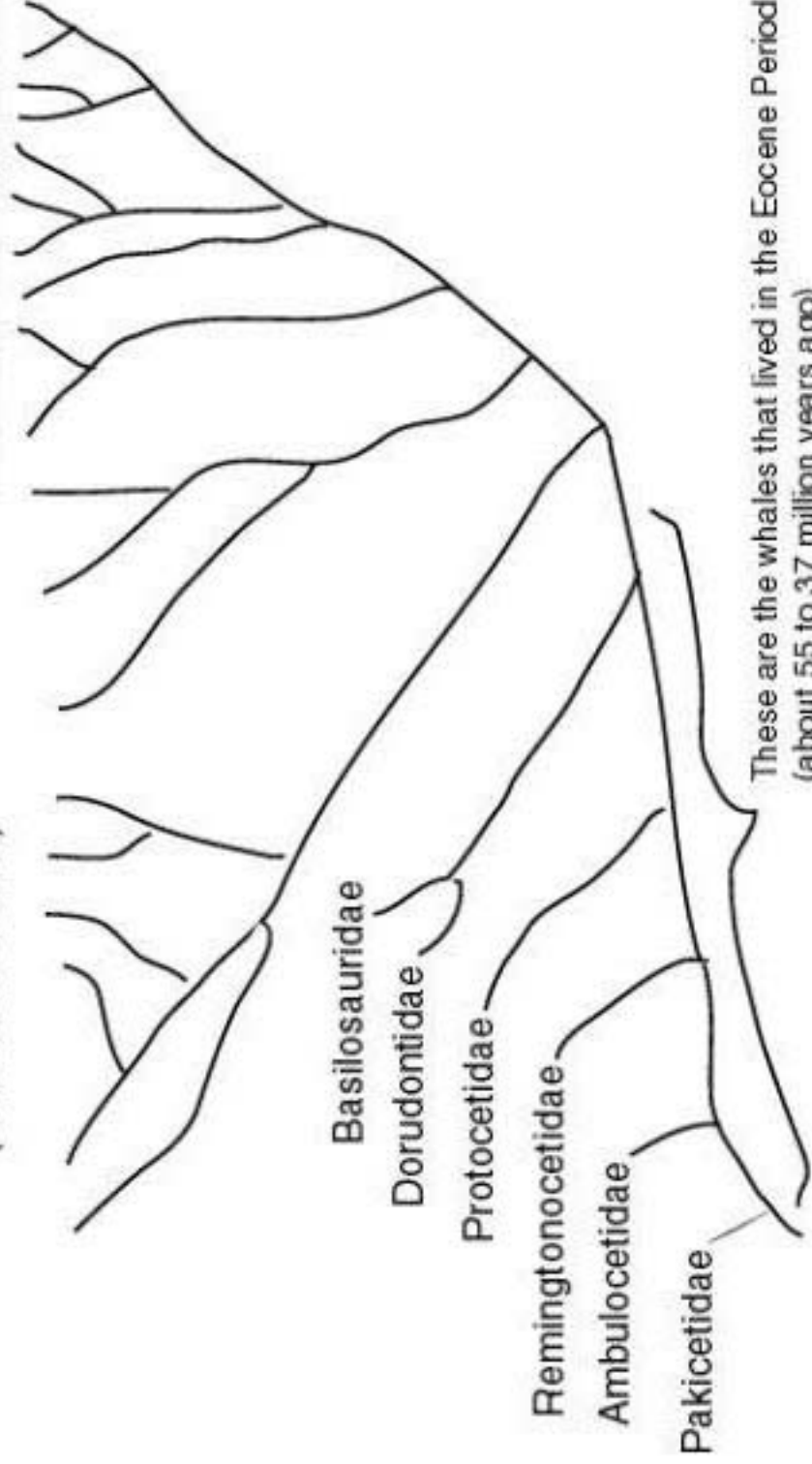


A family tree of Whales (CETACEA in Latin)

ODONTOCETI (or toothed whales,
which includes dolphins and porpoises)

MYSTICETI
(or baleen whales)



These are the whales that lived in the Eocene Period
(about 55 to 37 million years ago)
Collectively they are often referred to as archaeocetes

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