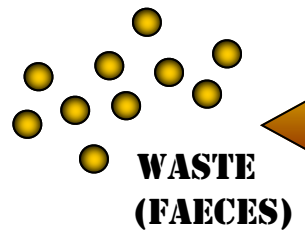


NO₃ is removed by regular water changes and consumed by plants and algae!



Nitrogen Cycle

Breaks down into AMMONIA NH₃

- Uneaten Food
- Decomposing Plant matter
- Dead Fish

AMMONIA NH₃ is broken down by **bacteria Nitrosomonas** into **NITRITE NO₂**

NITRITE NO₂ is broken down by **bacteria Nitrobacter** into **NITRATE NO₃**