Structure of the cell



Anatomy

- 1-Gross anatomy (Macroscopic A.)
- 2-Histology
 (Microscopic A.)
- 3-Embryology
- 4-Ultra structural



- 1-Applied A.
- 2-Topograghic A.
- 3-Systemic A.
- 4-Comparative A.
- 5.Functional A.
- 6.Radiographic A.











Cell Membrane

- Boundary of the cell
- Made of a phospholipid bilayer





Glycocalyx



Endoplasmic Reticulum

- A.k.a. "ER"
- Connected to nuclear membrane
- Highway of the cell
- Rough ER: studded with ribosomes; it makes proteins
- Smooth ER: no ribosomes; it makes lipids



Mitochondria

- "Powerhouse of the cell"
- Cellular respiration occurs here to release energy for the cell to use
- Bound by a double membrane
- Has its own strand of DNA



Golgi Apparatus

- Looks like a stack of plates
- Stores, modifies and packages proteins
- Molecules transported to and from the Golgi by means of vesicles





Lysosomes

- Garbage disposal of the cell
- Contain digestive enzymes that break down wastes



Peroxisome



Ribosome

- Site of protein synthesis
- Found attached to rough ER or floating free in cytosol
- Produced in a part of the nucleus called the nucleolus



Microtubule









Cilia and Flagella



Centrosome



Cytoskeleton

- Acts as skeleton and muscle
- Provides shape and structure
- Helps move organelles around the cell
- Made of three types of filaments





Intermediate filament

Intermediate filament

Keratin filament

Desmin filametn

Vimentin filament

Neurofilament

Glial filament

Actin and Myosin





Vacuoles

- Large <u>central</u> vacuale usually in plant cells
- Many smaller vacuoles in animal cells
- Storage container for water, food, enzymes, wastes, pigments, etc.



1-Melanin (dark brown), 2- Hemosiderin, 3,4- lipid (Oil Red O, Sudan Black)



1: Lipofuscin 2,3: Glycogen (liver & skeletal muscle)







Nucleus

- Control center of the cell
- Contains DNA
- Surrounded by a double membrane
- Usually the easiest organelle to see under a microscope
- Usually one per cell





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Non-nuclear : RBC , Platelets , Lens cells

Poly nuclear : Osteoclast , Skeletal muscle

Bi nuclear : Cardiac cell , Hepatocyte

Bone Matrix









Euchromatin & Heterochromatin



Slide 92 Skin Monkey finger

Euchromatic nucle

Heterochromatic nuclei

Chromatin

Each nucleosome consists of a cluster of 8 histone proteins around which DNA is wrapped two times.













Structure of the Cell



gure 14. High magnification of a neuron. 160X. Note that neurons have a large chromatic nucleus with prominent nucleolus and a basophilic granular toplasm. What cell organelle is responsible for the basophilia of the cytoplasm?

Cellular junctions







Gap junction









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General Principles (4- Artifacts: precipitate, crackling:thymus, separation/ space: Dog skin, knife marks, folds: Horse esophagus)



