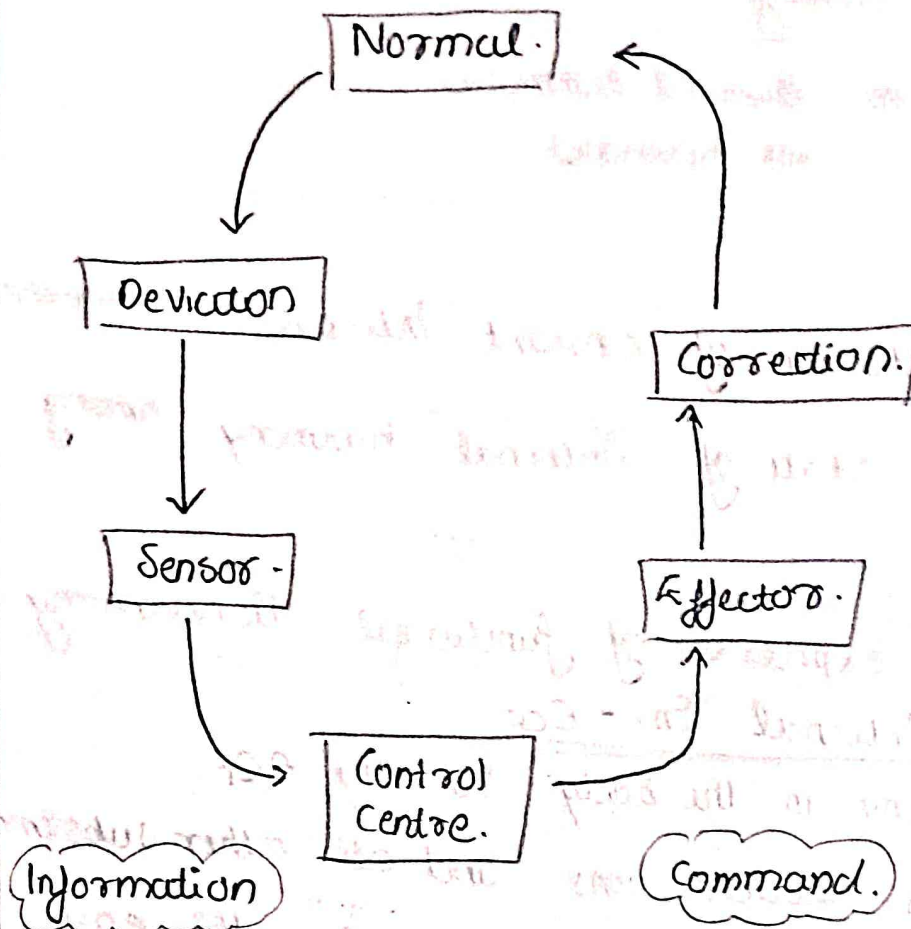


Homeostasis.

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- # Hemostasis : blood clotting.
- # feedback mechanism: thyroid hormones & pit. hormones.
- # homeostasis \rightarrow maintenance of constant internal environment.
- # homeostasis is the state of internal harmony among body system
- # a disease is an expression of functional disharmony disrupted homeostasis
Internal Env - ECF.
 - The internal env. in the body is the ECF. which contains nutrients, ions and all other substances necessary for the survival of cells & in this env. the cells live.
 - It includes blood, interstitial fluid + trans cellular fluid!

Components of homeostatic system.

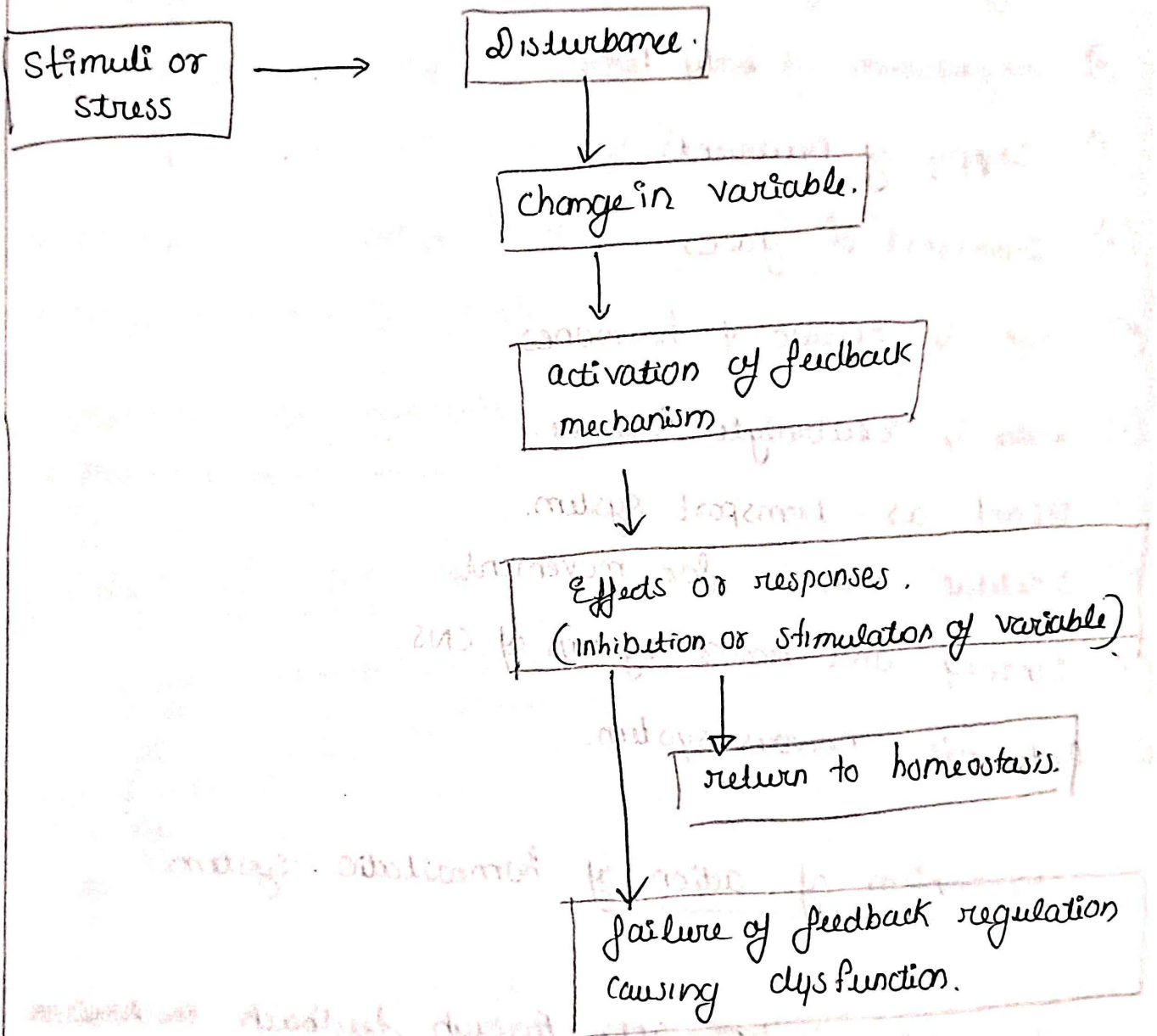


* If this correction doesn't occur, it results in disease

Components.

- ① Detectors or sensors, which recognize deviation.
- ② Control centre to which the info regarding deviation is transmitted.
- ③ Effectors which receive info from central control for
- ④ The ^{correcting} transmission of message - electrical process, chemical process or hormones.

Feedback mechanism of homeostatic regulation.



Examples of homeostasis.

- (1) regulation of PH
- (2) regulation of body temp.
- (3) Supply of Nutrients.
- (4) transport of gases.
- (5) syn. & release of hormones.
- (6) water & Electrolyte balance.
- (7) Blood as transport system.
- (8) skeletal muscles for movement.
- (9) sensory and motor system of CNS.
- (10) Autonomic nervous system.

Mechanism of action of homeostatic system.

- Homeostatic system acts through feedback mechanism
- Feedback is a process in which some proportion of output signal of a system is fed (passed) back to input.

Two types.

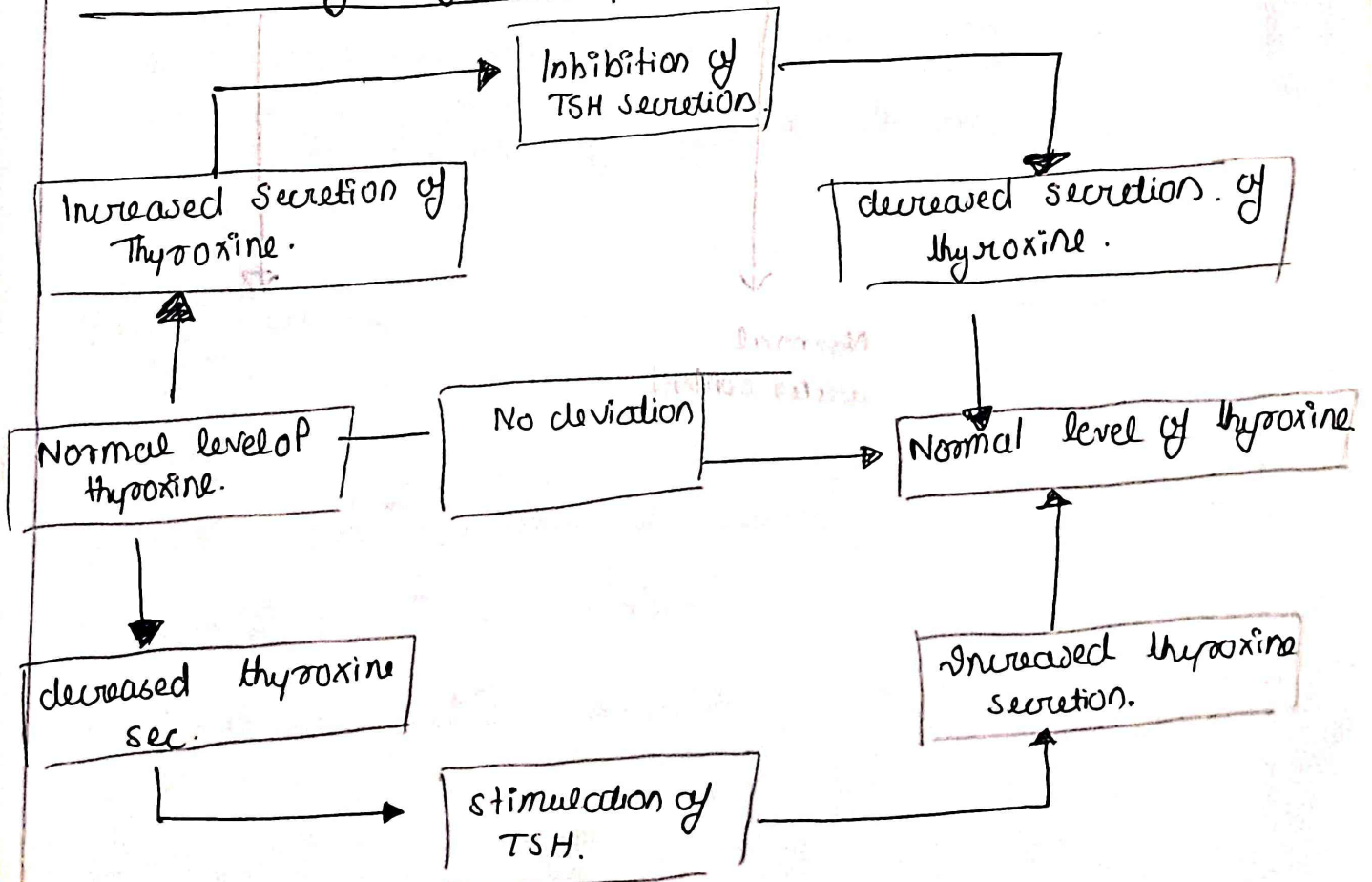
- (1) Negative feedback mech. : T_3 T_4
- (2) positive feedback mech : LH Surge

Negative feedback.

- a particular system reacts in such a way as to stop or change or reverse the direction of change.
- After receiving a message, the effector sends the inhibitory signals back to the system.
- Now the sys, stabilizes its own function either by stopping or reversing signals.

eg: ① Secretion of thyroxine.
② Maintenance of water balance.

Secretion of Thyroxine.



Water Balance.

Normal water content.

Increased water con.

No deviation.

No thirst.

No stim of osmo receptors in Hypothalamus.

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decrease ADH secretion from Post pituitary.

Normal water content.

Positive feedback mechanism {less common}.

- One in which system reacts in such a way as to amplify (increase intensity) the change in same direction.
- less common.
- has own significance, especially in Emergency Condition.

Examples ① Blood clotting.

② Milk ejection reflex: Milk let down reflex.
milk is ejected from alveoli of mammary gland.

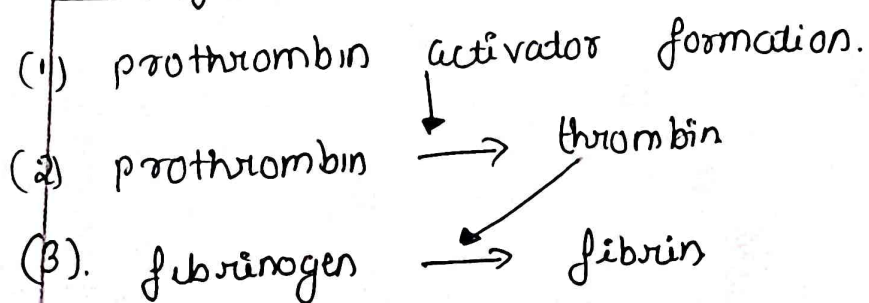
③ Parturition reflex.

④ Hodgkins Cycle. {during action potential of neurons}

⑤ activation of digestive Enzymes.

Blood clotting.

3 stages.



Hypothalamus send impulse to Post. pituitary.

oxytocin release to blood.



oxytocin reach mammary gland.

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contraction of myoepithelial cells

↓
ejection of milk from mammary gland.

* Initiated by nervous factors

* Completed by hormonal factors.

* ∴ called as Neuroendocrine reflex.

Gain -> Correction by error, → text refer!

* Gain - Effectiveness

- ① plasma PH 7.35 - 7.45
- ② plasma K^+ 3.5 - 5.0 meq/L.
- ③ Body temp 97 - 98.8 F.
- ④ CO_2 venous blood 35 - 45 mm of Hg.
- ⑤ plasma Na^+ 135 - 146 mmol/L
- ⑥ plasma HCO_3^- 24 - 32 mmol/L.