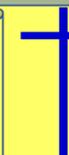


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(ABOUT THE BIBLE VII – DINOSAUR)

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Job 40:15–19

15 “Look at Behemoth, which I made along with you and which feeds on grass like an ox.

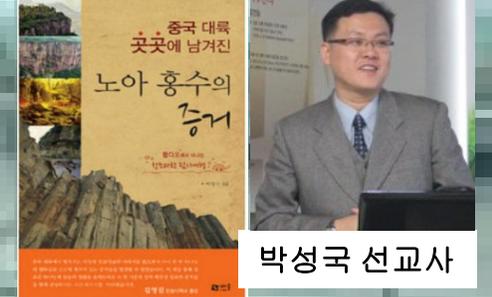
16 What strength it has in its loins, what power in the muscles of its belly! 17 Its tail sways like a cedar; the sinews of its thighs are close-knit. 18 Its bones are tubes of bronze, its limbs like rods of iron. 19 It ranks first among the works of God, yet its Maker can approach it with his sword.

욥기 (Job) 40:15-19

15 이제 소 같이 풀을 먹는 베태못을 볼지어다 내가 너를 지은 것 같이 그것도 지었느니라 16 그것의 힘은 허리에 있고 그 뚝심은 배의 힘줄에 있고 17 그것이 꼬리 치는 것은 백향목이 흔들리는 것 같고 그 넓적다리 힘줄은 서로 얽혀 있으며 18 그 뼈는 놋관 같고 그 뼈대는 쇠 막대기 같으니 19 그것은 하나님이 만드신 것 중에 으뜸이라 그것을 지으신 이가 자기의 칼을 가져 오기를 바라노라

Dinosaur: Psittacosaurus

“Tianyu Museum of Nature: the biggest dinosaur museum on earth, ... more than 1,100 fossilized dinosaurs...”

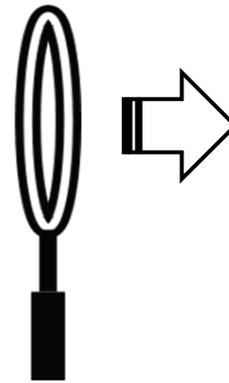
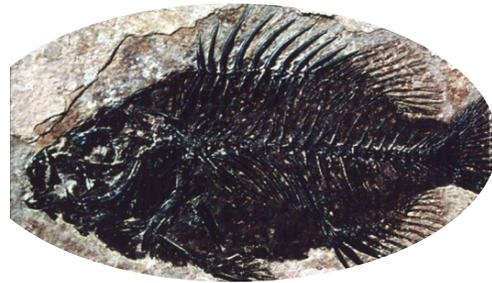
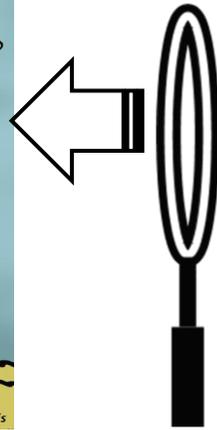


Slow vs Fast...?

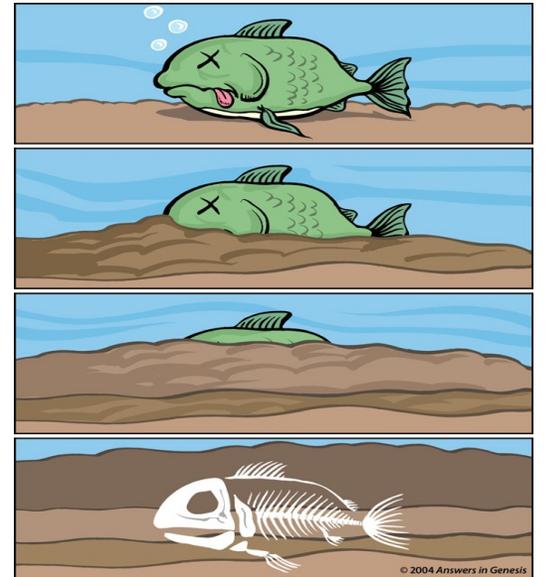
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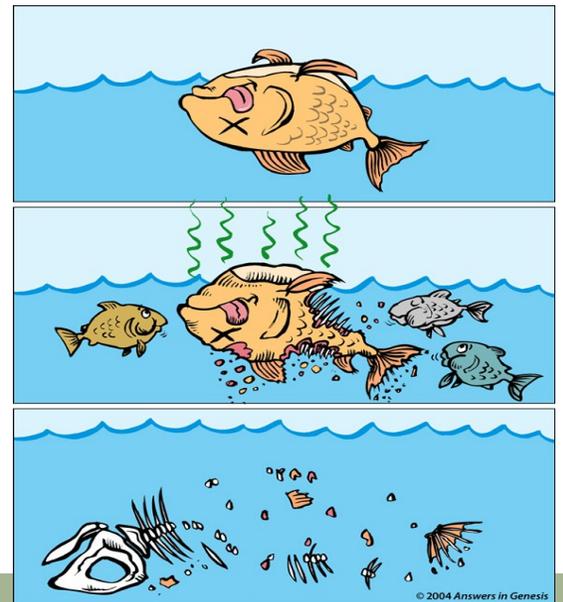
Causes sudden burial



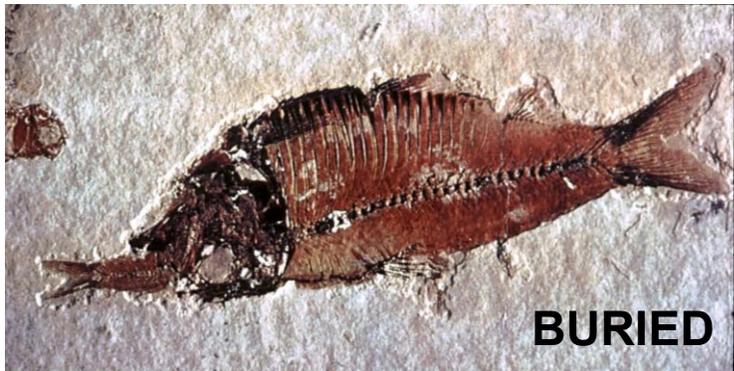
Slow and gradual



Burial.. or, decay?



Fossil can only be formed by fast burial → support Genesis Flood



BURIED

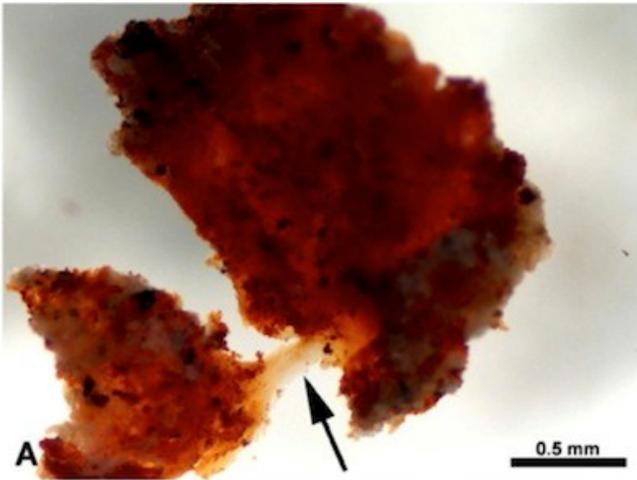
EATING



BURIED
BIRTH

How Old...?

“The research, by Mary Schweitzer, a molecular paleontologist at North Carolina State University, explains how proteins — and possibly even DNA — can survive millennia. She and her colleagues raised this question in 2005, when they found the soft tissue preserved inside the leg of an adolescent *T. rex* unearthed in Montana.”

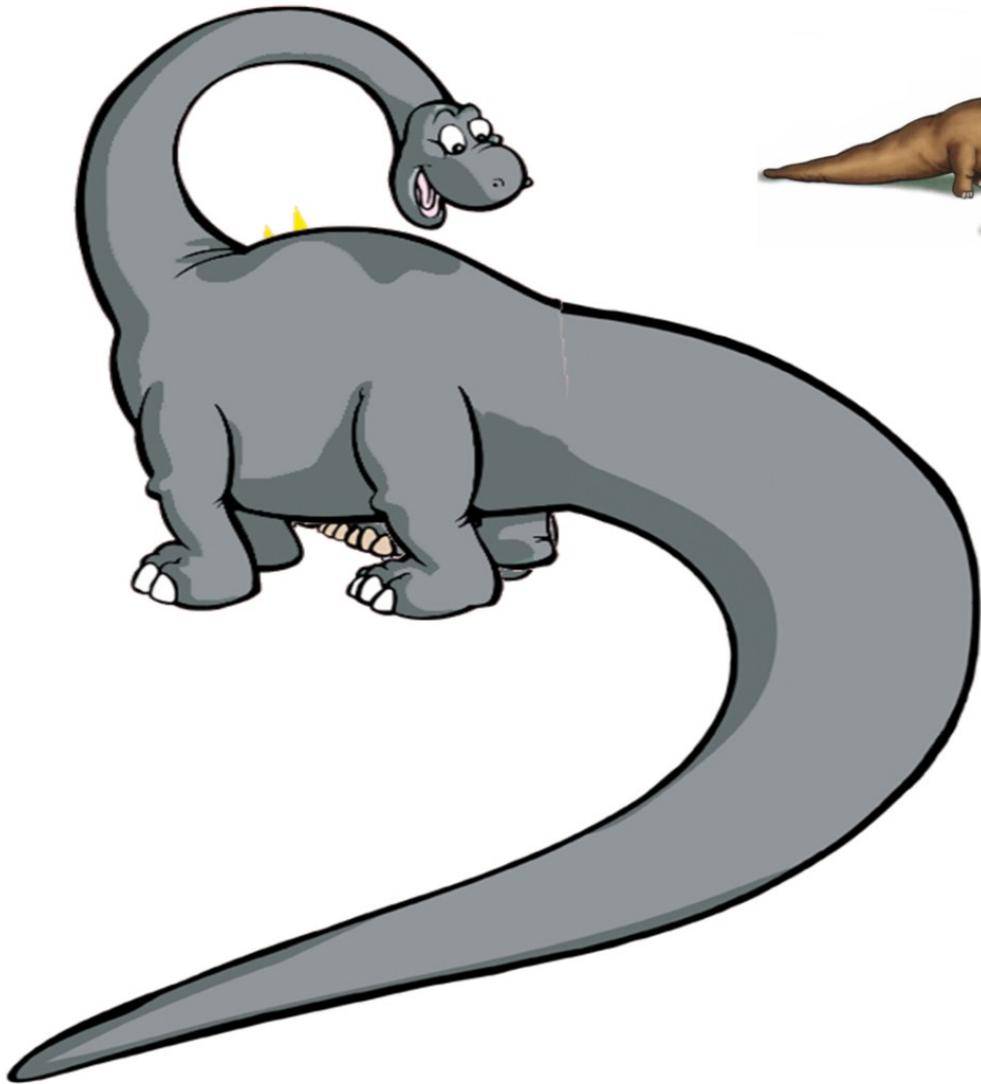


“This fragment of demineralized tissue lined the marrow cavity of a *T. rex* femur. The demineralized fragment in “A” was flexible and resilient. When stretched, as shown by the arrow, it returned to its original shape. “B” shows the same fragment after air-drying. The fibrous character of the fragment is shown in “C.””



http://www.huffingtonpost.com/2013/1/27/t-rex-soft-tissue-discovery_n_4349214.html

Dinosaur in the Human Record ?



Yes!!

Job 40:15-18

Behold now behemoth, which I made with thee; he eateth grass as an ox. . . .

He moveth his tail like a cedar . . .

His bones are as strong pieces of brass; his bones are like bars of iron.
He is the chief of the ways of God.

Dinosaur in the Human Record ?

...for out of the serpent's root shall come forth a cockatrice, and his fruit shall be **a fiery flying serpent. (KJV) *Isaiah 14:29***

In that day the LORD with his sore and great and strong sword shall punish Leviathan the piercing serpent, ...and **he shall slay the dragon that is in the sea. *Isaiah 27:1***

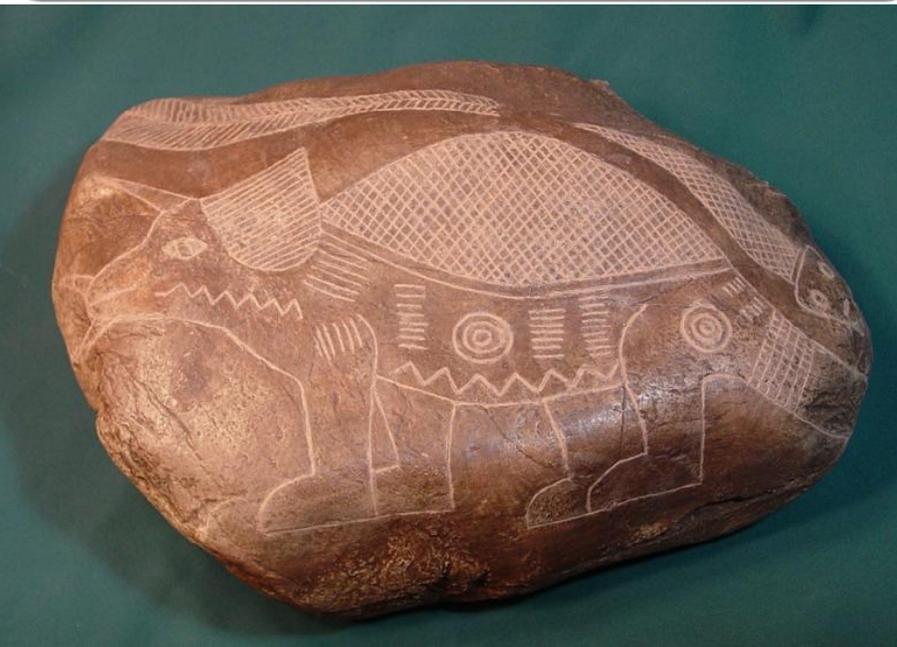
Can you draw out **Leviathan with a fishhook... **Out of his mouth go burning torches**;...The sword that reaches him cannot avail; ... He regards iron as straw, Bronze as rotten wood... *Job 41:1-34***

The burden of the beasts of the south: into the land of trouble and anguish, from whence come the young and old lion, the viper and **fiery flying serpent, ... (KJV) *Isaiah 30:6***

Dinosaurs in History...



Angkor Wat
in Cambodia
12th century



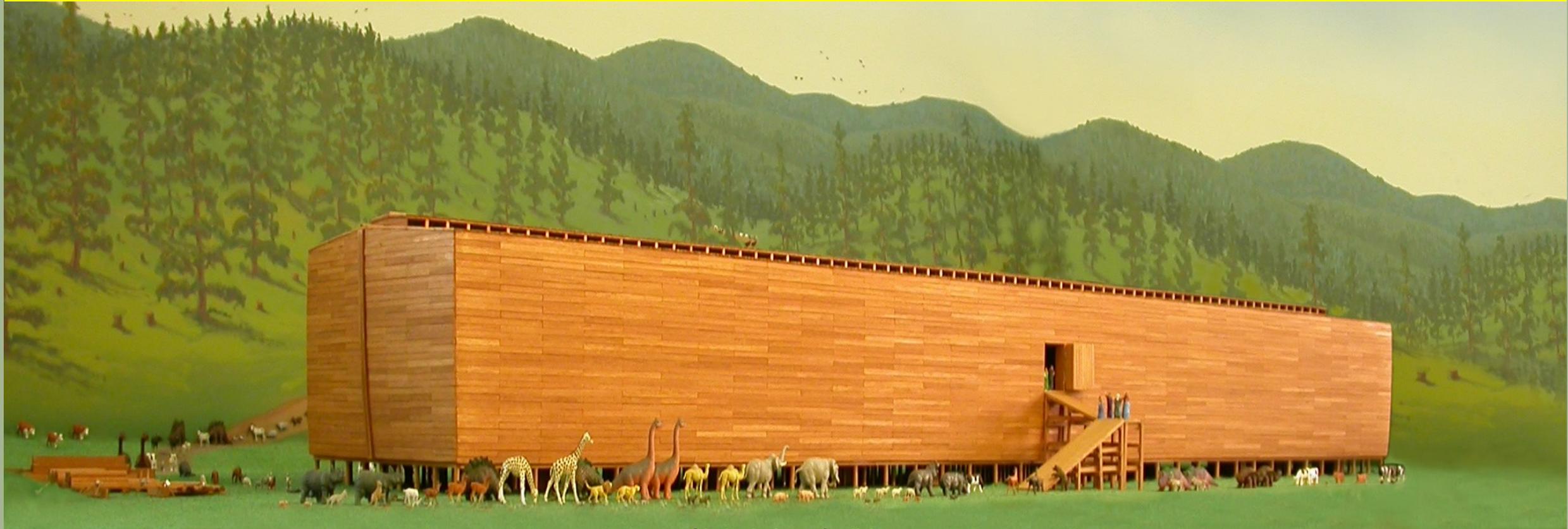
**Inca Stones
of Peru (16th
Century)**



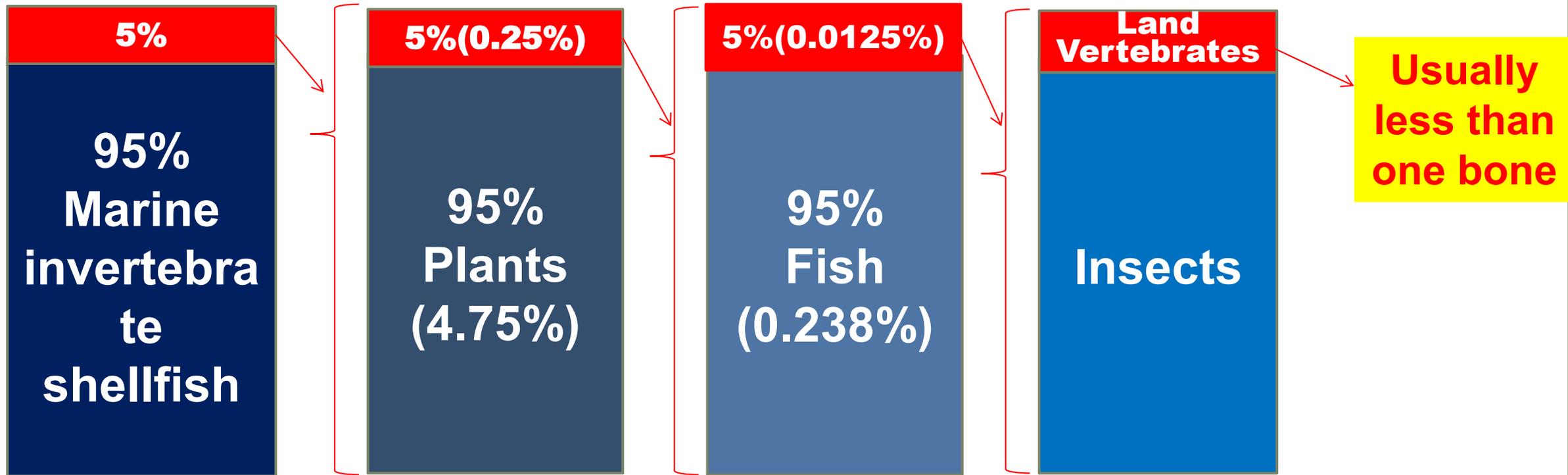
**Sauropod Petroglyph
Havasupai Canyon in Arizona**

How Could They Survive...?

Overall size: 140m x 23m x 14 m = 522 train container
240 sheep/container x 522 = 125,280 sheep/ total volume,
“Two of every kind of bird, ...animal ...creature that moves along the ground” (Gen.6:20) → Total species of animals ~ 17600 x (2 pair) ~
35,200 sheep → ~30% of total volume <http://www.creation.or.kr/library/print.asp?no=2542>



Why so Little left...?



**“Much less than 1% are land vertebrates.
Usually consist of less than one bone”**

**“And God said, “Let the land
produce living creatures
...the wild animals according
to their kinds, the livestock ...
all the creatures ...And God
saw that it was good”**

-Ge 1:24–25-