- **<u>Tissues</u>**: group of cells that are similar in structure and function
- Epithelium: covering, linings of surfaces
- Connective: support bone, ligaments, fat
- Muscle: movement
- Nervous: control brain, nerves, spinal cord



:Function of epithelial tissue

- **Protection:** skin protects from sunlight, bacteria, physical damage
- Absorption: lining of small intestine, absorbing nutrient into blood.
- **Filtration:** lining of kidney tubules filtration waste from blood plasma
- Secretion: different glands perspiration, oil, digestive enzyme and mucus



Classification of epithelial tissue

Cell shape

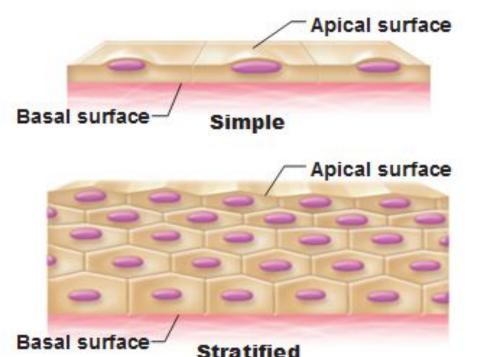
- Squamous=falttened like fish scales
- Cuboidal=cubes
- Columnar=columns

Cell layers

- Simple (one layer)
- Stratified (many layer)
- Named for the type of cell at the apical surface



Classifications of Epithelia





Note that basal cells regenerate; as apical cells slough off, they are replaced by basal cells



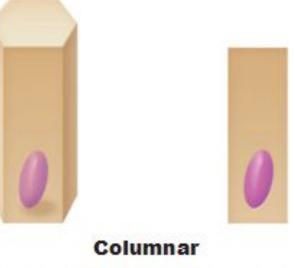


Squamous



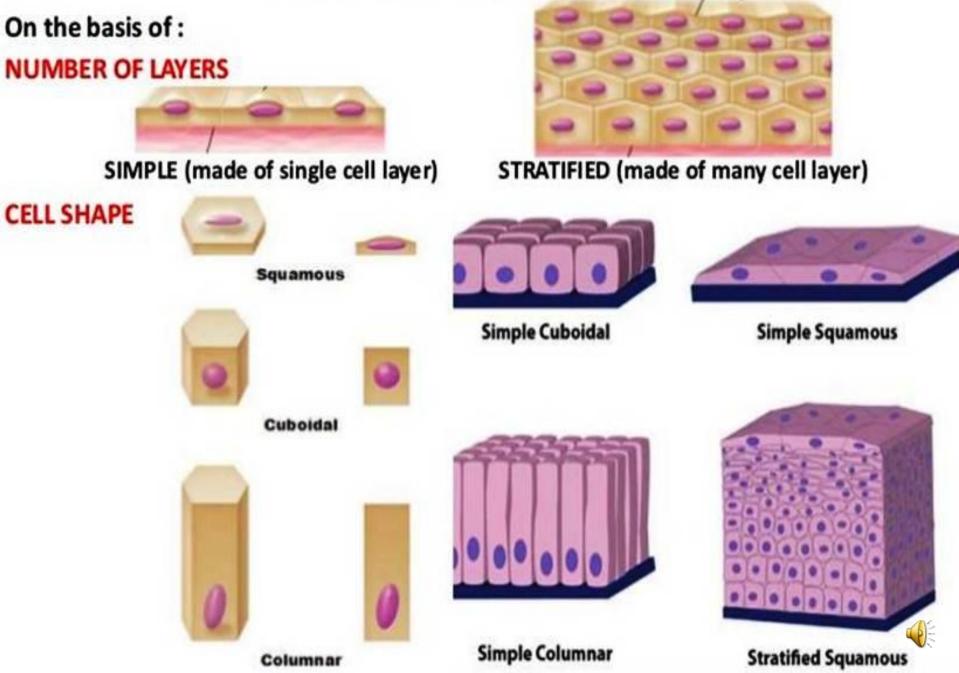


Cuboidal



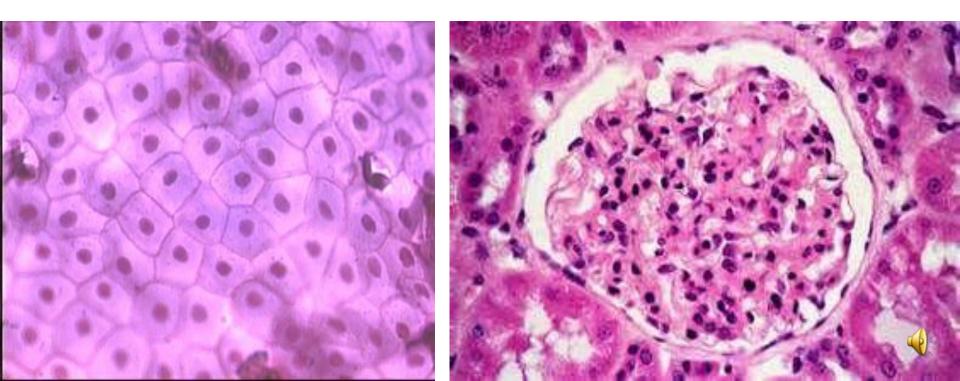
(b) Classification based on cell shape

CLASSIFICATION OF EPITHILIUM



Simple squamous epithelium

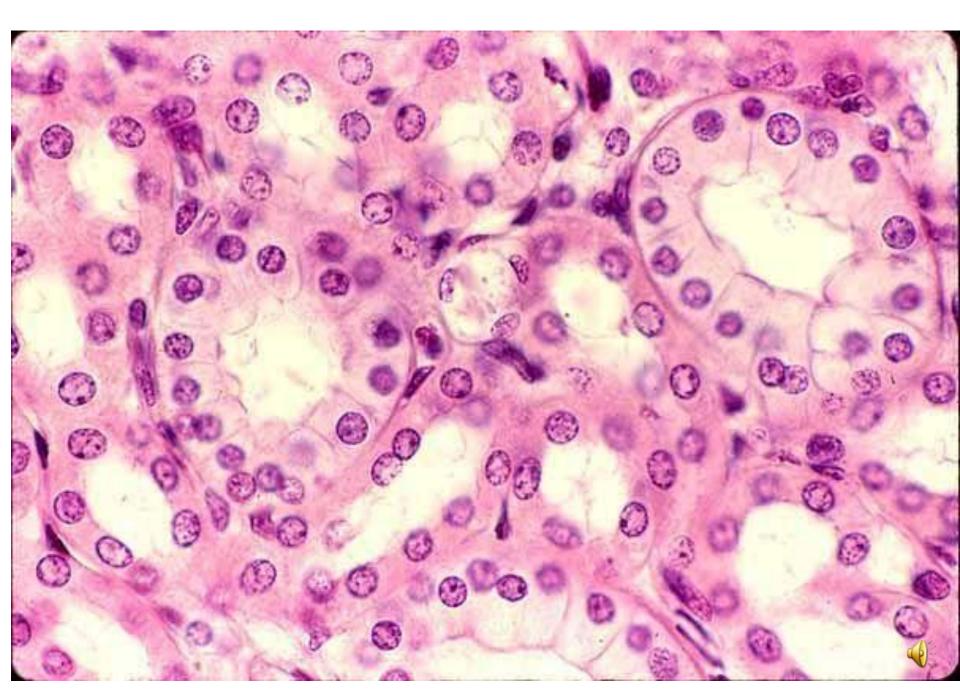
- <u>Structure:</u>
- Single layer of flattened cell



Simple cuboidal epithelium

- <u>Structure</u>
- Single layer of cube shaped cells





Simple columnar epithelium

- Structure
- Elongated layer of cell with nuclei at same level



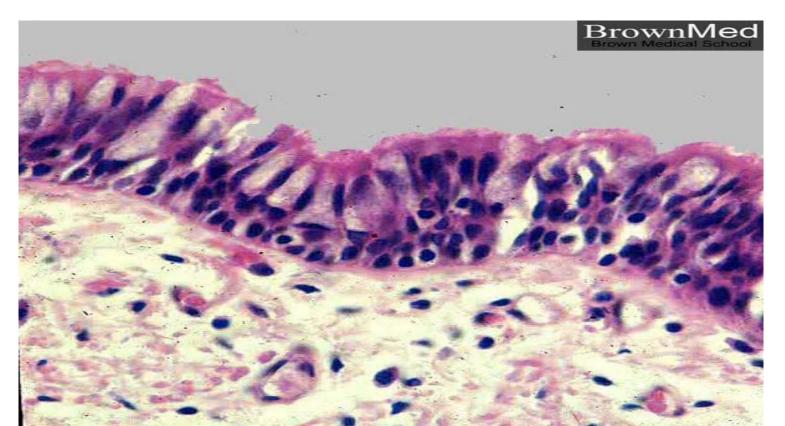




Pseudostratified epithelium

Structure

• Irregularly shaped cell with nuclei at different level-appear stratified, but aren't.





Stratified squamous epithelium

• Structure

Many layers (usually cubodial/columnar at bottom and squamous at top)



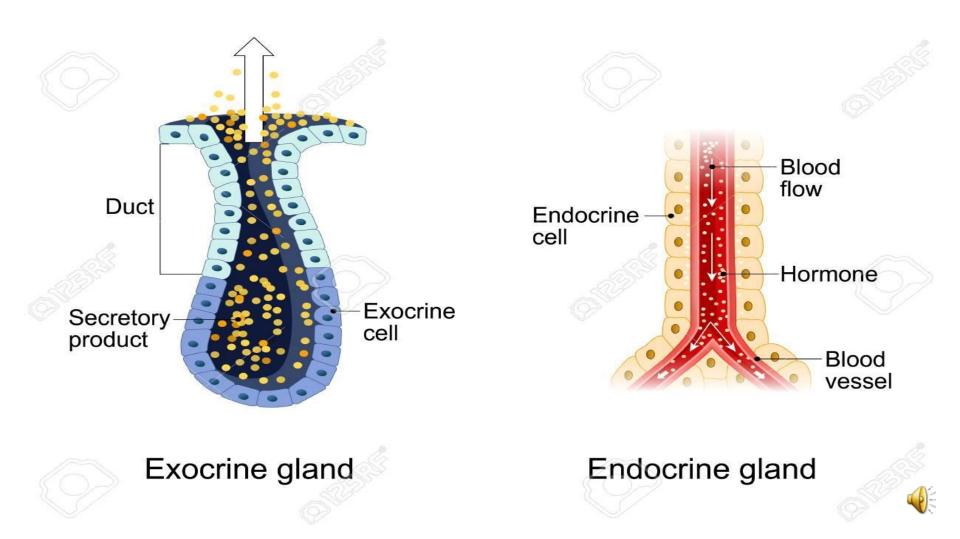








Types of gland



Shape of exocrine glands

• Branching

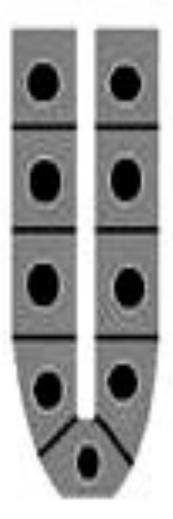
- Simple, single, unbranched duct
- Compound-branched
- <u>Shape</u>
- Tubular or alveolar
- Tubular-shaped like a tube
- Alveolar-shaped like flasks or sacs
- Tubuloalveolar: has both tubes and sacs in gland



ALVEOLAR (ACINAR)



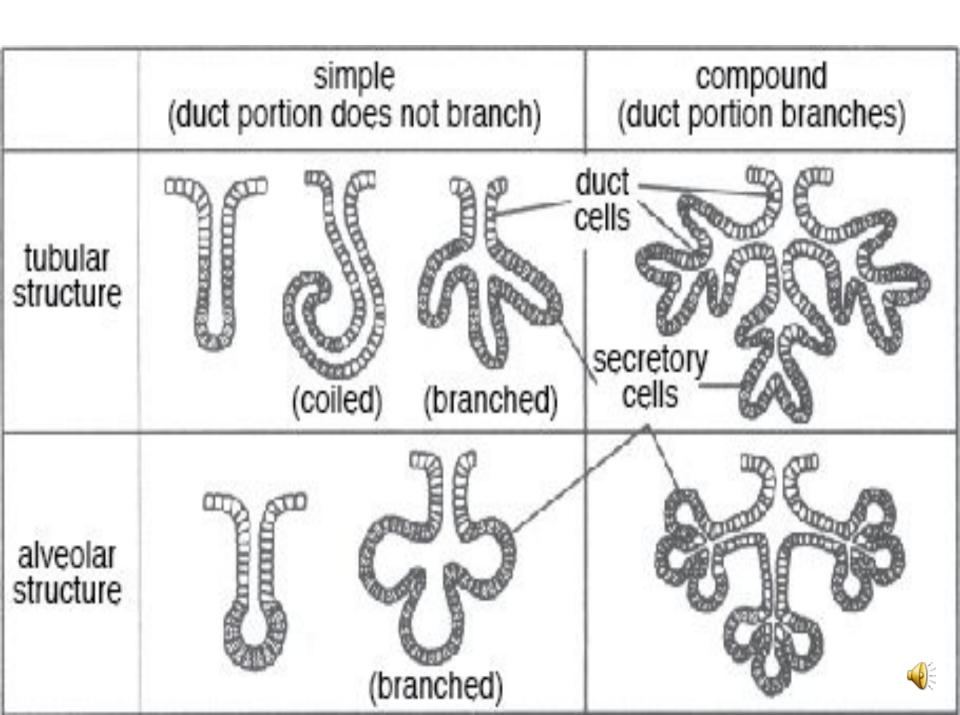
TUBULAR

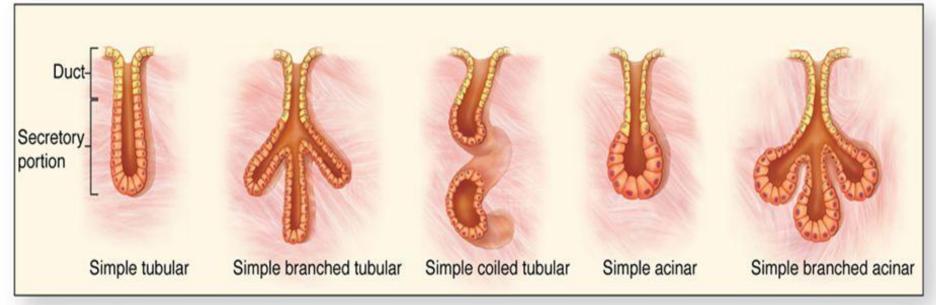


TUBULO-ALVEOLAR

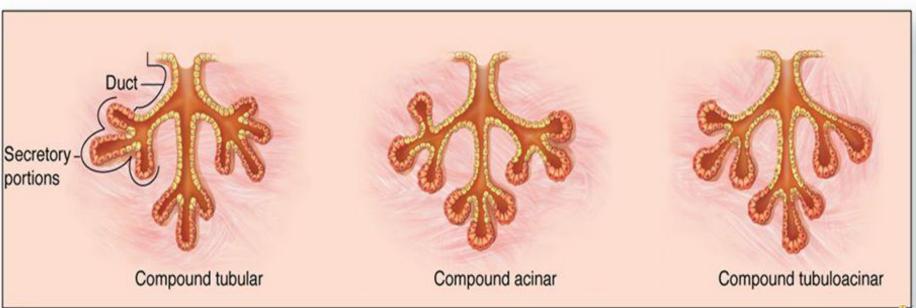








a Simple glands



b Compound glands

