

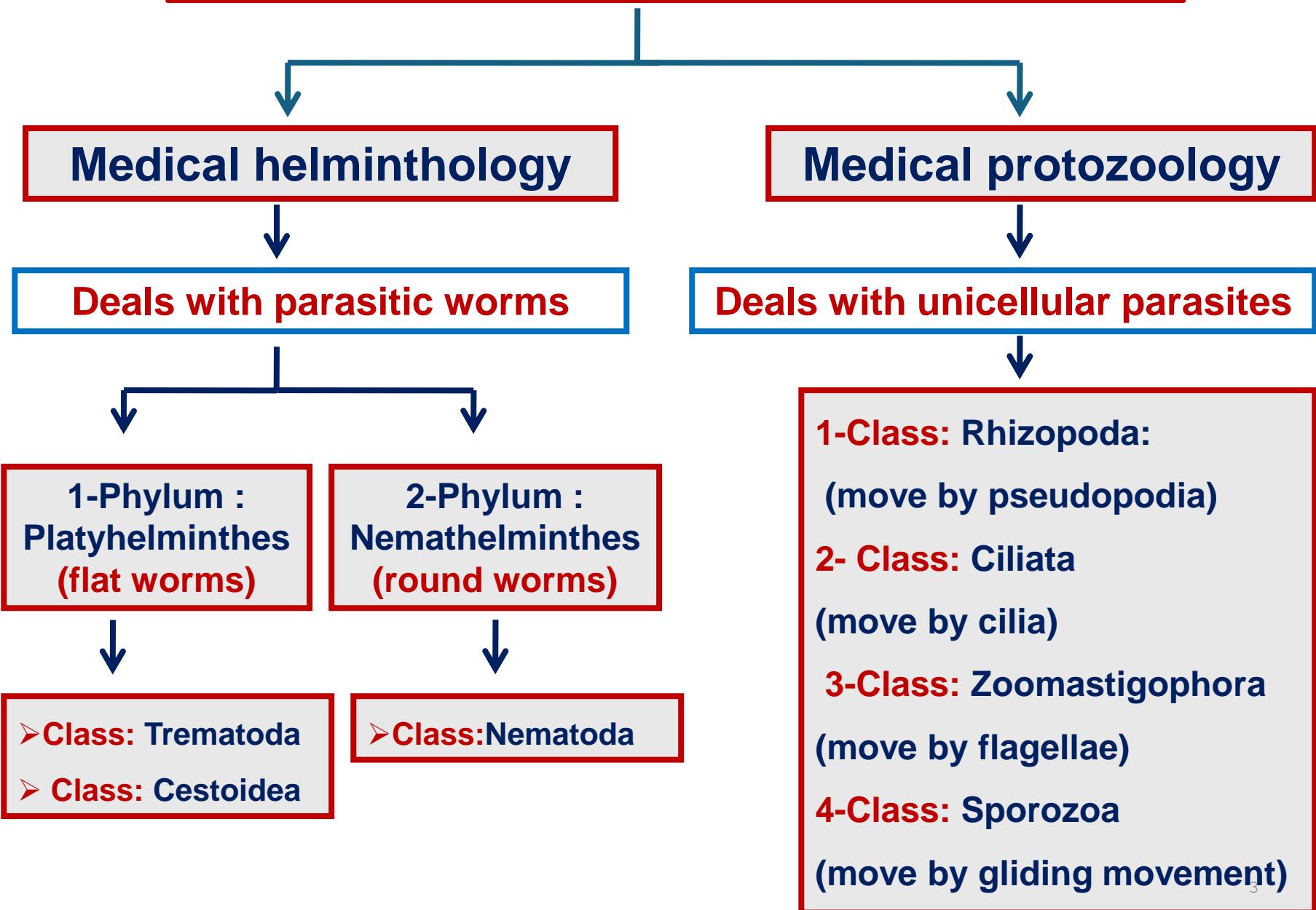
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Parasites 1

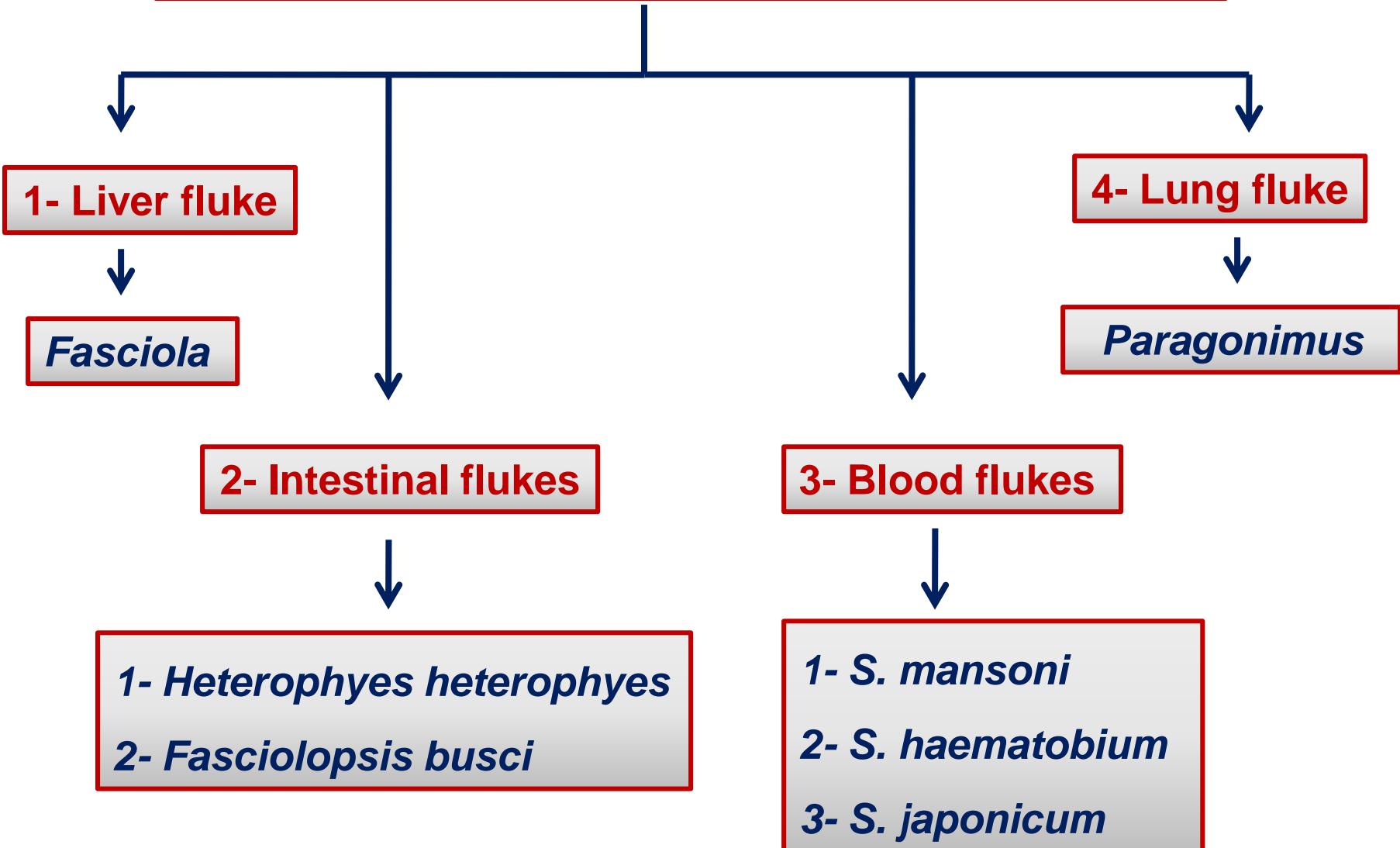
Platyhelminthes

Trematodes

Medical parasitology is classified into



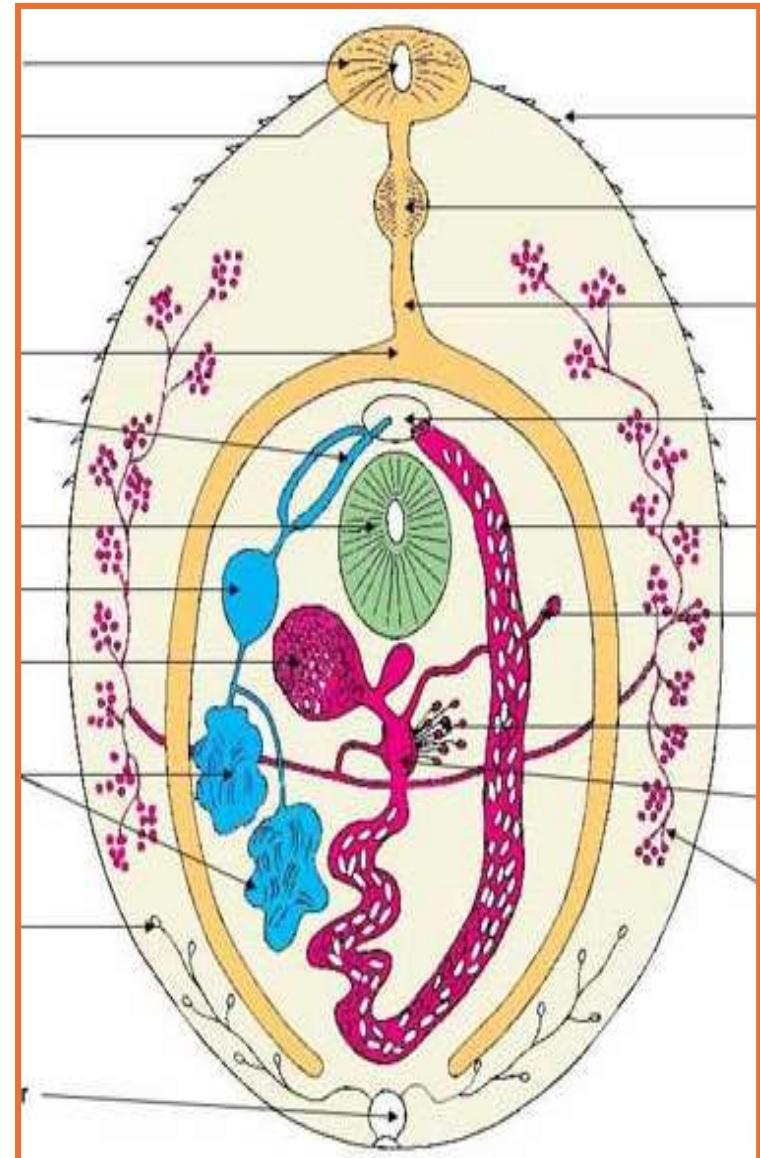
Class Trematoda (flukes) are classified into



Class : Trematoda (Flukes)

❖General characters:

- Flattened, leaf-like except female of *Schistosoma*.
- Hermaphrodite.
- Bilaterally symmetrical.
- Has no body cavity.
- Variable in size. Large (*Fasciola*), very small (*Heterophyes*).
- Covered with cuticle(smooth, é spine or tubercle).
- Organs of fixation:
 - Oral sucker → anterior.
 - Ventral sucker → Larger on the ventral surface.
 - Genital sucker (present in some species).



Digestive system

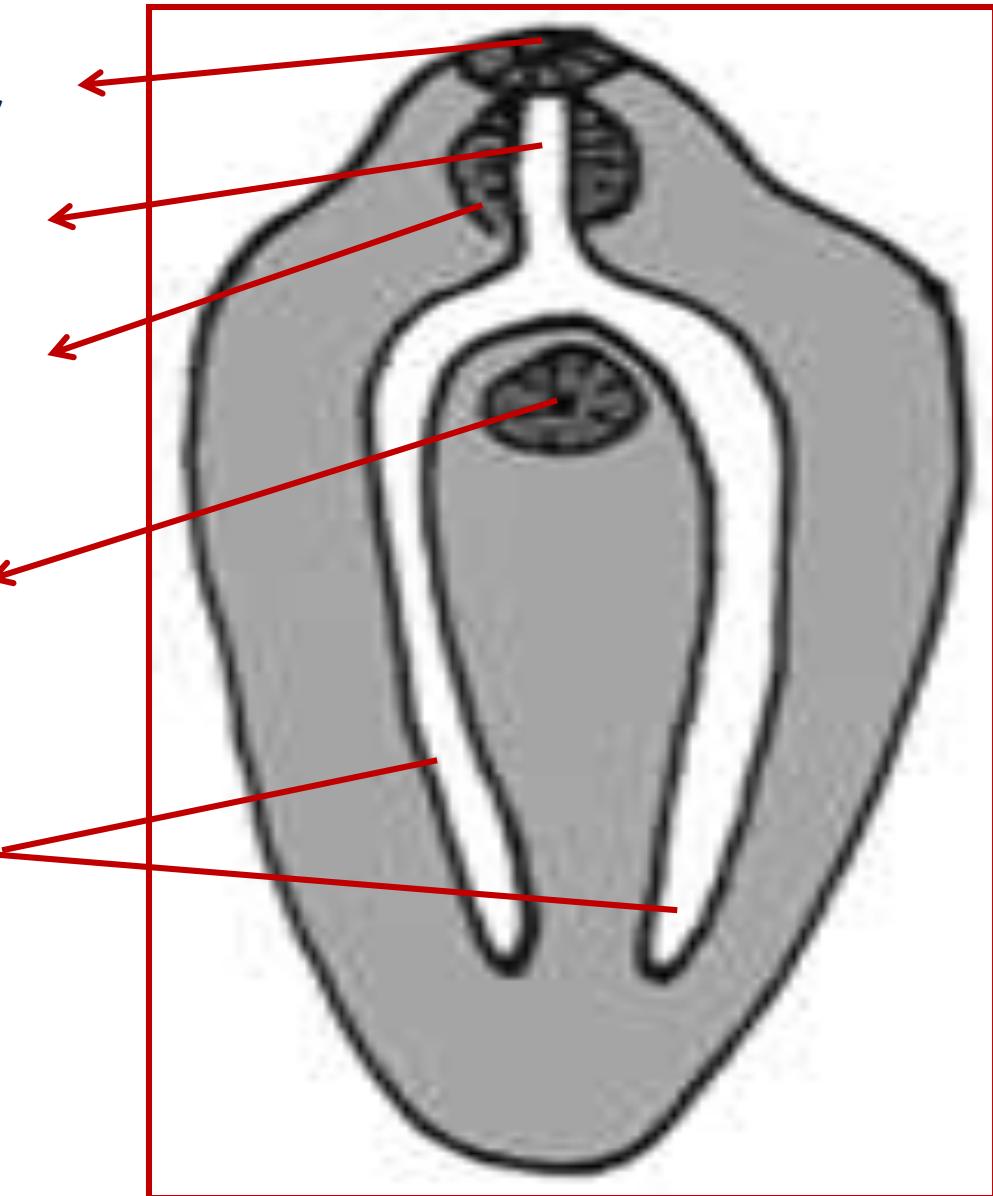
Mouth surrounded by oral sucker

Short oesophagus

Muscular pharynx
(absent in *Schistosoma*)

Ventral sucker

2 intestinal caeca end blindly
may be simple or branched



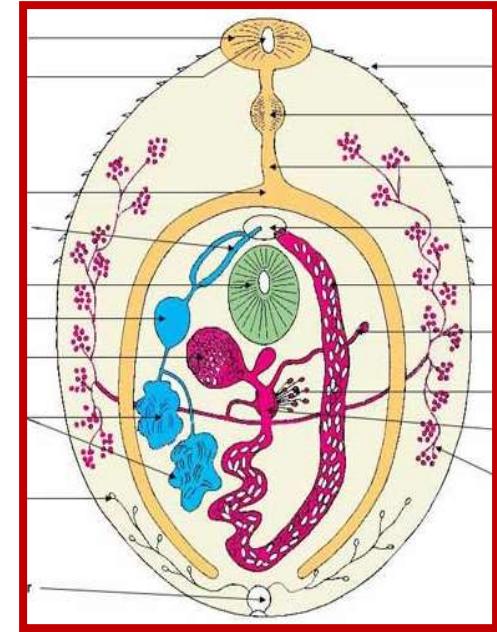
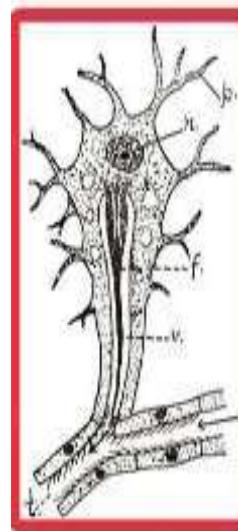
❖ **Excretory system:**

Bilaterally symmetrical

flame cells → collecting tubules

which collect fluid → bladder

→ excretory pore posteriorly.



❖ **Nervous system:** The nerve ganglia present around the pharynx and send nerve fibers to different body structures.

❖ **They do not have circulatory or respiratory systems.**

Genital system

All trematods are hermaphrodite except *Schistosoma*

Male G.System

Cirrus sac
opens anterior in CGP

Seminal vesicle

Vas deferens

2 testes
vasa efferentia

Female G.System

Vitelline glands
in both sides
opens in ootype

Vagina opens
posterior in CGP

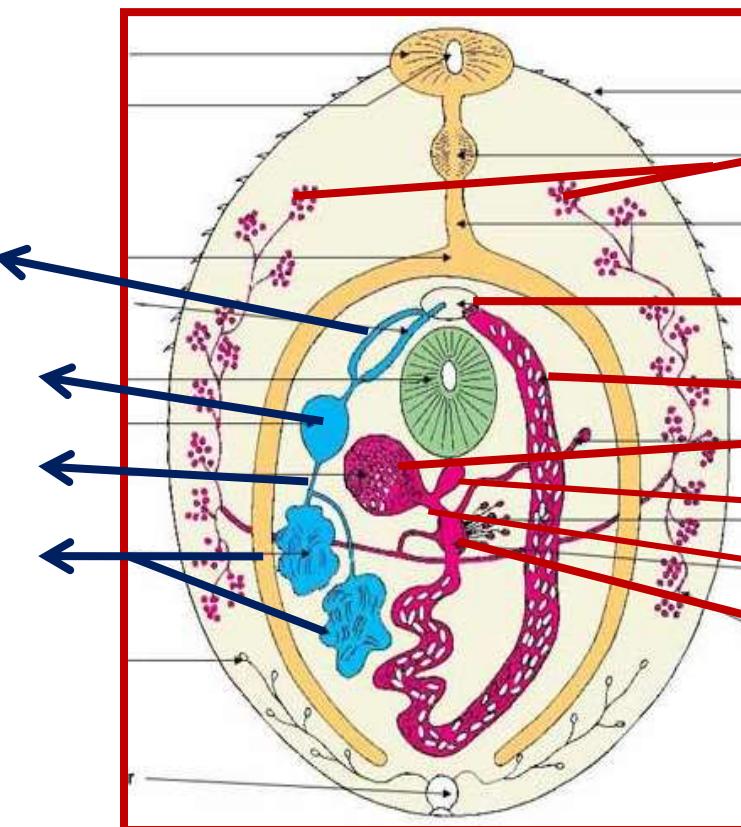
Uterus

Ovary

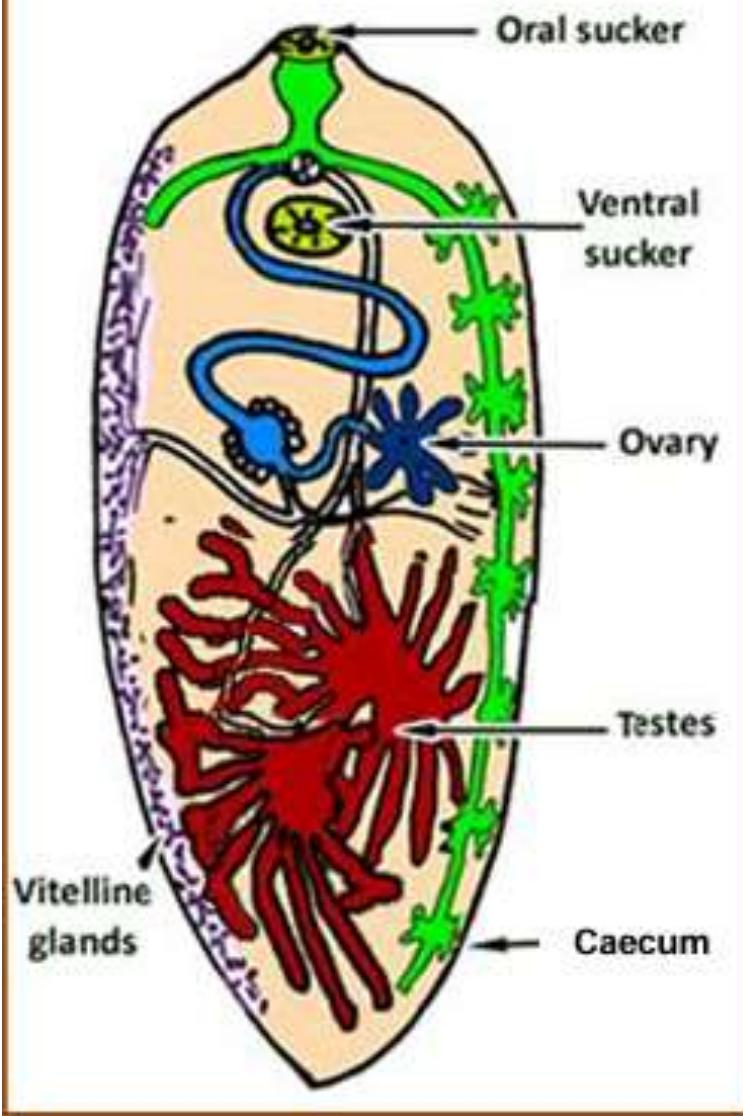
 Seminal receptacle

Short oviduct

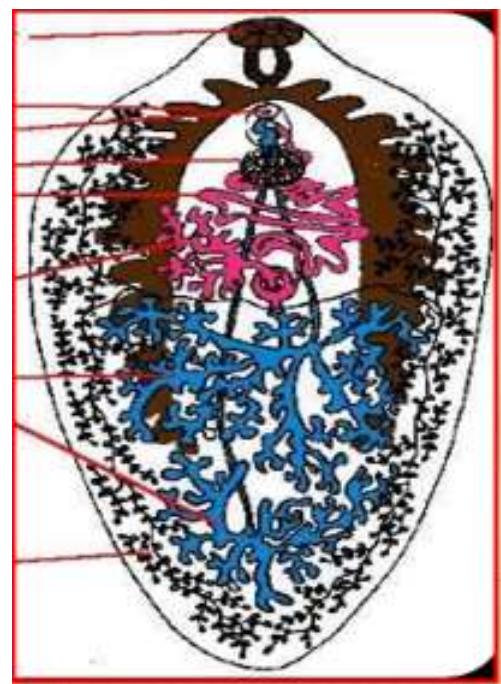
Ootype
surrounded by
shell gland



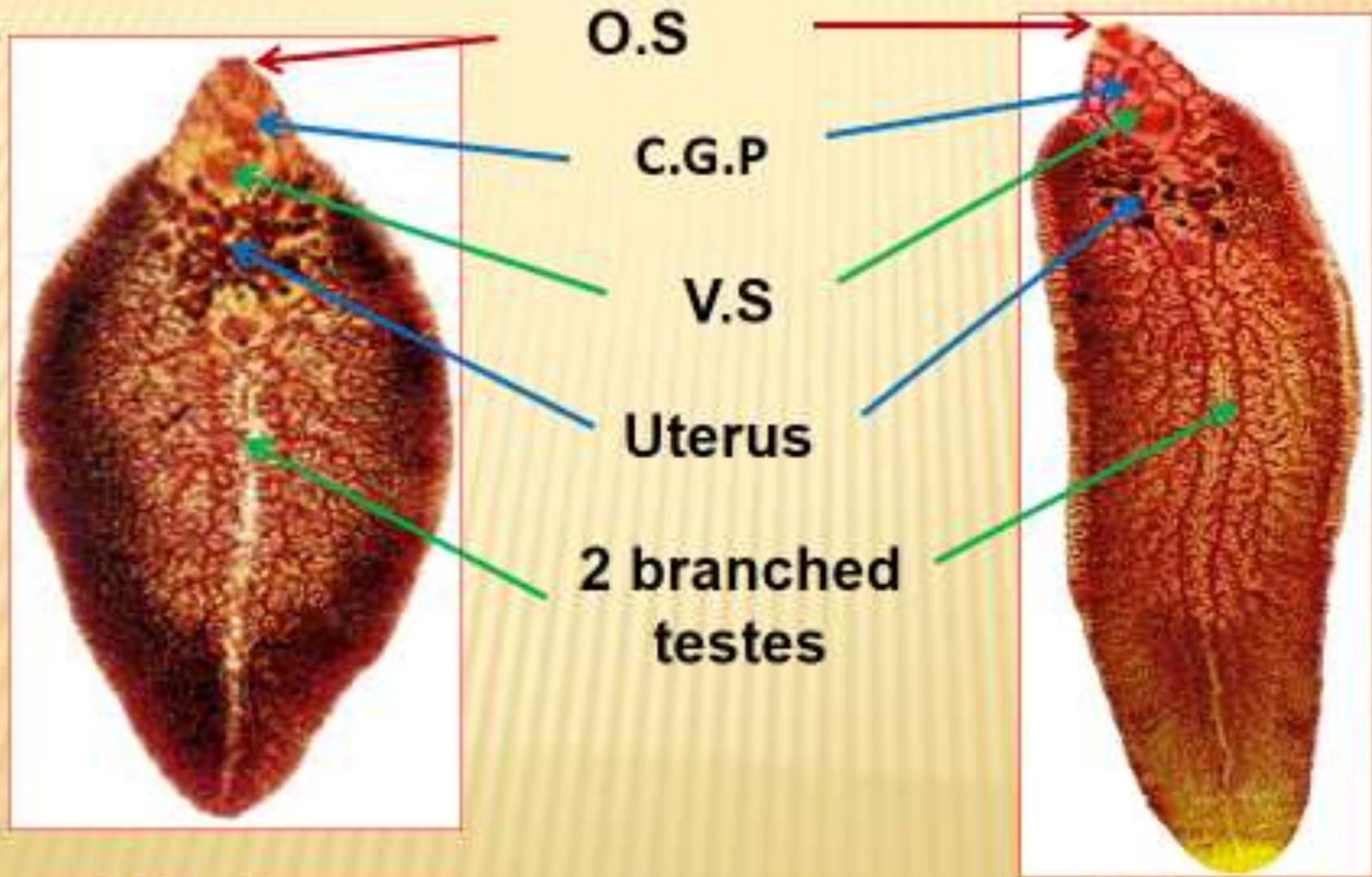
Fasciola gigantica



Fasciola hepatica



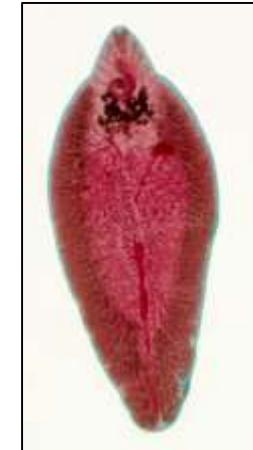
Fasciola adult



F. hepatica

F. gigantica

	<i>Fasciola gigantica</i>	<i>Fasciola hepatica</i>
Geographical distribution:	Egypt, West Africa	Egypt, Europe, Asia, Africa
Size:	Larger 60×15 mm	Smaller 30×12 mm
Shape:	Oblong	Triangular
Suckers:	Oral one is smaller	Equal
Caeca:	Medial T or Y branches	Simple medial branches
Snail intermediate host:	<i>Lymnaea cailliaudi</i>	<i>Lymnaea truncatula</i>



Fasciola egg (D.S)

- **Size** : 140 x 70 µm.
- **Shape** : Oval.
- **Shell** : Thin operculated.
- **Color** : Yellowish brown.
- **Content** : Immature
(ovum & yolk cells).



Lymnaea cailliaudi snail

I.H of *Fasciola gigantica*

Inside the snail :

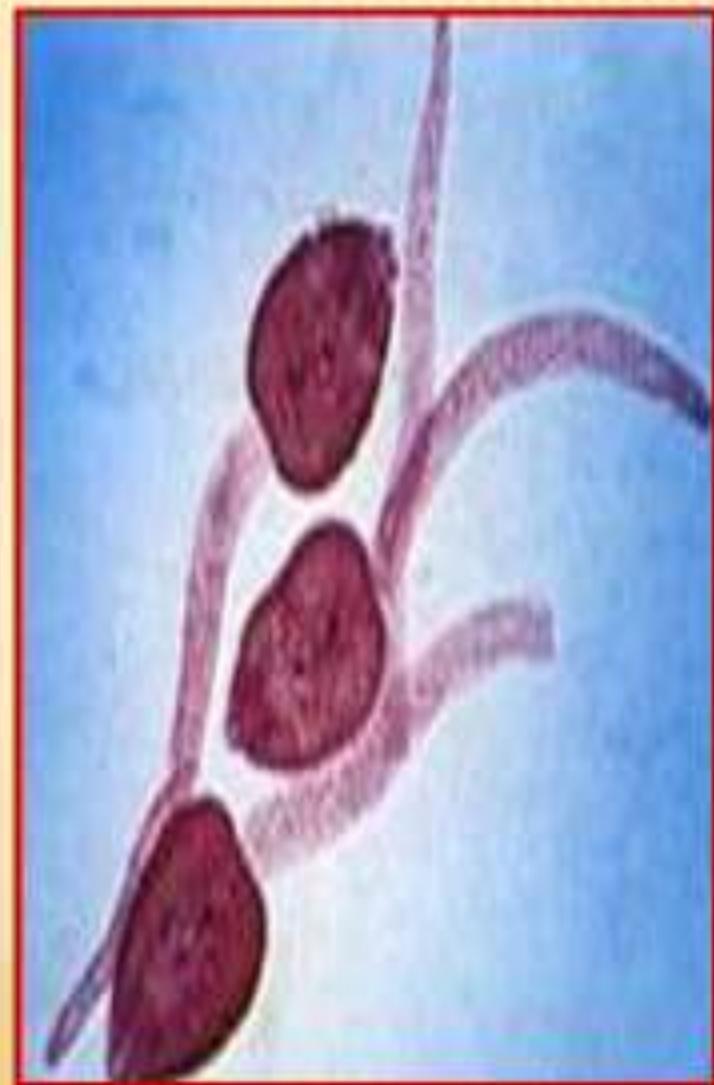
Miracidium → Sporocyst

→ Redia → Cercaria



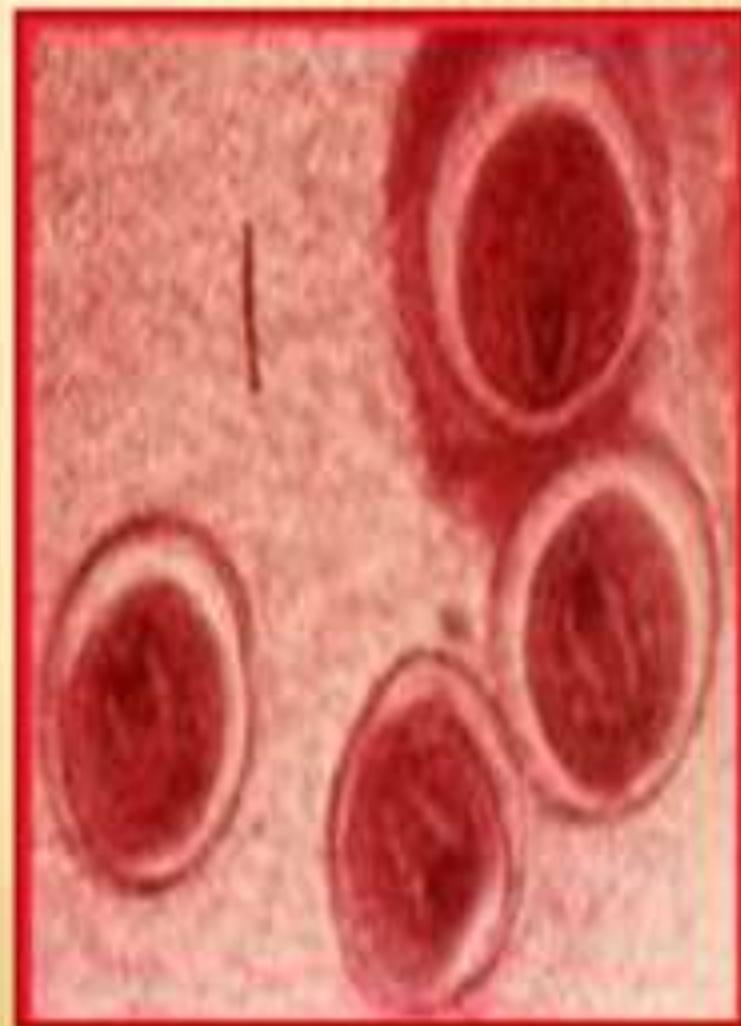
cercaria of *Fasciola* & *Fasciolopsis*

- Formed of body and tail.
- Body with oral and ventral suckers, simple intestinal caeca.
- Tail : Simple (leptocercous cercaria).

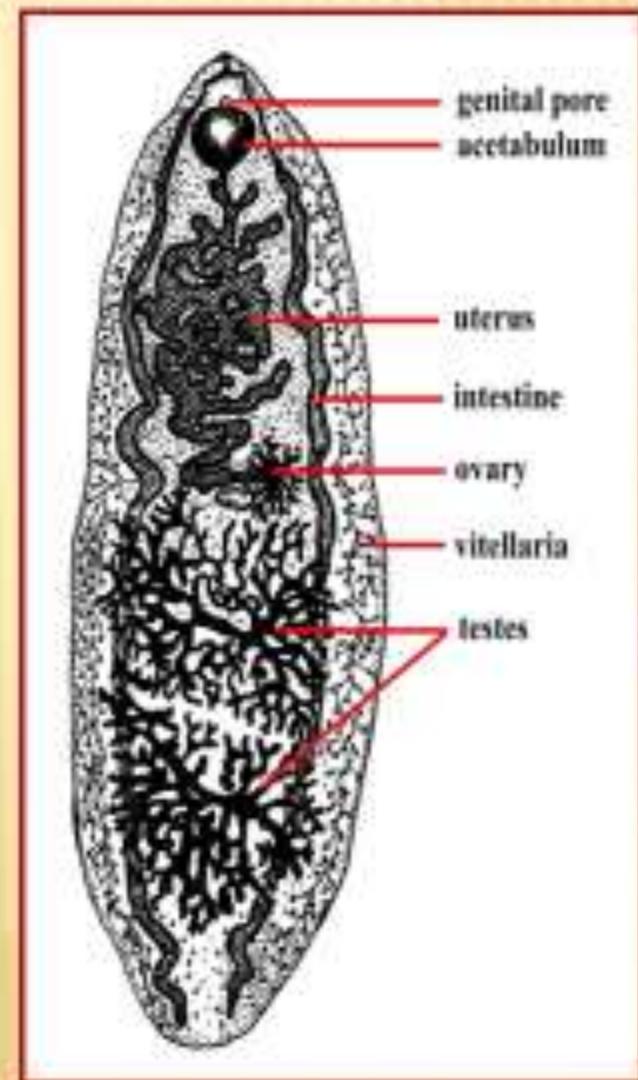
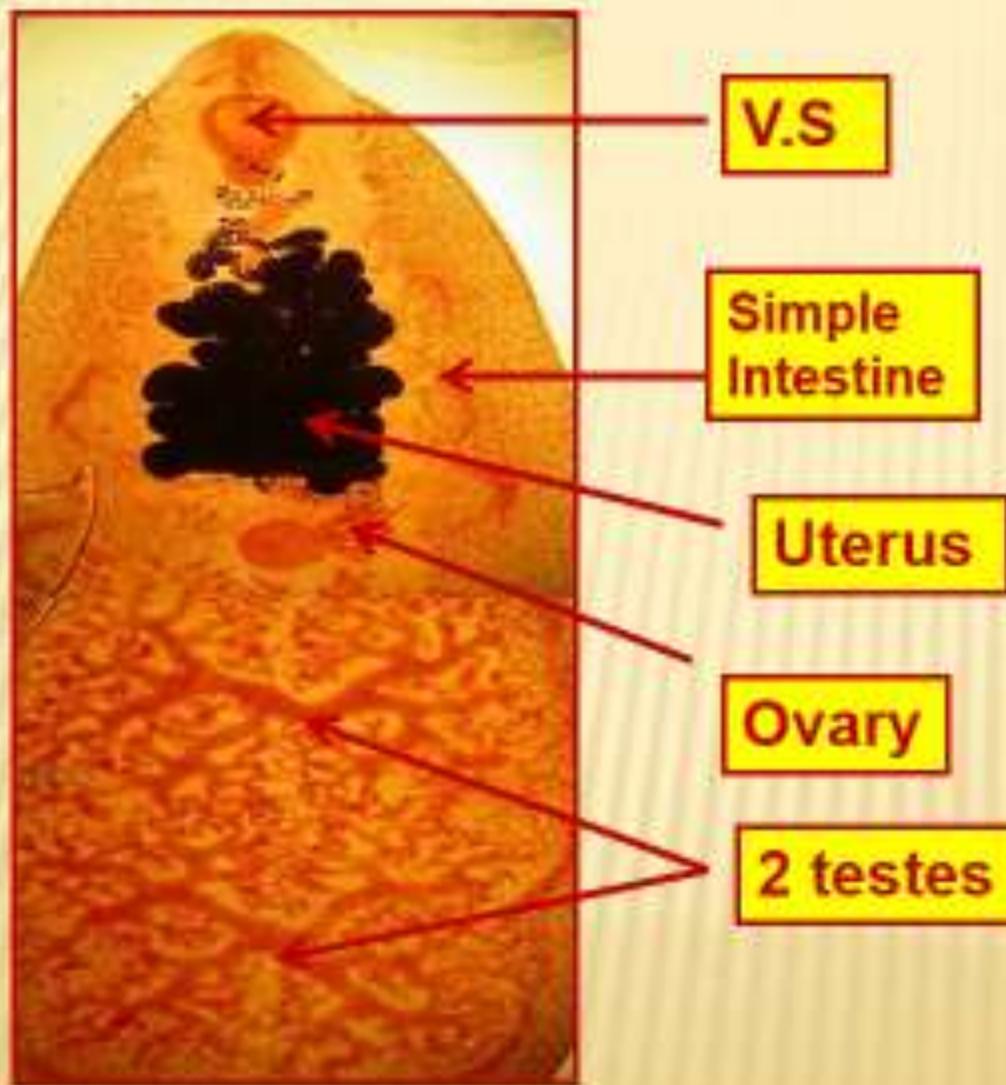


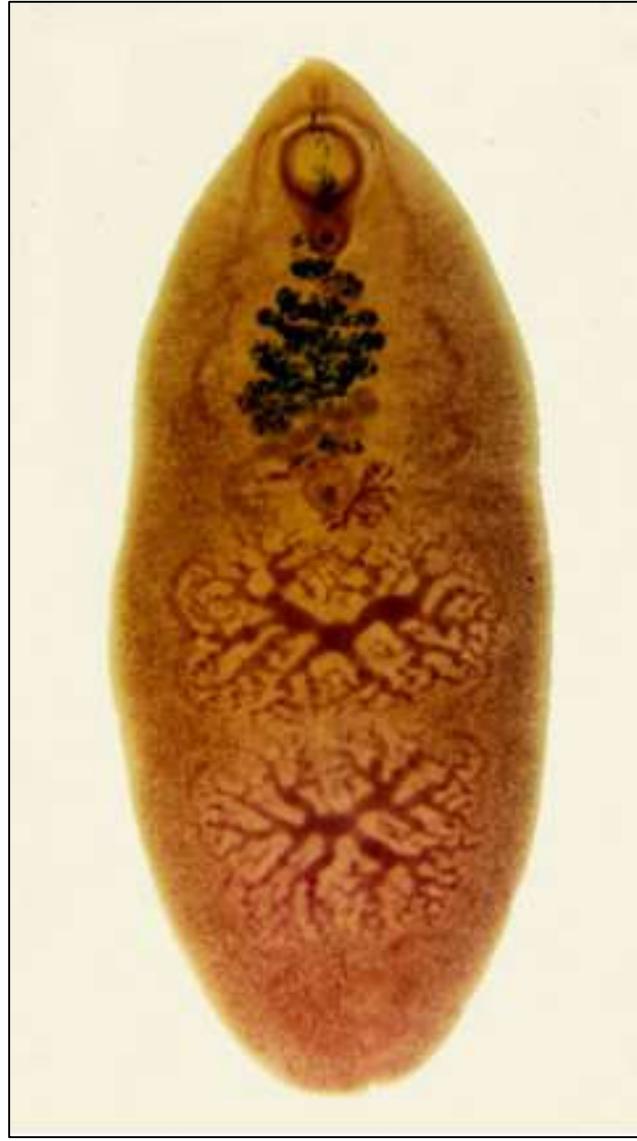
Encysted metacercaria (I.S) of *Fasciola*& *Fasciolopsis*

- Spherical in shape.
- The cercaria losses its tail and secrete a thick cyst wall.
- Present in green water vegetations and water.



Fasciolopsis buski adult

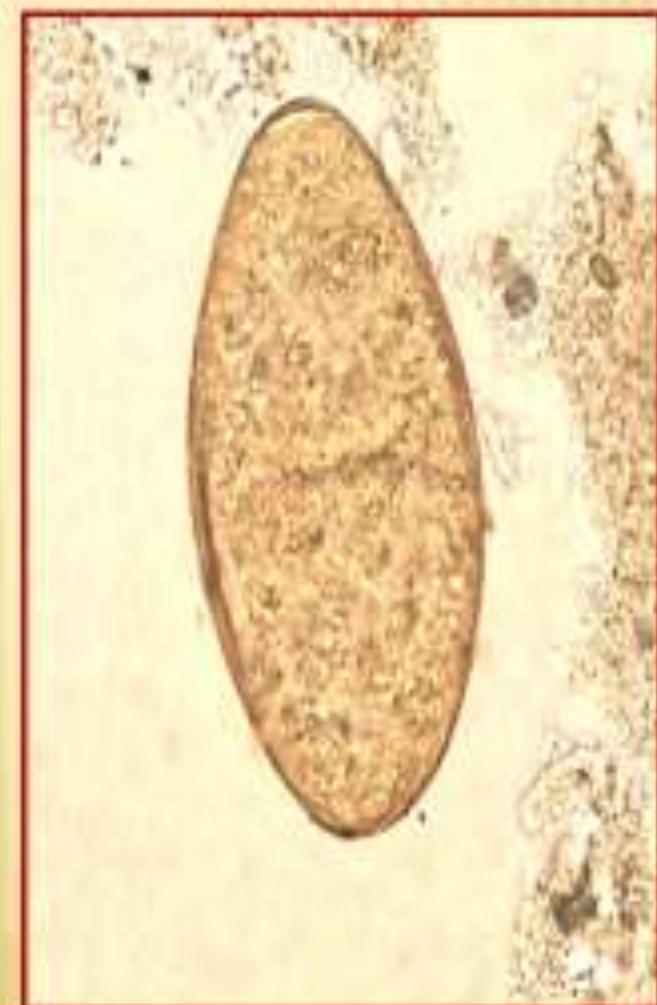




Fasciolopsis buski adult

***Fasciolopsis buski* egg (D.S)**

- **Size :** 140 x 70 µm.
- **Shape :** Oval.
- **Shell :** Thin, operculated.
- **Color :** Yellowish brown.
- **Content :** Immature
(ovum & yolk cells).



***Segmentina* snail**

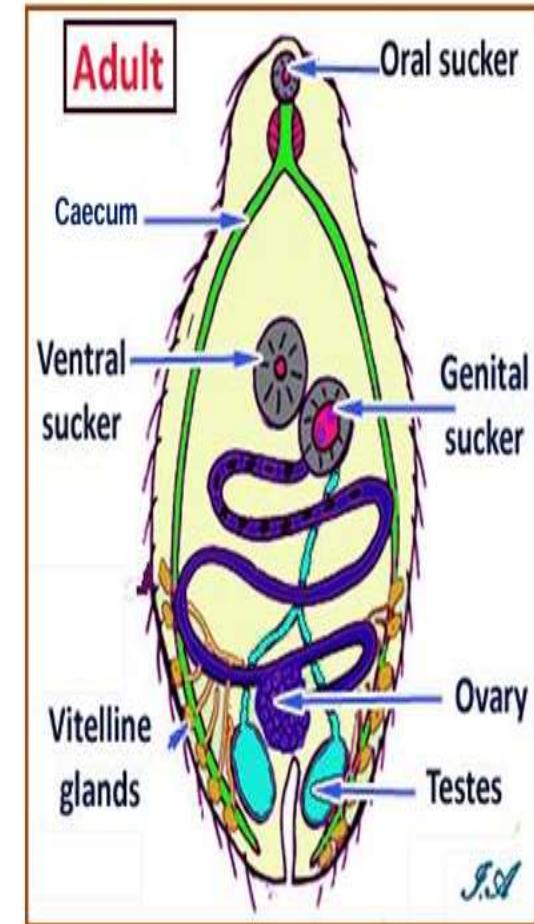
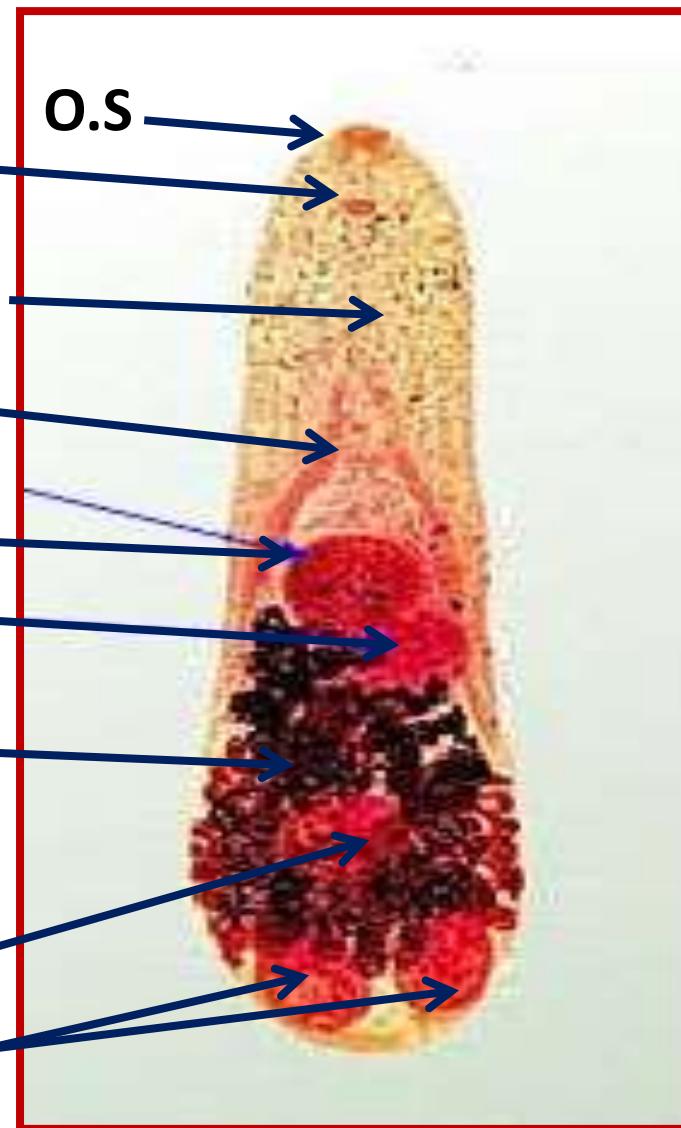
- ❖ I.H of *Fasciolopsis buski*
- (miracidium →
- sporocyst → redia
- cercaria
(leptocecous cercaria).



Heterophyes heterophyes

Adult

Muscular pharynx
eosophagus
coecum
V.S
G.S
Uterus full of eggs
Ovary
2 testes

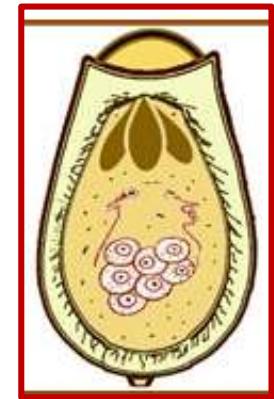


Heterophyes heterophyes

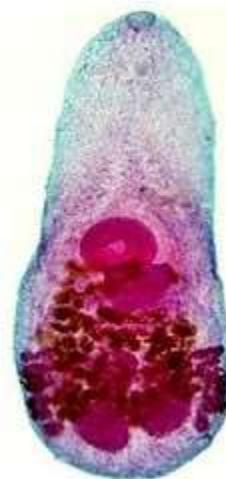
Egg

❖ Eggs (D.S) :-

- **Size** : $30 \times 15 \mu\text{m}$.
- **Shape** : Oval.
- **Shell** : Thick with anterior operculum and a small knob at posterior end.
- **Color** : Yellowish brown.
- **Content** : Mature (miracidium).



Heterophyes heterophyes



Pirenella conica snail

Inside the snail:

Miracidium → Sporocyst



Cercaria ← Redia



1st I.H
of *H. heterophyes*

H. Heterophyes miracidium

❖ **Miracidium:-**

- Pyriform ciliated larva.
- Germinal cells develops into sporocyst.



❖ **Sporocyst:-**

Simple elongated sac filled with germ cells. sporocyst develops into rediae.

❖ **Redia:-**

➤ **Cylindrical larva.**
➤ **Germ cells develop into cercariae.**



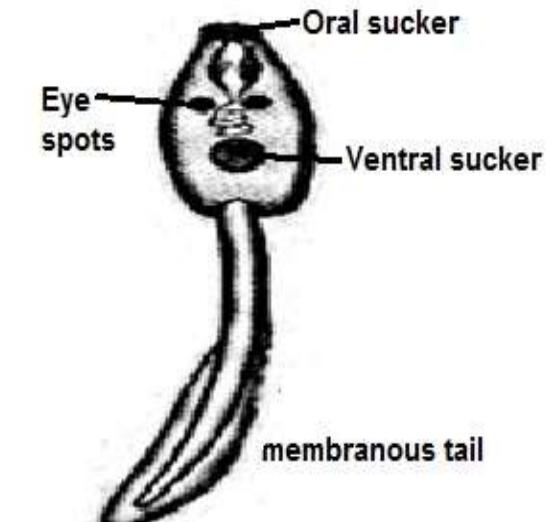
***H. Heterophyes* sporocyst**



***H. Heterophyes* Redia**

Lophocercous cercaria of *H. heterophyes*

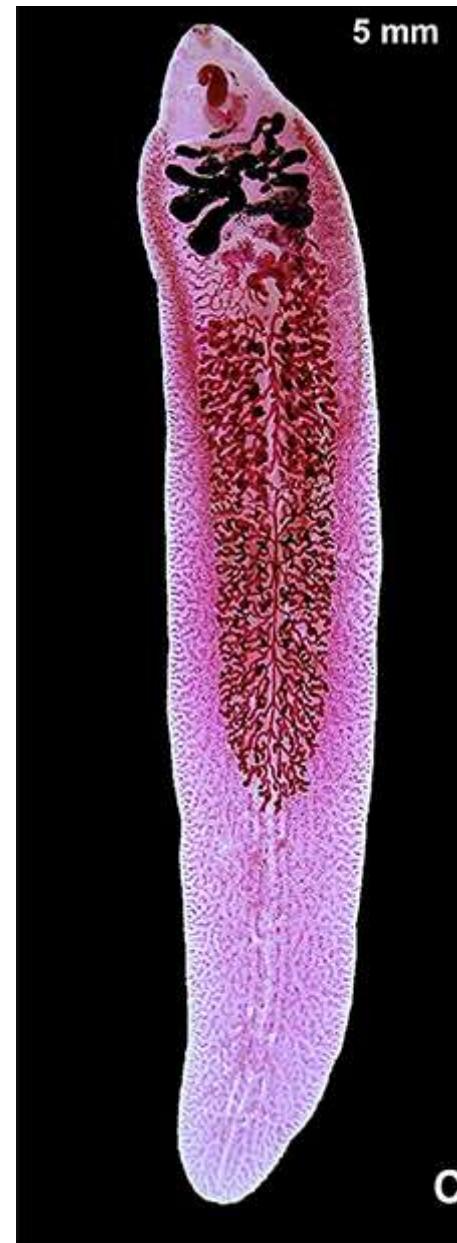
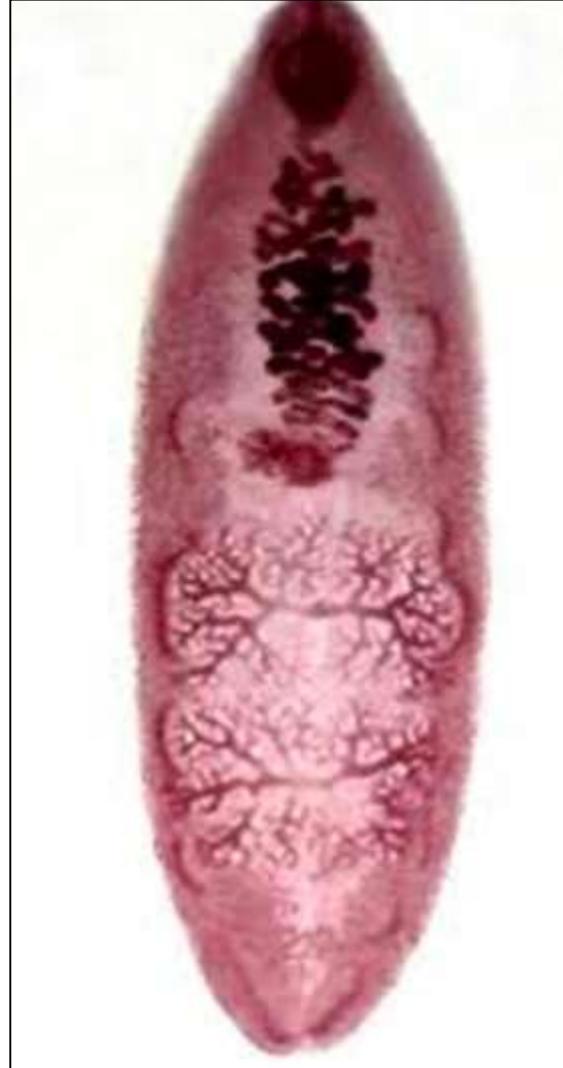
➤ Has body and
membranous tail

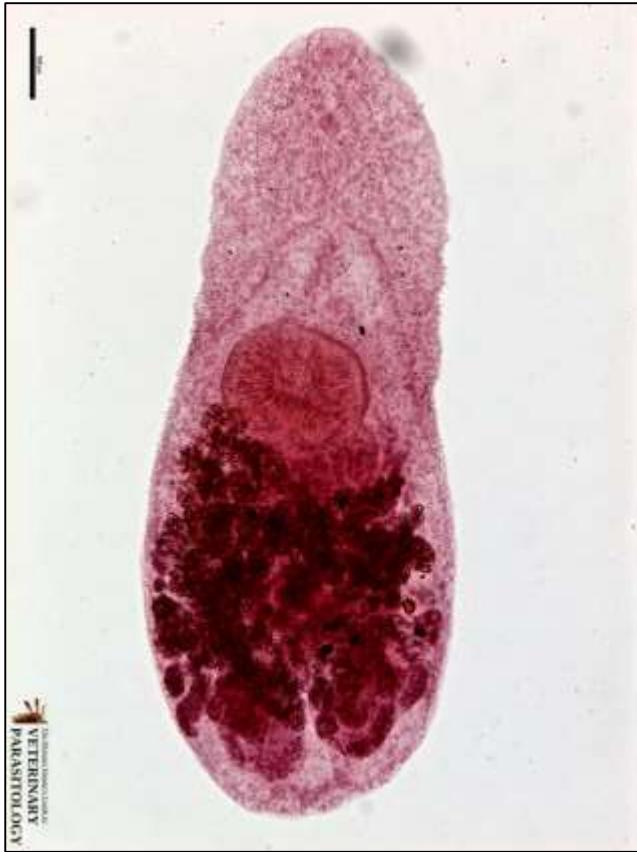


(I.S)
Encysted metacercaria
of *H. heterophyes* in
fish (2nd I H)



Identify ????







Thank You