

Key pathways to ischemia-reperfusion injury

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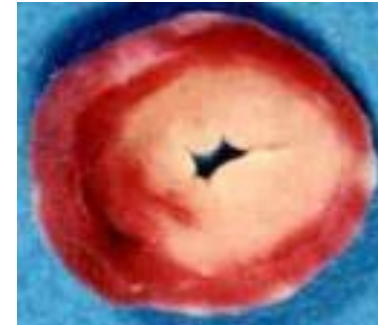
Outline

- What is ischaemia-reperfusion injury?
- What causes ischaemia-reperfusion injury?
 - Calcium
 - Reactive oxygen species (ROS)
 - The role of mitochondria
- How can we protect against ischaemia-reperfusion injury?

Cardiovascular disease – the leading cause of death



Ischaemia



Ischaemia

Reperfusion



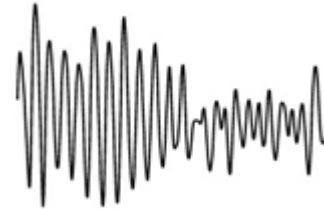
**Reperfusion
injury**



What is reperfusion injury?

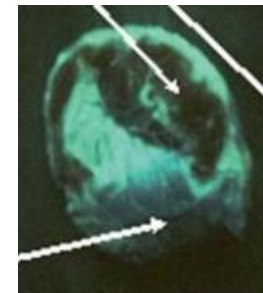
Four forms of reperfusion injury:

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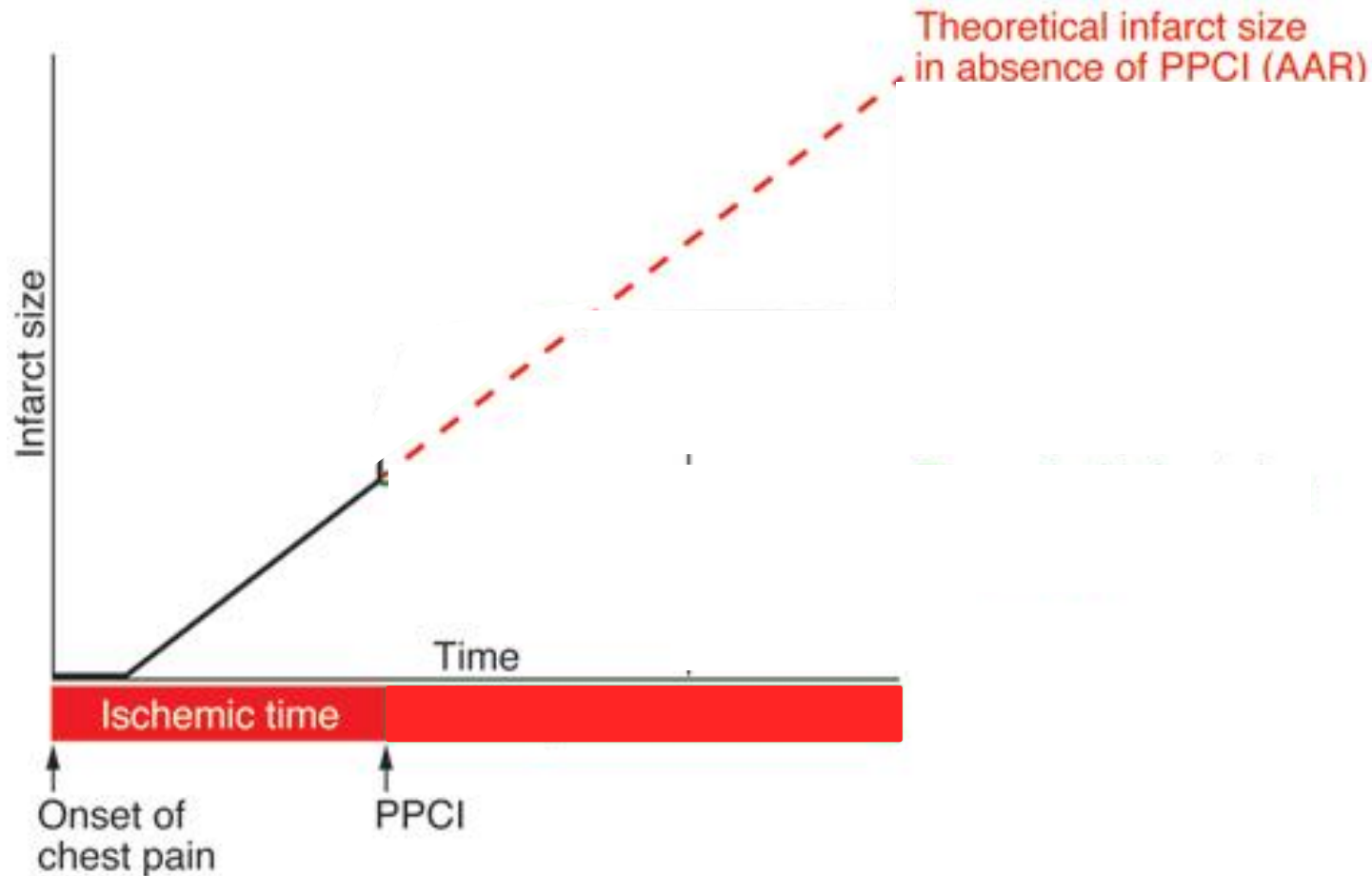


2) Myocardial stunning

3) Microvascular injury



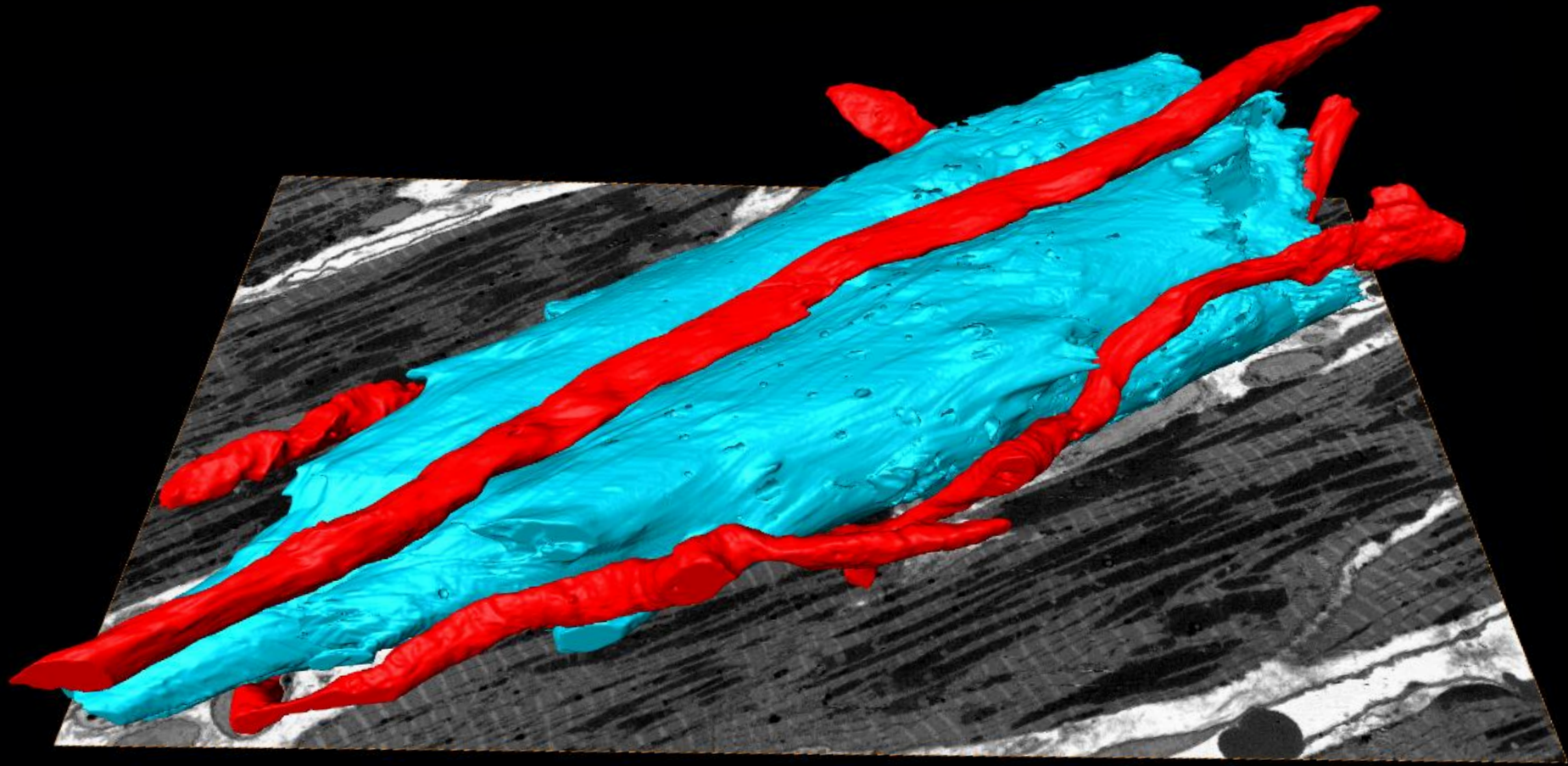
4) Myocardial Infarction

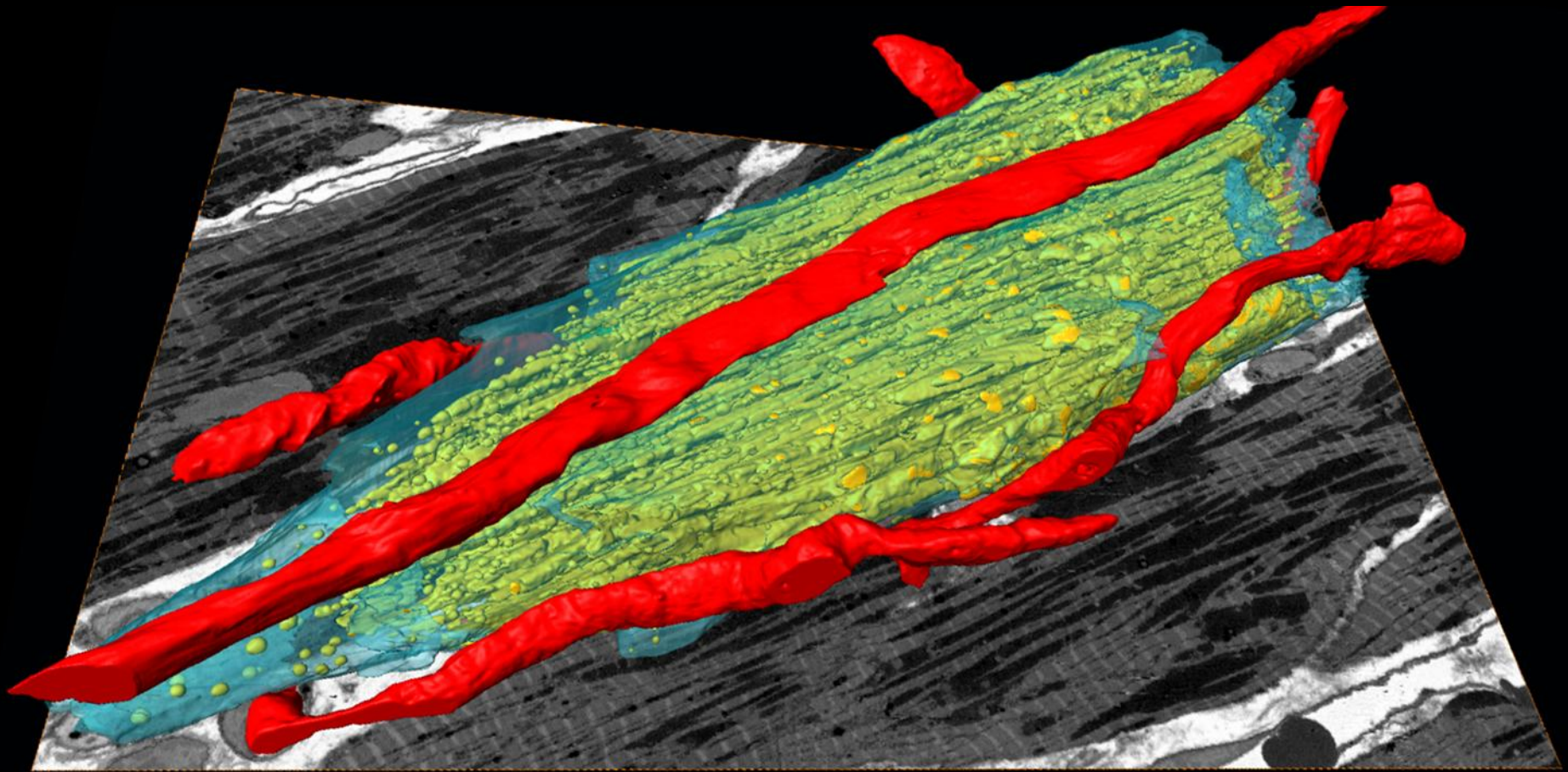


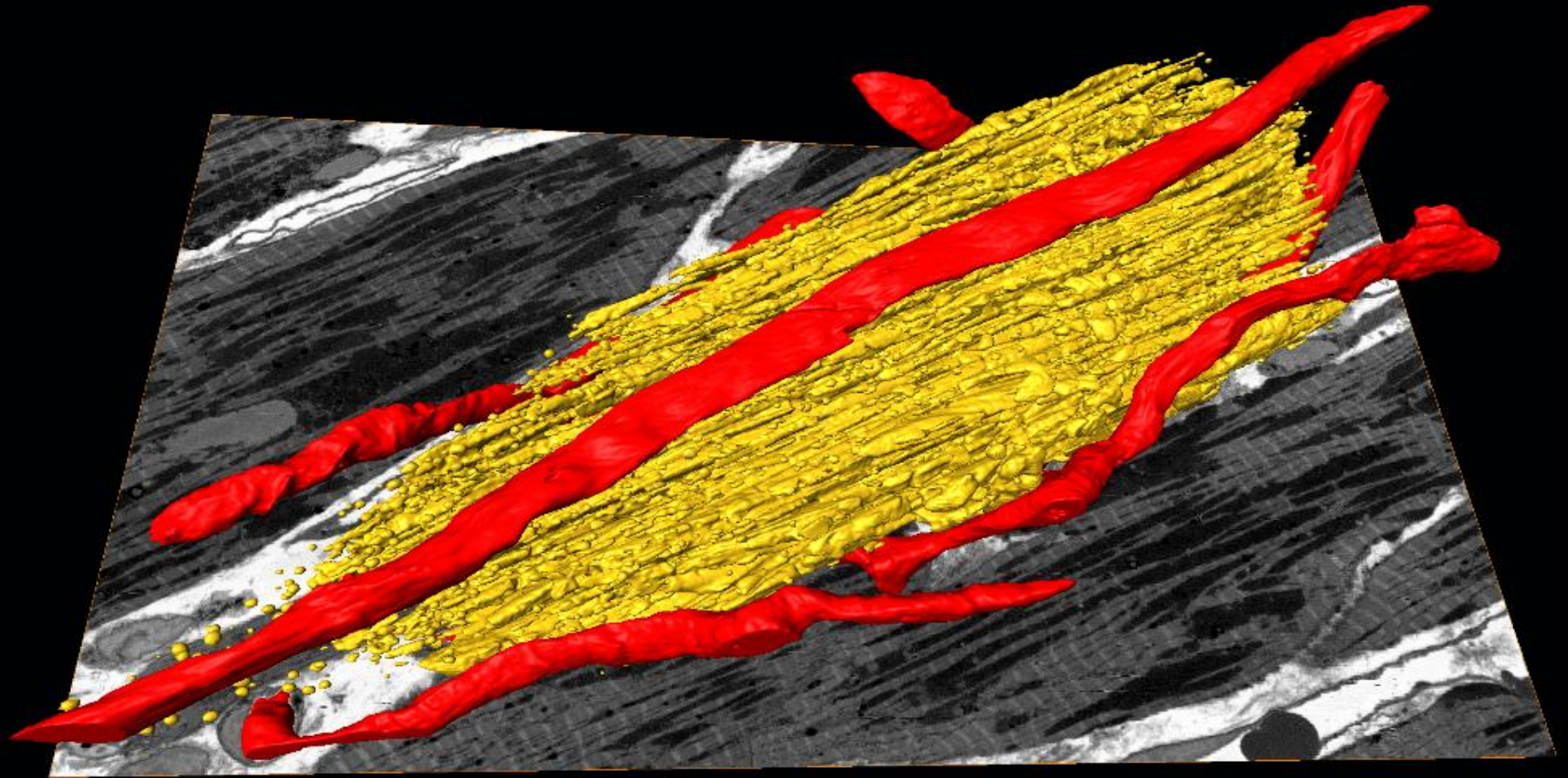
Hausenloy DJ and Yellon DM

Myocardial ischemia-reperfusion injury: a neglected therapeutic target

JCI 113(2013):92-100

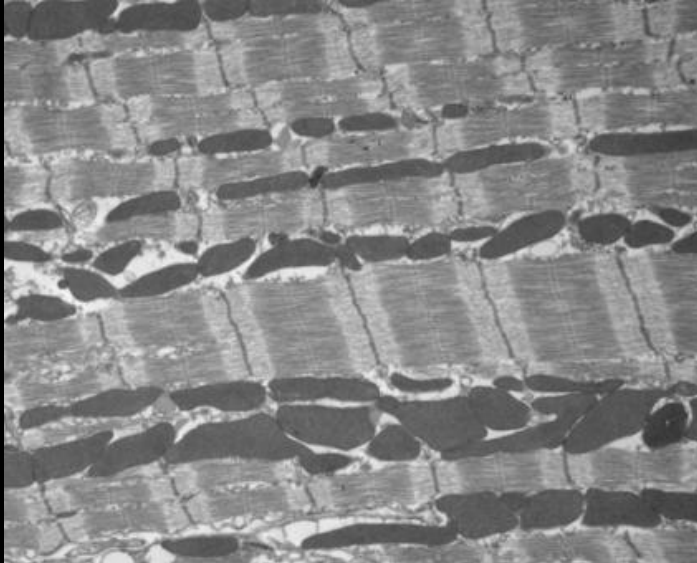




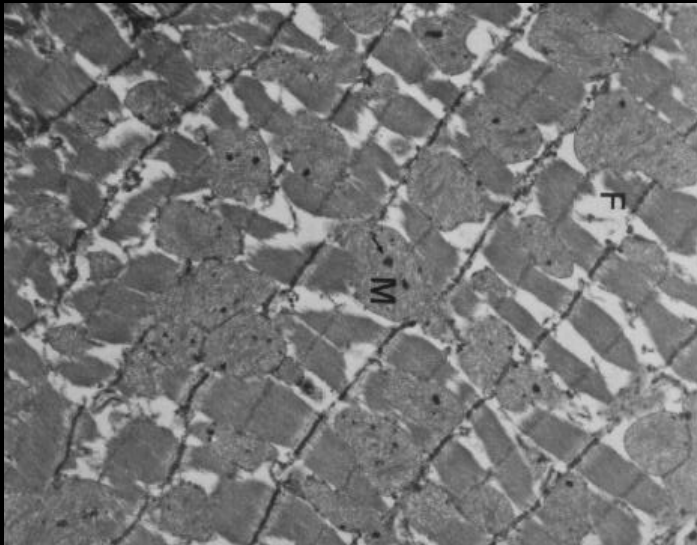


Mitochondrial damage occurs early during reperfusion

Control



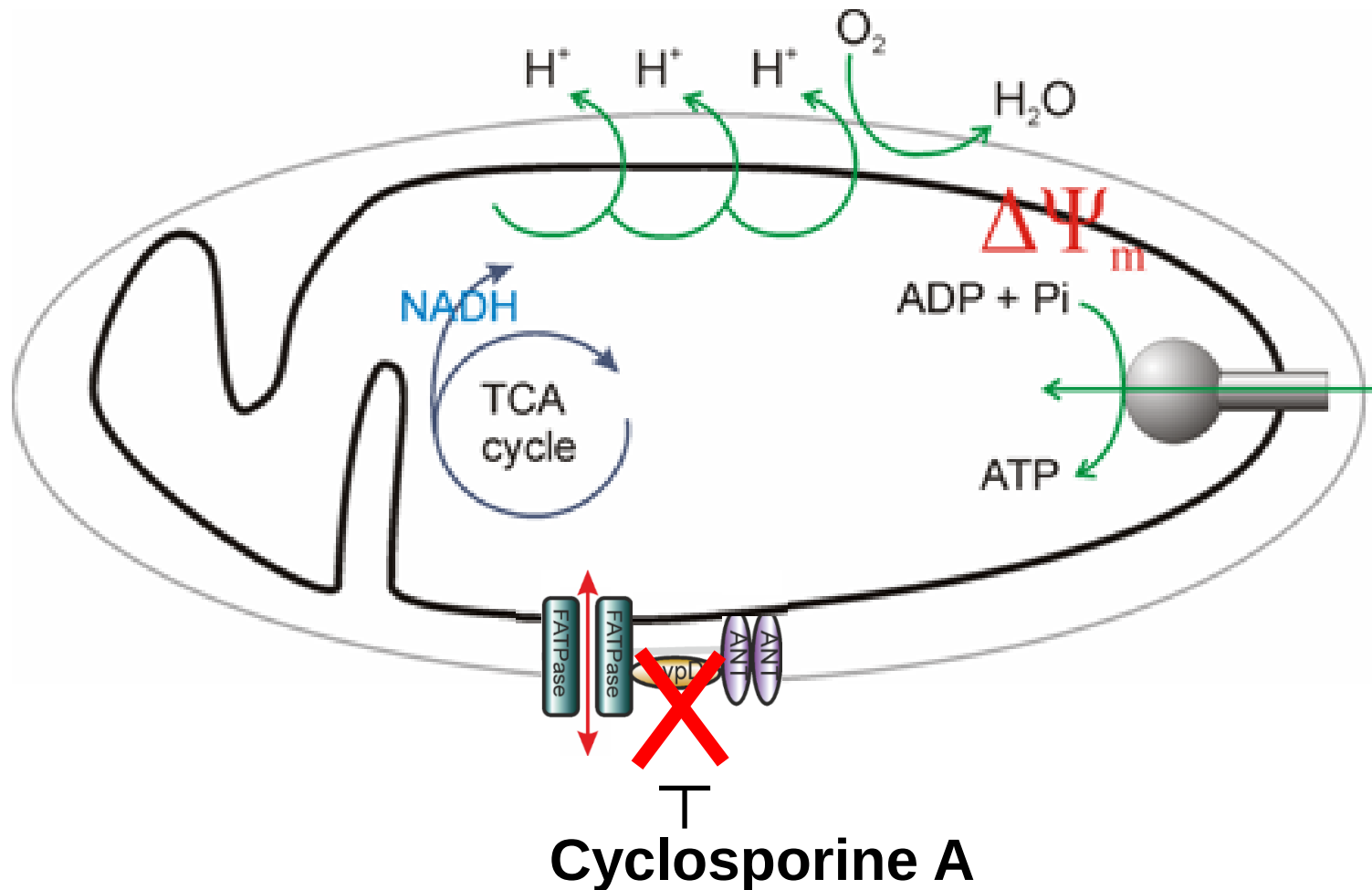
60 min ischaemia



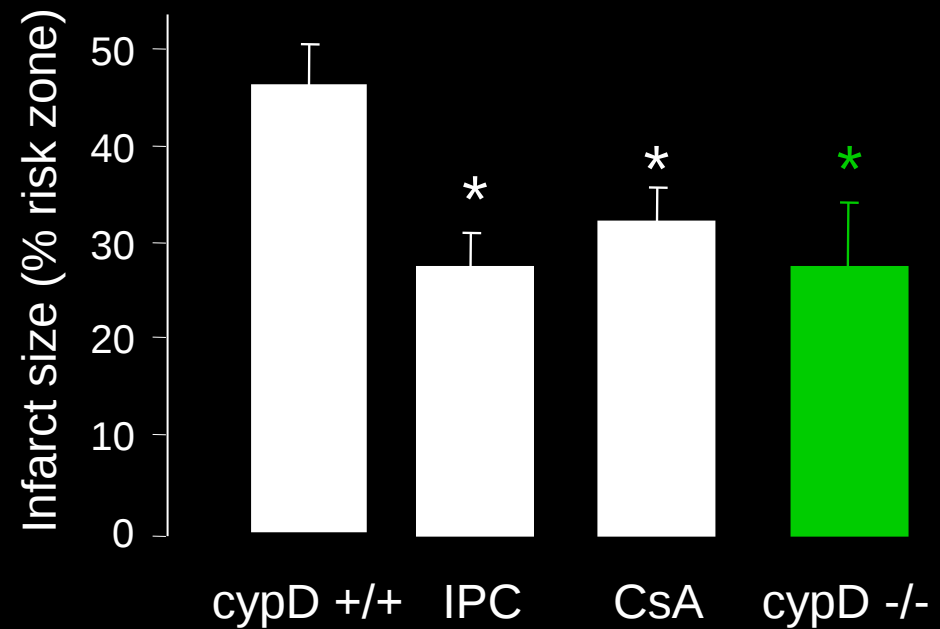
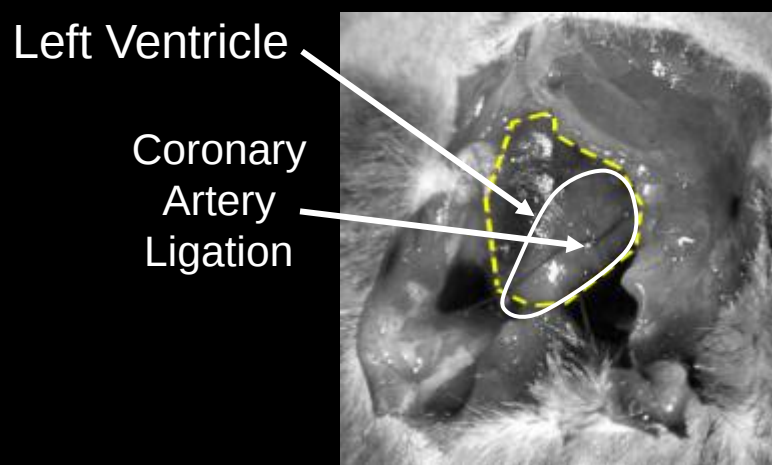
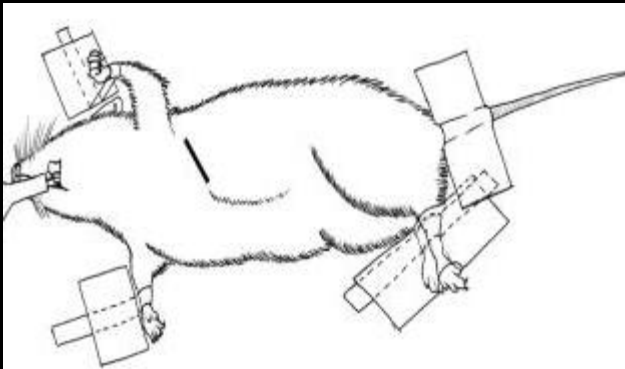
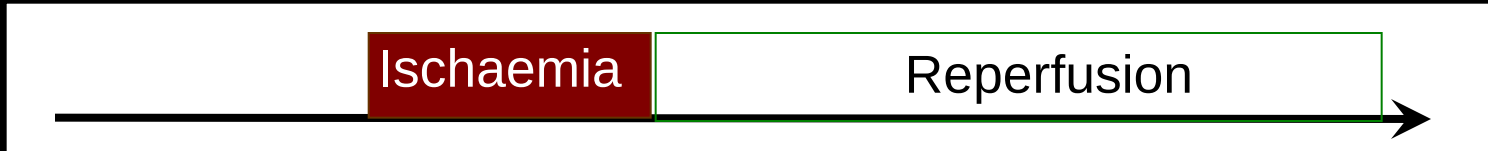
5 min after reperfusion



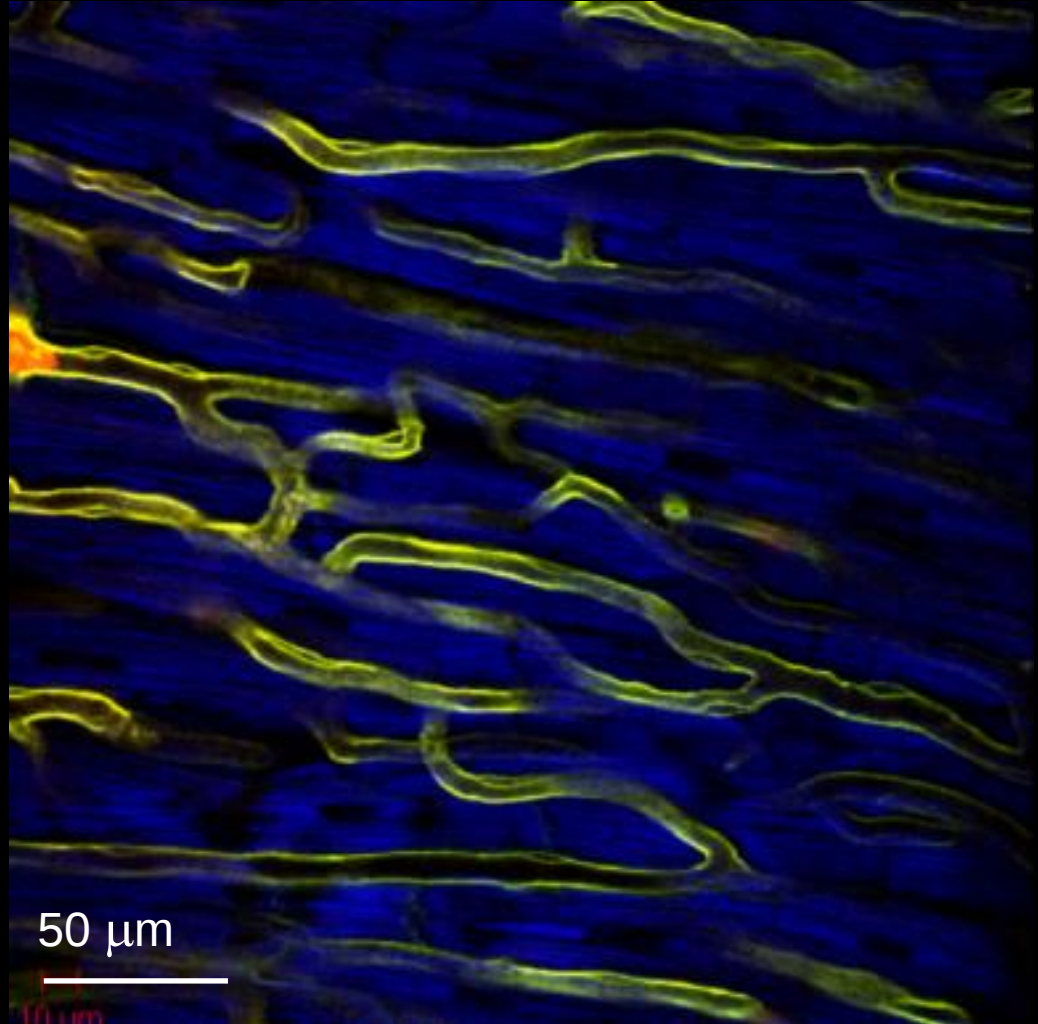
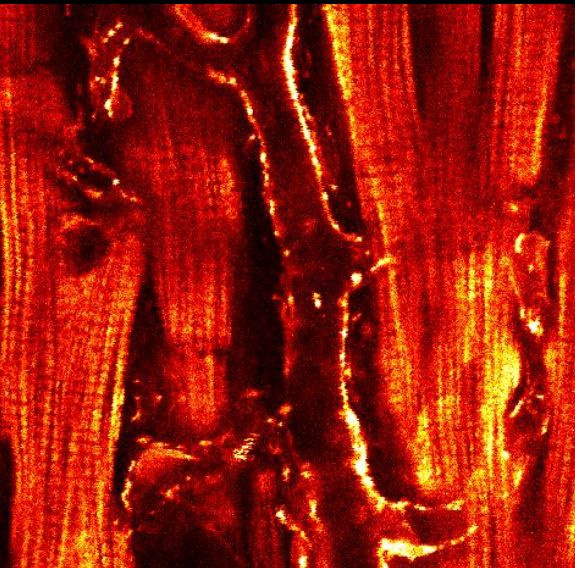
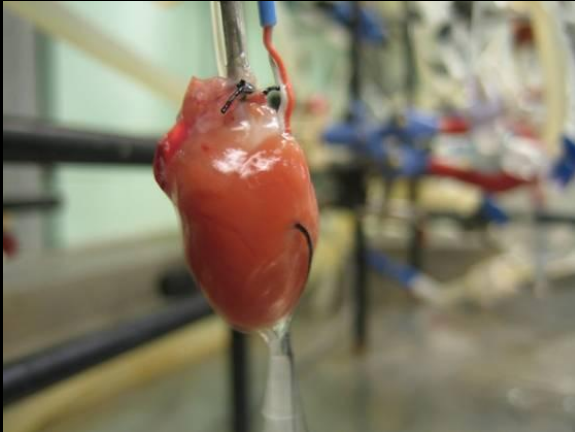
The mitochondrial permeability transition pore (mPTP, or PTP)



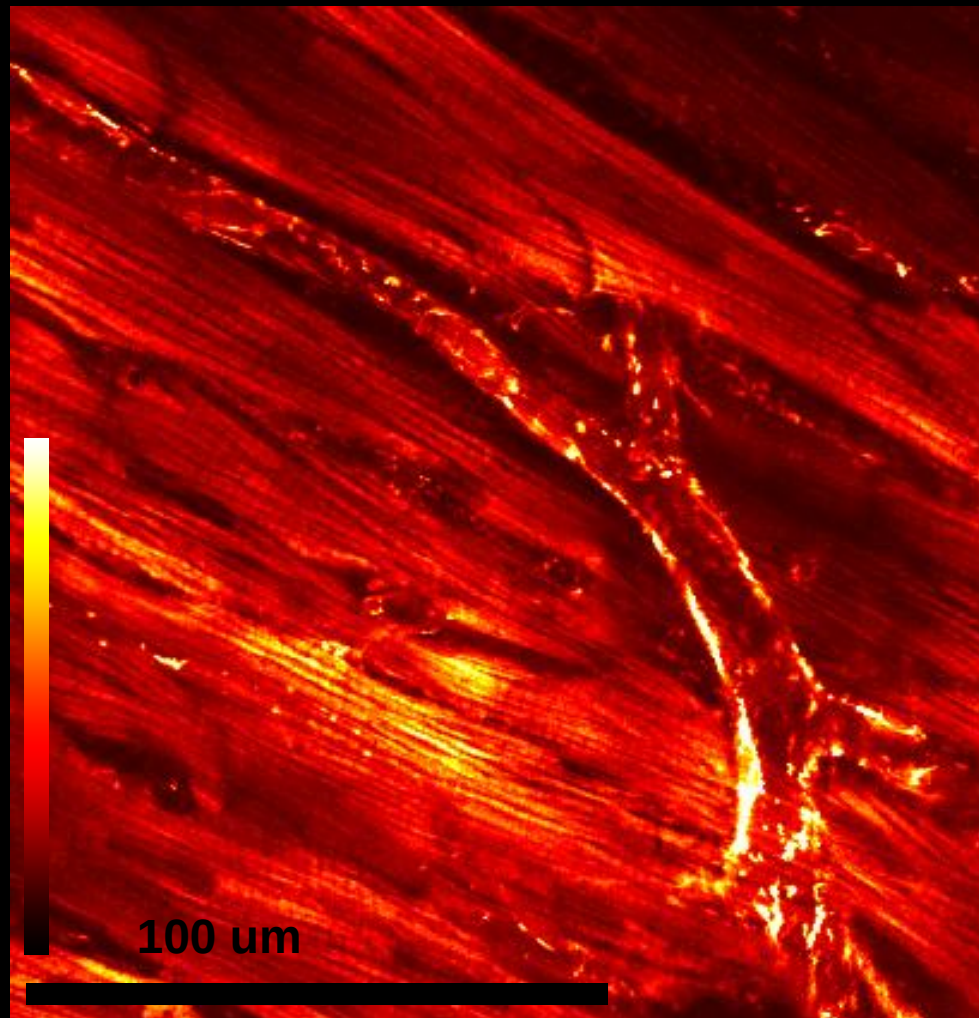
mPTP opening contributes to IR injury



Multiphoton microscopy



Mitochondria in the myocardium

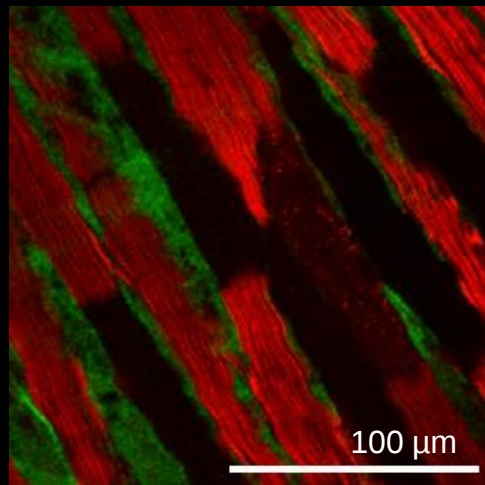


TMRM

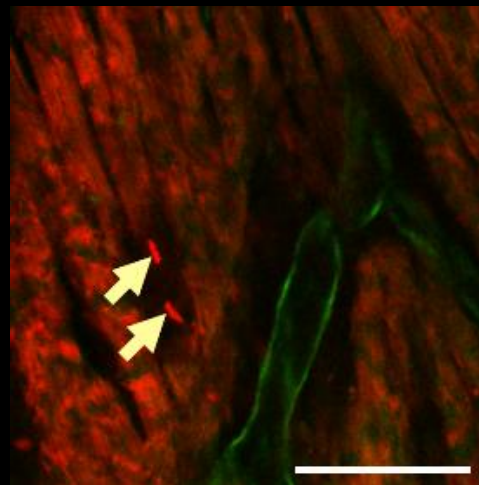
Ischaemia and reperfusion model



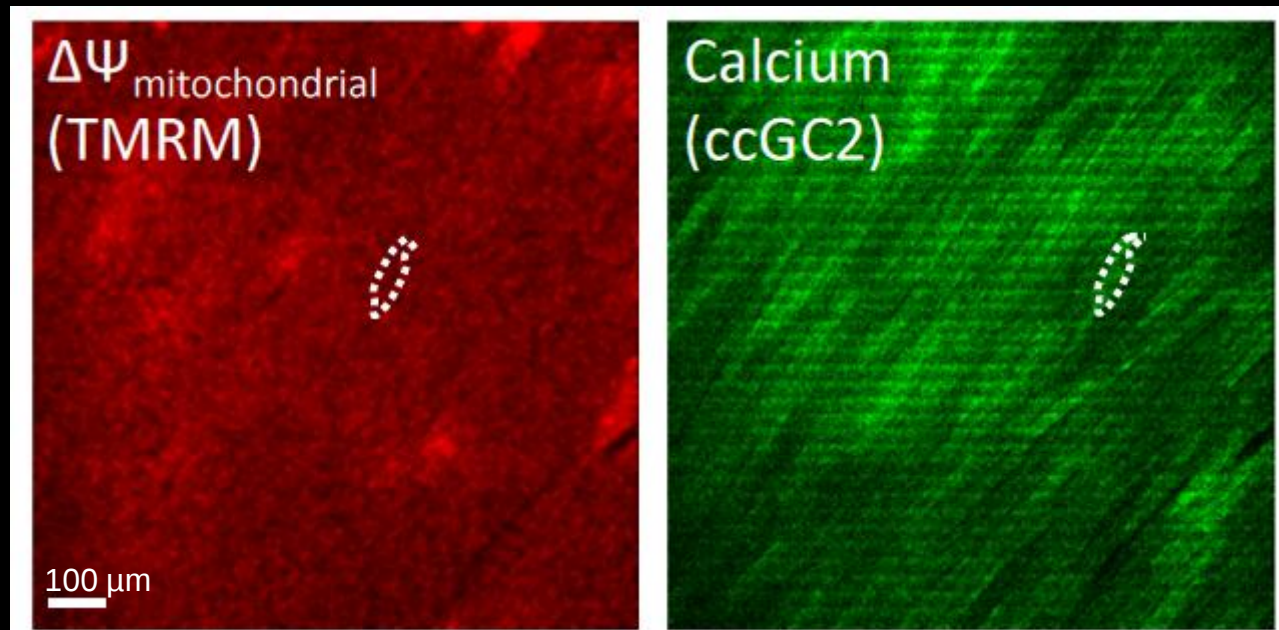
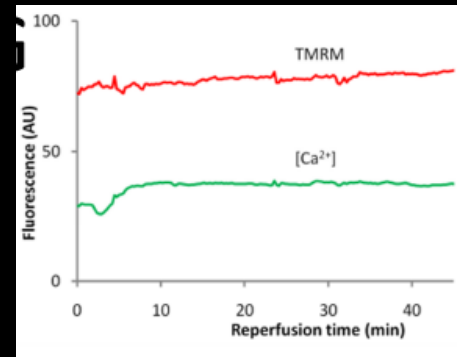
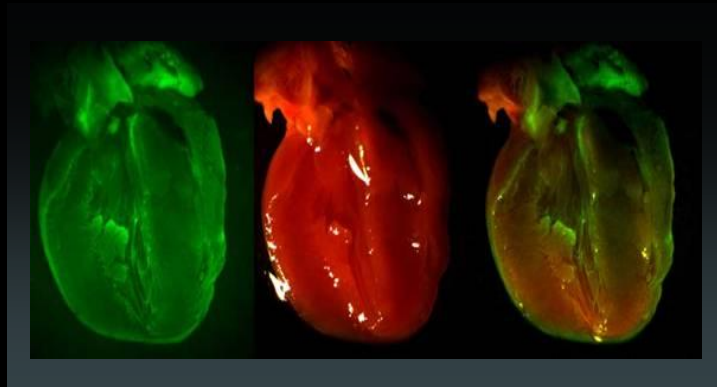
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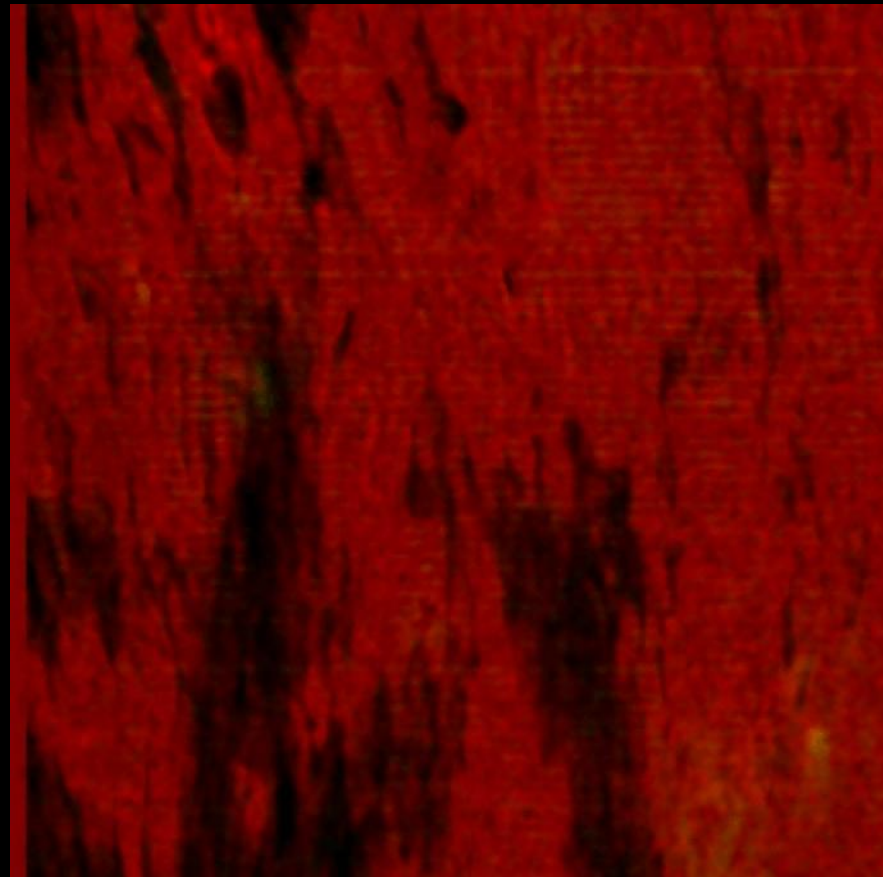
+PI



Cardiomyocyte-specific, inducible expression of GCaMP2



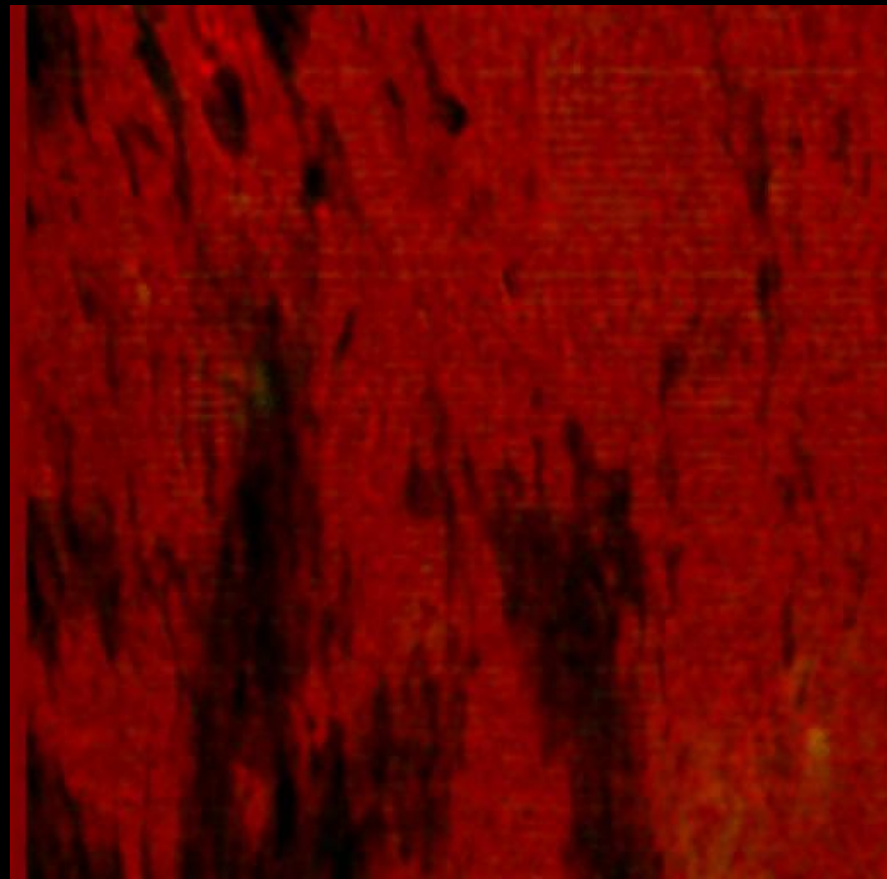
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100 μm

140 x speed

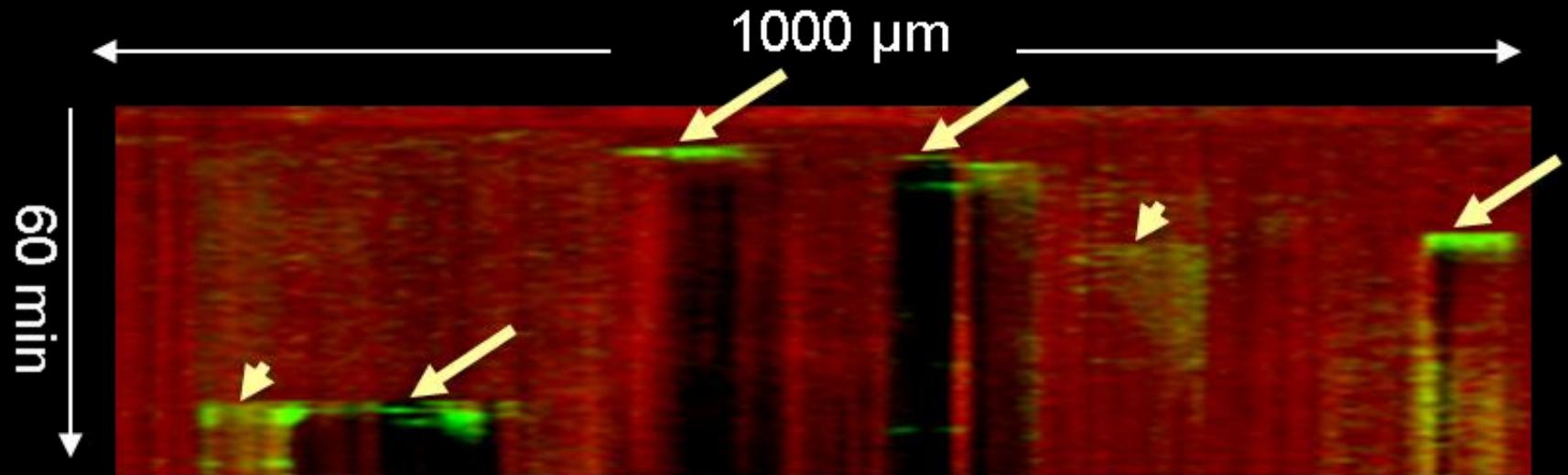
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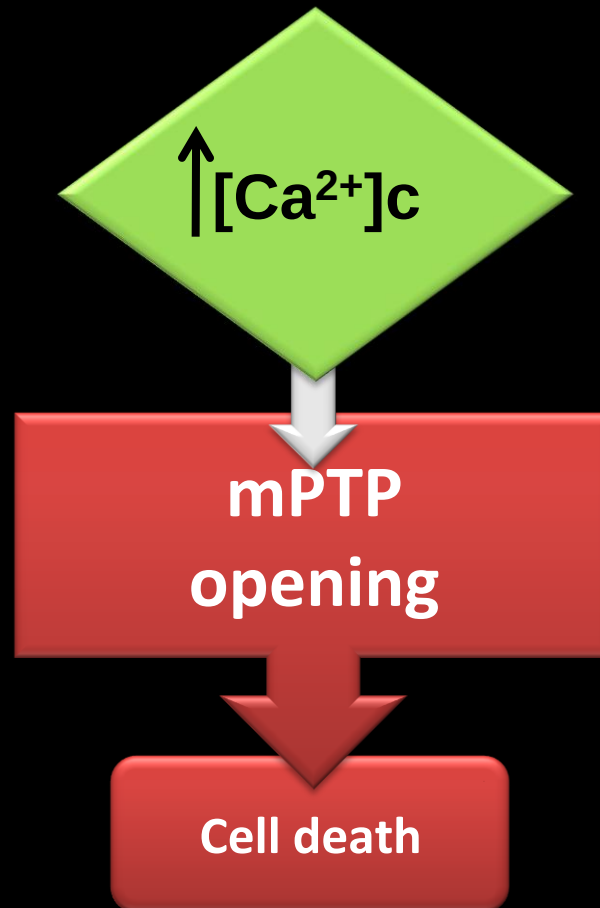


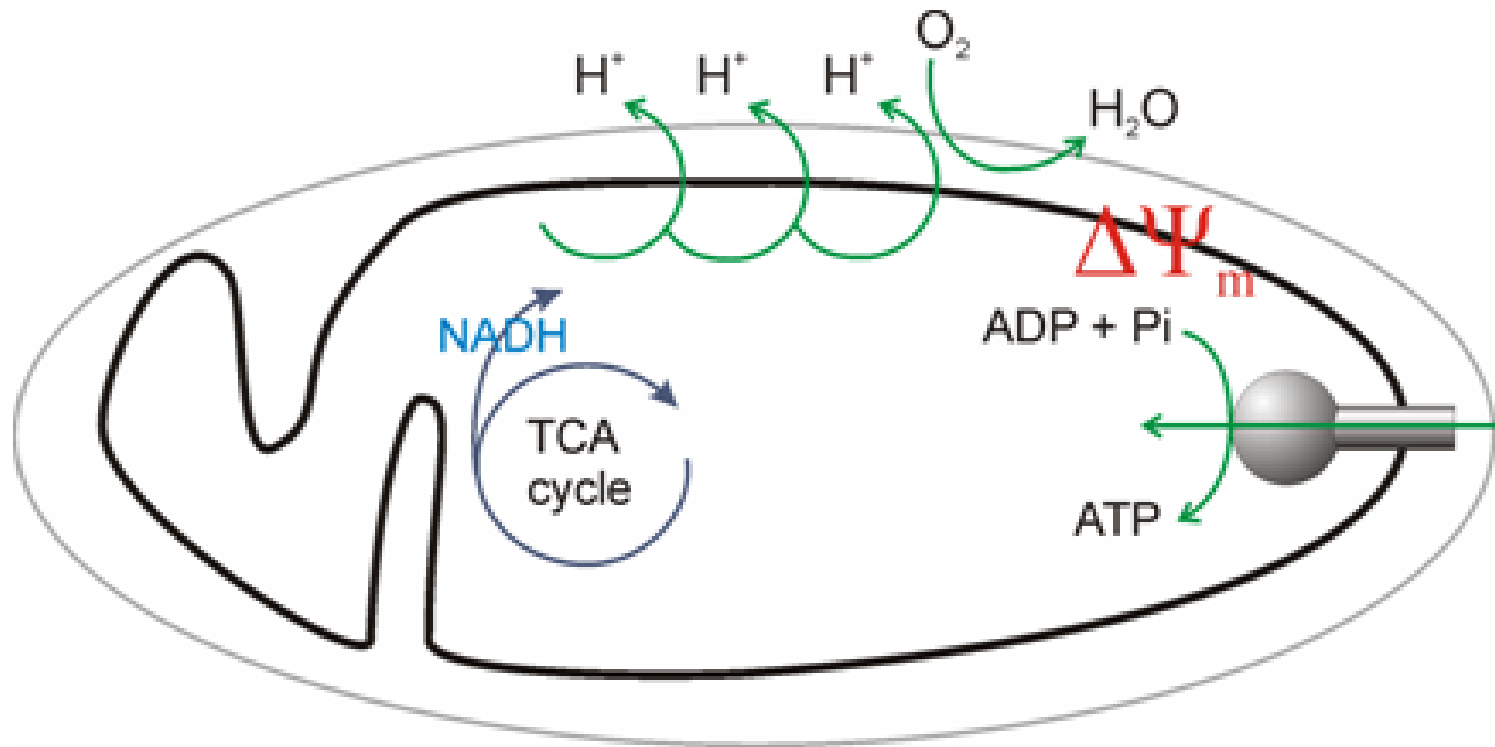
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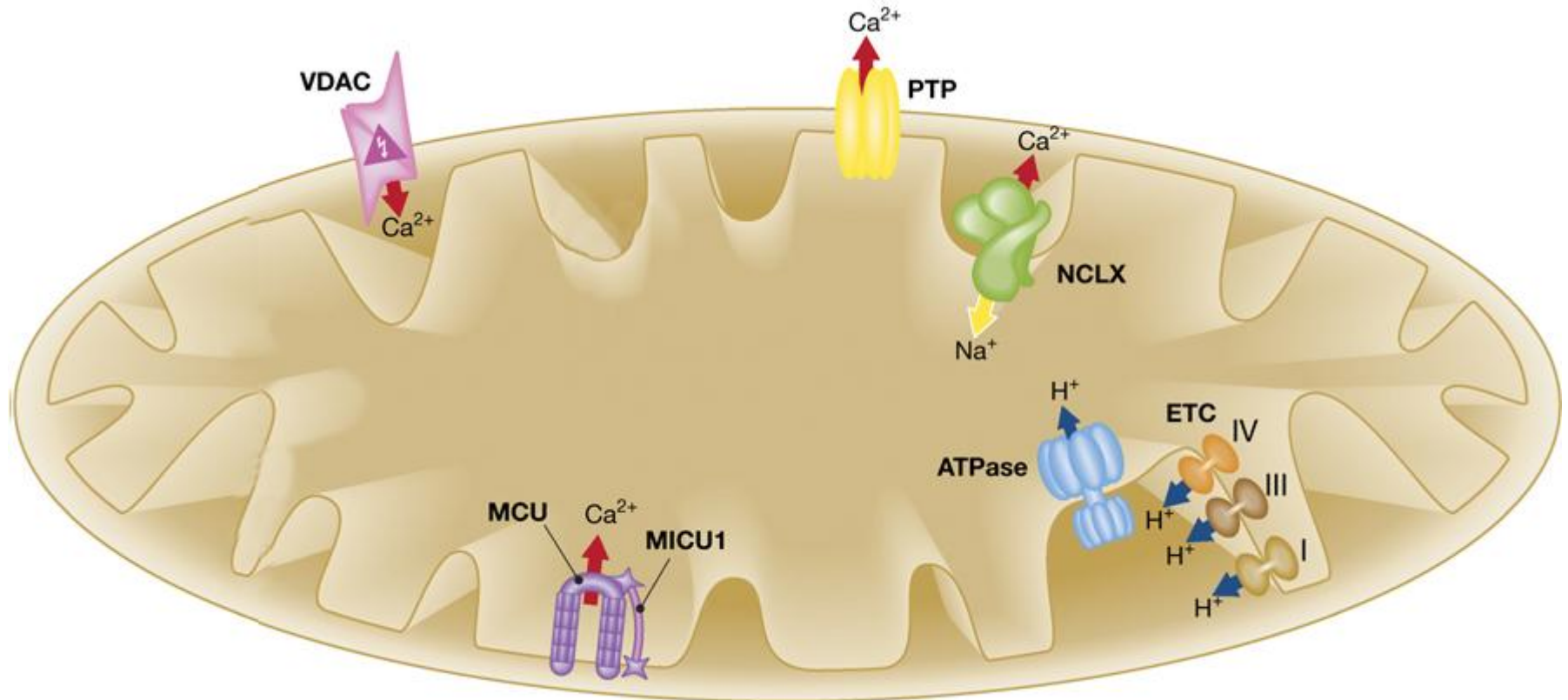
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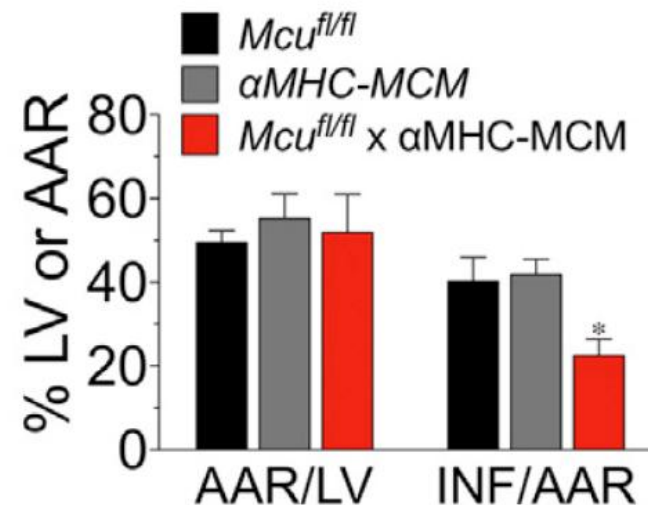
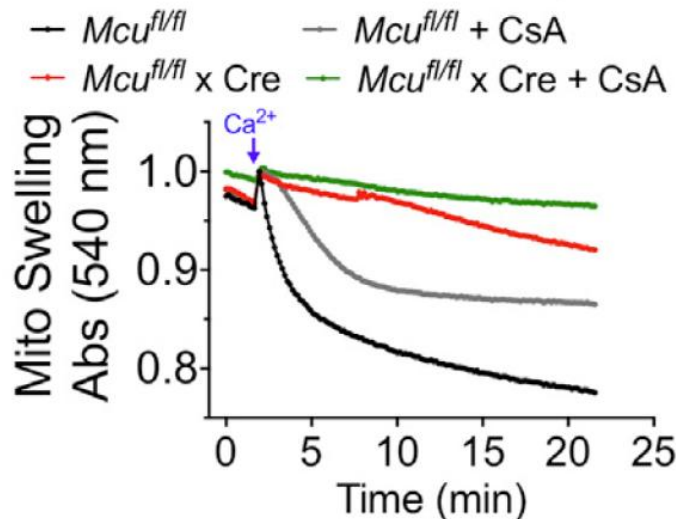
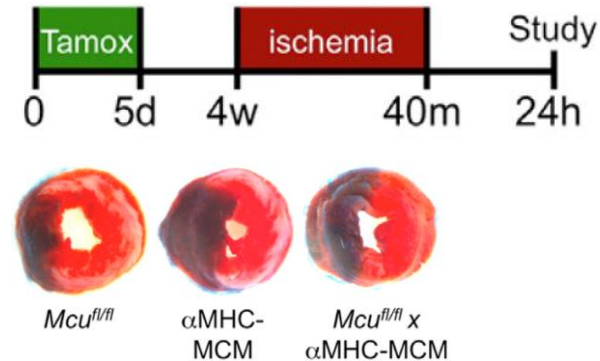
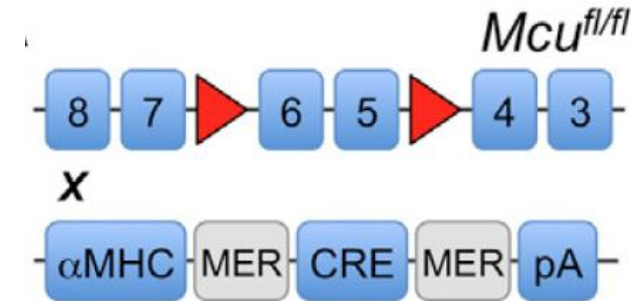




The role of mitochondrial Ca^{2+} in IR injury

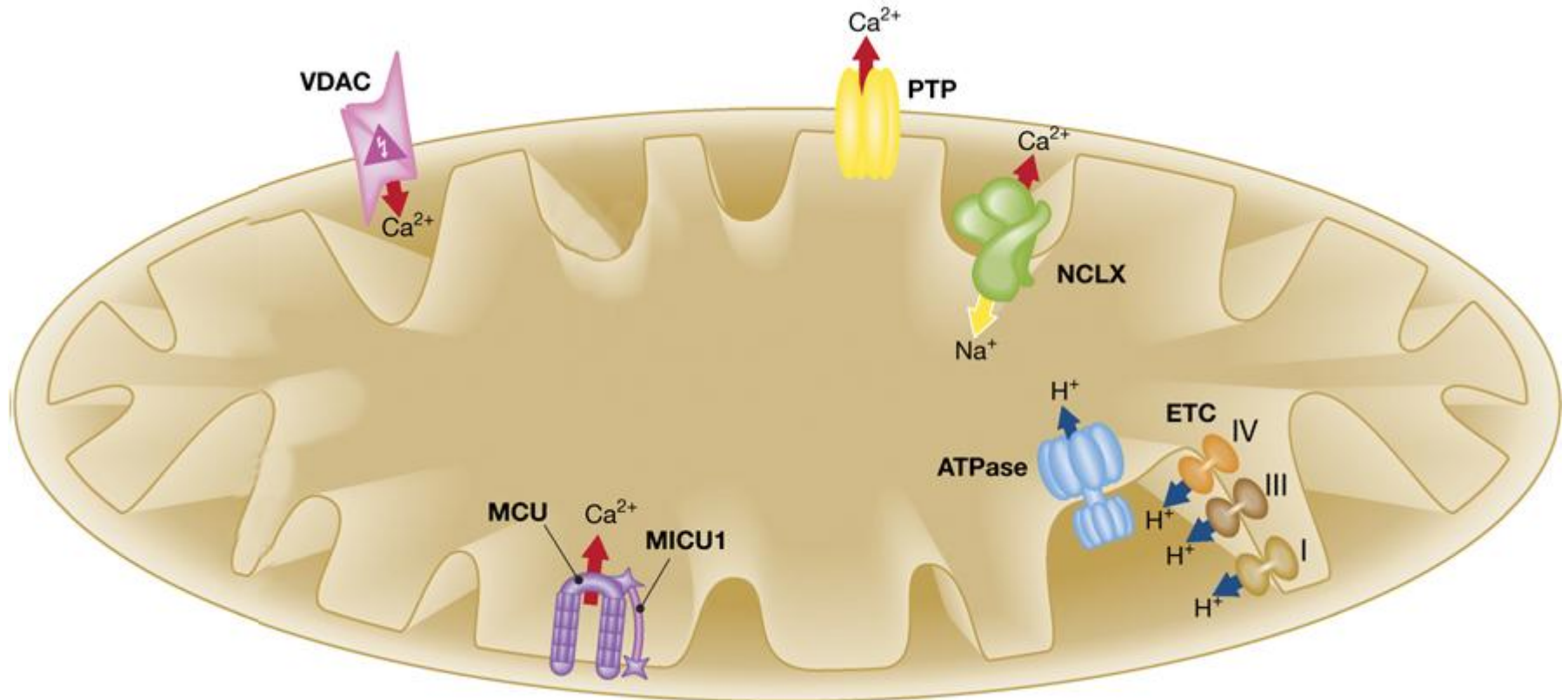


The Mitochondrial Calcium Uniporter (MCU)

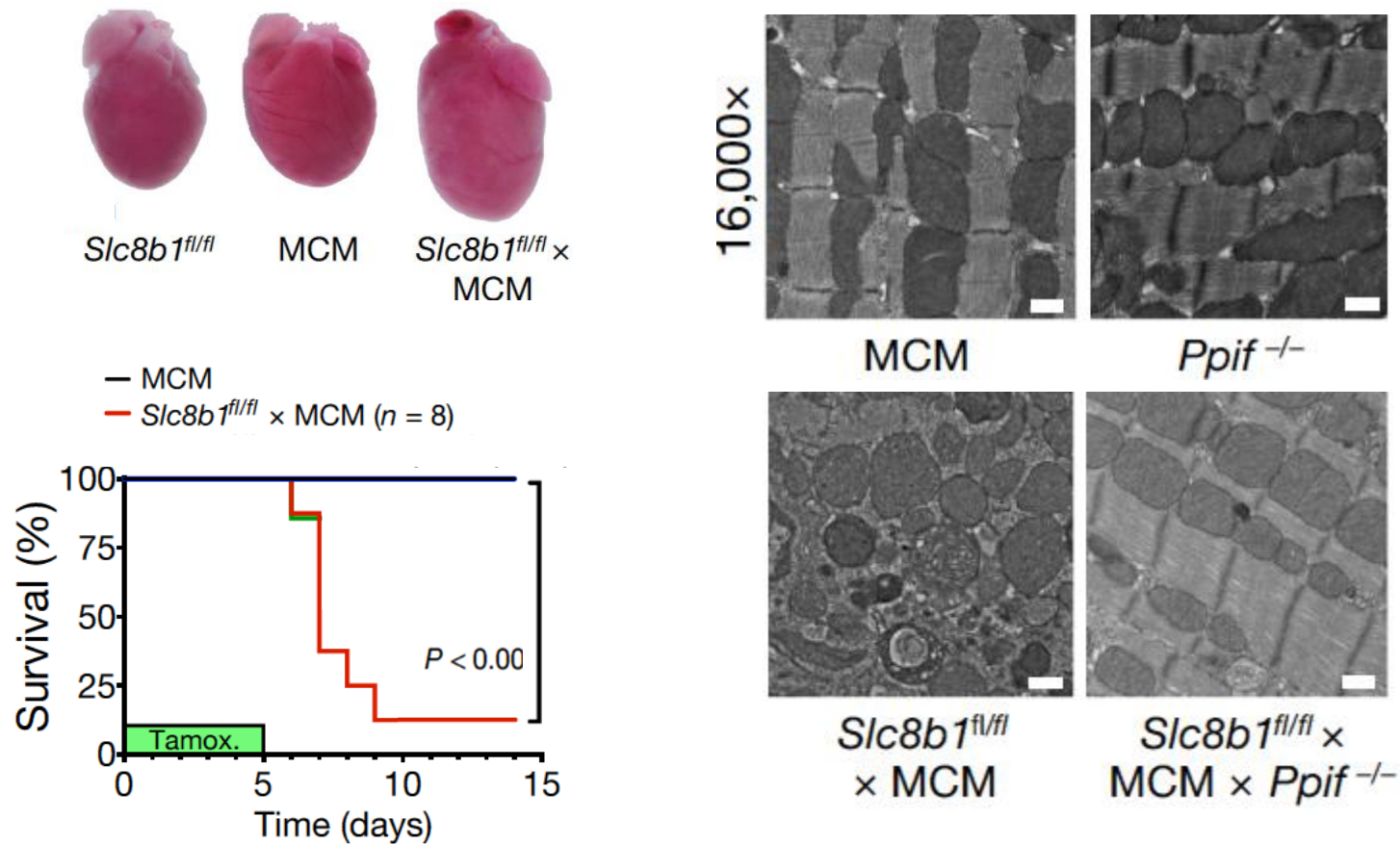


Luongo TS et al. The Mitochondrial Calcium Uniporter Matches Energetic Supply with Cardiac Workload during Stress and Modulates Permeability Transition
Cell Reports 12(2015):1-12

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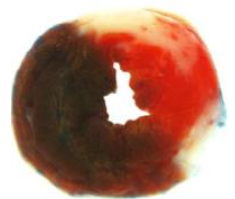
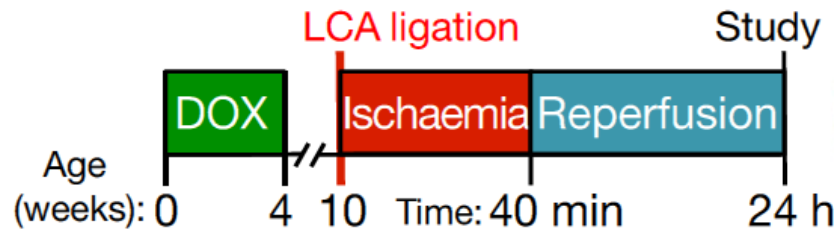


Inducible cardiac NCLX deletion



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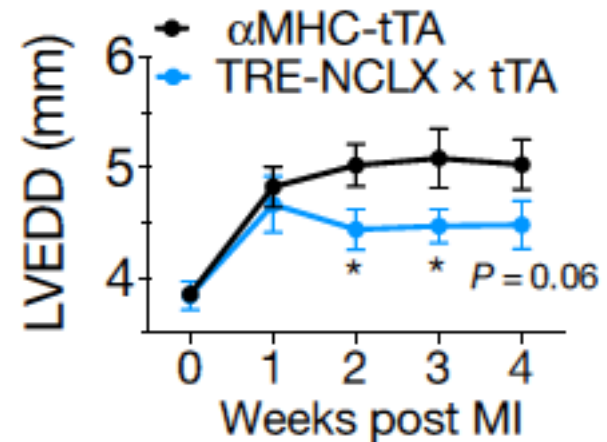
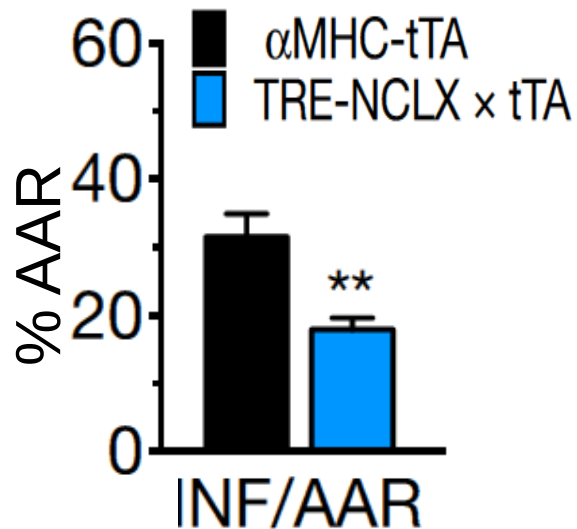
Inducible cardiac NCLX overexpression



α MHC-tTA



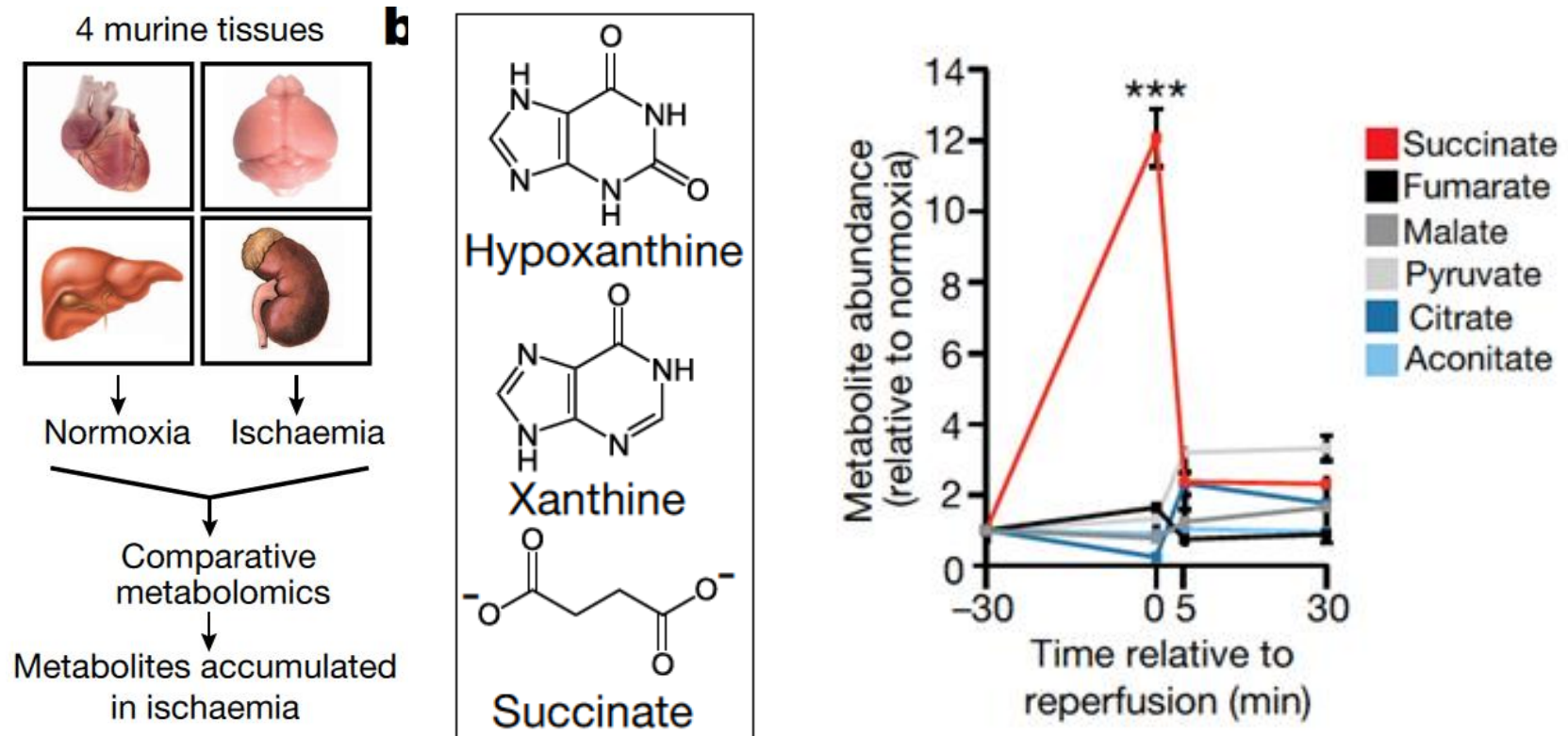
TRE-NCLX
x tTA



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What about Reactive oxygen species (ROS)?

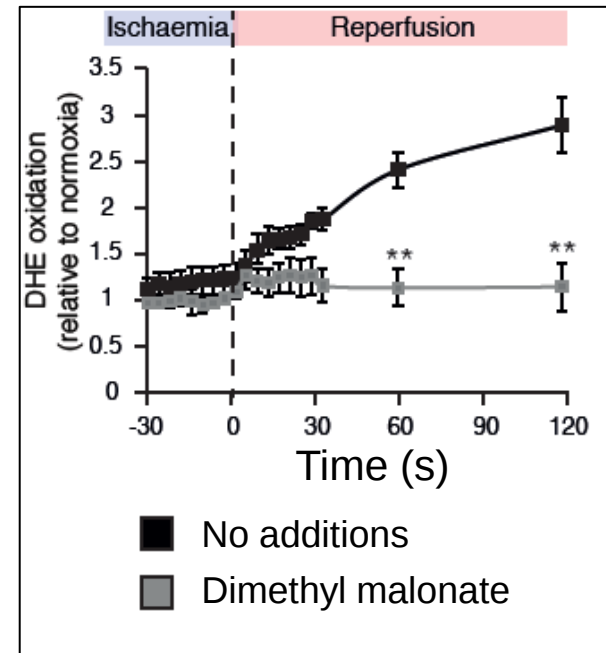
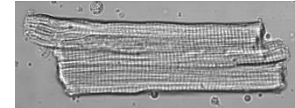
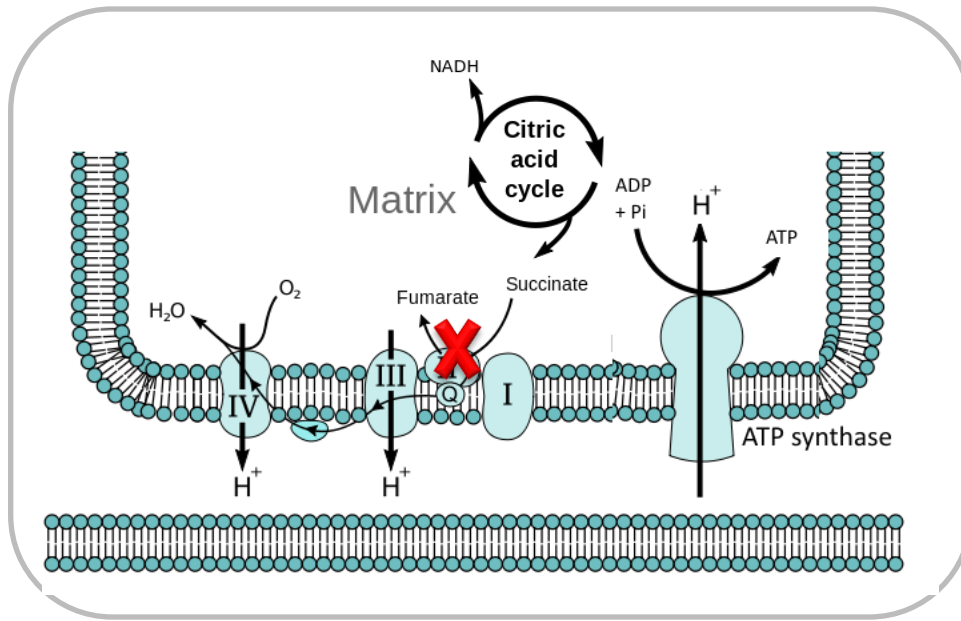
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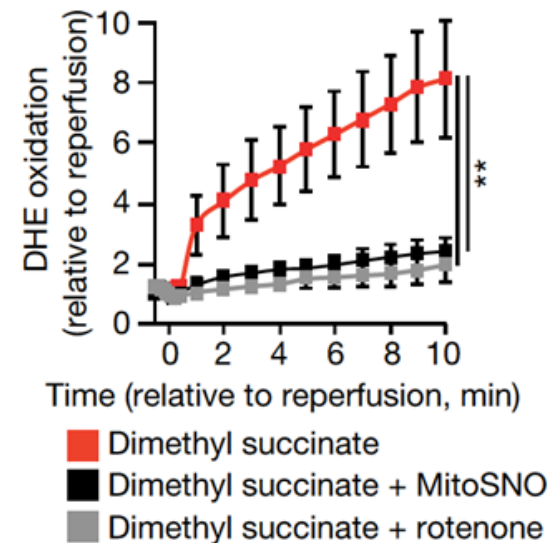
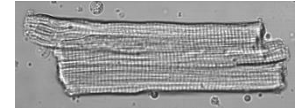
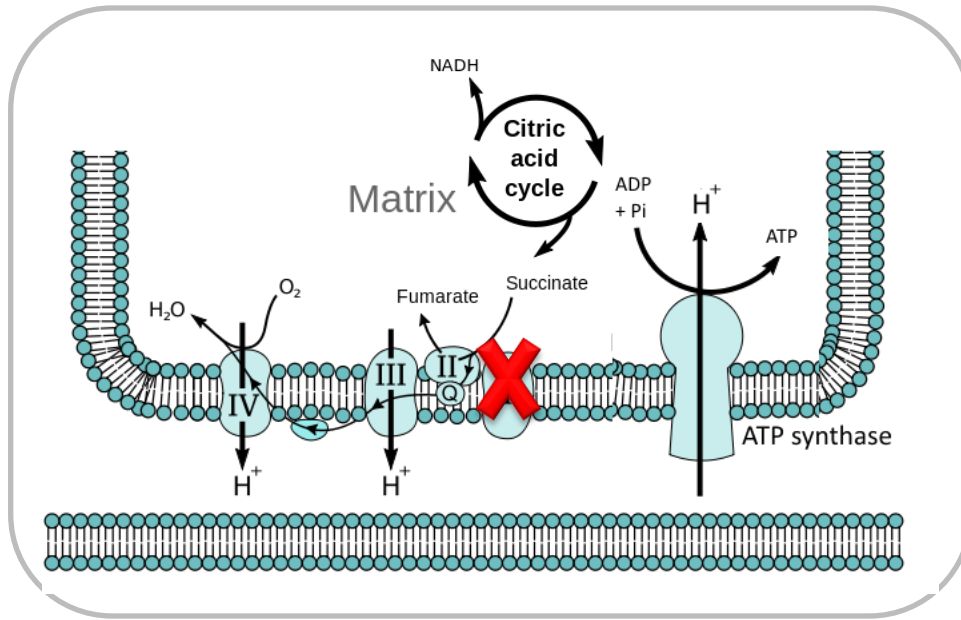
Dihydroethidium (DHE) = fluorescent detection of ROS

Dimethyl malonate = competitive inhibitor of SDH

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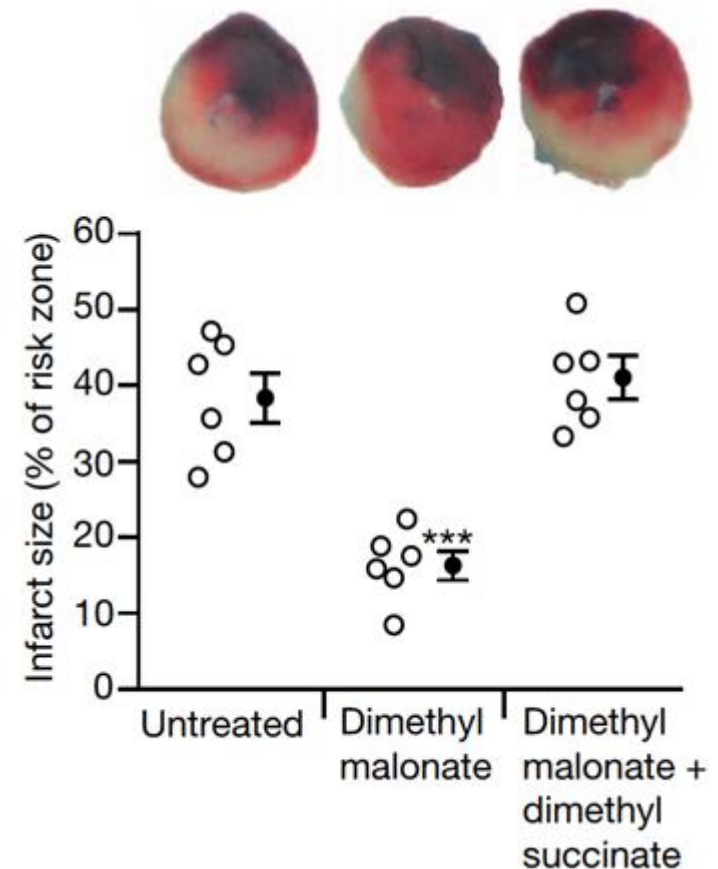
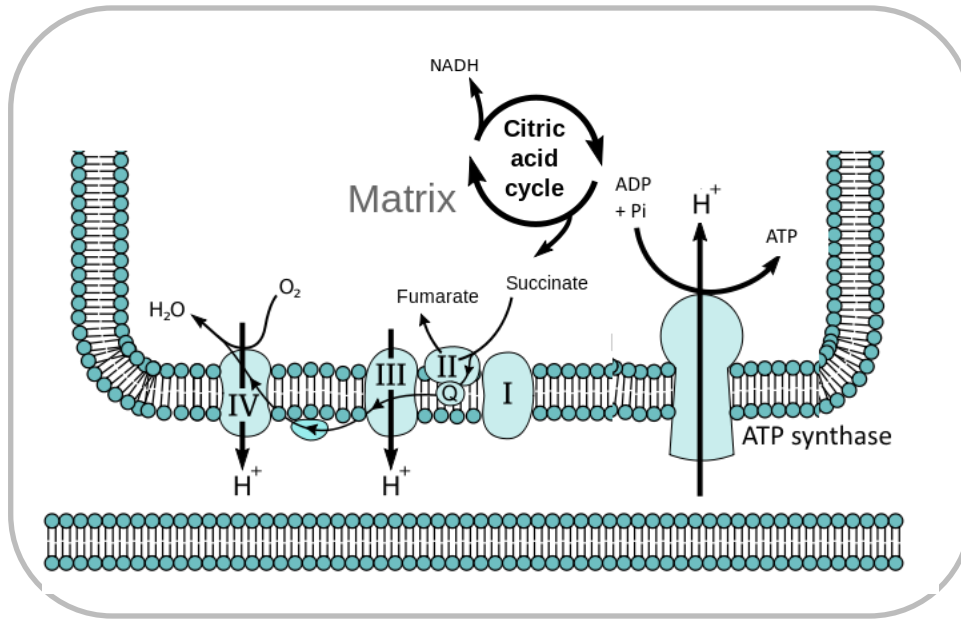
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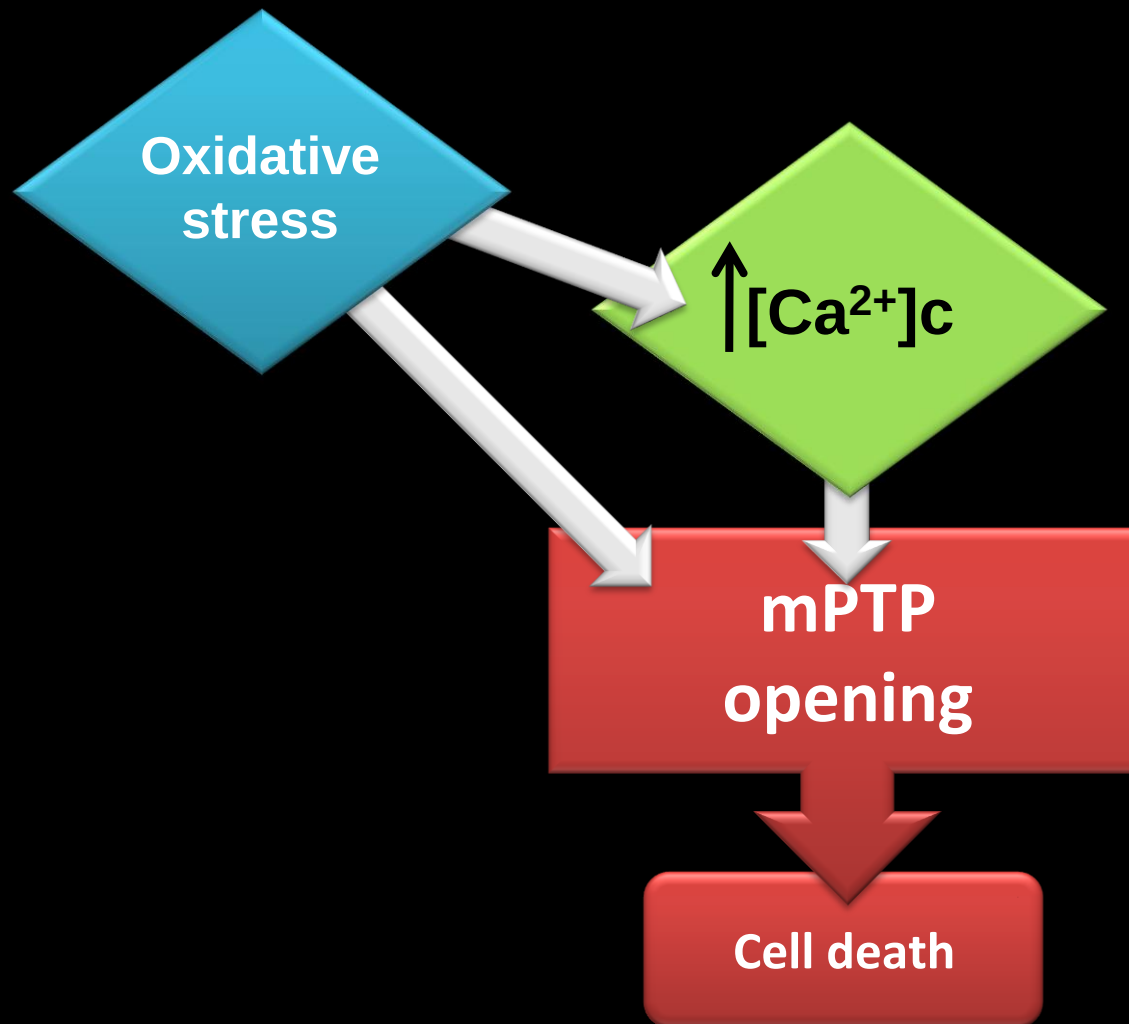
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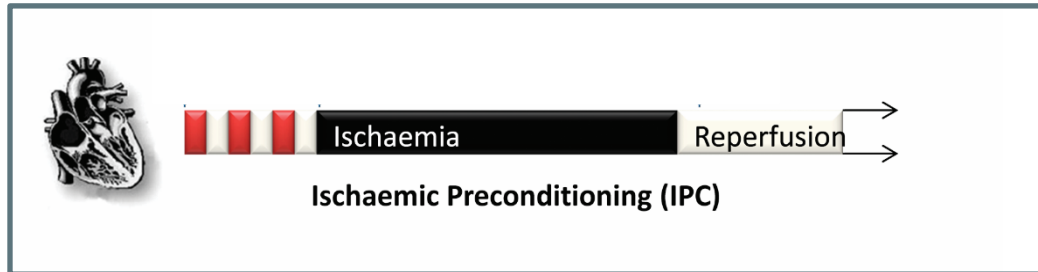


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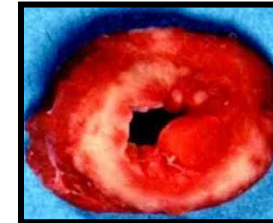
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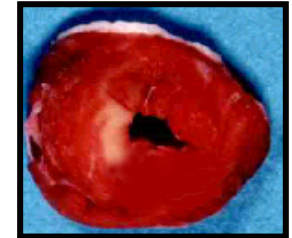
Ischaemic preconditioning (IPC)



No Conditioning



Conditioned



Control

Preconditioned

Cardioprotective pathways

Ischaemic preconditioning (IPC)

Insulin

Bradykinin

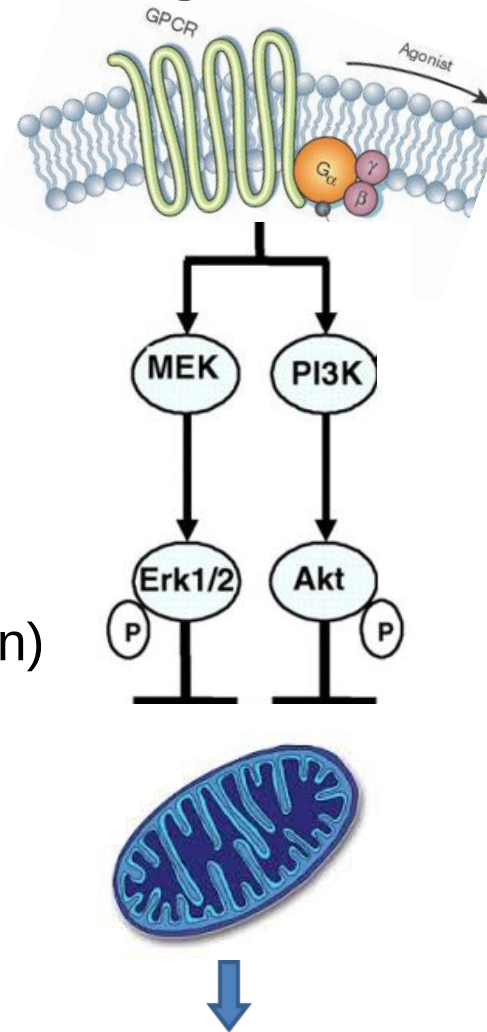
Gliptins

Stromal derived factor (SDF-1 α)

Adipocytokines (leptin, adiponectin)

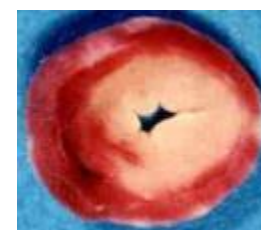
Erythropoietin

Urocortin



Reperfusion
Injury
Salvage
Kinase
pathway

Control



Treated



**Reduced
Infarct size**

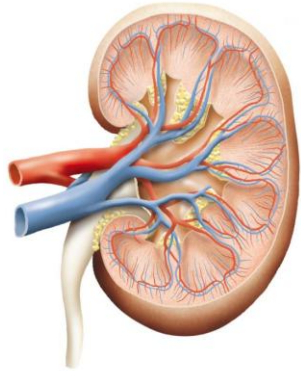
BUT Ischaemic conditioning is:

- invasive
- impractical
- potentially dangerous – (thrombo-embolic risk)

Is there a non-invasive way to “condition” the animal & human heart?

Brief ischaemia-reperfusion in a distal organ or tissue can render the heart resistant to a myocardial infarction.

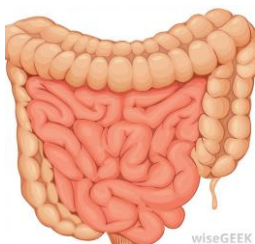
Pell et al, Am J Physiol, 1998



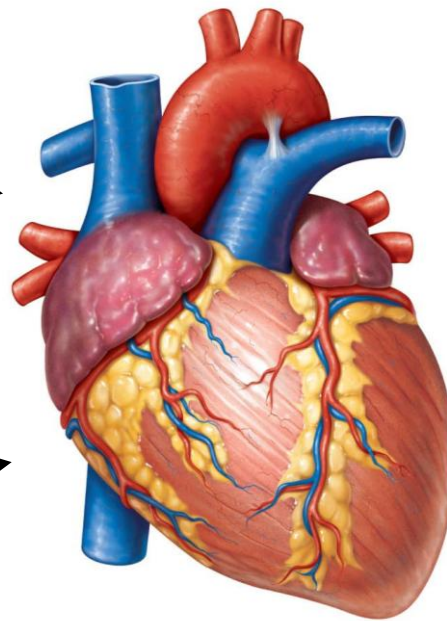
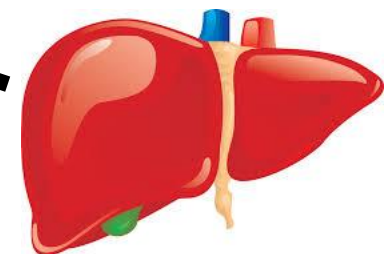
Kharbanda et al, Circ 2002



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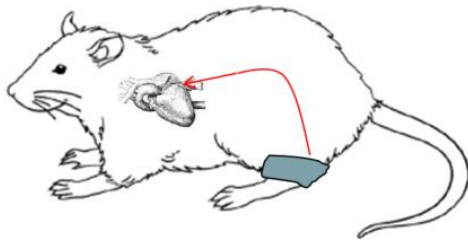


Gustafsson et al, Circ, 2006

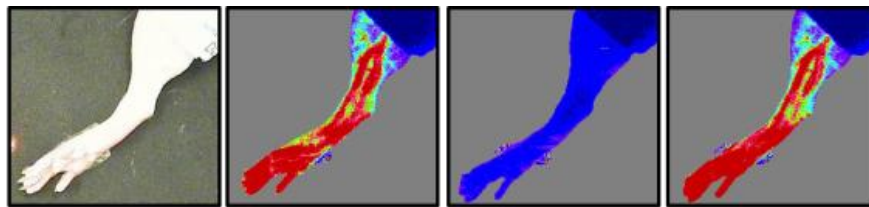


Remote Conditioning

Remote Ischaemic Conditioning protects the rat heart from IR injury



Doppler blood flow of hind limb

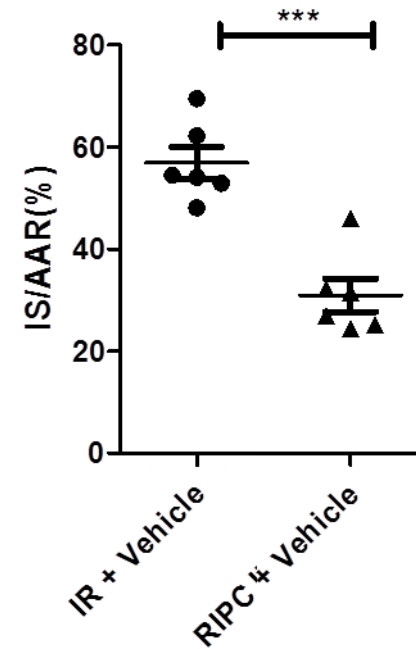


A. Subject

B. Baseline

C. Ischaemia

D. Reperfusion



Further reading

Novel targets and future strategies for acute cardioprotection: Position Paper of the European Society of Cardiology Working Group on Cellular Biology of the Heart.

Hausenloy DJ, et al. Cardiovasc Res. 2017 May 1;113(6):564-585. doi: 10.1093/cvr/cvx049

Ischaemic conditioning and targeting reperfusion injury: a 30 year voyage of discovery.

Hausenloy DJ, et al Basic Res Cardiol. 2016 Nov;111(6):70

9th Hatter Biannual Meeting: position document on ischaemia/reperfusion injury, conditioning and the ten commandments of cardioprotection.

Bell RM et al, Basic Res Cardiol. 2016 Jul;111(4):41

Inhibition of SDF-1 α binding prevents RIC

