

C8545 Developmental Biology

Lesson 8

Postembryonic Plant Development

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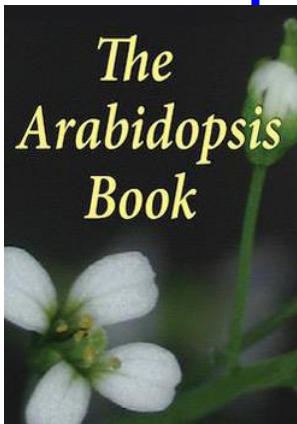
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Literature



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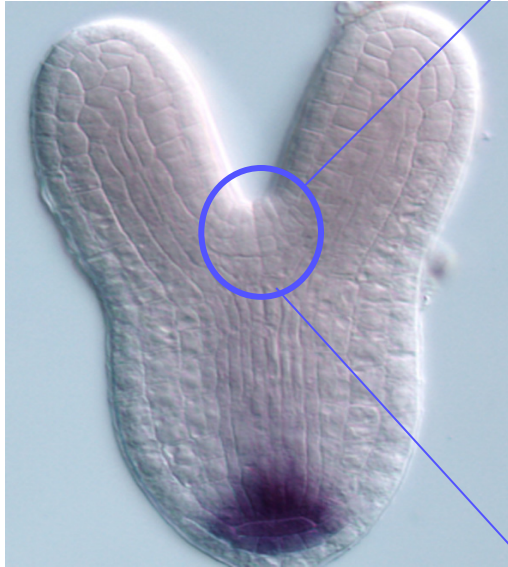
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 - Radial root patterning
 - RAM size determination
- Lateral root formation
- Vascular tissue formation in shoot and root

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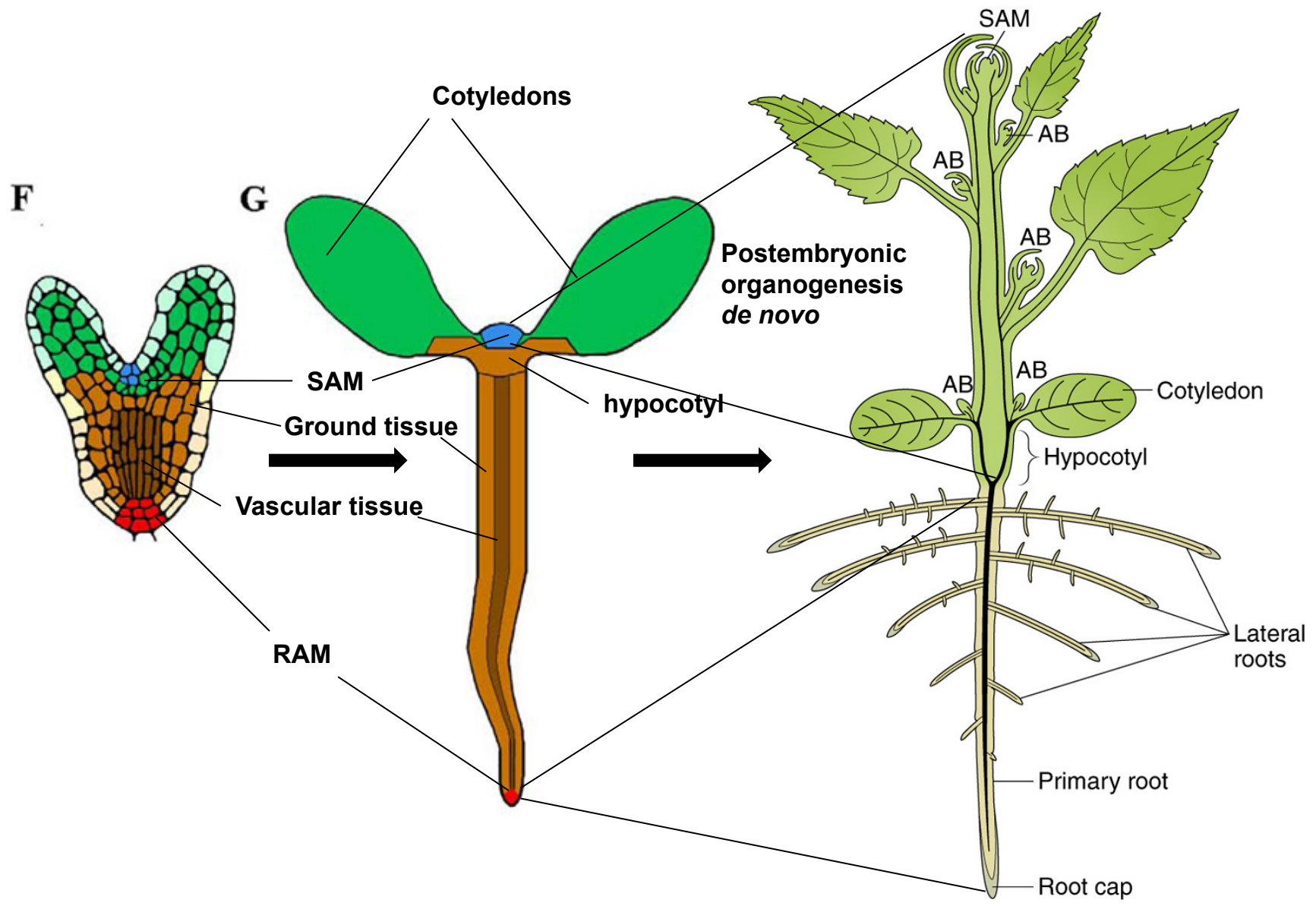
What is the principal difference between plants and animals?

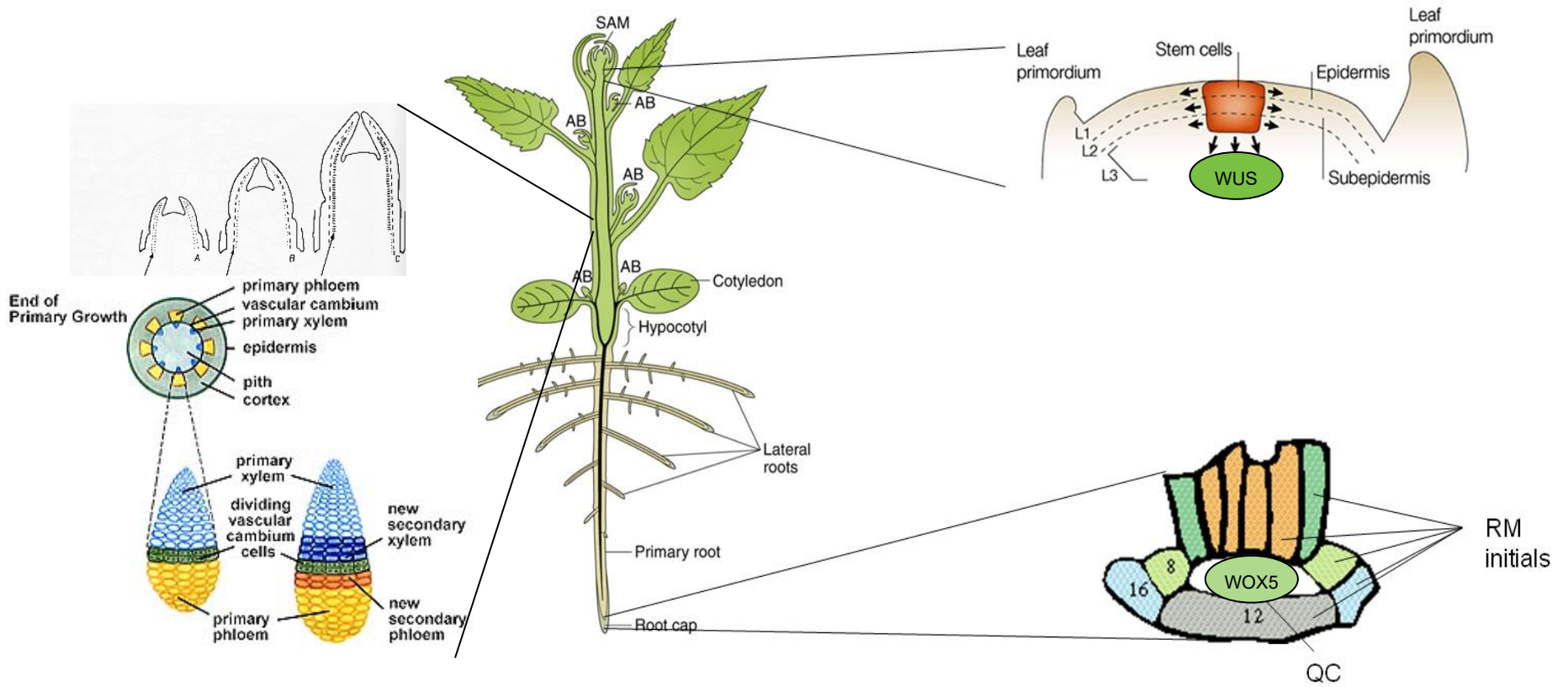


Arabidopsis thaliana, embryo at the torpedo stage



Mus musculus, embryo, longitudinal section



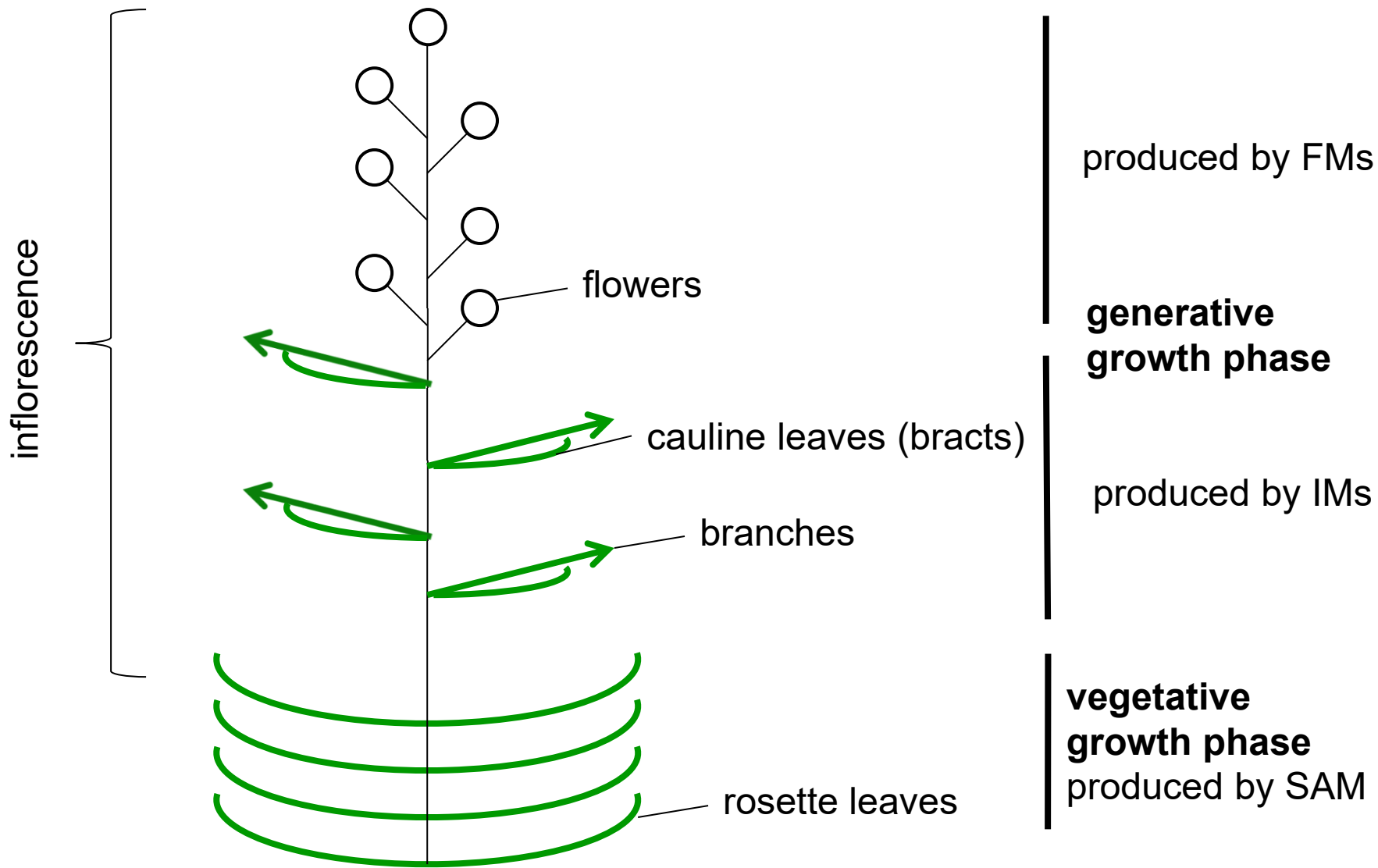


Division ↔ Differentiation

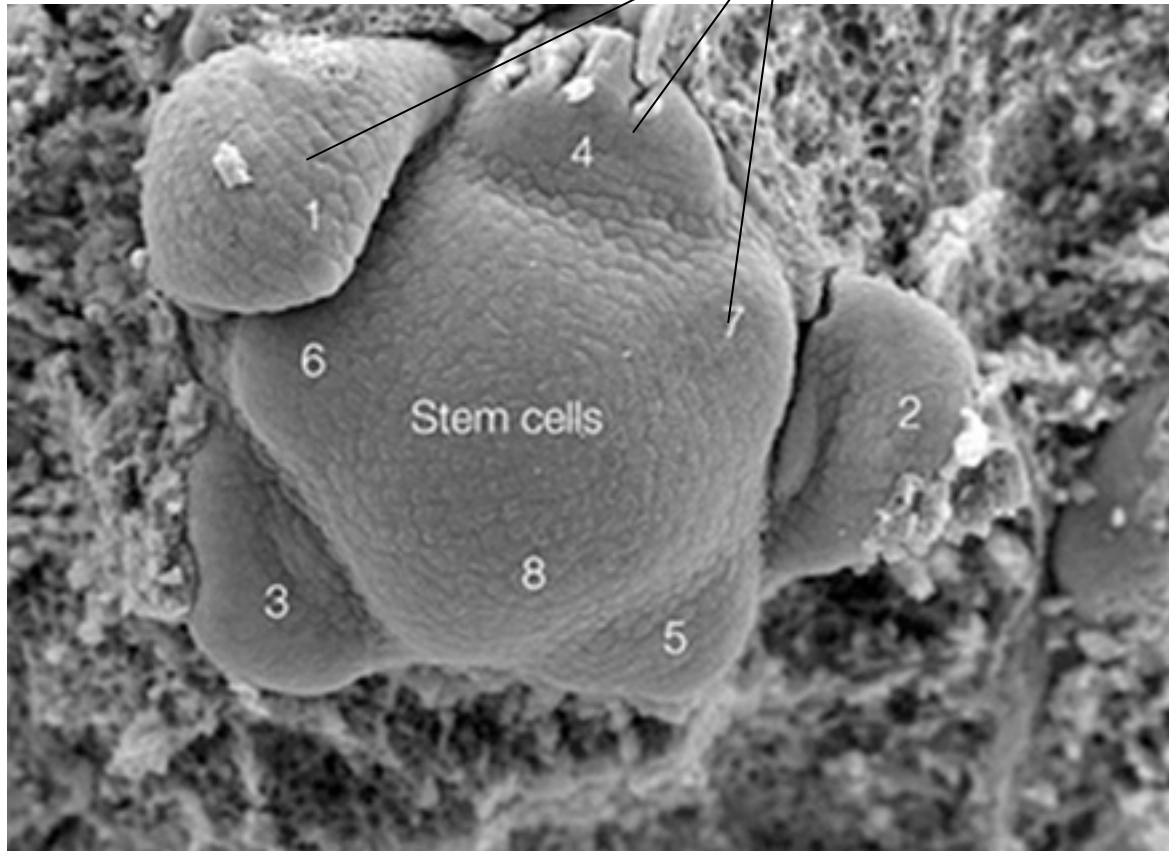
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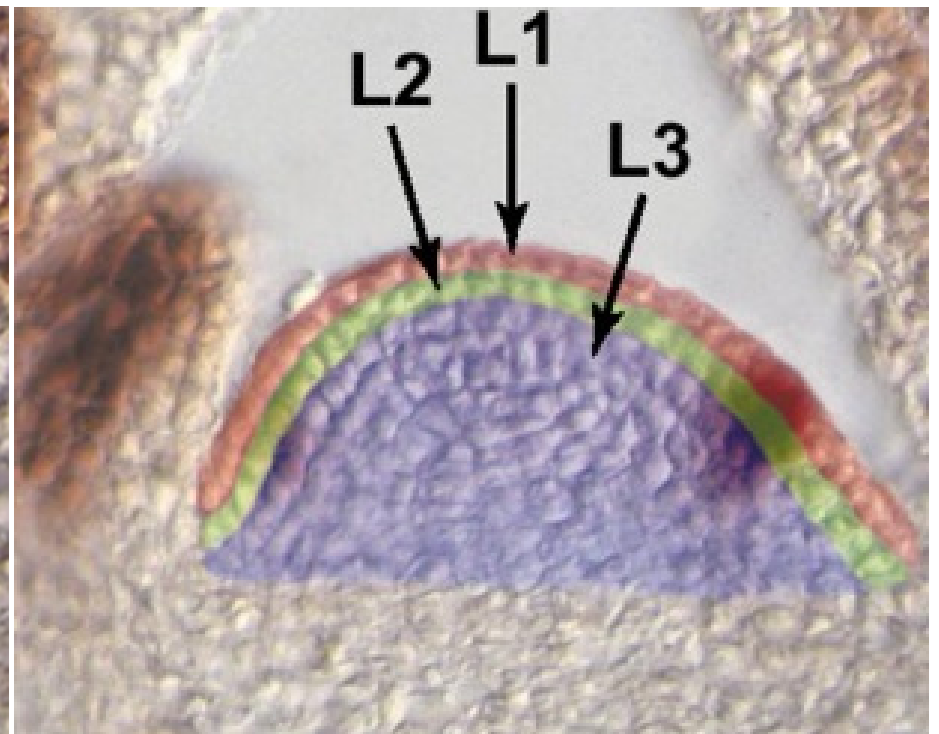
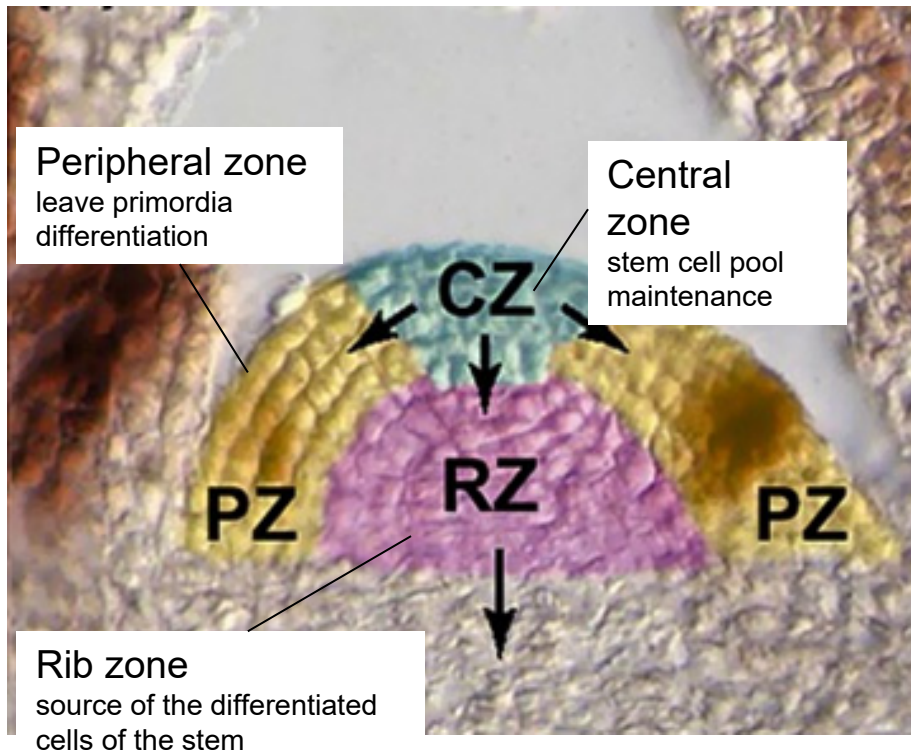
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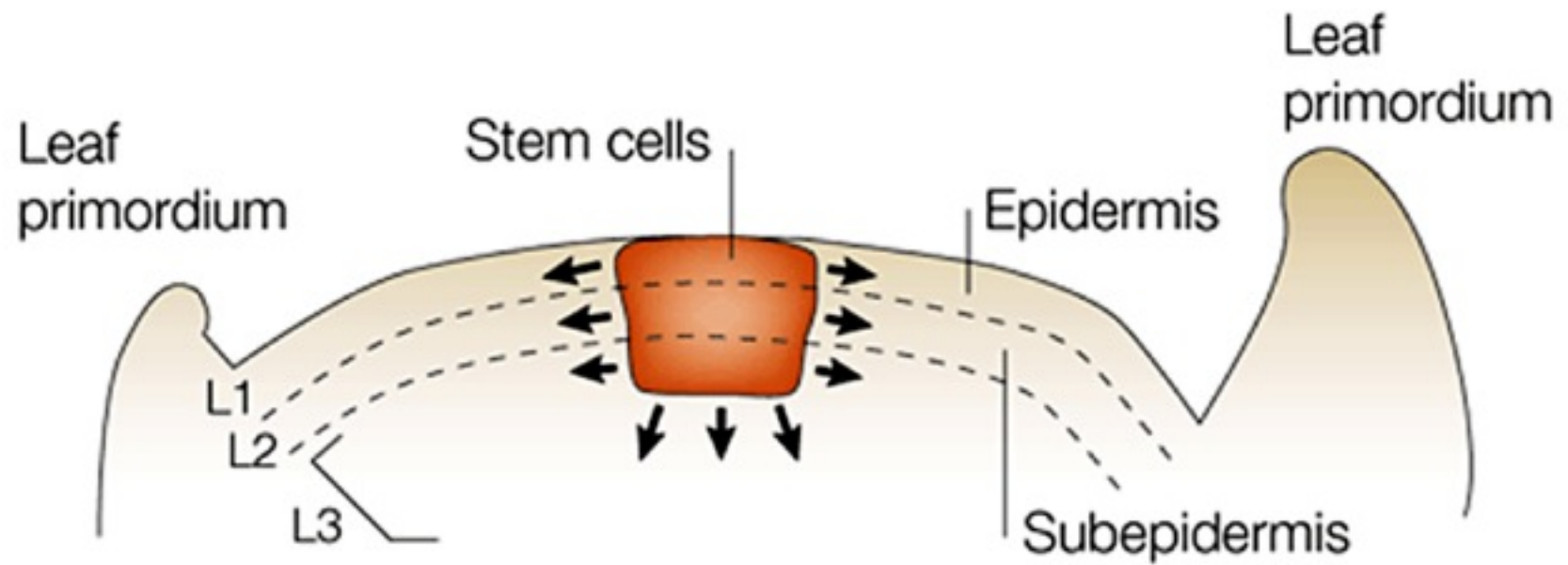


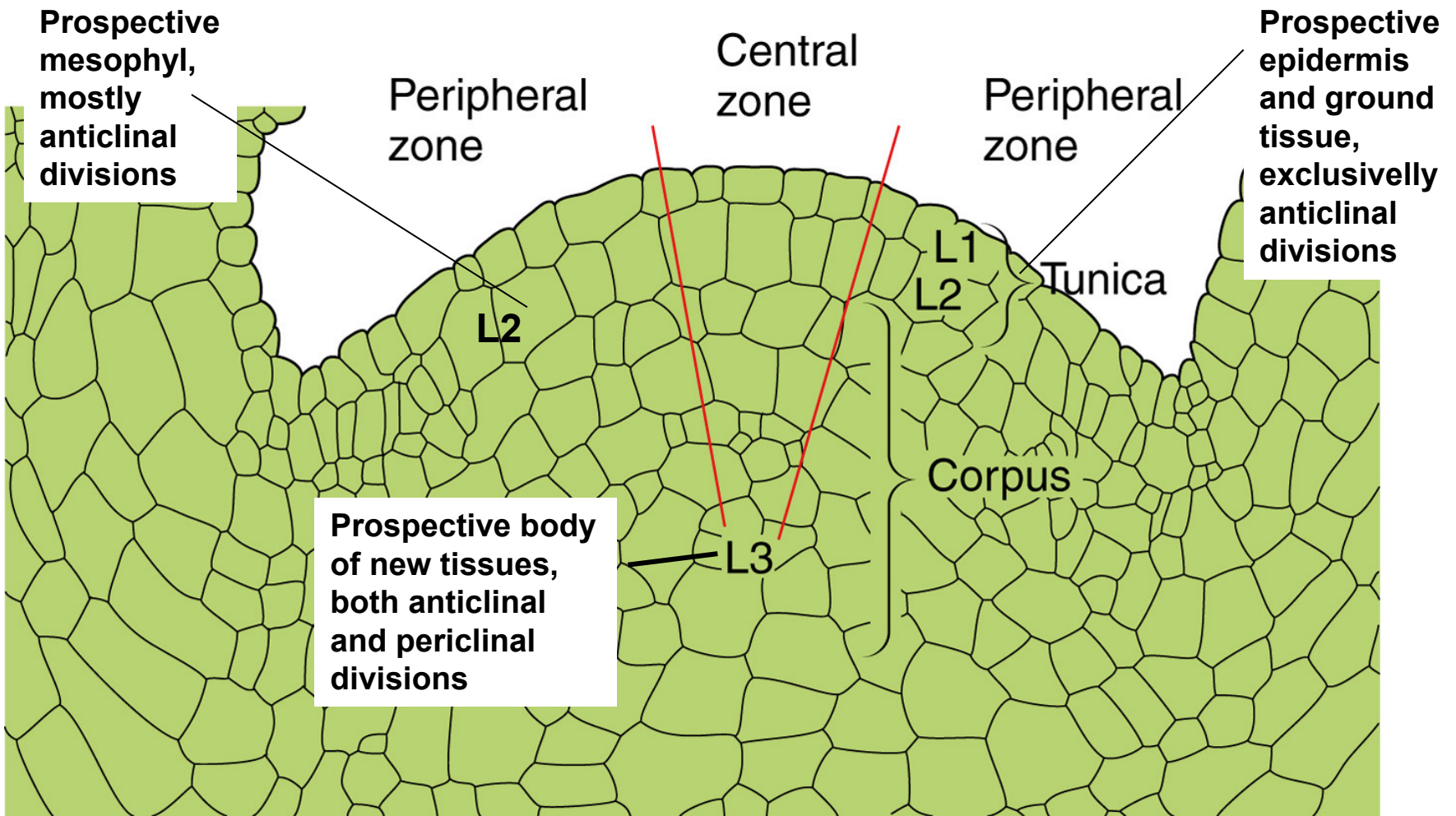
Leaf primordia



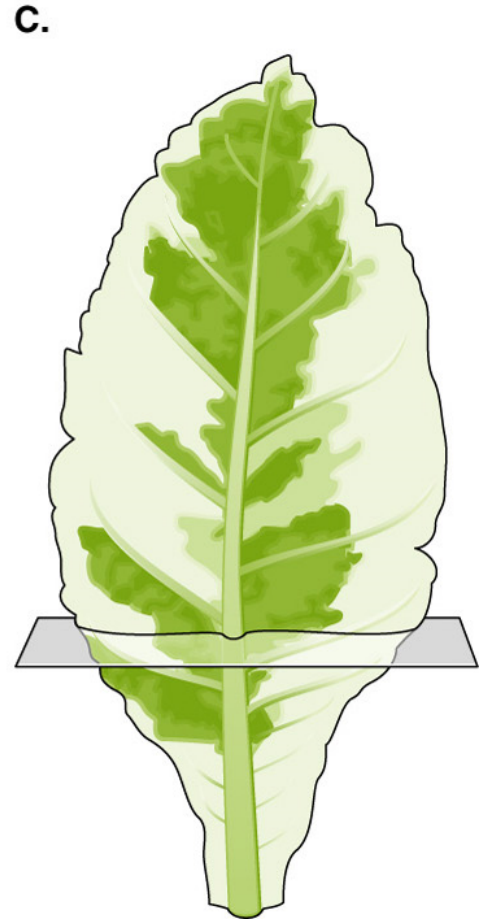
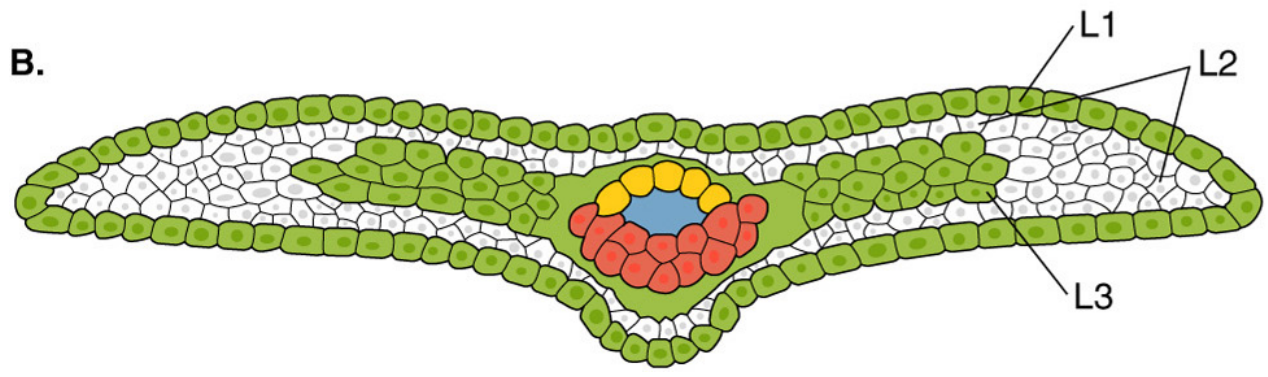
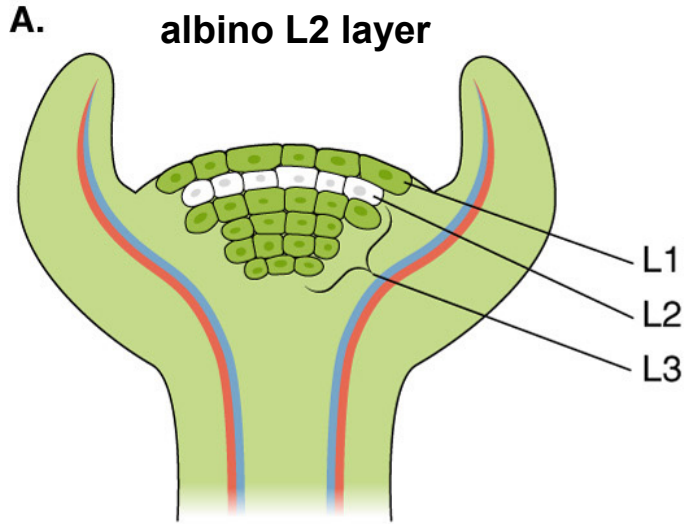


Bowman and Eshed, *Trends Plant Sci* (2000)





**Chimera with
albino L2 layer**

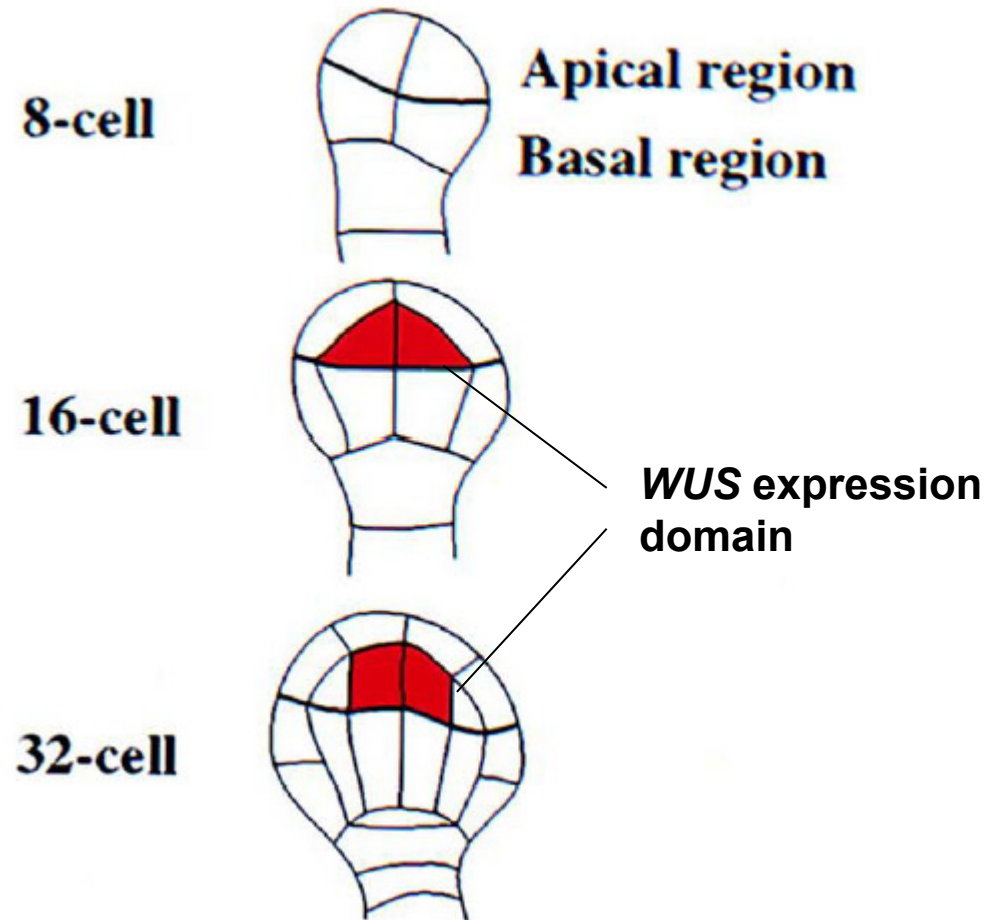


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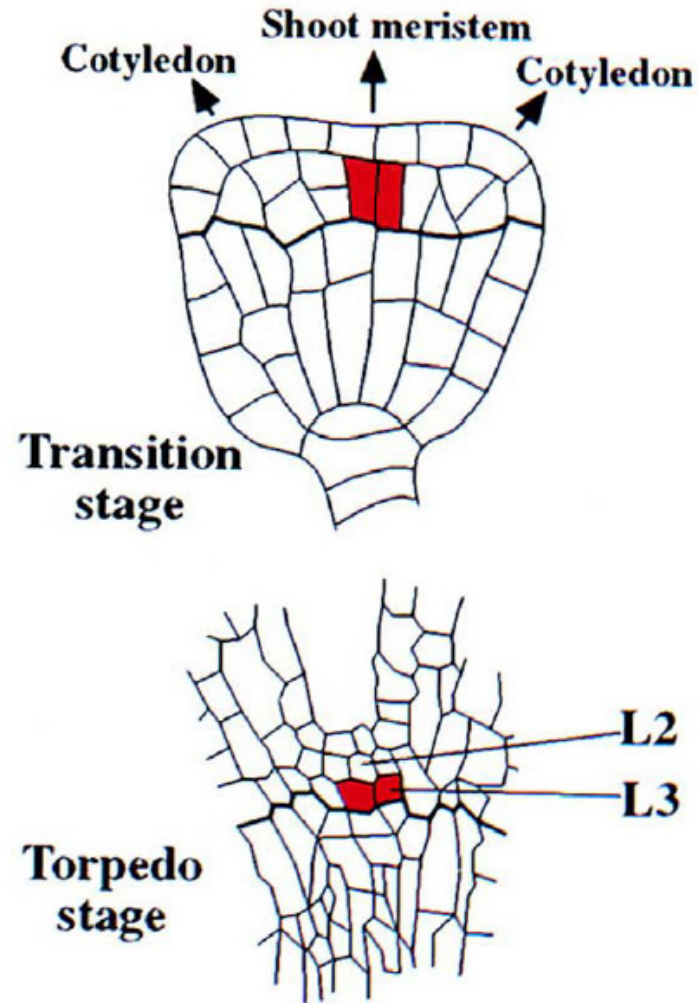
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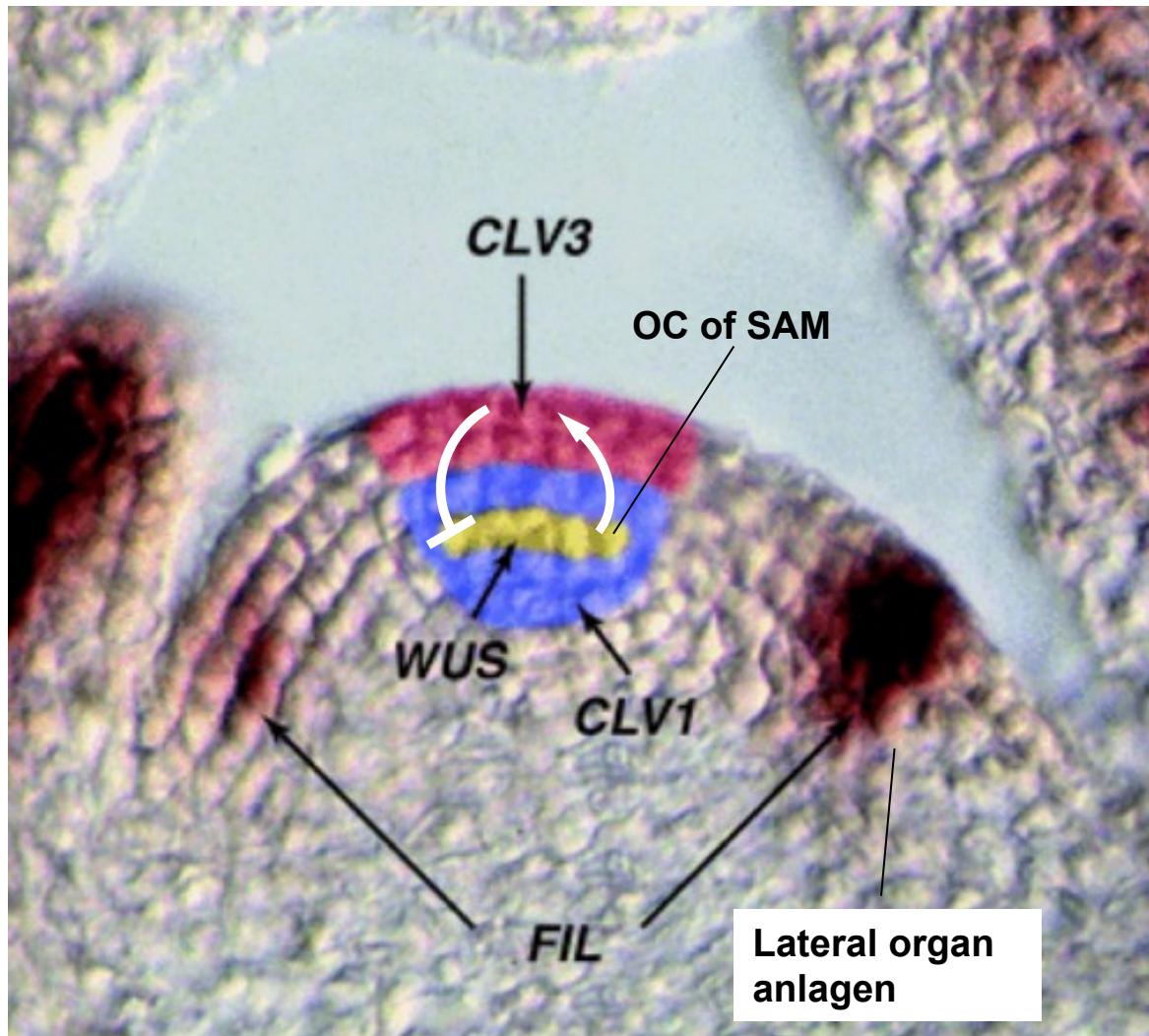
SAM specification



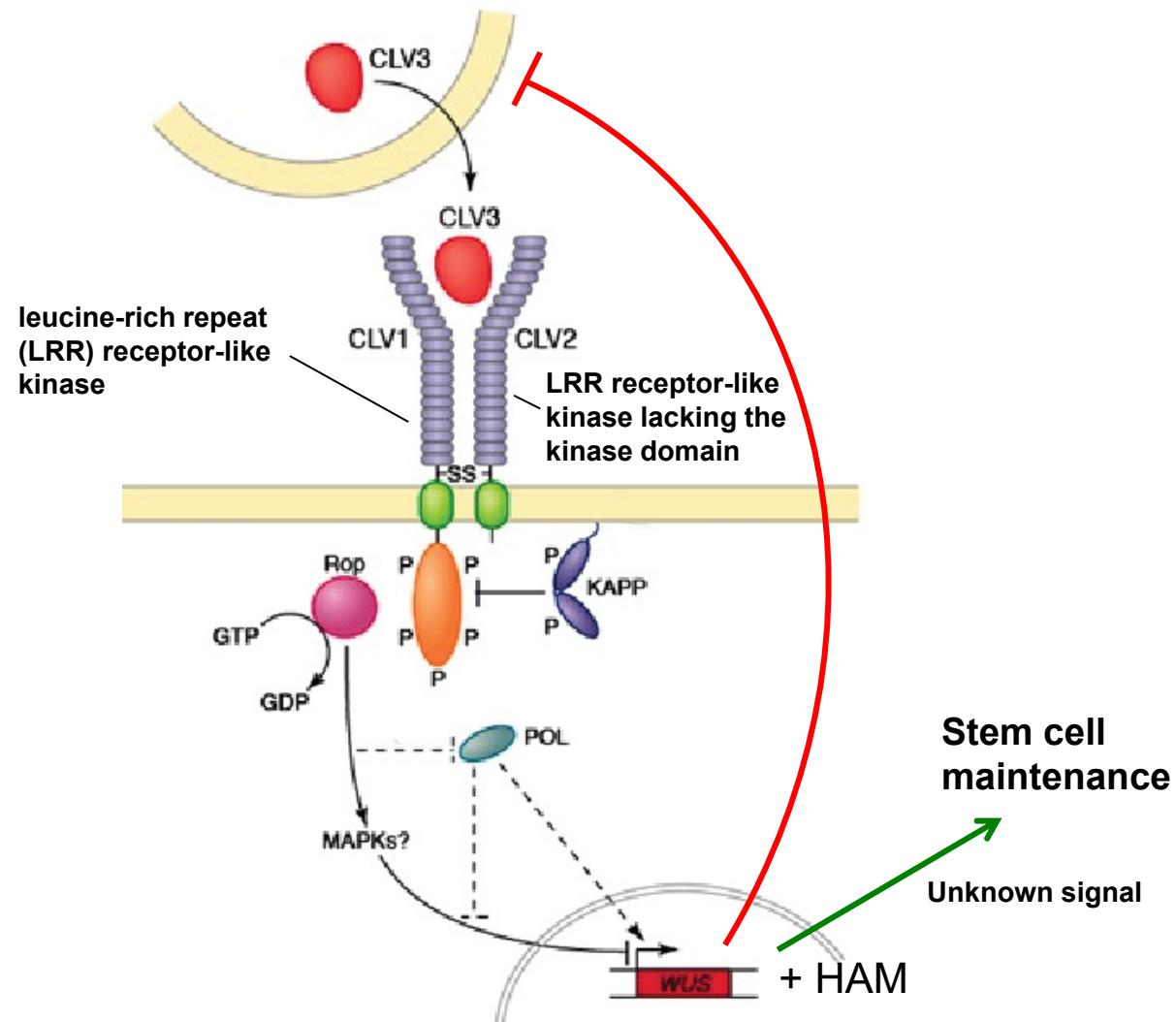
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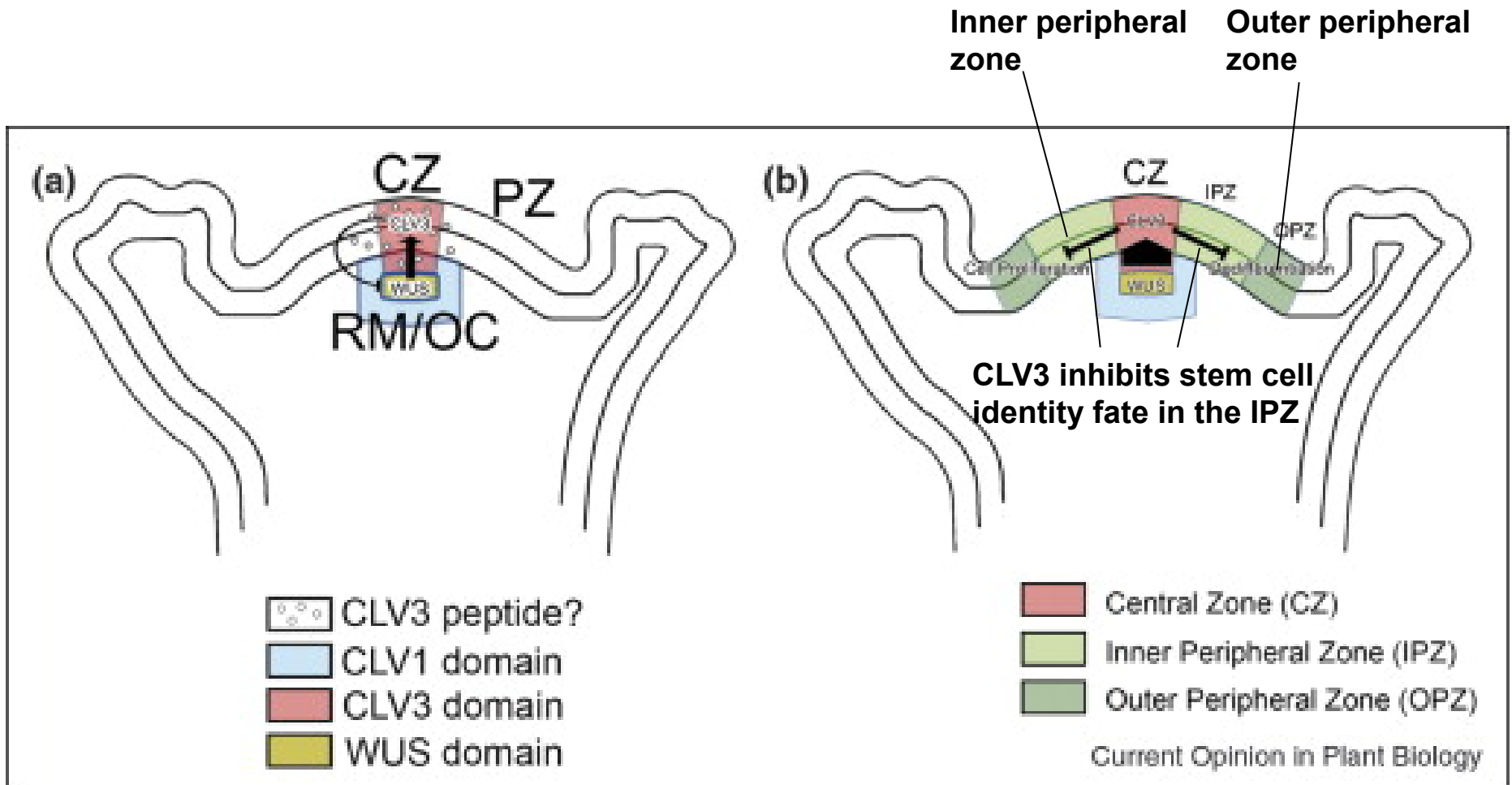
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Reddy, *Current Opinion Plant Biol* (2000)

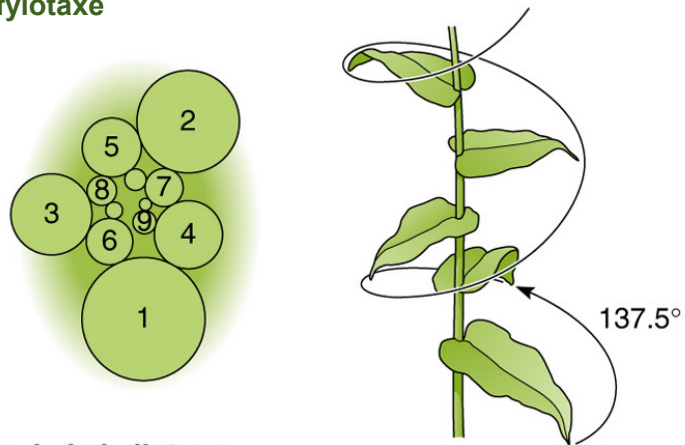
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A. Spiral phyllotaxy

Spirální (vřetenovitá) fylotaxe



B. Whorled phyllotaxy

Přeslenitá (kruhová) fylotaxe



distichous
distichie 1 leaf

decussate
dvojčetný 2 leaves
přeslen

tricussate
trojčetný 3 leaves
přeslen

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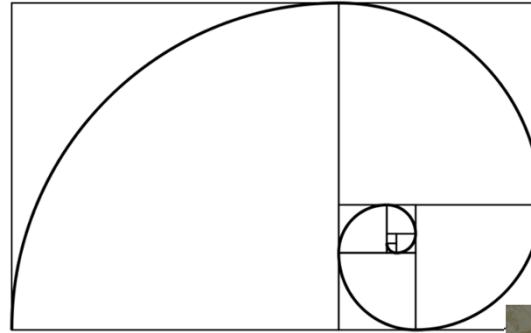
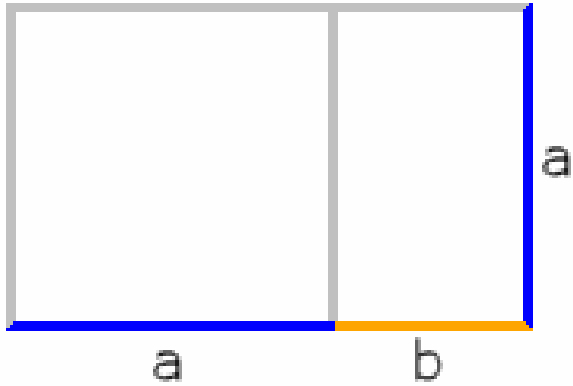


Leonardo Fibonacci (1180-1250)

Fibonacci series: 0, 1, 1, 2, 3, 5, 8, 13, 21...

$$\varphi = \frac{1 + \sqrt{5}}{2} \approx 1,618\ 033\ 988\ 749\ 894\ 848 \dots$$

Wikipedia



$a + b / a = a/b = 1.618$
“golden mean” or “divine ratio”
“zlatý řez“

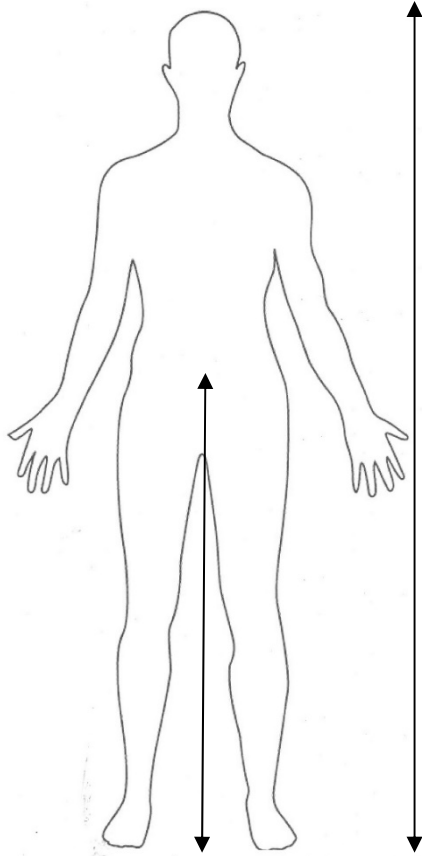


1.618= Φ , according to “Fidios”, the creator of Pantheon



Fibonacci series – the beauty of math
TED lecture by Arthur Benjamin, <https://youtu.be/SjSHVDfXHQ4>)

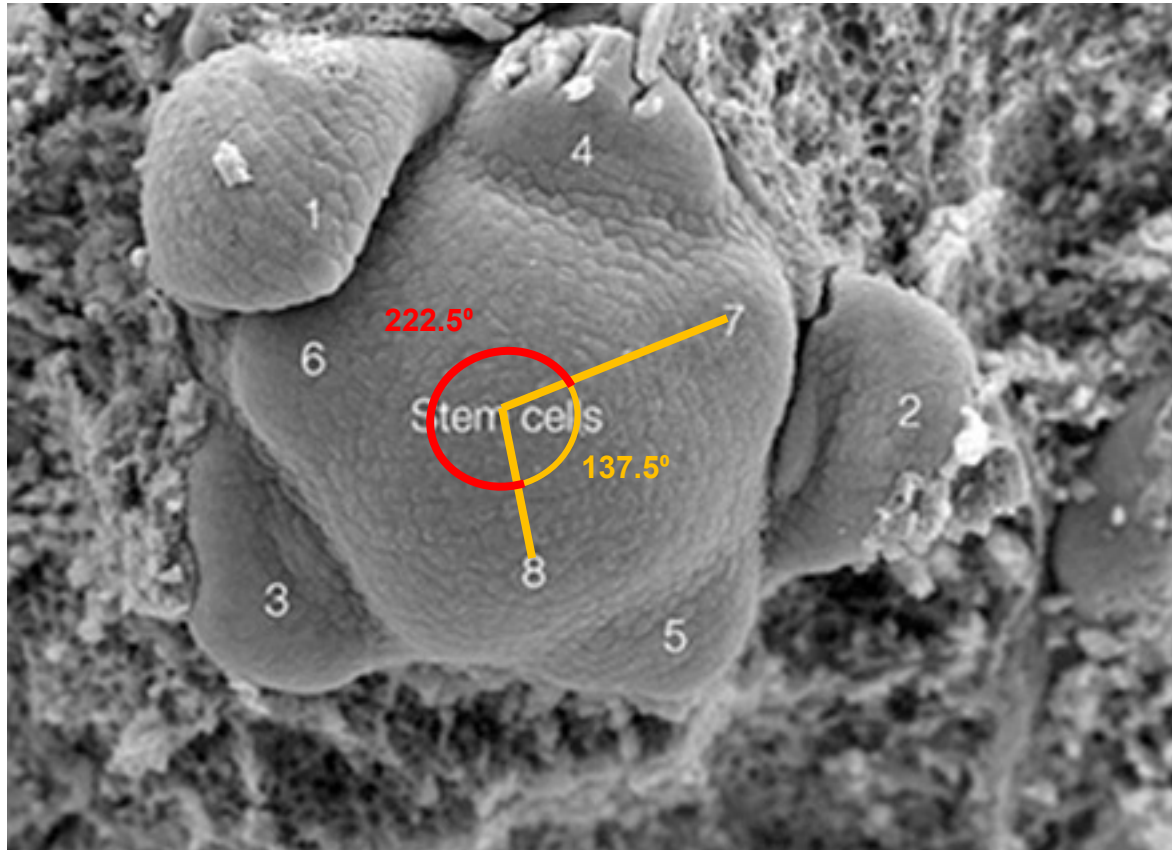




Golden mean in nature

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$$222.5/137.5 = 1.618$$

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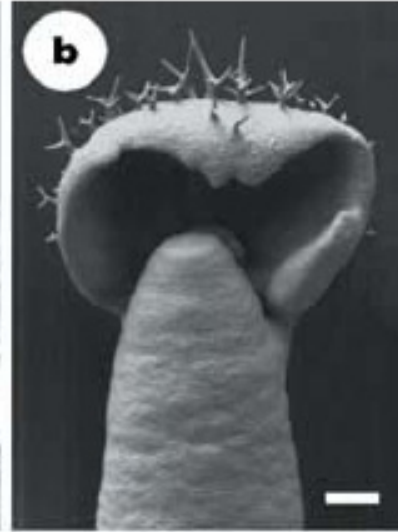
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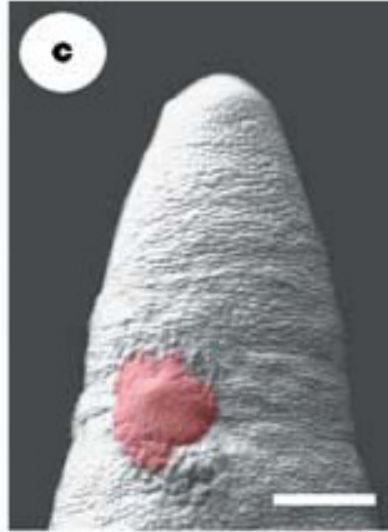
pin1 + IAA (SAM)



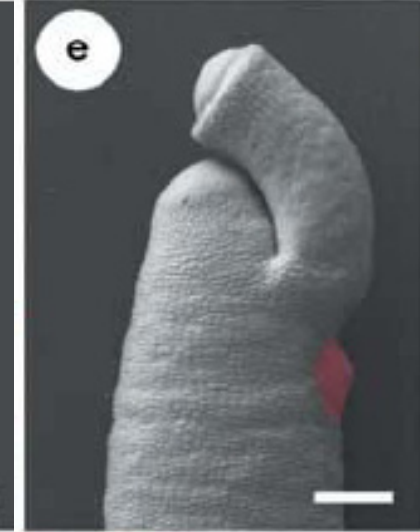
pin1, lfy + IAA (IM)



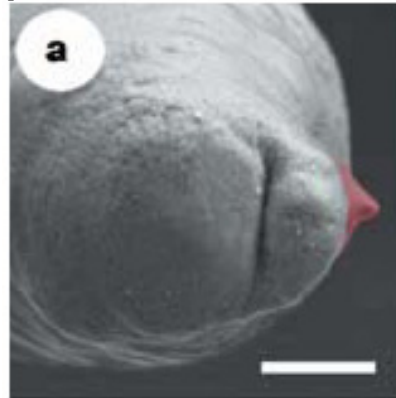
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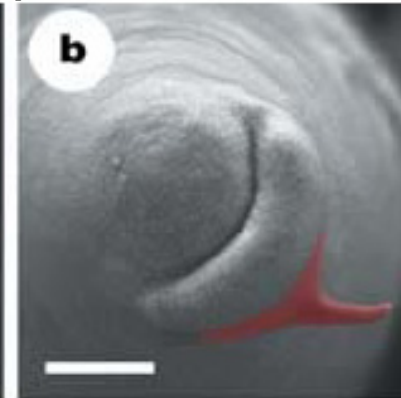
pid1 + IAA



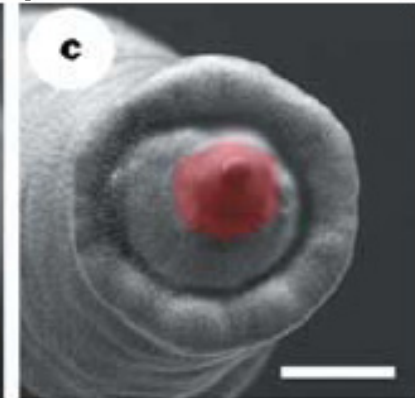
pin1 + IAA



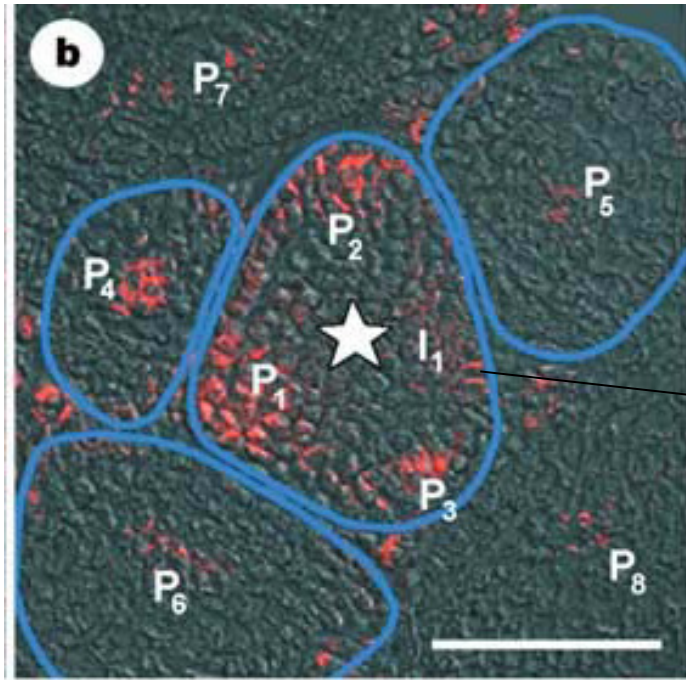
pin1 + more IAA



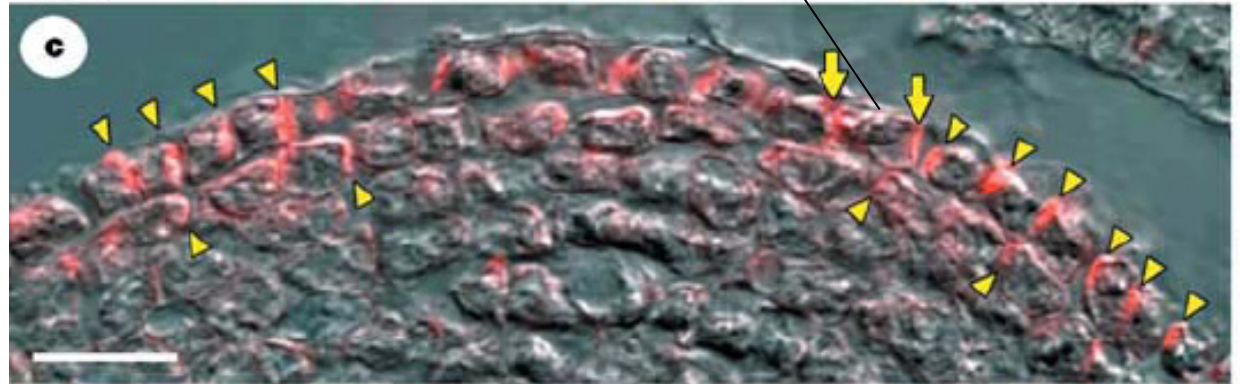
pin1 + central applied IAA



Reinhardt et al., *Nature* (2005)

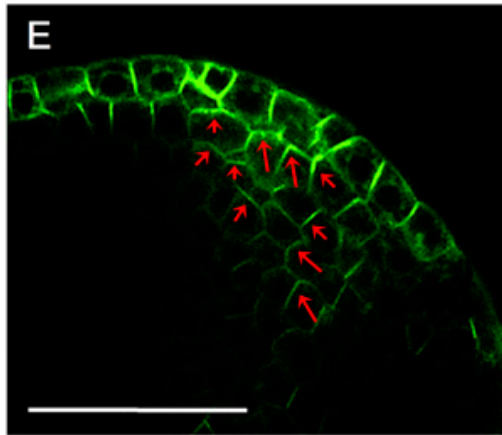


Position of incipient primordium



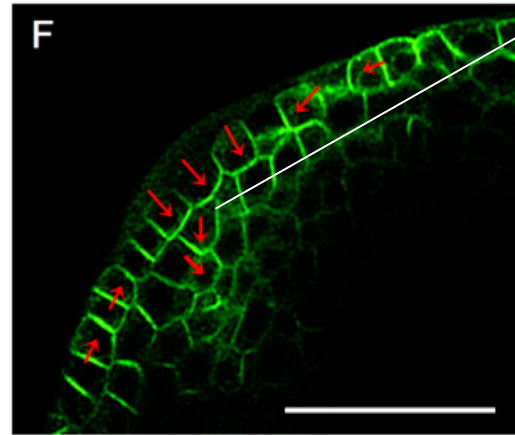
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10 h after IAA application



ProPIN1:PIN1-GFP

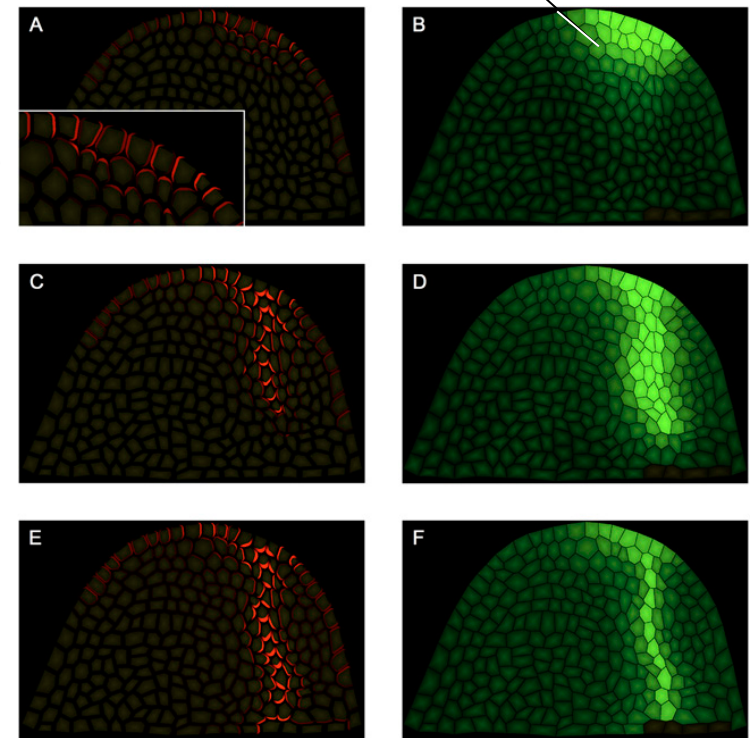
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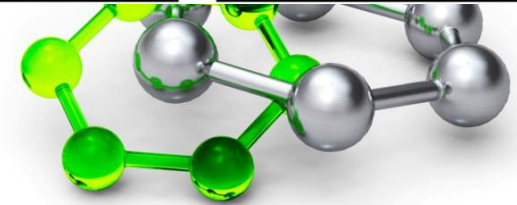
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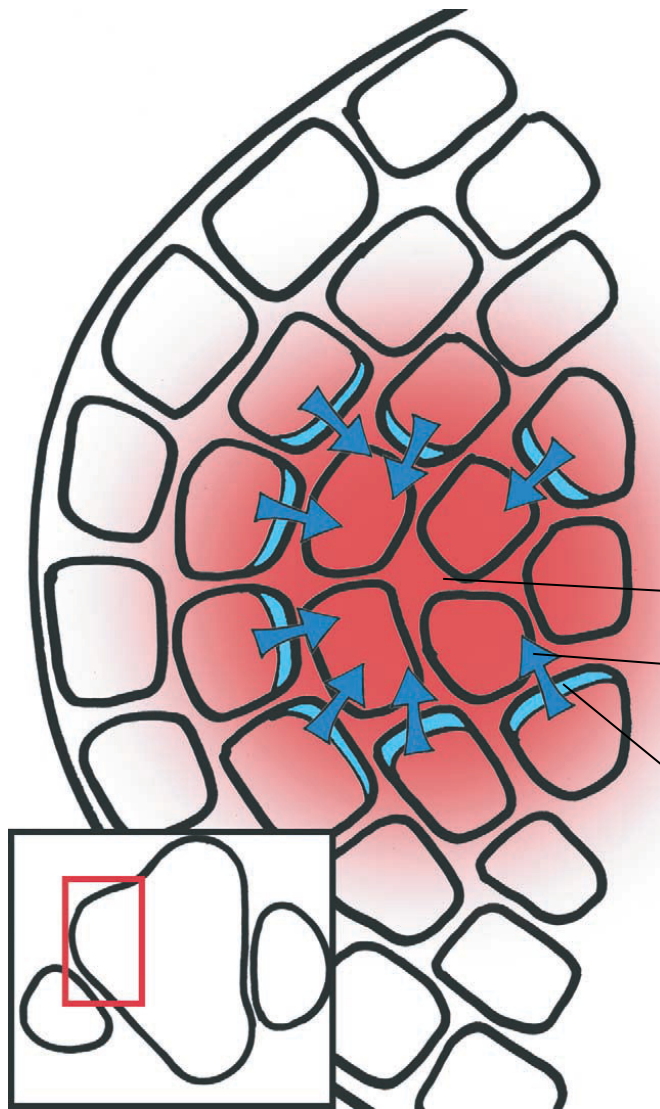
PIN1 relocalization

Auxin accumulation



Bayer et al., *Gene Dev* (2009)

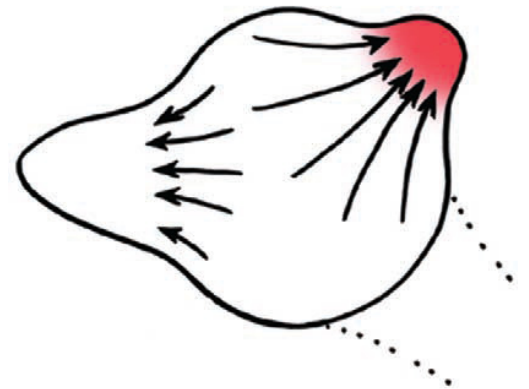
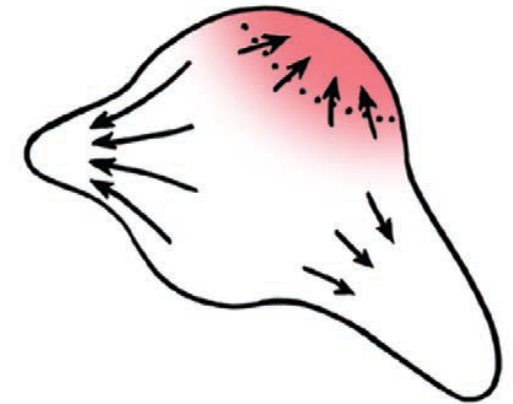
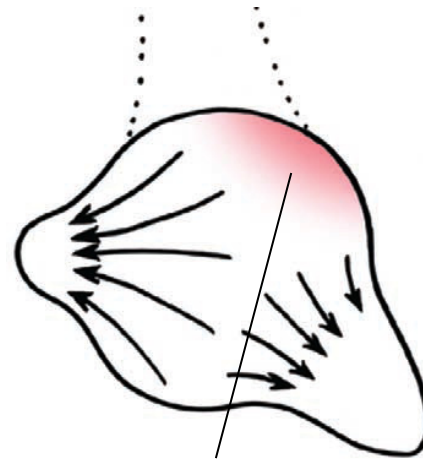




auxin concentration maxima

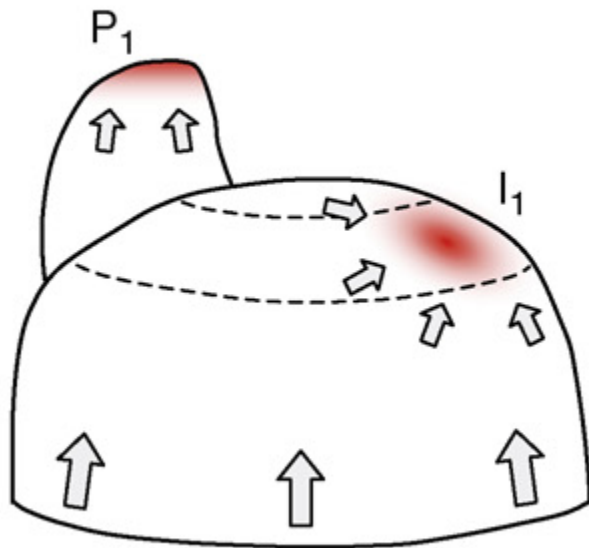
direction of the auxin flow

PIN1

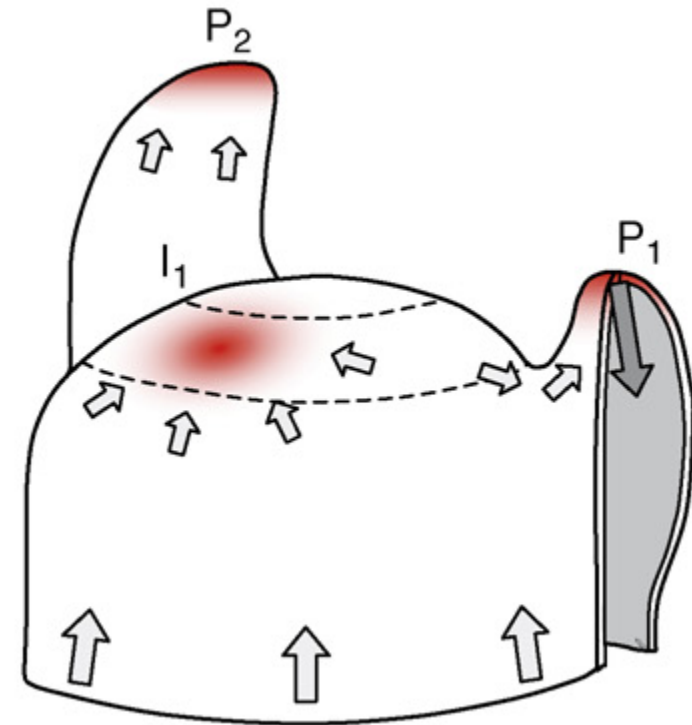


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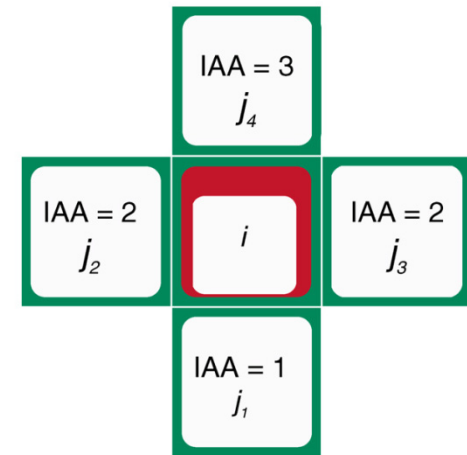
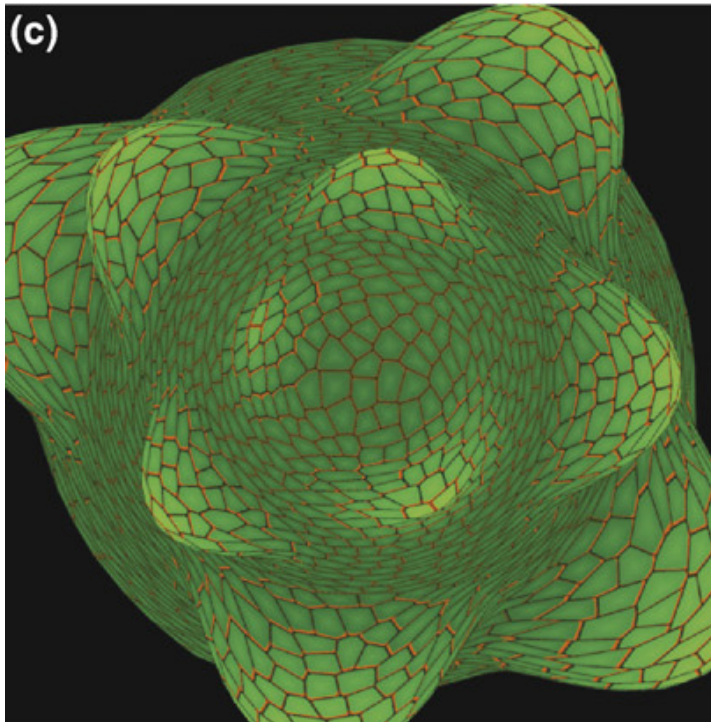
(a)



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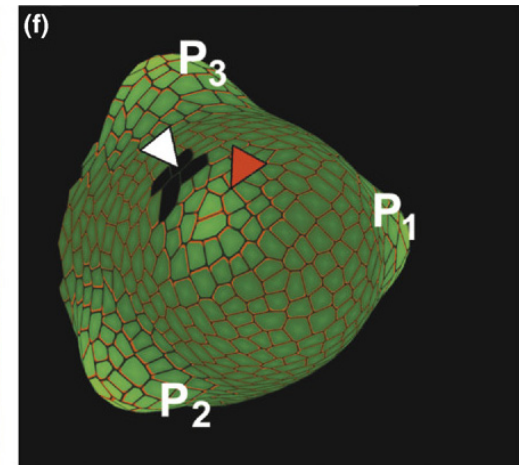
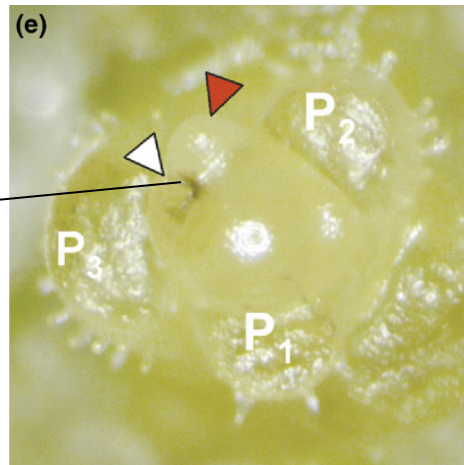


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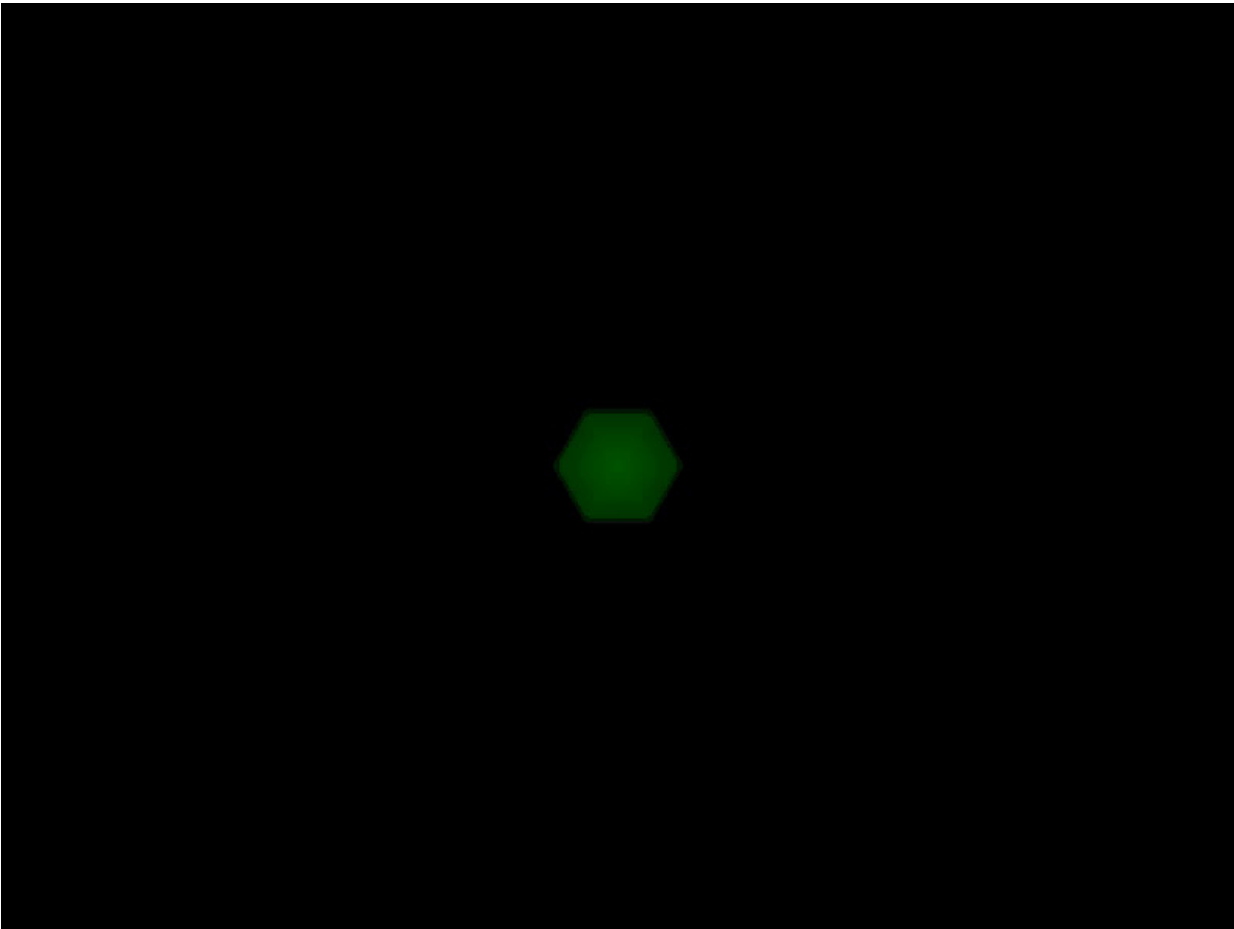


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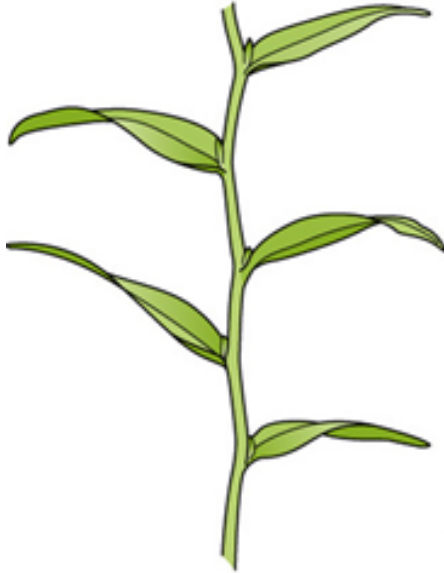
Laser ablation of incipient primordium



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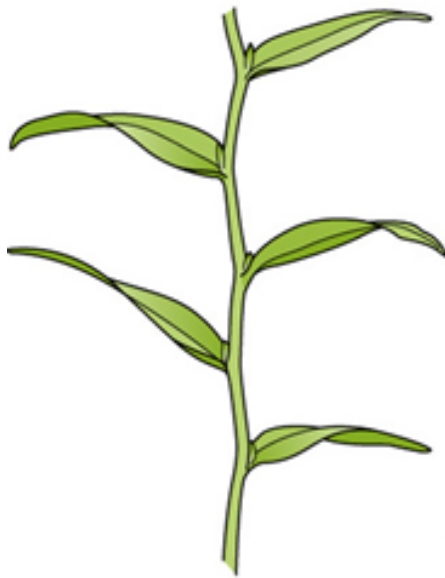


Distichous
Distichie



1 leaf

Distichous
Distichie

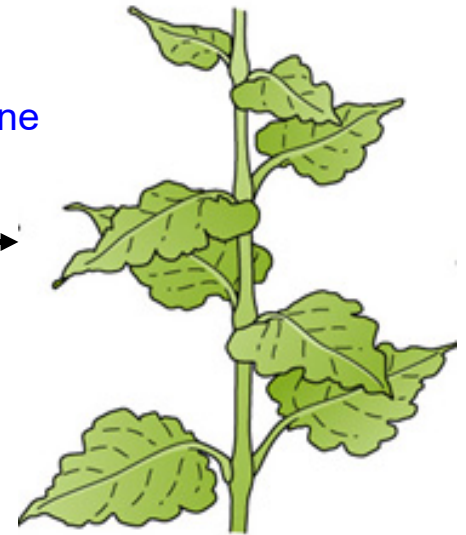


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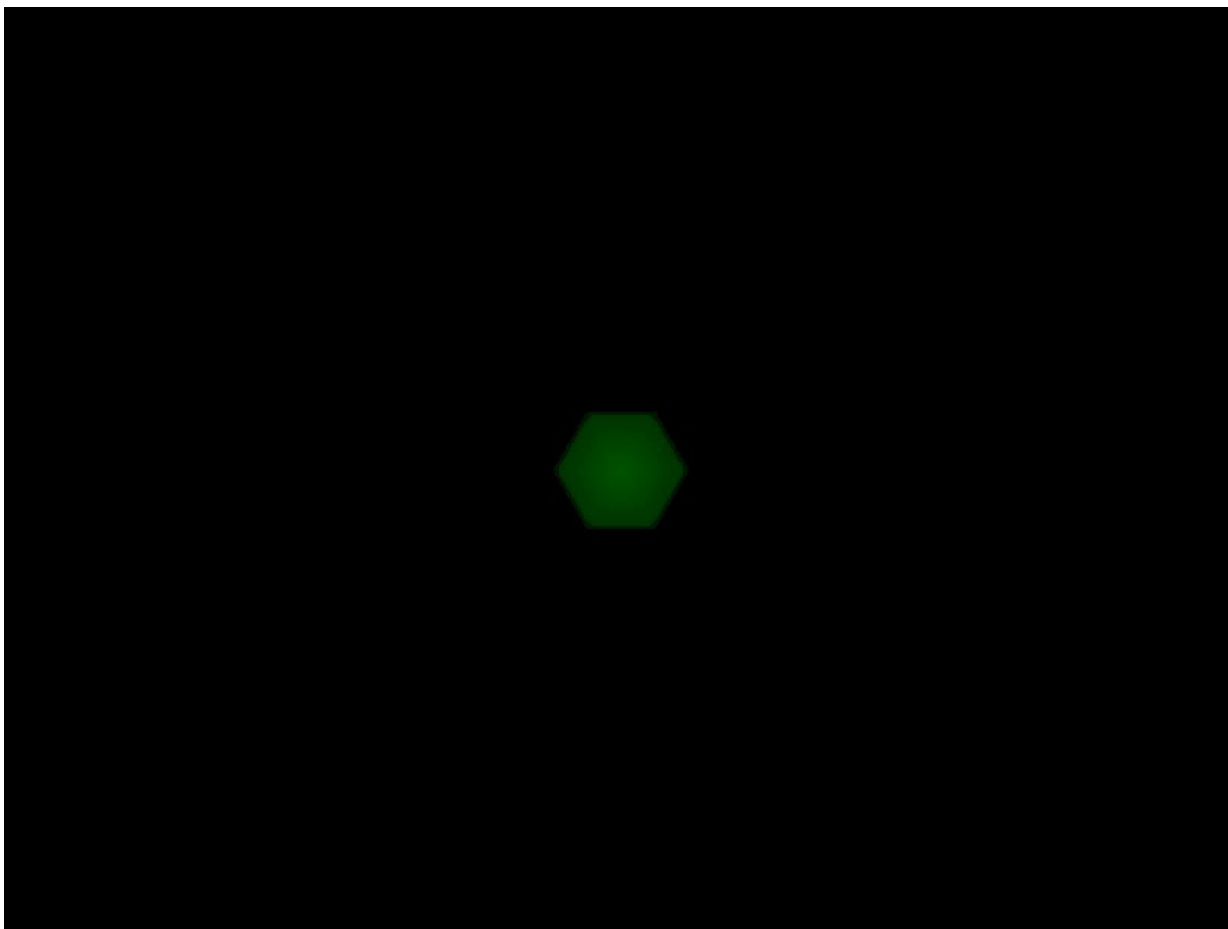
- increasing IAA production
- decreasing the width of the peripheral zone
- increasing the size of the central zone



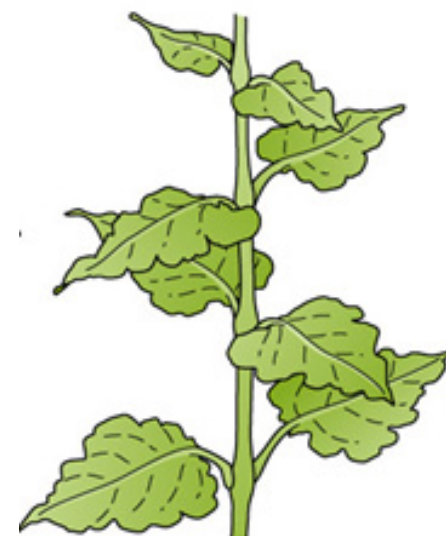
Decussate
Dvojčetrný přeslen



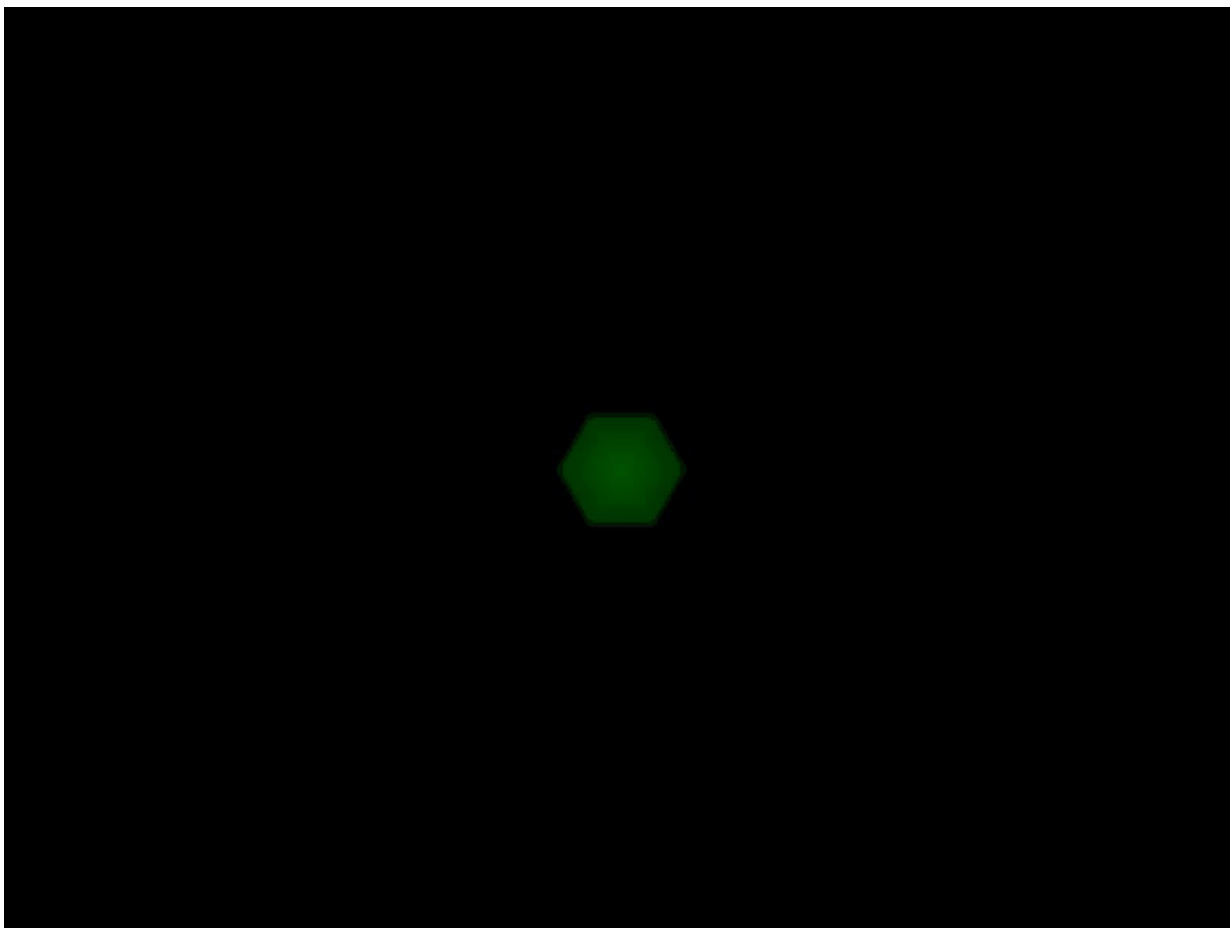
2 leaves



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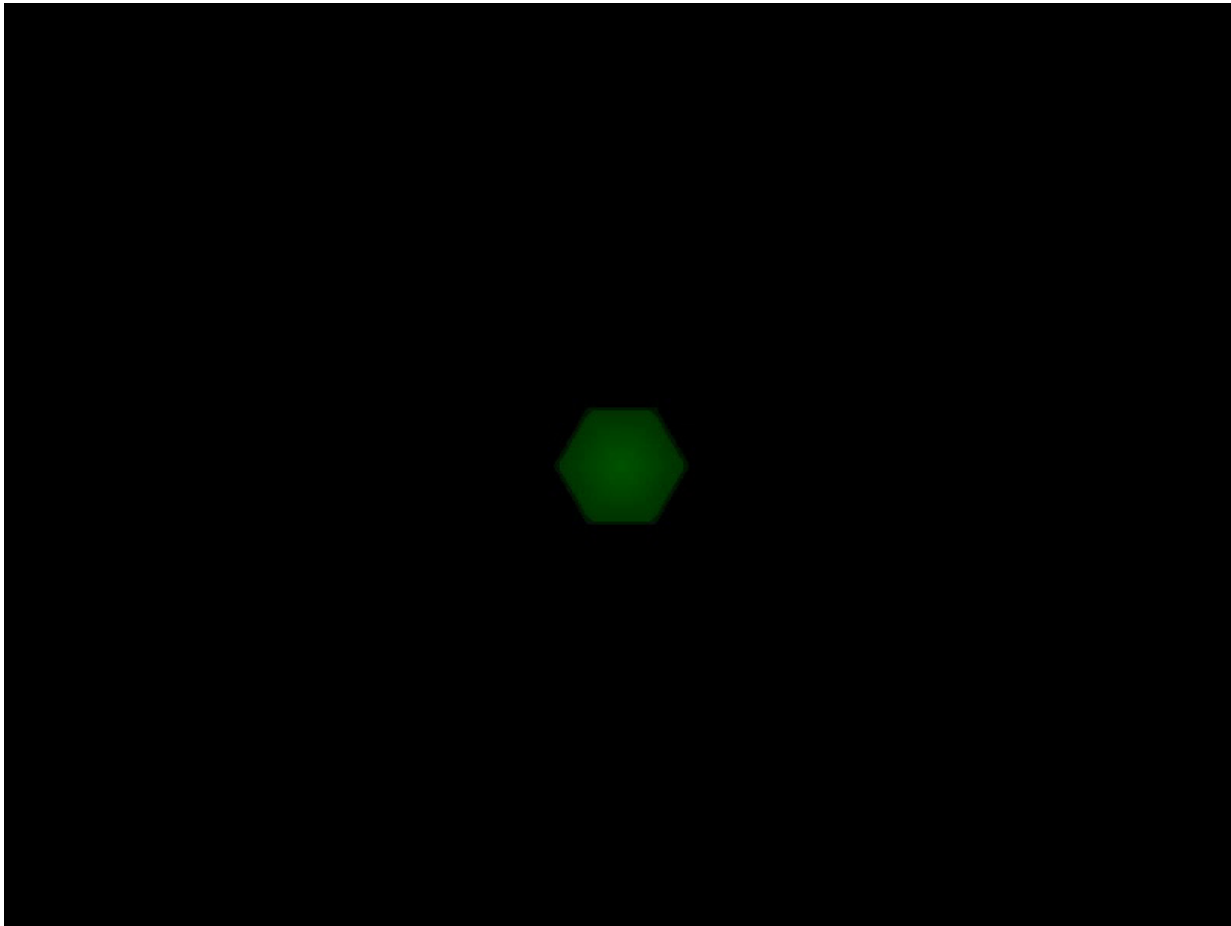
2 leaves



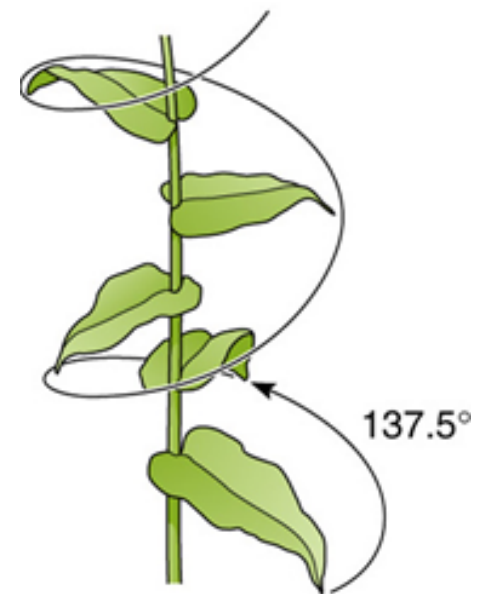
Tricussate
Trojčetný přeslen



3 leaves



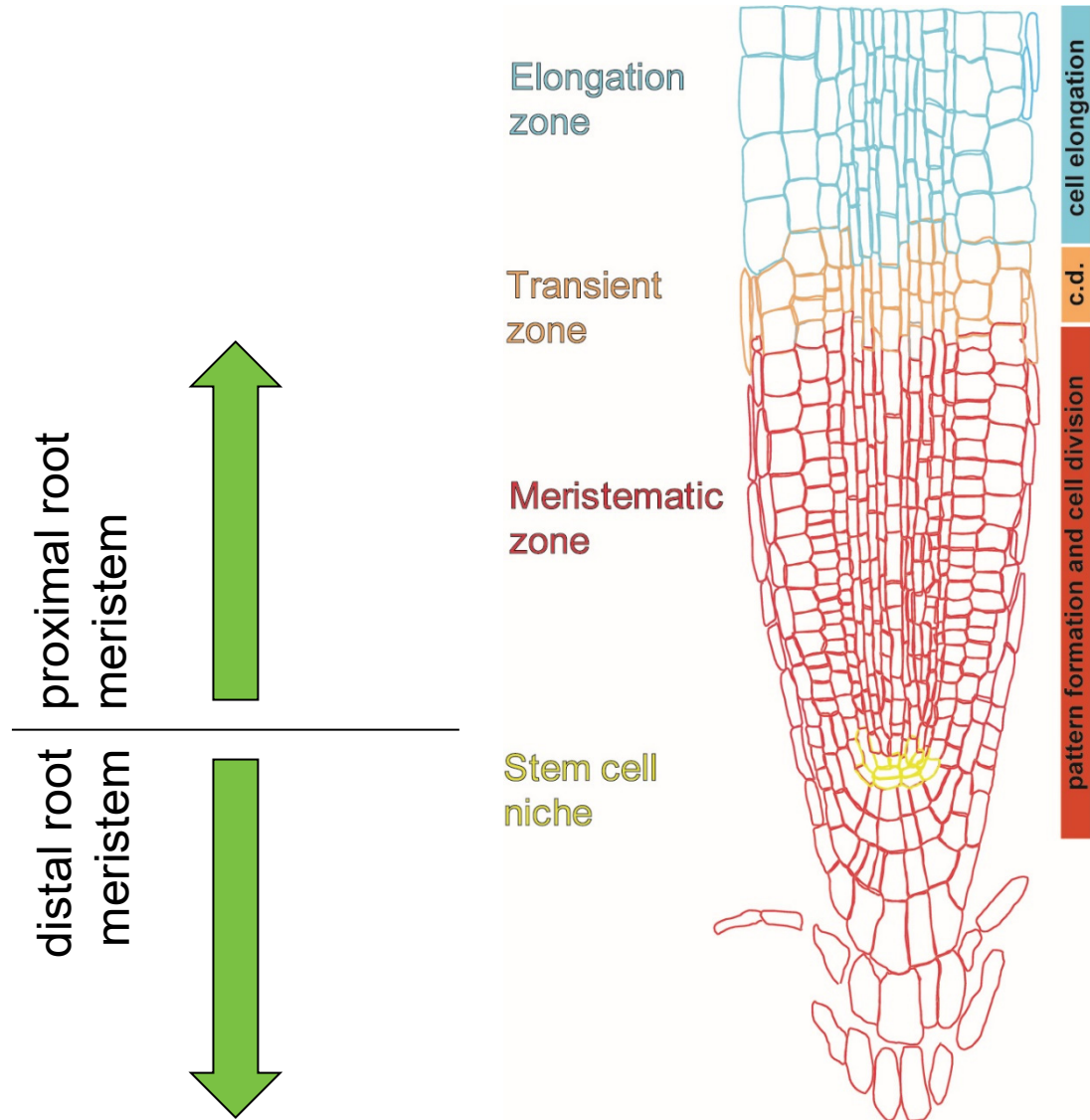
Spiral
Spirálovitá fylotaxe



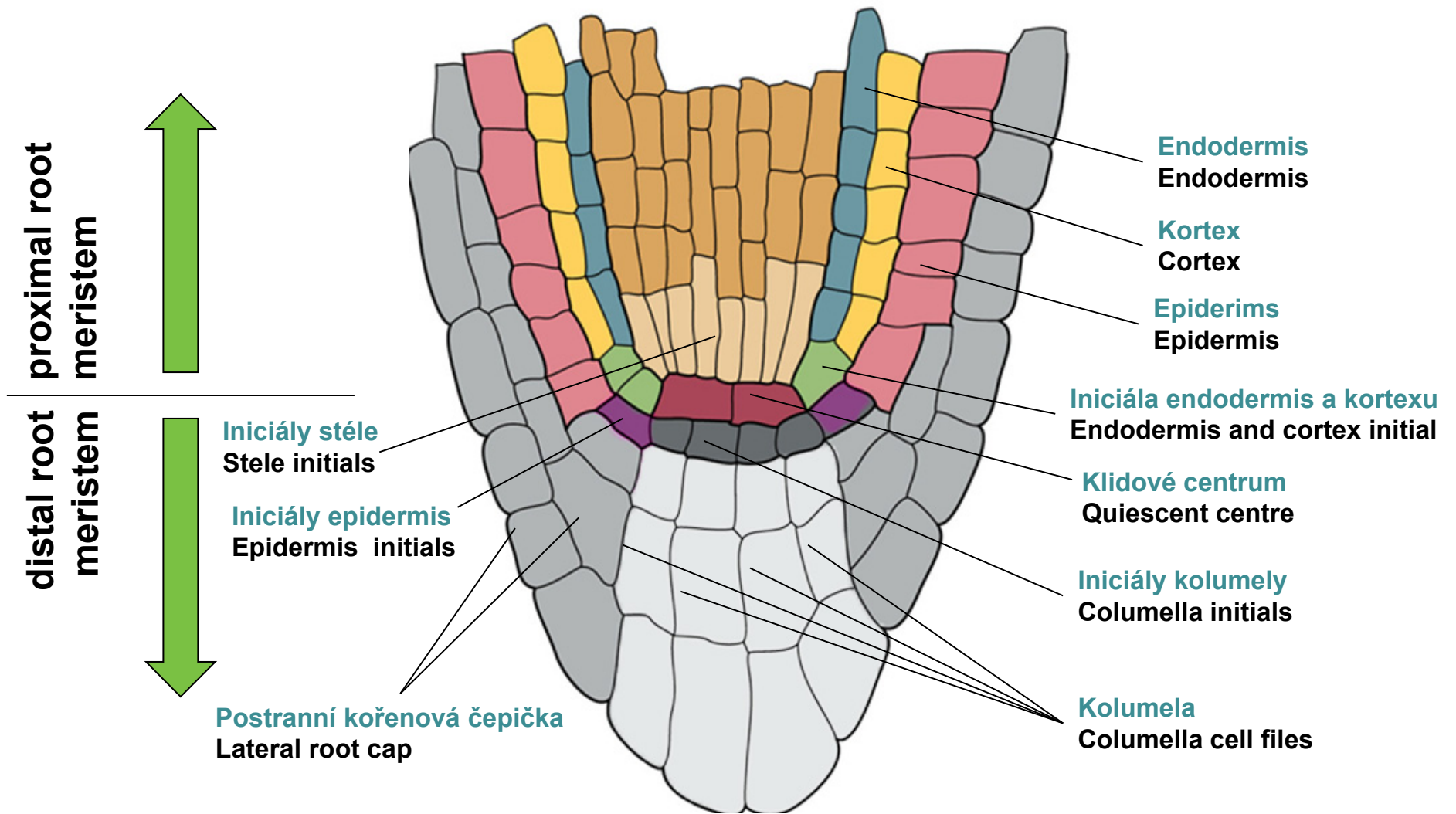
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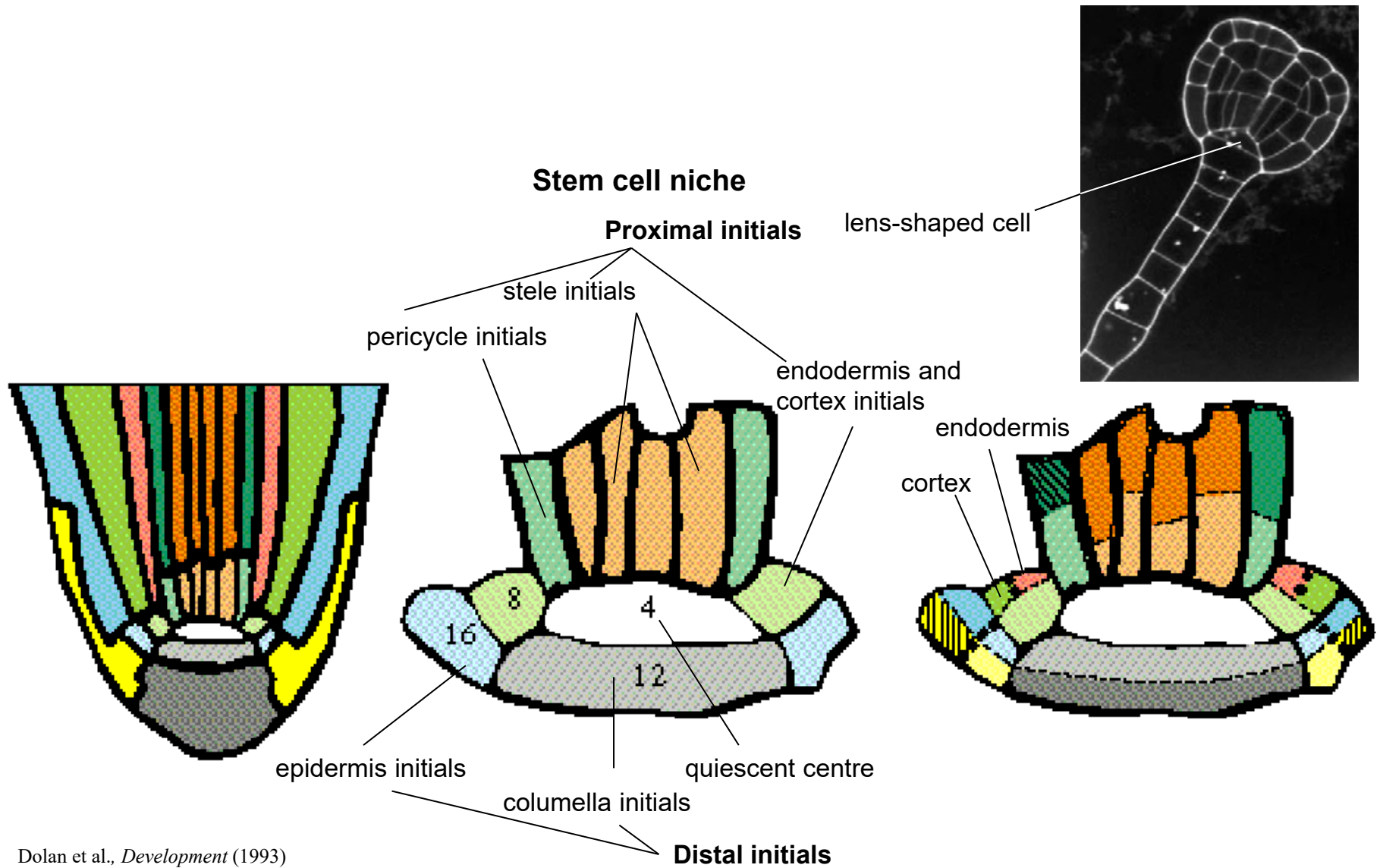
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Benkova and Hejatkó, *Plant Mol Biol* (2008)





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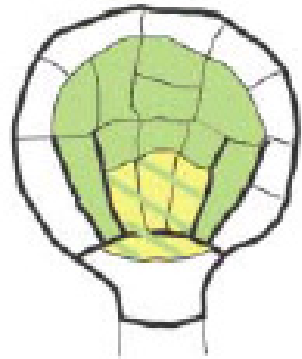
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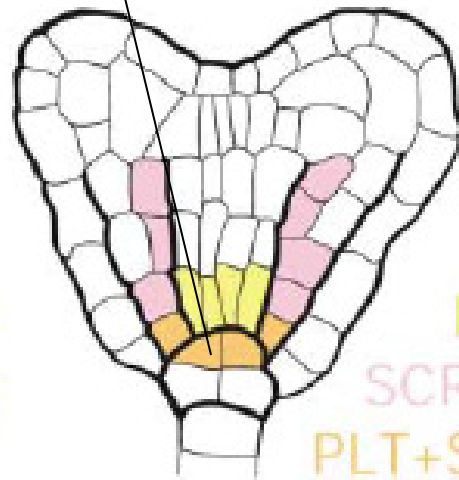
Auxin gradient → PLT

Overlap of expression of *PLT* and *SHR/SCR* provides the positional information for QC positioning

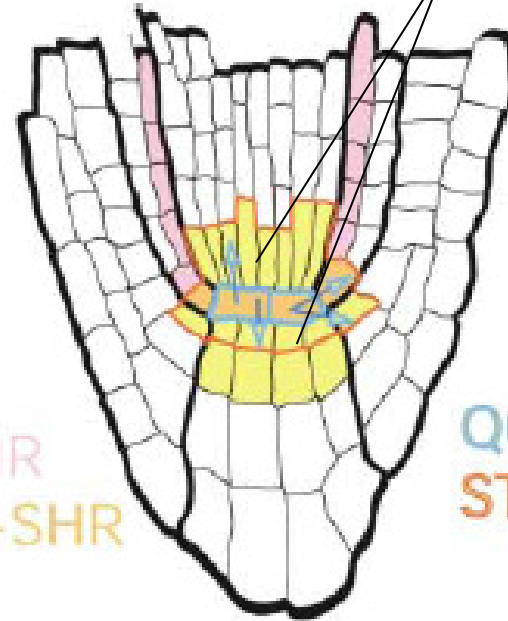
QC-mediated stem cell identity specification



MP
PLT



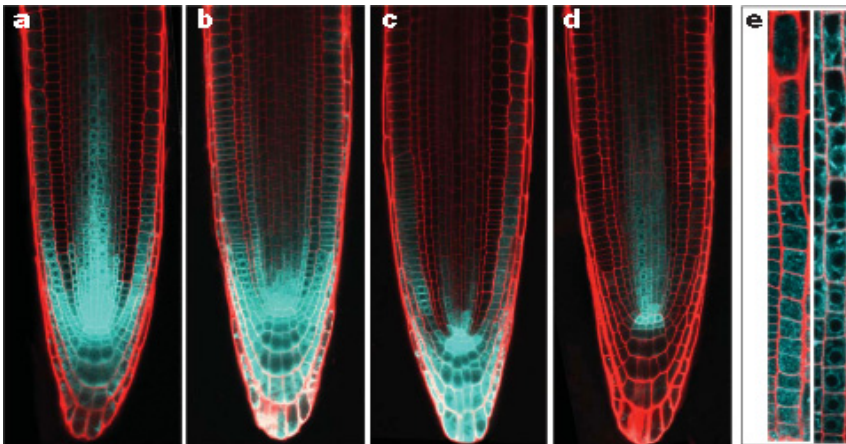
PLT
SCR+SHR
PLT+SCR+SHR



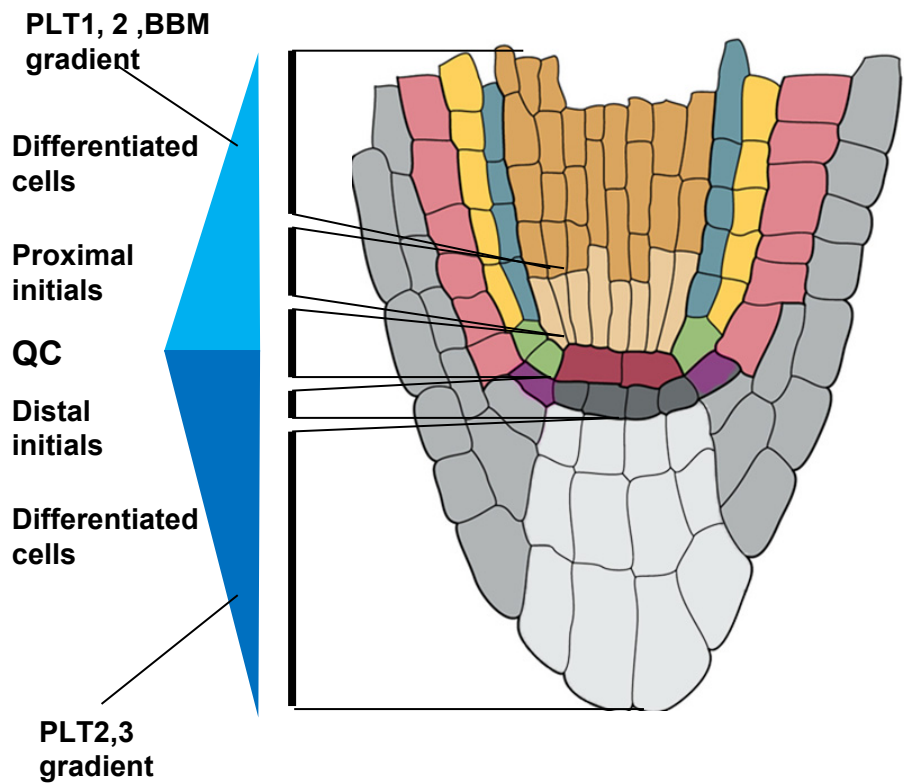
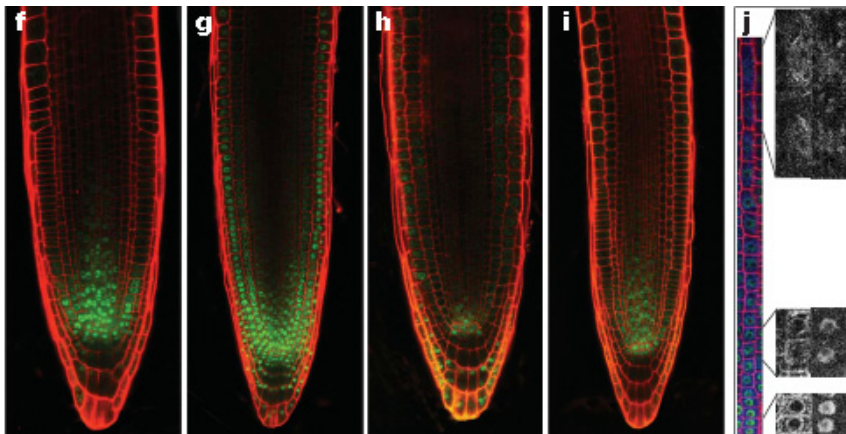
QC
STEM CELLS

Aida et al., *Cell* (2004)

ProPLT1:CFP ProPLT2:CFP ProPLT3:CFP ProBBM:CFP



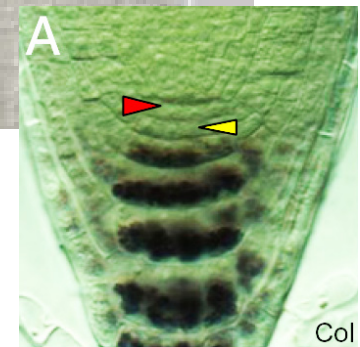
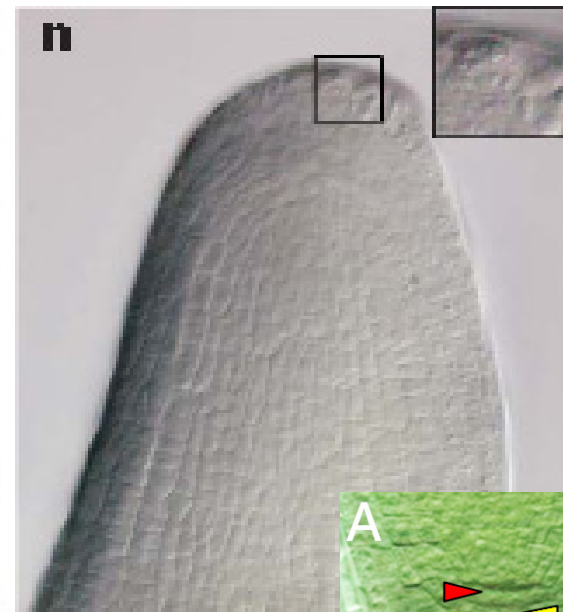
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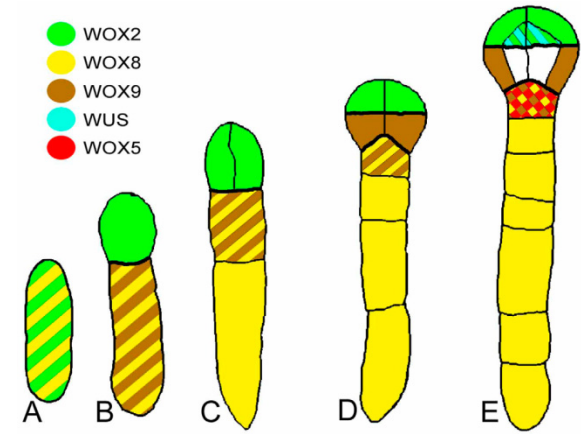
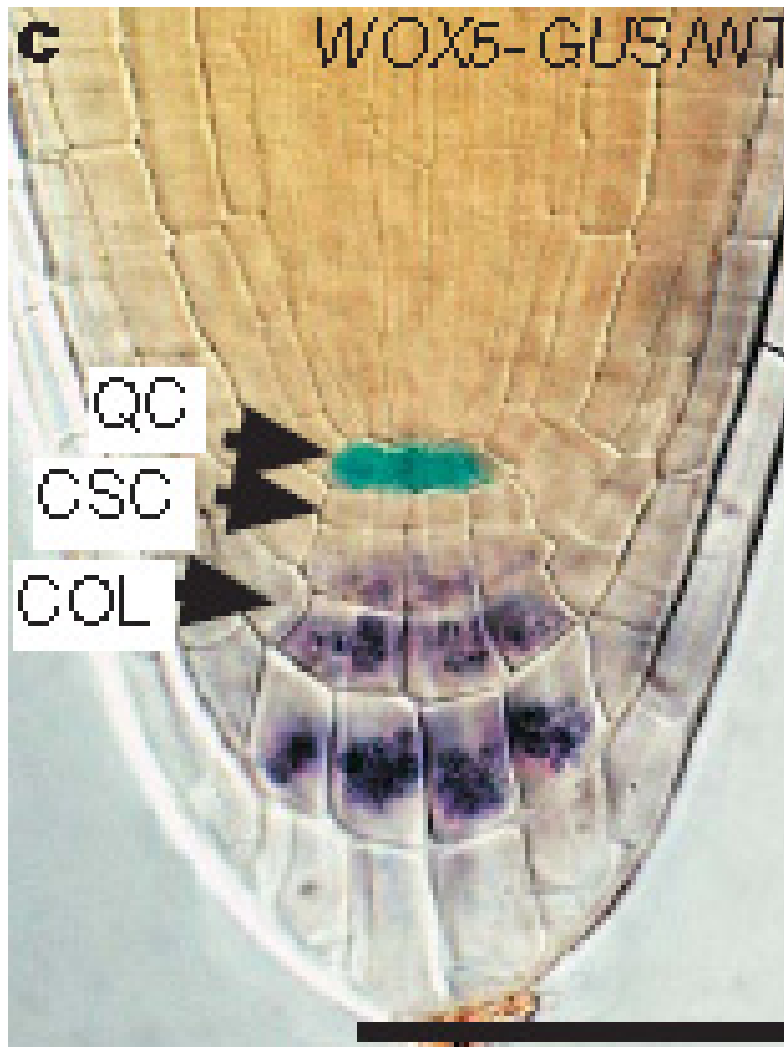
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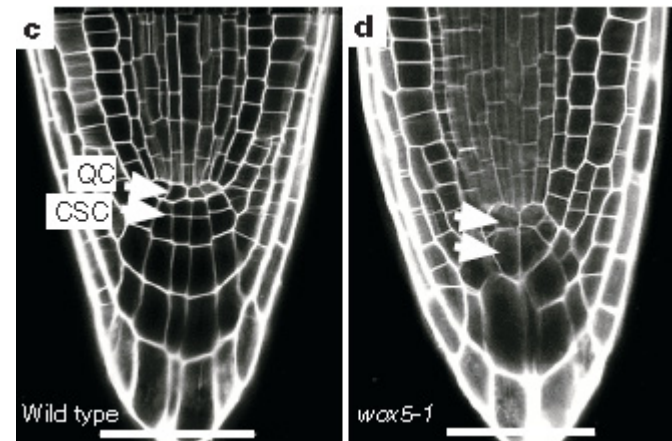


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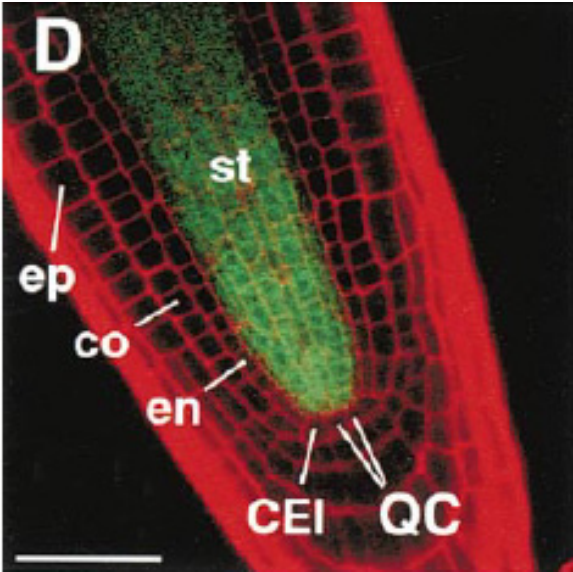
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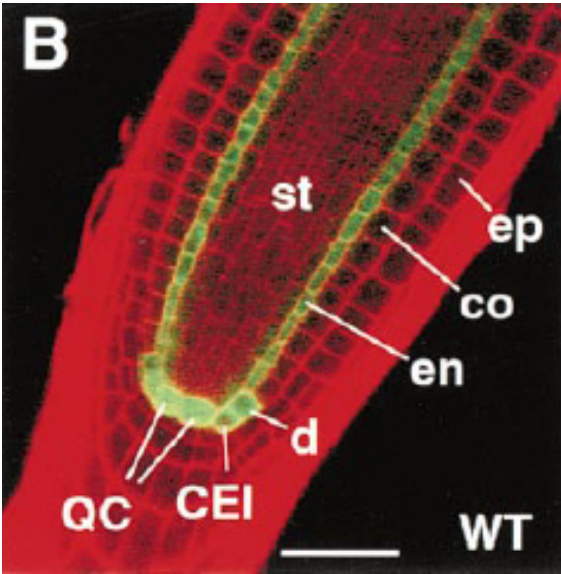
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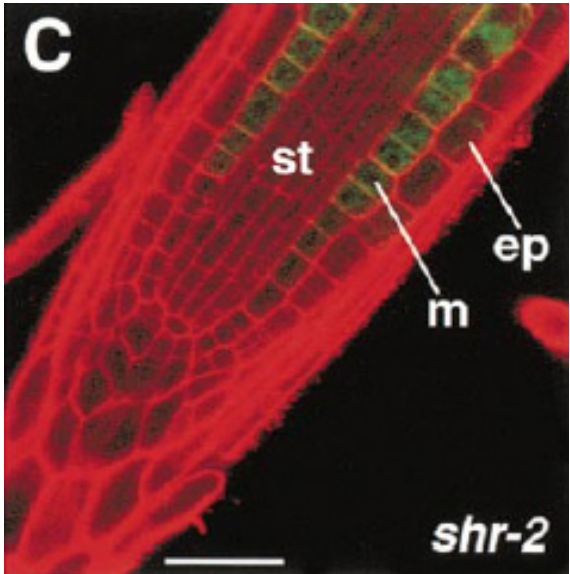
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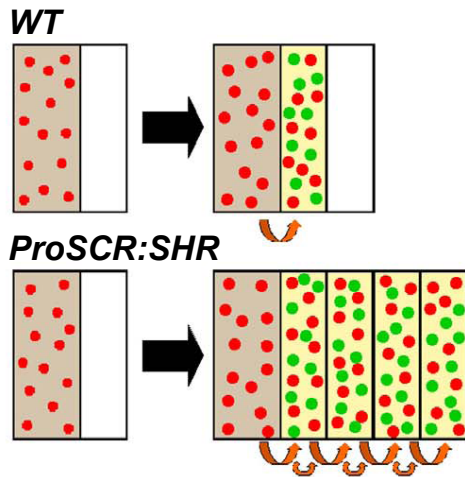
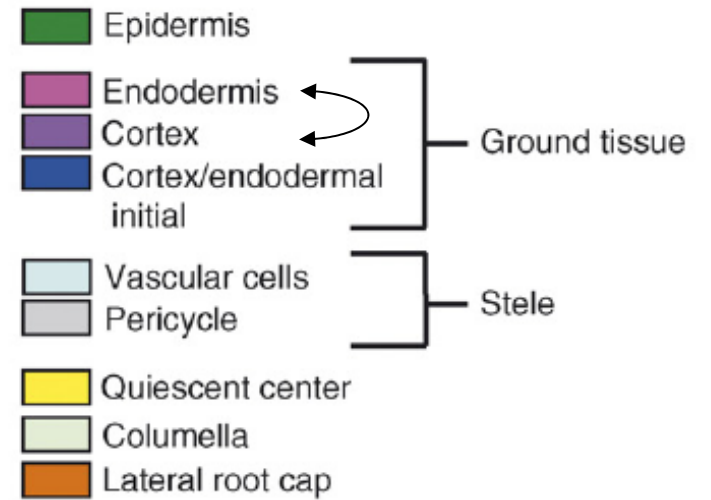
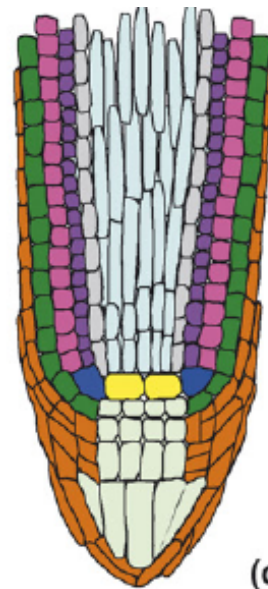
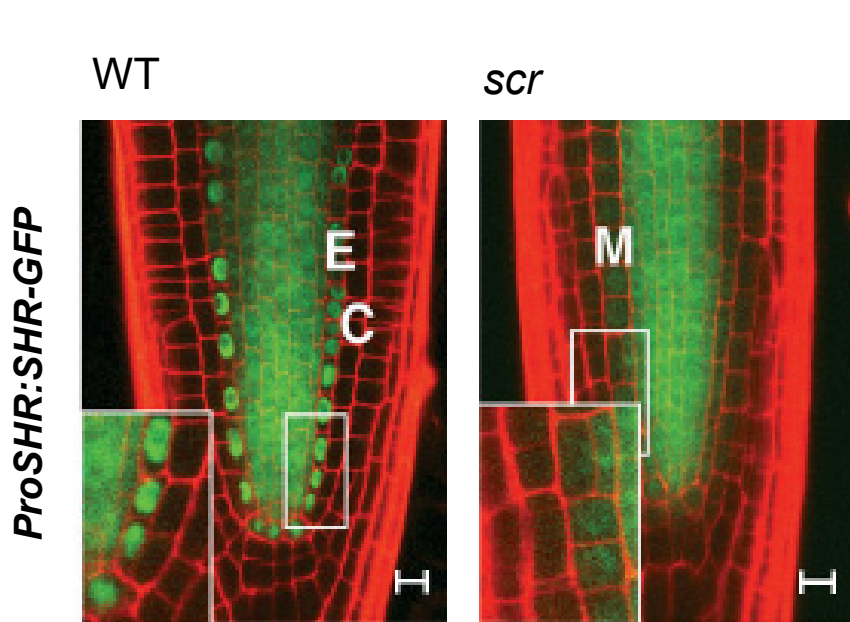
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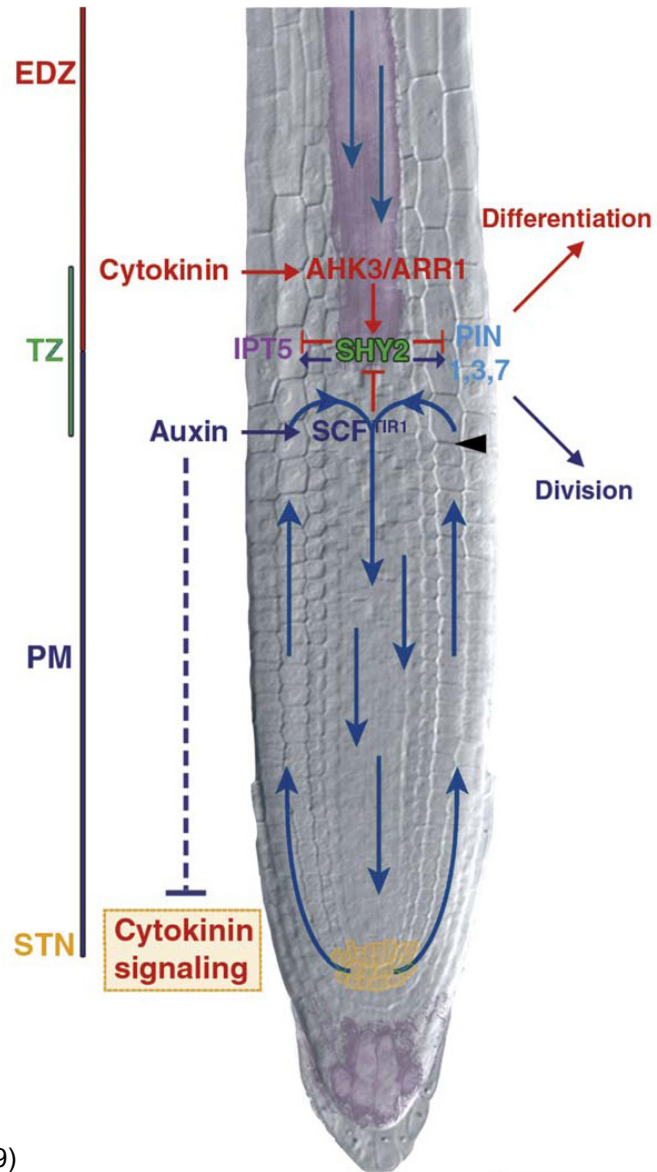


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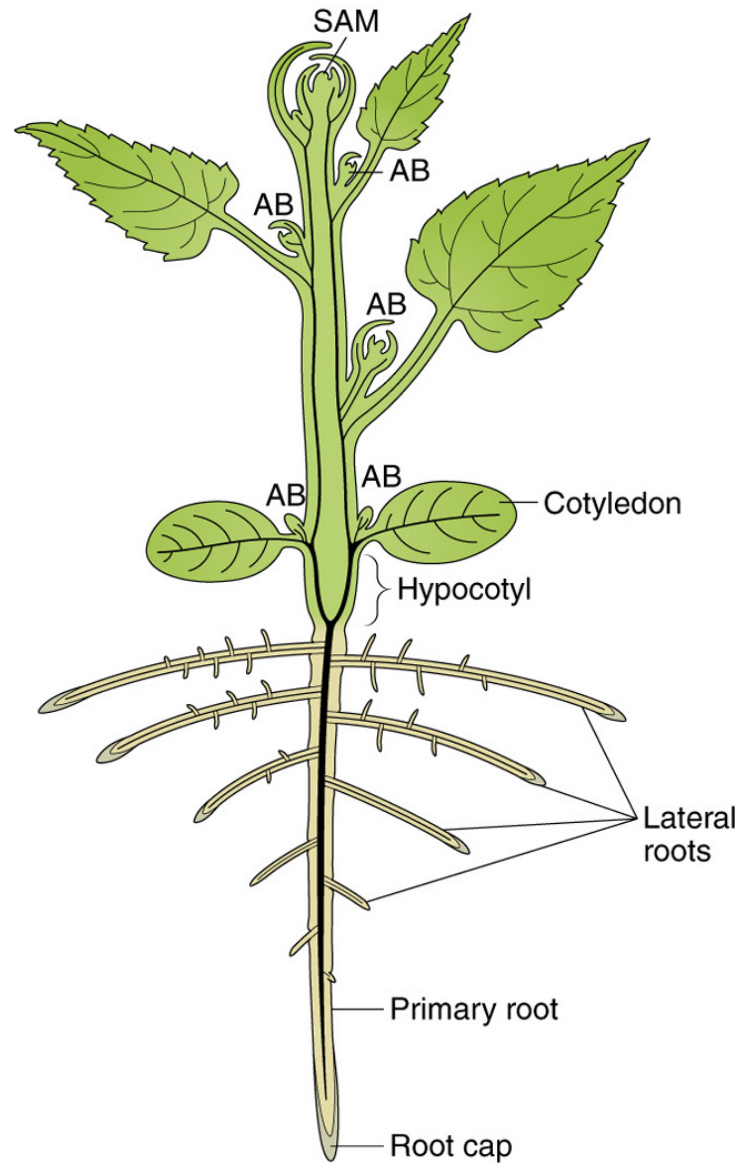


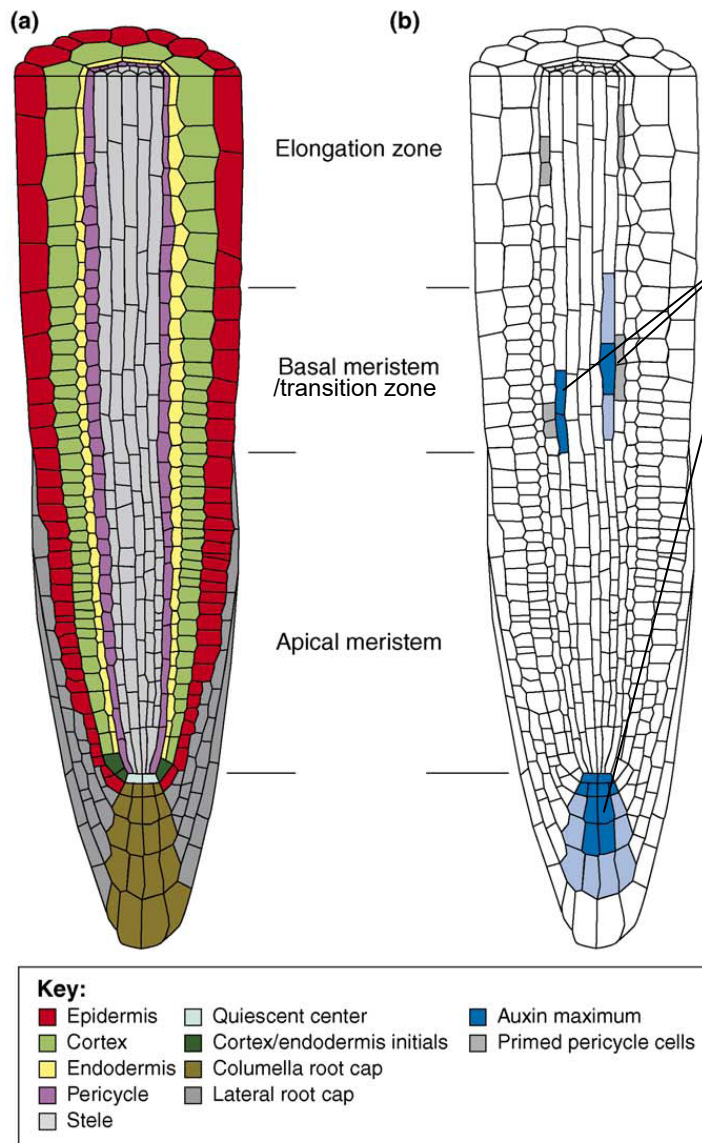
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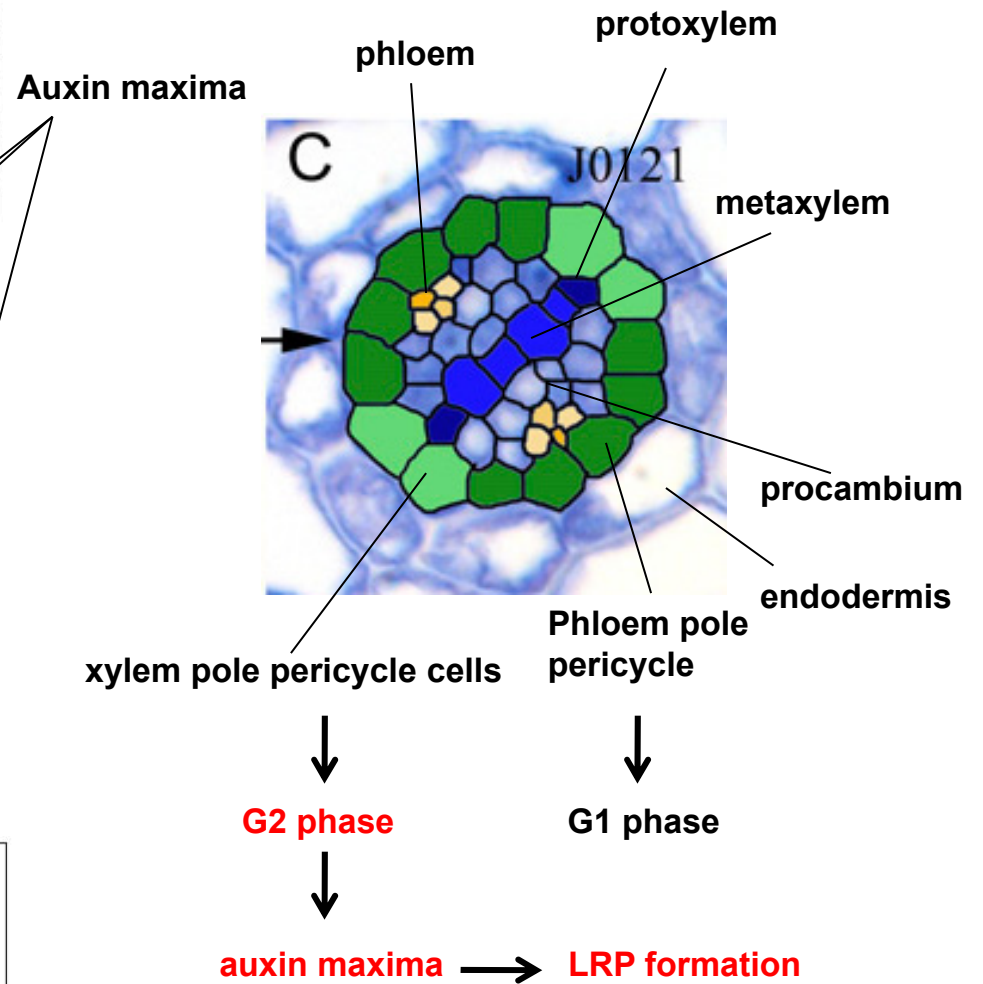
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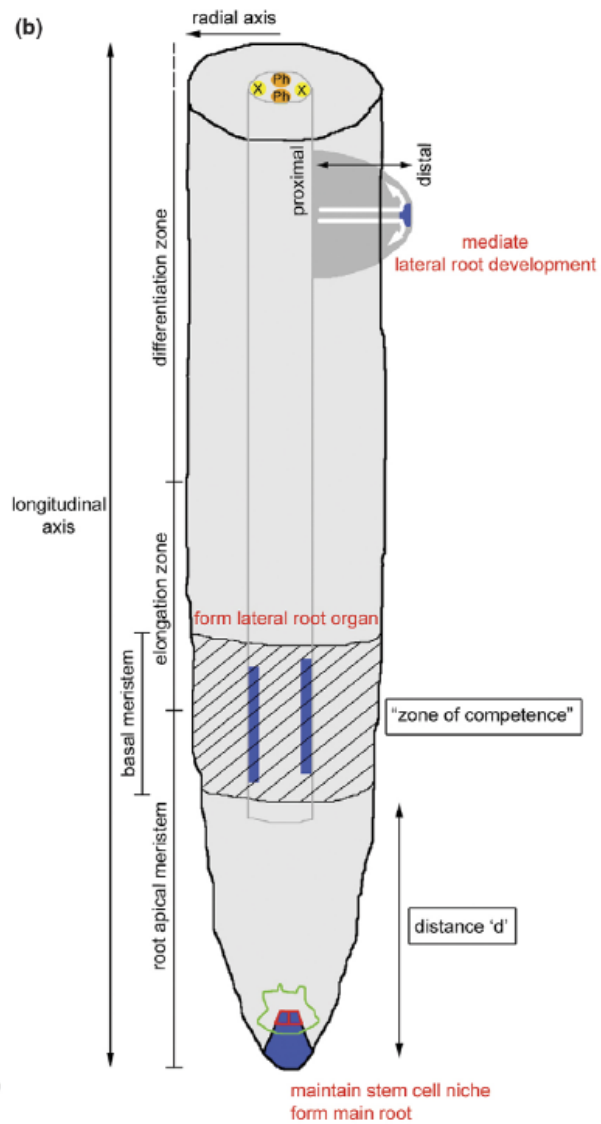


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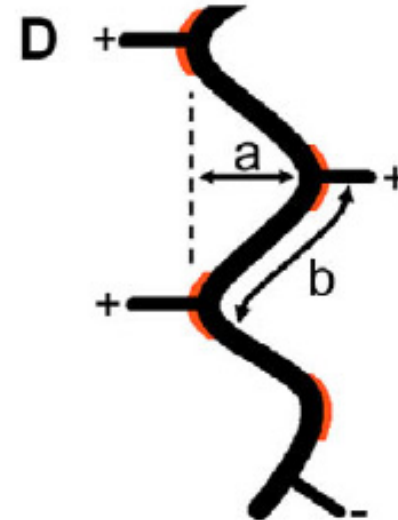
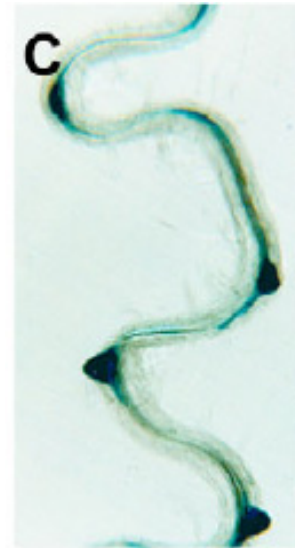
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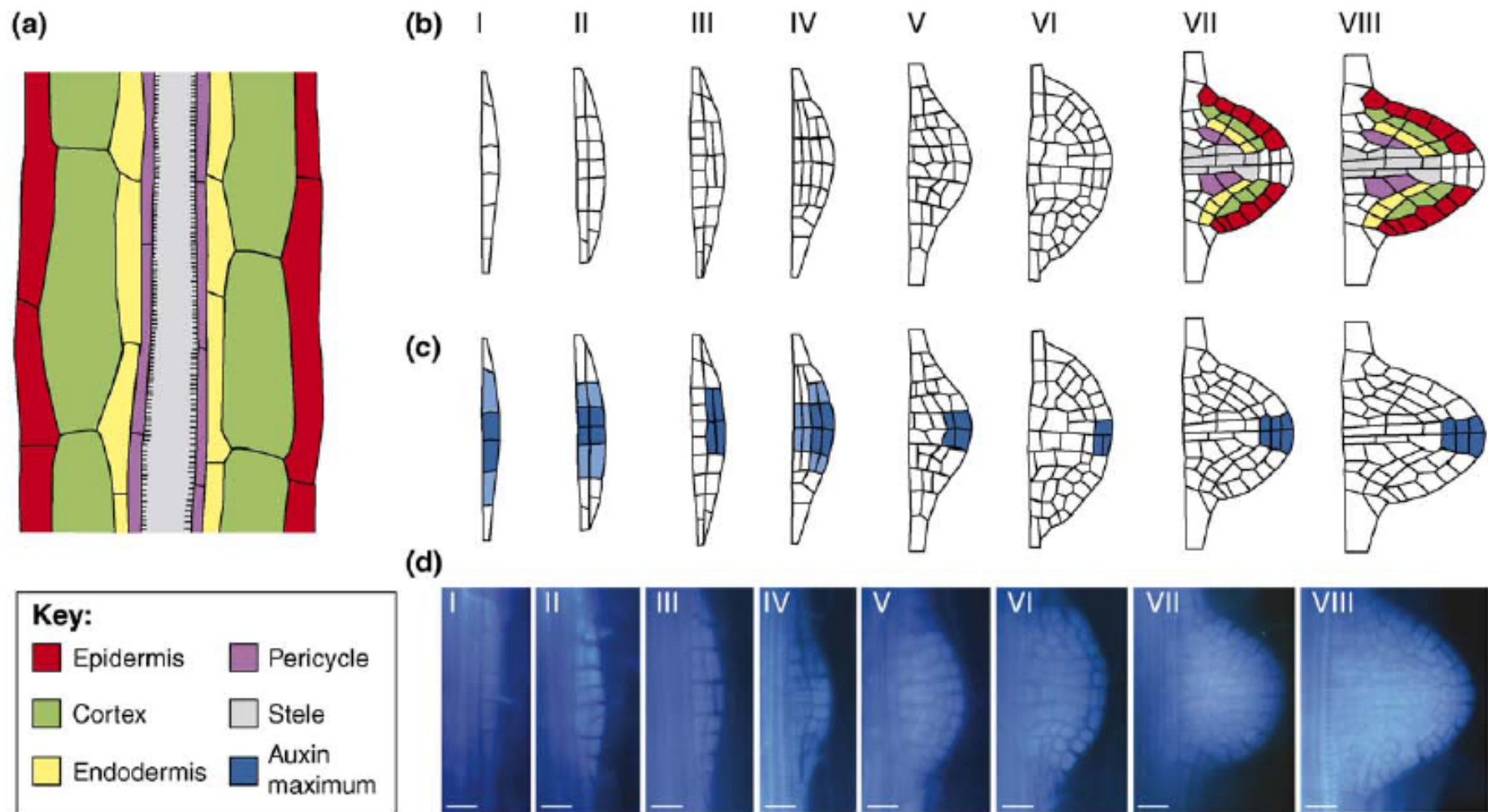
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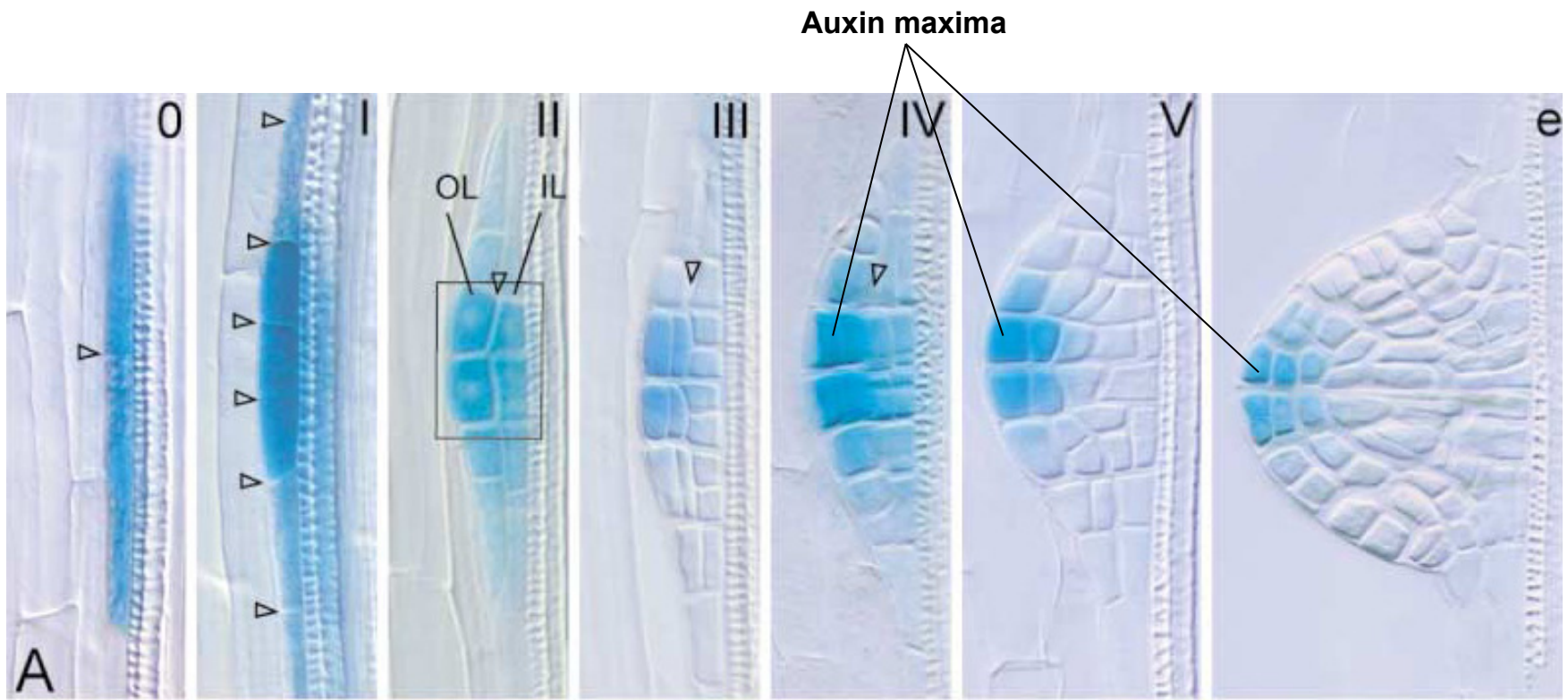
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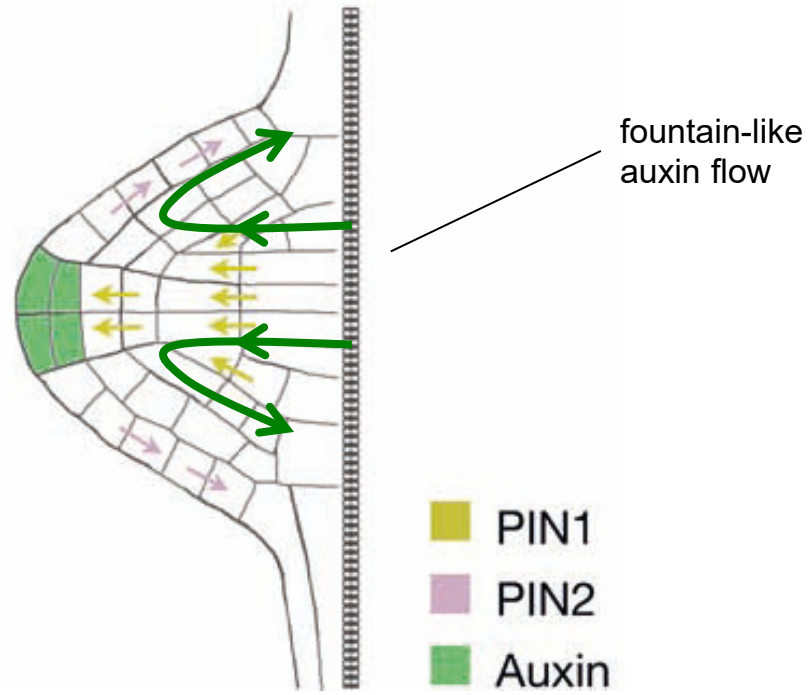
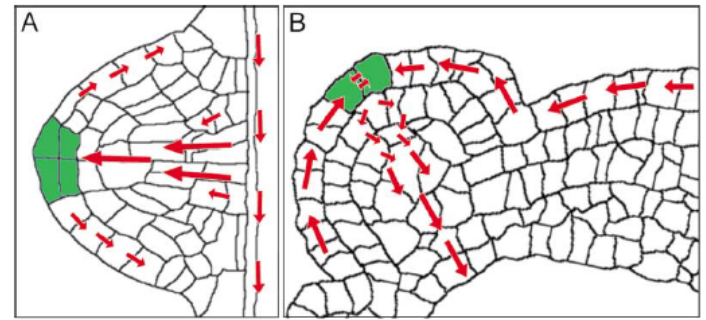
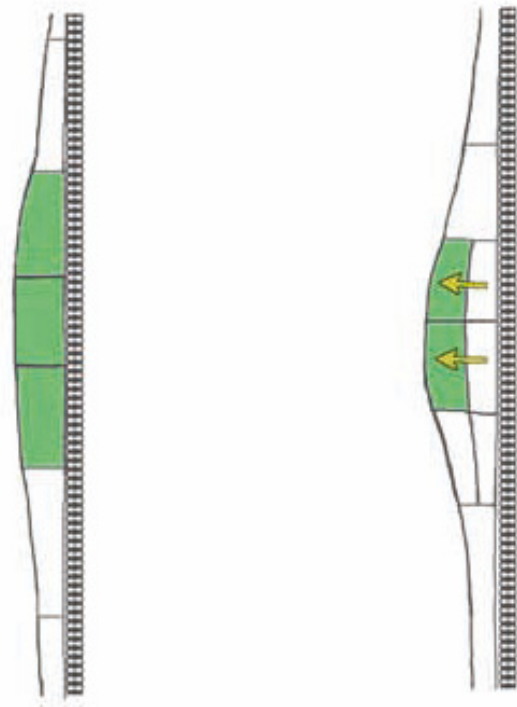
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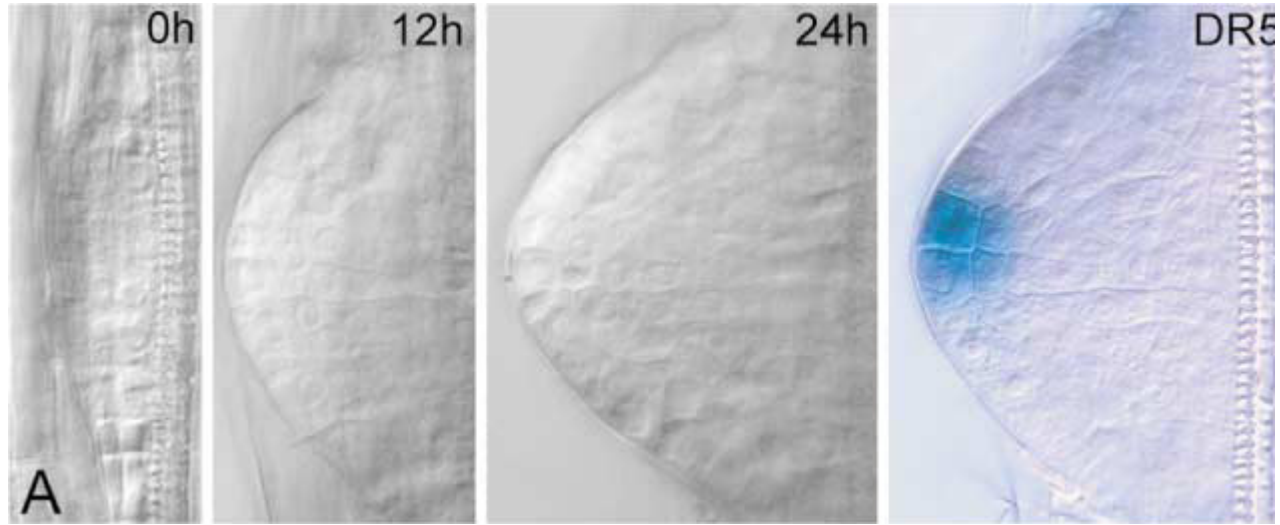


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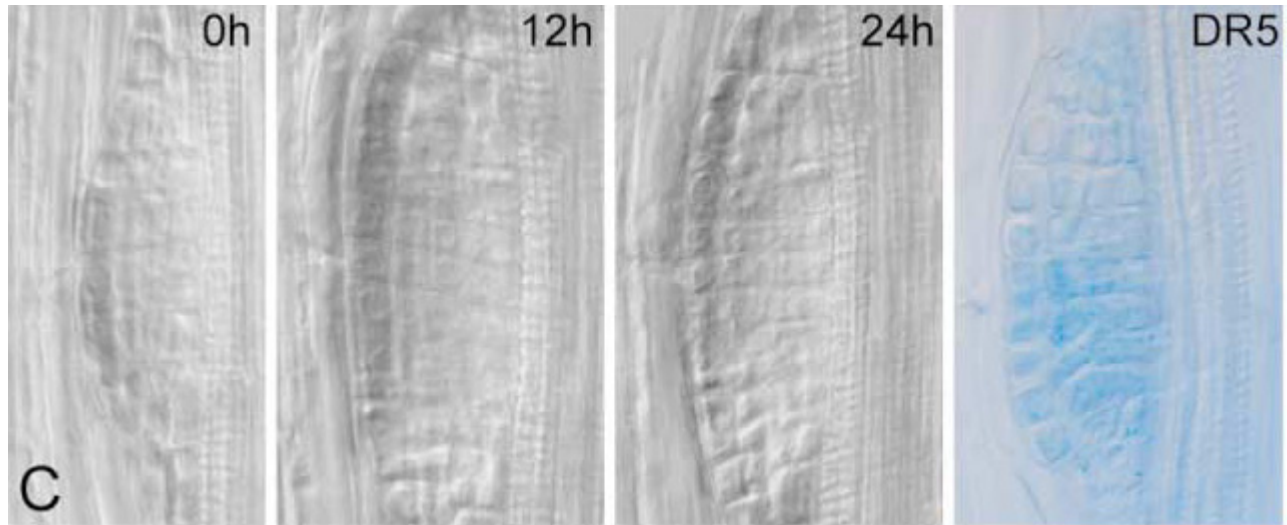


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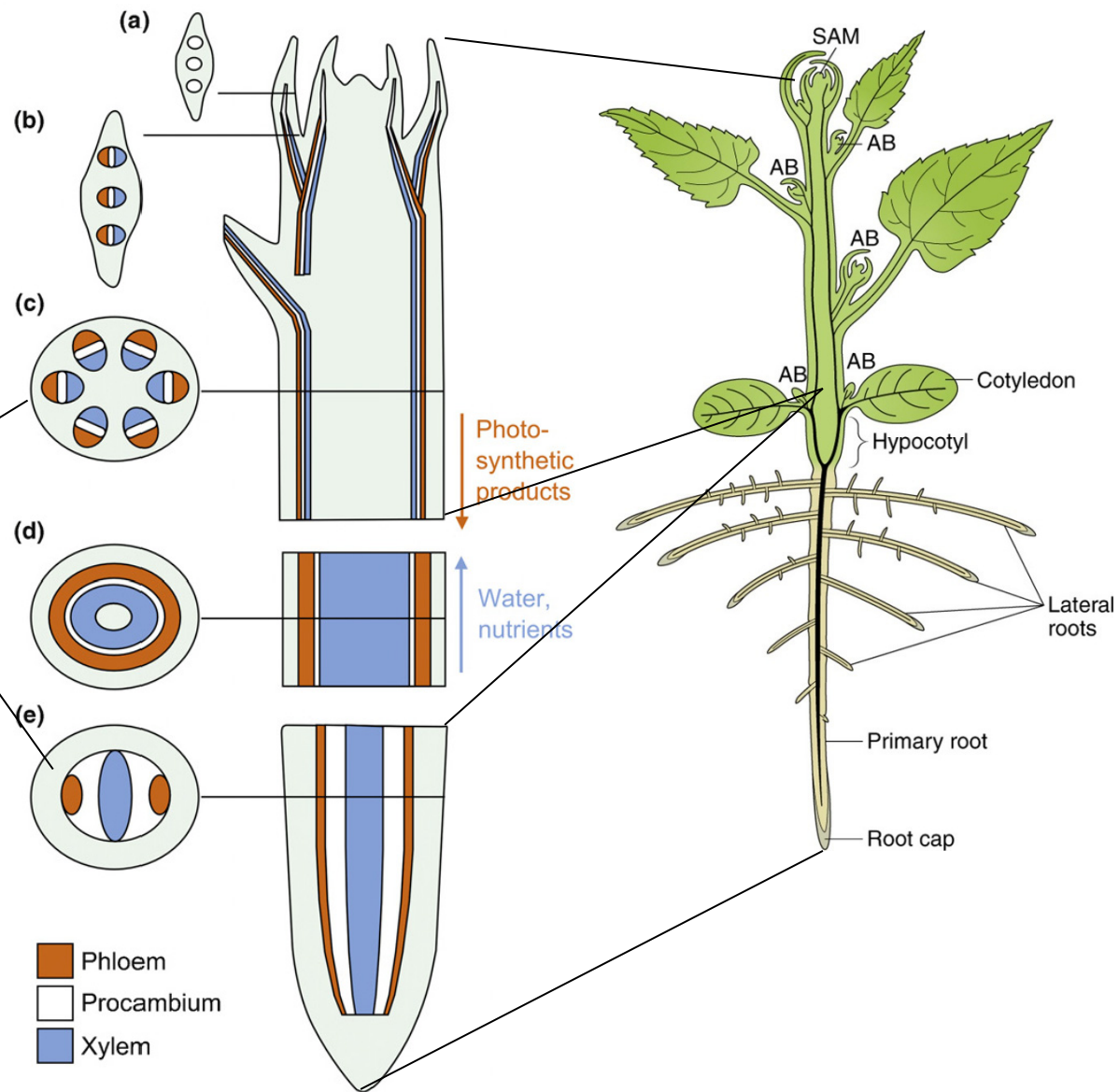
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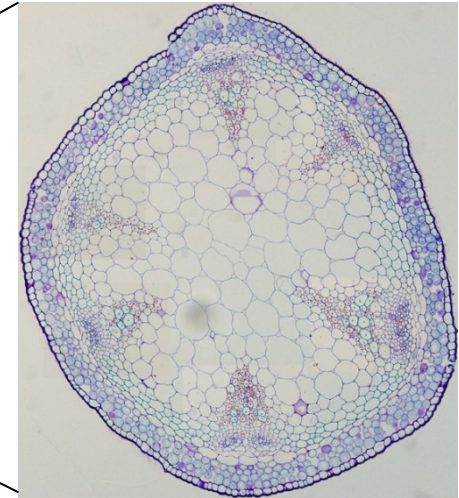
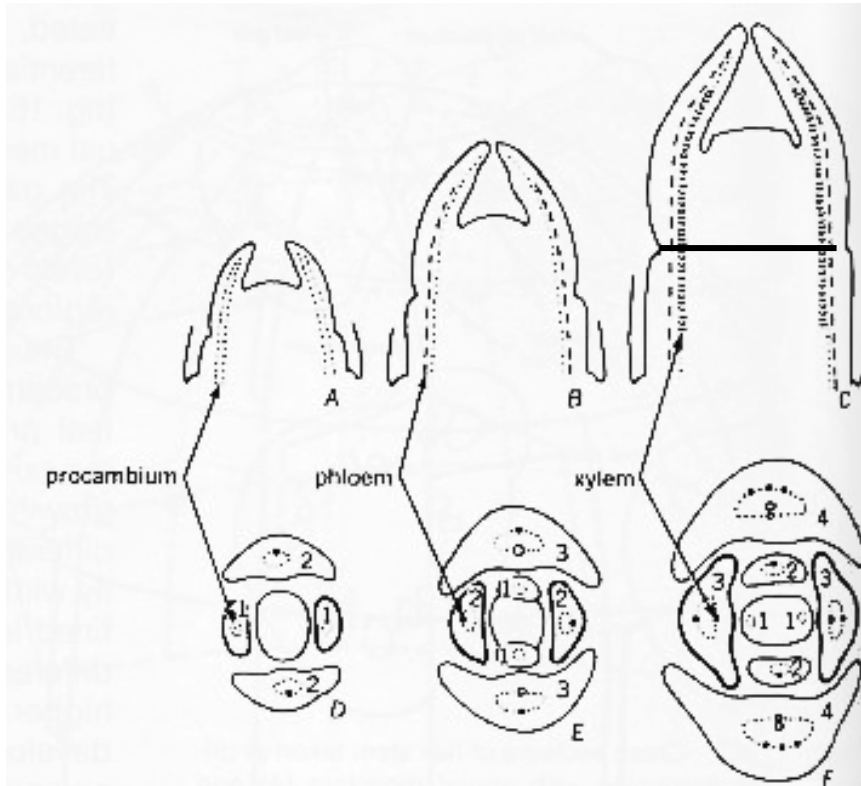
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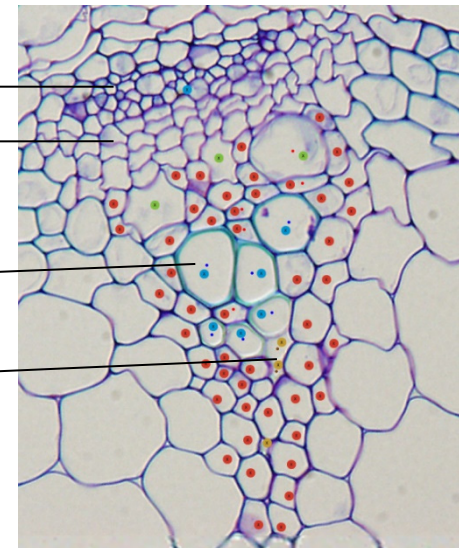


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Procambium

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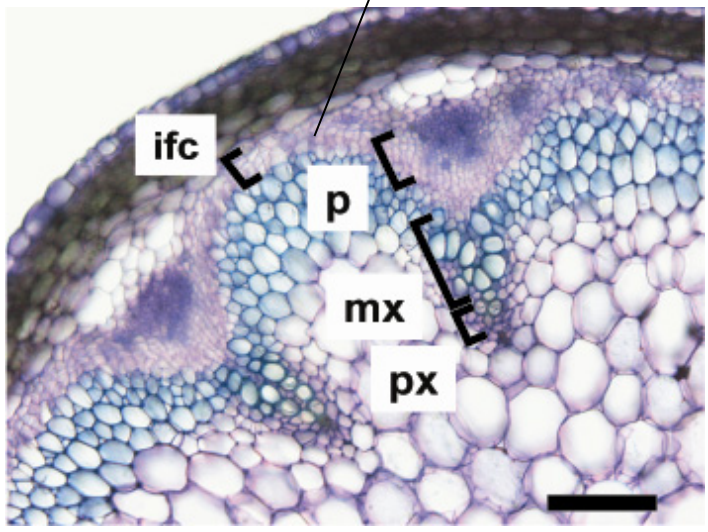
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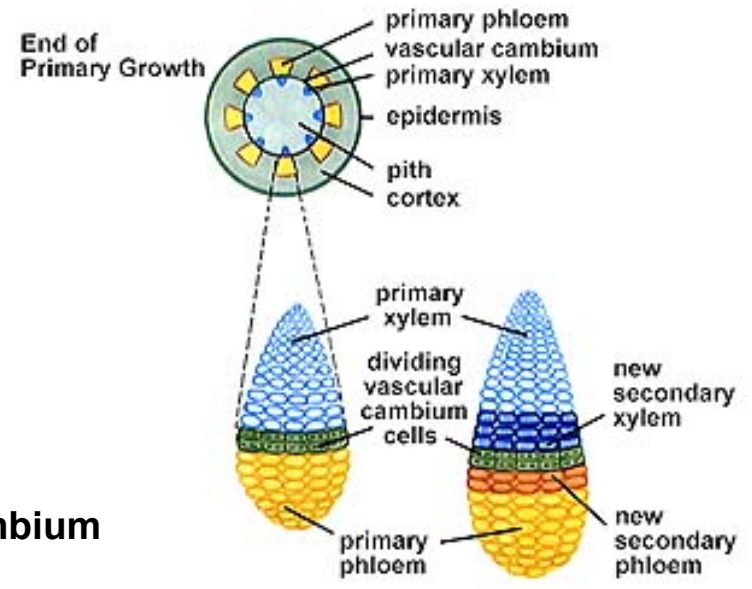
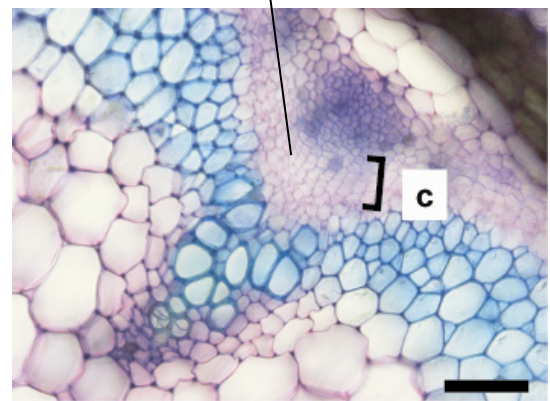
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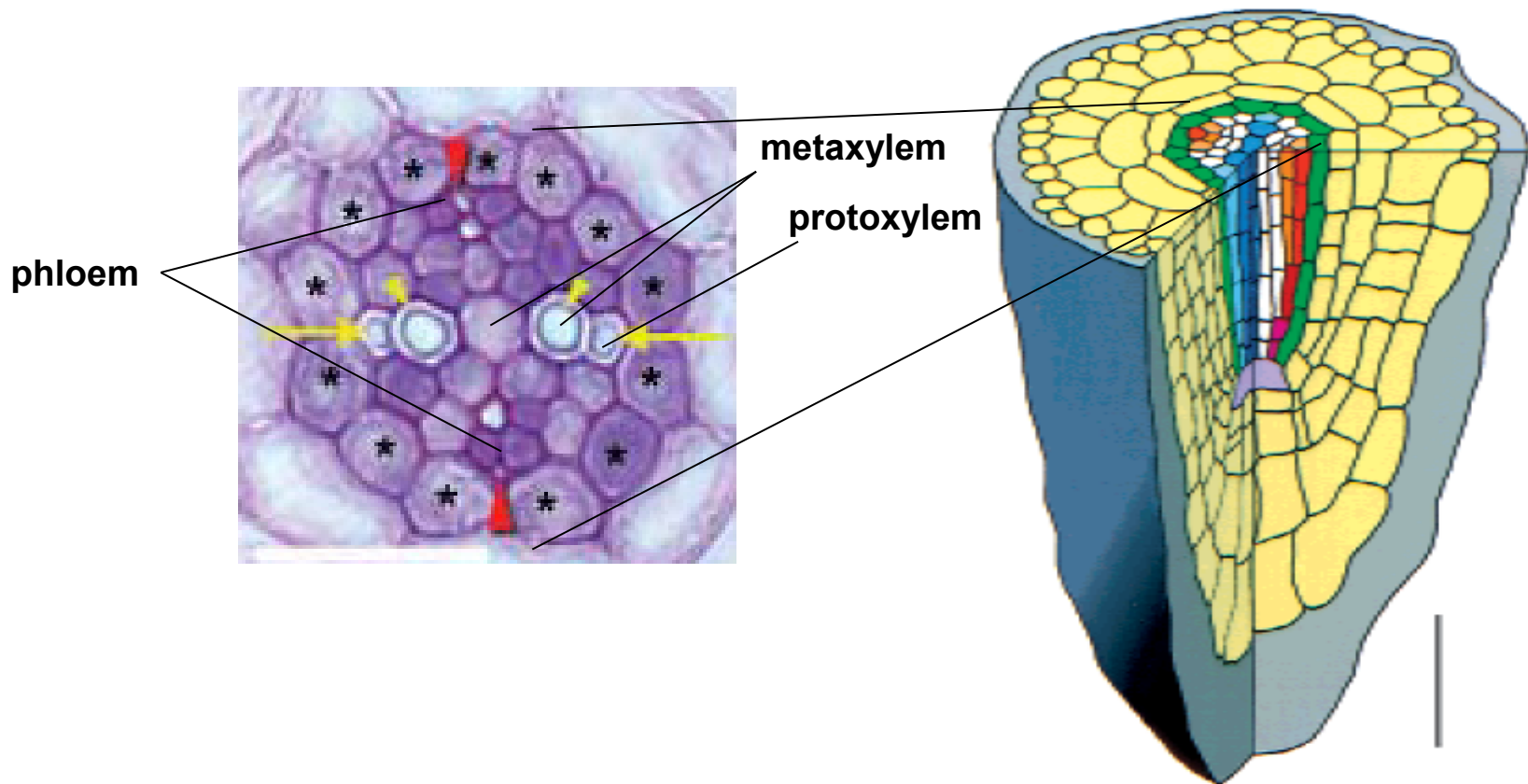
Interfascicular cambium



Vascular cambium



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Key Concepts

Postembryonic Plant Development

- Plants, in contrast to animals, form most of their tissues and organs during **postembryonic development** via **postembryonic *de novo* organogenesis**.
- Both shoot and root growth occurs via **directed cell proliferation** and **differentiation** in plant **meristems**.
- **Organizing centres** are formed in both shoot and root apical meristems.
- **Auxin gradients** determine **novel organ initiation** and **spacing** in the shoot apical meristem.
- **Auxin-driven morphogen gradient** acts in the **specification of the stem cell niche** and **cell differentiation** in the root.
- **Auxin maxima** specify positions of novel organ formation e.g. **lateral root primordia**.
- **(Pro)cambium** contains **stem cell pool** and allows **vascular tissue formation** and **radial growth** of plants.

Discussion