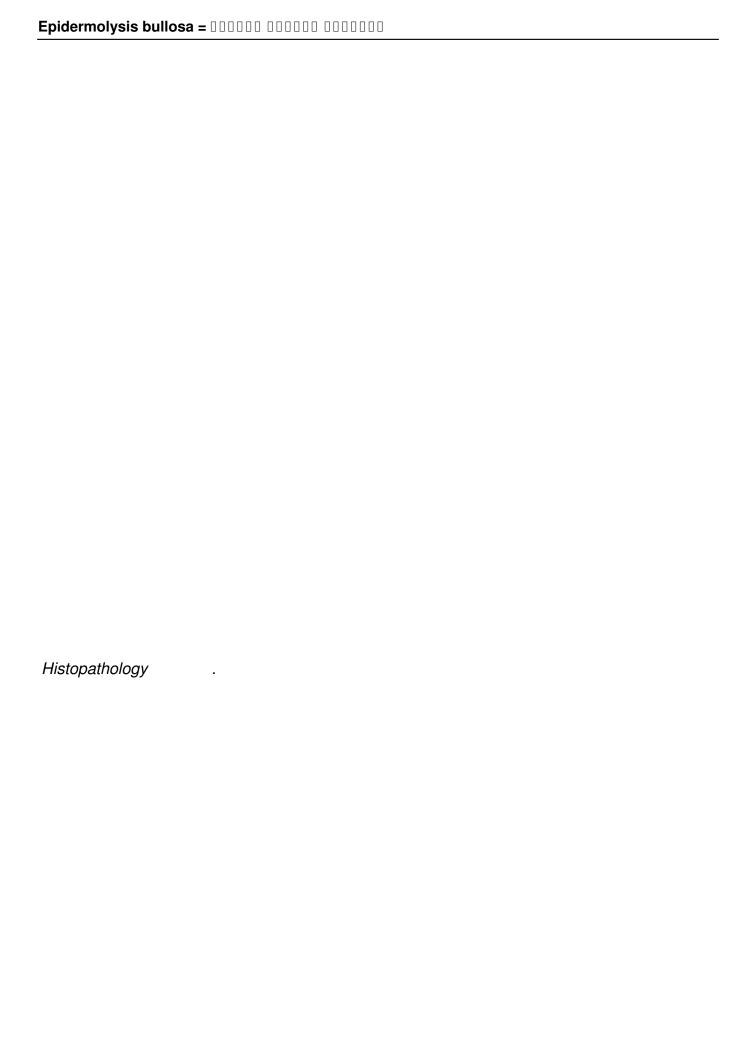


## Epidermolysis Bullosa

On the basis of clinical, histologic, and electron microscopic findings, three groups of EB are recognized

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If a fresh blister is available, a specimen for biopsy may be taken from its edge.

Even though electron n	nicroscopic examination	(discussed later) is informa	tive, the light microscopic fea
In	epidermal EB,	which includes EB simplex	x, EB offeet and hands of Wel

In	junctional EB,	the trauma of having a	specimen taken for biopsy gene
the PAS-positive baser	nent membrane zone us	ually remaining with the	dermis . In some cases of EB le
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membrane zone often a	appears hazy . If recognizable, it is seen in contact with the detached epidermis o
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EB acquisita	is not a genodermatosis but an autoimmune disorder.

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Pathogenesis.	If possible, all specimens of artificially induced blisters should be subjected to
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