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Gap Junction

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Intercellular connections comprised of complexes of connexin family proteins that permit the transfer of cytoplasmic ions and molecules between connected cells. Each cell contains a hemichannel made up of homo- or hetero-hexamers of connexins.