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suff.

One that eats or ingests: *macrophage*.

[From Greek *-phagos*, eating, from *phagein*, to eat; see **bhag-** in the Appendix of Indo-European roots.]

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