# RENAL/ REPRODUCTIVE LAB REVIEW

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# Overview of kidney functions?

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# Overview of kidney functions

- Regulation of blood ionic composition
- Regulation of blood pH
- Regulation of blood volume
- Regulation of blood pressure
- Maintenance of blood osmolarity
- Production of hormones (calcitrol and erythropoitin)
- Regulation of blood glucose level
- Excretion of wastes from metabolic reactions and foreign substances (drugs or toxins)



# interlobar arcuate arteries artery

# Renal Artery

lobar arteries

#### Interlobular arteries

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### Glomerulus

afferent arteriole

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efferent

arteriole

### What is the functional unit of the kidney?

## Nephron

### What are the 3 main functions of the nephron?

Filtration, reabsorption, secretion













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parietal layer /\_\_\_\_\_ (simple squamous ET)

- distal convoluted tubule

glomerulus

Kidney H&E

proximal tubules

macula densa

capsular space







#### PODOCYTES

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intraglomerular pericytes (mesangial cells).

DISTAL TUBULE





# The renal corpuscle consists?

The renal corpuscle consists of Bowman's capsule and glomerular capillaries, responsible for plasma filtration







12a 12b











Podocytes or mesangial cells

Podocytes are specialized epithelial cells that cover the outer surfaces of glomerular capillaries. Unique cell junctions, known as slit diaphragms, which feature nephrin and Neph family proteins in addition to components of adherens, tight, and gap junctions, connect adjacent podocyte foot processes.






























collecting duct cells.

Distal tubule cells gradually change to collecting duct cells and the histologic aspect, in many cases, do not permit differentiate between cells of this portions of the nephron with light microscopy. (H&E, X400).



















Proximal (PCT) and distal (DCT) convoluted tubules Function to reabsorb ~75% of glomerular filtrate (PCT) and sodium ions from tubular fluid (DCT).

#### Histology:

PCT has abundant dark-pink cytoplasm (mitochondria) with prominent brush border (increased surface area for reabsorption) (image A) & (image B).

DCT has smaller cells with less cytoplasm, which gives the impression of "more nuclei" in cross-section. What is the primary function of aldosterone acting on the distal convoluted tubule?

What is the primary function of parathyroid hormone (PTH) acting on the distal convoluted tubule?

Sodium reabsorption

Calcium reabsorption





### Loop of Henle (LH)

Produces increasing osmotic gradient from cortex to deepest medulla. Thin descending limb: simple squamous epithelium . Thick ascending limb: low cuboidal epithelium.

#### **Collecting tubules (CT)**

No active reabsorptive function. Form medullary rays of kidney. Cuboidal epithelium without brush border.

### **Collecting ducts (CD)**

Convey urine to the pelvicaliceal space.

No active reabsorption unless ADH is present (then cells become permeable to water which is passively reabsorbed). Tall columnar cells with well-defined cellular outlines (largest form the Ducts of Bellini) Active transport of substances from the blood into the nephron is called:

## **Tubular secretion**





 18) Glomerulus.
19) Afferent arteriole.
20) Collecting duct.
21) Loop of Henle.
22) Peritubular capillaries.



18) Glomerulus. Answer: C **19) Afferent arteriole.** Answer: A **20)** Collecting duct. Answer: B 21) Loop of Henle. Answer: E 22) Peritubular capillaries. Answer: D







The process by which filtrate is formed, involving the balance of pressures across the walls of the glomerular capillaries. This is the first step in urine formation, where plasma is filtered into the capsular

space of the nephron?.

# **Glomerular filtration**
















What is the primary function of antidiuretic hormone (ADH) acting on the distal convoluted tubule?

# Water reabsorption





Juxtaglomerular Apparatus (JGA)?

Macula densa – epithelial cells of the Ascending limb & distal convulated tubule that are densely packed. These cells are chemo and osmoreceptors that detect changes in solute concentration and blood pressure.

## • Juxtaglomerular cells (Granular

<u>cells</u> – large cells in the wall of the afferent arterioles that secrete renin and act as mechanoreceptor. Renin plays an important role in control of <sup>correctedenter</sup> blood pressure.



What do the macula densa cells sense/monitor?

Sodium chloride concentration



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What is the primary function of the loop of Henle?

Concentrates urine

Freely permeable to water. Not permeable to NaCl. Filtrate becomes increasingly concentrated as water leaves by osmosis.

# Descending limb of the loop of Henle

The movement of substances from the filtrate back into the blood of the peritubular capillaries is called:

Tubular reabsorption





All transitional epithelial cells are covered in microvilli and a fibrillar mucous coat

tissue that changes shape in response to stretching (stretchable epithelium).

Cells in the basal layer are cuboidal or columnar. Cells by the apical surface vary in appearance depending if the organ is stretched at the time.

Transitional cells have the ability to change their shape which allows more urine to flow through.

Which of these is true about transitional epithelium?

A. It is a stratified epithelium

B. The cells of the basal layer are connected to lamina propria through desmosomes

C. The cells on the apical surface contain multiple projections on their plasma membrane made of microtubules called microvilli

D. The cells on the apical surface contain plaques on their plasma membrane made of a carbohydrate called uroplakin.

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The right ureter lies in close relationship to the ascending colon, cecum, and appendix. The left ureter is close to the descending and sigmoid colon.

Ureter, transitional epithelium









transitional epithelium

capillaries

lamina propria









### **URINE FLOW?**



Glomerulus---> Bowman's capsule---> proximal tube---> descending loop of henle---> ascending loop of Henle---> DCT distal convaluted tubule---> collecting duct---> papillary duct---> minor calyx---> major calyx---> renal pelvis---> ureter---> bladder---> urethra---> and out of the body



• Renal corpuscle . .

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- Glomerulus .
- Afferent arteriole
- Loop of Henle . .
- Efferentarteriole .
- Proximal convoluted tubule . .


- Renal corpuscle . D.
- Glomerulus . A.
- Afferent arteriole B.
- Loop of Henle . F.
- Efferentarteriole . C.
- Proximal convoluted tubule . E.

Urine formation involves 4 processes?

filtration – small molecules are filtered
from glomerulus to bowman's capsule.
reabsorption – nutrient molecules are
transported from PCT and DCT to
peritubular capillaries.

 concentration – water is reabsorbed from descending limb of loop of henle and from collecting duct into peritubular capillaries.

 secretion – waste or harmful substances are transported from peritubular capillaries to PCT and DCT.



Blood flow from Aorta to inferior Vena Cava?



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## Composition of Urine?

# -transparency is clear, indicating the lack of large solutes such as plasma proteins or blood cells [can be influenced by bacterial metabolism in older urine samples].

-Color is from light yellow to amber, due to urochrome pigments as byproduct of bile metabolism [can be influenced by food, menstrual bleeding, and metabolic products].

-Odor is from aromatic to slightly ammonia – like, due to the nitrogenous wastes in urine [can be influenced by disorders such as diabetes, or by food such as garlic, and by drugs].

-pH is from 4.6 to 8.0 with an average of 6.0, due to H+ in the urine [strongly influenced by diet where protein cause acidic urine, and vegetables and wheat cause alkaline urine].

-Specific gravity (a measurement of dissolved solutes in a solution) is from 1.001 to 1.035, due to the 5% solute composition in normal urine.





#### Kidney





Kidney

The normal discharge of urine, wherein it is voluntarily discharged from the body; another word or normal urination.

### Micturition

















### Abdomen, anterior view



### Abdomen, anterior view



### Lower urinary system of the male



Lower urinary system of the male





Urinary system in the male





Label the following structures: Bladder Urethra Trigone Rugae





Label the following structures: Abdominal Aorta Inferior vena cava Renal artery Renal vein Ureter Kidney Adrenal gland Bladder Pubic symphysis External Iliac artery Common Iliac artery




















(b) Path of blood flow through renal blood vessels

Erythropoietin (EPO) is a hormone that is produced?

Erythropoietin (EPO) is a hormone that is produced predominantly by specialised cells called **interstitial cells in the kidney**.

Reproductive



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Before pregnancy

Late pregnancy











Reproductive organs of the male, intermediate view



Reproductive organs of the male, intermediate view



Reproductive organs of the male, deep view



## Reproductive organs of the male, deep view













0 corpus cavernosum corpus cavernosum corpus spongiosum





- 1. Epididymis
- 2. Seminiferous tubules of testis
- 3. Glans penis
- 4. Prepuce
- 5. Corpus cavernosa
- 6. Corpus spongiosum
- 7. Spongy/penile urethra
- 8. Urogenital diaphragm
- 9. Membranous urethra
- 10. Prostate gland
- 11. Prostatic urethra
- 12. Ejaculatory duct
- 13. Anus
- 14. External anal sphincter
- 15. Internal anal sphincter
- 16. Anal canal
- 17. Rectum
- 18. Sigmoid colon
- 19. Rugae within urinary bladder
- 20. Detrusor muscle
- 21. Internal urethral sphincter
- 22. Internal urethral orifice
- 23. Ureter
- 24. External urethral orifice





The seminal vesicles (also known as the vesicular or seminal glands) are a pair of glands found in the male pelvis, which function to produce many of the constituent ingredients of semen. They ultimately provide around 70% of the total volume of semen.

Seminal vesicle

Vas deferent or sprmatic cord

epidydimis

Bulbourethral gland = cowper's gland

They produce thick clear mucus prior to ejaculation that drains into the spongy urethra.



Vas deferens

Seminal vesicle

> Prostatic urethra

Ejaculatory duct

I Prostate

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The secretions of **the seminal gland** have a key role in the normal functioning of semen, making up 70% of its total volume.

It is notable however that the first fractions of expelled semen contain mainly spermatozoa and prostatic secretions; the fluids from the seminal vesicles are included in the late ejaculate fractions. These fluids contain:

**Alkaline fluid** – neutralises the acidity of the male urethra and vagina in order to facilitate the survival of spermatozoa.

**Fructose** – provides an energy source for spermatozoa.

**Prostaglandins** – have a role in suppressing the female immune response to foreign semen.

**Clotting factors** – designed to keep semen in the female reproductive tract post-ejaculation.

The remaining volume of semen is made up of testicular **spermatozoa**, prostatic secretions and mucus from the bulbourethral gland.

















- 1. Urinary bladder
- 2. Ampulla of vas deferens
- 3. Ejaculatory duct
- 4. Prostate gland
- 5. Prostatic urethra
- 6. External urethral sphincter
- 7. Membranous urethra
- 8. Bulbourethral gland
- 9. Penile urethra
- 10. Corpus spongiosum
- 11. Glans penis
- 12. Epididymis
- 13. Testis
- 14. Penis
- 15. Prepuce
- 16. Pubic bone
- 17. Scrotum





Here we have another model with several structures met previously.

- 1. Glans penis
- 2. Testis
- 3. Epididymis
- 4. Spermatic cord
- 5. Vas deferens
- 6. Ureter
- 7. Urinary bladder
- 8. Seminal vesicle
- 9. Prostate gland
- 10. Urogenital diaphragm
- 11. Pelvic diaphragm

Note that in this model we see the spermatic cord (4) which is the bundle of vessels, nerves, and the vas deferens that extends from the abdomen to the scrotum.





This model shows us several structures met previously.

- 1. Prepuce
- 2. Glans penis
- 3. Corpus cavernosa
- 4. Corpus spongiosum
- 5. Testis
- 6. Epididymis
- 7. Penile/Spongy urethra
- 8. Bulbourethral gland
- 9. Membranous urethra
- 10. Urogenital diaphragm
- 11. Prostate gland
- 12. Ejaculatory duct
- 13. Prostatic urethra
- 14. Internal urethral sphincter
- 15. Urinary bladder with rugae
- 16. Detrusor muscle







In this view, we can still see the glans penis (1) and prepuce (2) as well as internal penile structures. Note the external urethral orifice (3) at the terminus of the penile/spongy urethra (4). The urethra is enclosed by the corpus spongiosum which is just ventral to the corpora cavernosa (of which we see one (6)).

In the sectioned scrotum, we can see the fibrous outer layer of the testis - the tunica albuginea (7) - as well as the lobules of seminiferous tubules within the testis (8). Just posterior to the testis, we can see the coiled tubes of the epididymis (9).

We can also see urinary structures including the: detrusor muscle (10), rugae of urinary bladder (11), internal urethral sphincter (12), and internal urethral orifice (13).

Within the prostate gland (14), we can see the ejaculatory duct (15) and prostatic urethra (16). The prostate is supported by the urogenital diaphragm (17). Running through the diaphragm is the membranous urethra (18).



Name 1-14?



- 1. Vas deferens
- 2. Seminal vesicle
- 3. Prostate gland
- 4. Prostatic urethra
- 5. Membranous urethra
- 6. Corpus cavernosa
- 7. Penile urethra
- 8. Corpus spongiosum
- 9. Glans penis
- 10. External urethral orifice
- 11. Scrotum
- 12. Testis
- 13. Epididymis
- 14. Spermatic cord



## Muscles of the scrotum?











- 1. Testis
- 2. Epididymis
- 3. Vas deferens
- 4. Testicular vein intertwining with the testicular artery



























## spermatic cord.

appendix epididymis.

epididymis,

appendix testis

body of the testis

Leyding cells

active spermatogenesis.










Seminiferous tubule Spermatogonium Primary spermatocyte Spermatid Spermatozoon









Seminiferous tubules

## Spermatogenic cells

Germ cells in various stages of maturation (70-day process). Maturation advances from basal to luminal aspect of ST. Spermatogonia - 1° spermatocytes (largest cell, at mid portion) - 2° spermatocytes - spermatids spermatozoa.

## Sertoli cells

Essentially the "nurse" cells that support the germ cells.

Non-dividing columnar cells with oval or pyramidal nucleus located near the basement membrane.

Form tight junctions that compose the testis-blood barrier.

Produce Müllerian inhibiting factor in embryogenesis.



Function of these cells?

Leydig cells: abundant pink cytoplasm

Leydig cells

- Produce testosterone.
- Have round nuclei with 1-2 prominent nucleoli and abundant bright pink (eosinophilic) cytoplasm
- The cytoplasm may contain lipofuscin pigment (golden-yellow) or cytoplasmic granules known as the crystals of Reinke.







# epidydimis

to accumulate and store spermatozoa, during which time the sperm gain motility.

Consists of a very long (5-6 meters) highly convoluted single duct extending down the posterior aspect of the testis to the lower pole, where it becomes the ductus deferens (image A). Histology:

Tube of smooth muscle lined by pseudostratified ciliated epithelium and basal cells (image B). Single layer of smooth muscle proximally; 3 layers distally. General appearance is "smooth" lined tubules (as opposed to sawtooth border of the efferent ductules). Transit time for sperm: 12 days.



Secretes a thin milky fluid that comprises ~1/3 of seminal fluid. Microanatomy: divided into glandular (the bulk) and non-glandular parts. Glandular prostate divided into peripheral zone (PZ, 70%), central zone (CZ, 25%), transition zone (TZ, 5%)\*, and periurethral gland region. Most common cancer are in PZ (~75%), followed by TZ (~15%). Non-glandular part is mainly the anterior fibromuscular stroma and sphincters.

Basal cells

Acinar cells









54) Stem cell.
55) First cells with *n* number of chromosomes.
56) Type B spermatogonia.

57) Early spermatids.

58) Primary spermatocyte.



54) Stem cell.
Answer: A
55) First cells with *n* number of chromosomes.
Answer: D
56) Type B spermatogonia.
Answer: B
57) Early spermatids.
Answer: E
58) Primary spermatocyte.
Answer: C



*match the following:* 59) Acrosome.

60) Location of mitochondria.

61) Midpiece.

62) Location of nucleus.



*match the following:* 59) Acrosome. Answer: B

60) Location of mitochondria. Answer: A

61) Midpiece. Answer: A

62) Location of nucleus. Answer: C



73/Where this pictures has been taking from?

A/ VAGINA B/BREAST C/PENIS D/URETHRA E/URETER



73/Where this pictures has been taking from? A/ VAGINA B/BREAST C/PENIS D/URETHRA E/URETER 83/ Identify 1 A/ Leydig cells B/Sertoli cells C/ interstitial cells d/a,b correct e/a,c correct

# 84/ FUNCTION OF #1

A/ They produce testosterone in the presence of luteinizing hormone (LH).B/ They produce testosterone in the presence of FSHC/Maintenance and protection

D/ They produce Estrogen in the presence of luteinizing hormone (LH). e/I am confused



83/ Identify 1 A/ Leydig cells B/Sertoli cells C/ interstitial cells d/a,b correct e/a,c correct

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- 1. Testicles
- 2. Epididymis
- 3. Corpus cavernosa
- 4. Foreskin
- 5. Frenulum
- 6. Urethral opening
- 7. Glans penis
- 8. Corpus spongiosum
- 9. Penis
- 10. Scrotum













# MALE REPRODUCTIVE SYSTEM

• PROSTATE

PROSTATIC CONCRETIONS
- precipitation of secretory product



## Fig. 28.3a



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#### Fig. 28.3a



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Reproductive organs of the female



#### Reproductive organs of the female





Reproductive organs of the female, intermediate view


## Reproductive organs of the female, deep view



## Reproductive organs of the female, deep view













Here we have a model of the female pelvis.

We see the mound of adipose tissue known as the mons pubis (1) just anterior to the pubic symphysis. Extending posteriorly from the mons pubis is a larger fatty fold known as the labium majus (2). It encloses a smaller fold, the labium minus (3). At the anterior end of the labium minus, we see an erectile structure, the clitoris (4). The labia, clitoris, and mons pubis are collectively referred to as the vulva.









- 1. Ovary
- 2. Fallopian tube
- 3. Fundus of uterus
- 4. Body of uterus
- 5. Uterine cavity
- 6. Internal os
- 7. Cervical canal
- 8. Cervix
- 9. External os
- 10. Posterior fornix
- 11. Anterior fornix
- 12. Vaginal canal
- 13. External vaginal orifice
- 14. Labium minus
- 15. Labium majus
- 16. Clitoris
- 17. Mons pubis







normal cervix with a smooth, glistening mucosal surface.





normal cervical non-keratinizing squamous epithelium. The squamous cells show maturation from basal layer to surface.

## Fig. 28.4a

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## Fig. 28.4a

Ovarian artery Ovarian vein -Suspensory -Mesosalpinx ligament (part of broad ligament) **Ovarian ligament** Infundibulum -Uterine tube Fimbriae Ovary . Uterus **Broad ligament** Uterine artery Uterine vein Ureter-Cervix -Vagina-External os (a) Posterior view

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Vagina
Cervix of uterus
Isthmus of uterus
Body of uterus
Fundus of uterus
Fundus of uterus
Endometrium
Myometrium
Perimetrium

9. Frimbriae

11

13

8

10. Ampulla of uterine tube

12

10

15

- 11. Isthmus of uterine tube
- 12. Ovary
- **13. Ovarian ligamnet**
- 14. Infundibulum of uterine tube
- **15. Suspensory ligament**











- 1. Broad ligament
- 2. Ovary
- 3. Ovarian ligament
- 4. Fimbriae
- 5. Infundibulum
- 6. Ampulla
- 7. Isthmus
- 8. Fundus/Myometrium
- 9. Body/Stratum functionalisof the endometrium
- 10. Cervix
- 11. External os
- 12. Internal os
- 13. Cervical canal
- 14. Lateral fornix
- 15. Vagina













dominate and serve to move the ovum away from the ovary and toward the uterus. The non-ciliated secretory cells, also known as peg cells, release a secretion that lubricates the tube and provides nourishment and protection to the traveling ovum. What hormone determines the extent of cilia formation on the cells of the oviduct? Answer: 76/Identify 1

A/FALCIFORM LIGAMENT B/TERES LIGAMENT C/ROUND LIGAMENT D/SUSPENSOR LIGAMENT E/SALPINX











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## Endometrium

## Perimetrium

# Myometrium









## **Proliferative Phase**

In the proliferative phase, facilitated by FSH, the endometrium thickens, connective tissue is renewed, along with glandular structures and ehlicrine arteries. Oestrogen causes the endometrial stroma to become deep and richly vascularised.

Simple tubular glands in the stratum functionalis open out onto the surface, and the endometrium thickens.



### **Uterine** Cycle

The early proliferative phase of the uterine cycle begins at the end of menstrual flow. The uterine glands in this phase are sparse and relatively small, and the epithelial cells develop microvilli and cilia under the influence of estrogen. The late proliferative phase reveals an increased thickness of the stratum functionalis, and the glands are more coiled and densely packed. The secretory phase of the uterine cycle begins at ovulation. In this phase, the glands become even more complexly coiled and the endometrial lining reaches its maximal thickness, whereas the stratum basalis and myometrium remain relatively unchanged. Note the saw-toothed appearance of the glands. Secretions rich in glycogen and glycoprotein can be observed in the lumina of the glands. If fertilization does not occur, the placental tissue does not produce hCG and the corpus luteum degenerates. The uterine lining does not receive the progesterone, causing the spiral arteries constrict and the endometrial tissue to become ischemic. This causes cell death and the sloughi

endometrial tissue to become ischemic. This causes cell death and the sloughing of the stratum functionalis. mentrual





This model shows us many structures met previously, including:

- 1. Ampulla of fallopian tube
- 2. Infundibulum of fallopian tube
- 3. Fimbriae of fallopian tube
- 4. Broad ligament
- 5. Ovarian ligament
- 6. Primordial follicles
- 7. Primary follicle
- 8. Secondary follicle
- 9. Graafian follicle
- 10. Corpus luteum
- 11. Degenerating corpus luteum
- 12. Corpus albicans
- 13. Suspensory ligament



























#### **Graafian Follicle**

The Graafian follicle is the follicular stage after the first meiotic division but before ovulation. It therefore contains a 2N haploid oocyte. It is characterized by a large follicular antrum that makes up most of the follicle. The secondary oocyte, having undergone the first meiotic division, is located eccentrically. It is surrounded by the zona pellucida and a layer of several cells known as the corona radiata. When released from the Graafian follicle and into the oviduct, the ovum will contain three layers: oocyte, zona pellucida and corona radiata.

# Ovaries

















63) The stage called ovulation.64) Vesicular (Graafian) follicle.65/Primary follicles.66) Primordial follicle.



63) The stage called ovulation.
Answer: E
64) Vesicular (Graafian) follicle.
Answer: C
65/Primary follicles.
Answer: B
66) Primordial follicle.
Answer: A



67/IdentifY structure A A/CORPUS ALBICANS B/CORPUS LUTEUM C/CORPUS MAGELUM D/GRAFIAN VESICLE E/PRIMARY FOLLICLE



67/IdentifY structure A A/CORPUS ALBICANS B/CORPUS LUTEUM C/CORPUS MAGELUM D/GRAFIAN VESICLE E/PRIMARY FOLLICLE



68/IDENTIFY A A/SECONDARY FOLLICLES B/PRIMARY FOLLICLE C/TERTIARY FOLLICLES D/ATRETIC FOLLICLE



68/IDENTIFY A A/SECONDARY FOLLICLES B/PRIMARY FOLLICLE C/TERTIARY FOLLICLES D/ATRETIC FOLLICLE


# Mature (Vesicular) Follicle





/IDENTIFY A A/CORONARY RADIATA B/CUMULUS OOPHORUS C/OOCYTE D/ZONA PELLUCIDA E/GRANULOZA



/IDENTIFY A A/CORONARY RADIATA B/CUMULUS OOPHORUS C/OOCYTE D/ZONA PELLUCIDA E/GRANULOZA



18) Graafian follicle.

19) Primordial follicle.



18) Graafian follicle. Answer: C

19) Primordial follicle. Answer: A





- 1. Germinal epithelium
- 2. Tunica albuginea
- 3. Primordial follicles
- 4. Primary follicles

### Which of the following is found in the spermatic cord:

- a) Ductus deferens
- b) Dartos muscle
- c) Testicle
- d) Epididymis
- e) Bulbourethreal gland

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• a) ductus deferns

### • What structure is superior to the urogenital diaphragm?

- A) Bulbourethreal glands
- B) Bulb of the penis
- C) Prostate gland
- D) Membranous Urethra
- •

• C) bulb of the penis

- The ovary is attached to?
  - a) Fimbrae
  - b) Mesosalpinx
  - c) Suspensory ligaments
  - d) Ampulla
  - e) Internal os

• c) Suspensory ligaments

- The primordial follicle secretes estrogen.
  - True
  - False

• False

#### • Every month, only one:

a)Primordial follicle is stimulated

b)Follicle secretes estrogen

c)Vesicular follicle undergoes ovulation

d)Ovary is stimulated

e)All of the above occur once every month

c)Vesicular follicle undergoes ovulation

- Mandy is 18 years old and typically has a 28-day cycle. Which of the following will be true on the 17<sup>th</sup> day of her cycle?
  - a)FSH levels are rising
  - b)Progesterone is being secreted
  - c)The ovary is in the ovulatory phase
  - d)The uterus is in the proliferative phase
  - e) The uterus is in the menstrual phase

b)Progesterone is being secreted

- A sudden decline in estrogen and progesterone levels ends inhibition of FSH release.
  - True
  - False

• True

## • The muscular layer of the uterus is called the?

- a) Epimetrium
- b) Myometrium
- c) Endometrium
- d) Mucosa
- e) None of the above

b) Myometrium

Which of the following is a similarity between an ova and a sperm?

 a)About the same number of each is produced per month
 b)They have the same degree of motility
 c)They are about the same size
 d)Produced by the same organ
 e)They have the same number of chromosomes

e)They have the same number of chromosomes

#### • Which of the following are correctly mismatched?

a)Testes – ovary b)Labia majora – scrotum c)Oviduct – ductus deferens d)All of the above

e)None of the above

d)All of the above

- After ovulation, the ruptured follicle sloughs off as waste material:
  - True
  - False

• False

#### • Menstruation will result if:

a) Blood levels of FSH fall off

b)Blood levels of estrogen and progesterone decline

c)Blood levels of estrogen and progesterone increase

d)The corpus luteum secretes estrogen

e)None of the above

• b)Blood levels of estrogen and progesterone decline

- Testosterone is produced by:
  - a) Spermatocytes
  - b) Spermatogonia
  - c) Sustentacular cells
  - d) Granulosa cells
  - e)None of the above

e)None of the above

# • Normally, fertilization will occur in the?

- a) Fallopian tubes
- b) Ovary
- c) Uterus
- d) Vagina
- e) Ductus deferens

a)Fallopian tubes
### • During ovulation, the egg is released into:

- a)Fallopian tube
- b)Uterus
- c)Vagina
- d)Peritoneal cavity
- e)More than one answer is correct

• d)Peritoneal cavity

- Which of the following plays a role in regulating the temperature around the testes?
  - a) Cremaster muscle
  - b) Dartos muscle
  - c) Bulbospongiosus
  - d) Ductus deferens

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e)More than one answer is correct

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#### • The testes

- a)Develop within the scrotal cavity
- b)Produce sperm in the seminiferous tubule
- c)Contain sustentacular cells that produce testosterone
- d)Contain interstitial cells that maintain a blood-testes barrier
- E)Are enclosed in a mucous membrane called the tunica vaginalis

b)Produce sperm in the seminiferous tubule

- Which of the following organelles is the most prominent in the neck of a spermatozoa?
  - a) Centriole
  - b) Lysosomes
  - c) Mitochondria
  - d) Nucleus
  - e) None of the above

• c) Mitochondria

- Which of the following is not true about semen?
  - a)A man is probably infertile if his semen contains less than 20 million sperms/ml
  - b)It contains sperm and seminal fluid
  - c)It protects sperm from the hostile alkaline environment of the male urethra and female vagina
  - d)It contains an antibiotic called seminal plasmin
  - e)It provides sperm with a transportation medium and nutrients

c)It protects sperm from the hostile alkaline environment of the male urethra and female vagina

- Oogenesis is complete only after the secondary oocyte has been fertilized
  - True
  - False

• True

- Fibrous connective tissue that surrounds each kidney is the
- A) cortex.
- B) hilum.
- C) medulla.
- D) renal capsule.
- E) renal pyramids.

• D) renal capsule.

## • The apex of the renal pyramid is called the

- A) major calyx.
- **B)** minor calyx
- **C)** renal papilla.
- D) renal pelvis.
- E) ureter.

• C) renal papilla.

- The major calyces of the kidney converge to form an enlarged channel called the
  - A) renal fascia.
  - B) renal pelvis.
  - **C)** renal pyramids.
  - **D)** renal papillae.
  - E) renal sinus.

• B) renal pelvis.

# • The basic histological and functional unit of the kidney is the A) glomerulus.

- **B)** filtration membrane.
- **C)** nephron.
- **D)** podocyte.
- E) renal corpuscle.

• C) nephron.

Given these parts of a nephron:

renal corpuscle
 collecting duct
 loop of Henle
 distal tubule
 proximal tubule

Arrange the parts in order as fluid flows from the filtration membrane through the nephron.

A) 1,5,3,4,2
B) 2,4,1,3,5
C) 2,1,4,5,3
D) 4,2,3,5,1
E) 5,1,3,4,2

• **A)** 1,5,3,4,2

#### • The tuft of capillaries in the renal corpuscle is called the

- A) podocytes.
- B) glomerulus.
- C) calyx.
- **D)** renal pyramid.
- E) renal sinus.

• B) glomerulus.

- The juxtaglomerular apparatus is formed where the \_\_\_\_\_ projects between the afferent arteriole and efferent arteriole next to Bowman's capsule.
  - A) glomerulus
  - **B)** arcuate arteries
  - C) proximal tubule
  - D) distal tubule
  - E) collecting duct

• D) distal tubule

- Collectively, the capillary epithelium, basement membrane, and podocytes form the
  - A) filtration membrane.
  - B) glomerulus.
  - **C)** juxtamedullary nephron.
  - **D)** nephron.
  - E) renal corpuscle.

• A) filtration membrane.

- The part of a nephron between Bowman's capsule and the Loop of Henle is the
  - A) collecting duct.
  - **B)** distal tubule.
  - **C)** juxtaglomerular apparatus.
  - D) macula densa.
  - E) proximal tubule.

• E) proximal tubule.

- The \_\_\_\_\_\_ are specialized portions of the peritubular capillaries that extend deep into the medulla of the kidney.
  - A) interlobar arteries
  - **B)** arcuate arteries
  - C) efferent arterioles
  - D) afferent arterioles
  - E) vasa recta

• E) vasa recta

- Given these vessels:
  - 1. arcuate vein
  - 2. afferent arteriole
  - 3. efferent arteriole
  - 4. interlobular vein
  - 5. peritubular capillaries

Arrange the vessels in the order in which a drop of blood from the interlobular artery passes through them.

A) 1,2,4,5,3
B) 2,3,5,4,1
C) 3,5,4,2,1
D) 4,2,5,3,1
E) 5,2,4,1,3

• **B)** 2,3,5,4,1

- The triangular area of the urinary bladder between the two ureters posteriorly and the urethra anteriorly is the
  - A) external urinary sphincter.
  - B) internal urinary sphincter.
  - C) smooth muscle.
  - **D)** transitional epithelium.
  - E) trigone.

• E) trigone.
- Skeletal muscle that surrounds the urethra as it extends through the pelvic floor is the
  - A) external urinary sphincter.
  - **B)** internal urinary sphincter.
  - C) trigone.

• A) external urinary sphincter.

- Active transport of substances from the blood into the nephron is called
  - A) filtration.
  - B) tubular reabsorption.
  - C) tubular secretion.

• C) tubular secretion.

- The movement of substances from the filtrate back into the blood of the peritubular capillaries is called
  - A) filtration.
  - B) tubular secretion.
  - C) backflow.
  - **D)** tubular reabsorption.
  - E) micturition.

• D) tubular reabsorption.

- The part of the total cardiac output that passes through the kidneys is called the
  - A) filtration fraction.
  - B) plasma clearance.
  - **C)** renal blood flow rate.
  - **D)** renal fraction.
  - E) tubular maximum.

• D) renal fraction.

- The part of the plasma volume that passes through the filtration membrane is the
  - A) filtration fraction.
  - B) plasma clearance.
  - **C)** renal blood flow rate.
  - **D)** renal fraction.
  - E) tubular maximum.

• A) filtration fraction.

- Which of these substances normally cannot pass through the filtration membrane?
  - A) hemoglobin
  - B) water
  - **C)** sodium ions
  - **D)** bicarbonate ions
  - E) glucose

• A) hemoglobin

- Of the filtrate that enters the nephron, about what percent is reabsorbed during urine formation?
  - **A)** 99%
  - **B)** 95%
  - **C)** 80%
  - **D)** 65%

• **A)** 99%

## • A decrease in plasma proteins results in

A) decreased colloid osmotic pressure.

**B)** increased colloid osmotic pressure.

**C)** increased glomerular capillary pressure.

**D)** decreased filtration pressure.

E) increased tubular reabsorption.

• A)decreased colloid osmotic pressure.

- As filtrate moves through the thin segment of the descending limb of the loop of Henle, water moves \_\_\_\_\_\_ the nephron, and solutes move \_\_\_\_\_\_ the nephron.
  - **A)** into, into
  - **B)** into, out of
  - C) out of, into
  - D) out of, out of

• C) out of, into

- During tubular reabsorption in the proximal tubule of the nephron, most solutes are moved across the apical membrane by \_\_\_\_\_\_, and across the basal membrane by \_\_\_\_\_\_.
  - A) cotransport, cotransport
  - **B)** cotransport, facilitated diffusion
  - **C)** counter transport, cotransport
  - **D)** facilitated diffusion, cotransport
  - E) primary active transport, cotransport

• B) cotransport, facilitated diffusion

## In kidney nephron epithelial cells, solutes are cotransported with A) Ca2+ ions.

- B) Cl- ions.
- **C)** K+ ions.
- **D)** Mg2+ ions.
- E) Na+ ions.

• E) Na+ ions.

- In kidney nephron epithelial cells, \_\_\_\_\_ are moved by counter transport through the basal membrane in exchange for K+ ions.
  - A) Ca2+ ions
  - B) Cl- ions
  - C) H+ ions
  - D) Mg2+ ions
  - E) Na+ ions

• E) Na+ ions

## • The ascending limb of the loop of Henle is \_\_\_\_\_\_ to water.

- A) impermeable
- B) moderately permeable
- C) permeable

• A) impermeable

- The percentage of filtrate volume reabsorbed in the proximal tubule is
  - **A)** 99%.
  - **B)** 80%.
  - **C)** 65%.
  - **D)** 19%.
  - **E)** 15%.

• **C)** 65%.

- These ions are cotransported across the apical membrane in the ascending limb of the loop of Henle.
  - A) K+ ions and Cl- ions
  - B) K+ ions and Mg2+ ions
  - C) Ca2+ ions and K+ ions
  - D) Ca2+ ions and Cl- ions
  - E) Ca2+ ions and Mg2+ ions

• A) K+ ions and Cl- ions

- The permeability of the distal tubule and the collecting duct is controlled by
  - A) ADH.
  - B) aldosterone.
  - C) atrial natriuretic factor.
  - D) carrier molecules.
  - E) sodium ions.

• A) ADH.

- All of these compounds are reabsorbed from the filtrate back into the blood EXCEPT
  - A) amino acids.
  - **B)** fructose.
  - C) Na+ ions.
  - D) penicillin.
  - E) Ca2+ ions.

• D) penicillin.

- At which of these locations is the osmolality of the filtrate the highest?
  - A) Bowman's capsule
  - **B)** proximal tubule
  - **C)** bottom of the loop of Henle
  - D) distal tubule
  - E) top of the collecting duct

• C) bottom of the loop of Henle
- Renal tubules are \_\_\_\_\_ permeable to urea than they are to water, therefore urea concentration in the tubules \_\_\_\_\_\_.
  - A) less, decreases
  - B) less, increases
  - **C)** more, decreases
  - **D)** more, increases

• B) less, increases

- Which of these substances is actively transported into the filtrate in the proximal and distal tubule?
  - A) H+ ions
  - B) Na+ ions
  - C) glucose
  - **D)** amino acids
  - E) Cl- ions

• A) H+ ions

#### The countercurrent multiplier mechanism of the nephron is in the

- A) proximal tubule and distal tubule.
- **B)** Loop of Henle and vasa recta.
- **C)** distal tubule and collecting duct.
- **D)** glomerulus and Bowman's capsule.
- E) glomerulus and collecting duct.

• B) Loop of Henle and vasa recta.

#### • Urea diffuses out of the \_\_\_\_\_\_, and into the \_\_\_\_\_\_.

A) proximal tubule, distal tubule

**B)** proximal tubule, descending limb of the Loop of Henle

**C)** descending limb of the Loop of Henle, ascending limb of the Loop of Henle

**D)** ascending limb of the Loop of Henle, descending limb of the Loop of Henle

E) collecting duct, descending limb of the Loop of Henle

• E) collecting duct, descending limb of the Loop of Henle

- Juxtaglomerular cells secrete
  - A) ADH.
  - B) oxytocin.
  - C) renin.
  - **D)** aldosterone.
  - E) angiotensin

• C) renin.

#### • Drinking a large amount of beer results in

A) increased aldosterone secretion.

- **B)** increased permeability of the collecting ducts of the nephrons.
- **C)** decreased urine osmolality.
- **D)** increased urine volume.
- E) both c and d

• E) both c and d

- Which of these conditions increases the amount of urine produced?
- A) increased ADH secretion
- B) increased atrial natriuretic hormone secretion
- C) increased aldosterone secretion
- D) decreased blood pressure in the glomerular capillaries
- E) sympathetic stimulation of the renal arteries

• B) increased atrial natriuretic hormone secretion

- Angiotensin II causes
  - A) increased ADH secretion.
  - **B)** increased thirst.
  - **C)** increased salt appetite.
  - **D)** increased peripheral resistance.
  - E) all of these

• E) all o f these

- When the tubular load of a substance exceeds the tubular maximum, that substance will
  - A) be actively transported into the blood.
  - **B)** diffuse into the blood.
  - **C)** appear in the urine.
  - **D)** cause a backflow of filtrate from Bowman's capsule into the glomerulus.
  - E) be broken down by carbonic anhydrase.

• C) appear in the urine.

- The micturition reflex
  - A) can be stimulated or inhibited by higher centers in the brain.
  - **B)** is stimulated by increased pressure in the bladder.
  - **C)** can be stimulated by irritation of the bladder or urethra.
  - D) all of these

• D) all of these

#### What are the 3 parts of the male urethra?

## Prostatic, membranous, spongy

The nephron consists of:

Renal corpuscle, proximal convoluted tubule, Loop of Henle, distal convoluted tubule, collecting duct

#### What is the GRF?

#### **Glomerular Filtration Rate**

(The amount of filtrate produced in the kidneys each minute.)

## What does the GFR produce?

## Renin and erythropoietin

# What are the 2 types of muscle around testes?

## Dartos and cremaster

#### What are the male accessory organs?

Seminal vesicles, prostate gland, bulbourethral glands, scrotal sac, penis

The testes are formed in the \_\_\_\_\_ and descend into the scrotum at \_\_\_\_\_.

# Abdomen; 28 weeks

What are the 3 phases of spermatogenesis?

Spermatogonial phase (mitosis), spermatocyte phase (meiosis), & spermatid phase
What are the 3 materials produced by seminal vesicles?

#### Fructose, prostaglandins,& fribrinogen

## In the female, what are the two types of cysts?

Functional (shrinks after cycle); pathological (increases or stays the same size) Human fertilization normally takes place in the \_\_\_\_\_.

### Fallopian tubes

What structure does the term fimbrated refer to?

### Uterine (fallopian) tube

## What is the pathway of urine flow in the kidney?

Renal cortex, renal pyramid, renal papilla, minor calyx, renal pelvis, ureter

How many pyramids are normally in the medulla?

# Normally 8, but you can have between 7-12.