

分子モーターから観た生命科学

脳、神経の働きと分子モーター

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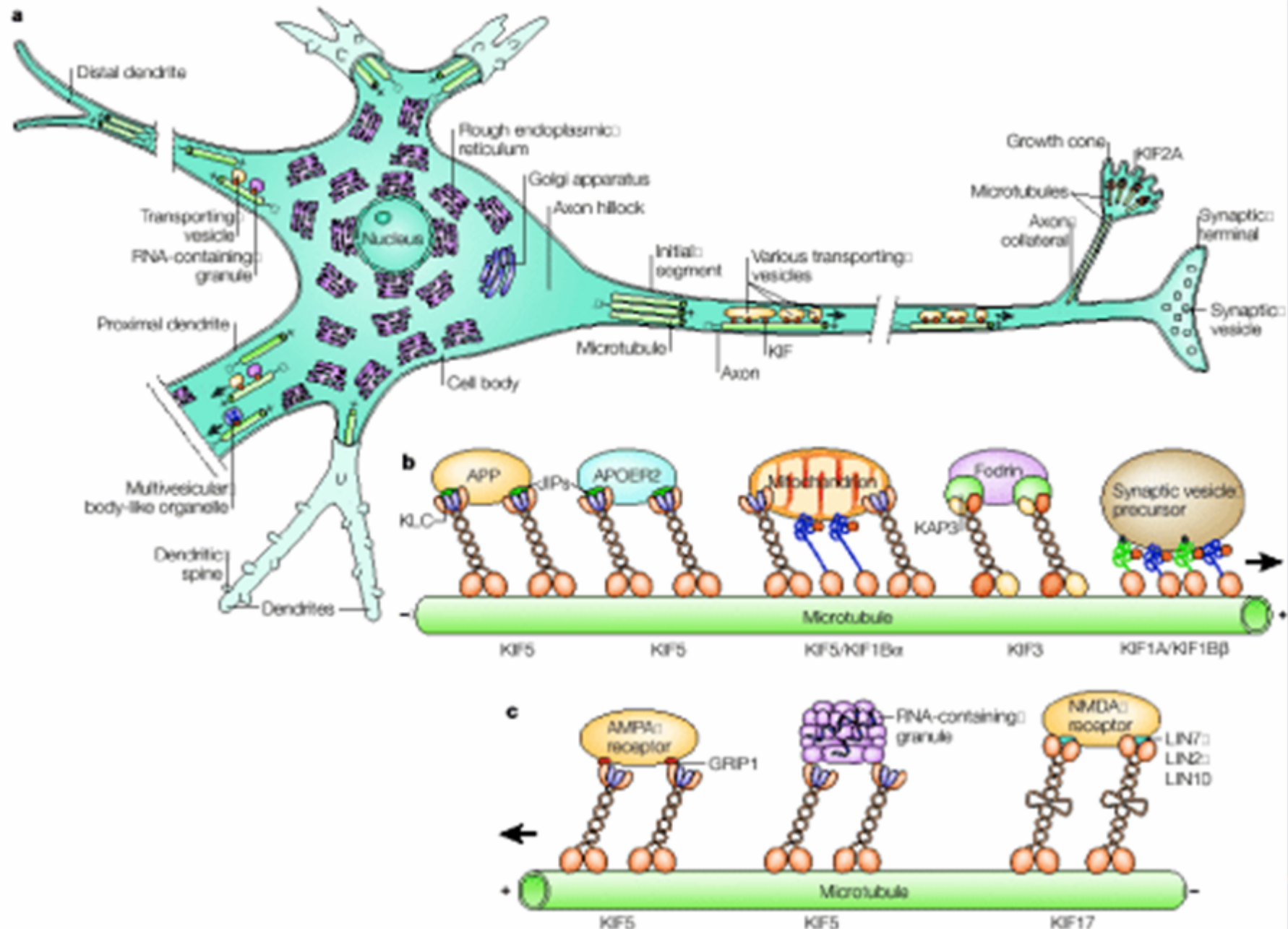
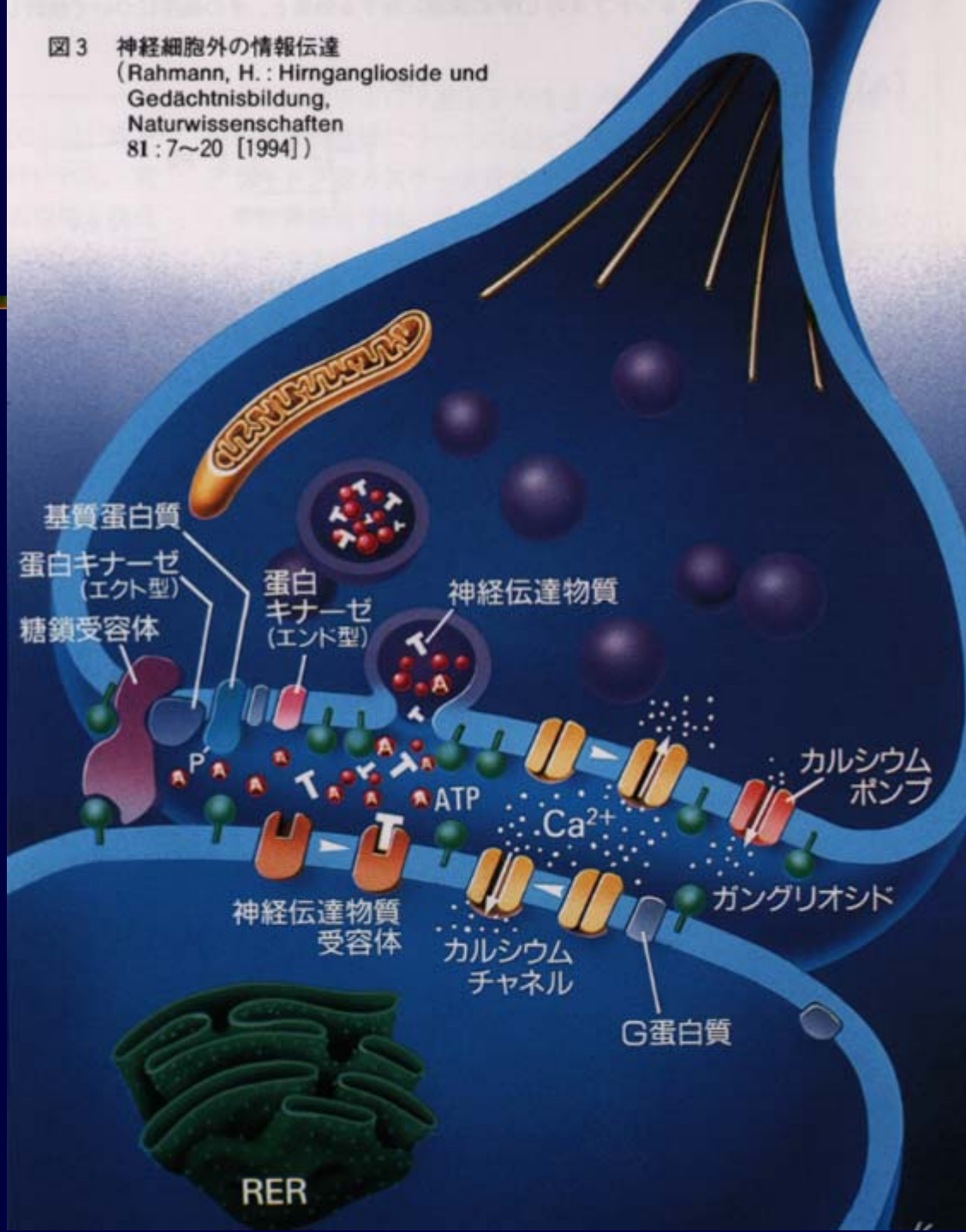
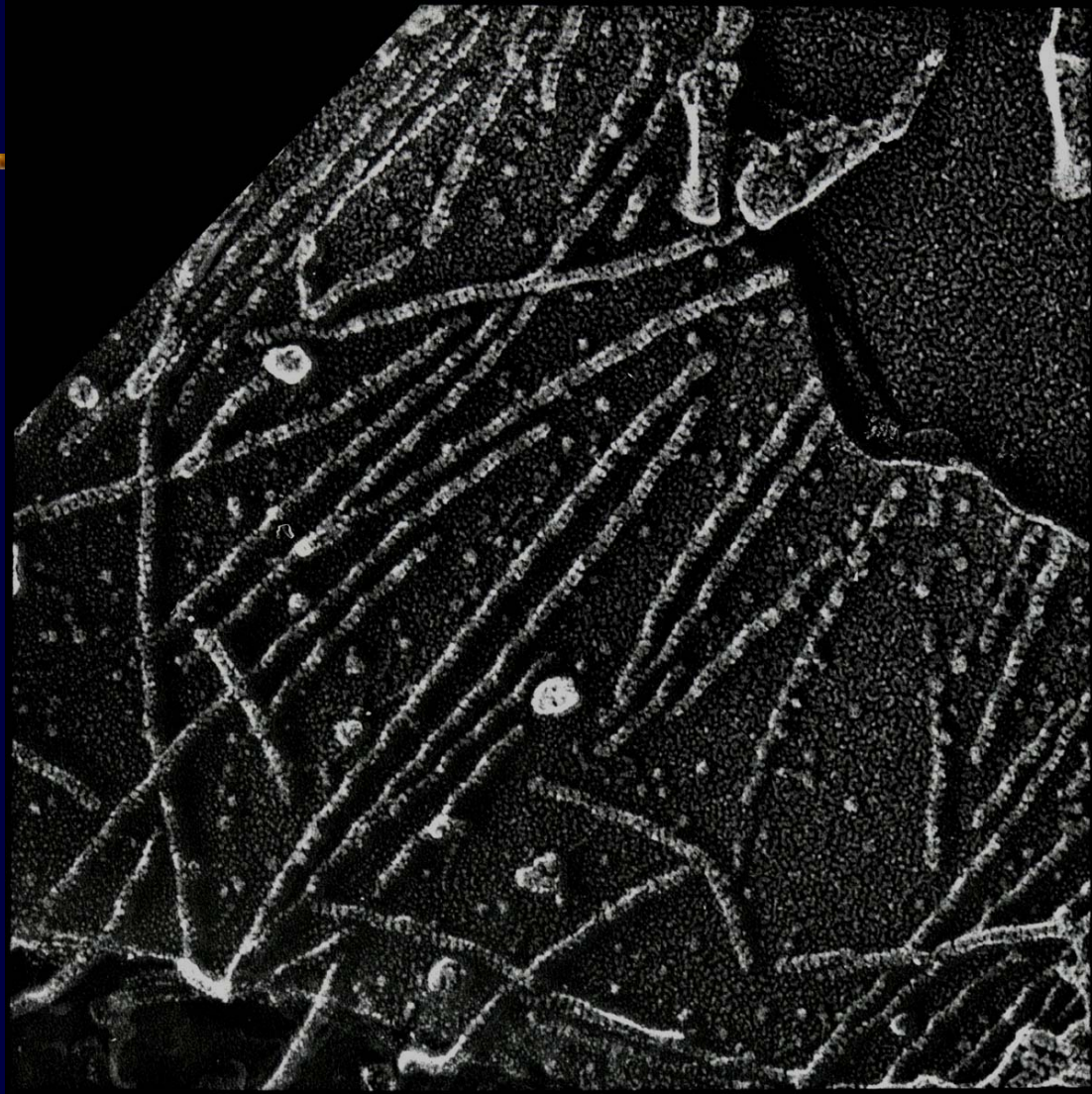


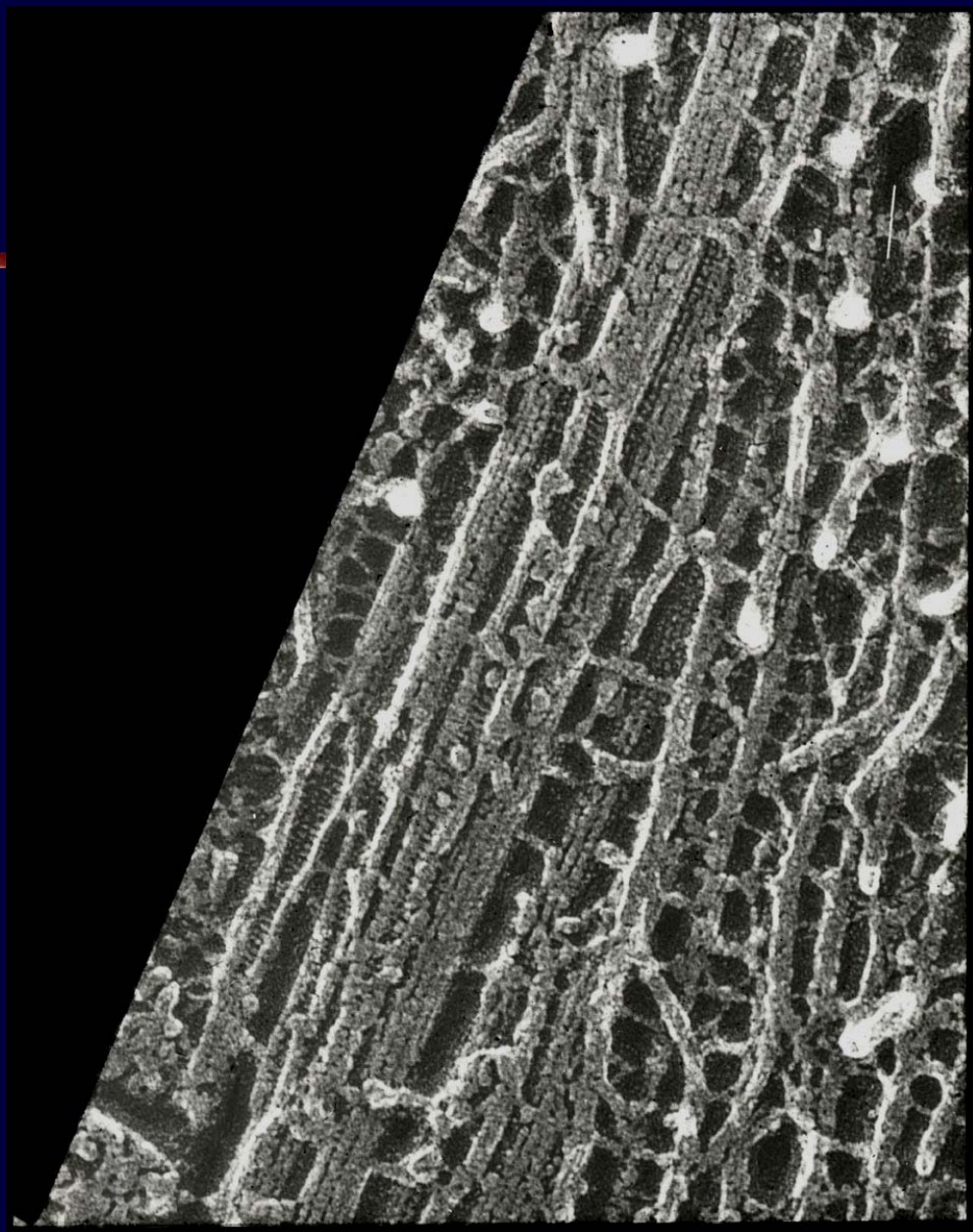
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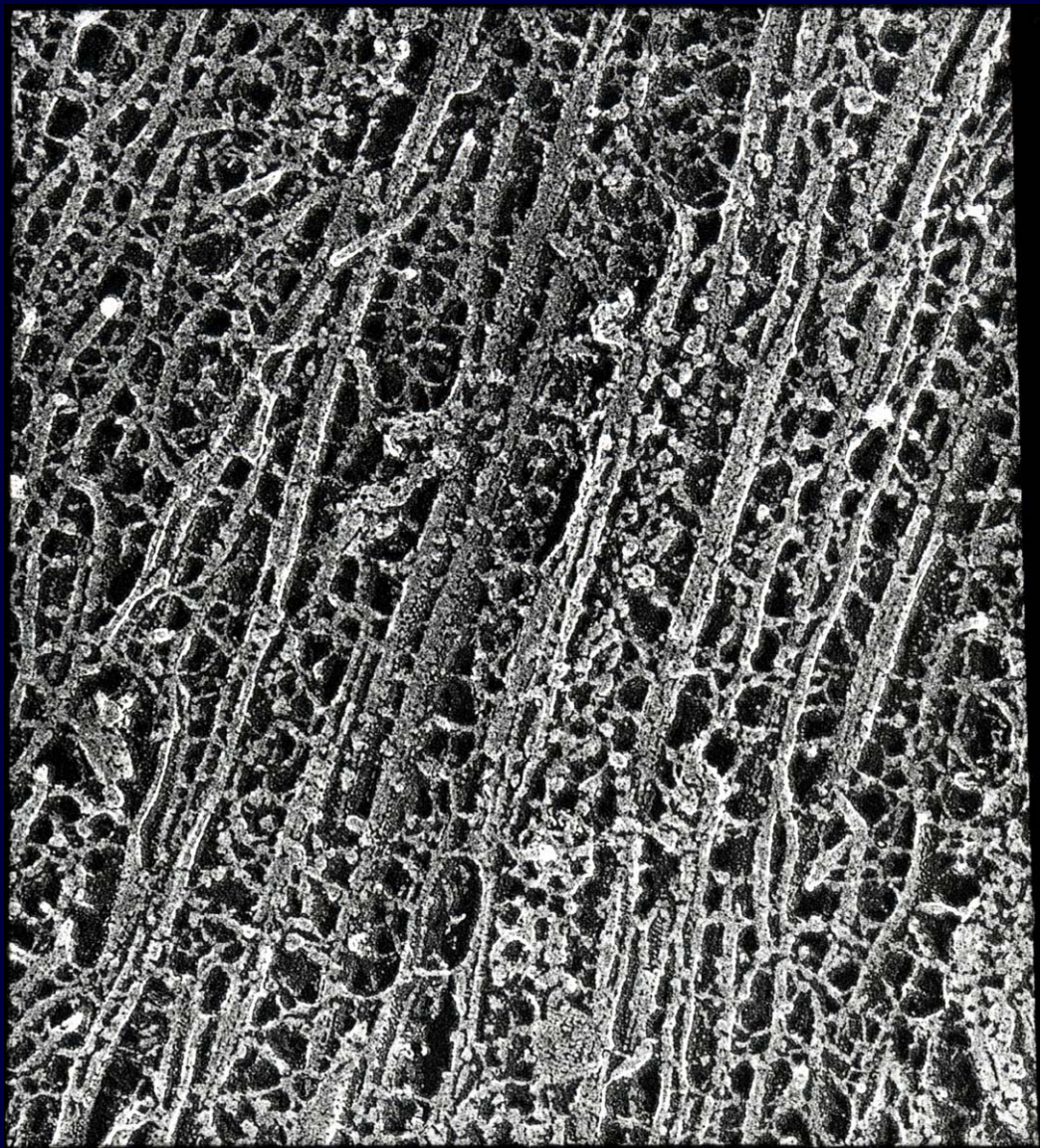


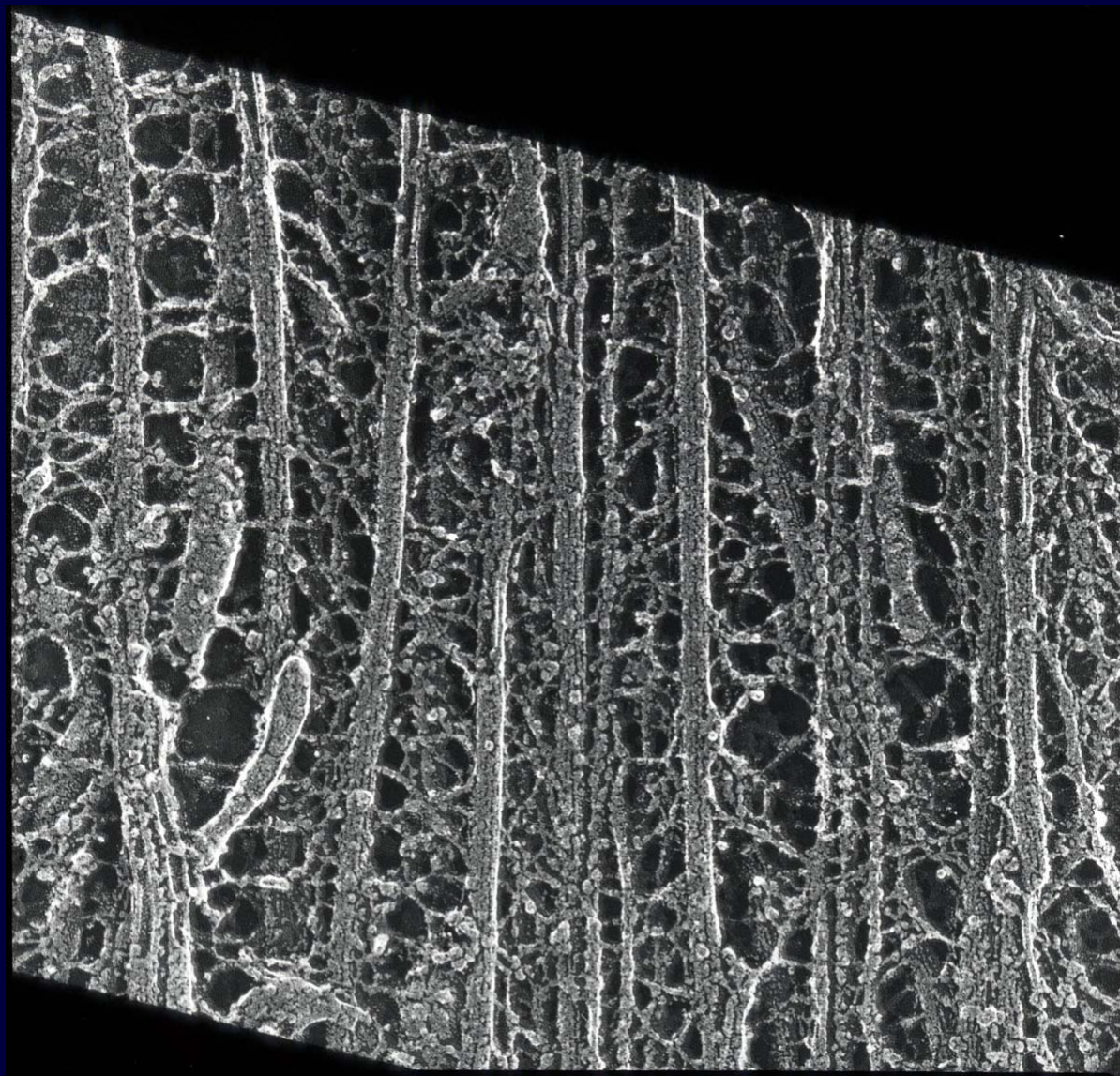
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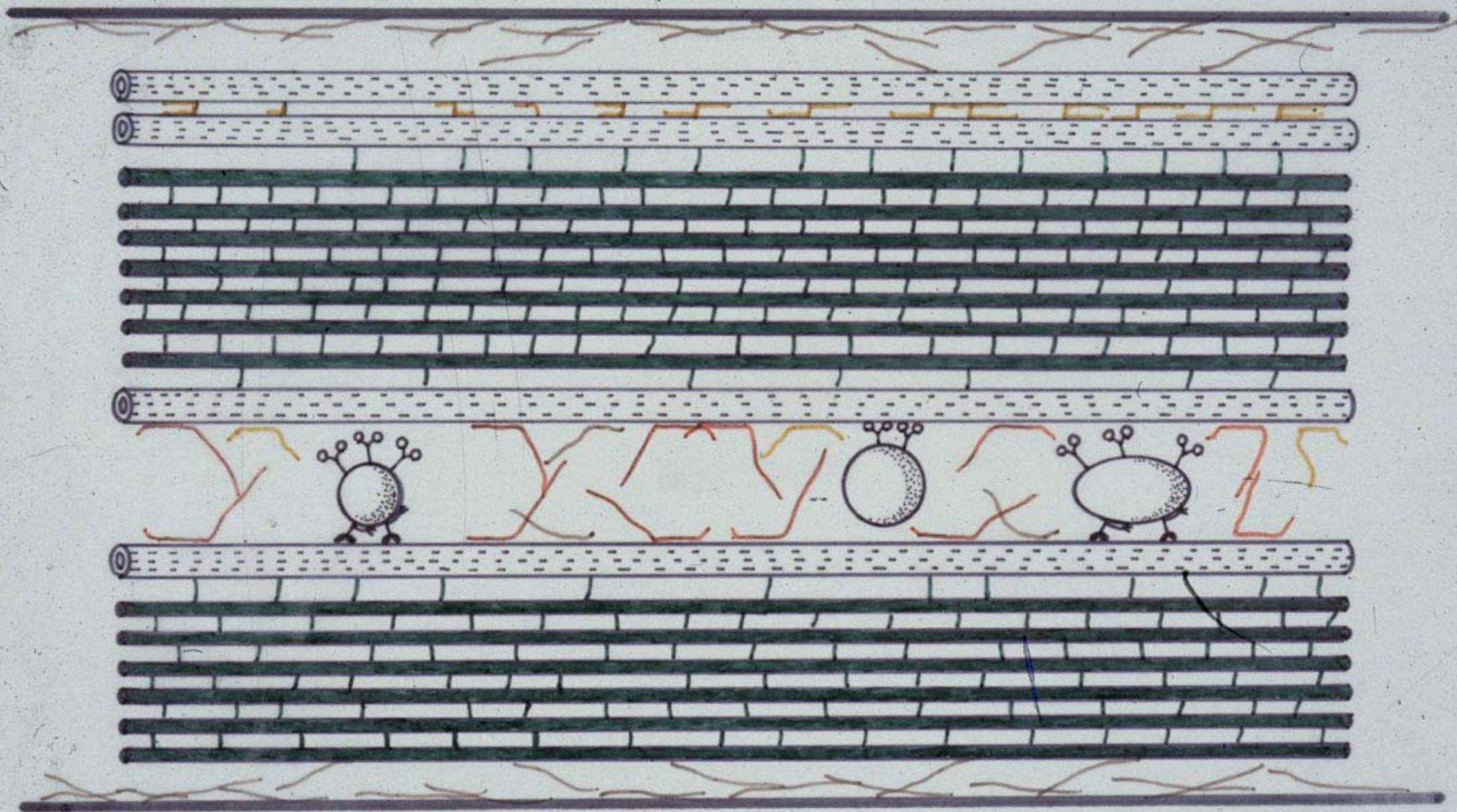




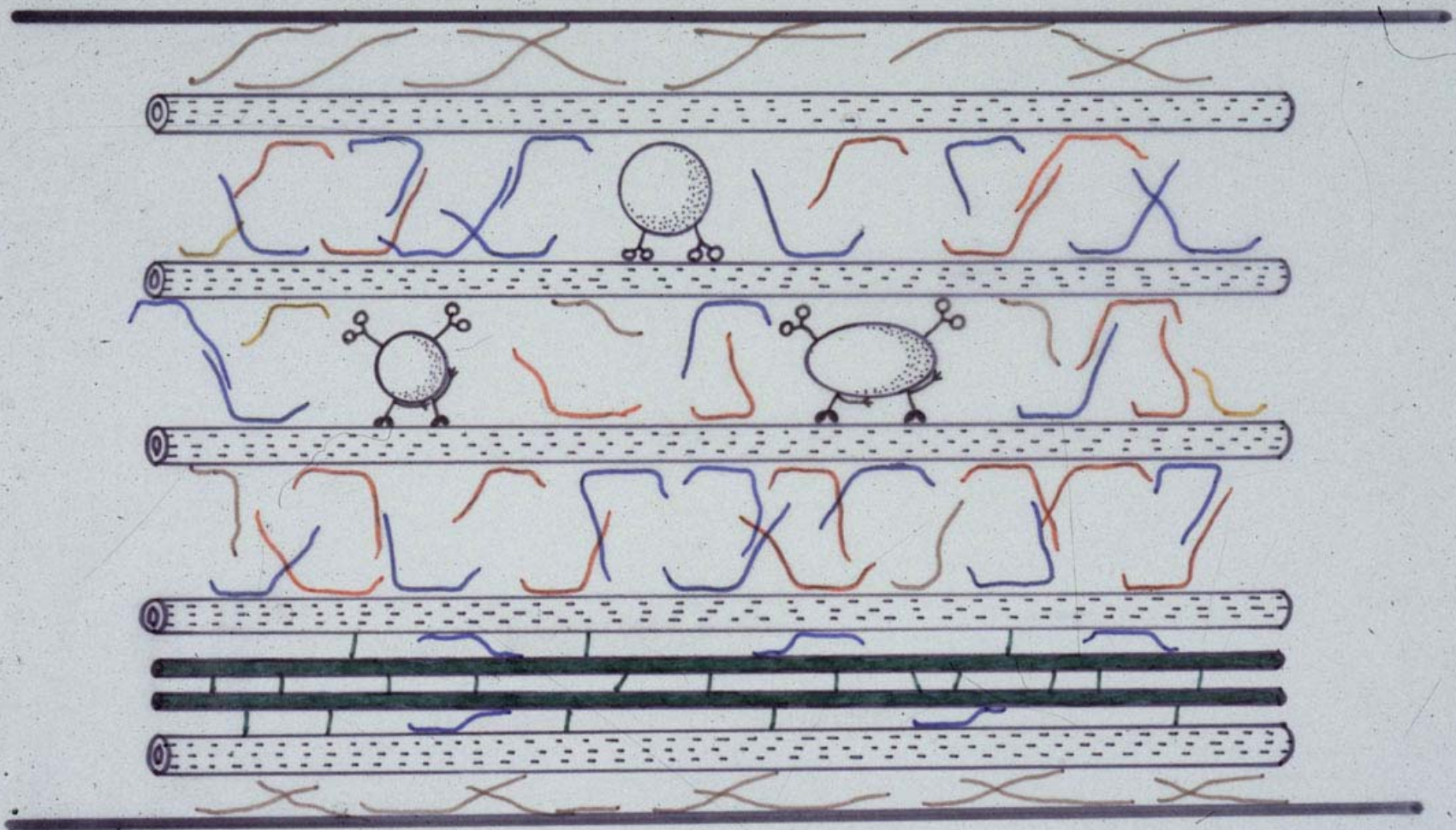








AXON



DENDRITE

Location of MAPs

Dendrite

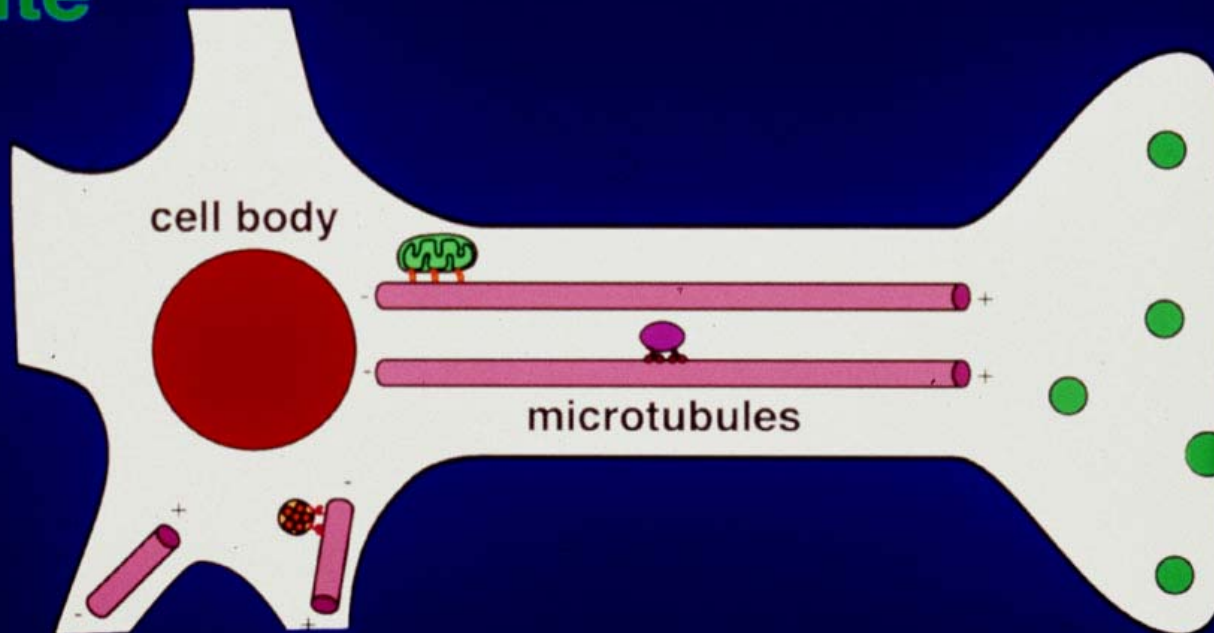
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MAP2A

MAP2B

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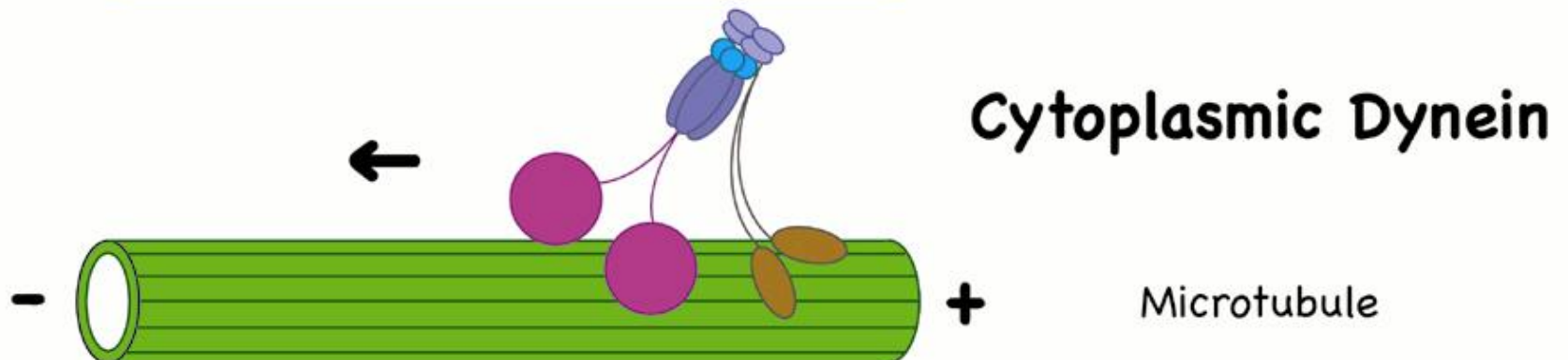
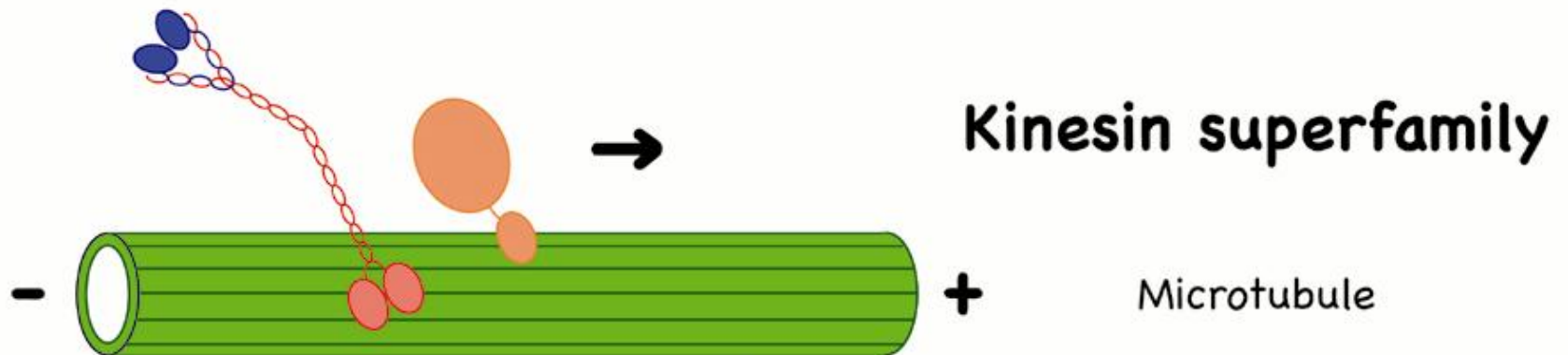
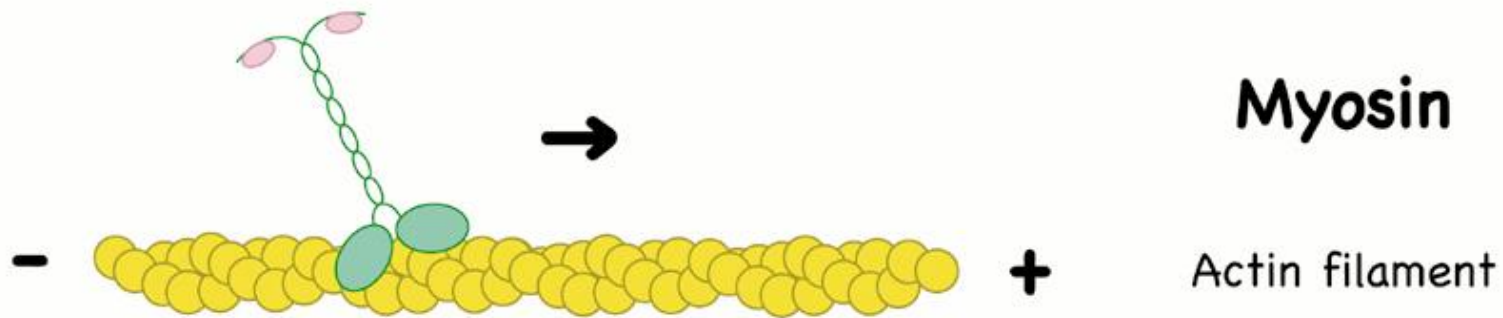
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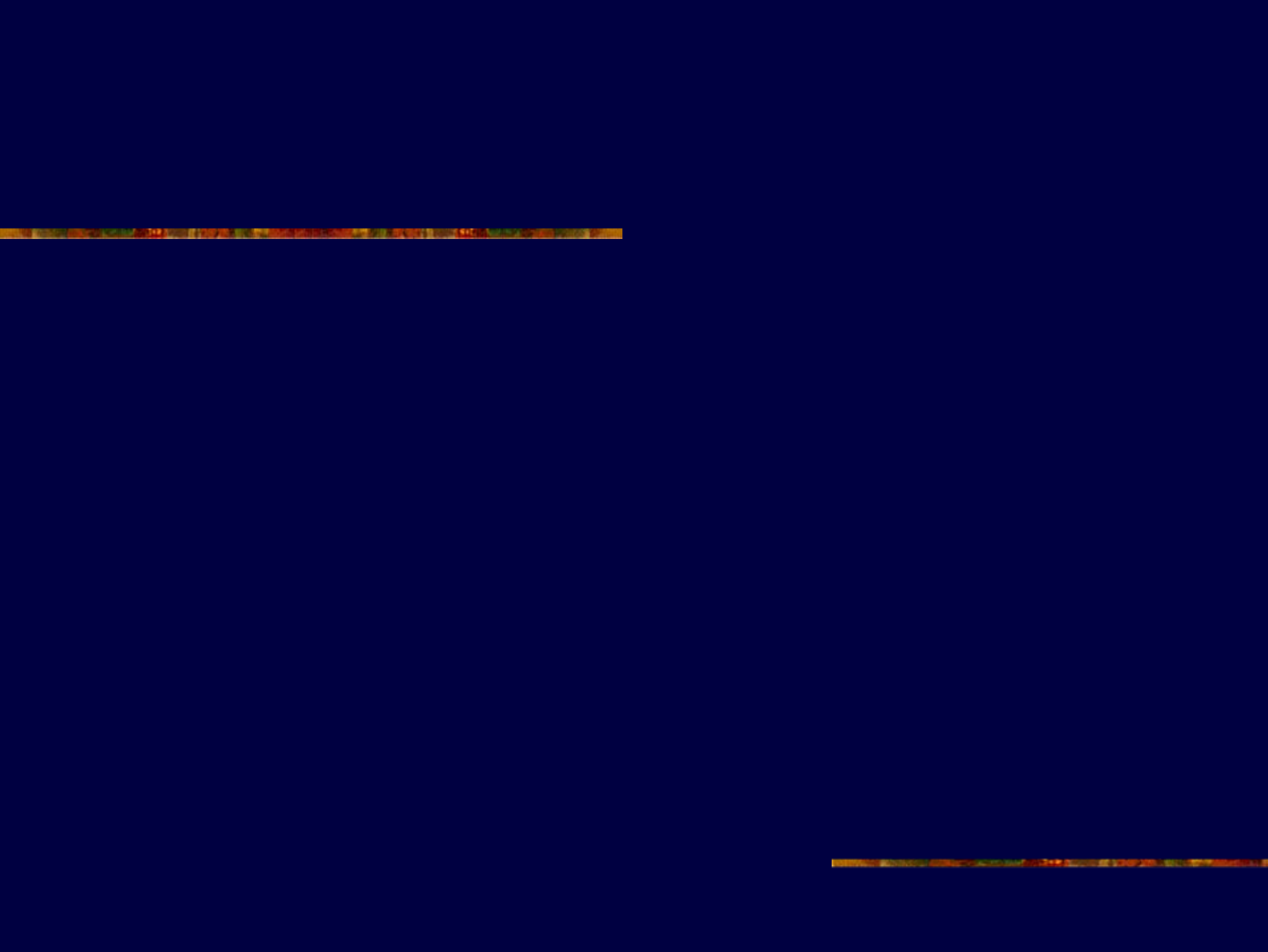
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Tau







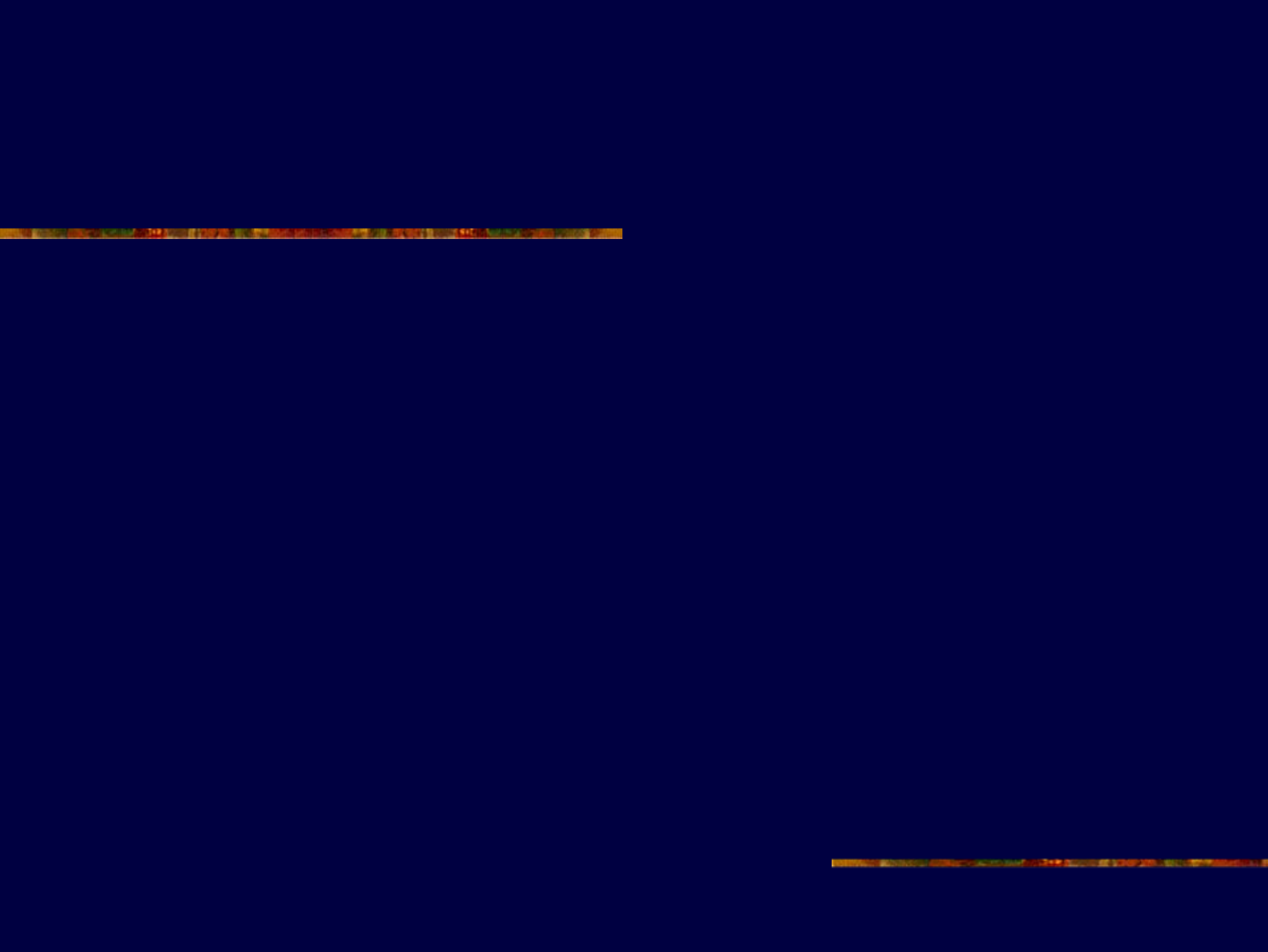
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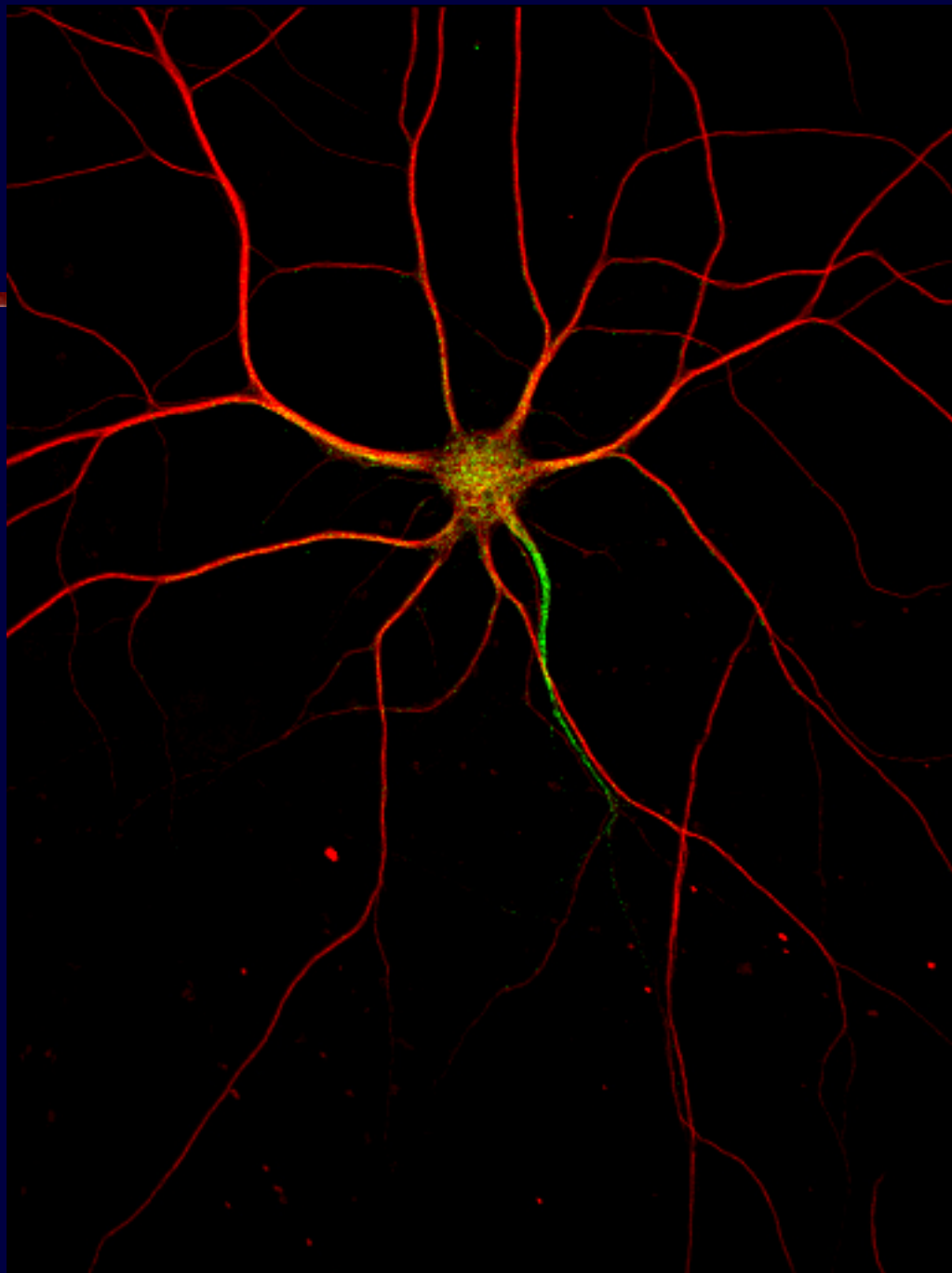


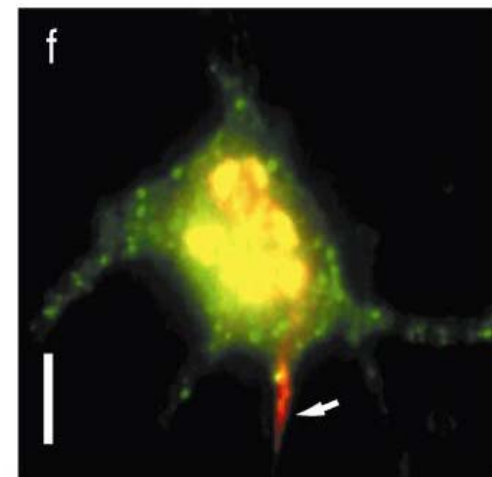
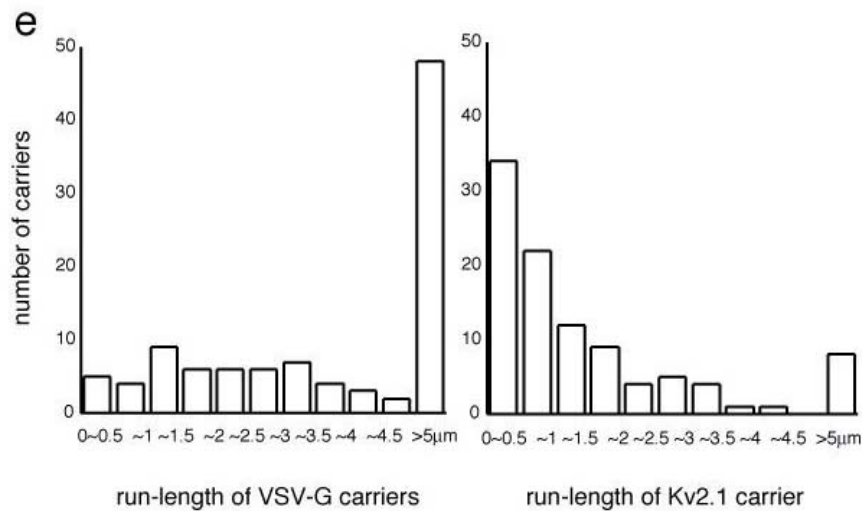
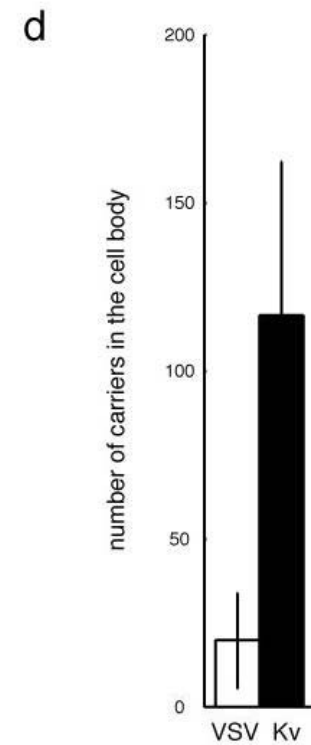
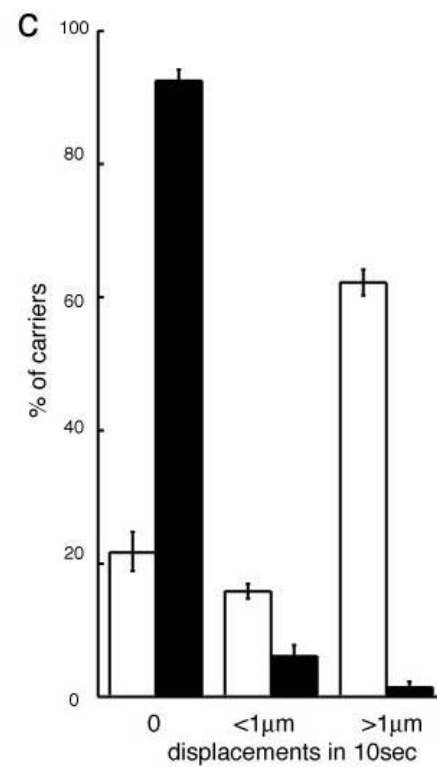
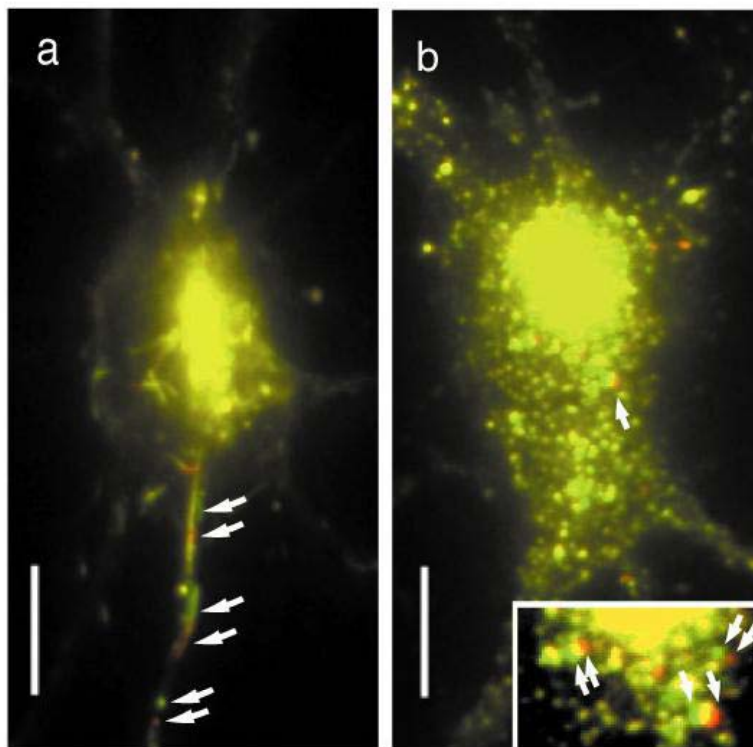
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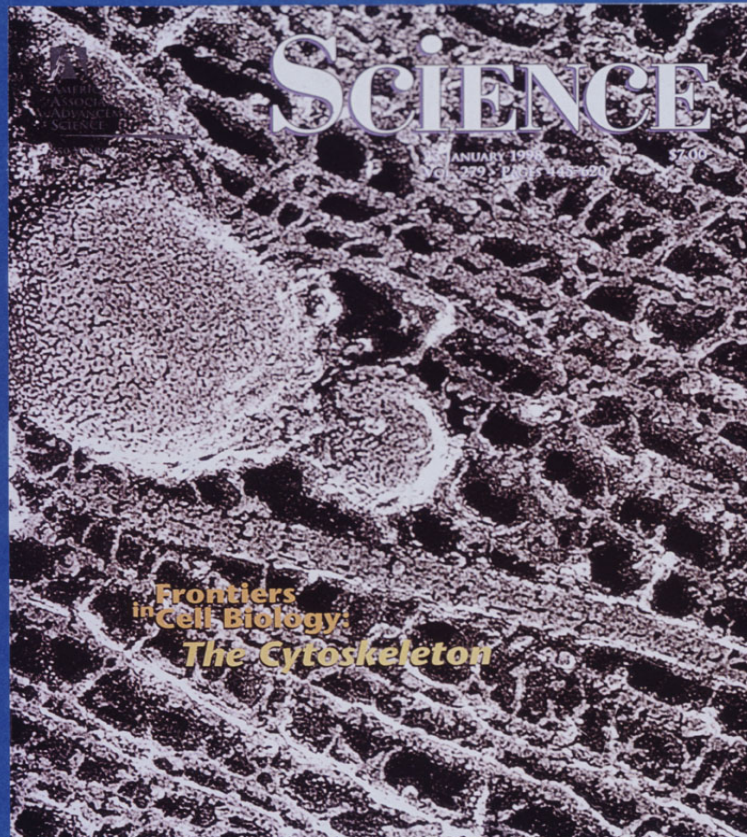
Axonal Transport

	Group	Velocity mm/day	composition
Fast	I	240	membrane organella
	II	60	membrane organella
	III	6	myosin like actin binding protein
Slow	IV (SCb)	2	actin, clathrin calmodulin
	V (SCa)	1	tubulin, neurofilament triplet proteins

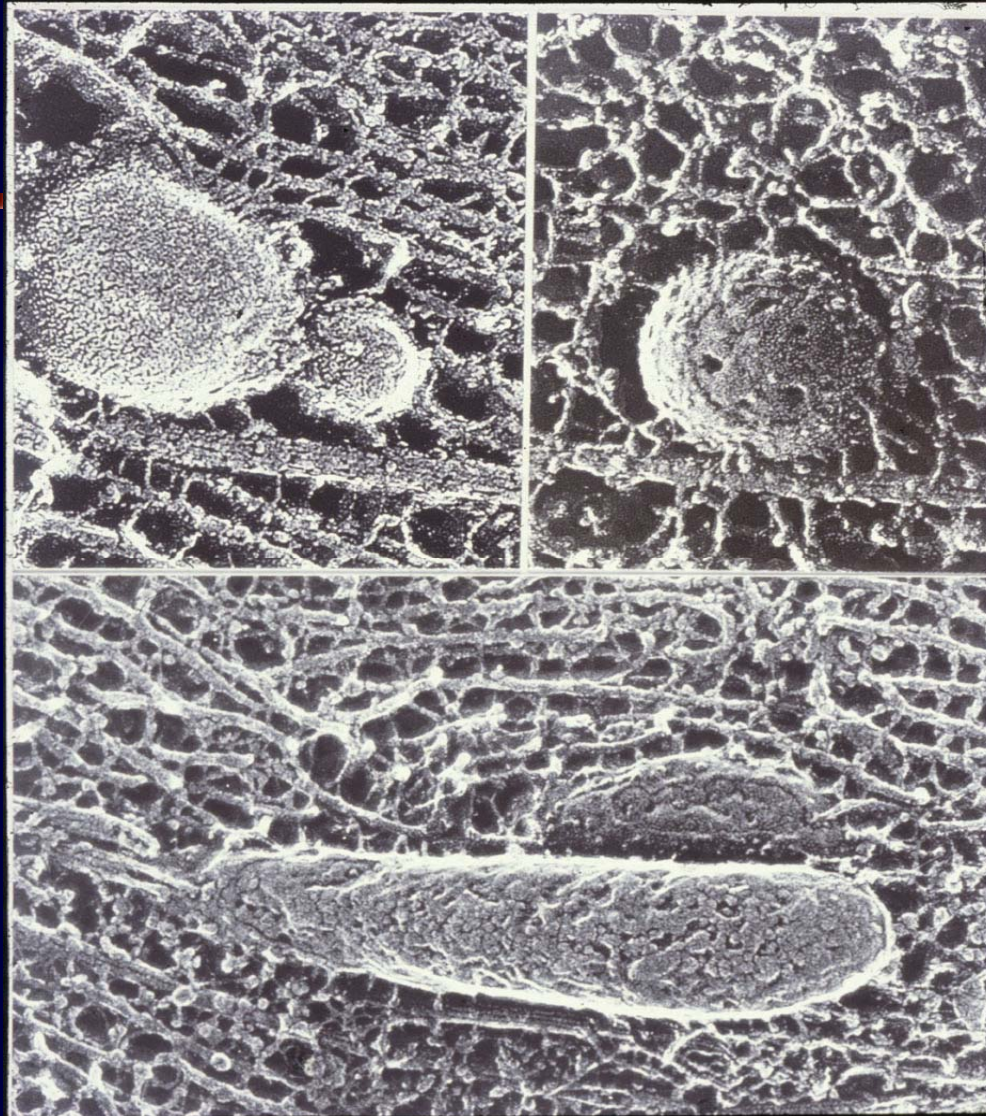








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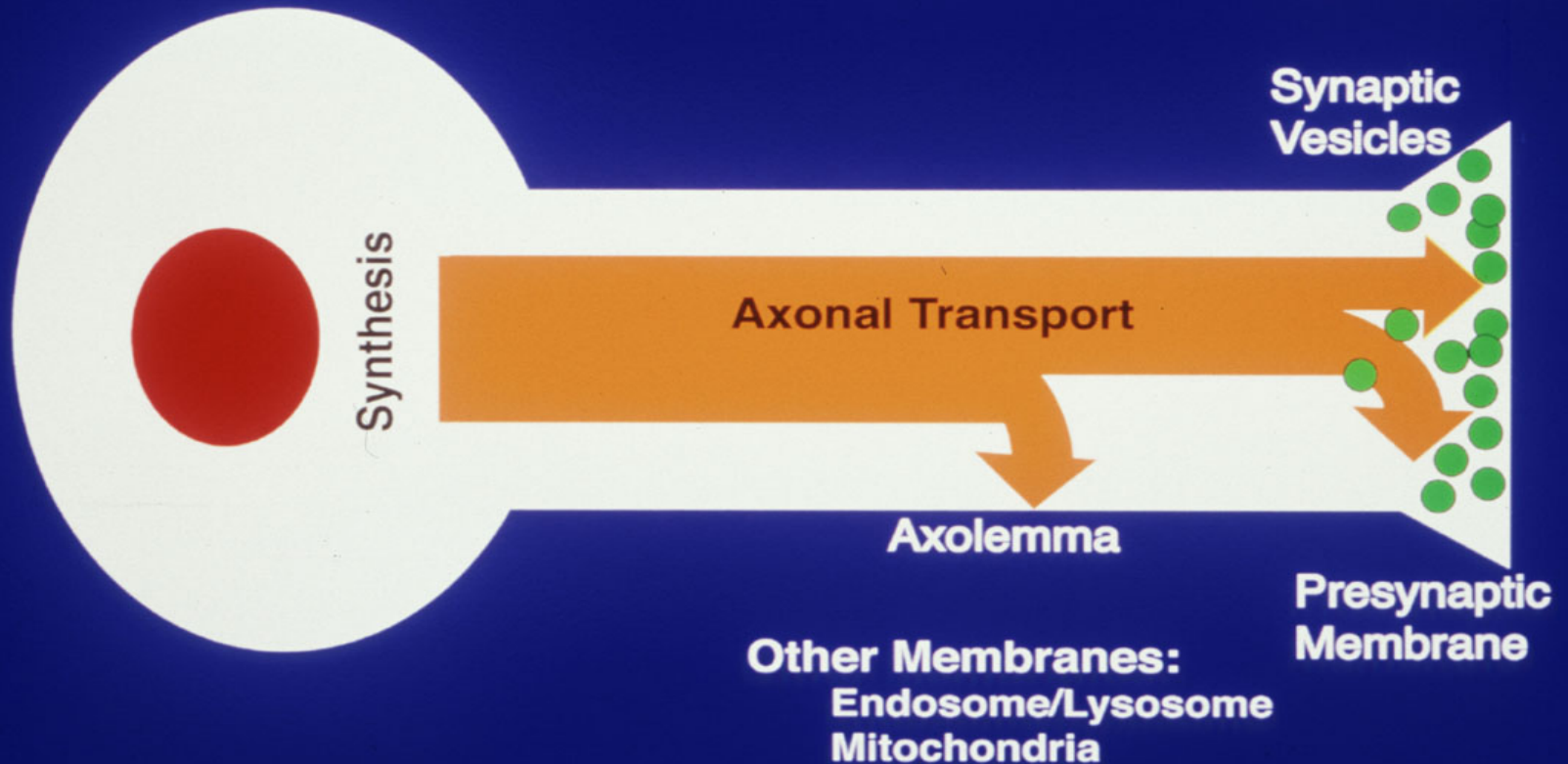


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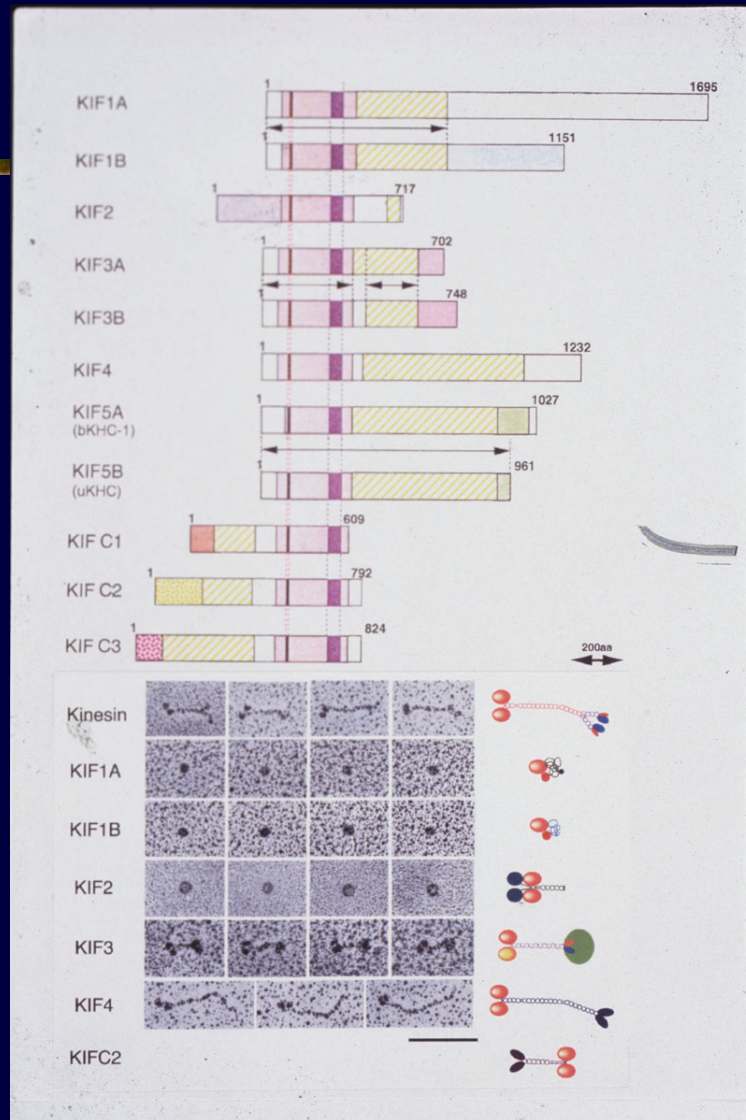
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Axon

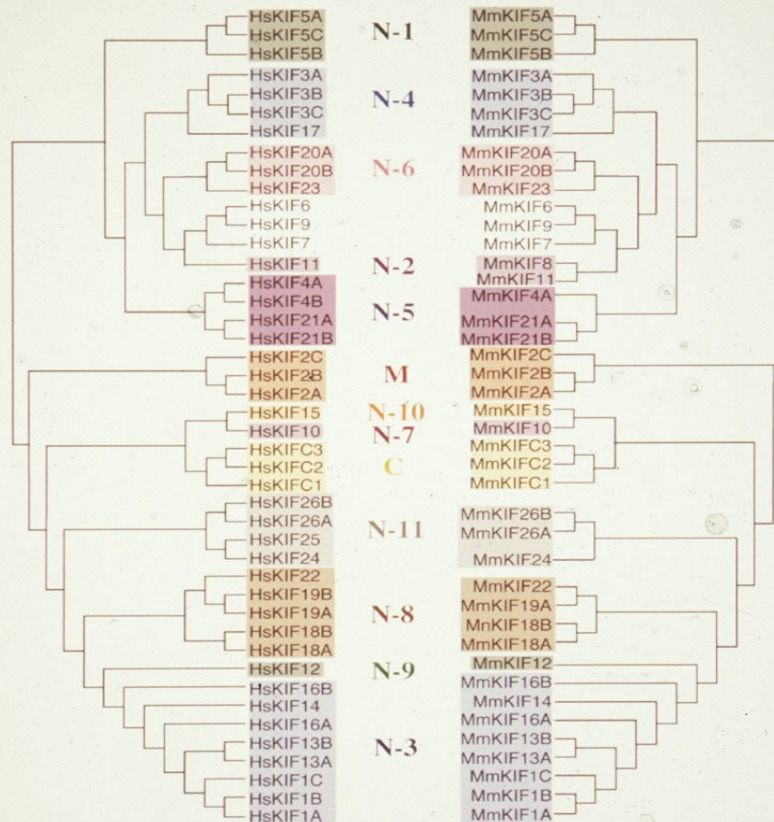
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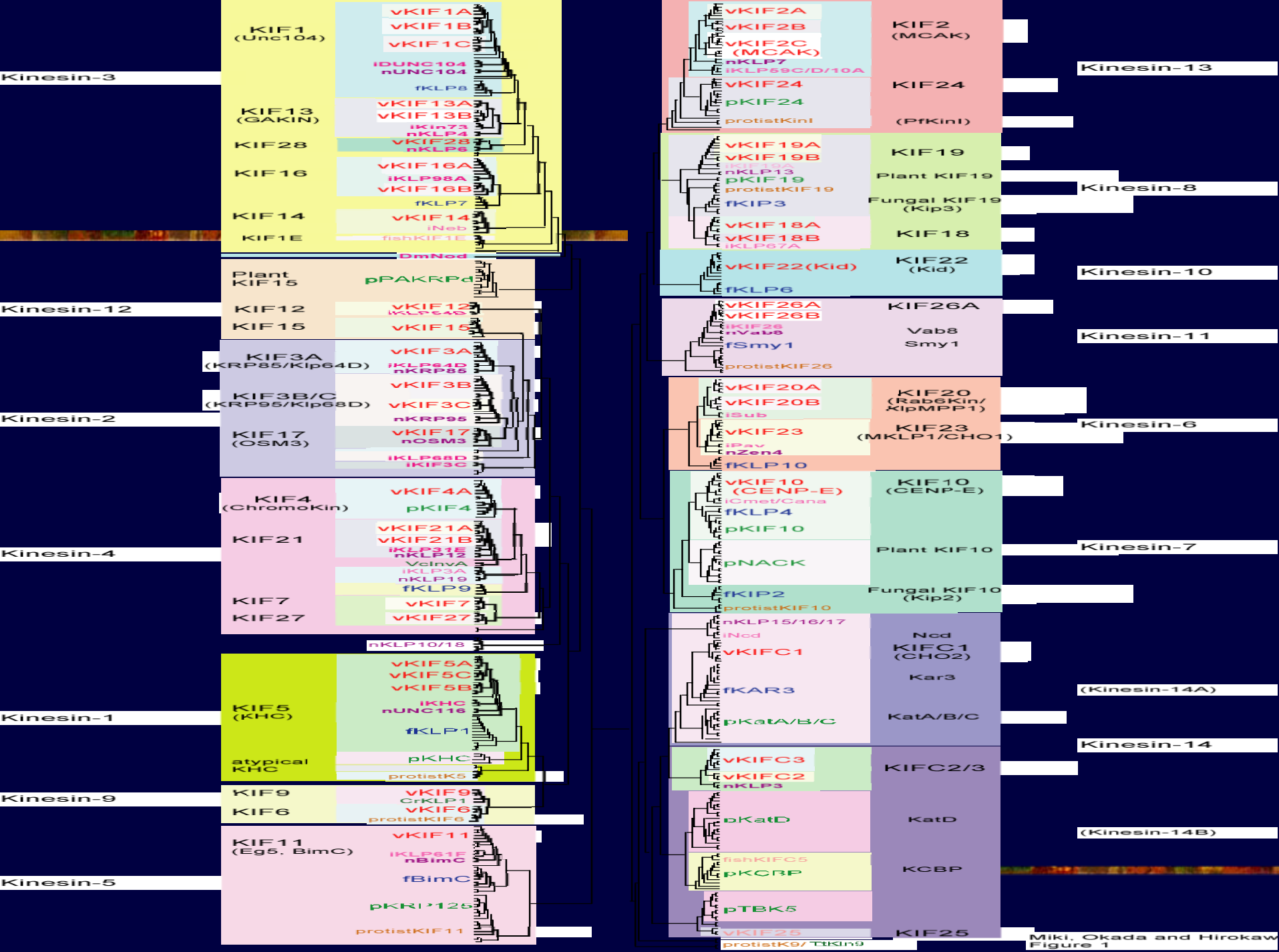
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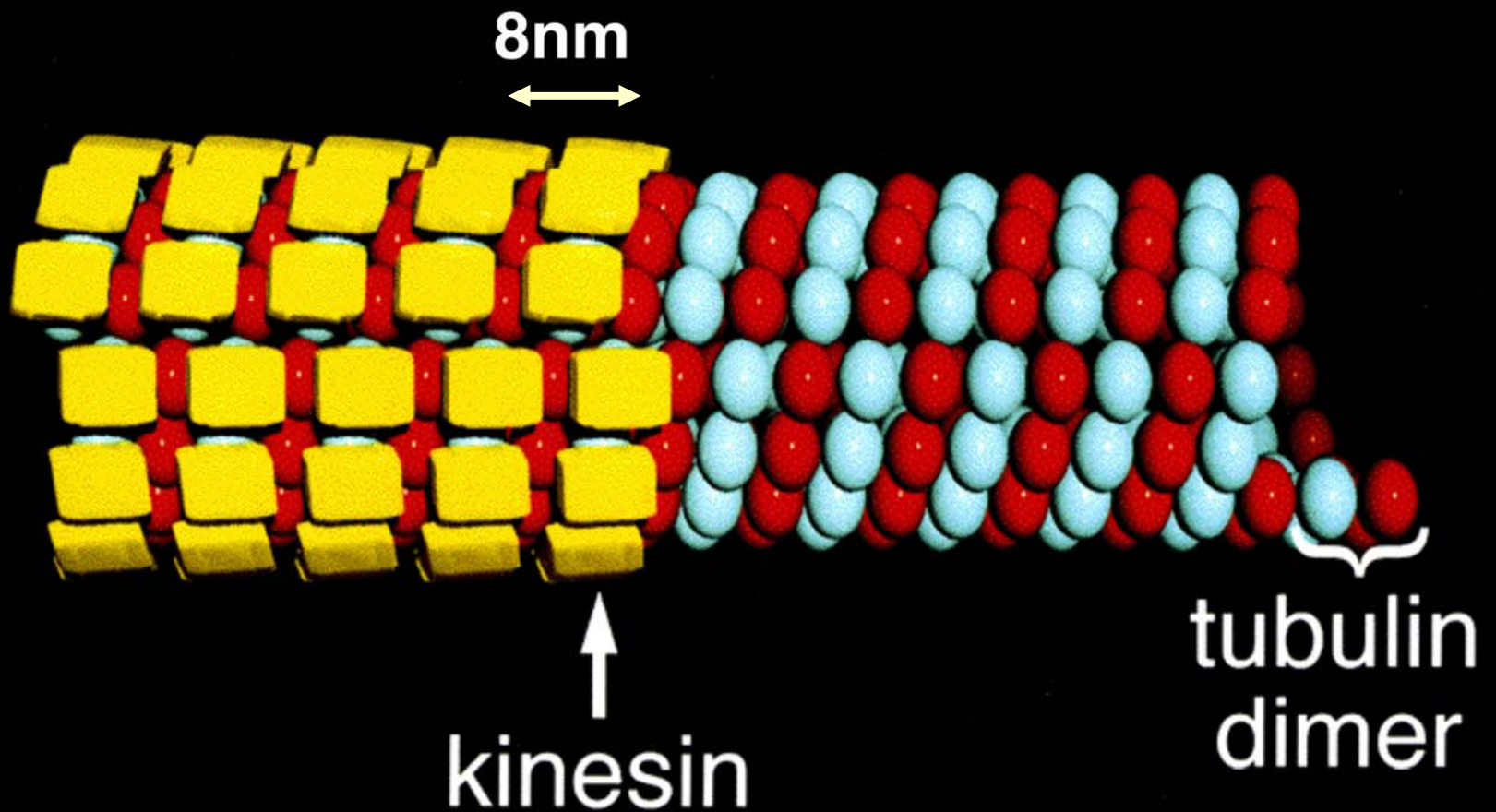


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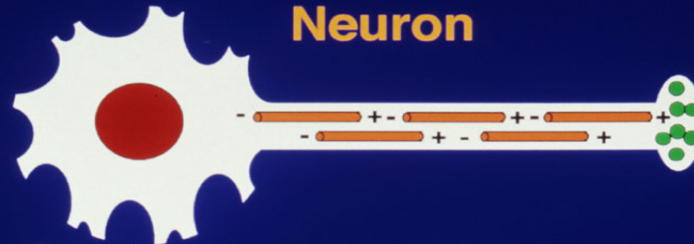


Name	Type	Cargo & Function	Reference
KIF1A	N-KIF Monomer	Synaptic vesicle precursor Essential for neuronal function and survival	Aizawa et al. JCB 1992 Okada et al. Cell 1995 Yonekawa et al. JCB 1998 Okada et al. Science 1999 Kikkawa et al. Cell 2000 Kikkawa et al. Nature 2001 Okada et al. Nature 2003 Nitta et. al. Science 2004
KIF1Bα	N-KIF Monomer	Mitochondria	Nangaku et al. Cell 1994
KIF1Bβ	N-KIF Monomer	Synaptic vesicle precursor Responsible gene of Charcot-Marie Tooth Type IIA Neuropathy	Zhao et al. Cell 2001
KIF2A KIF2C	M-KIF Homodimer	Expressed abundantly in Juvenile neurons Suppression of axon collateral branch extension Microtubule Destabilizer	Aizawa et al. JCB 1992 Noda et al. JCB 1995 Homma et al. Cell 2003 Ogawa et al. Cell 2004
KIF3A KIF3B	N-KIF Heterodimer	Form heterotrimer composed of KIF3A, KIF3B, and KAP3 Vesicles associated with α -fodrin important for neurite extension Protein complexes to form cilia > Nodal flow > Left / Right determination, Transport of N cadherin and β catenin to suppress tumorigenesis	Aizawa et al. JCB 1992 Kondo et al. JCB 1994 Yamazaki et al JCB 1995 Yamazaki et al. PNAS 1996 Nonaka et al. Cell 1999 Takeda et al. JCB 1999 Takeda et al. JCB 2000 Tanaka et al. Nature 2005 Teng et al. NCB 2005 Okada et al. Cell 2005 Hirokawa et al. Cell 2006
KIF4	N-KIF Homodimer	Expressed abundantly in Juvenile neurons Regulation of activity dependent neuronal survival through binding to PARP	Aizawa et al. JCB 1992 Sekine et al. JCB 1994 Midorikawa et al. Cell 2006
KIF5A KIF5B KIF5C	N-KIF Homodimer	Mitochondria, Lysosome, Tubulin oligomer GRIP1- AMPA type - glutamate receptor transport in dendrites RNA transport in dendrites	Hirokawa et al. Cell 1989 Hirokawa et al. JCB 1991 Aizawa et al. JCB 1992 Nakata et al. JCB 1995 Tanaka et al. Cell 1998 Kanai et al. J.Neurosci. 2000 Terada et al. Cell 2000 Setou et al. Nature 2003 Kanai et. Al. Neuron 2004
KIF13A	N-KIF Homodimer	Adaptin - AP1 adaptor complex - Mannose 6 phosphate receptor vesicle	Nakagawa et al. Cell 2000
KIF17	N-KIF Homodimer	Transport of Mint1 - NMDA type glutamate receptor in dendrites Learning & Memory	Setou et al. Science 2000 Wong et al. PNAS 2002 Macho et al. Science 2002 Guillaud et al. J.Neurosci. 2003
KIFC2	C-KIF Homodimer	Transport of multivesicular body like organella in dendrites	Saito et al. Neuron 1997
KIFC3	C-KIF Homodimer	Apical transportor of cholesterol, Annexin III enriched vesicles Golgi complex integration and positioning	Noda et al. JCB 2001 Xu et al. JCB 2002

キネシンのレール: 微小管の構造



Neuron



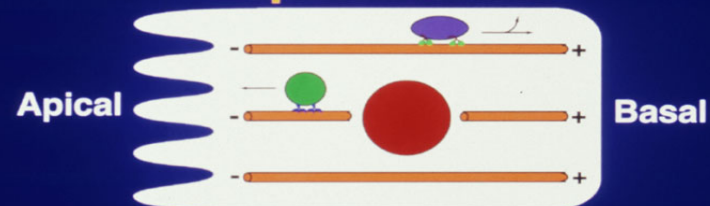
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MAP2C(Juvenile Neuron)
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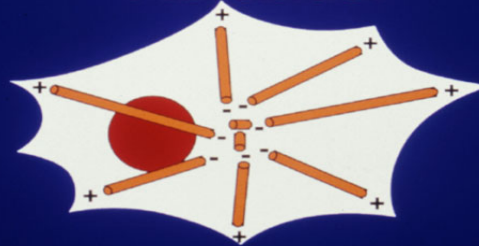
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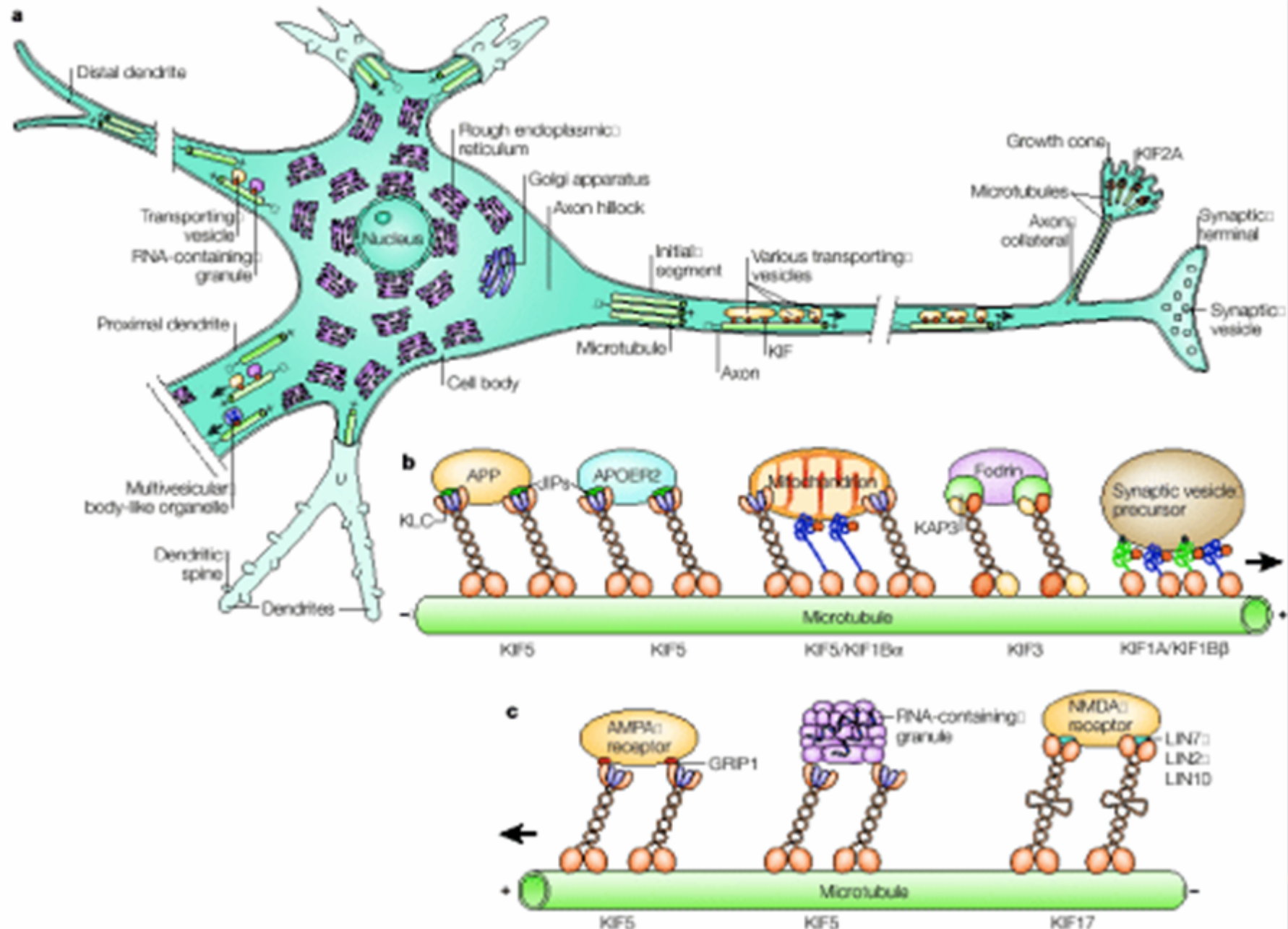
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Epithelial Cell



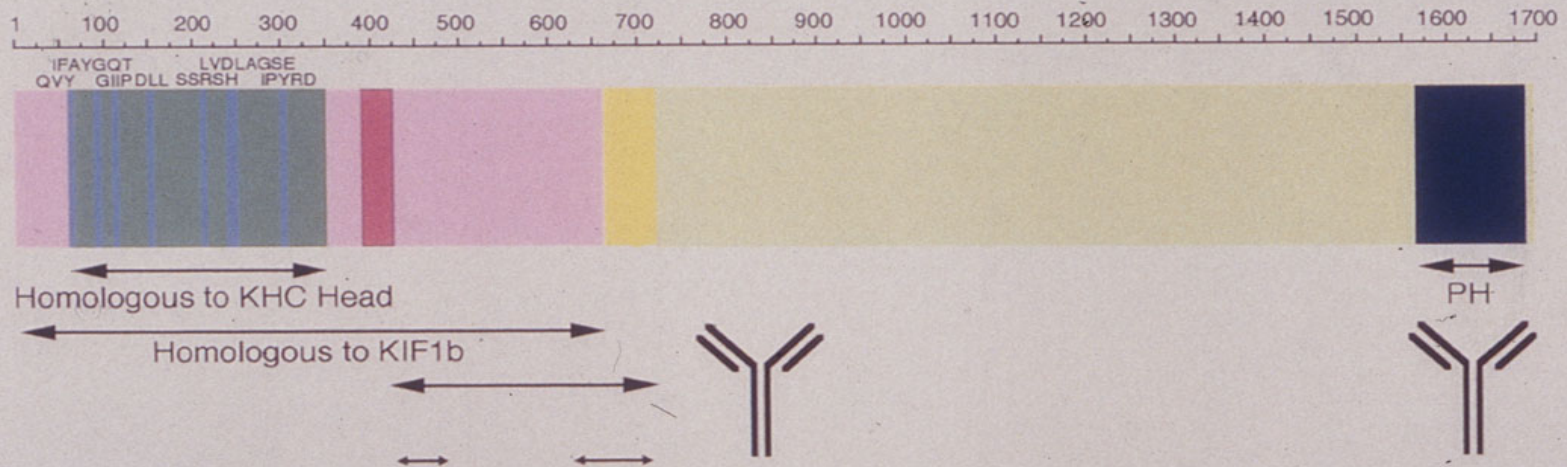
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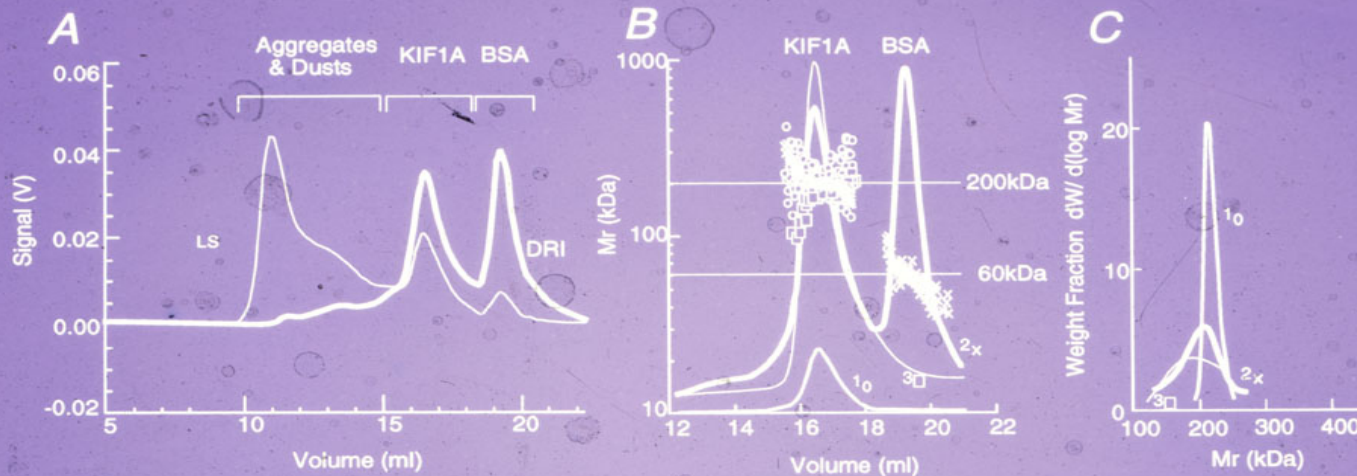
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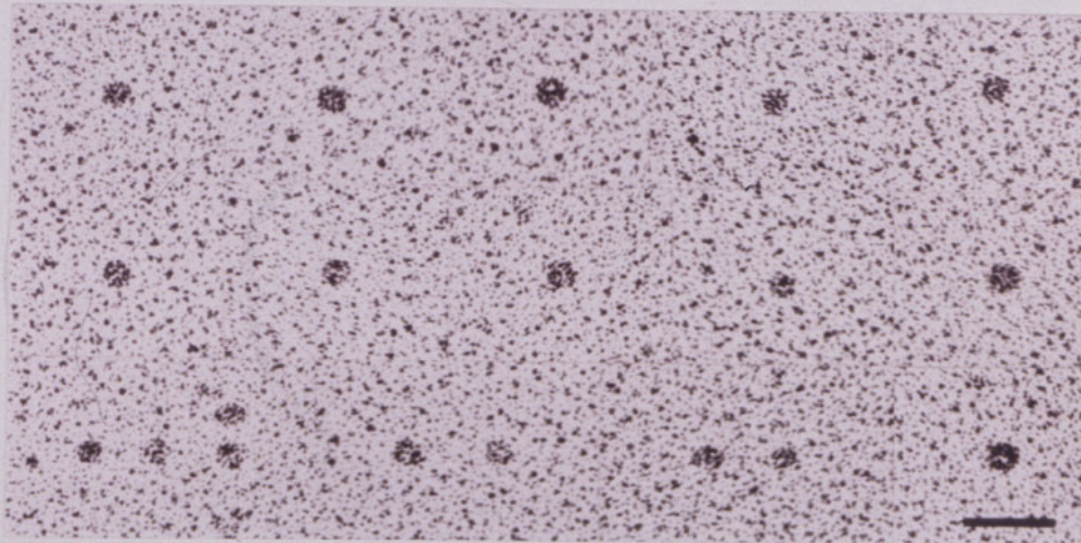
Aizawa et al. JCB 119:1287—, 1992
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Molecular Weight Determination by GPC-DLS



Molecular weight (M_r) of recombinant KIF1A protein was determined by gel permeation chromatography-differential laser light scattering (GPC-DLS), because this method absolutely determines M_r of polymer unbiased by its shape or other physical or chemical properties. **A** shows typical light scattering chromatogram at 90° (LS) contrasted with differential refractive index (DRI). **B** shows calculated M_r overlaid on DRI chromatogram. Results from three experiments are shown. These data were converted into differential M_r distribution (**C**). Thus, M_r of recombinant KIF1A was determined as 180-220 kDa, indicating that KIF1A is a monomer.

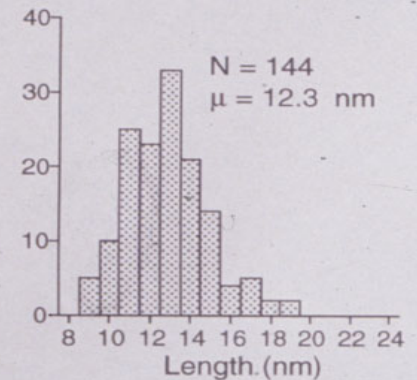
Single Molecule Structure of Recombinant KIF1A Revealed by Low-Angle Rotary-Shadowing EM



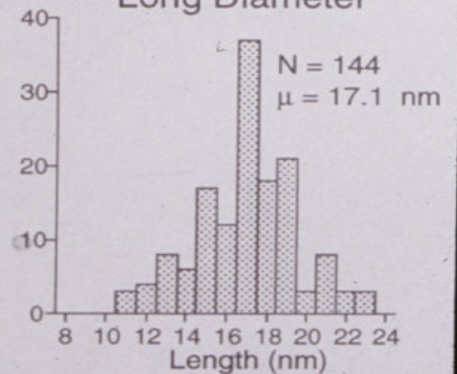
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Unlike other KRMPs, KIF1A was a globular molecule. No clearly discernable tails were observed.,

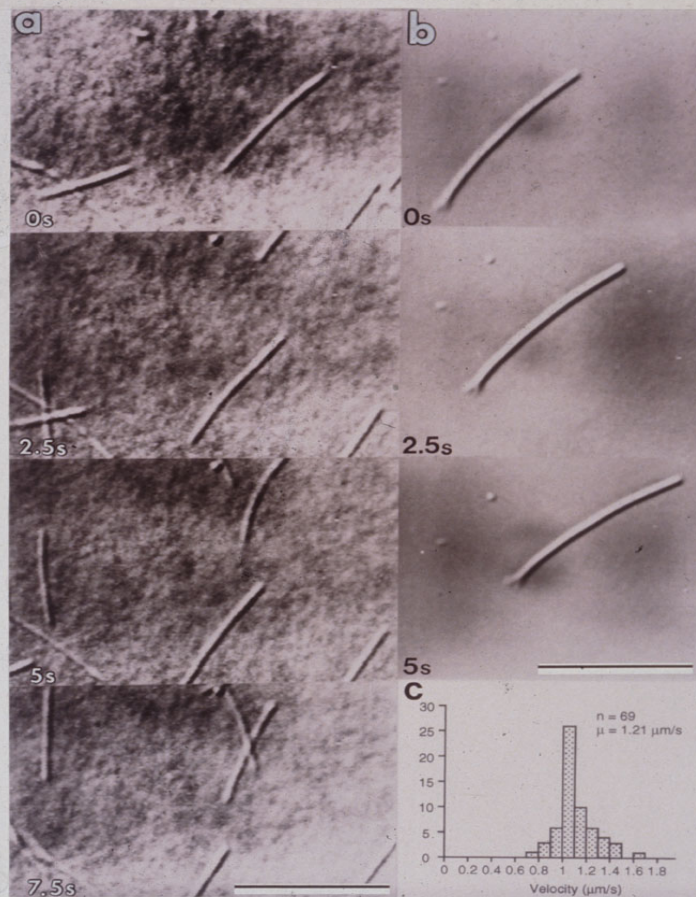
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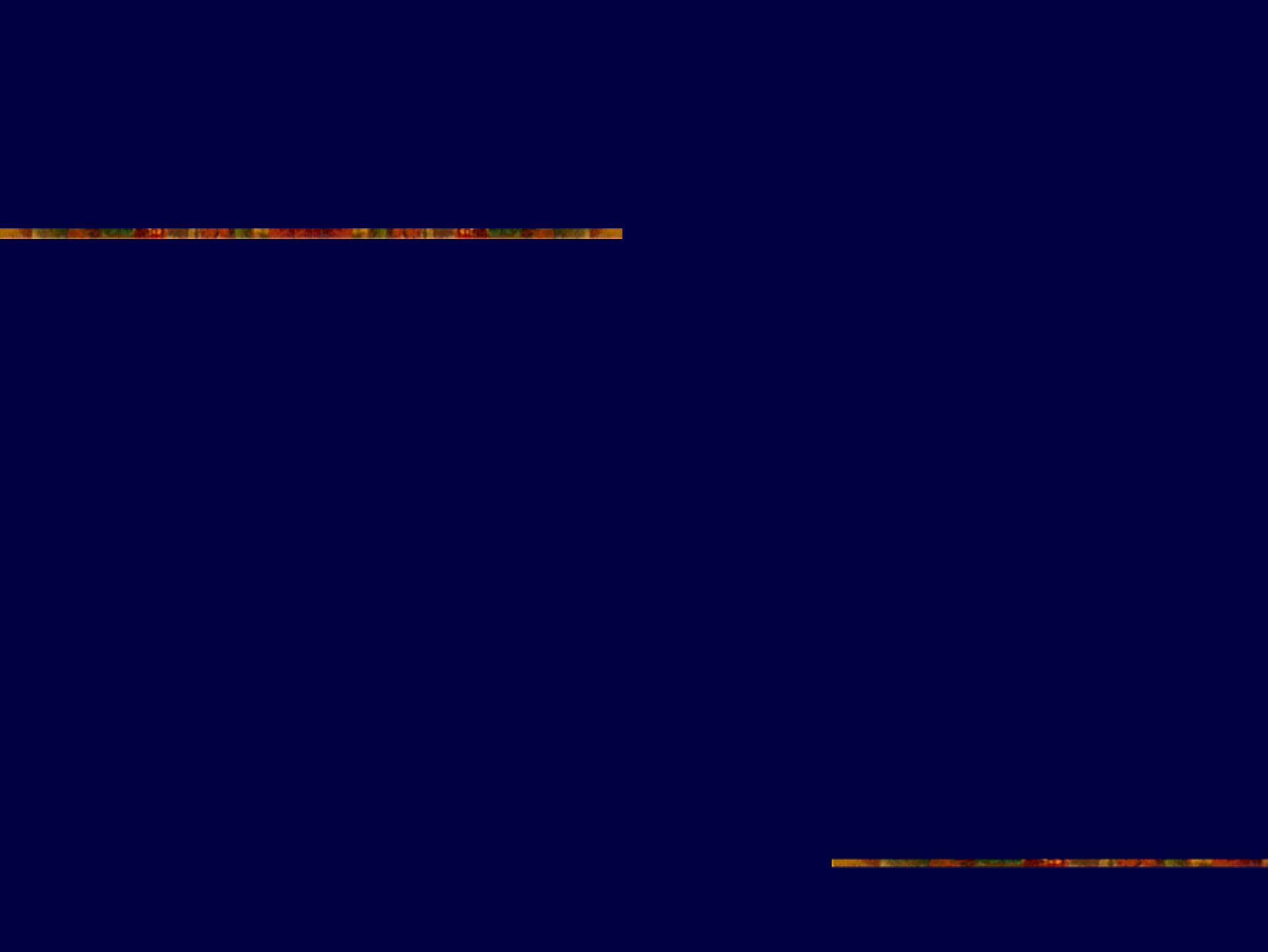


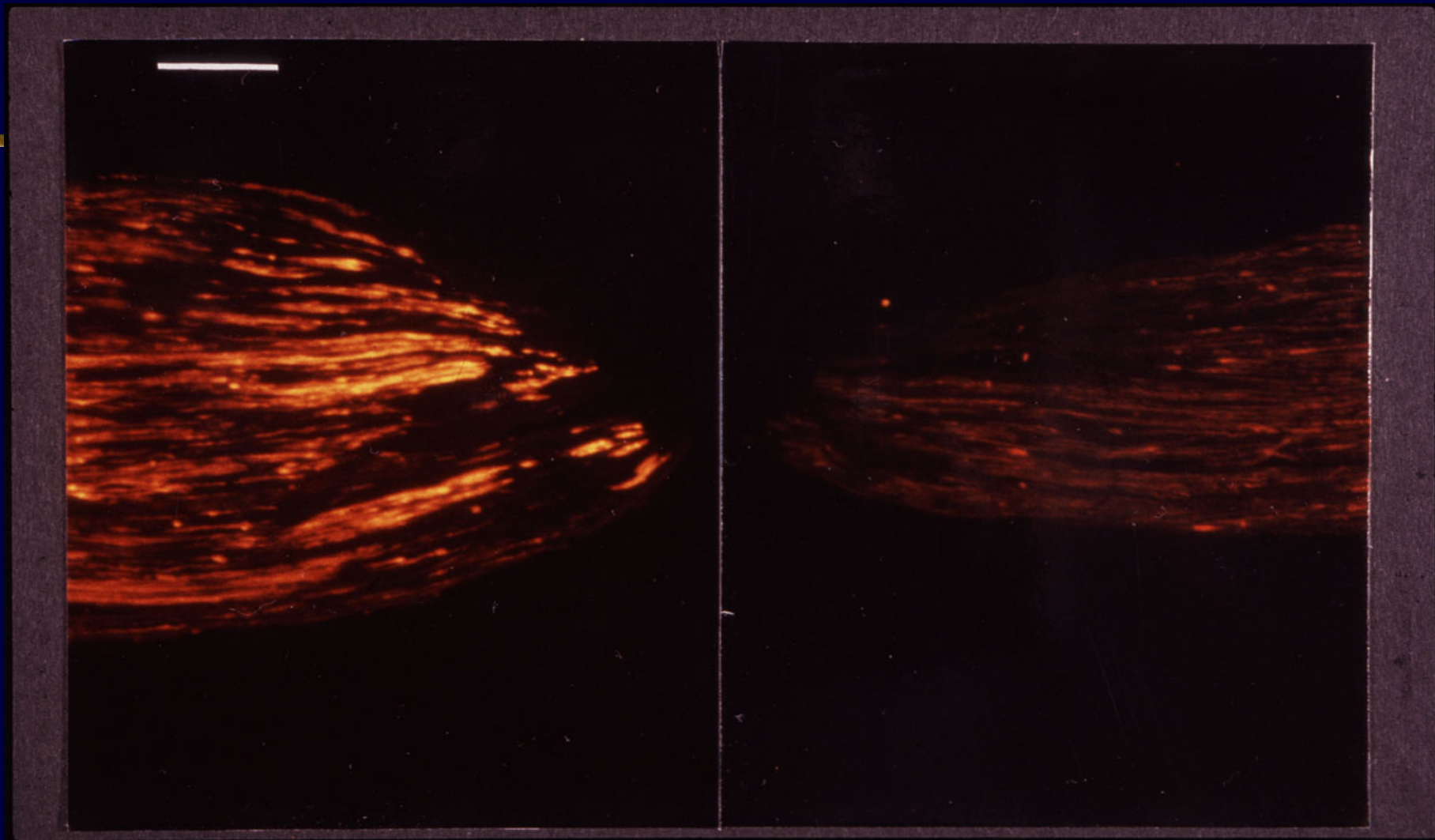
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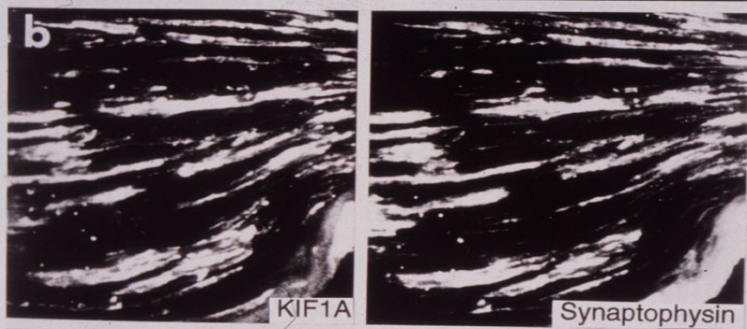
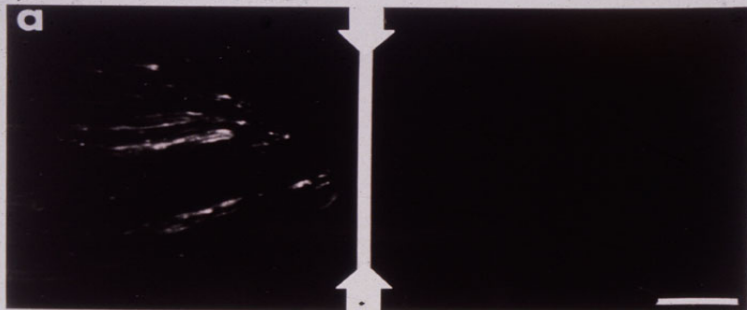


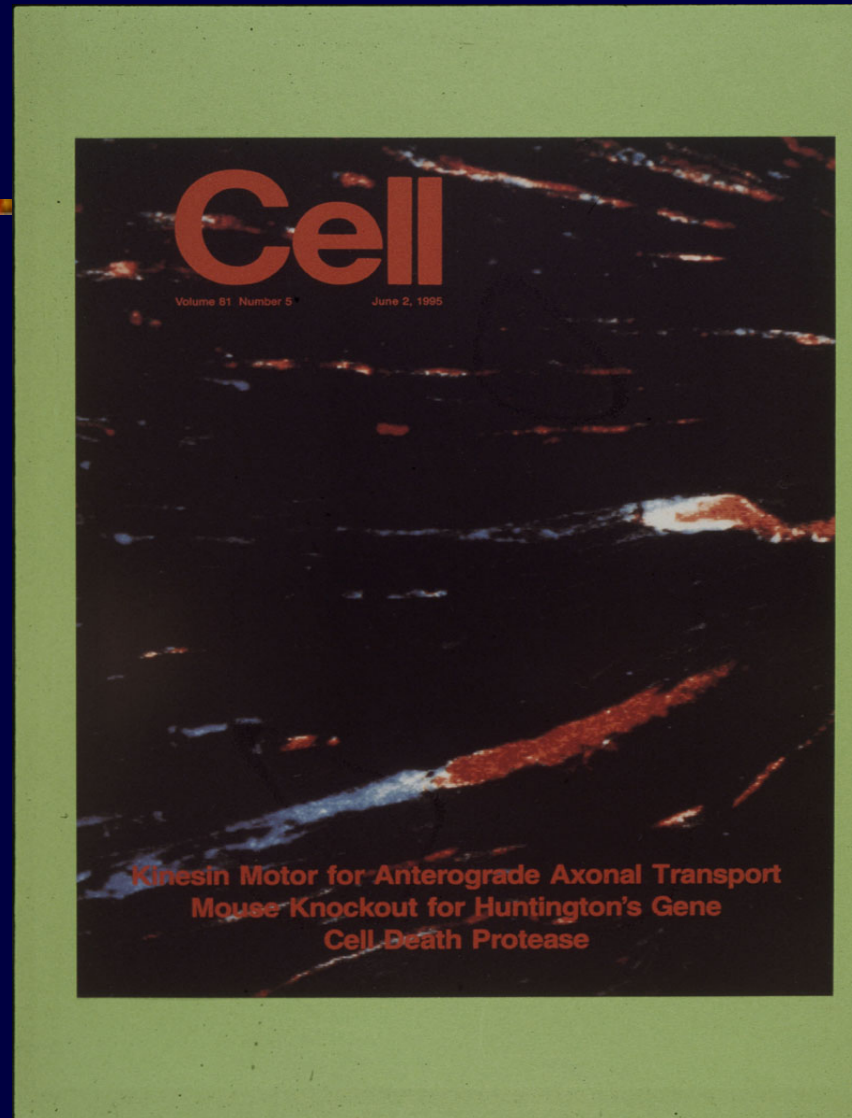
In vitro Motility Assay of Recombinant KIF1A
(~ 100 KIF1A monomers / μm^2)



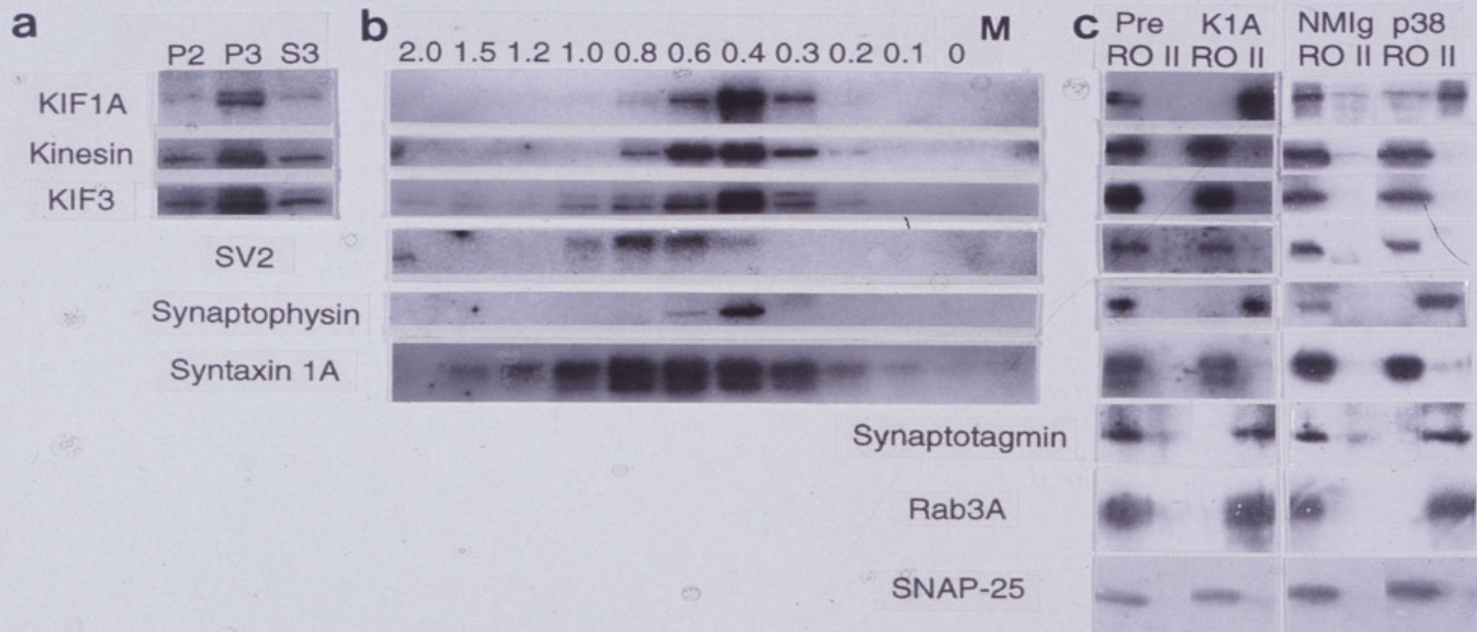


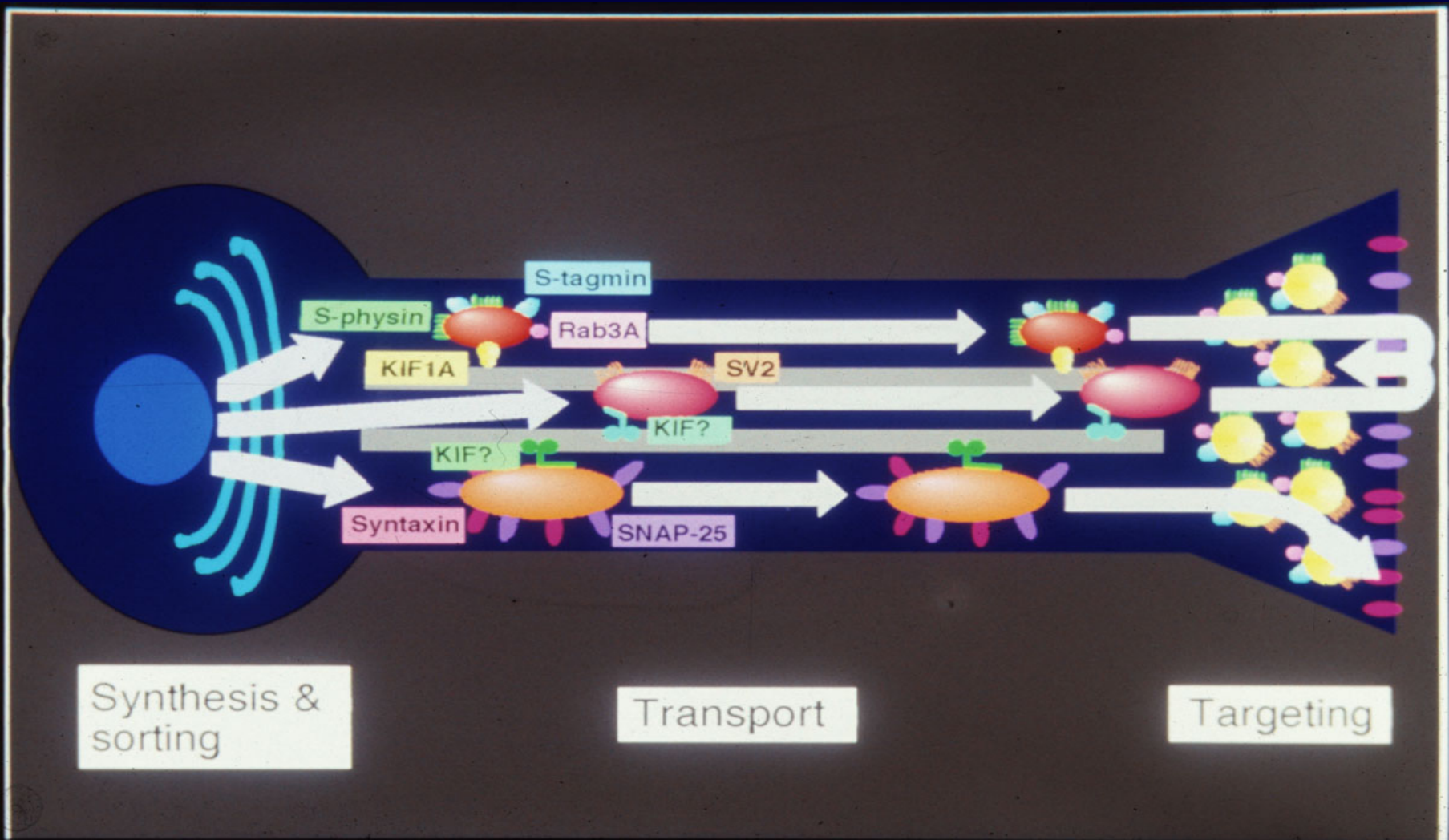


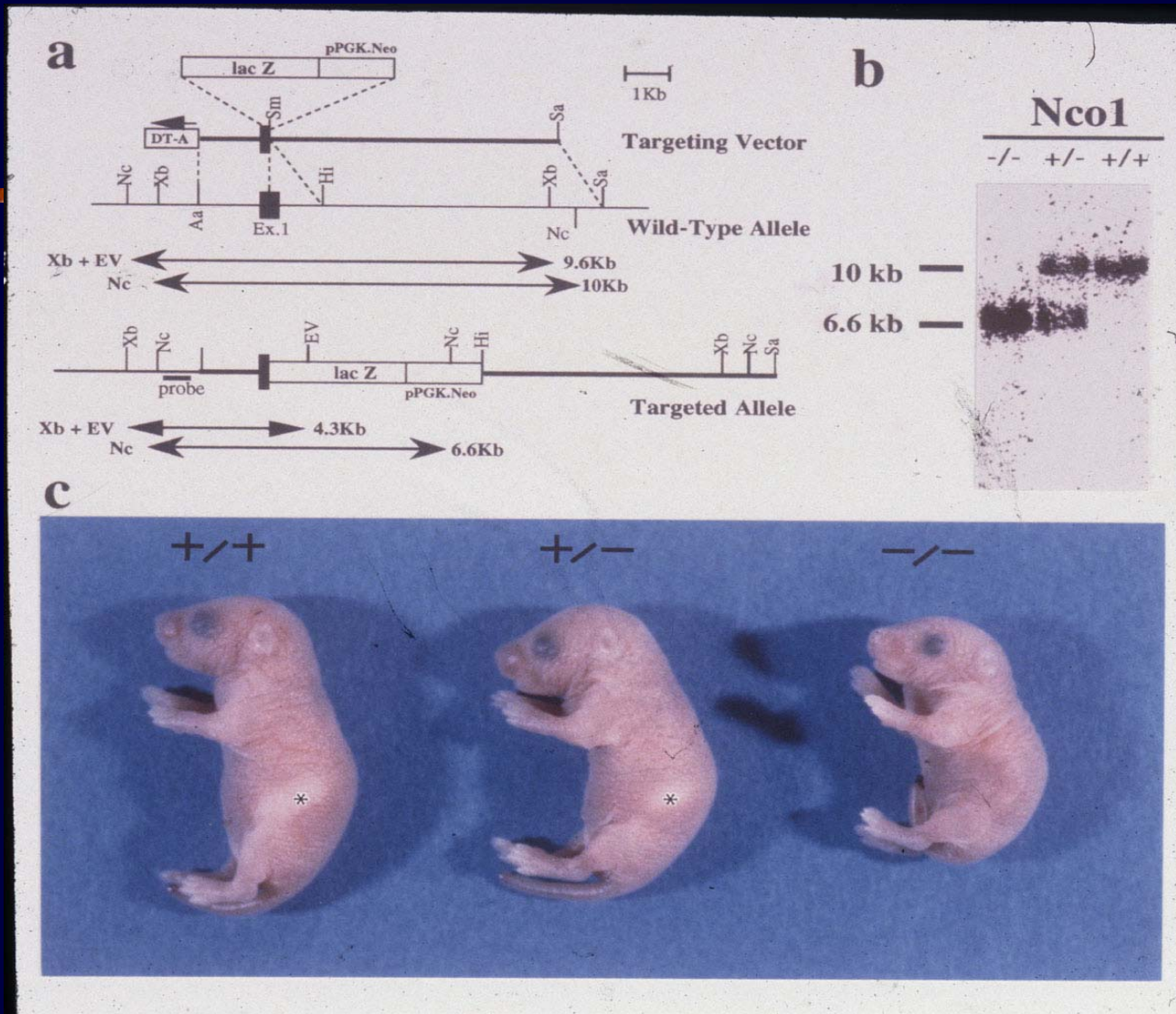




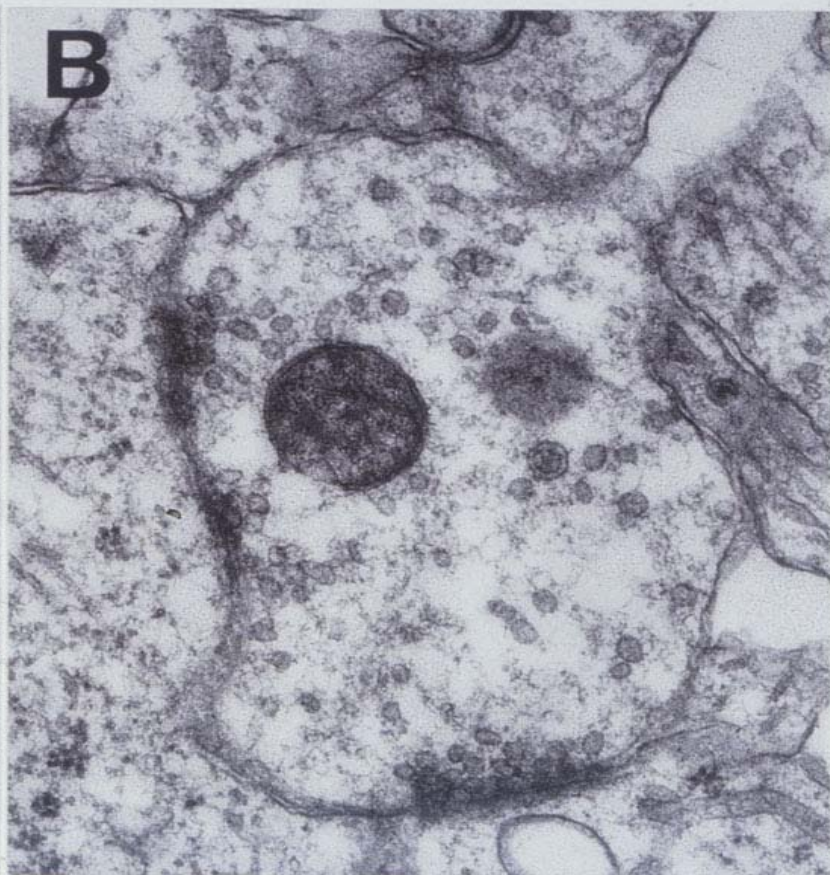
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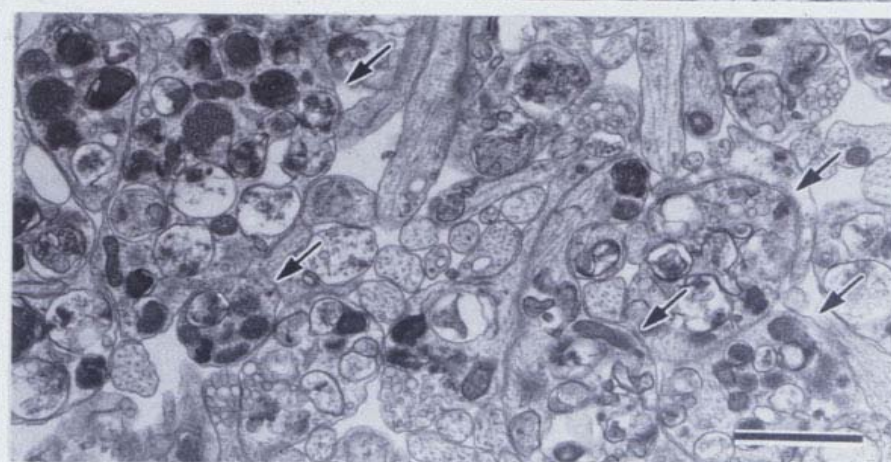
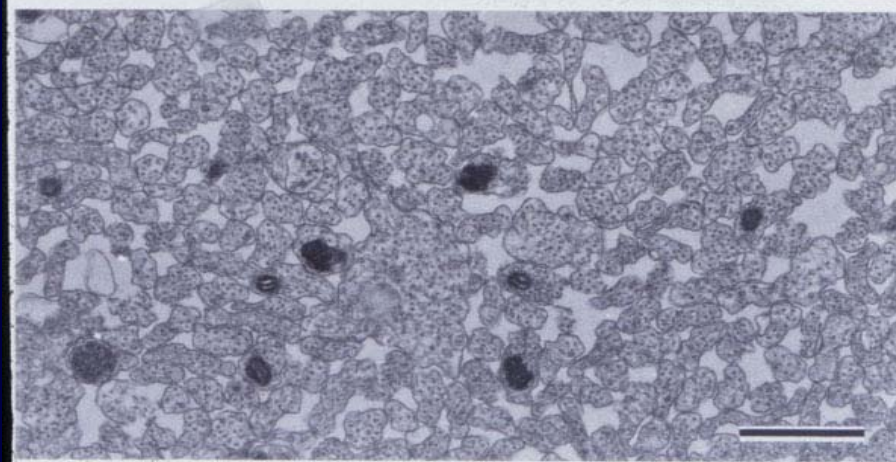
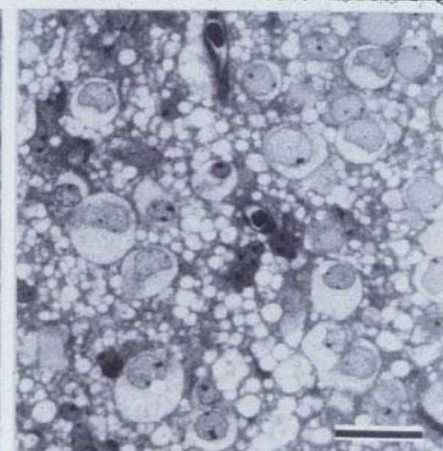
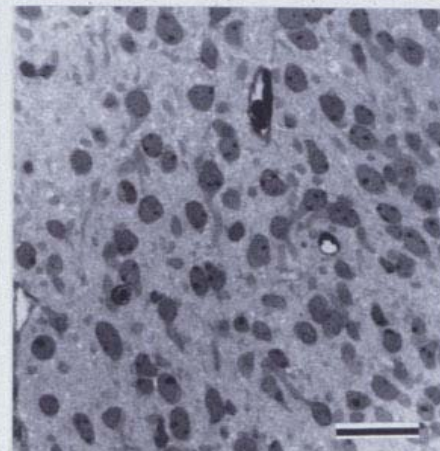
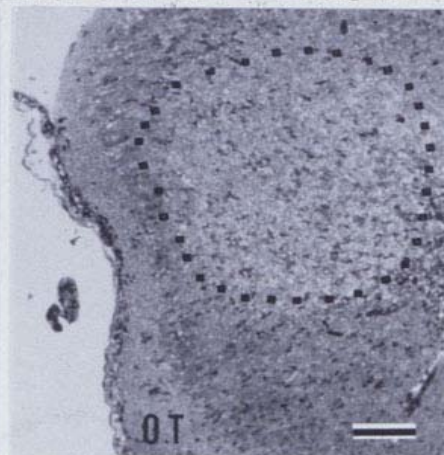
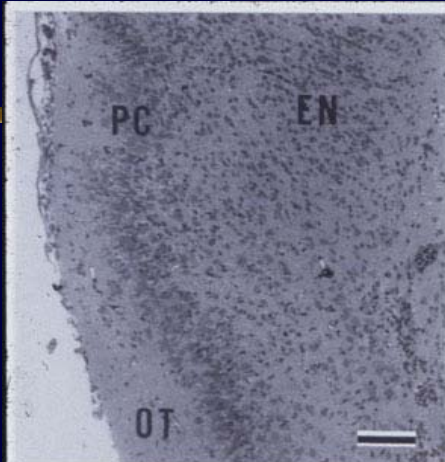


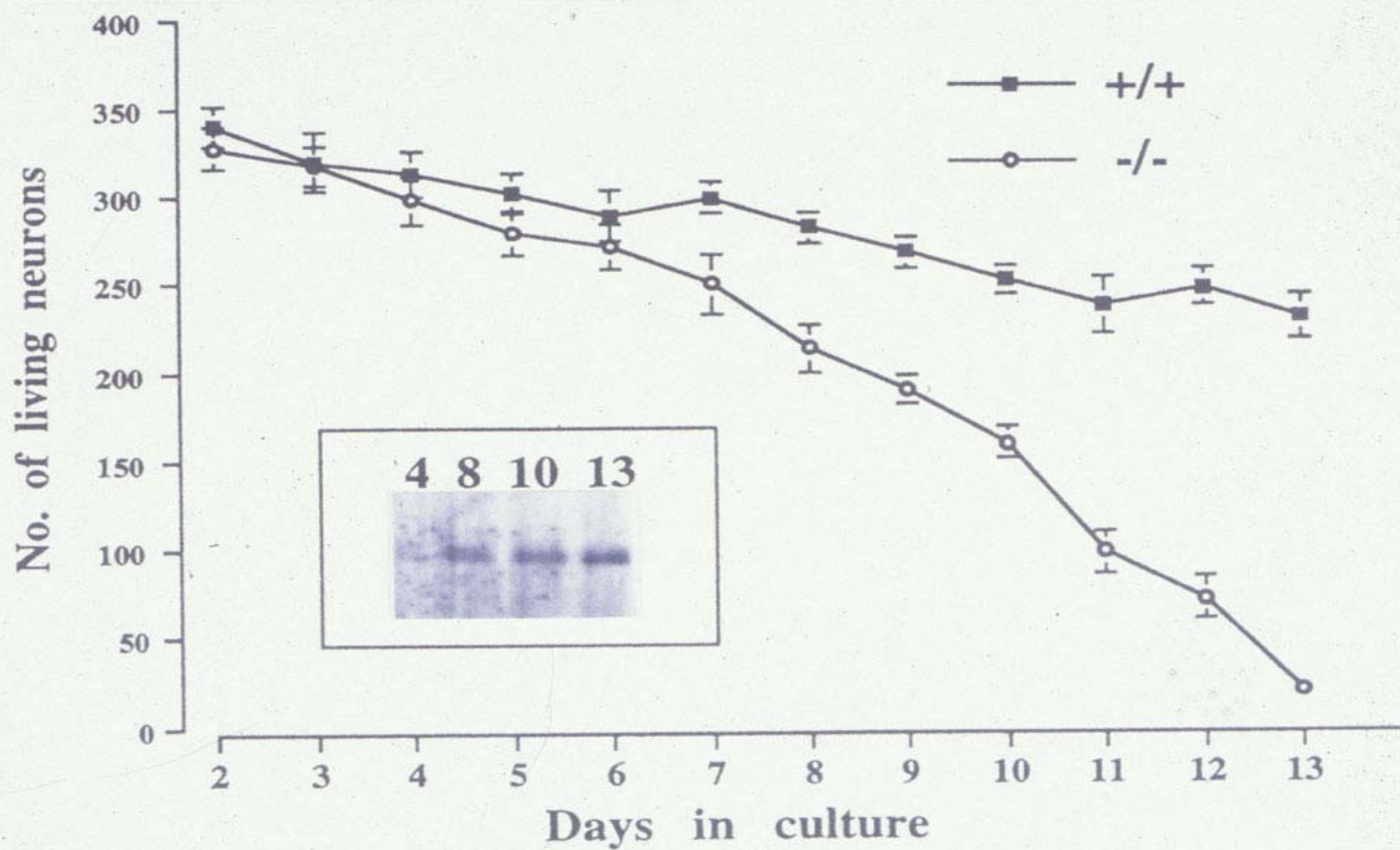


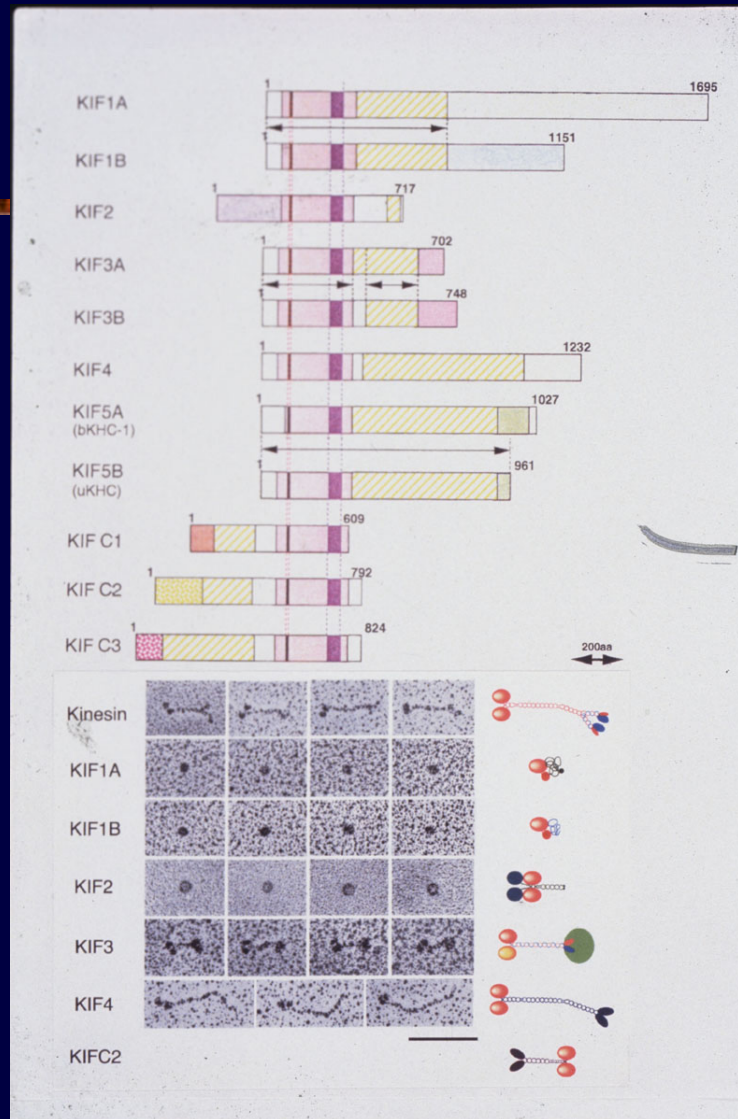


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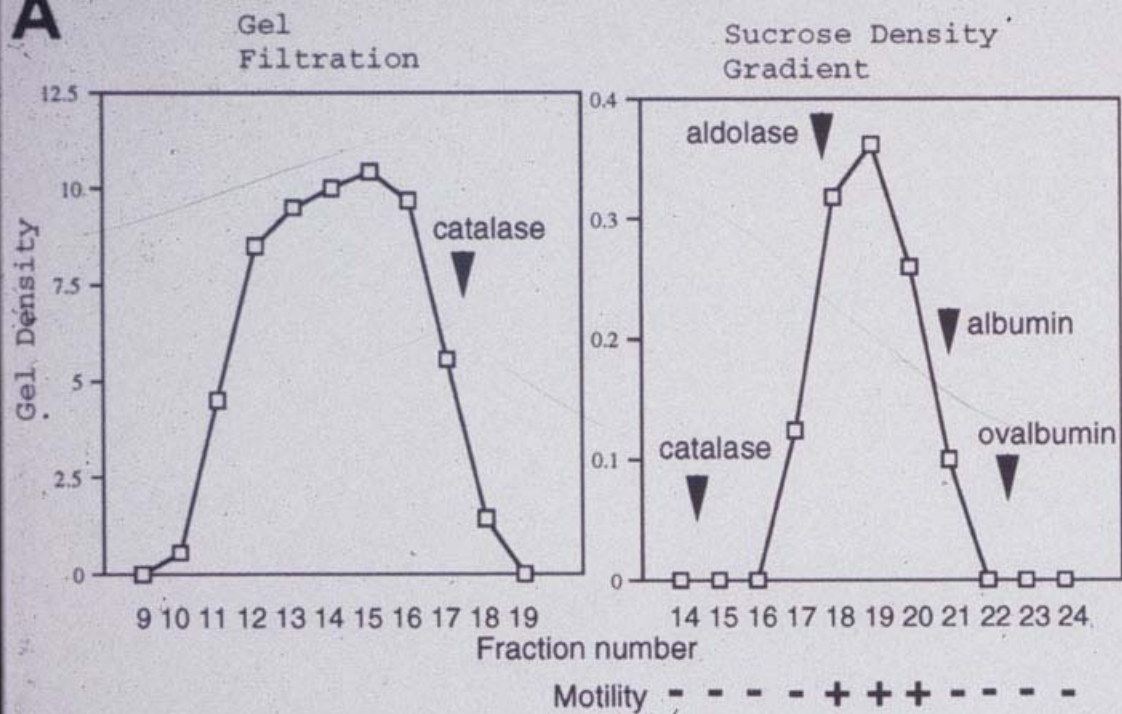
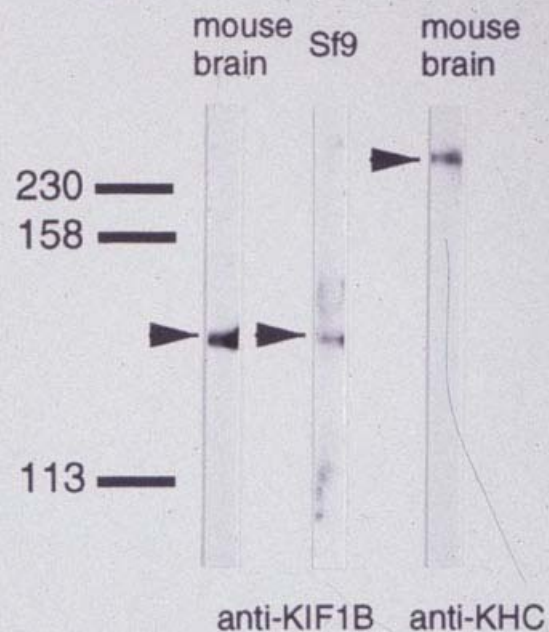
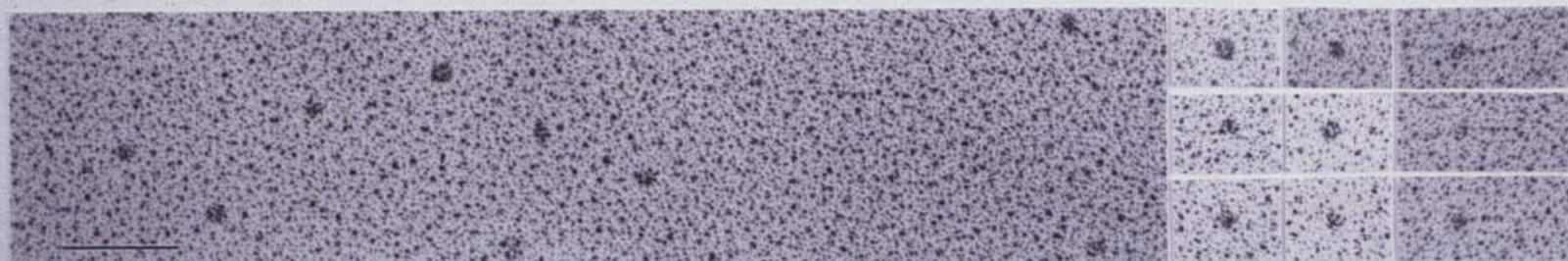




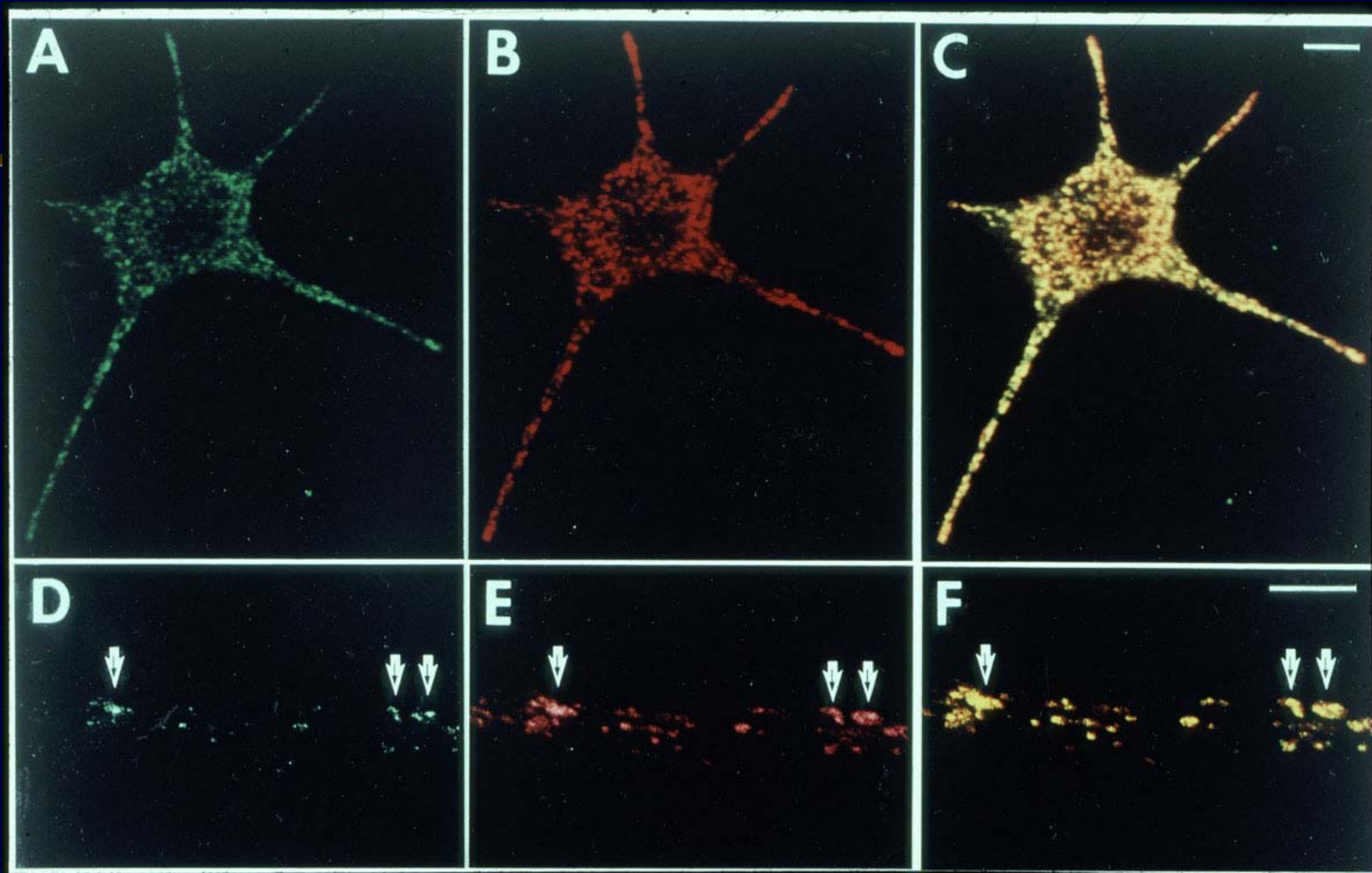
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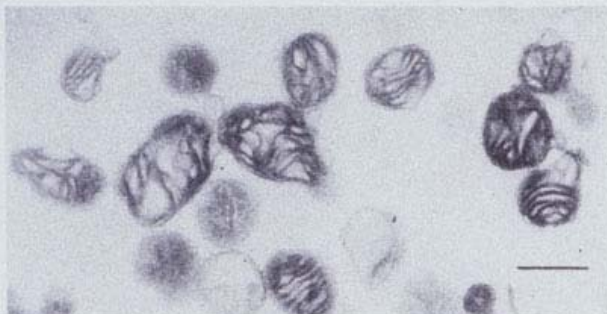
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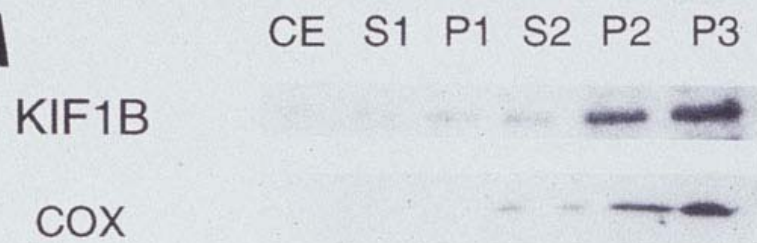


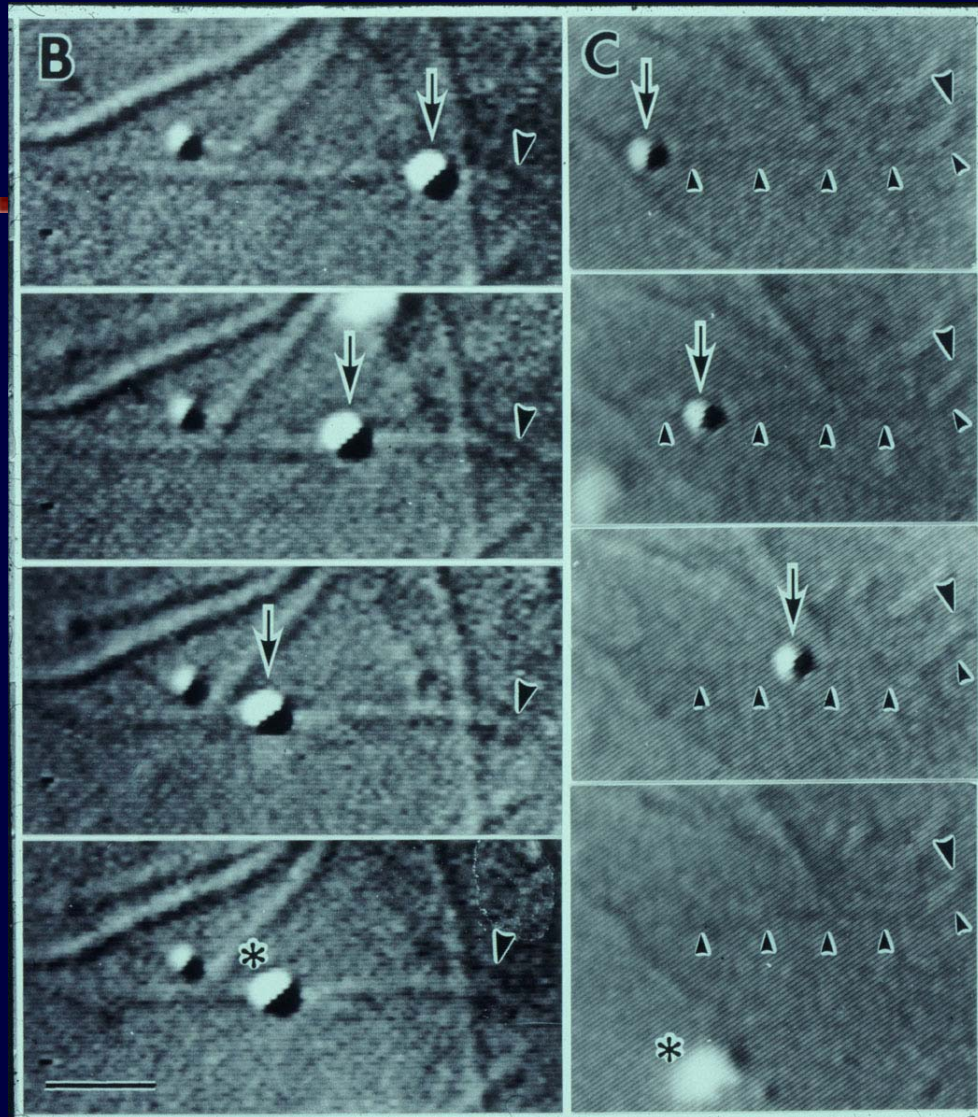


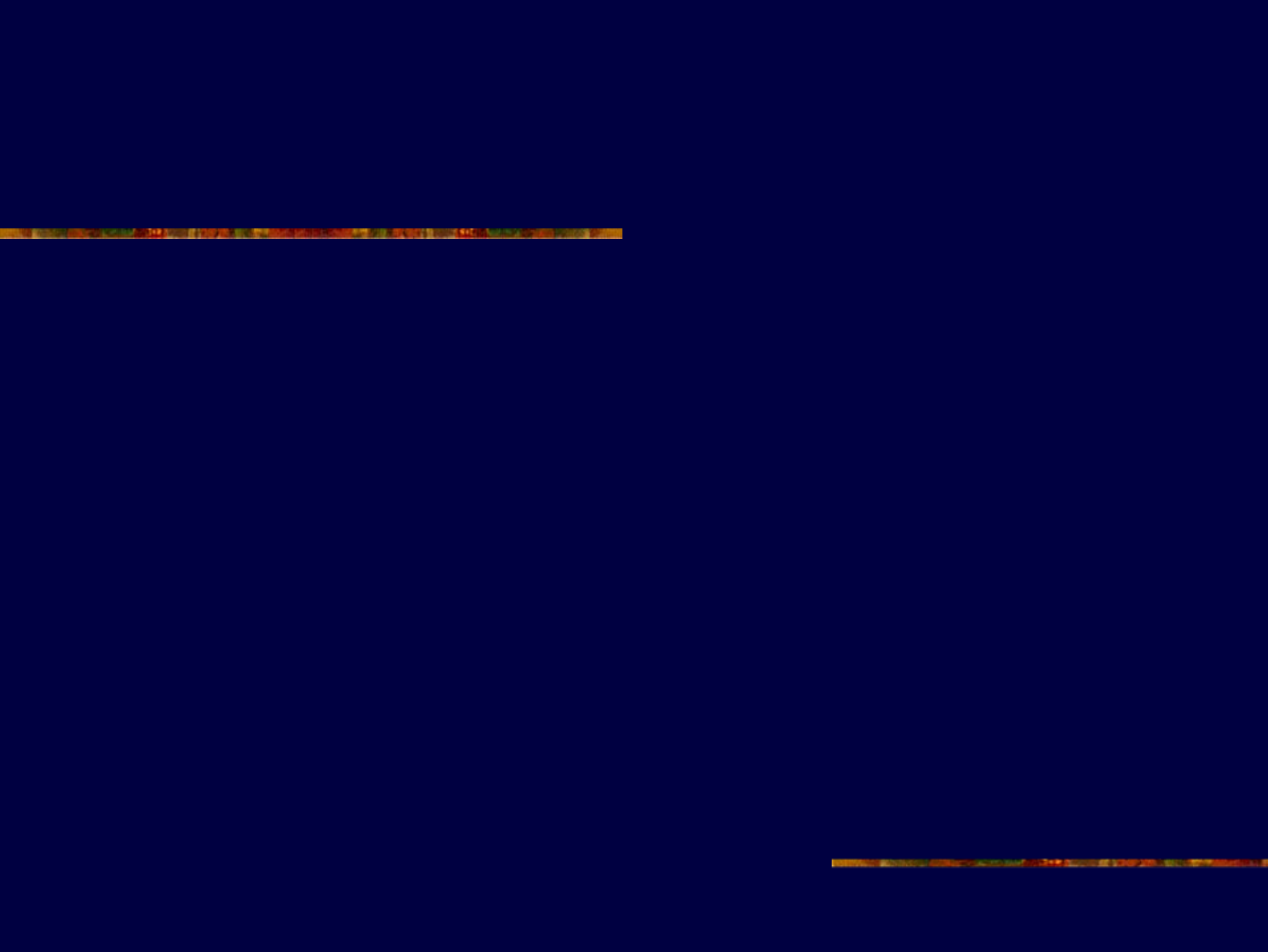
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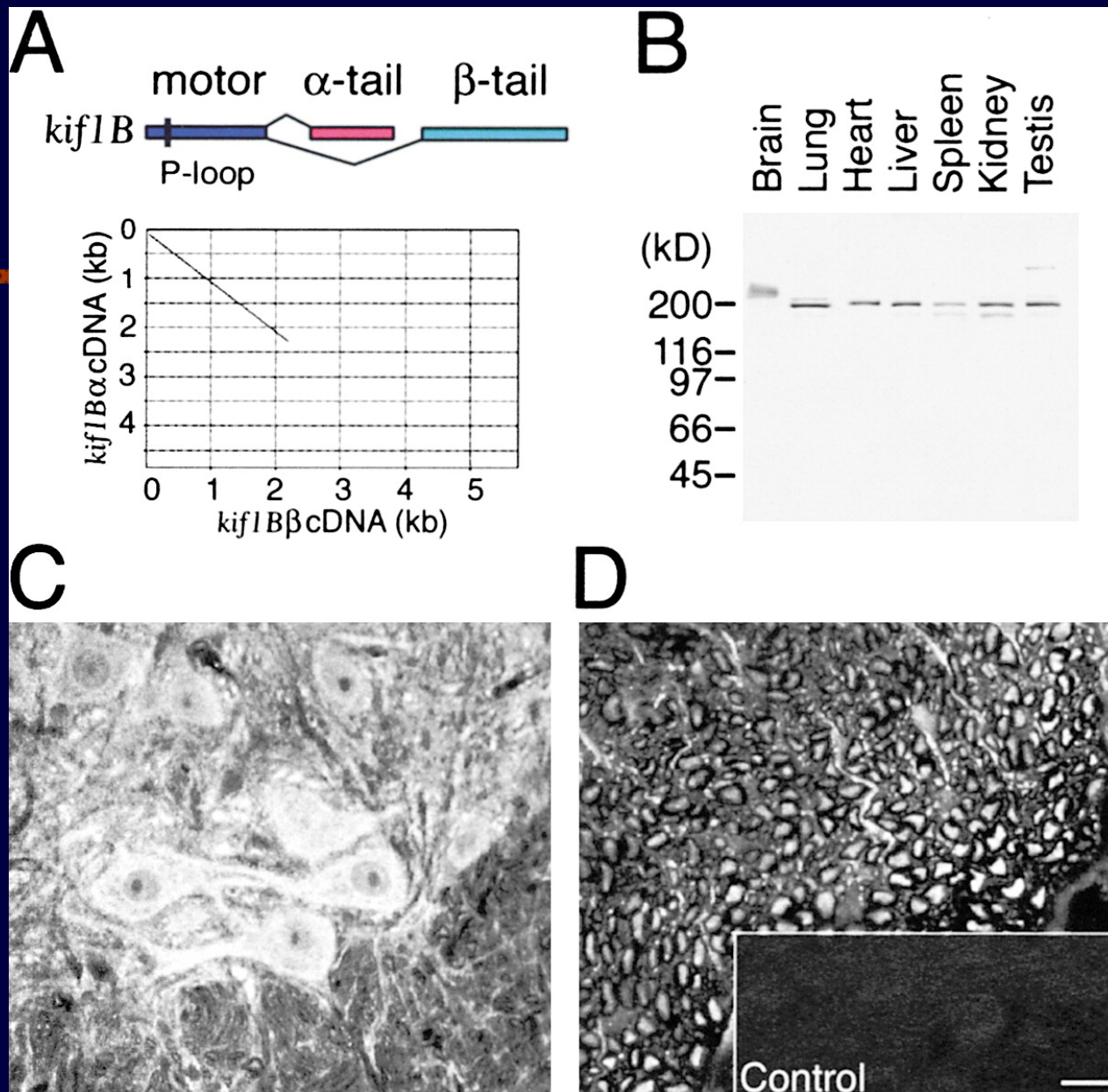
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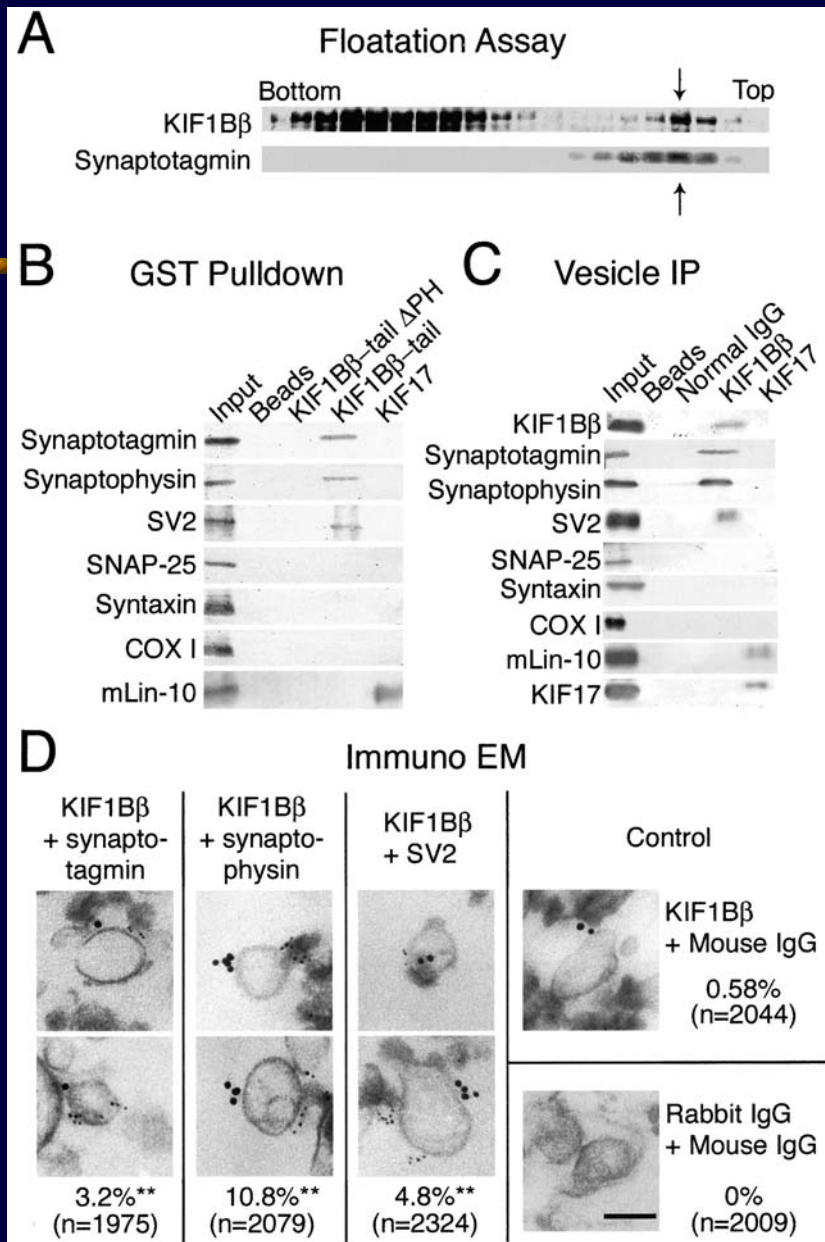


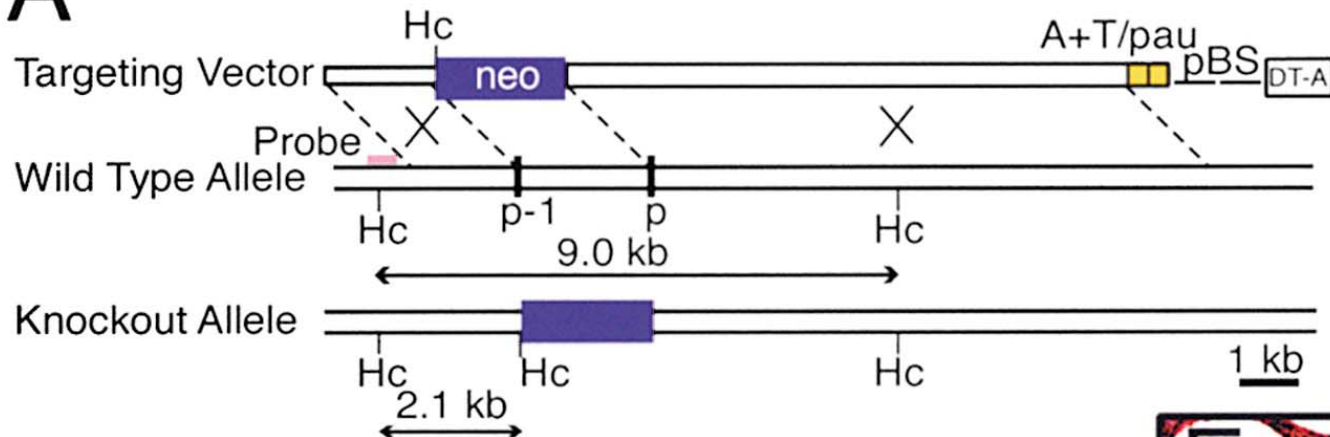
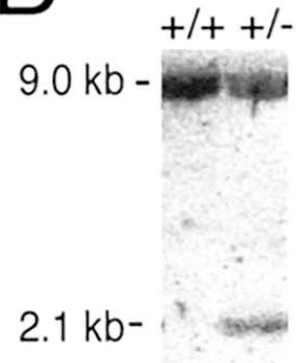
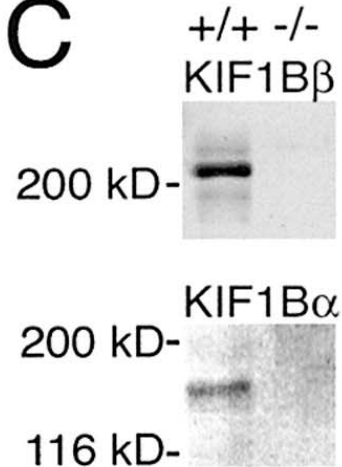
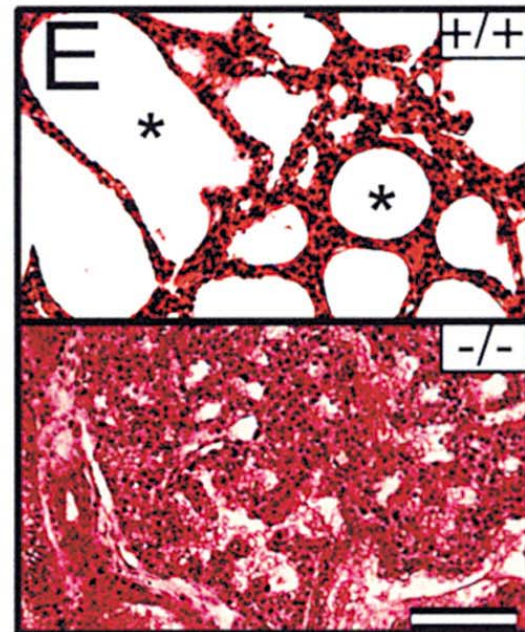
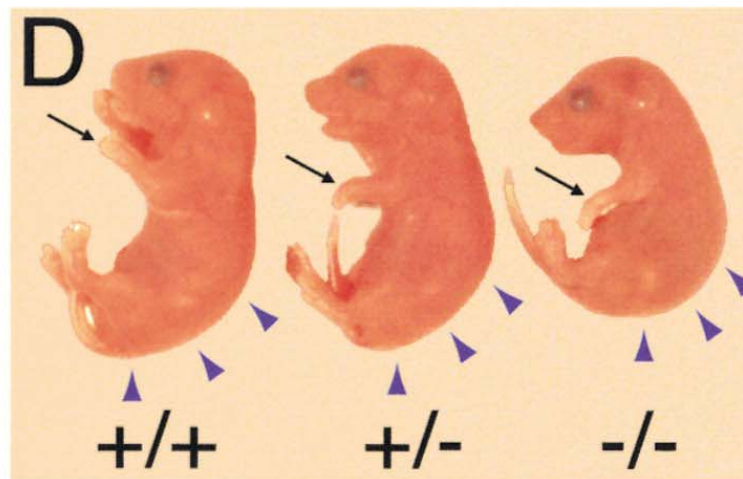


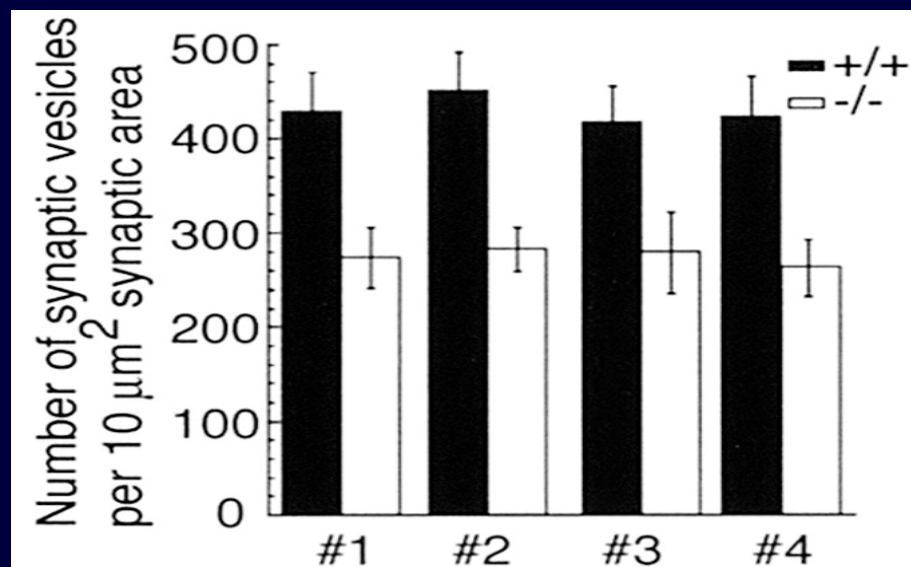
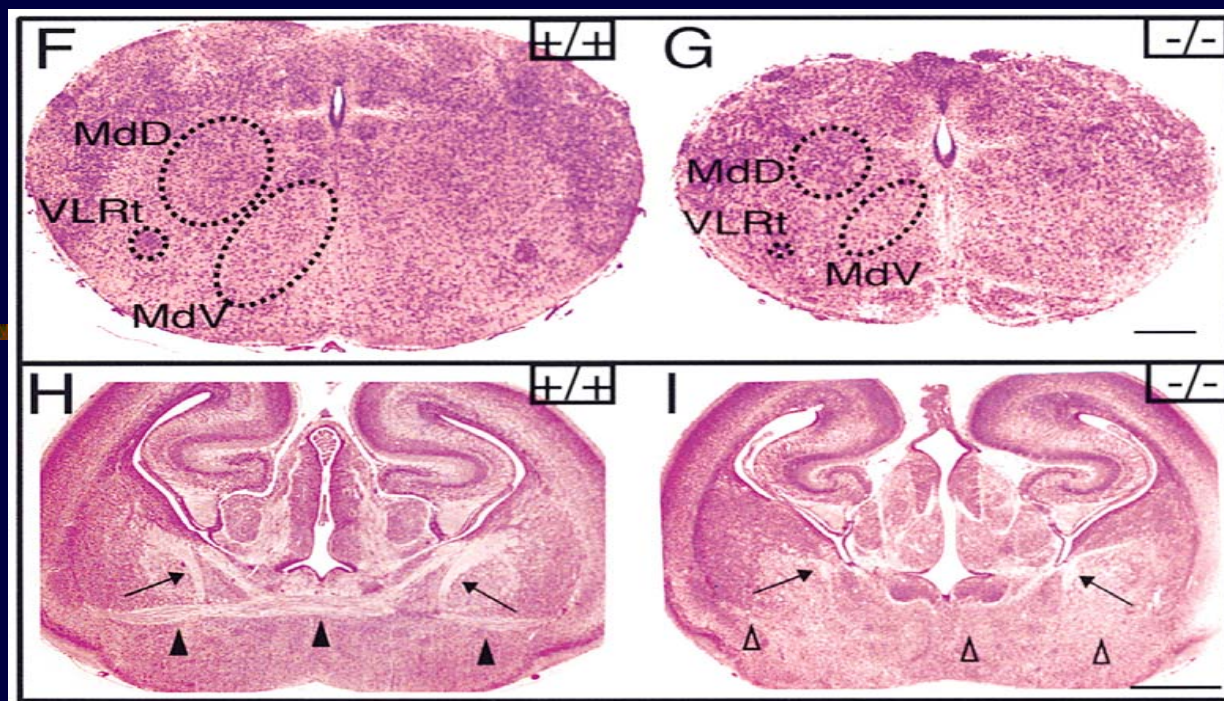


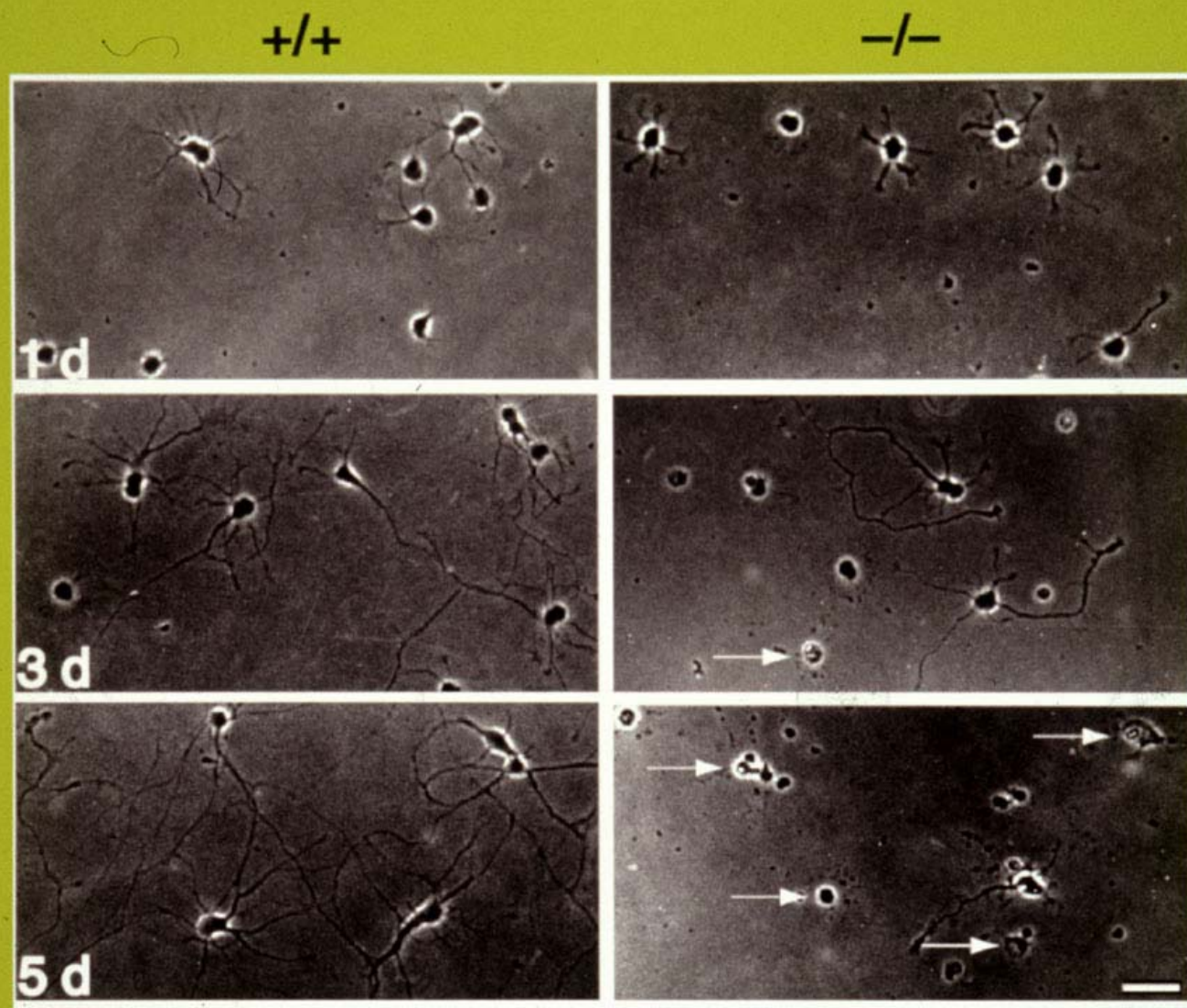


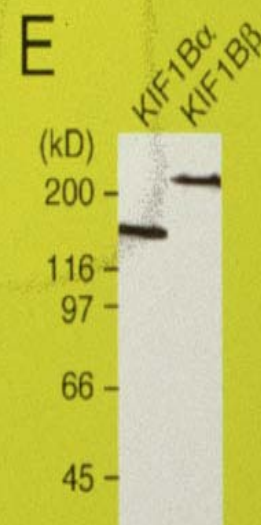
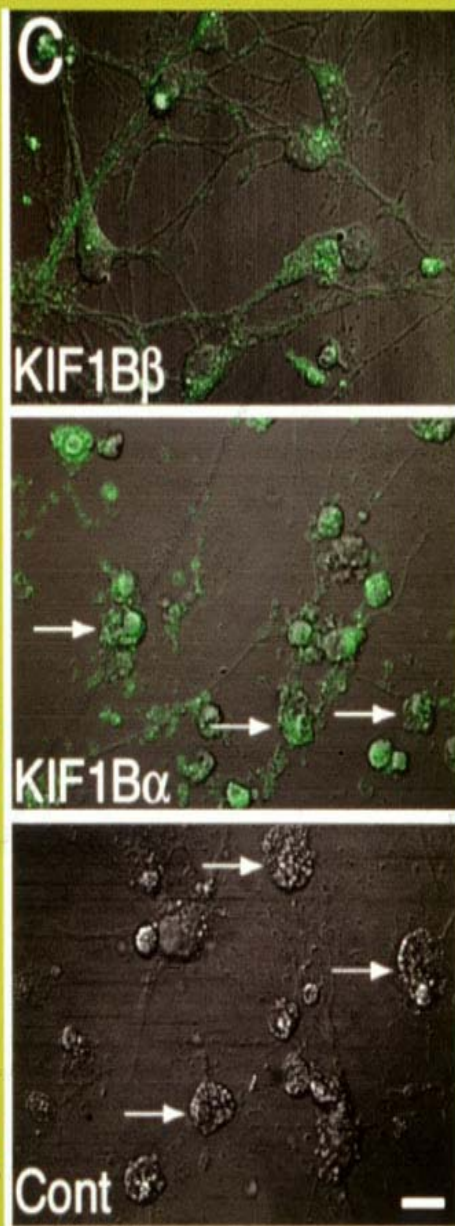
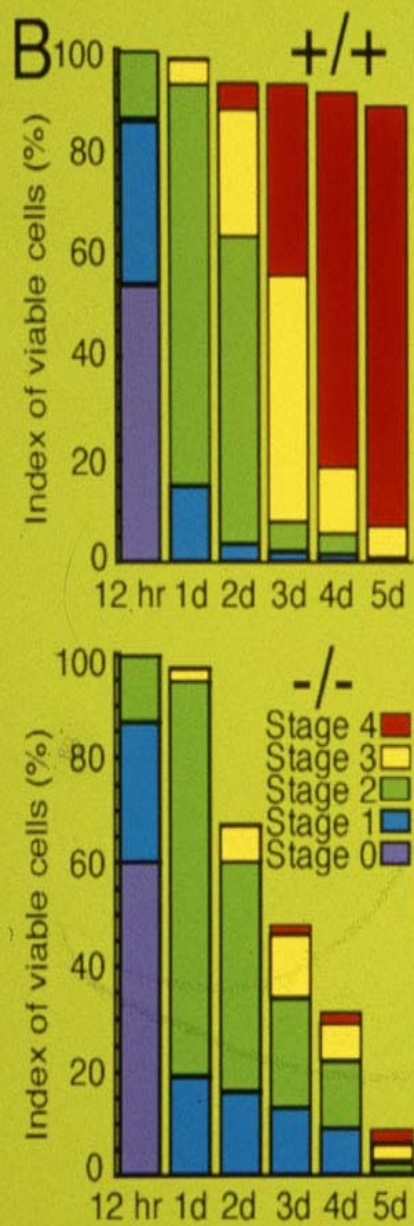




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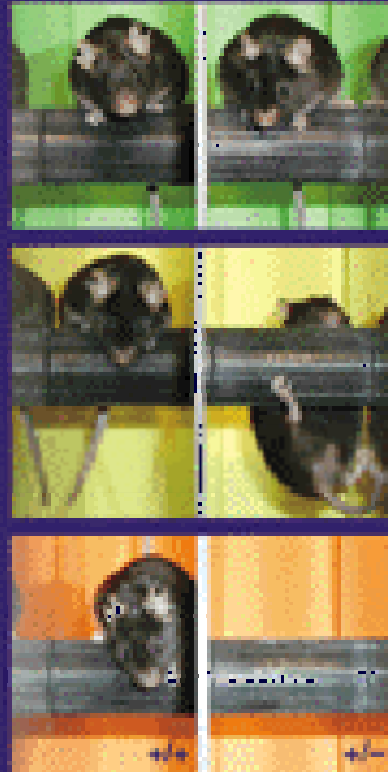




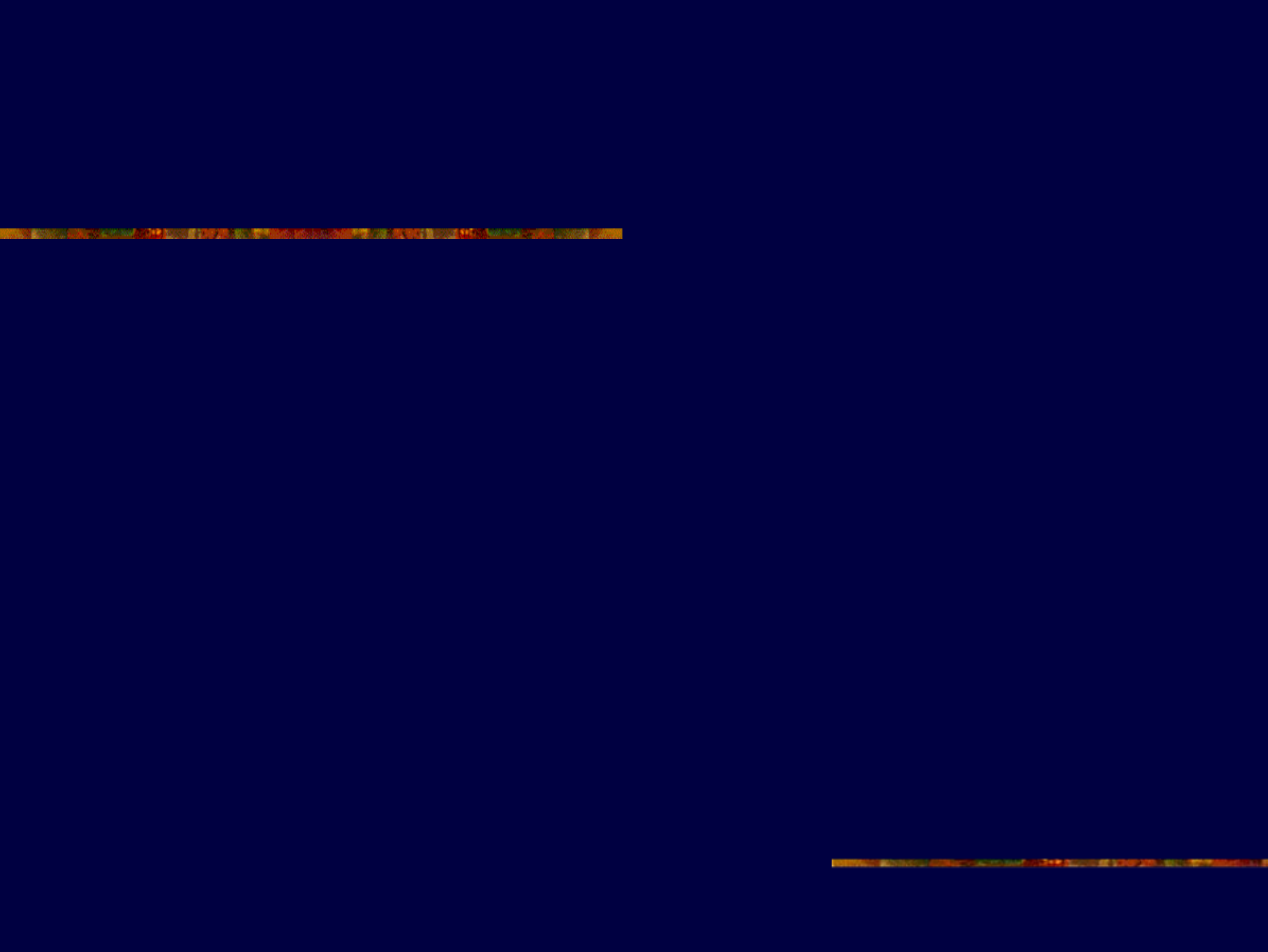
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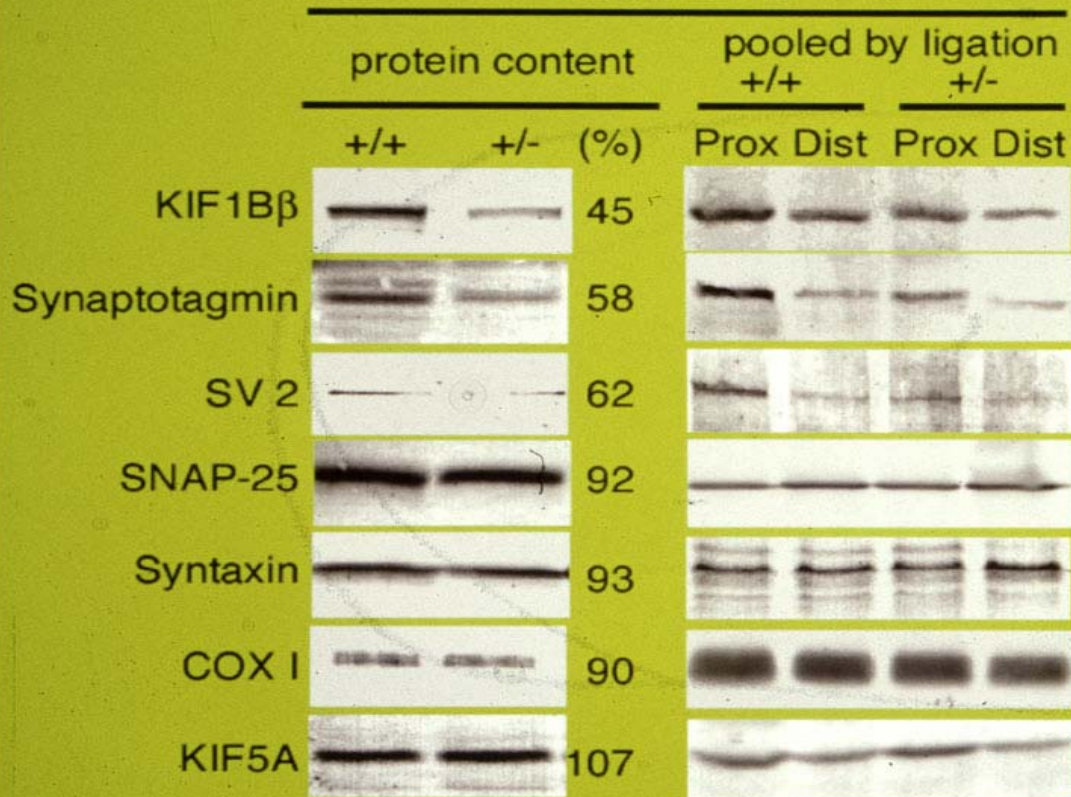
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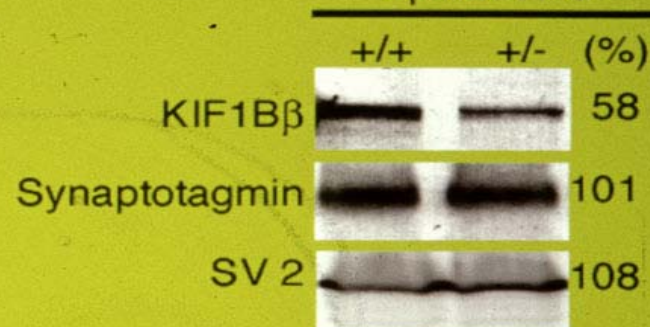
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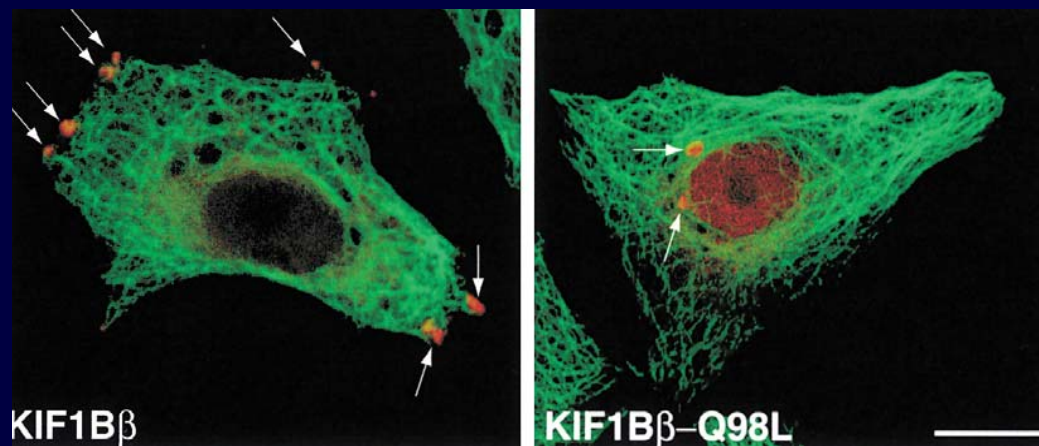
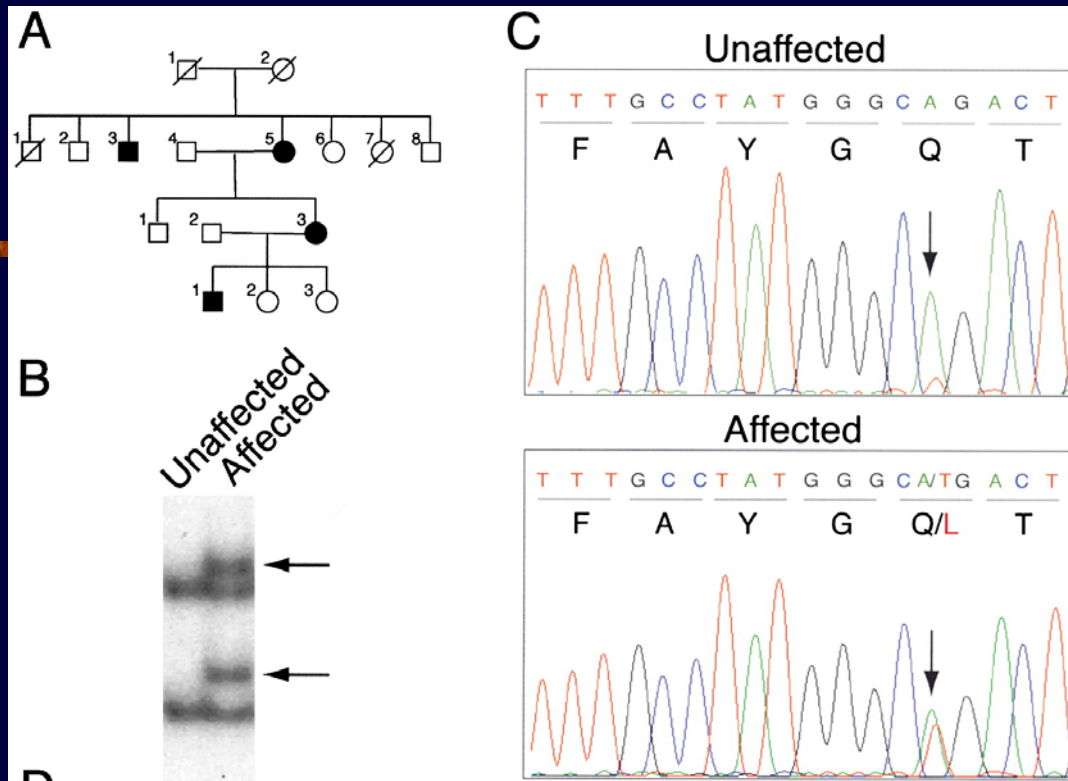


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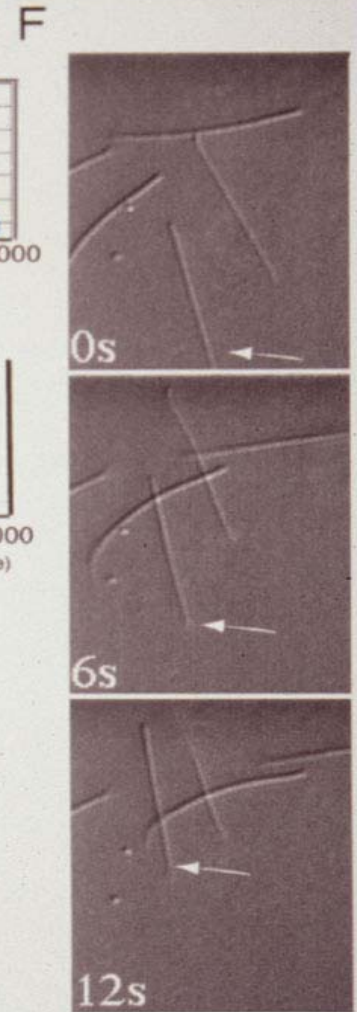
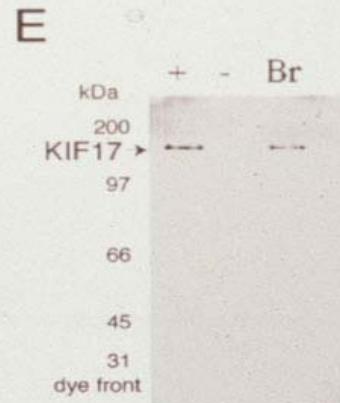
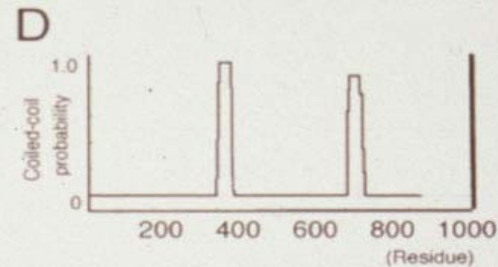
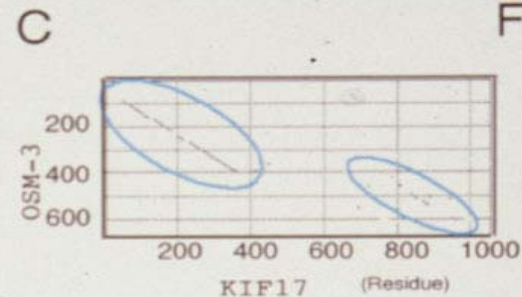
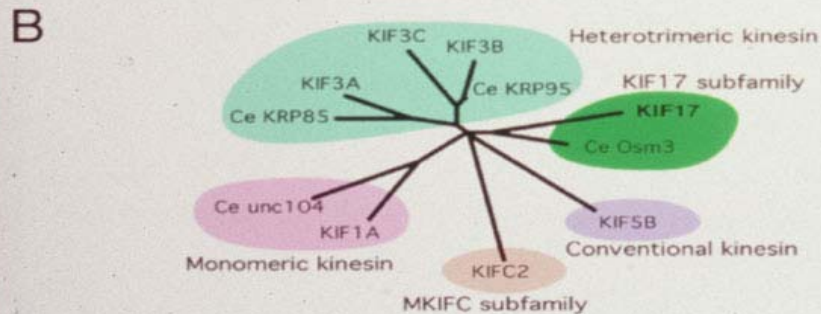


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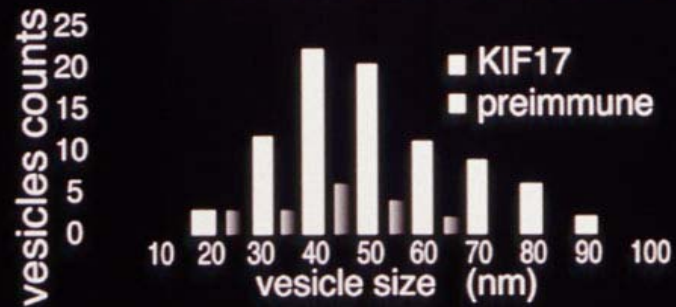
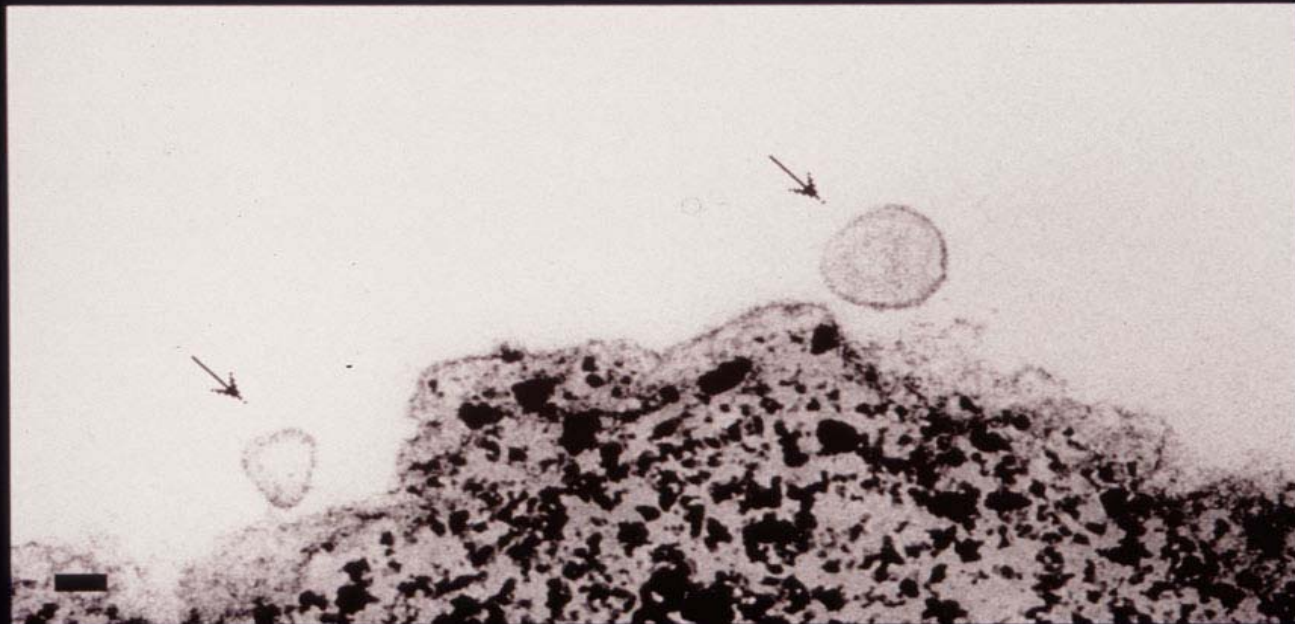


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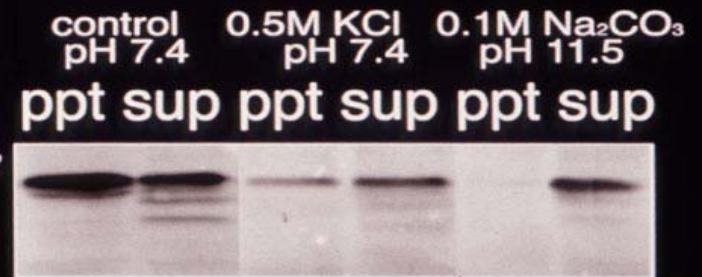
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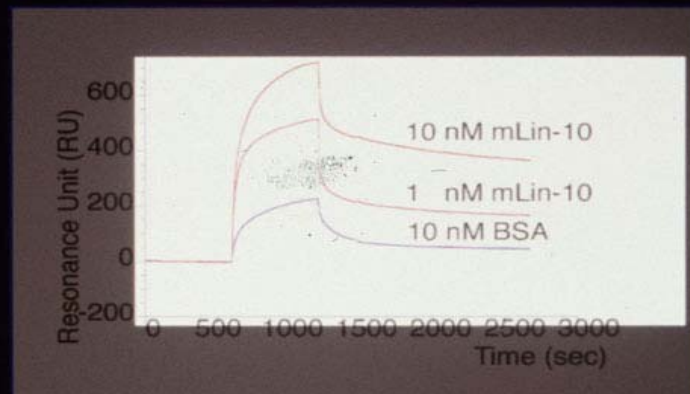
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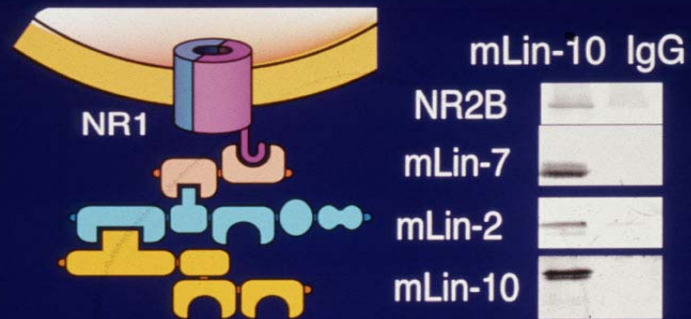
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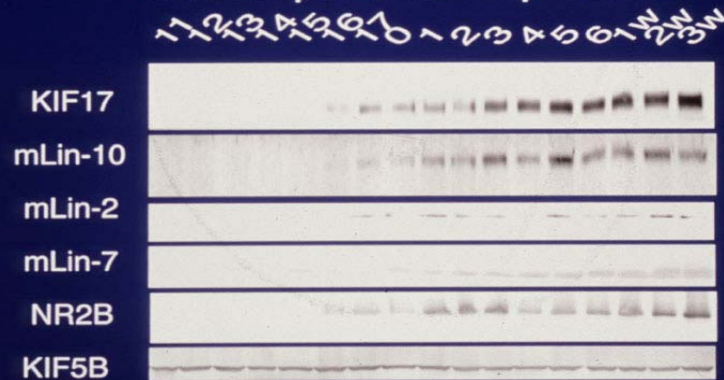
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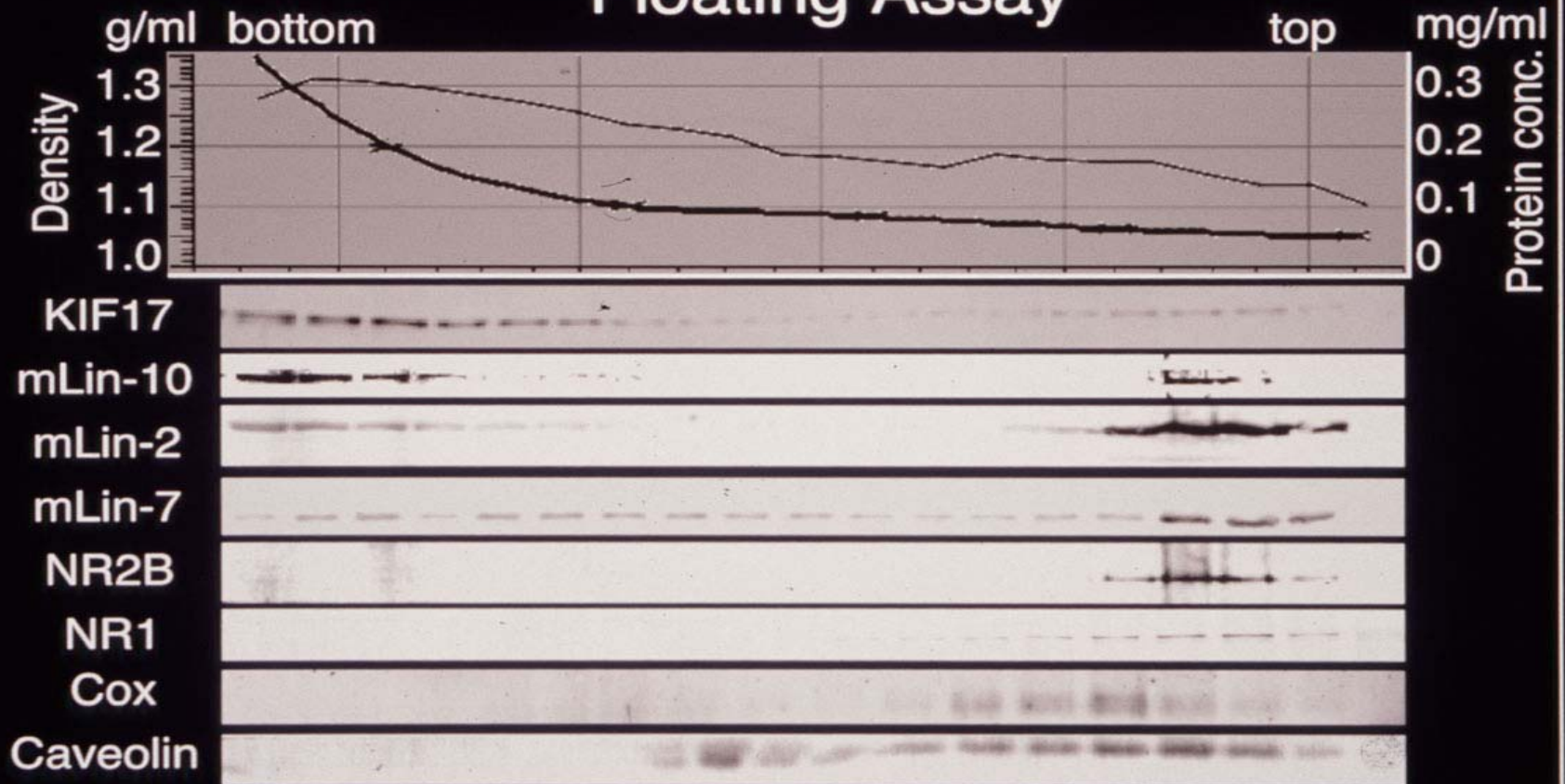
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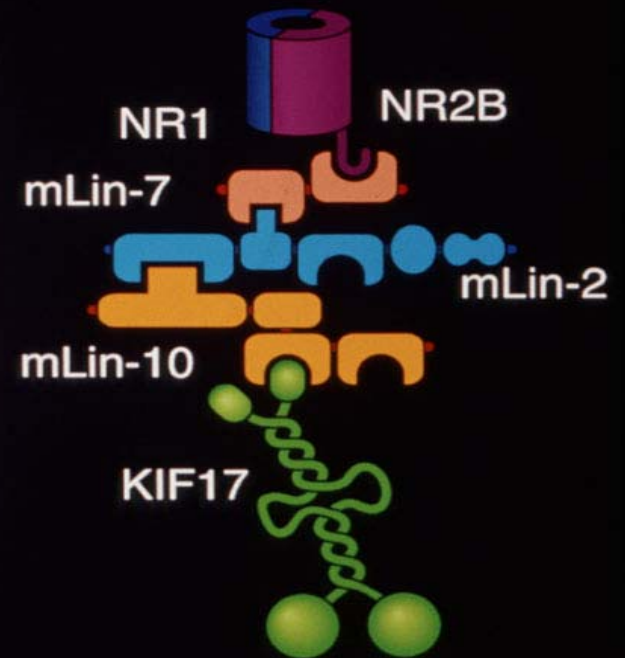
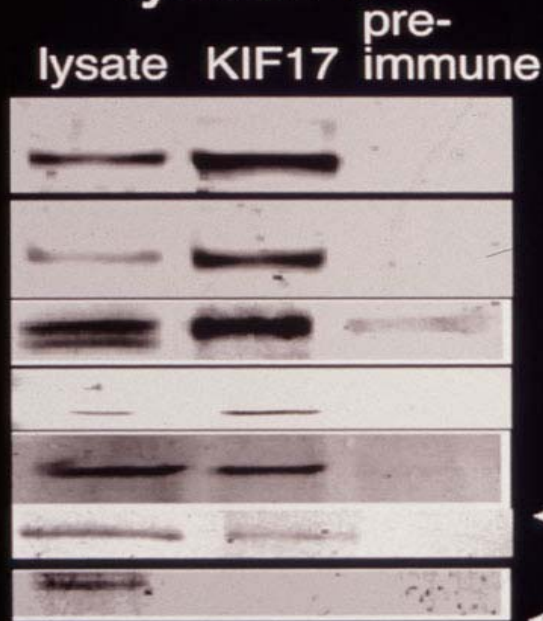
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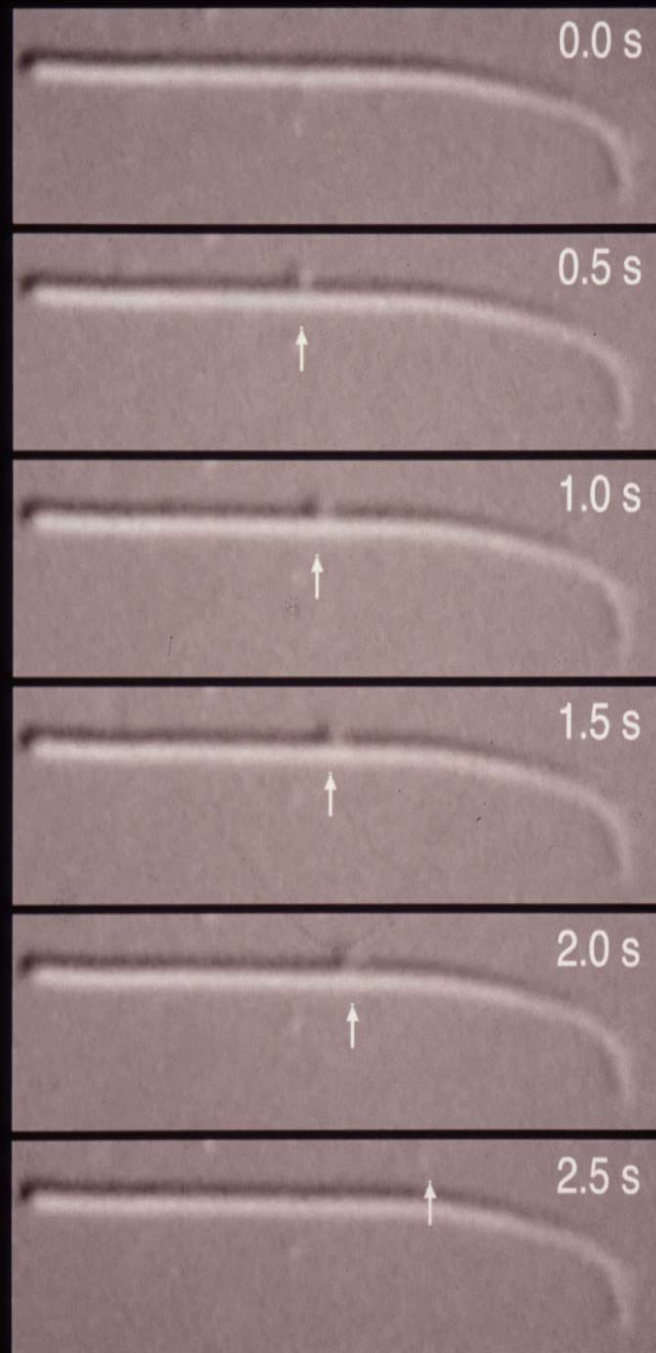


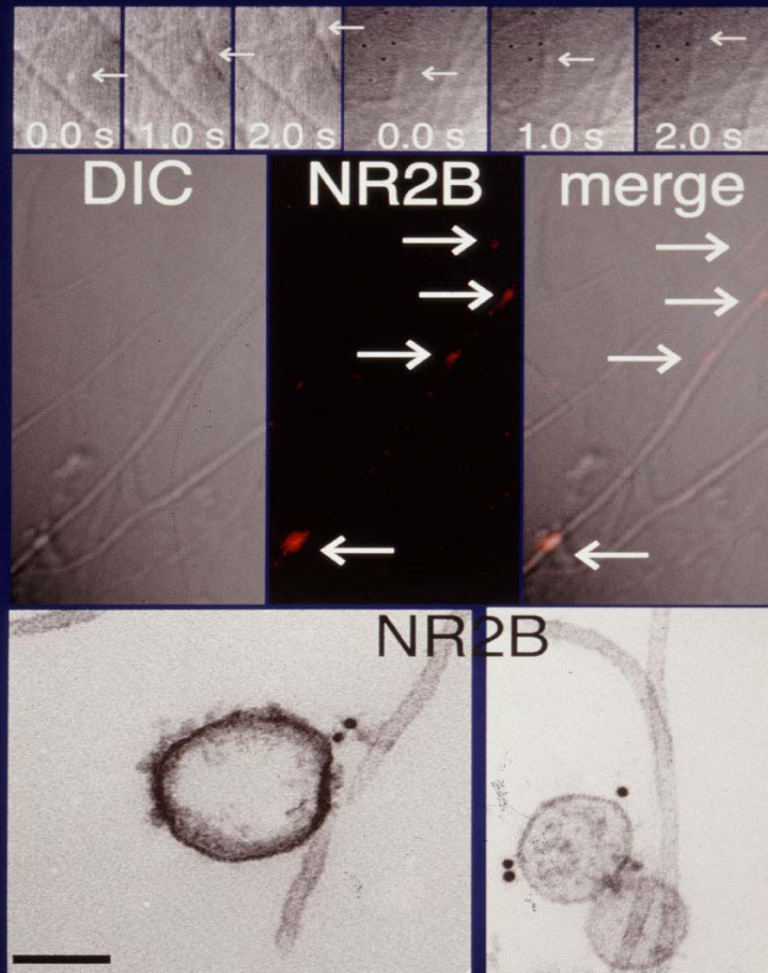
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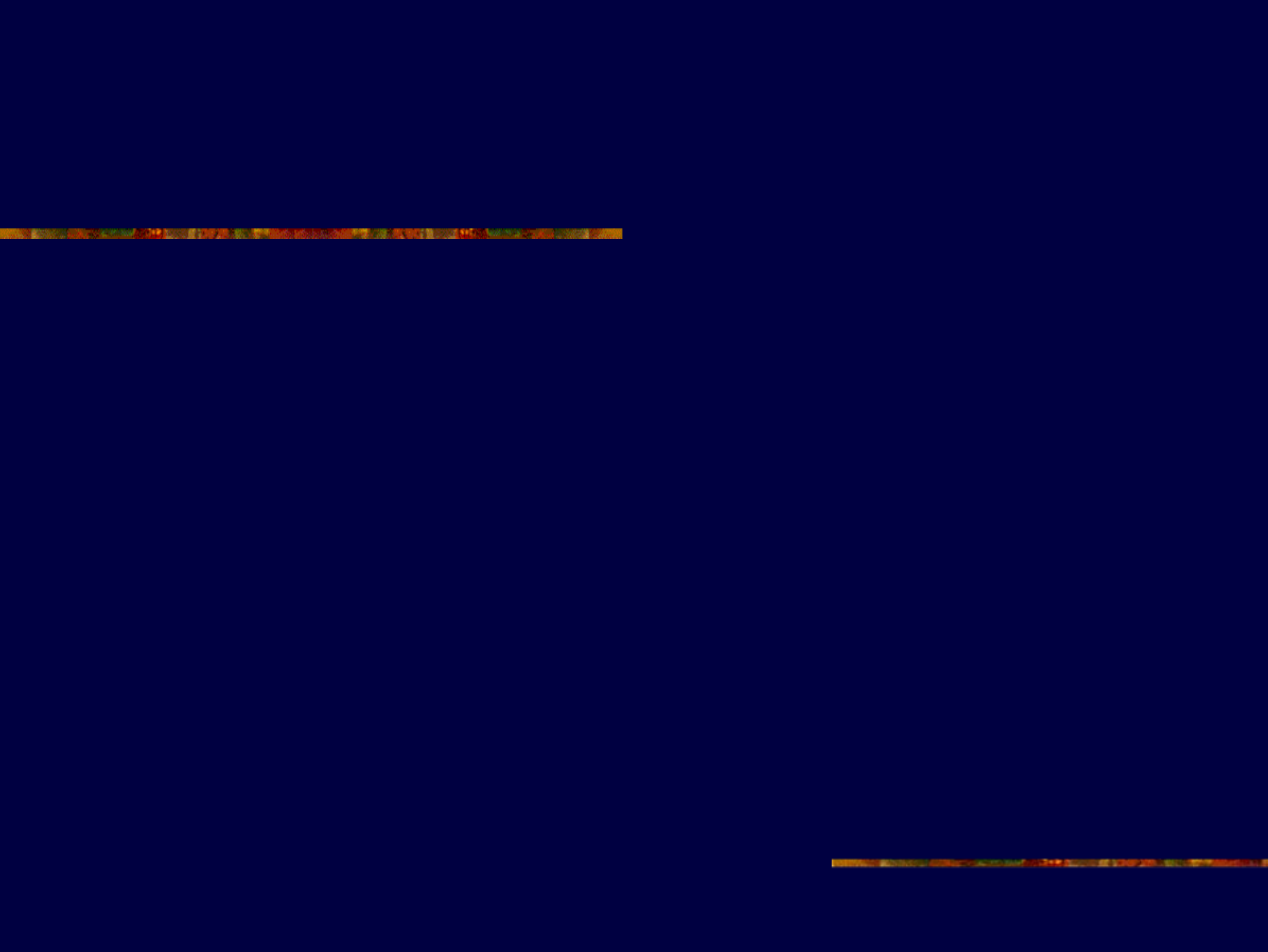
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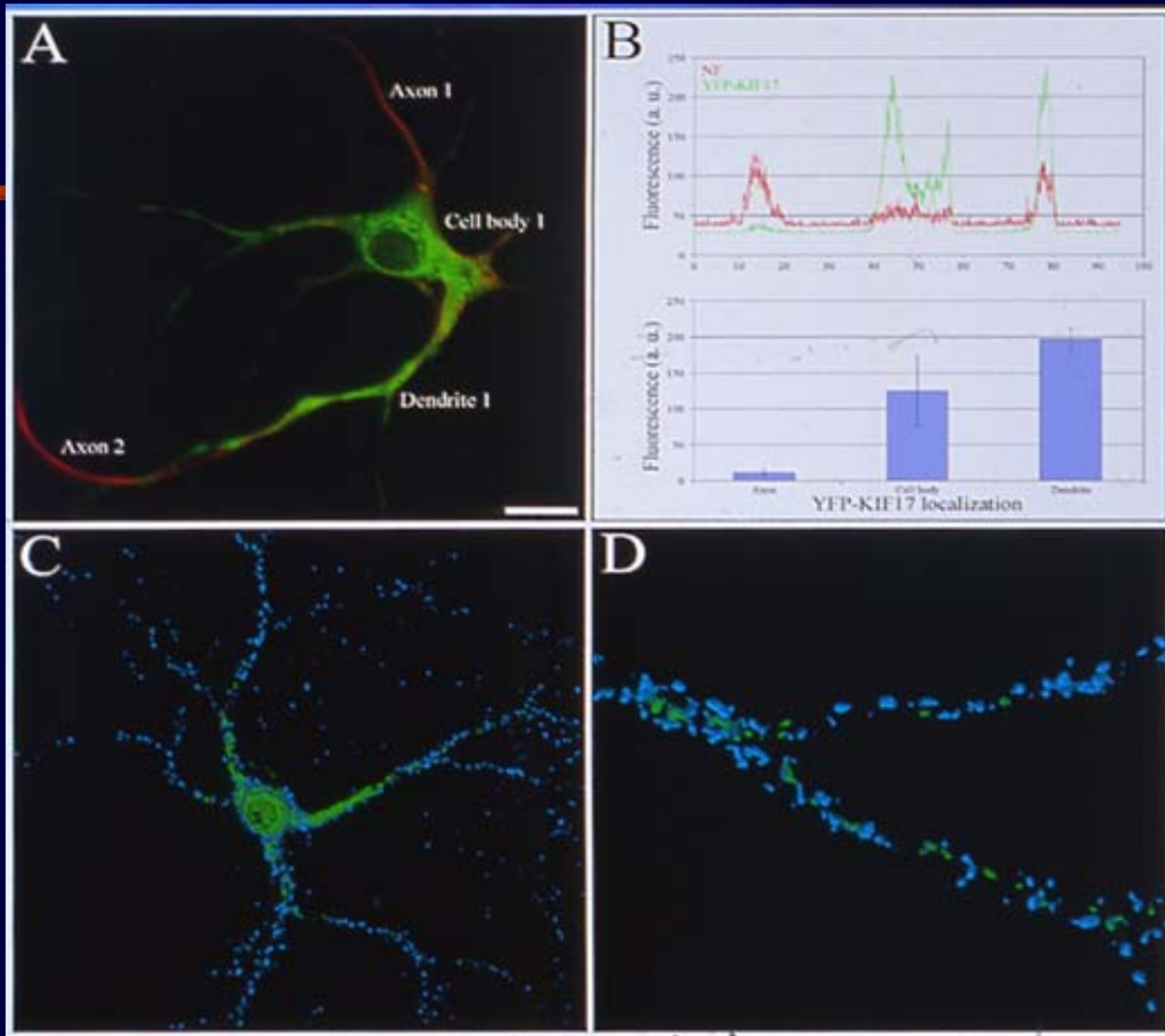
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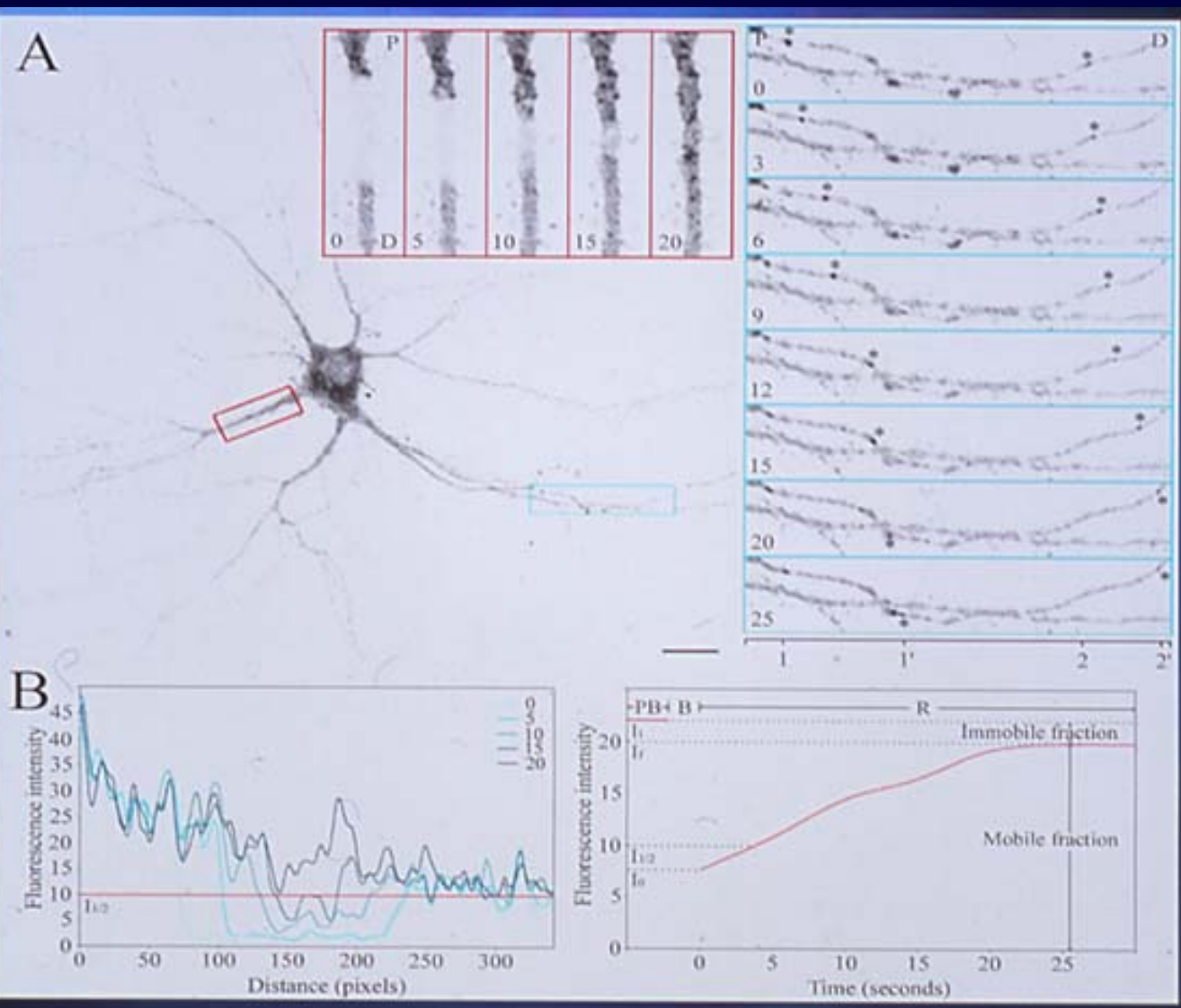


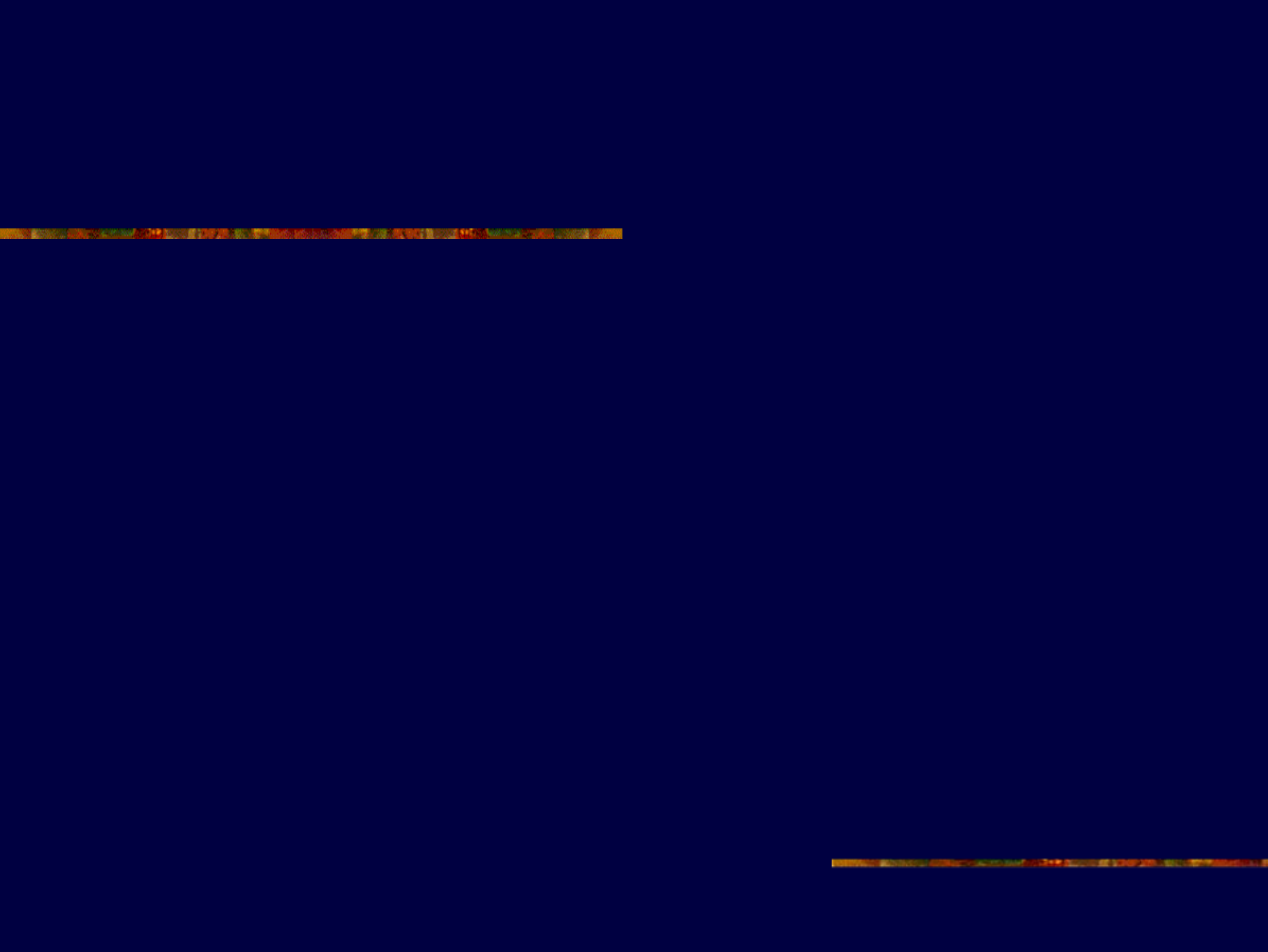


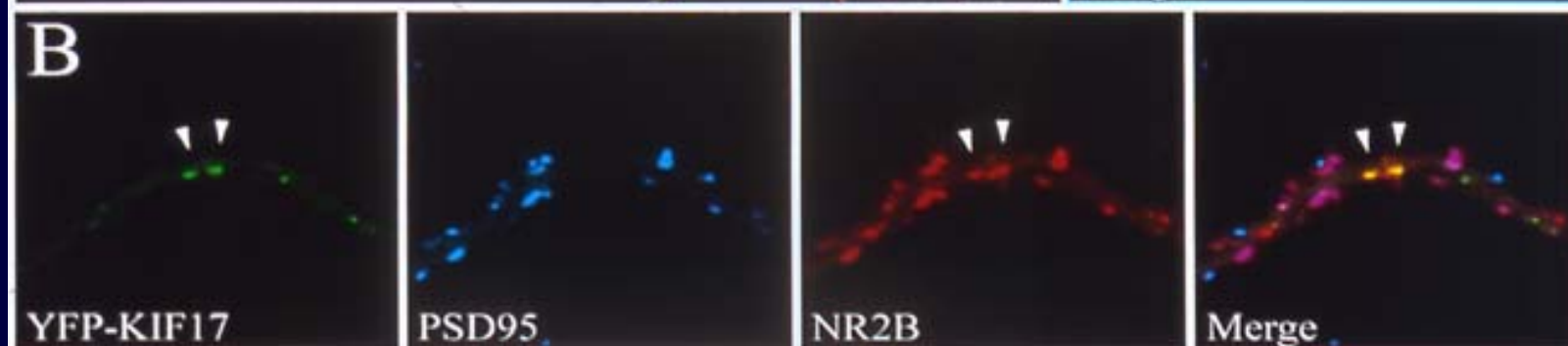
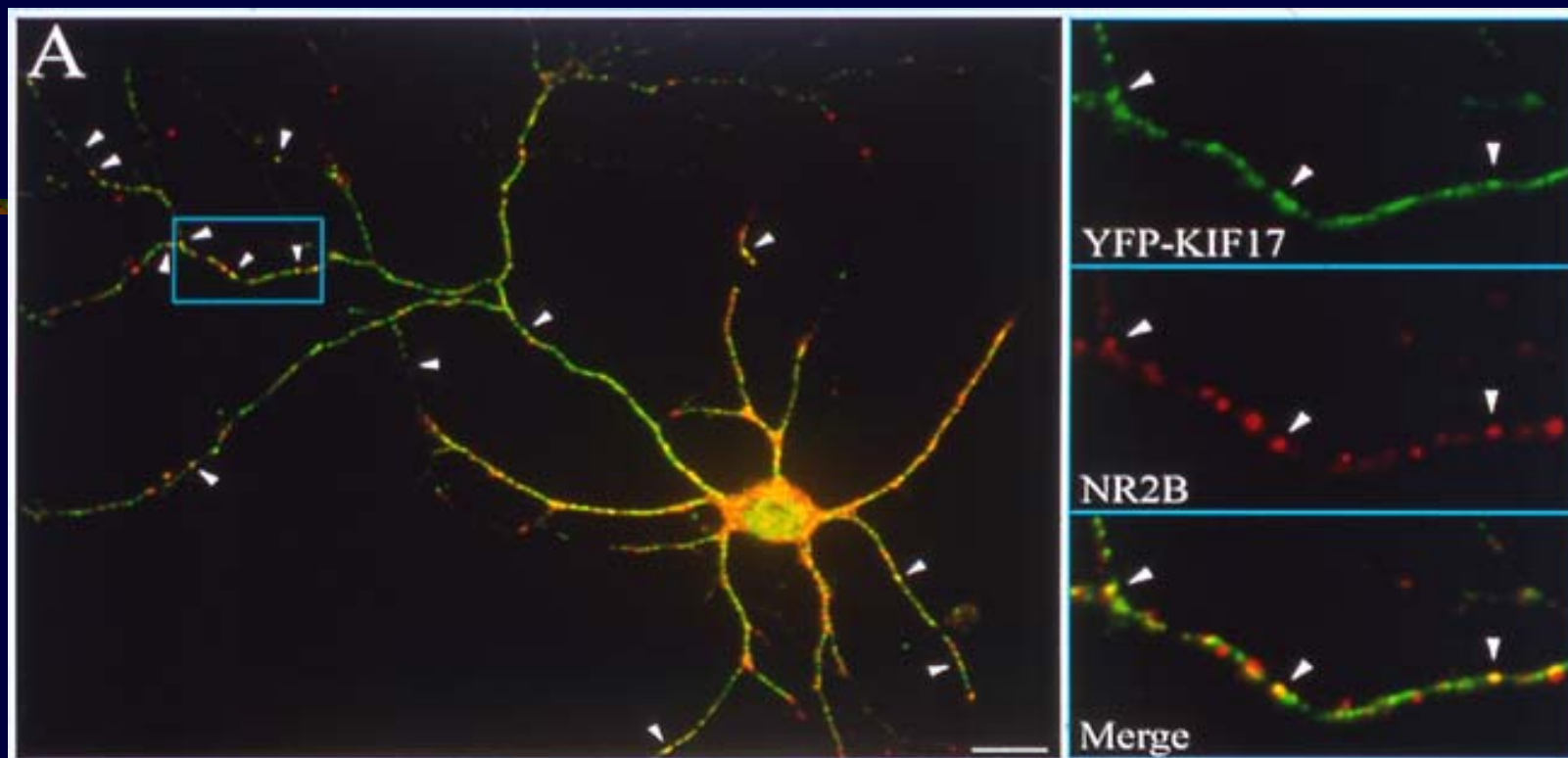


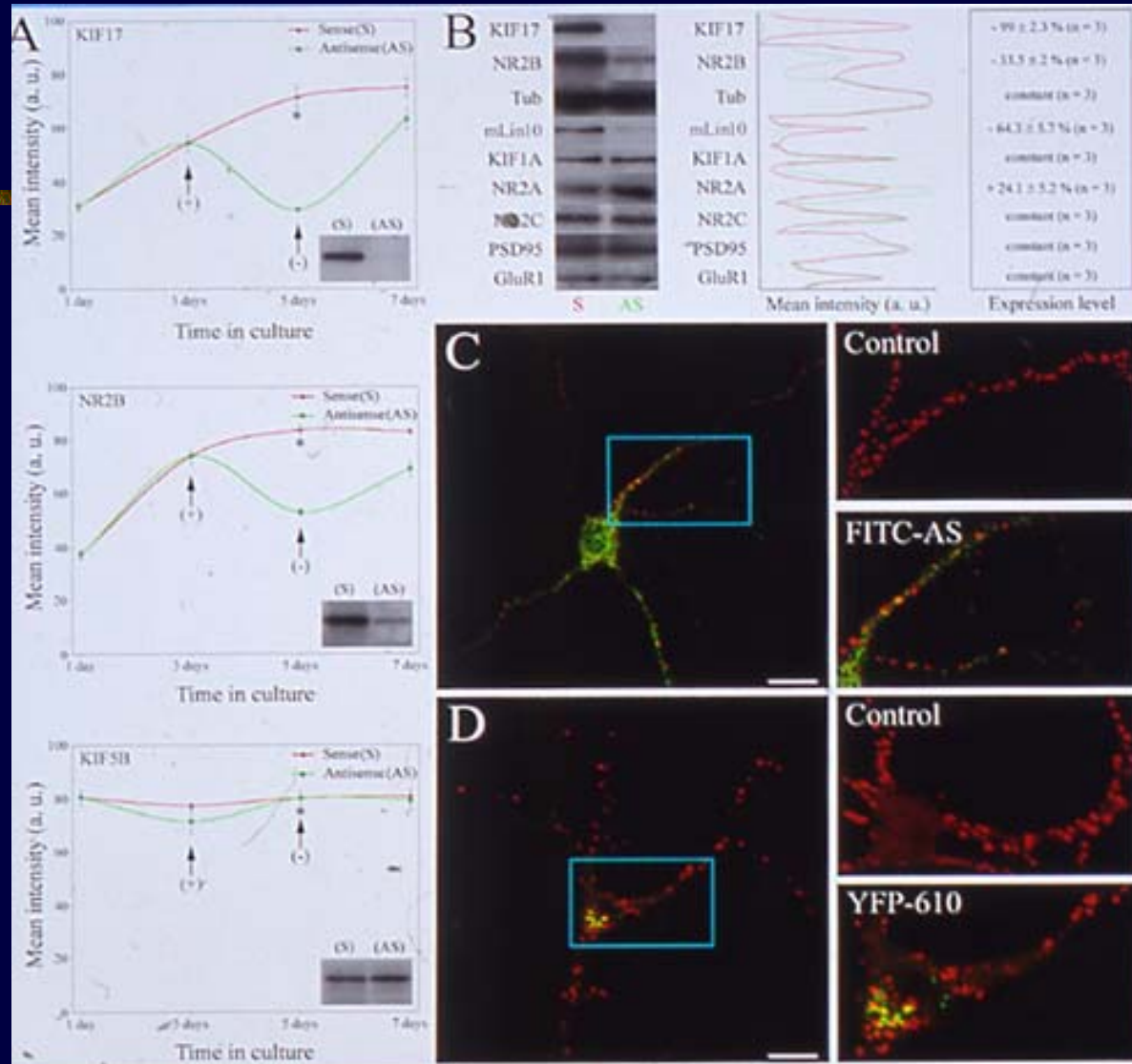


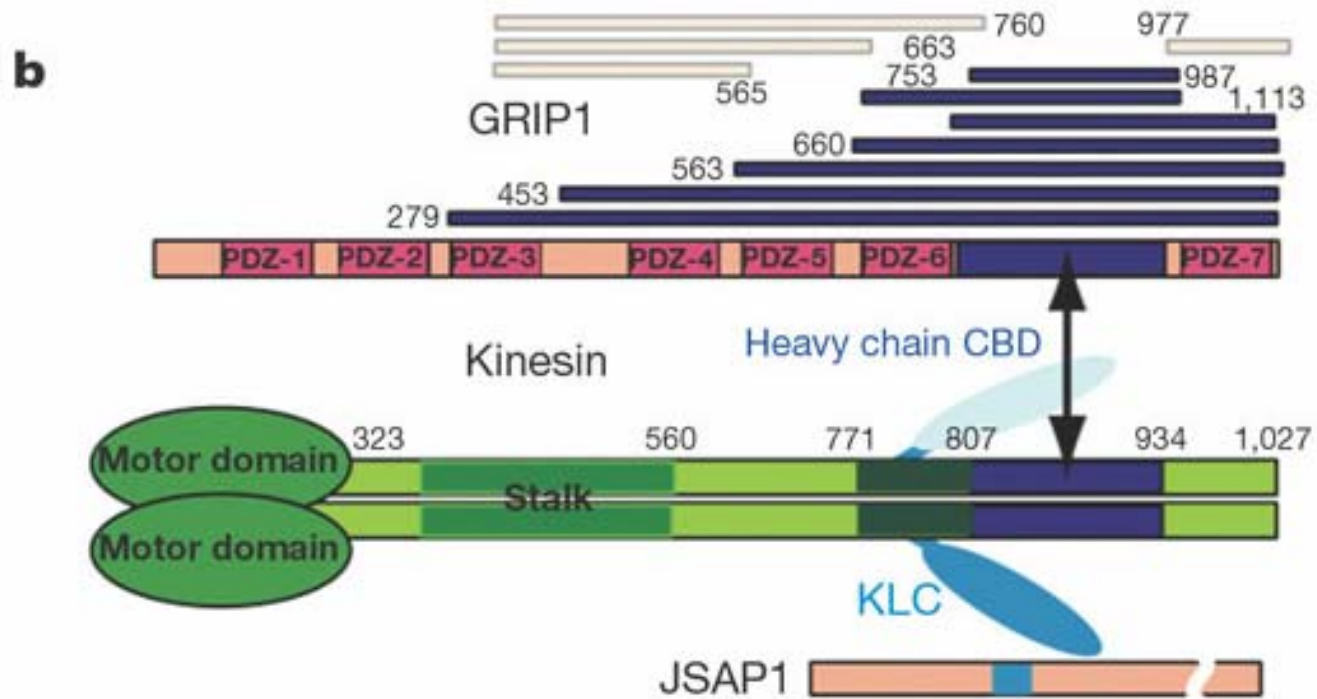
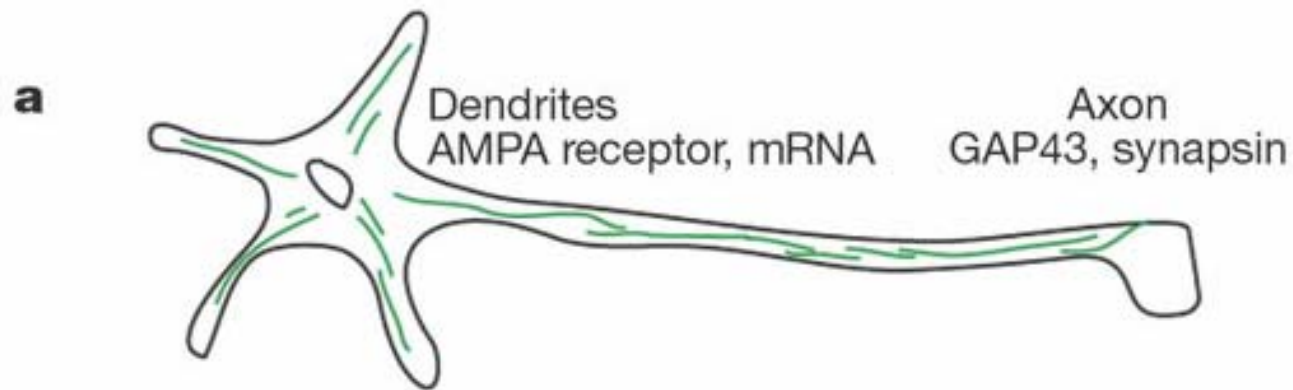


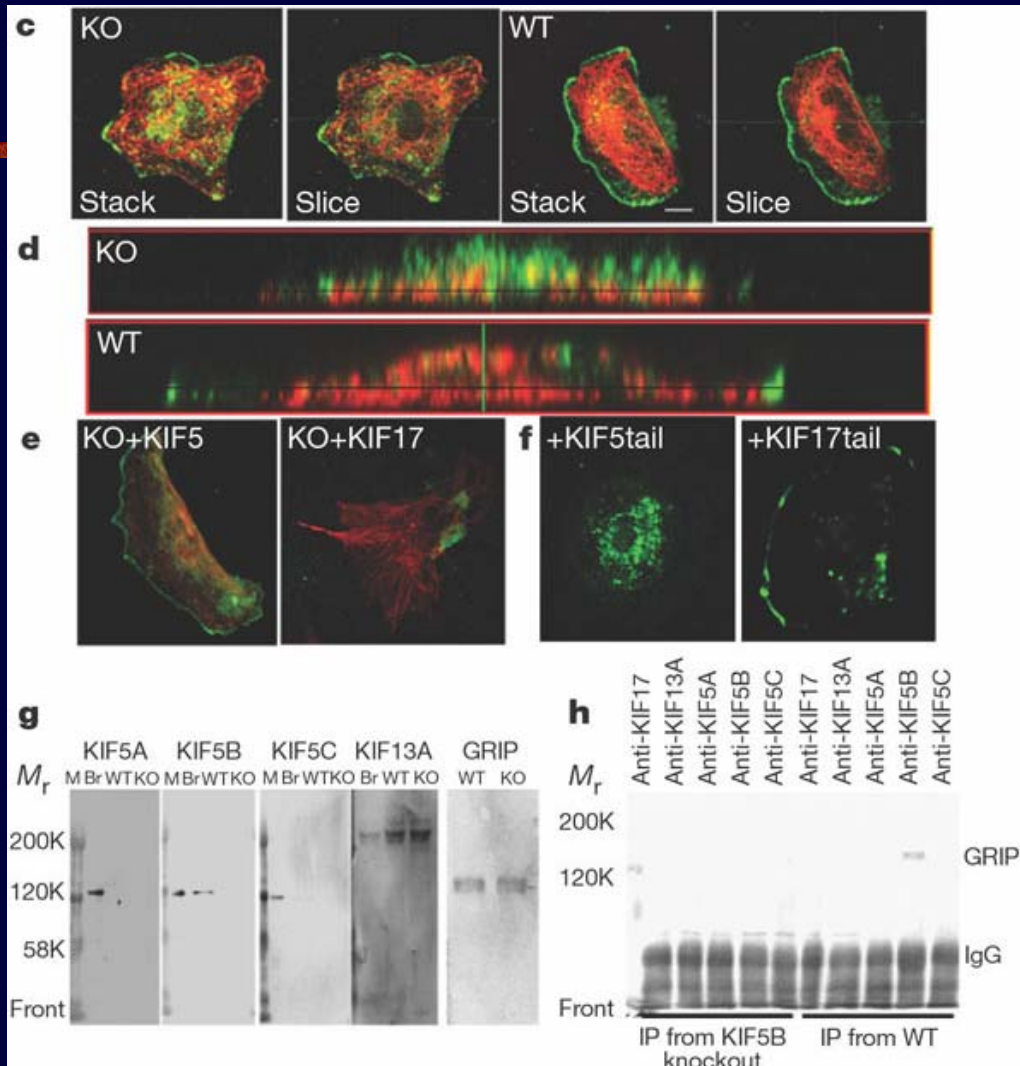


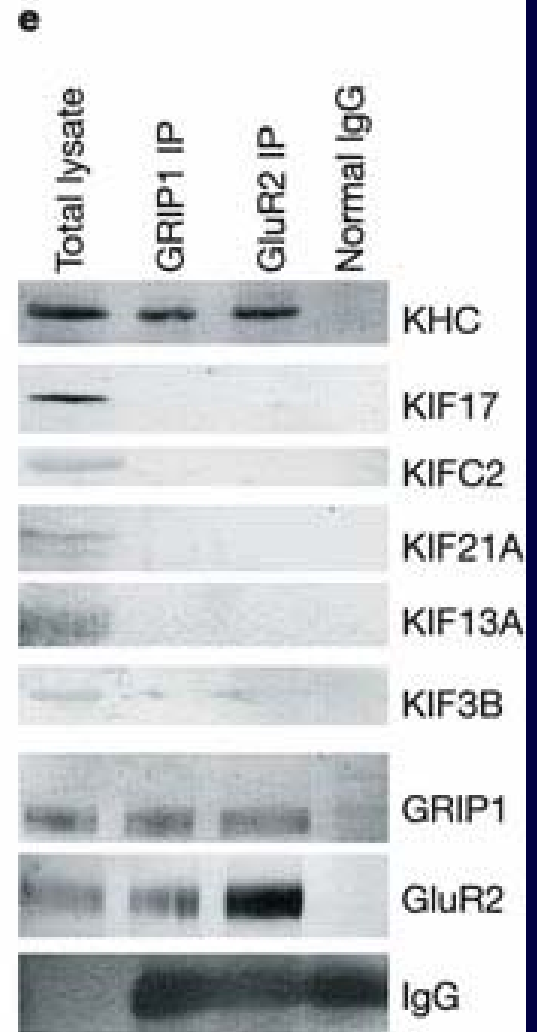
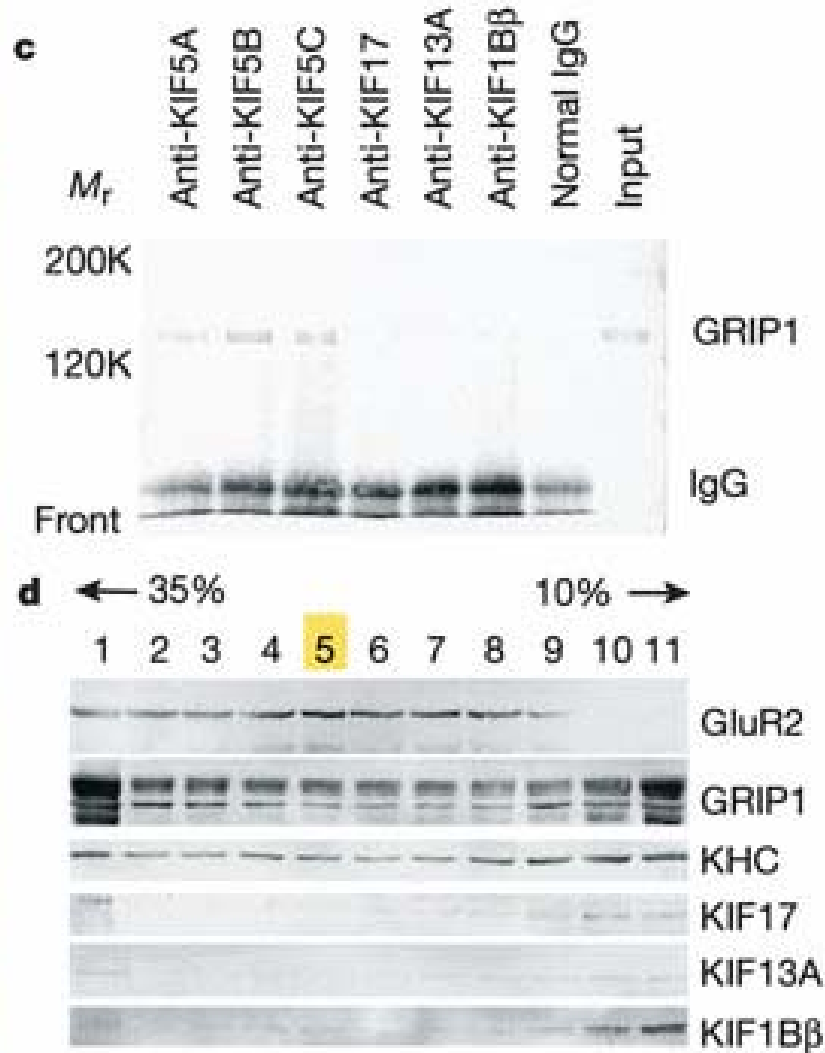
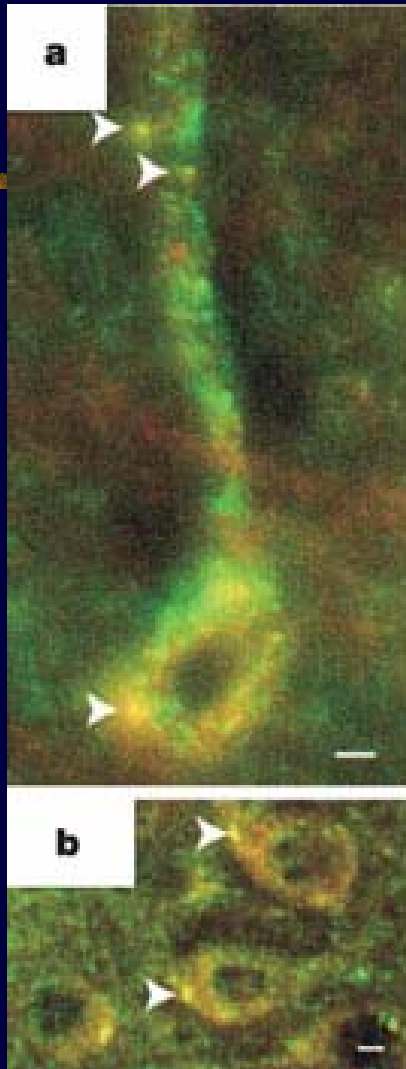


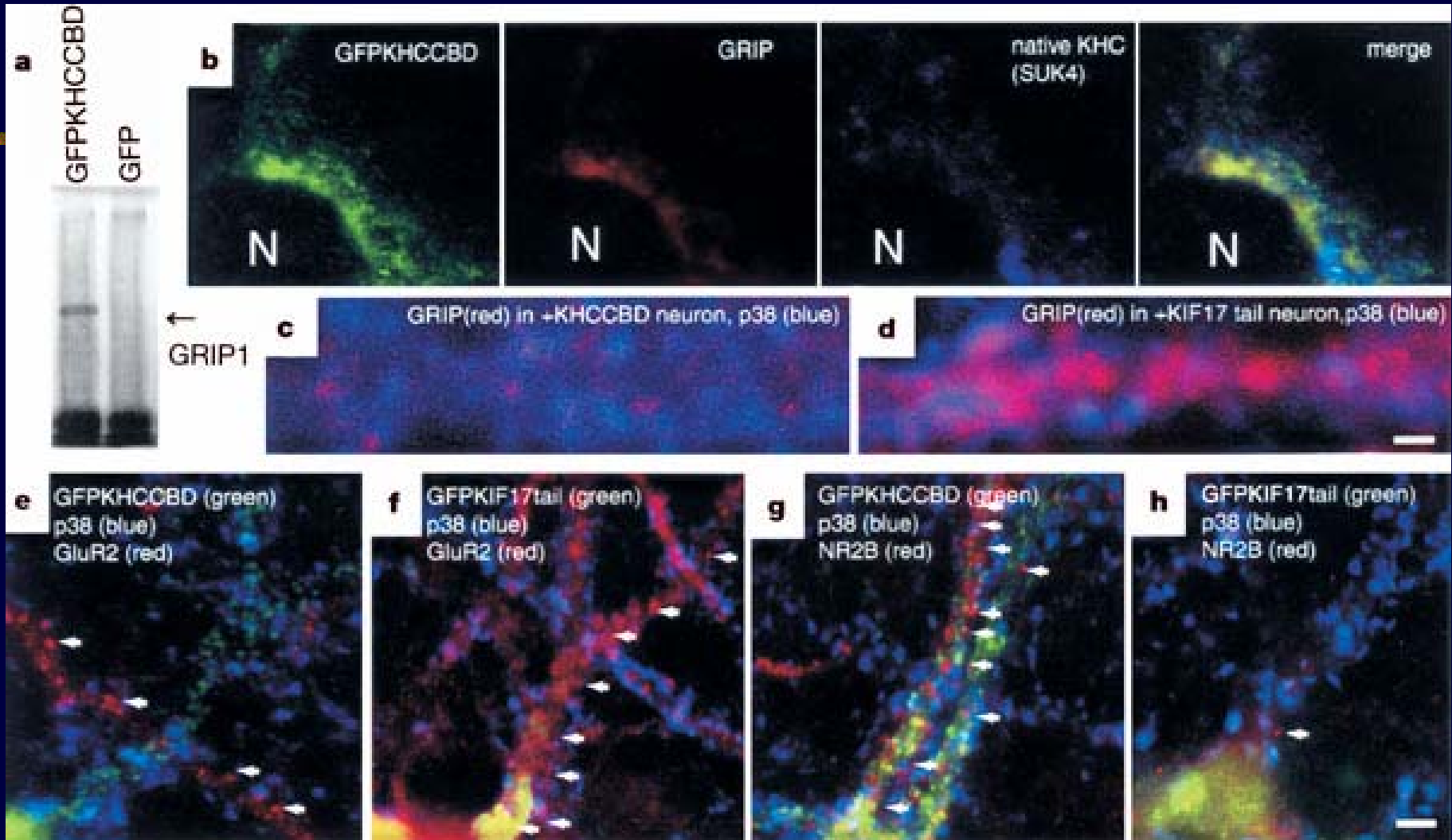


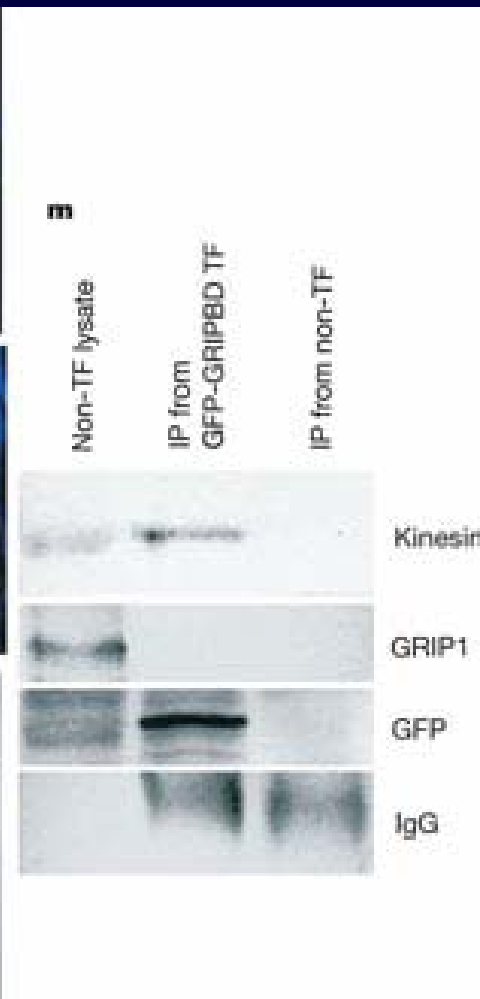
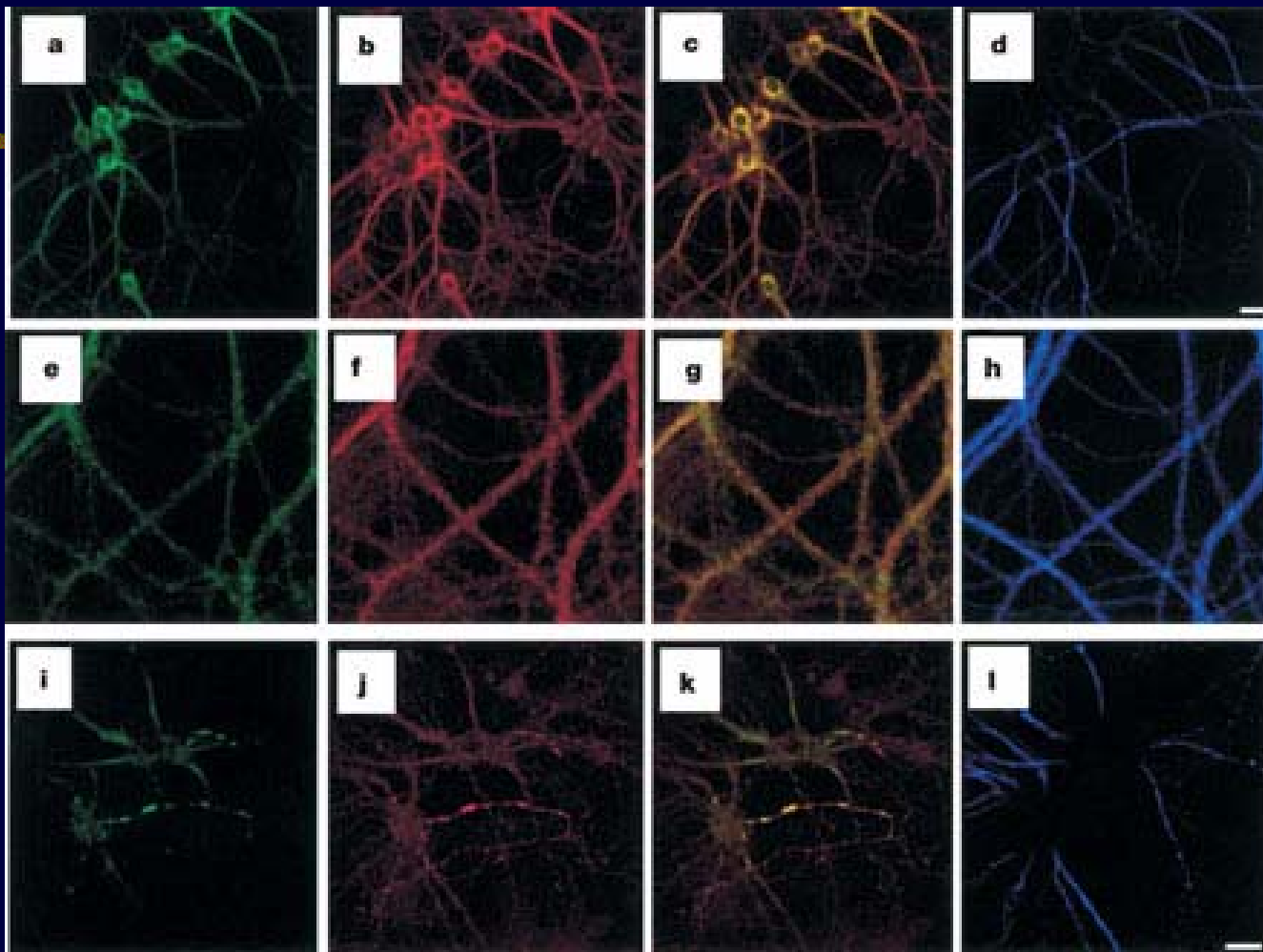












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AMPA Receptor

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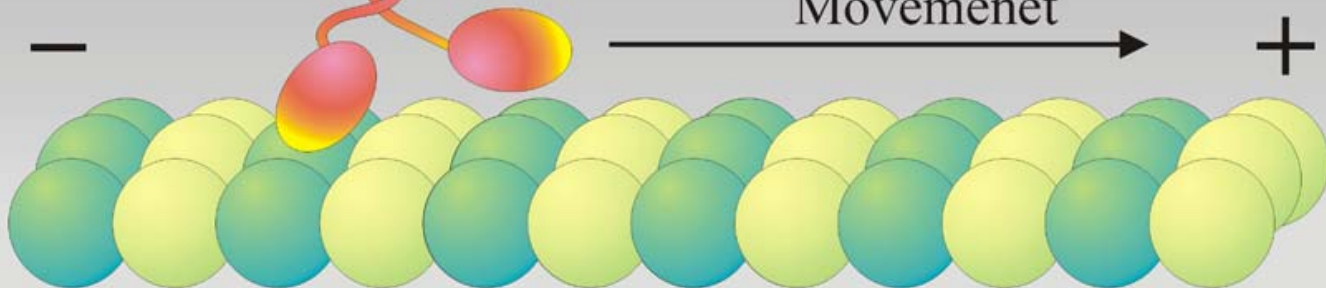
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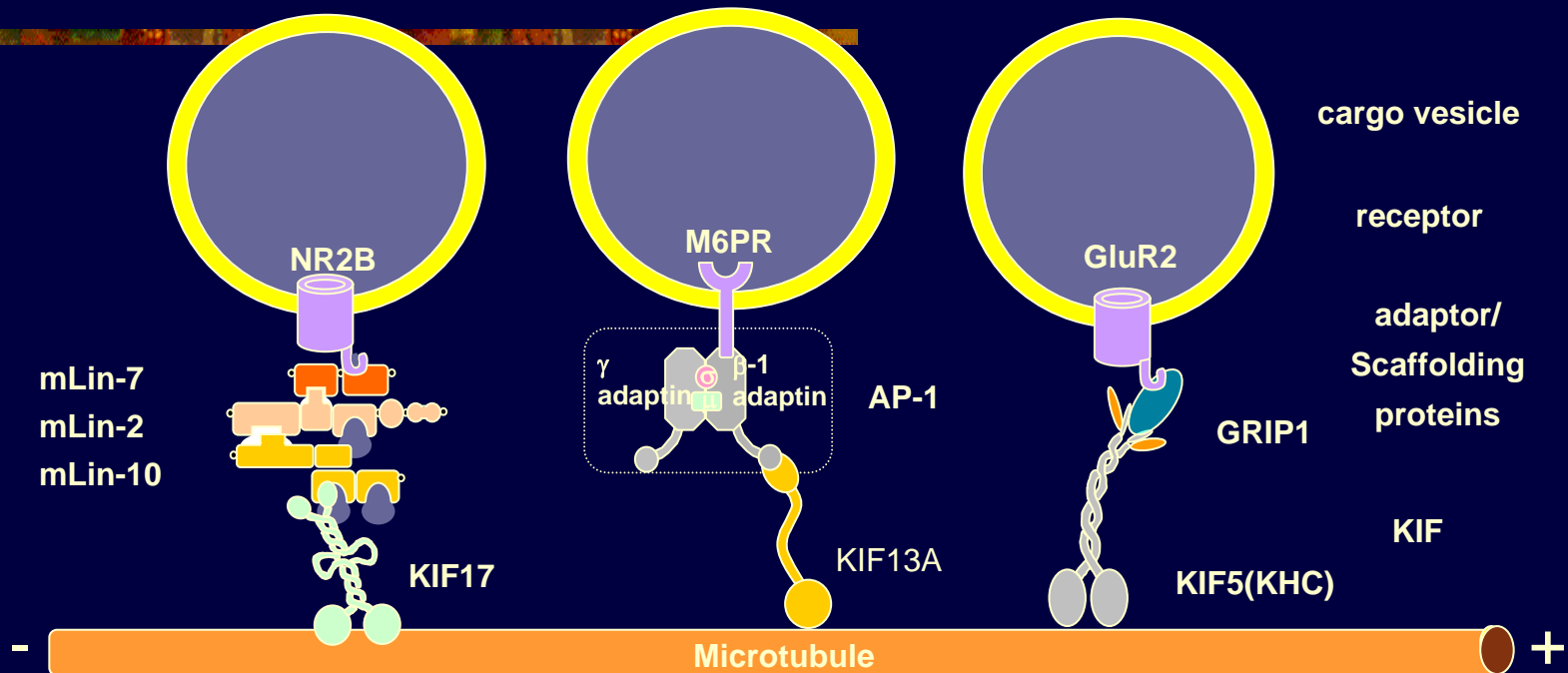
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KIF5

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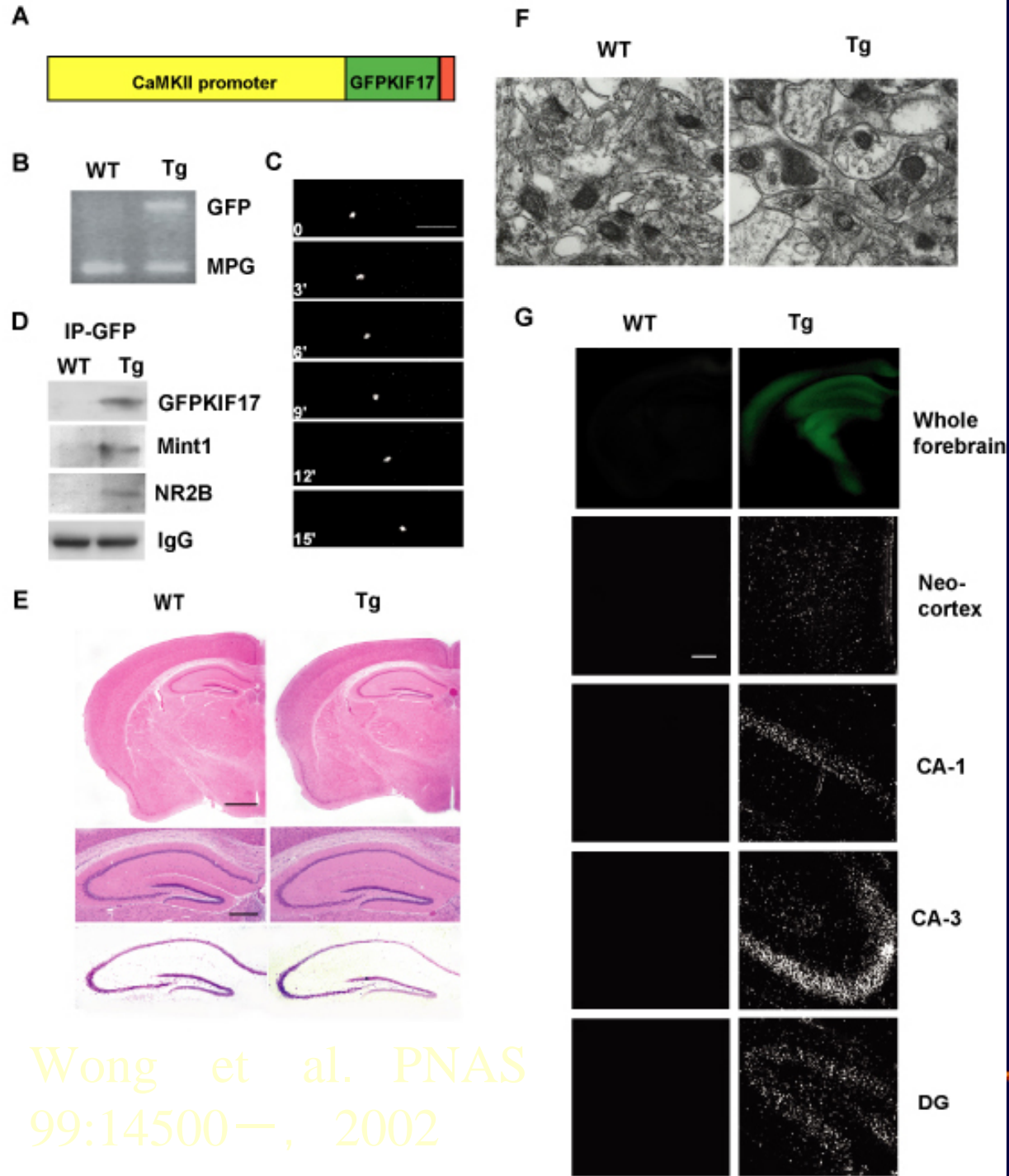


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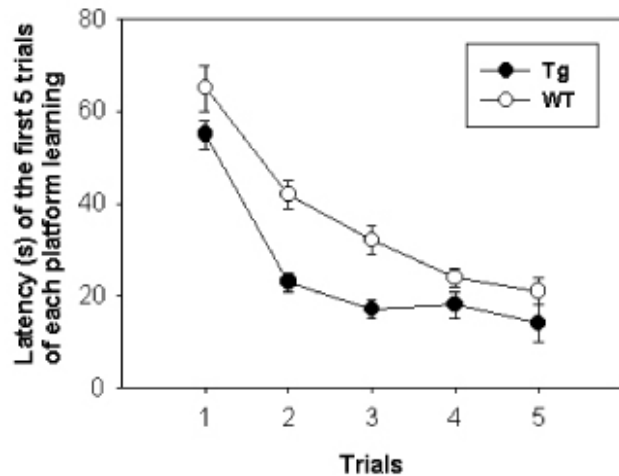
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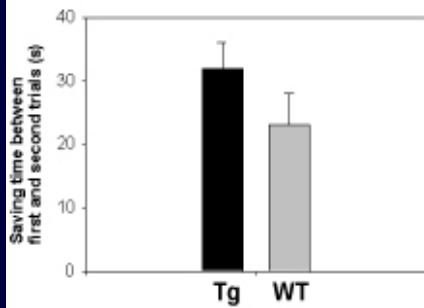


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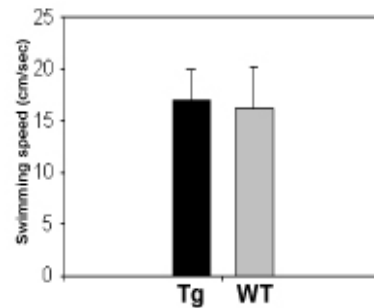
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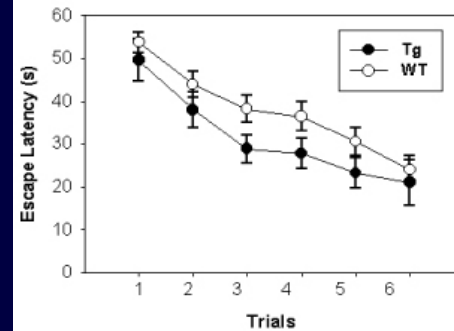


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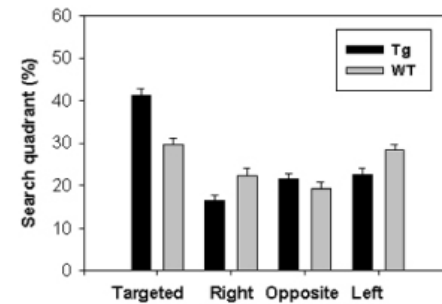


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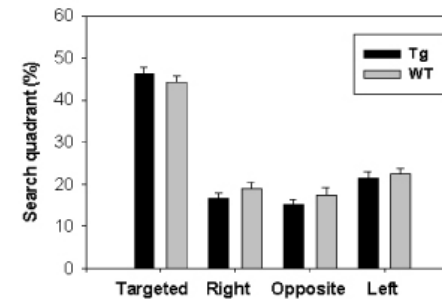
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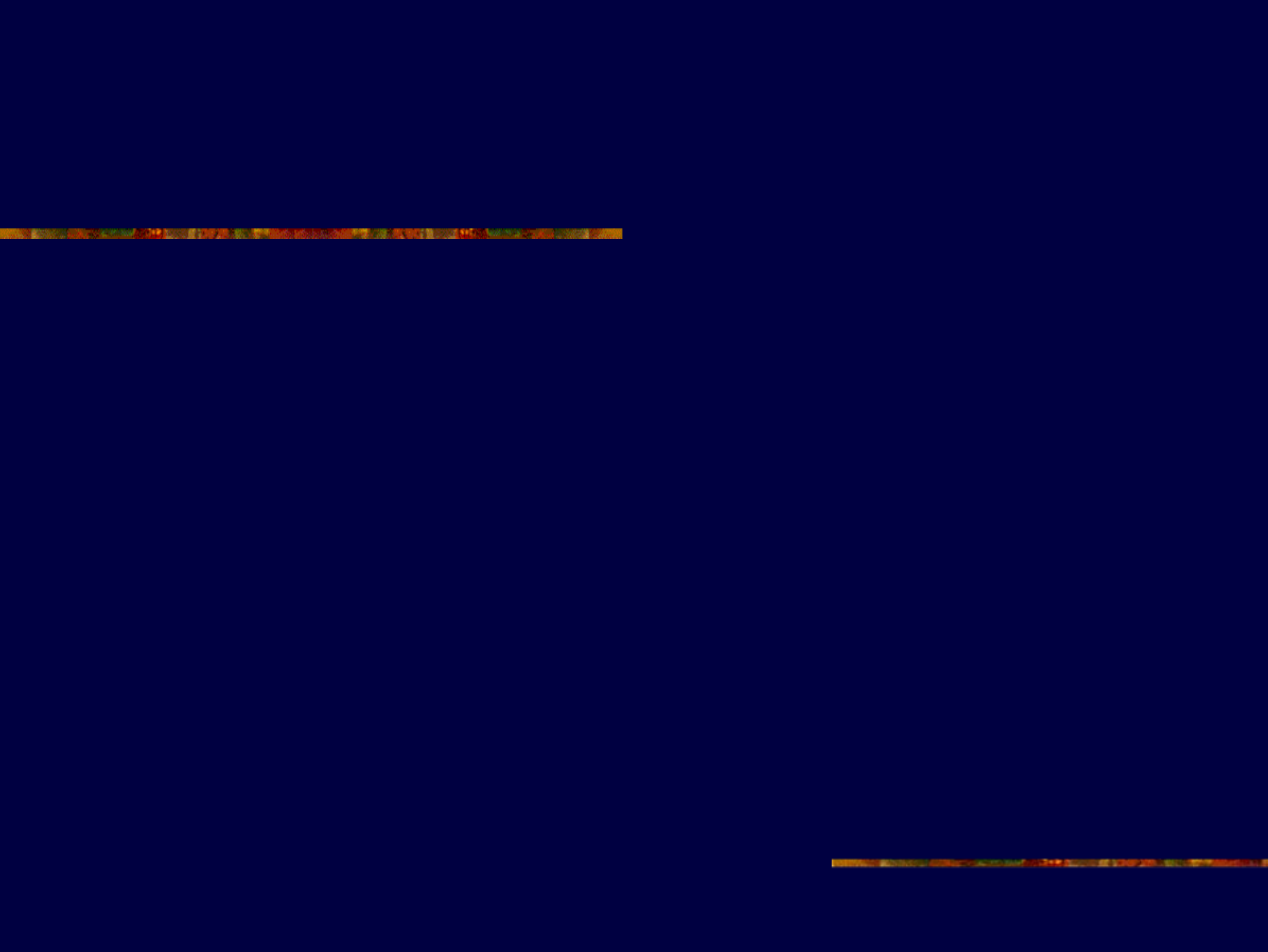
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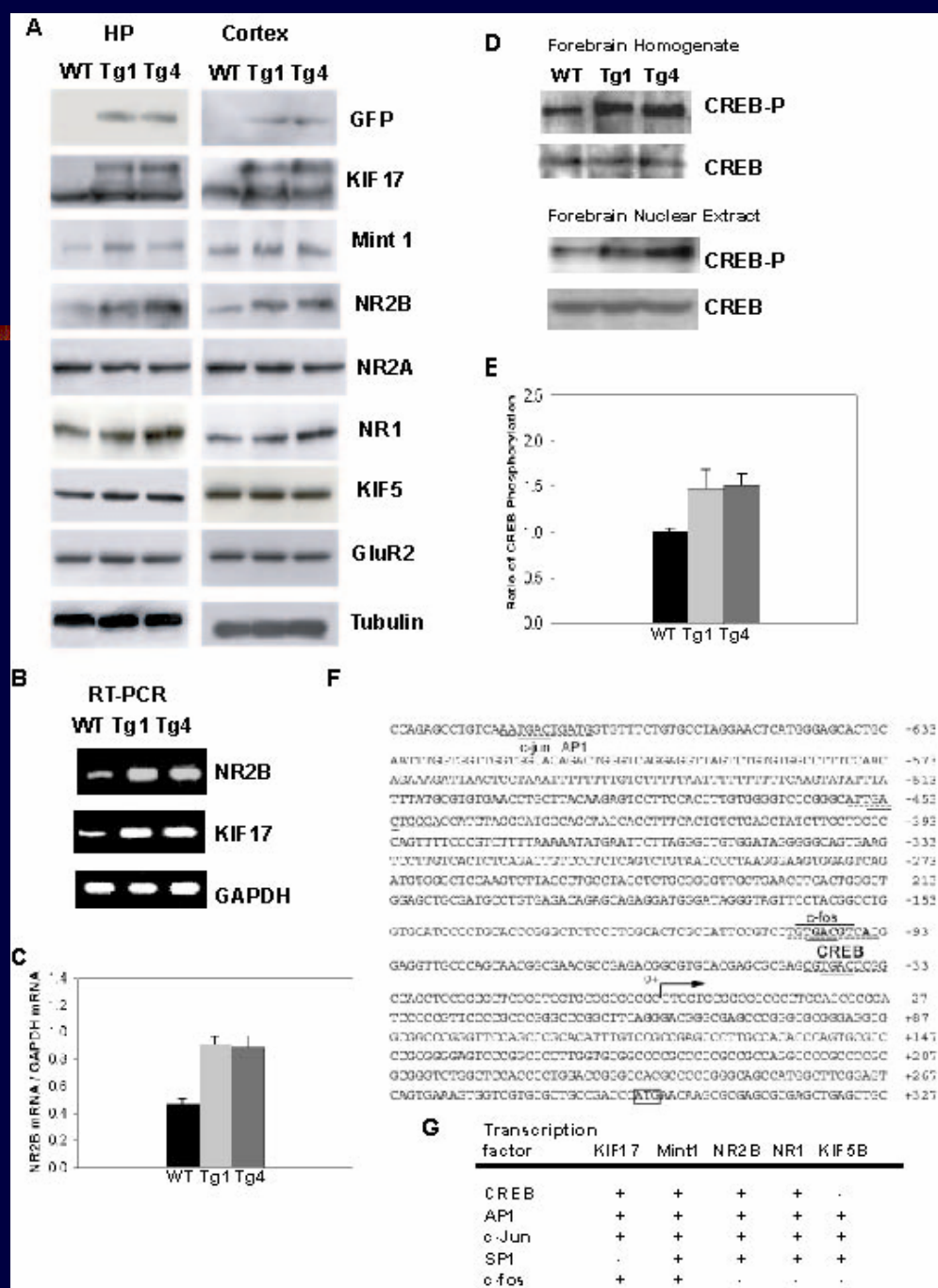


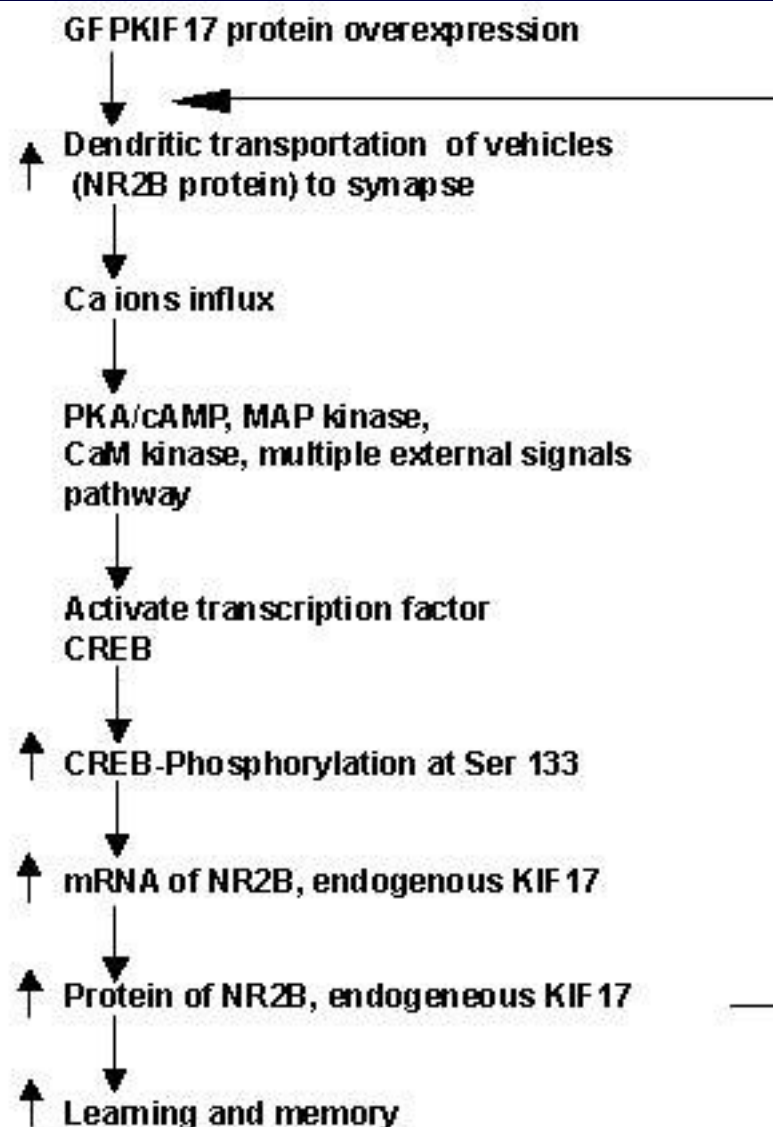
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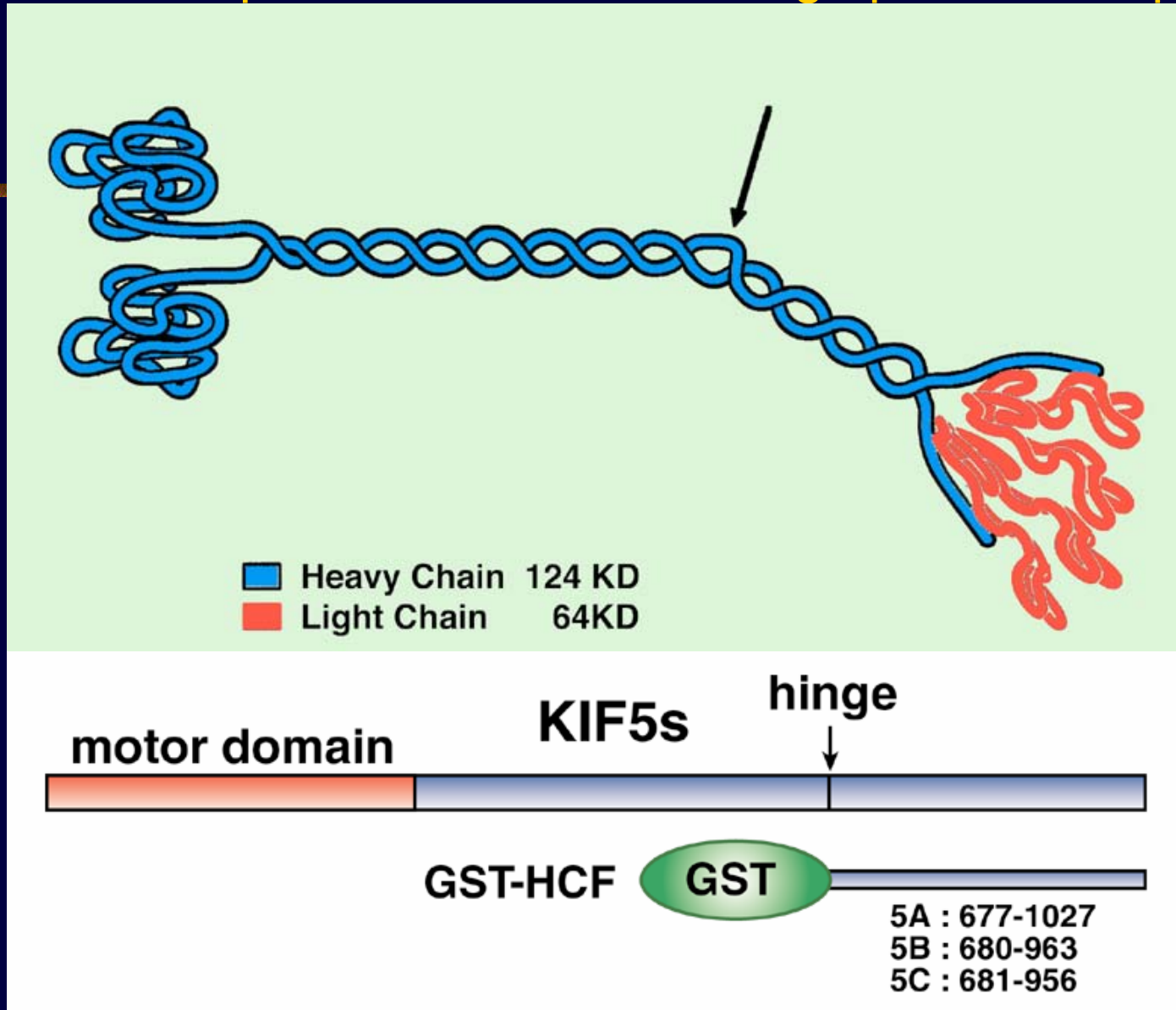


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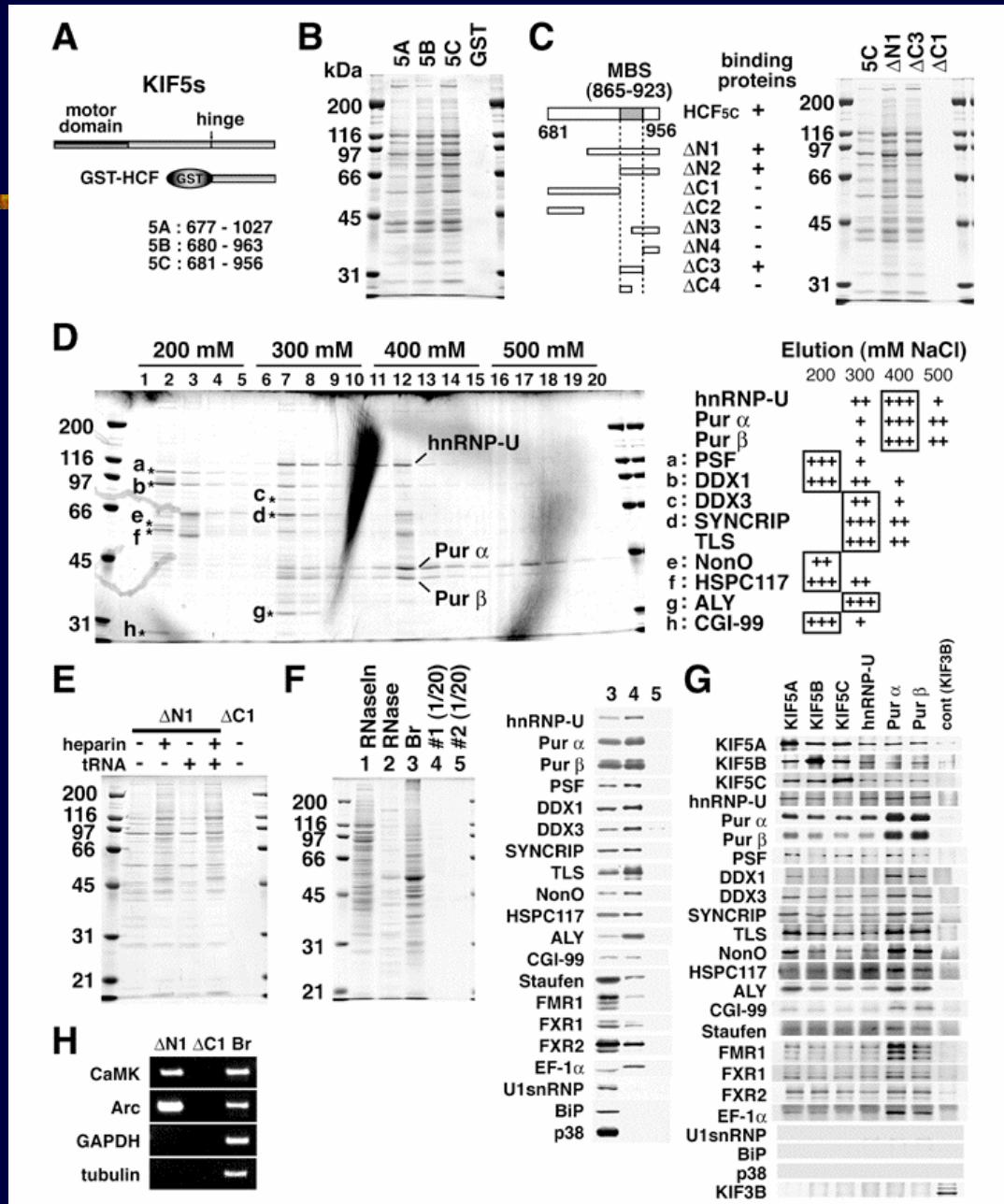
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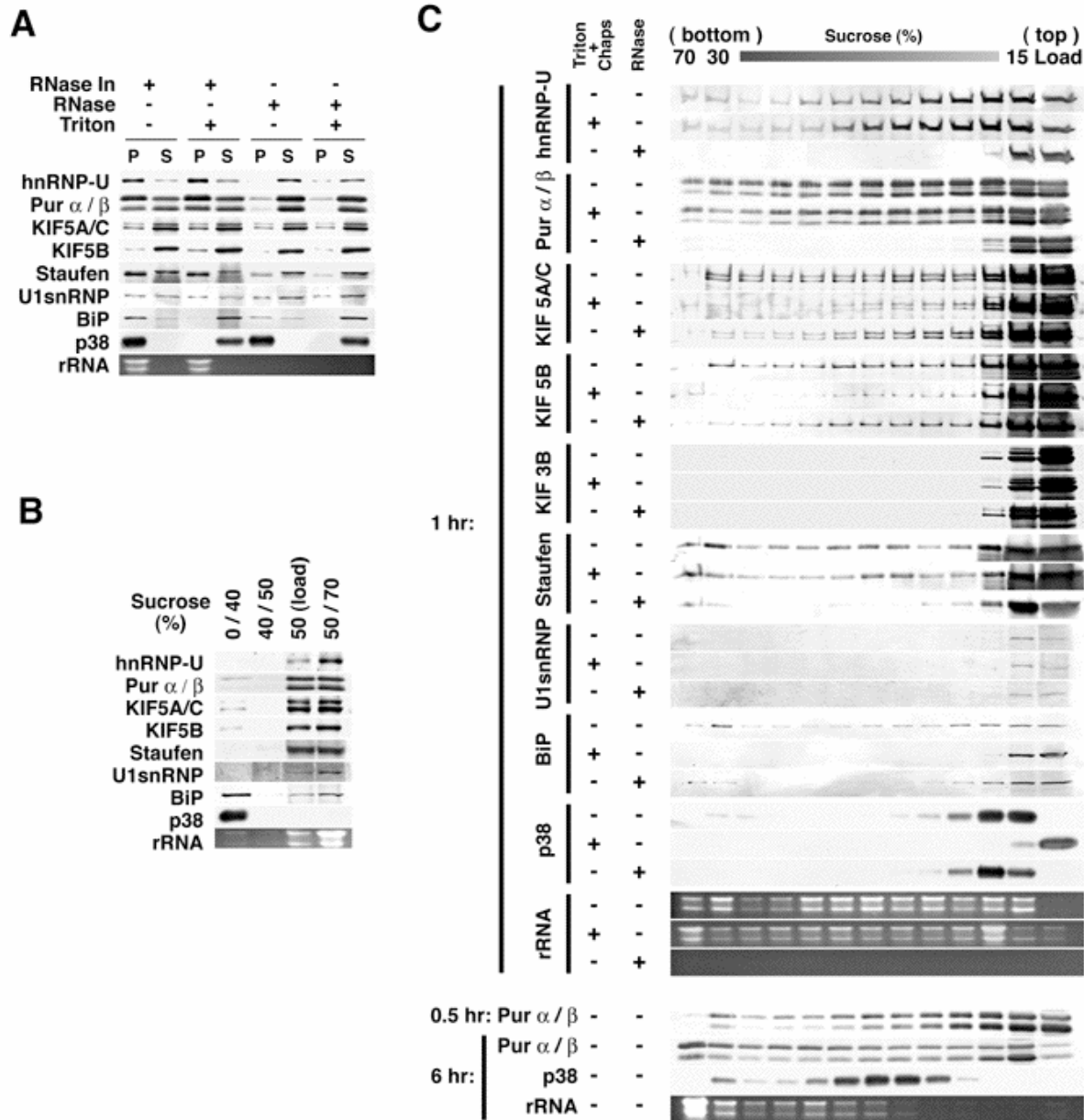


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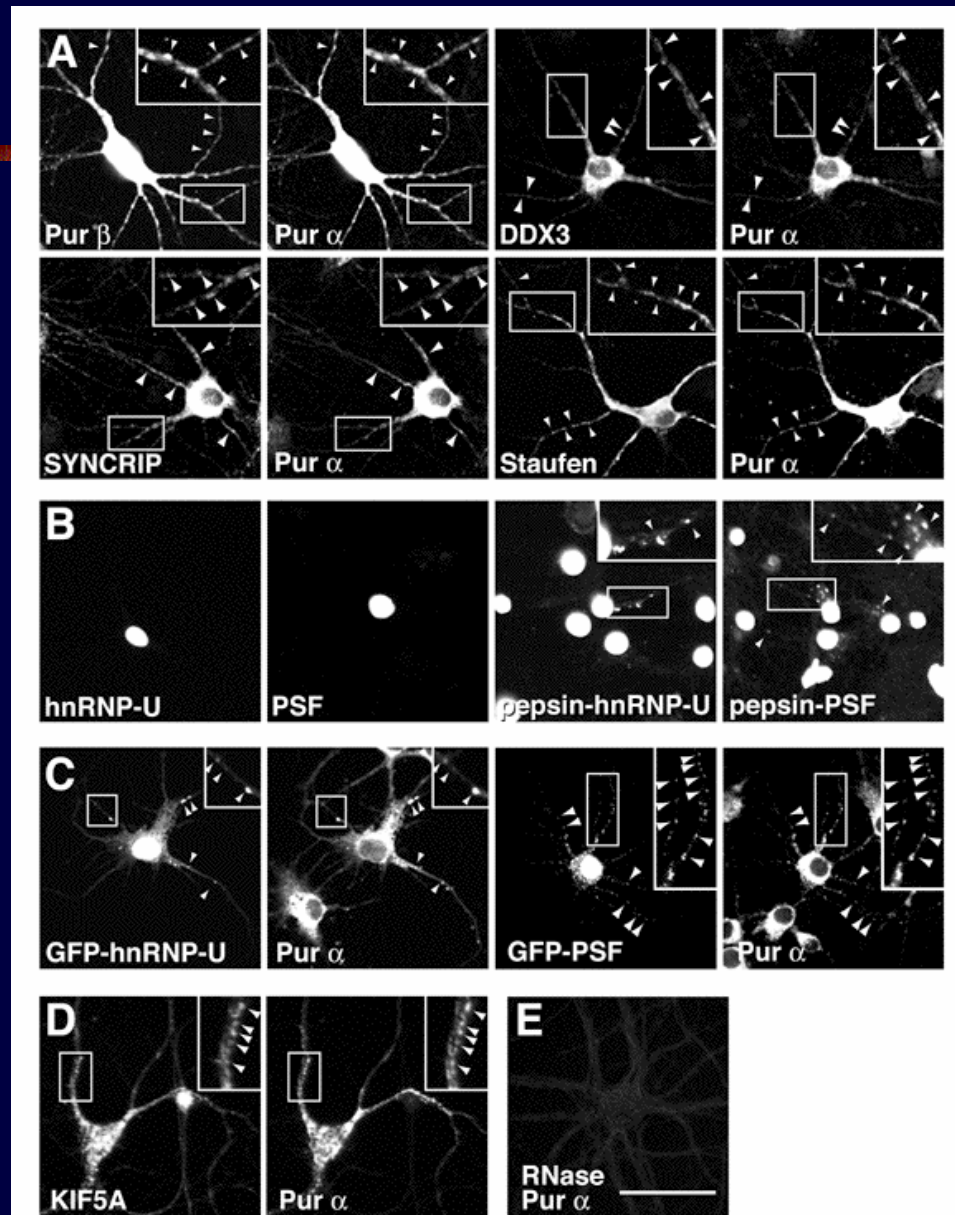
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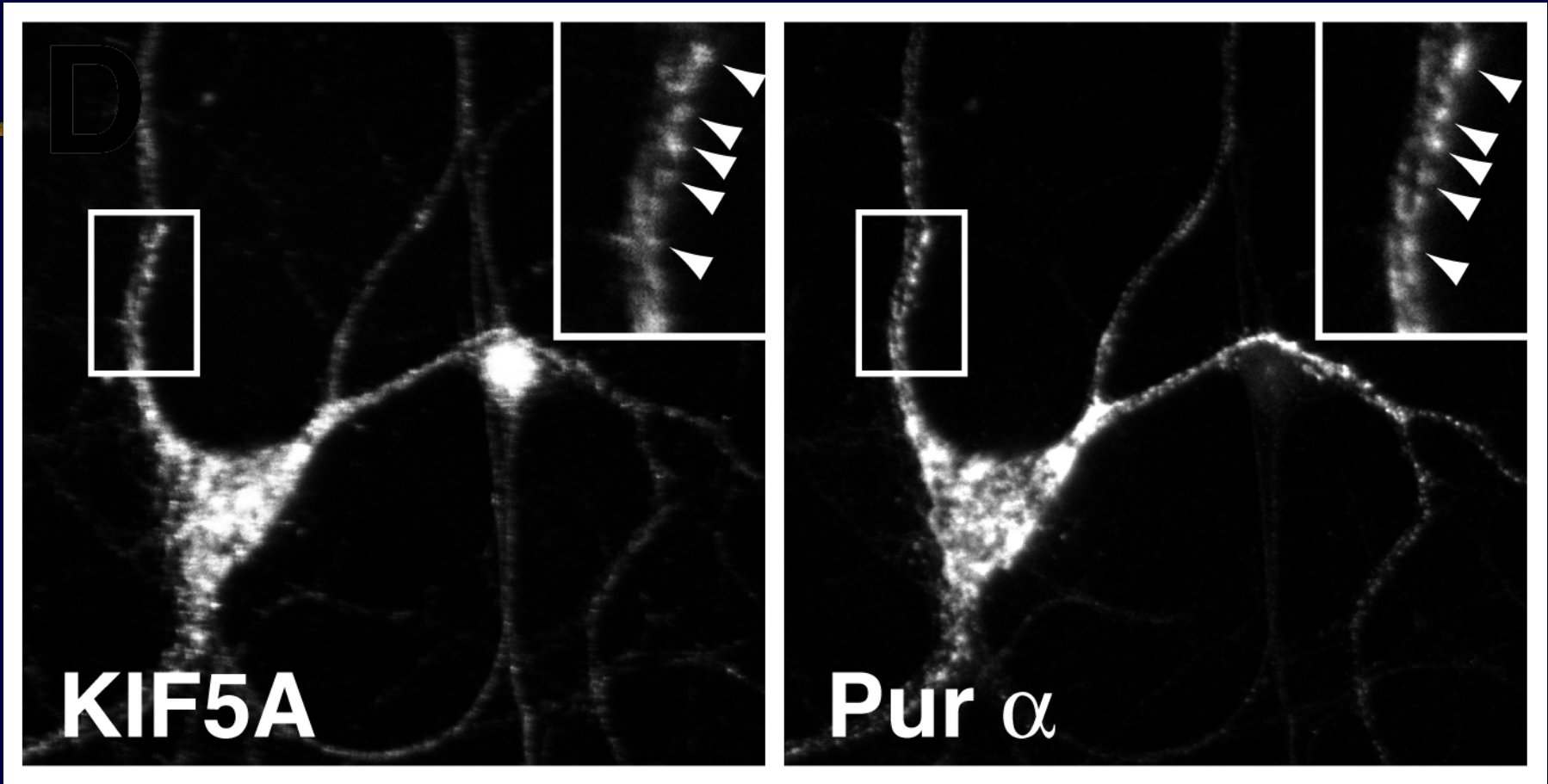
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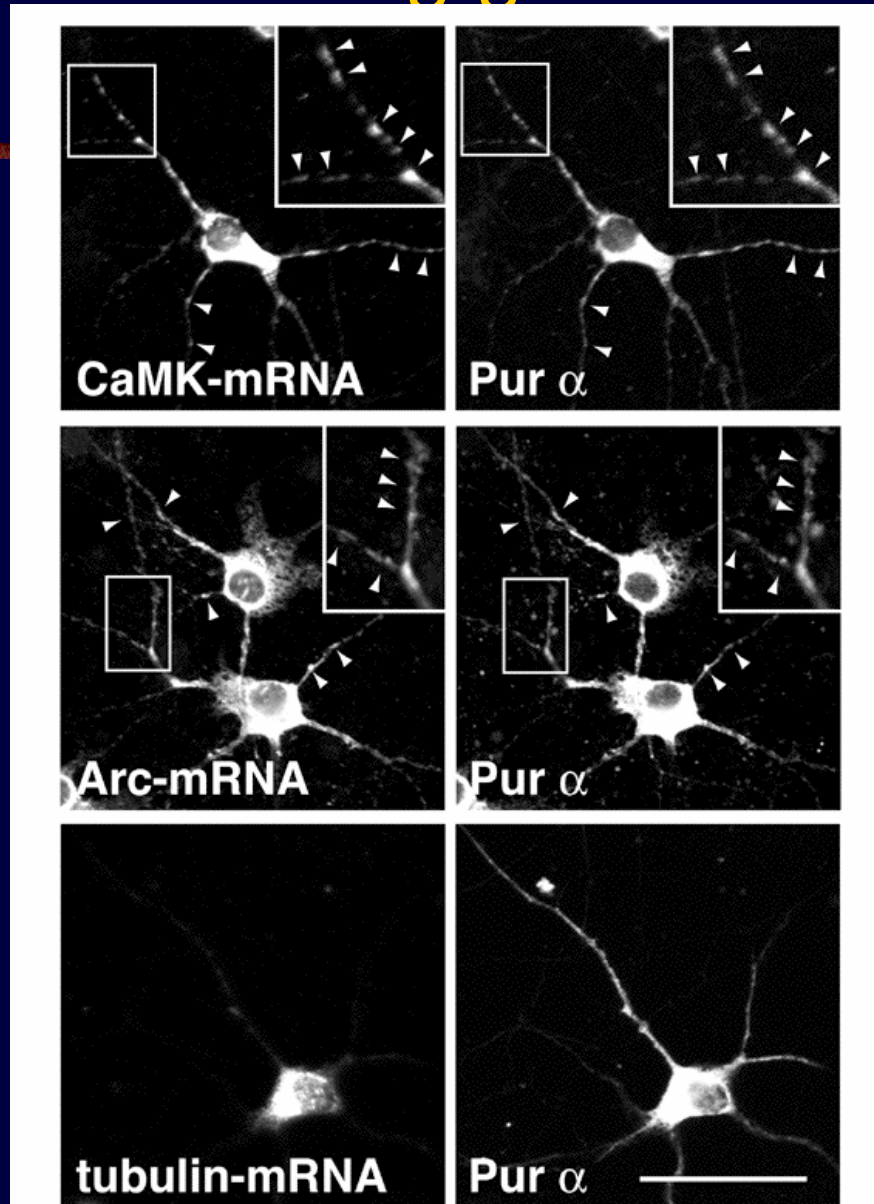


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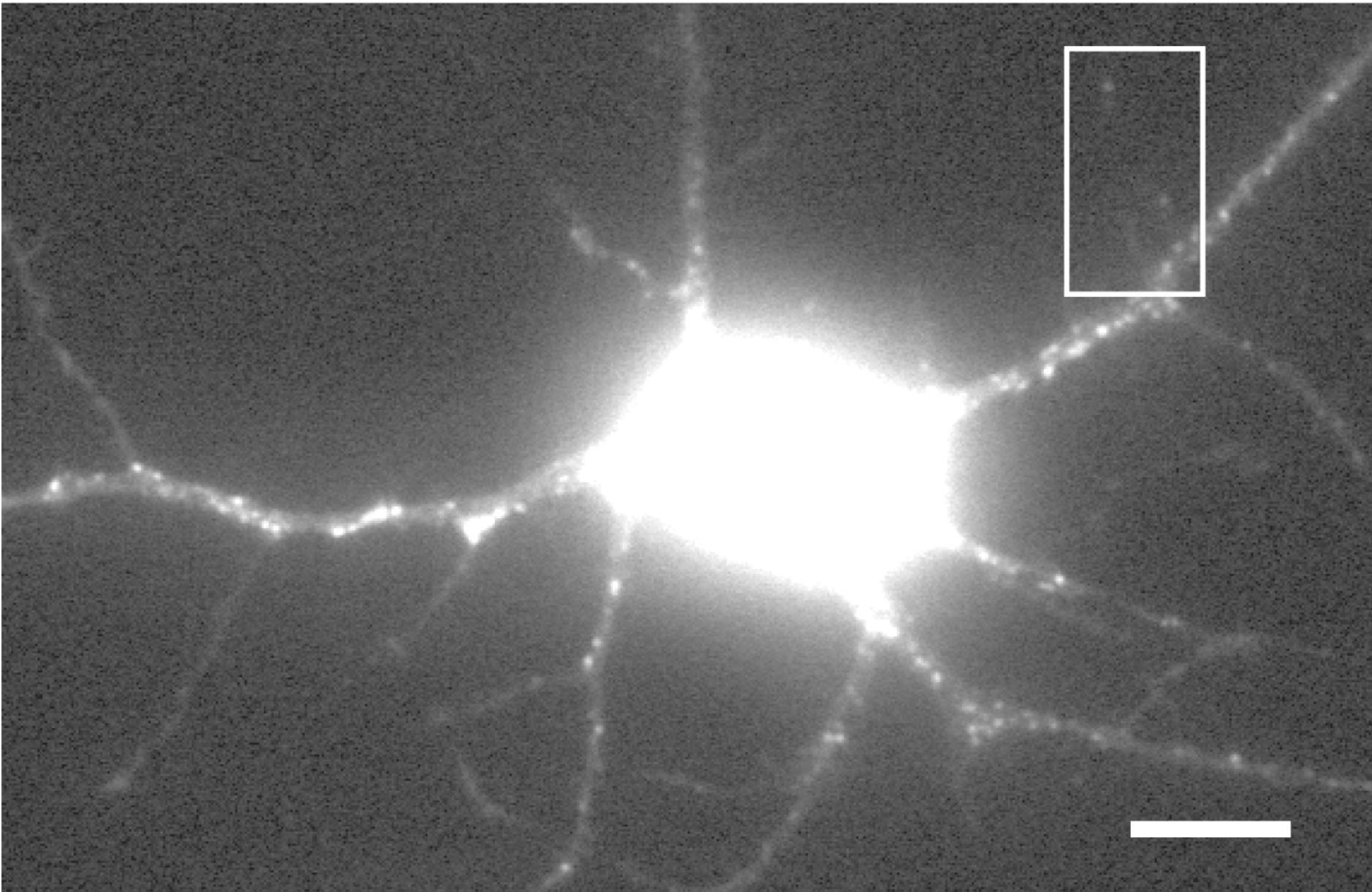


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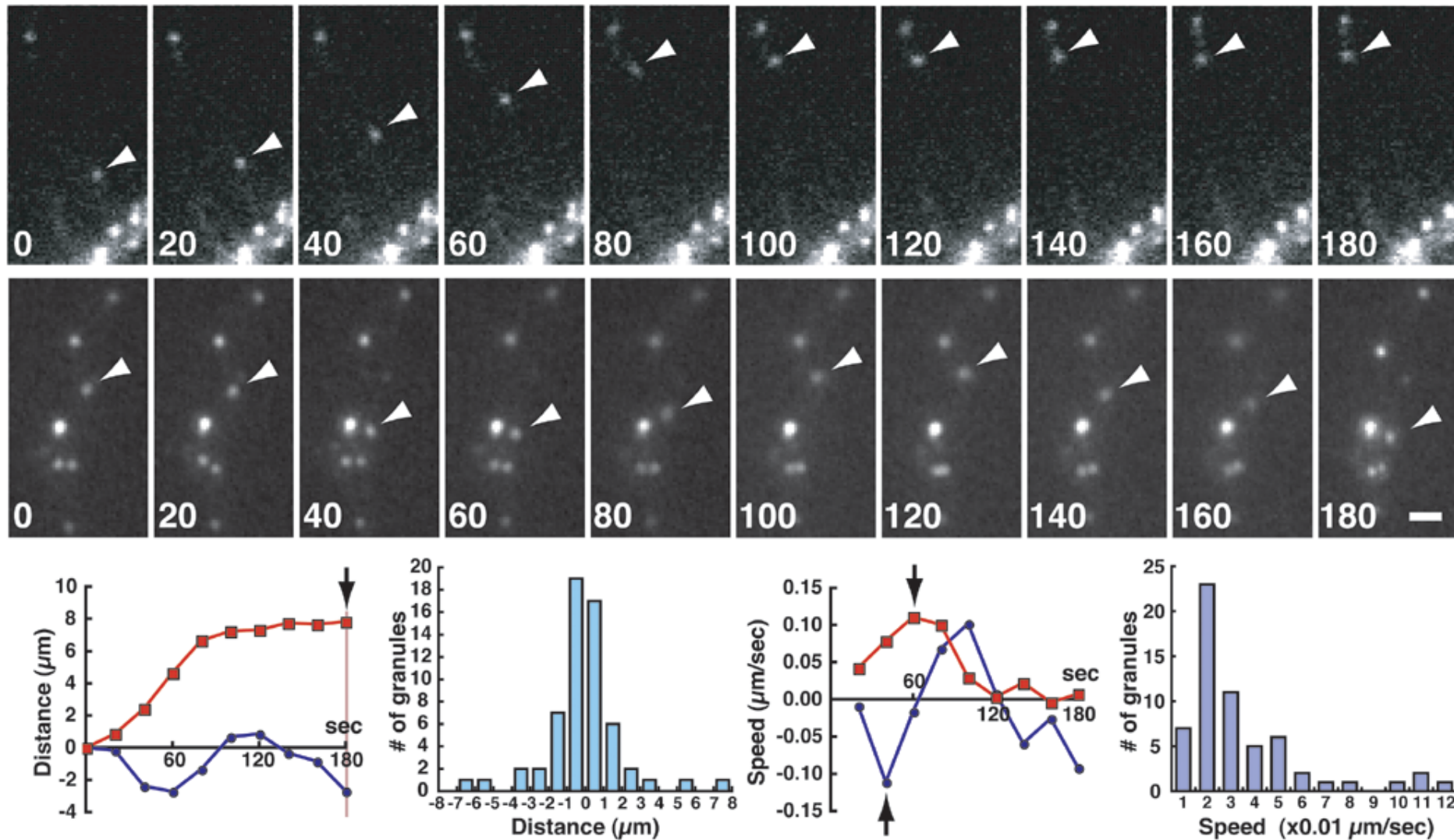
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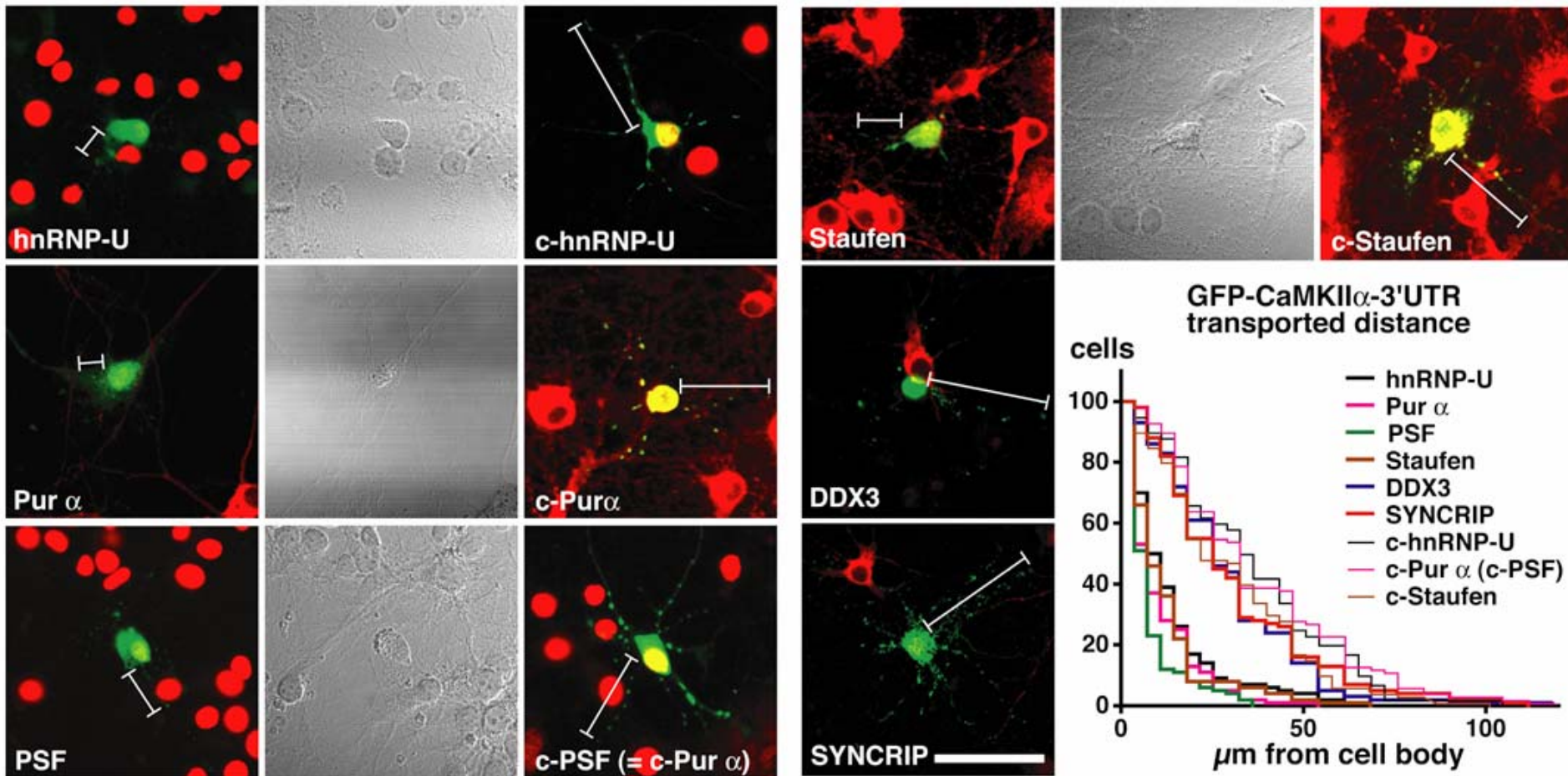
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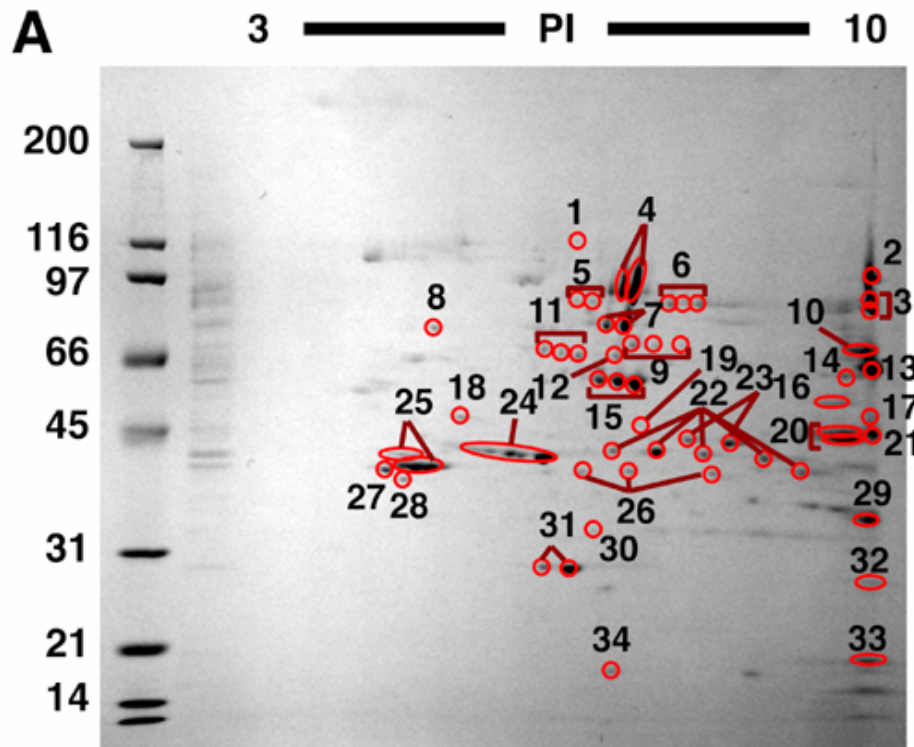
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Knockdown of the identified proteins by RNAi



Proteomics analysis of the RNA-transporting granules



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RNA transport: 6

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FXR1	X90875	**
FXR2	NM_011814	**
Pur α	NM_008989	24*
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staufen	NM_011490	**

Protein synthesis: 6

EF-1 α	NM_007906	**
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eIF2 γ	NM_012010	16
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ribosomal protein L3	NC_003143	32

RNA helicases: 3

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DDX5	NM_007840	10

hnRNPs: 5

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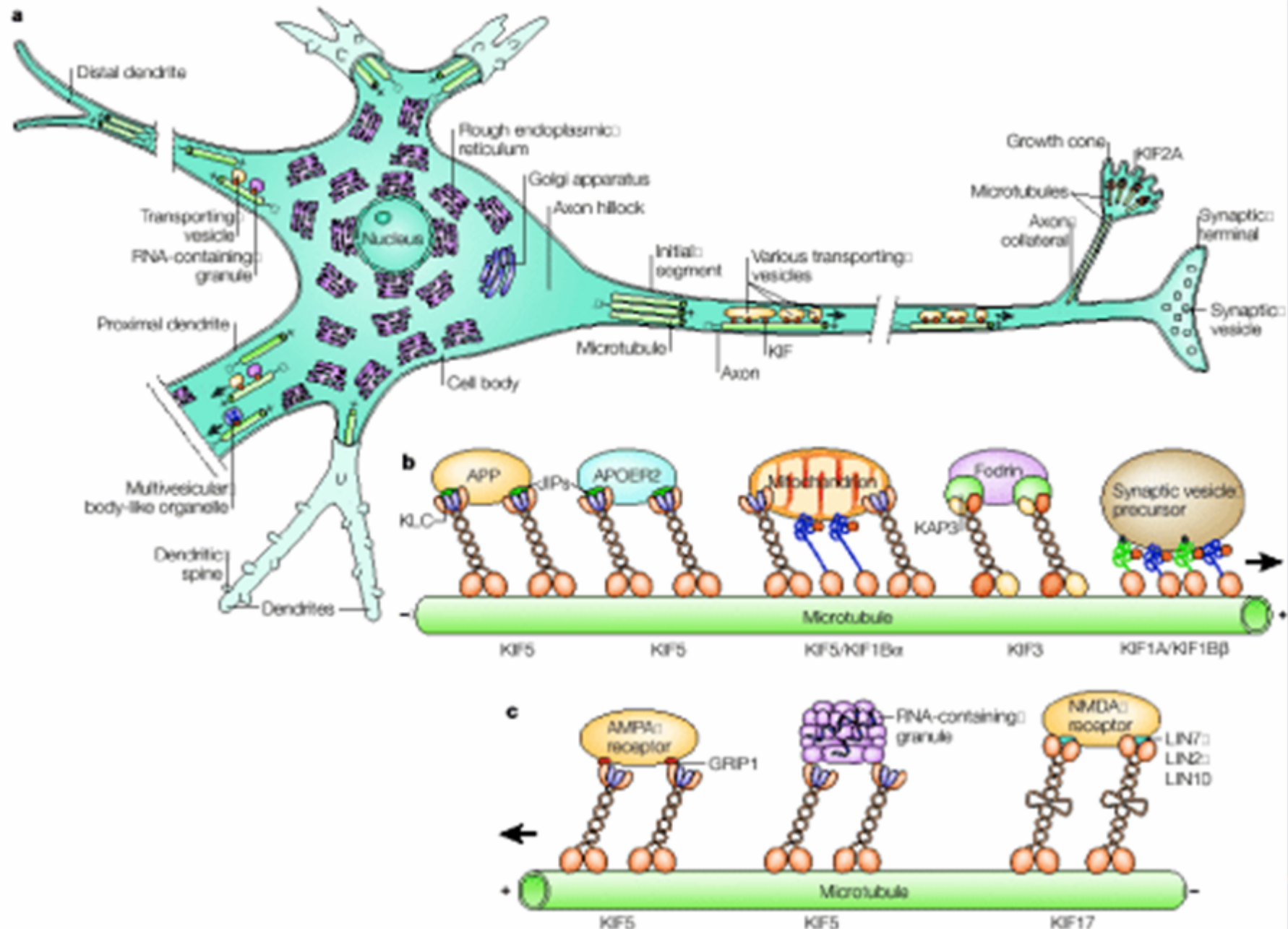
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NonO	NP_075633	14*
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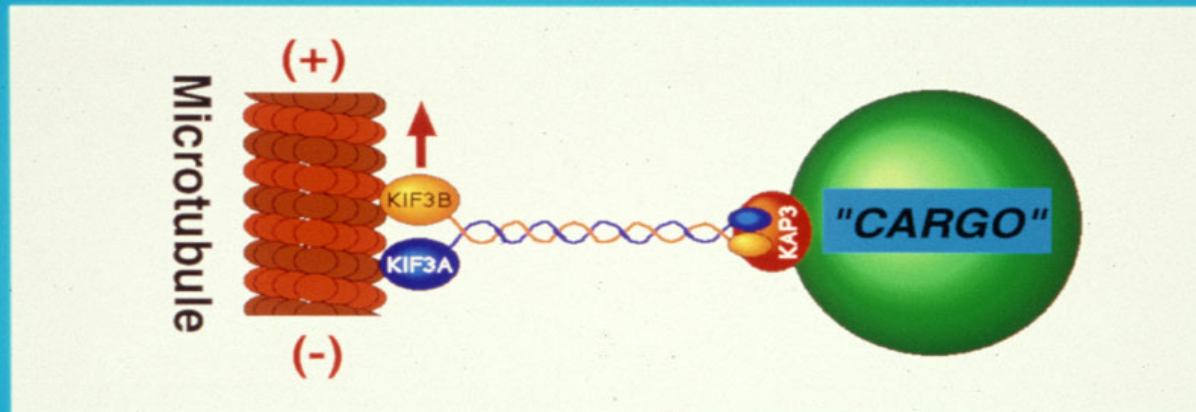
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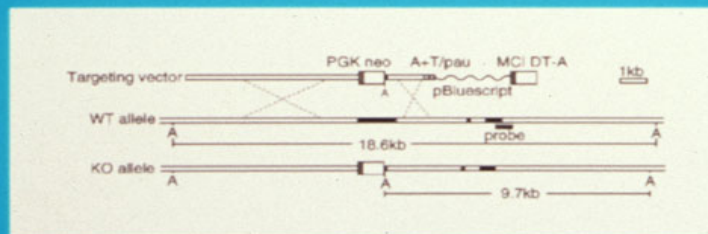
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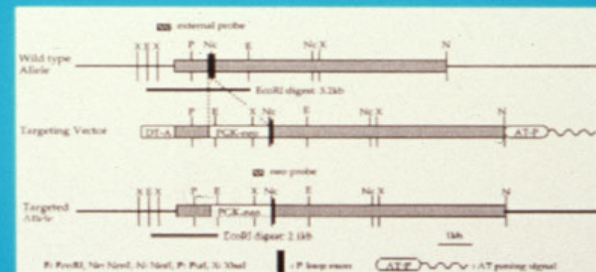
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kif3B Knockout



kif3A Knockout



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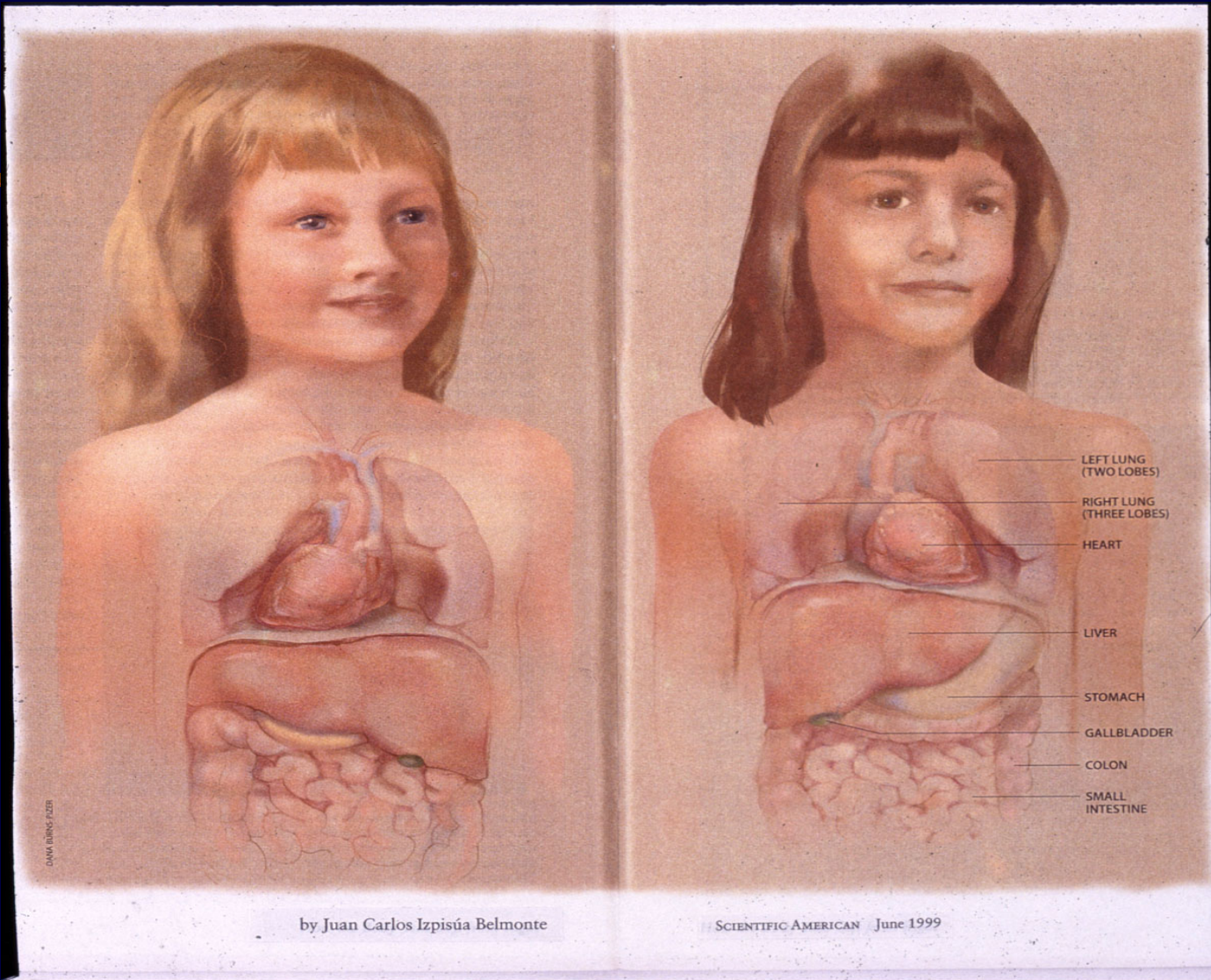


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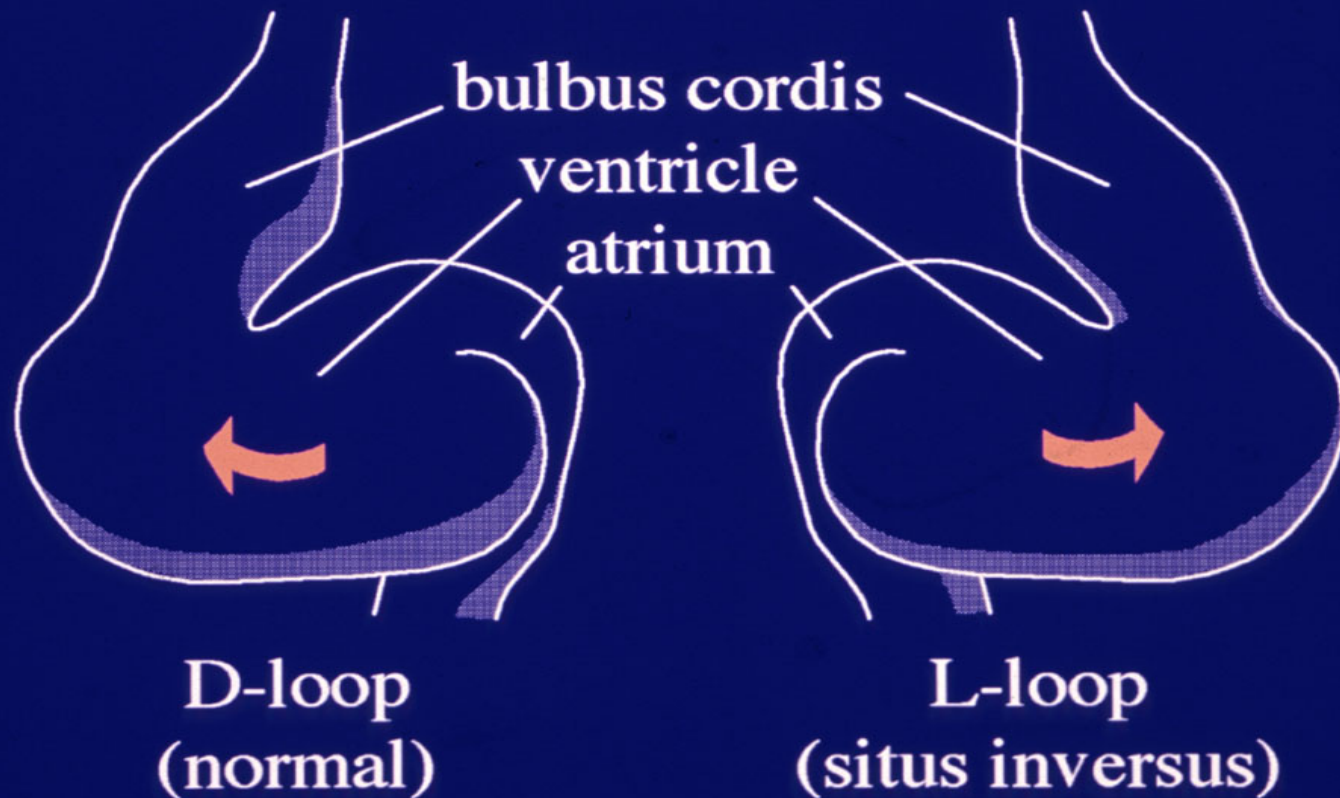
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Cardiac Loop at 9.5dpc

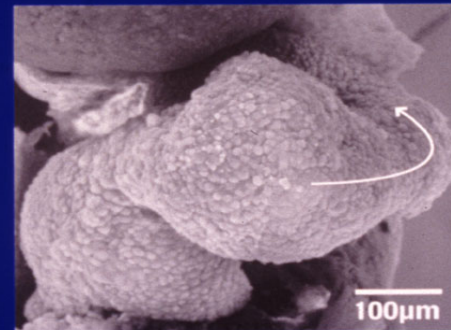


Heart Looping & Tail Curling

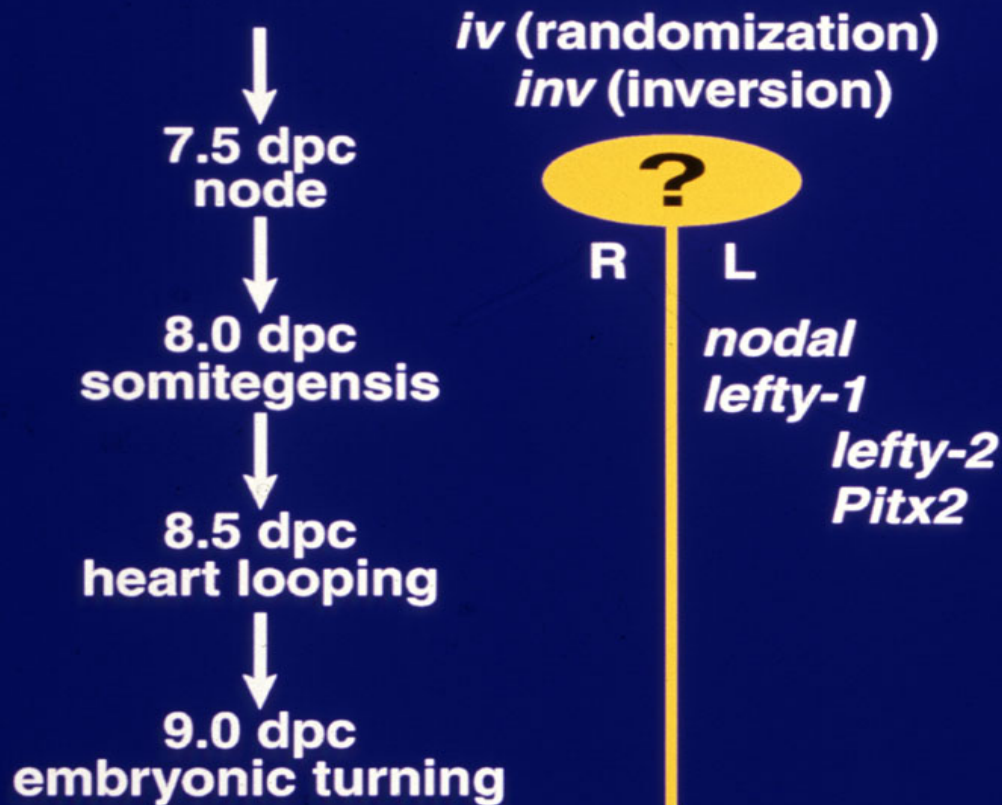
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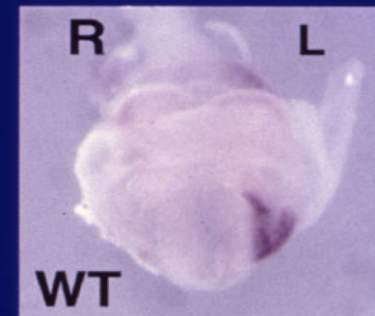
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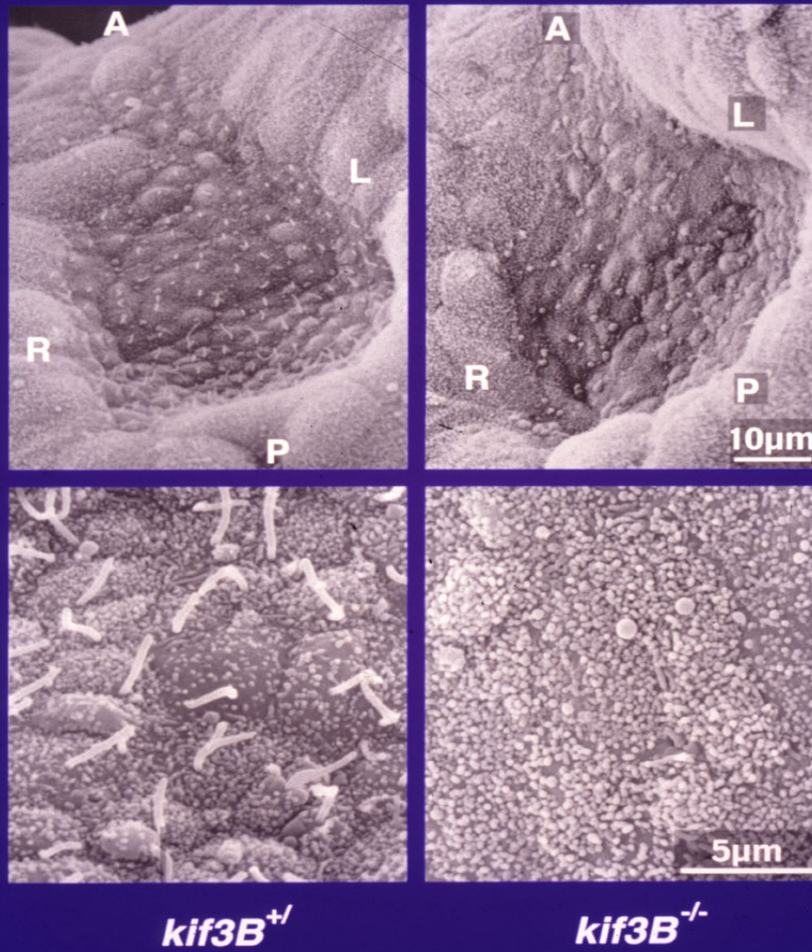
L-R Determination Pathway



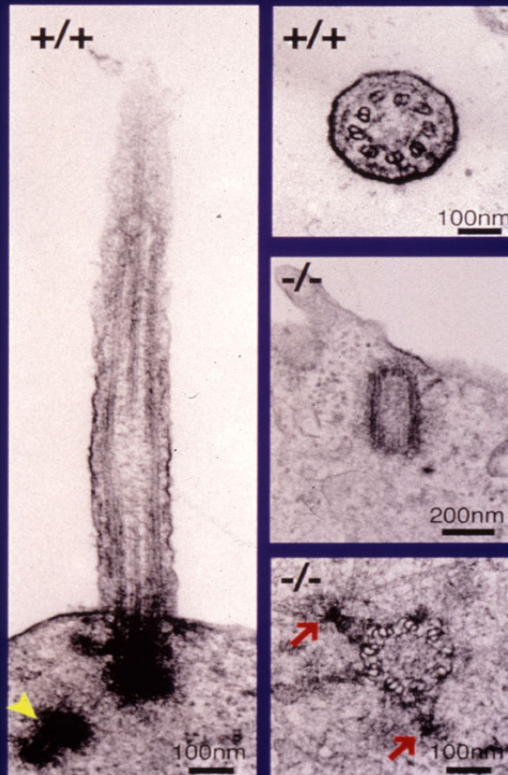
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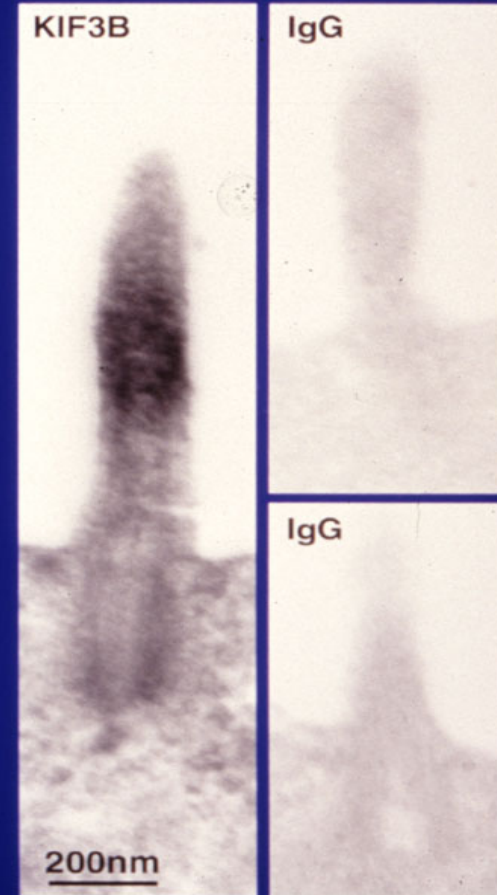
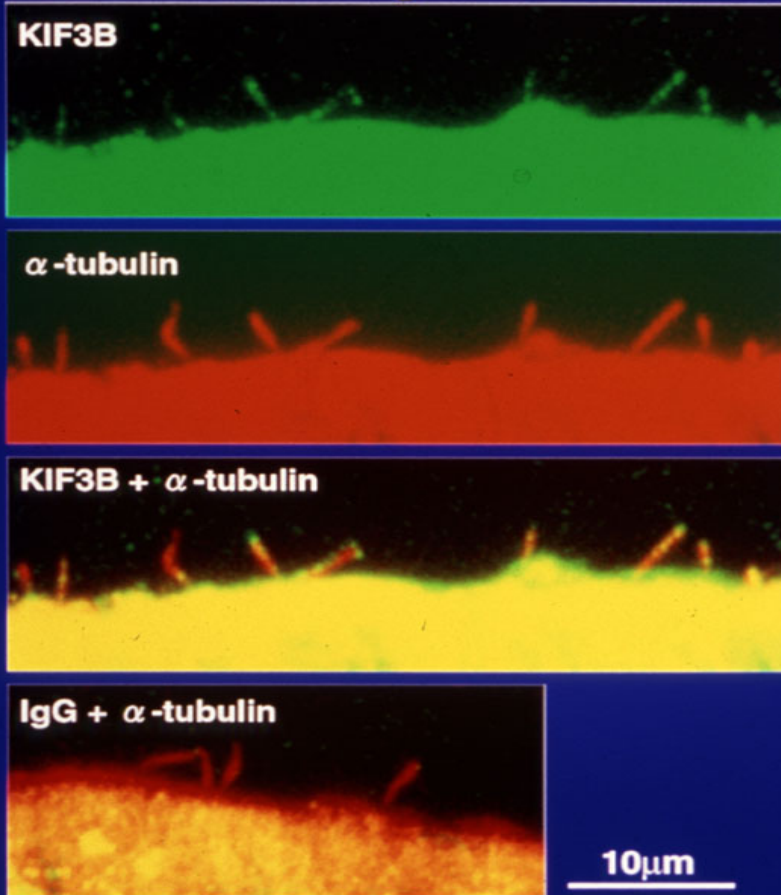
Monocilia of the Node

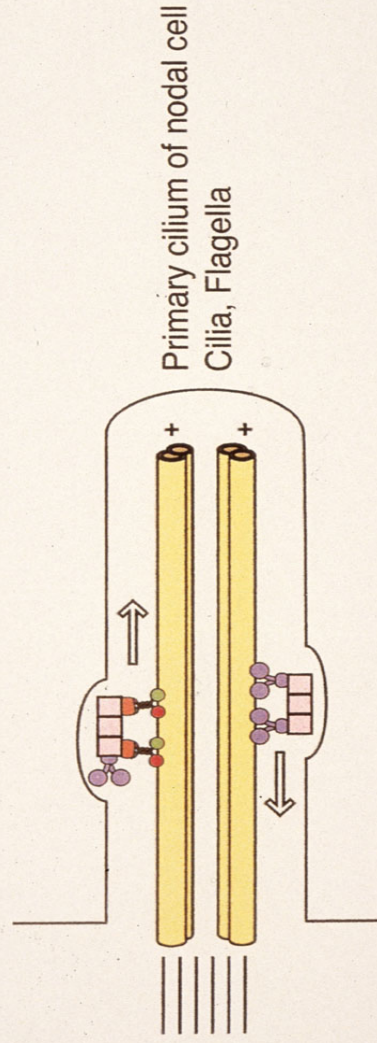


Loss of Primary Cilium Leaving Intact Basal Bodies



Ciliary Staining of KIF3B

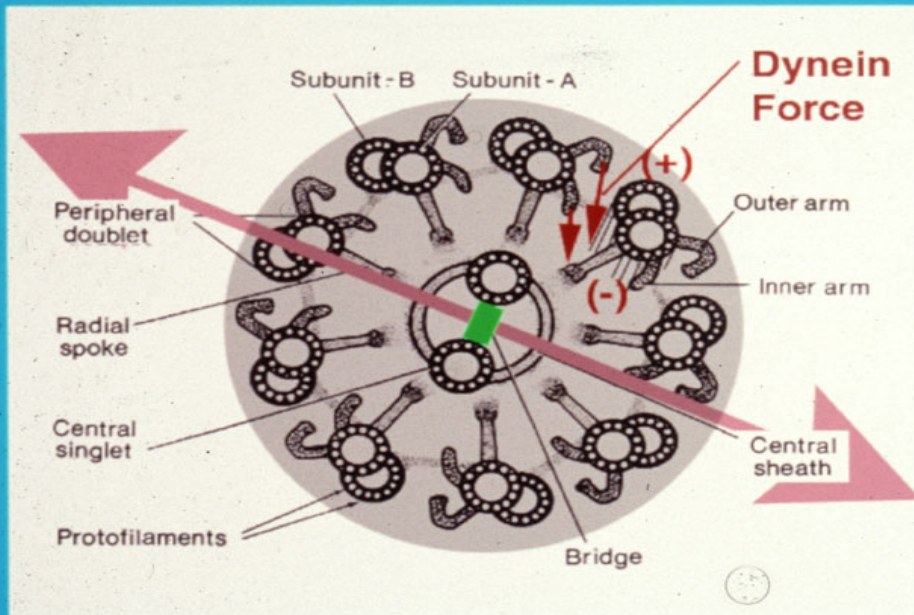




Primary cilium of nodal cell
Cilia, Flagella

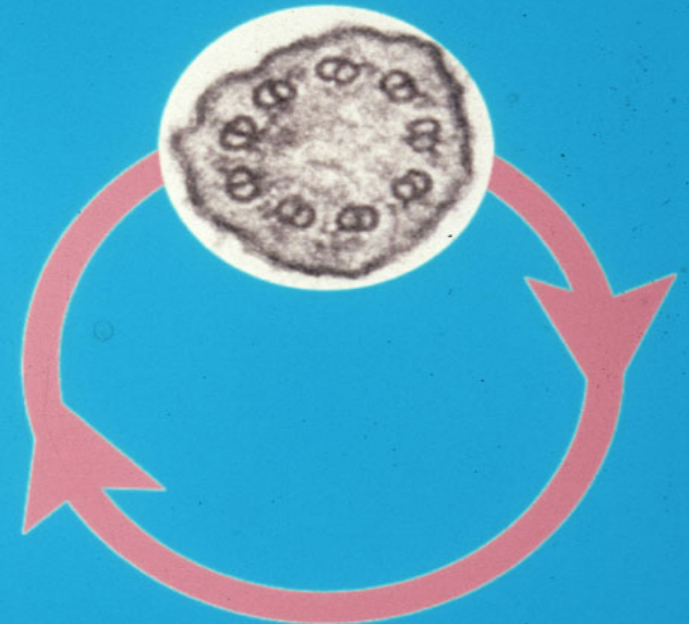
Cilia Have Clockwise Chirality

9+2: Beating (Respiratory Cilia)



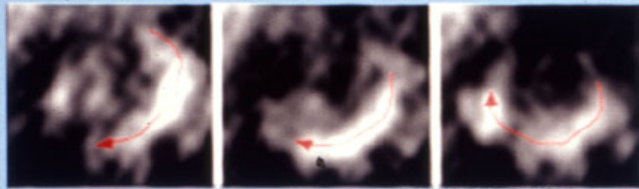
(Modified from Fawcett, *The Cell*, 1981)

9+0: Rotation (Nodal Cilia)

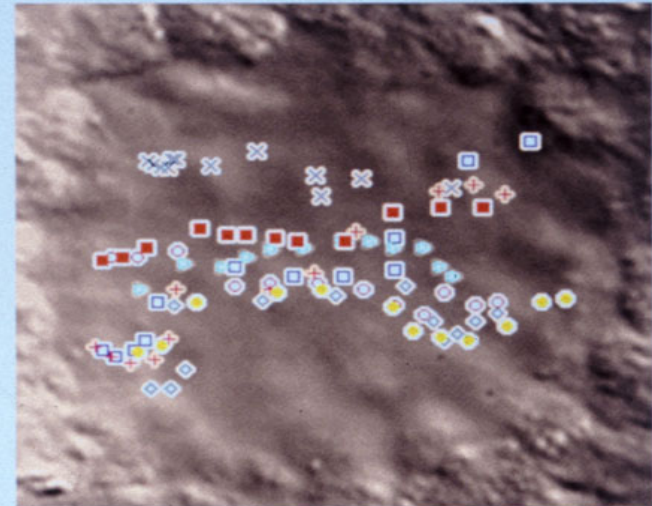
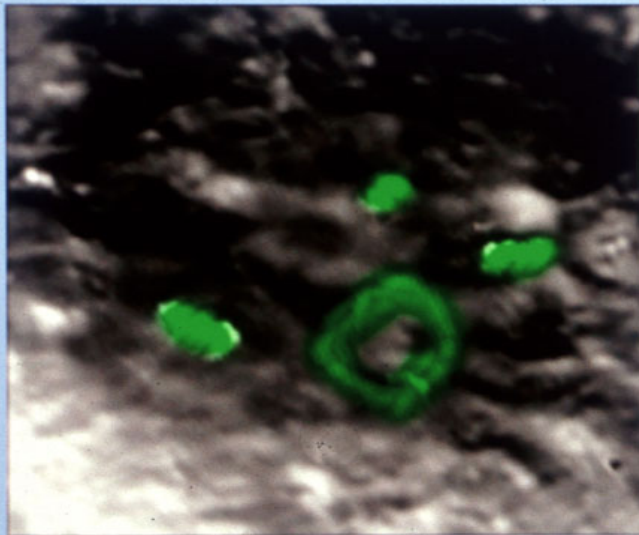


(Takeda et al., *J Cell Biol* 145:825, 1999)

Rotation of Nodal Cilia & Leftward Nodal Flow

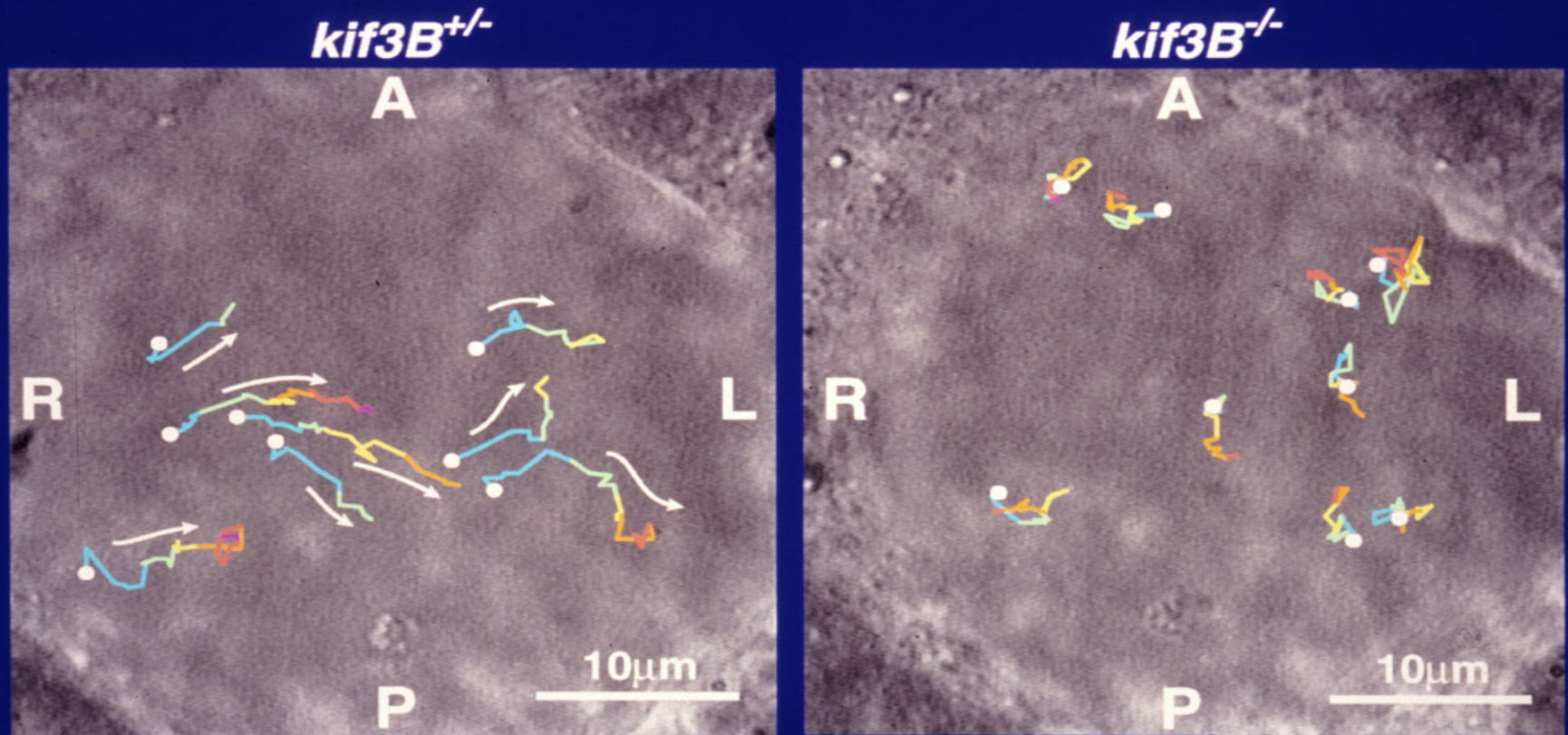


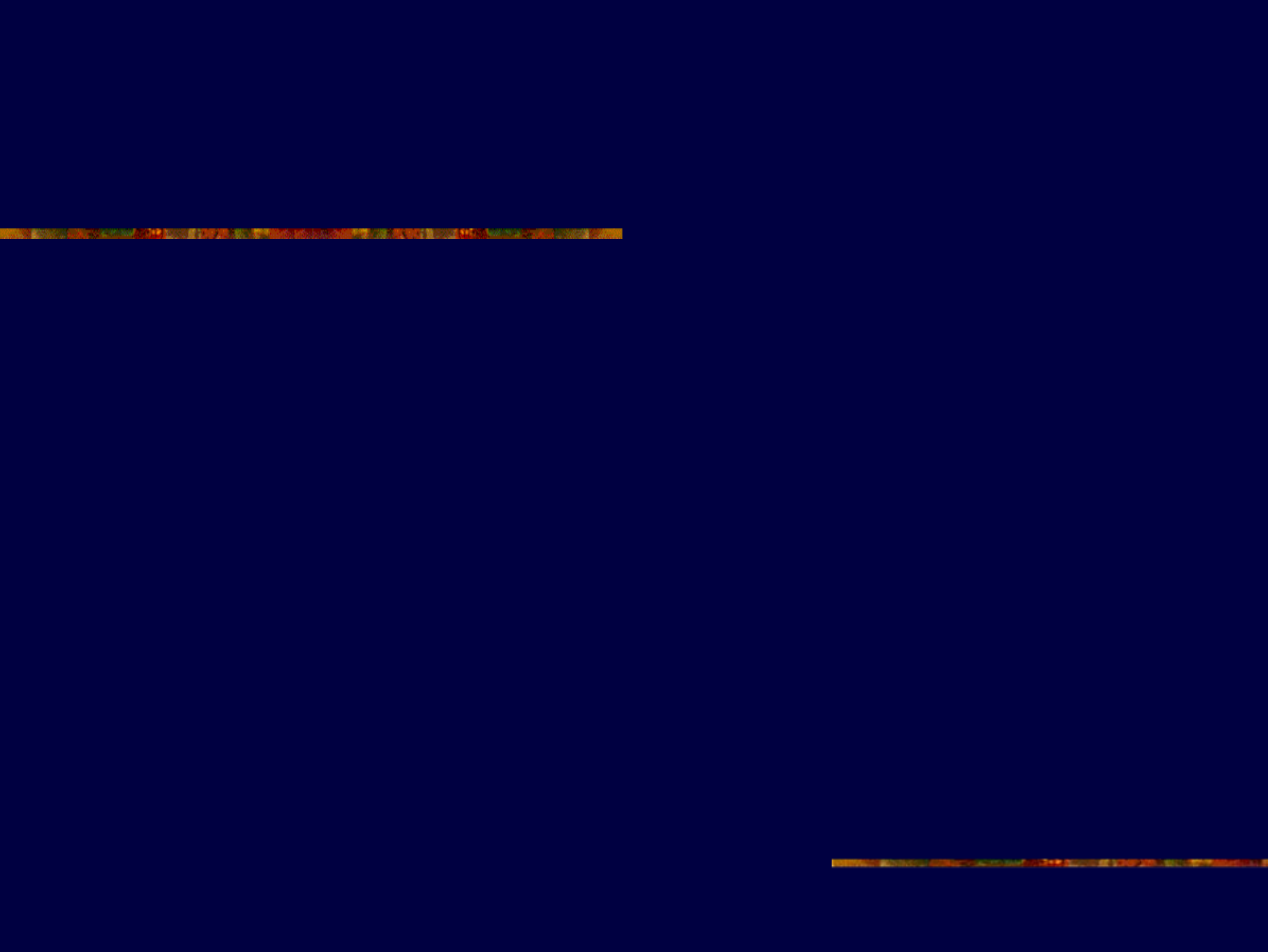
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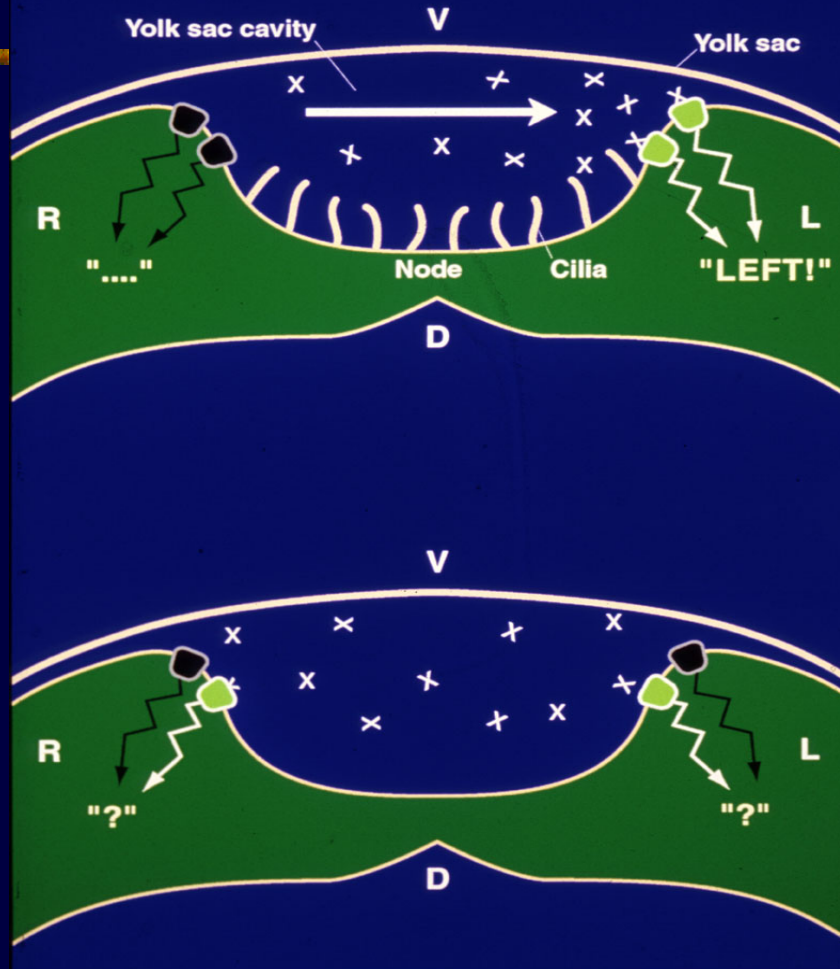
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KIF3B KO Disrupts The Nodal Flow

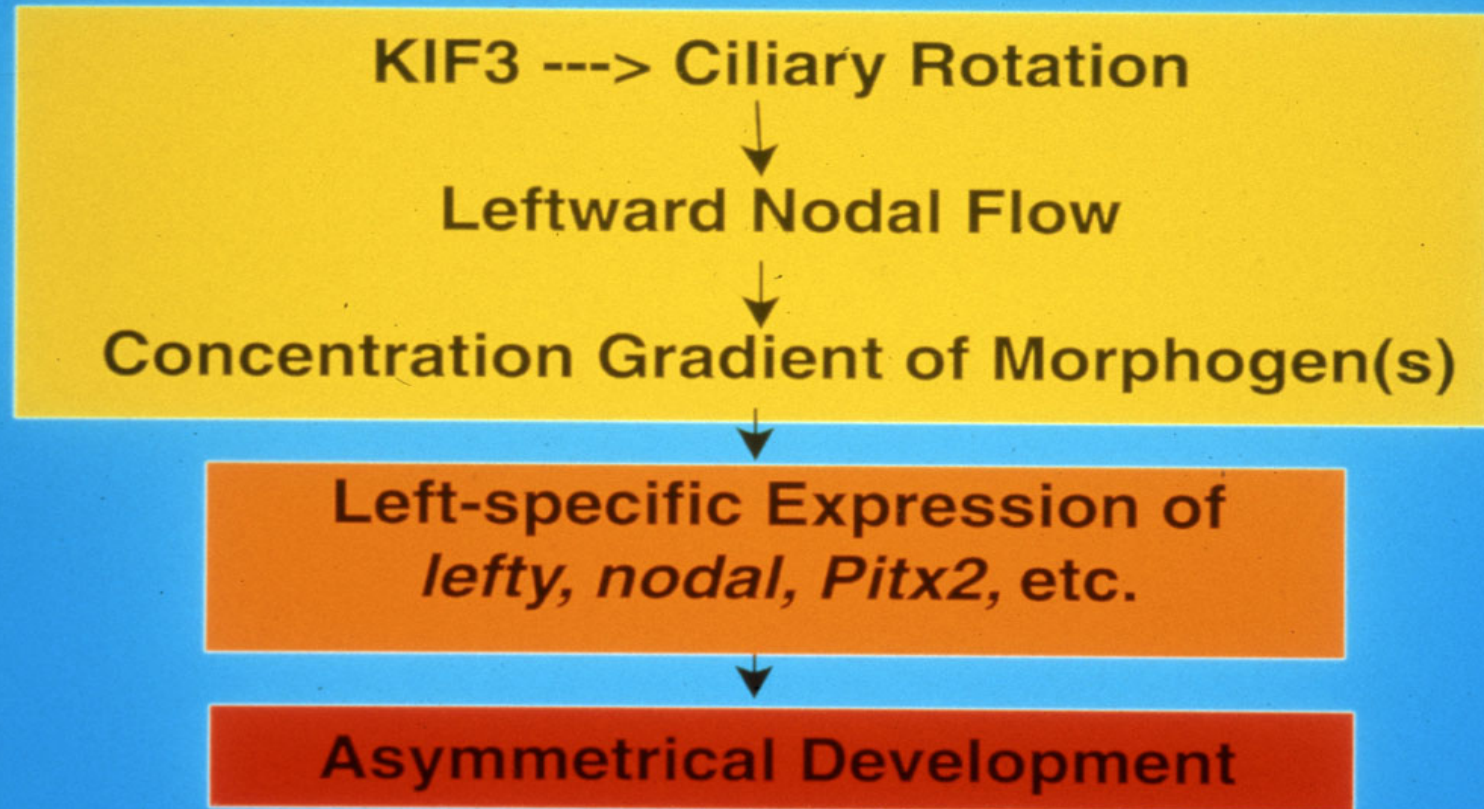




A Model for L-R Determination



Nodal Flow Hypothesis of Mammalian Left-Right Determination



Kartagener's Syndrome

Immotile Cilia syndrome

Immotile Cilia
(Male Infertility + Respiratory Failure etc.)

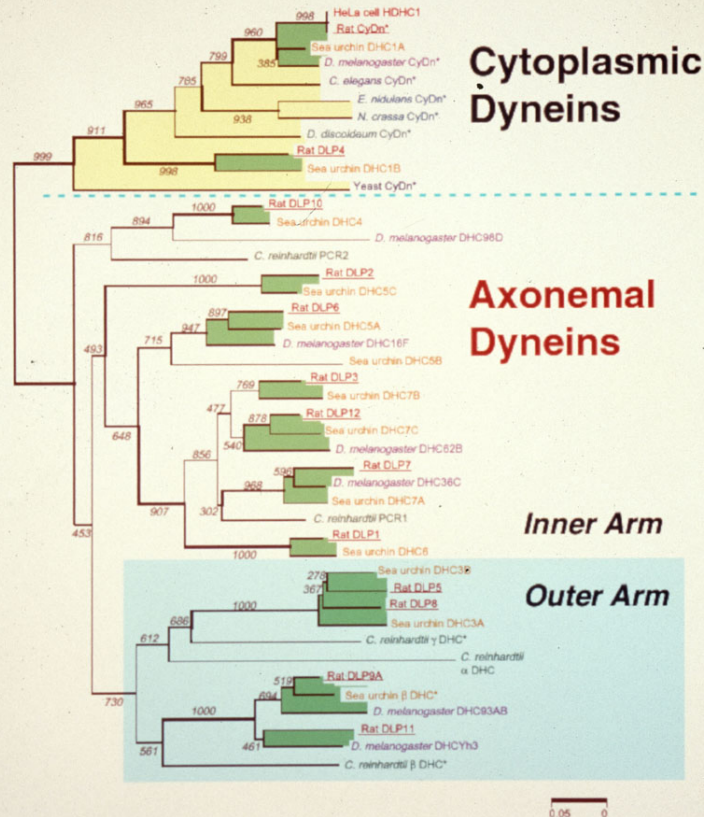
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Situs Inversus



...Why don't the 9+0 Nodal Cilia MOVE?

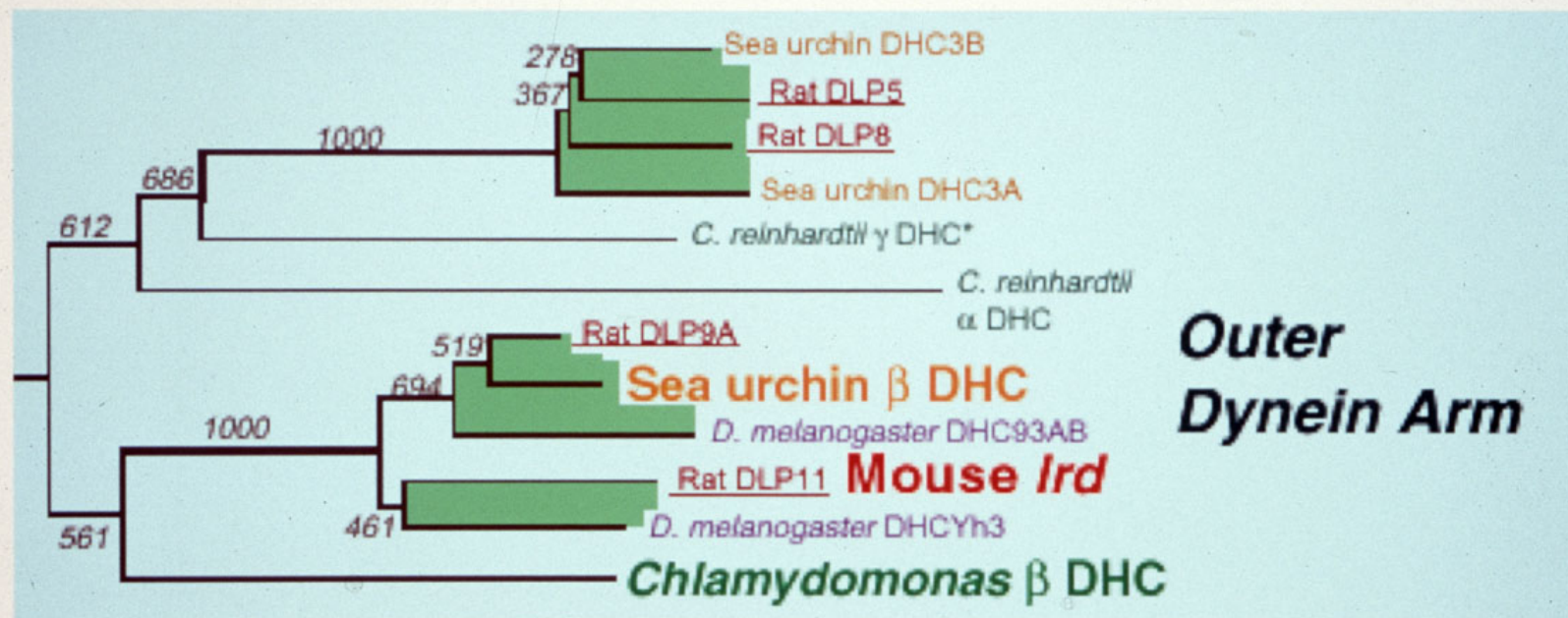
The Dynein Superfamily



Tanaka et al., *J Cell Sci* 108:1883 (1995)

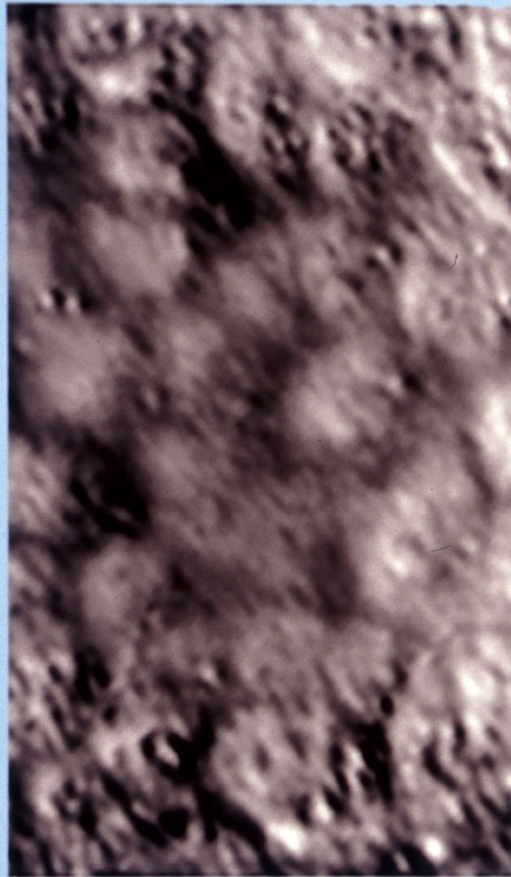
Ird/DLP11 Is An Outer-Arm β Dynein

(Supp et al., *Nature* 389:963, 1997)

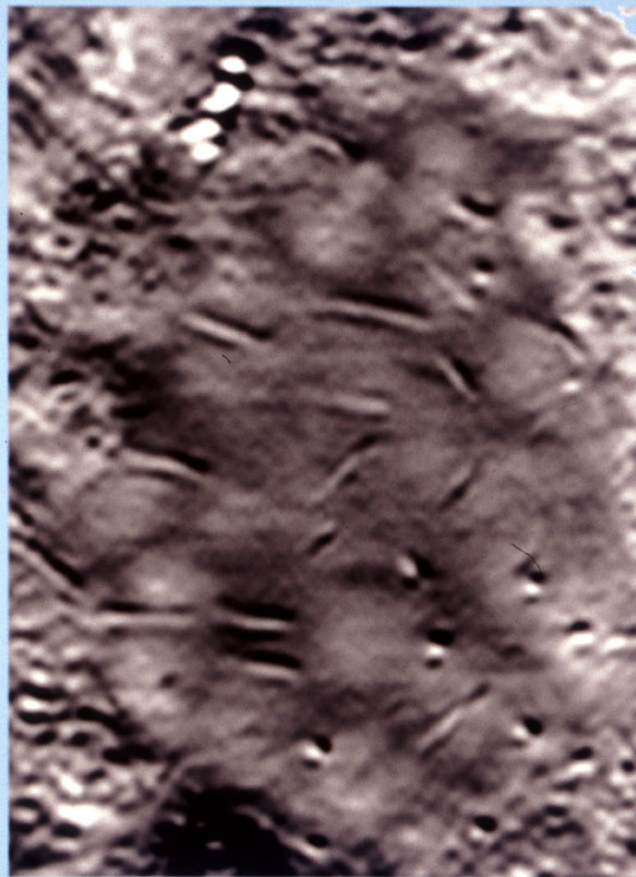


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Frozen Cilia in *iv*



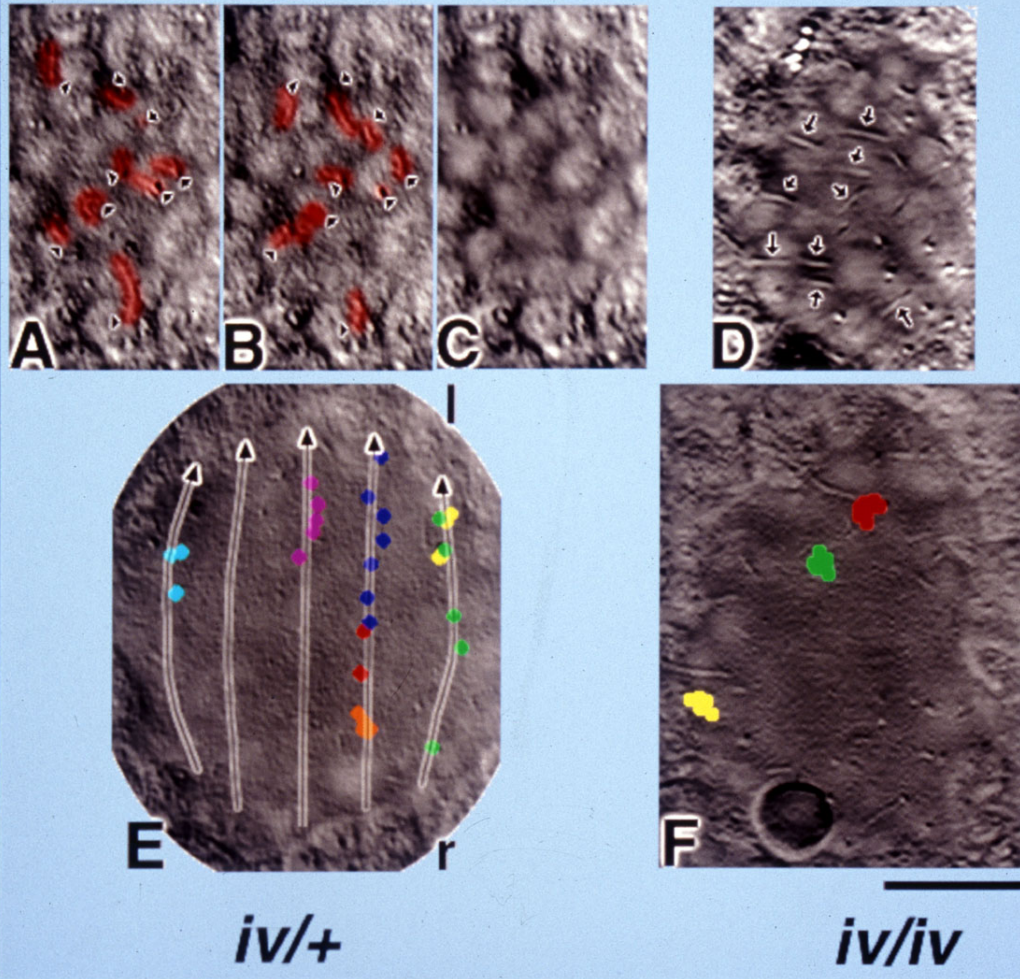
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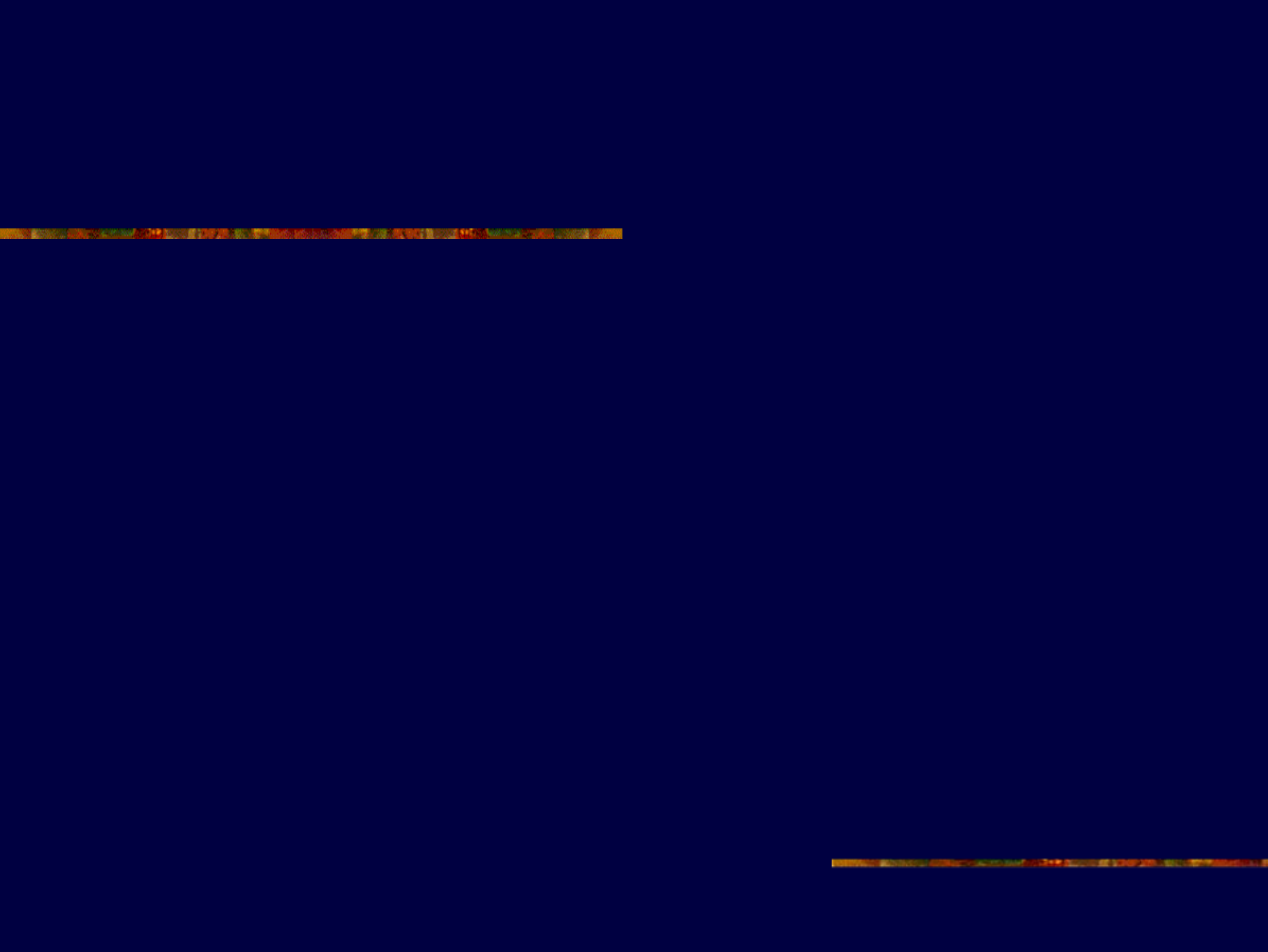


iv/iv

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Frozen Cilia in *iv*





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...Why don't the 9+0 Nodal Cilia MOVE?

Why our hearts are on left?

- Left side is determined at the early stage of development.
 - In some genetic diseases, patients have their hearts on right.
 - In Kartagener's syndrome, immotile cilia in airway epithelium and immotile sperm are linked to right heart.
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Motile cilia are necessary for the L-R axis determination.

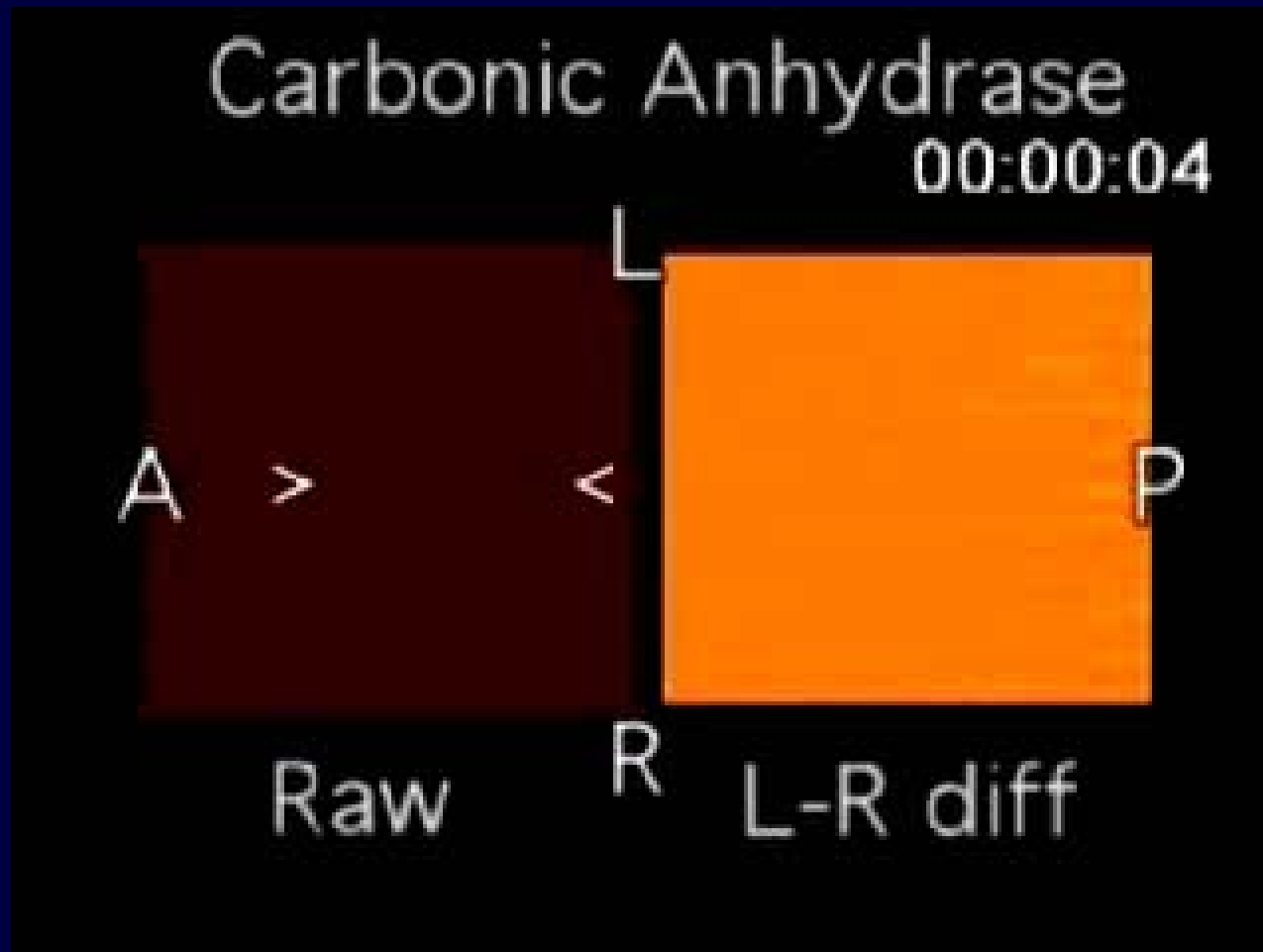
Randomization of the L-R axis in

- 1) immotile cilia syndrome (human)
- 2) ciliogenesis mutant mice ($KIF3^{-/-}$)

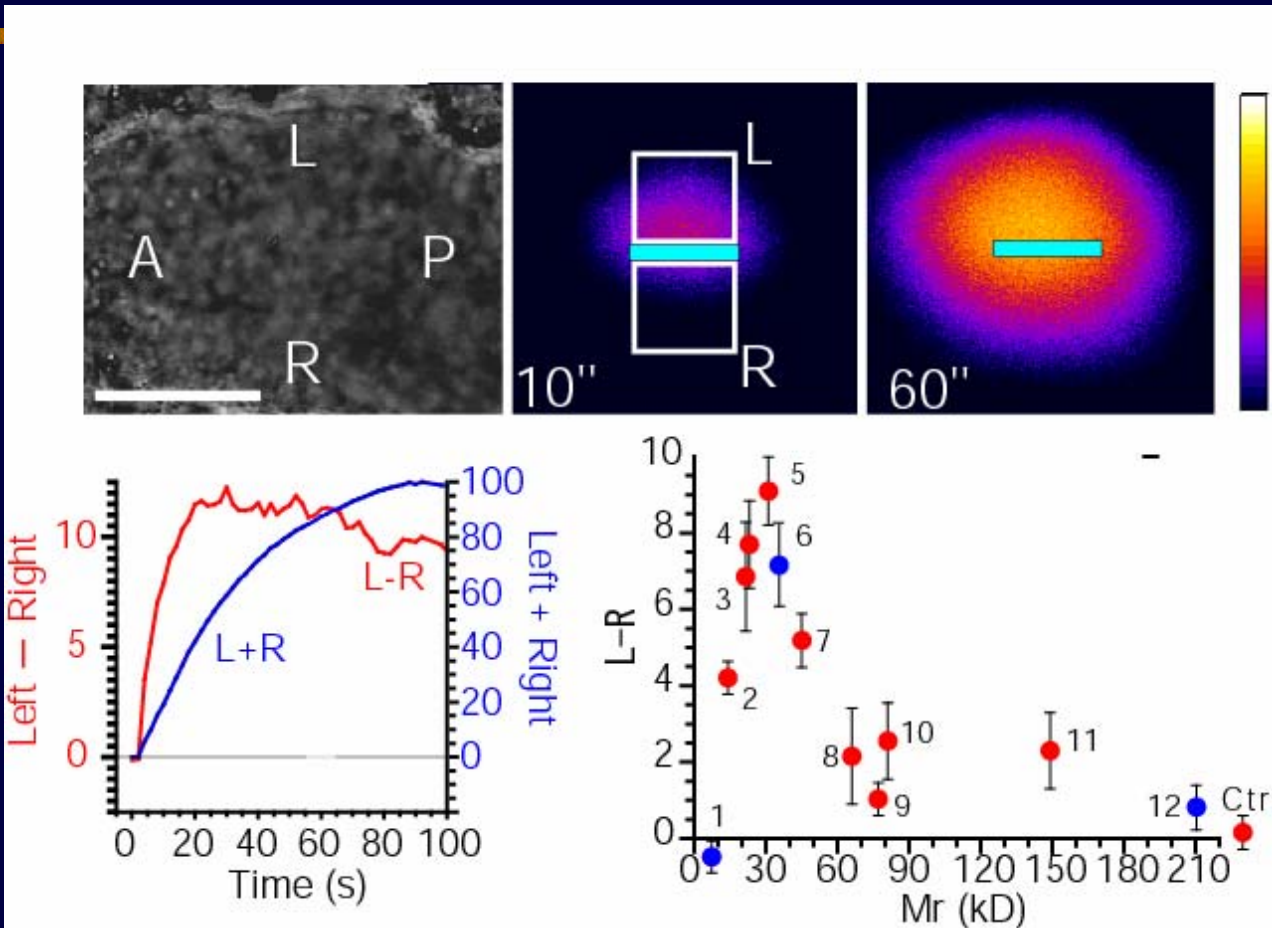
Where are the motile cilia?

How does the ciliary movement determine the L-R axis?

Asymmetric distribution of caged-fluorescently labeled protein after continuous uncaging at the middle of node.

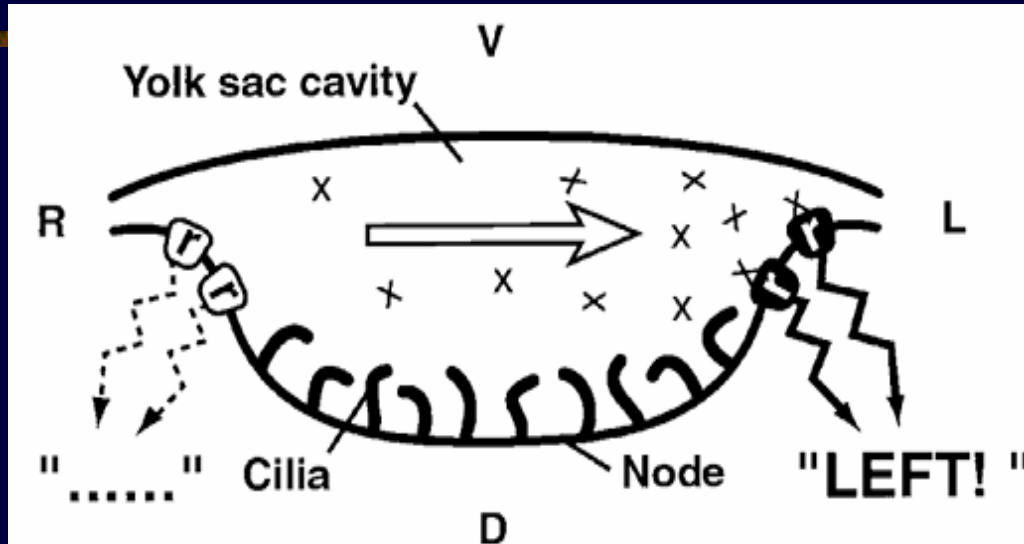


Asymmetric distribution of 20~40 kDa protein by nodal flow



Leftward nodal flow is rapid enough to generate stationary asymmetric distribution of soluble protein in the node.

Nodal Flow Hypothesis



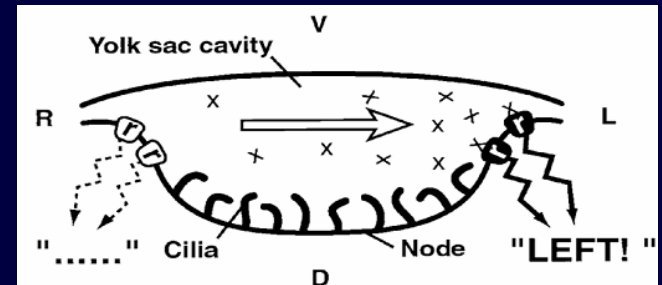
1. Clockwise rotation of cilia
2. Rapid leftward flow
3. Left-specific gene expression

Is nodal flow universal?

Mouse:

egg cylinder

nodal pit on the ventral surface



Higher vertebrates:

embryonic disc

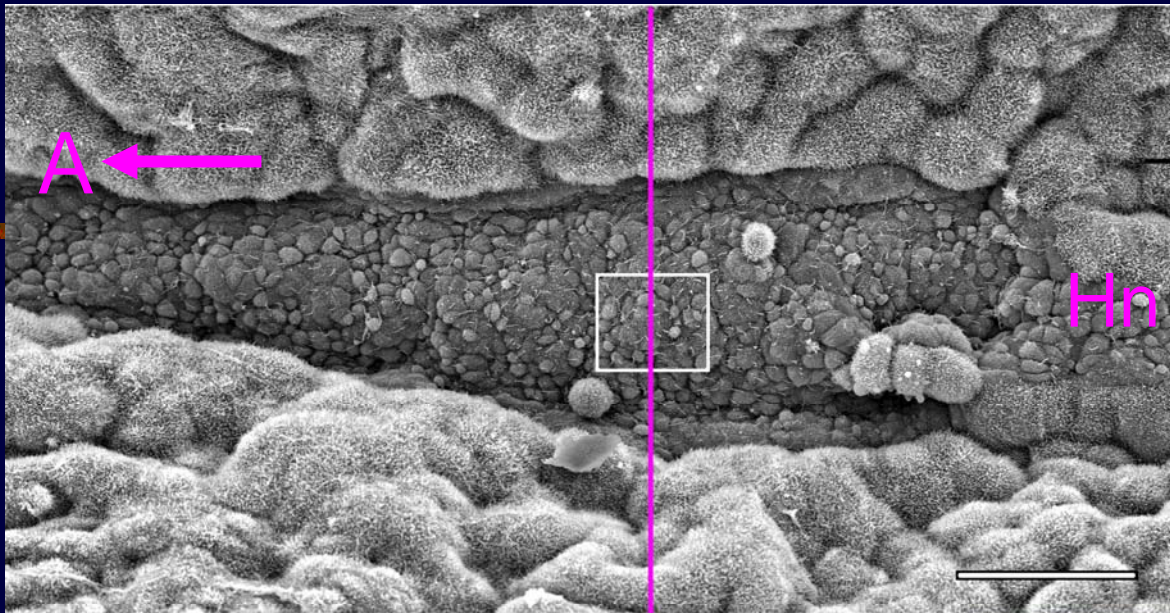
No nodal pit



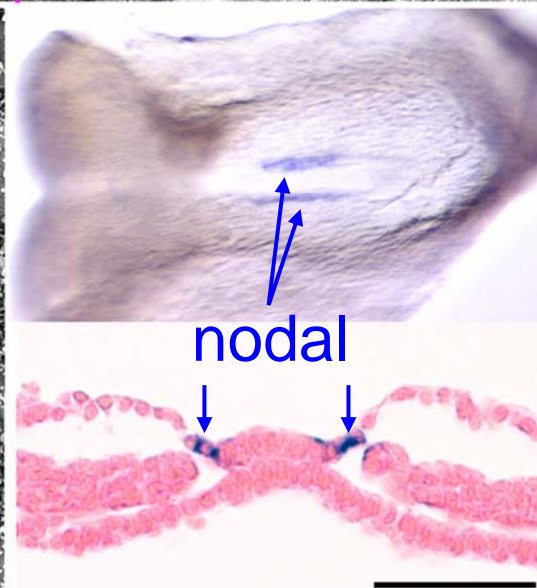
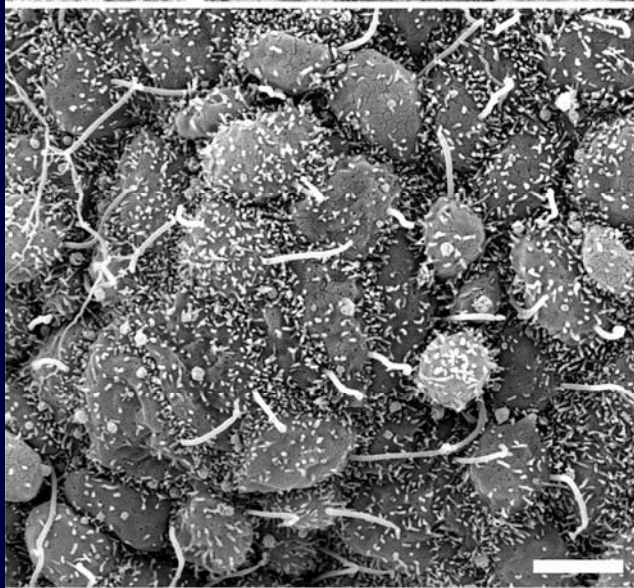
Lower vertebrates:

ventral surface is embedded





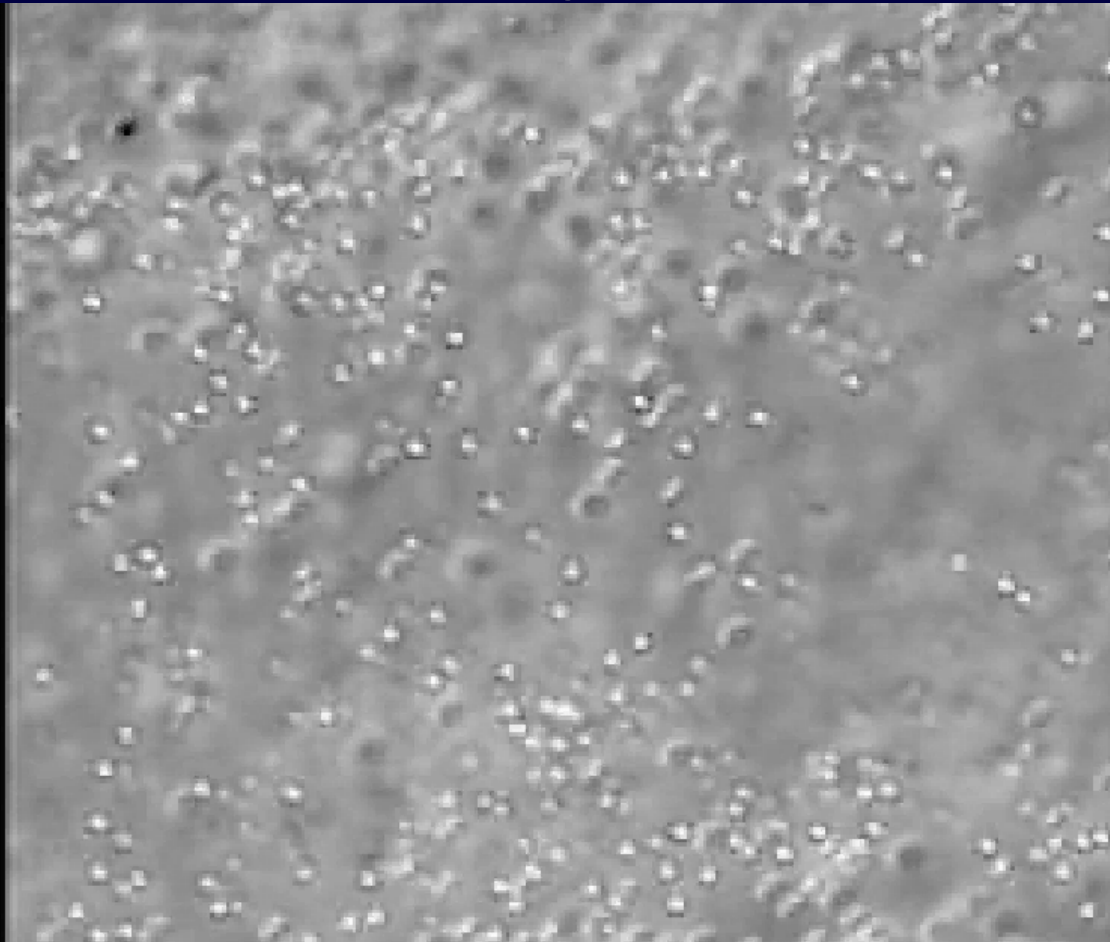
Monocilia on the ventral surface of the notochordal plate of rabbit embryo.



Probe for nodal:
courtesy of Dr Hamada
(Osaka Univ)

Leftward flow in the notochordal plate of the rabbit embryo

Left



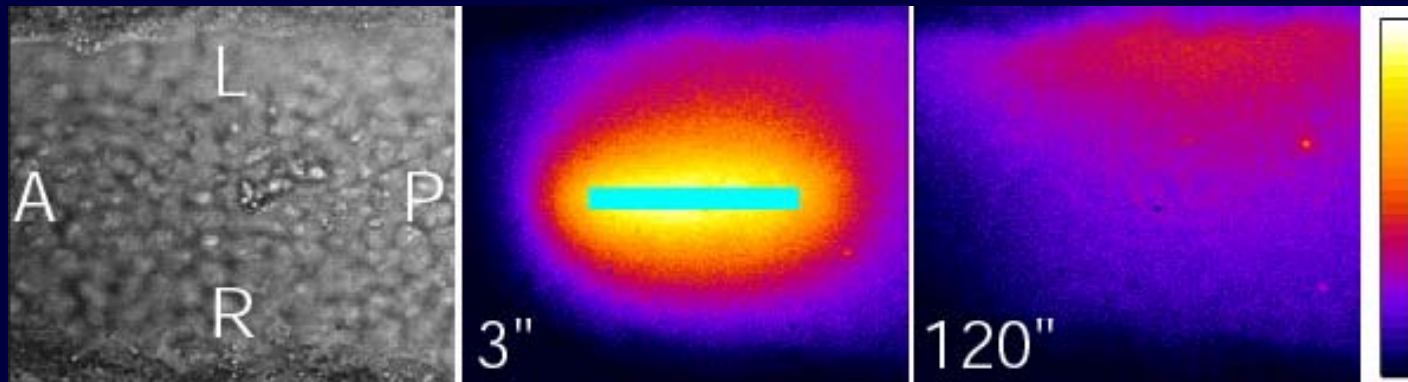
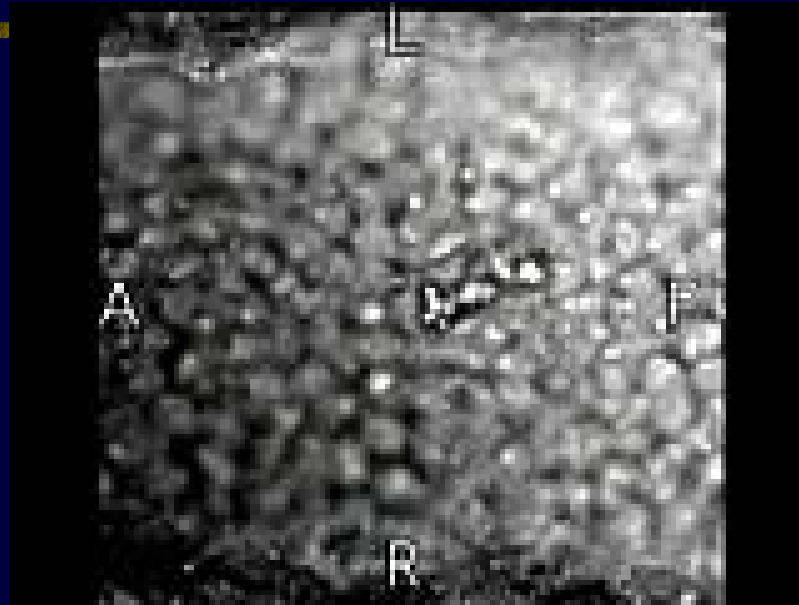
Right

20 um

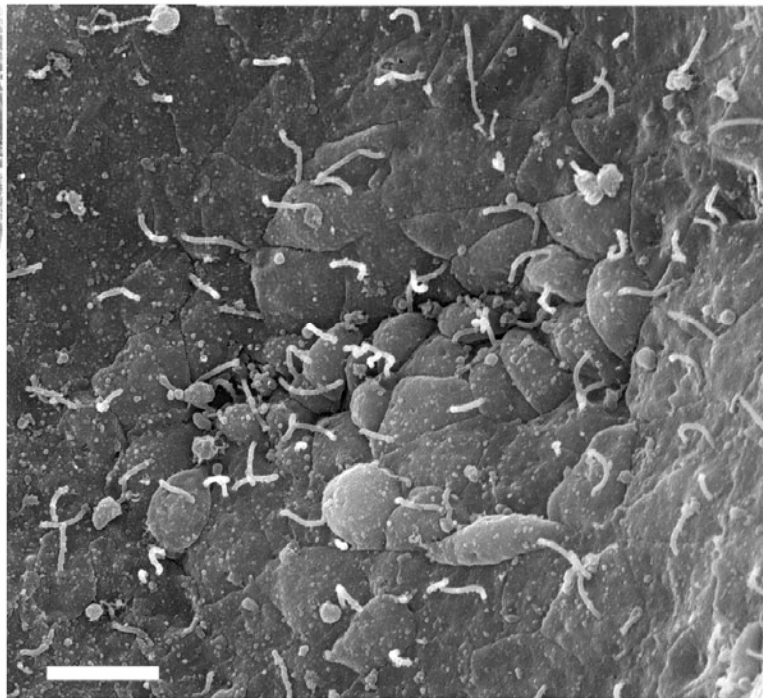
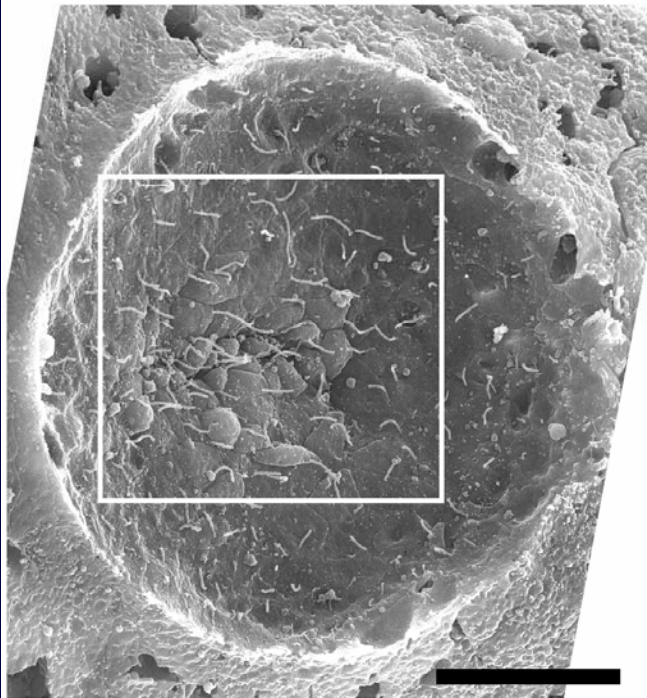
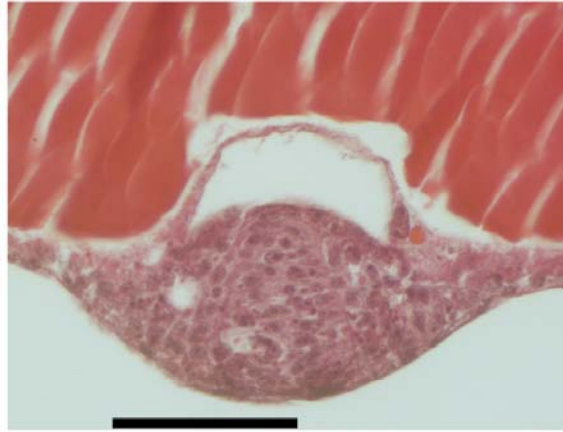
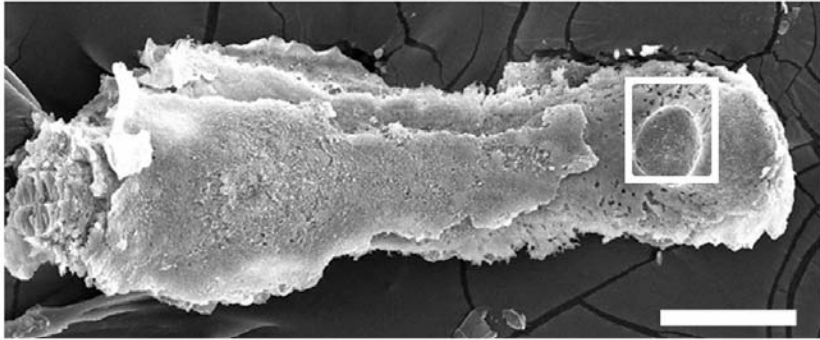


20x Time Lapse

Asymmetric distribution of caged-fluorescent dextran

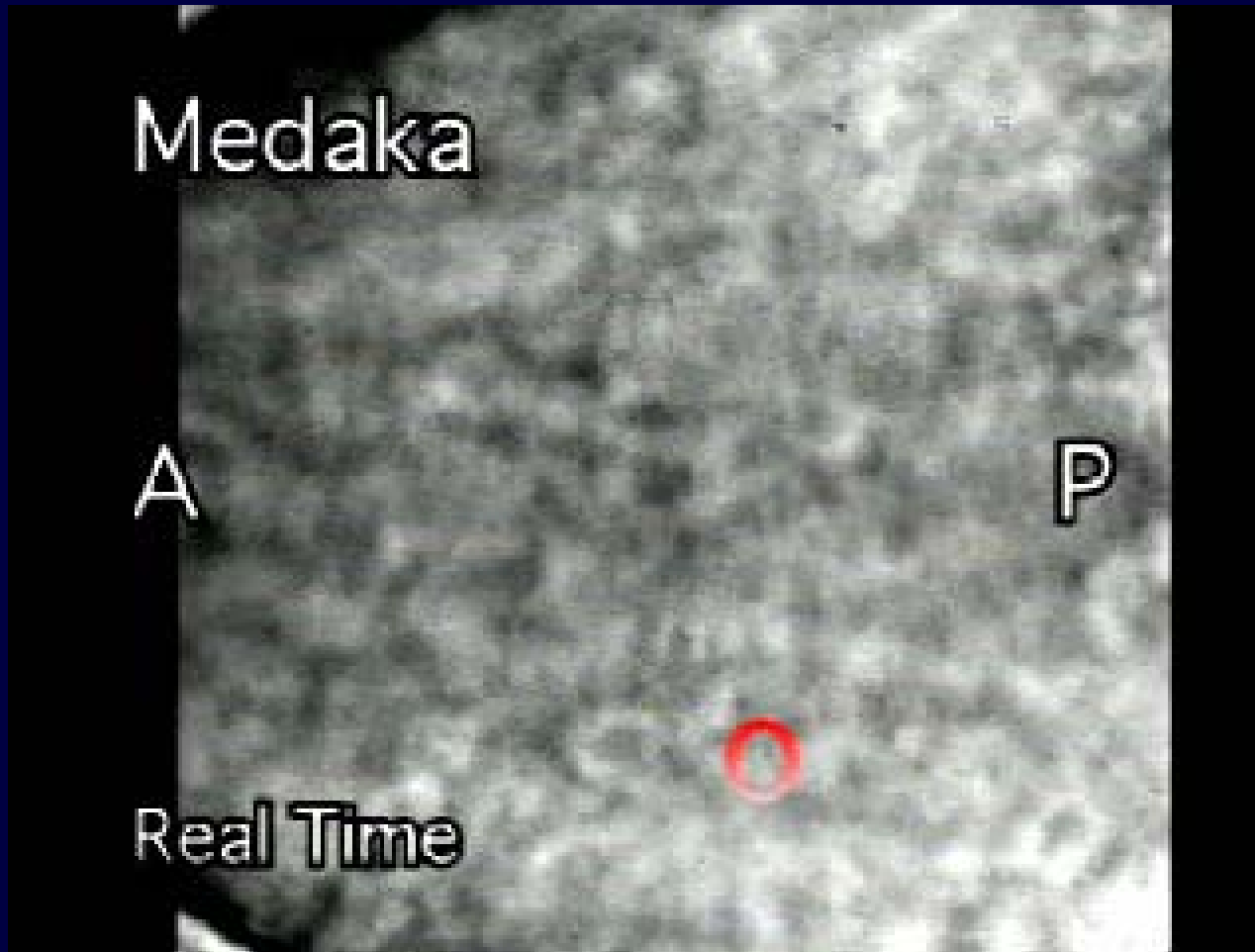


Monocilia
on the
inner
surface of
Kupffer's
vesicle of
medaka
embryo.



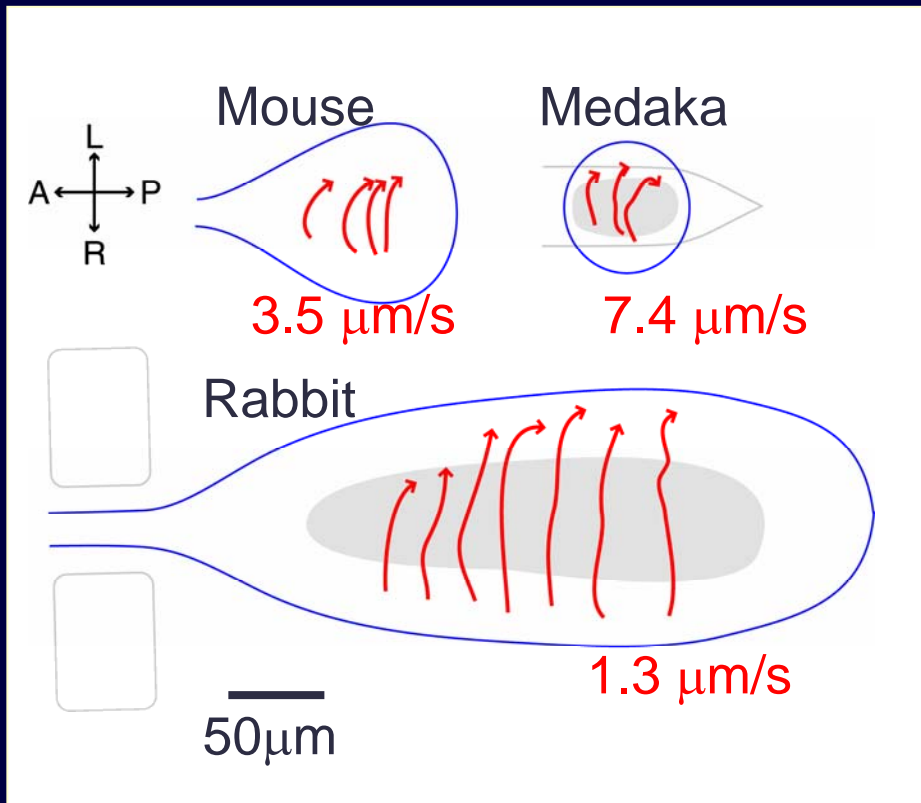
Medaka embryo:
courtesy of Dr.
Shima
(Univ.Tokyo)

Leftward flow in Kupffer's vesicle of medaka embryo



Medaka embryo:
courtesy of Dr. Shima
(Univ.Tokyo)
Hatching enzyme:
courtesy of Dr.
Yasumasu (Sophia)

Leftward Flow in the Ventral Node



Conserved:

- Primary monocilia
- Clockwise rotation
- Leftward flow

Not conserved:

- Shape, size and position of the ciliated organ
- Velocity of the flow

The Nodal Flow Hypothesis

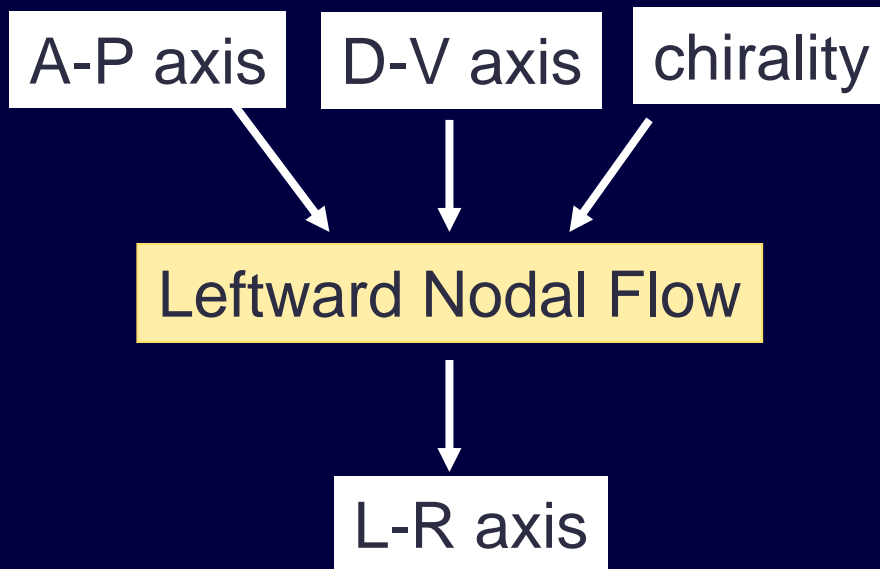
1. Leftward Nodal Flow
2. Left-specific expression of master genes
3. Left/right asymmetric morphogenesis

Tautology!

Doesn't answer why left is left.

Central Question:

What directs the flow to the left?

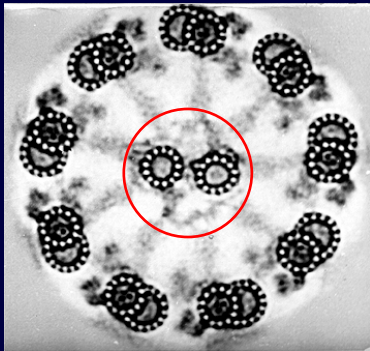


- How are the information of the A-P axis, D-V axis and the chirality integrated to determine the directionality of the nodal flow?

What produces the leftward flow?

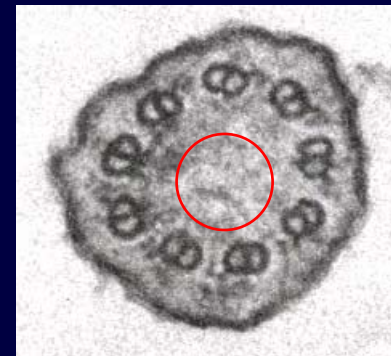
- Rotation of the primary cilia in the node.

Conventional “9+2” cilia



Regulation by the central pair microtubules enables the planar beating.

Primary “9+0” cilia in the node.



No central pair microtubules

→ unable to beat

→ Clockwise rotation

What produces the leftward flow?

- Rotation of 9+0 cilia
- Rotation can only produce vortices.
- In *inv* mutant mice, and in the wild type embryos at the earlier stages, the flow is vortical and the leftward flow is not evident.

Some mechanism(s) exist for the conversion into the laminar leftward flow.

Rotation of Monocilia



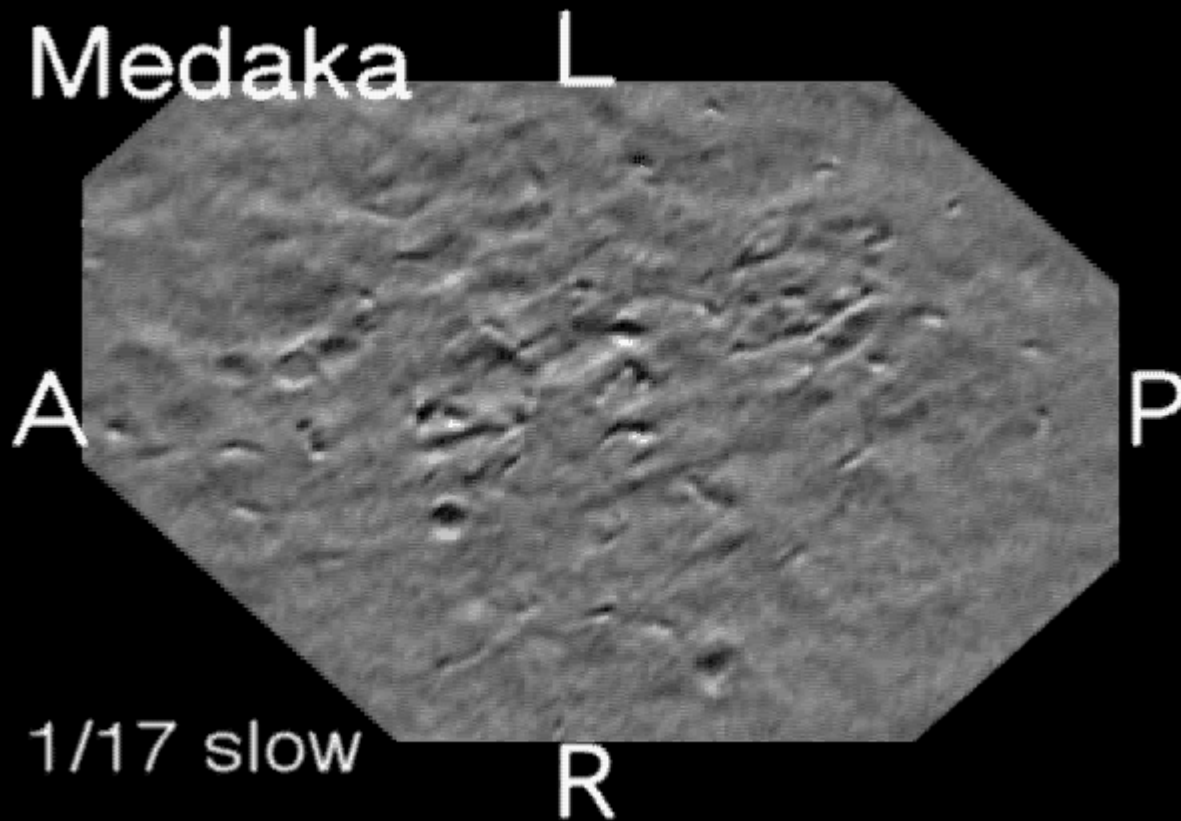
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Posteriorly Tilted Rotation of Monocilia



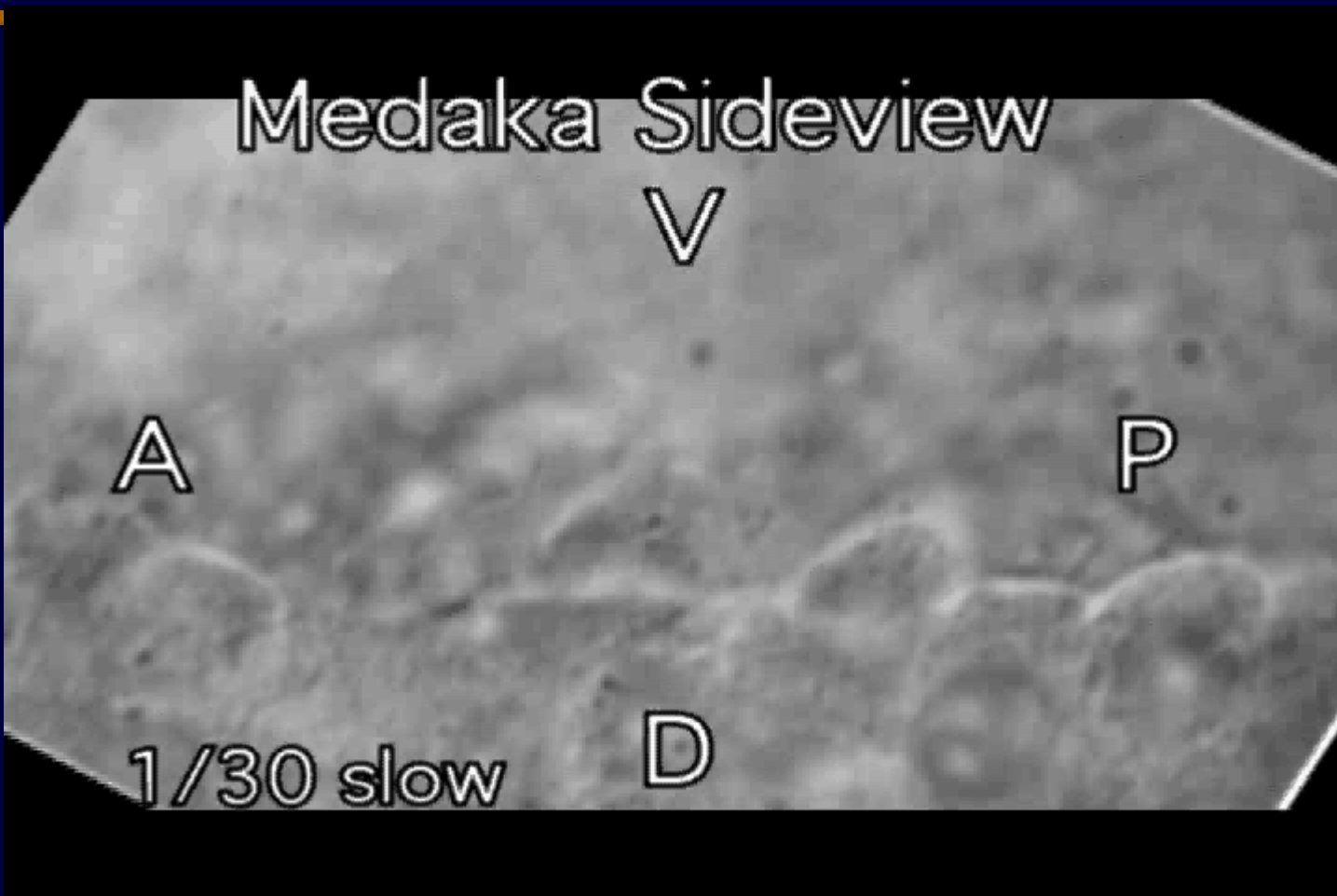
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1000 frames / sec

Posteriorly Tilted Rotation of Monocilia

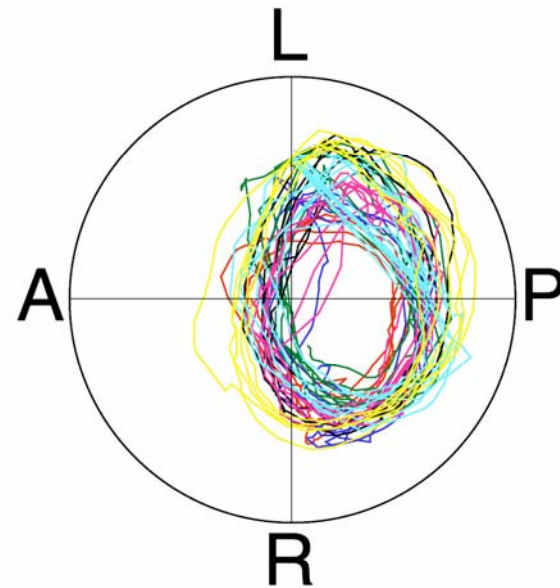
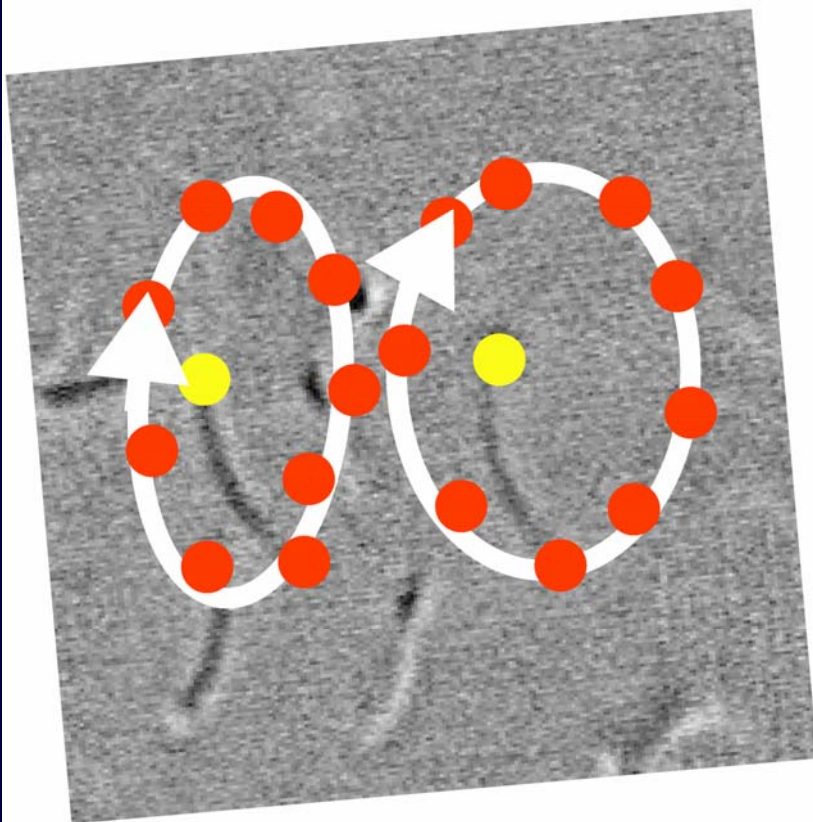


Side view



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Posteriorly tilted rotation of cilia

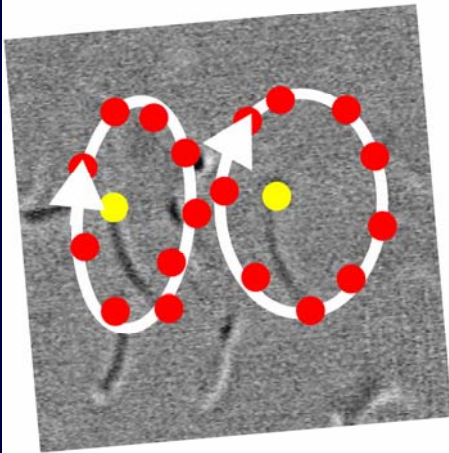


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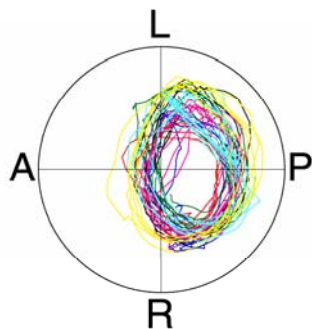


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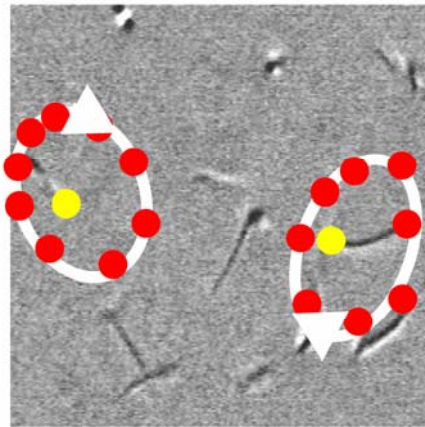
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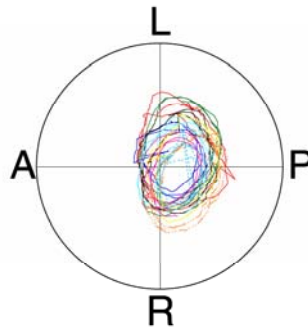
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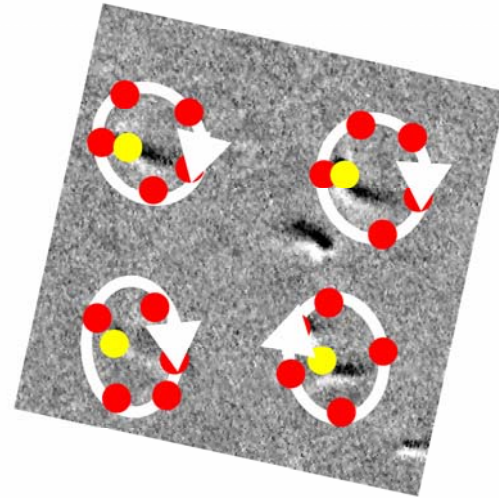
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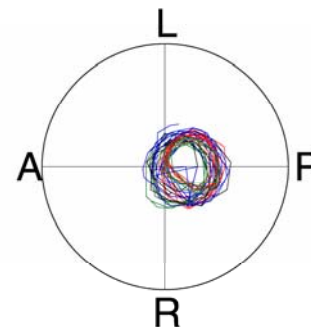
$7.2 \pm 2.3\text{Hz}$



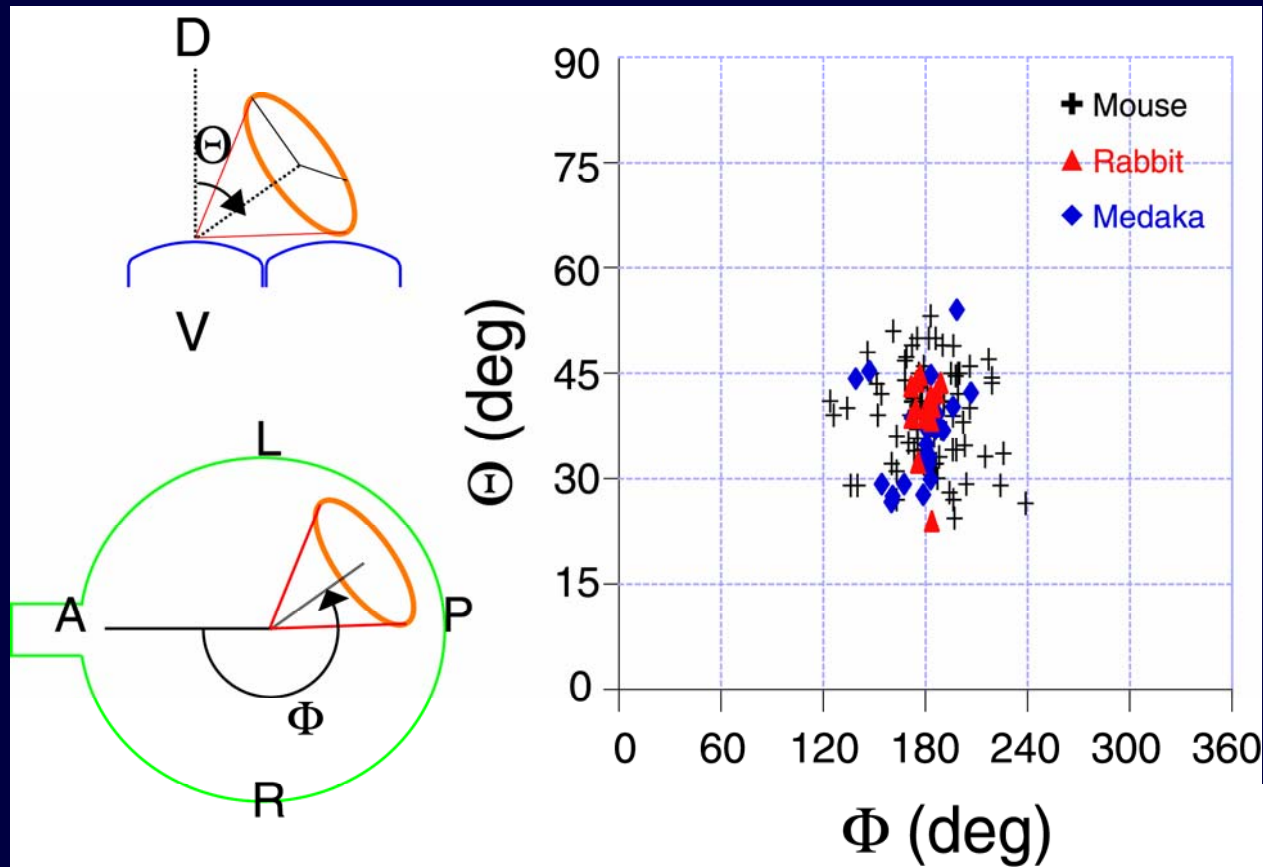
medaka



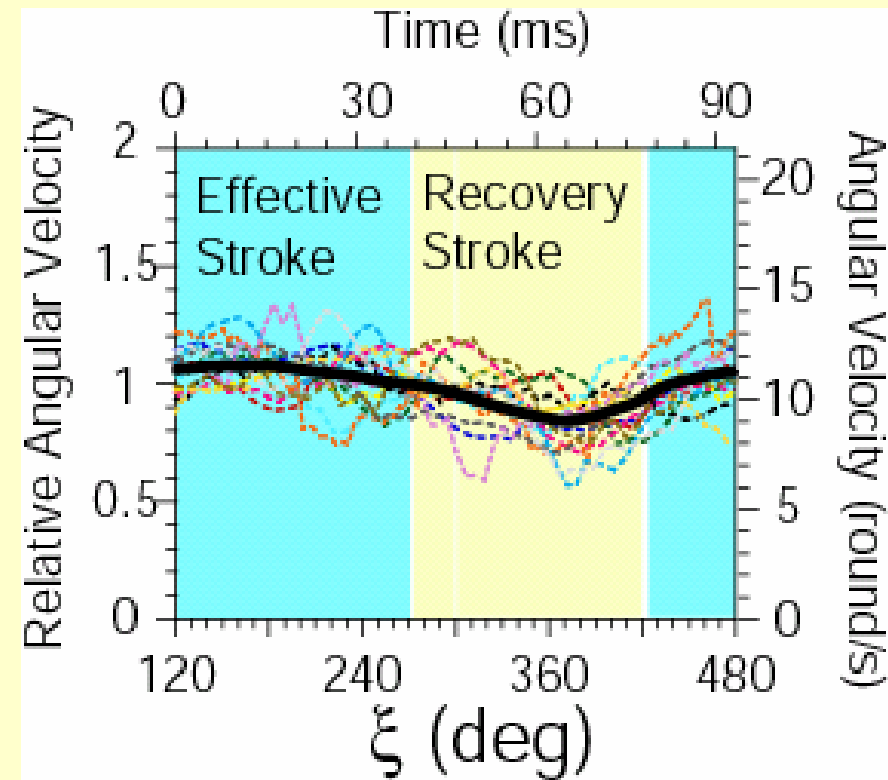
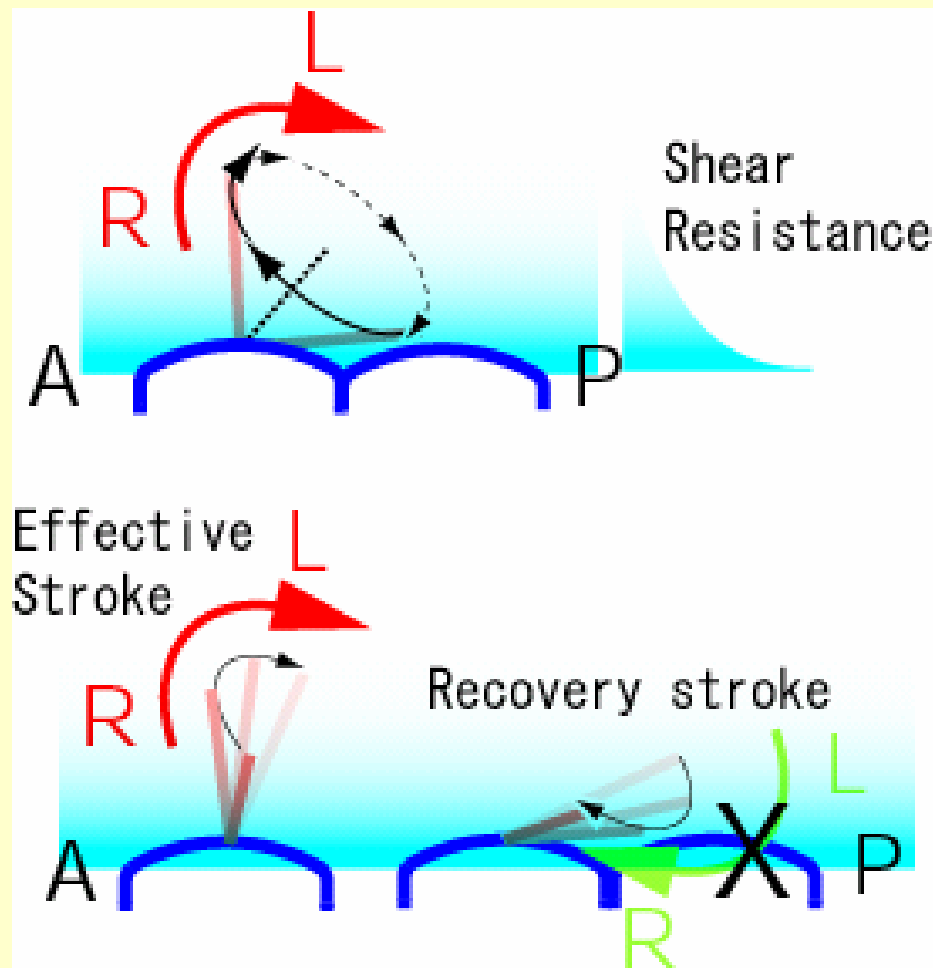
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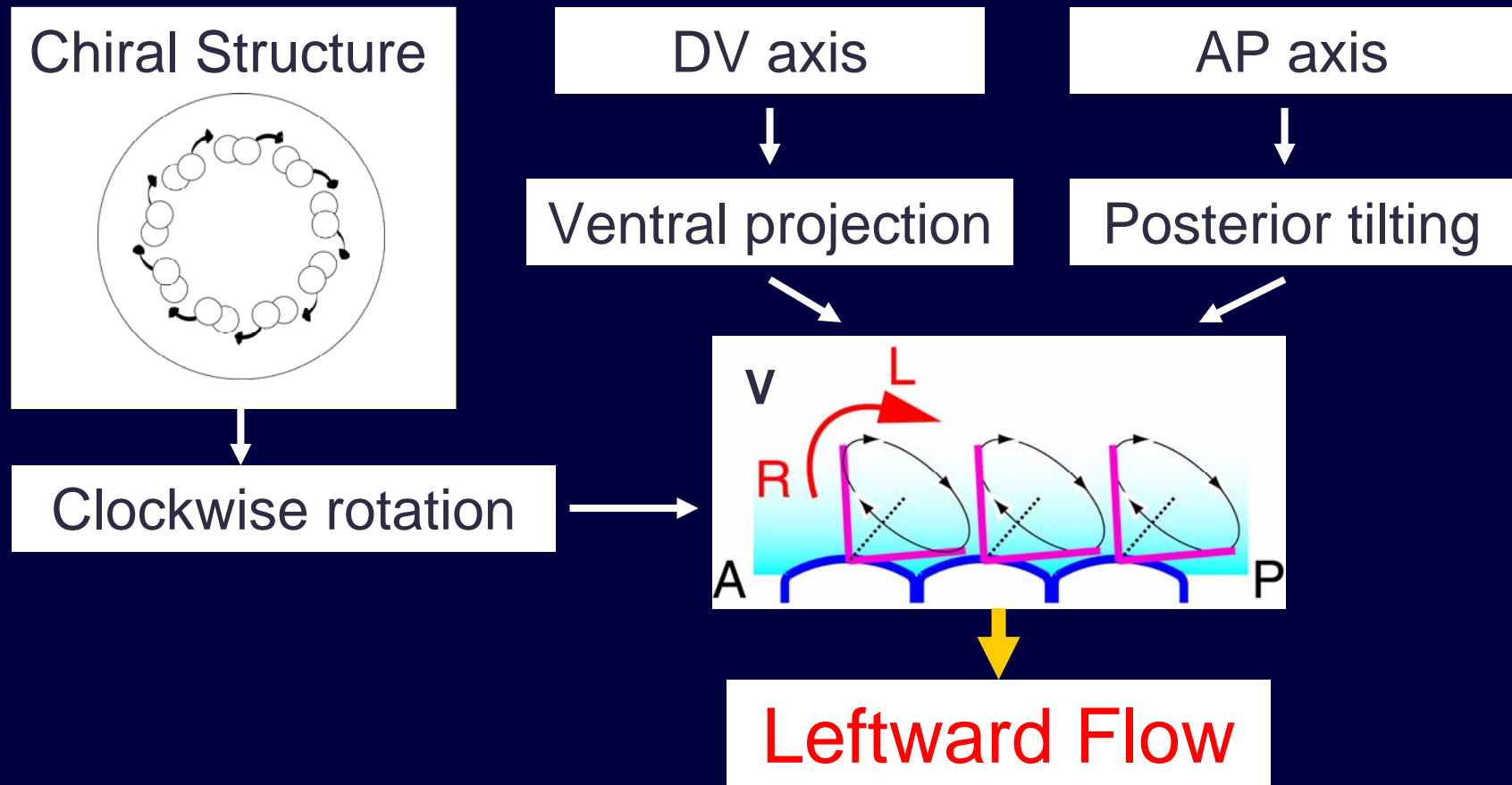
Axis of Rotation is Tilted $\sim 40^\circ$ to the Posterior.



Hydrodynamic Mechanism of the Generation of the Leftward Flow



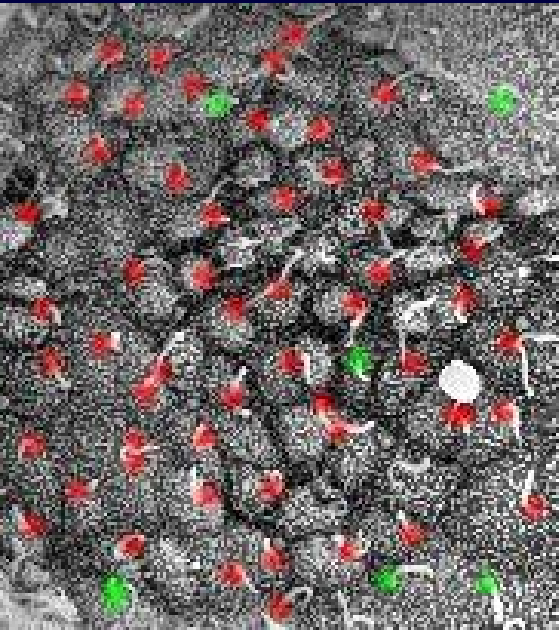
Cilia integrate the information of the axes and the chirality



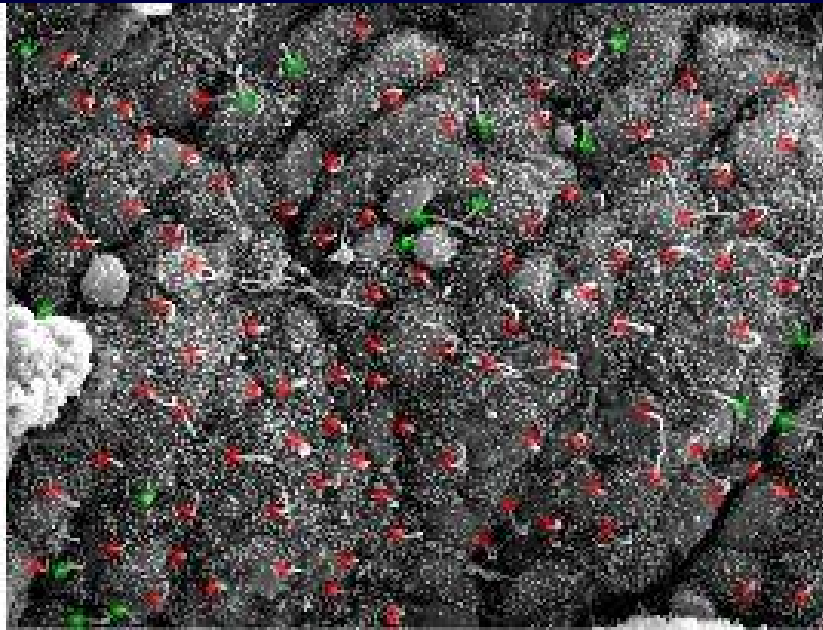
What determines the posterior tilting of the nodal cilia?

Posterior projection of nodal cilia

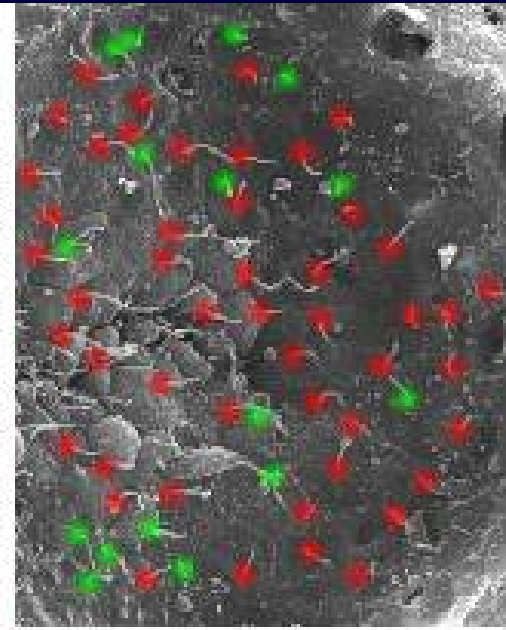
Mouse



Rabbit

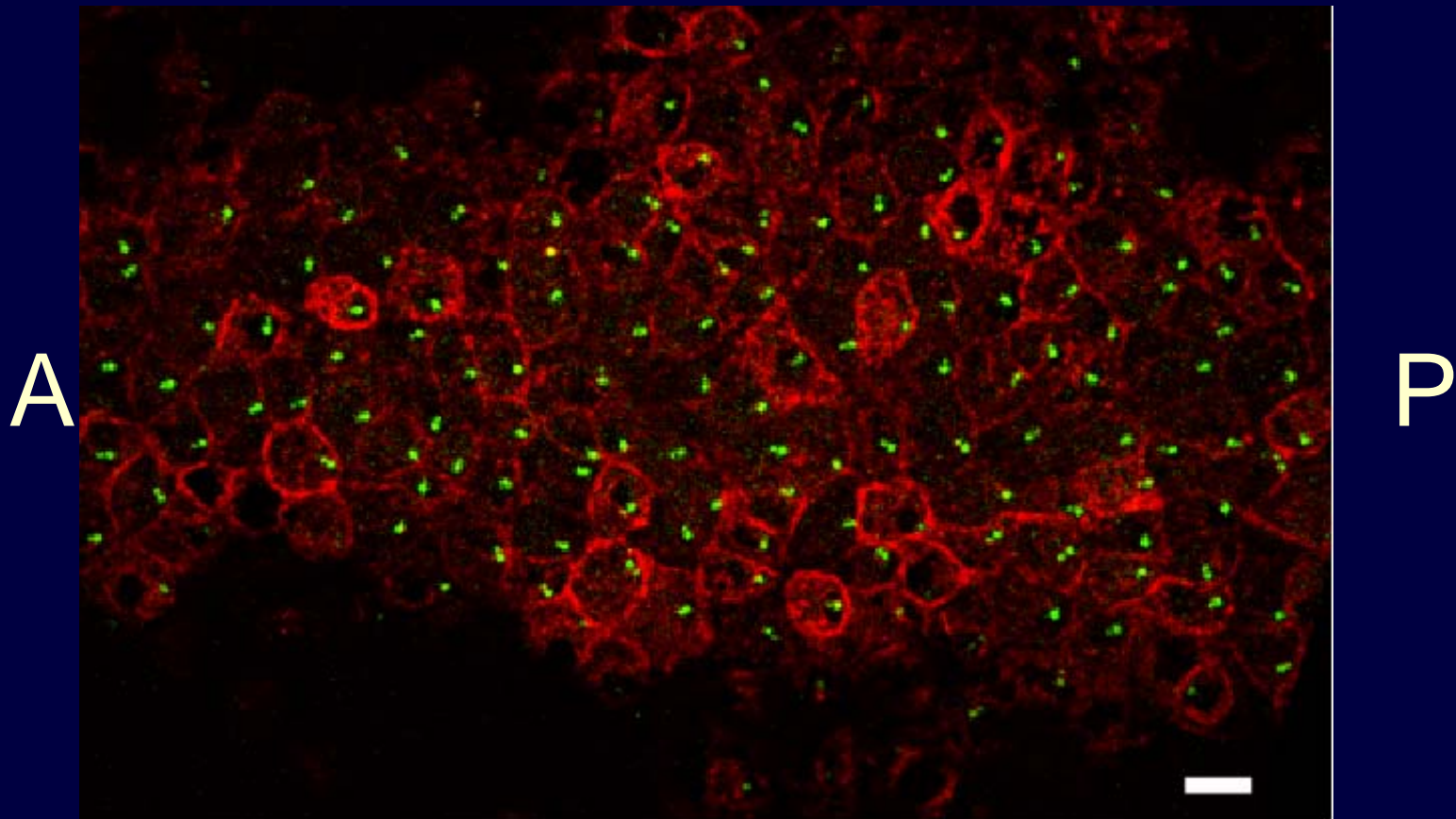


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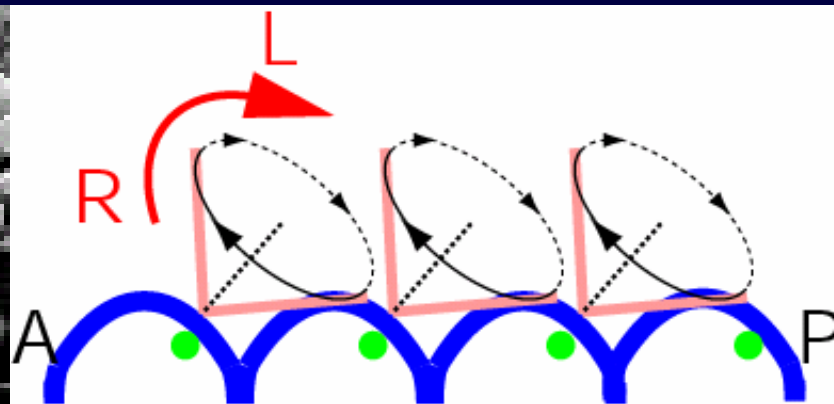
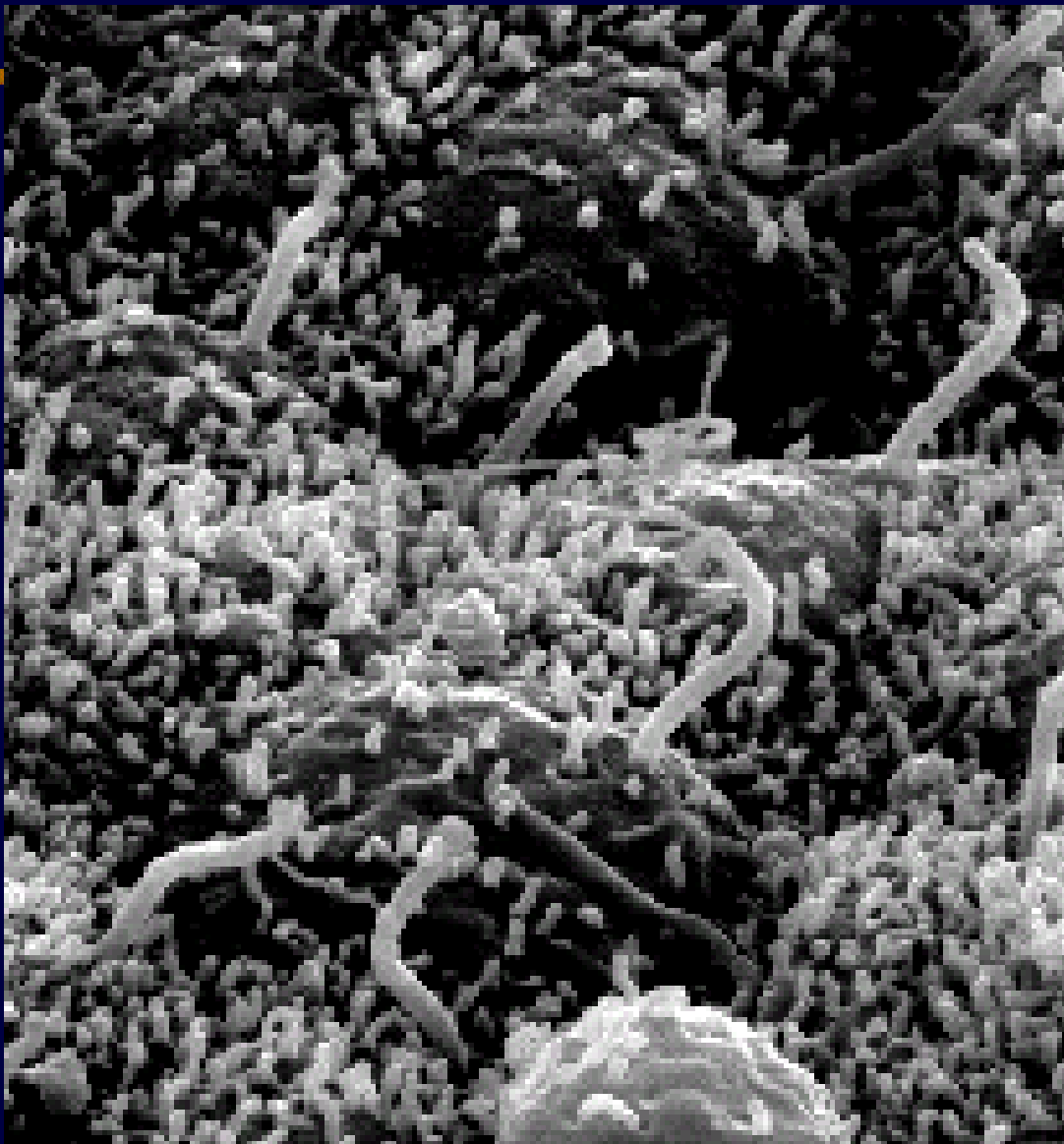
Red: Cilia projecting from posterior quadrant of the apical surface.
Green: Cilia projecting from other quadrants.

Posterior Positioning of Basal Body

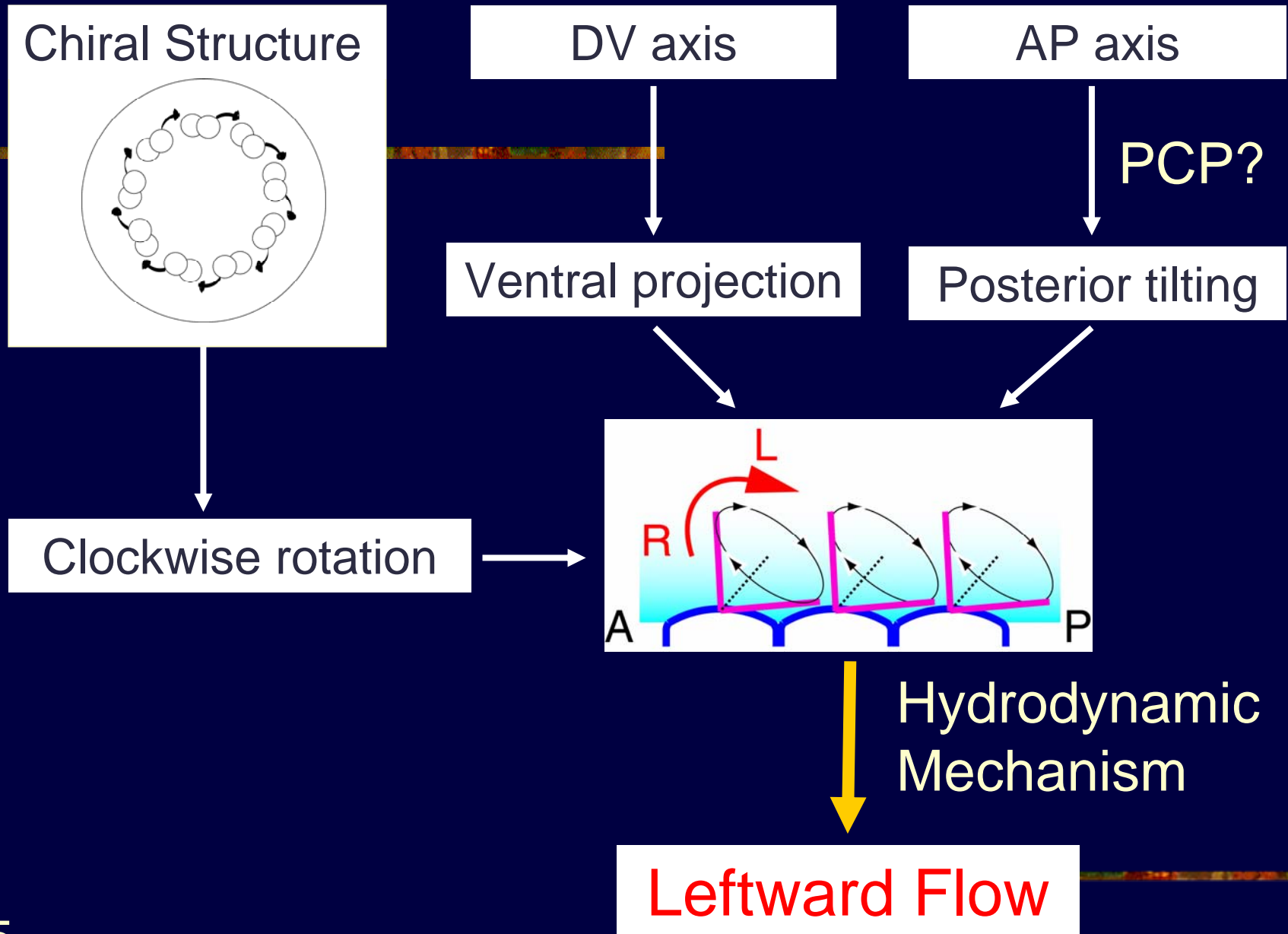


Green: γ -tubulin, Red: apical cell surface

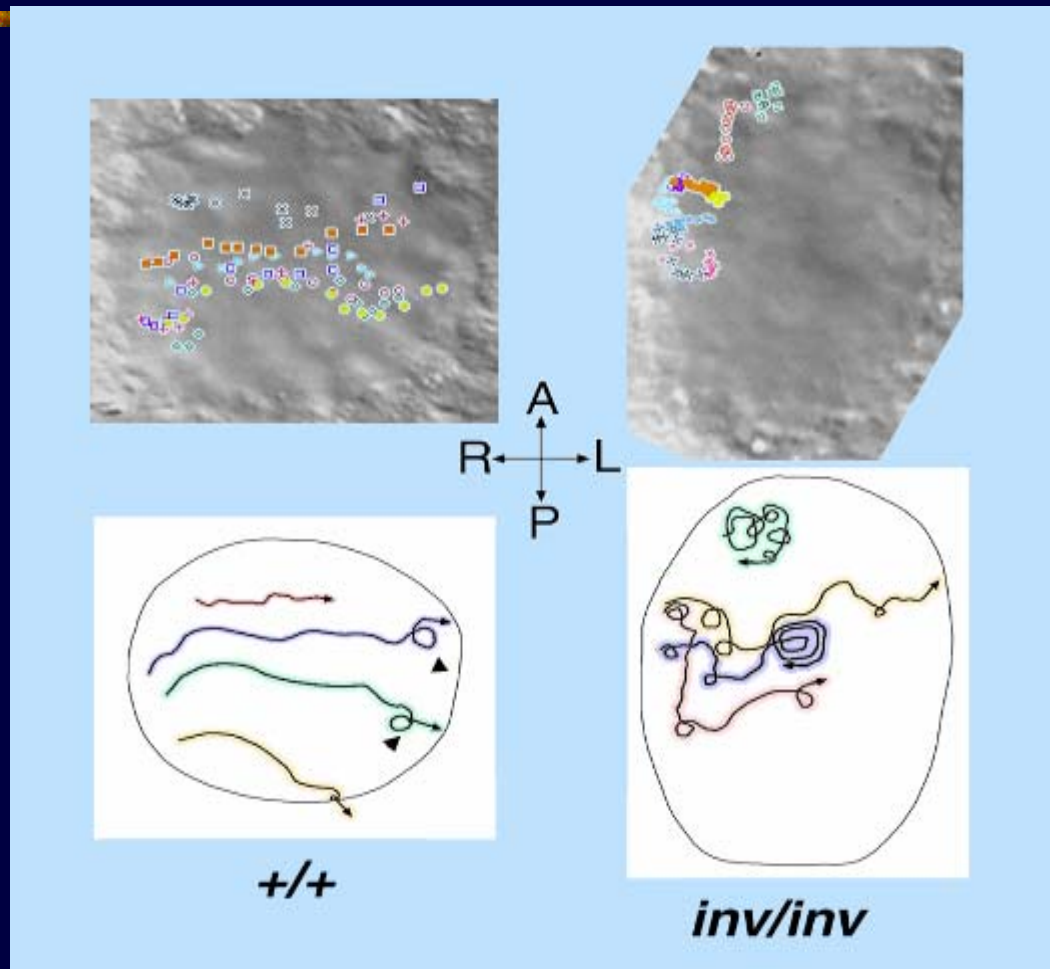
Potential link to planar cell polarity



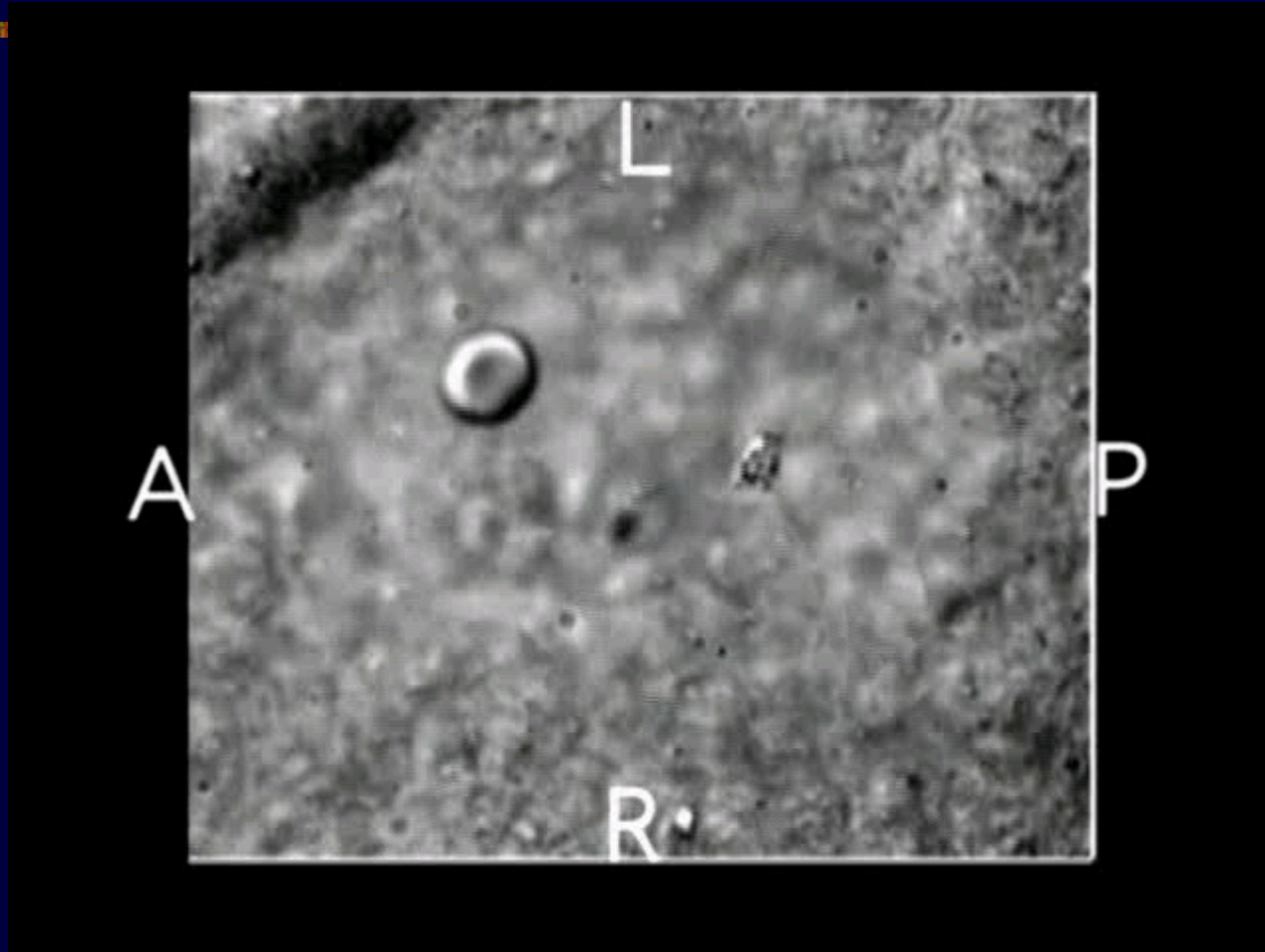
Posterior positioning of basal body and the dome-like shape of the apical surface might determine the posterior tilting of nodal cilia.



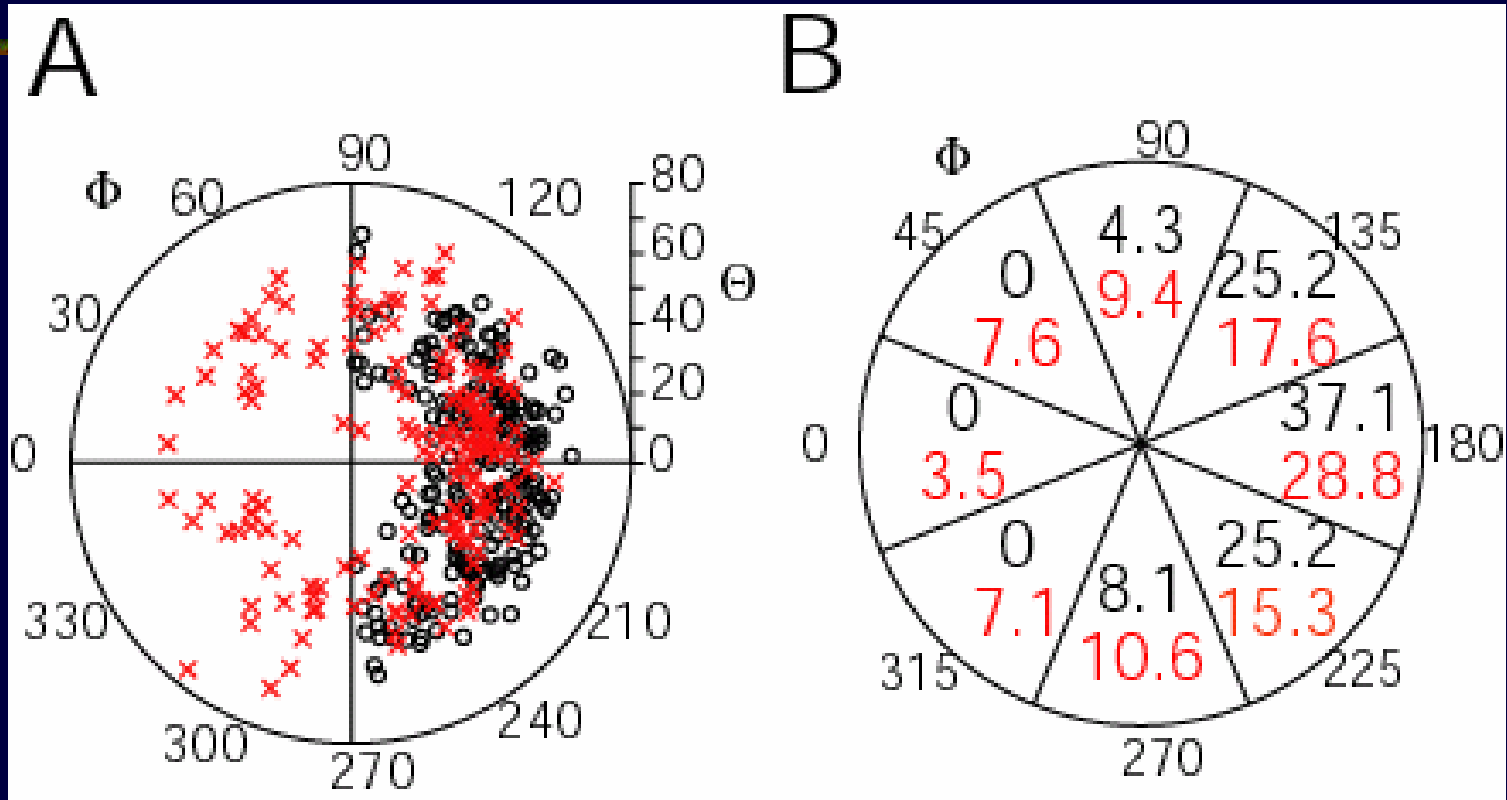
Slow leftward flow with meandering streamline in *inv* mutant mice.



Slow nodal flow and abnormal rotation of nodal cilia in *inv/inv* mouse



Wider distribution of the direction of the rotation axis in *inv* mutant.

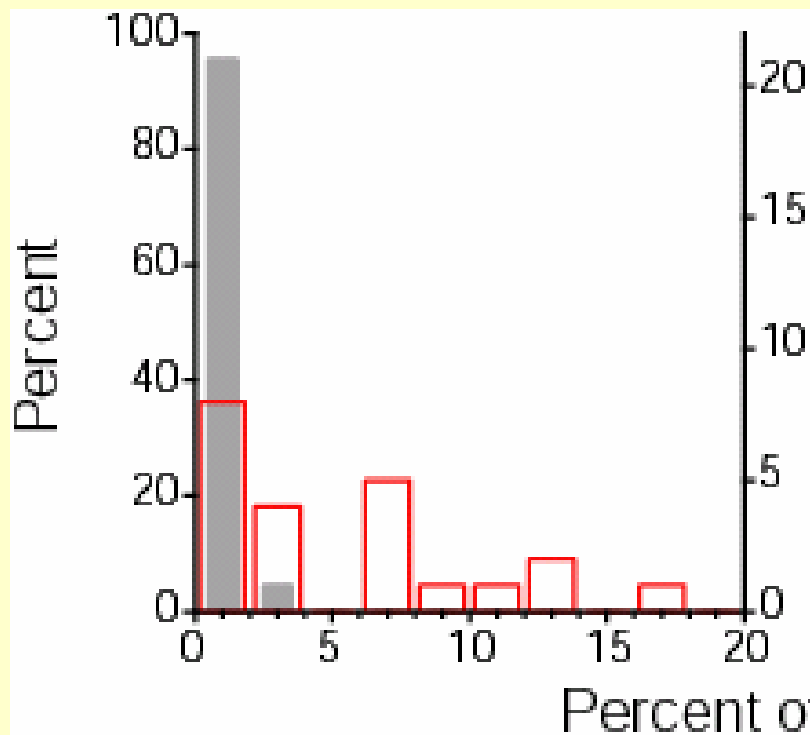


Red: *inv/inv*, Black: *inv/+*

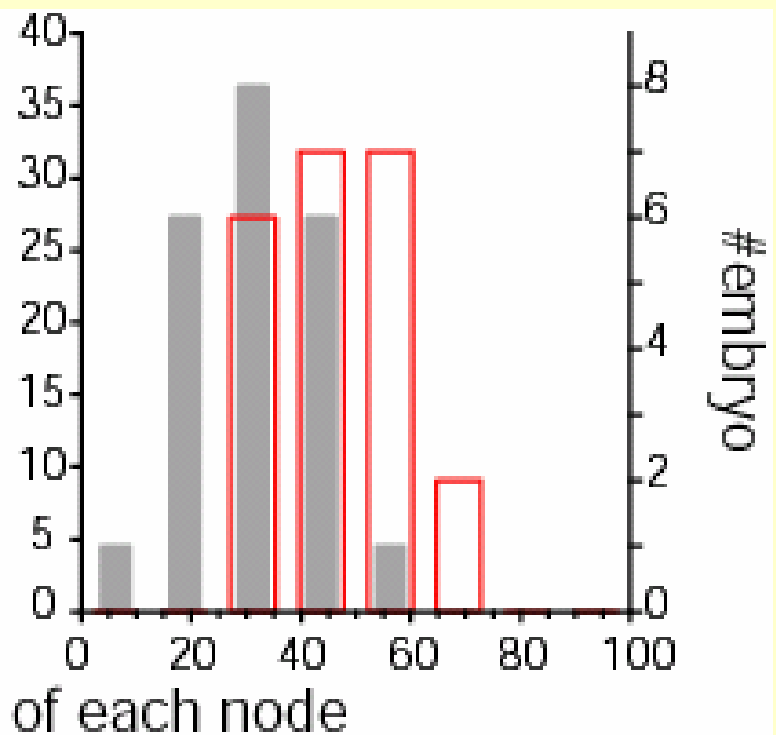
~20% of cilia were anteriorly tilted in *inv/inv* mice.

Abnormal rotation of nodal cilia in some *inv/inv* mutants

CCW rotation

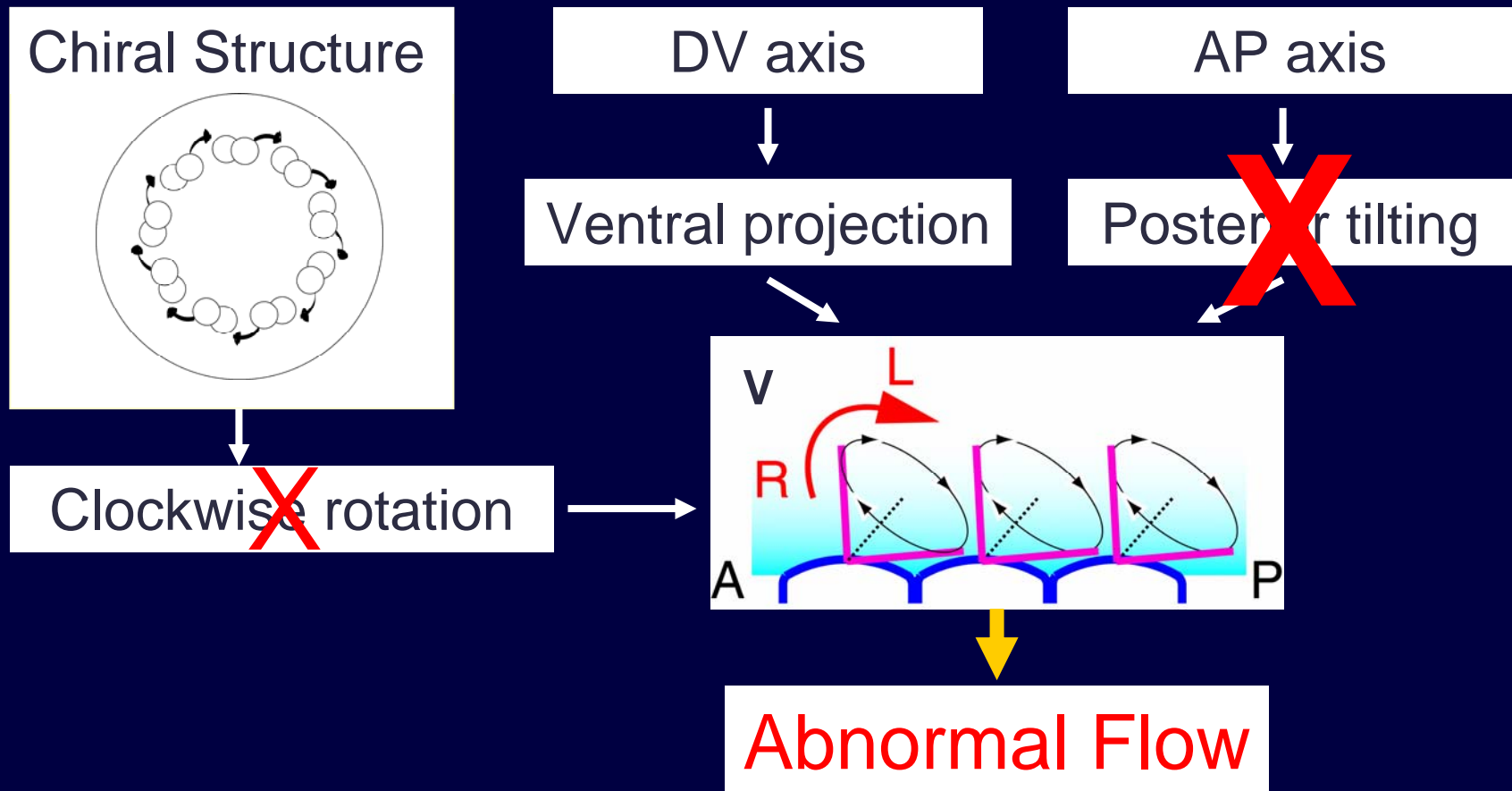


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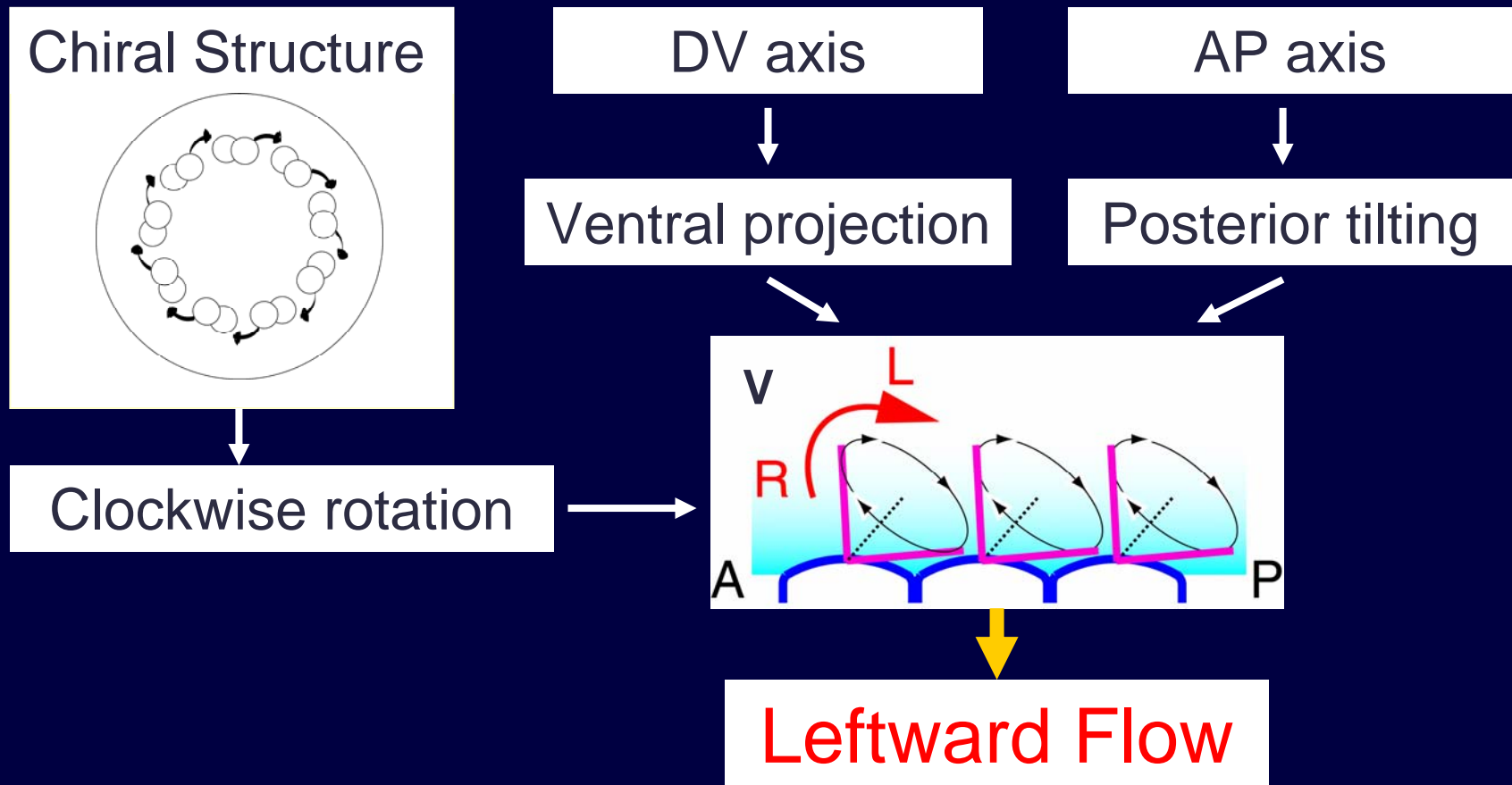


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Mechanism of abnormal flow in *inv* mutant mice.



Cilia integrates the information of the axes and the chirality



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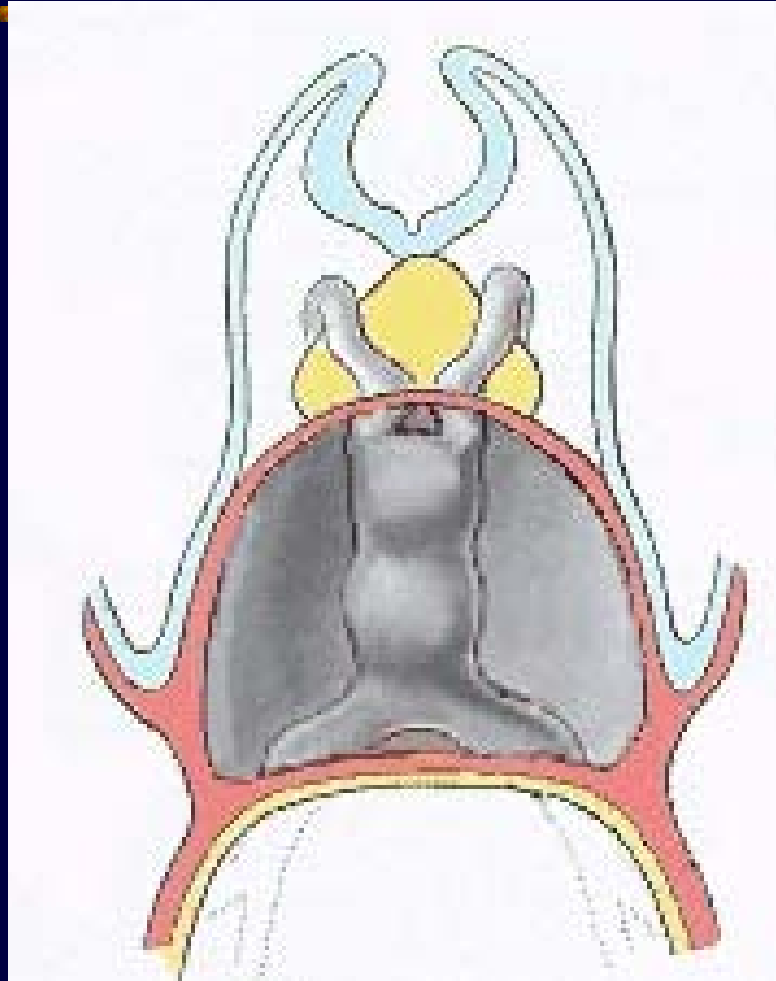
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FGF-induced vesicular release of
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in leftward nodal flow is critical for
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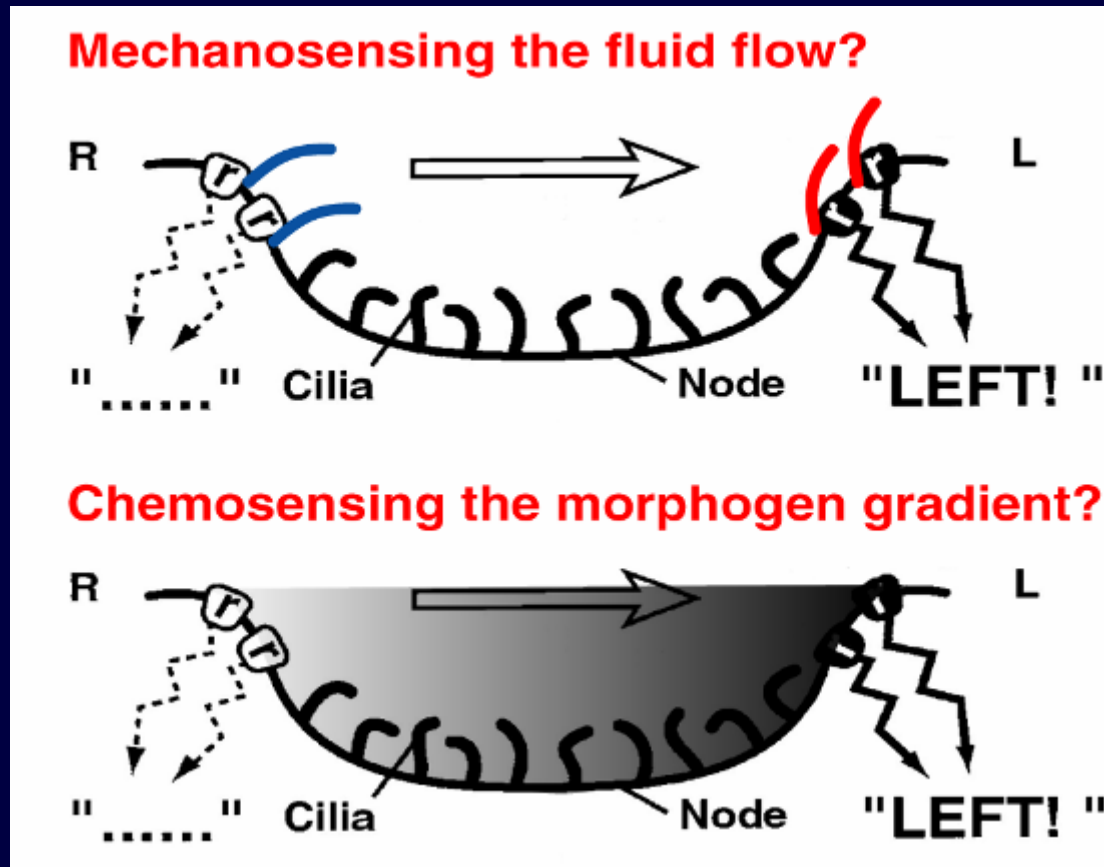
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Symmetry breaking is essential for developing your internal organs

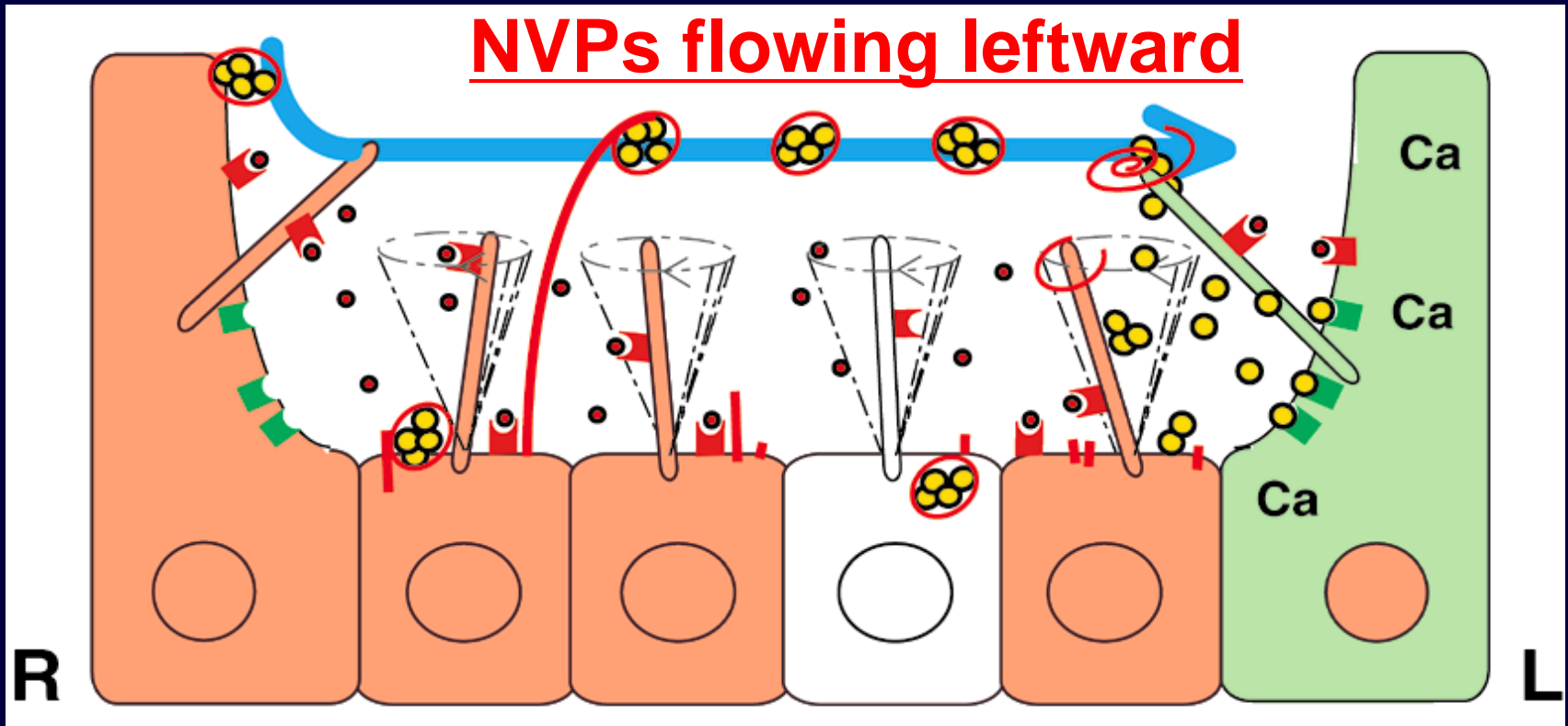


(William Larsen's Human Embryology website)

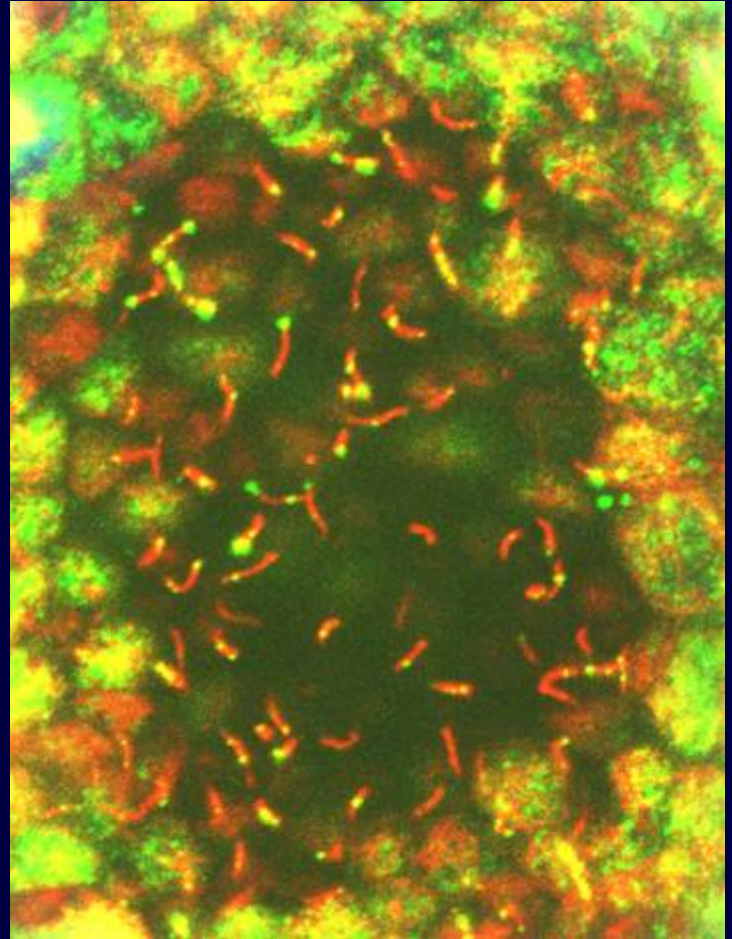
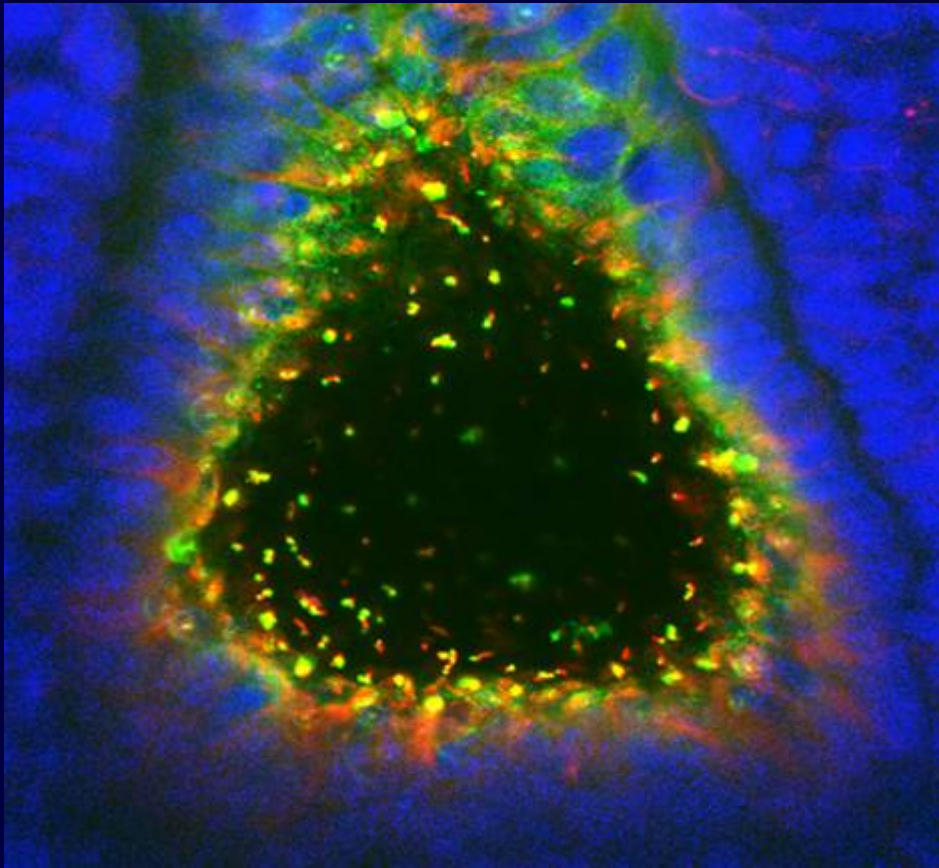
The sensing mechanism of nodal flow is very much controversial



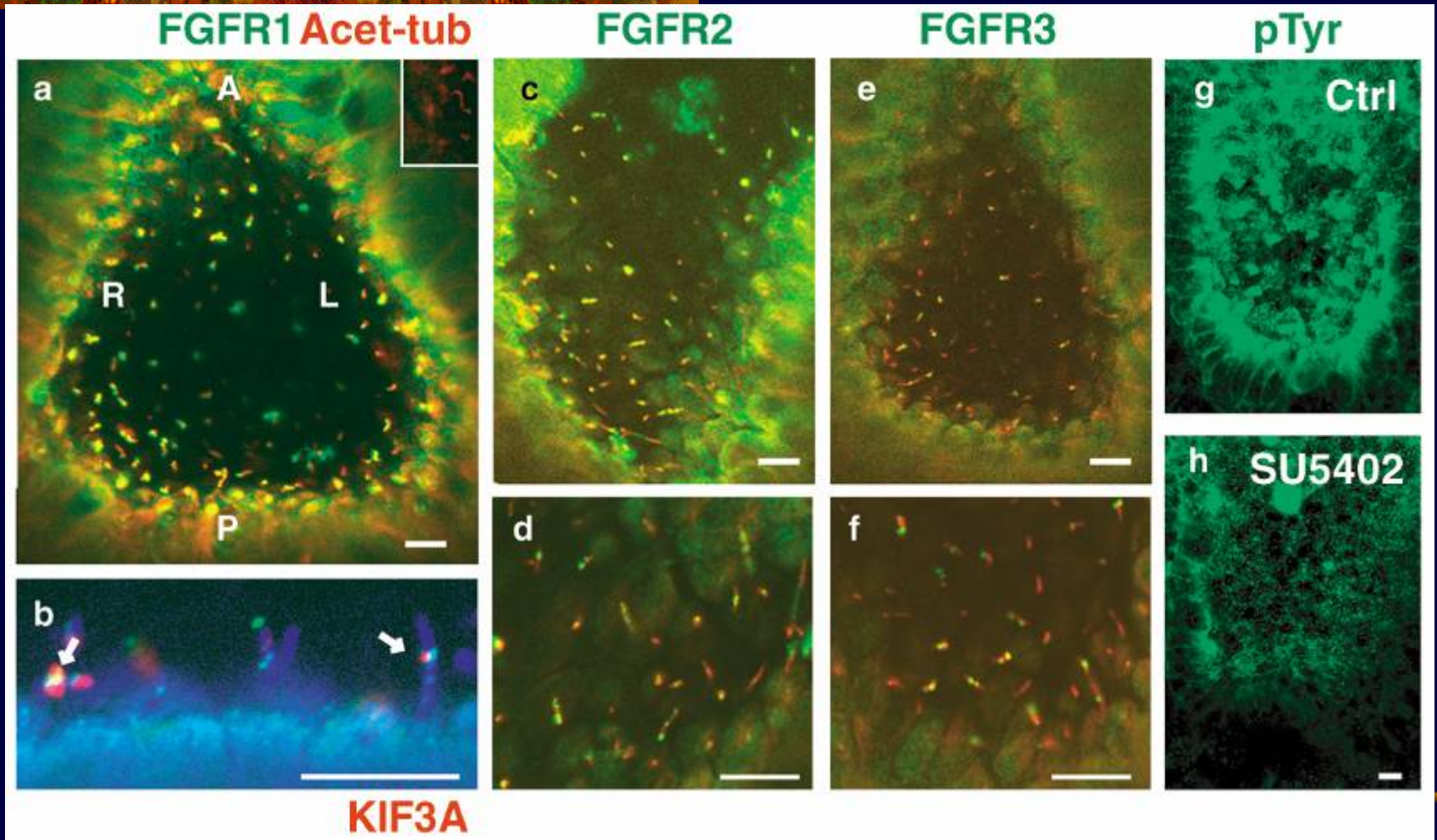
We identified morphogen-carrying vesicular parcels flowing to the left



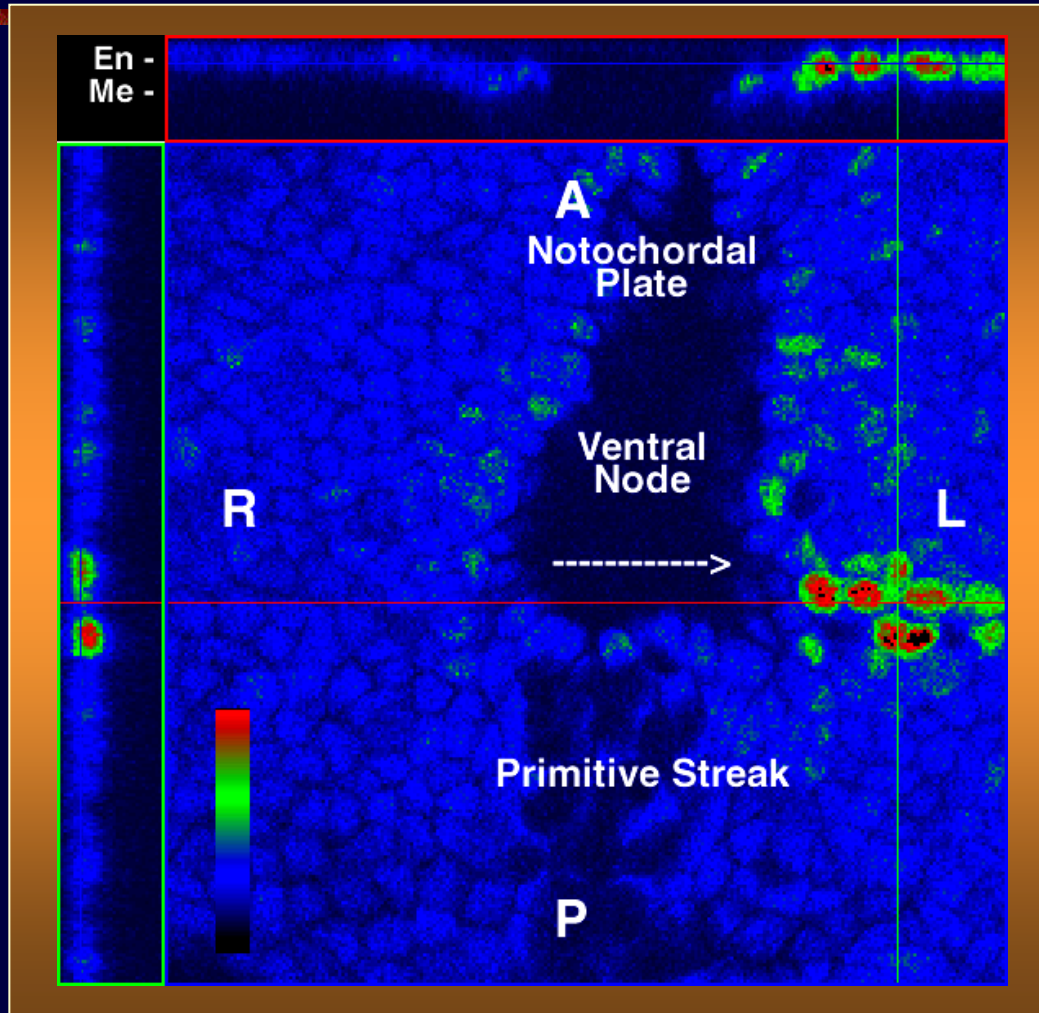
FGF receptors in ventral node



Active FGF signals in ventral nodal region

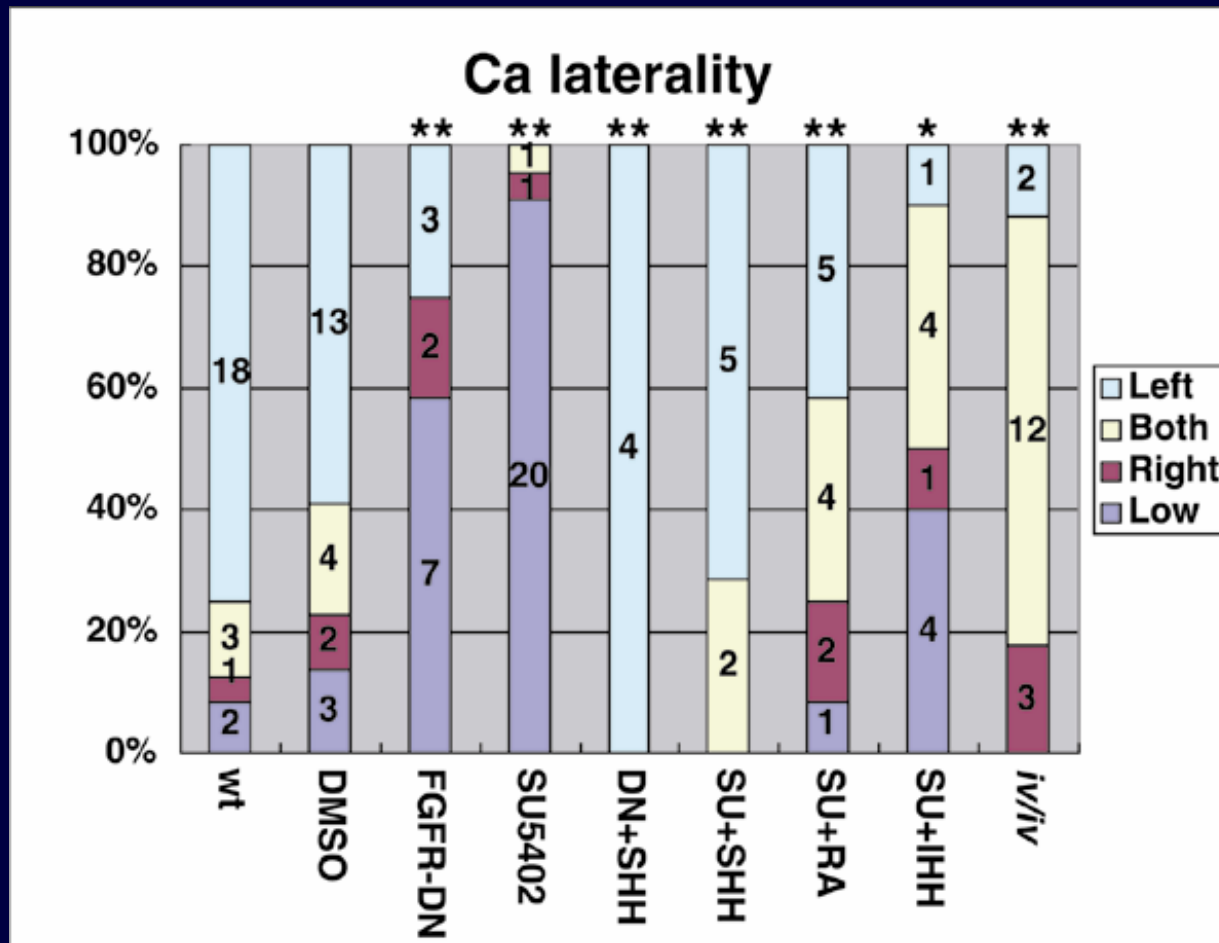


Ca elevation in left definitive endoderm

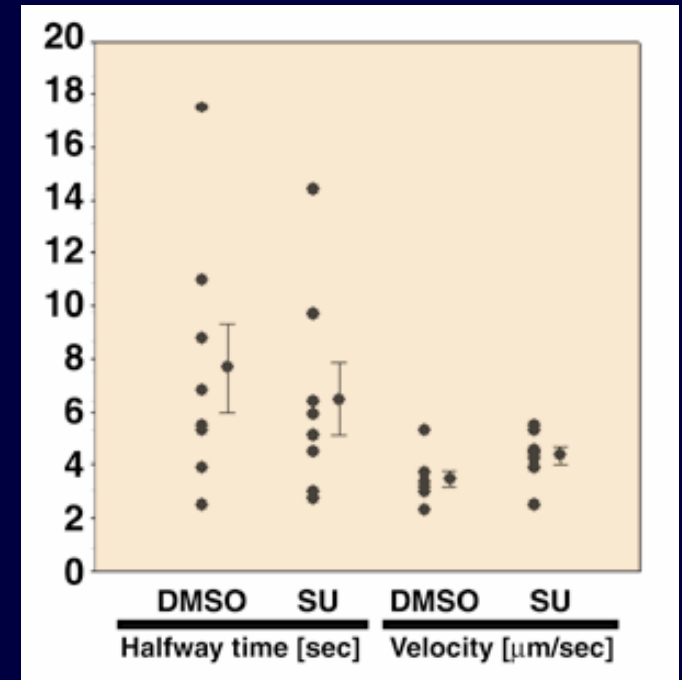
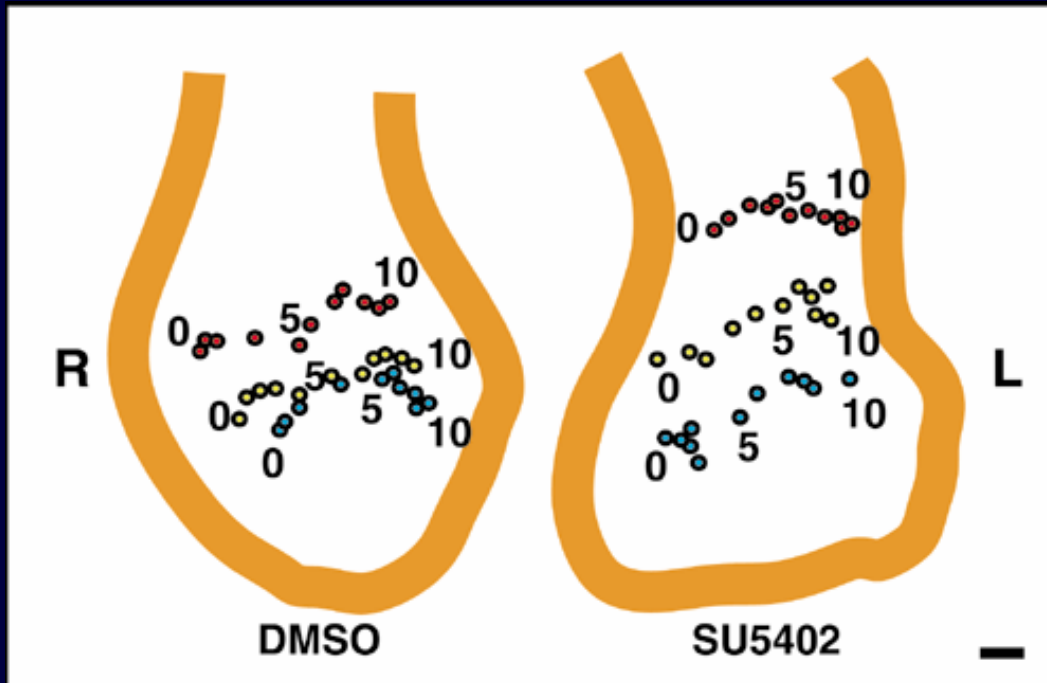




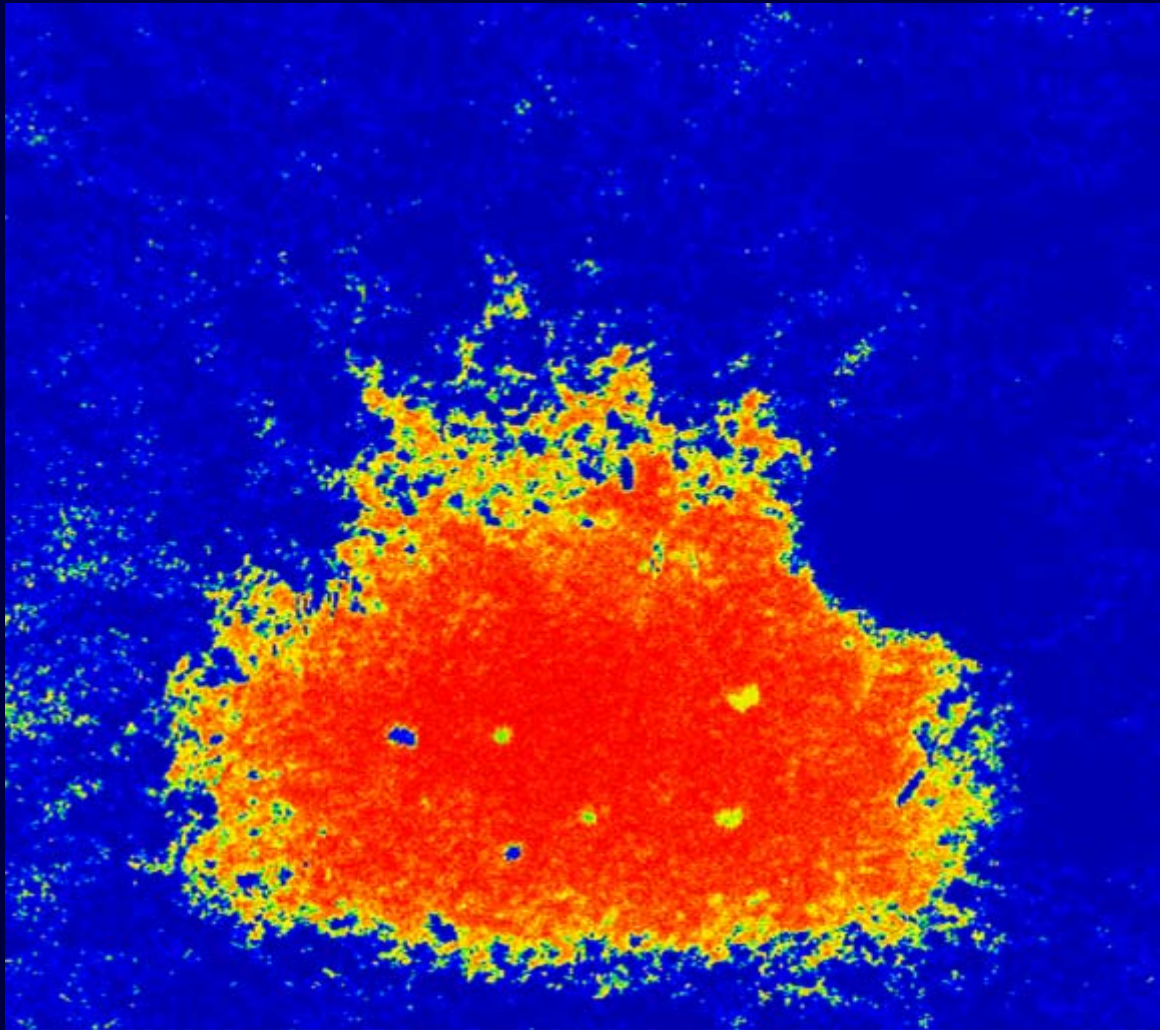
RA and SHH elevated Ca on the left side in the presence of SU5402



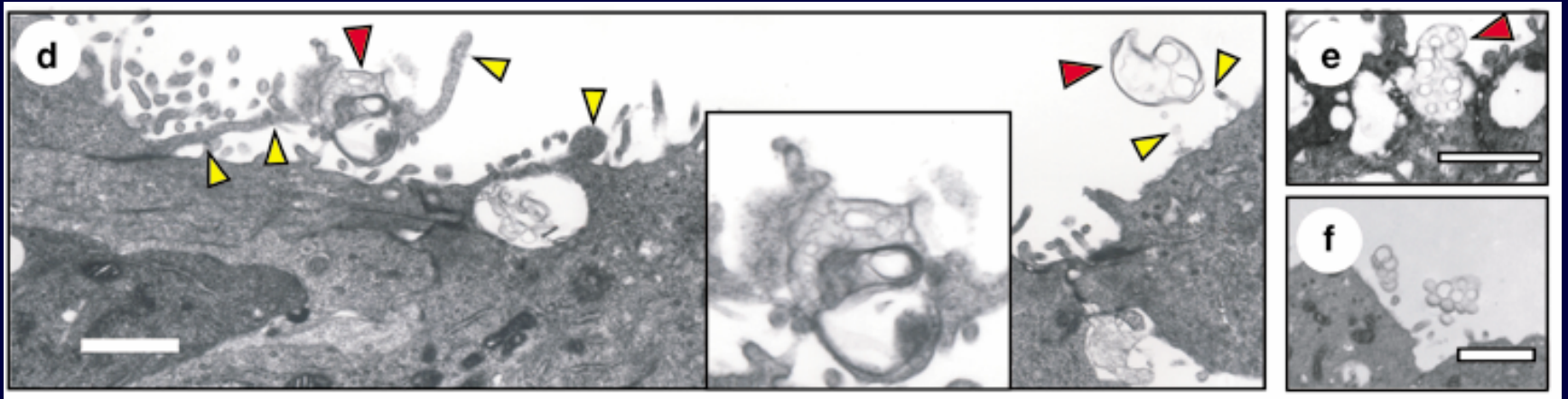
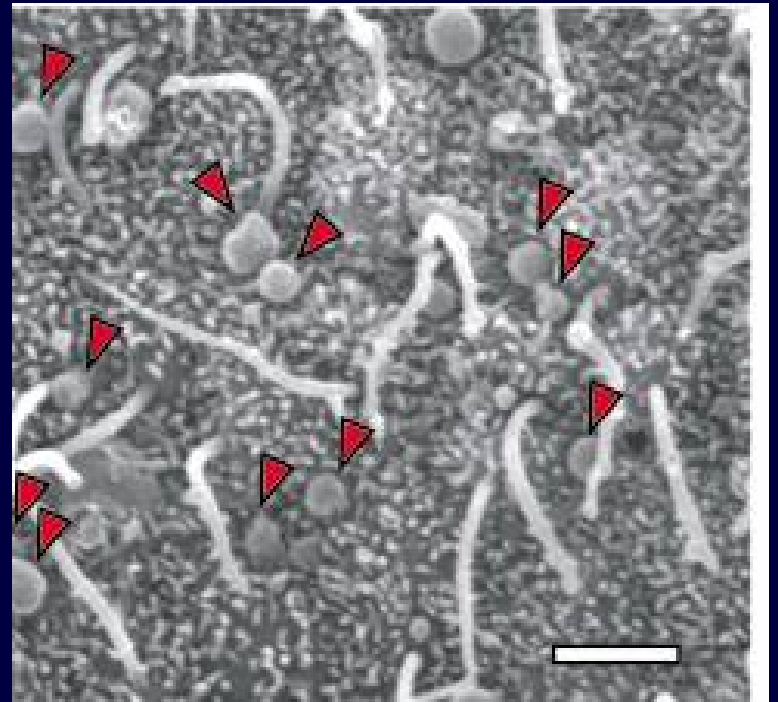
SU5402 did not apparently impair the fluid flow on 1-3 somite stage



Nodal Vesicular Parcels (NVPs) flows from the right to the left

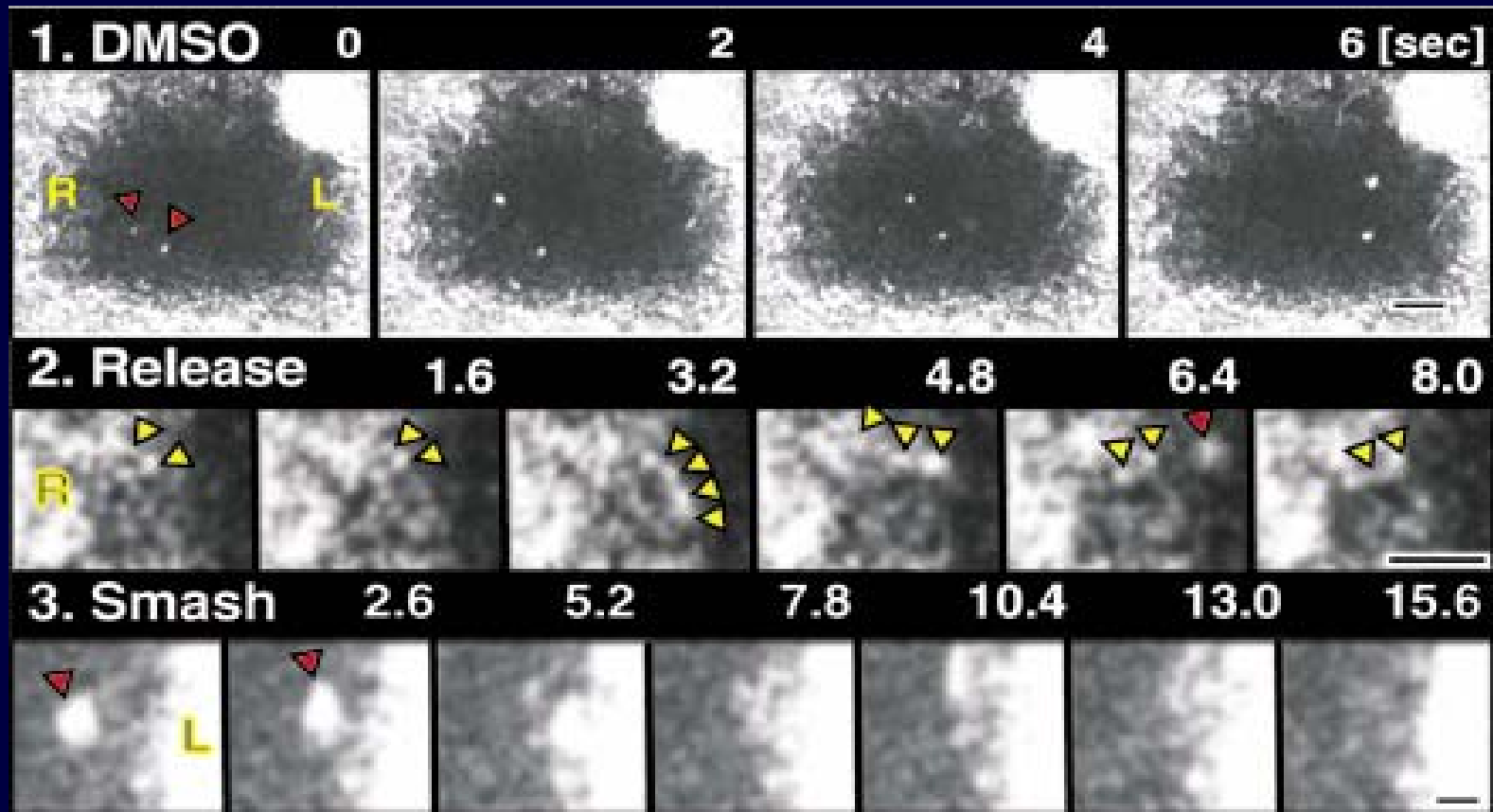


NVPs are
associated with
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release

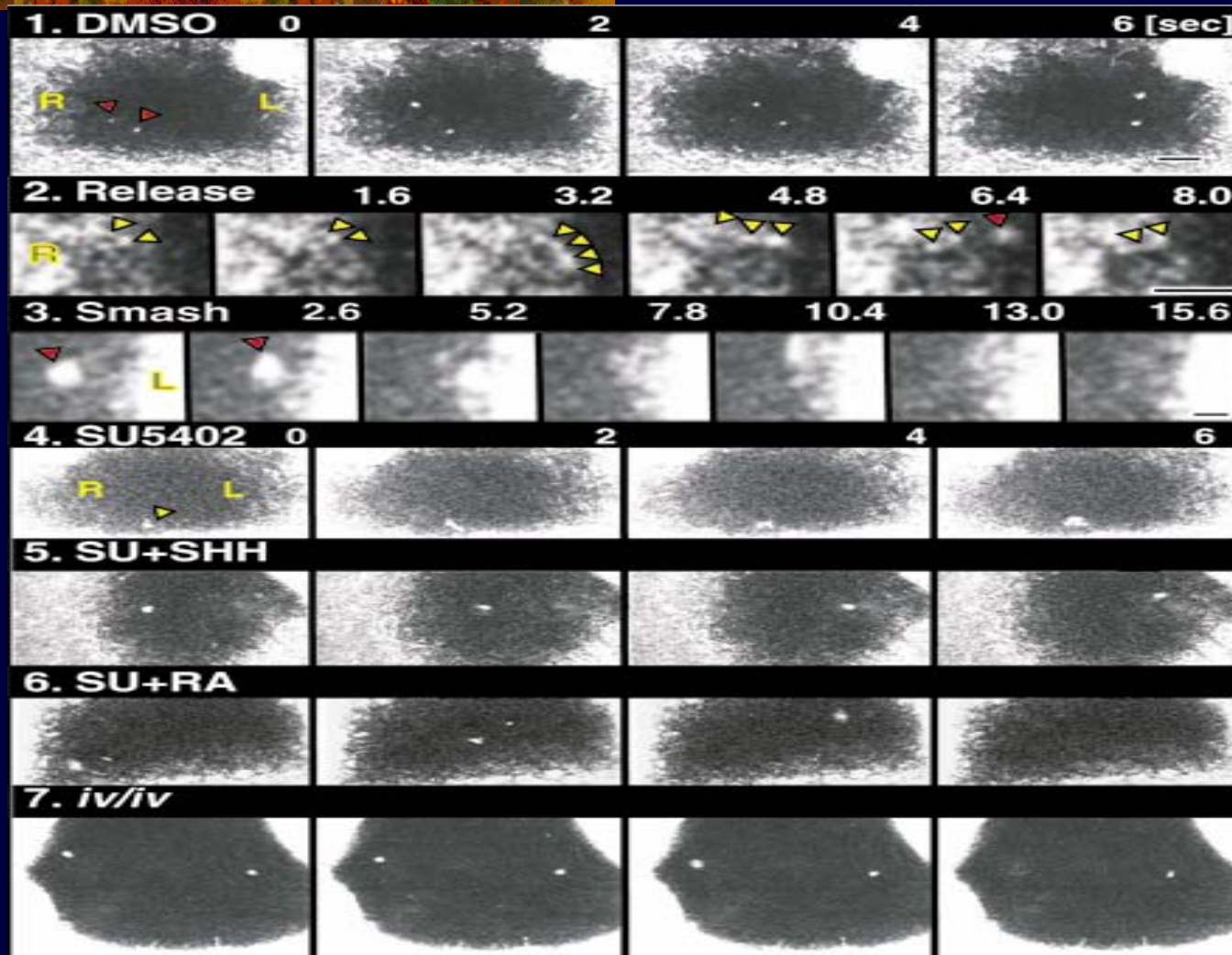


e & f, SU5402-treated

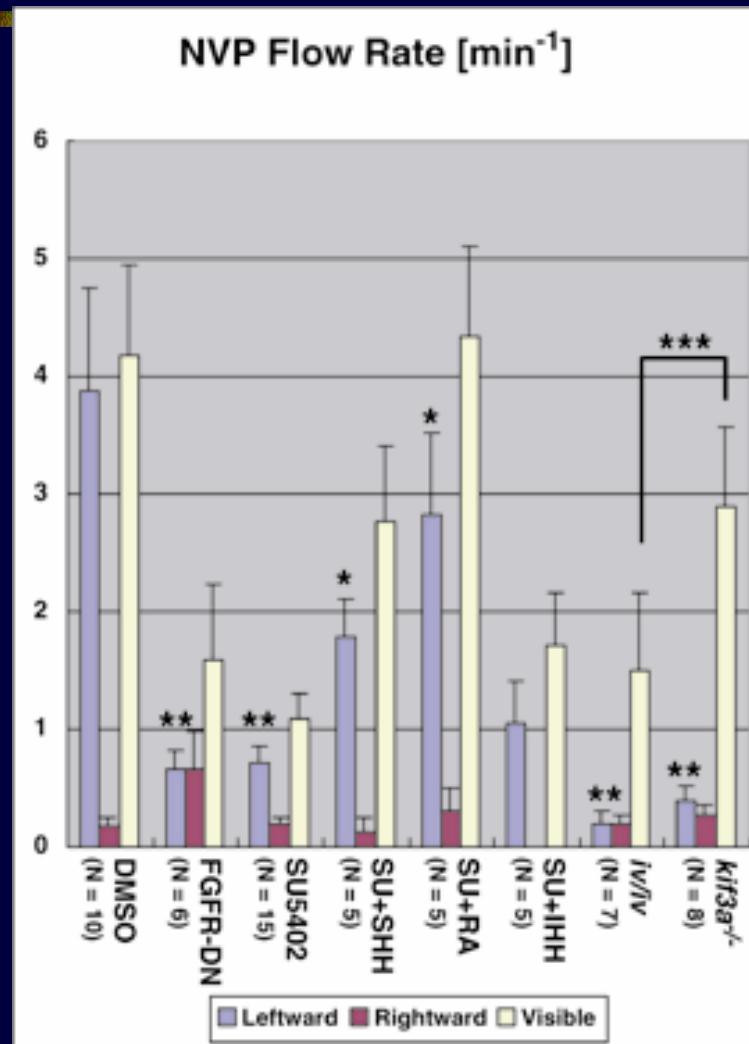
Unidirectionality of NVP flow is ensured by its fragmentation



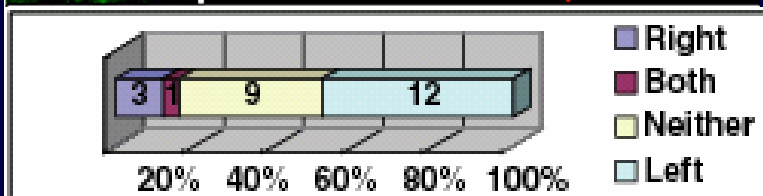
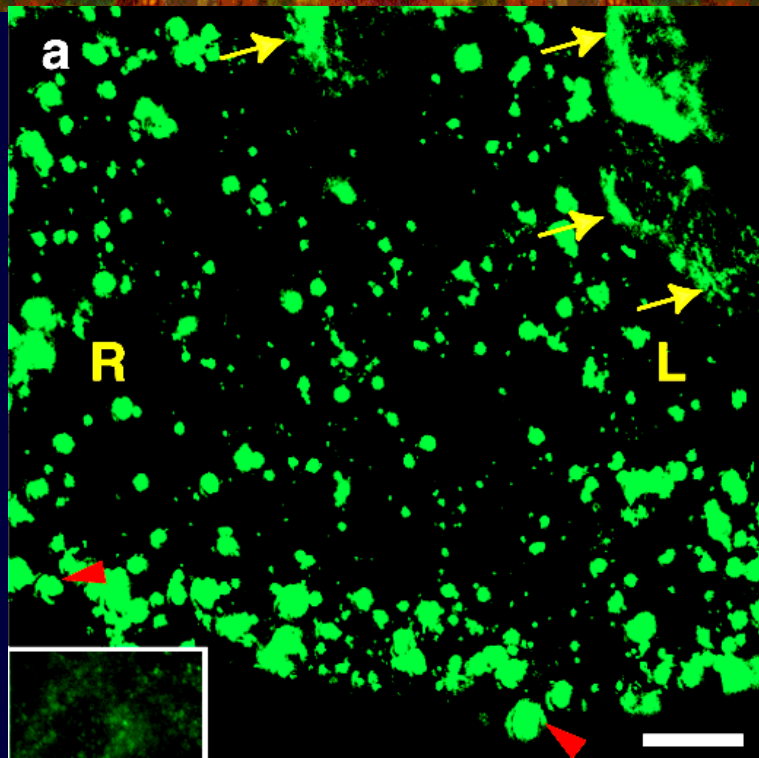
NVP flow can be modulated by pharmacological perturbations



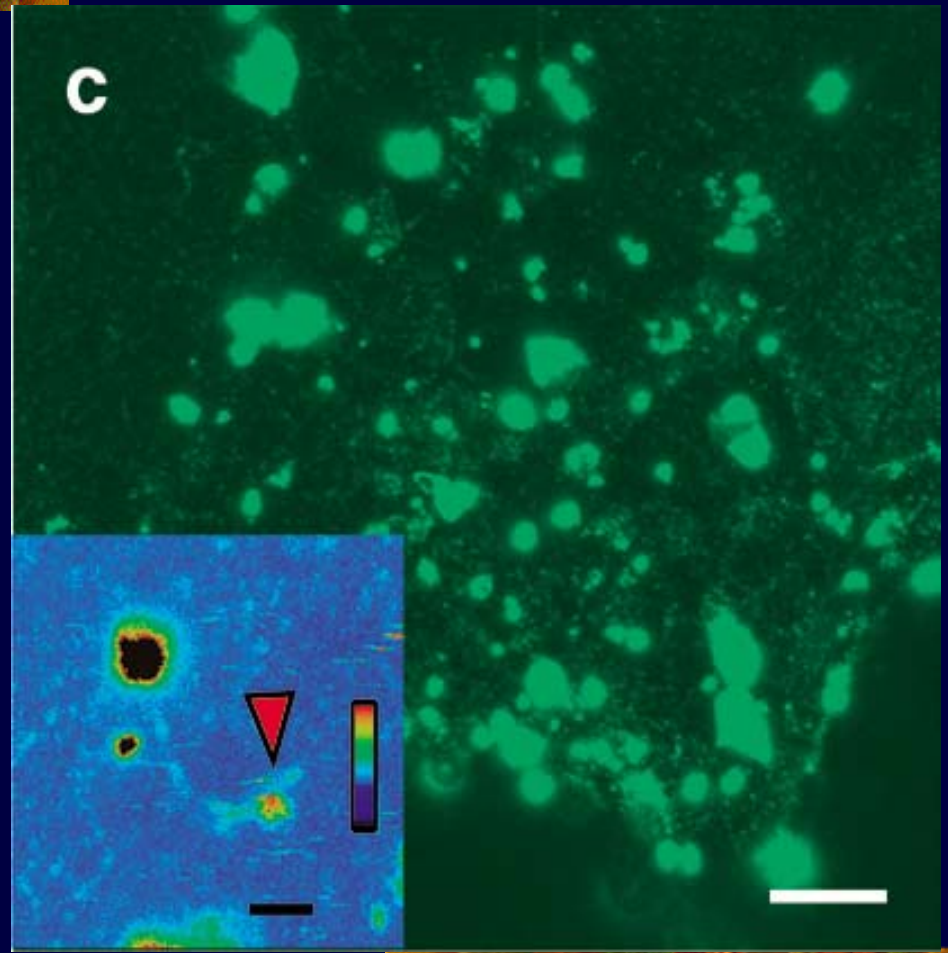
A non-ciliated node has more NVPs than a node with immotile cilia



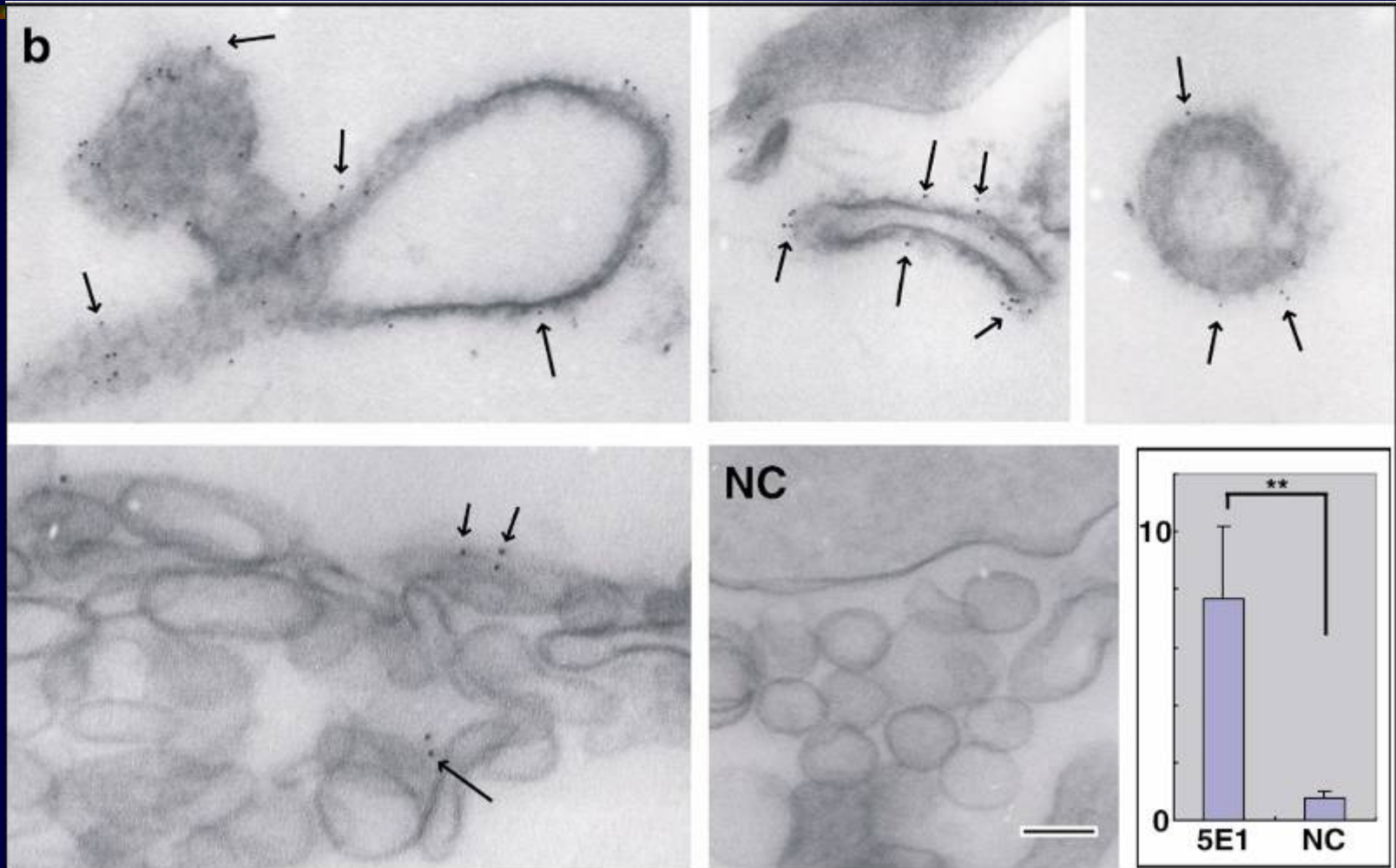
SHH and RA localize on NVPs



SHH



ImmunoEM labeled against SHH on NVPs





Summary

- We detected a direct evidence of leftward morphogen transport in mouse ventral node on 1-3 somite stage as a molecular basis of forming concentration gradients along the left-right axis.
- Membrane-sheathed extracellularly secreted objects, the NVPs, were identified to be vehicles of SHH and RA, which flow to the left and trigger Ca elevation on the left periphery of the node.
- Dynamically protruding microvilli are involved in active release of NVPs, and nodal cilia appear to facilitate their fragmentation on the left, in addition to generating the fluid flow.
- FGF signaling in the nodal region facilitates NVP release and Ca elevation, but is not indispensable for generating the fluid flow. Thus fluid flow itself is not sufficient for Ca elevation.
- SHH or RA is sufficient to evoke the NVP release and Ca elevation even in the presence of FGFR inhibitor, suggesting a “shuttle bus model” on its releasing machinery that may sense the contents.