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HUMAN PHYSIOLOGY

Introduction

working definition of physiology:

Physiology is the study of the *function* of organisms as integrated systems of molecules, cells, tissues, and organs, in health and disease.



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Medical
Physiology

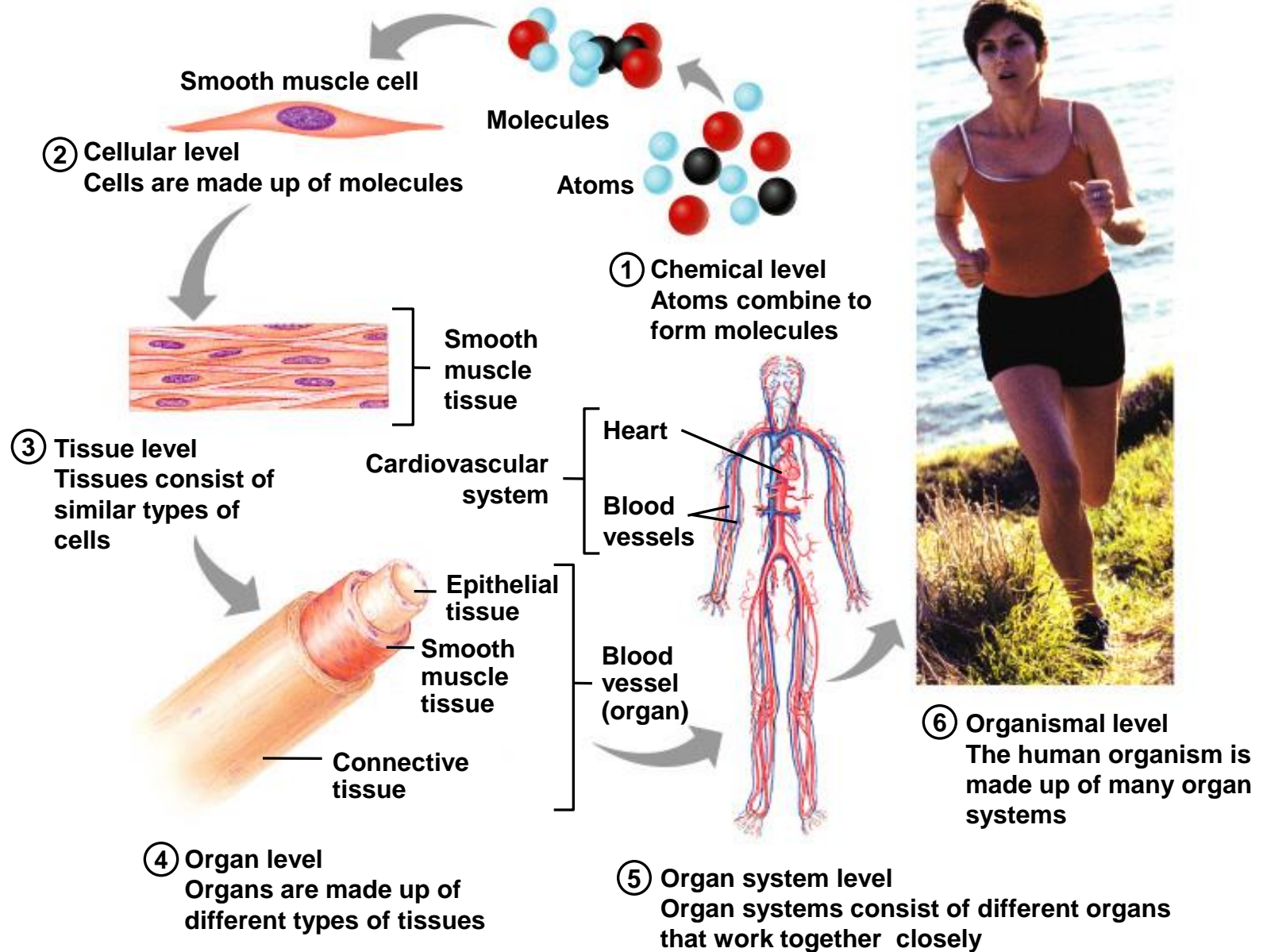
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GUYTON & HALL

- **Physiology is one of the cornerstones of medicine.**
- **Physiology is the study of how the body works, the ways in which cells, organs and the whole body functions, and how these functions are maintained in a changing environment.**
- ***Cellular* physiology is the study of the cellular components that primarily determines organ function.**
- ***Systems* physiology is the study of the coordinated and networked processes that determine whole body function and adaption to change.**

Levels of Structural Organization



Body Fluids & Electrolytes

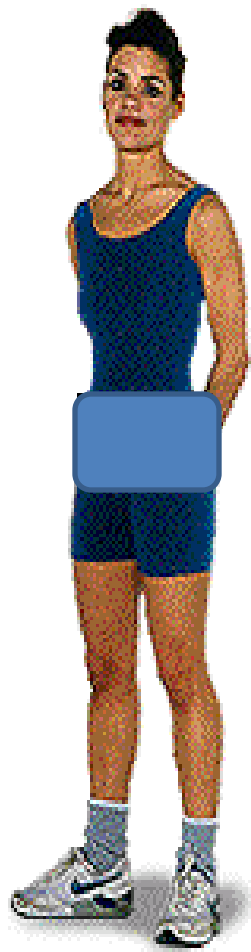
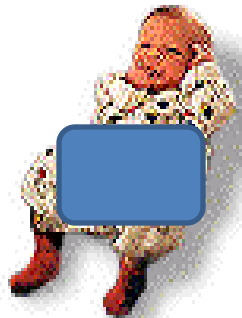
objectives

At the end of this session, the students should be able to:

- **Identify and describe daily intake and output of water and maintenance of water balance.**
- **List and describe of body fluid compartments as intra-cellular fluid (ICF) Extra-cellular fluid (ECF), interstitial fluid, trans-cellular fluid and total body water (TBW).**
- **Describe the composition of each fluid compartment, in terms of volume and ions and represent them in graphic forms.**
- **Physiology factor influencing body fluid: age, sex, adipose tissue, etc.
Pathological factors: Dehydration, fluid infusion.**

- Human body contain **50-70%** water.
- **E.g.**
 - **70 kg** man has **42 L** of water.
 - **(Kg of water = L of water)**

PERCENTAGE OF WATER IN THE BODY



FACTORS AFFECTING

Infant: **73%**

Male adult: **60%**

Female adult: **40-50%**

Obesity

Old age **45%**



Body Water Content

- **Infants** have **low body fat, low bone mass**, and are 73% or more water.
- Total water content declines throughout life.
- Healthy **males** are about **60% water**; healthy **females** are around **50%**
 - This difference reflects females':
 - Higher body fat
 - Smaller amount of skeletal muscle
- In **old age**, only about **45%** of body weight is water.

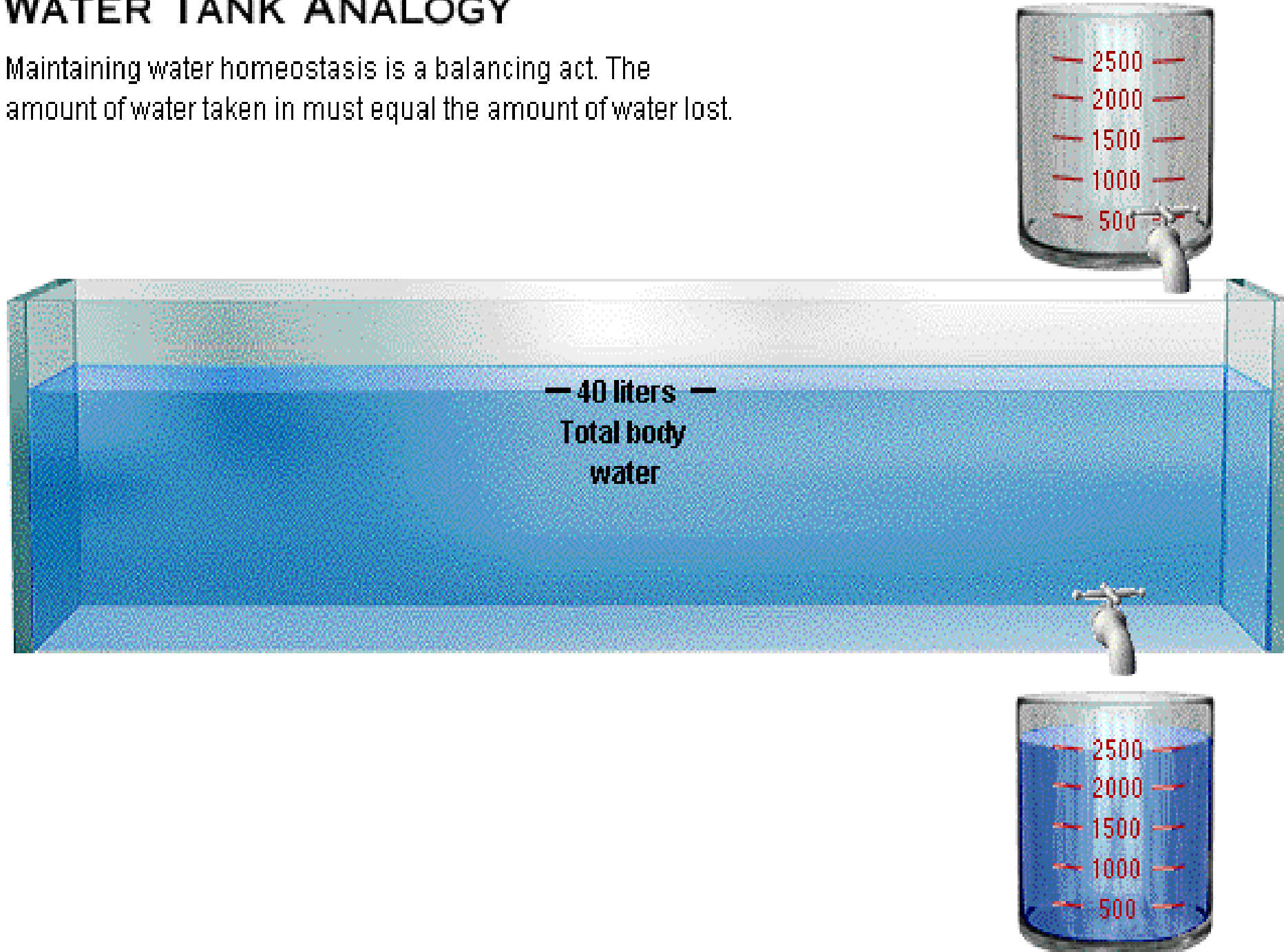
Daily intake of water

**TABLE 20-1 DAILY INTAKE AND OUTPUT OF WATER
(in ml/day)**

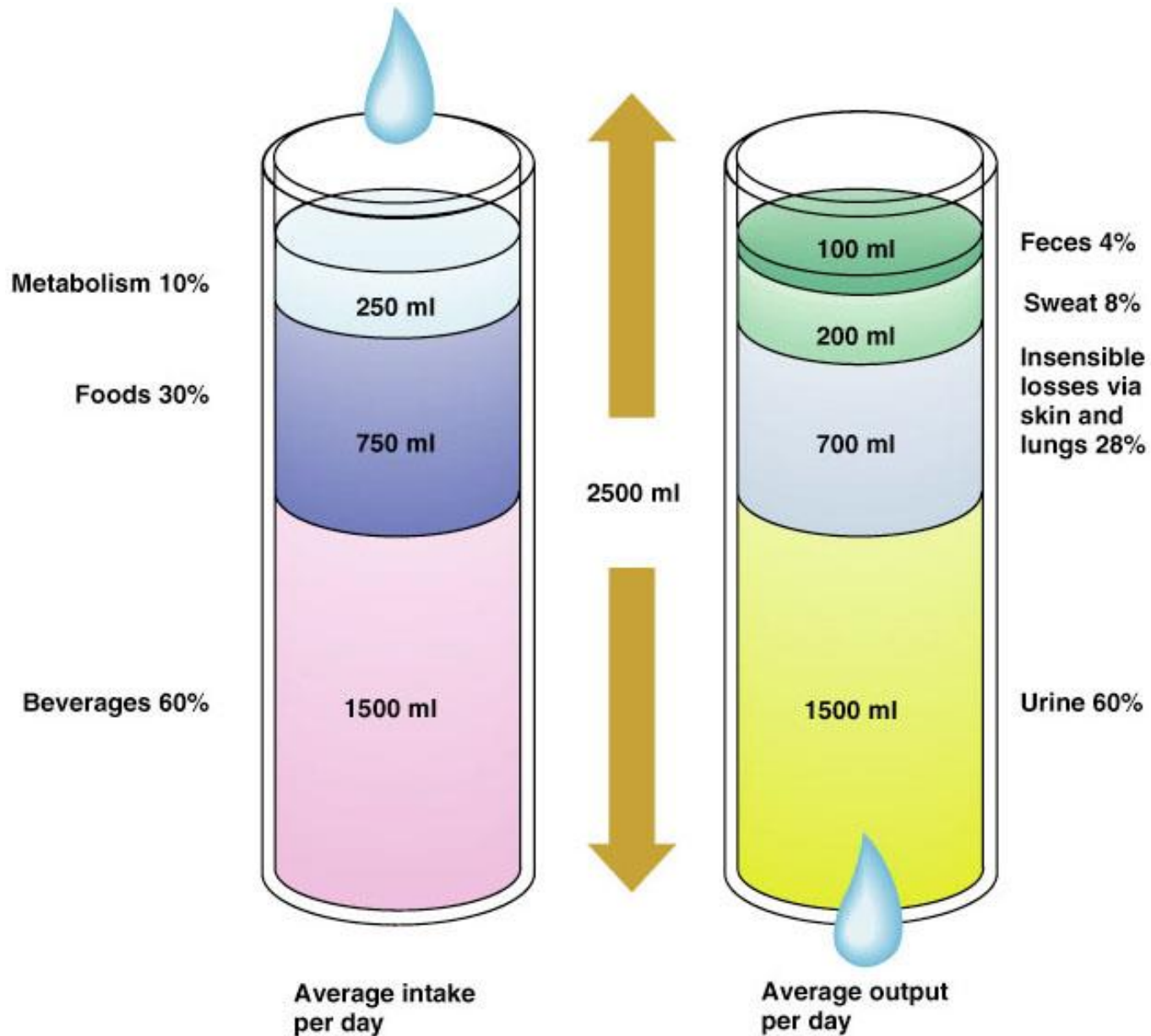
	Normal	Prolonged, Heavy Exercise
Intake		
Fluids ingested	2100	?
From metabolism	<u>200</u>	<u>200</u>
Total intake	2300	?
Output		
Insensible—Skin	350	350
Insensible—Lungs	350	650
Sweat	100	5000
Feces	100	100
Urine	<u>1400</u>	<u>500</u>
Total output	2300	6600

WATER TANK ANALOGY

Maintaining water homeostasis is a balancing act. The amount of water taken in must equal the amount of water lost.



Water Intake and Output



Regulation of Water Intake

Climate

Habits

Level of physical activity.

Regulation of Water Intake

- The hypothalamic **thirst center** is stimulated:



– By a decline in plasma **volume** of **10%–15%**



– By increases in plasma **osmolality** of **1–2%**

In steady state water intake = water loss

Factors that affect the TBW

Physiological factors:

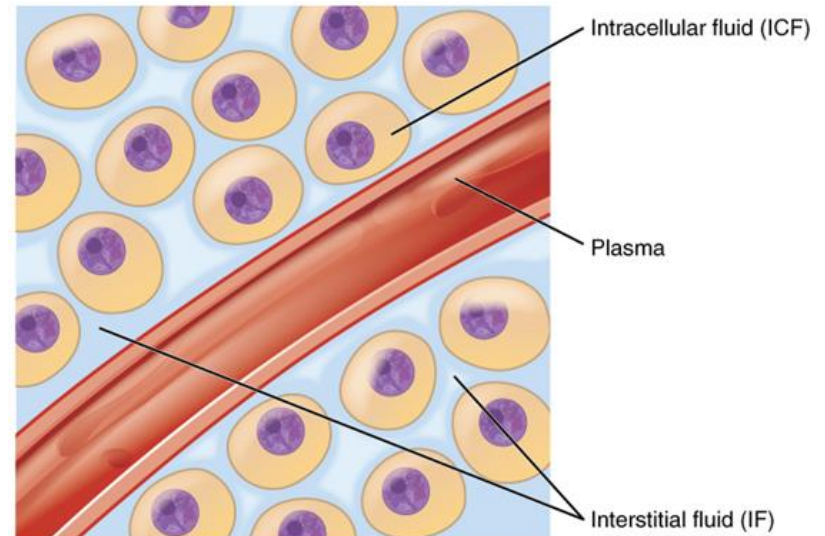
- Age
- Sex
- Body fat
- Climate
- Physical activity

Pathological factors:

- Vomiting
- Diarrhea
- Diseases with excessive loss of water (DM, excessive sweating,....
- Blood loss

Fluid Compartments

- Water occupies **two** main fluid compartments:
 - **Intracellular fluid (ICF)**
 - **Extracellular fluid (ECF)**
 - **Plasma**
 - **Interstitial fluid (IF)**



Fluid Compartments

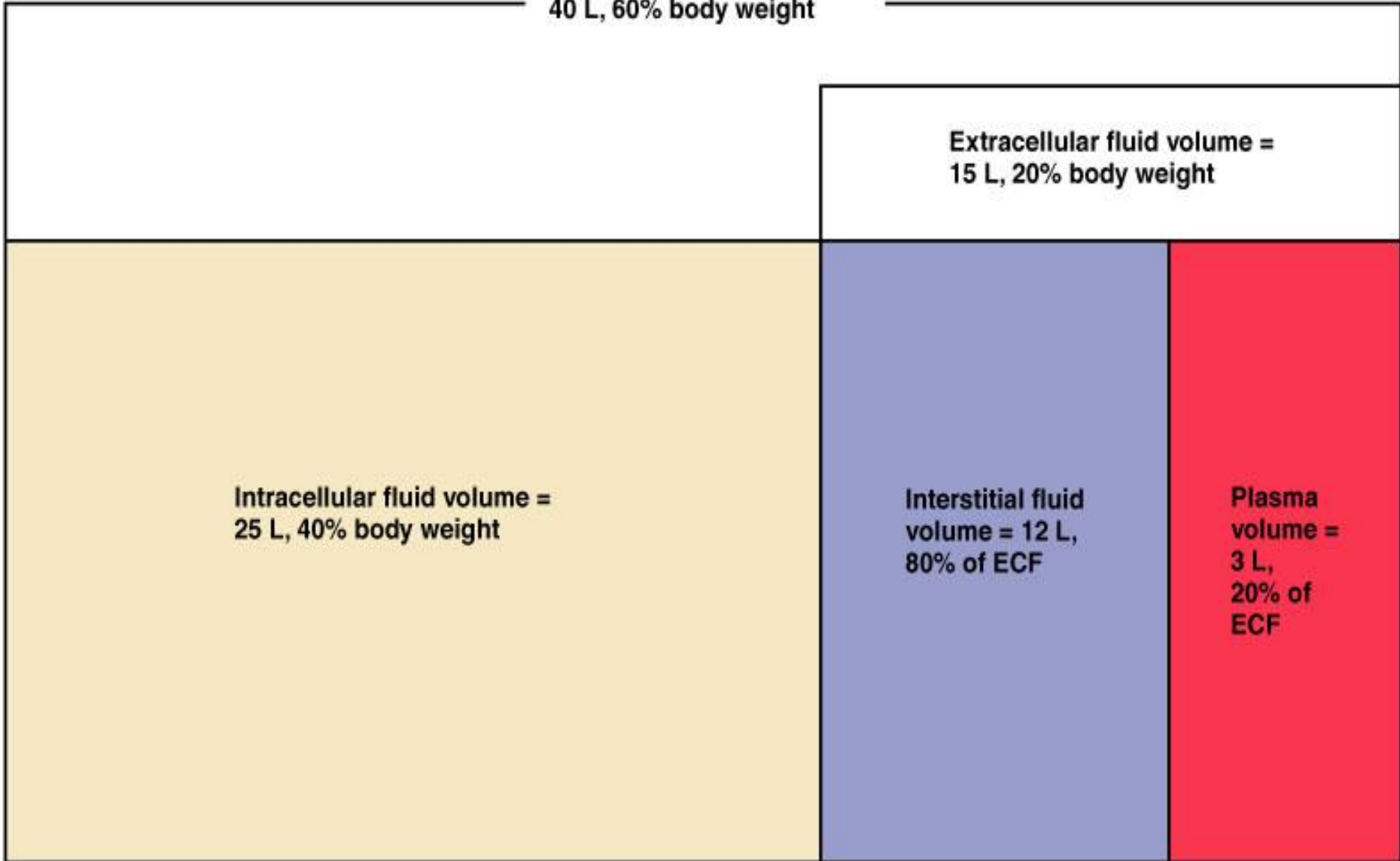
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FLUID COMPARTMENTS

EXTRA CELLULAR
FLUID

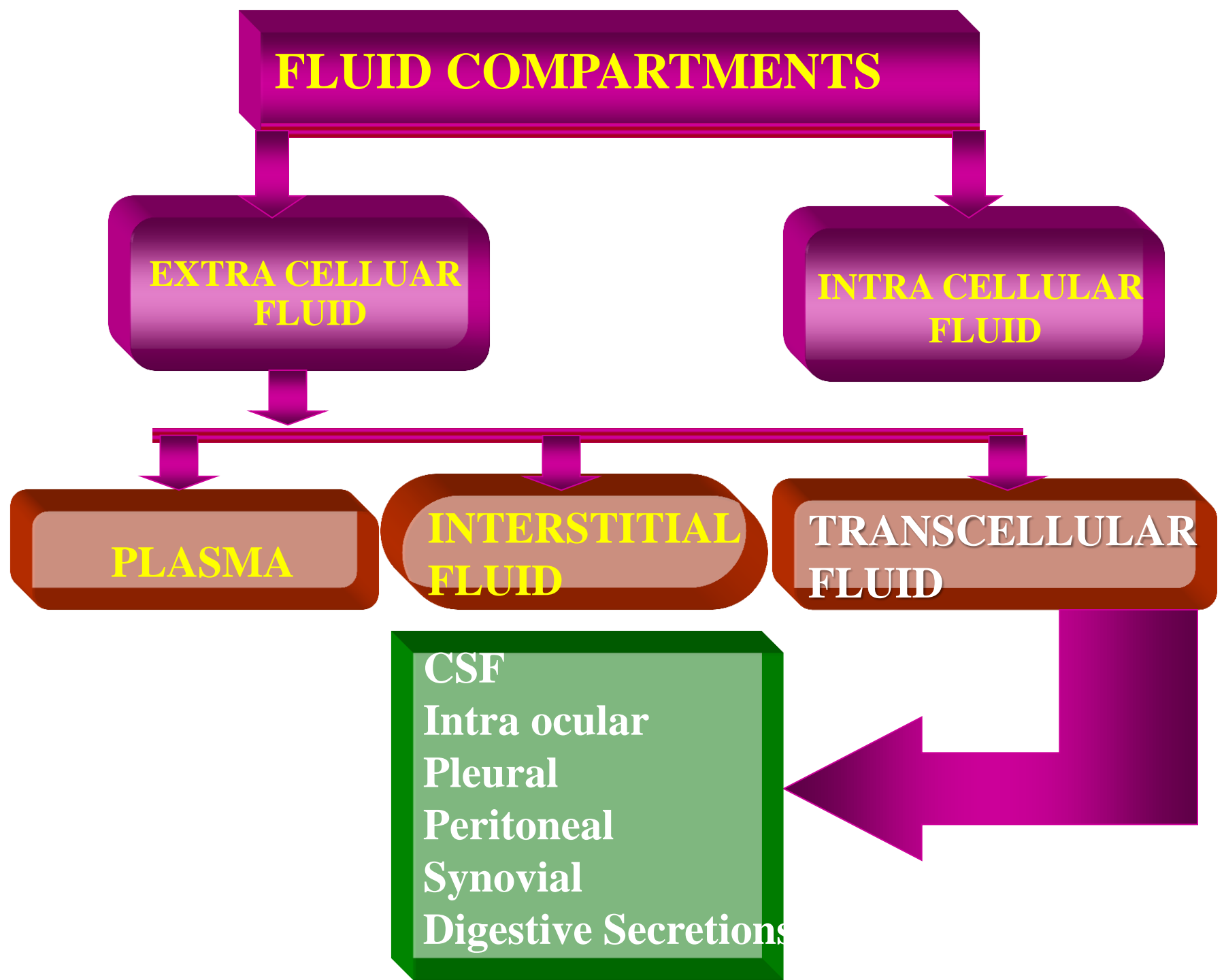
INTRA CELLULAR
FLUID

PLASMA

INTERSTITIAL
FLUID

TRANSCELLULAR
FLUID

CSF
Intra ocular
Pleural
Peritoneal
Synovial
Digestive Secretions



Intracellular fluid (ICF)

- Inside the cell.
- **2/3** of TBW.
- High concentration of protein.

Extracellular fluid (ECF)

- Out side the cell.
1/3 of TBW.

1- Plasma:

Fluid circulating in the blood vessels.
1/4 of ECF

2- Interstitial fluid:

Fluid bathing the cell.
Ultra filtration of plasma.
3/4 of ECF

- Plasma and interstitial fluid are almost having the **same composition** except for **high protein** concentration in **plasma**.

Trancecellular fluid compartment:

- **small amount.**

CSF, GIT fluid, biliary fluid, synovial fluid, intrapelural fluid, intraperitoneal fluid, intrapericardial fluid and intraocular fluid.

e.g.

- **TBW = 42L.**
- **ECF = 14L.**
- **ICF = 28L.**
- **Plasma = 3.5 L.**
- **Interstitial = 10.5 L.**

Composition of Body Fluids

- **Water** is the universal solvent.
- **Solutes** are broadly classified into:
 - **Electrolytes** – inorganic salts, all acids and bases, and some proteins
 - **Nonelectrolytes** – examples include glucose, lipids, creatinine, and urea
 - Amount = in **moles, osmoles.**

concentration

1- **Molarity** = moles/liter

(M/L)

2- **Osmolarity** = osmoles/liter

(osm/L)

3- **Osmolality** = osmoles/kg

(osm/kg)

In biological solutions:

- Millimoles per liter (mM/L)
- Milliosmoles per (mOsm/L)
- $1\text{mM} = 1/1000 \text{ M}$
- $1\text{mOsm} = 1/1000 \text{ Osm}$

Electrolyte Concentration

- Expressed in milliequivalents per liter (mEq/L), a measure of the number of electrical charges in one liter of solution.
- $\text{mEq/L} = (\text{concentration of ion in [mg/L]} / \text{the atomic weight of ion}) \times \text{number of electrical charges on one ion}$.
- For single charged ions, $1 \text{ mEq} = 1 \text{ mOsm}$
- For bivalent ions, $1 \text{ mEq} = 1/2 \text{ mOsm}$

Constituents of ECF and ICF

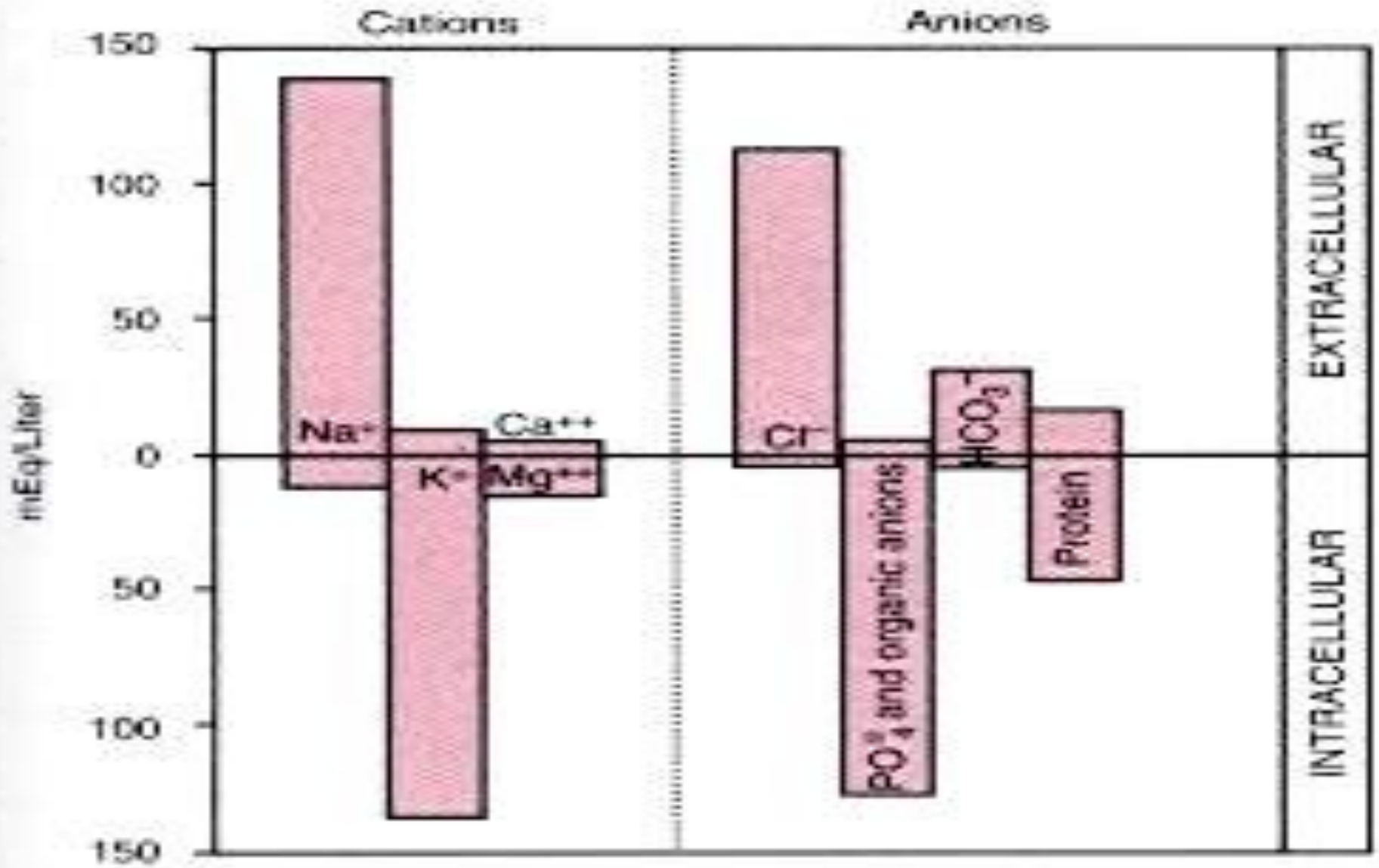


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Carnosine			14
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Adenosine triphosphate			5
Hexose monophosphate			3.7
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Extracellular and Intracellular Fluids

- Each fluid compartment of the body has a **distinctive pattern** of electrolytes.
- **Extracellular fluids** are similar (except for the high protein content of plasma)
 - **Sodium** is the chief **cation**
 - **Chloride** is the major **anion**

- **Intracellular fluid** has low sodium and chloride
 - **Potassium** is the chief **cation**
 - **Phosphate** is the chief **anion**
- Each compartment must have almost the same concentration of positive charge (cations) as of negative charge (anion).

(Electroneutrality)

	Extracellular fluid	Intracellular fluid
Na ⁺	142 mEq/L	10 mEq/L
K ⁺	4 mEq/L	140 mEq/L
Ca ⁺⁺	2.4 mEq/L	0.0001 mEq/L
Mg ⁺⁺	1.2 mEq/L	58 mEq/L
Cl ⁻	103 mEq/L	4 mEq/L
HCO ₃ ⁻	28 mEq/L	10 mEq/L
Phosphates	4 mEq/L	75 mEq/L
SO ₄ ⁻⁻	1 mEq/L	2 mEq/L
Glucose	90 mg/dl	0 to 20 mg/dl
Amino acids	30 mg/dl	200 mg/dl ?
Cholesterol	0.5 gm/dl	2 to 95 gm/dl
Phospholipids		
Neutral fat		
PO ₂	35 mm Hg	20 mm Hg ?
PCO ₂	46 mm Hg	50 mm Hg ?
pH	7.4	7.0
Proteins	2 gm/dl (5 mEq/L)	16 gm/dl (40 mEq/L)

- **Hypokalemia:** decrease in K concentration in the ECF.

1-2 mEq/L

- **Hyperkalemia:** increase in K 60-100% above normal.

Hypernatremia:

increase in Na concentration in ECF.

Hyponatremia:

decrease in Na concentration in the ECF.

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Lecture 3

Homeostasis

Fluid Compartments

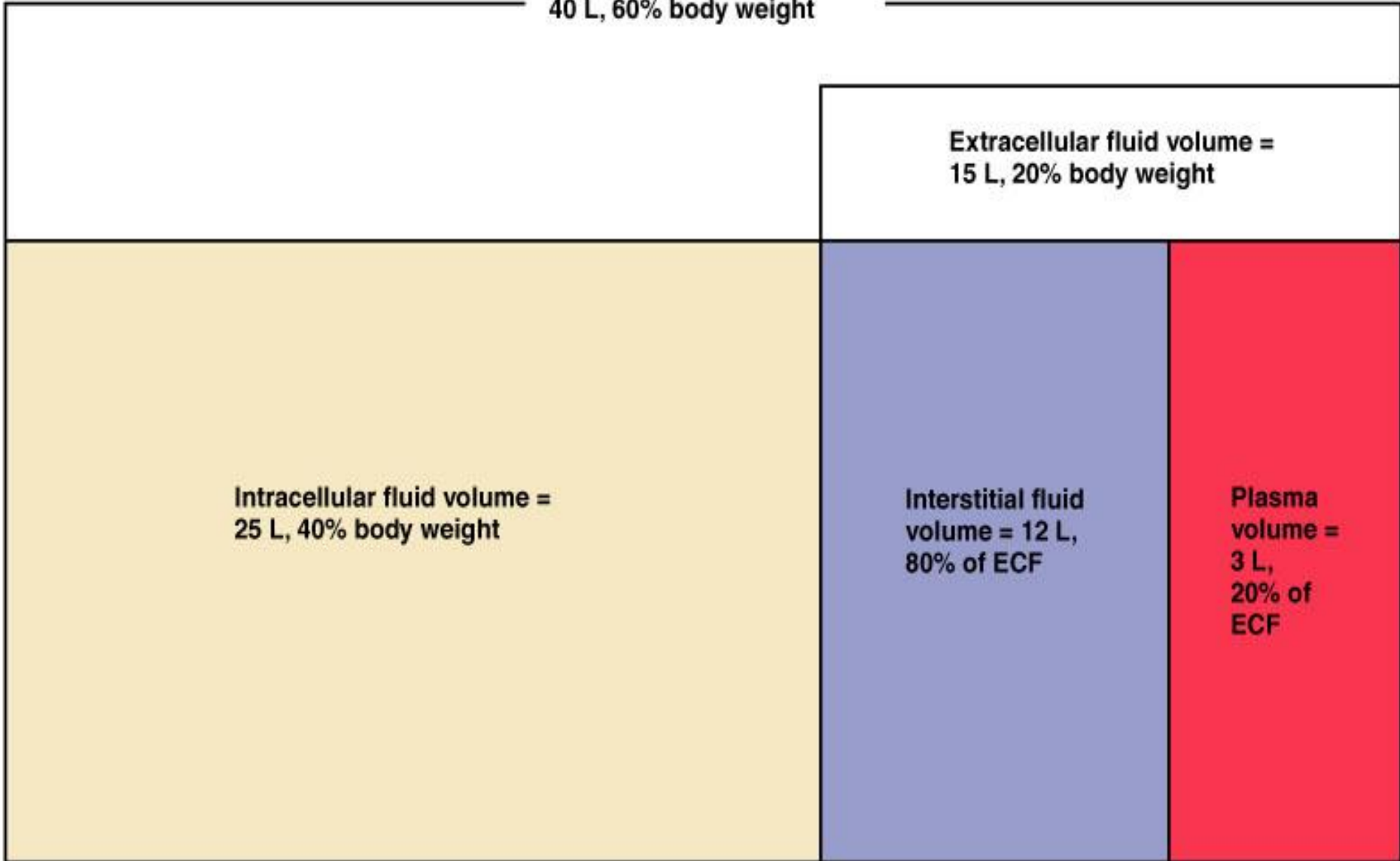
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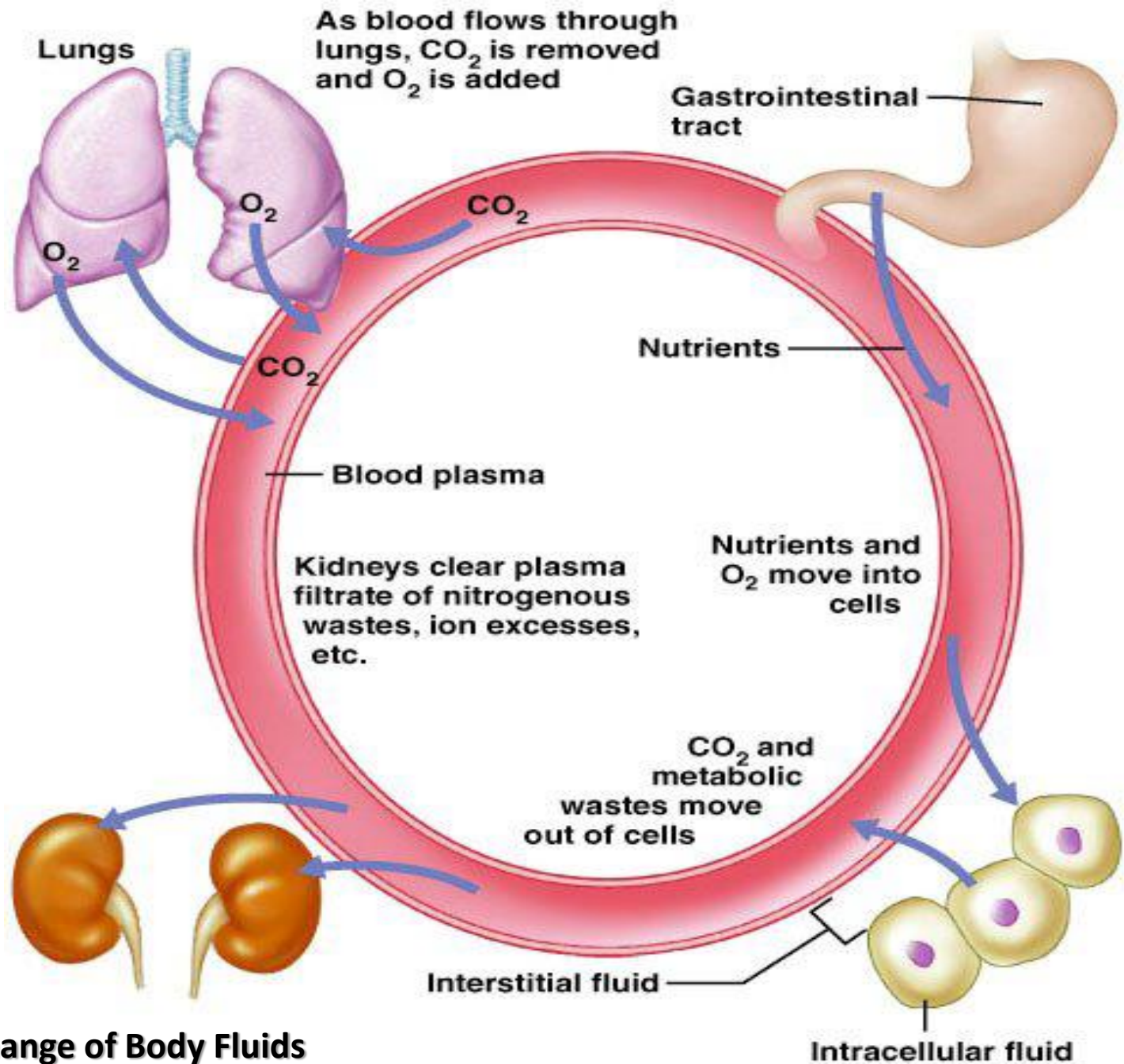
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Extracellular and Intracellular Fluids

- Ion fluxes are restricted and move selectively by active transport.
- Nutrients, respiratory gases, and wastes move Unidirectionally.
- Plasma is the only fluid that circulates throughout the body and links external and internal Environments
- Osmolalities of all body fluids are equal; changes in solute concentrations are quickly followed by osmotic changes



Continuous exchange of Body Fluids

Mechanisms for Movement

- **3 general mechanisms:**
 - 1. simple diffusion (passive)**
 - 2. Facilitated transport (passive)**
 - 3. Active transport**

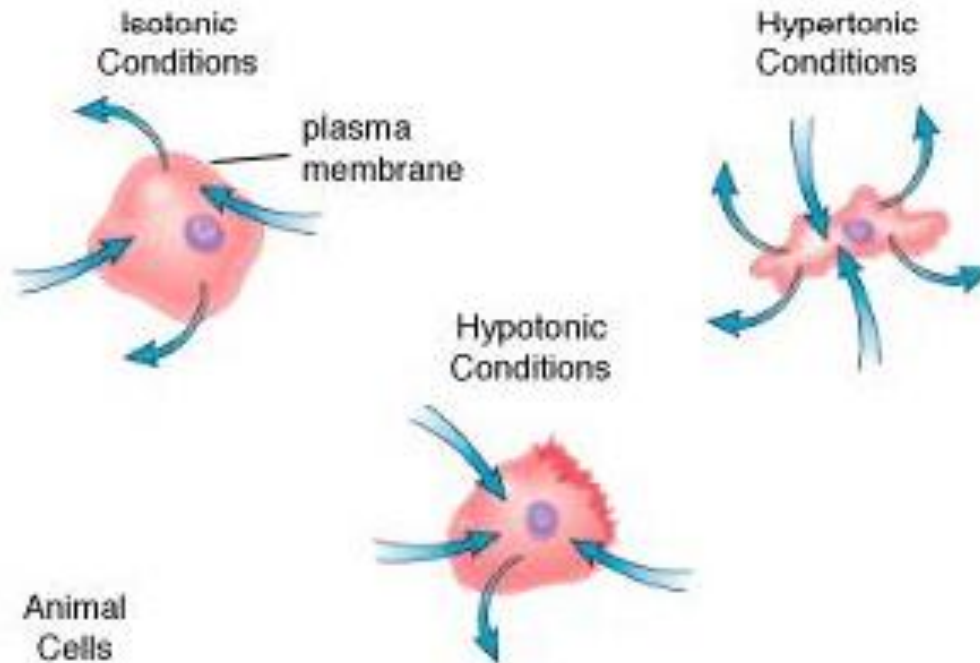
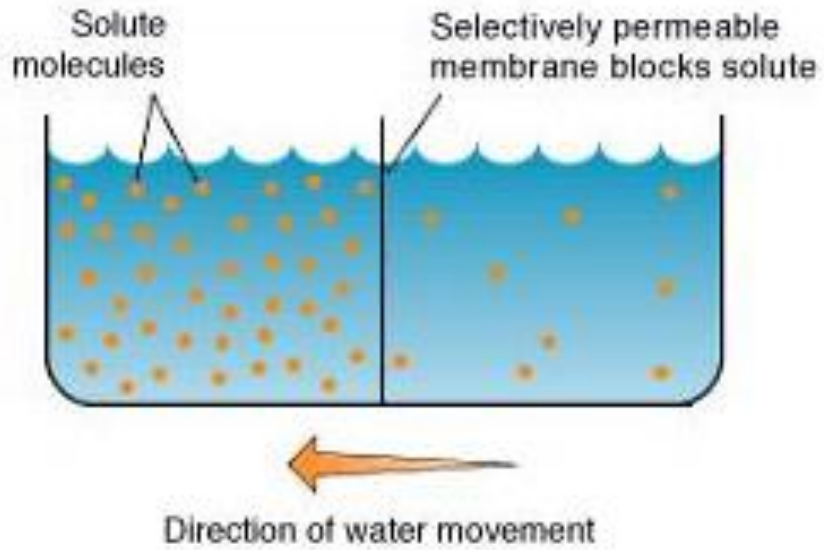
osmosis

- Net diffusion of water from a region of **high water** concentration to region of **low water** concentration.

Osmotic equilibrium is maintained between intracellular and extracellular fluids:

- **Small** changes in concentration of **solutes** in the extracellular fluid can cause **tremendous** change in cell volume.
- Intracellular **osmolarity** = extracellular **osmolarity** .
- ≈ 300 mosm/L

Osmosis

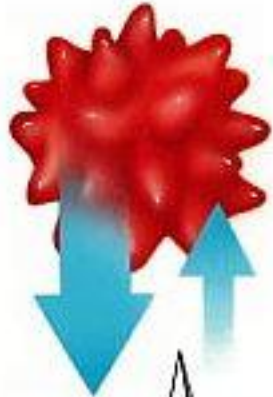


Osmosis

Shriveled RBCs

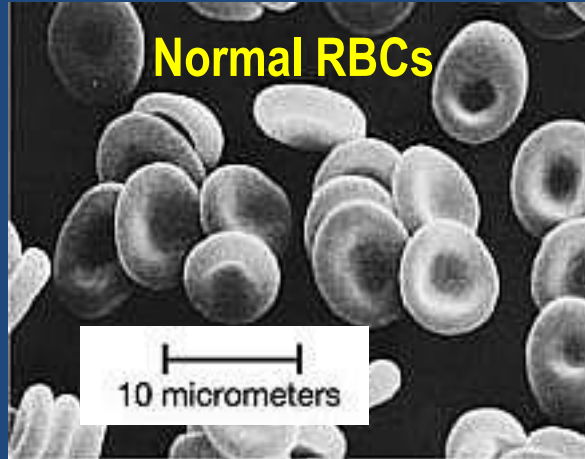


Hypertonic Solution

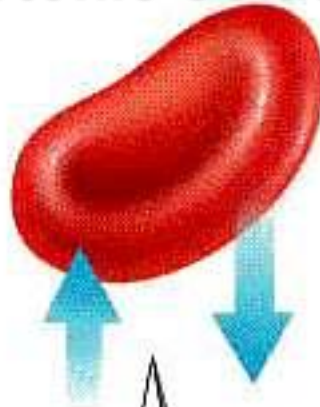


Net movement of water out of cells

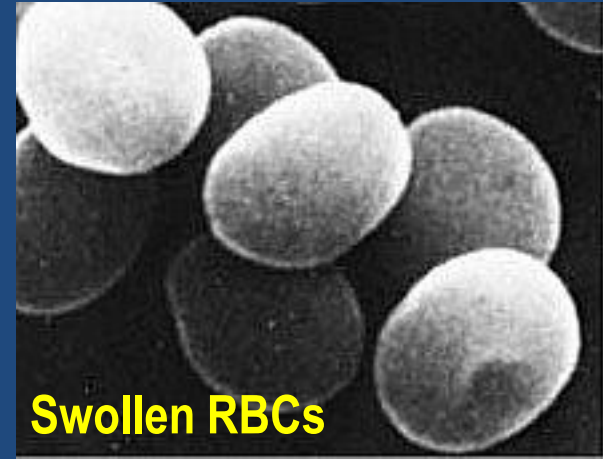
Normal RBCs



Isotonic Solution



Equal movement of water into and out of cells



Swollen RBCs

Hypotonic Solution



Net movement of water into cells

Osmosis

- If environment is:

- Hypertonic:

- MORE SOLUTES outside cell
- MORE WATER IN CELL
- over time, cell loses water

- Isotonic:

- same
- No change in cell volume

- Hypotonic:

- LESS SOLUTES outside cell
- LESS WATER IN CELL, more solutes in cell.
- over time, cell gains water

❖ Isotonic solution :

- (not swell or shrink)
- 0.9% solution of sodium chloride or 5% glucose .
- same in and out .

❖ Hypotonic solution :

- (swelling) ↓ 0.9%
- in is higher than out .

❖ Hypertonic solution :

- (shrink) ↑ 0.9%
- out is higher than in

Glucose and other solutions administered for nutritive purposes

- **People who can not take adequate amount of food.**
- **Slowly.**
- **Prepared in isotonic solution.**

Homeostasis

- Homeostasis is the ability to maintain a **relatively stable internal environment** in an ever-changing outside world
- The internal environment of the body (**ECF**) is in a **dynamic state of equilibrium**
- All different body systems operate in **harmony** to provide **homeostasis**

Homeostatic Control Mechanisms

- The **variable** produces a **change in the body**
- The three interdependent components of control mechanisms are:
 - **Receptor** – monitors the environments and responds to changes (stimuli)
 - **Control center** – determines the set point at which the variable is maintained
 - **Effector** – provides the means to respond to the stimulus

Regulation of body functions

1. Nervous system

- sensory input.
- central nervous system.
- motor out put.

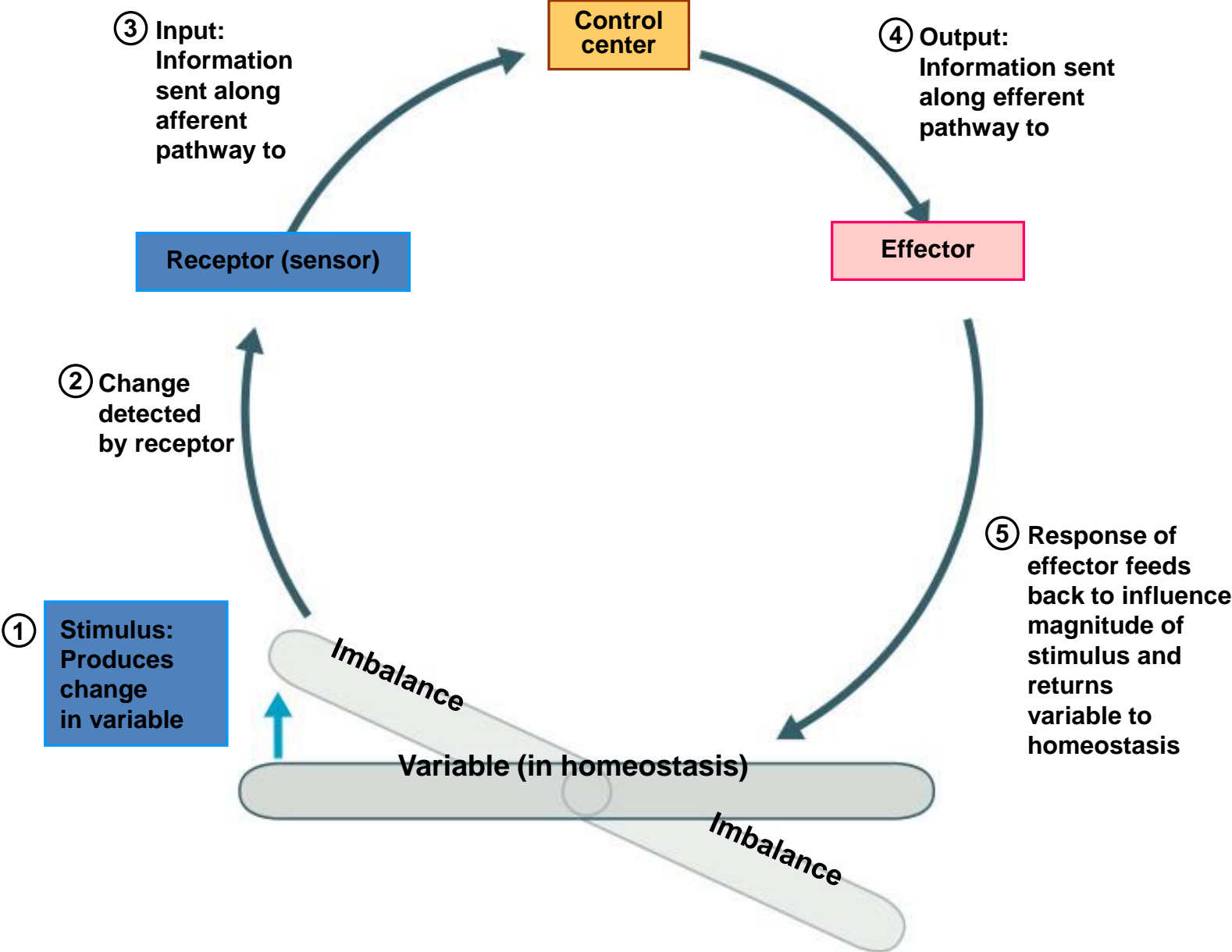
2. Hormonal system of regulation.

- Endocrine gland.

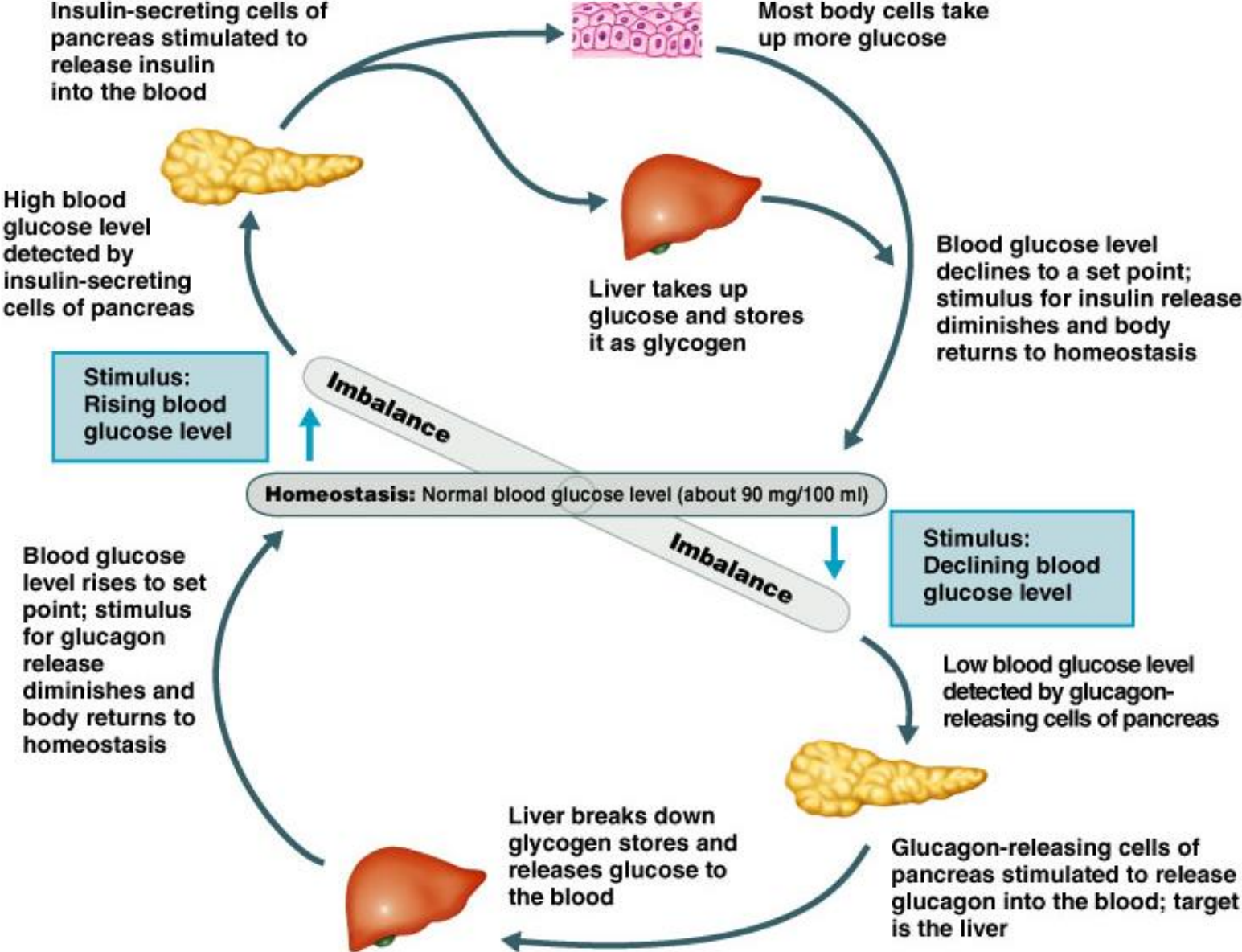
Pancreas, thyroid

e.g. : insulin control glucose level.

Homeostatic Control Mechanisms



Feedback

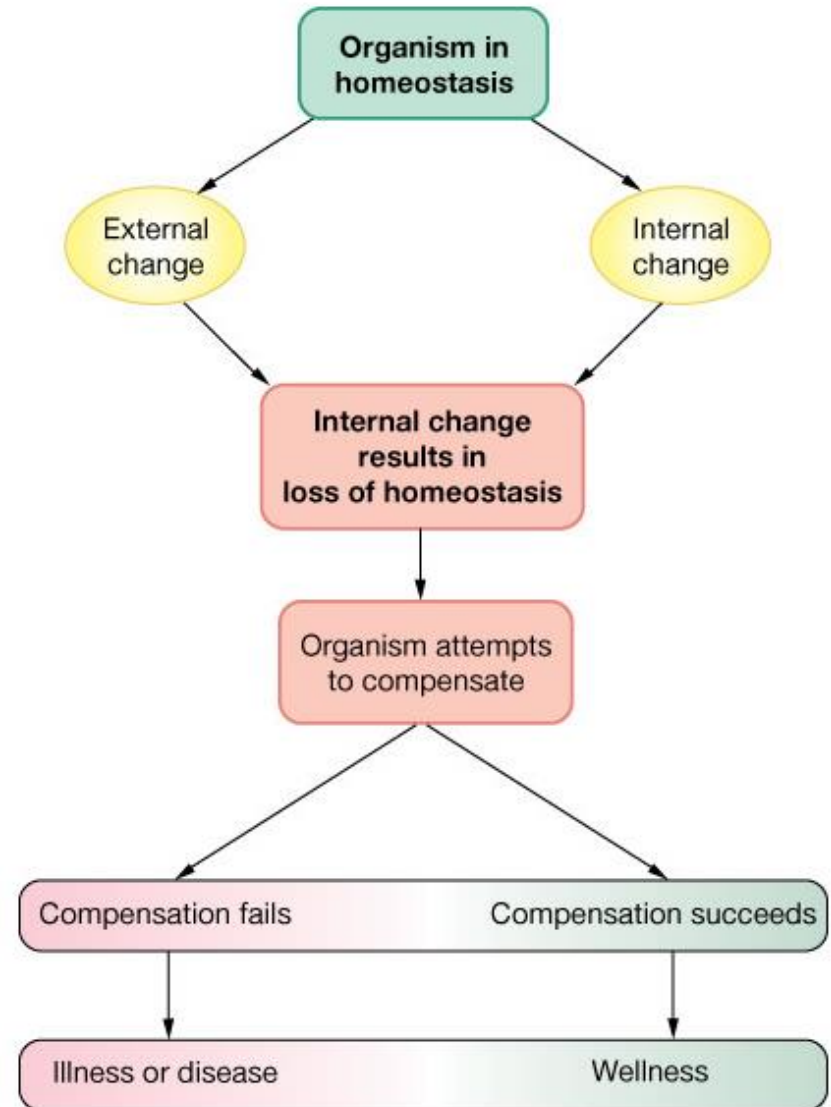


Homeostatic Imbalance

- **Disturbance** of homeostasis or the body's normal equilibrium.

Homeostasis & Controls

- **Successful compensation**
 - Homeostasis reestablished
- **Failure to compensate**
 - Pathophysiology
 - Illness
 - Death



Lecture 4

Changes in The Body Fluid Compartments (ECF & ICF) and Edema

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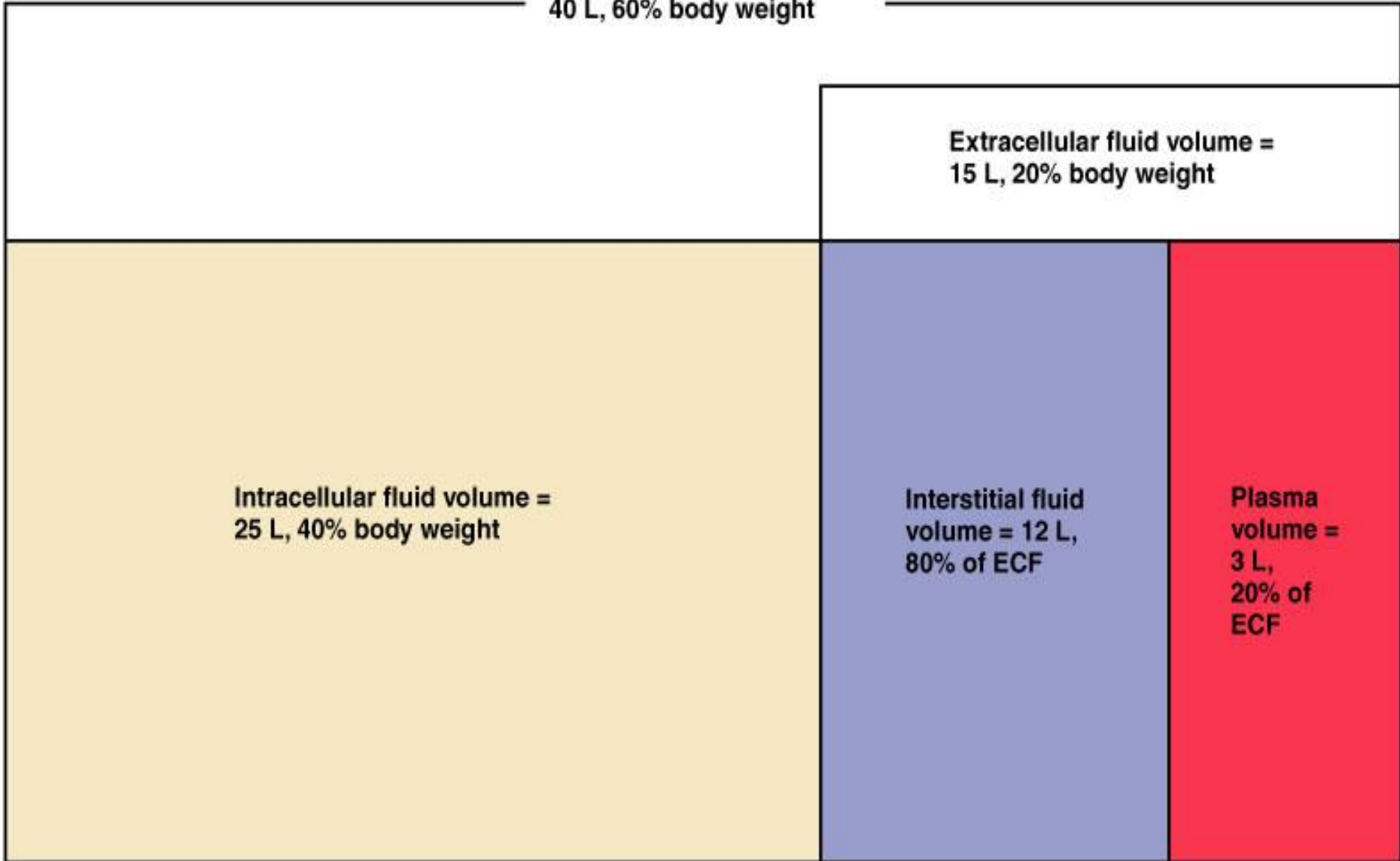
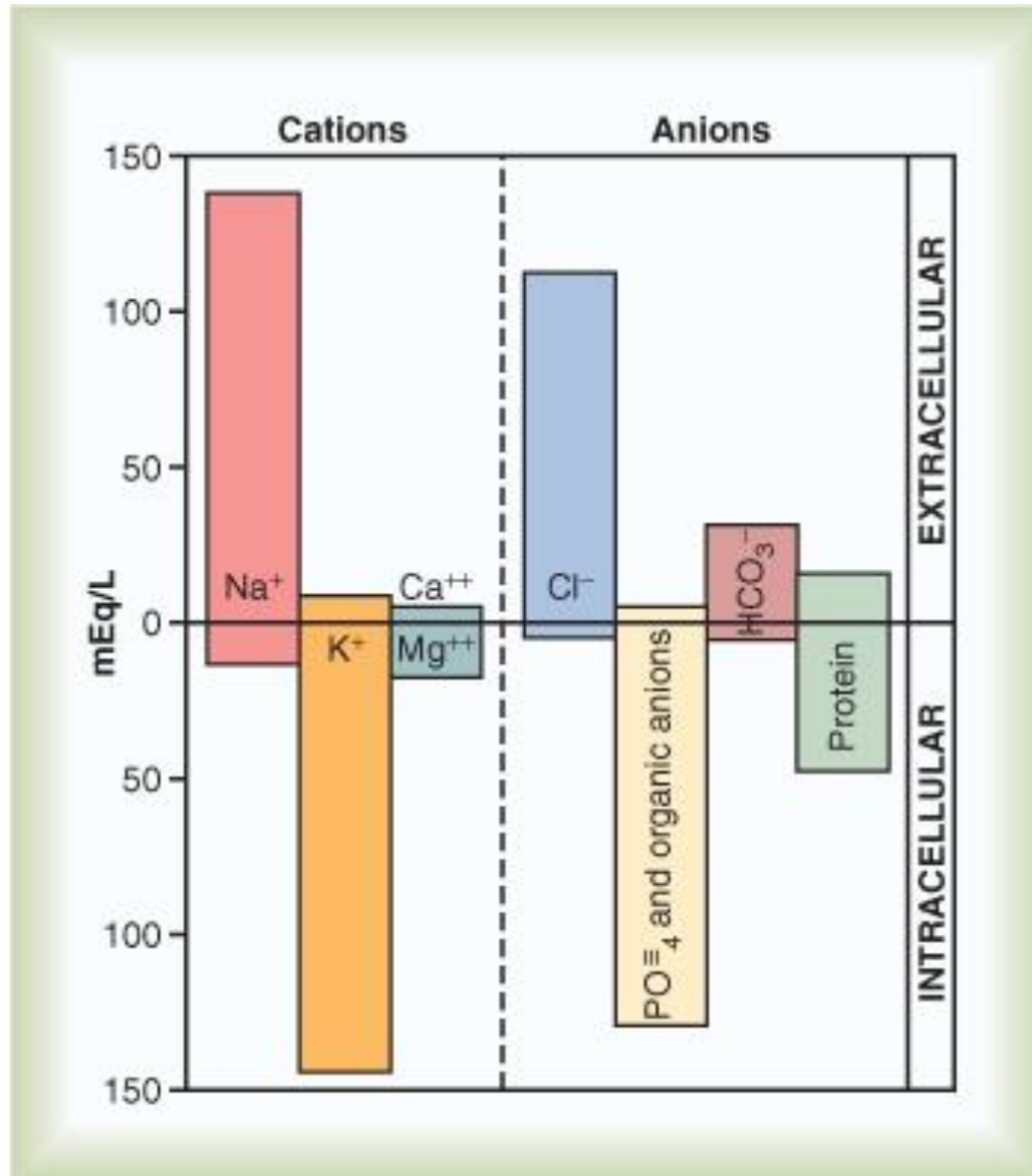


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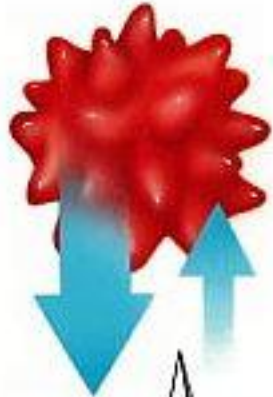


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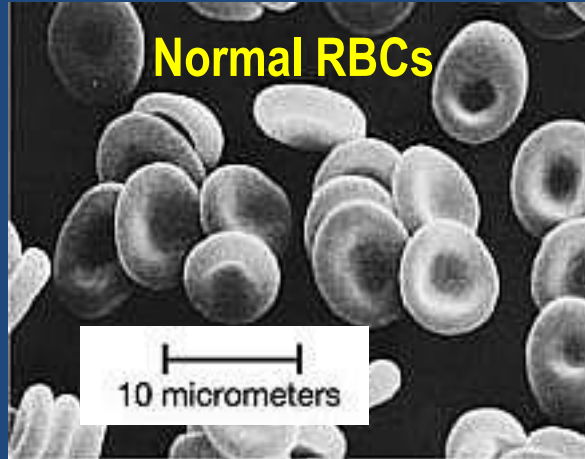


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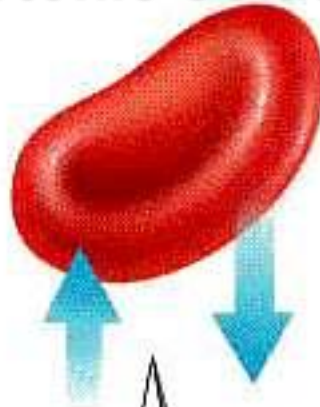


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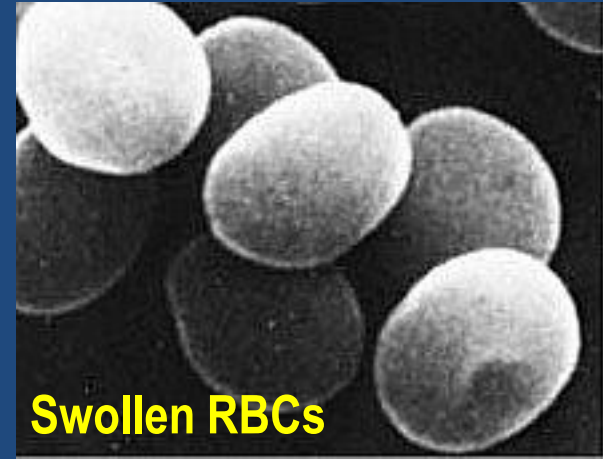
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Volumes And Osmolarities of ECF and ICF In Abnormal States.

- **Some factors can cause the change:**
 - dehydration
 - intravenous infusion (IV)
 - abnormal sweating.
 - etc..

- **Changes in volume :**

- 1. Volume contraction.**

- 2. Volume expansion.**

Changes in volume

Volume contraction

removing

- 1- ***isotonic*** solution.
- 2- ***hypertonic*** solution.
- 3- ***hypotonic*** solution.

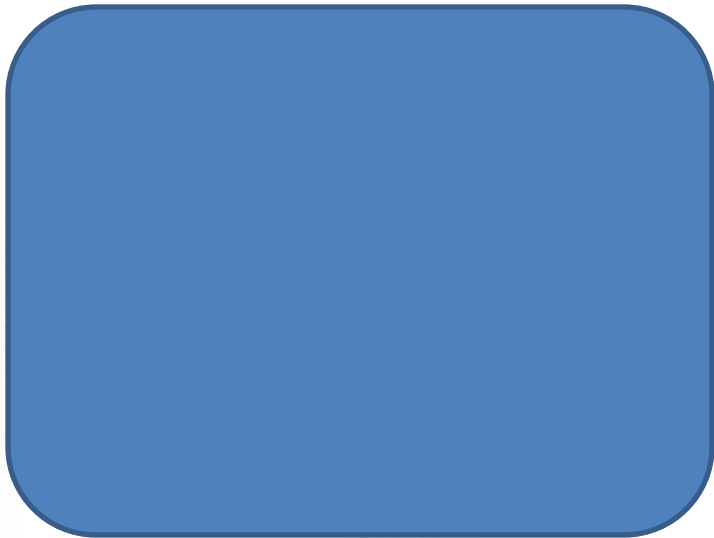
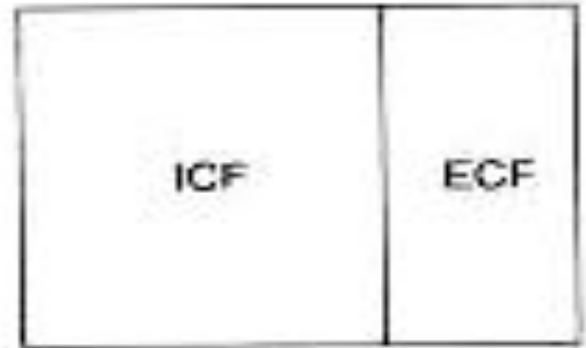
Volume expansion

Adding

- 1- ***isotonic*** solution.
- 2- ***hypertonic*** solution.
- 3- ***hypotonic*** solution.

**1- Loss of iso-osmotic fluid
e.g. Diarrhea**

NORMAL STATE



Volume contraction:

1. Diarrhea.

- osmolarity of fluid lost \approx osmolarity of ECF

(loss of isosmotic fluid).

-  volume in ECF.



-  arterial pressure.

2. Loss of hypotonic solution e.g. Water deprivation

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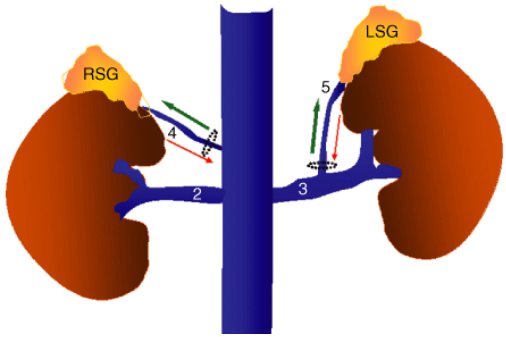


2. Water deprivation :

- Osmolarity and volume will change .
-  Osmolarity in both ECF and ICF.
-  Volume in both ECF and ICF.

3- Loss of hypertonic sol. e.g. Adrenal insufficiency

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3. Loss of hypertonic solution

e.g. Adrenal insufficiency:

i.e. Aldosterone deficiency.

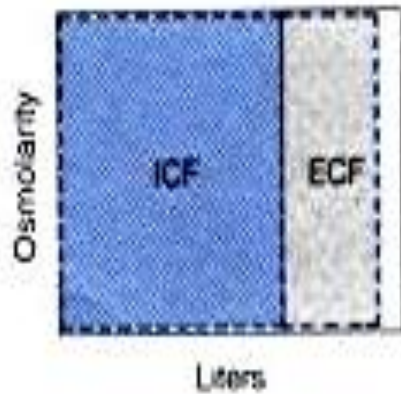
- ↓- Na⁺ in the ECF.**
- ↓- osmolarity in both .**
- ↓- in ECF volume.**
- ↑- in ICF volume.**

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VOLUME CONTRACTION

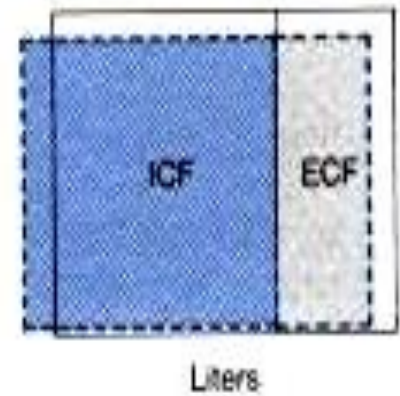
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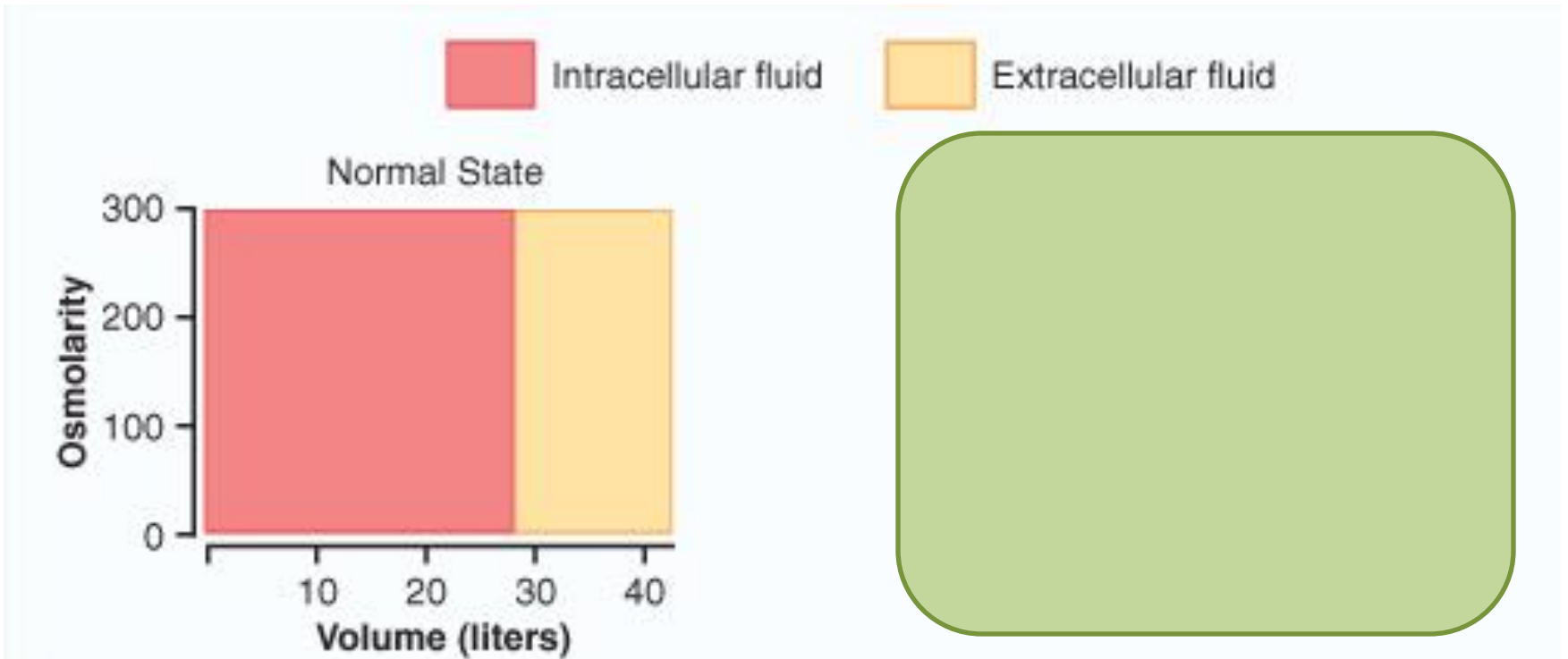
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Adrenal insufficiency



Volume Expansion



1. Adding of isotonic NaCl.

Volume Expansion

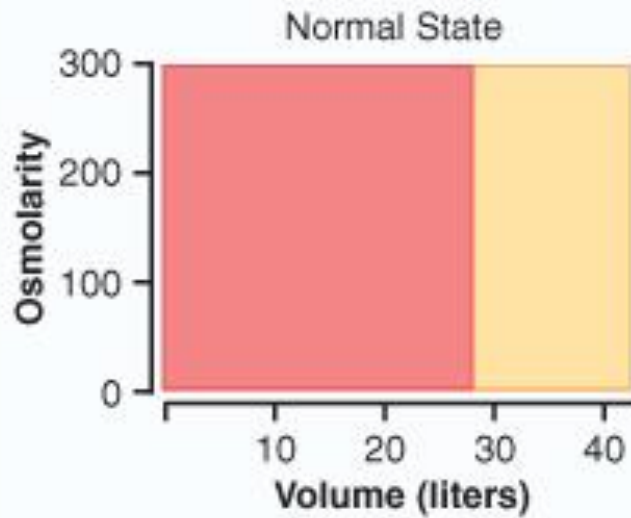
1. Infusion of isotonic NaCl.

↑ - in ECF volume.

- No change in osmolarity.

- *Isotonic expansion* .

Intracellular fluid Extracellular fluid



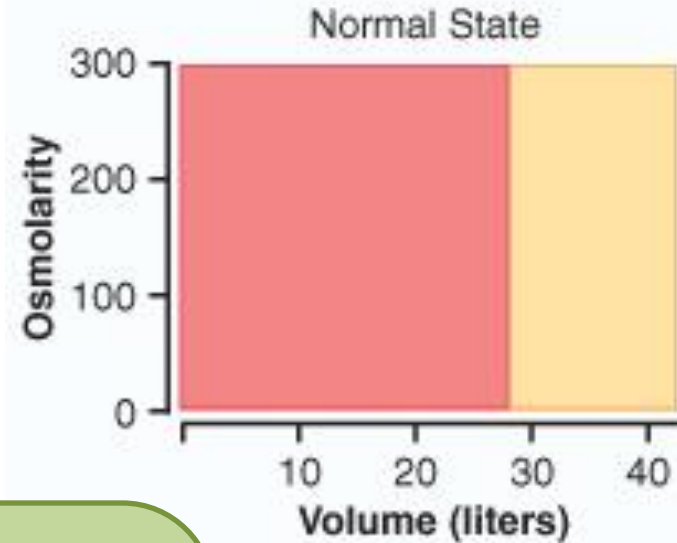
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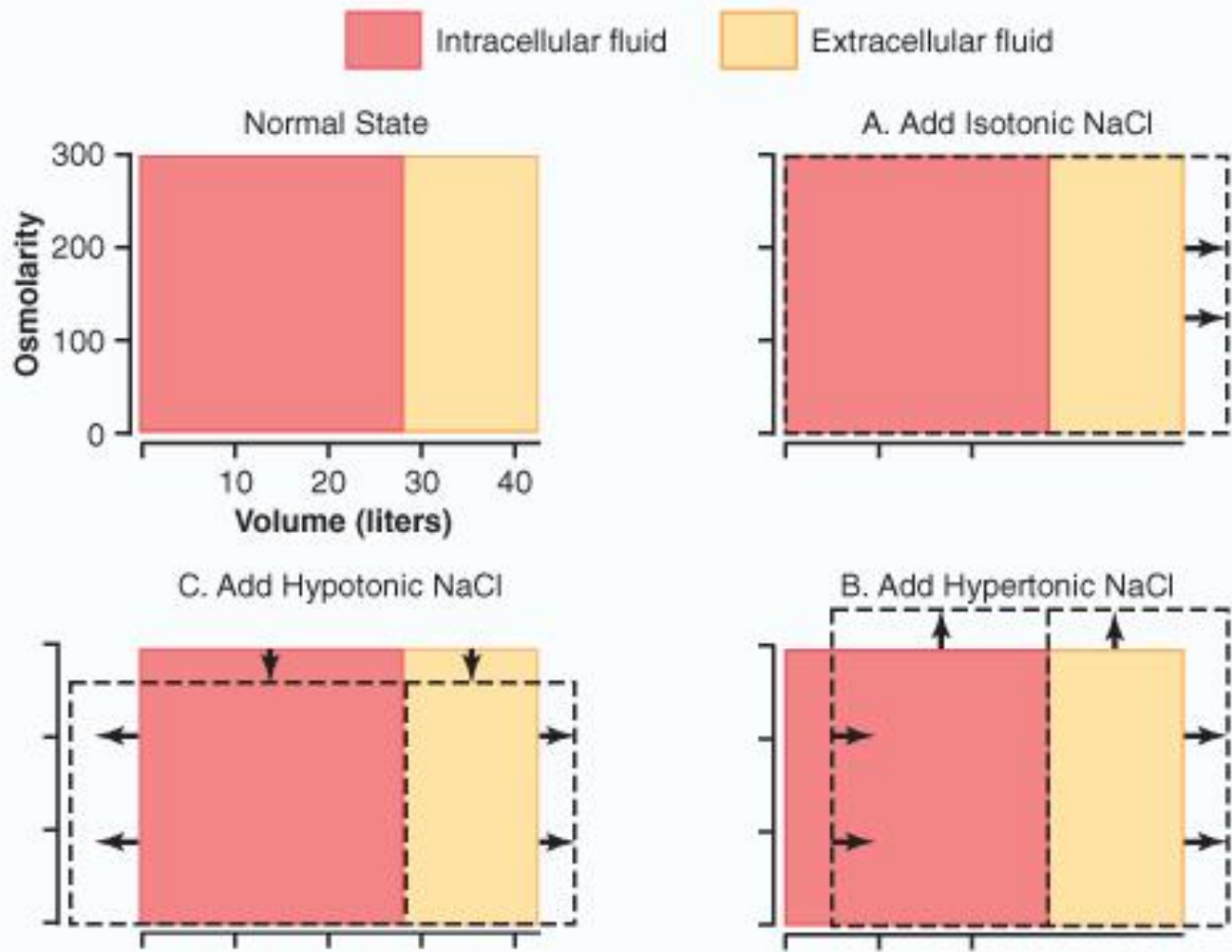
2. High NaCl intake.

- ↑ eating salt.
- ↑ osmolarity in both.
- ↓ volume of ICF .
- ↑ volume of ECF .
- ***hyperosmotic volume expansion.***

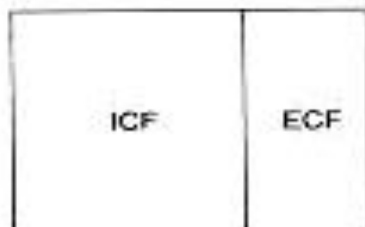
3- Adding hypotonic solution e.g. Syndrome of inappropriate antidiuretic hormone (SIADH)

- ↑ volume
- ↓ osmolarity



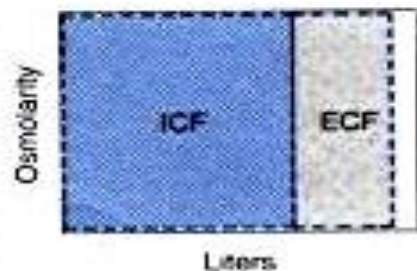


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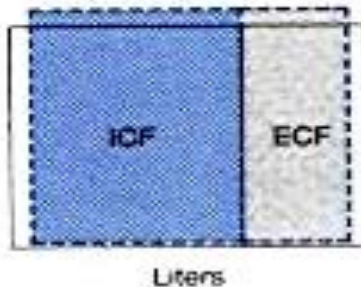


VOLUME CONTRACTION

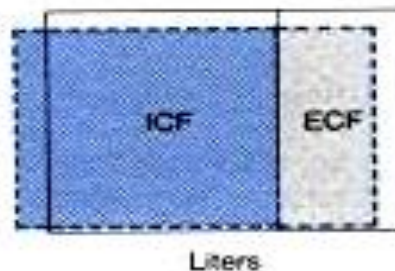
Diarrhea



Water deprivation

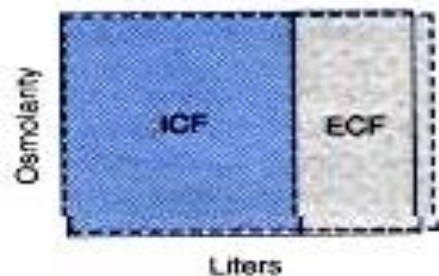


Adrenal insufficiency

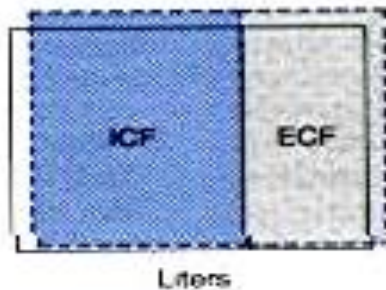


VOLUME EXPANSION

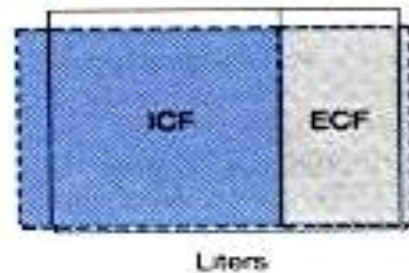
Infusion of isotonic NaCl



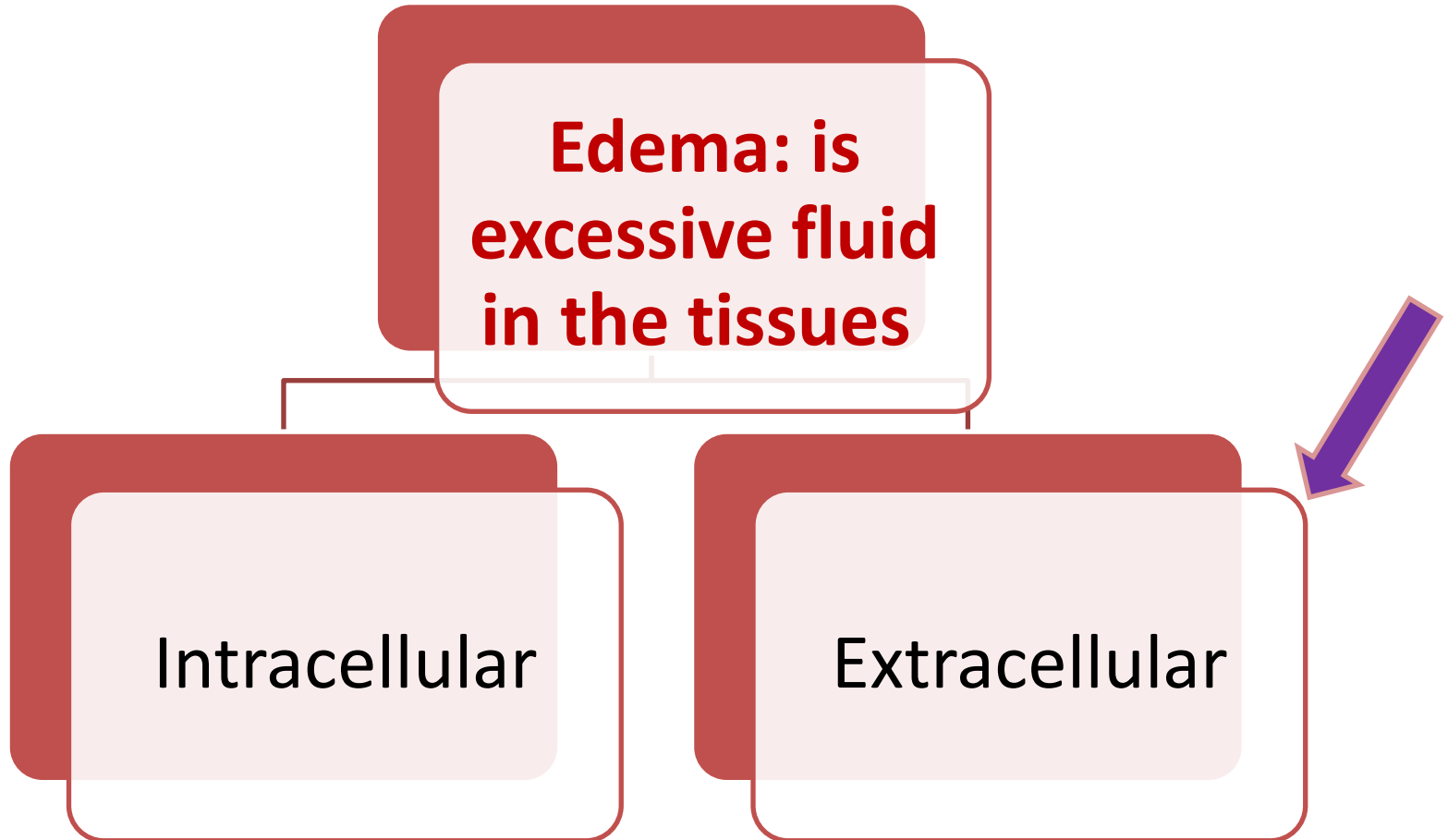
High NaCl intake



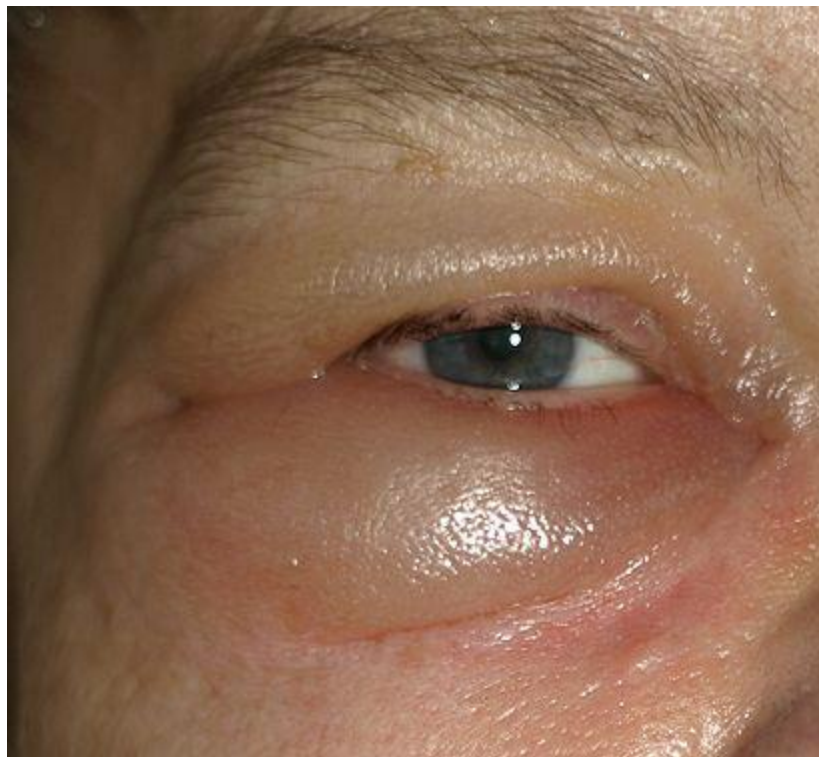
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Edema

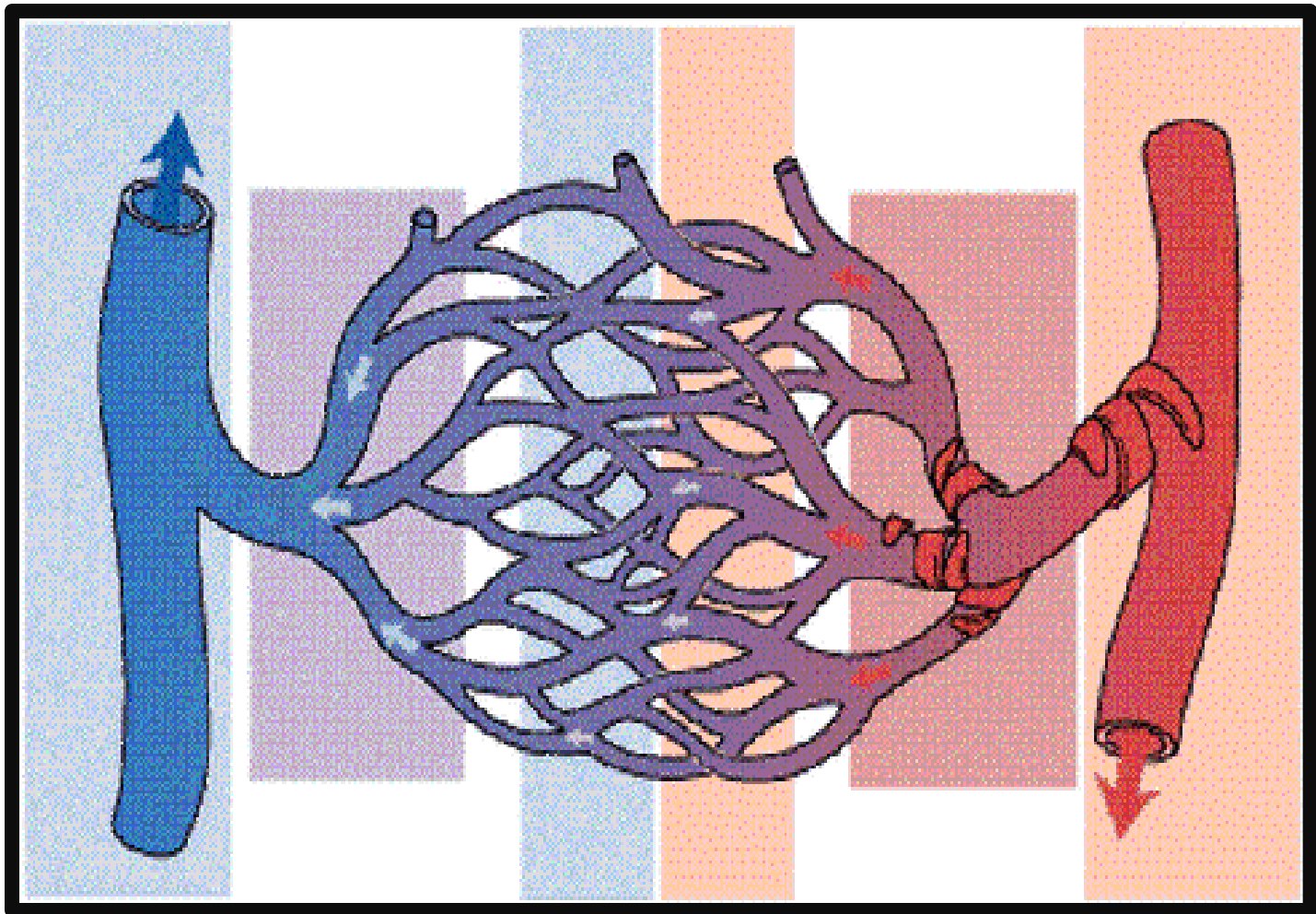


- **Edema occurs mainly in the ECF compartment**



Extracellular Edema

common clinical cause is excessive capillary fluid filtration.



Intracellular Edema:

inflammation of tissues.



↑ membrane permeability.



Na inside cells.



water



edema

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Lecture 2

Cell membrane structure and transport across cell membrane

objectives

At the end of this session, the students should be able to:

- Describe the fluid mosaic model of membrane structure and function.
- Define permeability and list factors influencing permeability.
- Identify and describe carried-mediated transport processes: Primary active transport, secondary active transport, facilitates diffusion.

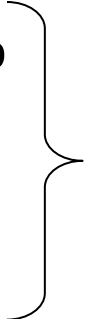
Cell Membrane

- Envelops the cell.
- Thin, pliable and elastic.
- 7 - 10 nanometer thick.
- Also, referred to as the plasma membrane .

Composition

protein 55%

phospholipids 25%
cholesterol 13%
glycolipid 4%

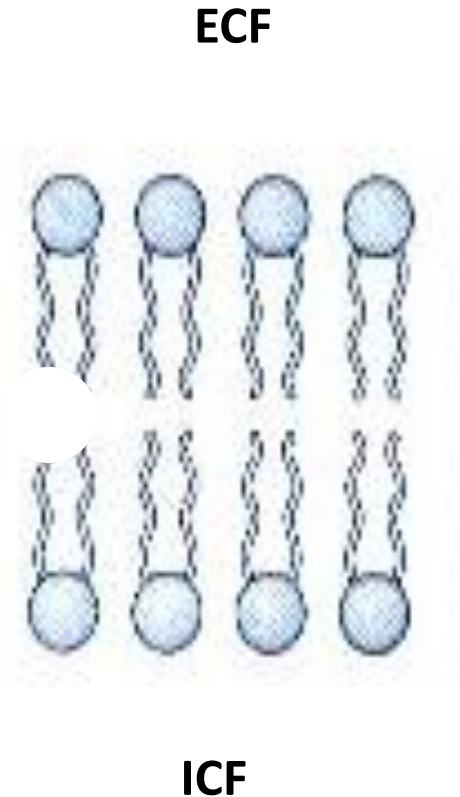


lipid

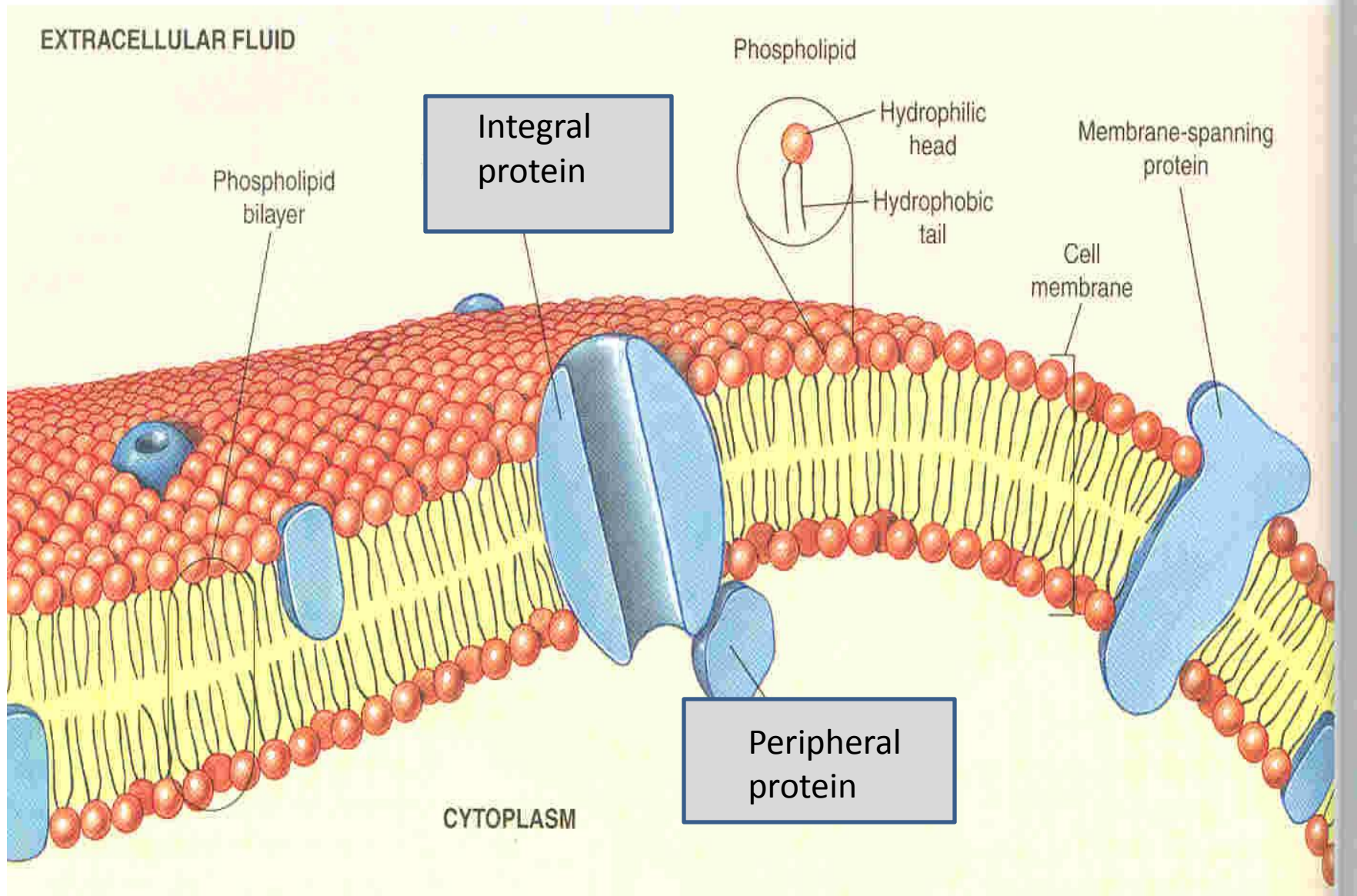
carbohydrates 3%

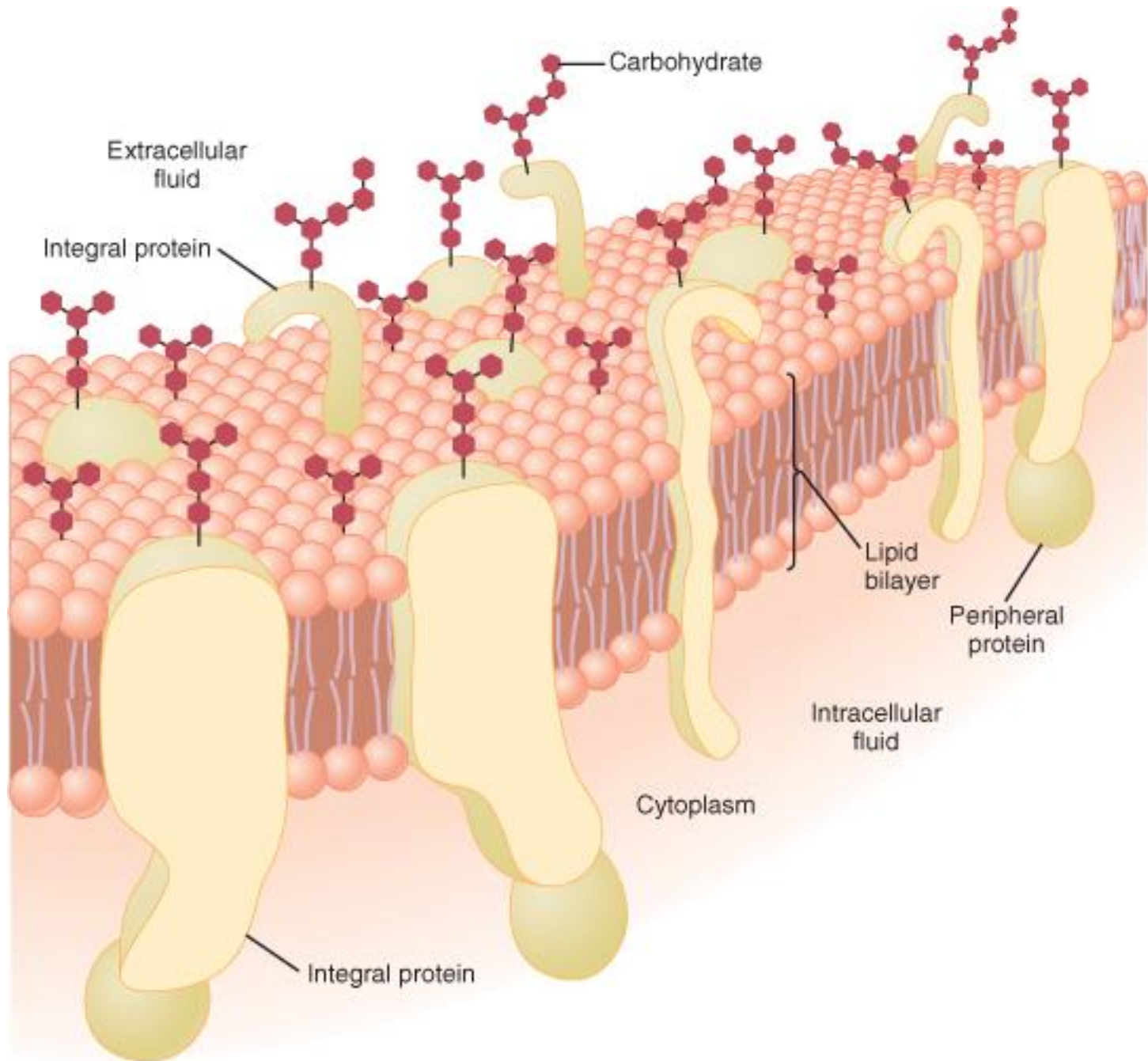
The Cell Membrane Phospholipids Consist Of :

1. Glycerol head (hydrophilic).
2. Two fatty acid "tails" (hydrophobic).



The Cell Membrane Proteins

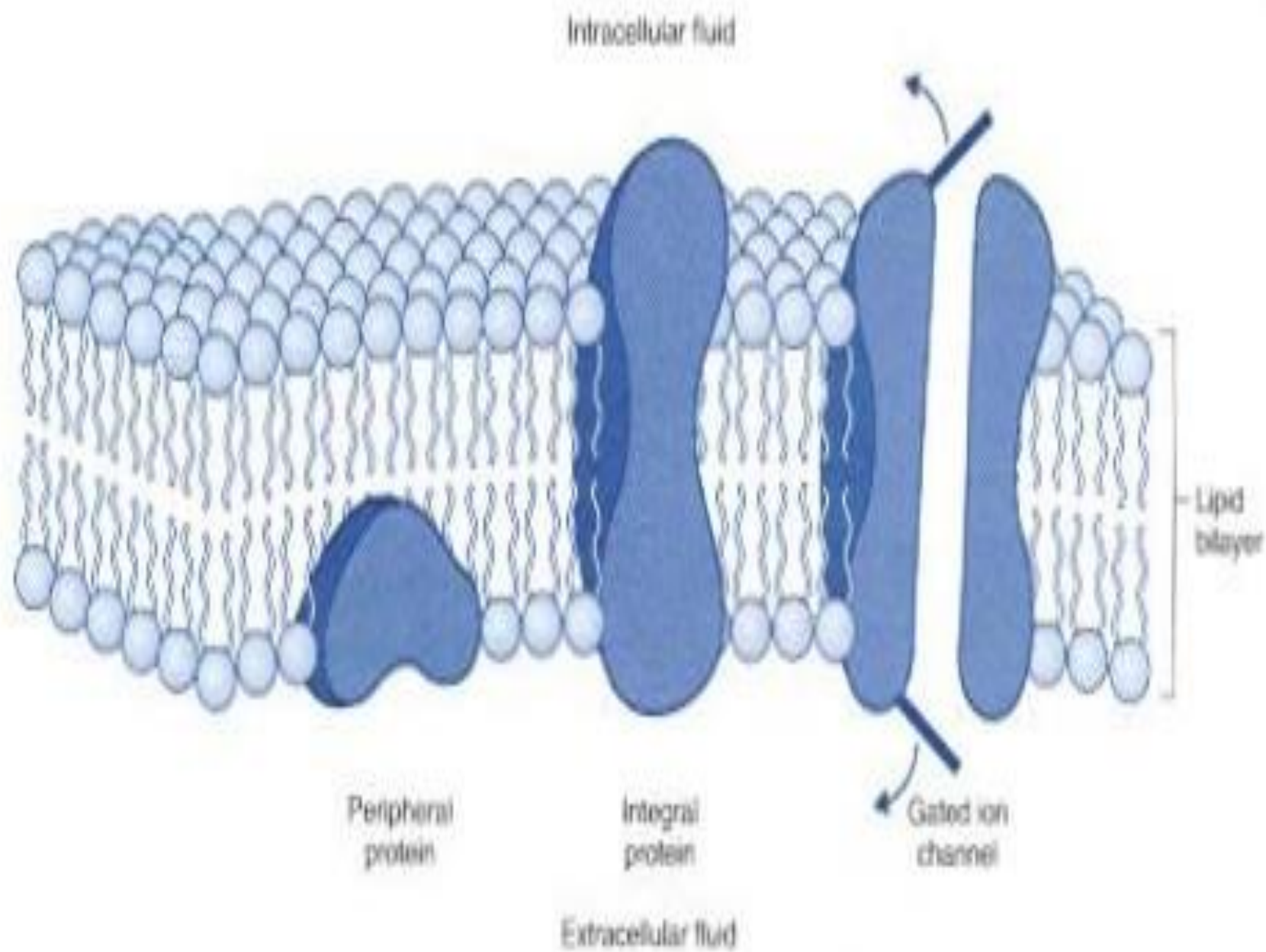




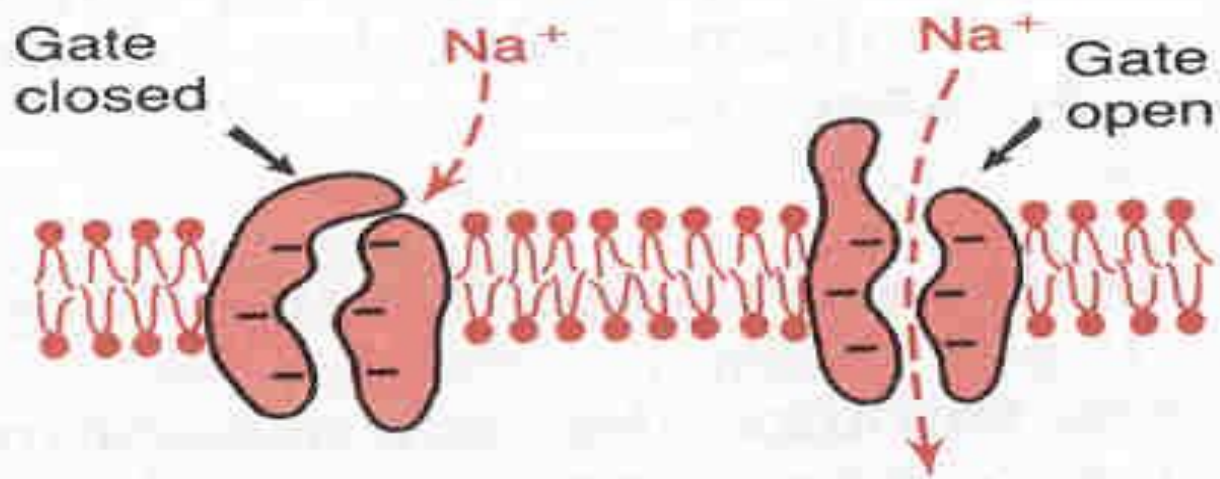
The Cell Membrane Proteins.

- 1. Integral proteins** span the membrane .
 - Proteins provide structural channels or pores.
 - Carrier proteins

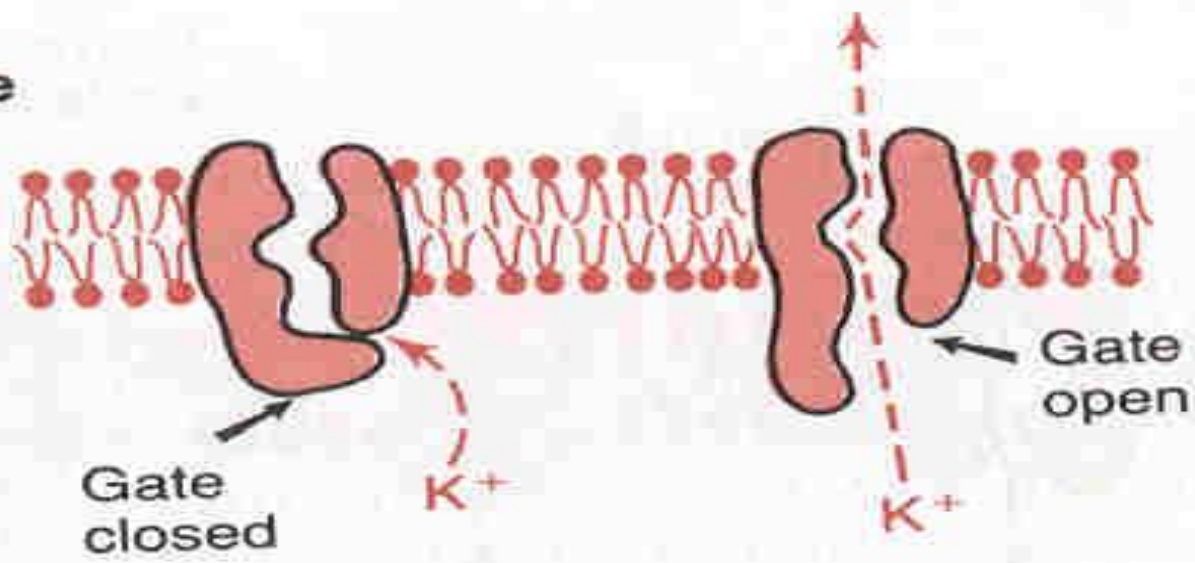
- 2. Peripheral proteins**
 - Present in one side.
 - Hormone receptors .
 - Cell surface antigens .



Outside



Outside

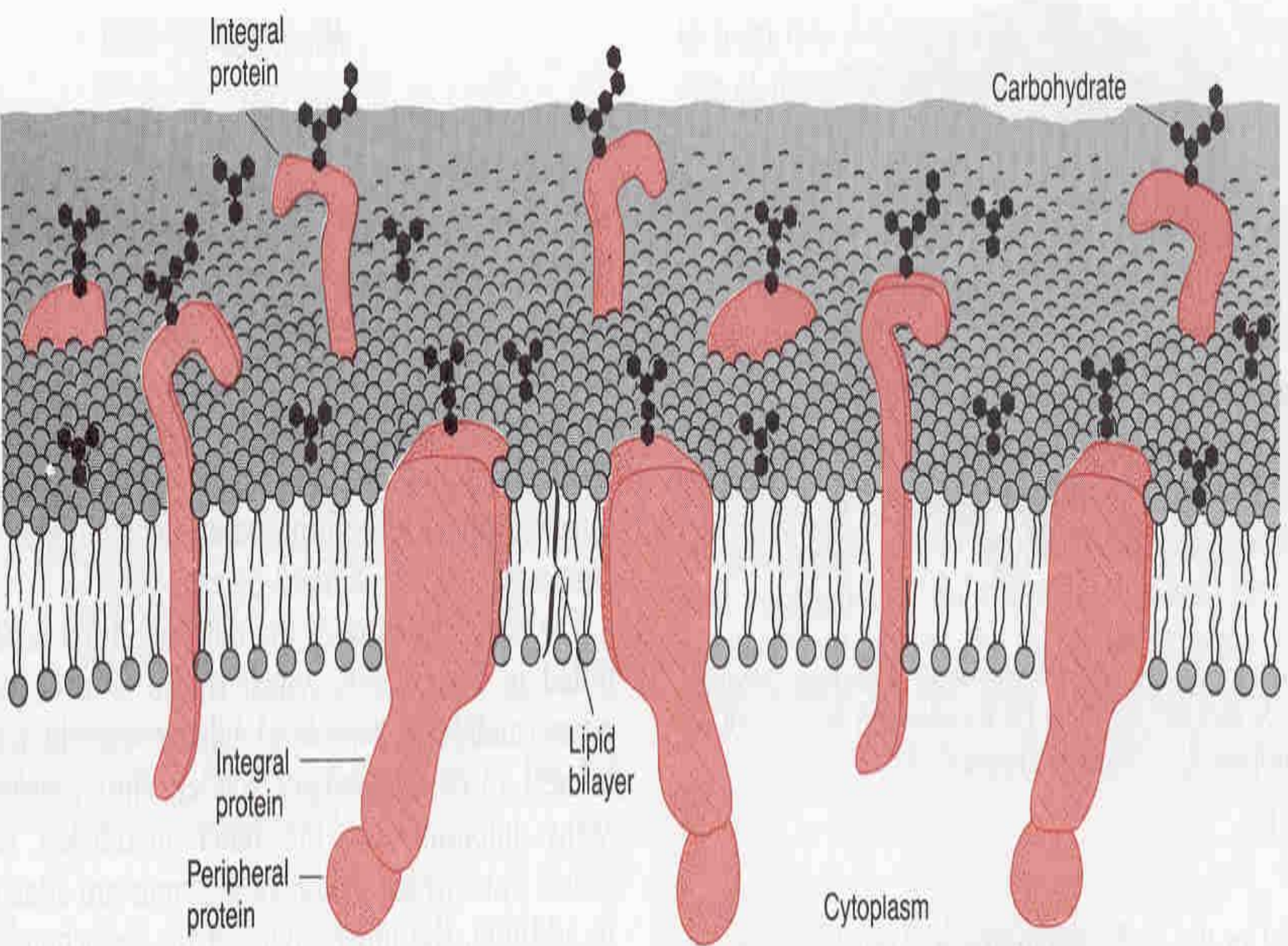


The Cell Membrane Carbohydrates:

- Glycoproteins (most of it).
- Glycolipids (1/10)
- Proteoglycans (mainly carbohydrate substance bound together by protein)
- “glyco” part is in the surface forming.
- Glycocalyx.(loose coat of carbohydrates.

Integral protein

Carbohydrate



Integral protein

Lipid bilayer

Peripheral protein

Cytoplasm

Function Of Carbohydrates:

- Attaches cell to each others.
- Act as receptors substances (help ligend to recognize its receptor).
- Some enter in to immune reactions.
- Give most of cells overall –ve surface.

Transport Through The Cell Membrane

- Cell membrane is selectively permeable.
- Through the proteins.
 - Water -soluble substances e.g. ions, glucose ..
- Directly through the bilayer.
 - Fat -soluble substance (O₂, CO₂, N₂, alcohol..

Extracellular fluid		Intracellular fluid	
Na ⁺	142 mEq/L	10 mEq/L	
K ⁺	4 mEq/L	140 mEq/L	
Ca ⁺⁺	2.4 mEq/L	0.0001 mEq/L	
Mg ⁺⁺	1.2 mEq/L	58 mEq/L	
Cl ⁻	103 mEq/L	4 mEq/L	
HCO ₃ ⁻	28 mEq/L	10 mEq/L	
Phosphates	4 mEq/L	75 mEq/L	
SO ₄ ⁻	1 mEq/L	2 mEq/L	
Glucose	90 mg/dl	0 to 20 mg/dl	
Amino acids	30 mg/dl	200 mg/dl ?	
Cholesterol	0.5 gm/dl	2 to 95 gm/dl	
Phospholipids			
Neutral fat			
PO ₂	35 mm Hg	20 mm Hg ?	
PCO ₂	46 mm Hg	50 mm Hg ?	
pH	7.4	7.0	
Proteins	2 gm/dl (5 mEq/L)	16 gm/dl (40 mEq/L)	

Types Of Membrane Transport

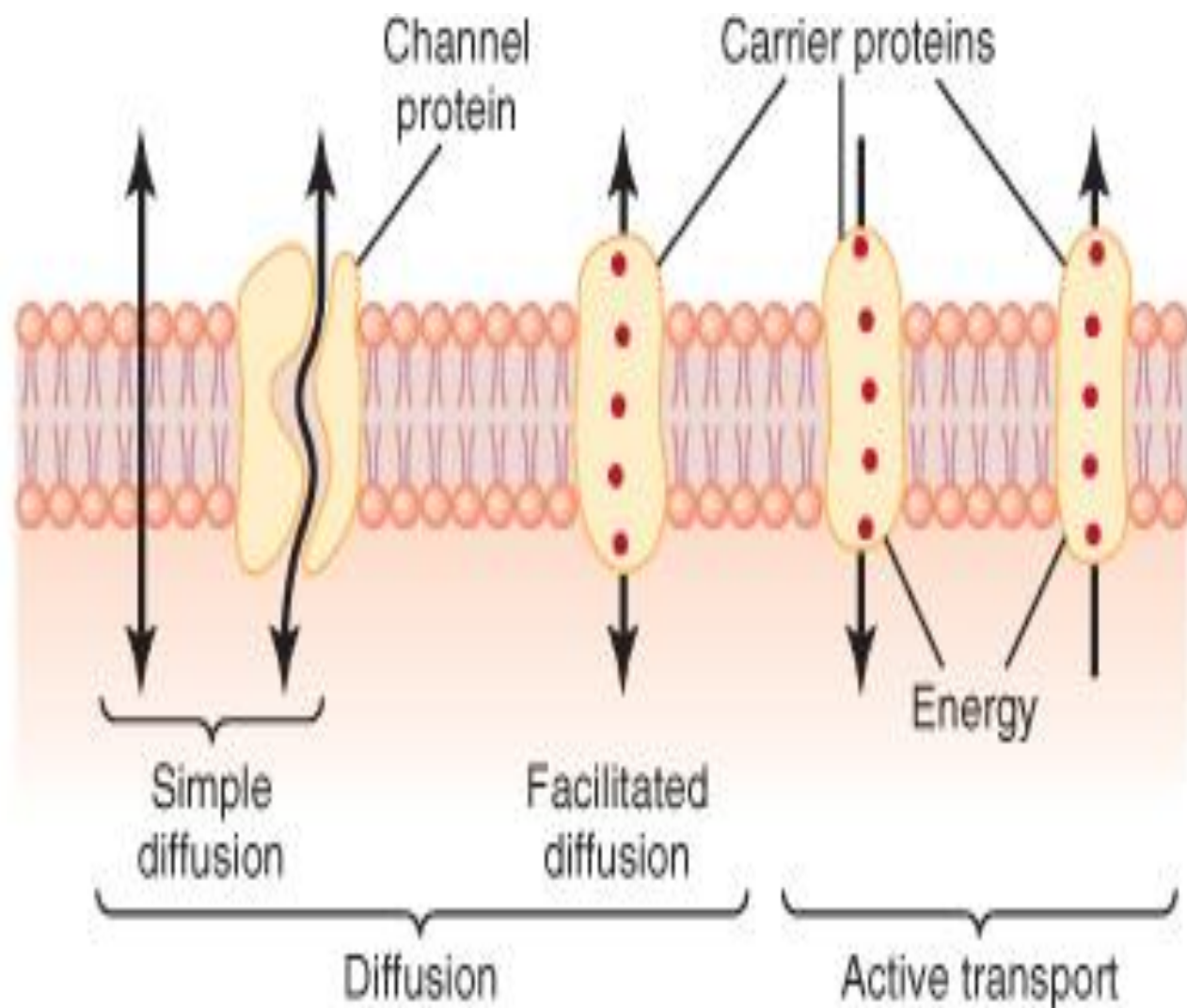
1- Diffusion

- a) simple diffusion.
- b) facilitated diffusion.

2- Active transport.

- a) primary active transport.
- b) secondary active transport.

3- Osmosis.



Diffusion

Random movement of substance either through the membrane directly or in combination with carrier protein down an electrochemical gradient.

- 1- Simple diffusion.
- 2- facilitated diffusion.

- Simple diffusion & facilitated transport don't require input of energy = powered by concentration gradient or electrical gradient.
- Active transport = directly uses ATP.

Simple Diffusion

- Non-carrier mediated transport down an electrochemical gradient.
- Diffusion of non-electrolytes (uncharged) from high concentration to low concentration.
- Diffusion of electrolytes (charged) depend on both chemical as well as electrical potential difference.

Rate Of Simple Diffusion Depend On:

- 1- Amount of substance available.
- 2- The number of opening in the cell membrane for the substance (pores).
selective gating system
- 3- Chemical concentration difference.
net diffusion= $P \times A (C_o - C_i)$

4- Electrical potential difference.

$$EPD = \pm 61 \log C_1/C_2$$

5- Molecular size of the substance.

6- Lipid solubility.

7- Temperature.

Facilitated Diffusion

- Carrier mediated transport down an electrochemical gradient.
- E.g. glucose & amino acids.

Features Of Carrier Mediated Transport (Facilitated diffusion)

1- saturation:

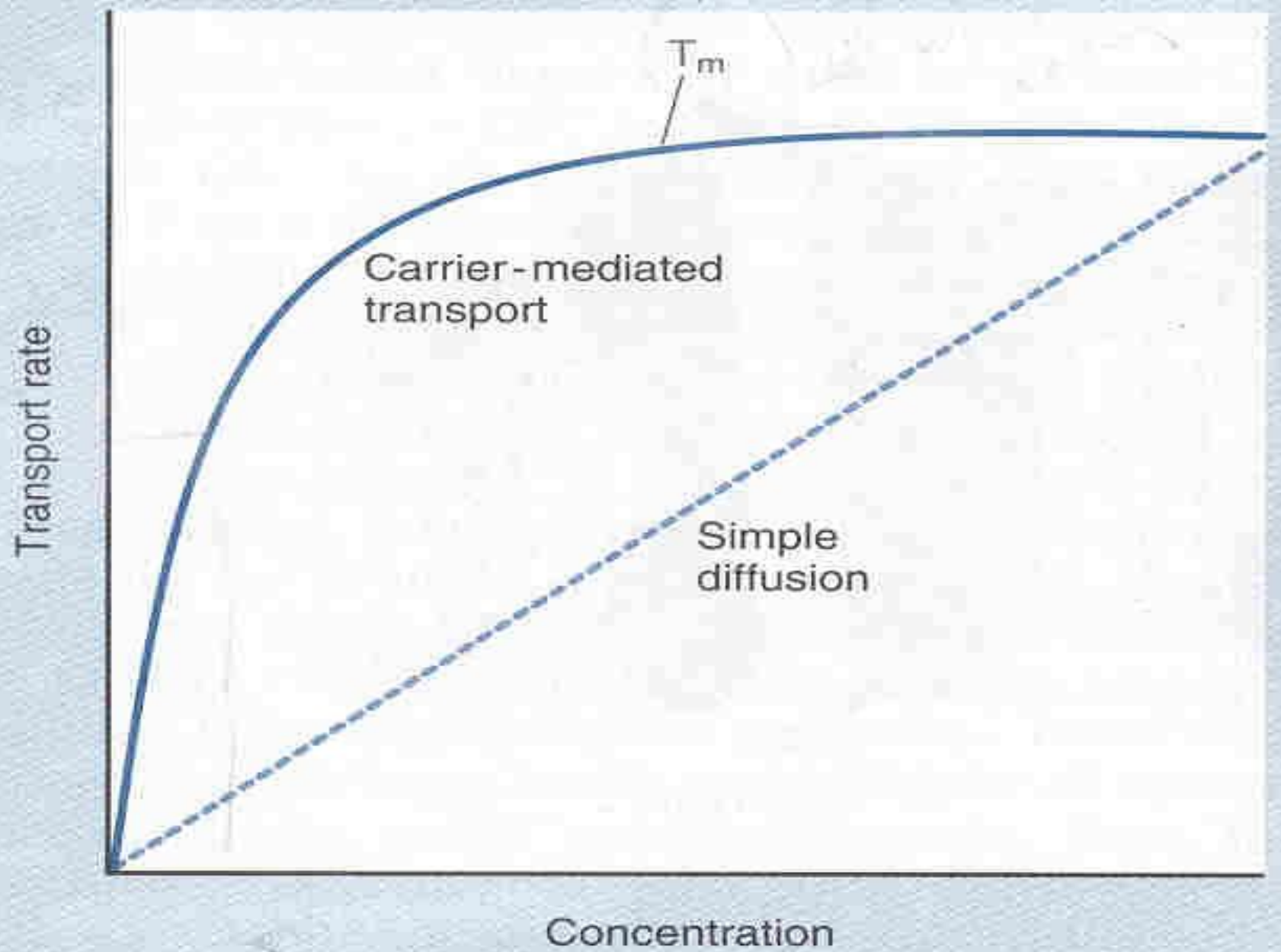
↑ concentration → ↑ binding of protein

If all protein is occupied we achieve full saturation.

i.e. The rate of diffusion reaches a maximum (V_{max}) when all the carriers are functioning as rapidly as possible.

2- stereospecificity:

The binding site recognize a specific substance D-glucose but not L-glucose.



3- Competition:

Chemically similar substance can compete for the same binding site.

D- galactose / D-glucose.

Substance → binding site → substance protein complex → conformational changes → release of substance

Active Transport:

- Transport (uphill) \longrightarrow against electrochemical gradient.
- Required energy $\begin{array}{l} \longrightarrow \text{direct.} \\ \text{└───} \longrightarrow \text{indirect.} \end{array}$
- Required carrier – protein.

1- Primary Active Transport:

-Energy is supplied directly from ATP.

ATP \longrightarrow ADP + P + energy.

A. - **Sodium-Potassium pump (Na⁺-K⁺ pump).**

- its present in all cell membranes.

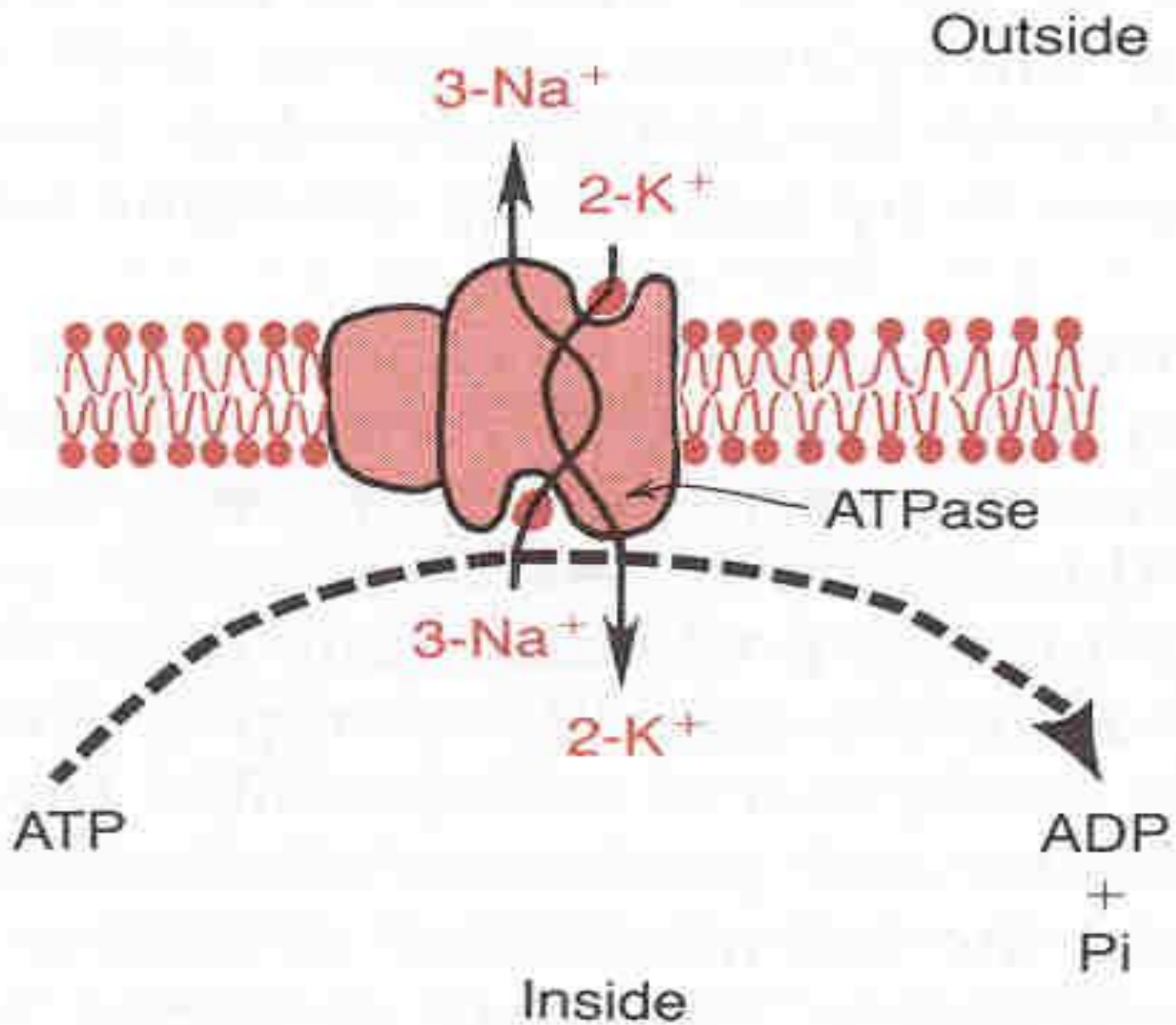
- 3 Na⁺ in \longrightarrow out.

- 2 K⁺ out \longrightarrow in.

Discovery

- $\text{Na}^+/\text{K}^+-\text{ATPase}$ was discovered by [Jens Christian Skou](#) in 1957.
- In 1997, he received one-half of the [Nobel Prize in Chemistry](#) .





Characteristic Of The Pump:

1. Carrier protein is formed from α and β subunits.
2. Binding site for Na inside the cell.
3. Binding site for K outside the cell.
4. It has ATPase activity.
5. 3 Na out.
6. 2 K in.

Function:

1. Maintaining Na^+ and K^+ concentration difference .
2. It's the basis of nerve signal transmtion .
3. Maintaining $-ve$ potential inside the cell.
4. Maintains a normal cell volume.

**B. primary active transport of calcium
(Ca²⁺ ATPase).**

- sarcoplasmic reticulum (SR).
- mitochondria.
- in some cell membranes.

Function:

Maintaining a low Ca²⁺ concentration inside the cell.

- **C. primary active transport of hydrogen ions H⁺-K ATPase.**
 - stomach.
 - kidneys.
 - pump to the lumen.
 - H⁺-K ATPase inhibitors (treat ulcer disease). (omeprazol)

2) Secondary Active Transport:

- **Co- transport and countertransport:**

is transport of one or more solutes against an electrochemical gradient ,coupled to the transport of another solute down an electrochemical gradient

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- “downhill” solute is Na.
- Energy is supplied indirectly form primary transport.

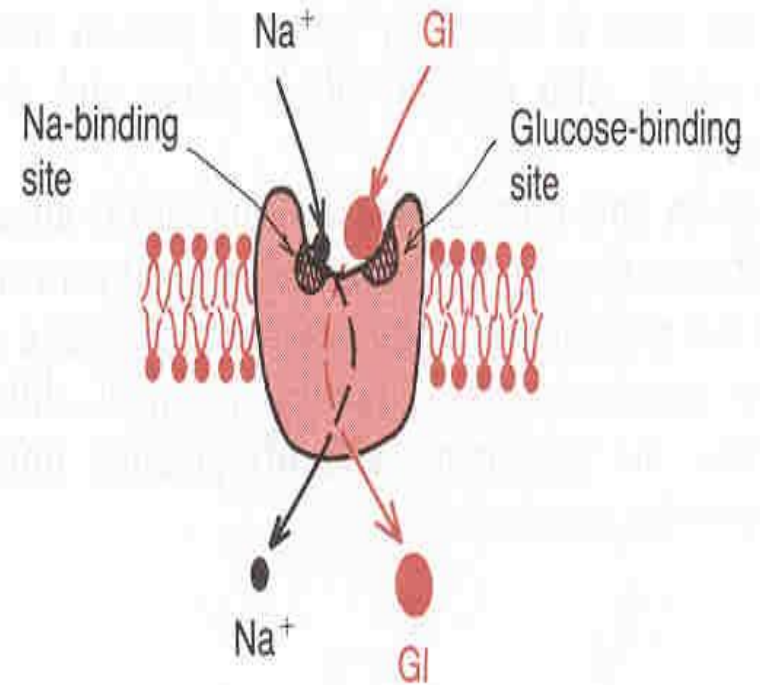
- **Co-transport:**

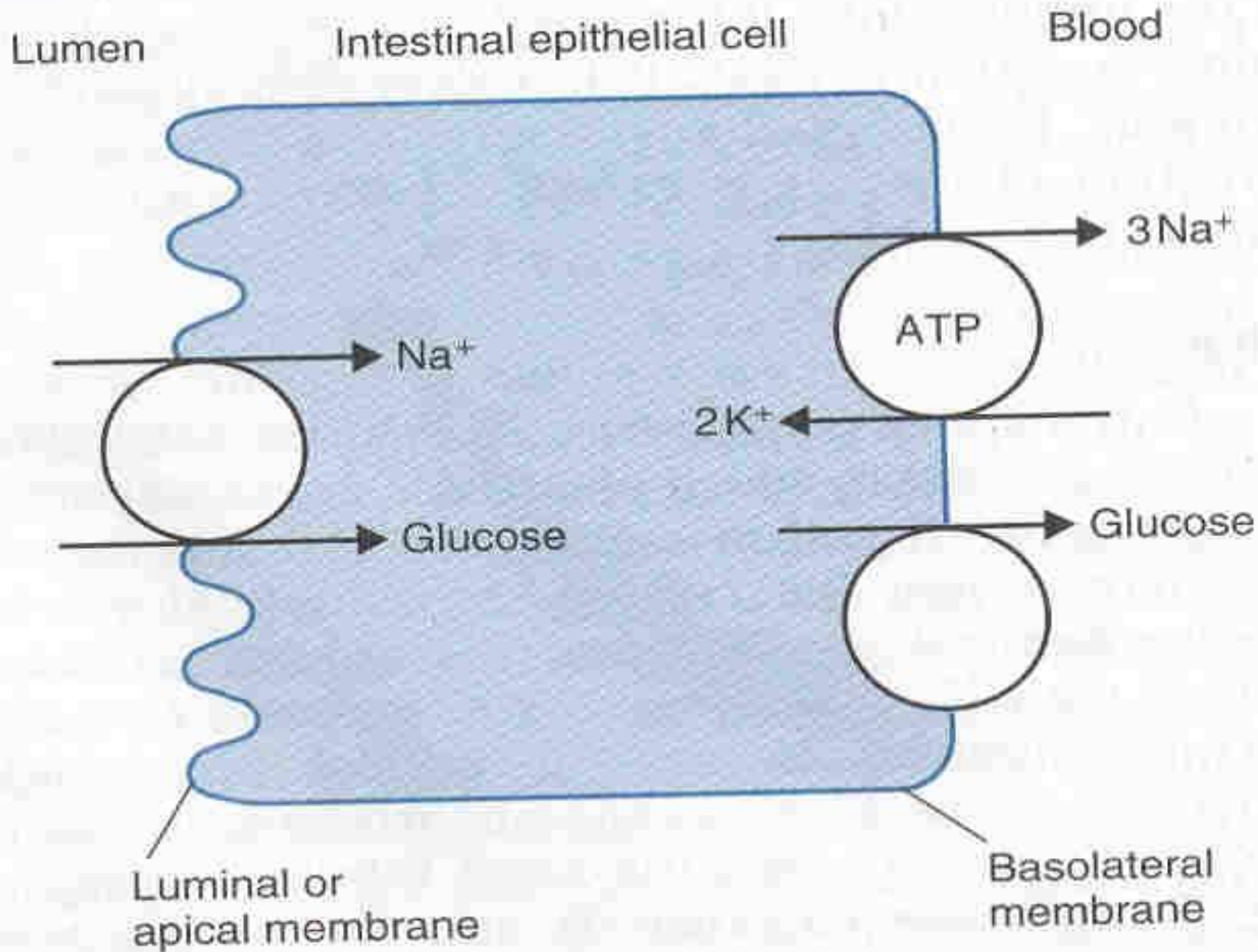
- All solutes move in the same direction
“ inside cell”.

- e.g. – Na^+ - glucose Co-transport.

- Na^+ - amino acid Co-transport.

- in the intestinal tract kidney.





- **Countertransport:**
- Na^+ is moving to the interior causing other substance to move out.
- Ca^{2+} - Na^+ exchange.
(present in many cell membranes)
- Na^+ - H^+ exchange in the kidney.

Muscle cell

