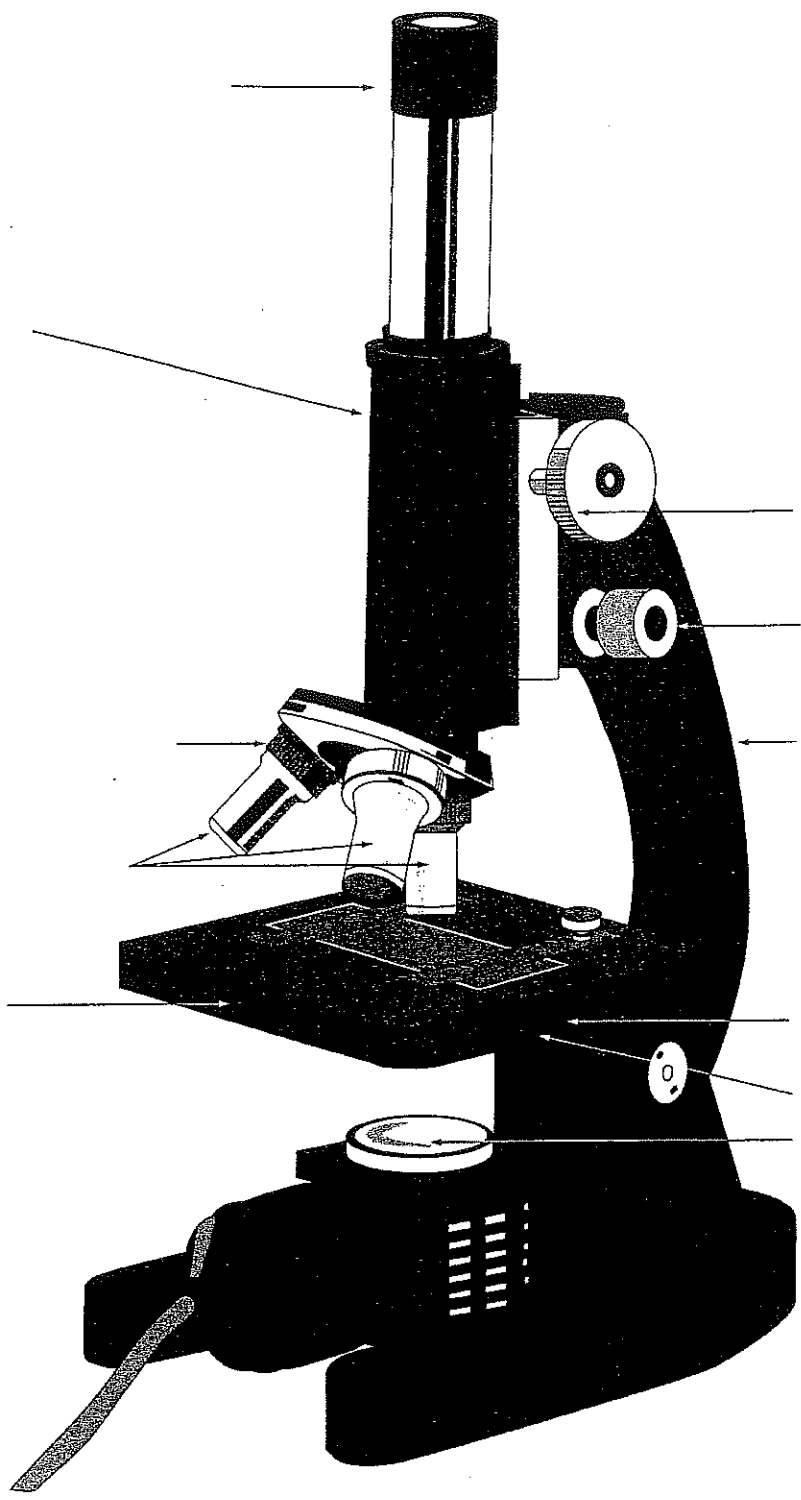


Parts of a Compound Light Microscope



The Compound Light Microscope

Goal • Use this page to review the function of each part of the compound light microscope.

What to Do

- Each part of the compound light microscope is listed in the left column of the table below. In the right column, describe the function of each microscope part. For assistance, refer to pages 10–11 of *SCIENCEPOWER™ 8*.

Microscope part	Function
eyepiece	
tube	
revolving nosepiece	
objective lens	
fine-adjustment knob	
coarse-adjustment knob	
stage	
condenser lens	
diaphragm	
light source	