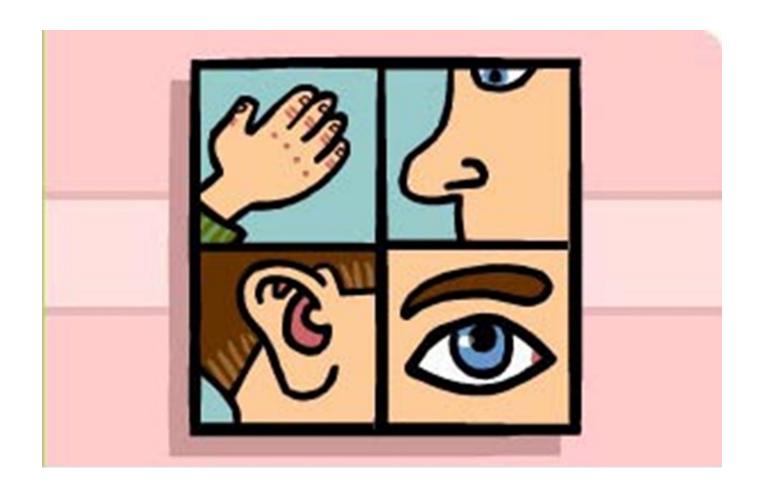
## Signal transduction



# Signal transduktion Signal **Antenna** playback Signal transducer Signal amplifier

Signal tuner

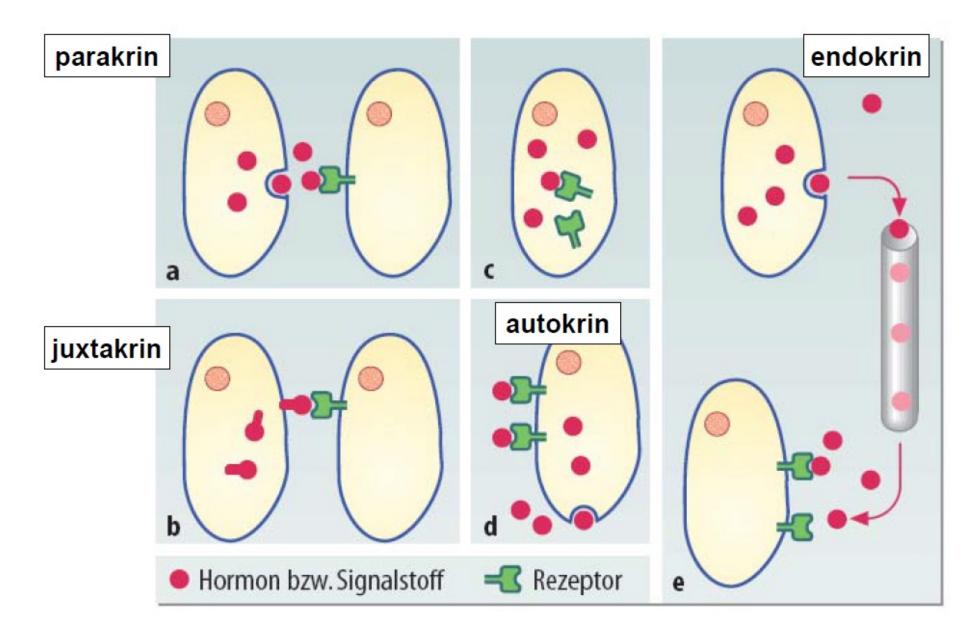
#### Signal transduction

Signal Hormone
Antenna Receptor
Tuner Co-Receptors
Adaptor
Amplifier Enzymes
Playback Effectors

#### Signals

- heat
- Light
- mechanical and acoustic signals
- odors
- taste substances
- Pheromones
- extracellular Matrix
- cell surface glycoproteins
- Antigens
- Hormones
- Cytokines
- Chemokines

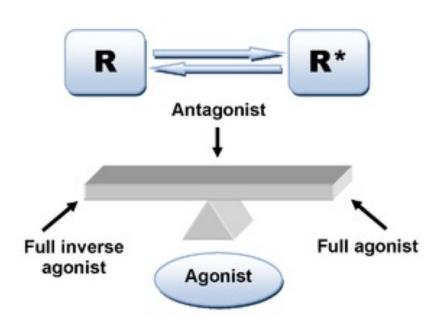
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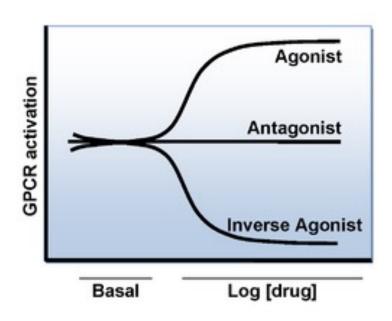


#### Rezeptor definition (biochemical)

Biomolecule or Biomolecule complex,

- Signal molecule binds
- Structural changes
- Activation of one or more signal transduction cascades





#### Receptor types

metabotropic vs ionotropic

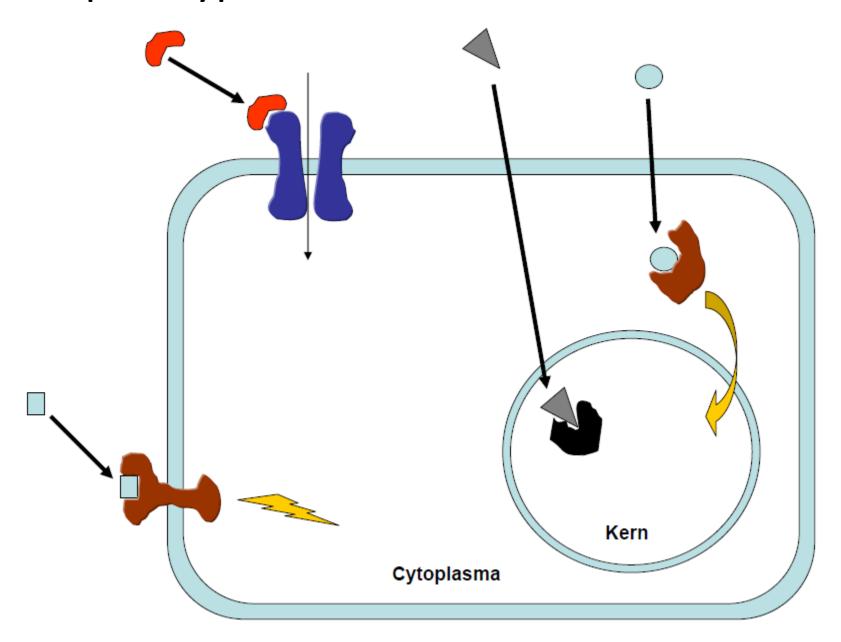
 nuclear receptors (Steroid hormones; thyroid hormones)

- Membrane receptors (Peptides / Proteo-Hormones)
- Ligand-regulated Ion channels (Neurotransmitters; Ligands)

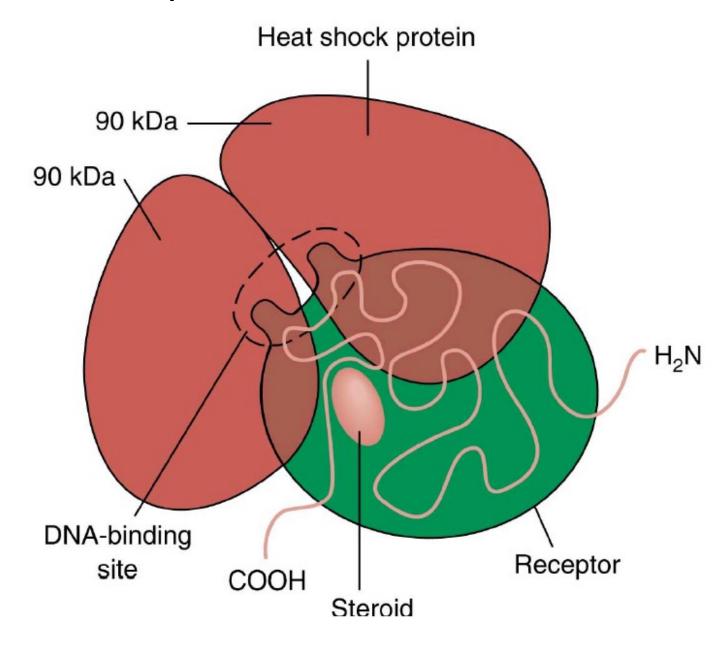
#### Receptor types

- 1. Nuclear receptors
- 2. G protein-coupled receptors
- 3. Receptor Tyrosine kinases (RTK)
- 4. Receptors with associated kinases

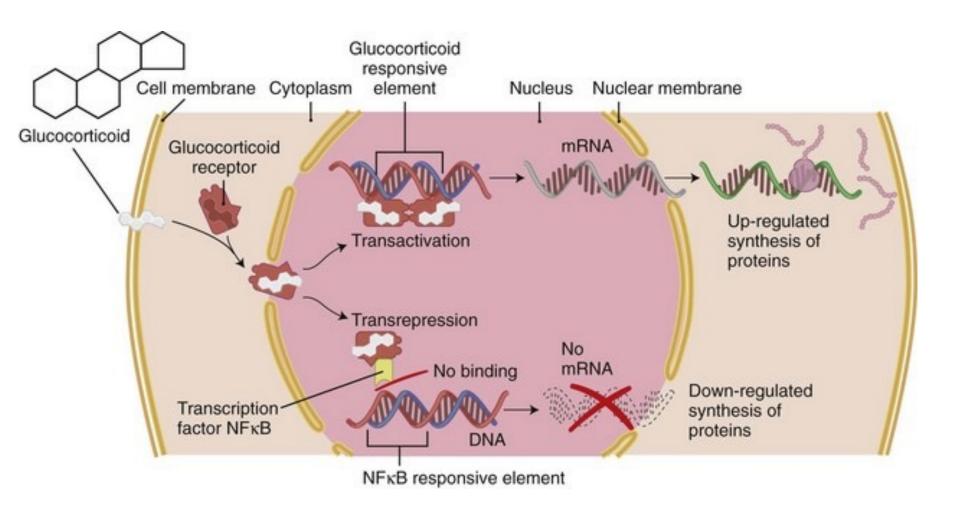
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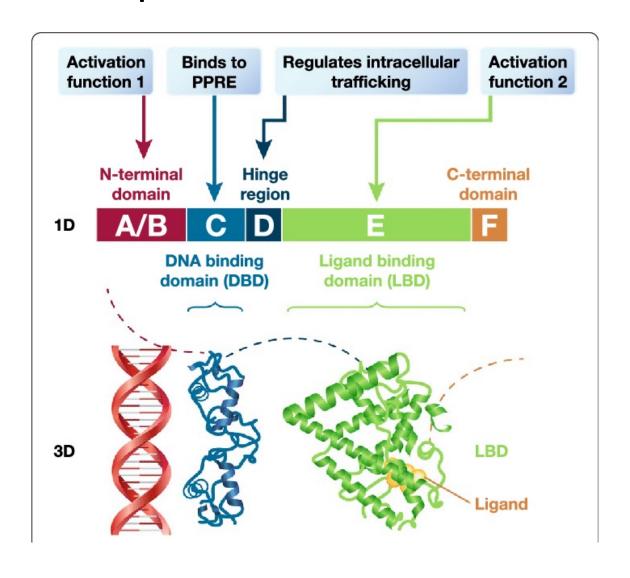
#### Steroid Receptor - Structure



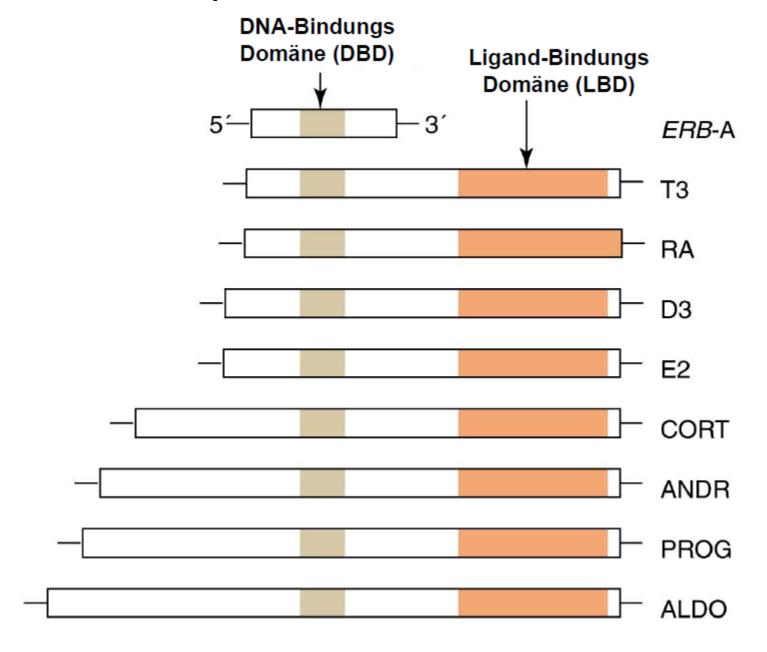
#### Steroid Receptor – Activation prozess



#### Steroid Receptors - Structure



#### Nuclear Receptors - Structure



#### **Nuclear Receptors - Dimerization**

• Steroid receptors: Homodimers (in Cytoplasm)

e.g.: Glucocorticoids, Progesterone

• non-steroidal Receptors: Homodimers or Heterodimers (most are in the nucleus)

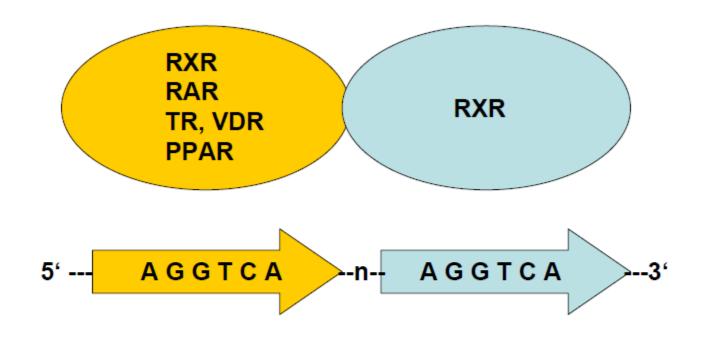
e.g.: Retinoic acid (RAR, RXR)

bile acid (LXR)

Vitamin D (VDR)

thyroid hormone (TR)

#### Nuclear Receptors – DNA Binding

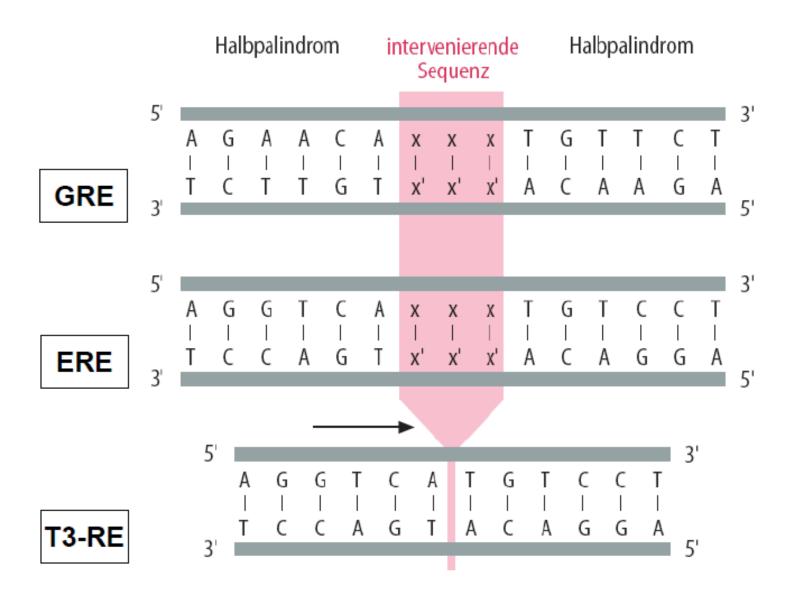


RXR RAR TR, VDR PPAR 9-cis-Retinsäure all-trans-Retinsäure T3, Vitamin D

Peroxisomen Proliferatoren

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#### Nuclear Receptors – DNA Binding



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