

**31** Which combination of features is characteristic of a phloem sieve tube element immediately after it is loaded from a source?

	water potential of the phloem sieve tube element	lignification of the cell wall
<b>A</b>	higher than source	<b>not</b> present
<b>B</b>	higher than source	present
<b>C</b>	lower than source	<b>not</b> present
<b>D</b>	lower than source	present