

Root Words

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PREFIX “Arthro-”

Indicating a joint

Examples:

Arthropod - a invertebrate having jointed limbs and a segmented body with an exoskeleton made of chitin.

Arthropathy - any joint disease



Ar thro pod
Ar th r o p o d

PREFIX “Bi-”

Two or twice

Biquadratic – an equation of the fourth degree.

Biathlon – a sport, which include skiing and shooting.



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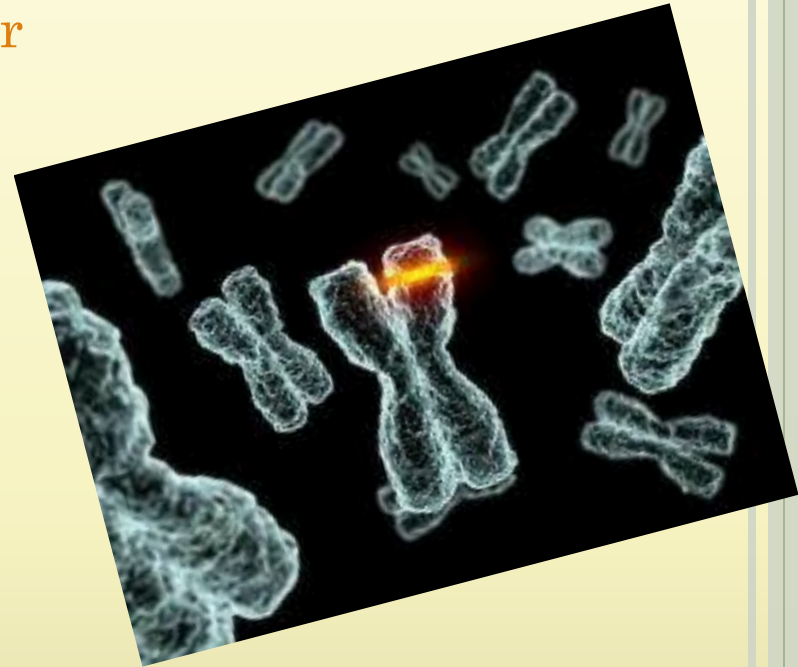
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PREFIX “Bio-”

Life

Biology – the science of life and of living organisms.

Biolysis – a destruction of tissues under the influence of organisms.



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PREFIX “Carne-”

Flesh

Carnivore – a flesh-eating animal.

Carnage – massive slaughter, as in war.



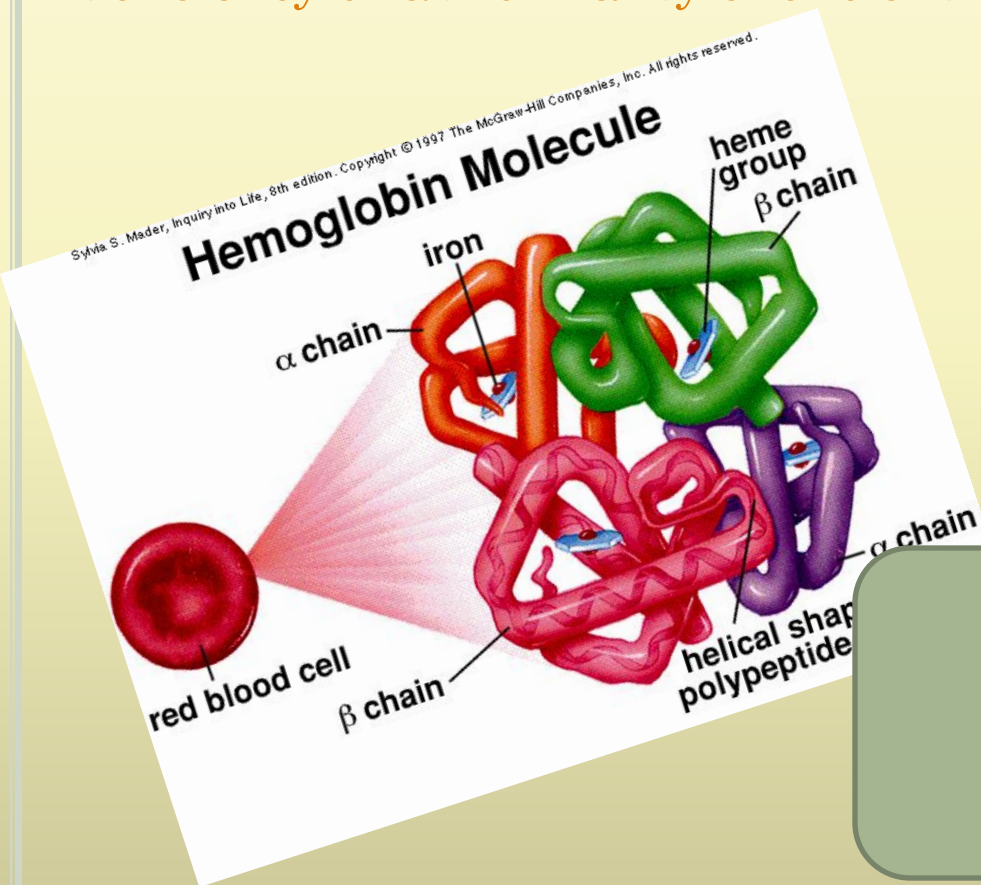
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PREFIX “Hemo-”

Blood

Hemoglobin – the oxygen carrying pigment of red blood cells.

Hemophilia – any of several hereditary blood-coagulation disorders in which the blood fails to clot normally because of a deficiency or abnormality of one of the clotting factors.



He mo glo bin
H e m o g l o i n

PREFIX “Hyper-”

Extra, big

Hyperactivity – having behavior characterized by over activity.

Hyperacidity – containing excessive acid; excessively acidic.



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