

Chapter 8 The plasma membrane

the plasma membrane

↳ Cellular membranes are "fluid mosaic" of lipids and proteins.

↳ It is boundary separates the living cell from the surrounding

↳ the ingredients of membranes-

↳ lipids (phospholipids, cholesterol)

↳ proteins

↳ Carbohydrates.

↳ proteins

↳ function → "selective permeability" → انتقائية! انتقائية

↳ allows to certain substances to cross it more easily than others.

1

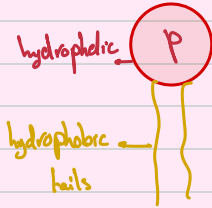
Lipids

The phospholipids → the most abundant component

المكون الرئيسي

↳ The ability of forming a membrane → is inherited from it's structure.

↳ we describe phospholipids with a "amphiphatic molecule"



phospholipids could be

saturated
more solid

unsaturated.
more liquid

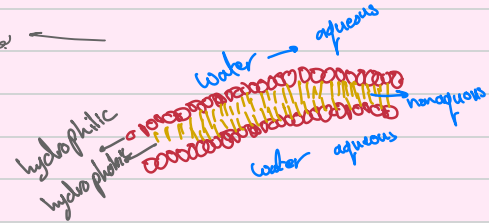


most of plasma membrane's phospholipid are saturated, but we have a minority of unsaturated phospholipids

↳ that mean it has both → hydrophilic regions
→ hydrophobic regions

Notes: some proteins are amphiphatic

بعض phospholipid ← قد يرتبط على حمار بين سطحين
ما يعني ← وذلك بفضل خاصية "amphiphatic" والتي تزيد
لها صفة كارتك لتلاد بنسبة واحدة.



that's make the membrane semi fluid.
not too much fluid or too much rigid.

من امتداد البلازما تحتوي على البروتينات phospholipid

ولكنها تكون مشبعة لجعلها مرنة قليلا - بين السطحين

The movement of membrane components :-

Side way movement
↳ move freely along side the membrane

Flip - Flop movement

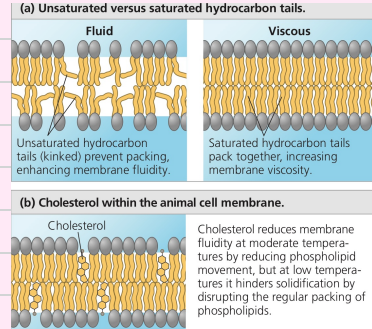
"rarely"

many lipids and proteins are move across the membrane and switching from one to phospholipid layer to other

very rapid movement it happen 10^7 time per second.



دليل على الحركة ← كلوا جايدين متساويين يخلط بعض
وآخرهم ← مع الزمن لا يطوا انتقال البروتينات
بين الغليتين
يستطيعوا البروت بتركيب جانبي على كلوا الجبار



the membrane must be fluid to work

Controlling the Solubility and temperature.

unsaturated phospholipids.

↳ As the temperature decrease
→ the phospholipids settle into a closely arrangement
→ and the membrane will solidify

But because of the unsaturated phospholipids type and the kink on the tails → this phospholipids can't pack together and make the membrane more fluid.

Cholesterol

يعمل على تنظيم سيولة الغشاء البلازمي
It work as "fluid buffer"
not too solid. at low temperature → preventing the close packing.
not too fluid at high temperature → restrains movement of phospholipids

≠ Because it's position on the cell membrane

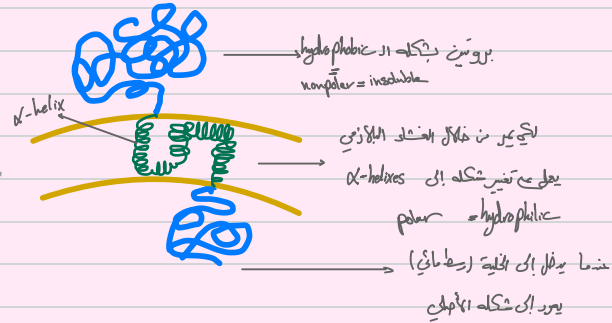
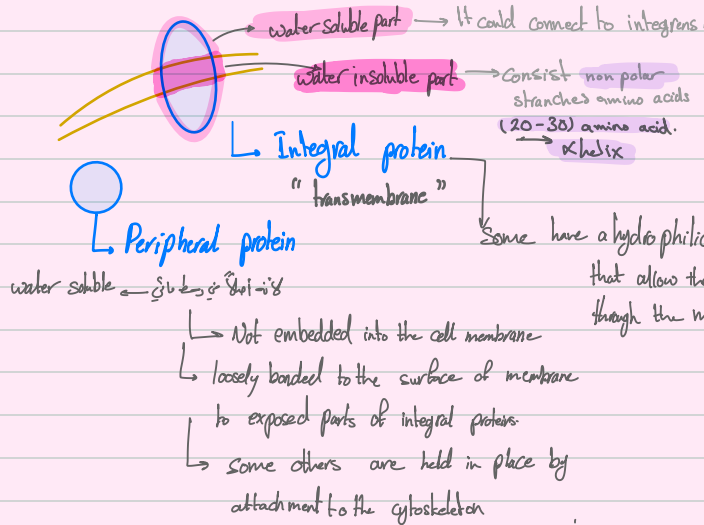
في حالة البرد الشديد The phospholipids يرتب بعض
ويعود السيولة يمنع تجمعهم وتصلبهم ← ذلك يمنع تكدس الغشاء
في حالة البرد ← The phospholipids يرتب بعضا
عند السيولة يقل كفاءة يمنع تكدس الماء والبلازما

2

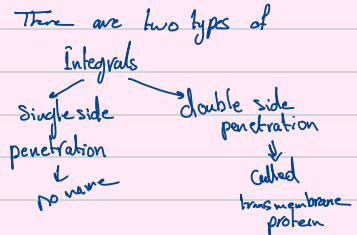
Proteins

- Proteins carry out unlimited functions on the membrane.
- They can move freely side ways
- They not founded randomly on the membrane

types of proteins:-

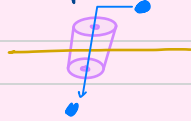


* lipid raft تاراج پروتینک
له نیتل جویچه. پروتینات ماسه من تا یسیر
لجمله از تغییر



Functions-

① transport molecules



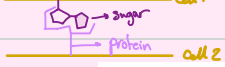
② Enzymes



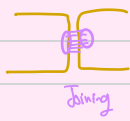
④ receptors



⑤ recognition



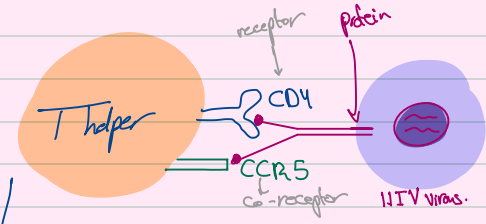
⑤ Junctions



⑥ attachment to ECM

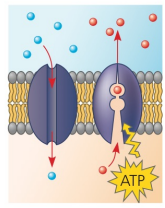


HIV :-

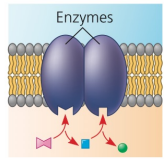


▼ Figure 8.7 Some functions of membrane proteins. In many cases, a single protein performs multiple tasks.

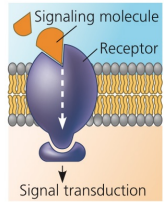
(a) **Transport.** *Left:* A protein that spans the membrane may provide a hydrophilic channel across the membrane that is selective for a particular solute (see Figures 7.32a and 8.15a). *Right:* Other transport proteins shuttle a substance from one side to the other by changing shape (see Figure 8.15b). Some of these proteins hydrolyze ATP as an energy source to actively pump substances across the membrane.



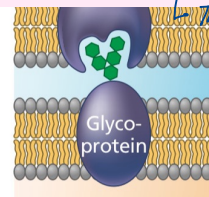
(b) **Enzymatic activity.** A protein built into the membrane may be an enzyme with its active site (where the reactant binds) exposed to substances in the adjacent solution. In some cases, several enzymes in a membrane are organized as a team that carries out sequential steps of a metabolic pathway.



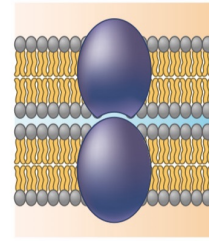
(c) **Signal transduction.** A membrane protein (receptor) may have a binding site with a specific shape that fits the shape of a chemical messenger, such as a hormone. The external messenger (signaling molecule) may cause the protein to change shape, allowing it to relay the message to the inside of the cell, usually by binding to a cytoplasmic protein (see Figures 7.32a and 9.6).



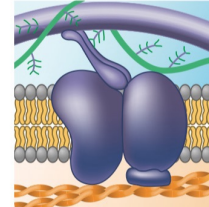
(d) **Cell-cell recognition.** Some glycoproteins serve as identification tags that are specifically recognized by membrane proteins of other cells. This type of cell-cell binding is usually short-lived compared with that shown in (e).



(e) **Intercellular joining.** Membrane proteins of adjacent cells may hook together in various kinds of junctions, such as gap junctions or tight junctions (see Figure 7.30). This type of binding is more long-lasting than that shown in (d).

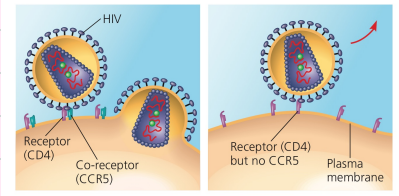


(f) **Attachment to the cytoskeleton and extracellular matrix (ECM).** Microfilaments or other elements of the cytoskeleton may be noncovalently bound to membrane proteins, a function that helps maintain cell shape and stabilizes the location of certain membrane proteins. Proteins that can bind to ECM molecules can coordinate extracellular and intracellular changes



The major component of immune system.
 CD4 → اشرافى سى سى كى
 CCR5 → اشرافى
 HIV virus. receptor protein
 HIV can't enter the cells of resistant individuals who lack CCR5

▼ Figure 8.8 The genetic basis for HIV resistance.



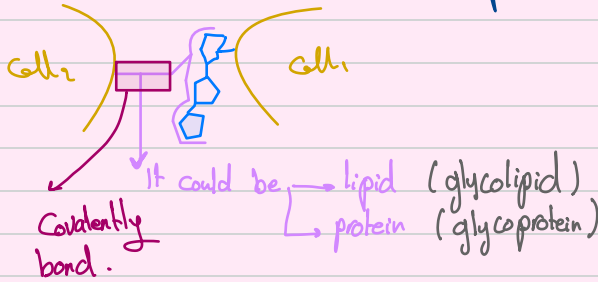
(a) HIV can infect a cell with CCR5 on its surface, as in most people.
 (b) HIV cannot infect a cell lacking CCR5 on its surface, as in resistant individuals.

3

Carbohydrates

↳ short, unbranched chains → fewer than 15 sugar unit.

Its function on the plasma membrane → It have role in cell recognition

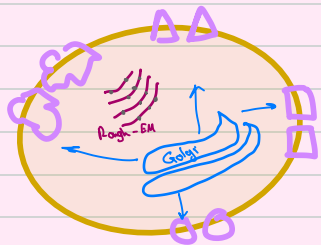
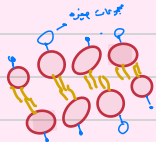


what is cell recognition?

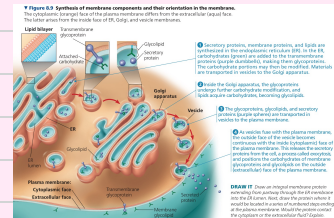
cells recognise each other by binding to molecules containing carbohydrates on the extracellular surface of p.m.

Synthesis and Sidedness of Membranes

↳ Membranes have distinct inside and outside faces. → The two lipids layers may differ in lipid composition.
 ↳ The proteins each one has directional orientation in membrane



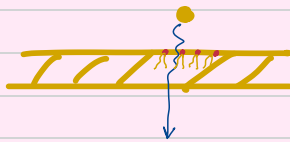
پس کسب و کار در سیتوپلازم
 به ER و Golgi در سیتوپلازم
 به سیتوپلازم و سیتوپلازم



The Membrane structure results in selective permeability

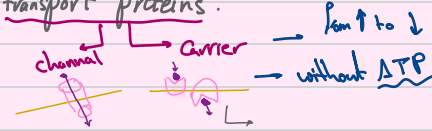
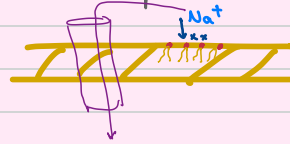
* Hydrophobic (Small)

↳ Can pass freely through the membrane.



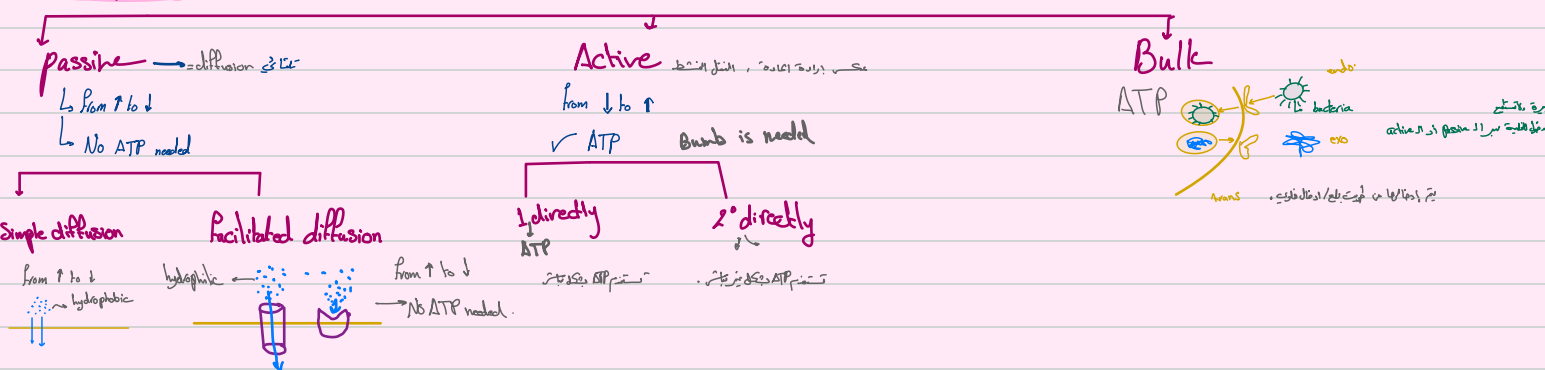
* Hydrophilic (ions, Polar...)

↳ Can't pass unless transport proteins.



* Molecules tend to move from ↑ to ↓
but from ↓ to ↑ → PMMP → ATP

* transporte



Passive transport :-

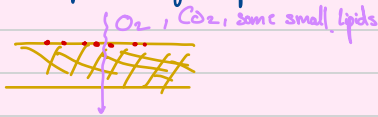
↳ Diffusion

↳ Transport molecules from ↑ high concentration to ↓ low concentration (with down concentration gradient)

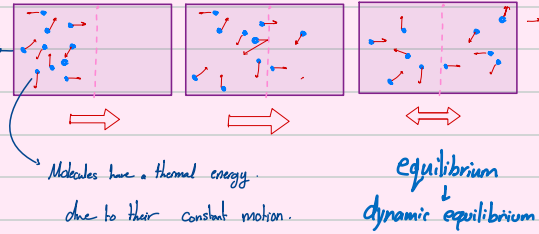
diffusion is a spontaneous process

① Simple diffusion

↳ for hydrophobic (polar) molecules to pass through lipids.



molecules move randomly



There are a transportation of molecules from left to right and from right to left
⇒ But no net diffusion

② Facilitated Diffusion :-

↳ for hydrophilic molecules (polar)

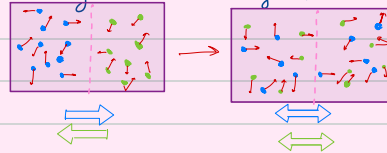
* we need transport proteins that cross the membrane



that certain molecules and ions use it to travel through the membrane.

(ions, water, ...)

* Each substance diffuses down its own concentration gradient unaffected by the concentration gradients of other substances.



Example :- → aquaporin for water.

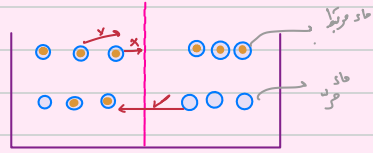
↳ ion channels (gated and non-gated)

لتنقله

Osmosis :-

↳ Diffusion of water in a semipermeable membrane

From ↓ [Solute] to ↑ [Solute]
 ↳ From ↑ free water to ↓ free water



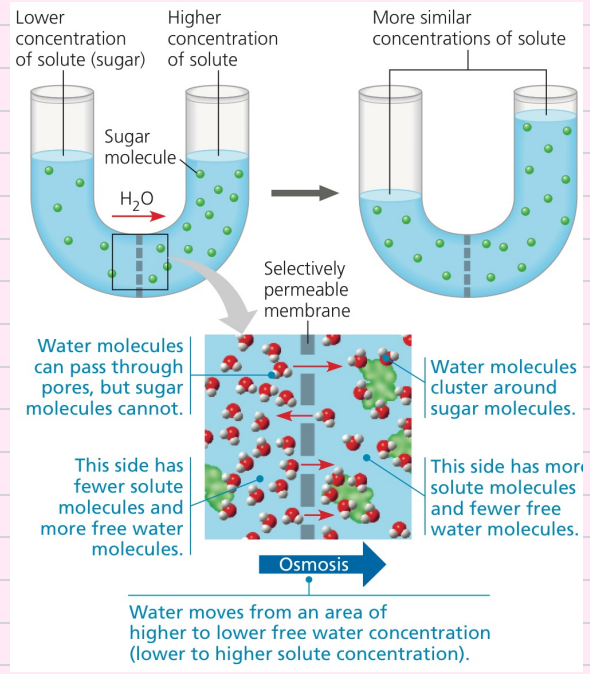
" الماء يبلع الماء "

3 ← 6 انحلّاج
 3 ← 0 ماء مر

* تركيز انحلّاج عالي ← يعني تركيز جزيئات ماء حرة قليلة
 تركيز انحلّاج منخفض ← يعني تركيز جزيئات ماء حرة عالي

* الانحلّاج لا تستطيع العبور من خلال الغشاء

معنسة الانزان بالجاذبية الاموزية ← فتمتلئ من جزيئات الماء الحرة
 دالوي كعل به تحسنة اوازن مني كوا كتر الانحلّاج (سجة الماء)



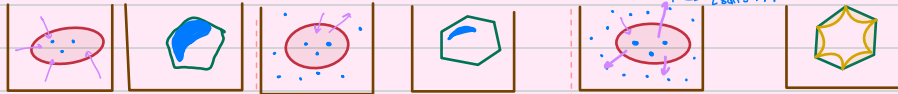
Water balance of cells.

Tonicity

When you want to explain the behavior of cell in solution
 ↳ you must consider both $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{solute concentration} \\ \text{membrane permeability.} \end{array} \right.$

Tonicity is the ability of a surrounding solution to cause a cell to gain or lose water.

↳ depends on the concentration of solutes that cant cross the membrane



Hypotonic

net movement of water inside the cell.

higher inside diffusion ratio than outside

Animal cell "Swell, Burst, lysis"

plant cell "Turgid Normal"

Isotonic "Sea water"

No net movement of water across the plasma M.

the same diffusion rate in the two directions.

"Normal"

"Flaccid"

hypertonic

Net movement of water outside the cell

outside diffusion rate higher than inside

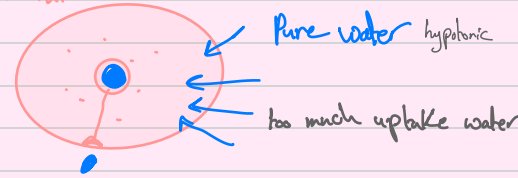
"Shrink or die"

"Plasmolysis"

↳ In plants as well as in Fungi and bacteria

Contractile vacuoles

Paramecium



↳ why paramecium don't burst?

↳ Paramecium have much less permeable membrane

↳ that's slow down the uptake of water only.

↳ It have Contractile vacuole
 ↳ an organelle that function as a bidge bump force the water to out.

Prokaryotes that live in hypersaline environment



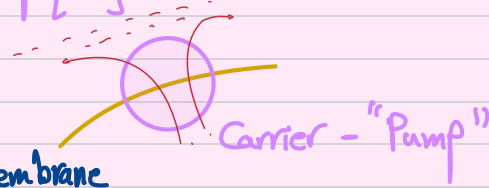
هذه الخلية البكتيرية على غشاءها هي hypotonic
 ولها بنية خاصة بها

Active transport

against concentration gradient from $\downarrow []$ to $\uparrow []$

- It needs energy ATP

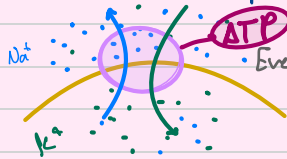
It requires a protein subtle on the membrane



- Primary active transport
↳ use the ATP directly.

↳ mainly in animal cells.

Ex- Na^+/K^+ Pump



Every 1 ATP \rightarrow 2 K^+ inside, 3 Na^+ outside

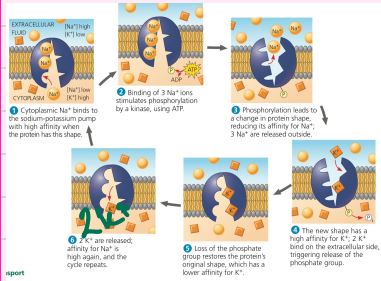
It is electrogenic pump \rightarrow because the unequal distribution of anions and cations on the two sides of membrane.

[Membrane Potential]

↳ because the unequal distribution of anions and cations on the two sides of membrane.

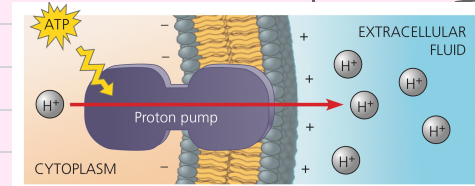
50 - 200 millivolt.

Electrochemical gradient



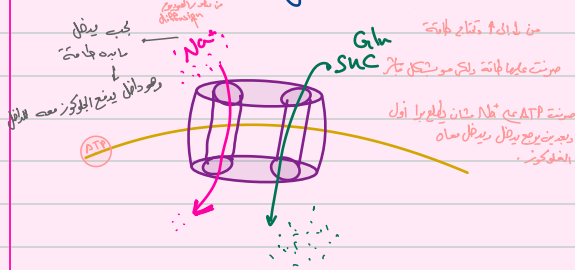
Example \approx Protons (H^+) Pump. "ATP synthesis"
↳ electrogenic pump mainly in Plants

This electrogenic pumps generate voltage that help to store energy that can be tapped for cellular work



Secondary Cotransport

↳ use ATP indirectly



a transport protein (a cotransporter) can couple the “down- hill” diffusion of the solute to the “uphill” transport of a second substance against its own concentration gradient.

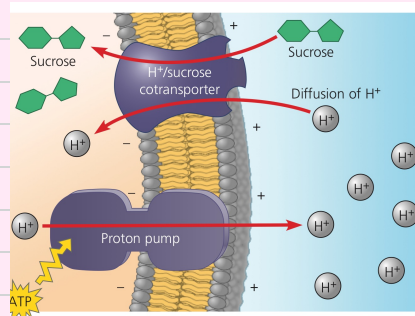
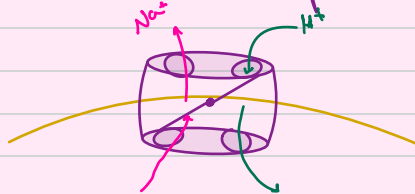
ذرات کے گھٹا ہونے کے ساتھ ساتھ دوسرے ذرات کو باہر کی طرف منتقل کرنے کے لیے ATP کی مدد سے اسے باہر کی طرف منتقل کیا جاتا ہے۔
 خارجہ Na^+ / K^+ Pump

In the example

a cotransporter couples the return of H^+ to the transport of sucrose into the cell. This protein can translocate sucrose into the cell against its concentration gradient, but only if the sucrose molecule travels in the company of an H^+ .

The ATP is used on proton pump to transfer H^+ out the cell

Counter-transport



Bulk transport

↳ transporting large number of large molecules.

ATP →

يُصرف جزيئات طاقة
بكمية .

Exocytosis

↳ transporting vesicles that are budded from Golgi apparatus

↳ then, it moves along a microtubule of the cytoskeleton to the plasma membrane.

When the vesicle contact with the plasma membrane → specific proteins in both membranes rearrange the lipid molecules of bilayers → so the two membrane fuse

the contents of the vesicle spill out the cell.

Examples - → Cells in pancreas that make insulin secrete it into the extra cellular fluid.

↳ Nerve cells use exocytosis to release neurotransmitters.

↳ When plant cells are making cell wall delivers some of necessary proteins and carbohydrates from Golgi vesicles to the outside of the cell.

Endocytosis :-

Phagocytosis → *eating*

EXTRACELLULAR FLUID
Solute
Pseudopodium
Food or other particle
Food vacuole
CYTOPLASM
Phagosome

In **phagocytosis**, a cell engulfs a particle by extending pseudopodia (singular, *pseudopodium*) around it and packaging it within a membranous sac called a food vacuole. The particle will be digested after the food vacuole fuses with a lysosome containing hydrolytic enzymes (see Figure 7.13a).

Pinocytosis → *drinking*

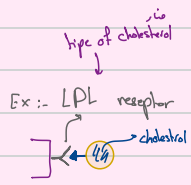
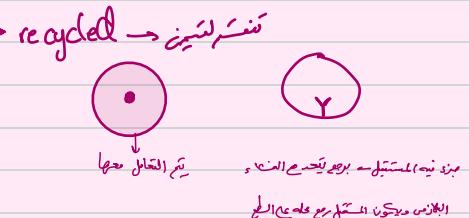
Solute
Plasma membrane
Coat protein
Coated pit
Coated vesicle
not specific

In **pinocytosis**, a cell continually "gulps" droplets of extracellular fluid into tiny vesicles, formed by infoldings of the plasma membrane. In this way, the cell obtains molecules dissolved in the droplets. Because any and all solutes are taken into the cell, pinocytosis as shown here is **nonspecific** for the substances it transports. In many cases, the parts of the plasma membrane that form vesicles are lined on their cytoplasmic side by a fuzzy layer of coat protein; the "pits" and resulting vesicles are called **coated pits**.

Receptor-Mediated Endocytosis

LDL receptor
example uptake of cholesterol
Coated vesicle with specific solutes (purple) bound to receptors (red)
LDL
low density lipoprotein

Receptor-mediated endocytosis is a specialized type of pinocytosis that enables the cell to acquire bulk quantities of specific substances, even though those substances may not be very concentrated in the extracellular fluid. Embedded in the plasma membrane are proteins with receptor sites exposed to the extracellular fluid. Specific solutes bind to the receptors. The receptor proteins then cluster in coated pits, and each coated pit forms a vesicle containing the bound molecules. The diagram shows only bound molecules (purple triangles) inside the vesicle, but other molecules from the extracellular fluid are also present. After the ingested material is liberated from the vesicle, the emptied receptors are recycled to the plasma membrane by the same vesicle (not shown).



human cells use receptor-mediated endocytosis to take in cholesterol for membrane synthesis

Disease :- Familial Hypercholesterolemia → no LDL receptor

low density LDLs → it bind to LDL receptor → then enter the cell.
contain cholesterol



the end

By Tala Alali

رعوة حلوة من الناس الحلوة

