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joints

A part of the body where two bones fit together and are able to bend.

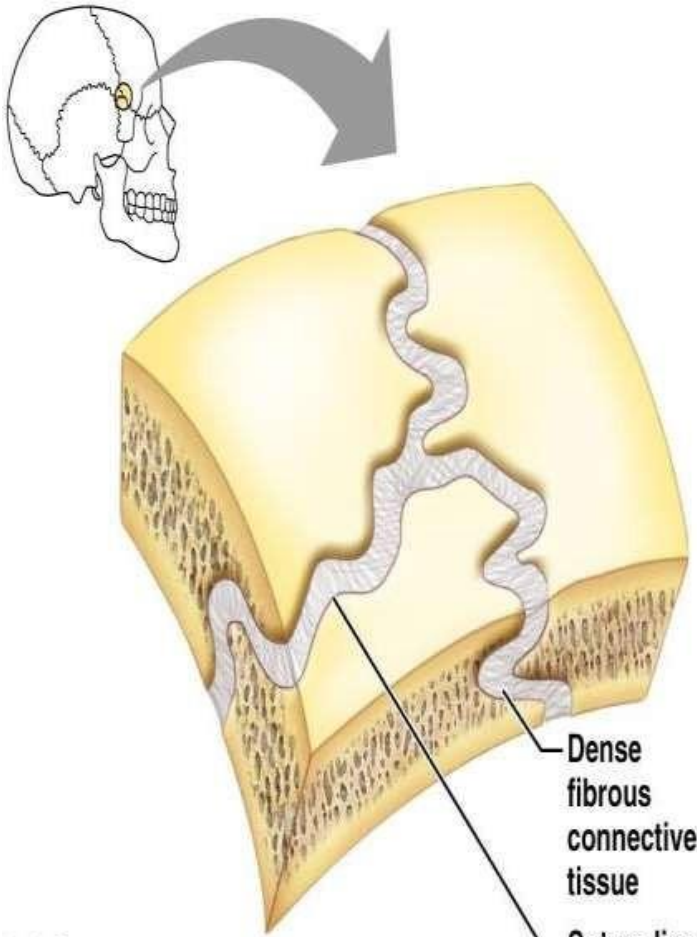
Classification of Joints

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- 1. According to the type of tissue at the joint:
- a) **Fibrous joint** -- uses fibrous connective tissue to articulate bones.
- b) **Cartilaginous joint** -- uses hyaline cartilage and/or fibro- cartilage to articulate bones.
- c) **Synovial joint** -- uses cartilage, synovial membrane, joint capsule, and ligaments to articulate bones.

Fibrous Joints

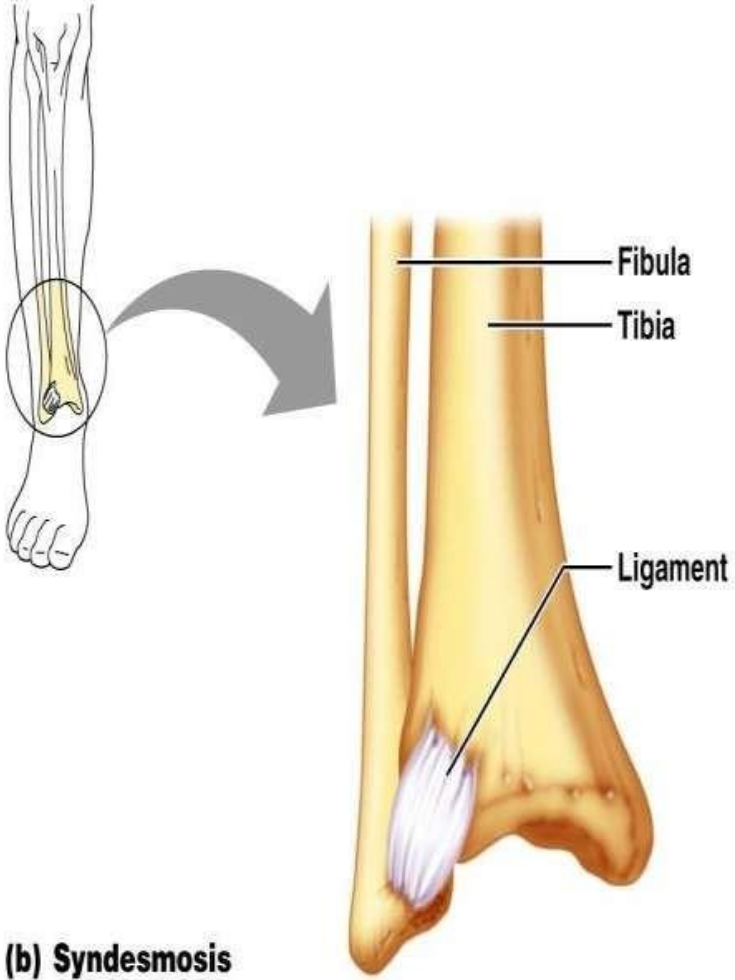
- a) Fibrous connective tissue fastens the bones tightly.
- b) Small amount of movement.

Fibrous Joints



(a) Suture

Dense fibrous connective tissue
Suture line

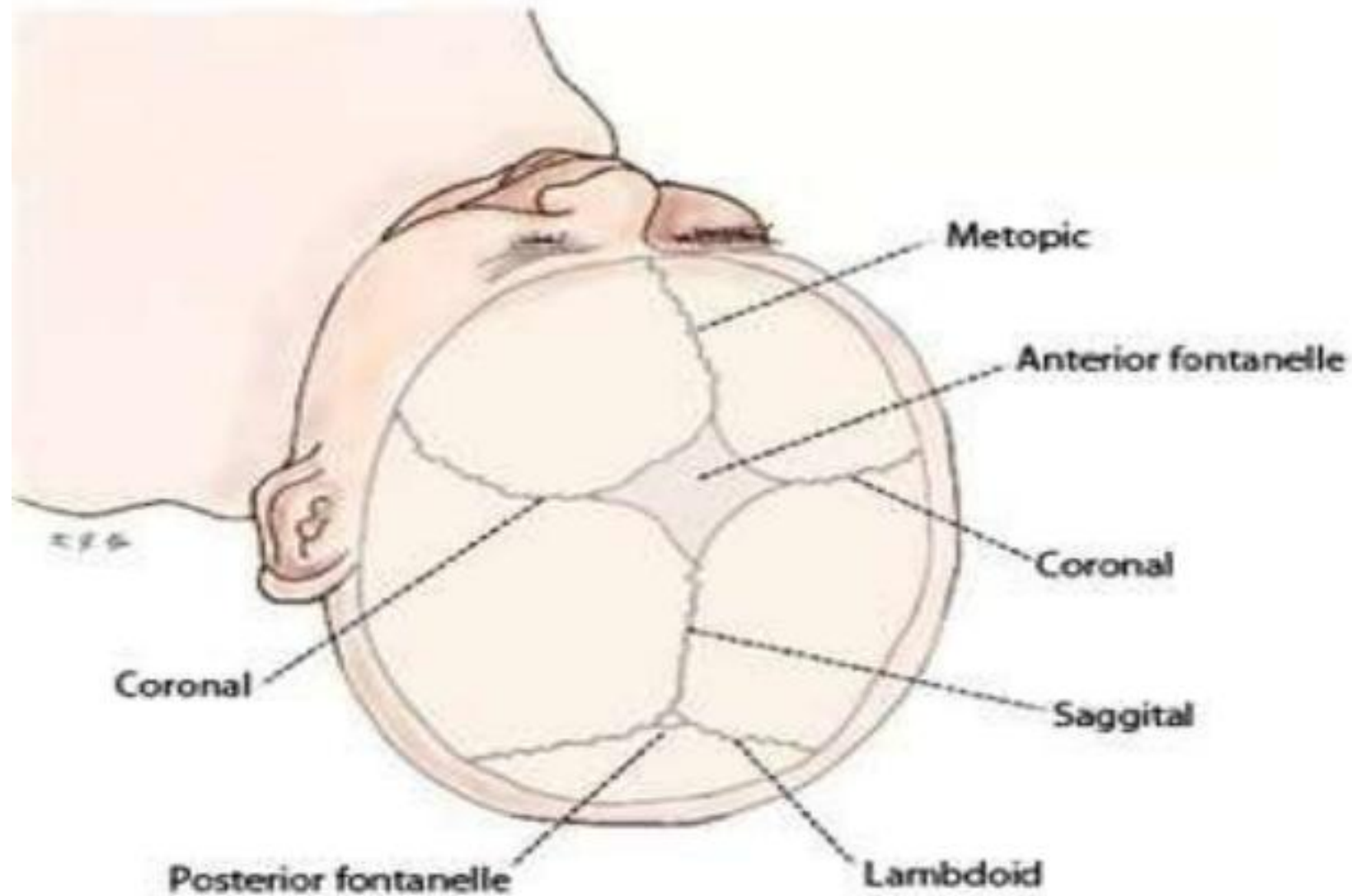


(b) Syndesmosis

Fibula
Tibia
Ligament

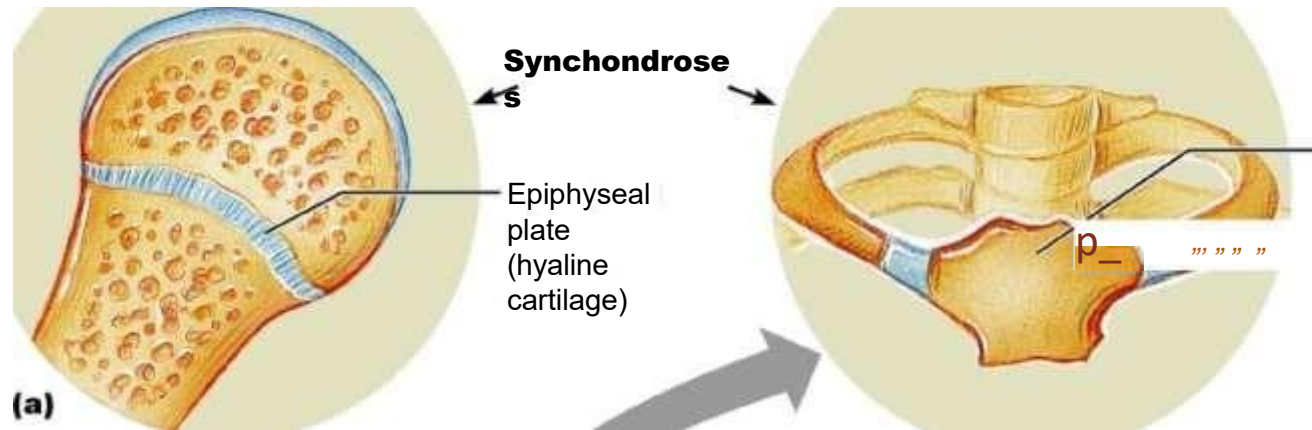
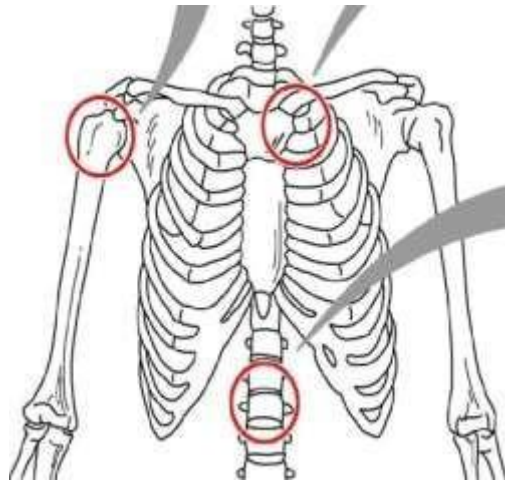
Cranial Sutures

View from top of head



Cartilaginous joints

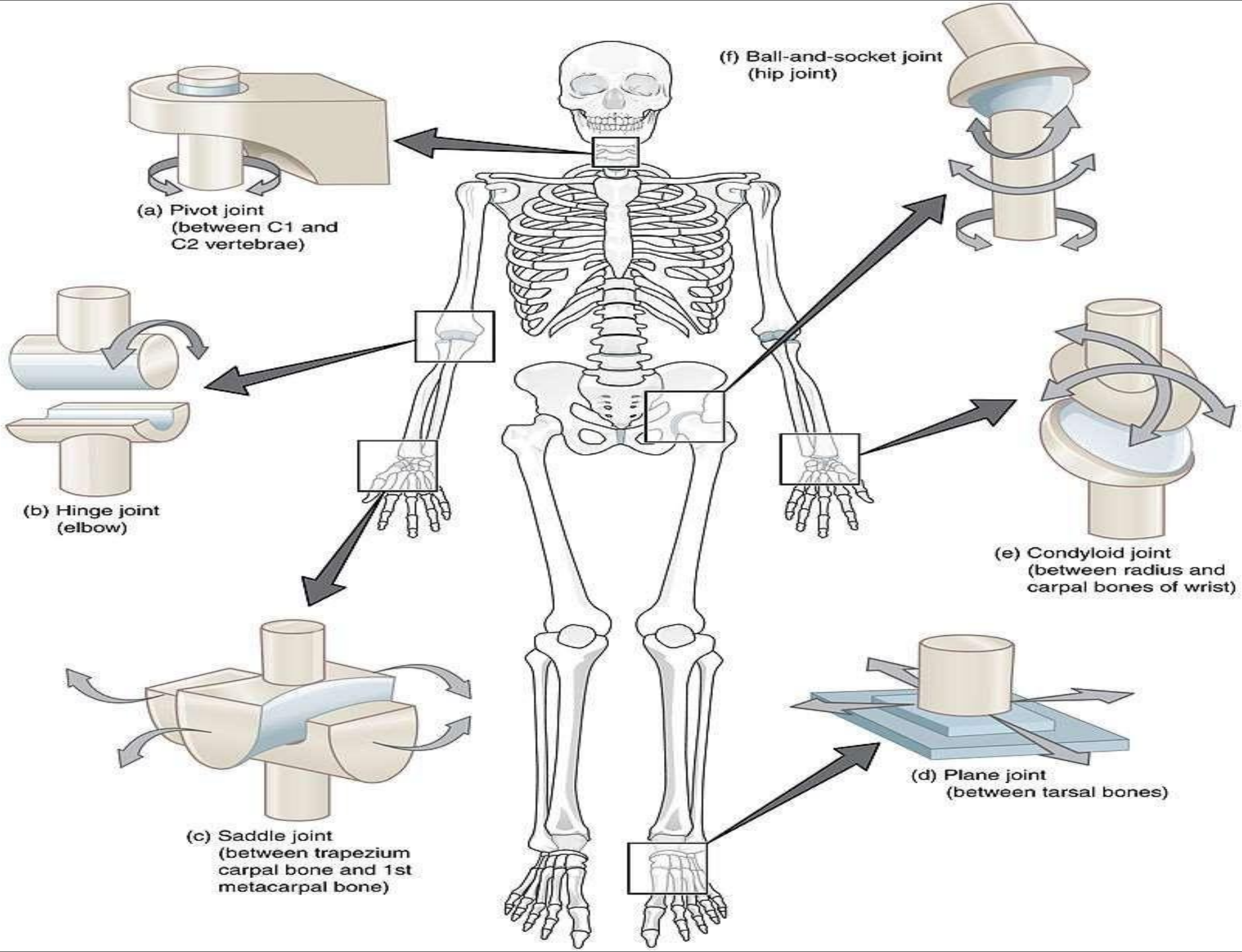
- **a) Hyaline cartilage and/or fibro cartilage form the joint.**
- b) Usually slightly movable and very strong.
- c) Subdivided into:
 - -- **Synchondrosis**
 - -- **Symphysis**

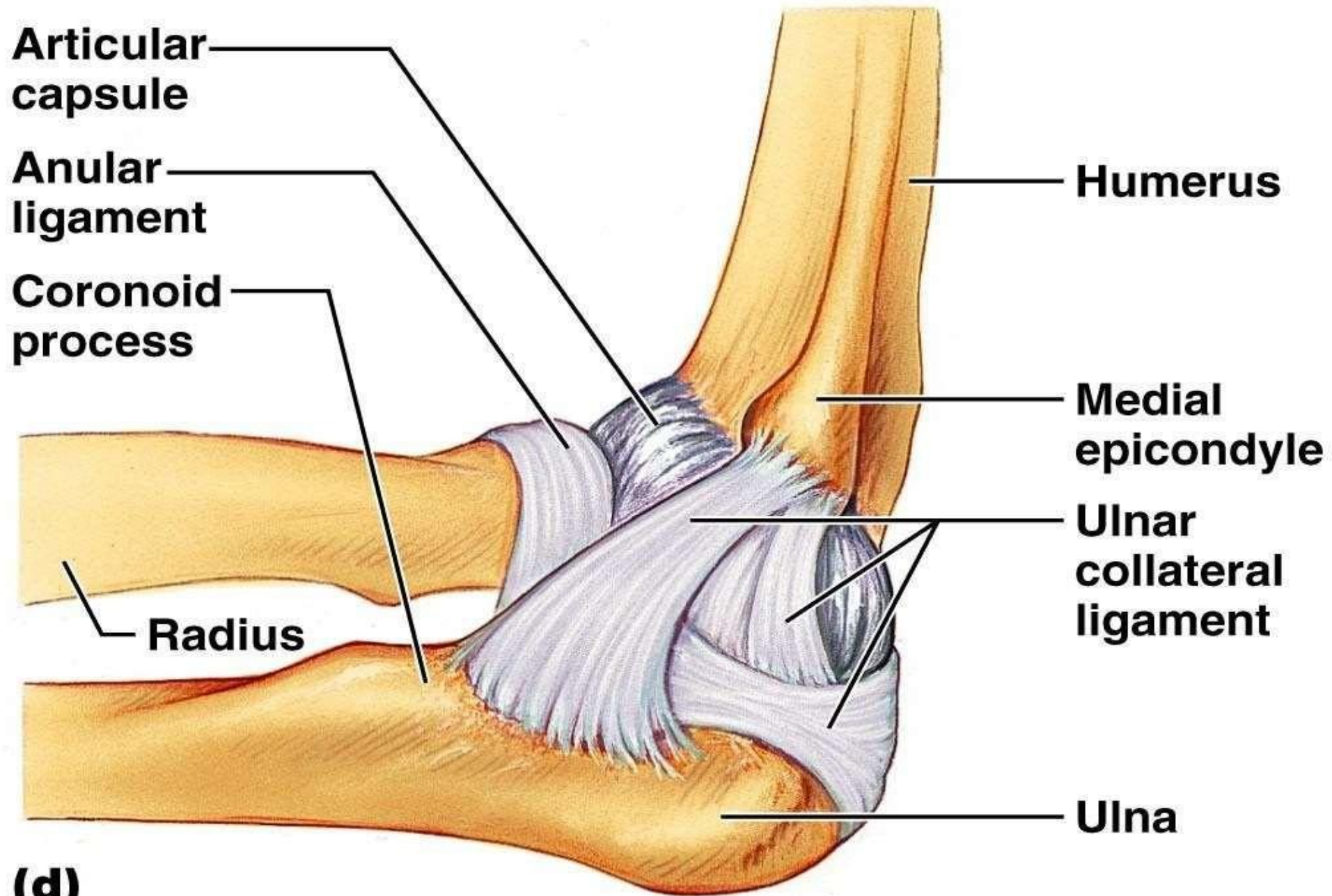


Synovial Joints

- a) Most joints are synovial joints.
- b) Usually freely movable .
- Subdivided into:
 - -- **gliding** = allows back and forth movement (e.g.between tarsal bones).
 - -- **hinge** = allows folding movement (e.g. elbow joint).
 - -- **pivot** = allows rotation around an axis (e.g. between atlas and axis at the process).

- -- **condyloid** = allows all movements except rotation (e.g. between radius carpal bones of wrist).
- -- **saddle** = allows all movements except rotation (e.g. between carpals and metacarpals).
- -- **ball - and - socket** = allows all movements (e.g. shoulder joint and hip joint).
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(d)

shoulder joint

- The **shoulder joint (glenohumeral joint)** is a ball and socket **joint** between the scapula and the humerus. It is the major **joint** connecting the upper limb to the trunk. It is one of the most mobile **joints** in the human body, at the cost of **joint** stability.

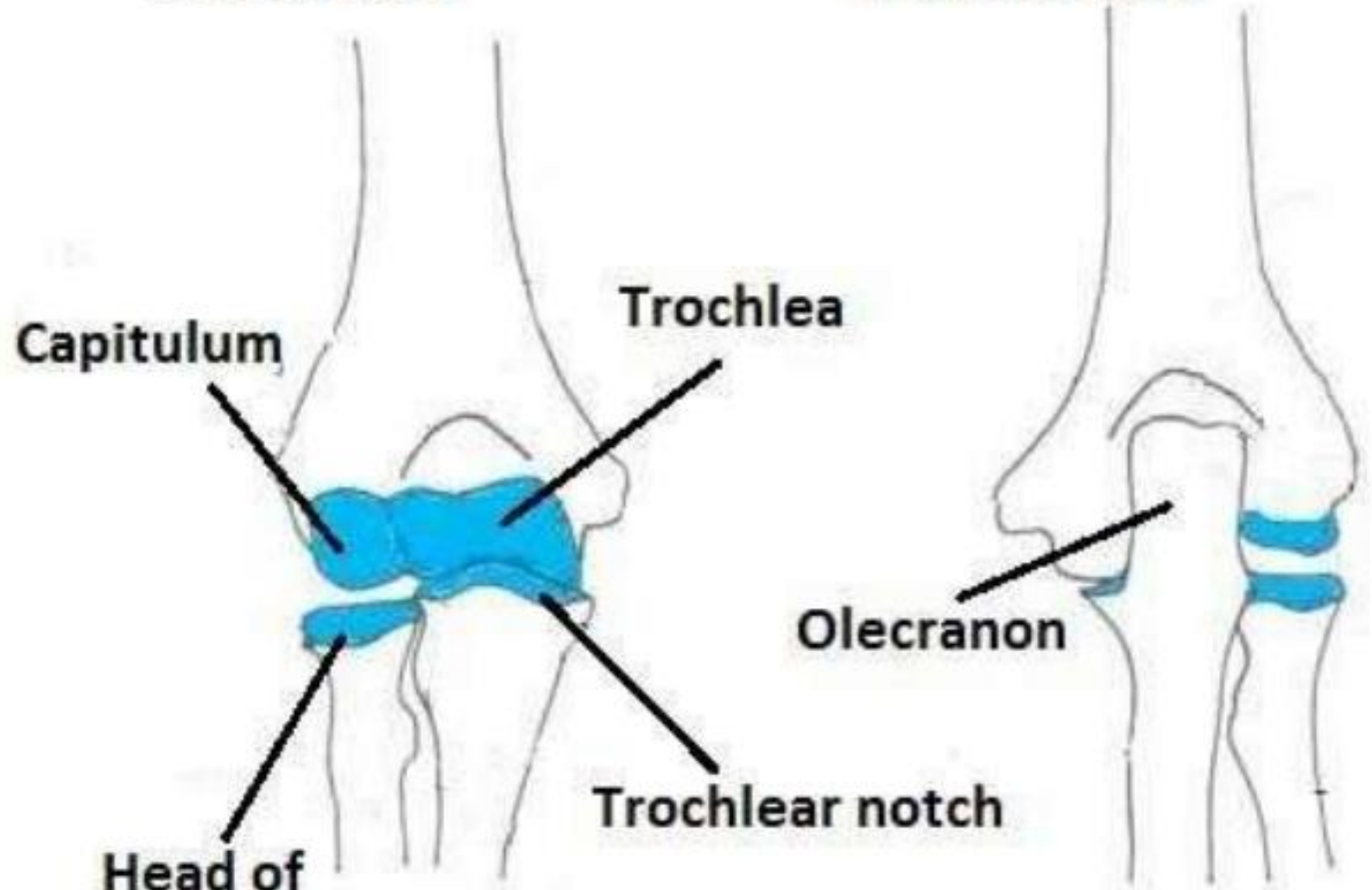


Elbow joint

- Hinge joint
- Ligaments:
- The **elbow joint** is a complex hinge **joint** formed between the distal end of the humerus in the upper arm and the proximal ends of the ulna and radius in the forearm. The **elbow** allows for the flexion and extension of the forearm relative to the upper arm, as well as rotation of the forearm and wrist.

Anterior:

Posterior:



Capitulum

Trochlea

Olecranon

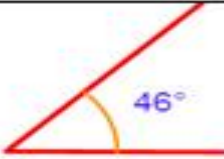
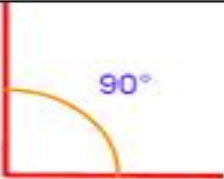
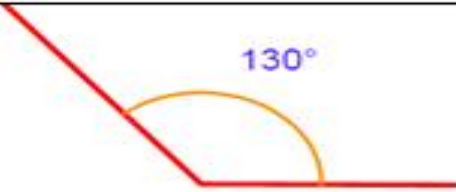
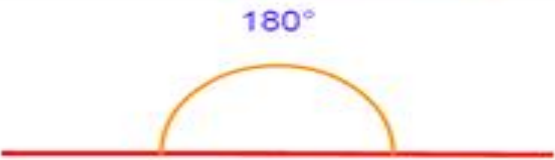
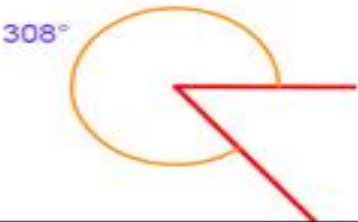
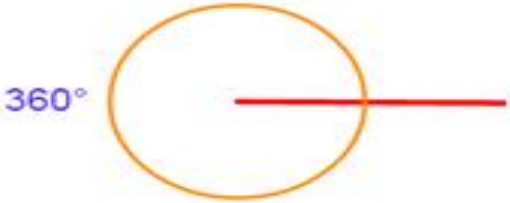
Head of
radius

Trochlear notch



teachmeanatomy

The #1 Applied Human Anatomy Site on the Web.

Type of Angle	Description	Example
Acute Angle	An angle that is less than 90°	 A diagram showing an acute angle of 46° . Two red rays meet at a vertex, forming an angle. A yellow arc is drawn between the rays, and the value 46° is written in blue next to it.
Right Angle	An angle that is exactly 90°	 A diagram showing a right angle of 90° . Two red rays meet at a vertex, forming a square corner. A yellow arc is drawn between the rays, and the value 90° is written in blue next to it.
Obtuse Angle	An angle that is greater than 90° and less than 180°	 A diagram showing an obtuse angle of 130° . Two red rays meet at a vertex, forming an angle that is larger than a right angle. A yellow arc is drawn between the rays, and the value 130° is written in blue next to it.
Straight Angle	An angle that is exactly 180°	 A diagram showing a straight angle of 180° . A single red line is shown with a yellow arc drawn above it, and the value 180° is written in blue above the arc.
Reflex Angle	An angle that is greater than 180° and less than 360°	 A diagram showing a reflex angle of 308° . Two red rays meet at a vertex, forming an angle that is larger than a straight angle. A yellow arc is drawn around the vertex, and the value 308° is written in blue next to it.
Full Angle	An angle that is exactly 360°	 A diagram showing a full angle of 360° . A red ray is shown with a yellow circle drawn around it, and the value 360° is written in blue next to the circle.

Pectoralis major

Origin- sternal end of clavicle, ribs 1-6

insertion – greater tubercle of hummers

action- flexes arm at shoulder rotates arm medially

adducts arm

Pectoralis minor

- **Origin-** ribs 1-3
- **insertion** – process of the scapula
- **action-** scapula downward rotates scapula

Pectoralis Major

Origins: Sternum & Clavicle

*Insertion: Humerus,
Ribs*



*Actions: Shoulder flexion,
Horizontal shoulder flexion,
Upward diagonal flexion &
Downward diagonal flexion*

Pectoralis Minor

Insertion: Scapula

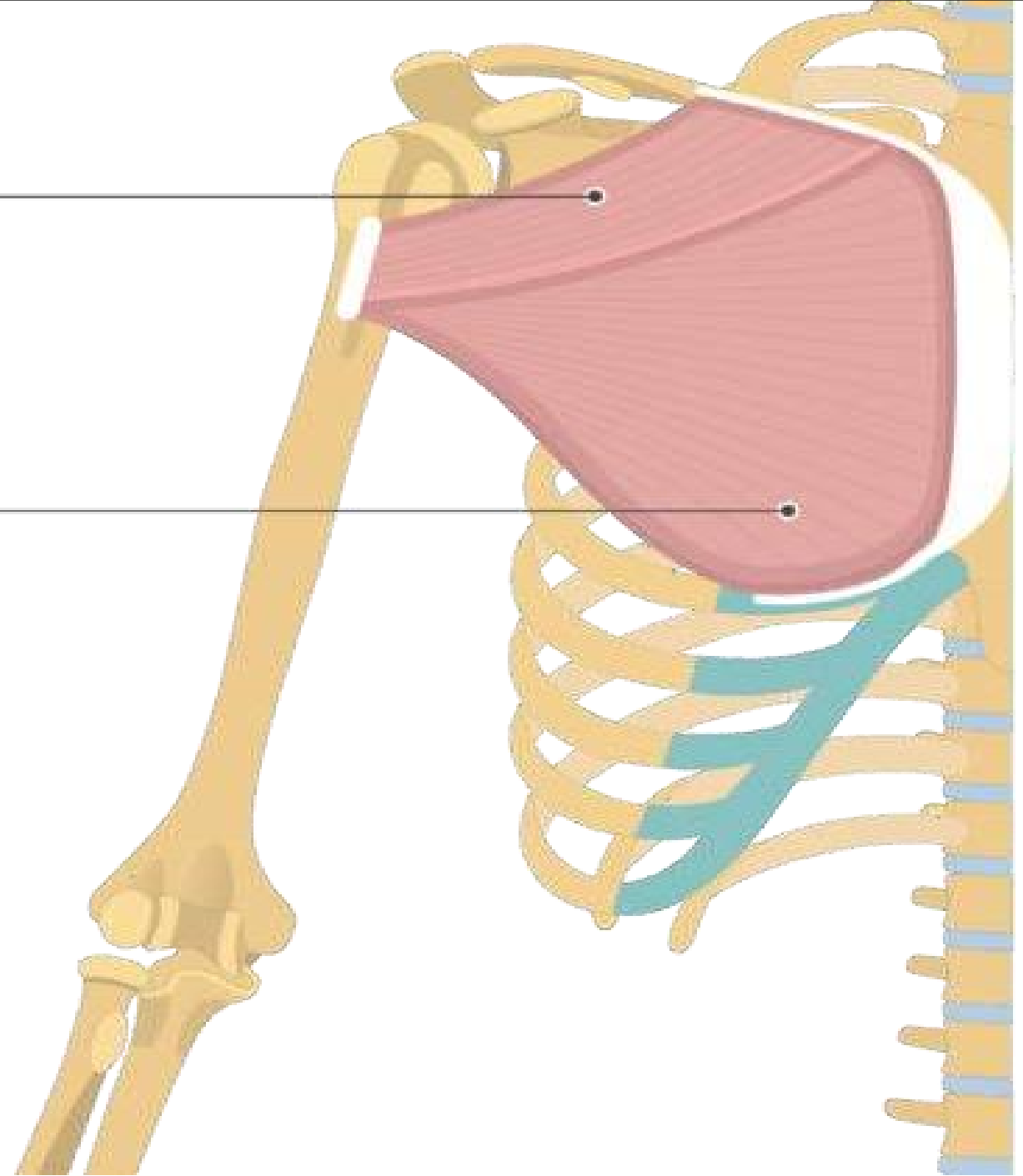
*Action: Scapula
depression*

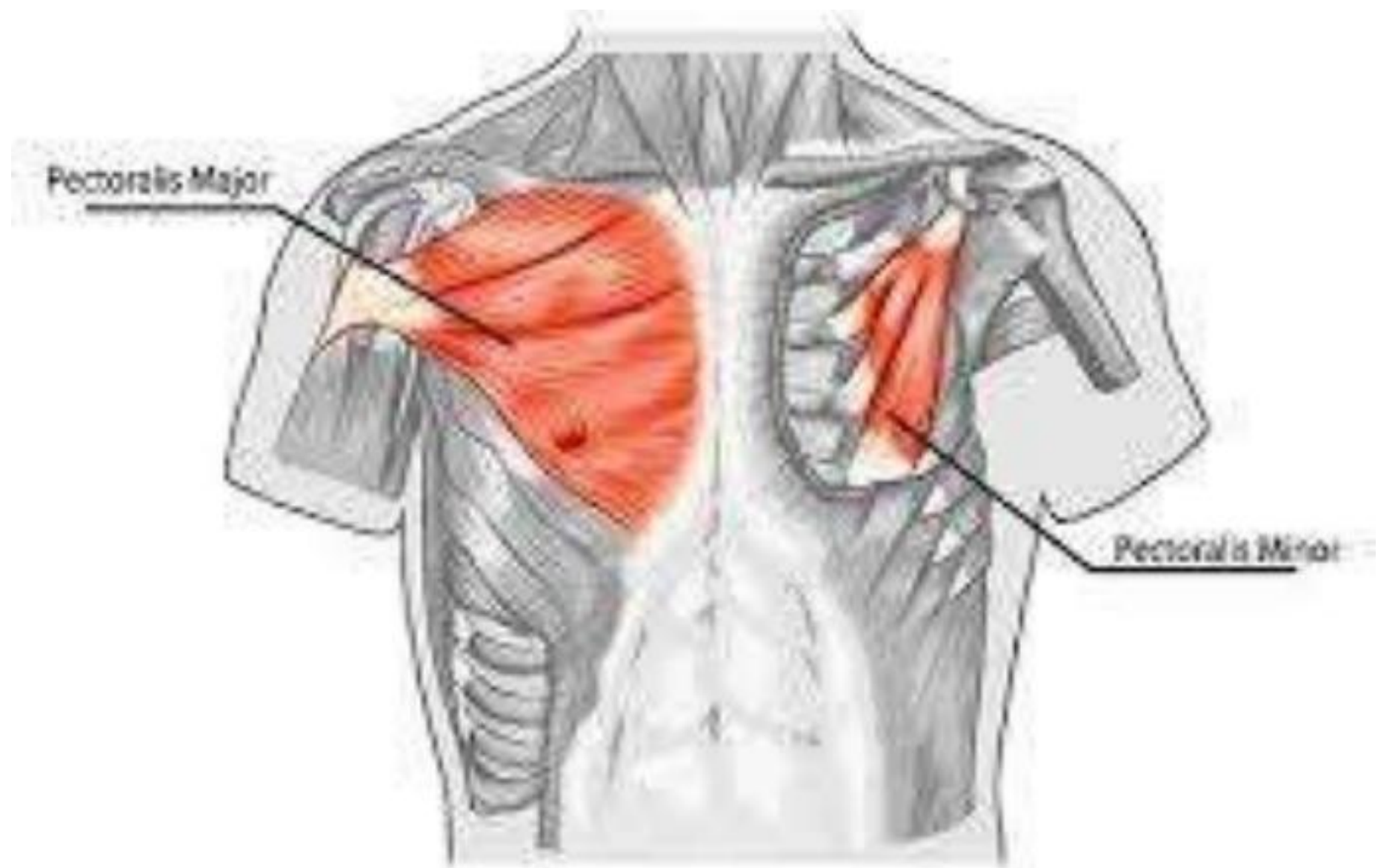


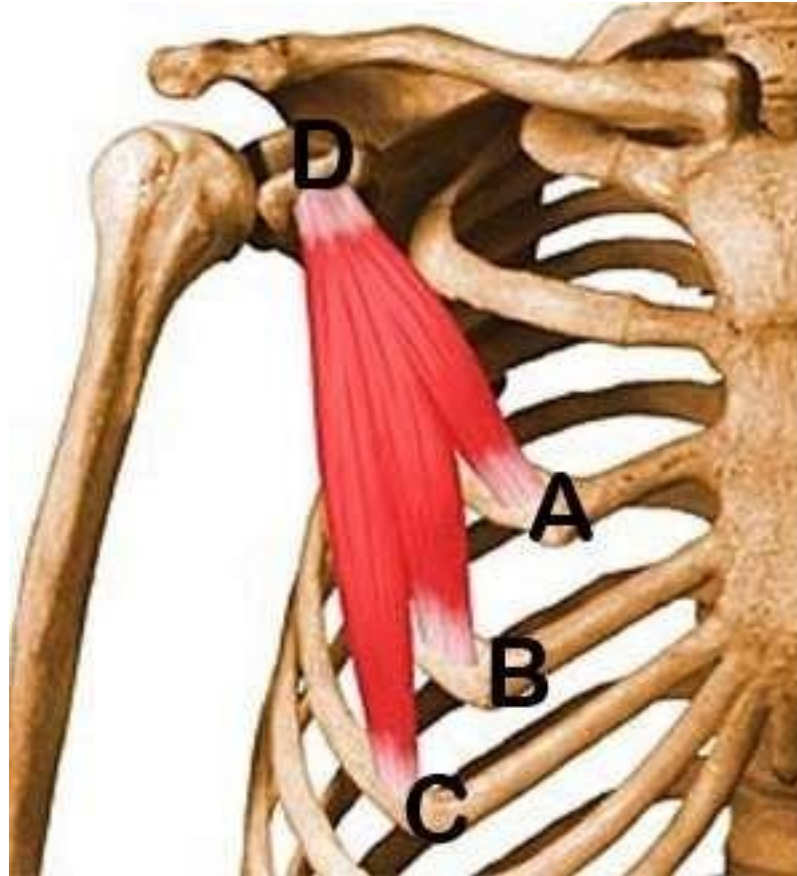
Origin: Ribs

Pectoralis major
(clavicular head)

Pectoralis major
(Sternal head)







Origin point of the Pectoralis Minor

- A. 3rd Rib
- B. 4th Rib
- C. 5th Rib

Insertion point of Pectoralis Minor

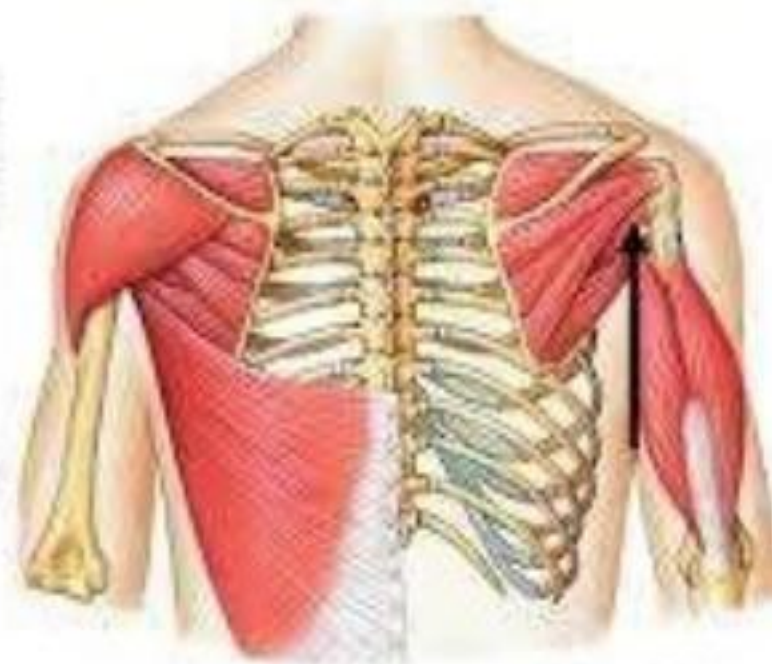
- D. Upper surface of the Scapula (shoulder blade)

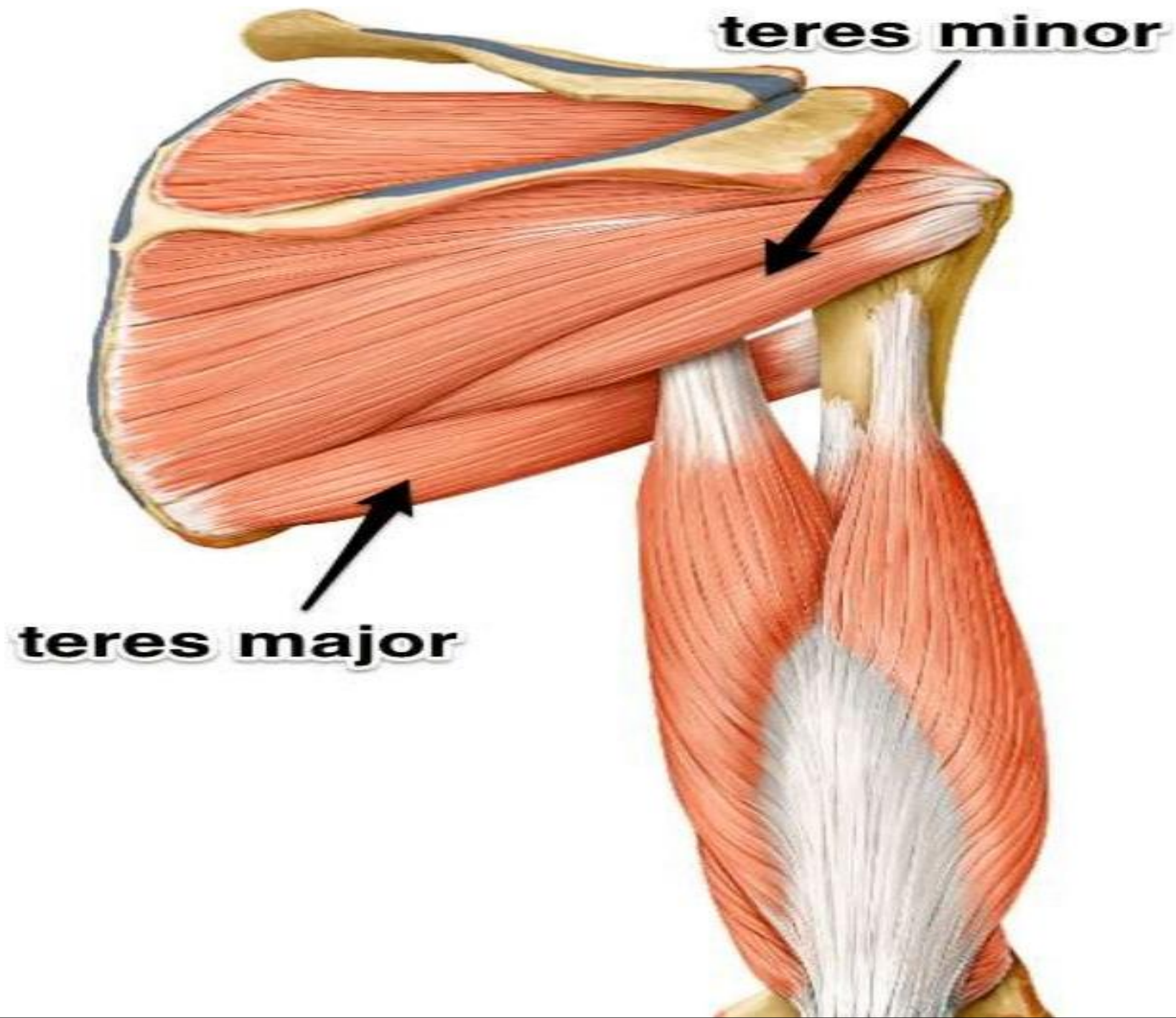
Teres minor

- **Origin**- interior angle of the scapula
- **insertion** – lesser tubercle of the humerus
- **action**- adducts arm rotates arm extends arm
at shoulder.

Teres Minor

- **Origin:** Axillary border of scapula
- **Insertion:** Greater tubercle of humerus
- **Action:** Rotates humerus laterally

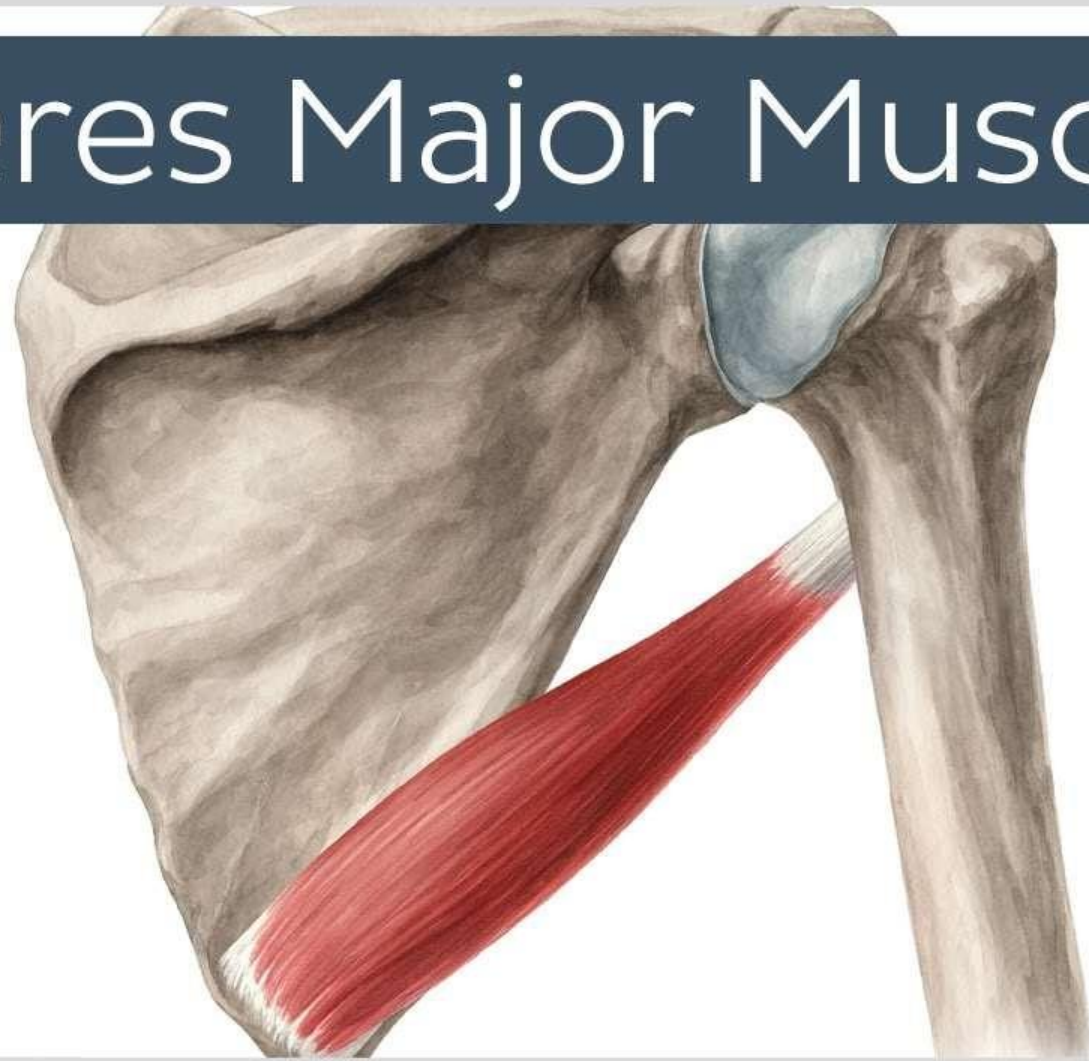




Teres major

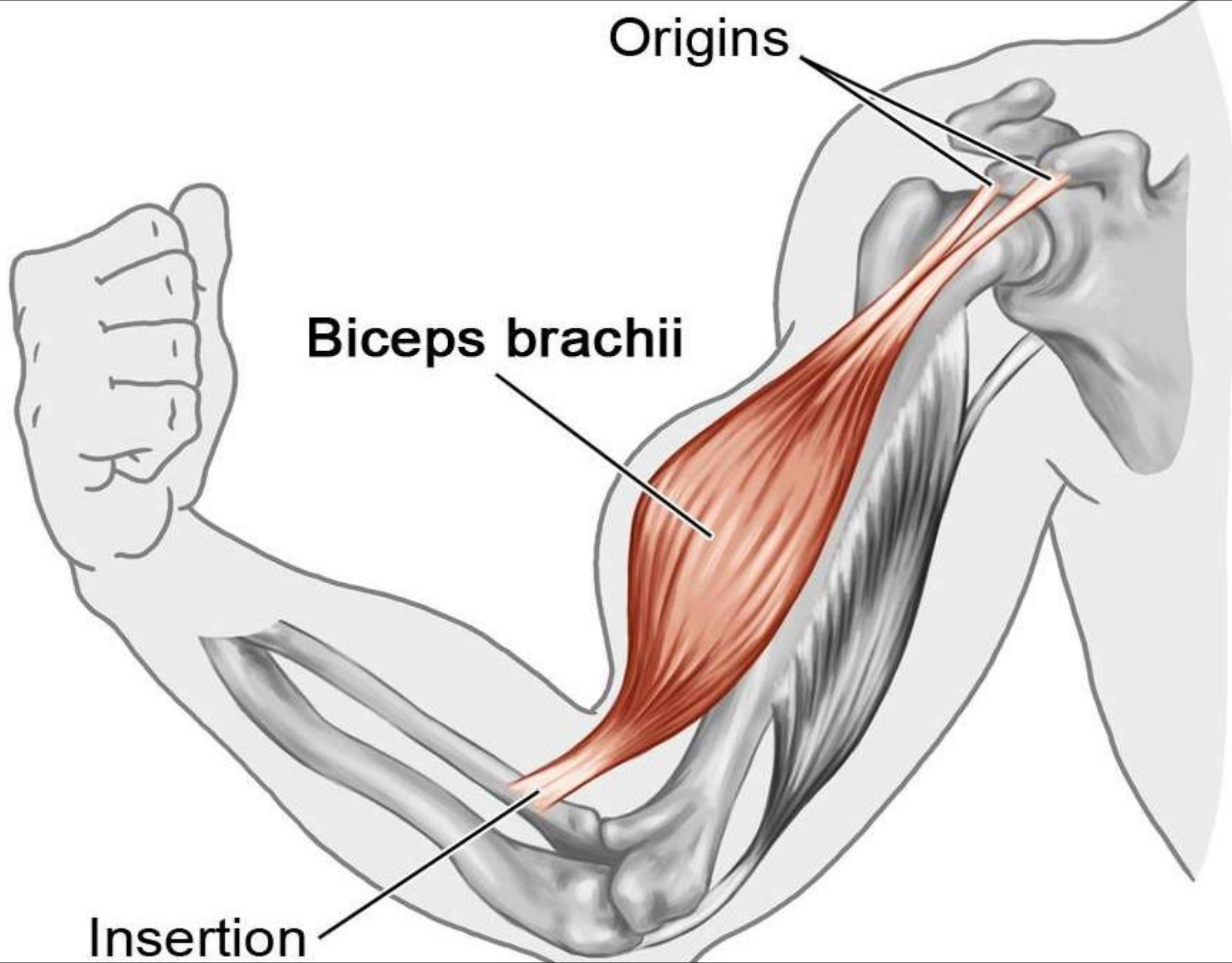
- **Origin**- sternal end of clavicle, ribs 1-6
- **insertion** – greater tubercle of hummers
- **action**- flexes arm at shoulder rotates arm
medially adducts arm

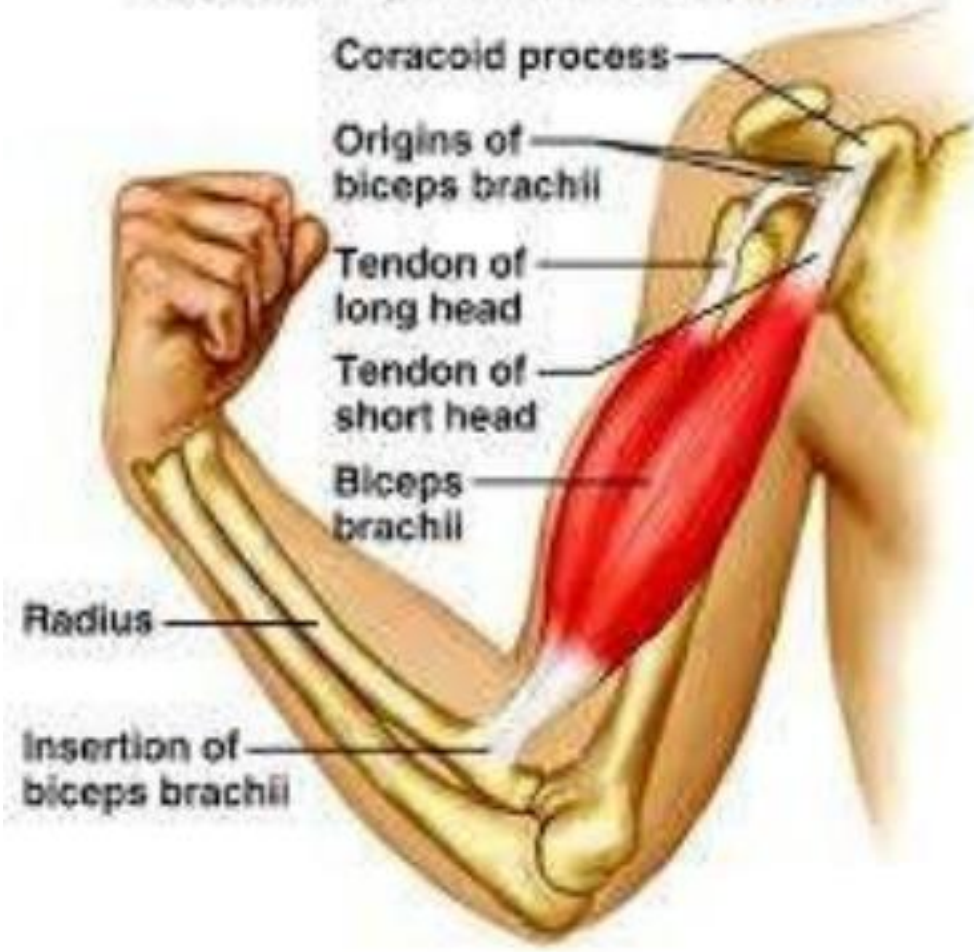
Teres Major Muscle



biceps

- **Origin**- tendon of long head – tendon of short head
- **insertion** – radial tuberosity
- **action**- flexion and extension





Coracoid process

Origins of biceps brachii

Tendon of long head

Tendon of short head

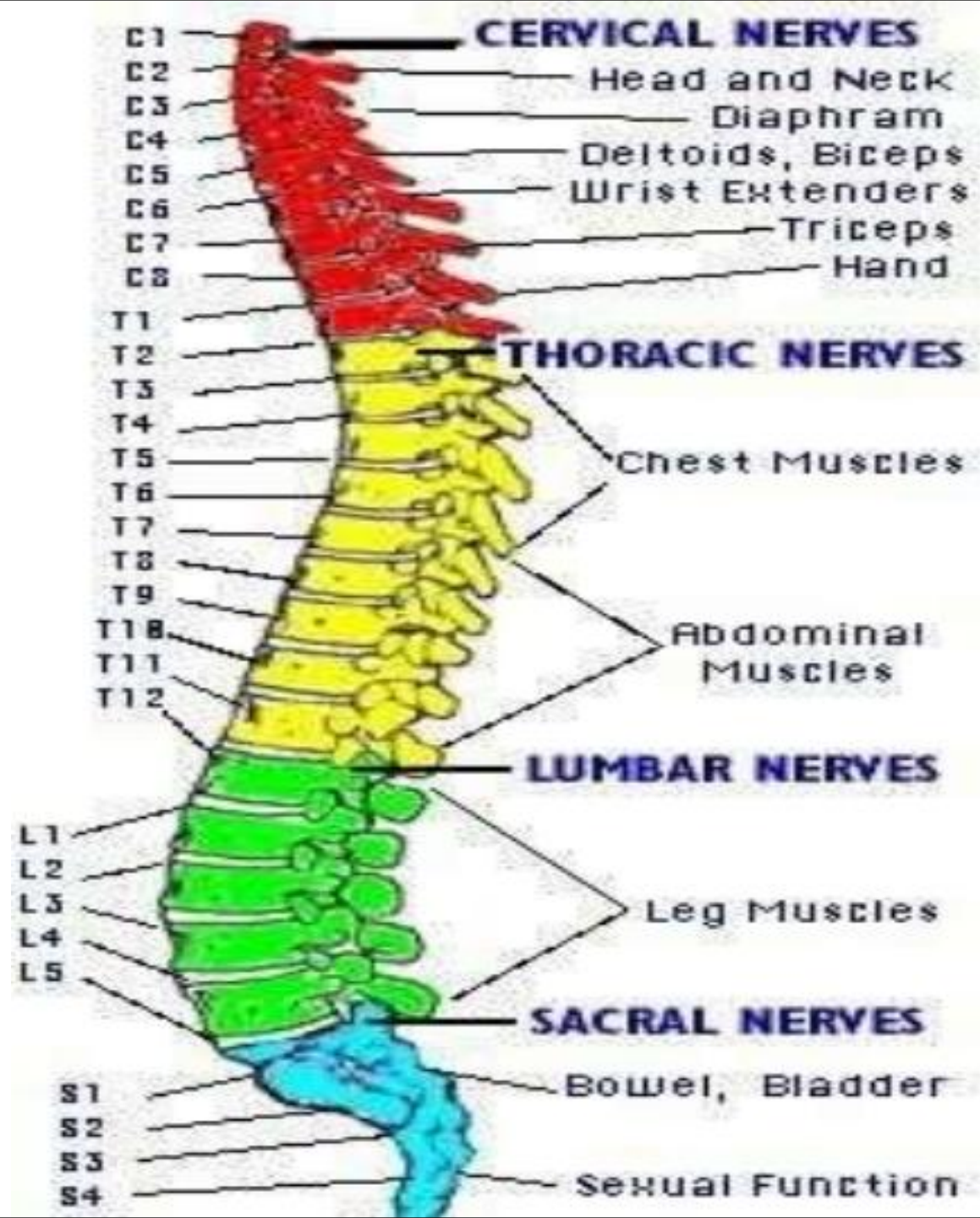
Biceps brachii

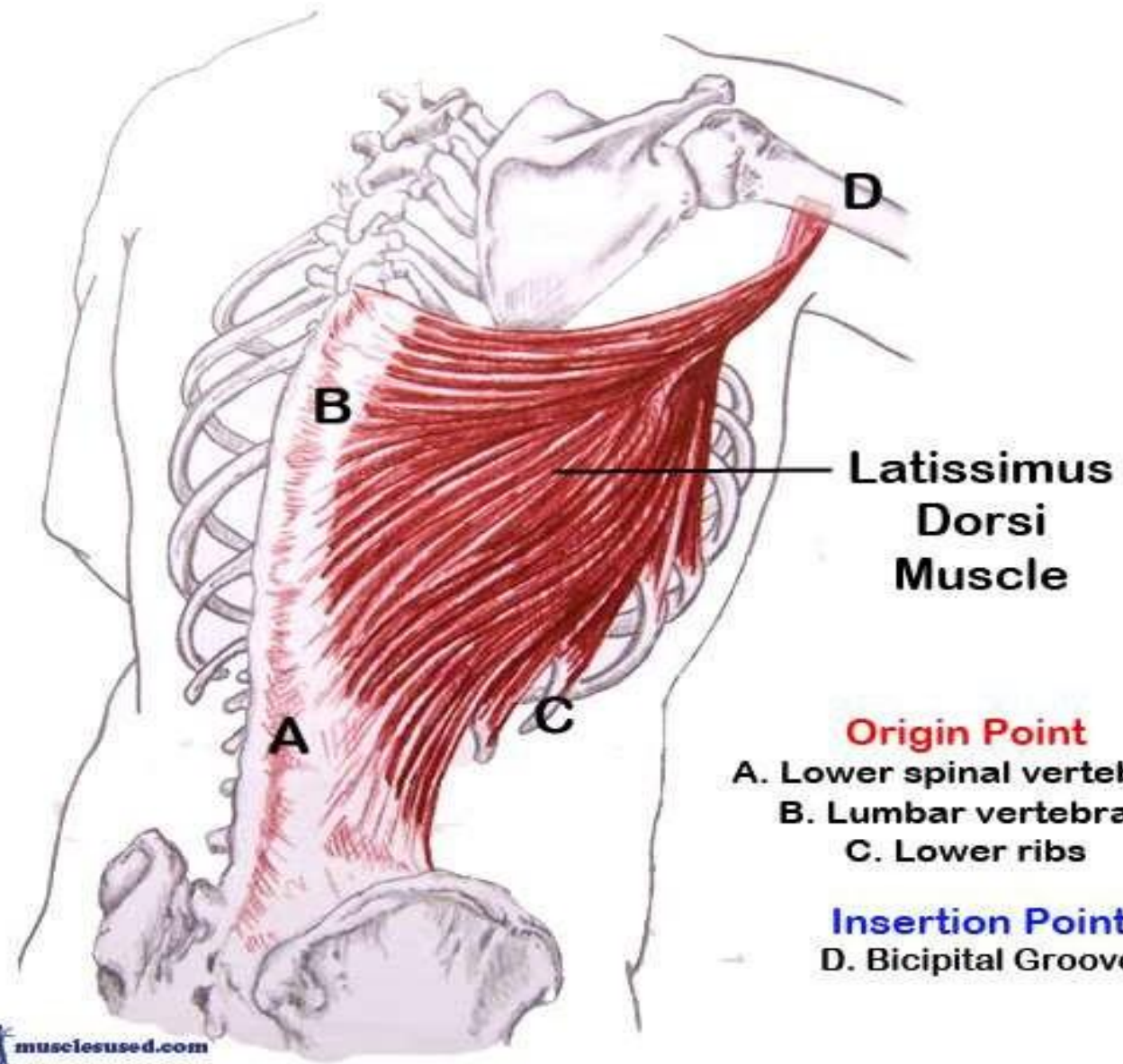
Radius

Insertion of biceps brachii

Latissimus dorsi

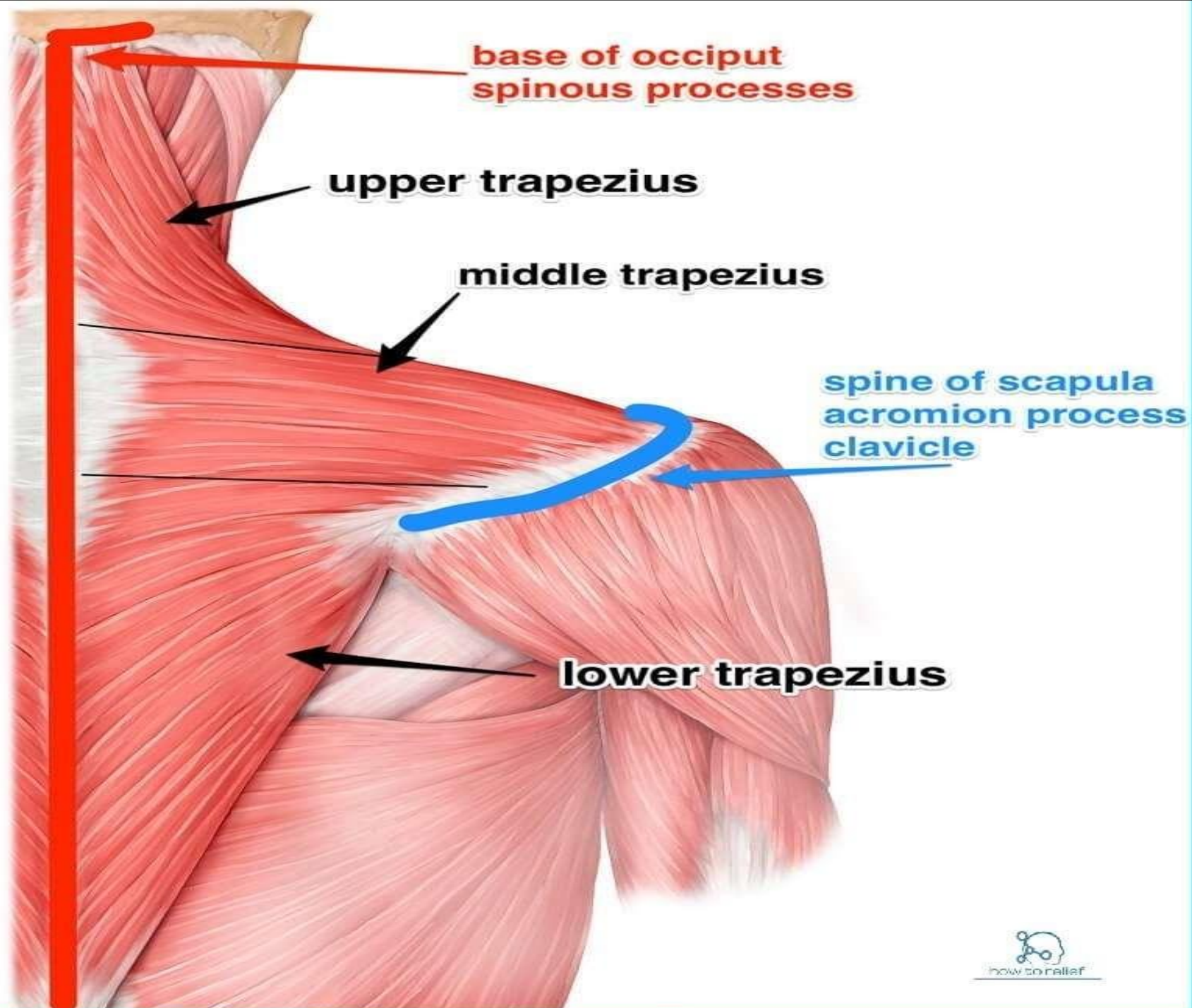
- **Origin**- spinous process of t7-t12, ribs 9-12
- **insertion** – inter tubercular groove of the hummerus
- **action**- extends arm at shoulder





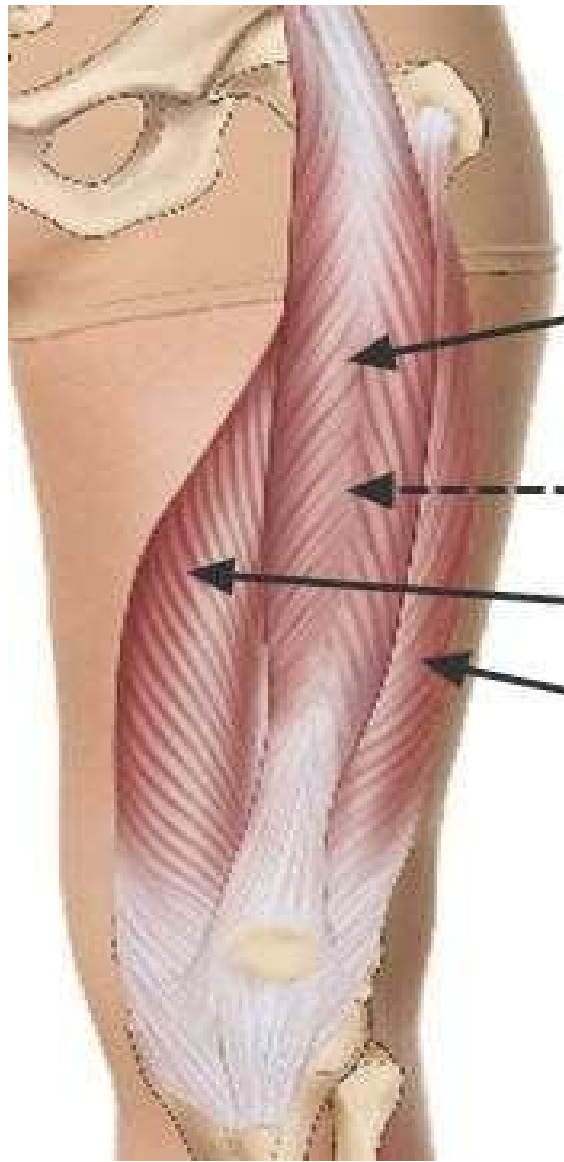
trapezius

- **Origin**- spinous process of c7-t12
- **insertion** – lateral clavicle spine of scapula
- **action**- rotates scapula



quadriceps

- **Origin**- combines rectus femoris and muscles
- **insertion** – tibia tuberosity
- **action**- knee extension and flexion



Quadriceps

Rectus Femoris

Vastus Intermedius
Under the
Rectus Femoris

Vastus Medialis

Vastus Lateralis

Gluteus maximus

- **Origin**- posterior ilium, sacrum
- **insertion** – gluteal tuberosity of femur
- **action**- extend thigh at hip rotates

Sacroiliac joint

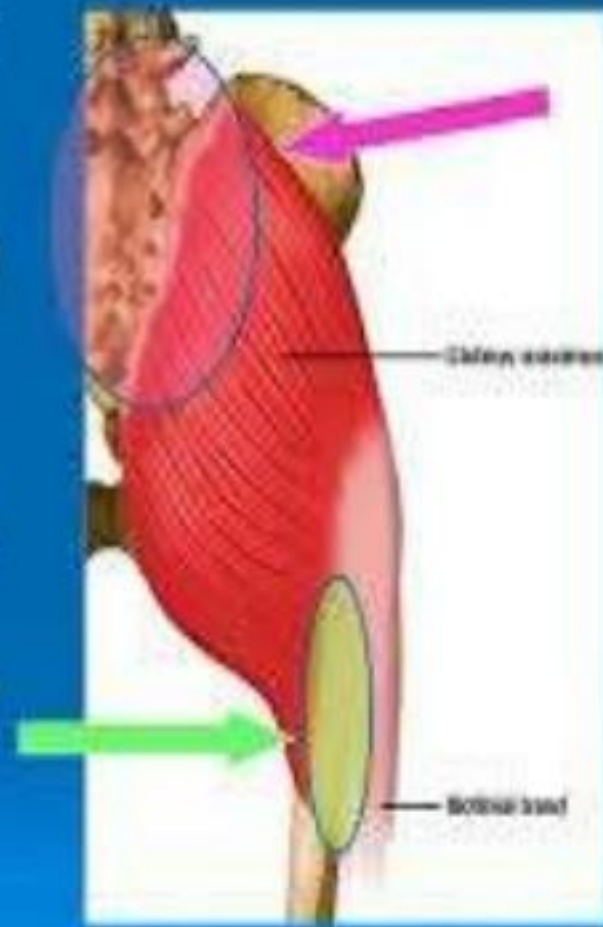


10. Gluteus Maximus

Origin – iliac, sacrum, coccyx

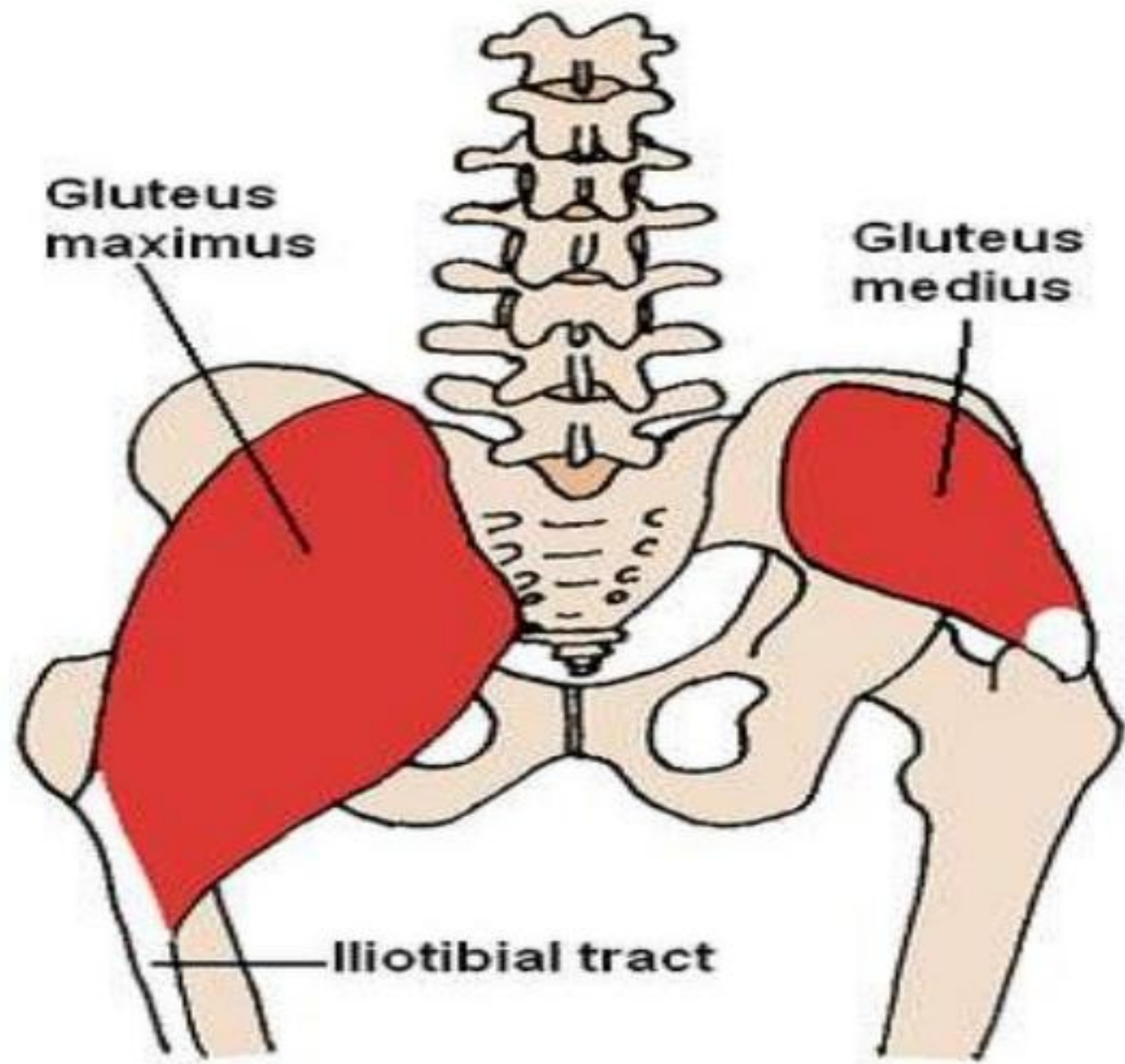
Insertion – gluteal tuberosity, IT band

Action – extension of thigh



Gluteus minimus

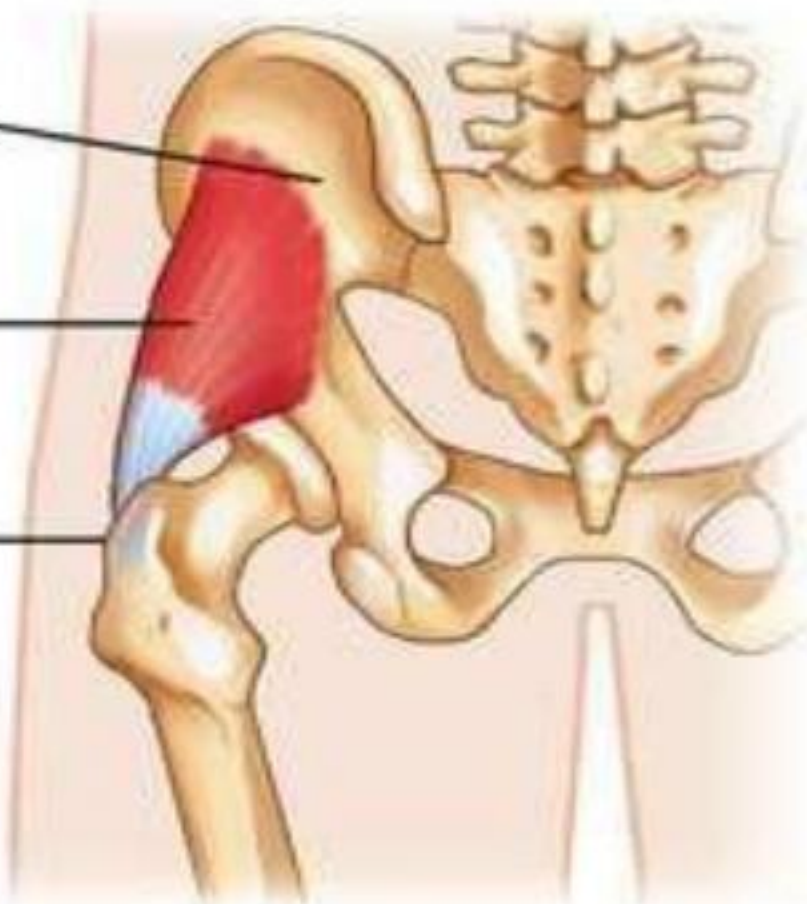
- **Origin**- lateral surface of ilium
- **insertion** – greater trochanter of femur
- **action**- rotates thigh



Gluteal surface of ilium

Gluteus minimus

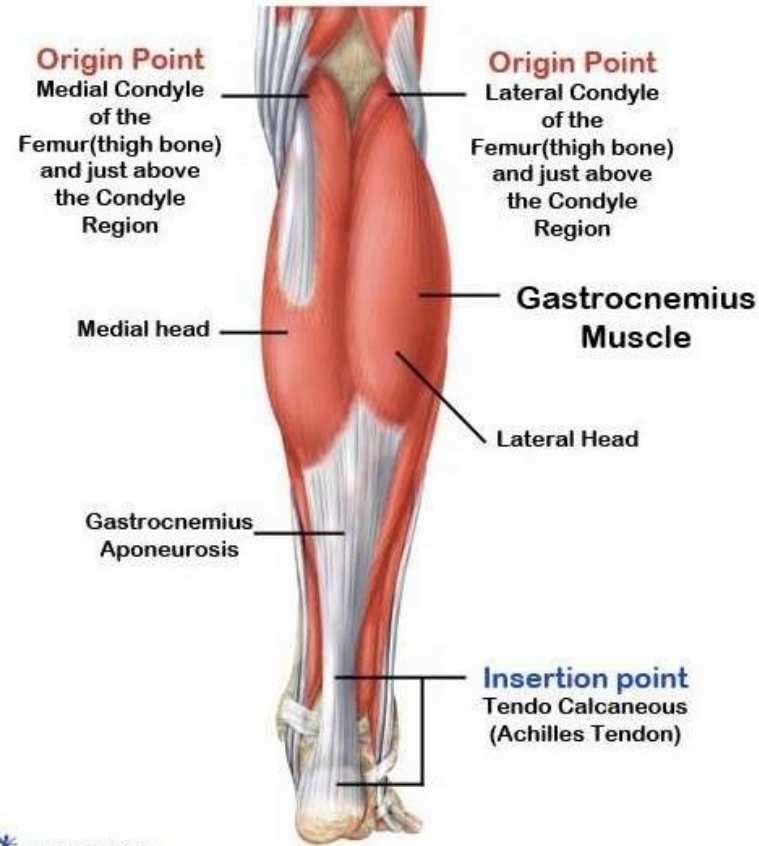
Greater trochanter of femur



Gastrocnemius

- **Origin**- lateral condyle of femur
- **insertion** – calcaneus
- **action**- flexes foot at angle

Origin & Insertion Sites

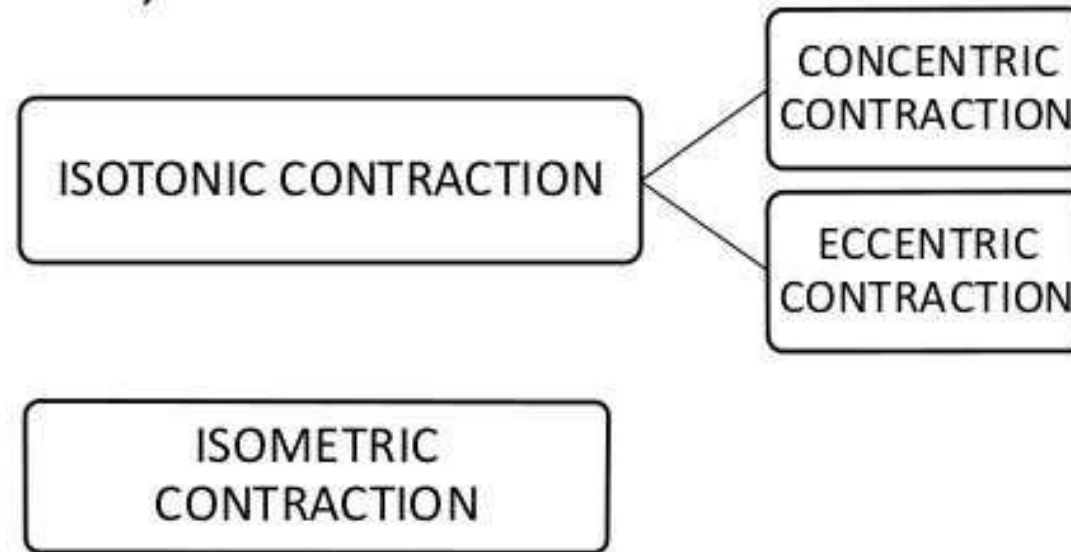


ORIGIN: Medial and lateral condyles of the femur just above the condyle region.

Insertion: Achilles Tendon (Calcaneal tendon)

TYPES OF CONTRACTIONS

There are two main types of muscle contractions which are ;



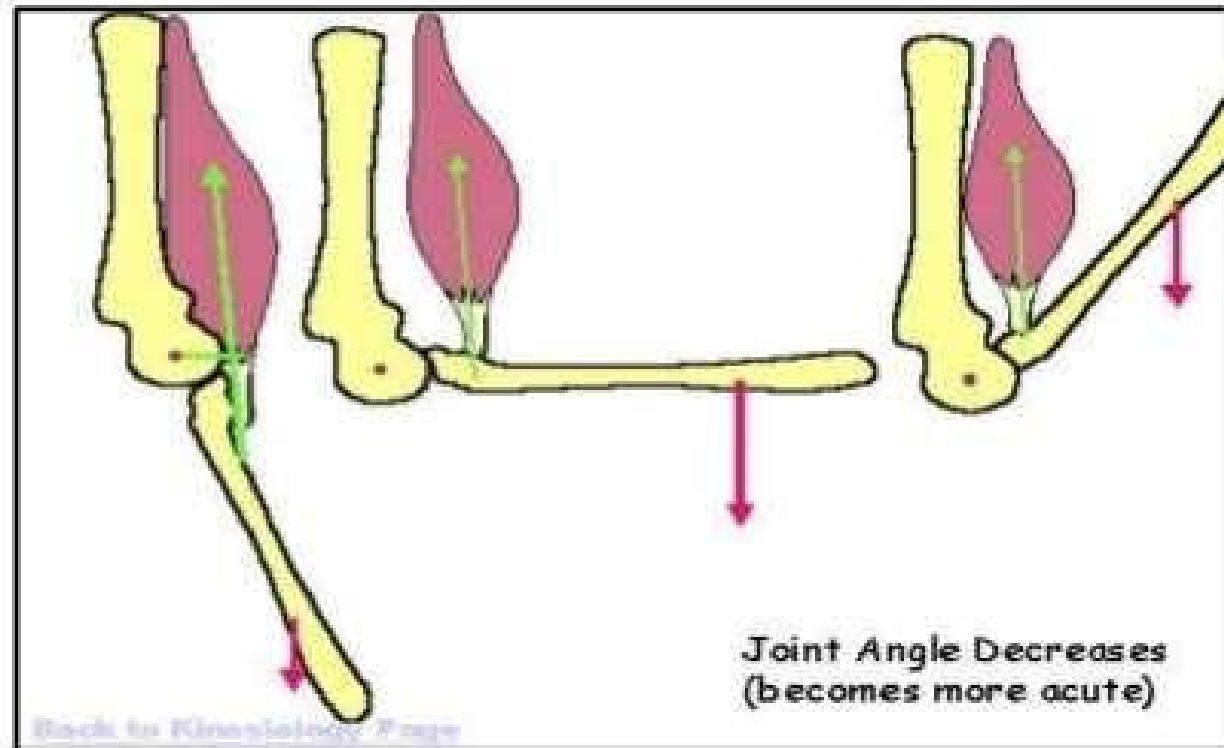
Isokinetic Contraction

What is isotonic contraction

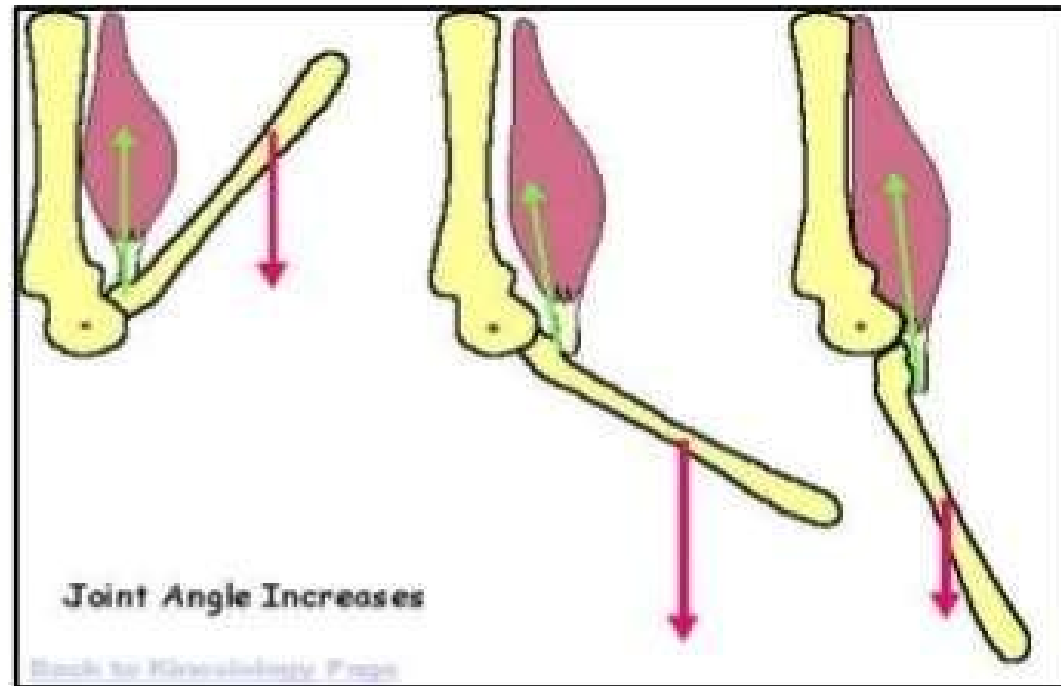
- These occur when a muscle contracts and changes length

TWO TYPES OF ISOTONIC CONTRACTIONS

- Concentric contraction occurs when the muscles shortens
- In the act of curling, the muscle shortens when the arm flexes at the elbow and this is known as concentric contraction



- Eccentric contraction occurs when the muscles lengthens
- Eccentric contraction helps in the control of the rate of movement.



MUSCULAR CONTRACTIONS

- **Isometric contractions**

generate force without changing the length of the muscle opposing force



- **Isokinetic contractions** - the muscle changes length during the contraction and produce movements of a constant speed. To measure this a special piece of equipment known as an Isokinetic Dynamometer is required



Reciprocal Innervation

Reciprocal Innervation Sensory neuron stimulates motor neuron and interneuron. Interneurons inhibit motor neurons of antagonistic muscles. When limb is flexed, antagonistic extensor muscles are passively stretched.

Muscle fatigue

Muscle fatigue is a symptom that decreases your **muscles'** ability to perform over time. It can be associated with a state of **exhaustion**, often following strenuous activity or exercise. When you experience **fatigue**, the force behind your **muscles'** movements decrease, causing you to feel weaker.