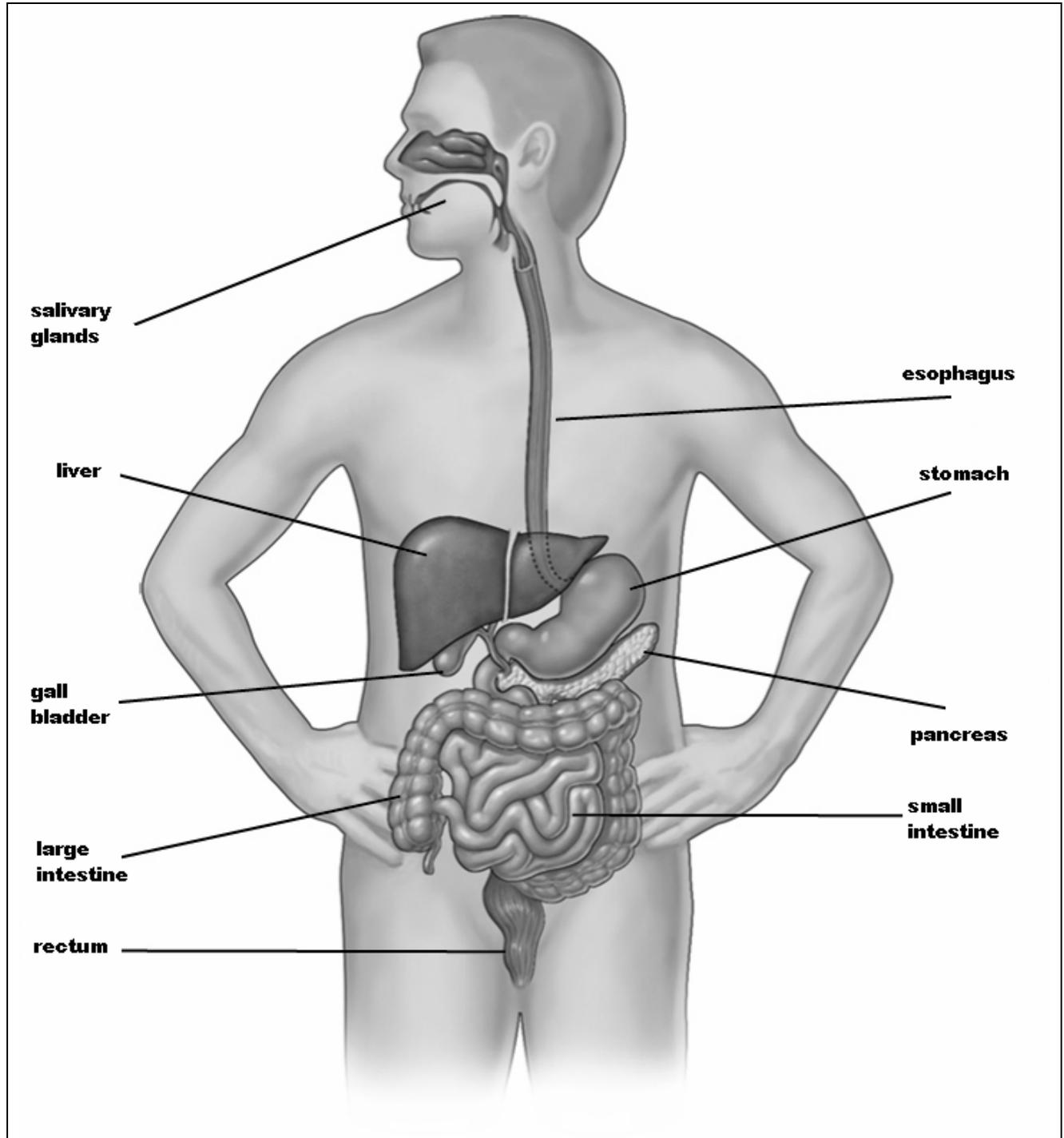


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Label	Organ	Basic Function
<b>A</b>	salivary glands	secrete starch-digesting enzymes
<b>B</b>	liver	manufactures bile, a detergent-like substance that facilitates digestion of fats
<b>C</b>	gall bladder	stores bile until it is needed
<b>D</b>	large intestine	absorbs water and salts; passes undigested material and some water out of the body
<b>E</b>	rectum	stores waste prior to elimination
<b>F</b>	esophagus	directs food from the mouth to the stomach
<b>G</b>	stomach	adds acid, enzymes, and fluid; churns, mixes, and grinds food to a liquid mass (chyme)
<b>H</b>	pancreas	manufactures enzymes to digest macromolecules; secretes bicarbonate to neutralize stomach acid that enters the small intestine
<b>I</b>	small intestine	secretes enzymes that digest macromolecules; absorbs hydrolyzed molecules into bloodstream