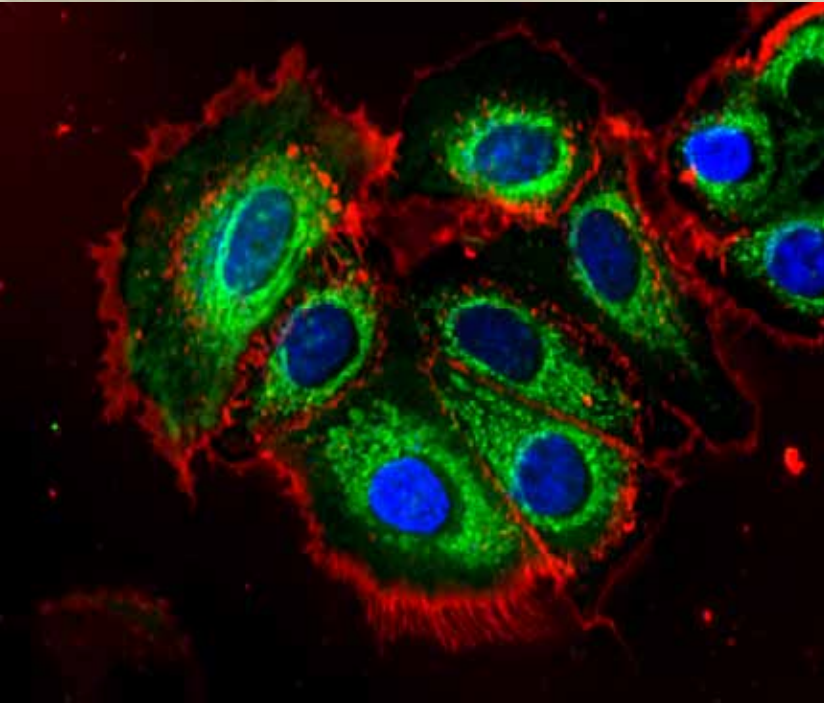
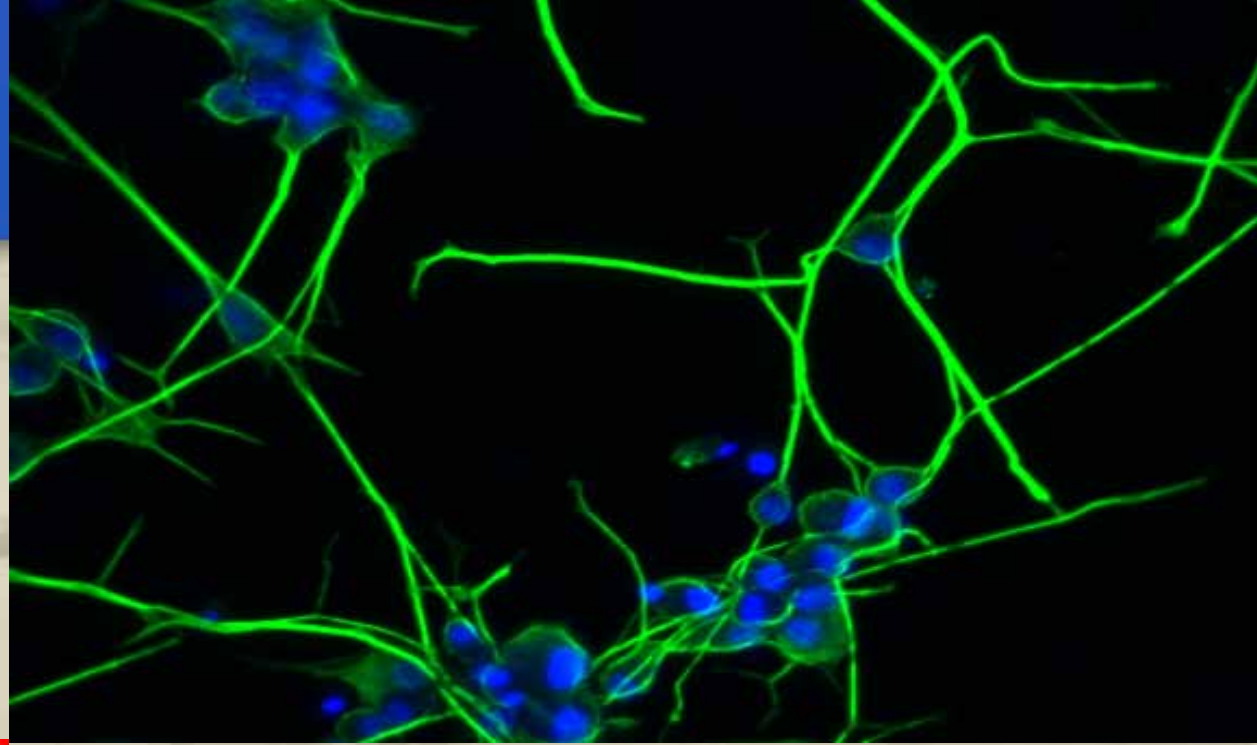


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**Development of cellular assays
for automated microscopy to
measure multiple parameters by
single cell high content analysis**



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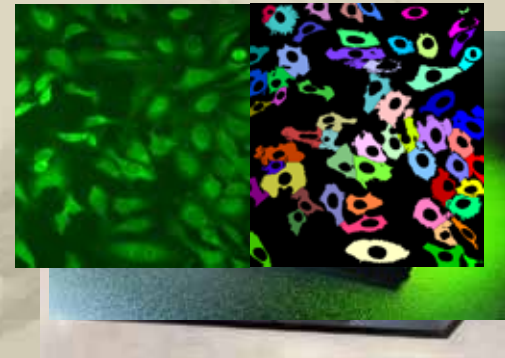
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BD Flow Cytometry

BD Bioimaging

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- High content
- Flow cytometers
- Analysis software
- Biospecific reagents
- Bioimaging analyzers
- Cell transduction reagents



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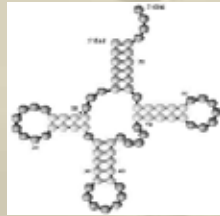
Instrumentation has Enabled the Scaling and Automation of Biology

Increasing Complexity

Genome
(DNA)



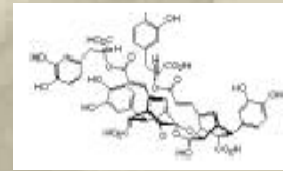
Transcriptome
(RNA)



Proteome



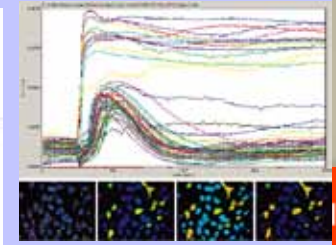
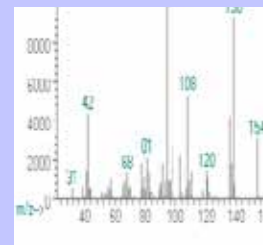
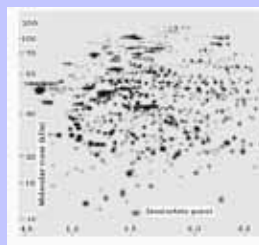
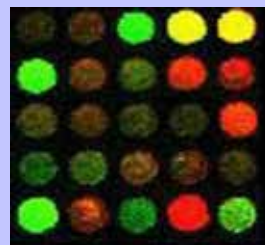
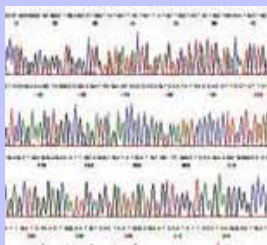
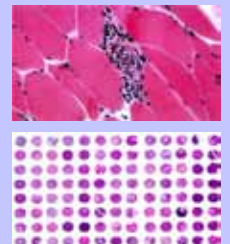
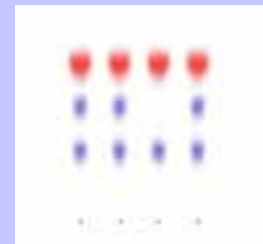
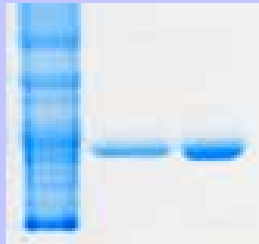
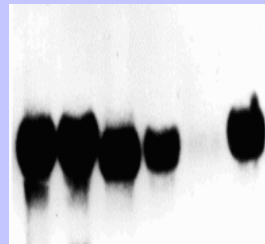
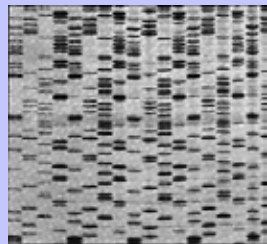
Metabolome
Physiome



Cell/Tissue/System/Organism



Scaling



The Problem we want to address:

- Biological and medical applications (e.g. Nanoscience)

• Test

• Knowledge

• Product



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The Problem we want to address:

- Test in Biological models :
 - Healthy organism
 - Disease models

à Microscopy -> Pictures -> Data

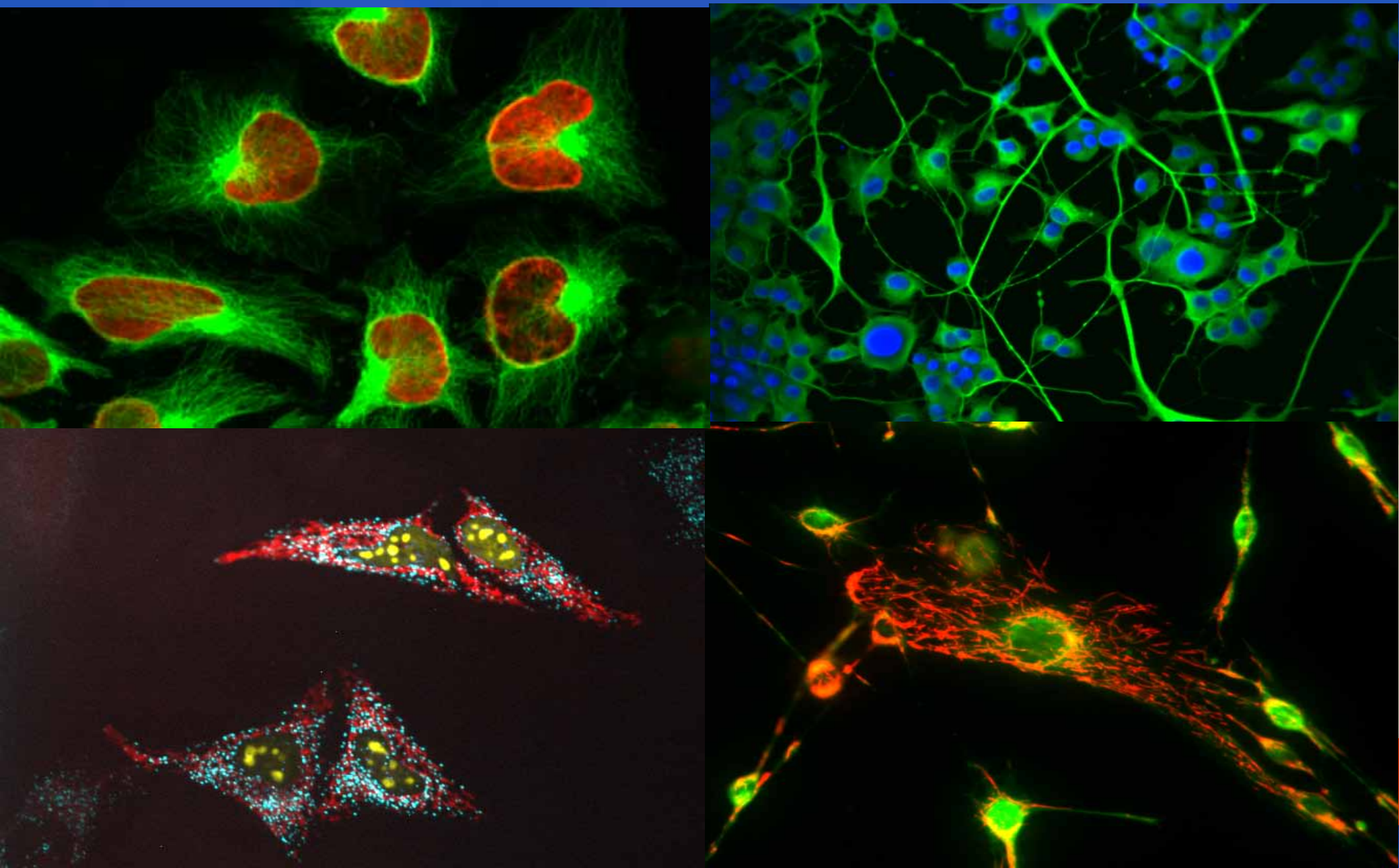
- Problem:
Time consuming repetitive work

- Solution:
automated
microscopy and
High Content
Analysis

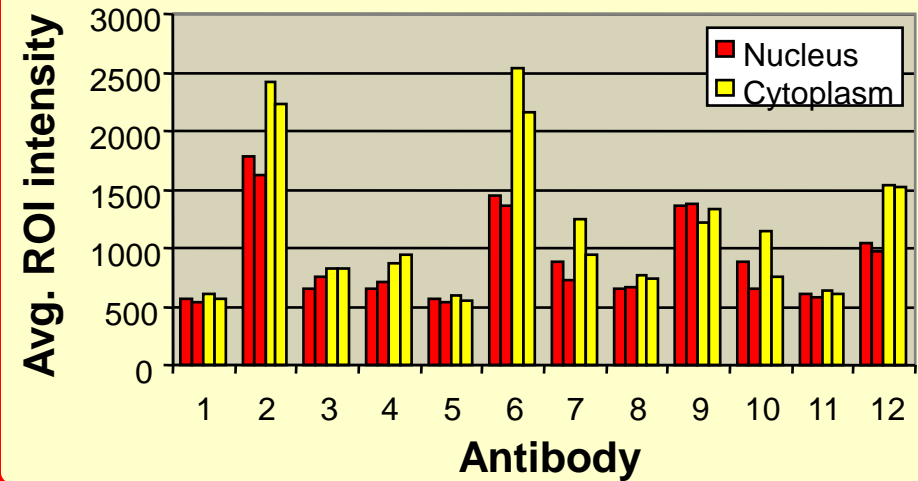
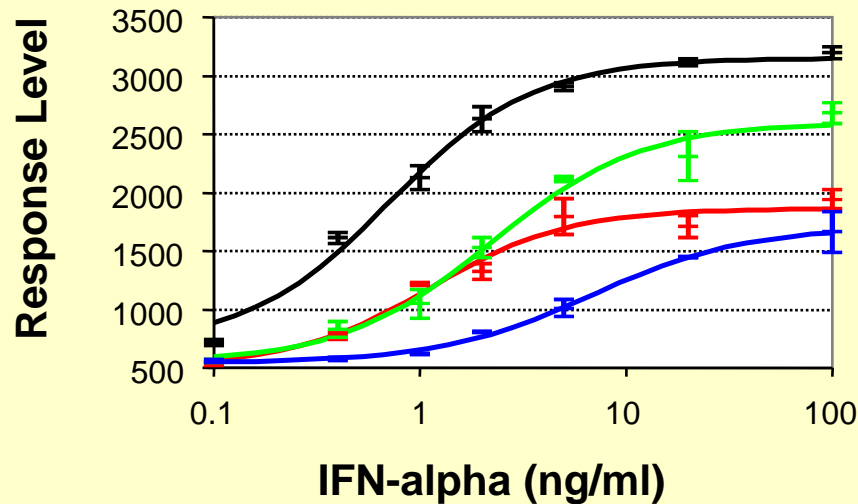


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Goal: to automatically acquire images of multiplexed assays and...



...to turn such images into meaningful data

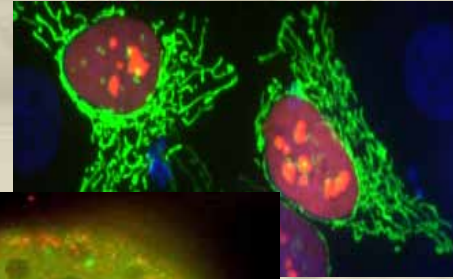


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Bioimaging- Certified
Reagents
Biol. Models and Kits

The High Content Imaging Process and BD Bioimaging Portfolio



$Z' > 0.5$
Secure
Hit Identification

BD Pathway Bioimager 855 +435
-optimized image quality
-stage precision
-versatile autofocus
-signal/noise stability + speed

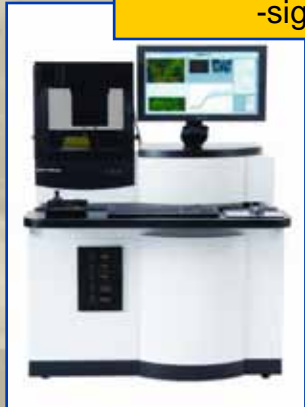
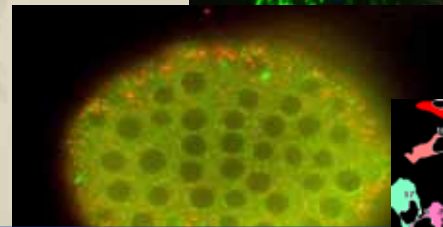
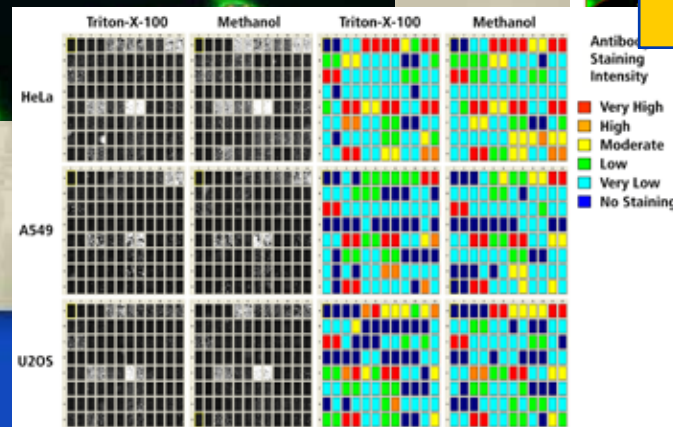
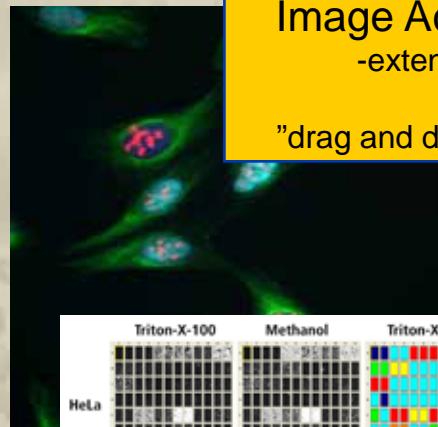
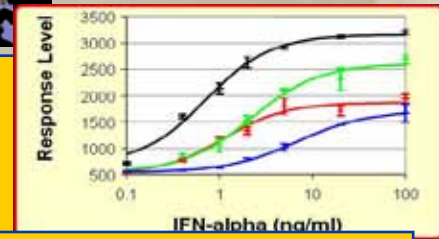


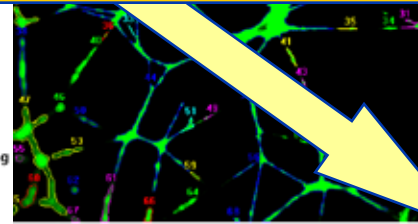
Image Acquisition software
-extensive normalisation
-multiplexing
"drag and drop" assay development



HCA ImageAnalysis
-multiple algorithms
-automated object finding



BD Data explorer
-Parameter Selection
-Validation

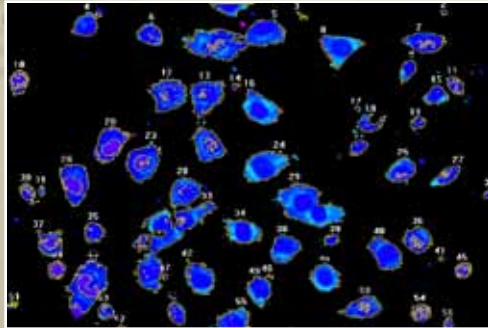


High Content Image Analysis

- **1.Step:** Automatic **acquisition** of images of cultures, tissues or whole organisms.
- **2.Step** Heart of automated analysis is **object detection** = finding the single cells or other structures automatically in the image
- **3.Step:** Extraction of information from these objects: intensities, distribution and morphology of multiple fluorescent labels

BD Pathway™ Bioimager: 1. Assays

General Assay Categories: functional classification

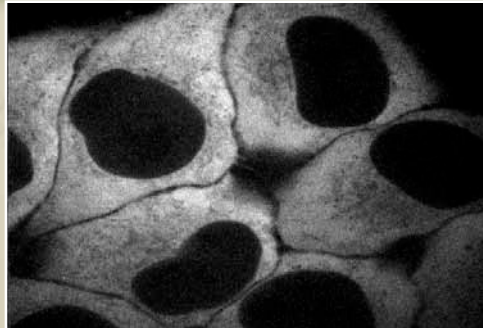


Fluorescence intensity change

Examples:

- Calcium flux
- Phosphorylation
- Protein expression
- Protein degradation
- Image cytometry

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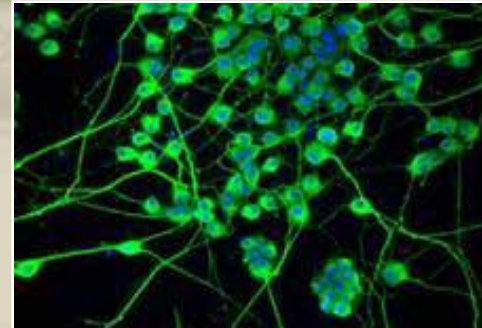


Fluorescence distribution

Examples:

- Cytoplasm to nucleus (e.g. NFkB)
- Cytoplasm to plasma membrane (e.g. PKCa)
- Plasma membrane to organelle (e.g. Transfluor GPCR)
- Receptor internalization
- Protein co-localization

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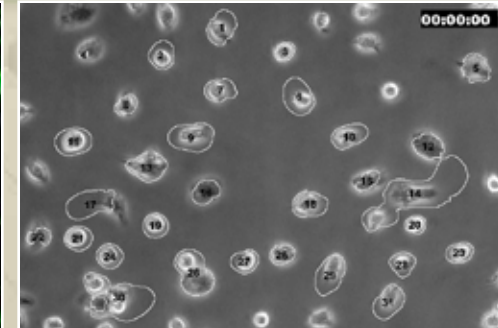


Morphology

Examples:

- Neurite outgrowth
- Angiogenesis
- Cell differentiation
- Apoptosis

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Movement

Examples:

- Chemotaxis/migration
- Wound healing
- Metastasis/invasion
- Migration, Tracking
- Cell division
- Rounding

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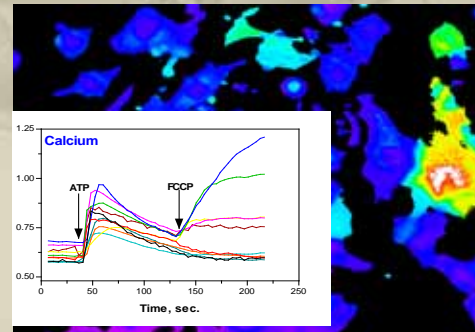
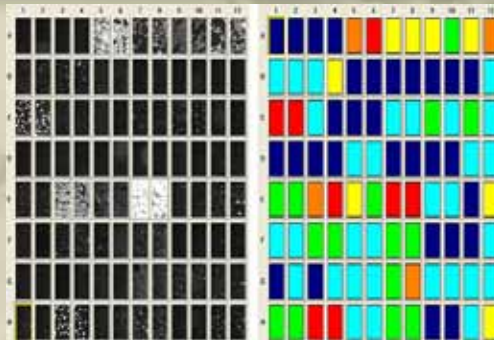


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BD Pathway™ Bioimagers: 2. Assays

General Assay classification based on protocol



Endpoint Assays

Examples:

- Chemotaxis/migration
- Wound healing
- Metastasis/invasion
- Translocation
- Protein expression
- Whole organism (e.g. Zebrafish)
- ADME/Tox.
- Angiogenesis
- Neurite Outgrowth

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Kinetic Assays

Examples:

- Calcium flux
- FRET
- Phosphorylation
- Protein expression
- Protein degradation
- Image cytometry
- Tracking
- Differentiation
- Membrane potential

2

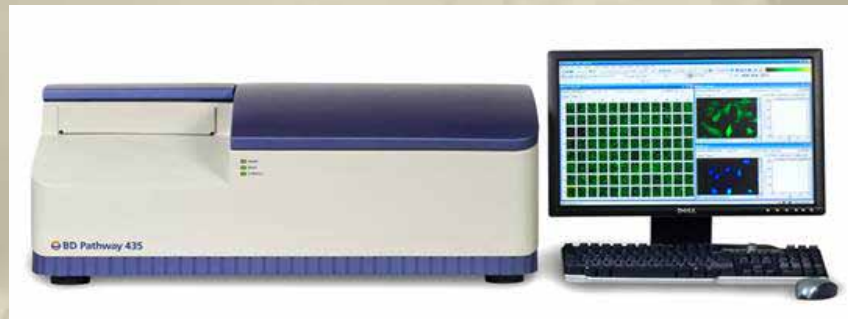


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The BD Bioimaging Portfolio

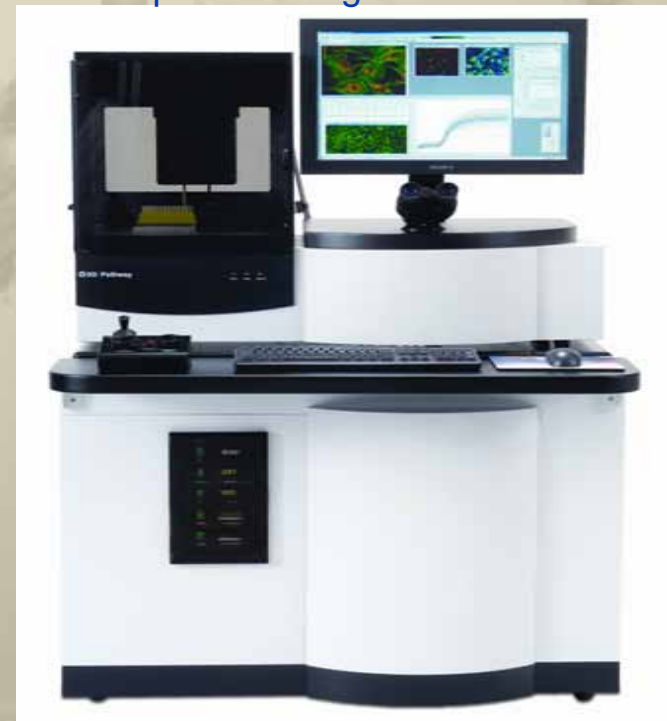
Pathway 435

High-performance, full spectrum [confocal] automated imager with powerful image analysis software



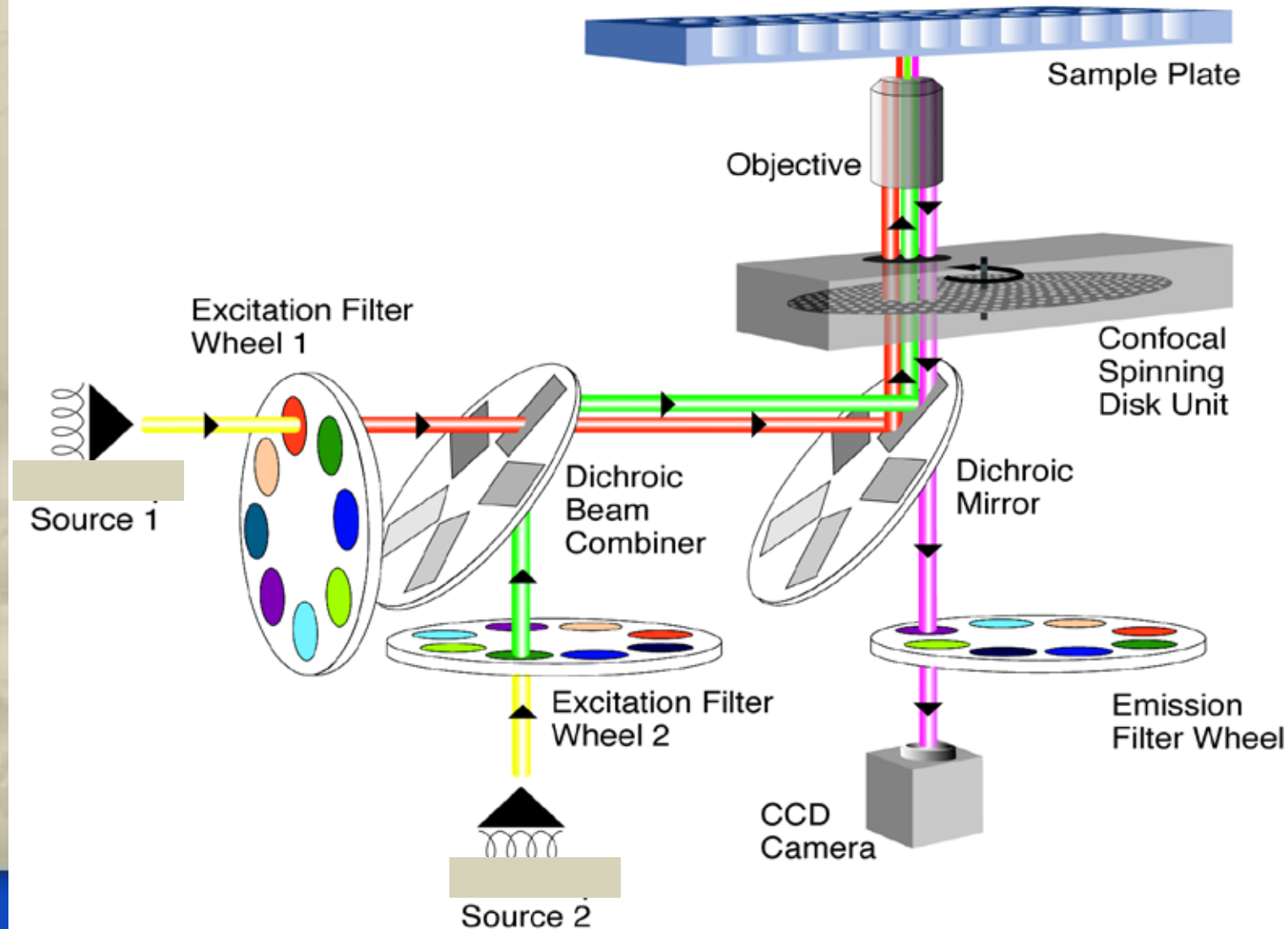
Pathway 855

The ultimate flexible live-cell kinetic system with environmental control and liquid handling



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BD Pathway™ 855 Bioimager: 1. Hardware



3. Examples for Applications

3.1. Endpoint assays

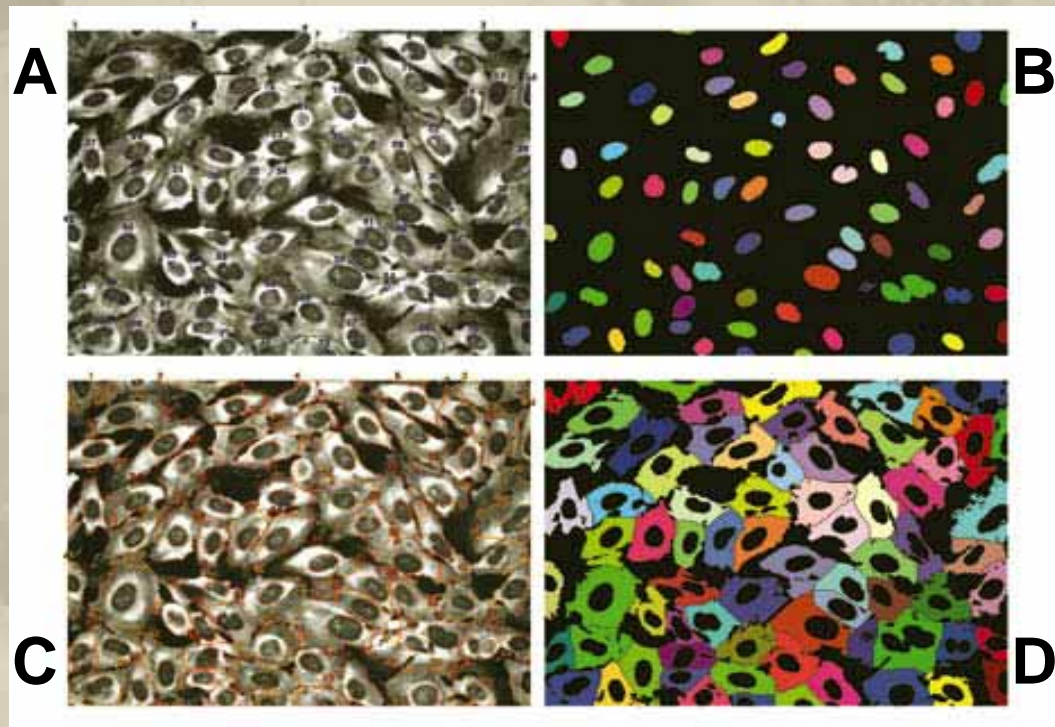


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Assay Examples:

Screening Antibodies for their suitability to use them in Cell Based Assays



Examples of segmentation of the fluorescent signal into specific regions of interest (ROIs), corresponding to the nucleus (A) and cytoplasm (C).

Panels B and D show the corresponding segmentation masks.

Representative images from a purified antibody screen using FITC goat anti-mouse IgG second step reagent



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Bioimaging Certified Reagents

5 Product Groups

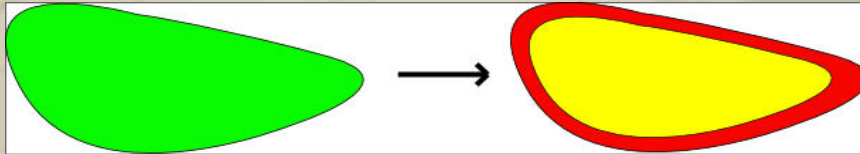
- Unlabeled Primary Antibodies – hundreds of specificities in the areas of cell cycle, apoptosis, signal transduction, cancer, stem cells, neurobiology...
- Directly Conjugated Antibodies – growing subset of Abs
 - Many specificities available in 2-3 colors
 - Enables high-level multiplexing, reduces processing time and steps
- Kits - Pre-qualified reagents and protocols
- Fluorescent Protein Organelle and Cell Structure Vectors
- Imaging Plates
 - Thin bottom multi-well, plates for optimal image quality



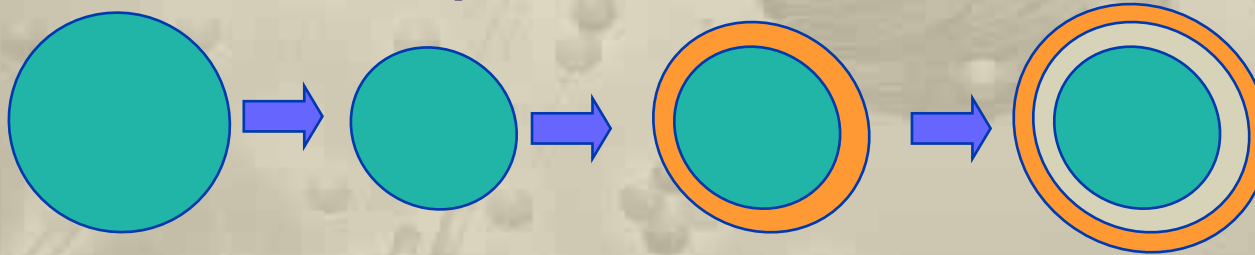
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BD Pathway 855: Examples for Applications AttoVision 1.6 new Segmentation Options

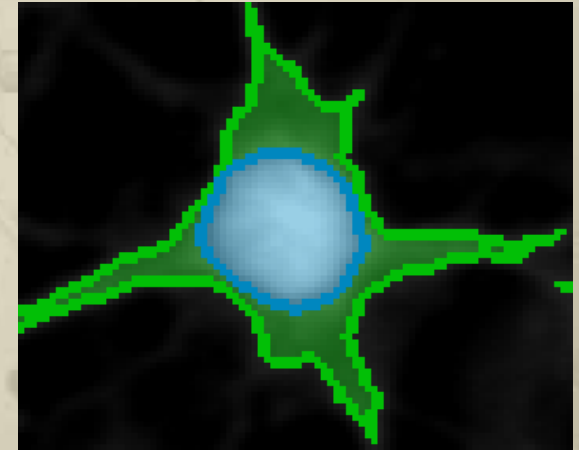
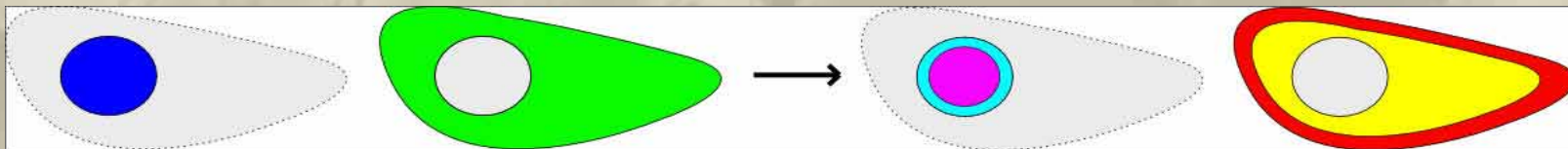
- Membrane Segmentation**



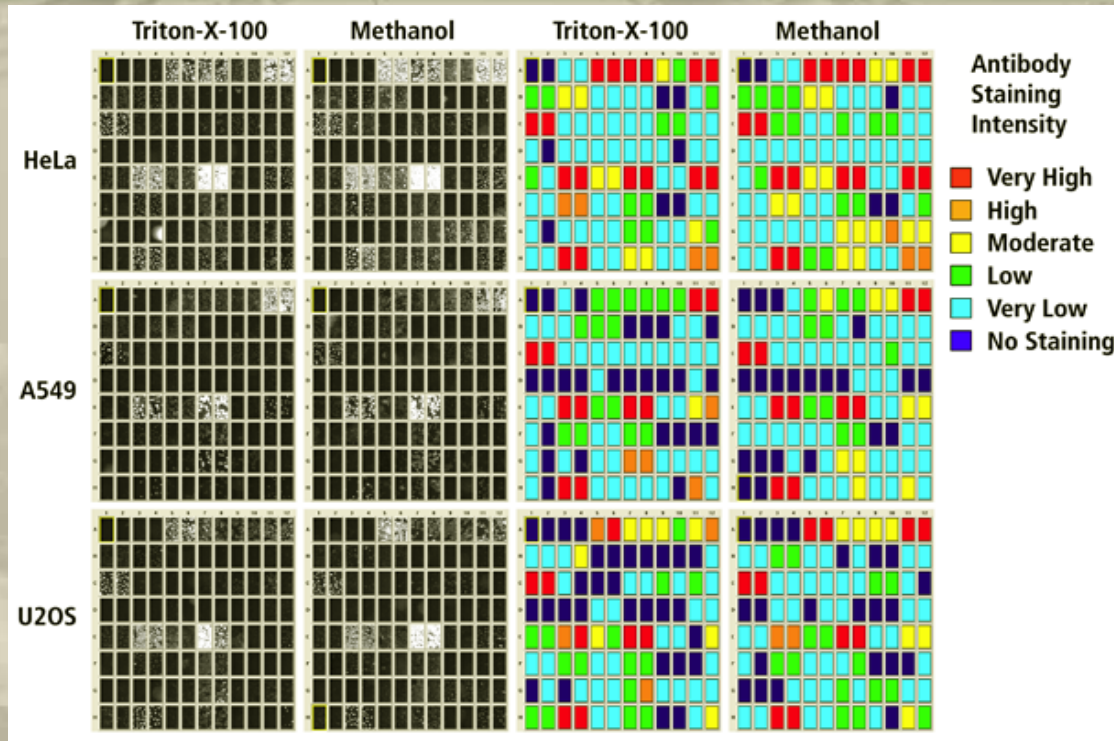
- Translocation Gap**



- Membrane Segmentation + Cytoplasm + Nucleus**



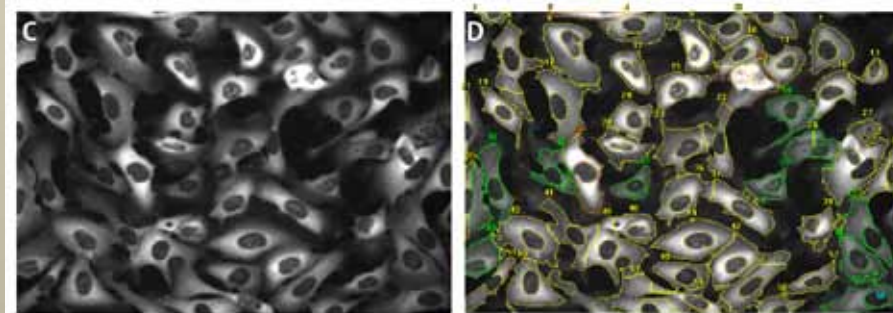
Application Examples: Screening Antibodies for use in Cell Based Assays



Representative data from a 47 antibody screen in six 96 well plates

Full automation allows rapid evaluation of:

- Multiple Antibodies
- Various fixation & permeabilization methods
- Antibody dilution
- Saving large amounts of time & increasing productivity



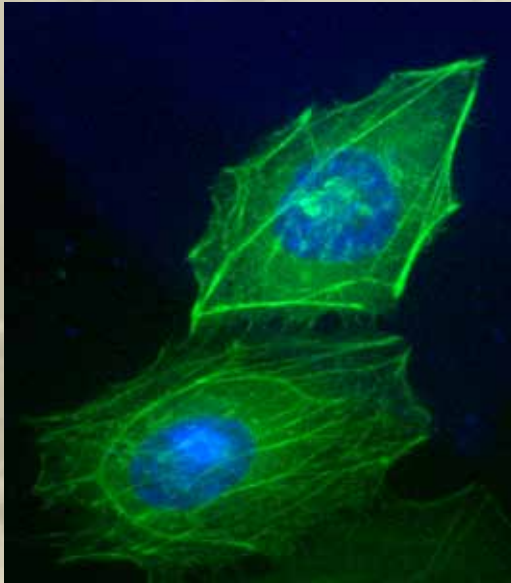
Antibody screening data classified for intensity of cytoplasmic staining using 6 user-defined intensity levels. Cells are color-coded by the software based on their classification level, wells are classified based on the percentage of cells – a “moderate” well is shown



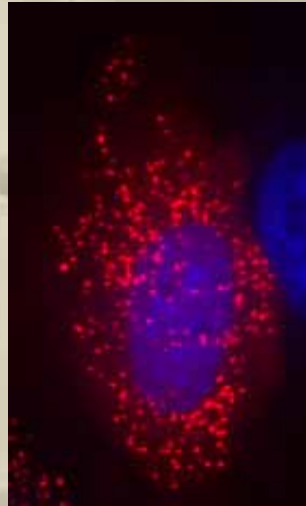
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Representative Images

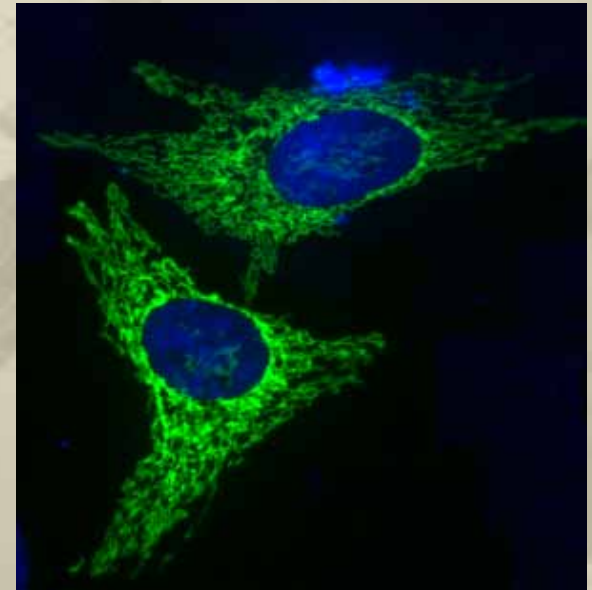
Actin



Peroxisomes



Mitochondria



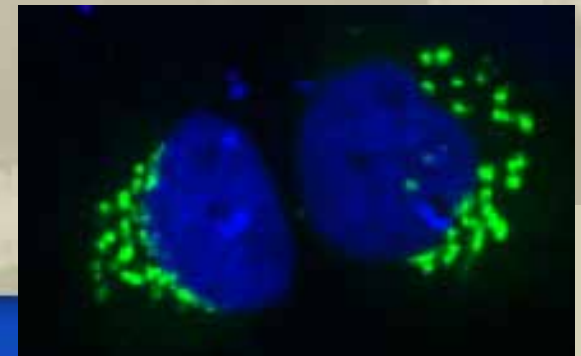
Nucleus



Endoplasmic reticulum



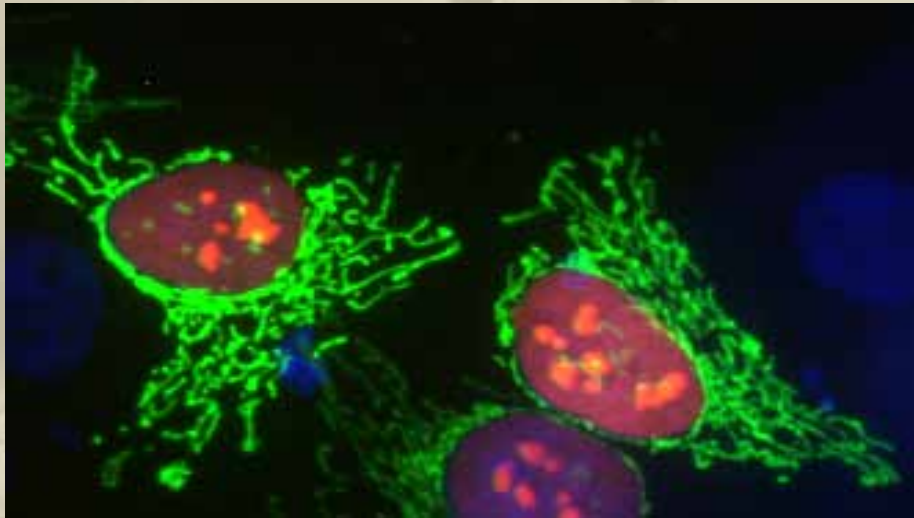
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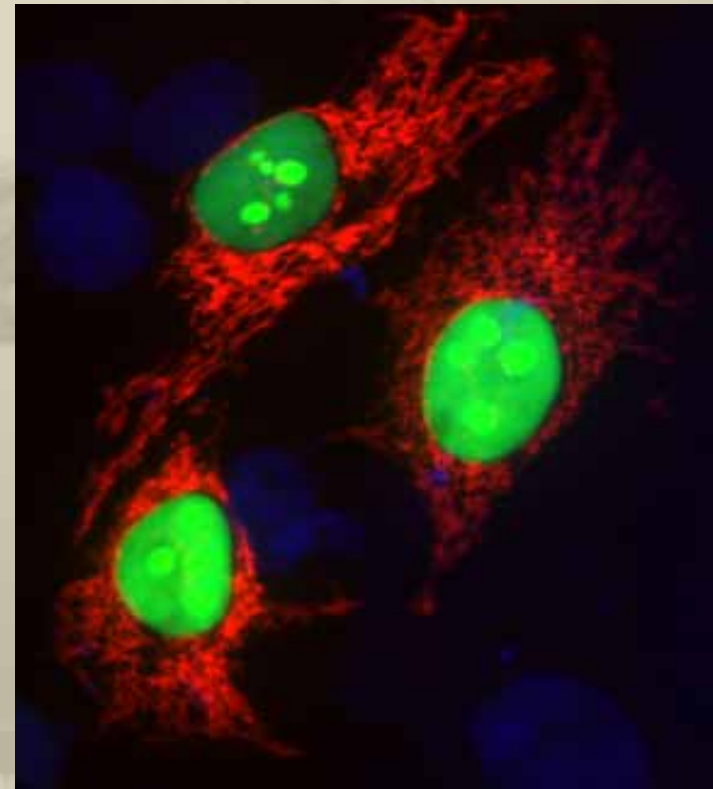
Transfected using FuGENE® 6 Transfection Reagent

Dual FP Transfectants

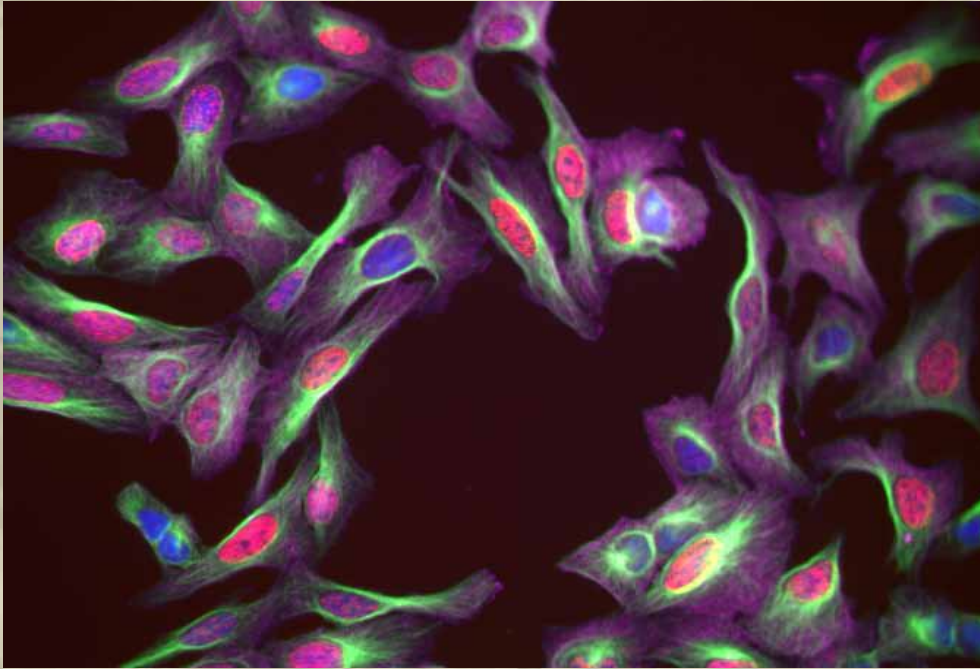
Red nucleus – green mitochondria



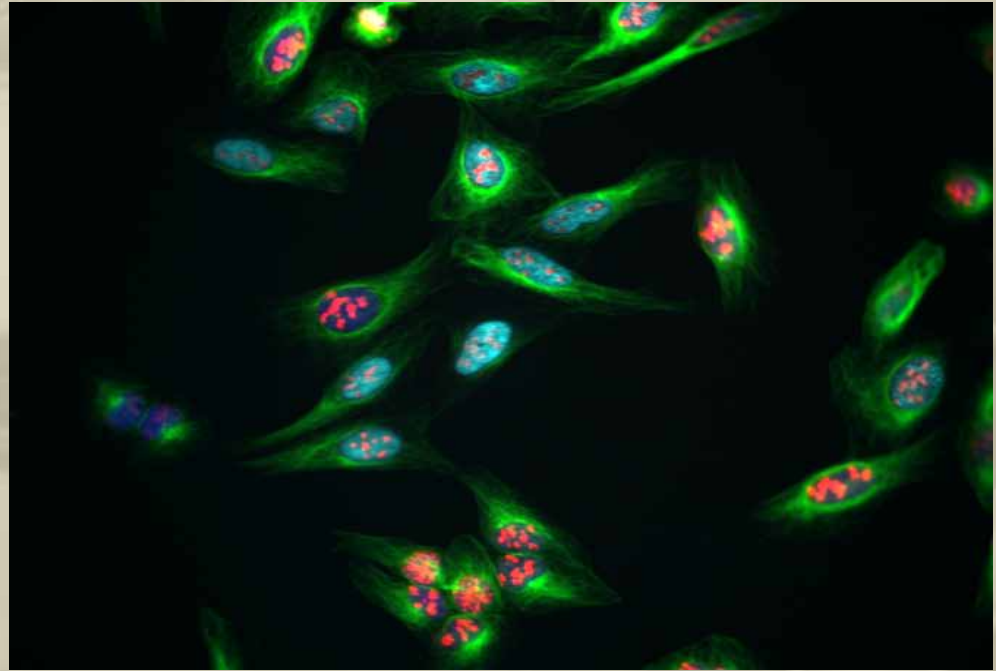
Green nucleus – red mitochondria



Multiplexing with Direct Conjugates



BrdU Alexa 488 (Red)
Actin Alexa 555 (Purple)
 β -tubulin Alexa 647 (Green)
Hoechst (Blue)



BrdU Alexa 488 (Cyan)
Ki-67 Alexa 555 (Red)
 β -tubulin Alexa 647 (Green)
Hoechst (Blue)

Selected Cell Cycle and Cell Morphology Markers

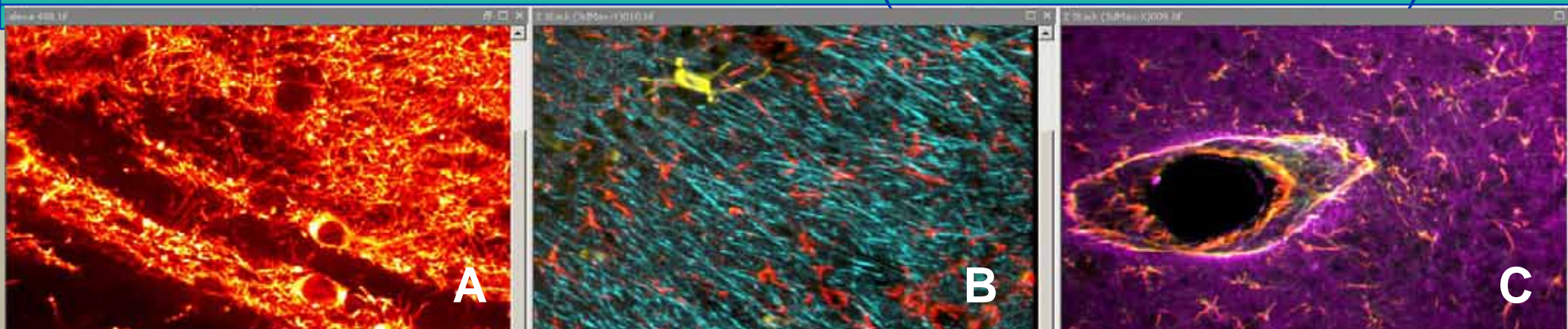


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BD Pathway 435 and 855: Examples for Applications high resolution confocal imaging



P12 cells differentiated with NGF (Hoechst + beta Tubulin)



Rat brain tissue stained with MAP2 (A), GFAP+MAP2+nNOS (B and C)



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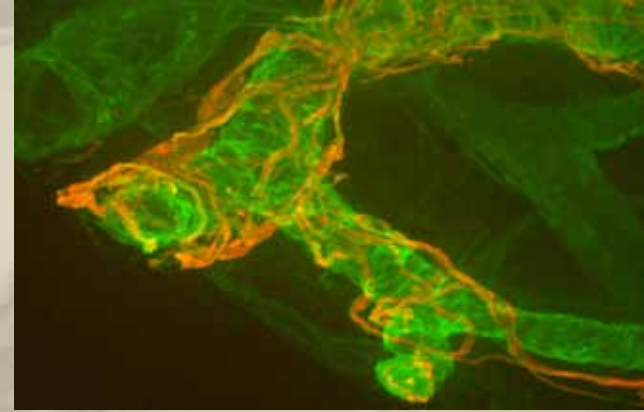
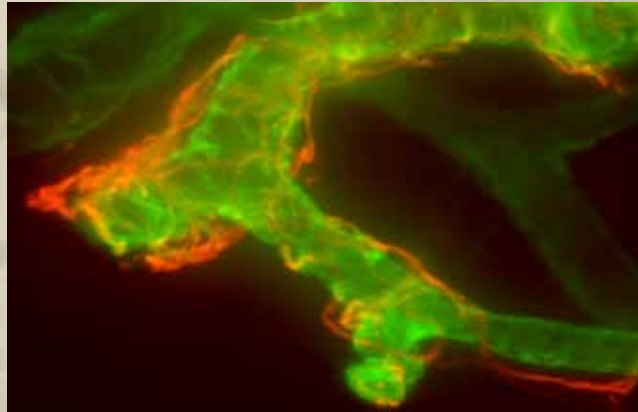
Examples for Applications

Imaging of slides: Comparison wide field versus confocal imaging

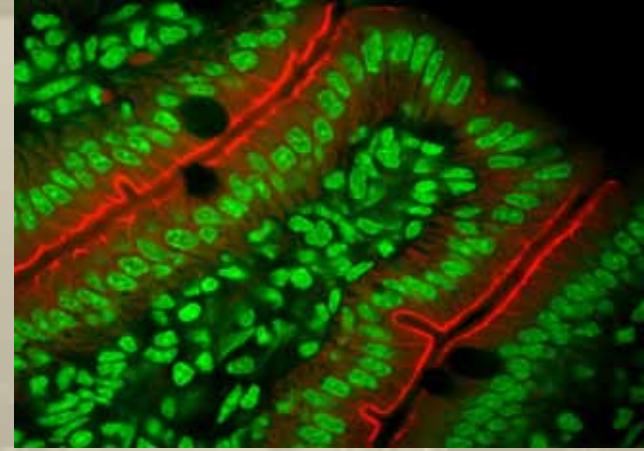
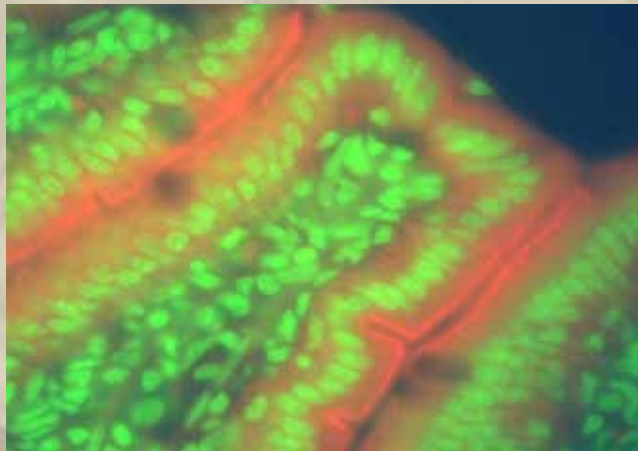
Non Confocal

Confocal

Skin sample
Cy3-pan-
Neuronal, Cy2-
basement
membrane
marker IV
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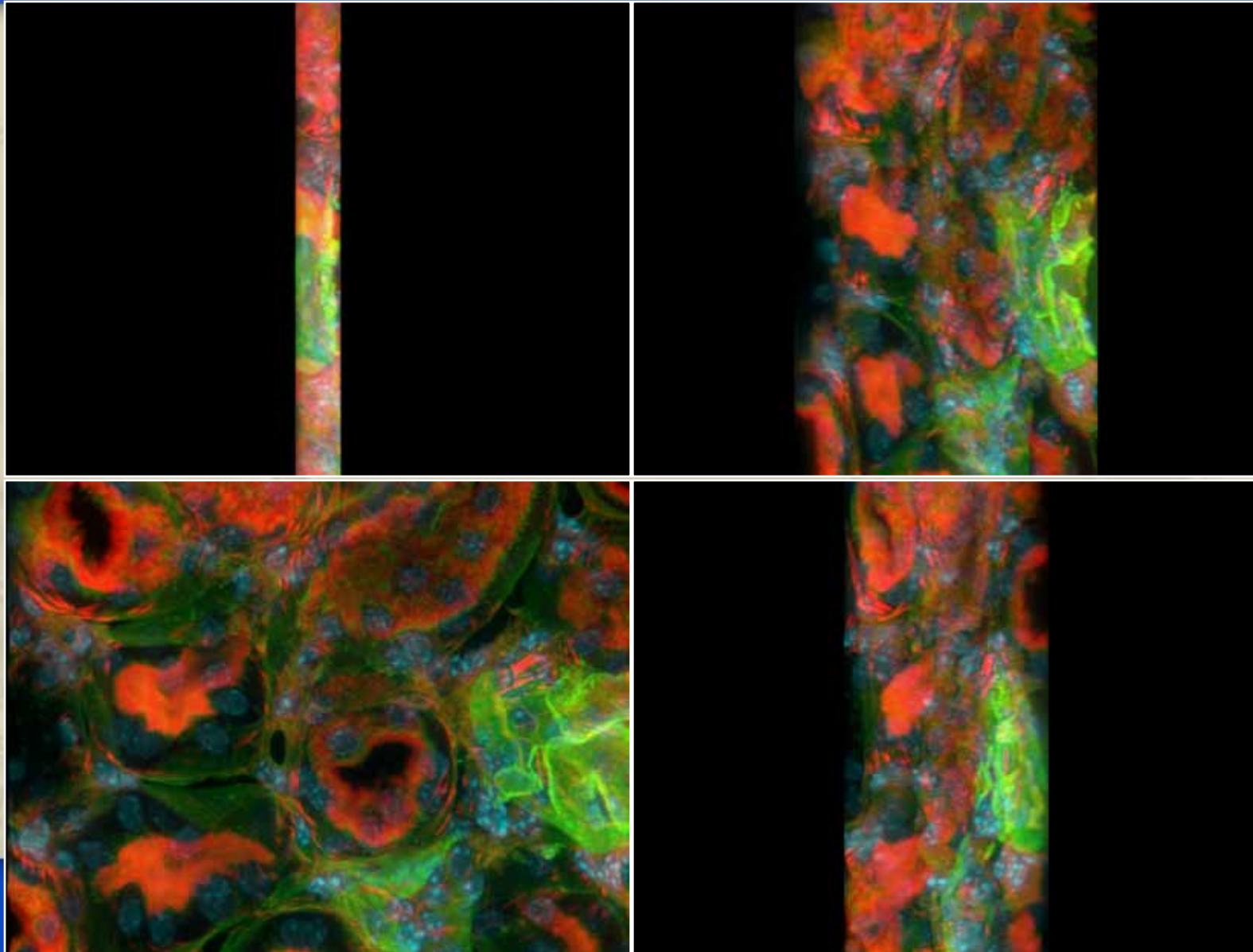
Mouse intestine
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Nucleus/
Alexa568-
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BD Attovision: 3D reconstruction of 60x magnification of a stained mouse kidney section

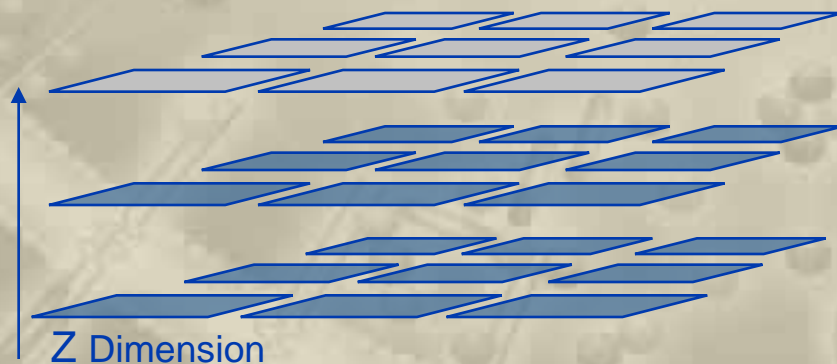
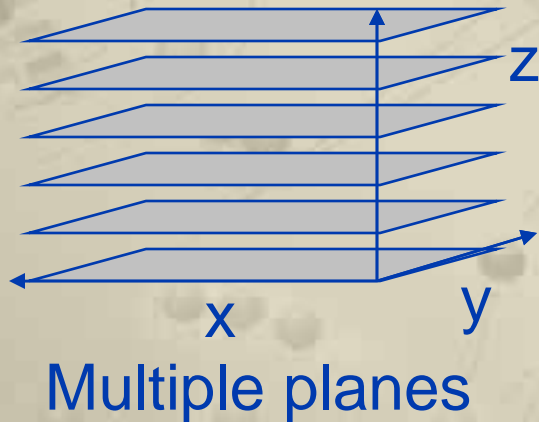
36 z-sections were taken in the confocal mode with a camera binning of 1 and reconstructed in Attovision

Alexa 488 WGA
Alexa 568 phalloidin
DAPI

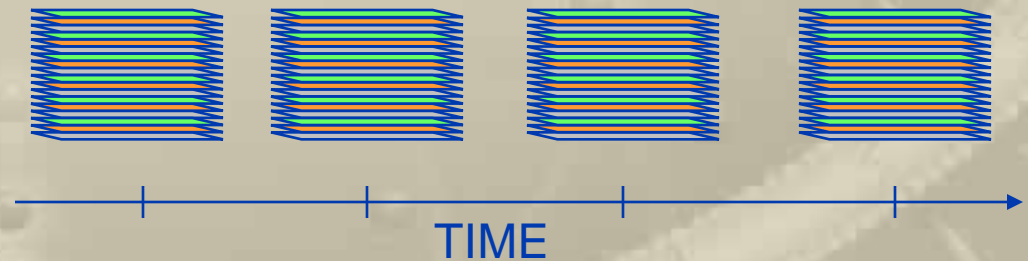
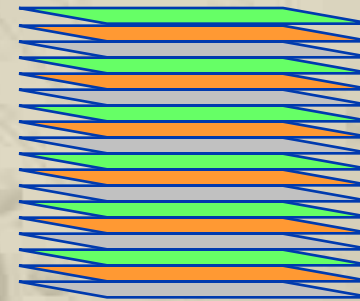


Multidimensional Confocal Imaging Modes:

x, y, z, multiple view fields, time, color



Multiple view fields:
each Z-plane can be
montaged



Multiple time points:
capture over time in kinetic mode



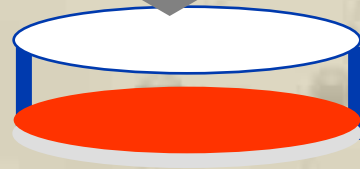
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BD Pathway: Examples for Applications

Angiogenesis : Assay Flow Chart

Day 1

Thaw, 6-24 hours
Gel, 30 min.



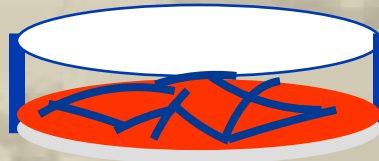
Frozen 96-well Tube Formation product



Trypsinize & resuspend EC
in assay medium

37°C/5% CO₂ incubation




Day 2



Fluorescent dye labeling (calcein)

Automated Image Acquisition
& Data Processing



-  BD Matrigel™ Matrix
-  Endothelial cells
-  Angiogenesis stimulating factors



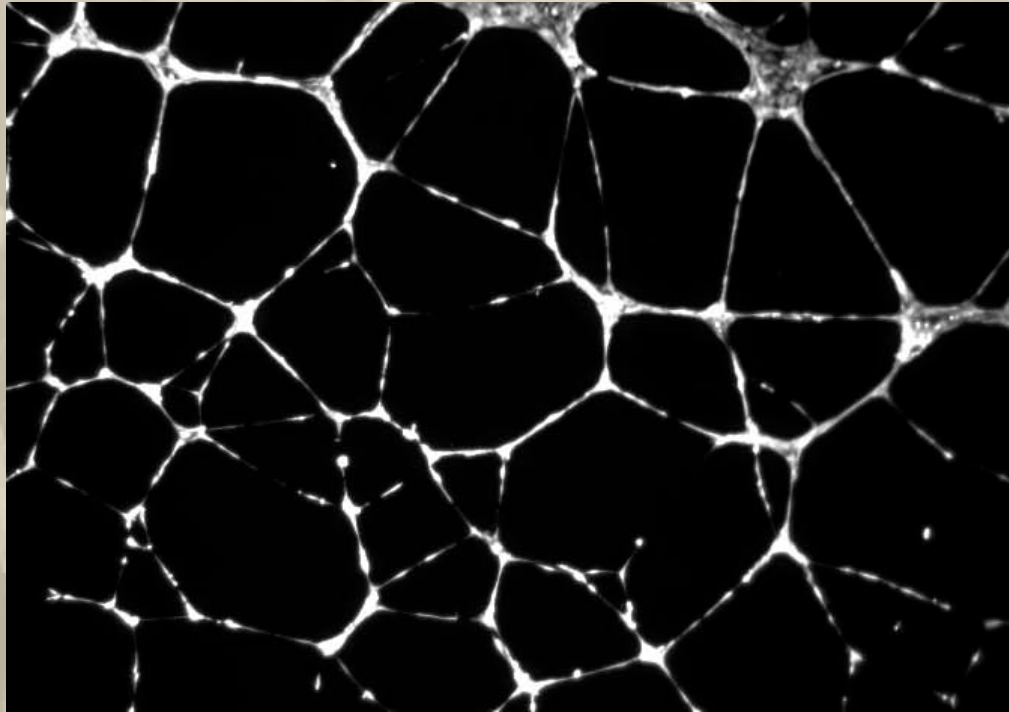
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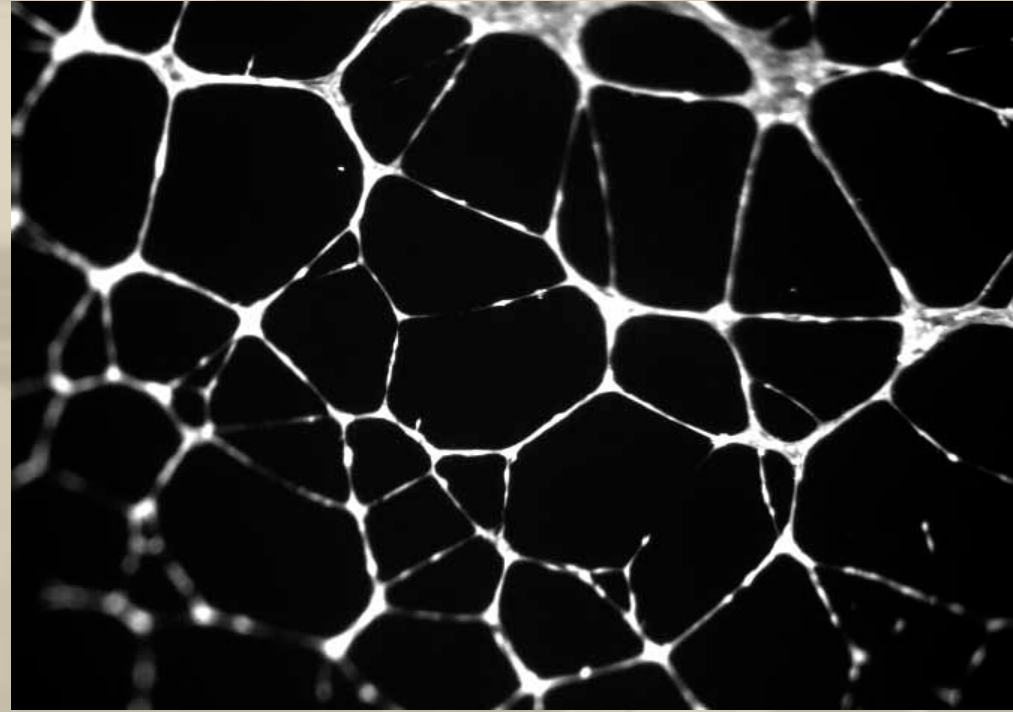
Angiogenesis

Confocal imaging mode is essential to analyze 3-dimentional cultures

Confocal



Non-confocal



HUVEC-2 cells, stained with Calcein AM,
4X Confocal images show entire network



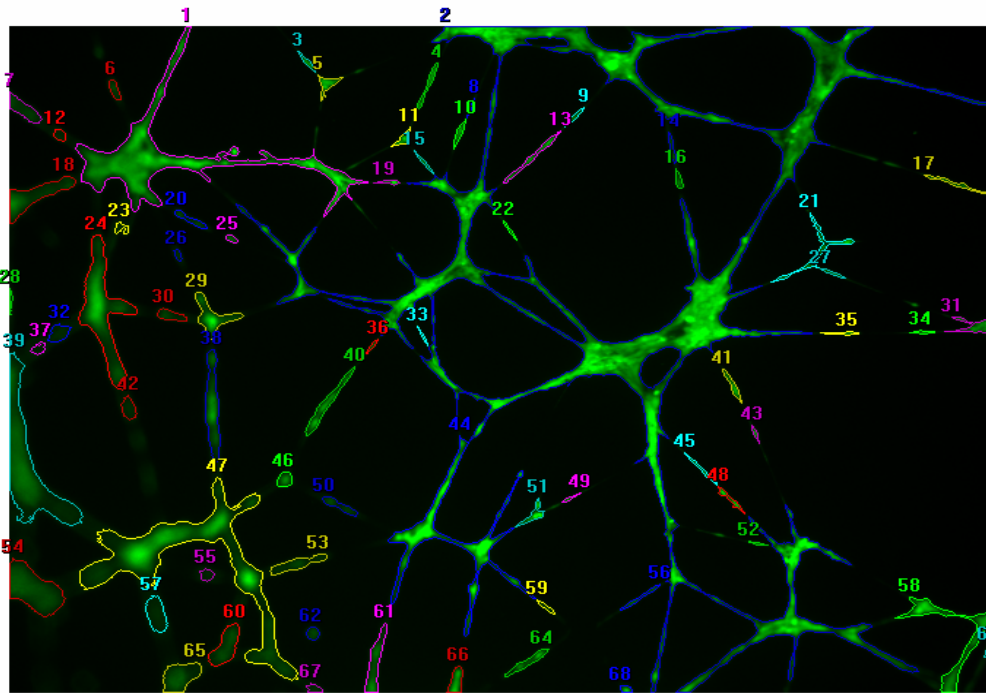
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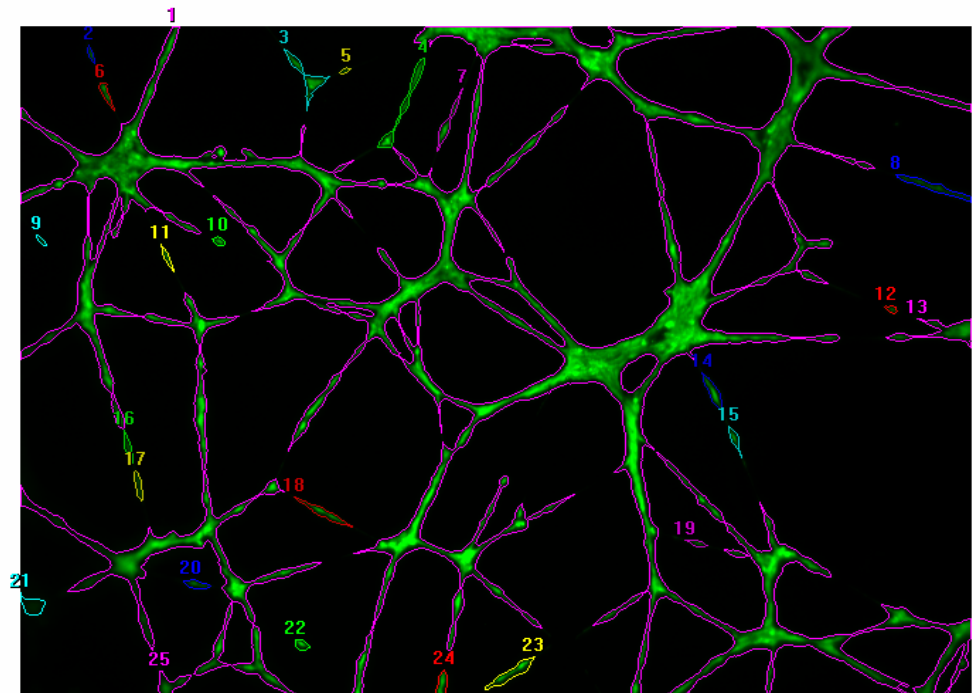
Scientific result without confocality does not reflect situation in culture

Confocal



Discrete network islets

Non-confocal



Complete network

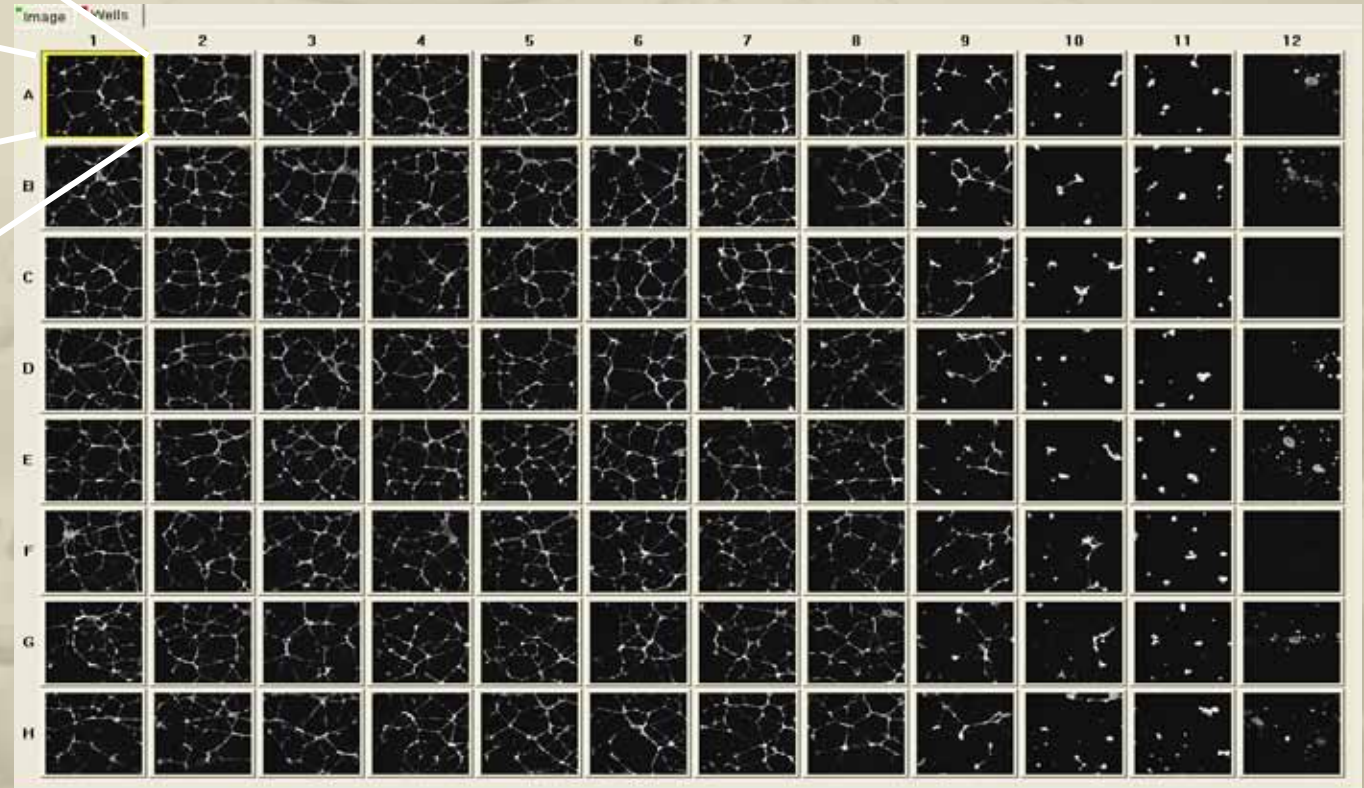
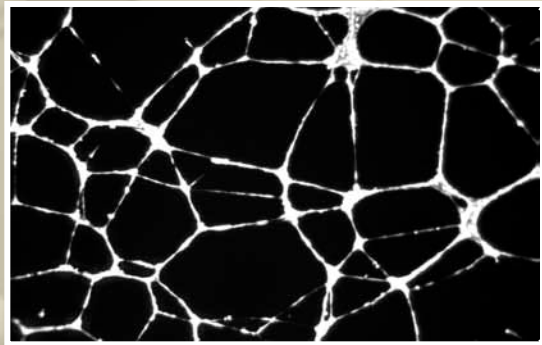
Segmentation result:



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Angiogenesis - Dose Response to Suramin



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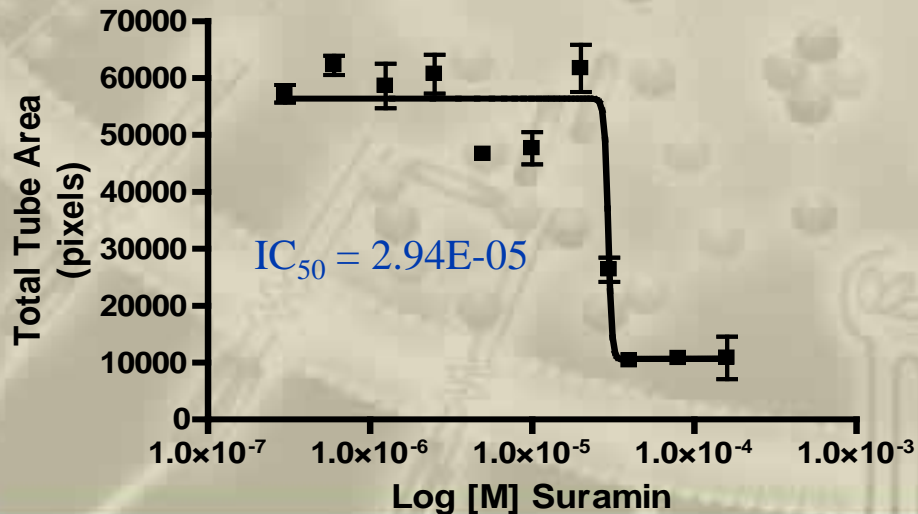
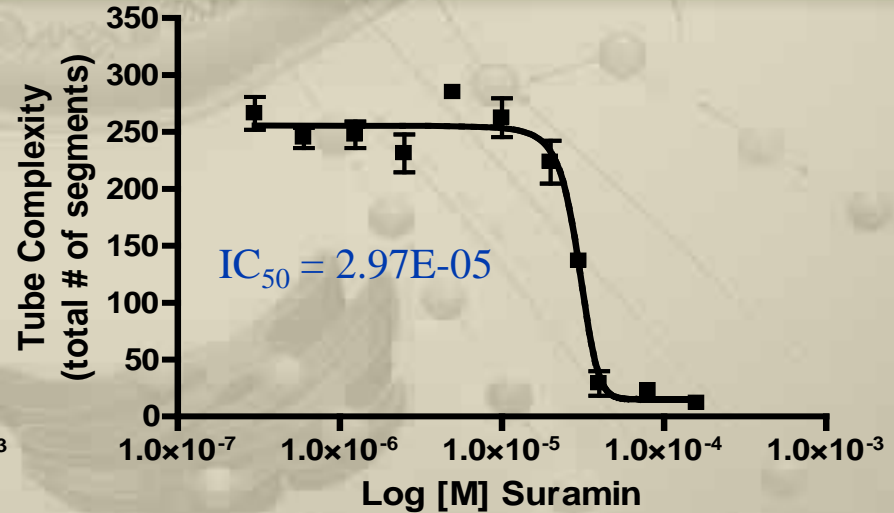
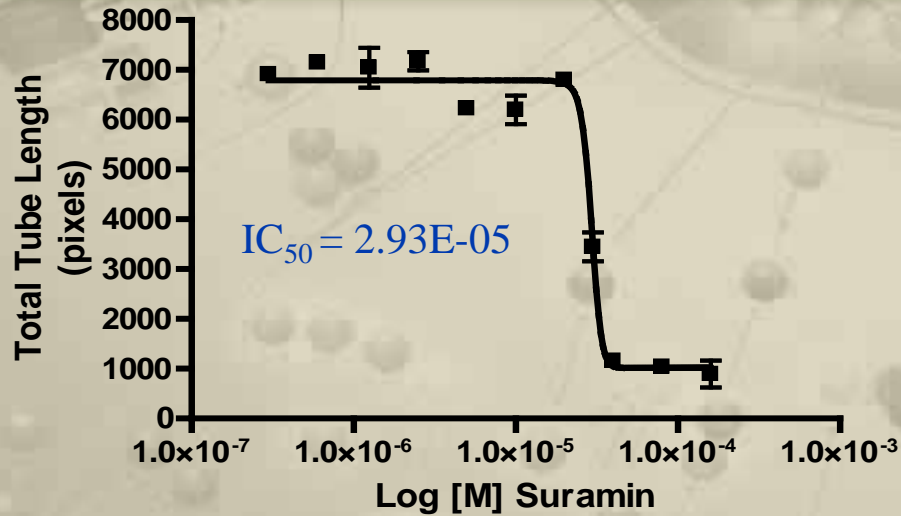
160 μ M



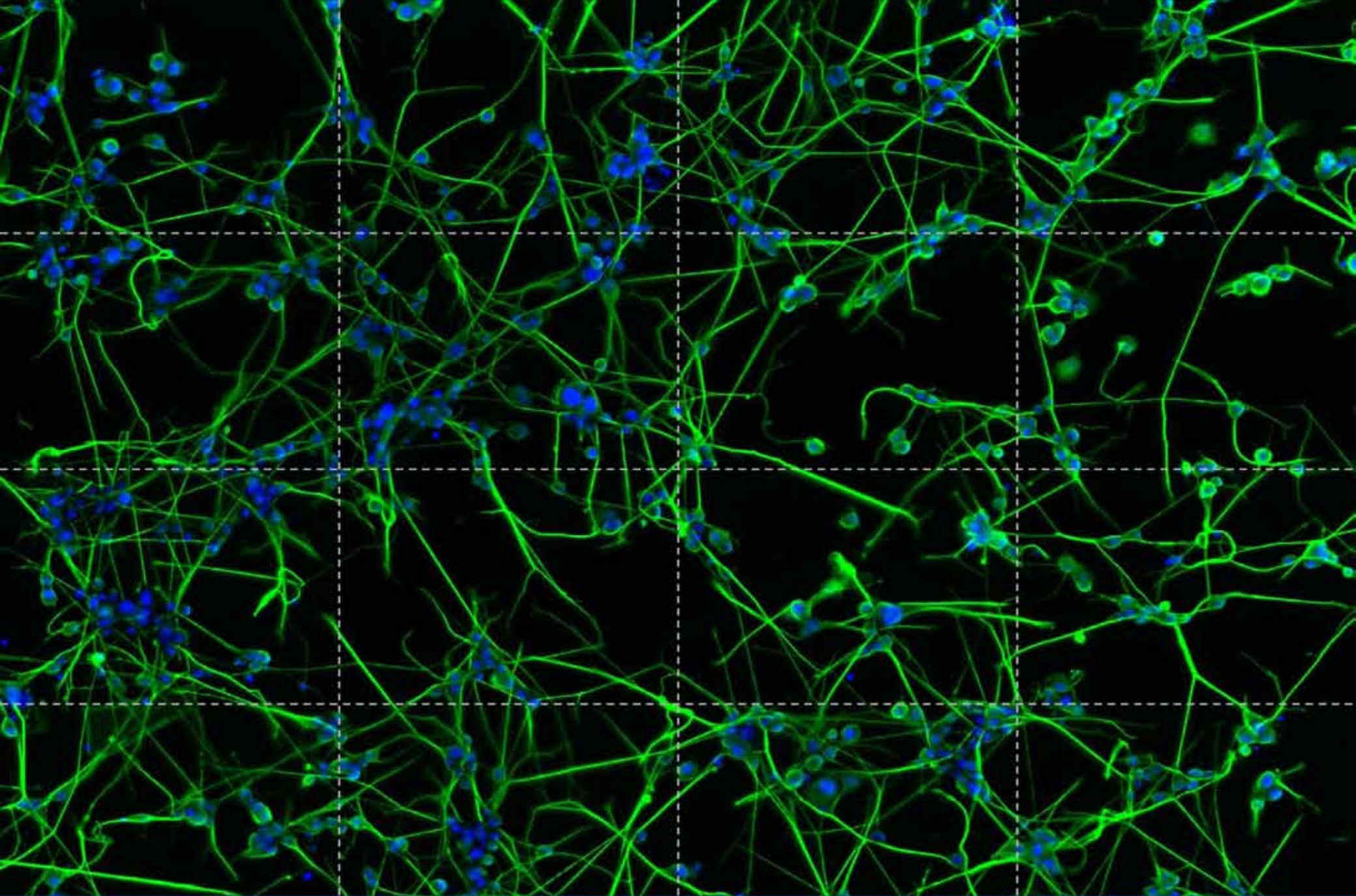
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Angiogenesis: Different Analysis Parameters - Similar Results

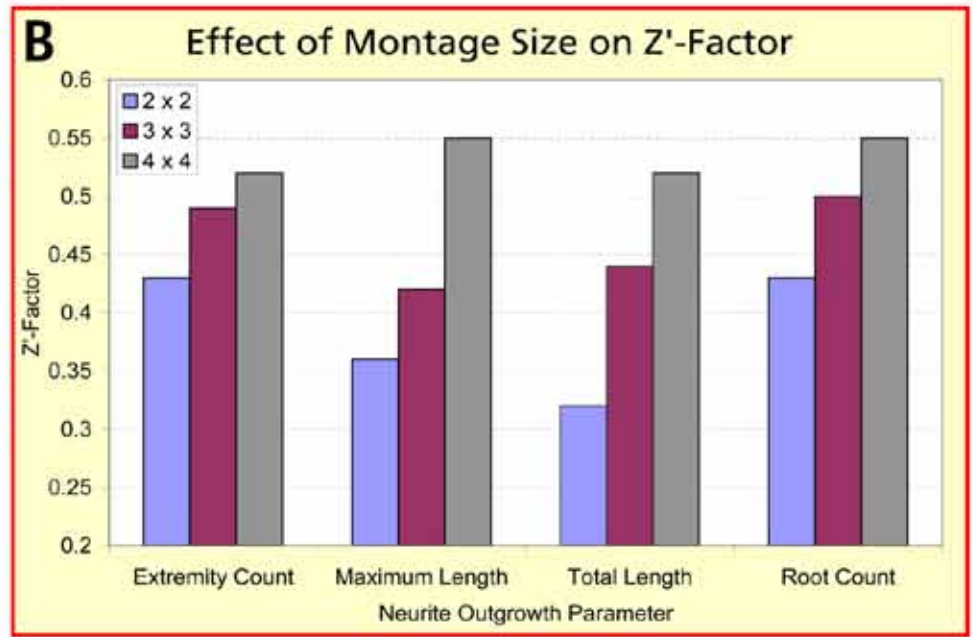
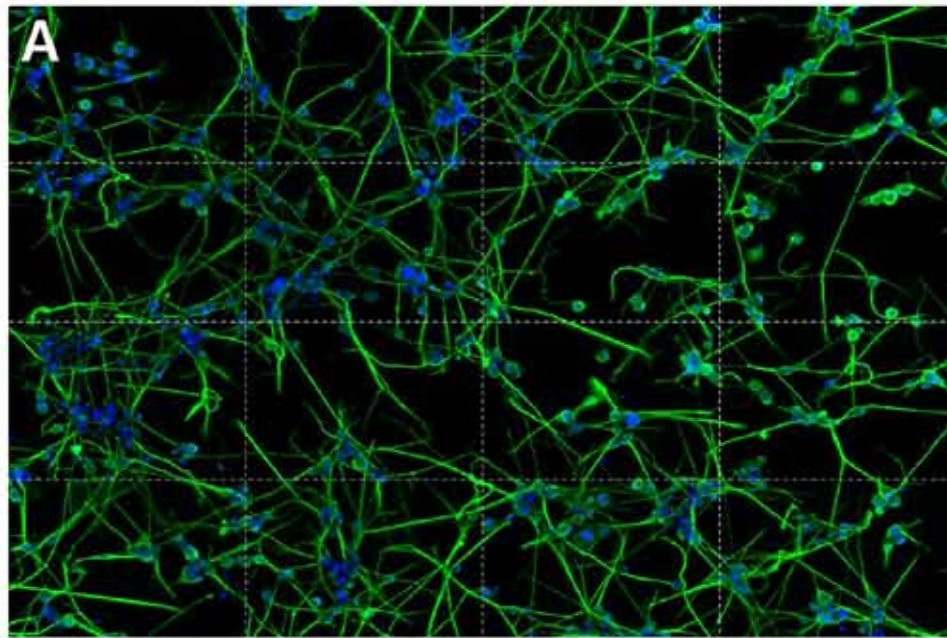


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P12 cells differentiated with NGF (Hoechst + beta Tubulin, 20x, collapsed stack, 4x4 montage)

Effect of Montage on Z'-Factor



As a representative assay, data from a Neurite Outgrowth assay is shown. Increasing the montage size improved the Z'-factor.

Example: Measurement of Morphology to analyze Neurite Outgrowth

Raw Image

Cell Body Segmentation

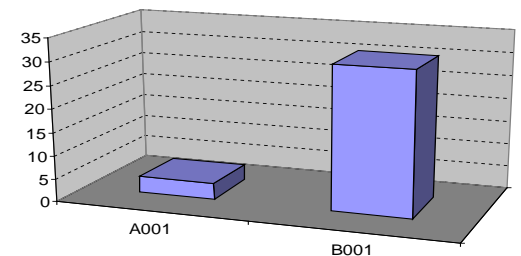
A001

B001

Neurite Branching

Cell Body and Neurite Segmentation

Total Neurite Length per Cell
(Well Average)

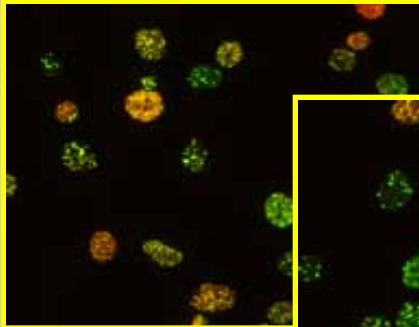




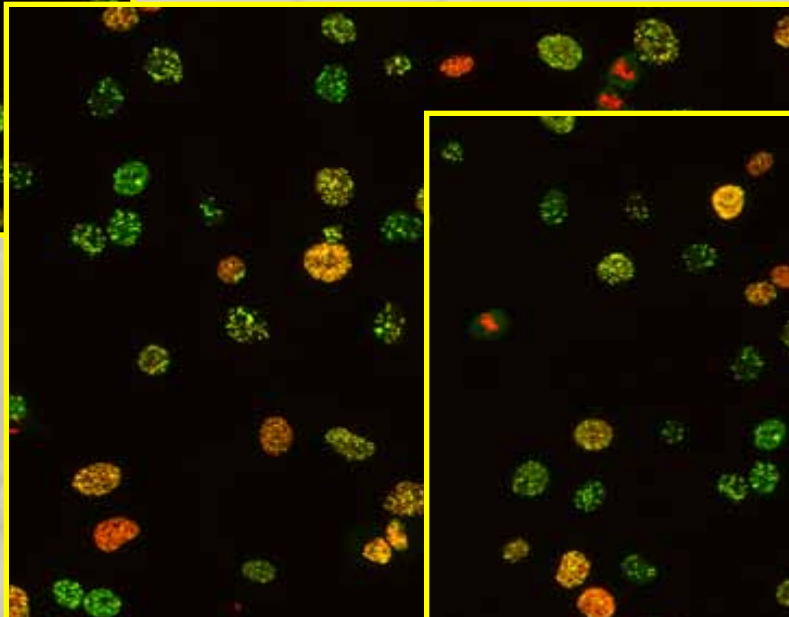
Examples for Applications

DNA strand break analysis: High-Precision Montage – no stitching necessary

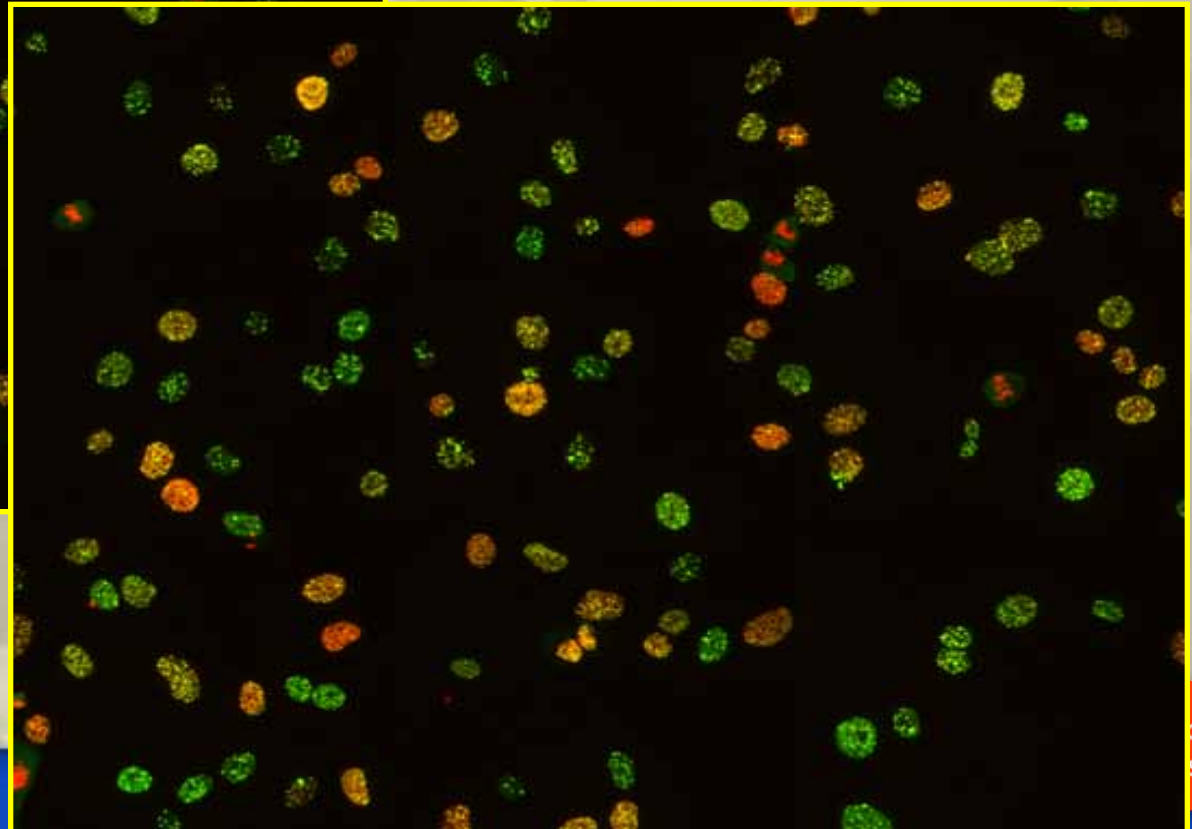
Single image field ~ 20 cells



2x2 Montage ~ 80 cells



3x3 Montage ~ 180 cells



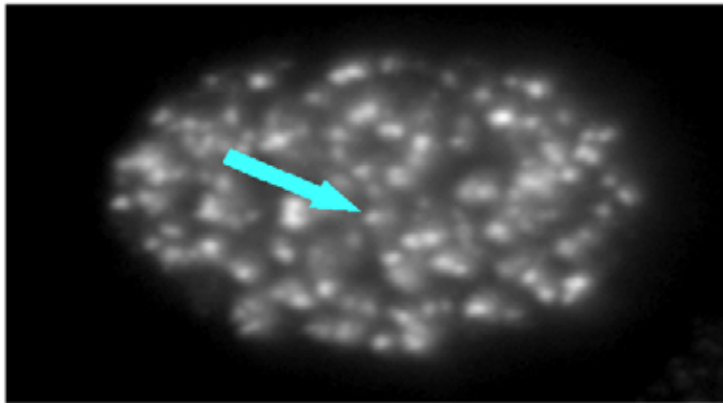
BD Pathway: Examples for Applications

DNA strand break analysis*. Comparison wide field versus confocal imaging

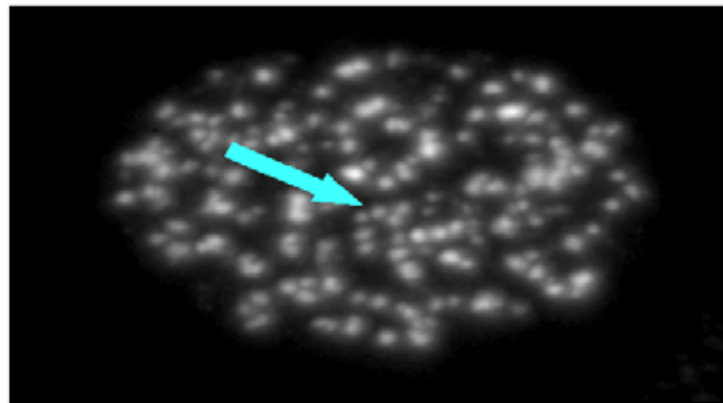
Non-Confocal

Confocal

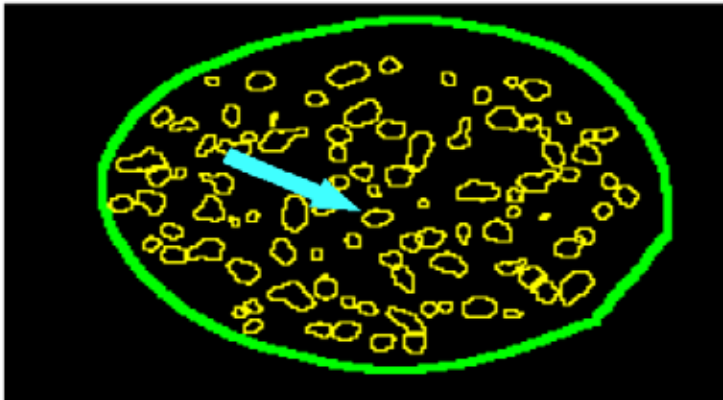
A



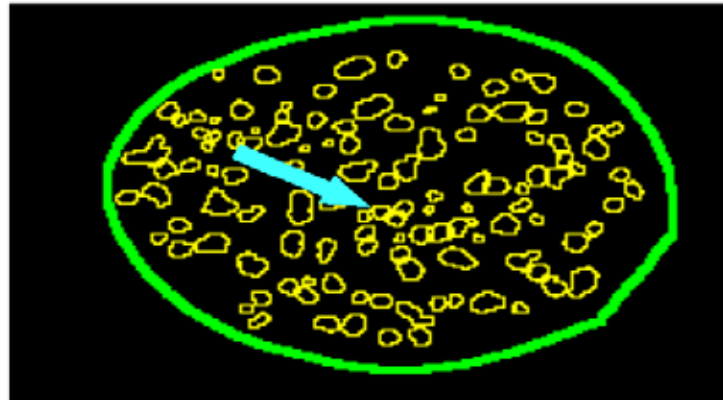
B



C



D



DNA
damage
Antibody
(Anti H2AX)

Foci
detection

40x objective

94 foci identified

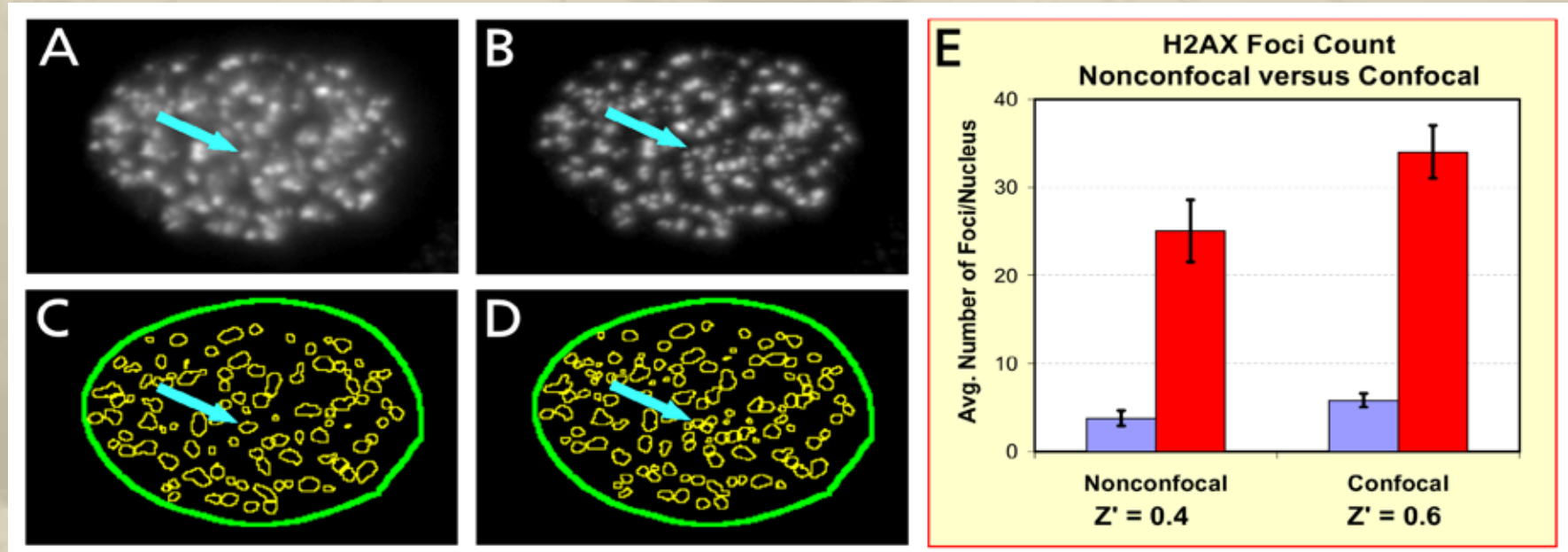
118 foci identified

25% increase in foci



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Confocal vs. Nonconfocal Imaging



As a representative assay data from a DNA damage assay is shown.
Confocal imaging improves resolution and data quality.

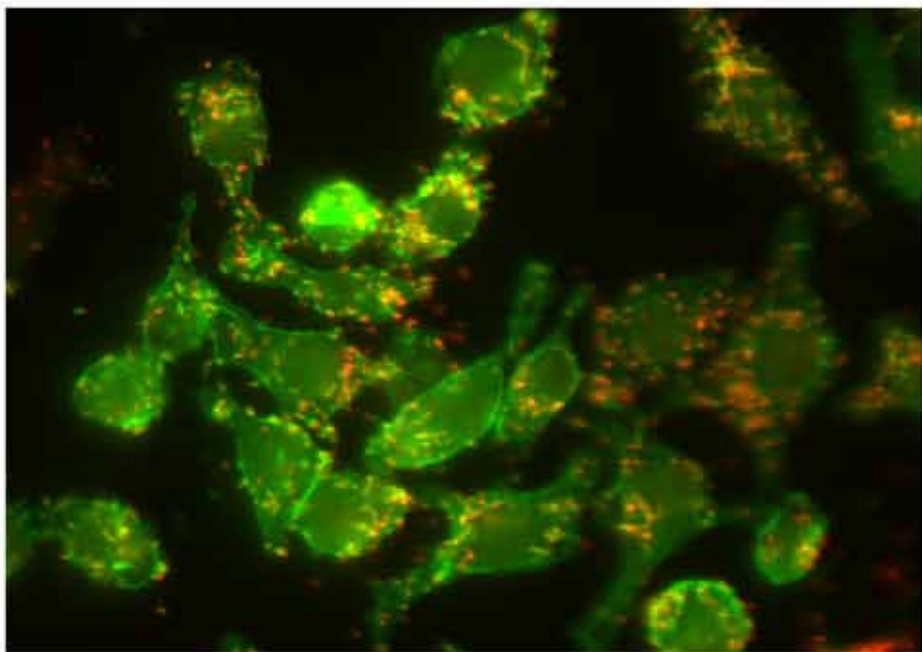


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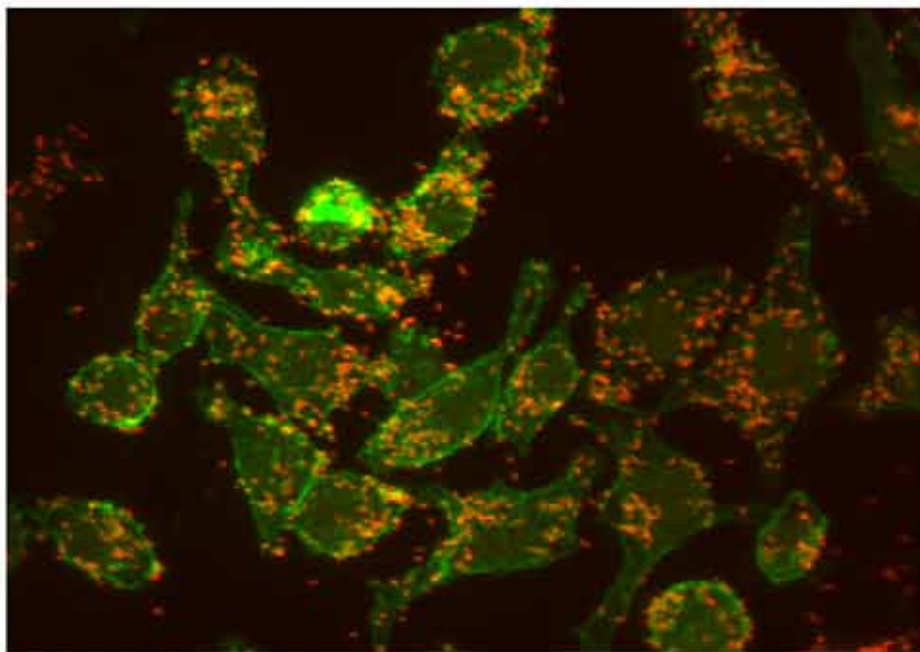
Bacterial infection: High Resolution for Bacteria counting and colocalisation analysis

Confocal Collapsed Stack Improves Image Quality
Individual Bacteria Can be Quantitated

Nonconfocal



Confocal



Comparison of nonconfocal and confocal image acquisition modes. Pseudocolored merged images (40x, 0.9 NA) of macrophages after infection with *L. monocytogenes*. Macrophage actin is green and bacteria are red. Colocalized signals appear as merges of these color channels. Panel A, single plane nonconfocal image. Panel B, confocal collapsed stack of the same image field.



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BD Pathway: Examples for Applications

Prerequisite for bacteria counting: precise determination of objects.

Object-within-object detection algorithmus

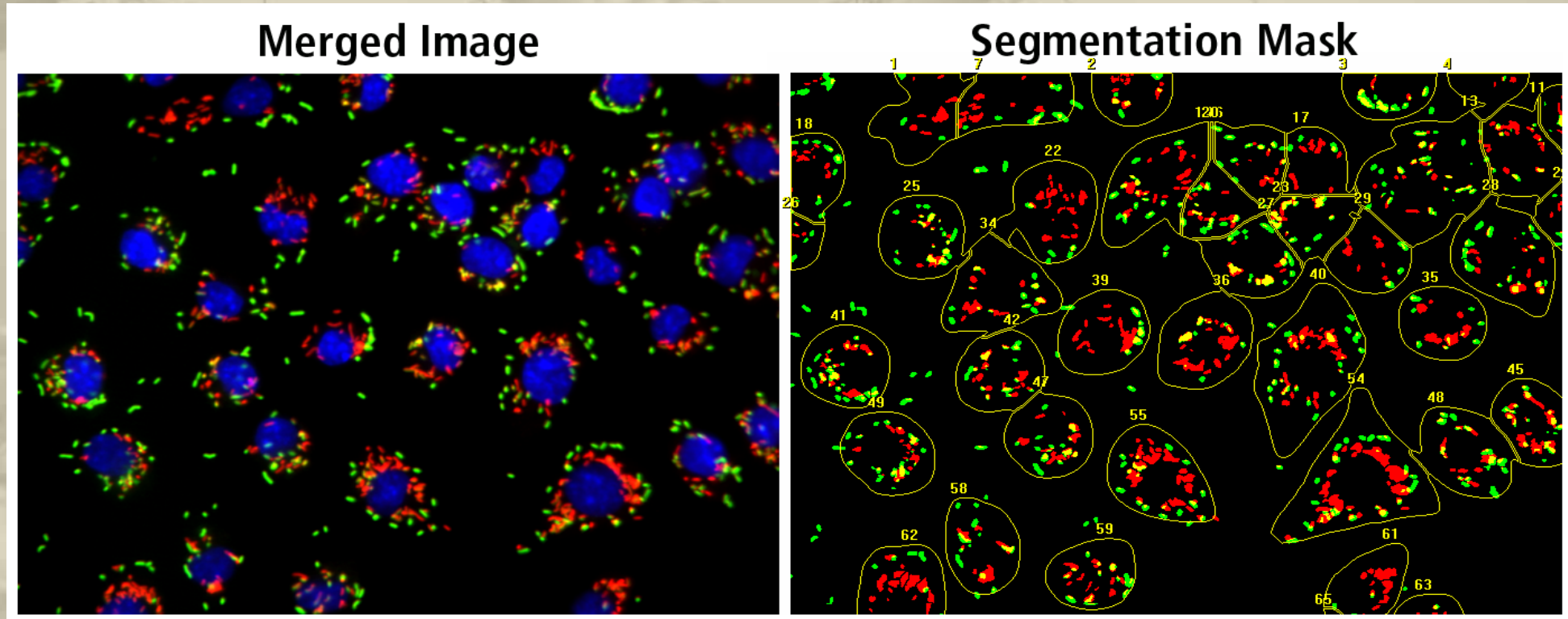


Image mask created after Sub Object counting. Panel A, pseudocolored merged single field confocal collapsed stack image (40x, 0.9 NA) of macrophages after infection with *L. monocytogenes*. Macrophage nuclei are blue, bound bacteria are green, and total bacteria are red (whole-cell stain channel not shown). Colocalized signals appear as merges of these color channels. Panel B, segmentation mask of the same image generated after Sub Object analysis depicting macrophage boundaries (yellow line), bound bacteria (green), internal bacteria (red), colocalized bacteria (yellow), and numbered cellular ROIs.



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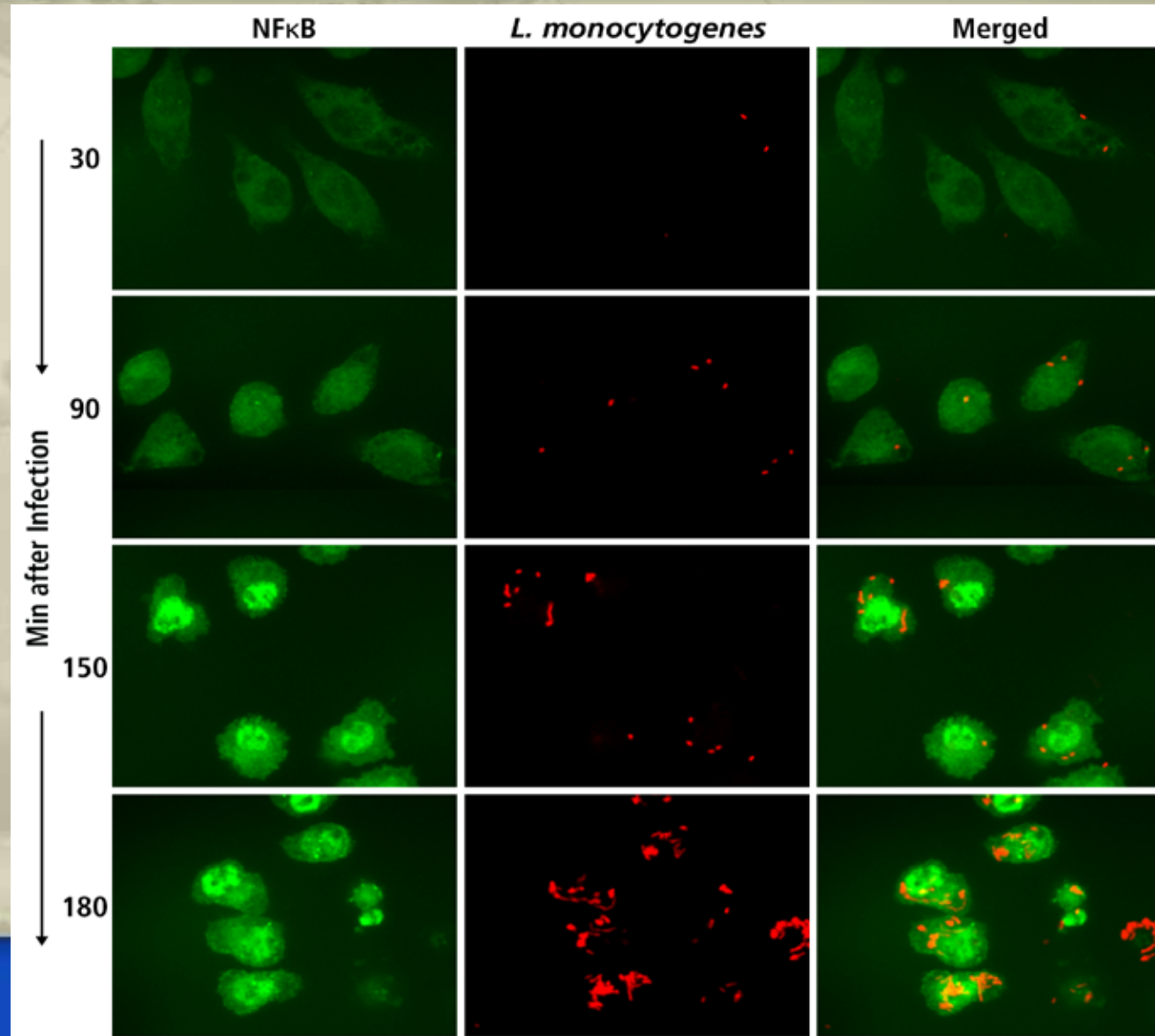
BD Pathway 855: Examples for Applications

Multiplexing for High-Content Analysis

Host Cell-Signaling Activation in Response to Infection

NFkB Translocation

Multiplexing NF-kB and bacterial replication assays. Panel A, representative pseudocolored cropped confocal collapsed stack images (40x, 0.9 NA) at different time points after infection. NF-kB protein is green, bacteria are red, and colocalized signals appear as merges of these color channels. Panels B and C, NF-kB intensity in the nucleus and the ratio of NF-kB nuclear-to-cytoplasmic intensity, respectively (n = 3 wells).

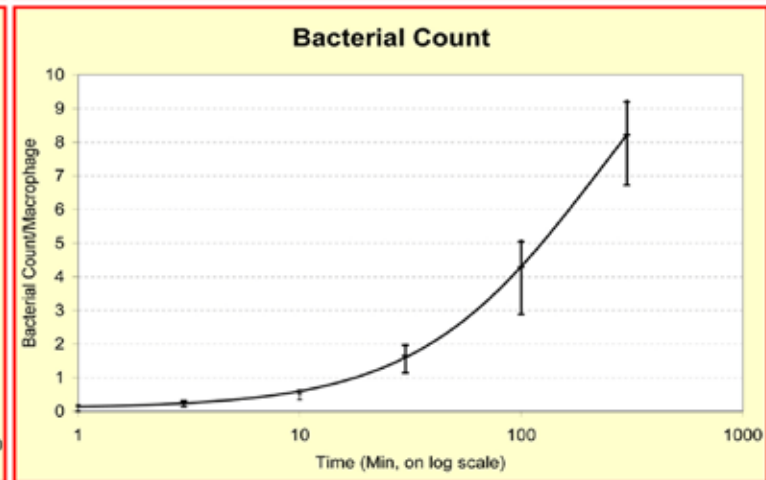
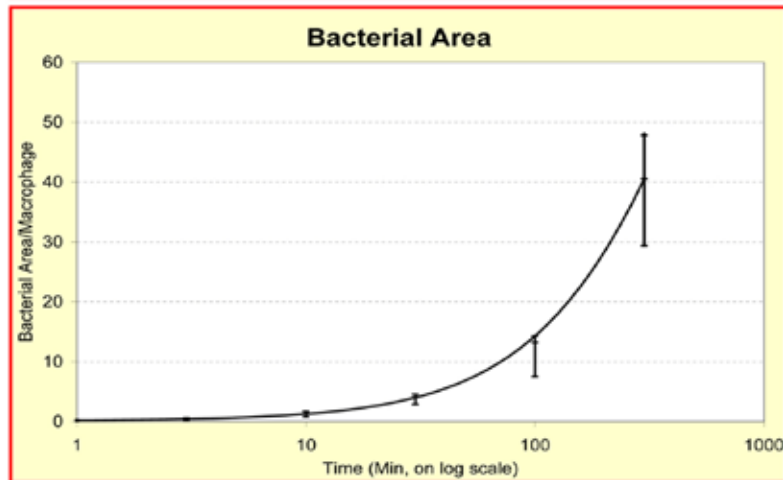
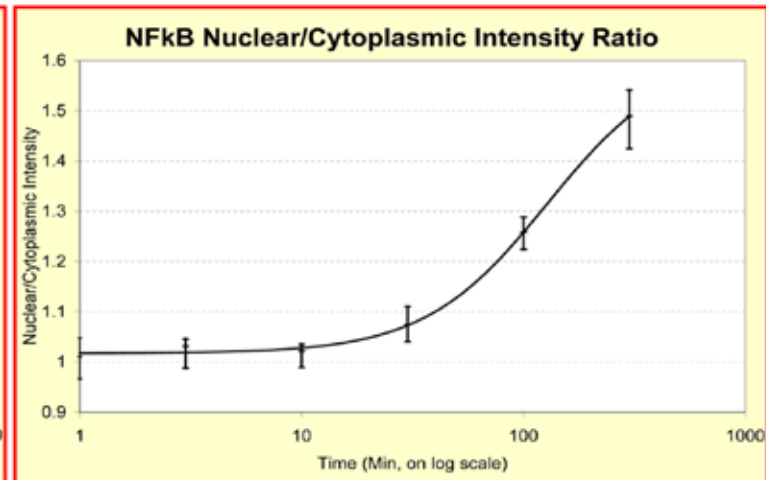
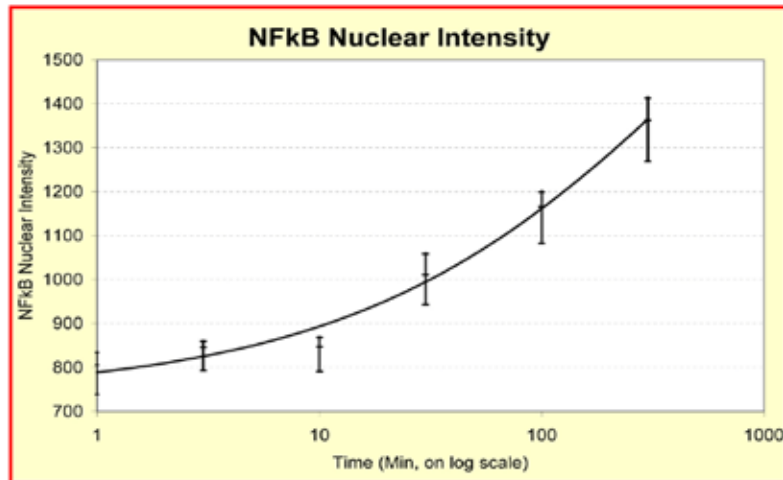




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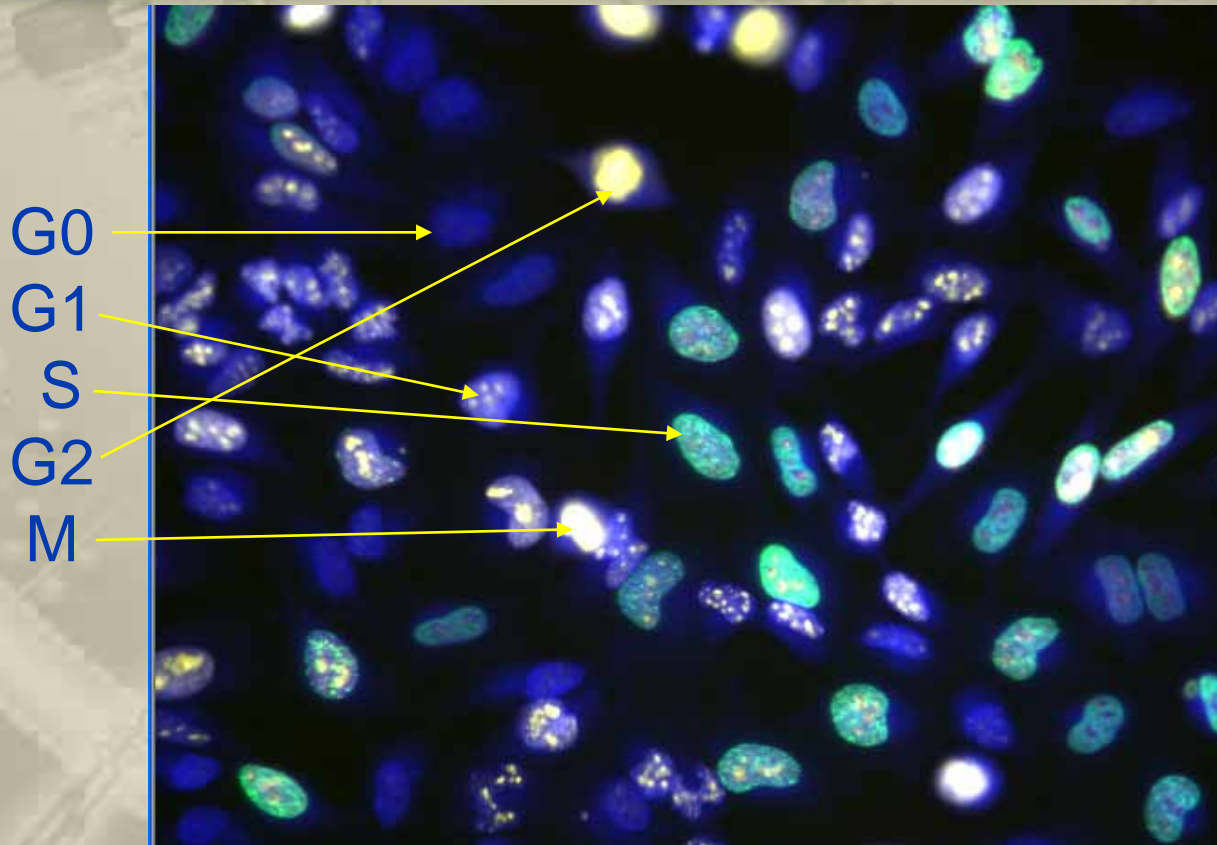
Quantification of Multiplexed Data:

Translocation, bacterial count and area of macrophage covered with bacteria



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BD Pathway: Examples for Applications : Multiplexing multiple stainings (primary conjugated Antibodies) to enable Cell Cycle Assays



BrdU Alexa 488 (green)
pHistone H3 Alexa 647 (white)
Hoechst (blue)
Ki-67 Alexa 555 (yellow)

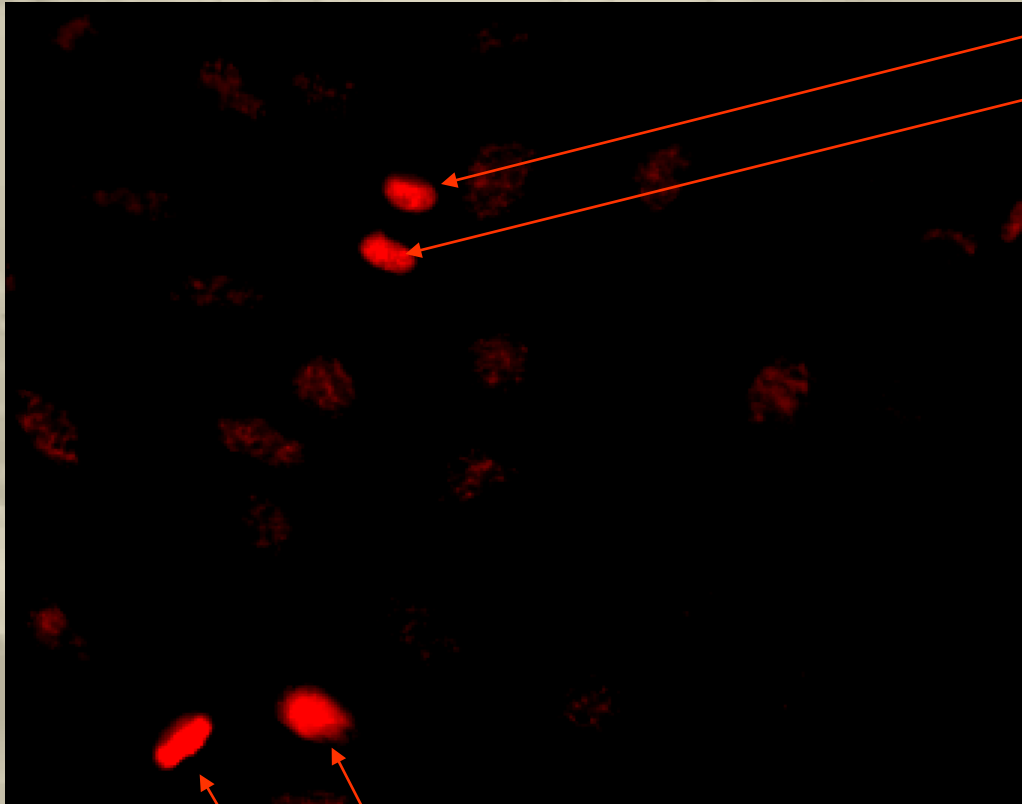
	BrdU	pHis H3	Ki-67
G0	—	—	—
G1	—	—	punctate
S	+	—	punctate
G2	—	—	diffuse
M	—	+	diffuse



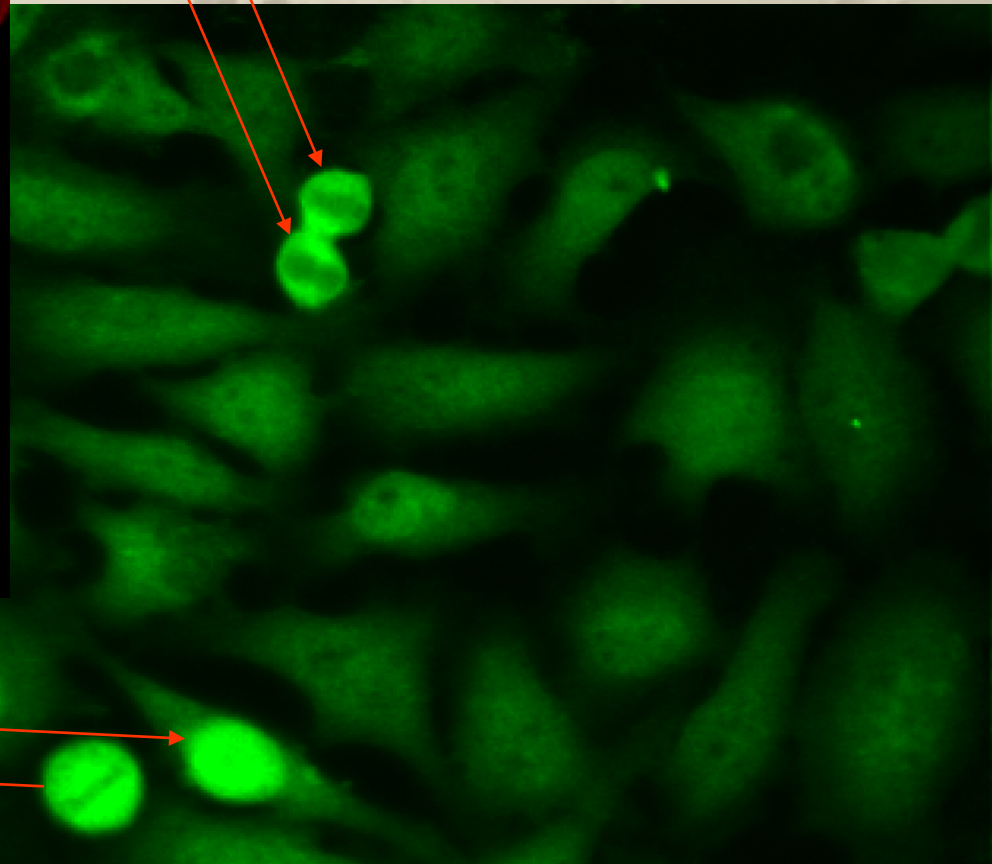
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How Cell Cycle Can Affect Other Results

Phospho Histone H3 Marker



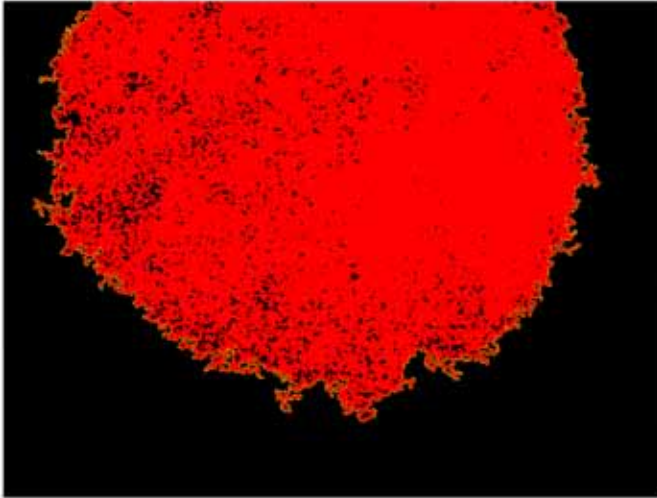
Signal Transduction Marker (NFkB),
intensity based measurement of biology



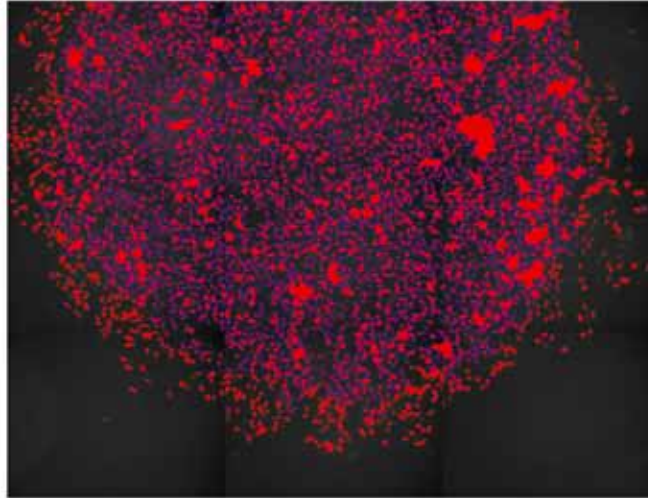
Looks like a biology difference,
really a cell cycle difference

BD Pathway: Examples for Applications : Image and Data Analysis of hES Colony

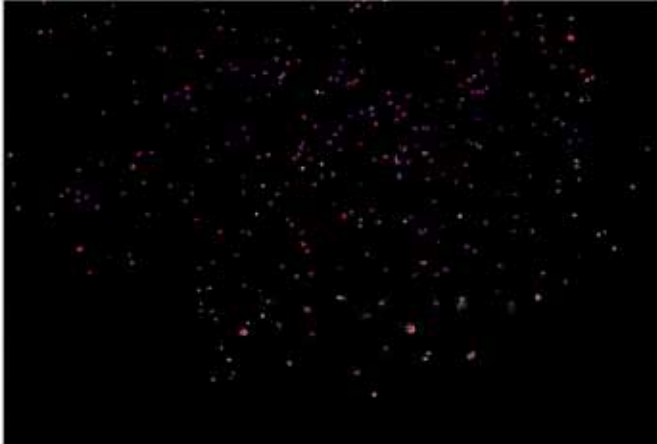
Nuclei



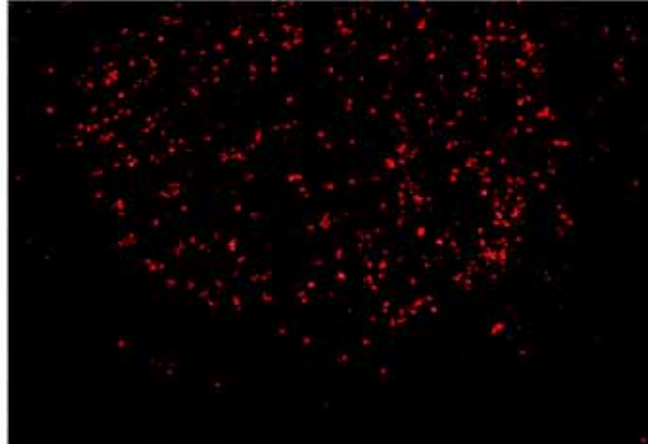
S-Phase



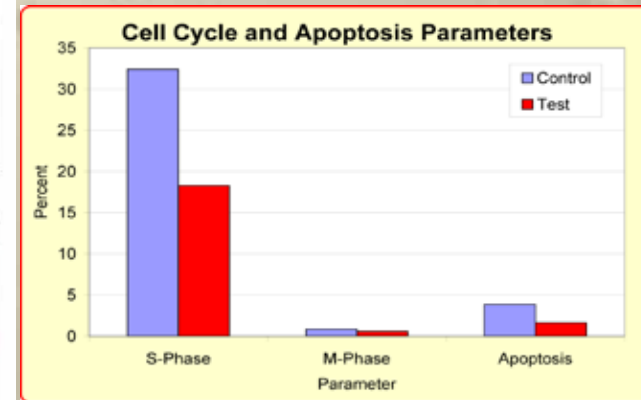
M-Phase



Apoptotic



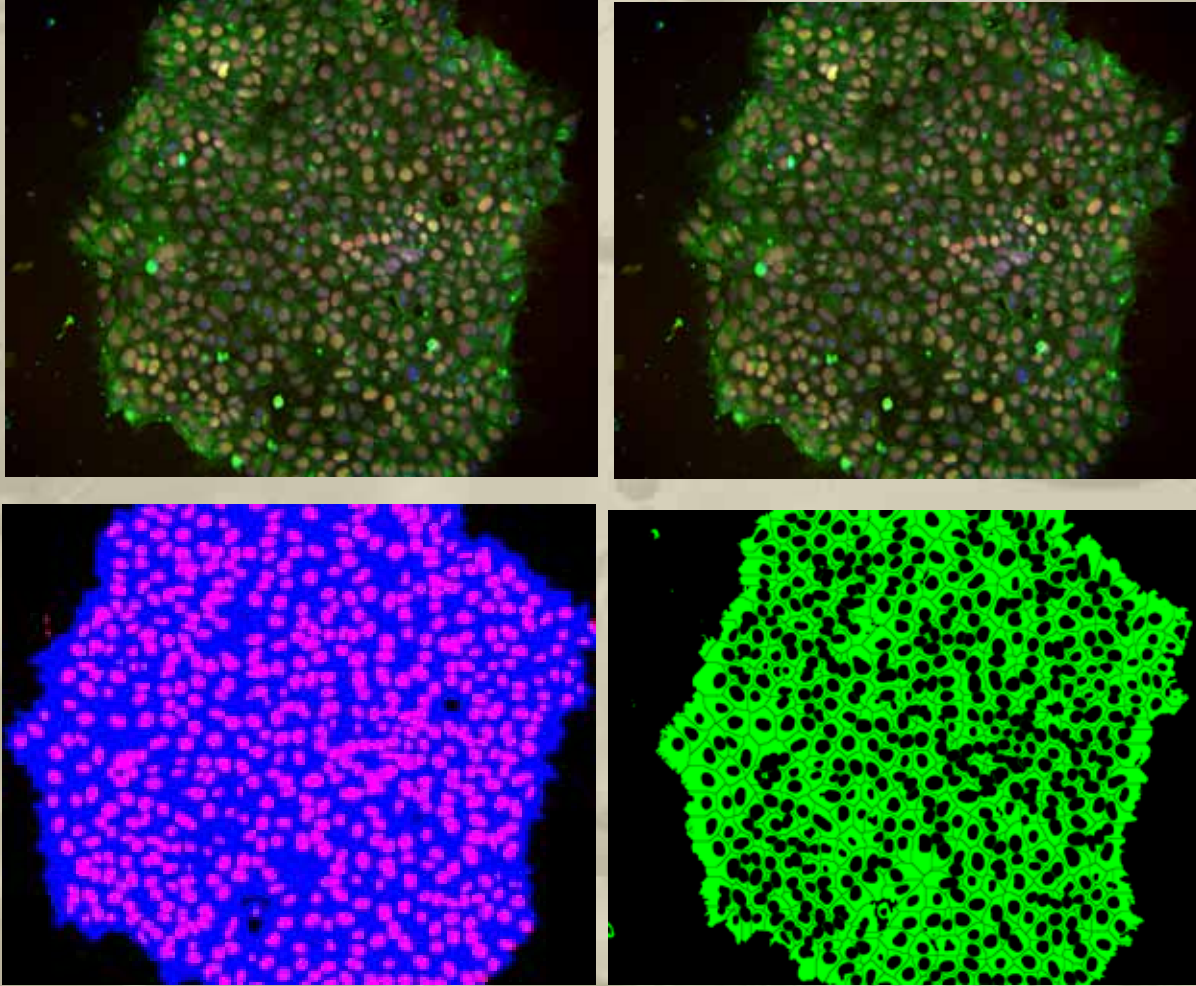
Area based measurements



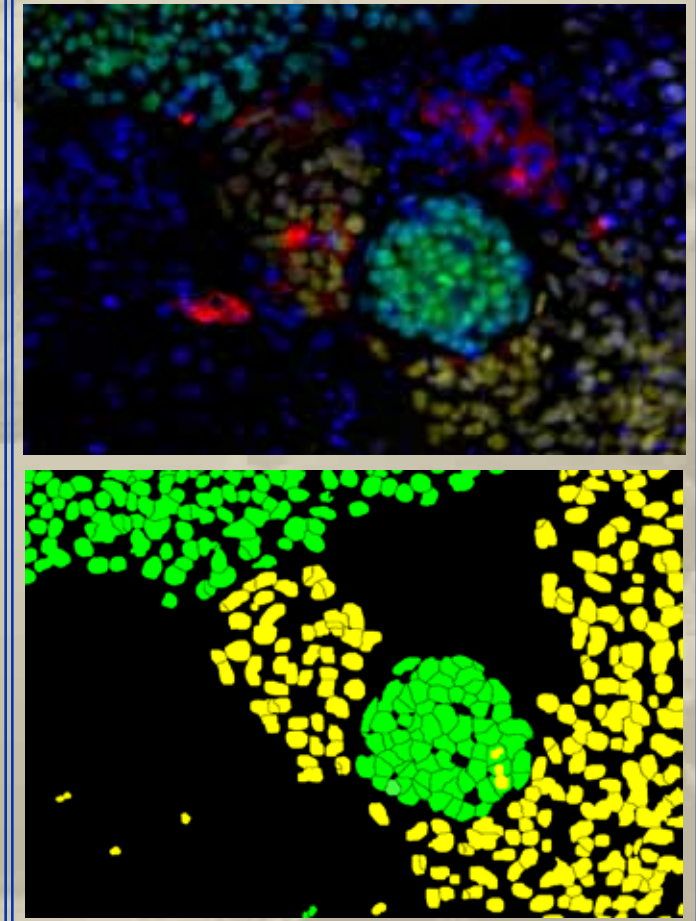
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BD Pathway: Examples for Applications : Image and Data Analysis of hES Colony Representative Segmentation Masks

Undifferentiated hES cells

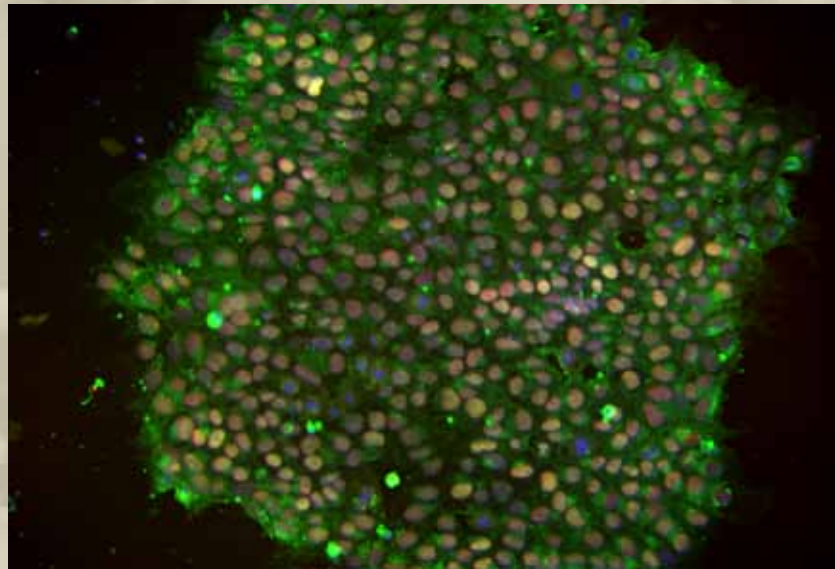


Differentiated hES cells

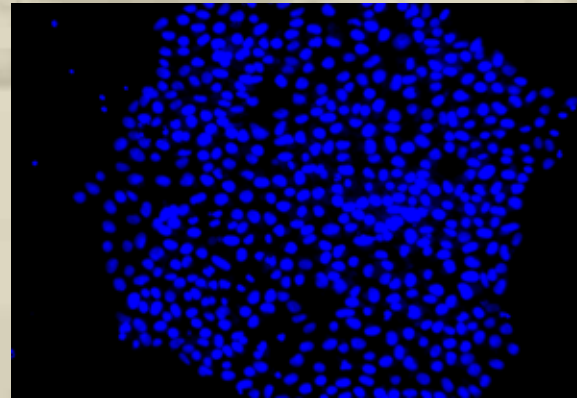


BD Pathway: Examples for Applications : Image and Data Analysis of hES Colony Analysis of Differentiation - Undifferentiated

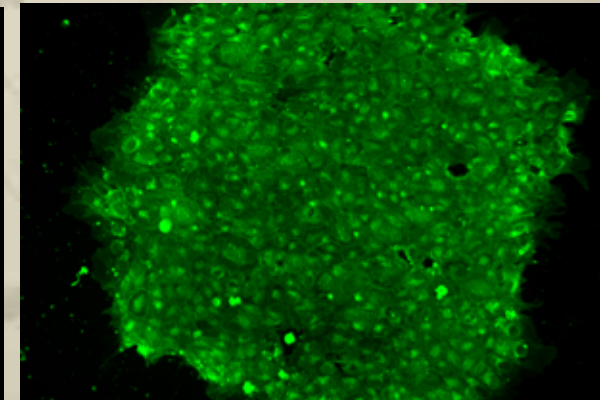
Merged image



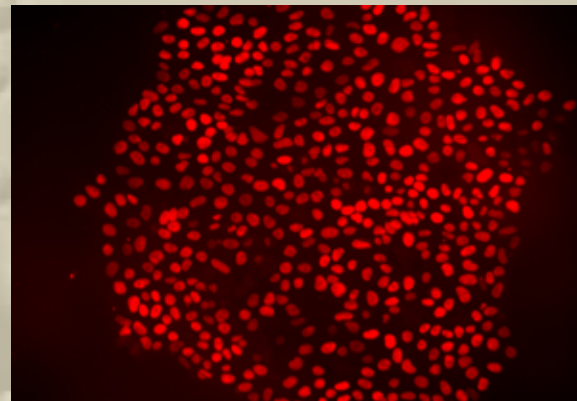
Hoechst



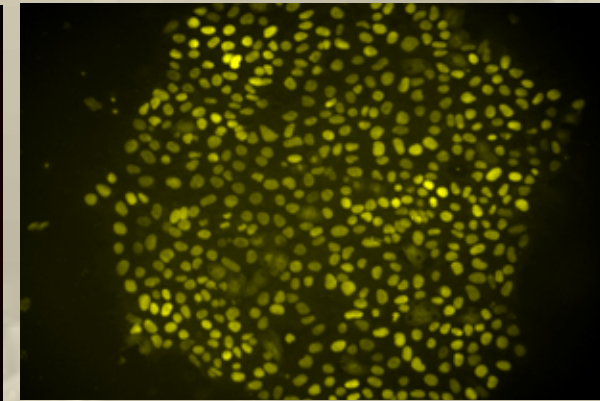
SSEA-4 (- diff)



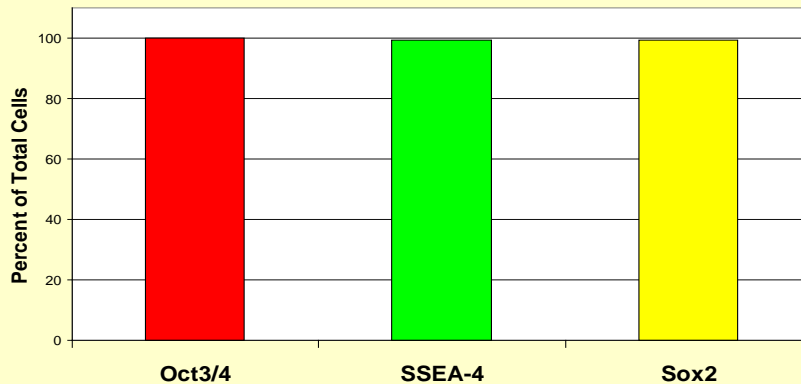
Oct 3/4 (- diff)



Sox2 (- diff)



Analysis of Undifferentiated hESCs

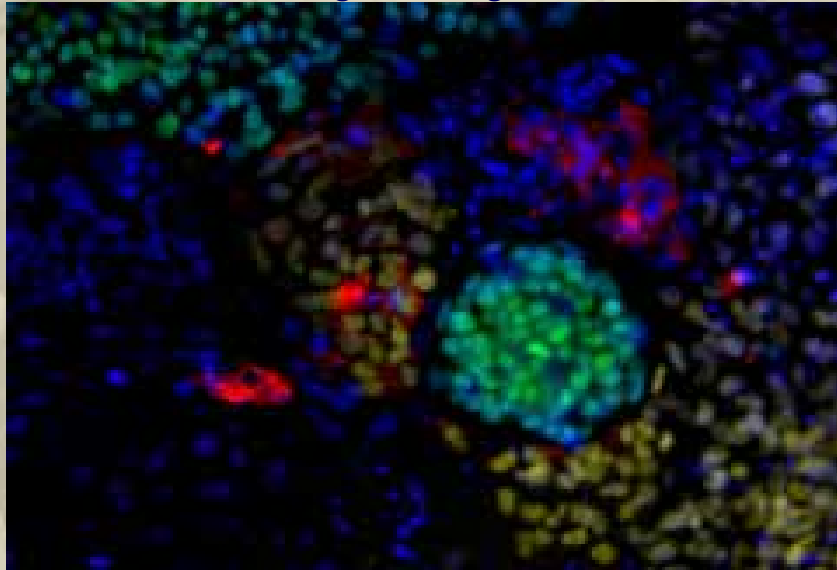


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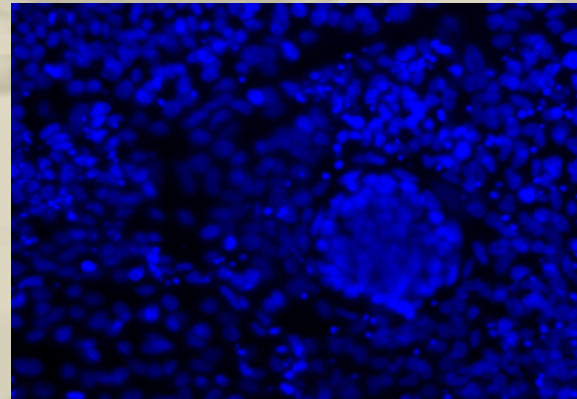
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BD Pathway: Examples for Applications : Image and Data Analysis of hES Colony Analysis of Differentiation - Undifferentiated

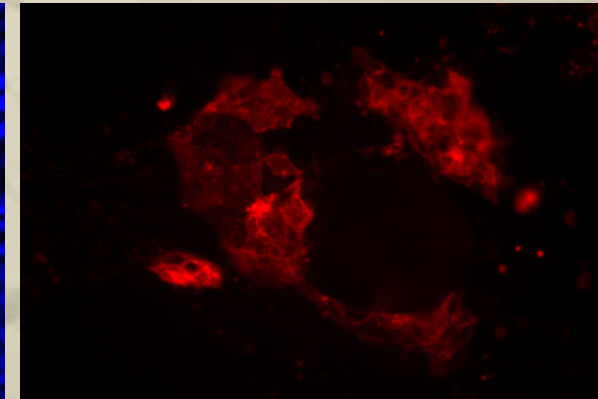
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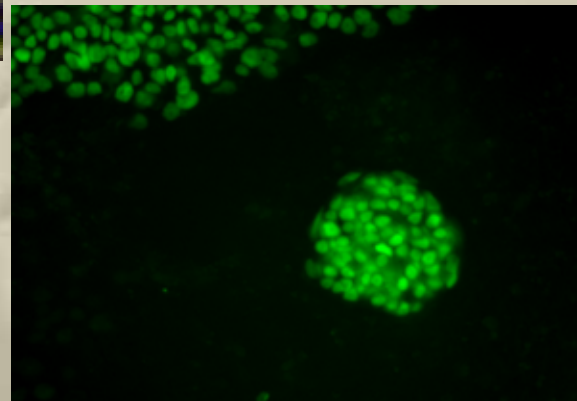
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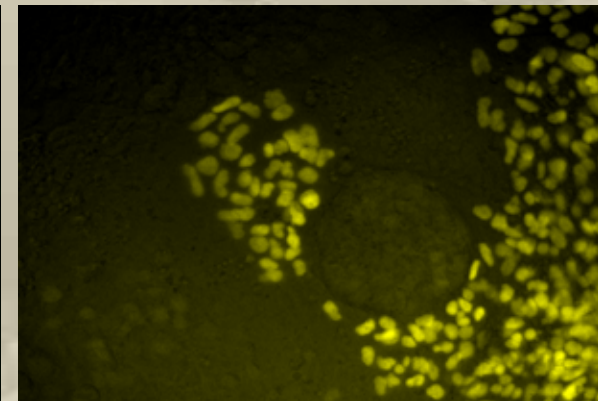
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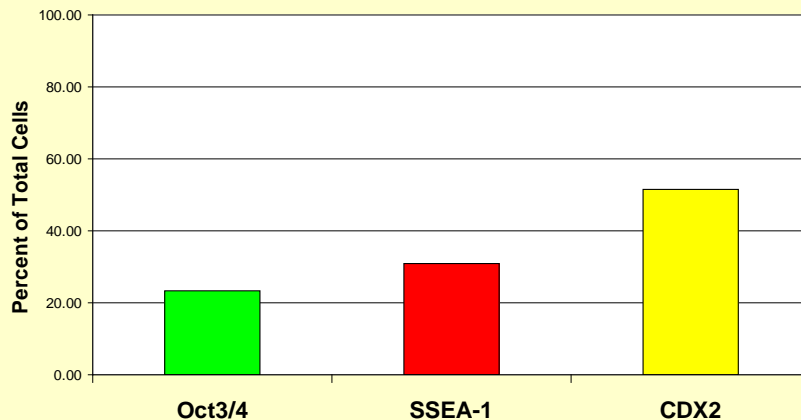
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CDX2 (+diff)



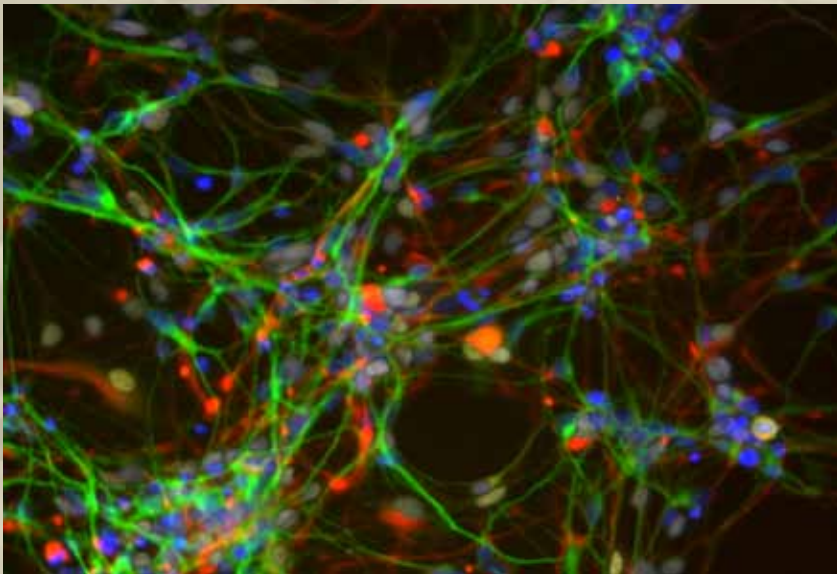
Analysis of Differentiated hESCs



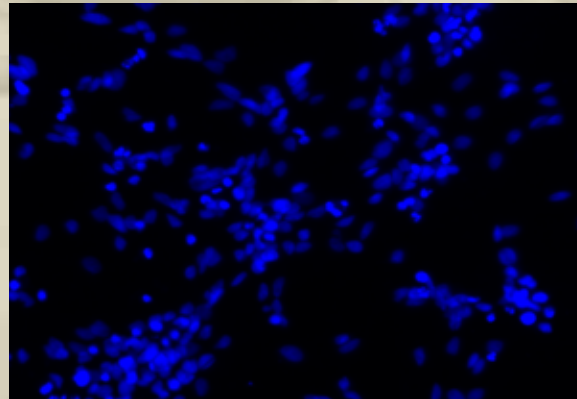
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BD Pathway: Examples for Applications : Image and Data Analysis of hES Colony: Pre Sort Images

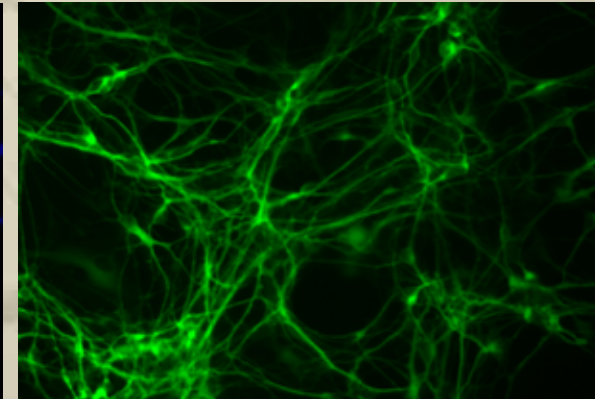
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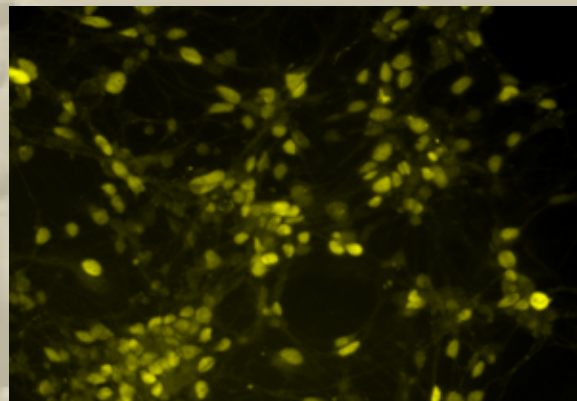
Hoechst



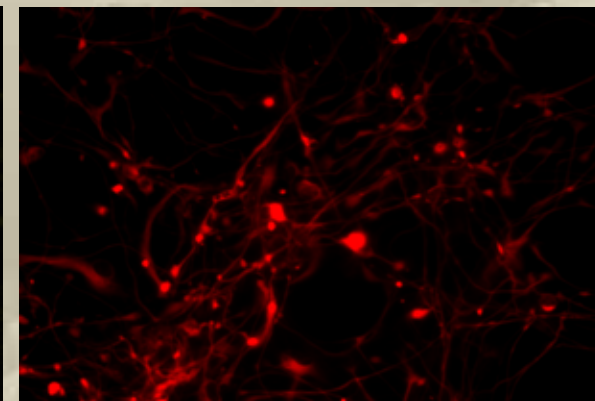
MAP2B (neurons)



Sox2 (neuronal stem)

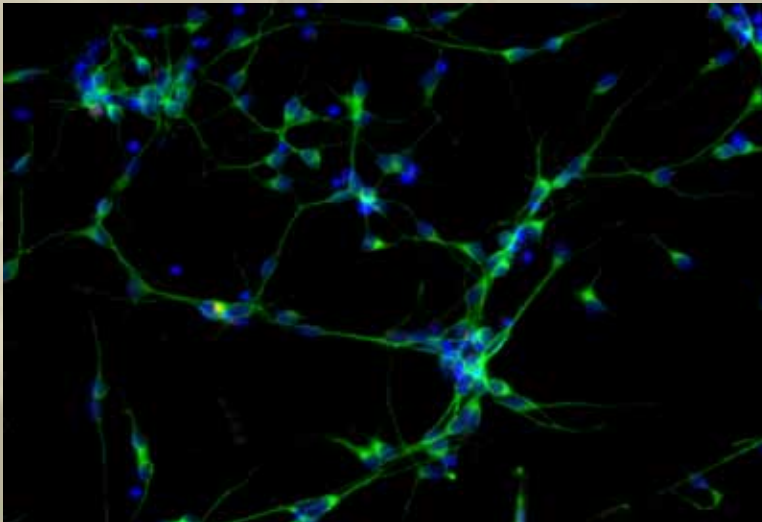
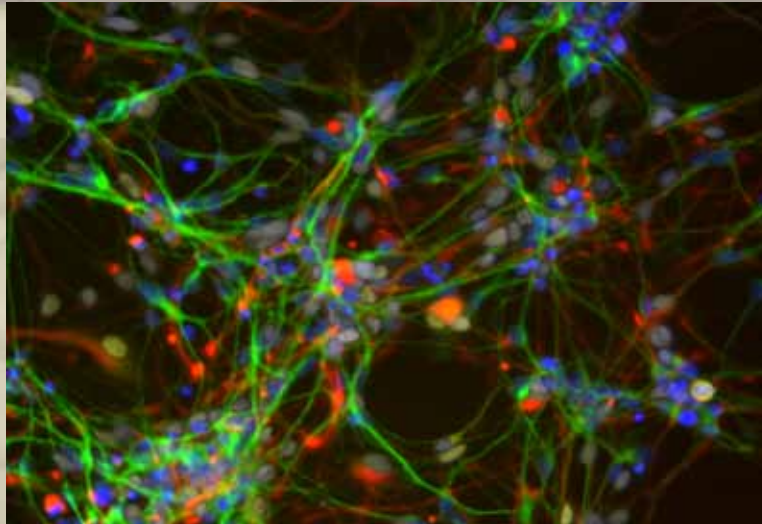


Nestin (neuronal stem)

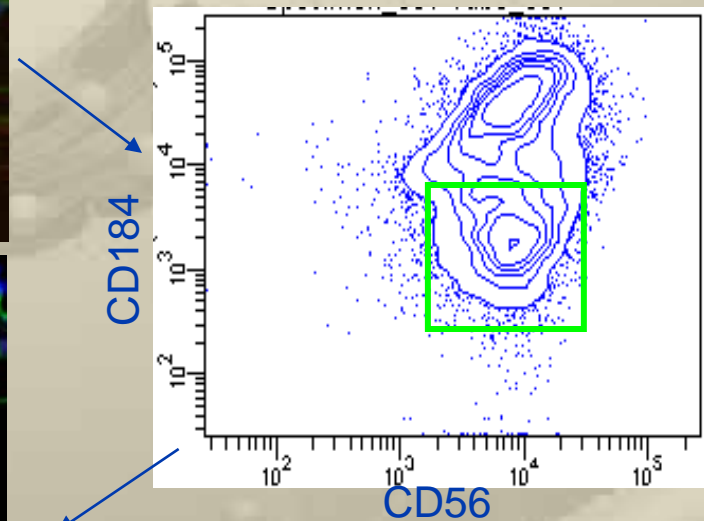


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BD Pathway: Examples for Applications : Image and Data Analysis of hES Colony Differentiation of Neuronal Stem Cells



hESCs differentiated into neurons produce a mixed culture. Cells were flow sorted to isolate the $CD56^+/CD184^{dim}$ population



Sorted population cultured for additional 10 – 14 days



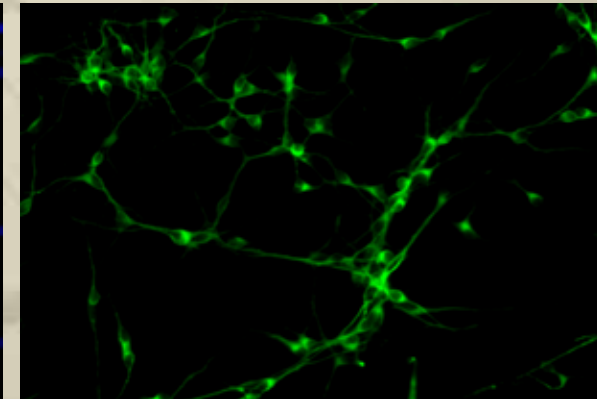
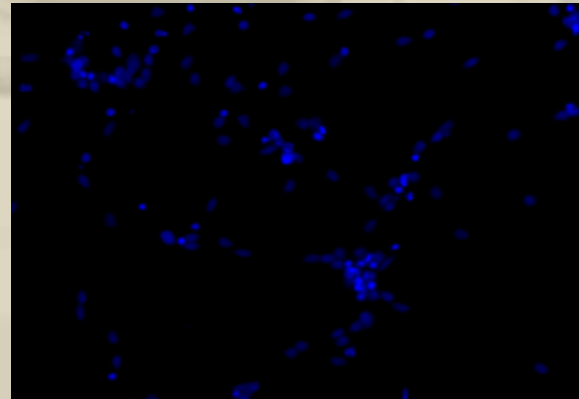
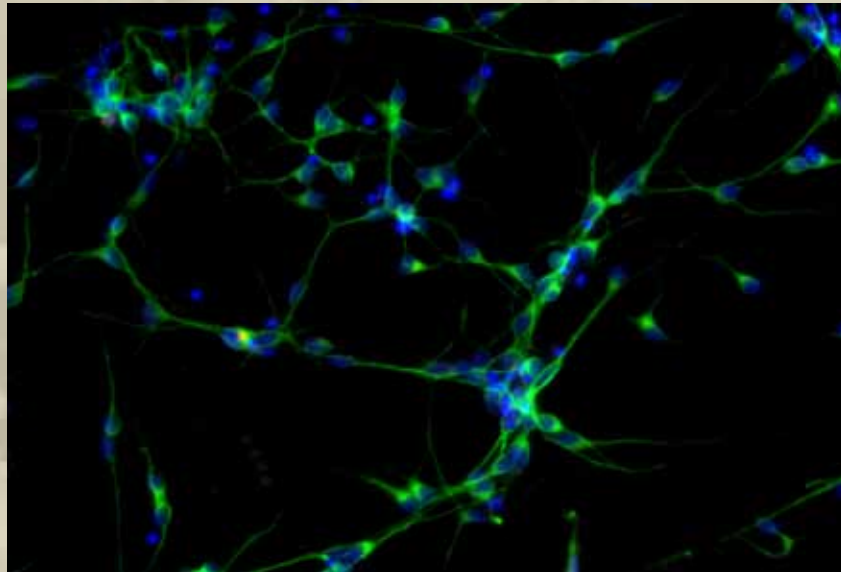
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BD Pathway: Examples for Applications : Image and Data Analysis of hES Colony Post Sort Images and Analysis

Merged image

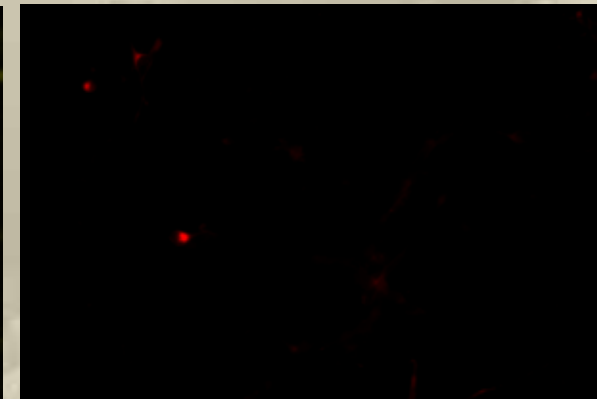
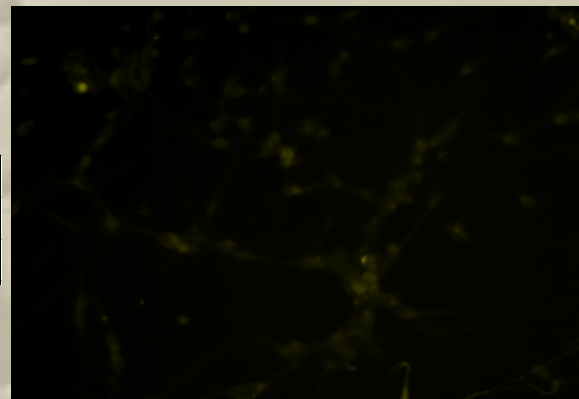
Hoechst

MAP2B (neurons)



Sox2 (neuronal stem)

Nestin (neuronal stem)

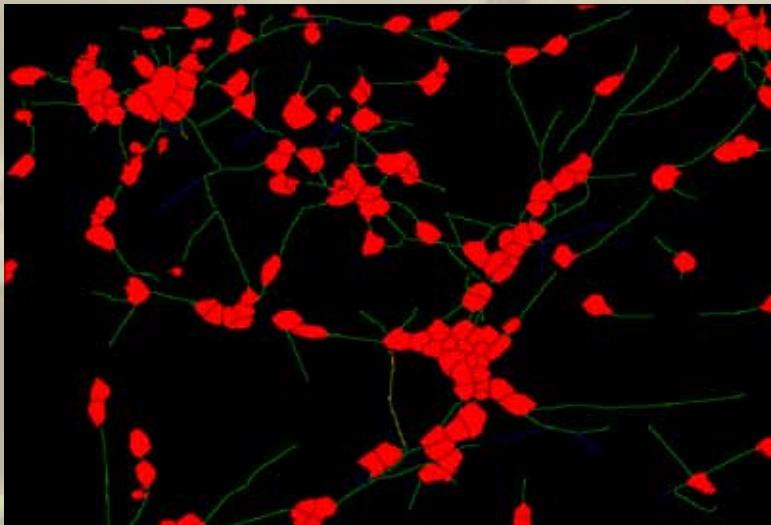
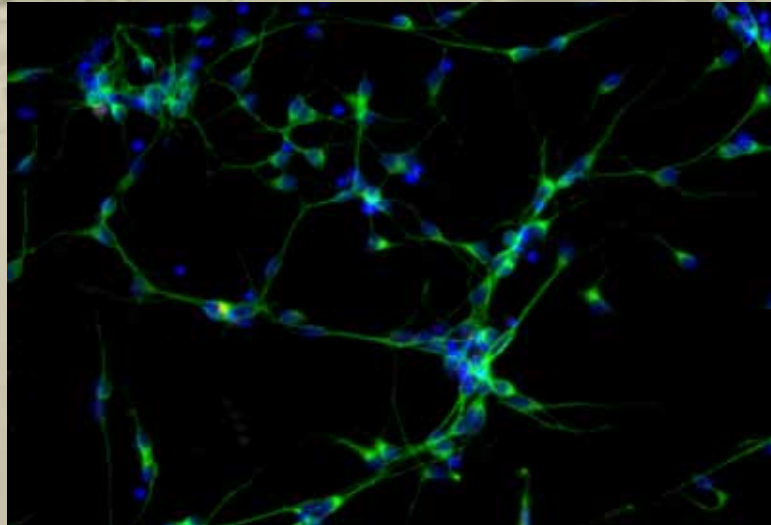


	Sox2	Nestin	Map2B	Hoechst
Post Sort	16	9	123	134
Percent	11.9	6.7	91.8	100

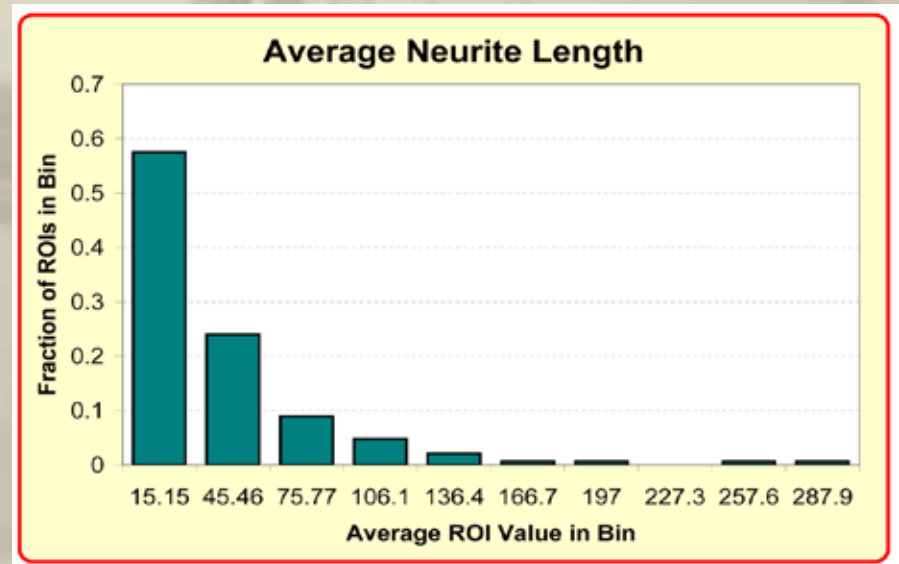


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BD Pathway: Examples for Applications Neurite Outgrowth Analysis in hES



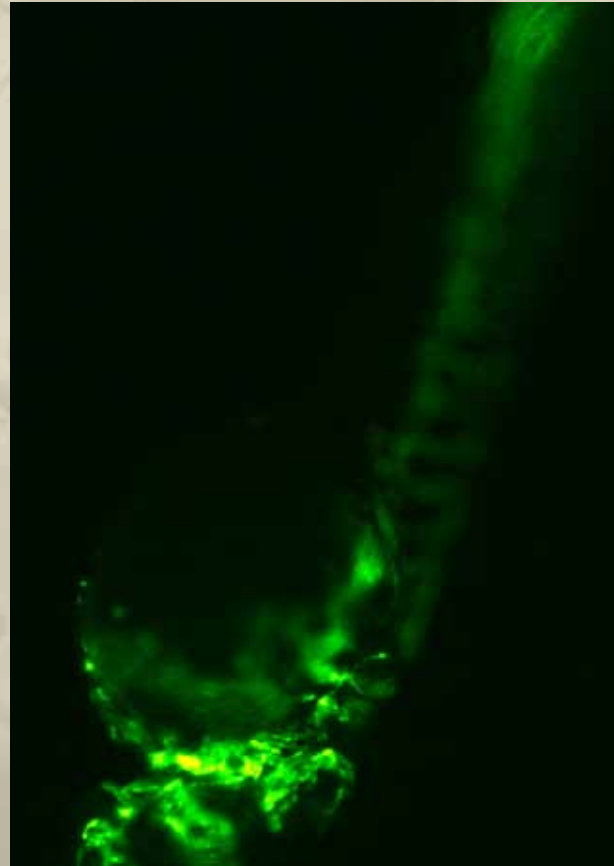
Neurites can be segmented and measured using Neurite Outgrowth software



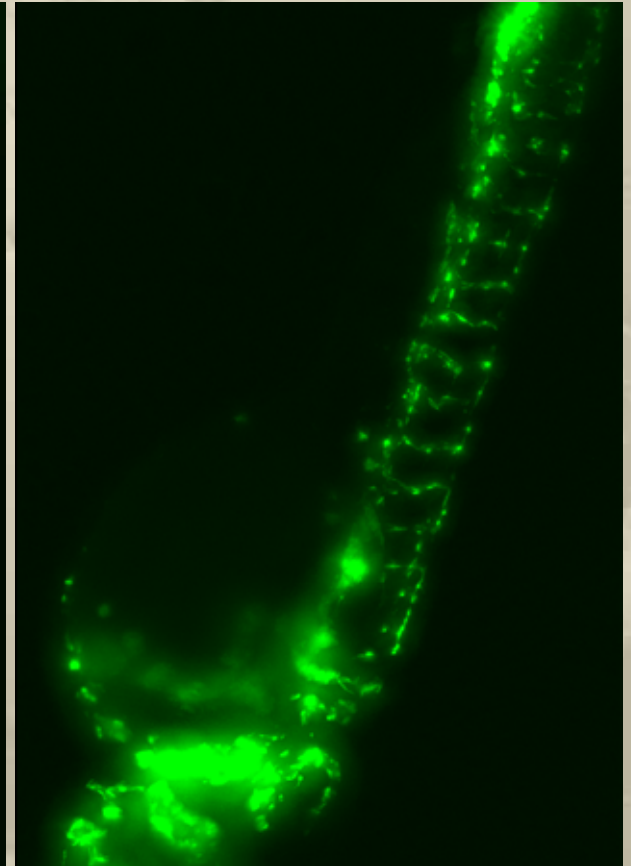
BD Pathway 855: Examples for Applications
Angiogenesis in whole organisms
Confocal Imaging of Zebrafish expressing GFP
Angiogenesis-GFP Control



Time-lapse, Transmitted



Confocal Z-sections



3D Reconstruction

Imaged on Pathway HT: GFP Confocal, 384-well plate



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Whole organisms: Zebra Fish

Stunned Fish Placed on Slides

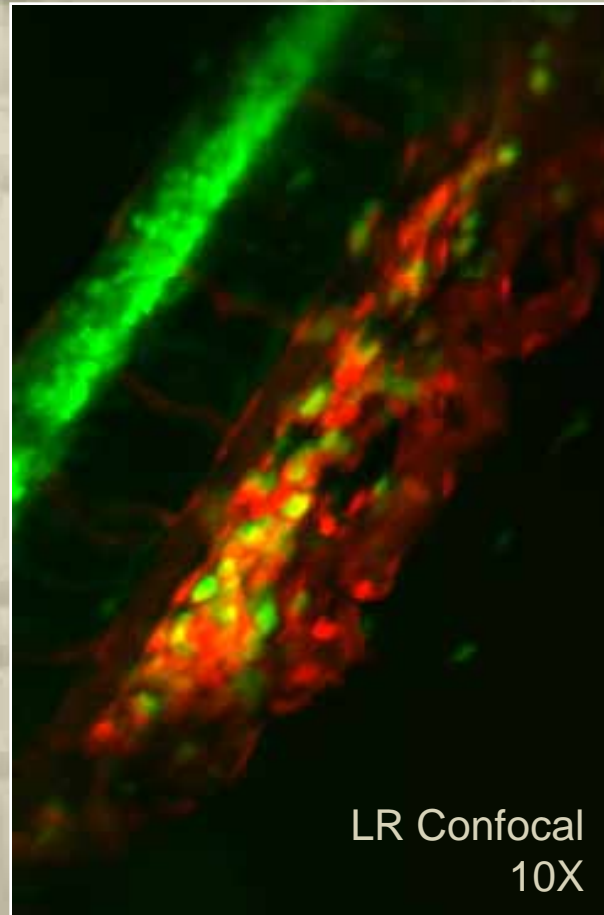
10X Objective
Wide Field Imaging
3X3 montage

10X Confocal
3X3 montage
1.5um Stacks
11 Sections

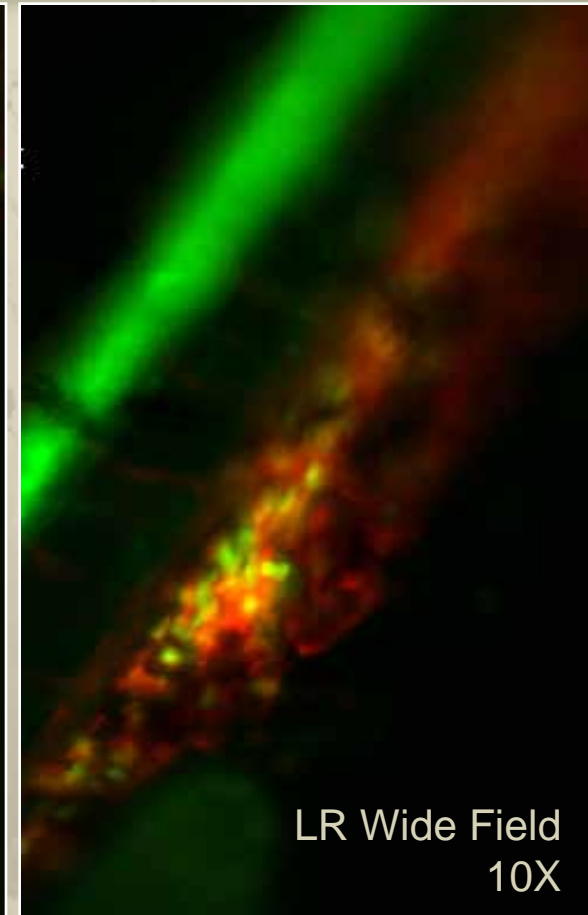
Cells should always be positive for DsRed
And only sometimes positive for GFP
Those cells that are positive for both will be
Blood Stem Cells (Yellow)

GFP: 100ms
DsRed: 97ms

GFP Confocal: 735ms; Gain of 10
DsRed Confocal: 1.7 sec



LR Confocal
10X



LR Wide Field
10X



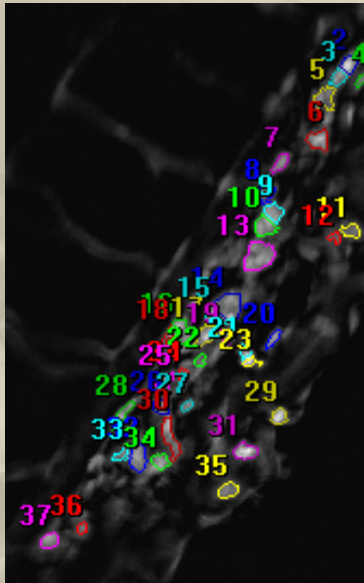
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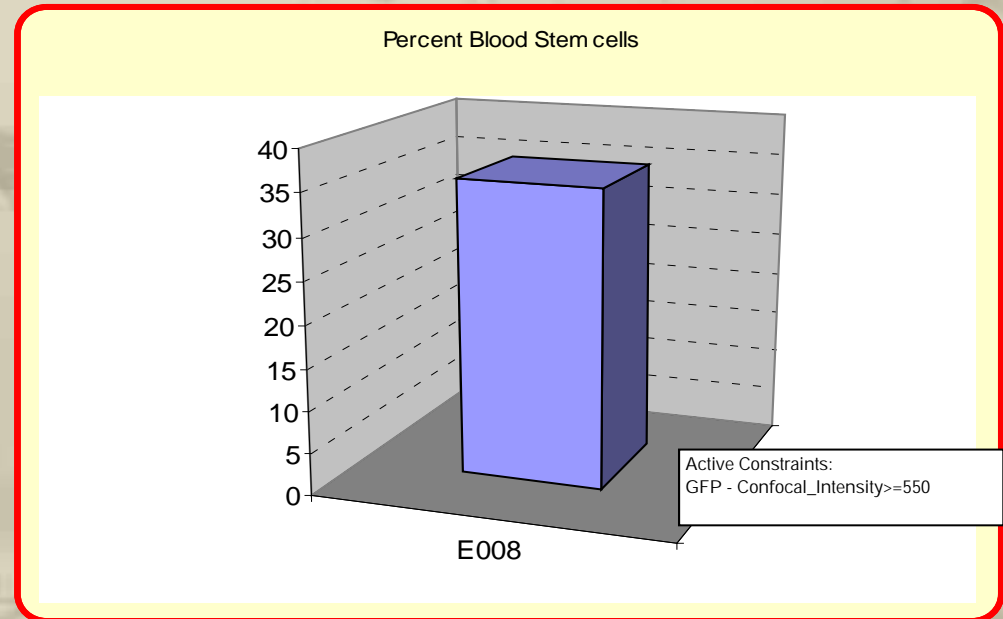
Whole organisms: Zebra Fish

Collapsed Stack Confocal Image Analysis

Rolling Ball Background Subtraction on DsRed Image
Polygon Segmentation using watershed to split cells
Measure DsRed and GFP Intensity with Nuclear Mask



LR Confocal



Data Constrained: GFP>550

Comments: Images and analysis would be improved with 20X confocal

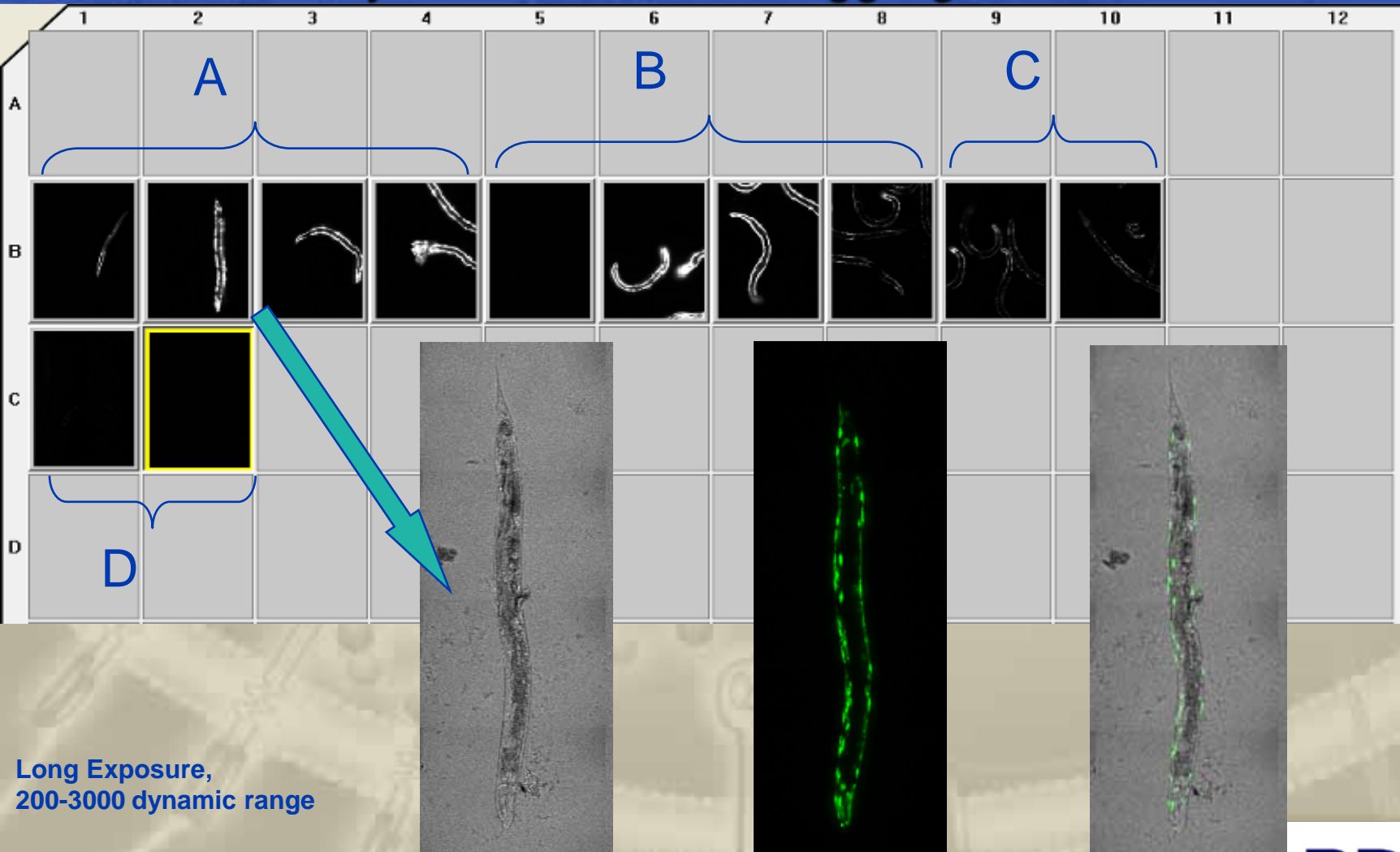


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Whole organisms: *C. elegans*

Analysis of fluorescent aggregates in 96 Well Plate



Long Exposure,
200-3000 dynamic range

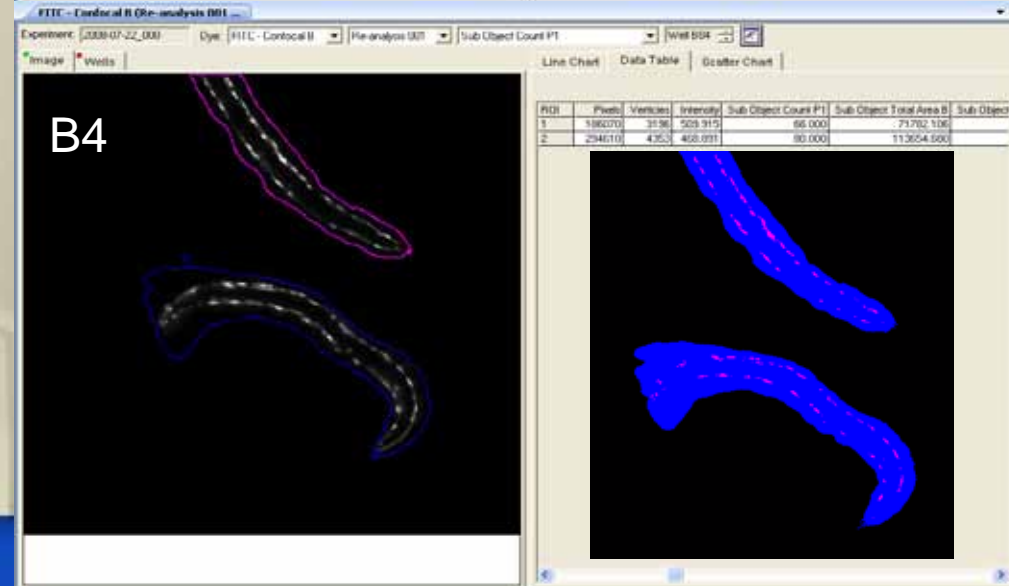
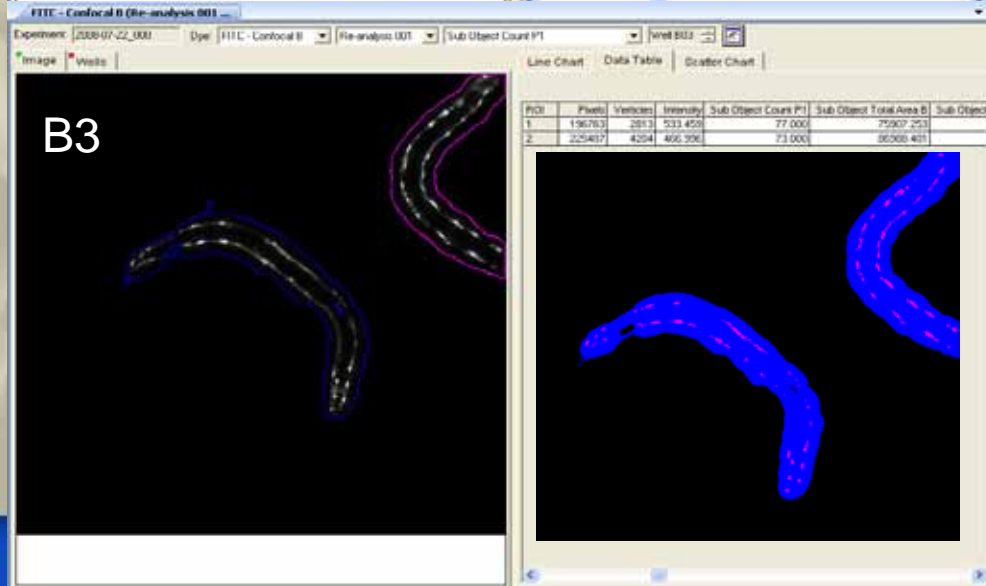
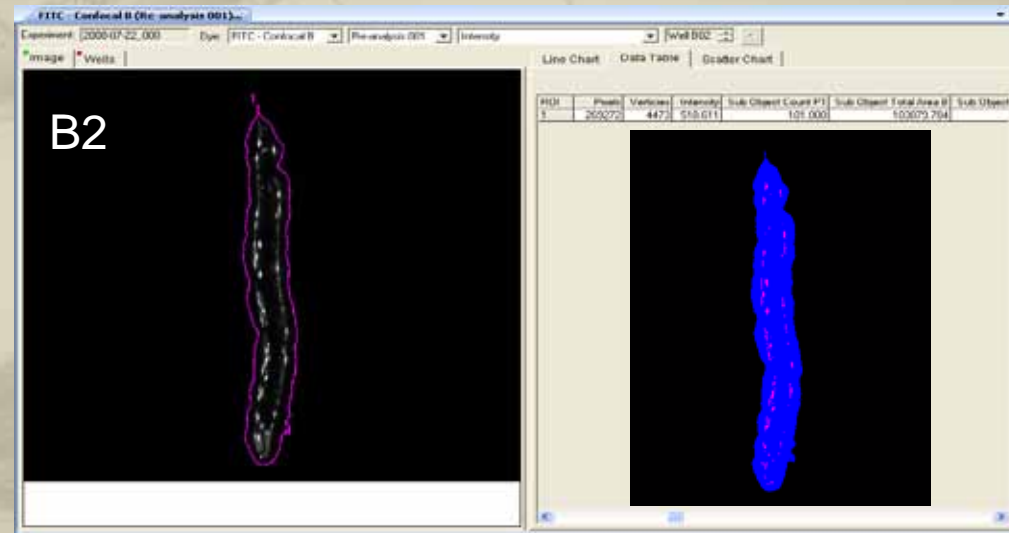
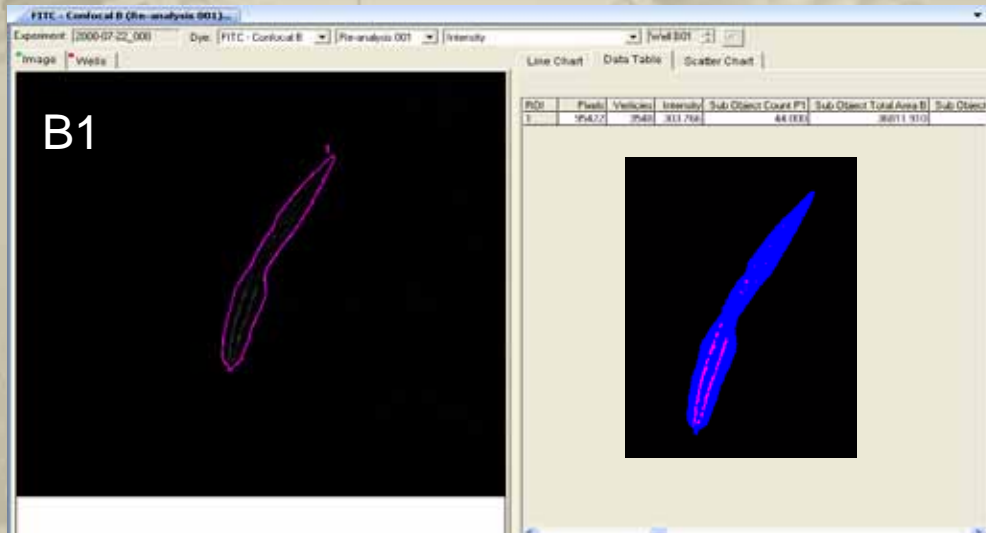


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Whole organisms: *C. elegans*

Analysis of fluorescent aggregates

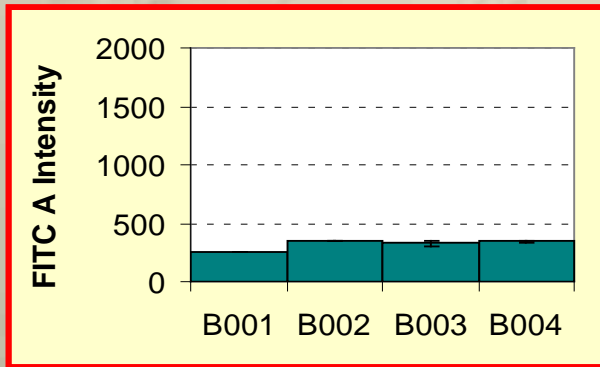


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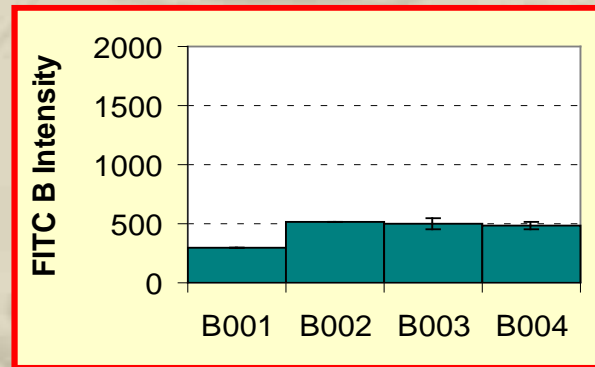
Whole organisms: *C. elegans*

Analysis of fluorescent aggregates

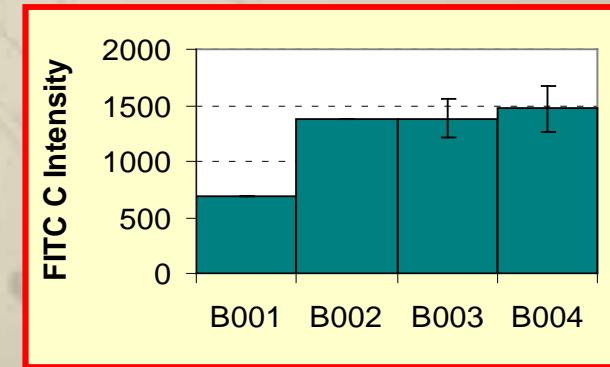
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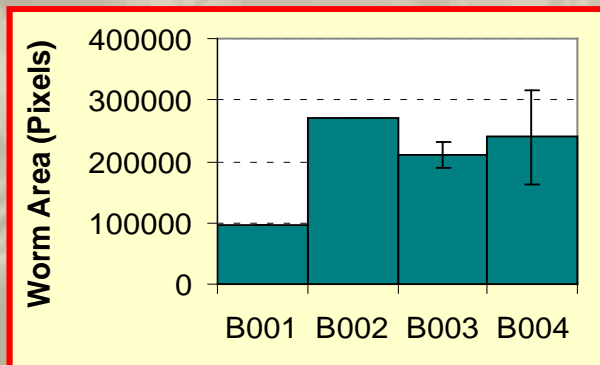
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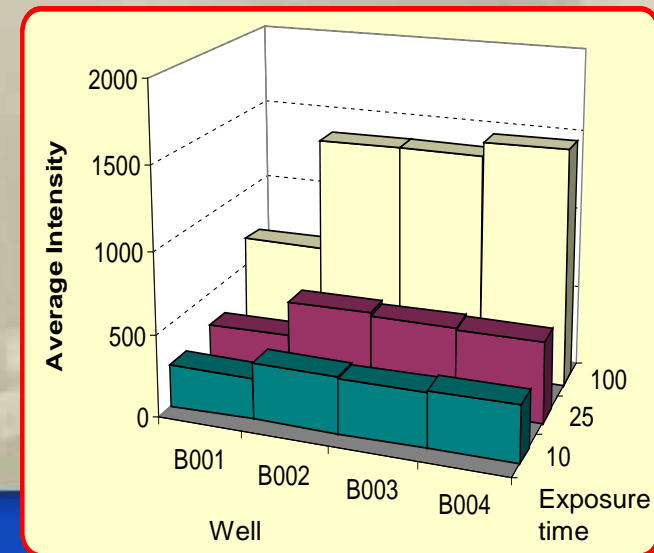
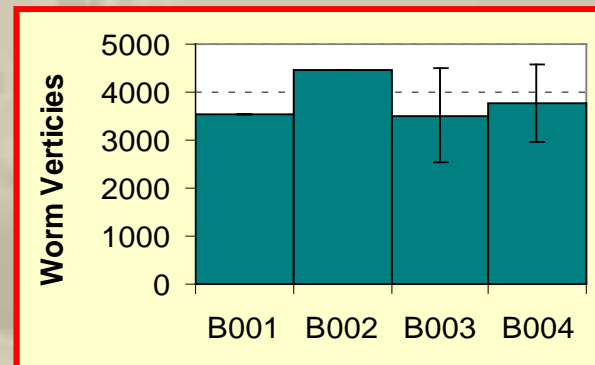
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Area



Vertices



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3. 2. Kinetic Assays



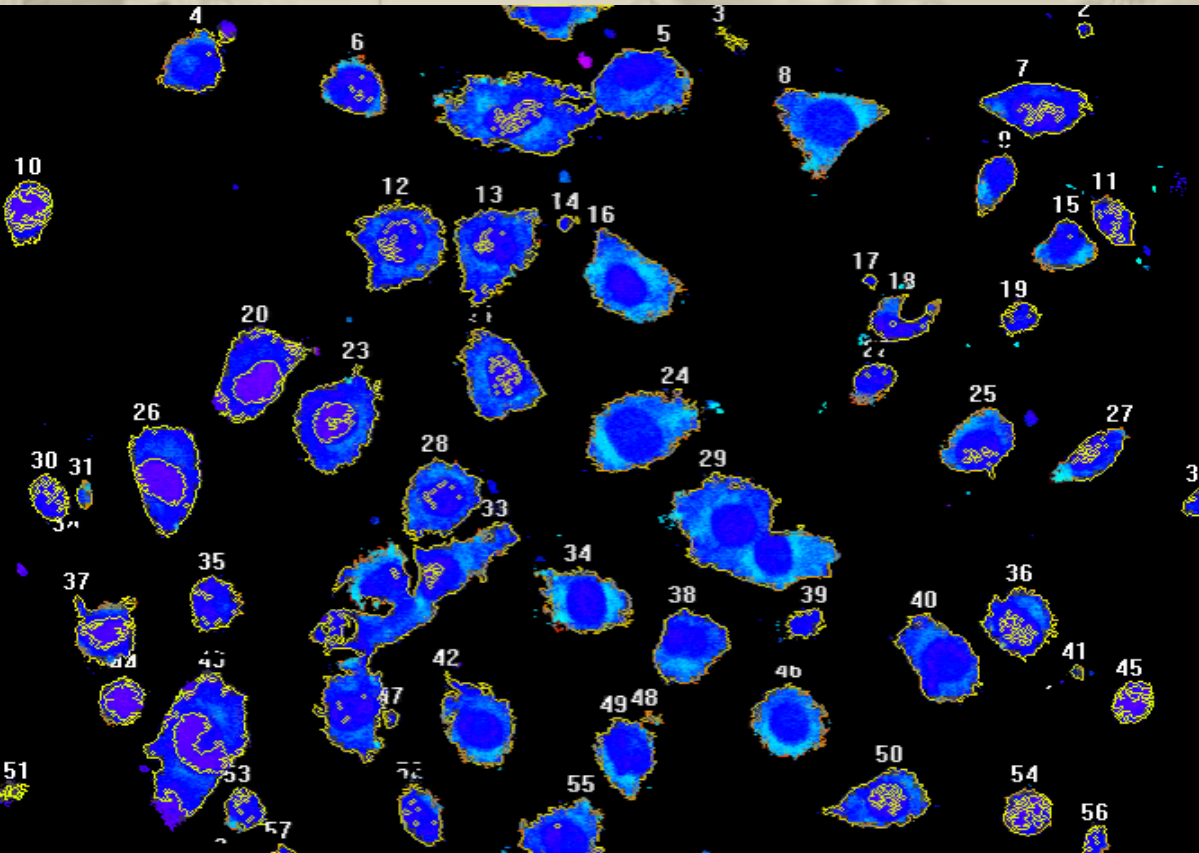
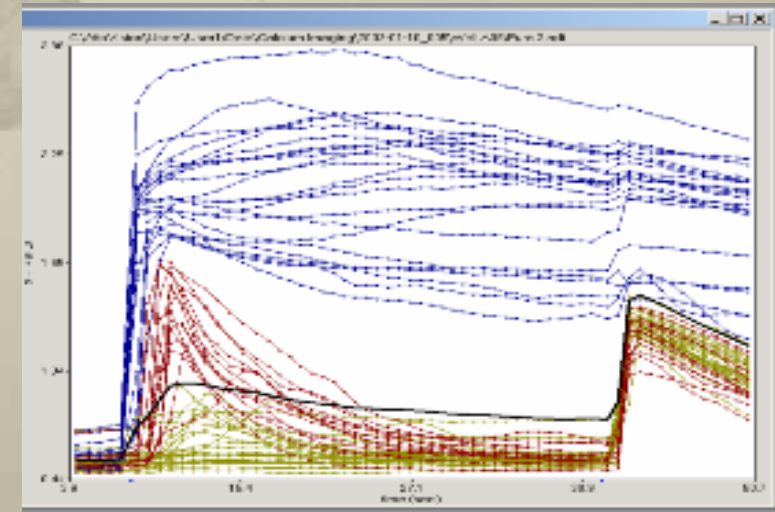
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Whole organisms: Fura-2 ratiometric calcium imaging

Live Cell Kinetic Calcium Assay

20x objective



Ca²⁺ response in stably transfected (VR1 receptor) NIH 3T3 cells after stimulation with an agonist

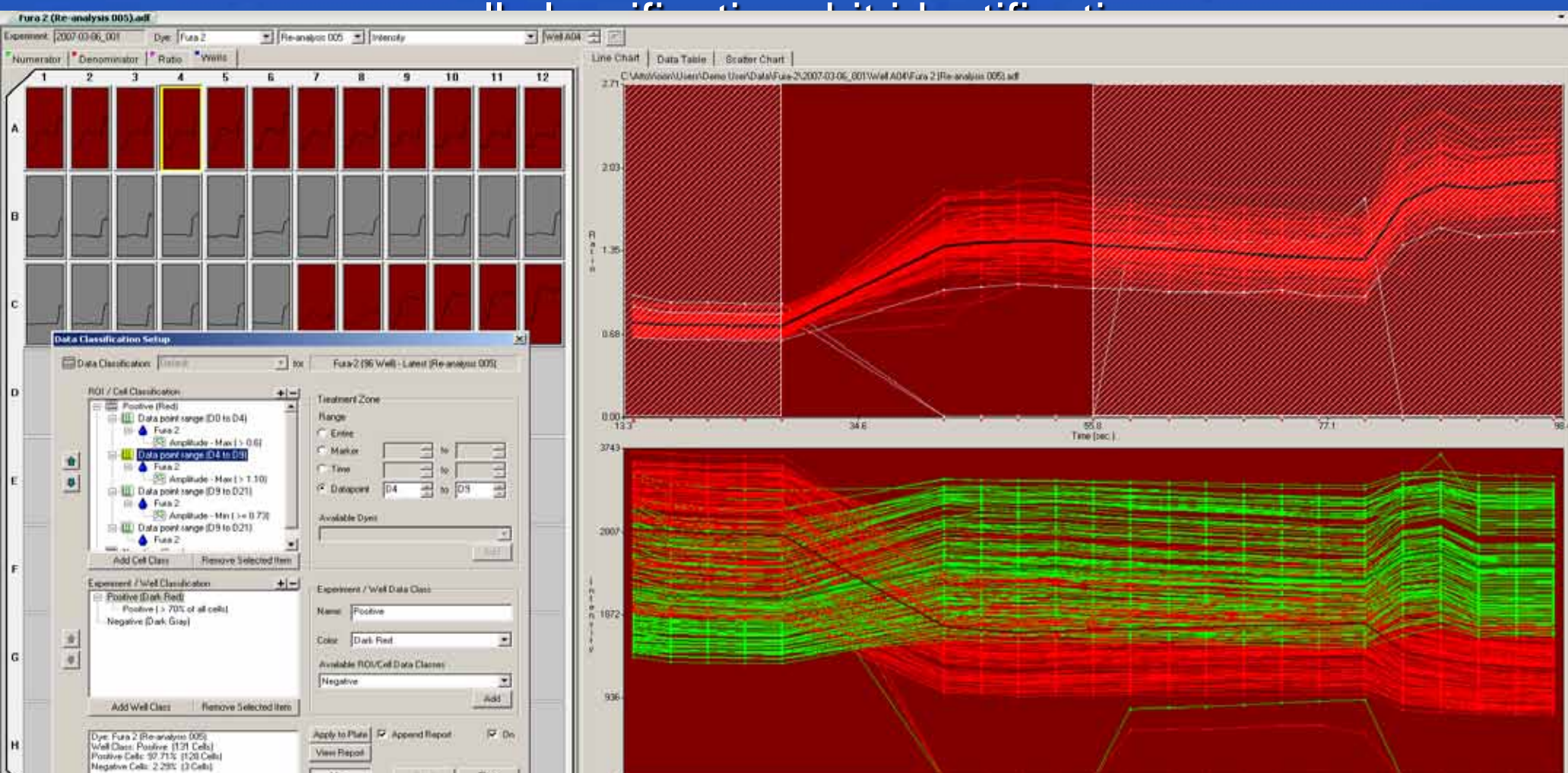
Cells line: Dr. Mike Iadarola, NIDCR, NIH, Bethesda, MD



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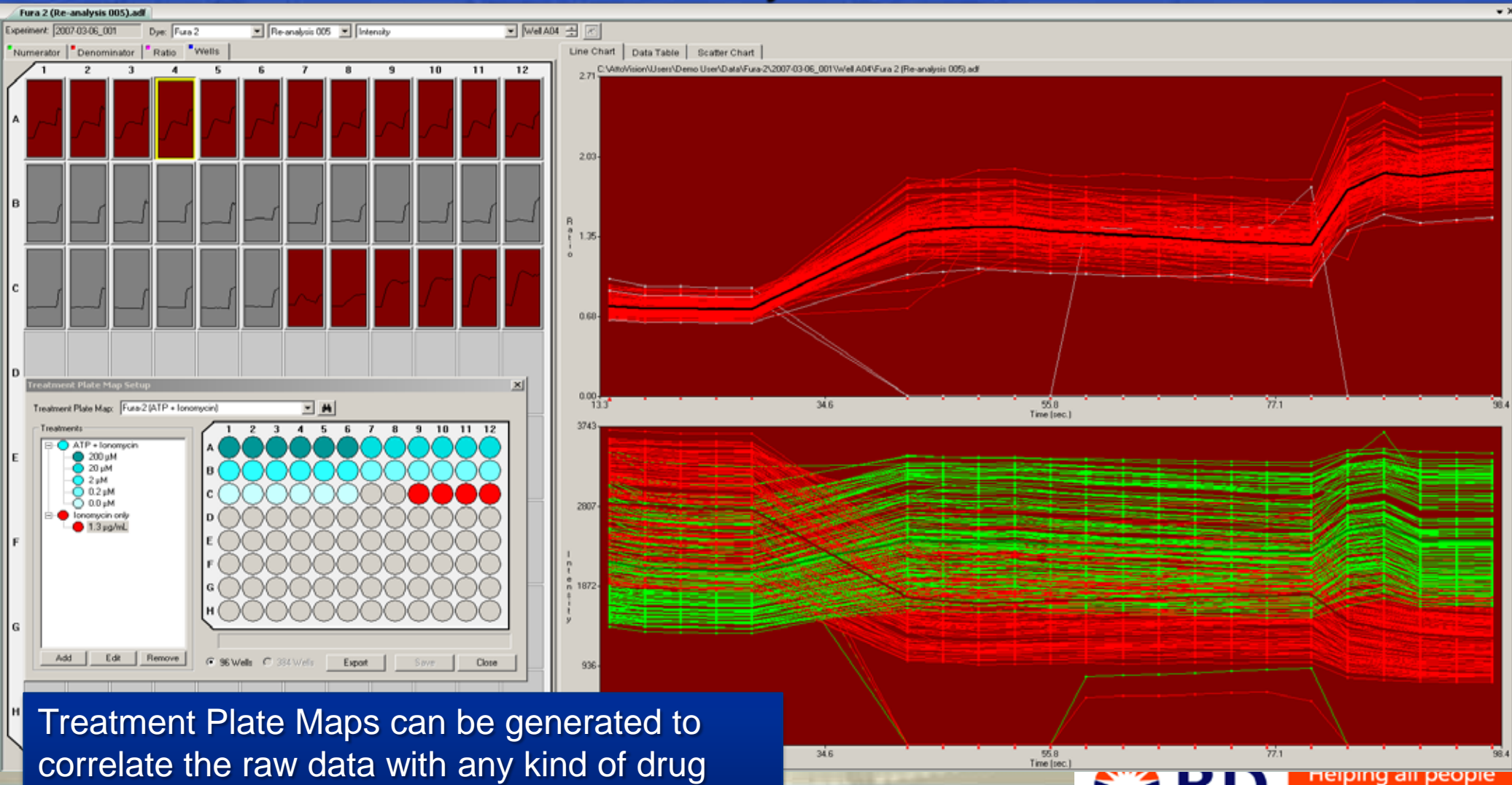
BD Attovision: Data Classification of kinetic calcium assay (Fura-2)



The Data Classification tool allows split up the experiment into treatment zones and classify cells and wells e.g. into positive and negative events according to six criteria per parameter and channel, such as the "Amplitude Maximum, Minimum or Average", the "Area Under the Curve" or the "Rate of Rise" and "Rate of Fall" (here parameter "Intensity" was chosen for the Fura-2 channel). This classification may be applied to the whole plate and a red thumbnails indicate those wells contains cells that meet the criteria. Multiple classes and corresponding colours can be set up.

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Combination of well classification with dose-response analysis



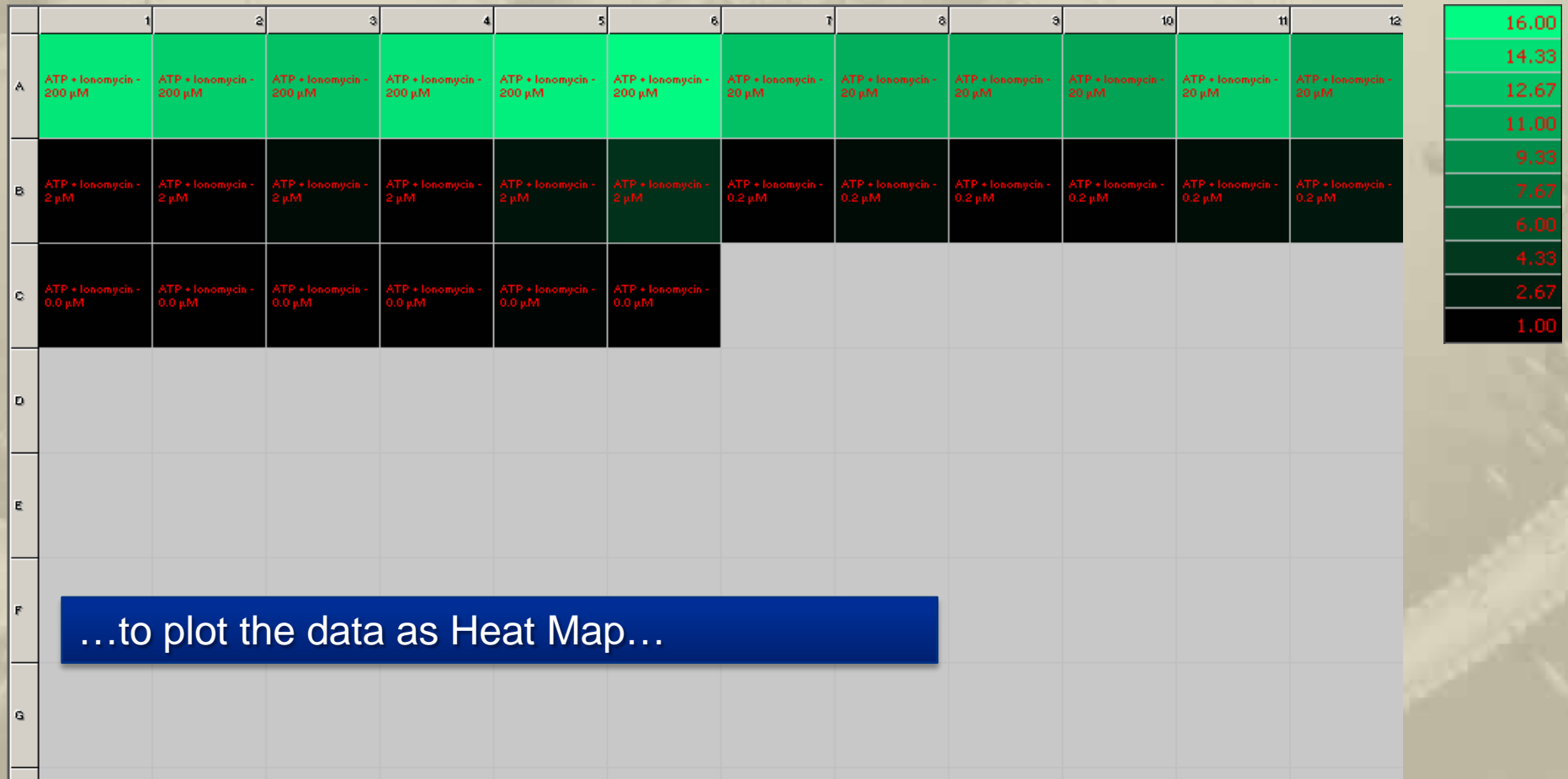
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Analysis of calcium responses:

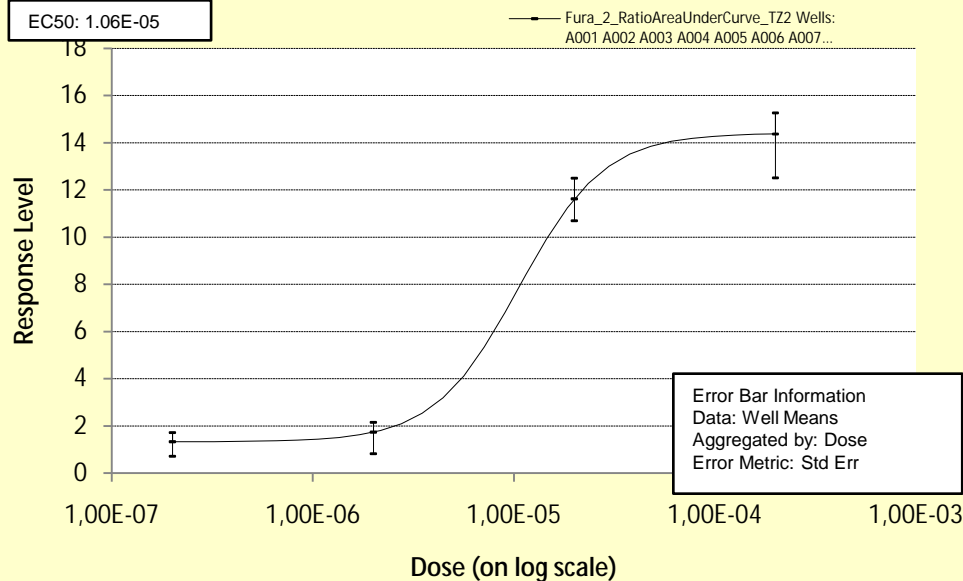
Image Data Explorer for data analysis - Heat Maps



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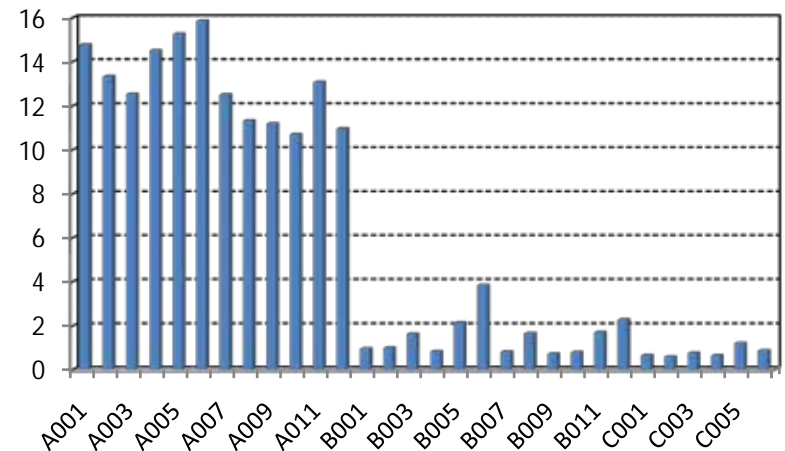
Analysis of calcium responses: BD Image Data Explorer for data analysis: graphing the data

Hill 4 Parameter Logit: Response Levels vs. Dose Levels



Average Values In Selected Wells Data Source: RoiSummary_Reanalysis_005

Fura_2_RatioAreaUnderCurve_TZ2



...Dose Response Curves or Bar Chart as well as many other graph formats.

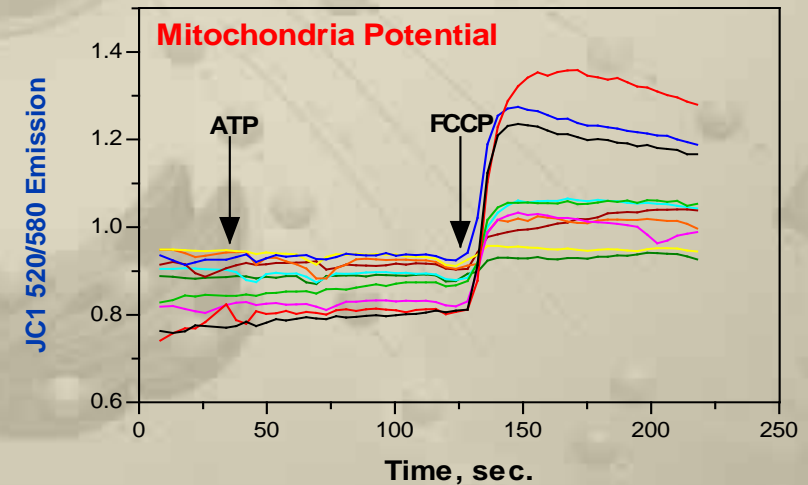
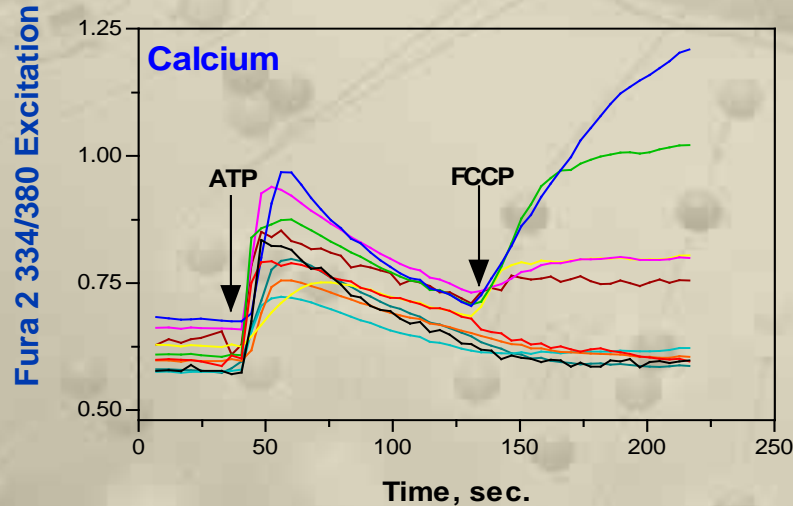


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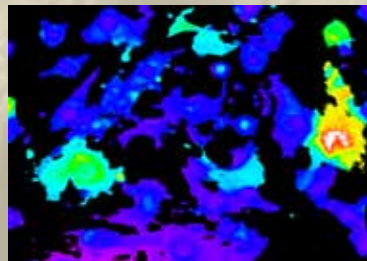
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Kinetic Multiplexing: Simultaneous Dual Ratiometric Measurement of Calcium and Mitochondria Membrane potential

*NIH 3T3 Cells Expressing the
Ligand-gated VR1 Ion Channel*

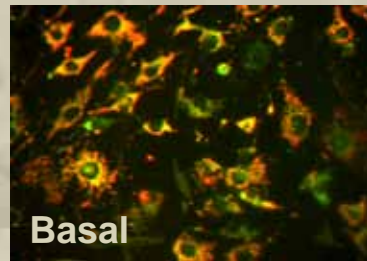


Fura - 2

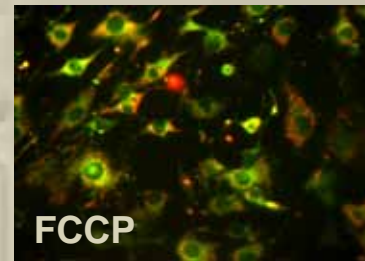


334/380nm ratio

JC - 1



Basal



FCCP

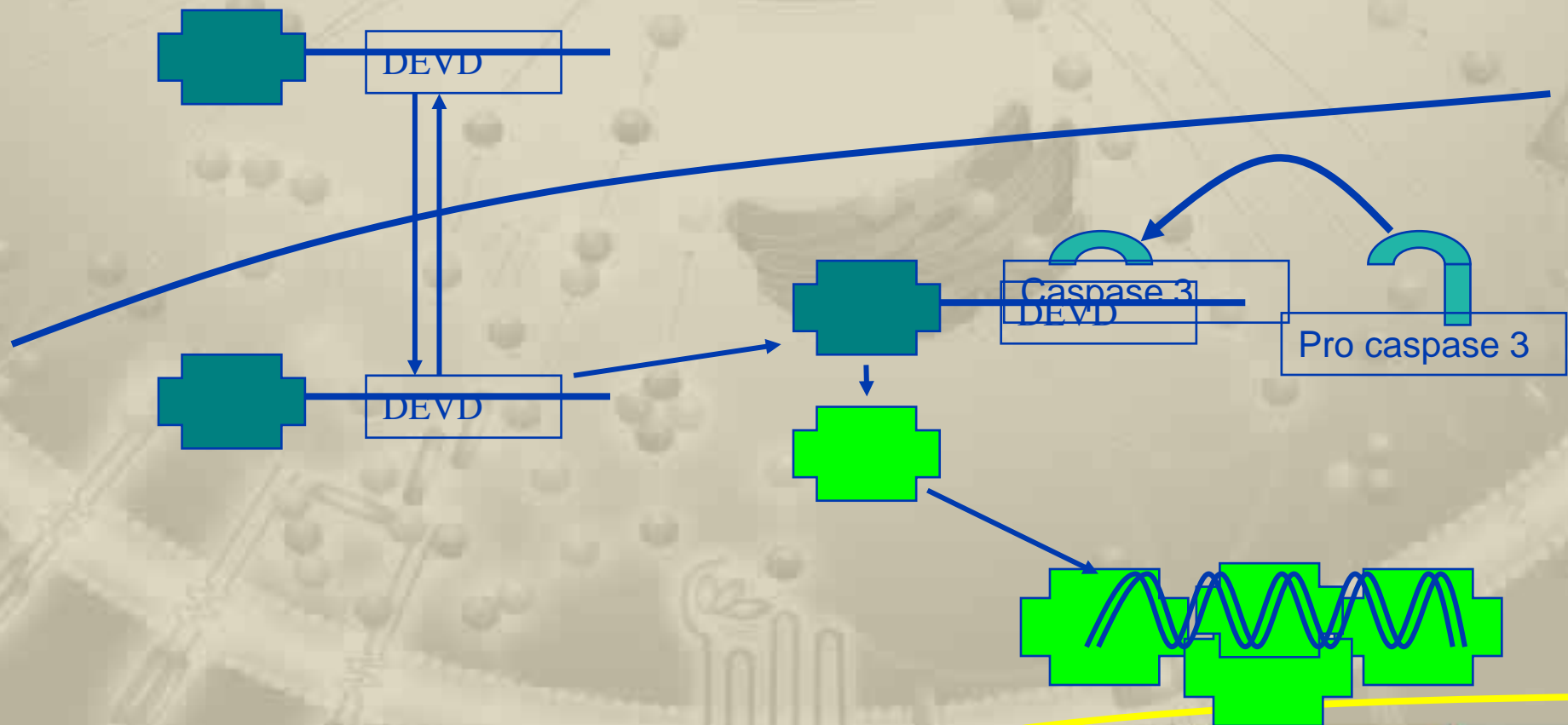
520nm and 580nm emission images merged



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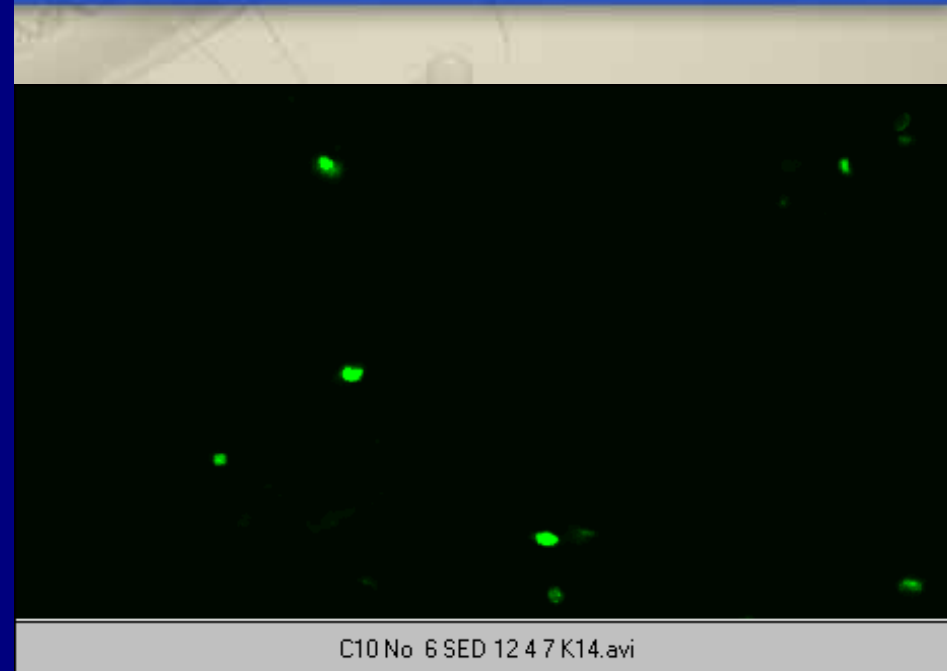
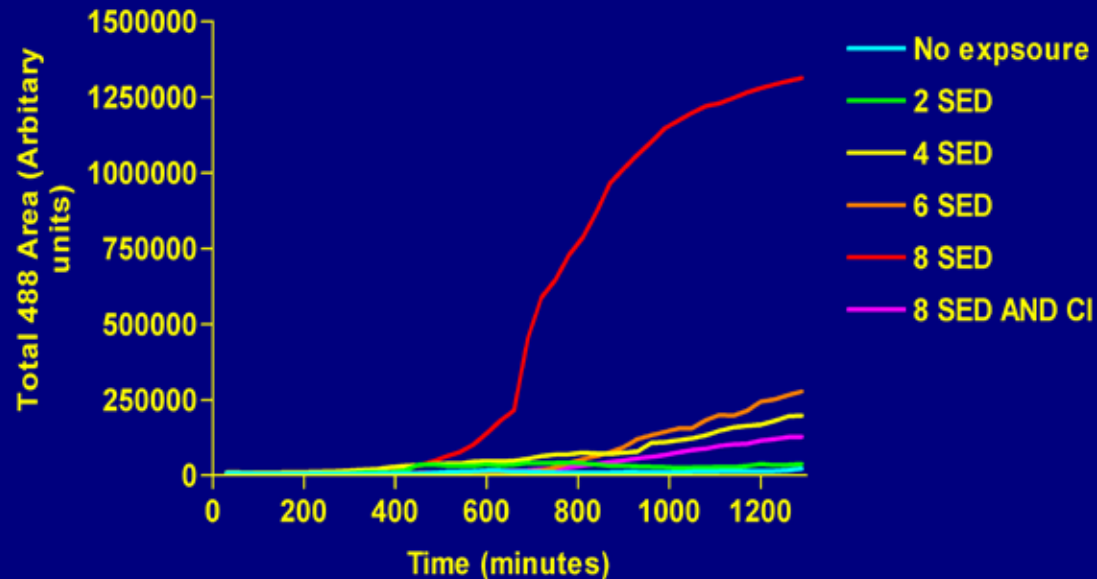
Apoptosis

Methods – NucView™ 488 Caspase substrate



Effect of UV radiation on Caspase-3 activity

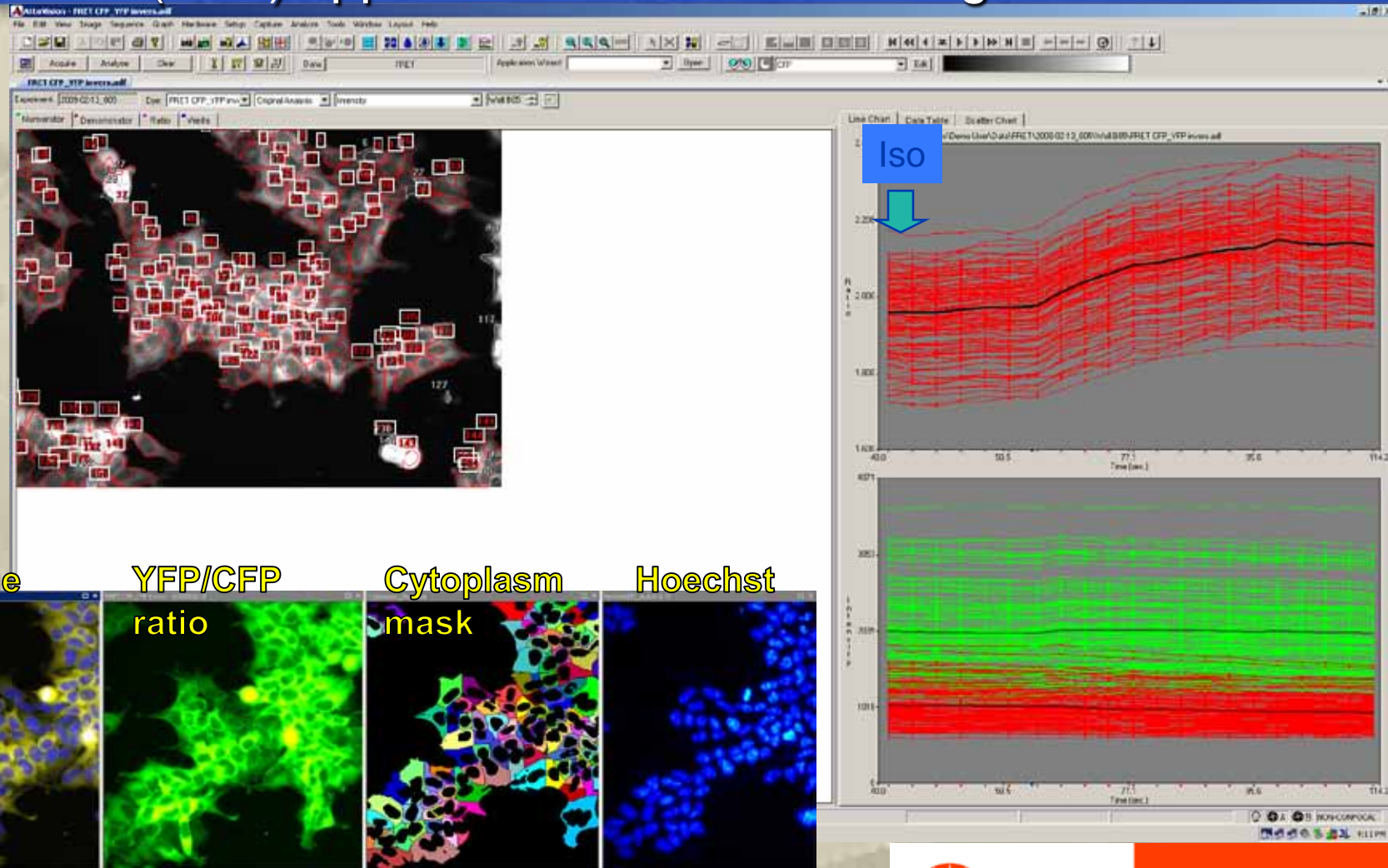
Caspase-3 Dose Response in Primary Keratinocytes



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FRET: Images and Segmentation of CFP/YFP FRET pair

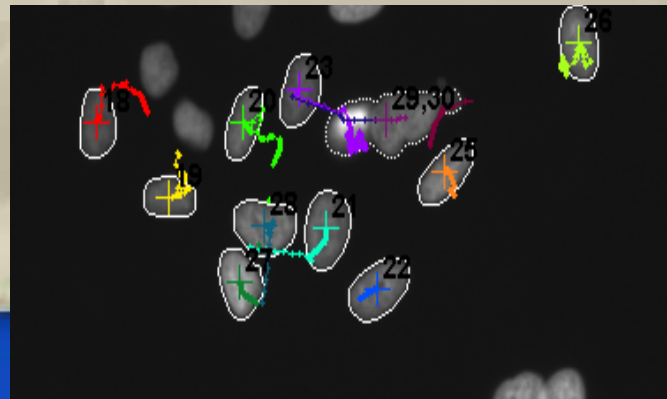
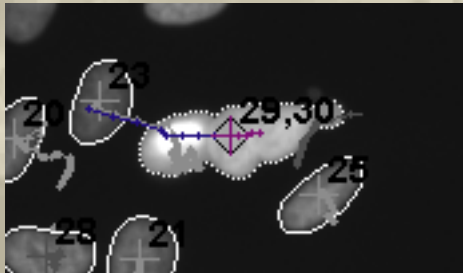
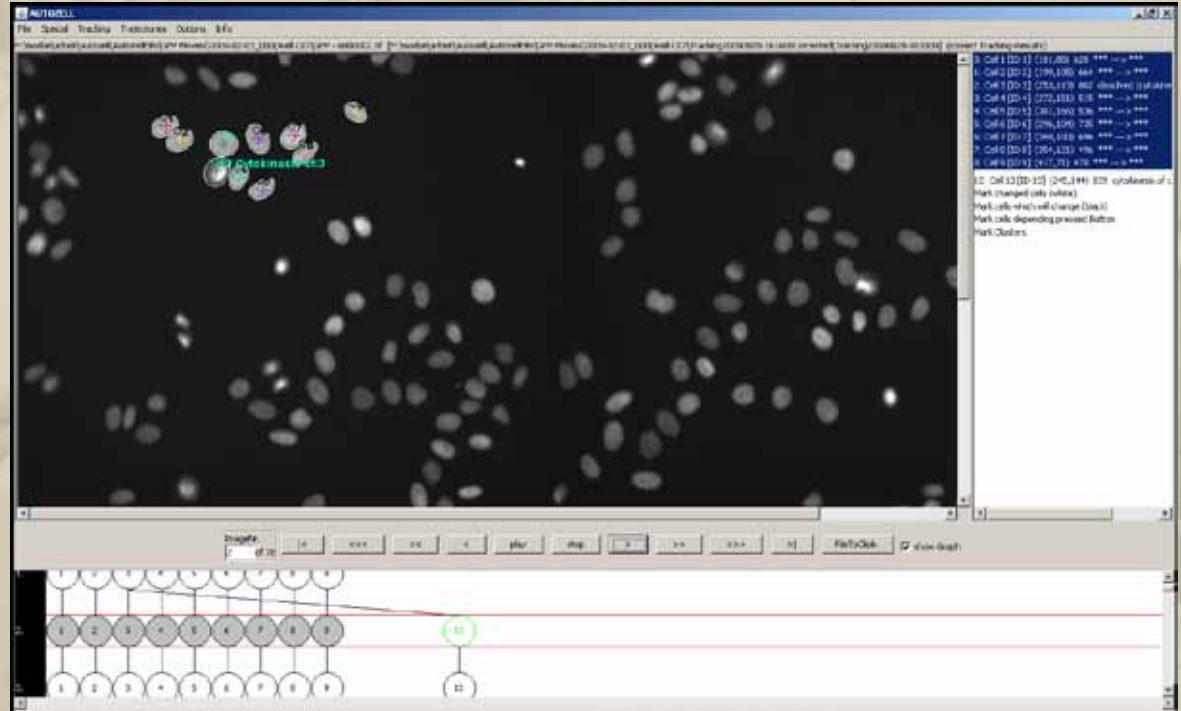
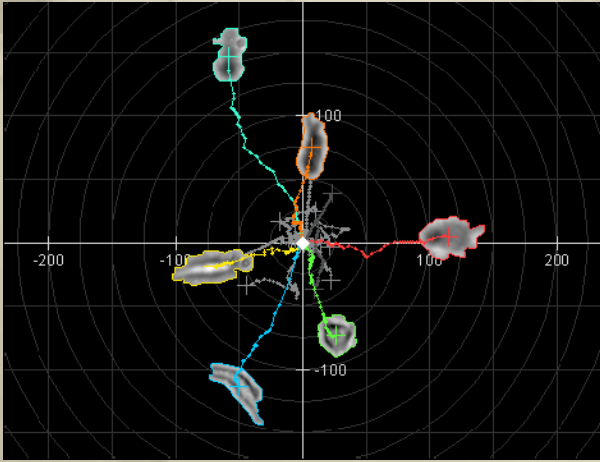
Isoprotenerol (2uM) application results in a change of FRET

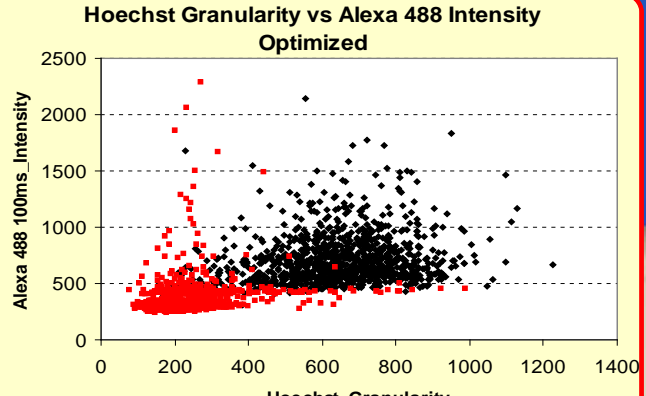


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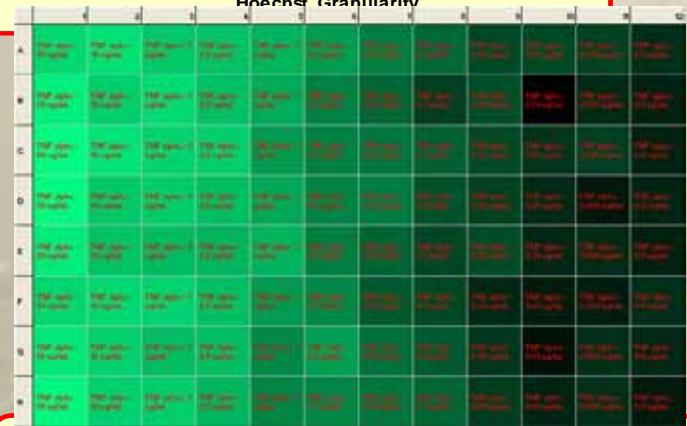
BD collaborates with TZI BREMEN to enable direct tracking analysis of
Attovision time series with AUTOZELL
tracking of cell division



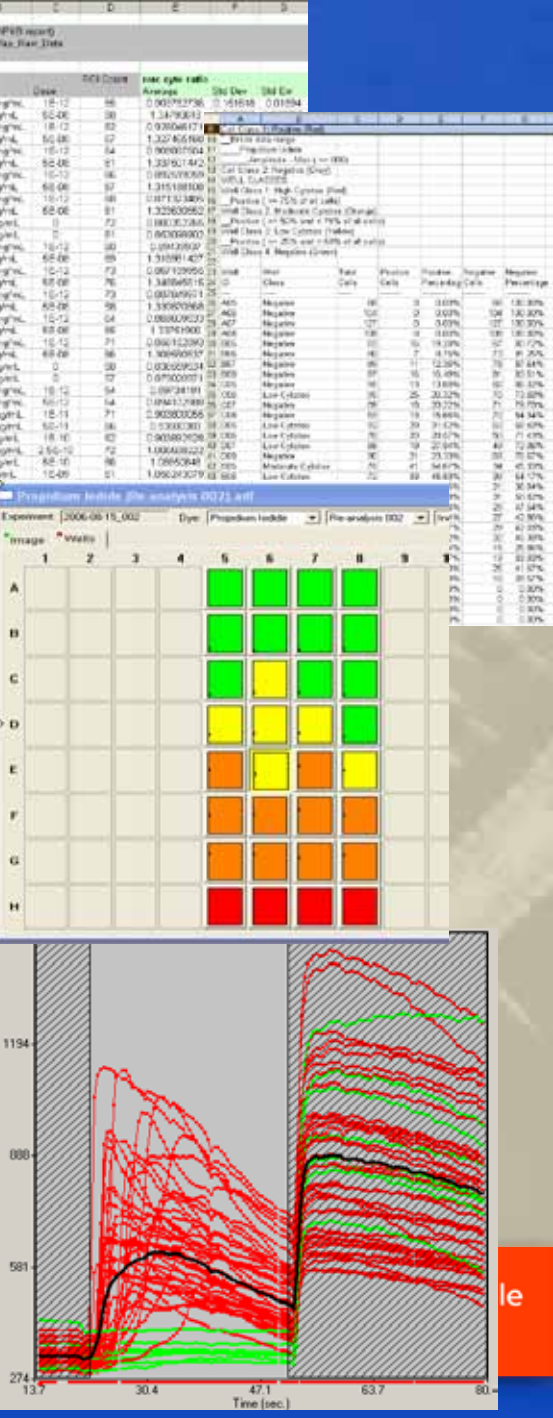
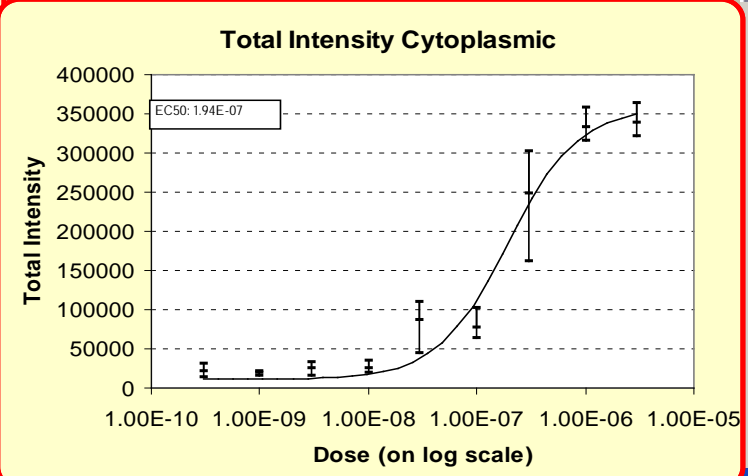
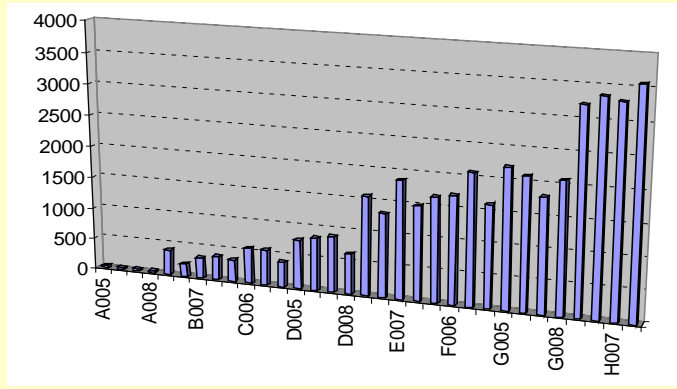


AttoVision Data Analysis Outputs

- Built in flexibility
 - Open architecture
- Choice of data output
 - Kinetic analysis
 - Data classification
 - EC/IC₅₀ curves
 - Bar charts
 - Scatter plots
 - Heat maps
 - Reports

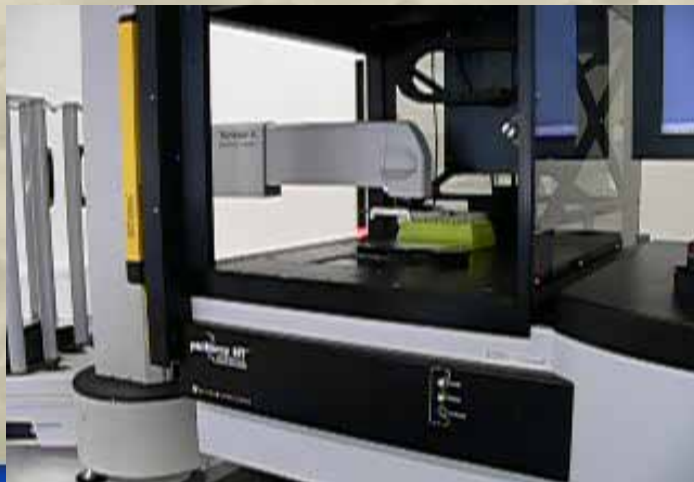
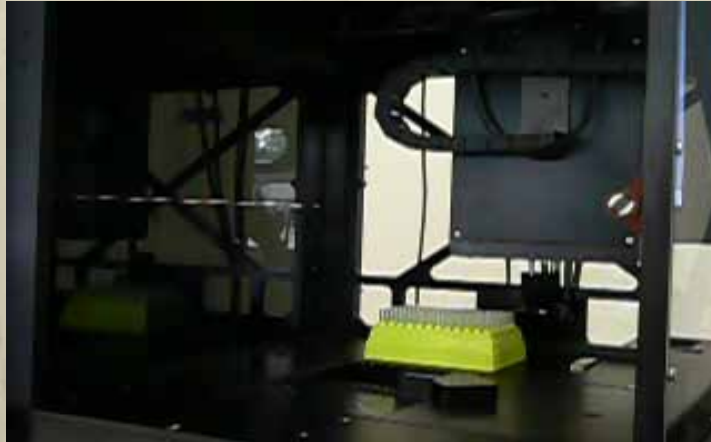


Average Intensity of PI



Integration with robotics:

BD Pathway Bioimager 855 + Caliper TWISTER II

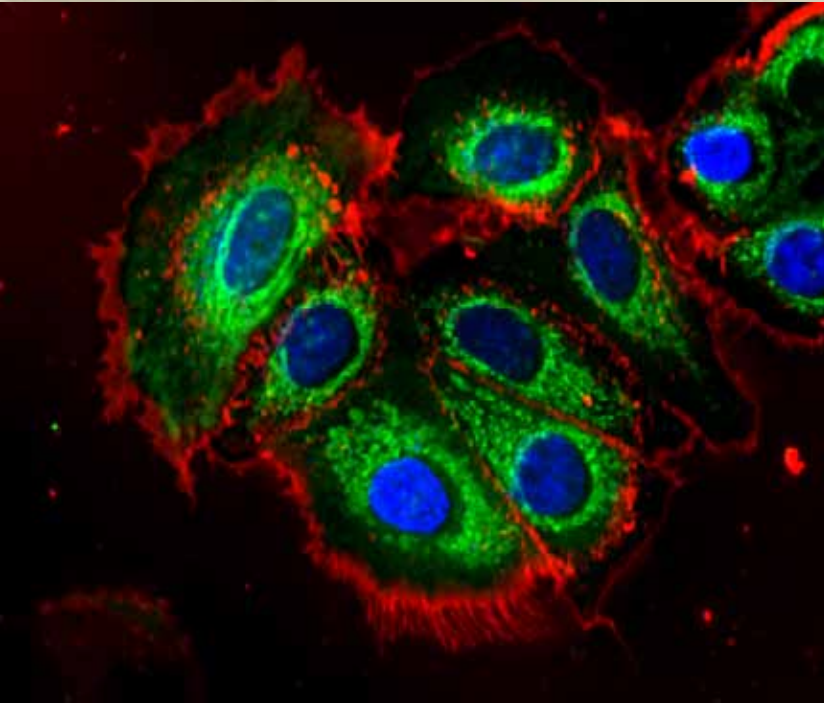
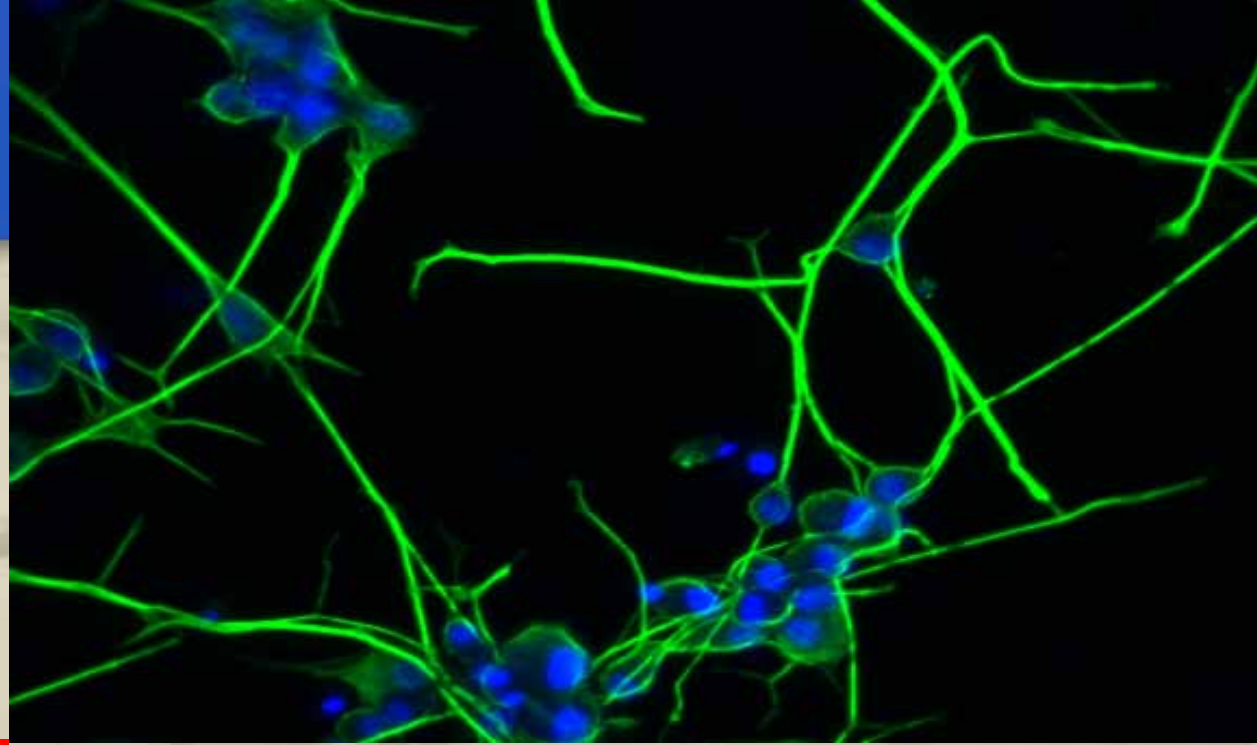


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