

# Living Things

## Chapter 2



# Section 1: What is Life?

- 6 Characteristics of Living Things:

1. \_\_\_\_\_

- \_\_\_\_\_ cellular vs. \_\_\_\_\_ cellular

2. Composed of **5** essential chemicals

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_ - main energy source

3. \_\_\_\_\_

4. \_\_\_\_\_ (Fats)

5. \_\_\_\_\_ - genetic material that controls cell's activities

3. Use energy

- Growth and Repair

# Characteristics of Living Things (cont.)

## 4. Respond to Surroundings

✦ \_\_\_\_\_ - change in the environment  
Examples- temperature, light, sound

✦ \_\_\_\_\_ - action as a result of the stimulus

## 5. Growth and Development

## 6. Reproduction

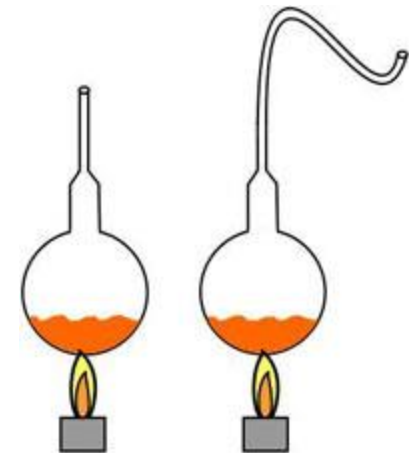
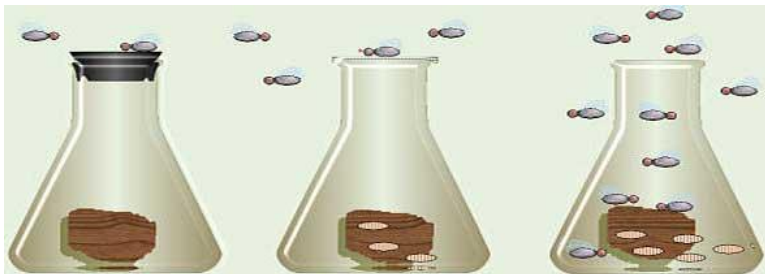


# Life Comes from Life

- Spontaneous Generation

- \_\_\_\_\_ that life can come from nonliving things
- Two experiments that disproved this theory:
  - Redi's Experiment- flies

Pasteur's Experiment- bacteria



# 4 Needs of Living Things

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

- Two ways to obtain food:

a. \_\_\_\_\_ - make their own food

a. Plants

b. \_\_\_\_\_ - cannot make their own food

a. Animals, mushrooms, slime molds

3. Living Space

4. \_\_\_\_\_ Conditions (ie., Homeostasis)

- Temperature, blood sugar levels, water levels

# Section 2: Classifying Organisms

- Classification

Grouping things based on their similarities.

- Taxonomy

- The scientific study of \_\_\_\_\_.

- Binomial Nomenclature

- Developed by Linnaeus in the 1750s

- Organism groups based on observable features

- Each organism given \_\_\_\_\_ (“binomial”)

- Genus- 1<sup>st</sup> name

- Felis- all cats (pumas, tigers, house cats)

- Species- 2<sup>nd</sup> name

- Refers to distinct feature

- Example: domesticus

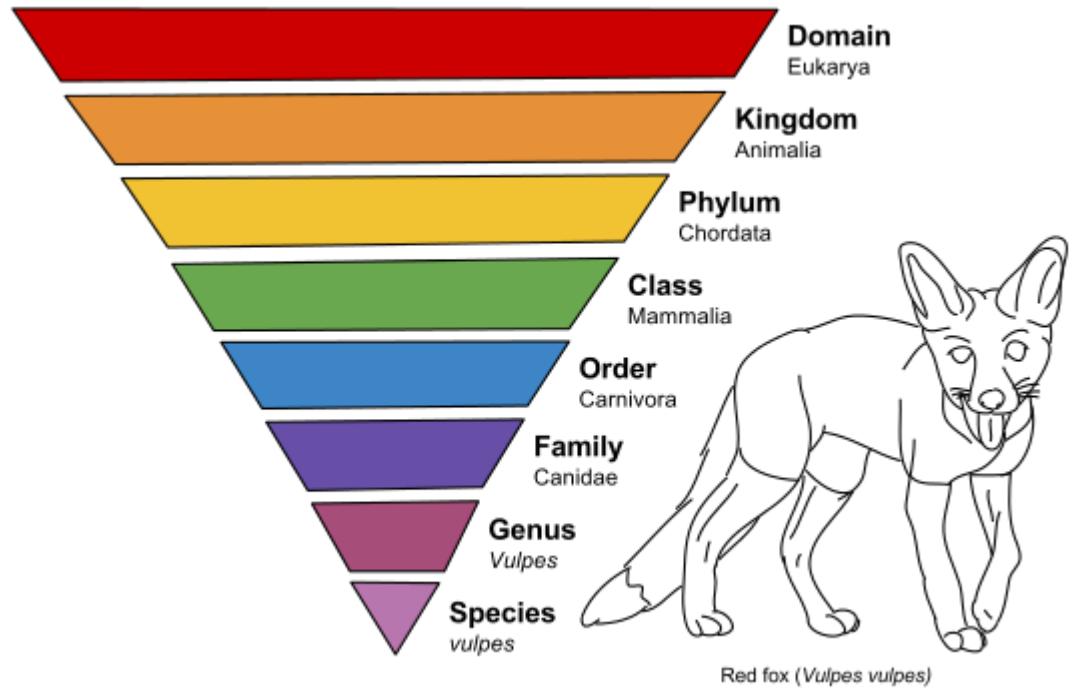
*Felis domesticus*



# 8 Levels of Classification

- 8 major levels

- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_
- Class
- Order
- Family
- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_



# Mnemonic for Levels of Classification

- **D**aring = **D**omain
- **K**ings = **K**ingdom
- **P**lay = **P**hylum
- **C**hess = **C**lass
- **O**n = **O**rders
- **F**ast = **F**amily
- **G**reen = **G**enus
- **S**cooters = **S**pecies



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# Domains

- Organisms classified according to these **3** criteria:

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_

- **3** domain system

- Bacteria

- ✦ Prokaryotes- \_\_\_\_\_

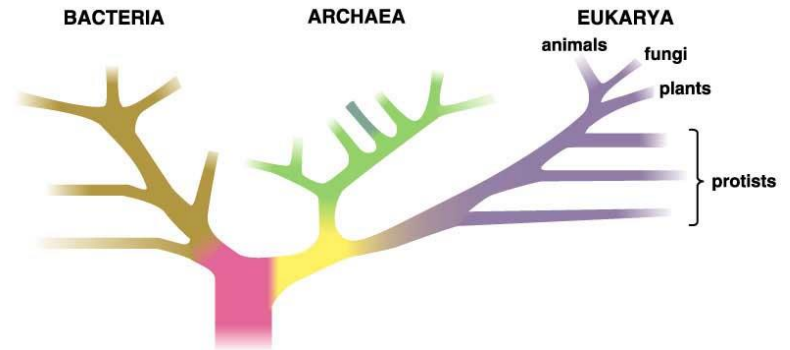
- Archaea

- ✦ Unicellular; similar to bacteria

- ✦ Found in hot springs, molten gases

- Eukarya

- ✦ Eukaryotes- \_\_\_\_\_



# Kingdoms

- Domain **Eukarya** split into 4 Kingdoms:
  1. \_\_\_\_\_ - Eukaryotes  
“odds and ends” kingdom  
Example: seaweeds
  2. \_\_\_\_\_ - Eukaryotes  
Feed by absorbing nutrients from dead or decaying organisms  
Examples: mushrooms, molds, fungi
  3. \_\_\_\_\_ - Eukaryotic autotrophs  
trees, flowers
  4. \_\_\_\_\_ - Eukaryotic heterotrophs  
most diverse kingdom

# Section 3: Discovering Cells

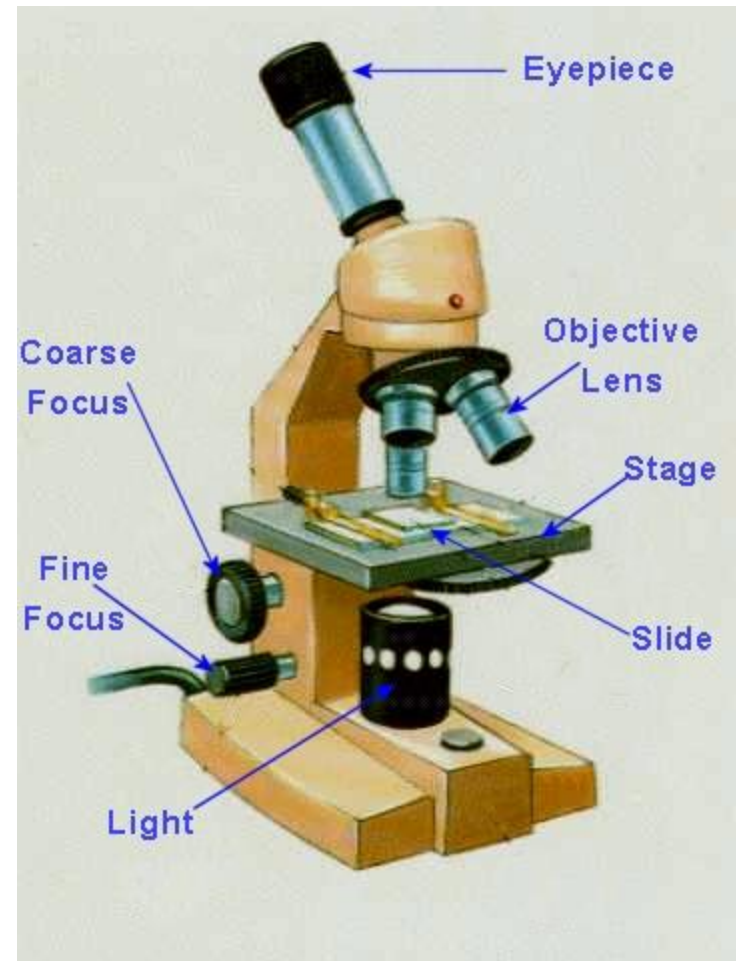
- Discovery of Cells Timeline:

- 1590- first microscope invented
- 1663- Hooke's compound microscope w/ illumination observed cells in a thin slice of cork
- 1674- van Leeuwenhoek's simple microscope magnified 266 times
- 1886- Modern Compound Light Microscope (1,000 times)
- 1965- [Electron microscope](#) (150,000 times)
- 1981- [Scanning Tunneling Microscope](#)  
[STM](#) (1,000,000 times)



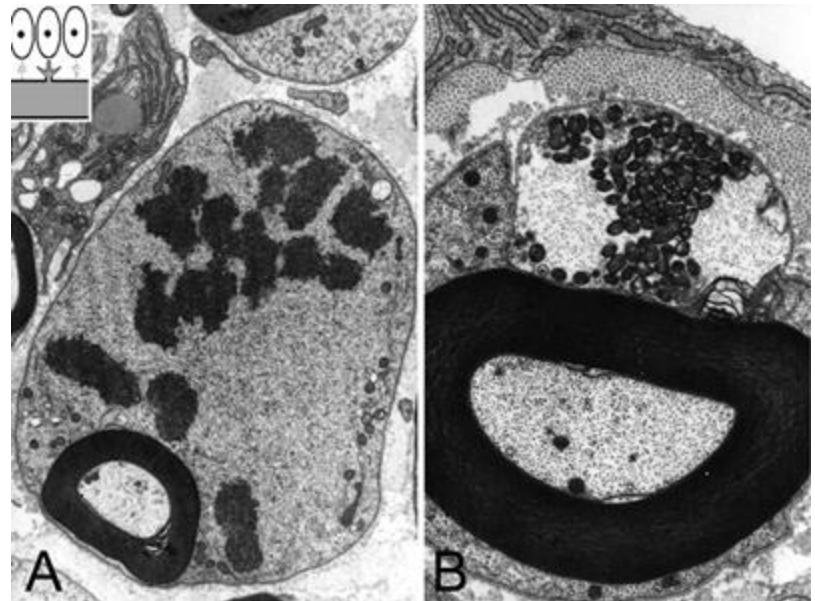
# Light and Electron Microscope Terms

- \_\_\_\_\_
  - Ability to make things look larger than they are
- Lenses
  - Magnify an object by bending light
- Resolution
  - Sharpness of an image
- \_\_\_\_\_ Microscope
  - Uses more than one lens
- Electron Microscope
  - Use a beam of electrons



# Development of the Cell Theory

- Schleiden, Schwann, Virchow in 1855
- Cell theory says:
  1. All living things are composed of cells
  2. Cells are the basic units of structure and function in living things
  3. All cells are produced from other cells



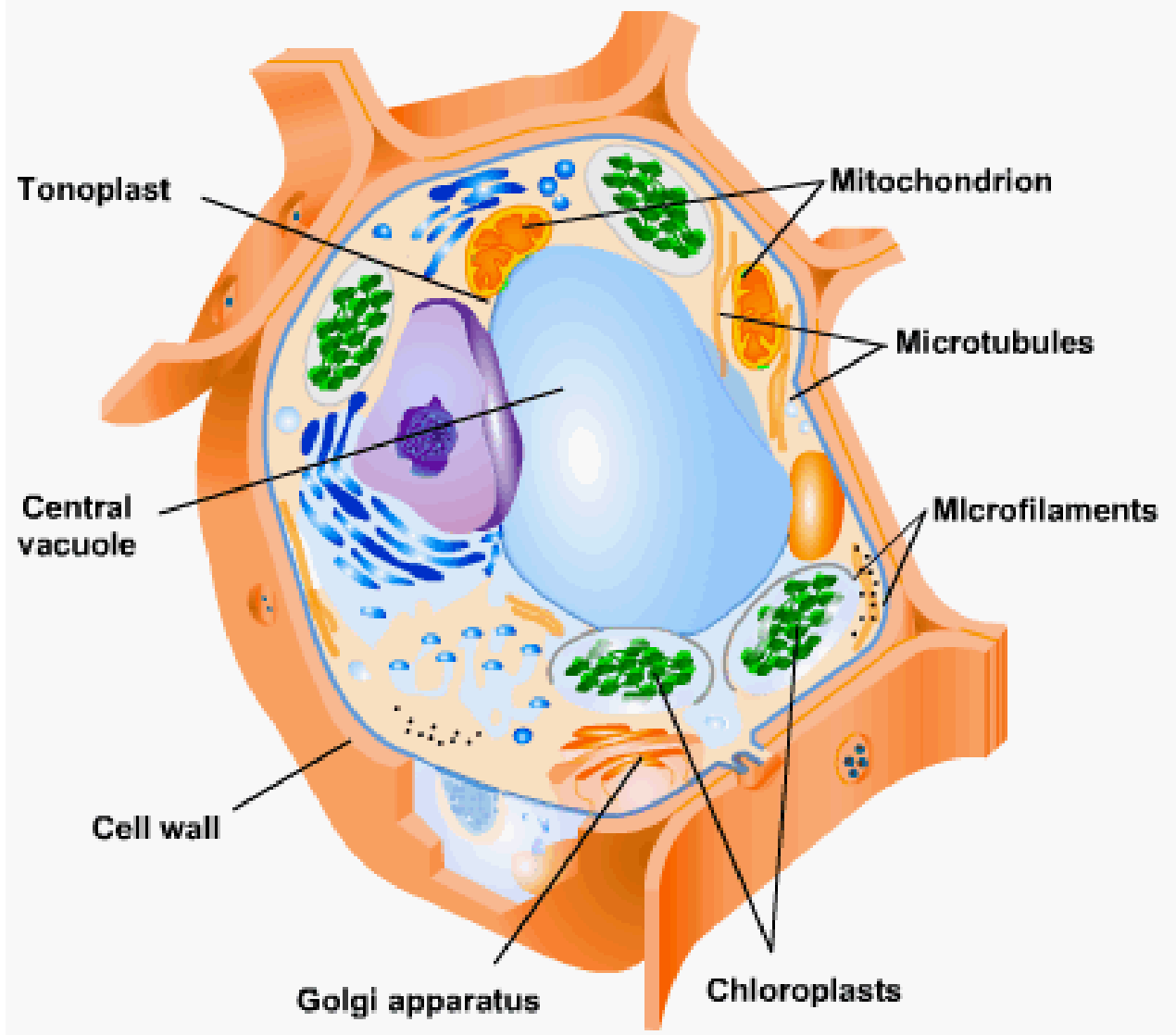
# Section 4: Looking Inside Cells



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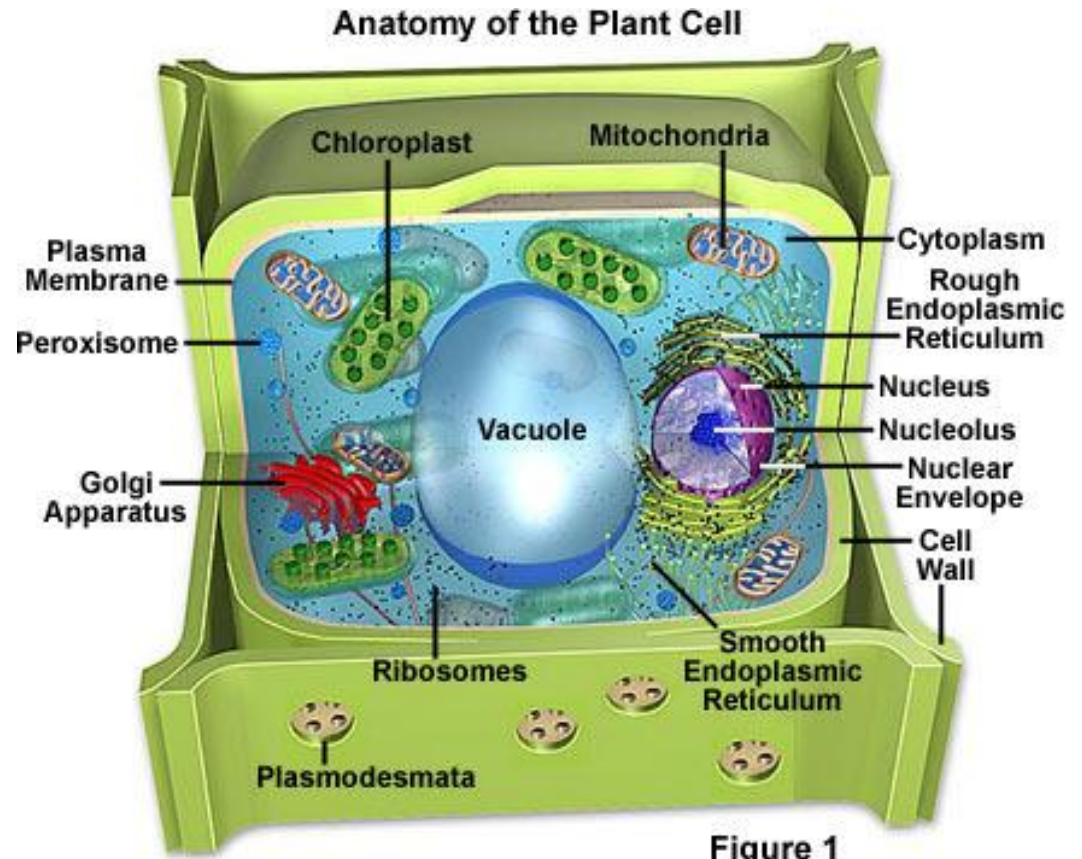
# Organelles

Are tiny structures inside the cell with specific functions.



# Cell Wall

- \_\_\_\_\_ for protection and support
- Found \_\_\_\_\_

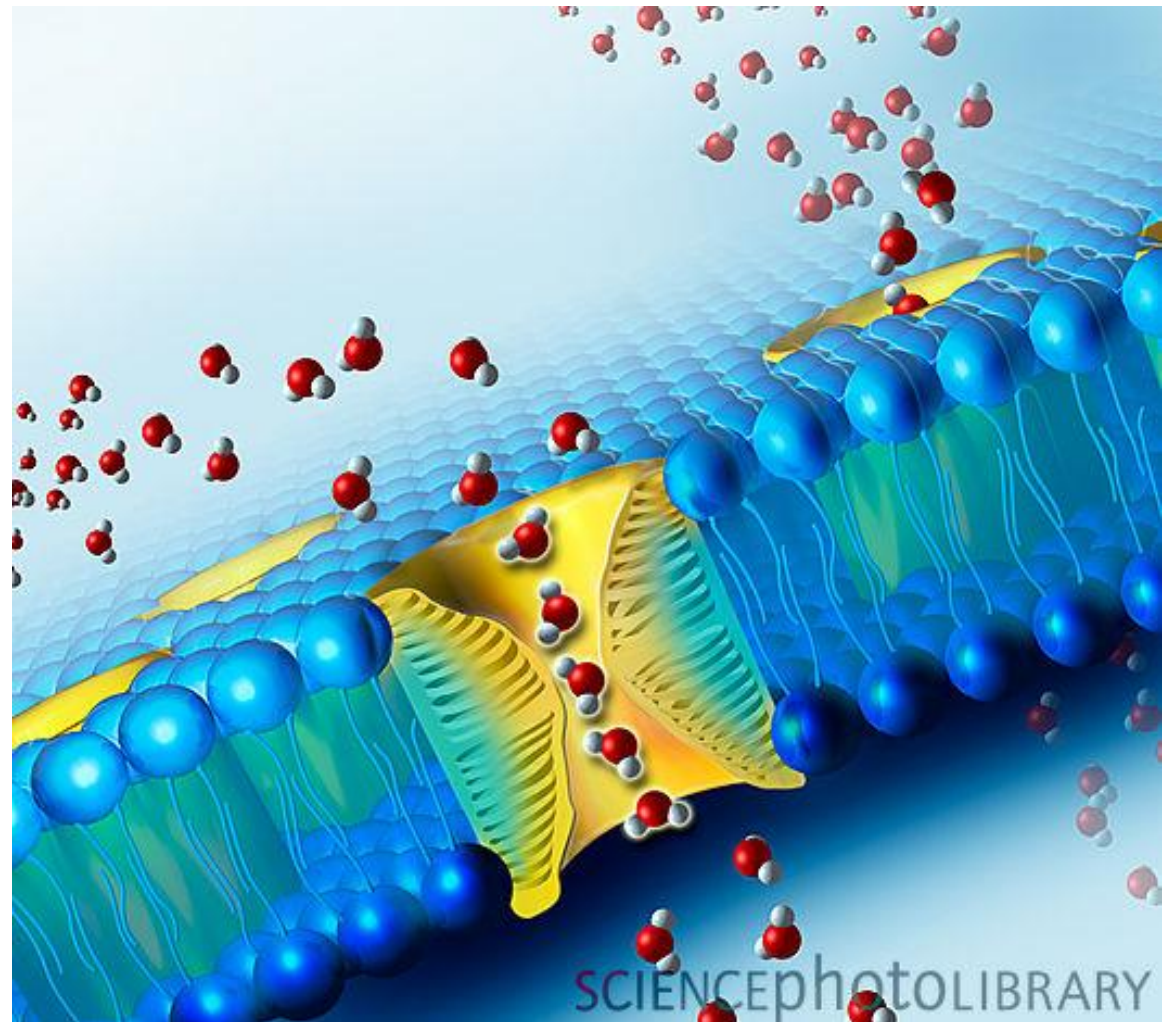




# Cell Membrane

Controls

\_\_\_\_\_ of the cell

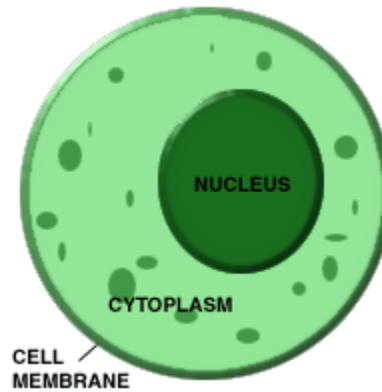


# Cytoplasm

Region between

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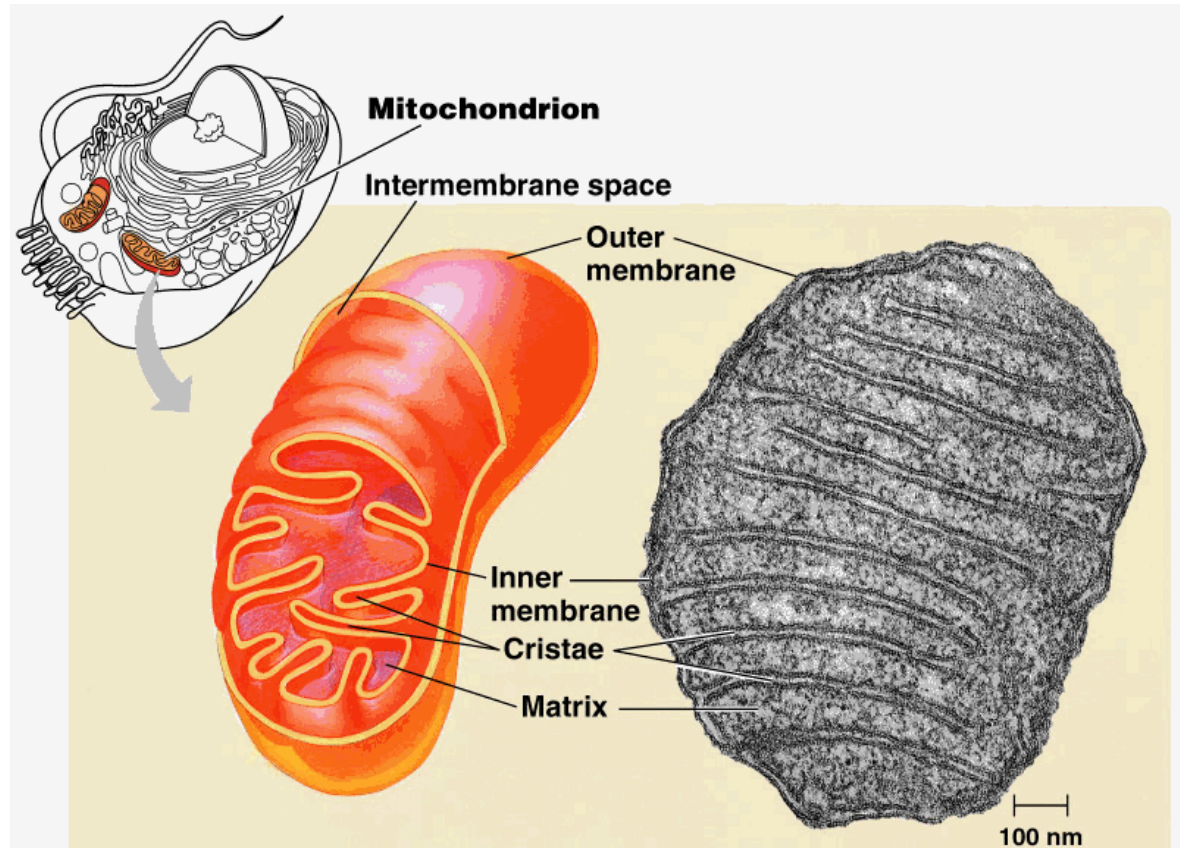
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# Organelles in the Cytoplasm

## Mitochondria

because they  
convert food  
into energy



## Endoplasmic Reticulum (“ER”)

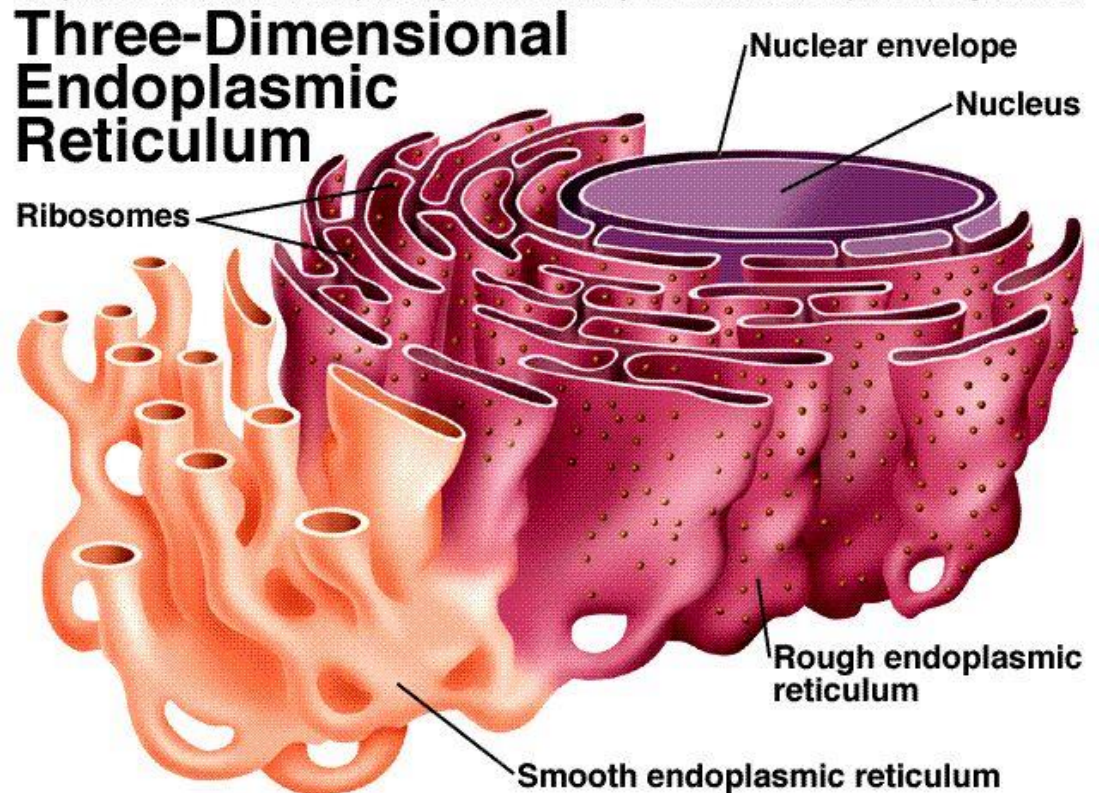
\_\_\_\_\_ around cell

## Ribosomes

Small, grain-like bodies  
Some on ER and  
some float in cytoplasm

\_\_\_\_\_

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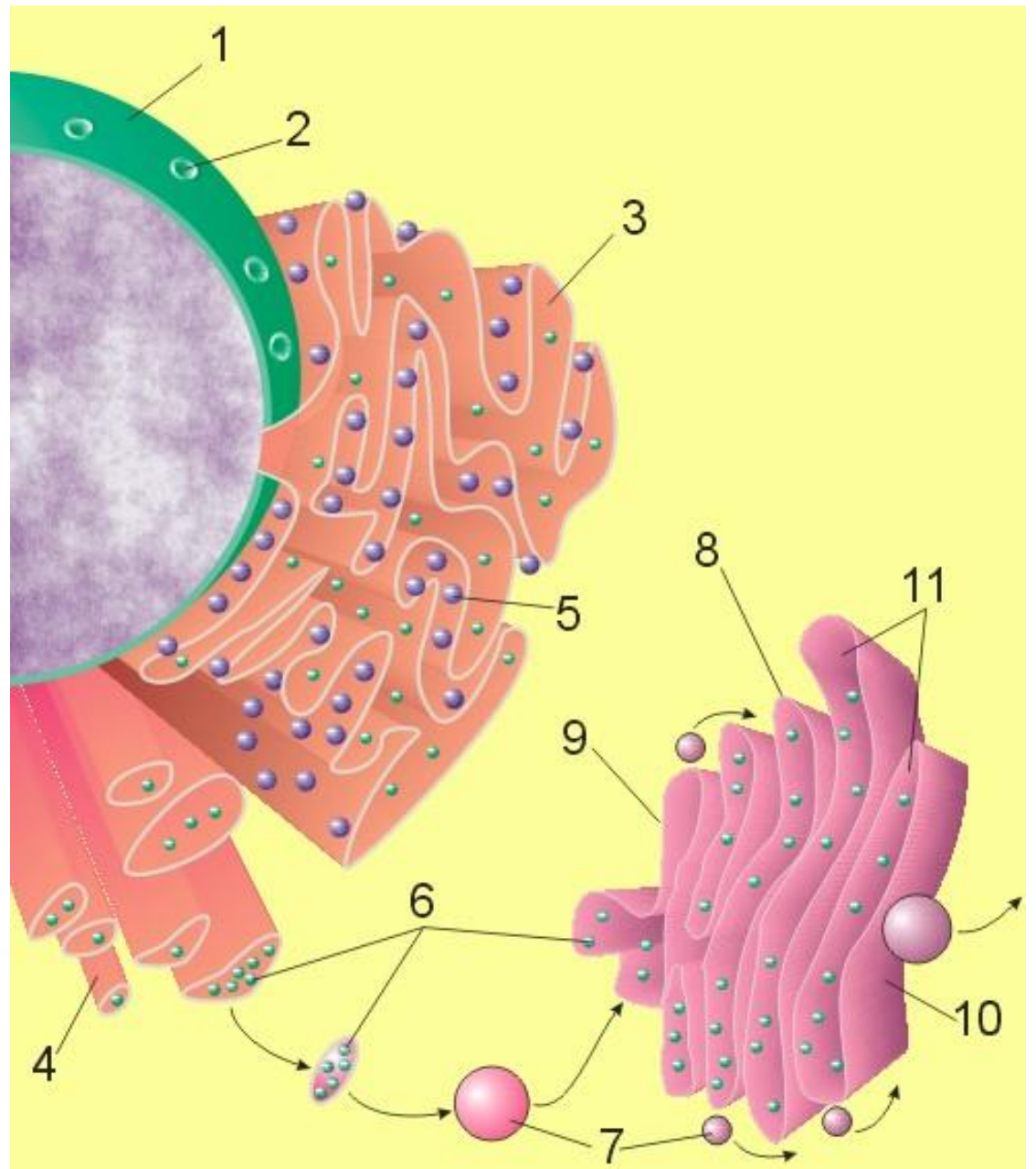


# Golgi Bodies

Receive proteins,

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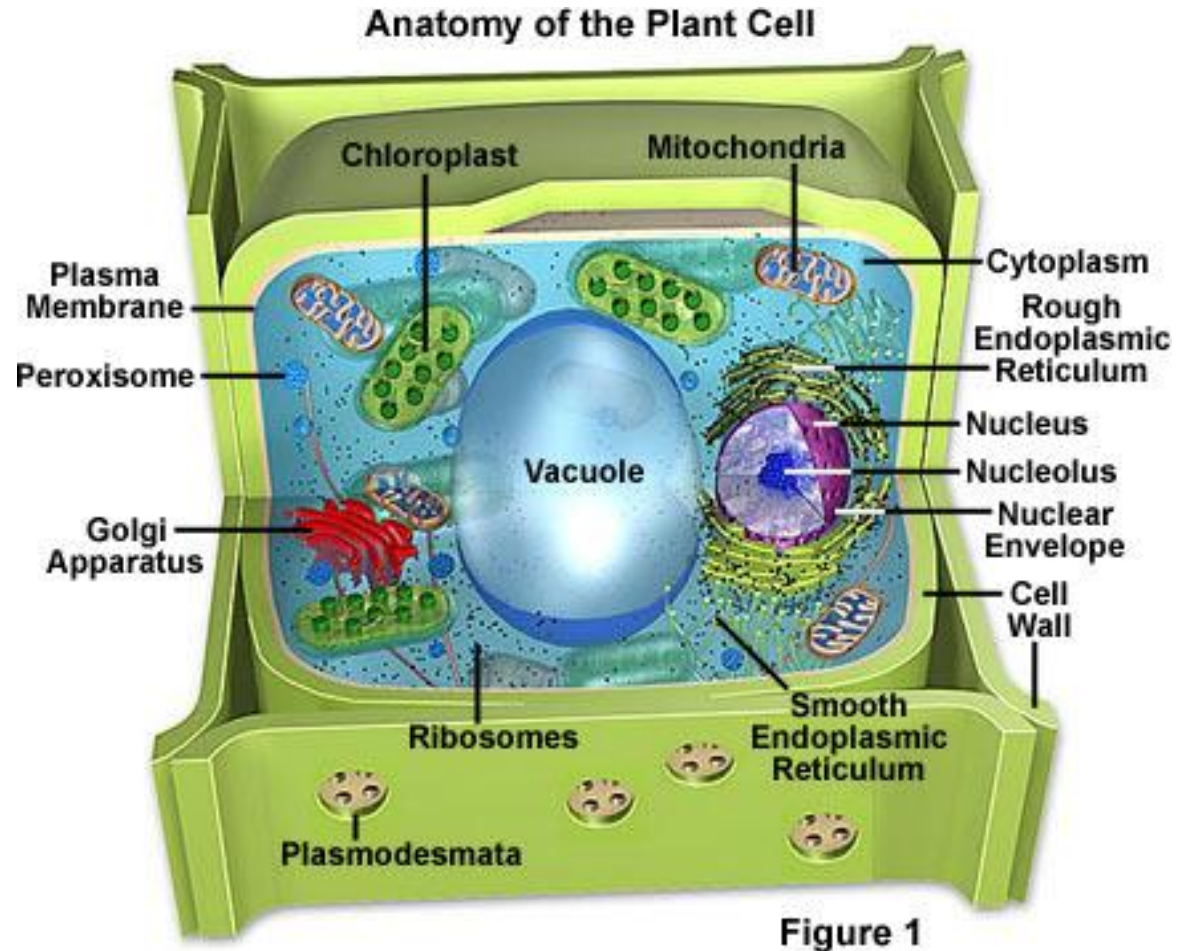
## Chloroplasts

- In plant cells

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- Capture energy

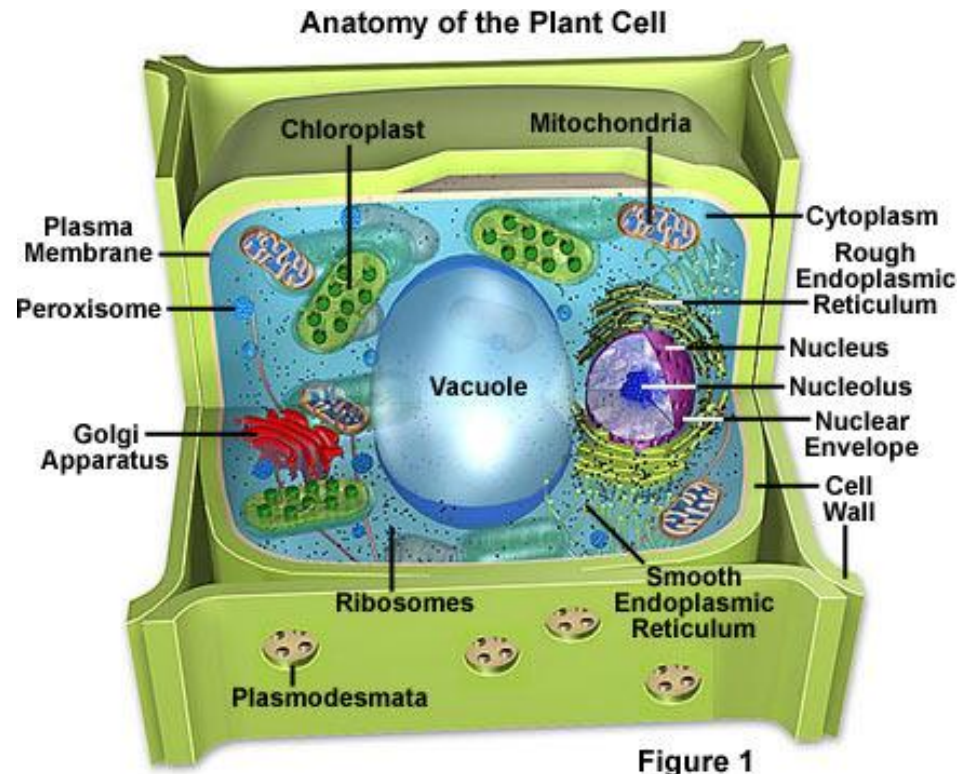
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to produce  
food



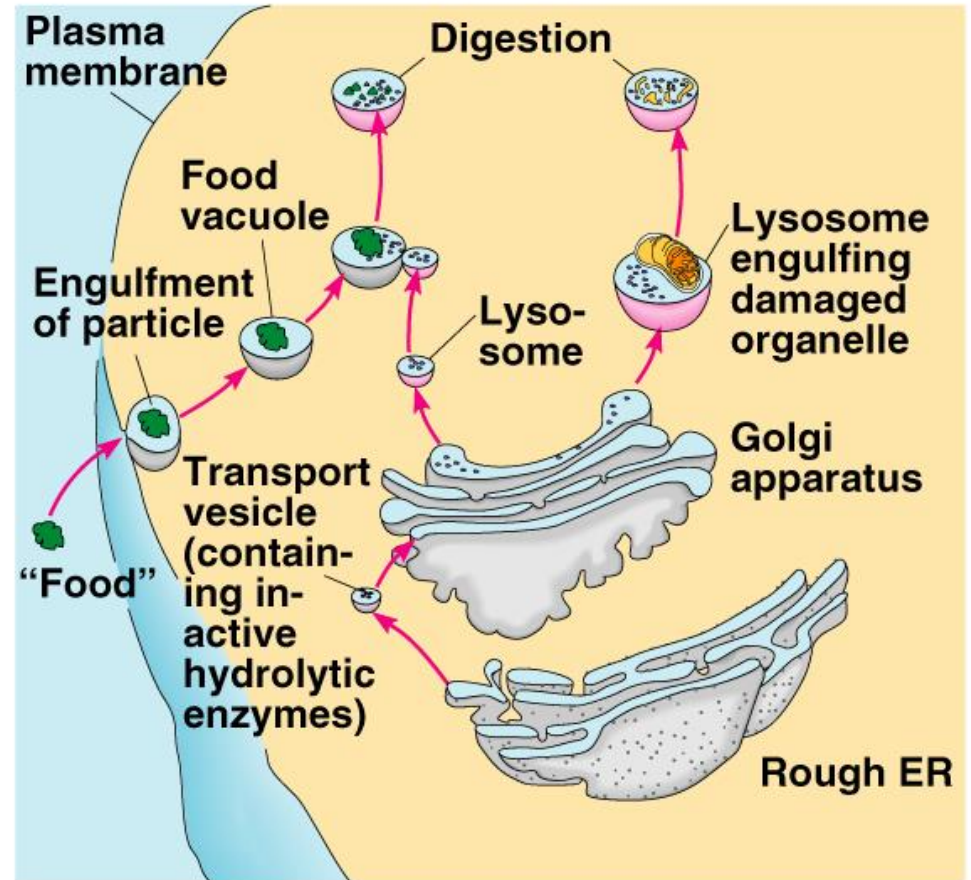
## Vacuoles

- Large, \_\_\_\_\_ sacs used for storage
- Plants have one big vacuole;
- some animal cells have much smaller versions



## Lysosomes

- Small, round structures
- Cell's \_\_\_\_\_
- Break down various substances





Nucleus “ \_\_\_\_\_ ”

## Nuclear Envelope

- Membrane that surrounds nucleus
- Controls what materials go in and out of nucleus

## Chromatin

- Thin strands floating inside nucleus
- Contains \_\_\_\_\_

## Nucleolus

- Ribosome production

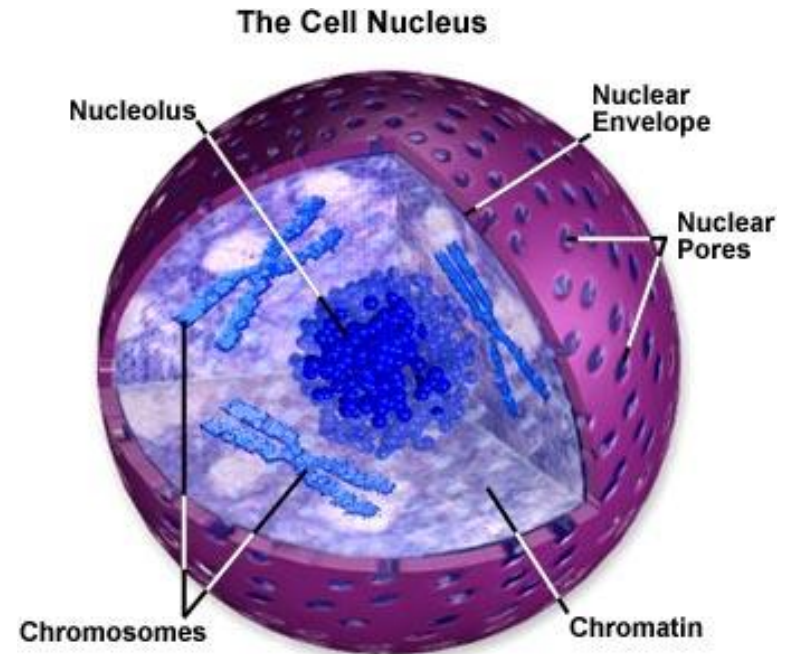


Figure 1