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1. Please briefly describe the 12/23 rule:

RSSs with 12bp spacers recombine only with those with 23bp spacers. This prevents V-V or D-D, etc rearrangements in VDJ recombination.

2. Please match each enzyme with the effect of its deficiency

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| I. Rag 1/2 | (a) | a. No B or T cells |
| II. Artemis | (a) | b. Normal B, T cell repertoire |
| III. TdT | (c) | c. Reduced BCR, TCR diversity |

3. Please fill in the table

Type of diversity in antigen receptor gene rearrangement	Most relevant enzyme, if applicable	Mechanism
1. Combinatorial	RAG1/2	VDJ recombination Multiple (κ and λ) light chains
2. Junctional	TdT	N nt (also P nt by other mechanism)

4. What are two mechanisms for dealing with autoreactive BCRs during development?

- a. Receptor editing**
- b. Clonal deletion**

5. Please describe the steps of MHC class I and class II antigen presentation

	MHC I	MHC II
Source of Peptides	Cytoplasmic	Extracellular
Where are peptides loaded into the MHC molecules?	ER	Lysosomes
What two molecules are most important in making this peptide loading possible (not MHC or B ₂ m, etc)?	Proteasome, TAP, tapasin	Invariant chain, HLA-DM
APCs with this type of MHC present to which group of T cells?	CD8+ T cells	CD4+ T cells

6. In an HLA-DM^{-/-} what peptide would be almost exclusively presented on the relevant MHC molecules?

CLIP PEPTIDE

7. Please name three functions of the complement cascade and the complement molecule(s) that mediate those functions

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| Function: Lysis of Pathogens | Molecule(s); MAC (C5b, C6, C7, C8, C9) |
| Function: Chemoattraction of phagocytes | Molecule(s): C5a, C3a |

Function: Opsonization to increase phagocytosis Molecule(s): C3b

8. What is the molecular defect that causes paroxysmal nocturnal hemoglobinuria?
deficiency in CD59 and DAF due to defect in GPI anchor formation