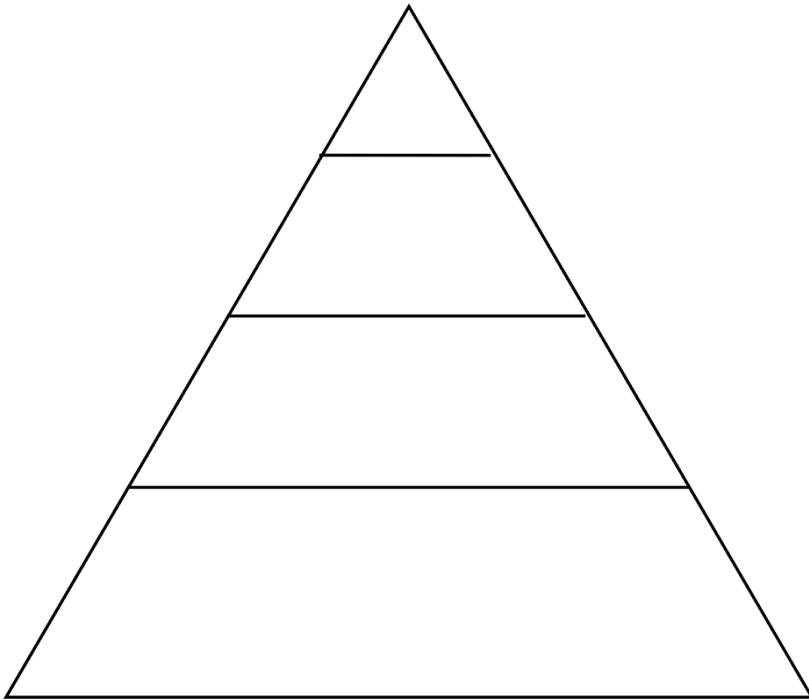


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Cut out the organisms you need from the following page to create 2 salt marsh food chains.
Label each organism as a producer, consumer, apex consumer, or decomposer.

Use the following organisms to fill in the food chain pyramid levels (periwinkle snails, river
otters, diatoms, diamondback terrapins, fiddler crabs and blue crabs) then answer the question.



Why do you think scientists draw illustrations showing how energy flows through a food chain
in the shape of a pyramid (triangle)?

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