

# Symmetry



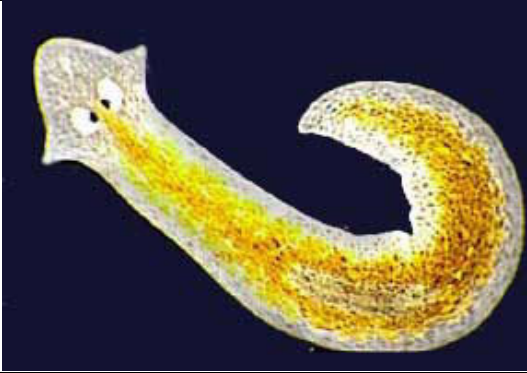



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**INTRODUCTION:**

Members of Kingdom Animalia exhibit either RADIAL SYMMETRY (i.e. parts repeat around an imaginary line drawn through the center of the organism's body), or BILATERAL SYMMETRY (i.e. one side of the body is a mirror image of the other side). Organisms that display bilateral symmetry have a specialized front, back end, upper side, and lower side. The front of an organism displaying bilateral symmetry is called the ANTERIOR end, the back end is called the POSTERIOR end, the upper side is called the DORSAL side, and the lower side is called the VENTRAL side.

**YOUR TASK:**

View the organisms below, and indicate (in the space provided) whether the animal exhibits RADIAL or BILATERAL SYMMETRY. If the organism exhibits bilateral symmetry, indicate the ANTERIOR, POSTERIOR, DORSAL, and VENTRAL sides of the organism.

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