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## HOMEOSTASIS

→ constant internal environment of a living organism

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range of forming or making internal conditions

- temp. of a body • temp., pH, H<sub>2</sub>O

• concentration of certain chemicals (glucose)

37°-40°C

• maintaining constant environment (internal) by a living organism

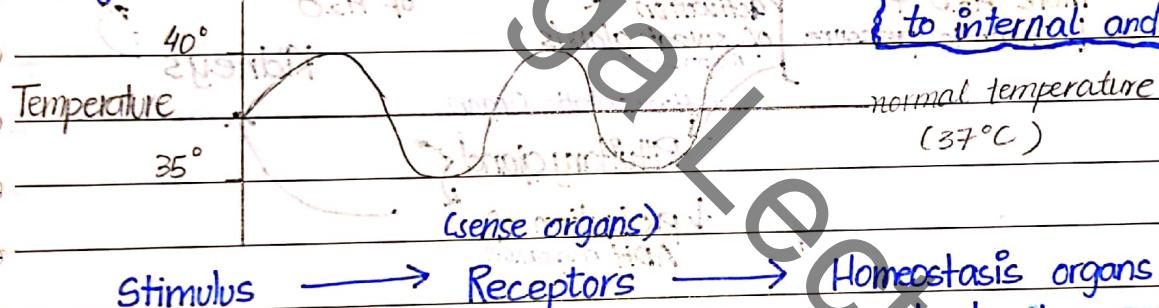
• negative feedback mechanism

1. Regulation of Temperature

2. Regulation of Water

3. Regulation of Glucose

Homeostasis: is the regulation of internal conditions of a cell or organism to maintain optimum conditions for function in response to internal and external changes.



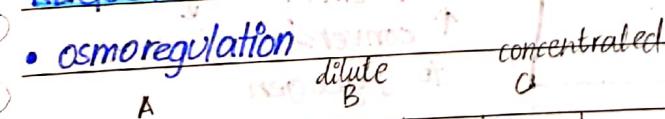
Stimulus → Receptors → Homeostasis organs

Change in the immediate external environment of living organisms

↓  
Responses  
↓  
Back to normal

## REGULATION OF WATER?

• osmoregulation

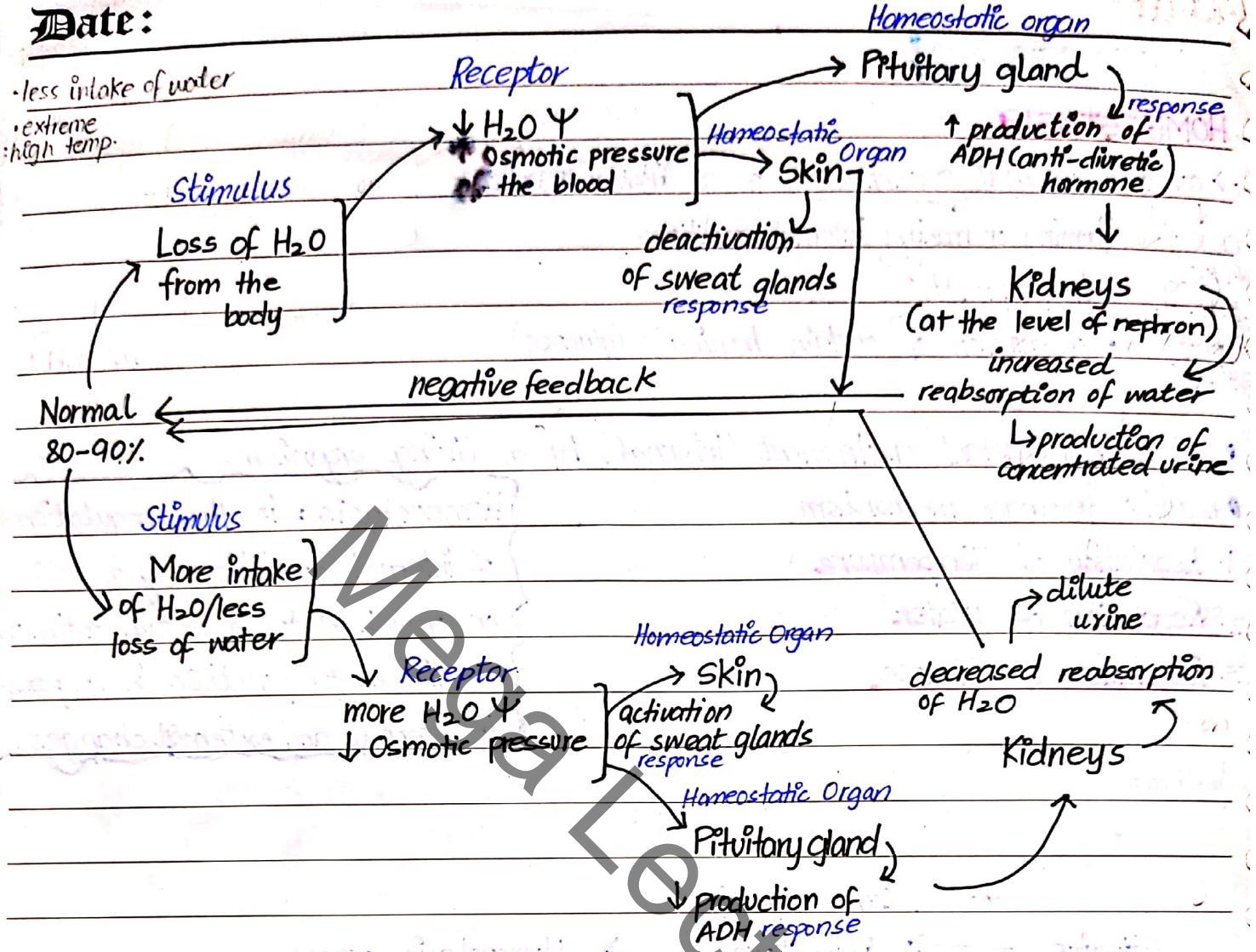


H <sub>2</sub> O	H <sub>2</sub> O + solutes	H <sub>2</sub> O + solutes
distilled	10 mol	10 + 2 mol.
zero H <sub>2</sub> O +	-ve H <sub>2</sub> O	-ve H <sub>2</sub> O

H<sub>2</sub>O potential: presence of water in a container

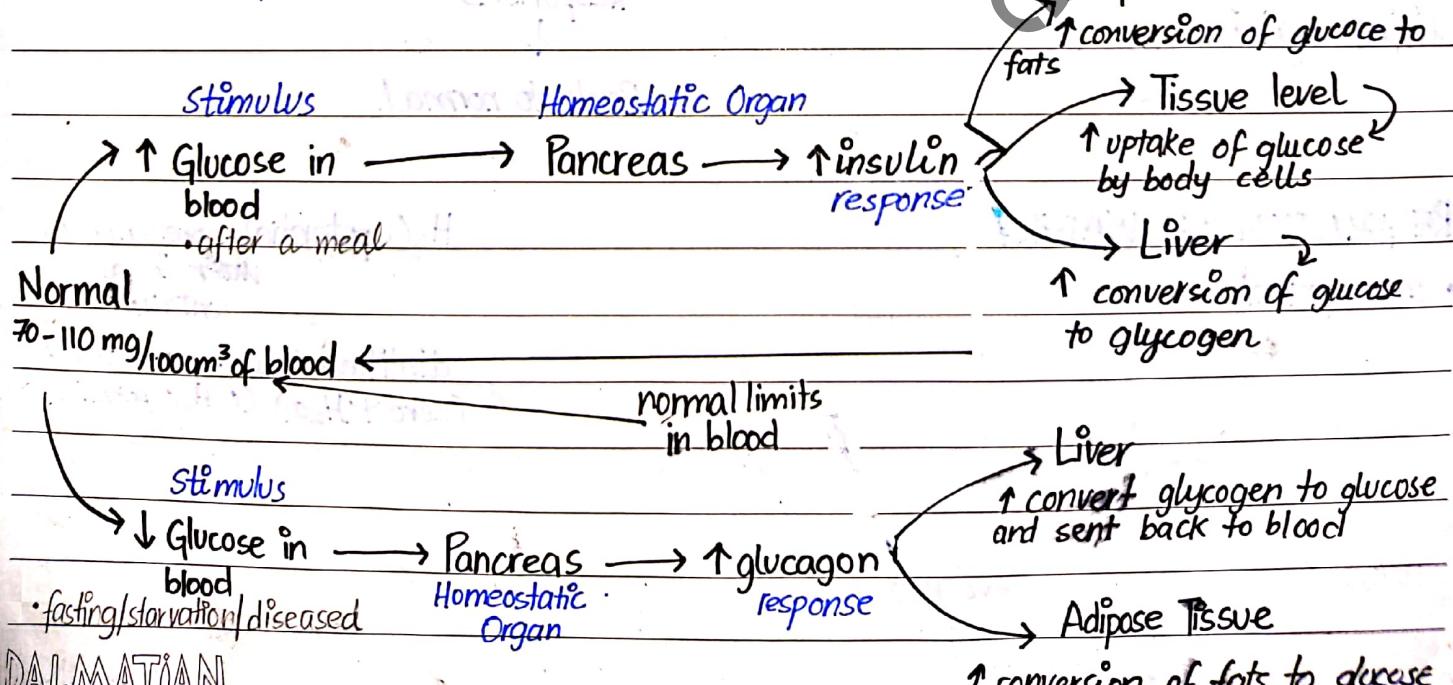
the solutions being distilled H<sub>2</sub>O: pure water  
dilute and concentrated (zero + H<sub>2</sub>O) (0 H<sub>2</sub>O potential)  
depends on the comparison provided

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## REGULATION OF GLUCOSE:

- glucose levels present in the blood



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→ insulin and glucagon are antagonistic

## MAMMALIAN SKIN

→ epidermis  
→ dermis

### Epidermis:

→ cornified layer - cell deposited with a protein called keratin (waterproof)  
- avoids any entry of external microorganism (protective)  
- they wither off after some time (regular intervals)

→ granular layer — living cells giving next/new cornified cells

→ malpighian layer — pigmented cells (melanin)  
- giving colour to our skin ( $\uparrow$  melanin: darker)  
- melanin protects the inner body from ultra-violet rays which can cause cancerous conditions in the body (sunlight)

### Dermis | Sub:

→ Edipose tissue — energy reserve  
— insulating layer  
- protective ~~or~~ for sensitive organs

→ Sweat gland — sweat duct and sweat pores  
- removal/excretion of sweat from the body  
- urine +  $H_2O$  + salts  $\Rightarrow$  sweat  
- evaporation of water takes away internal body heat into the environment (cooling effect)

→ Hair — hair papilla adds up new cells after cell division  
- interval increasing length of the hair  
- hair follicle gives a passage to hair to move out

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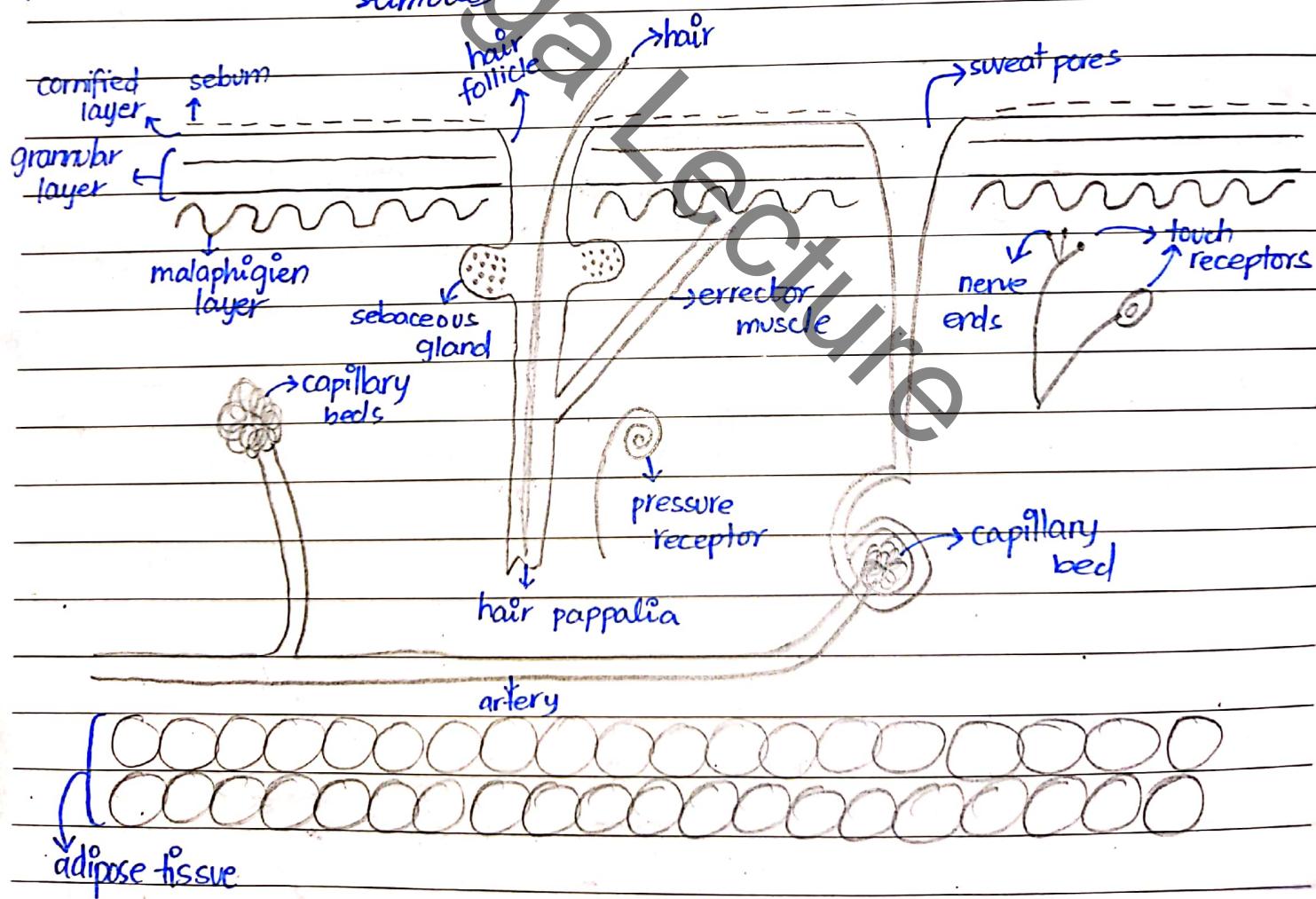
- the goose pimple is out growth of epidermis along erected hair
- erector muscles contraction results in erection of the hair

→ Sebaceous gland - meant to produce oily secretion ⇒ the sebum

- sebum acts as a waterproof layer, protection against micro-organisms

→ Receptor organs - nerve endings / touch receptors detect stimulus of touch and pain

- pressure receptors are sensitive to pressure as stimulus



\* capillaries can not contract / dilate because of absence of muscles

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→ Blood Capillary network → response organ for regulation of temperature

→ Vasodilation: dilation is increase in diameter

- dilation of arteries which are leading towards skin
- ↑ heat loss to environment

= Vasoconstriction:

- constriction of arteries moving to skin
- ↓ heat loss to environment

### 3. REGULATION OF TEMPERATURES

i. Poikilotherms / Cold-Blooded animals (animals regulate body temperature ( $35-40^{\circ}\text{C}$ ) by behaviour changes)

e.g.: - fishes, amphibians, reptiles

go to sunlight  
come to shade

hibernation to avoid the extreme climate

ii. Homeotherms / Warm-blooded animals (animals regulating temperature ( $35-40^{\circ}\text{C}$ ) by homeostasis)

e.g.: - all birds, all mammals

