

Urinary system lecture 3

Process of urine Formation

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lecture 10

Factors affecting GFR

1- *Glomerular Capillary Pressure:*

The \uparrow in *glomerular capillary pressure* \rightarrow \uparrow **GFR** and vice versa.

This pressure could be affected by the following:

a- Renal Blood Flow: \uparrow **RBF** \rightarrow \uparrow *glom. blood flow* \rightarrow \uparrow *glom. cap. Pr.* \rightarrow \uparrow **GFR** and vice versa.

b- Diameter of Afferent arteriole:

- Dilatation \rightarrow \uparrow *glom. blood flow* \rightarrow \uparrow *glom. cap. Pr.* \rightarrow \uparrow **GFR.**
- Constriction has a reverse effect.

c- Diameter of Efferent arteriole:

- Dilatation \rightarrow \downarrow *gl. cap. Pr* \rightarrow \downarrow **GFR.**
- Mild constriction \rightarrow \uparrow *glom. cap. Pr.* \rightarrow slight \uparrow in **GFR.**
- Moderate & sever constriction \rightarrow \downarrow **GFR** due to marked \downarrow in *glom. blood flow.*

d- Sympathetic stimulation: → constriction of afferent arteriole → ↓ glo.cap.pr → ↓ GFR.

e- Arterial Blood Pressure (ABP) :

Change in **ABP** within physiological range (80 – 180 mmHg) has a little effect on renal blood flow or **GFR** due to **autoregulation** mechanism [mechanism by which **RBF** & **GFR** are maintained at a nearly constant rate inspite of changes in **ABP** within physiological range].

2- **Osmotic Pressure of Proteins in Bowman's Capsule:**

When ↑ → ↑ **GFR** and vice versa.

3- **Osmotic Pressure of Plasma Proteins:**

↓ **Plasma Osmotic Pressure** (as in **Hypoproteinemia**) → ↑ **GFR** and vice versa.

4- **Hydrostatic pressure in Bowman's Capsule:**

↑ **Intra-capsular Pressure** as seen in obstructed ureter (e.g. due to stone) → ↓ **GFR**.

5- **Filtration Coefficient:**

It depends on:

- glomerular membrane surface area.
- glomerular membrane permeability.

The ↓ K_f (due to ↓ permeability or surface area) → ↓ **GFR**, and vice versa.

Effect of Changes in Starling Forces on Renal Plasma Flow, Glomerular Filtration Rate, and the Filtration Fraction

Effect	RPF	GFR	Filtration Fraction (GFR/RPF)
Constriction of afferent arteriole	↓	↓	N.C.
Constriction of efferent arteriole	↓	↑	↑
Increased plasma protein concentration	N.C.	↓	↓
Decreased plasma protein concentration	N.C.	↑	↑
Constriction of the ureter	N.C.	↓	↓

GFR, Glomerular filtration rate; *N.C.*, no change; *RPF*, renal plasma flow.

Starling forces

- ❑ **Starling forces** or Hydrostatic forces that control fluid transport between interstitium and peritubular capillaries they are the driving forces that act across the Peritubular capillaries and control fluid transport between interstitium and peritubular capillaries.

- ❑ **It is determined by 4 forces:**
 - 1) Forces that favor absorption:**
 - a) Colloid osmotic pressure in the peritubular capillaries
 - b) Hydrostatic pressure of the interstitial fluid
 - 2) Forces that oppose absorption:**
 - a) Colloid osmotic pressure of the interstitial fluid (normally = Zero).
 - b) Hydrostatic pressure in the peritubular capillaries

- Forces that help the filtration:

- 1- Glomerular capillary hydrostatic pressure [60 mmHg].

- 2- Osmotic pressure in Bowman's capsule [normally = zero].

- Forces that oppose the filtration:

- 1- Osmotic pressure of Pl.Pr in the glomerular capillary [32 mmHg].

- 2- Pressure in Bowman's capsule [18 mmHg].

Mechanism of urine formation:-

The urine is formed by 3 main processes:-

1 glomerular filtration: -

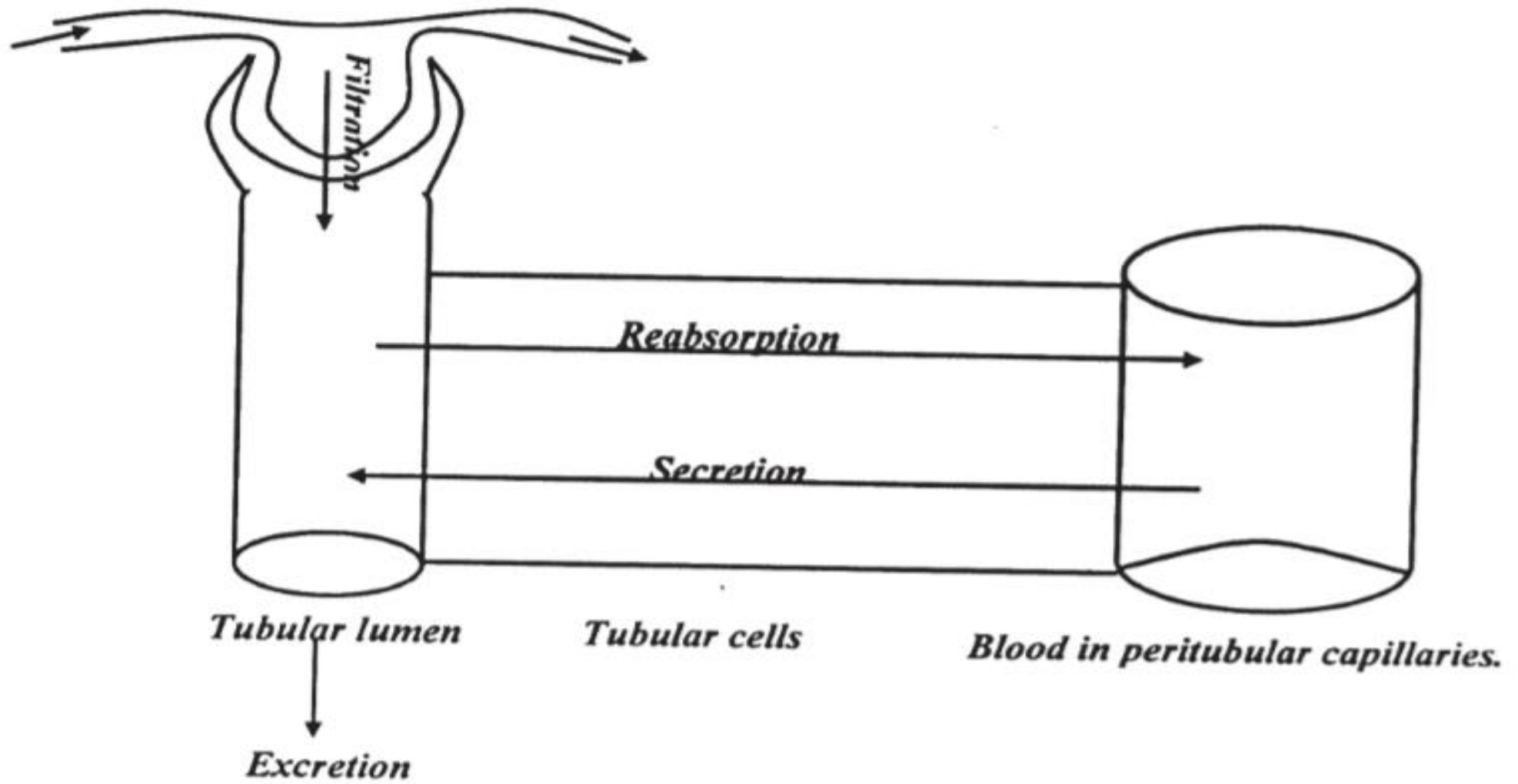
It is the filtration of fluid through the glomerular membrane into the Bowman's capsule. Usually $1/5$ of the plasma flowing in the glomeruli filters.

2-Tubular reabsorption: -

It is the transport of substances from the tubular lumen to blood. The wanted substances, especially almost all of the water and many of the electrolytes are reabsorbed.

3 Tubular secretion: -

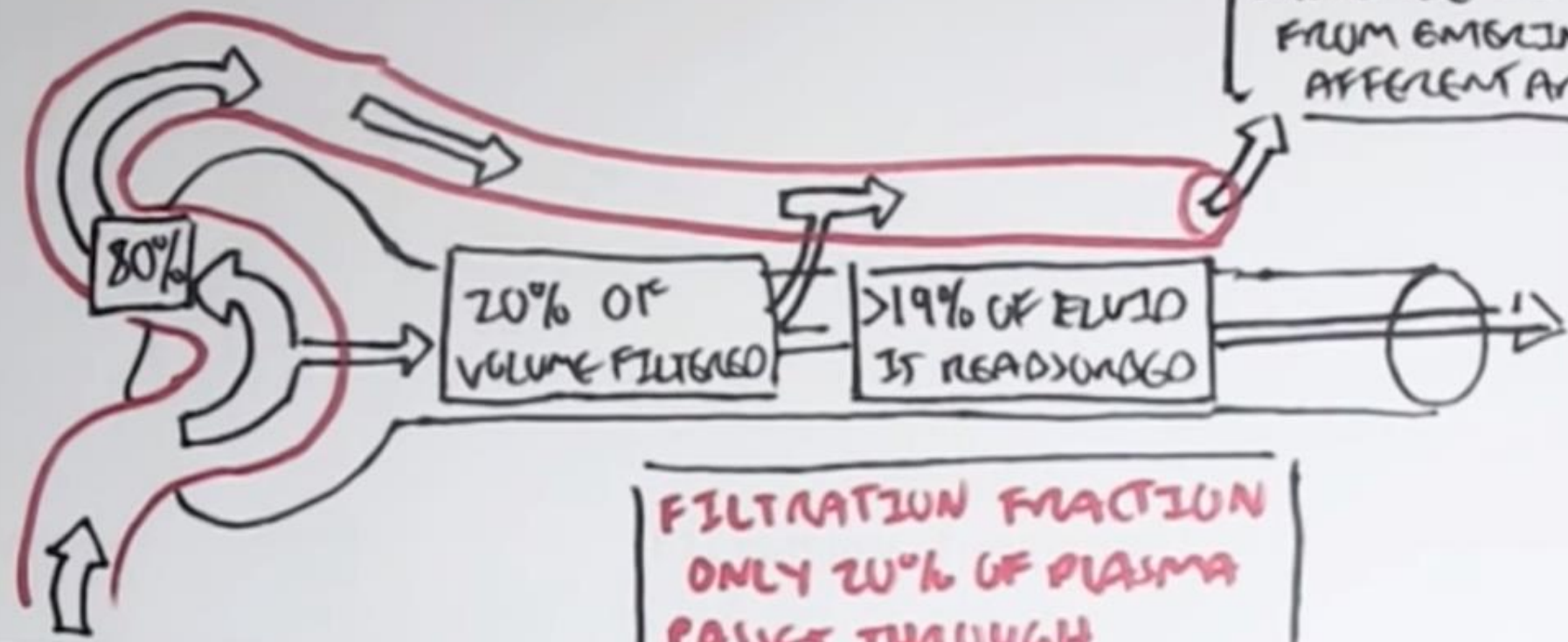
It is the transport of substances from the blood to the tubular lumen.



Note:- Excretion means substances that come out with the final urine

GLOMERULAR FILTRATION - FIRST STEP IN URINE PRODUCTION

>99% OF PLASMA
RETURN TO
SYSTEMIC CIRCULATION
FROM EMERGING THE
EFFECTOR ARTERIOLE



80%

20% OF
VOLUME FILTERED

>19% OF FLUID
IS REABSORBED

<1% OF VOLUME
IS EXCRETED

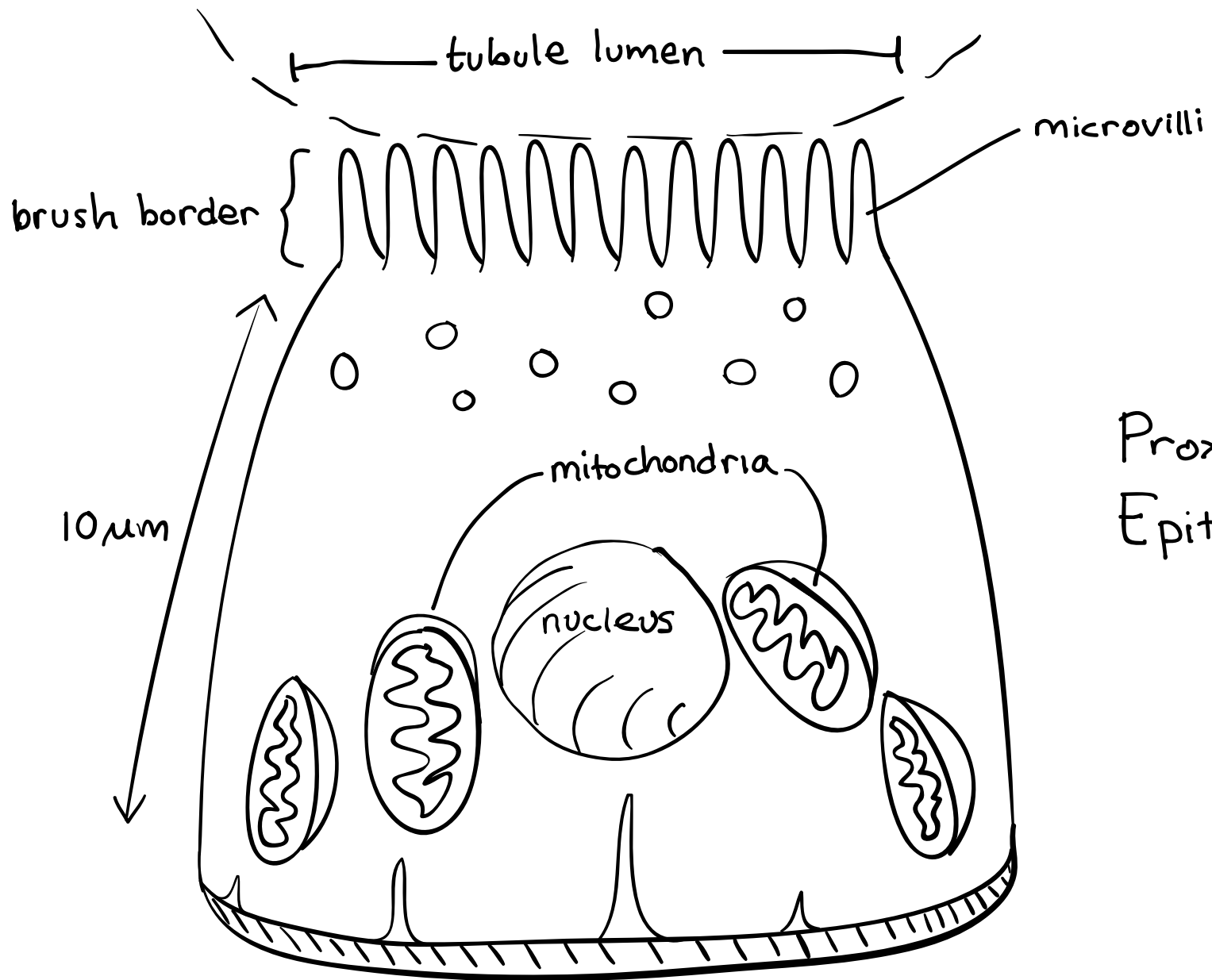
PLASMA VOLUME
EMERGING THE
AFFERENT ARTERIOLE
100%

FILTRATION FRACTION
ONLY 20% OF PLASMA
PASSES THROUGH

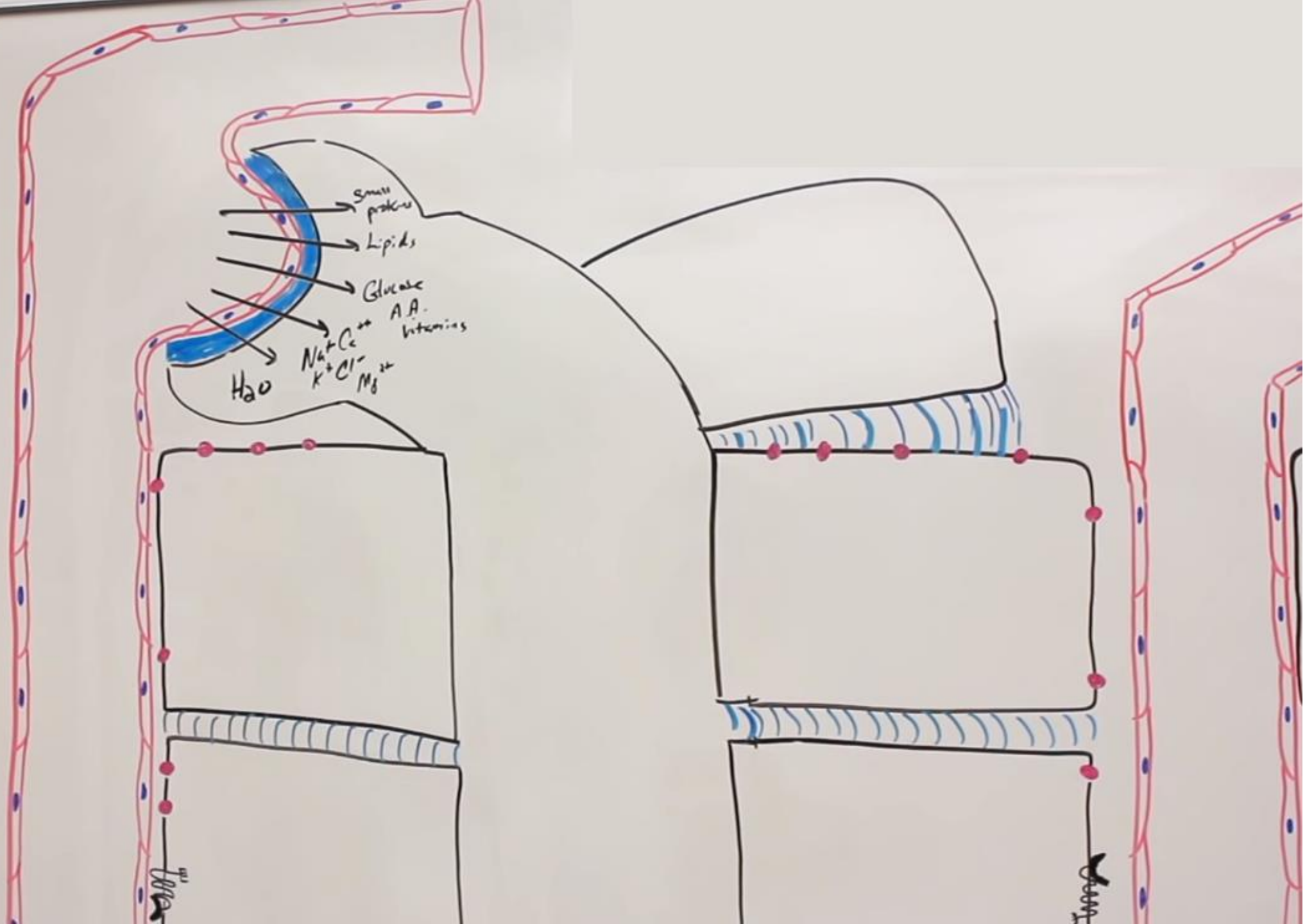
- ❑ The fluid that filters through the glomerulus and Bowman's capsule (glomerular filtrate) is very similar to blood plasma without the proteins, and at this point not at all like urine. If this filtrate flowed straight to your bladder and then out your body, you would lose more than 10-times the entire volume of your extracellular body fluids (plasma and interstitial fluid) every day. Fortunately, tubular reabsorption mechanisms in the nephrons of your kidneys return the water and solutes that you need back into your extracellular fluid and circulatory system. In addition to reabsorbing the substances that you need, your nephrons are able to secrete unwanted substances from your bloodstream into the filtrate. Together these processes complete the transformation of the glomerular filtrate into urine.
- ❑ Tubular reabsorption is the process that moves solutes and water out of the filtrate and back into your bloodstream. This process is known as reabsorption, because this is the second time they have been absorbed; the first time being when they were absorbed into the bloodstream from the digestive tract after a meal.

Reabsorption is a two-step process:

- 1) The first step is the passive or active movement of water and dissolved substances from the fluid inside the tubule through the tubule wall into the space outside.
 - 2) The second step is for water and these substances to move through the capillary walls back into your bloodstream, again, either by passive or active transport.
- Nephrons are comprised of different segments that perform specific functions. The walls of the nephron are made of a single layer of cube-like cells, called cuboidal epithelial cells, and their ultrastructure changes depending on the function of the segment they are in. For example, the surface of the cells facing the lumen of the proximal convoluted tubule are covered in microvilli (tiny finger-like structures). This type of surface is called a brush border. The brush border and the extensive length of the proximal tubule dramatically increase the surface area available for reabsorption of substances into the blood enabling around 80% of the glomerular filtrate to be reabsorbed in this segment. Another notable feature of these cells is that they are densely packed with mitochondria (the cell's energy generators). The mitochondria ensure a good supply of energy is available to fuel the active transport systems needed for efficient reabsorption.



Proximal Tubule
Epithelial Cell



$$\text{Osmolality} = \frac{\text{moles}}{\text{kg}}$$

↑ OSMOLALITY

- ↑ Na⁺ Cl⁻ (solutes)

- ↓ H₂O

Hypertonic

↓ Osmolality

- ↓ Na⁺ Cl⁻ (solutes)

- ↑ H₂O

Hypotonic

Na⁺ Cl⁻
Solutes = H₂O

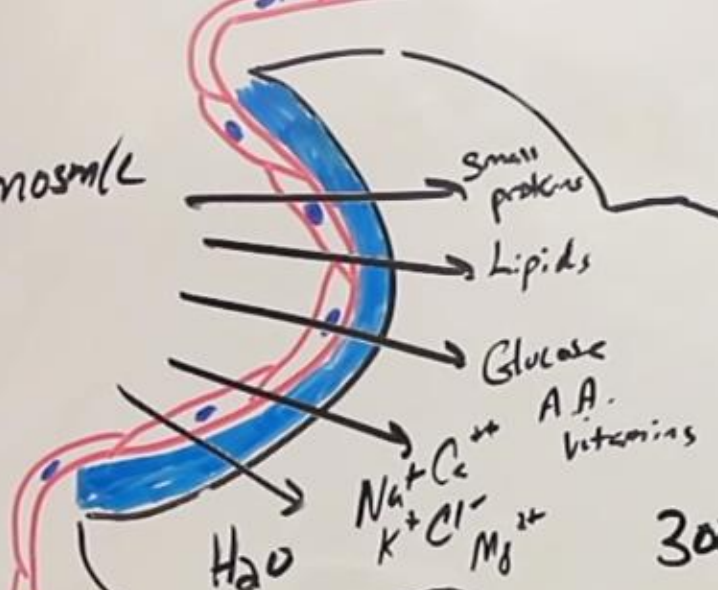
ISOTONIC

Osmolality is defined as the concentration of all solutes in a given weight of water and is expressed as units of either osmolality (milliosmoles of solute per kilogram of water, mOsm/kg H₂O) or osmolarity (milliosmoles of solute per liter of water, mOsm/L H₂O).

Osmolality & Osmolarity

- Osmolality: Osmolality is a measure of the number of solute particles present in solution
- Is independent of the size or weight of the particles
- Expressed as : milliosmoles per kilogram of water (m Osmol/Kg)
- Osmolality of a solution is the number of osmoles of solute per kilogram of solvent (m Osmol/Kg)
- Osmolarity of a solution is the number of osmoles of solute per liter of solution (m Osmol/L)

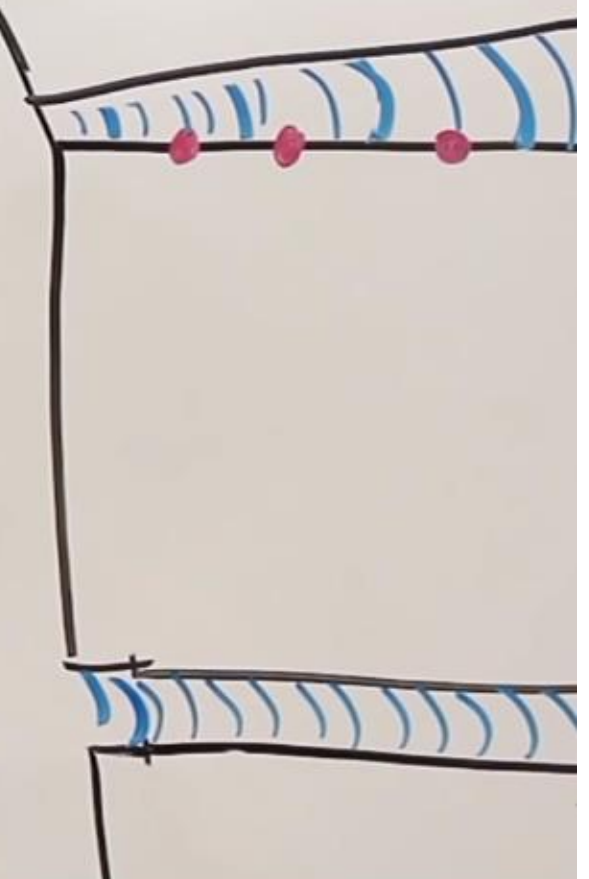
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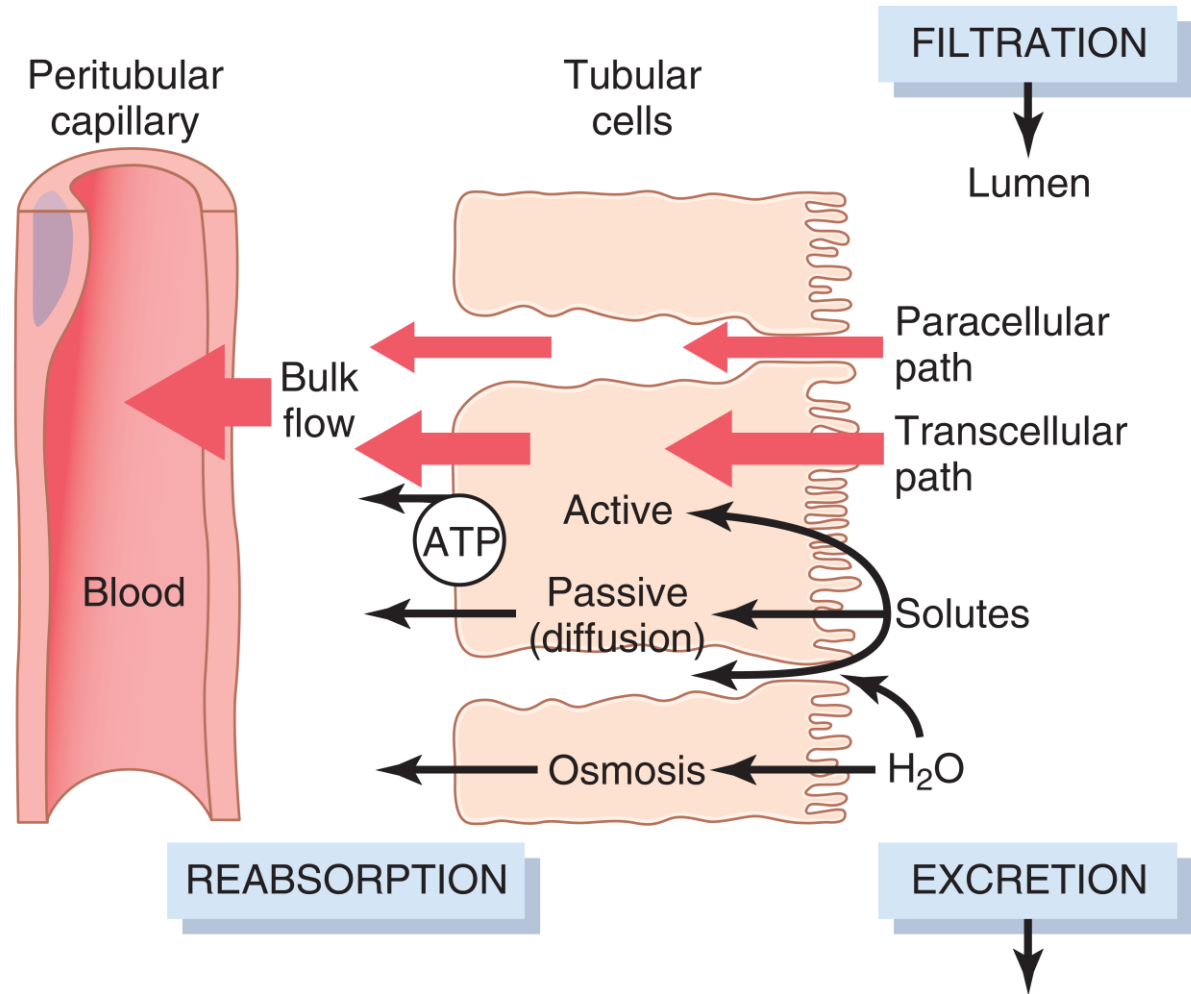


300 mosm



NEN





Reabsorption of filtered water and solutes from the tubular lumen across the tubular epithelial cells, through the renal interstitium, and back into the blood. Solute are transported through the cells (*transcellular path*) by passive diffusion or active transport, or between the cells (*paracellular path*) by diffusion. Water is transported through the cells and between the tubular cells by osmosis. Transport of water and solutes from the interstitial fluid into the peritubular capillaries occurs by *bulk flow*.

300 mosm/L

Small proteins

Lipids

Glucose

A.A.
vitamins

H₂O

Na⁺ Ca⁺⁺
K⁺ Cl⁻
Mg⁺⁺

300 mosm

ATP

↓ [Na⁺]
↑ [K⁺]

Na⁺

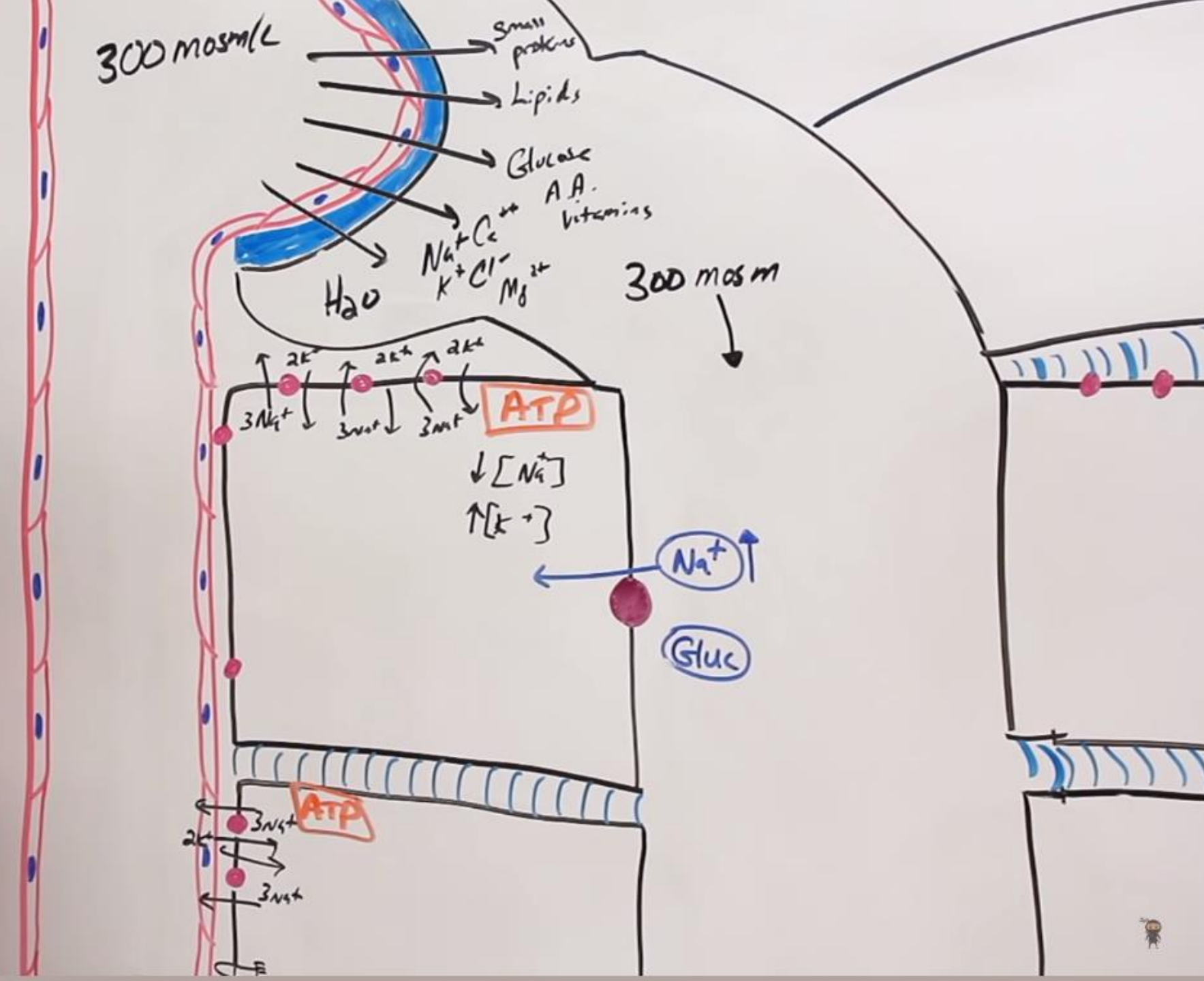
Gluc

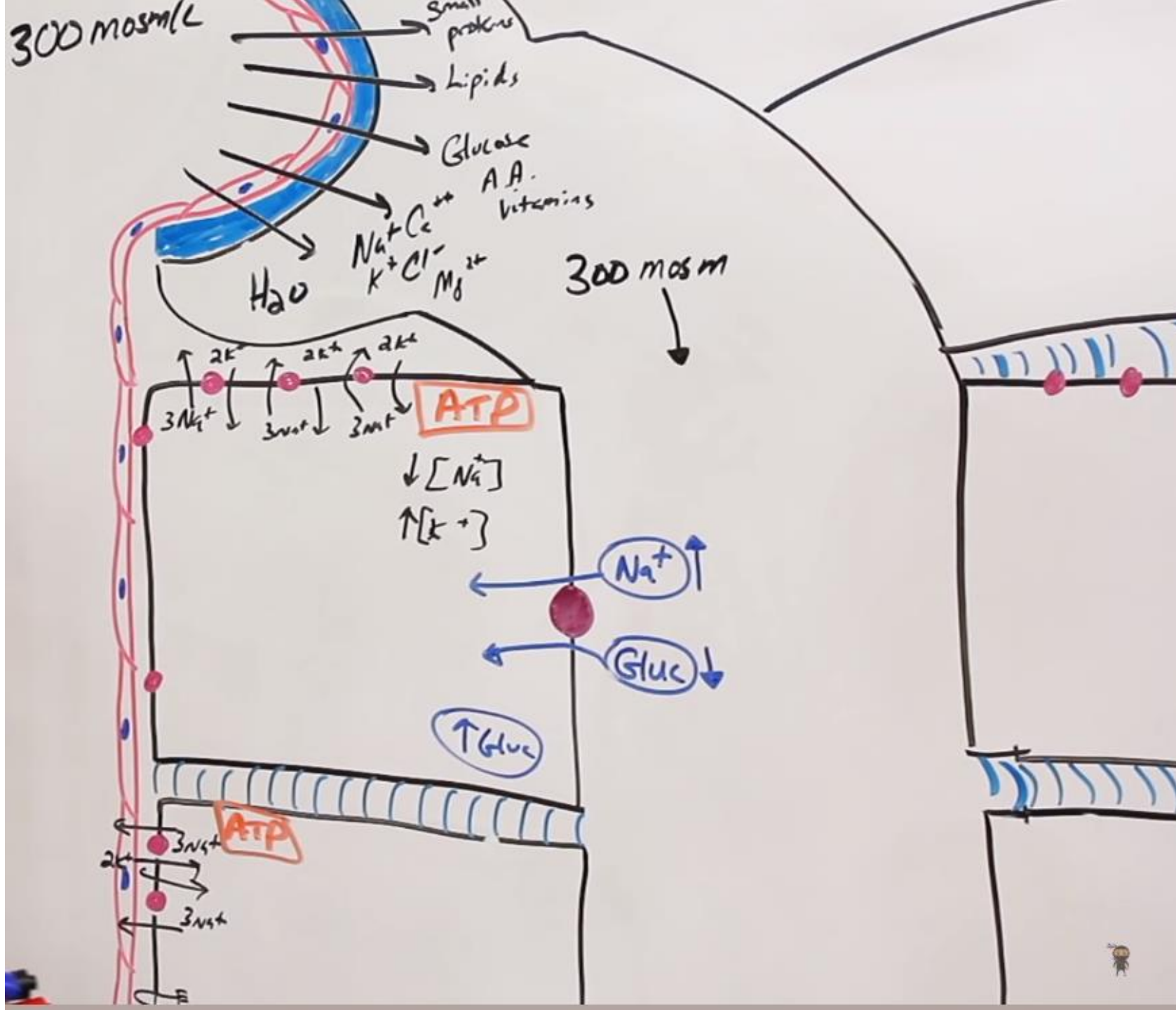
ATP

3Na⁺
2K⁺

3Na⁺

2)

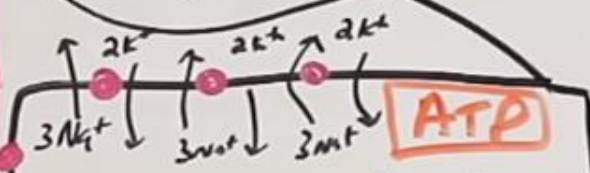




300 mosm/L

Small proteins
Lipids
Glucose
A.A.
Vitamins

H₂O
Na⁺ Ca⁺⁺
K⁺ Cl⁻
Mg⁺⁺ 300 mosm

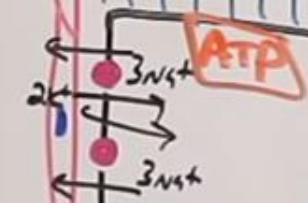


↓ [Na⁺]
↑ [K⁺]

2° Active Transport



↑ Gluc



on
tion
(active)

300 mosm/L

- Small proteins
- Lipids
- Glucose
- A.A. vitamins
- H_2O
- Na^+ Ca^{++}
- K^+ Cl^-
- Mg^{++}

300 mosm

Na^+

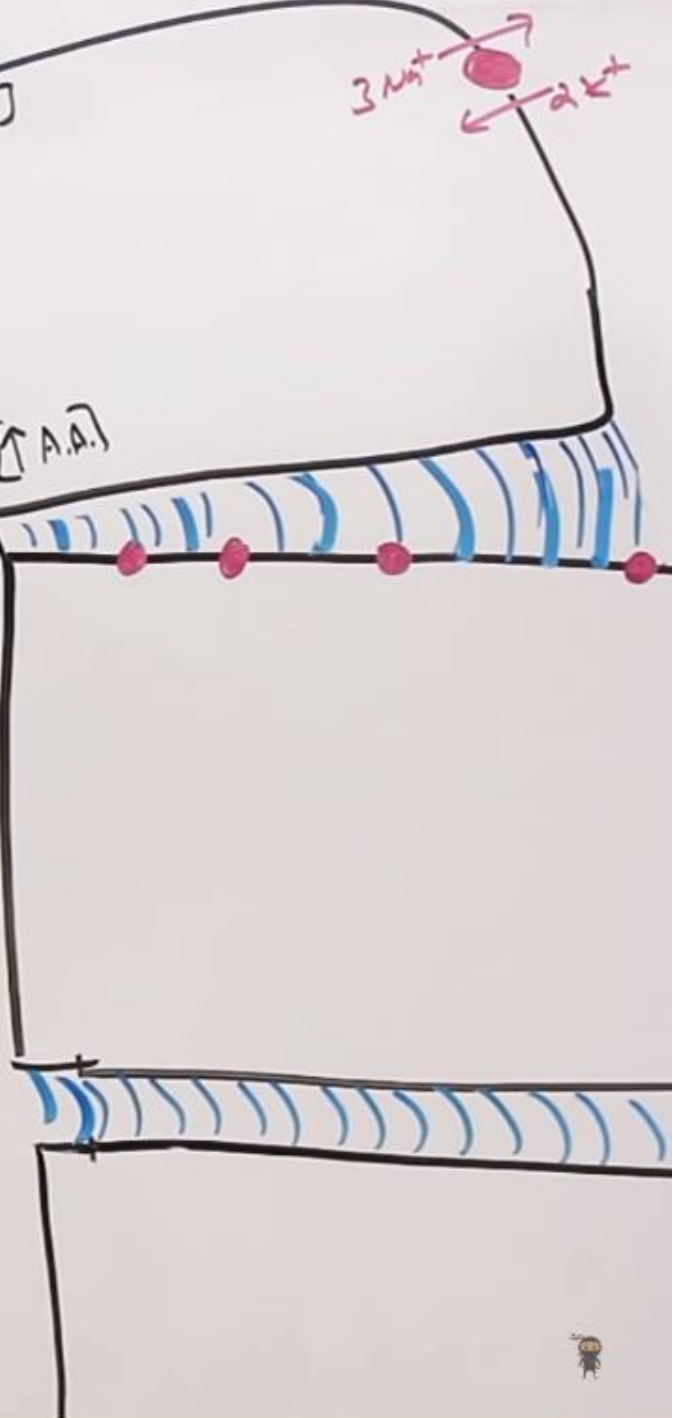
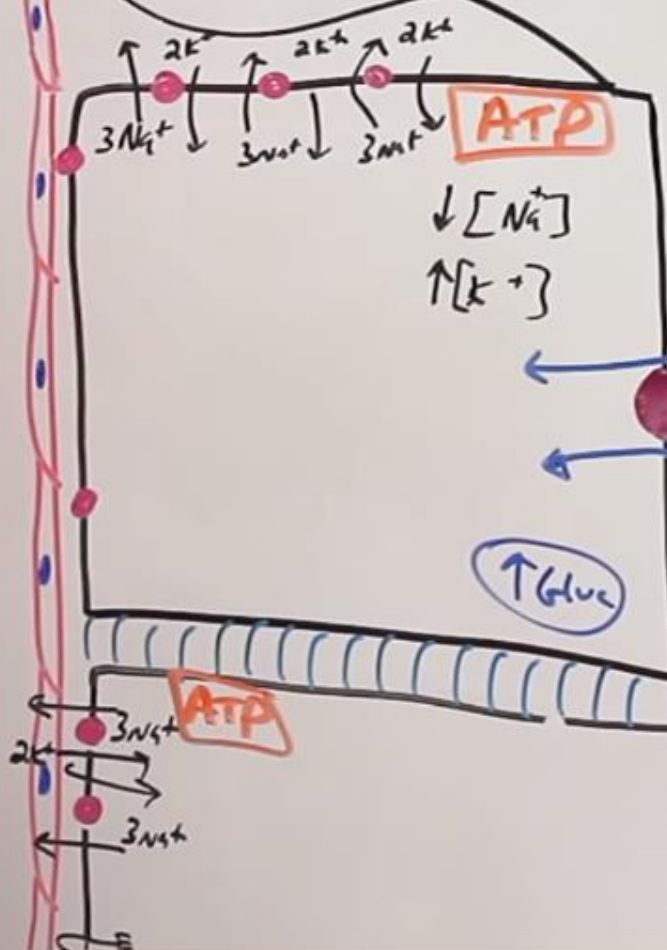
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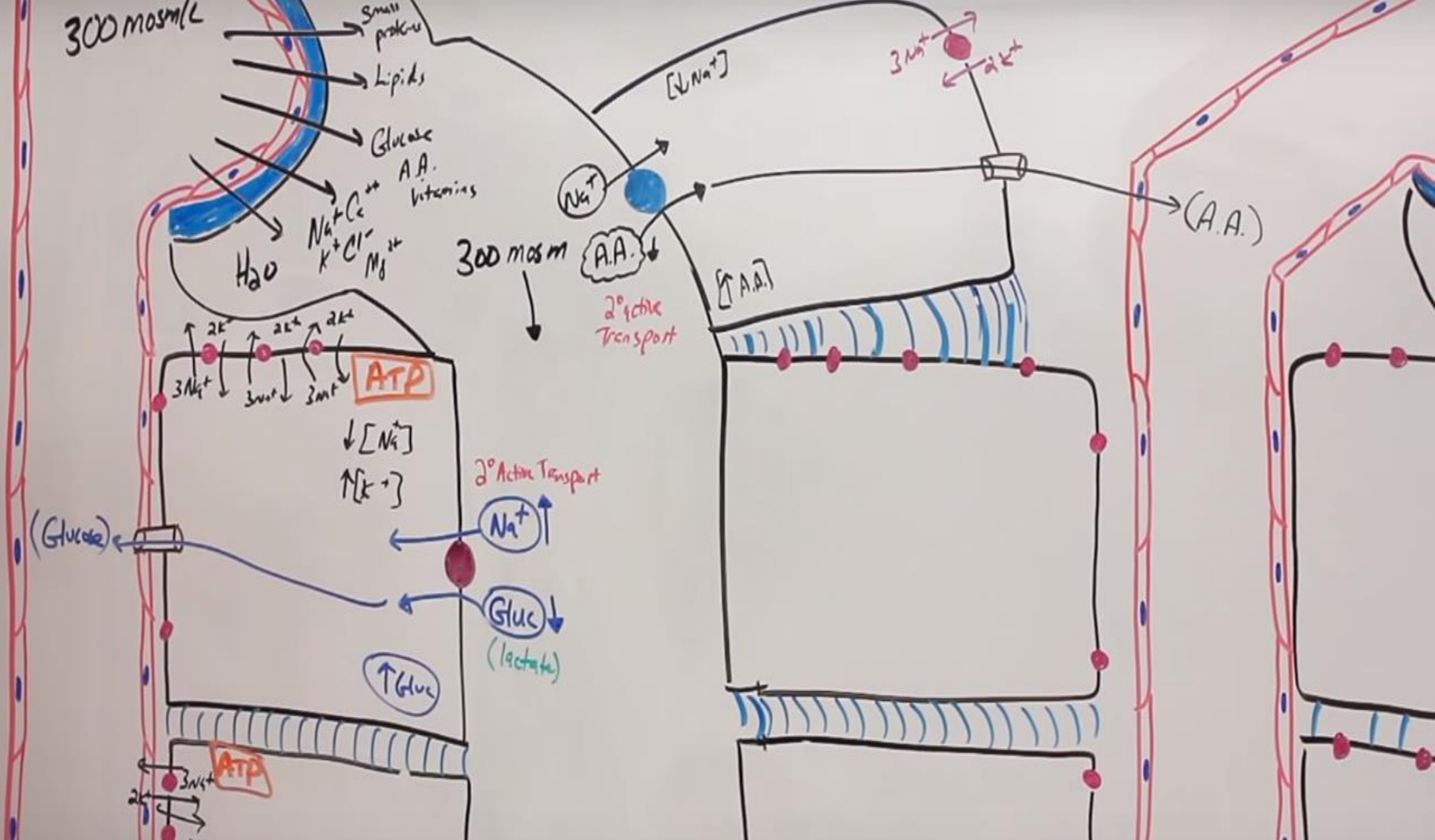
2° Active Transport

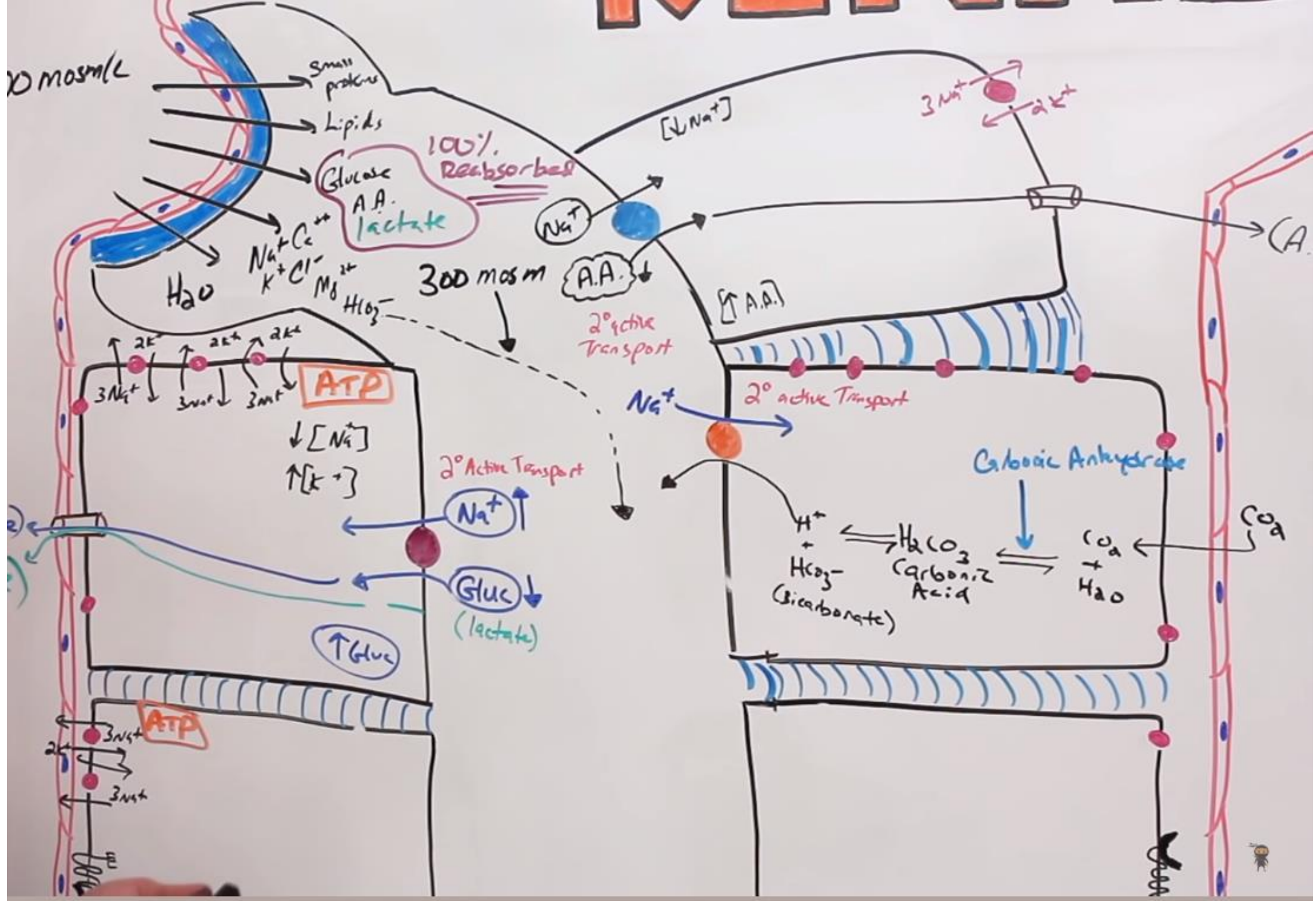
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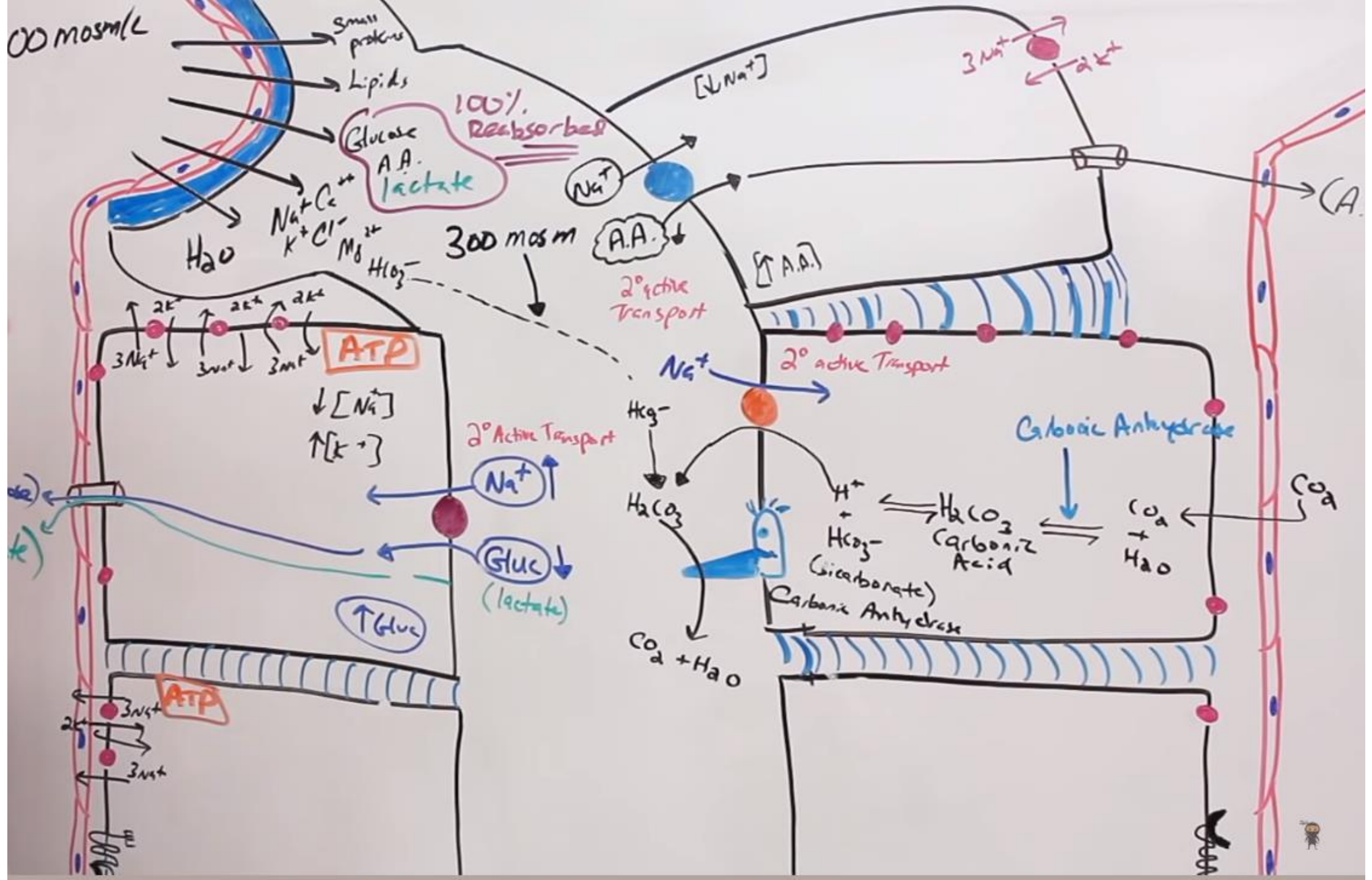
[$\downarrow \text{Na}^+$]

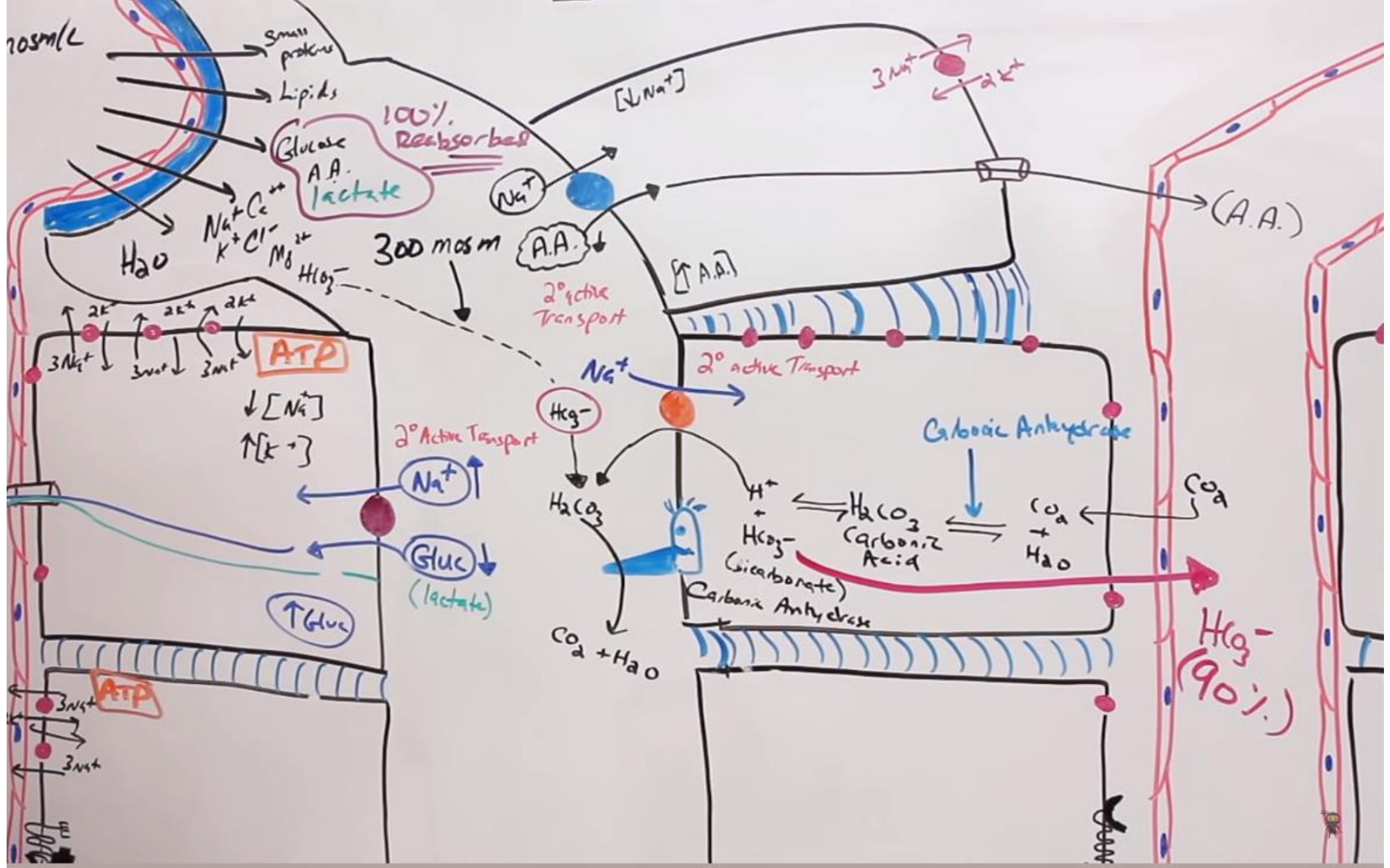
3 Na^+ / 2 K^+

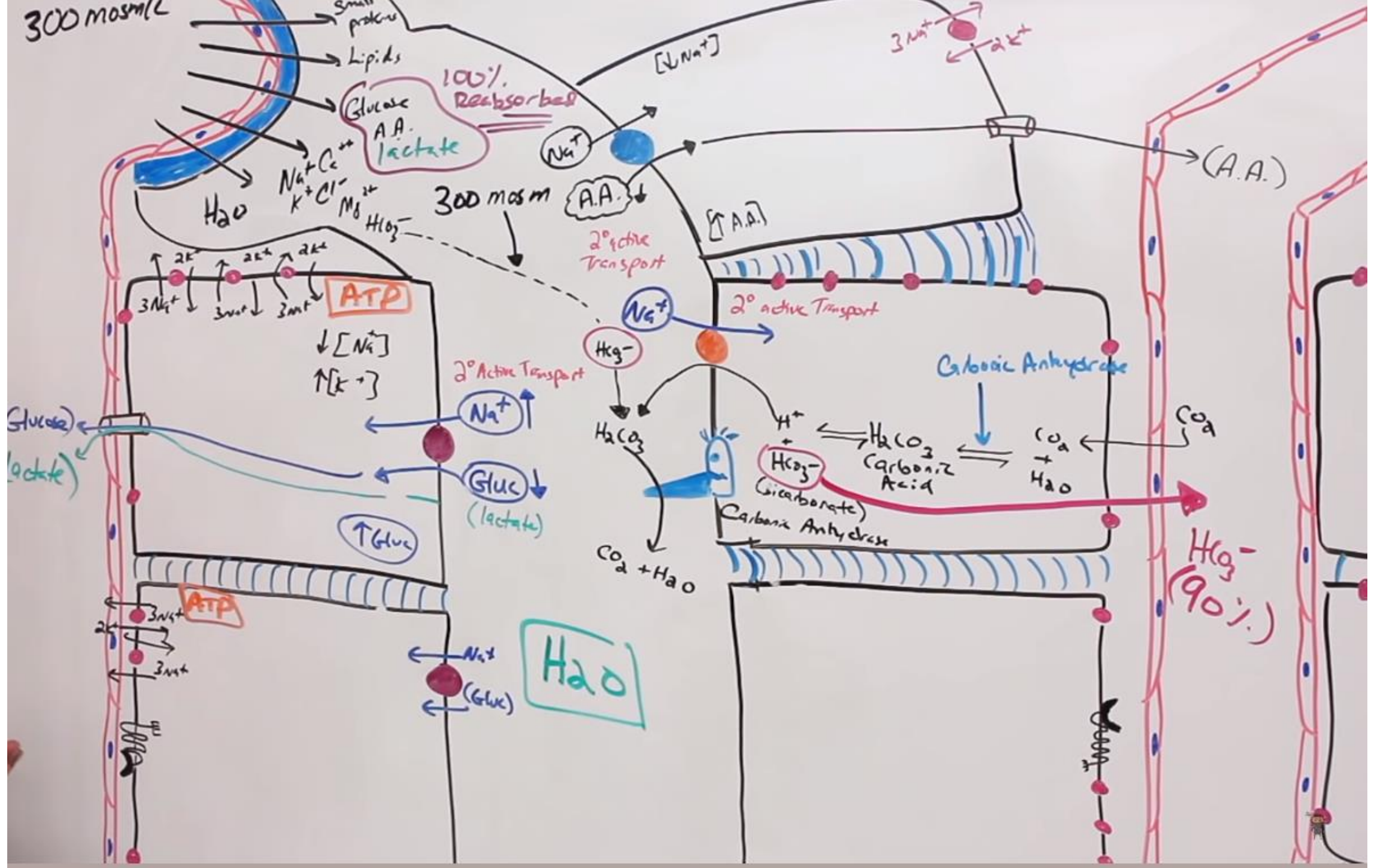












300 mosm/L

Small proteins
Lipids
Glucose
A.A.
lactate

100% Reabsorbed

H_2O
 Na^+ Ca^{++}
 K^+ Cl^-
 Mg^{++}
 HCO_3^-

300 mosm

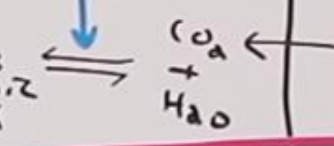
A.A.

2° active Transport

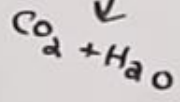
Na^+

2° active Transport

Carbonic Anhydrase



Carbonic Anhydrase



HCO_3^- (90%)

2° Active Transport

Na^+

Gluc (lactate)

\uparrow Gluc

ATP

ATP

H_2O

Na^+ (Gluc)

Na^+

H_2O

(Glucose)
(lactate)

(A.A.)

$[\downarrow \text{Na}^+]$

3Na^+ 2K^+

$[\uparrow \text{A.A.}]$

$\downarrow [\text{Na}^+]$
 $\uparrow [\text{K}^+]$

Na^+

Gluc (lactate)

\uparrow Gluc

ATP

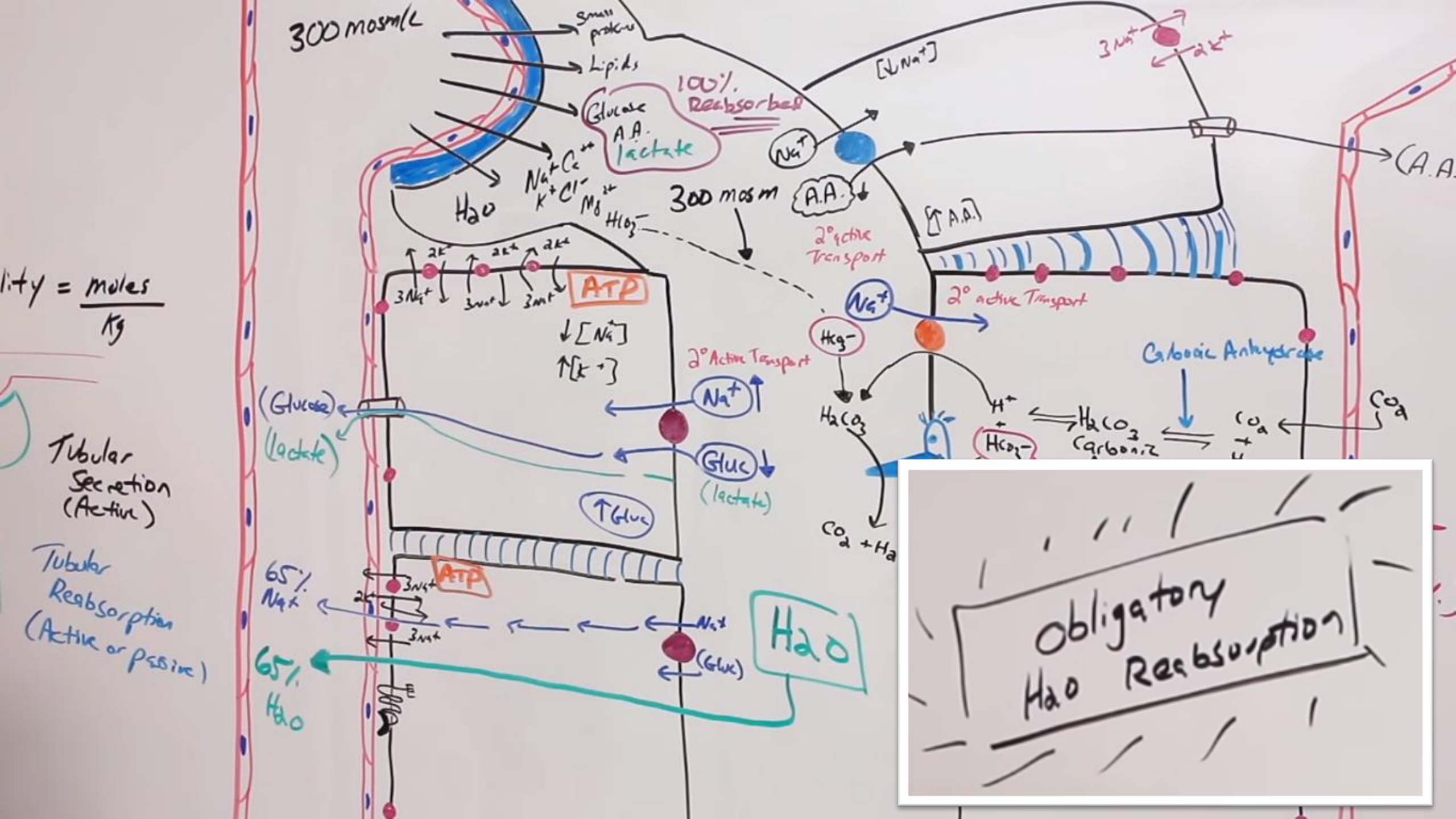
Na^+

Na^+

H_2O

H_2O





300 mosm/L

- Small proteins
- Lipids
- Glucose
- A.A.
- lactate

100% Reabsorbed

- Na⁺ + Cl⁻
- K⁺ + Cl⁻
- Mg²⁺
- H₂O

300 mosm

Na⁺

A.A.

2° active Transport

[A.A.]

2° active Transport

2° Active Transport

Na⁺

HCO₃⁻

Carbonic Anhydrase

H₂CO₃

H⁺

HCO₃⁻

Carboniz

CO₂

CO₂

CO₂ + H₂O

$$\text{Concentration} = \frac{\text{moles}}{\text{kg}}$$

Tubular Secretion (Active)

Tubular Reabsorption (Active or passive)

65% Na⁺

65% H₂O

ATP

↓ [Na⁺]

↑ [K⁺]

2° Active Transport

Na⁺

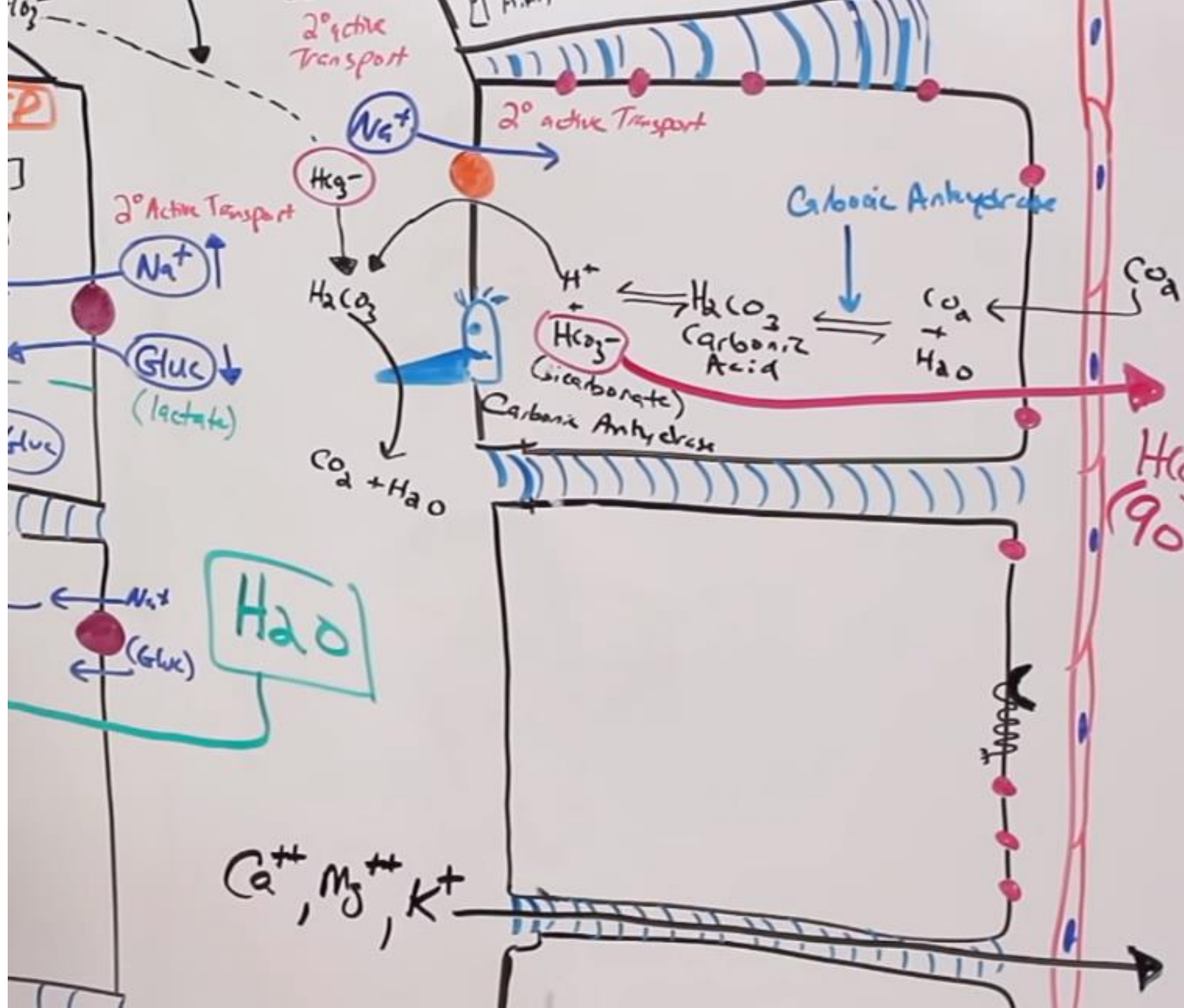
Gluc (lactate)

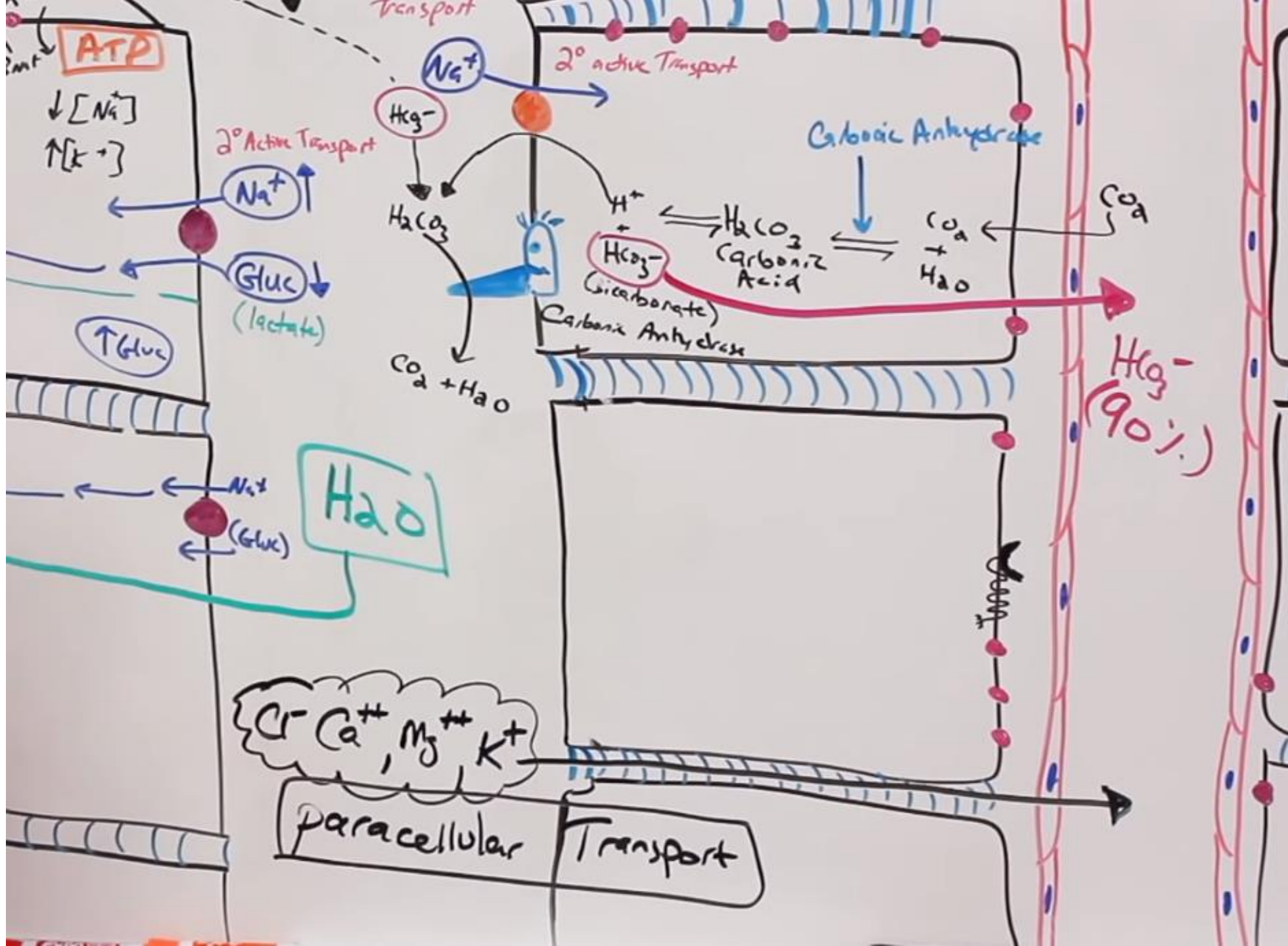
↑ Gluc

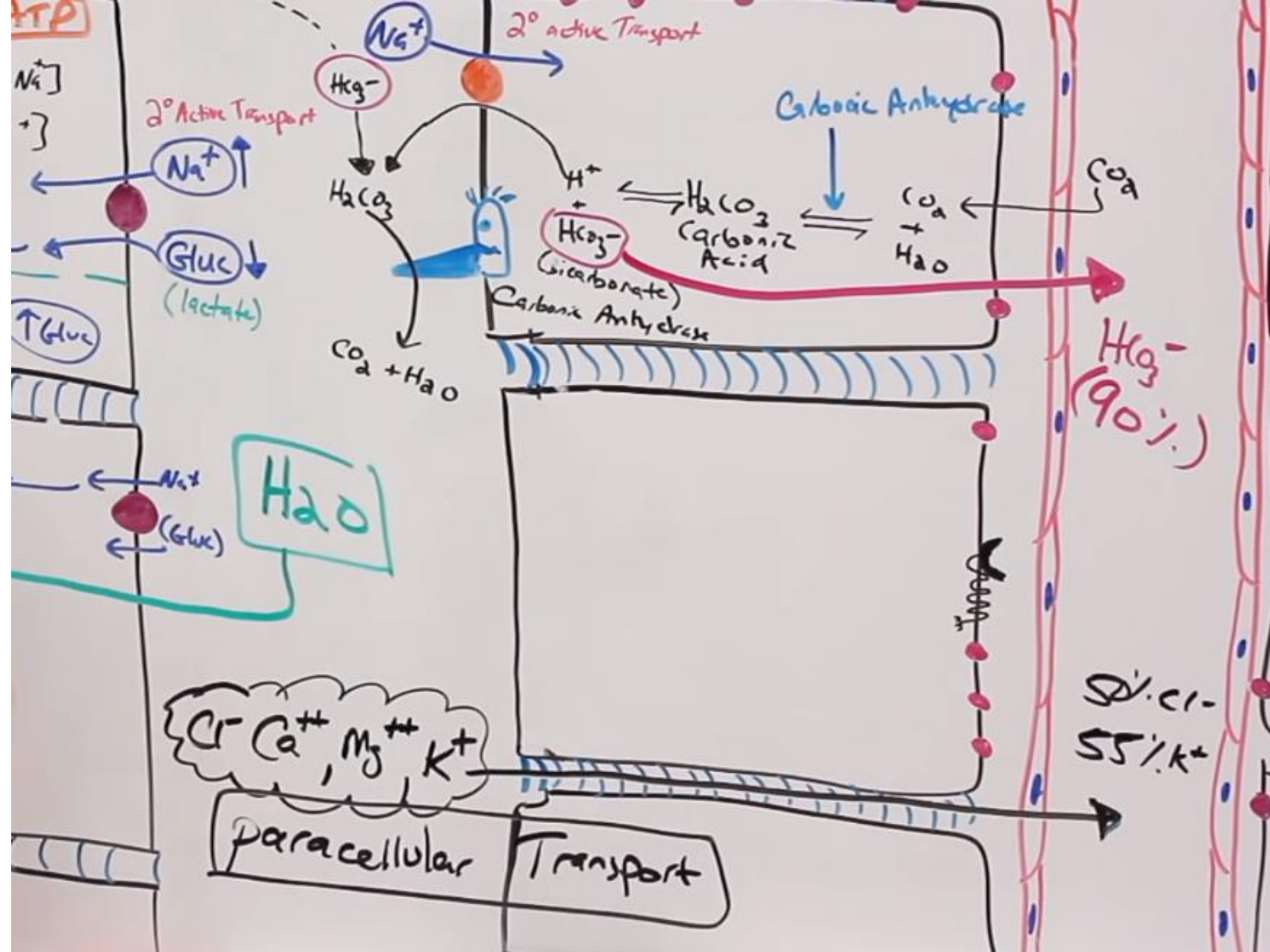
H₂O

Na⁺ (Gluc)

Obligatory H₂O Reabsorption







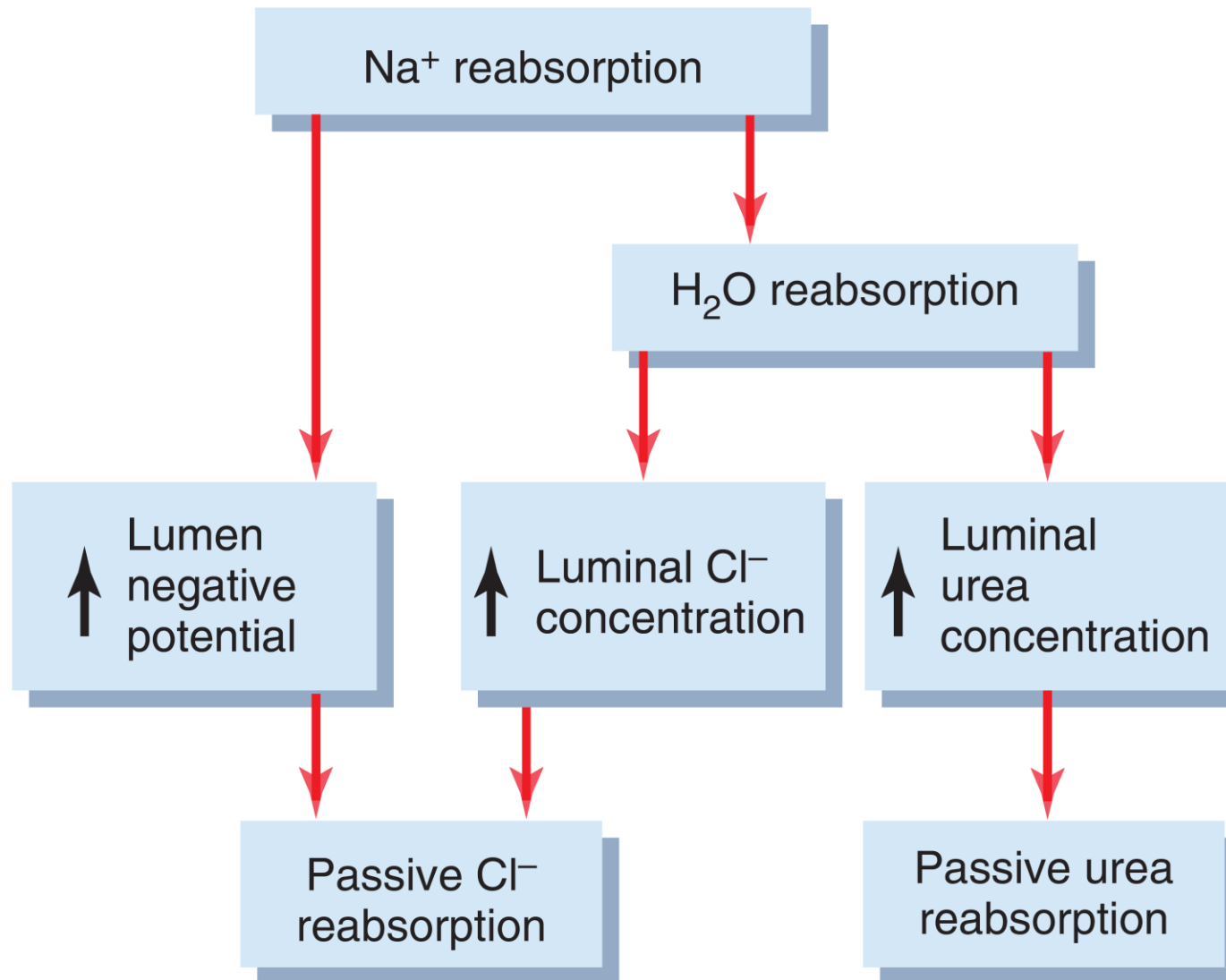
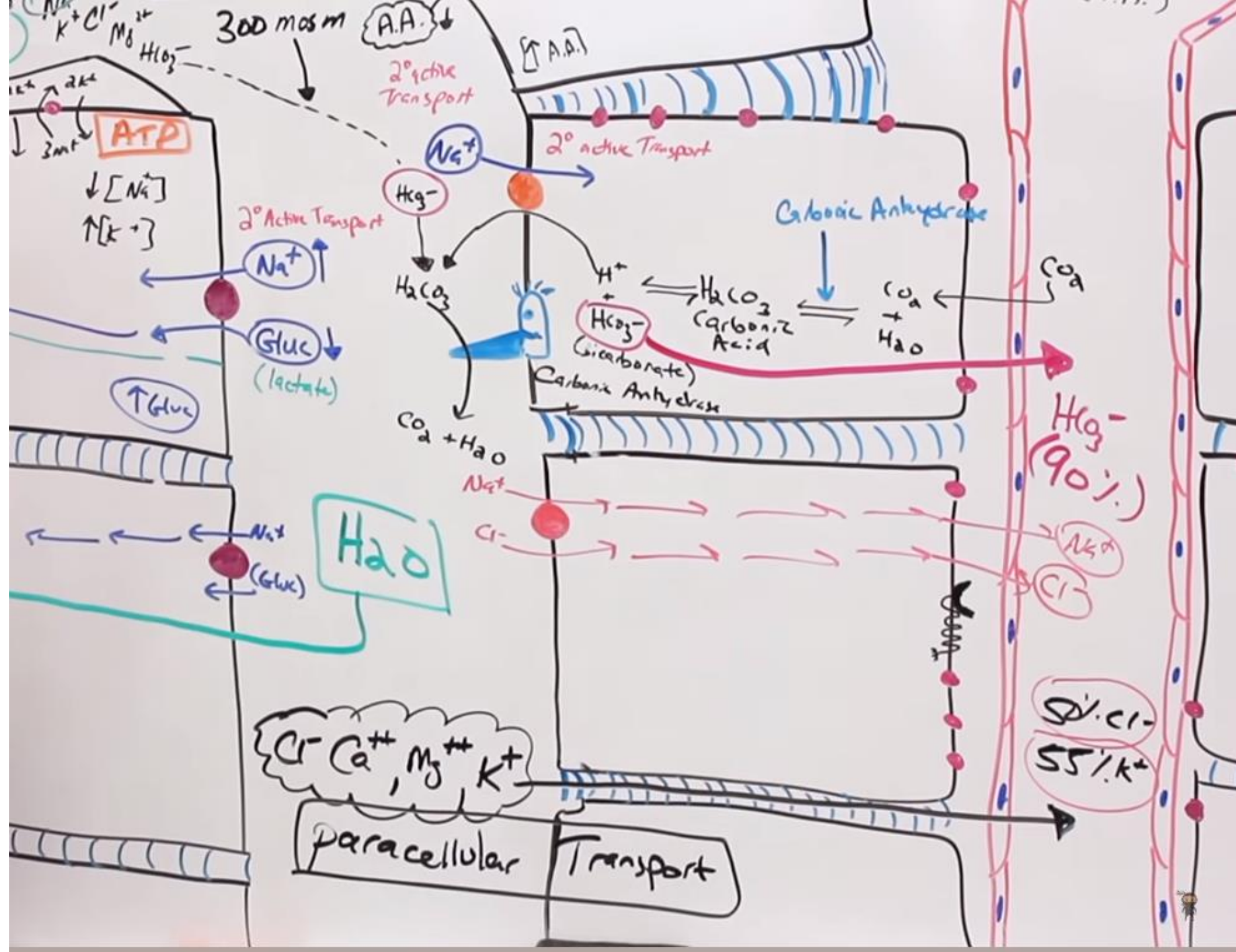


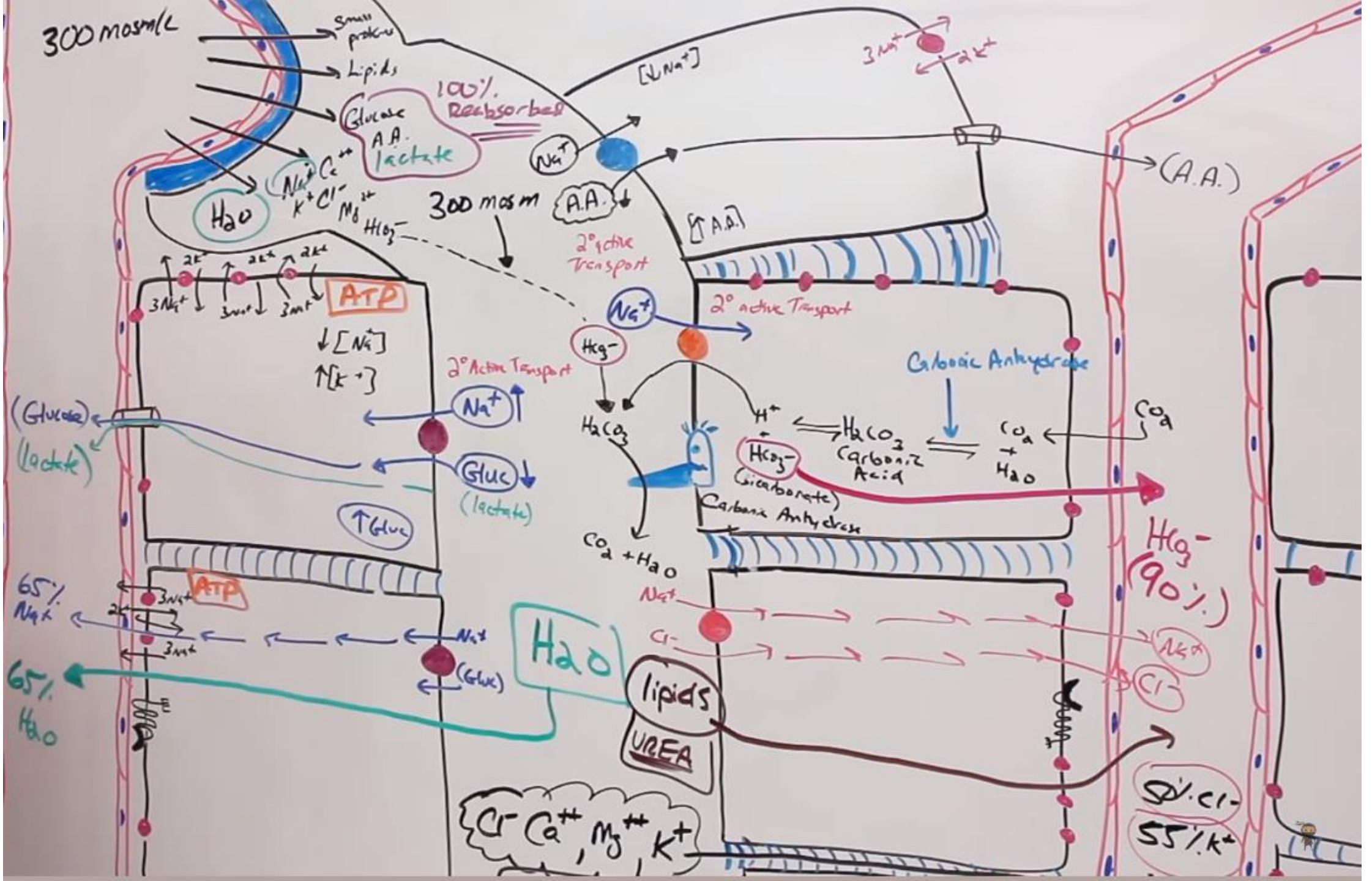
Figure 28-5. Mechanisms by which water, chloride, and urea reabsorption are coupled with sodium reabsorption.

When sodium is reabsorbed through the tubular epithelial cell, negative ions such as chloride are transported along with sodium because of electrical potentials. That is, transport of positively charged sodium ions out of the lumen leaves the inside of the lumen negatively charged, compared with the interstitial fluid. This environment causes chloride ions to diffuse passively through the para-cellular pathway. Additional reabsorption of chloride ions occurs because of a chloride concentration gradient that develops when water is reabsorbed from the tubule by osmosis, thereby concentrating the chloride ions in the tubular lumen. Thus, the active reabsorption of sodium is closely coupled to the passive reabsorption of chloride by way of an electrical potential and a chloride concentration gradient.

Chloride ions can also be reabsorbed by secondary active transport. The most important of the secondary active transport processes for chloride reabsorption involves co-transport of chloride with sodium across the luminal membrane.

Urea is also passively reabsorbed from the tubule, but to a much lesser extent than chloride ions. As water is reabsorbed from the tubules (by osmosis coupled to sodium reabsorption), urea concentration in the tubular lumen increases. This increase creates a concentration gradient favoring the reabsorption of urea. However, urea does not permeate the tubule as readily as does water. In some parts of the nephron, especially the inner medullary collecting duct, passive urea reabsorption is facilitated by specific urea transporters. Yet, only about one half of the urea that is filtered by the glomerular capillaries is reabsorbed from the tubules. The remainder of the urea passes into the urine, allowing the kidneys to excrete large amounts of this waste product of metabolism. In mammals, more than 90 percent of waste nitrogen, mainly generated in the liver as a product of protein metabolism, is normally excreted by the kidneys as urea.





00 mosm/L

Insulin
Hb

Small proteins

Lipids

Glucose
A.A.
lactate

100%
Reabsorbed

[↓ Na⁺]

H₂O

Na⁺ Ca⁺⁺
K⁺ Cl⁻
Mg⁺⁺
HCO₃⁻

300 mosm

A.A.

2° active
transport

[↑ A.A.]

3Na⁺ ↑
2K⁺ ↓
3Na⁺ ↓
2K⁺ ↓
3Na⁺ ↓
2K⁺ ↓

ATP

↓ [Na⁺]
↑ [K⁺]

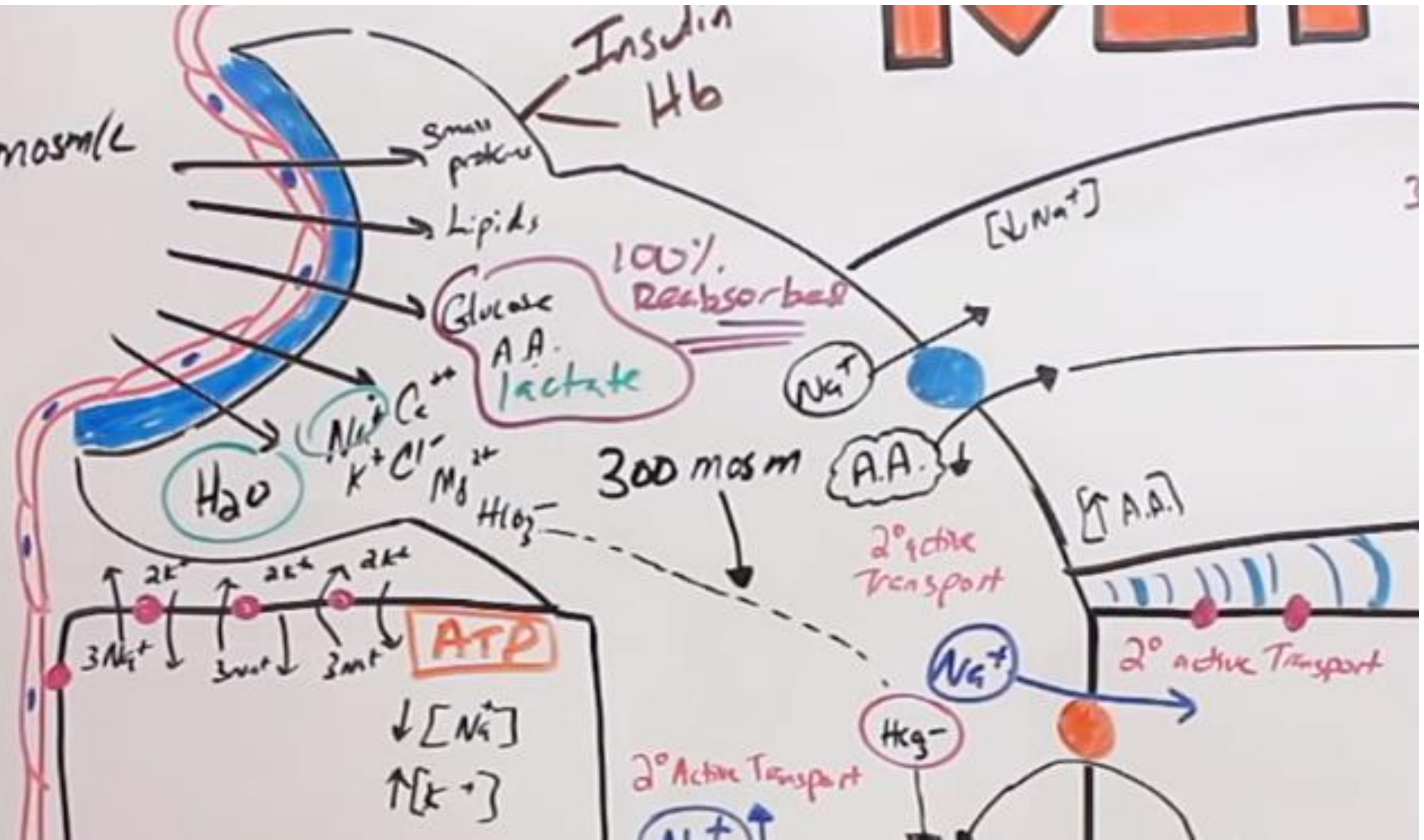
2° Active Transport

Na⁺

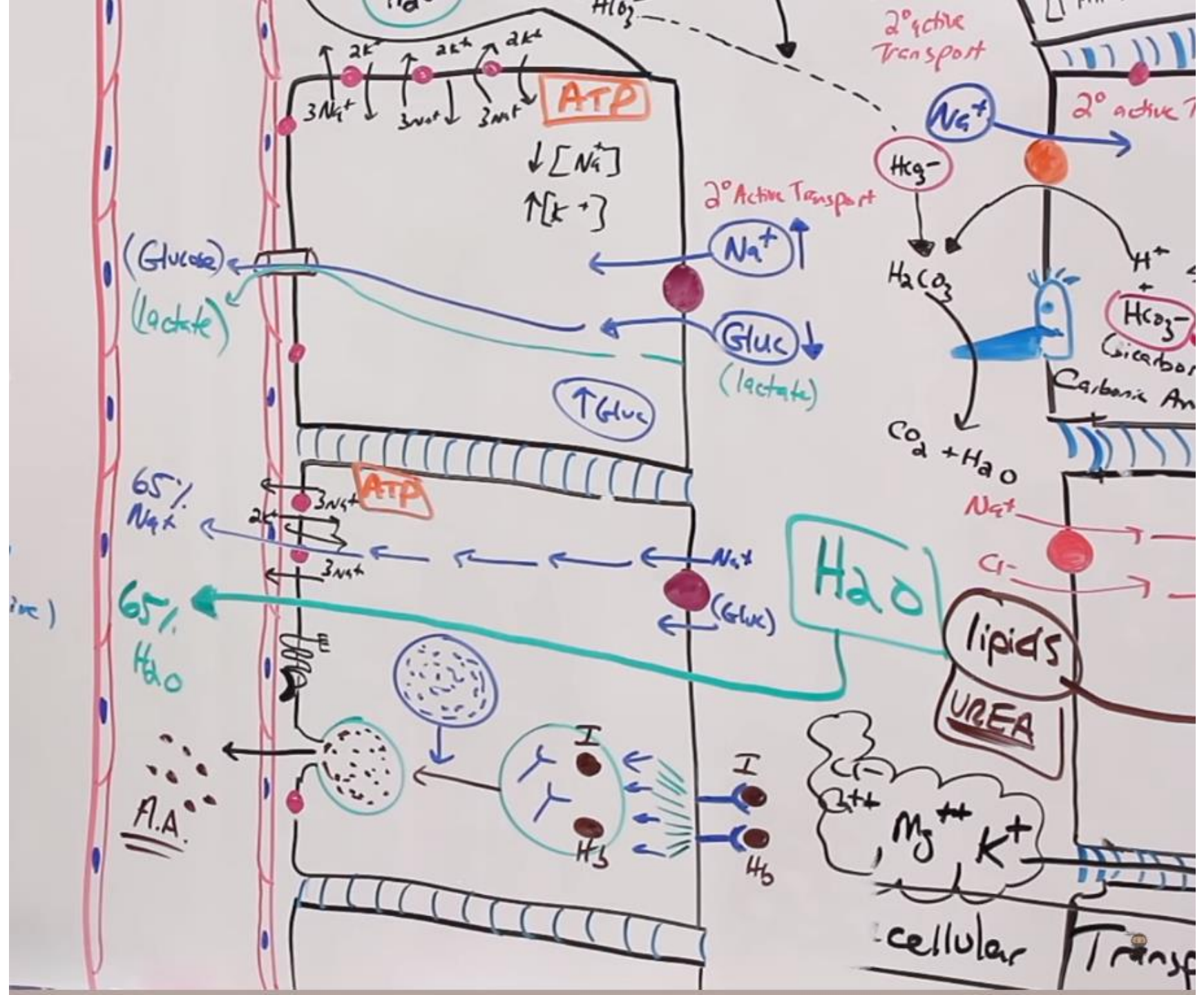
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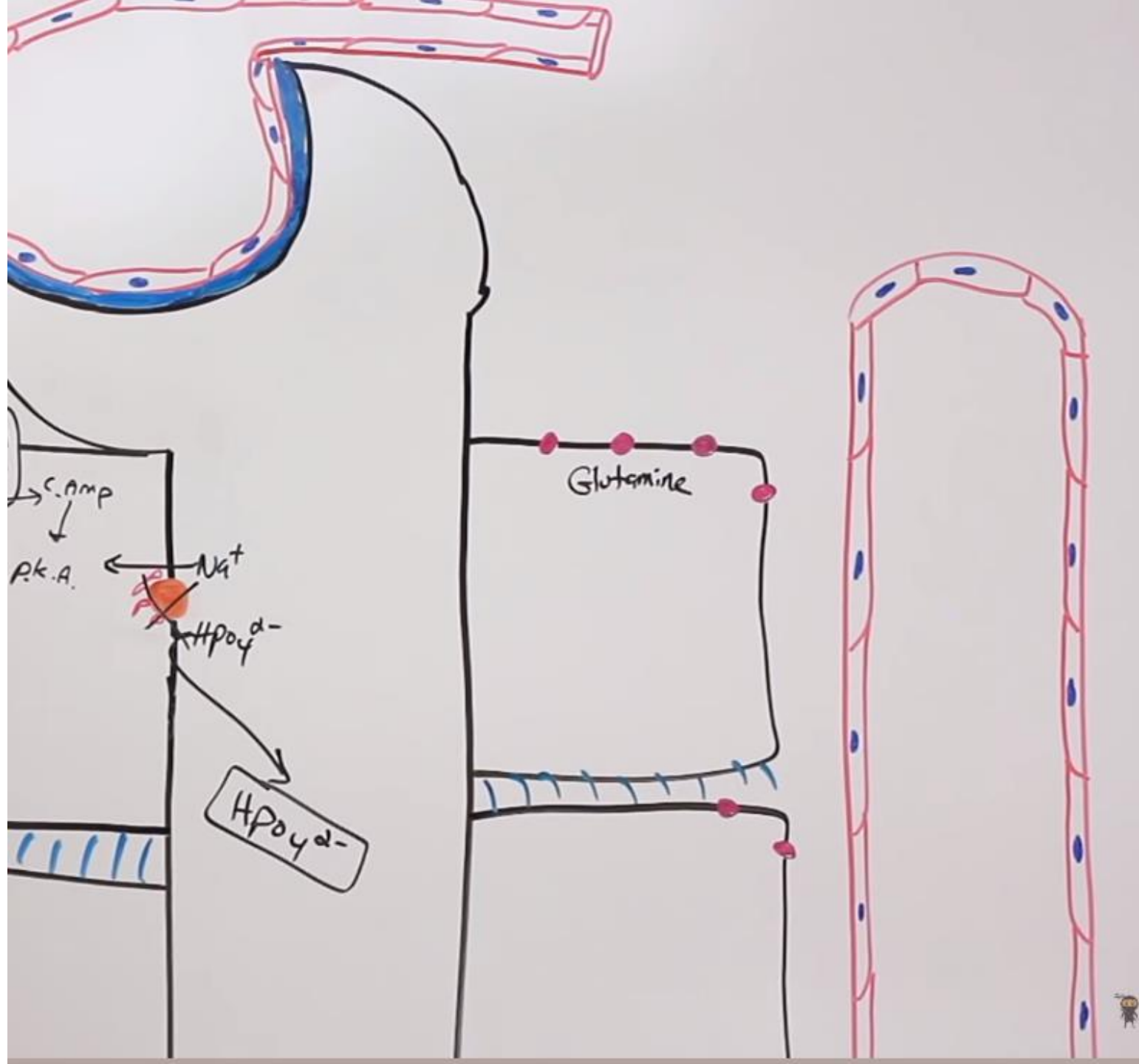
Hg⁻

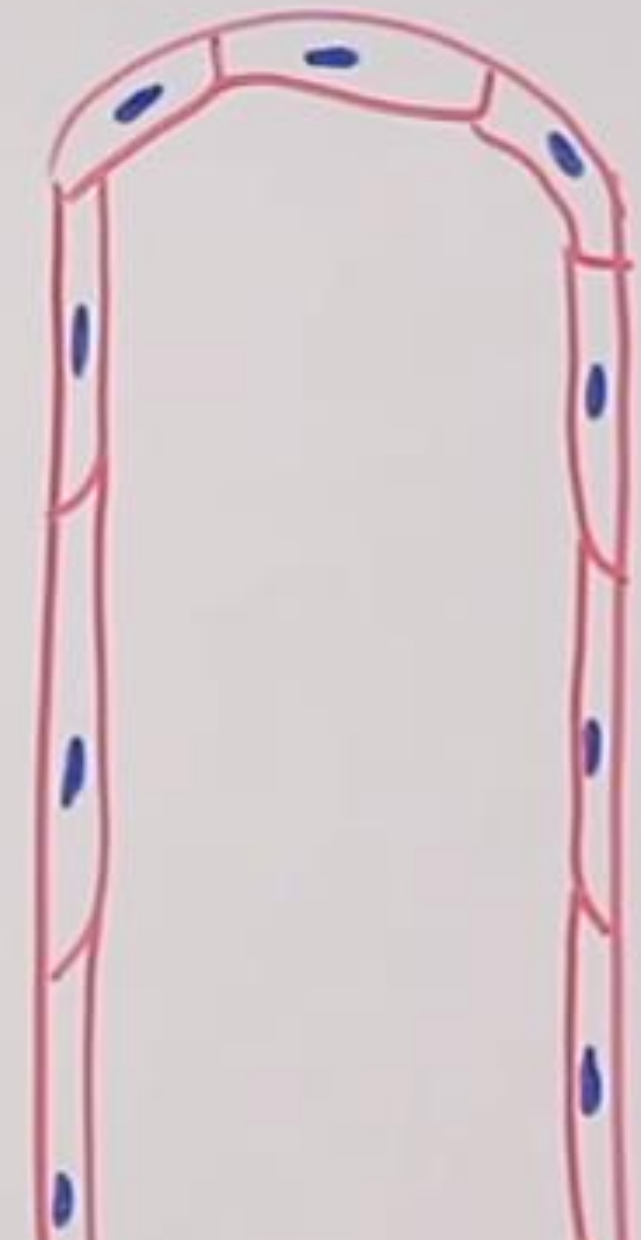
↑ [H⁺]





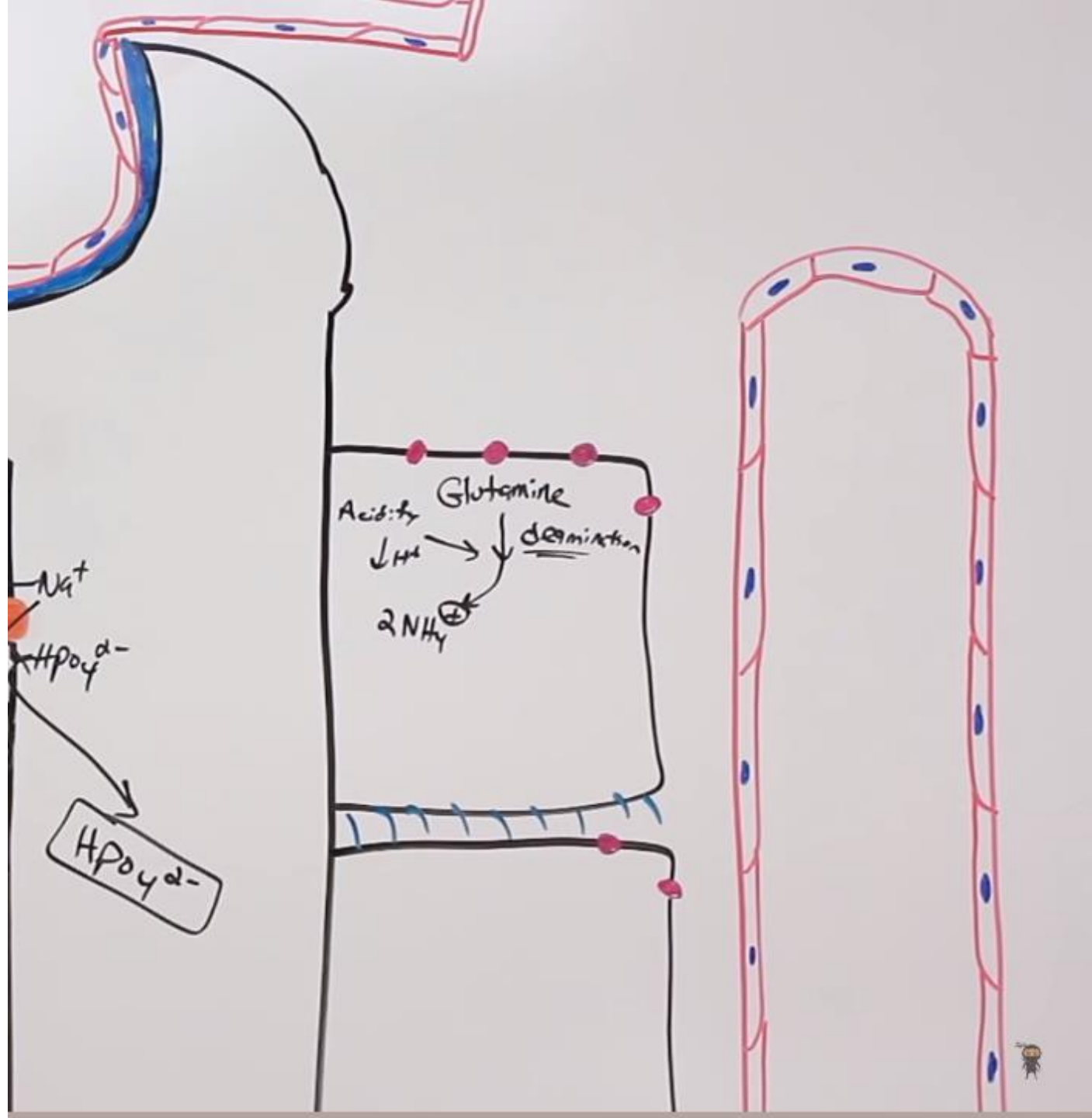




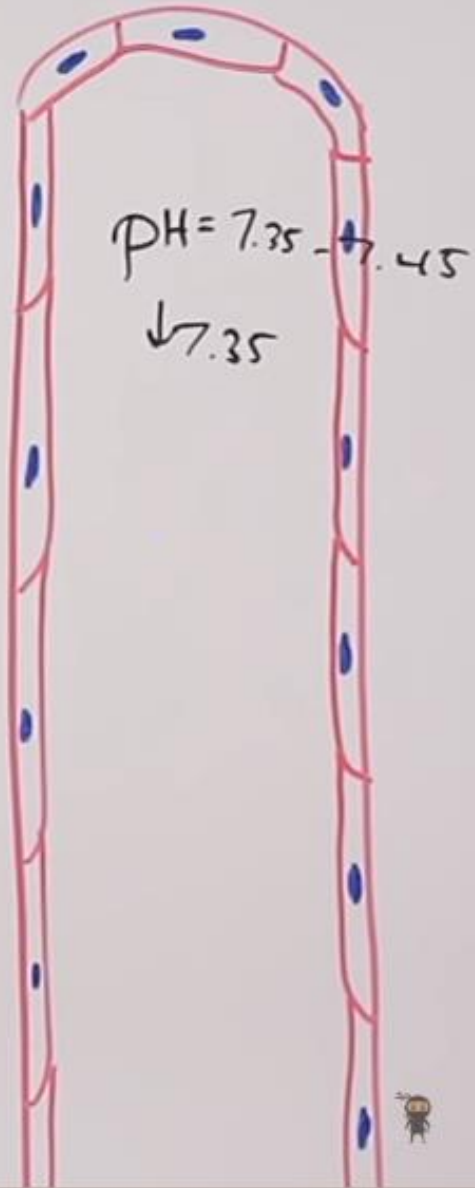
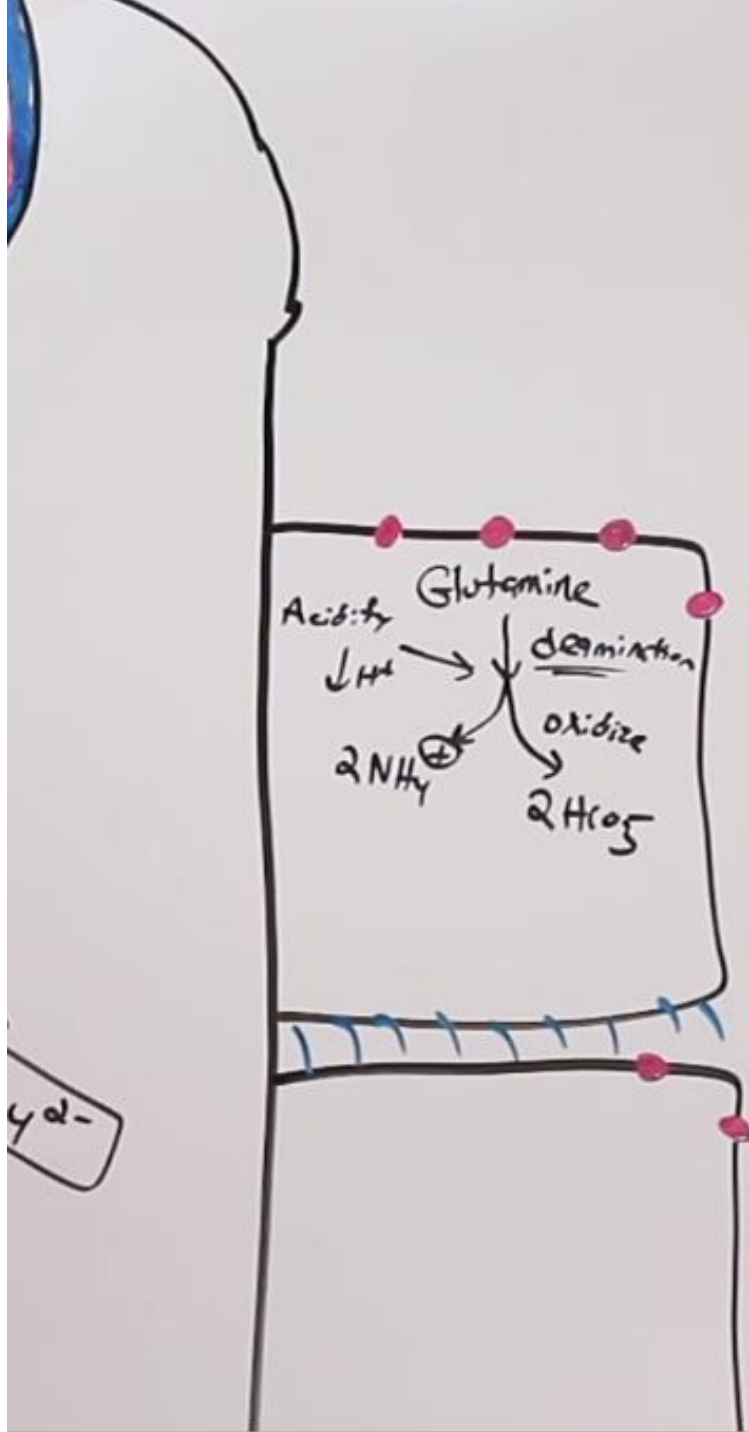


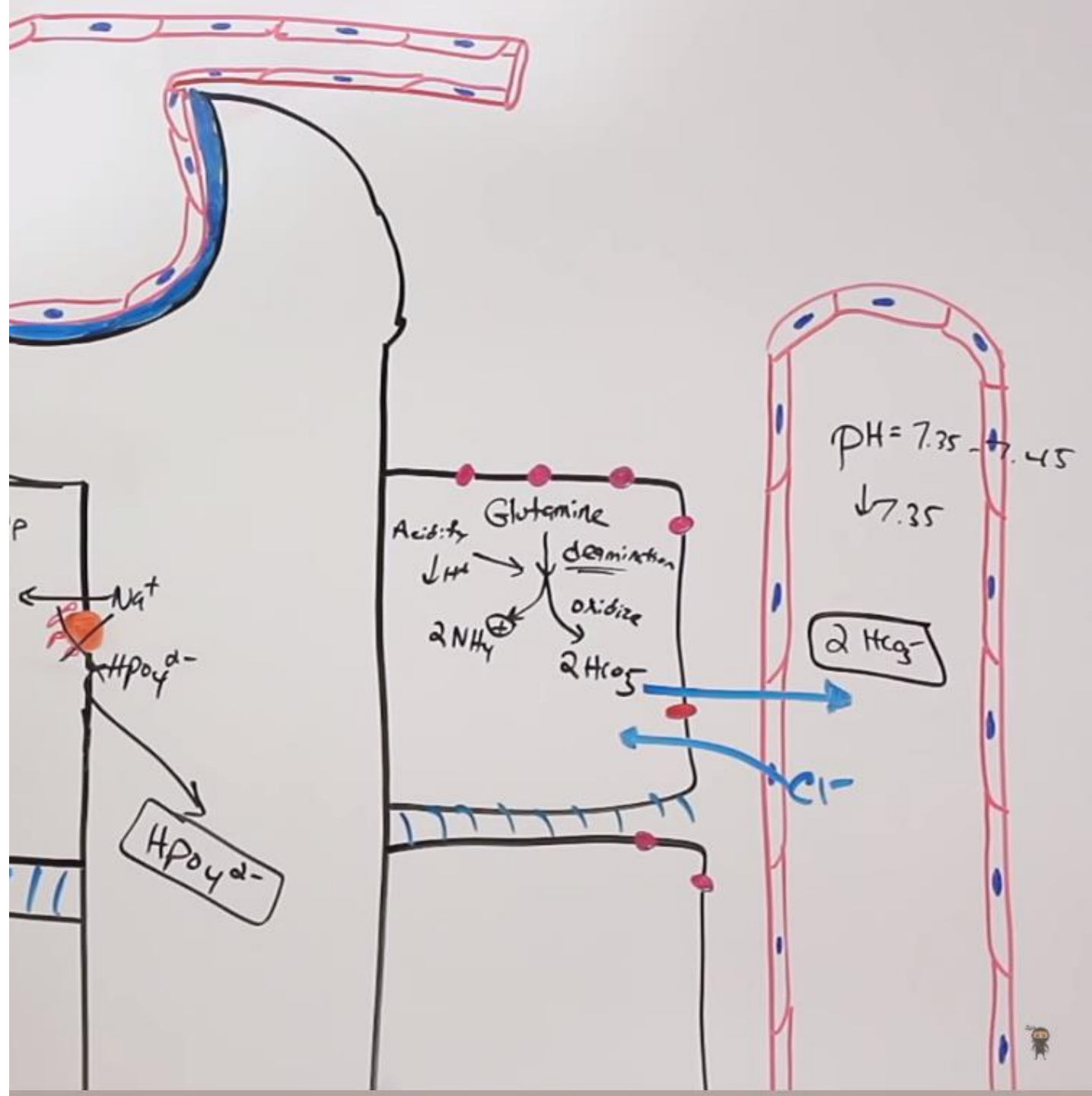
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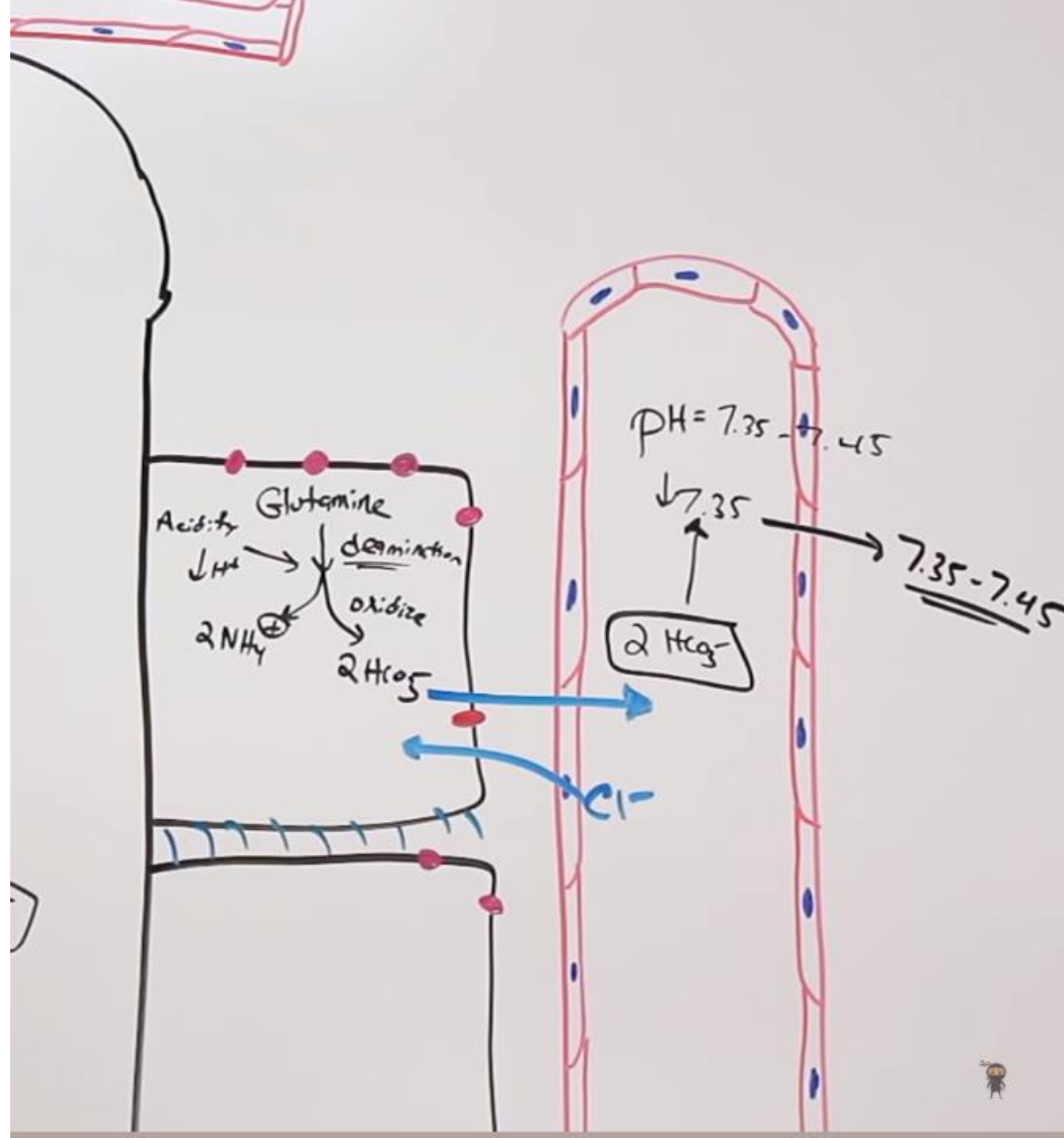


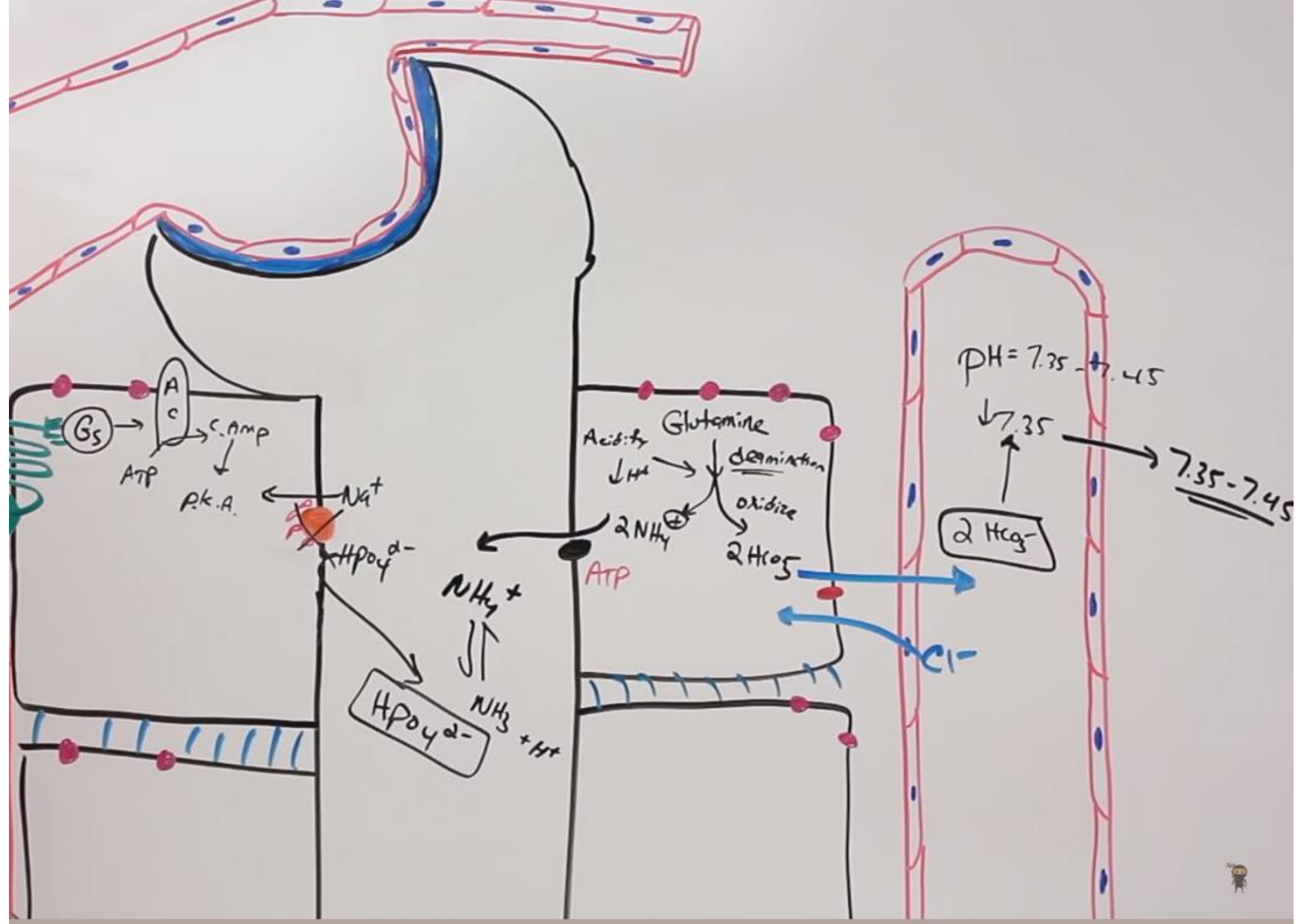


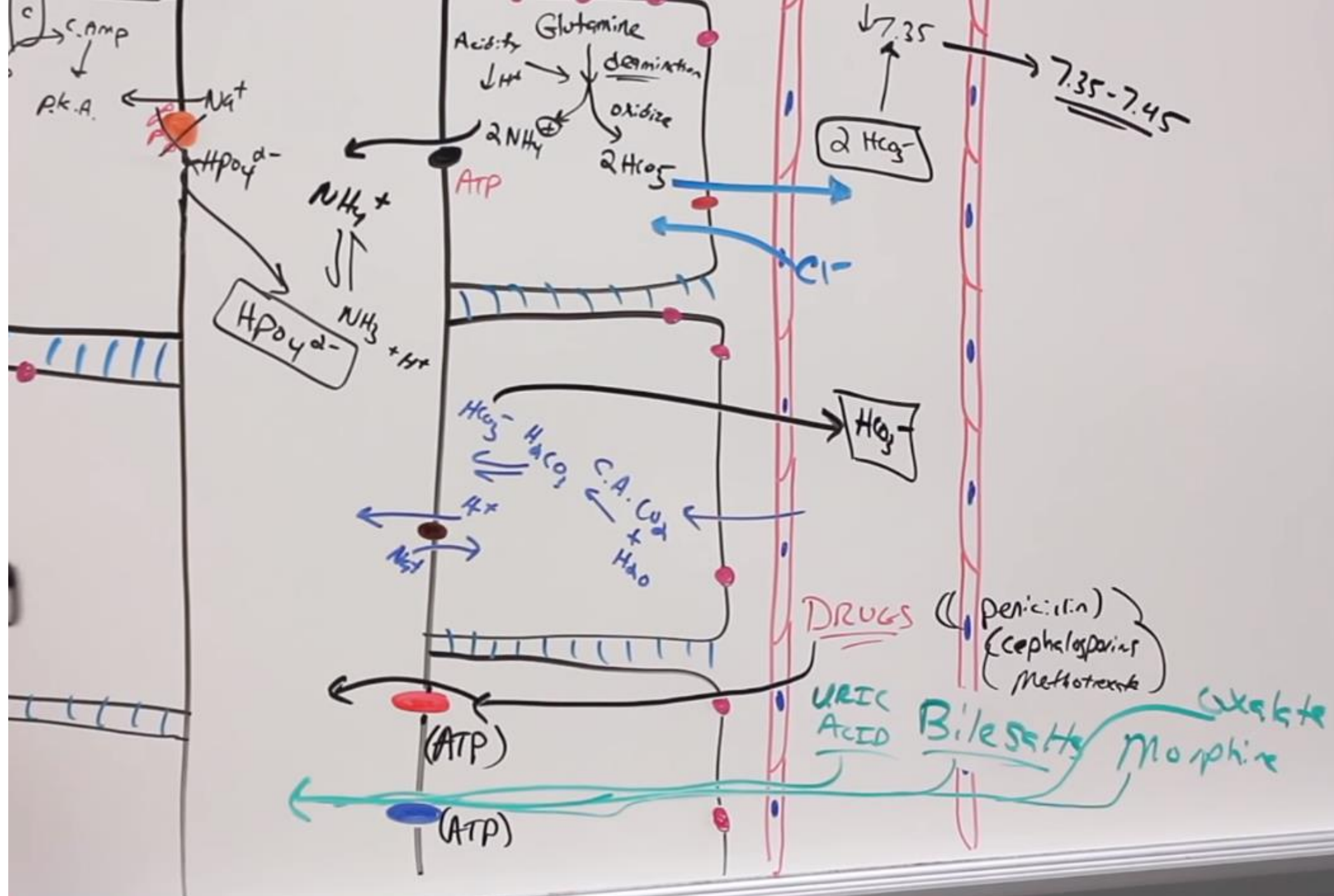






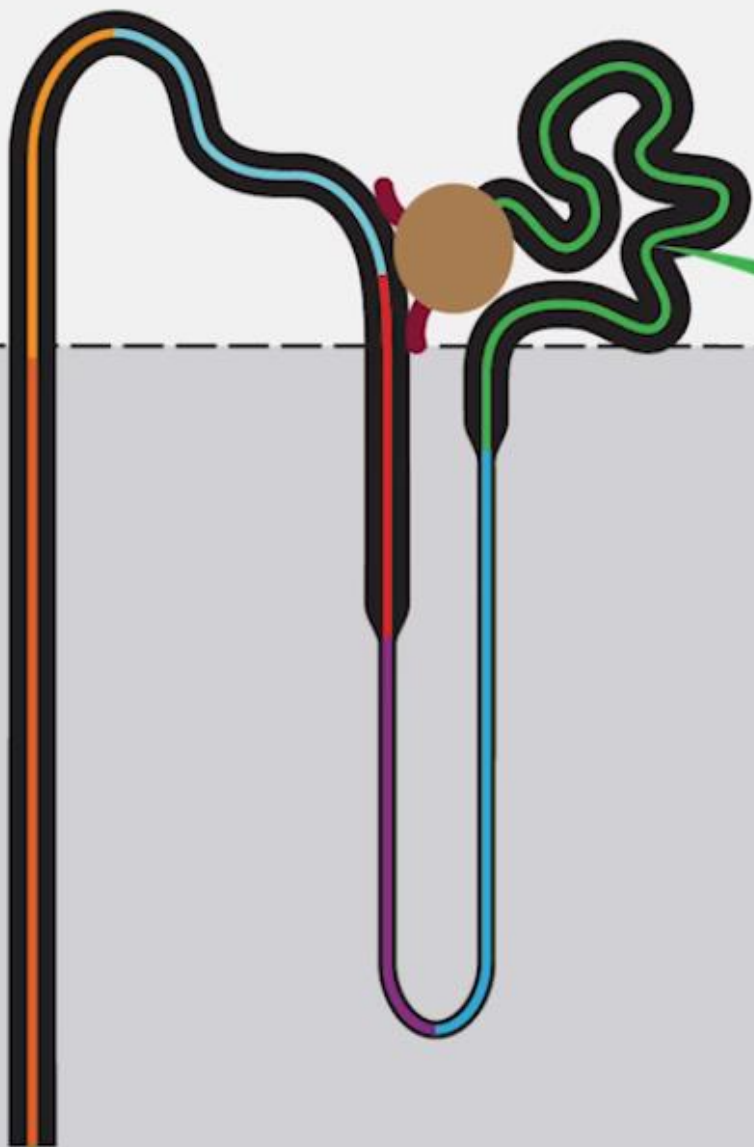




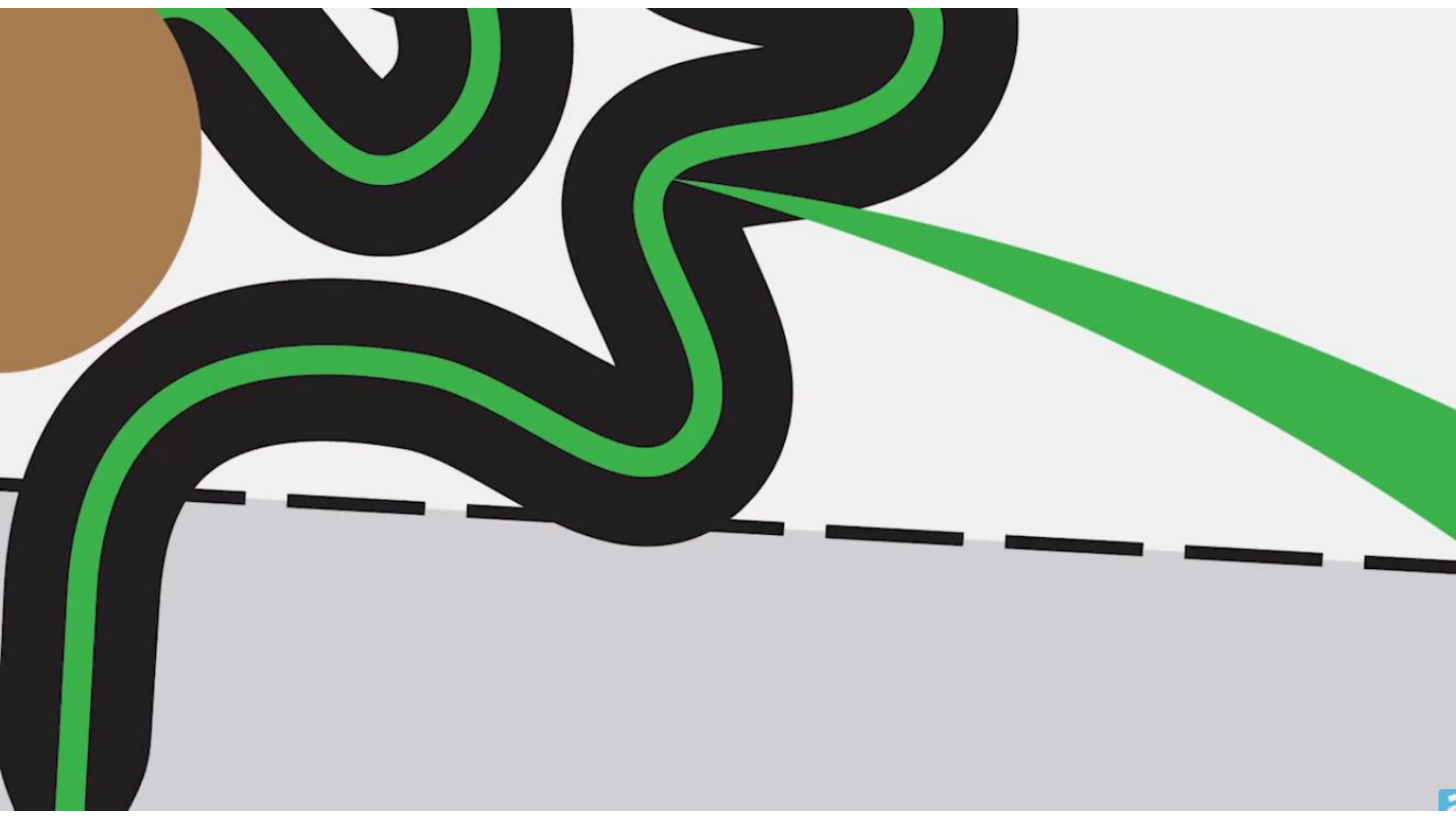


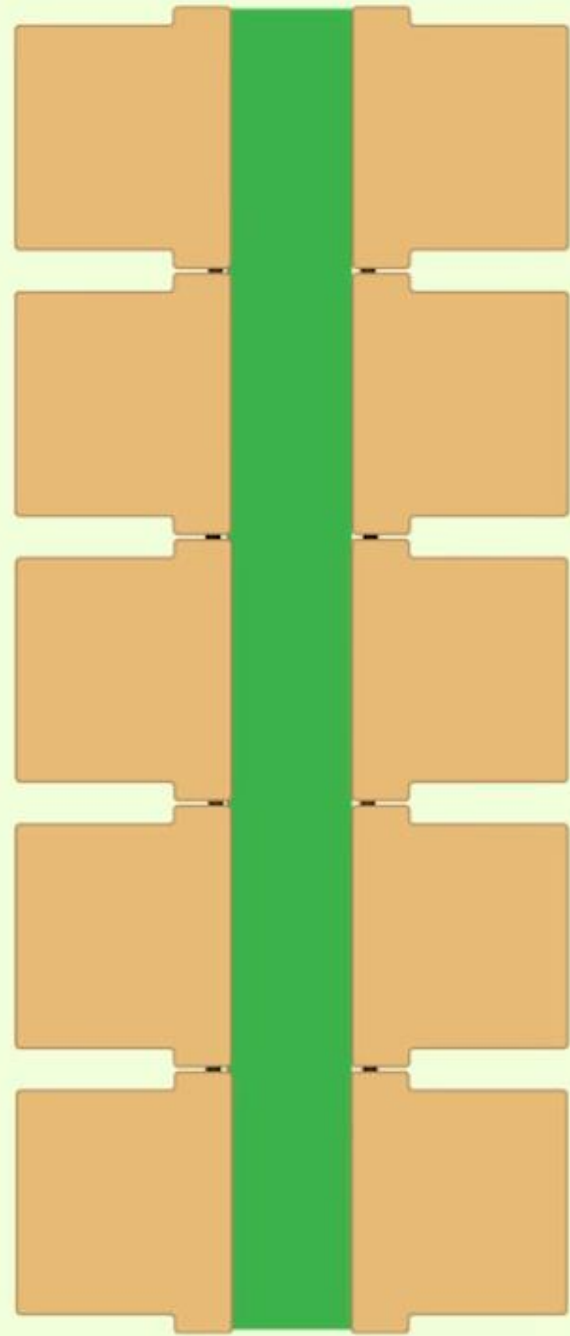
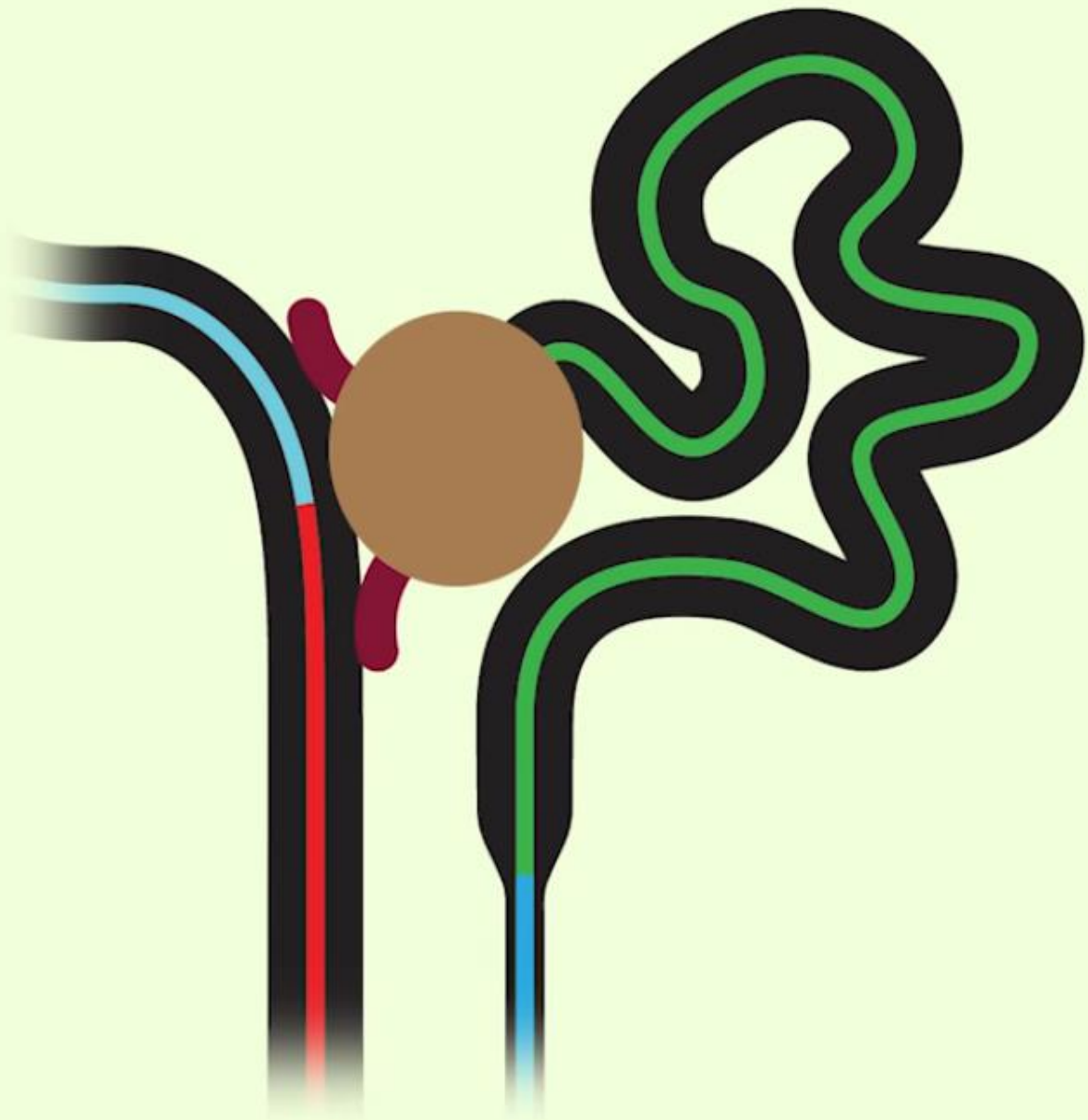
Cortex

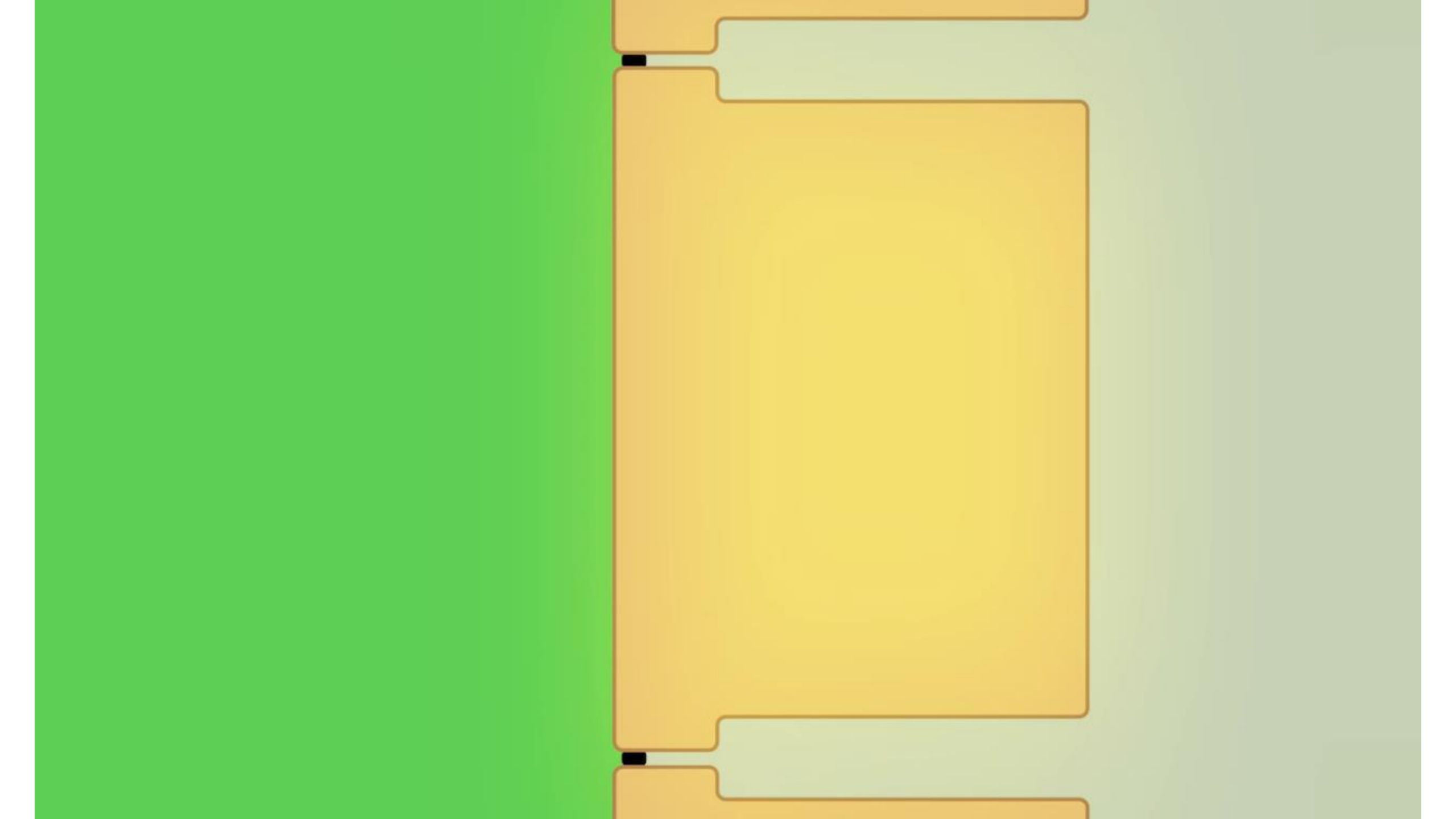
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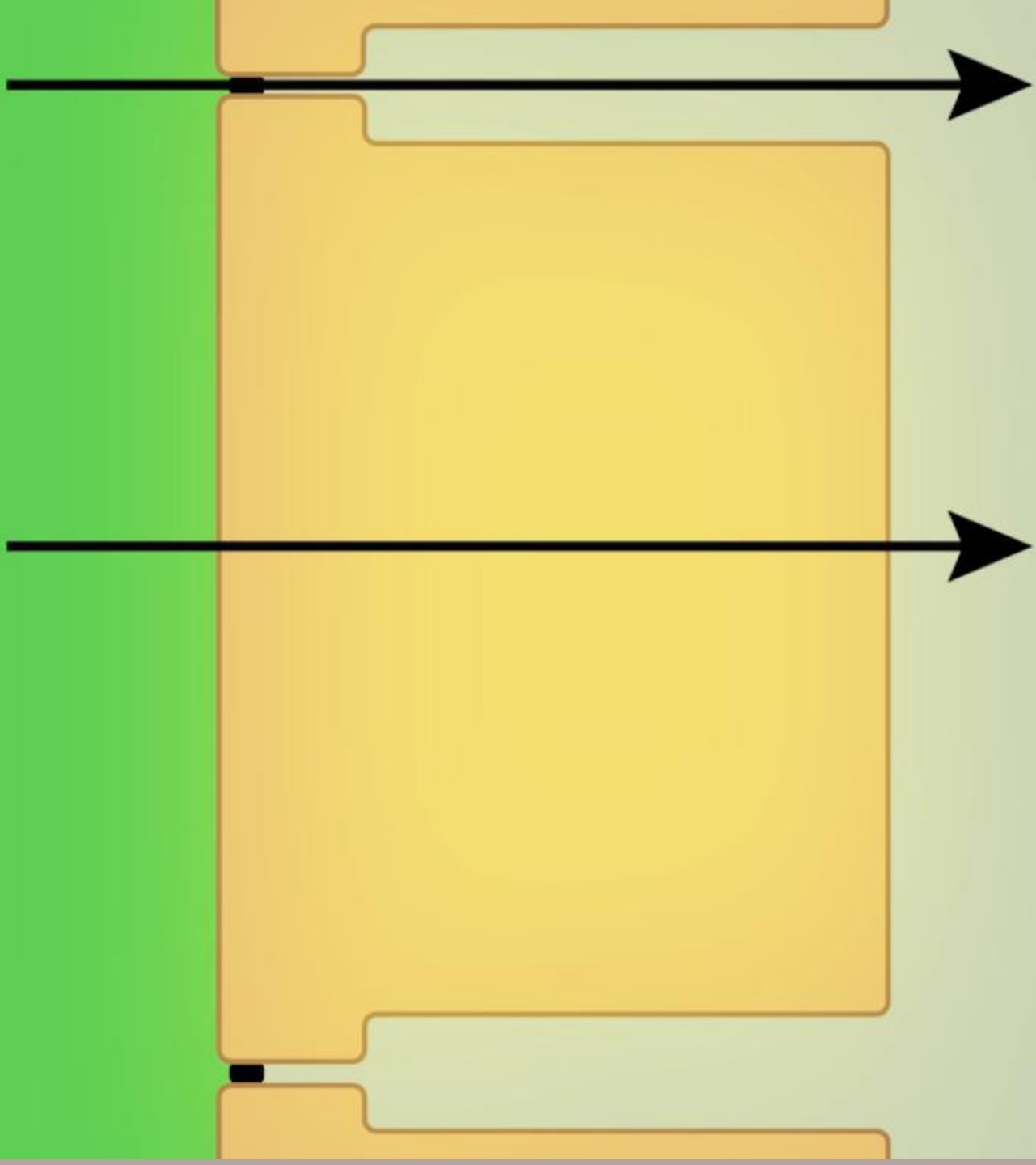
Proximal Convoluted Tubule
65-85% Na⁺ Reabsorption



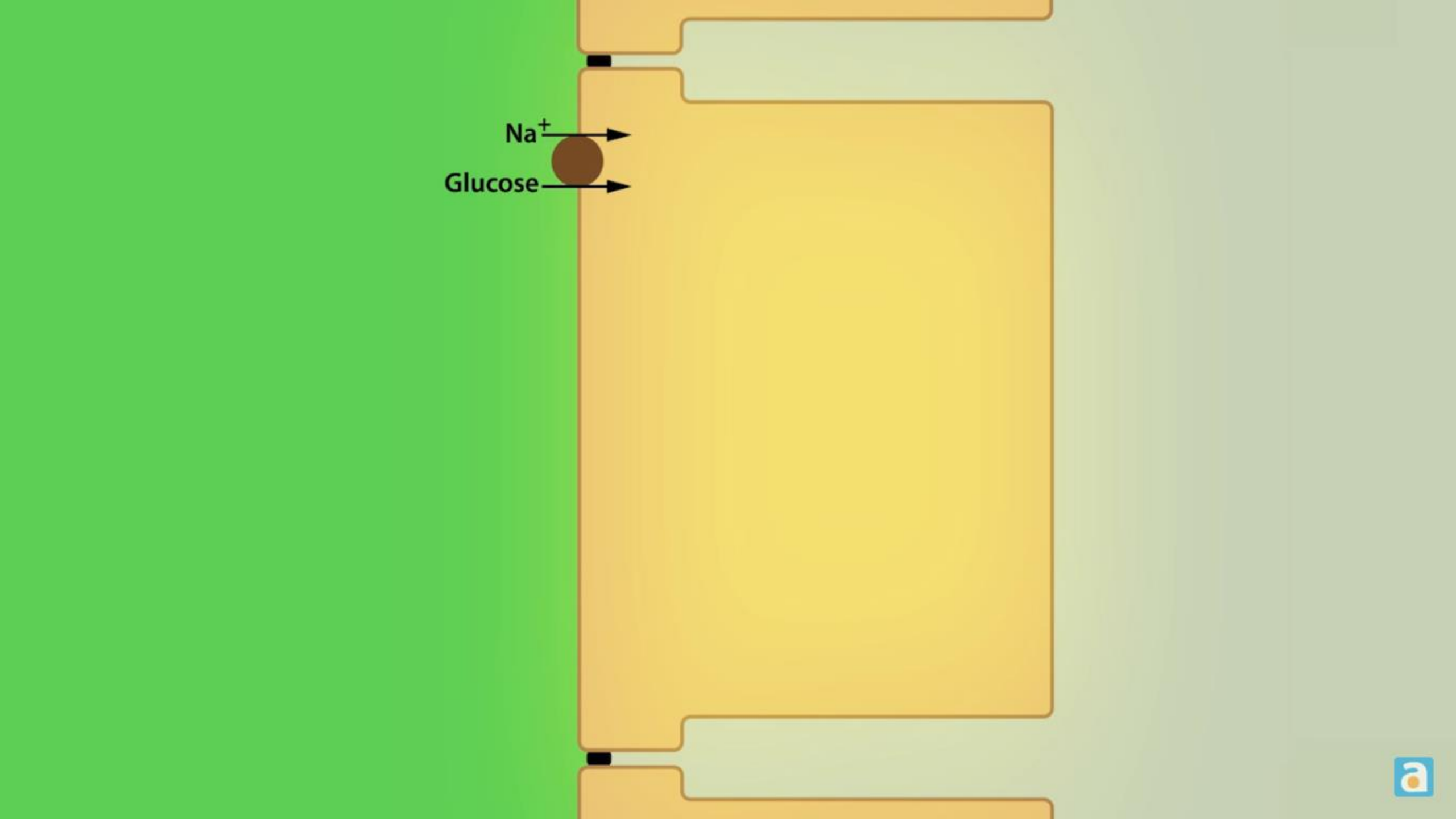




<10% Paracellular



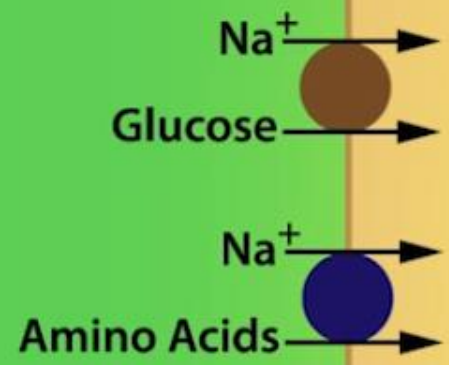
>90% Transcellular

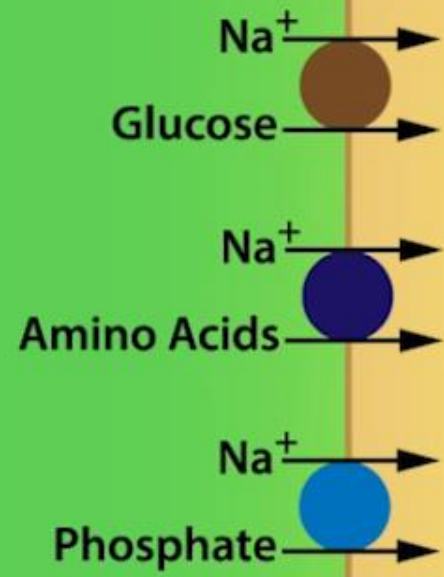


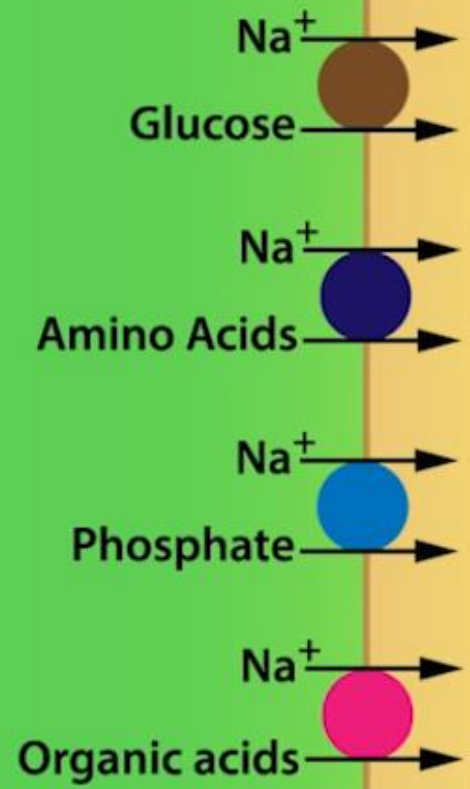
The diagram illustrates a cross-section of a cell membrane. On the left, a green area represents the extracellular space, and on the right, a light yellow area represents the intracellular space. A brown circular protein channel is embedded in the membrane, with two arrows pointing from the green area into the yellow area. The top arrow is labeled "Na⁺" and the bottom arrow is labeled "Glucose".

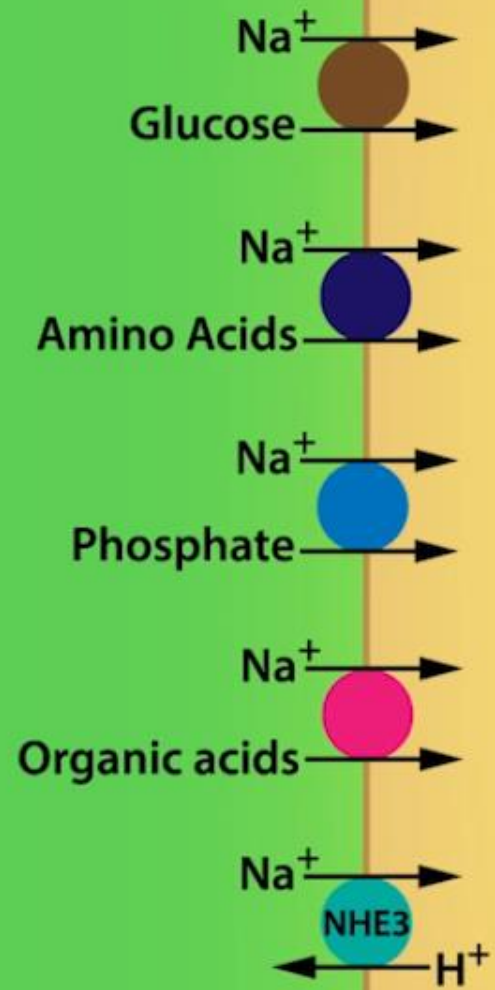
Na⁺

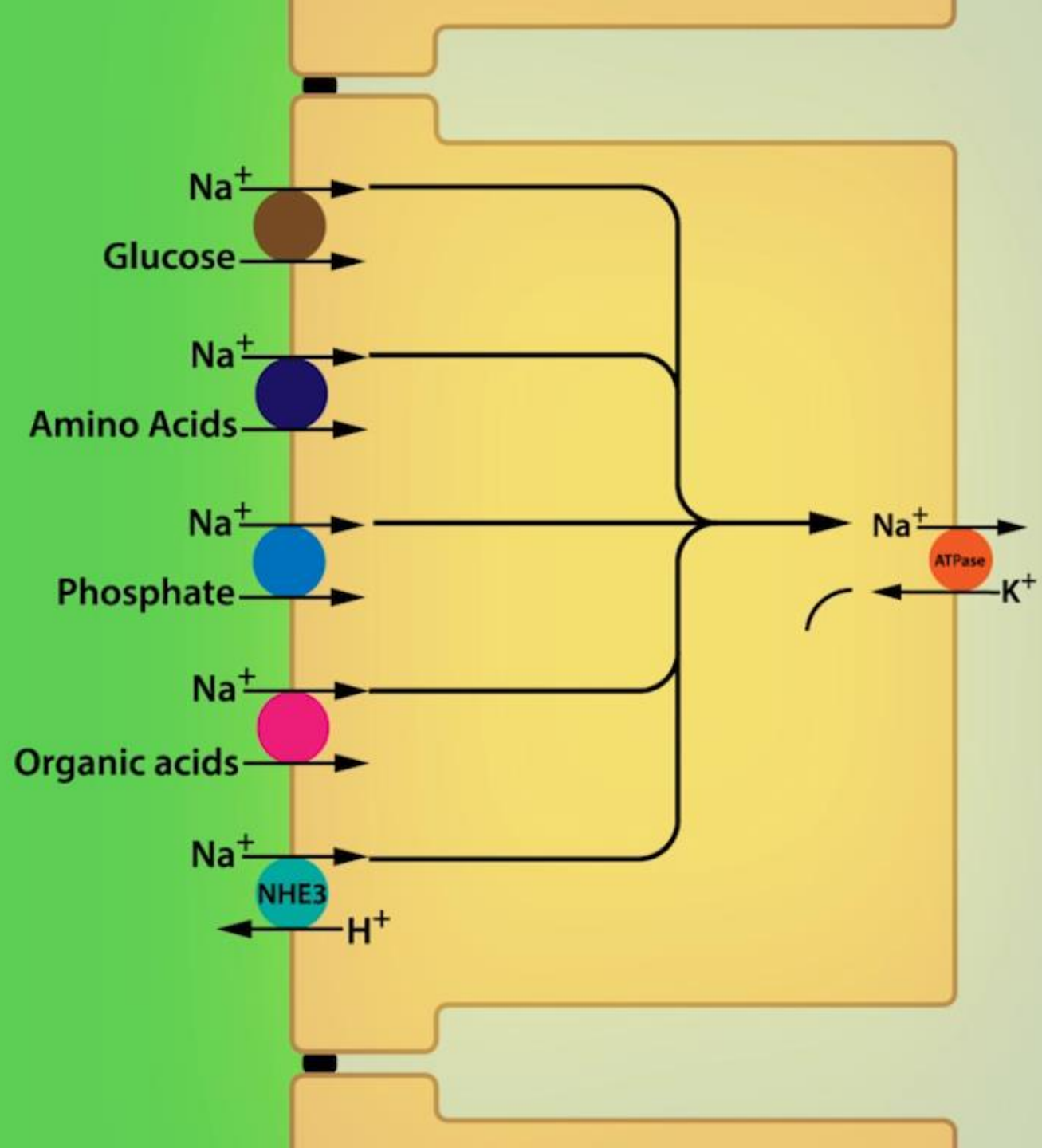
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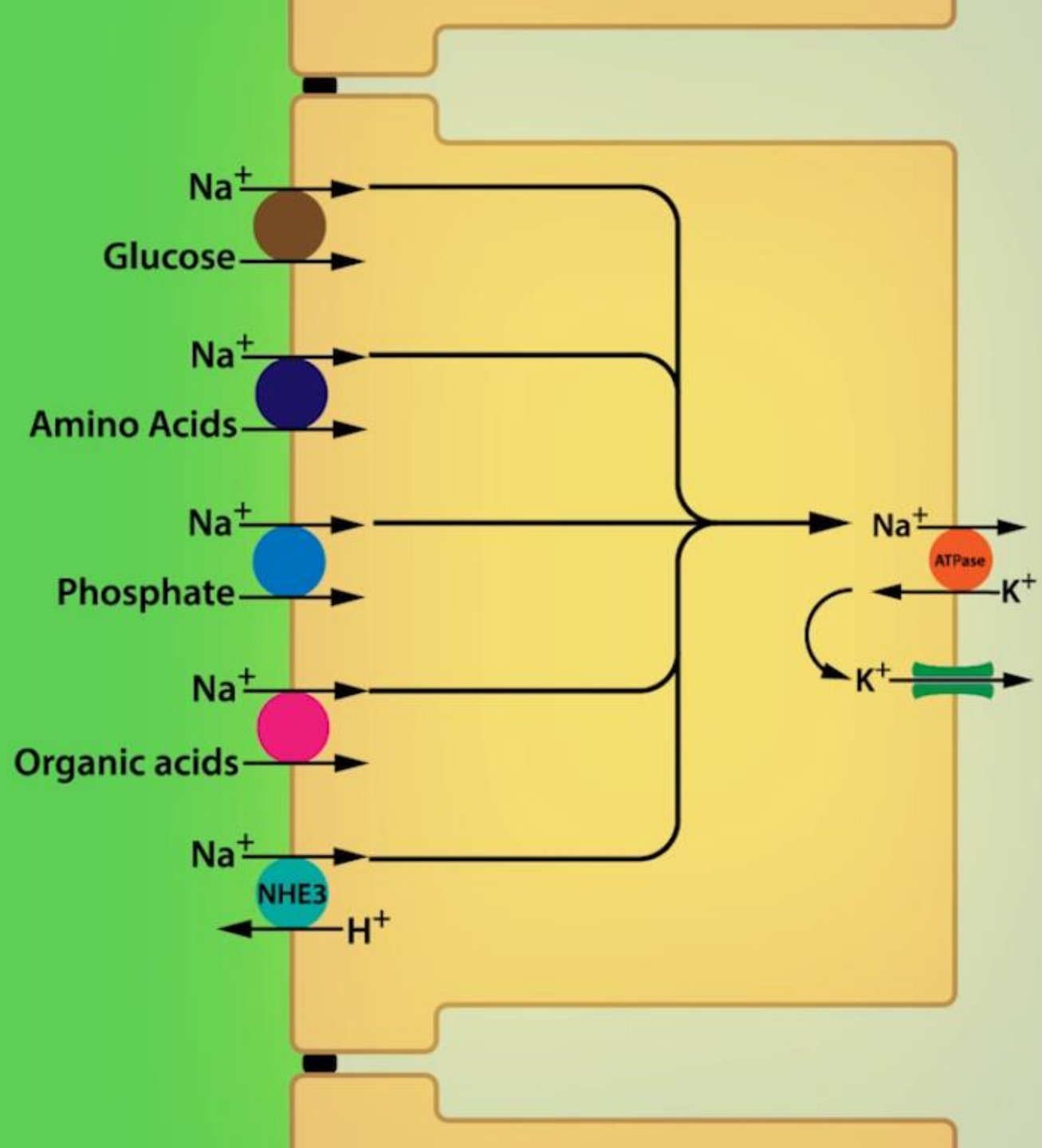












S1: Glucose & Amino Acids



S2: HCO₃⁻ & PO₄⁻³

S3: Secretion

S1: Glucose & Amino Acids

Lumen-negative potential

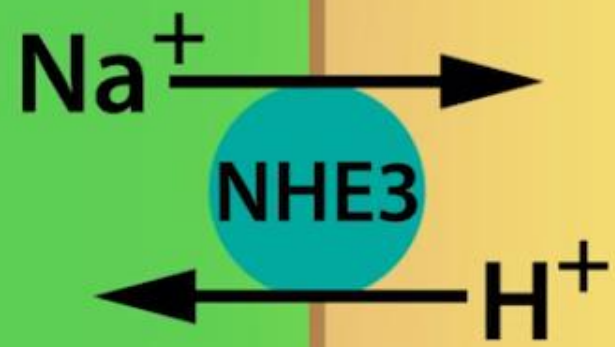
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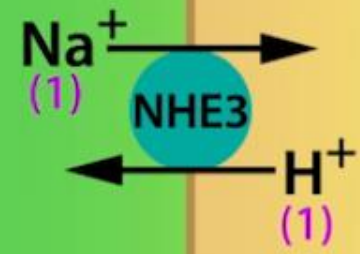
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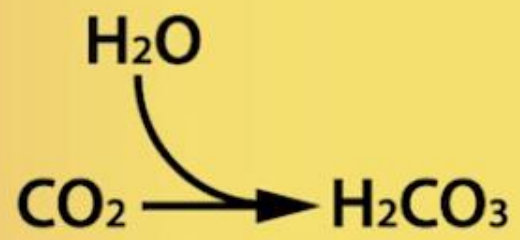
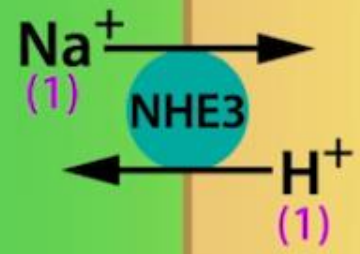
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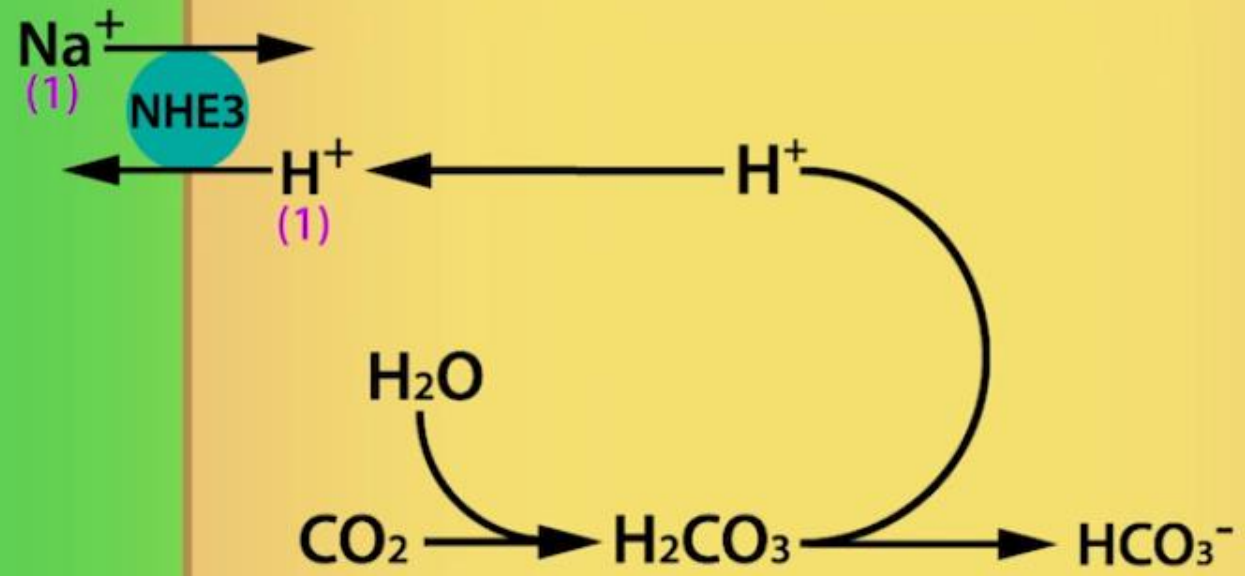
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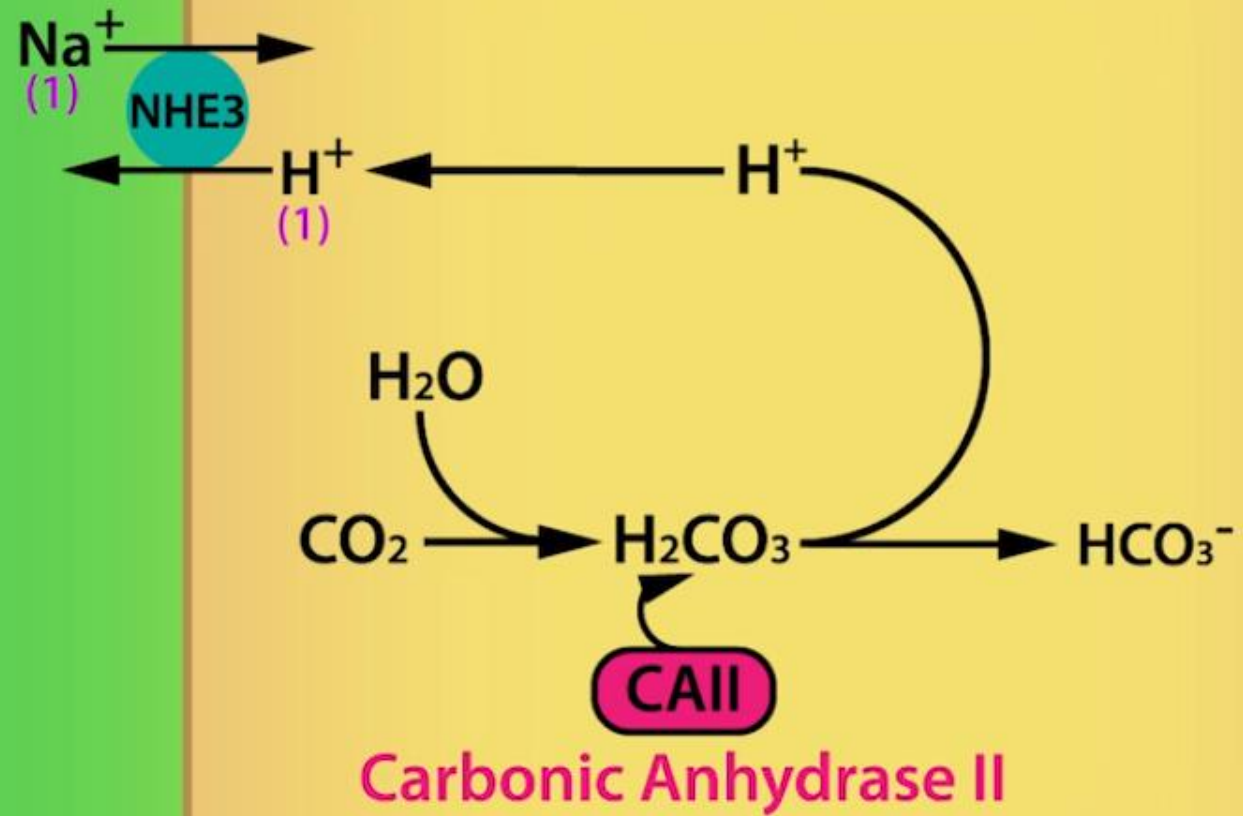


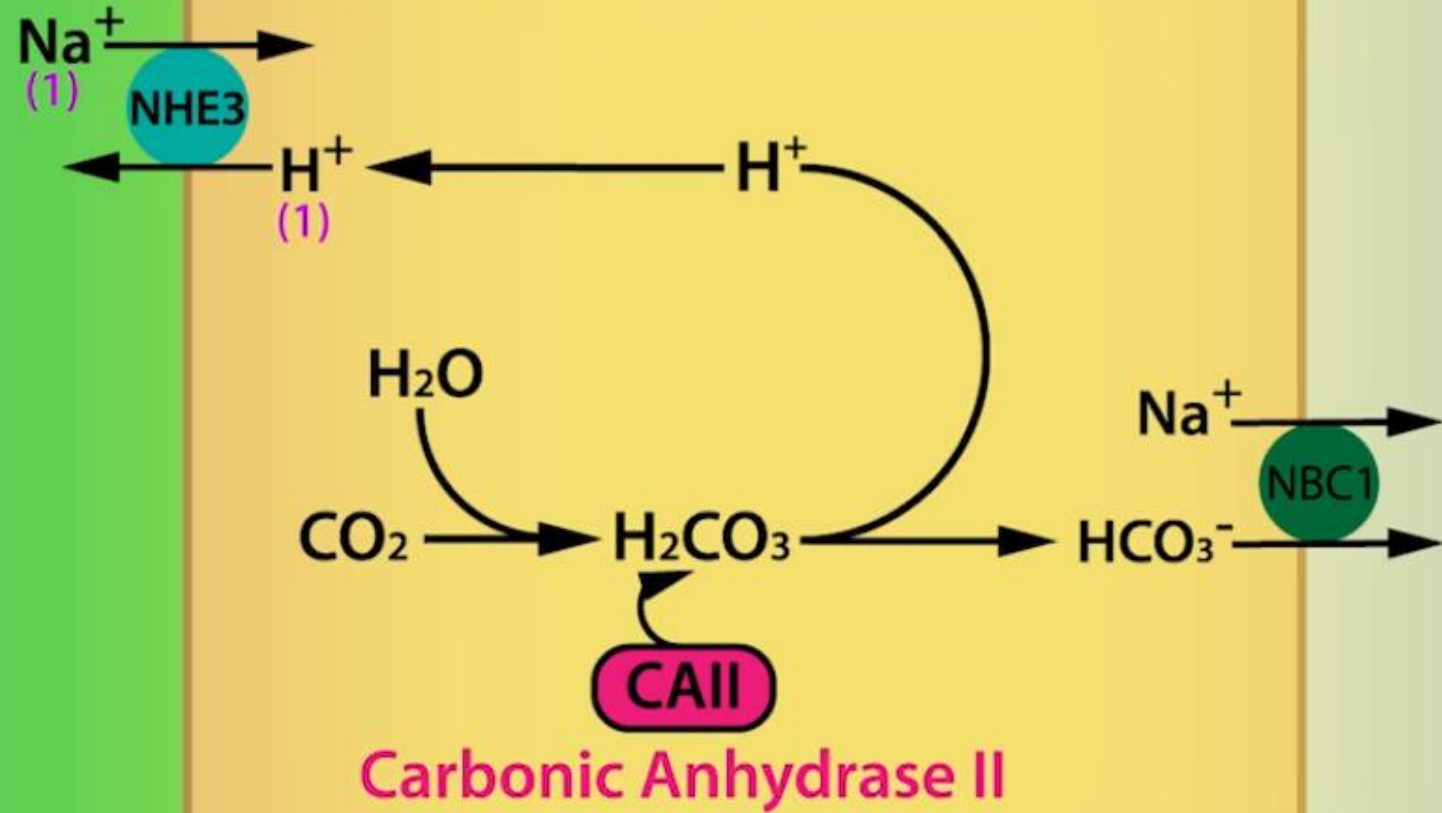


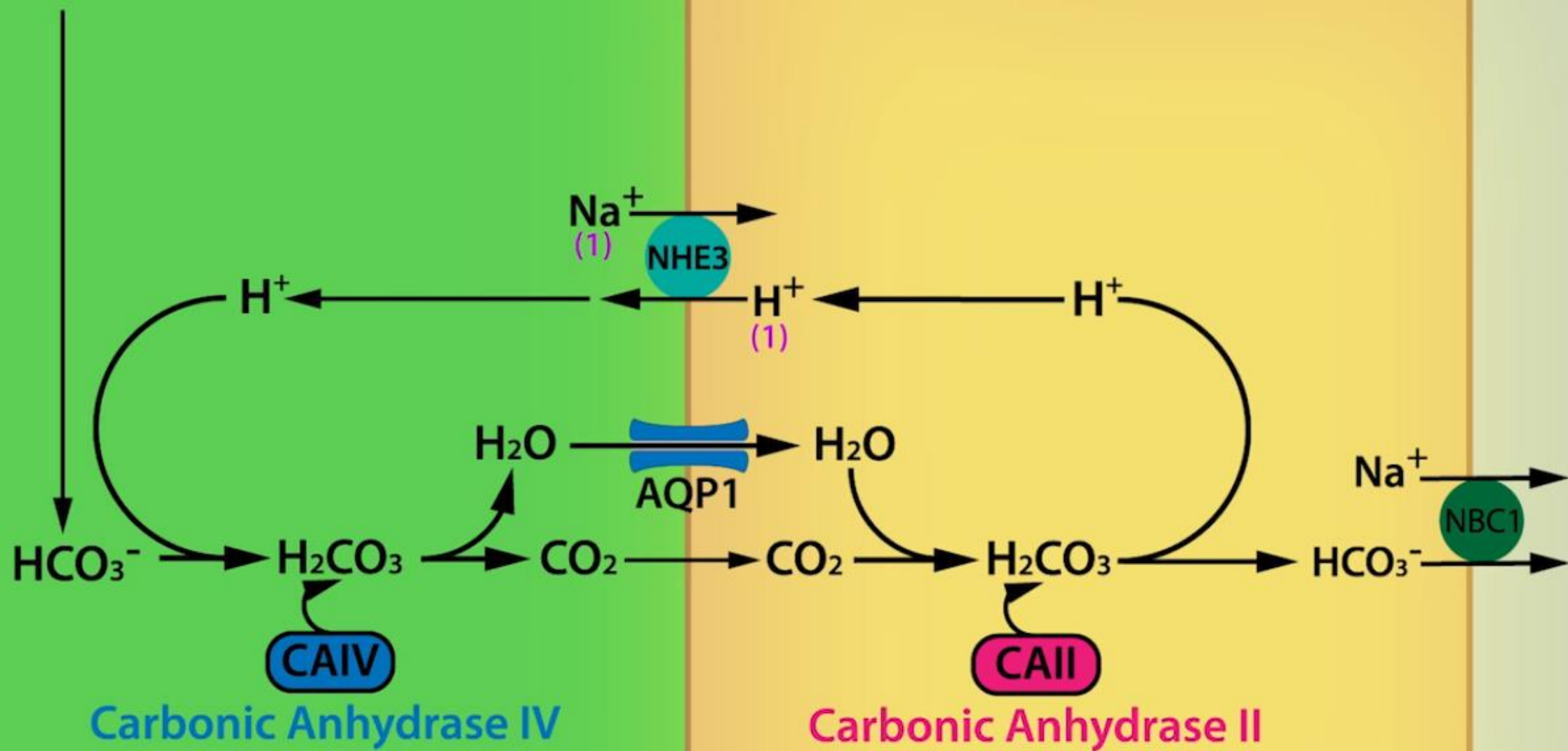


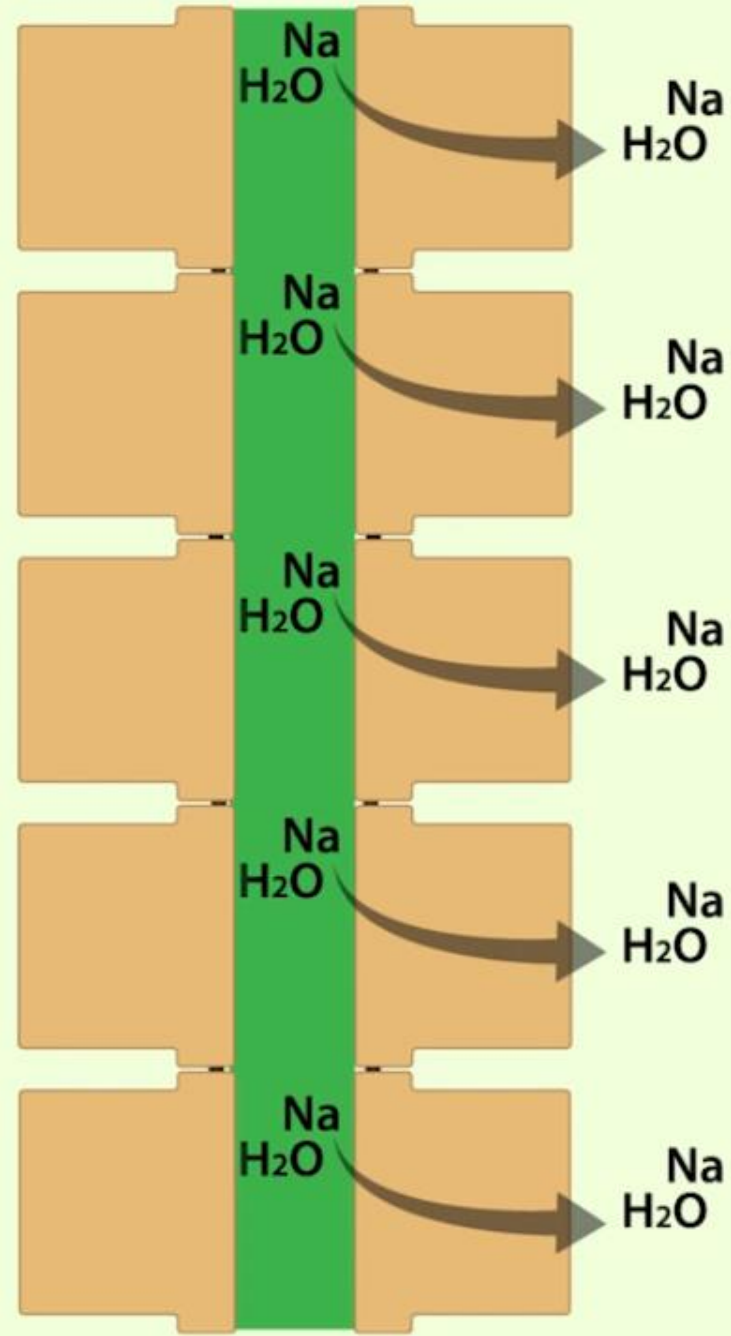
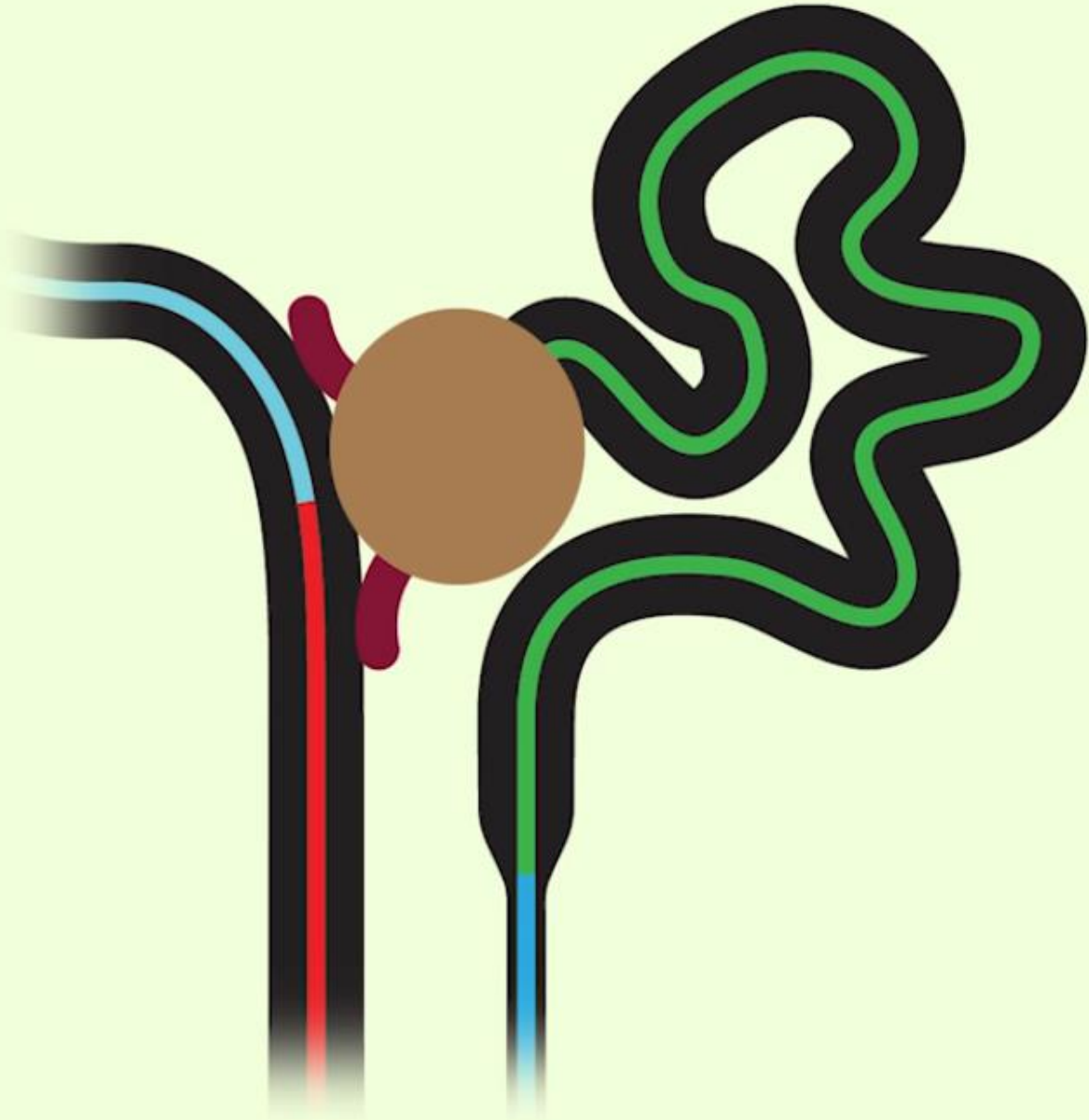


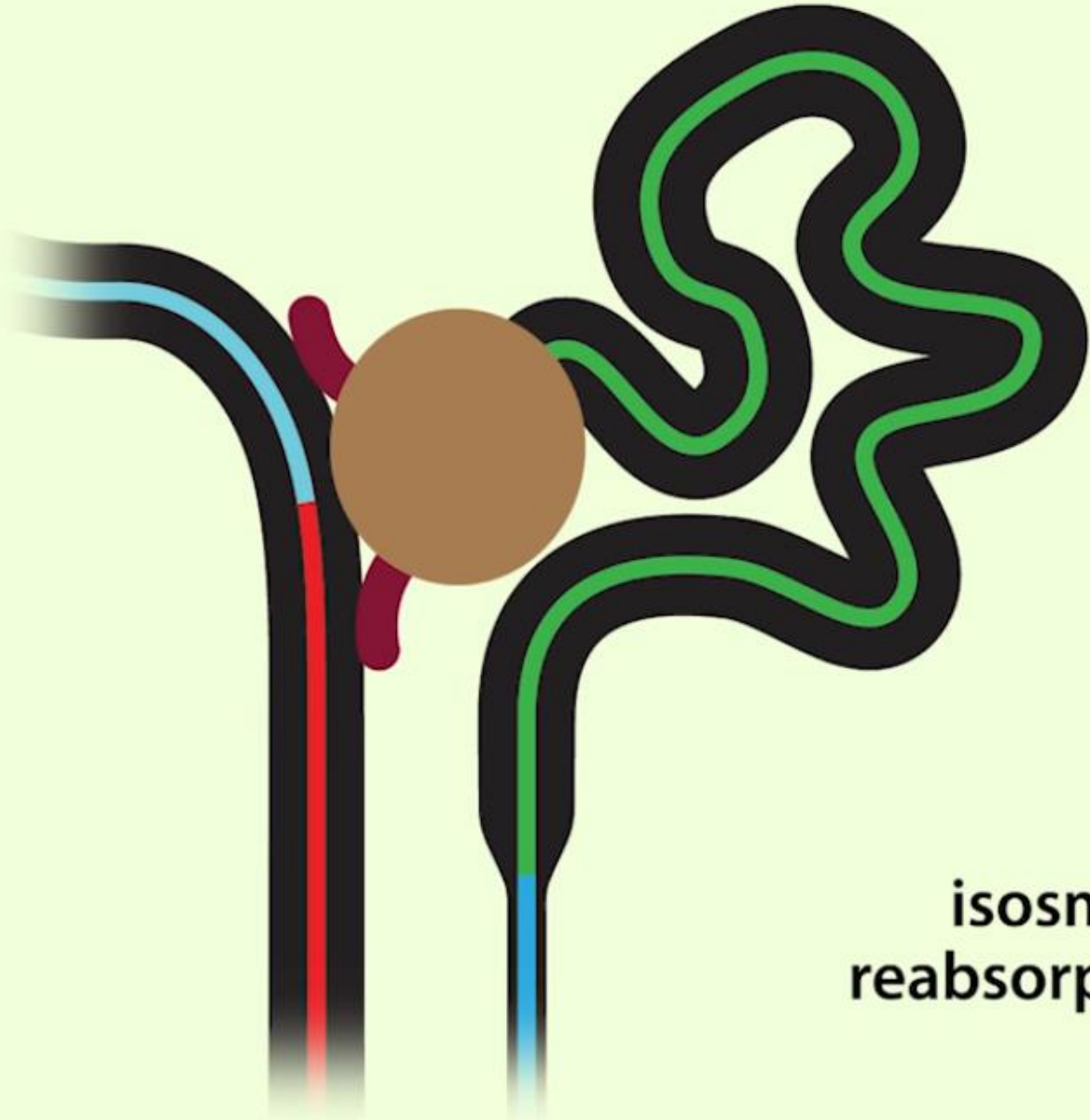




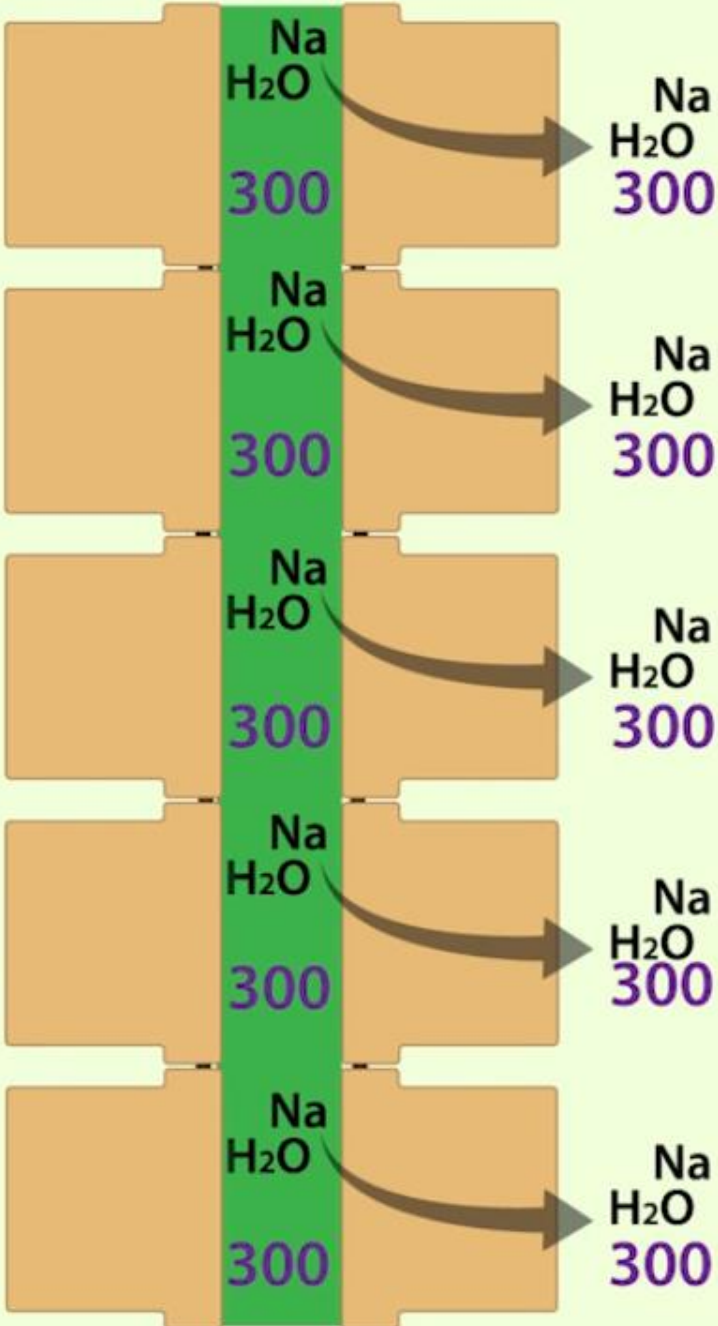








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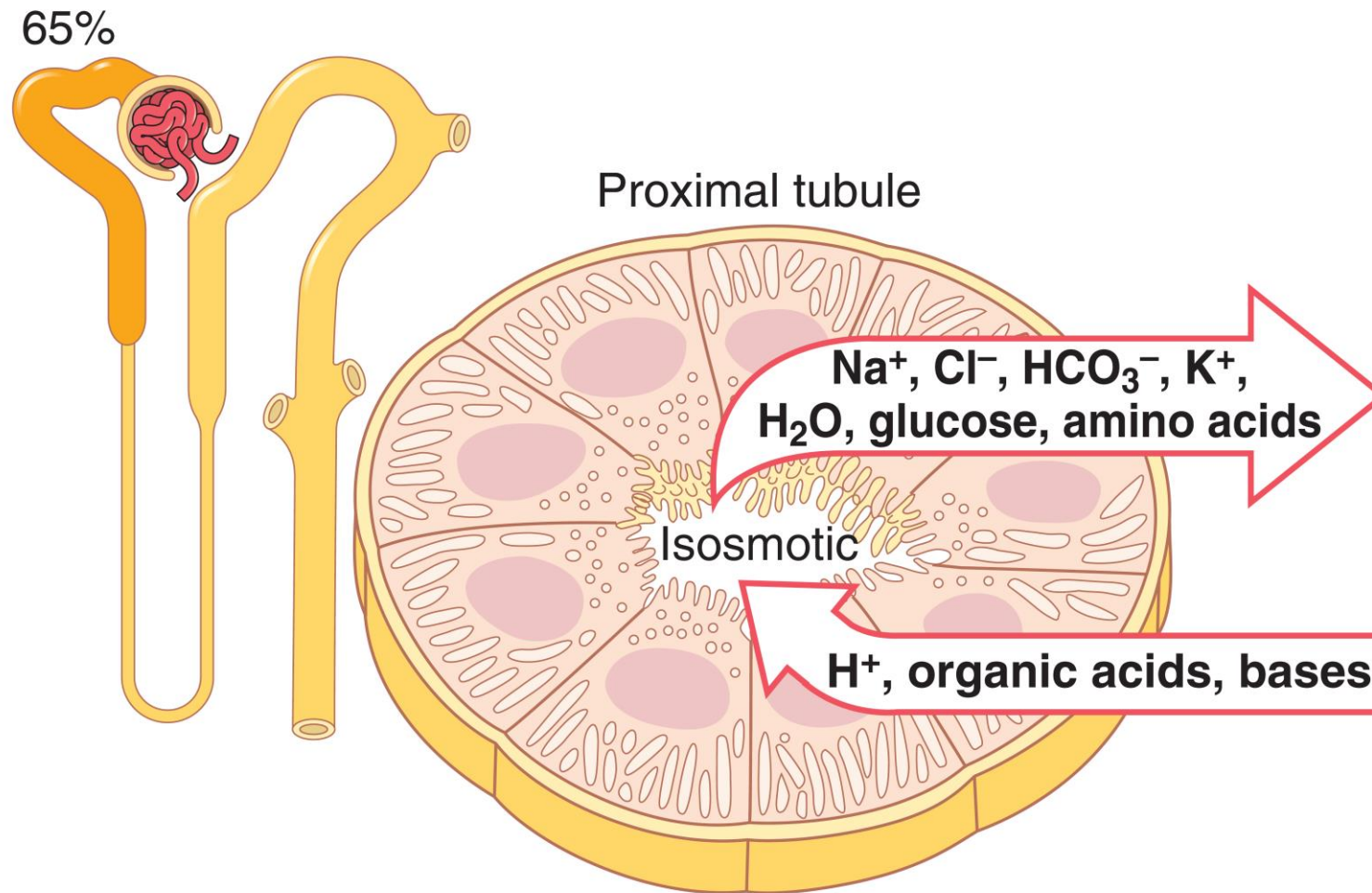
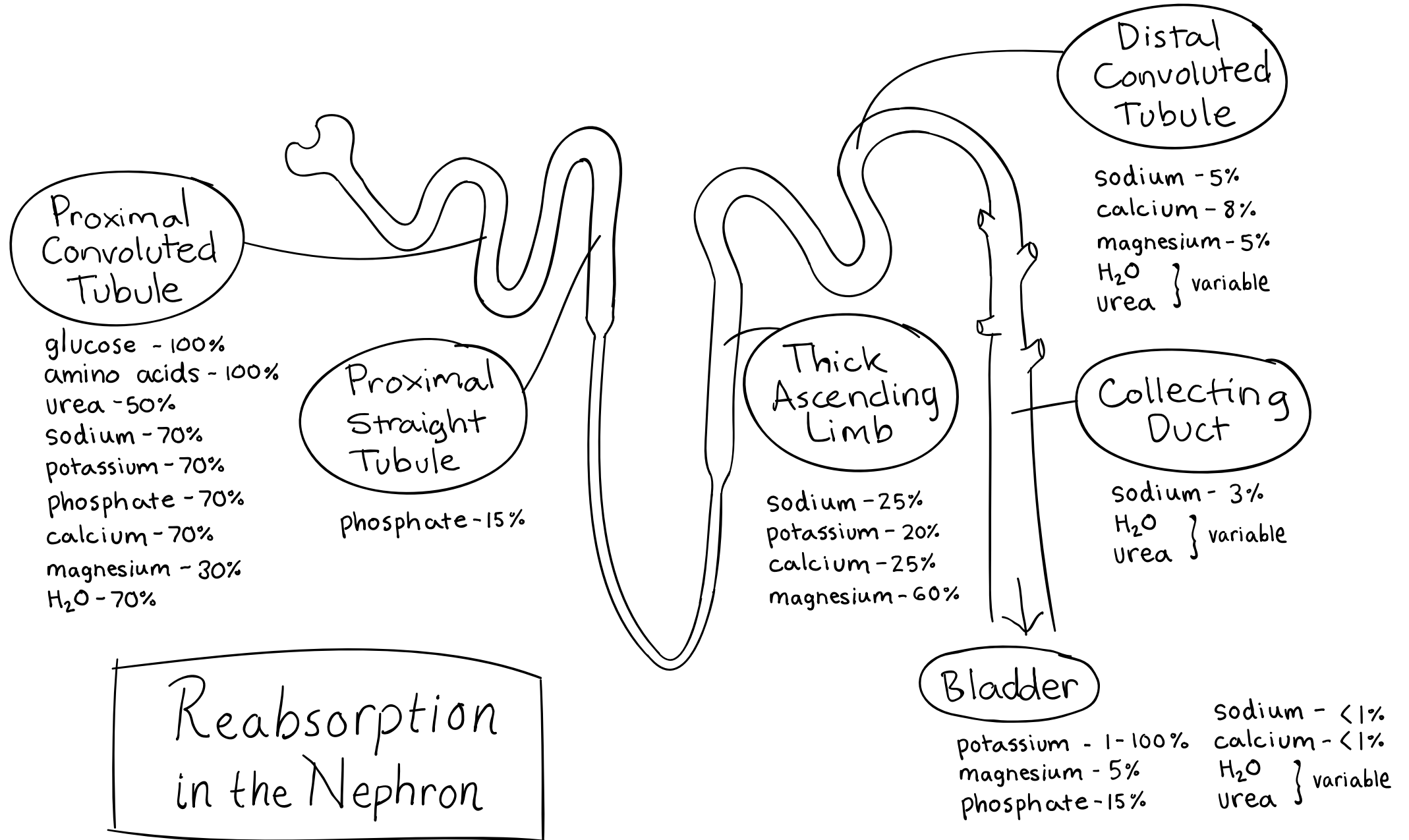
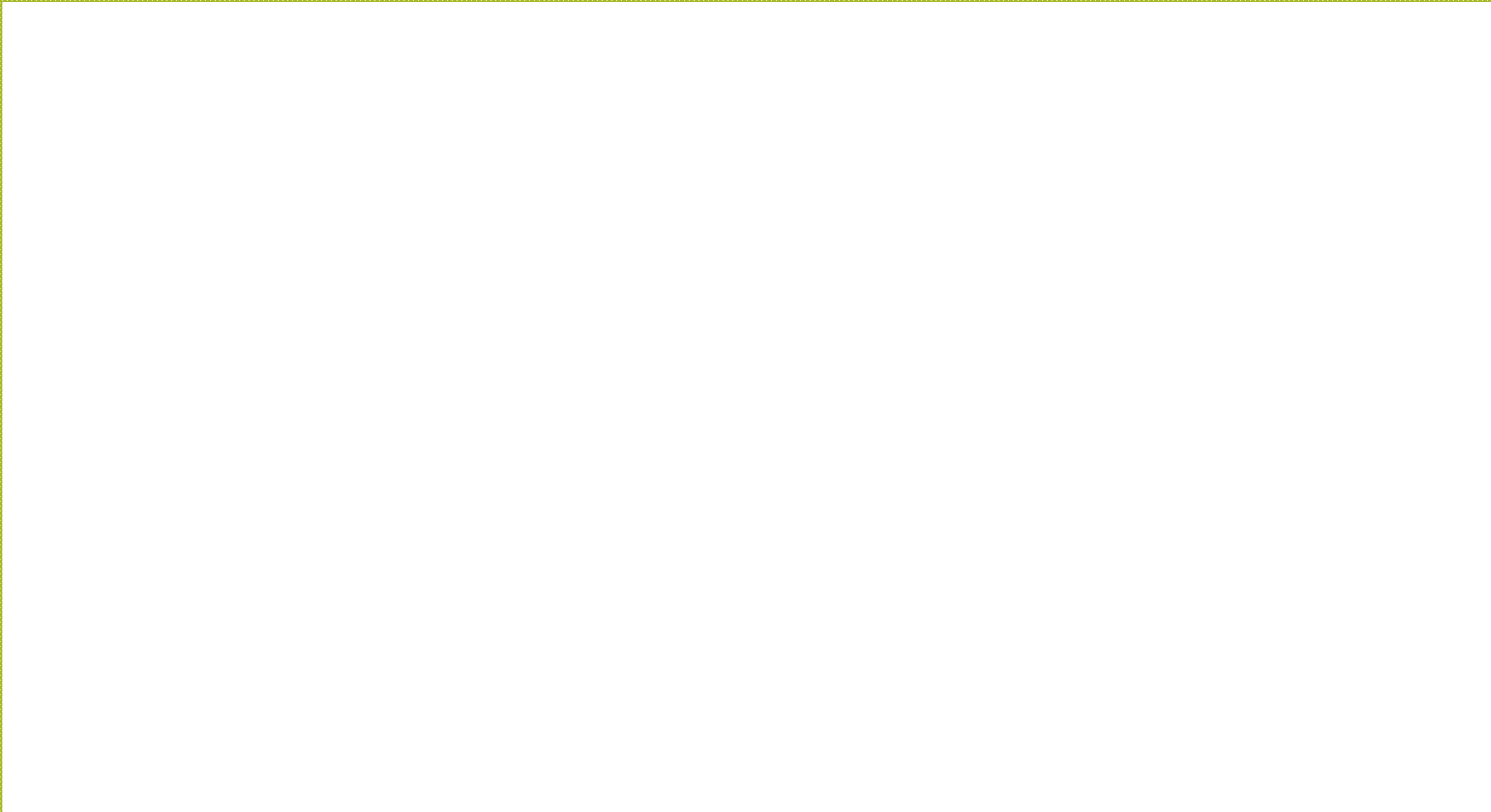
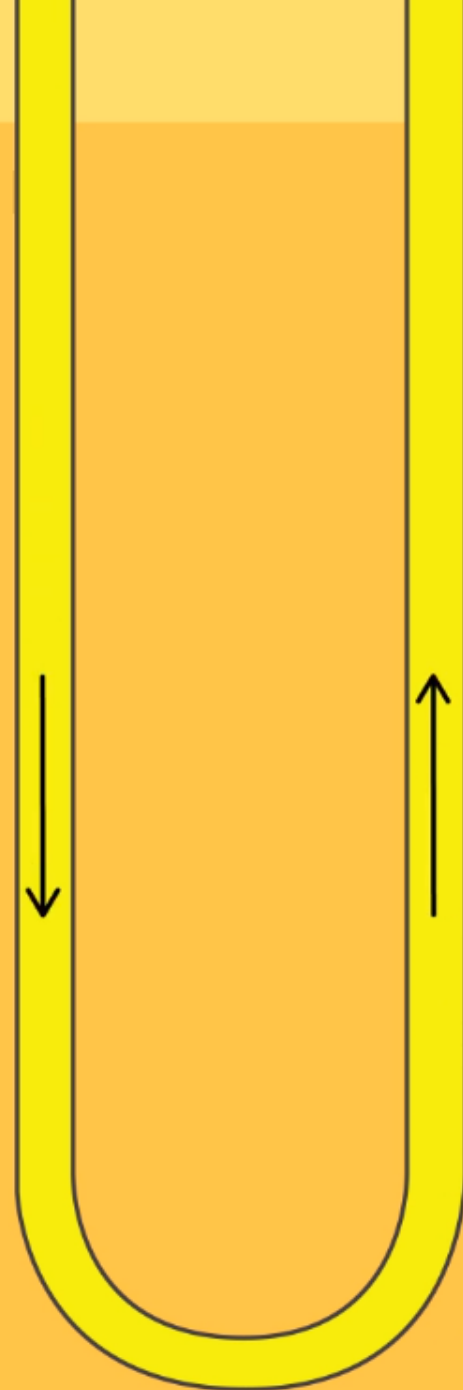


Figure 28-6. Cellular ultrastructure and primary transport characteristics of the proximal tubule. The proximal tubules reabsorb about 65 percent of the filtered sodium, chloride, bicarbonate, and potassium and essentially all the filtered glucose and amino acids. The proximal tubules also secrete organic acids, bases, and hydrogen ions into the tubular lumen.



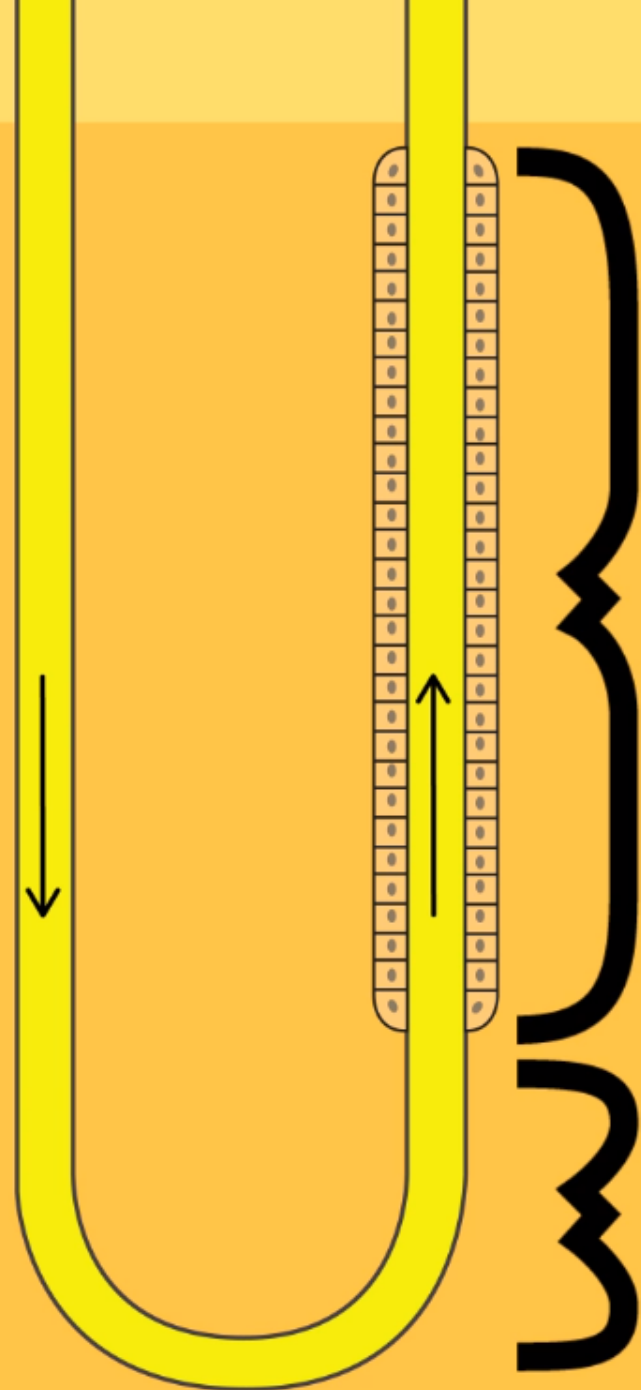


Descending
limb



Ascending
limb

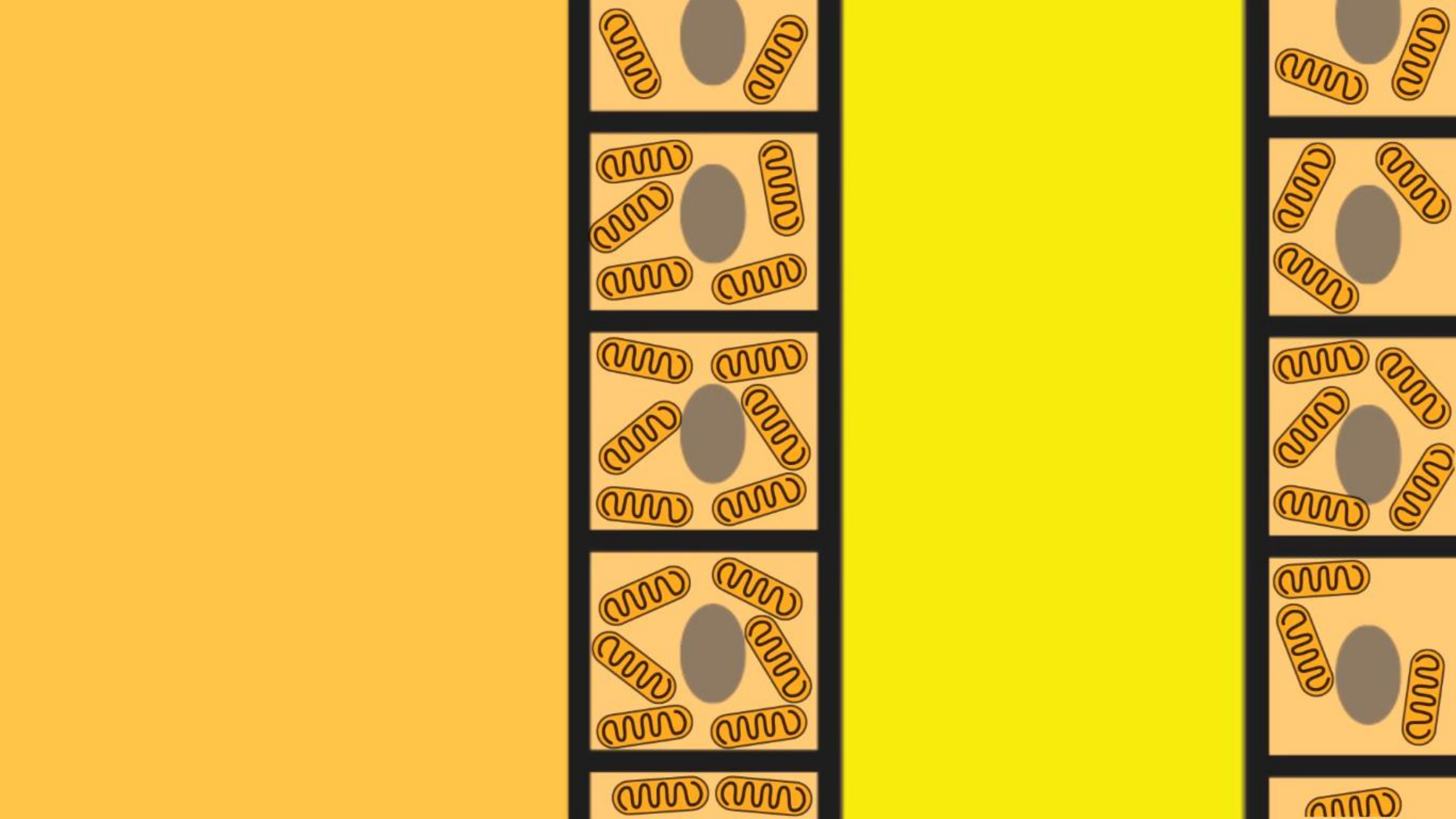
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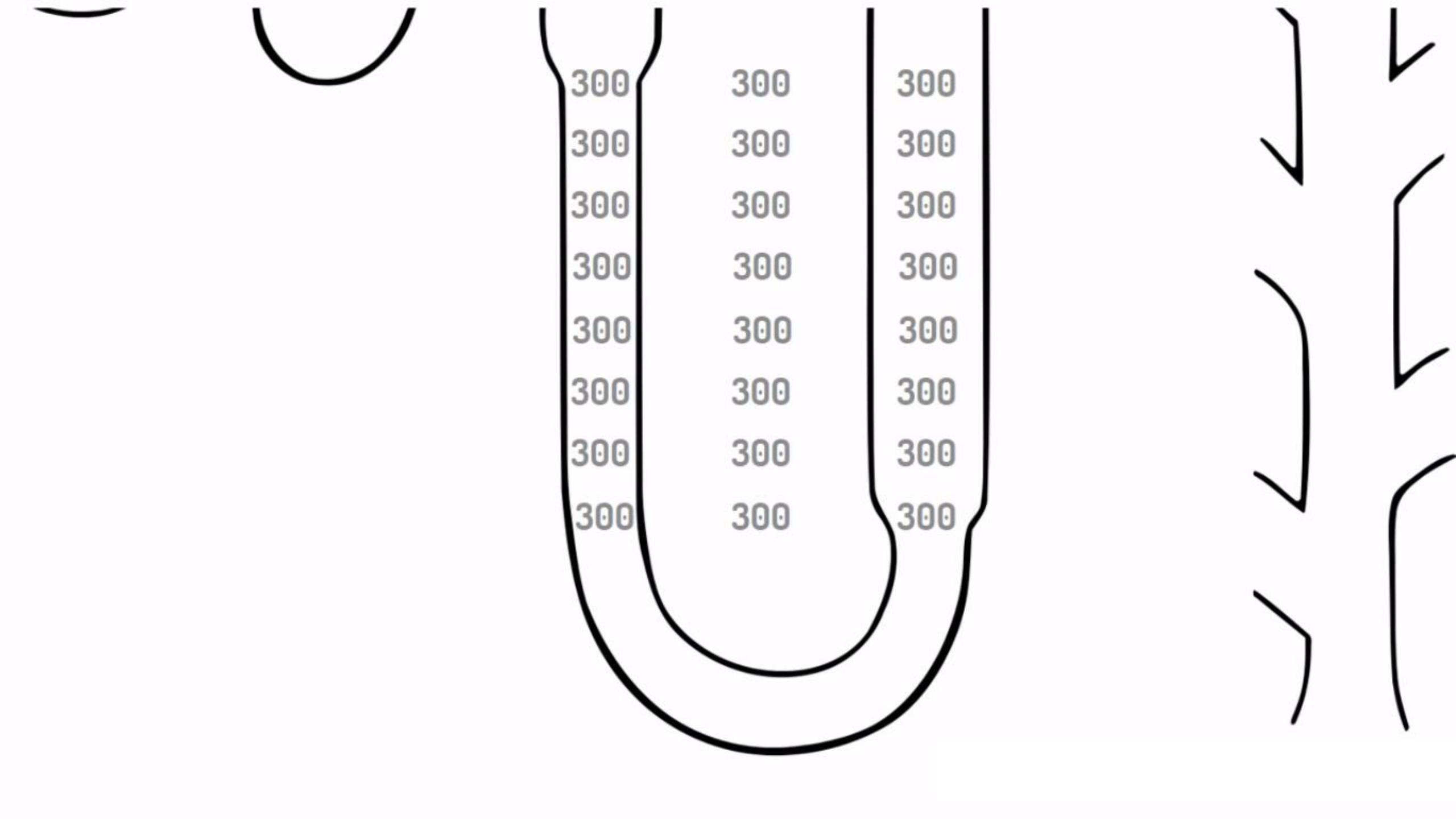


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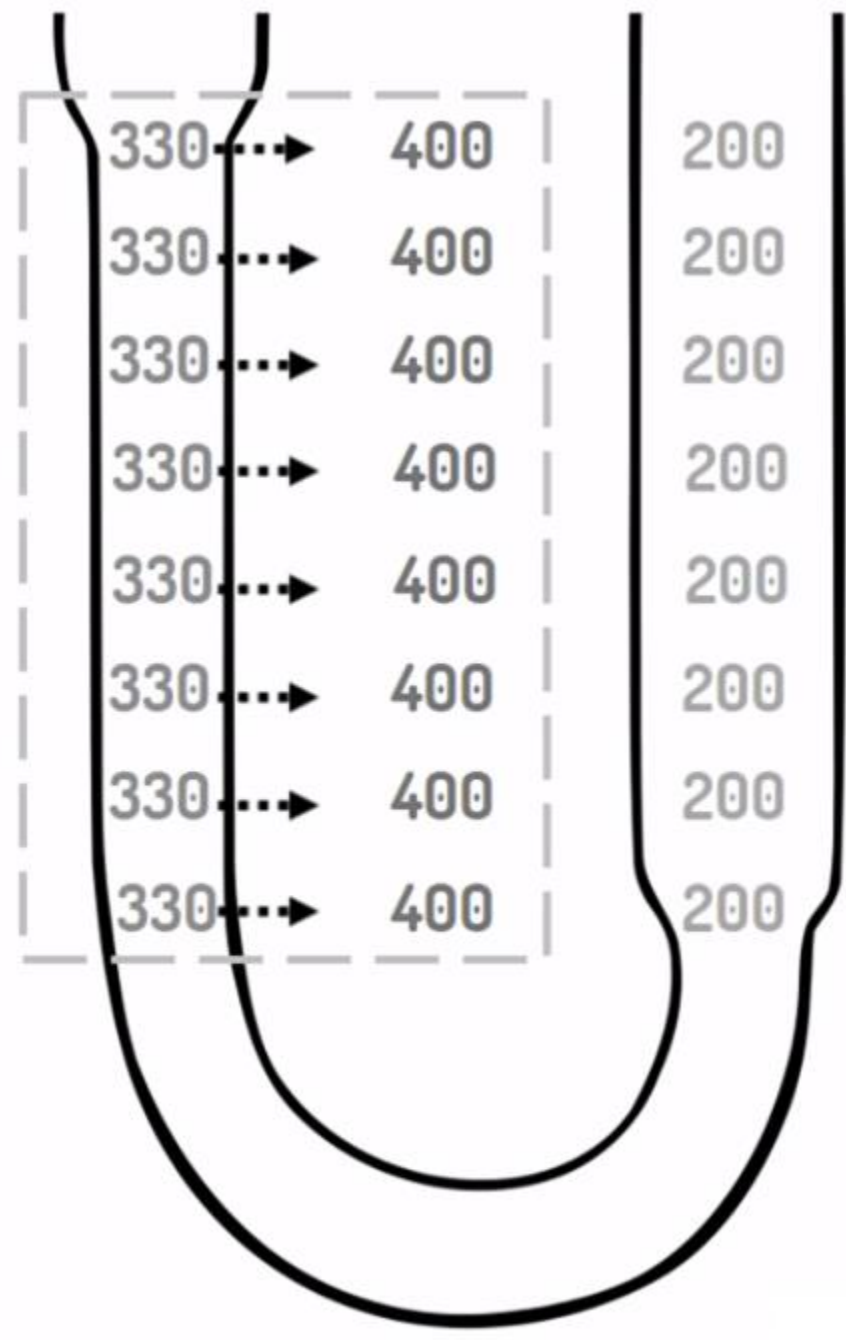
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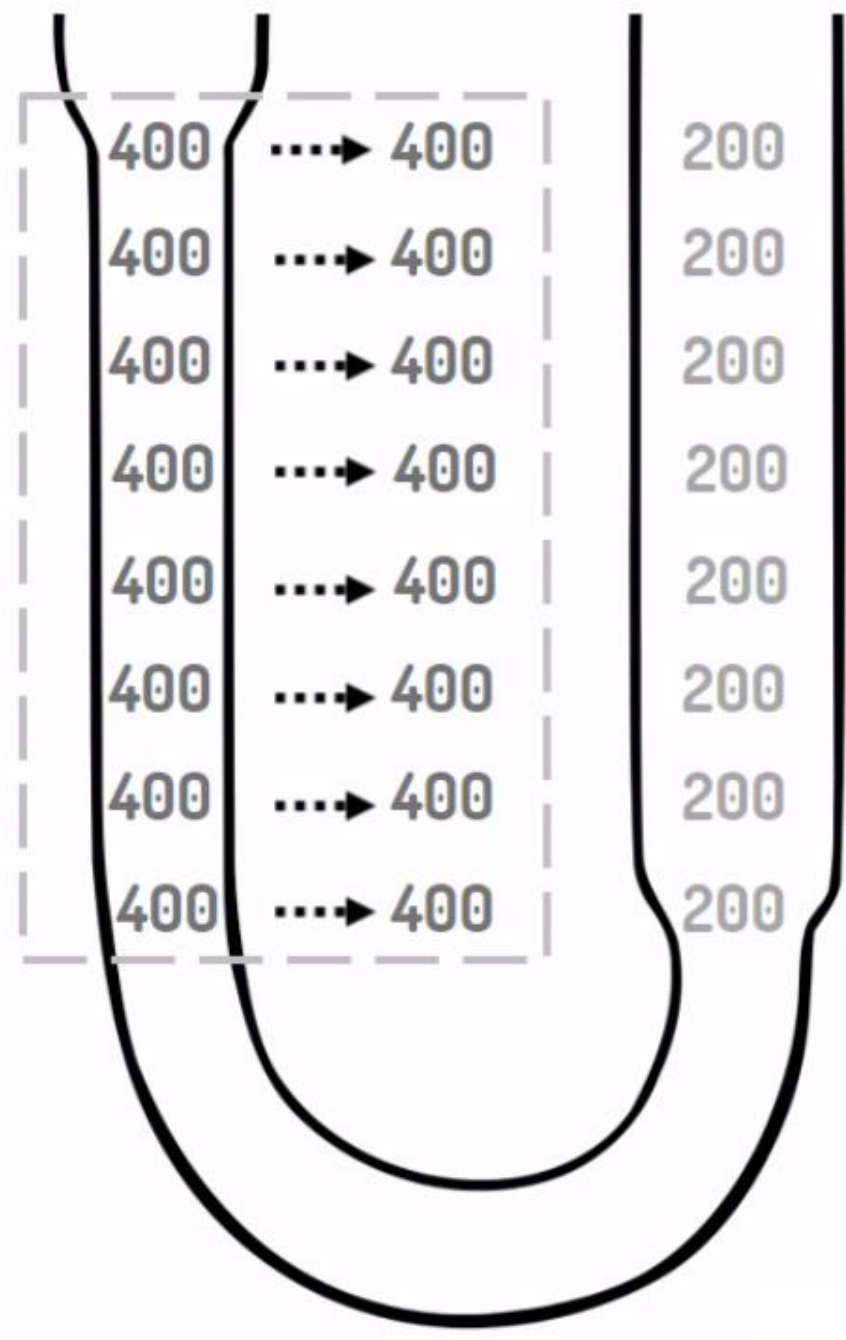




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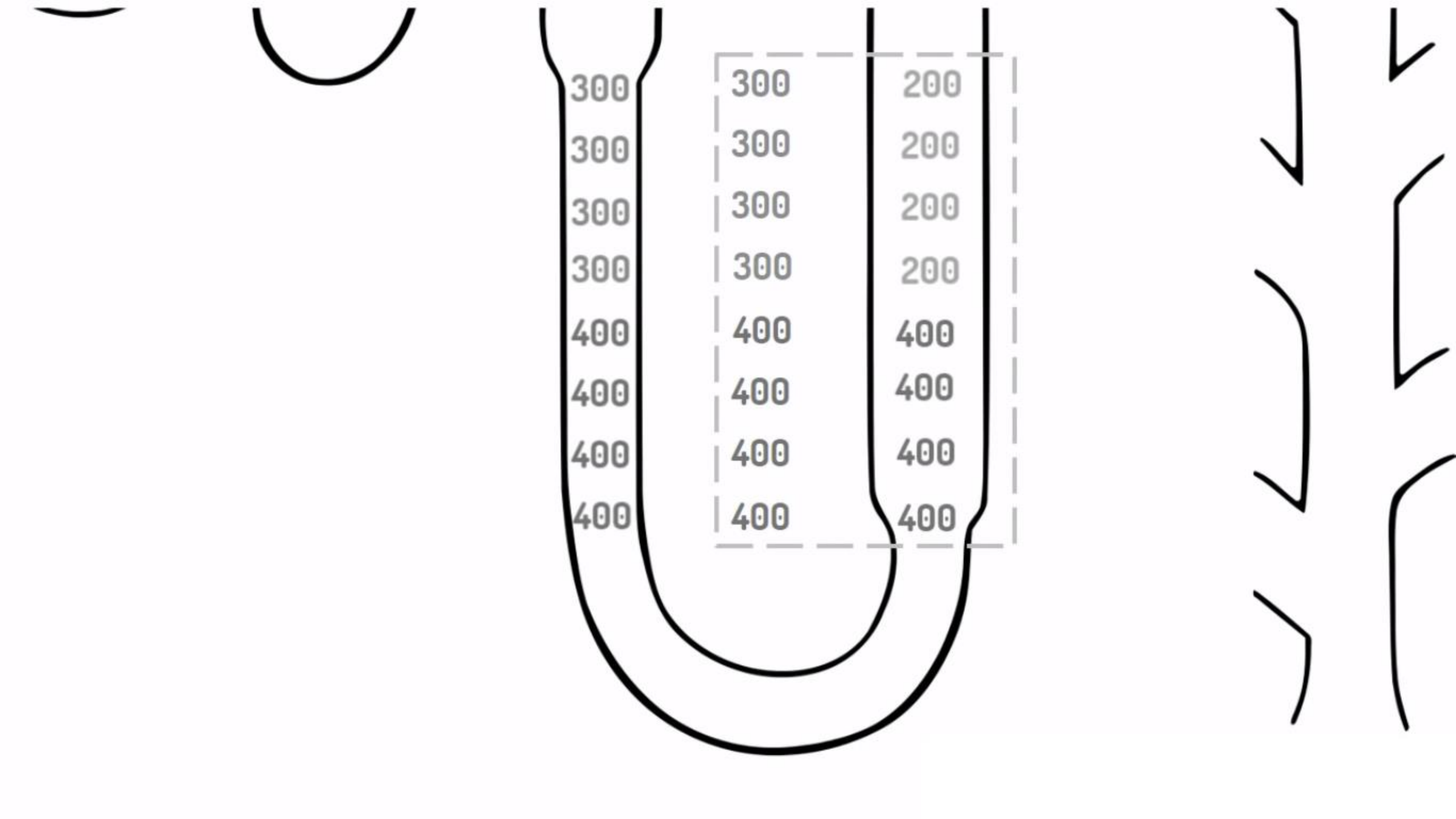


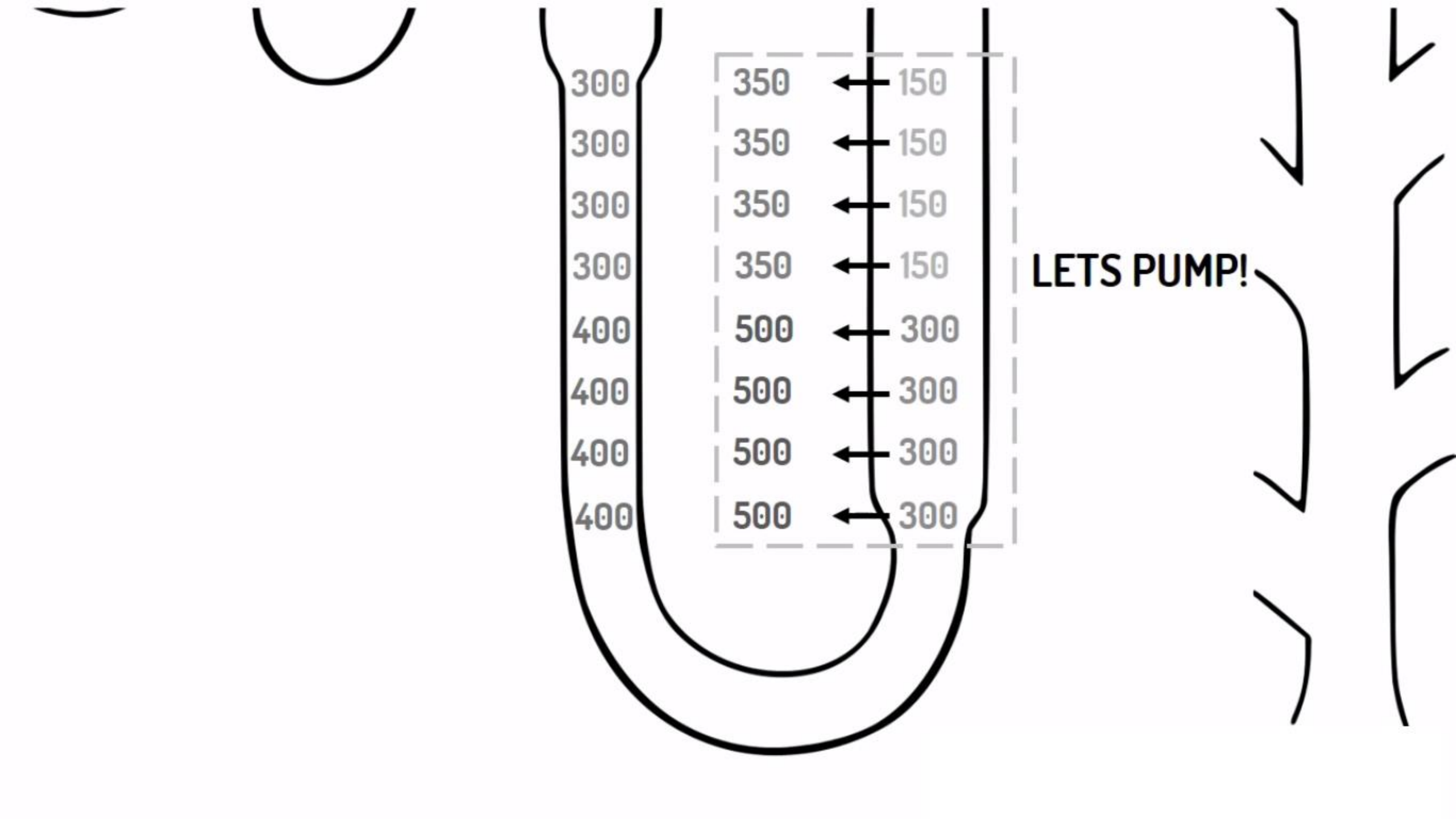
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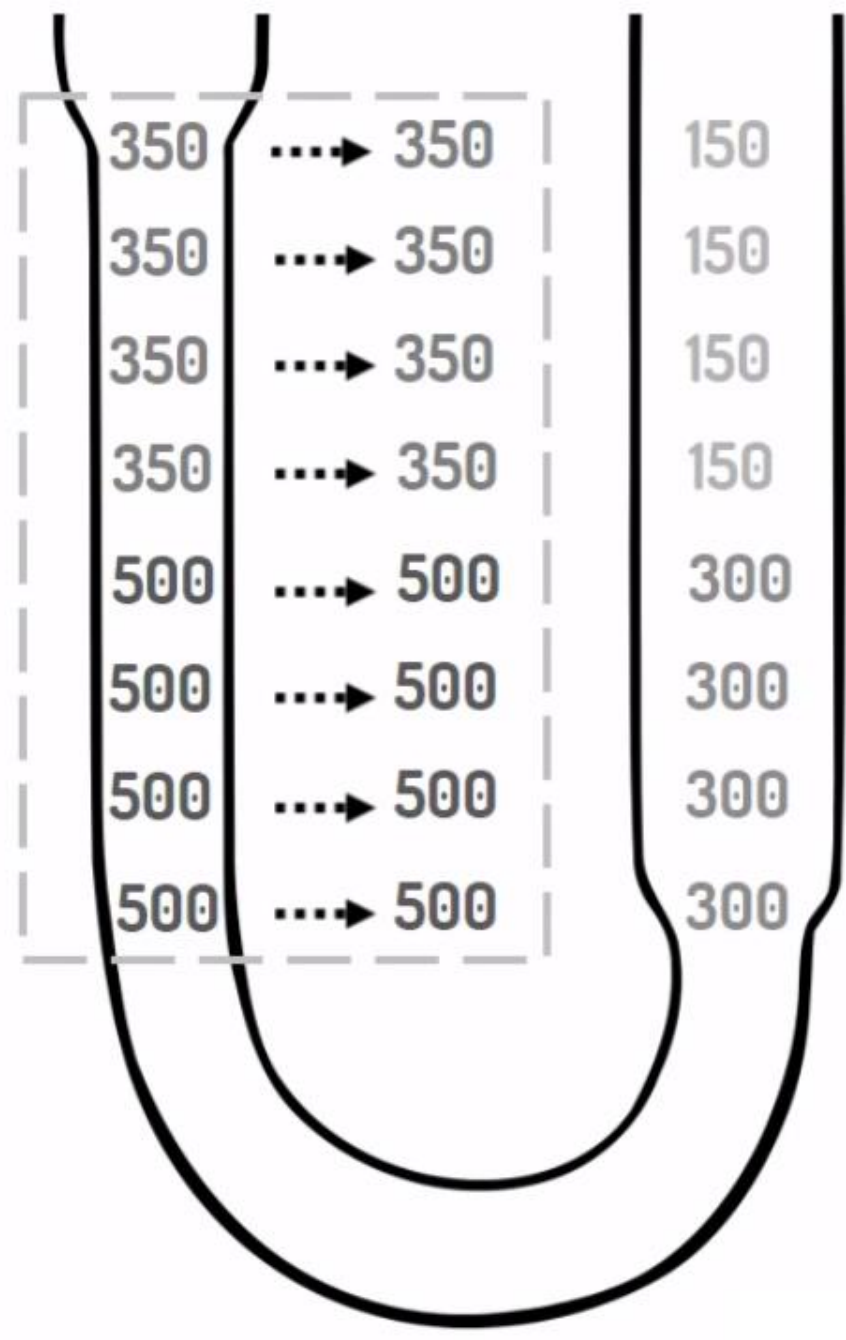
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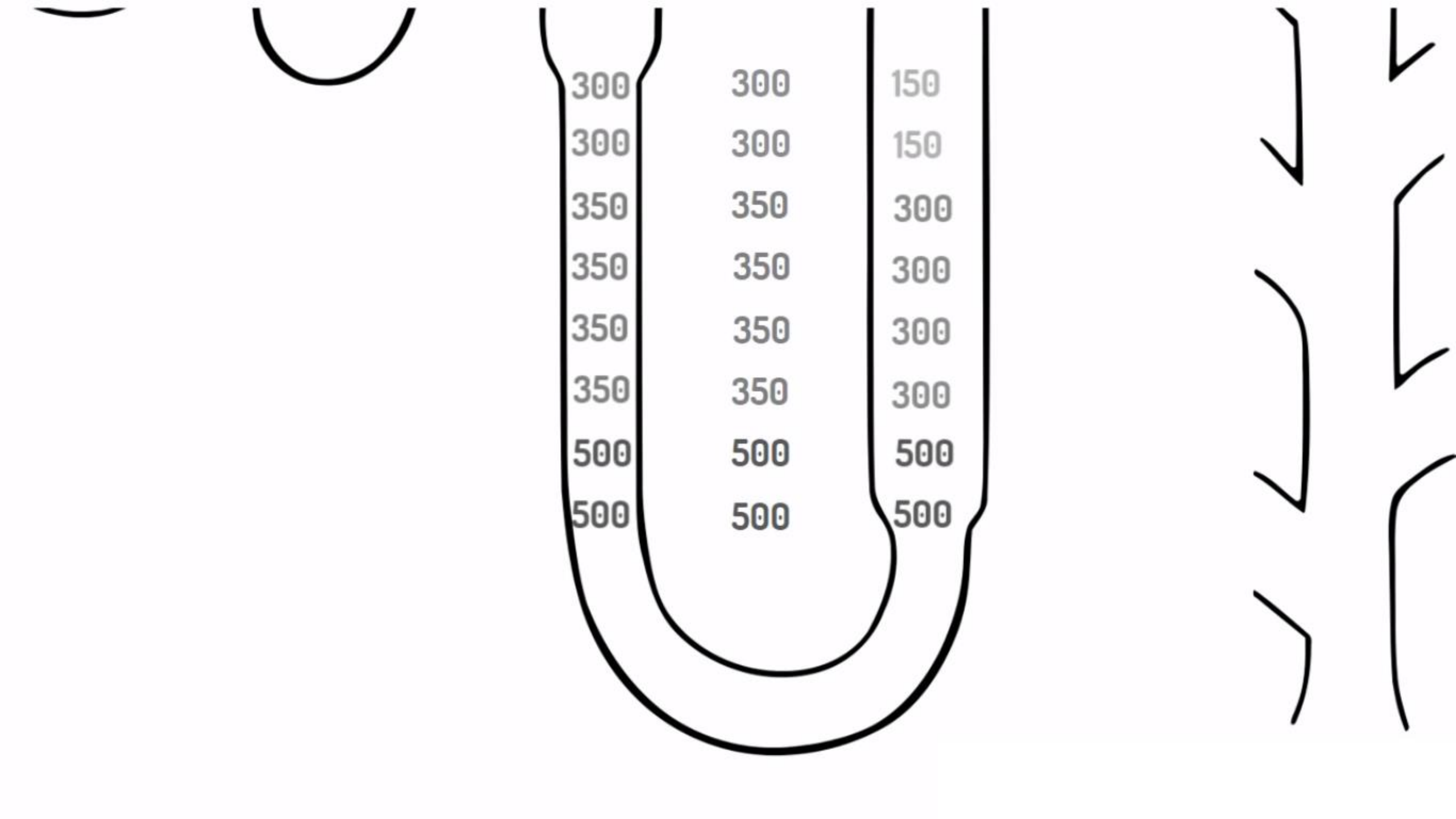


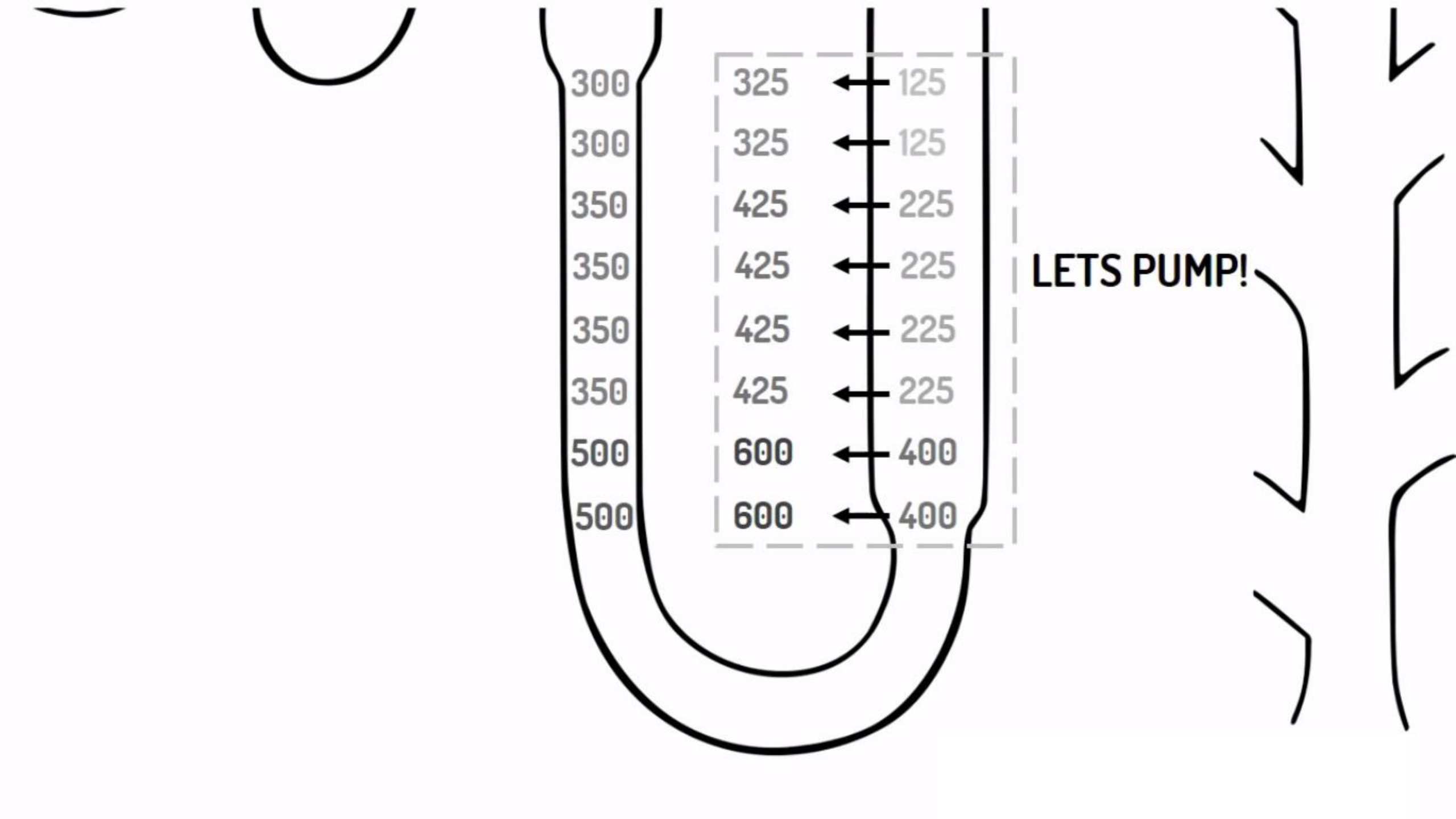
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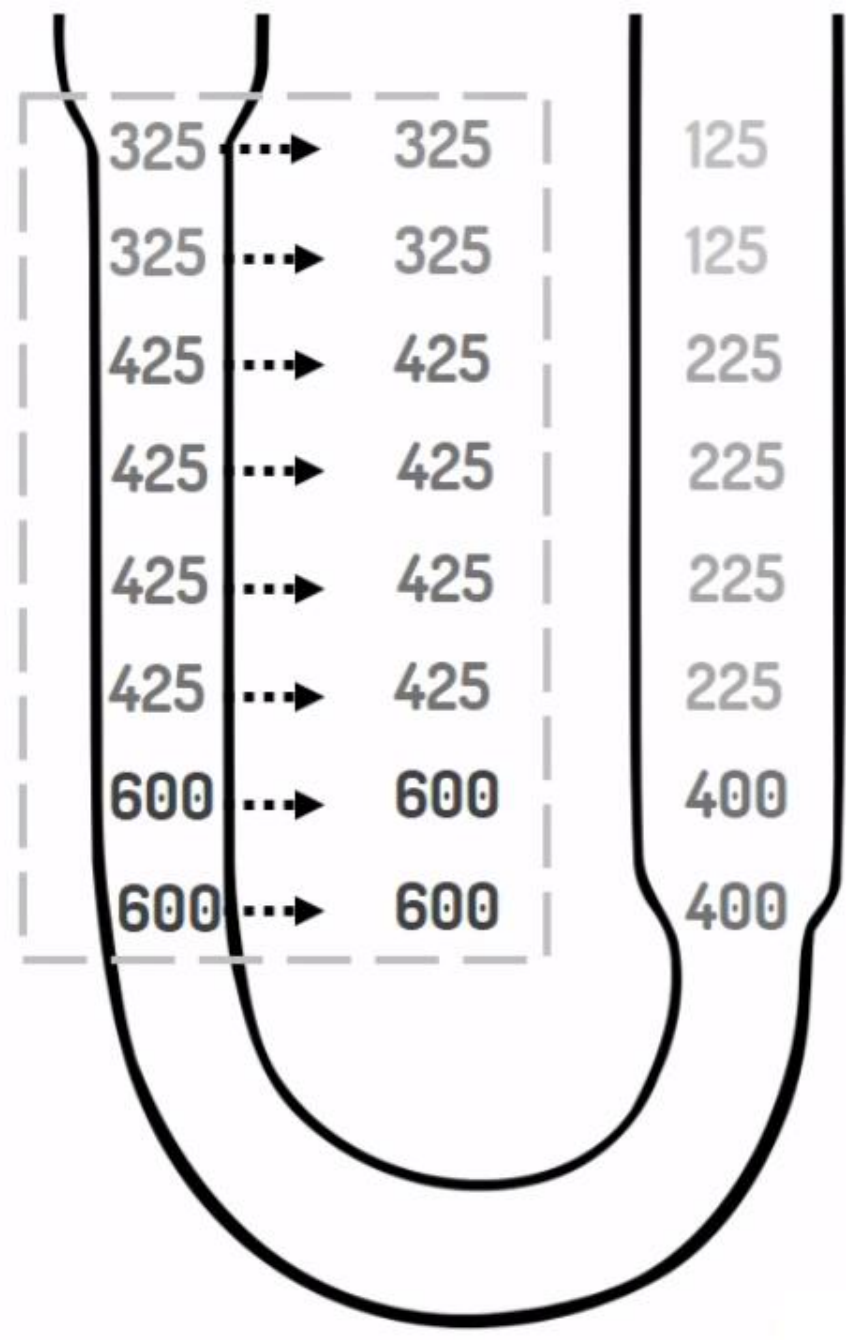
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EQUILIBRATE!



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425

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600

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425

425

425

425

600

125

225

225

225

225

400

400

600

LET'S PUMP!



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700

113

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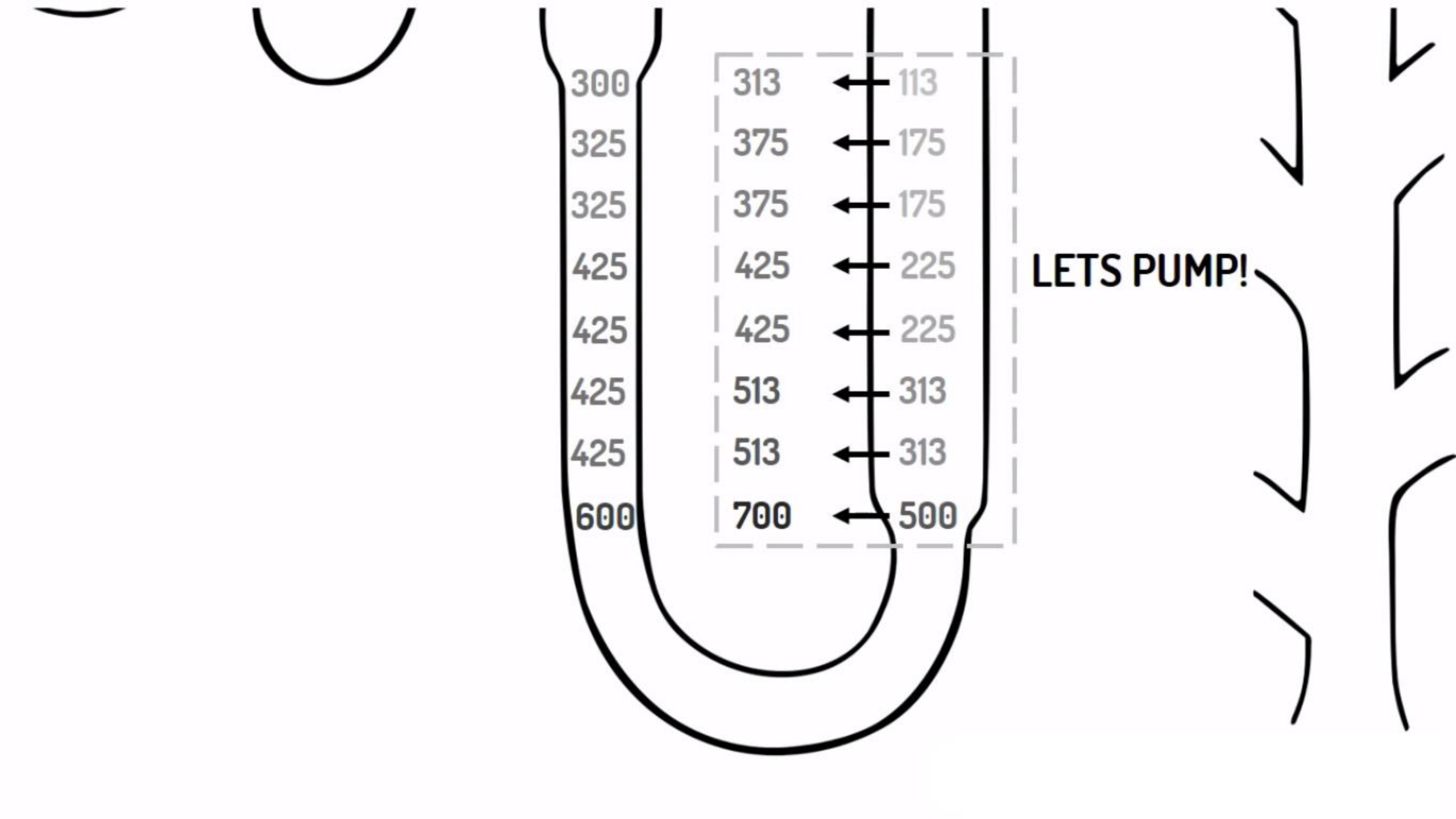
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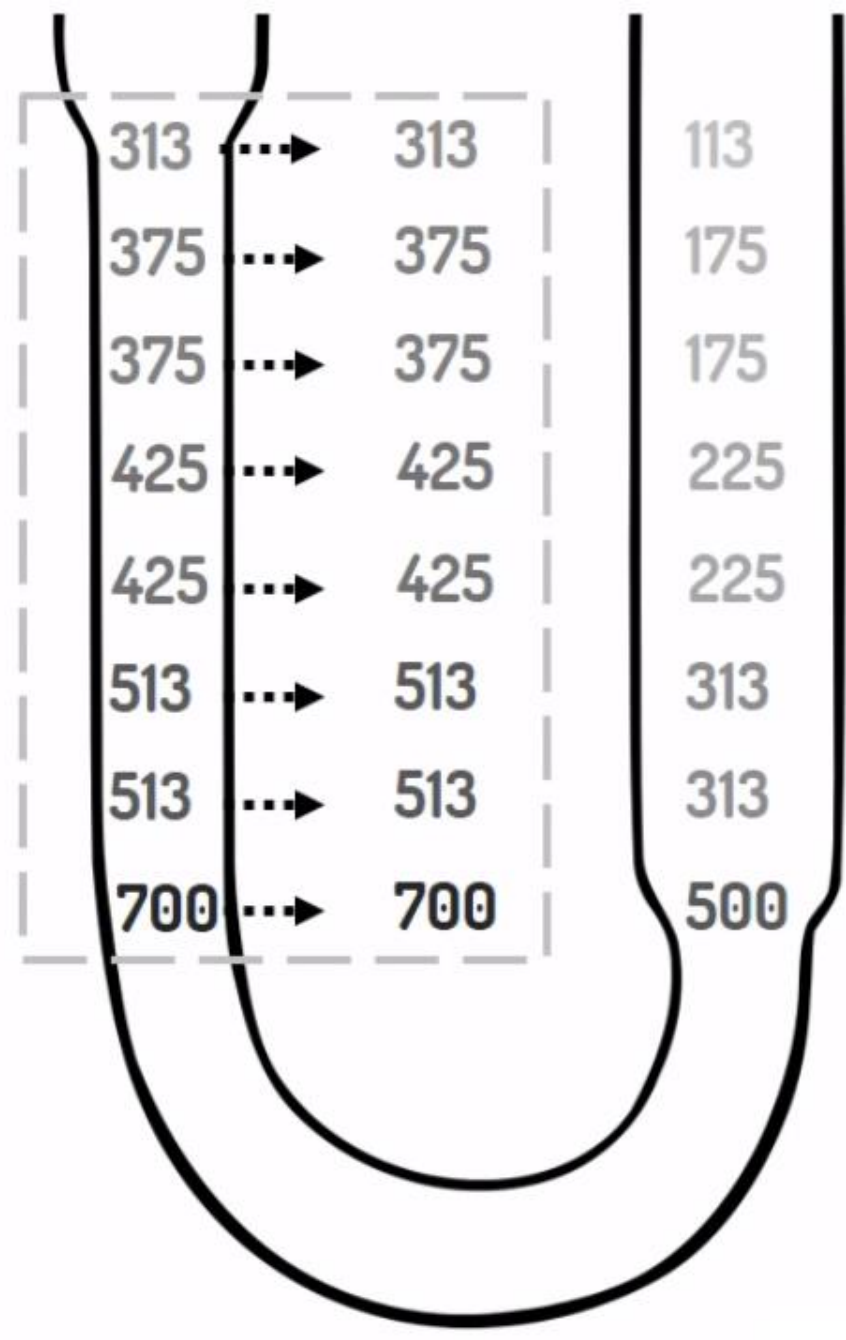
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LETS PUMP!



EQUILIBRATE!



**Increasing
osmolarity**

313

375

375

425

425

513

513

700



Countercurrent Multiplication

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450

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633

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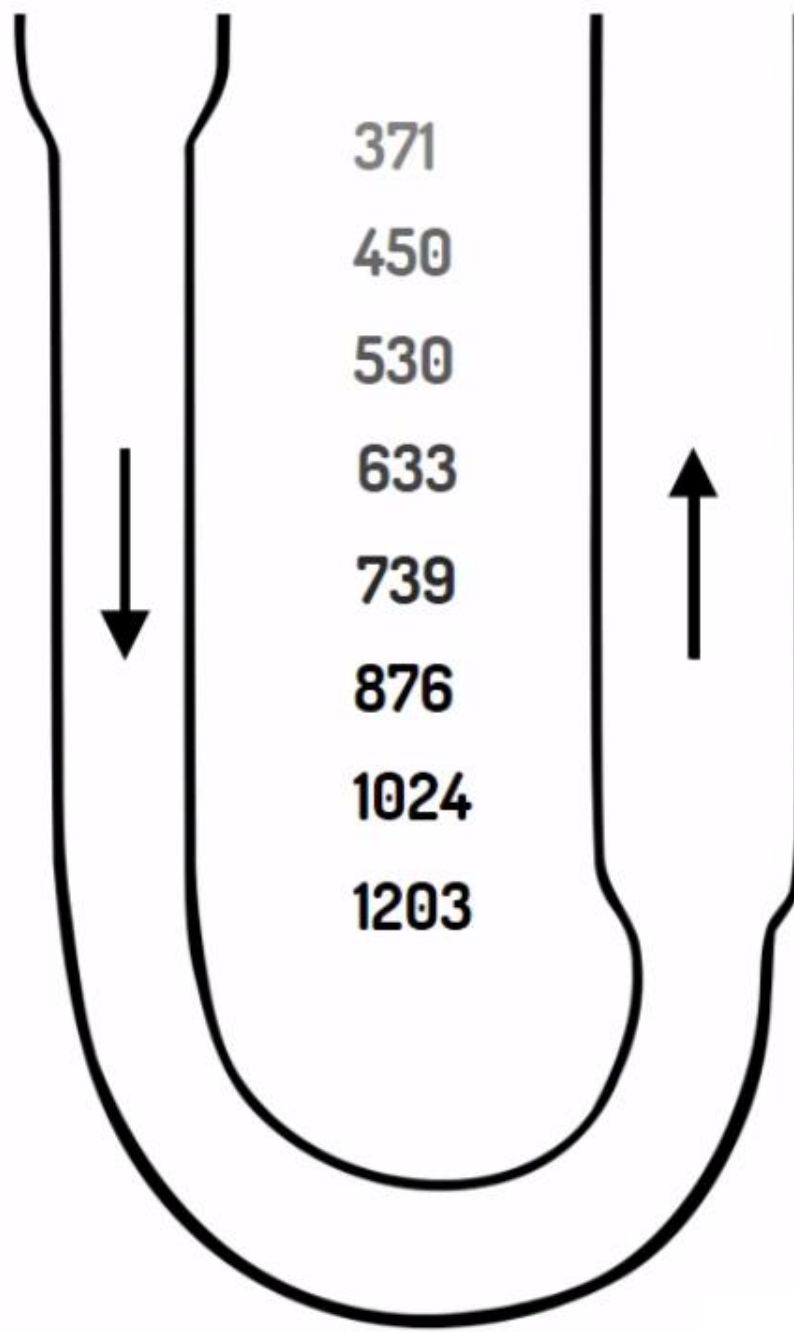
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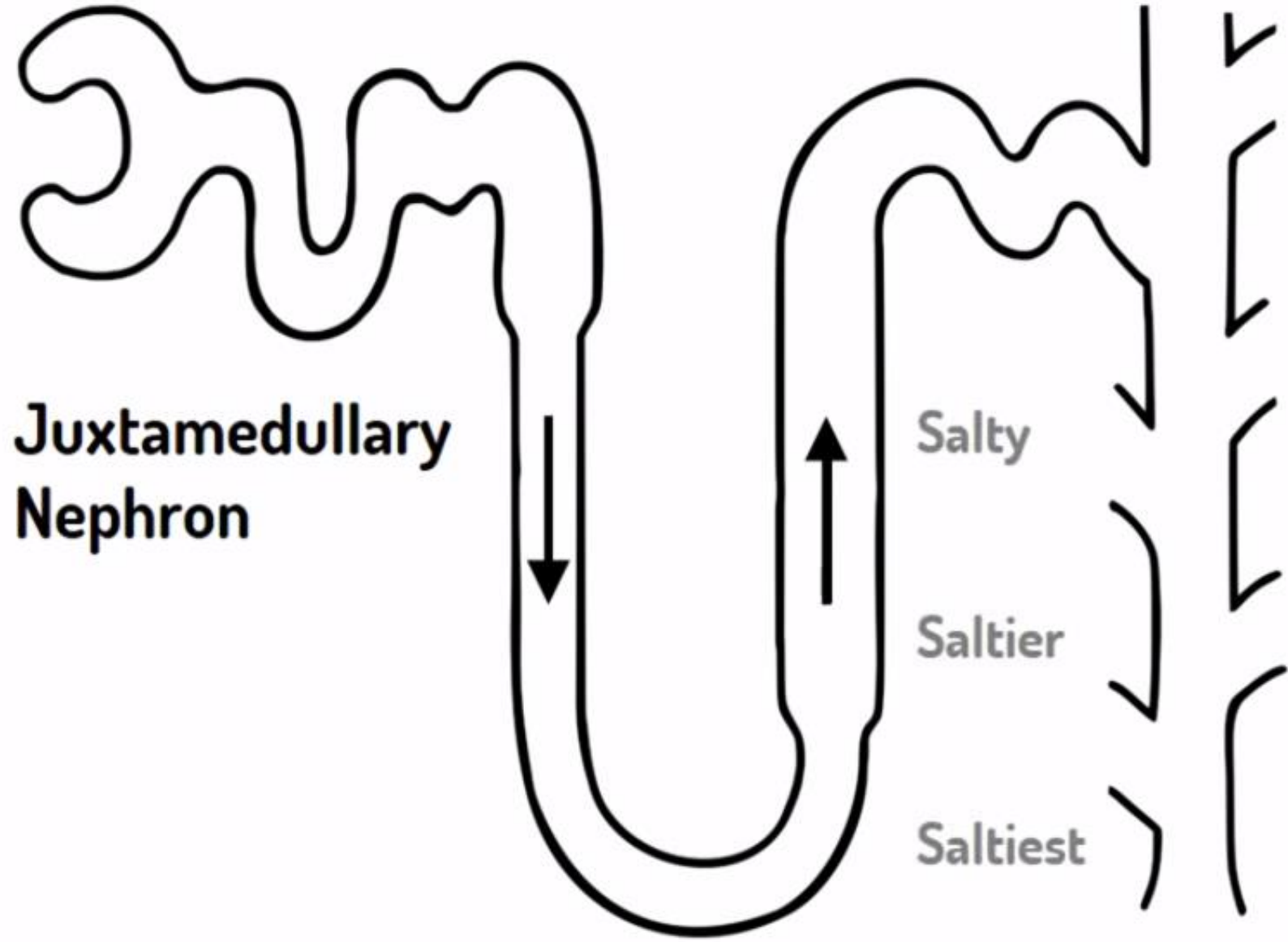


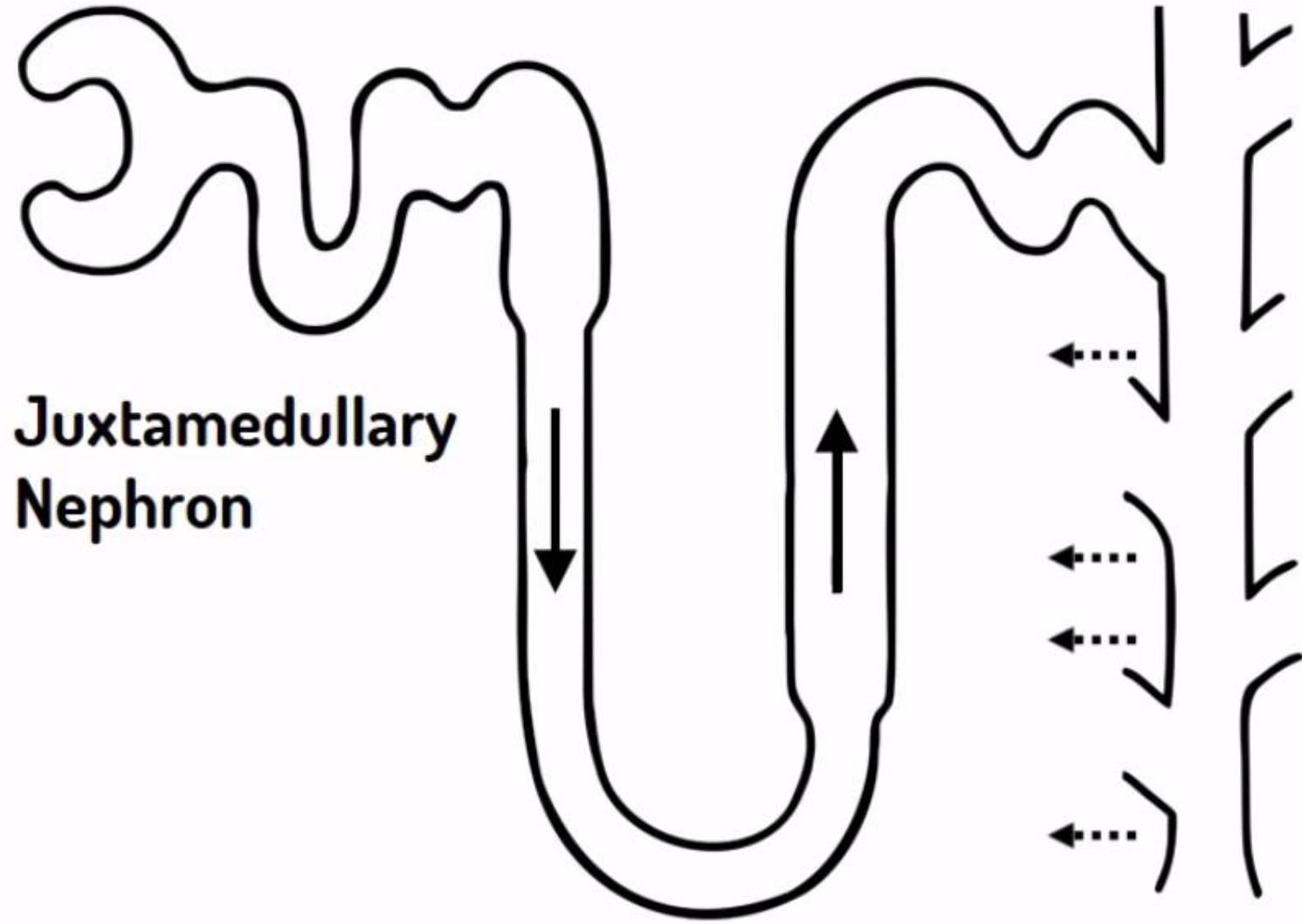
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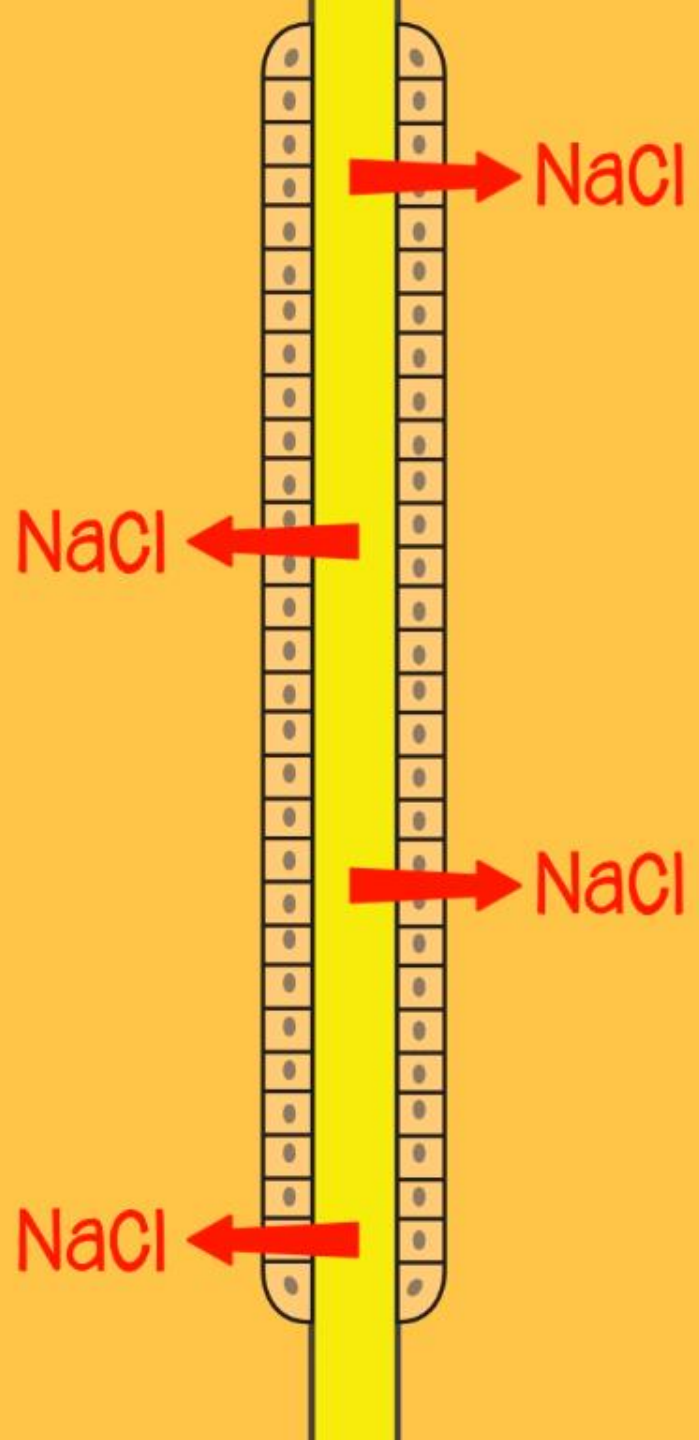


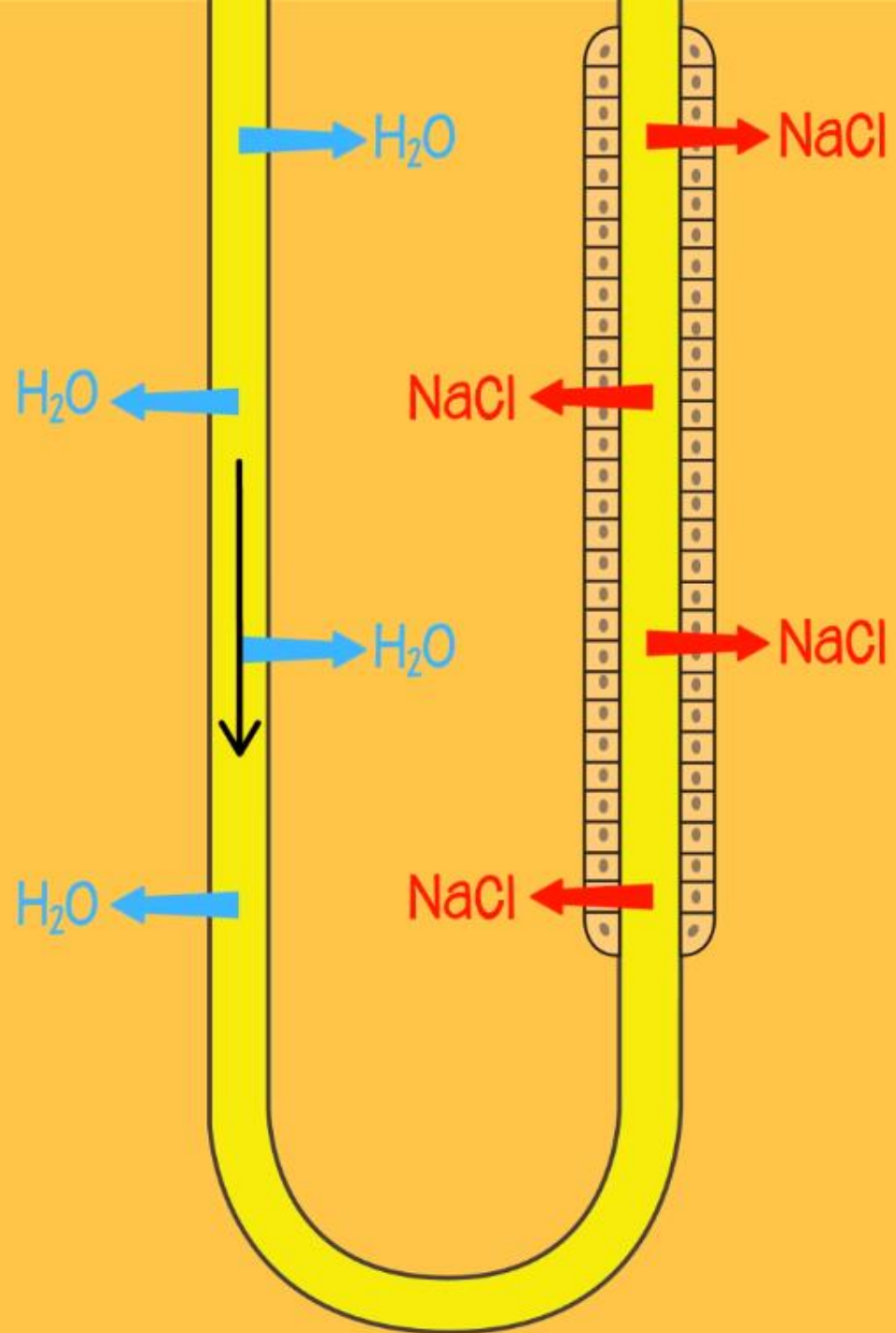
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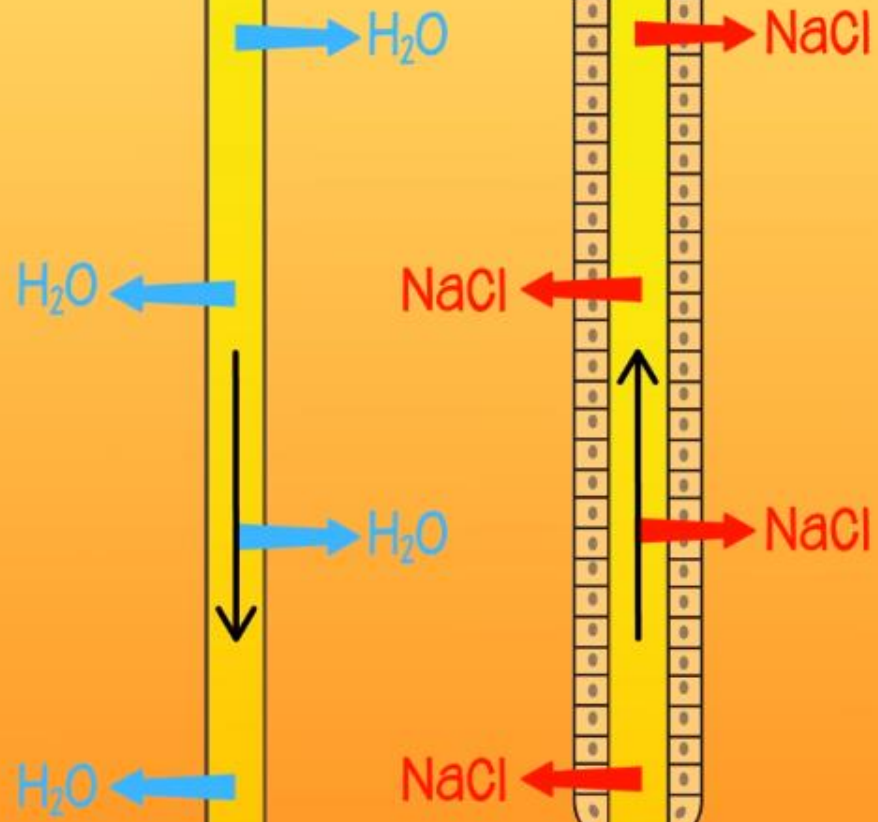


Cortex

Medulla

300mOsm/l →

← 300mOsm/l
(hypo-osmotic)



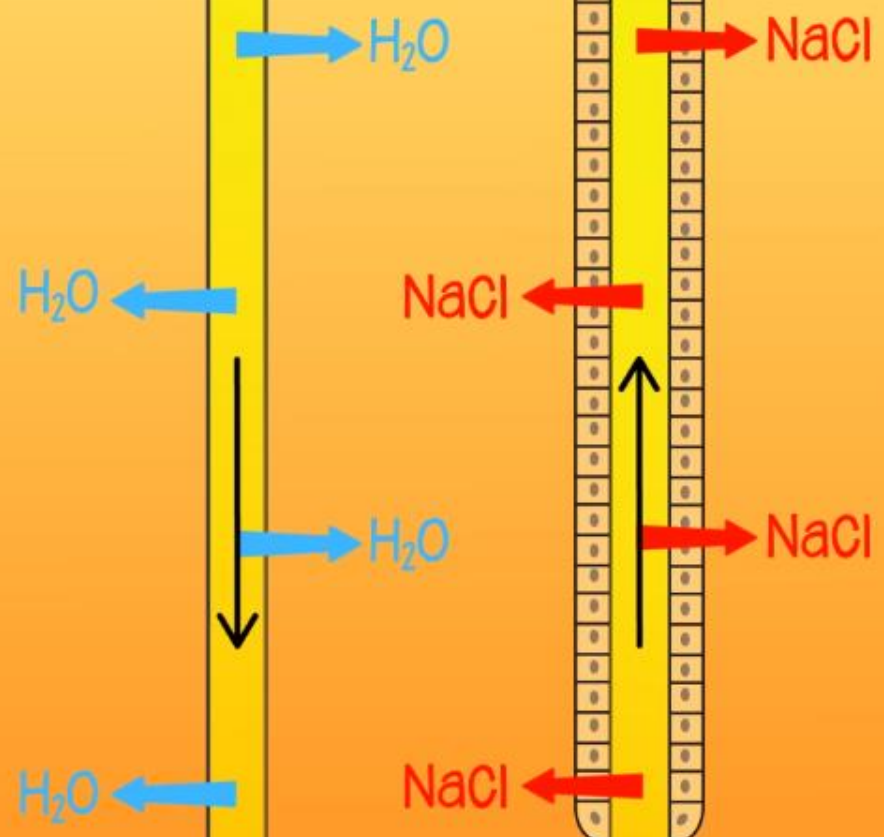
Inner medulla

Cortex
Medulla

300mOsm/l

<300mOsm/l
(hypo-osmotic)

[NaCl]/mOsm/l



COUNTERCURRENT
MULTIPLICATION

CONCENTRATED
MEDULLARY
INTERSTITIUM

300

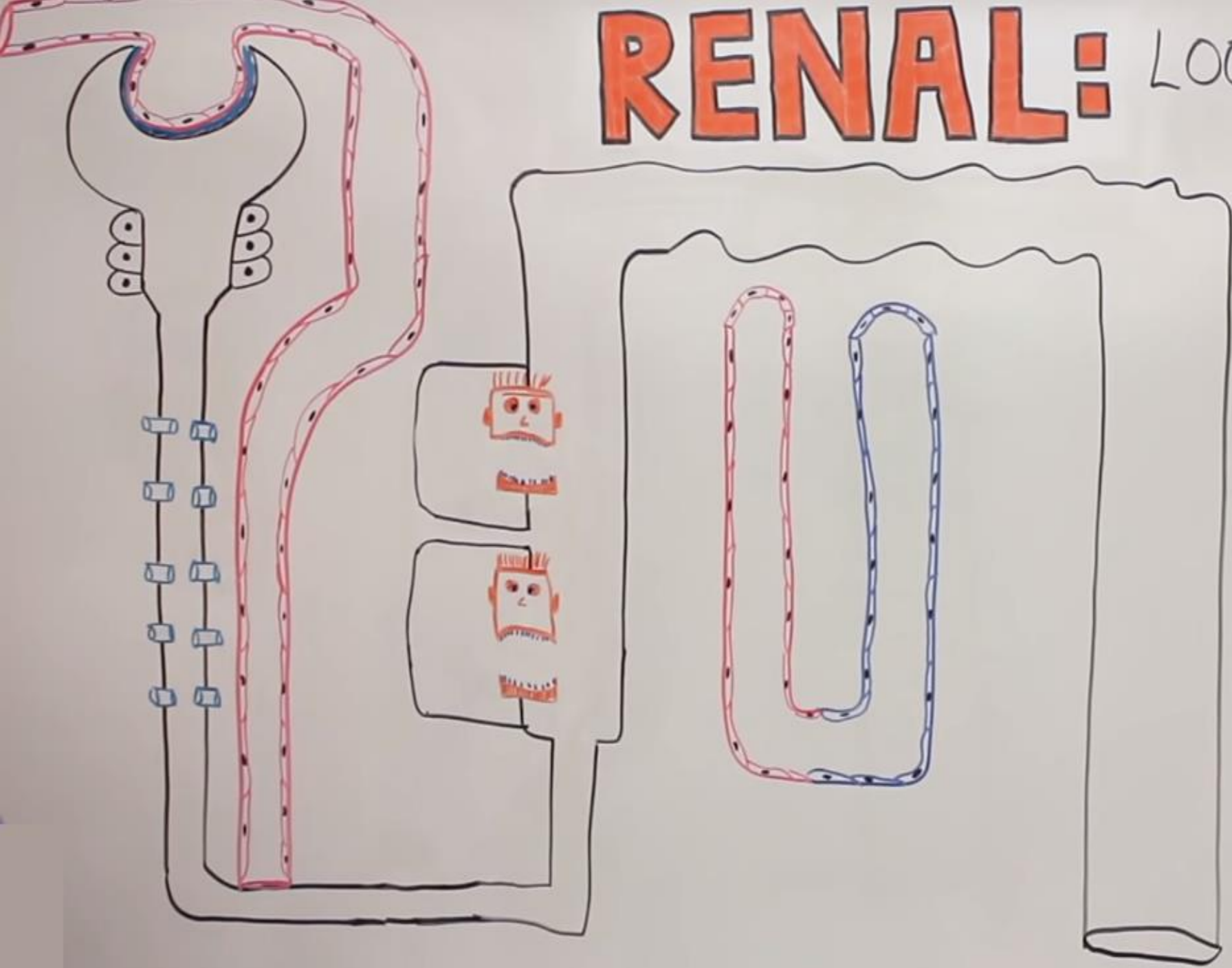
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Inner medulla

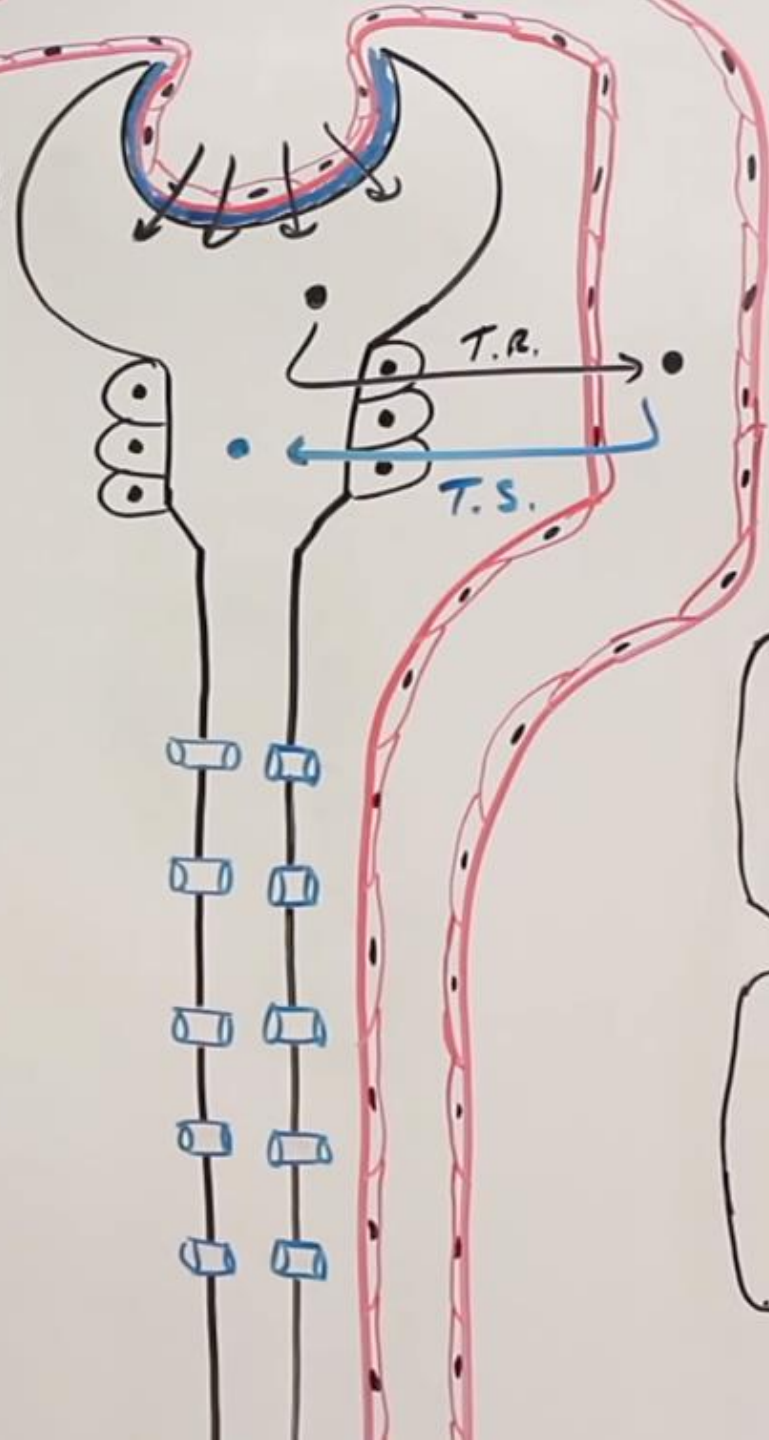
RENAL: LOOP OF HENLE



Arterioles + Bowman's Capsule + PCT +
Loop of Henle + DCT

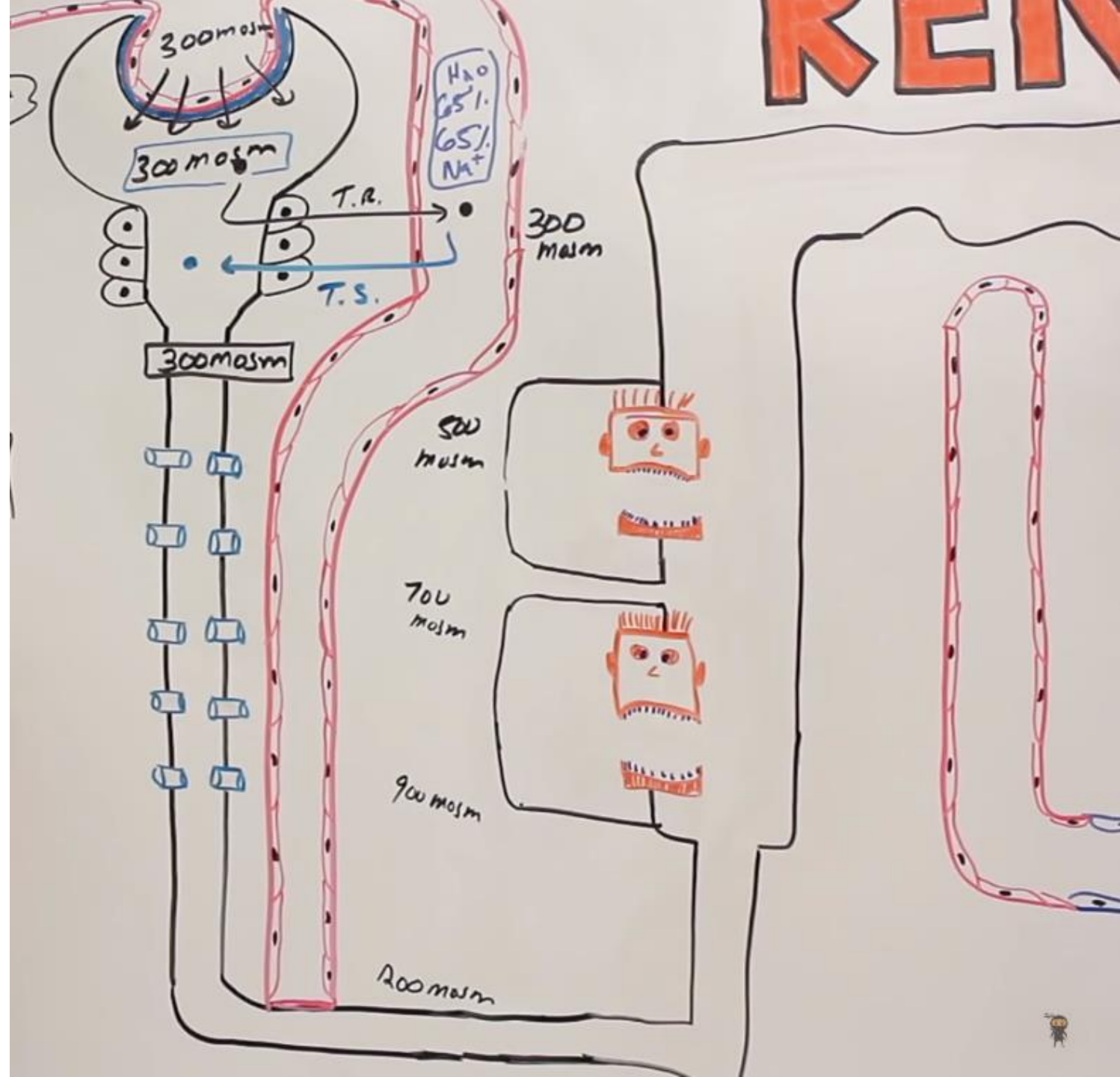
Loop of Henle

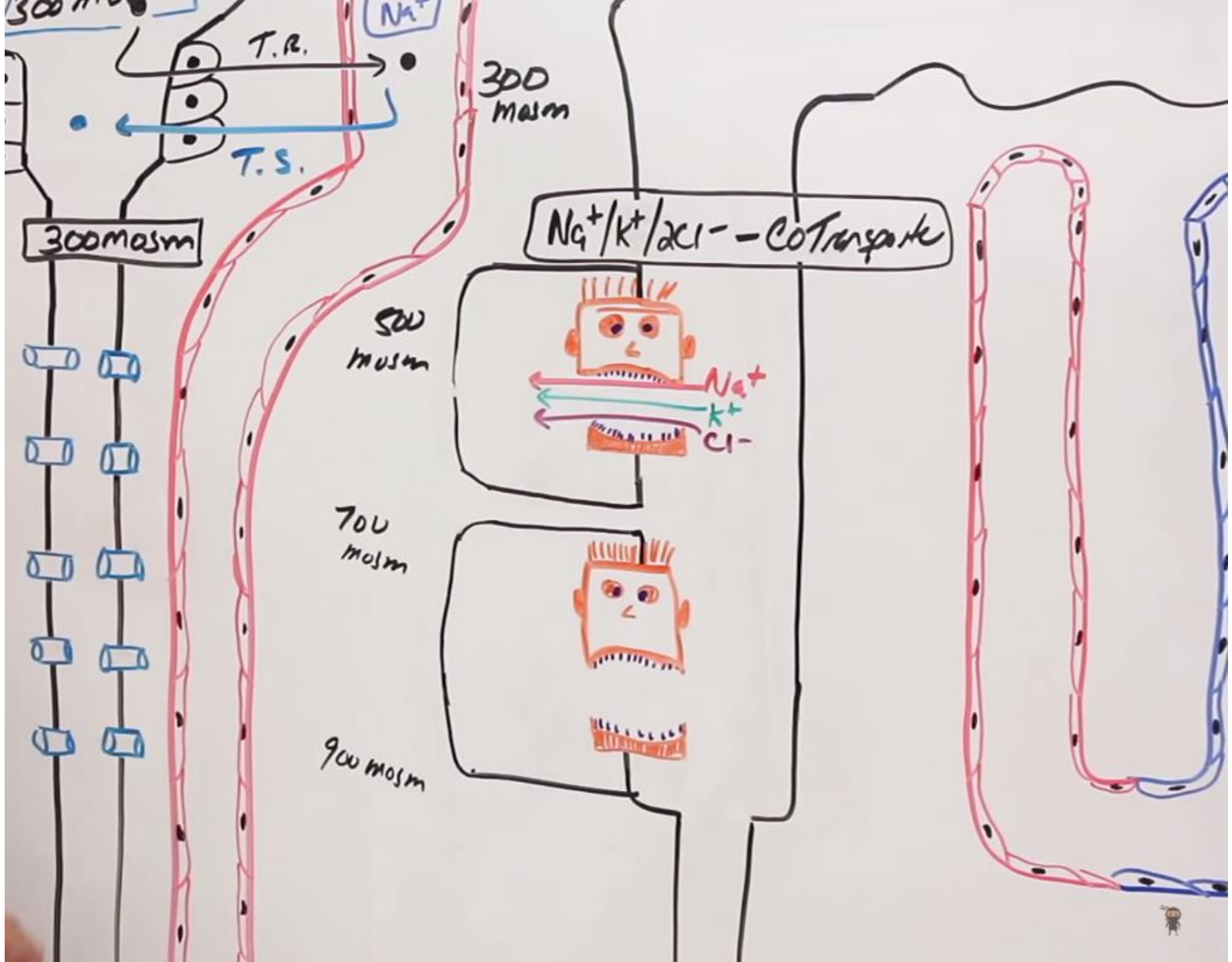
ASCENDING
LEMB

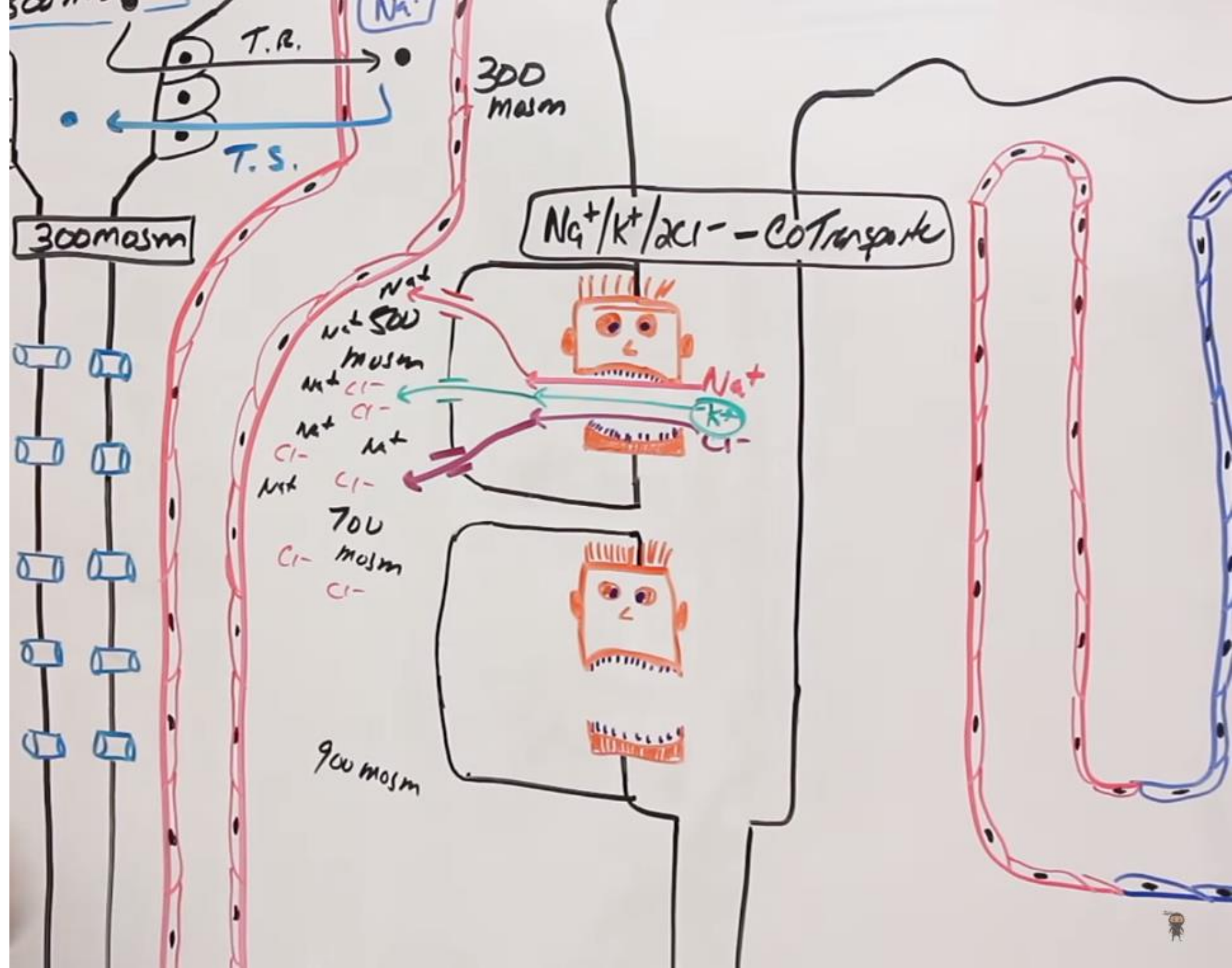


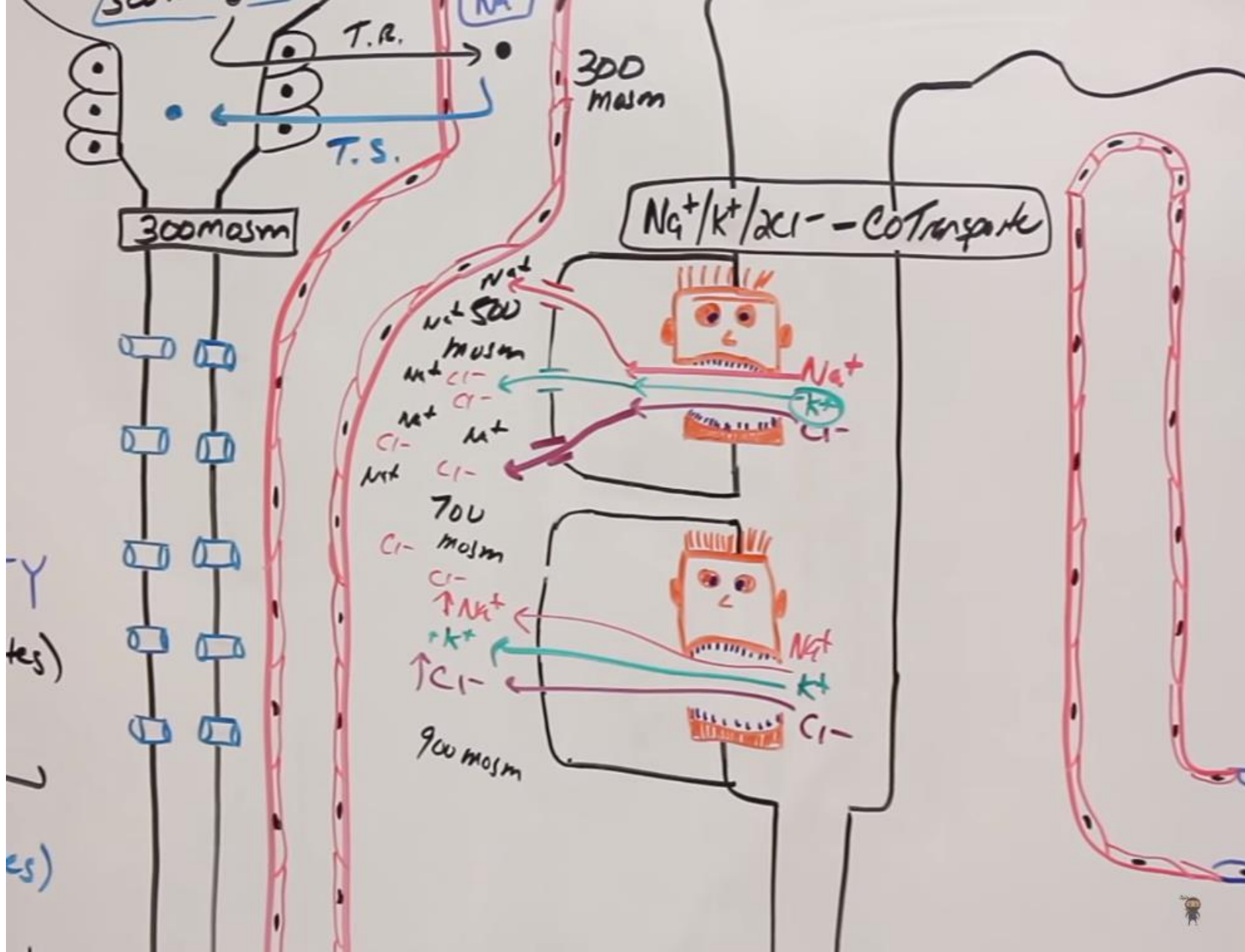
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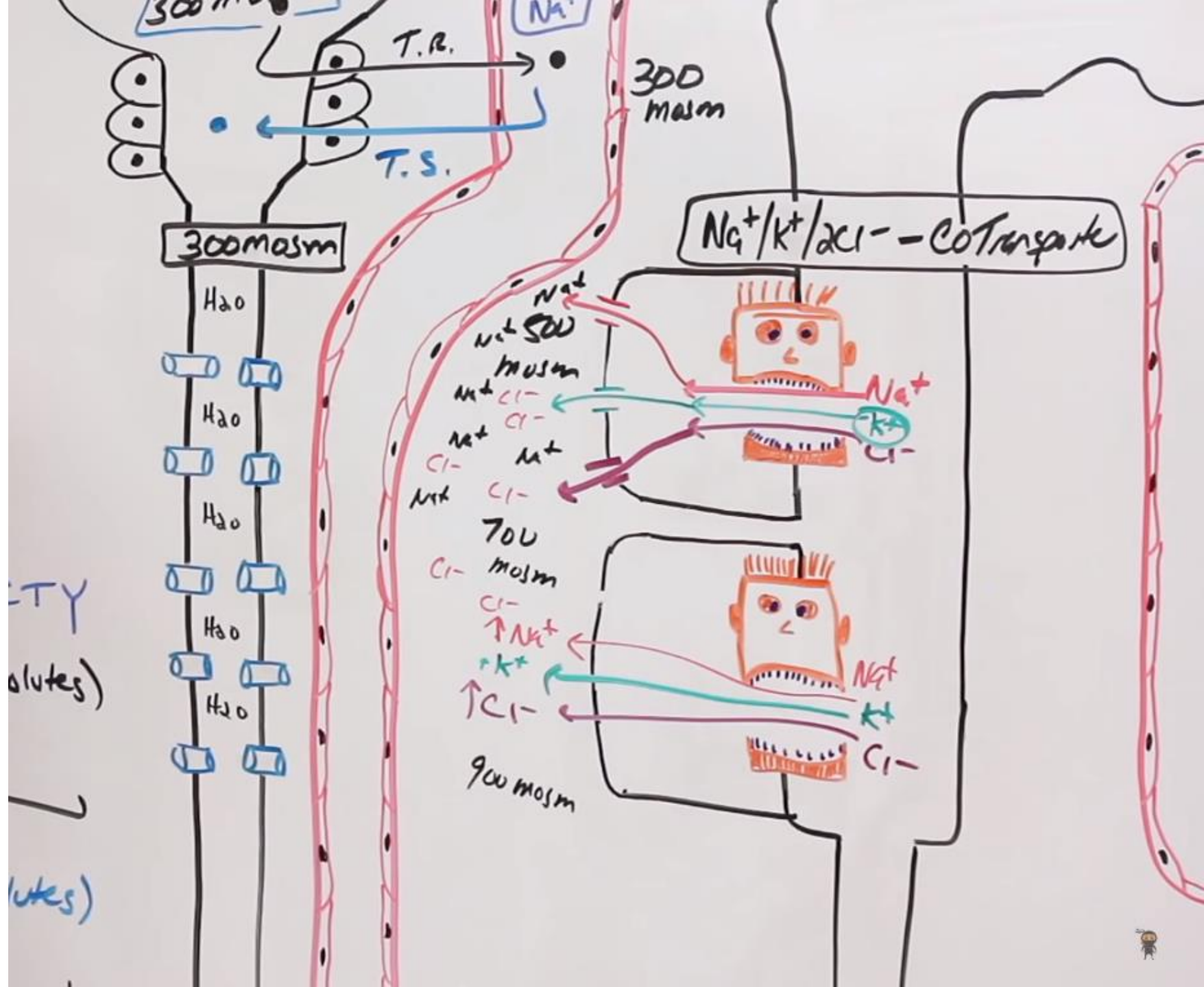


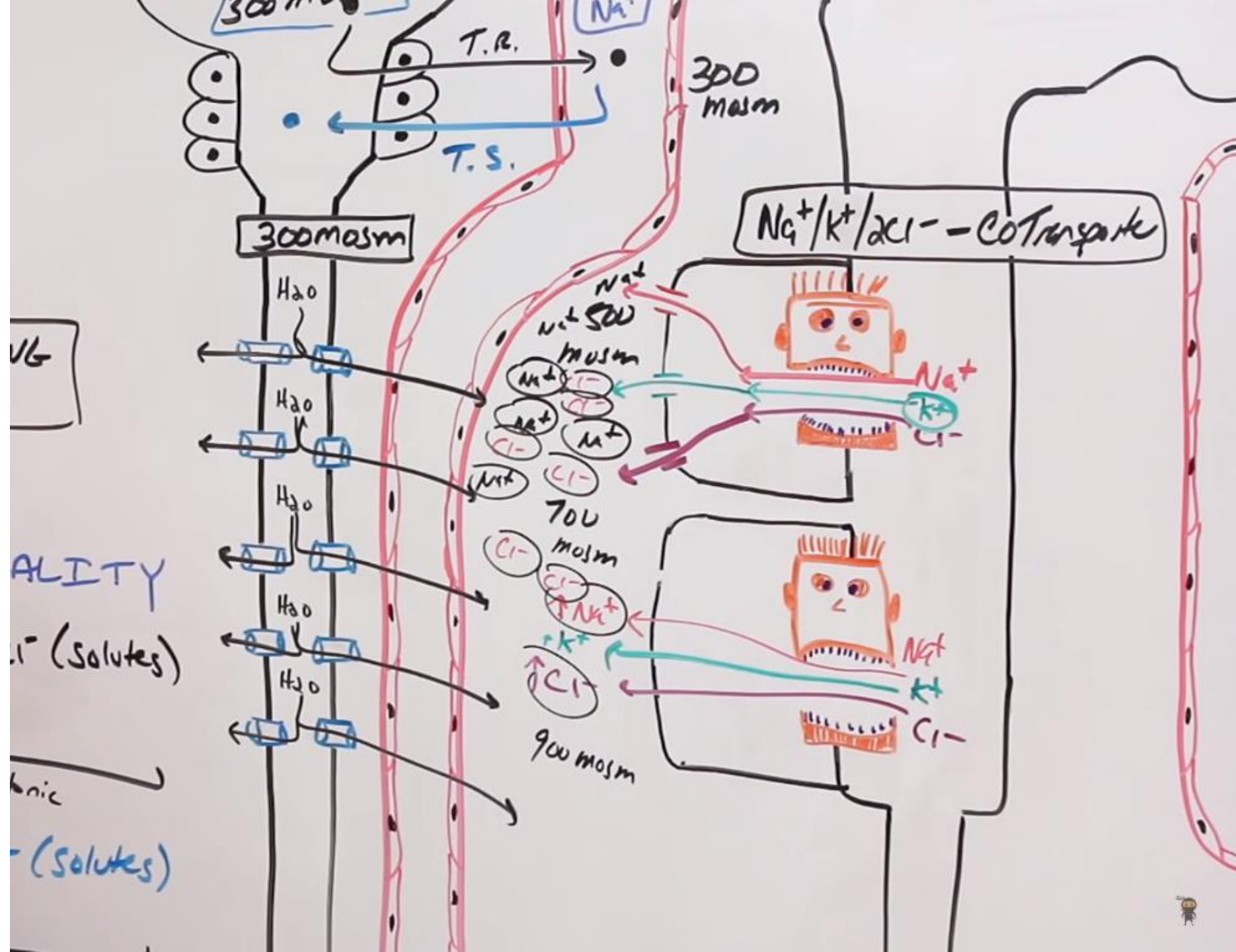








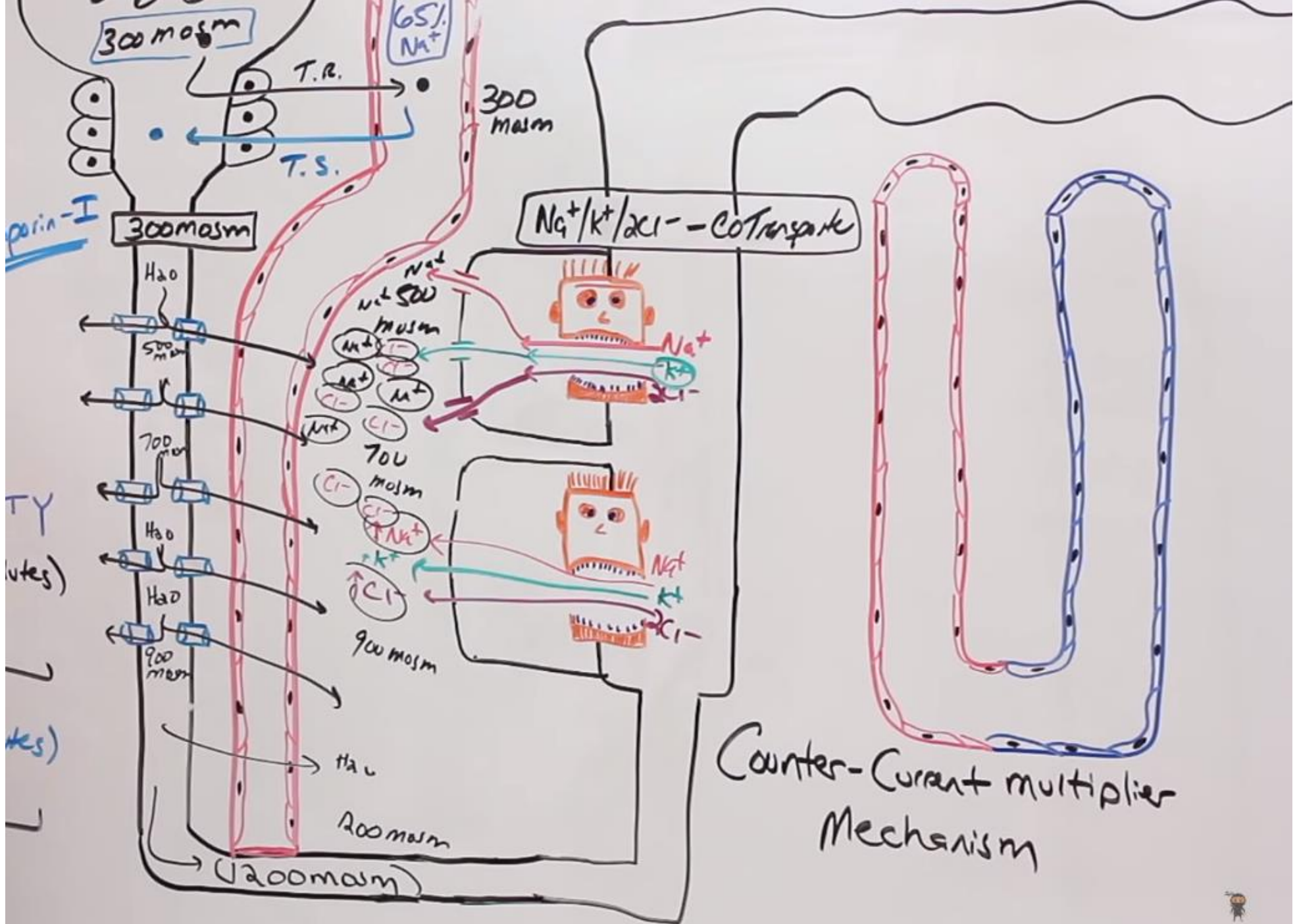


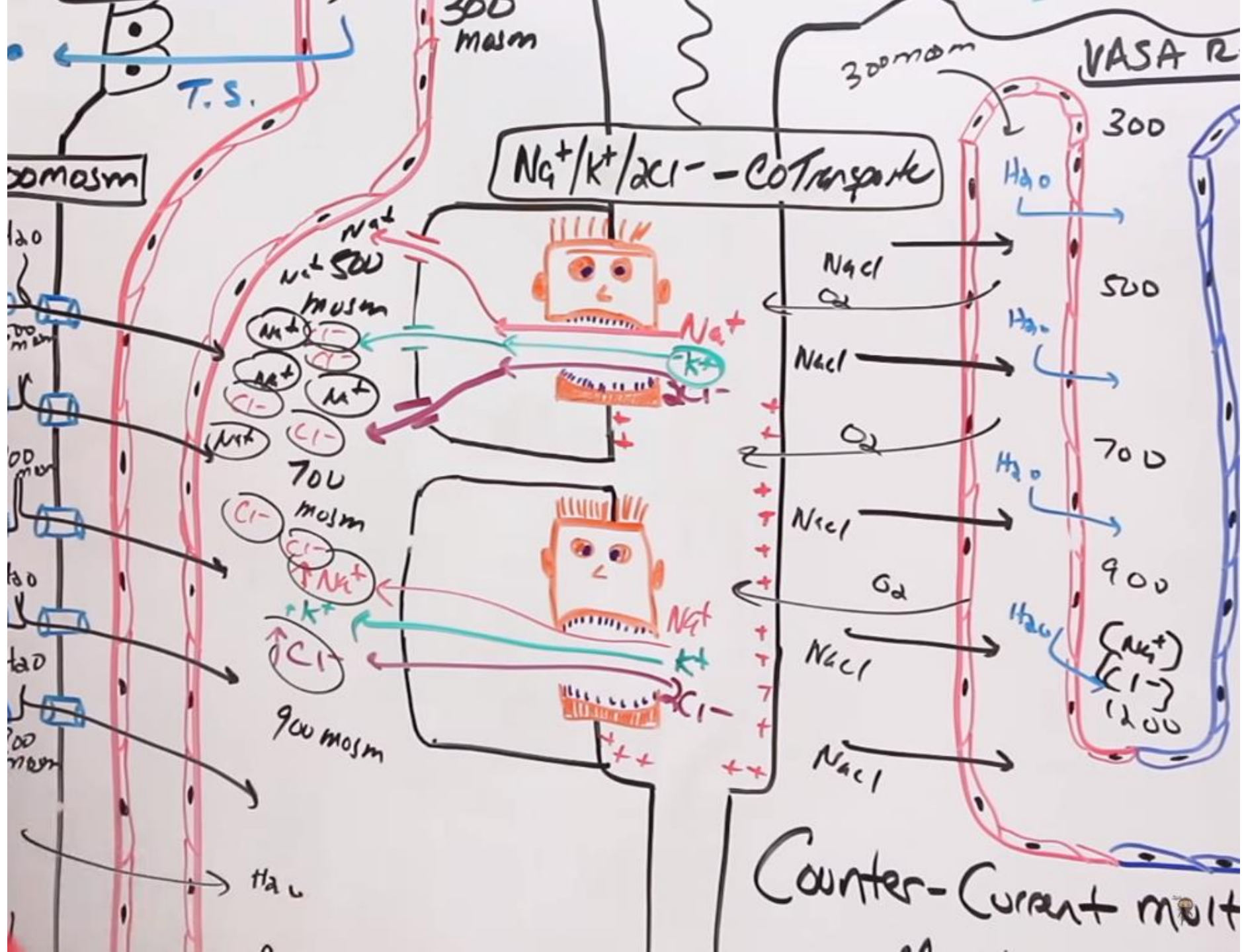


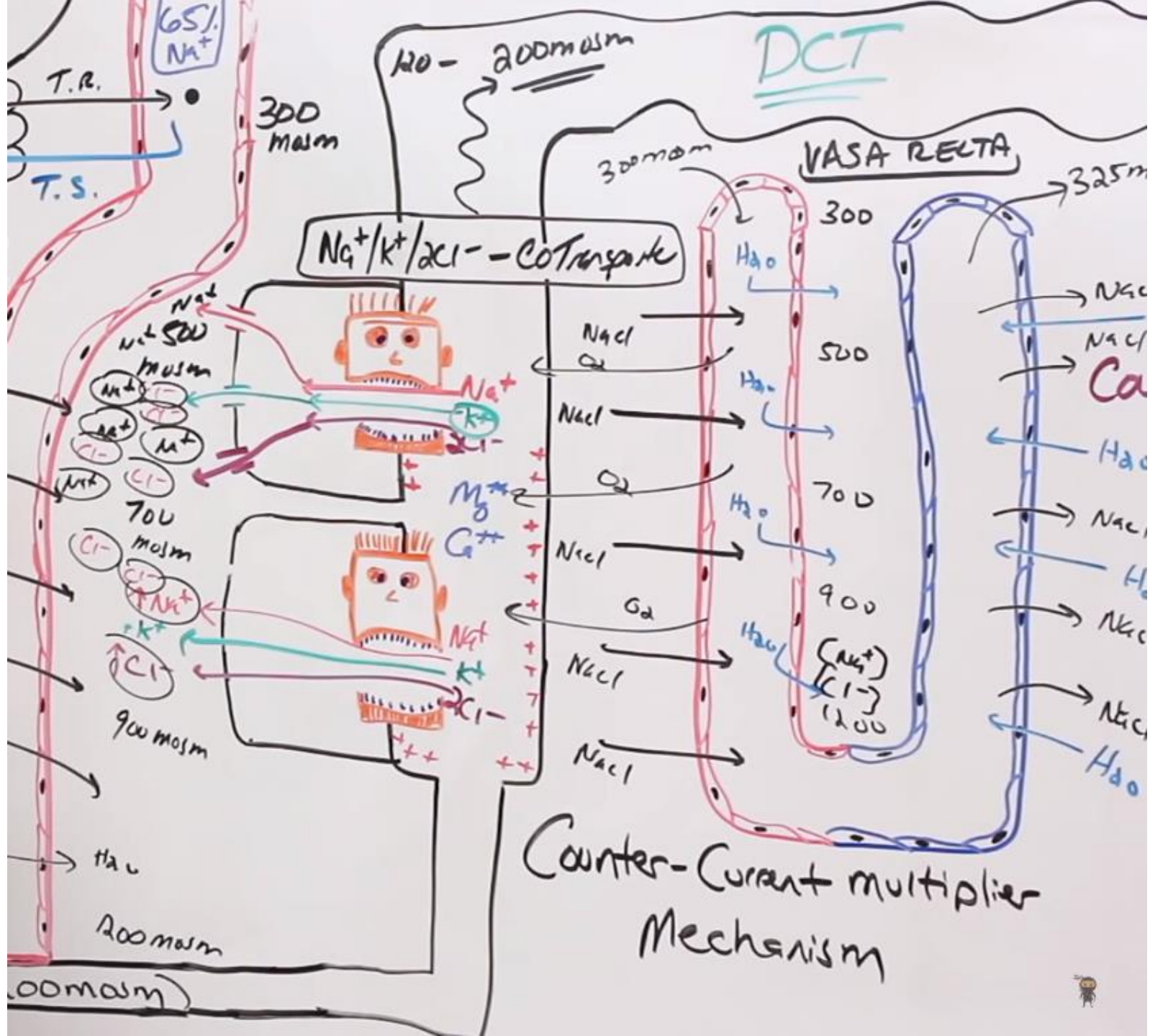
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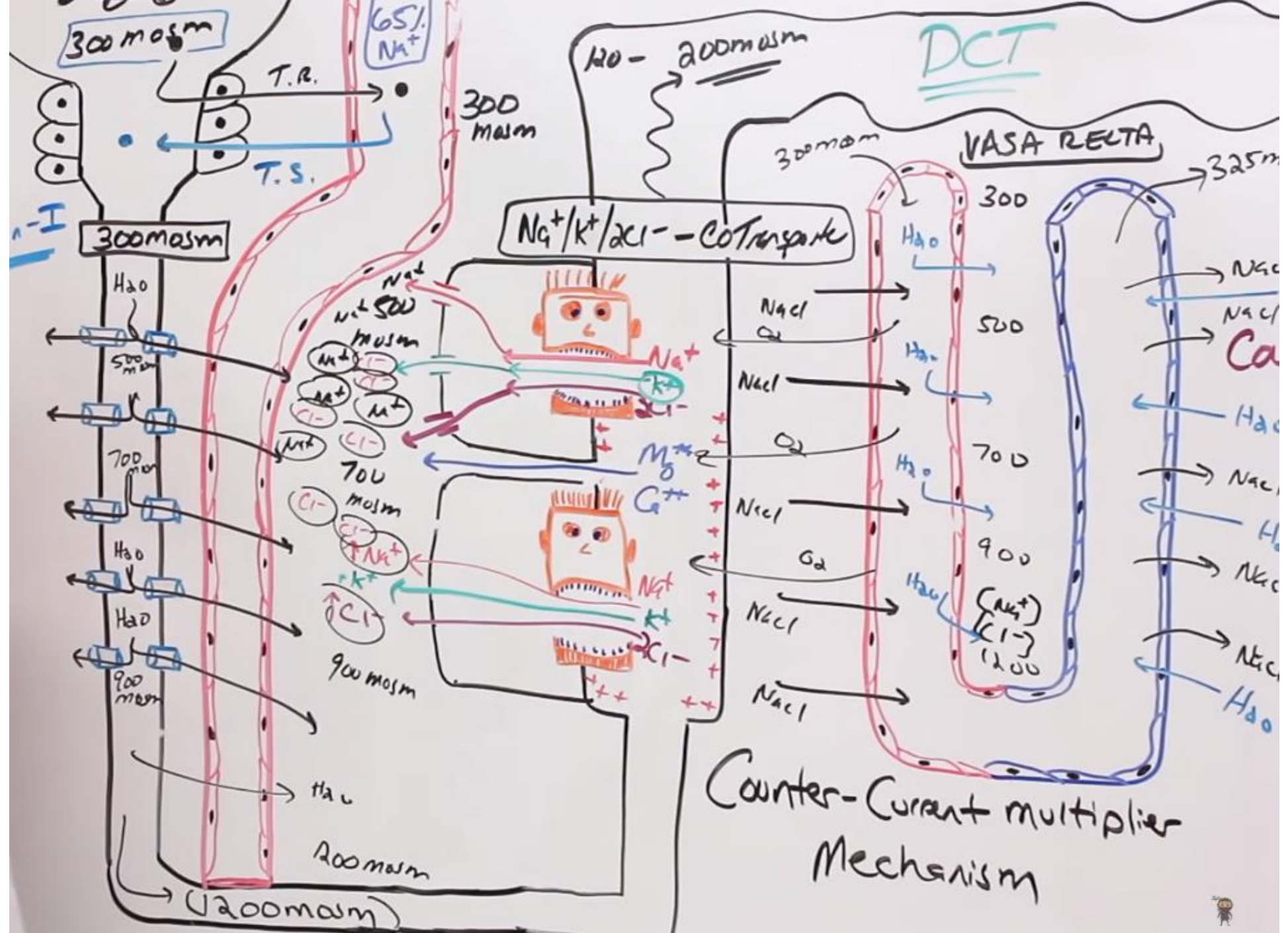
ALITY
 i⁻ (solute)

nic
 (solute)









Counter-Current multiplier Mechanism

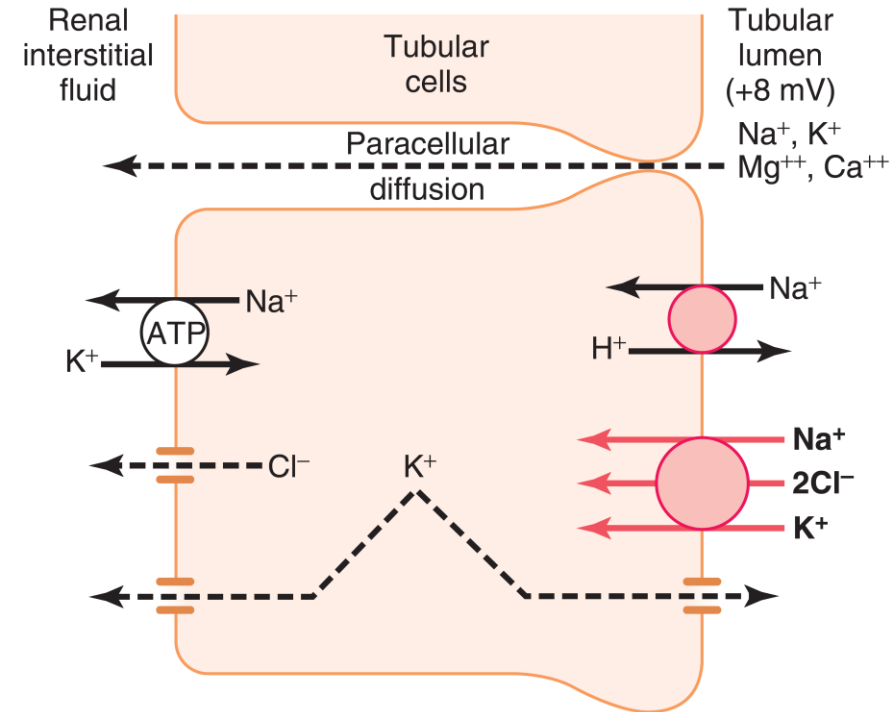


Figure 28-9. Mechanisms of sodium, chloride, and potassium transport in the thick ascending loop of Henle. The sodium-potassium ATPase pump in the basolateral cell membrane maintains a low intracellular sodium concentration and a negative electrical potential in the cell. The 1-sodium, 2-chloride, 1-potassium co-transporter in the luminal membrane transports these three ions from the tubular lumen into the cells, using the potential energy released by diffusion of sodium down an electrochemical gradient into the cells. Sodium is also transported into the tubular cell by sodium-hydrogen counter-transport. The positive charge (+8 mV) of the tubular lumen relative to the interstitial fluid forces cations such as Mg⁺⁺ and Ca⁺⁺ to diffuse from the lumen to the interstitial fluid via the paracellular pathway.

There is also significant paracellular reabsorption of cations, such as Mg⁺⁺, Ca⁺⁺, Na⁺, and K⁺, in the thick ascending limb as a result of the slight positive charge of the tubular lumen relative to the interstitial fluid. Although the 1-sodium, 2-chloride, 1-potassium co-transporter moves equal amounts of cations and anions into the cell, there is a slight backleak of potassium ions into the lumen, creating a positive charge of about +8 millivolts in the tubular lumen. This positive charge forces cations such as Mg⁺⁺ and Ca⁺⁺ to diffuse from the tubular lumen through the paracellular space and into the interstitial fluid.

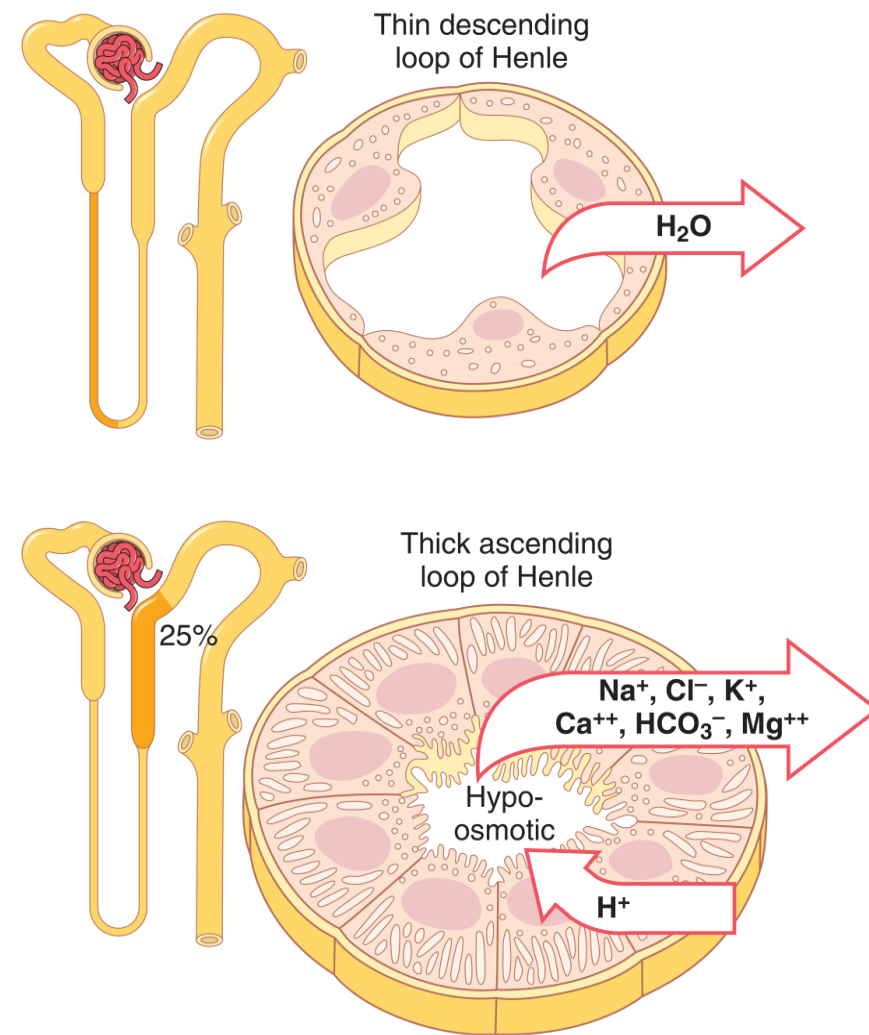
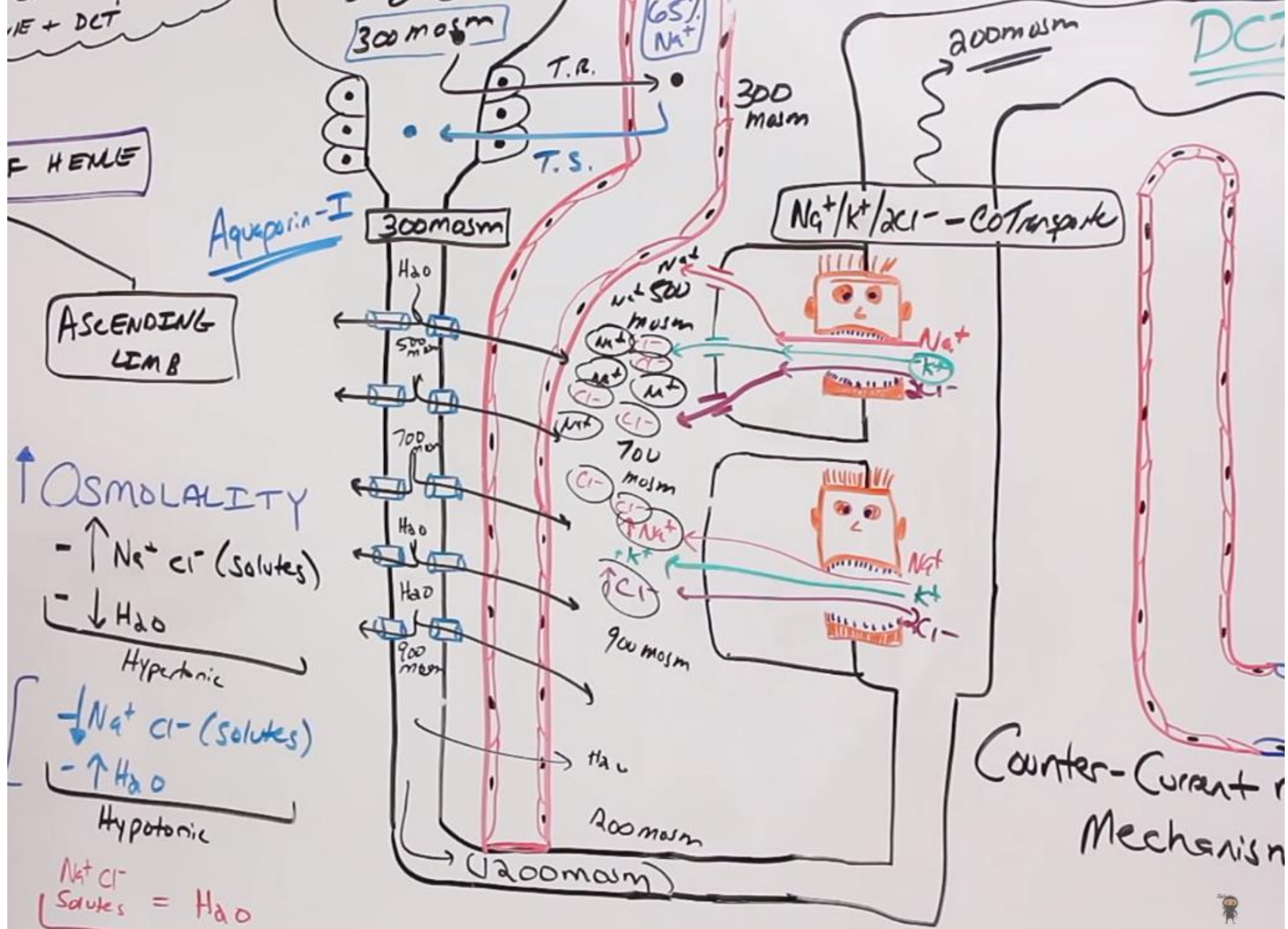


Figure 28-8. Cellular ultrastructure and transport characteristics of the thin descending loop of Henle (*top*) and the thick ascending segment of the loop of Henle (*bottom*). The descending part of the thin segment of the loop of Henle is highly permeable to water and moderately permeable to most solutes but has few mitochondria and little or no active reabsorption. The thick ascending limb of the loop of Henle reabsorbs about 25 percent of the filtered loads of sodium, chloride, and potassium, as well as large amounts of calcium, bicarbonate, and magnesium. This segment also secretes hydrogen ions into the tubular lumen.



IE + DCT

F HEMLE

300 mOsm

65% Na^+

200 mOsm

DCT

T.R.

T.S.

300 mOsm

300 mOsm

$\text{Na}^+/\text{K}^+/\text{Cl}^-$ CoTransporter

Aquaporin-I

ASCENDING LIMB

H_2O

500 mOsm

700 mOsm

H_2O

H_2O

900 mOsm

Na^+

Cl^-

Na^+

Cl^-

Na^+

Cl^-

700 mOsm

Cl^-

Na^+

Cl^-

900 mOsm

H_2O

1100 mOsm

H_2O

1200 mOsm

H_2O

1200 mOsm

H_2O

1200 mOsm

H_2O

Na^+

Cl^-

Na^+

Cl^-

Na^+

Cl^-

700 mOsm

Cl^-

Na^+

Cl^-

900 mOsm

H_2O

1100 mOsm

H_2O

1200 mOsm

H_2O

1200 mOsm

H_2O

1200 mOsm

H_2O

Na^+

Cl^-

Na^+

Cl^-

Na^+

Cl^-

700 mOsm

Cl^-

Na^+

Cl^-

900 mOsm

H_2O

1100 mOsm

H_2O

1200 mOsm

H_2O

1200 mOsm

H_2O

1200 mOsm

H_2O

Na^+

Cl^-

Na^+

Cl^-

Na^+

Cl^-

700 mOsm

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H_2O

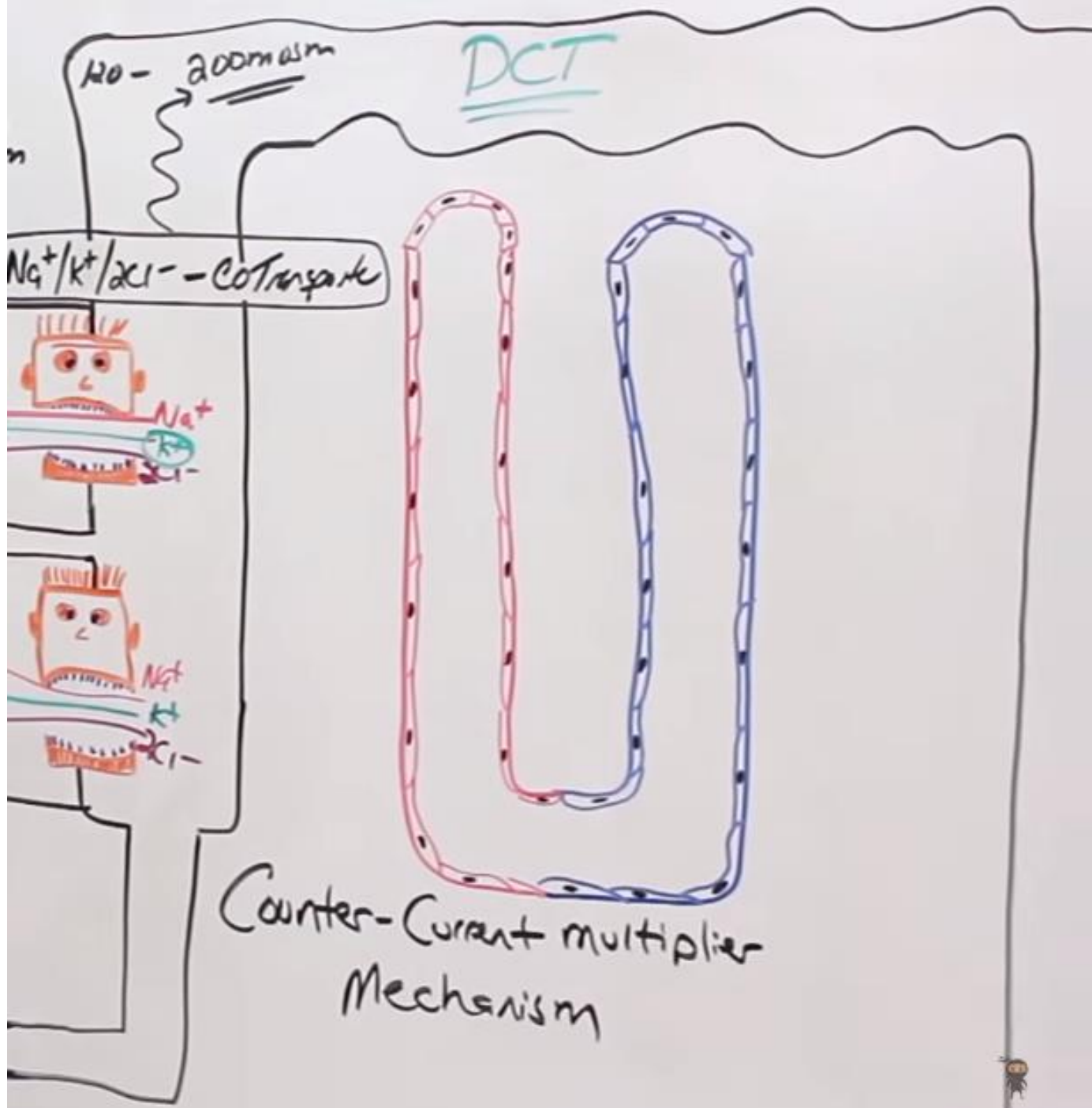
1200 mOsm

H_2O



Counter-Current Mechanism



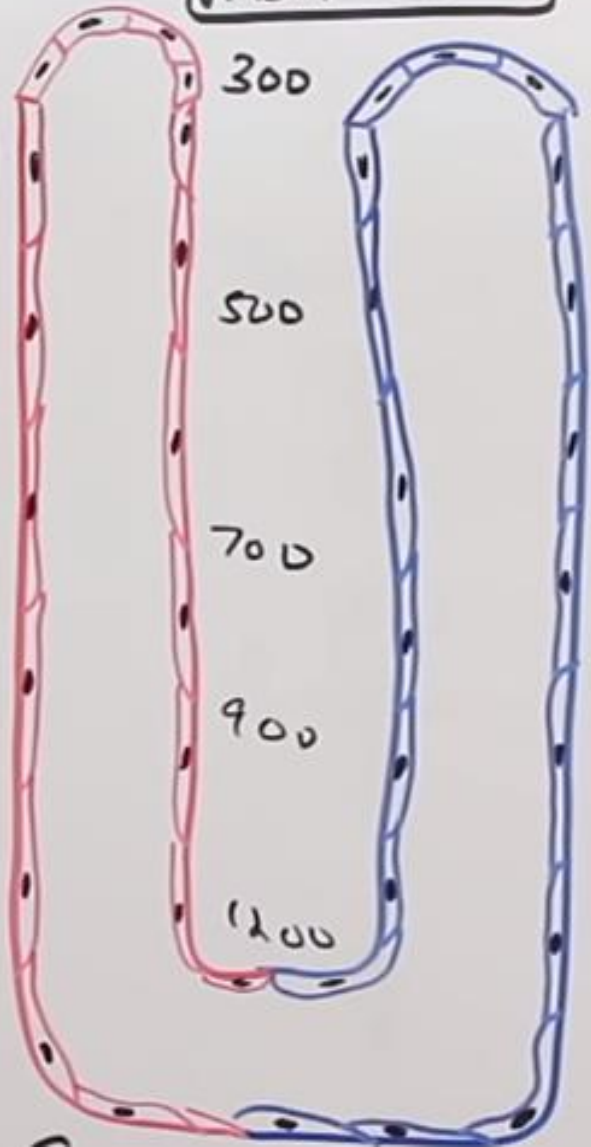


10m osm

DCT

VASA RECTA

20 Transpote



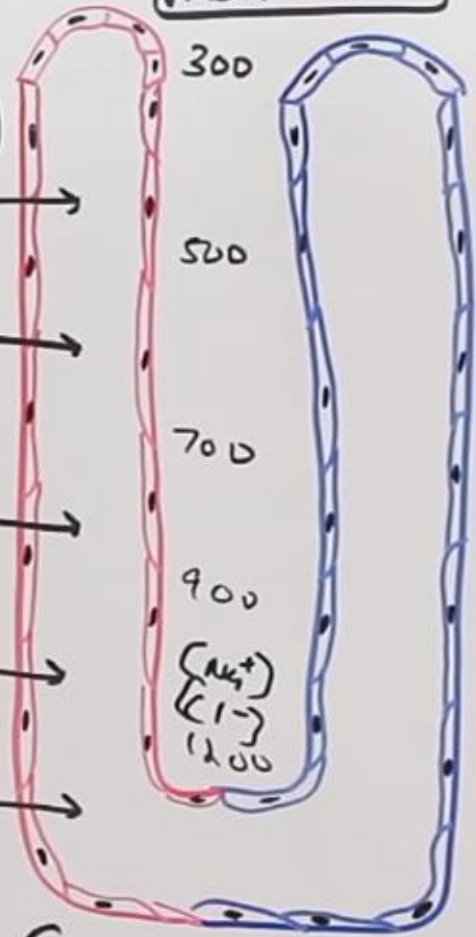
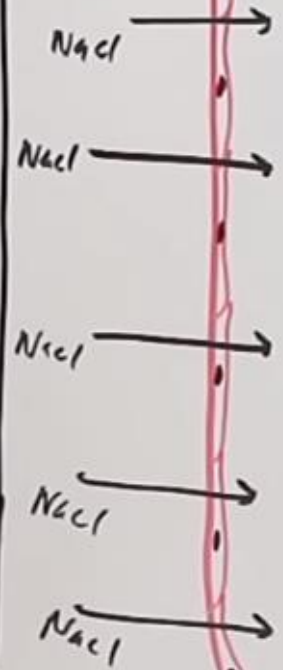
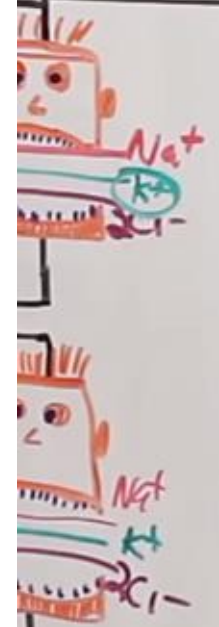
Counter Current Exchanger

No - 200msm

DCT

VASA RECTA

K^+/Cl^- - CoTransport



Counter Current Exchanger

Counter-Current multiplier Mechanism



LOOP OF HEMLE

Descending Limb

- H₂O permeable
- Solute impermeable
- Aquaporin - I

H₂O → medullary Interstitium

ASCENDING LIMB

- Na⁺/K⁺/2Cl⁻ Co-Transporter
- Na⁺ → OUT
- K⁺ → OUT
- 2Cl⁻ → OUT

↓ medullary Interstitium (Salty)

Aquaporin

Counter Current Multiplication Mechanism

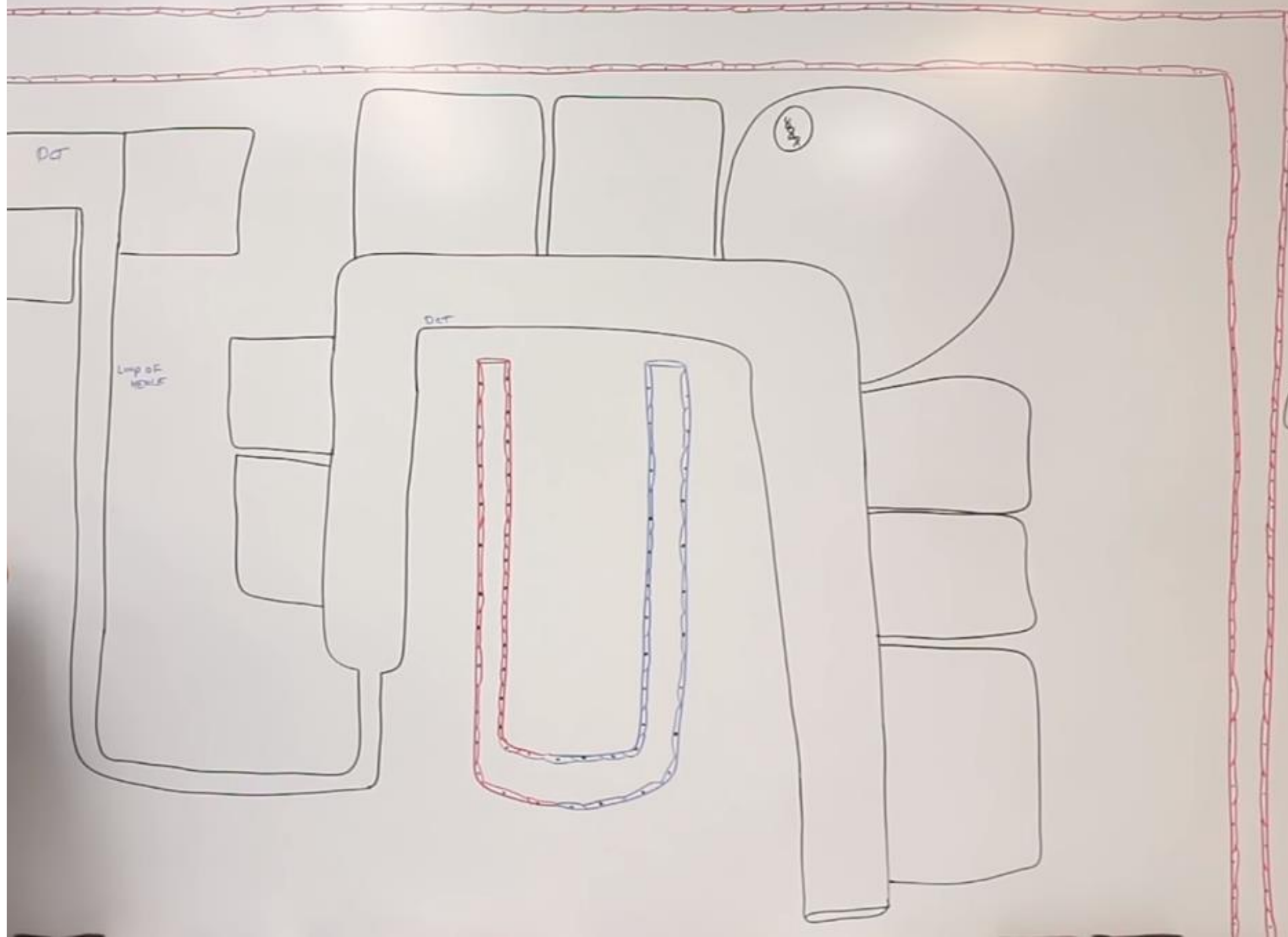
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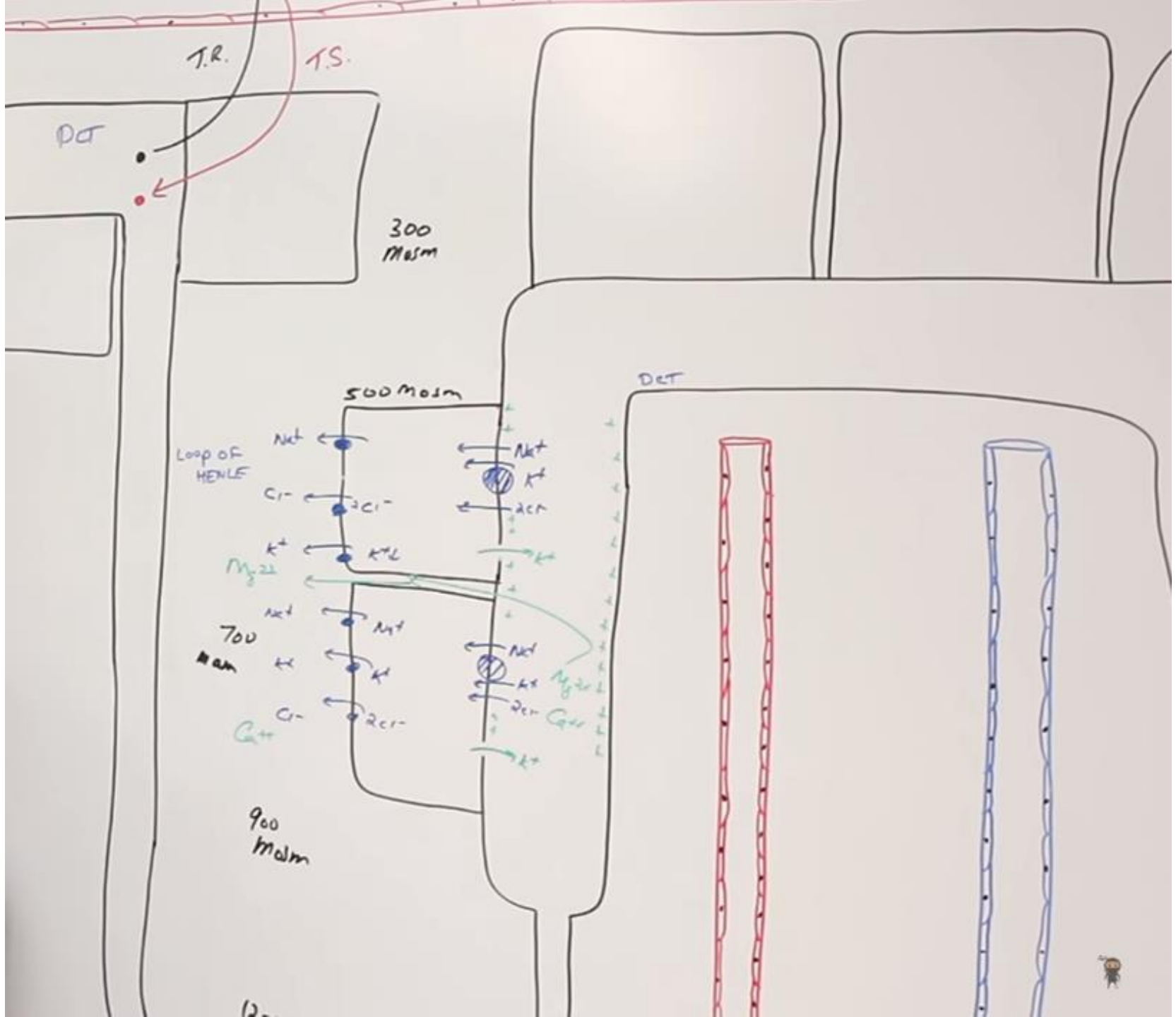
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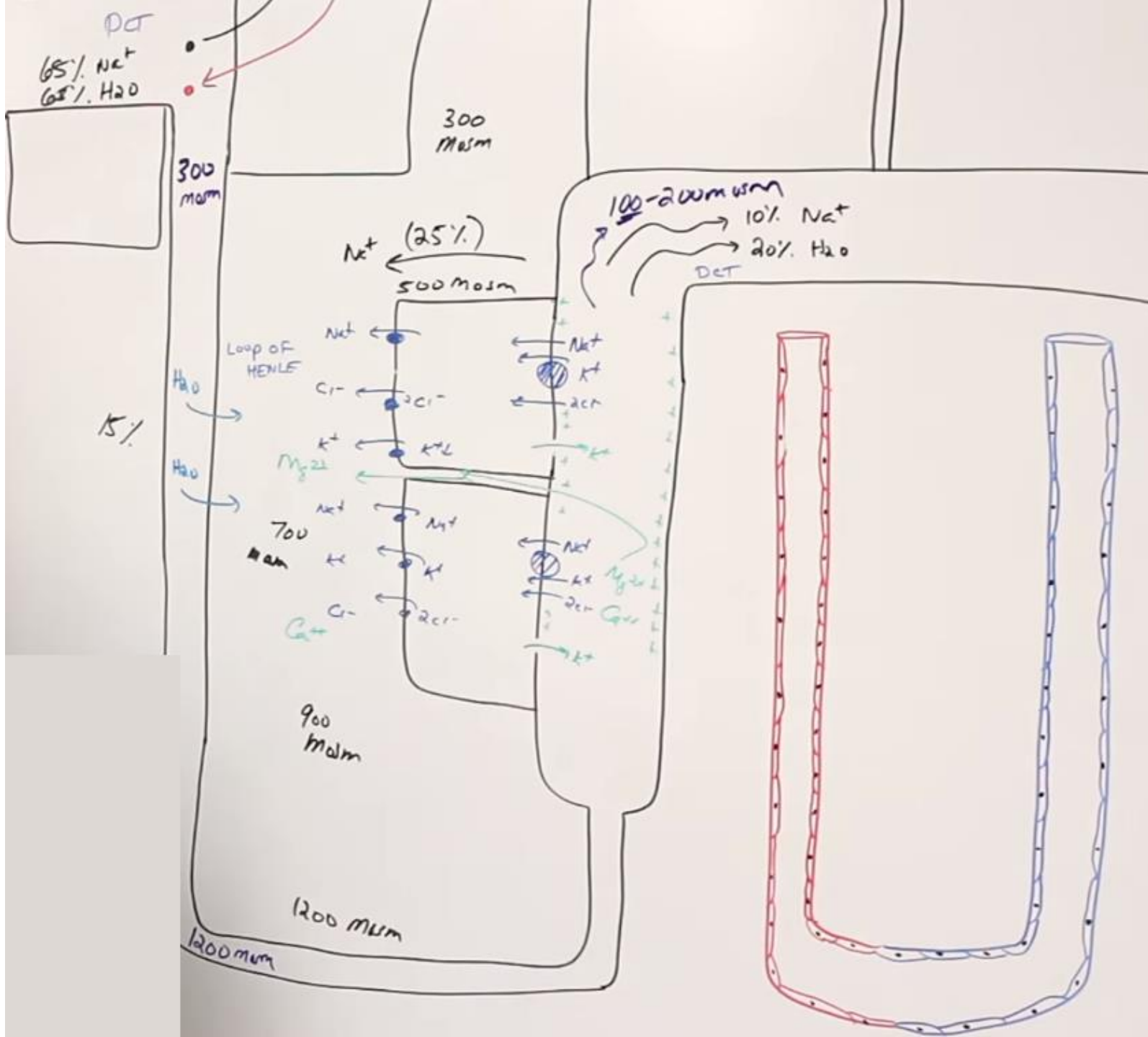
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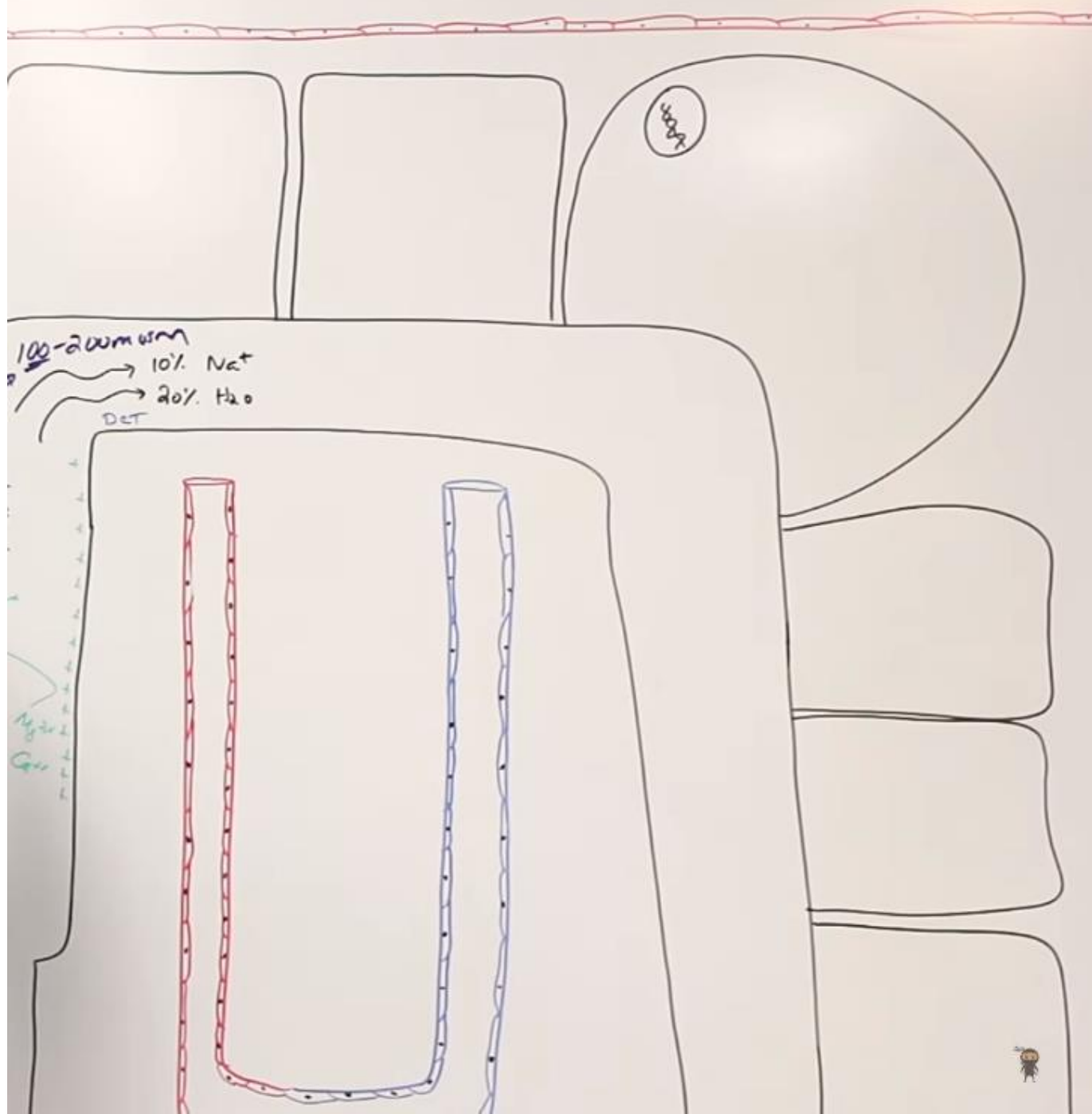
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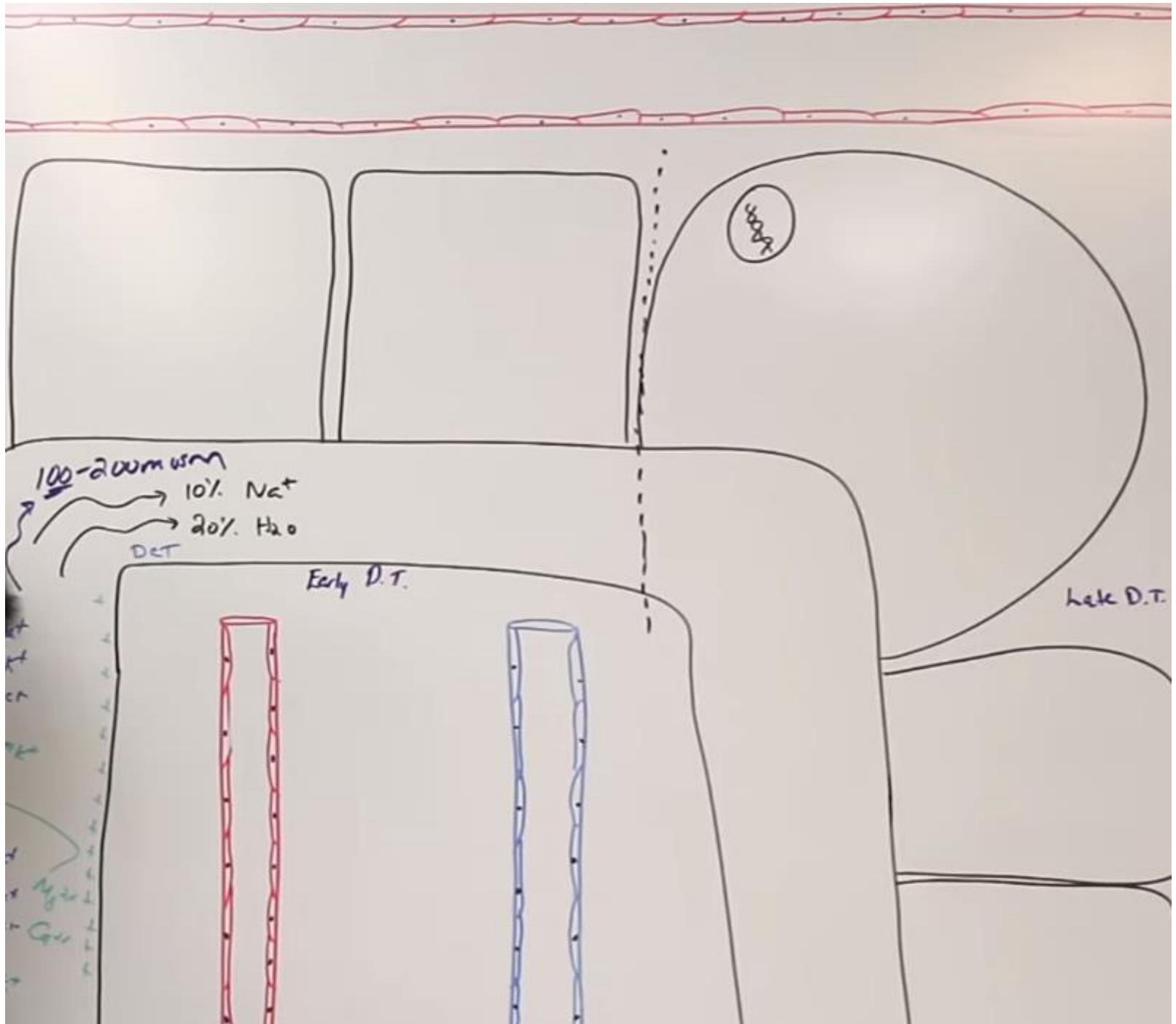
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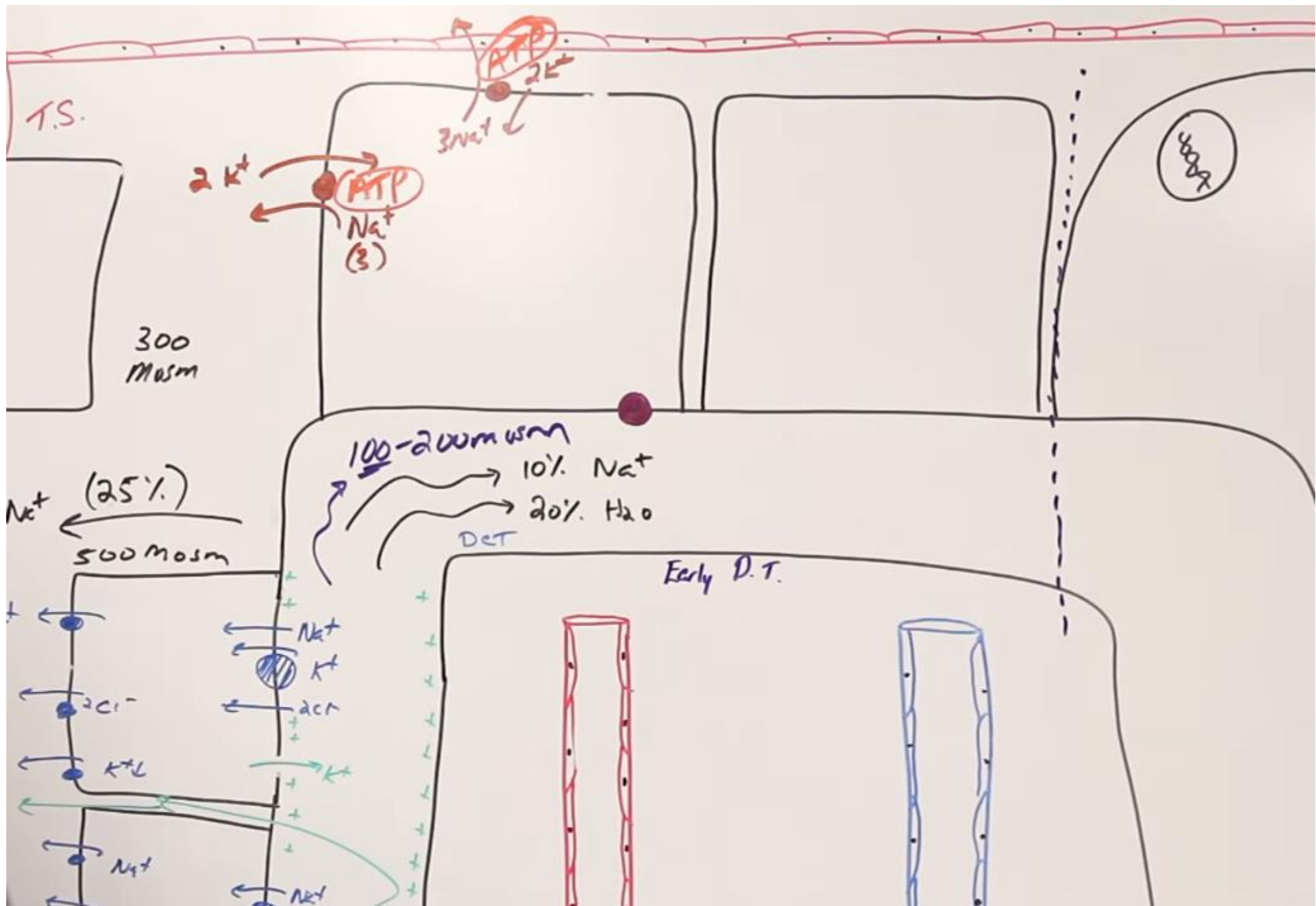


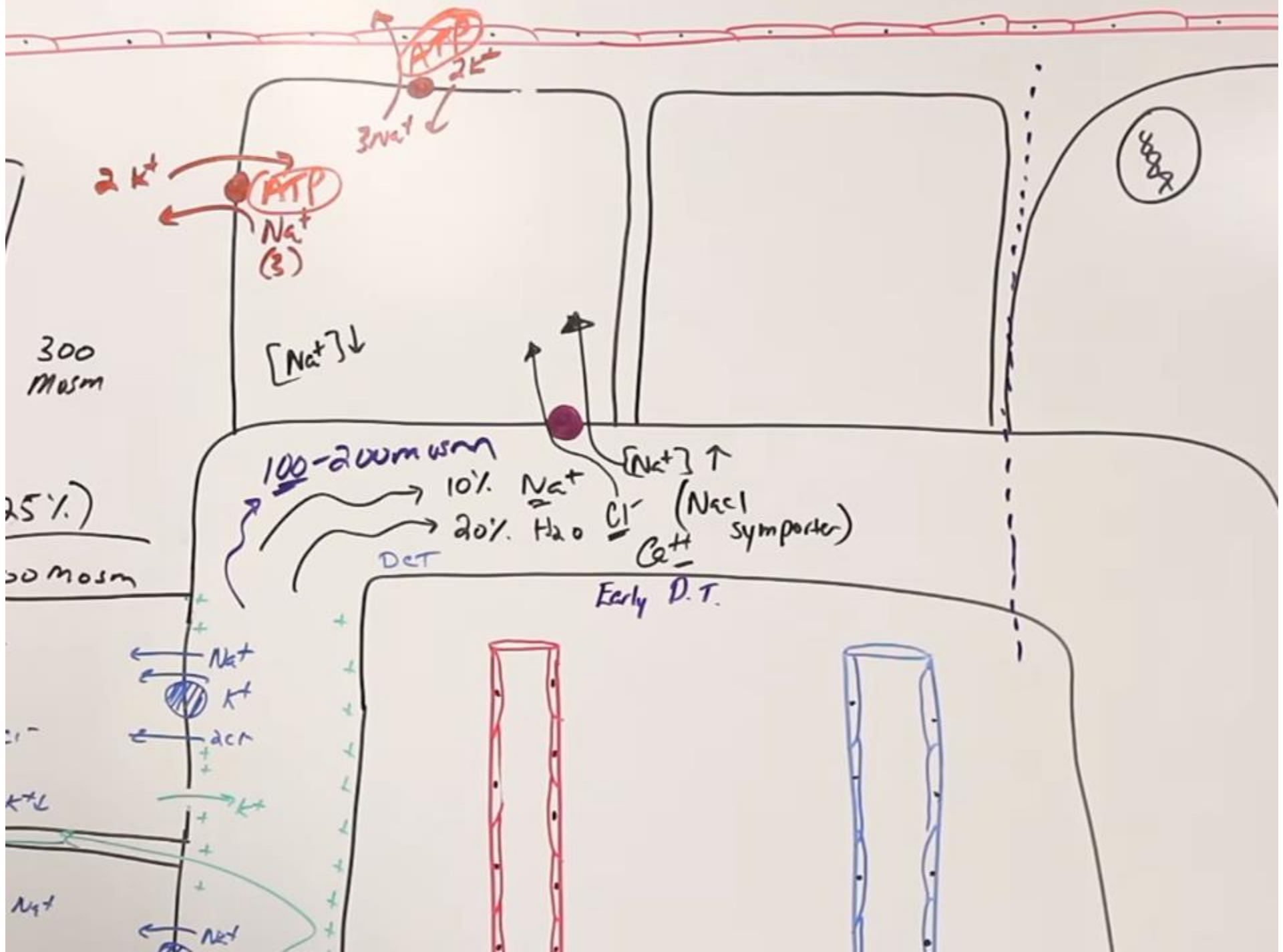


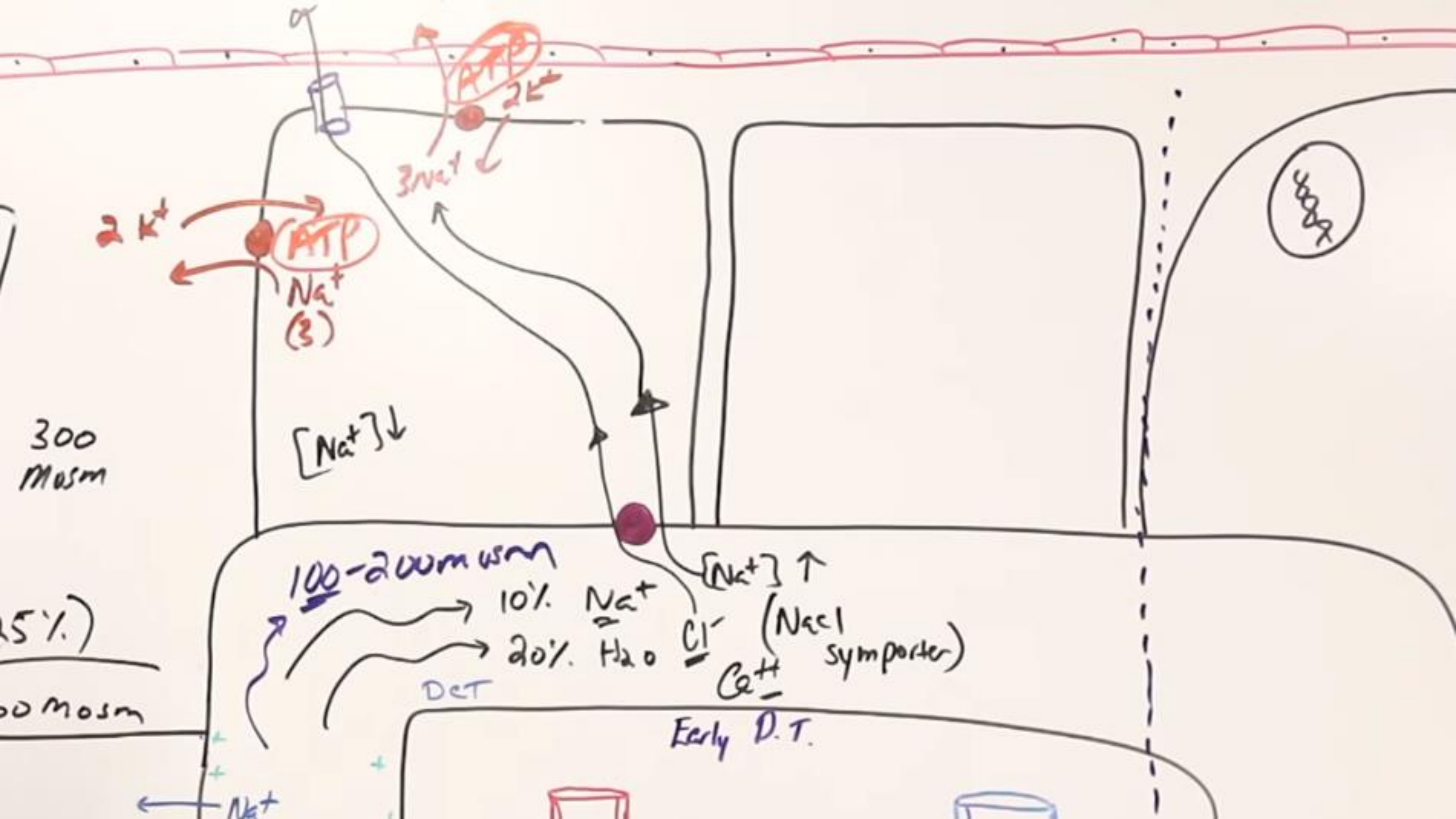




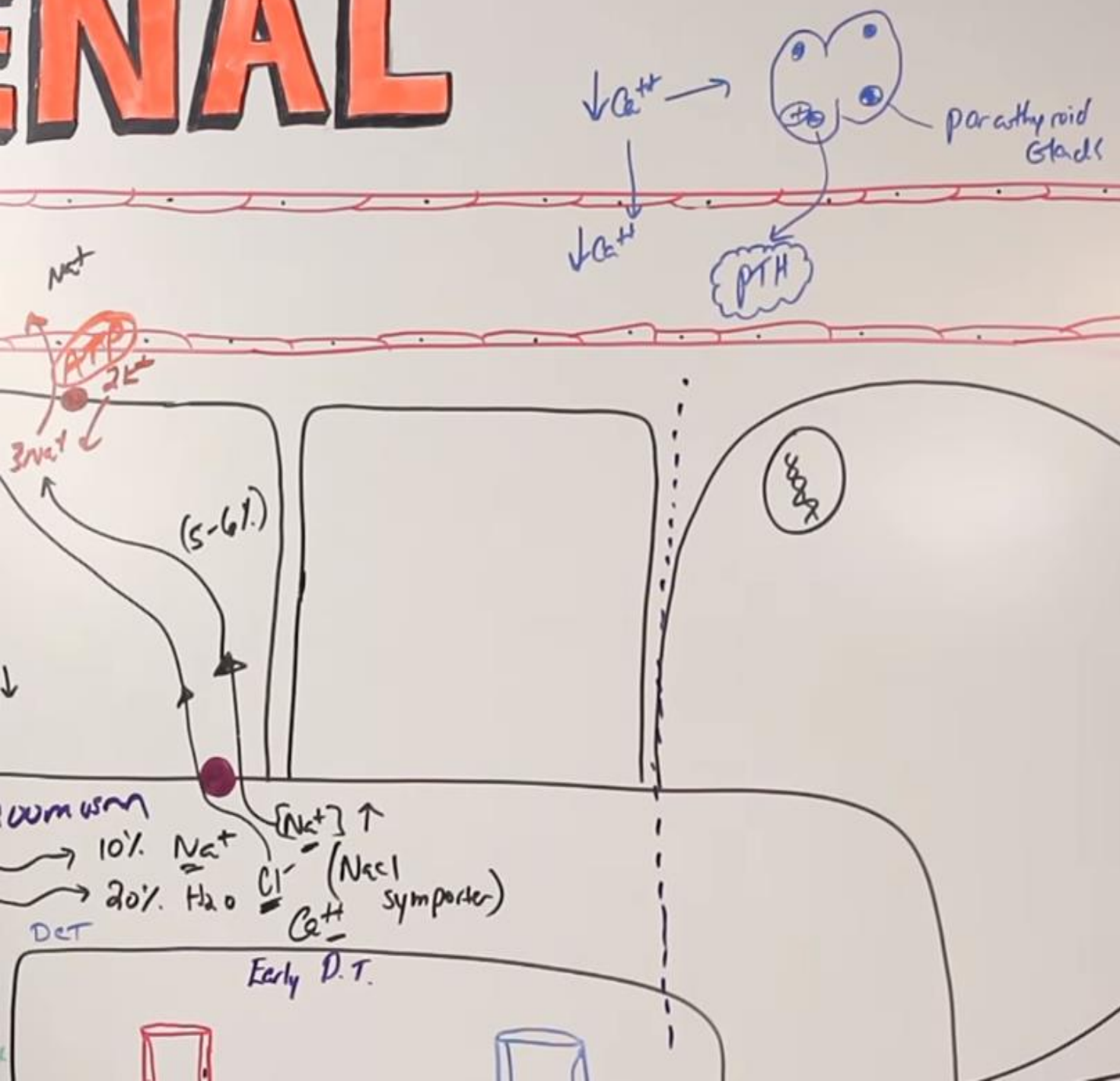




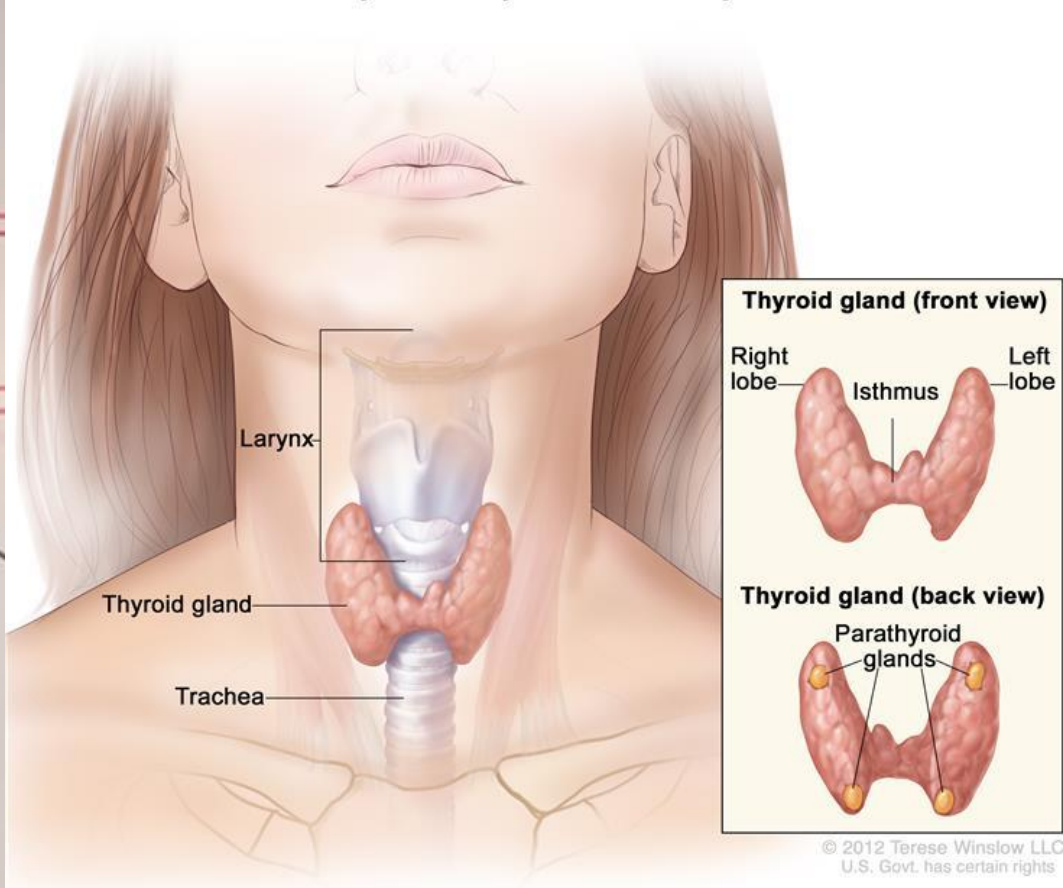




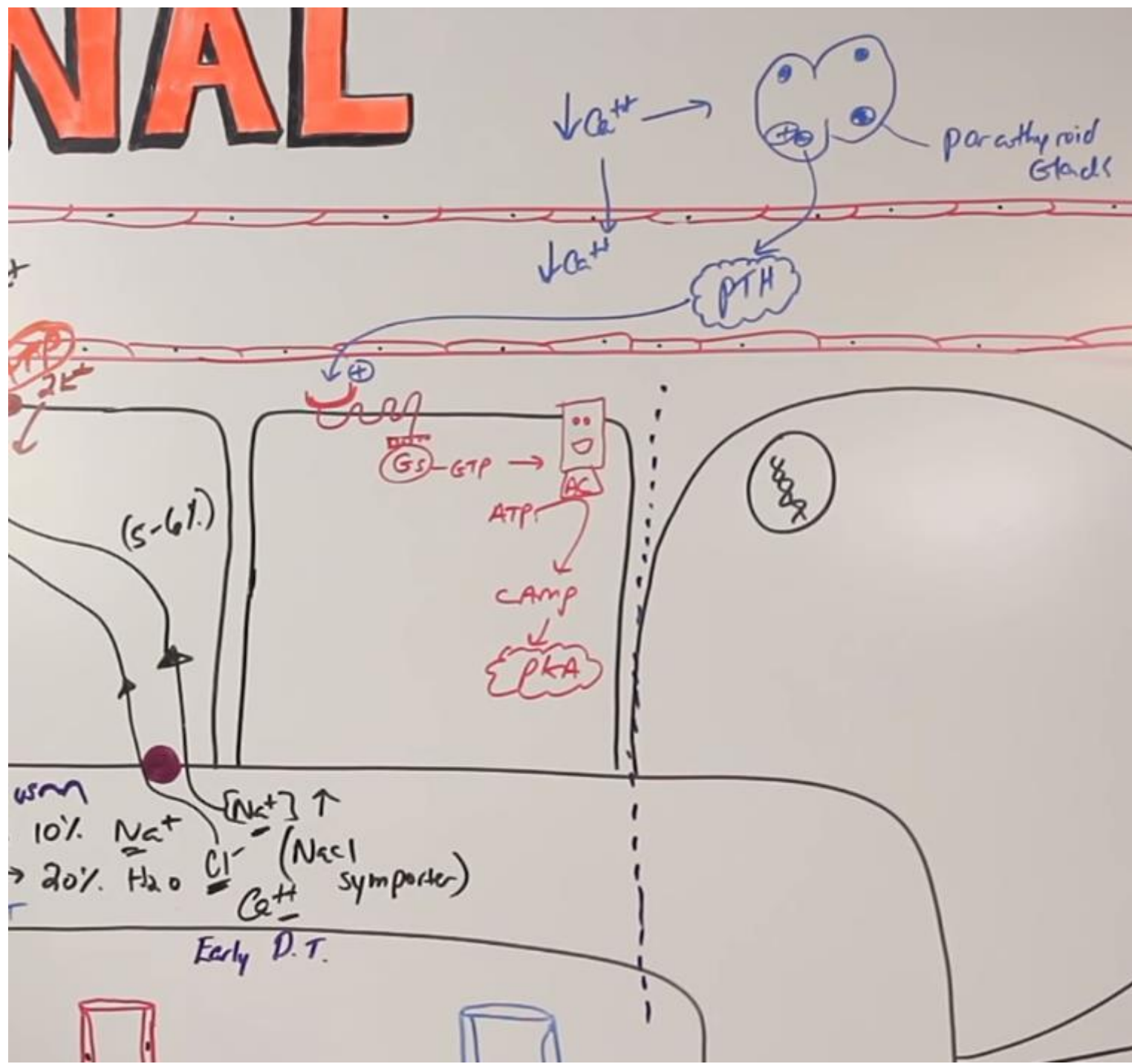
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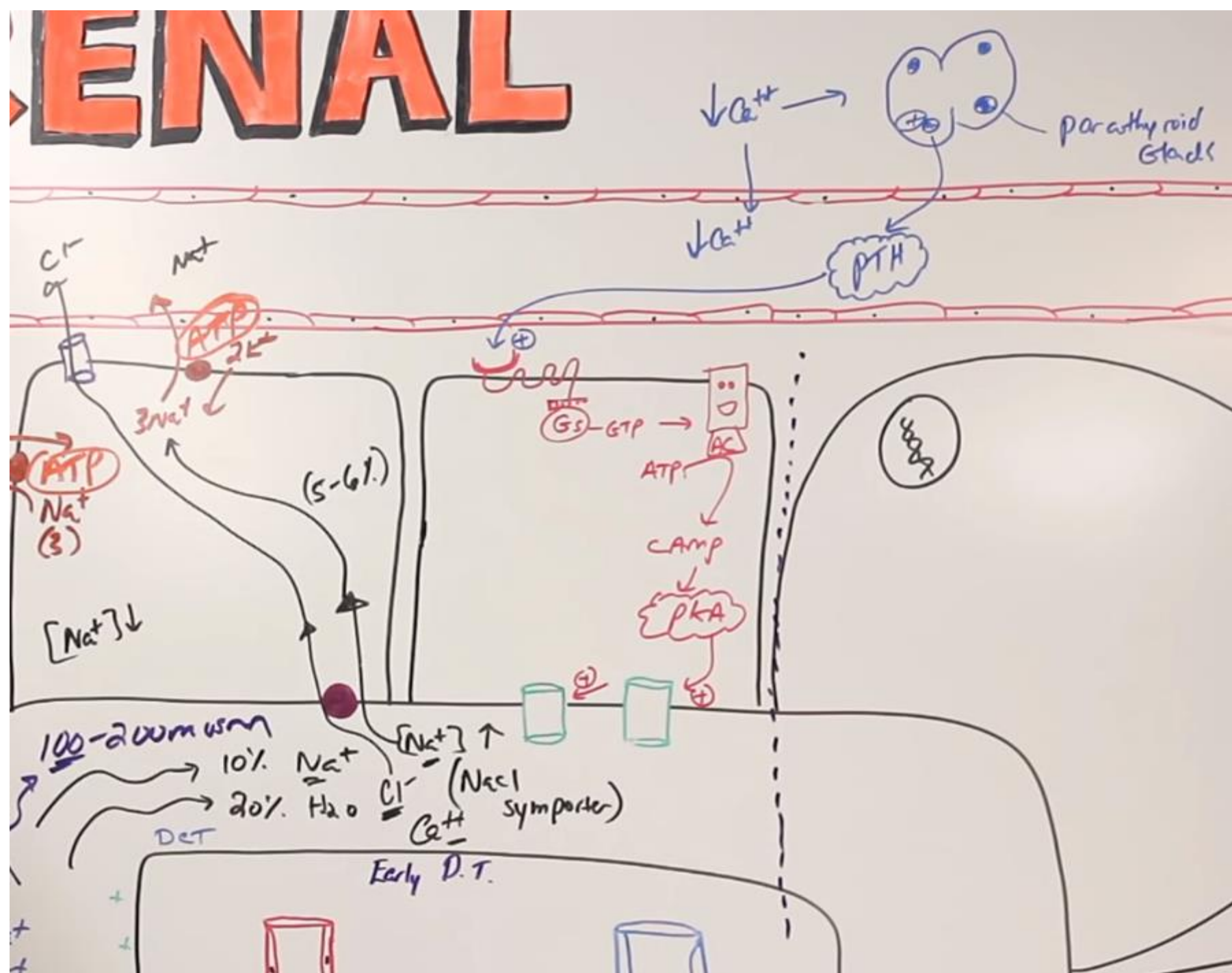
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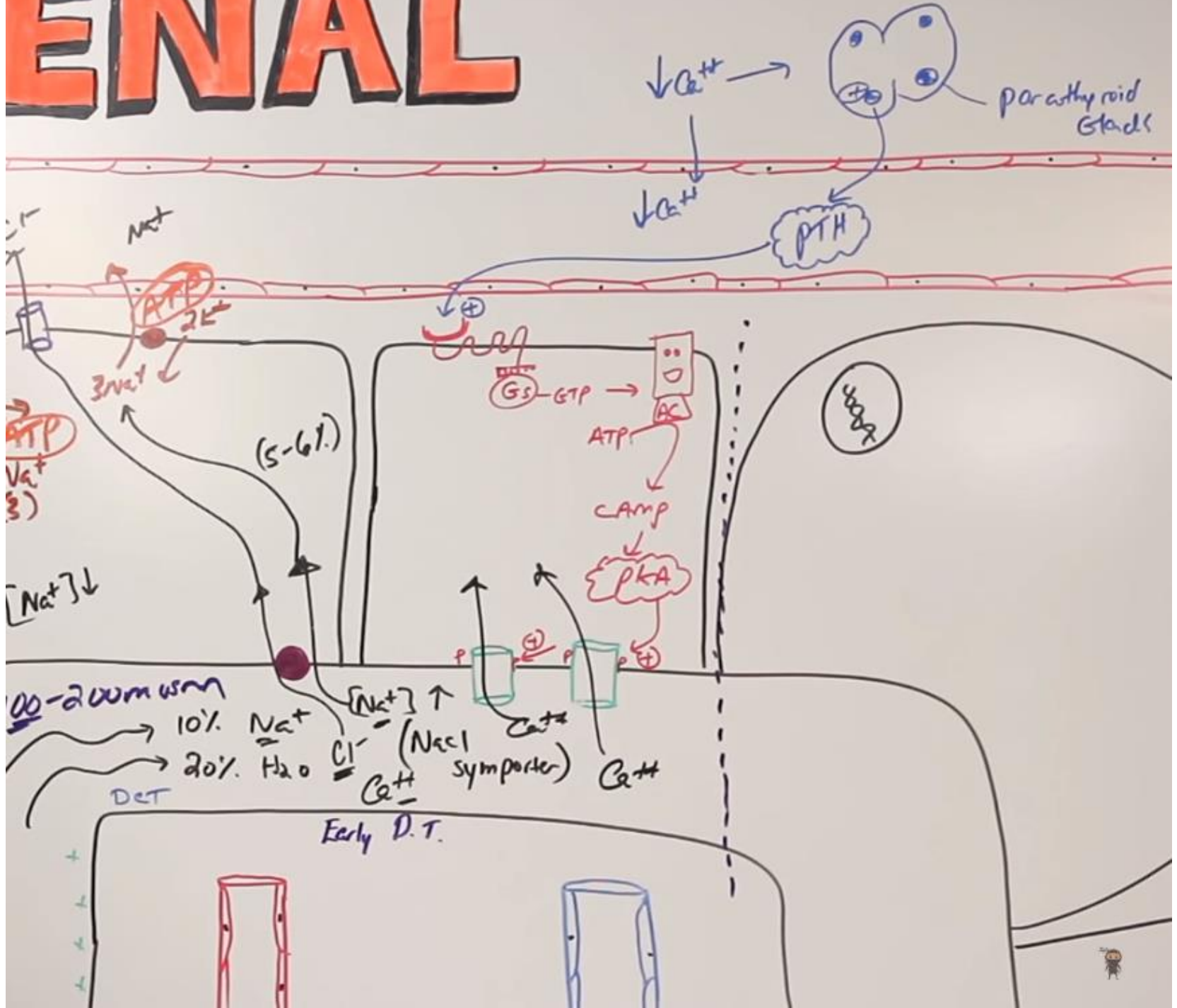
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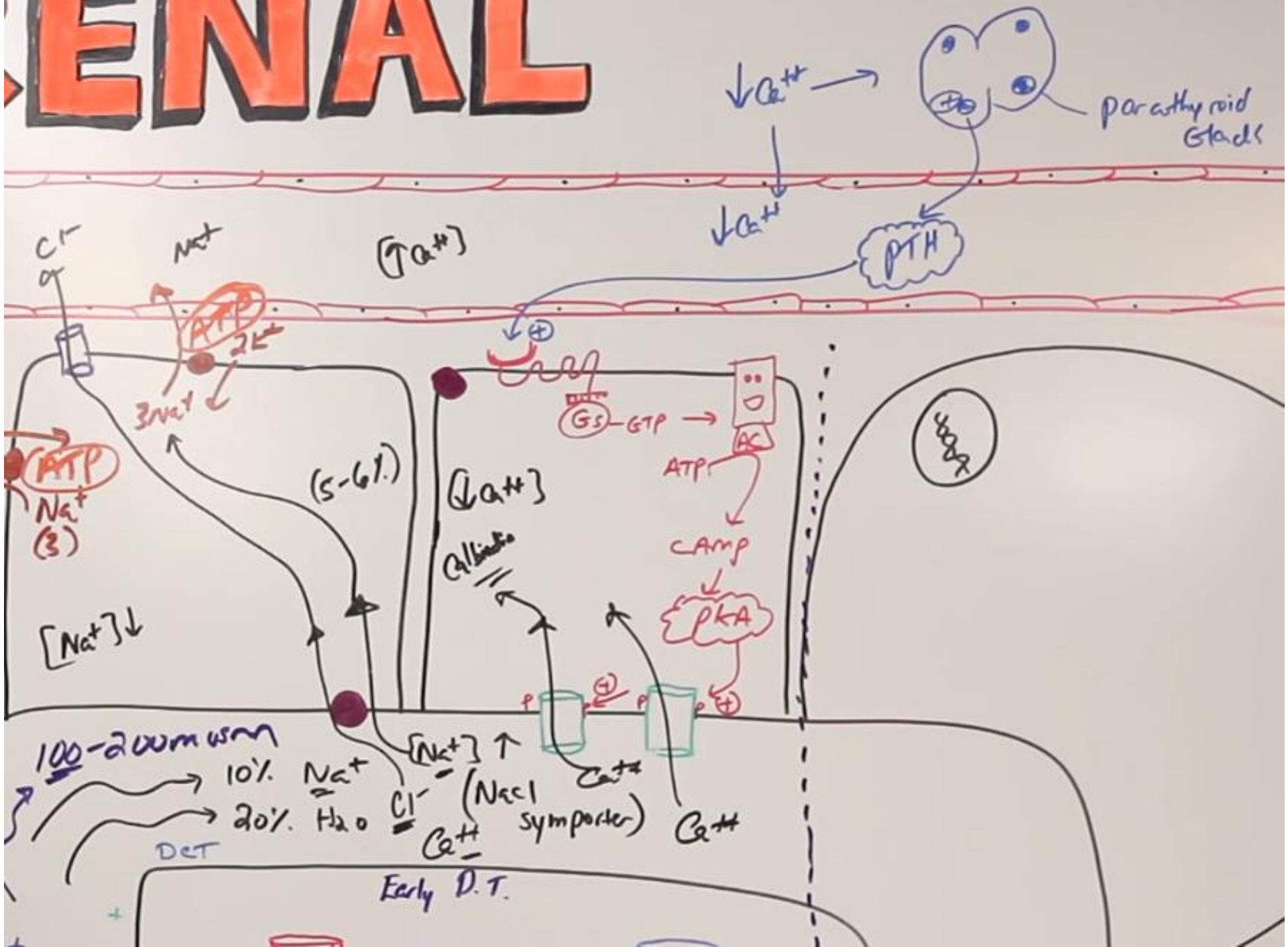
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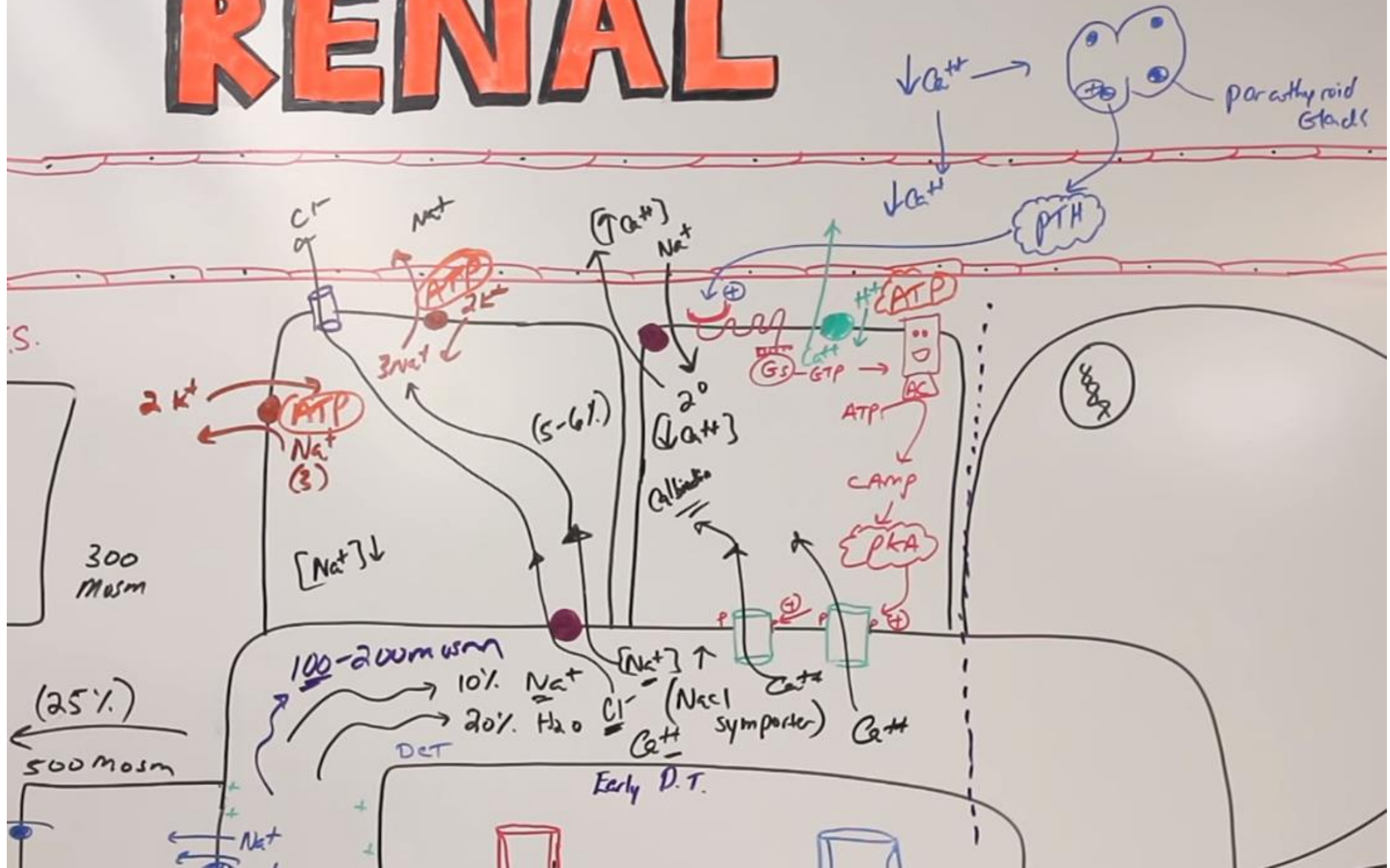
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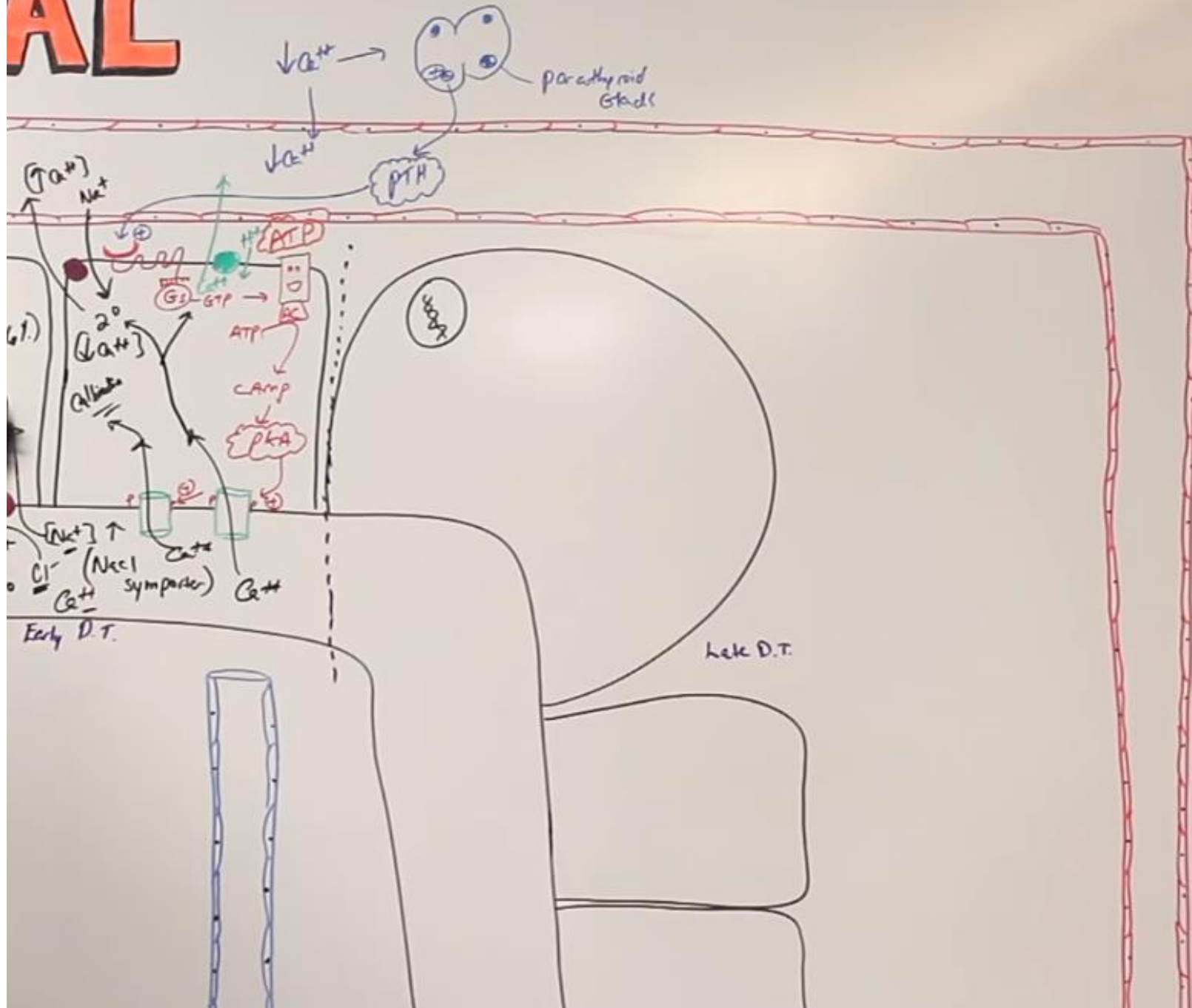
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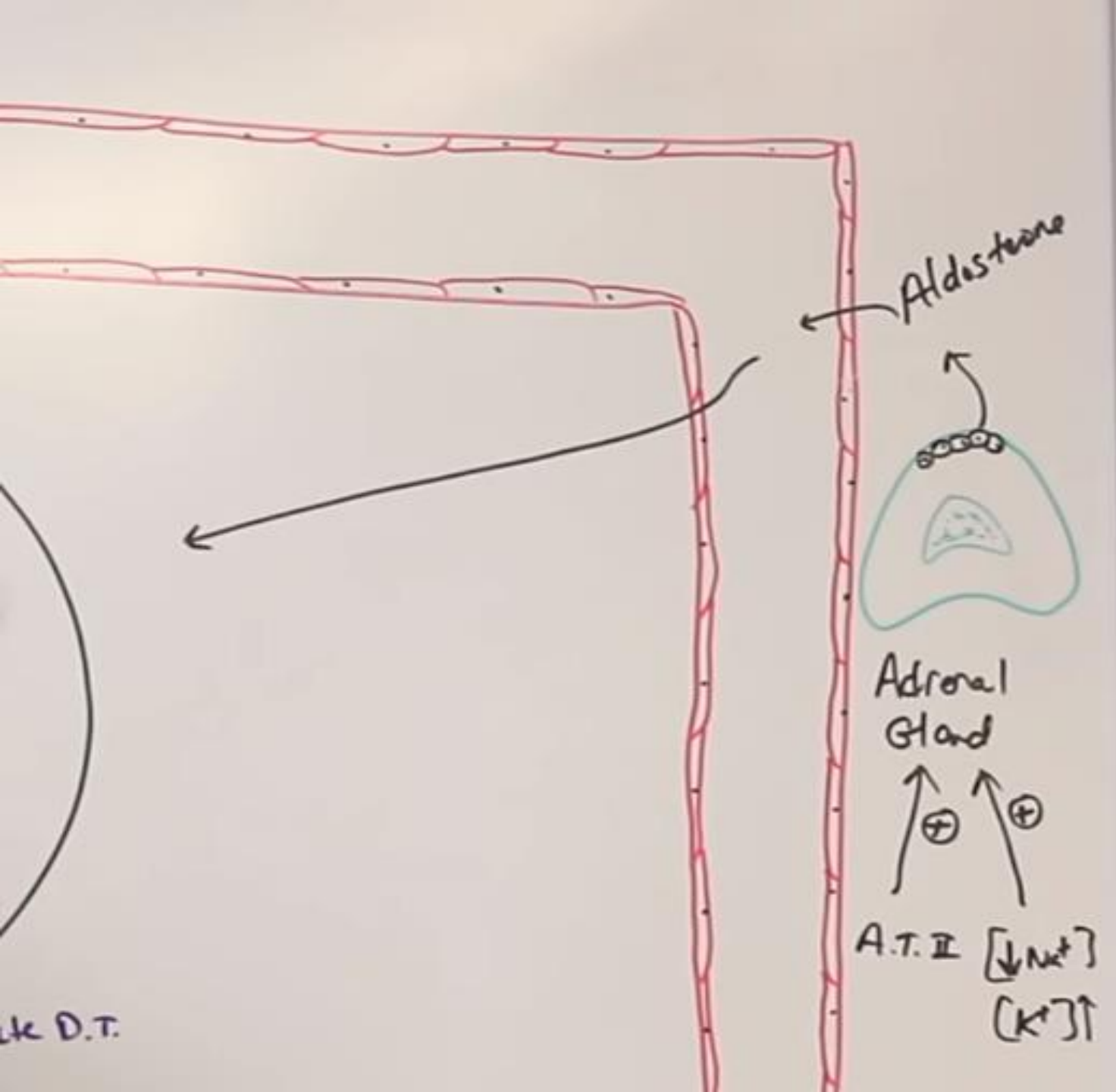


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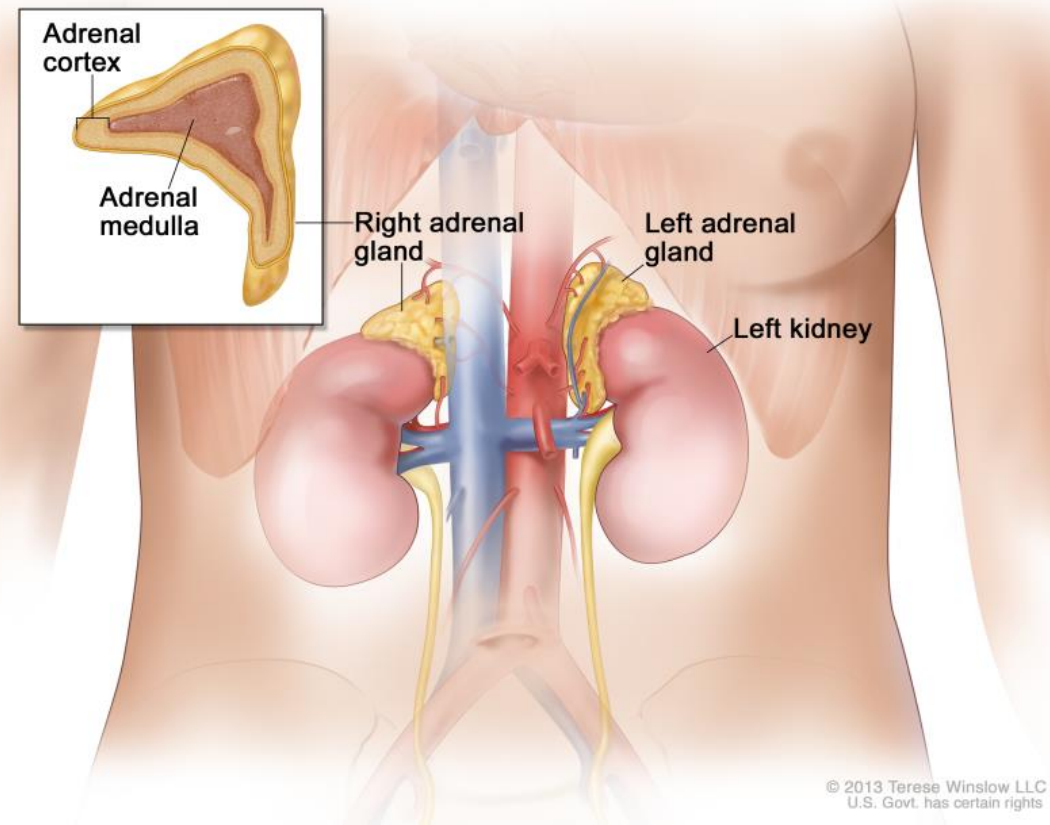


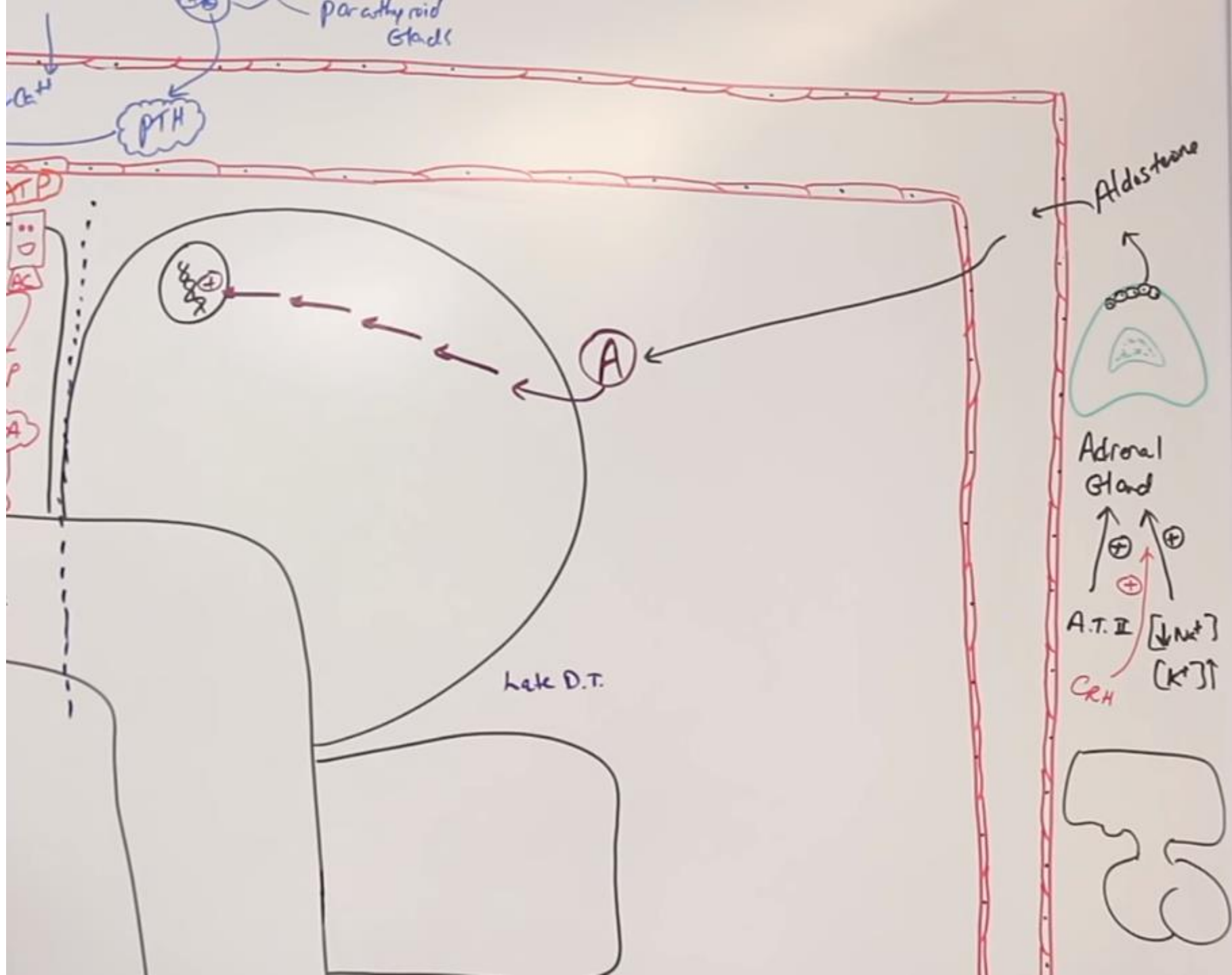
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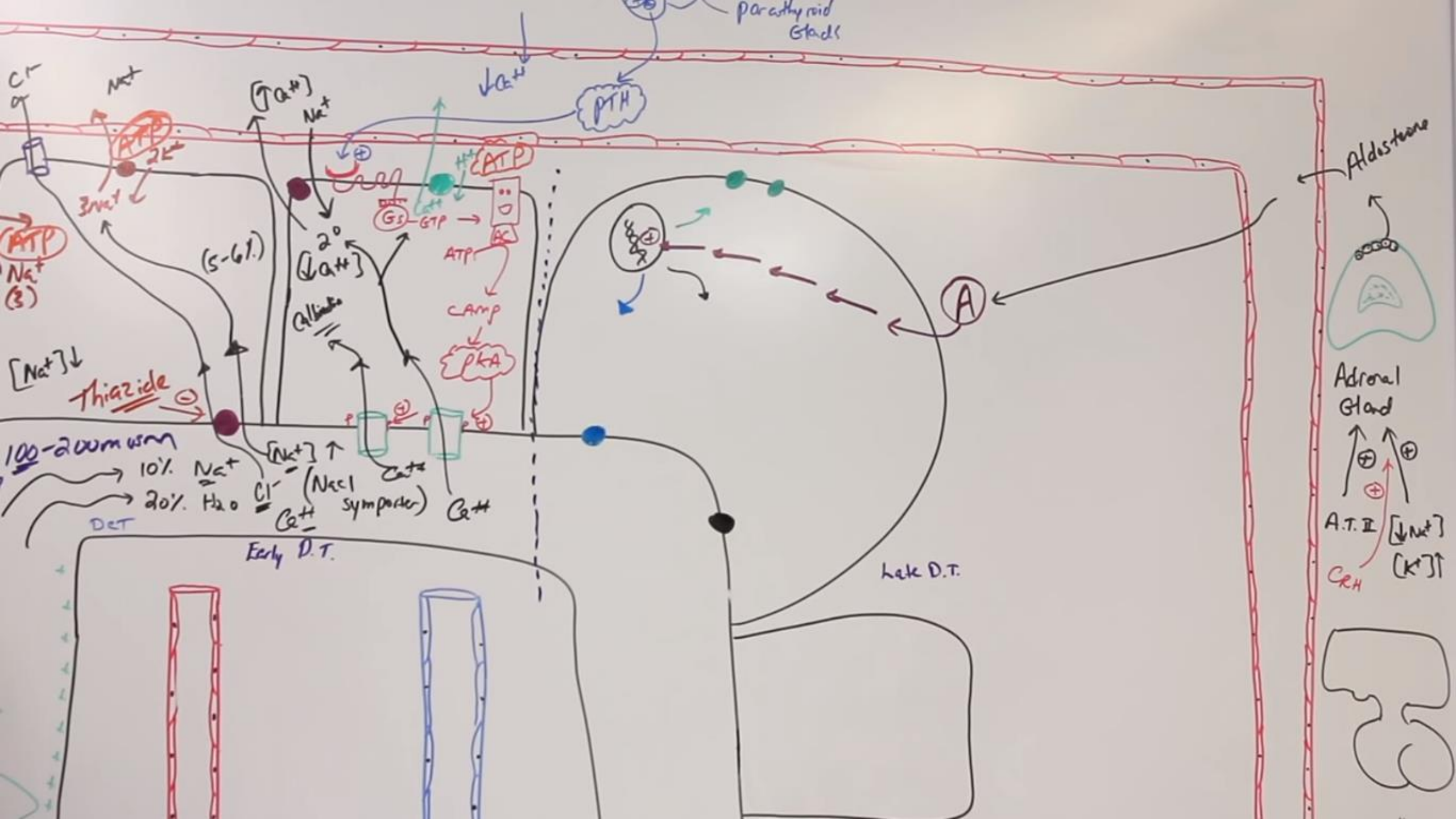


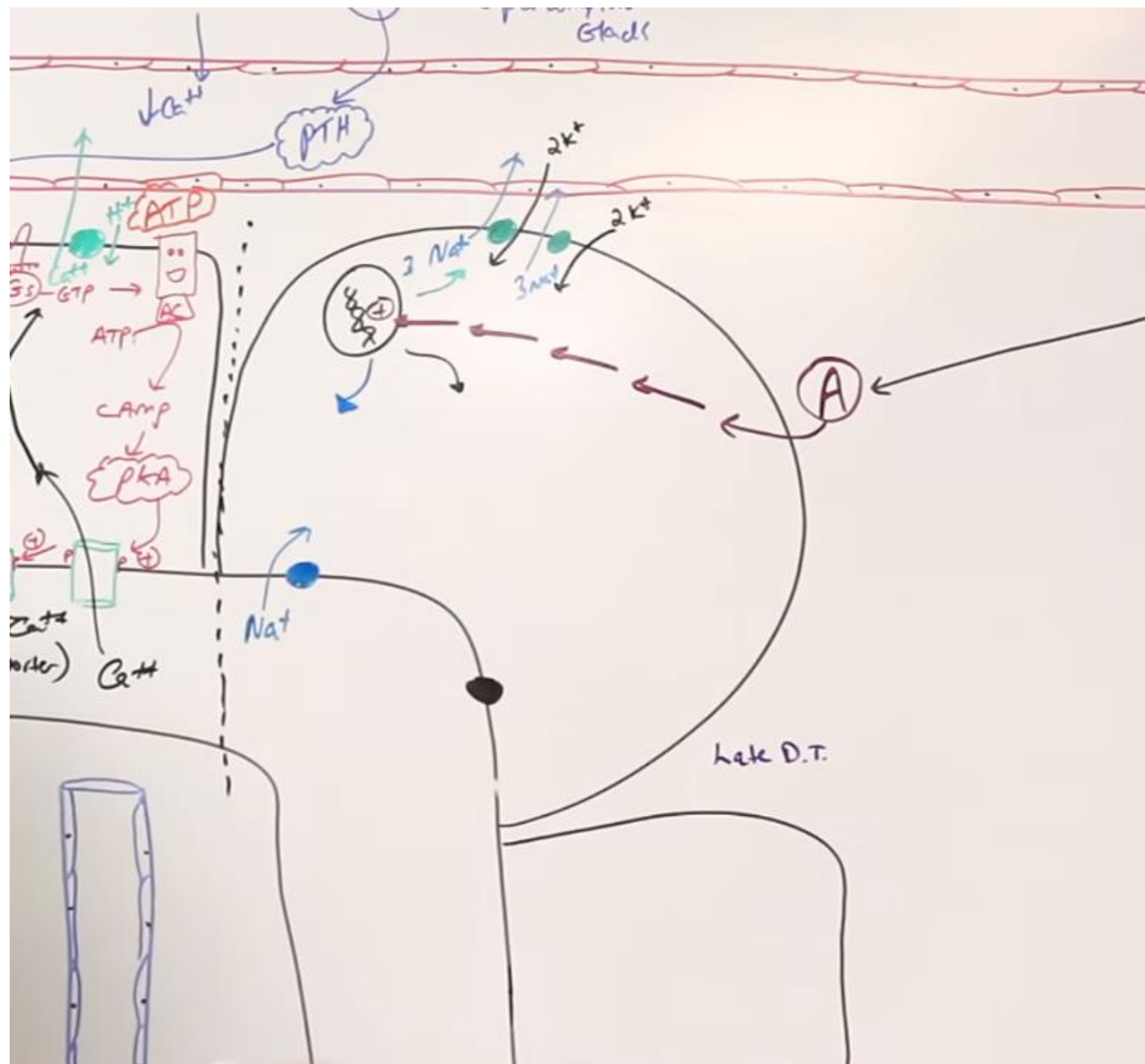


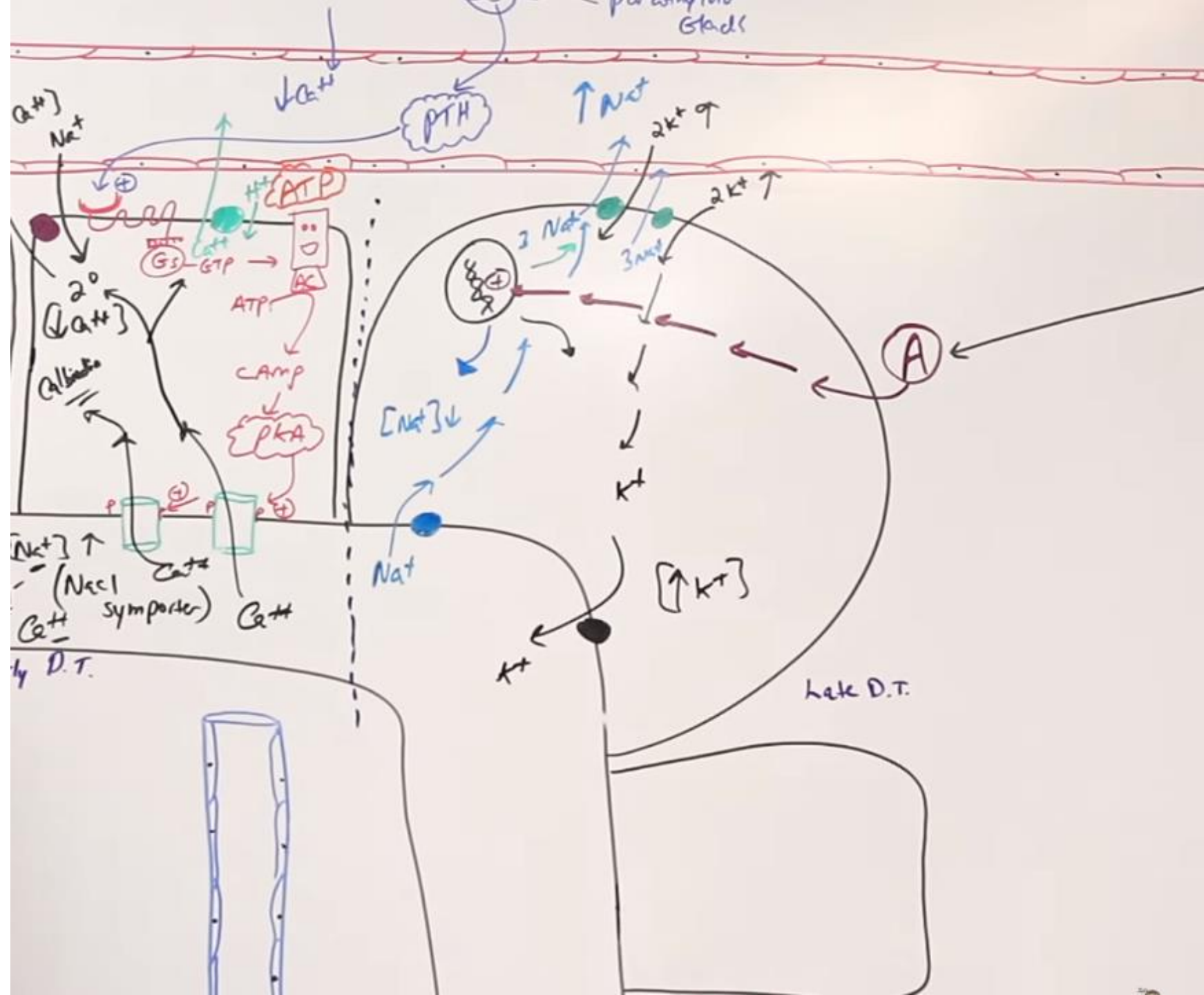
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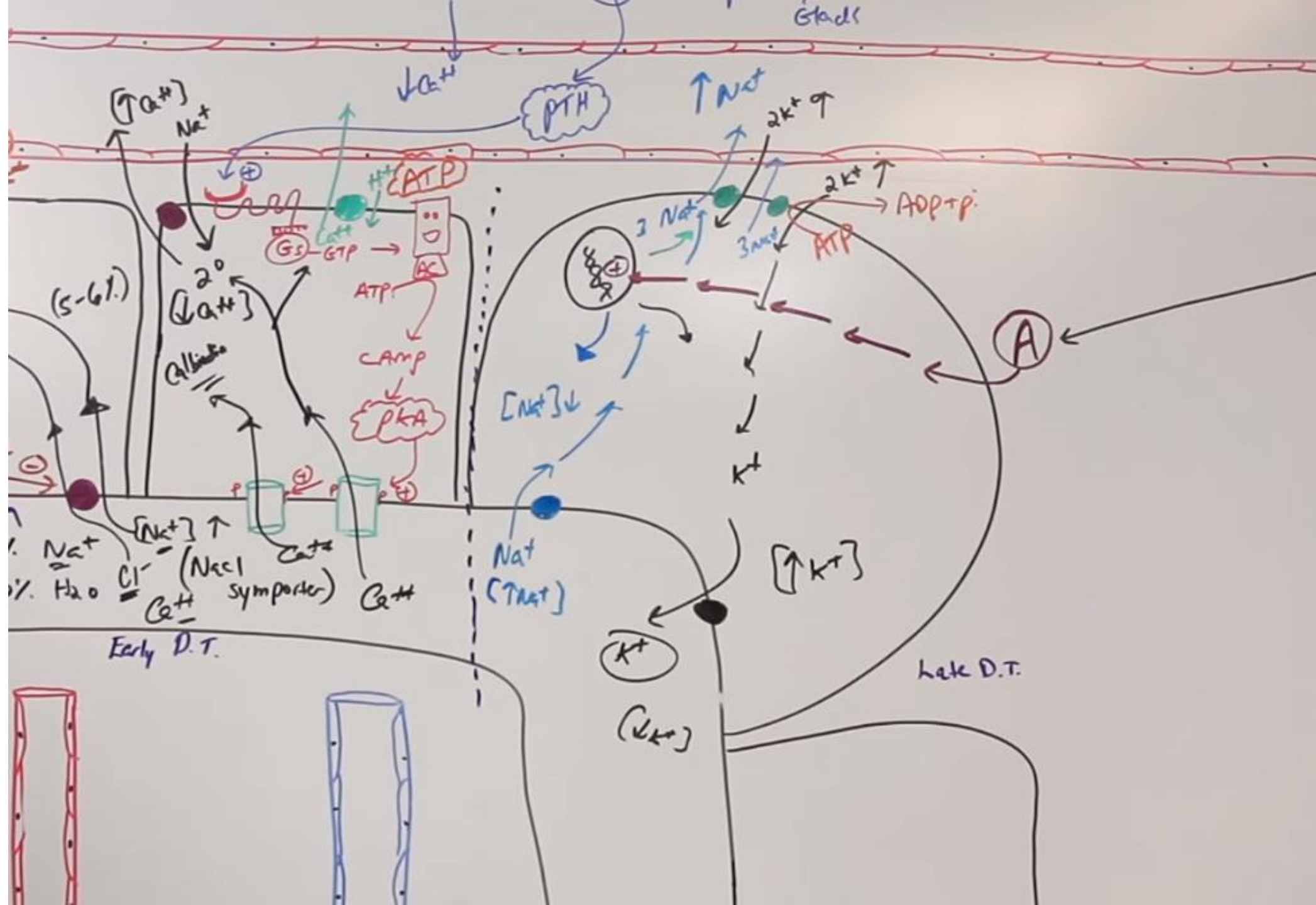


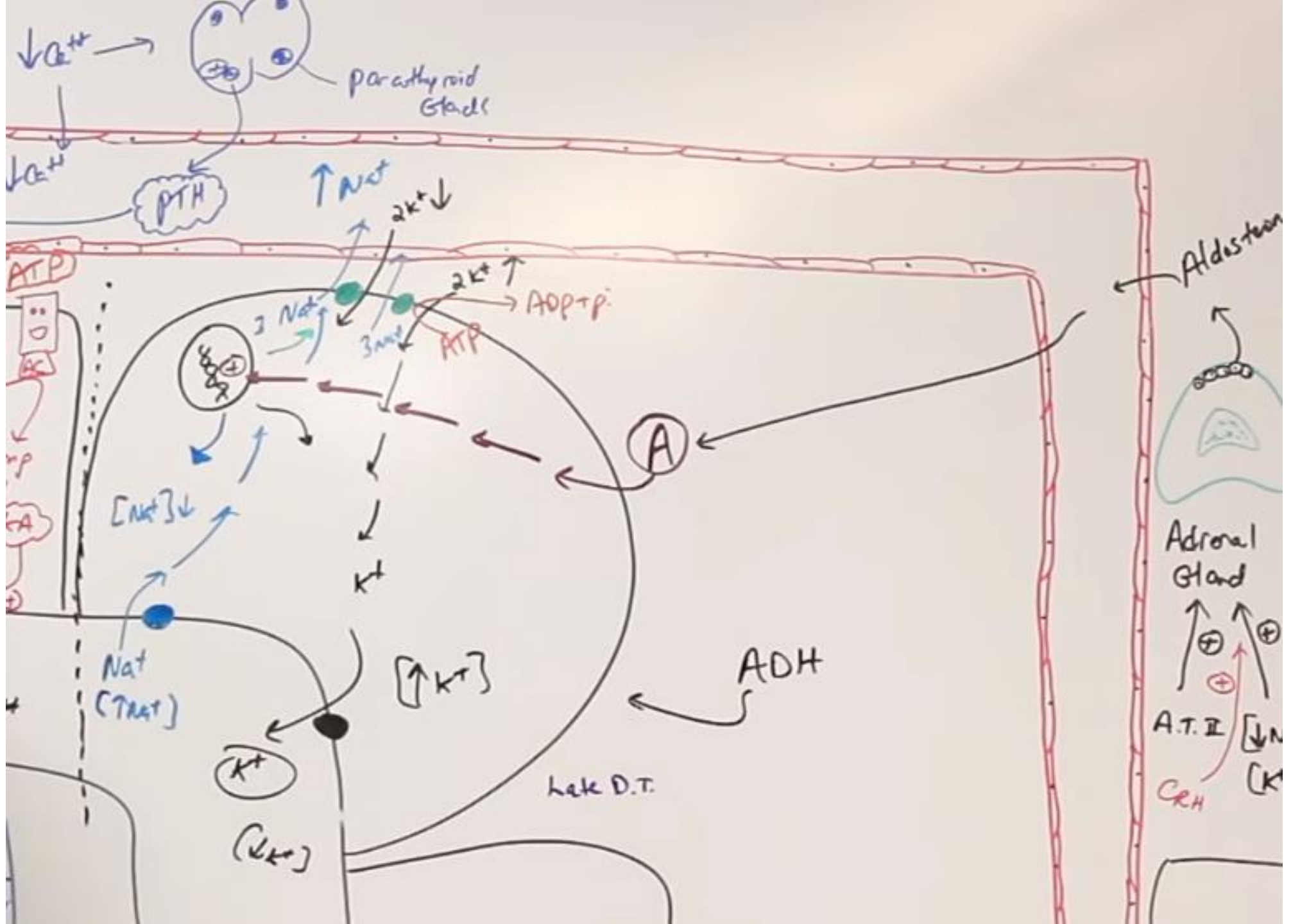


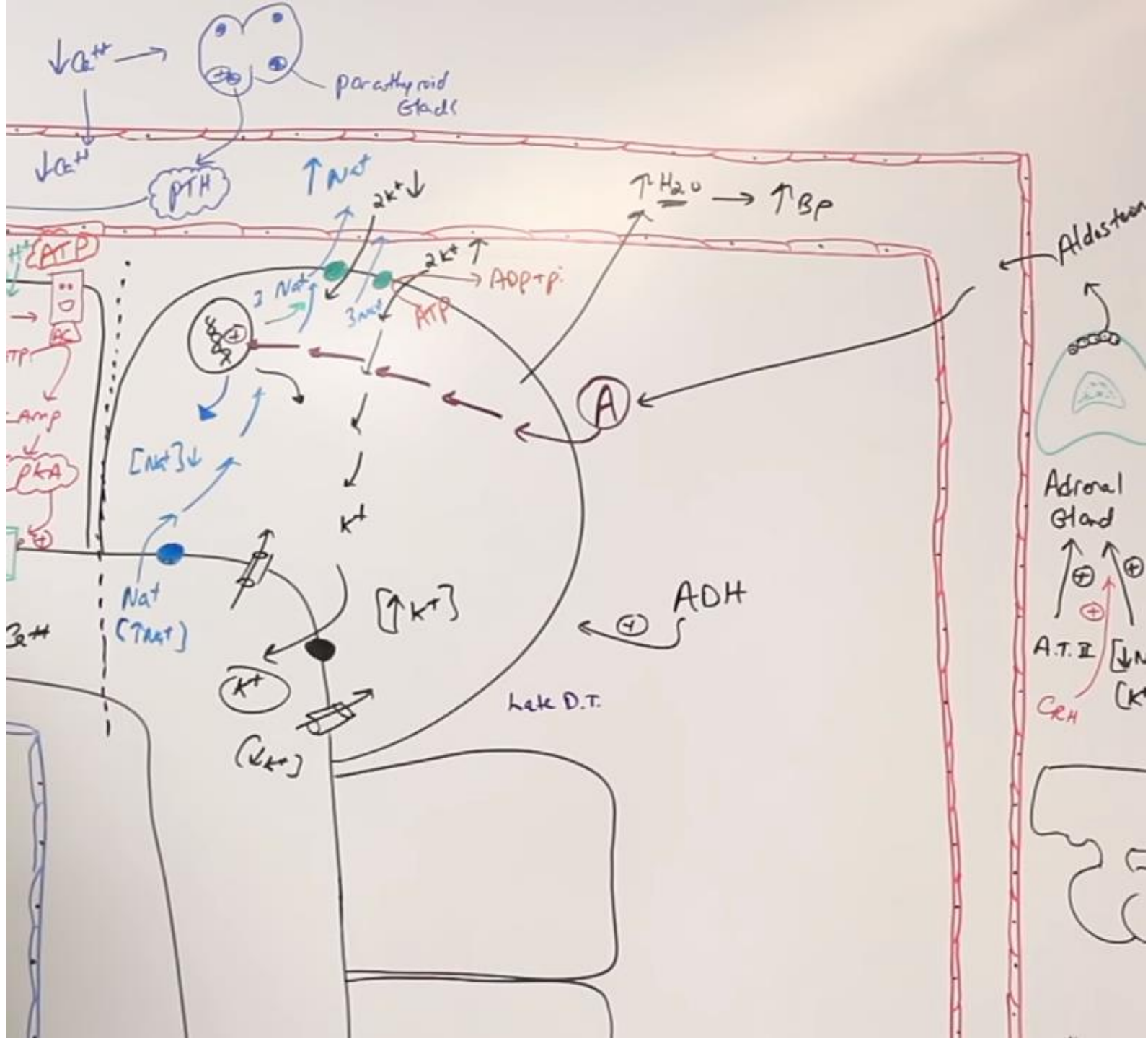




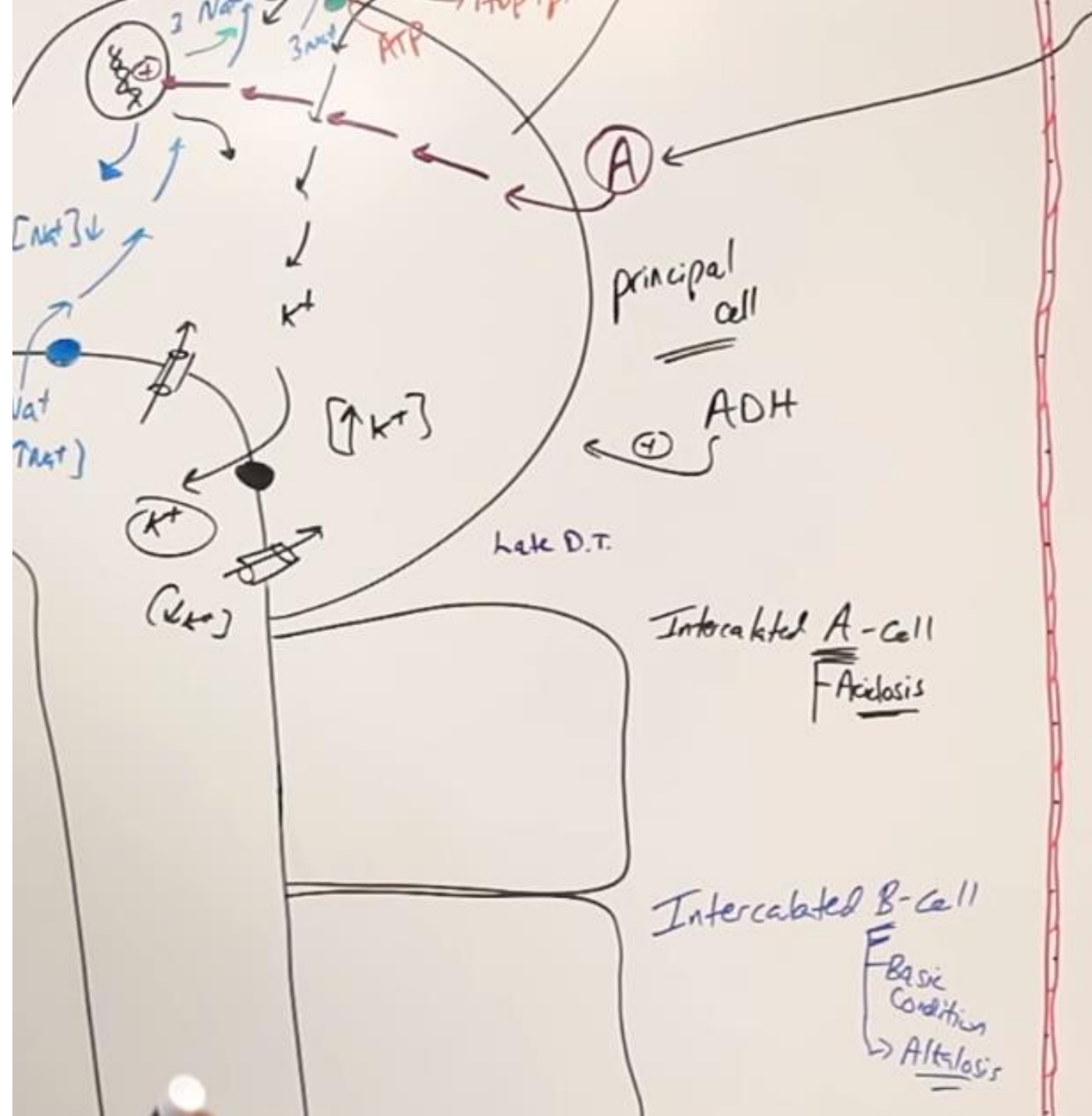






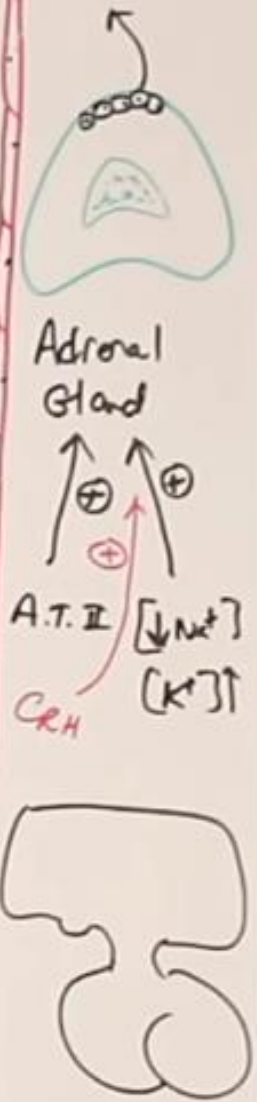


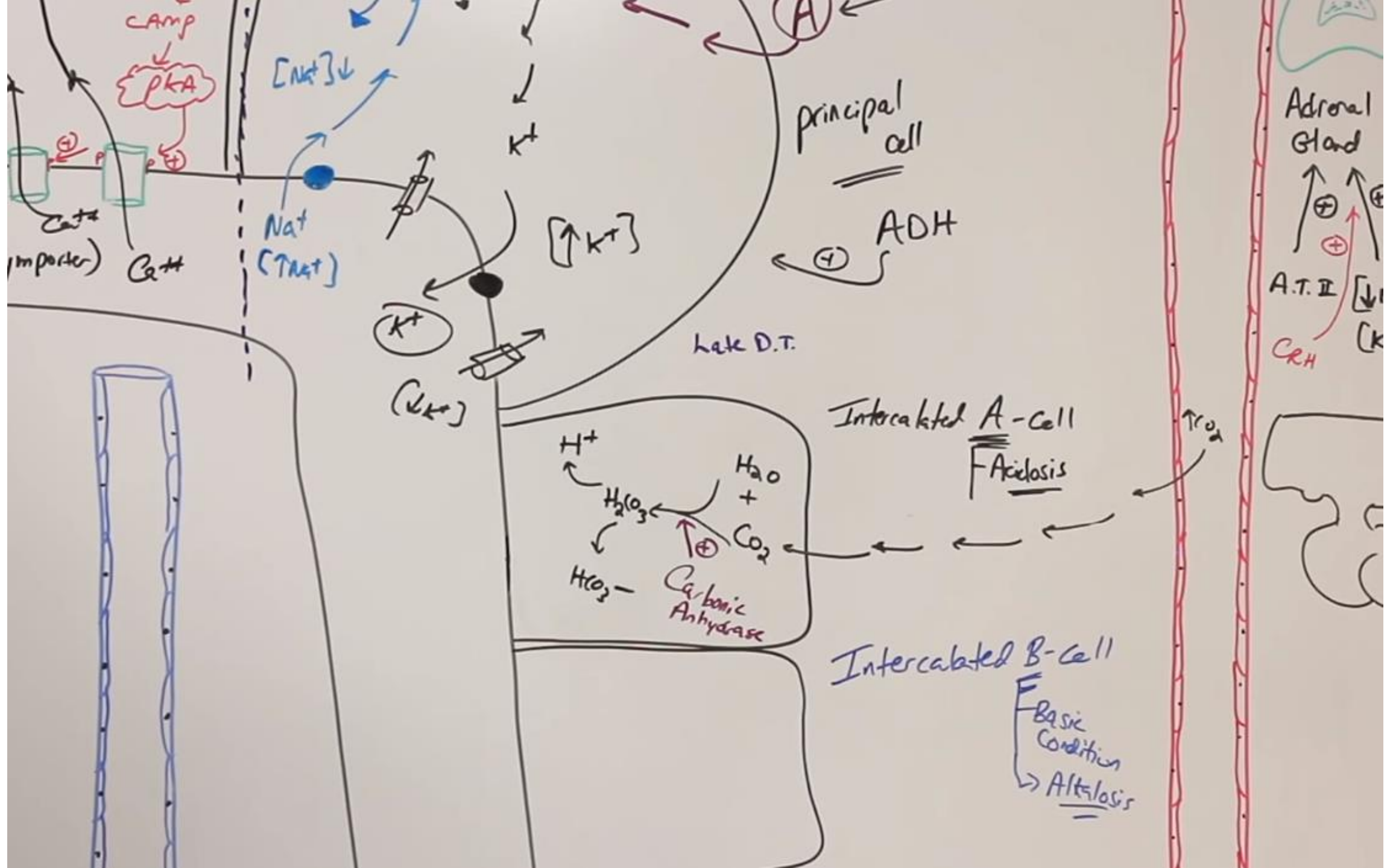


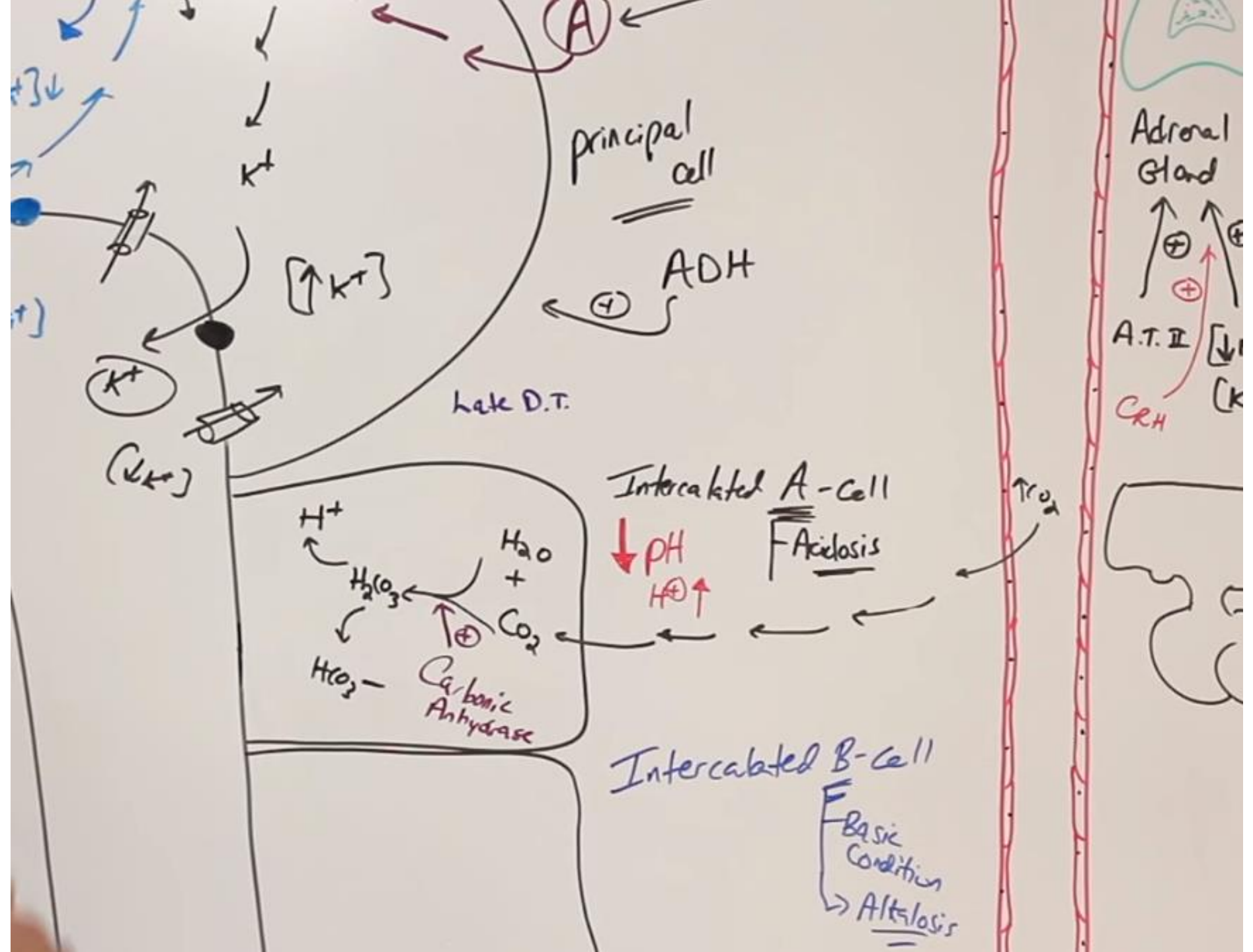


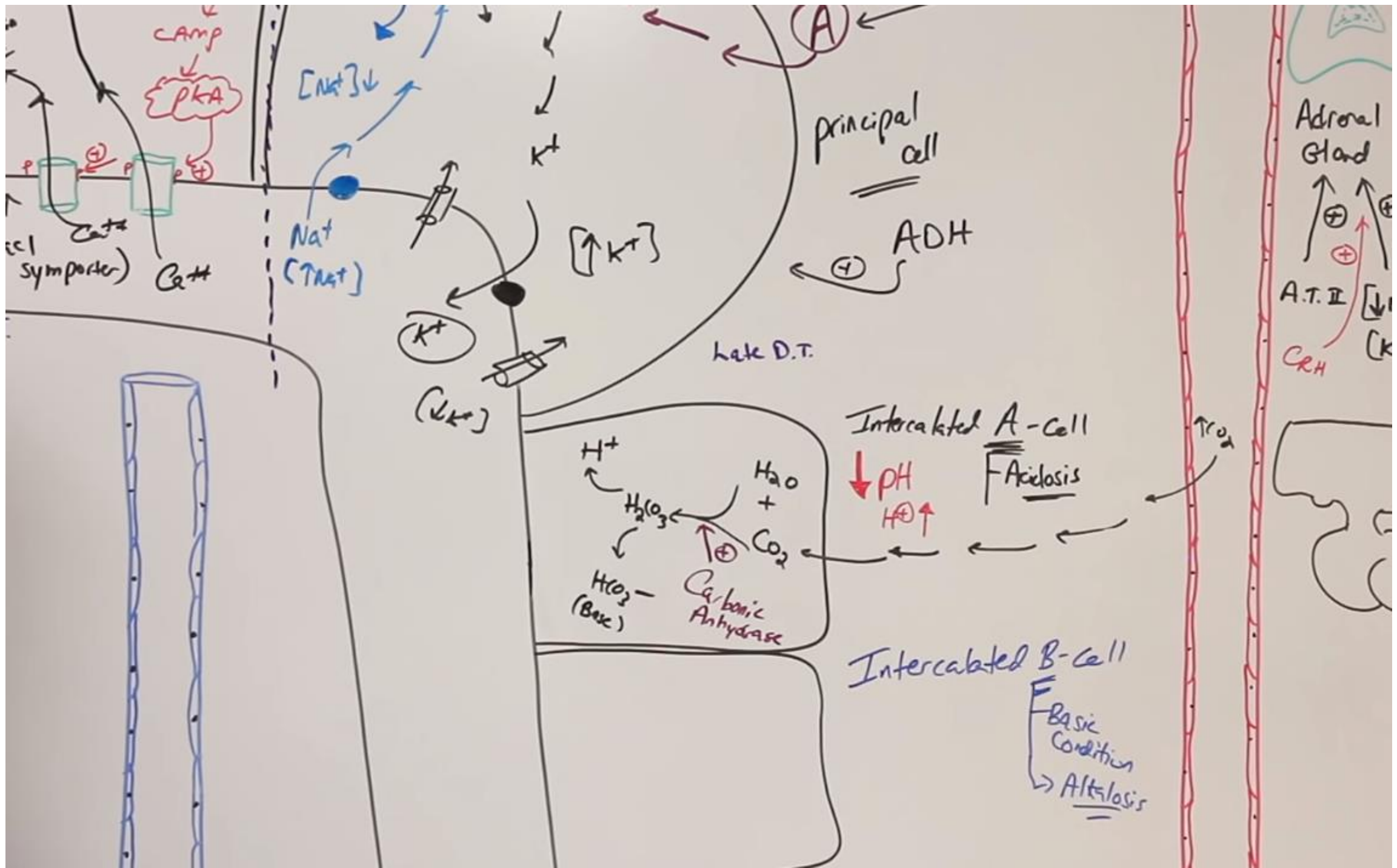
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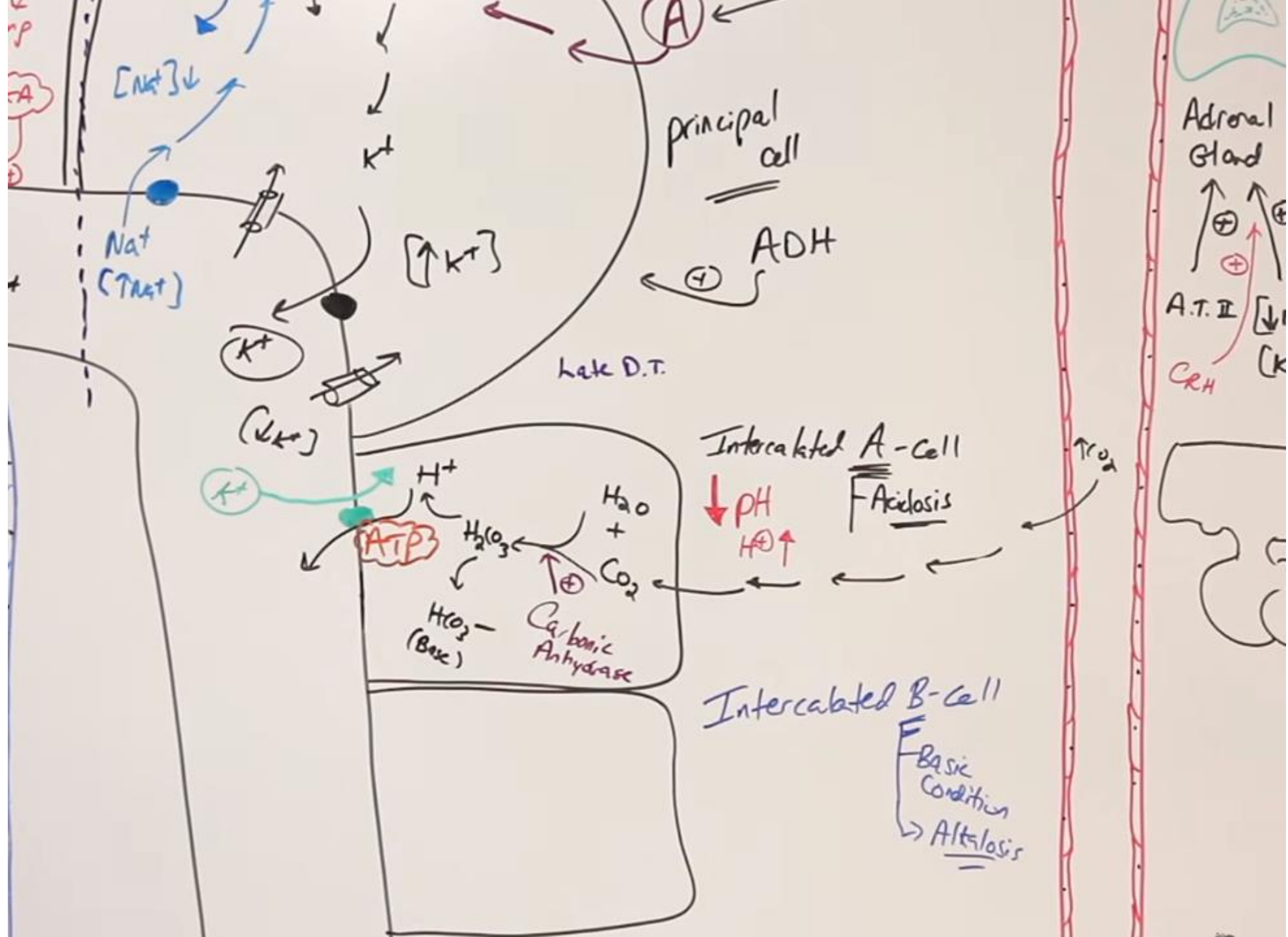
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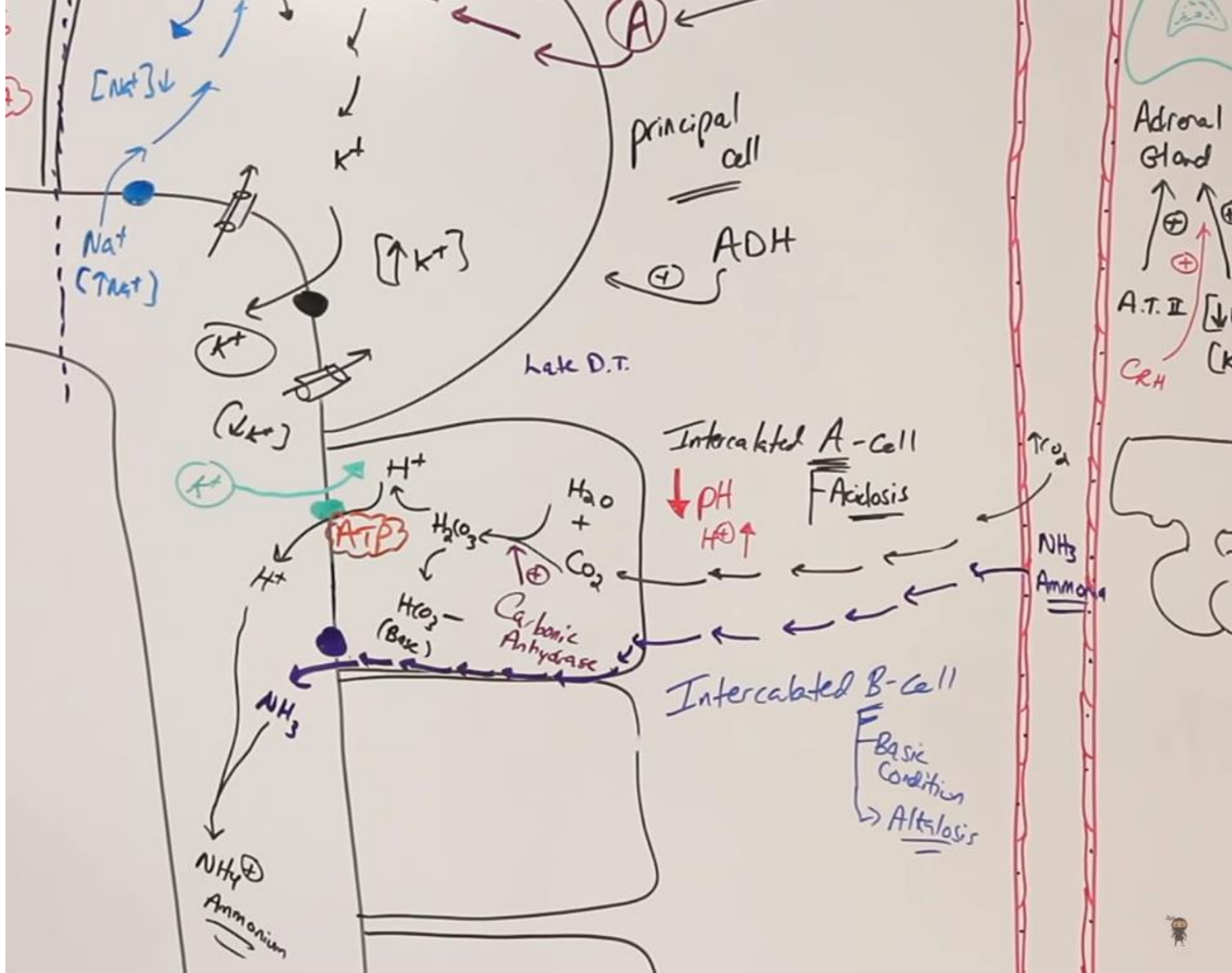


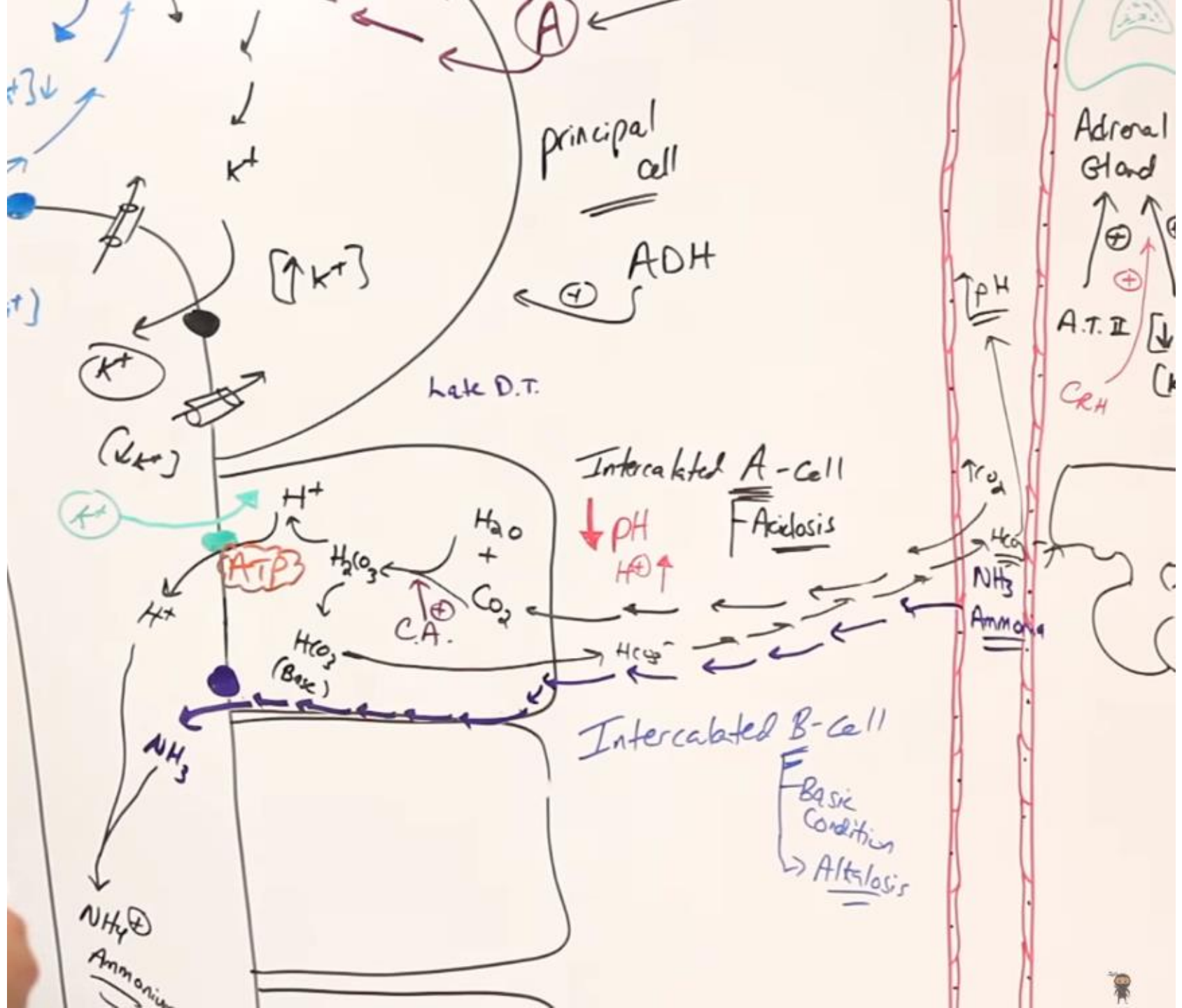


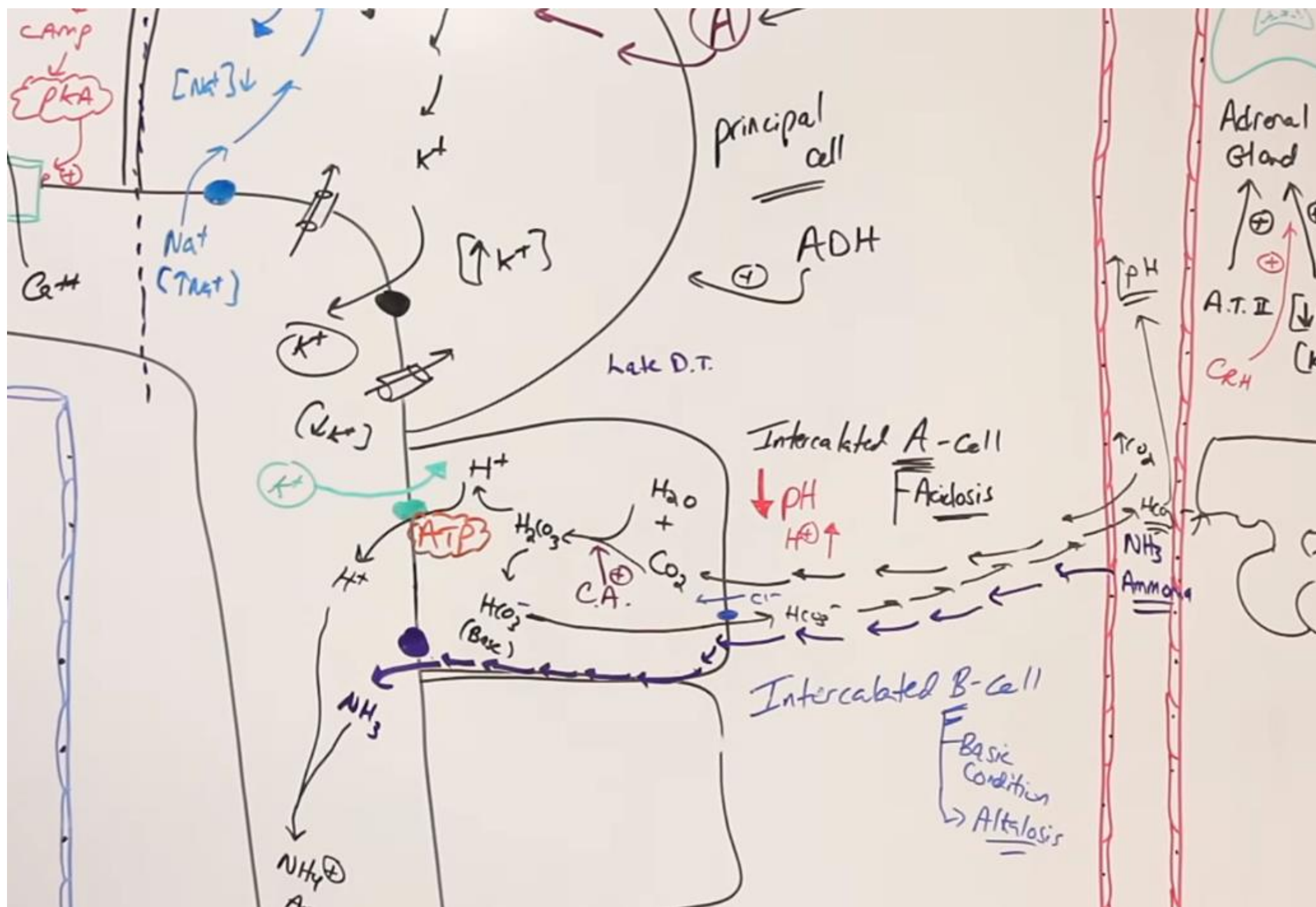


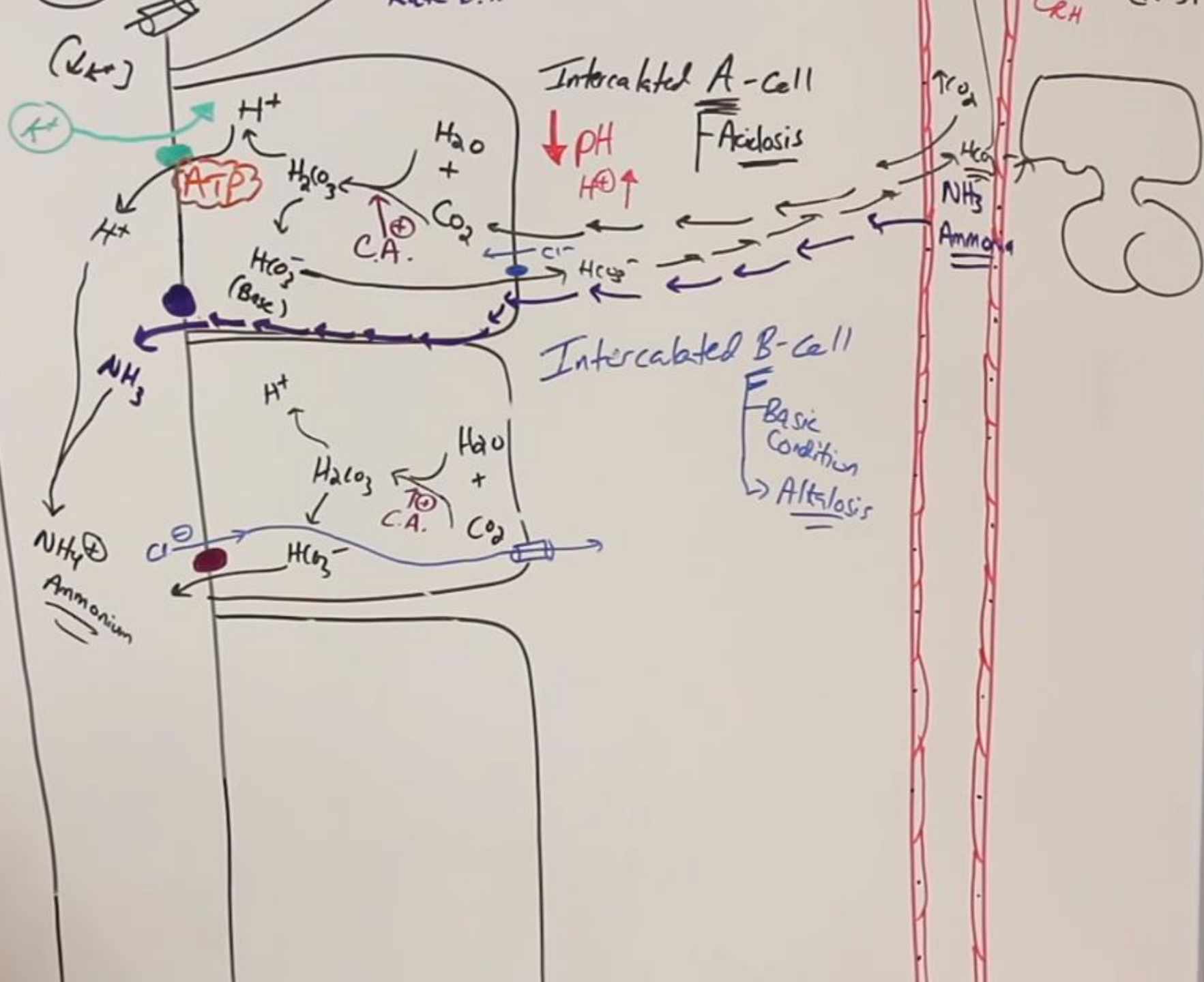


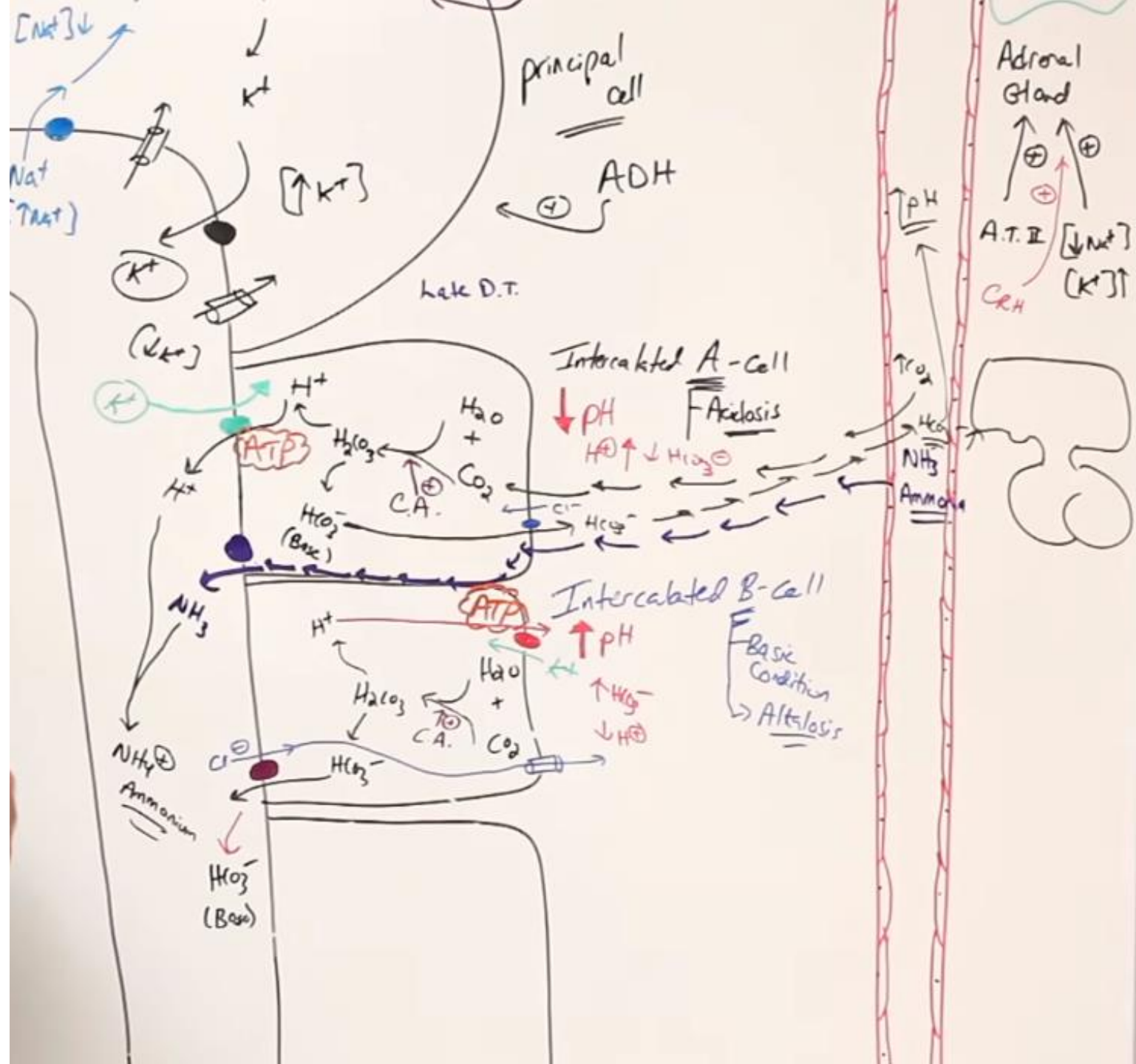


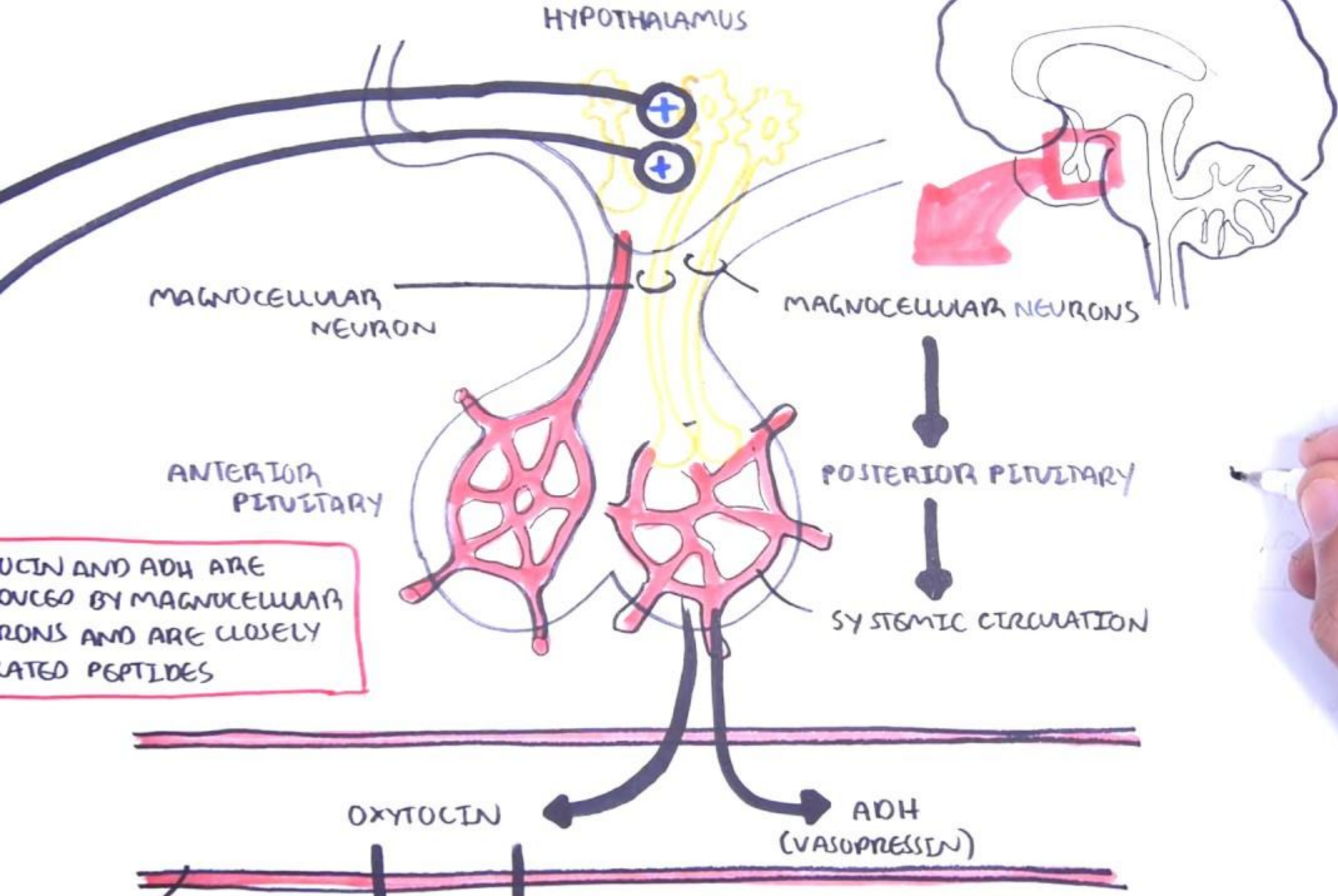




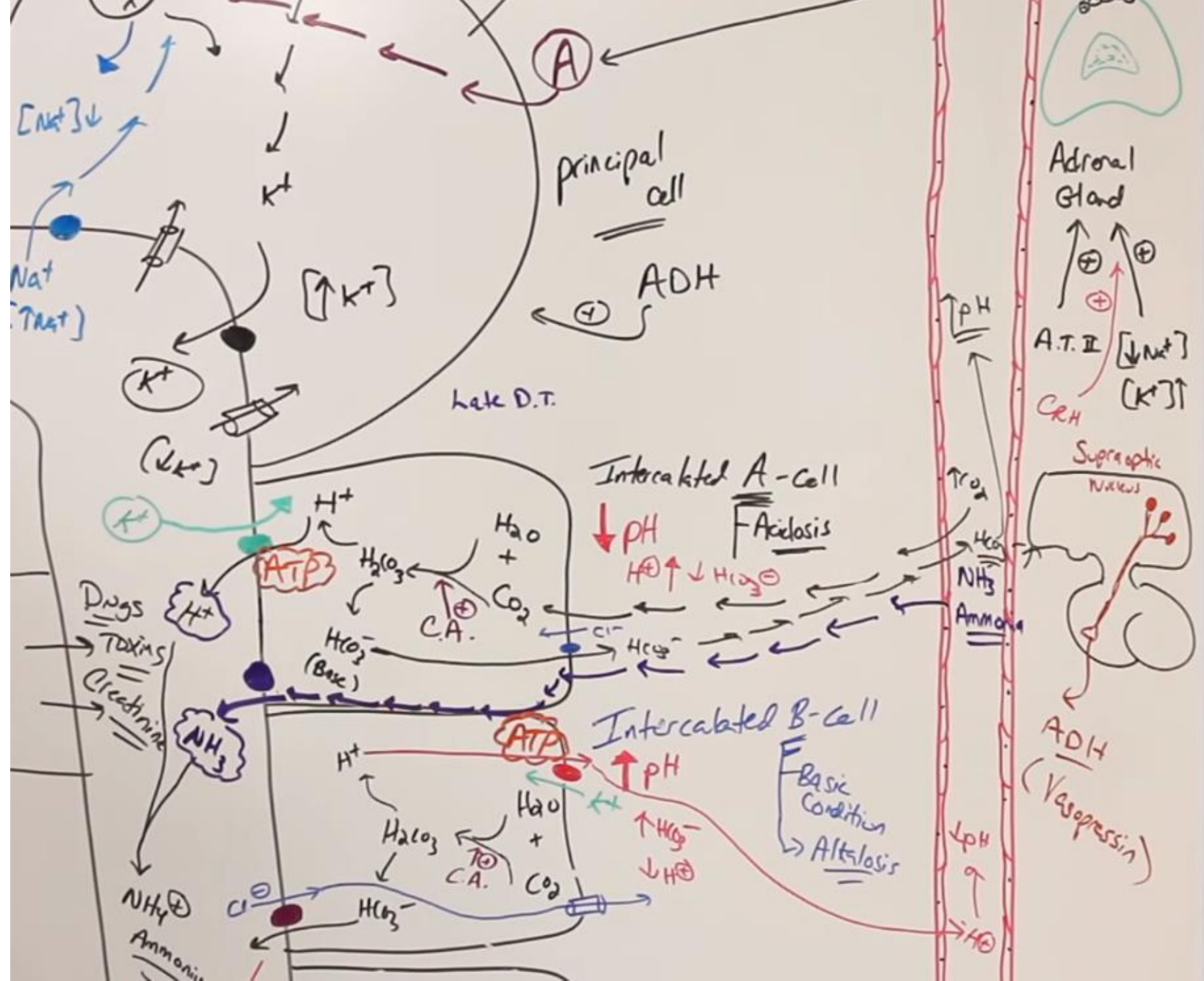


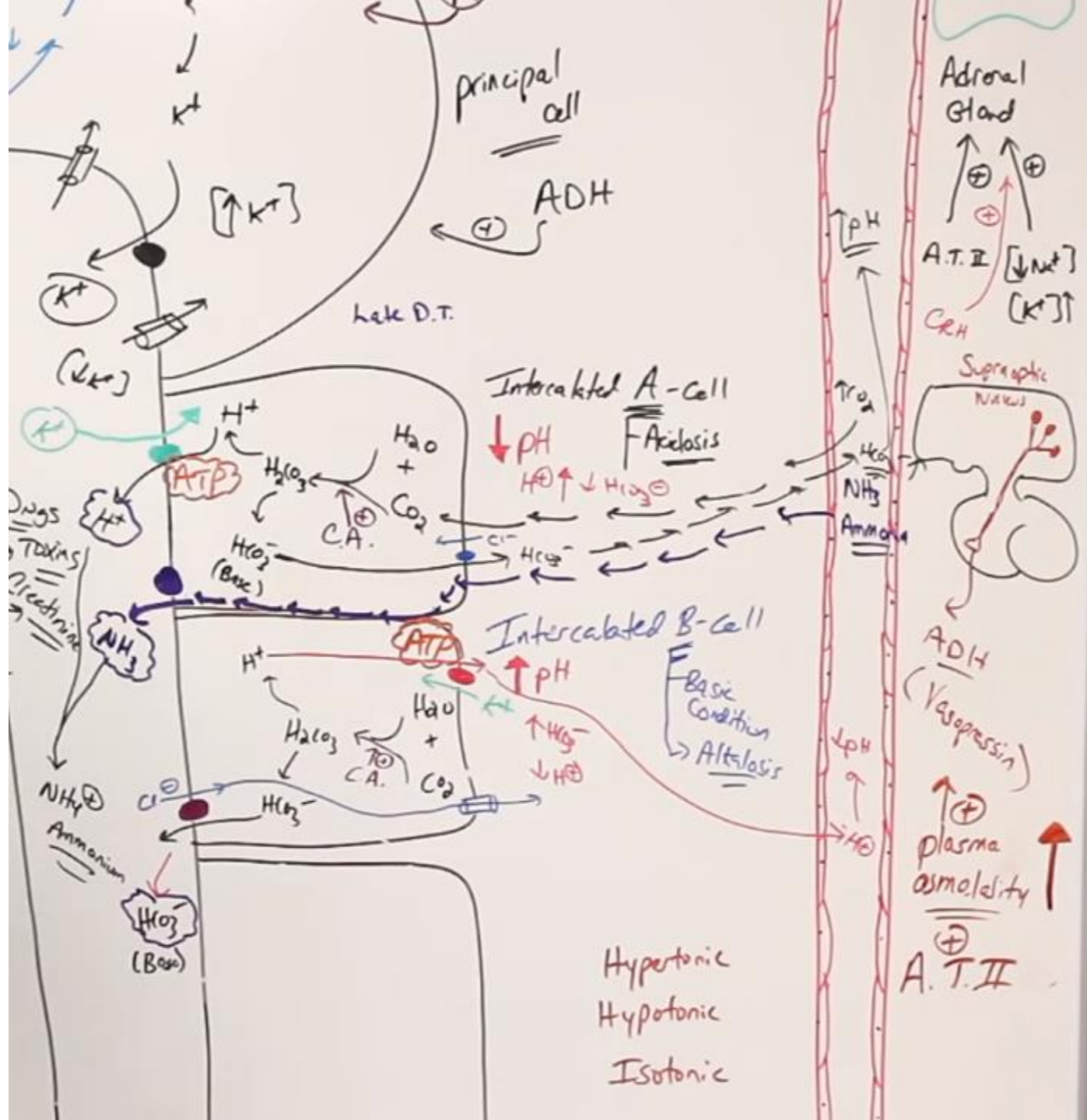


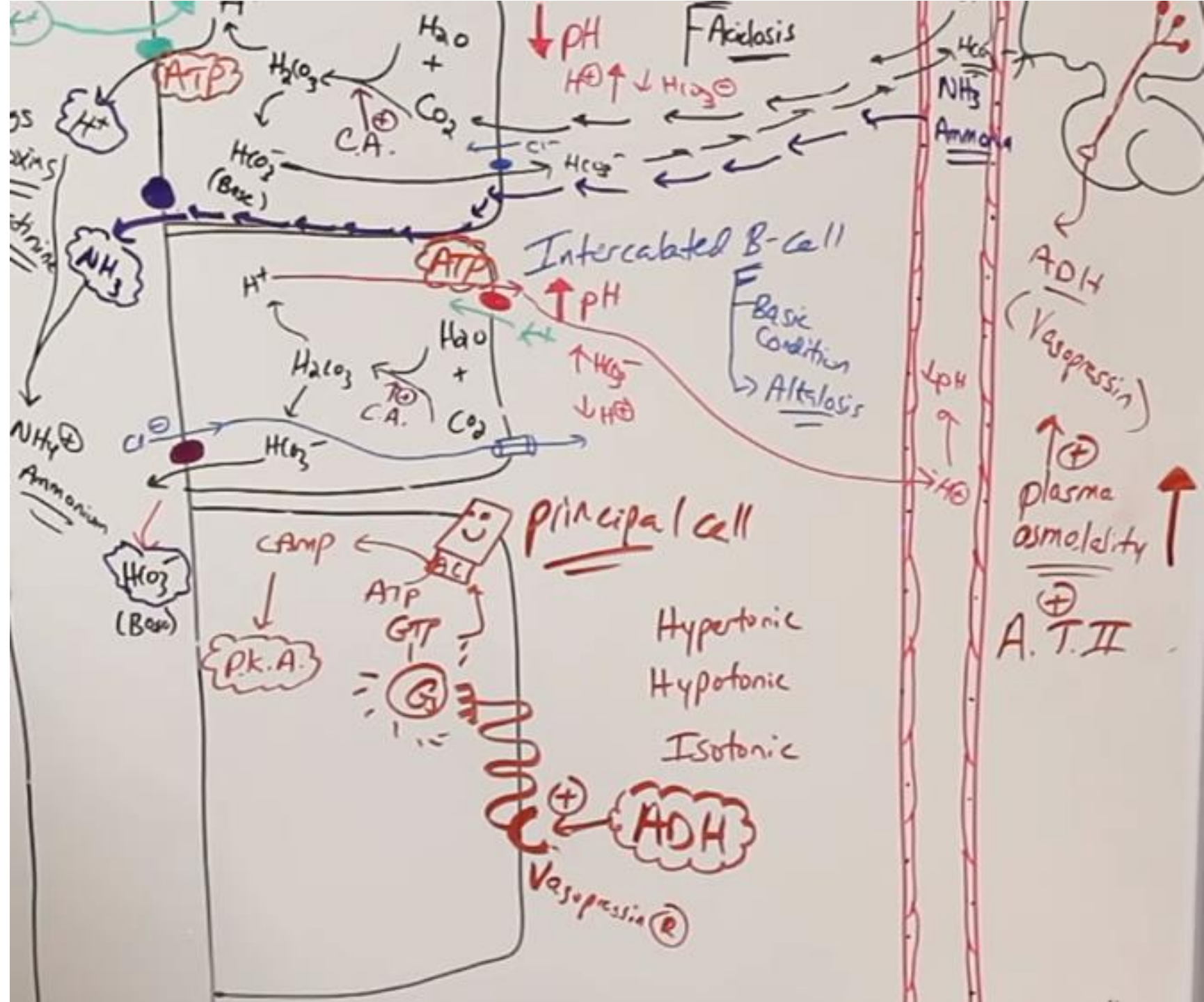


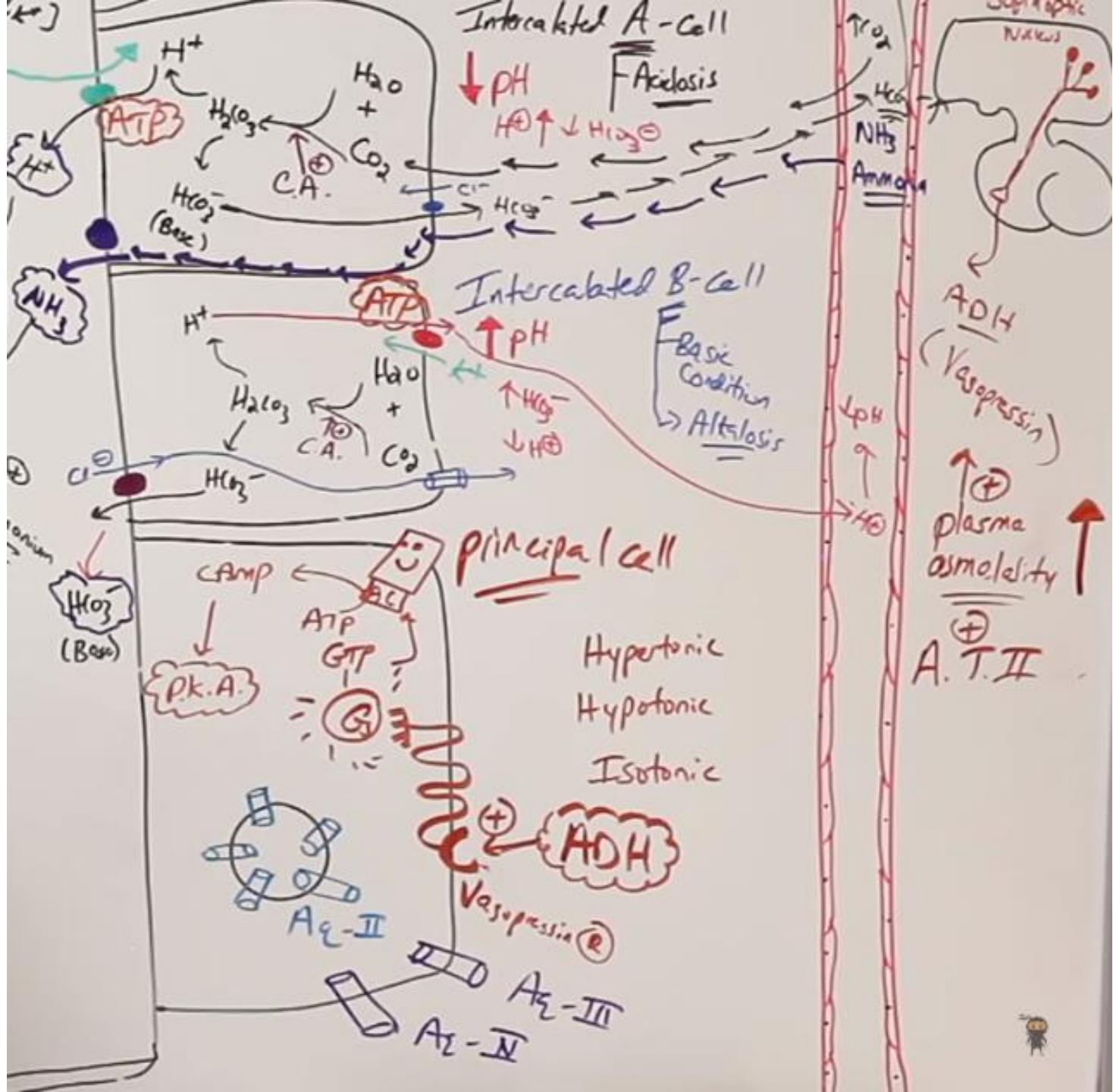


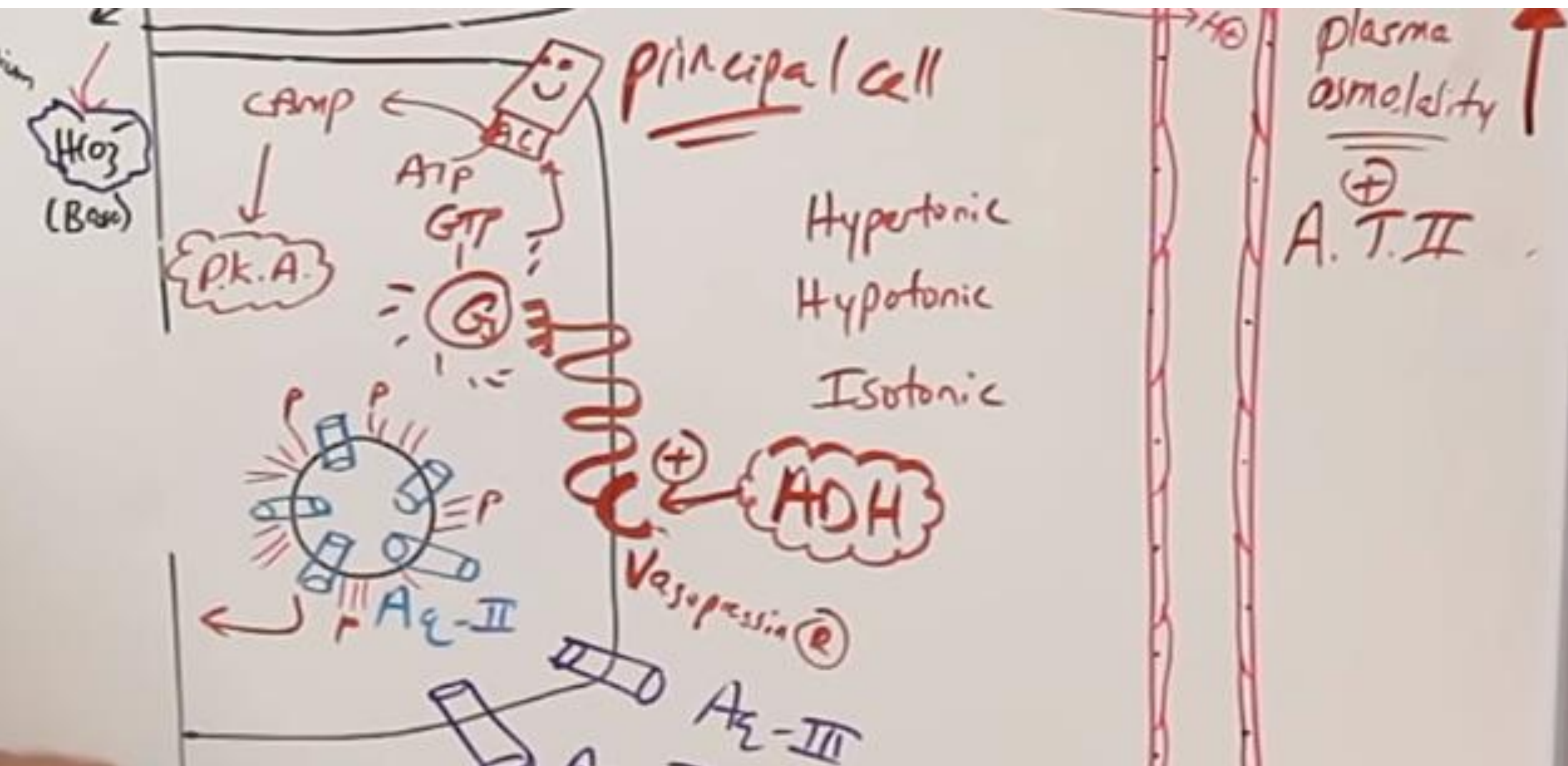
VASOPRESSIN











Principal cell

plasma osmolarity ↑

A. T. II

Hypertonic
Hypotonic
Isotonic

ADH

Vasopressin (R)

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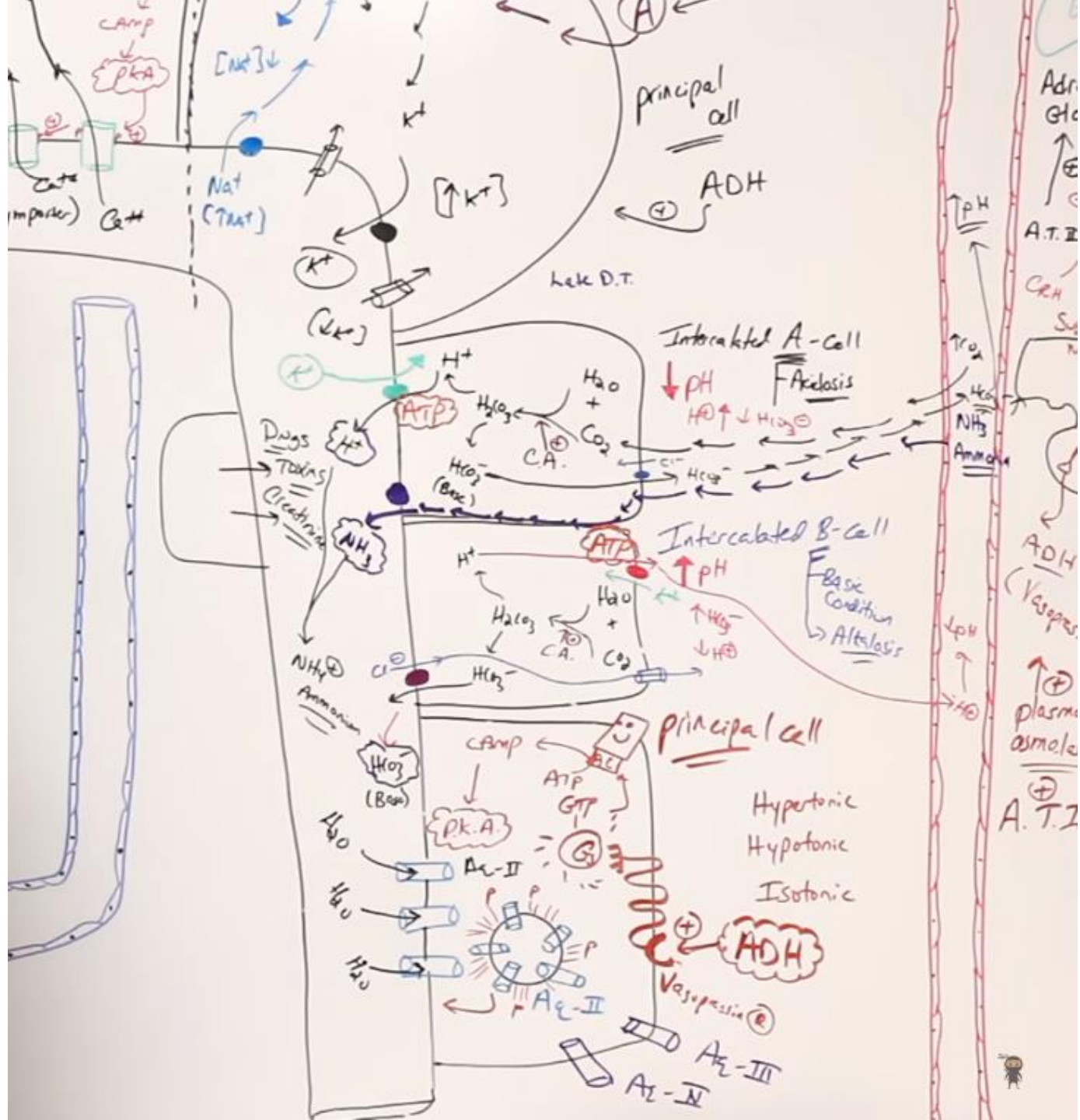
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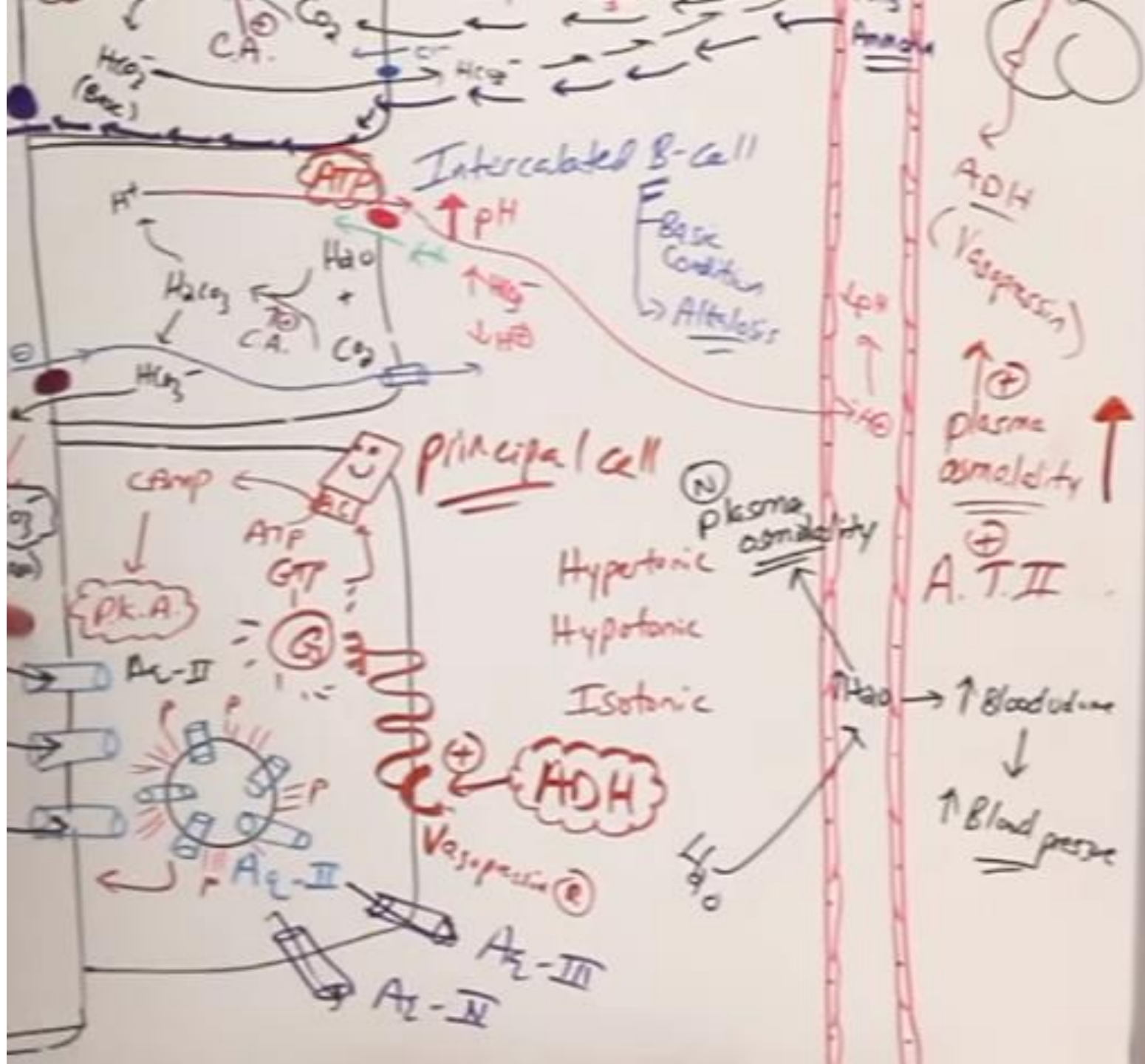
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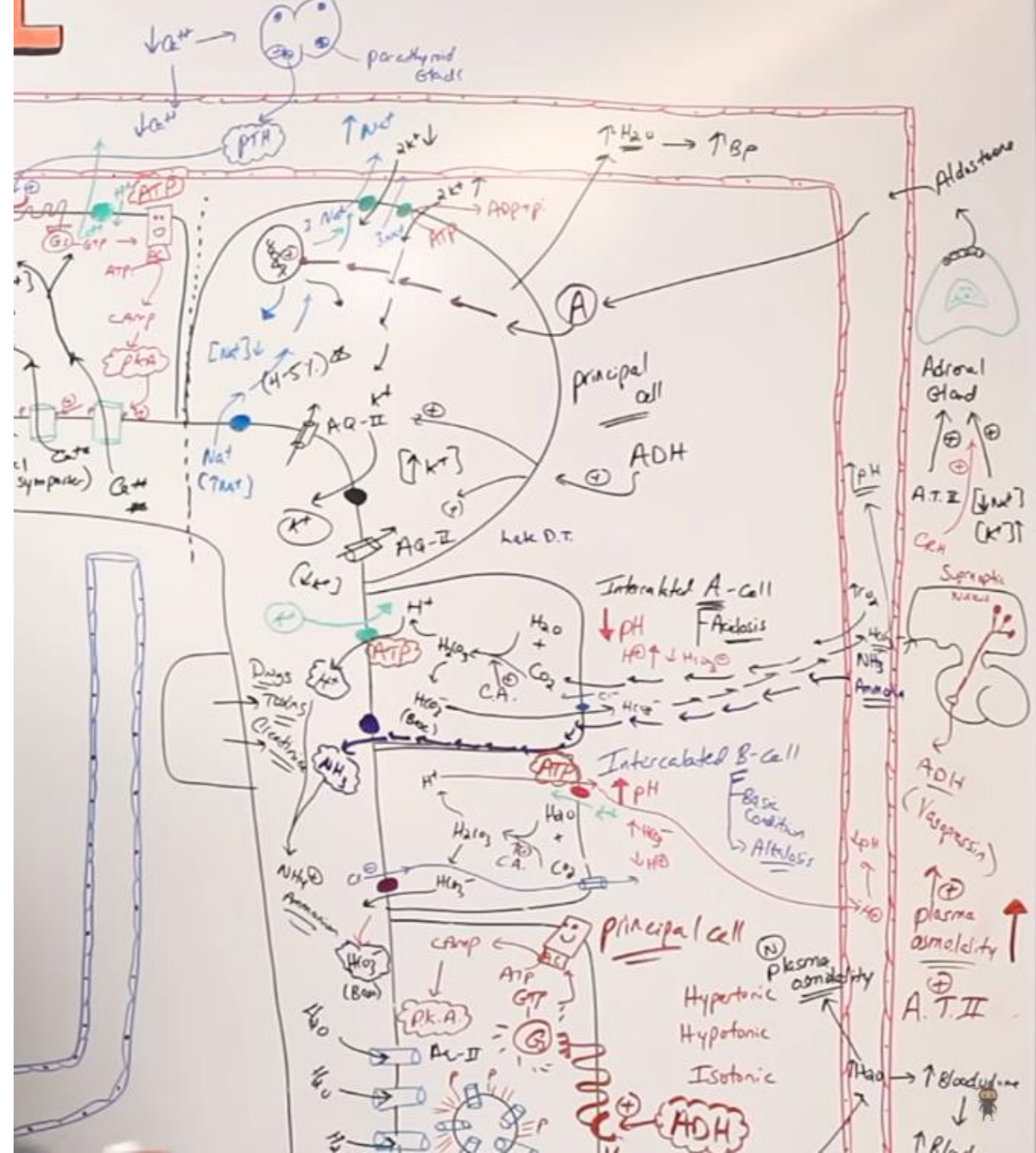
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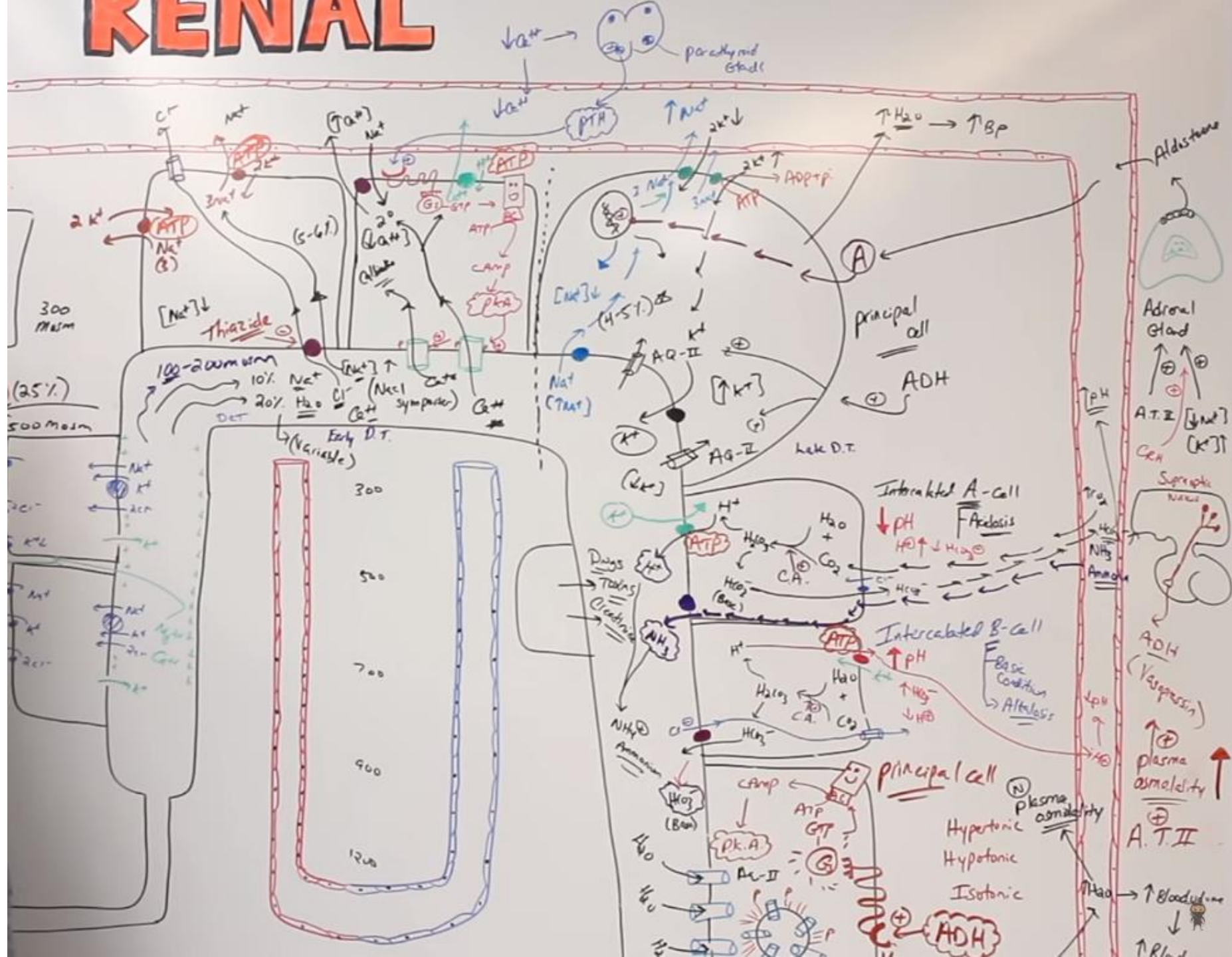
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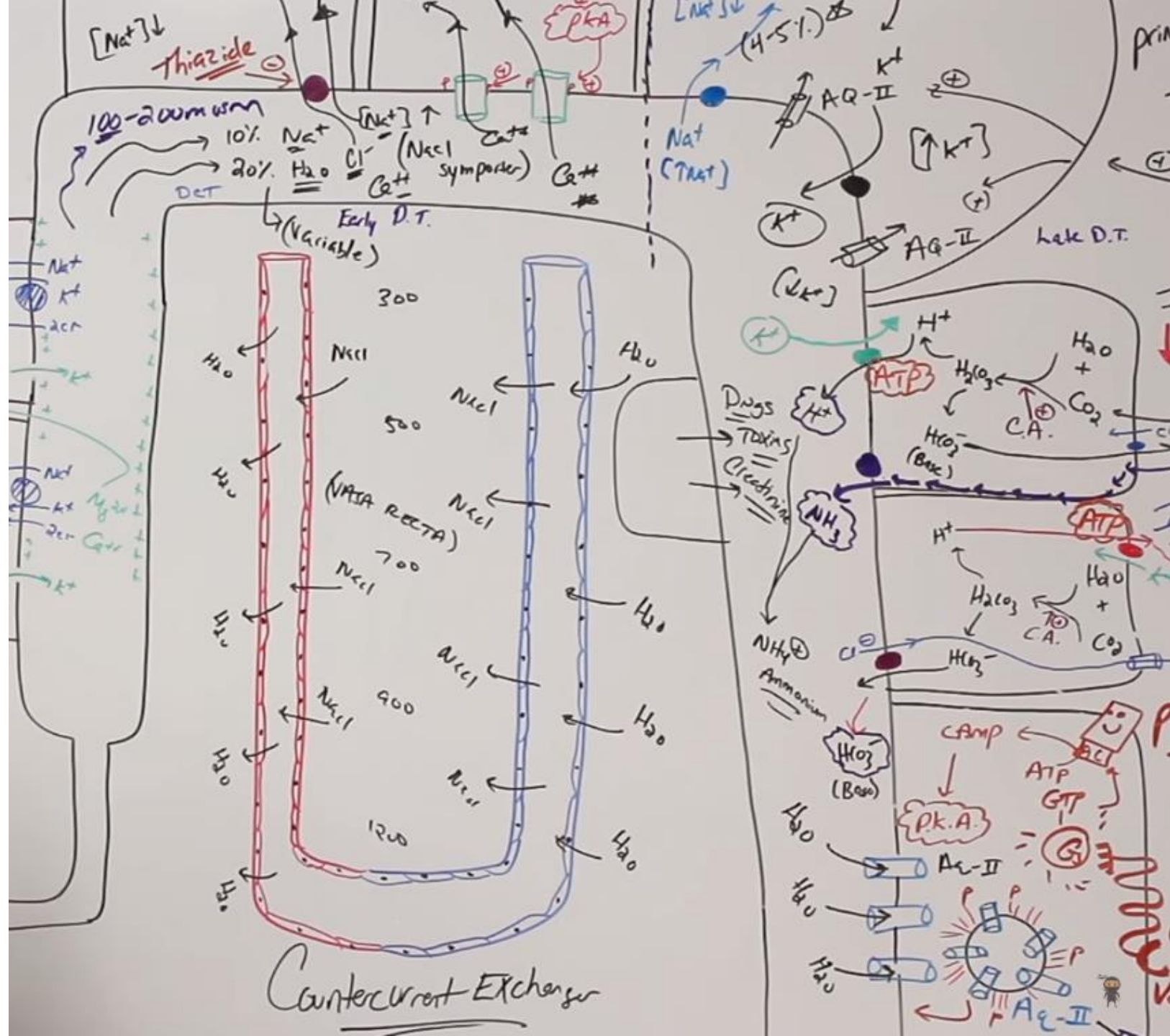






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Antidiuretic Hormone

ADH has three actions on the renal tubule.

(1) It increases the water permeability of the principal cells of the late distal tubule and collecting ducts.

(2) It increases the activity of the $\text{Na}^+\text{-K}^+\text{-2Cl}^-$ cotransporter of the thick ascending limb, thereby enhancing countercurrent multiplication and the size of the corticopapillary osmotic gradient.

(3) It increases urea permeability in the inner medullary collecting ducts (but not in the cortical or outer medullary collecting ducts), enhancing urea recycling and the size of the corticopapillary osmotic gradient.

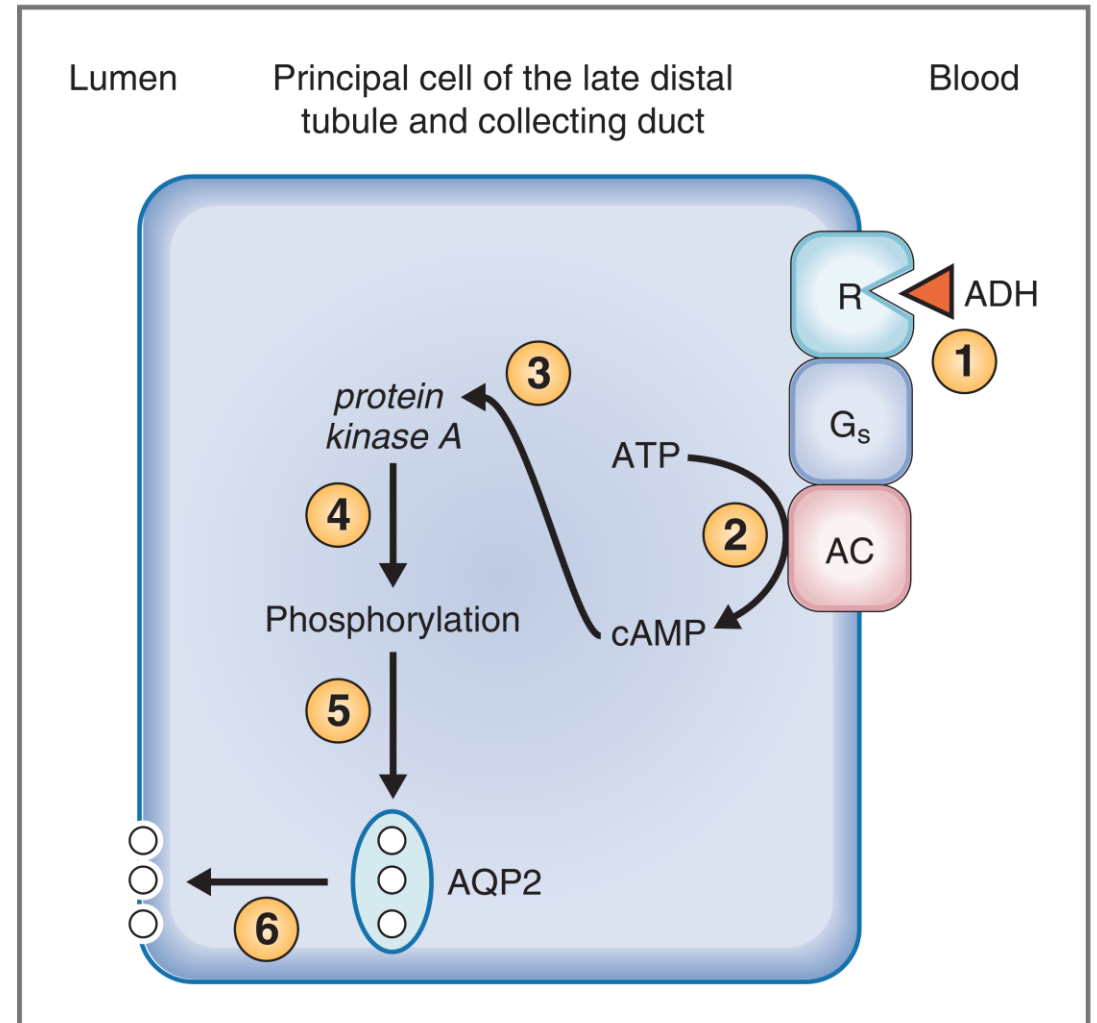


Fig. 6.41 Cellular mechanism of action of antidiuretic hormone in the principal cell of the late distal tubule and collecting duct. See the text for an explanation of the circled numbers. AC, Adenylyl cyclase; ADH, antidiuretic hormone; AQP2, aquaporin 2; ATP, adenosine triphosphate; cAMP, cyclic adenosine monophosphate, or cyclic AMP; G_s , stimulatory G protein; R, V_2 receptor.

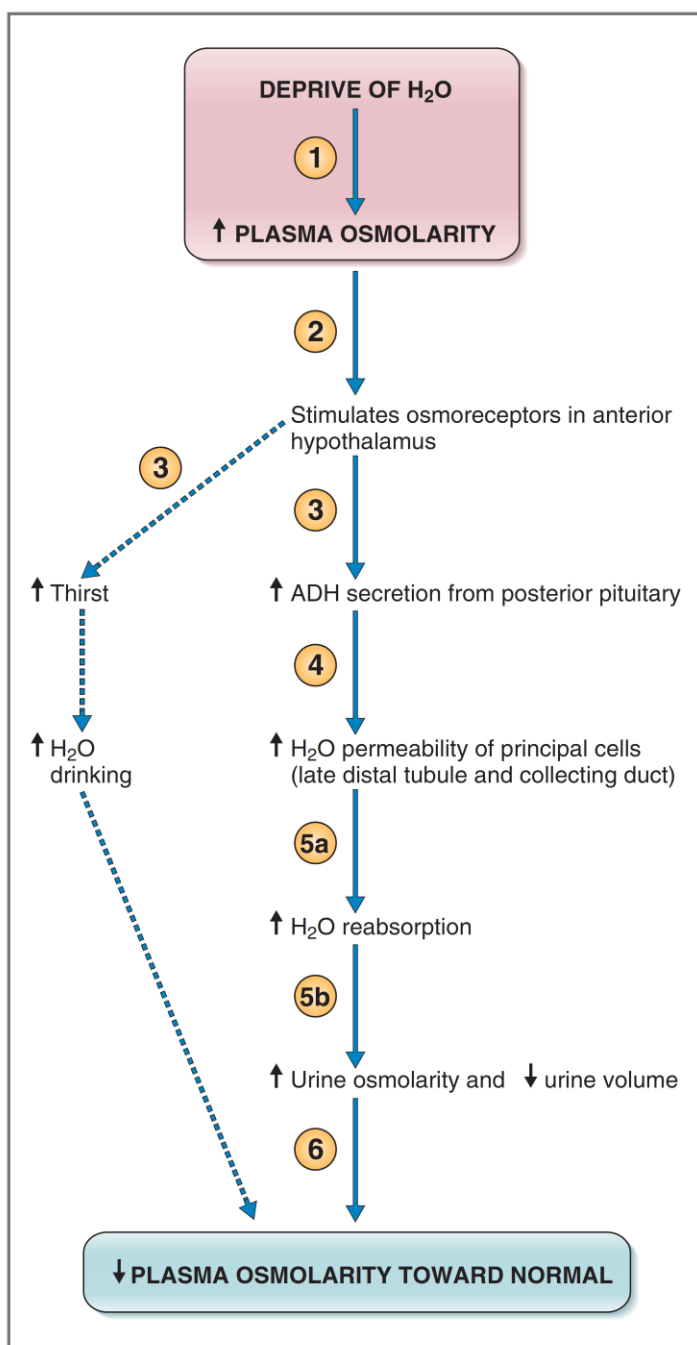


Fig. 6.36 Responses to water deprivation. See the text for an explanation of the circled numbers. *ADH*, Antidiuretic hormone.

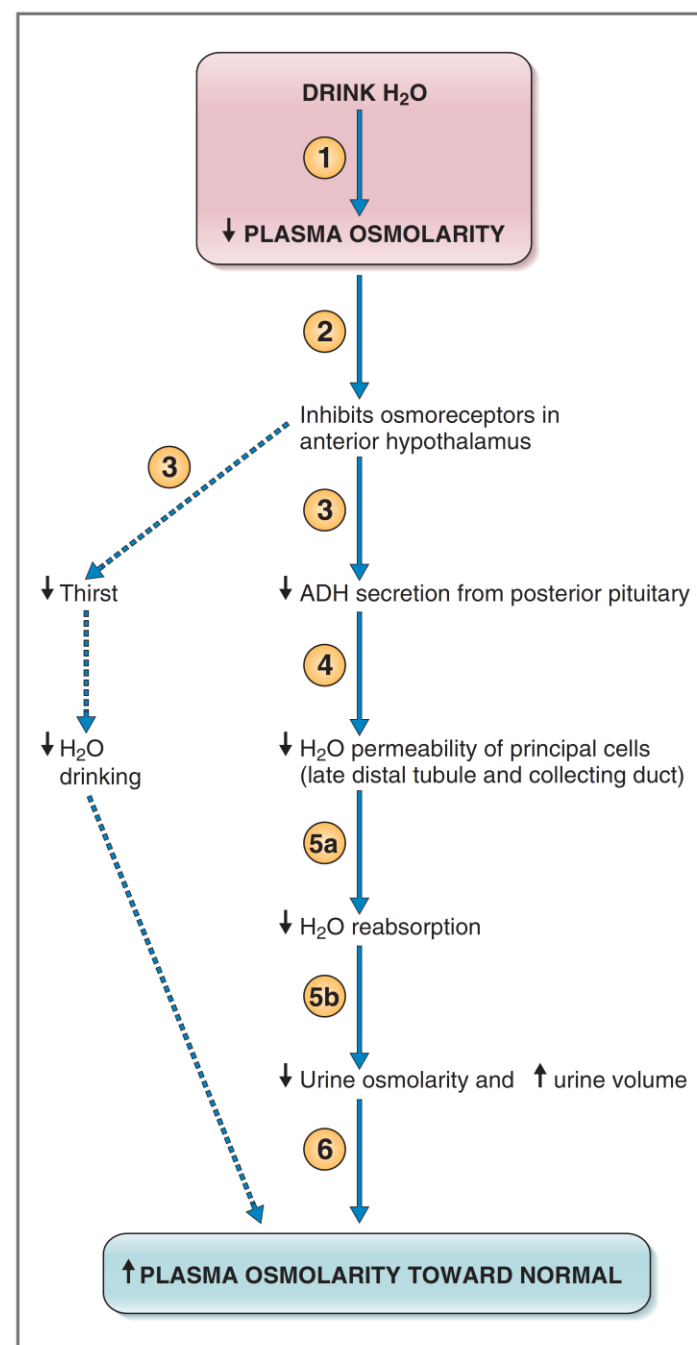
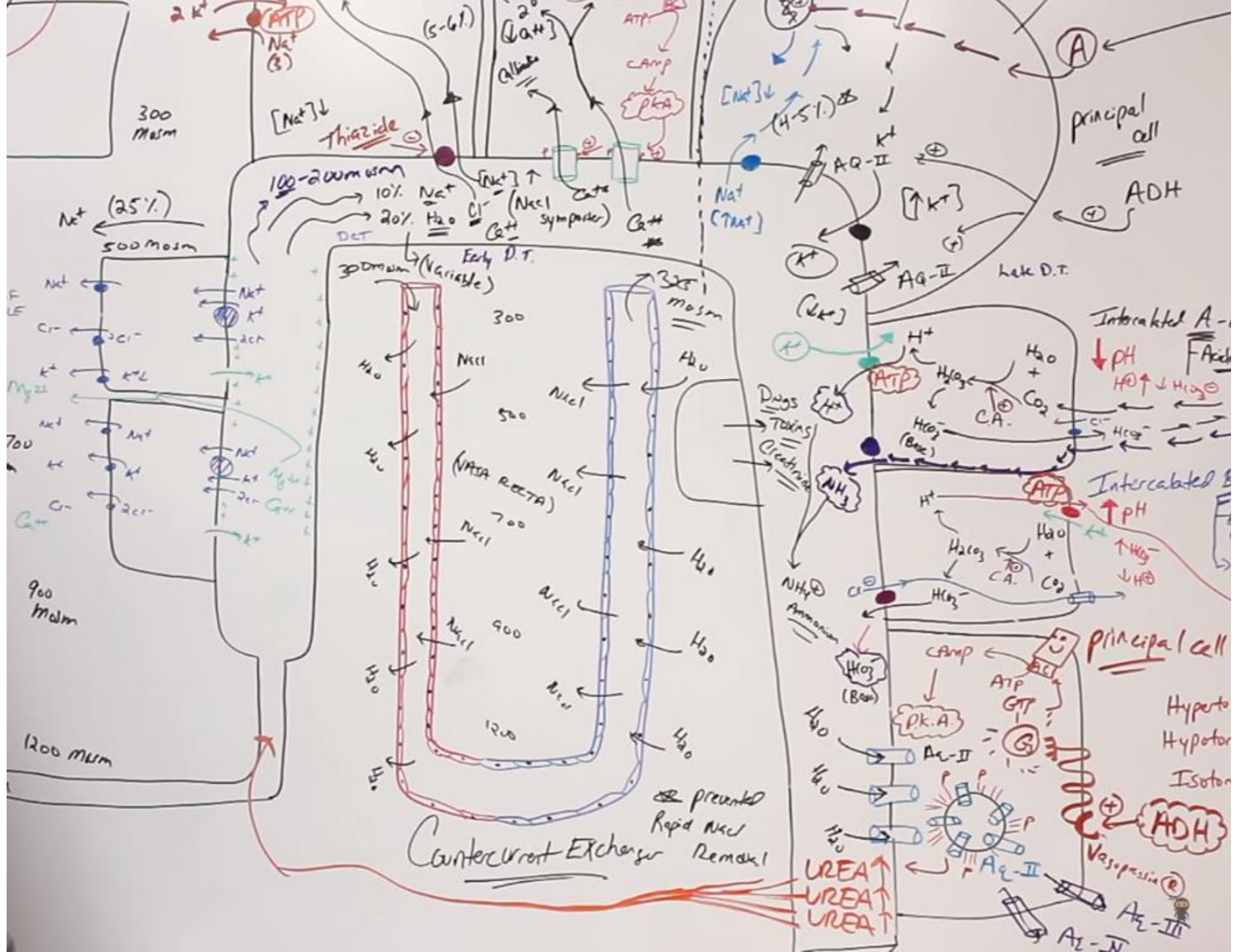
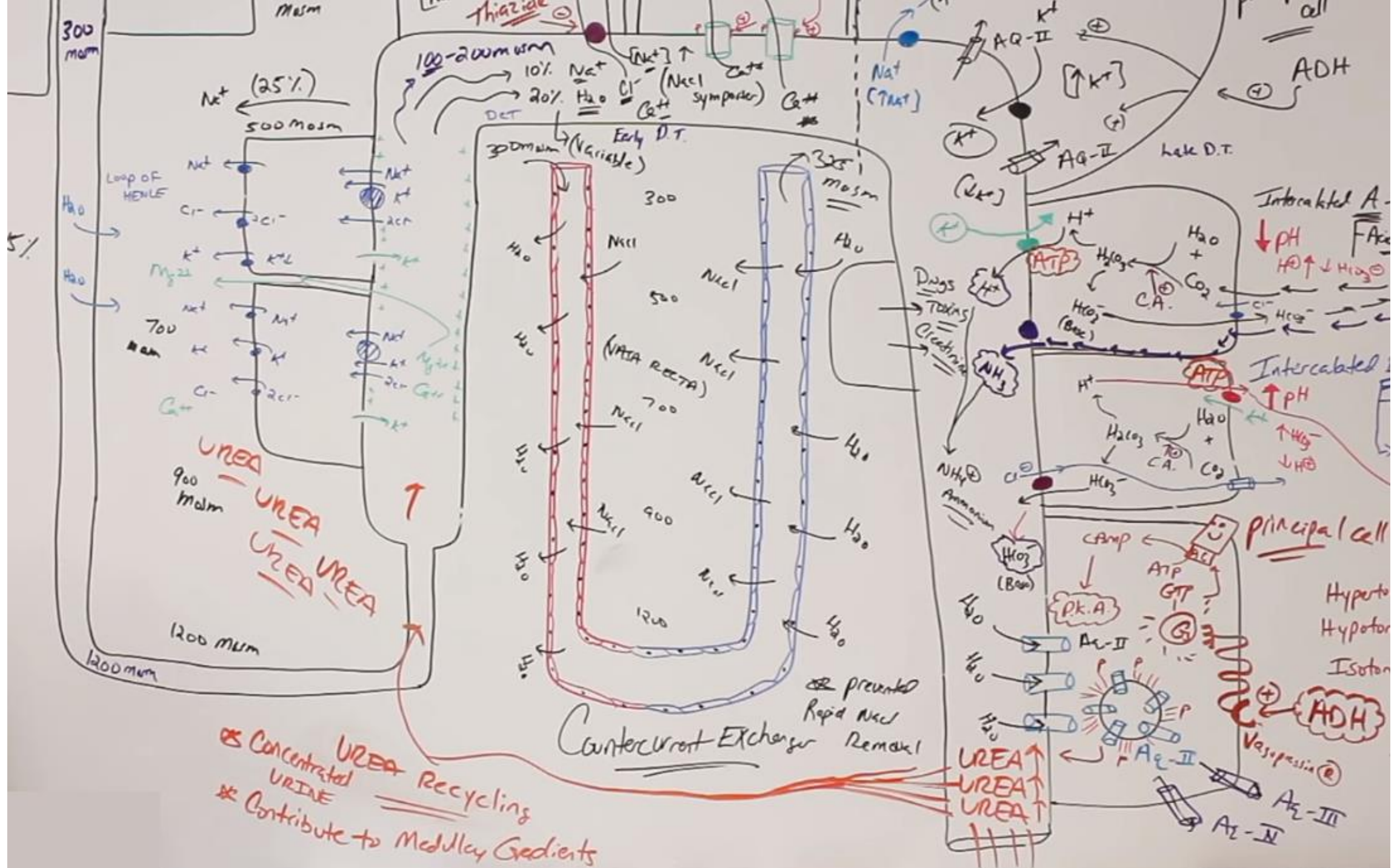


Fig. 6.37 Responses to water drinking. See the text for an explanation of the circled numbers. *ADH*, Antidiuretic hormone.





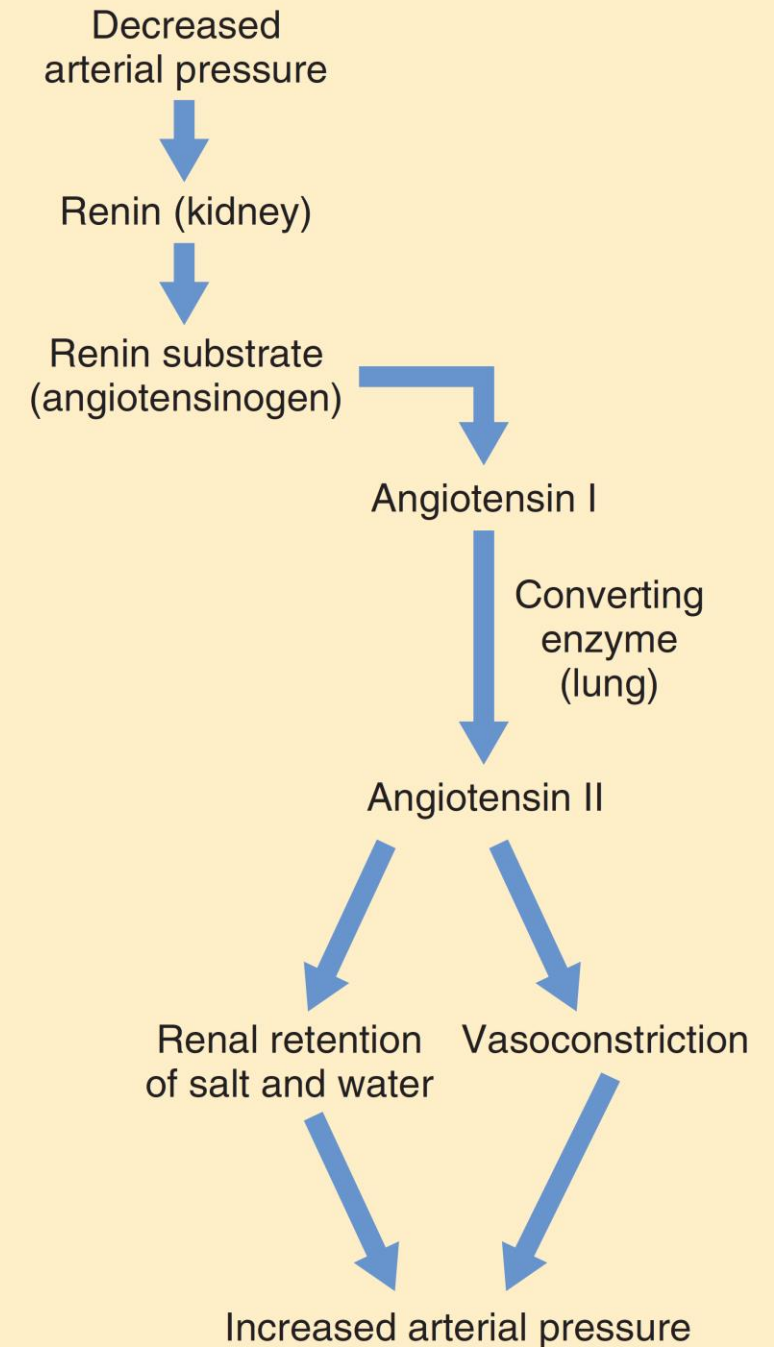
UREA Recycling
 * Concentrated URINE
 * Contribute to Medullary Gradients

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Renin-angiotensin-aldosterone system.

Renin is synthesized and stored in an inactive form called prorenin in the juxtaglomerular cells (JG cells) of the kidneys. The JG cells are modified smooth muscle cells located mainly in the walls of the afferent arterioles immediately proximal to the glomeruli. When the arterial pressure falls, intrinsic reactions in the kidneys cause many of the prorenin molecules in the JG cells to split and release renin. Most of the renin enters the renal blood and then passes out of the kidneys to circulate throughout the entire body. However, small amounts of the renin do remain in the local fluids of the kidney and initiate several intrarenal functions.

The renin-angiotensin-aldosterone system is activated in response to decreased arterial pressure (i.e., decreased renal perfusion pressure). Angiotensin II stimulates Na^+ reabsorption in the proximal tubule (Na^+ - H^+ exchange), and aldosterone stimulates Na^+ reabsorption in the late distal tubule and the collecting duct.



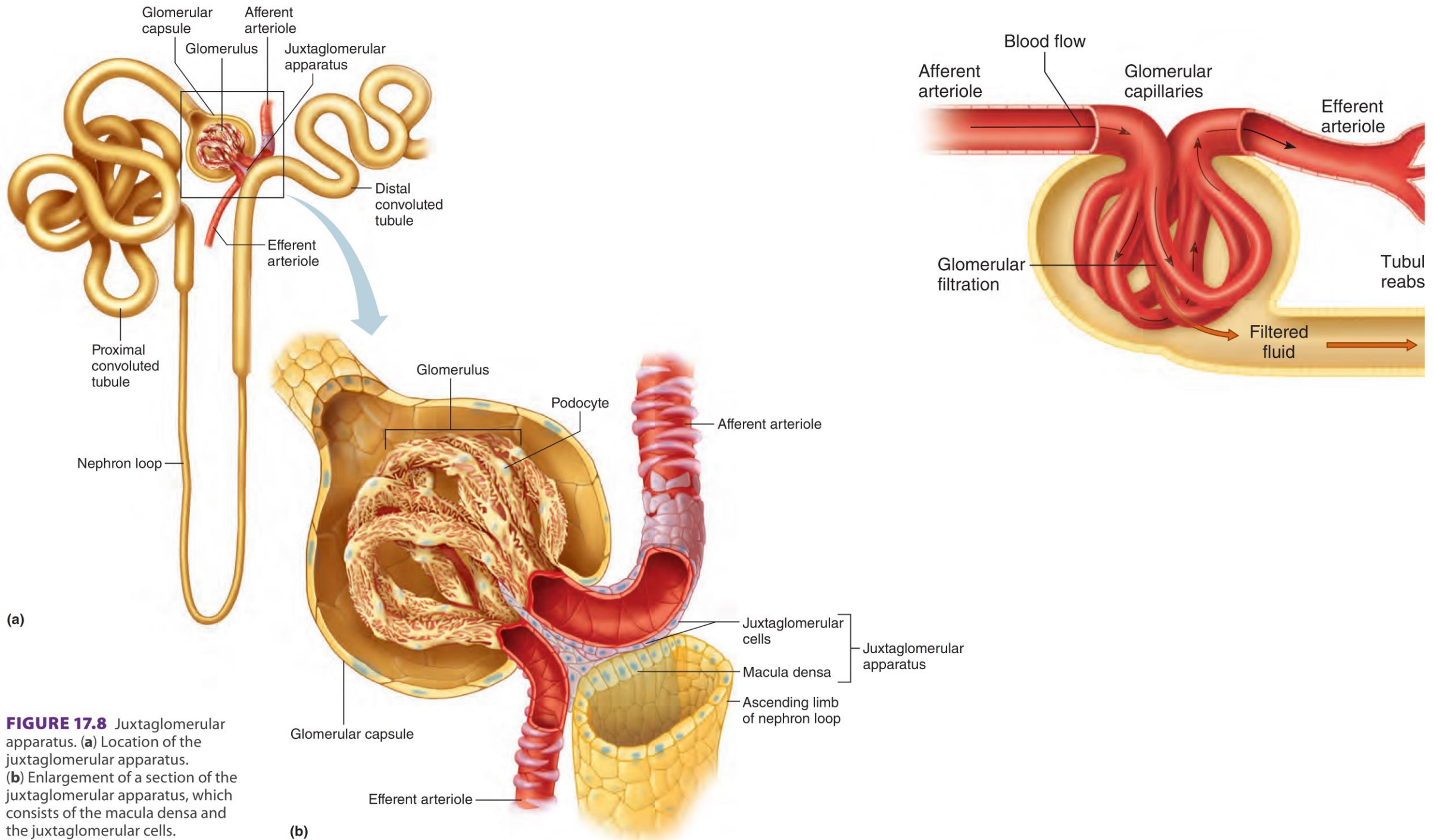


FIGURE 17.8 Juxtaglomerular apparatus. **(a)** Location of the juxtaglomerular apparatus. **(b)** Enlargement of a section of the juxtaglomerular apparatus, which consists of the macula densa and the juxtaglomerular cells.

Another mechanism to control filtration rate involves the enzyme renin. Juxtaglomerular cells secrete renin in response to three types of stimuli: (1) when special cells in the afferent arteriole sense a drop in blood pressure; (2) in response to sympathetic stimulation; and (3) when the macula densa senses decreased numbers of chloride, potassium, and sodium ions reaching the end of the ascending limb of the nephron loop. Once in the bloodstream, renin reacts with the plasma protein angiotensinogen to form angiotensin I. A second enzyme (angiotensin-converting enzyme, or ACE) in the lungs and in plasma quickly converts angiotensin I to angiotensin II.

Angiotensin II carries out a number of actions that help maintain sodium balance, water balance, and blood pressure. Angiotensin II vasoconstricts the efferent arteriole, which causes blood to back up into the glomerulus, raising filtration pressure. This important action helps minimize the decrease in glomerular filtration rate when systemic blood pressure is low. Angiotensin II has a major effect on the kidneys by stimulating secretion of the adrenal hormone aldosterone, which stimulates tubular reabsorption of sodium.

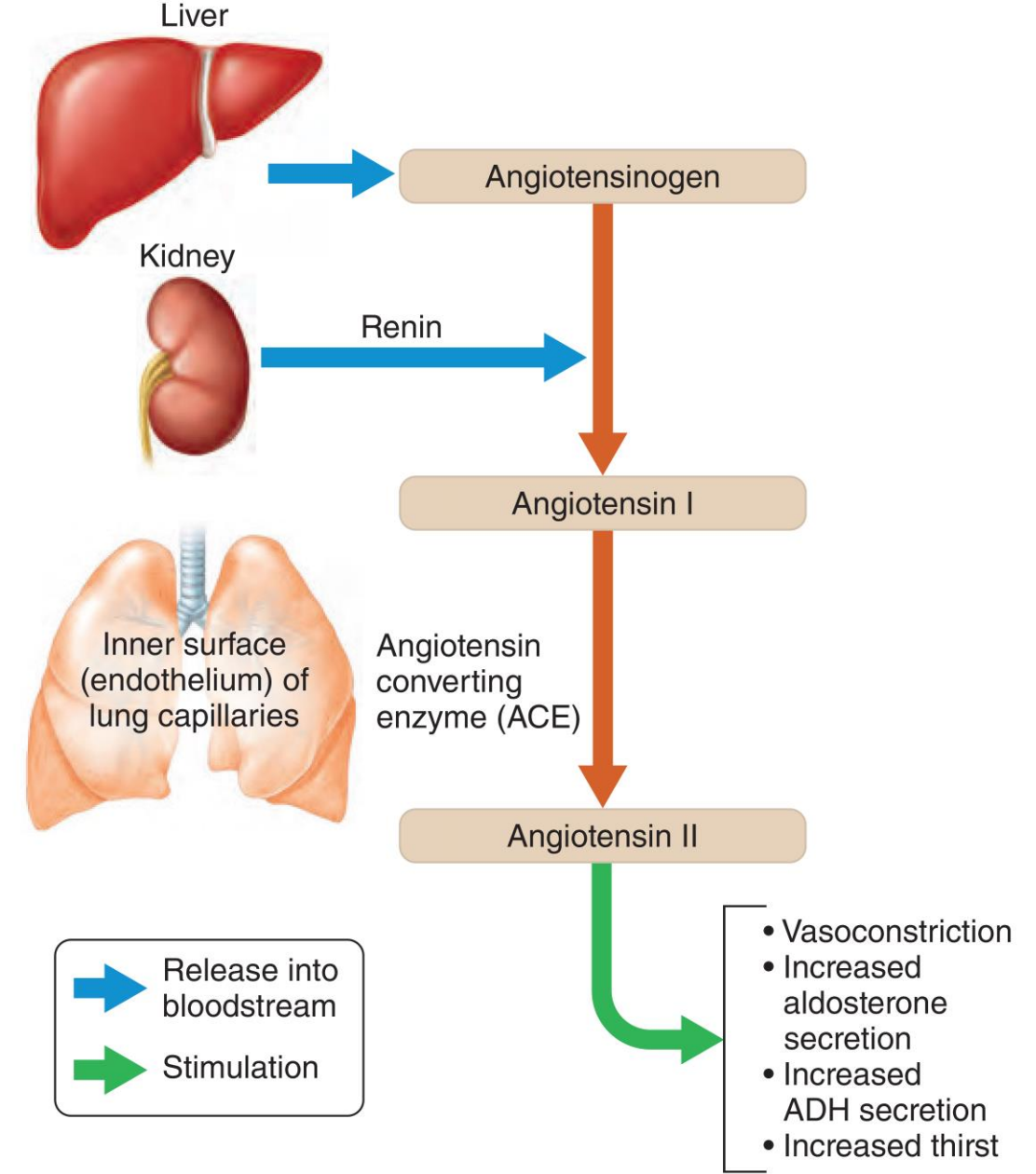


FIGURE 17.12 The formation of angiotensin II in the bloodstream involves several organs and results in multiple actions that conserve sodium and water.

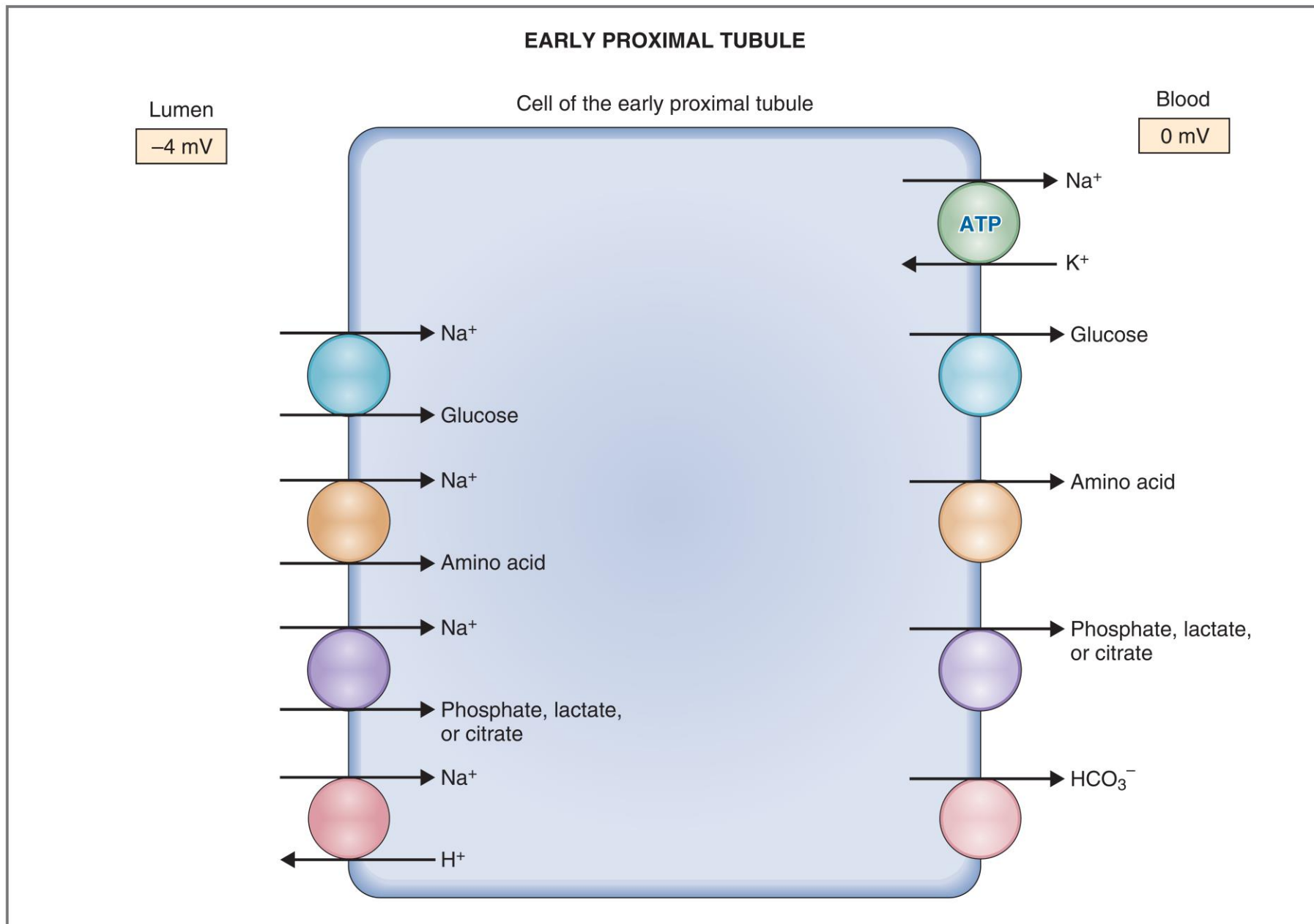


Fig. 6.20 Cellular mechanisms of Na^+ reabsorption in the early proximal tubule. The transepithelial potential difference is the difference between the potential in the lumen and the potential in blood, -4 mV . *ATP*, Adenosine triphosphate.

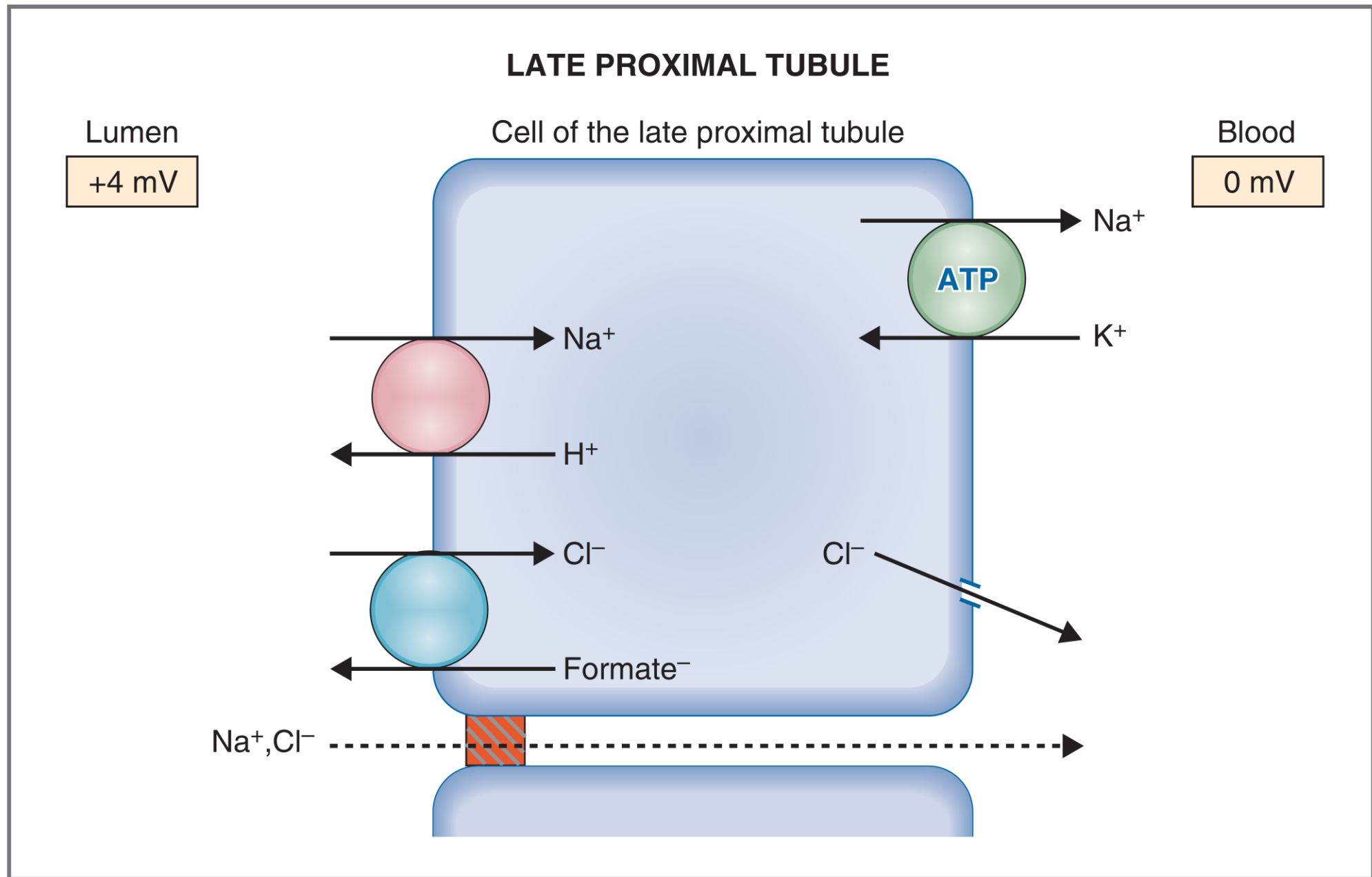


Fig. 6.21 Cellular mechanisms of Na^+ reabsorption in the late proximal tubule. The transepithelial potential difference is $+4 \text{ mV}$. *ATP*, Adenosine triphosphate.

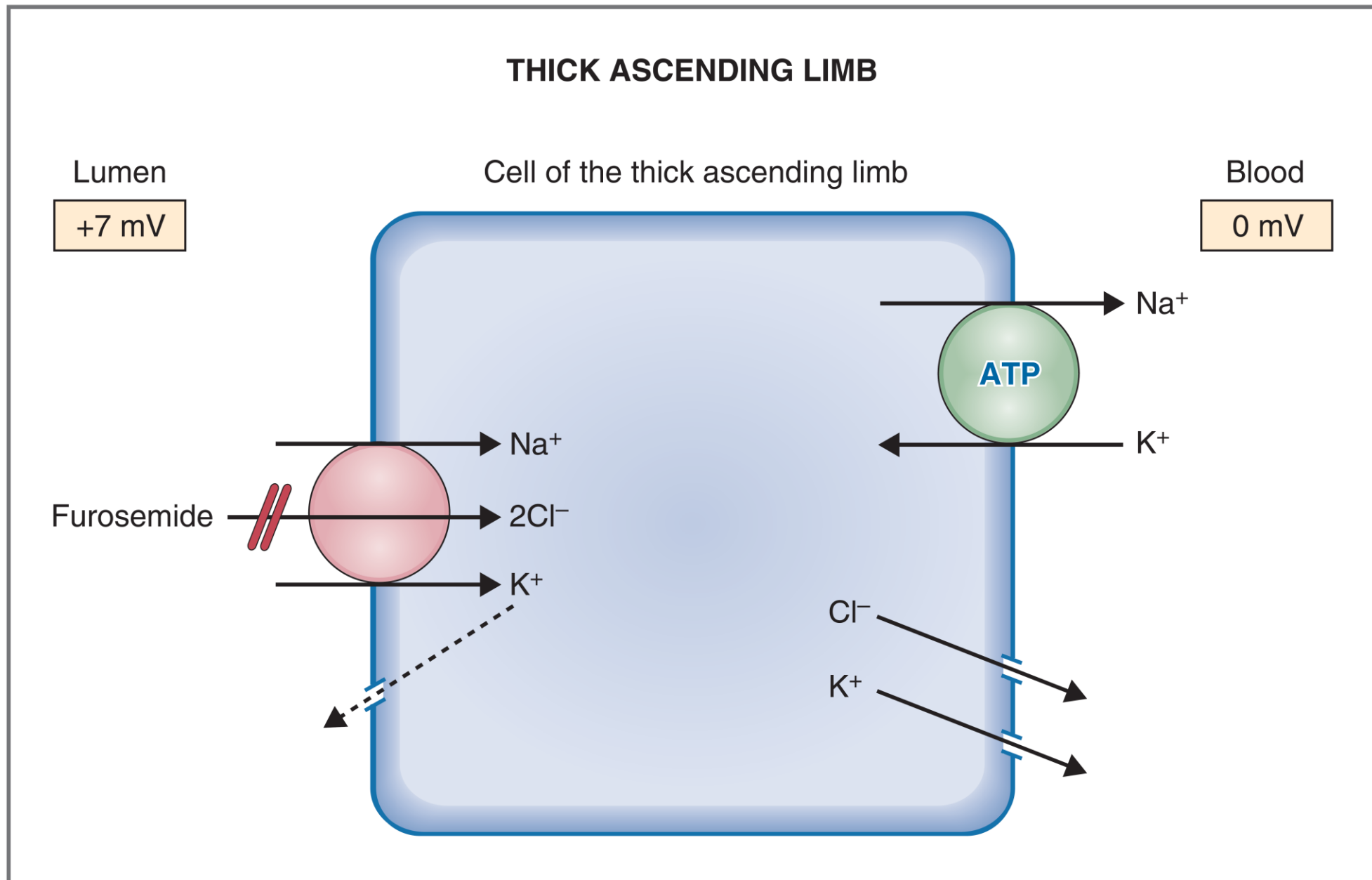


Fig. 6.25 Cellular mechanism of Na^+ reabsorption in the thick ascending limb of the loop of Henle. The transepithelial potential difference is $+7 \text{ mV}$. *ATP*, Adenosine triphosphate.

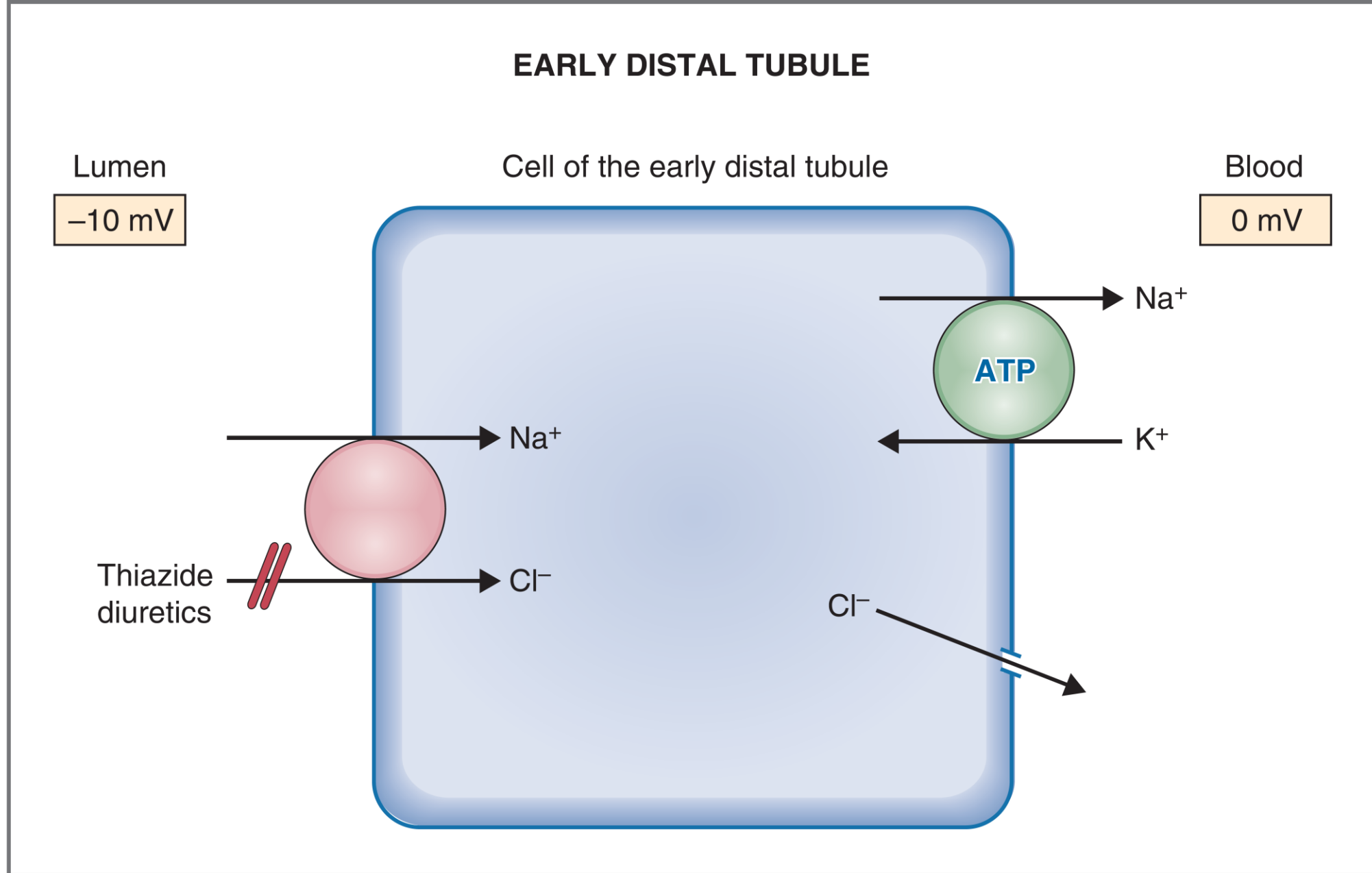


Fig. 6.26 Cellular mechanism of Na^+ reabsorption in the early distal tubule. The trans-epithelial potential difference is -10 mV . *ATP*, Adenosine triphosphate.

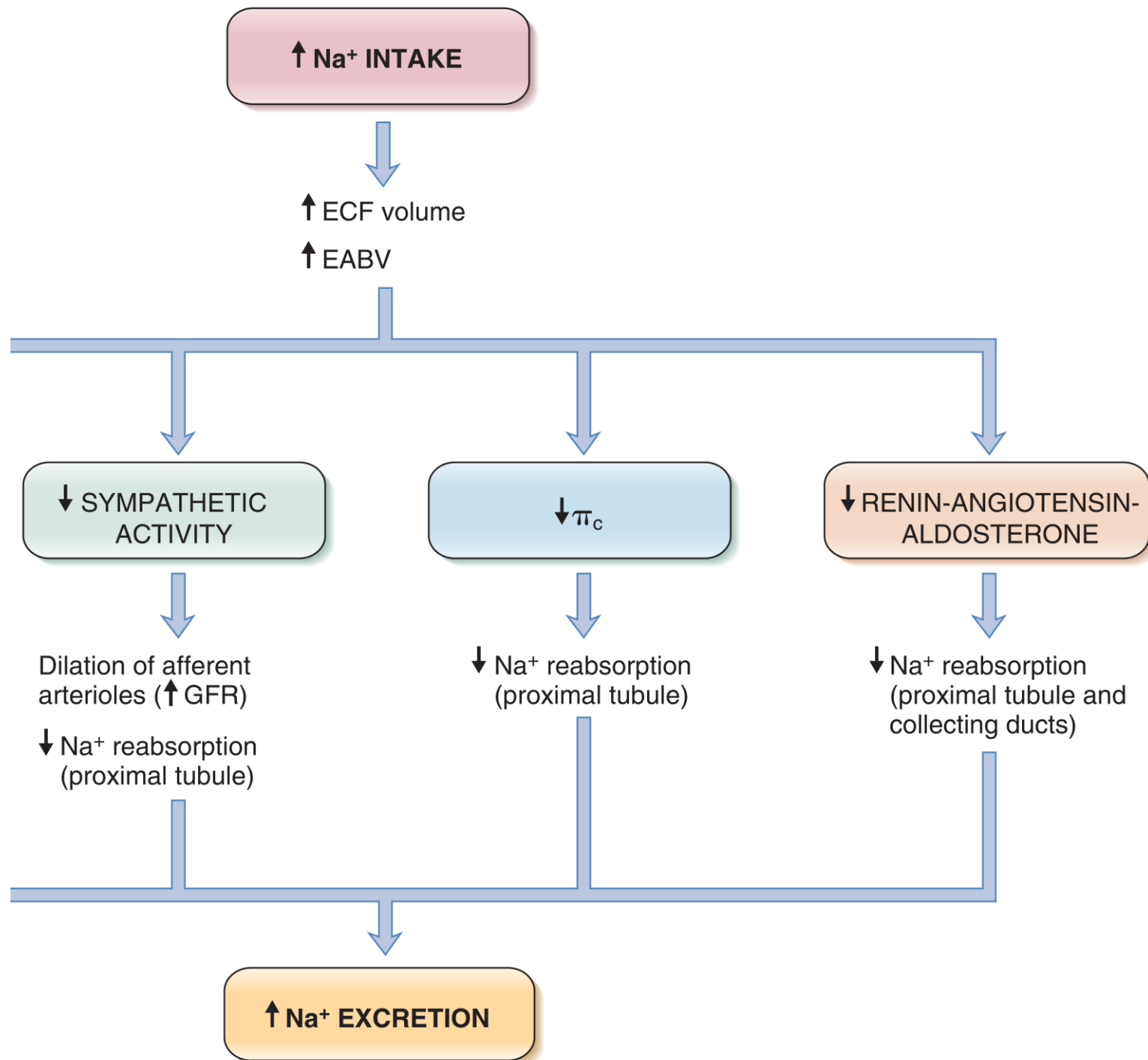


TABLE 6.7 Summary of the Functions of the Major Nephron Segments

Segment/Cell Type	Major Functions	Cellular Mechanisms	Hormone Actions
Early Proximal Tubule	Isosmotic reabsorption of solute and water	Na ⁺ -glucose, Na ⁺ -amino acid, Na ⁺ -phosphate cotransport Na ⁺ -H ⁺ exchange	PTH inhibits Na ⁺ -phosphate cotransport Angiotensin II stimulates Na ⁺ -H ⁺ exchange
Late Proximal Tubule	Isosmotic reabsorption of solute and water	NaCl reabsorption driven by Cl ⁻ gradient	—
Thick Ascending Limb of the Loop of Henle	Reabsorption of NaCl without water Dilution of tubular fluid Single effect of countercurrent multiplication Reabsorption of Ca ²⁺ and Mg ²⁺ driven by lumen-positive potential	Na ⁺ -K ⁺ -2Cl ⁻ cotransport	ADH stimulates Na ⁺ -K ⁺ -2Cl ⁻ cotransport
Early Distal Tubule	Reabsorption of NaCl without water Dilution of tubular fluid	Na ⁺ -Cl ⁻ cotransport	PTH stimulates Ca ²⁺ reabsorption
Late Distal Tubule and Collecting Ducts (principal cells)	Reabsorption of NaCl K ⁺ secretion Variable water reabsorption	Na ⁺ channels (ENaC) K ⁺ channels AQP2 water channels	Aldosterone stimulates Na ⁺ reabsorption Aldosterone stimulates K ⁺ secretion ADH stimulates water reabsorption
Late Distal Tubule and Collecting Ducts (α -intercalated cells)	Reabsorption of K ⁺ Secretion of H ⁺	H ⁺ -K ⁺ ATPase H ⁺ ATPase	— Aldosterone stimulates H ⁺ secretion

ADH, Antidiuretic hormone; PTH, parathyroid hormone; ENaC, epithelial Na⁺ channels; AQP2, aquaporin 2.

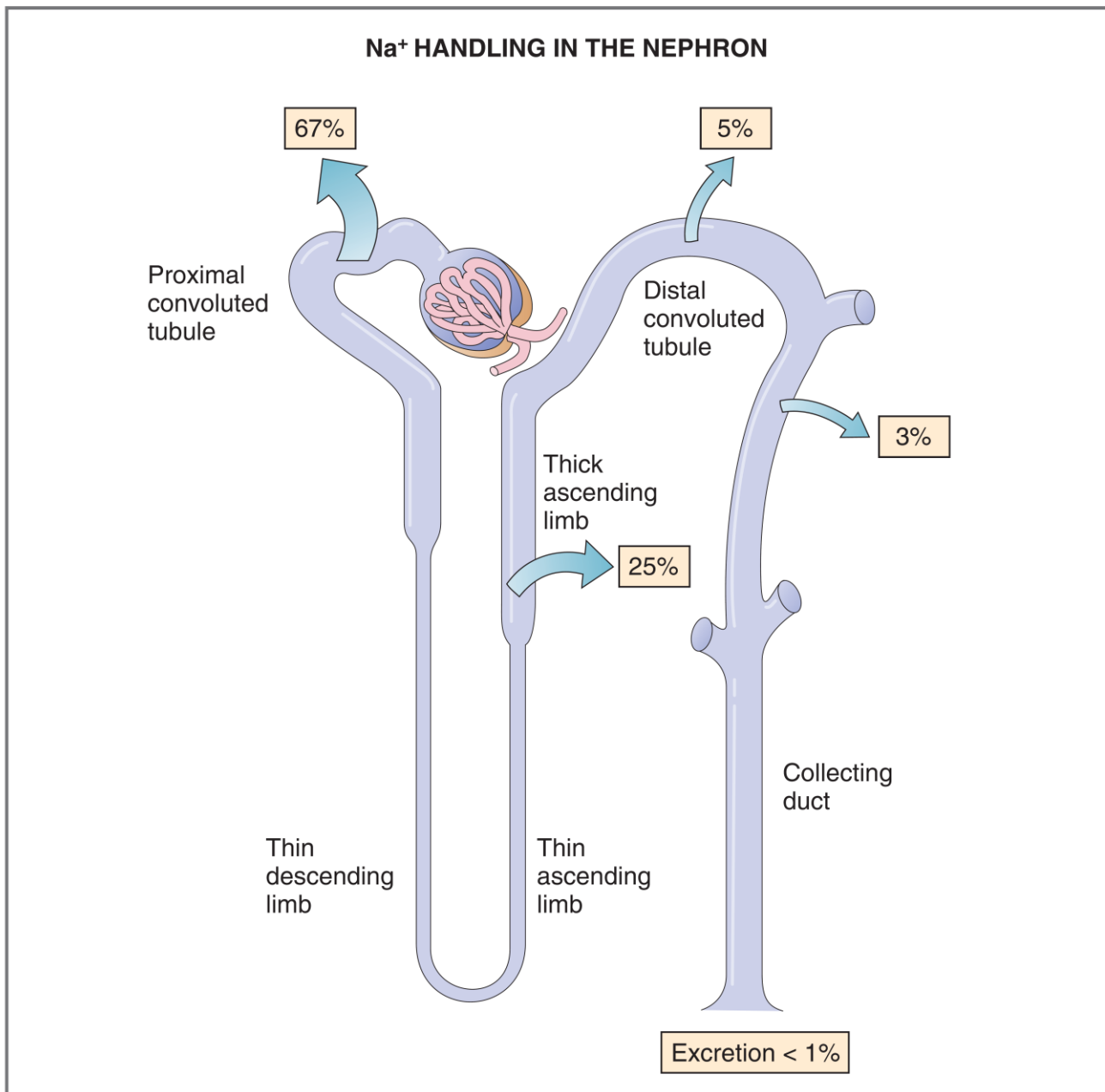


Fig. 6.19 Na⁺ handling in the nephron. Arrows show locations of Na⁺ reabsorption; numbers are percentages of the filtered load reabsorbed or excreted.

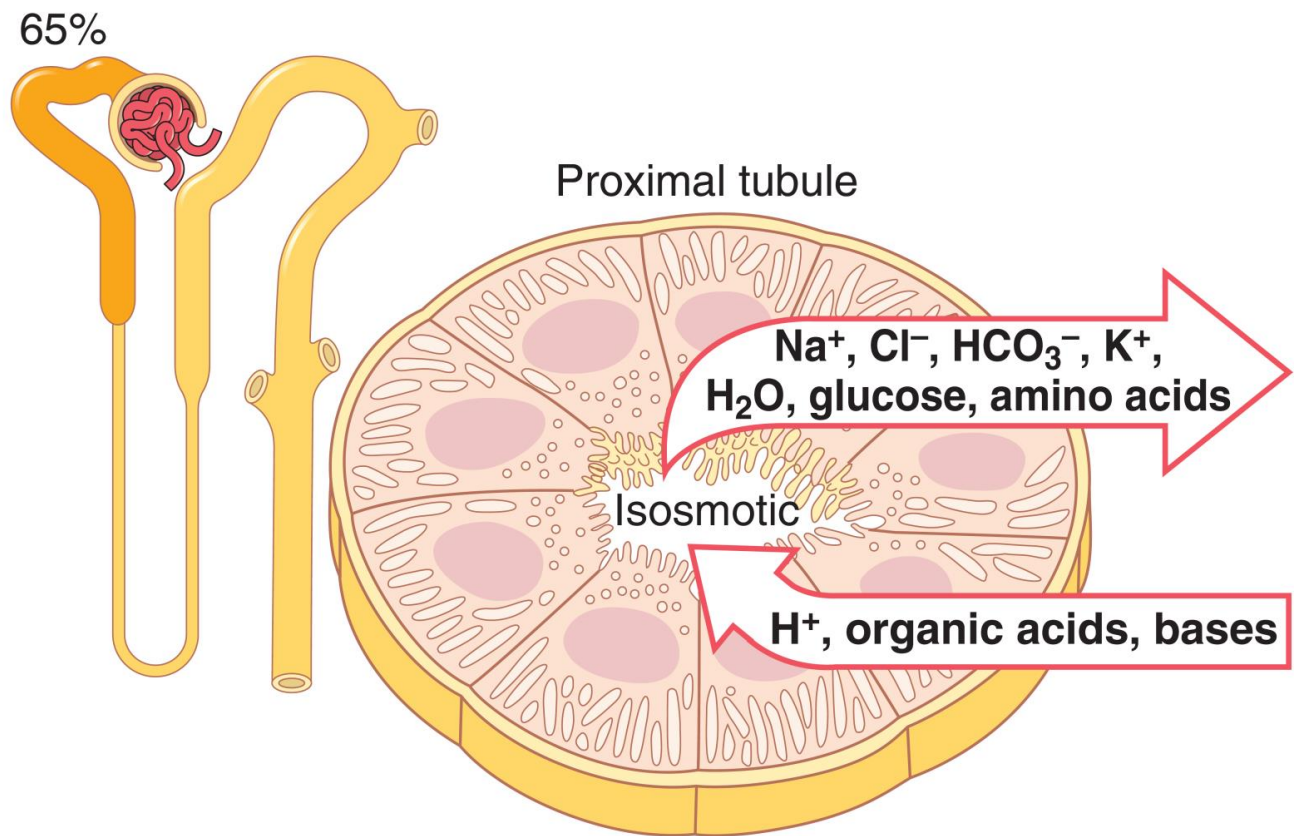


Figure 28-6. Cellular ultrastructure and primary transport characteristics of the proximal tubule. The proximal tubules reabsorb about 65 percent of the filtered sodium, chloride, bicarbonate, and potassium and essentially all the filtered glucose and amino acids. The proximal tubules also secrete organic acids, bases, and hydrogen ions into the tubular lumen.

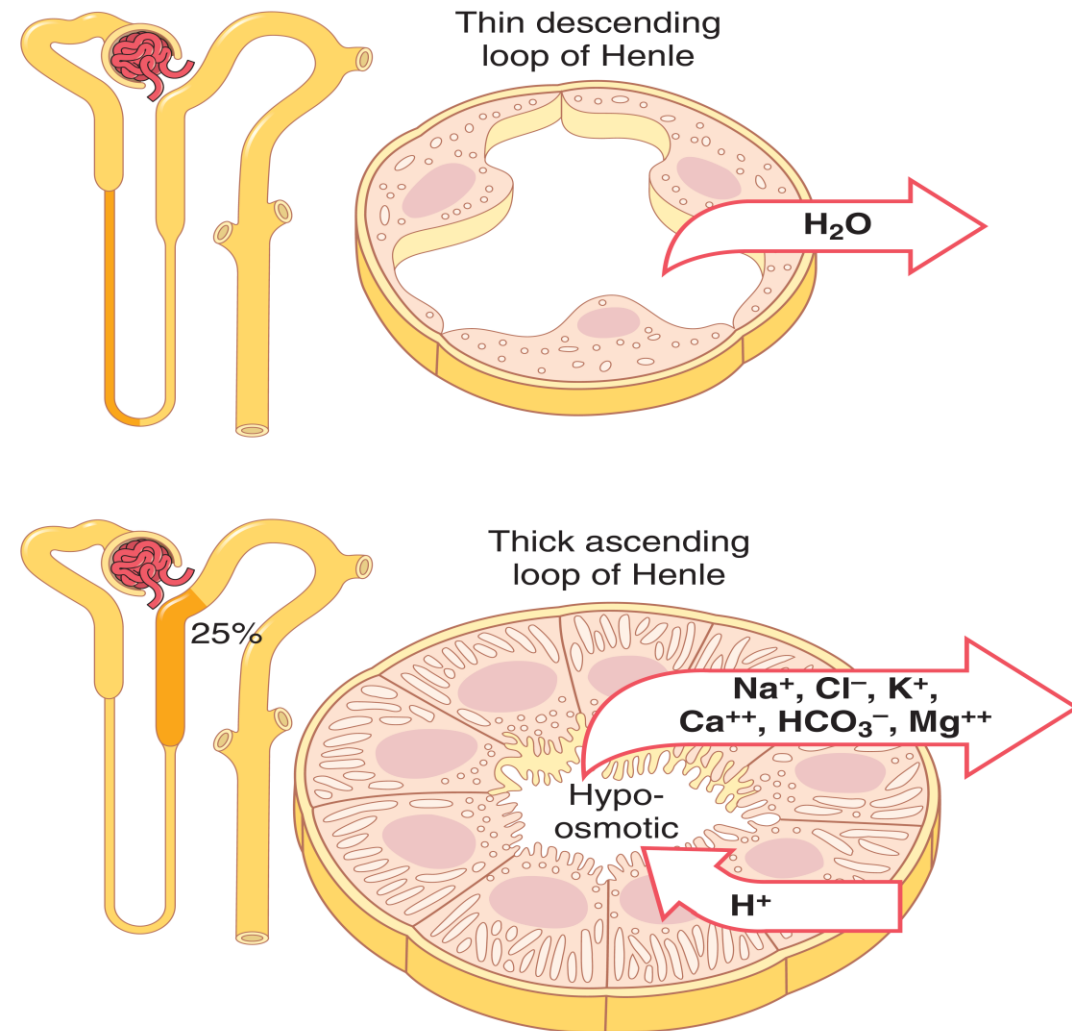


Figure 28-8. Cellular ultrastructure and transport characteristics of the thin descending loop of Henle (*top*) and the thick ascending segment of the loop of Henle (*bottom*). The descending part of the thin segment of the loop of Henle is highly permeable to water and moderately permeable to most solutes but has few mitochondria and little or no active reabsorption. The thick ascending limb of the loop of Henle reabsorbs about 25 percent of the filtered loads of sodium, chloride, and potassium, as well as large amounts of calcium, bicarbonate, and magnesium. This segment also secretes hydrogen ions into the tubular lumen.

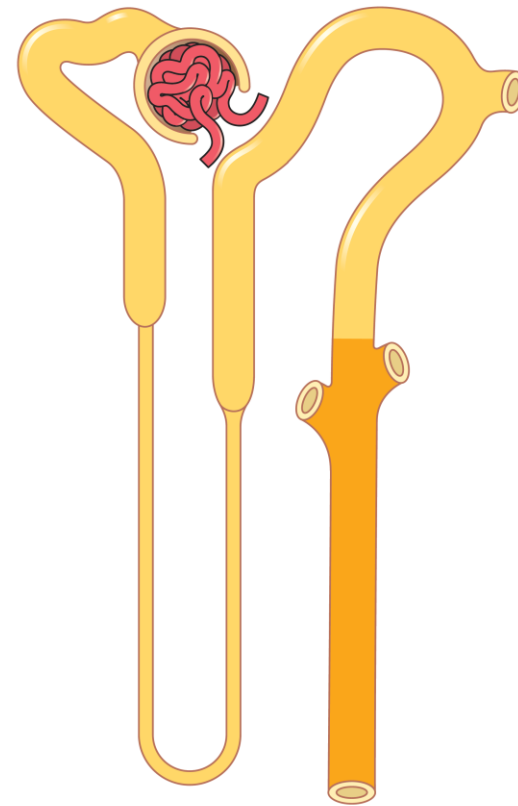
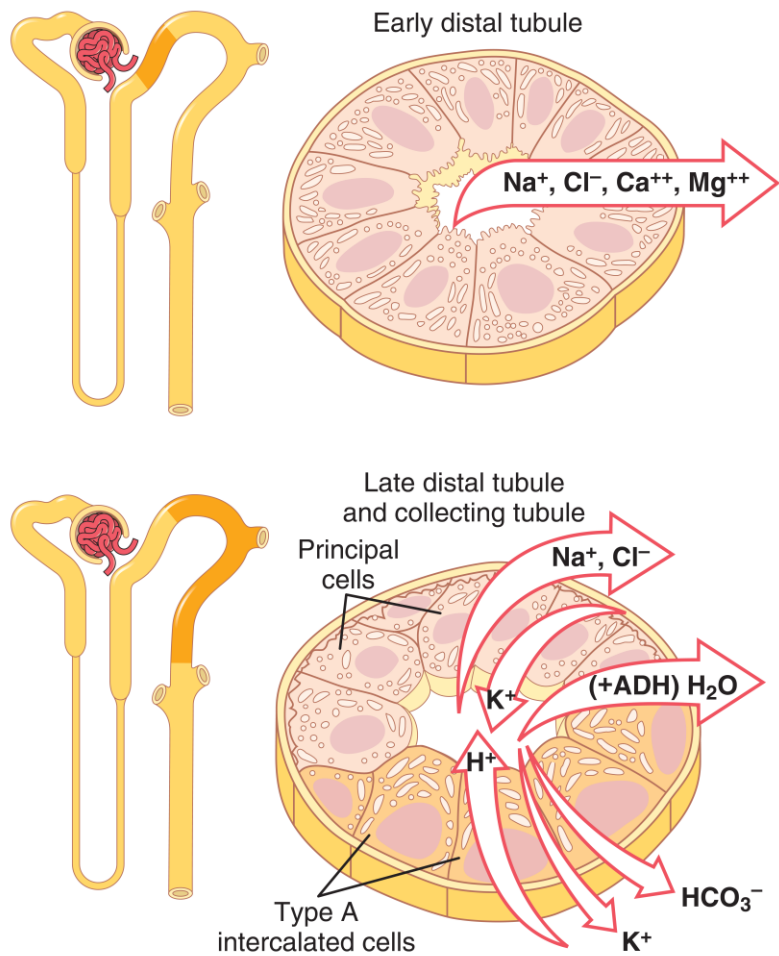


Figure 28-11. Cellular ultrastructure and transport characteristics of the early distal tubule and the late distal tubule and collecting tubule. The early distal tubule has many of the same characteristics as the thick ascending loop of Henle and reabsorbs sodium, chloride, calcium, and magnesium but is virtually impermeable to water and urea. The late distal tubules and cortical collecting tubules are composed of two distinct cell types, the *principal cells* and the *intercalated cells*. The principal cells reabsorb sodium from the lumen and secrete potassium ions into the lumen. Type A intercalated cells reabsorb potassium and bicarbonate ions from the lumen and secrete hydrogen ions into the lumen. The reabsorption of water from this tubular segment is controlled by the concentration of *antidiuretic hormone*.

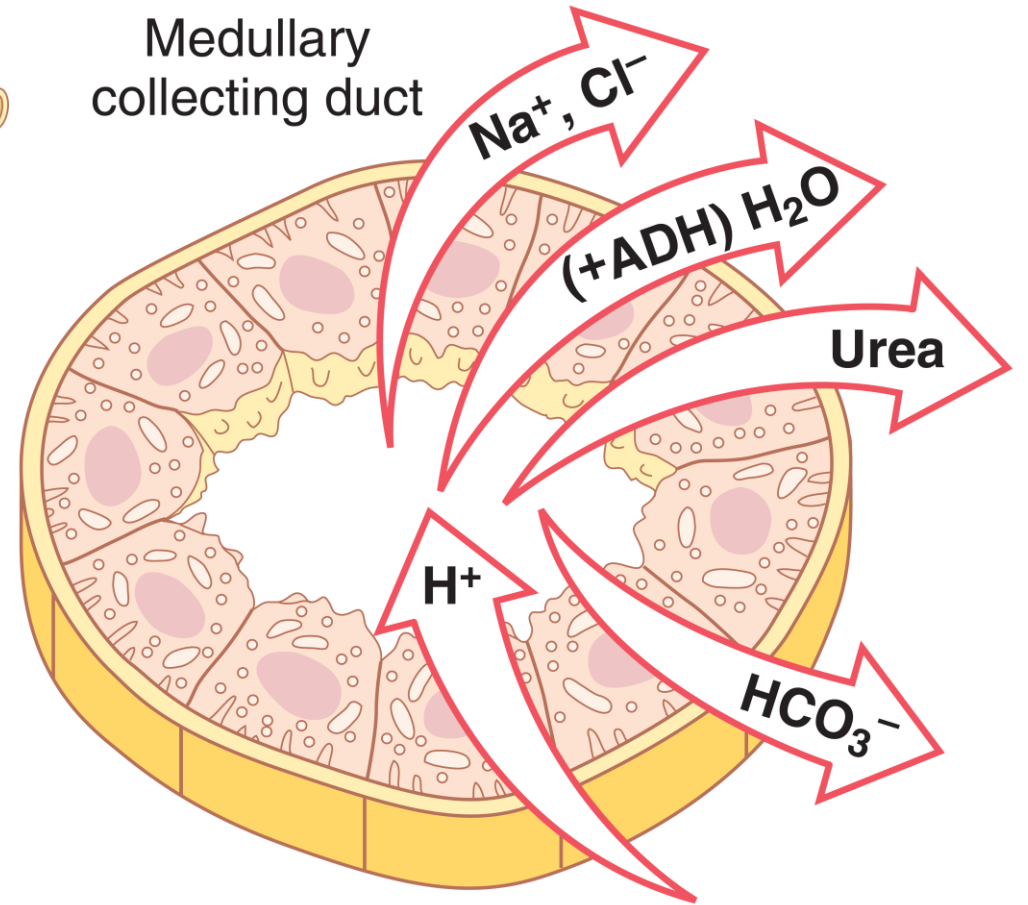


Figure 28-14. Cellular ultrastructure and transport characteristics of the medullary collecting duct. The medullary collecting ducts actively reabsorb sodium and secrete hydrogen ions and are permeable to urea, which is reabsorbed in these tubular segments. The reabsorption of water in medullary collecting ducts is controlled by the concentration of antidiuretic hormone.

Reabsorption and secretion along different tubular segments

1-Proximal convoluted tubules (PCT):

I-Reabsorption of:

A- 67 % of filtered sodium, water.

K and Calcium

Most of HCO_3^-

And slightly less load of filtered chloride.

B-All filtered glucose and amino – acids in early PCT.

C-In first half of PCT , Na^+ is reabsorped by CO transport with glucose and amino acids. In second half Na^+ is reabsorbed with CL ion because its concentration increases due to water Reabsorption. The tubular fluid remains iso –osmolar along the PCT.

II-Secretion of:

a-Organic acids and bases which result from metabolism

e.g bile salts and oxalates. b-Secretes catecholamines and some drugs e.g pencillin.

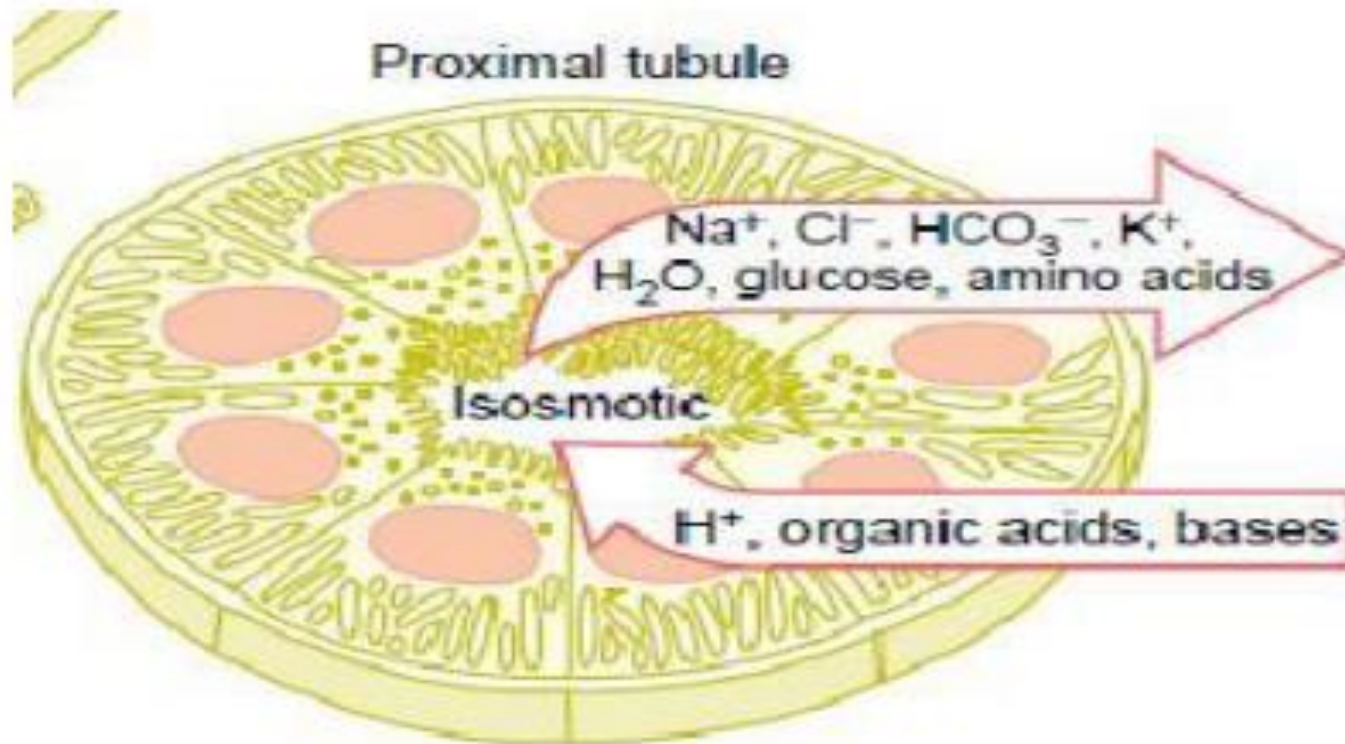


Figure (18): Transport characteristics of the proximal tubule.

2-The loop of Henle:

a-Thin descending segment.

- Formed of simple epithelial lining.
- Allow simple diffusion of H₂O and solutes.
- Highly permeable to H₂O but moderately permeable to solutes.
- 10 % of filtered water is reabsorbed in this part so osmolarity is too much increased by the end of this segment.
- The descending limb of loops of Henle receive isotonic fluid from the proximal convoluted tubules.
- Their walls are highly permeable to H₂O and less permeable to NaCl so water diffuses freely from tubular lumen outwards by the high osmolarity of medullary interstitium.
- **Net result:**

Tubular fluid become hypertonic and this hypertonicity increases gradually as it moves downward. Maximal hypertonicity occurs at its bend reaching in humans to about 1200-1400 milliosmols.

b-Thin ascending segment.

- Less absorptive capacity for solutes.
- Na^+ is absorbed passively after Cl^- Reabsorption.
- It is impermeable to water.

c-Thick ascending segment.

- It is thick epithelium with signs of activity.
- Reabsorption of:
 - 27 % of filtered Na^+
 - 20 % of filtered K^+
 - 27 % of filtered Ca^{+2}
- The luminal cell membrane contains $\text{Na}^+ - \text{K}^+ - 2 \text{Cl}^-$ transporter.
- It is impereable to water so osmolarity decreases due to Reabsorption of Na^+ and K^+ and Ca^{+2} to become hypotonic (having osmolarity of 100 – 200 milliosmoles) on reaching the distal convoluted tubules

3-The distal convoluted tubules:

It consists of

a-The early diluting segment.

Has the same characters as thick ascending limb of loop of Henle

b-Late distal tubule and cortical collecting tubule.

They have the same characters and contain two types of cells.

1-The principal cells.

Responsible for K^+ secretion

2-The intercalated cells.

Secretes H^+ and reabsorbs K^+ in case of K^+ depletion.

Characters of both segments

- 1-Reabsorbes sodium and secretes K^+ under influence of aldosterone hormone.
- 2-Secretes H^+ via primary active transport by H^+ pump ,that can transport H^+ against gradients up to 1000 folds.
- 3-Water Reabsorption under the influence of ADH.
- 4-Impermeable to urea.

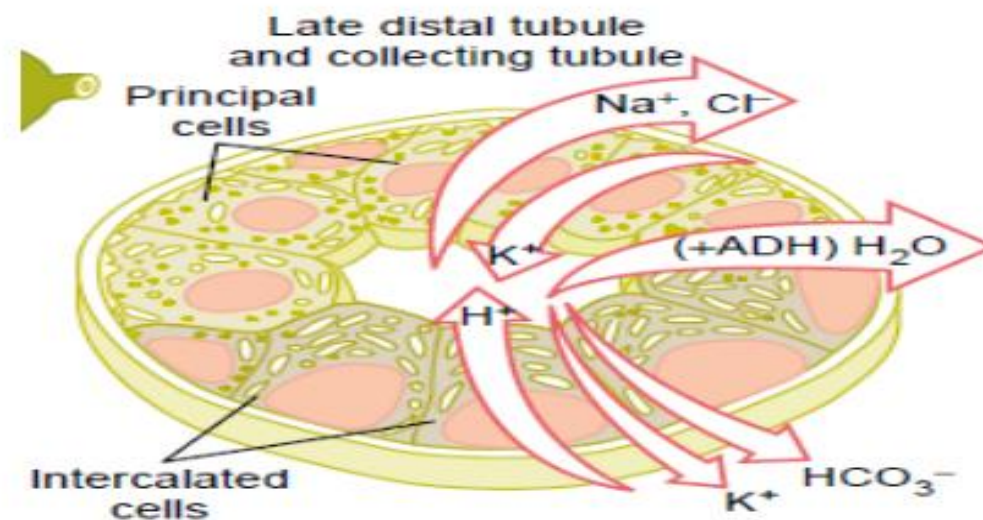


Figure (20): Transport characteristics of the late distal tubule and collecting tubule.

4-Medullary collecting duct.

It has the same characters as distal nephron except it is permeable to urea and ADH increases this permeability.

The transport via distal tubules differ from proximal tubule in the following.

A-Proximal tubules has a large capacity so reabsorb large quantities of salt and water, while distal tubules has a smaller capacity, it can reabsorb 9% of filtered sodium and 19 % of filtered water.

B- Na^+ and H_2O Reabsorption are closely coupled in proximal tubules because H_2O permeability is high ,while in the distal tubules as H_2O permeability is variable and low so Na^+ and H_2O Reabsorption may be uncoupled.



The ability of the kidney to dilute or concentrate urine

The mechanism:

In order to excrete concentrated urine, the kidney has to increase water Reabsorption by the collecting tubules.

This process needs 2 factors.

1-The action of ADH to open water intracellular channels.

2-High and stable osmotic gradient in the area surrounding the collecting tubules to maintain high rate of water movement according to osmotic gradient through opened channels.

This can be done only by a special mechanism in the renal medulla called Counter current mechanism.

Steps needed for creation of osmotic gradient.

1-Increaded solute load in the renal medulla by:

a-Active Na⁺ Reabsorption in the thick ascending limb of loop of Henle followed by passive movement of other solutes e.g CL⁻ and HCO₃.

b-Active Na⁺ Reabsorption by the collecting tubules.

c-Passive urea Reabsorption by the collecting tubules.(solvent drag*****)

2-Creation of Osmotic gradient by Counter current system.

Definition of counter current system: It is a system characterized by the presence of:

- U shaped tube with its 2 limbs close to each other.
- Continuous counter current stream.
- A source of energy.

All these characters are found in the loop of Henle as:

- ❑ It consists of U shaped tube with 2 limbs are close to each other.
- ❑ The tubular fluid flows in the 2 limbs in a counter current stream.
- ❑ The source of energy is the active $\text{Na}^+ - \text{K}^+$ pump of the thick ascending limb of loop of Henle.
- ❑ The loop of Henle acts as a counter current multiplier which multiply the tonicity of the medullary interstitium about 5 times (from 300m.osm/L at the outer medulla to 1400m.osm/L at the renal papilla).

To understand how the counter current can create an osmotic gradient we have to imagine that this process can occur in successive steps beginning from position Zero as follow:

❖ **Position Zero:**

We imaging that fluid entering and leaving loop of Henle is Iso-Osmotic with fluid flowing out of proximal tubule = 300 mOsm / L.

Steps:

Ascending limb:

is impermeable to water but permeable to solutes, thus its main function is removal of solutes.

Na Cl is transferred to medullary interstitium (M.I) passively in thin part and actively in the thick part.

As the ascending limb is impermeable to water, so tubular fluid inside the ascending limb is hypotonic to M.I (it's 200 m osm/ L less than M.I at any transverse level) so fluid leaving the ascending limb is hypotonic (100 m osm/L).

This results in:

1- Hypertonic medullary interstitium

in a longitudinal direction from 300 (outer medulla) – 1400 m osm/ L (inner medulla).

The tonicity is multiplied about 5 times.

2- Hypotonic fluid leaves medulla:

at any transverse level, the osmolarity is 200 m osm/L less than M.I.

Descending limb:

is impermeable to Na Cl but permeable to water thus its main function is water removal.

The hypertonic M.I produced by the ascending limb will absorb water from descending limb till the fluid in the descending limb becomes isotonic with M.I at any transverse level.

The end of descending limb at renal papilla is 1400 m osm/L.

Preservation of osmotic gradient

(the role of vasa recta as a counter current exchanger):

The preservation of osmotic gradient is very important because any osmotic gradient in the medullary tissue could be washed out by the medullary blood flow.

However the blood supply to the medulla (vasa recta) has some characters that help to maintain the solute load and prevent the washout of the osmotic gradient in the medullary tissue.

Vasa recta is a loop of peritubular capillaries, which run close to and parallel to the loop of Henle.

It is characterized by.

a-U shaped loop of capillaries.

b-Counter current blood flow.

c-High permeability to water and electrolytes.

d- Low blood flow (0.25 ml / gm tissue / min)

The role of vasa recta in the counter current mechanism is to exchange the NaCl and urea between its 2 limbs so as to keep them in the medullary interstitial fluid as follow:

- ❑ 1-In descending limb of vasa recta water flow out and NaCl flows inside due to increased osmolarity of medullary ISF as blood moves deep in the medulla.
- ❑ 2-In ascending limb ,and as osmolarity decreases gradually toward the cortex H₂O moves again to inside the ascending limb ,while NaCl and urea moves out in the medullary interstitium.

-The net result of the above 2 points osmolarity is kept constant in the medullary interstitium.

-The function of vasa recta as a counter current exchanger is to maintain renal medullary hyperosmolarity through:

- ❑ 1-Trapping of solutes (NaCl and urea) in renal medulla.
- ❑ 2-removing excess water from medullary interstitium **By:**

Walls of vasa recta are highly permeable so allowing passive diffusion of water and solutes

In their descending limbs: The solutes diffuse (Nacl and urea) from medullary interstitium into the vessel because its concentration is higher than blood so diffuses according to concentration gradient into vasa recta.

At the same time water diffuses out into medullary interstitium because Osmolarity of Medullary interstitium exceeds that of blood .

Net result:

Blood become gradually concentrated as it moves downward until an osmotic pressure of 1200 mOsm at the tip.

In ascending limb:

Solutes diffuse from blood into the medullary interstitium as osmolarity in the interstitium gradually decreases.

H₂O moves from interstitium to the blood again.

NaCl and urea move out of the ascending limb to the Medullary interstitium.

Net result:

The blood flows out of the medulla carries no solutes but only a small amount of excess water, which is absorbed by the renal tubules in the medulla, thus Osmolarity is kept constant in medullary interstitium.

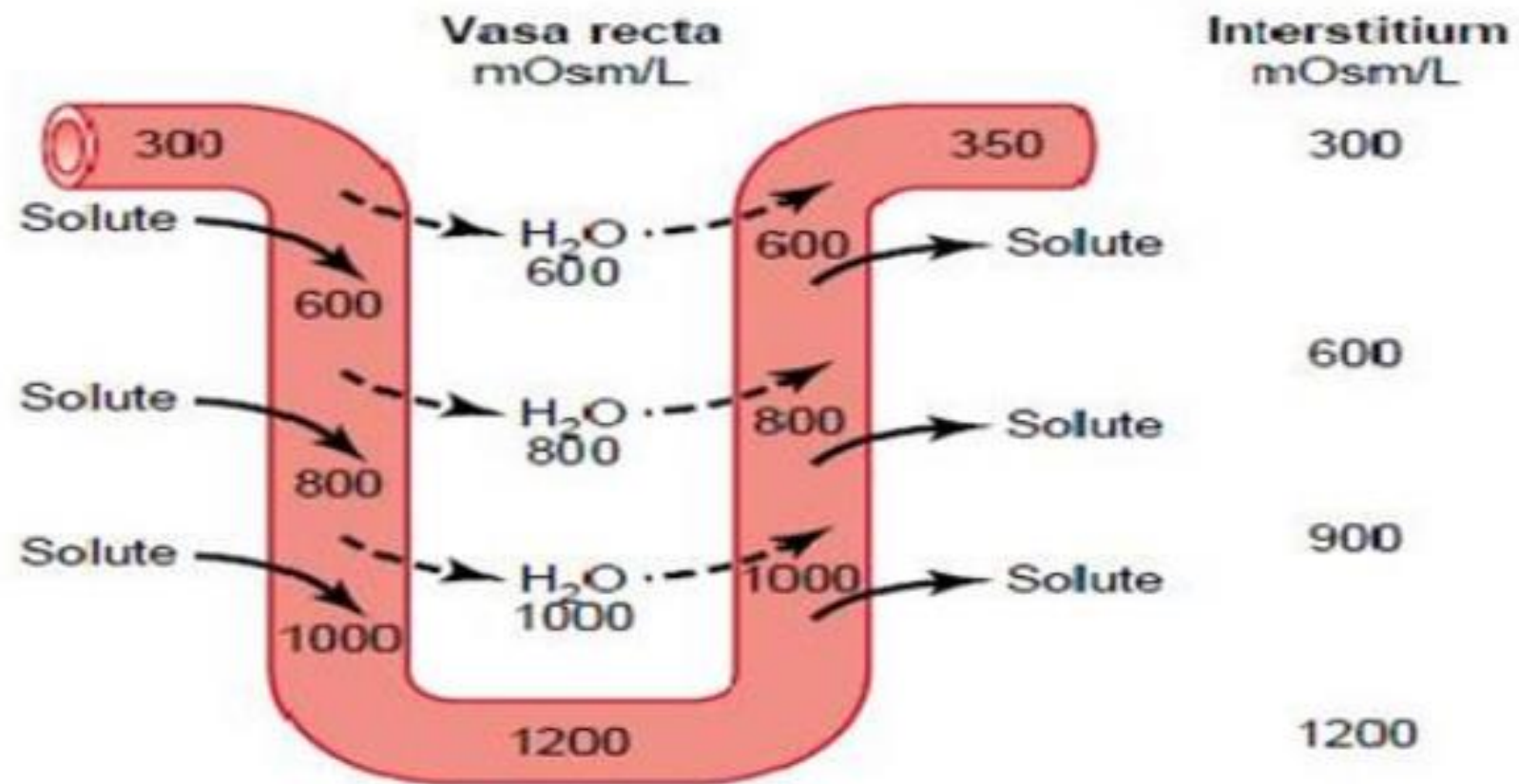


Figure (22): vasa recta as a counter current exchanger.

Role of urea in urine concentration

Urea plays an important role in the concentrating ability of the kidney.

It shares in 45-50% of osmolarity of M.I.

This can be explained by the following steps:

❖ **Step (1)**

Concentration of urea in the tubular fluid increases gradually as most renal tubules are impermeable to urea (ascending limb of L.H, DCT, cortical CD and outer medullary CD), while water and other solutes are absorbed in large amounts along renal tubules.

❖ Step (2)

Concentration of urea reach its maximum level in the late collecting duct (inner medullary collecting duct) which is highly permeable to urea in the presence of (ADH), so urea is passively reabsorbed according to concentration gradient.

❖ Step (3)

Absorption of urea in this segment adds much to the osmolarity of lower medulla, which in turn increases the rate of H₂O Reabsorption by descending limb of loop of Henle so increasing NaCl concentration in the tubular fluid that reach ascending limb. Urea diffuses from M.I. to the thin ascending limb and to the descending limb of L.H till reaches inner medullary collecting duct to be reabsorbed again by ADH which is known as **urea trapping** or **urea cycling**.

❖ Step (4)

When NaCl rich fluid reach the ascending limb which is permeable to NaCl, passive NaCl Reabsorption occurs increasing the solute load in the renal medulla.

Role of ADH in formation of concentrated urine

ADH plays a key role in urine concentration by:

- 1- Increase CD permeability to water along osmotic gradient of M.I.
- 2- Increase urea reabsorption passively from inner medullary CD.
- 3- V.C of the efferent arteriole which lead to:
 - a- increase osmolarity of M.I. by decrease washing out of solutes from it.
 - b- Increase the filtered load of Na^+ leading to increase Na^+ reaching to ascending limb of L.H. and more removal of Na^+ from ascending limb to M.I adding to the hypertonicity of M.I.



General functions of the kidney:-

❖ Homeostatic function:-

It is the most important function. The kidney plays the major role in homeostasis. The kidney regulates volume, ionic composition and H⁺ concentration of the plasma.

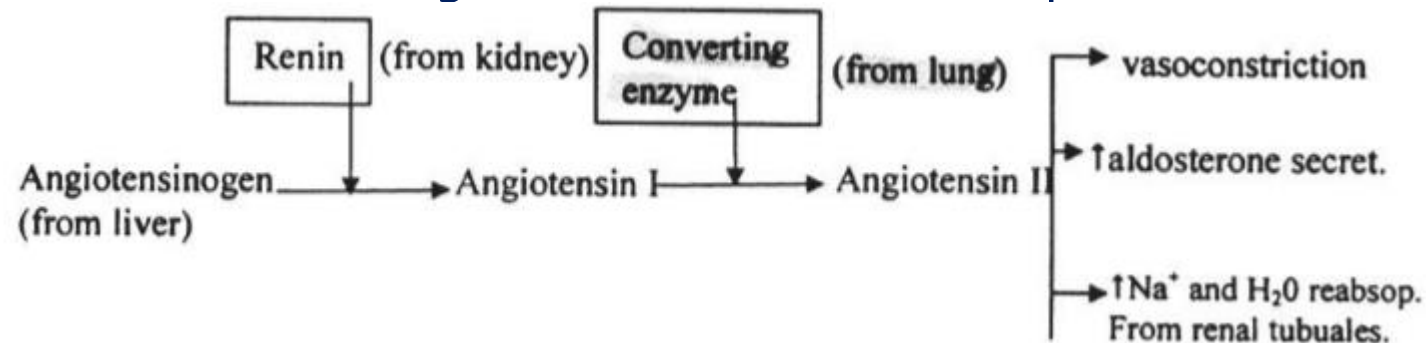
The kidney performs this important function through urine formation.

❖ Secretory function (endocrinal function):

it produces:-

1. Renin

- It is secreted from the JG cells.
- It has an important role in the regulation of arterial blood pressure.



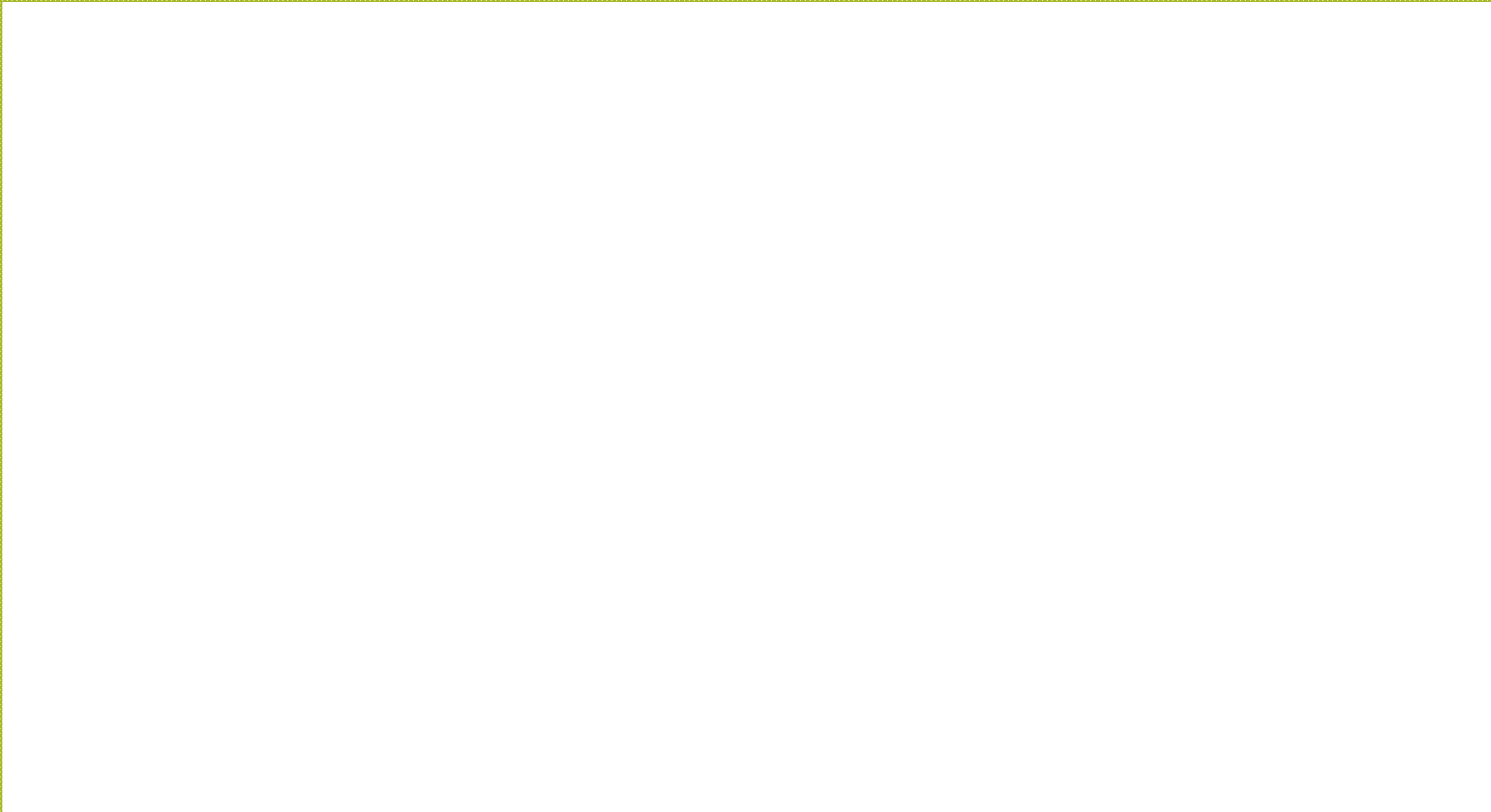
Factors that increase renin secretion:-

1. ↓ NaCl concentration in the tubular fluid >> stimulation of macula densa cells >> ↑ JG to secrete renin.
2. ↓ Blood pressure in the afferent arteriole >> ↑ JG cells to secrete renin (JG cells act as intra renal baroreceptors).
3. Sympathetic stimulation >> direct stimulation of JG cells

2 Erythropoietin:

It regulates RBCs production from bone marrow.

It is secreted in response to hypoxia.



Renal Handling of Sodium

Functions of sodium in the body are:

- 1.** Keeping volumes of both extracellular fluid & blood constant → maintains normal ABP.
- 2.** Formation of resting membrane potential, action potential & conduction of nerve impulse.
- 3.** Skeletal & smooth muscle contraction by releasing Ca^{++} from sarcoplasmic reticulum.
- 4.** Controlling release of many vital substances in body as renin & Aldosterone.
- 5.** Bone formation.

Na⁺ reabsorption

- Na⁺ reabsorption is associated with transport of many other substances as H₂O, H⁺, glucose, amino acids, Cl⁻, HCO₃⁻, and K⁺.

Renal handling of Na⁺:

1) Na⁺ reabsorption in PCT (70%).

- About 70% of Na⁺ load is reabsorbed in PCT.

❖ At the luminal border:

Na⁺ is transported from lumen to inside cells by facilitated diffusion under effect of:

1. Concentration gradient.

2. Electrical gradient (in lumen – 3 mv & inside cell – 70 mv).

- This is helped by large surface area of brush border of PCT & by presence of carriers.

❖ At baso-lateral border:

Na⁺ crosses to interstitium fluid by active pump against its electrochemical gradient by Na⁺- K⁺ ATPase activity (for each 3 Na⁺ pumped out only 2K⁺ ions are carried in).

- After entering the cell K⁺ ions diffuses back again to the interstitium helped by concentration gradient & high permeability of cell membrane → maintain the intracellular negativity in relation to luminal fluid → ↑ Na⁺ entry to the cell (help the facilitated diffusion).

This reabsorption result in:

1- Reabsorption of 70% of water

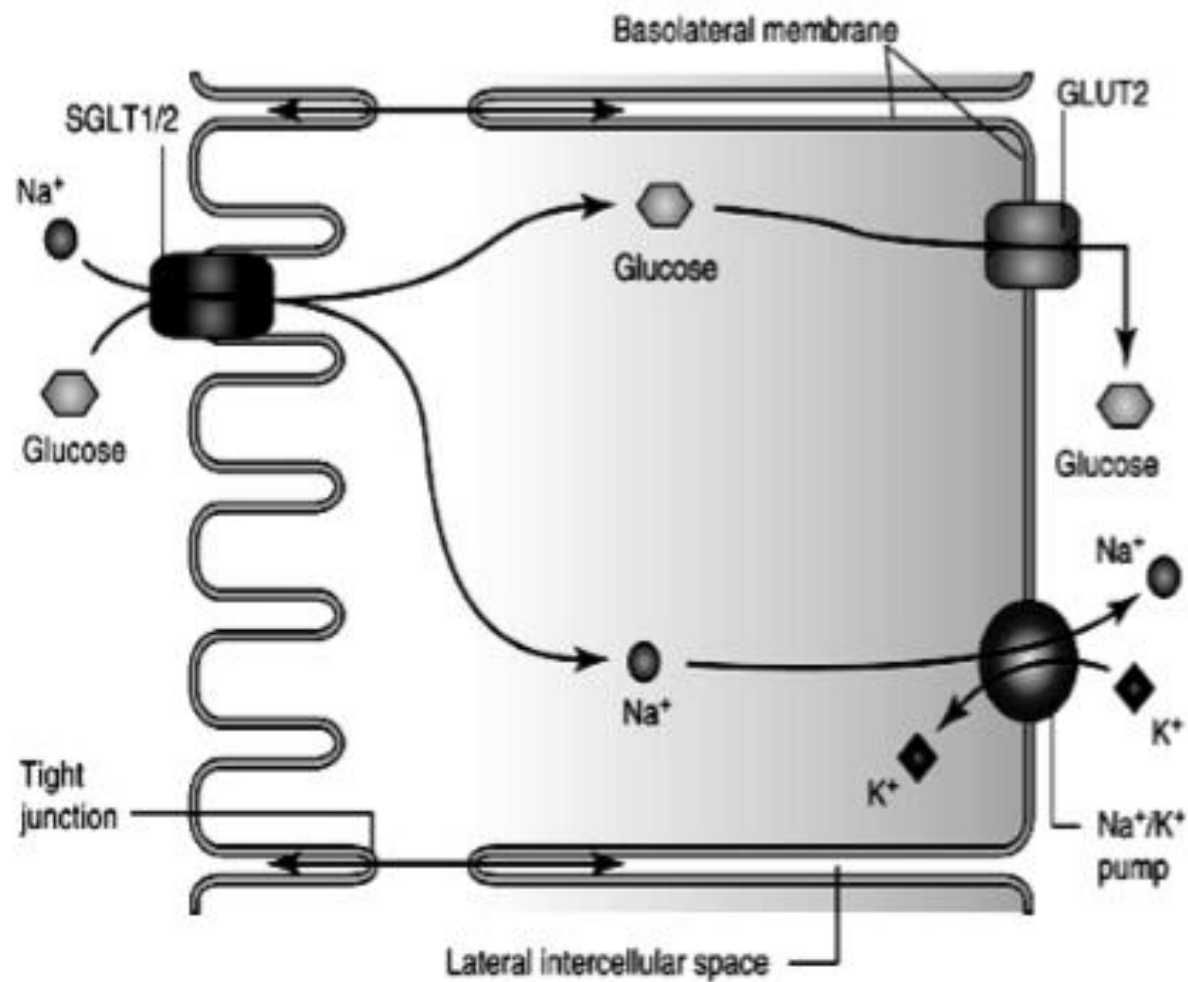
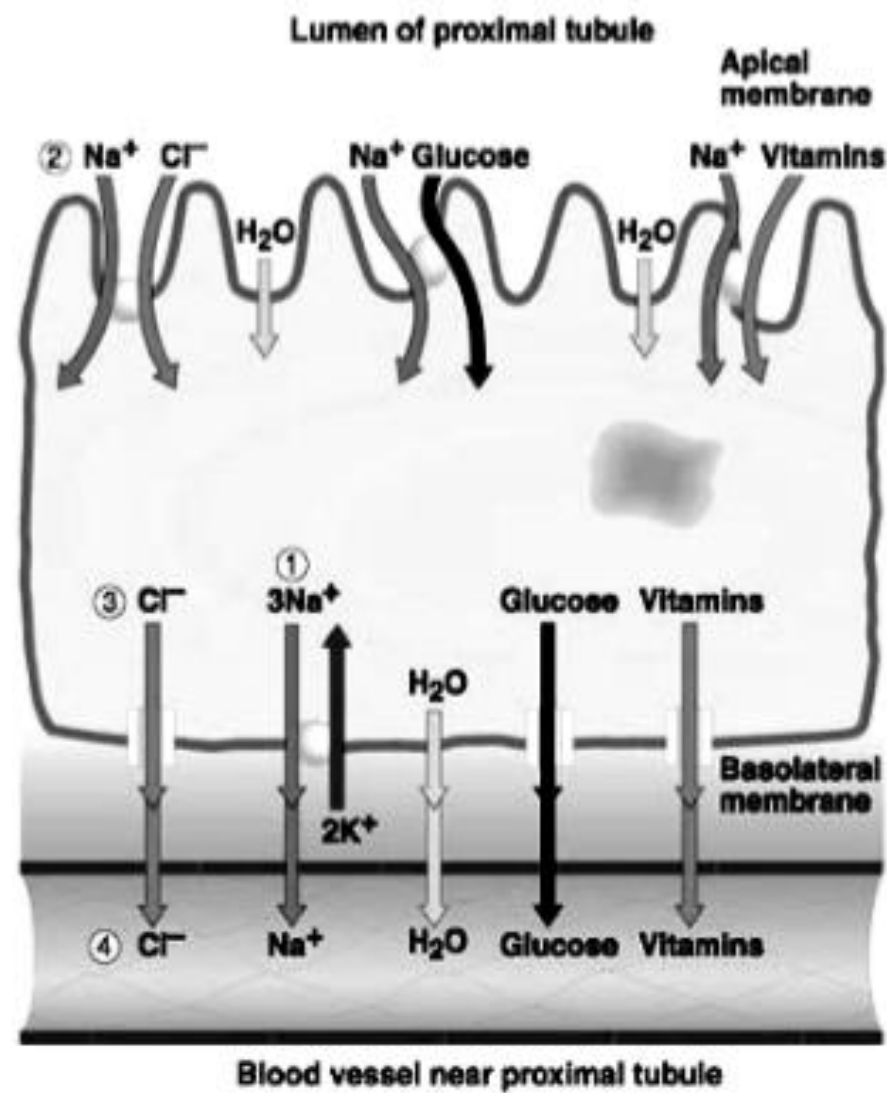
“obligatory water reabsorption” because of the high osmolality created by Na⁺ reabsorption.

2- Active co-transport transport

of glucose, amino acids, HCO₃⁻ & other organic acids (these substance are carried by same carrier of Na⁺).

3- Passive diffusion

of Cl⁻ (in 2nd half of PCT due to ↑Cl⁻ concentration).



Na^+ reabsorption in PCT

2) Na⁺ reabsorption in the loop of Henle (20%)

➤ Thin descending part:

The only part in the nephron in which Na⁺ is not reabsorbed (also this part is freely permeable to H₂O → hypertonic tubular fluid).

➤ Thin ascending part:

passive reabsorption of Na⁺.

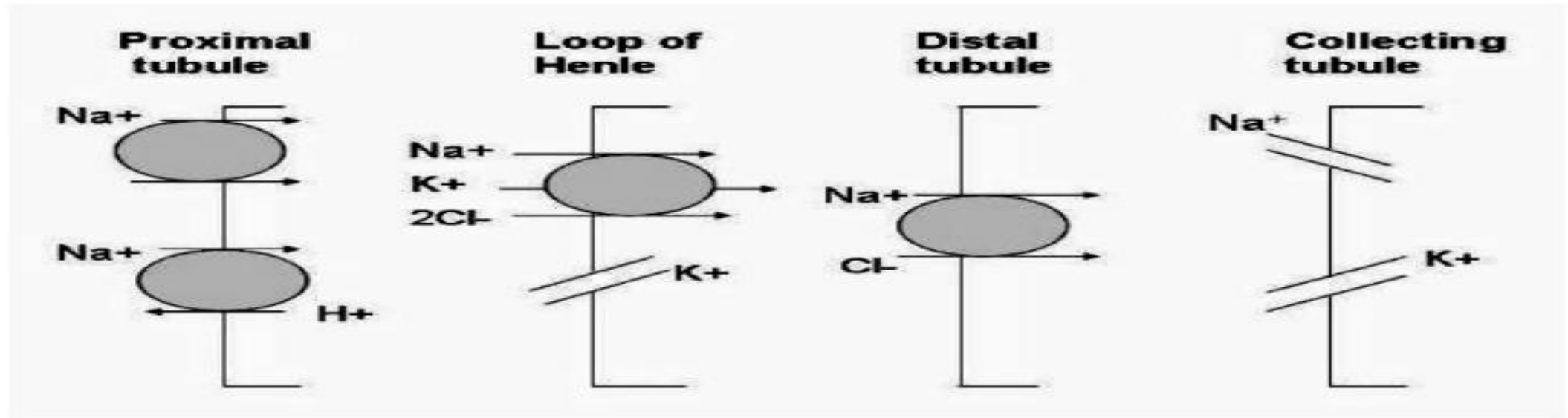
➤ Thick ascending part:

active reabsorption of 20% of Na⁺ by co-transport protein carrier (1Na⁺, 2 Cl⁻ & 1K⁺) mechanism

(also this part is poorly permeable to water → fluid leaving this thick part is hypotonic).

3) Na^+ reabsorption in the distal convoluting & collecting tubules (10%)

- 10% of Na^+ is actively reabsorbed, in exchange with H^+ or K^+ by the help of Aldosterone hormone.
- NB: Na^+ reabsorption is active along the nephron except in thin ascending part of loop of Henle.



Na^+ reabsorption in renal tubules

Factors controlling Na⁺ reabsorption:

The amount of Na⁺ excreted per day may be as low as 1mEq/day to as high as 400mEq/day.

The factors controlling are:

1- Amount of NaCl intake per day: increase intake → increase Na⁺ reabsorption & excretion (& vice versa).

2- Hormonal factors:

- ❑ Aldosterone: Acts mainly on principal cells of DCT & collecting ducts → increase Na⁺ reabsorption in exchange with K⁺ & H⁺.
- ❑ Glucocorticoids : -Weak Aldosterone like action on sodium reabsorption → Na⁺ & water retention & decrease Na⁺ excretion in urine.
- ❑ Sex hormones (estrogens): Salt retention effect, so contraceptive pills that contain oestrogen → oedema in prolonged use.
- ❑ PGE₂: Increase Na⁺ excretion in urine (naturesis)
 - This by inhibiting Na⁺ K⁺, ATPase & by increase intracellular Ca⁺⁺, which inhibit Na⁺ transport across the channels.
 - Endothelins causes naturesis by increasing PGE₂.
- ❑ Atrial natriuretic peptide (ANP): Decrease Na⁺ reabsorption & increase excretion

3- Glomerulo-tubular balance:

- Increase GFR → increase tubular load of any substance → increase its reabsorption to prevent overloading of the distal tubules with these solutes.

4- Effect of ABP:

- Increase ABP above 180mmHg → increase Na⁺ excretion & urine output “pressure diuresis”.

5- Diuretics:

- ✓ Osmotic diuretics as mannitol → Decrease Na⁺ reabsorption from PCT
- ✓ Loop diuretics (Lasix) → Decrease Na⁺ reabsorption from Henle's loop
- ✓ Aldactone → Decrease Aldosterone → Decrease Na⁺ reabsorption from DCT.

Events that occur inside PCT

- 1- 70% of Na⁺ load is reabsorbed.
- 2- 70% of water load is reabsorbed = obligatory water reabsorption .
- 3- Co-transport of K⁺, glucose, amino acids & other organic acids at the 1st half of PCT.
- 4- Absorption of Cl⁻ & secretion of H⁺ ions in the 2nd half of PCT.
- 5- Reabsorption & synthesis of NaHCO₃
- 6- Remaining tubular fluid is isotonic (300mosmol) but slightly acidic (pH<7.35).

Counter current system

↔ اتجاه مرور الدم يكون عكس اتجاه مرور السائل

↔ السائل في الـ Descending ~~is~~ يكون ~~في~~ نازل
Limb

ب نفس الوقت الدم في الـ vasa recta
يكون طالع

recta

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A) PCT

1) Sodium passes: via

• From lumen \rightarrow tubular cell \Rightarrow passive transport

2) A.A + glucose

From lumen \rightarrow tubular cell via \Rightarrow secondary active transport

\rightarrow without sodium in filtrate, no glucose no A.A

67% Na, Ca, Chlorid + bicarbonate + glucose + A.A

sto cupitol zlo cupitol to 5% *

* the fluid in PCT is isosmotic

► Subject :

Descending limb of Loop of Henle

Fluid in Descending limb of Loop of Henle is Hyperosmolar

~~Fluid in ascending limb is~~

• counter current multiplier

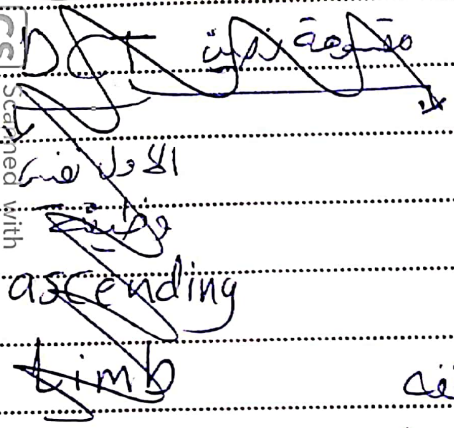
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~~multiplier~~

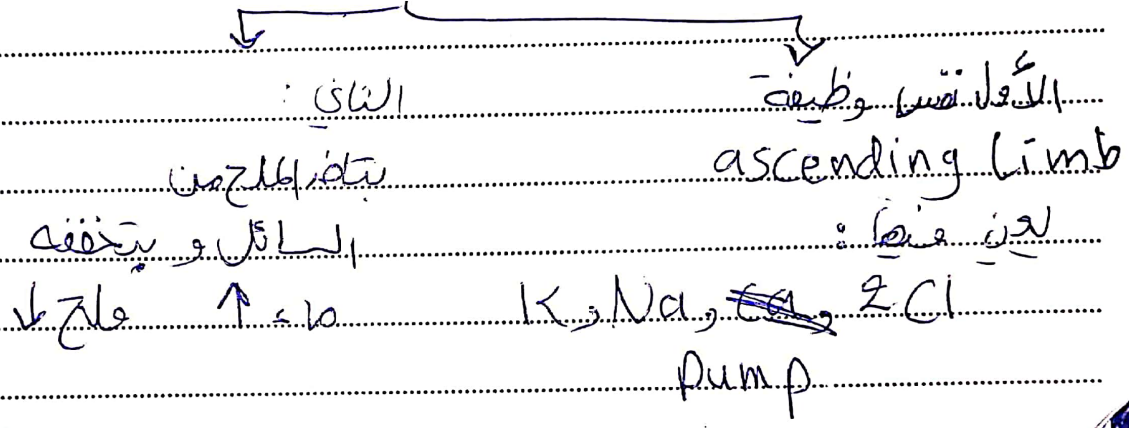
→ multiplier : osmolarity \uparrow ←

* increase gradually in descending limb

* Decrease gradually in ascending limb



DCT متسوية زئبق



السائل يخرج من Loop of Henle : isotonic تقريباً

S T A R S N O T E B O O K

ADH: الماء يتركز في الكلى

Concentrated urine

↳ DCT + Medullary collecting duct (في الكلى)

الماء يتركز في الكلى

Aquaporins قنوات الماء

↓
water

↳ pores that the water cross ^{through} ~~through~~ them.

Special type of simple diffusion:

Solvent drag → السحب المذيب

Medullary collecting duct is permeable to uric acid.
reabsorption of uric acid إعادة امتصاص حمض اليوريك

Hanging = السحب المذيب uric acid

hanging in Medullary interstitial
thin ascending limb of loop of Henle
تُجرى في الساق الصاعدة الرفيعة من حلقة هنلي
تُجرى في الساق الصاعدة الرفيعة من حلقة هنلي
active secretion
فيلترات

الفرق بين
Difference between water reabsorption in:

1) PCT :

التي هي مرتبطة بالجلع

H₂O reabsorption is coupled with Na reabsorption
(obligatory water reabsorption with Na)

2) DCT : under effect of ADH

→ Facultative : $\frac{H_2O}{Na}$

→ if ADH is secreted : concentrated urine + H₂O reabsorb

↳ no secretion : diluted urine



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المريض الذي لا يخرج ADH بمفرده :

Diabetes insipidus السكرى الكاذب

لوما في ADH ← لا يتم إنتاج Aquaporin 1
← يؤدي إلى إنتاج : very diluting urine

~~العلاقة~~
العلاقة بين الكلى في Loop of Henle والم

counter current : vasa recta

: كثيف concentrated جاء في الكلى
urine

1) counter current multiplier: (Loop of Henle حلق)

2) counter current exchanger: (Vasa recta)

3) Urea cycle: all of segments of nephron is impermeable to urea except Medullary CD

Medullary ج Hanging قيلولة urea ج
interstitial

actively secreted in: ج
Loop of Henle

4) ADH: leading to aquaporine 1, which urea + H₂O
~~is~~ enters through it