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[Cell and Molecular Biology: Concepts and Experiments](#)  
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# The Endomembrane System

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Exocytosis and endocytosis



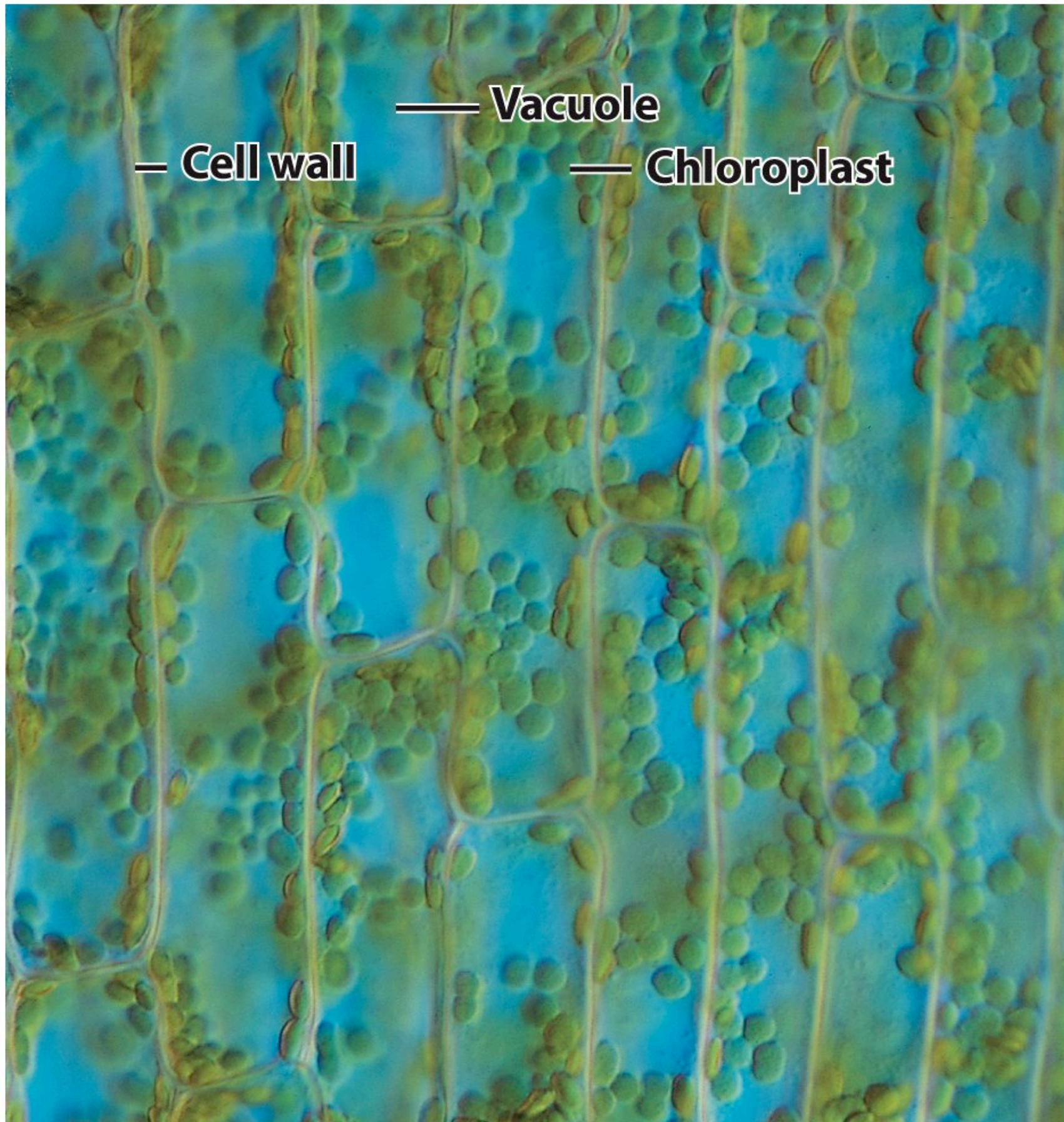


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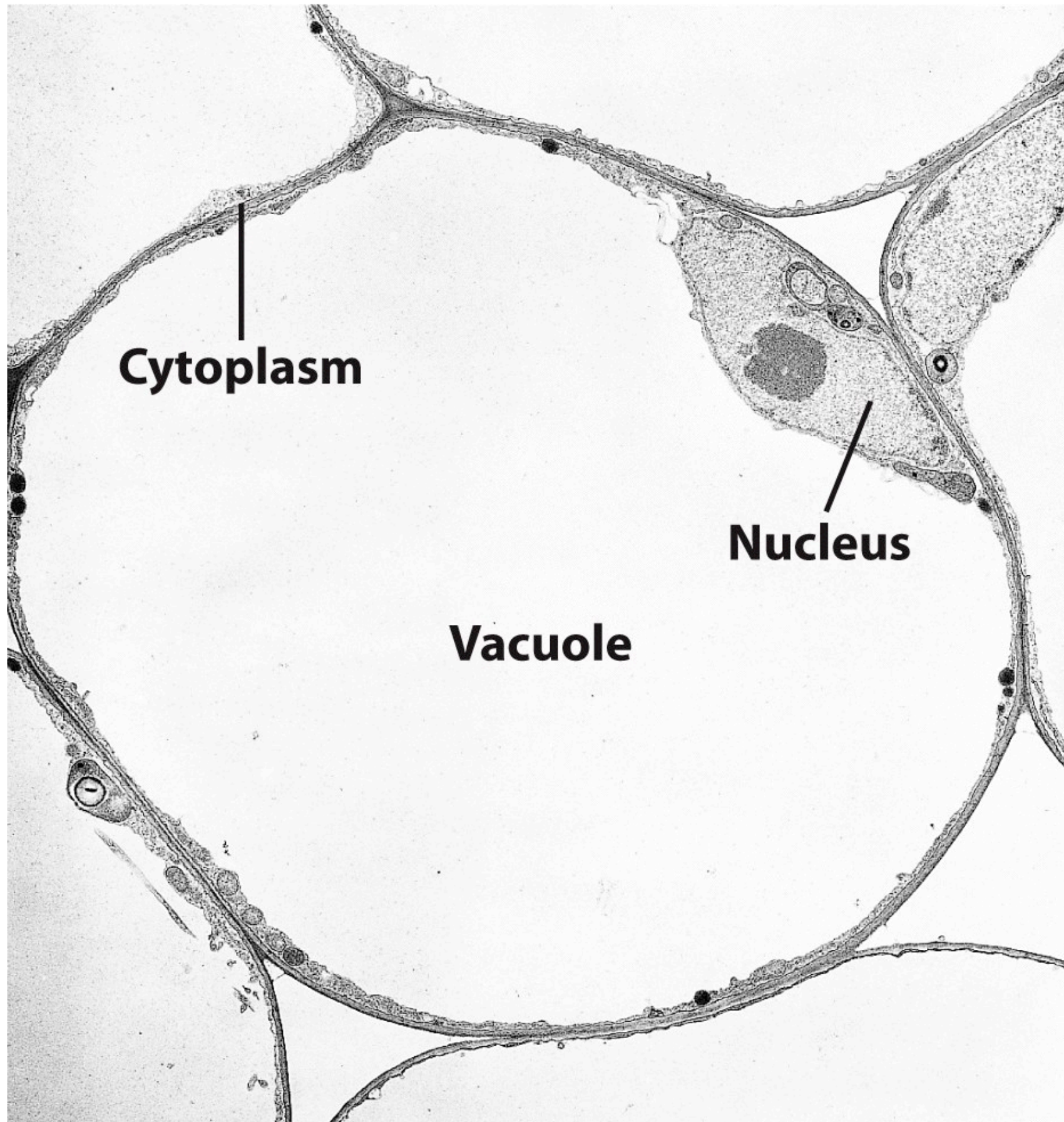


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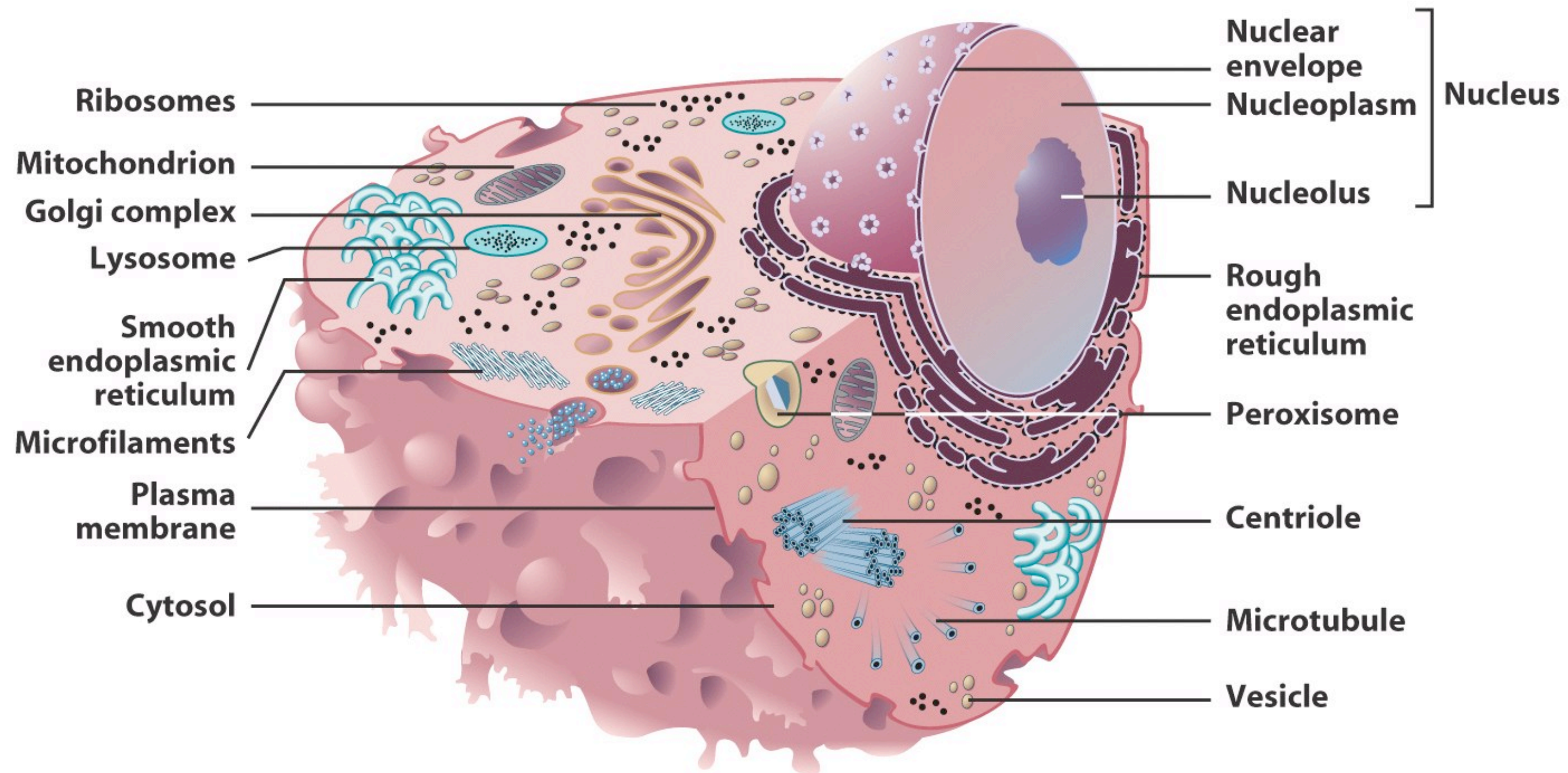
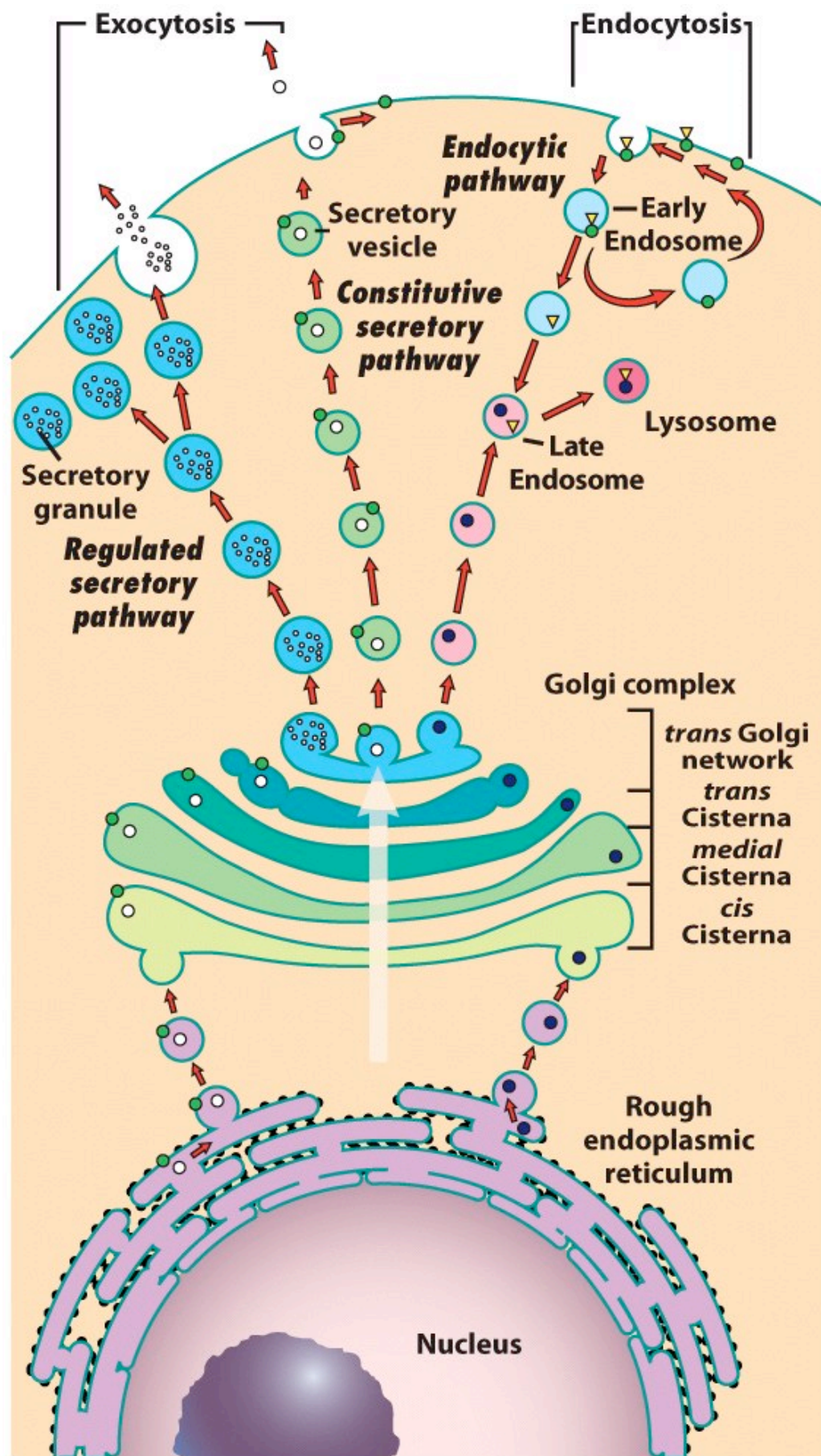


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**Figure 8.2** An overview of the biosynthetic/secretory and endocytic pathways that unite endomembranes into a dynamic, interconnected network.



# Vesicular transport



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Three types of coated vesicles

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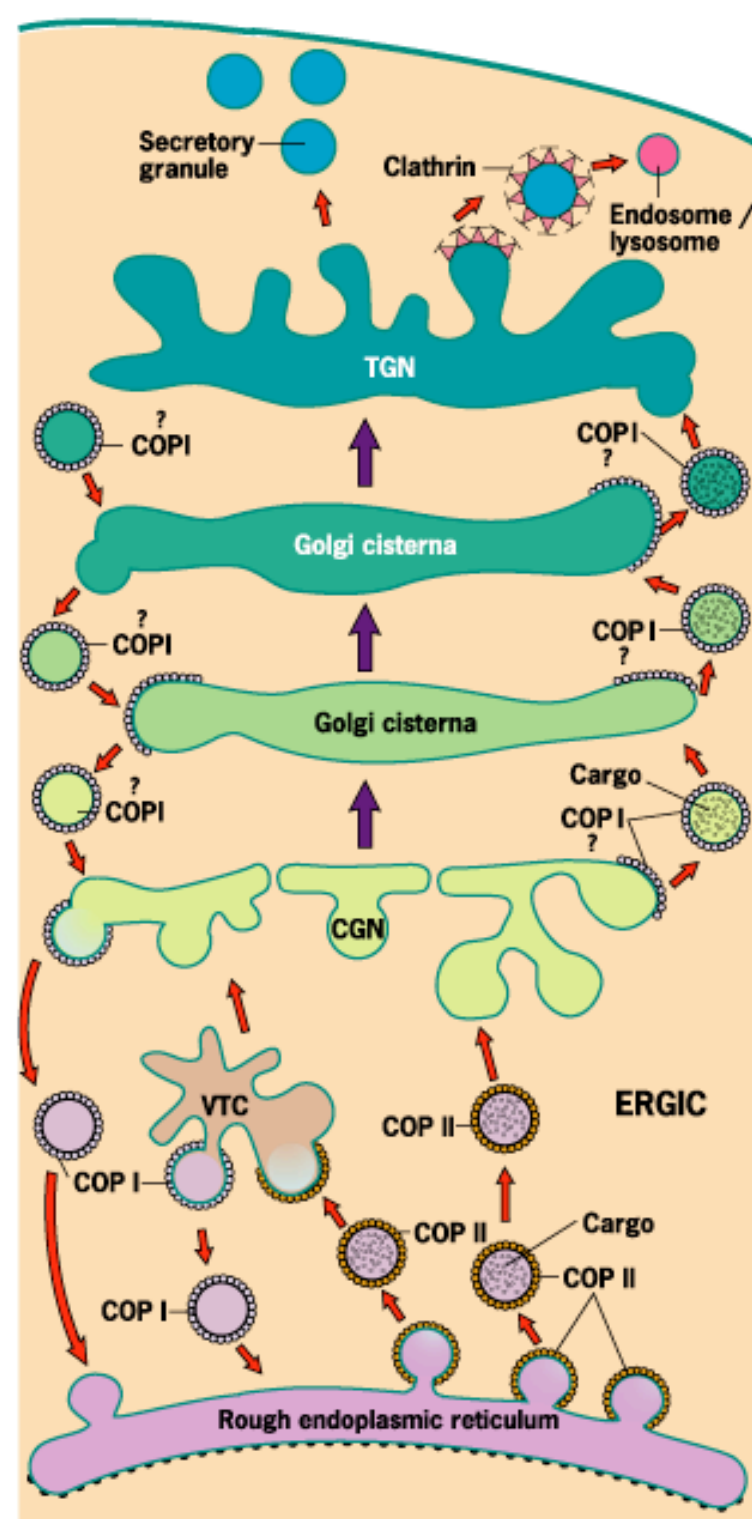
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Three types of coated vesicles

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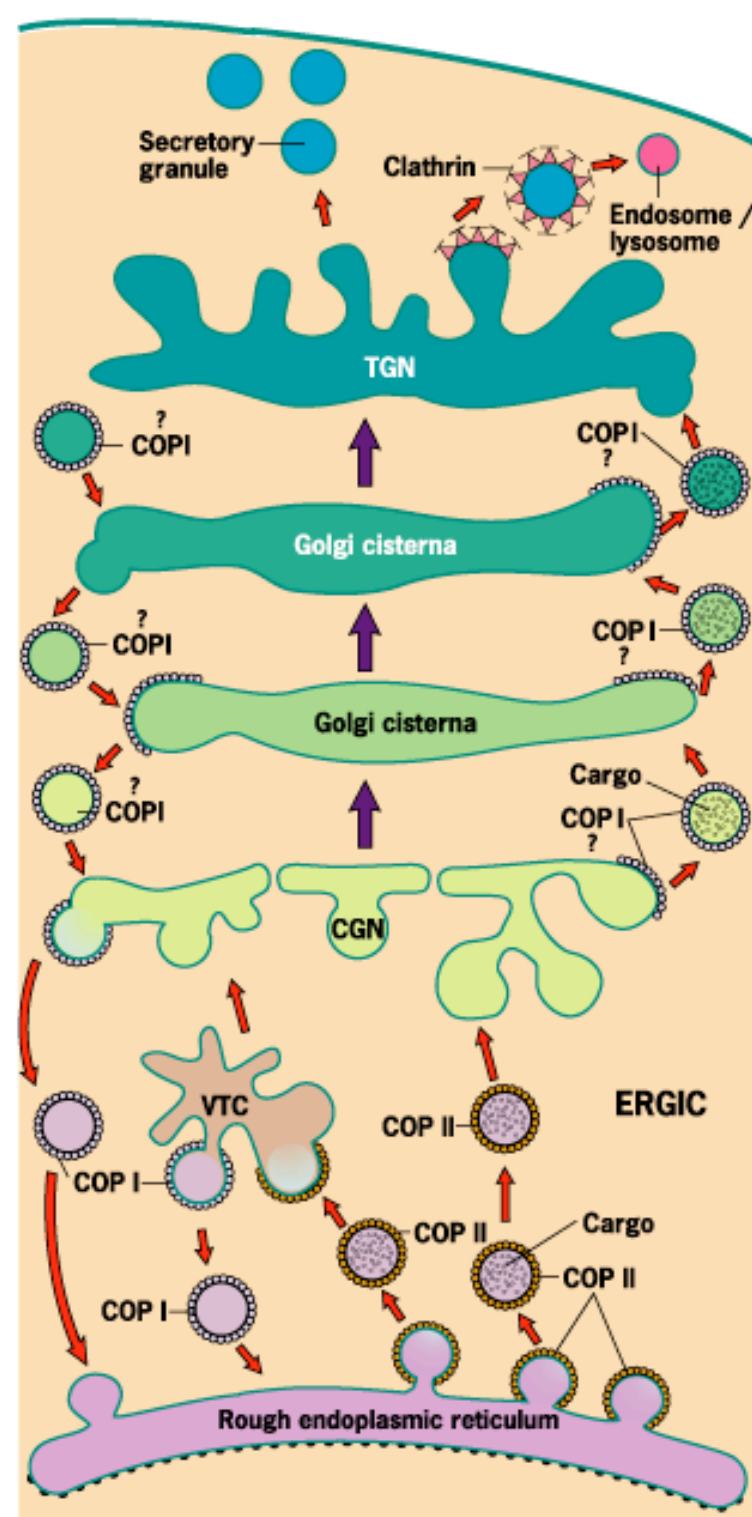
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Clathrin-coated vesicles

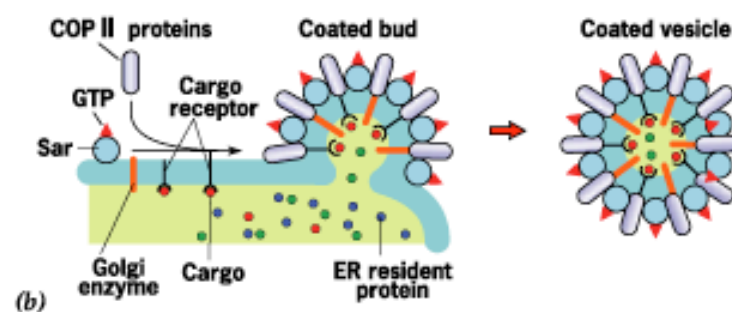


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**Figure 8.25** Movement of materials by vesicular transport between membranous compartments of the biosynthetic/secretory pathway.



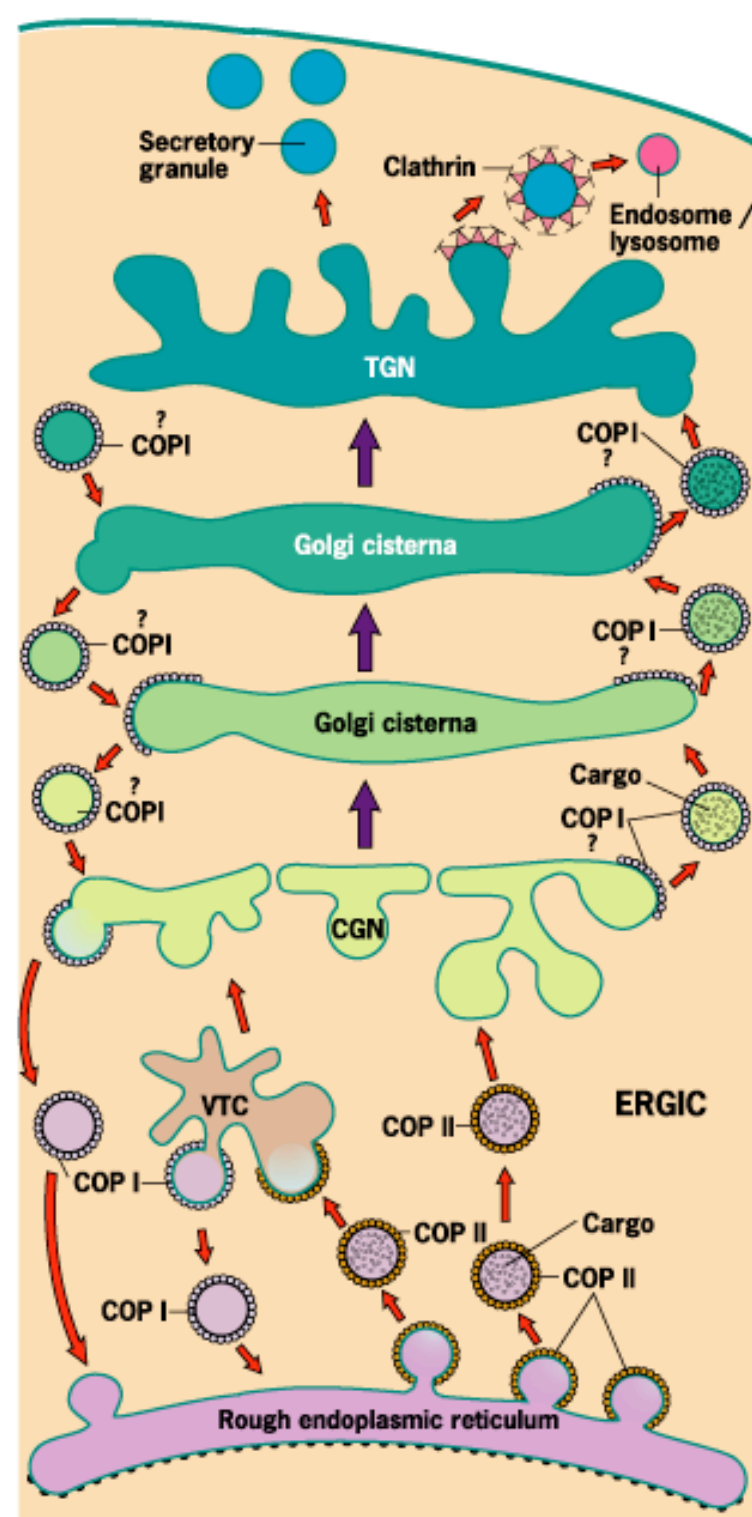
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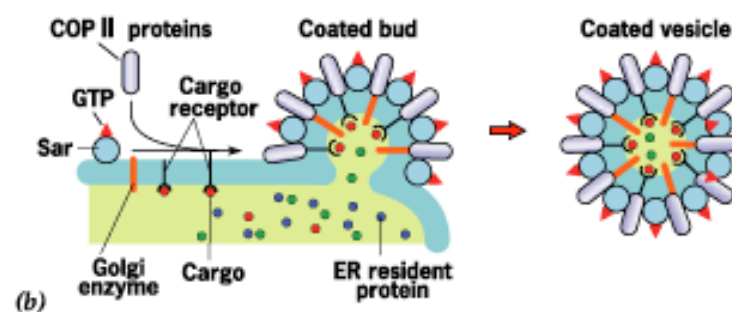
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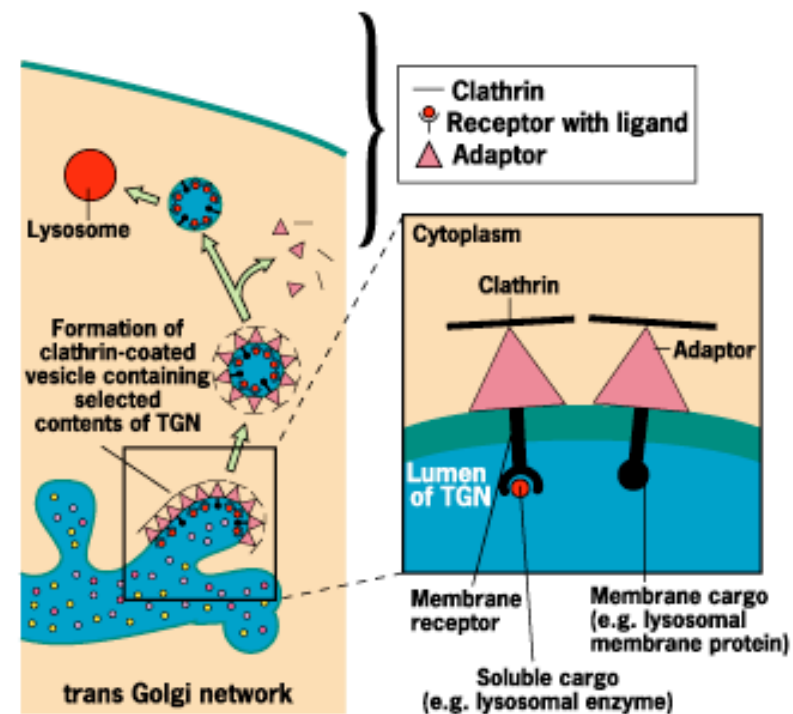


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**Figure 8.28** The formation of clathrin-coated vesicles at the TGN.

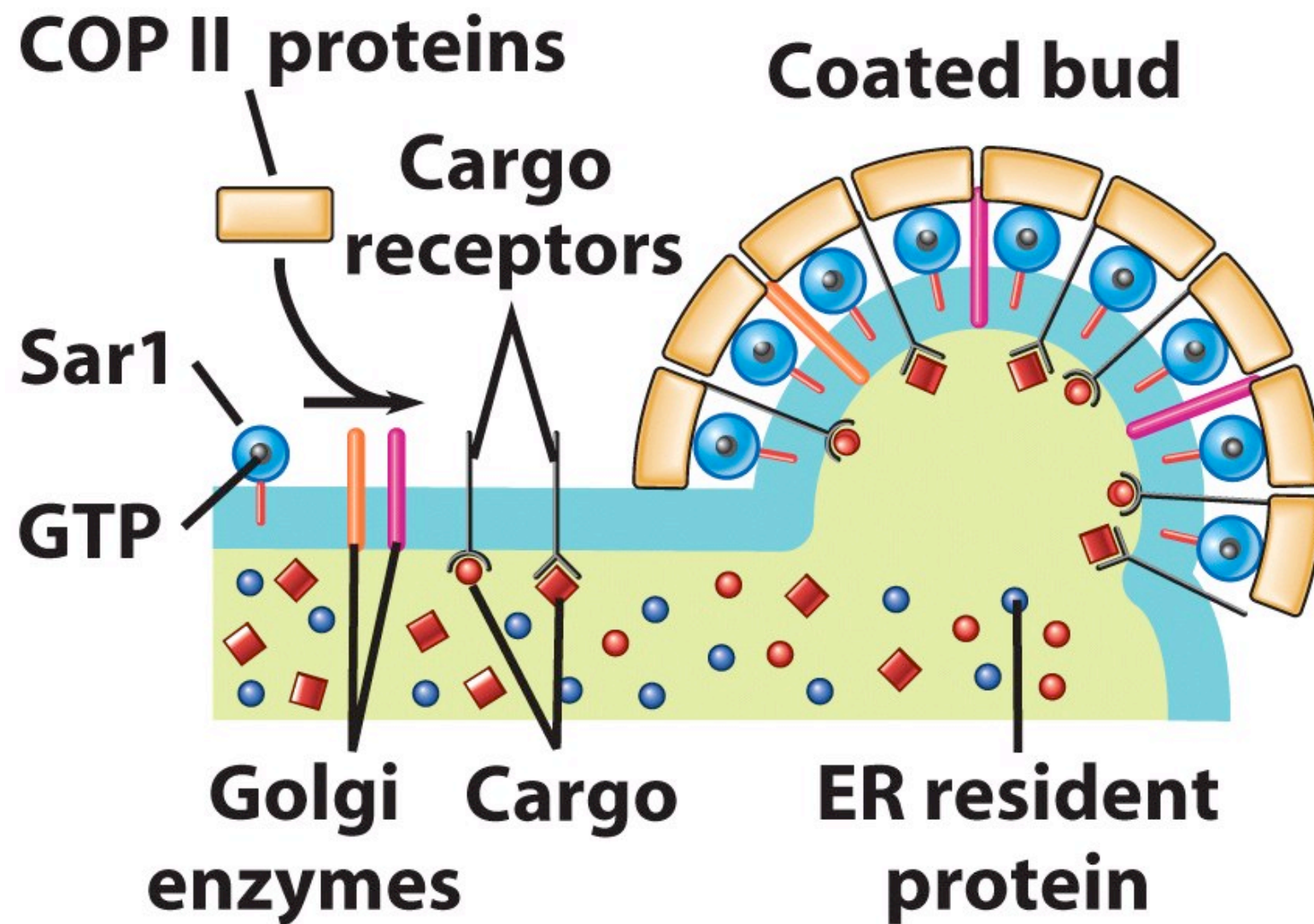


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Assembly of a COP II-coated vesicle



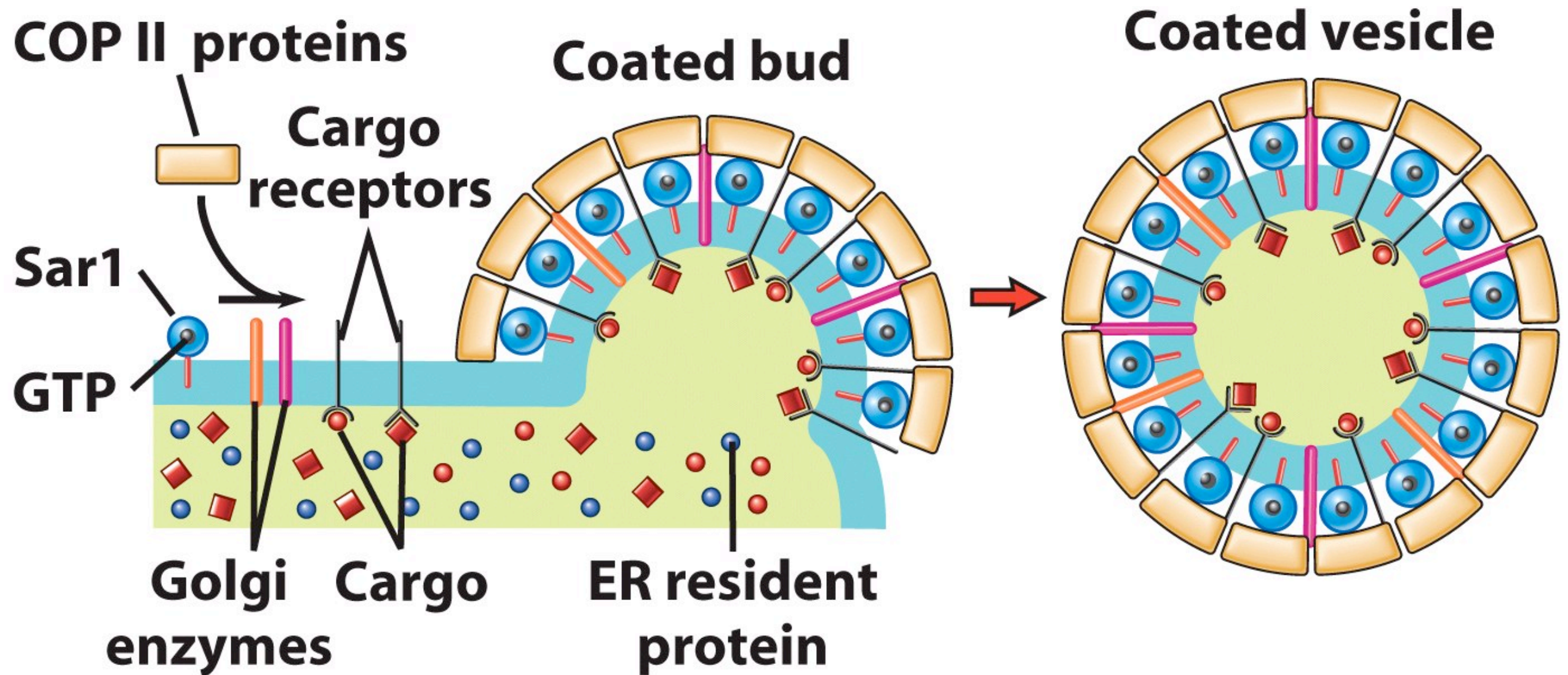
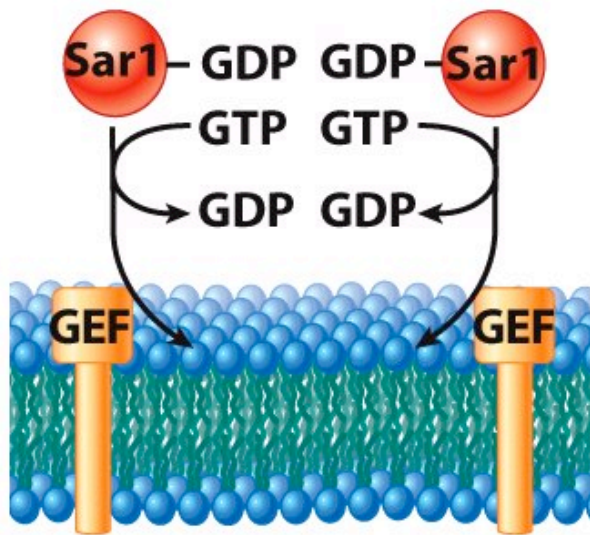


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Assembly of a COP II-coated vesicle





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Role of the COP II coat protein in generating membrane curvature, assembling the protein coat, and capturing cargo

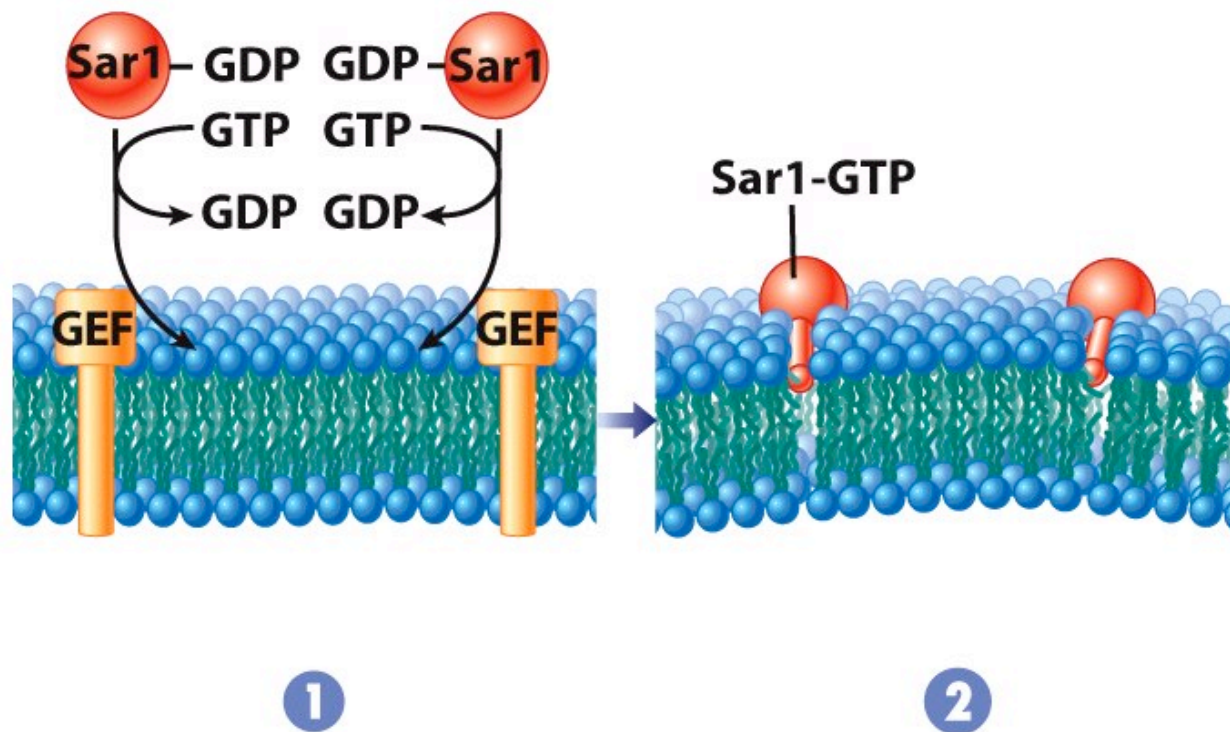


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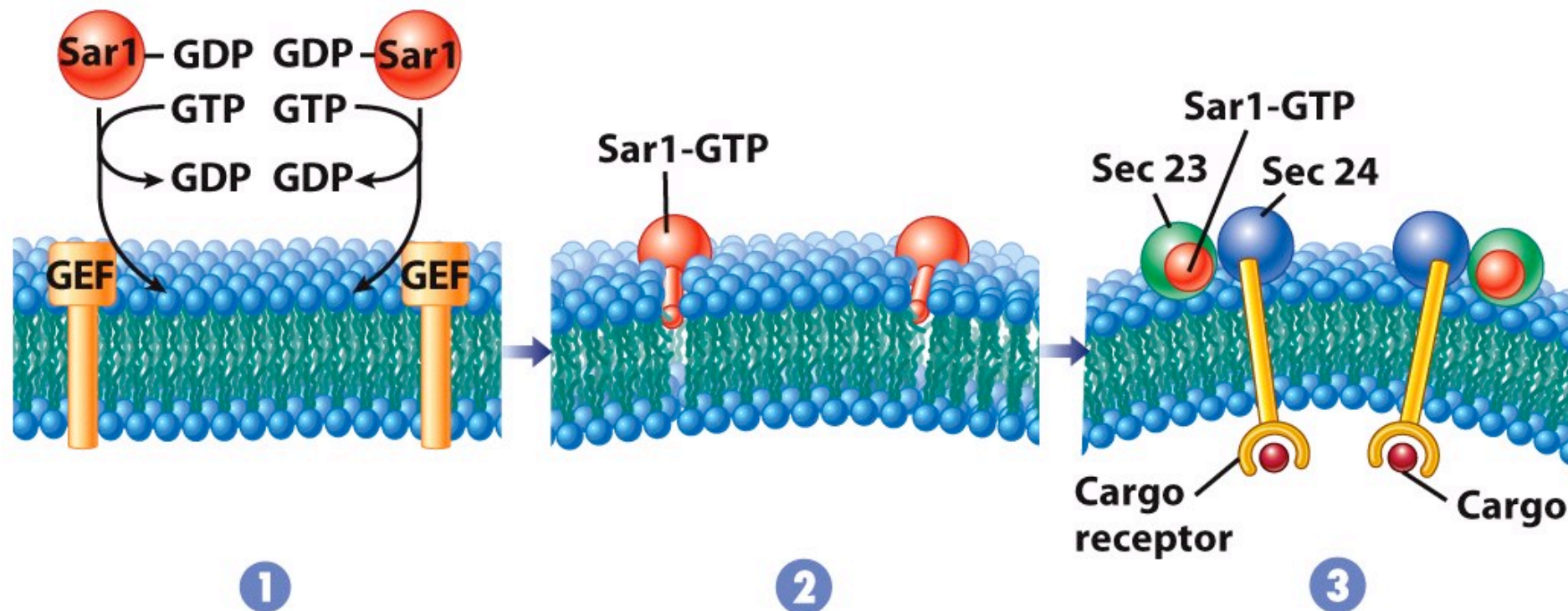


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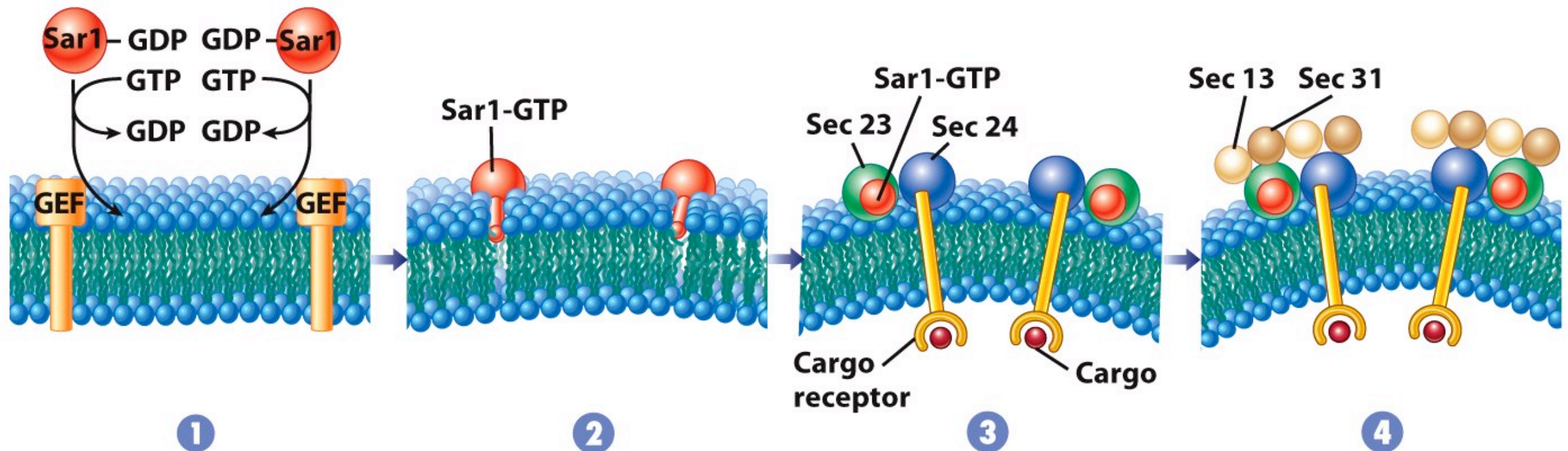
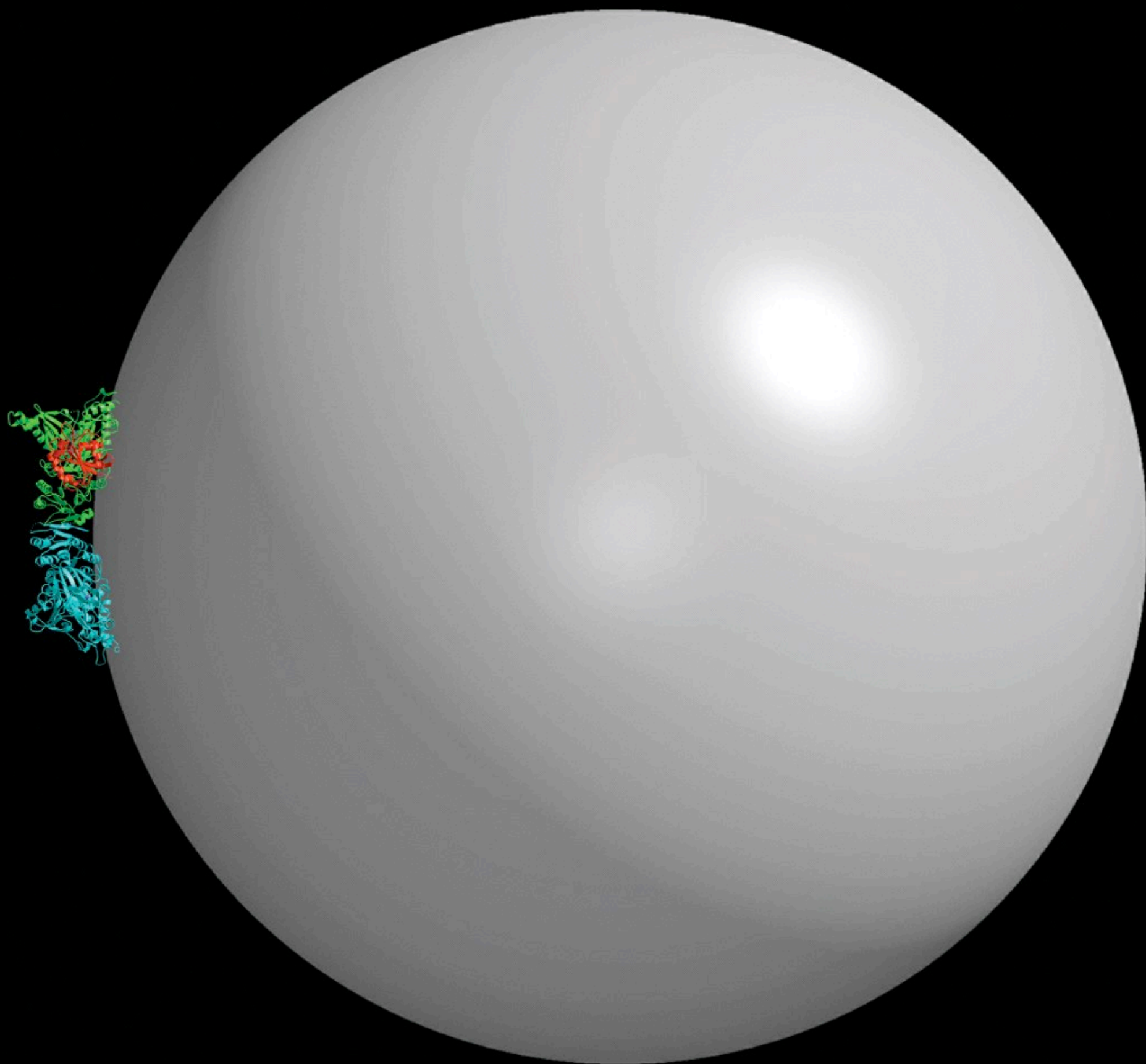
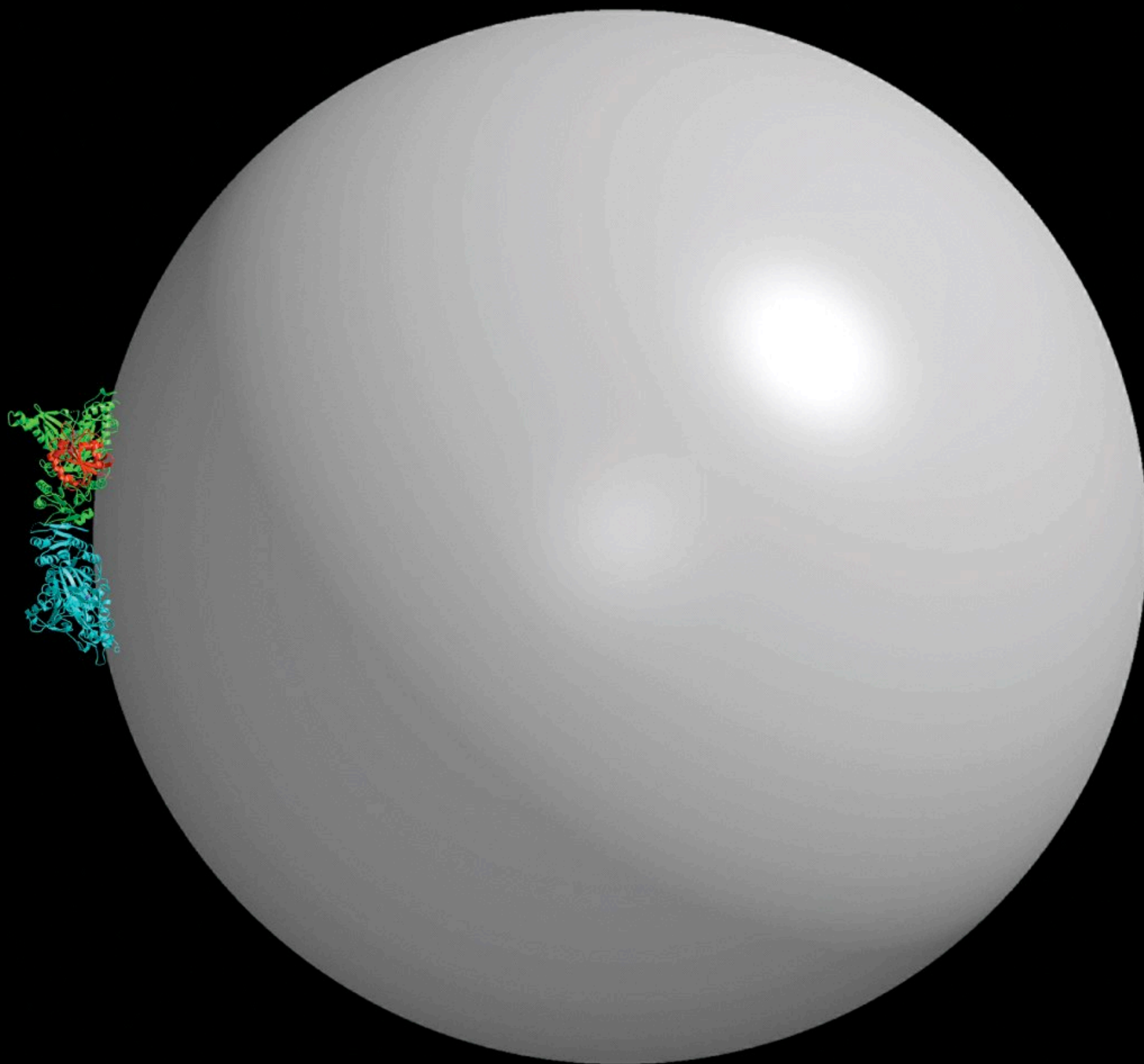


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Schematic view of a single Sec23-Sec24-Sar1 complex at the surface of a vesicle 60 nm in diameter

# Sorting proteins in the *trans* Golgi network (TGN)

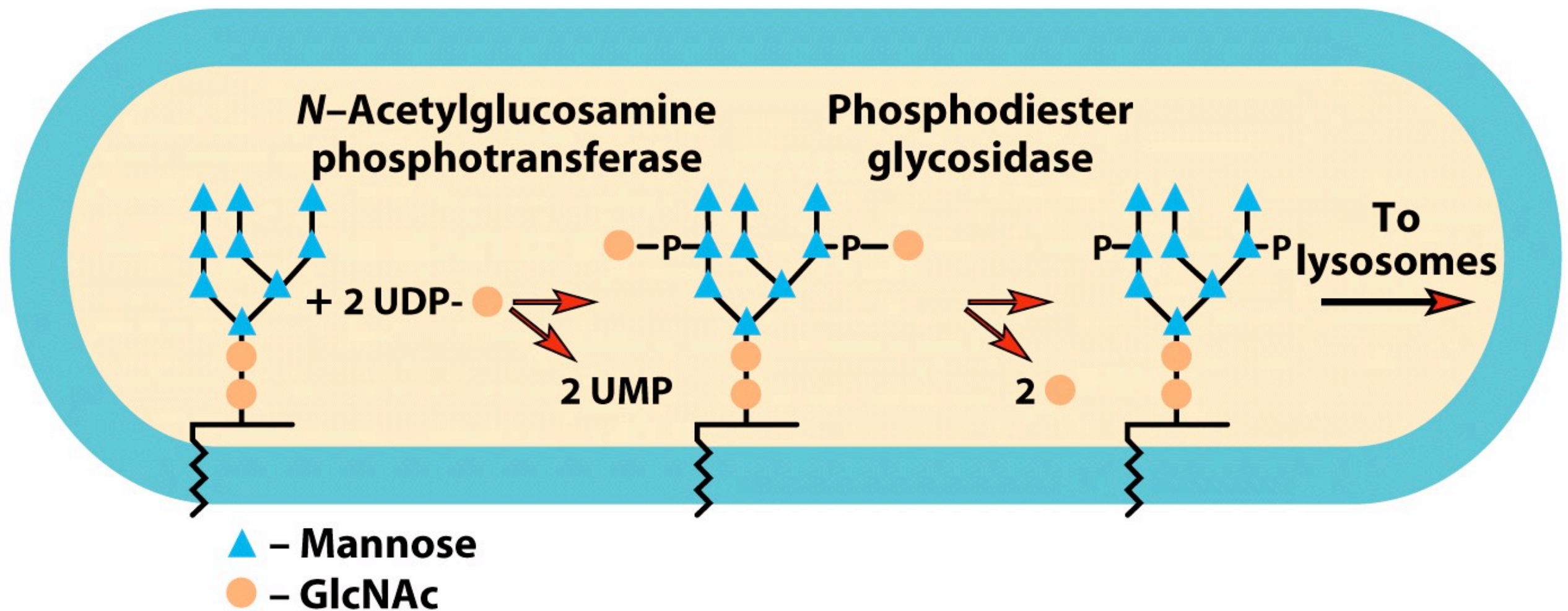


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## Targeting lysosomal enzymes to lysosomes

Lysosomal enzymes are recognised by *N*-acetylglucosamine phosphotransferase



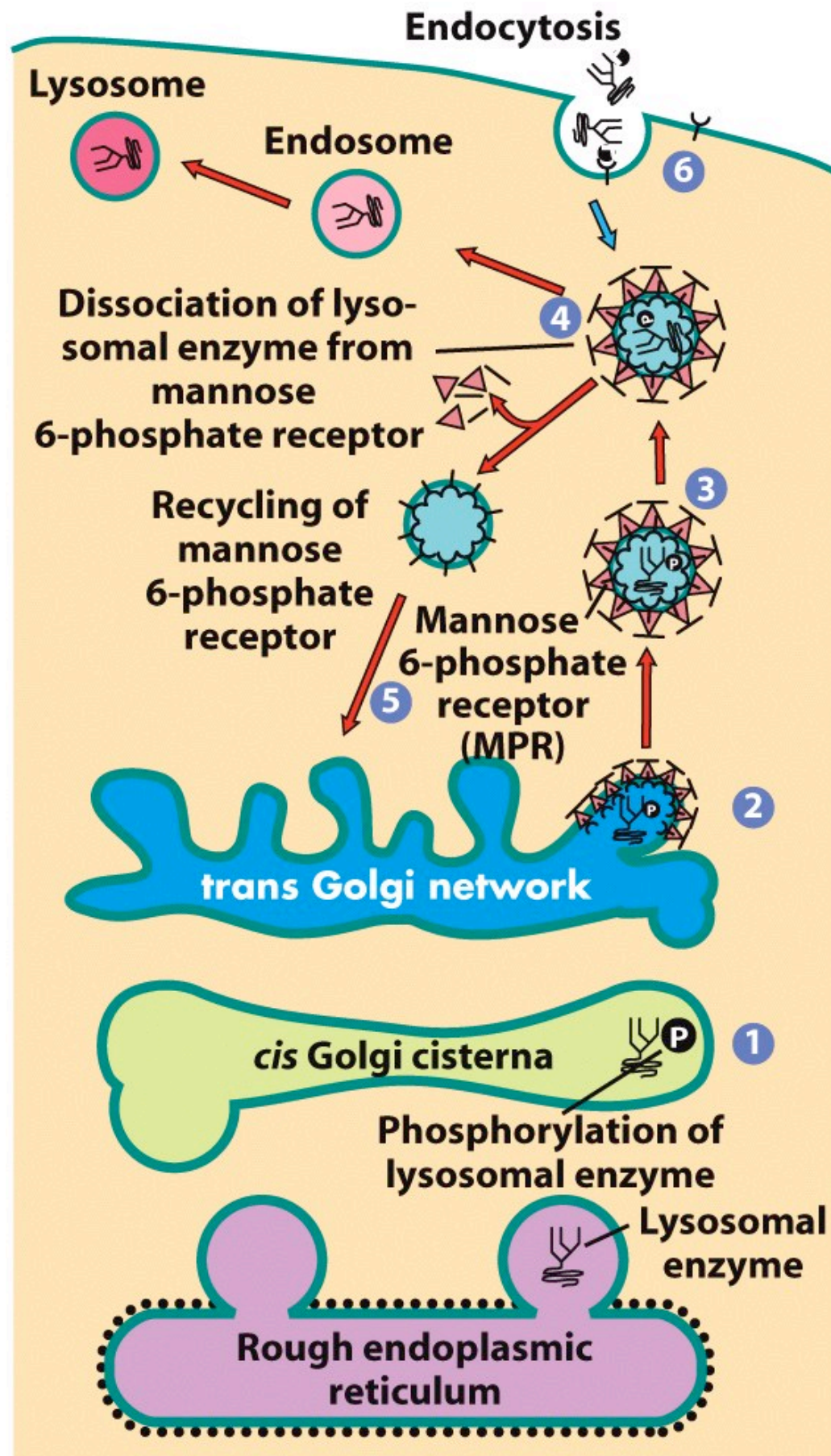


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## Targeting lysosomal enzymes to lysosomes

Path from synthesis of lysosomal enzymes on ribosomes on the Rough ER to delivery to a lysosome

# Clathrin coated vesicles

Formation of clathrin coated vesicles at the TGN



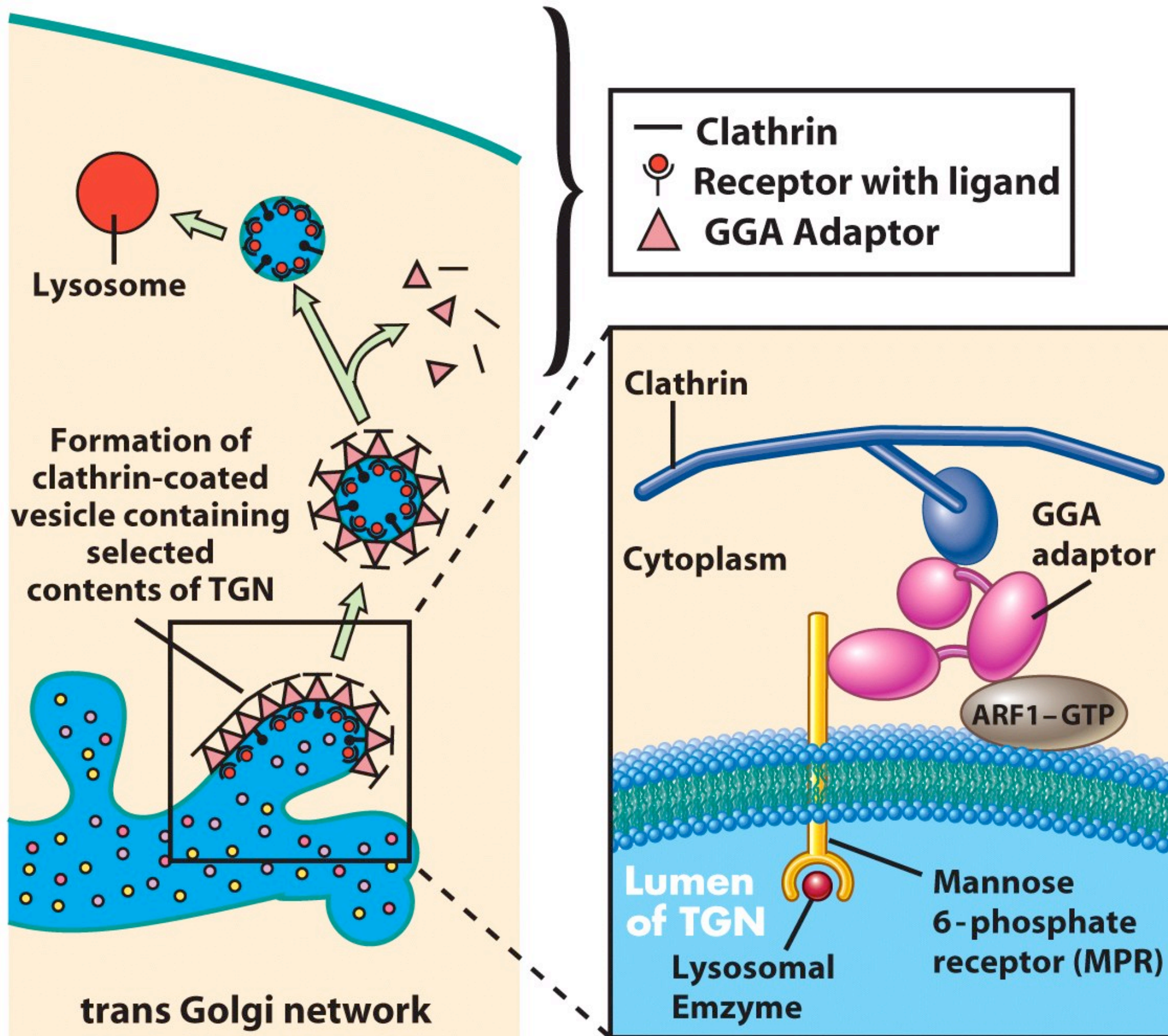
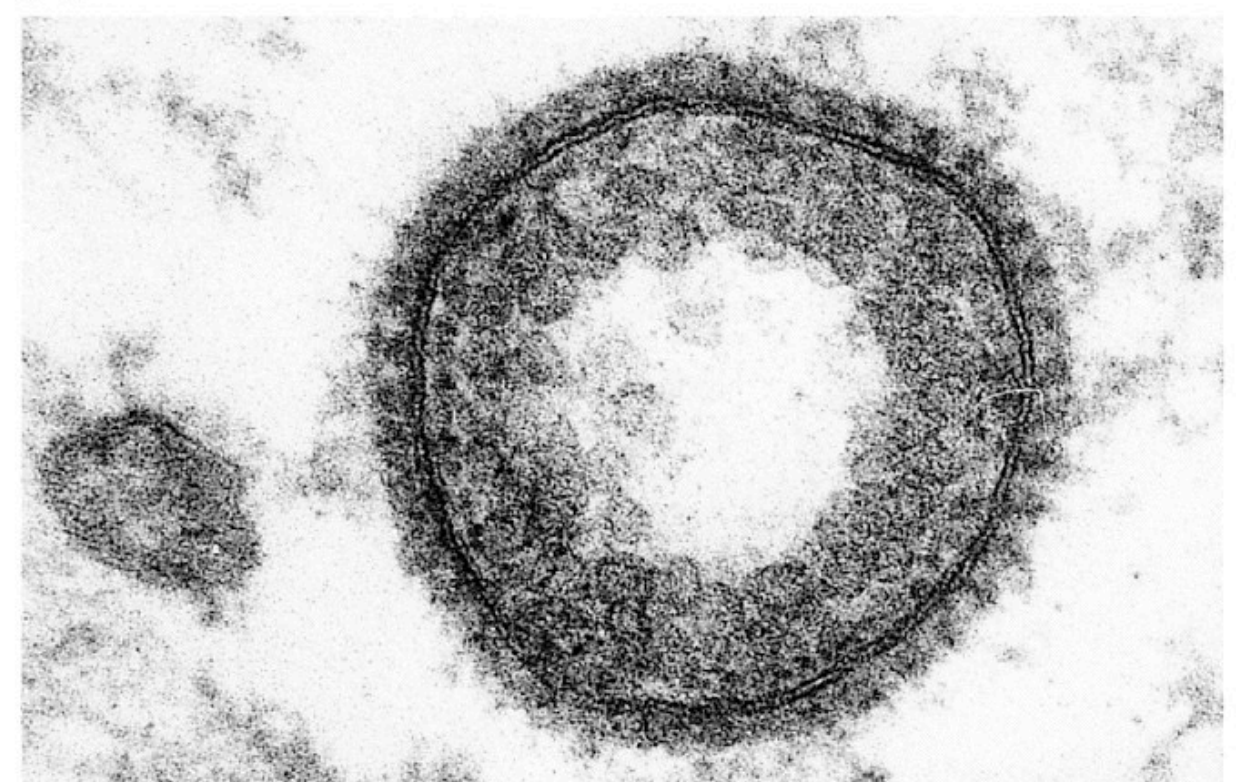
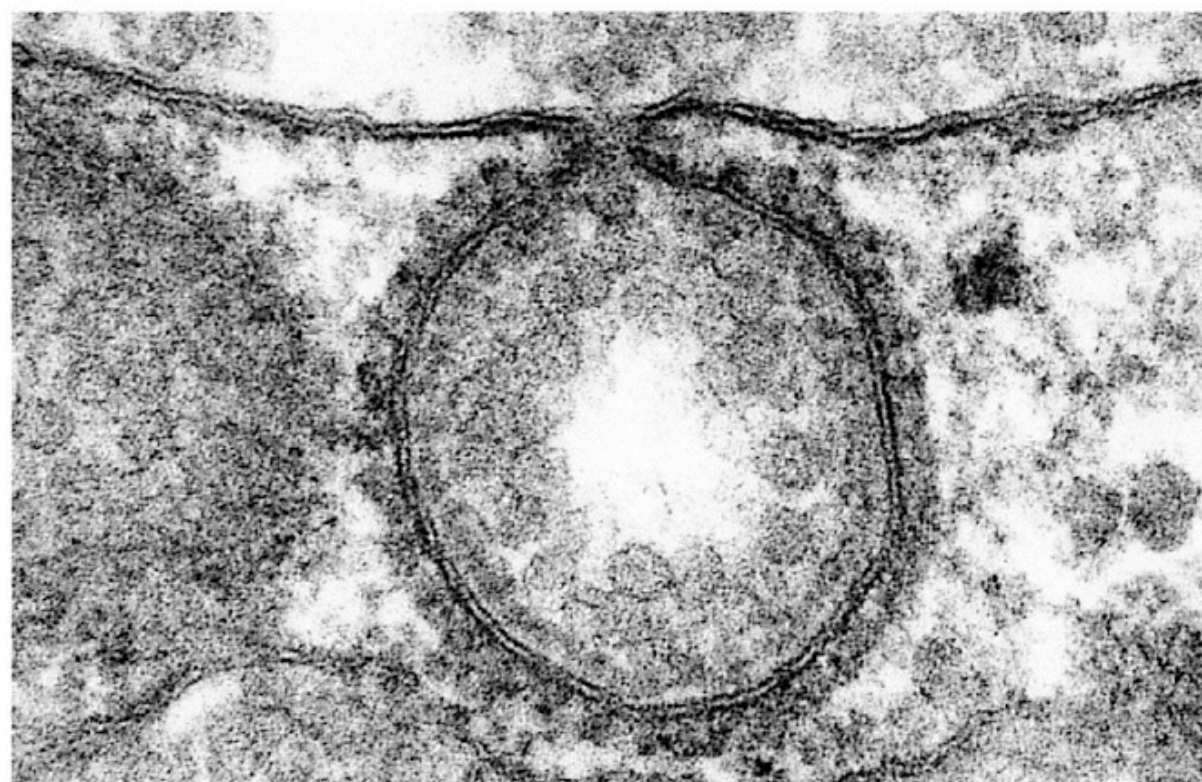
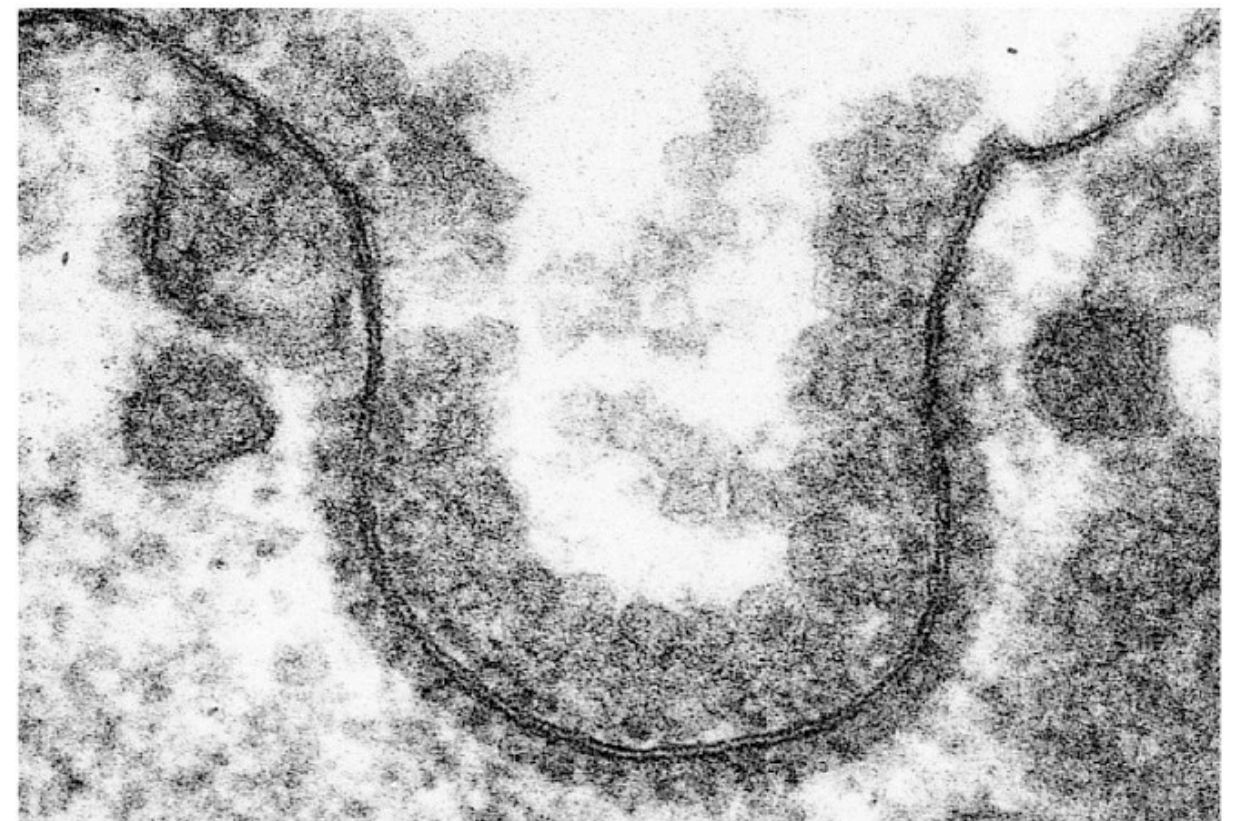
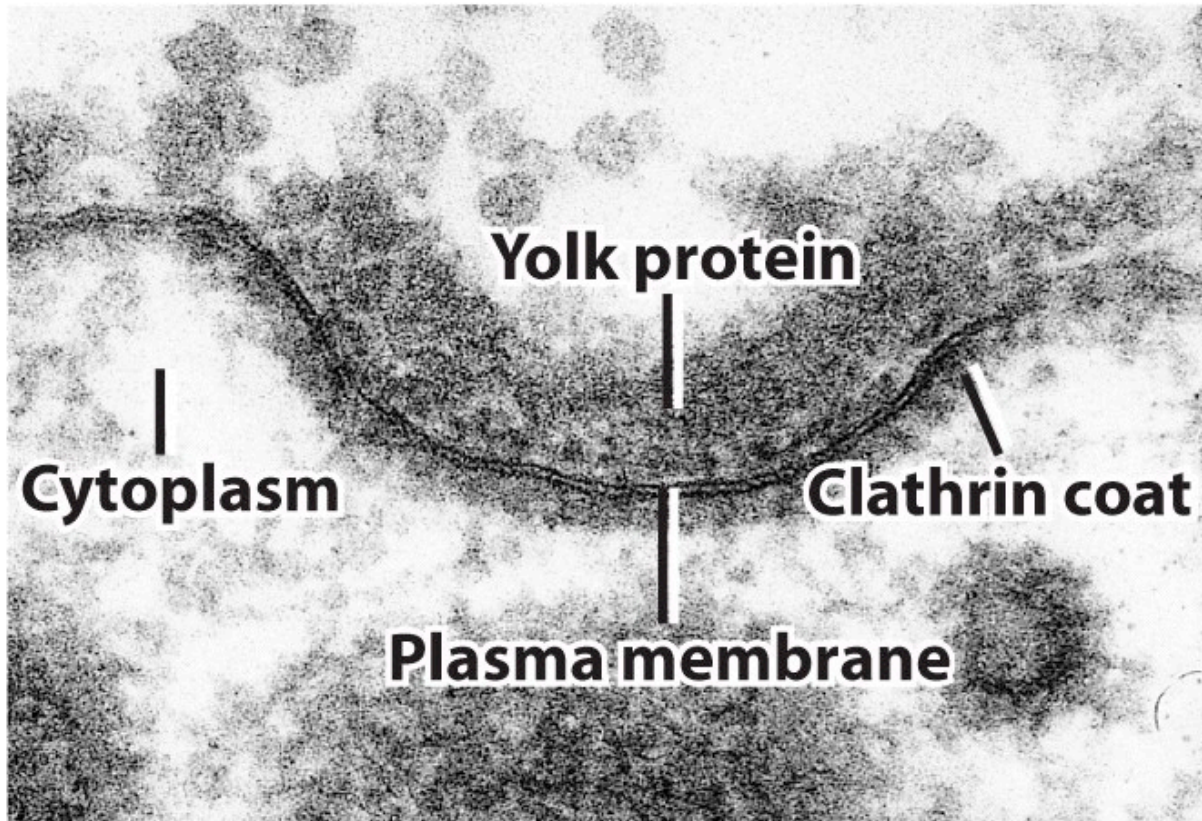


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# Clathrin coated vesicles

Molecular organisation





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## Receptor-mediated endocytosis



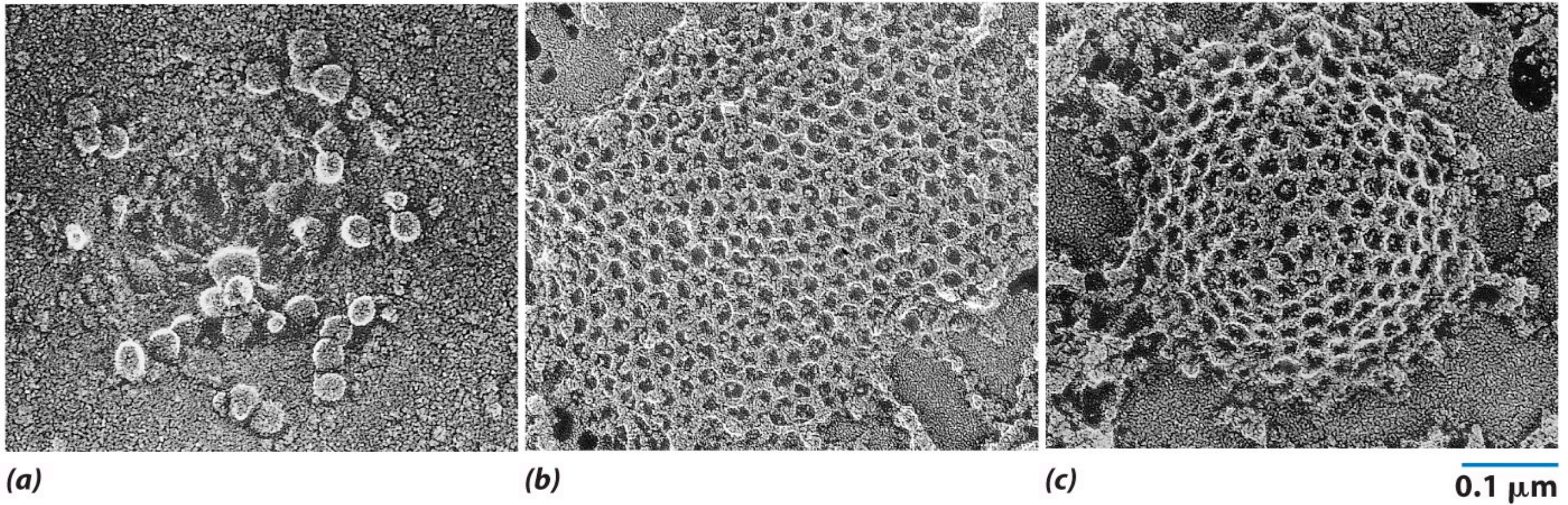


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Coated pits



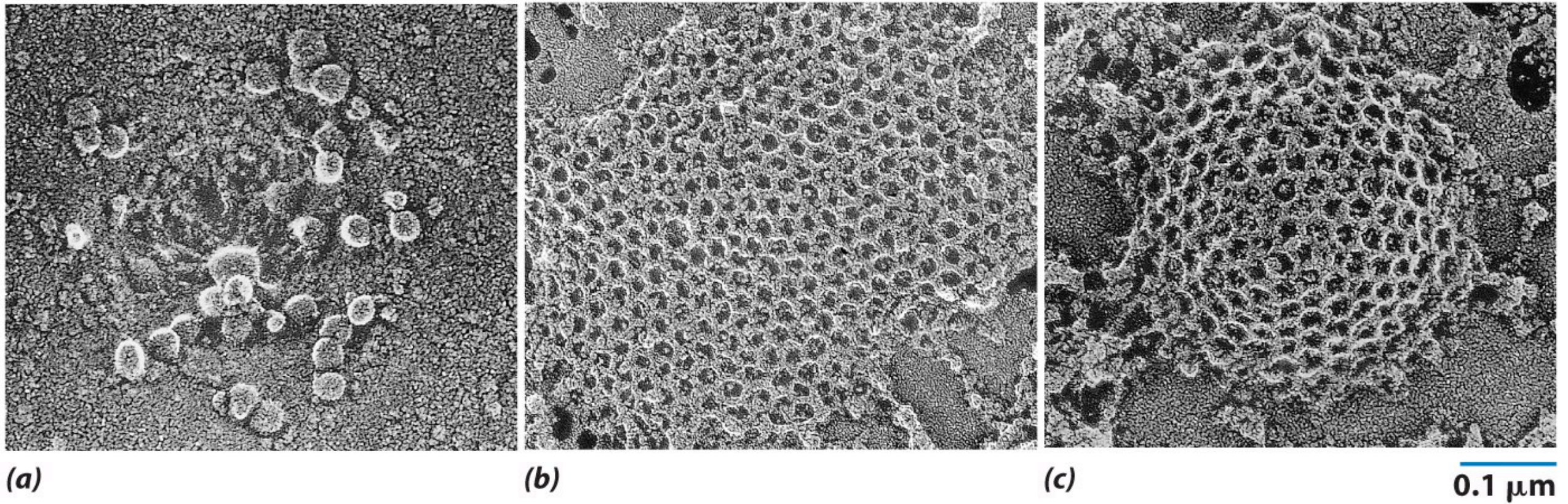


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Extracellular surface

Coated pits



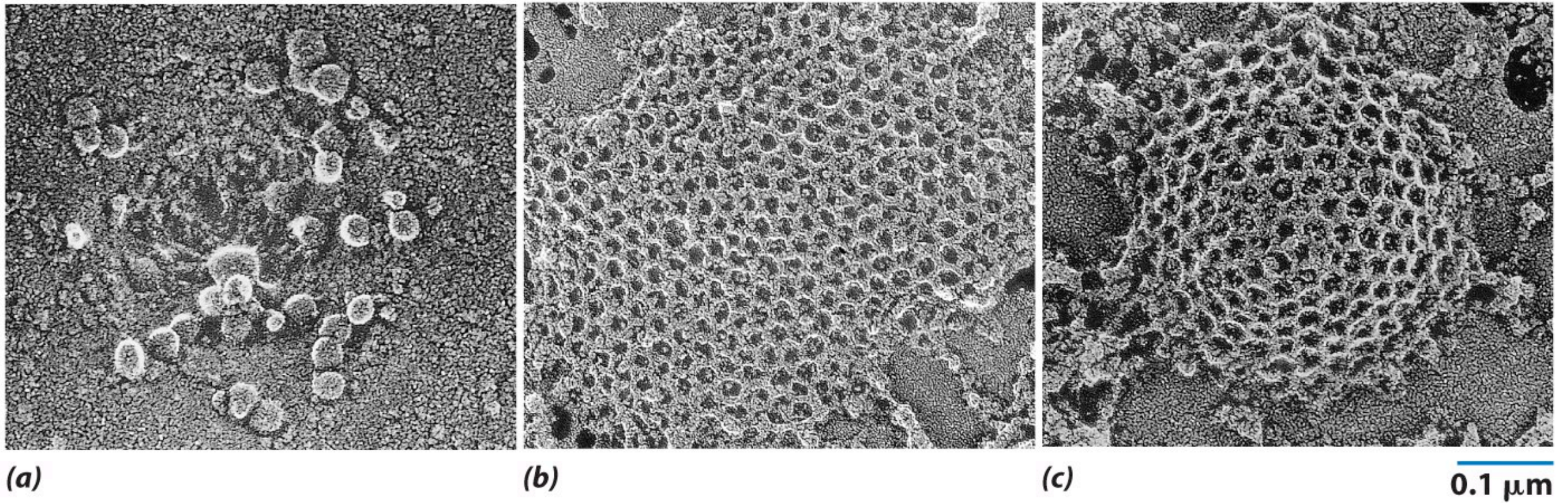


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Extracellular surface

Cytosolic surface

Coated pits



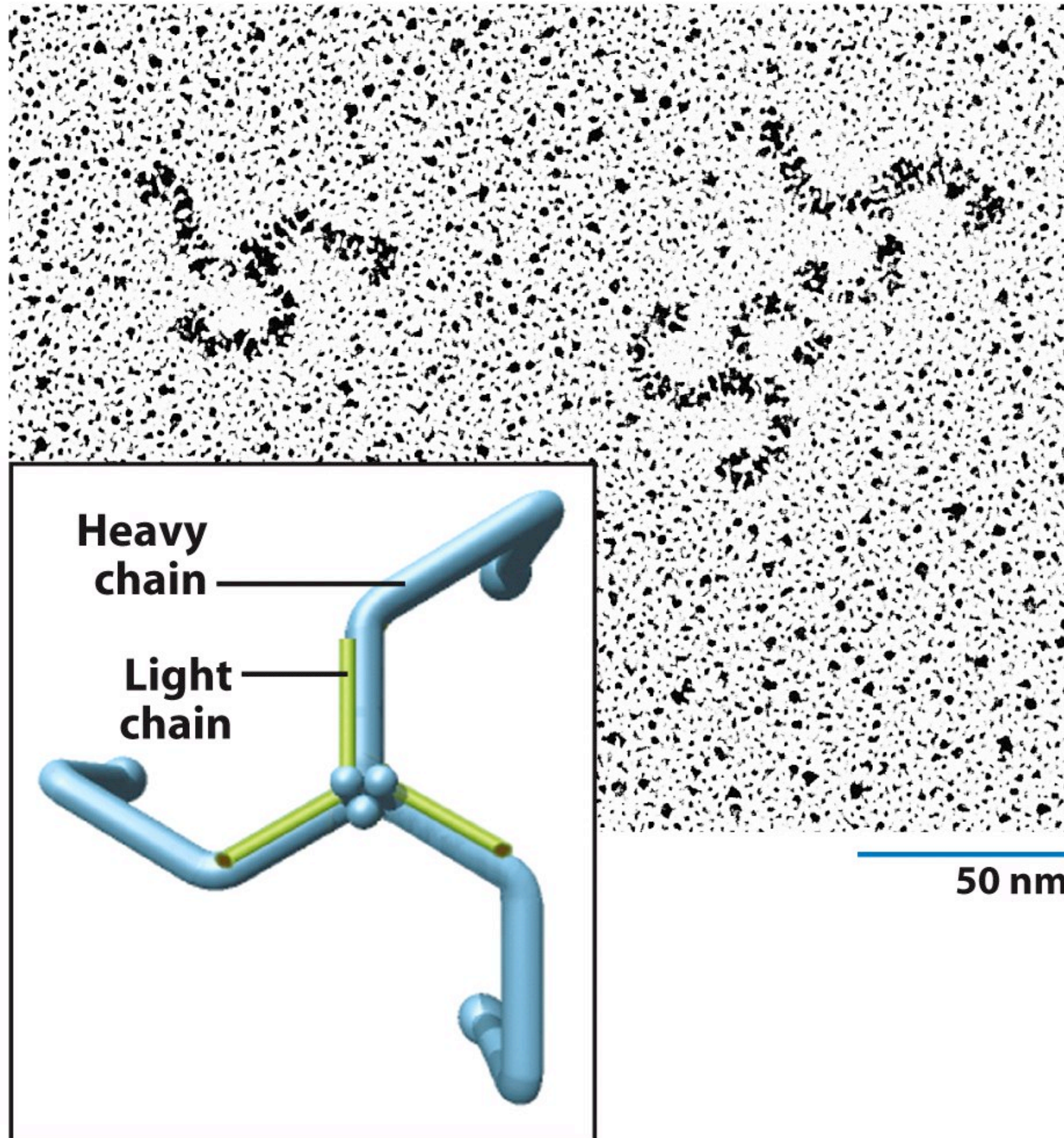


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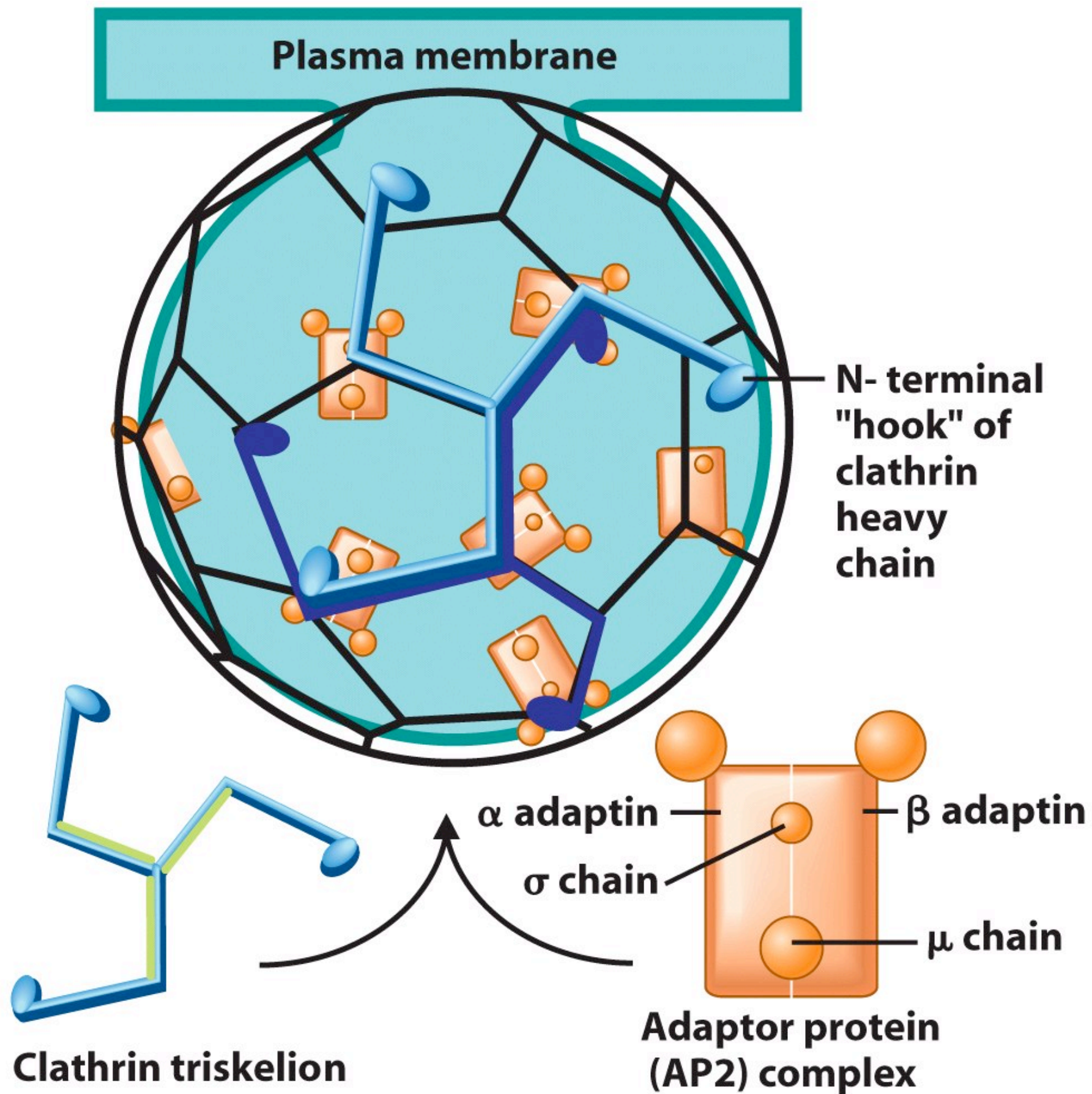


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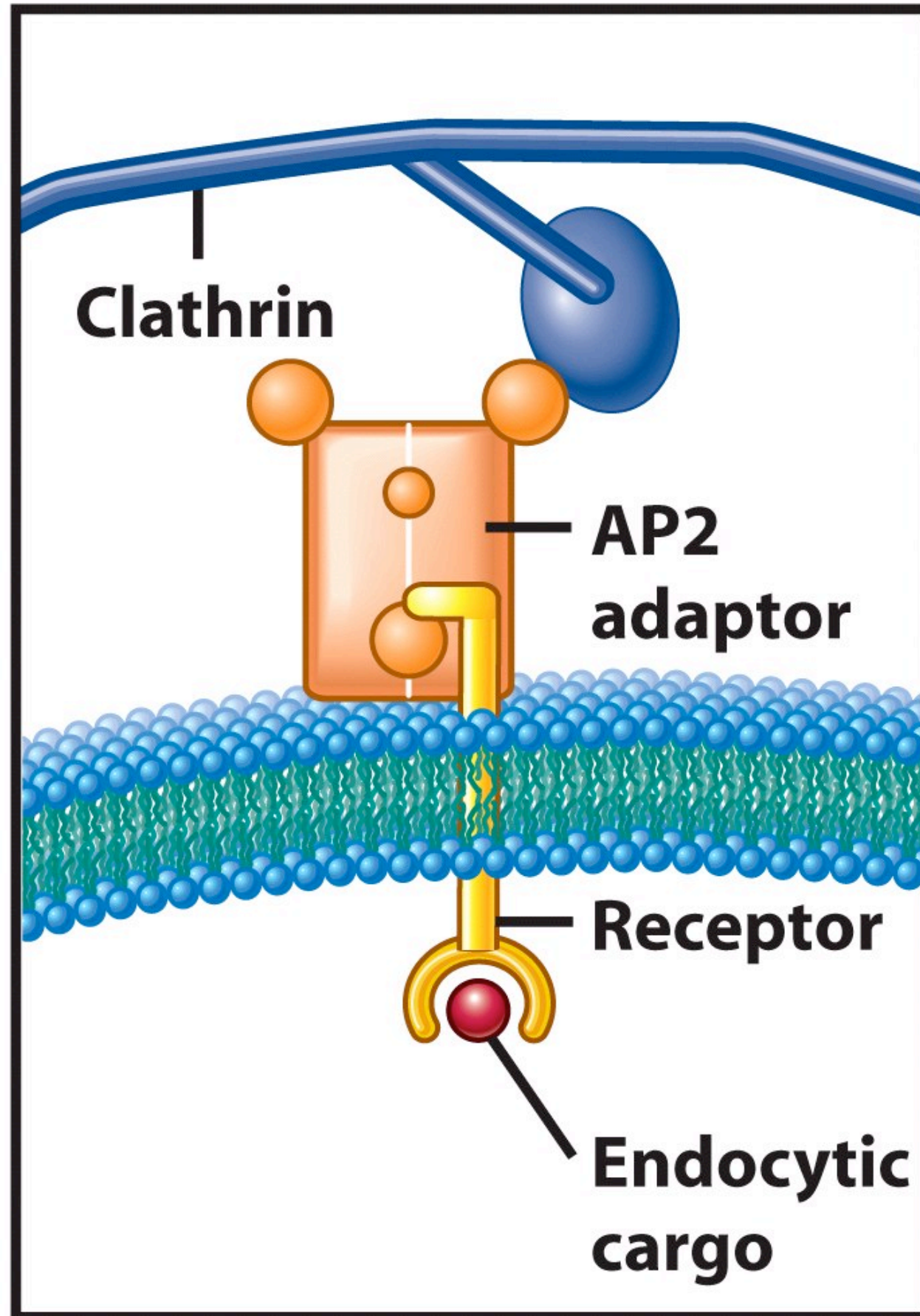


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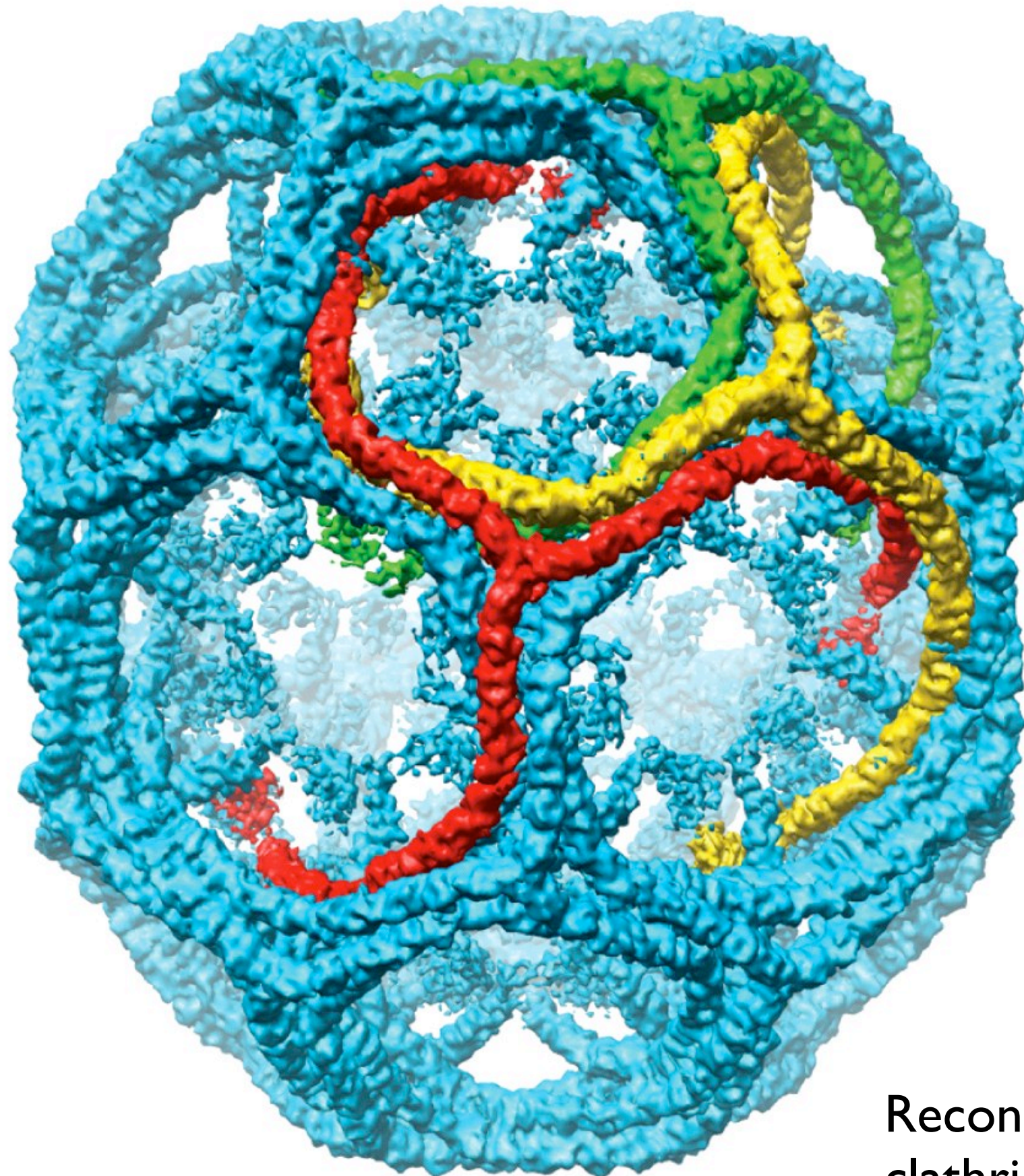


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Reconstruction of a  
clathrin cage containing  
36 triskelions



# The endocytotic pathway

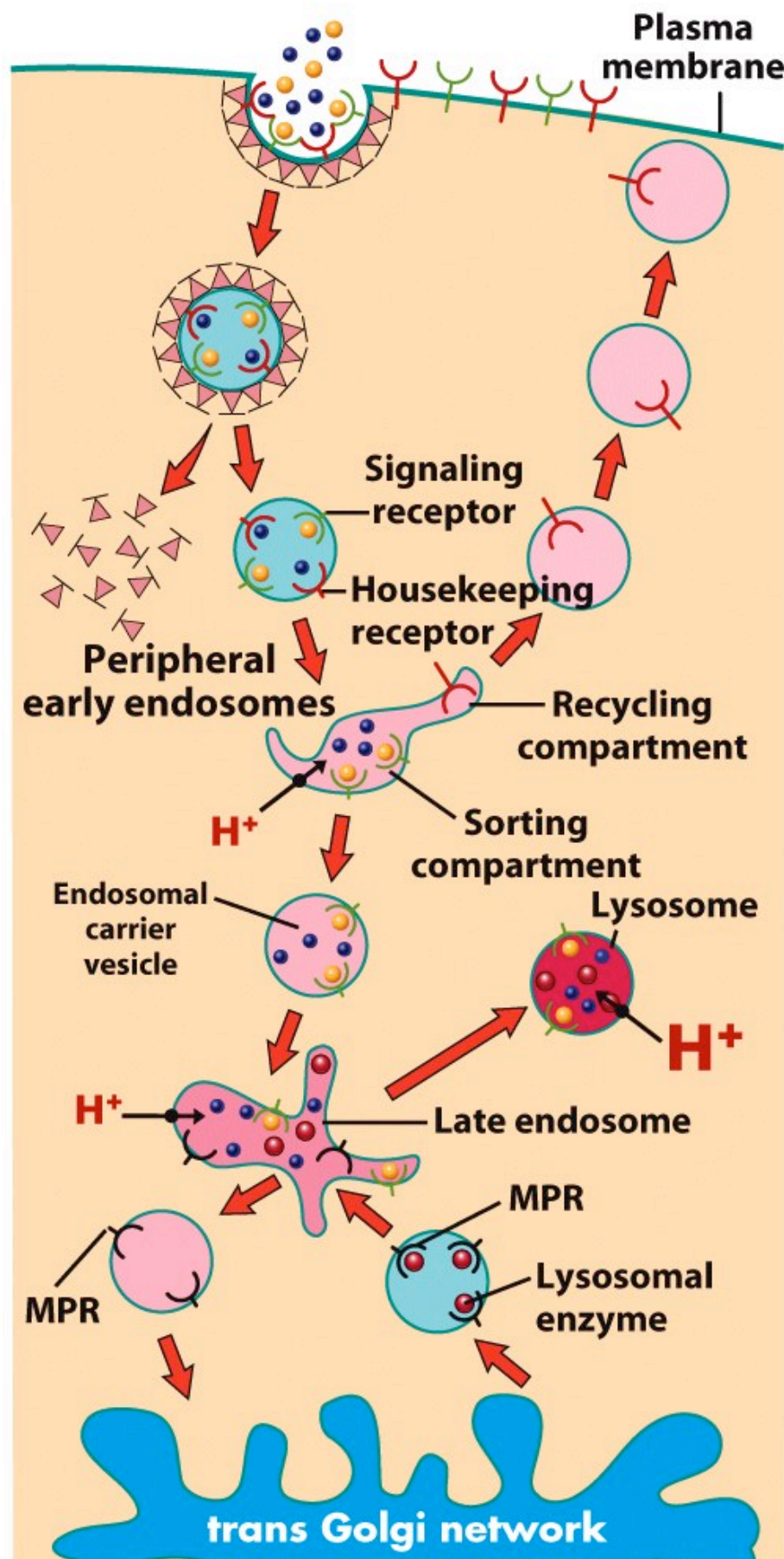
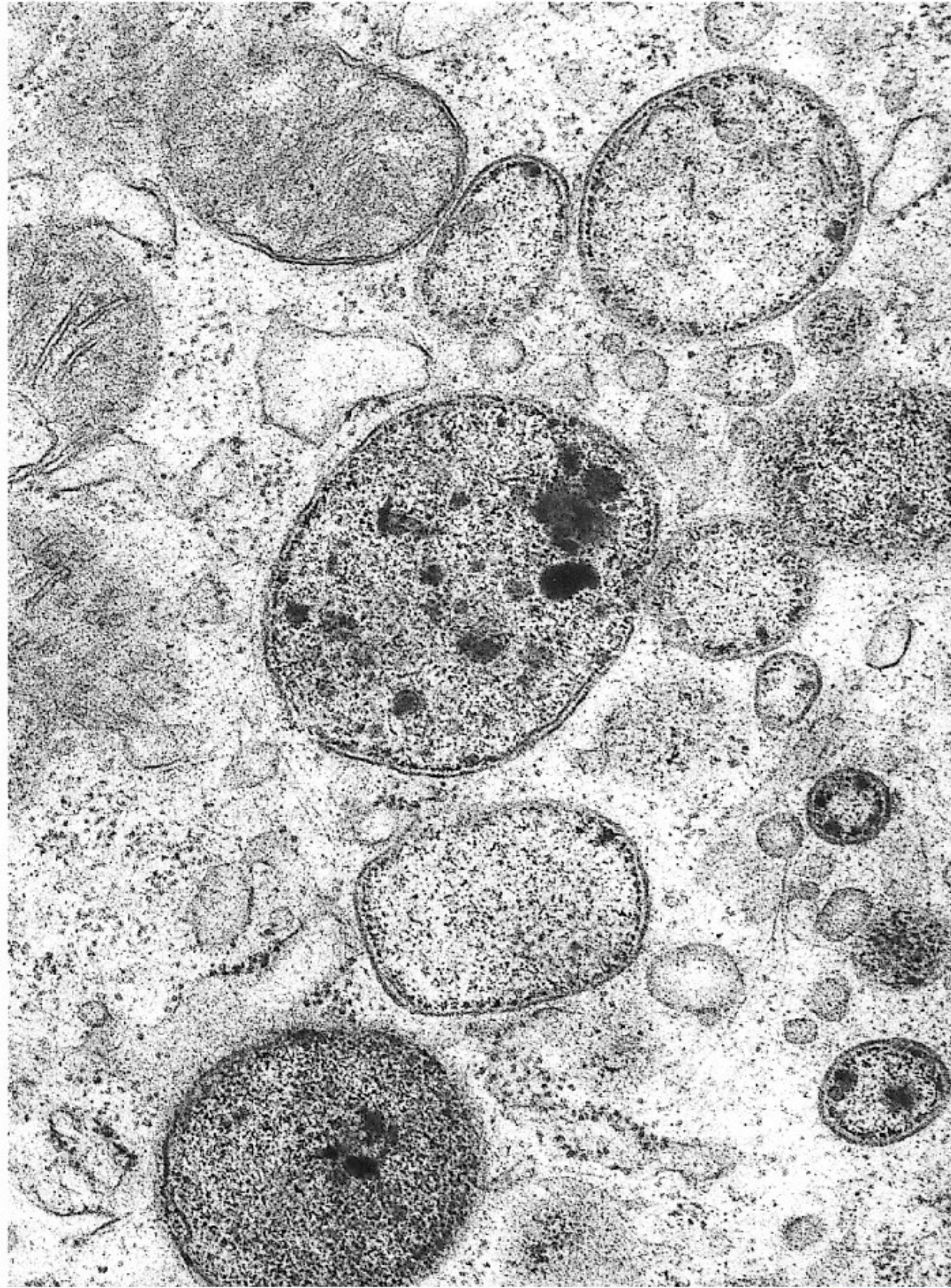


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# Lysosomes

...and autophagy





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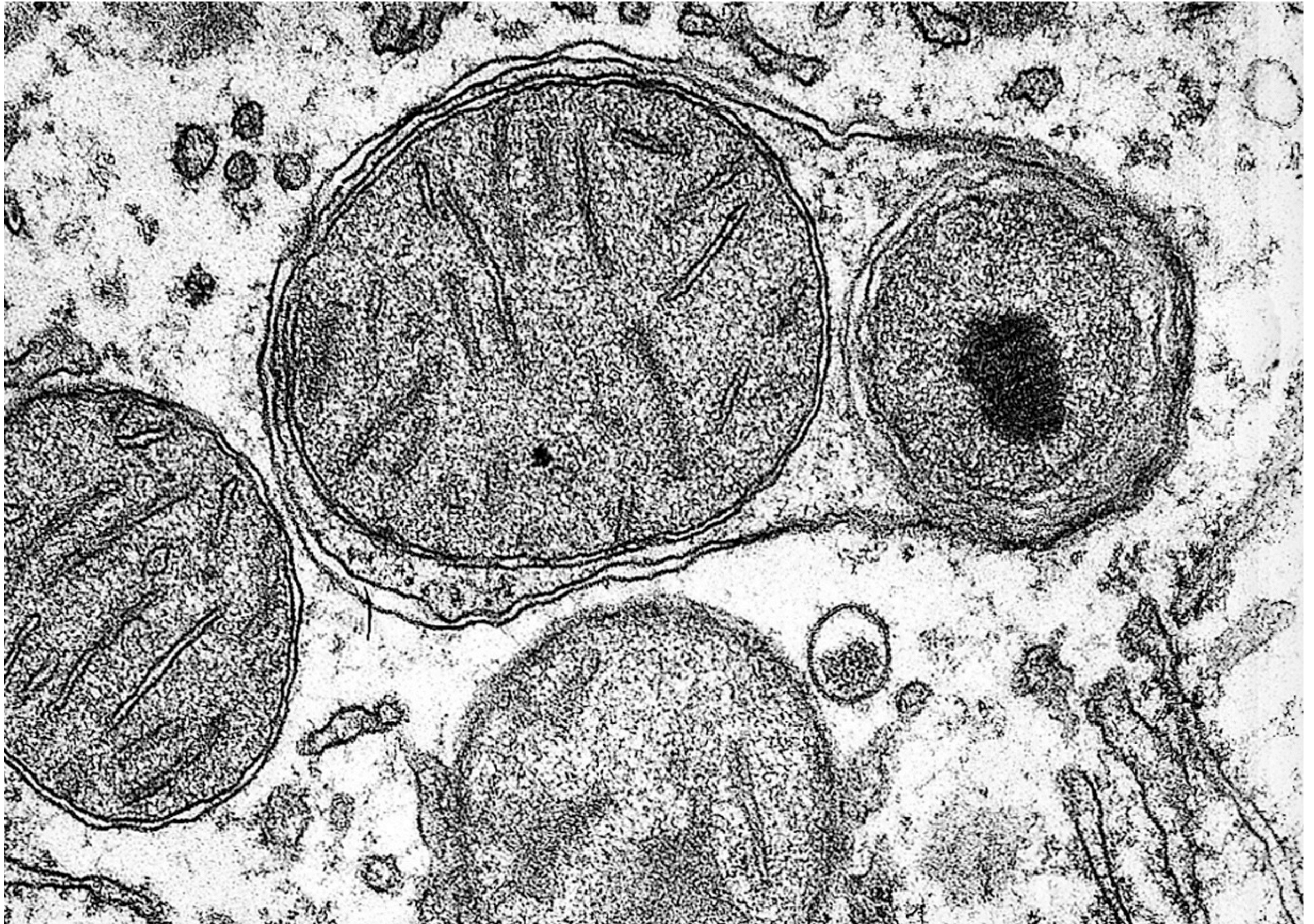


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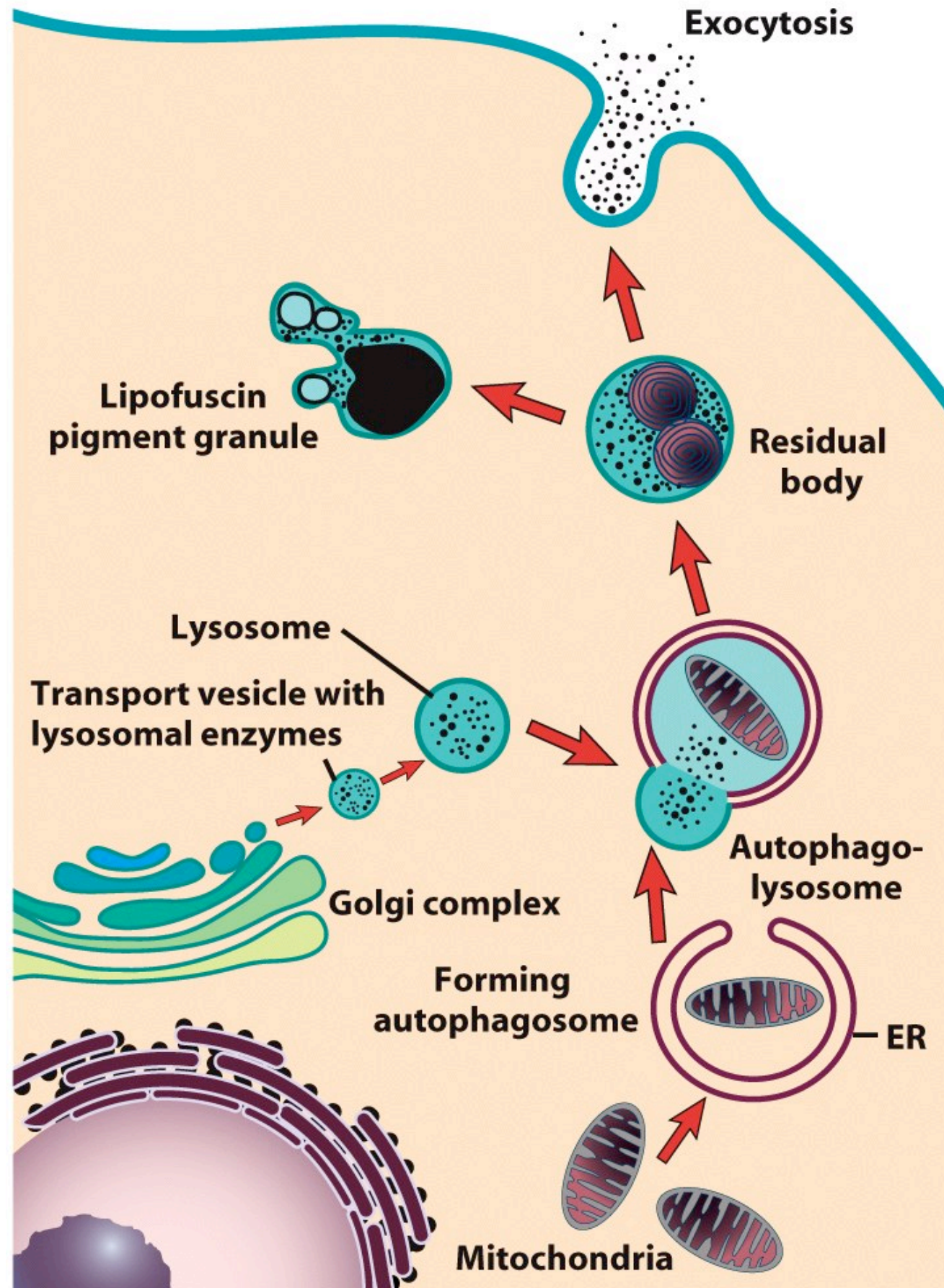


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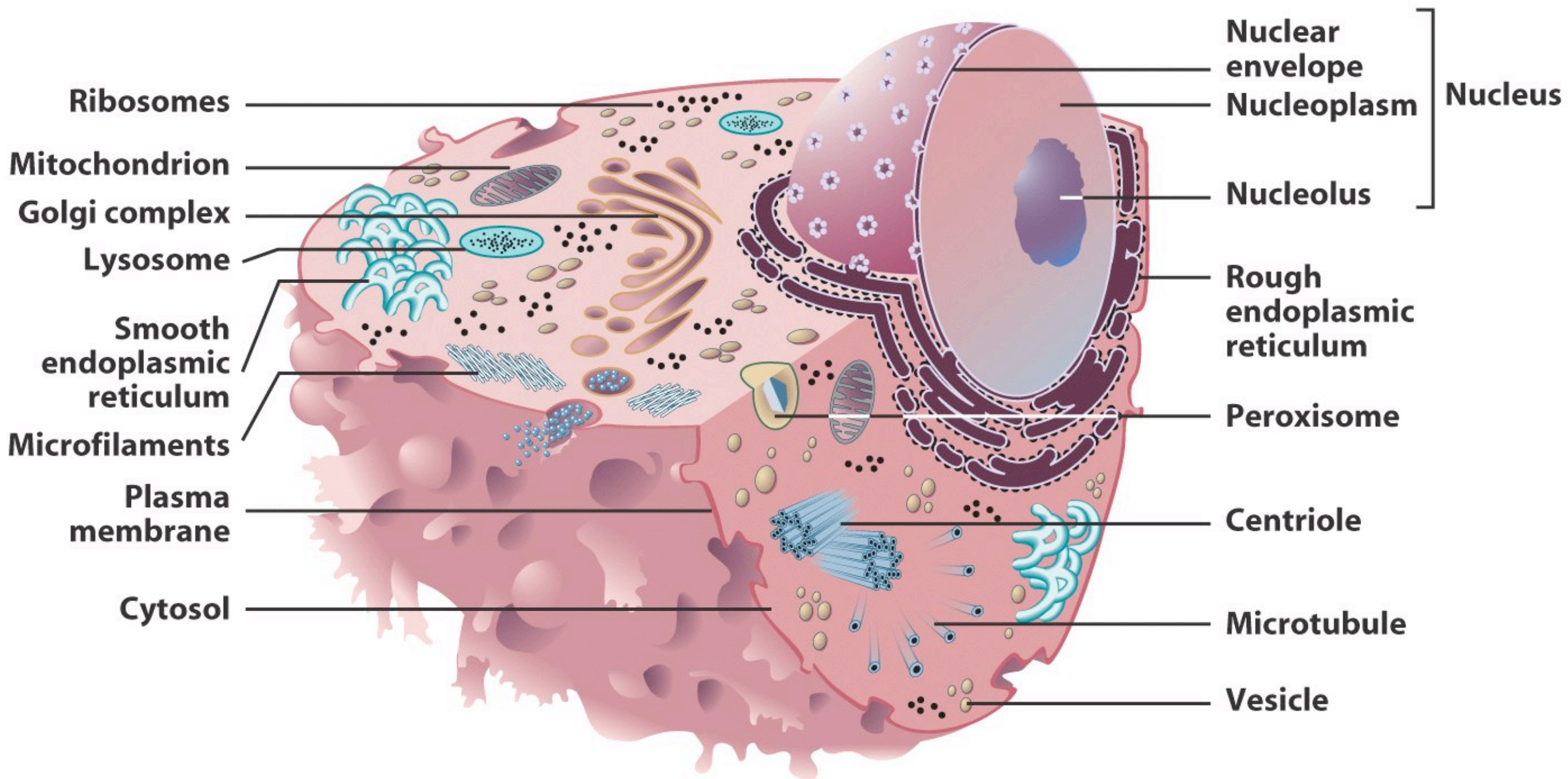


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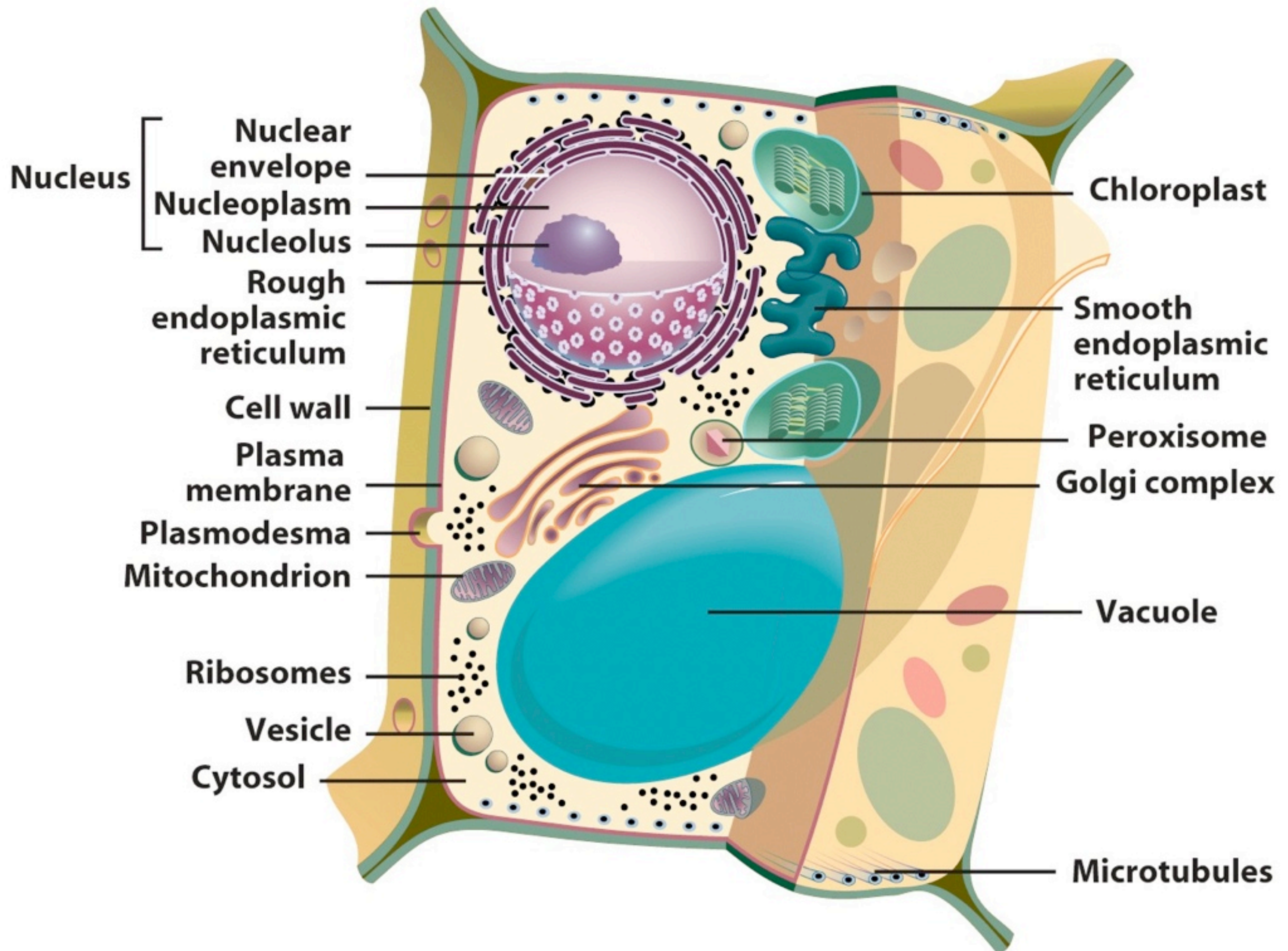


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