

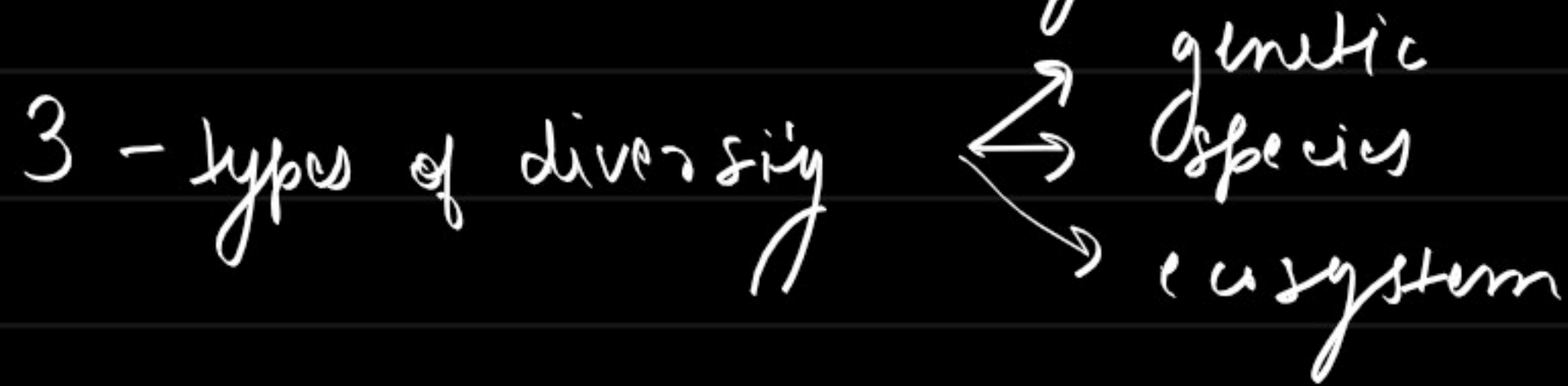
Biodiversity

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→ It is the variety & variability of life on Earth.

→ It is a measure of variation at genetic, species & ecosystem.

- variation {
- ① within species
 - ② b/w species
 - ③ b/w ecosystem



Threats to diversity:

- ① Habitat loss & destruction
- ② alteration in ecosystem
- ③ Exploitation of species
- ④ introduction of exotic species
- ⑤ pollution
- ⑥ climate change