

- Tissue = connective tissue = CT proper = loose CT = Adipose depositions (from adipocytes) = white and brown = cellulite (a nonmedical term for fat and fibrous tissue deposits that result in dimpling of the skin).

Categories

Fluid CT

Blood

Contains:

- Cells: RBCs, WBCs, platelets
- Plasma (matrix)

Lymph

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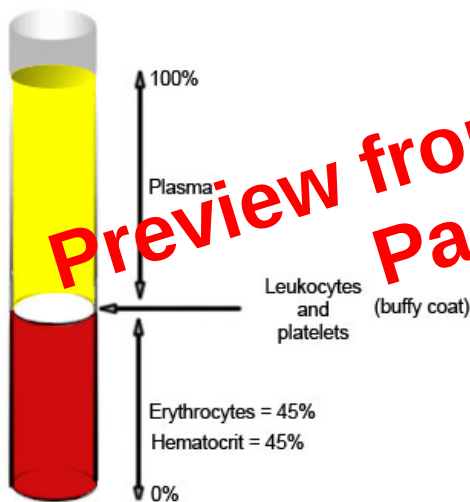
- Cells: mostly lymphocytes
- Interstitial fluid (matrix)

-Blood is considered connective tissue because its primary function is delivery of nutrients and its original bone (Connective tissue)

-"Formed Elements" of the blood

Erythrocytes: erythro, red

Leukocytes: leuko, white



Thrombocytes: thrombo, blood clot

- Distinctive collections of cells in a fluid matrix

Blood once cycled through Supporting connective tissue

- Matrix contains a lot of fibers and sometimes calcium salts
 - Very strong, for support
- Types:
 1. Cartilage
 2. Bone

- Root hair plexus
- Ruffini corpuscle
 - warmth
- Lamellated corpuscle
 - pressure

Fingers get pruny in water because blood vessels are constricting

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