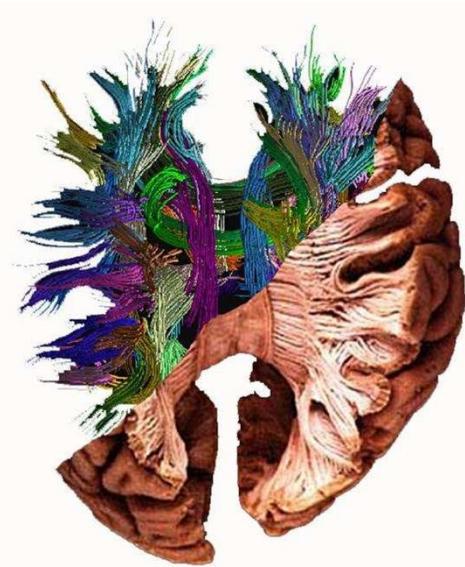
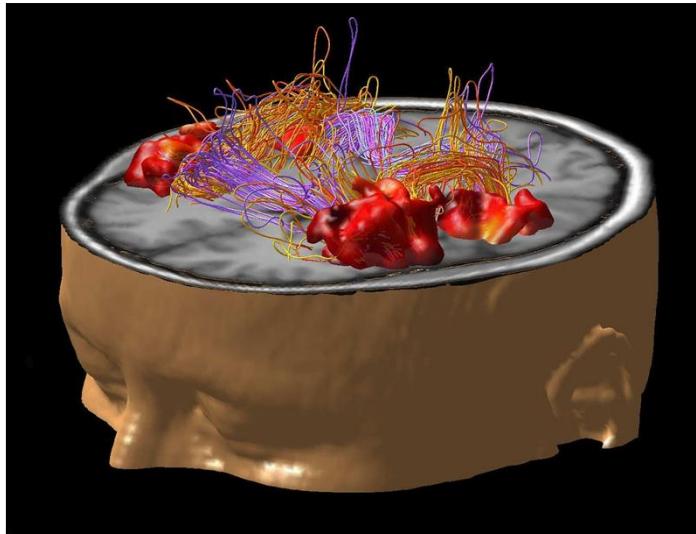


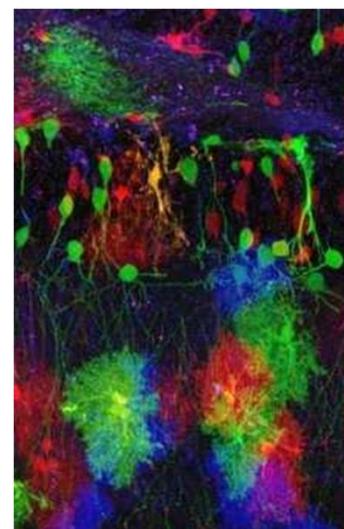
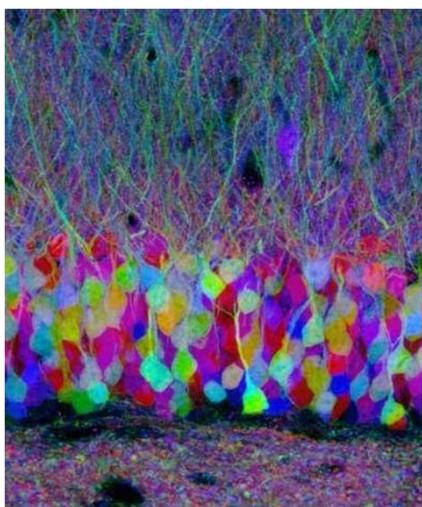
# *Vieillissement du cerveau et cellules souches neurales*

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# Complexité du système nerveux



180 000 km  
de fibres  
myélinisées

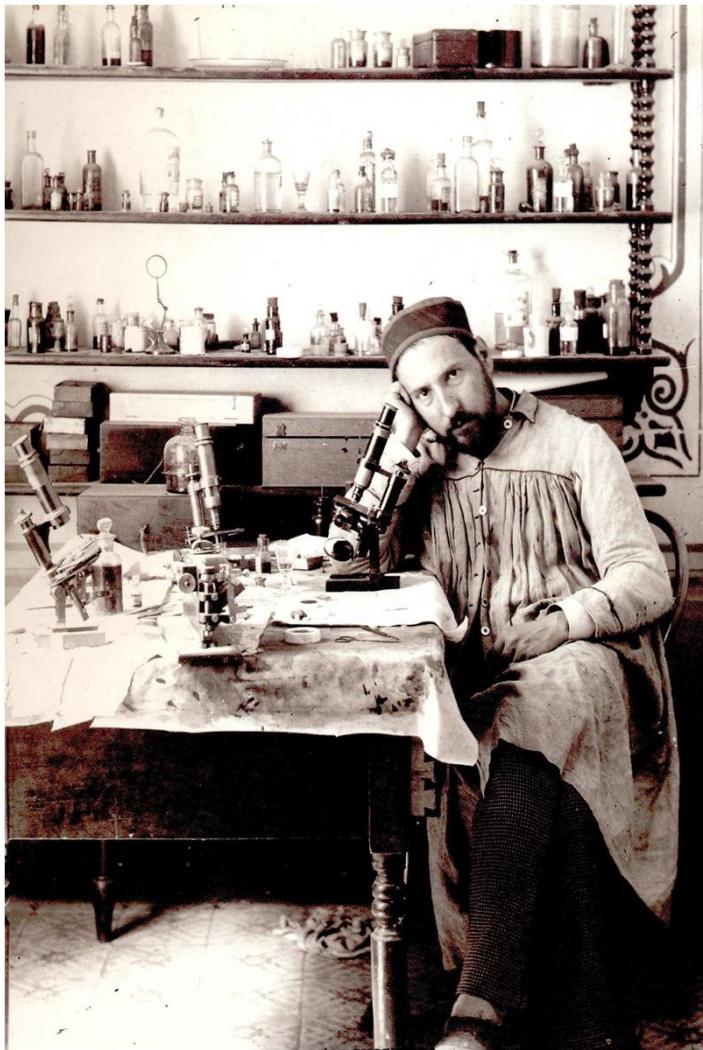


$10^{11}$  neurones  
 $10^{12}$  cellules gliales

10000 types de neurones

## Une nouvelle Complexité:

les cellules souches et progénitrices  
adultes



We are born with a certain number of brain cells which decrease with age.  
Everything must die in the brain or spinal cord -  
**nothing can regenerate.**

Ramon y Cajal 1902

# La datation au $^{14}\text{C}$ des neurones montre que le stock de neurones n'est pas renouvelé au cours de l'existence

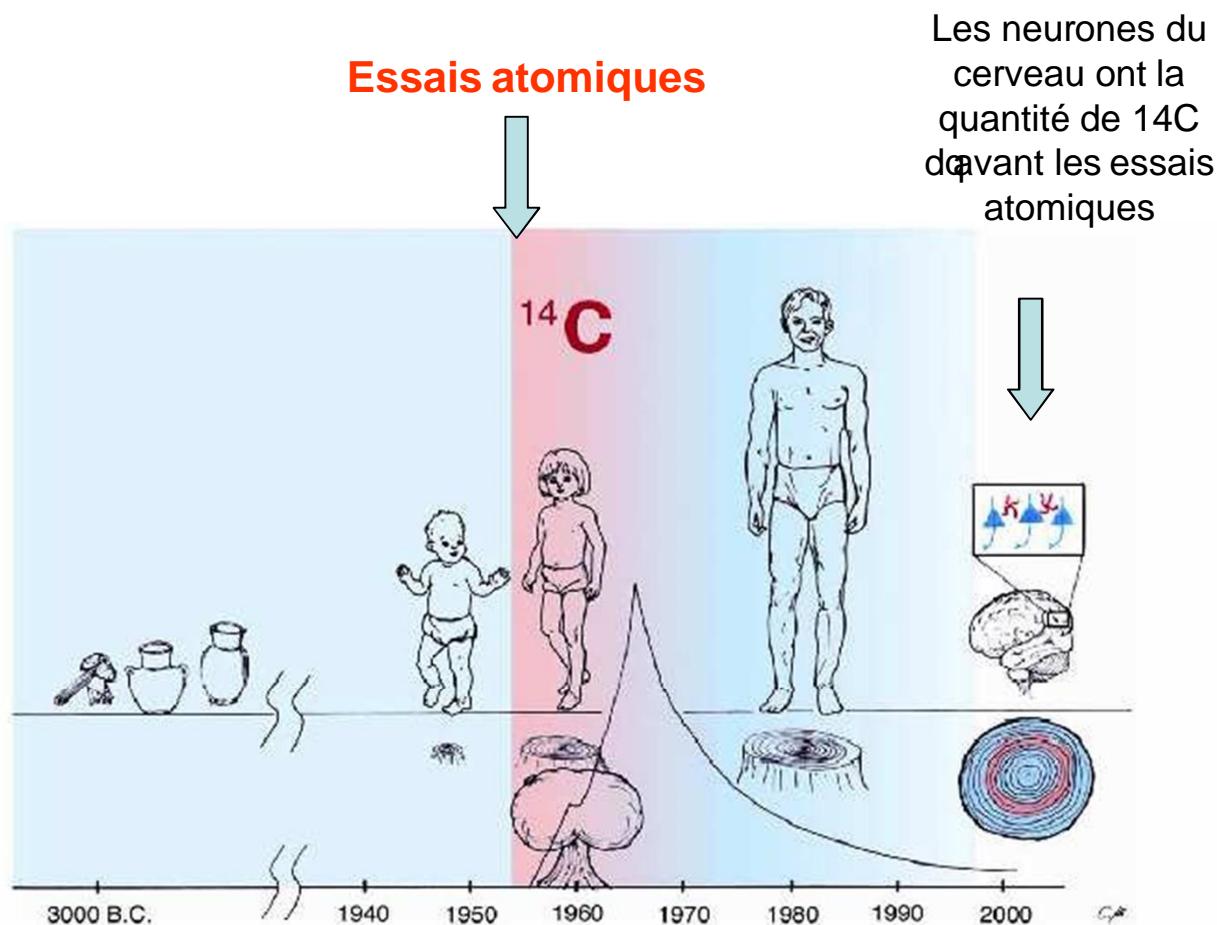
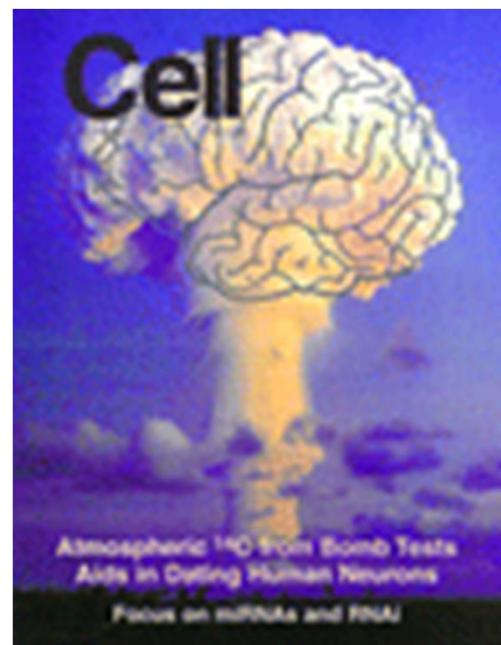


Figure 1. Retrospective Birth Dating of Human Neurons

The amount of  $^{14}\text{C}$  in neurons of the human cerebral cortex (blue) corresponds to the amount of  $^{14}\text{C}$  found in the atmosphere at the time of birth of the individual. This shows that there is minimal turnover of neurons during postnatal and adult life. Nonneuronal cells are younger, as shown by higher levels of  $^{14}\text{C}$  (red). The amount of  $^{14}\text{C}$  in the atmosphere corresponds to the amount found deposited in the rings of pine trees in Sweden, the geographic area studied (Spalding et al., 2005). Illustration by Claudio Mare, Somerville, Massachusetts.

# Les exceptions à la règle

Une nouvelle Complexité:

les cellules souches et progénitrices  
adultes

## Historical overview on adult neurogenesis in Vertebrates

EARLIER DATA			SONGBIRD	EX VIVO MAMMALS	IN VIVO EVIDENCE OF FUNCTIONAL NEUROGENESIS					
1962	1965	1975	1980	1992	1992	1993	1996	1998	1999-	2002
Altman and Das	Altman and Das	Kaplan and Hinds	Nottebohm	Weiss Bartlett	Van der Kooy, Buylla	Eriksson, Gage	Frisen Alvarez-Buylla	Gage	Van der Kooy Bartlett	
Are new neurons formed in the rat brain? Evidence of postnatal neurogenesis in hippocampal and olfactory neurogenesis in rats.	New neurons in the songbird brain.	Neurogenesis in the olfactory bulbs and dentate gyrus in adult rat.	Bona fide NSC isolated from adult brain and SVZ.	SVZ cells die or self-renew. SVZ cells are multipotent in mouse.	New neurons in adult human hippocampus.	The adult neural stem cell: is an ependymal or subependymal cell?	Newly generated cells are functional neurons.			

## Are New Neurons Formed in the Brains of Adult Mammals?

Science, 1962

JOSEPH ALTMAN  
*Psychophysiological Laboratory,  
Massachusetts Institute of Technology,  
Cambridge 39, Massachusetts*

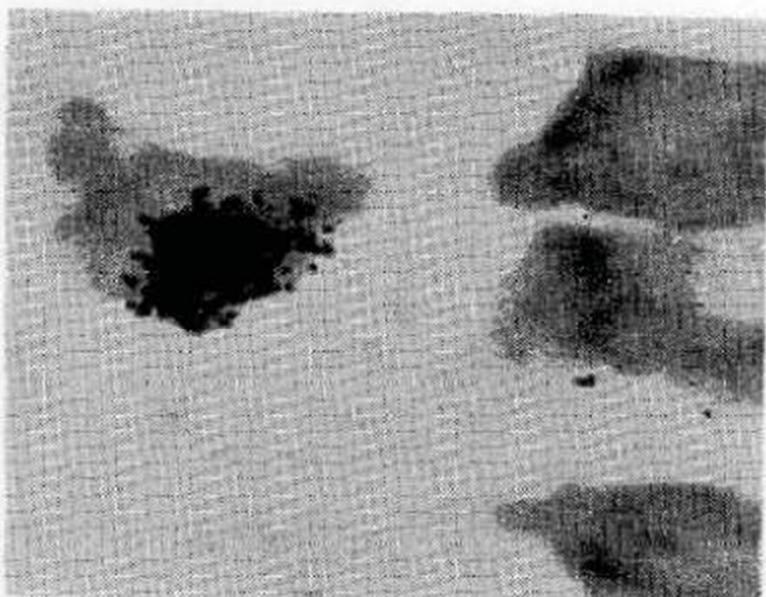


Fig. 2. Radioactive labeling of a neuron in the cerebral cortex of a rat which was sacrificed 1 month after the operation (about  $\times 1170$ ).

"We postulated that this hierarchic construction process endows the brain with stability and rigidity as well as plasticity and flexibility"

## Autoradiographic and Histological Evidence of Postnatal Hippocampal Neurogenesis in Rats<sup>1</sup>

J. Comp Neurol, 1965

JOSEPH ALTMAN AND GOPAL D. DAS  
*Psychophysiological Laboratory, Massachusetts Institute of Technology,  
Cambridge, Massachusetts*

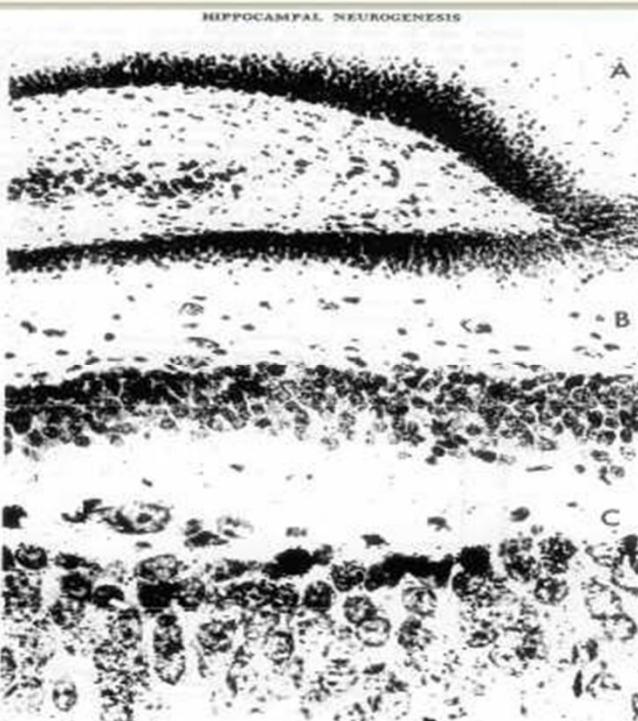
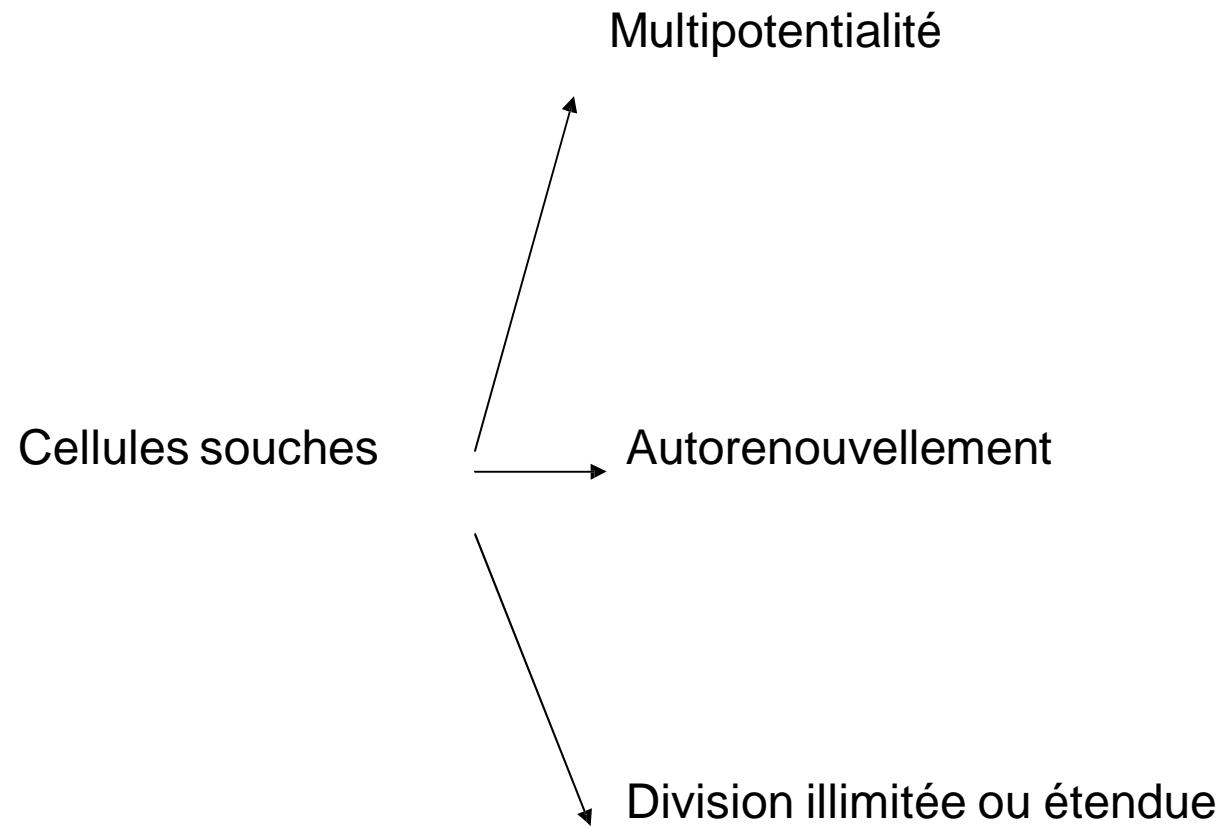


Fig. 1. Low and high power microphotographs of autoradiograms from the area of the dentate gyrus of the hippocampus in a rat injected with thymidine- $^{3}\text{H}$  at the age of ten days and killed two months after the injection. Note labeling of granule cells, predominantly in the internal border (inner surface) of the granular layer. A, 100 $\times$ ; B, 256 $\times$ ; C, 640 $\times$ .

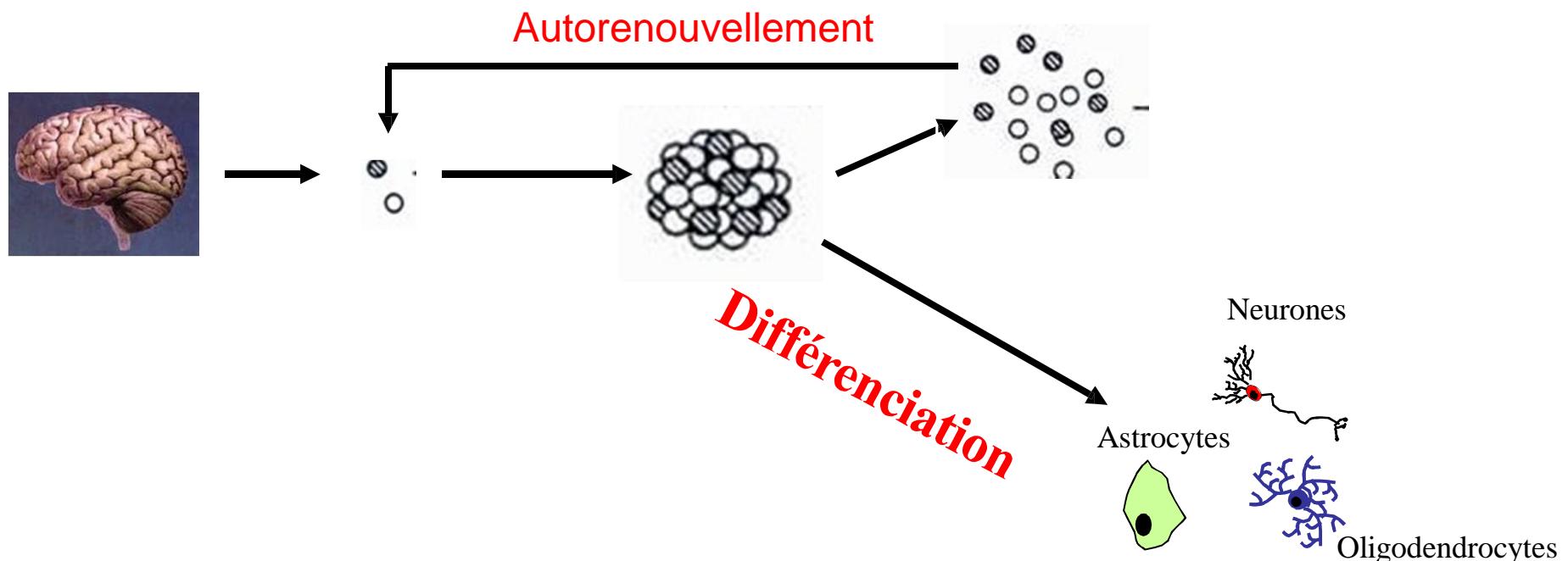
# Propriétés des cellules souches



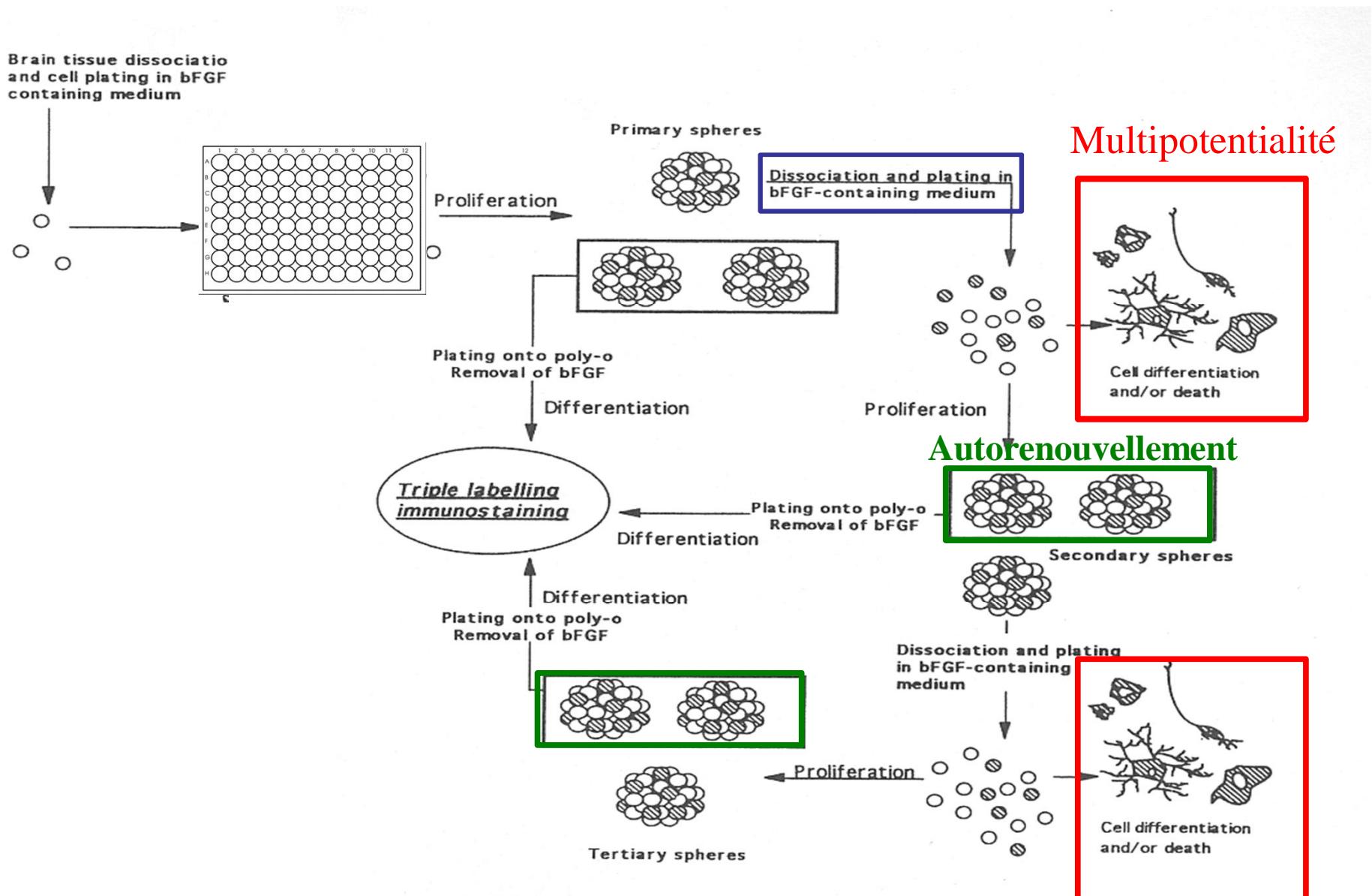
# Mise en évidence de cellules souches in vitro

1992: détection d'une cellule souche neurale adulte chez la souris

1999: détection in vitro d'une cellule souche neurale adulte chez l'humain (âge 15-87 ans)

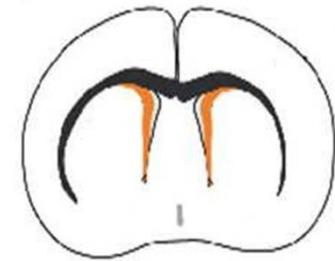


# Mise en évidence: Les neurosphères



# localisation des cellules souches et progénitrices neurales

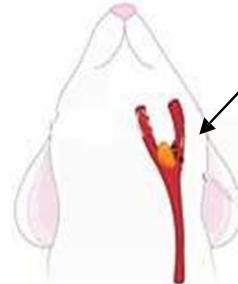
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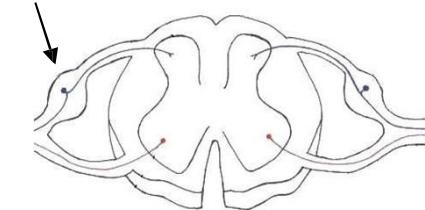
Zone sous ventriculaire



Hippocampe



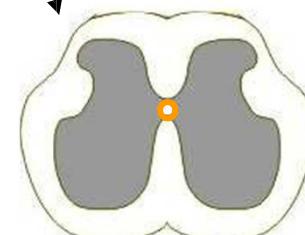
Corps carotidien



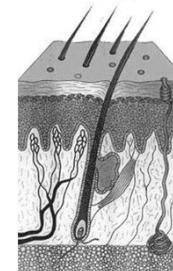
Ganglions rachidiens



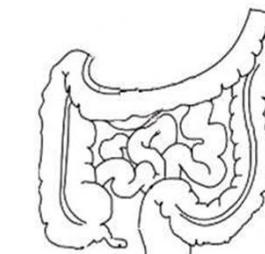
Région du corps calleux  
(progéniteurs)



Canal central  
de la moelle épinière

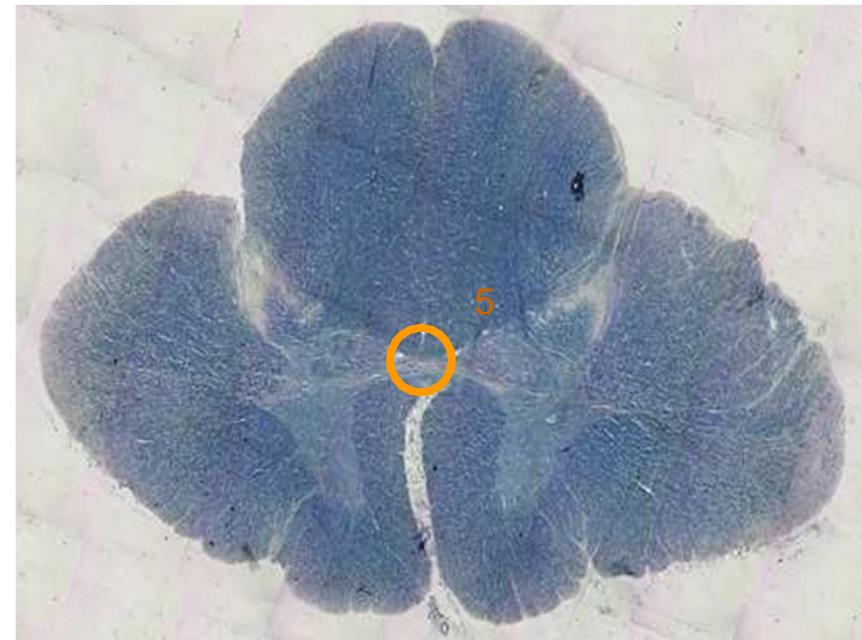
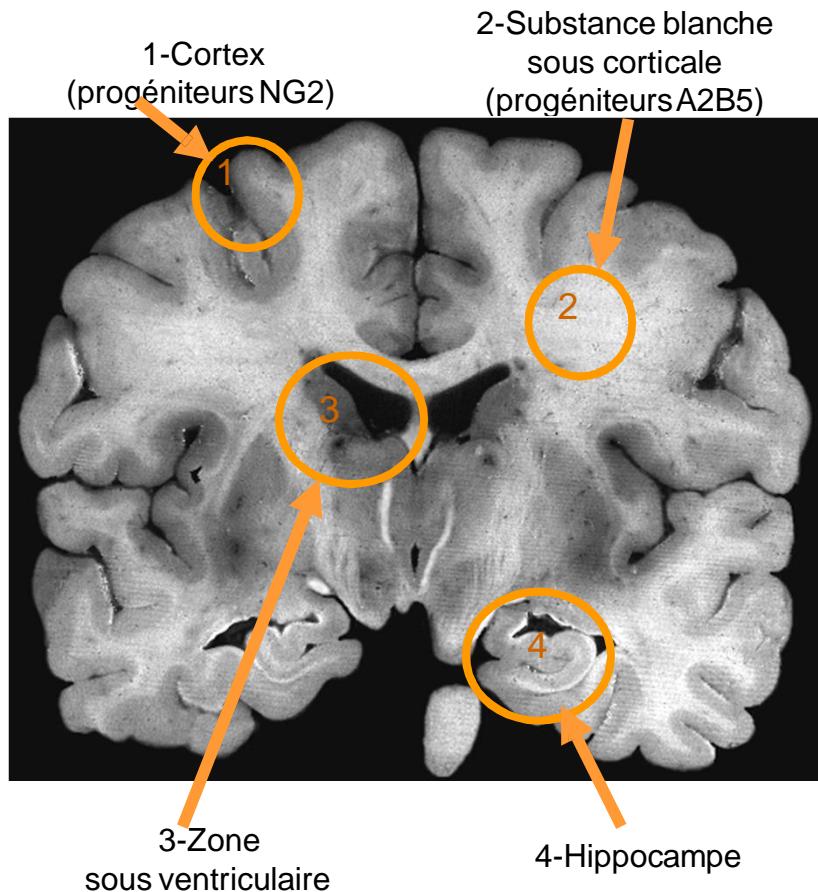


Peau



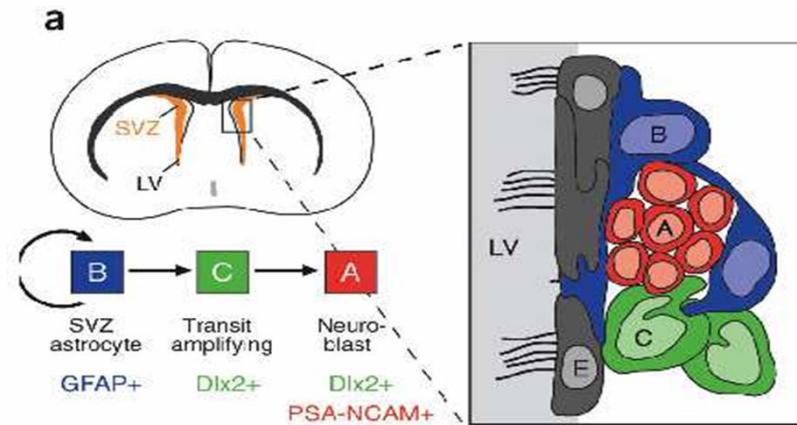
Système nerveux entérique  
(intestins)

# Homme

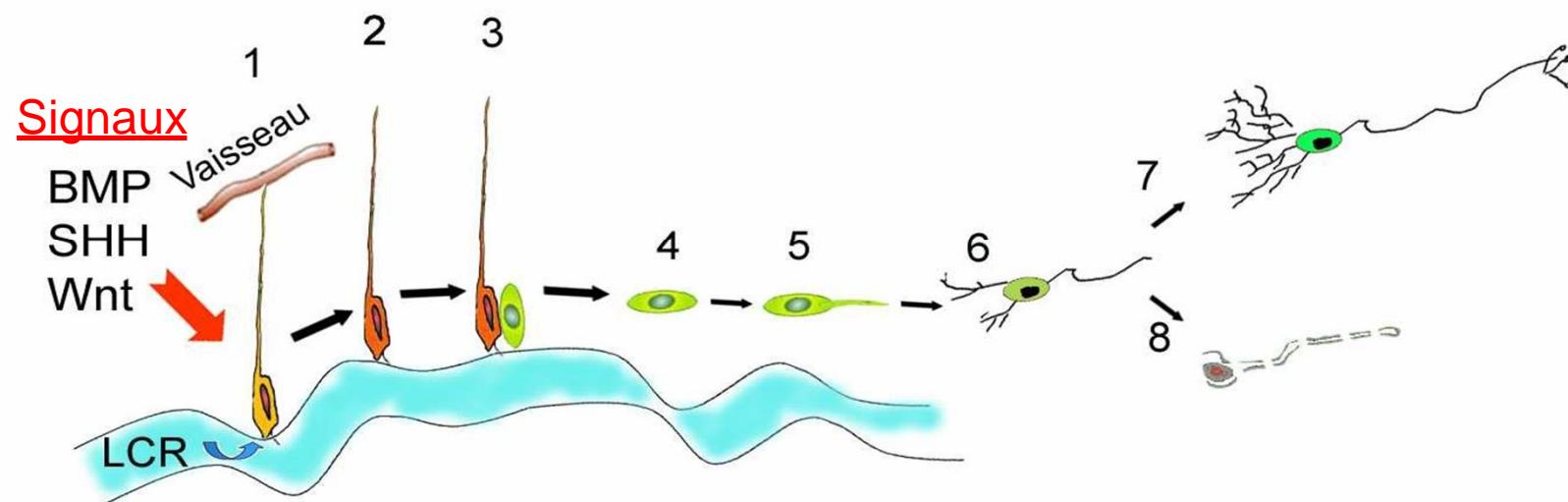
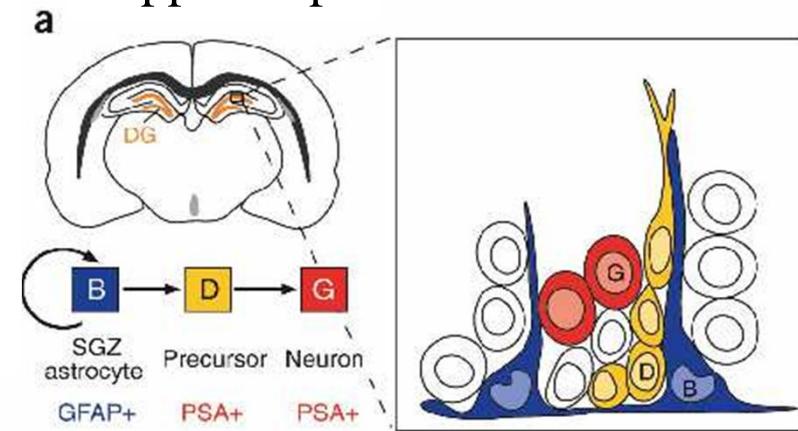


# Des cellules souches neurales dans des niches

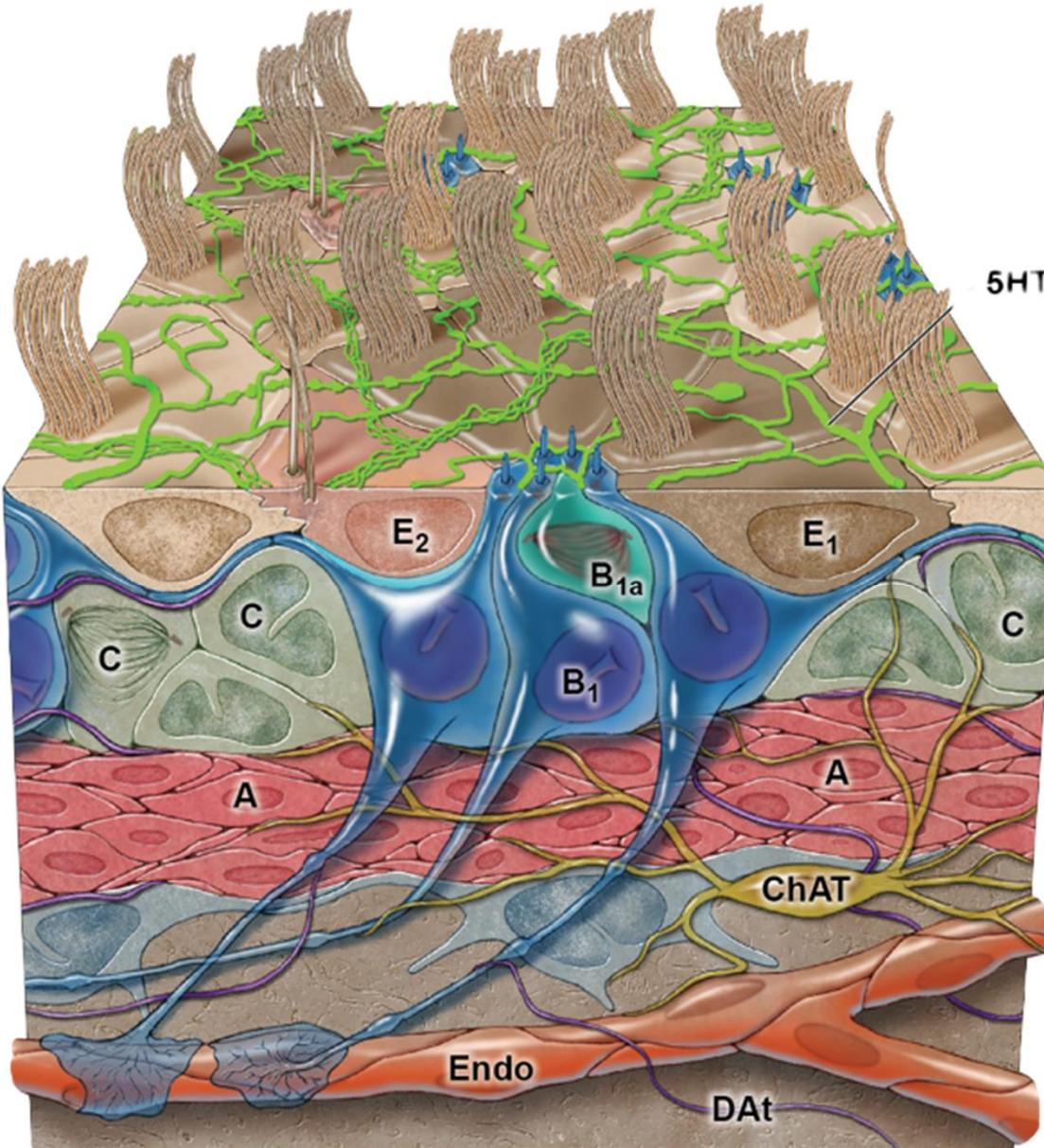
## Zone sous ventriculaire



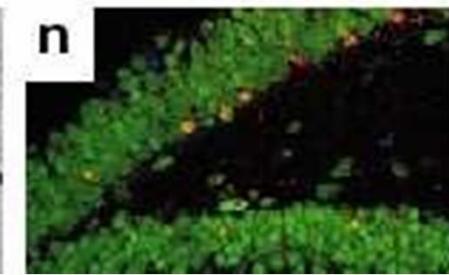
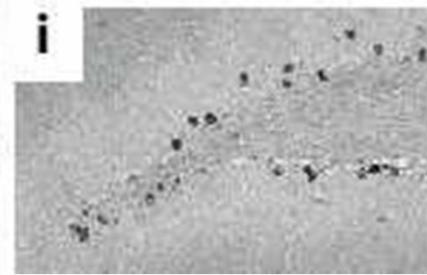
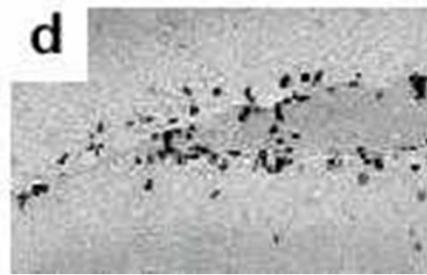
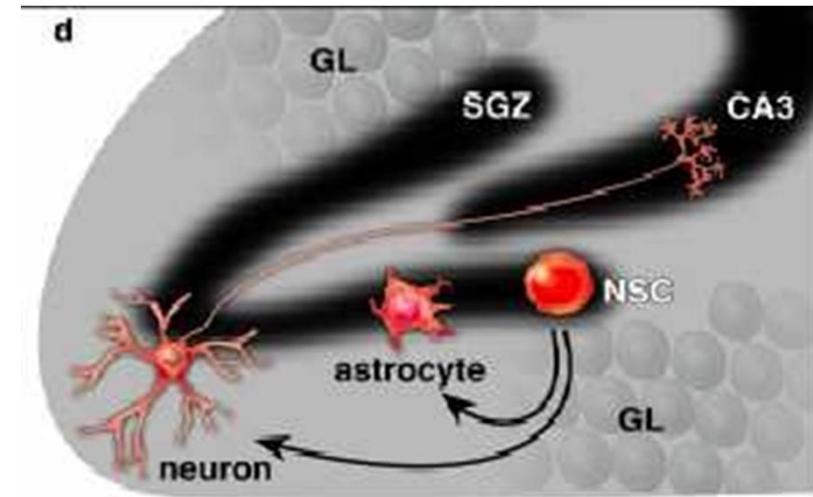
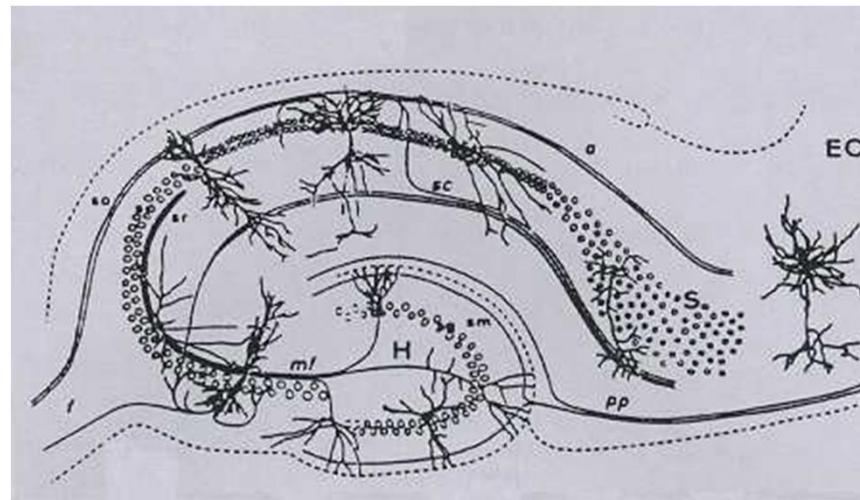
## Hippocampe



# Niche de la zone sous ventriculaire



# Neurogénèse dans l'hippocampe



# Neurogénèse dans l'hippocampe

- “ 9,000 cellules par jours = 270,000/mois
- “ 20% des cellules totales du gyrus denté
- “ Mais .. 50% meurent dans les 2 semaines après leur naissance  
    %use it or lose it+
- “ Un petit nombre de cellules survivent pendant qq mois

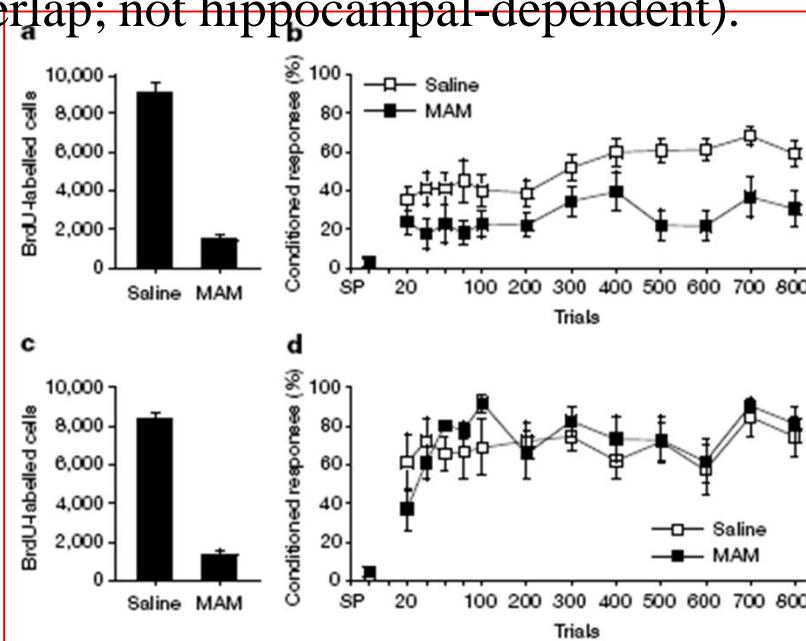
Quels rôles pour les neurogénèses  
adultes ?

# Hippocampal Neurogenesis in Memory Function:

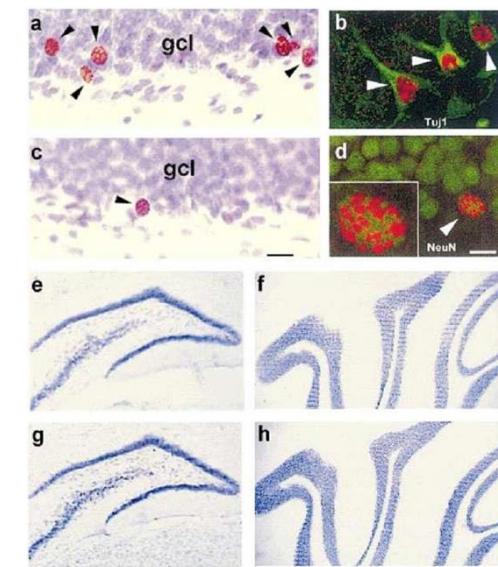
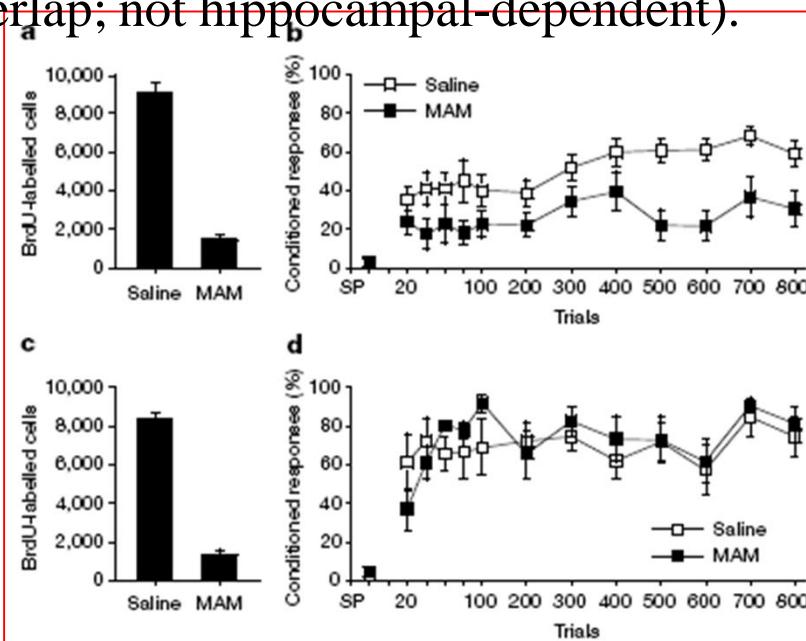
Shors, Gould et al 2001

- É Disruption of adult neurogenesis with systemic methylazoxymethanol acetate (MAM) for 14 d.
- É Classical conditioning of eyeblink: UCS = airpuff, CS = noise
- Trace (no overlap; hippocampal-dependent) versus Delay (overlap; not hippocampal-dependent).

Trace  
Conditioning



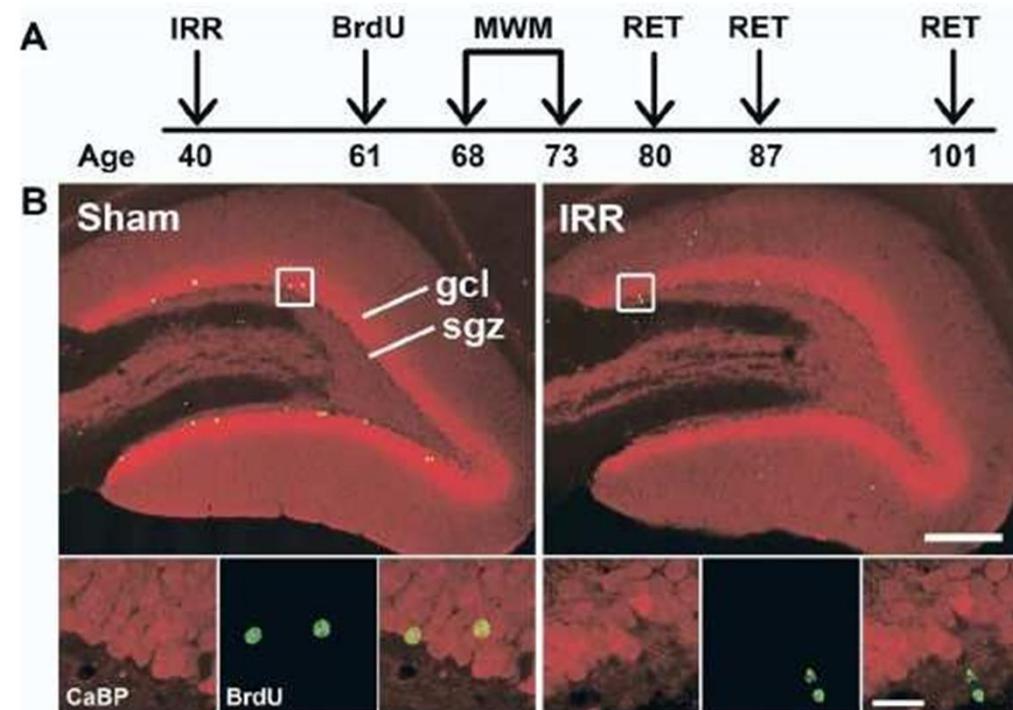
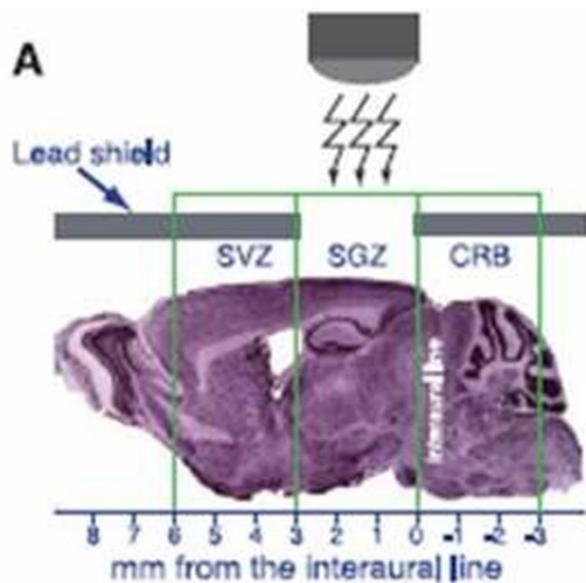
Delay  
Conditioning



# Hippocampal Neurogenesis in Memory Function:

Snyder et al., 2005

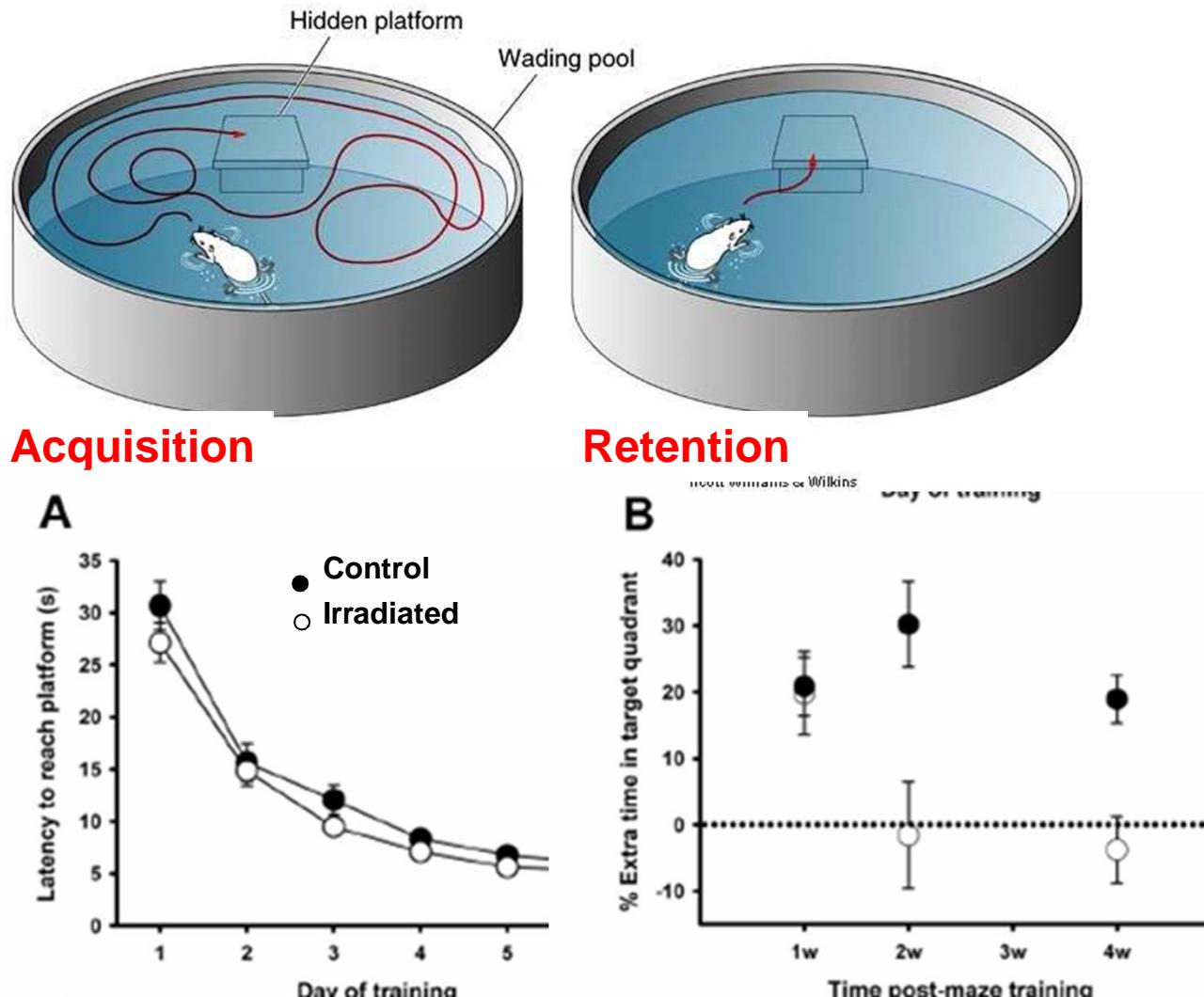
- “ Irradiation of Hippocampus.
- “ Long-term retention of spatial learning impaired.



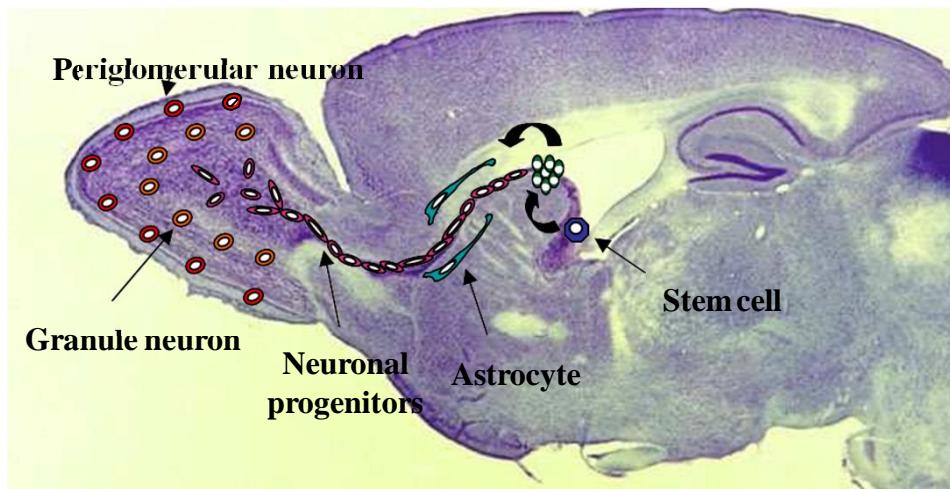
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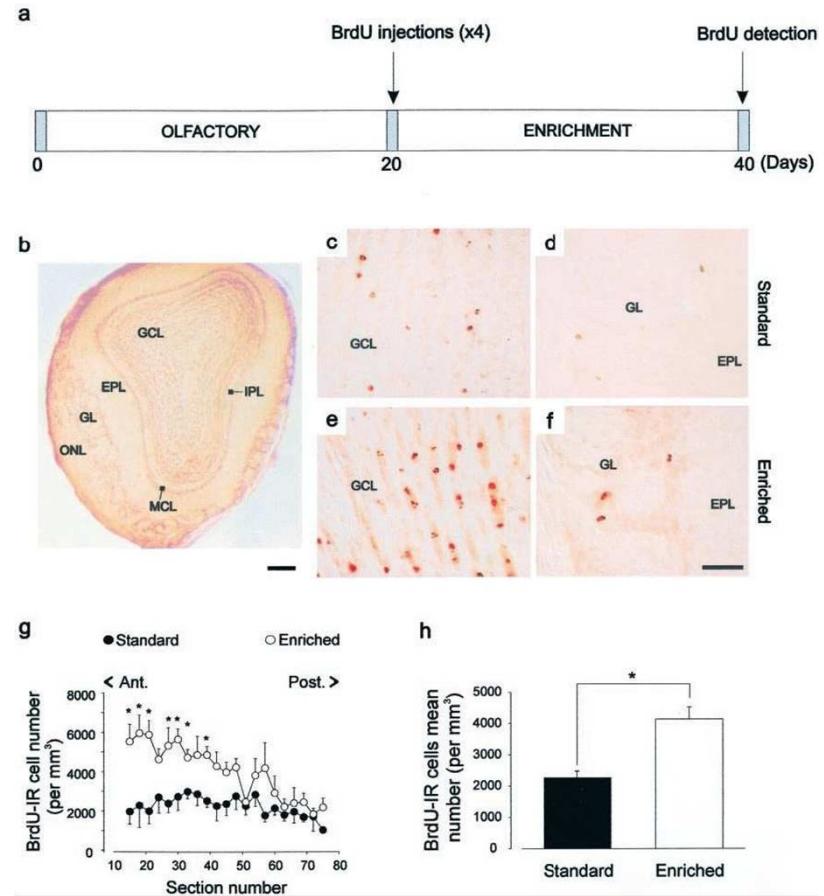
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# Neurogénèse dans la zone sous ventriculaire chez les rongeurs

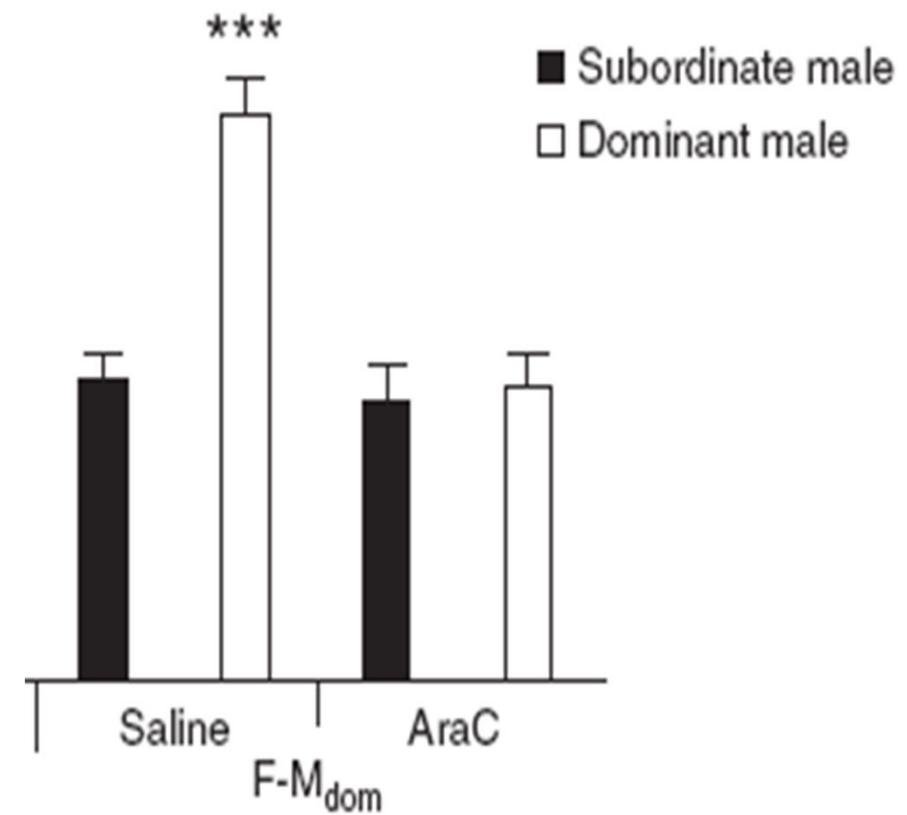


Migration rostrale des neuroblastes



Rochefort et al 2004

# Réduction de la neurogénèse diminue l'attraction pour les mâles dominants.



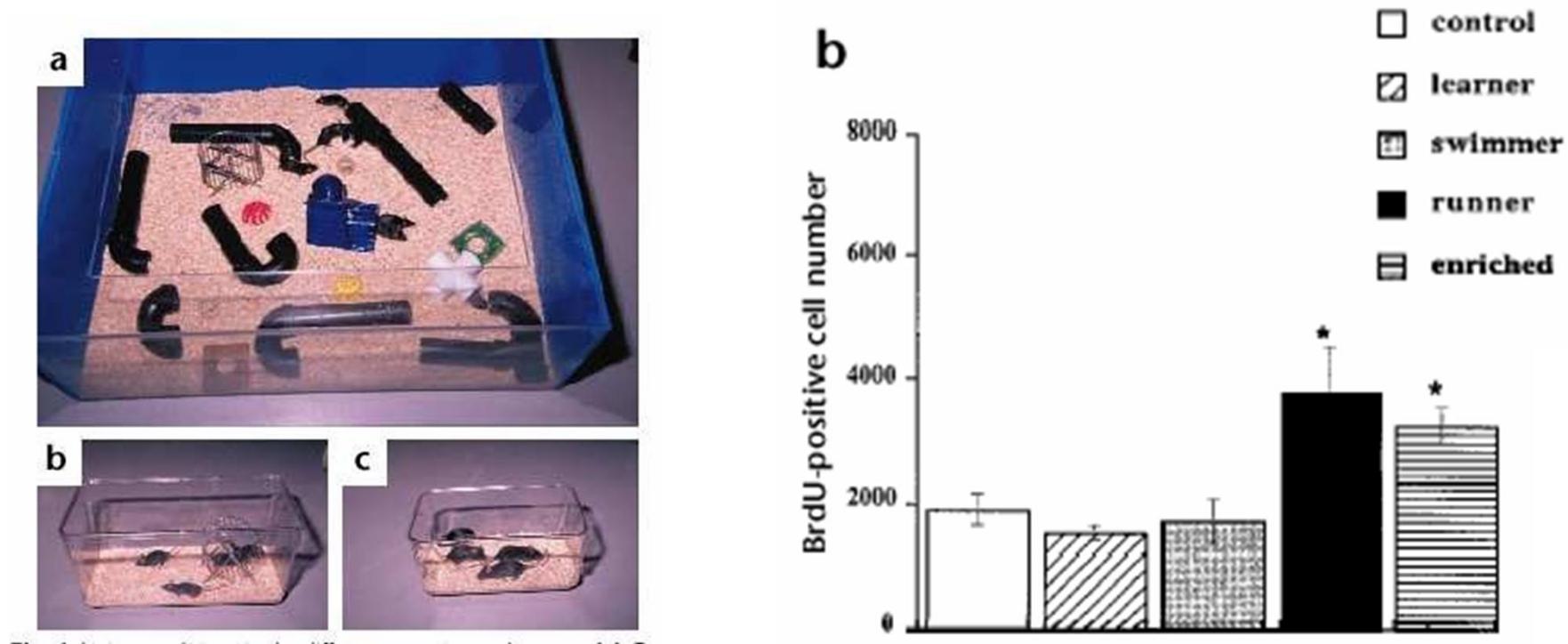
# Modulation de la neurogénèse par l'environnement

## More hippocampal neurons in adult mice living in an enriched environment.

*Nature. 1997 Apr 3;386(6624):493-5.*

## Running increases cell proliferation and neurogenesis in the adult mouse dentate gyrus.

*Nat Neurosci. 1999 Mar;2(3):266-70.*

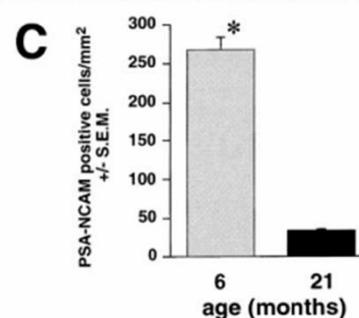
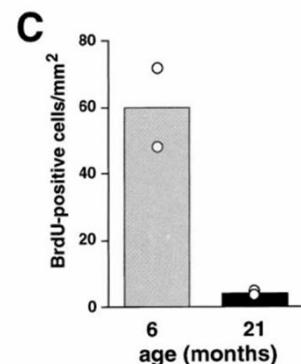


## Facteurs affectant la neurogénèse de l'hippocampe chez les rongeurs

Exercice Physique	Stress
Environnement stimulant	Dépression
Facteurs de croissance (FGF, VEGF, Å)	Régime alimentaire
Glutamate (récepteur Kaïnaite)	Glutamate (récepteur NMDA)
Hormones (oestrogènes, prolactine, Å )	Morphine, Héroïne
Dopamine, Sérotonine	Alcool
Antidépresseurs	Privation de sommeil
DHEA	Age

# Effet du vieillissement sur la neurogénèse

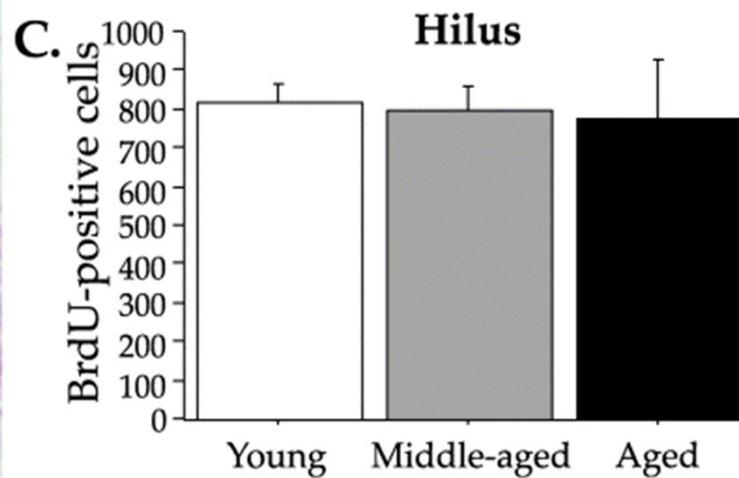
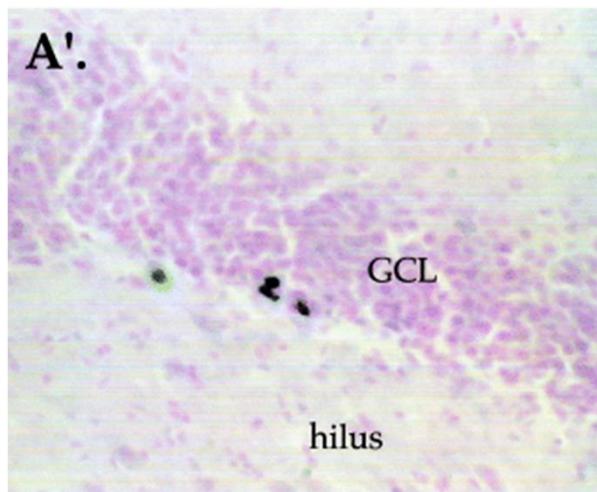
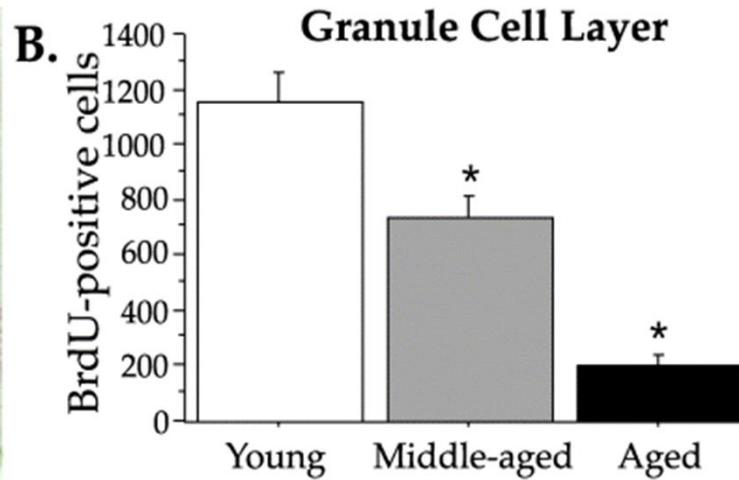
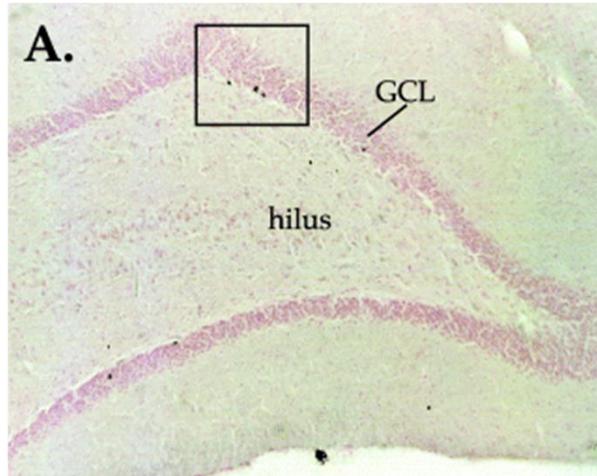
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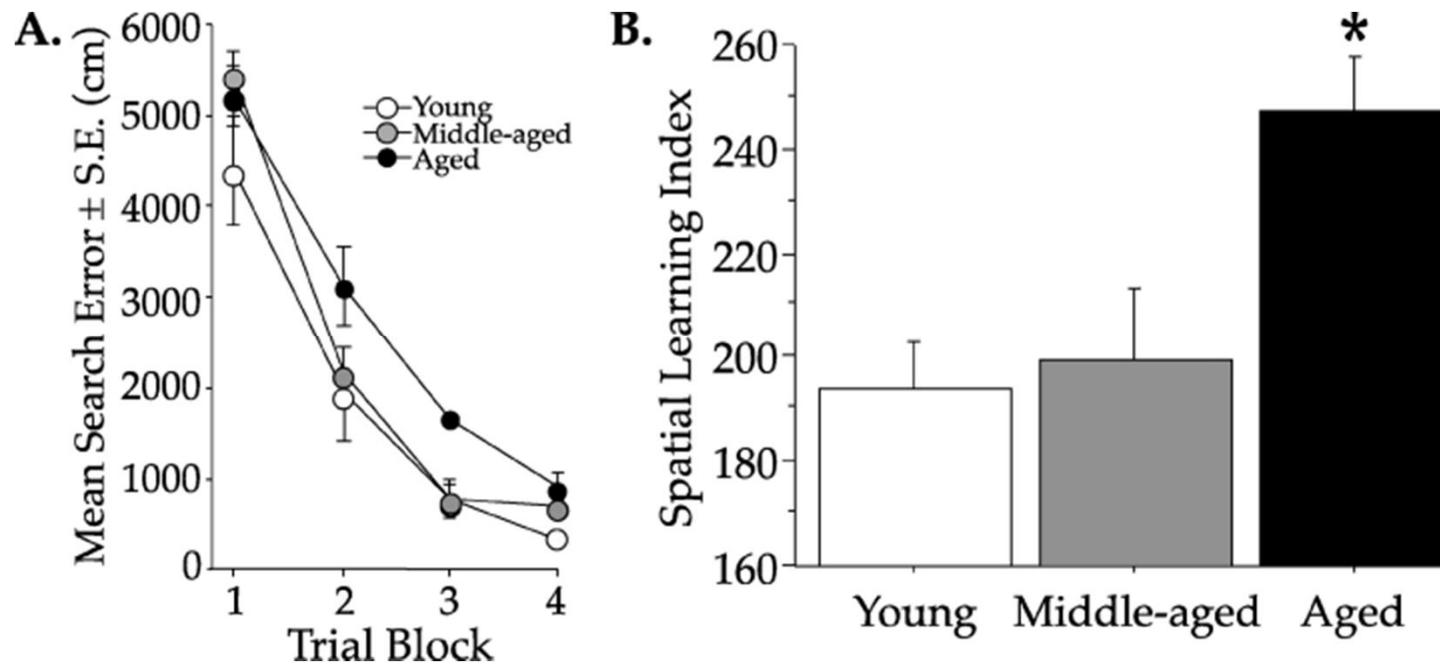
Neurogenesis in the dentate gyrus of the adult rat: age-related decrease of neuronal progenitor proliferation.

Kuhn HG, Dickinson-Anson H, Gage FH.  
J Neurosci. 1996 Mar 15;16(6):2027-33.

# Aging and Neurogenesis

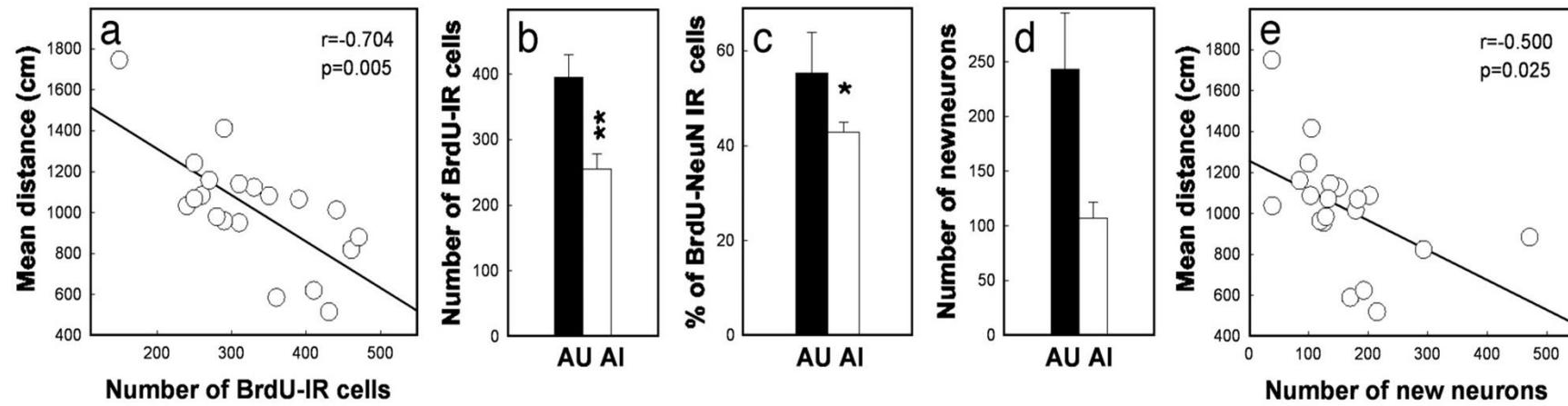


# Aging, Neurogenesis and Water maze performance



Bizon & Gallagher, *Eur J Neuroscience*, 2003

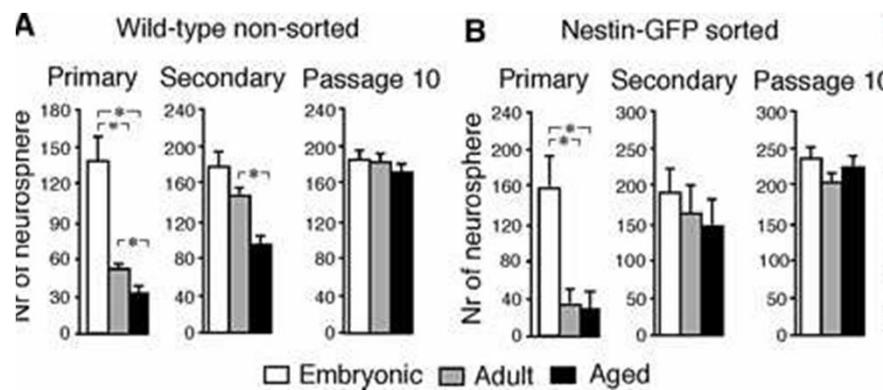
# Neurogenesis and Learning in Aged Rats



Survival and differentiation of newly generated cells in the granule cell layer. Performance on MWM (Morris water maze) as a function of new cells/neurons. Differences between upper 30% (Age Unimpaired+- AU) and lower 30% (%Age Impaired+- AI) animals on cell counts.

# Dans la zone sous ventriculaire

- “ Forte diminution de la prolifération, mais maintien ou faible réduction du nombre de cellules souches (J Neuro, 1997, 17 (20), 7850 + Maslov AY, J Neuroscience, 2004, 24(7) 1726)
- “ Forte diminution de la prolifération et baisse du nombre de cellules souches (90%) à 24 mois, (Blackmore, 2009, Stem cells, + Alhenius J Neuroscience, 2009, 29(14), 4408)



④ Conclusions convergentes sur la baisse de la prolifération mais divergentes sur le maintien ou non des cellules souches chez l'animal âgé

# Les coupables

1-Quiescence + Sénescence

2-Cytokines, Cortisol

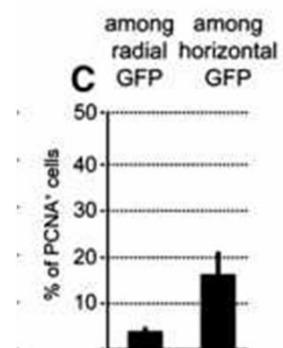
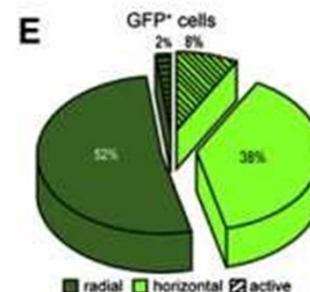
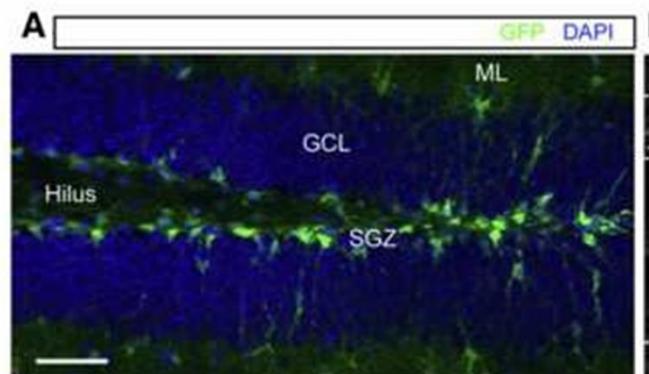
3-Modifications morphologiques de la niche

# La Quiescence

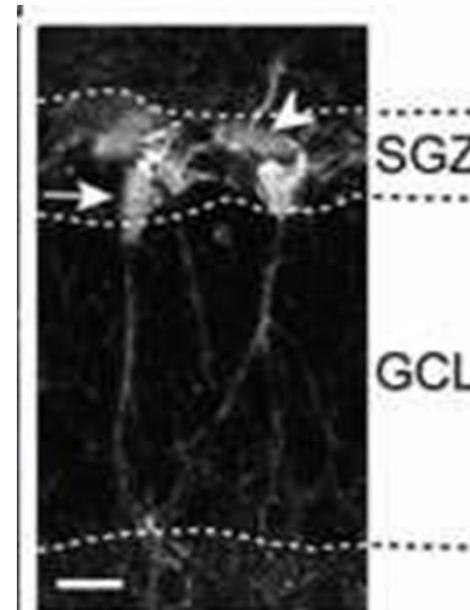
## Quiescent and Active Hippocampal Neural Stem Cells with Distinct Morphologies Respond Selectively to Physiological and Pathological Stimuli and Aging

Sebastian Lugert,<sup>1</sup> Onur Basak,<sup>1</sup> Philip Knuckles,<sup>1</sup> Ute Haussler,<sup>2</sup> Klaus Fabel,<sup>3</sup> Magdalena Götz,<sup>4,5</sup> Carola A. Haas,<sup>2</sup> Gerd Kempermann,<sup>3</sup> Verdon Taylor,<sup>1,6,7,\*</sup> and Claudio Giachino<sup>1,7</sup>

HES5-GFP mice (readout voie Notch)

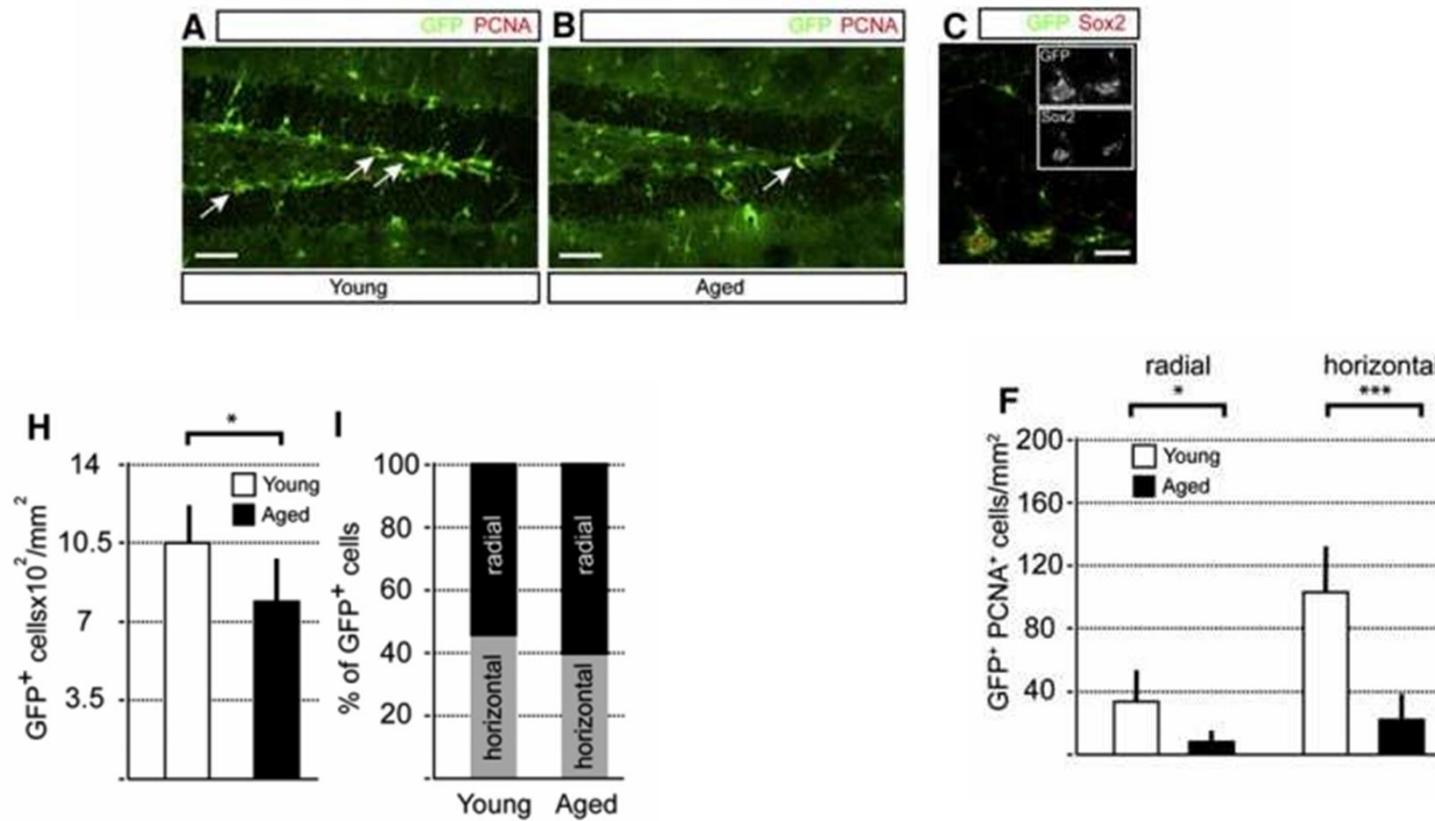


2 types of stem cells



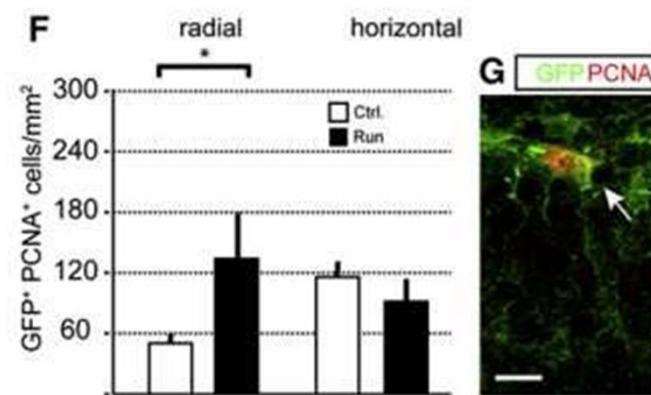
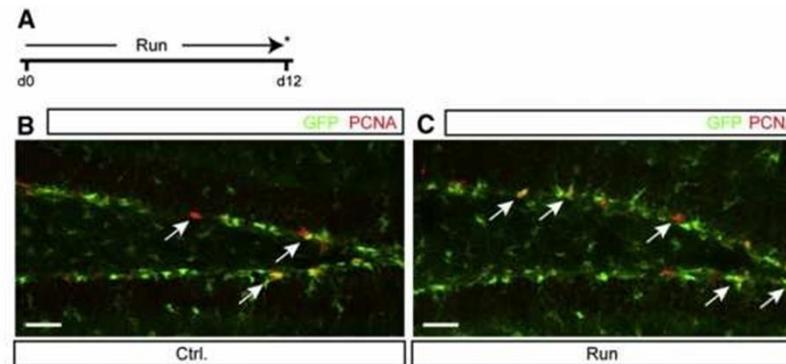
Les cellules souches horizontales sont les plus actives

## Figure 5. Loss of Horizontal Active NSCs during Aging



Pas de changement du nombre de cellules souches au cours du vieillissement mais baisse de la prolifération des cellules horizontales

L'exercice fait rentrer les cellules souches quiescentes radiales en prolifération



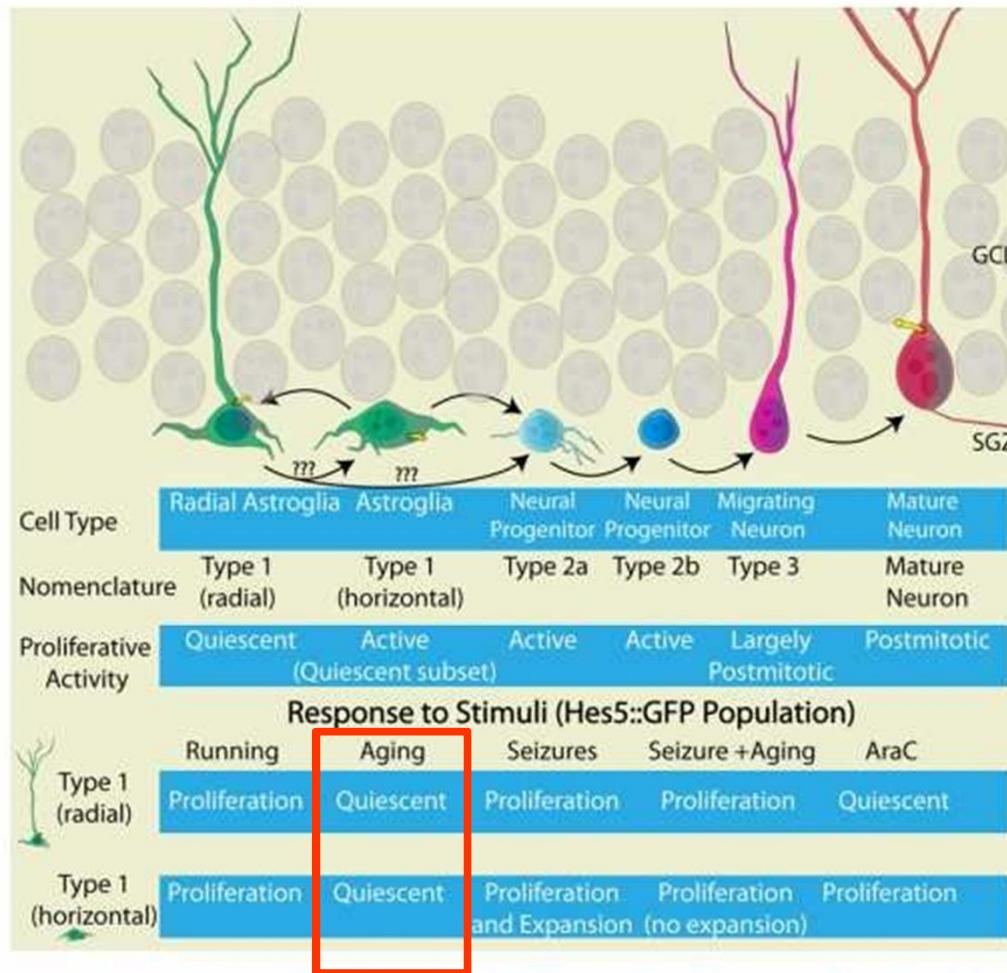


Figure 1. Current View of the Sequence of Neurogenesis from Precursor/Progenitor Cells in the Adult Dentate Gyrus

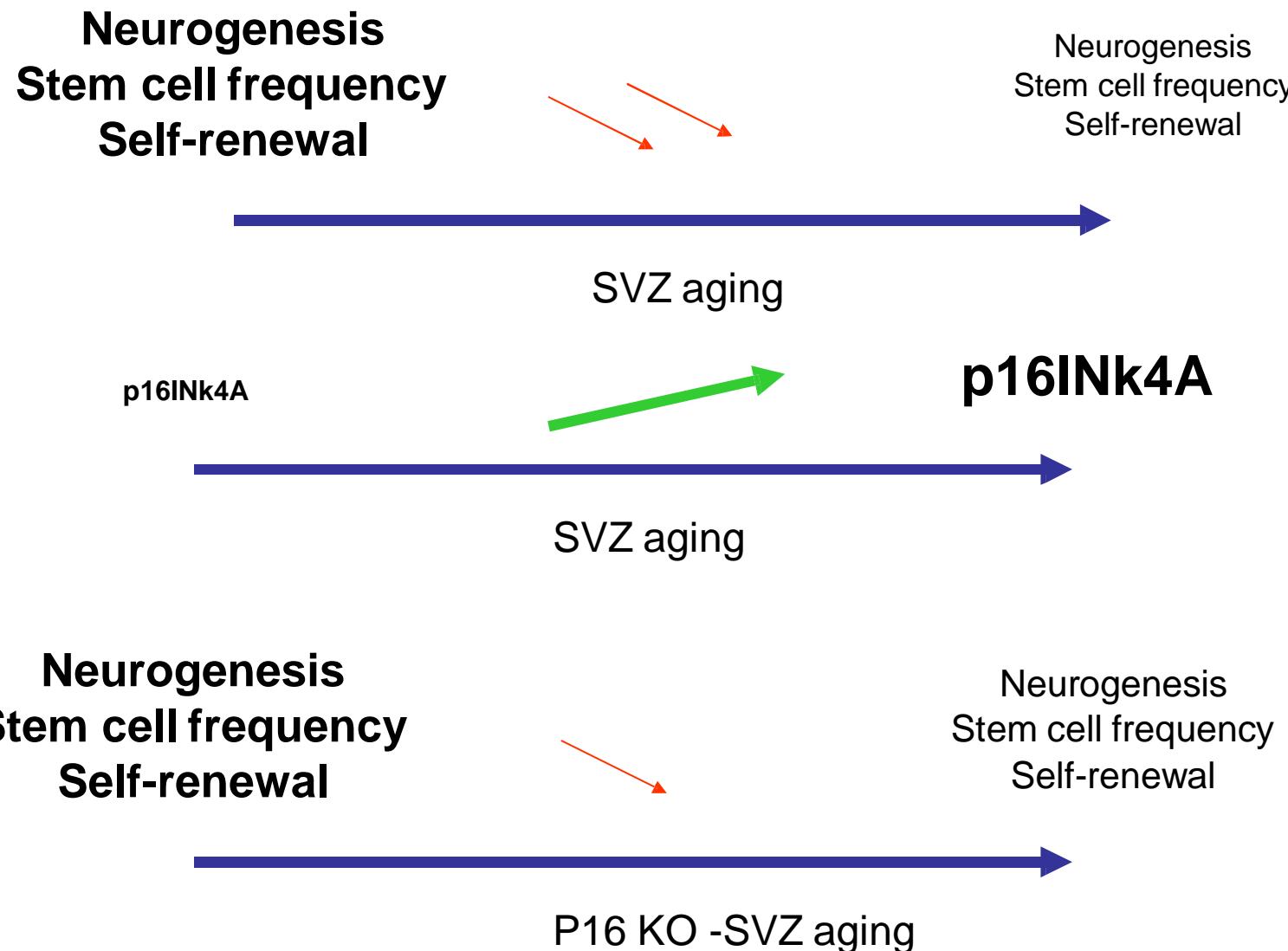
GFAP<sup>+</sup> Type 1 neural stem/precursor cells are believed to divide asymmetrically to give rise to more committed daughter cell types. However, some doubt exists as to the precise lineage relationships between radial and horizontal Type 1 cells. Type 2a cells express Sox2 and Ascl1 but not GFAP<sup>+</sup>. Type 2b cells begin to express mature neuronal markers such as Dcx. These cell types are believed to undergo symmetric neurogenic divisions. Type 3 cells are migrating neurons that will integrate into the granule cell layer over the course of several weeks in the rodent. Lugert et al. use a surrogate marker of Notch signaling (Hes5::GFP) to label Type 1 cells and show that running, aging, and seizure activity have varied effects on proliferation and expansion of radial and horizontal progenitor populations.

Breunig, Cell  
Stem cells 2010

# La Sénescence

Nature. 2006 Sep 28;443(7110):448-52. Epub 2006 Sep 6.

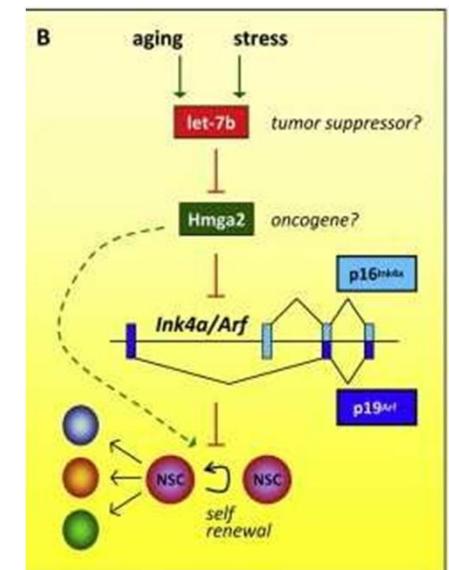
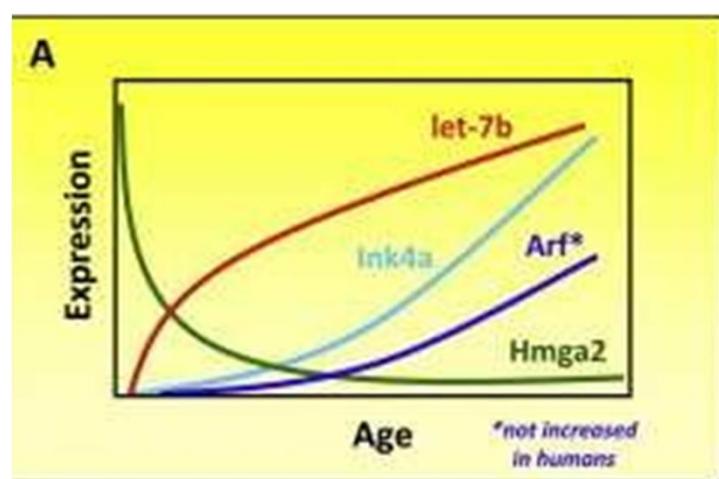
**Increasing p16INK4a expression decreases forebrain progenitors and neurogenesis during ageing.**



## Ink4a/Arf regulation by let-7b and Hmga2: a genetic pathway governing stem cell aging.

Tzatsos A, Bardeesy N.

Cell Stem Cell. 2008 Nov 6;3(5):469-70.

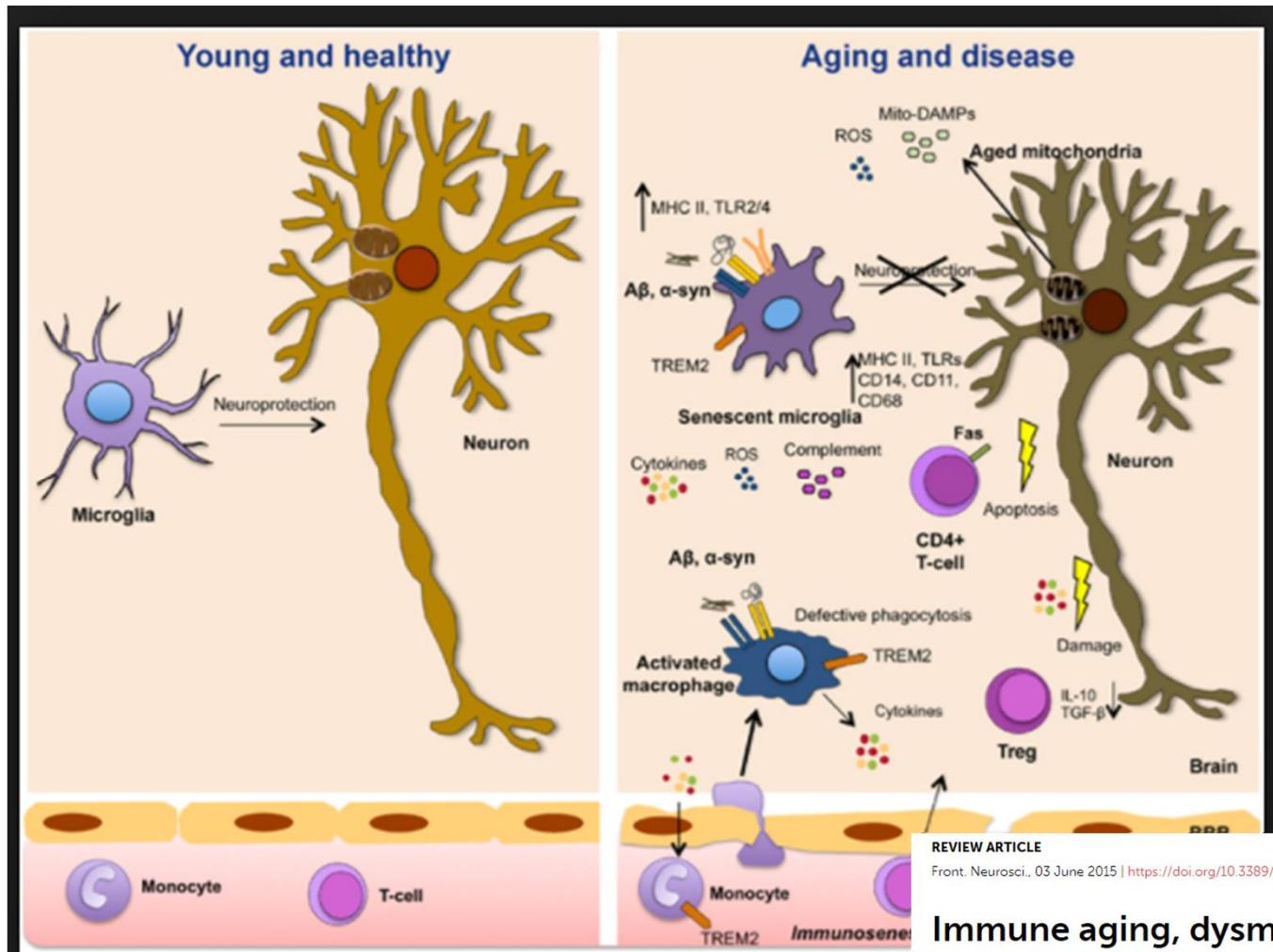


Qui fait augmenter Let7b ??

# Les cytokines

## Vieillissement cérébrale et Inflammation

Age-related cognitive decline is due in part to age-related increases in inflammation

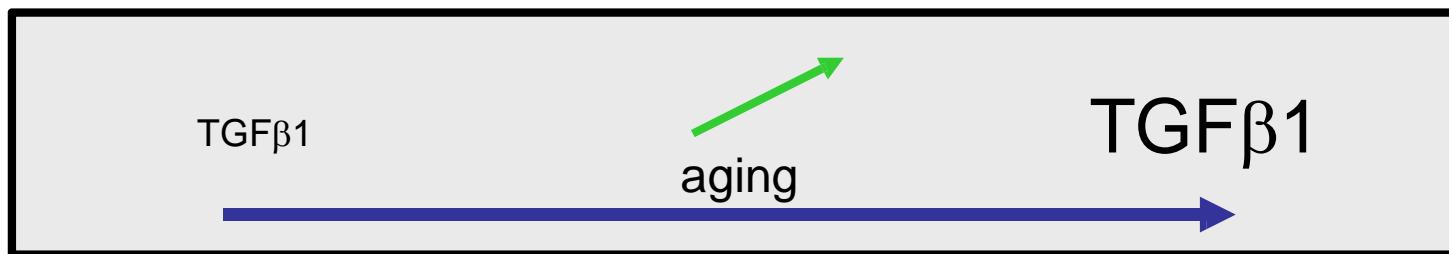


Immune aging, dysmetabolism, and inflammation in neurological diseases

# Les cytokines

Un rôle du TGF b1 ??

Buckwalter, 2006, Am J Pathol



**Experiment:** TGF $\beta$ 1 overexpression  
in Astrocytes



**Result:** blockade of hippocampic  
neurogenesis even in young  
animals

# Influence of BMP proteins on neurogenesis declines

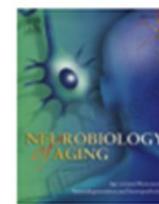
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## Increased bone morphogenetic protein signaling contributes to age-related declines in neurogenesis and cognition



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### ABSTRACT

Aging is associated with decreased neurogenesis in the hippocampus and diminished hippocampus-dependent cognitive functions. Expression of bone morphogenetic protein 4 (BMP4) increases with age by more than 10-fold in the mouse dentate gyrus while levels of the BMP inhibitor, noggin, decrease. This results in a profound 30-fold increase in phosphorylated-SMAD1/5/8, the effector of canonical BMP signaling. Just as observed in mice, a profound increase in expression of BMP4 is observed in the dentate gyrus of humans with no known cognitive abnormalities. Inhibition of BMP signaling either by over-expression of noggin or transgenic manipulation not only increases neurogenesis in aging mice, but remarkably, is associated with a rescue of cognitive deficits to levels comparable to young mice. Additive benefits are observed when combining inhibition of BMP signaling and environmental enrichment. These findings indicate that increased BMP signaling contributes significantly to impairments in neurogenesis and to cognitive decline associated with aging, and identify this pathway as a potential druggable target for reversing age-related changes in cognition.

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TGF $\beta$  lengthens the G1 phase of stem cells in aged mouse brain.

**Daynac M, Pineda JR, Chicheportiche A, Gauthier LR, Morizur L, Boussin FD, Mounthon MA.**

Stem Cells. 2014 Dec;32(12):3257-65. doi: 10.1002/stem.1815.

Vascular-derived TGF- $\beta$  increases in the stem cell niche and perturbs neurogenesis during aging and following irradiation in the adult mouse brain.

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## Autre cytokine: Influence of Interferons on brain aging

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### Aging. Aging-induced type I interferon response at the choroid plexus negatively affects brain function.

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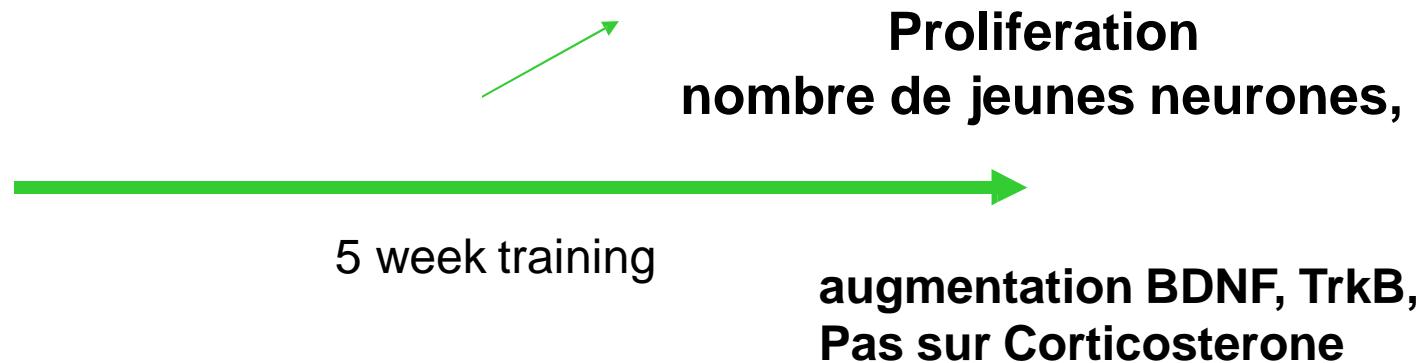
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#### Abstract

Aging-associated cognitive decline is affected by factors produced inside and outside the brain. By using multiorgan genome-wide analysis of aged mice, we found that the choroid plexus, an interface between the brain and the circulation, shows a type I interferon (IFN-I)-dependent gene expression profile that was also found in aged human brains. In aged mice, this response was induced by brain-derived signals, present in the cerebrospinal fluid. Blocking IFN-I signaling within the aged brain partially restored cognitive function and hippocampal neurogenesis and reestablished IFN-II-dependent choroid plexus activity, which is lost in aging. Our data identify a chronic aging-induced IFN-I signature, often associated with antiviral response, at the brain's choroid plexus and demonstrate its negative influence on brain function, thereby suggesting a target for ameliorating cognitive decline in aging.

# Mode d'action de l'exercice

J Appl Physiol 2008, 105(5)



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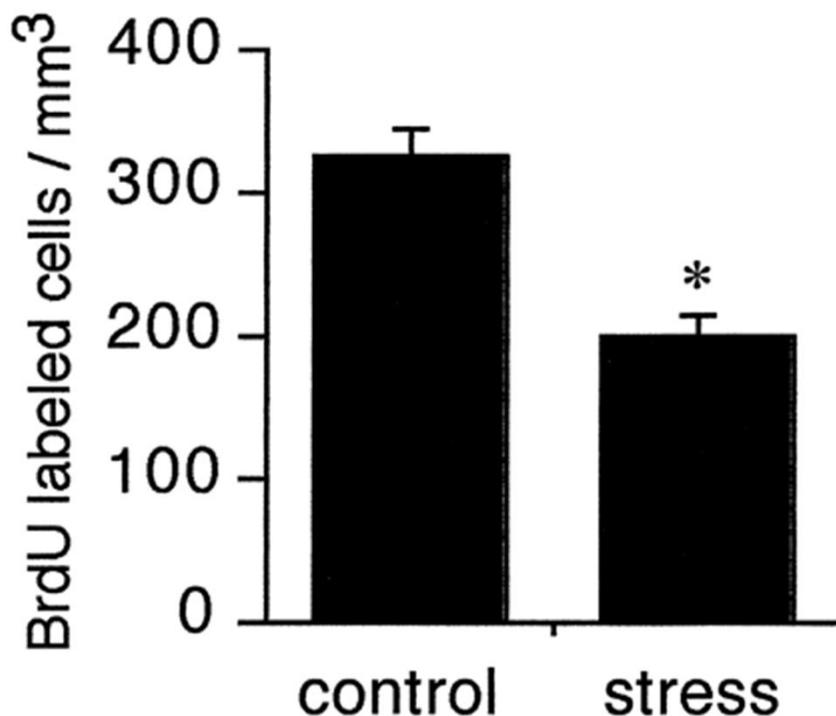
Exercise increases neural stem cell number in a growth hormone-dependent manner,  
augmenting the regenerative response in aged mice.

Blackmore DG, Golmohammadi MG, Large B, Waters MJ, Rietze RL.  
Stem Cells. 2009 Aug;27(8):2044-52.

**Les souris KO pour GH n'augmente plus la neurogénèse chez des souris  
KO pour GH**

# Effet du cortisol sur la Neurogénèse

## Predator Stress and Neurogenesis



A single exposure to a resident-intruder model of stress results in a significant decrease in the number of BrdU-labeled cells in the dentate gyrus of the intruder marmoset monkey.

Gould, et. al., *Proc Nat Acad Sci*, 1998

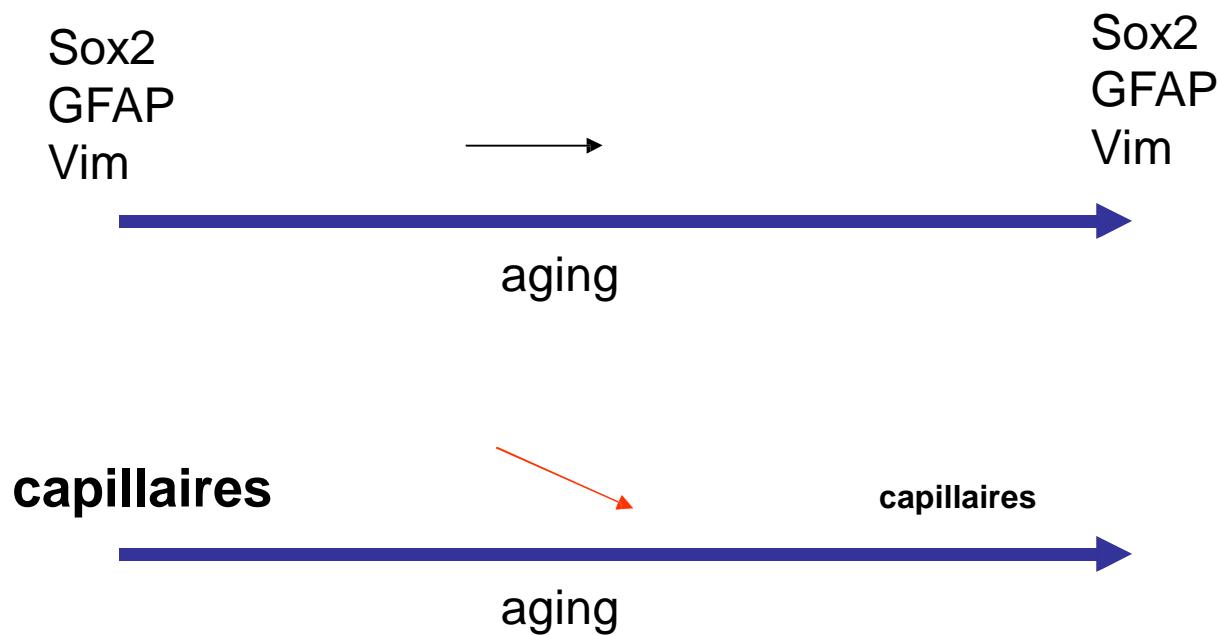
# Adrenal Steroids Mediate Stress Effect on neurogenesis

- “ Adrenal steroid production lowest in early prenatal period . neurogenesis highest; vice versa in older animals
- “ Experimental increases in adrenal steroid produce reductions in neurogenesis
- “ Removal of adrenal steroids (adrenalectomy) associated with increase in neurogenesis

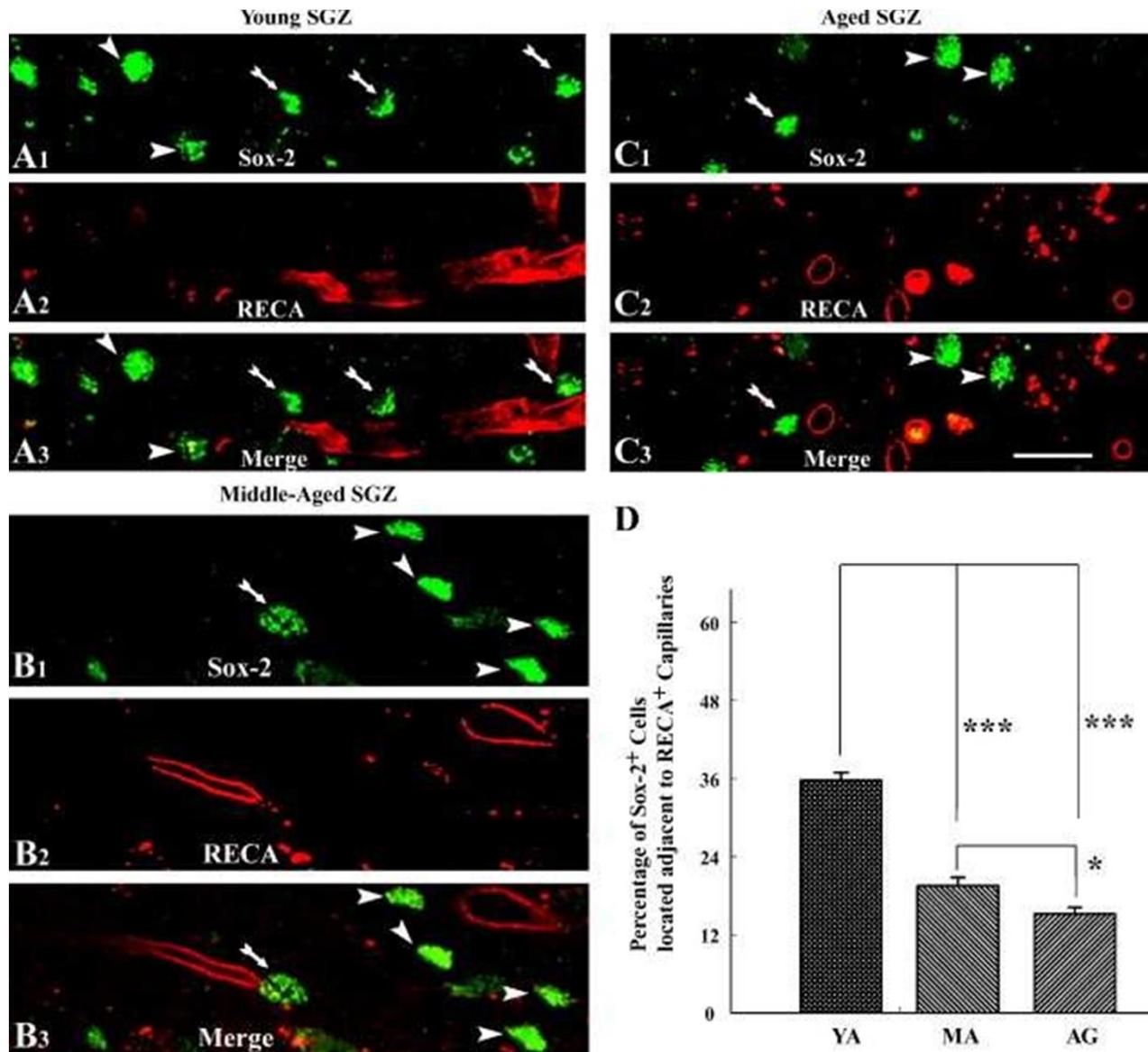
# Modification morphologique de la niche au cours du vieillissement

## Un effet sur la niche vasculaire

Hattiangady, Neurobiol Aging, 2008



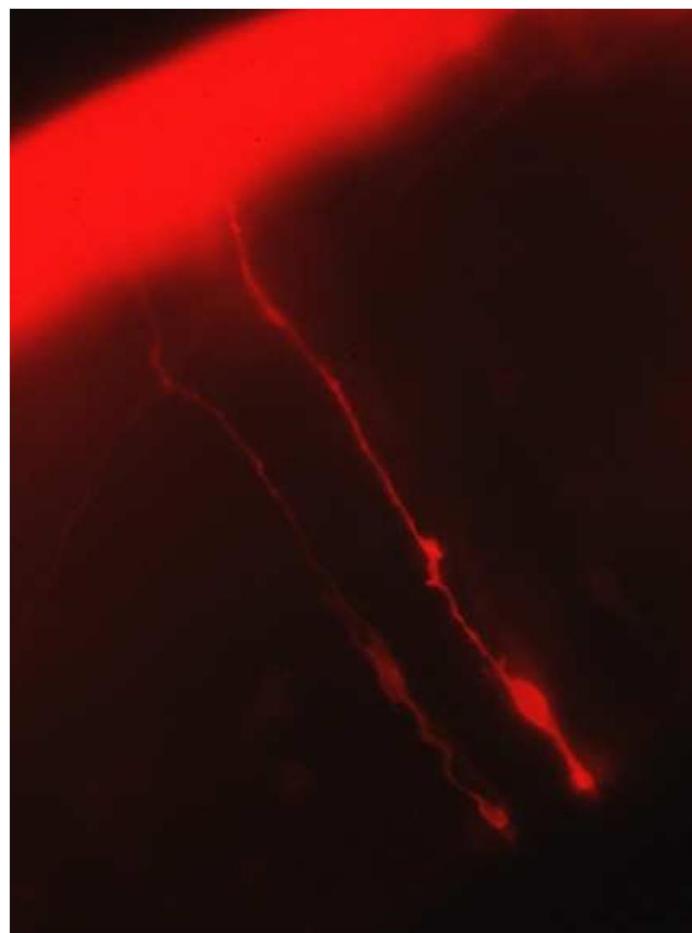
## Les cellules Sox2+ sont plus loin des vaisseaux chez les animaux âgés



# Vieillissement et centrosome

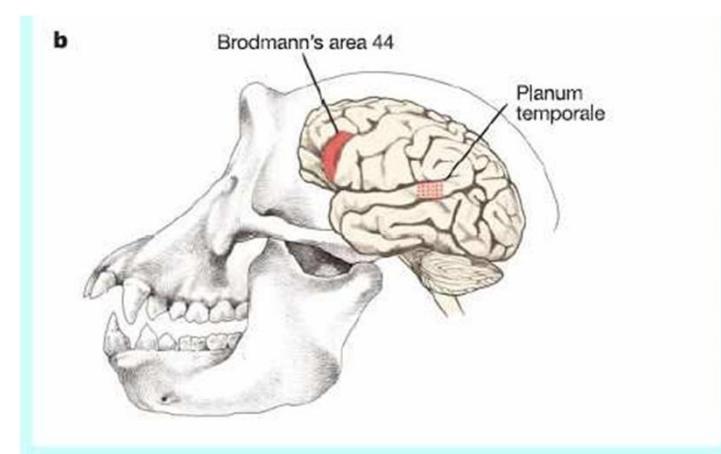
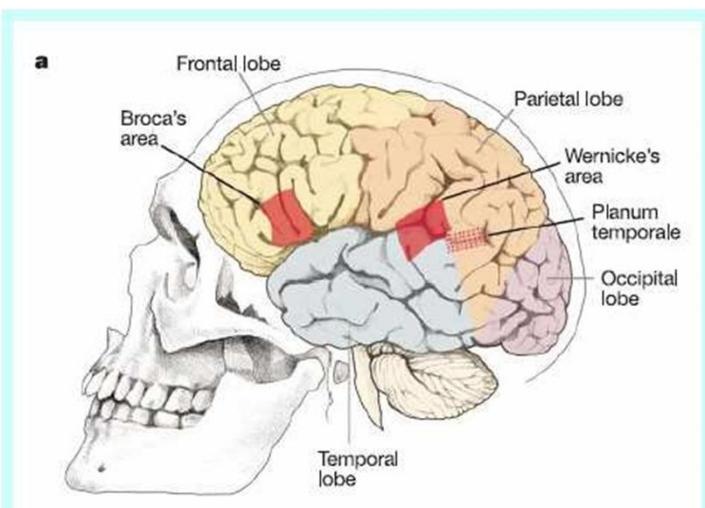
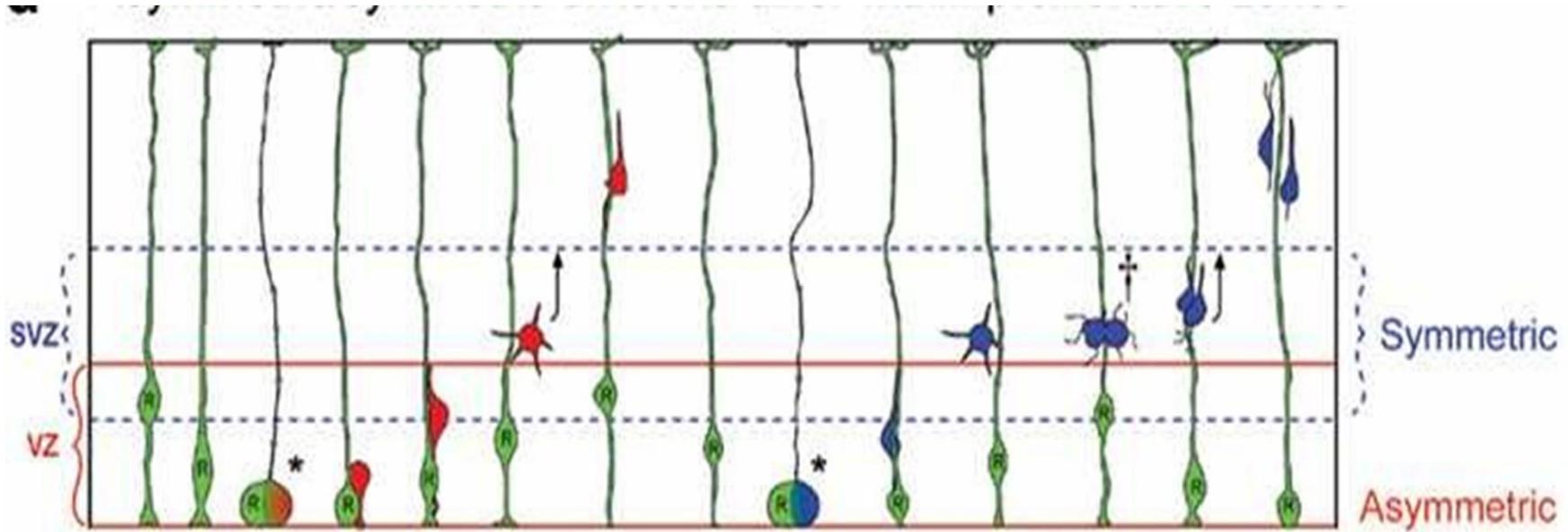
La glie radiaire forme les neurones par division asymétrique au cours du dvp du cerveau

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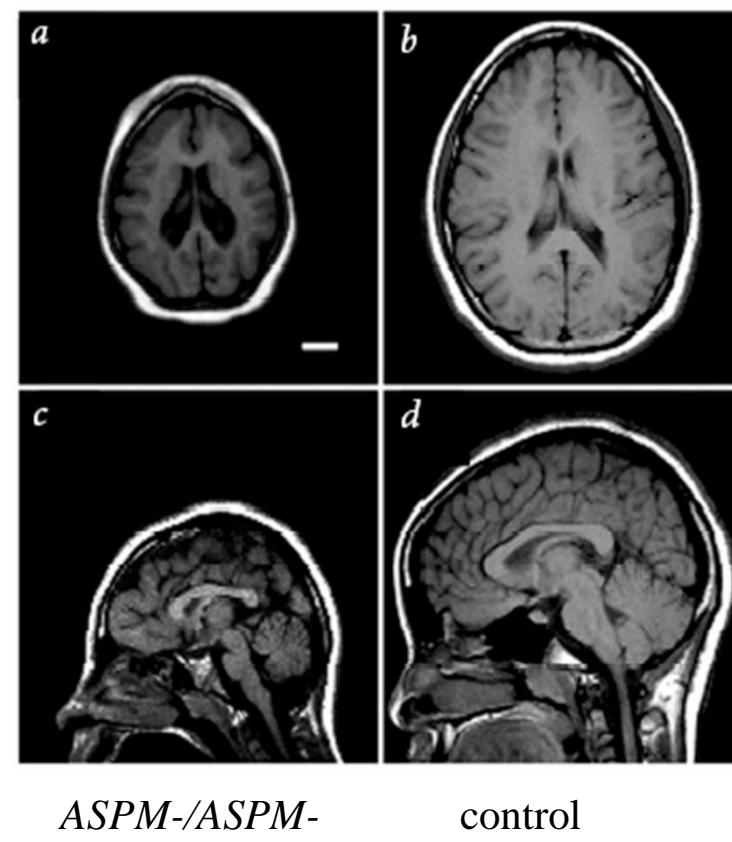
Les cellules gliales radiales donnent soit directement des neurones (en rouge) soit des progéniteurs de neurones (en bleu) par division asymétrique



# Microcéphalie: 3 gènes mutés codant pour des protéine du centrosome

## Microcephaly (MCPH)

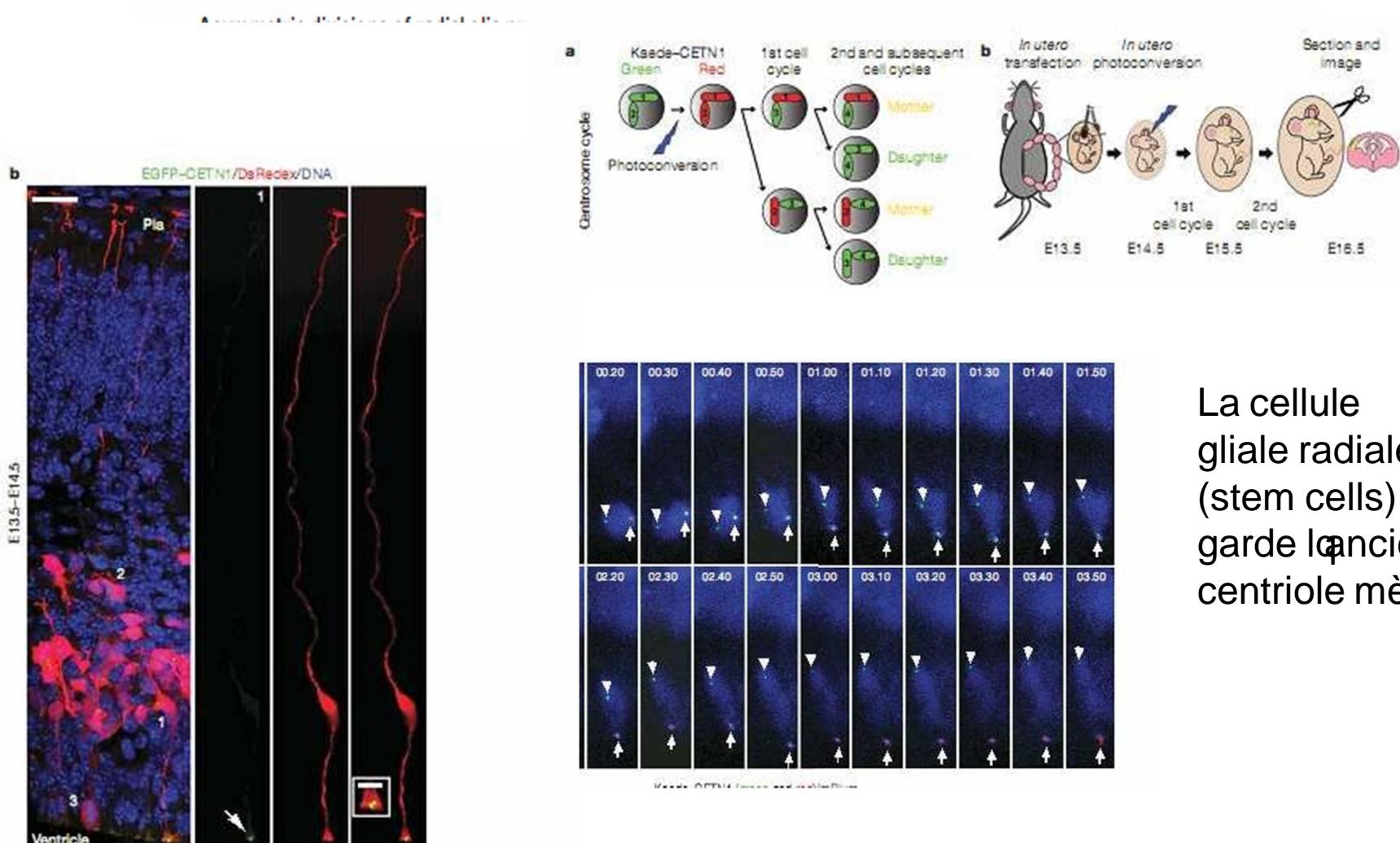
- “ Small (~430 cc v ~1,400 cc) but otherwise ~normal brain, only mild mental retardation
- “ Due to loss of activity of the **ASMP** gene, une protéine impliquée dans la division symétrique/asymétrique des cellules souches



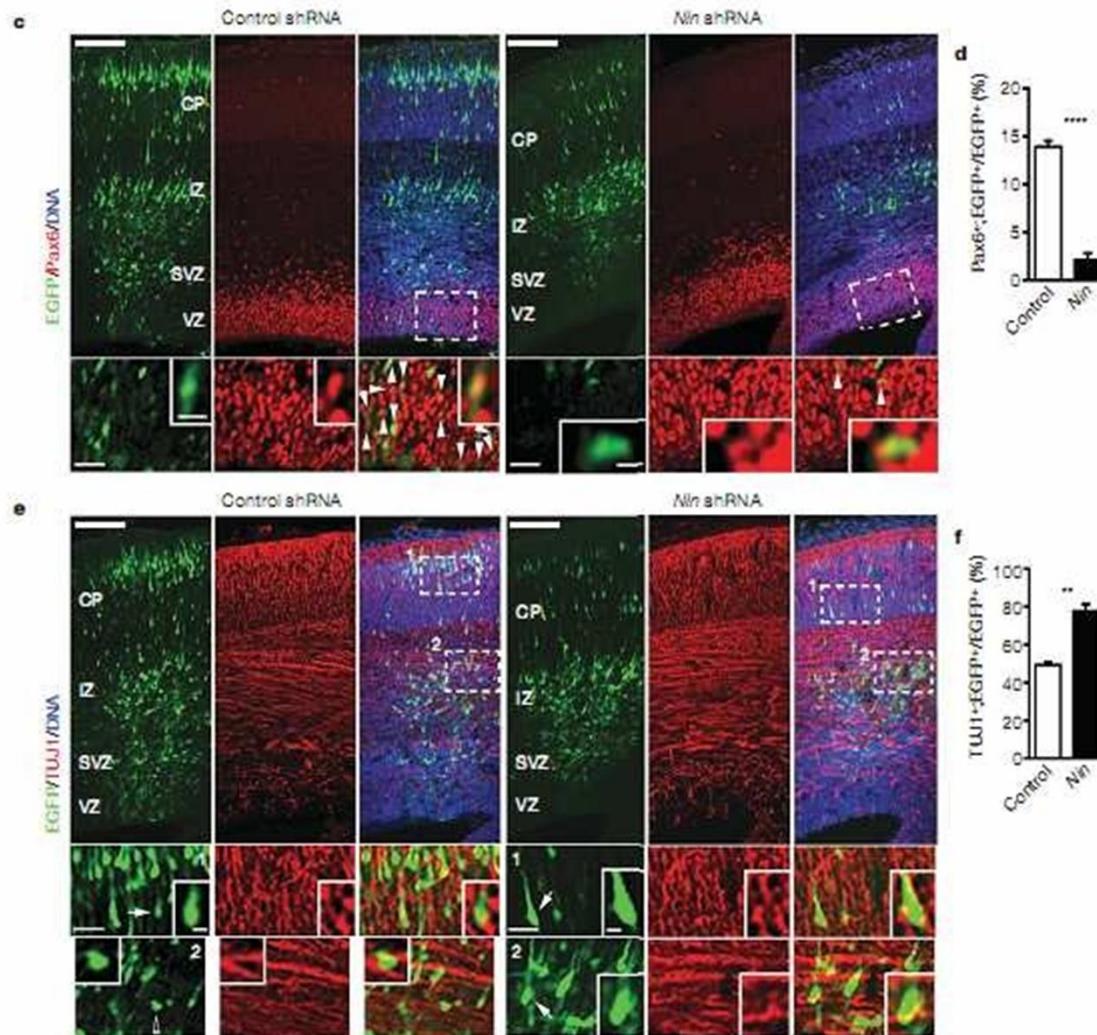
Bond *et al.* (2002) *Nature Genet.* **32**, 316-320

# Asymmetric centrosome inheritance maintains neural progenitors in the neocortex

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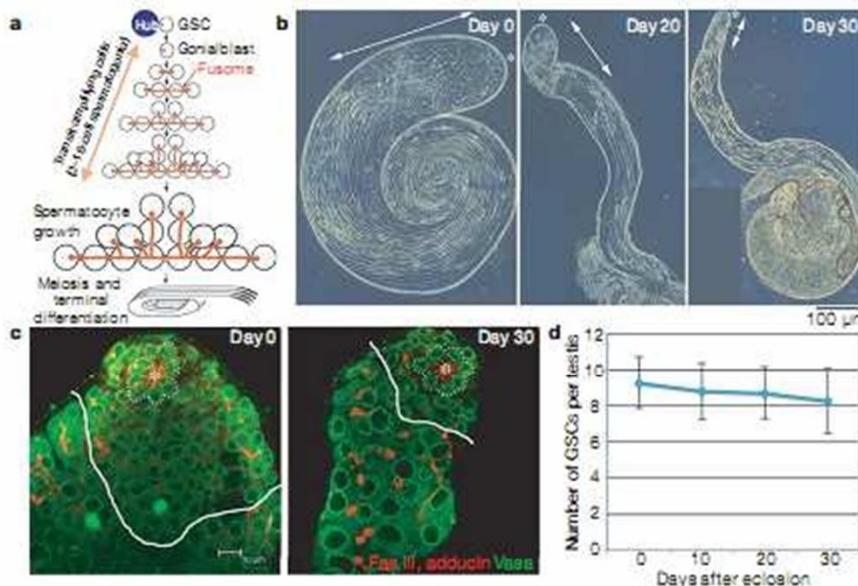


L'inhibition de la ninein, une protéine du centrosome mature, provoque une diminution du nombre de cellules souches au profit de cellules différencierées



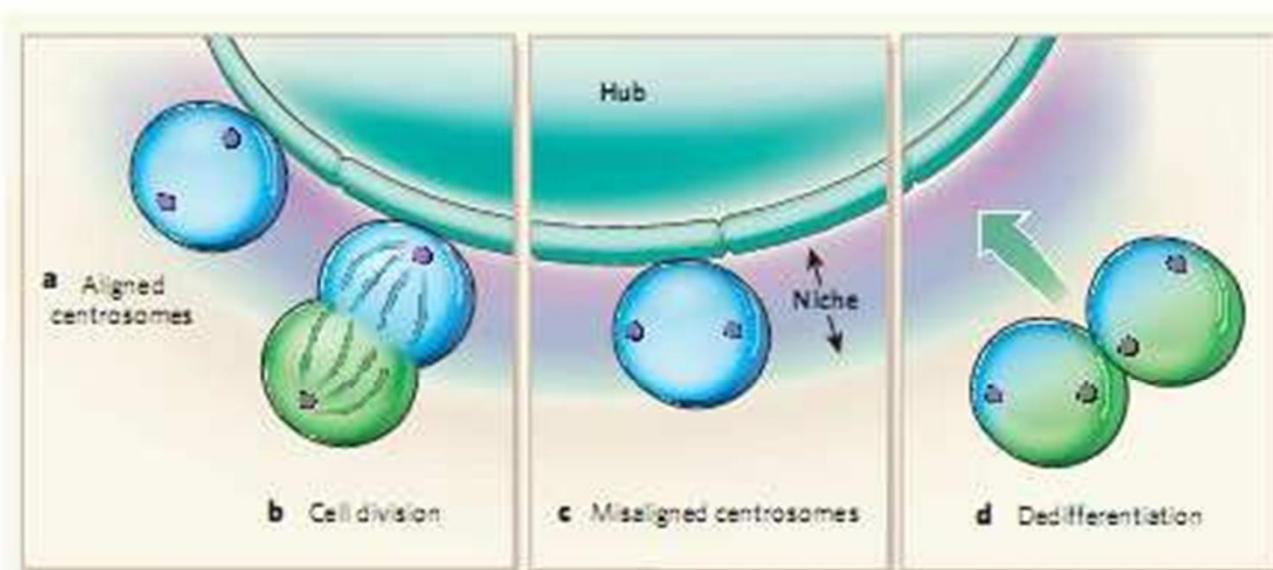
# Centrosome misorientation reduces stem cell division during ageing

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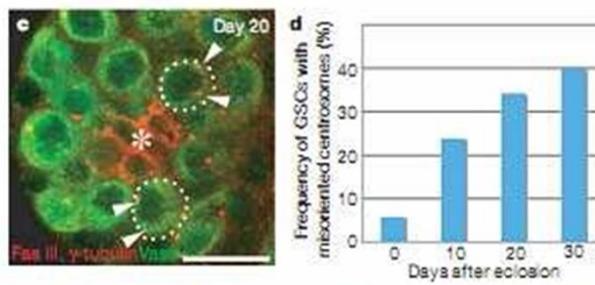


**Figure 1 |** *Drosophila* testis undergoes an age-related decline in spermatogenesis. **a**, Spermatogenesis of *Drosophila melanogaster* (adapted from ref. 27). GSCs are supported by the hub cells. Each spermatogonial division is incomplete, and the resultant spermatogonia and spermatocytes are connected by a cytoplasmic bridge, or a ring canal, through which a branched fusome runs. **b**, Phase microscopy of ageing testes. The apical

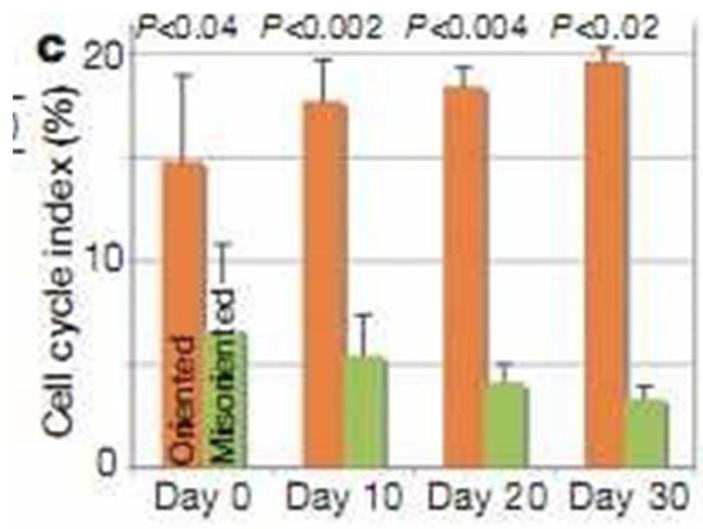
(asterisk) area containing round, relatively early germ cells (arrow) decreases over time. **c**, The number of GSCs (surrounded by dotted line) remains constant with age. White lines separate spermatogonia and spermatocytes. Red, fasciclin III (Fas III; hub) and adducin (fusome); green, Vasa (germ cells). The hub is indicated by an asterisk. **d**, The number of GSCs is shown ( $\pm$ s.d.).  $n > 50$  testes were counted for each time point.



**Figure 1 | Centrosome alignment and germline stem-cell (GSC) maintenance in the *Drosophila* testis niche<sup>1</sup>.** **a**, Normally, GSCs keep one centrosome (purple circle) aligned with the support cells of the hub, so that upon division (**b**) one daughter will remain in the niche while the other will exit and differentiate. **c**, With increasing age, more and more GSCs have misaligned centrosomes — that is, neither is adjacent to the hub — and so do not divide. **d**, Some of these GSCs arise from dedifferentiating older germ cells that re-enter the niche with randomly positioned centrosomes.

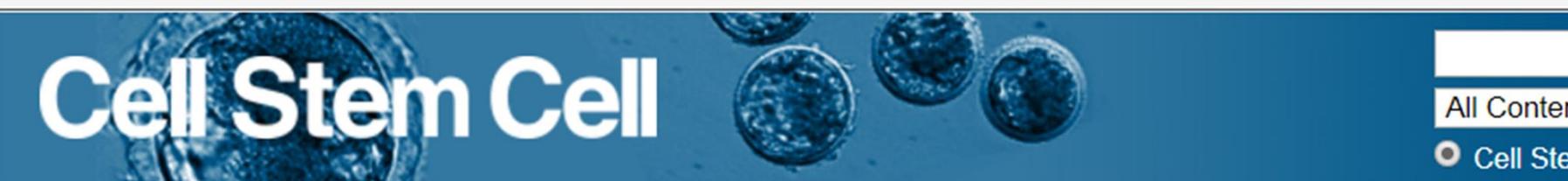


**Figure 2 | Misoriented GSCs increase with age.** **a**, Schematic diagram of



**Figure 3 | Misoriented GSCs divide less frequently compared with oriented GSCs.** **a**, Spindles remain oriented throughout mitosis even at day 30. Red,

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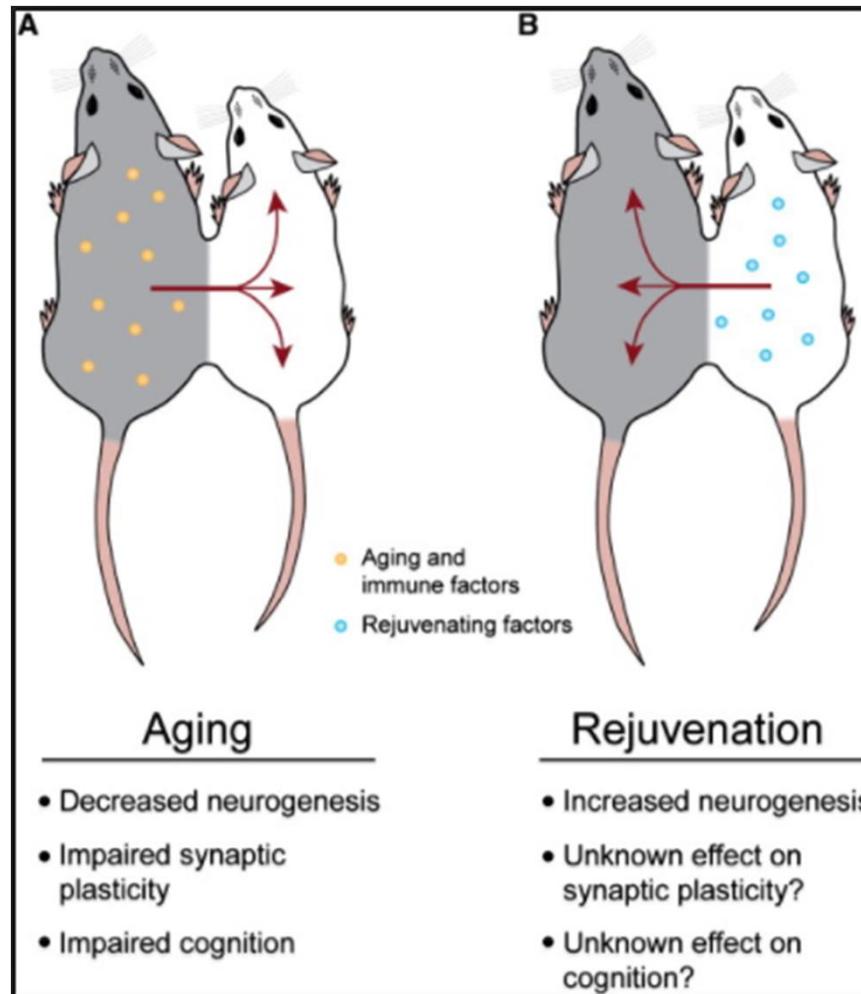
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## Vascular and neurogenic rejuvenation of the aging mouse brain by young systemic factors.

Katsimpardi L<sup>1</sup>, Litterman NK, Schein PA, Miller CM, Loffredo FS, Wojtkiewicz GR, Chen JW, Lee RT, Wagers AJ, Rubin LL.

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#### Abstract

In the adult central nervous system, the vasculature of the neurogenic niche regulates neural stem cell behavior by providing circulating and secreted factors. Age-related decline of neurogenesis and cognitive function is associated with reduced blood flow and decreased numbers of neural stem cells. Therefore, restoring the functionality of the niche should counteract some of the negative effects of aging. We show that factors found in young blood induce vascular remodeling, culminating in increased neurogenesis and improved olfactory discrimination in aging mice. Further, we show that **GDF11** alone can improve the cerebral vasculature and enhance neurogenesis. The identification of factors that slow the age-dependent deterioration of the neurogenic niche in mice may constitute the basis for new methods of treating age-related neurodegenerative and neurovascular diseases.

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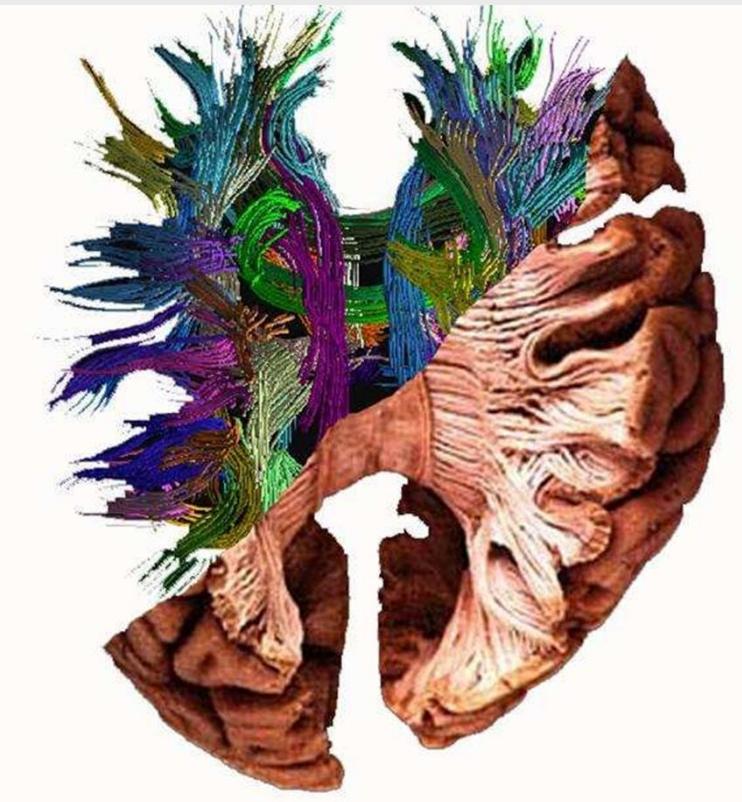
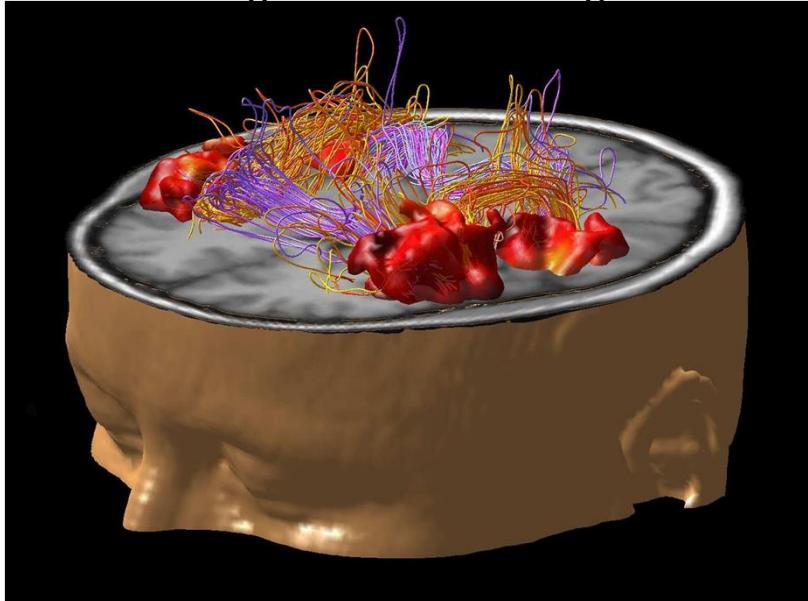
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# Myélinisation, Remyélinisation et Vieillissement

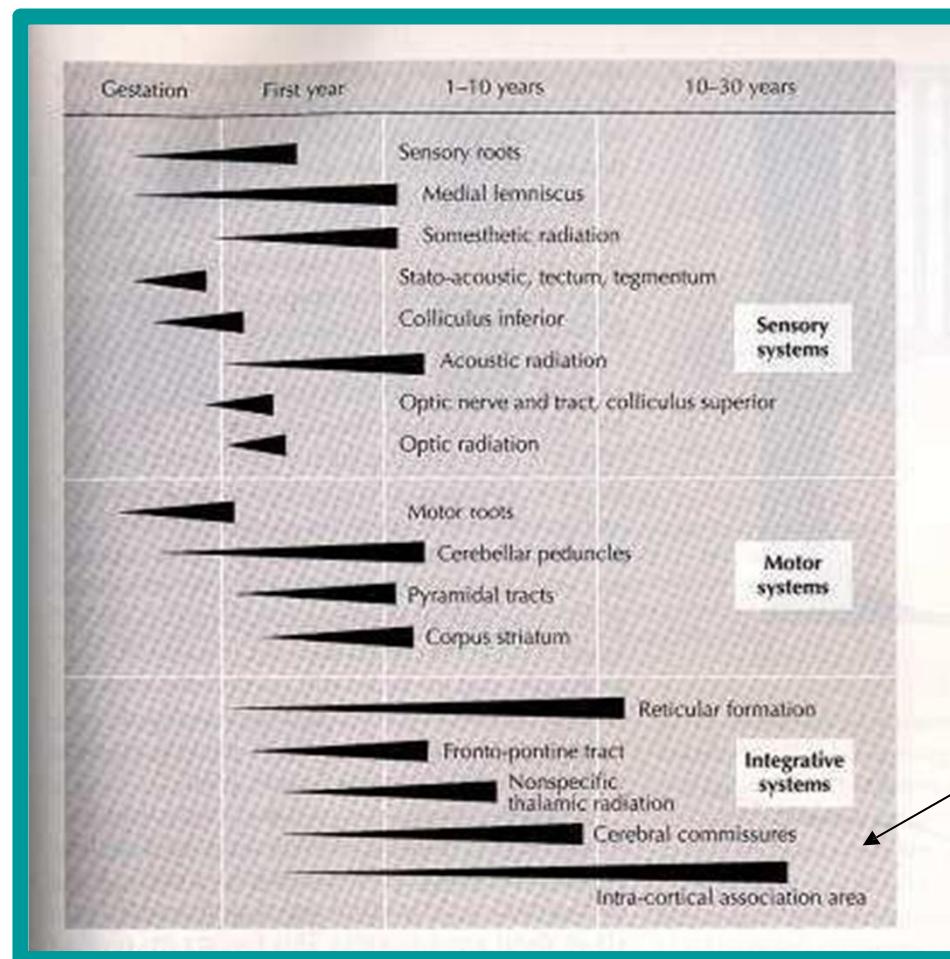
# Myelinisation

Image de fiber tracking



Un cerveau humain à 20 ans contient 176 000 km de fibres myélinisées (149 000 km chez la femme)

# *Myelinisation: essentiellement post natale*



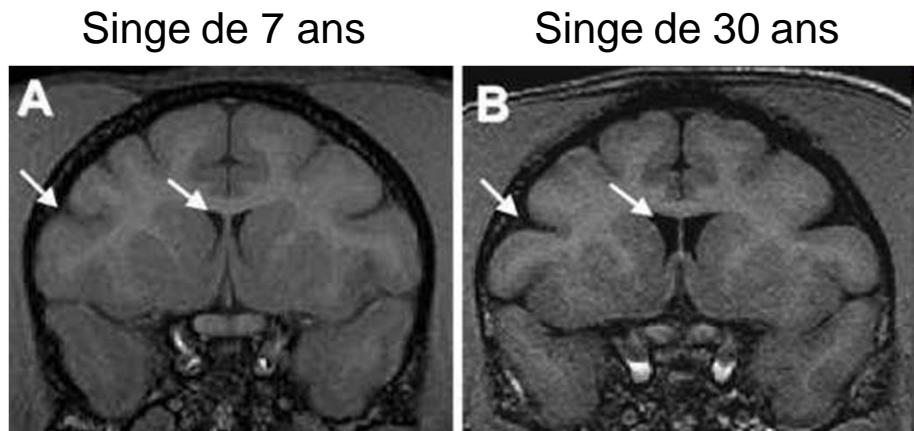
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# Substance Blanche et Vieillissement

Lors du vieillissement du cerveau, la perte neuronale est faible (10%)

Par contre la diminution de la substance blanche est importante: plus de 20% en volume associée à une perte du nombre de fibres myélinisées

Homme: 176 000 km à 20 ans, 97 200 à 80 ans: **45% de perte**



J Comp Neurol, 2003, 462, 139-143

**Figure 2.** Representative T2-weighted scans from two rhesus monkeys taken at the level of the temporal pole. **A:** A young monkey (7 years old). **B:** An elderly monkey (30 years old). Note the enlargement of the ventricles and the sulci in B (arrows). Quantitative analysis of segmented images from young and old monkeys indicates that this gyral atrophy results from a decrease in white matter volume with a compensatory increase in ventricular volume.