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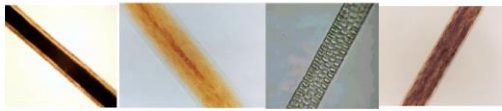
1. Name and briefly describe the three layers of a human/mammalian hair:

2. In which way do human hairs typically differ from the hairs of other mammals?

3. Desiree comes home to a mess! Someone has broken into her apartment and stolen her camera, some items of jewelry, and her laptop computer. Her very friendly dog is lounging on the sofa, obviously untroubled by the whole thing. Desiree calls the police, and they come to collect evidence from her home.

They ask her if she noticed anything unusual recently, and she recalled seeing, on two separate occasions, a red-headed man hanging out in the common area over the past week. She had never seen this man before that week and is certain he is not a fellow resident, but she had previously assumed he might be a visiting friend of one of her neighbors. Desiree and her dog both have brown hair.

The police collected hair samples from four distinct individuals during their sweep of Desiree's apartment.



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i. Which one do you think could belong to the suspicious man Desiree saw in the lobby? Which features informed your answer, based on the powerpoint slides and other information?

ii. How would you classify the other three hairs collected from the scene, in terms of species? Briefly explain your answer for each, using information provided in the power point presentation.

4. Ron, a 25-year-old man disappeared when he was supposed to be on a hiking trip in the foothills with a friend three days ago, and sadly, his body was found in a sink in downtown Sacramento. The friend says Ron never showed up for

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