

Modelling of leukemia development in the bone marrow

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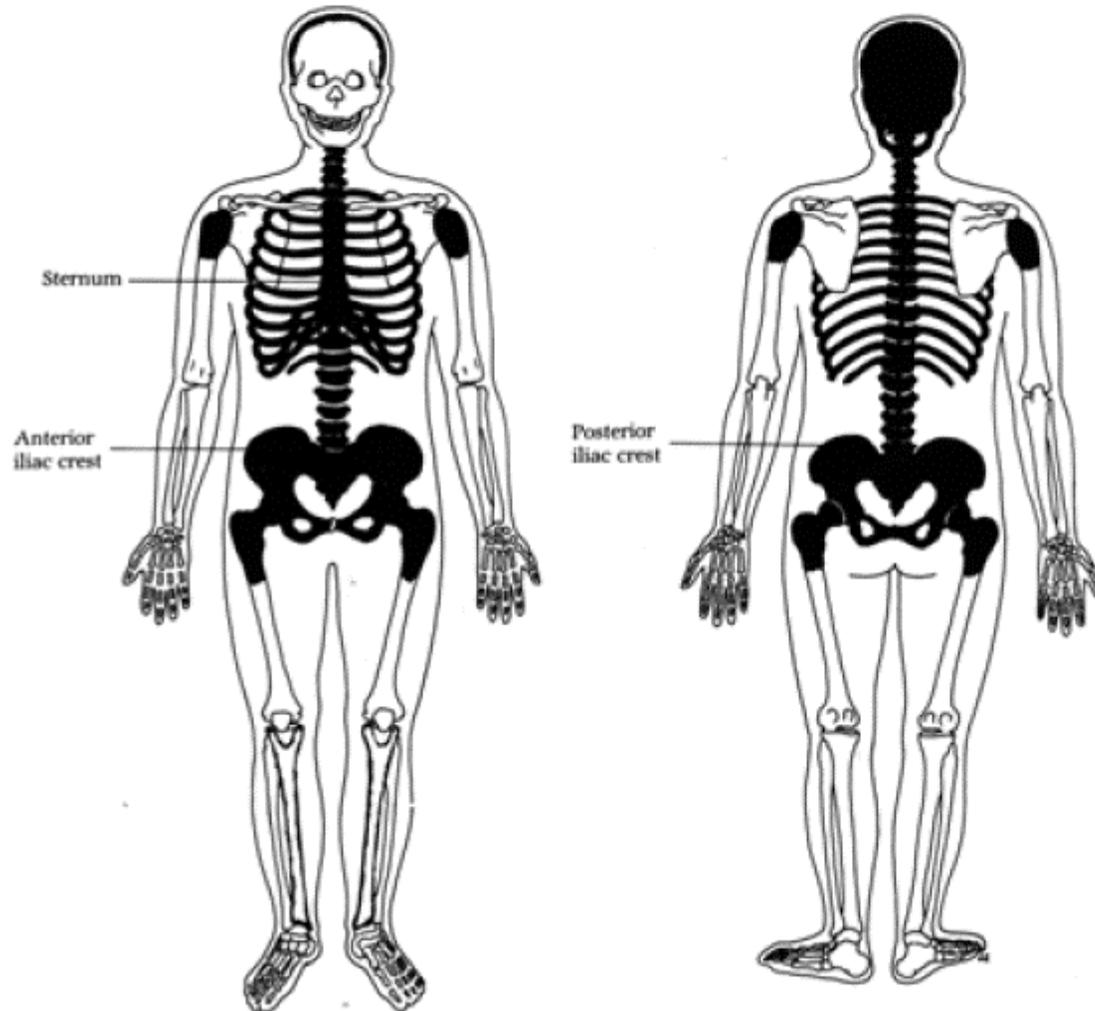
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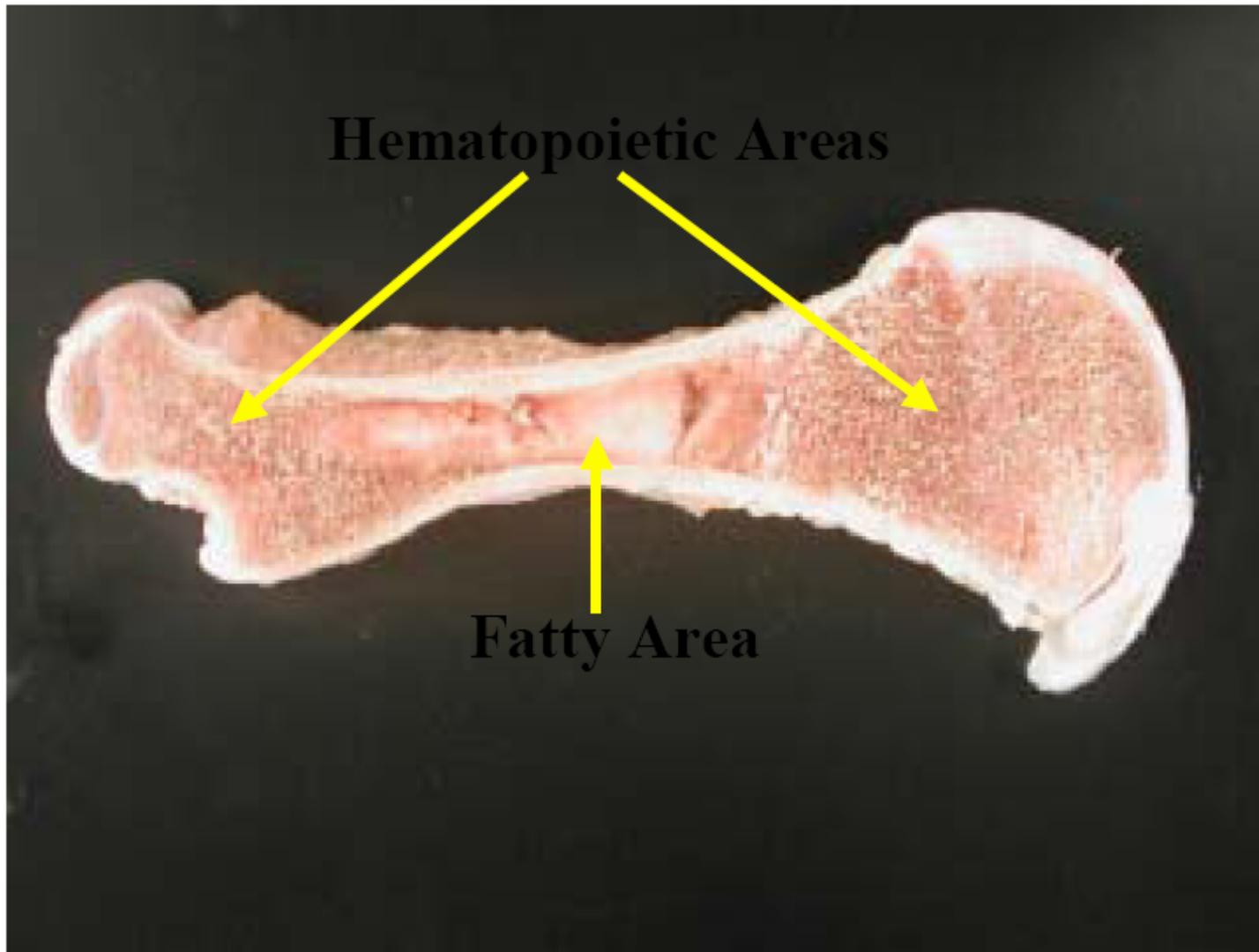
Plan of the presentation

- 1. About hematopoiesis
- 2. Leukemia diagnostics with flow cytometry
- 3. Cellular modelling

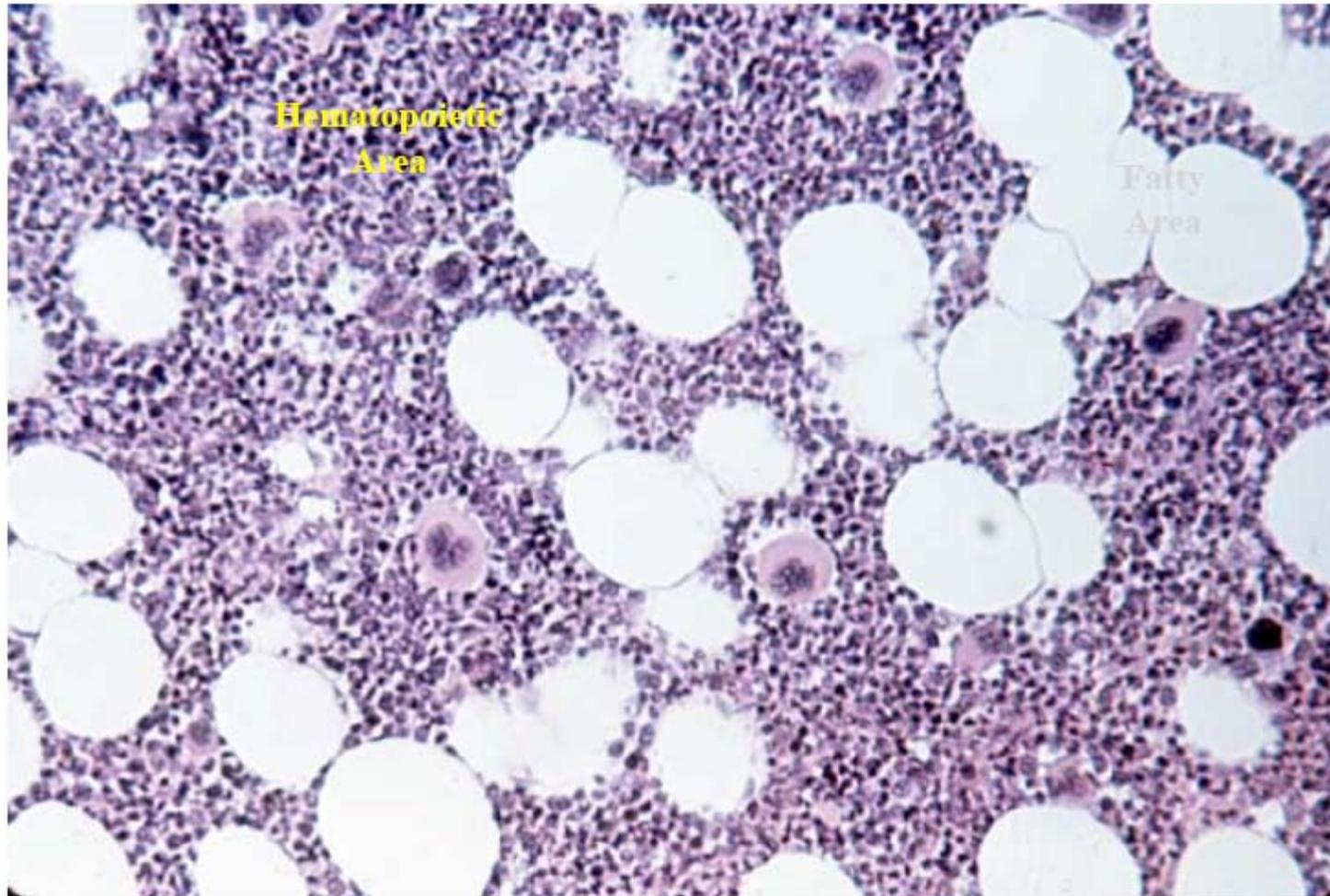
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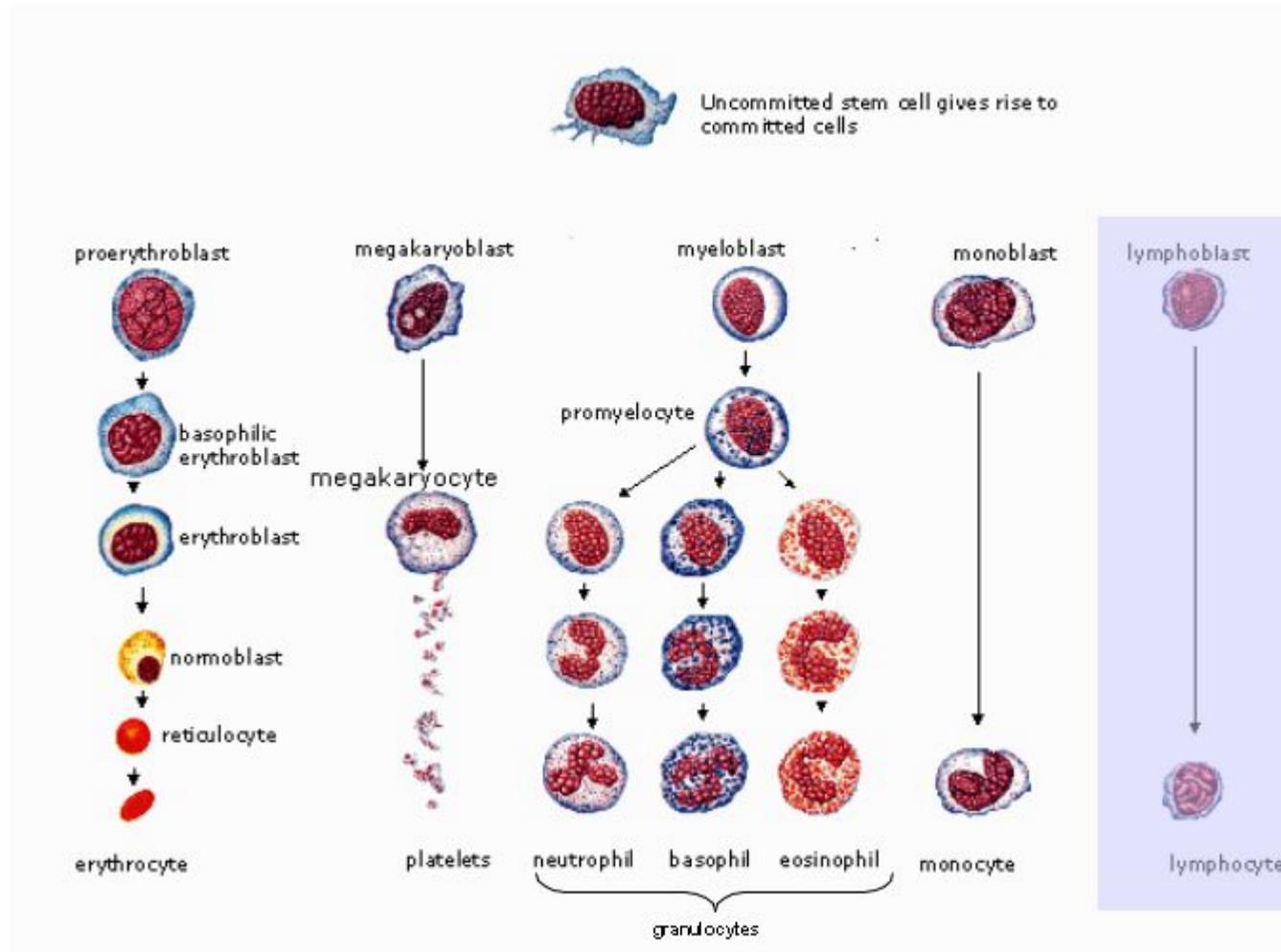
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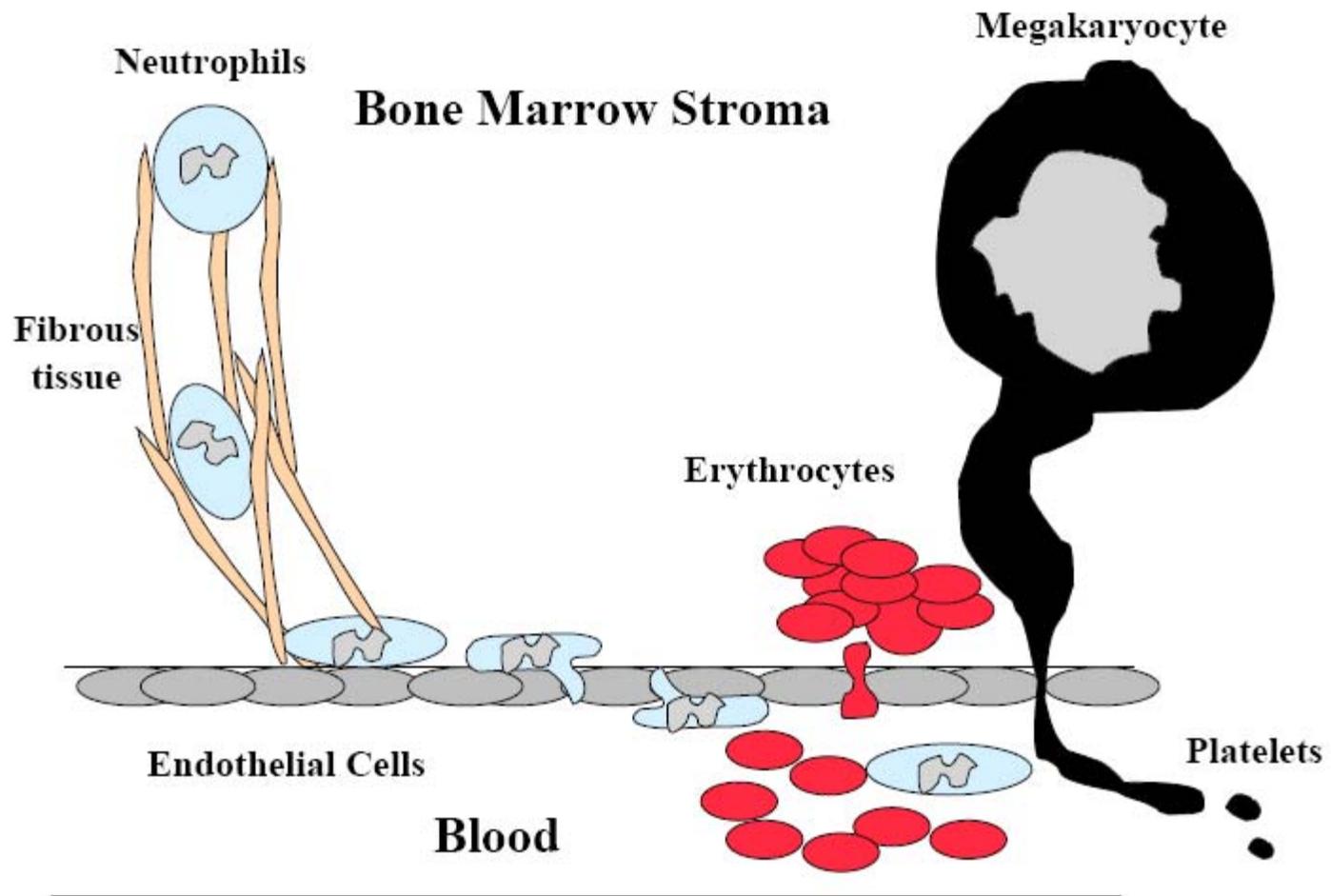


Microscopic Appearance of Bone Marrow



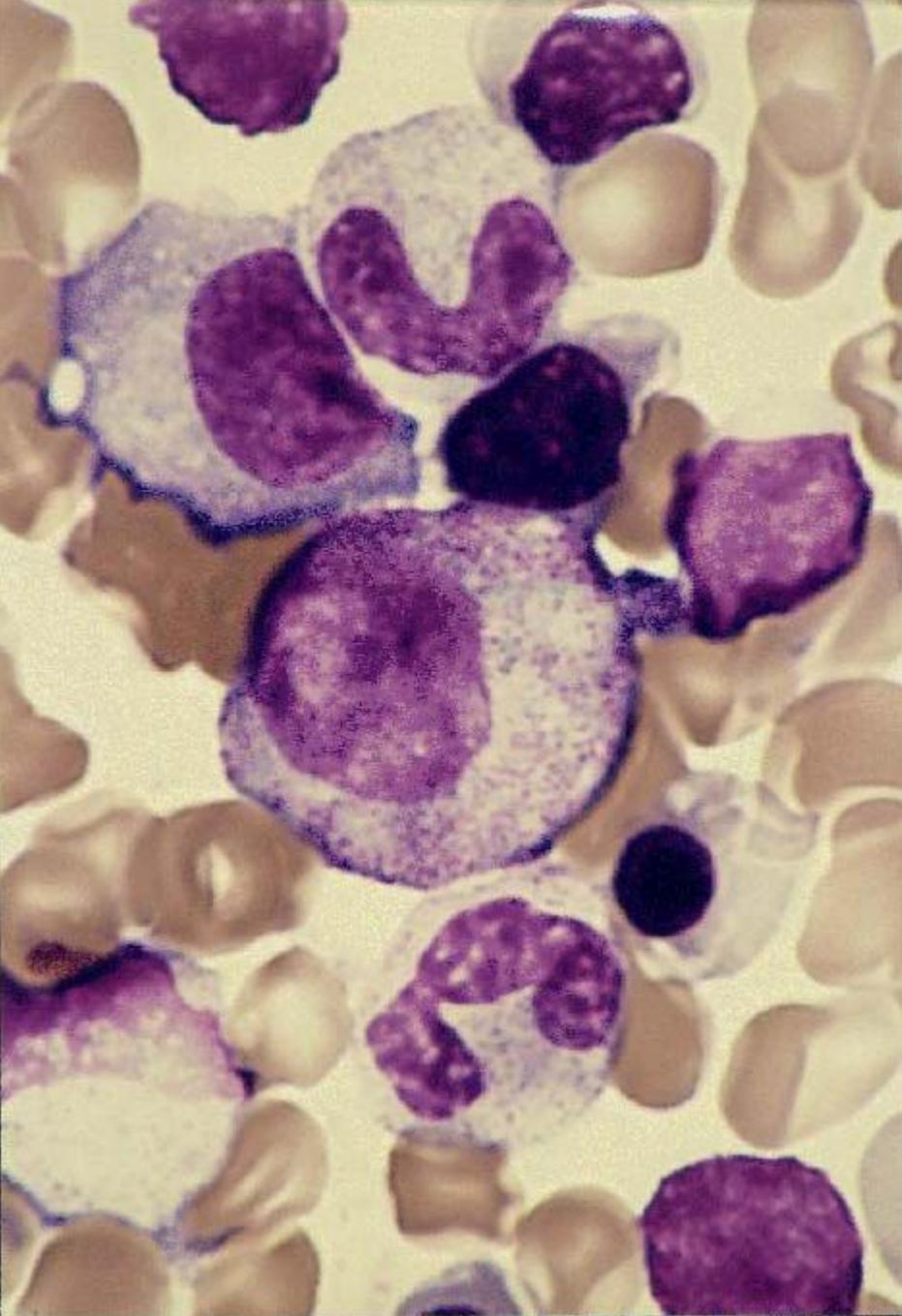
Hematopoiesis scheme



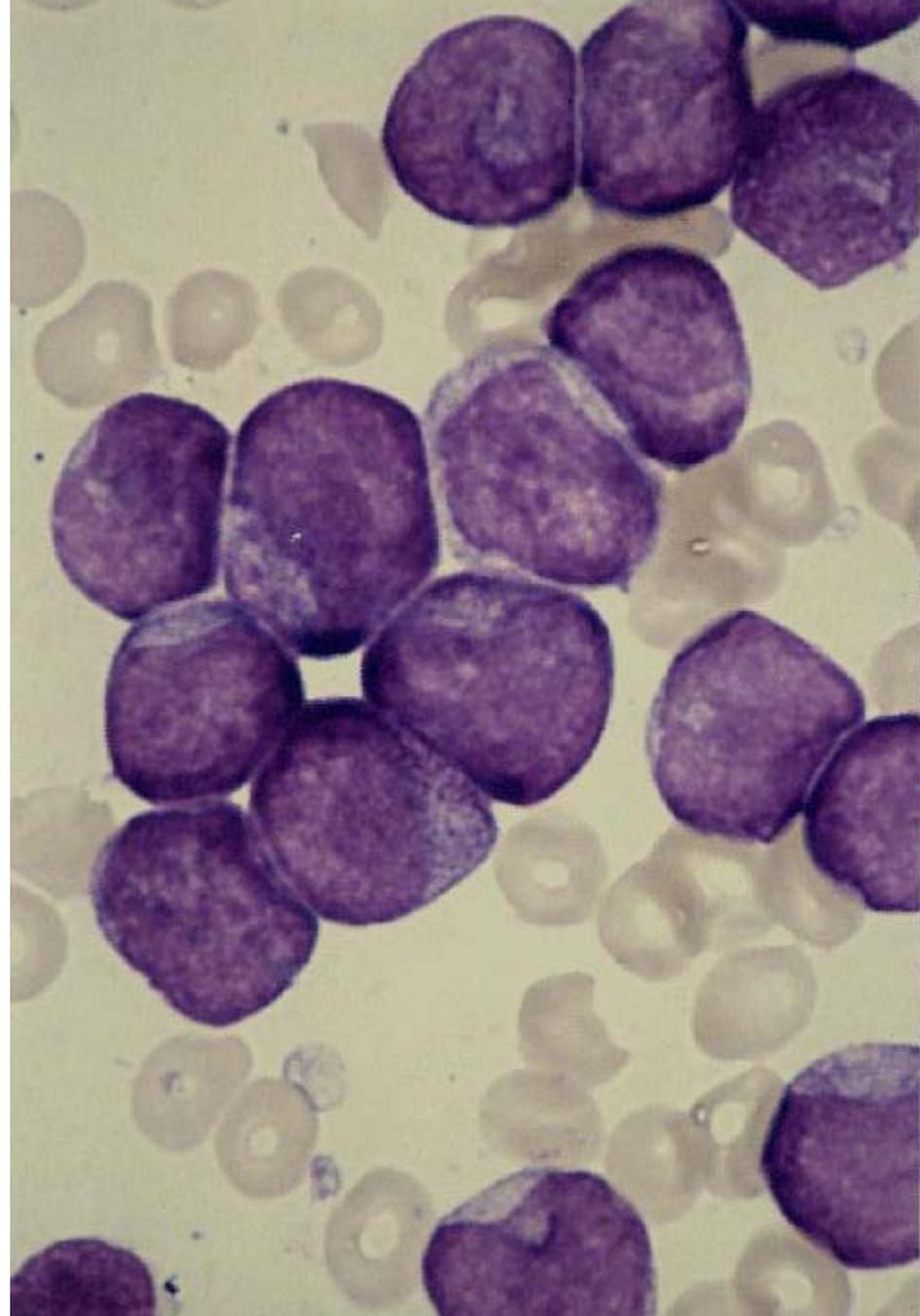


Leukemia

- Begins with a single deficient cell
- More proliferation, less differentiation
- Classification and diagnostics

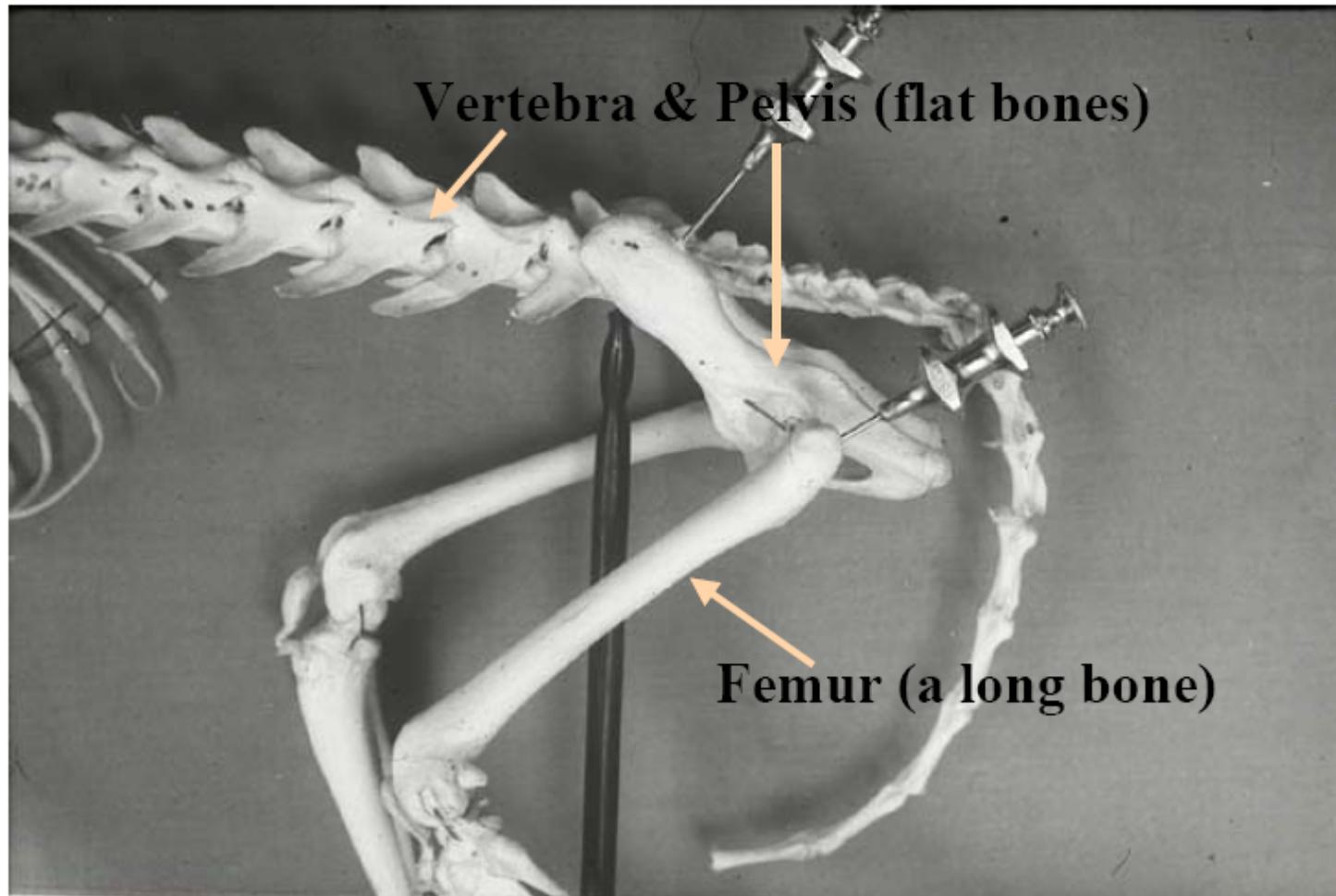


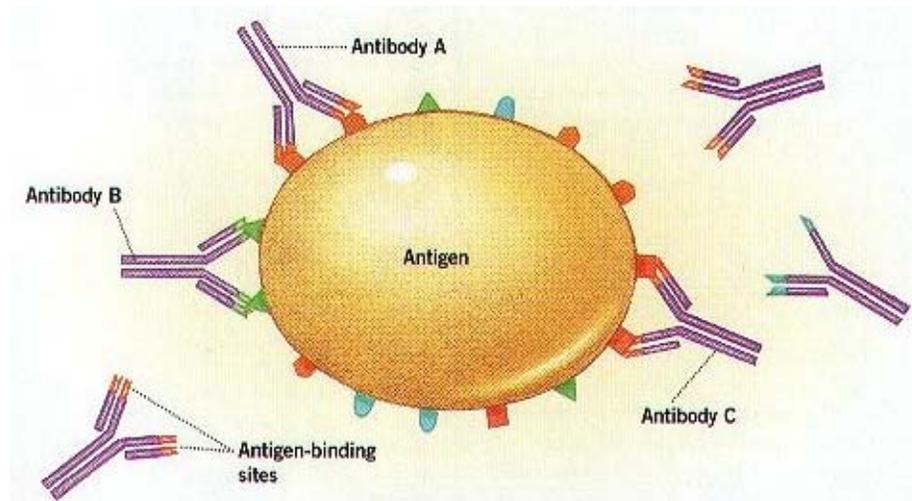
Normal bone marrow

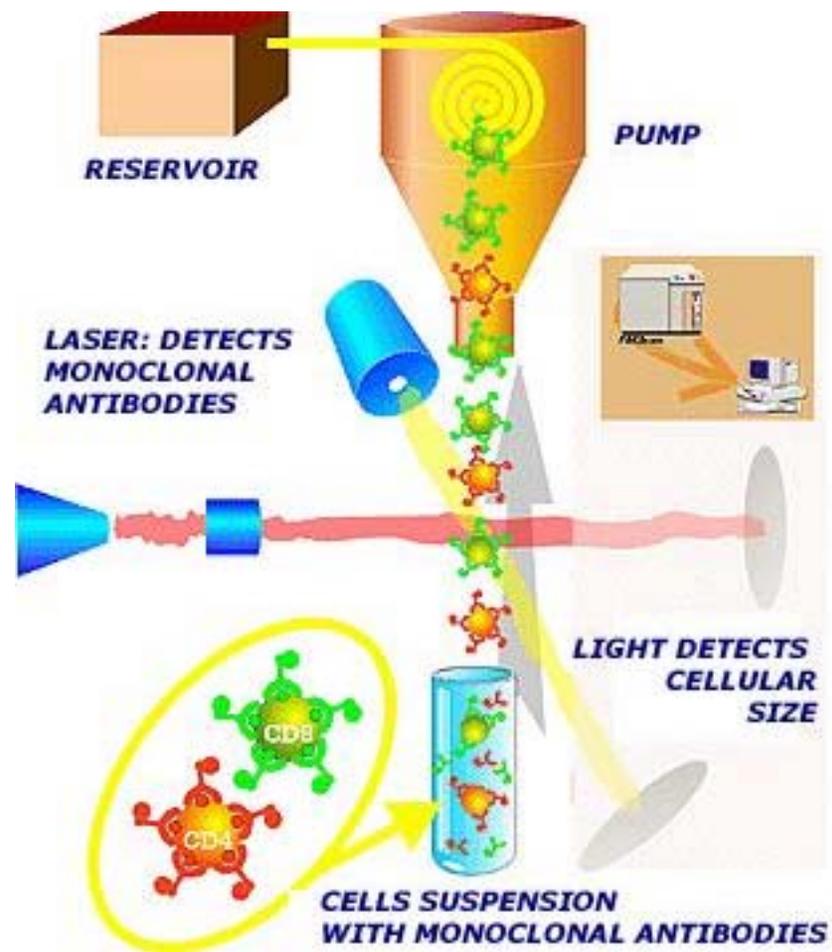


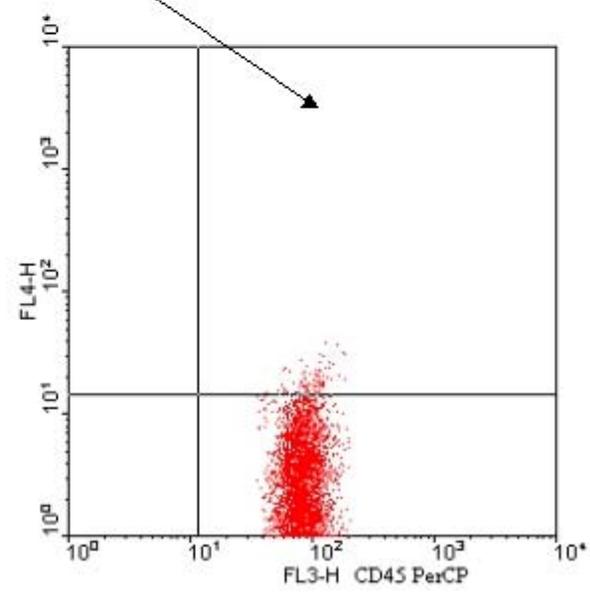
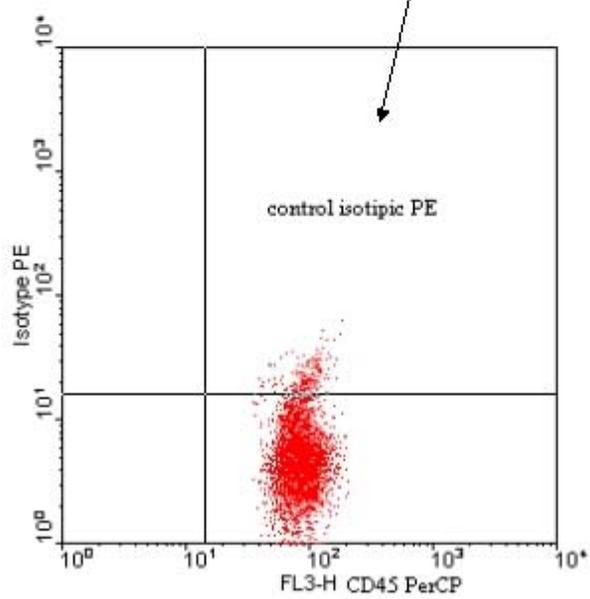
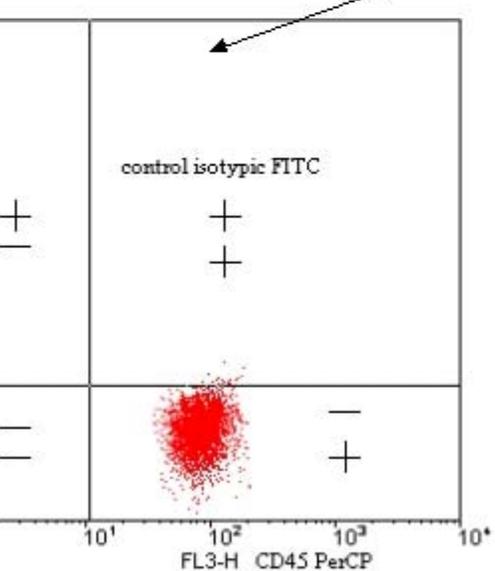
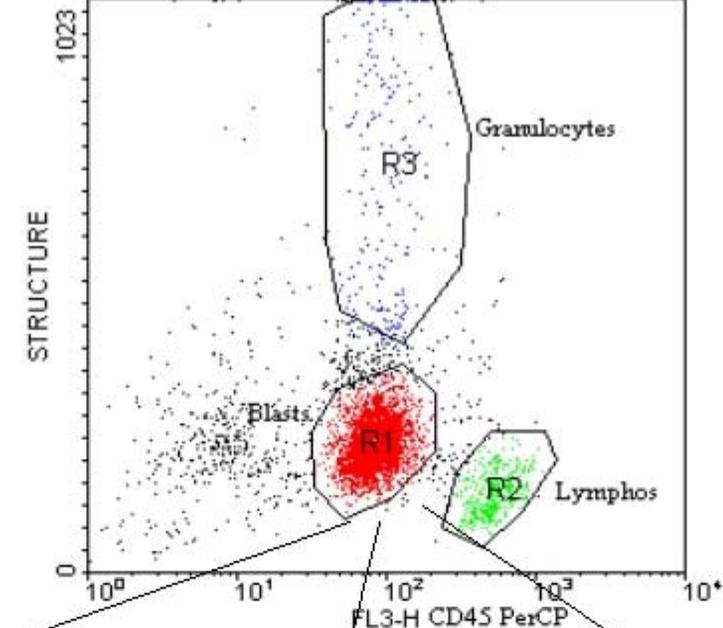
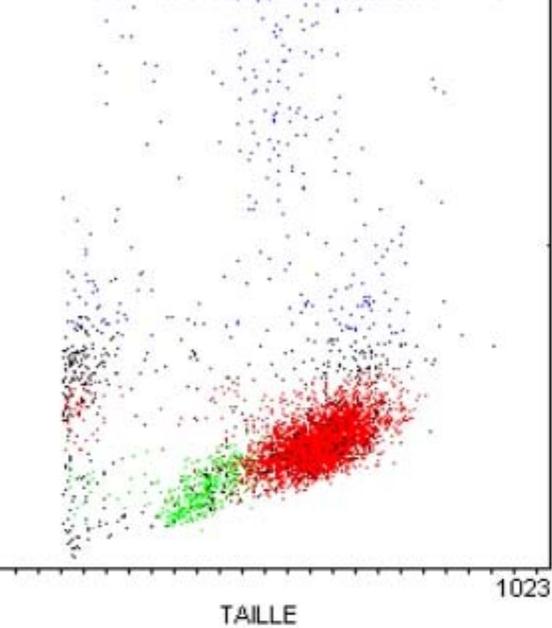
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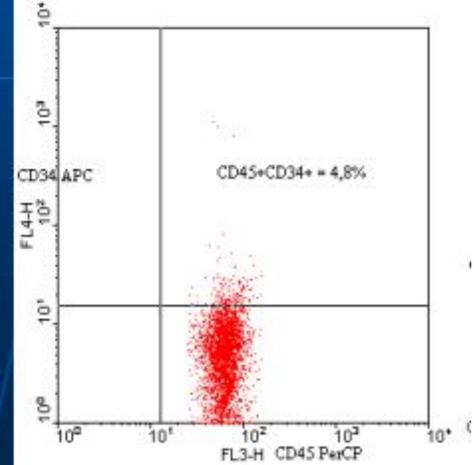
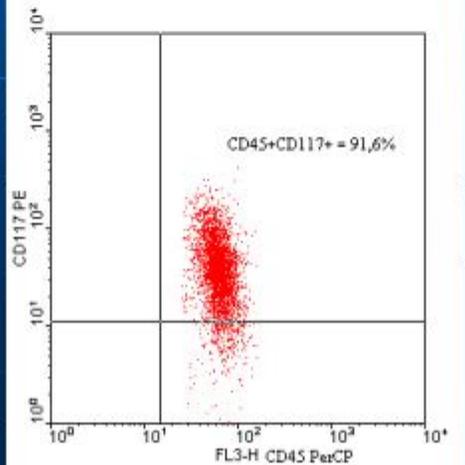
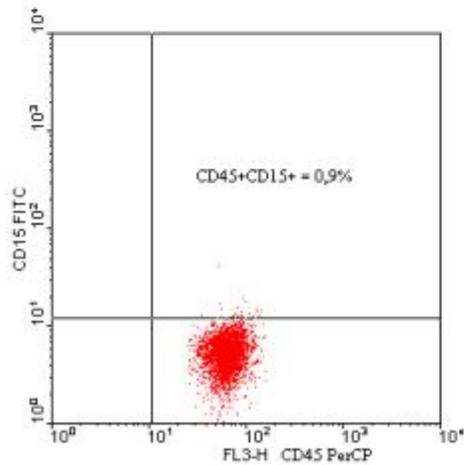
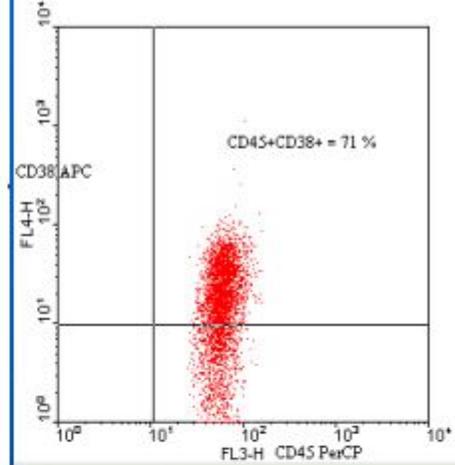
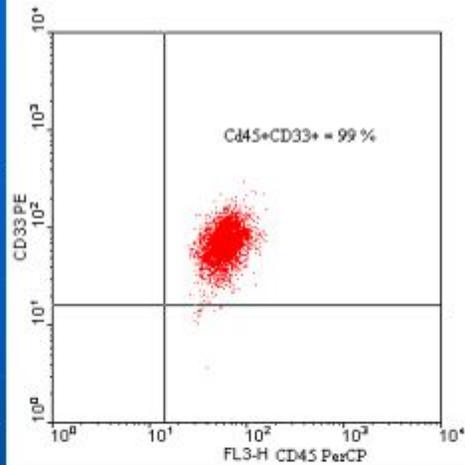
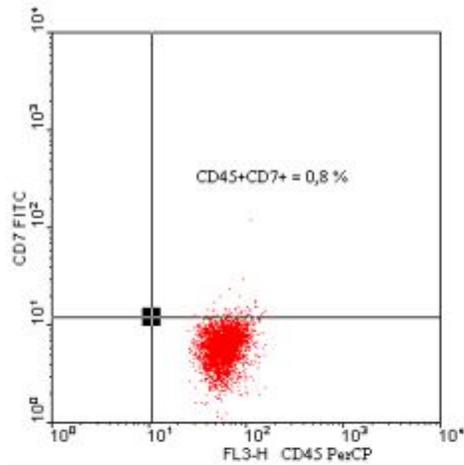
Iliac Crest and Femur Locations for Obtaining Bone Marrow Aspirates





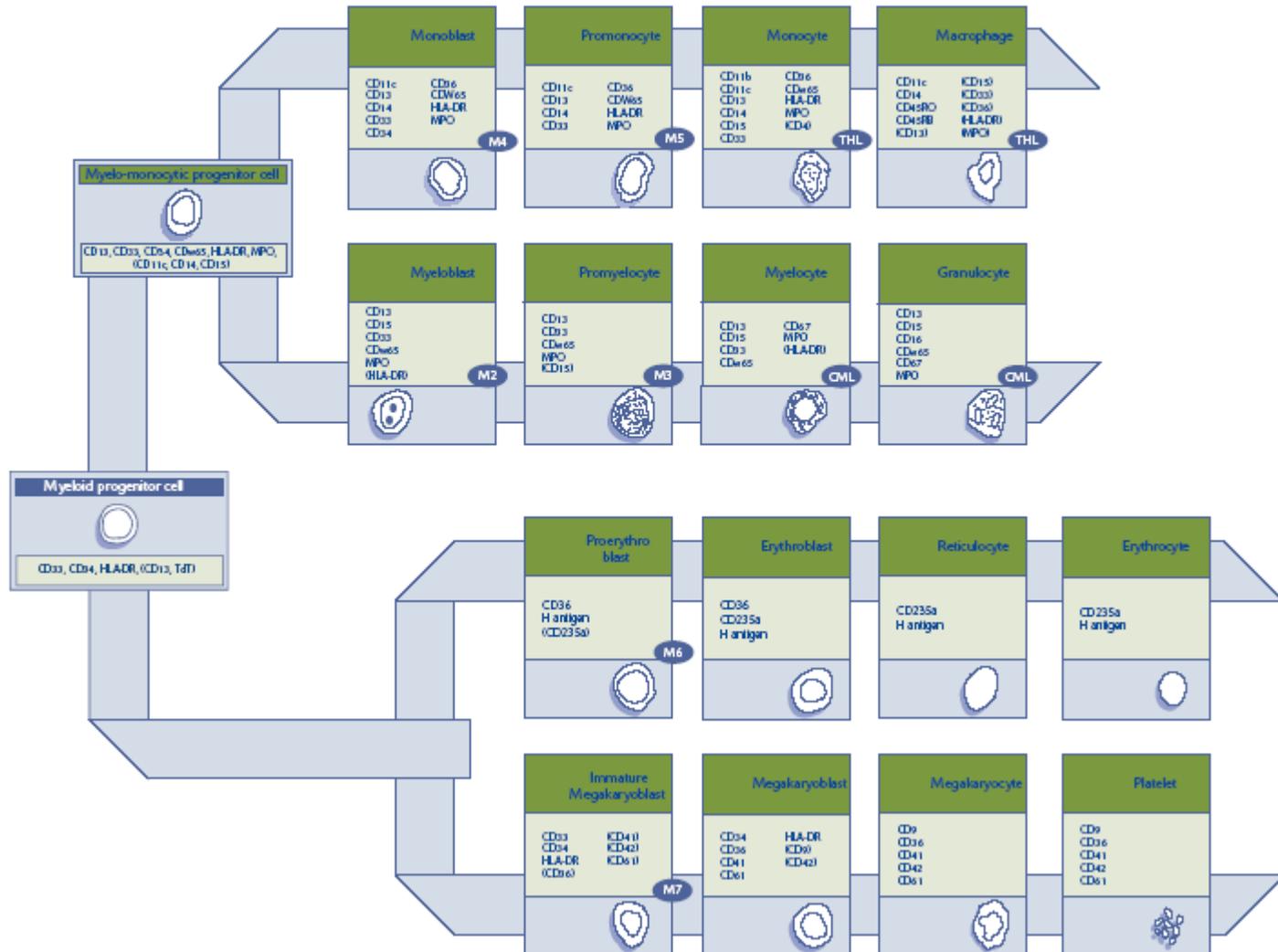


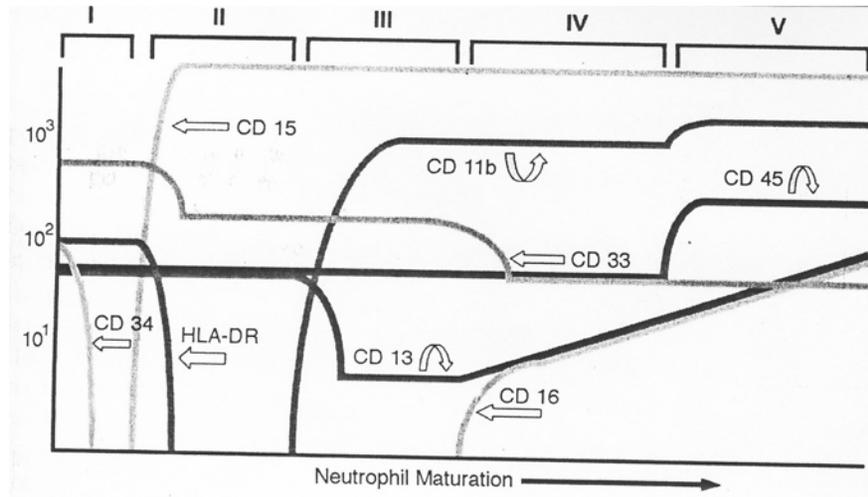




Myeloid Cell Differentiation

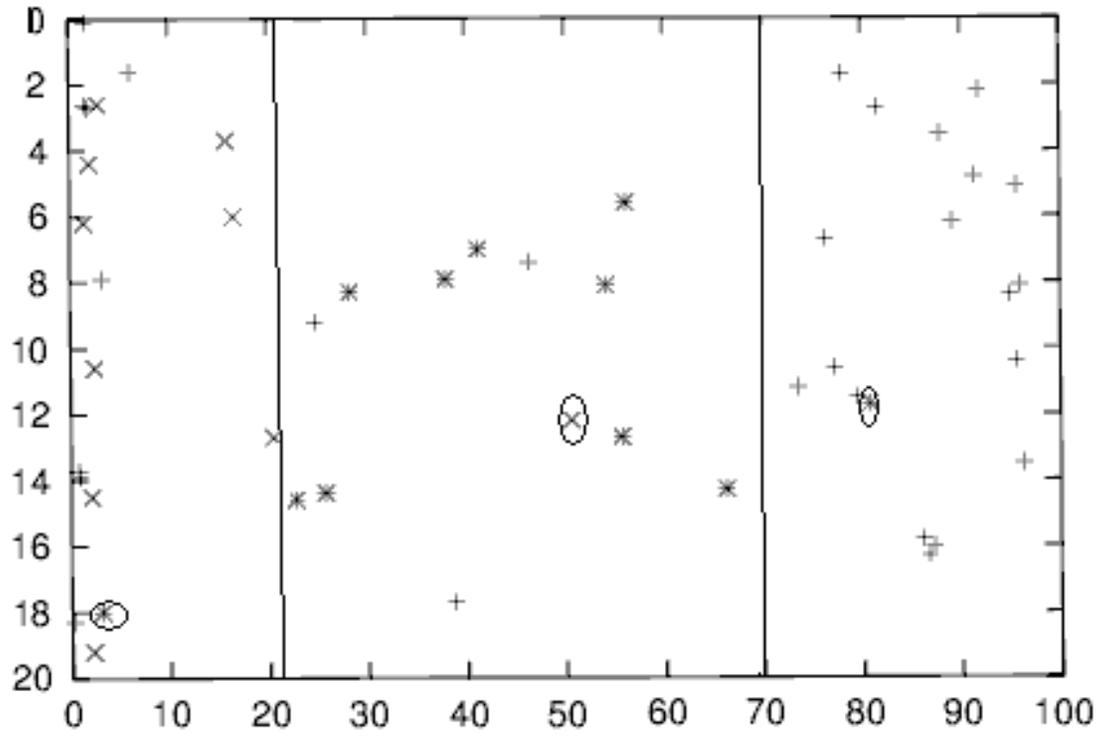
Figure 1 Hypothetical scheme of myeloid cell differentiation and the corresponding leukemias and non-Hodgkin lymphomas.





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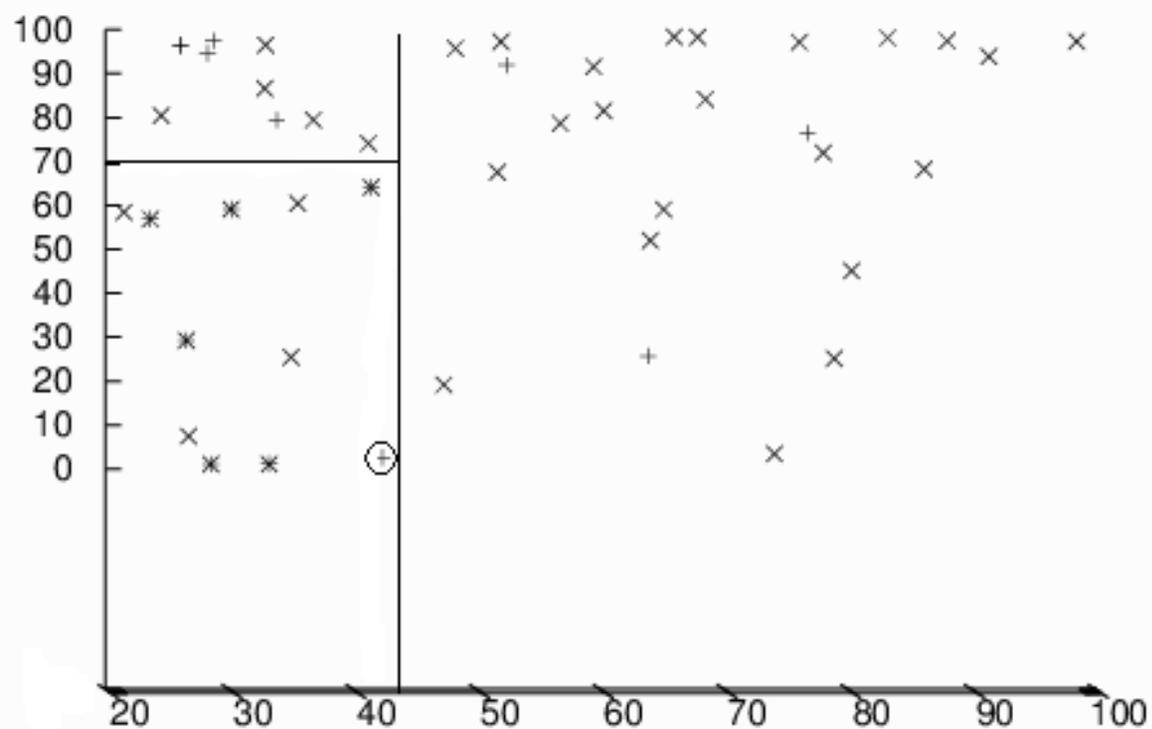
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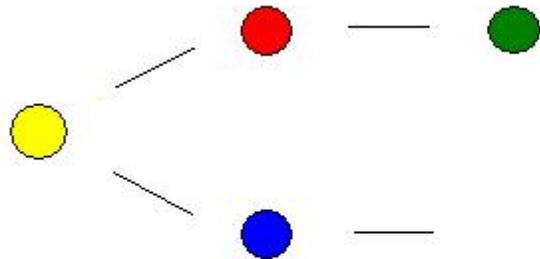
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Modelling Hematopoiesis

- ODE
- ODE with delay
- Reaction-diffusion equations
- Cellular modelling

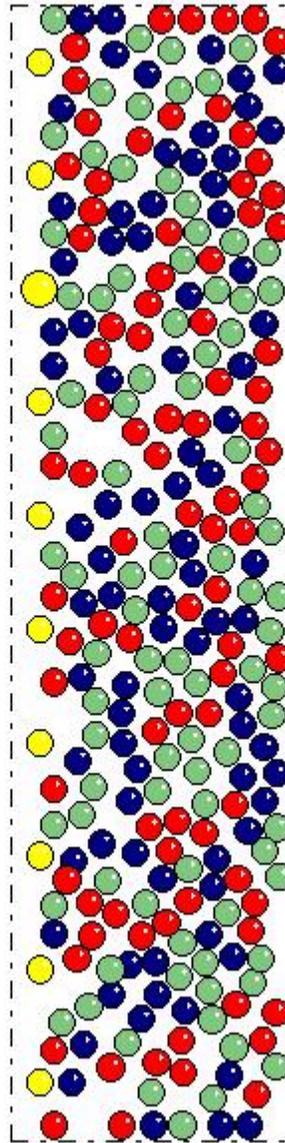
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Modelling Hematopoiesis



Proliferation
Differentiation
Apoptosis

Bone marrow



Blood vessel

Cells move pushed by other cells

Normal hematopoiesis: myeloid lineage

New

	Parent	Chld1	Chld2	Chld3	Chld4	Time of...	+/- Tim...	Radius ...
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	A0	A0	B1	E1	F1	10	2	0.01
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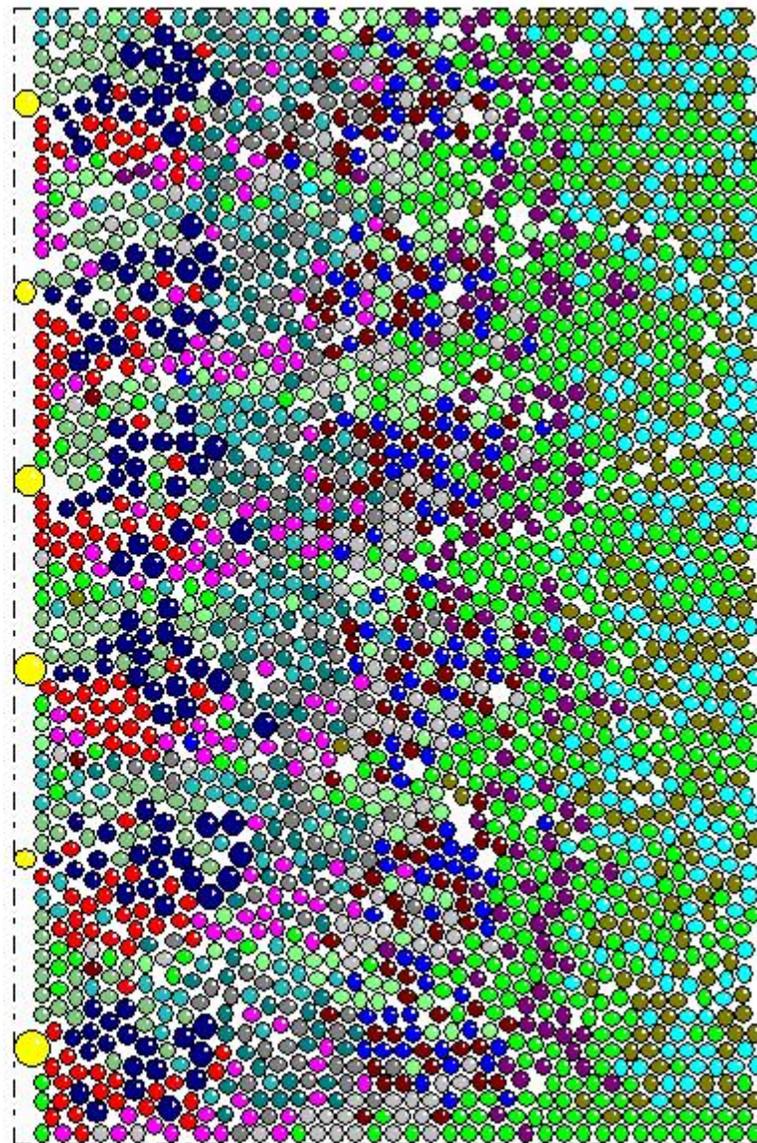
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 Paint A0,A1,....

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 max=
 min=

density of A0= A0 is fixed f=a4,g=0/f=0,g=b4 Posle zapolenija

f0= g0=

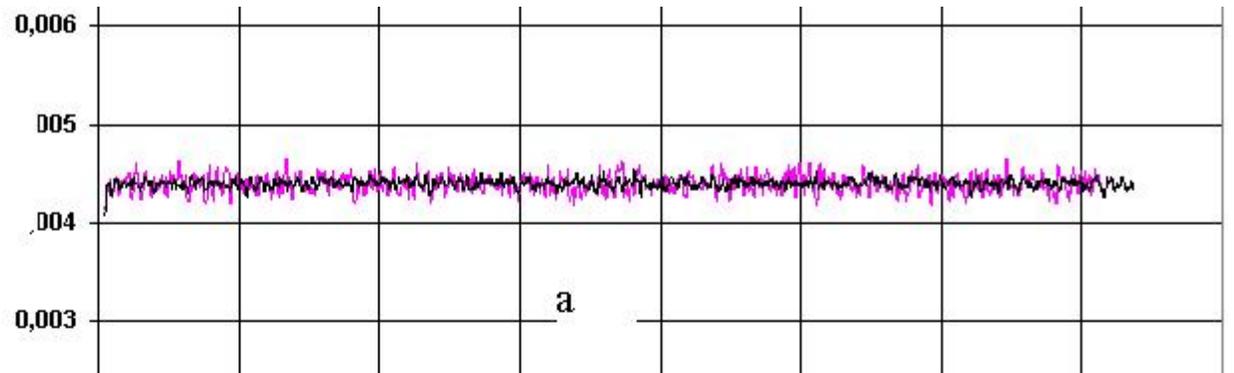


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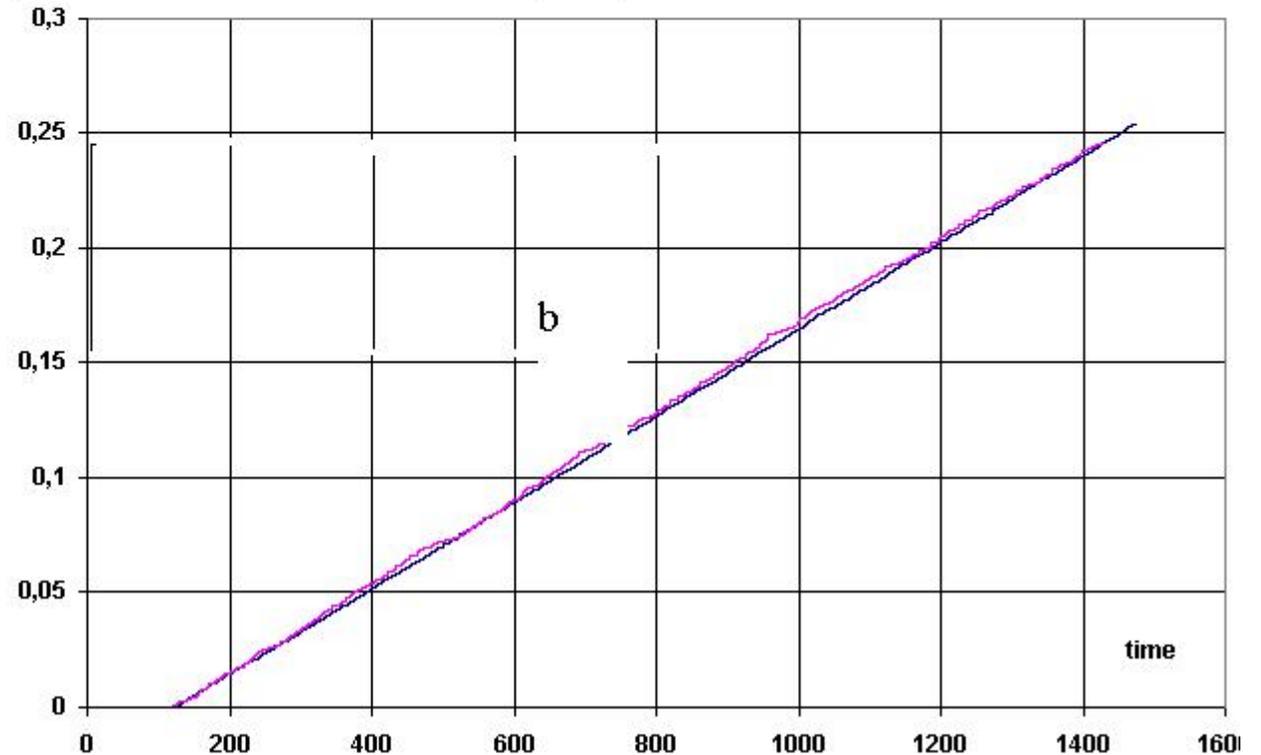
Convergence

with respect to cell size



a) Total number of cells

b) Cells leaving the marrow



Development of leukemia

New

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x= y=

Force = max...min

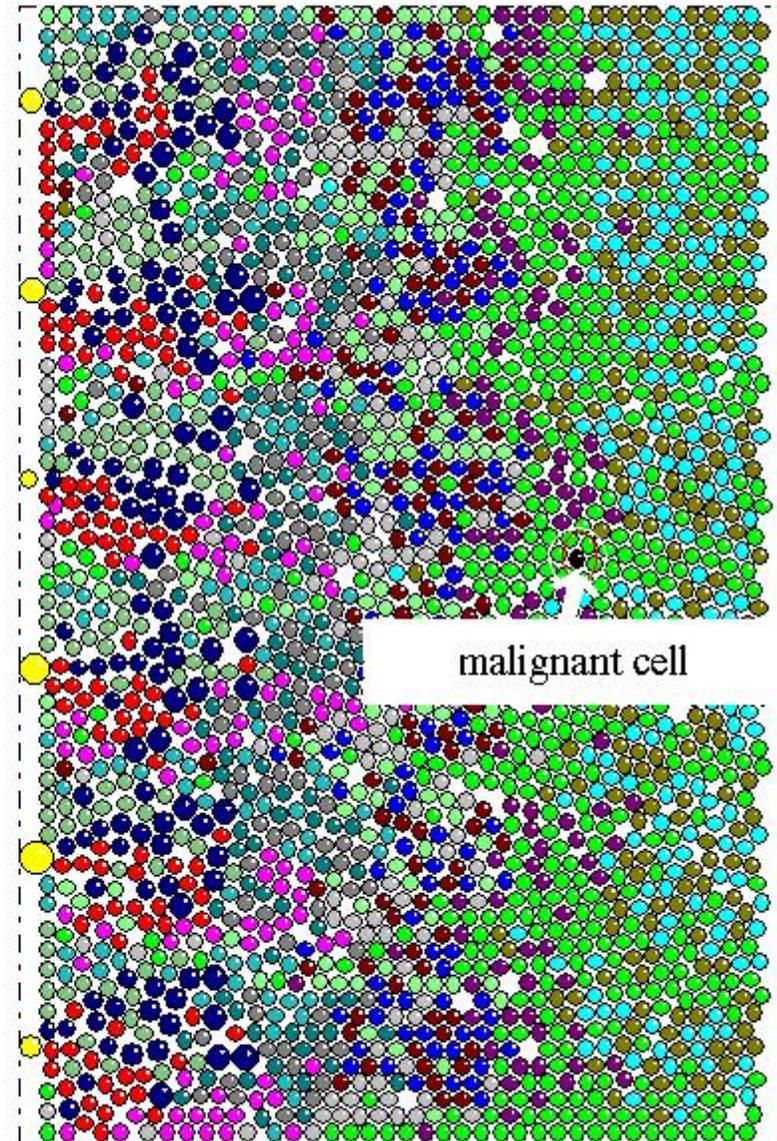
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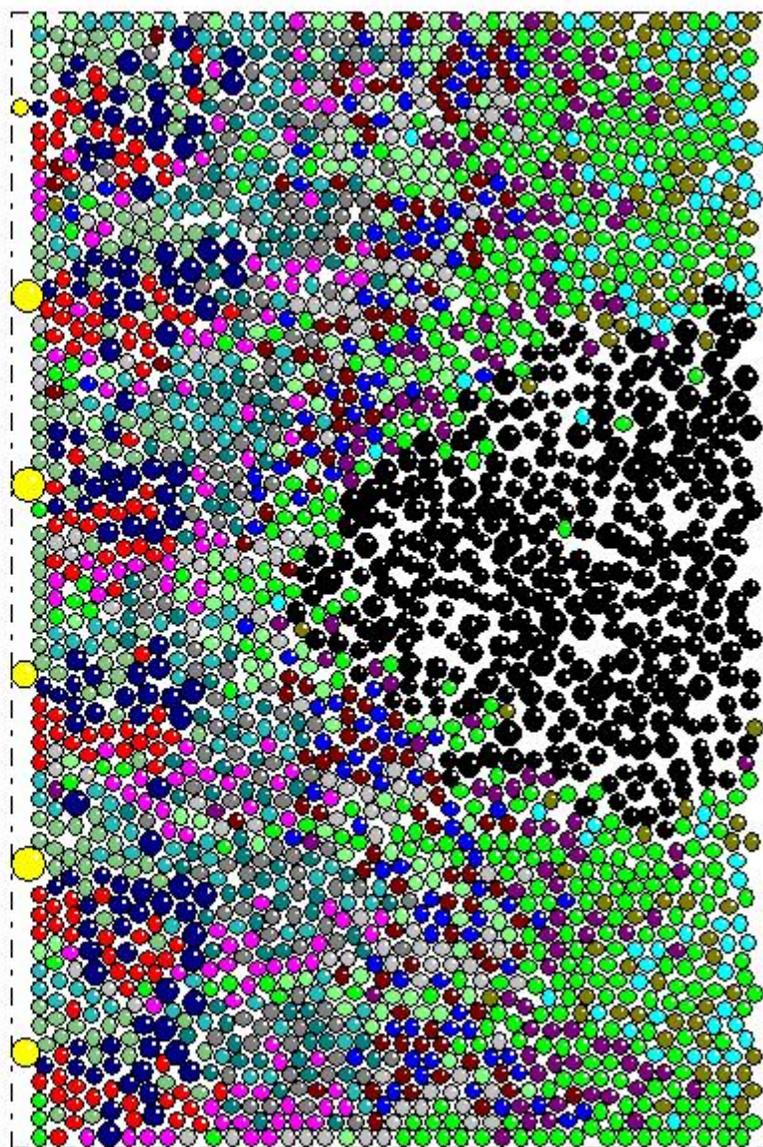
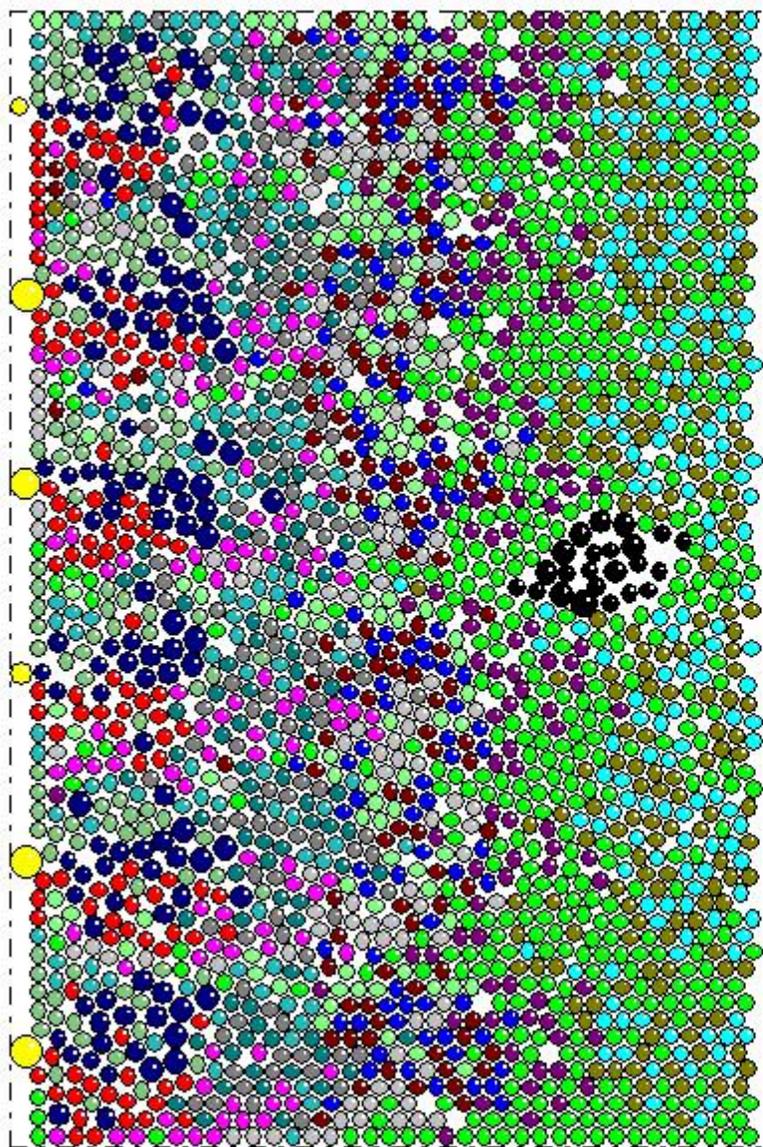
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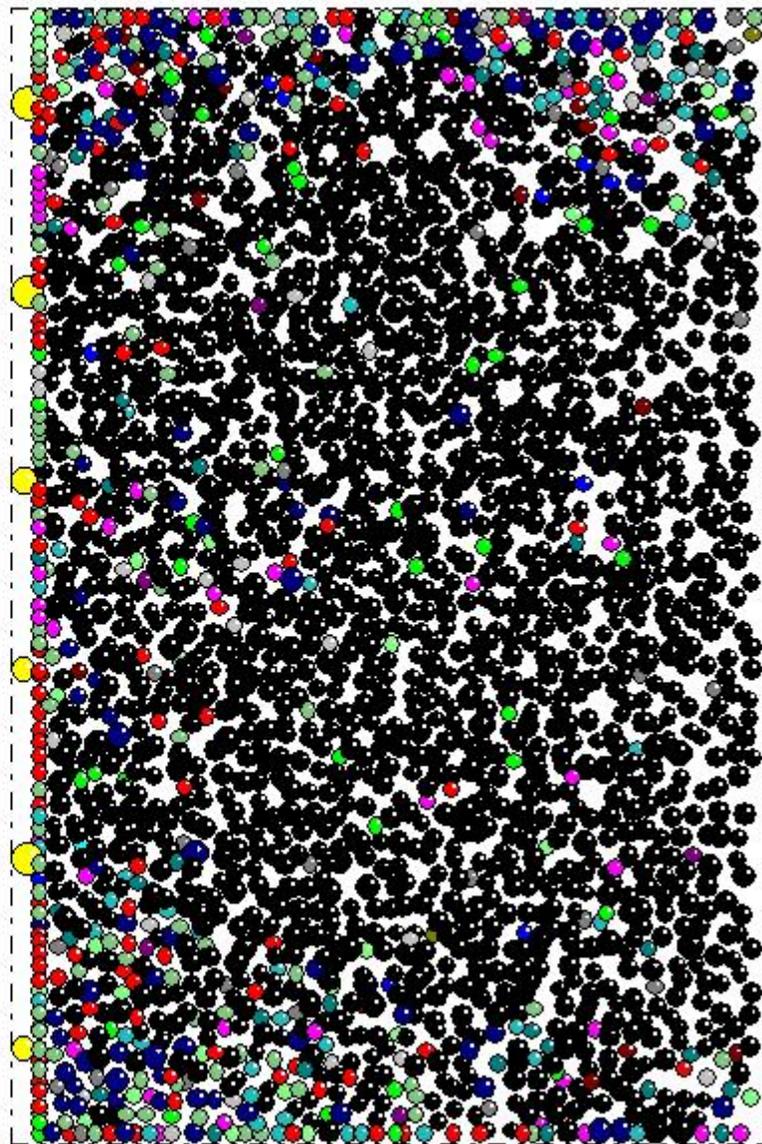
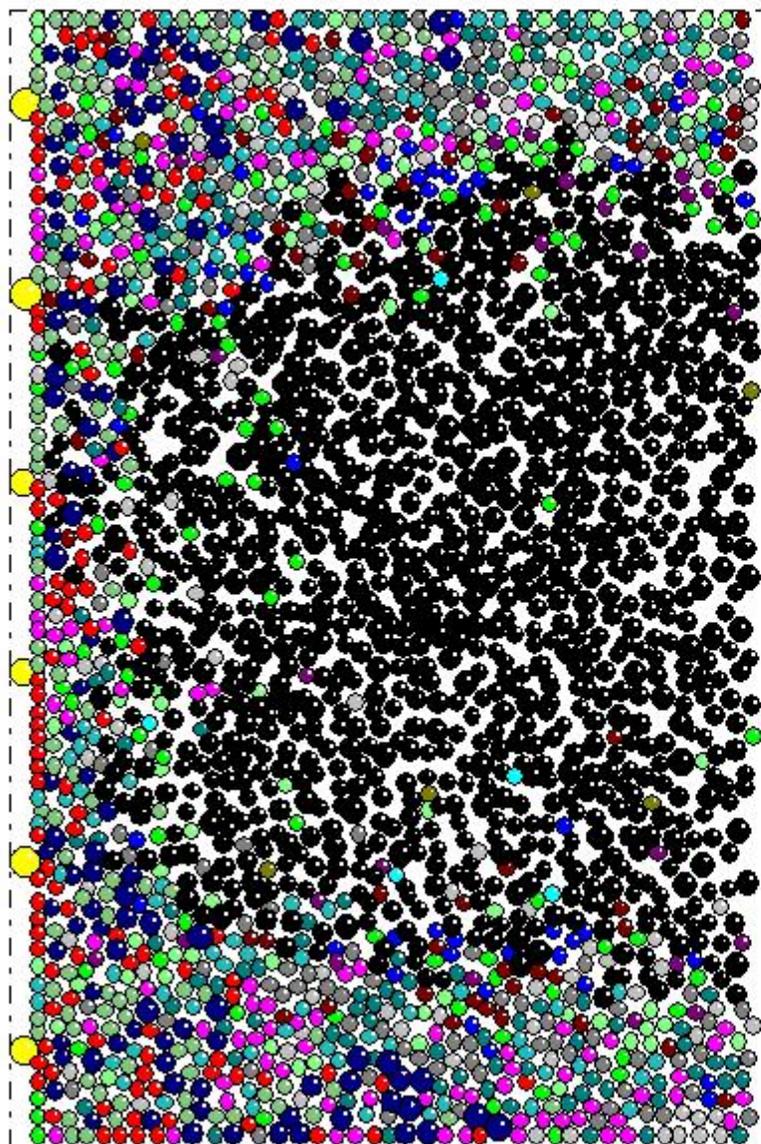
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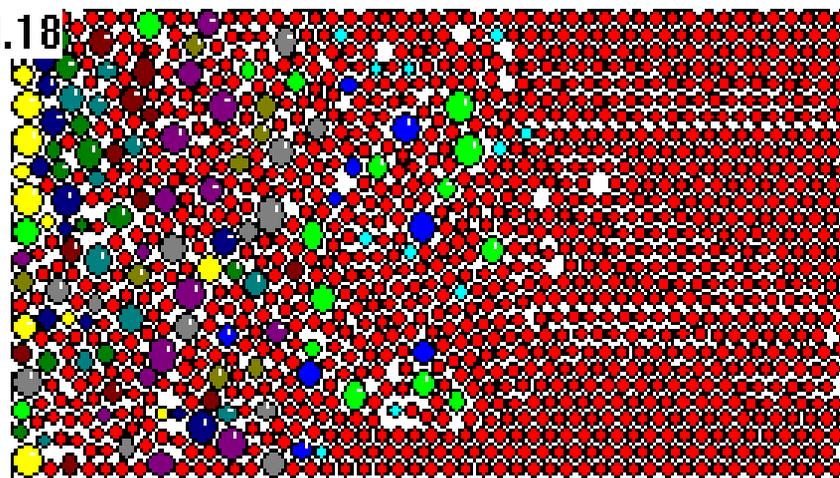
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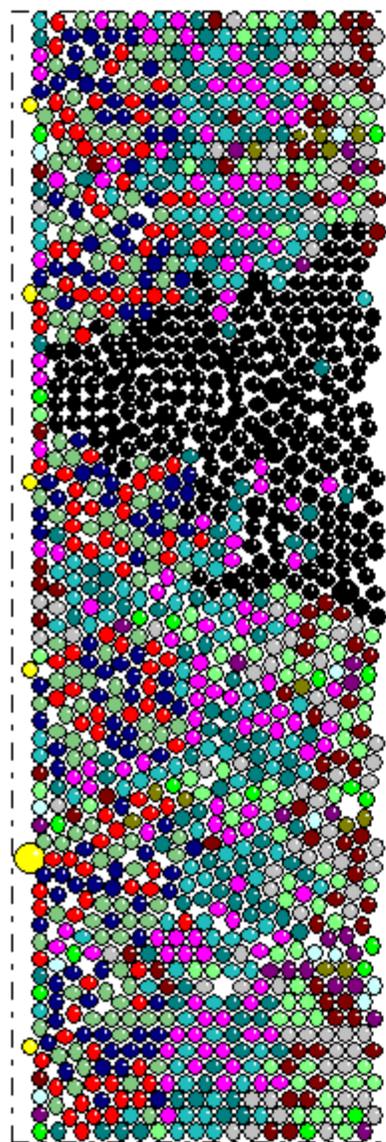




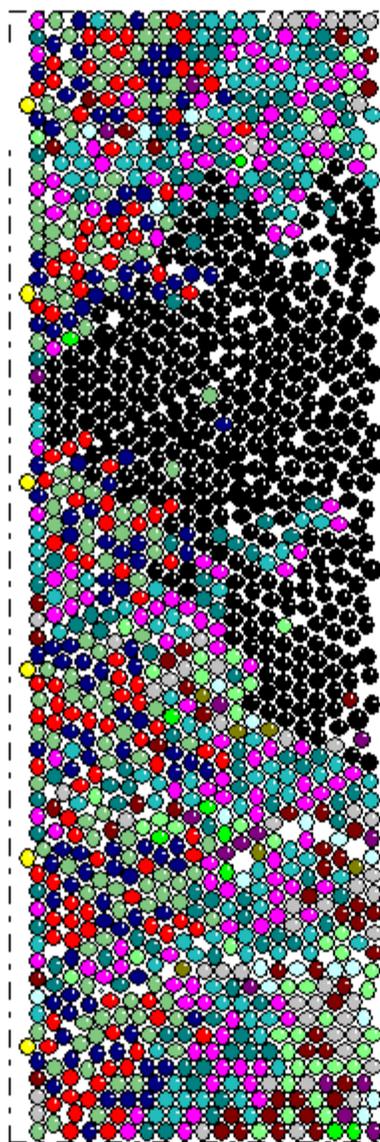


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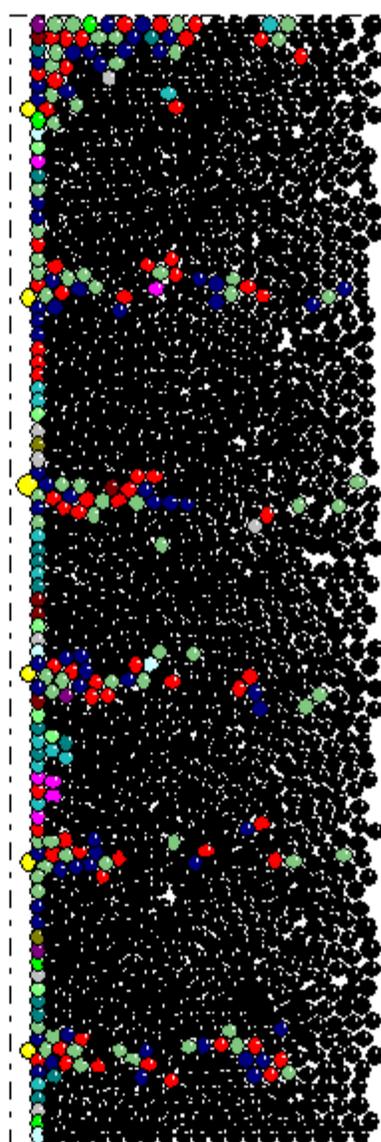




a)



b)



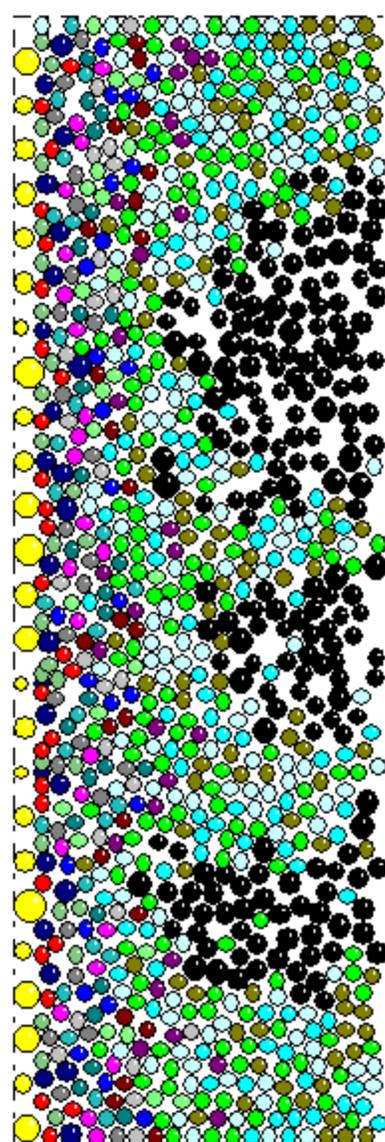
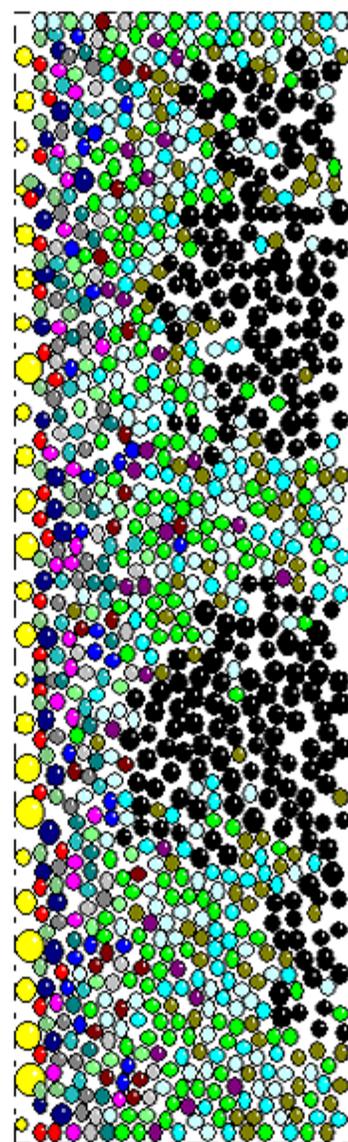
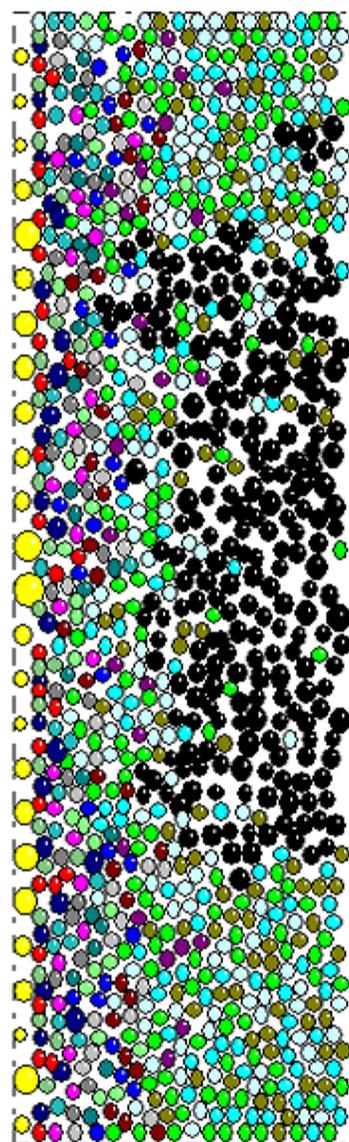
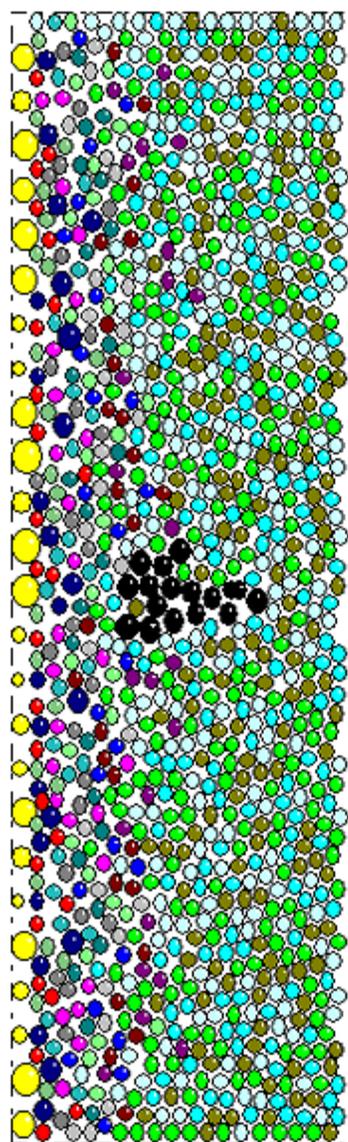
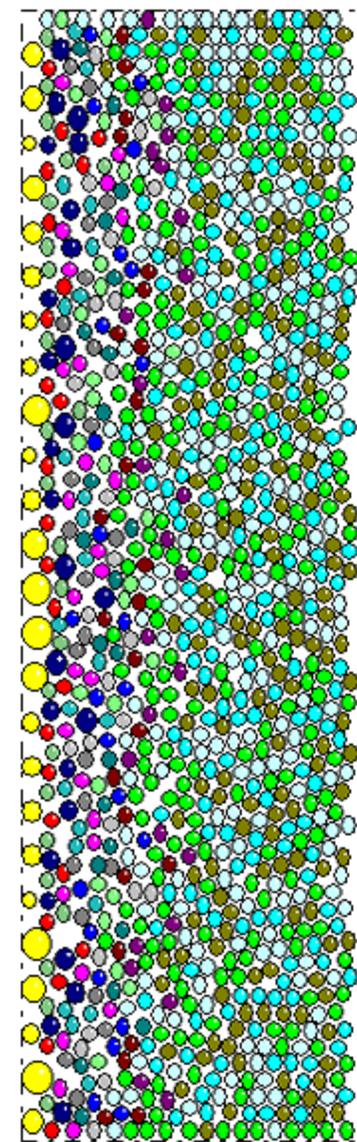
c)

Proliferation
time for black
cells

a) 100

b) 50

c) 20



Leukemia stem cells

New

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Paint f() g()

Paint A0,A1,...

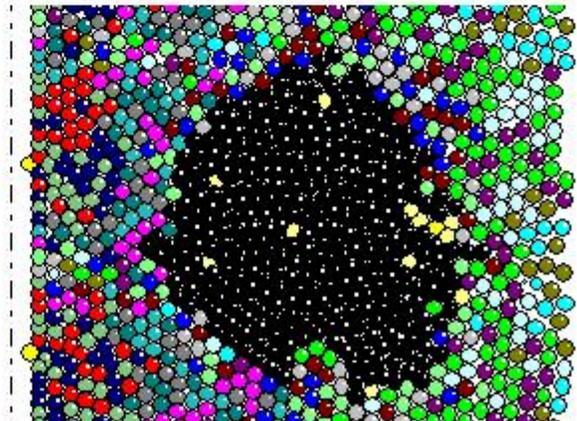
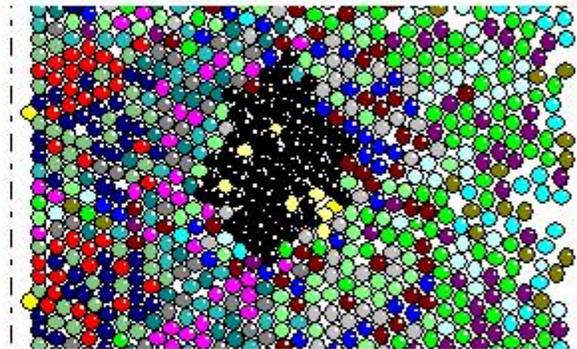
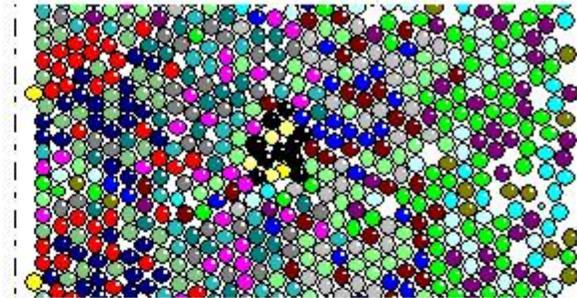
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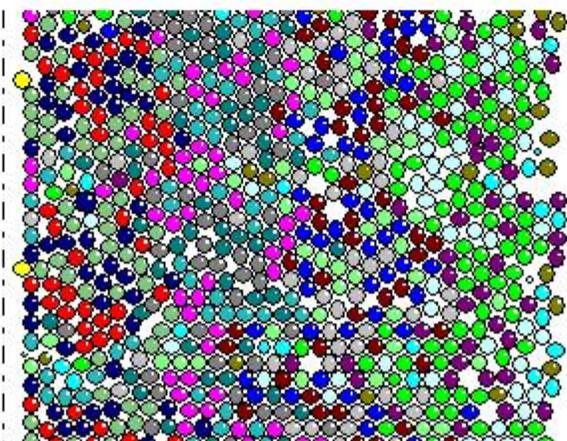
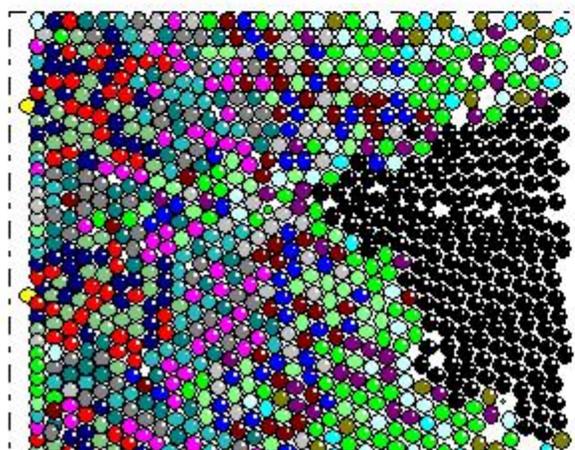
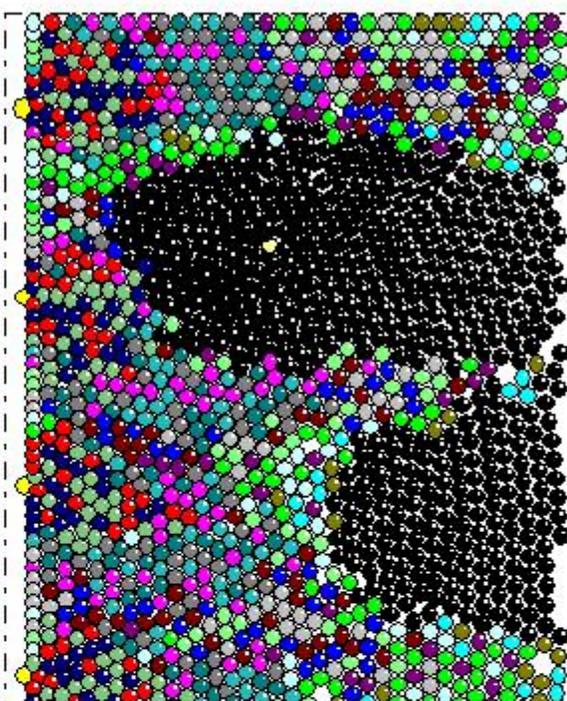
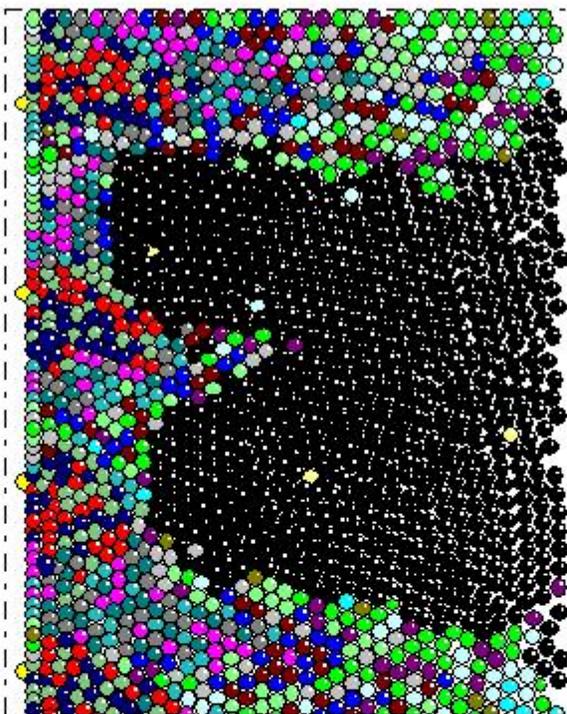
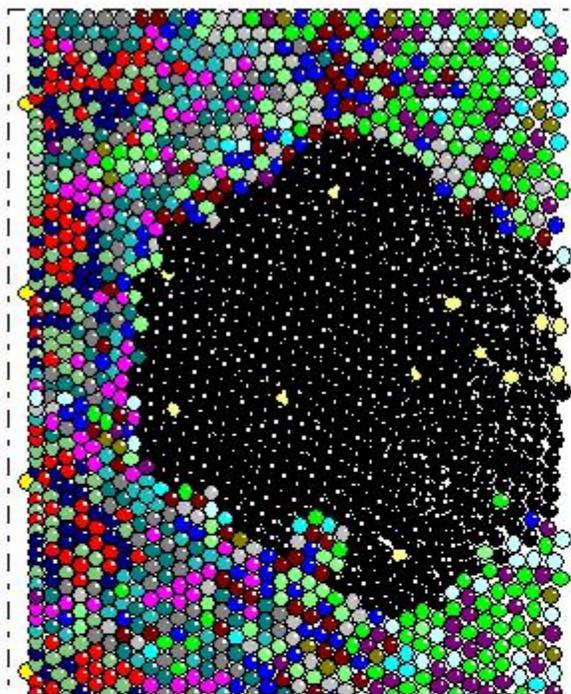
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Apply max= min=

density of A0= f=a4,g=0/f=0,g=b4 Posle zapolenija

f0= g0= Iskystvennaja vjazkost (0...1)=





Another proliferation rate

Parent	Chld1	Chld2	Chld3	Chld4	Time of...	+/- Tim...	Radius ...
D1	D2	-	-	-	200	40	0.01
D2	D3	-	-	-	200	40	0.01
D3	D4	-	-	-	200	40	0.01
D4	-	-	-	-	200	2	0.01
E1	E2	-	-	-	200	40	0.01
E2	E3	-	-	-	200	40	0.01
E3	E4	-	-	-	200	40	0.01
E4	-	-	-	-	200	2	0.01
F1	F2	-	-	-	200	40	0.01
F2	F3	-	-	-	200	40	0.01
F3	F4	-	-	-	200	40	0.01
F4	-	-	-	-	200	2	0.01
X	X	X1	-	-	5	2	0.01
X1	X	X2	-	-	100	2	0.01
X2	X3	-	-	-	200	2	0.01
X3	X4	-	-	-	200	2	0.01

Force = max...min

max= 1
min= 0

Apply

Paint f() g()

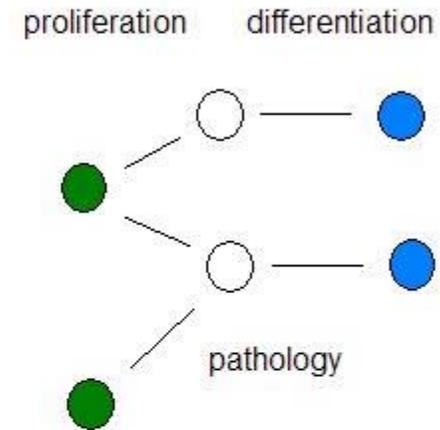
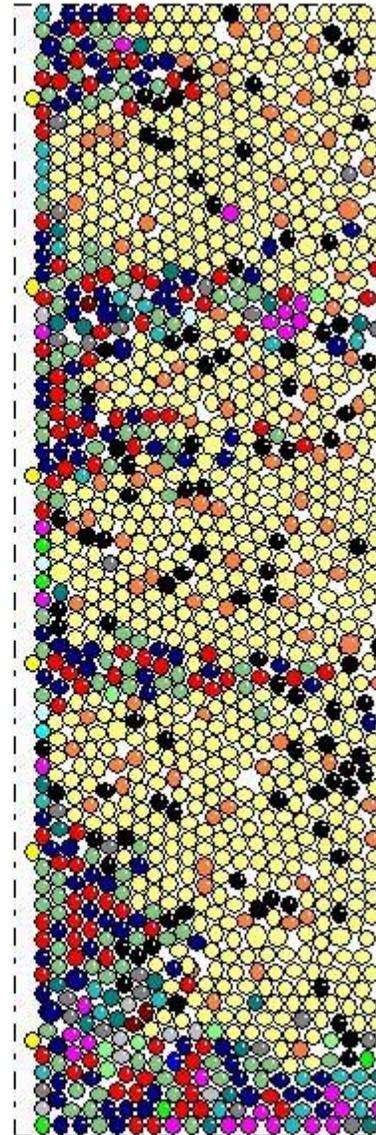
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density of A0= 0.2

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iskystvennaja vjazkost (0...1)= 0.1

g0= 0



Leukemic hemapotoiesis
Is not known. Modelling
allows us to study its
Influence on leukemia
development

Multiplication of leukemia stem cells

Parent	Chld1	Chld2	Chld3	Chld4	Time of...	+/- Tim...	Radius ...
D1	D2	-	-	-	200	40	0.01
D2	D3	-	-	-	200	40	0.01
D3	D4	-	-	-	200	40	0.01
D4	-	-	-	-	200	2	0.01
E1	E2	-	-	-	200	40	0.01
E2	E3	-	-	-	200	40	0.01
E3	E4	-	-	-	200	40	0.01
E4	-	-	-	-	200	2	0.01
F1	F2	-	-	-	200	40	0.01
F2	F3	-	-	-	200	40	0.01
F3	F4	-	-	-	200	40	0.01
F4	-	-	-	-	200	2	0.01
X	X	X1	-	-	10	2	0.01
X1	X	X2	-	-	100	2	0.01
X2	X3	-	-	-	200	2	0.01
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Force = max...min

Paint f() g()

Paint A0,A1,...

max= 1

min= 0

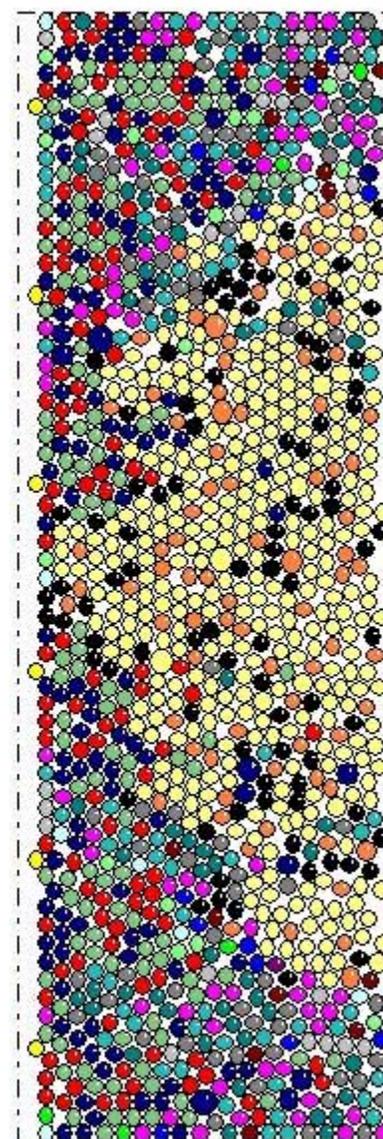
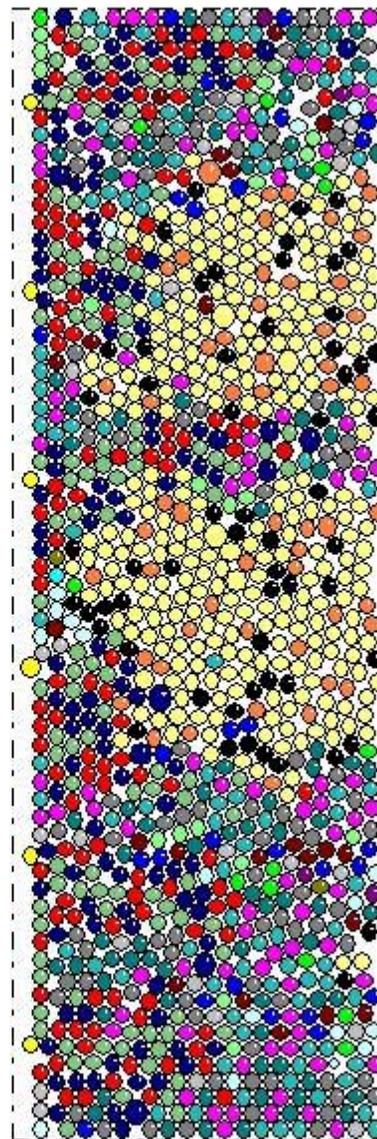
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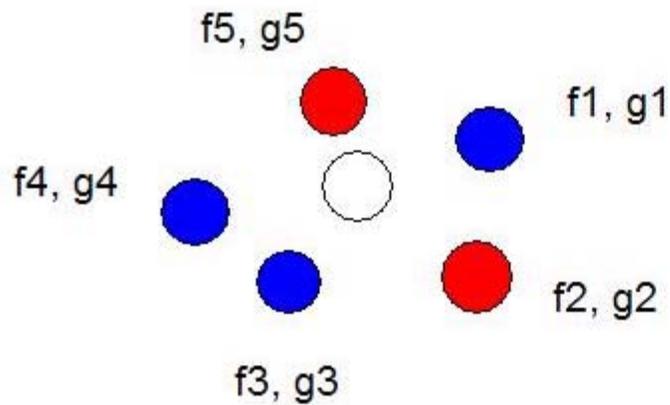
f=a4,g=0/f=0,g=b4 Posle zapolenija

Iskystvennaja vjazkost (0...1)= 0.1

g0= 0



Cell communication



1. Cell childhood (what colour to choose?)

$$df/dt = a (F - f), \quad dg/dt = a (G - g)$$

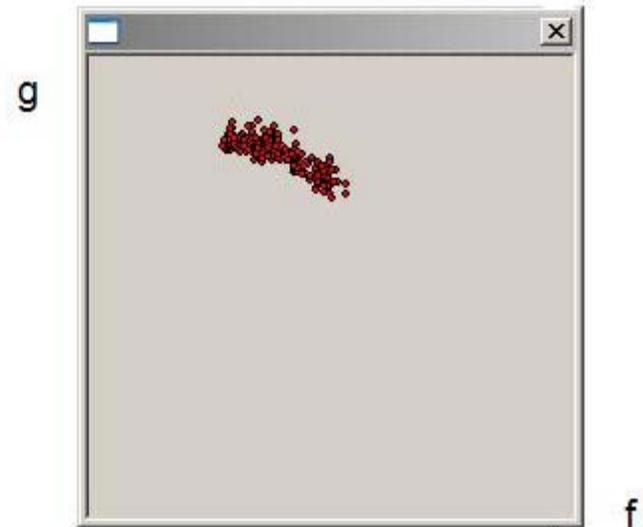
$F = \text{average of } f_i, \quad G = \text{average of } g_i$

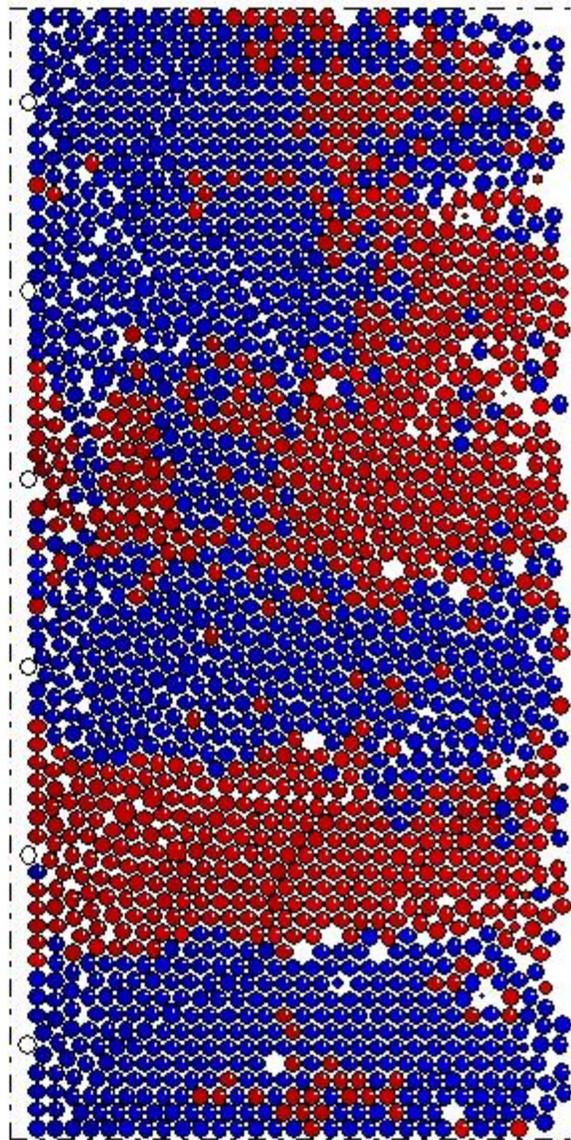
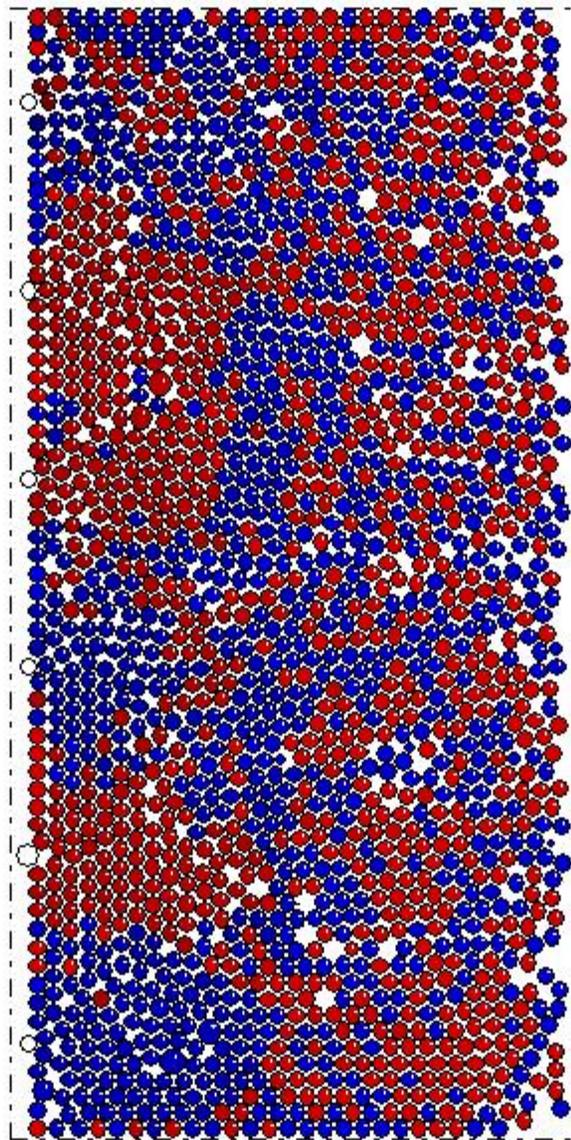
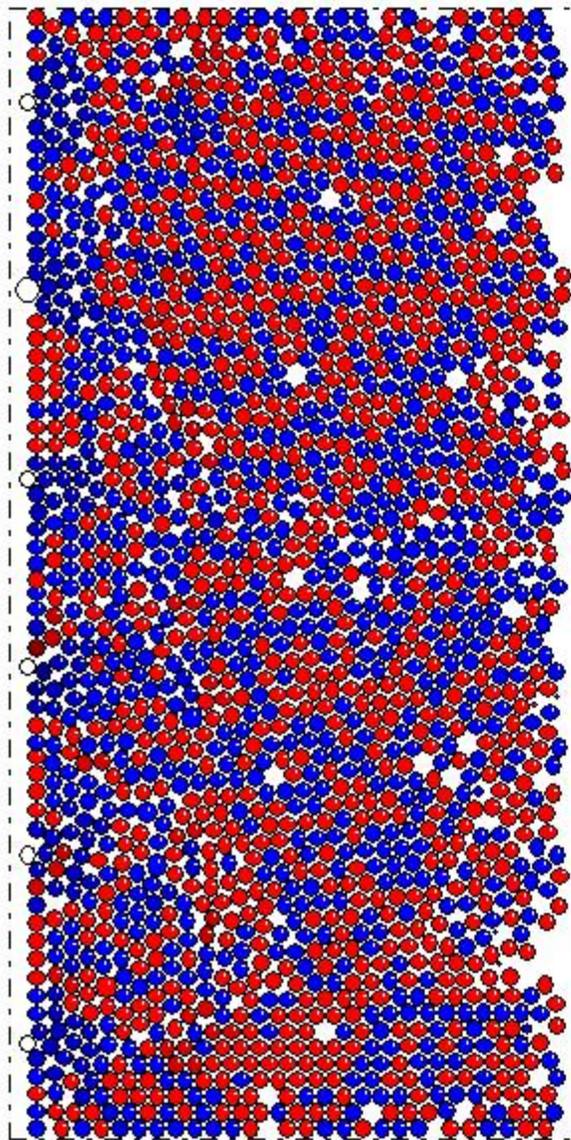
Critical condition: $f = f^*$ or $g = g^*$

2. Adult life

Blue: $df/dt = P(f, g^*), \quad g = g^*$

Red: $dg/dt = Q(f^*, g), \quad f = f^*$





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1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31 32 33 34 35 36 37 38 39 40 41 42 43 44 45 46 47 48 49 50 51 52 53 54 55 56 57 58 59 60 61 62 63 64 65 66 67 68 69 70 71 72 73 74 75 76 77 78 79 80 81 82 83 84 85 86 87 88 89 90 91 92 93 94 95 96 97 98 99 100

Parent	Chld1	Chld2	Chld3	Chld4	Time of...	+/- Tim...	Radius ...
A0	A0	B1	E1	F1	10	0	0.01
B1	-	-	-	-	200	0	0.01
C1	C2	-	-	-	10	2	0.01
C2	C3	-	-	-	10	2	0.01
C3	C4	-	-	-	10	2	0.01
C4	-	-	-	-	1e+020	2	0.01
D1	D2	-	-	-	10	2	0.01
D2	D3	-	-	-	10	2	0.01
D3	D4	-	-	-	10	2	0.01
D4	-	-	-	-	1e+020	2	0.01
E1	-	-	-	-	200	0	0.01
E2	E3	-	-	-	10	2	0.01
E3	E4	-	-	-	10	2	0.01
E4	-	-	-	-	1e+020	2	0.01
F1	-	-	-	-	200	0	0.01
F2	F3	-	-	-	10	2	0.01

0.1 Shell -> 'X'

0.6

ew area

ty of A0= 0.5 A0 is fixed

Force = max...min

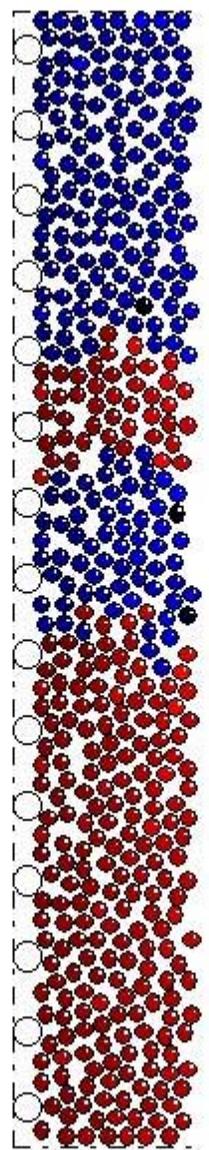
max= 1

min= 0

Apply

Paint f() g()

Paint A0A1...



DbIClk here ? X

dt = 0.005

Stop any 1 step

time= 1.0060e+003

f0= 0 a5= 0.01

g0= 0 b5= 0.01

a1= 1 a6= 0

b1= 1 b6= 0

a4= 3 a7= 0

b4= 3 b7= 0

sigma= 1 a8= 0.01

b8= 0.01

F=(f+f)/2

F=max(f,f)

a9= 0

b9= 0

Run Run/Continue



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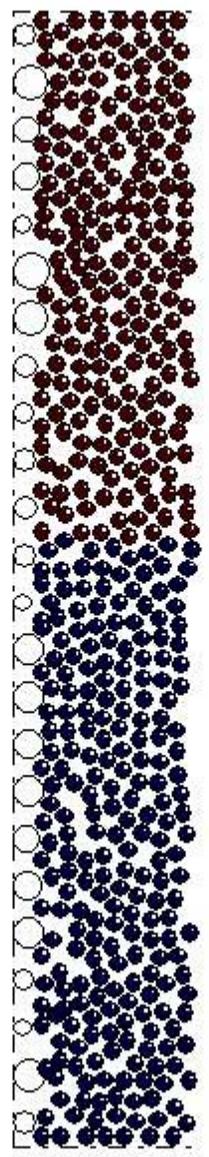
Chld1	Chld2	Chld3	Chld4	Time of...	+/- Tim...	Radius ...
A0	B1	E1	F1	10	2	0.01
.	.	.	.	200	40	0.01
C2	.	.	.	10	2	0.01
C3	.	.	.	10	2	0.01
C4	.	.	.	10	2	0.01
.	.	.	.	1e+020	2	0.01
D2	.	.	.	10	2	0.01
D3	.	.	.	10	2	0.01
D4	.	.	.	10	2	0.01
.	.	.	.	1e+020	2	0.01
.	.	.	.	200	40	0.01
E3	.	.	.	10	2	0.01
E4	.	.	.	10	2	0.01
.	.	.	.	1e+020	2	0.01
.	.	.	.	200	40	0.01
F3	.	.	.	10	2	0.01

Shell -> 'X'

Paint f() g()
 Paint A0,A1,...

Force = max...min
 max= 1
 min= 0

of A0= 0.8 A0 is fixed



DbClick here

dt = 0.005

Stop any 1 step

time= 2.5600e+002

f0= 0 a5= 0.007
 g0= 0 b5= 0.007

a1= 1 a6= 0
 b1= 1 b6= 0

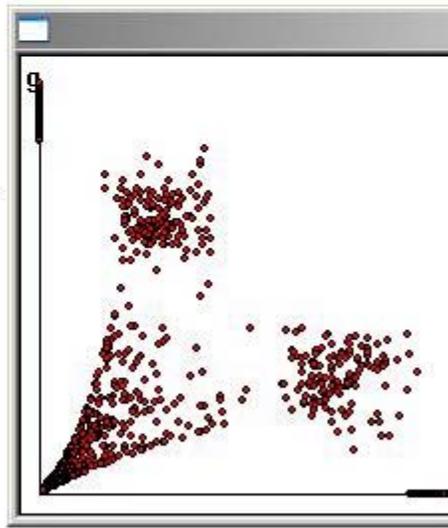
a4= 3 a7= 0
 b4= 3 b7= 0

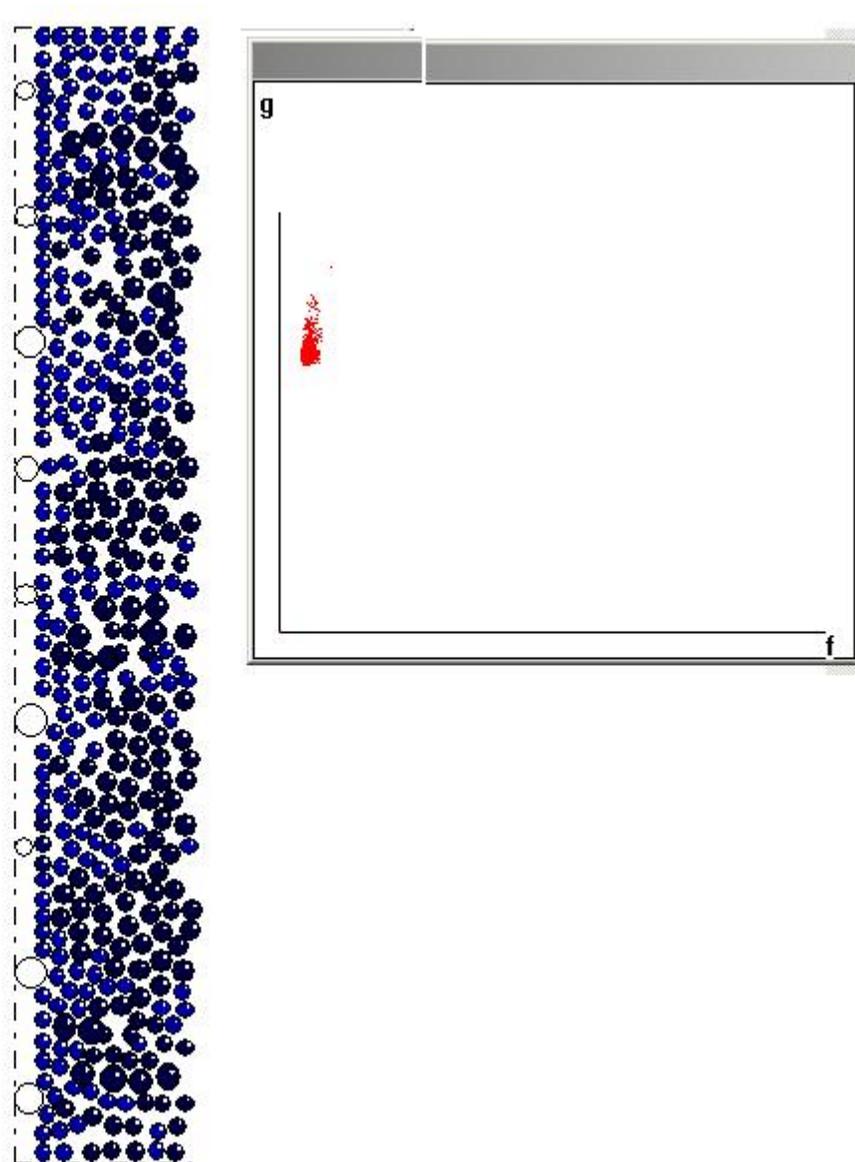
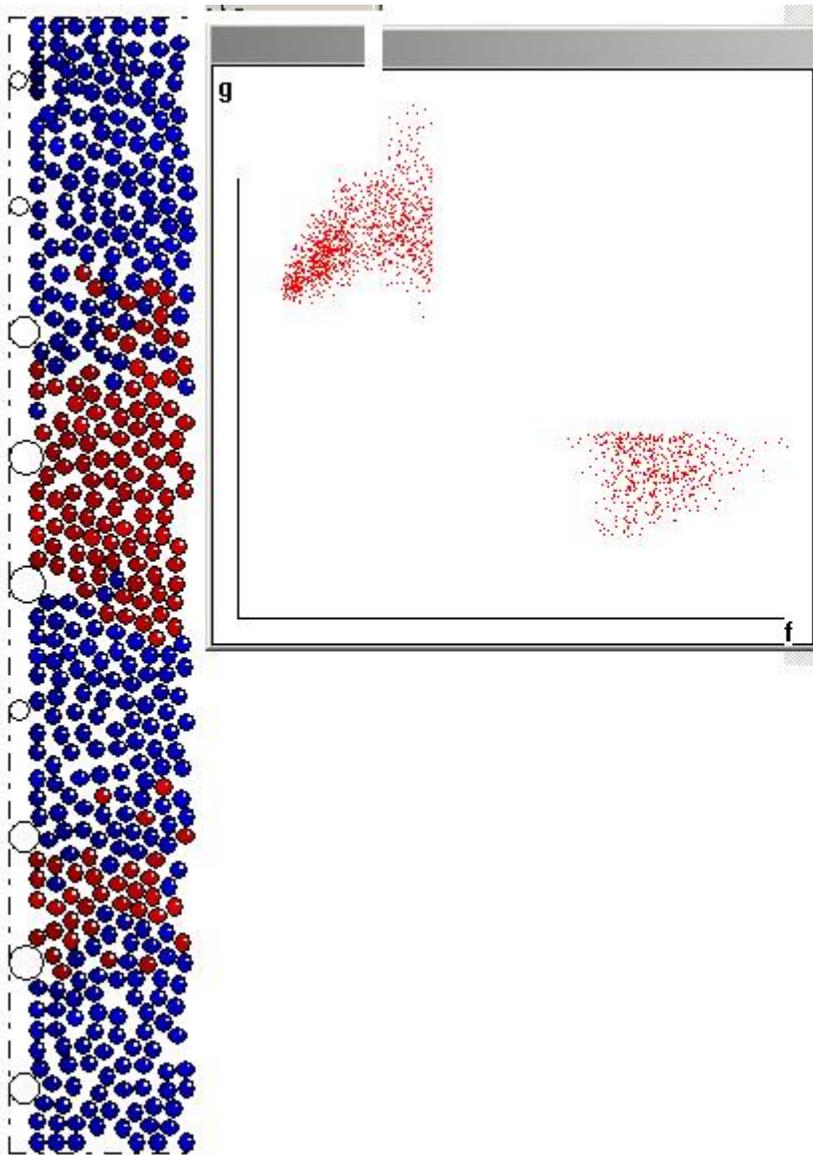
sigma= 2 a8= 0.007
 b8= 0.007

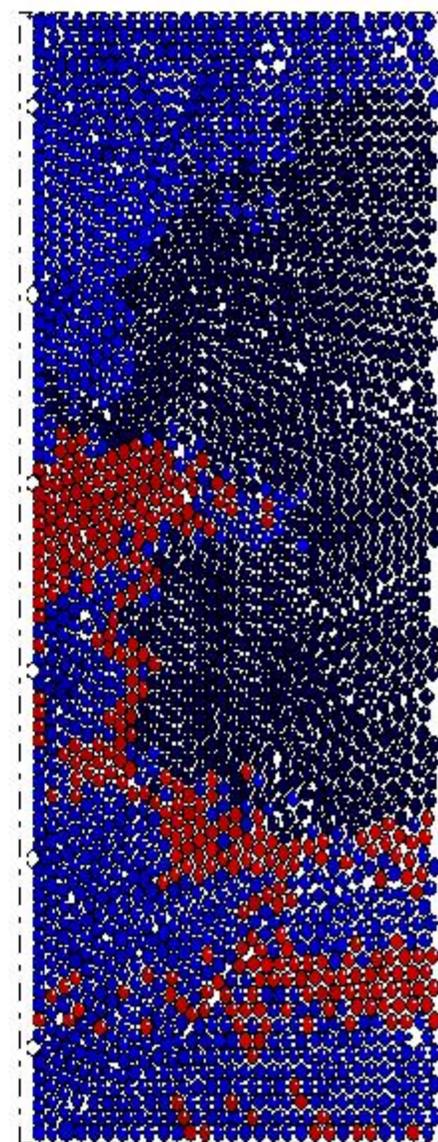
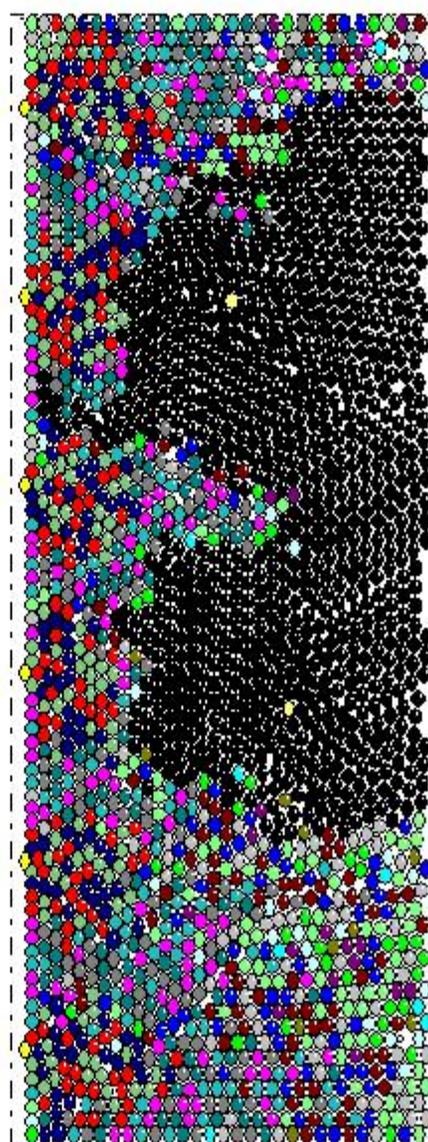
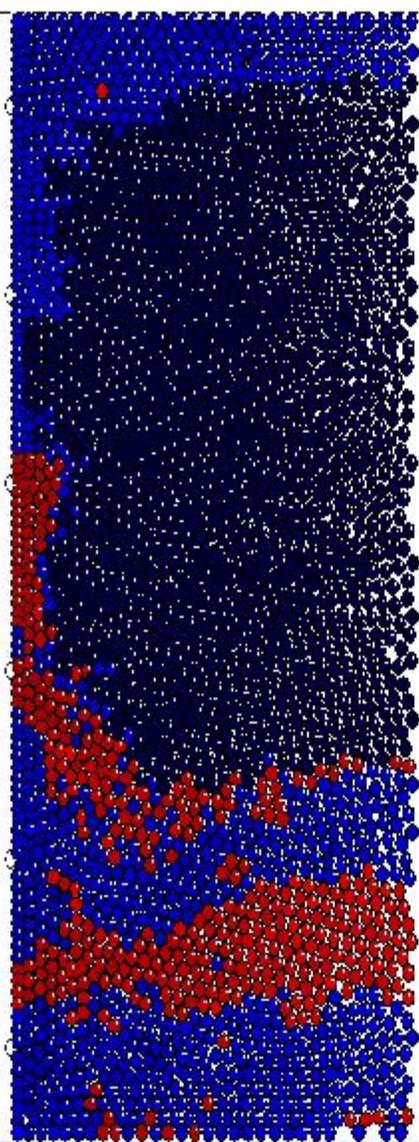
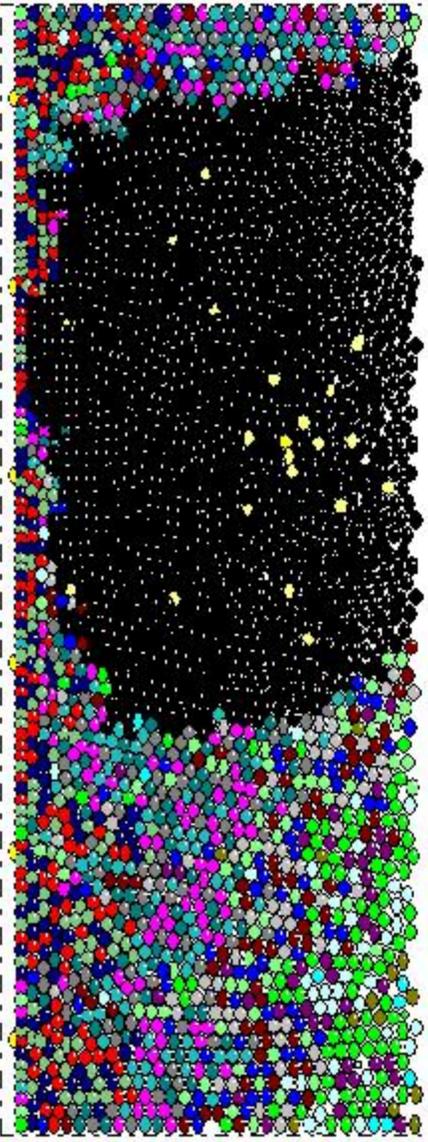
F=(f+f)/2
 F=max(f,f)

a9= 0
 b9= 0

Run Run/Continue







Some mathematical questions

- ODE on moving cells
- Existence and stability of stationary solutions, pattern formation
- Passing to continuous medium equations

Conclusions

Leukemia development in the bone marrow is determined by

- leukemic hematopoiesis
- cell communication and external signals

Both are not sufficiently studied and understood and are very (too ?) complex for modelling