Define stratigrahy: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Explain how it is used to date fossils:

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How is this done? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

List 3 kinds of radioactive isotopes in the circles below:

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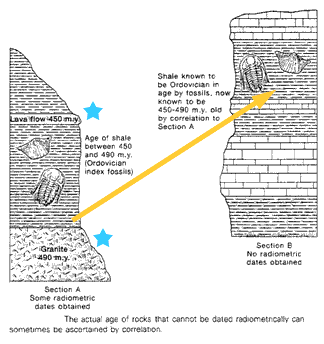
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**Indirect Dating: Direct Dating:**

**Kind of rock where fossils are often found:**

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_



A

B

**The oldest fossil found is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ BYA**

**Then came microorganisms, ancestral plants, invertebrates.**

**Fish \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ MYA**

**Amphibians \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_MYA**

**Dinosaurs \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ MYA**

**Mammals \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_MYA**

**Birds \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ MYA**

**Flowering plants \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ MYA**

**Lucy \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ MYA**

Which layer is oldest? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Which layer is most recent? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_