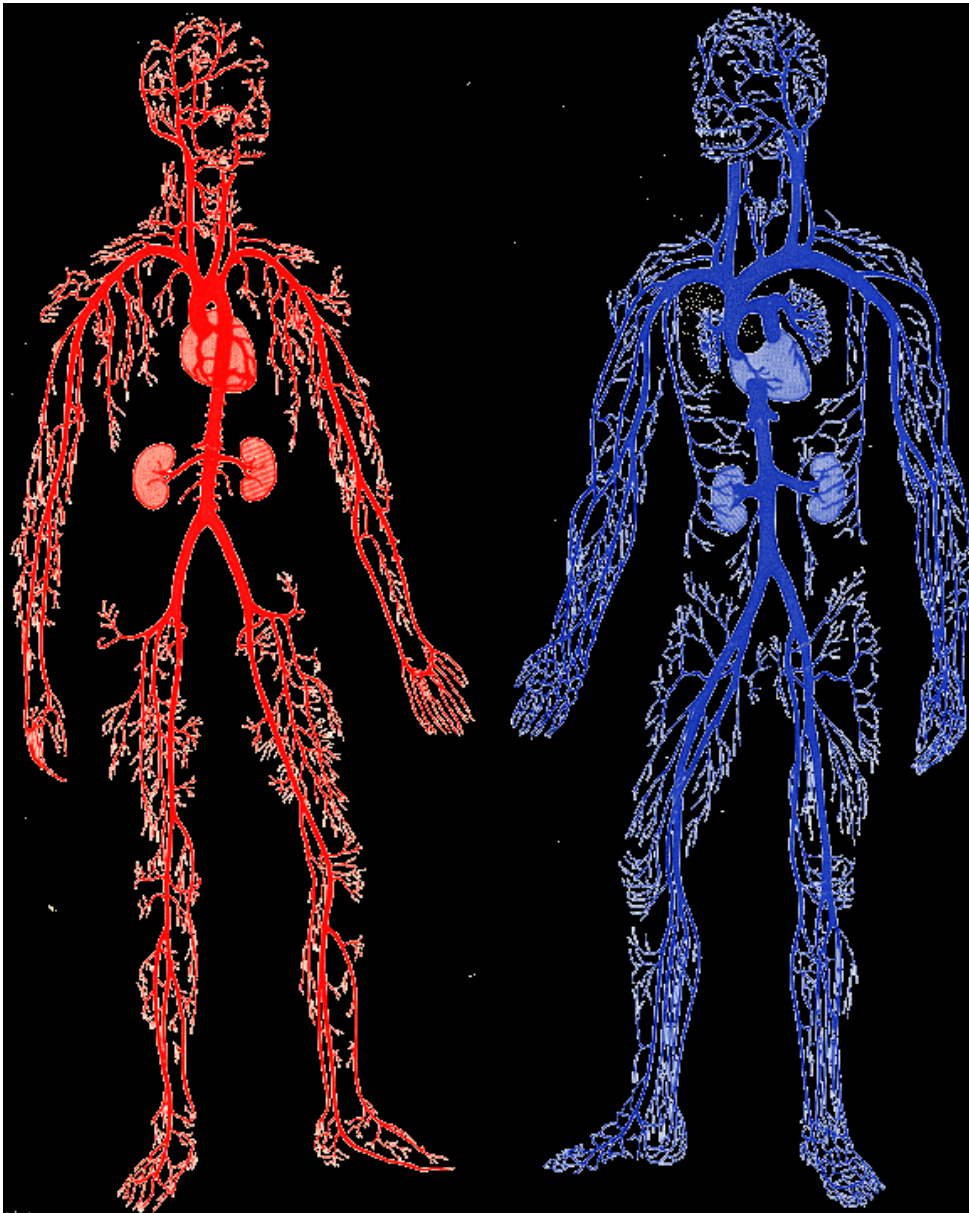




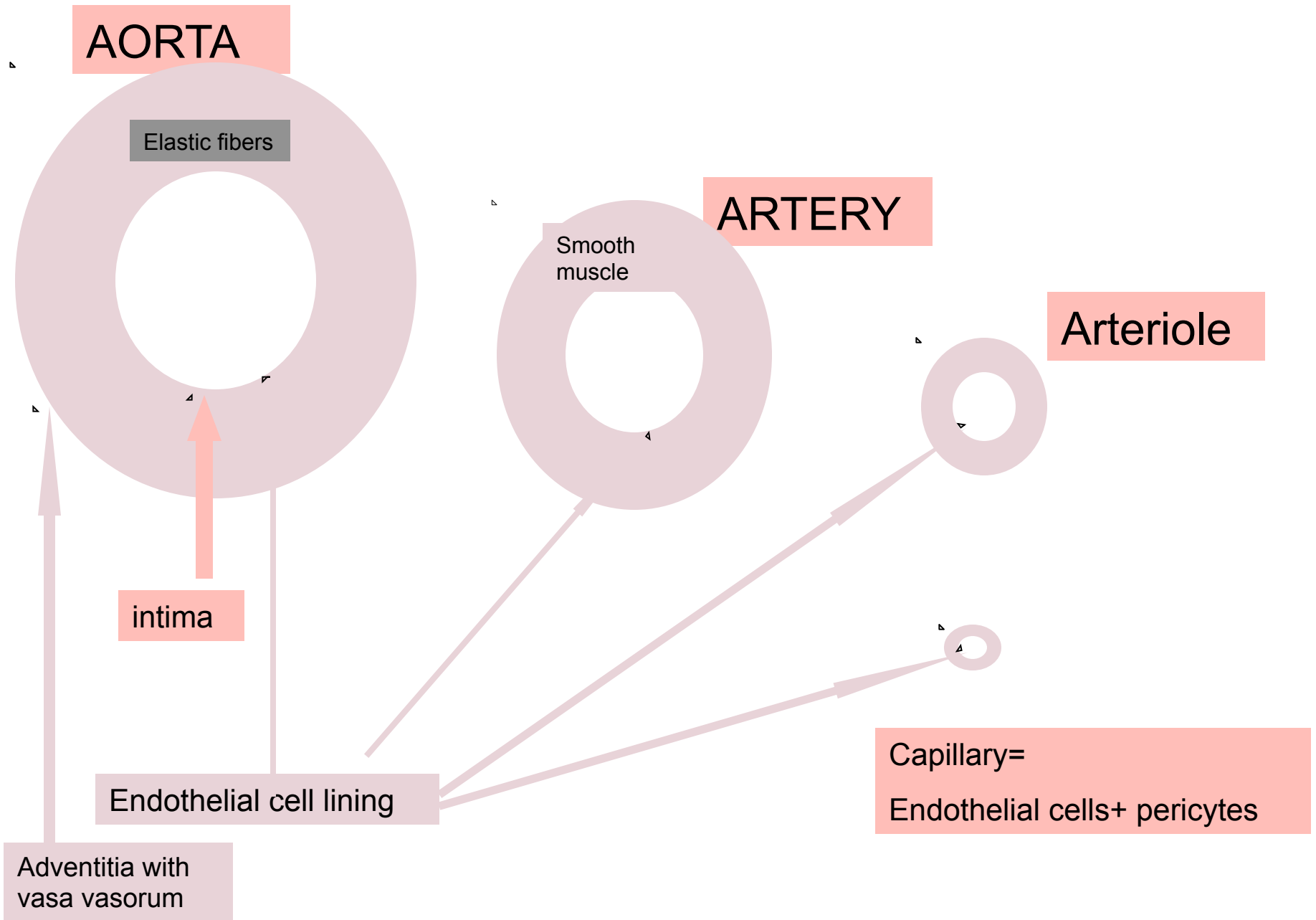
**Arterial**

**Venous systems**

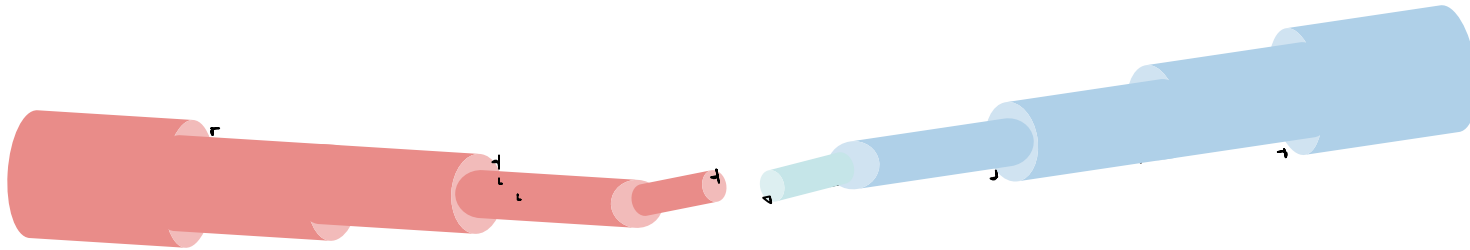
**Capillaries**

**Lymphatics**

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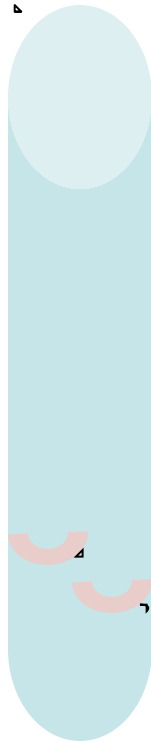
# Mechanics of the circulatory system



Aorta to Artery to arteriole to capillary to arteriovenous capillaries to venule to vein

Elastic tissue in wall to smooth muscle to pericyte

Lymphatic system is separate from the blood vessels and is difficult to see without special stains

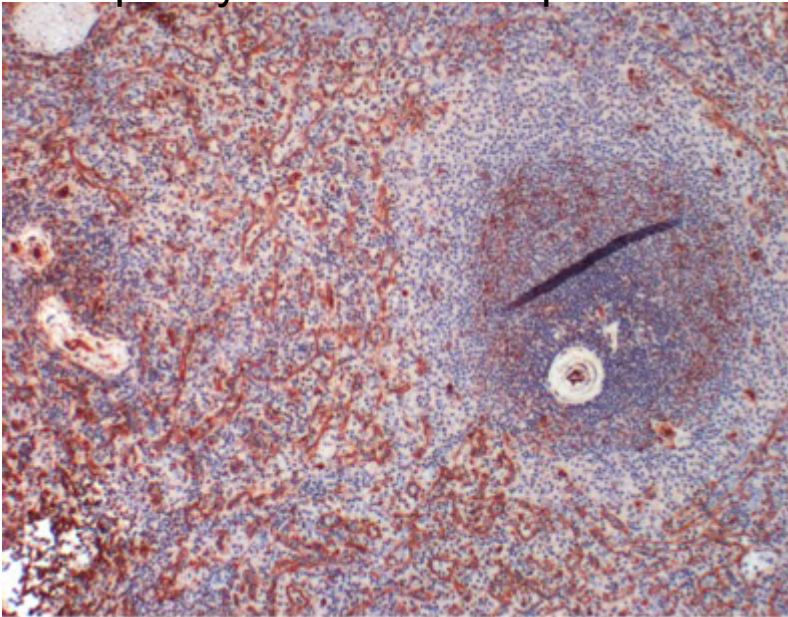


No elastic tissue in walls  
of veins and venules

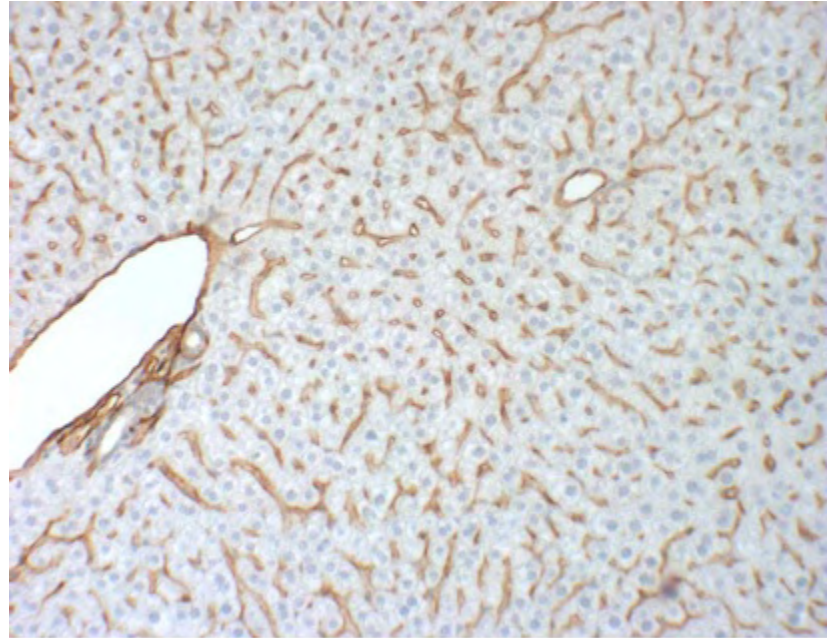
Larger veins have  
valves in the walls to  
allow blood keep flowing

## Examples of discontinuous capillaries

Capillary sinusoids in spleen



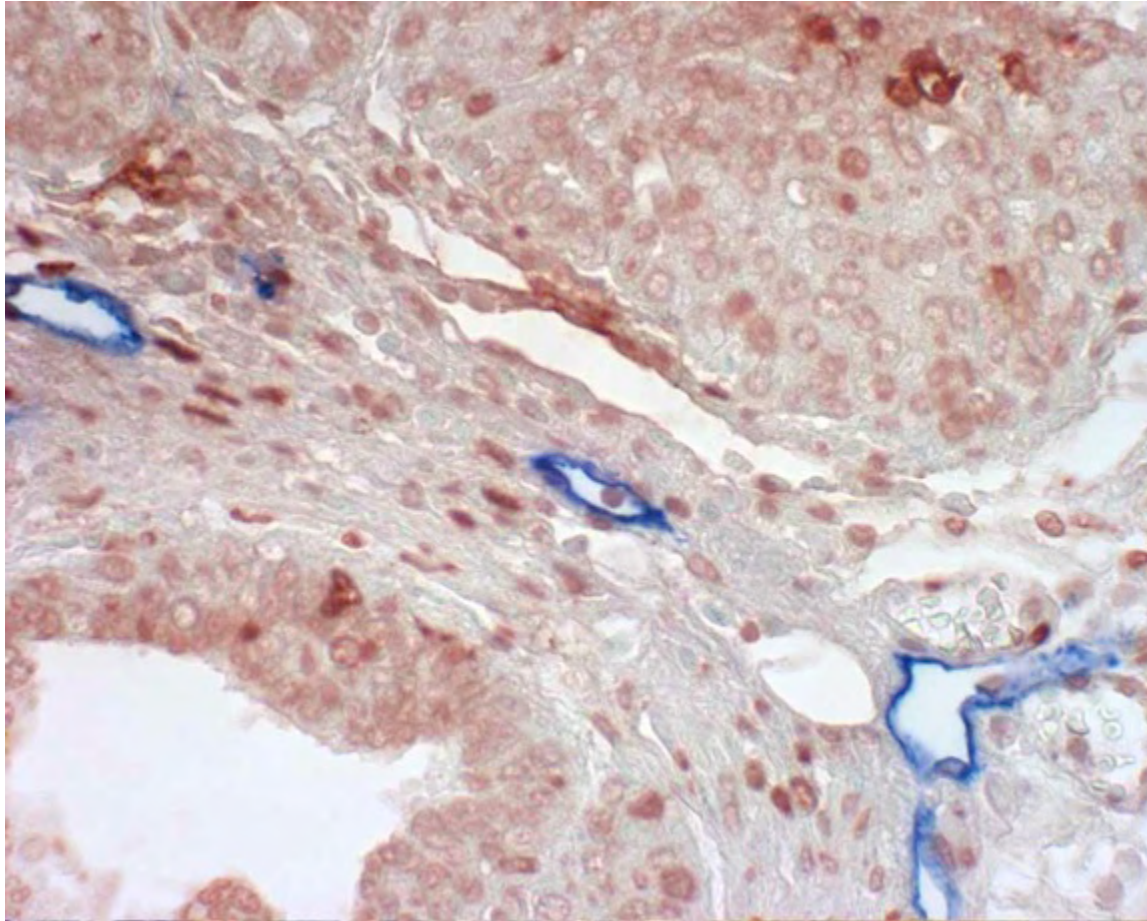
Capillary sinusoids in liver



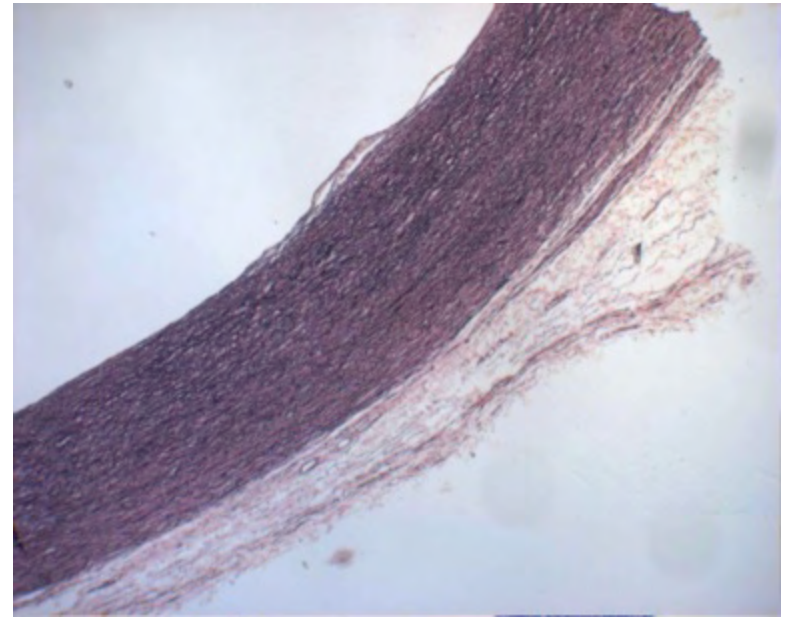
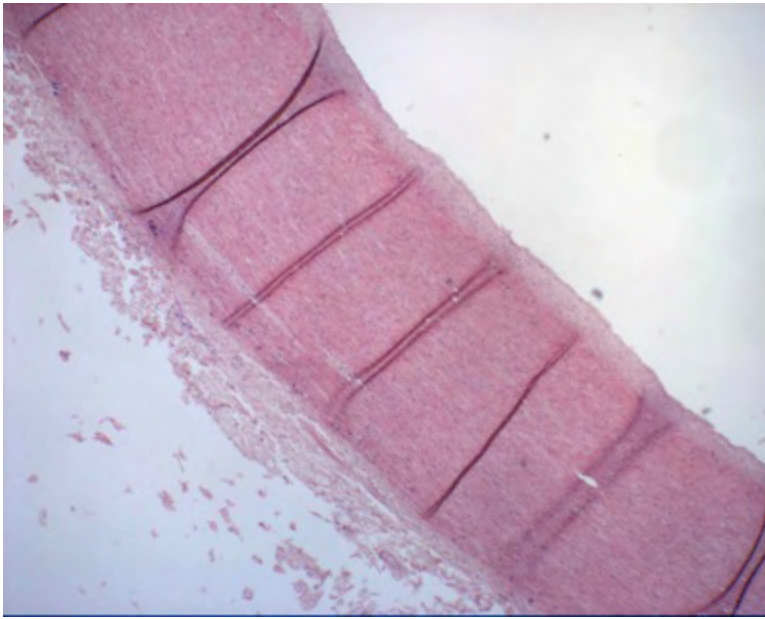
Markers for endothelial cells:

Rabbit anti-von Willebrand's factor (vWF): for large vessels

Anti-CD31 : for all endothelia (not lymphatics)

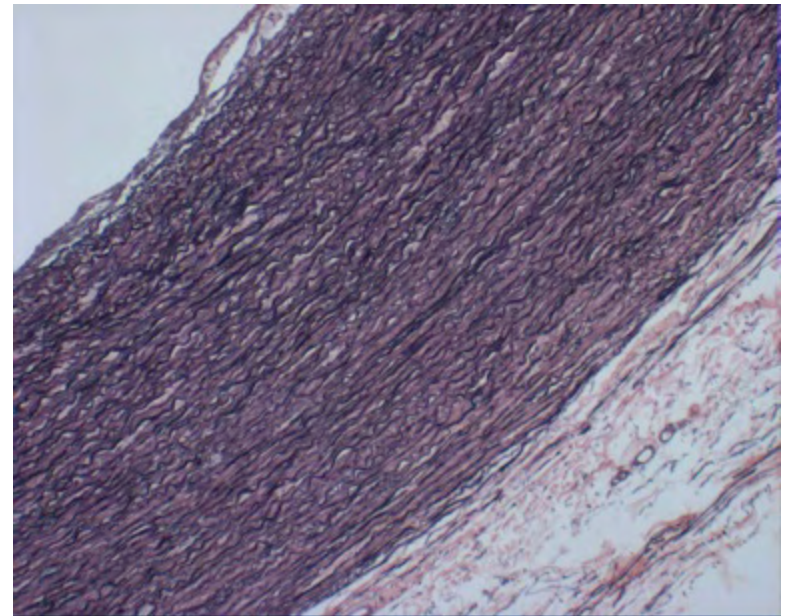


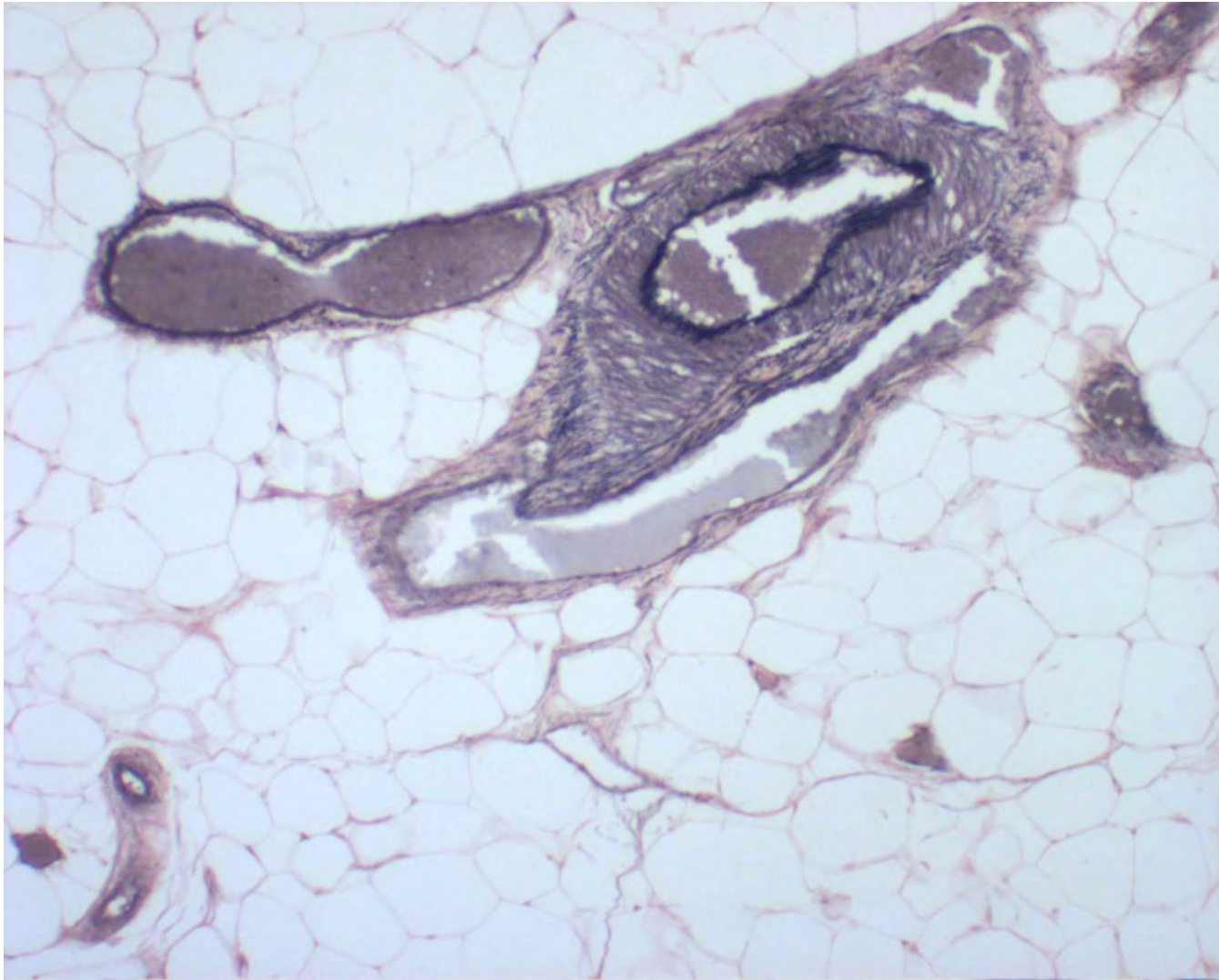
Lymphatics identified with anti-LYVE (blue), surrounding carcinoma cells



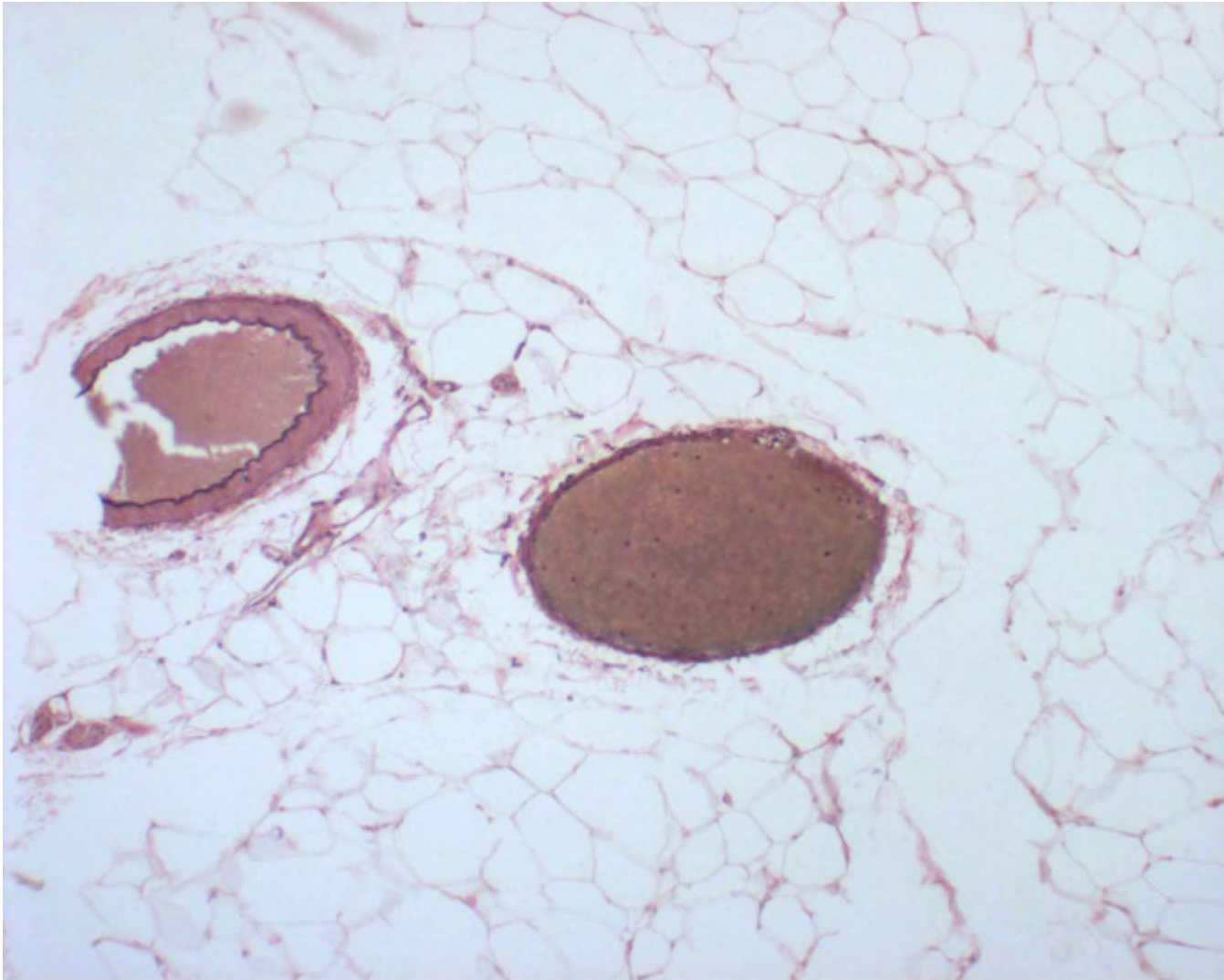
Human aorta: H&E and  
Elastic stain

This is a large vessel  
with abundant elastic  
fibers to contribute  
strength

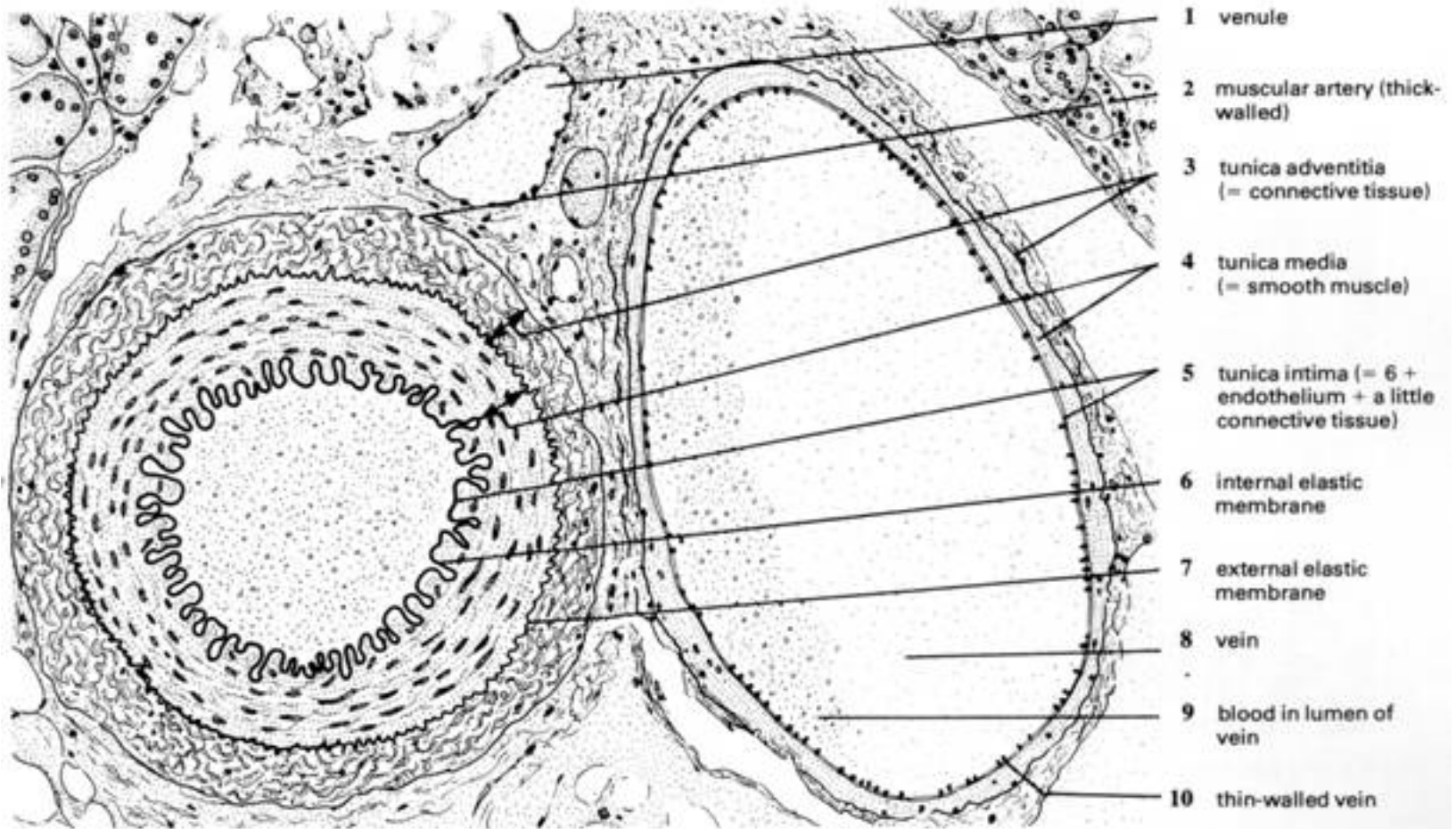




Medium sized muscular artery next to a vein, Elastic stain



Smaller arteriole and vein , elastic stain



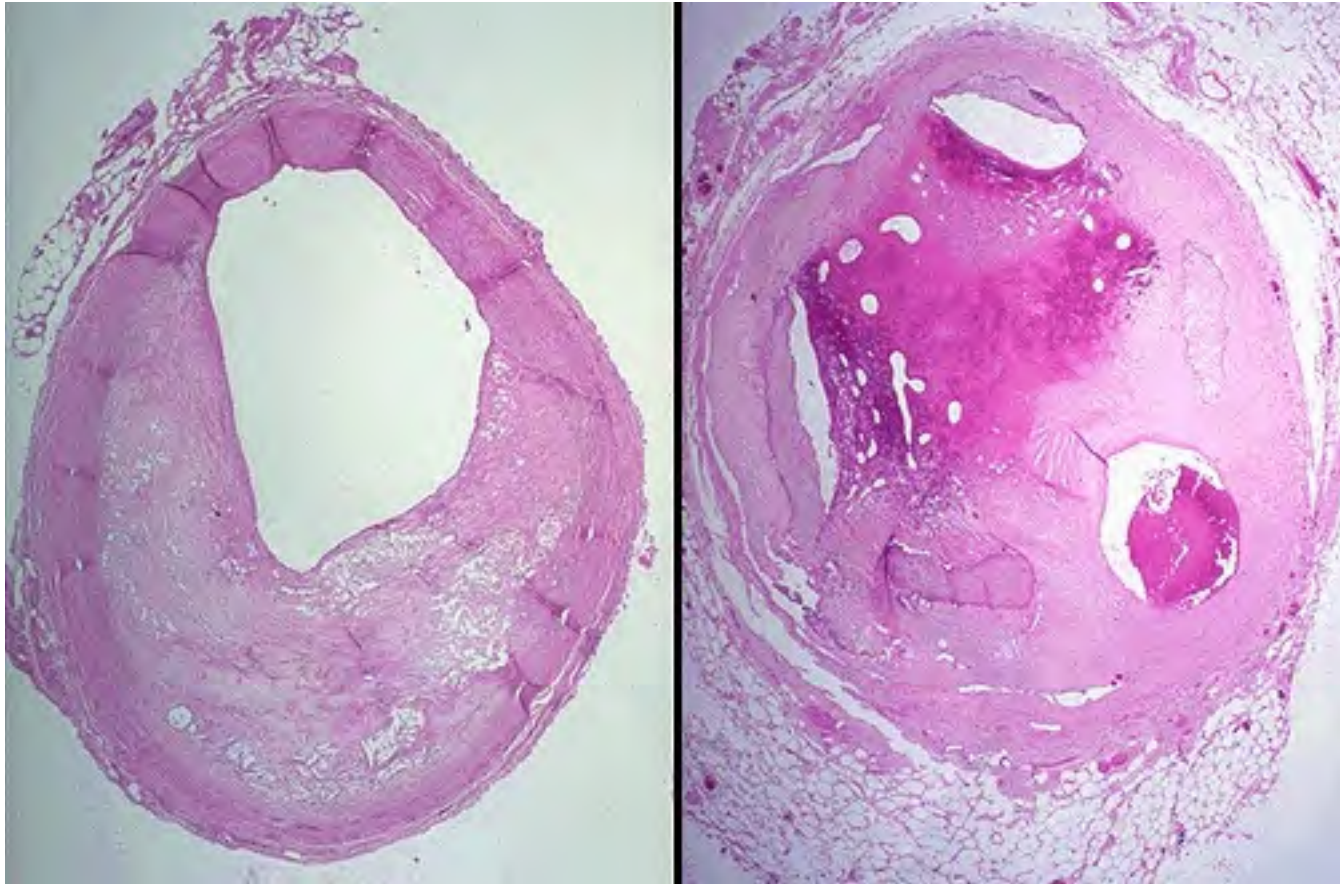
Diseases of Blood vessels include:

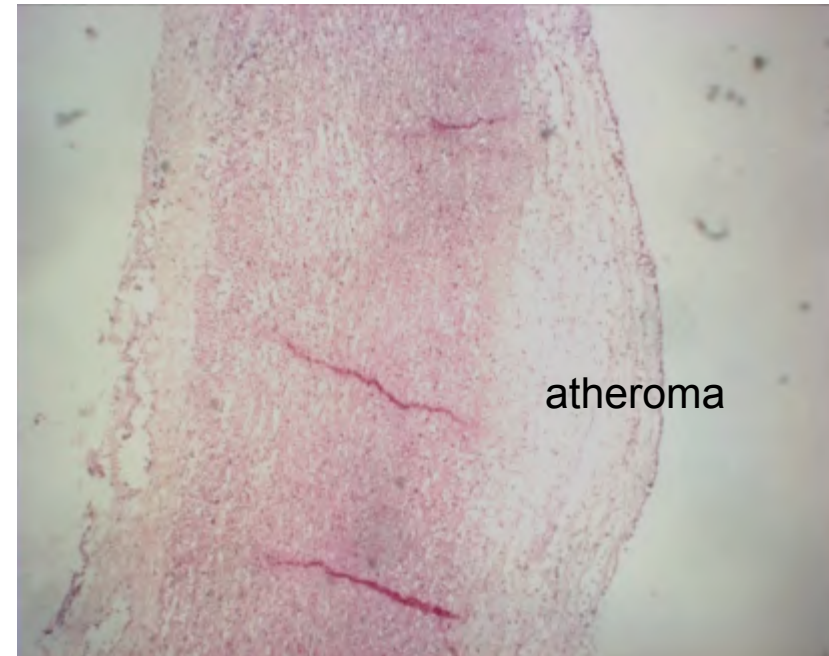
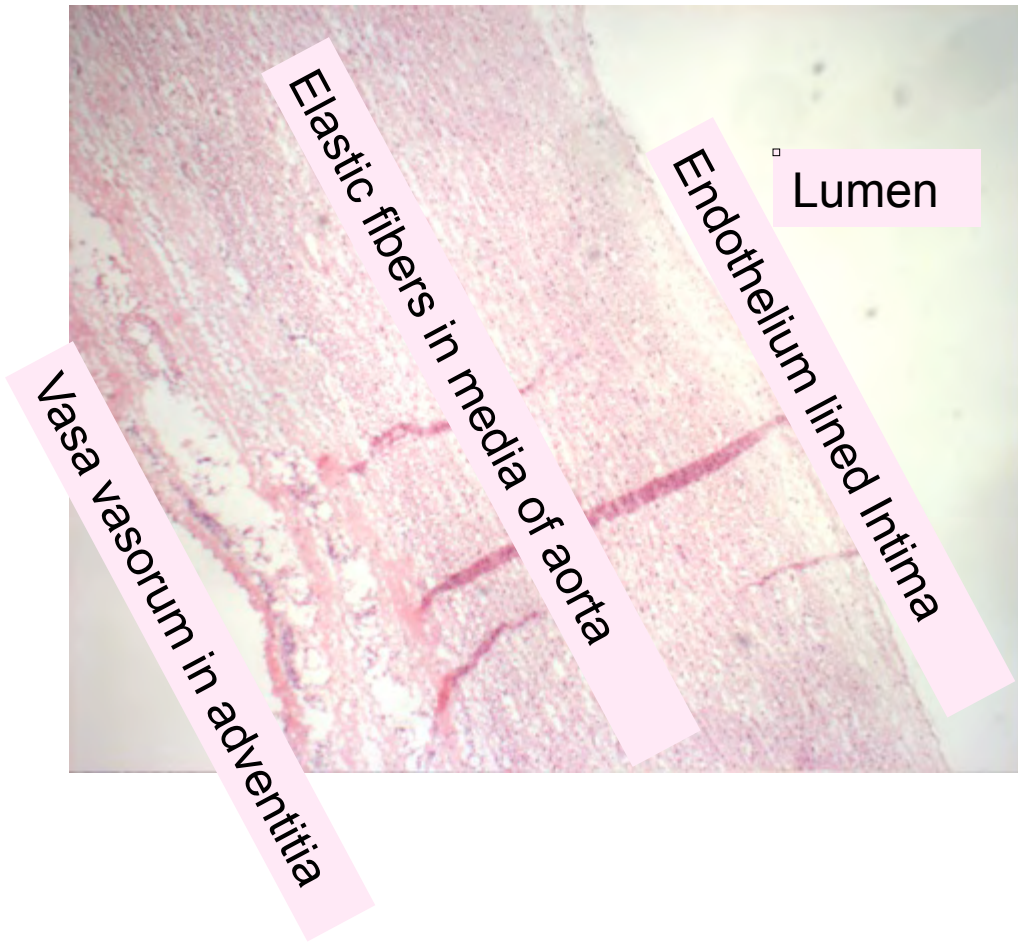
Atherosclerosis

Aneurysms (dilatation)

Abnormal collagen support

## Atherosclerosis of coronary arteries of human heart



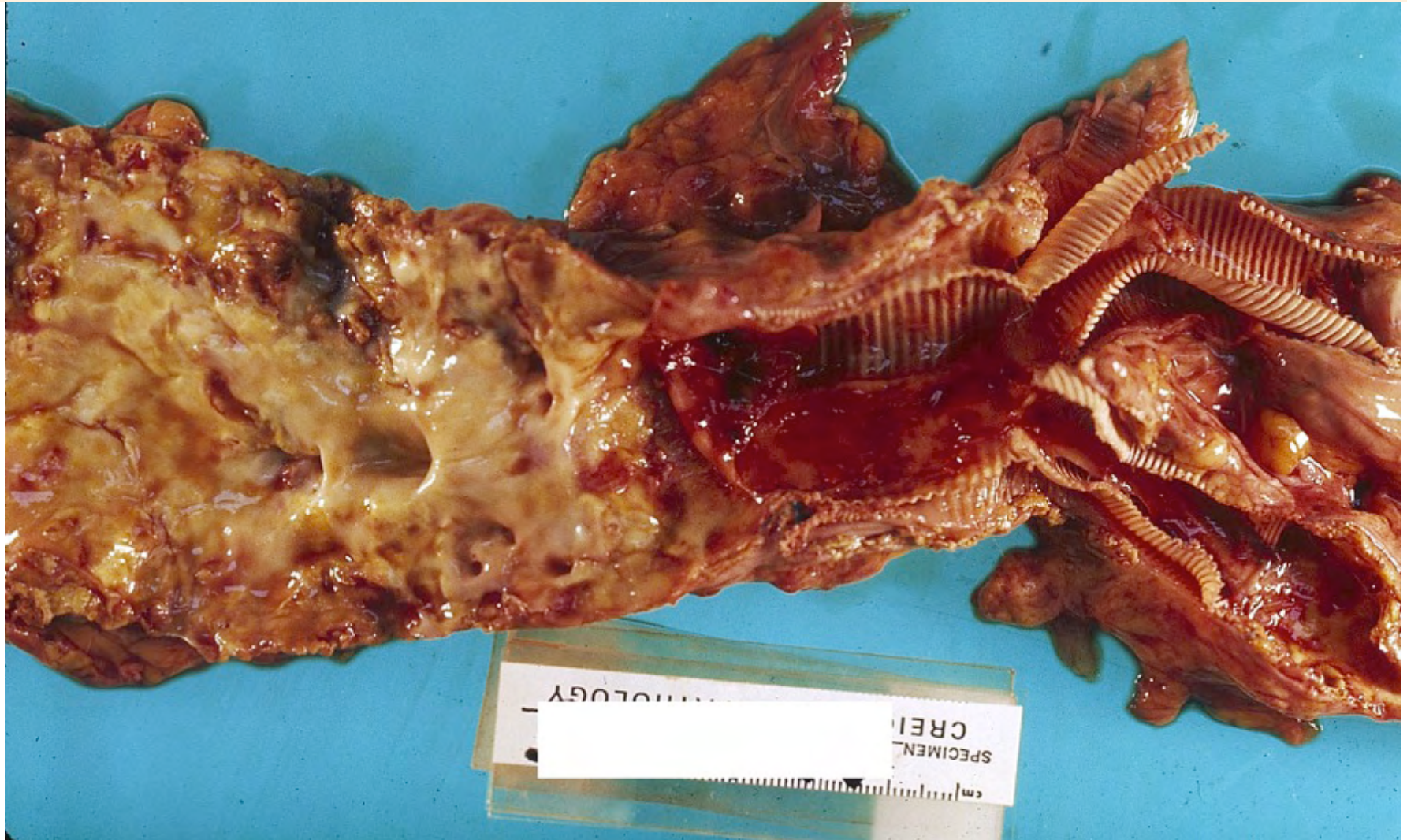


## Atherosclerosis of coronary artery of human heart

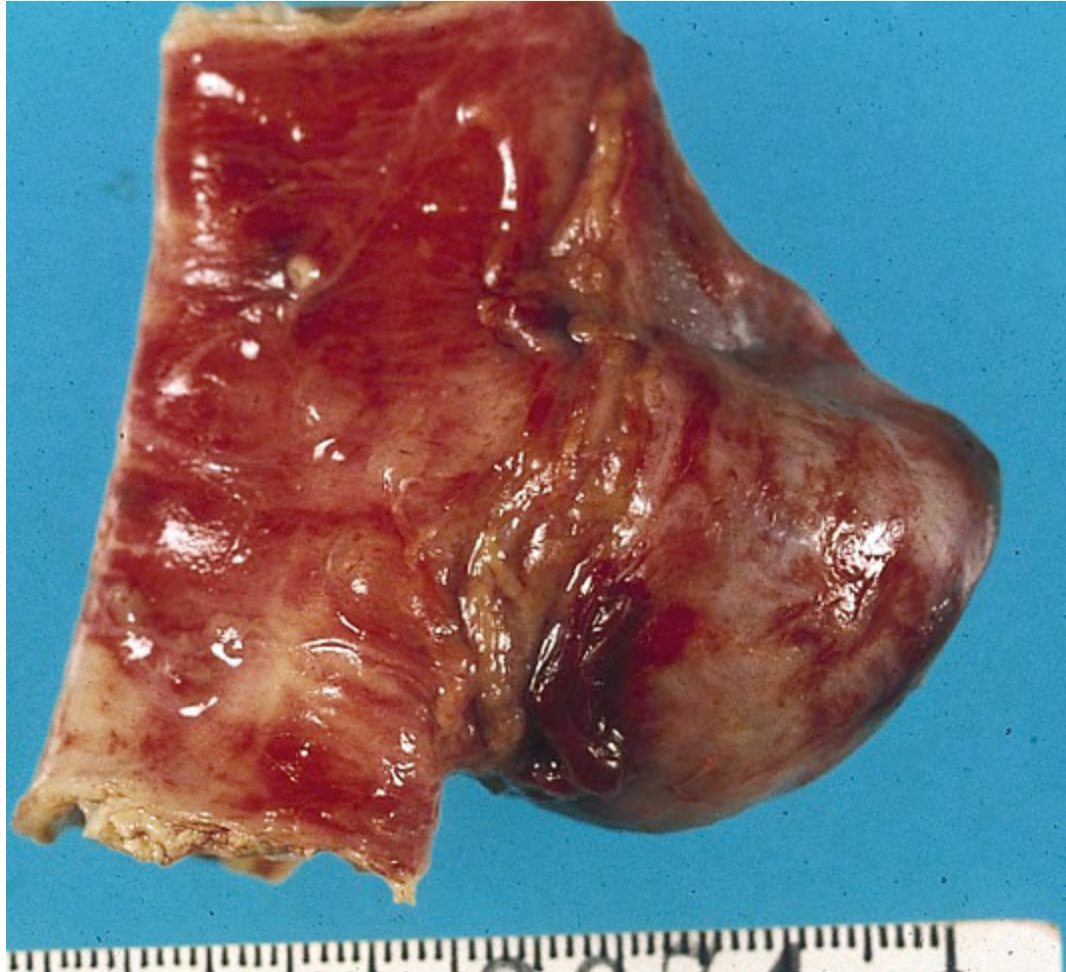


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The wall of the aorta shows severe atherosclerosis, and an attempt at surgical repair of narrowed areas at the bifurcations

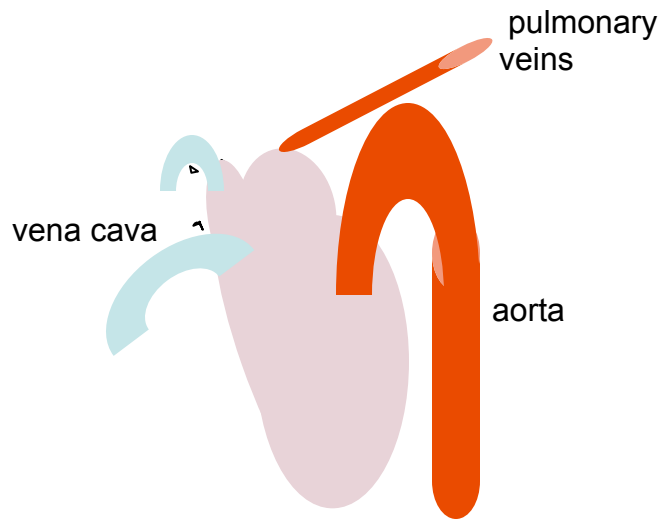


The wall of the aorta is weakened due to pathologic processes such as atherosclerosis, and because of the constant pressure, develops a bulge--aneurysm, complications of which are: thrombosis, rupture, dissection

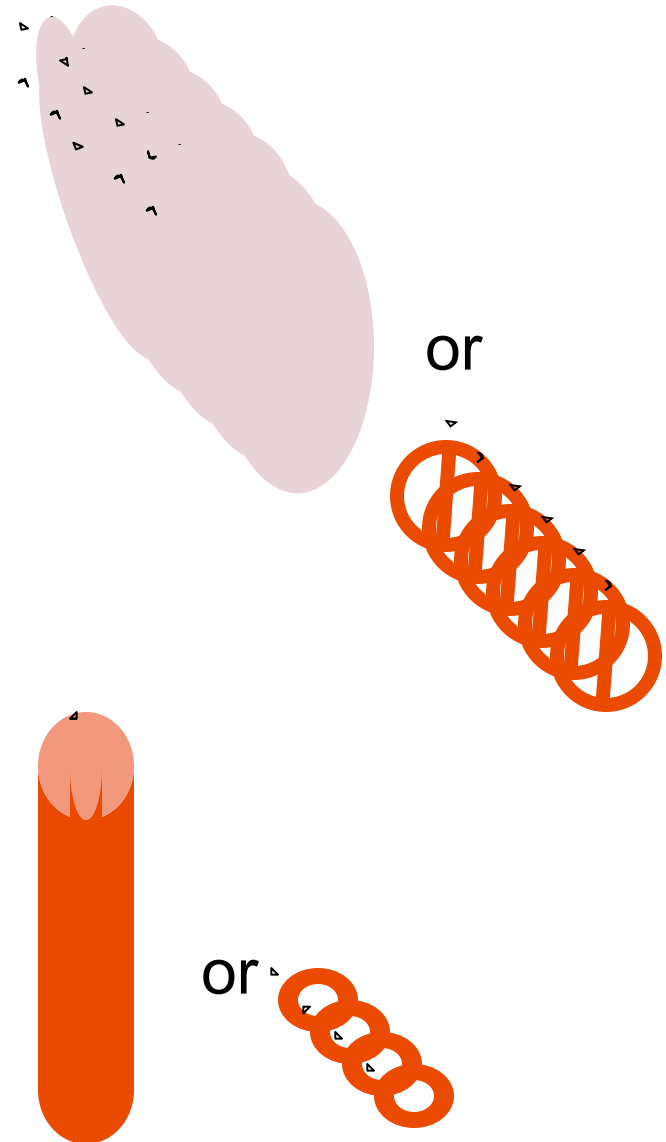


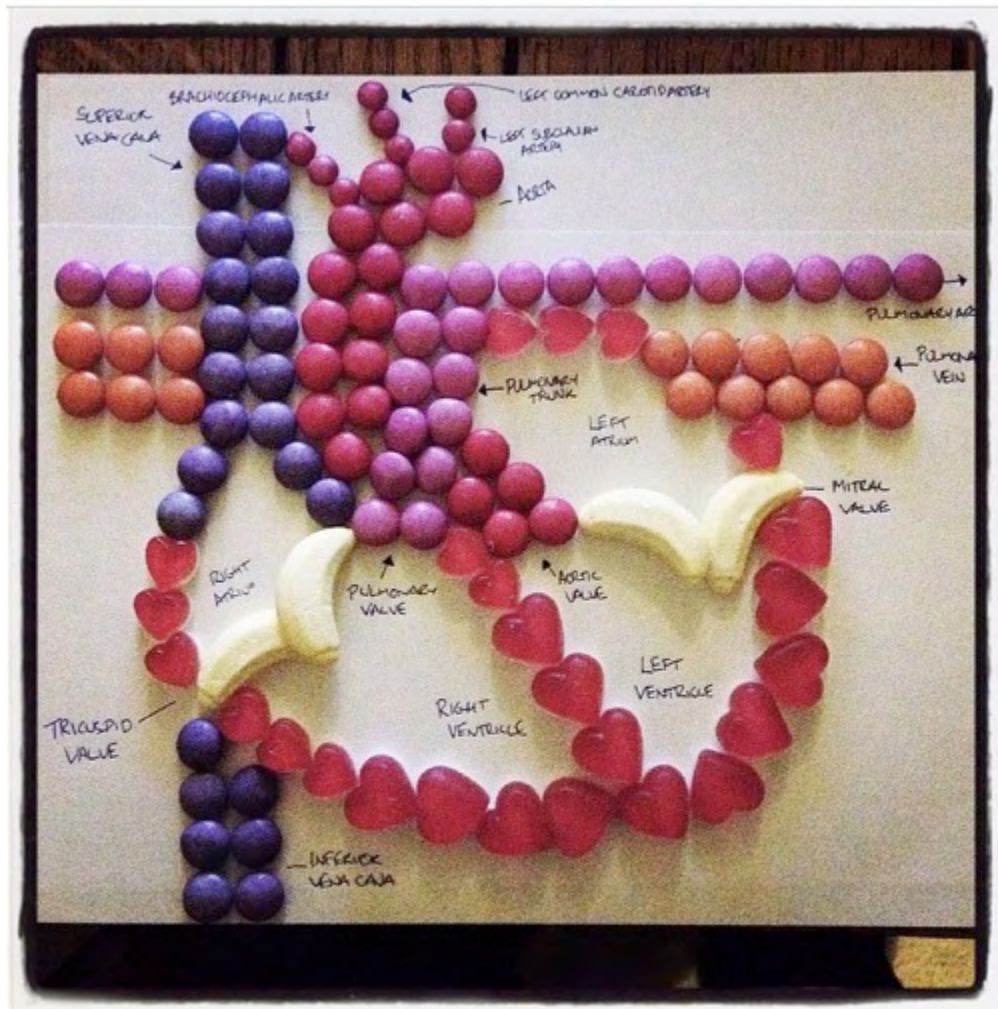
**Anterior and Posterior views of human heart**





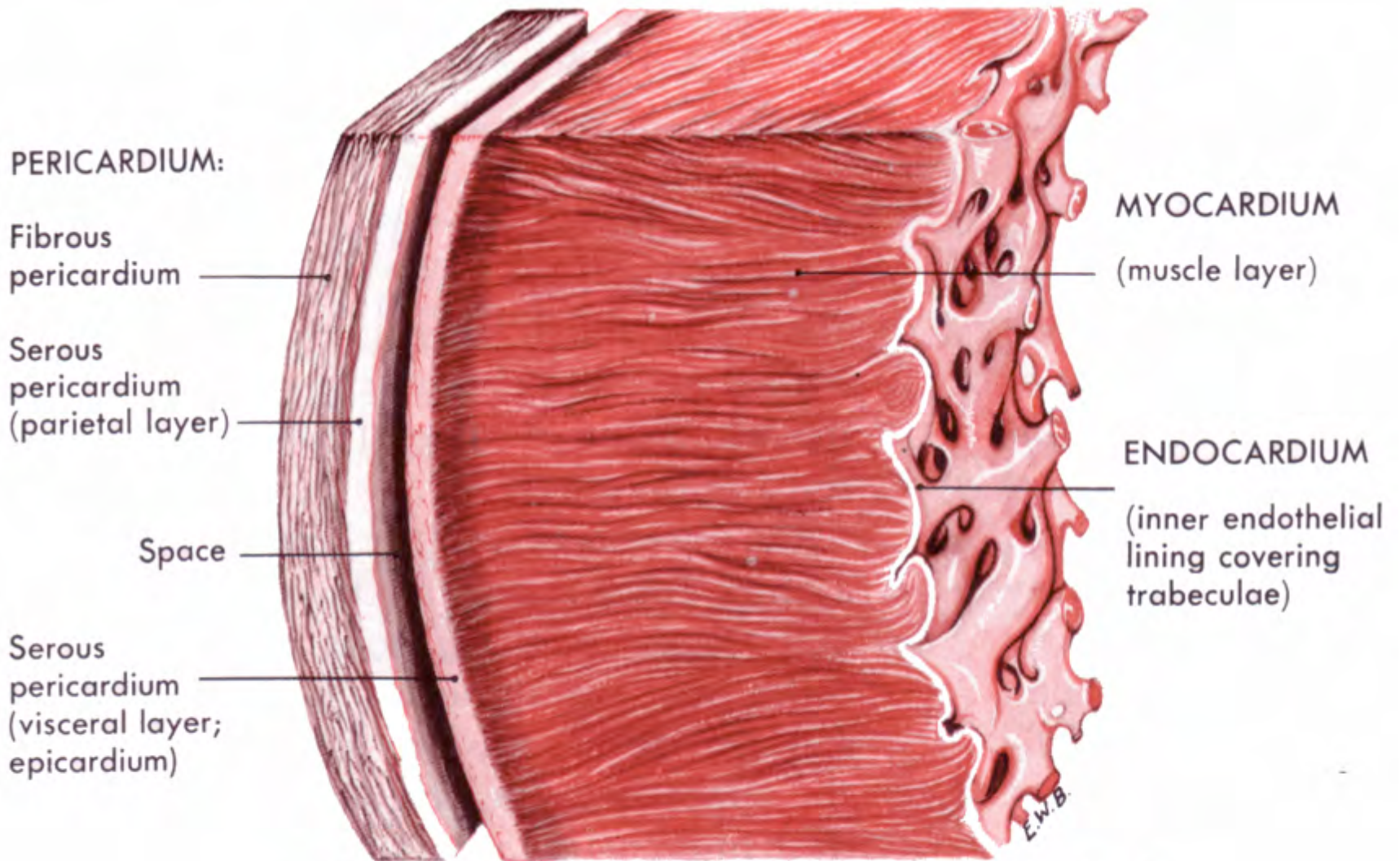
How would one proceed to orient and section to view morphology and relationship of the different structures to each other?





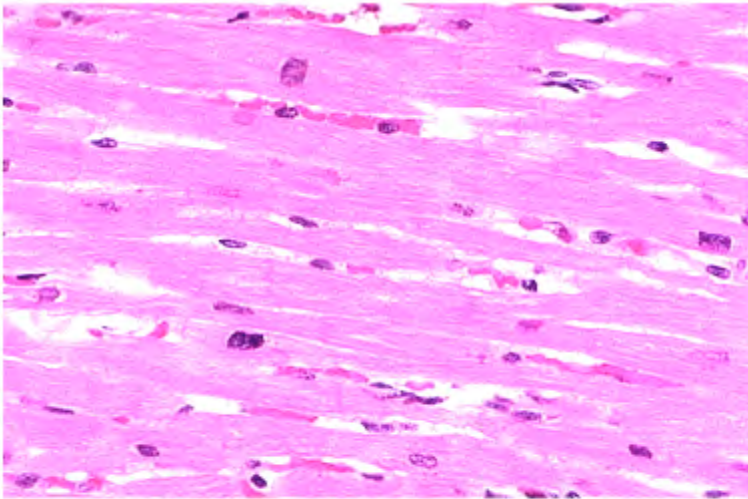
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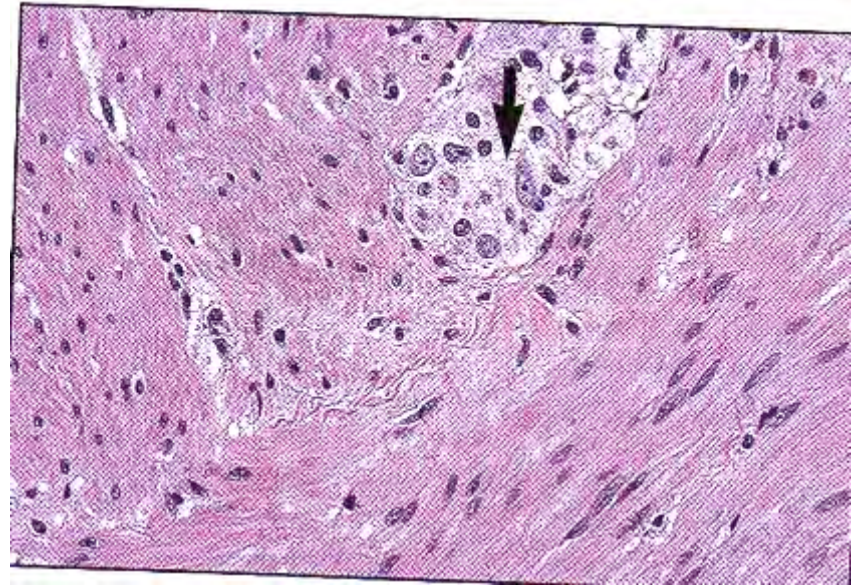


Section of the heart wall showing the components of the outer pericardium (heart sac), muscle layer (myocardium), and inner lining (endocardium).

## TYPES OF MUSCLE: Cardiac, Smooth, Skeletal



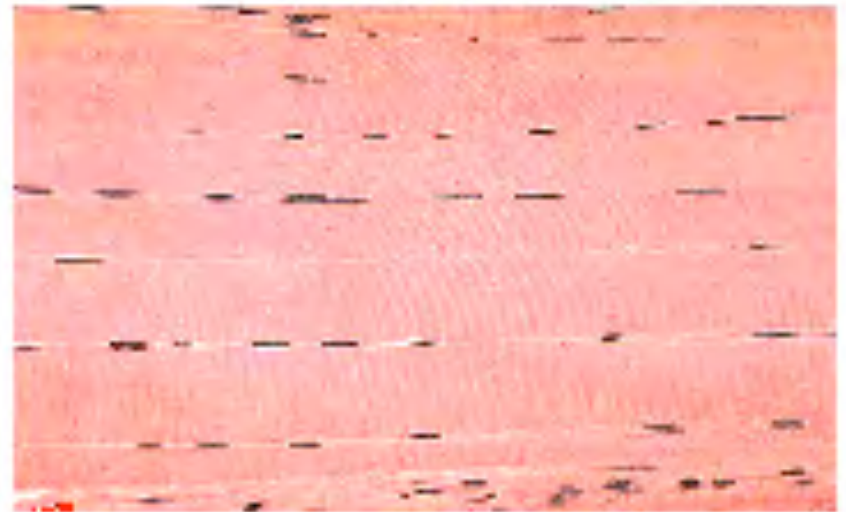
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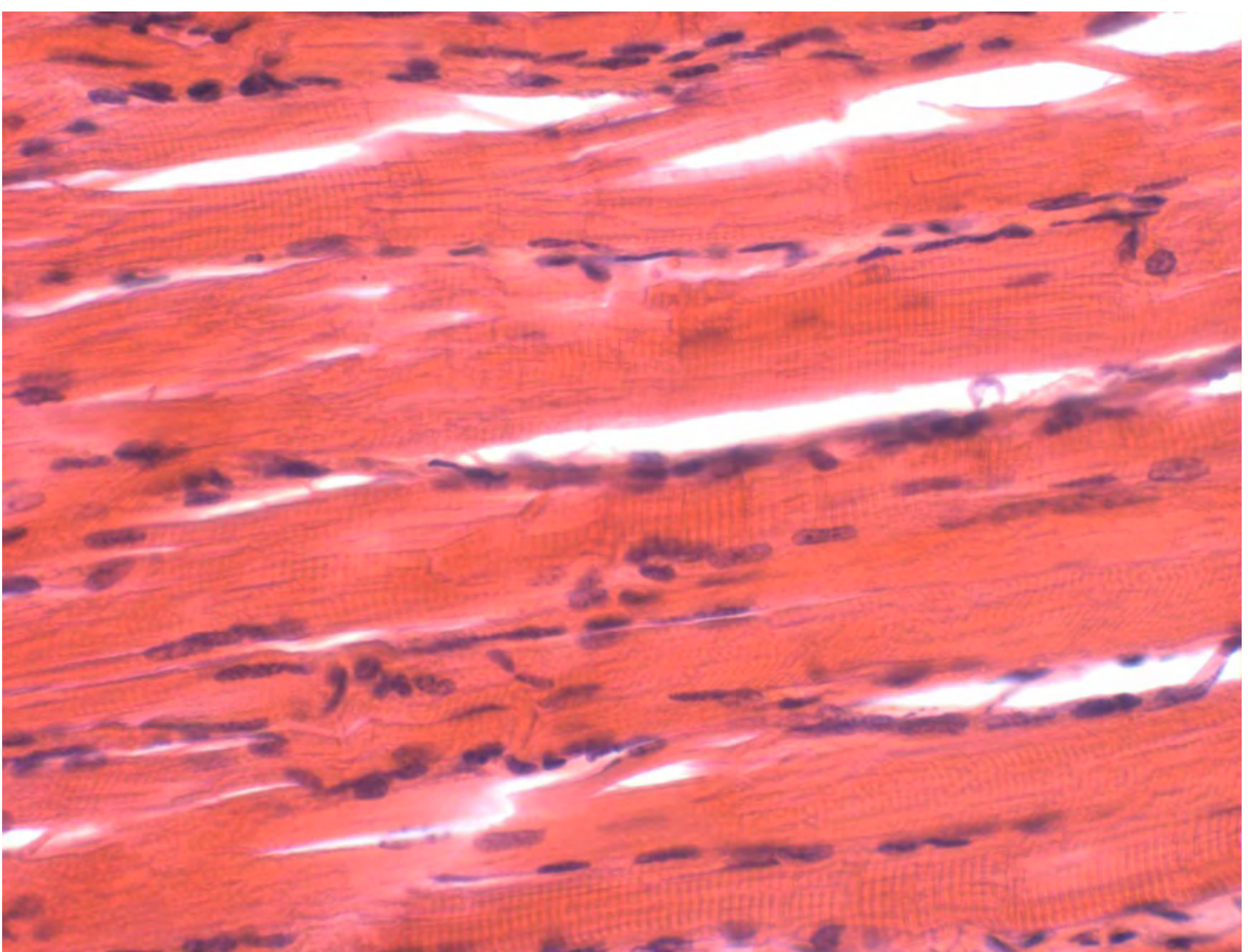


Cardiac: striations + central nuclei

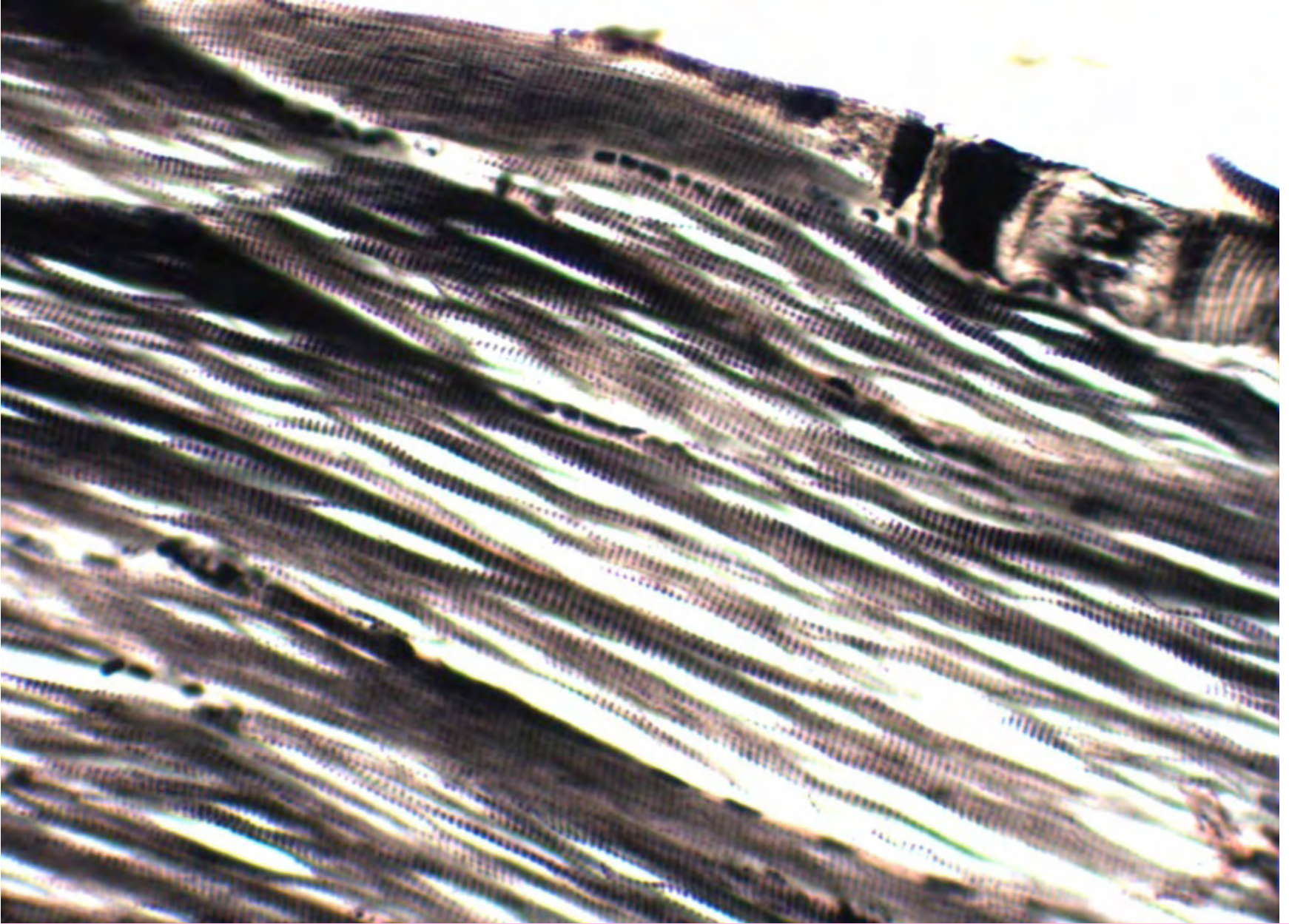
Skeletal: striations + eccentric nuclei

Smooth: central nuclei

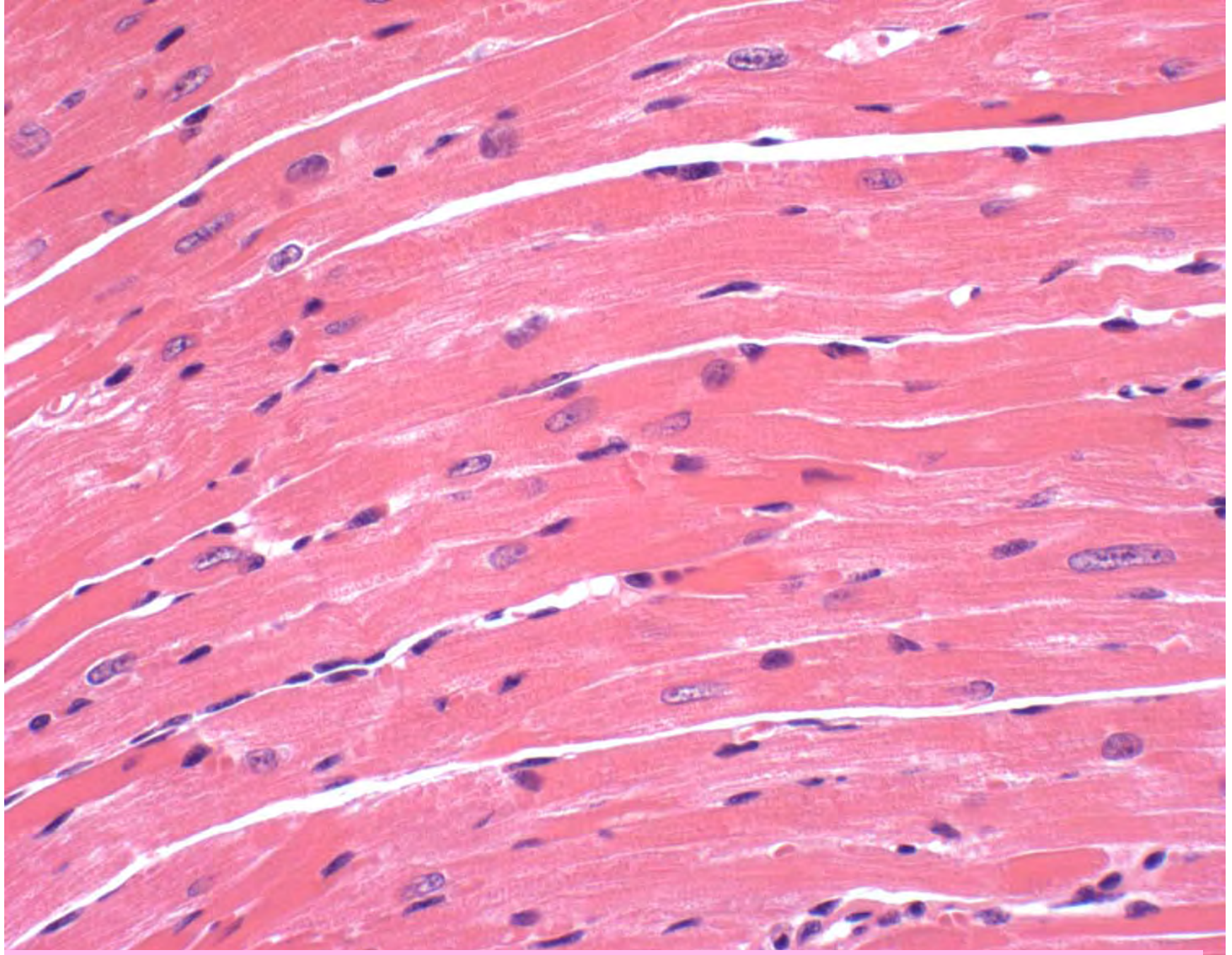




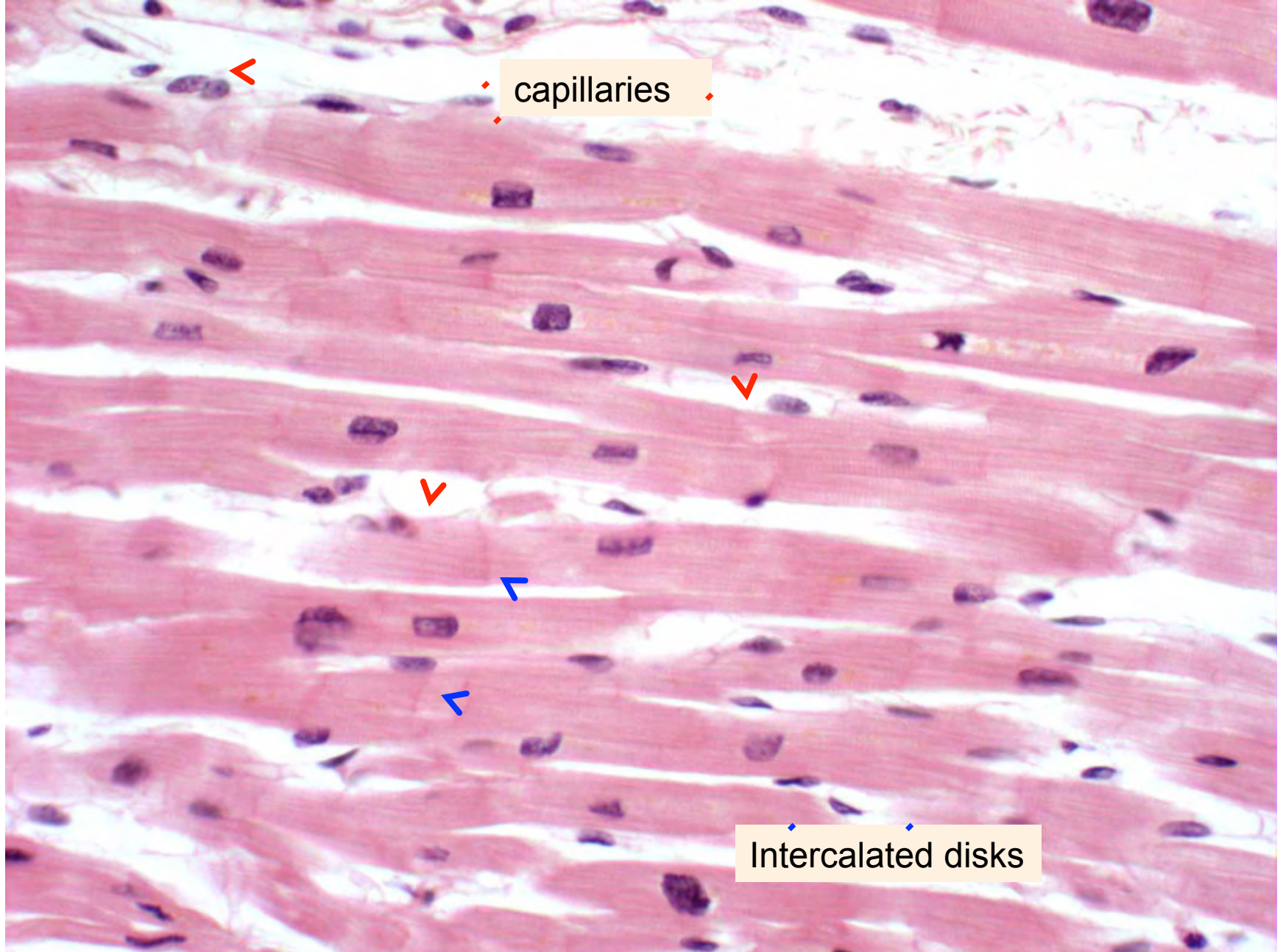
Human Skeletal muscle: nuclei at the edges and striations



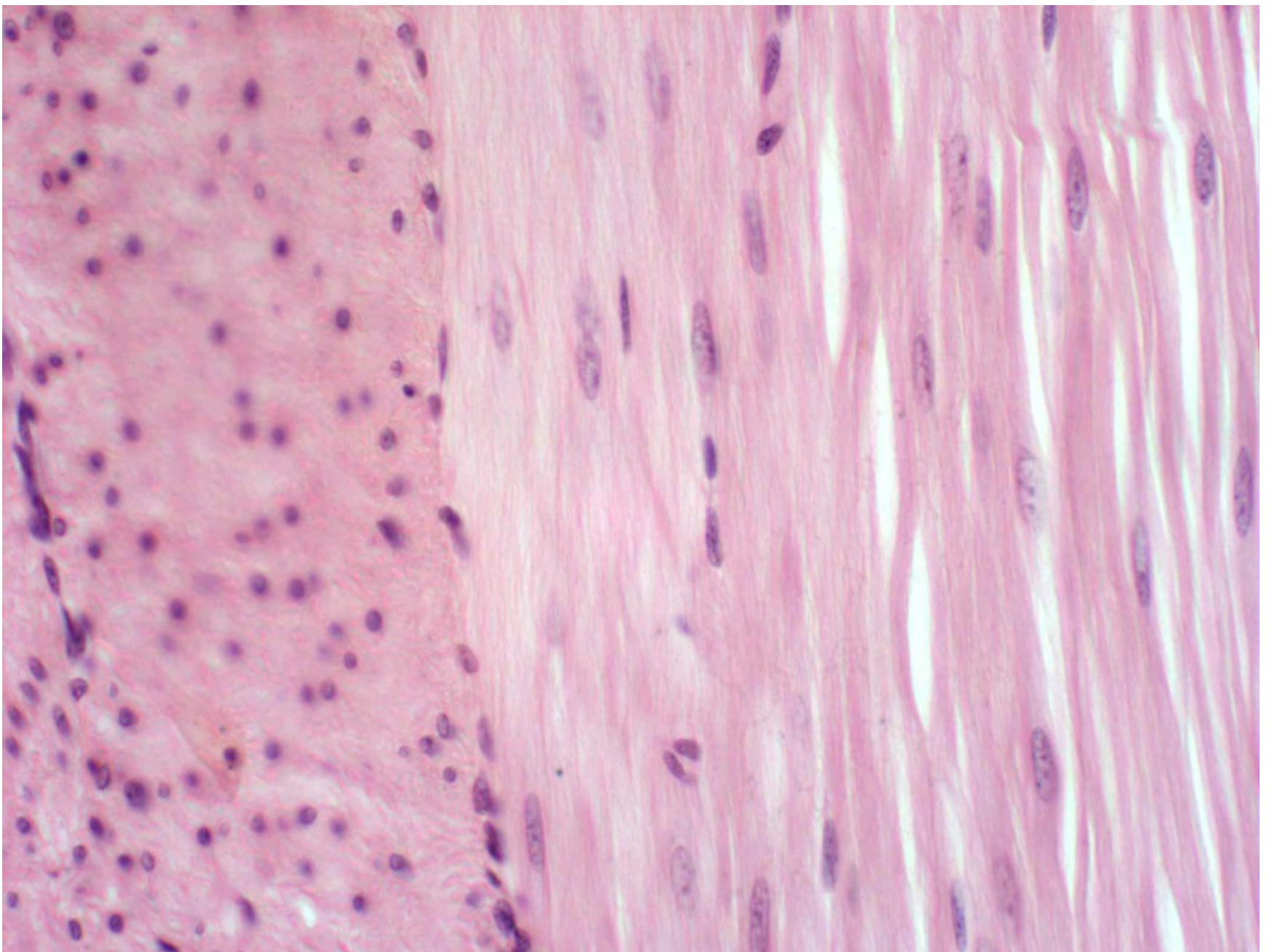
Human Skeletal muscle with Phosphotungstic Acid Hematoxylin (PTAH) stain to demonstrate striations



Human Heart cardiomyocytes: central nuclei and striations

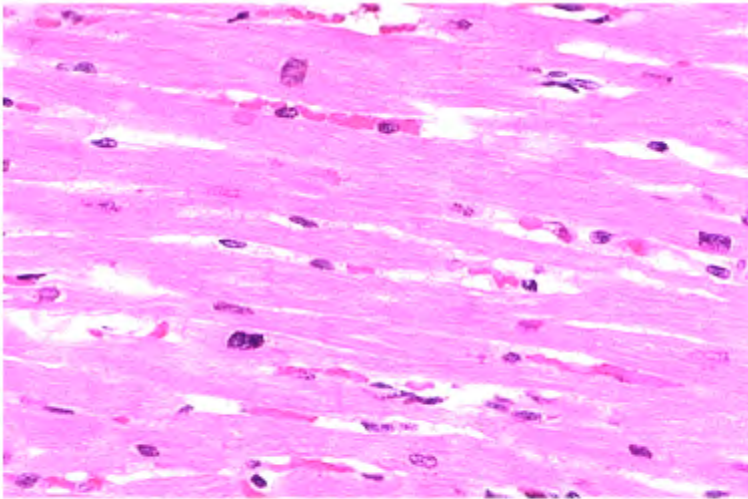


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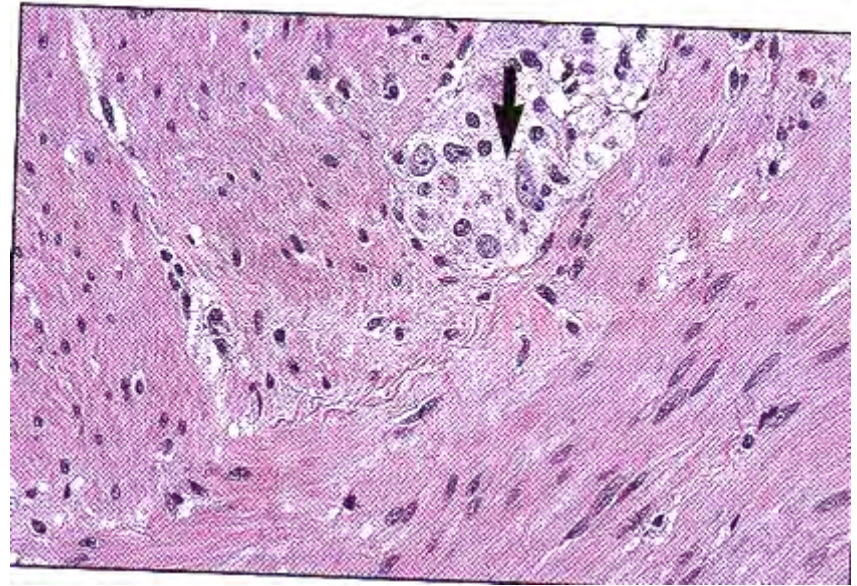


Human smooth muscle: central nuclei and No striations

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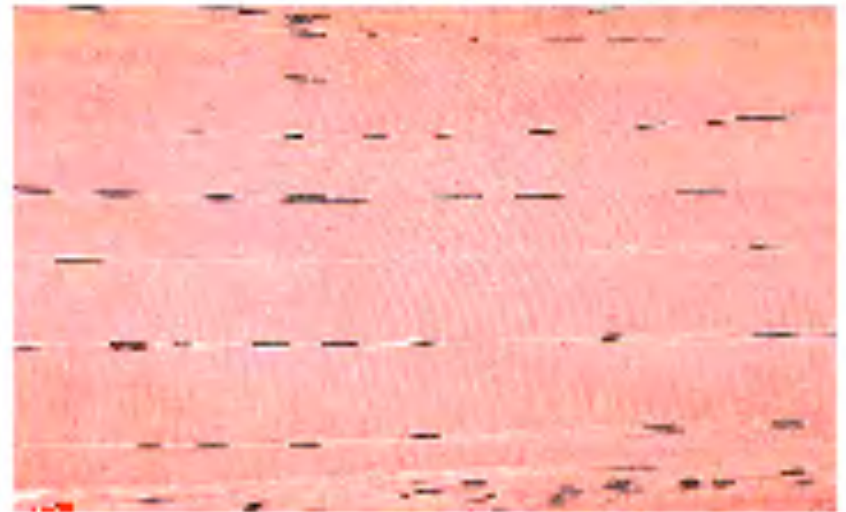
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Cardiac: striations + central nuclei

Skeletal: striations + eccentric nuclei

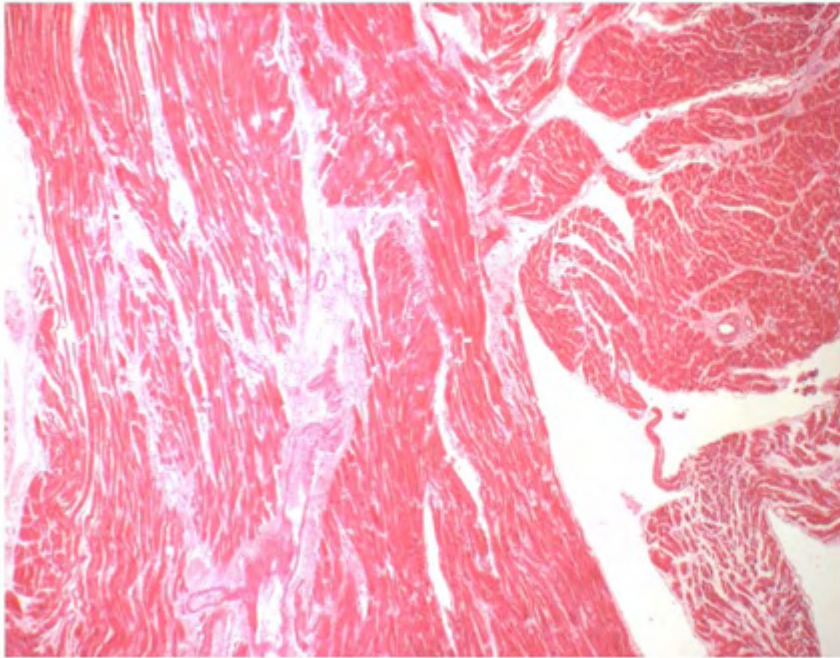
Smooth: central nuclei



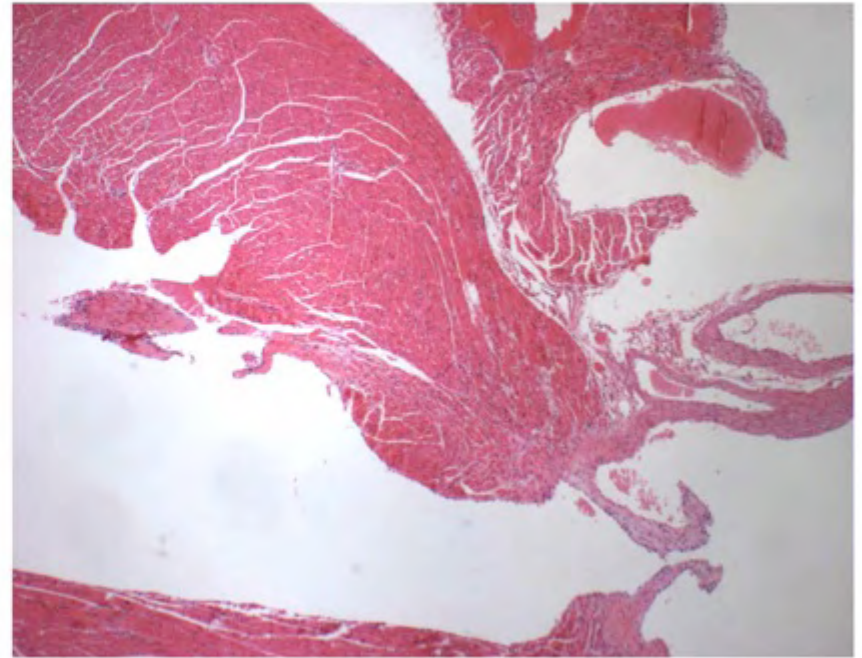
# HEART

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Human



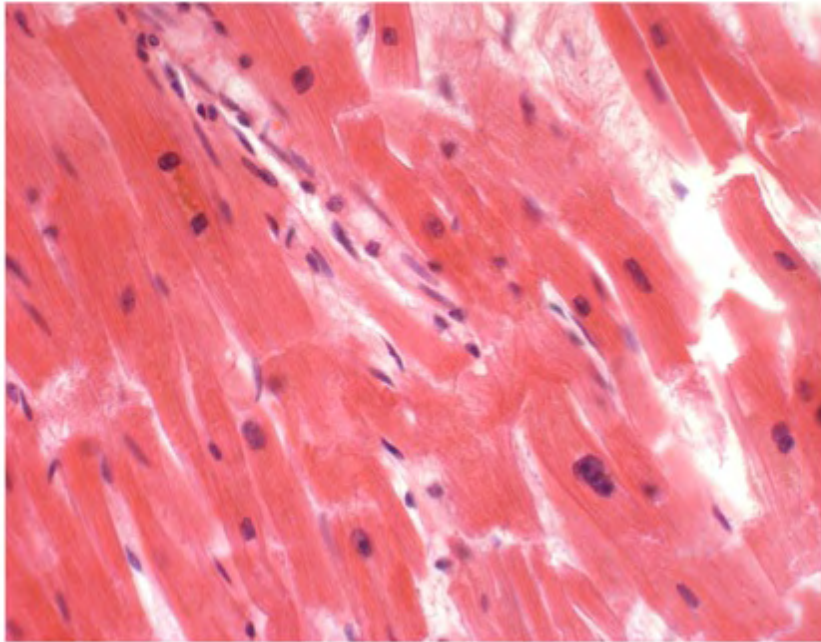
Mouse



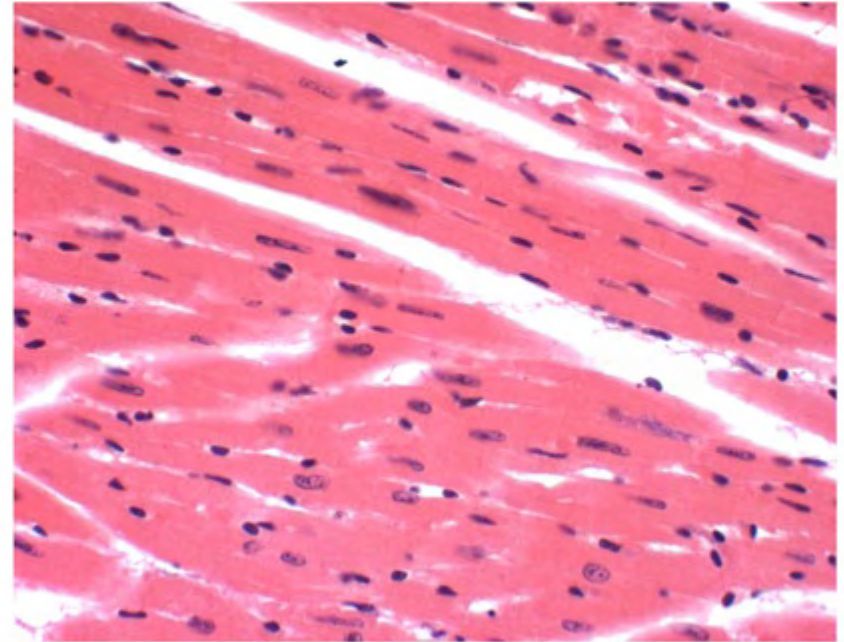
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# HEART

## Human



## Mouse



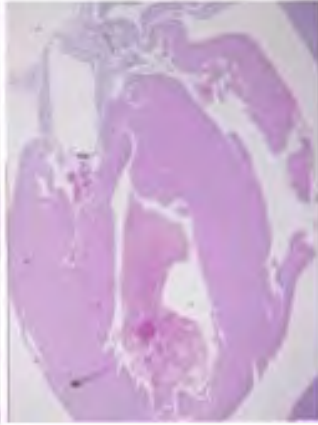
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## Multiple sections from different mouse hearts

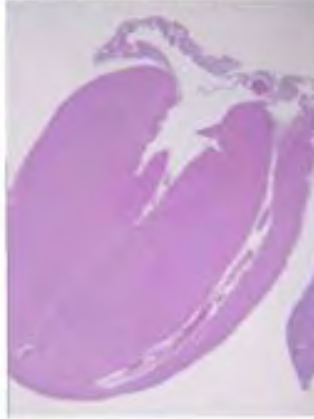
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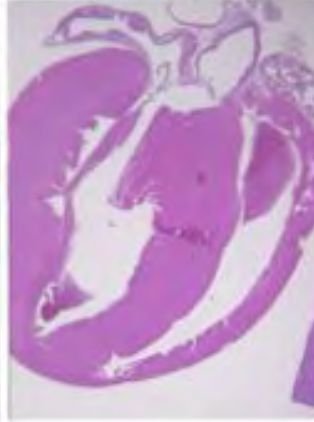
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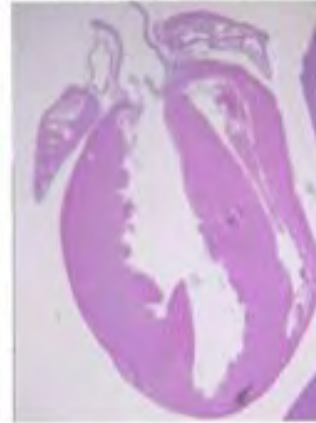
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MNA.M9382



MNA.M9360



MNA.M9336



Representative sections from HEART low power x16  
of littermate controls and of Mincle (clec4e) null P1

Different orientation of the hearts can help visualize different abnormalities

**WT**



**A**

**Cx43<sup>26/26</sup>**

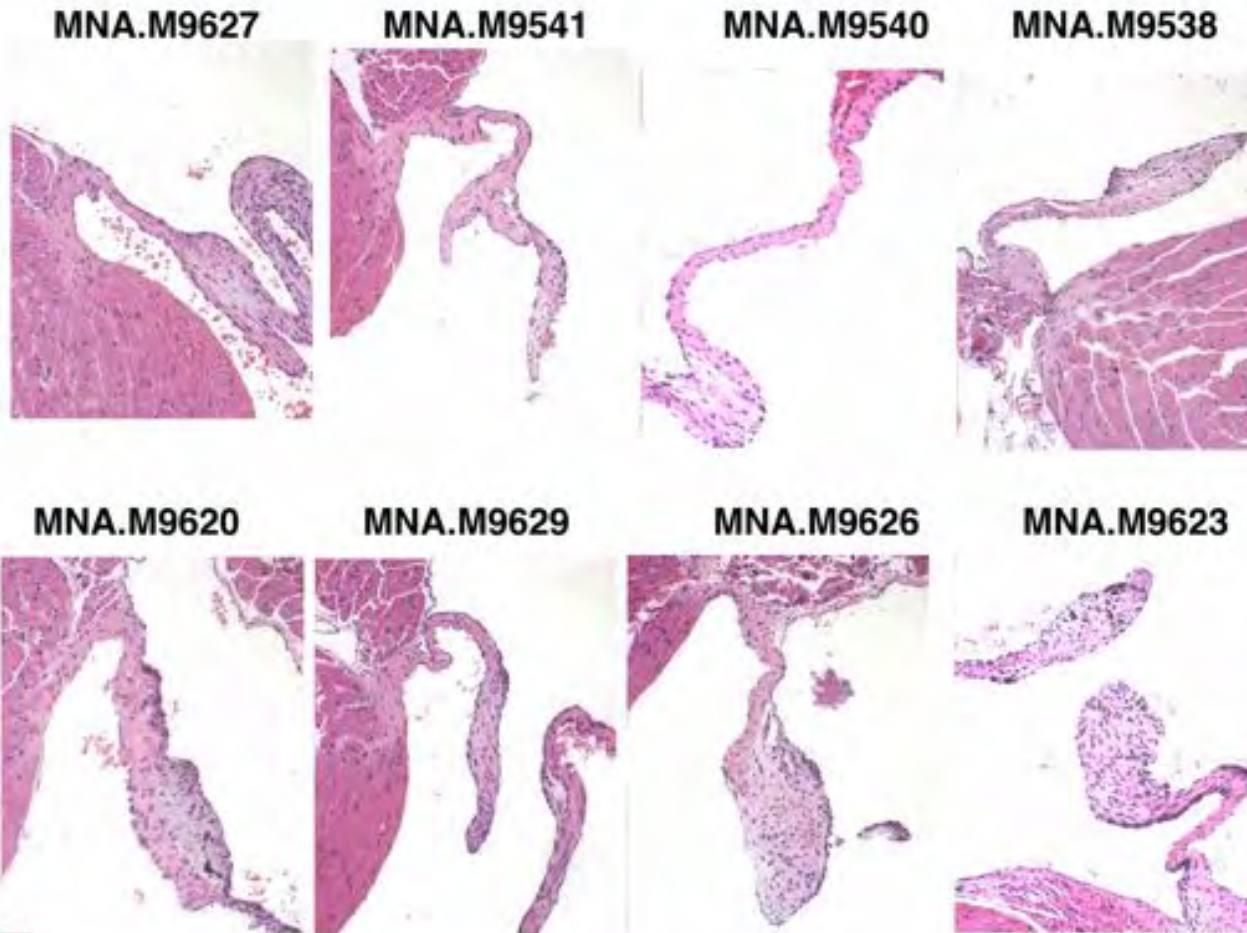


**B**

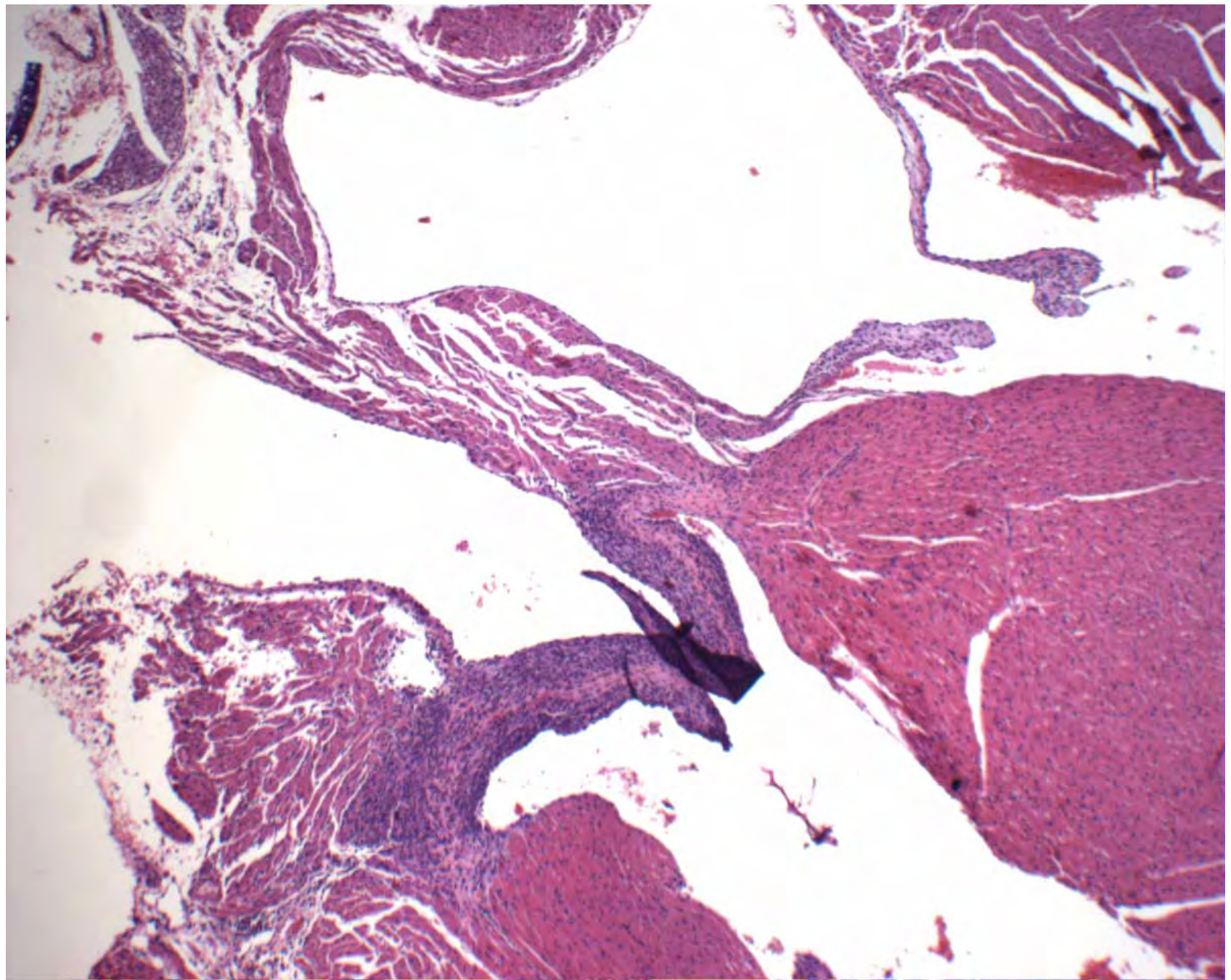
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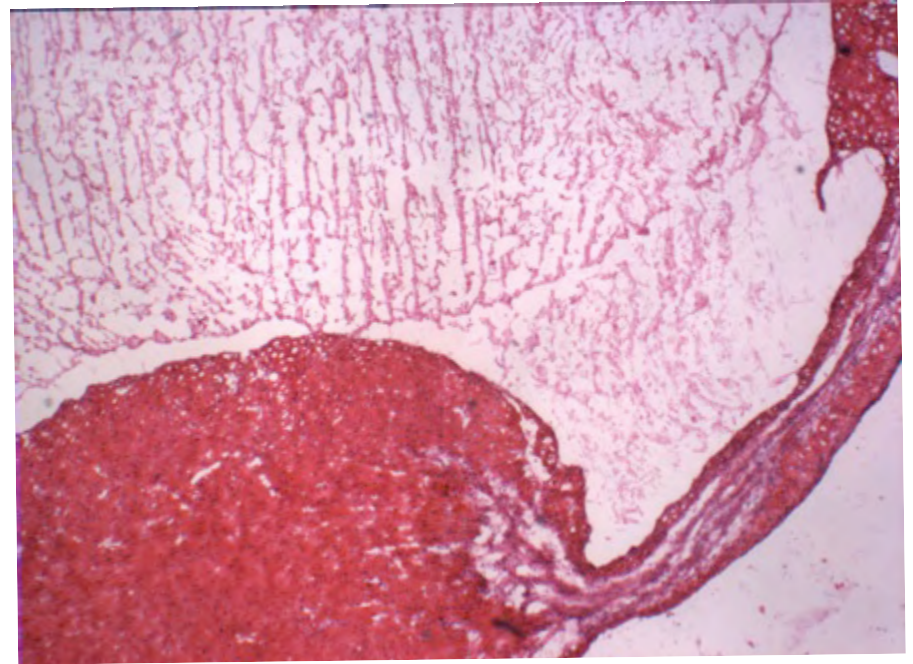
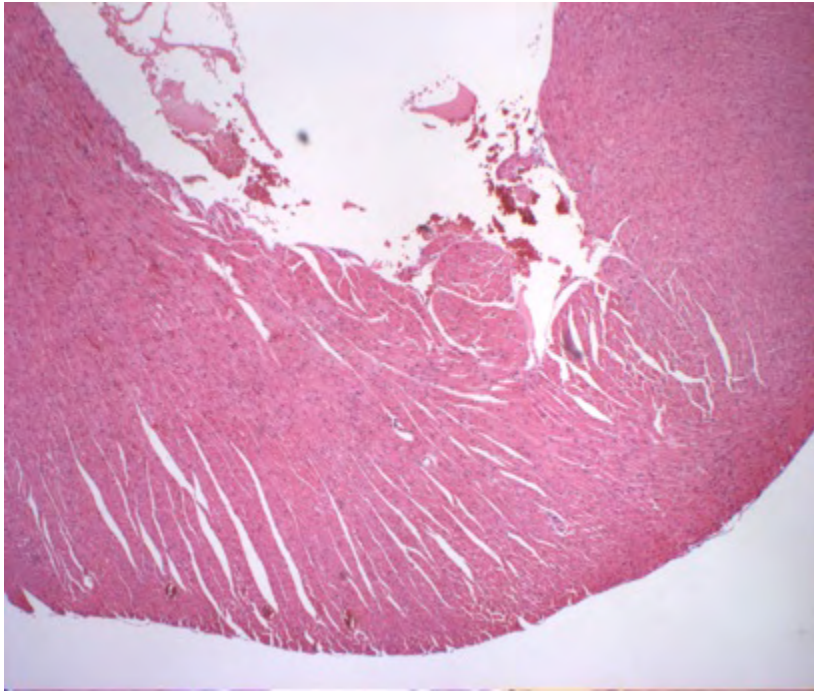


## Example of pathology in mouse Heart valves



Representative sections of HEART VALVES x200  
littermate controls and of Mincle (clec4e) null P3



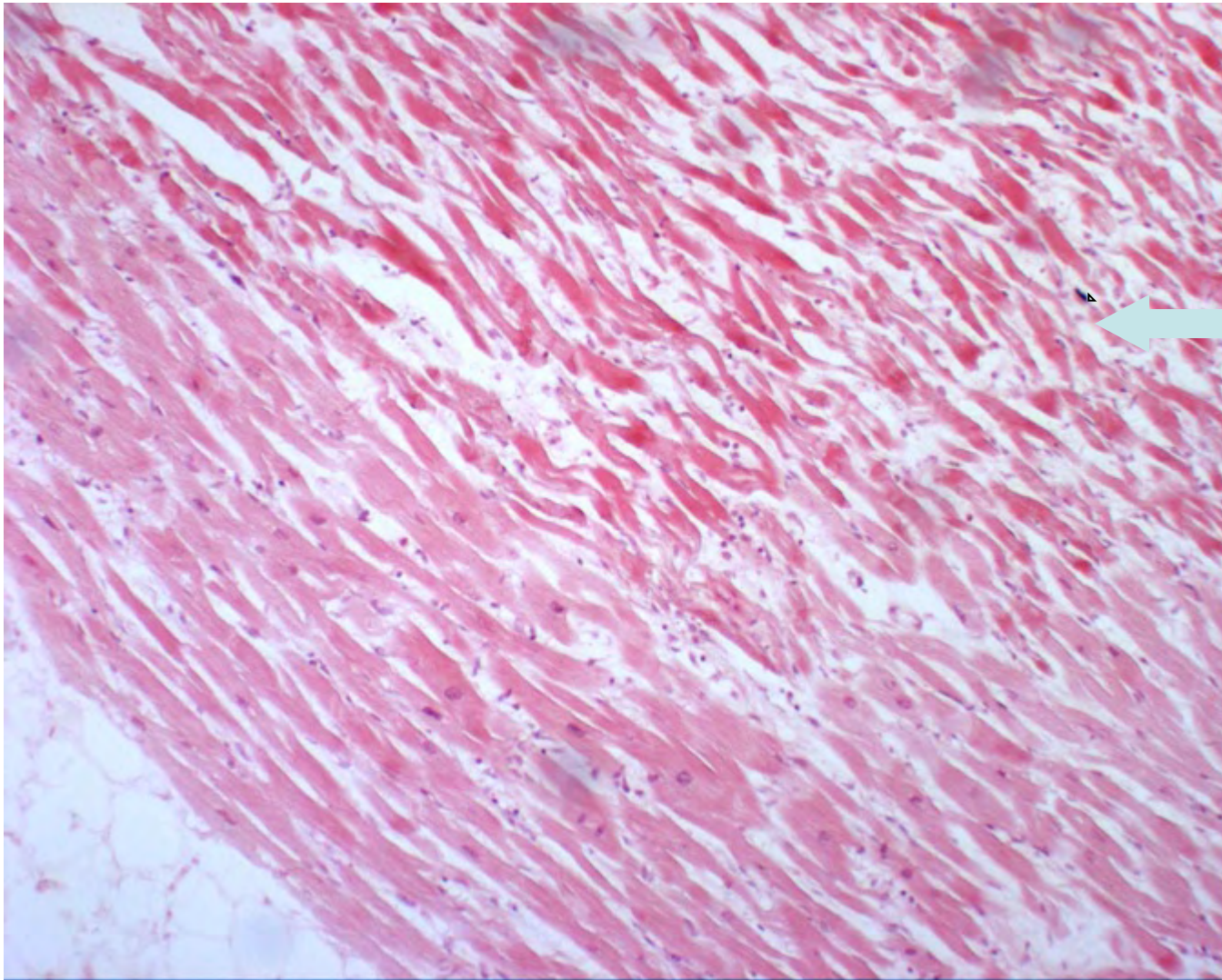


Photos of coronal sections of mouse heart: before and after injury/repair

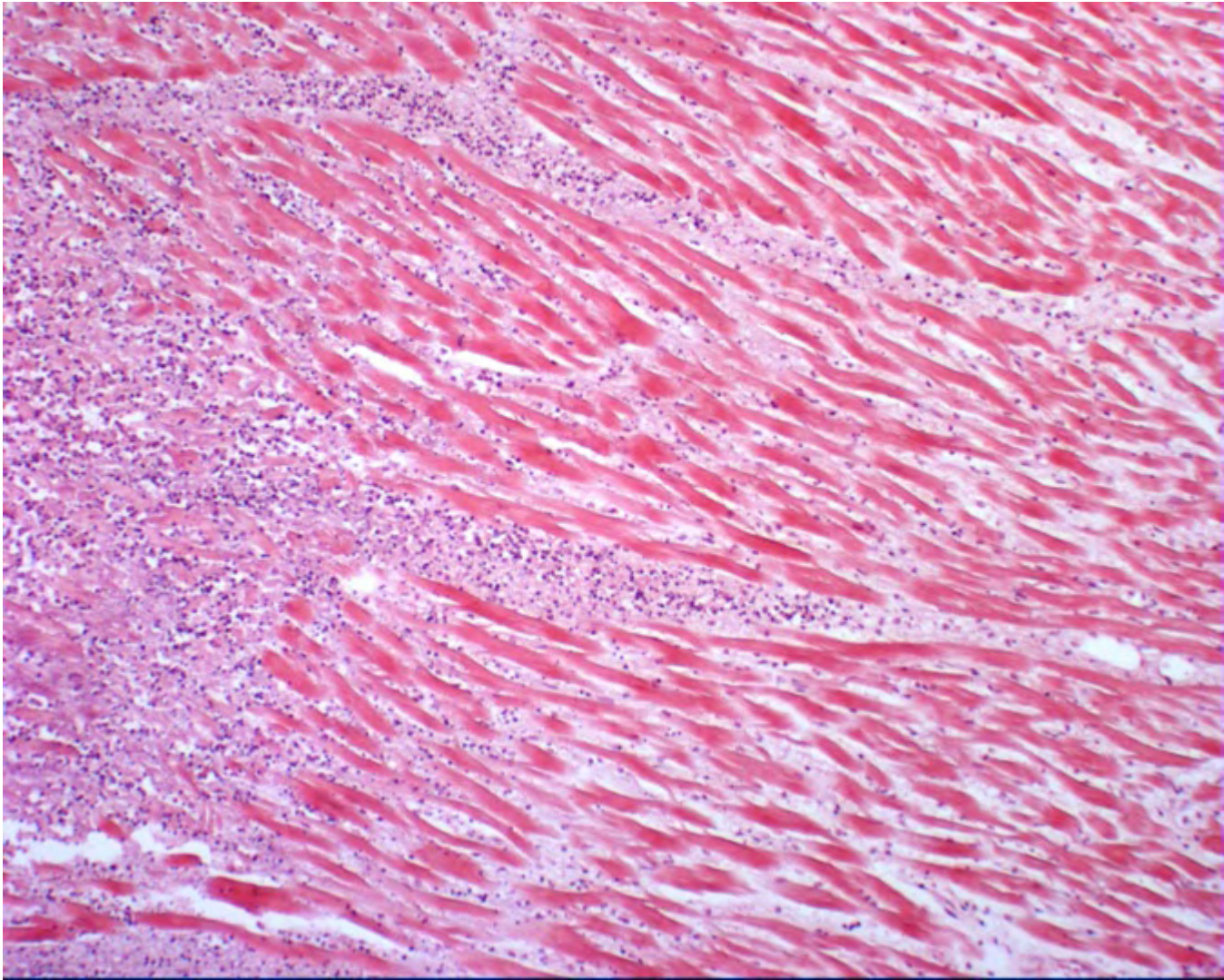
After injury, there is loss of myocardial cells, which do not regenerate

Besides the obvious gross difference in morphology, how would one assess if collagen and thus scar tissue is present?

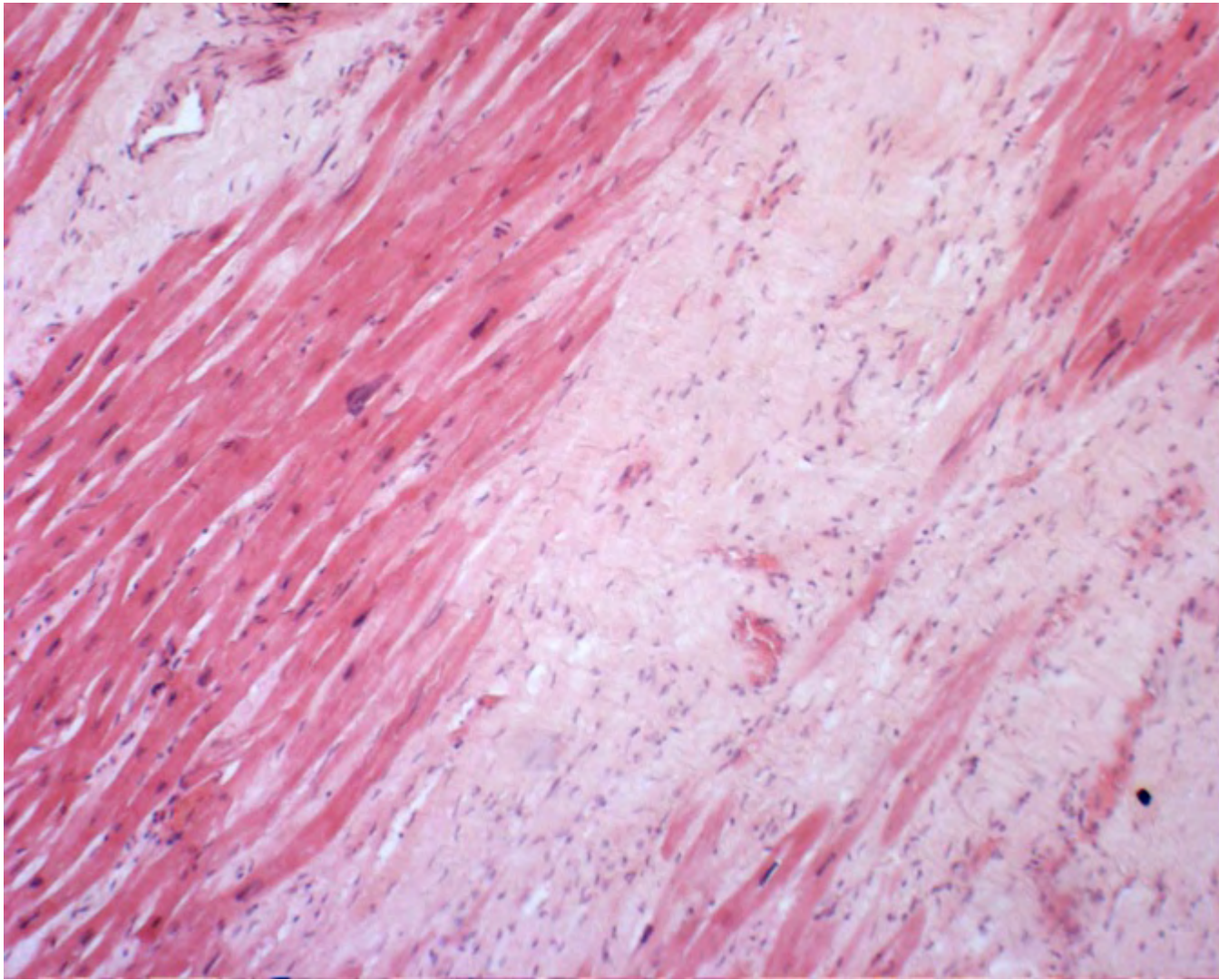
Commonly seen pathology in the heart



Human Heart: early signs of necrosis --loss of nuclei and eosinophilia

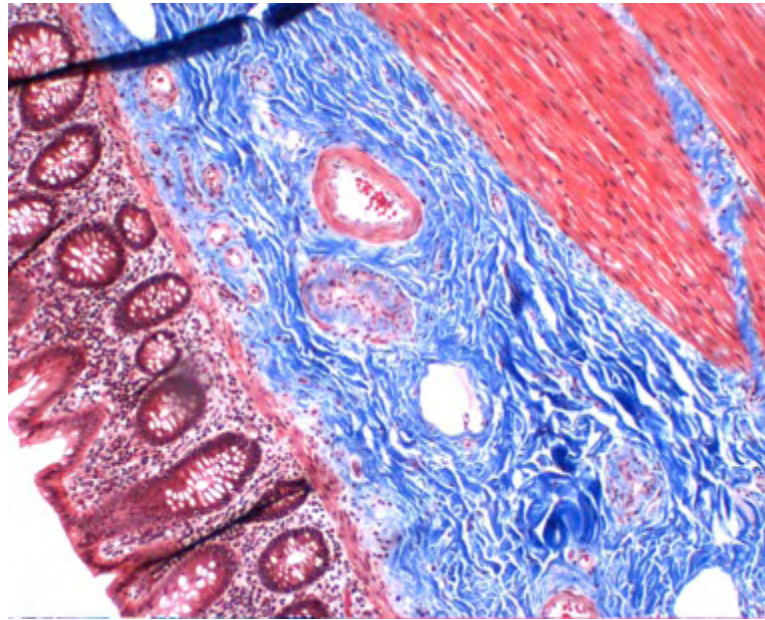


Human Heart: after myocardial infarction-infiltration with leukocytes into dying areas



Human Heart scar with  
fibrosis and hypertrophied  
adjacent cardiac myocytes

What special stain is done to  
confirm presence of fibrosis?

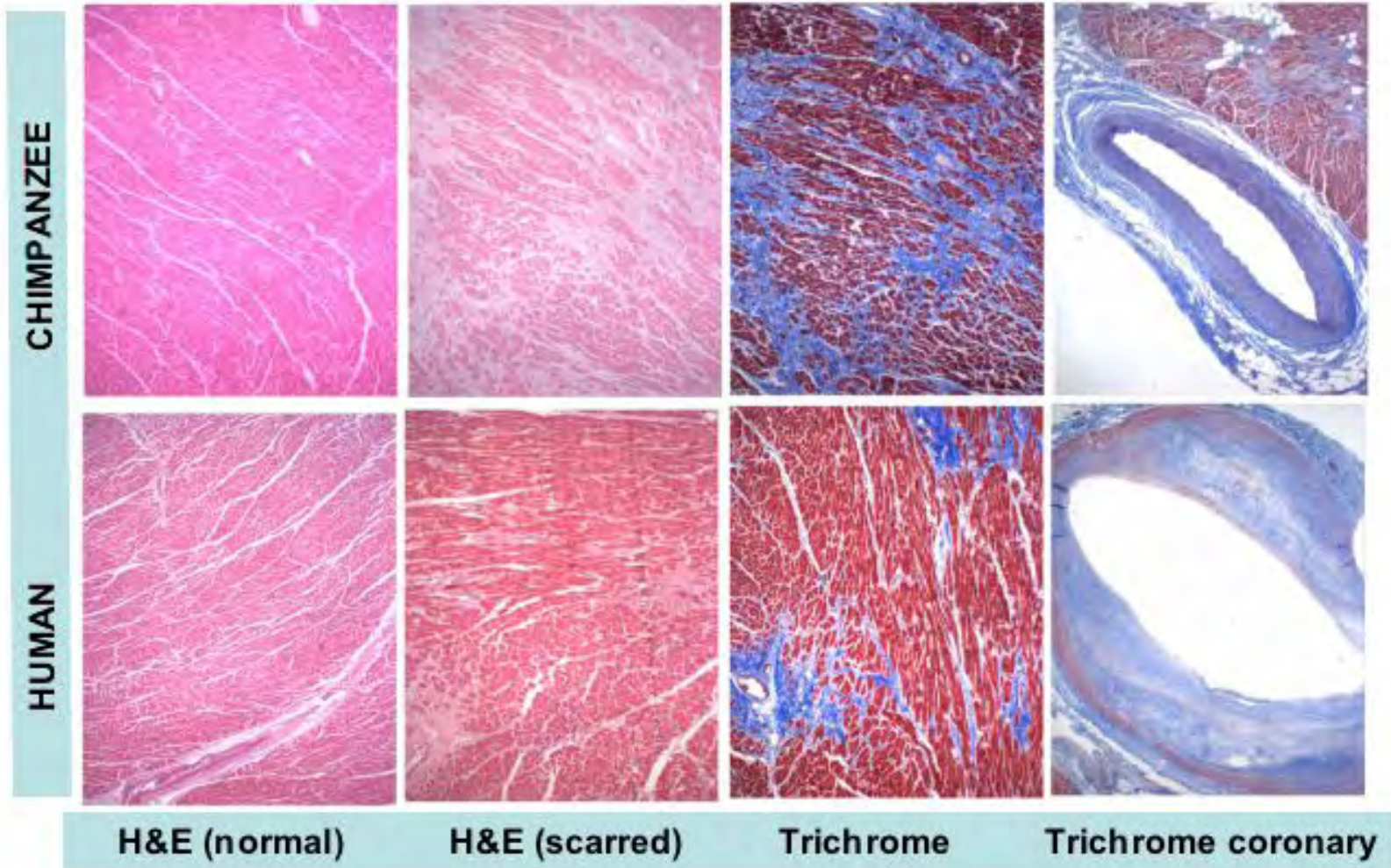


Of several histochemical stains available, the trichrome stain shown here was used is a section of colon, (positive control) showing blue color wherever there is collagen matrix

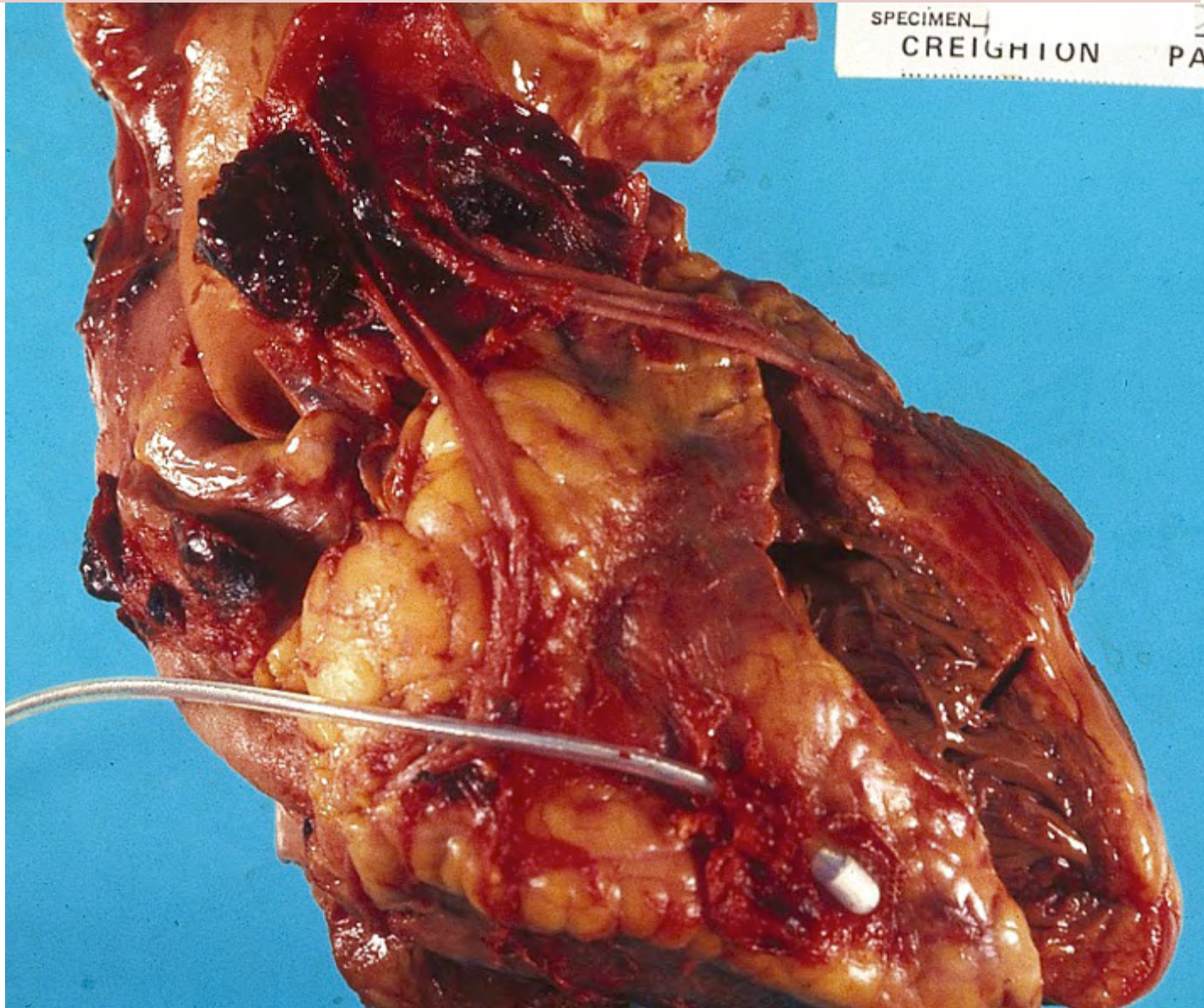
Increased amounts of collagen are present in healed scar tissue

# H&E and trichrome to show collagen in heart with scarring after injury and in coronary artery

Paraffin sections of Human Heart compared to Chimpanzee heart

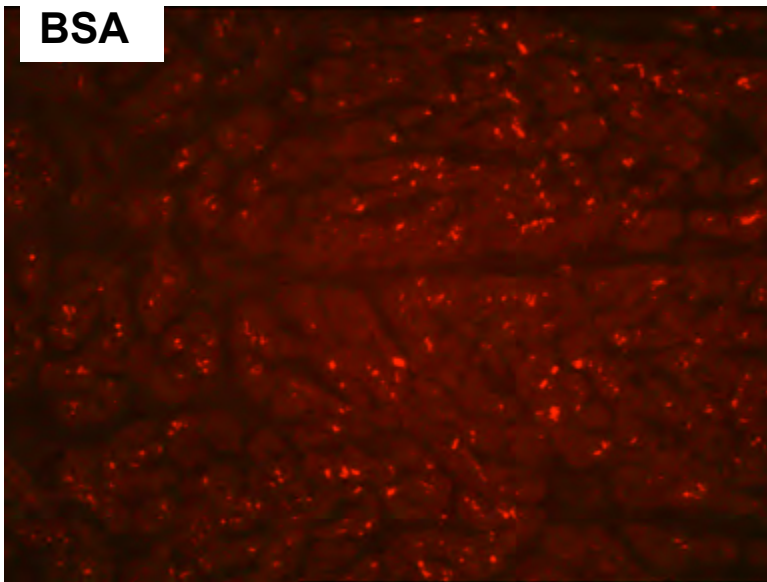


Coronary artery bypass graft using saphenous veins from the legs, to bypass stenosed coronary arteries

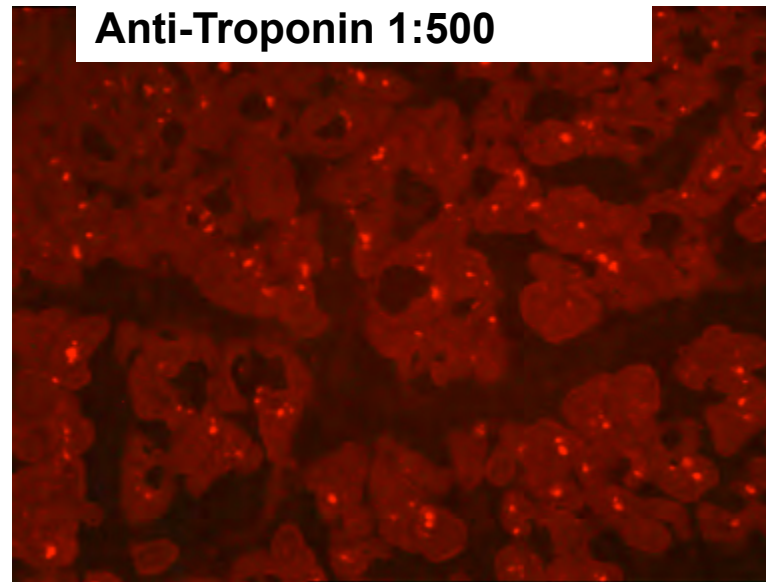


## Frozen sections of Human Heart immunostained with anti-troponin

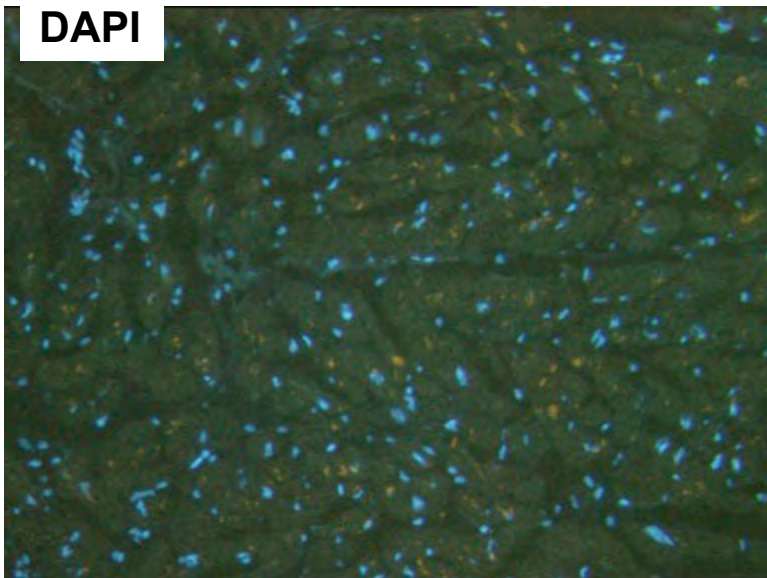
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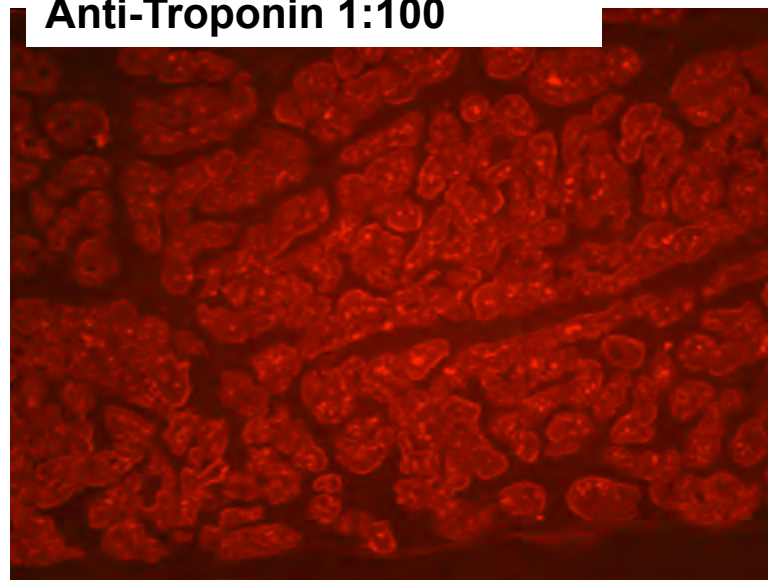
**Anti-Troponin 1:500**



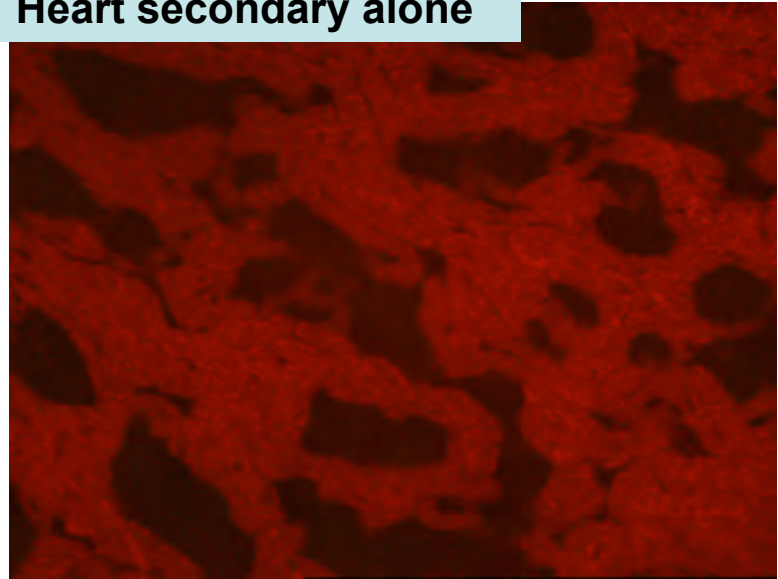
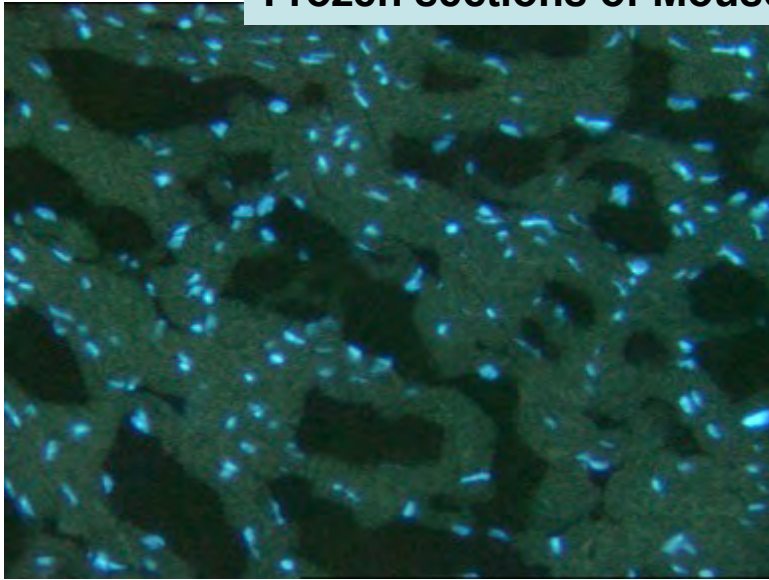
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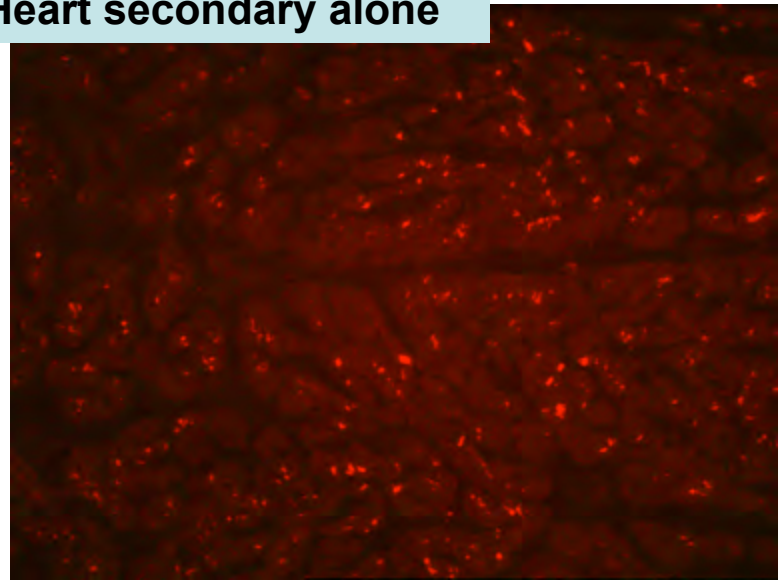
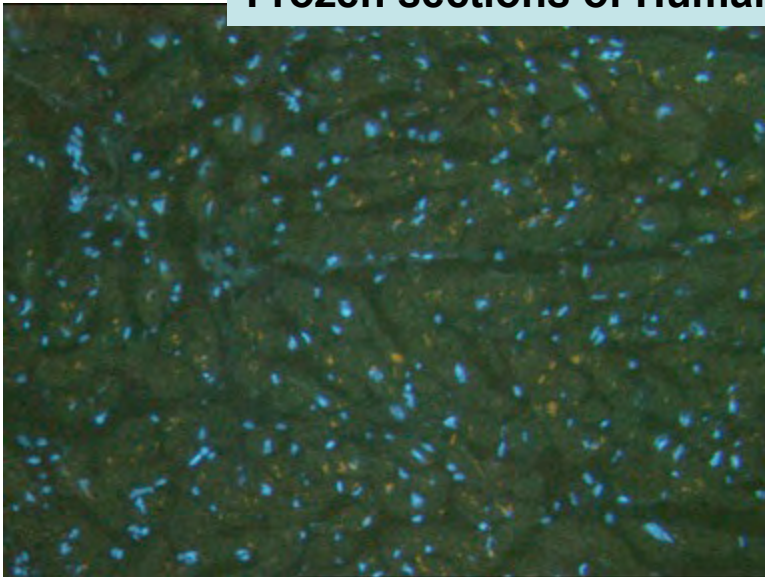
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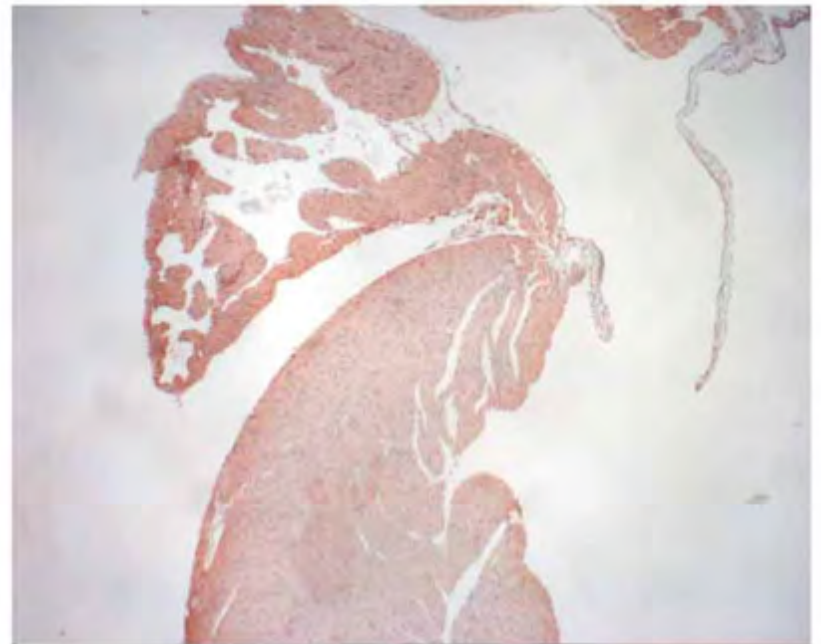
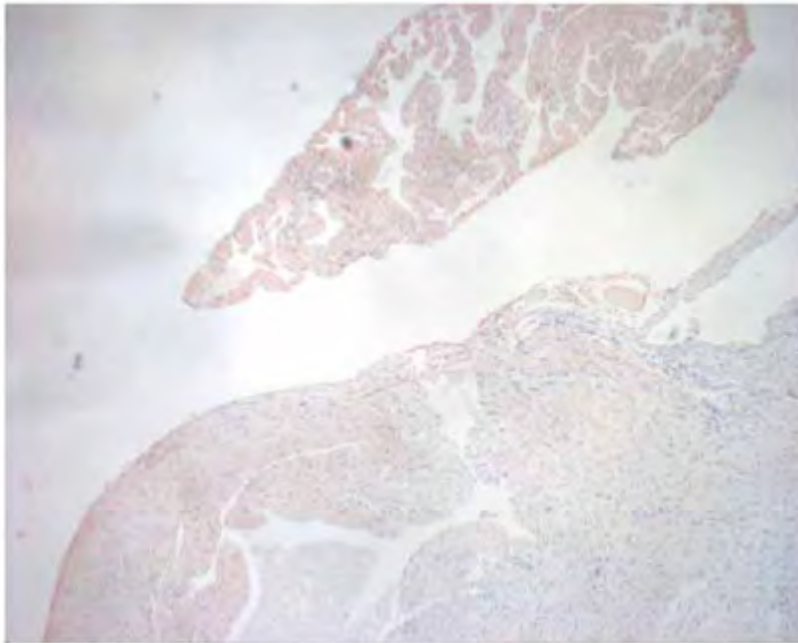
**Frozen sections of Mouse Heart secondary alone**



**Frozen sections of Human Heart secondary alone**



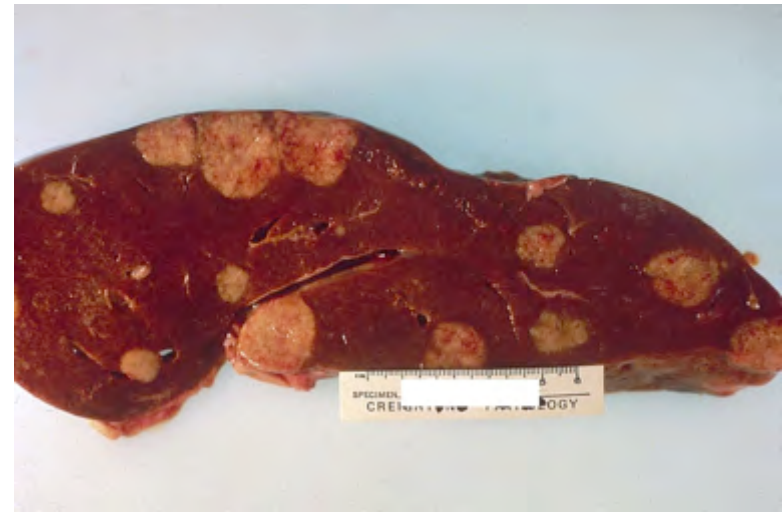
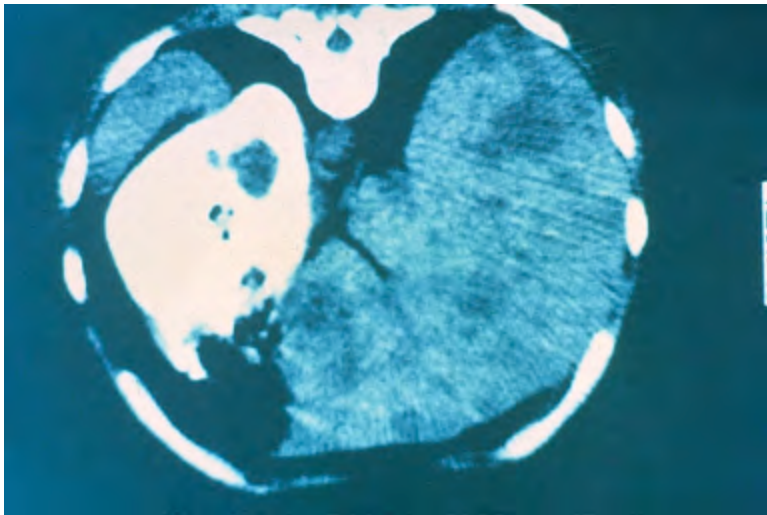
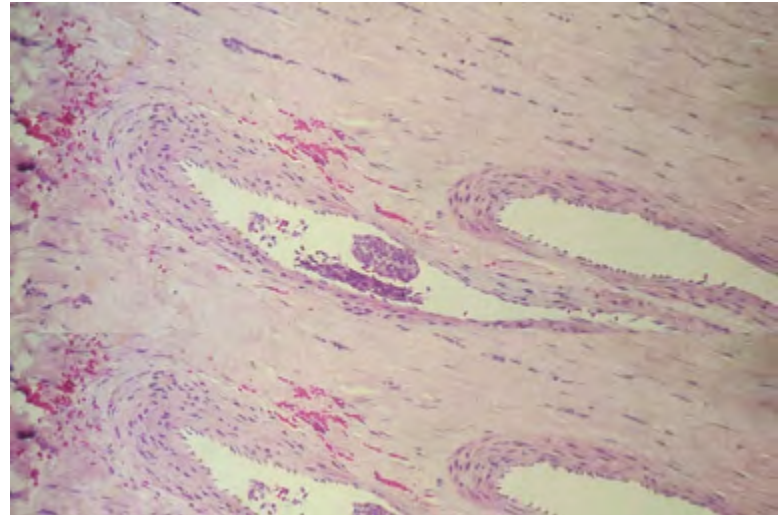
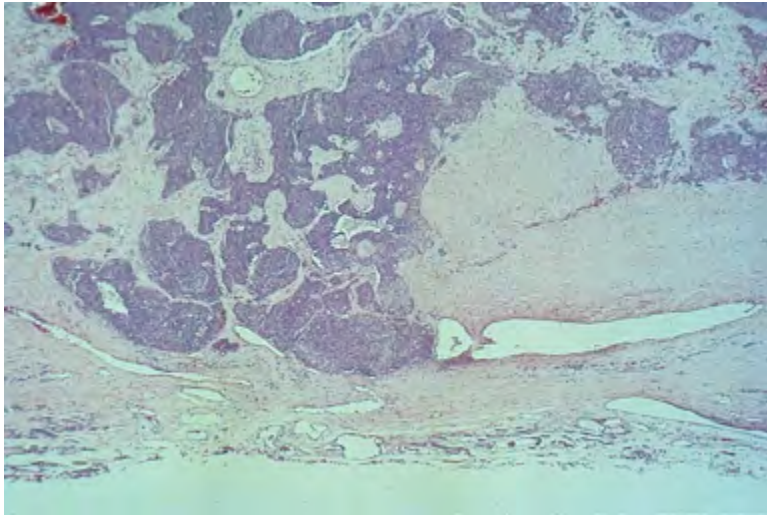
Mouse Heart has high endogenous fluorescence compared to Human Heart  
But using enzyme labeled detection systems work well, with no background staining with Ig control



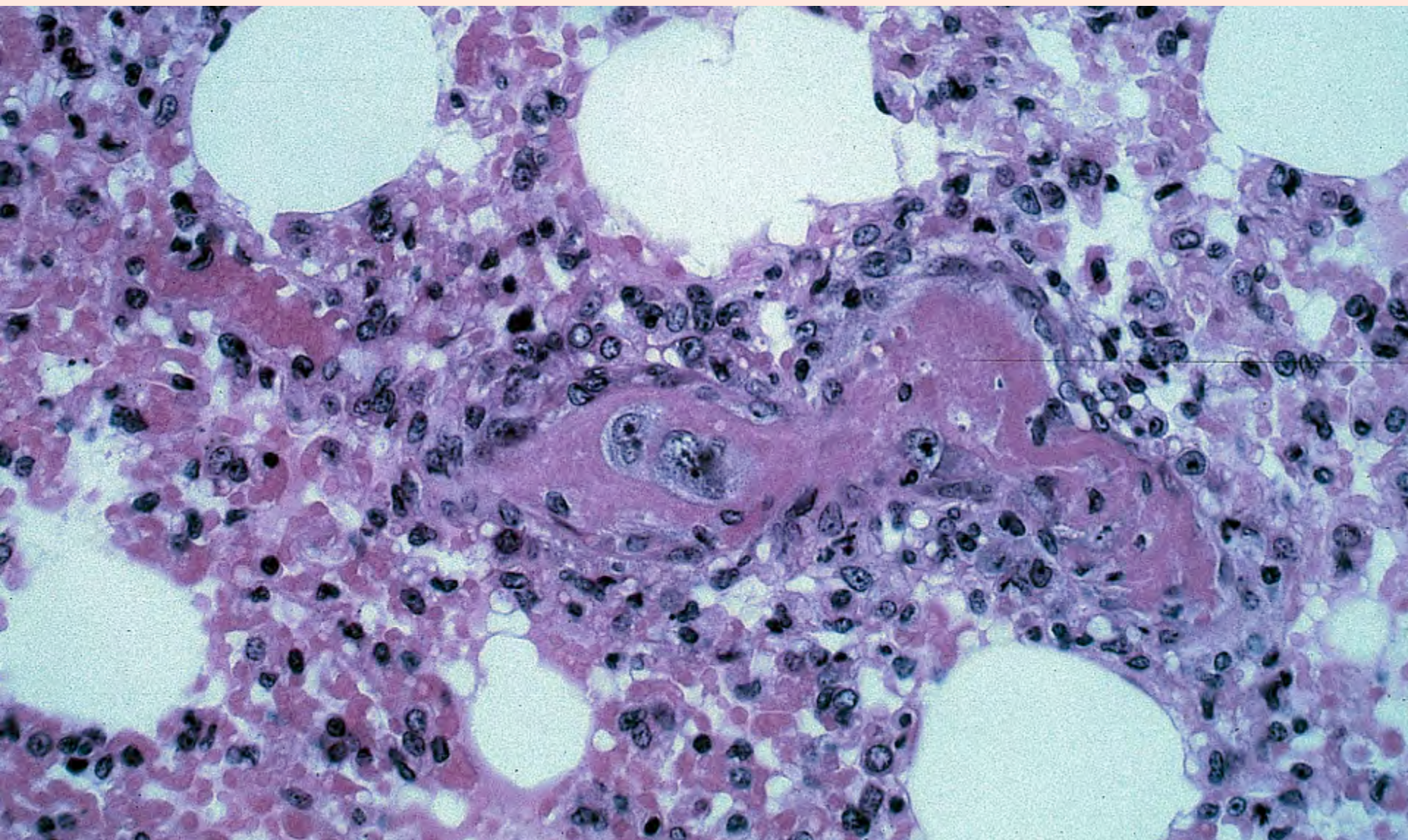
Review of histochemical /immunohistochemical stains so far:

- hematoxylin and eosin: H&E for nuclei and cytoplasm
- Trichrome for collagen in normal and in scars
- PTAH for striations in muscle--only paraffin sections
- Elastic stain for elastic in vessel wall --only paraffin sections
- immunostain for CD31 on endothelial cells
- immunostain for LYVE-1 on lymphatic vessels
- (UEA lectin for blood vessels in human Not mouse)

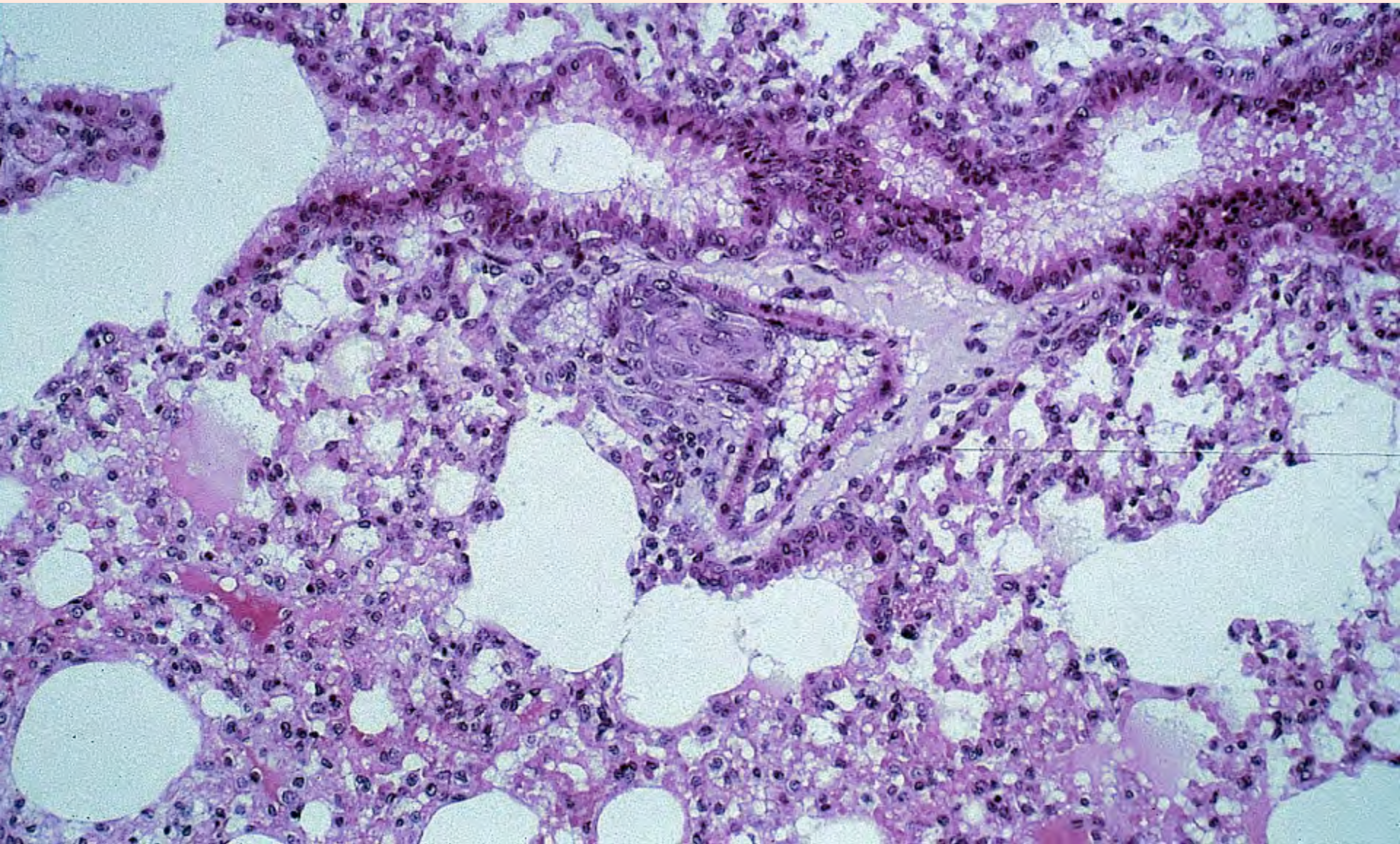
Invasion into blood vessels or lymphatics surrounding a malignant tumor, allows hematogenous seeding, and if the distant soil is permissive, metastases seed and grow



Invasion into blood vessels surrounding a malignant tumor, allows hematogenous seeding---can you identify the malignant cells?



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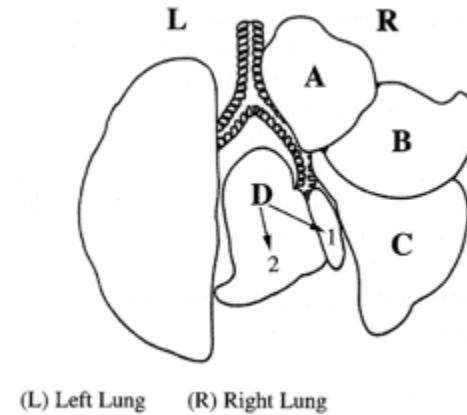


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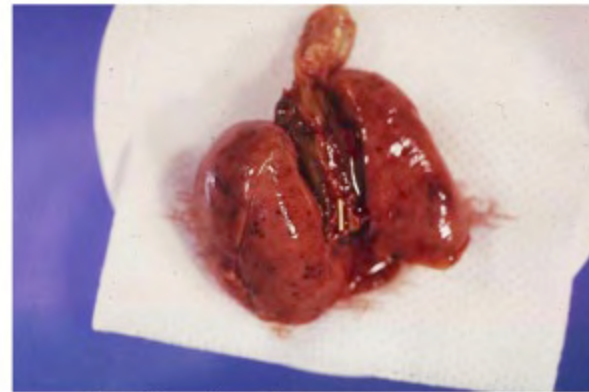
## HUMAN



## MOUSE



**Lobe of human lung  
with primary carcinoma**



**inflated mouse lung  
with metastases**

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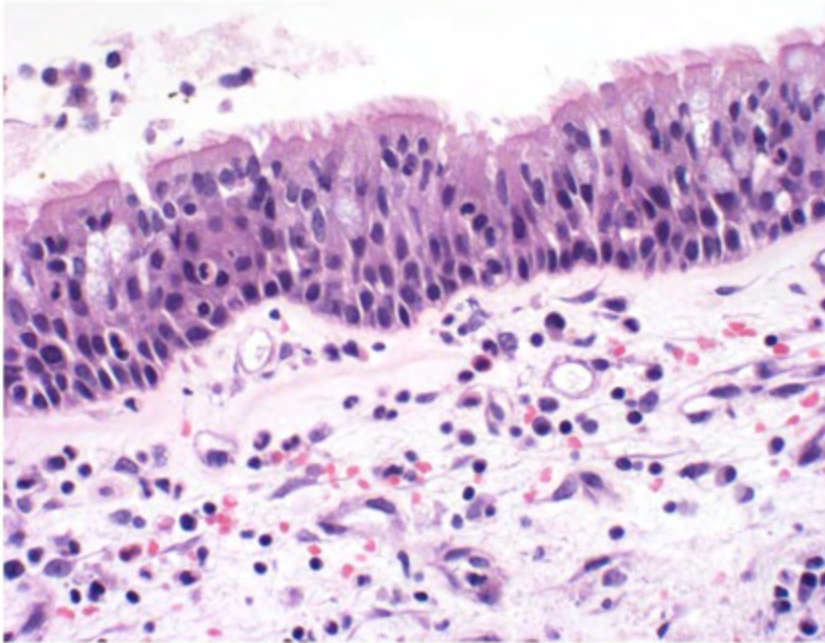


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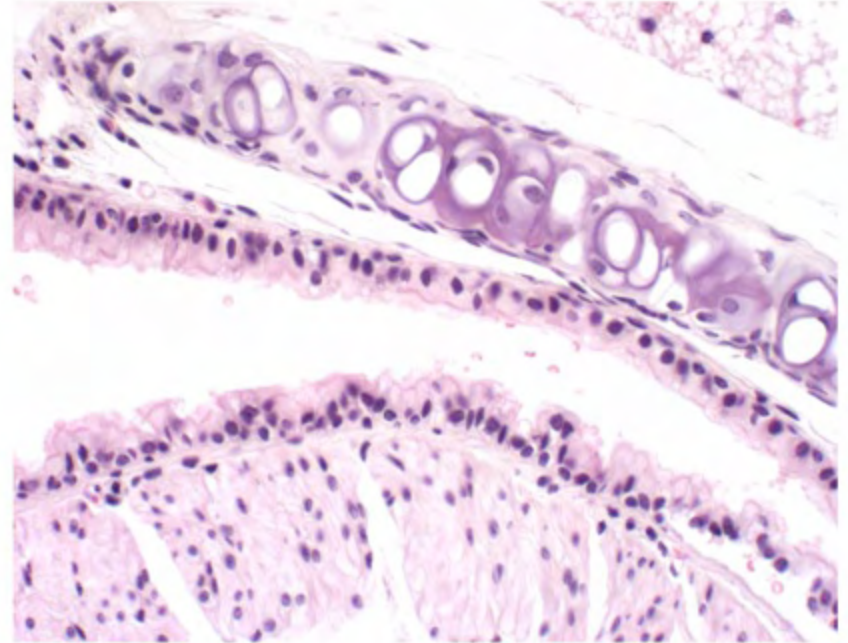
# TRACHEA

magnification x400

## Human

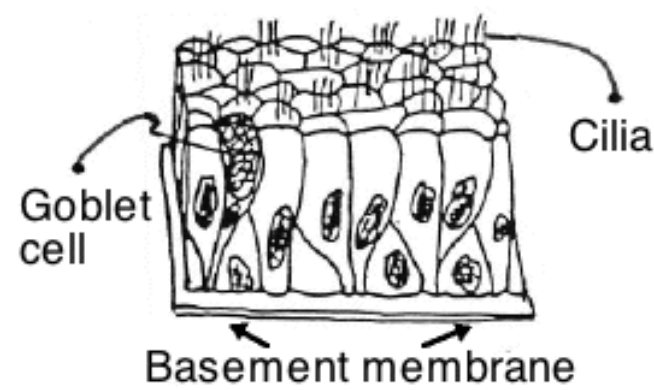


## Mouse



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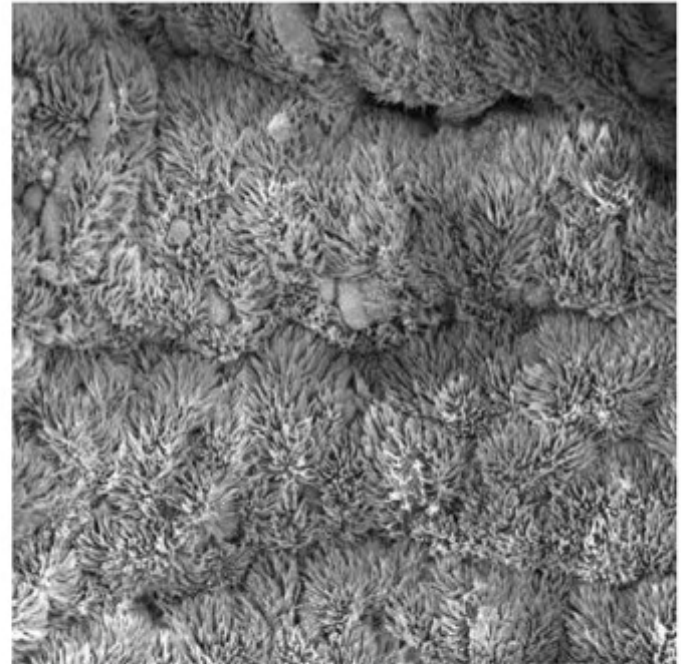
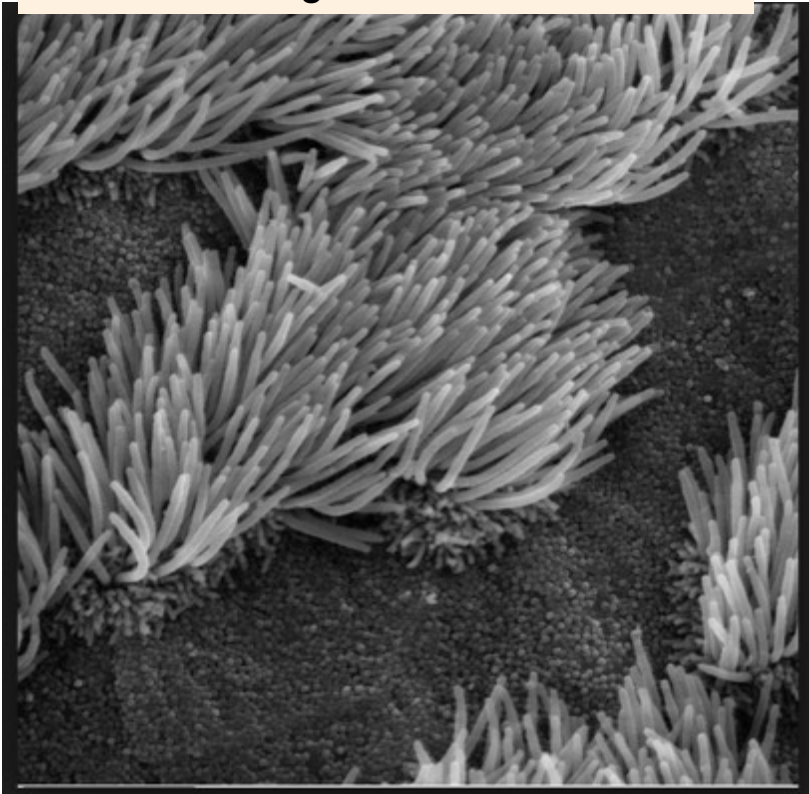
Pseudostratified (ciliated) columnar



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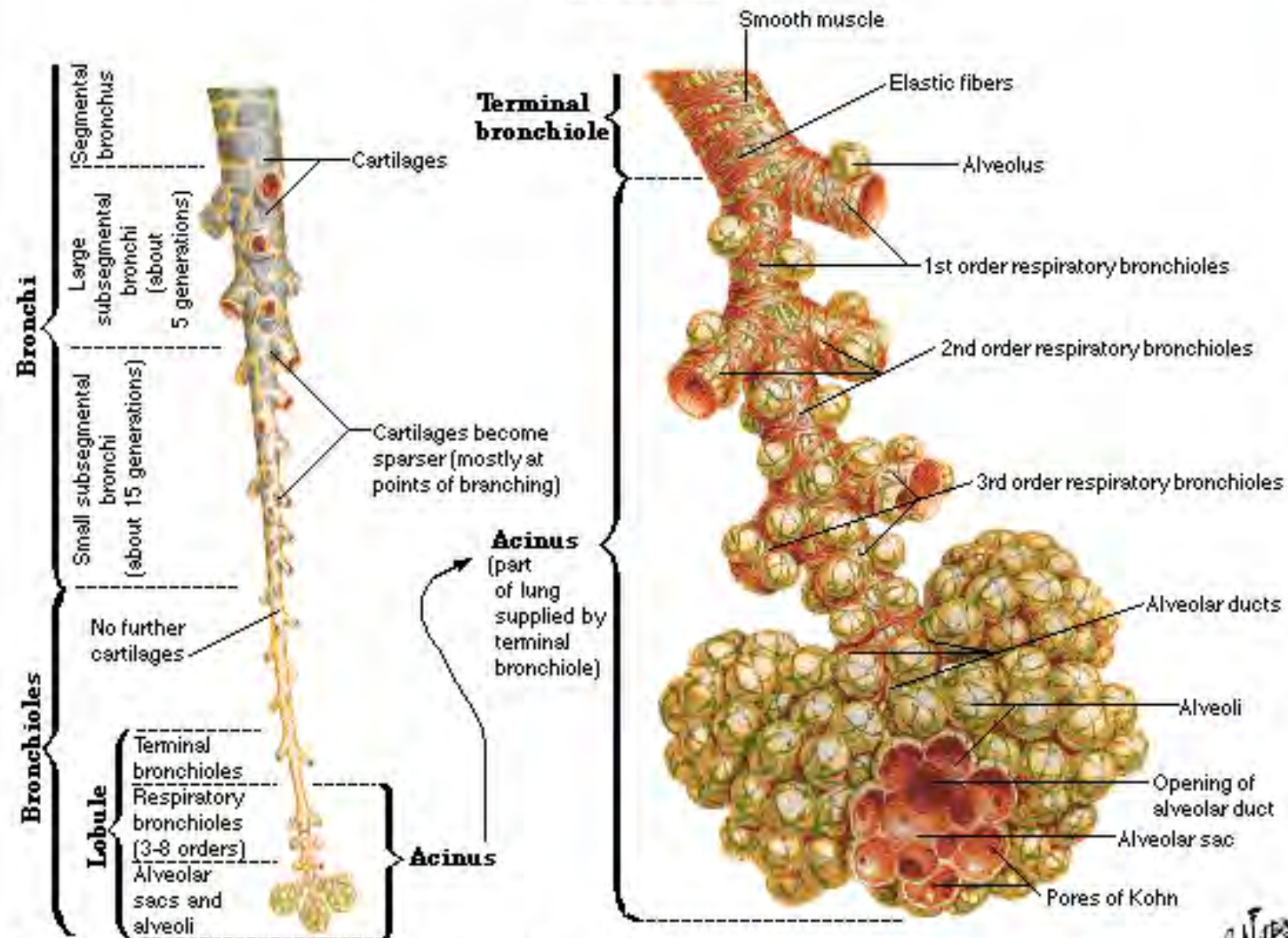
Human Ciliated tracheal epithelial cell -- scanning EM



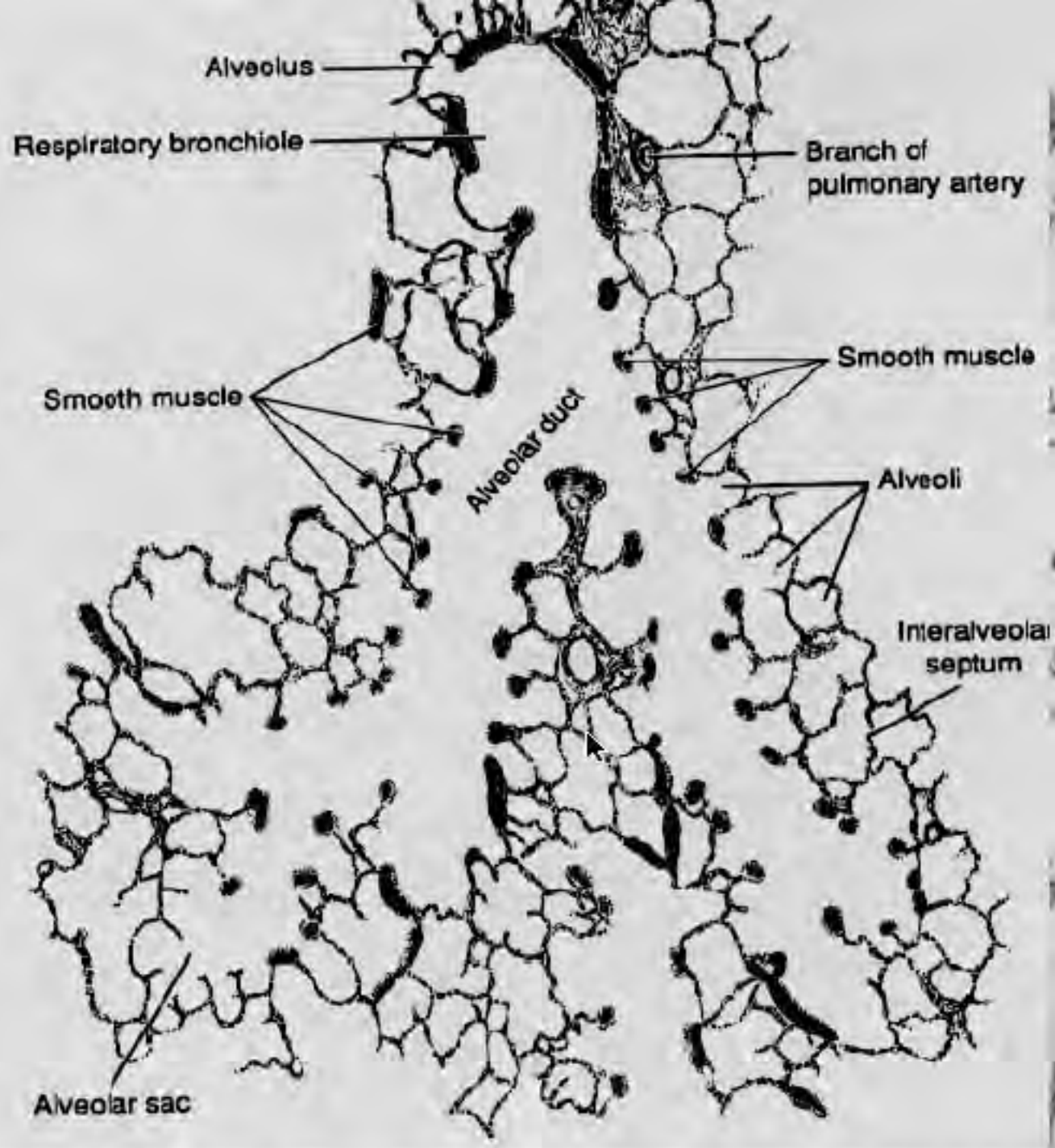
***Ciliated tracheal epithelium in a wild-type mouse bending in similar direction***

Scanning EM of ciliated tracheal epithelium in a wild-type mouse. The cells are covered with cilia, all bending in a similar direction.

# Intrapulmonary Airways Schema



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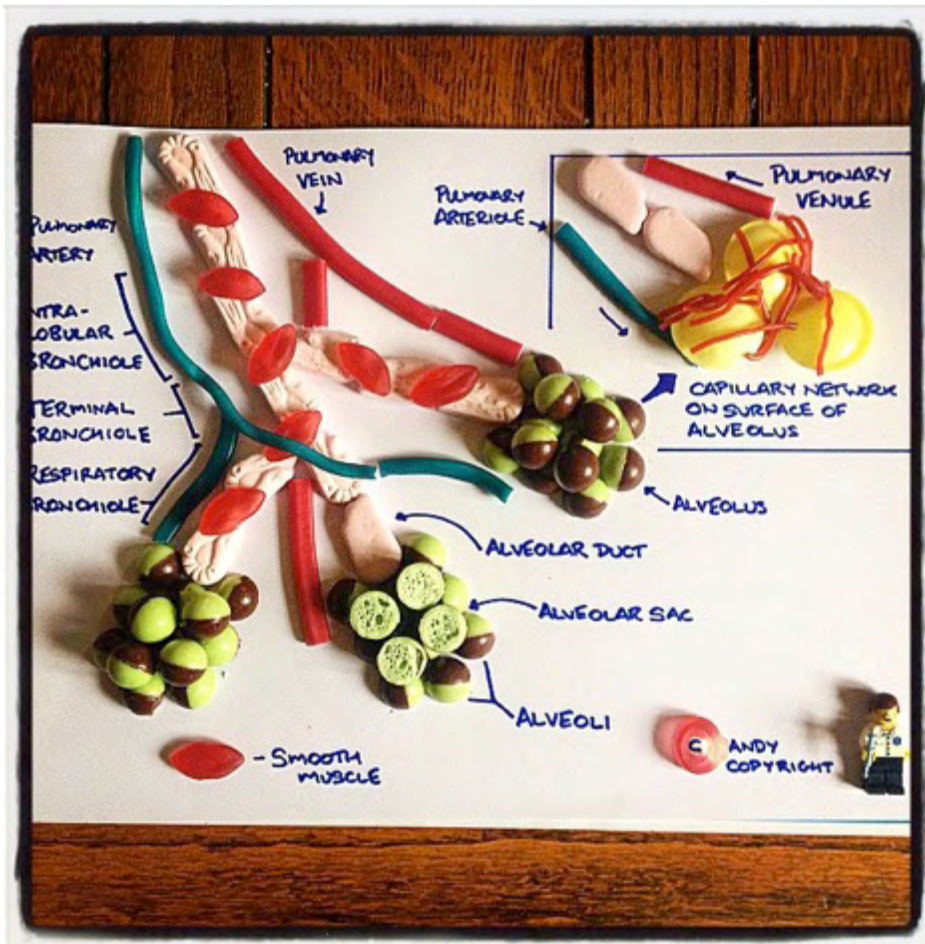


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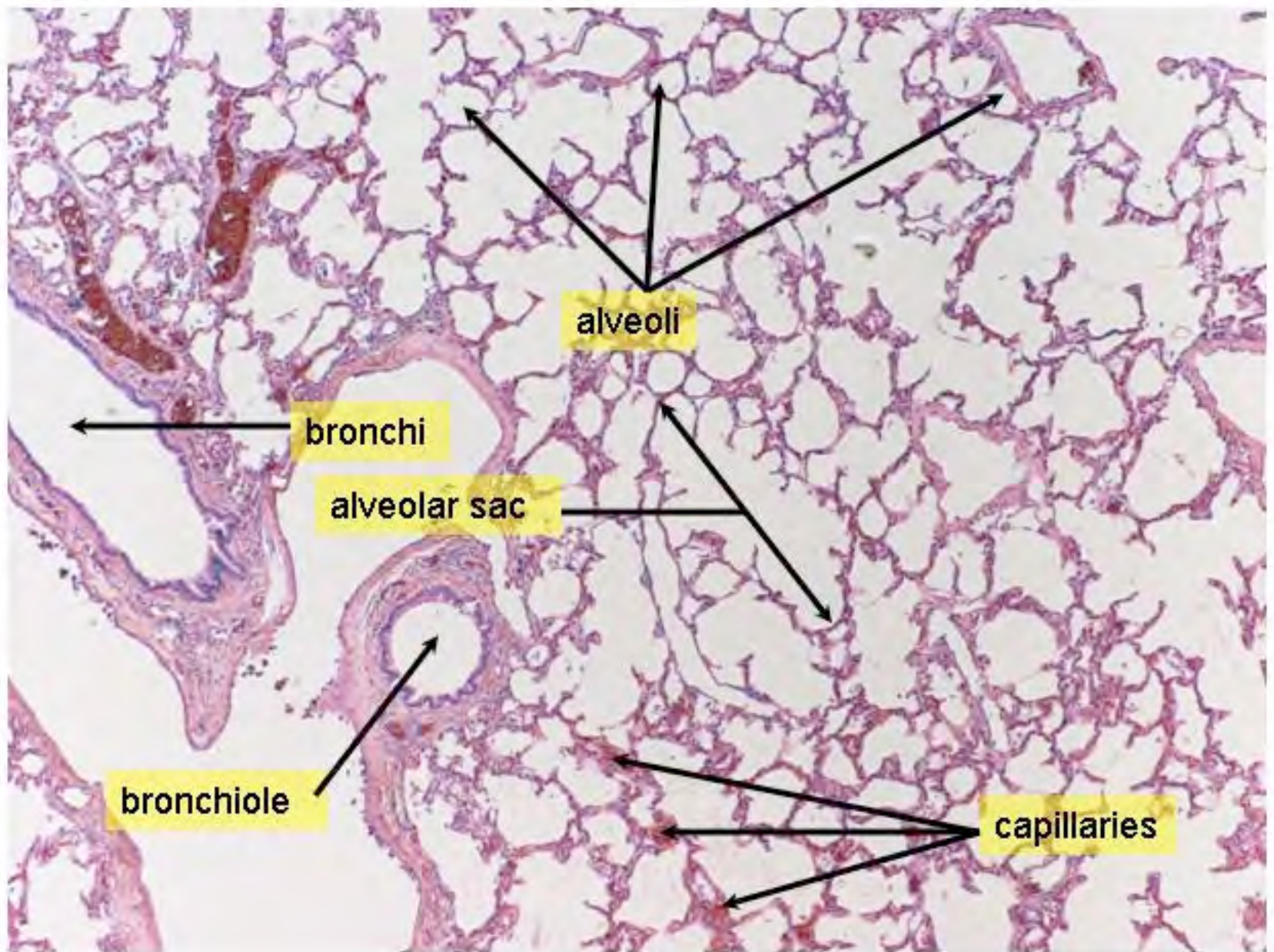
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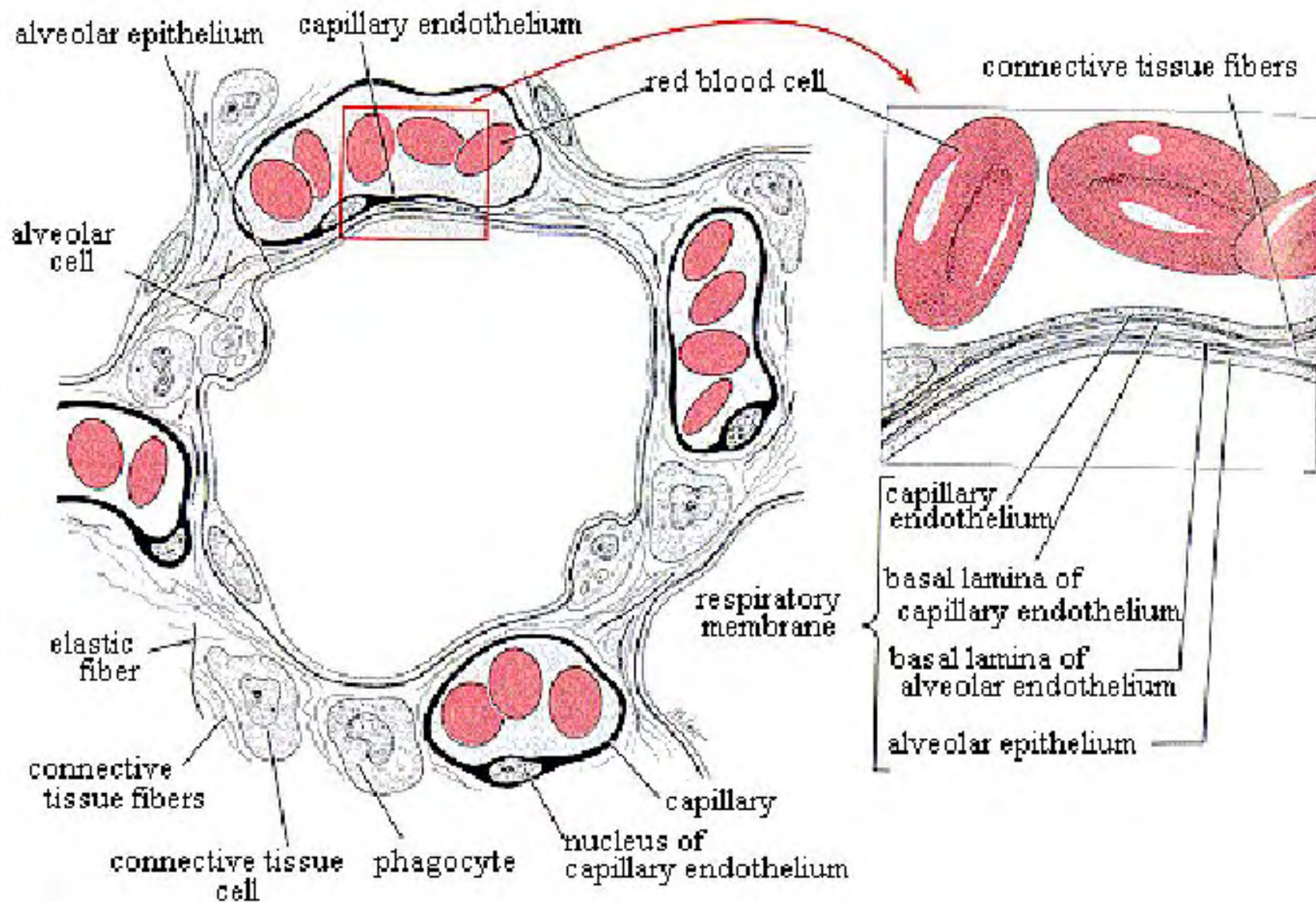
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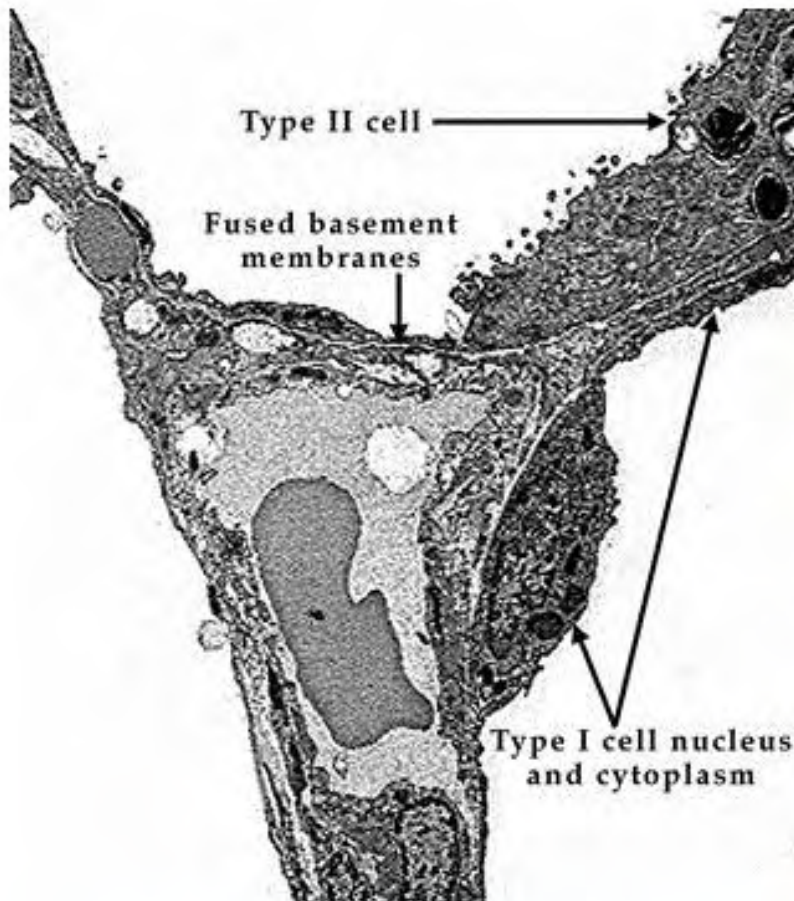
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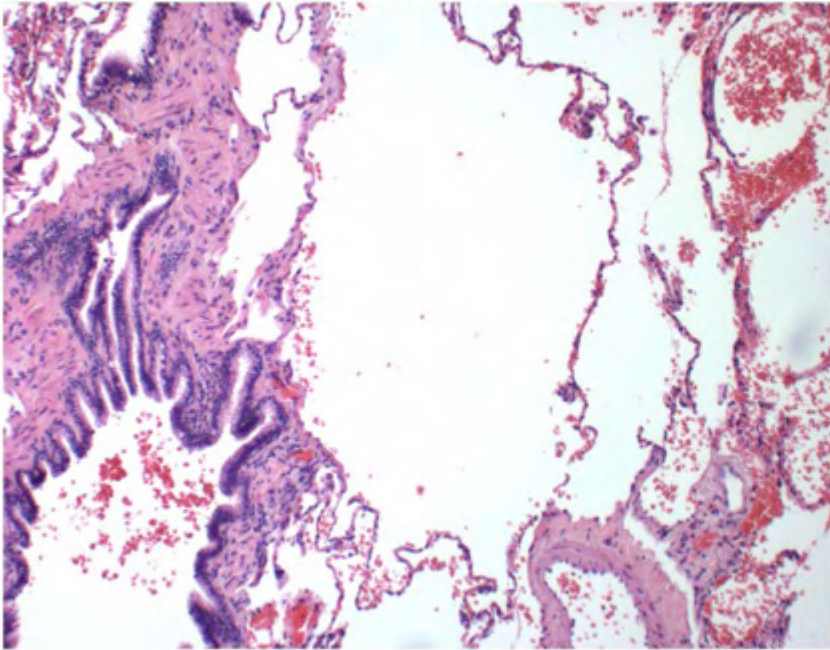


Alveoli are lined by flat type I cells, which cannot be seen with the light microscope, and plump type II cells, which can be seen.

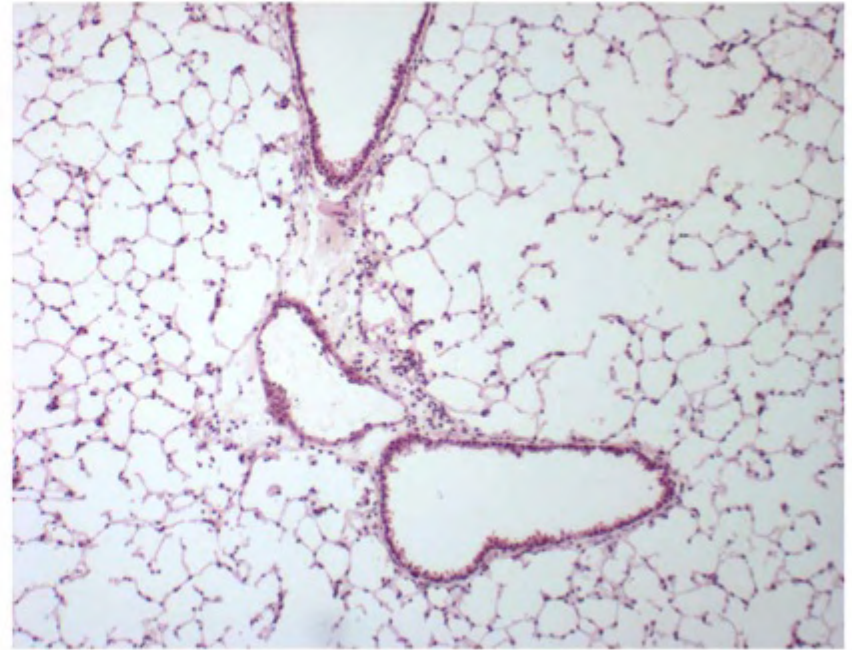
- Normally, each alveolus has **one type I cell and 2 type II cells**.
  - The type II cell secretes surfactant and is the cell that undergoes proliferation after injury, having the capacity to differentiate into a type I cell.
  - The alveolar wall has capillaries and connective tissue, including elastic fibers. The capillary basement membrane is focally fused with that of the epithelial cell to facilitate gas exchange. The alveoli contain a few alveolar macrophages, which represent the first line of defense against foreign particles.
- The photo shows an alveolar wall with a capillary containing a red blood cell.

# LUNG magnification x100

## Human



## Mouse

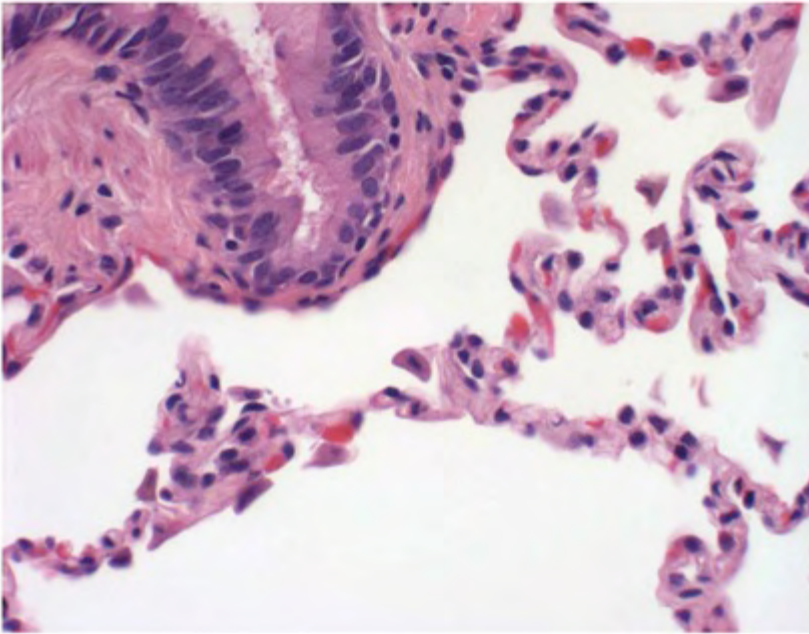


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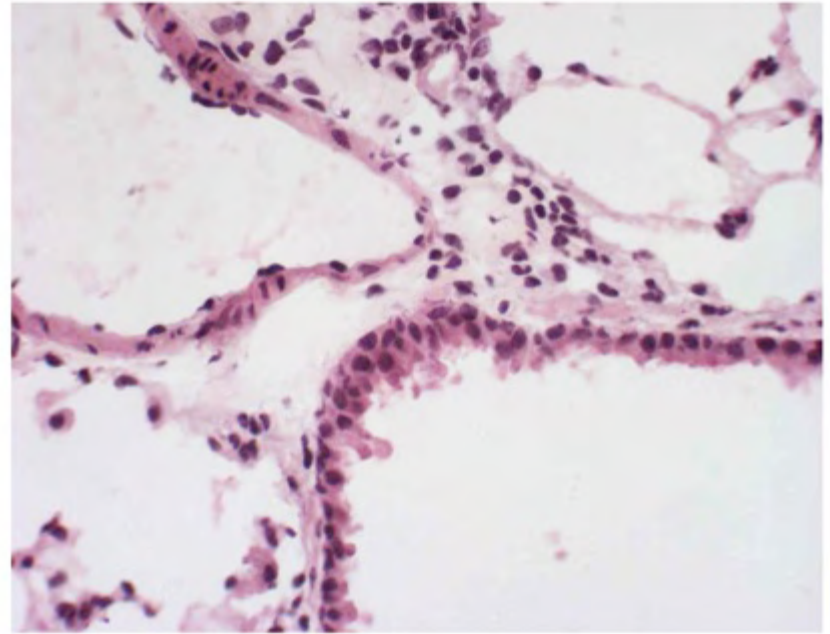
# LUNG

magnification x400

**Human**



**Mouse**



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Examples of a few lung diseases include

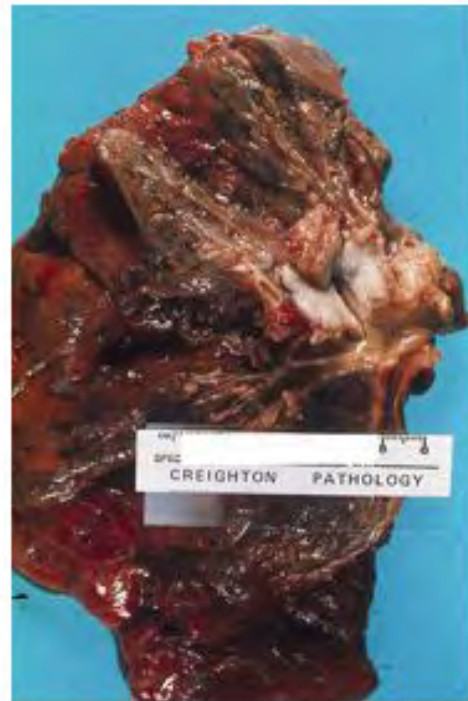
- Pneumonia
- Restrictive lung disease—Asthma
- Chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD)
- Lung cancer—usually of epithelial origin and thus

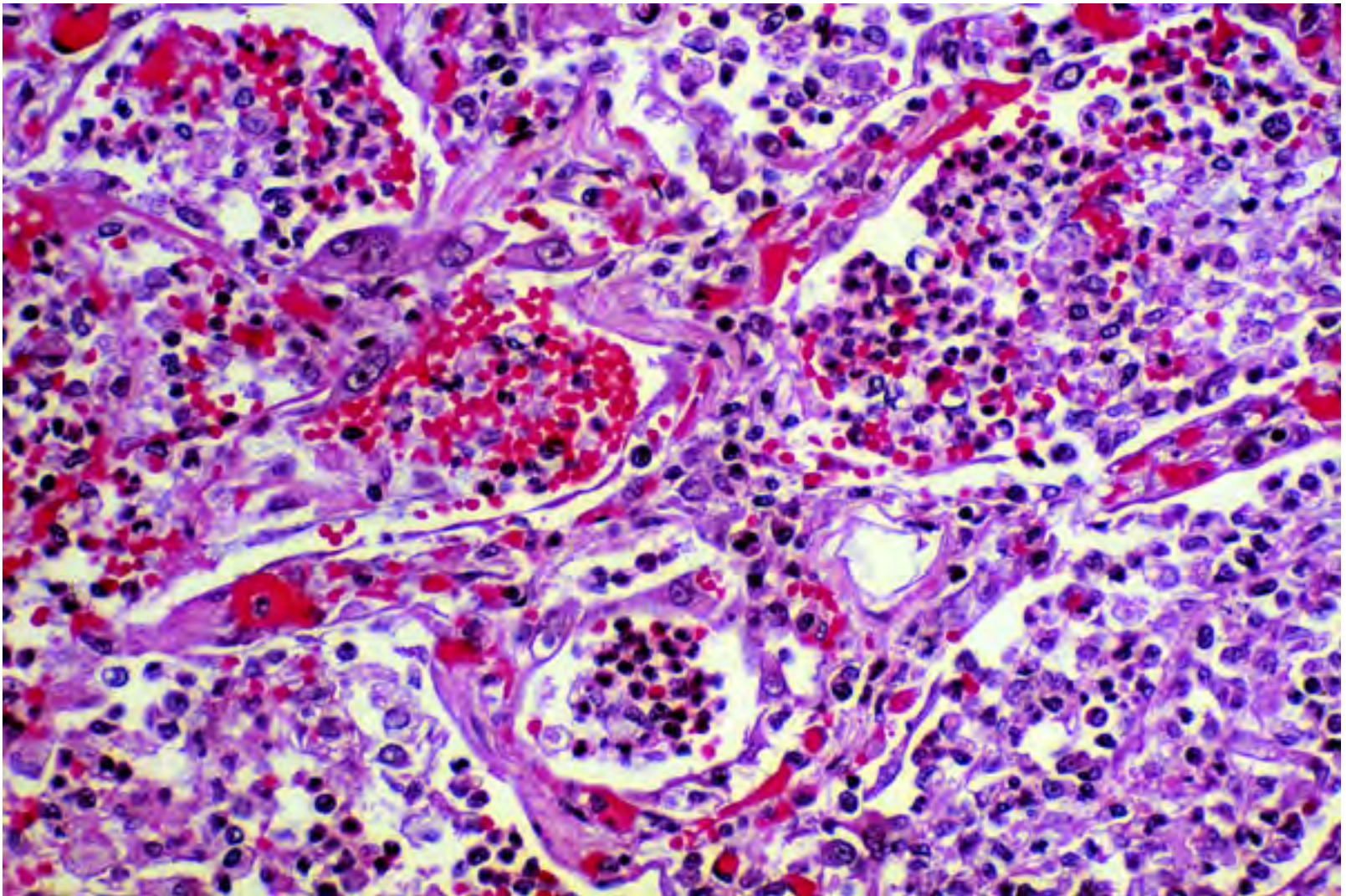
Lung carcinomas:

Squamous carcinomas

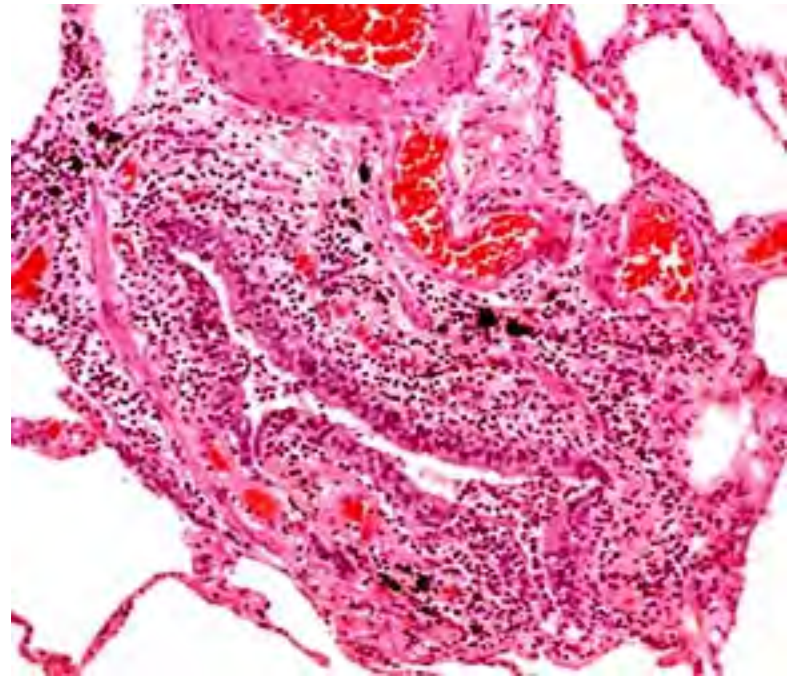
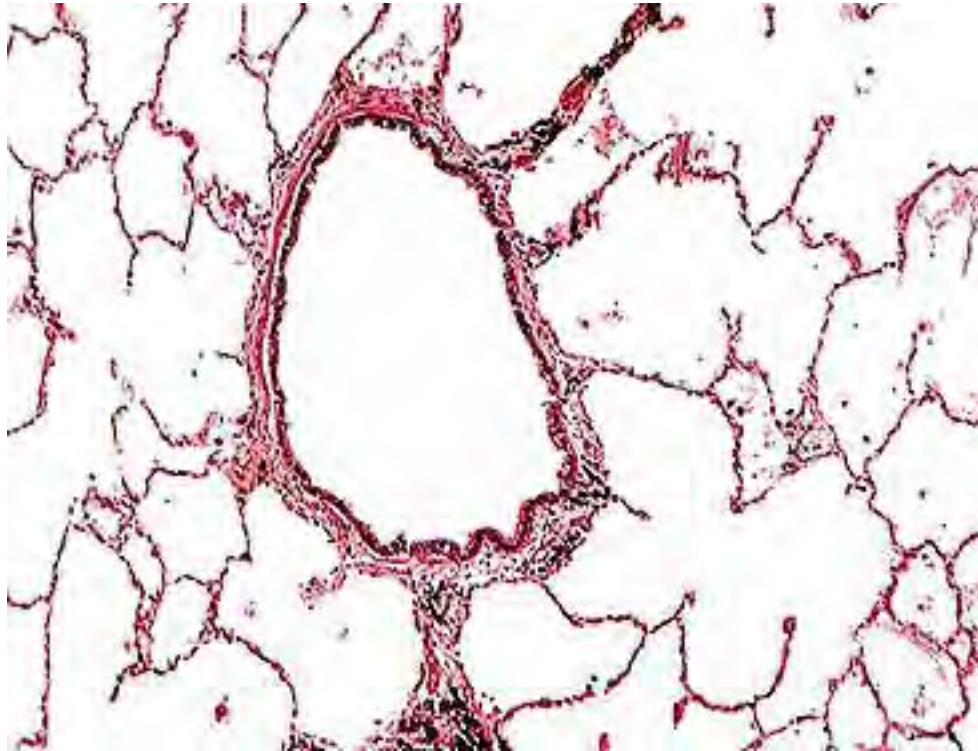
Adenocarcinoma

small cell carcinomas





**Histology of pneumonia**



**Histology of normal lung parenchyma as compared to a section from a patient who died from long standing chronic Asthma**

<http://pathhsw5m54.ucsf.edu/introduction.html>

## **COPD: chronic obstructive pulmonary disease**

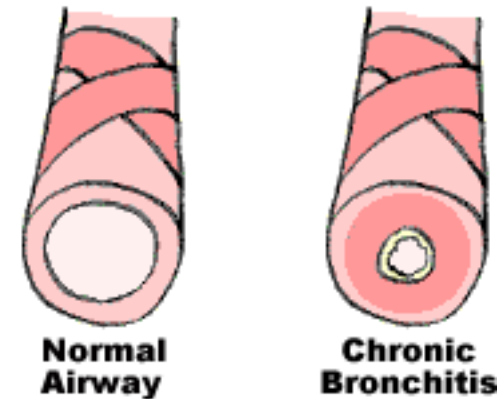
--chronic bronchitis

---emphysems

### **Chronic Bronchitis**

In chronic bronchitis:

- \*the cells lining the inside of the bronchi are continuously inflamed
- \*the airways in your lungs have become narrow and partly clogged with mucus



The bronchi are air passages connecting the windpipe (trachea) with the sacs of the lung (alveoli), where oxygen is taken up by the blood. Bronchitis is an inflammation of the bronchi. This inflammation causes excessive production of mucus and swelling of the bronchial walls. Airflow into and out of the lungs is obstructed.

With chronic bronchitis, the mucus cannot be cleared. Instead of helping to clean the lungs, it causes obstruction in the airways. The mucus is thicker and more difficult to cough up. This provides a means for bacteria to settle in the lower airways and increases the risk of infection.

Chronic bronchitis is caused mainly by cigarette smoke. It is characterized by:

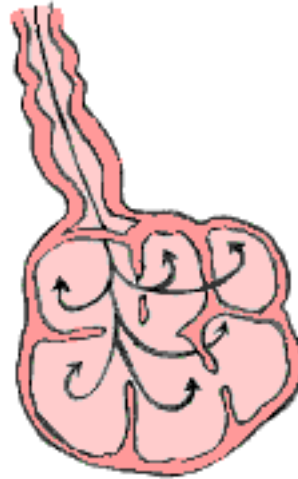
- \*persistent cough
- \*production of mucus

The degree of breathlessness experienced depends on the degree of congestion of the airways and inflammation of the bronchial mucus membranes.

**In Emphysema, some of the air sacs deep in the lungs have been damaged.**

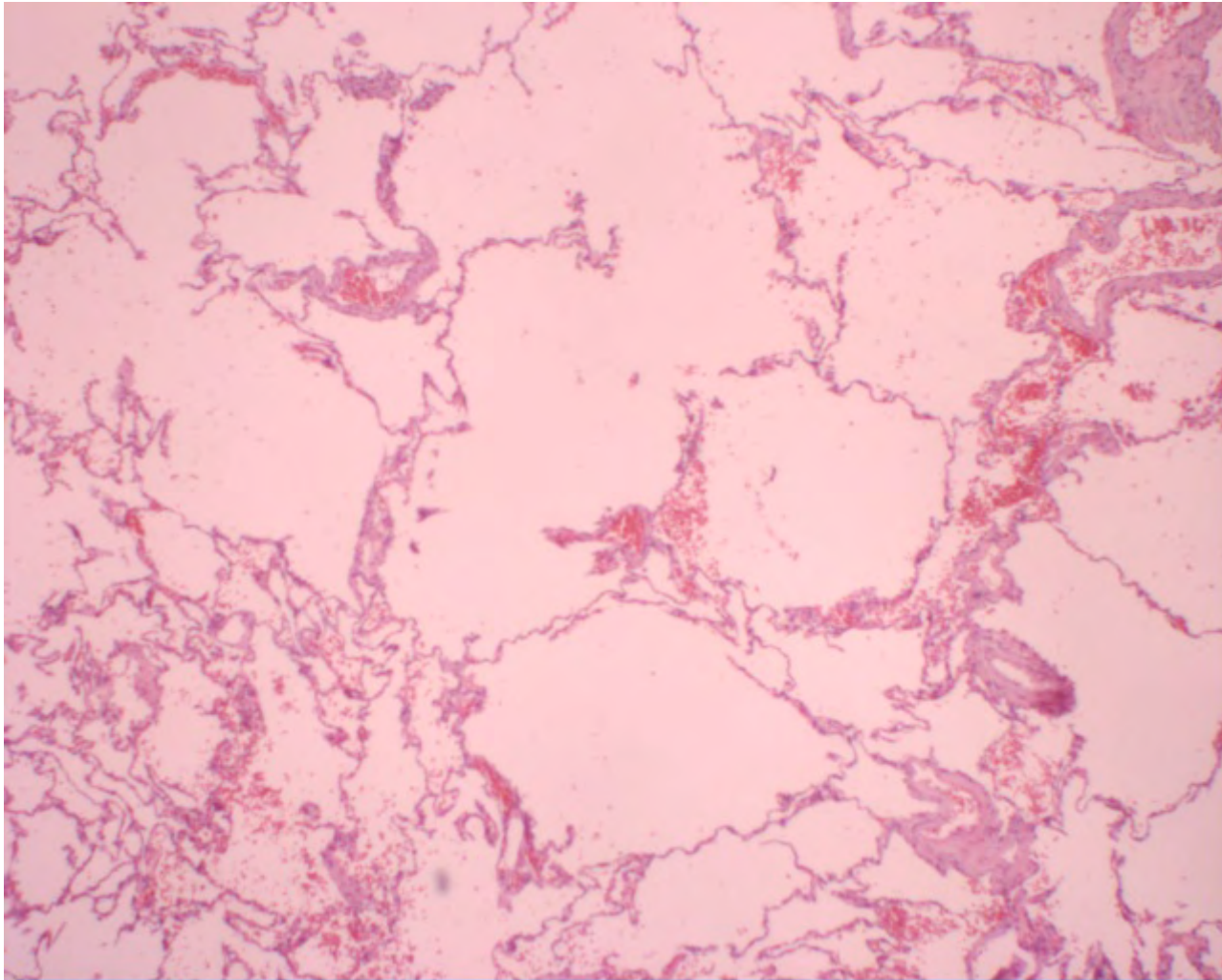


**Healthy Alveolus**

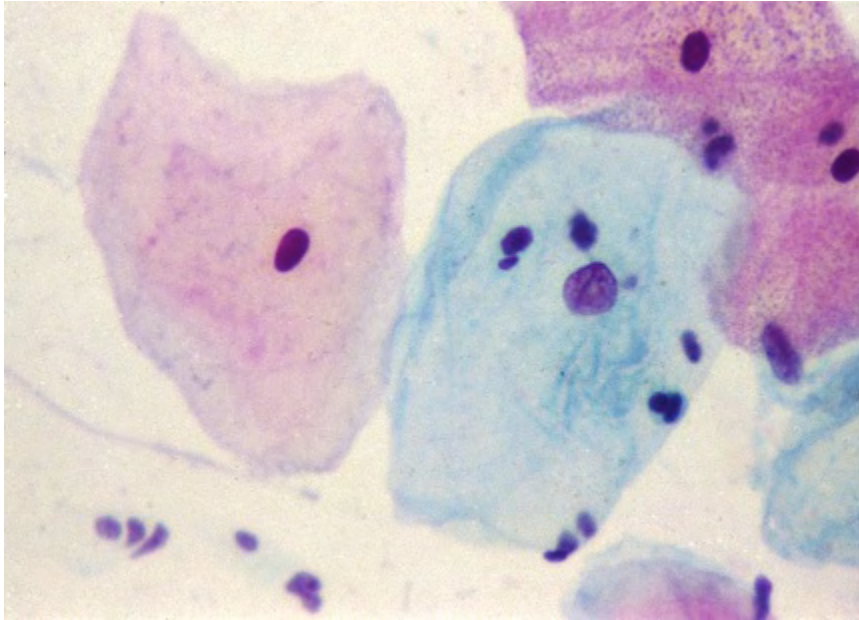


**Emphysema**

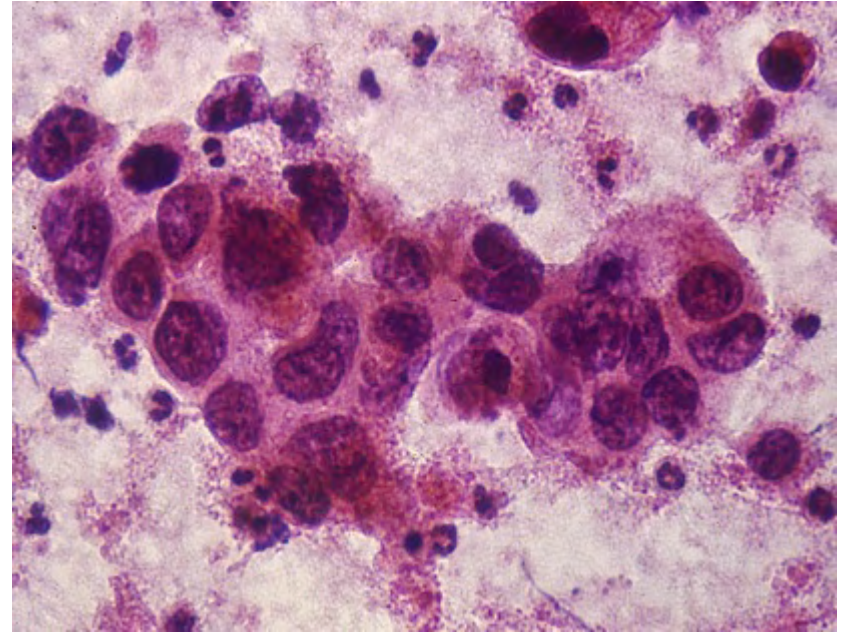
**The normal elasticity of the air sacs and the walls of the airways are destroyed. People with emphysema need to forcefully blow the air out in order to empty the lungs. Forcing the air out in this way puts pressure on the airways from the outside, compresses them and causes them to collapse. The walls of the tiny air sacs may even tear. Excessive coughing may cause the airways to collapse as well. As the stretching and tearing of the walls of the air sacs continues, the lungs may become enlarged and less efficient at moving air into the lungs and contaminants out of the lungs**



**Histology of emphysema**



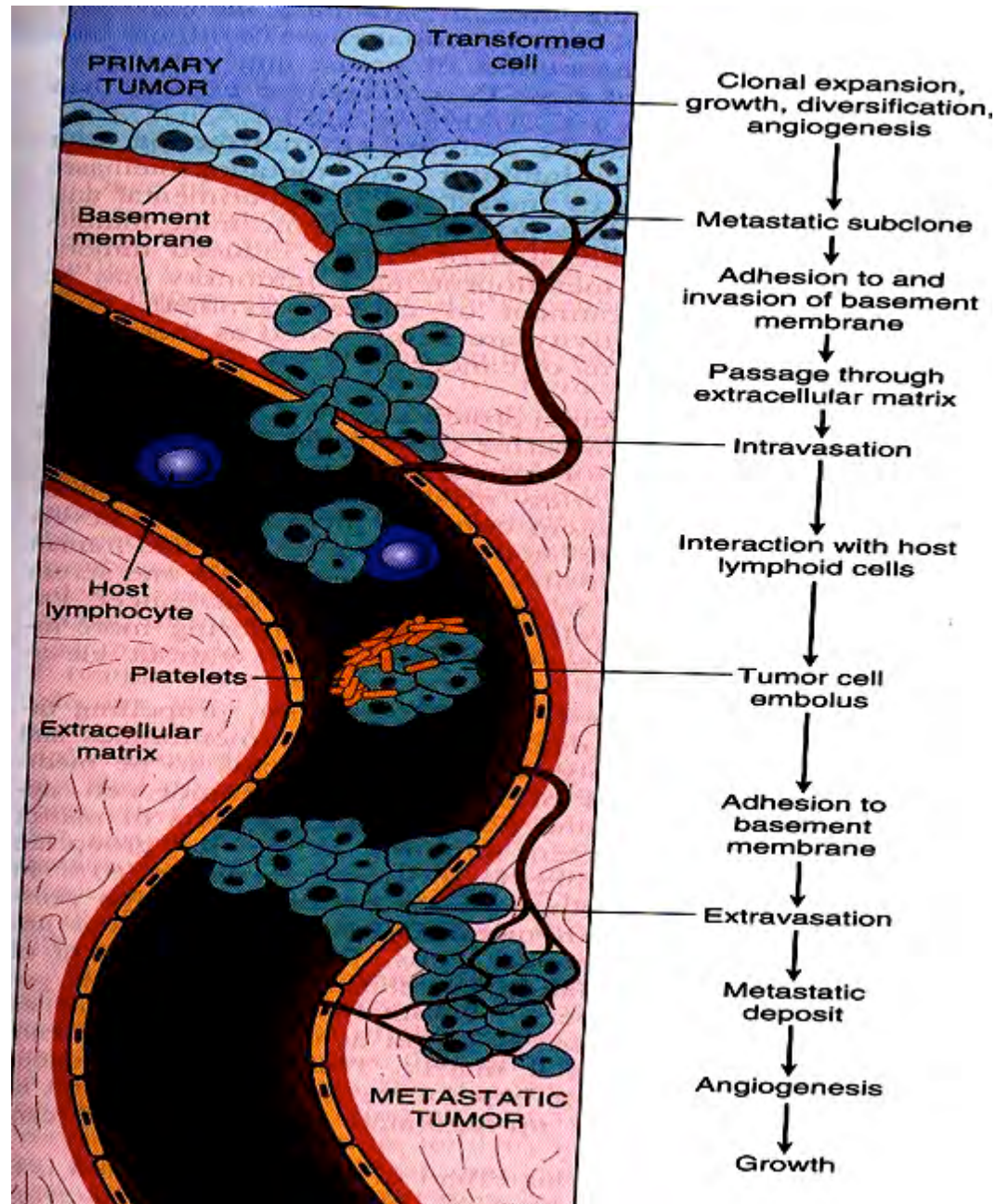
**Normal cells  
from smear of cervix**



**Carcinoma cells with  
altered nuclear: cytoplasmic ratio**



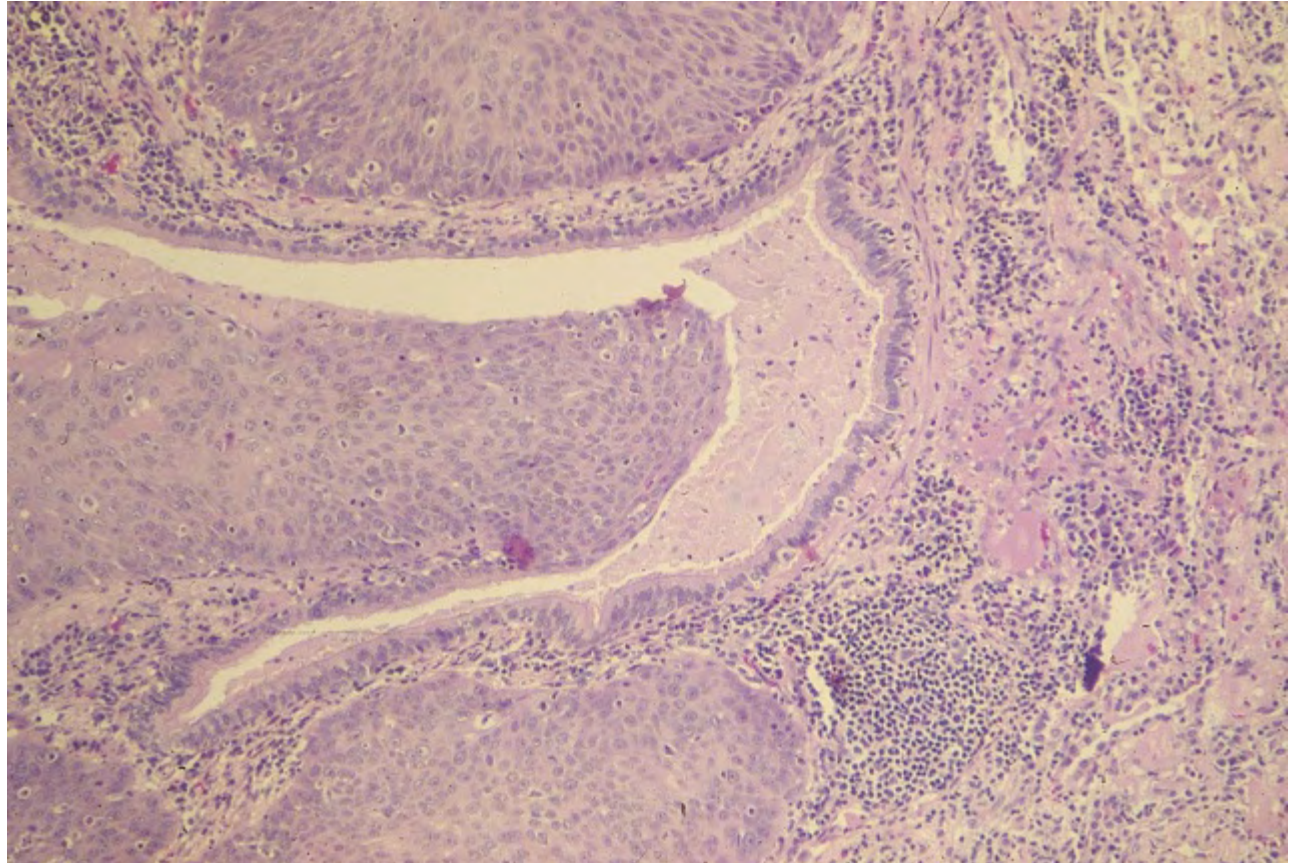
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Macroscopic  
appearance of lung  
carcinoma



Microscopic appearance of squamous carcinoma of  
lung arising from bronchiole

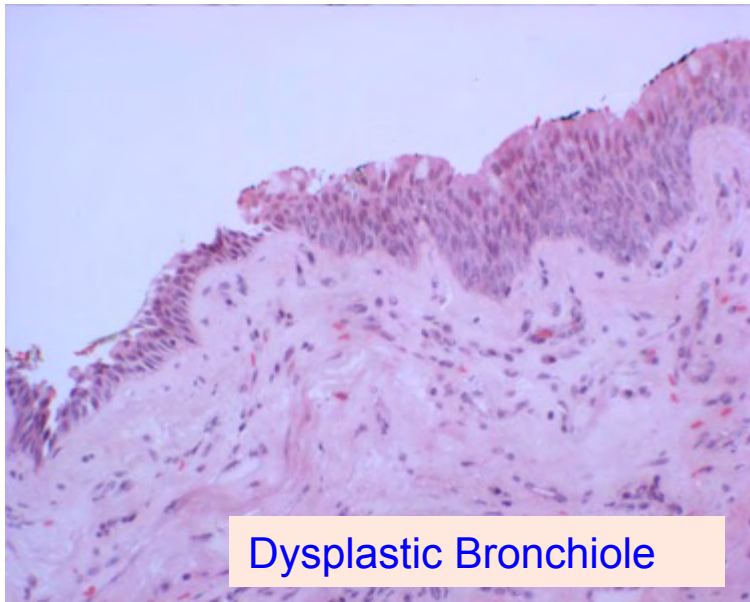




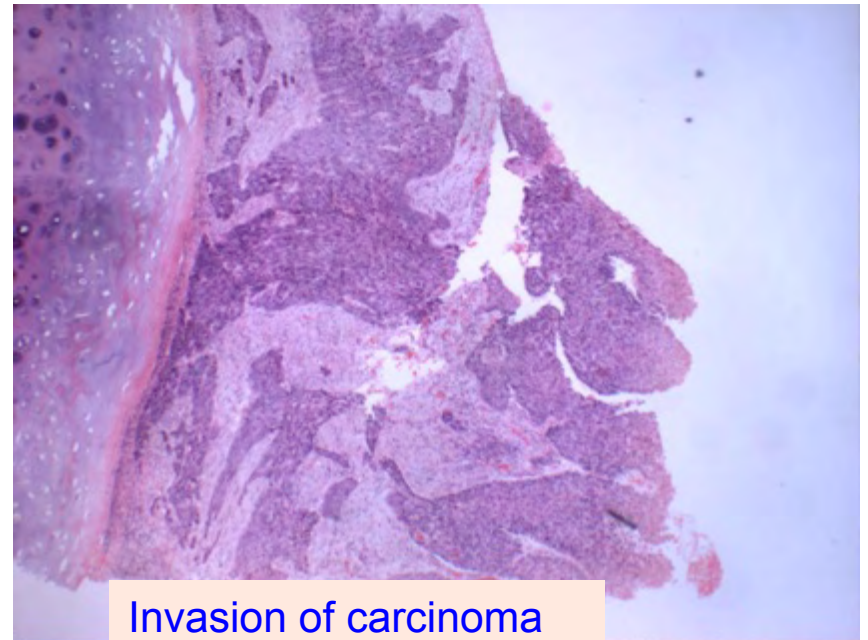
Normal Bronchiole



Normal Bronchiole

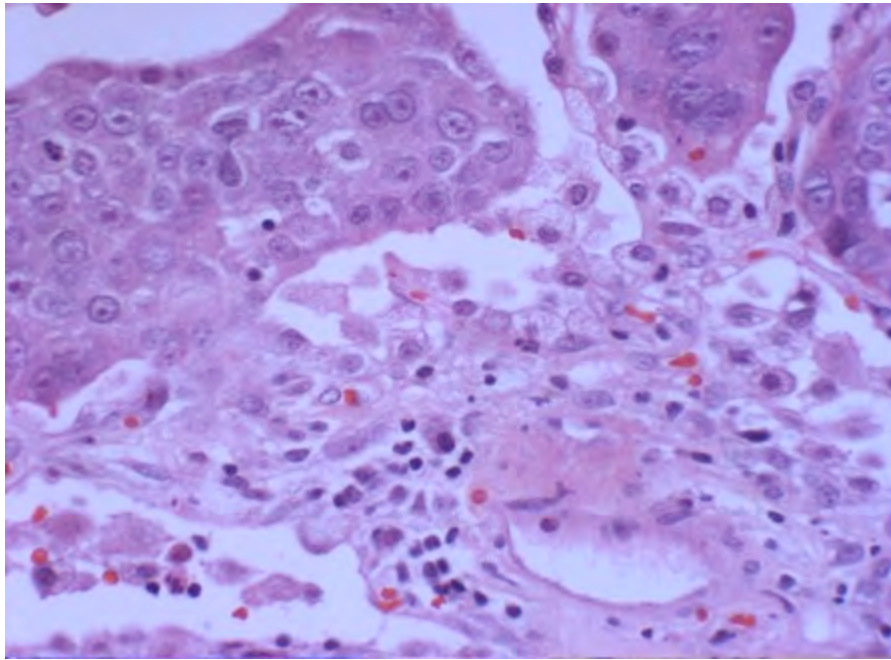


Dysplastic Bronchiole

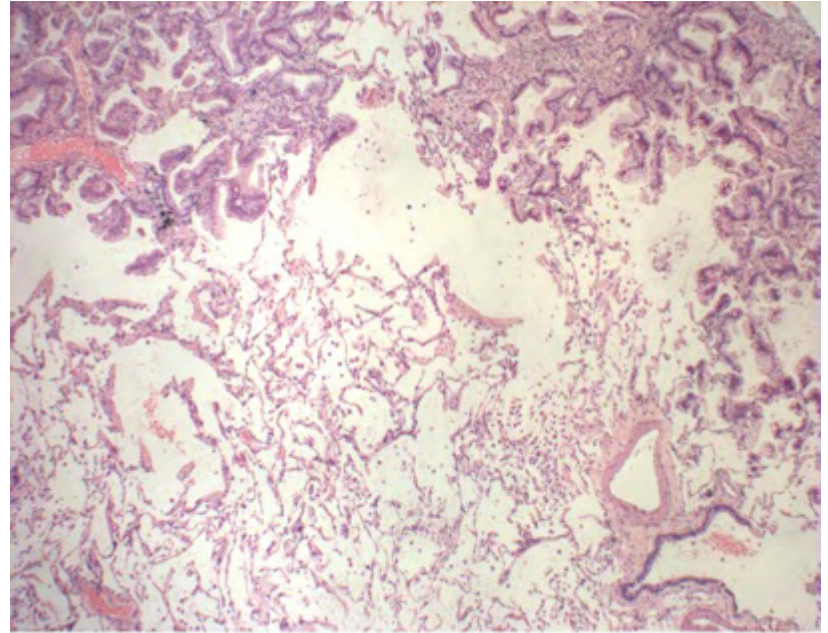


Invasion of carcinoma

Squamous carcinoma of lung

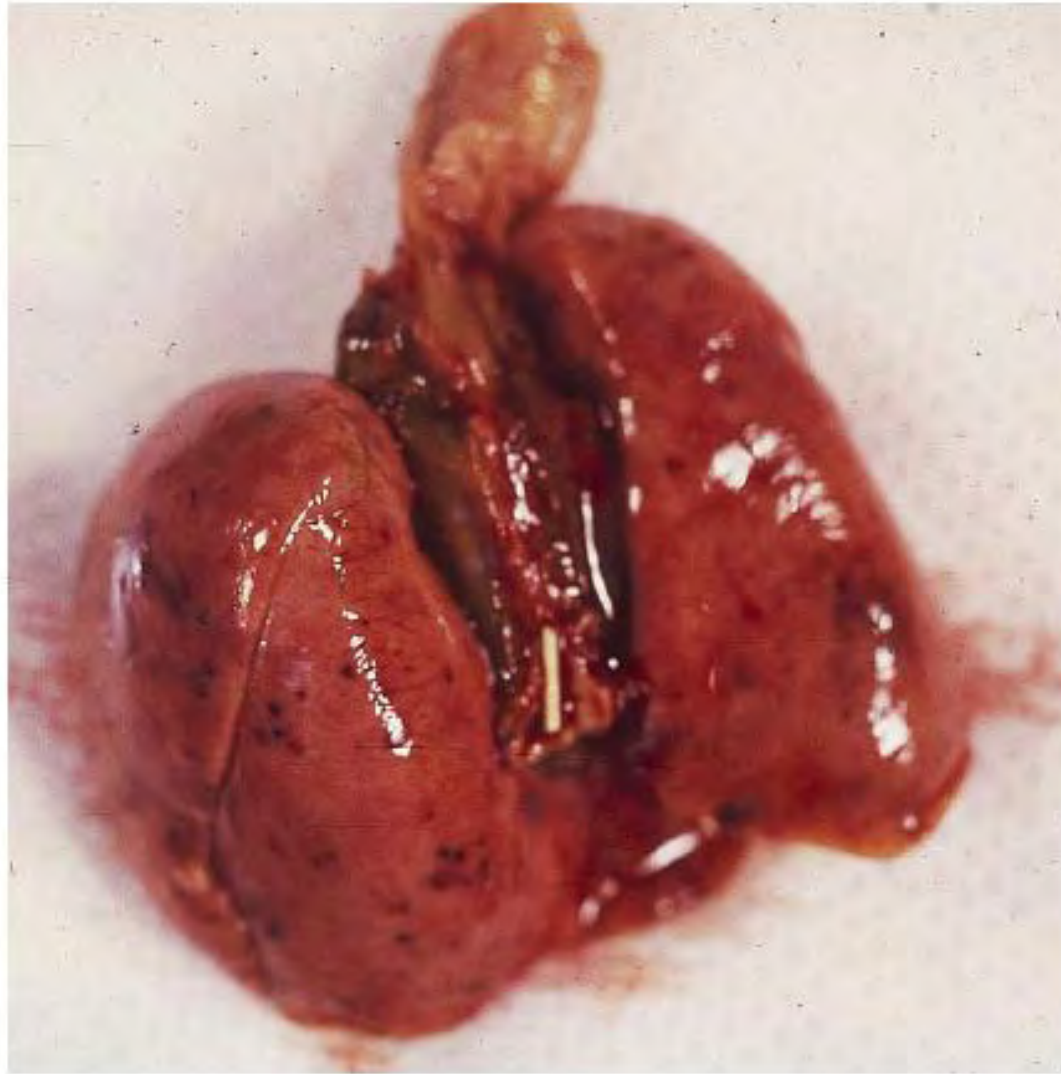


Adeno-carcinoma of lung

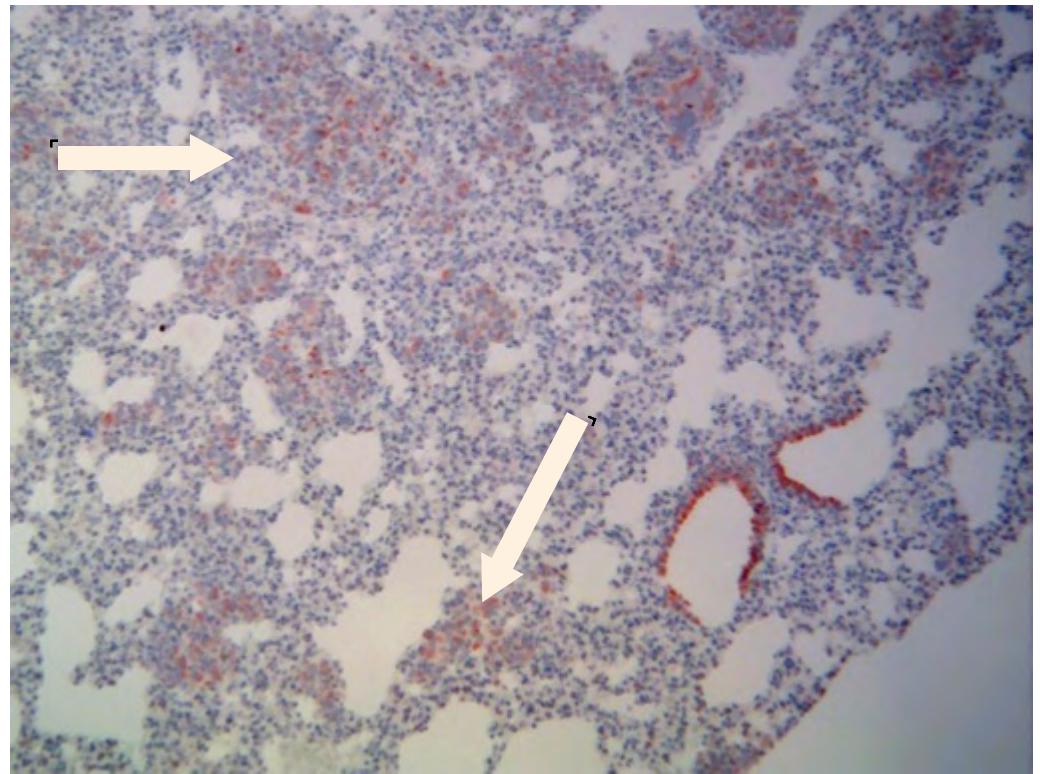
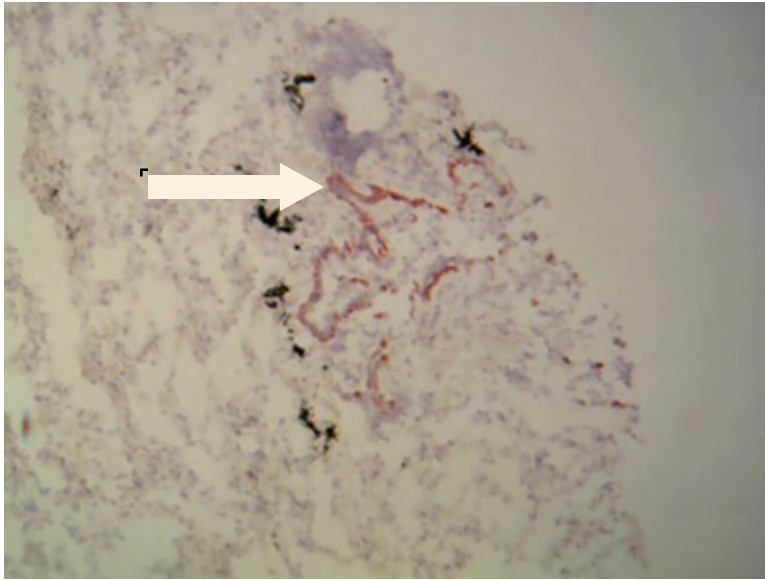


Small cell carcinoma of lung

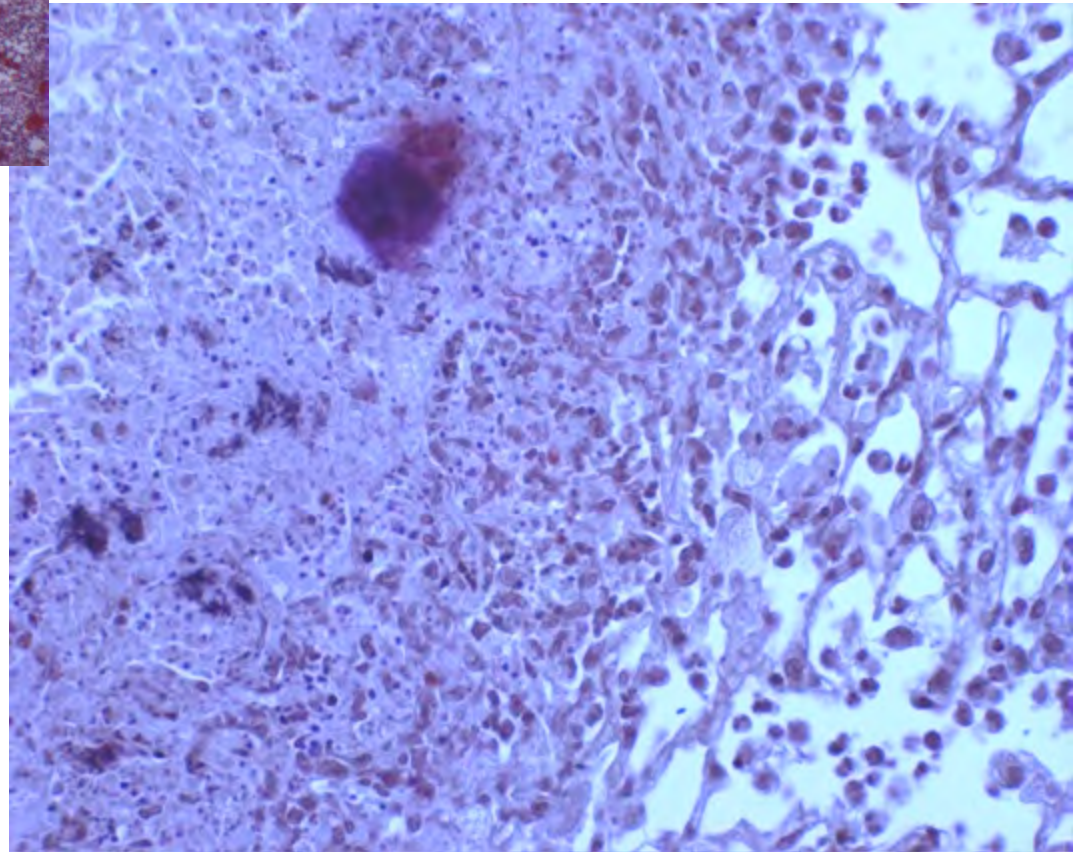
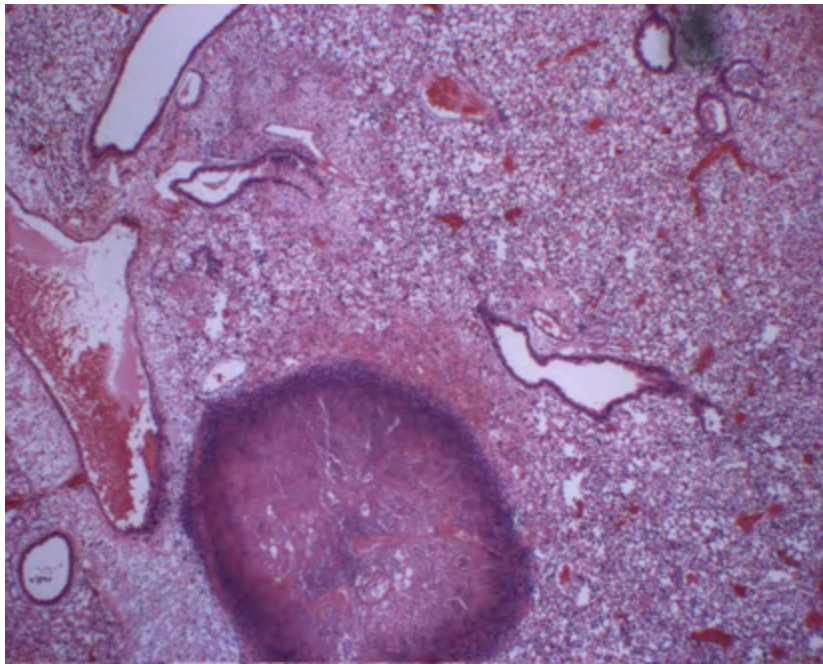
Large cell carcinoma of lung



**What are these nodules visible on the surface?**



Low magnification of anti-keratin on mouse lung showing endogenous positive control of bronchioles and The metastatic carcinoma is identified as the keratin positive cells



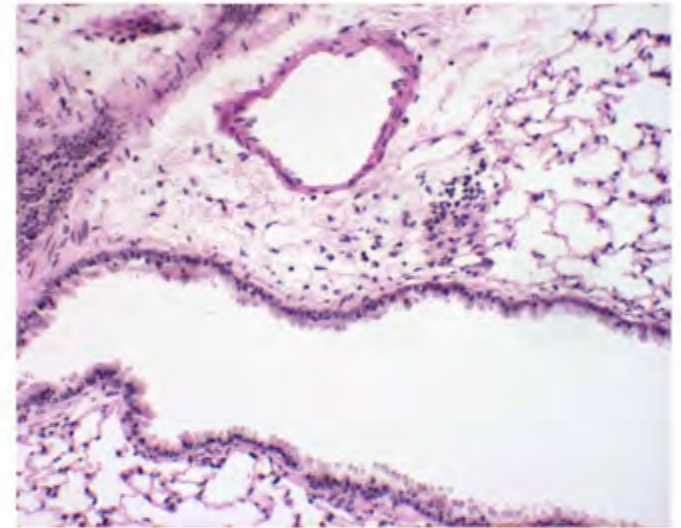
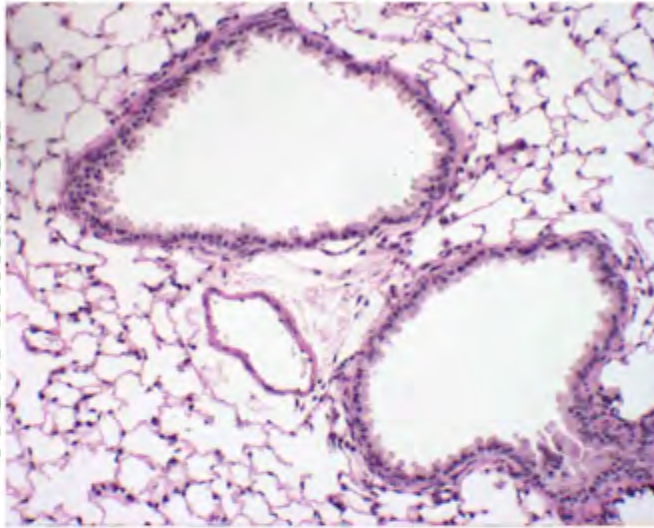
## **Lesion: Lung Abscess**

With necrotic center (dead cells, no nuclei with debris and inflammatory cell infiltrates

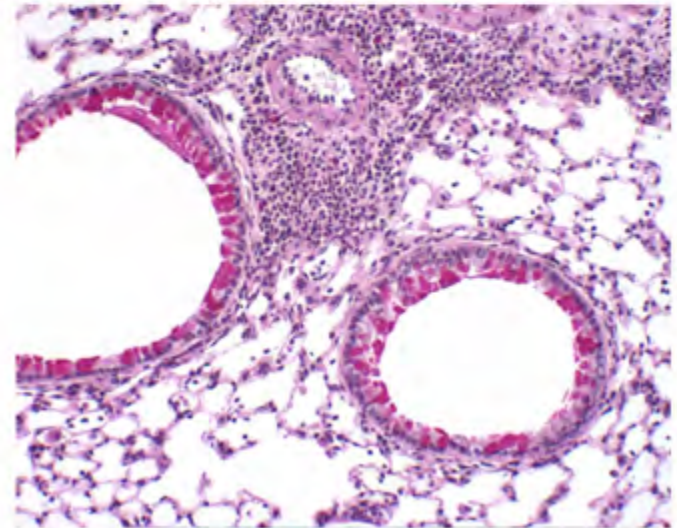
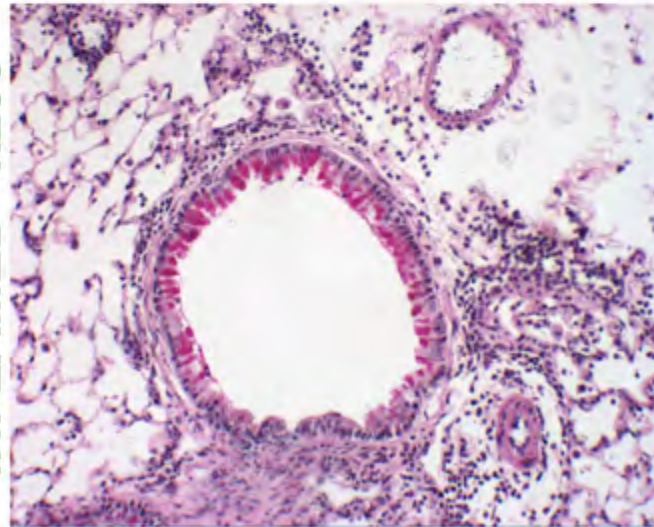
## Periodic Acid Schiff on paraffin sections of Mouse Lung

Mouse models of asthma induces inflammation. This induces the bronchial epithelial cells to make mucus.

**NON-Inflamed**

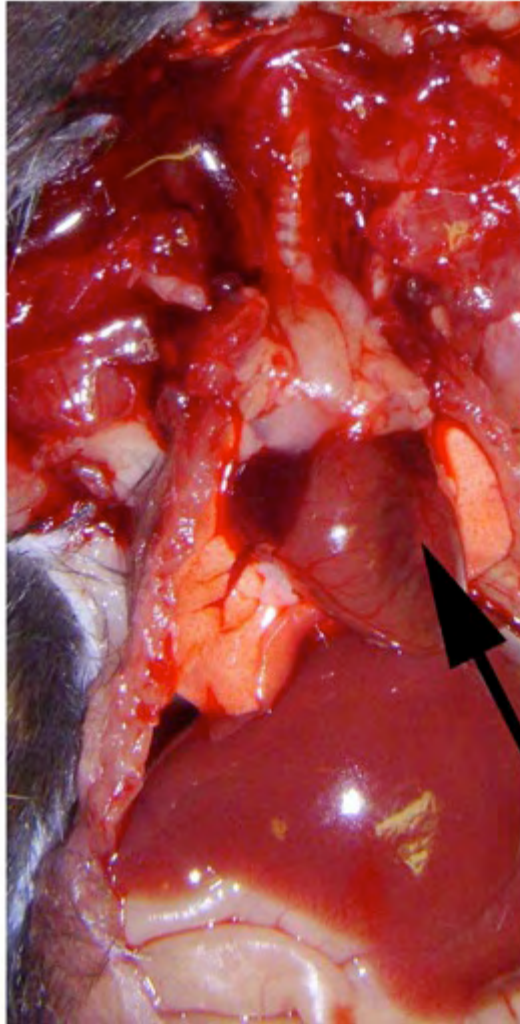


**INFLAMED x200**

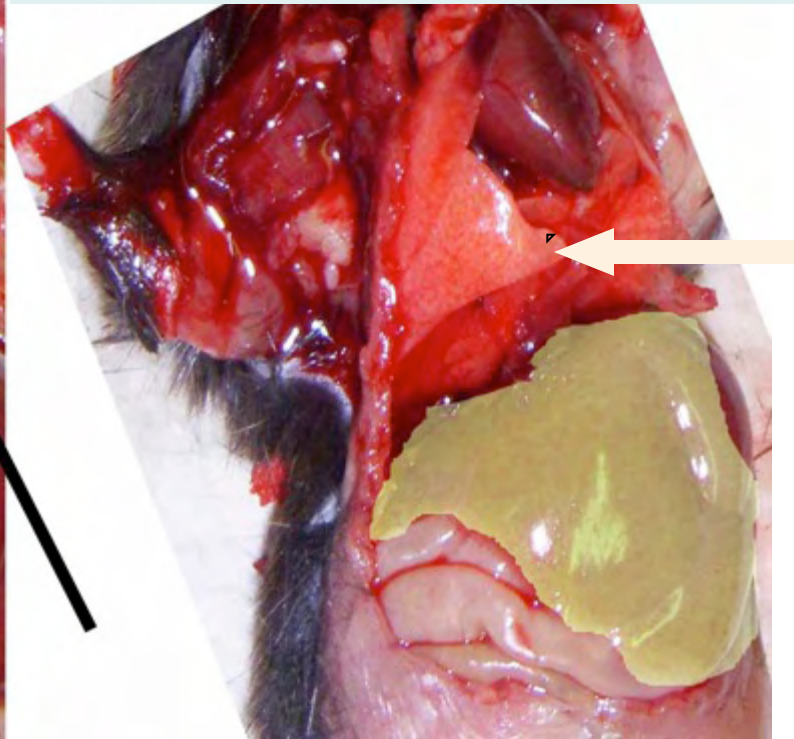


Unlike human lungs, there are no mucin secreting cells in mouse lung, unless they are inflamed.

## Inflation of mouse lungs via trachea



Insert needle of syringe into trachea, hold with clamps and inflate with PBS:OCT to Freeze or inflate with fixative to fix and then process into paraffin blocks



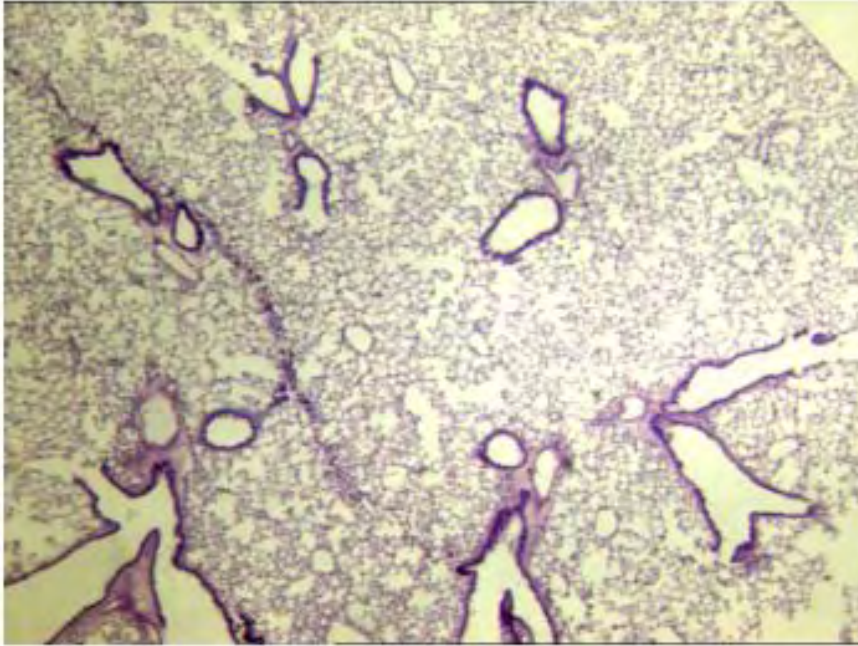
To inflate mouse lungs, Pass needle with filled syringe into trachea, hold on with a clamp, and slowly push fluid and watch lungs inflate. Hold on for about 30 seconds before releasing clamp, dissecting lungs away from thorax and proceed



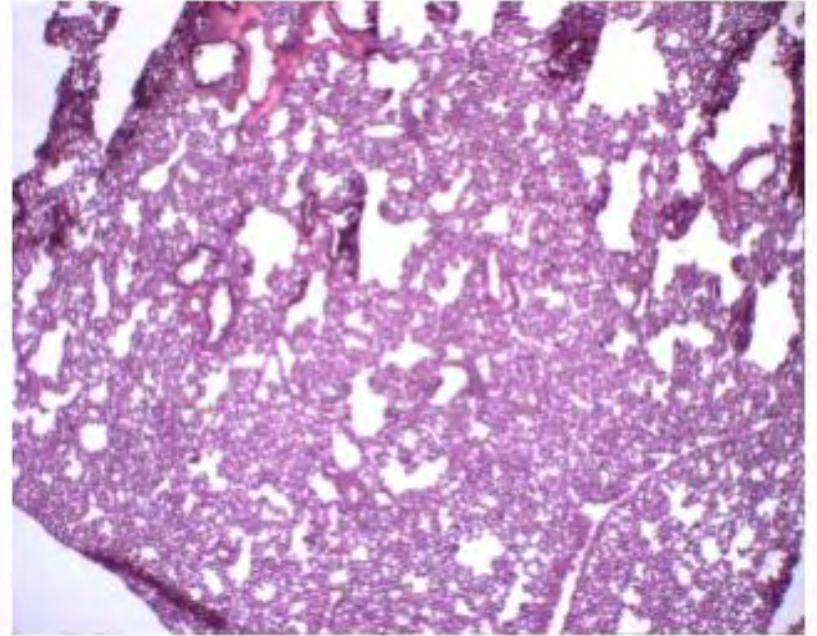
Mouse lungs before inflation are collapsed



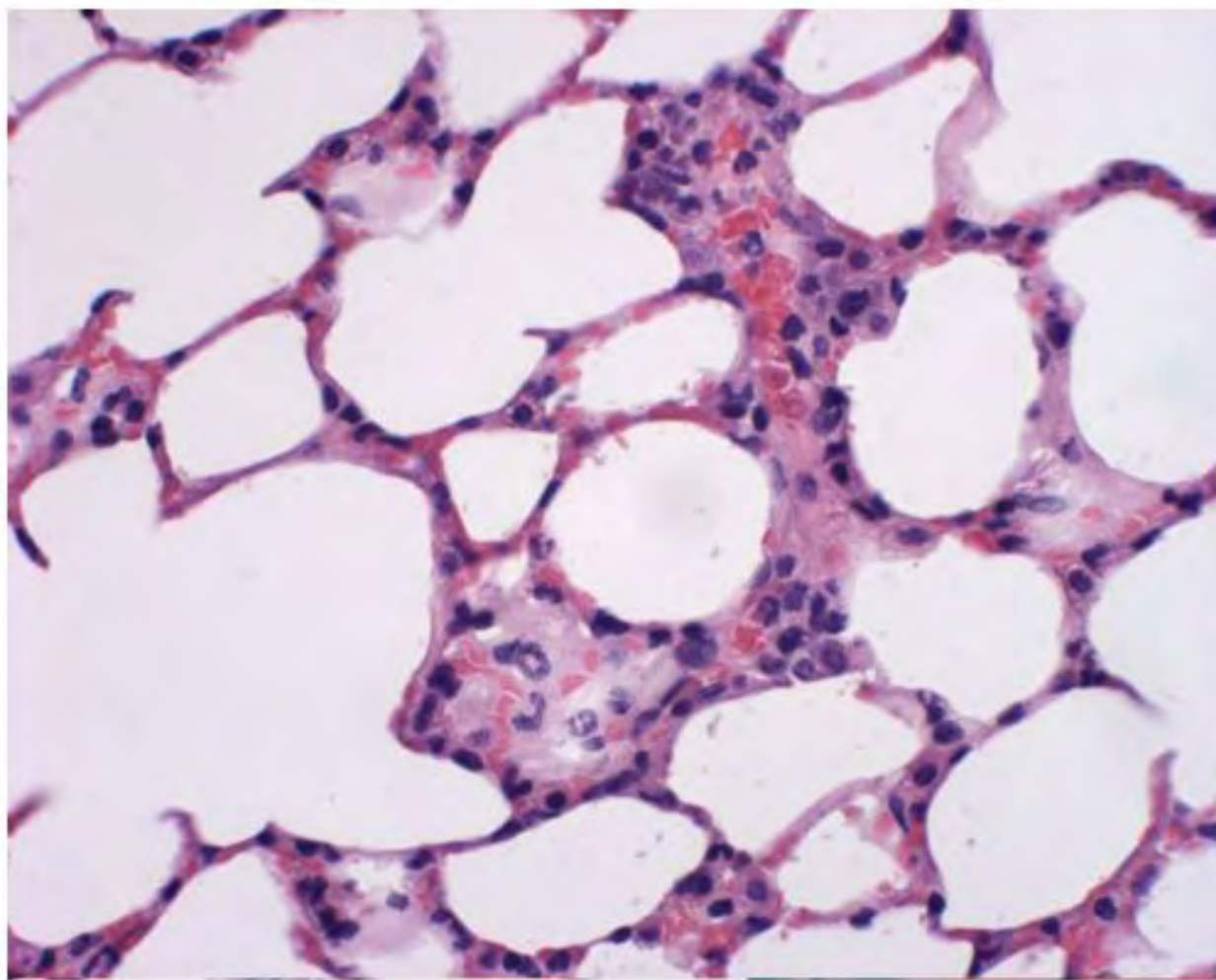
Mouse lungs after inflation



**OCT infiltrated lung prior to freezing**  
**Frozen section**  
**Good morphology**



**non-OCT infiltrated lung,**  
**Frozen section,**  
**poor morphology**



**Histology of early pneumonia**

## Processing of tissue :

Isolate cells for culture

Freeze for protein, lipid, sugar,  
DNA/RNA etc. extracts

Freeze for histology/histochemistry/  
& use for immunohistochemistry

Process into paraffin blocks

Process for EM

- Fix
- Dehydrate
- Infiltrate with xylene
- Infiltrate with hot paraffin wax
- Make blocks for sections
- Store at room temperature
- Deparaffinize sections by  
-reversing treatment in xylene,  
-alcohol and water

Dry ice in 2-methyl butane

OCT in plastic mold

Frozen or paraffin  
tissue can then be  
sectioned for histology  
3--30 micron sections

## Materials that are needed to freeze tissue for histology



## Fixatives



10% Neutral buffered formalin

Zinc formalin fixation requires special processing



Bouin's fixative is quick but it hardens tissues, if fixed for too long, so move specimens to 70% alcohol in 6 hours.

## FIXATIVES

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# What do you need to do to **freeze** FIXED tissue for histology?

If the animal has been **perfusion fixed** --the organs have to **SINK** (Descend to bottom of tube) in **30% sucrose**

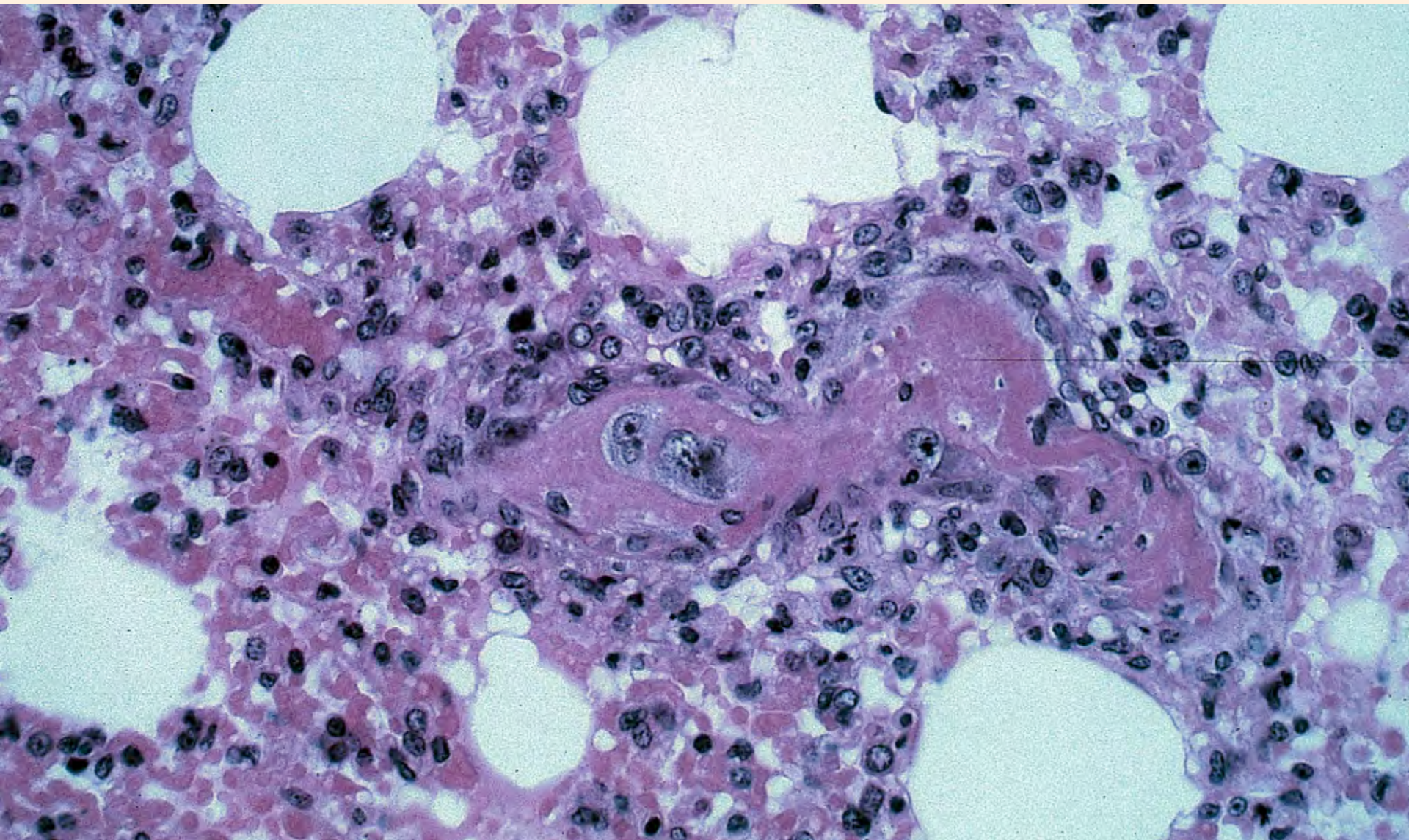
Before blotting well to remove extra sucrose, to **freeze** in **OCT** for histology examination

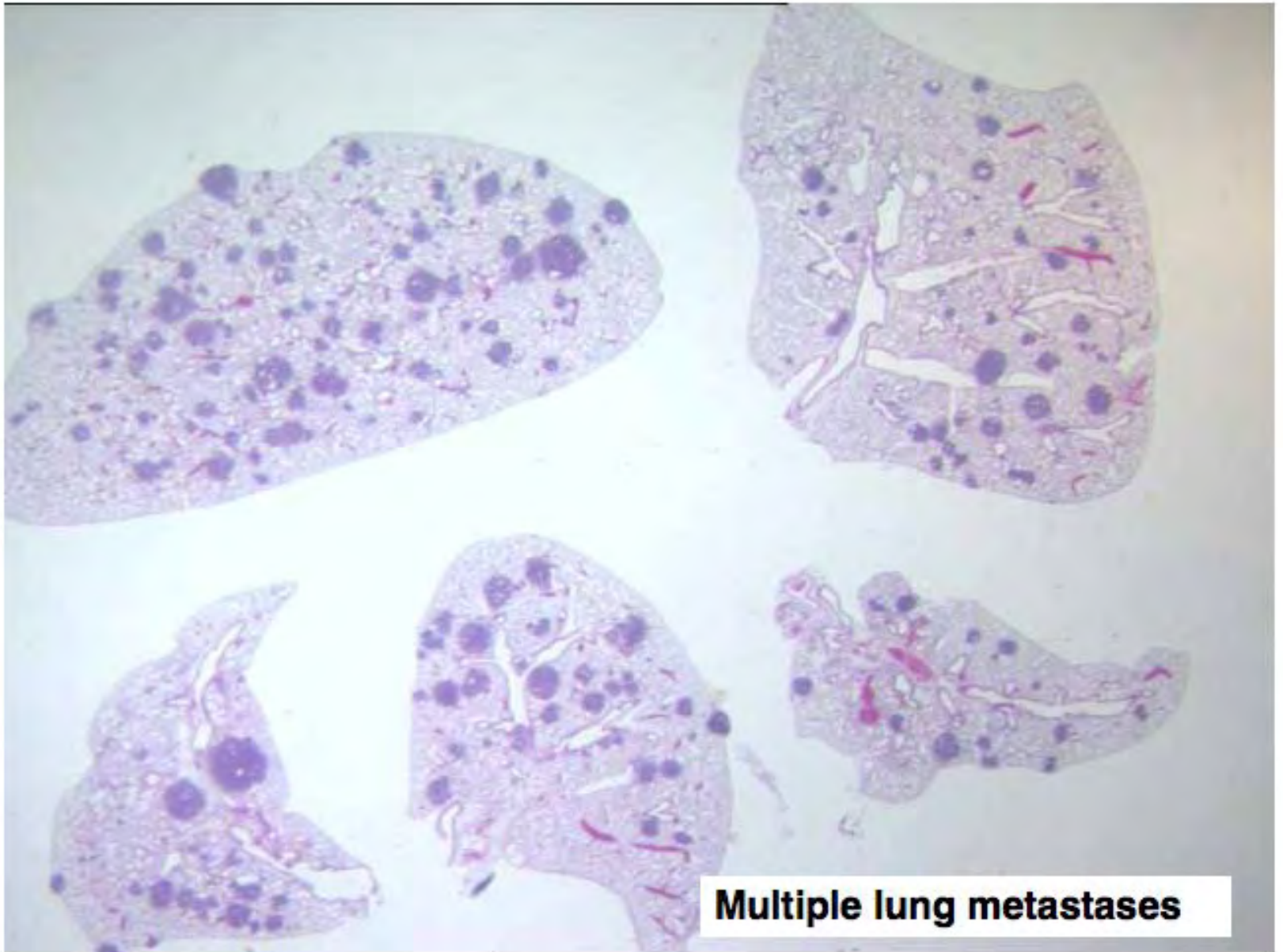


Materials that are needed to use to freeze tissue for histology



Invasion into blood vessels surrounding a malignant tumor, allows hematogenous seeding---can you identify the malignant cells?





**Multiple lung metastases**

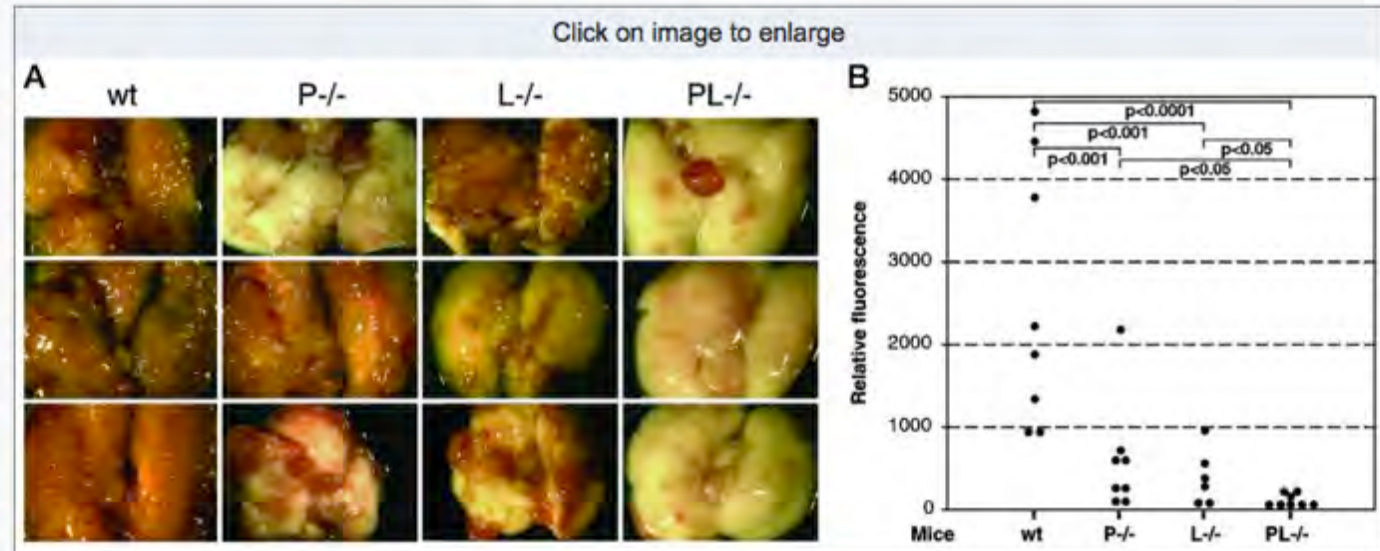
To detect the presence of metastatic malignant cells in the mouse lung:

-----IF GFP is the label used to tag the malignant cells, remove the lungs and extract using methods on the mouse pheno website and detect the fluorescence using a fluorescence plate reader.

To detect the presence of metastatic malignant cells of Human origin in the mouse lung:

Extract the lung and check for Human specific Alu sequences

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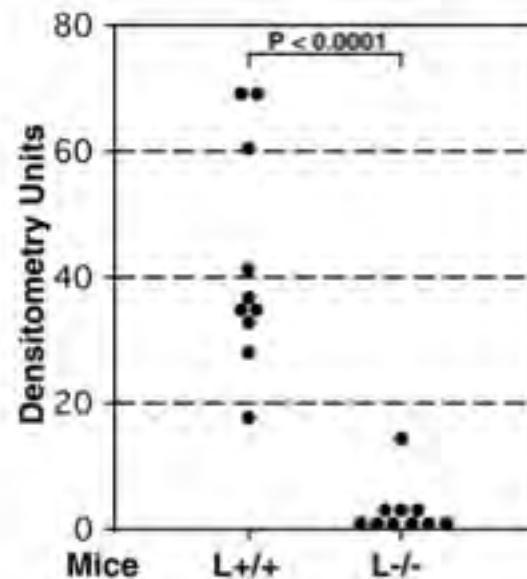
**Figure 4**

Effect of selectin deficiencies on the metastatic progression of MC-38 mouse adenocarcinoma cells. Mice were injected i.v. with  $2-3 \times 10^5$  MC-38-GFP cells and examined 22 days later. Lungs were dissected, photographed, and homogenized, and the homogenate was diluted for a fluorescence read-out. (A) Examples of dissected lungs from each mouse genotype. (B) Quantitation of metastasis by GFP fluorescence. All mice were in a syngeneic C57BL6 background. The number of animals studied were six to eight per group. Statistical significance was determined by the Bonferonni multiple compare test.

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To detect the presence of metastatic malignant cells of Human origin the Mouse lung:



## Lungs : Important points to remember

1. Must Inflate mouse lungs before freezing or fixing for histopathological examination in order to examine the different cell types in the lung.
2. Keratin positive epithelial cells line bronchi and bronchioles and alveoli
3. Endothelial cells line the abundant capillaries in the alveolar walls (CD31 small vessels, or vWF --large)
4. Lymphatics that travel adjacent to the vessels--LyVe1
5. Plenty of Alveolar macrophages--F480 (CD68)
6. There are wandering lymphocytes and monocytes in the capillaries--CD45

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# Frozen sections and zinc fixed paraffin sections for IHC

Table 2. *Antigen survival*

| Fixative             | Antigens |     |     |     |      |
|----------------------|----------|-----|-----|-----|------|
|                      | CD1      | CD4 | CD7 | CD8 | CD19 |
| Frozen sections      | +        | +   | +   | +   | +    |
| ZnCl                 | +        | +   | +   | +   | +    |
| Zn acetate           | +        | +   | +   | +   | +    |
| ZnCl and Zn acetate  | +        | +   | +   | +   | +    |
| NBF                  | 0        | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0    |
| Z-fix                | 0        | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0    |
| 1% paraform          | 0        | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0    |
| 4% paraform          | 0        | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0    |
| 40% ethanol          | 0        | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0    |
| Optimal fix          | 0        | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0    |
| Prefer fix           | 0        | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0    |
| Quanta fix           | 0        | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0    |
| STF                  | 0        | 0   | 0   | 0   | 0    |
| B*5 without formalin | +        | +   | +   | +   | +    |

<http://www.jove.com/video/2966/diagnostic-necropsy-selected-tissue-sample-collection-rats>