrow$  rates gonna be faster.  
(light intensity)

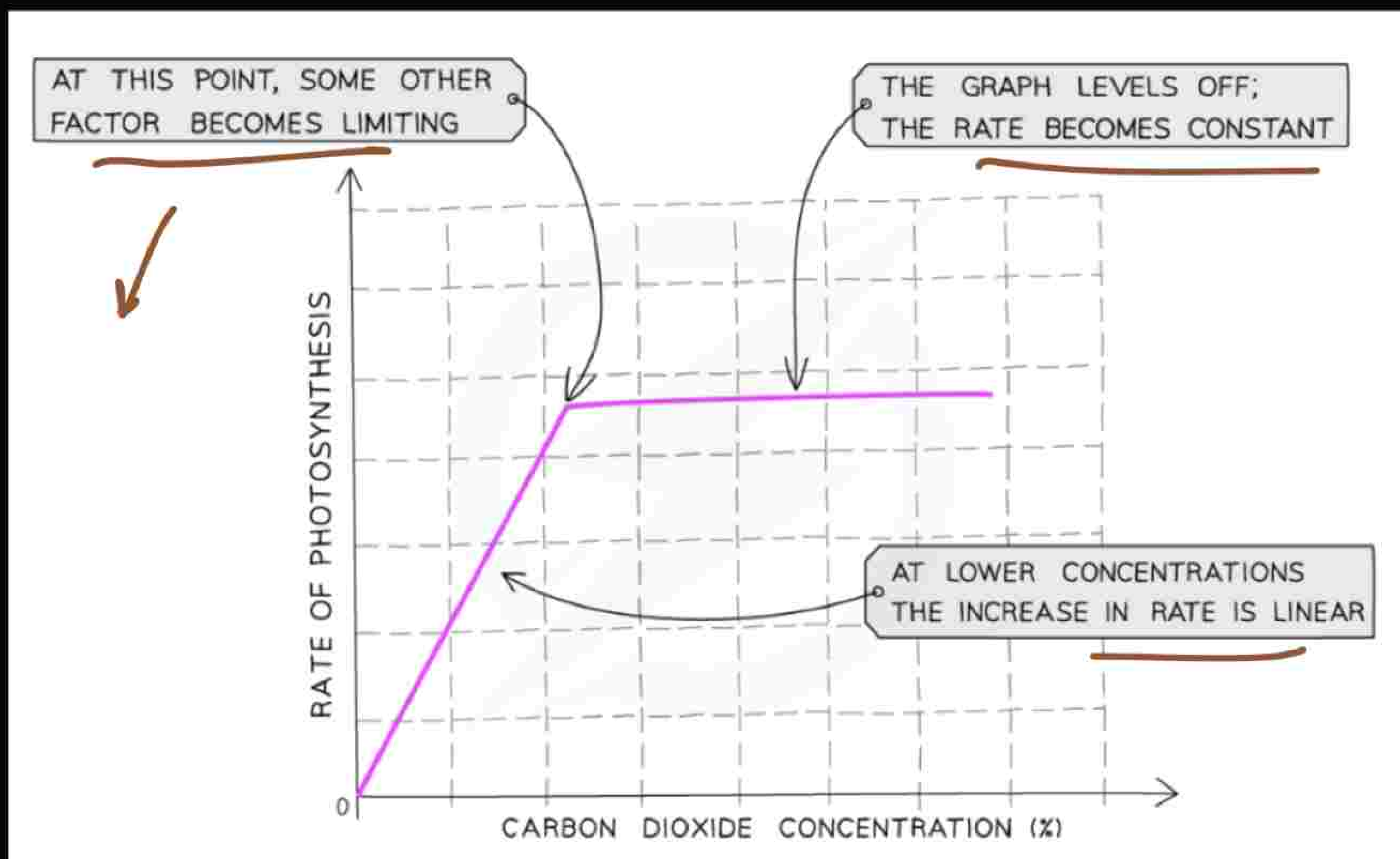
But after sometime rate become independent of light intensity.





## Concentration of Carbon dioxide :-

$\text{CO}_2$  (raw material)  $\rightarrow$  more  $\text{CO}_2$   
more the  
rate of  
photosynthesis.



Other factors mean -

we increased  $\text{CO}_2 \uparrow$  rate should  $\uparrow$   
but I stopped giving it sunlight.

now rate won't increase.  
(limiting)

Chlorophyll (present in chloroplast)

↓

green pigment that absorbs sunlight.

↓

more chloroplast more rate of  
photosynthesis

The number of chloroplasts (or amount of chlorophyll they contain) can be affected by:

- ✓ Diseases (such as tobacco mosaic virus)
- Lack of nutrients (such as magnesium)
- Loss of leaves (fewer leaves means fewer chloroplasts)

Extra tips :-

# directly proportional { IMP }

if one side of equation increases other gonna  
increase automatically.

# hard work & success.

# inversely proportional

# good health &  $\downarrow$   
cheese burst.



Figure 1 shows the effect of several different factors on the growth of strawberry plants in a greenhouse.

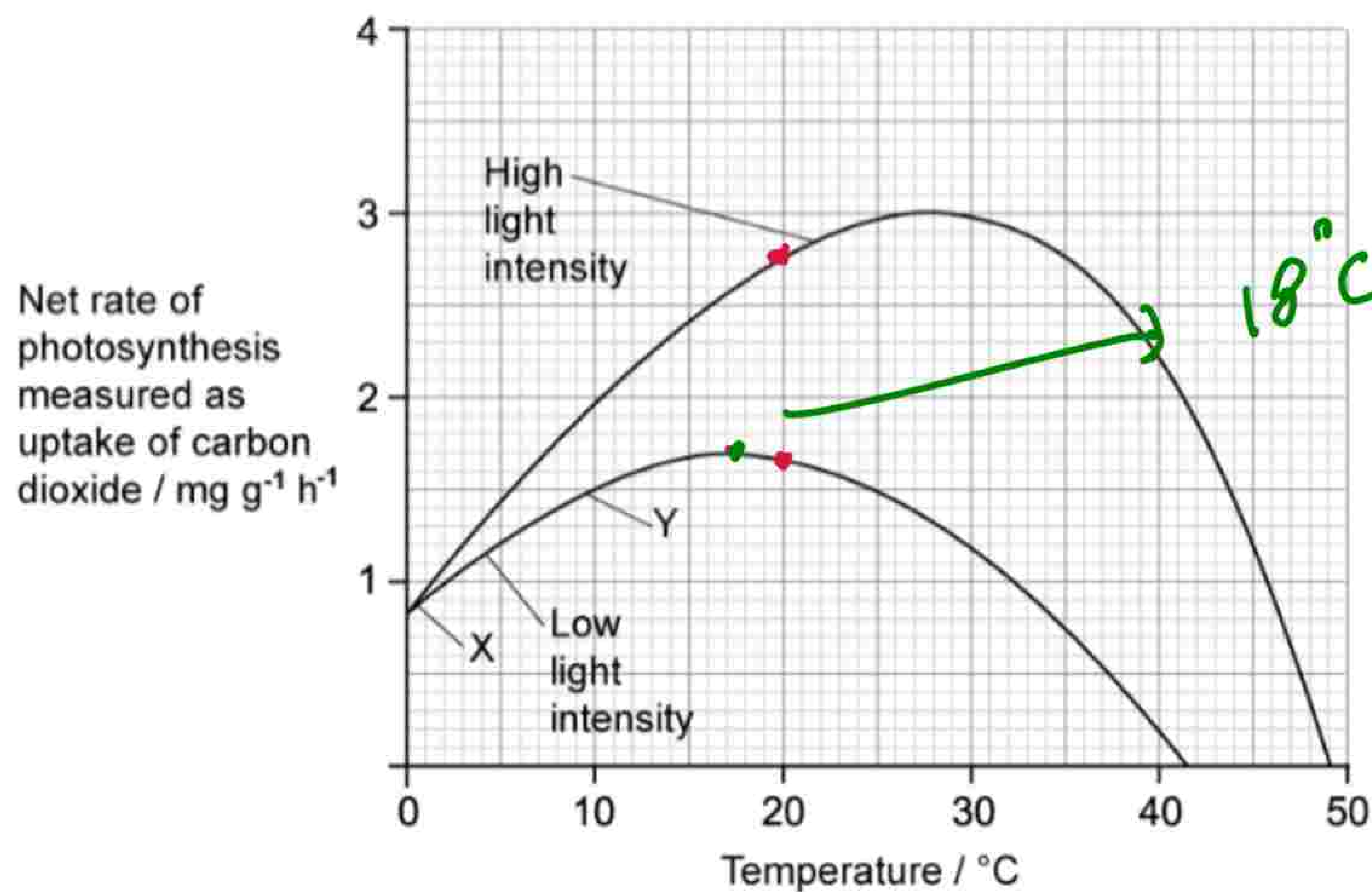


Figure 1

Describe and explain how temperature and light intensity affected the rate of photosynthesis up until  $20^{\circ}\text{C}$ .

$\Rightarrow$  rate increase with increase in temp. until optimum temp is reached.

$\Rightarrow$  at low intensity photosynthesis is lower and at high intensity photosynthesis is higher.

Identify the limiting factor(s) between point X and Y in Fig. 1.

temperature & light intensity.

Explain why light intensity is no longer limiting the rate of photosynthesis at temperatures higher than  $30^{\circ}\text{C}$ .

enzymes get denatured at high temperatures