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Attachment and Entry

Session 5

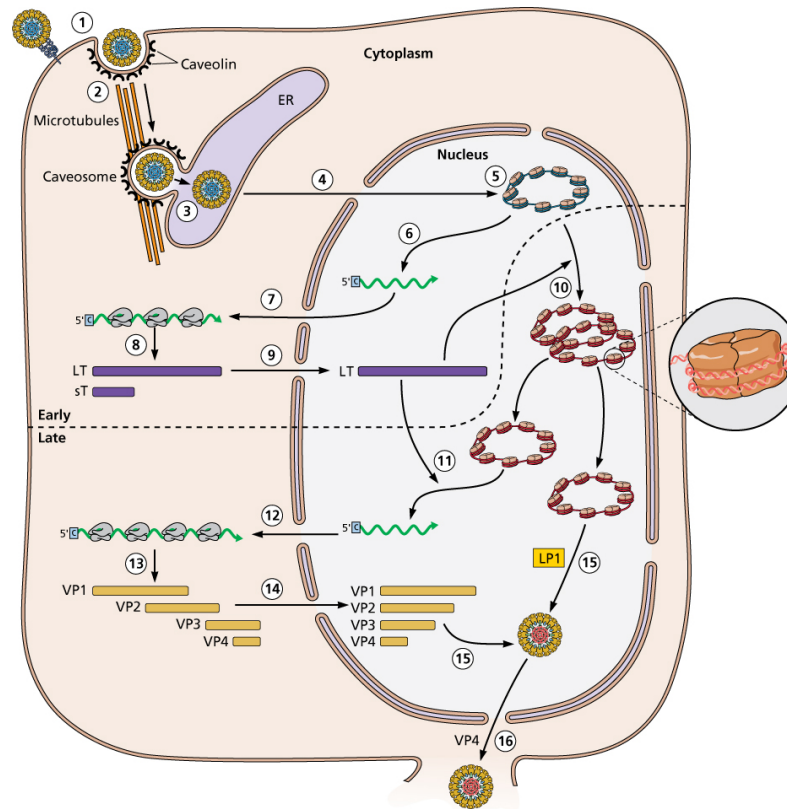
Virology Live

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*Who hath deceived thee so
often as thyself?*

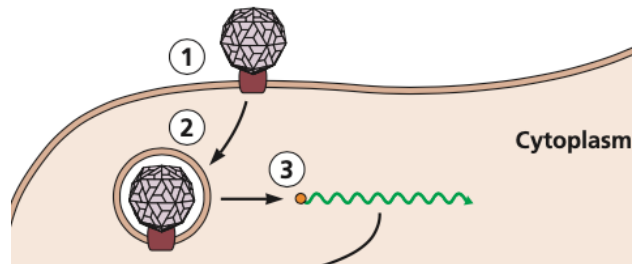
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Viruses are obligate intracellular parasites



Virus particles are too large to diffuse across the plasma membrane

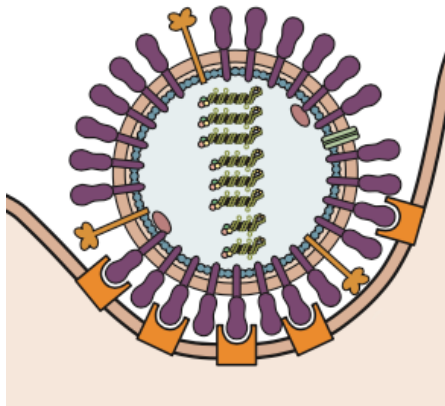
Finding the 'right' cell receptor



- Step 1: adhere to cell surface (random collisions & electrostatics)
 - No specificity
- Step 2: Attach to specific receptor molecules on cell surface
 - More than one receptor may be involved
- Step 3: Transfer genome inside the cell

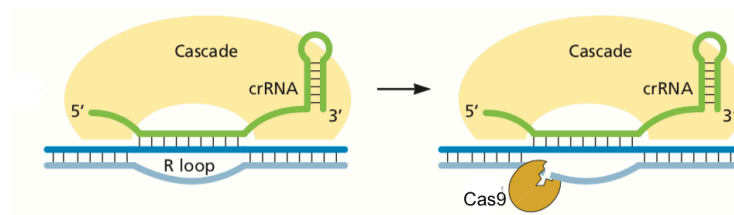
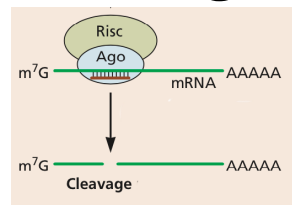
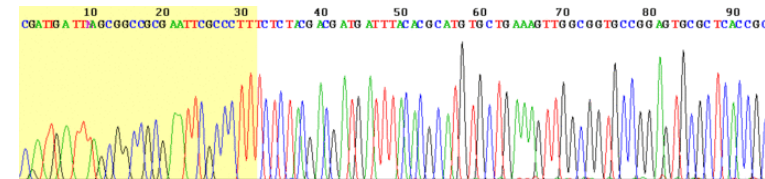
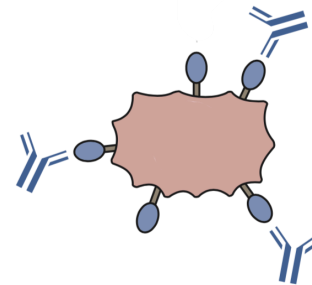
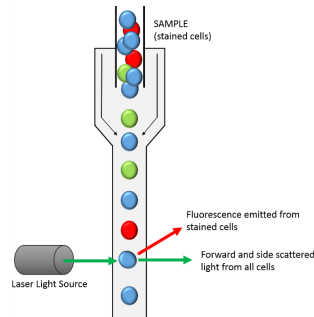
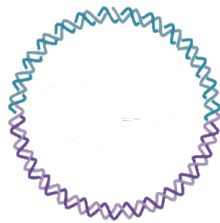
Cellular receptors for viruses

- Essential for all viruses except those of fungi (no extracellular phases) and plants (enter cells by mechanical damage)
- 1985: one receptor known, sialic acid for influenza virus



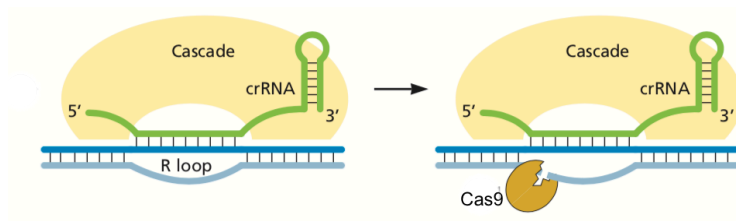
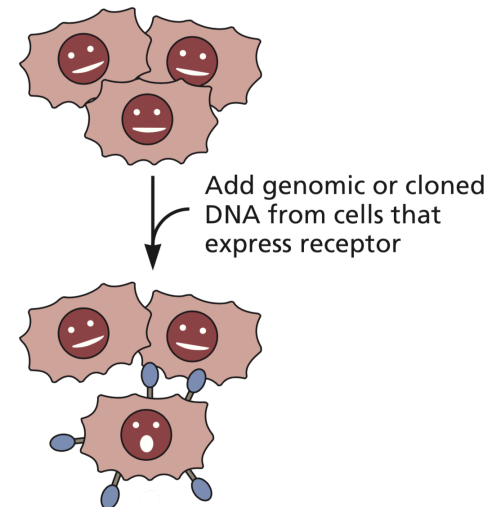
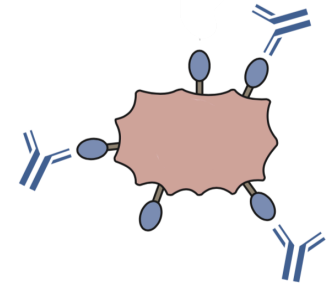
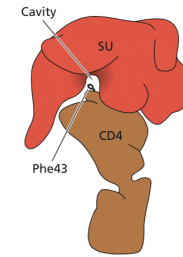
Enabling technologies

- Recombinant DNA
- Monoclonal antibodies
- Flow cytometry
- Nucleotide sequencing
- siRNA
- CRISPR/Cas9

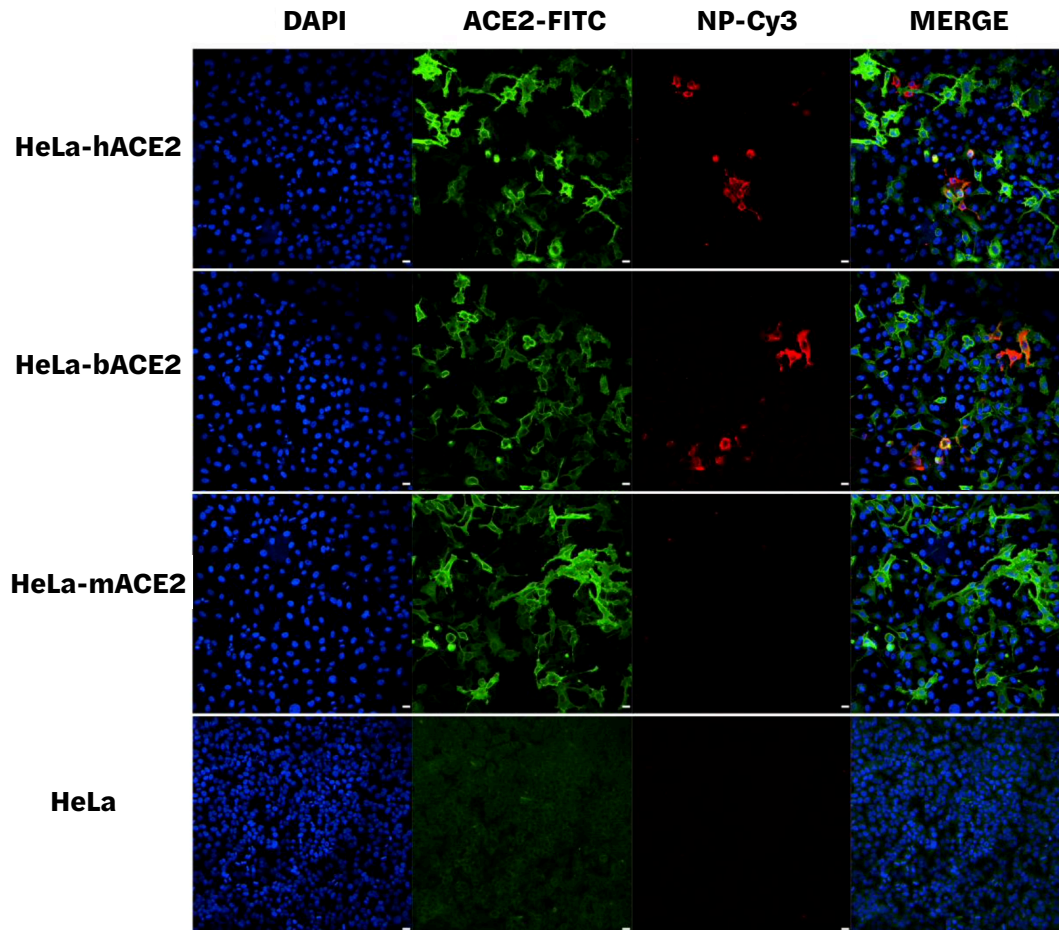
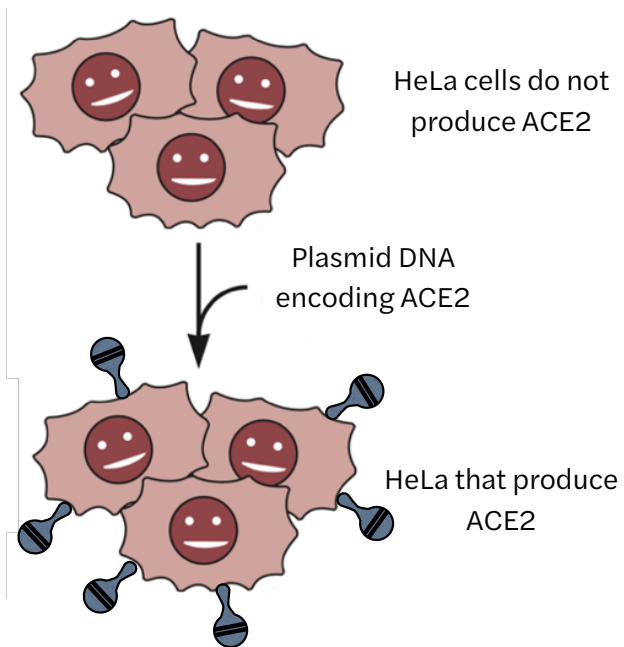


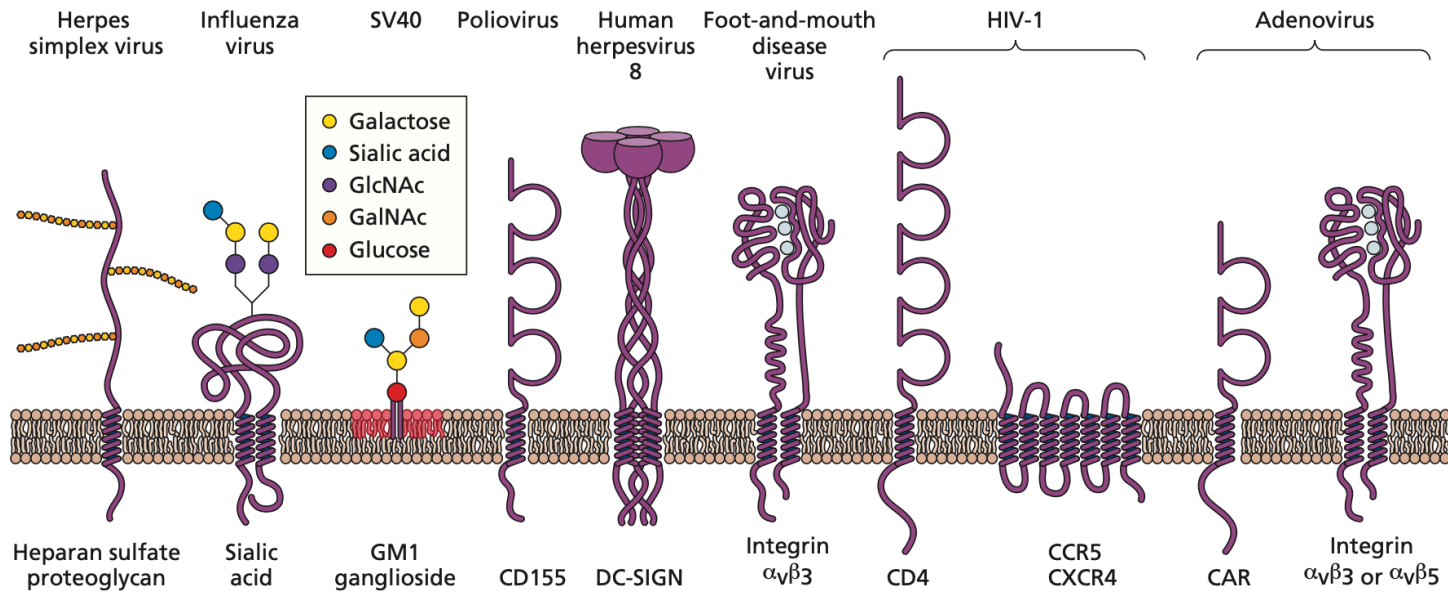
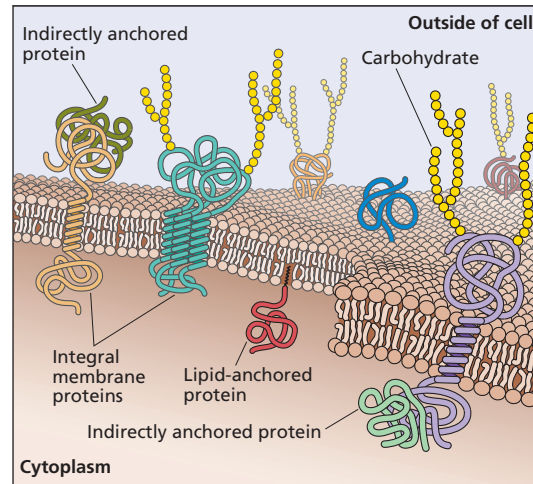
Criteria for identifying cell receptors for viruses

- Receptor binds virus particle
- Antibody to receptor blocks infection
- Receptor gene confers susceptibility
 - More than one receptor may be involved
- Disruption of receptor gene blocks infection



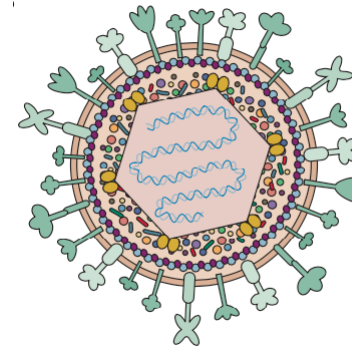
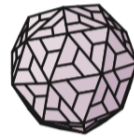
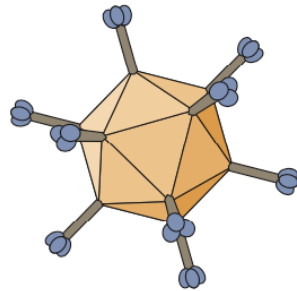
ACE2 is receptor for SARS-CoV-2





Cell functions!

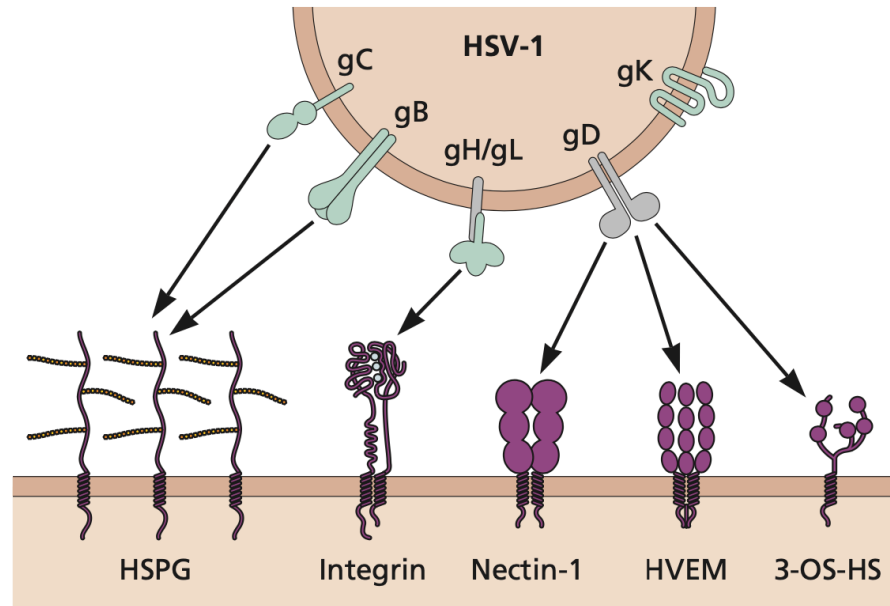
Different viruses can bind the same receptor



- Adenovirus and Coxsackievirus B3 have common primary receptor
- The swine herpesvirus, pseudorabies virus, binds same receptor as human poliovirus

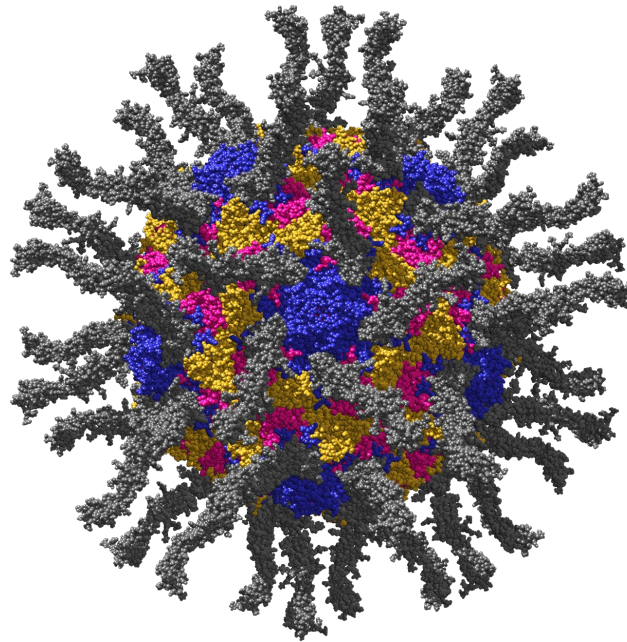
Viruses of the same family may bind different receptors

- Rhinoviruses (3), retroviruses (16)
- One virus may bind multiple receptors

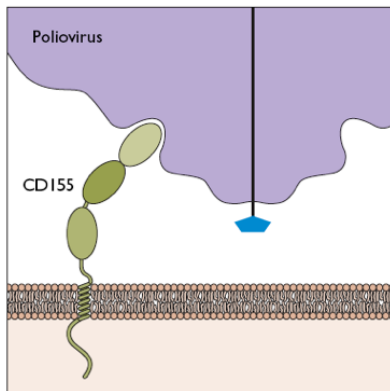
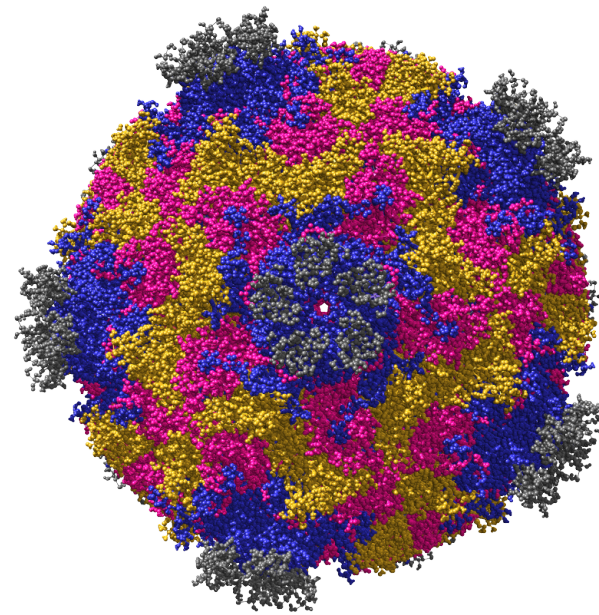


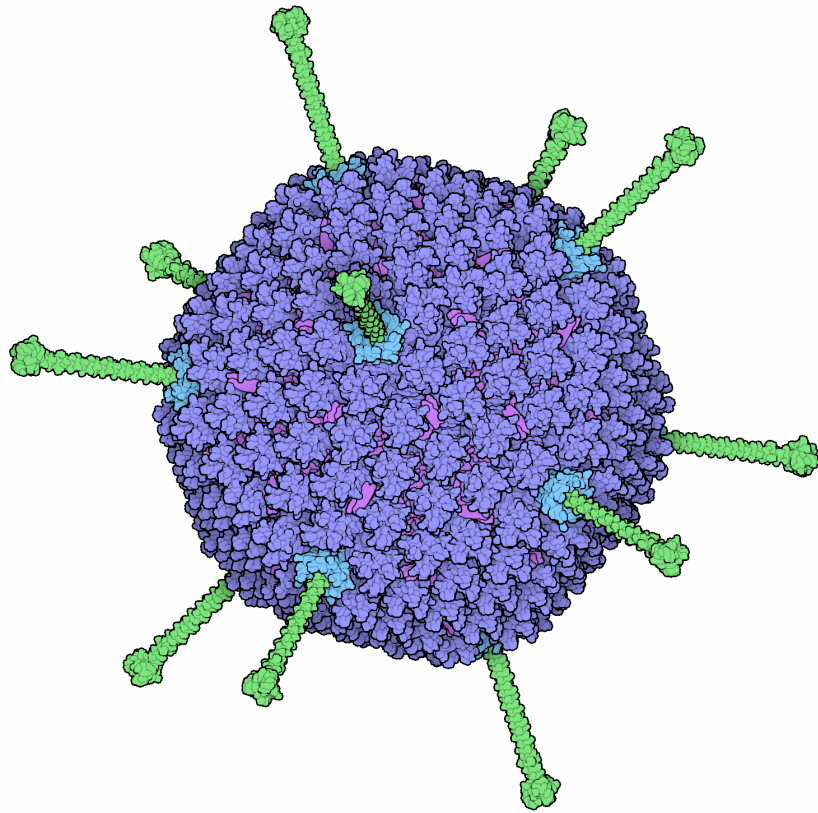
How do virus particles attach to receptors?

Poliovirus



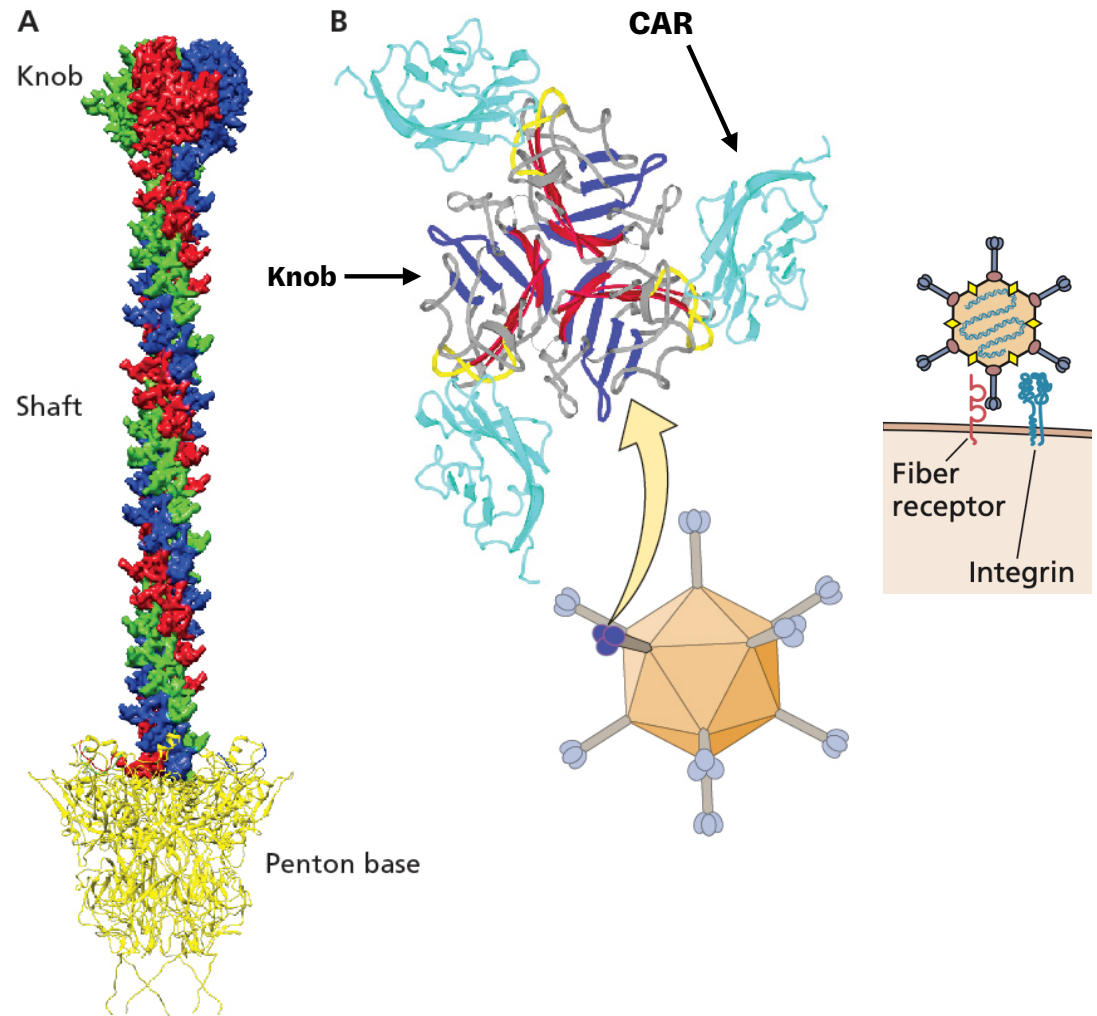
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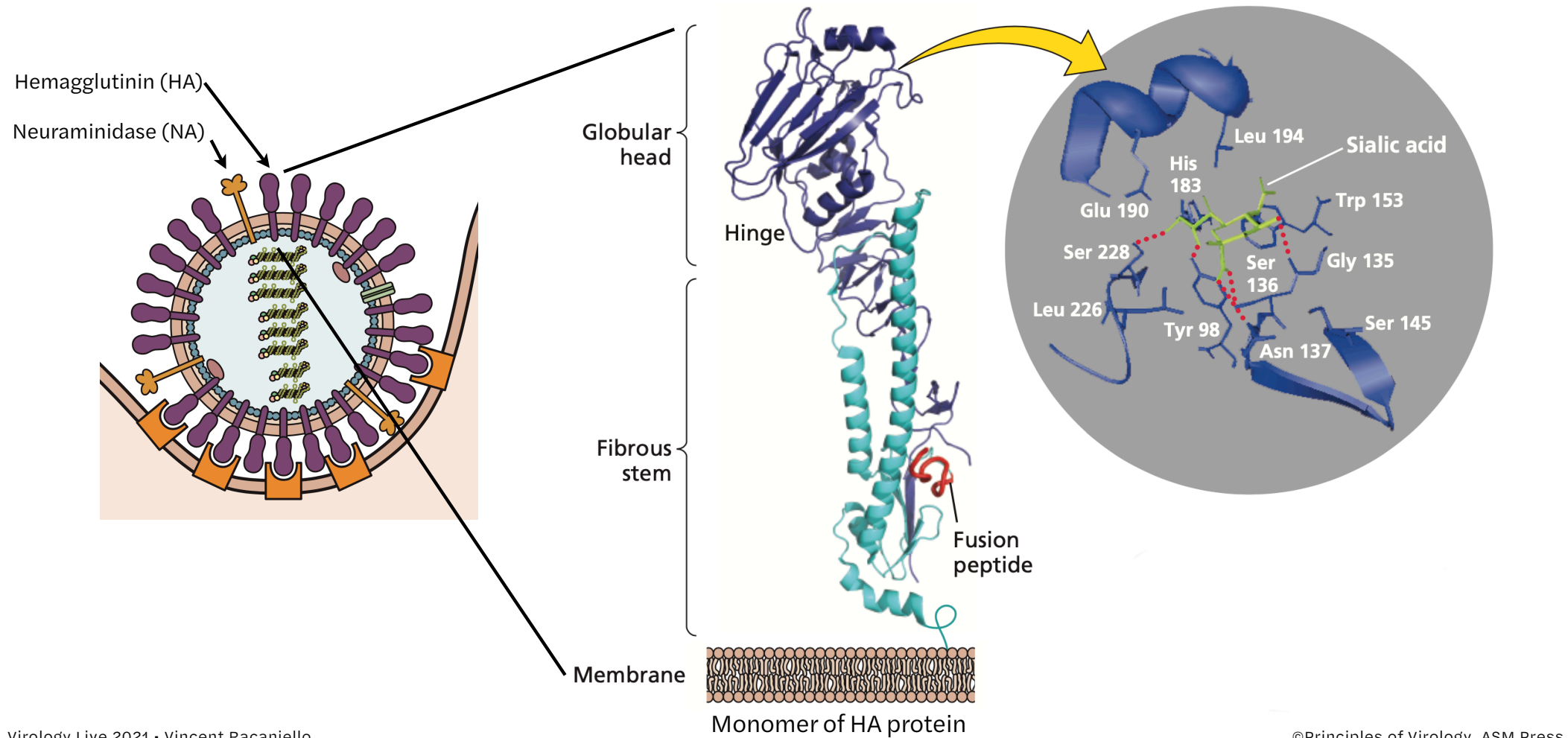


Adenovirus

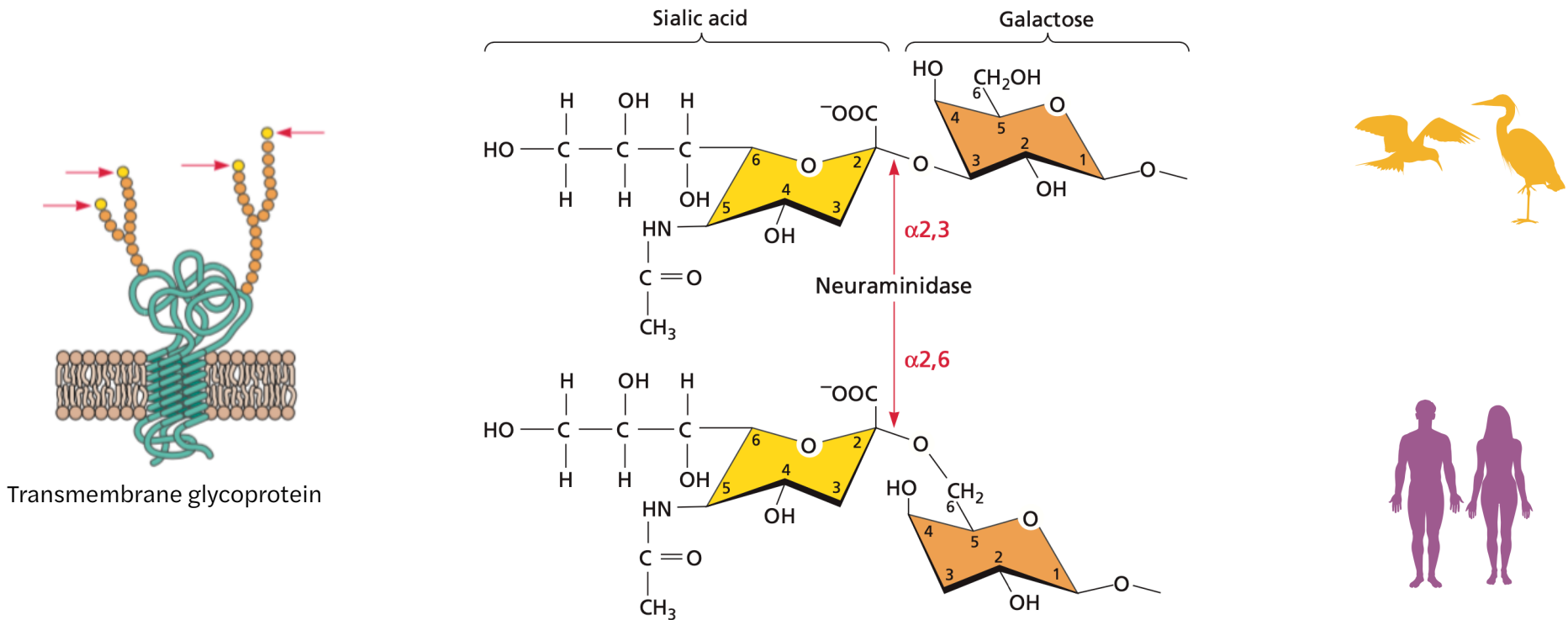
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Influenza virus attachment to cells

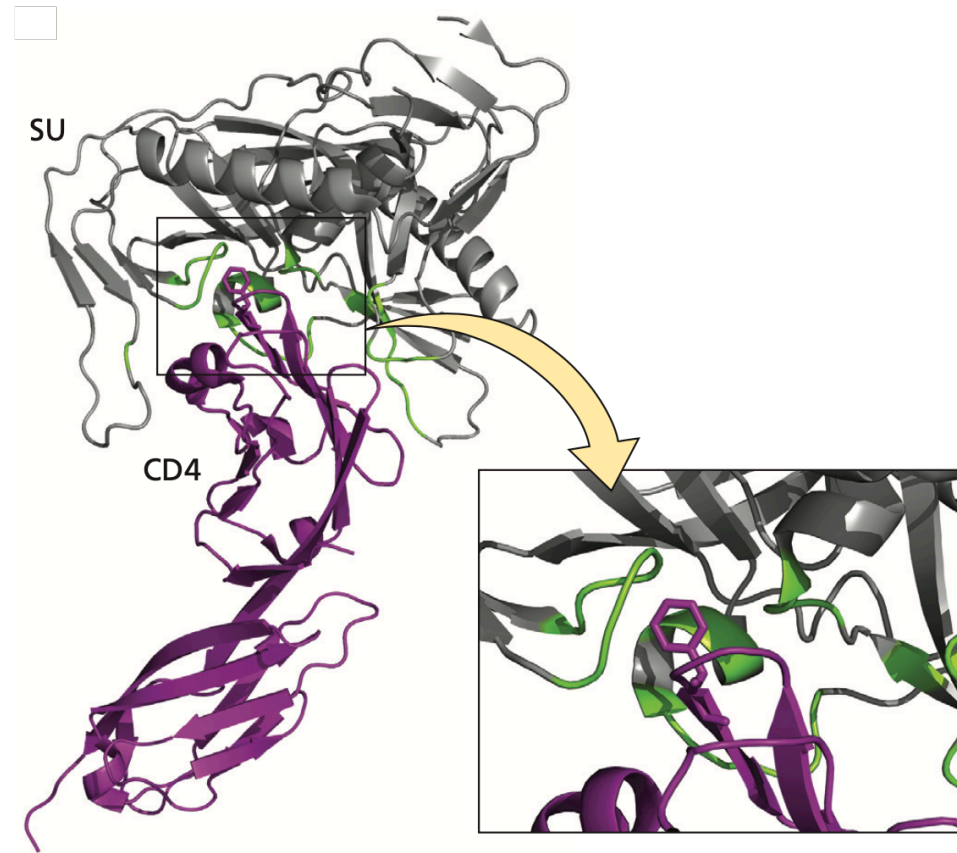
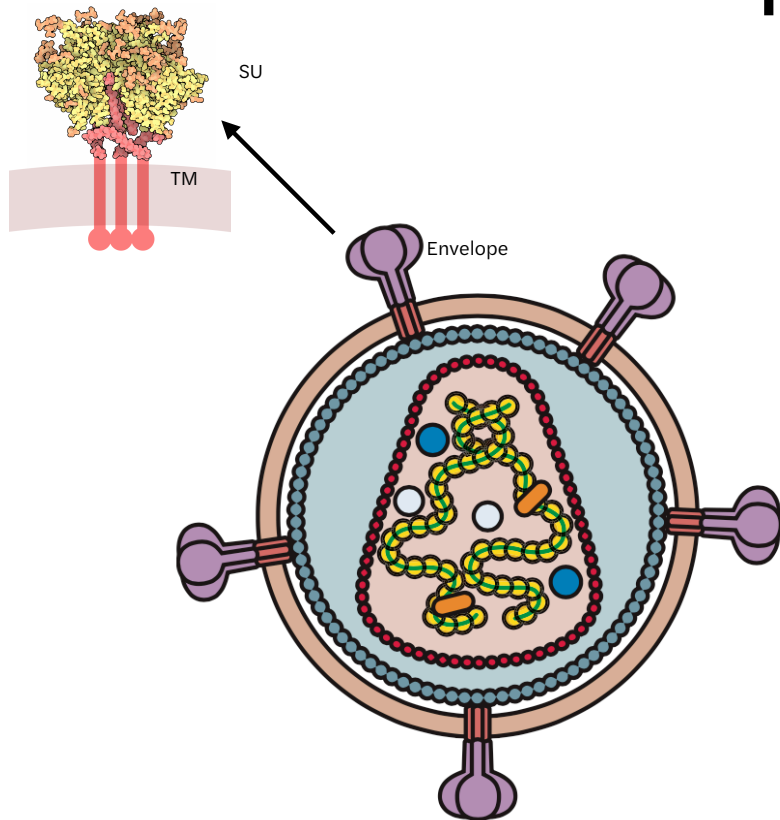


Sialic acid: receptor for influenza viruses

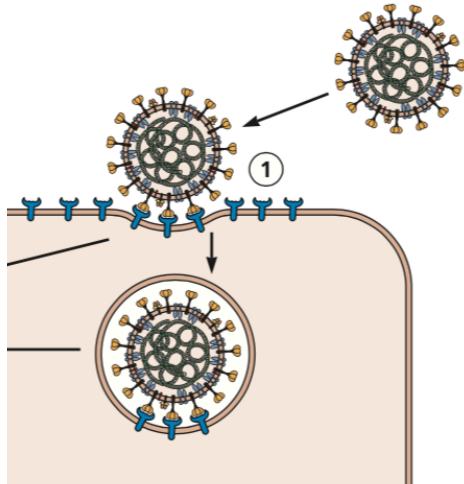


- Sialic acids: N-acetylneuraminic acid (A,B); 9-O-acetyl-N-neuraminic acid (C)
- $\alpha(2,6)$ preferentially bound by human strains, $\alpha(2,3)$ by avian

HIV-1 attachment

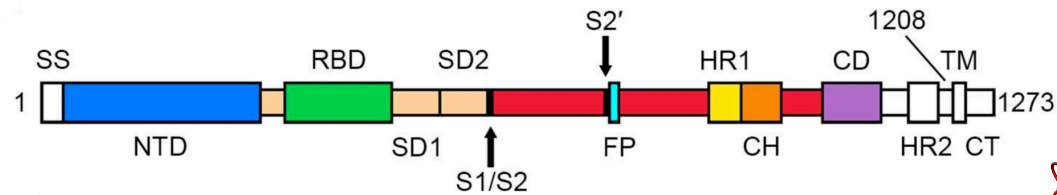


SARS-CoV-2 attachment

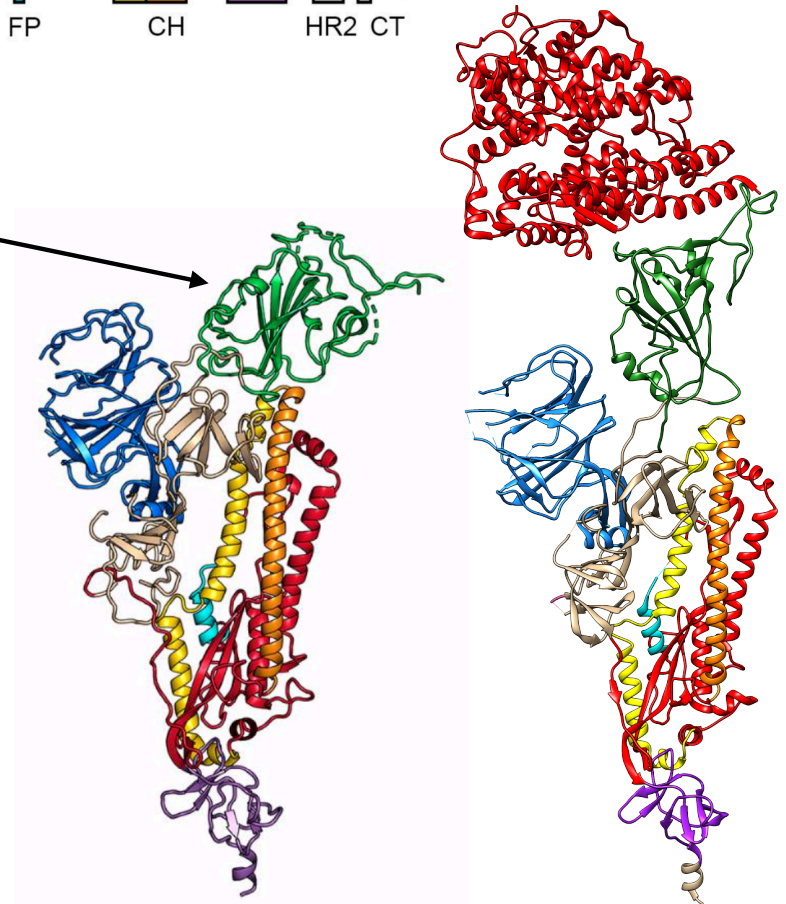


Coronavirus cell receptors

HCoV-229E	Human amino peptidase N
HCoV-NL63	Angiotensin converting enzyme 2
HCoV-OC43	N-acetyl-9-O-acetylneuraminic acid
SARS-CoV	Angiotensin converting enzyme 2
MERS-CoV	Dipeptidyl peptidase 4
SARS-CoV-2	Angiotensin converting enzyme 2



Receptor binding domain
(ACE2)



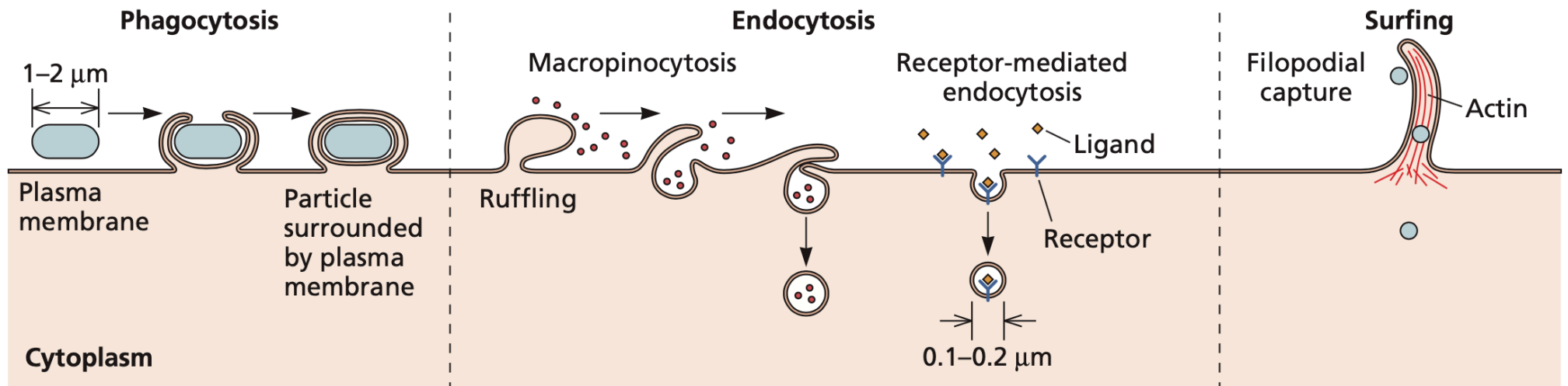
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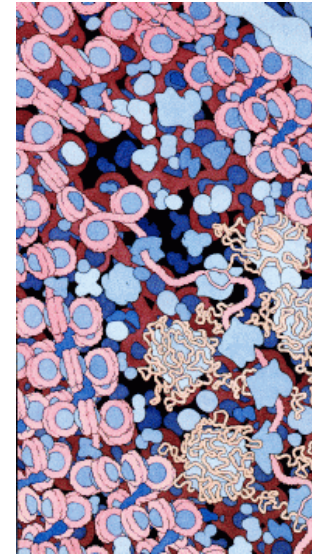
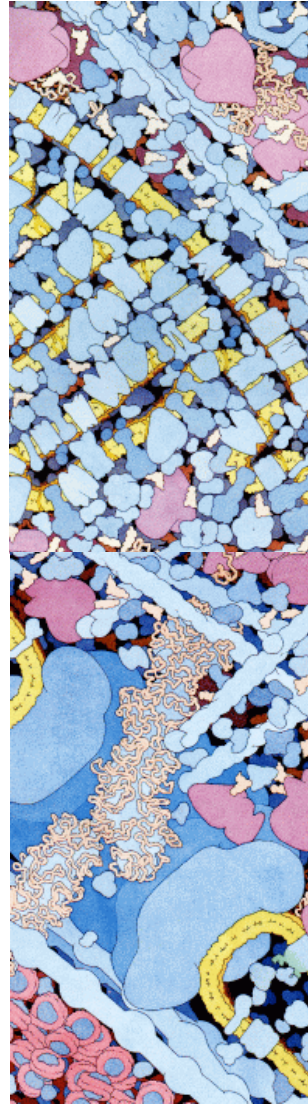
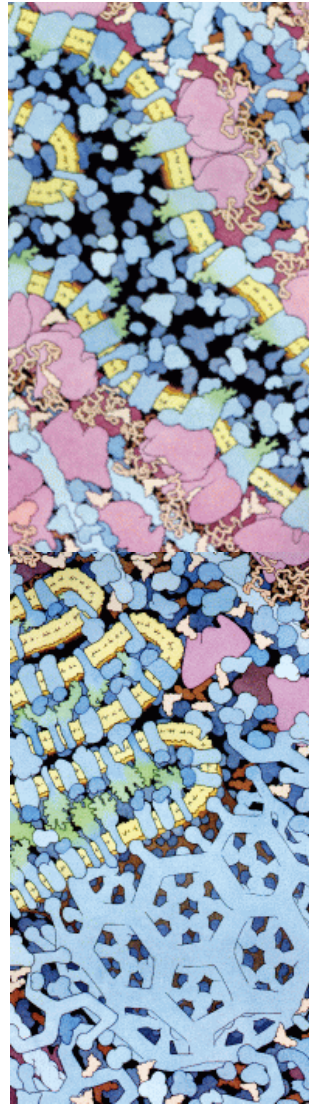
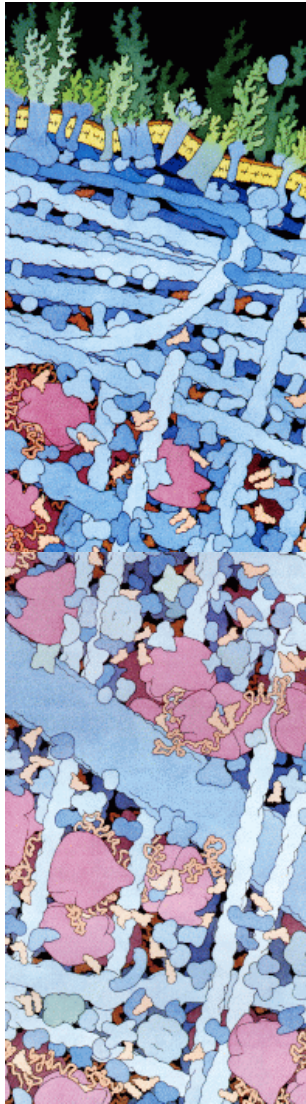
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Viral receptors on the cell surface:

- A. Can bind directly to icosahedral virus capsid proteins
- B. Interact with glycoproteins of enveloped viruses
- C. Can be carbohydrate or protein molecules
- D. Have cellular functions
- E. All of the above

Entry into cells



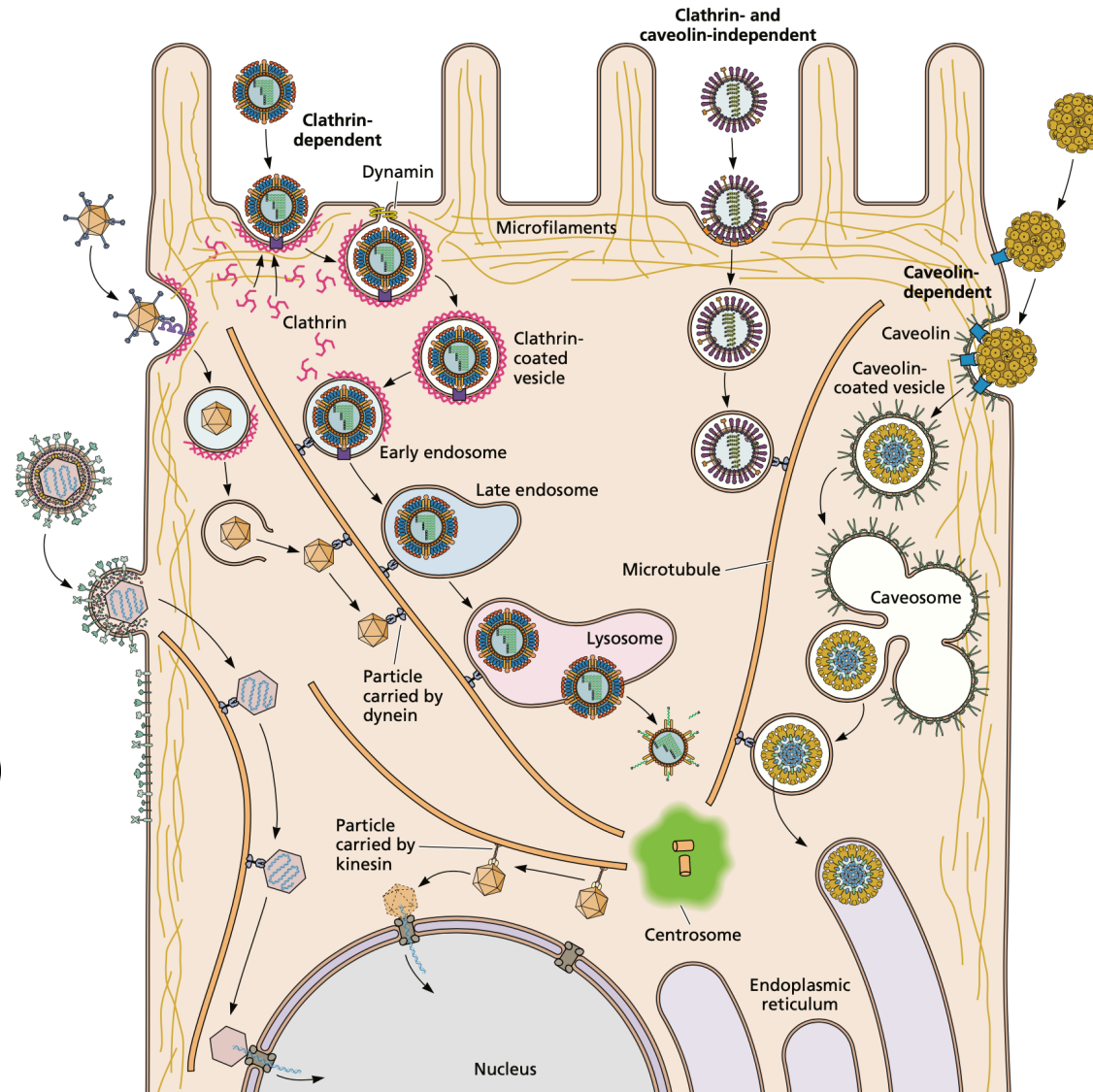


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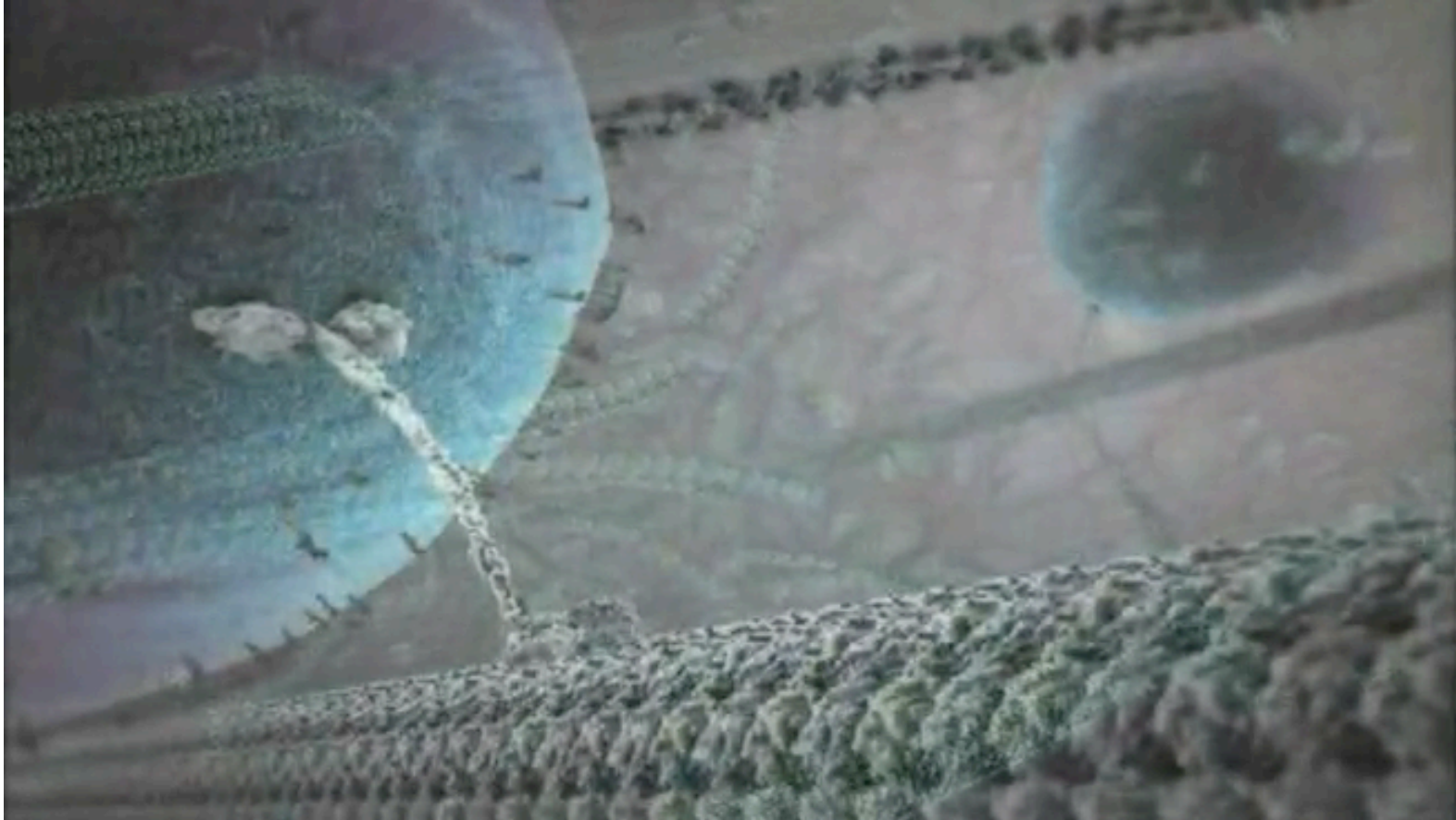
The cytoplasm is crowded!

**Movement of large protein
complexes will not occur by
diffusion!**

Fusion of viral and host cell membranes mediated by viral fusion proteins

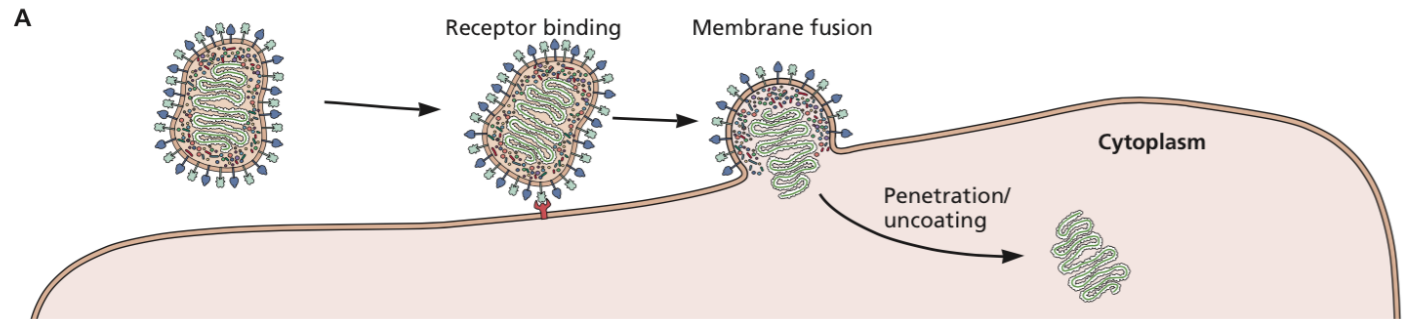


Movement of endosomes

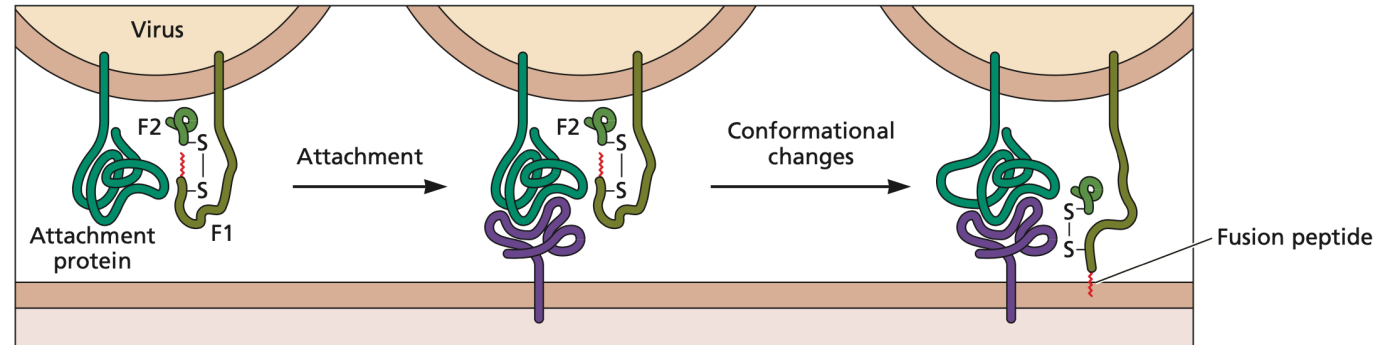


XVIVO Scientific Animation <http://www.xvivo.net/>

Entry at plasma membrane

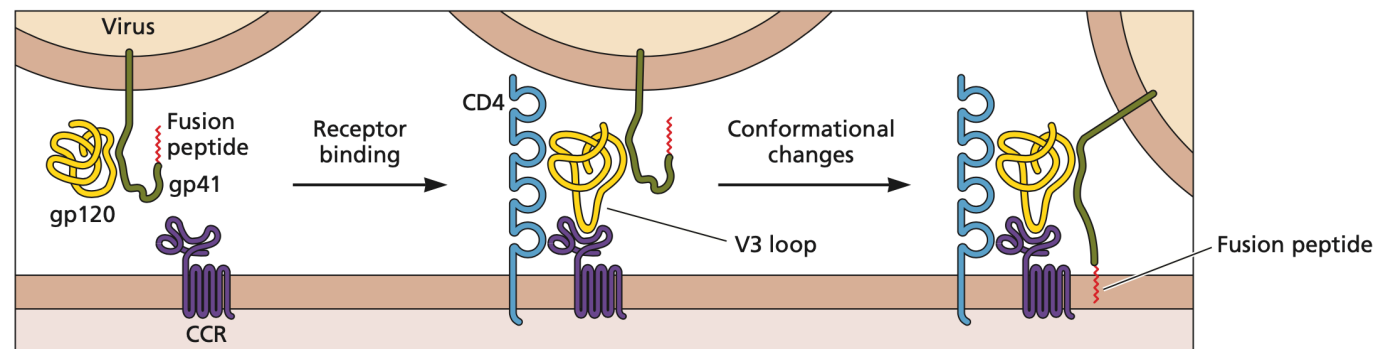


Paramyxovirus

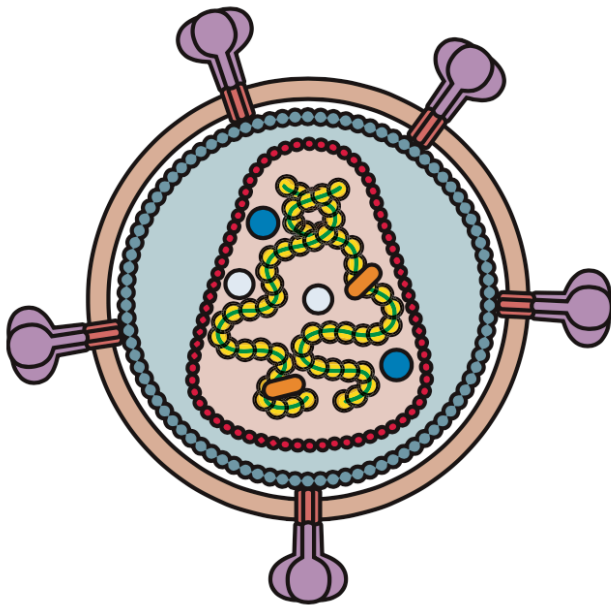


HIV-1

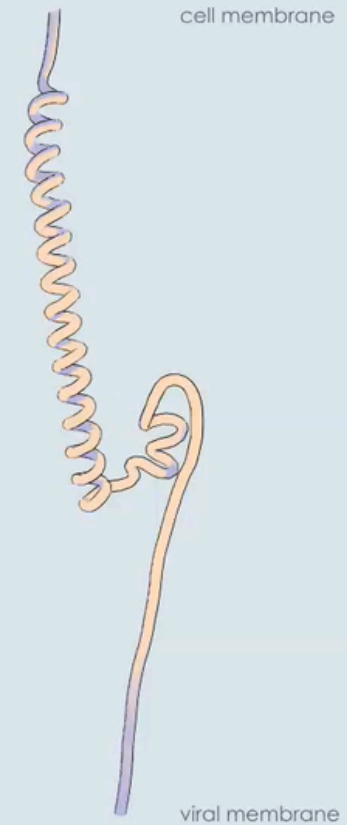
HIV-1



HIV-1 Env mediated fusion



During the fusion process, the C-terminal region that is anchored in the viral membrane undergoes an α -helical transition and runs alongside the outside of the core.



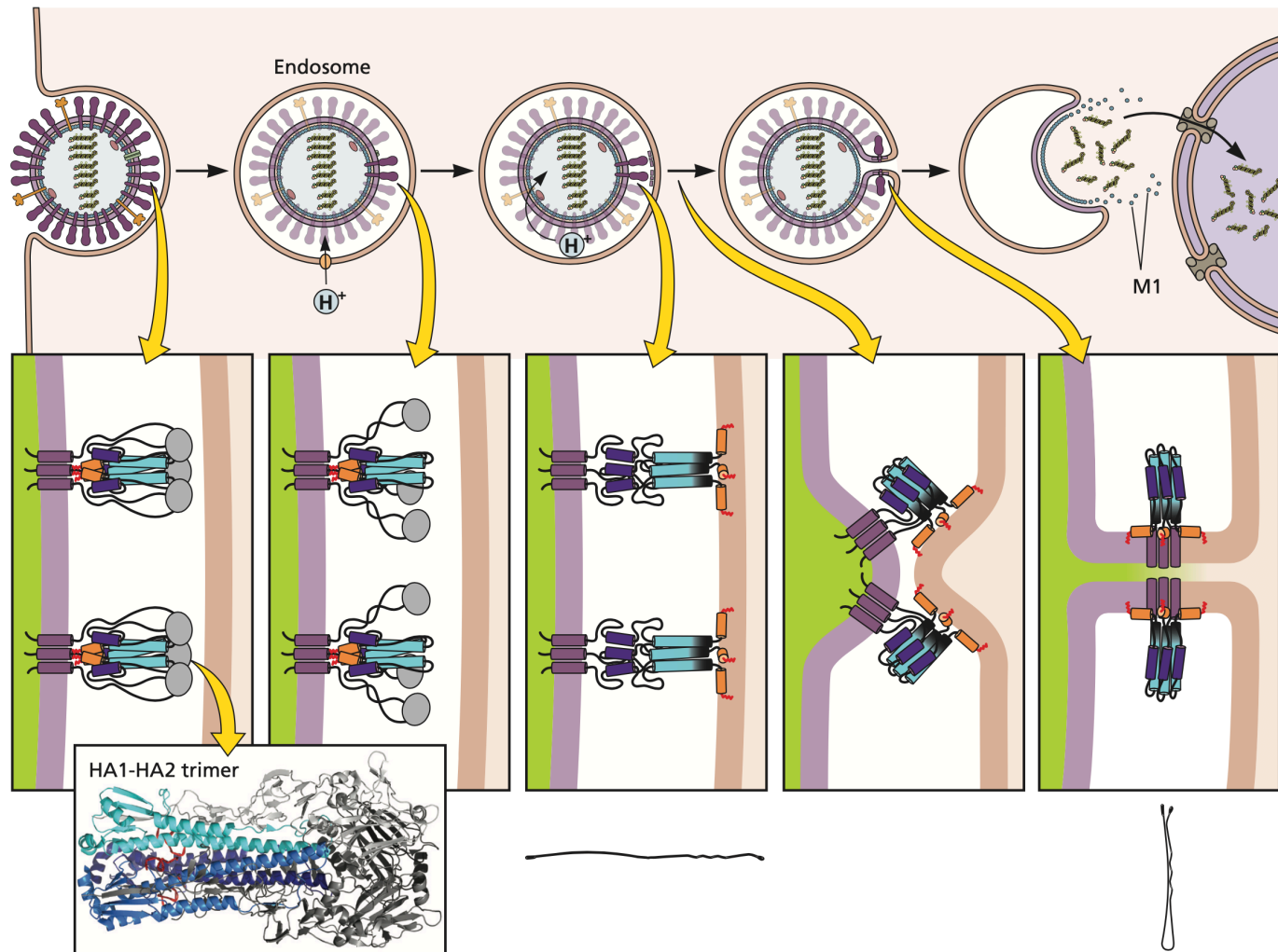
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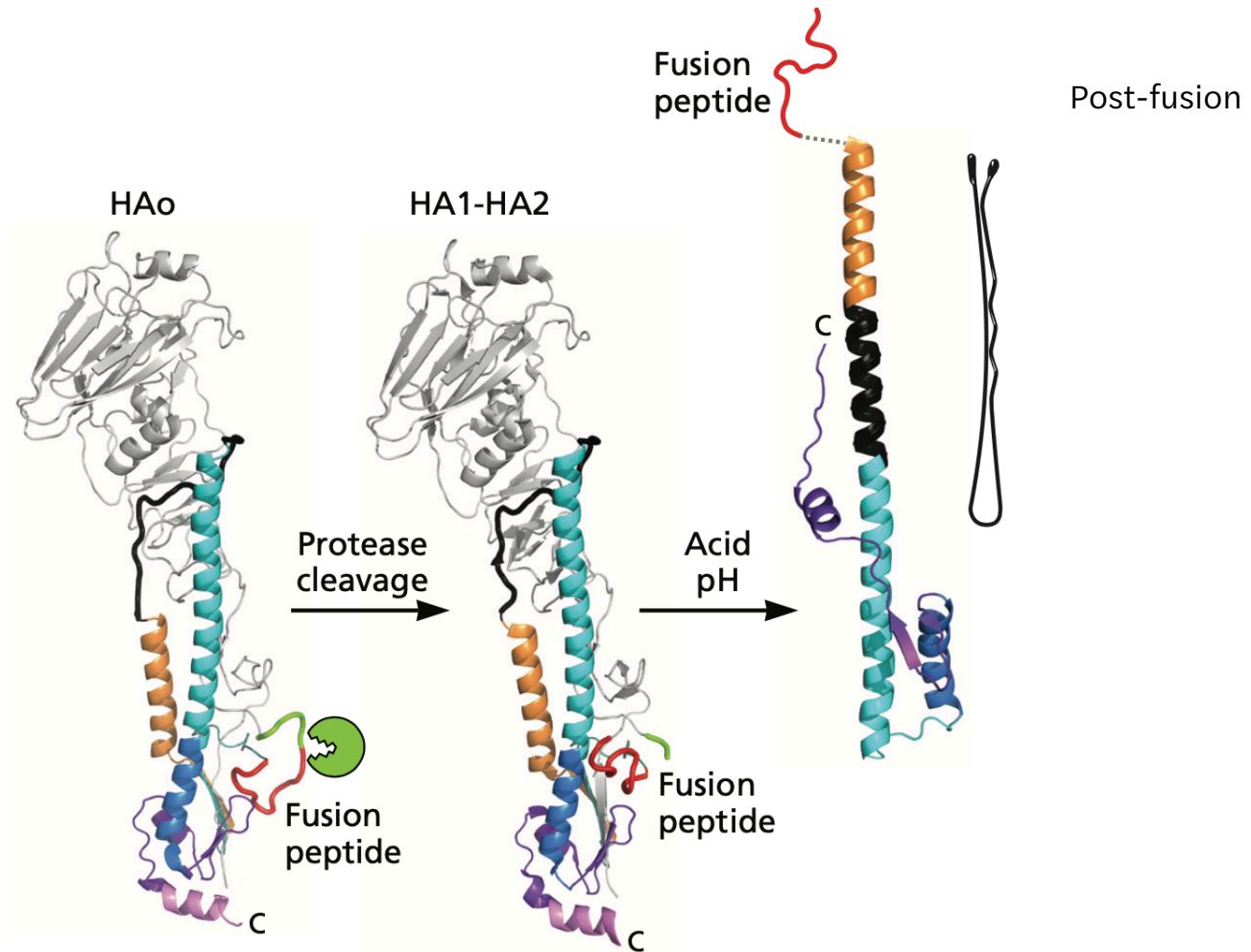
Which of the following does not play a role in virus entry:

- A. Clathrin-mediated endocytosis
- B. Fusion of viral and plasma membranes
- C. Diffusion of virus particles in the cytoplasm
- D. Microtubule-mediated transport
- E. Sialic acids

Influenza virus membrane fusion

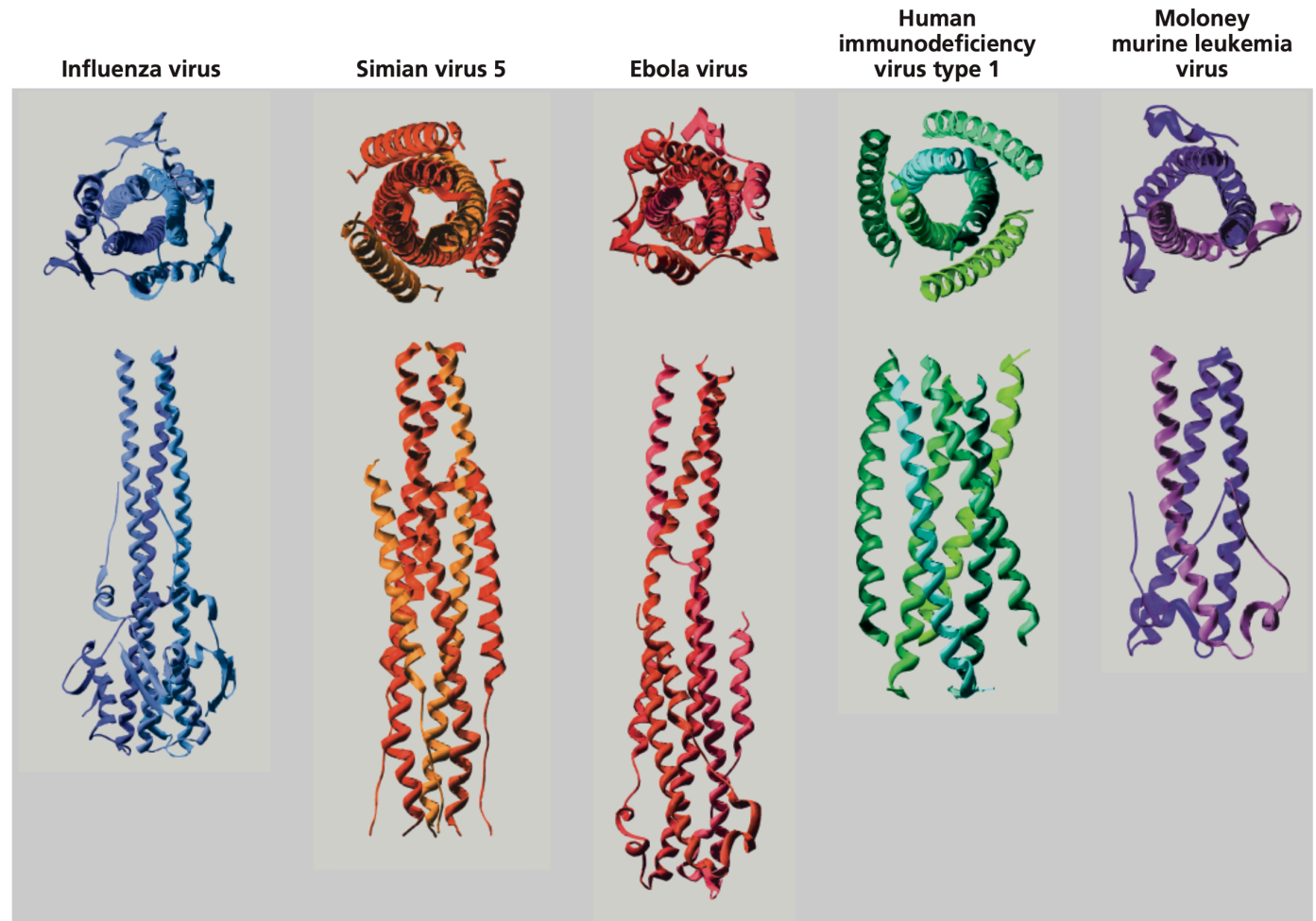


Three states of influenza virus HA



Class I fusion proteins

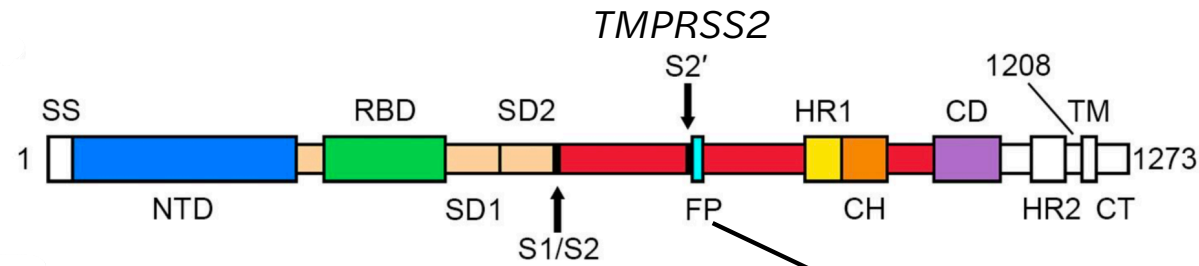
- Perpendicular to membrane - spikes
- Mostly α -helical
- Form trimers



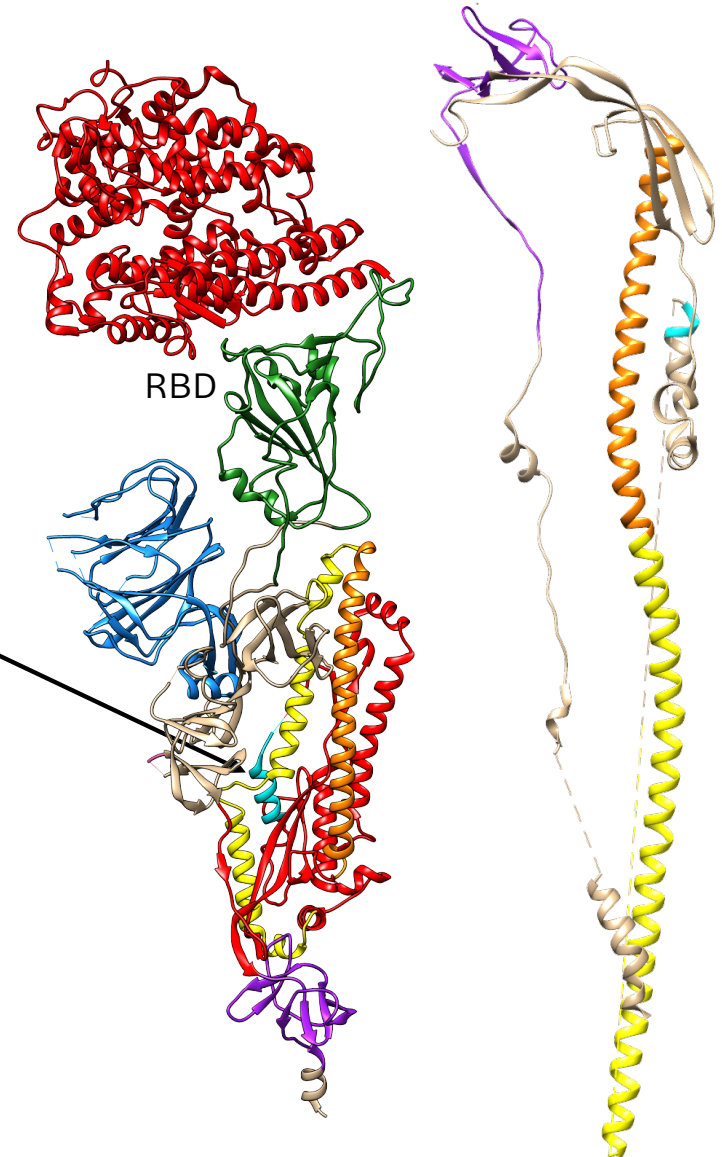
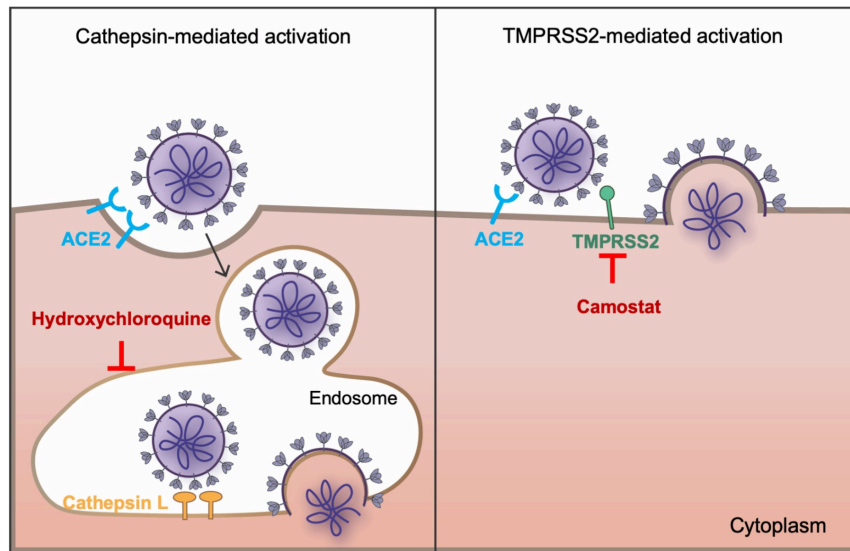
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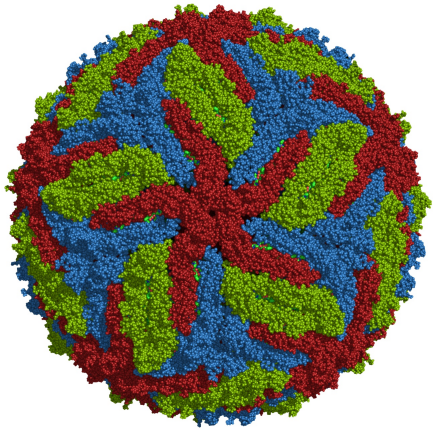


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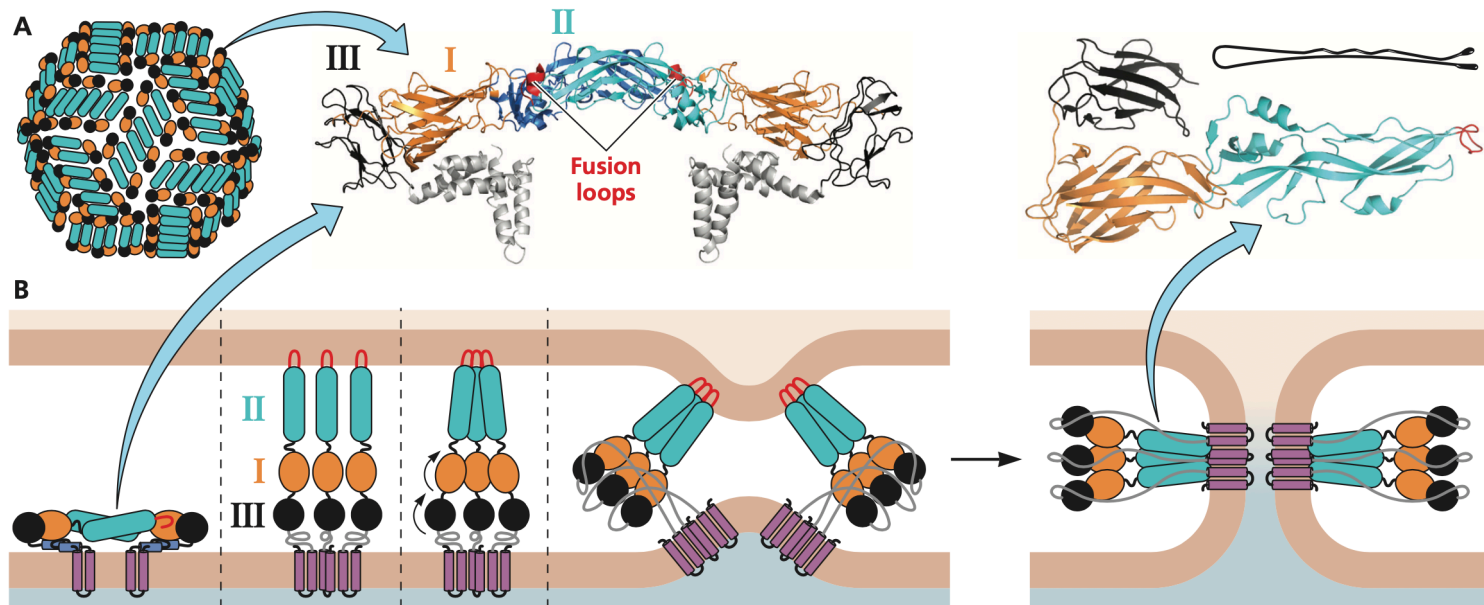
Protease cleavage of spike needed for fusion: this process must be regulated



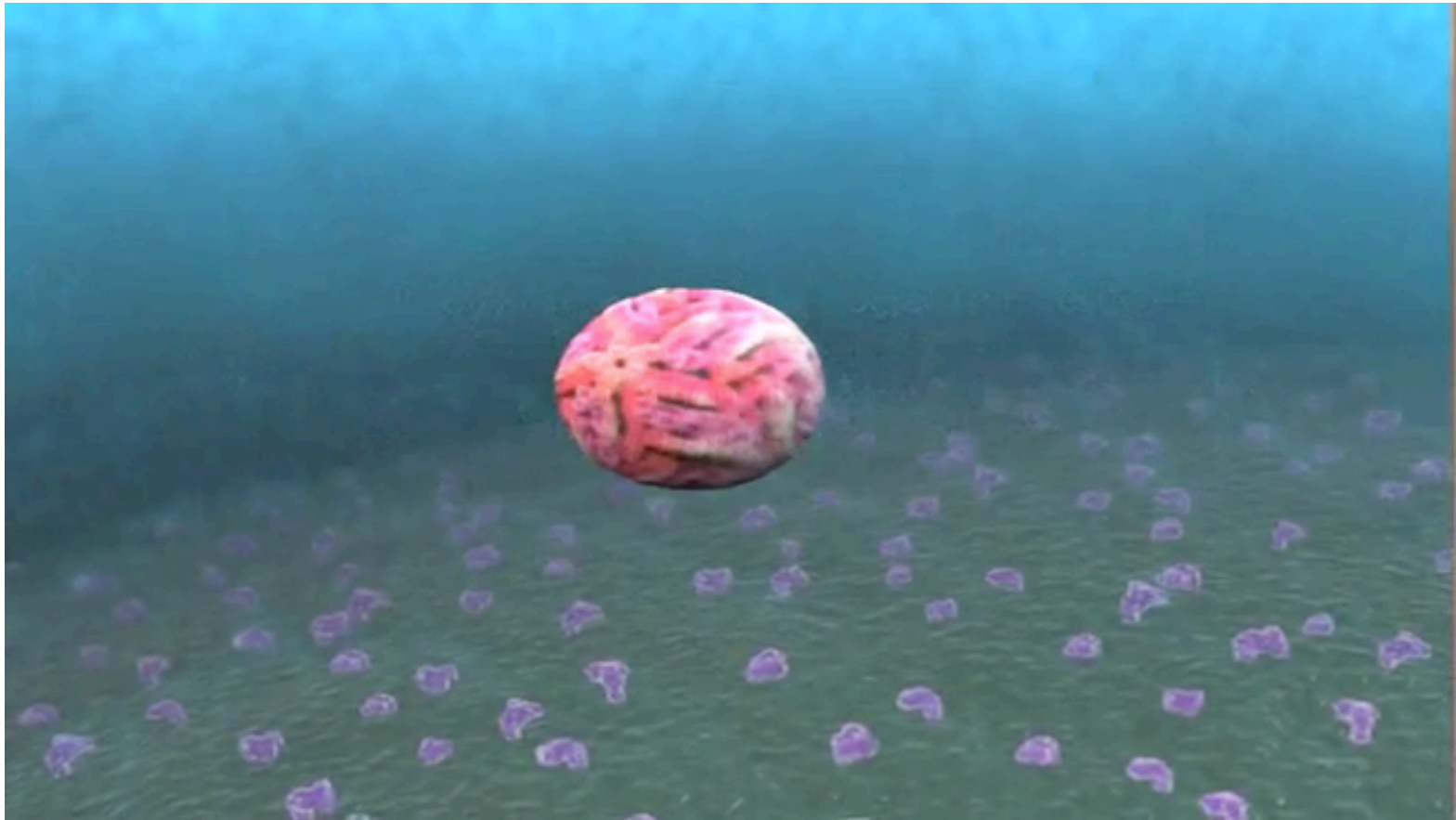


Class II fusion proteins

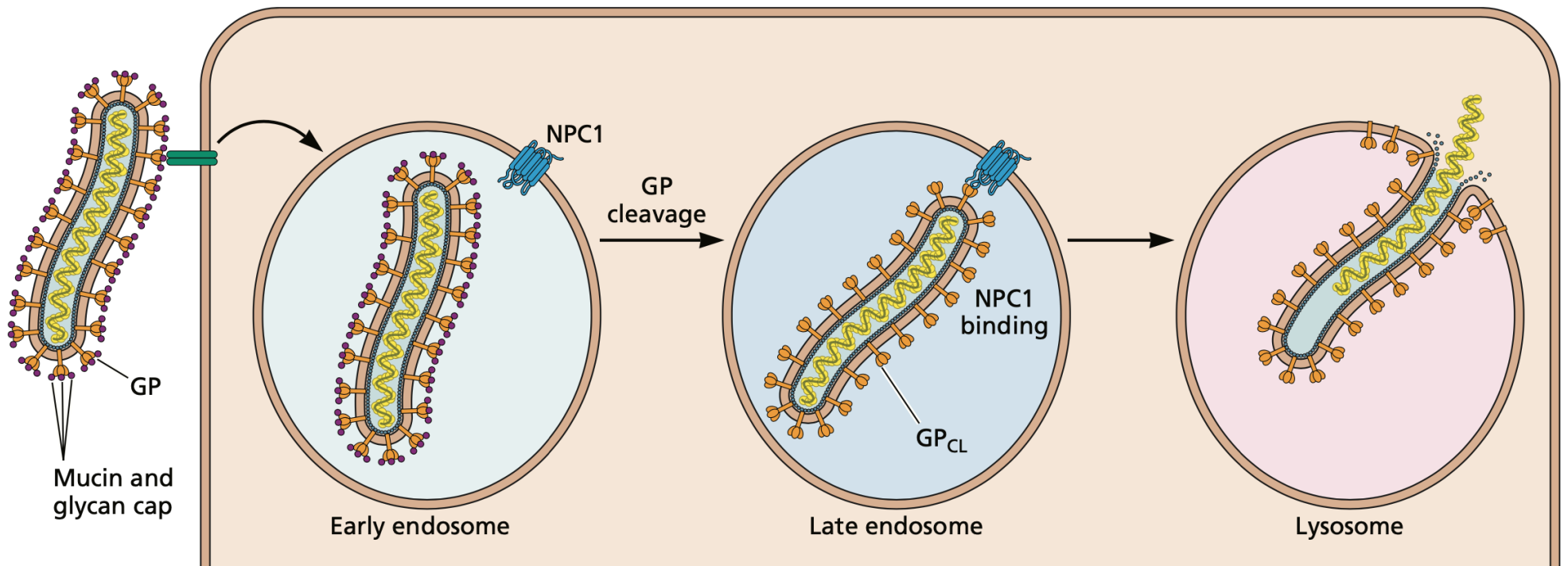
- Mostly β -sheet
- Form dimers
- Parallel to the membrane



Dengue virus entry

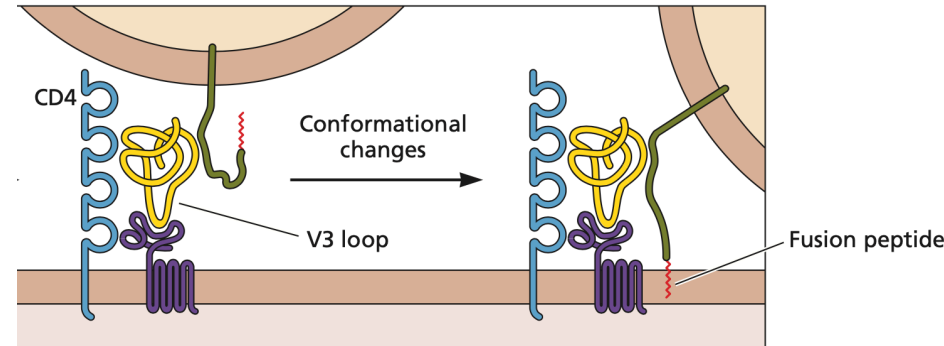


Ebolavirus entry



Fusion is regulated

- Must not occur in the wrong location
- Neutral pH (plasma membrane)
 - Second protein receptor interaction
- Low pH fusion
 - Proteolytic cleavage activates the fusion protein for cleavage (class I)
 - Endosome fusion receptor



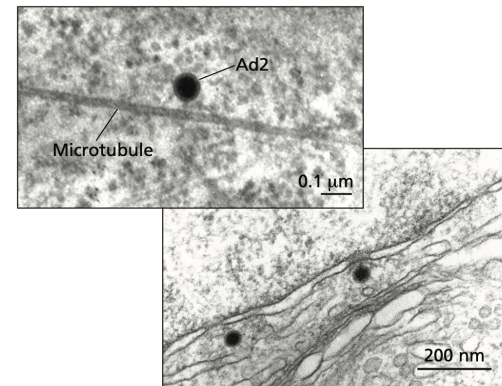
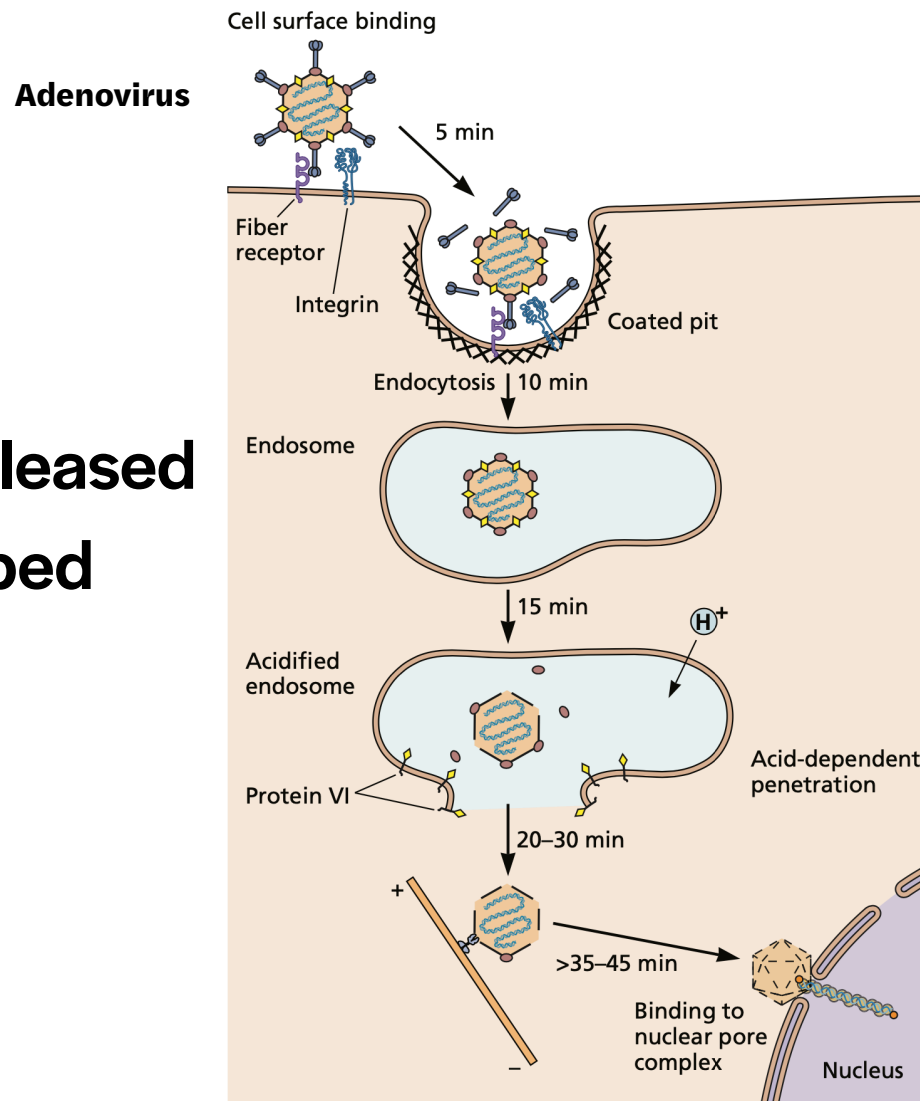
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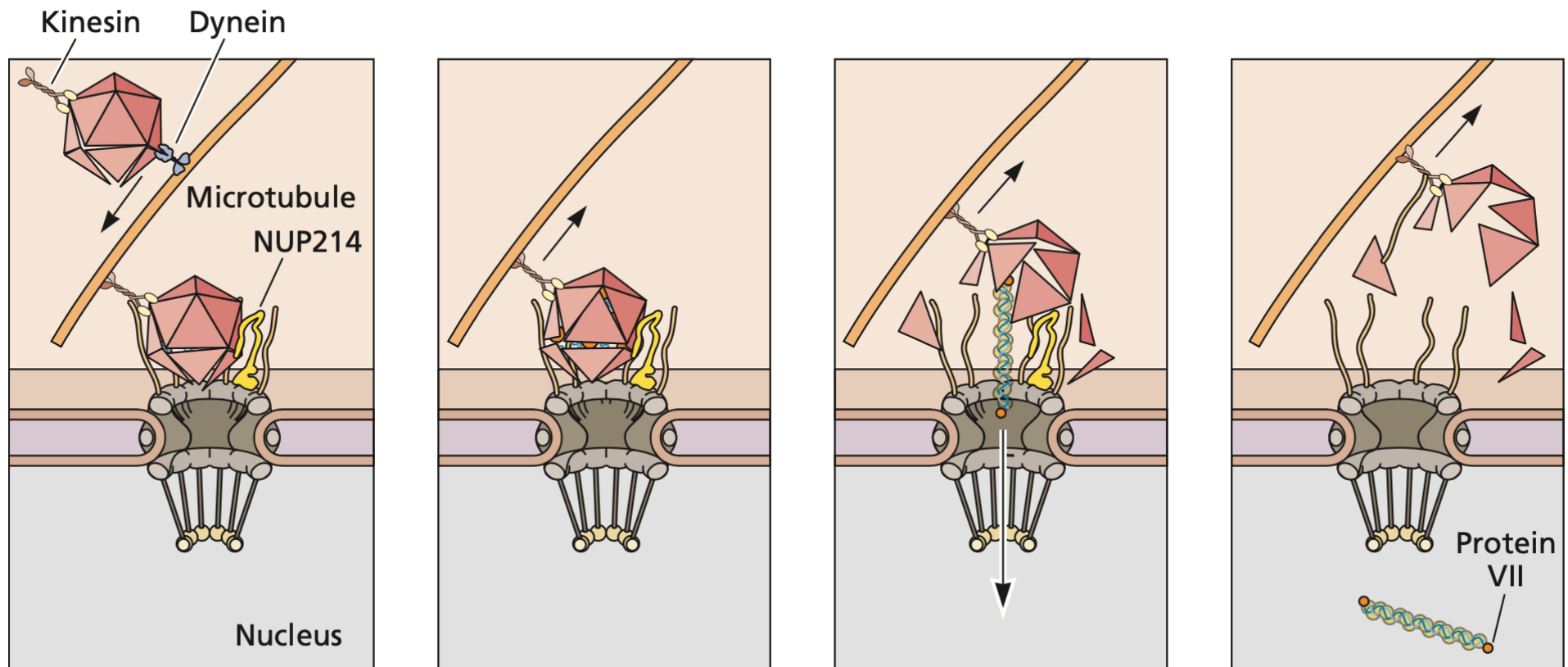
Viral fusion peptides are exposed for insertion into the host cell membrane when:

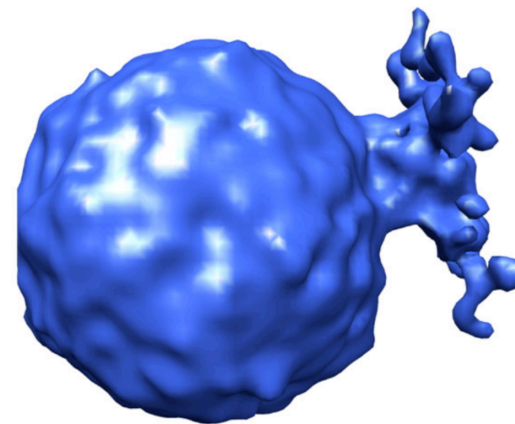
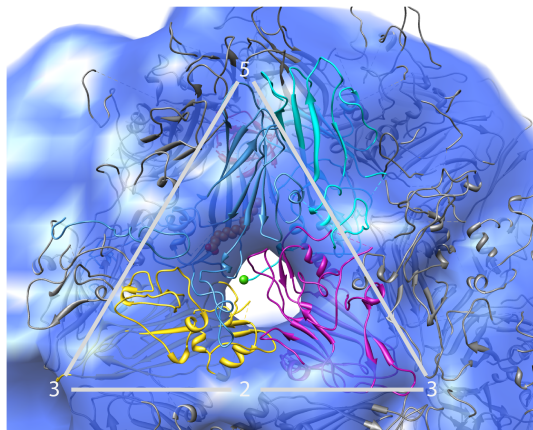
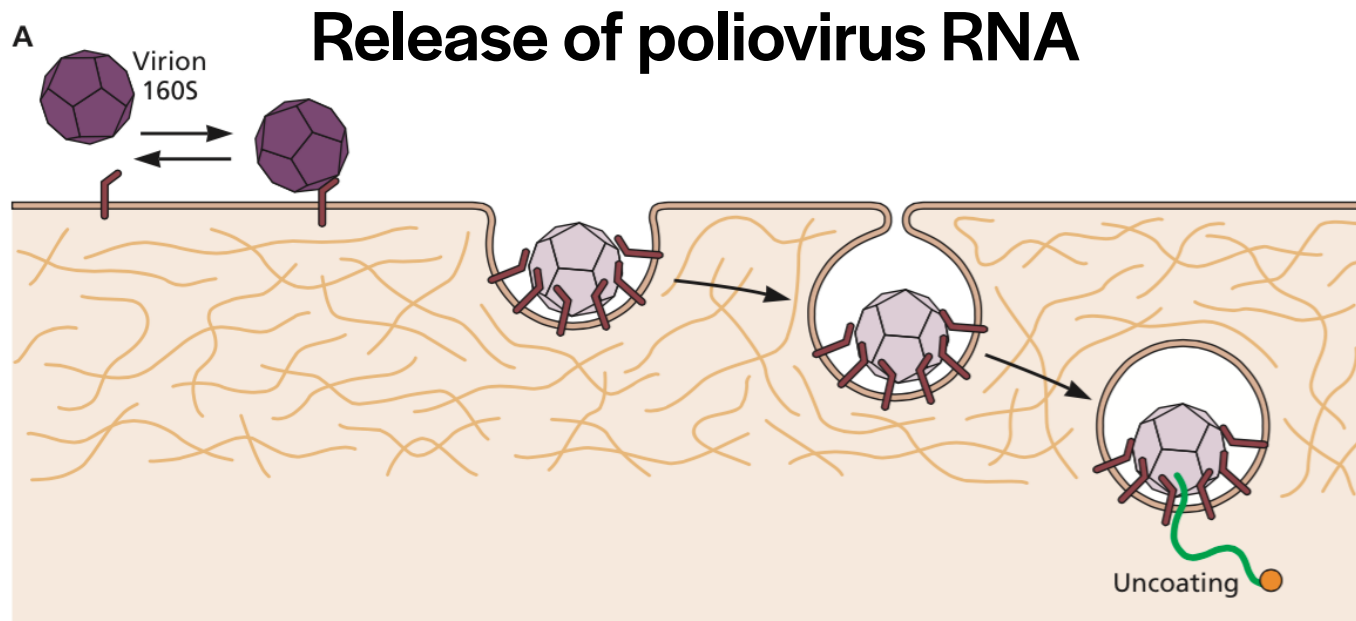
- A. The virus particle is near a cell
- B. The virus particle is in the cytoplasm
- C. Trimers of the fusion peptides form
- D. The endosome becomes acidified
- E. The virus is docked on the nuclear pore

How are genomes released from non-enveloped viruses?



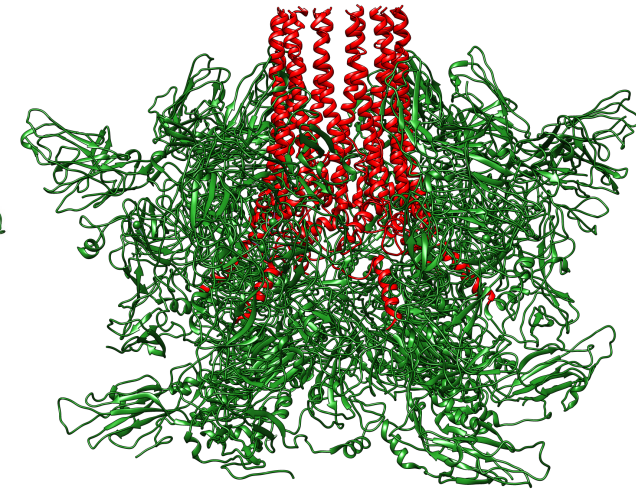
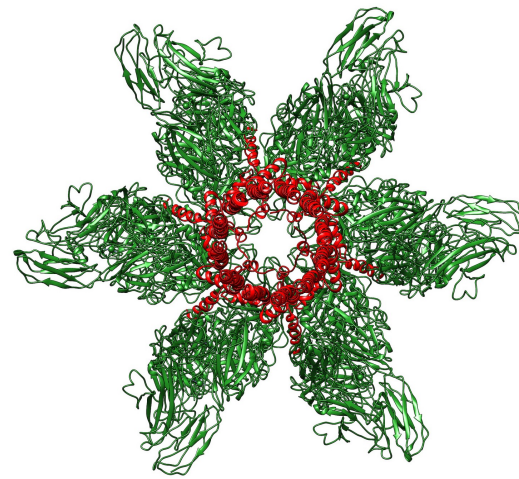
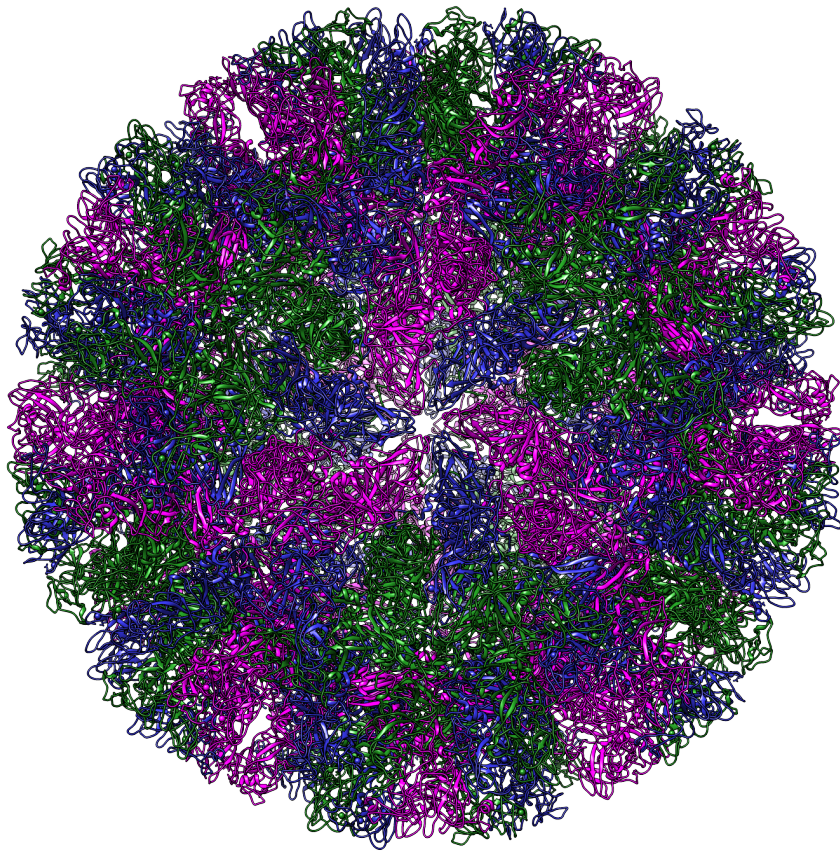
Uncoating of adenovirus at nuclear pore complex





“Umbilicus” connector

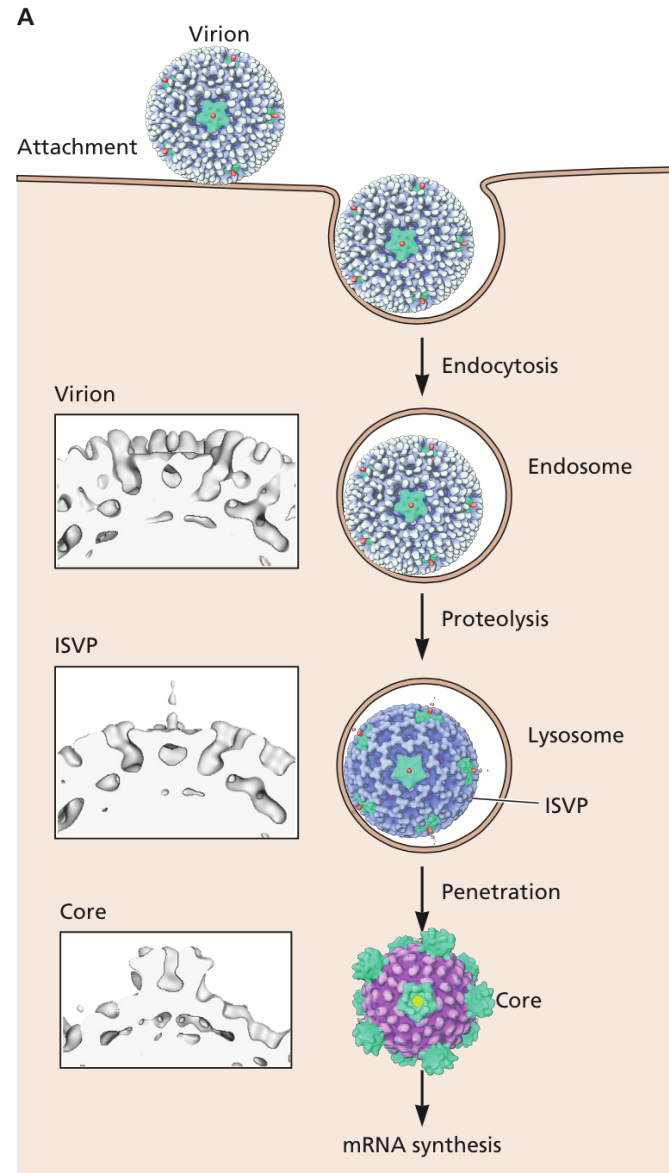
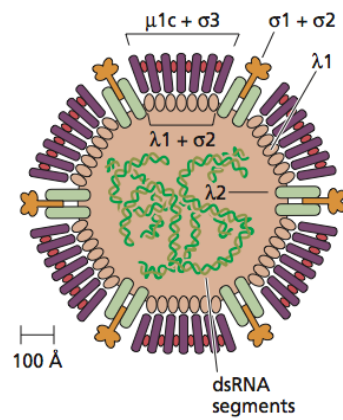
Calicivirus portal on receptor engagement

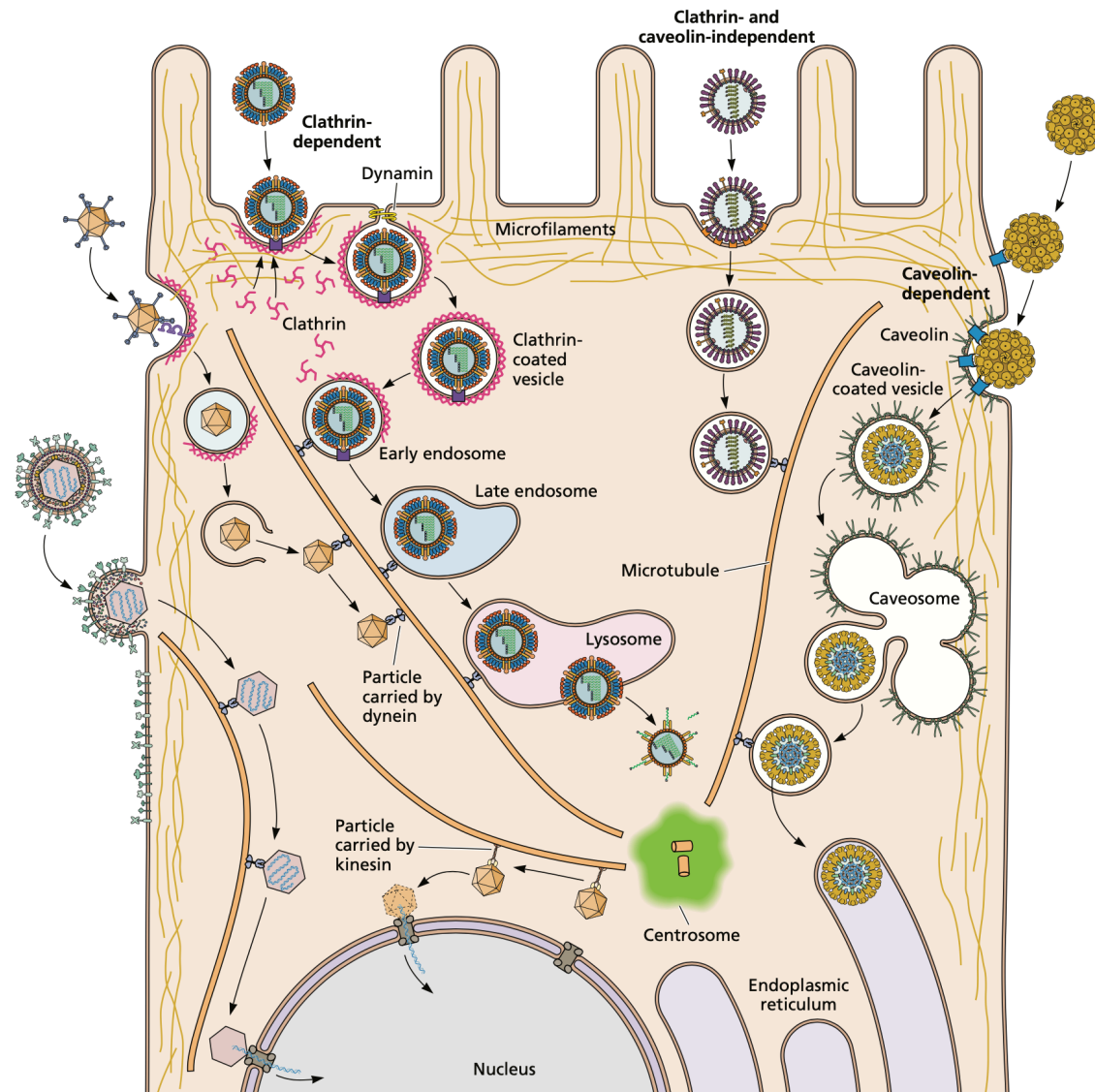


t=3, 180 copies of VP1

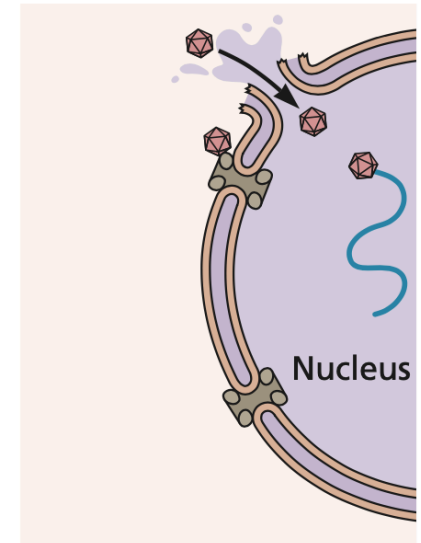
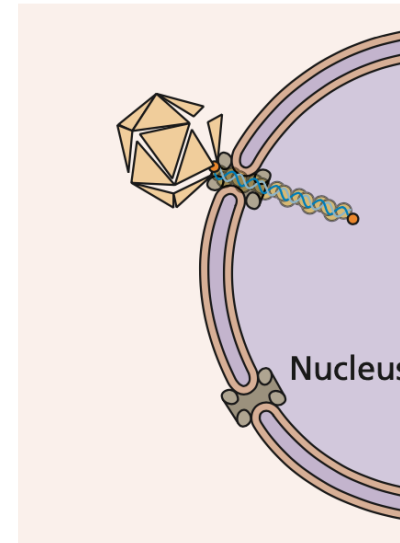
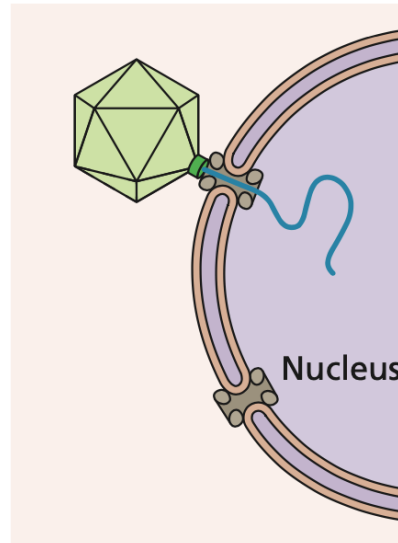
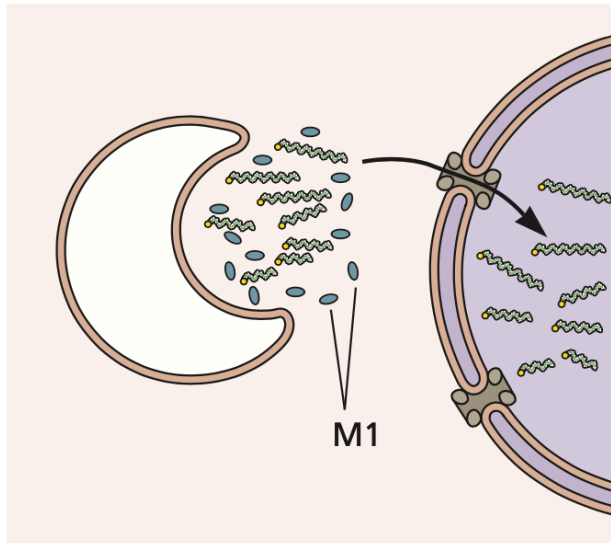
For poliovirus and calicivirus, only one portal is formed

Reovirus entry





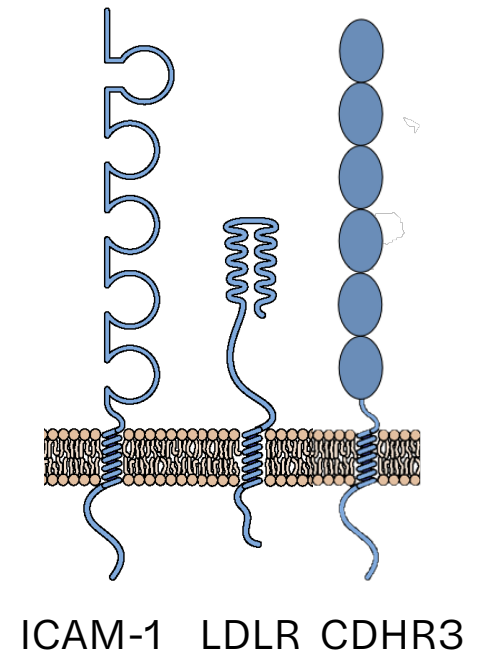
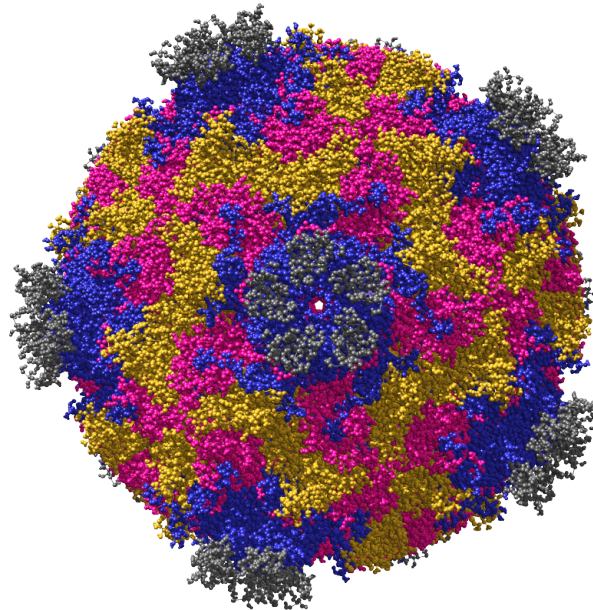
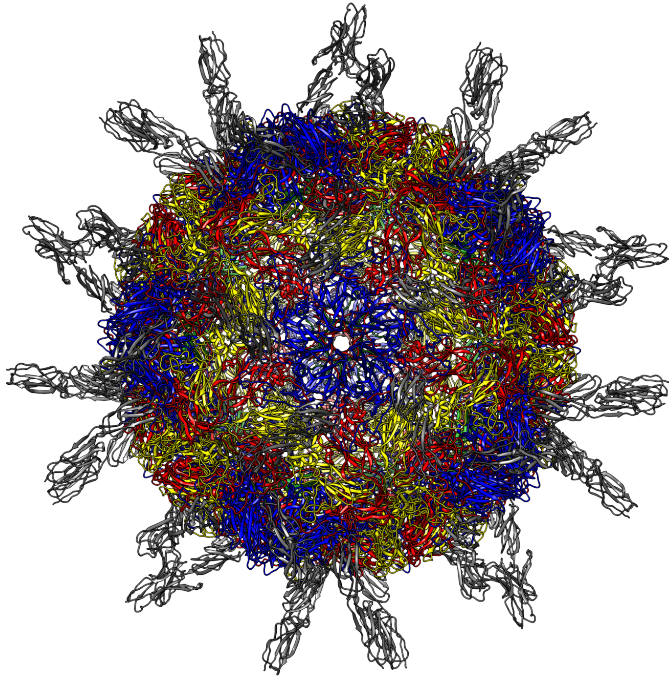
Four modes of nuclear entry



Receptor polymorphism and susceptibility

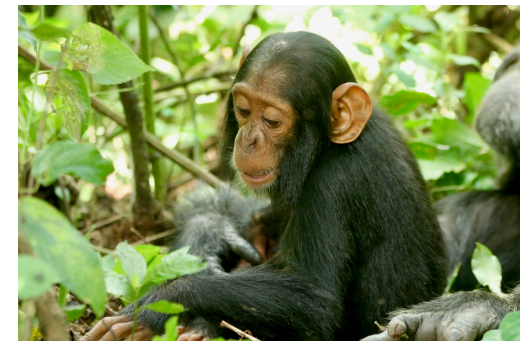
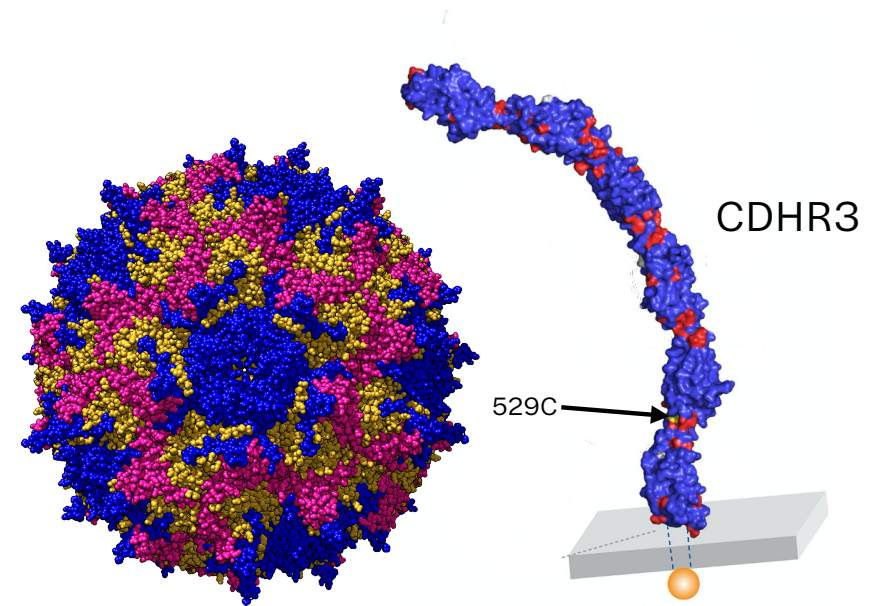
Rhinovirus receptors

- HRV A, B: 90 serotypes, ICAM-1; 10 serotypes LDLR
- HRV C: 49 genotypes, CDHR3

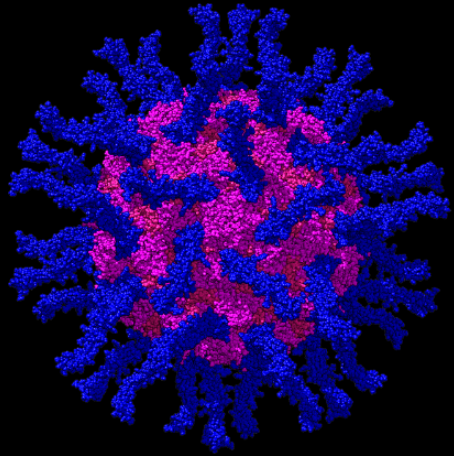


HRV-C

- 529Y in CDHR3 linked to increased surface production, increased risk of wheezing illnesses and hospitalization for childhood asthma
- Cells with CCHR3 529Y have 10x increased HRV-C binding and yields
- Risk factor for HRV-C wheezing illnesses
- 2013 outbreak of HRV-C in chimpanzees, Uganda: all homozygous 529Y
- Only humans have 529C, recently selected as Neanderthal and Denisovans have 529Y



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Next time: RNA directed RNA synthesis