

GNOM and Auxin Transport

gnom Phenotype is Mimicked by Alteration of Auxin Homeostasis



split collar
cotyledon



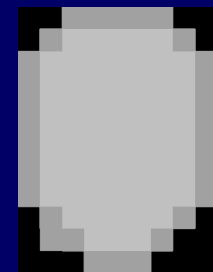
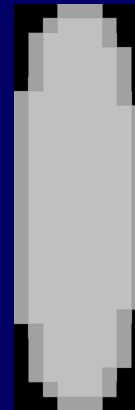
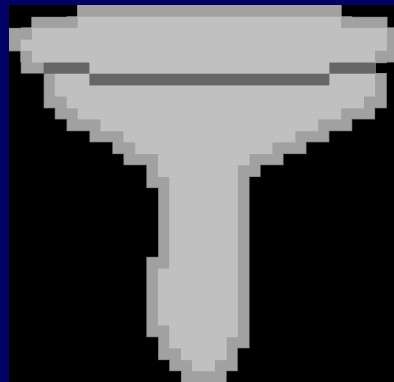
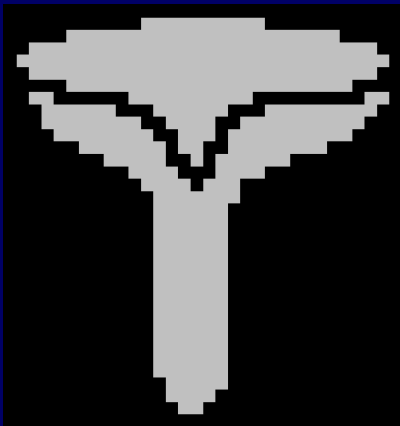
collar cotyledon



cucumber



ball/egg



data from
Hadfi et al., 1998

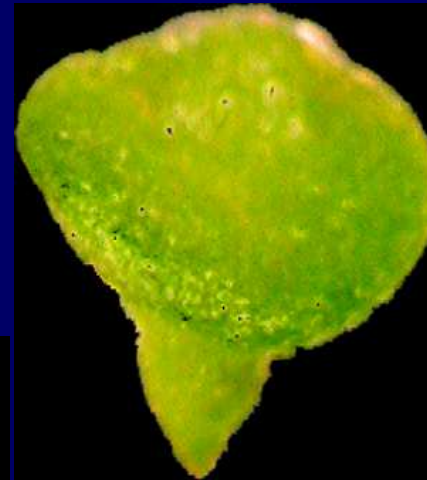
gnom embryos display variable defects in the apical-basal axis of polarity



Wild-type and *gnom*
Arabidopsis
seedling



split collar cotyledon



collar cotyledon



cucumber



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GNOM Encodes a Homolog of Yeast ARF G-protein Exchange Factors

GNOM rescues *gea2Δ*, *gea1-19* temperature sensitive yeast strains

25°C

GNOM

Vector

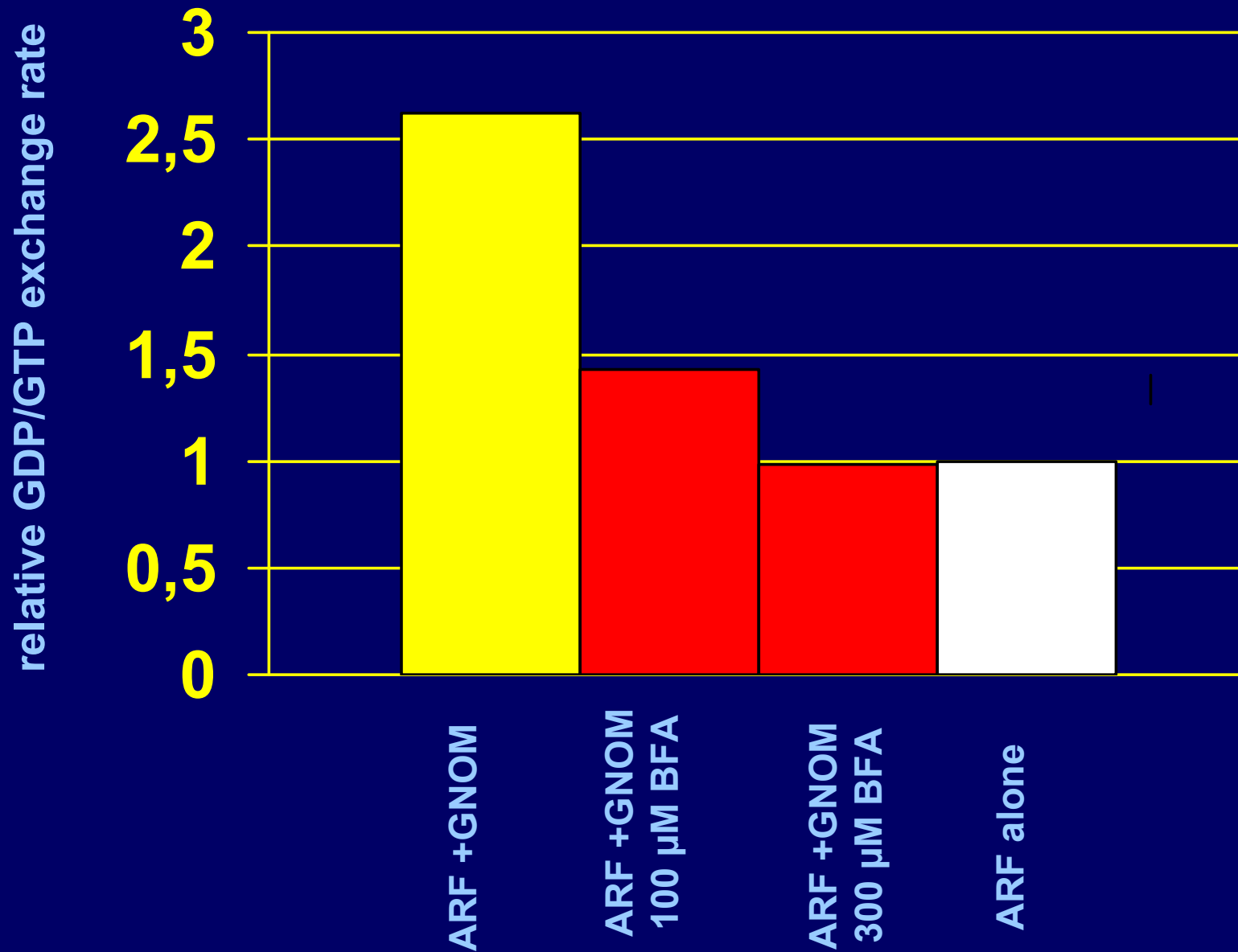
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GNOM

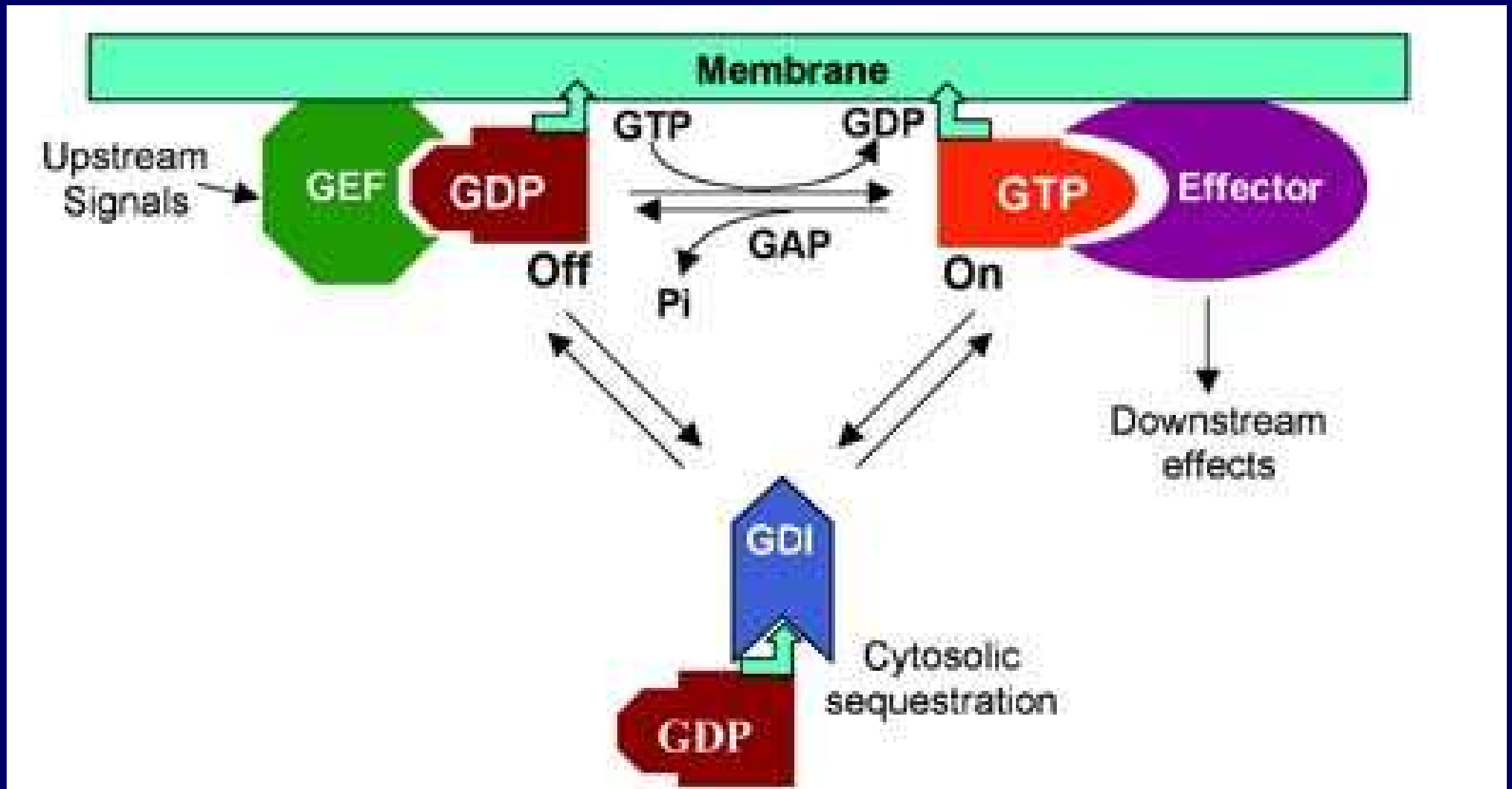
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GNOM Has BFA Sensitive GDP/GTP Exchange Activity on ARF



Small GTPases - Universal Switchers



Secretory pathway

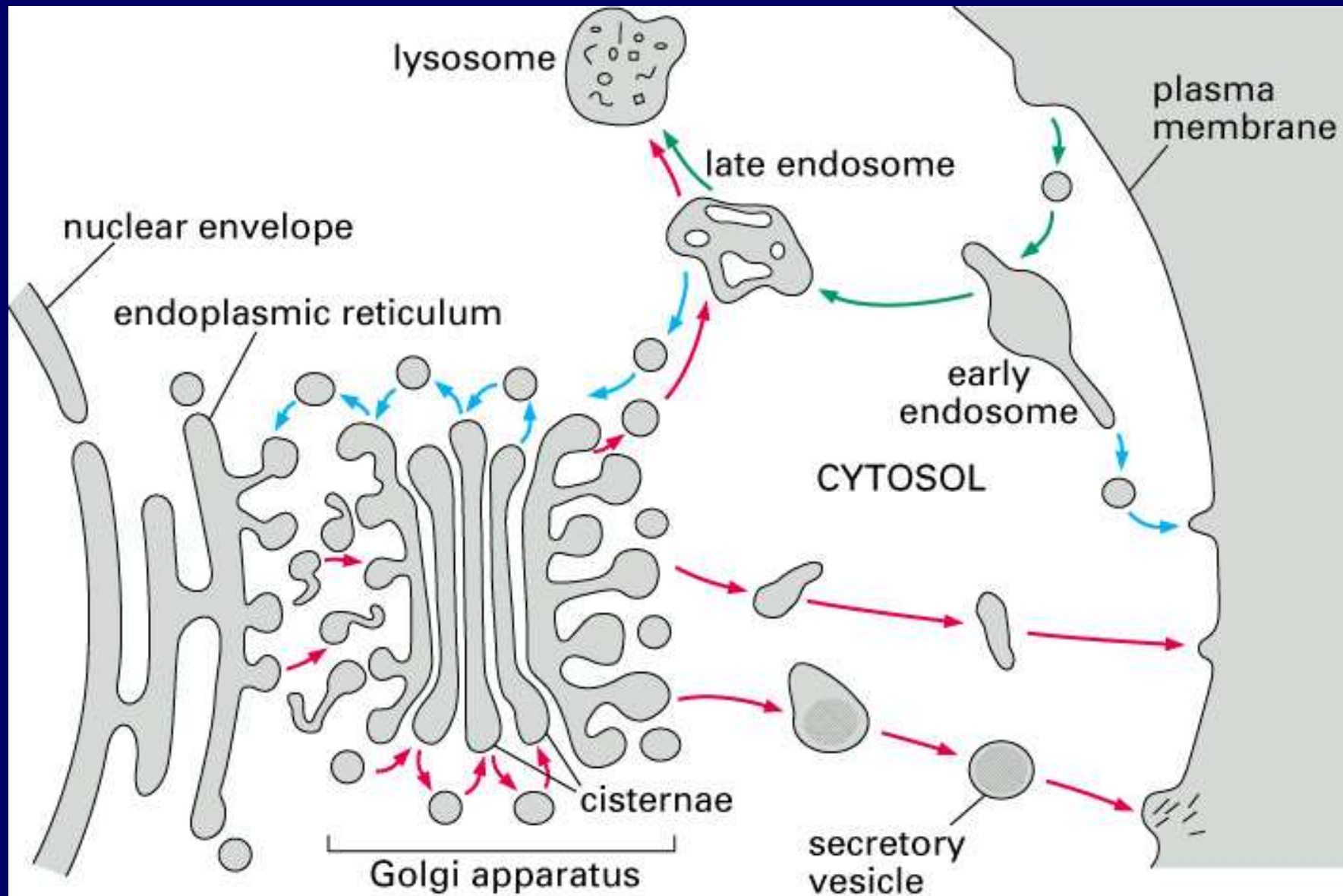
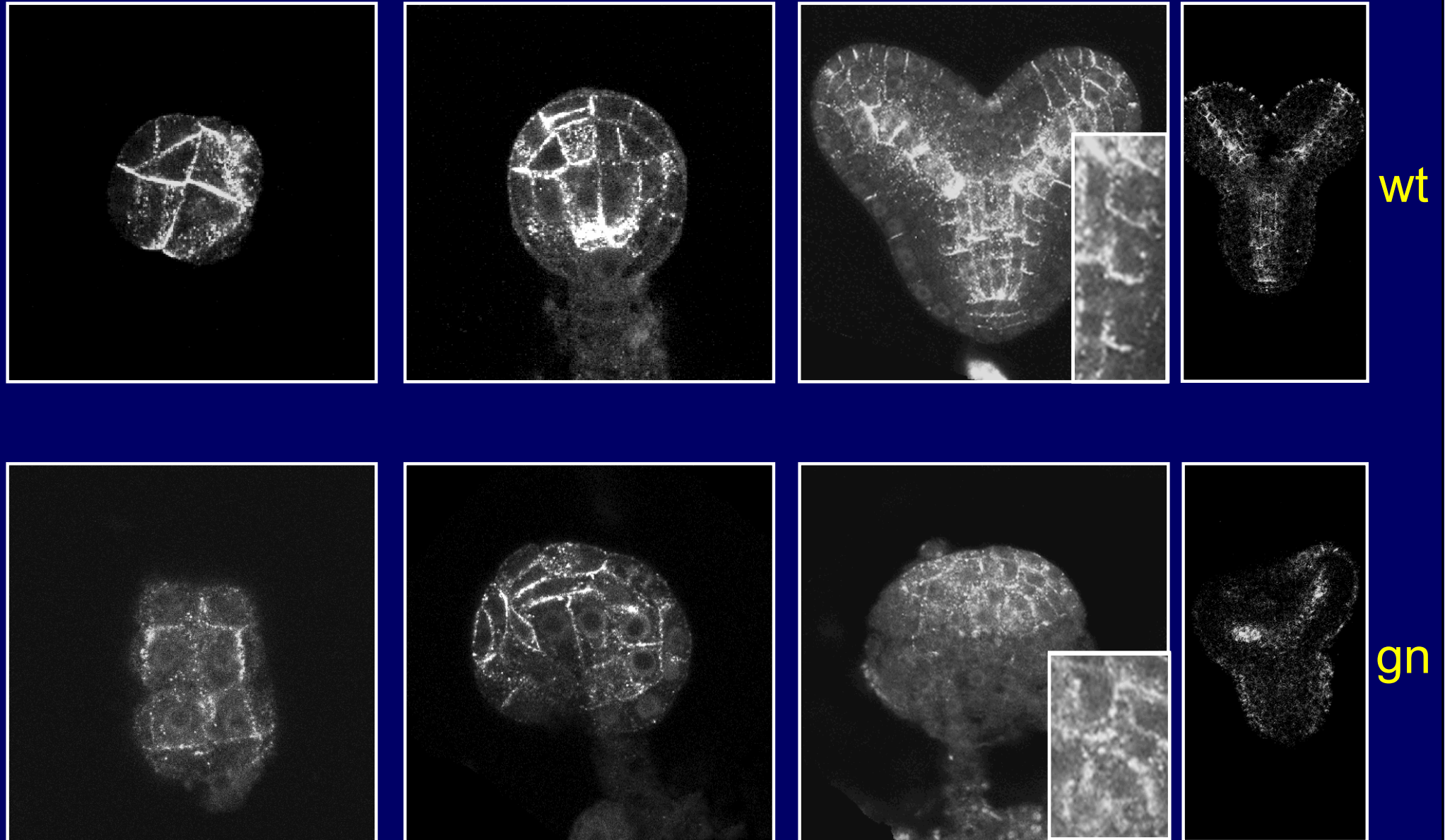


Figure 13-3. Molecular Biology of the Cell, 4th Edition.

Establishment of coordinated PIN1 polarity is disrupted in *gnom* embryos



PIN Proteins Cycling

BFA reveals subcellular movement of PIN1

PIN1 cycles between endosome and plasma membrane

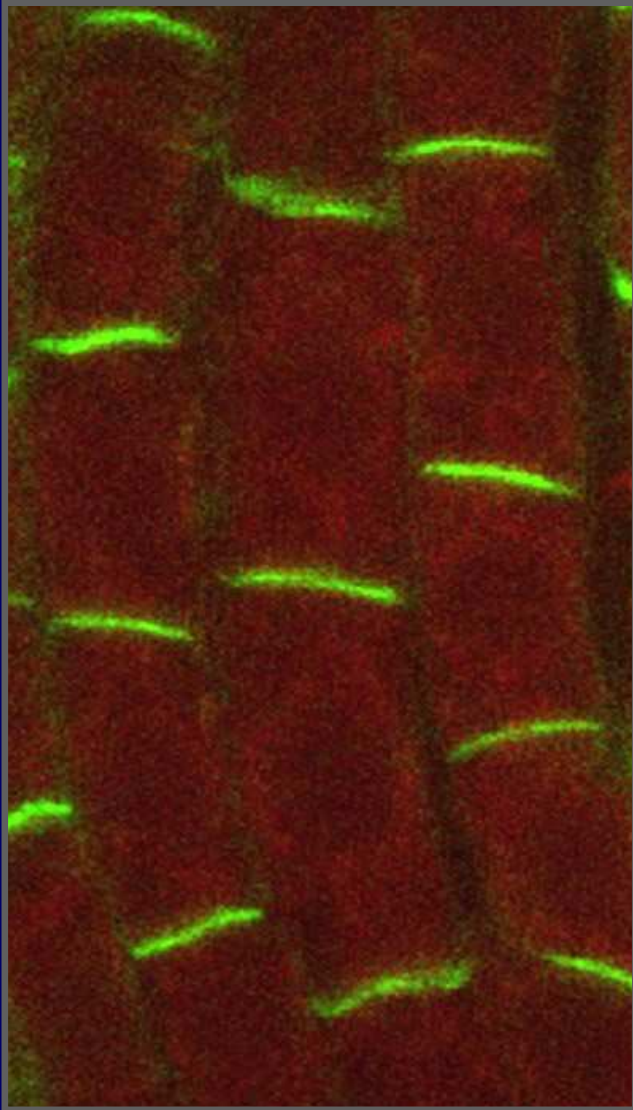
PIN1 cycling is actin but not tubulin dependent

Auxin transport inhibitors interfere with protein trafficking

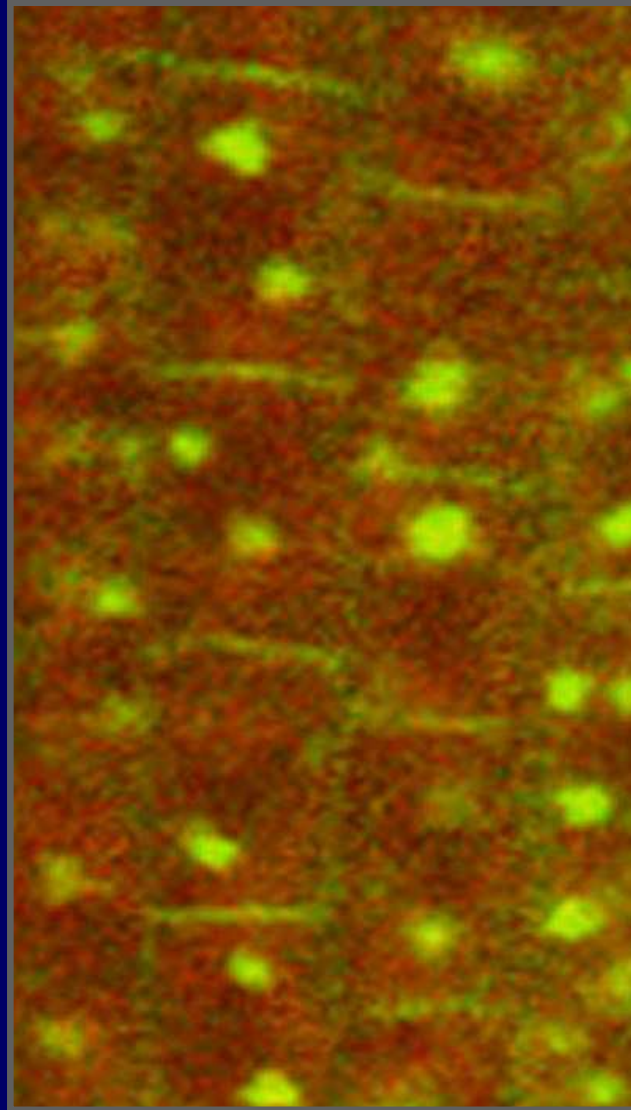
Role for cycling - root gravitropism

PIN1 Subcellular Movement

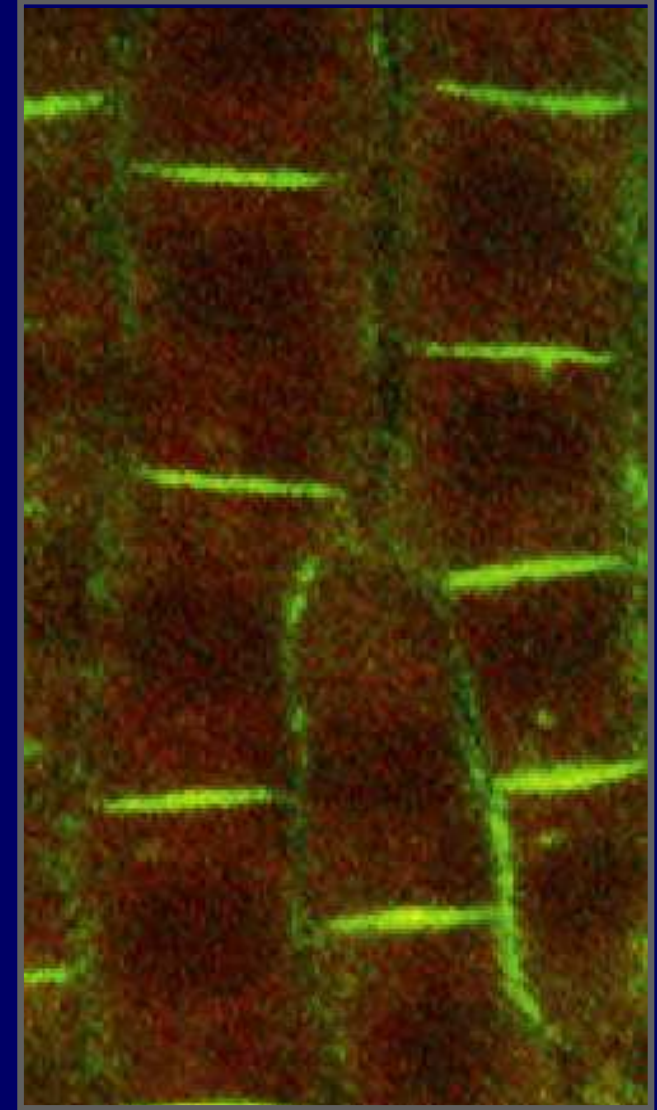
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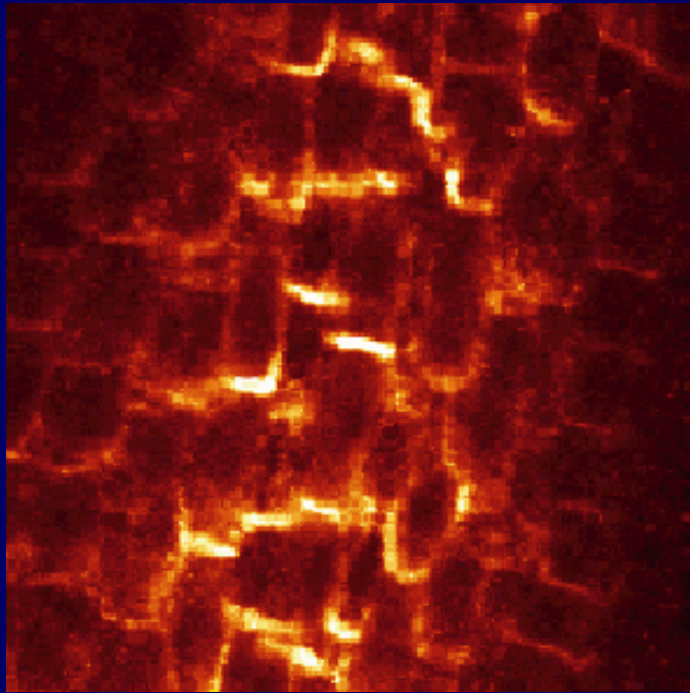
+ BFA



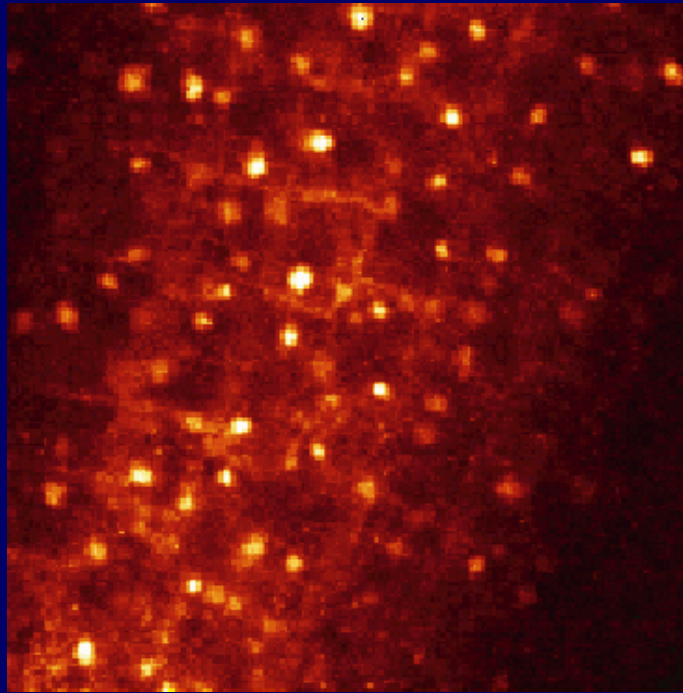
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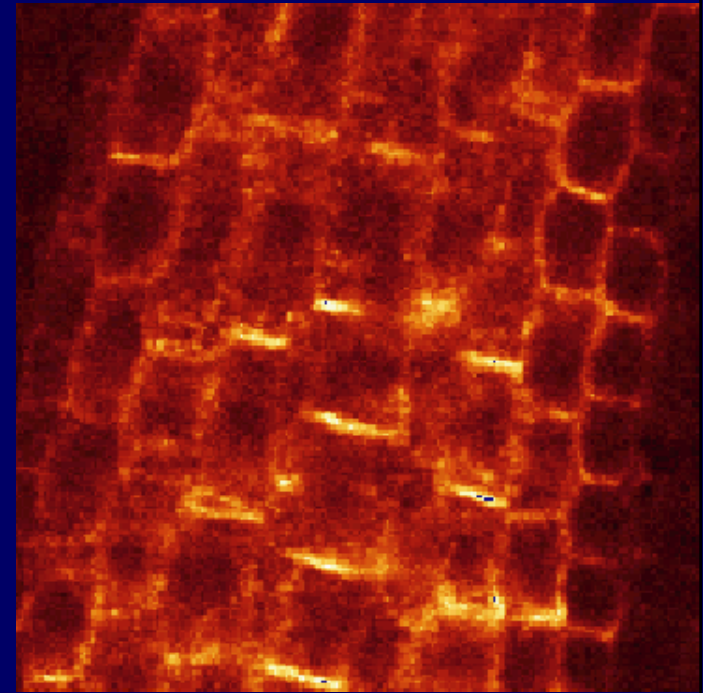
Intracellular Cycling of AtPIN1 is Independent of Newly Synthesised Protein



Cycloheximide

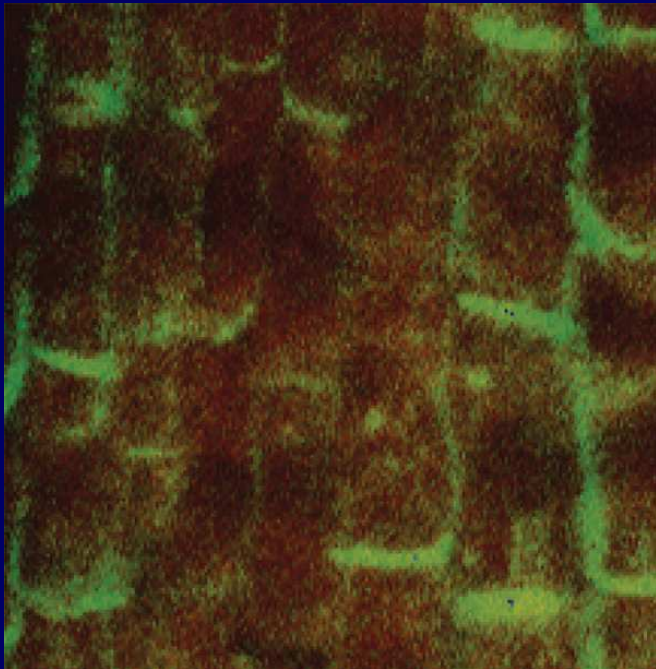


Cycloheximide + BFA

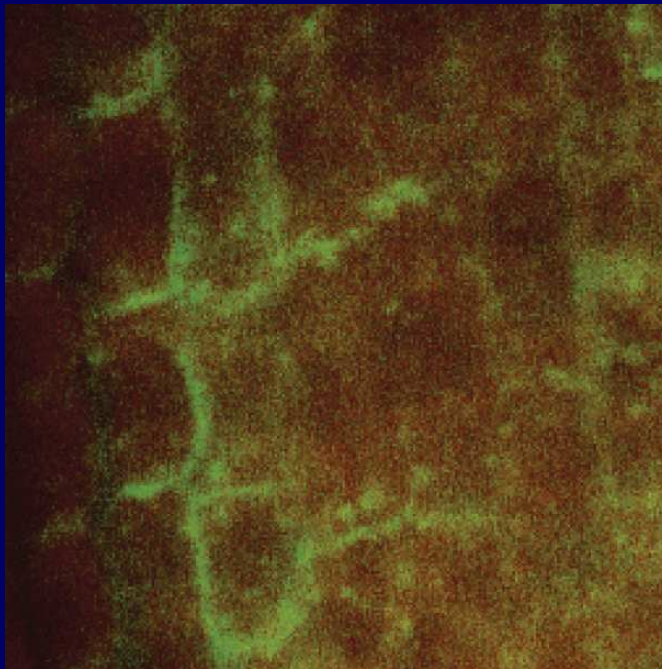


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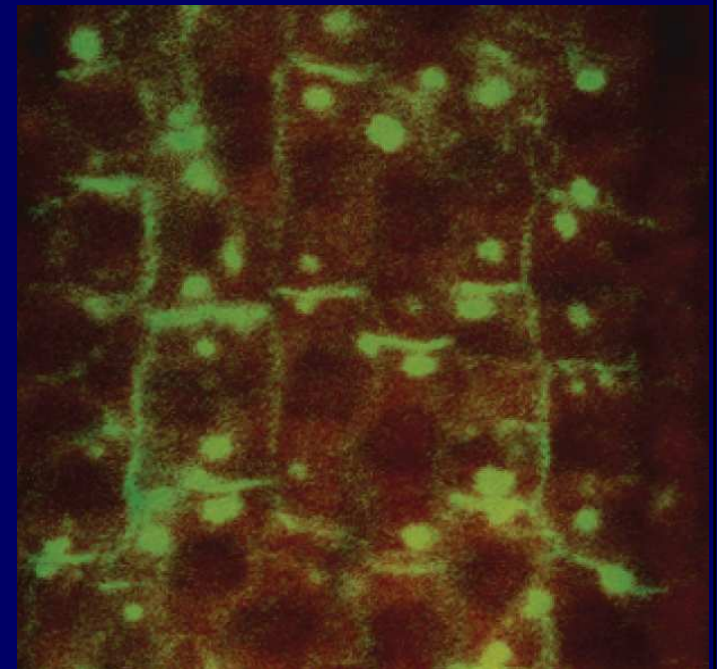
PIN1 Cycling is Actin Dependent



Cytochelasin D



Cytochelasin D + BFA

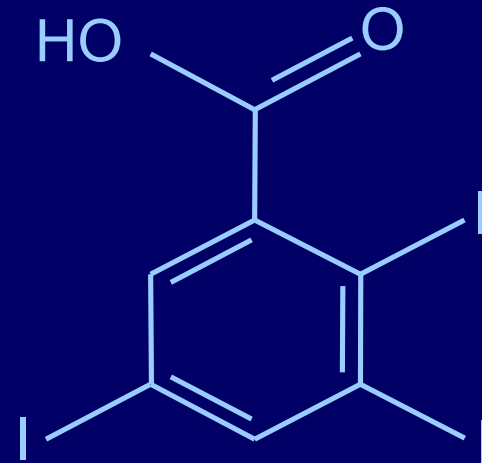


BFA + Cytochelasin D

What Are the Effects of Auxin Transport Inhibitors?

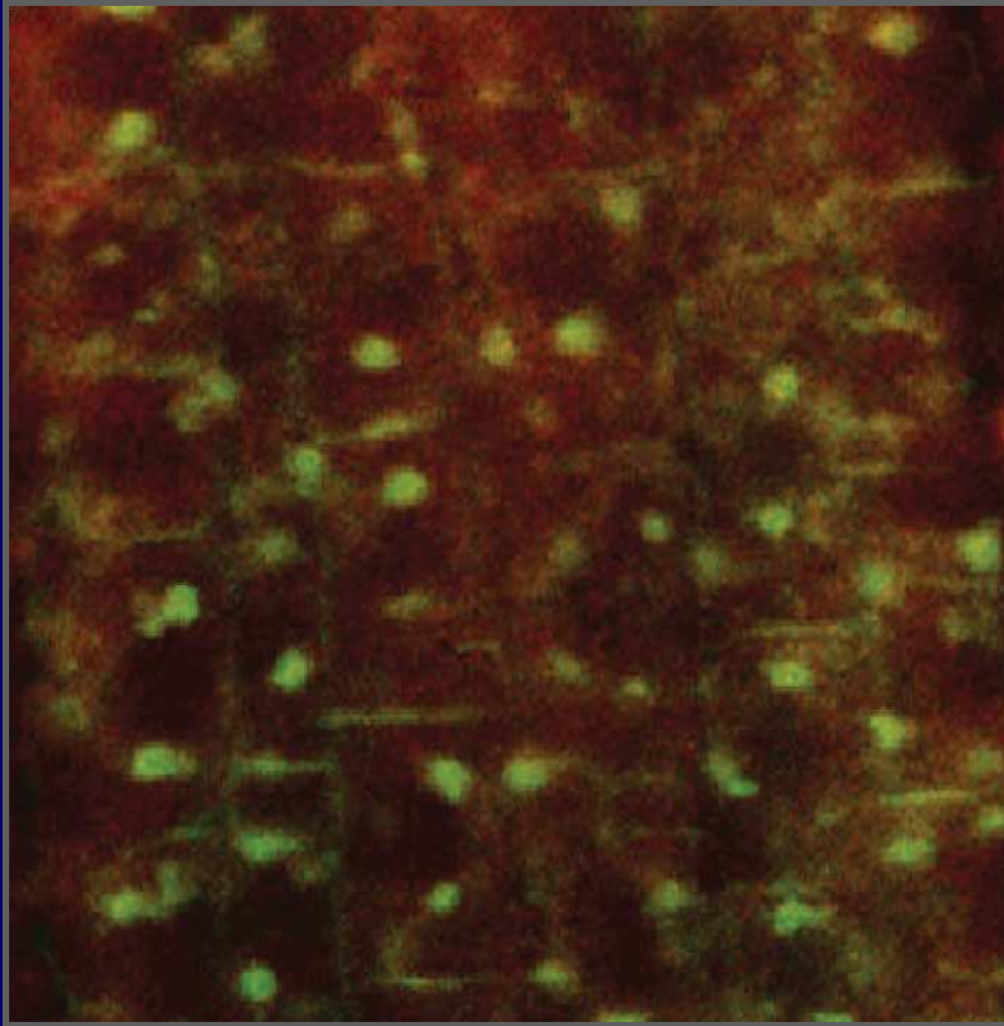


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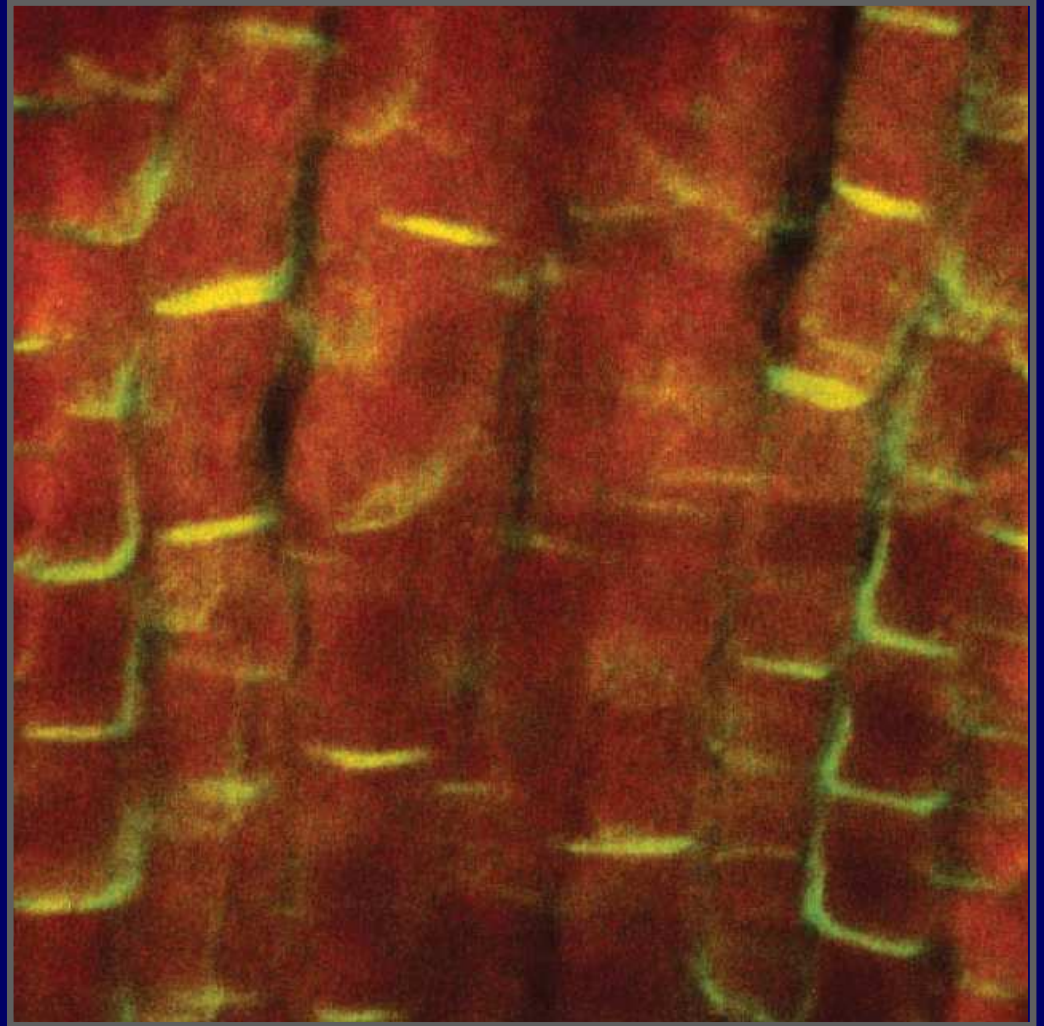


TIBA

PIN1 Exocytosis is Disrupted by Auxin Transport Inhibitors

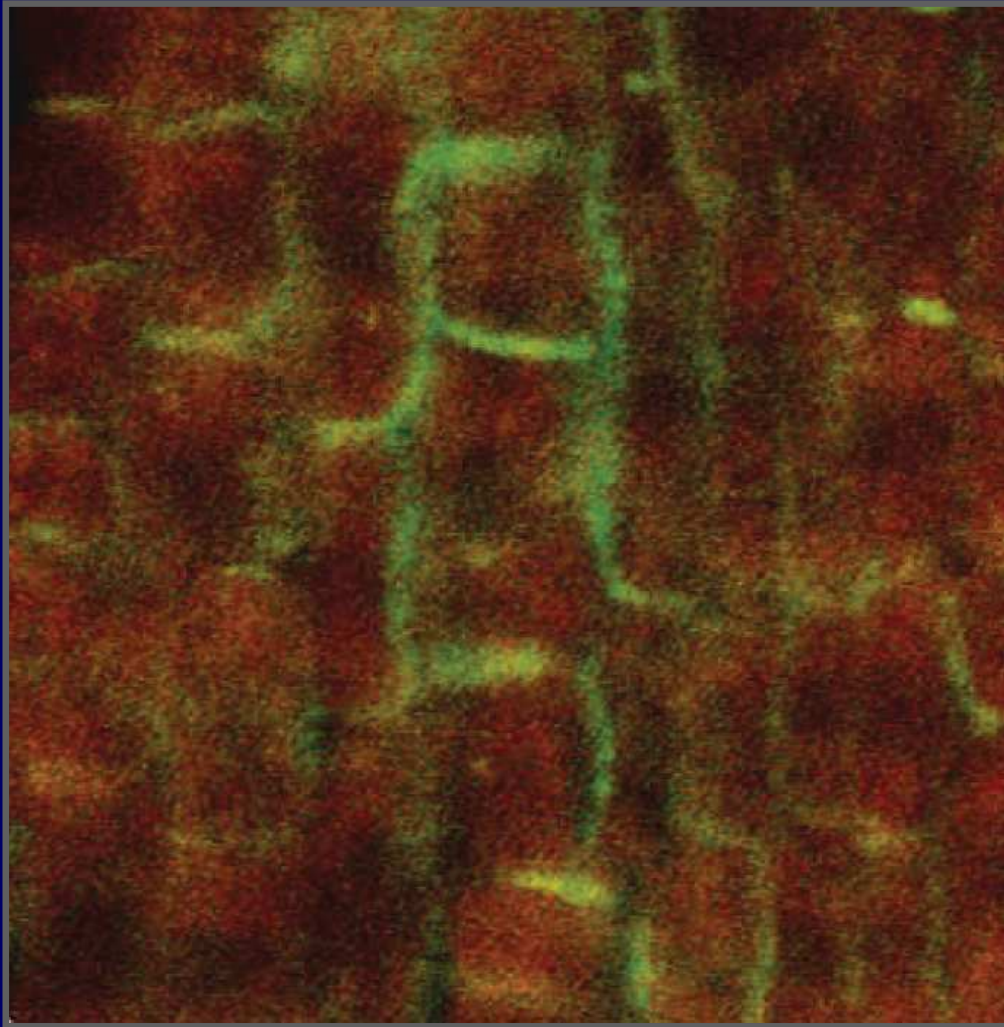


BFA + TIBA

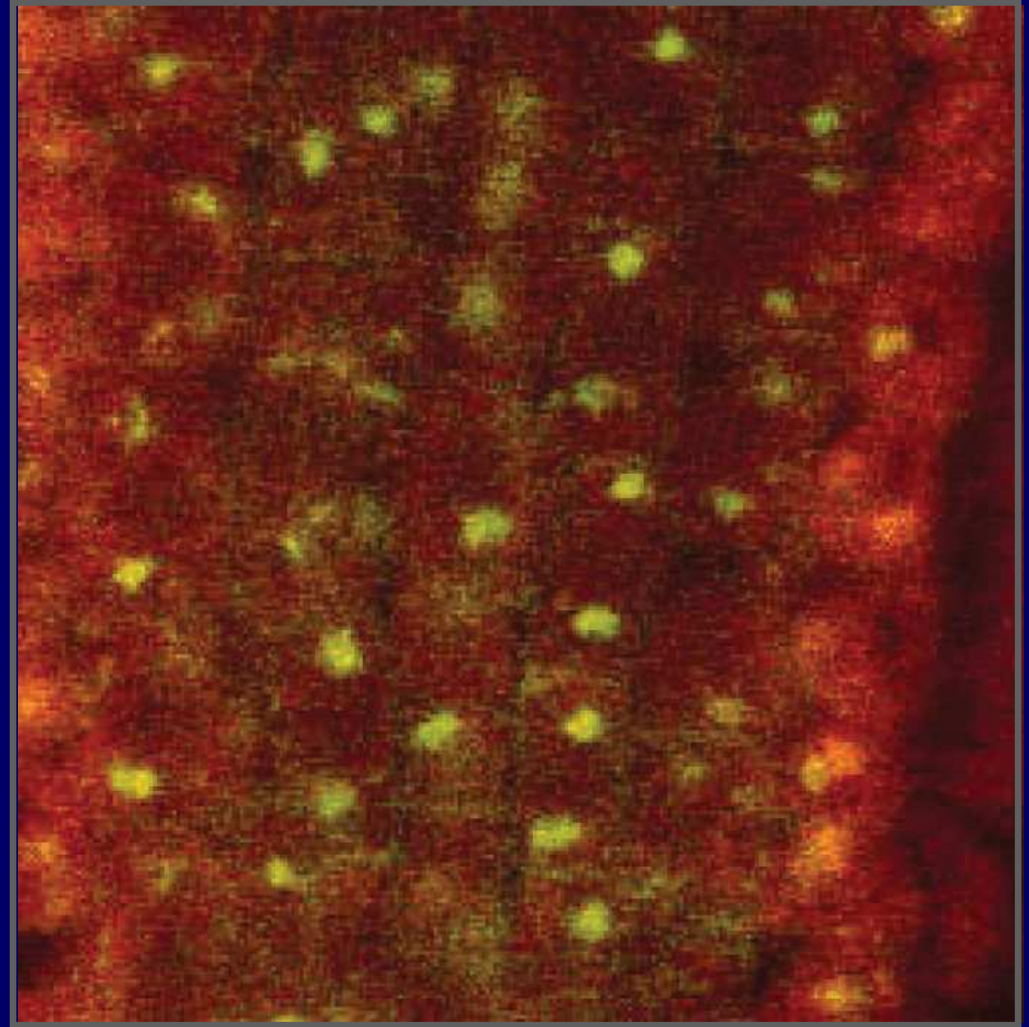


BFA + benzoic acid

PIN1 Endocytosis is Disrupted by Auxin Transport Inhibitors

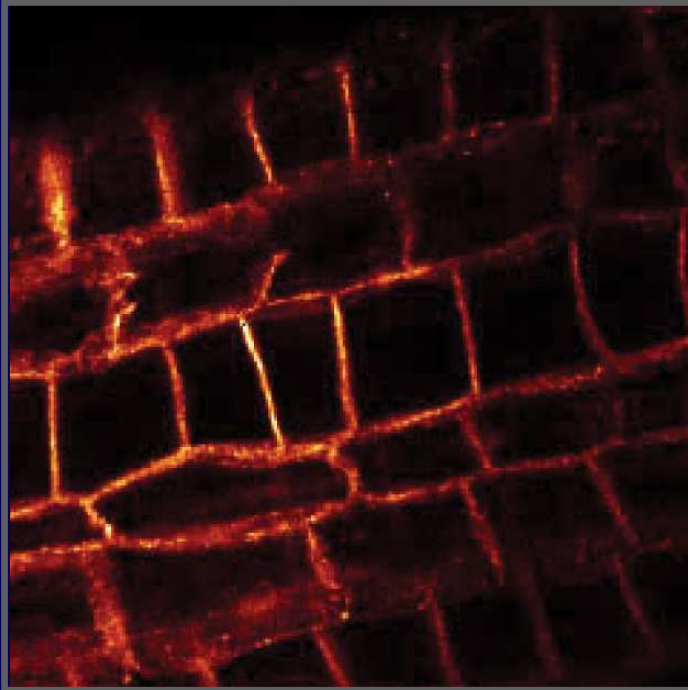


TIBA + BFA

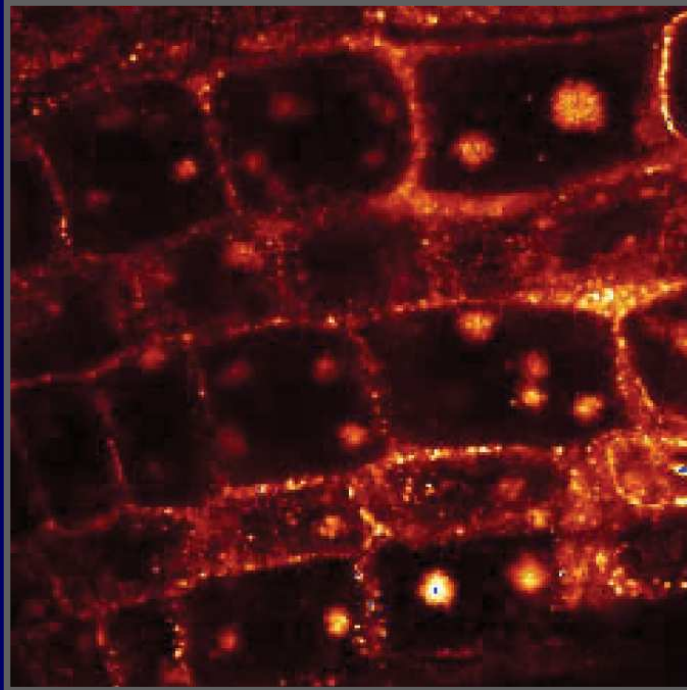


benzoic acid + BFA

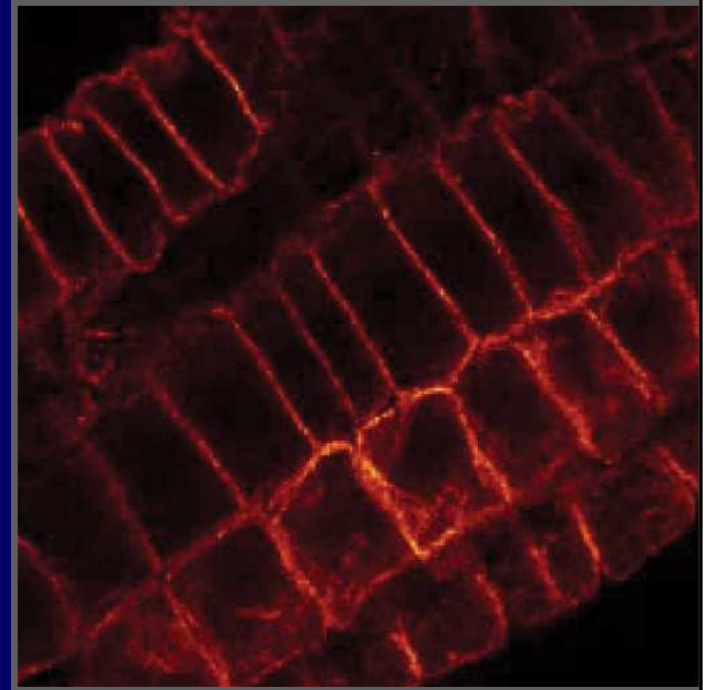
Plasma Membrane ATPase Cycling is Blocked by TIBA



No treatment

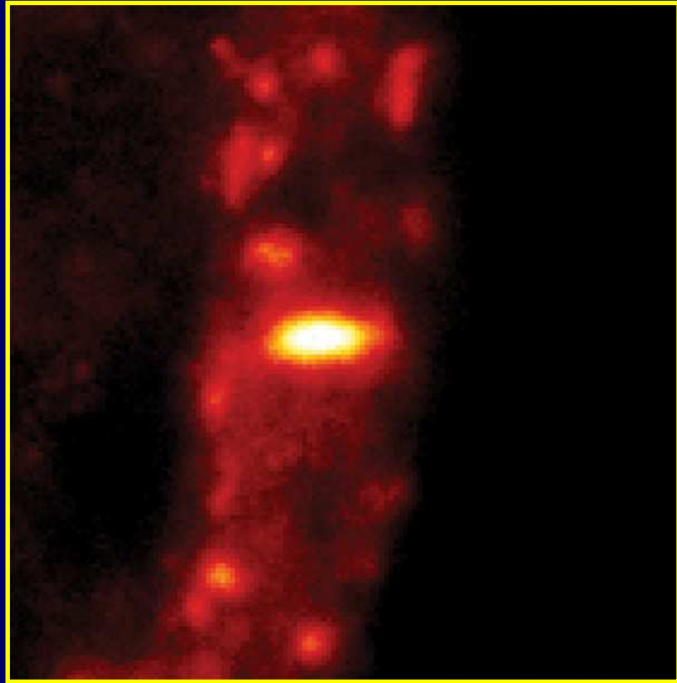


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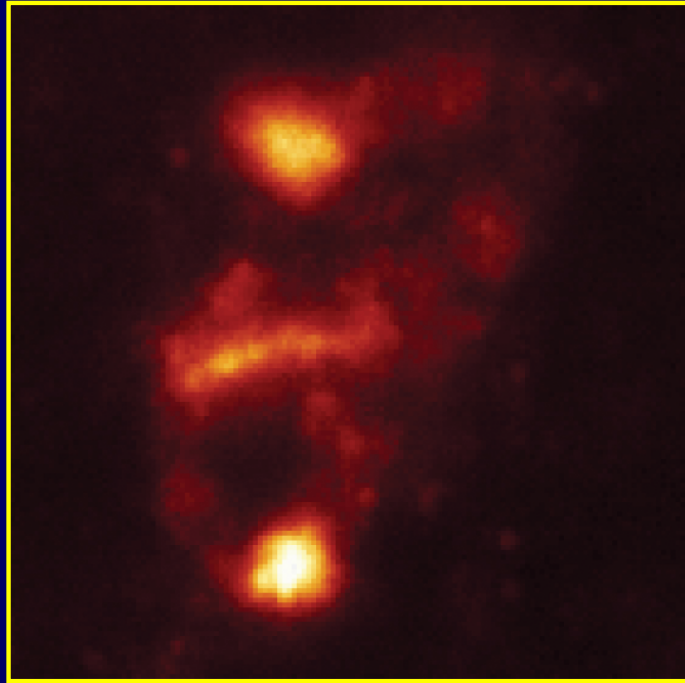


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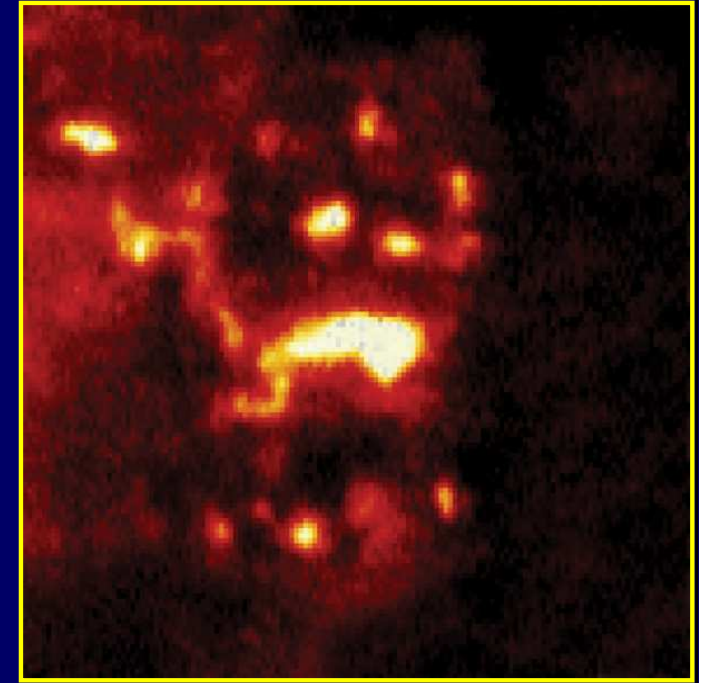
KNOLLE Syntaxin Cycling is Blocked by TIBA



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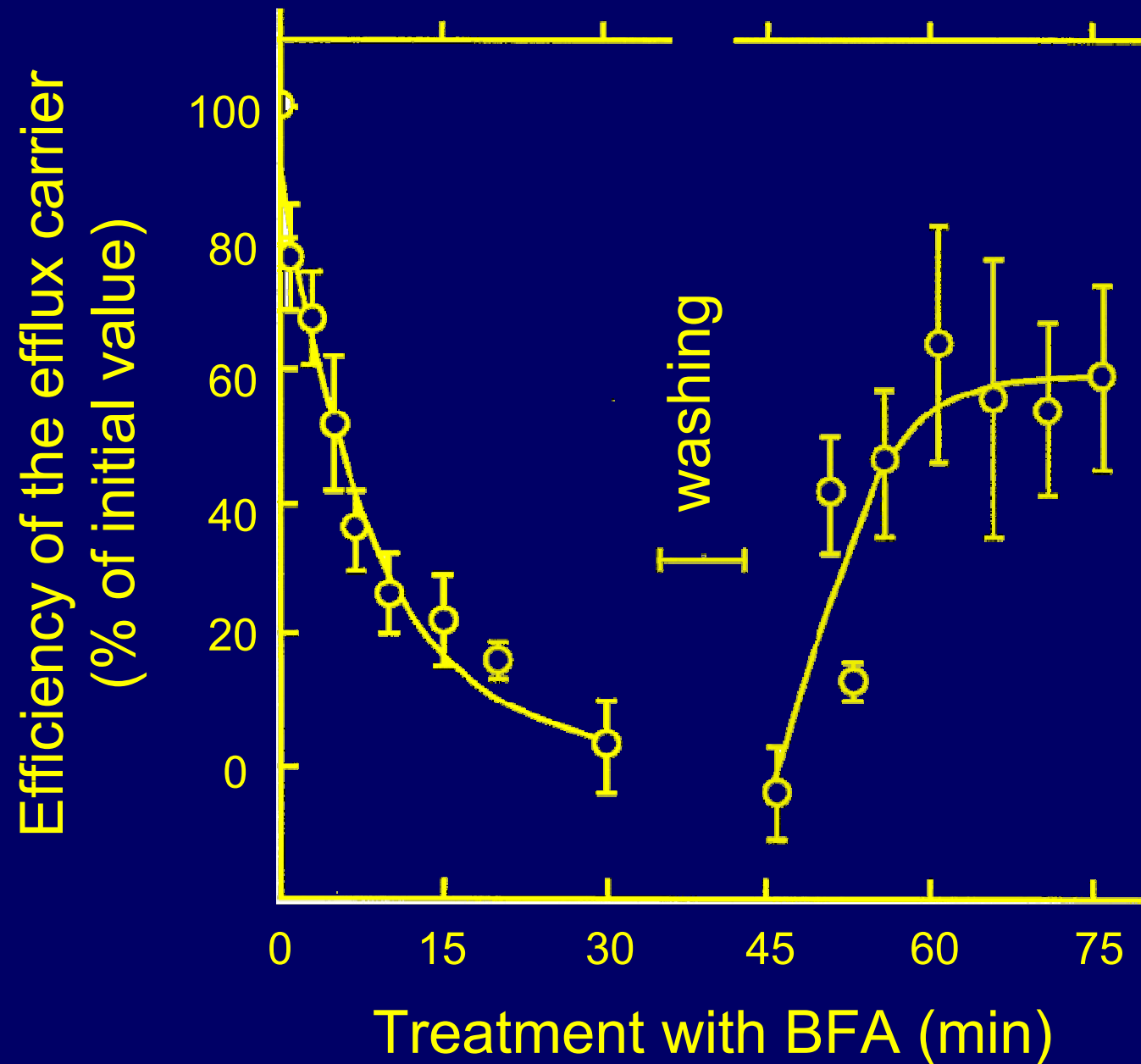


BFA



TIBA + BFA

BFA rapidly inhibits auxin efflux out of cells



*data from
Delbarre et al., 1998*

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Florence; 17.2.2002

Applying BFA to seedlings phenocopies a number of transport inhibition phenotypes



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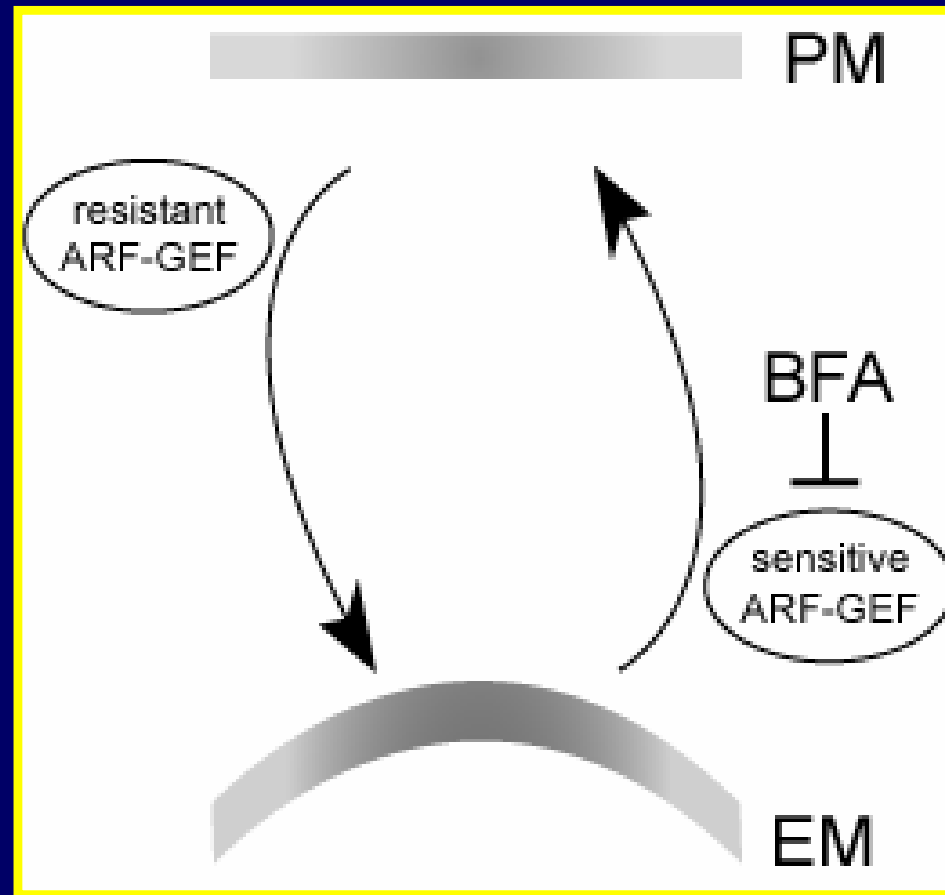
BFA 10 μ M



BFA 20 μ M

Hypothesis:

GNOM regulates intracellular transport of auxin efflux carriers, such as PIN1.



How can we show this?



Engineering BFA-resistant GNOM

Amino Acid Residues of ARF-GEFs Conferring BFA Resistance

H. sapiens

ARNO	VLS	FA	VI	M	LNTSLH	BFA resistant
CYTOHESIN	VLS	FA	II	M	LNTSLH	BFA resistant
GBF1	SLA	YA	VI	M	LNTDQH	BFA resistant

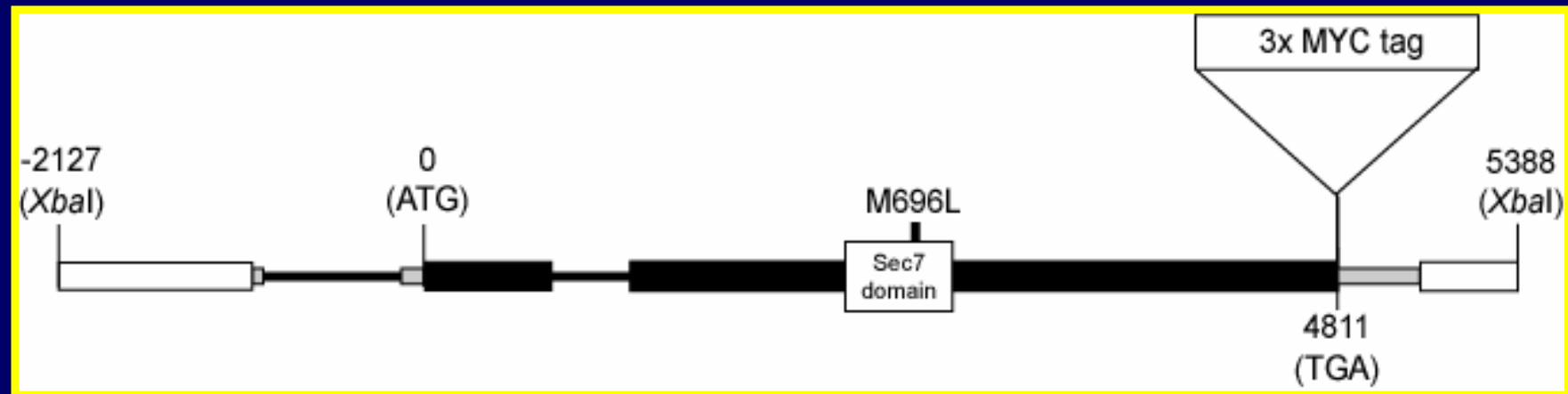
S. cerevisiae

Gea1p	VLS	YS	II	M	LNTSSH	BFA sensitive
Gea1p * YS to FA	VLS	FA	II	M	LNTSSH	BFA resistant
Gea1p * M to L	VLS	YS	II	L	LNTSSH	BFA resistant

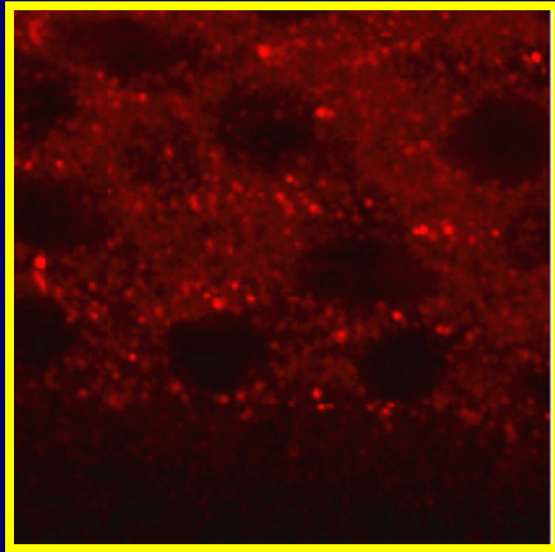
Arabidopsis

At5g19610	VLS	YS	II	M	LNTSSH	BFA sensitive?
At5g39500	VLA	YS	II	L	LNTDQH	BFA resistant?
GNOM	ILC	YS	LI	M	LNTDQH	BFA sensitive
GNOM * YS to FA	VLS	FA	II	M	LNTSSH	BFA resistant?
GNOM * M to L	VLS	YS	II	L	LNTSSH	BFA resistant?

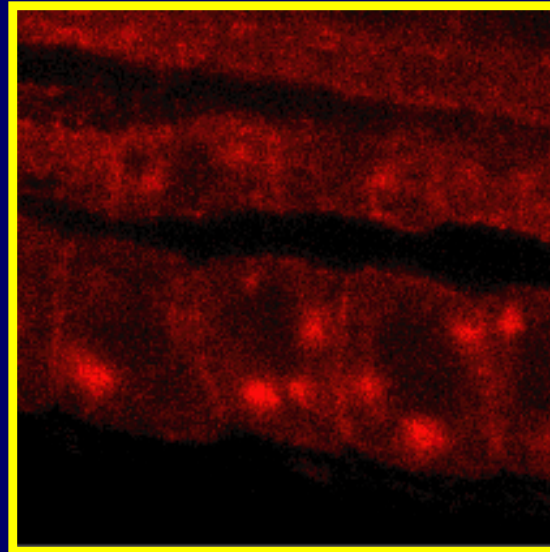
The engineered GNOM construct



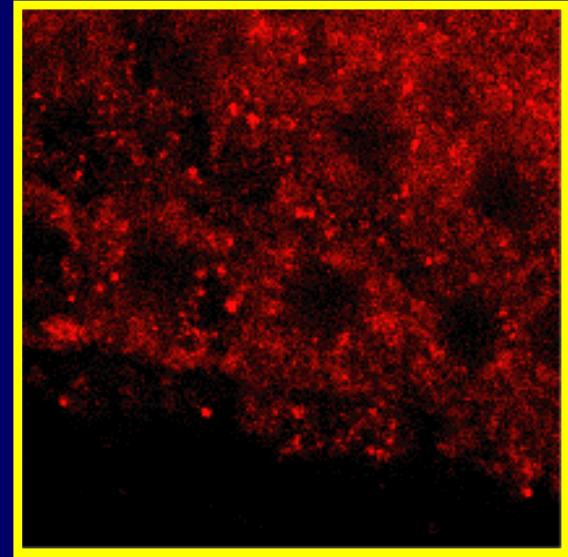
GNOM localises to the cytosol and some endomembrane compartment



control

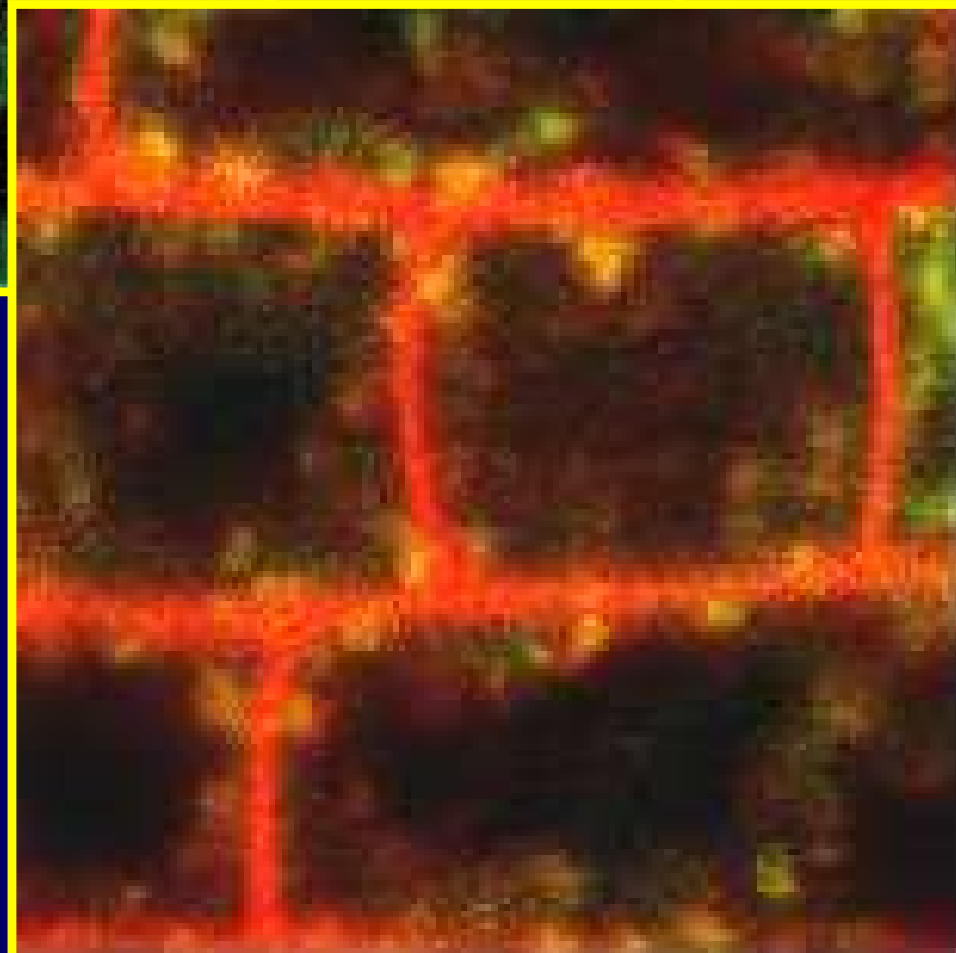
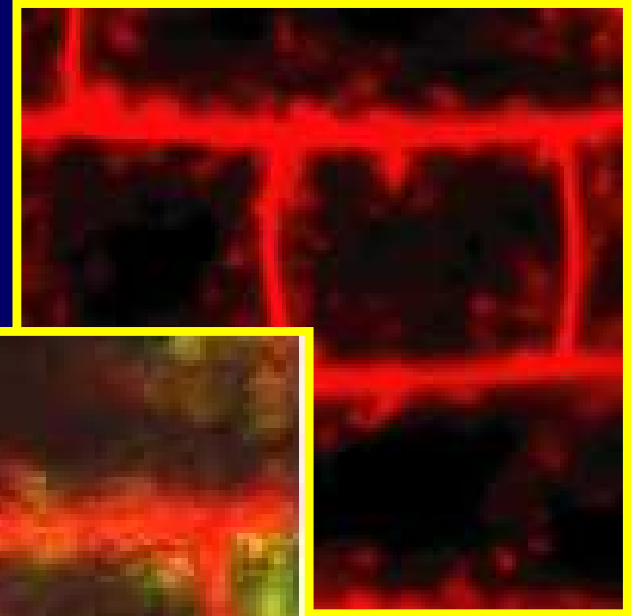
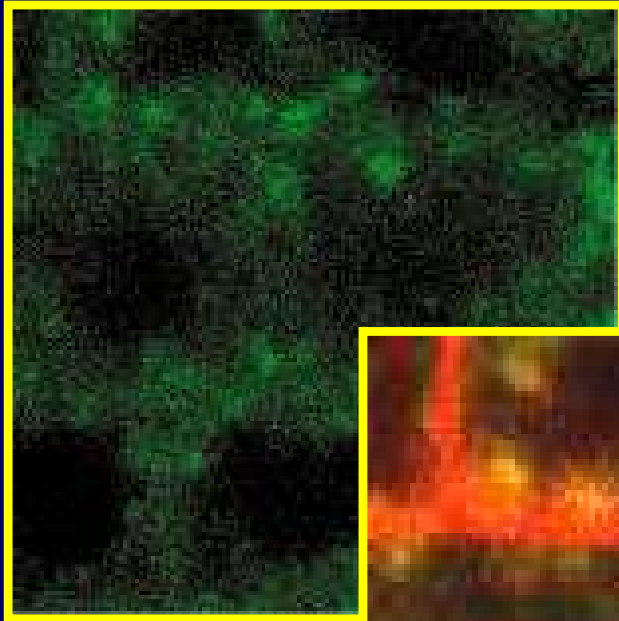


BFA, 60 min
 GN^{wt} -myc line

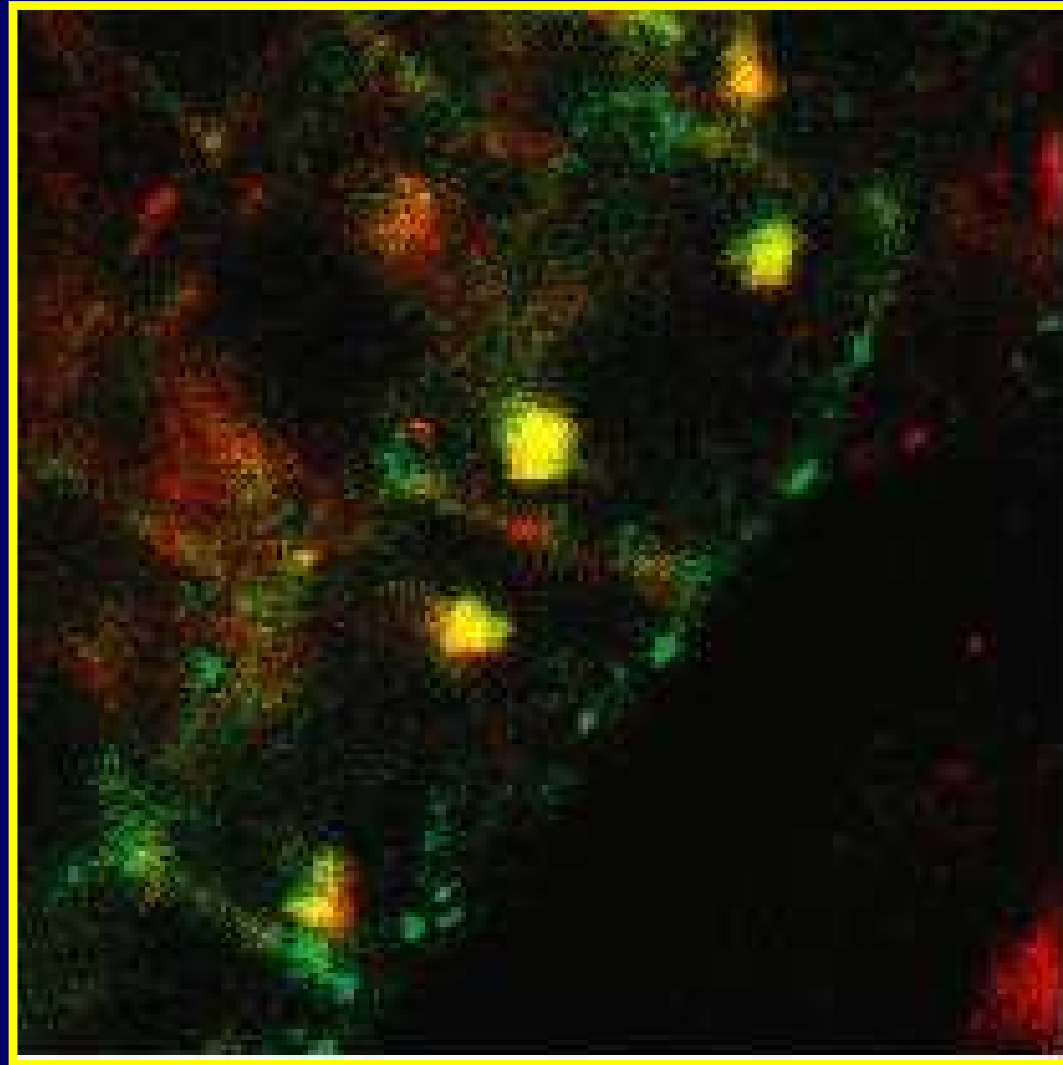


BFA, 60 min
 GN^{M696L} -myc line

GNOM partially co-localises with FM4-64, an endocytic tracer

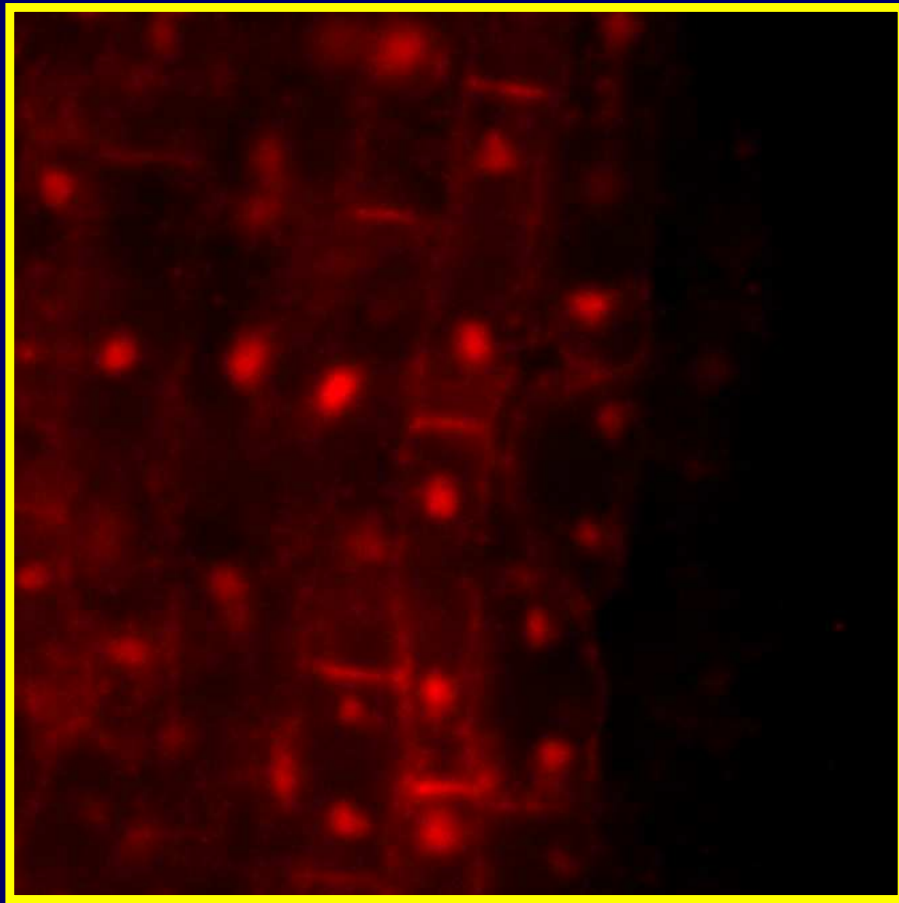


GNOM and PIN1 co-localise after BFA treatment



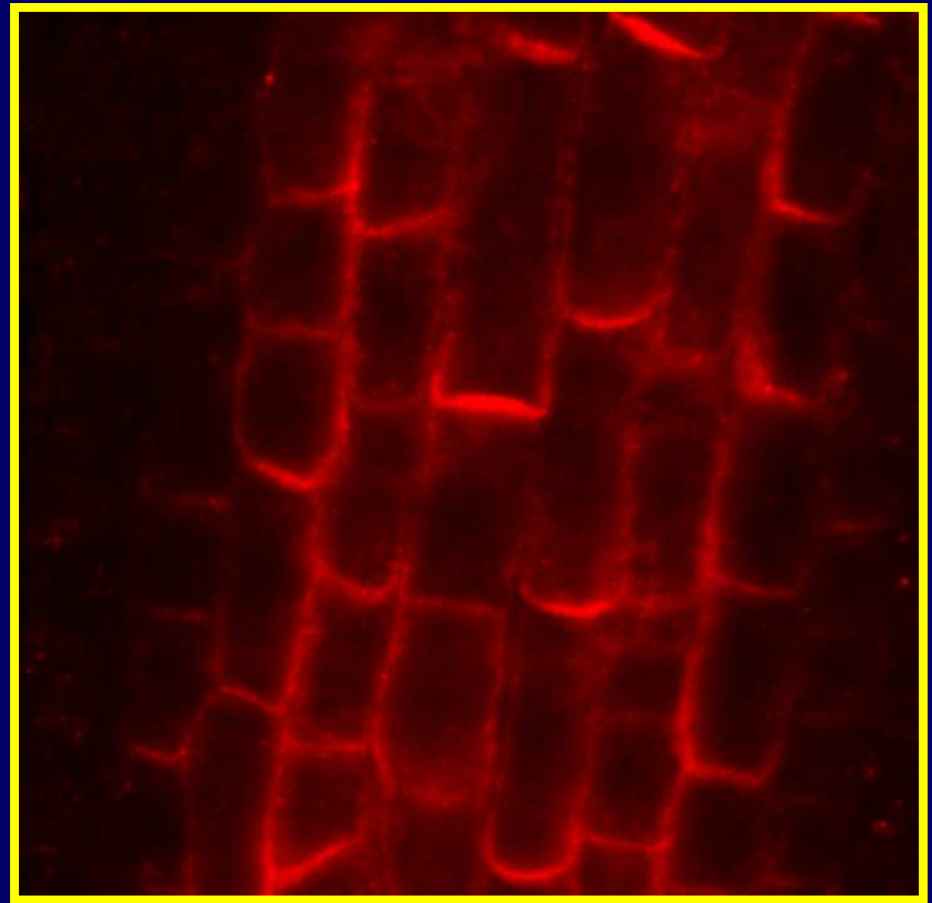
PIN1 Localisation in BFA-resistant GNOM

sensitive (control)



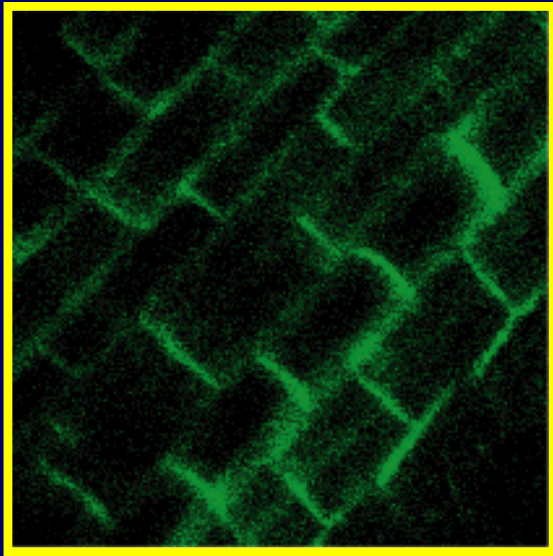
BFA 50 μ M, 45 min
Col background

resistant

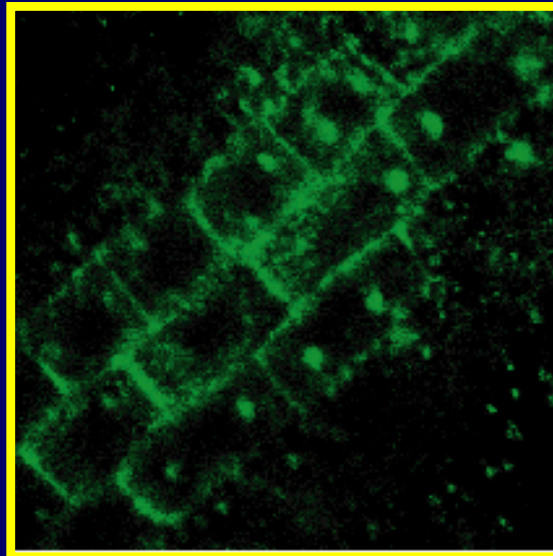


BFA 50 μ M, 45 min
GNOM^{BFA res.} transgenic line

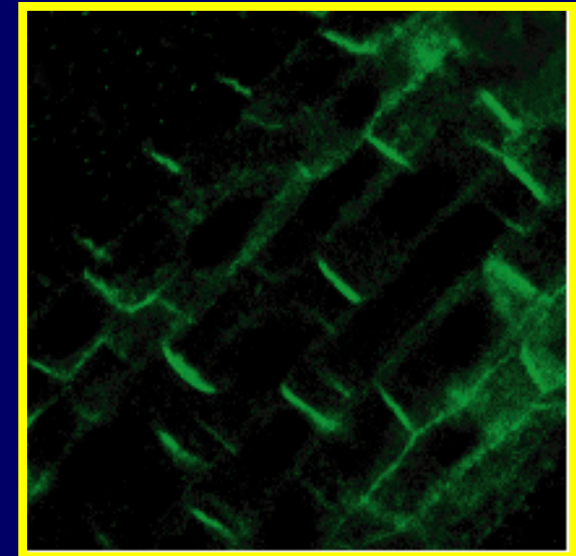
PIN localisation becomes BFA-resistant in BFA-resistant GNOM line



control

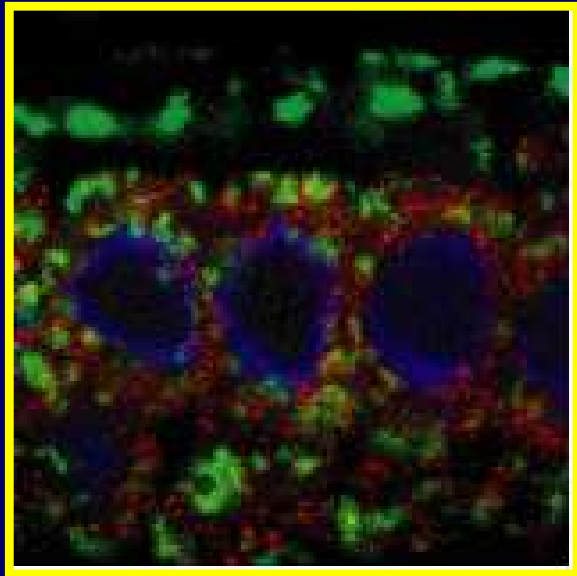


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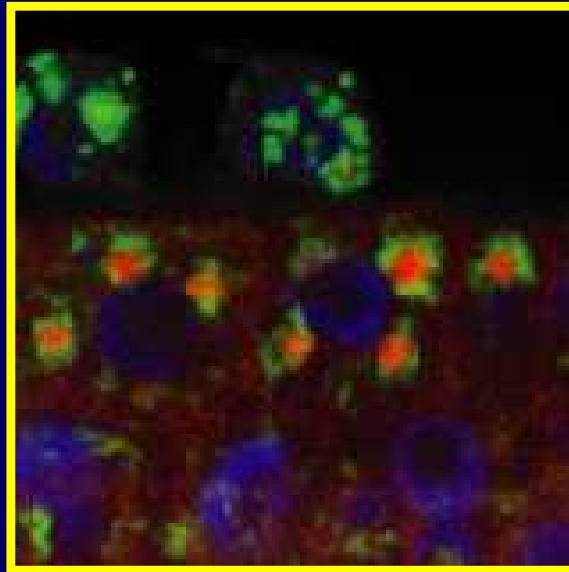


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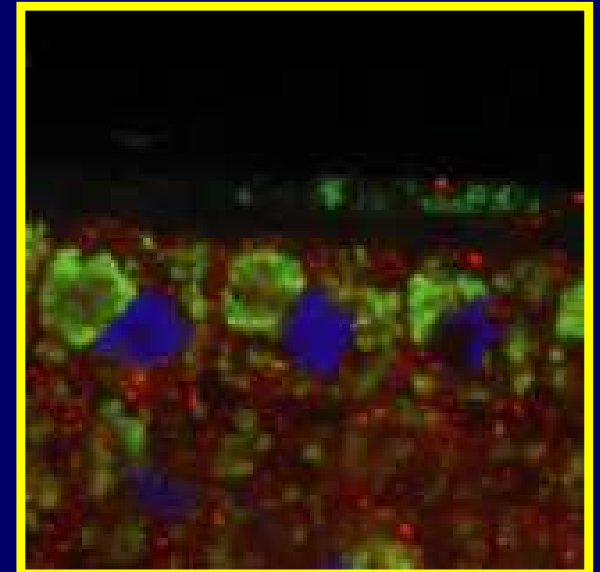
GNOM does not co-localise with Golgi coat component γ COP



control

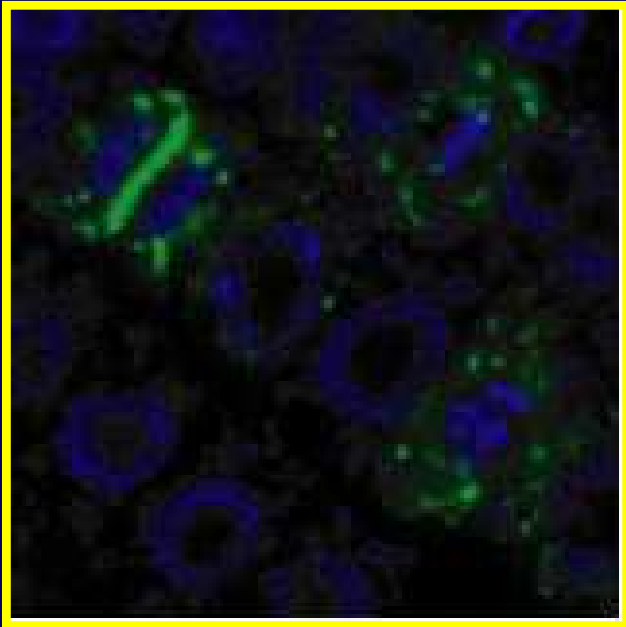


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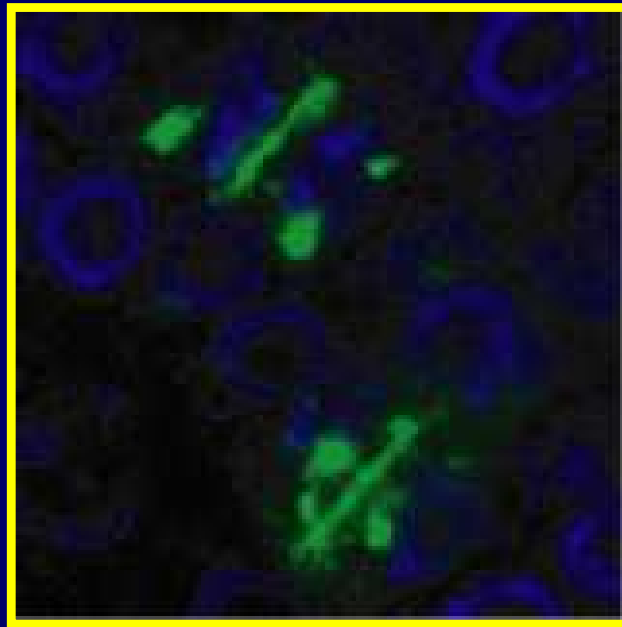


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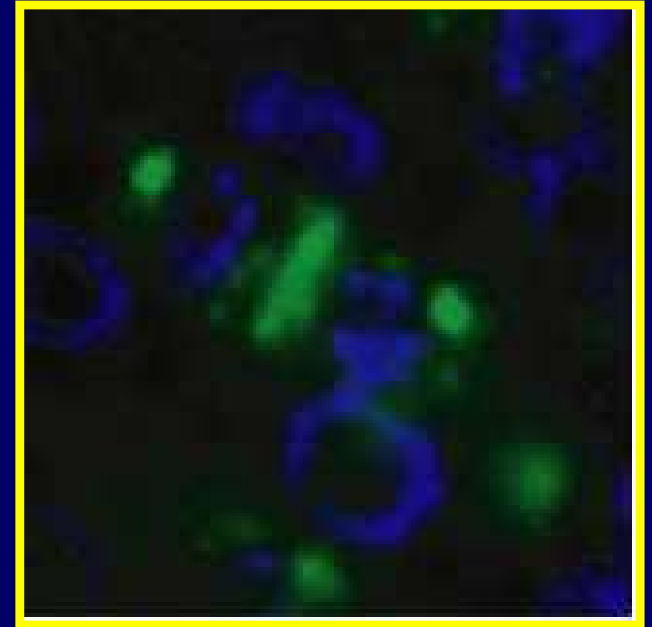
KNOLLE trafficking does not become BFA-resistant



control

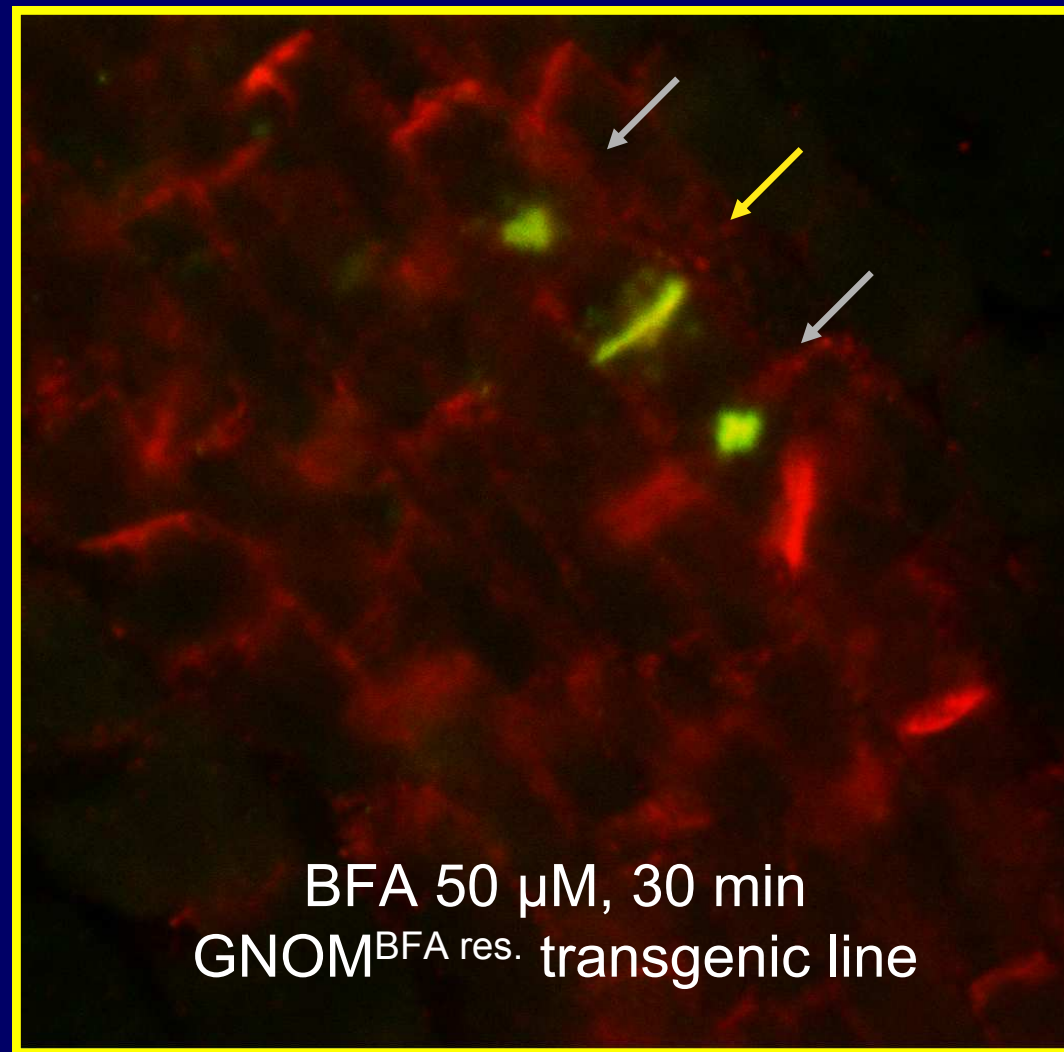


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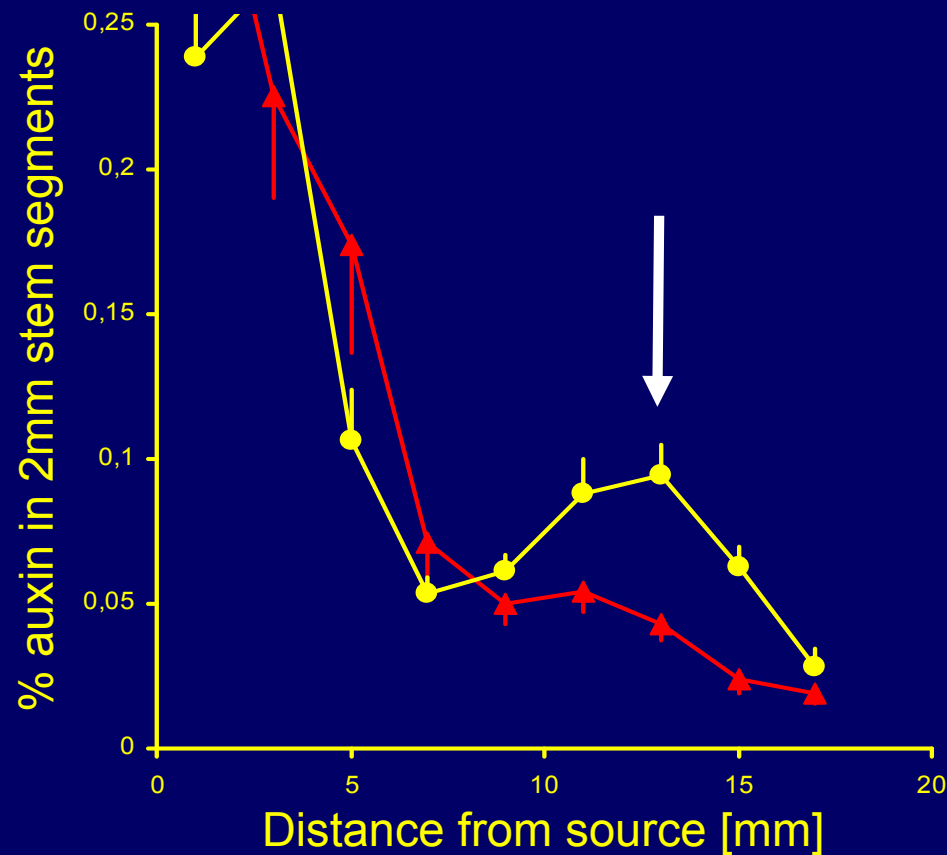
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KNOLLE Accumulation in BFA Compartments in BFA-resistant GNOM

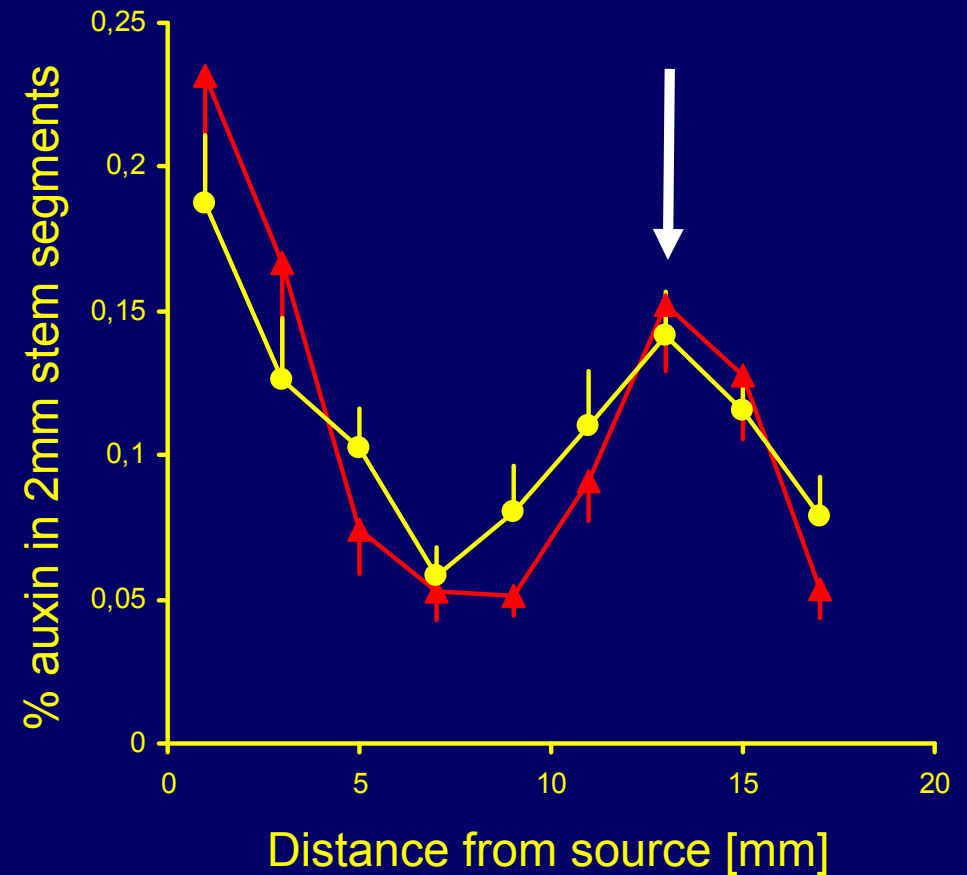


PIN1 = red KNOLLE = green PIN1 + KNOLLE = yellow

GNOM BFA-resistant lines display BFA insensitive auxin flux

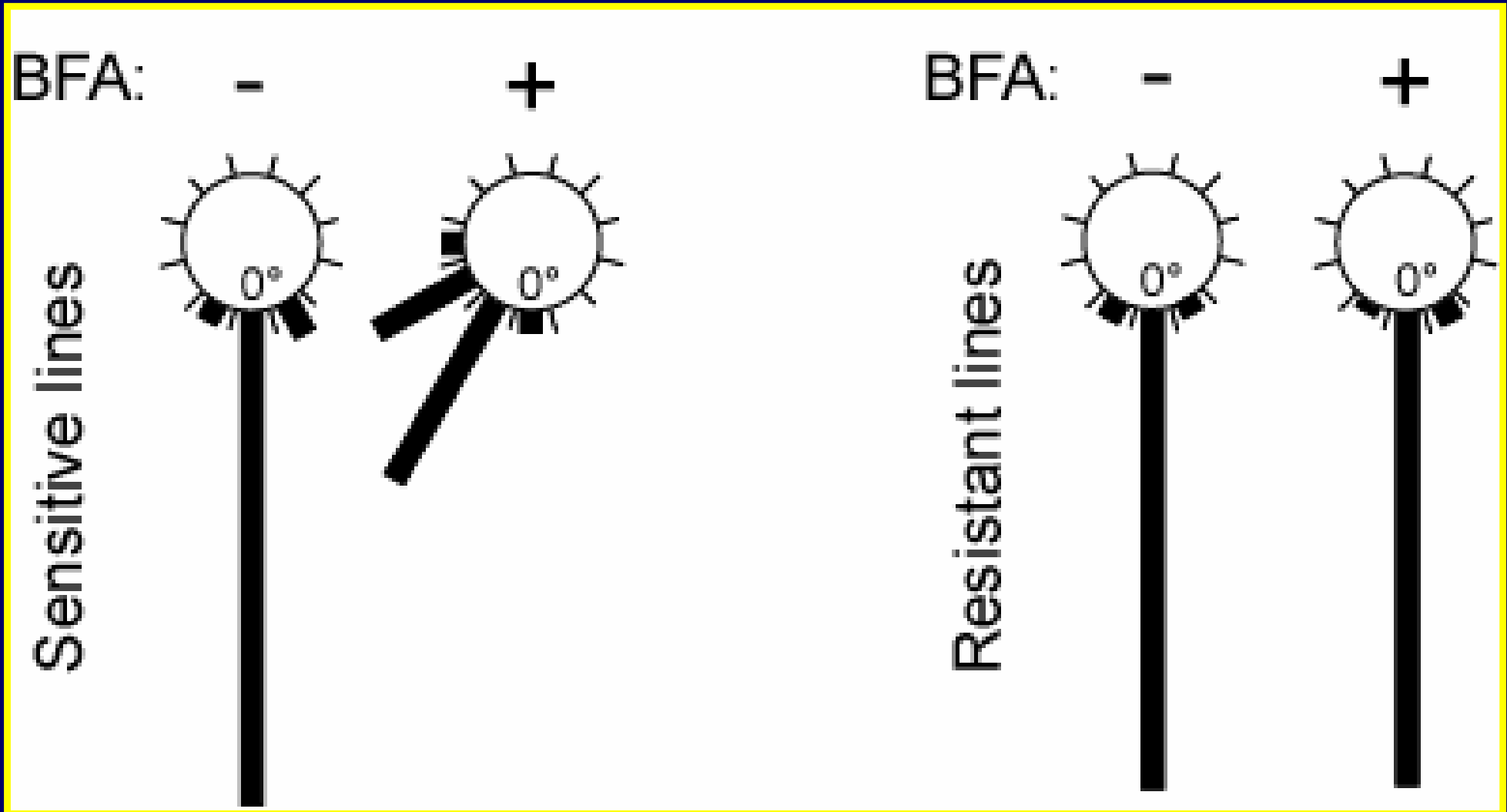


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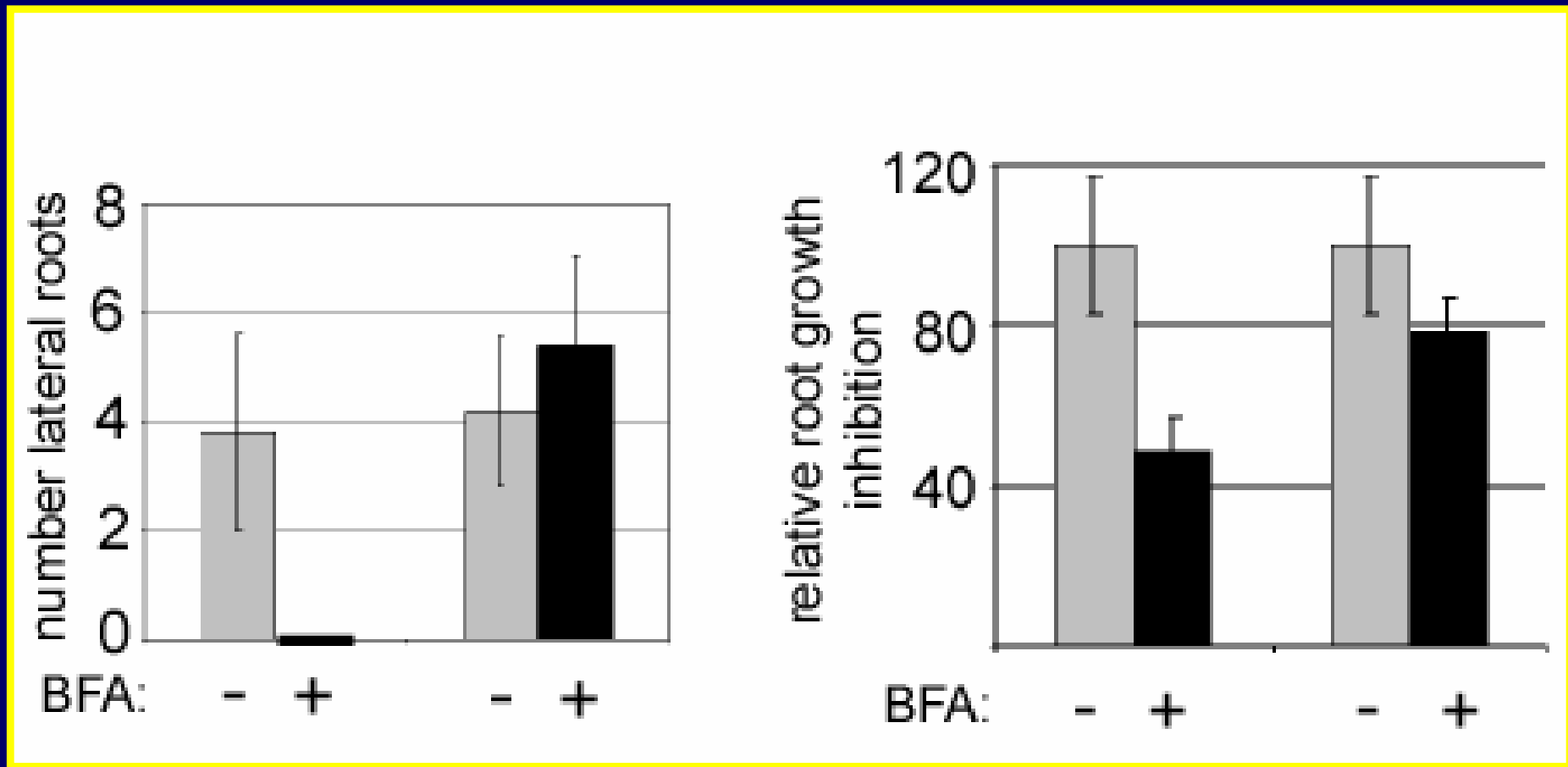


GN^{M696L}-myc line

The root gravitropic response becomes BFA-resistant in *GNOM* BFA-resistant lines



Side root formation and primary root elongation also become BFA-resistant in *GNOM* BFA-resistant lines



*Sensitive
line*

*Resistant
line*

*Sensitive
line*

*Resistant
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GNOM BFA-resistant lines lead to strong phenotypic BFA-resistance

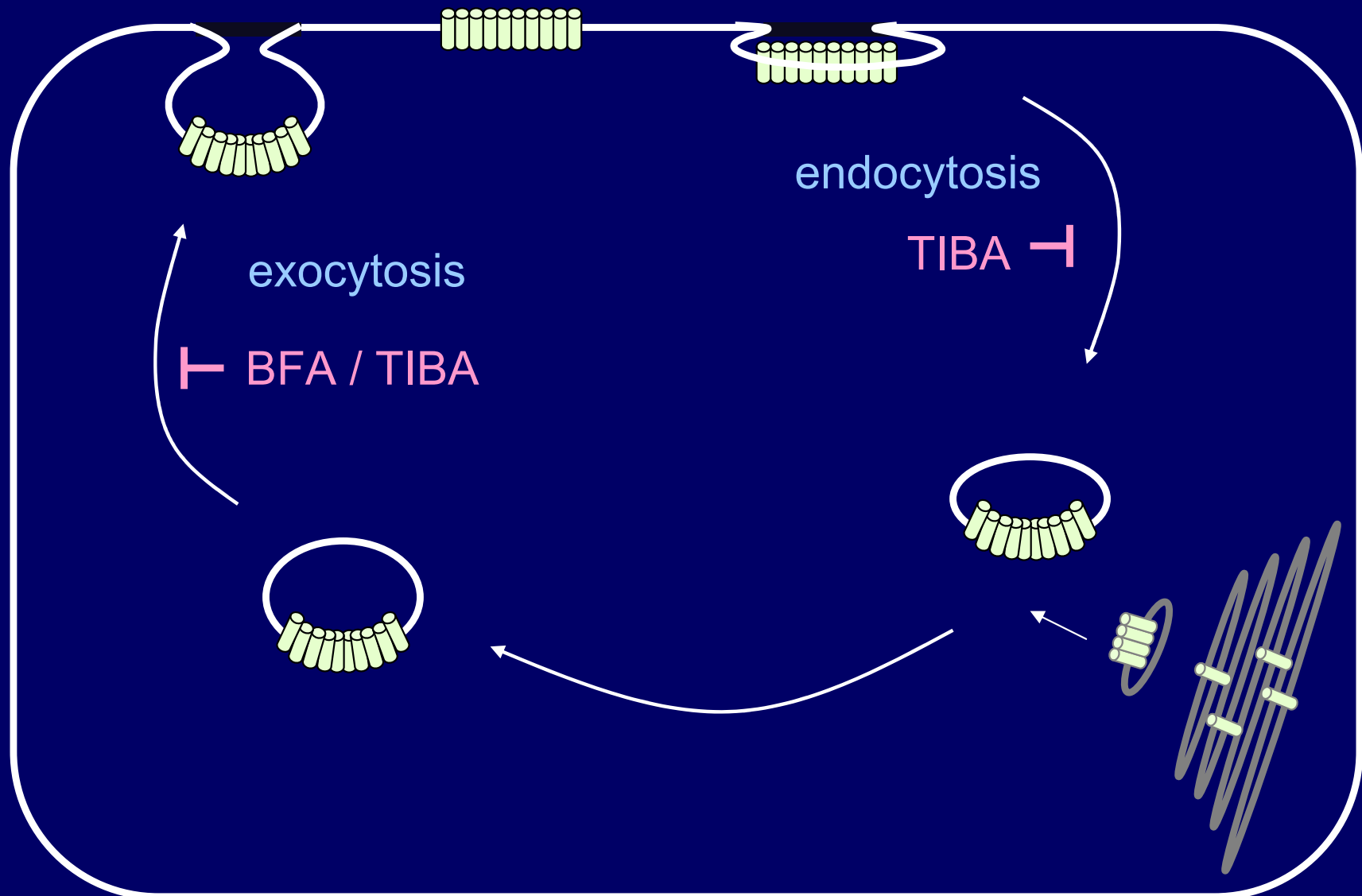
BFA 5 μ M



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GNOM^{M696L}-myc line

Dynamic Movement of PIN1

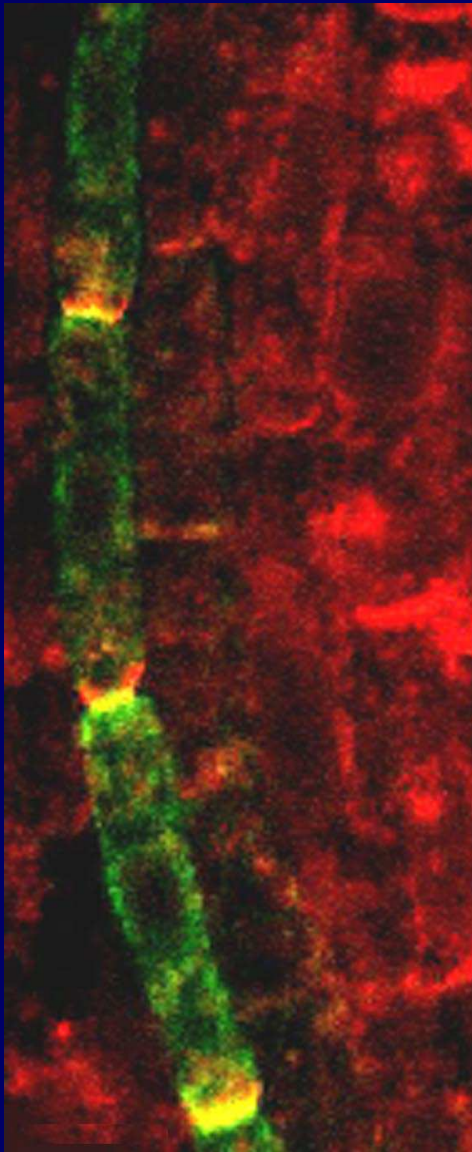


Molecular Components of PIN Polarity Control

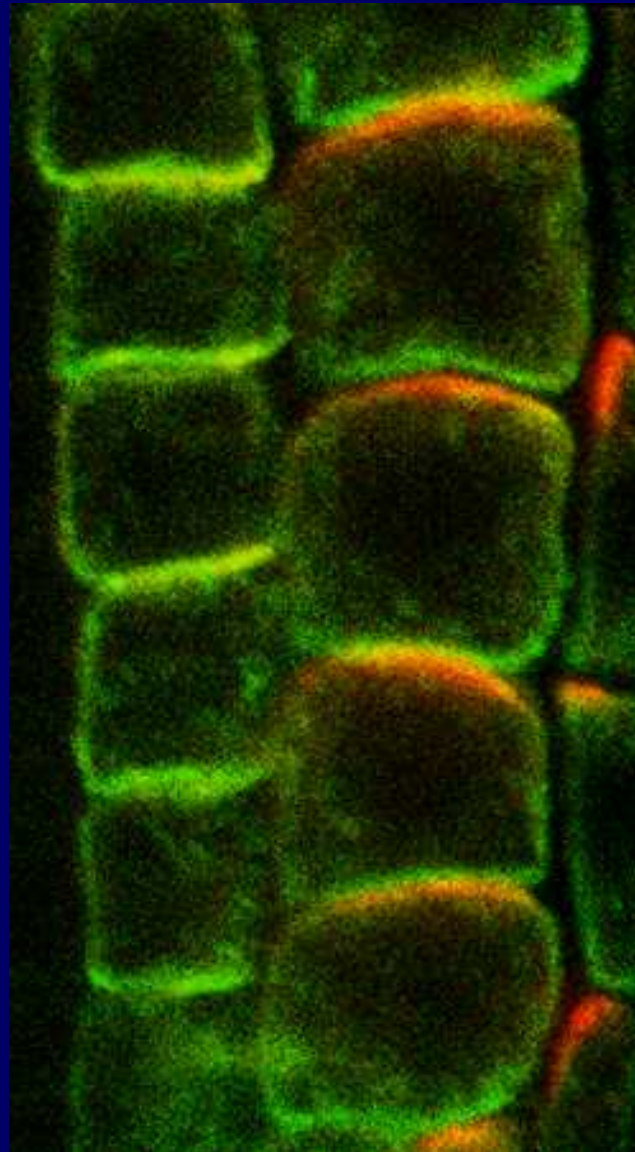
Role of PINOID protein kinase

Regulation of PIN Polarity

AUX1/PIN1



PIN1/pin1



What are determinants of polarity of PIN localisation?

Does PIN polarity determine the direction of auxin flow?

Molecular mechanism of the polar targeting pathway in plants?

PIN-specific Signals for Polarity

PIN2pr::PIN2:HA



apical
basal
localization

PIN2pr::PIN1:HA



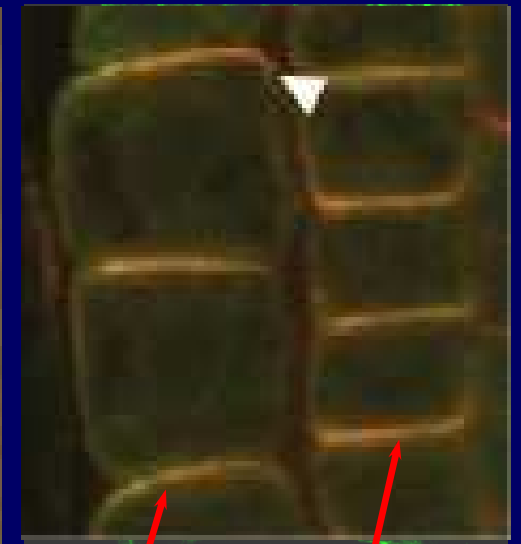
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PIN2pr::PIN3:HA



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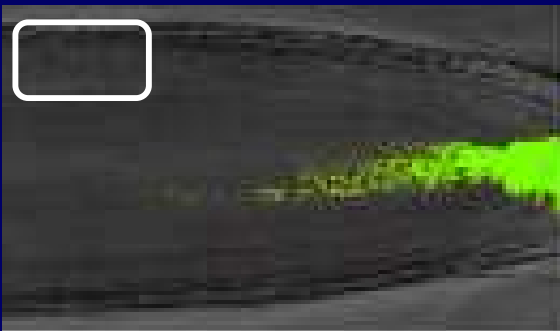
PIN2pr::PIN1:GFP



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PIN Polarity Determines Direction of Auxin Flow

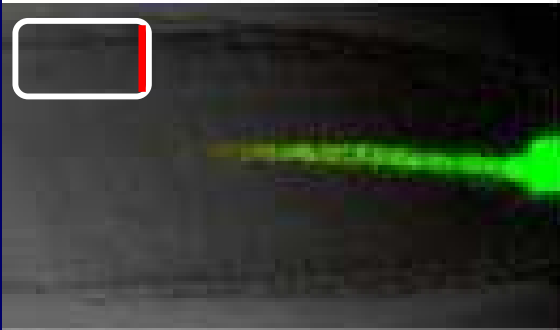
DR5rev::GFP



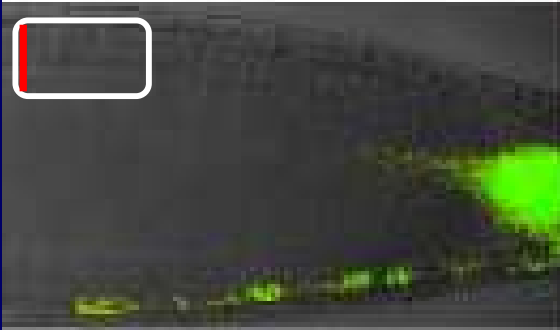
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PIN2::PIN2:HA

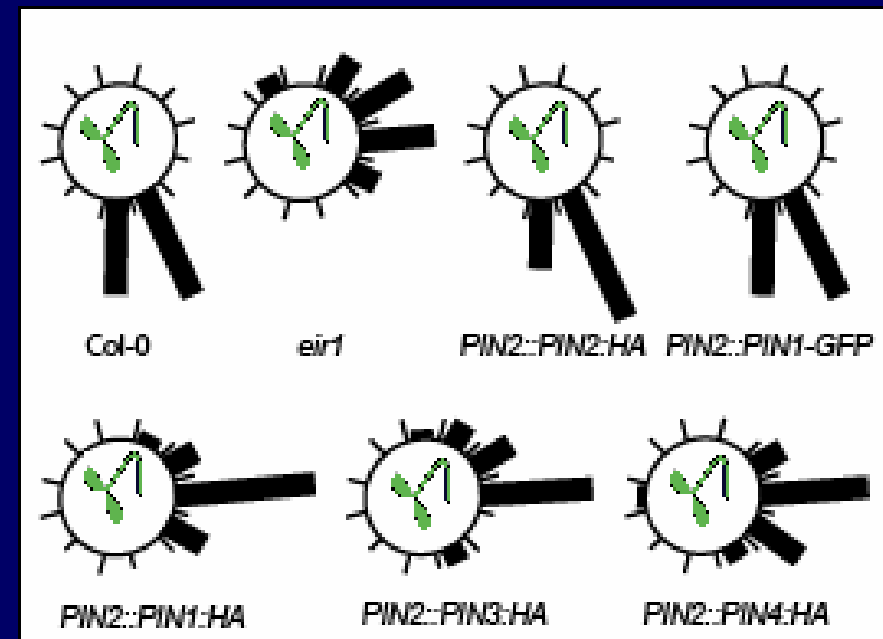
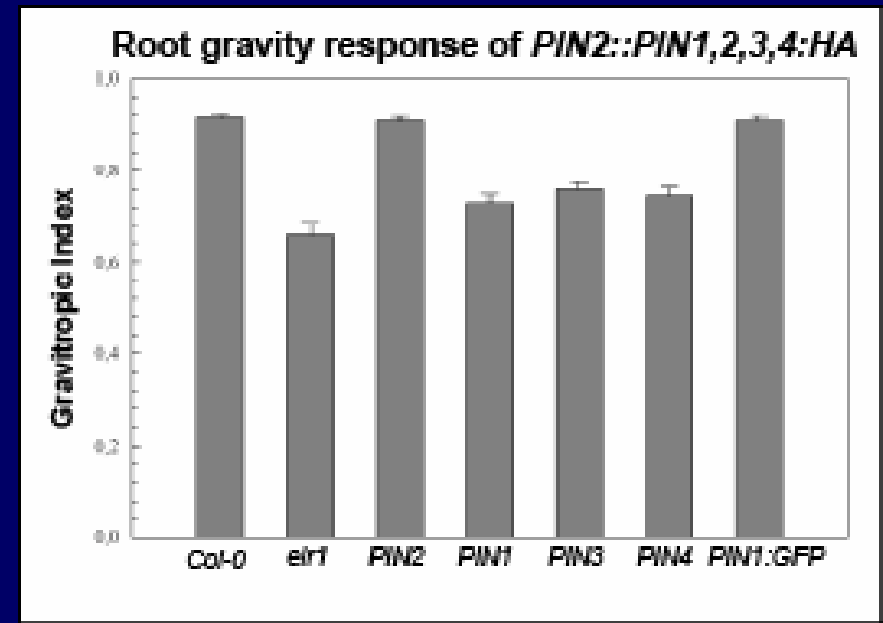


PIN2::PIN1:HA
PIN2::PIN1:GFP-2



PIN2::PIN1:GFP-3

gravitropism



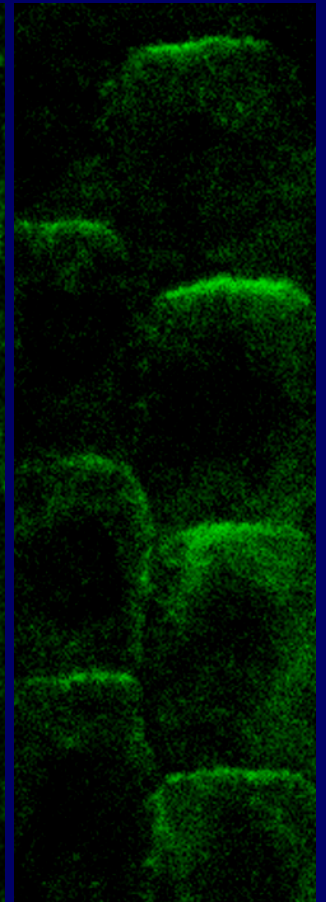
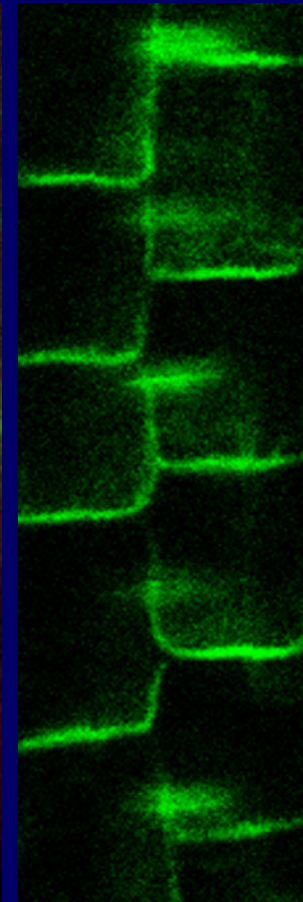
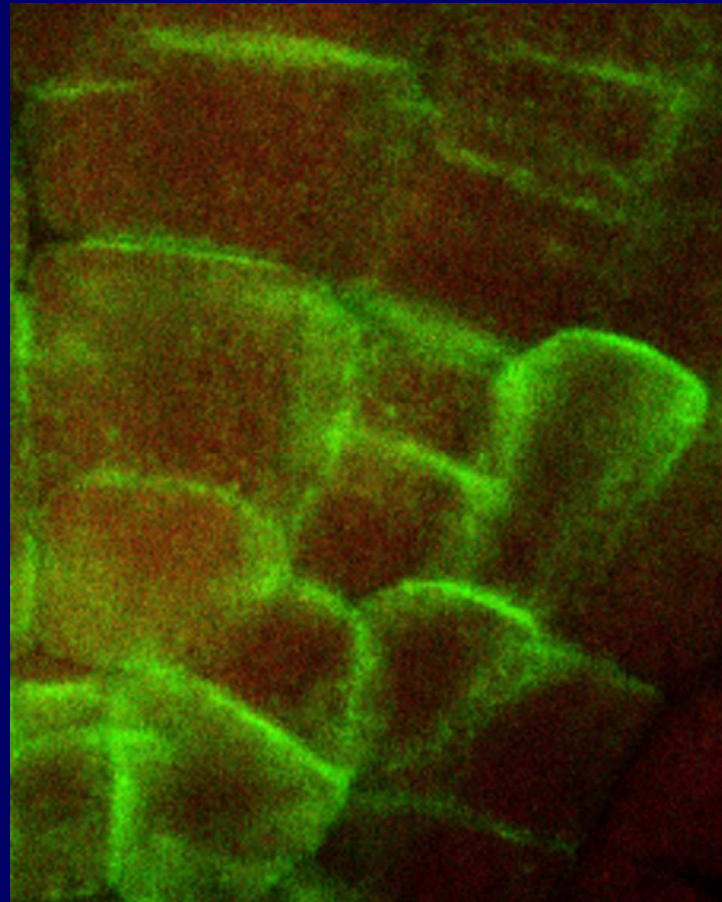
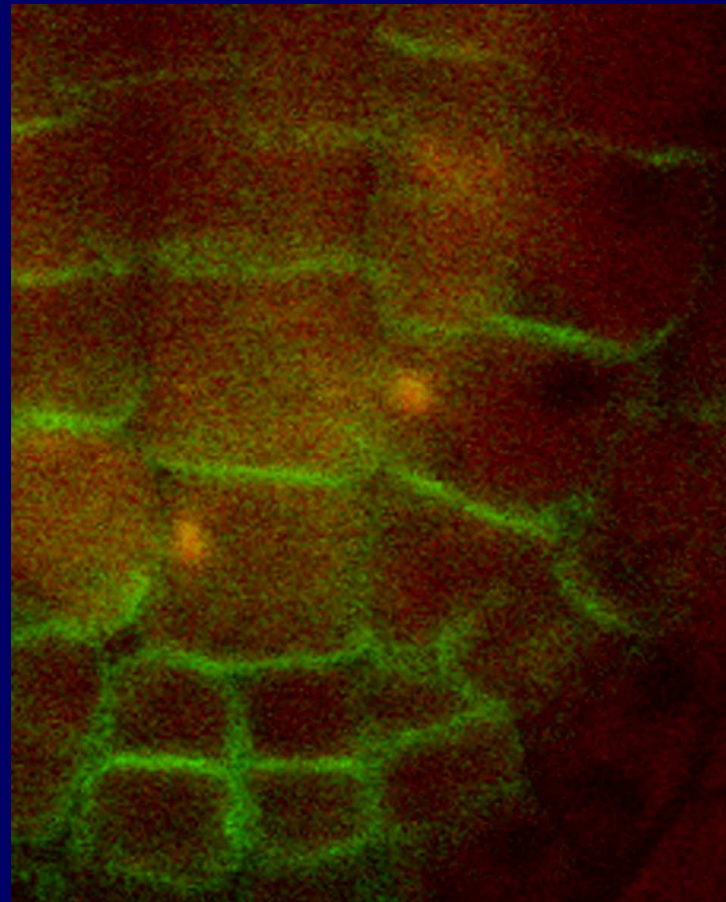
Role of PINOID Kinase in PIN Polar Targeting

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35S::PID

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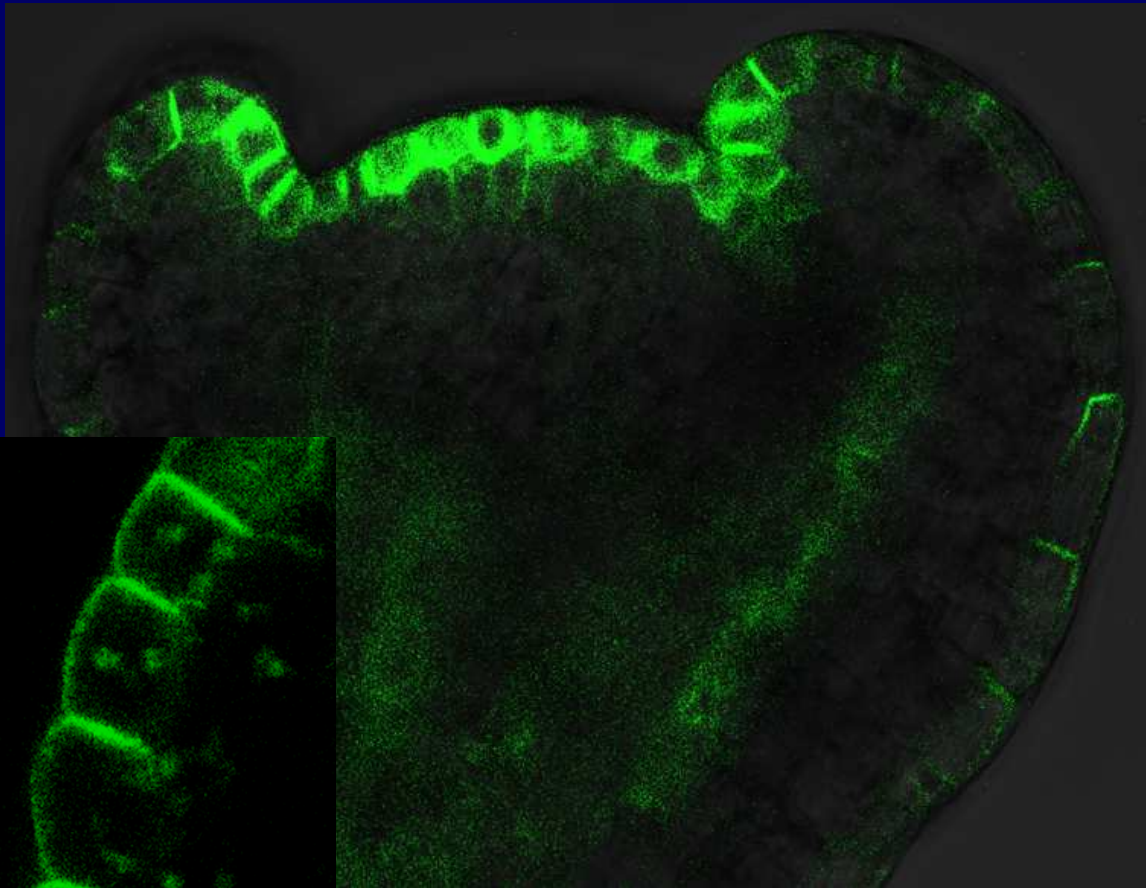
inducible
PID



PIN4

PIN1

PINOID kinase loss-of-function > basal PIN targeting



Col-0

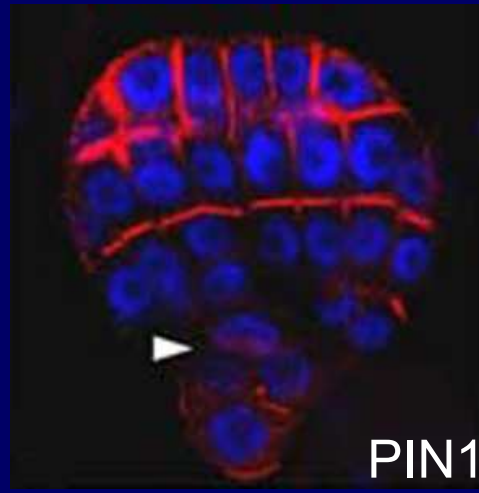
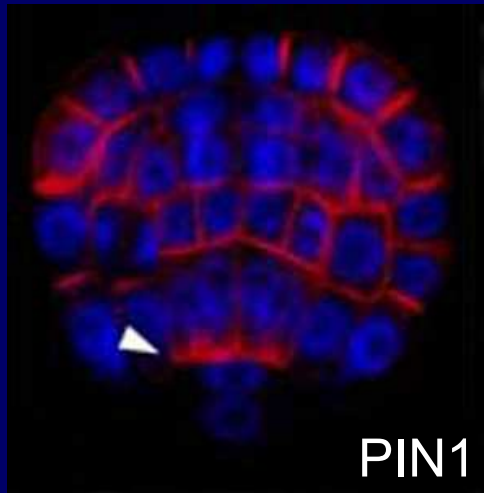


pinoid

Role of PID in Controlling PIN Polarity > Auxin Flow > Patterning

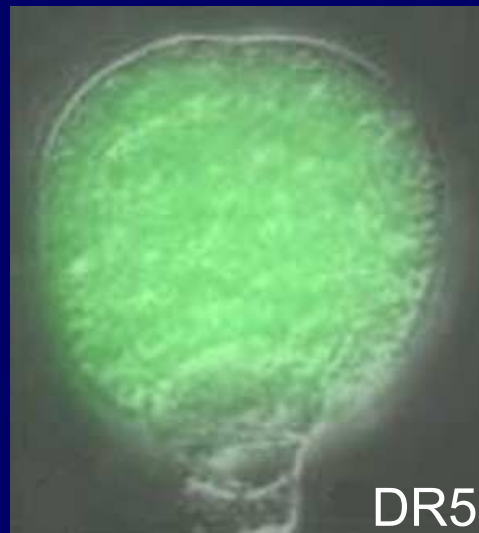
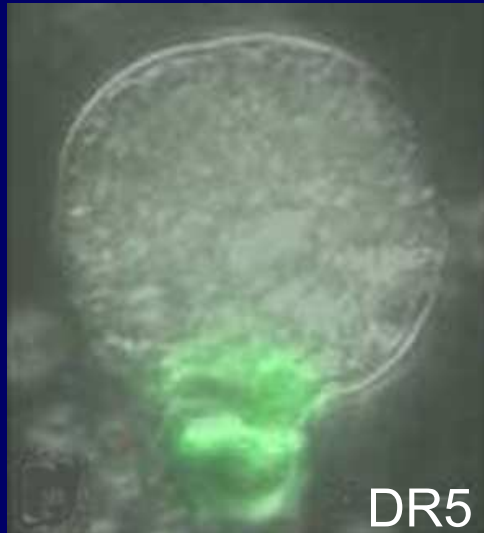
Col-0

RPS5::PID



Col-0

RPS5::PID



RPS5::PID seedlings



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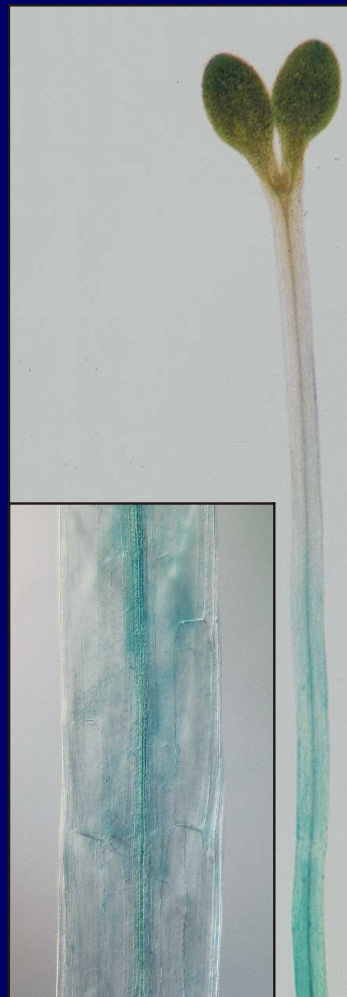
Asymmetric Auxin Distribution Underlies Tropisms

Phototropism

- NPA



+ NPA

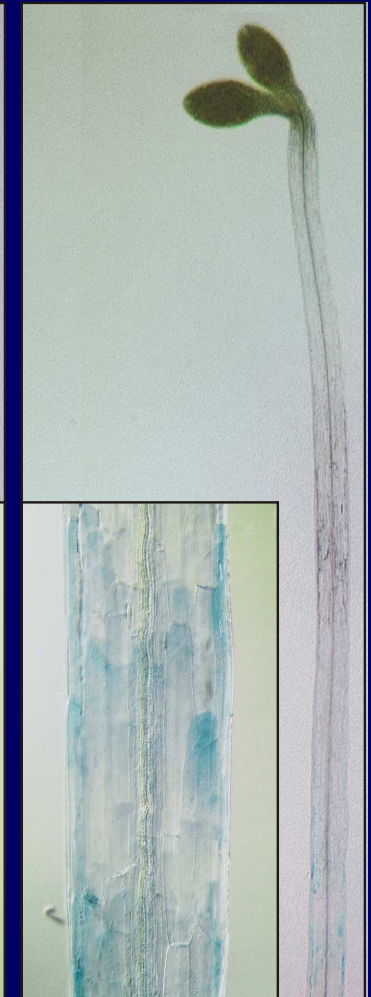


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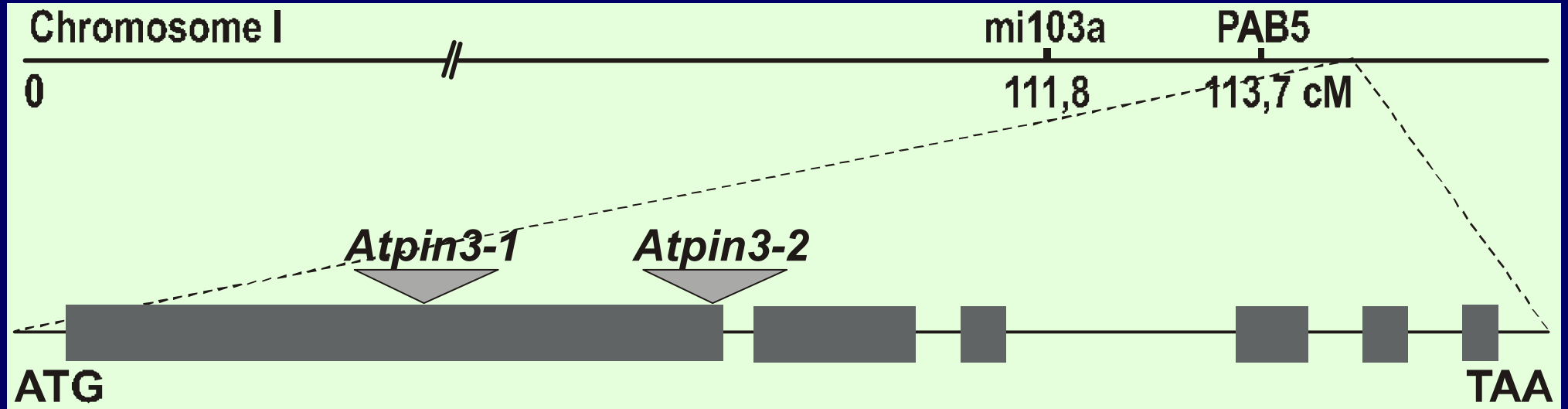
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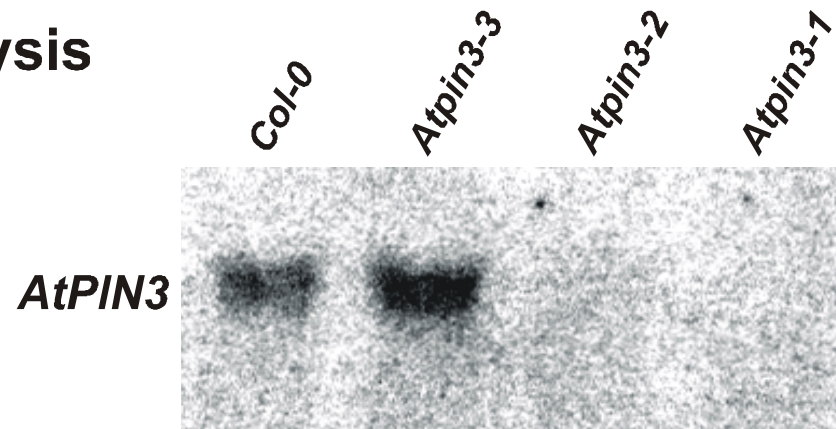
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AtPIN3 Gene and *Atpin3* Knock-Out Mutants



Northern blot analysis
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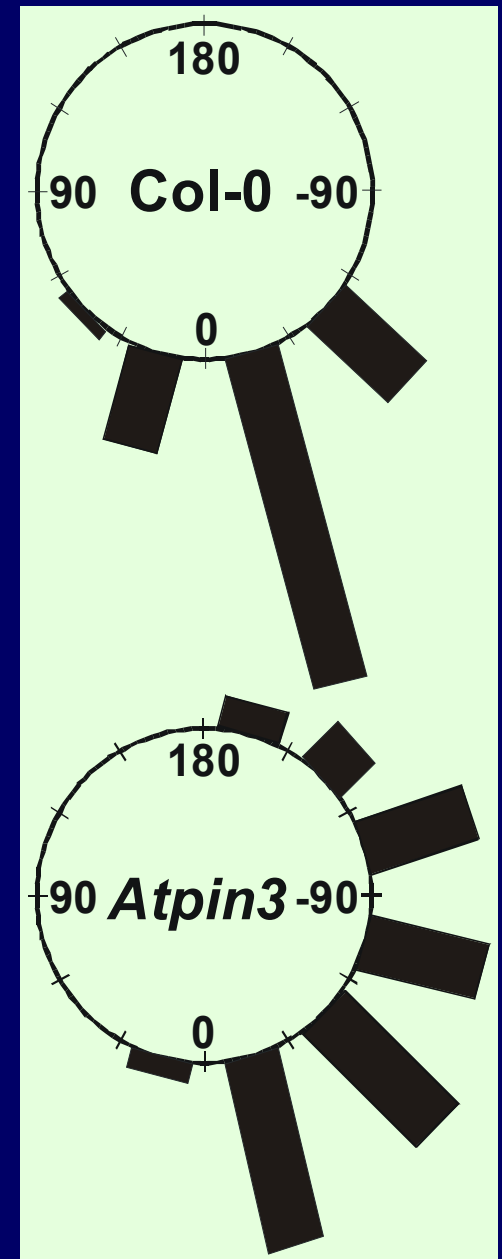


Atpin3 Tropisms

Hypocotyl phototropism

Hypocotyl gravitropism

Root gravitr.

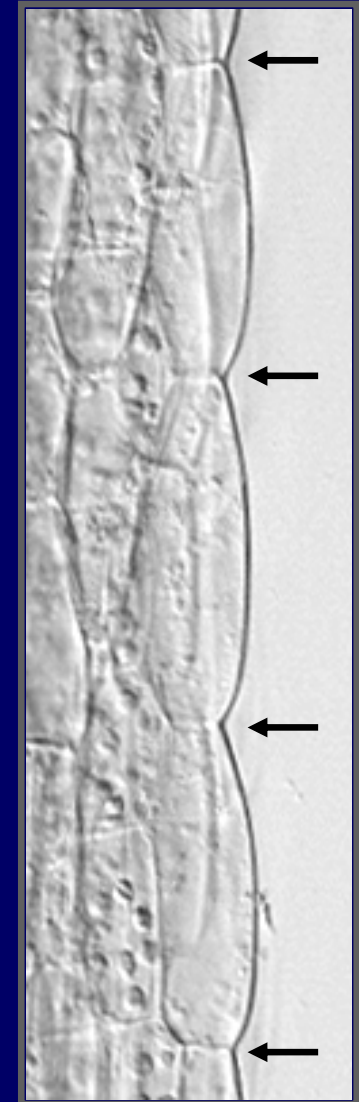
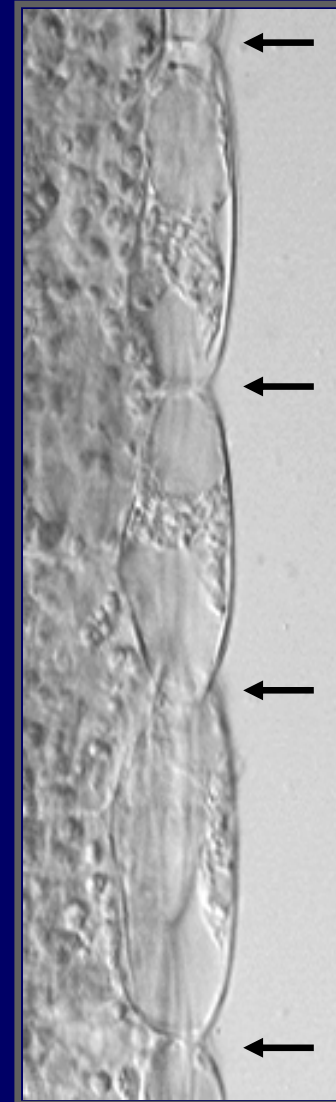
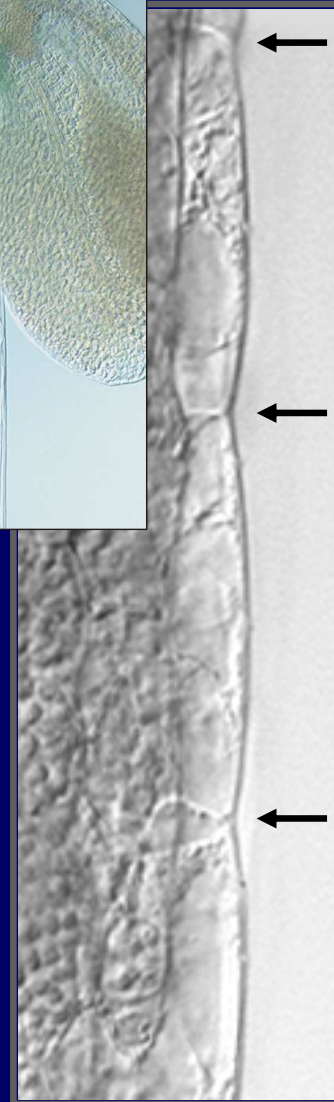
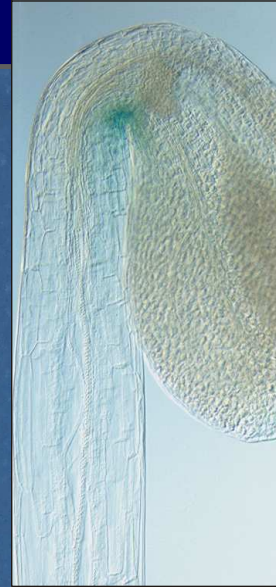
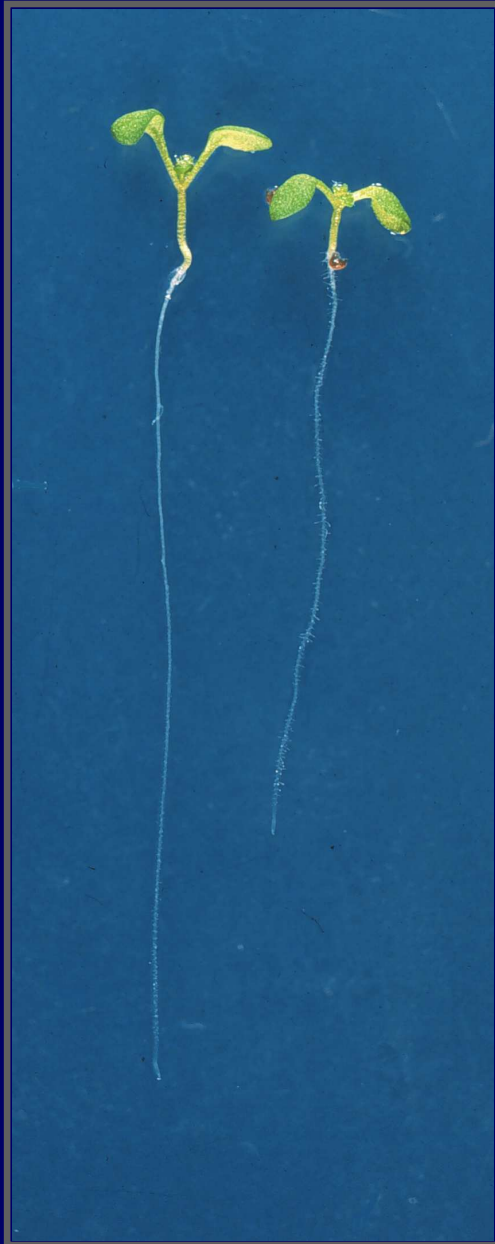


Atpin3 Hypocotyl and Apical Hook

light

dark

DR5

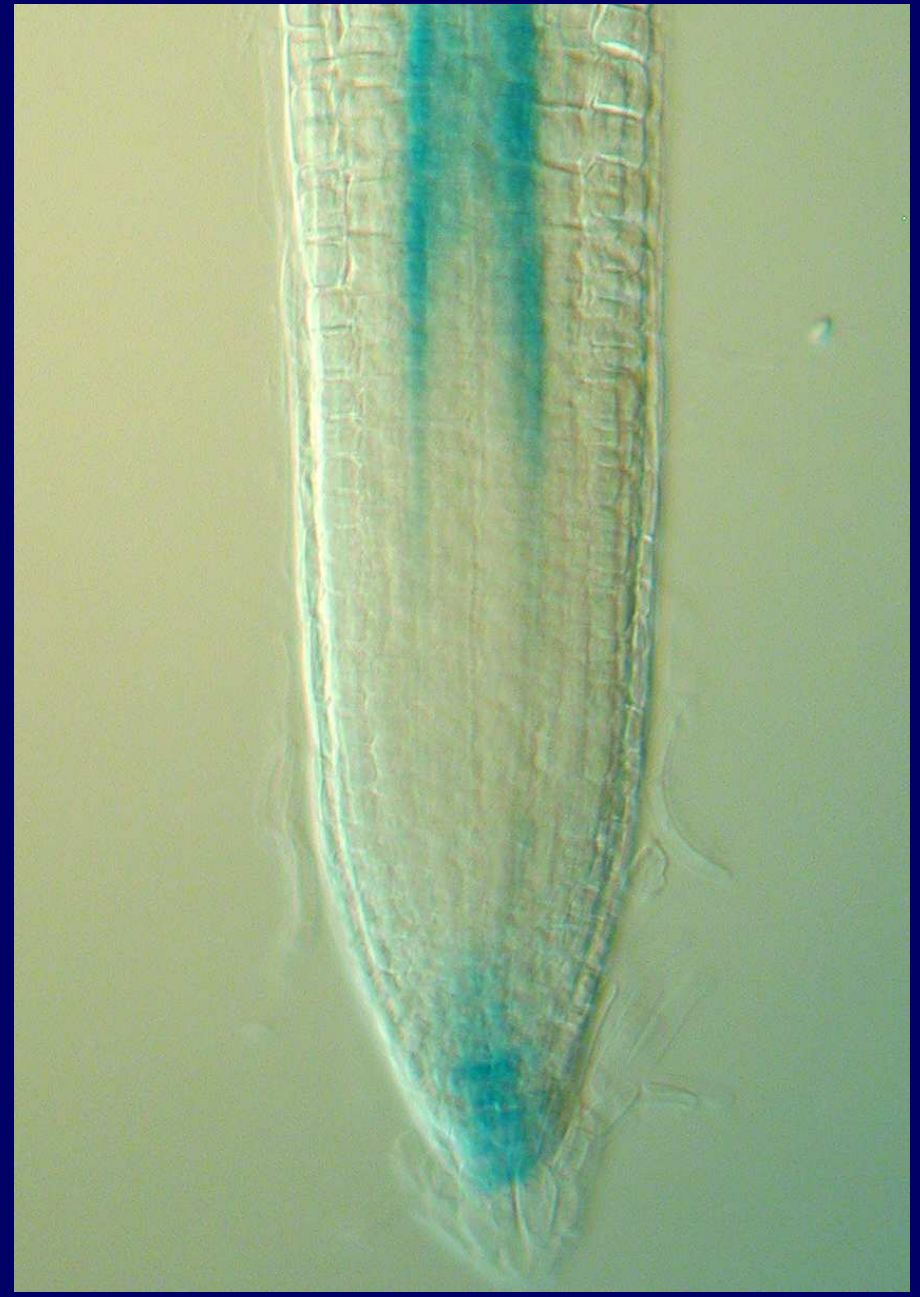
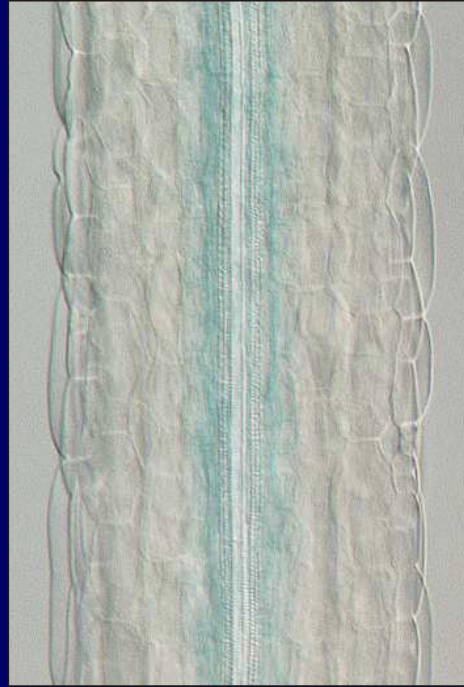
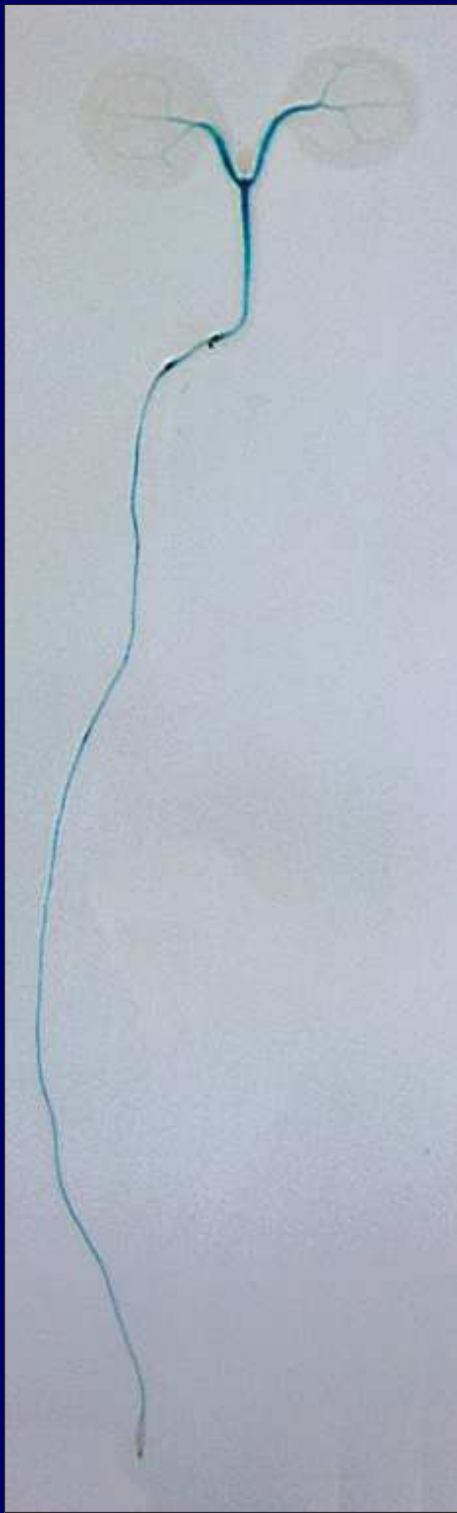


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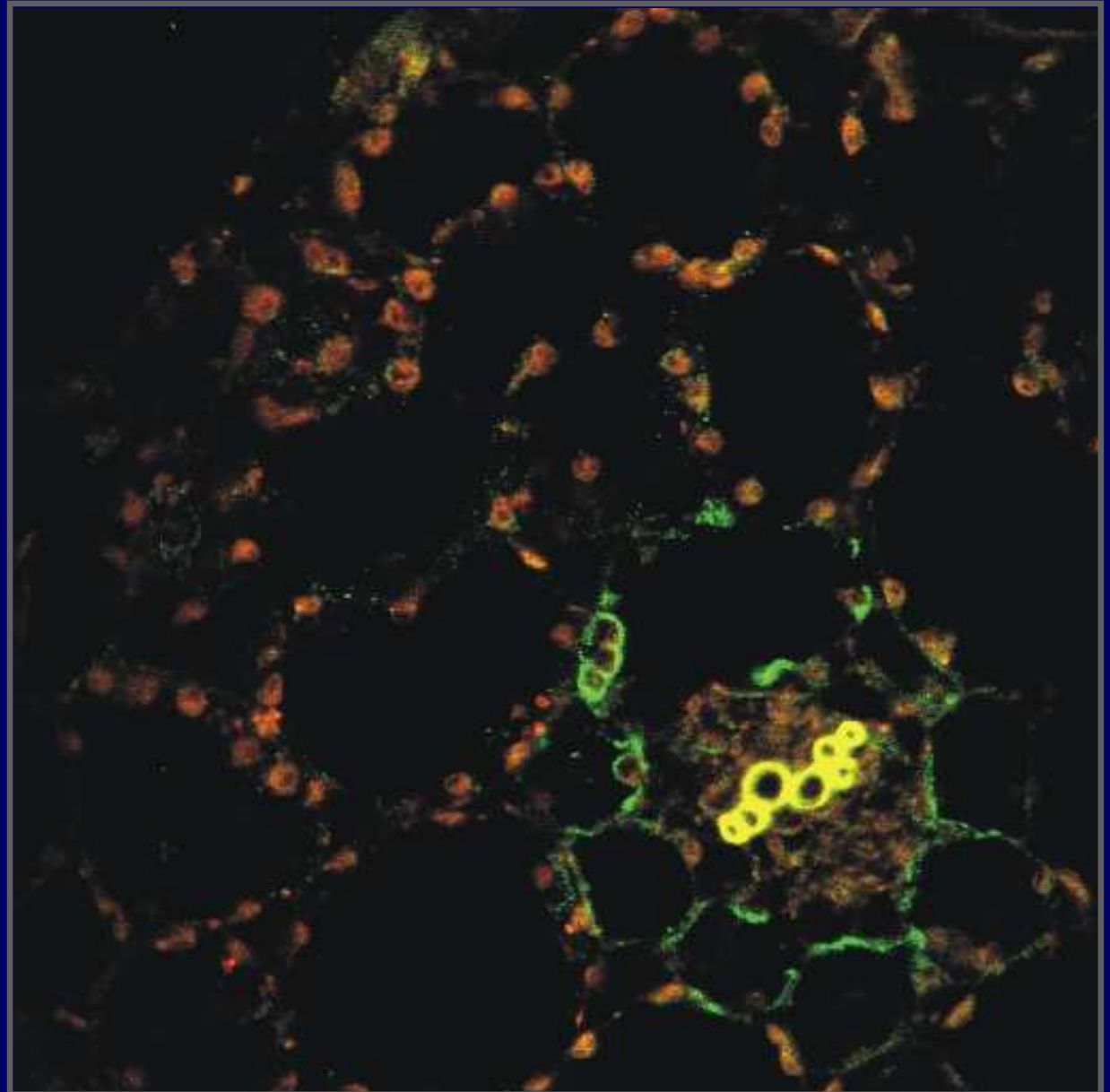
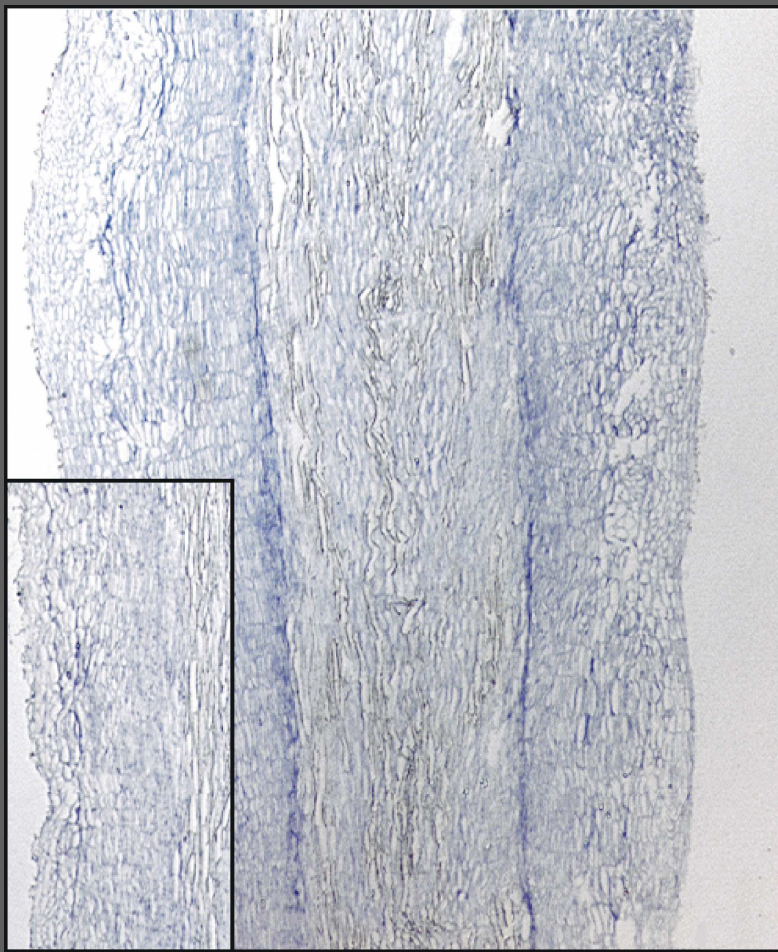
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AtPIN3 in Hypocotyl

The AtPIN3 protein

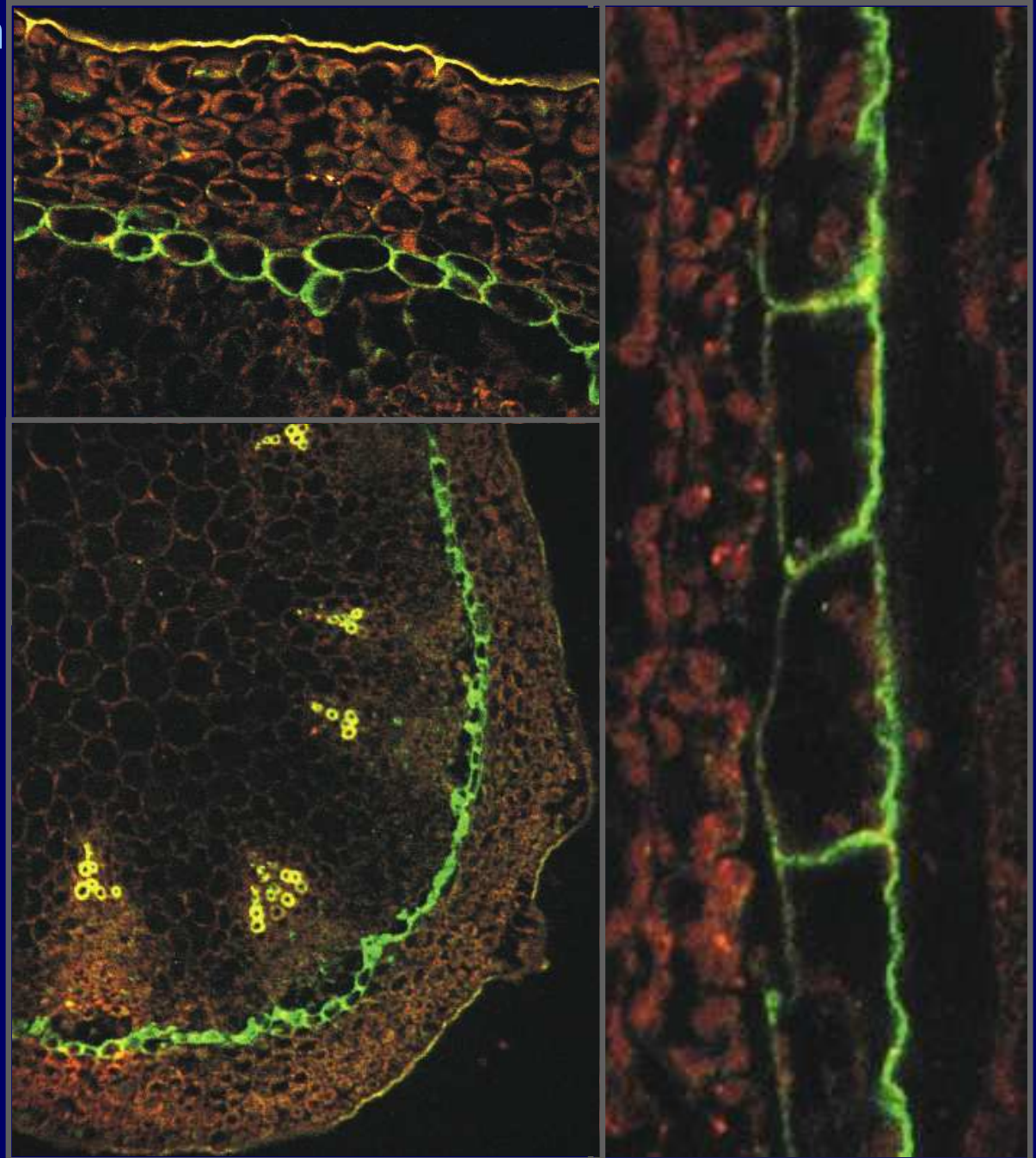
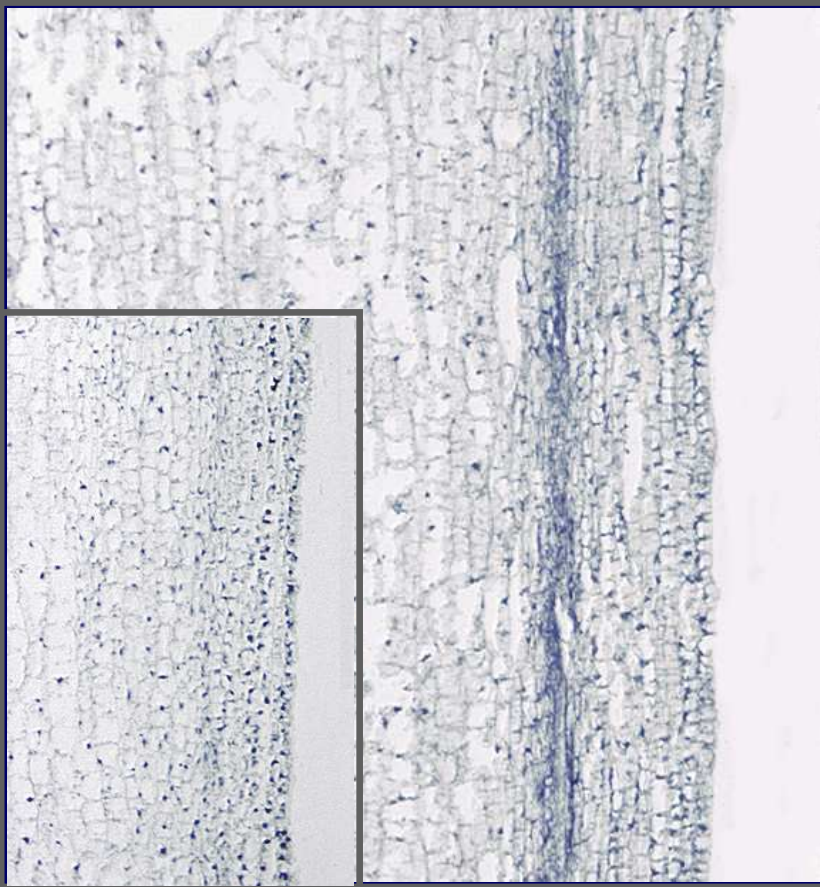
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AtPIN3 in Inflorescence Axis

The AtPIN3 protein

in situ RNA hybridisation

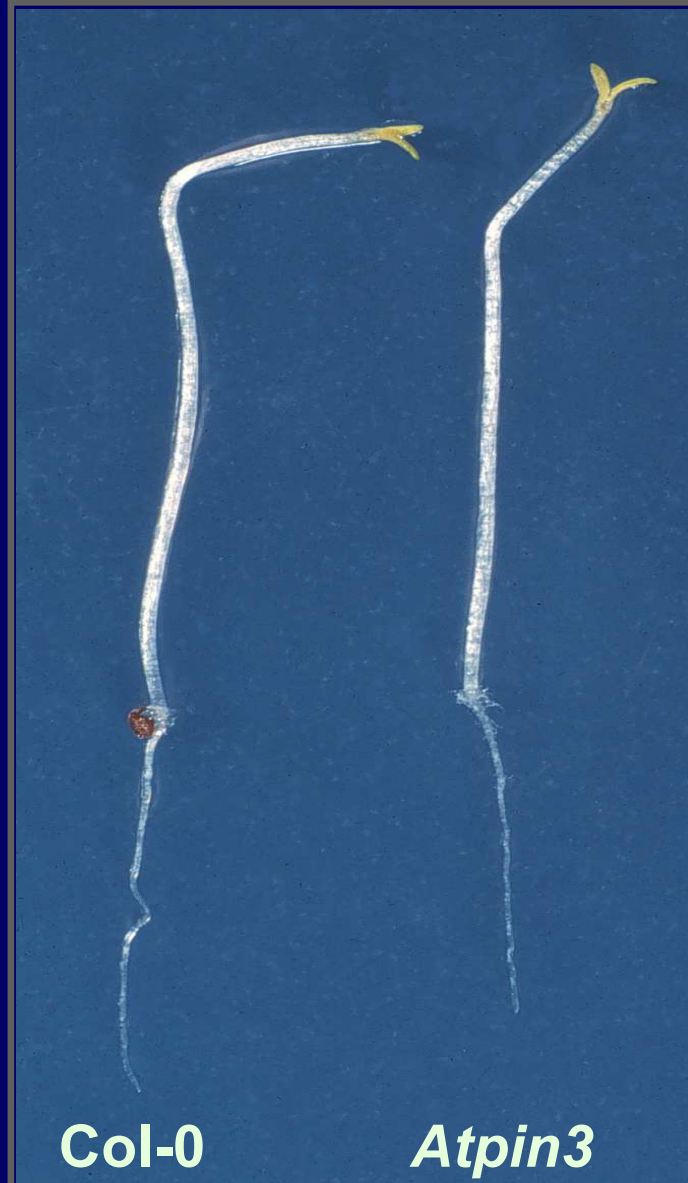


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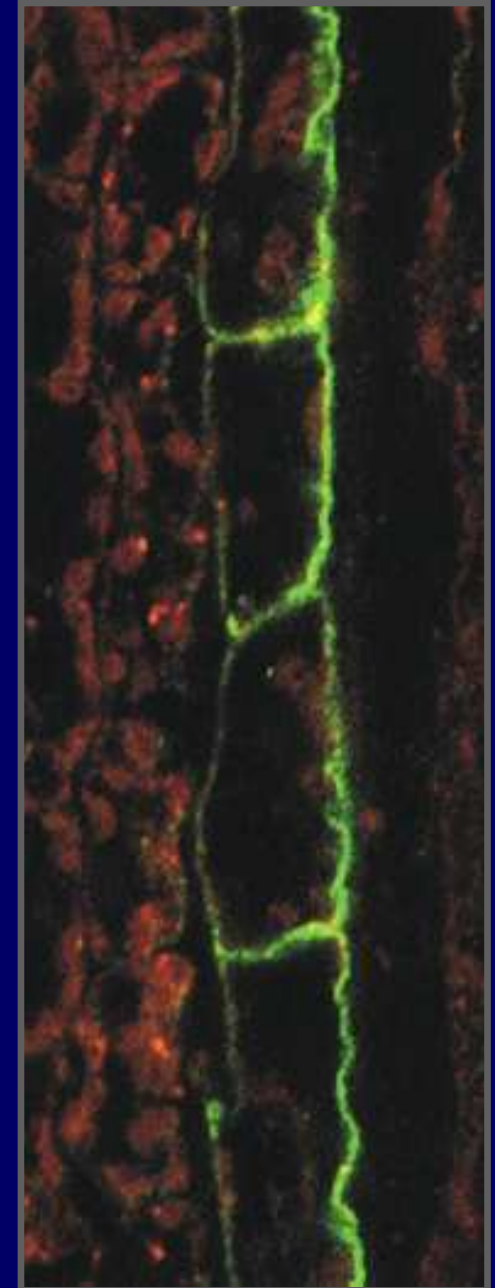
DR5 - phototropism



pin3 phototropism

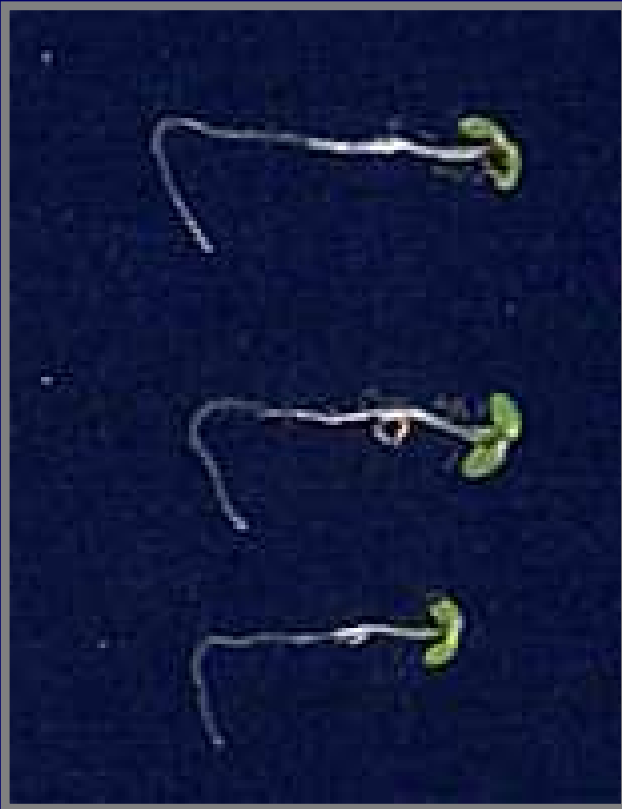


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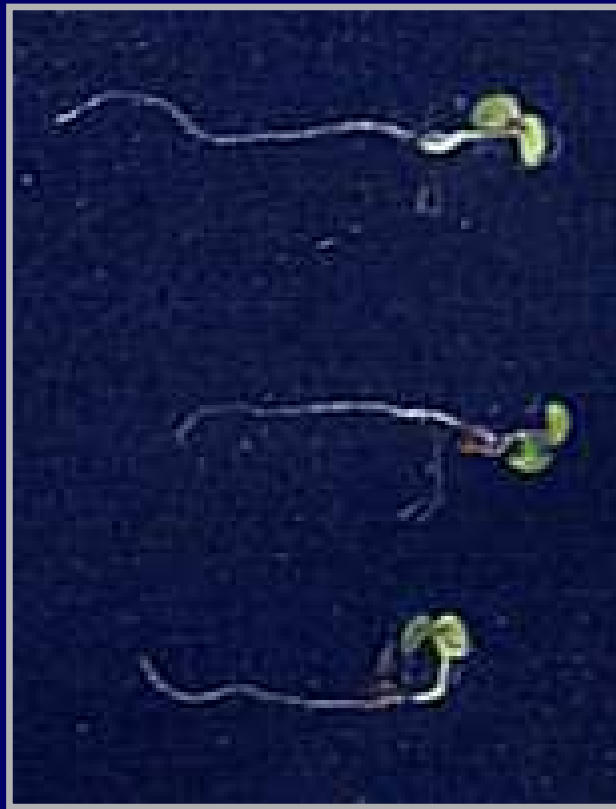


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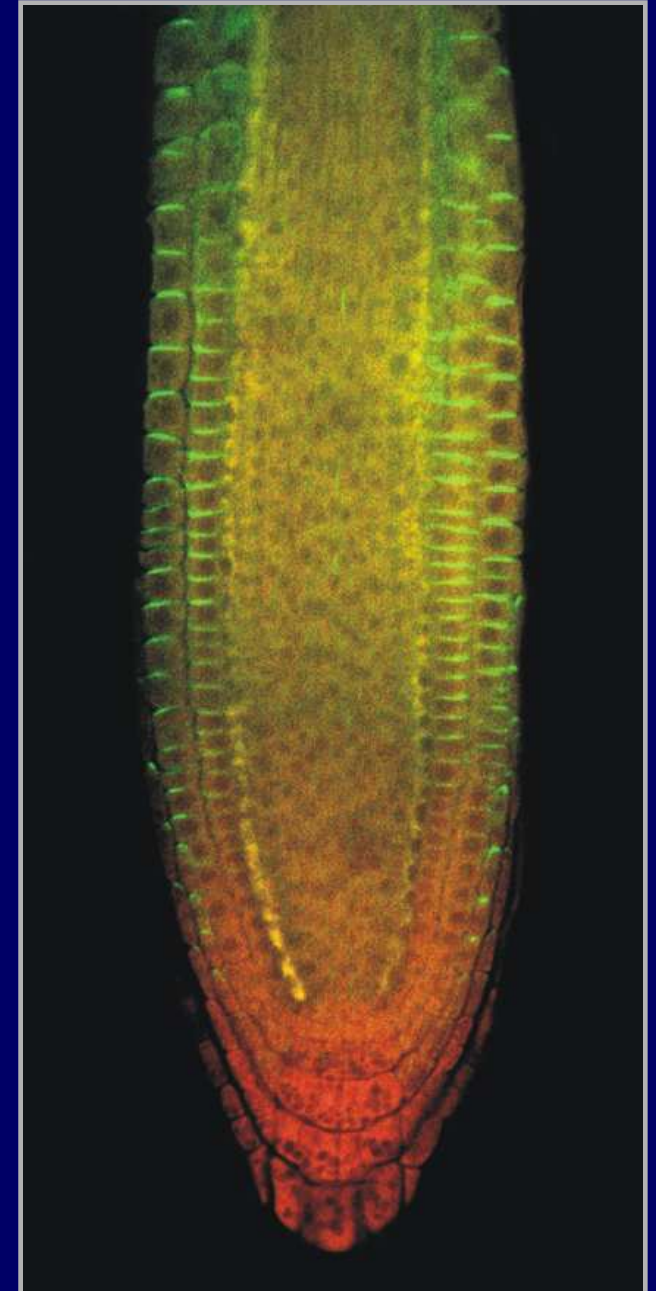
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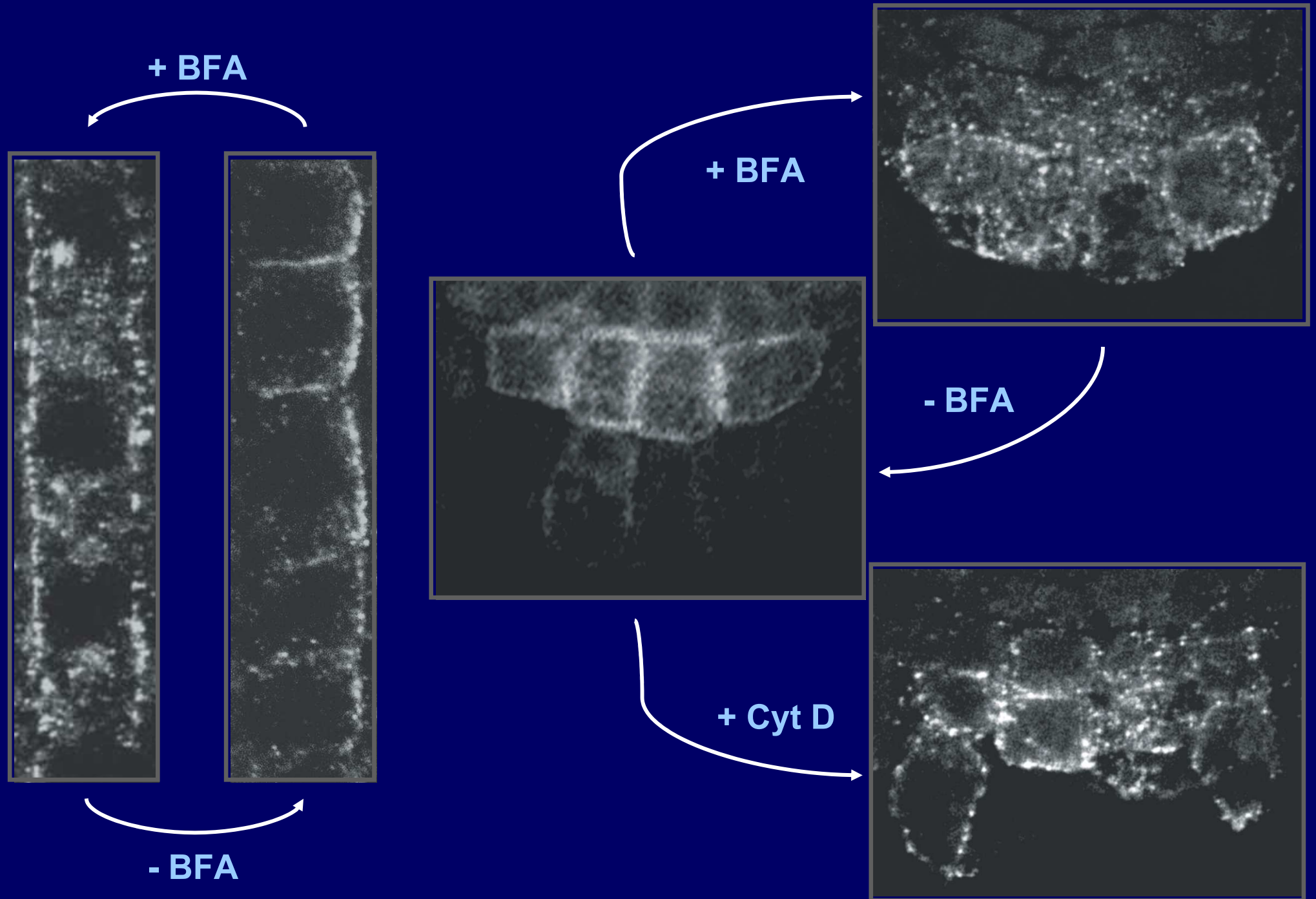
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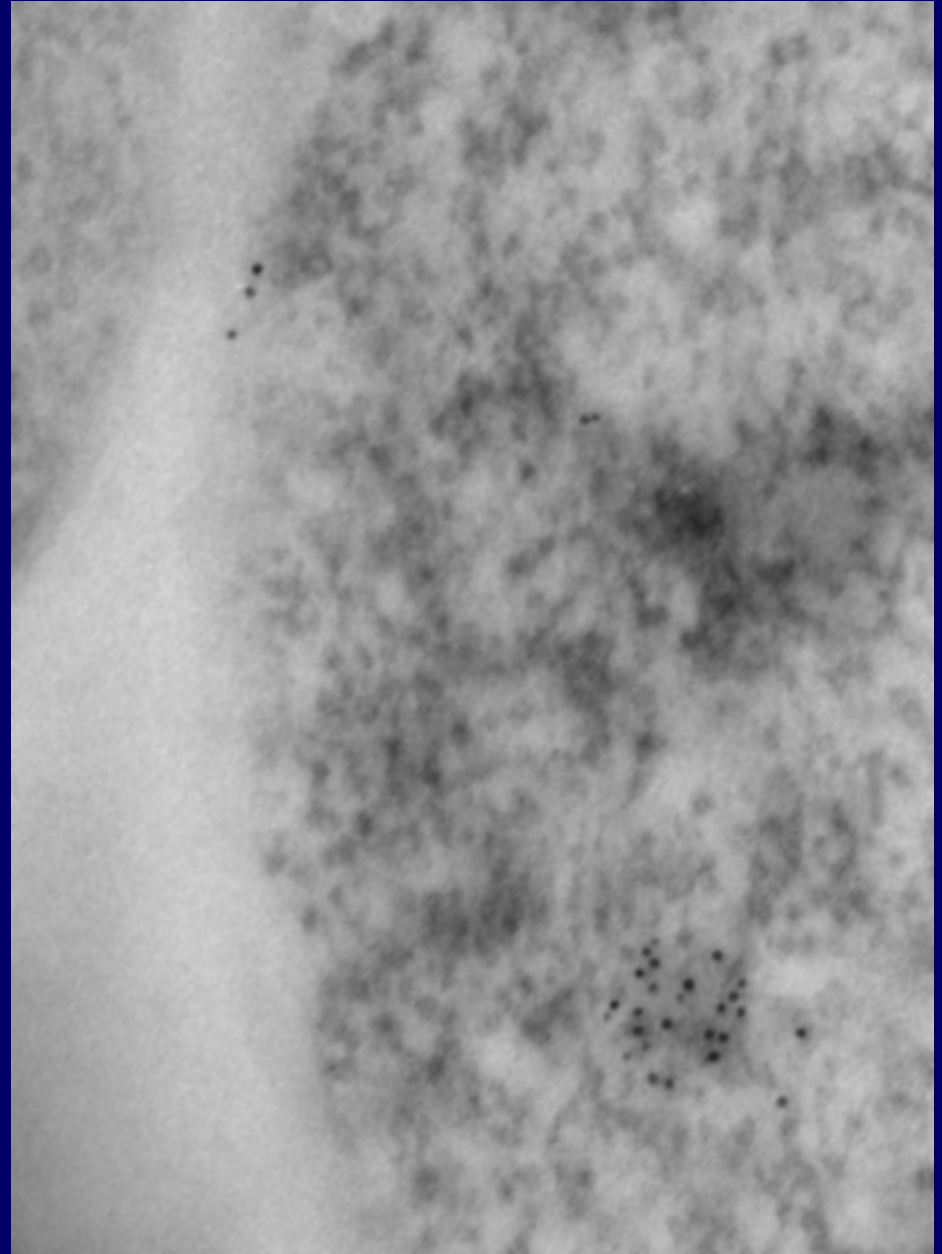
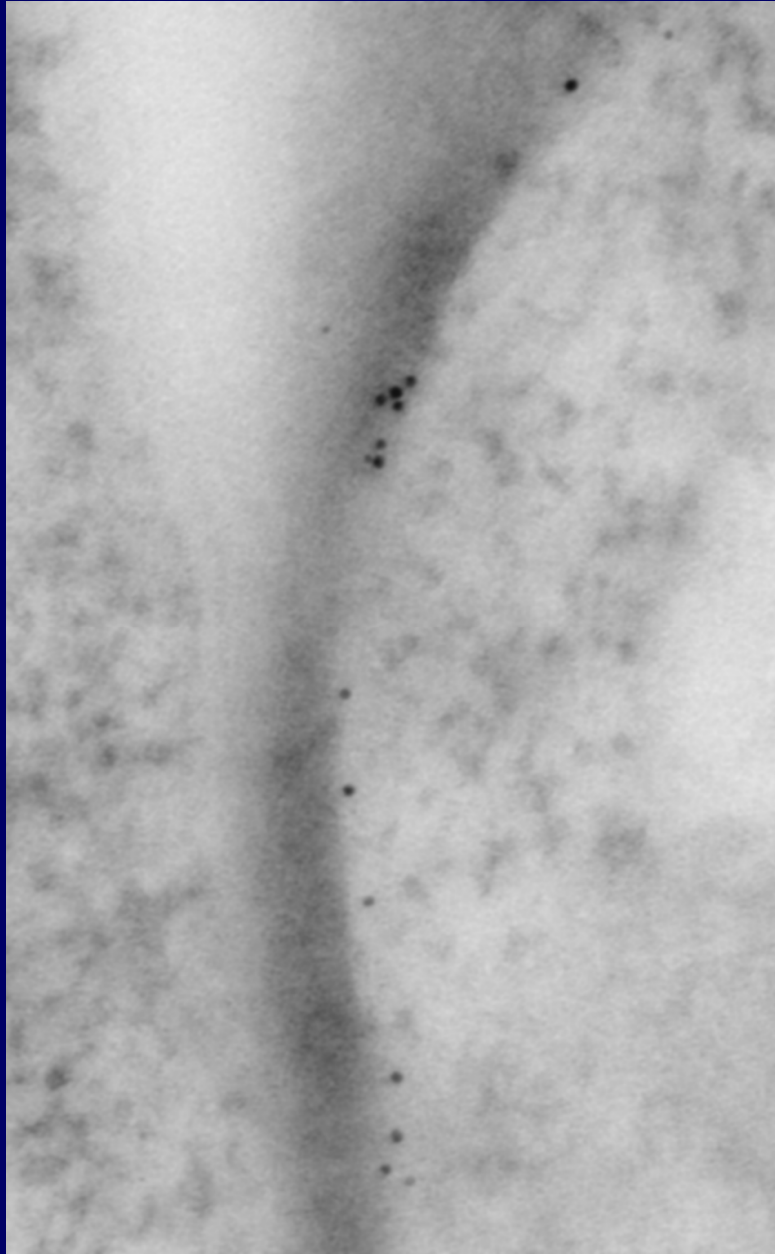
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PIN3 Actin Dependent Cycling

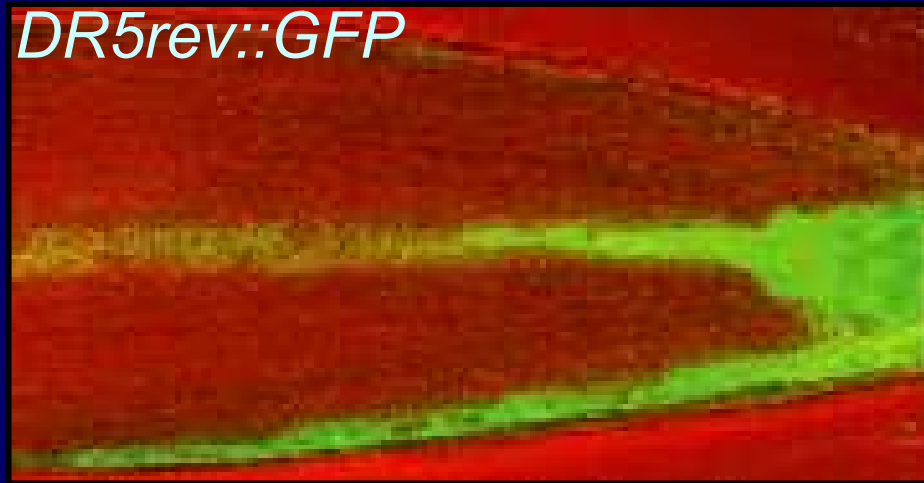


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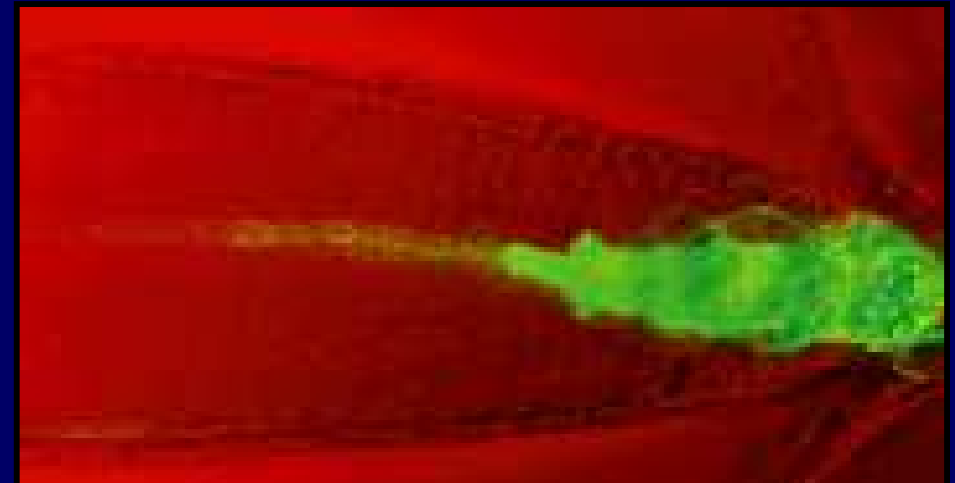


Root Gravotropism

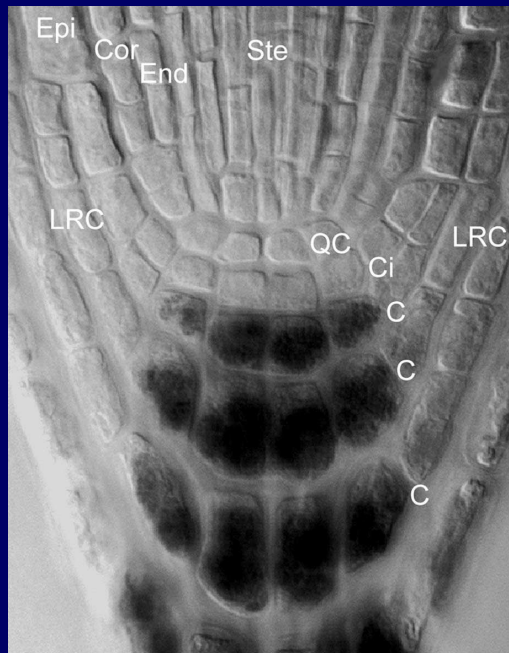
gravity stimulated



gravity + NPA



Statoliths
- gravity
perception

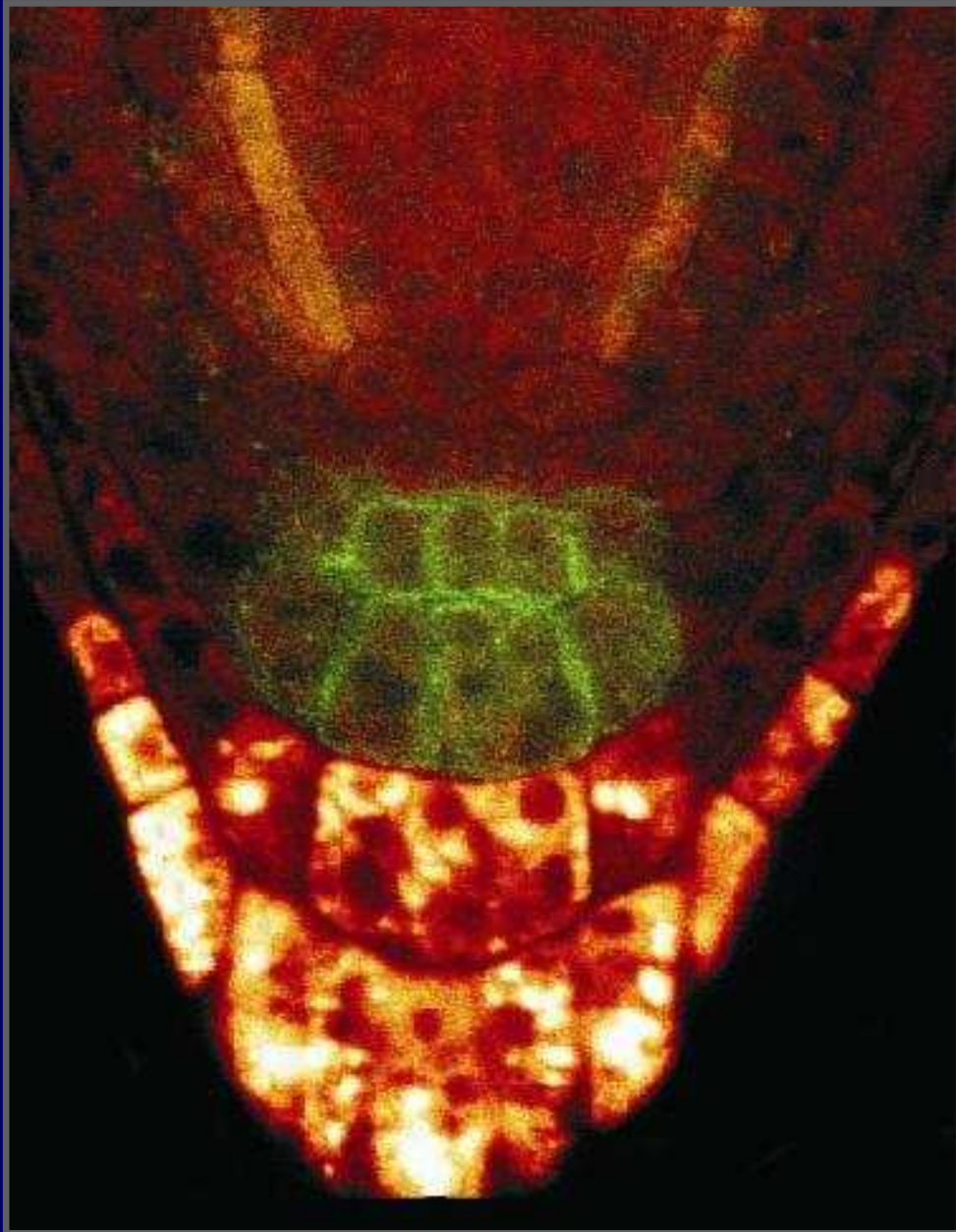


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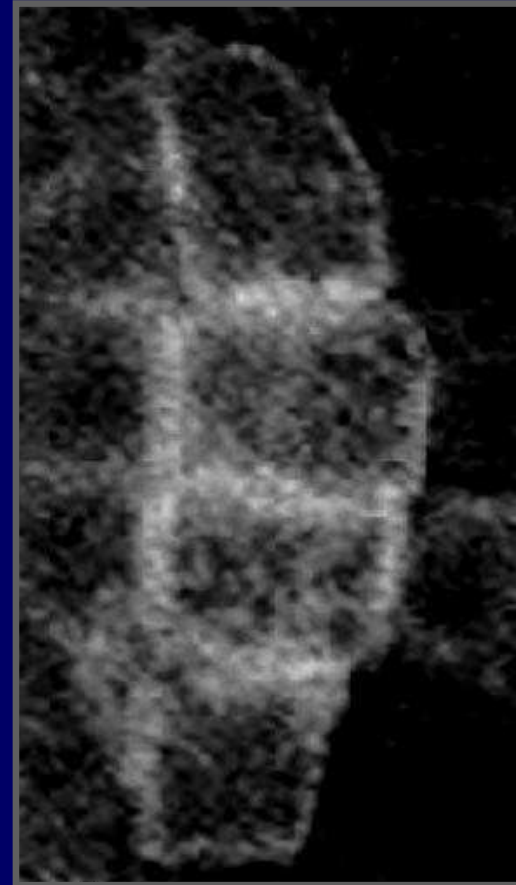


Relocation of PIN3 during Gravitropism

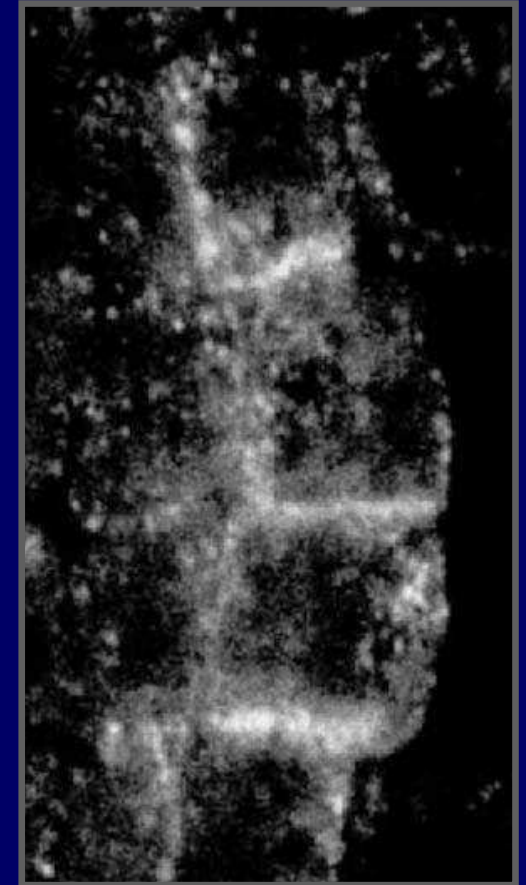
PIN3 in vertical root



PIN3 in root on its side



0 min



2 min

Model for Root Gravitropism

Vertical root

Root turned on its side

Vascular tissue

