

Vitamins

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- Vitamins are the organic substances which are required to maintain basic body functions and prevent diseases.
- Vitamins are essential nutrients which an organism needs in small quantities for the proper functioning of its metabolism.

- It is necessary to take vitamins and minerals to maintain a healthy life together with carbohydrates, fats and proteins, which are the main nutrients.
- Dietary deficiency of vitamins leads to deprivation syndrome in metabolism.

Classification of Vitamins

- Due to the differences in their chemical structure, the solubility of vitamins differs.
- Vitamins are classified in two basic groups:
- Water-soluble vitamins
- Fat-soluble vitamins

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- Water-soluble vitamins
 - Vitamin C

- Vitamin B complex
- Fat-soluble vitamins
 - Vitamin A
 - Vitamin D
 - Vitamin E
 - Vitamin K