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Totipotent Stem Cell

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Totipotent stem cells, such as the product of fertilization of an ovum and its progeny, are stem cells that have total potency to form an entire mature organism, e.g., a human being, although only if placed in a woman's uterus.