組織名稱	結構	主要功能	舉例
上皮組織(epithelial tissue)	單層或多層緊密 結合的細胞	保護、吸收、分泌	皮膚、腦下垂 體前葉、腺體
結締組織 (connective tissue)	細胞分散於基質 中	支撐、分隔、保護	軟骨、脂肪、 血球
肌肉組織(muscular tissue)	長形細胞含大量 收縮纖維	運動、支持、血流	骨骼肌、心臟
神經組織 (nervous tissue)	不規則形狀的神 經元及周邊細胞	訊息傳遞、意識	脊髓、腦

### General Features of Epithelial Tissues

- Closely packed cells forming continuous sheets
- Cells sit on basement membrane
- Apical (upper) free surface
- Avascular---without blood vessels
  - --nutrients diffuse in from underlying connective tissue
- Good nerve supply
- Rapid cell division
- Covering / lining versus glandular types





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### **Simple Columnar Epithelium**



Locations: the stomach, intestines, and the uterus Functions: secretion and absorption Key Features: single layer of columnar cells; nuclei in a somewhat linear arrangement; may have goblet cells; little matrix

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# Stratified Squamous Epithelium



Locations: the epidermis, the oral cavity, and the anal canal Function: protection against abrasion Key Features: flattened, anucleated cells near free surface; little matrix



# Stratified Columnar Epithelium



Photomicrograph of stratified columnar epithelium

**Location**: limited, and includes small portions of the pharynx and larynx

**Functions**: a transitional zone between stratified squamous epithelium and simple columnar epithelium or pseudostratified epithelium







### Connective Tissue Ground Substance

- Supports the cells and fibers
- Helps determine the consistency of the matrix
  - fluid, gel or solid
- Contains many large molecules
  - hyaluronic acid is thick, viscous and slippery
  - condroitin sulfate is jellylike substance providing support
  - adhesion proteins (fibronectin) binds collagen fibers to ground substance





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Comparison of Skeletal, Smooth, and Cardiac Muscle			
	Skeletal	Smooth	Cardiac
Major location	Skeletal muscles	Walls of hollow viscera	Wall of the heart
Major function	Movement of bones at joints, maintenance of posture	Movement of viscera, peristalsis	Pumping action of the heart
Cellular characteristics			
Striations	Present	Absent	Present
Nucleus	Many nuclei	Single nucleus	Single nucleus
Special features	Well-developed transverse tubule system	Lacks transverse tubules	Well-developed transverse tubule system; intercalater discs separating adjacent cells
Mode of control	Voluntary	Involuntary	Involuntary
Contraction characteristics	Contracts and relaxes rapidly	Contracts and relaxes slowly; self-exciting; rhythmic	Network of fibers contracts as a unit; self-exciting; rhythmic









# **Skin Color Pigments**

### Melanin produced in epidermis by melanocytes

- same number of melanocytes in everyone, but differing amounts of pigment produced
- results vary from yellow to tan to black color
- melanocytes convert tyrosine to melanin
  - UV in sunlight increases melanin production

### Clinical observations

- freckles or liver spots = melanocytes in a patch
- albinism = inherited lack of tyrosinase; no pigment
- vitiligo = autoimmune loss of melanocytes in areas of the skin produces white patches









Feature	Eccrine Sweat Glands	Apocrine Sweat Glands
Distribution	Throughout skin of most regions of the body, especially in skin of forehead, palms, and soles.	Skin of the axilla, groin, areolae, bearded regions of the face, clitoris, and labia minora.
Location of secretory portion	Mostly in deep dermis.	Mostly in subcutaneous layer.
Termination of excretory duct	Surface of epidermis.	Hair follicle.
Secretion	Less viscous; consists of water, ions (Na+, Cl⁻), urea, uric acid, ammonia, amino acids, glucose, and lactic acid.	More viscous; consists of the same components as eccrine sweat glands plus lipids and proteins.
Functions	Regulation of body temperature and waste removal.	Stimulated during emotional stress and sexual excitement.
Onset of function	Soon after birth.	Puberty.



Feature	Thin Skin	Thick Skin
Distribution	All parts of the body except palms and palmar surface of digits, and soles.	Palms, palmar surface of digits, and soles.
Epidermal thickness	0.10-0.15 mm (0.004-0.006 in.).	0.6-4.5 mm (0.024-0.18 in.).
Epidermal strata	Stratum lucidum essentially lacking; thinner strata spinosum and corneum.	Thick strata lucidum, spinosum, and corneum.
Epidermal ridges	Lacking due to poorly developed and fewer dermal papillae.	Present due to well- developed and more numerous dermal papillae.
Hair follicles and arrector pili muscles	Present.	Absent.
Sebaceous glands	Present.	Absent.
Sudoriferous glands	Fewer.	More numerous.
Sensory receptors	Sparser.	Denser.





Fu	nctions	How accomplished
Pro	tects deeper tissues from	
•	Mechanical damage (bumps)	Physical barrier contains keratin, which toughens cells, and pressure receptors, which alert the nervous system to possible damage.
•	Chemical damage (acids and bases)	Has relatively impermeable keratinized cells; contains pain receptors, which alert the nervous system to possible damage.
•	Bacterial damage	Has an unbroken surface and "acid mantle" (skin secretions are acidic, and thus inhibit bacteria). Phagocytes ingest foreign substances and pathogens, preventing them from penetrating into deeper body tissues.
•	Ultraviolet radiation (damaging effects of sunlight)	Melanin produced by melanocytes offers protection.
•	Thermal (heat or cold) damage	Contains heat/cold/pain receptors.
•	Desiccation (drying out)	Contains waterproofing substances including keratin.
Aid ret ner	is in body heat loss or heat ention (controlled by the vous system)	Heat loss: By activating sweat glands and allowing blood to flush into skin capillary beds. Heat retention: By not allowing blood to flush into skin capillary beds.
Aid	ls in excretion of urea and c acid	Contained in perspiration produced by sweat glands.
Syr	nthesizes vitamin D	Modified cholesterol molecules in skin converted to vitamin D

