

# Body energy, Metabolic Rate, and Regulation of Food Intake

**FATS, OILS, & SWEETS**  
**USE SPARINGLY**

**MILK, YOGURT, & CHEESE GROUP**

**Examples:**

- 1 cup milk or yogurt
- 1.5 oz natural cheese



2-3 servings



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**VEGETABLE GROUP**

**Examples:**

- 1 cup raw leafy vegetables
- 1/2 cup other vegetables
- 3/4 cup vegetable juice



3-5 servings



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**FRUIT GROUP**

**Examples:**

- 1 medium banana, apple, or orange
- 3/4 cup fruit juice
- 1 melon wedge
- 1/4 cup dried fruit



6-11 servings

**BREAD, CEREAL, RICE, & PASTA GROUP**

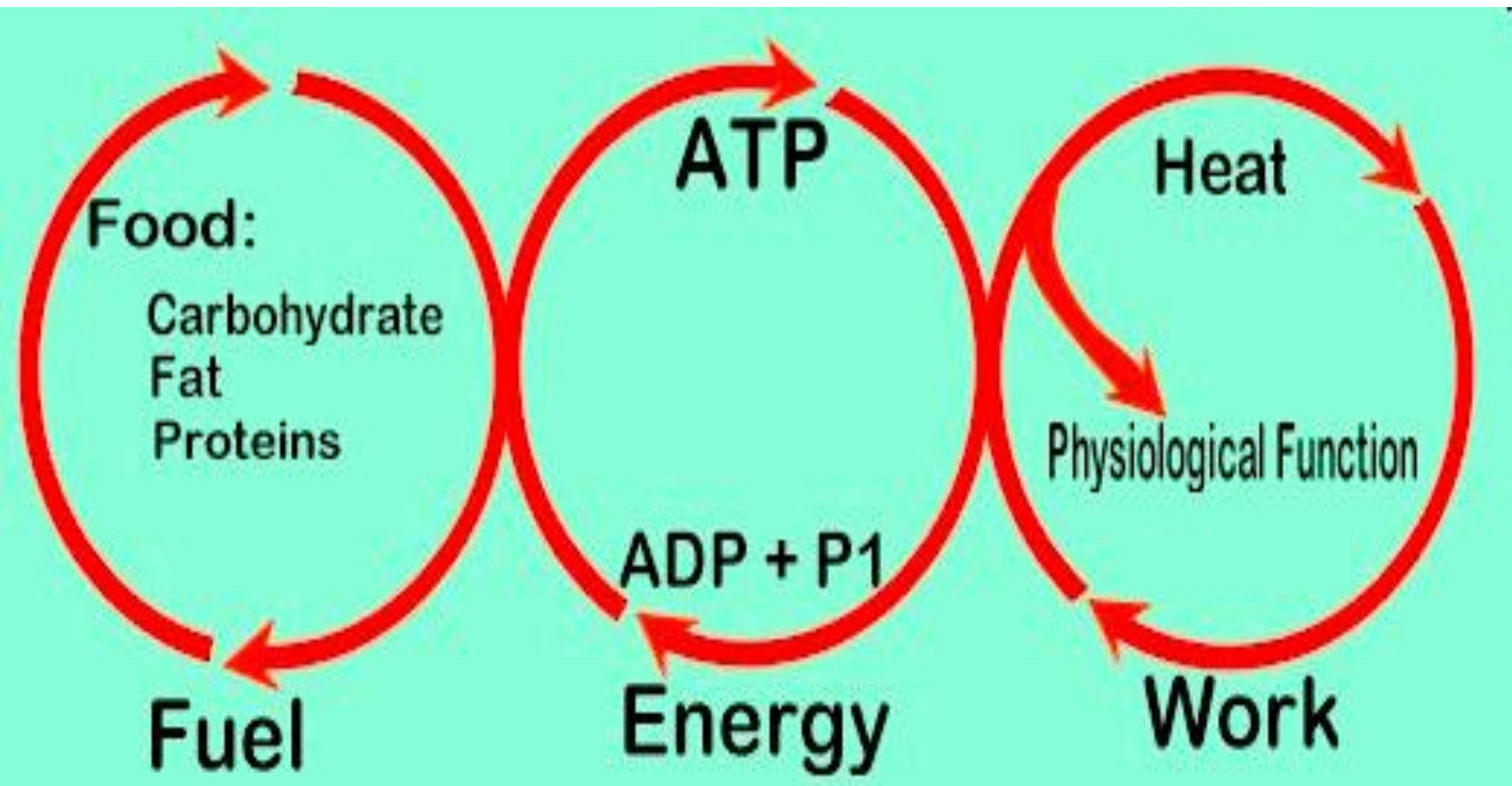
**Examples:**

- 1 oz ready-to-eat cereal
- 1/2 cup cooked cereal, pasta or rice
- 1 slice bread

**Key:**

- Fat (naturally occurring and added)
- ▼ Sugars (added)

These symbols show fat and added sugars in foods. They come mostly from the fats, oils, and sweets group. But foods in other groups—such as cheese or ice cream from the milk group or french fries from the vegetable group—can also provide fat and added sugars.



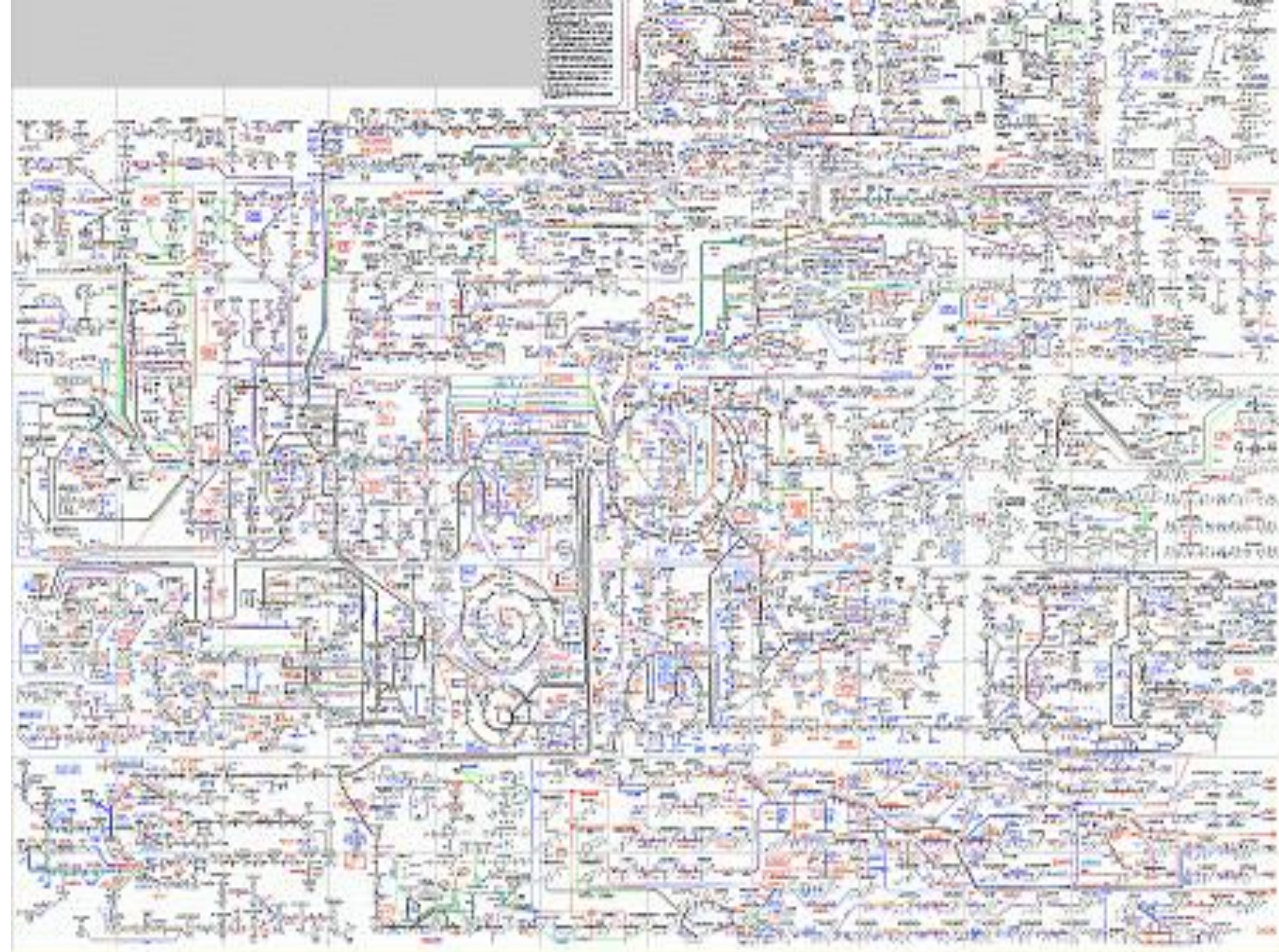
# Types of Work

**Chemical works:** building of cellular components, secretions, etc.

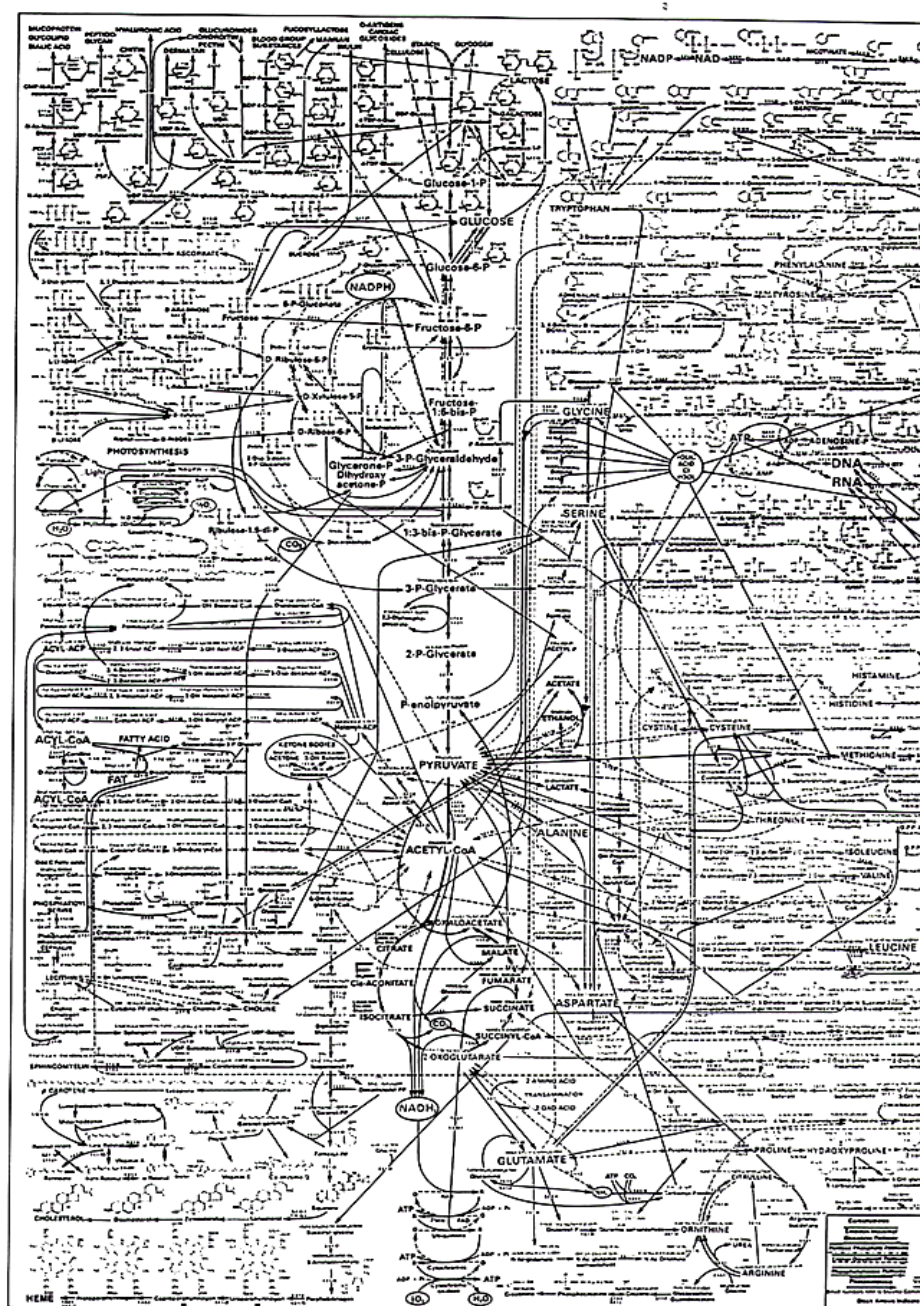
**Mechanical works:** muscle contractions, heart pumping, etc.

**Electrical works:** nerve conduction, resting potential (by maintaining the activity of  $\text{Na}^+/\text{K}^+$  pumps and other pumps).

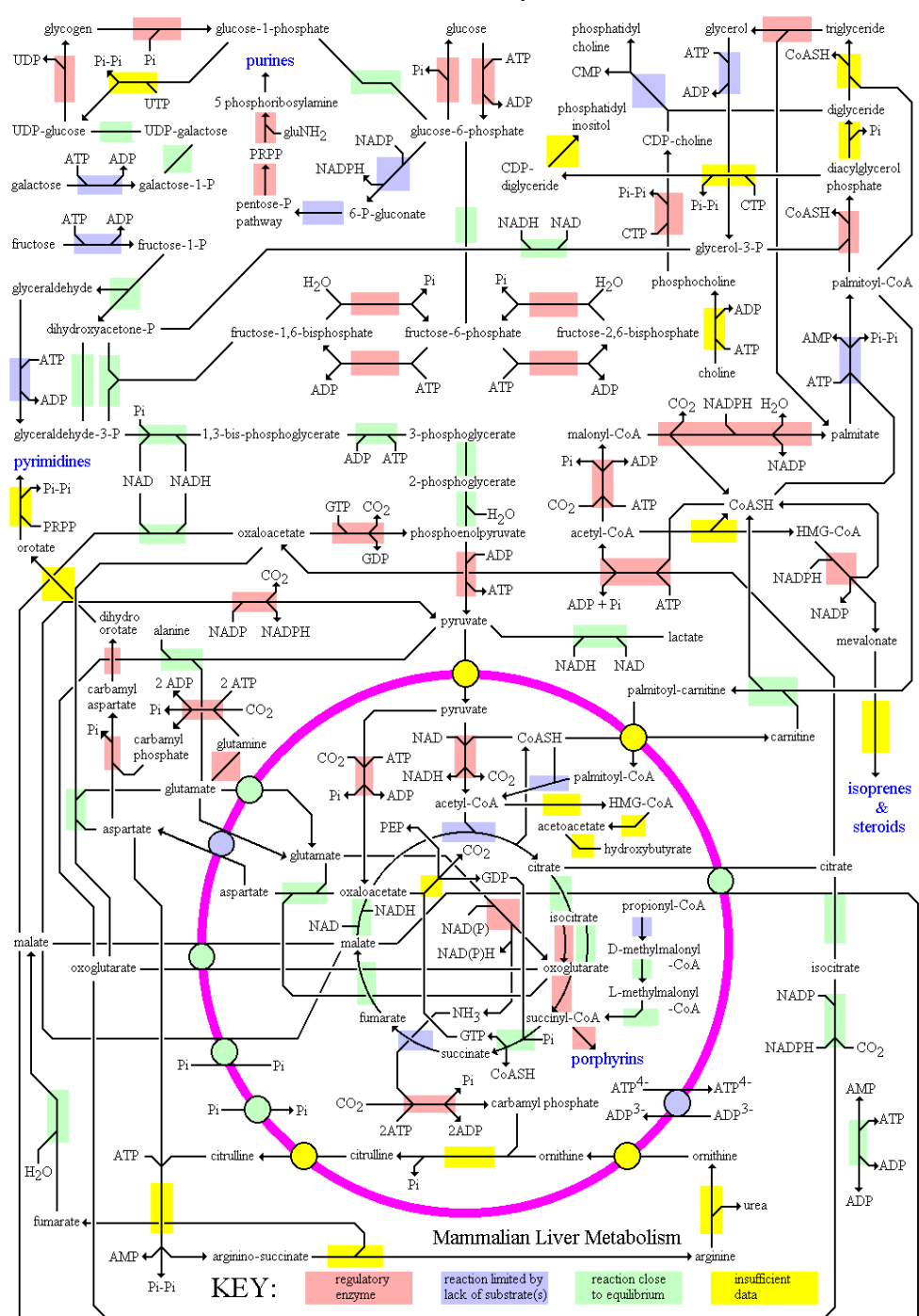


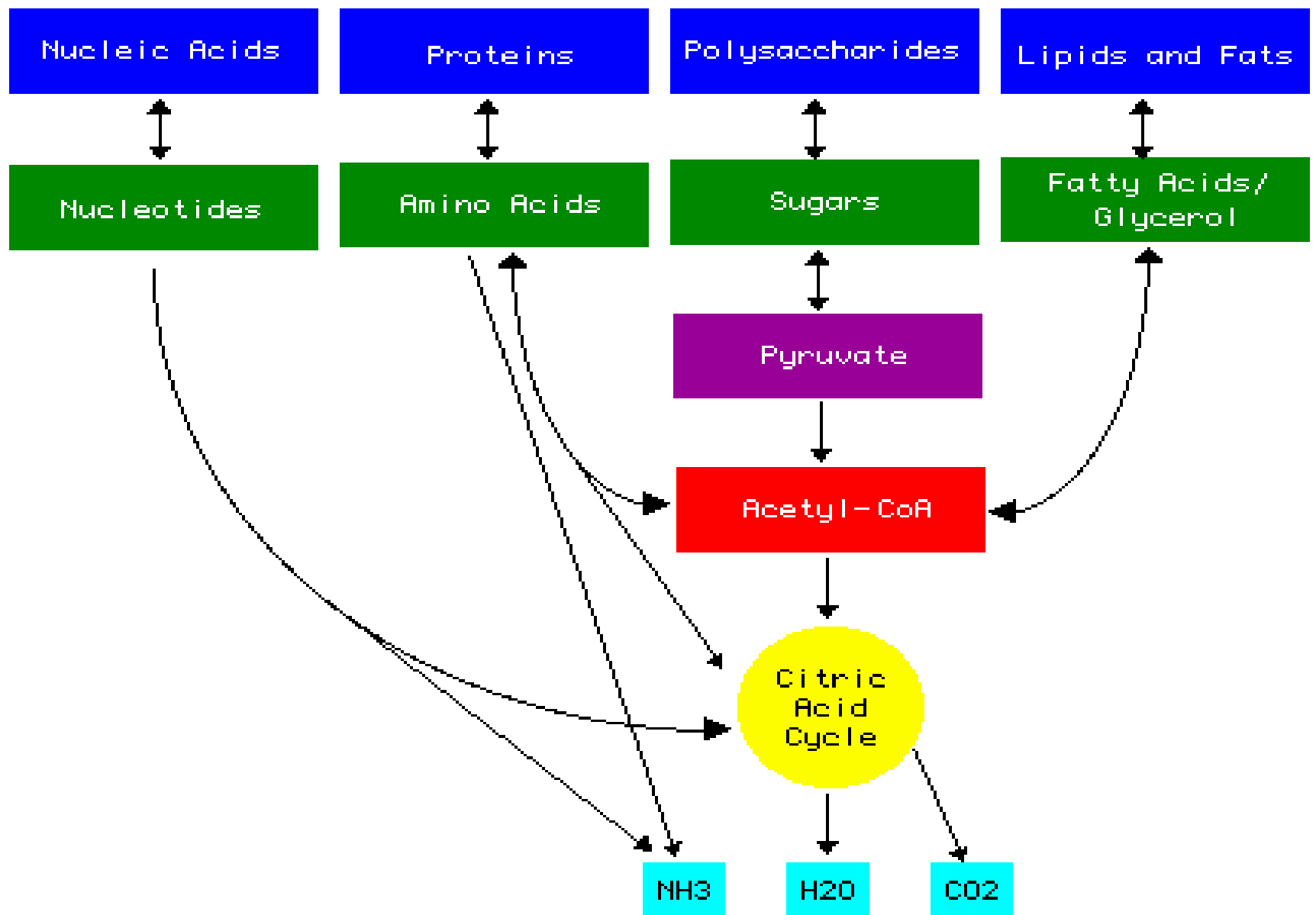






**Figure 17.1** A metabolic map, indicating the reactions of intermediary metabolism and the enzymes that catalyze different chemical intermediates, or metabolites, and a greater number of enzymes are represented here.  
(Courtesy of D. E. Nicholson, University of Leeds, U.K., and the Sigma Chemical Co.)





# Fat

# Carbohydrate

# Protein

Triglycerides

Glucose

Amino Acids

Glycerol  
+  
Free Fatty  
Acids (FFA)

Glycolysis

Deamination  
Transamination

Pyruvic Acid

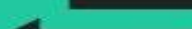
Keto Acids

Beta Oxidation

Acetyl CoA

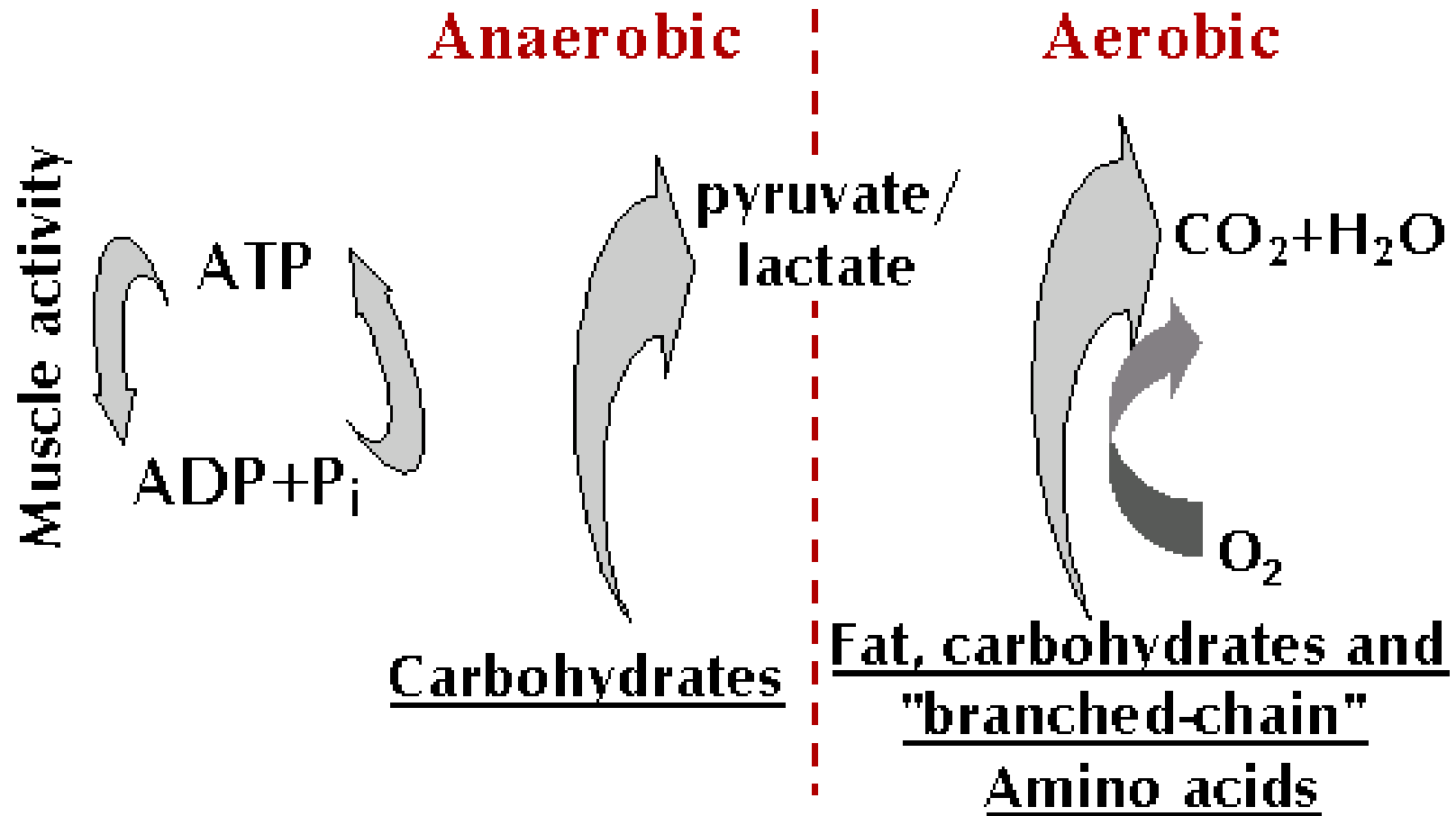
Krebs Cycle

Electron Transport  
and  
Oxidative Phosphorylation





# Muscle work and Energy



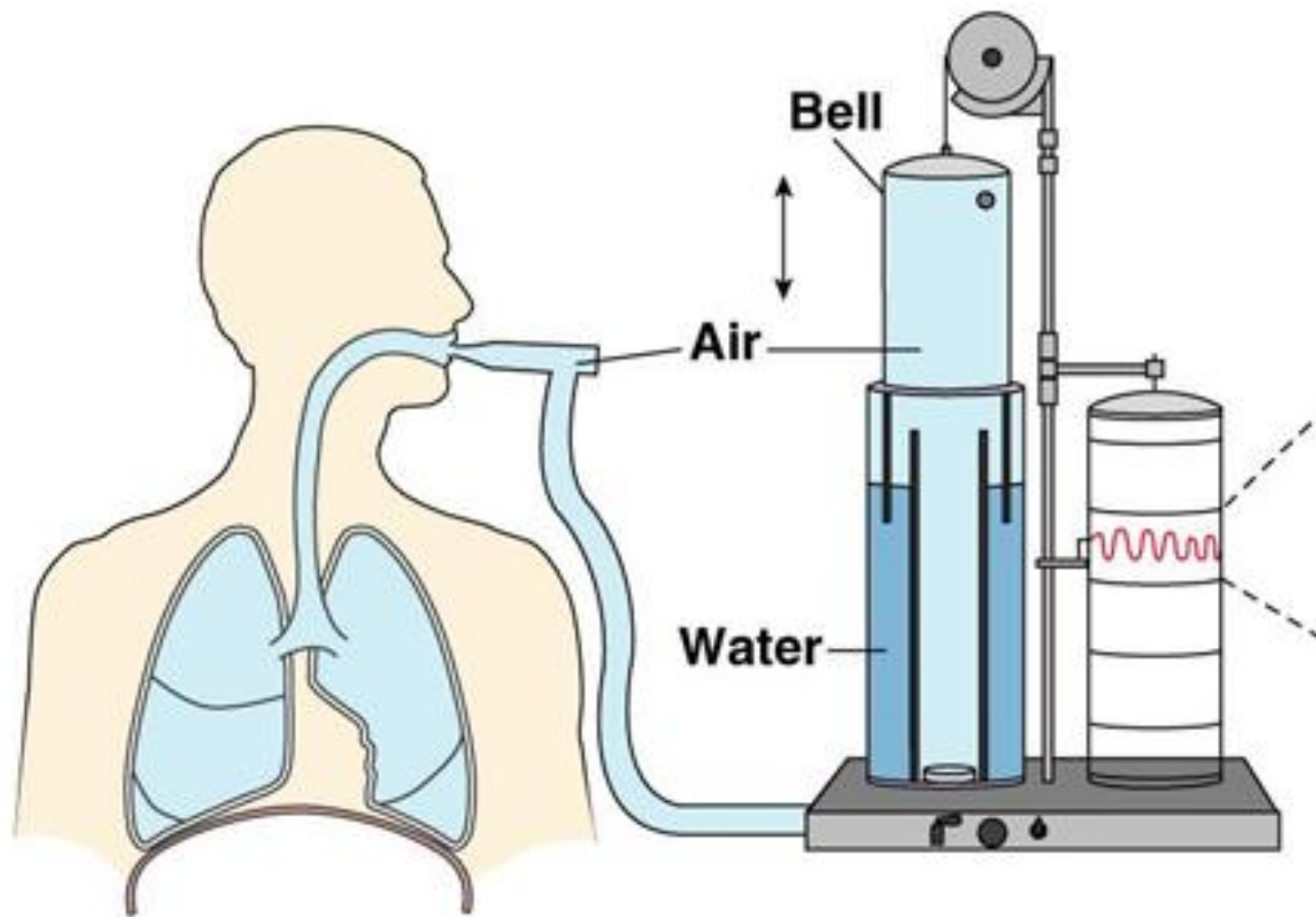
$$\text{Respiratory Quotient} = \frac{\text{volume of carbon dioxide per unit time}}{\text{volume of oxygen per unit time}}$$

# Metabolic Rate

## Measurements:

- Direct Calorimetry
- Indirect Calorimetry  
(O<sub>2</sub> consumption)
  - Closed method
  - Opened method





**Basal Metabolic Rate (BMR)**  
**measurement under basal**  
**conditions**

# Basal Conditions

- No eaten food for at least 12 hours.
- Measurement after a night of restful sleep.
- No exercise in the hour prior to the test



# Factors affecting metabolic rate

- **Exercise:** increases
- **Daily activities**
- **Age:**
- **Sleep:**
- **Climate:**
- **Fever:**
- **Malnutrition;**
- **Specific dynamic action:**
- **Effect of hormones:**
  - Thyroid hormones:
  - Male sex hormones increase 10-15%.
  - Growth hormones: Increase 15-20%
- **Effect of sympathetic stimulation:** increases metabolic rate.

# **Regulation of food intake**

# Food intake = Energy expenditure

Calories In



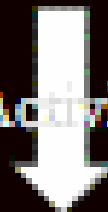
Energy Intake  
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Weight Stable



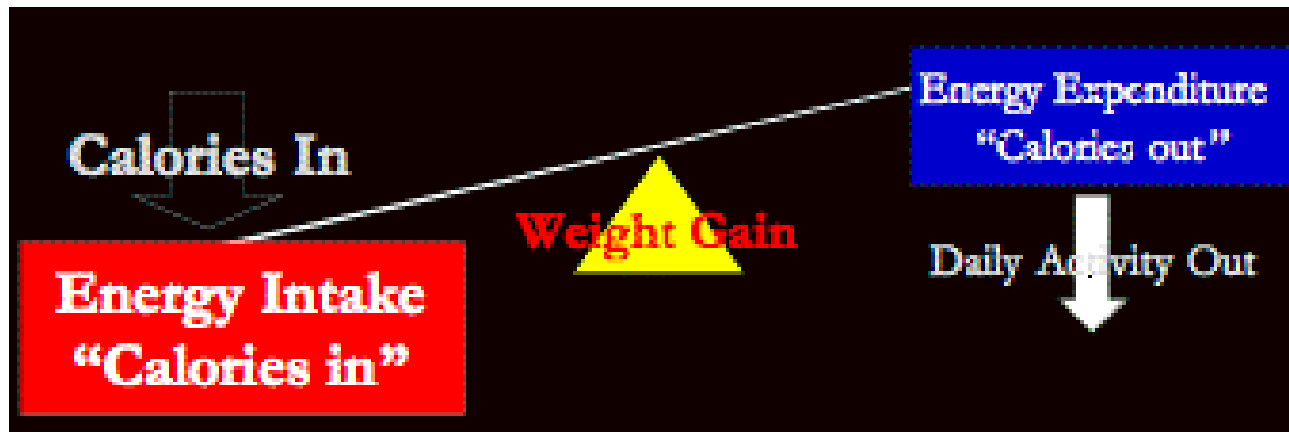
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Daily Activity Out

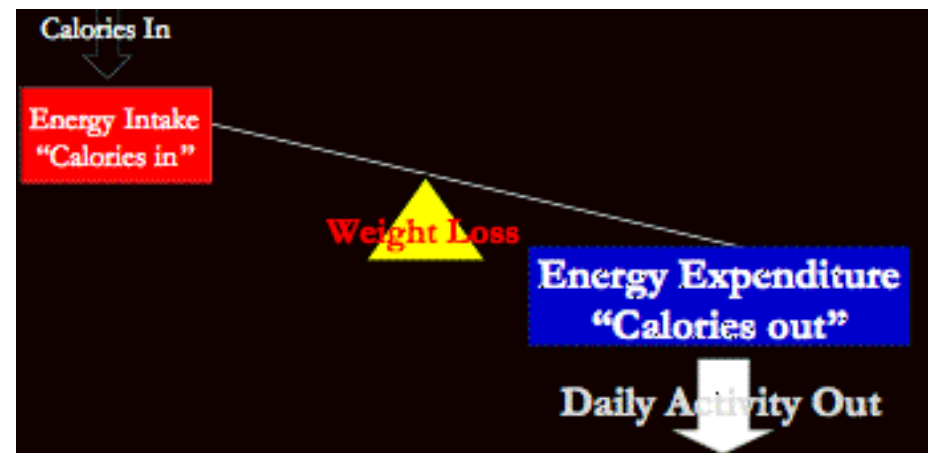




## Positive balance



## Negative balance



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# Hypothalamic control of food intake

**Feeding center:** lateral nuclei..

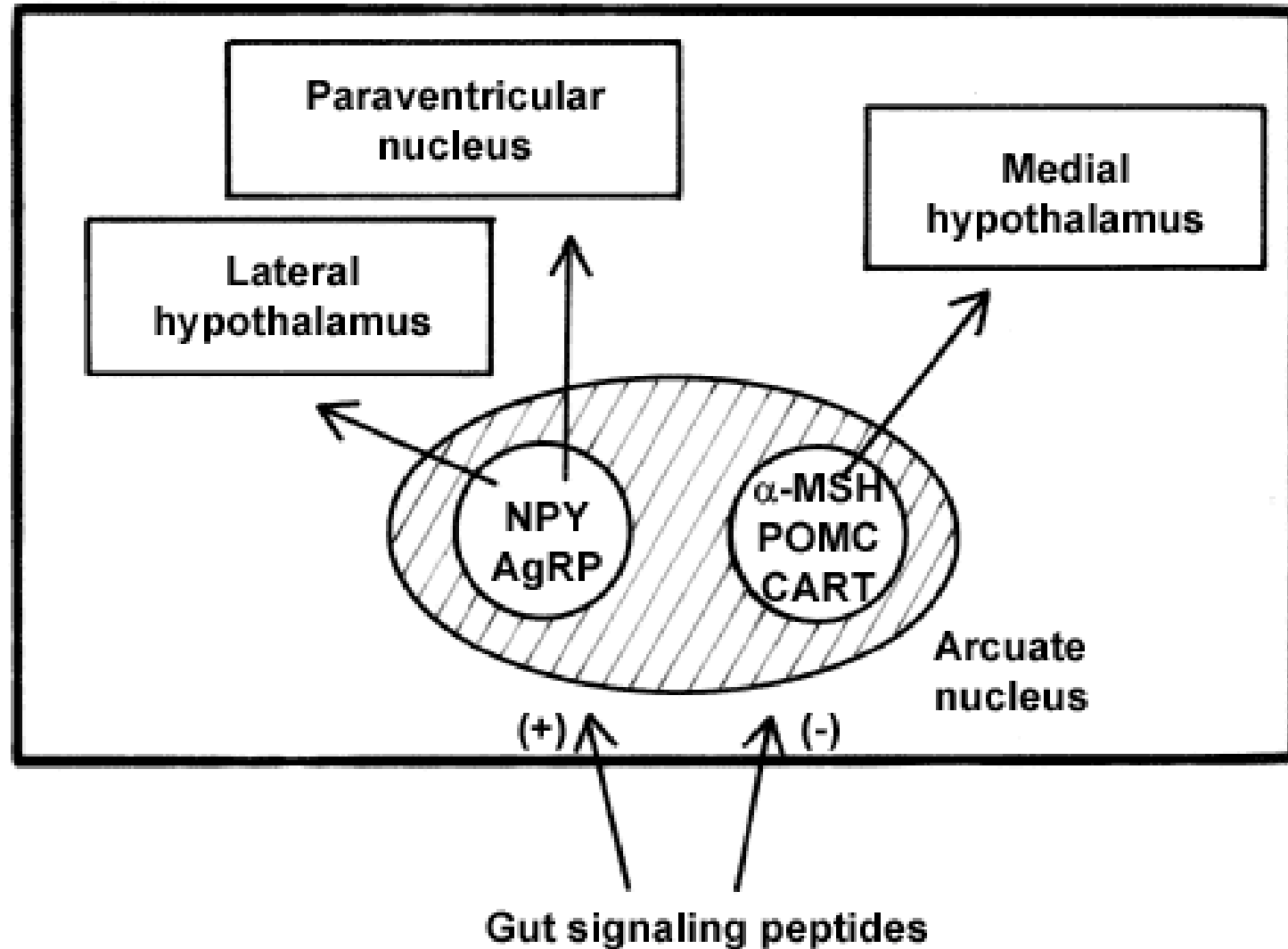
**Satiety center:** ventromedial nuclei

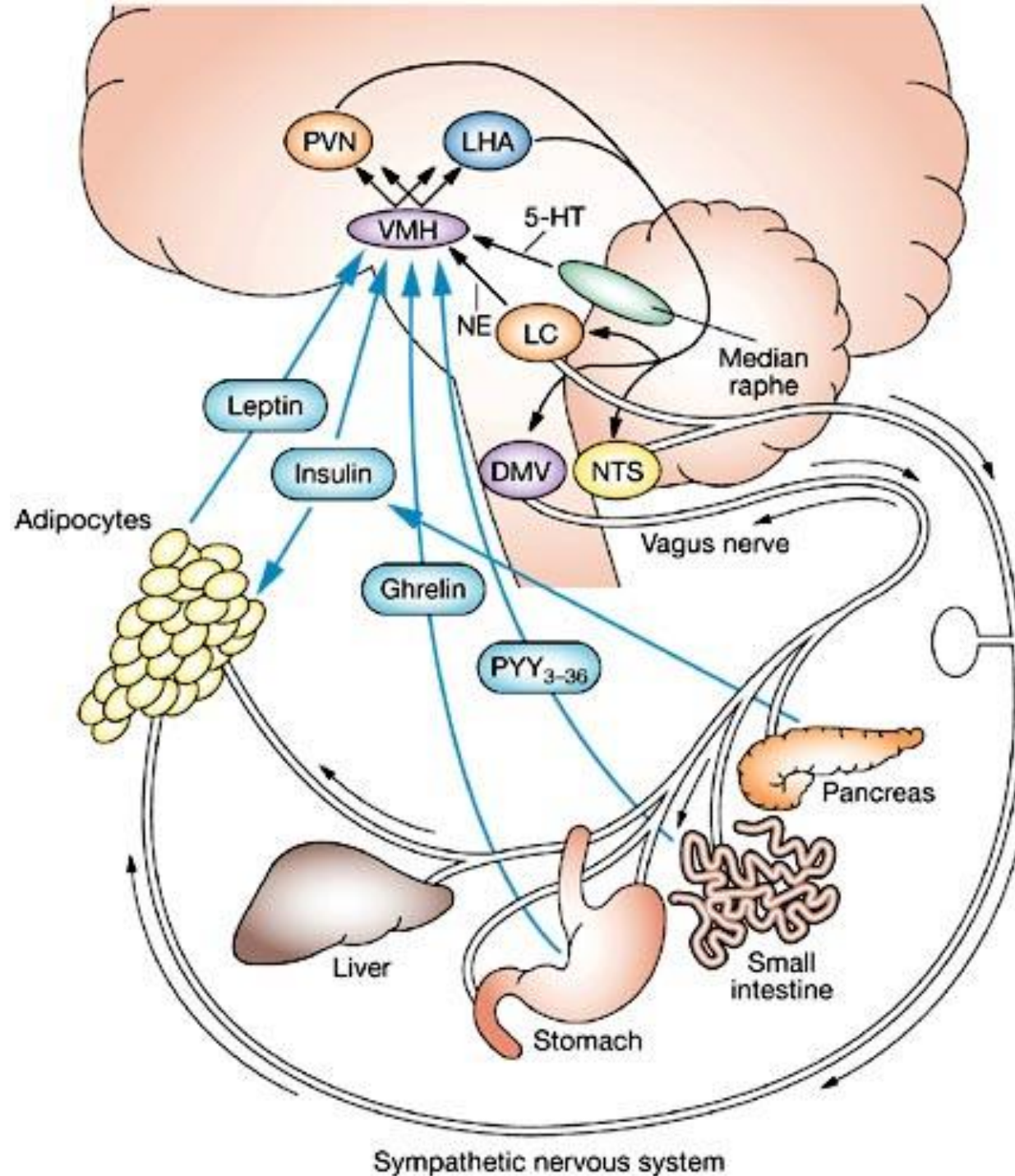
**Amygdala** (destruction → psychic blindness.

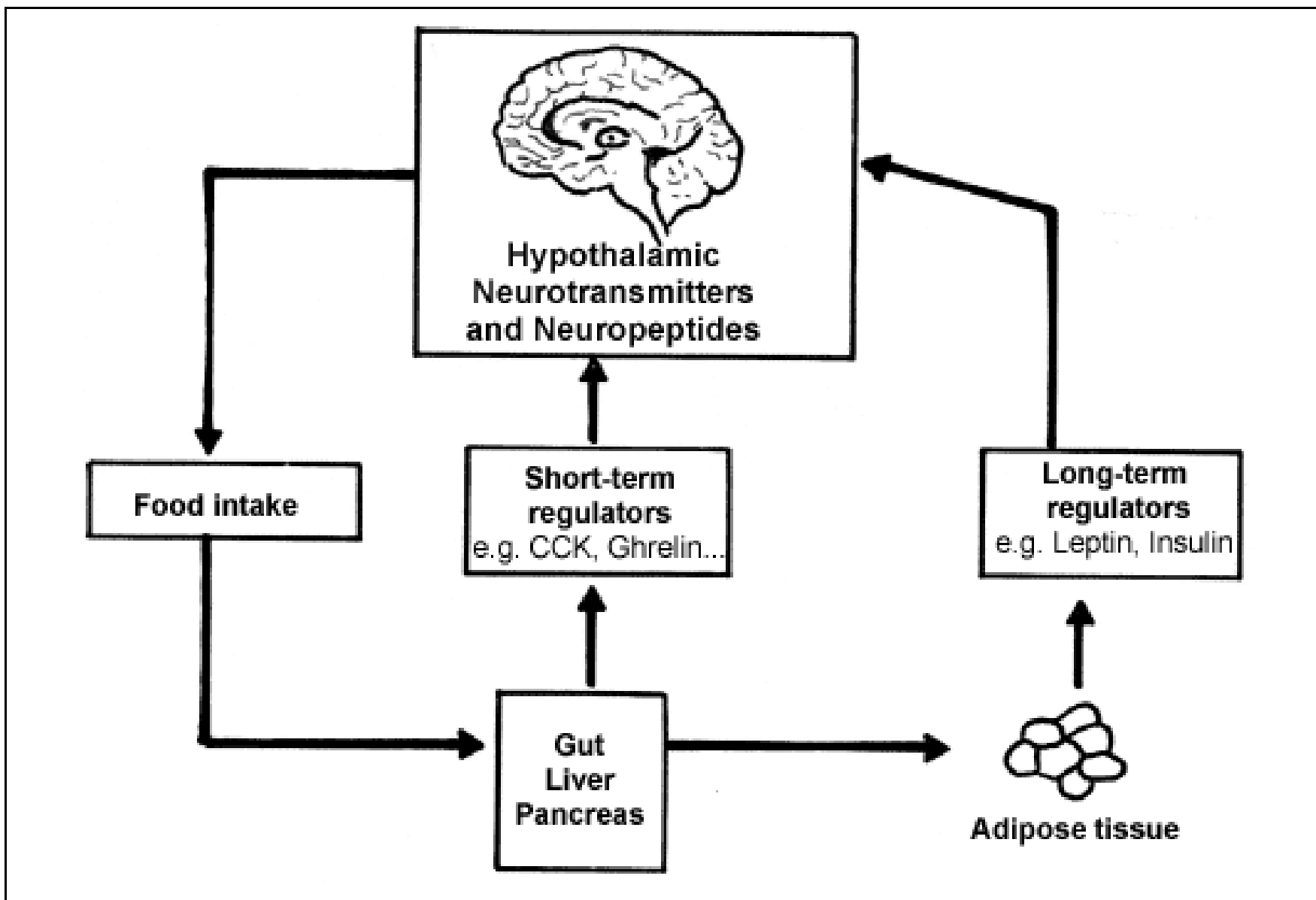
**prefrontal cortex:**

**Hunger center**

**Satiety center**

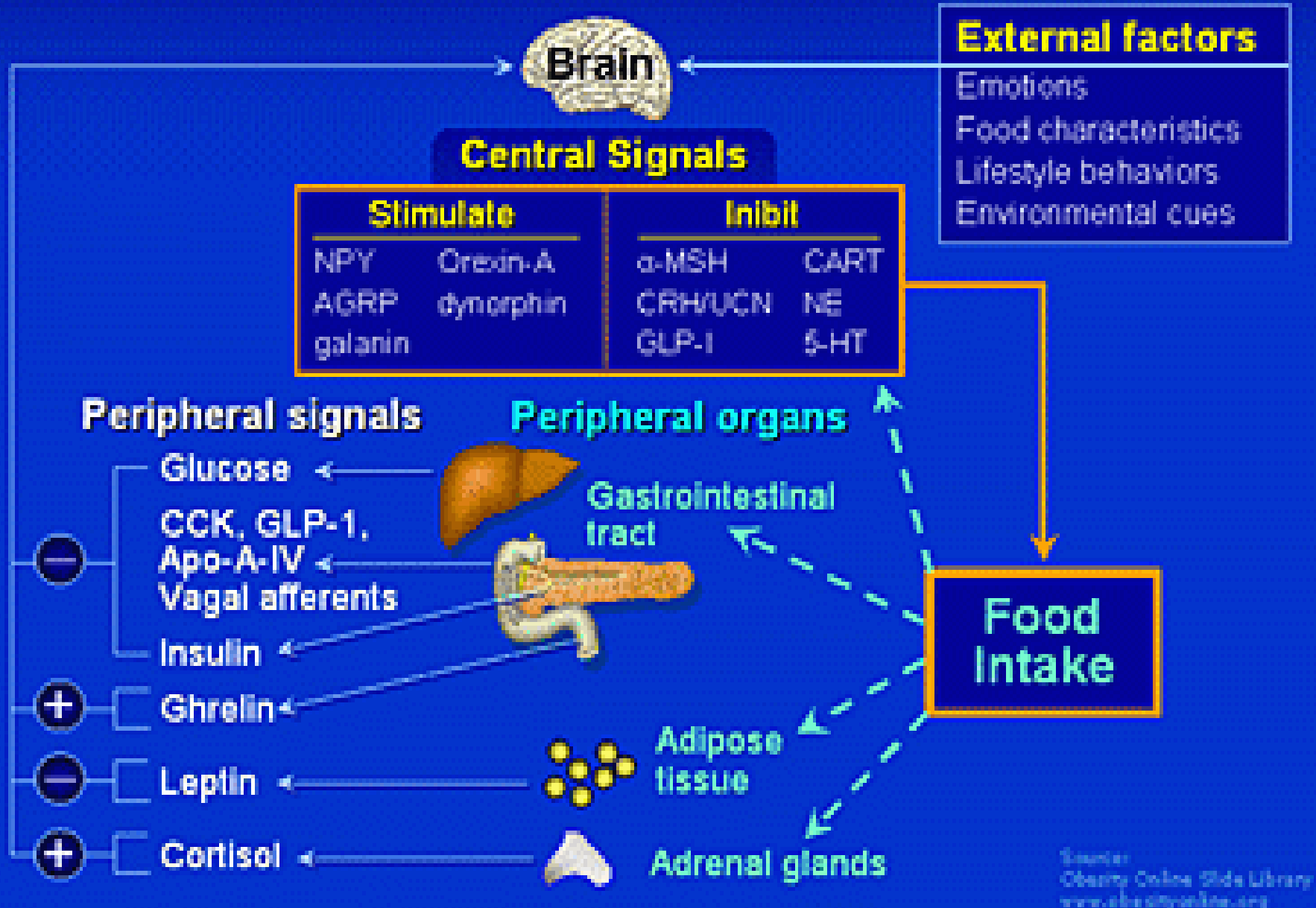








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## Long term regulations

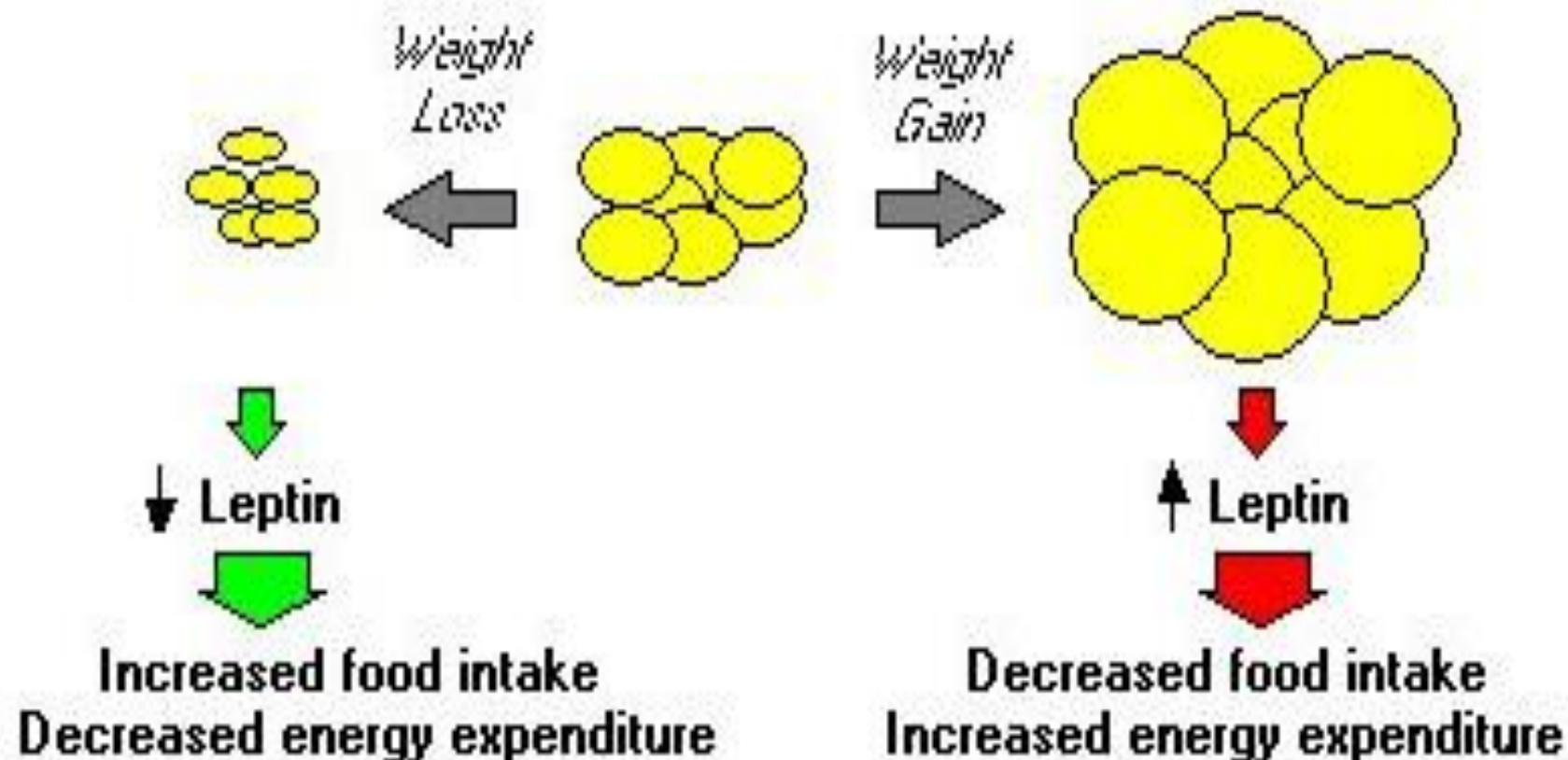
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# **Short term regulation of food intake**

These are rapid signals that affect feeding.

**Gastrointestinal filling:**

**Hormonal factors:**

**Suppression by oral  
receptors:**

# Obesity





# OBESITY

## Causes of obesity

**Neurogenic abnormalities:**

**Genetic factors:**

**Psychosocial factor:**

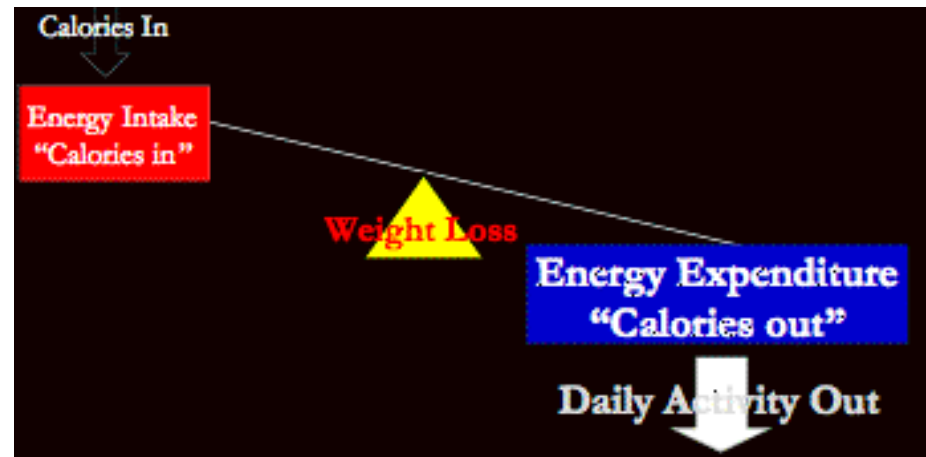
**Childhood overnutrition:**

**Other causes of obesity:**

**Disorders of the endocrine system**  
(hypothyroidism) and **lack of physical exercise.**

# Inanition

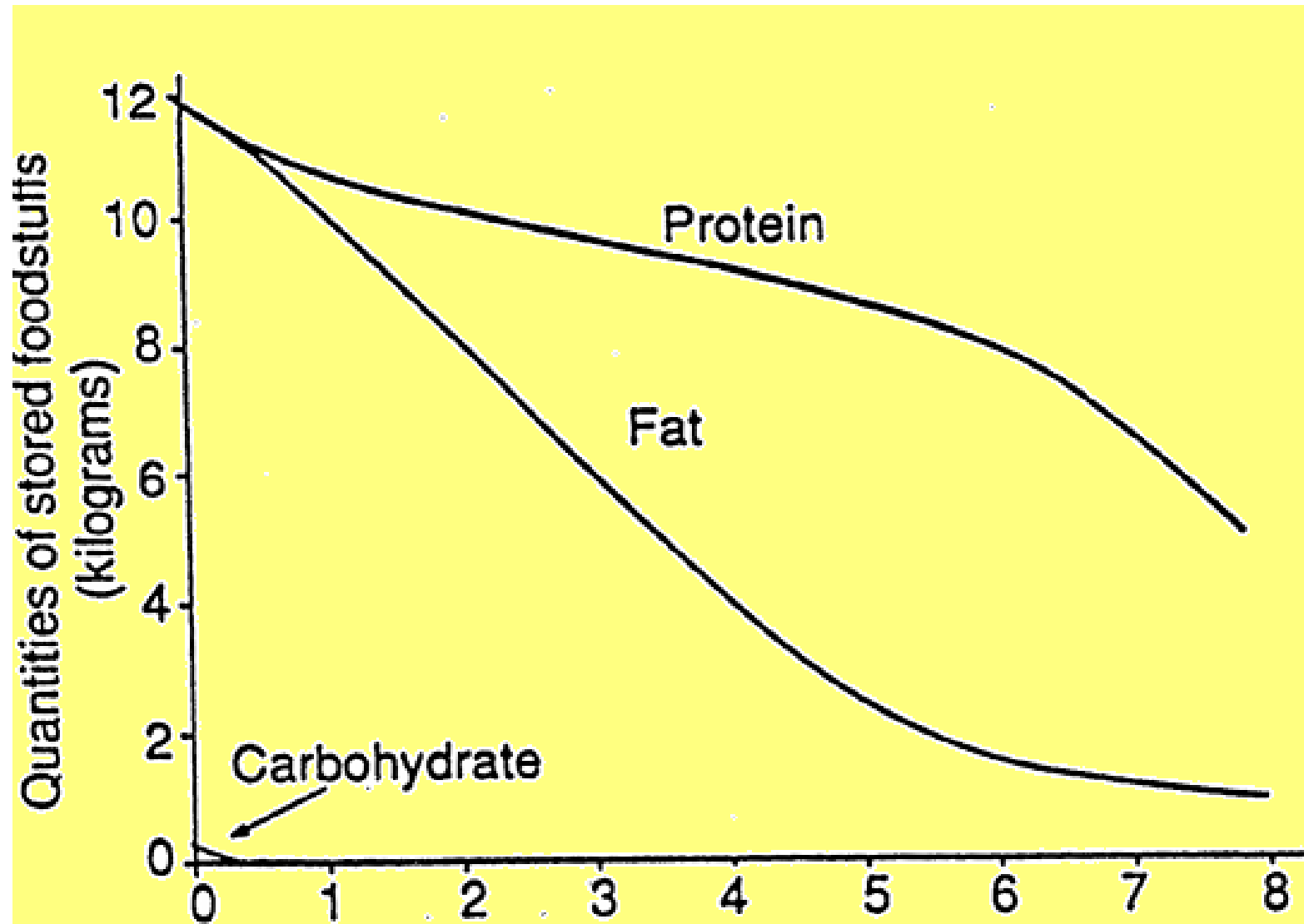
## Negative balance



Causes:

psychogenic (anorexia nervosa) or  
hypothalamic abnormalities

# Starvation and depletion of stores in the body



A scenic landscape featuring a green football field in the foreground, surrounded by dense green trees. In the background, there are rolling hills and mountains under a clear sky. The text "GOOD LUCK" is overlaid in green, and the email address "malessa@ju.edu.jo" is overlaid in white.

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