

# Inspiration of the Bible

Historical  
Accuracy

Prophetic  
Fulfillment

Scientific  
Foreknowledge

# Egyptian knowledge of the day

Ebers  
Papyrus

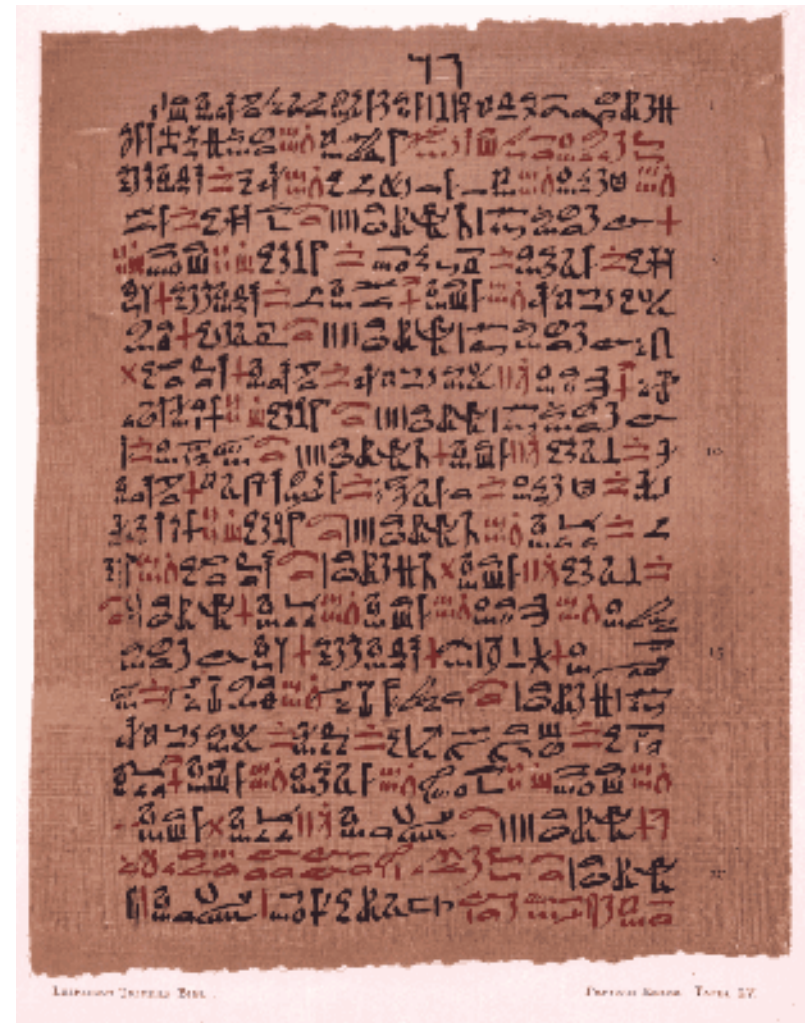
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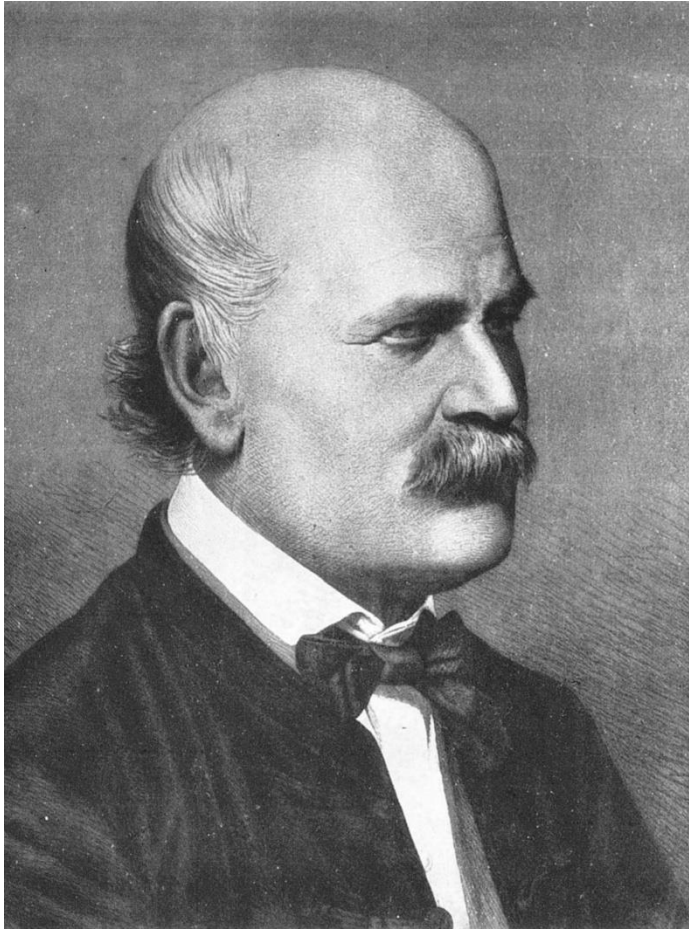
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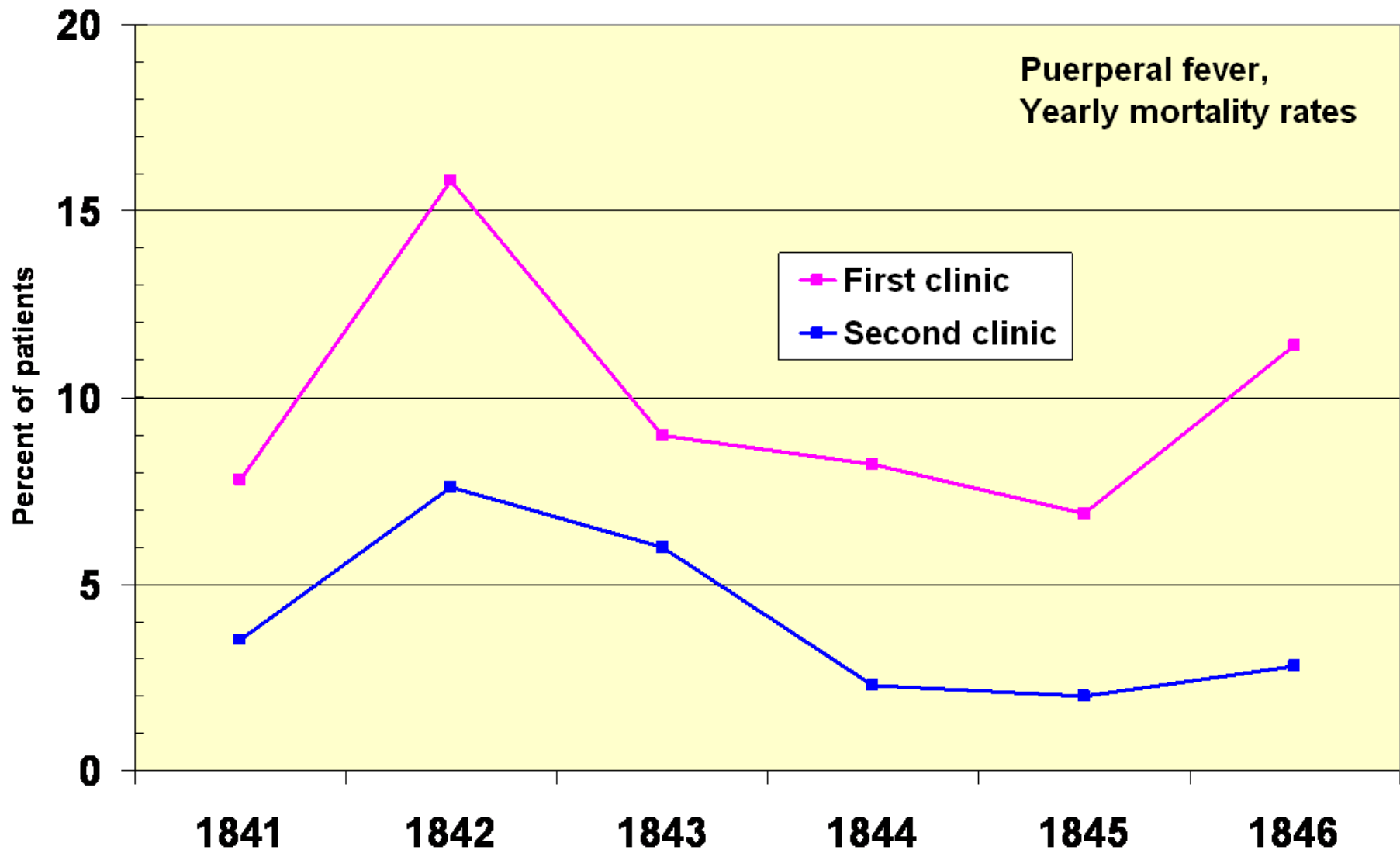
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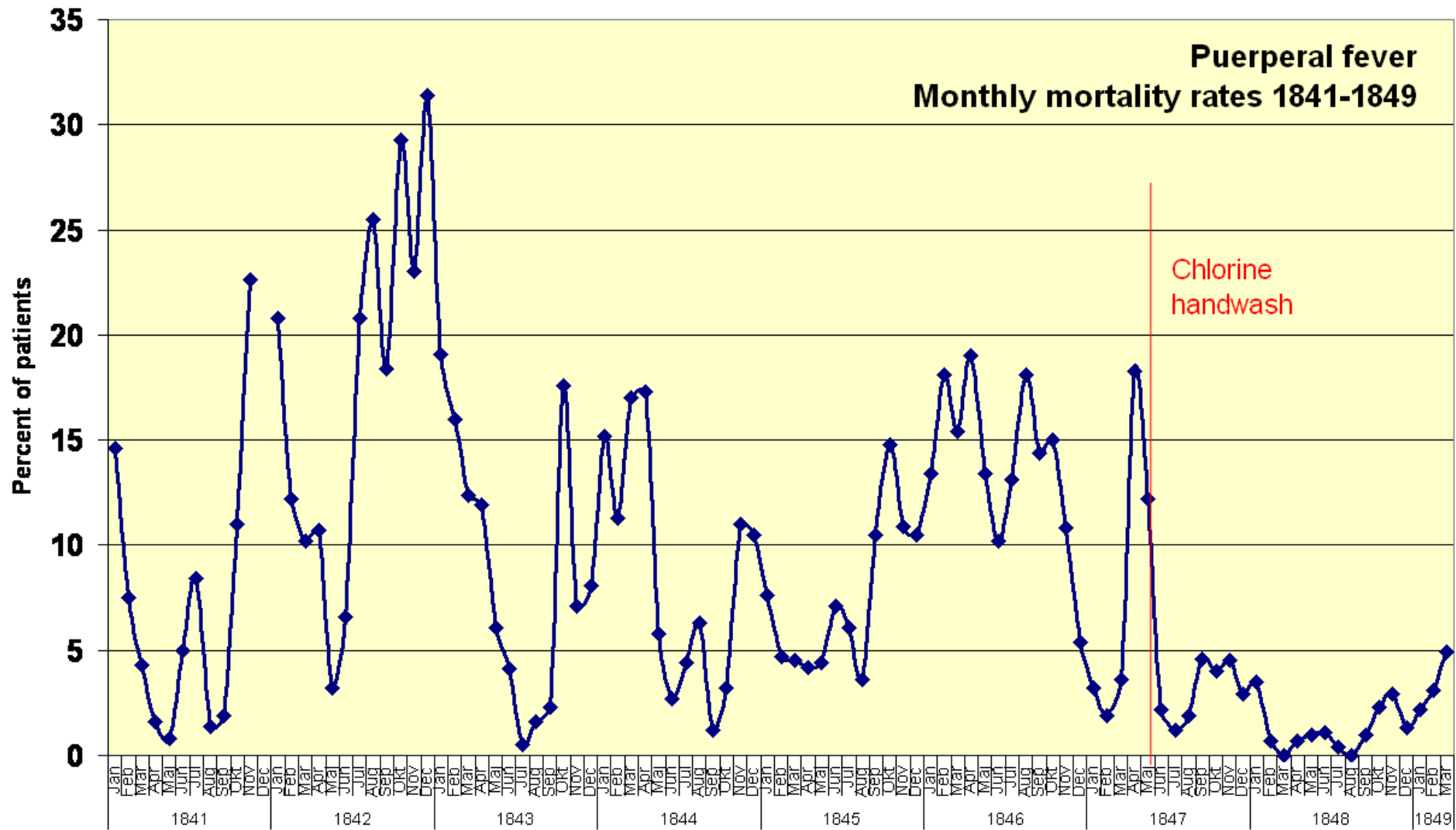


# Germs: Dr. Ignaz Semmelweis





Source: Wikipedia.org



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# Germs: Washing

- Numbers 19
- Doctors McMillen and Stern parallel our modern knowledge to Numbers 19:
  - **“Running Water:** to rinse off germs.  
*Biblical Method:* Water was showered from a hyssop branch.
  - **Time:** to assure a thorough job.  
*Biblical Method:* The washings were repeated over a period of seven days. Between washings germs were killed by the sun and by drying.
  - **Antiseptic soap:** to kill germs.  
*Biblical Method:* Hyssop contains the antiseptic thymol, the active ingredient in Listerine.
  - **Vigorous scrubbing:** to dislodge germs from crevasses.  
*Biblical Method:* The soap contained cedar oil, a skin irritant to encourage scrubbing. The soap also contained wool fibers, making it the ancient equivalent of Lava soap. Once the soap was on you, you had to scrub to get it off” (2000, p. 25).

# Germs: Quarantine

- Numbers 5:1-3, Leviticus 13:1-3, 45-54

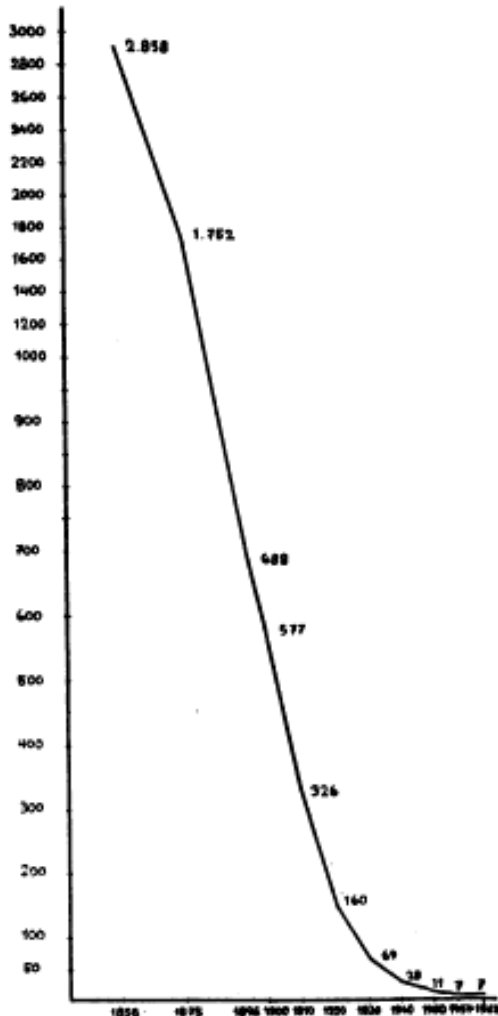


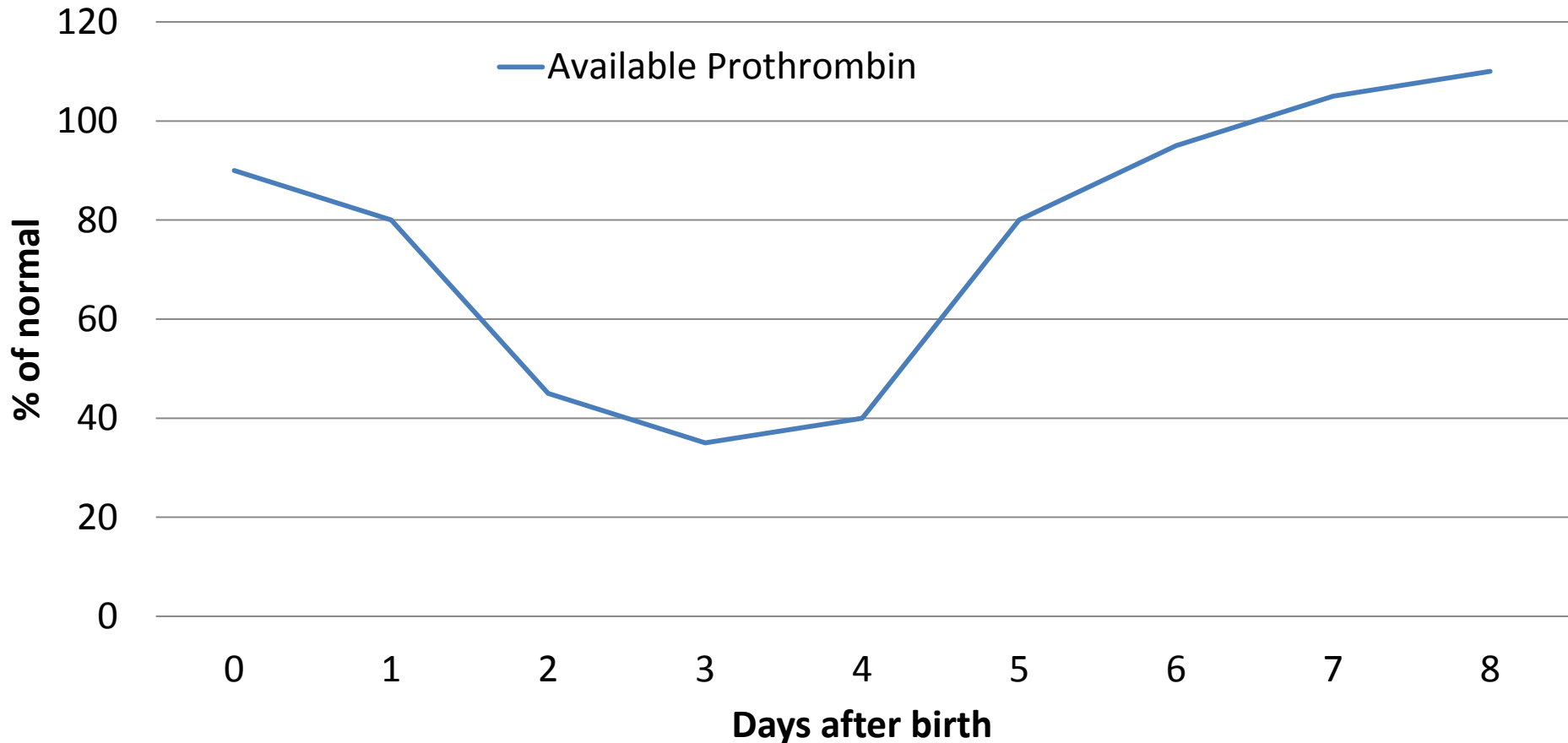
Fig. 8. Number of lepers in Norway (1856-1963).

“Indeed, the biblical method makes a radical break from all ancient concepts of disease. No superstition. No leprosy demons. No animal dung salve. Maybe we should seriously consider Moses’ claim to have received these teachings directly from God” (McMillen & Stern, 2000, p. 14).

# Circumcision on the eighth day

Genesis 17:12-14 (Leviticus 12:3)

## Clotting Protein Peaks on Day Eight



Source: McMillen & Stern, 2000, p. 83

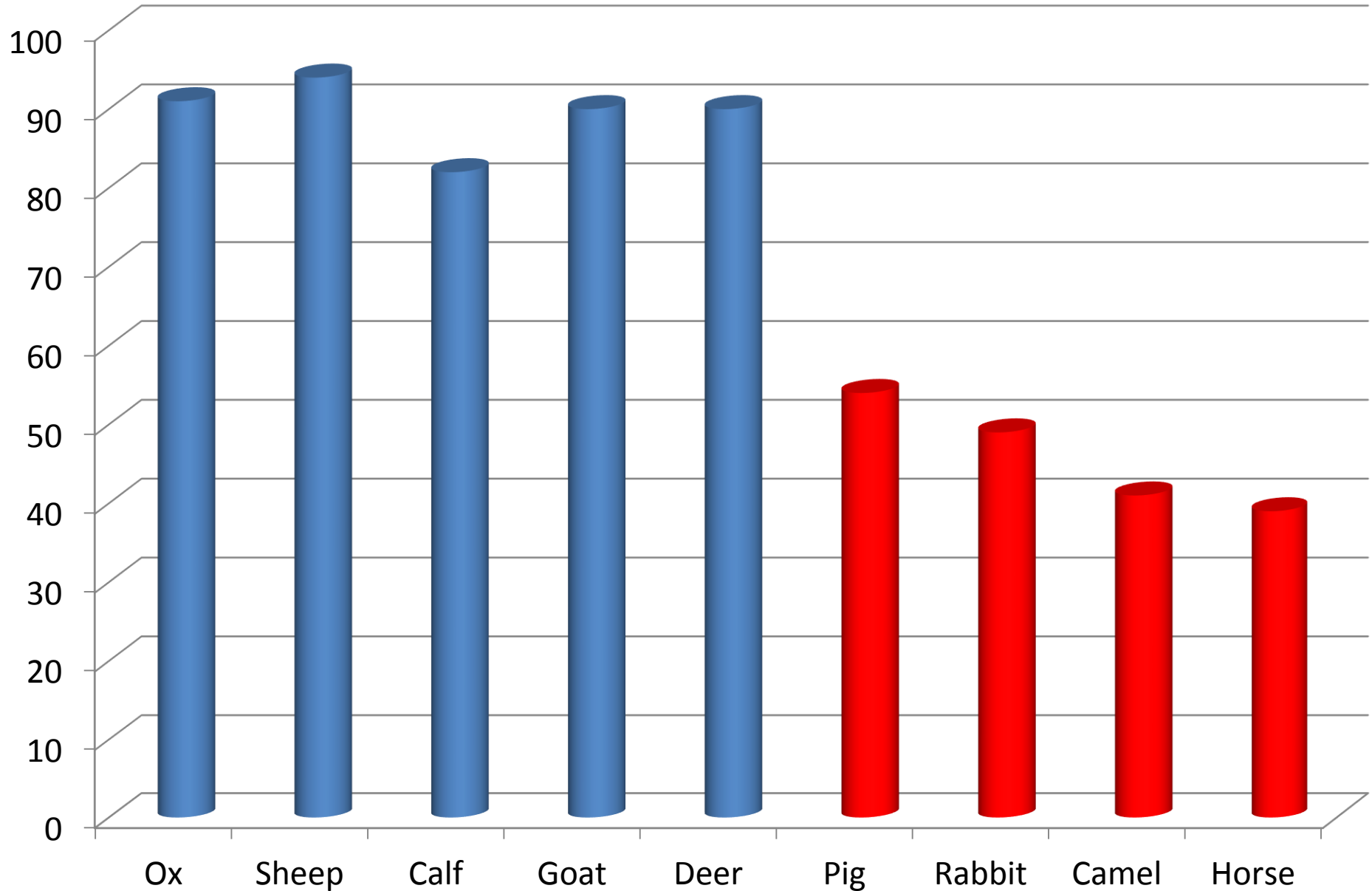


# **Dietary regulations**

Leviticus 11

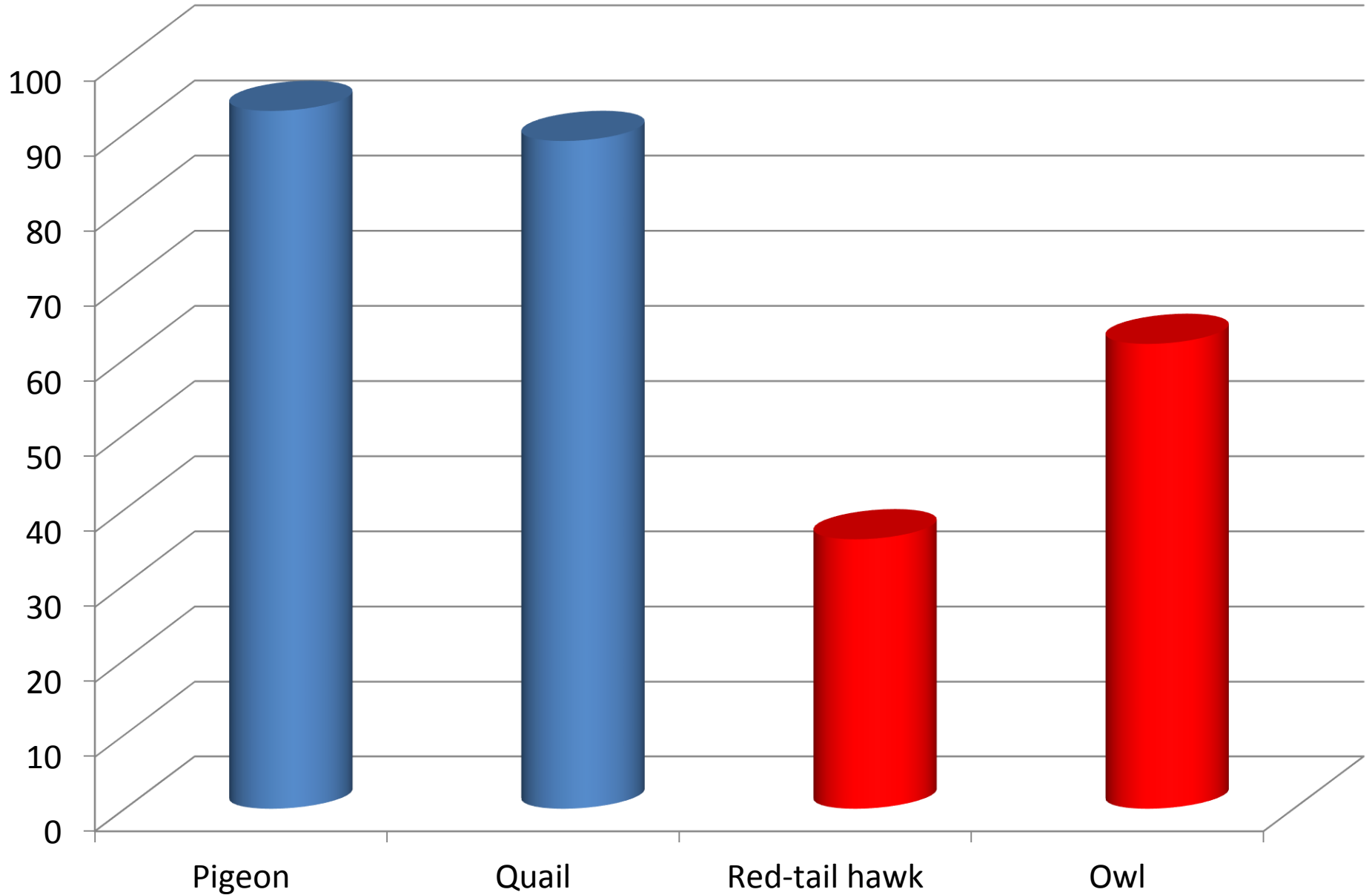
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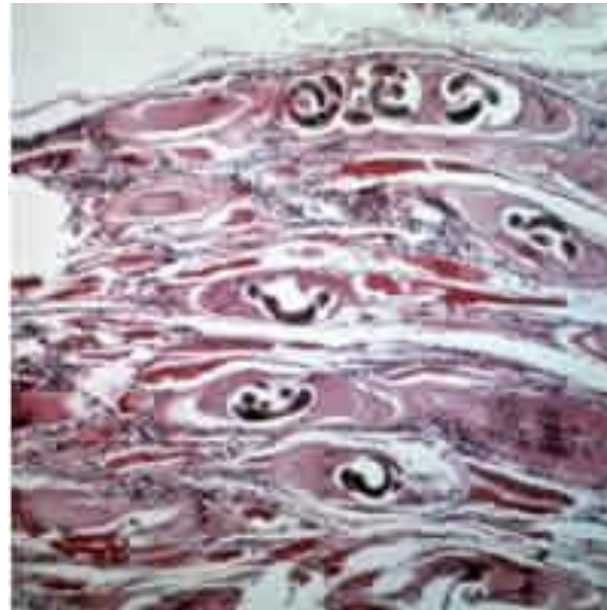


# Dietary regulations

## Leviticus 11

- Moses' instructions have stood the test of time, and are still a good way to categorize safe and unsafe creatures to eat.

- Blowfish
- Shellfish
- Reptiles
- Bats
- Pigs



*Trichinella spiralis* larvae in muscle tissue

# Ratio for ship-building

Genesis 6:15

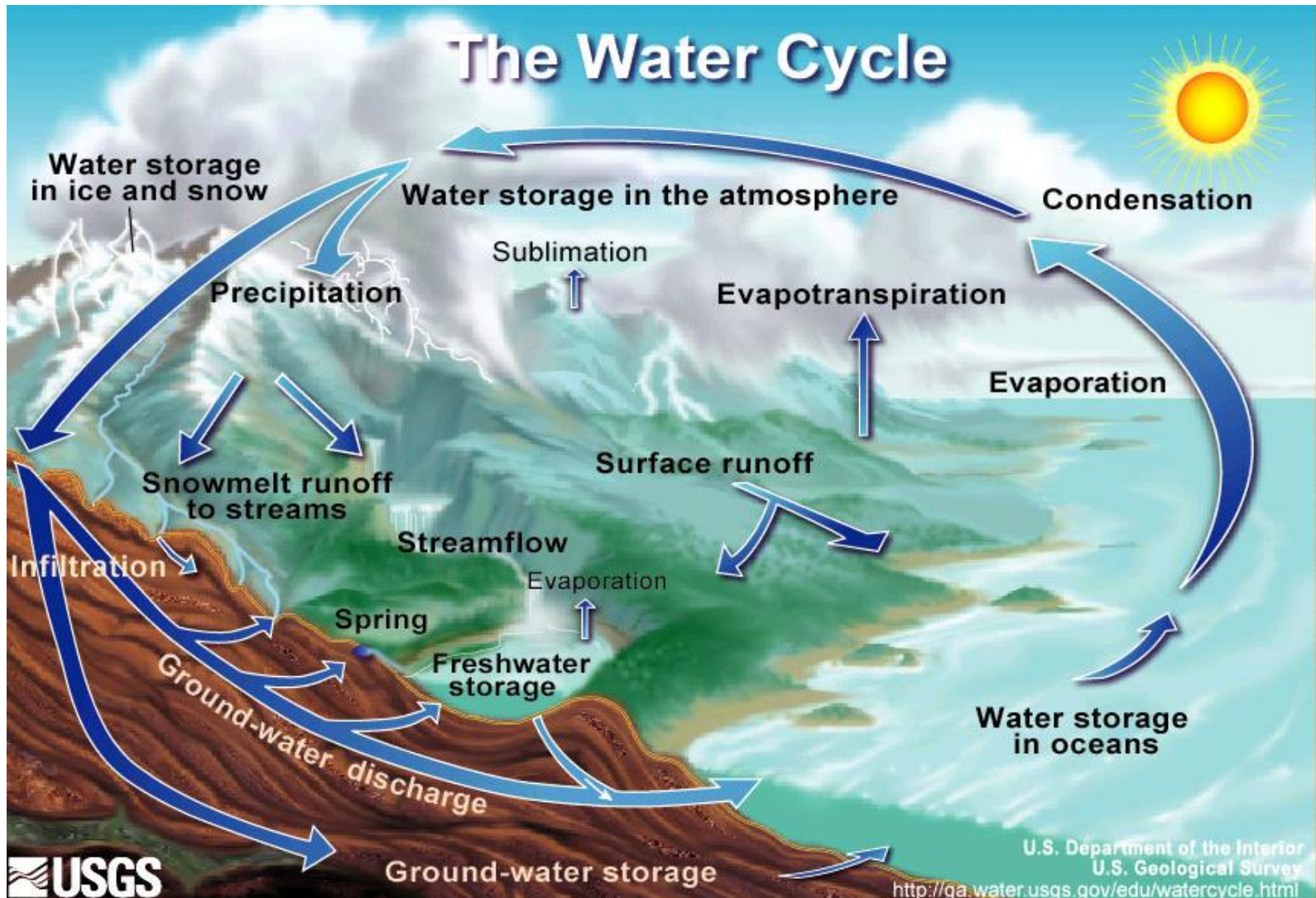
Ratio—30:5:3





# Water cycle

Ecclesiastes 1:7, 11:3a, Amos 9:6



# Four types of flesh

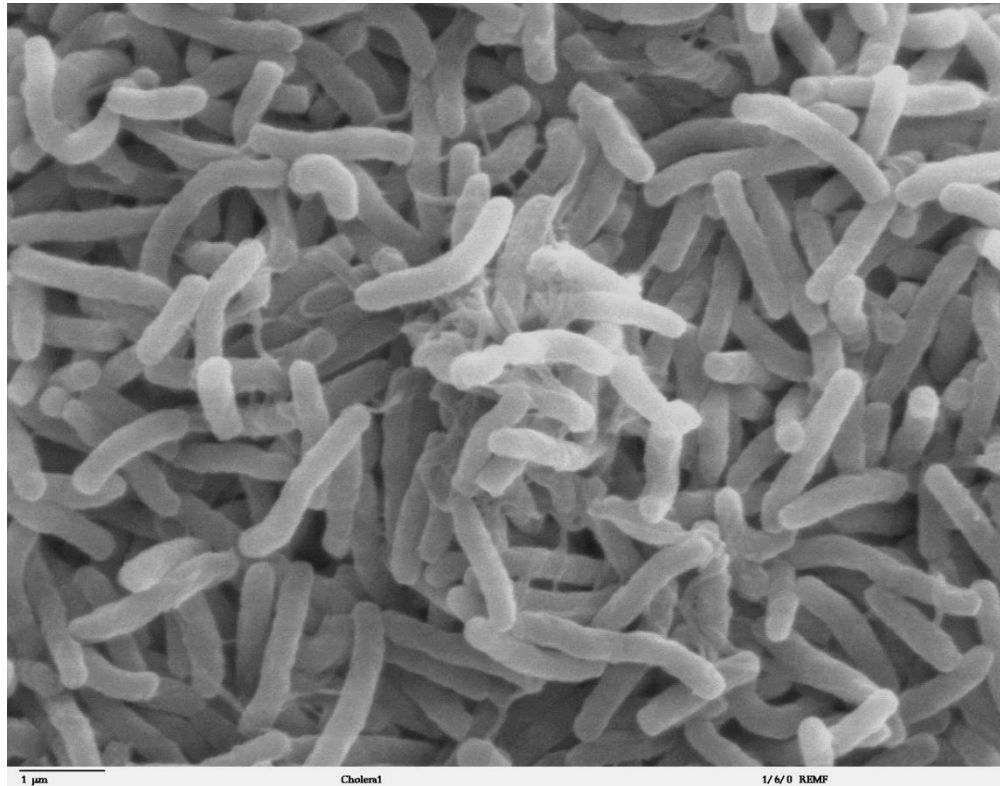
I Corinthians 15:39

- “Today even evolutionists accept this fact of science. These fleshes are indeed different in their biochemical make-up” (Thompson, 2003, p. 56).



# Basic sanitation

Deuteronomy 23:12-14



“Scanning electron microscope image of Vibrio cholerae bacteria, which infect the digestive system” (Wikipedia.org).

# The Bible: from God or man?

