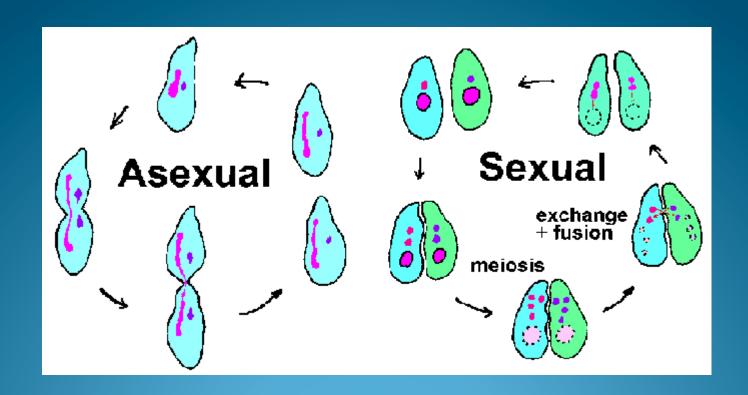
Asexual vs. Sexual Reproduction

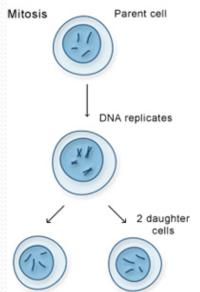


Make a Venn Diagram

Asexual Reproduction Sexual Reproduction

- Requires only one parent
- Offspring have 100% the same chromosomes as the parent.
 - In other words, the offspring are exact "clones" of the parent.

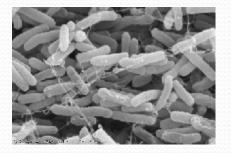
 Mitosis Parent cell
 - Most unicellular organisms reproduce this way.
 - Mitosis



- Binary Fission
 - Bacteria
 - Protists

Binary fission is a form of asexual reproduction where every organelle is copied and the organism divides in two.





Vegetative Reproduction

Vegetative reproduction is a type of asexual reproduction in plants that relies on multicellular structures formed by the parent plant.



- Budding
 - Hydra

Budding is a means of asexual reproduction whereby a new individual develops from an outgrowth of a parent, splits off, and lives independently.



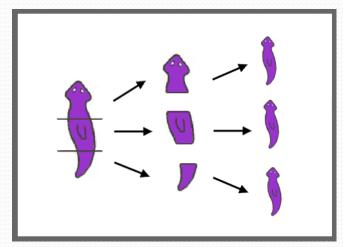


Fragmentation

Fragmentation is a means of asexual reproduction whereby a single parent breaks into parts that regenerate into whole new individuals.







Regeneration

Regeneration occurs when a body part has broken off and the organism grows a new one.



- Spores
- A spore is a specialized cell that can survive harsh conditions
 - Spores are produced by one parent
 - In the right conditions, spores can become a new organism

- Examples of organisms that reproduce asexually
 - Hydra
 - Sea Star
 - Strawberry
 - Archaebacteria
 - Eubacteria
 - Euglena
 - Paramecium
 - Yeast

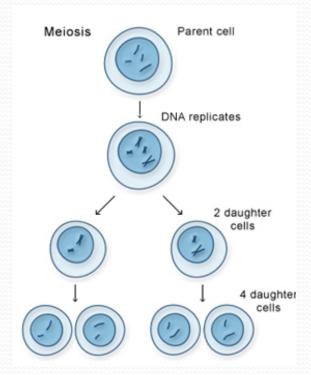








- Requires two parents that each share ½ of the genetic information.
 - Offspring share the characteristics of each parent.
 - Meiosis



3 Types of Sexual Reproduction

- Internal Fertilization Fertilization occurs within the female. Internal fertilization occurs in mammals, insects, birds, reptiles.
- External Fertilization External fertilization usually requires a medium such as water, which the sperms can use to swim towards the egg cell. External fertilization usually occur in fish and amphibians.
- Pollination occurs when pollen is transferred from the anthers to the female organs by wind or by animals.

- All the members of the Animal Kingdom
 - Fish
 - Mammals
 - Amphibians
 - Birds
 - Reptiles
 - Insects
 - Crustaceans













Plant Kingdom

• Flowers are the reproductive organs of plants.



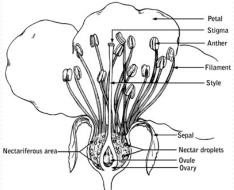
Male flower

Female flower

Some flowers have both male and female reproductive

organs on the same flower.





- Examples of organisms that reproduce sexually
 - Chickens
 - Iguanas
 - Lobsters
 - Sharks
 - Humans
 - Butterflies
 - Sunflowers
 - Roses













Sexual Reproduction Summary

	Male Gamete	Female Gamete	Type of Union	Result of Union	Final Result
Plants	pollen	ovule (egg)	pollination	single cell zygote	multi-cell embryo (in seed)
Animals	sperm	egg	fertilization	single cell zygote	multi-cell embryo

- Happens 2 ways
 - Internally (inside)
 - The egg is fertilized by sperm inside the female
 - Mammals, birds, reptiles, insects, spiders
 - Externally (outside)
 - The egg is fertilized by sperm outside the female
 - The female lays the eggs and then the male fertilizes them.
 - Fish and some amphibians
 - Plants and fungi (pollen and spores)



Which is Better? It depends!

Asexual Reproduction

- advantages
 - does not require special cells or a lot of energy
 - can produce offspring quickly
 - in a stable environment creates large, thriving population
- disadvantages
 - limited ability to adapt
 - face massive die-off if environment changes

- advantages
 - lots of variation within a species
 - able to live in a variety of environmental settings
 - able to adapt to changes in the environment
- disadvantages
 - needs time & energy
 - produce small populations