

calcium



Skeleton

Soft Tissue

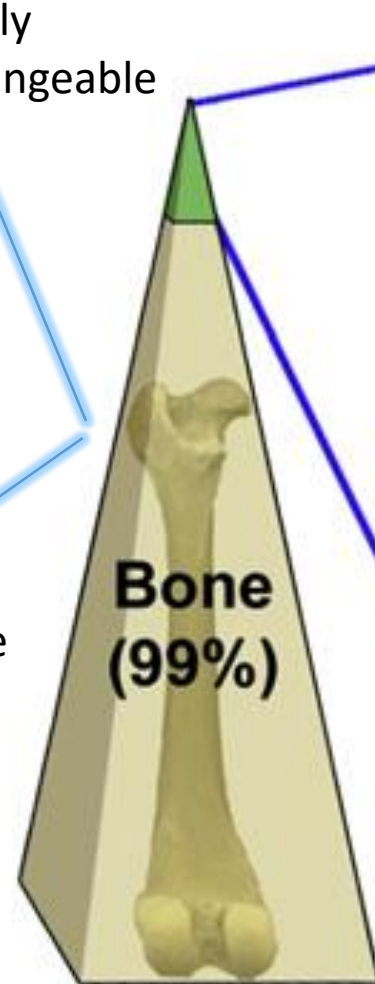
Extracellular fluid

1%

Labile pool
Readily
exchangeable

99%

Stable
pool



(1%)

Cell organelles
(0.9%)

Extracellular
fluid / Plasma
(0.1%)

Cytosol
(10-100 nM)

46.4 %

Protein bound
calcium

6.4 %

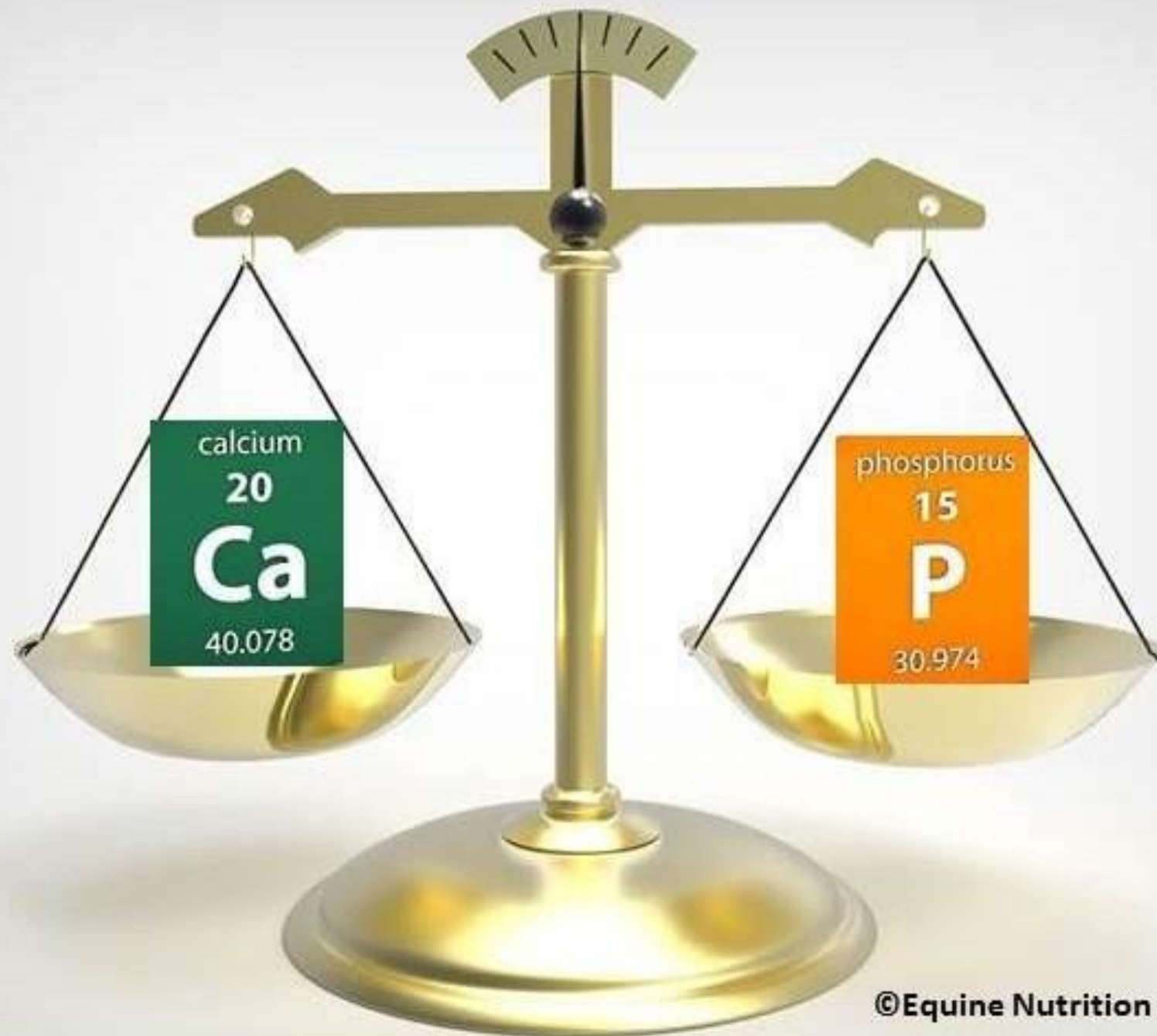
Complexed calcium
Ca-bicarbonate
Ca-citrate
Ca-lactate
Ca-phosphate

47.2 %

Ionized calcium
(Ca²⁺, ~1.5 mM)

Ultrafilterable calcium

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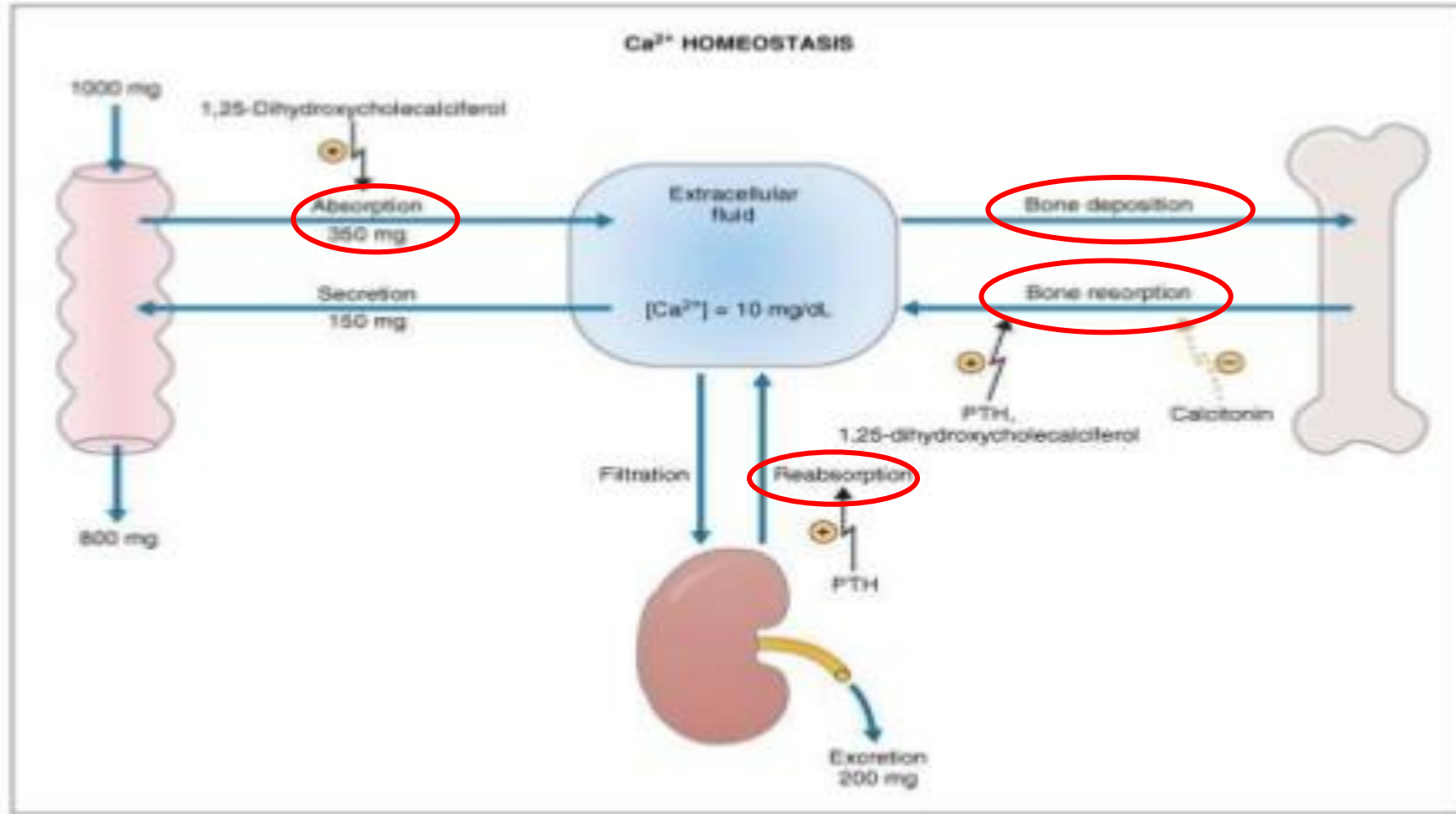
Calcium Homeostasis

3 organs

- Intestine
- Kidney
- bone

3 hormones

- PTH
- $1,25(\text{OH})_2\text{D}_3$
- Calcitonin





PTH

- **Kidney:** ++ Ca , --PO₄ reabsorption
- **Bone:** osteoclastic activity
- **Intestine:** ++Ca & PO₄ absorption ??



1,25 dihydroxycalciferol

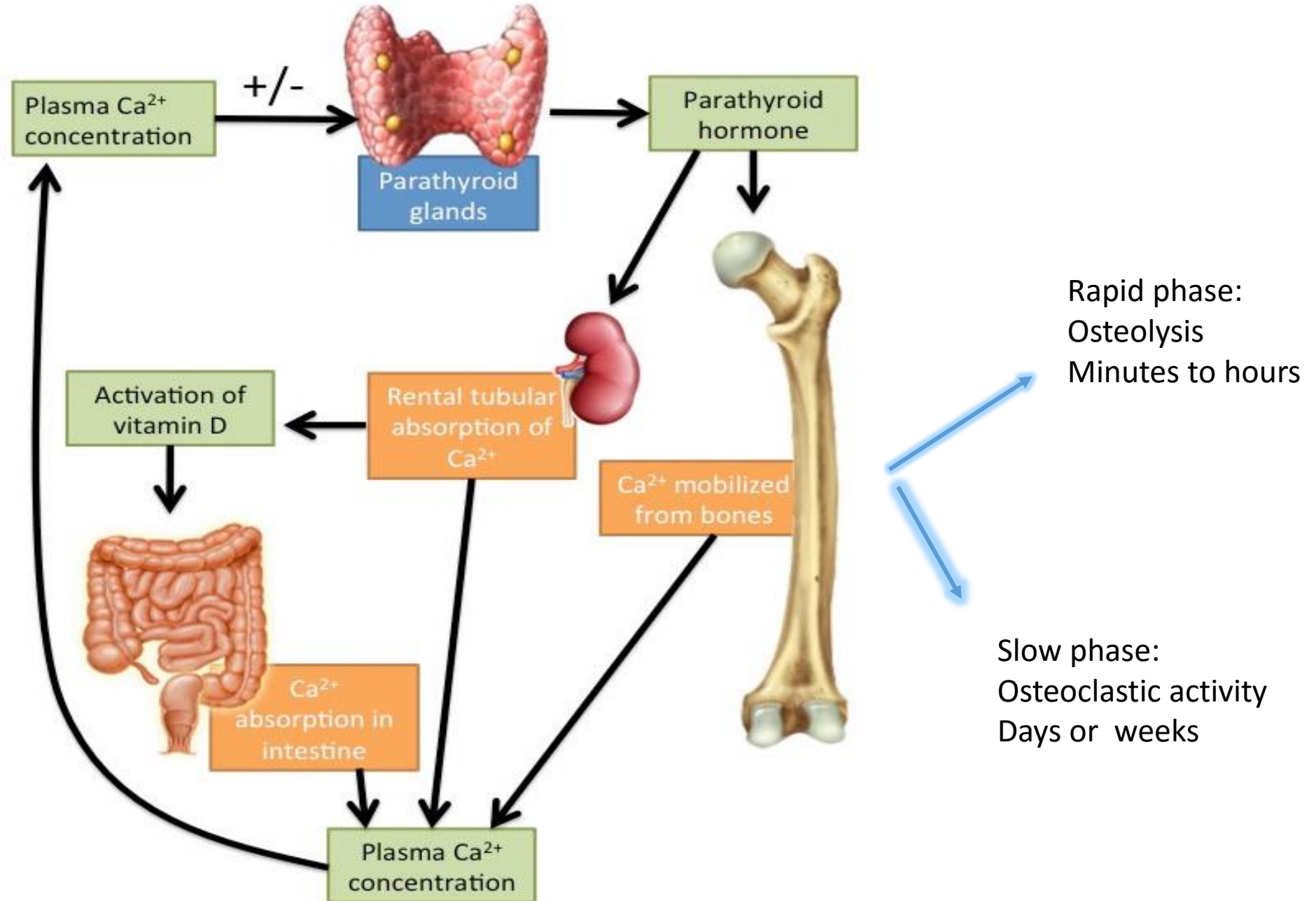
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- **Bone:** ??

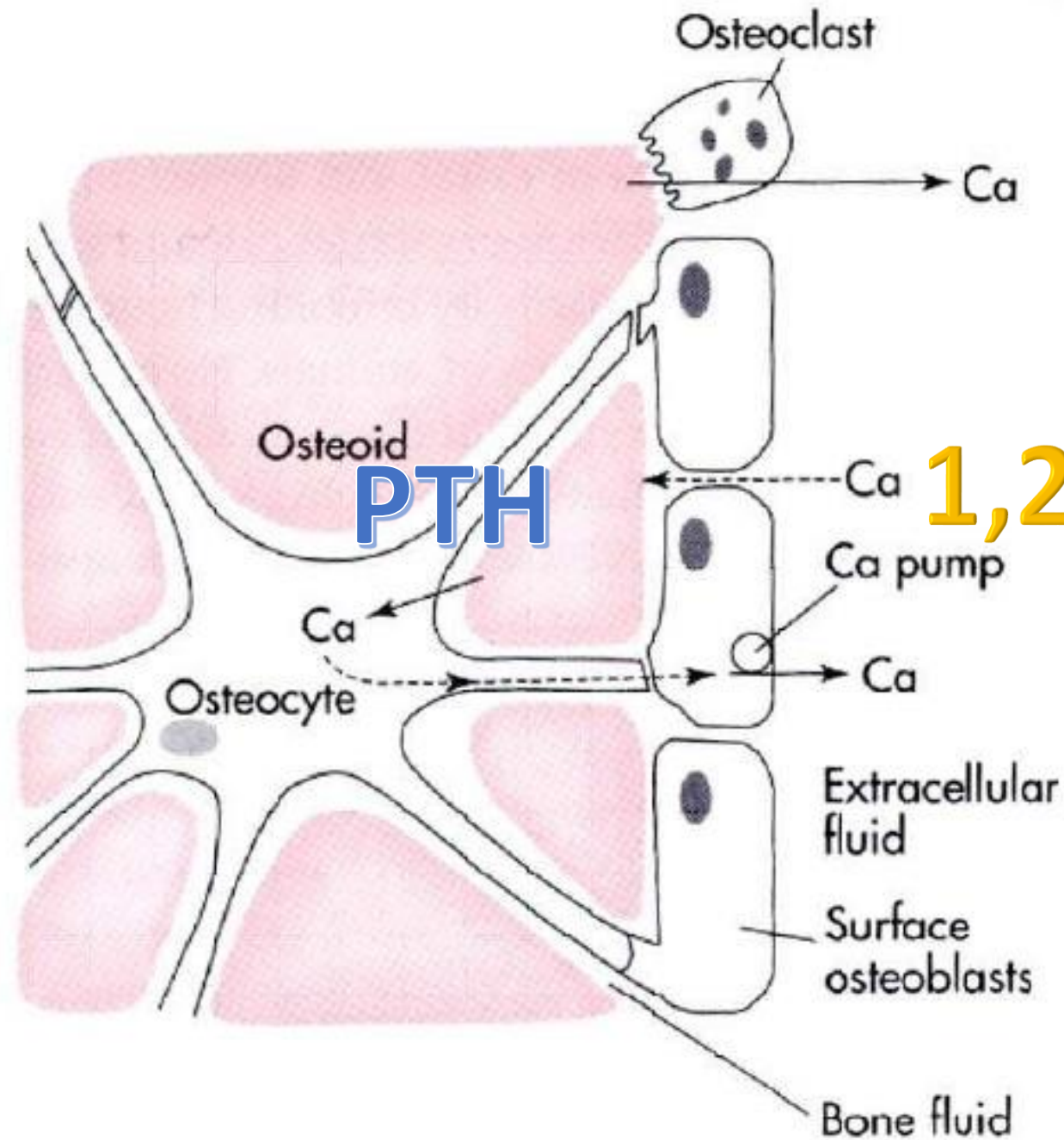


Calcitonin

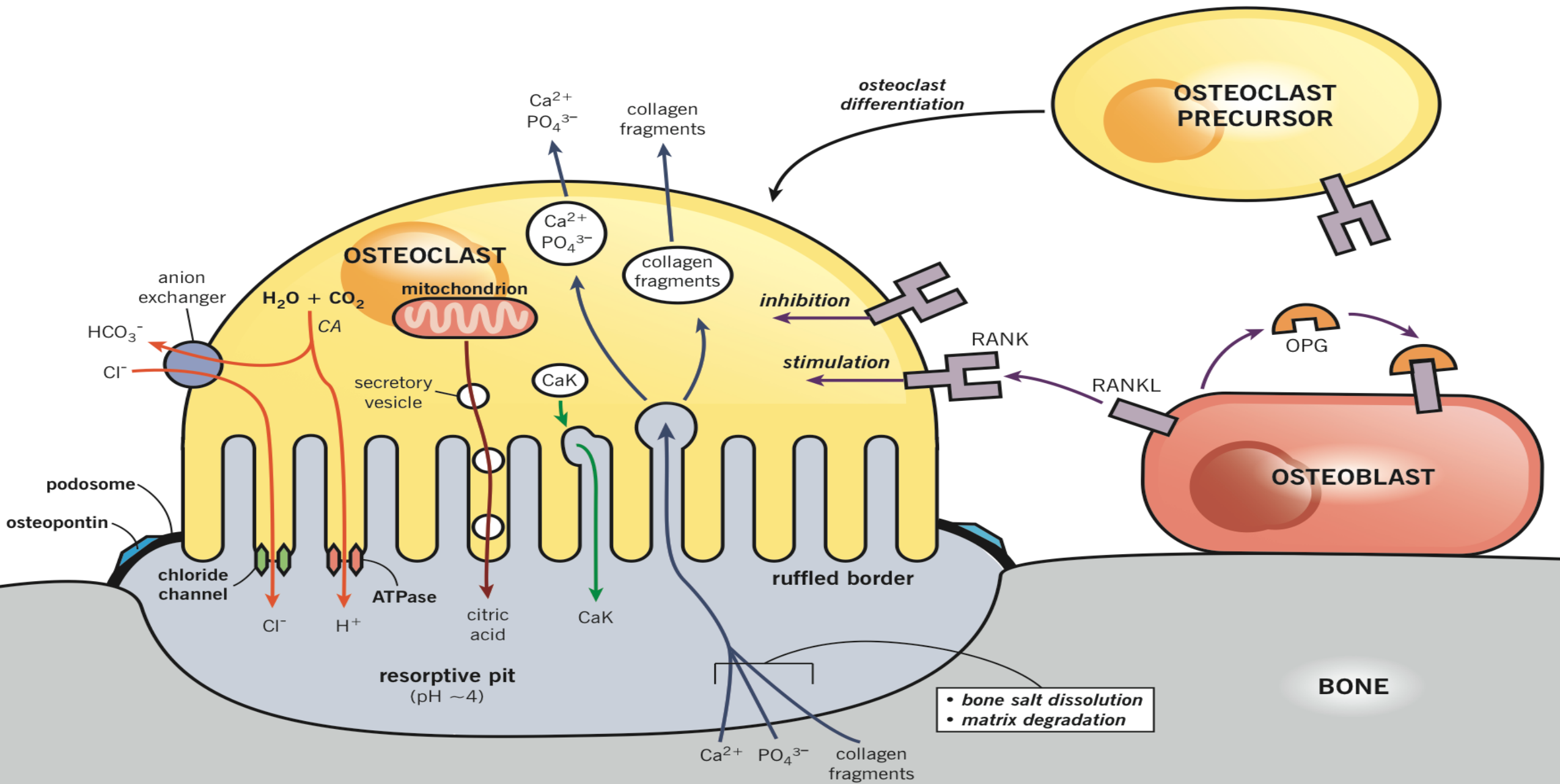
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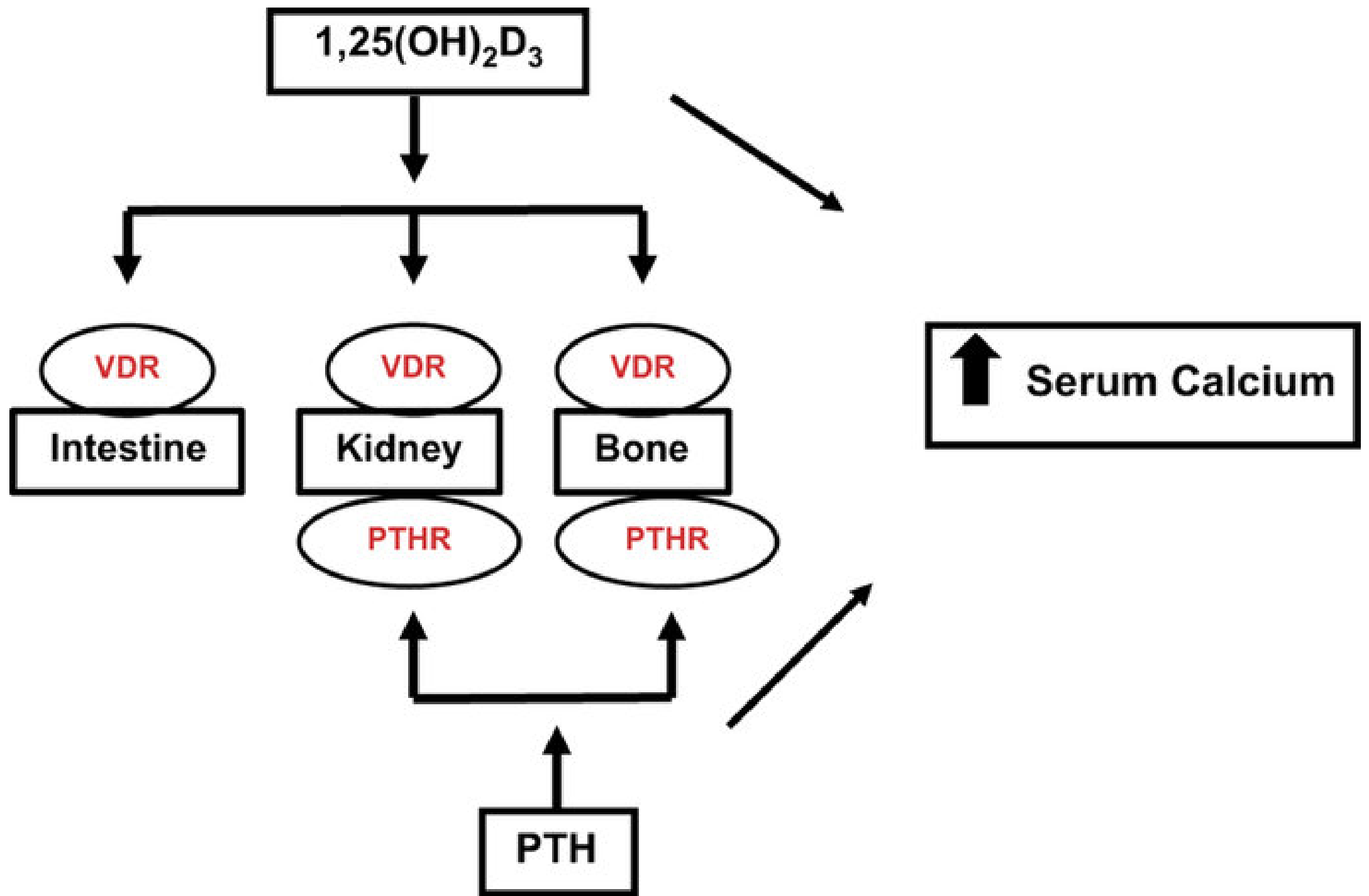
Maintaining Calcium Balance

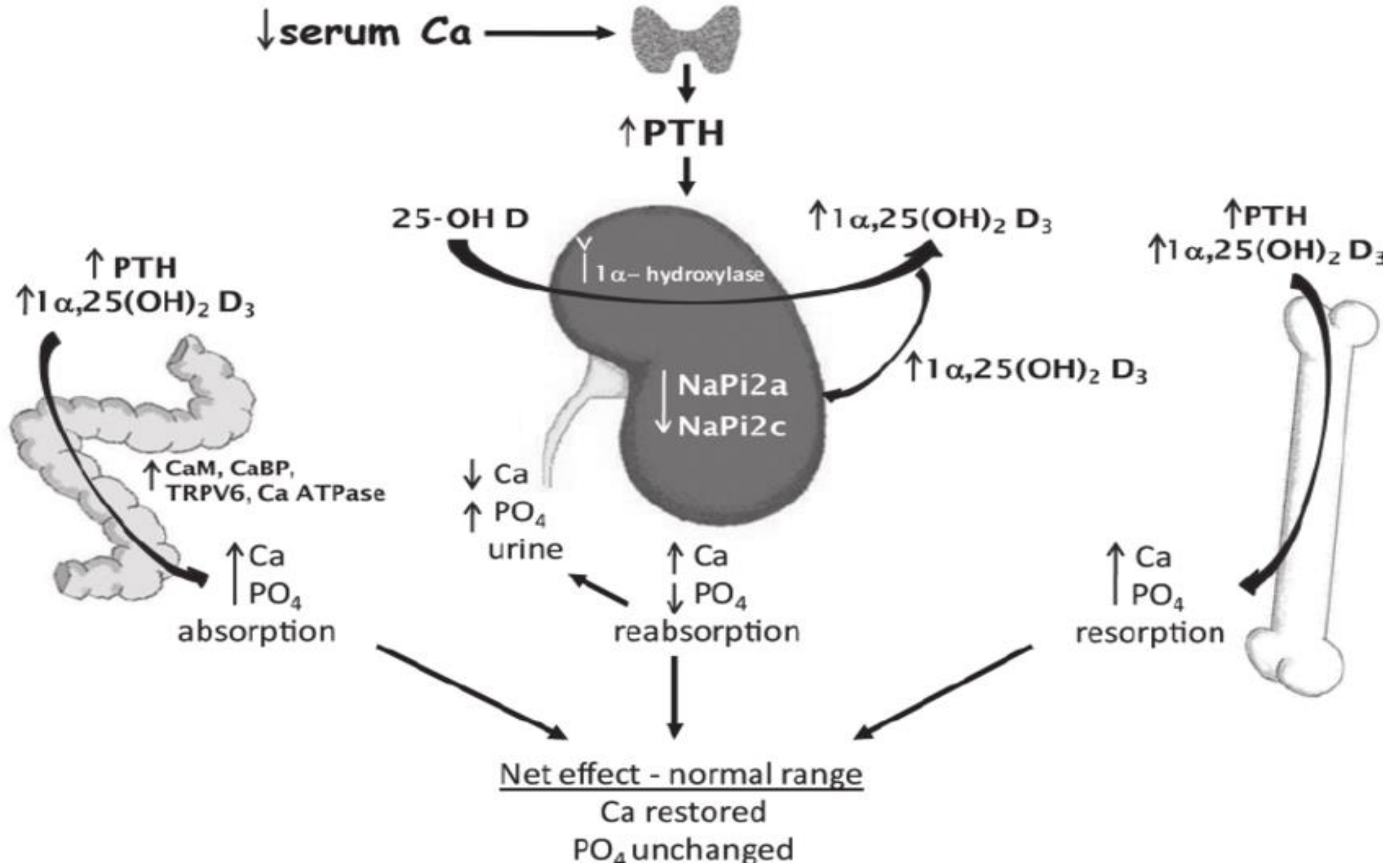


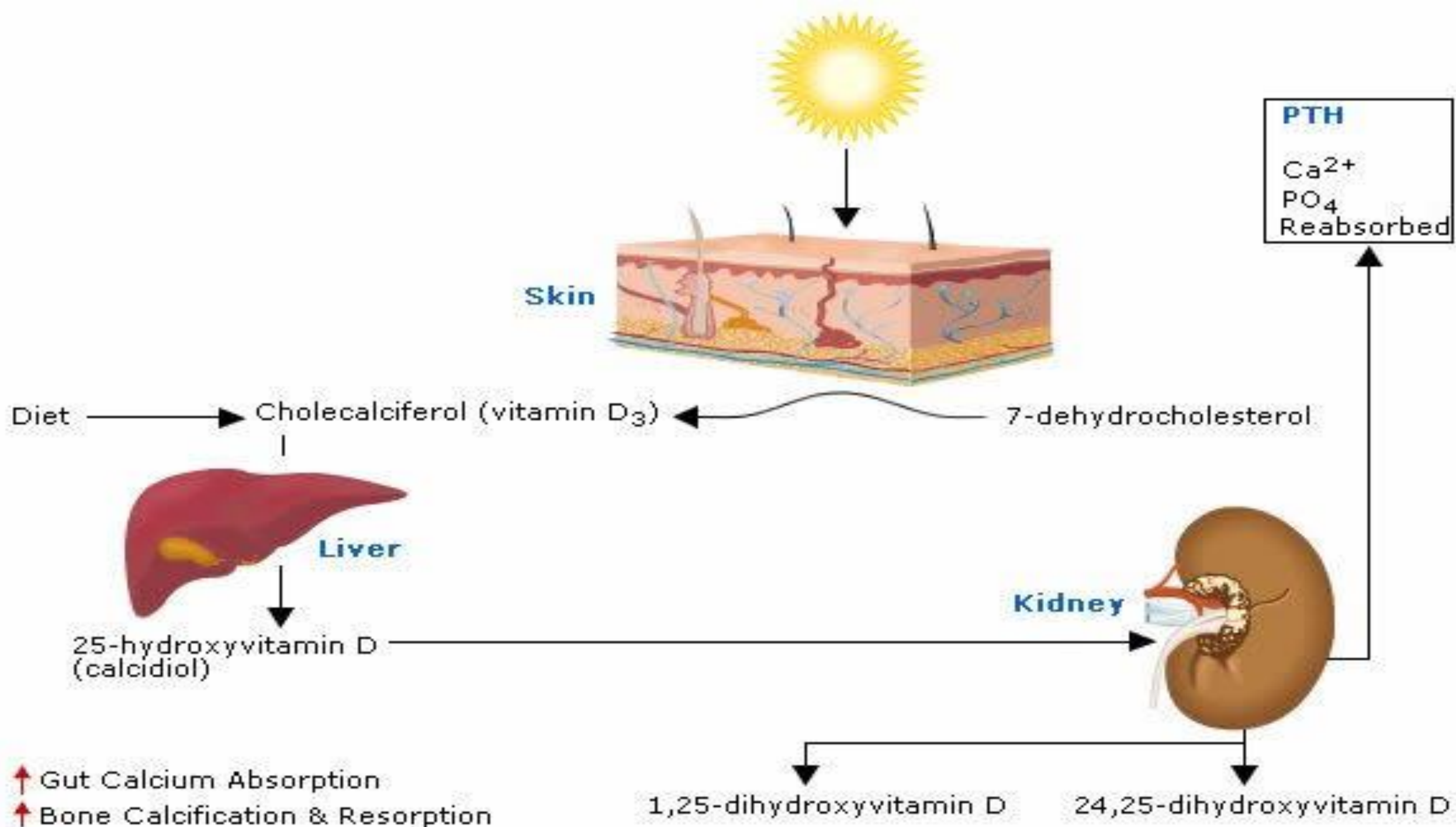


1,25(OH)₂D₃









Vitamin D synthesis and metabolism

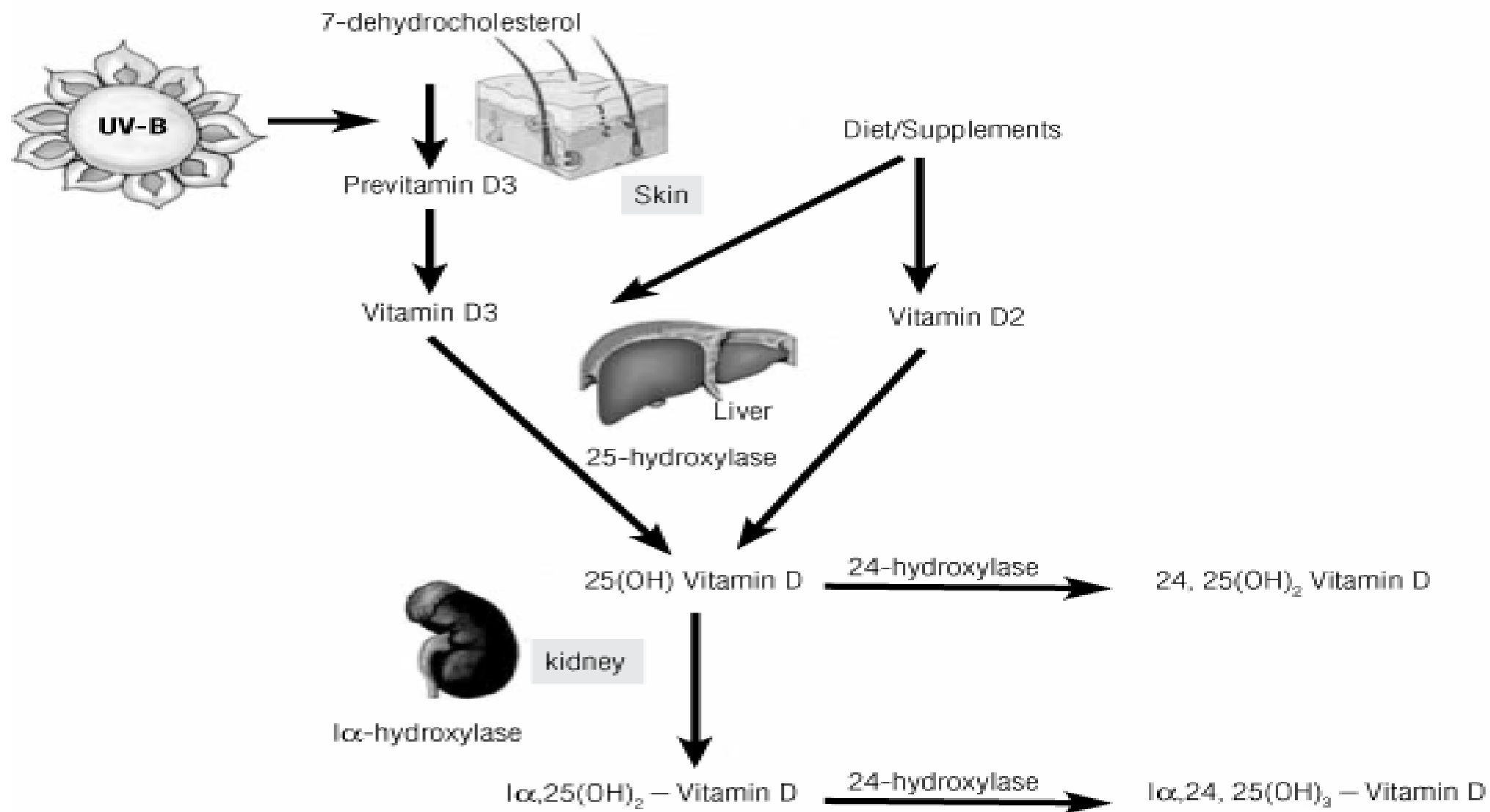
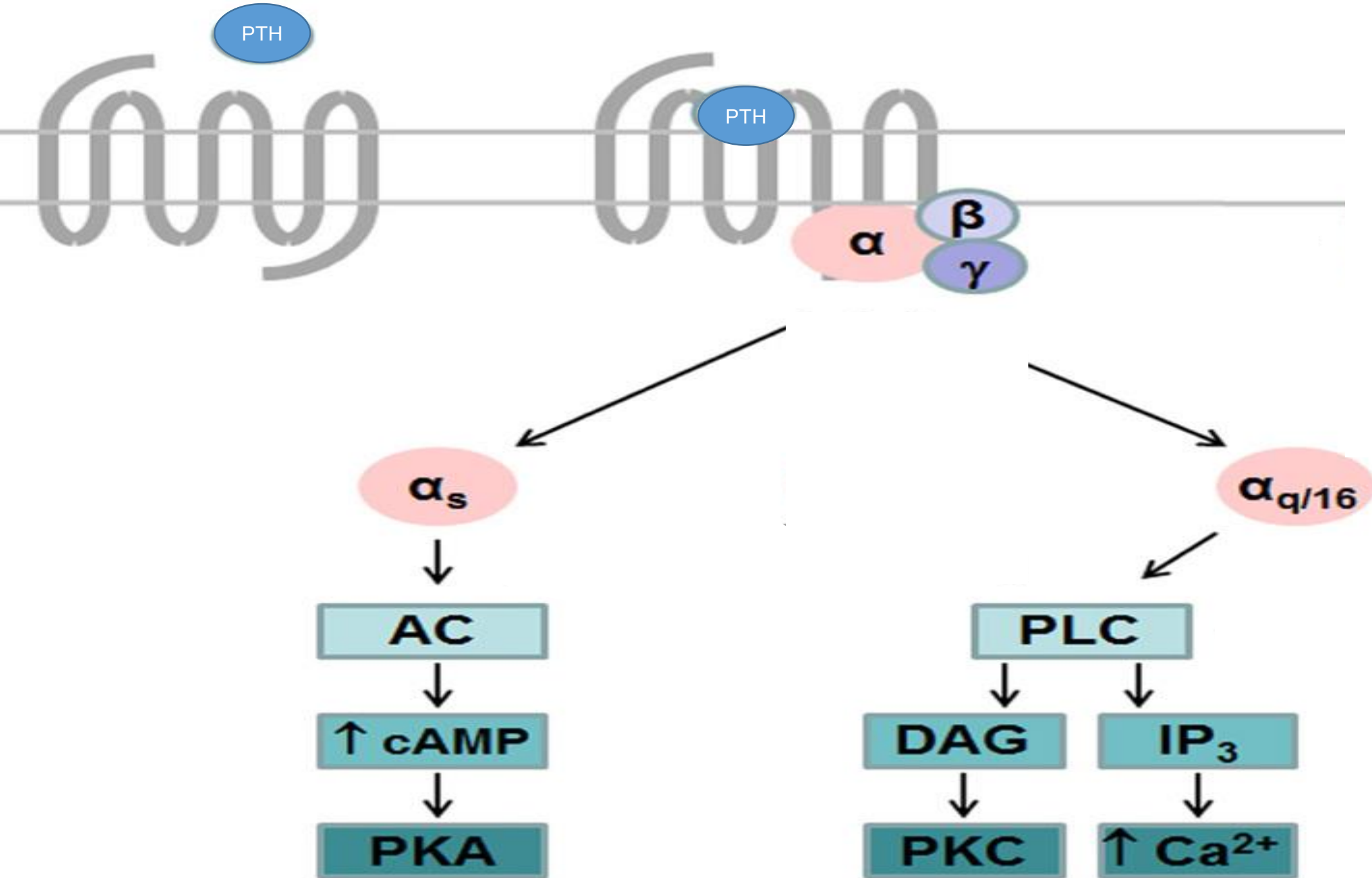


Figure 1. 7-Dehydrocholesterol (pro-vitamin D₃) during sun exposure (UVB), in the skin, is converted to previtamin D₃. Vitamins D₃ (cholecalciferol) and D₂ (ergosterol) are both metabolized in the liver to 25-hydroxycholecalciferol [(25(OH)D)] and are transformed in the kidneys into its active form, 1,25 dihydroxyvitamin D [1,25(OH)₂D]. Inactivation of vitamin D metabolites occurs mainly by renal 24-hydroxylation.



Regulation of secretion:

PTH

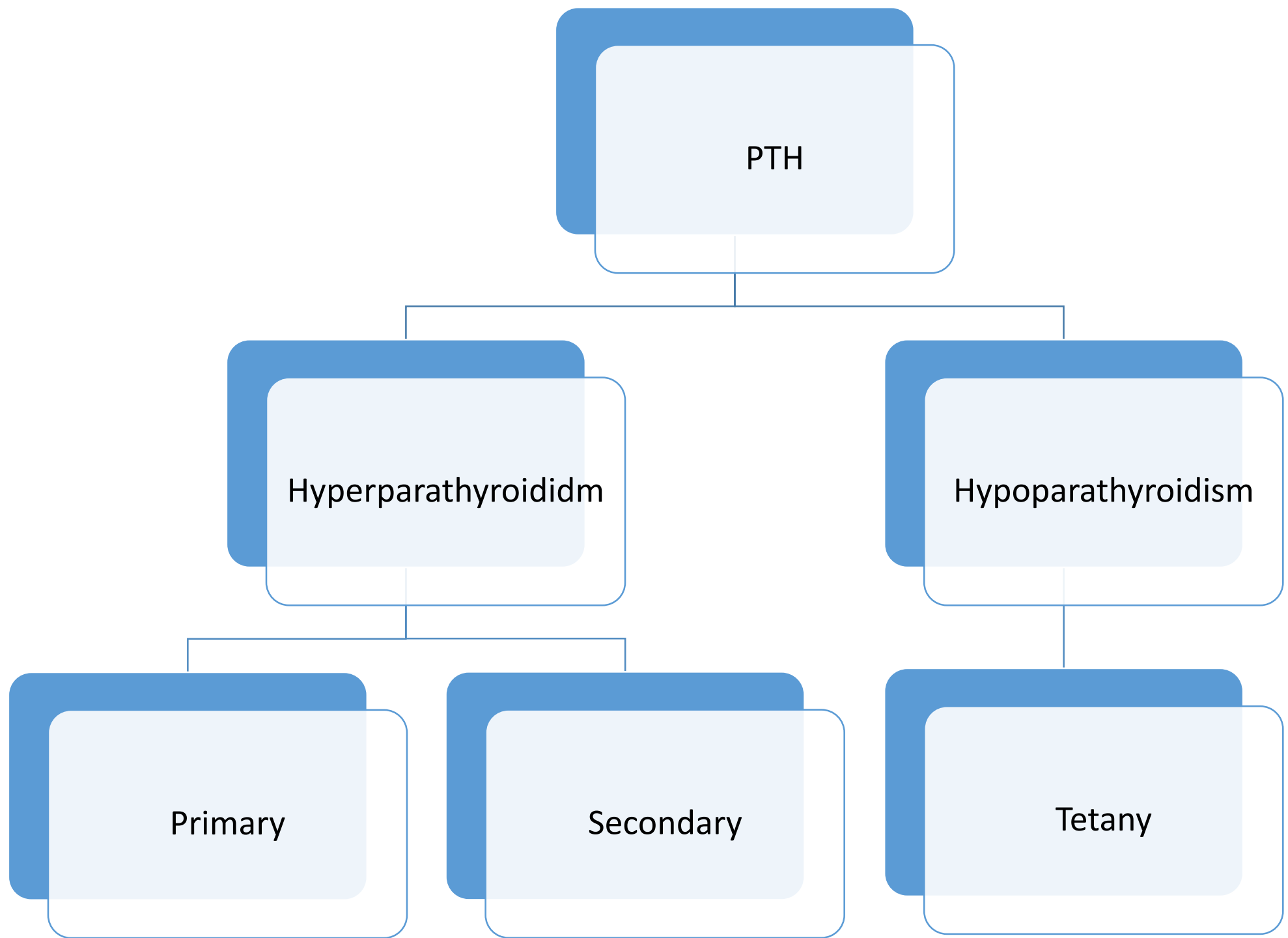
- Ca
- Po₄
- B adrenergic
- 1,25(OH)₂D₃

1,25(OH)₂D₃ Formation

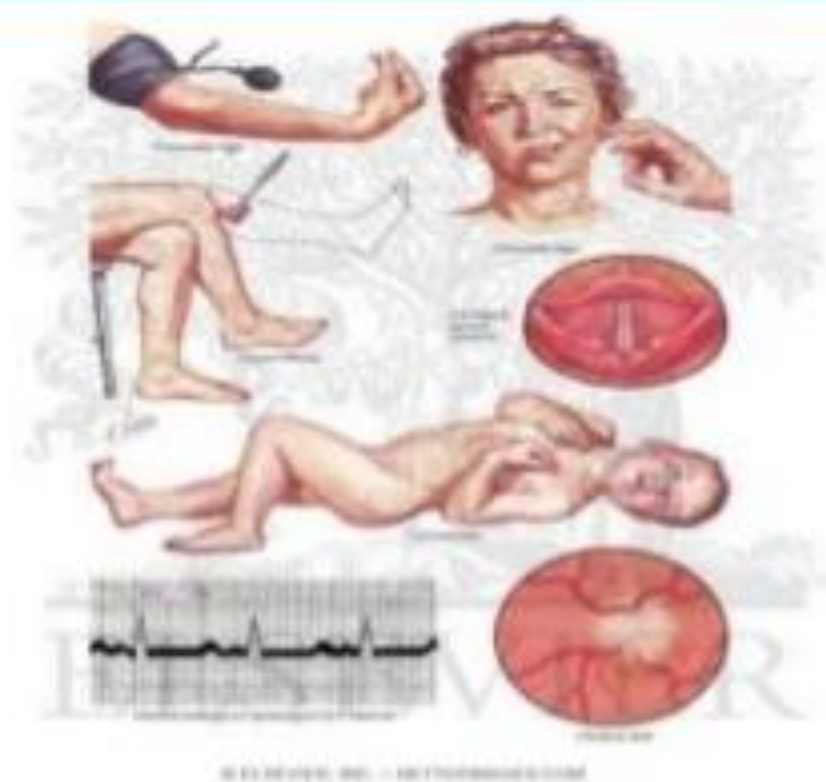
- Ca
- PTH

Calcitonin

- Ca
- B adrenergic agonist,
- Estrogen, prolactin
- Gastrin, CCK



HYPOCALCEMIC TETANY



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Causes:

- Hypoparathyroidism
- Decrease intake or absorption
- Alkalosis
- Phosphate retention!!!

Types:

- Latent: 7-9.4 mg/dl
- Manifest : less than 7 mg/dl

Treatment:

- IV Ca gluconate !!!
- Diet Ca & Vit D
- Treatment of the cause

Thank
you

