

# Spatial Transcriptome profiling

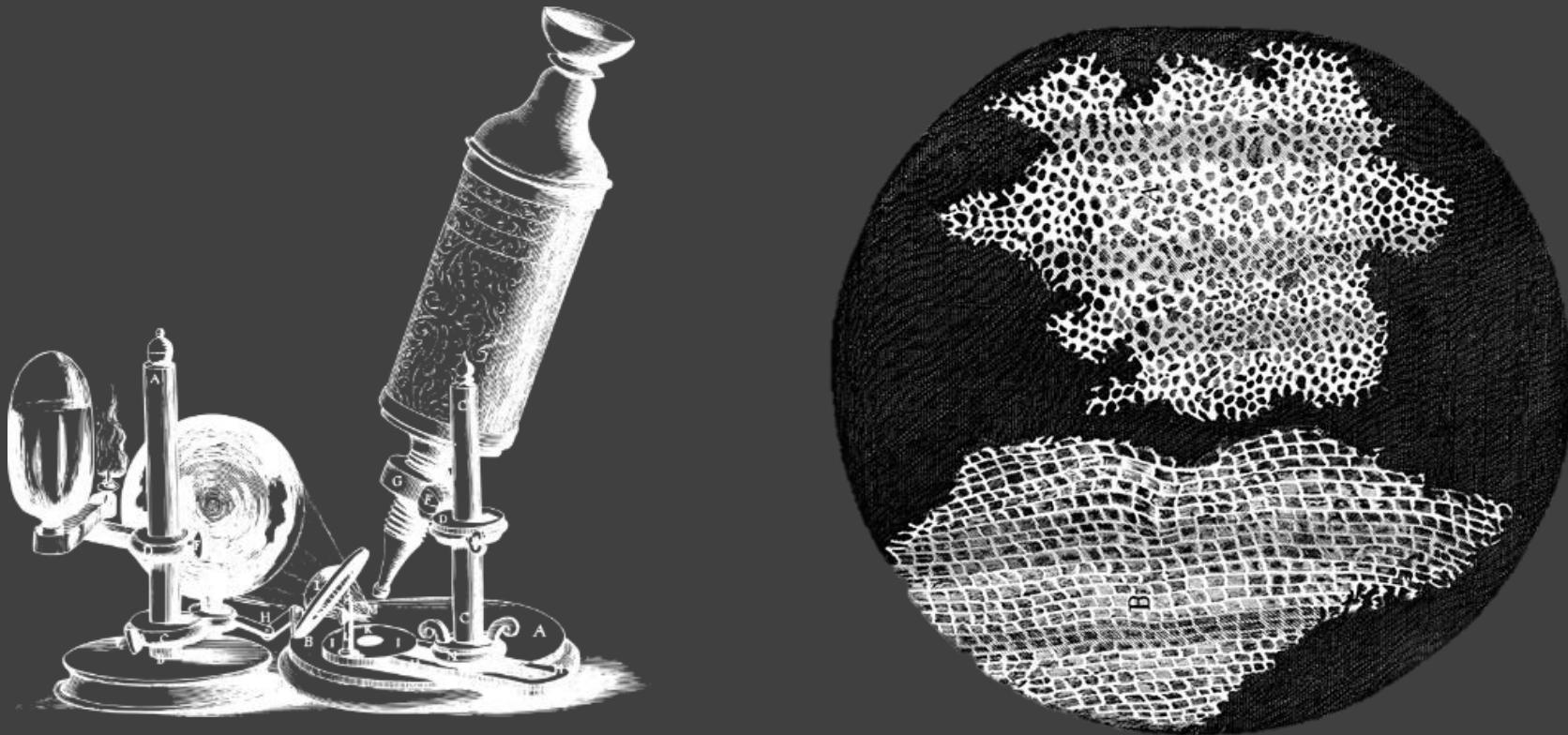
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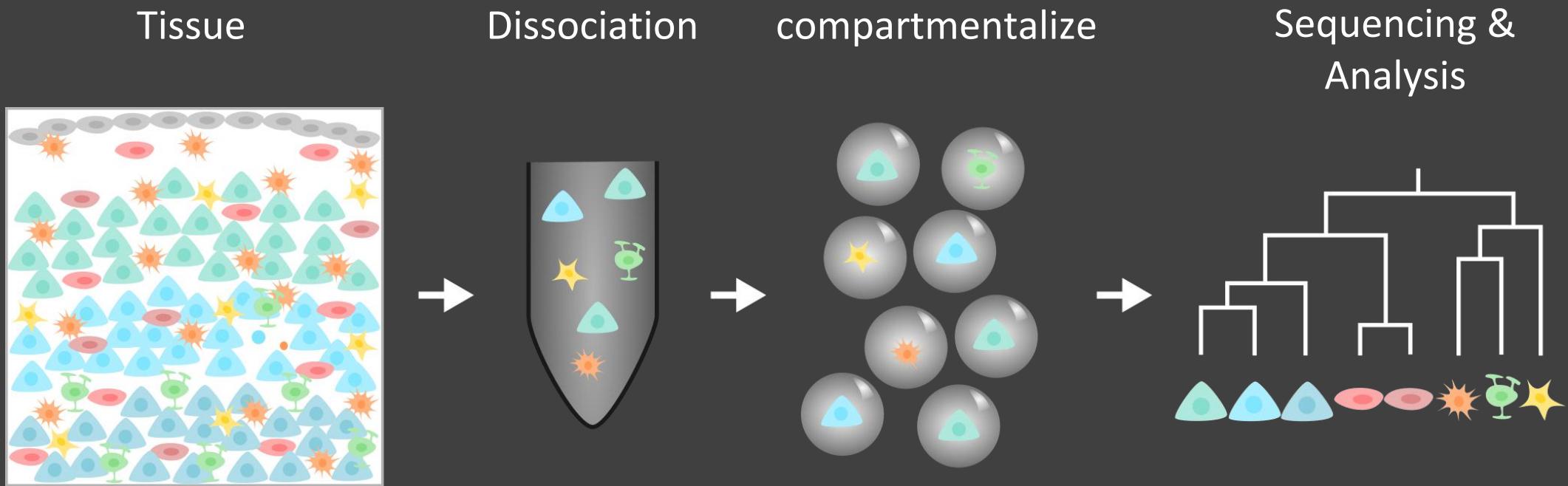
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# Single cell biology



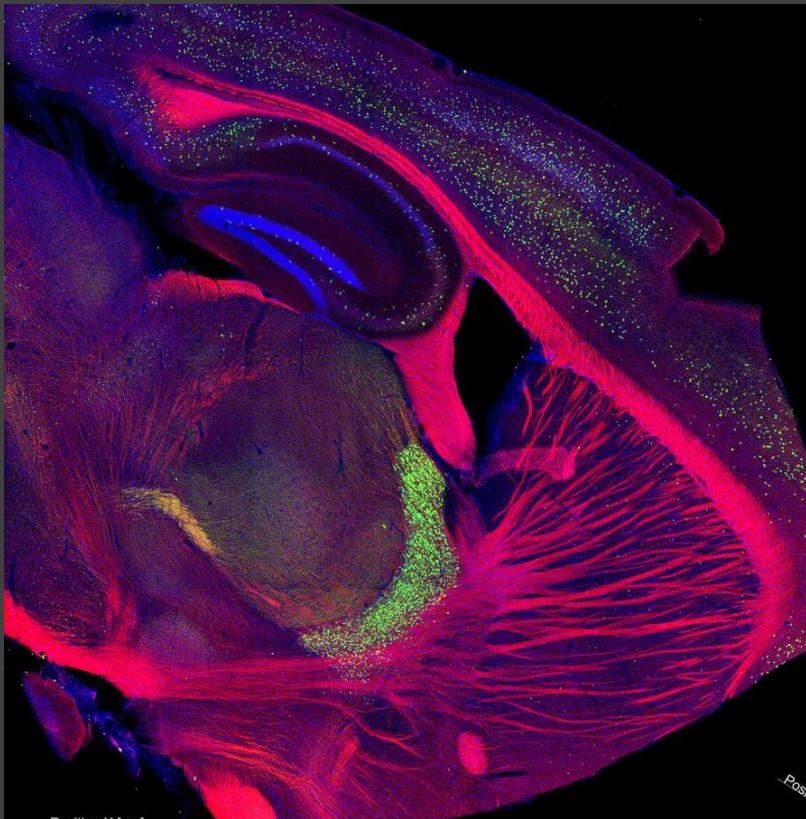
Robert Hooke 1665

# Single Cell RNA sequencing



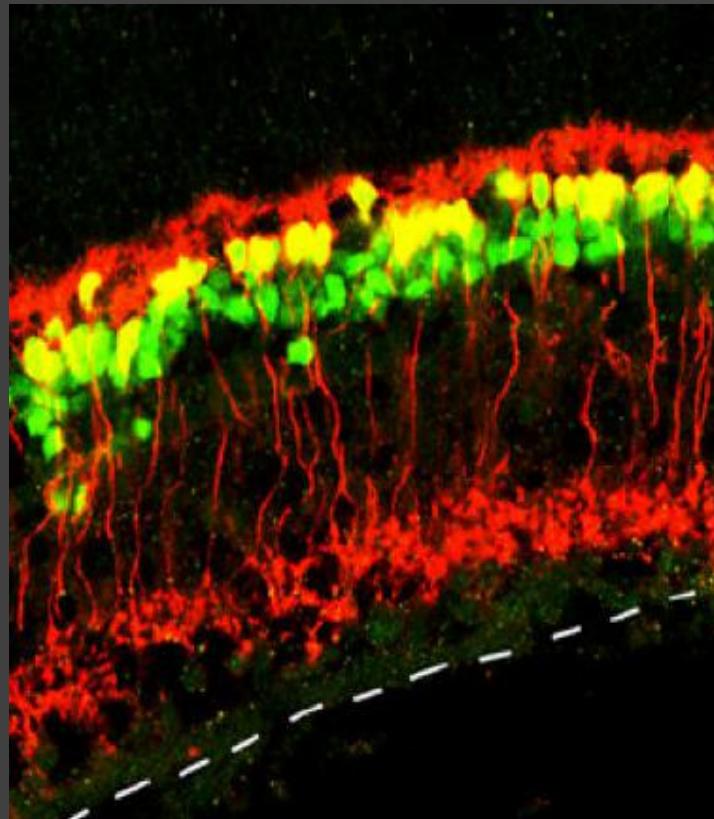
# Tissue architecture

Brain



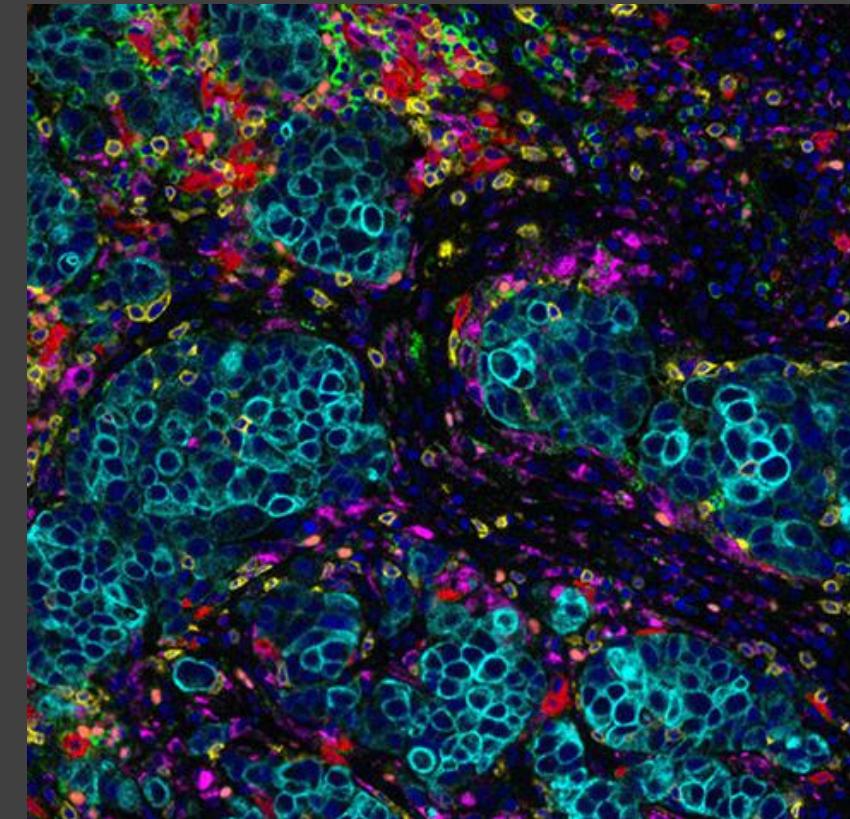
IGB Illinois

Retina



Morrow *et al.* 2008

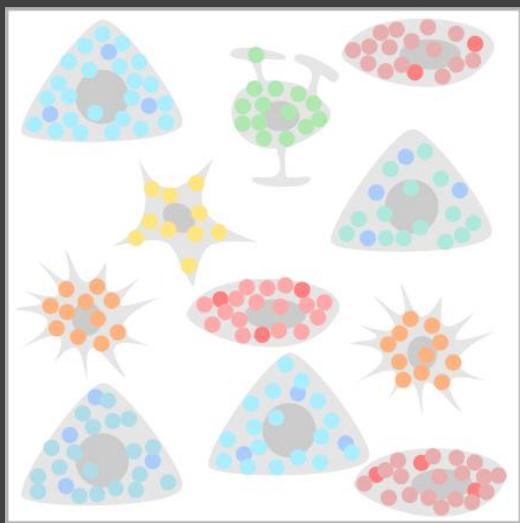
Cancer



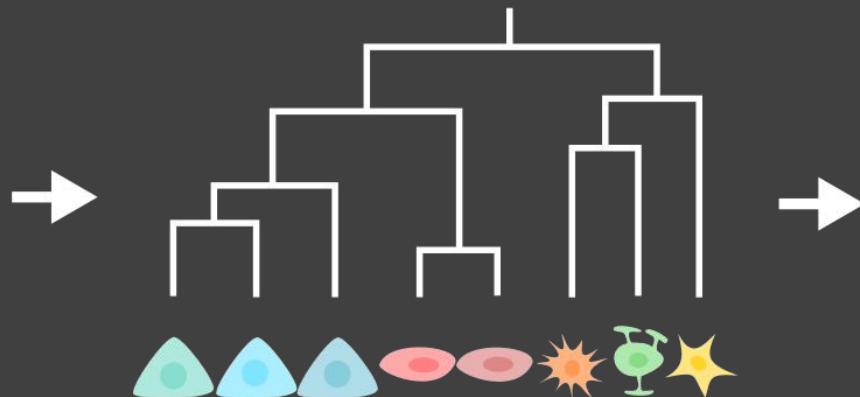
Perkin Elmer

# Detecting RNA in tissue

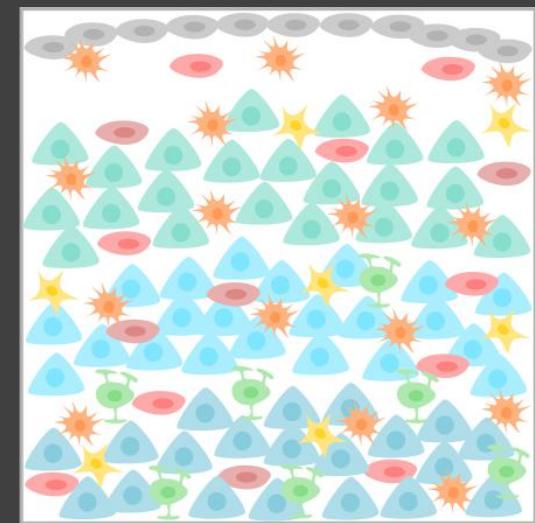
RNA detection *in situ*



Analysis

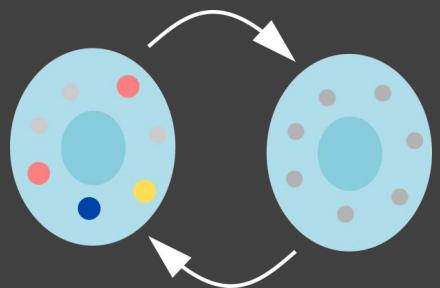


Spatial transcriptomics

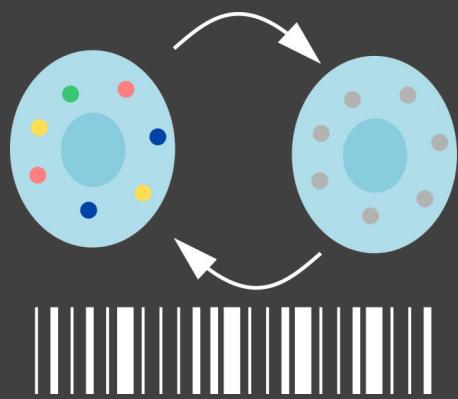


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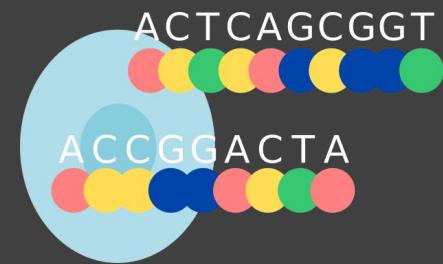
Cyclic FISH



Barcoded FISH



*in situ* Sequencing

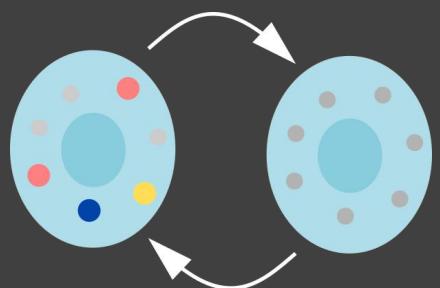


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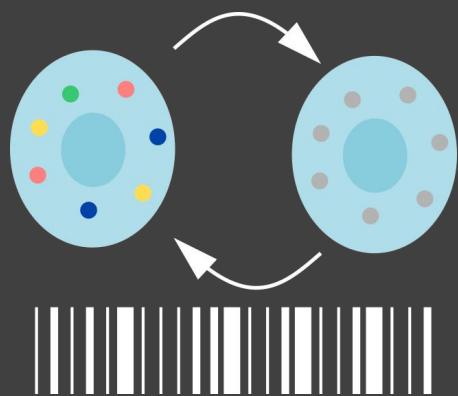


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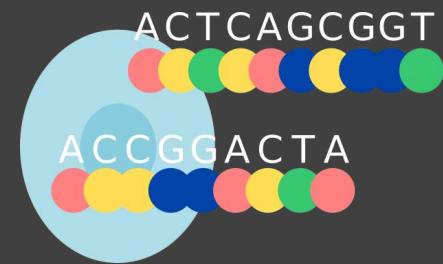
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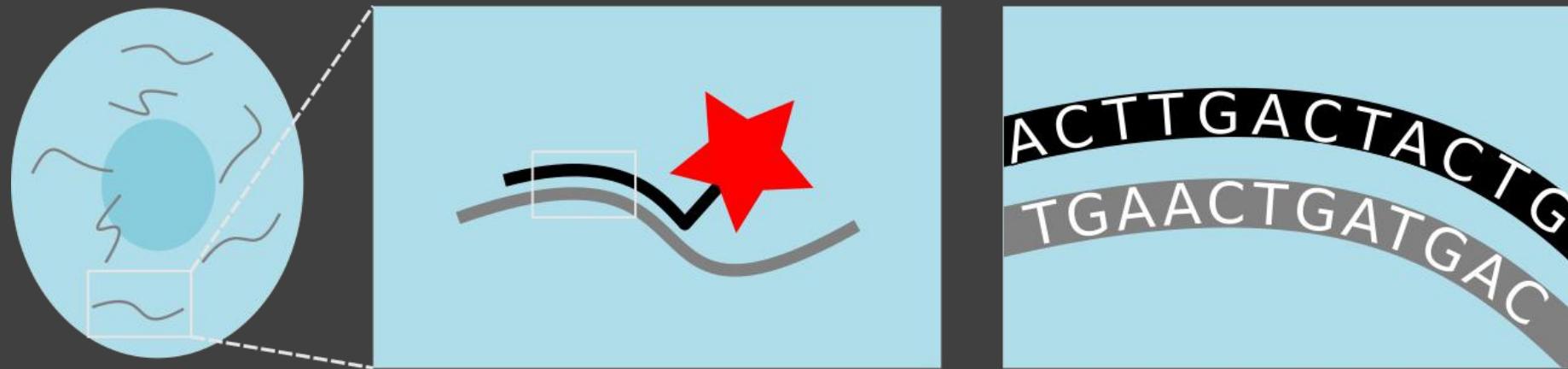
*in situ* Sequencing



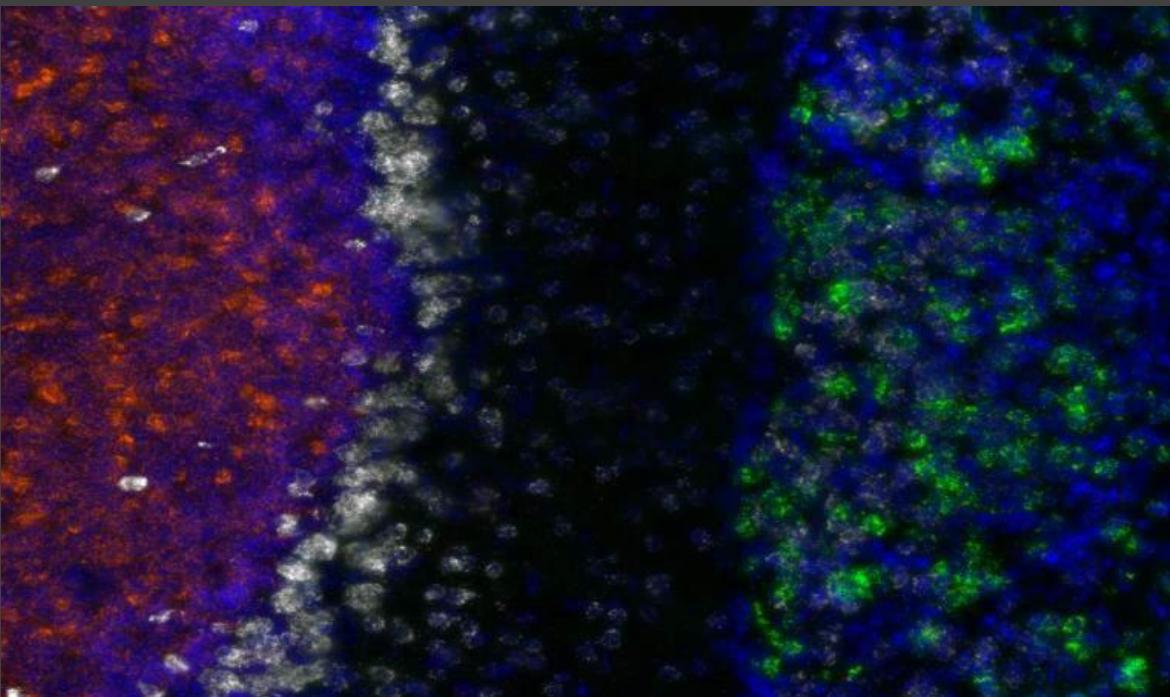
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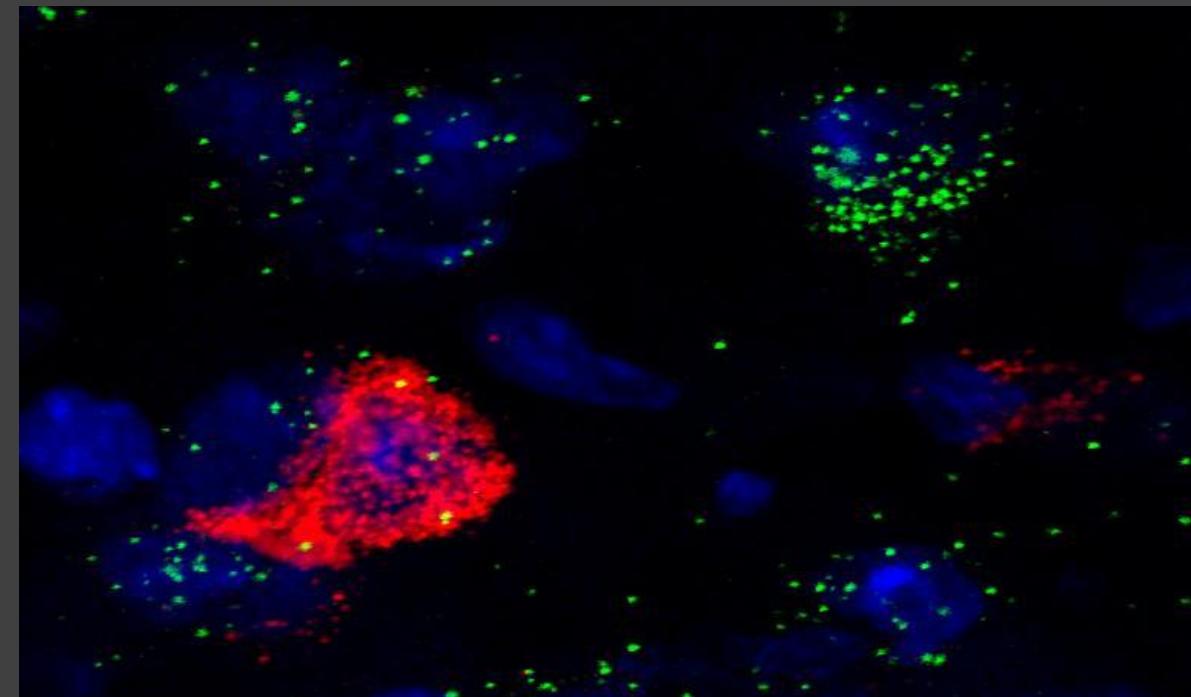
# *in situ* Hybridization



# *Fluorescent in situ Hybridization (FISH)*

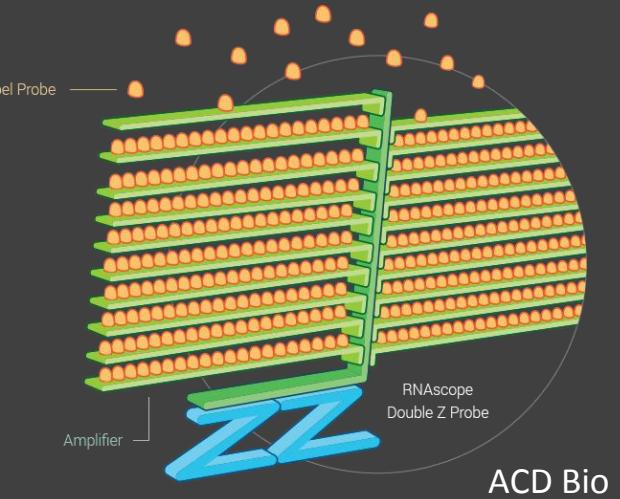


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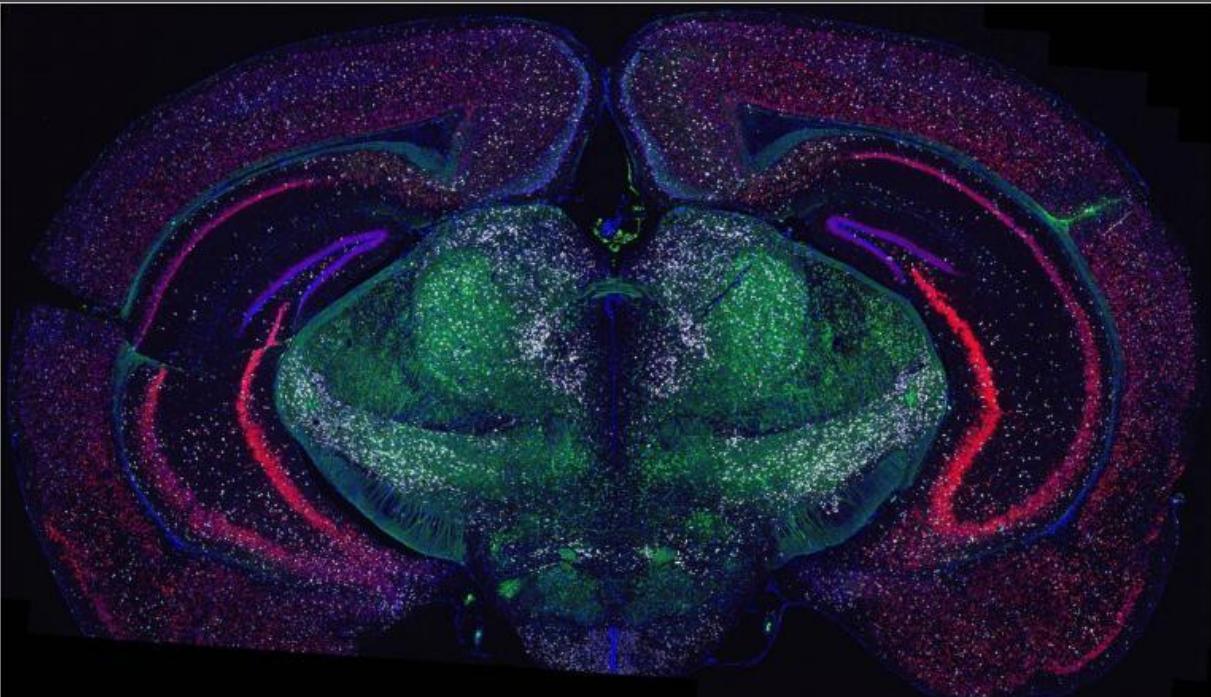


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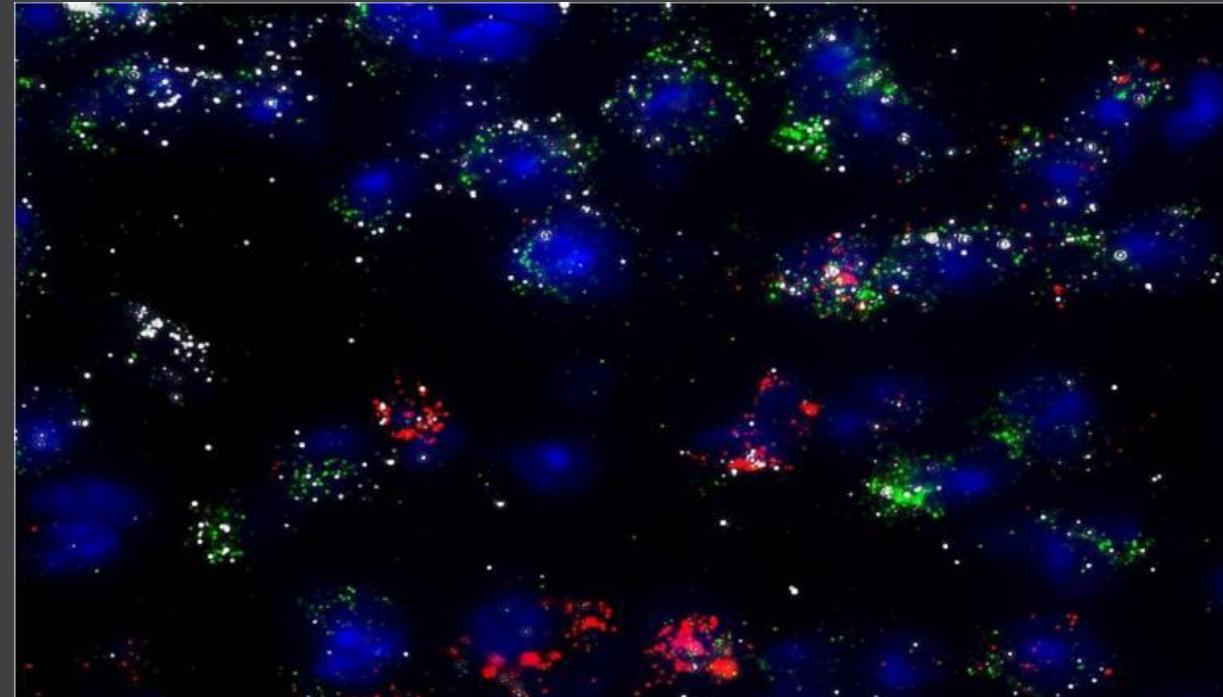
# RNAscope



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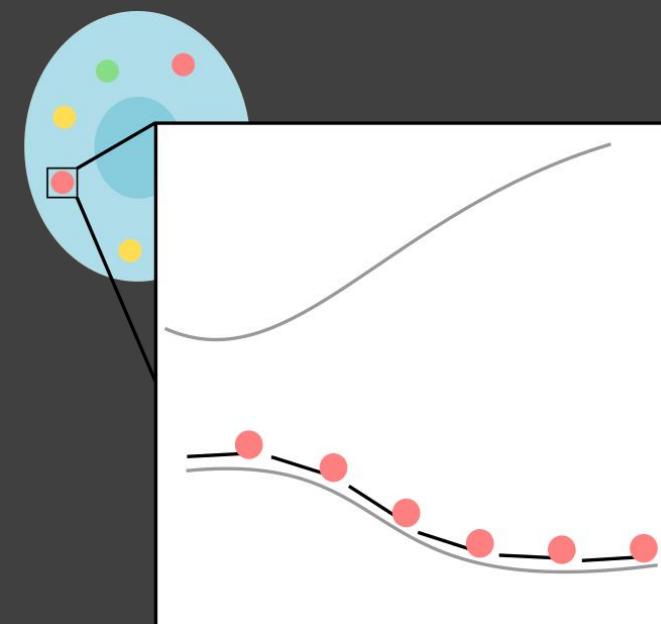


ACD Bio

# single molecule FISH (smFISH)

Probes

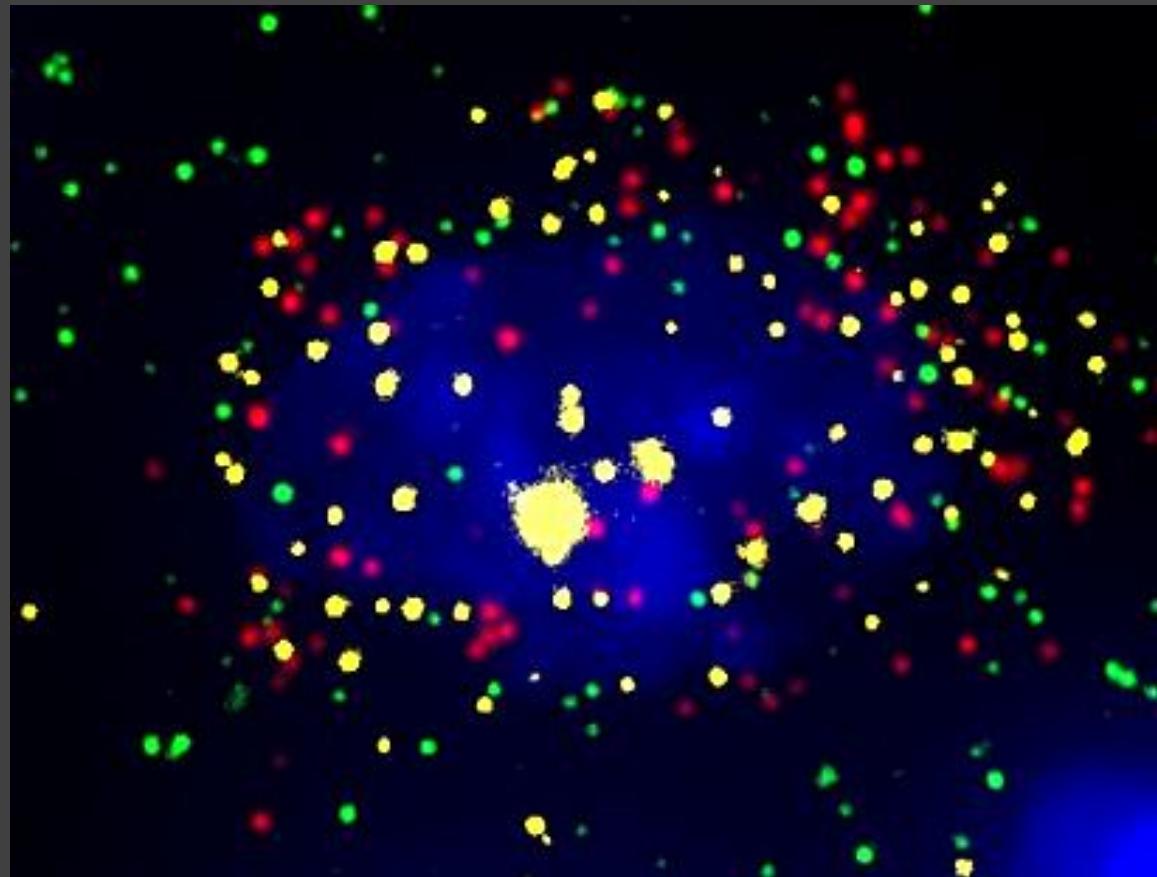
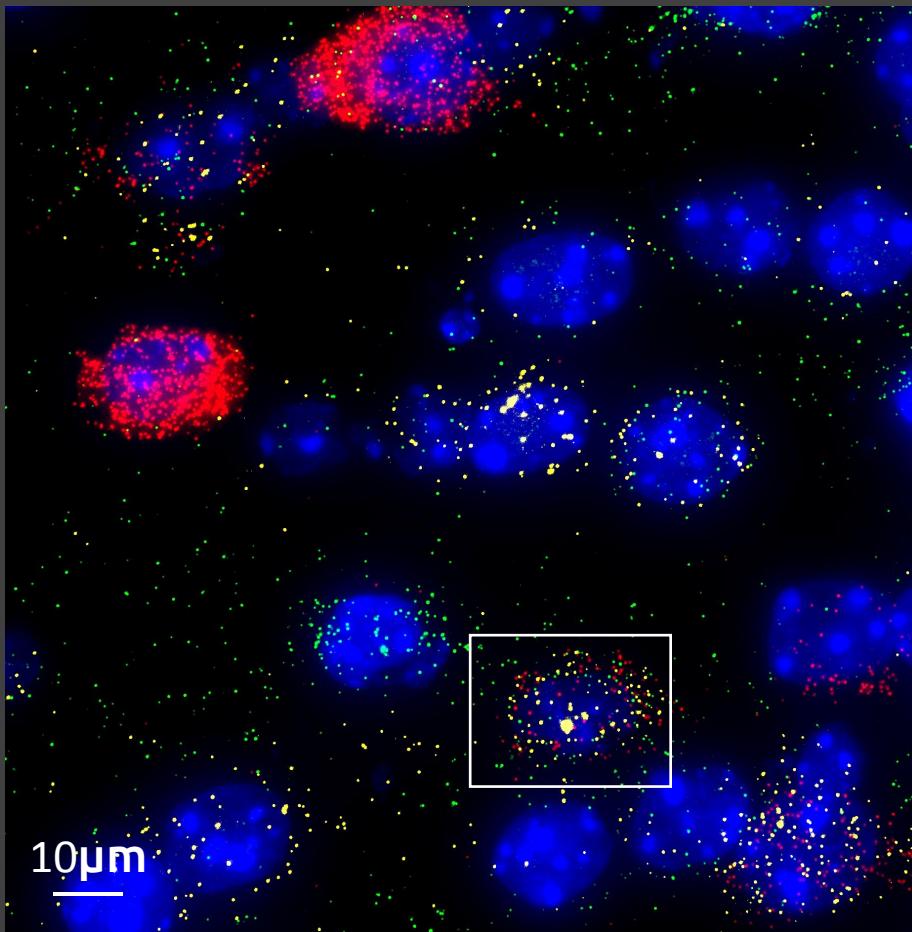
Gene 1 40X	
Gene 2 40X	
Gene 3 40X	
Gene 4 40X	



Raj *et al.* Nature Methods 2008

# single molecule FISH (smFISH)

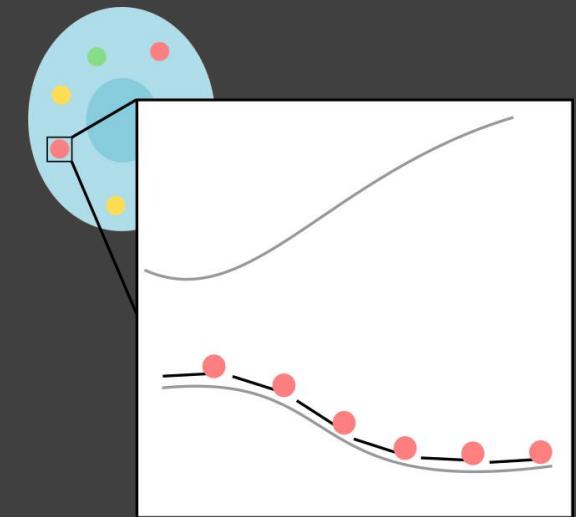
Gene 1 Gene 2 Gene 3 DNA



# single molecule FISH (smFISH)

- High sensitivity
- Low false positives
- Low false negatives

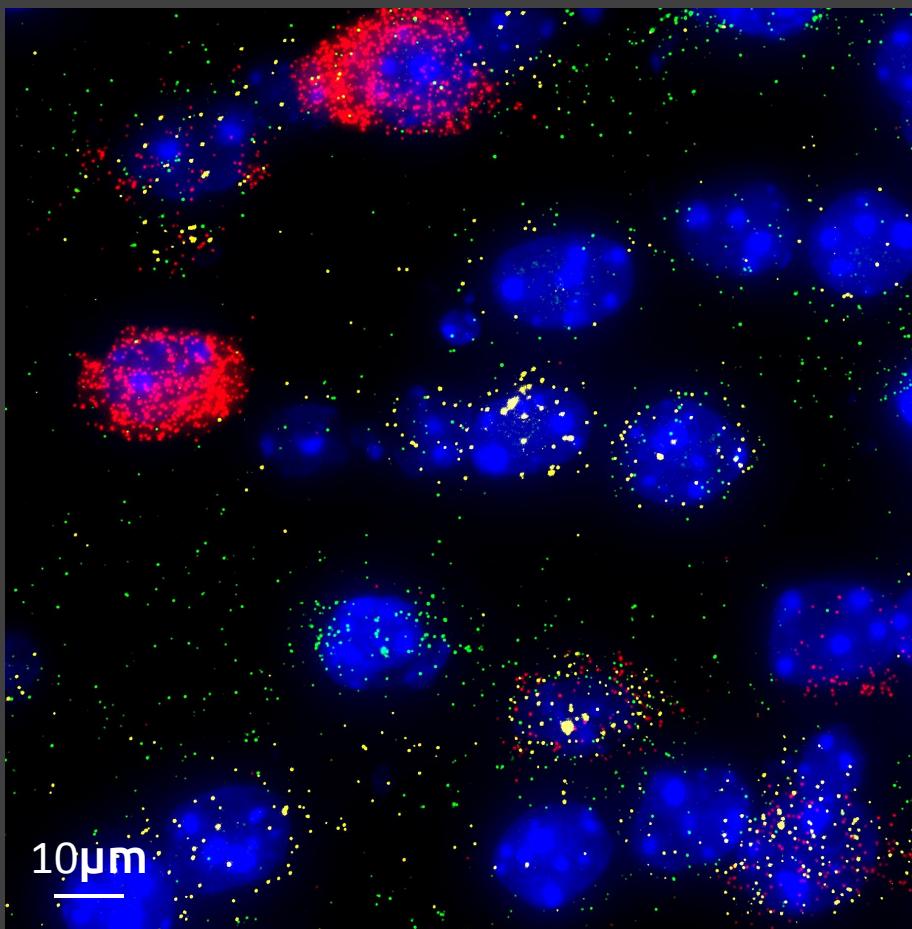
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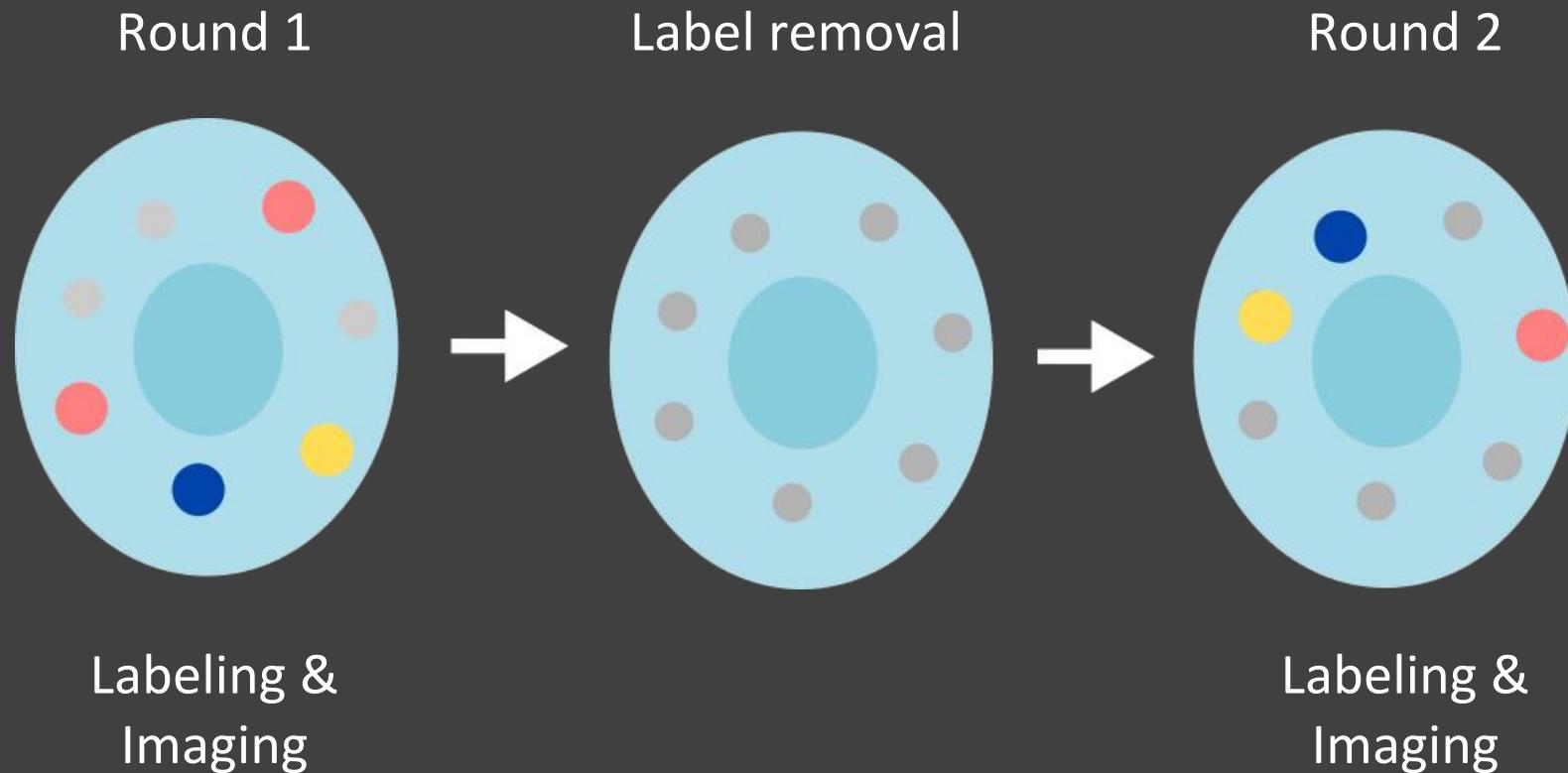
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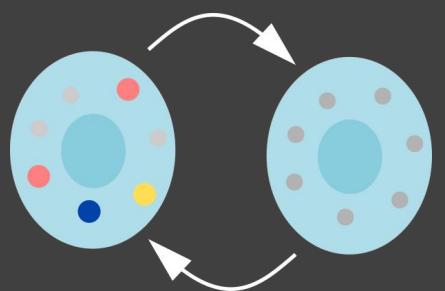
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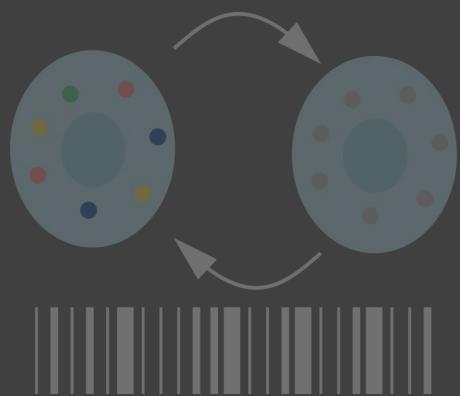
# Cyclic labeling



Cyclic FISH



Barcoded FISH



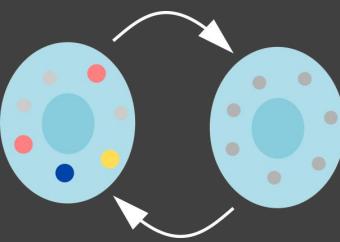
*in situ* Sequencing



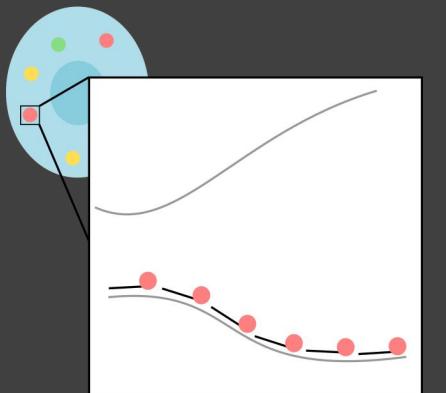
Spatial Sequencing



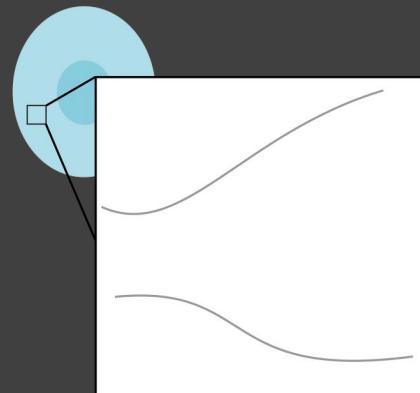
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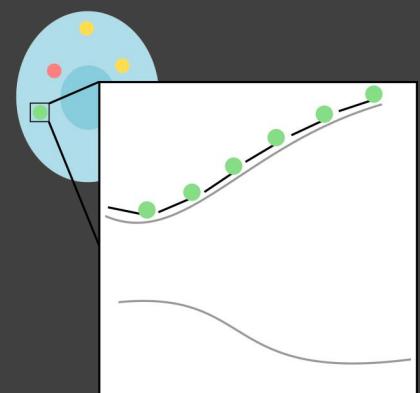
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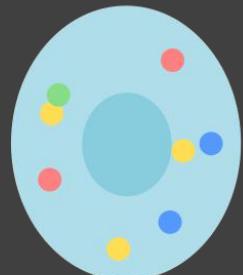
Strip 1



Hybridization 2

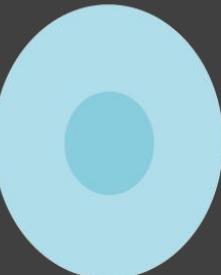


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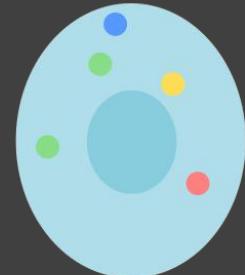


Gene 1 ●  
Gene 2 ●  
Gene 3 ●  
Gene 4 ●

Strip 1

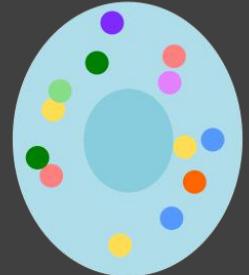


Hyb 2



Gene 5 ● → ●  
Gene 6 ● → ●  
Gene 7 ● → ●  
Gene 8 ● → ●

Composite

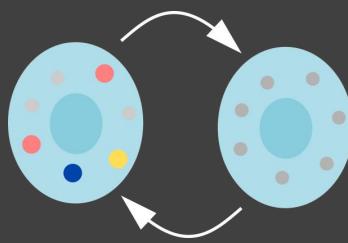
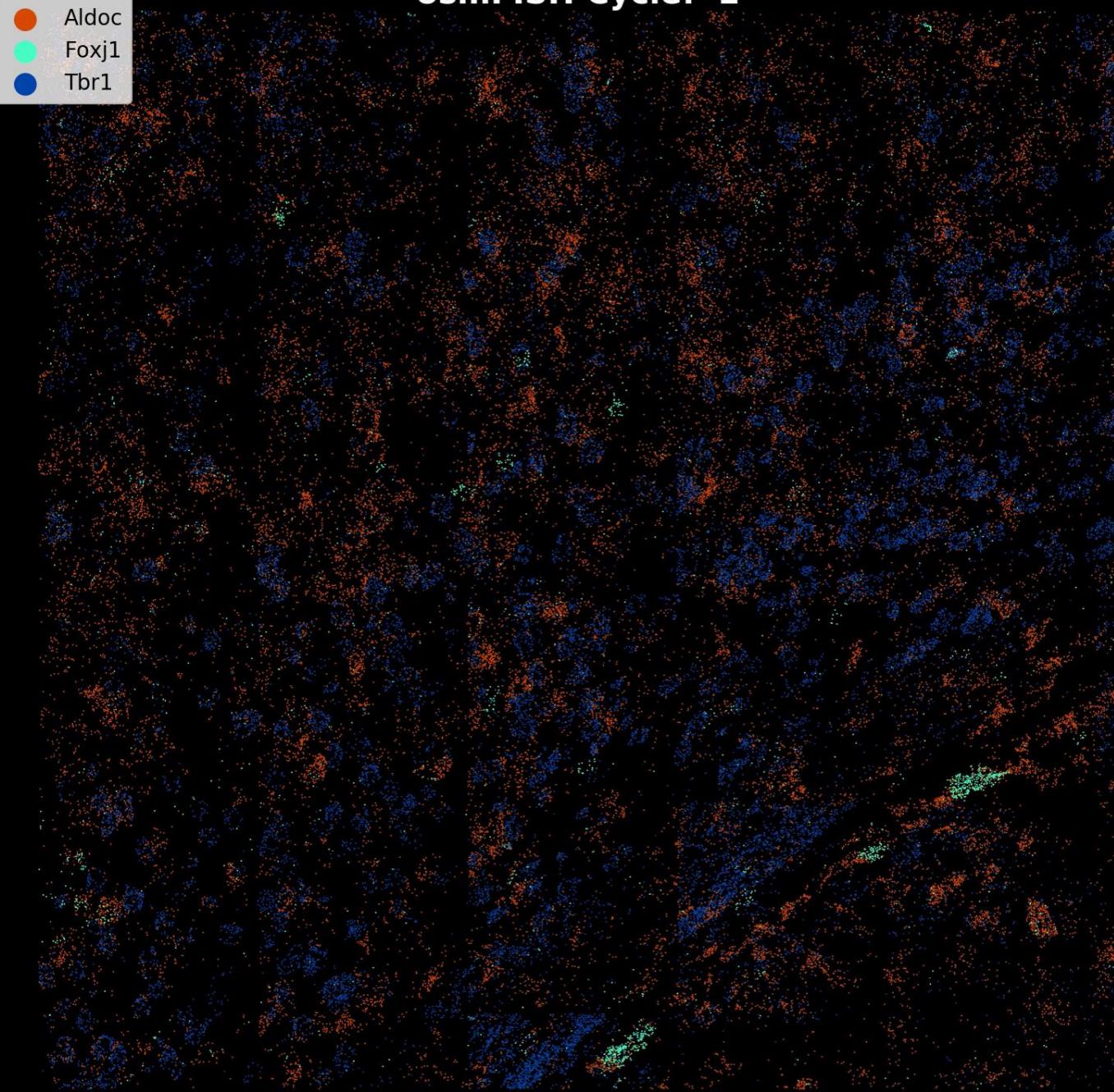


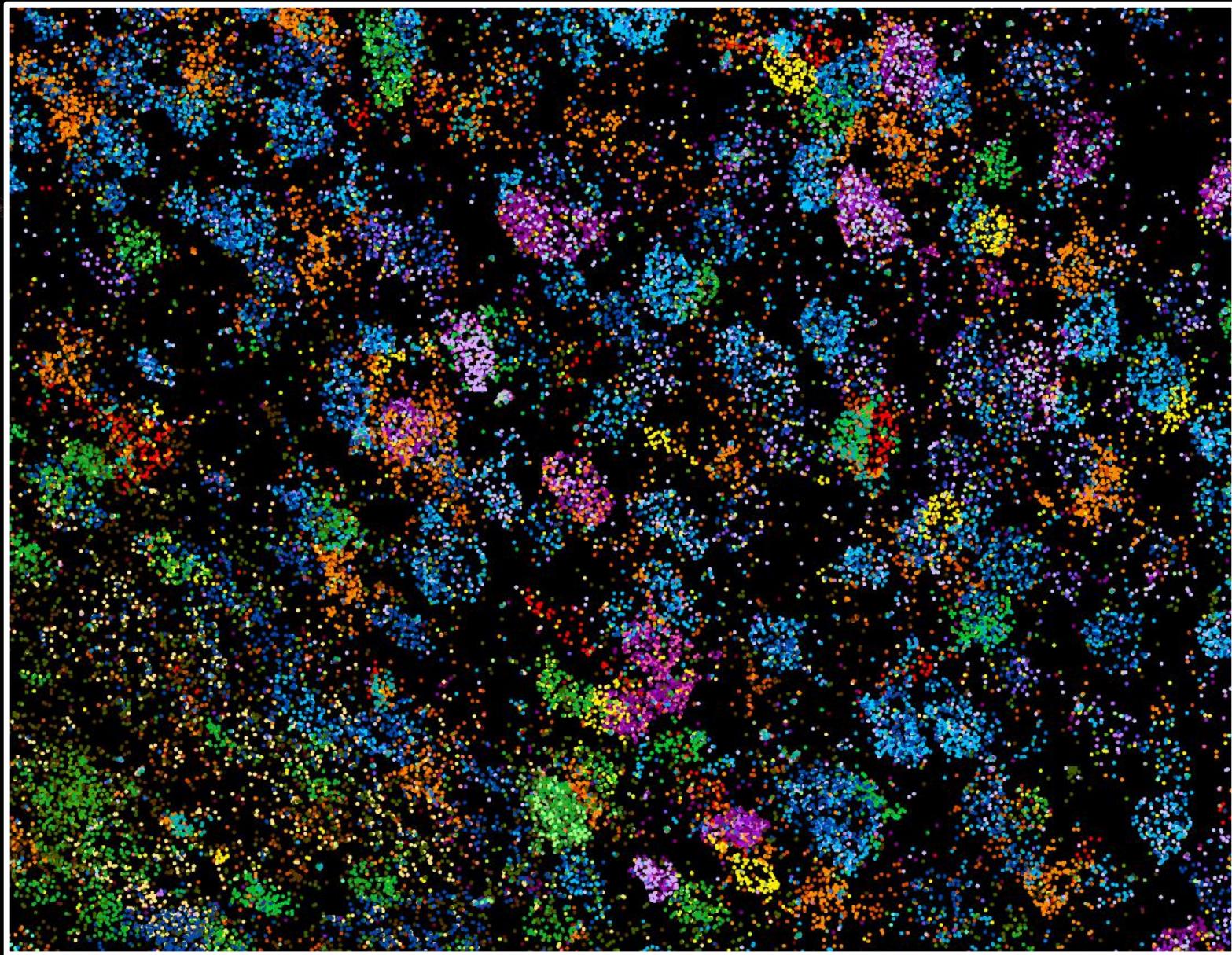
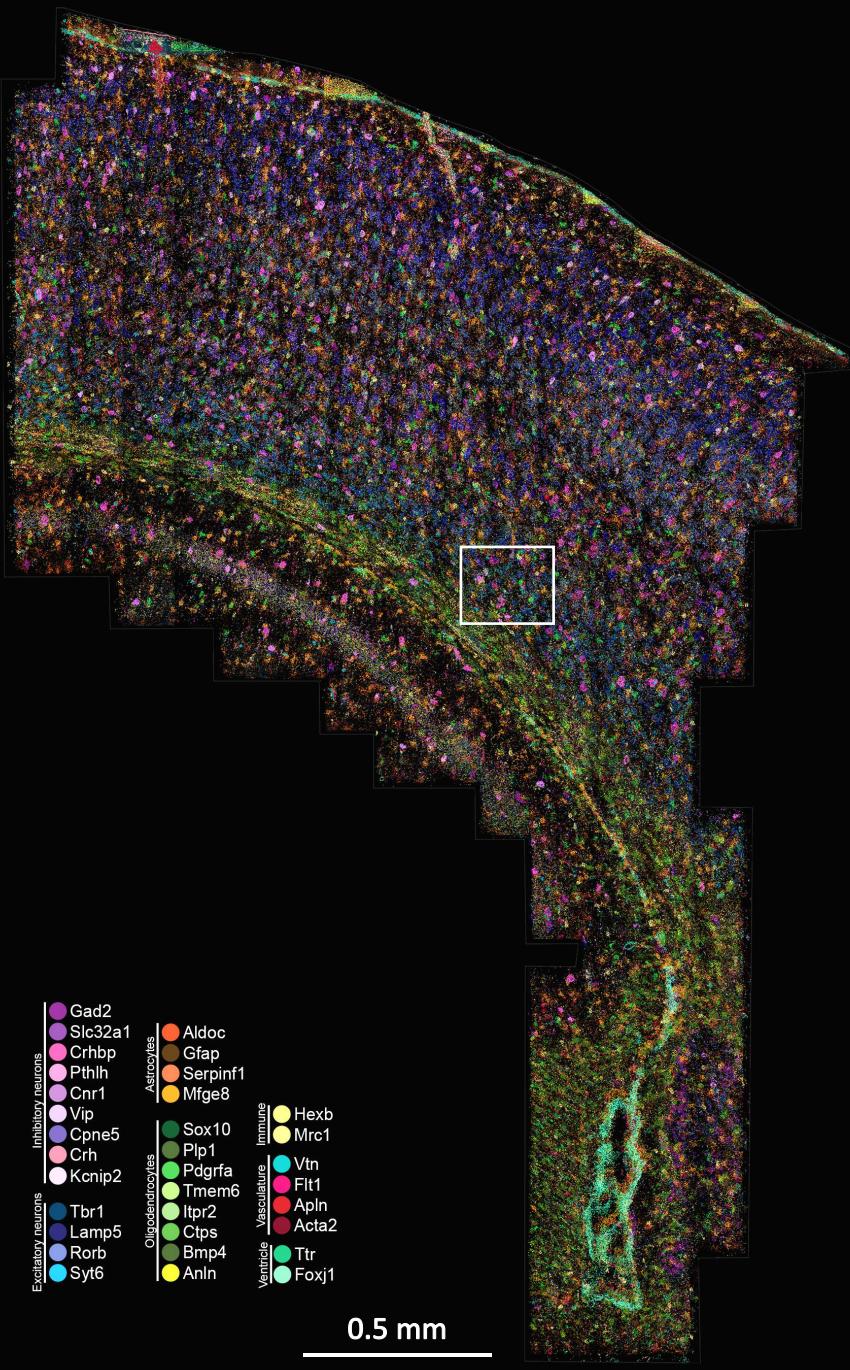
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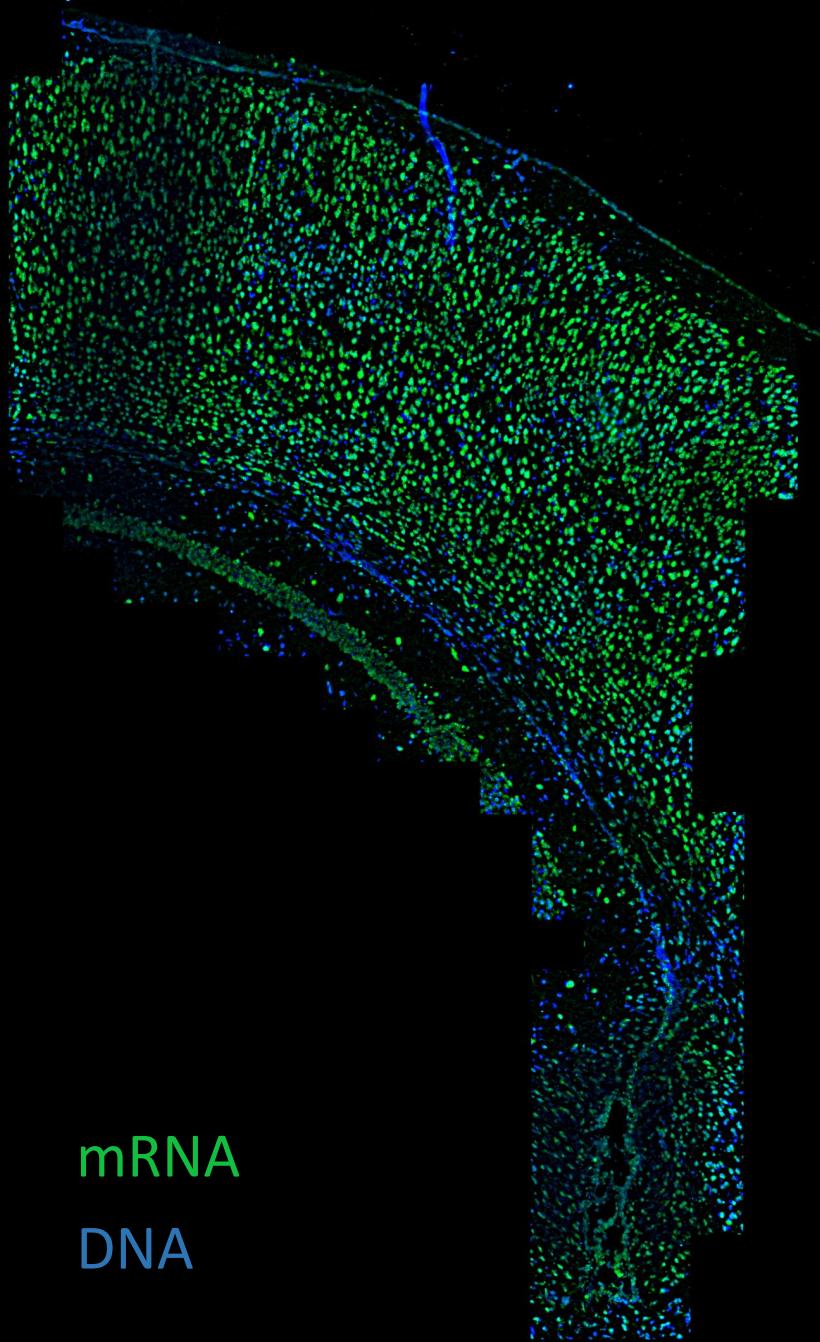
Genes

- Aldoc
- Foxj1
- Tbr1

osmFISH Cycle: 1



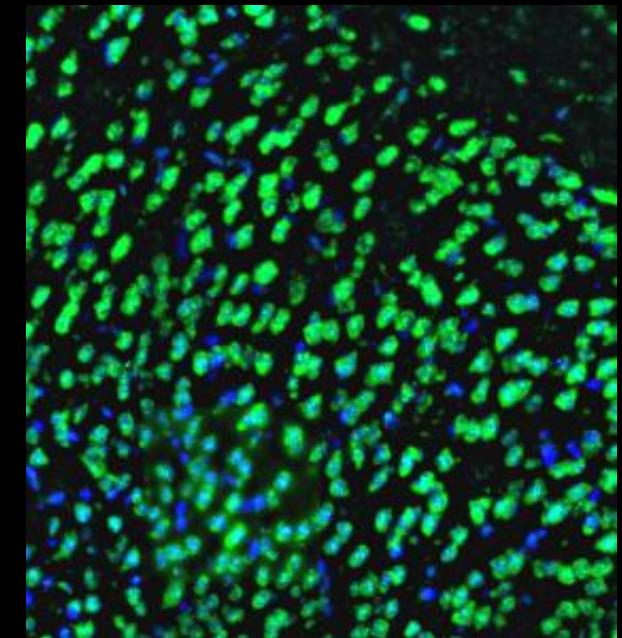




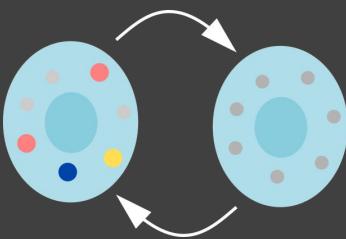
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DNA

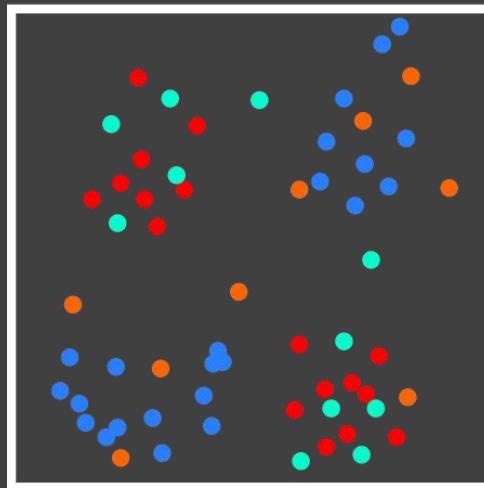
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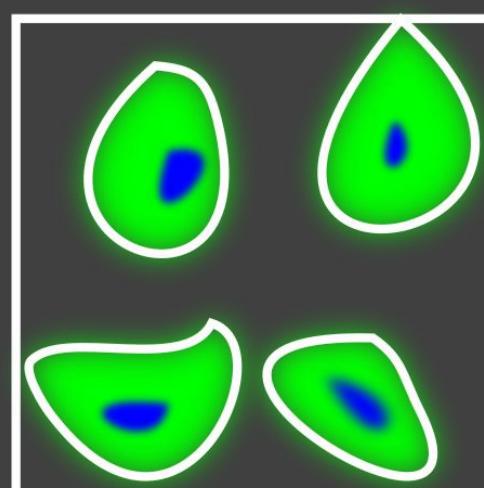
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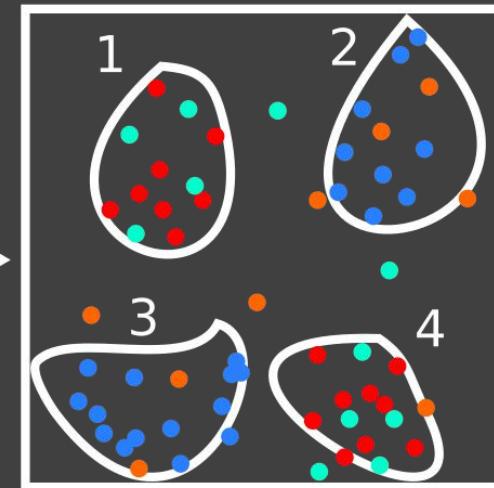
RNA detection



Cell segmentation

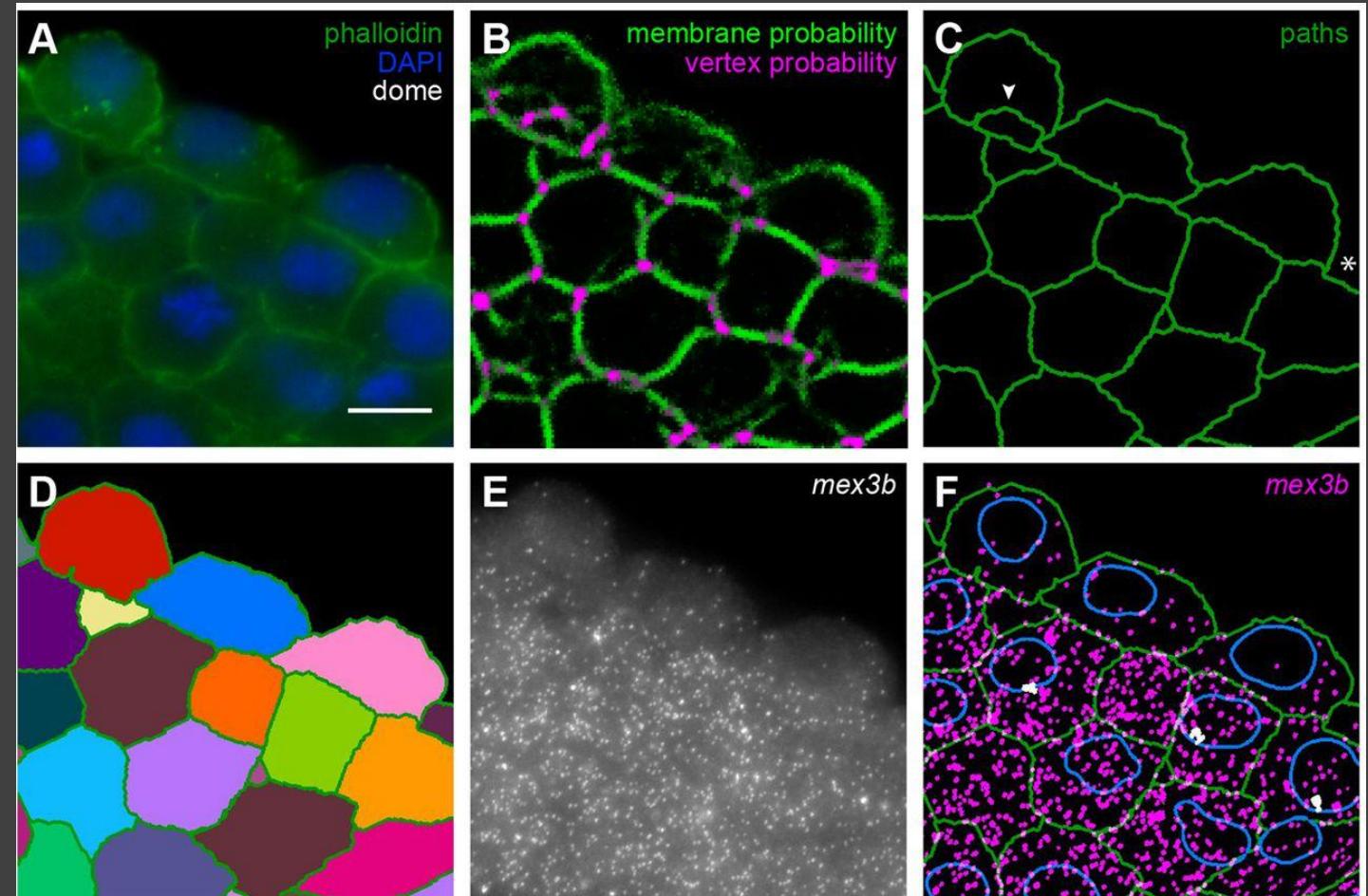
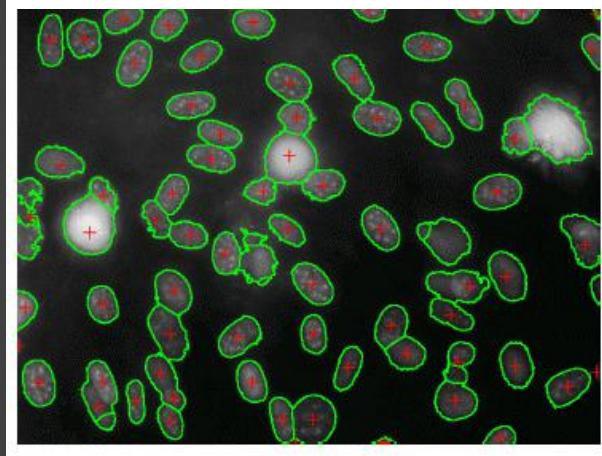
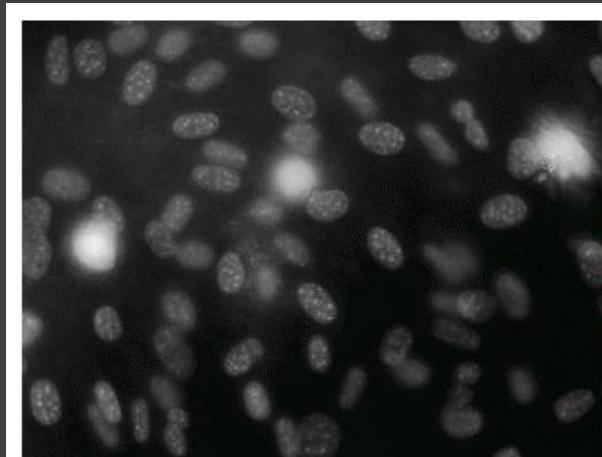
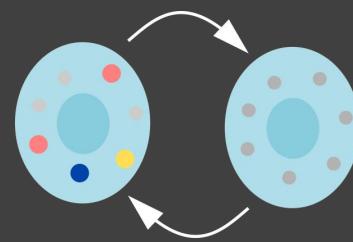


Cell counting

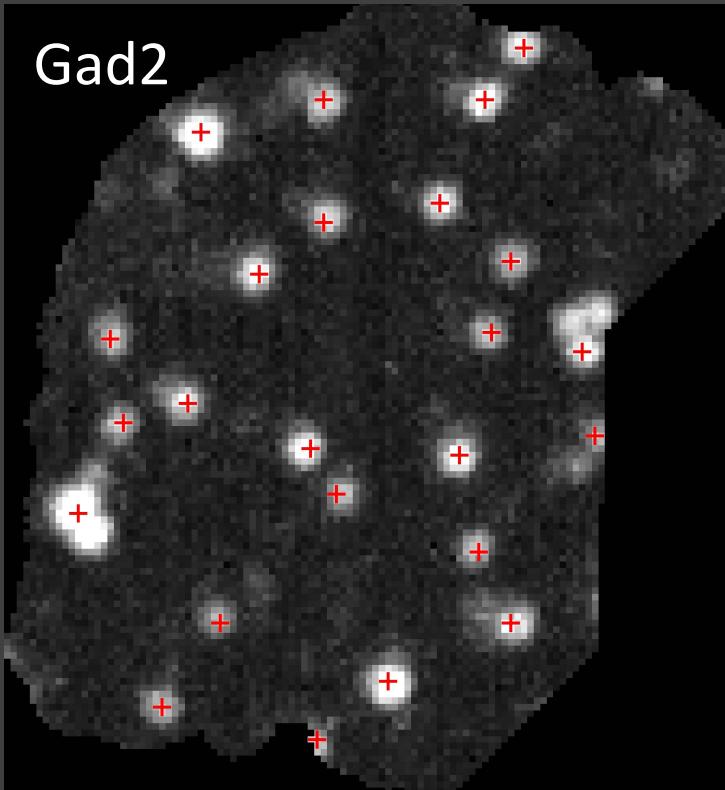
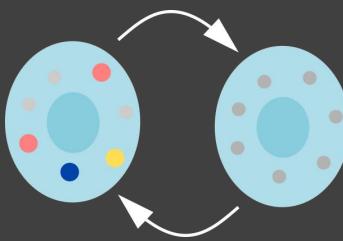


Cell 1	Cell 2
● 8	● 0
● 4	● 0
● 0	● 9
● 0	● 2
Cell 3	Cell 4
● 0	● 8
● 0	● 4
● 14	● 0
● 2	● 1

# Cell segmentation



# Single cell expression



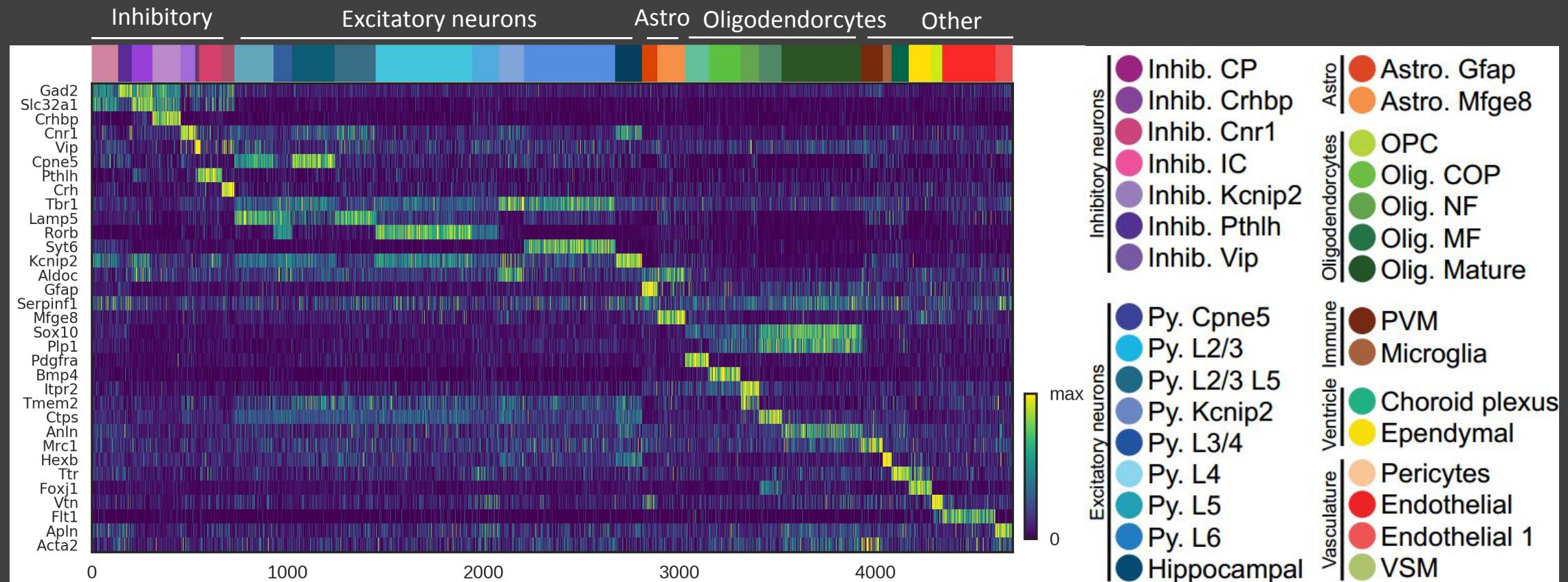
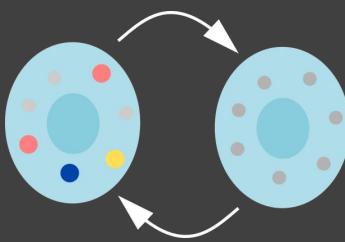
Genes

Cells

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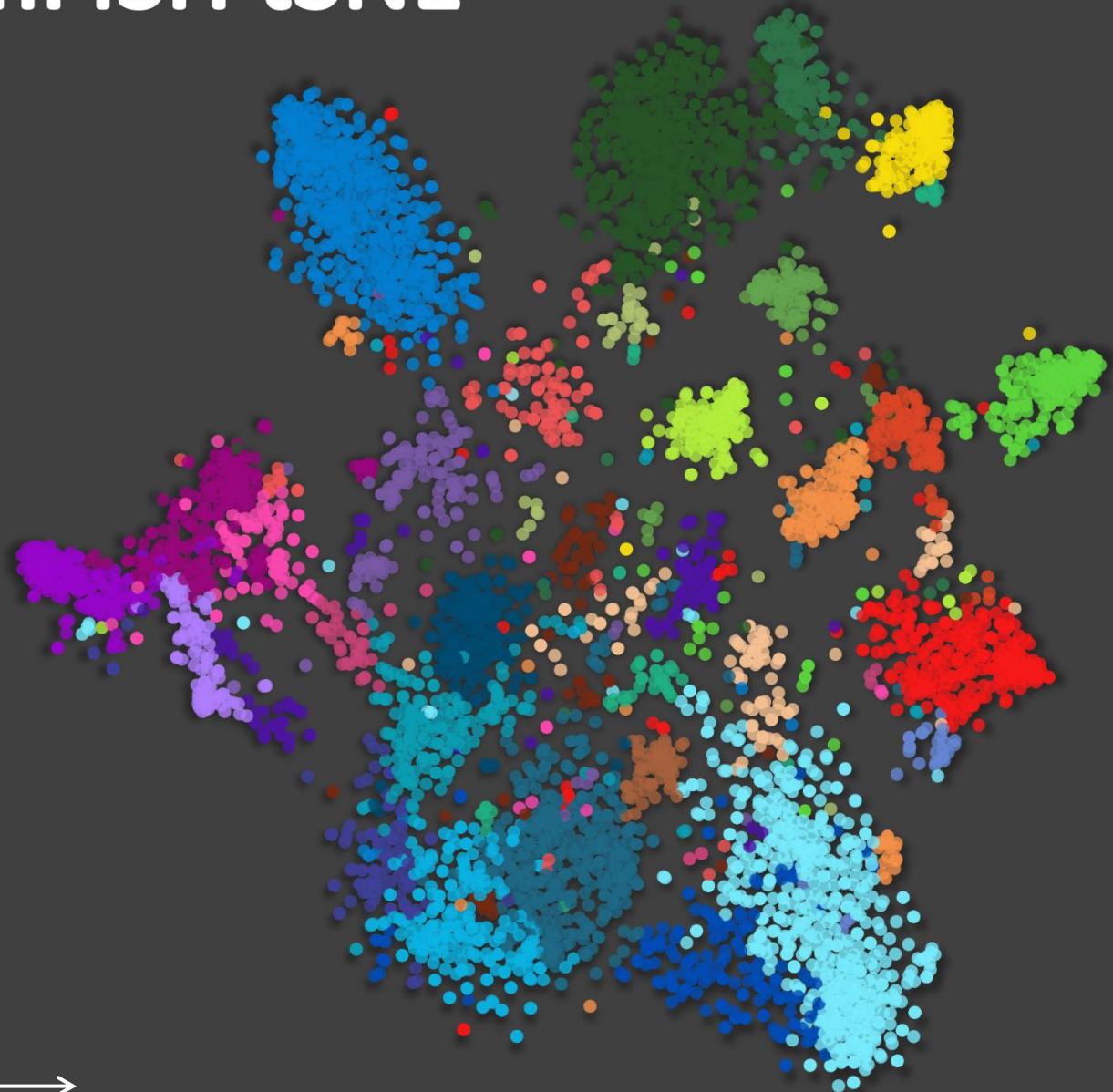
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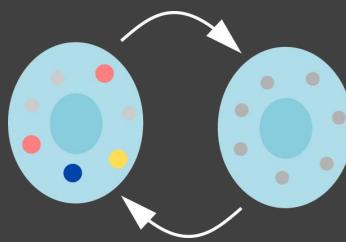


# osmFISH tSNE

tSNE 2  
tSNE 1



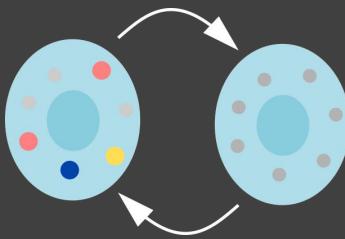
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Inhib. Crhbp	Astro. Mfge8
Inhib. Cnr1	OPC
Inhib. IC	Olig. COP
Inhib. Kcnip2	Olig. NF
Inhib. Pthlh	Olig. MF
Inhib. Vip	Olig. Mature
Excitatory neurons	Immune
Py. Cpne5	PVM
Py. L2/3	Microglia
Py. L2/3 L5	Choroid plexus
Py. Kcnip2	Ependymal
Py. L3/4	Pericytes
Py. L4	Endothelial
Py. L5	Endothelial 1
Py. L6	VSM
Venticle	Vasculature
Hippocampal	



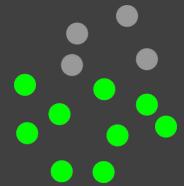
# Cell type map



# Cyclic smFISH



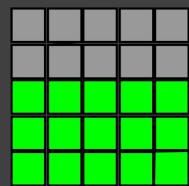
Resolution: Diffraction limited (150-300nm)



Detection efficiency: ~100%

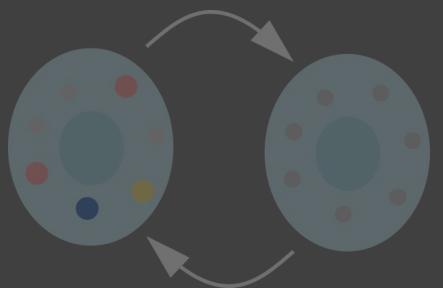


Gene throughput: tens of genes (F x R)

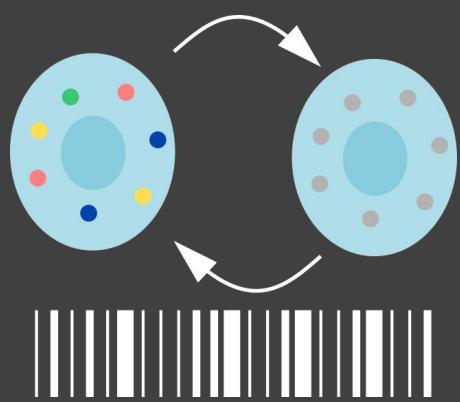


Spatial throughput: several mm<sup>2</sup>

Cyclic FISH



Barcoded FISH



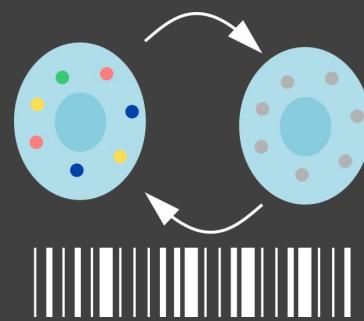
*in situ* Sequencing



Spatial Sequencing



# Reprobing same molecule



Round 1



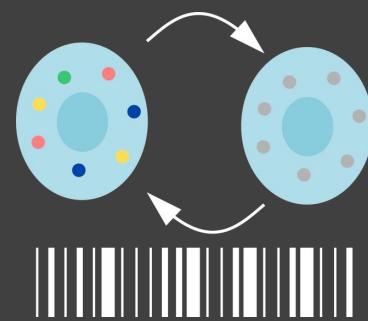
Stripping



Round 2

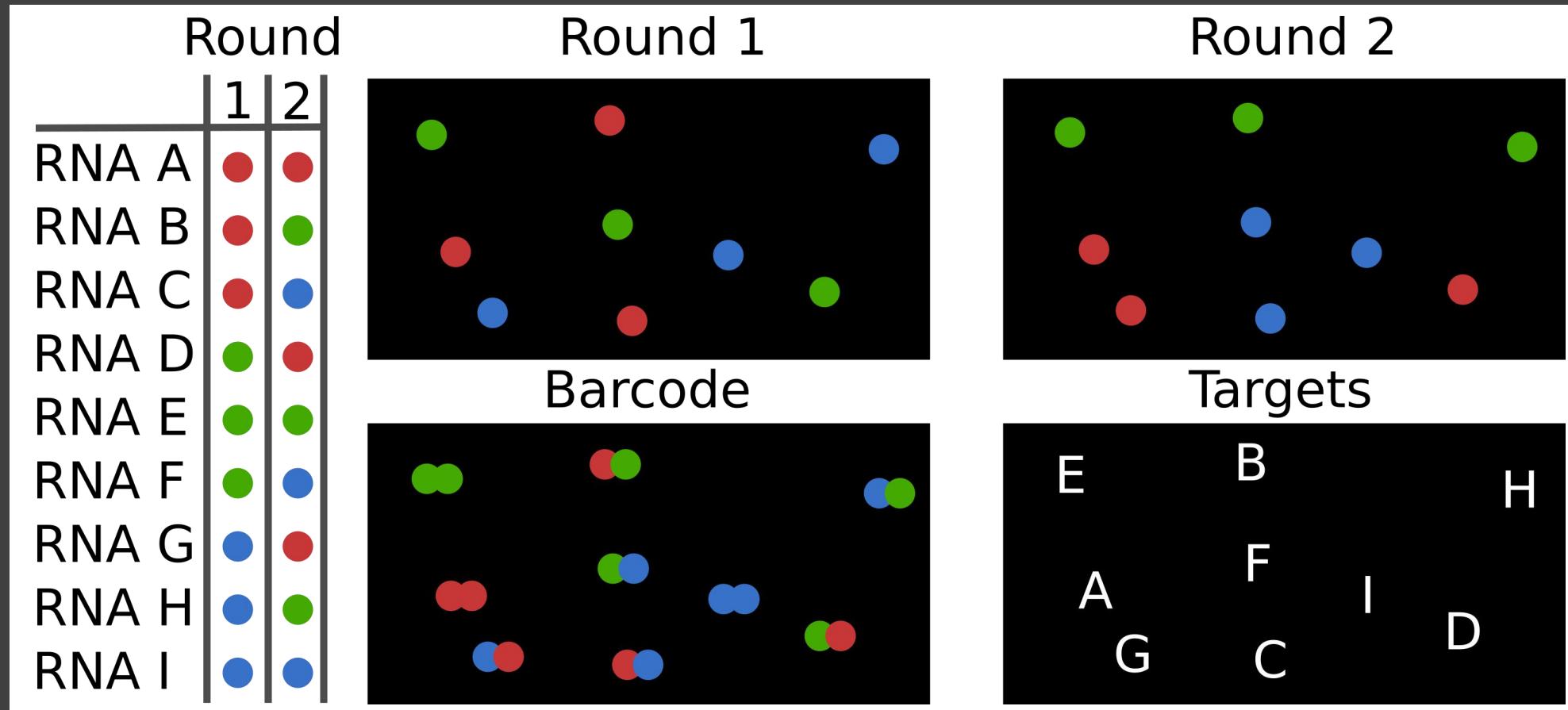
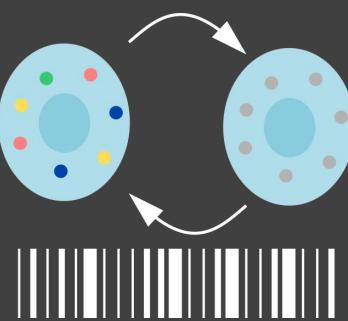


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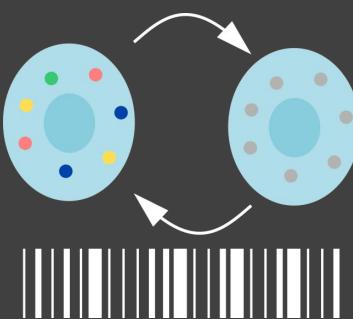


	Round	
	1	2
RNA A	●	●
RNA B	●	●
RNA C	●	●
RNA D	●	●
RNA E	●	●
RNA F	●	●
RNA G	●	●
RNA H	●	●
RNA I	●	●

# Barcoding



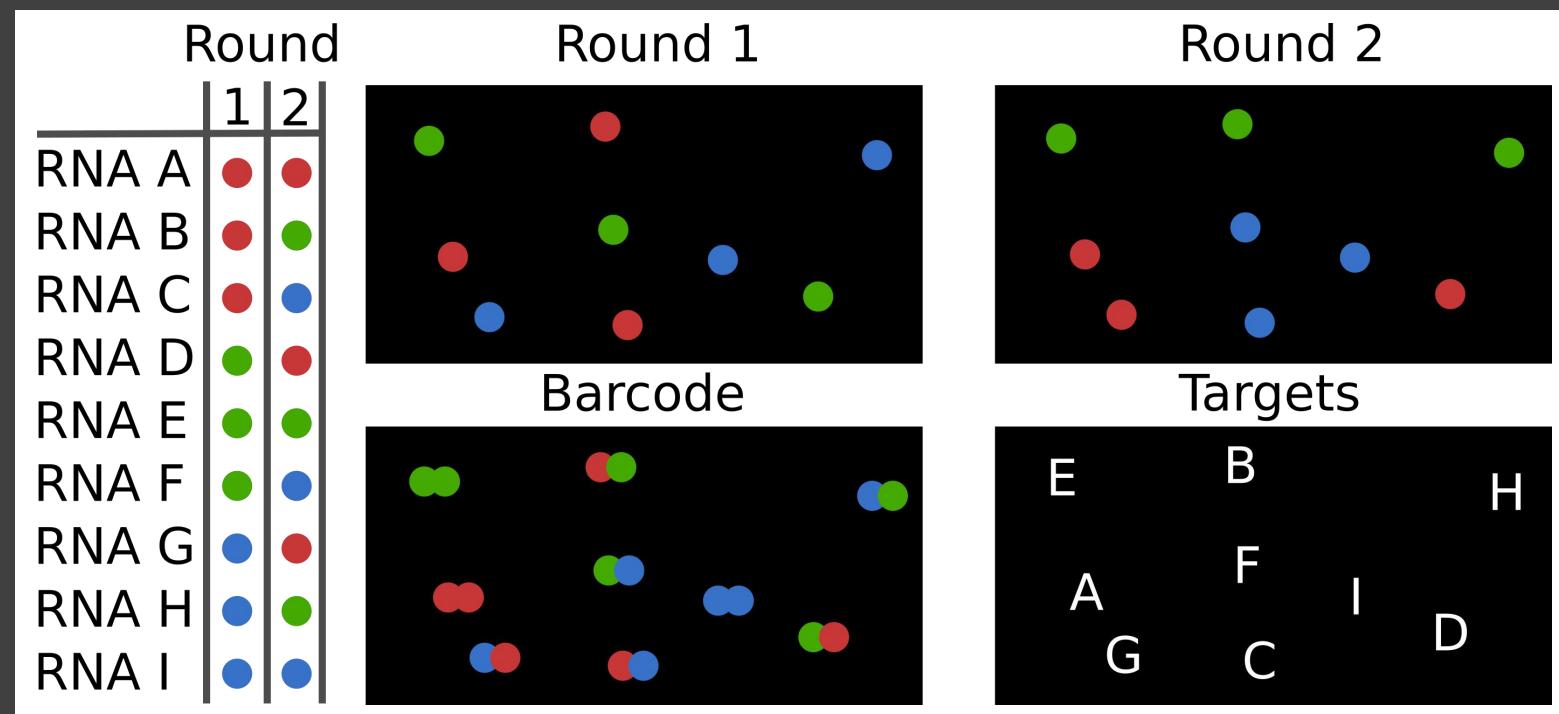
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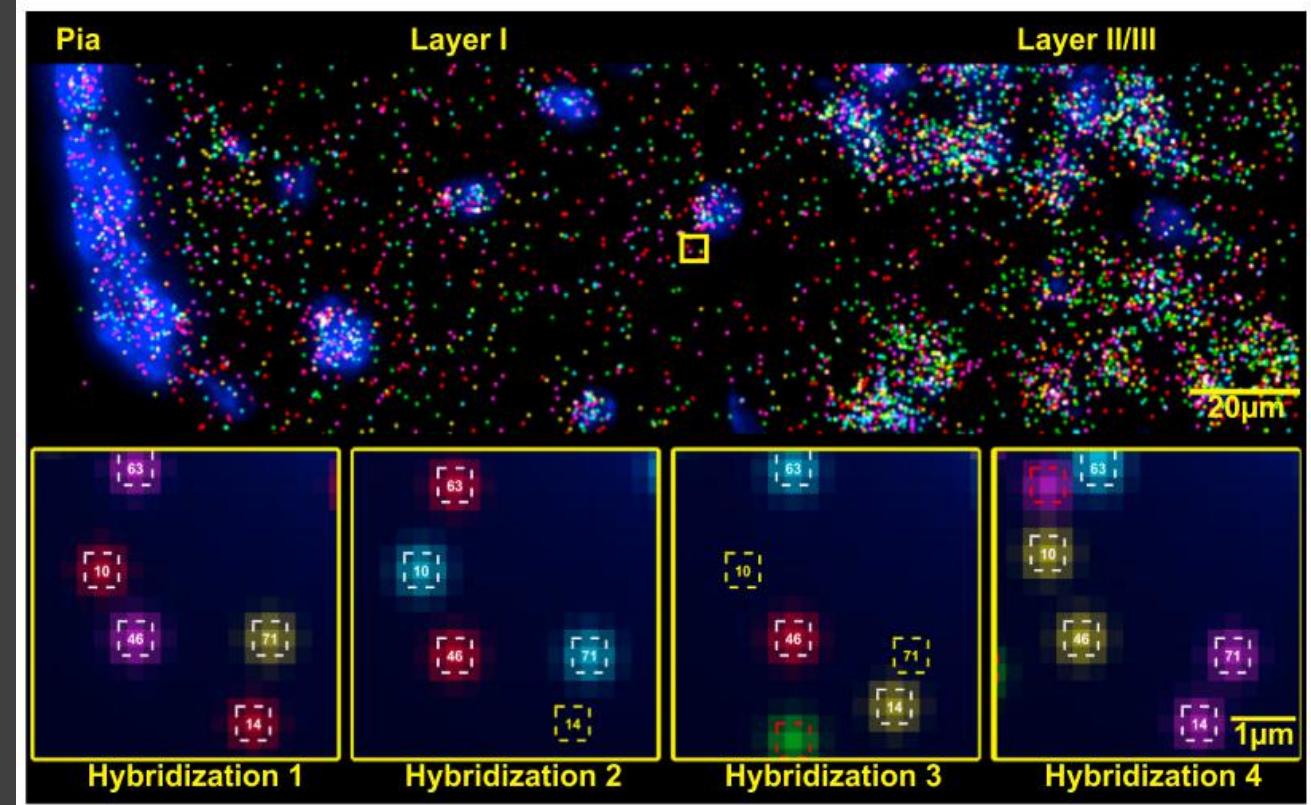
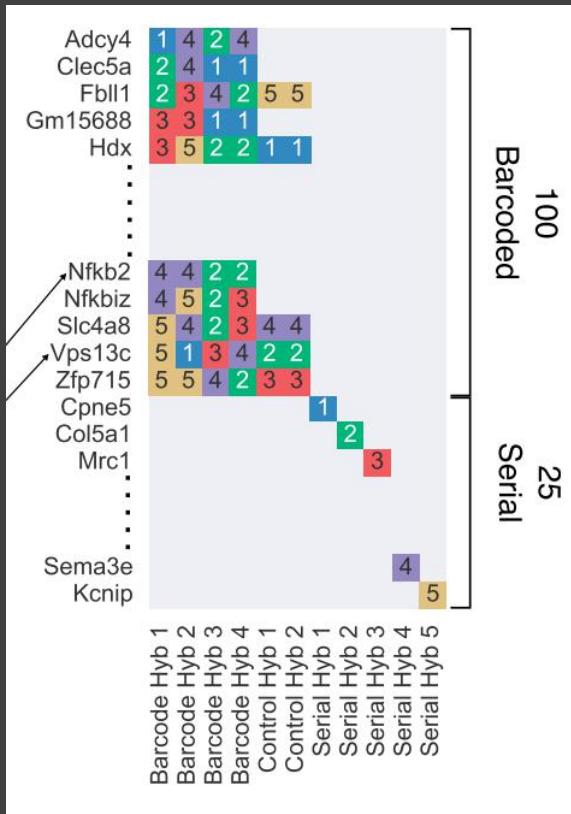
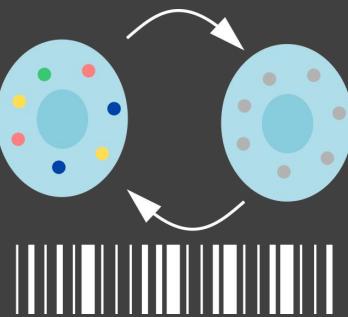
Scaling: Fluo<sup>Rounds</sup>

$$4^7 = 16,384 \text{ genes}$$

$$4^8 = 65,536 \text{ genes}$$

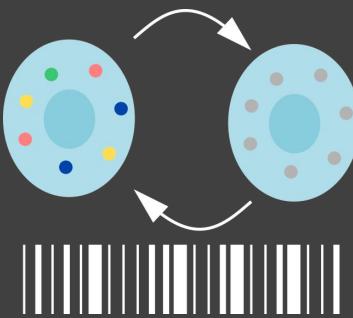


# SeqFISH



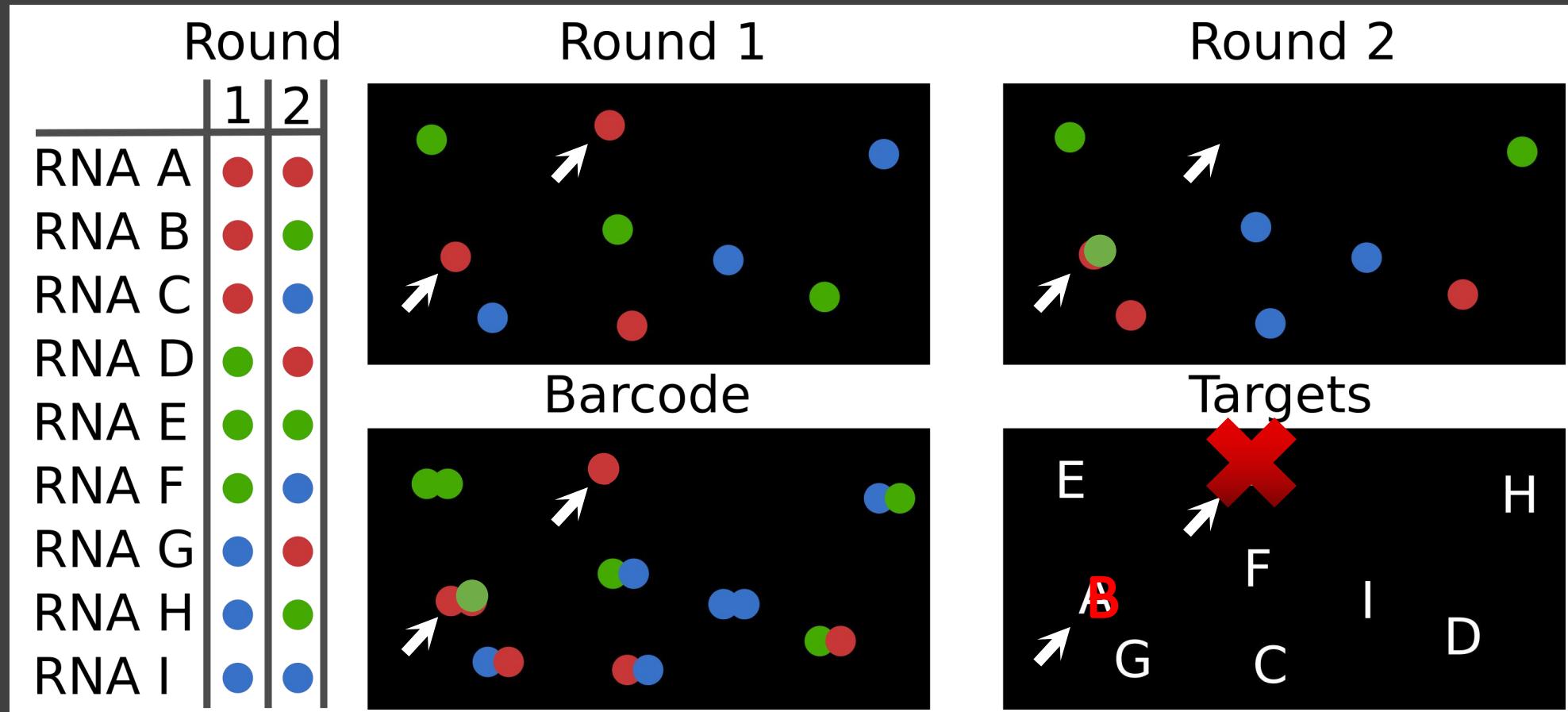
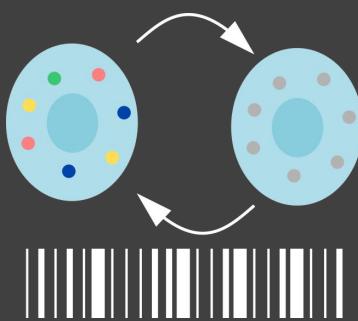
Shah *et al.* Neuron 2016

# Challenges

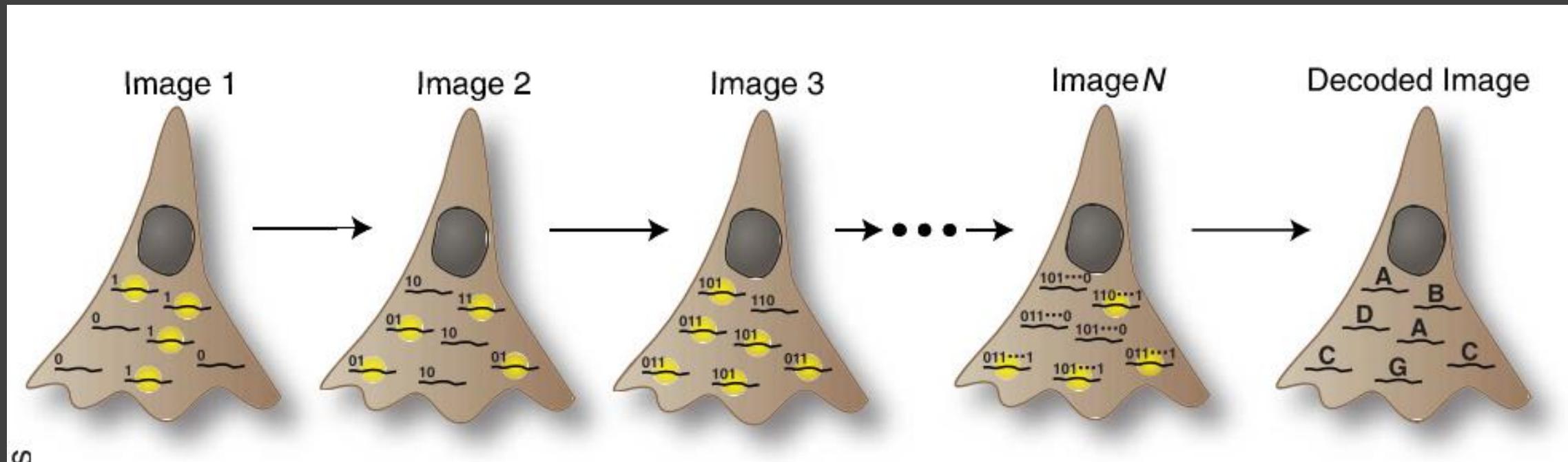
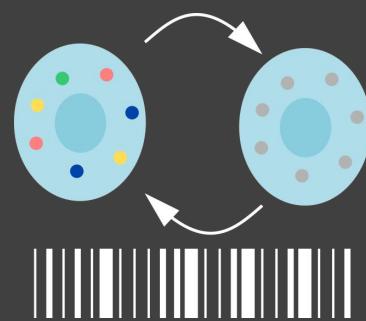


- Errors in barcodes

# Errors

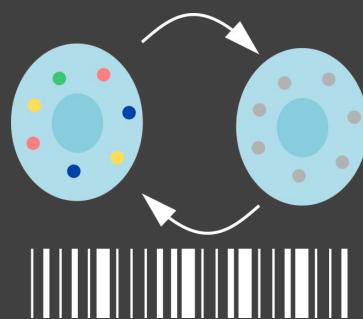


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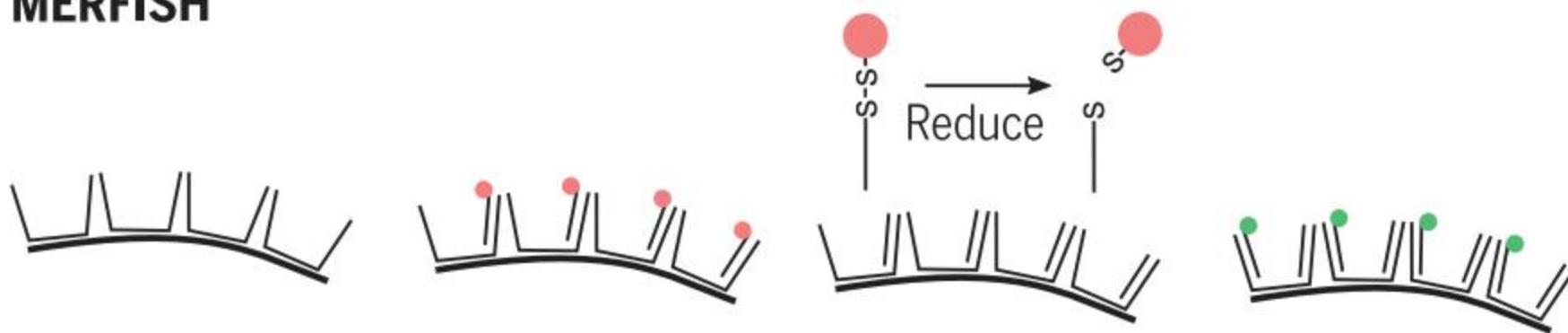


Chen *et al.* Science 2015

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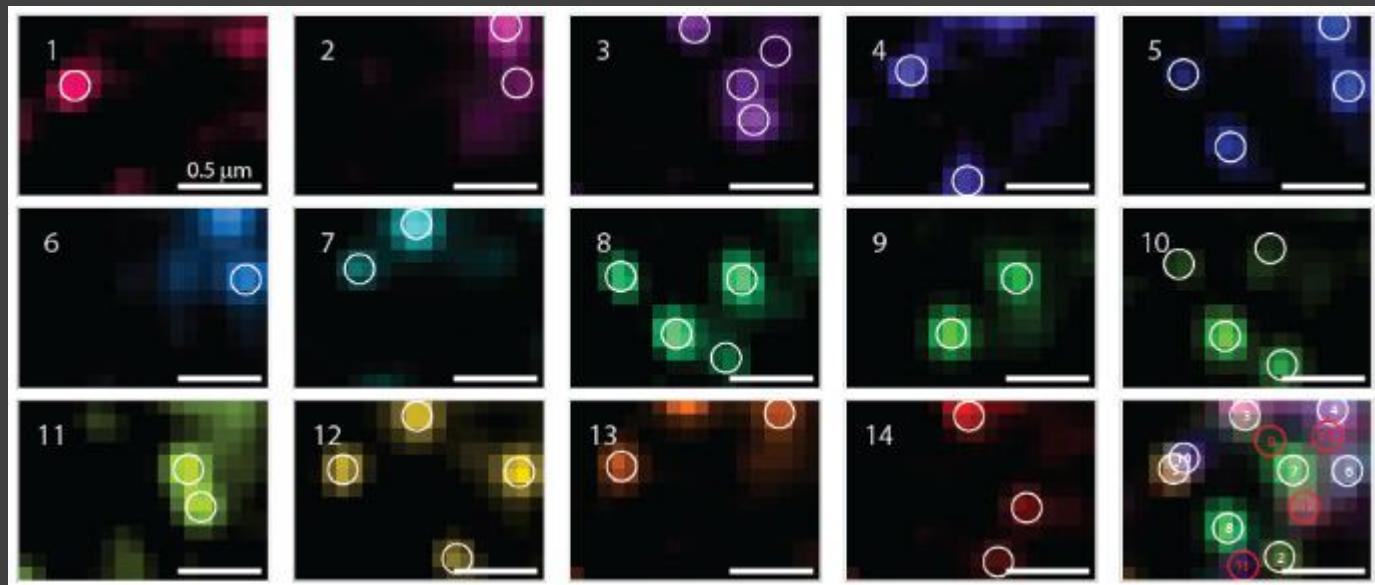
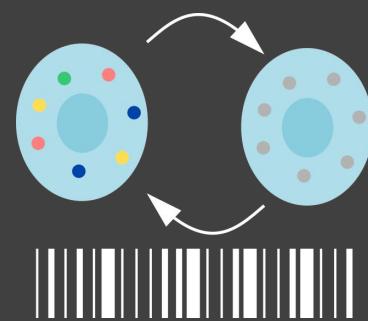


## MERFISH



Bit	Round 1	Round 2
1	1 2	5 6
2	3 4	7 8
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Gene 2	0 0 1 0	1 0 0 0
Gene 3	1 0 0 0	0 1 0 0
Gene n	0 0 0 1	0 0 0 1

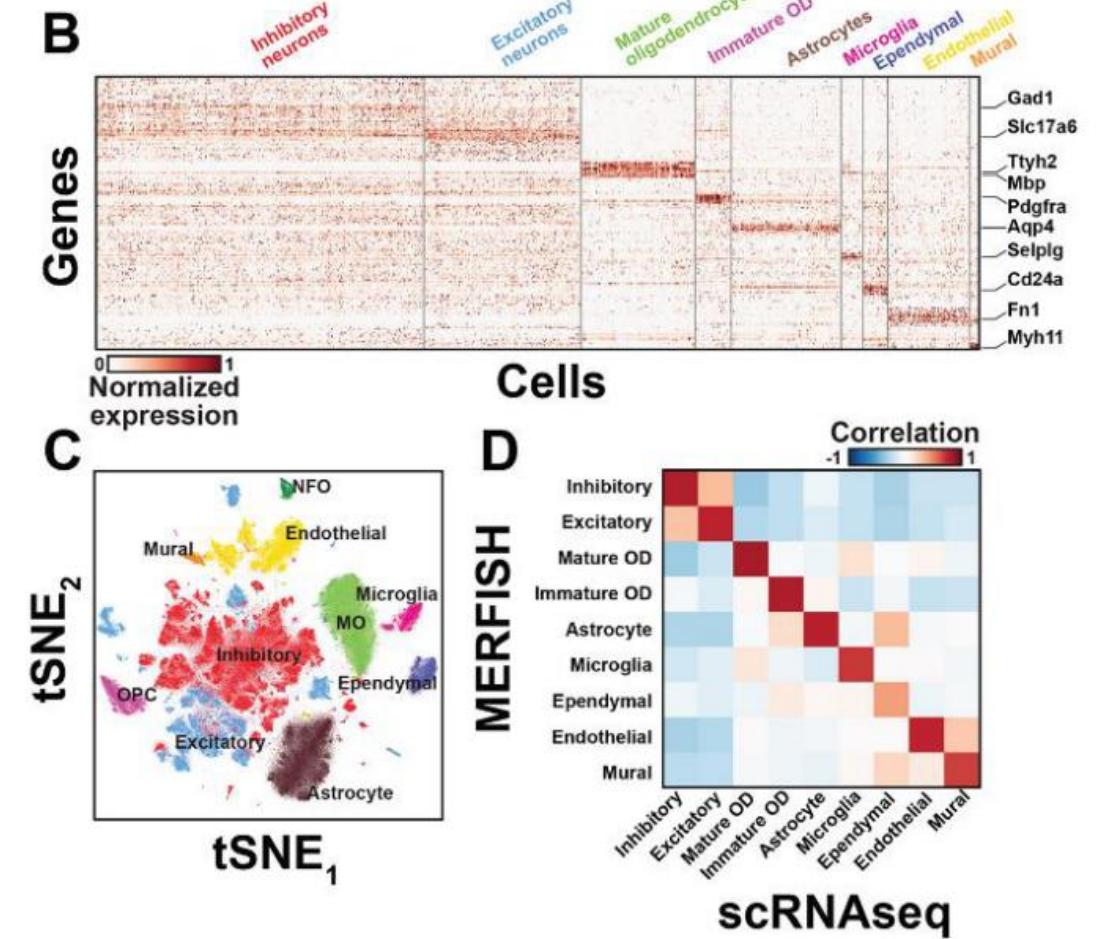
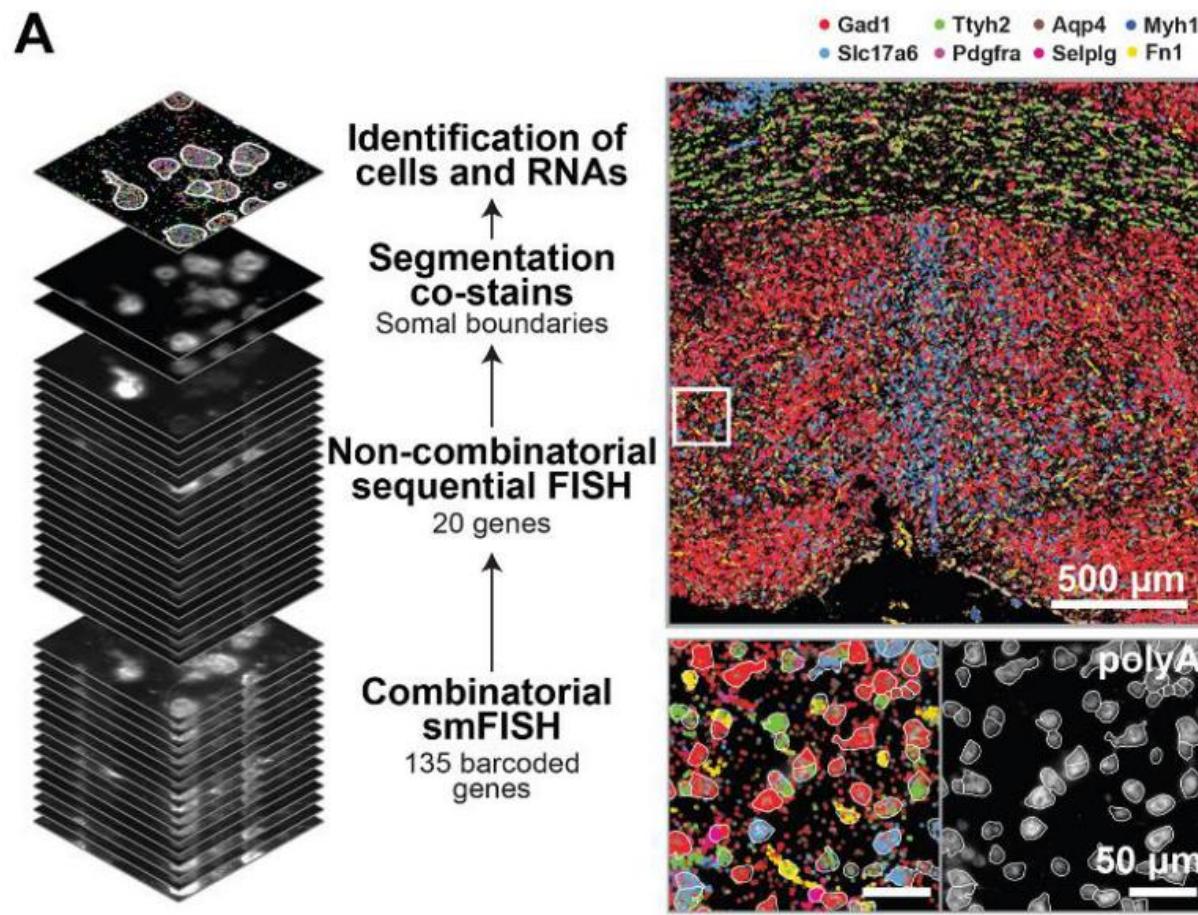
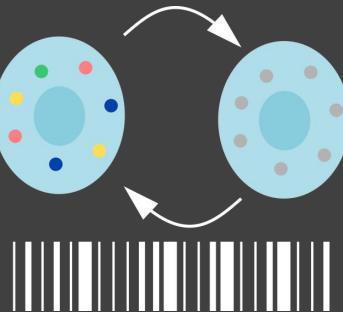
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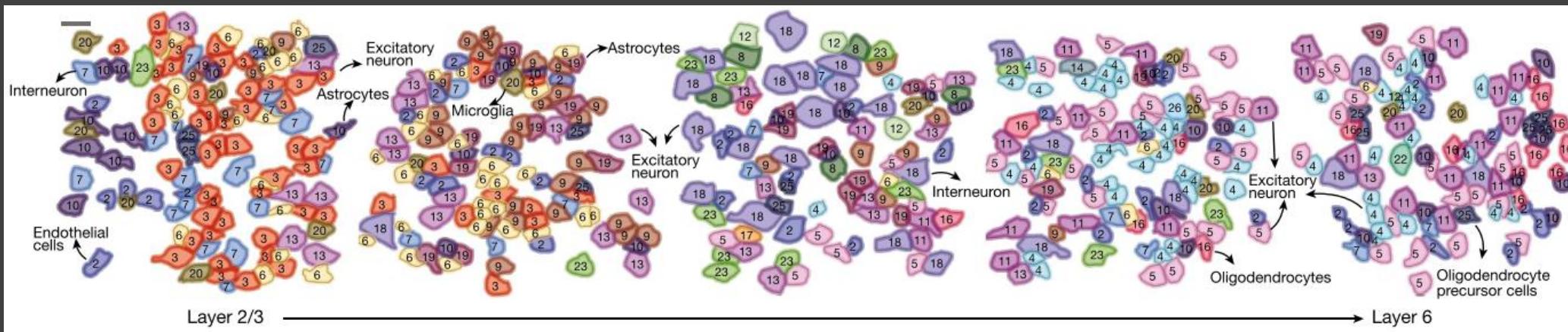
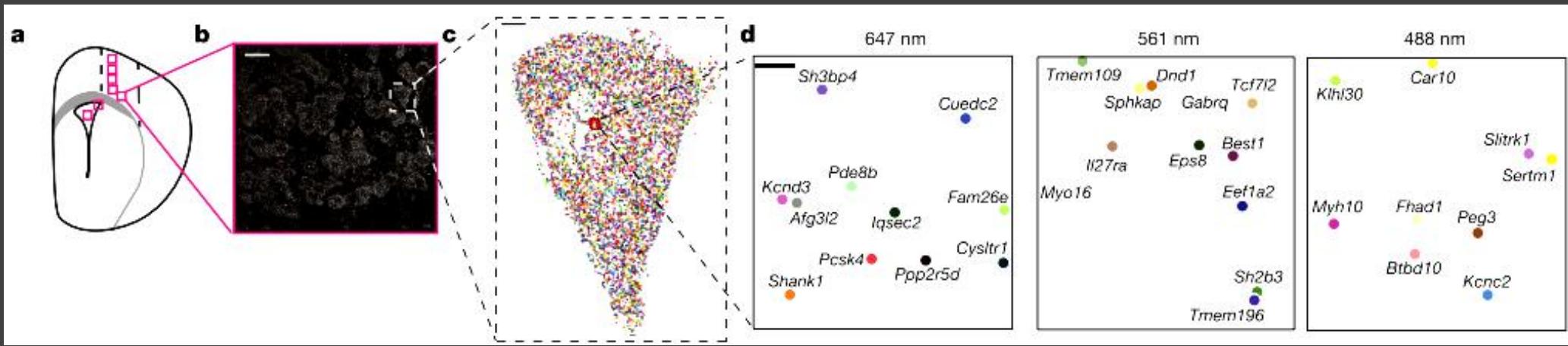
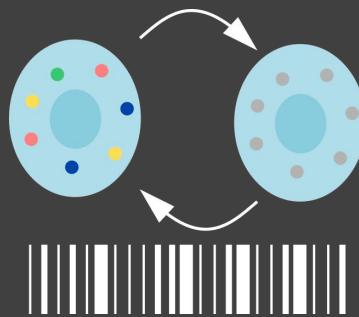
Spot number	Hybridization round													
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2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1
3	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
4	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
5	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	0
6	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
7	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0
8	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0
9	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0
10	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
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Chen *et al.* Science 2015

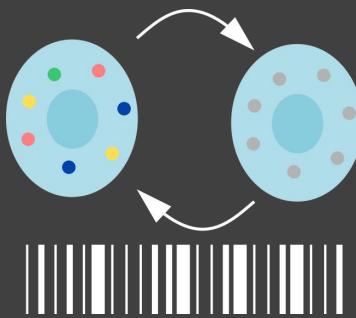
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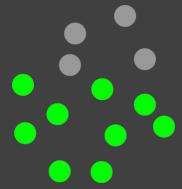
# SeqFISH+



# Barcoded smFISH



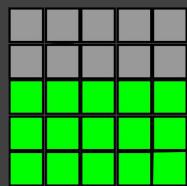
Resolution: Diffraction limited (150-300nm)



Detection efficiency: 70-90%

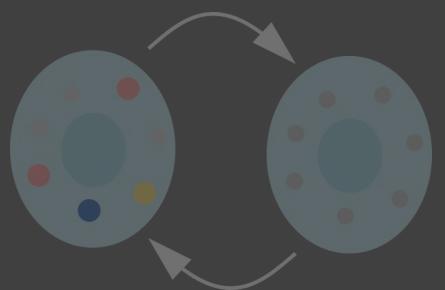


Gene throughput: 100 - 10,000

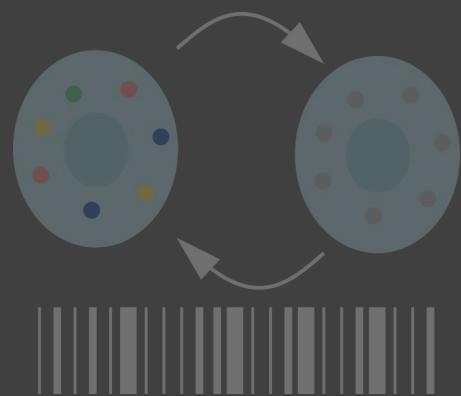


Spatial throughput: several mm<sup>2</sup>

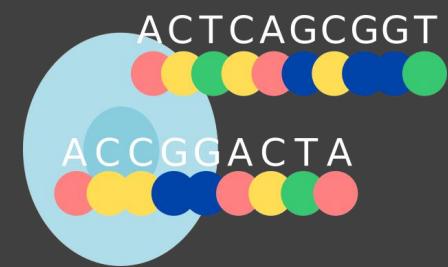
Cyclic FISH



Barcoded FISH



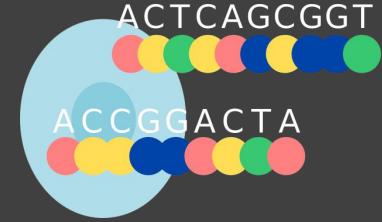
*in situ* Sequencing



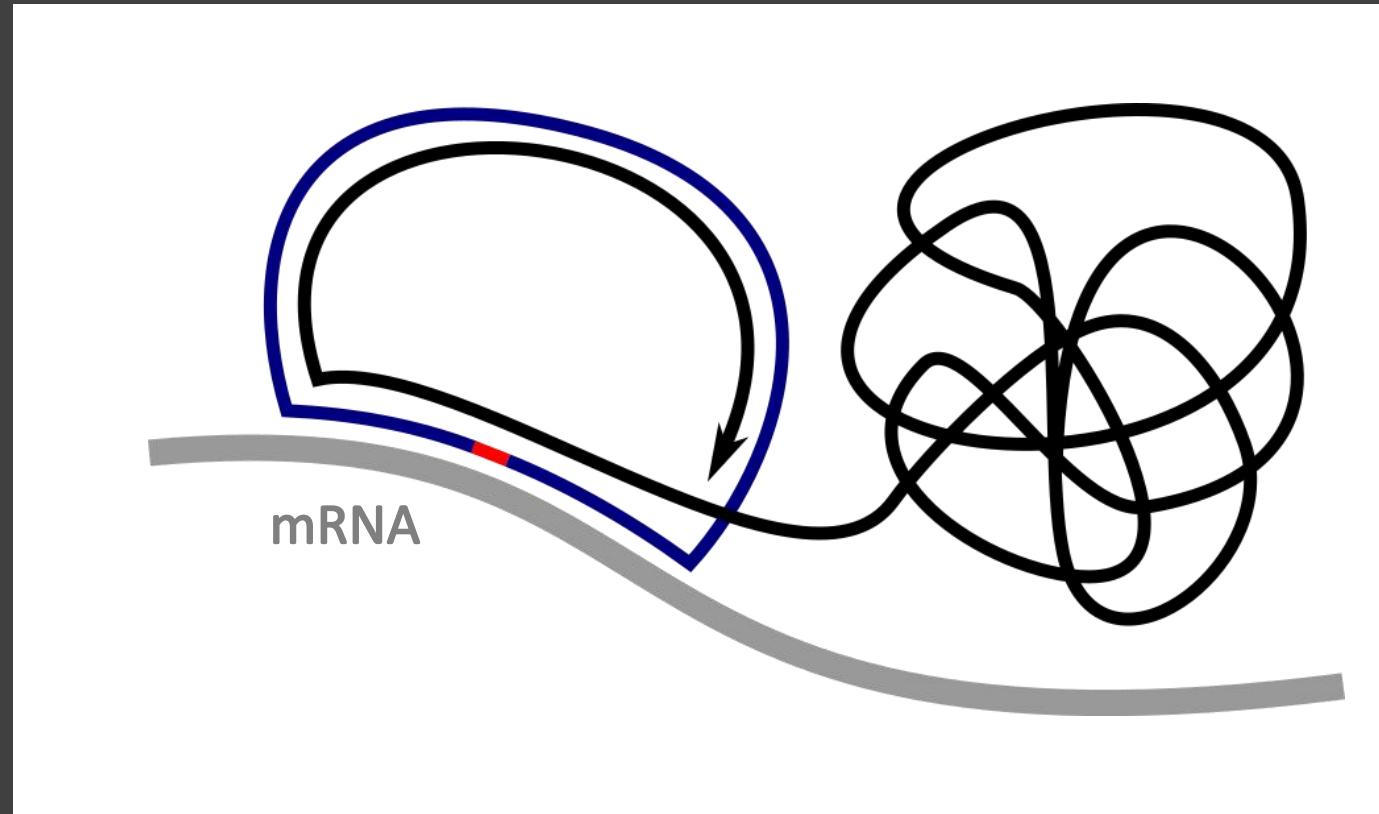
Spatial Sequencing



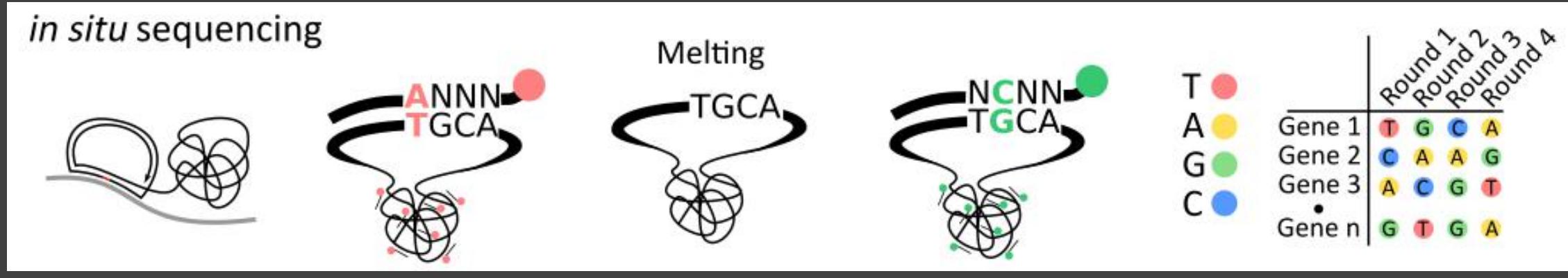
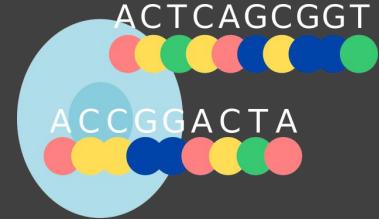
# *in situ* sequencing



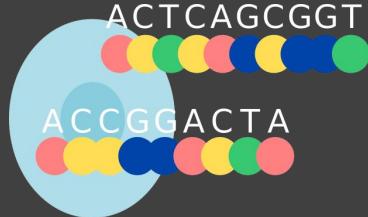
Rolling circle amplification



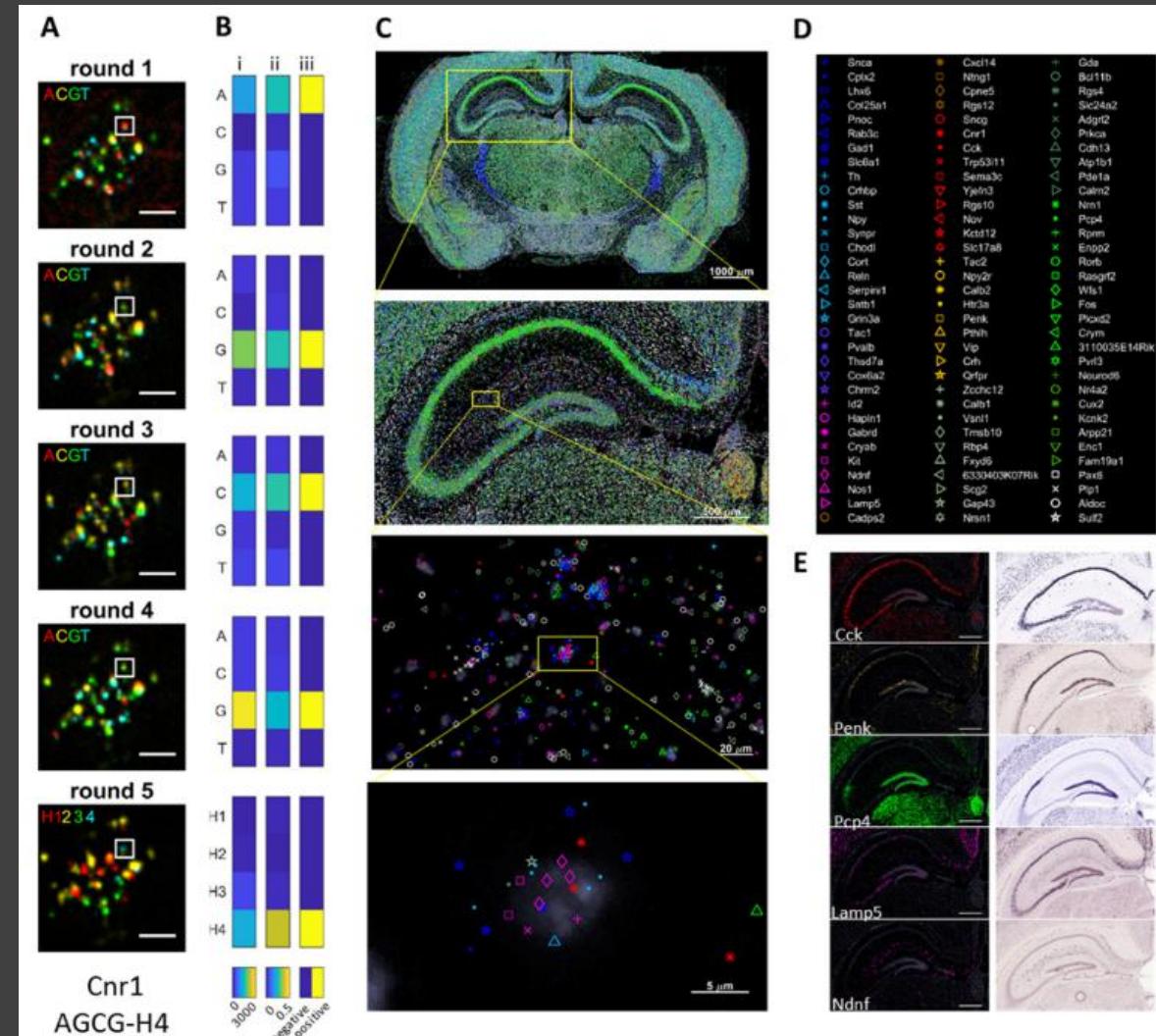
# *in situ* sequencing



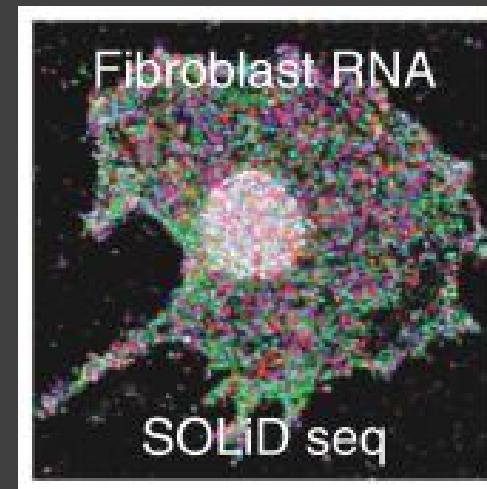
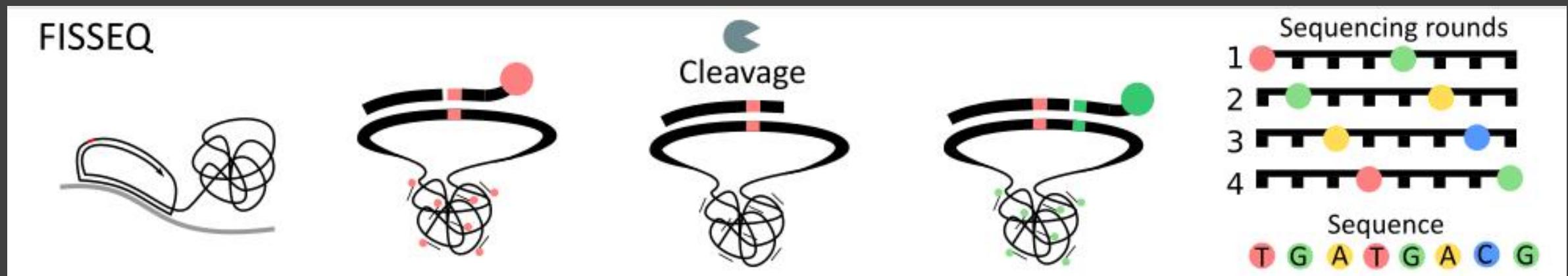
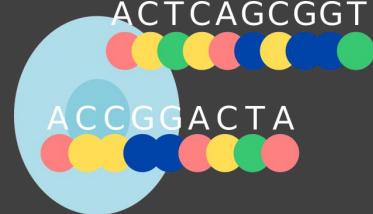
Sequencing by ligation



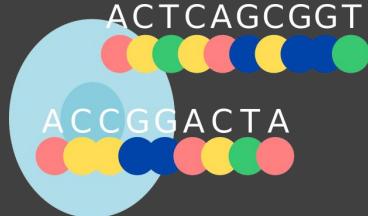
# *in situ* sequencing



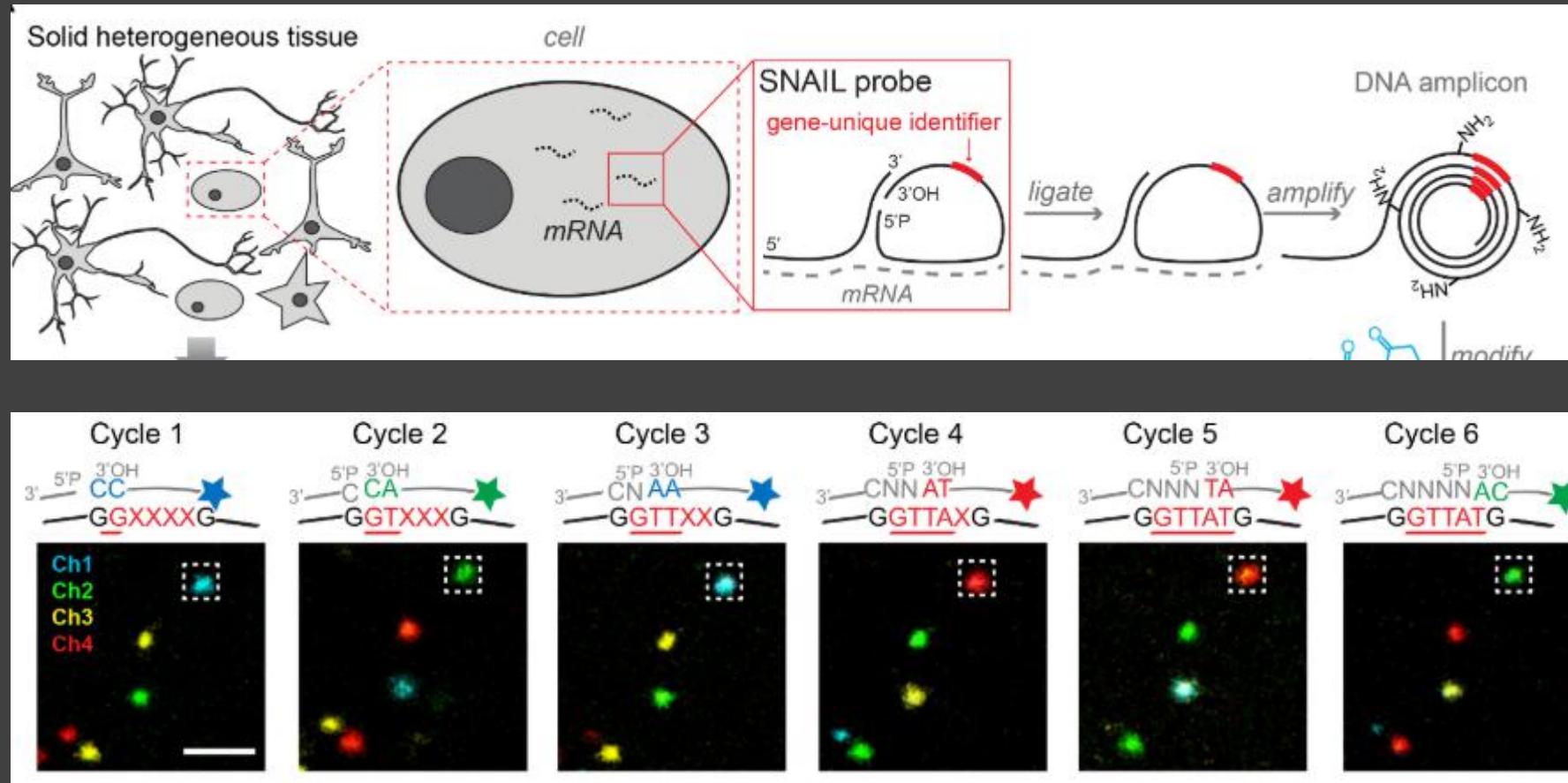
# FISSEQ



Lee *et al.* Science 2014

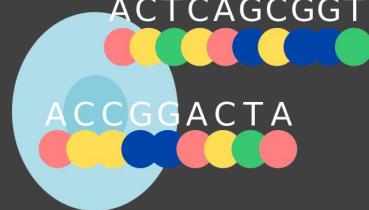
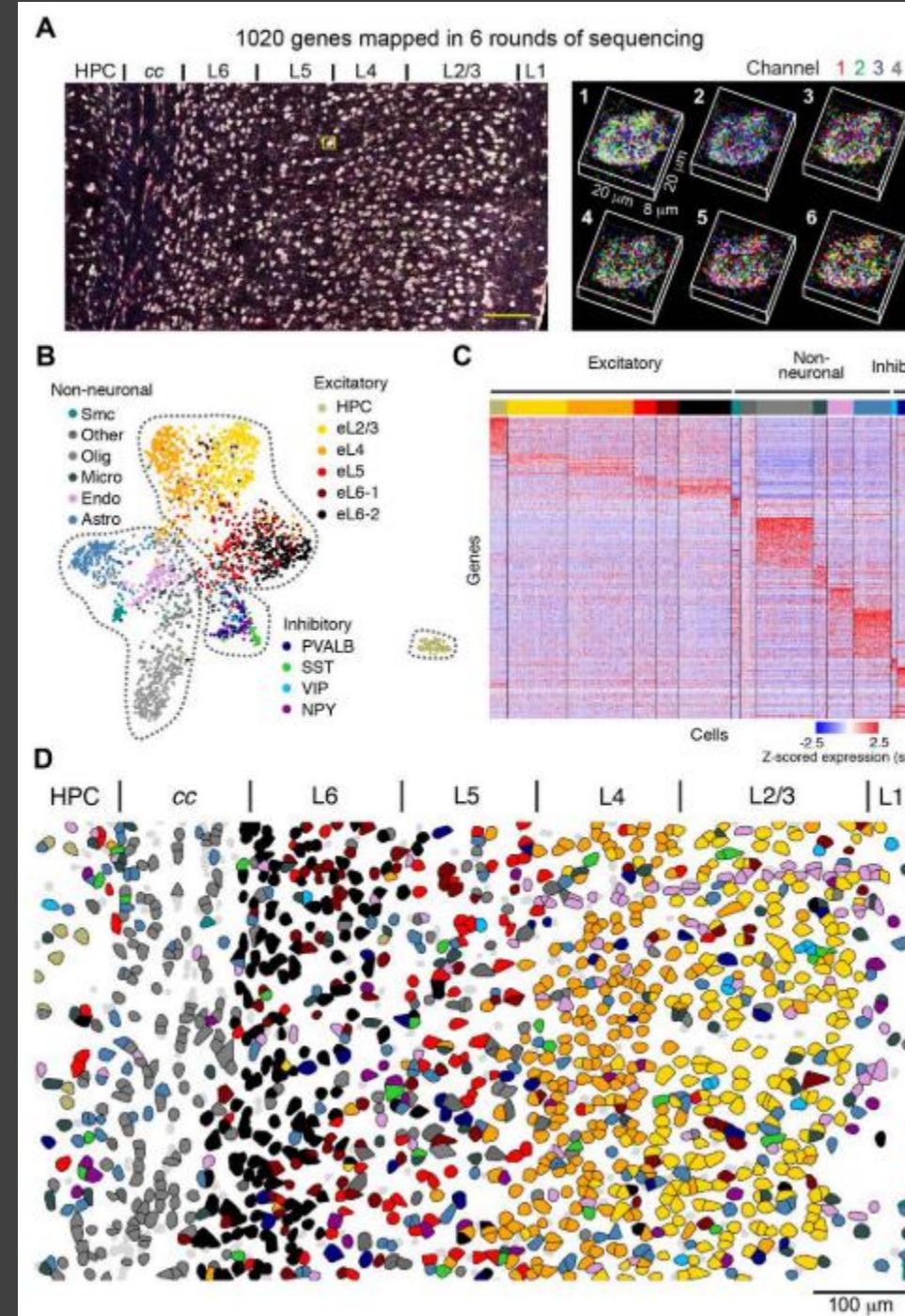


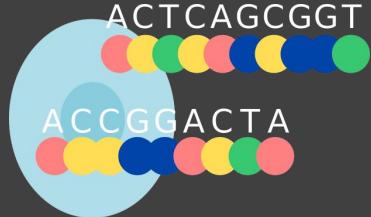
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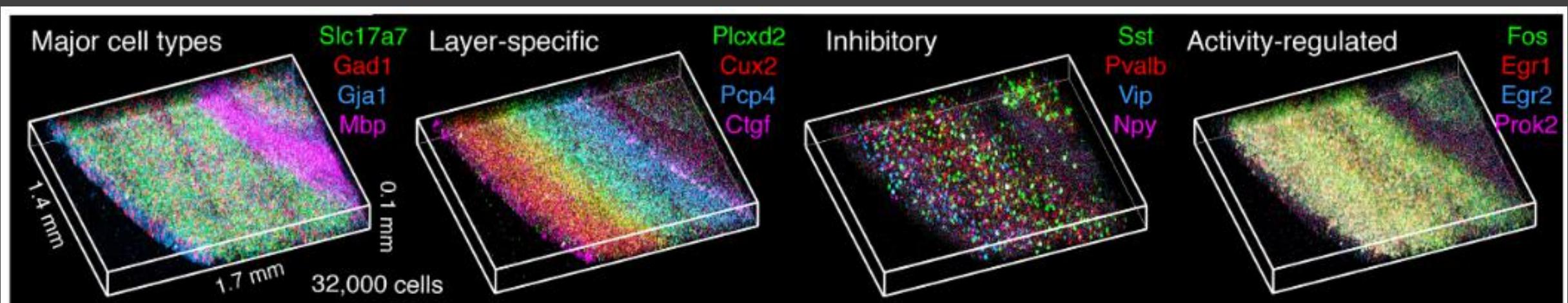
Wang *et al.* Science 2018

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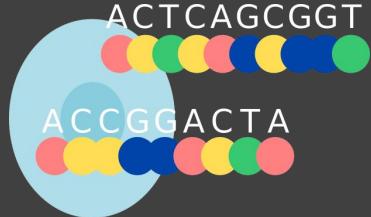




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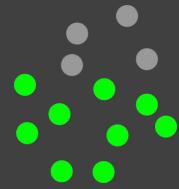
Wang *et al.* Science 2018



# Sequencing *in situ*



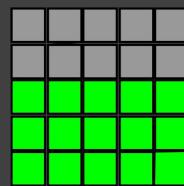
Resolution: Amplicon size (0.5 - 1 $\mu$ m)



Detection efficiency: 0.01 - ~50%

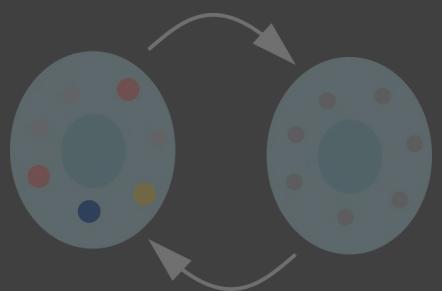


Gene throughput: 10 - 1,000

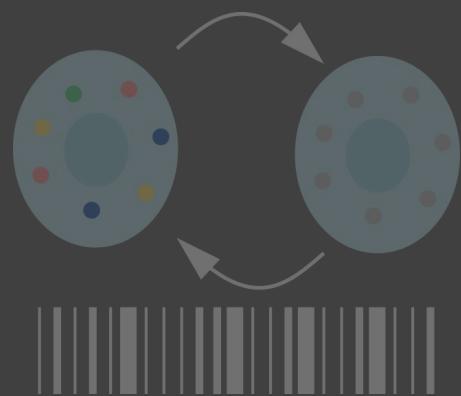


Spatial throughput: several mm $^2$  - several cm $^2$

Cyclic FISH



Barcoded FISH



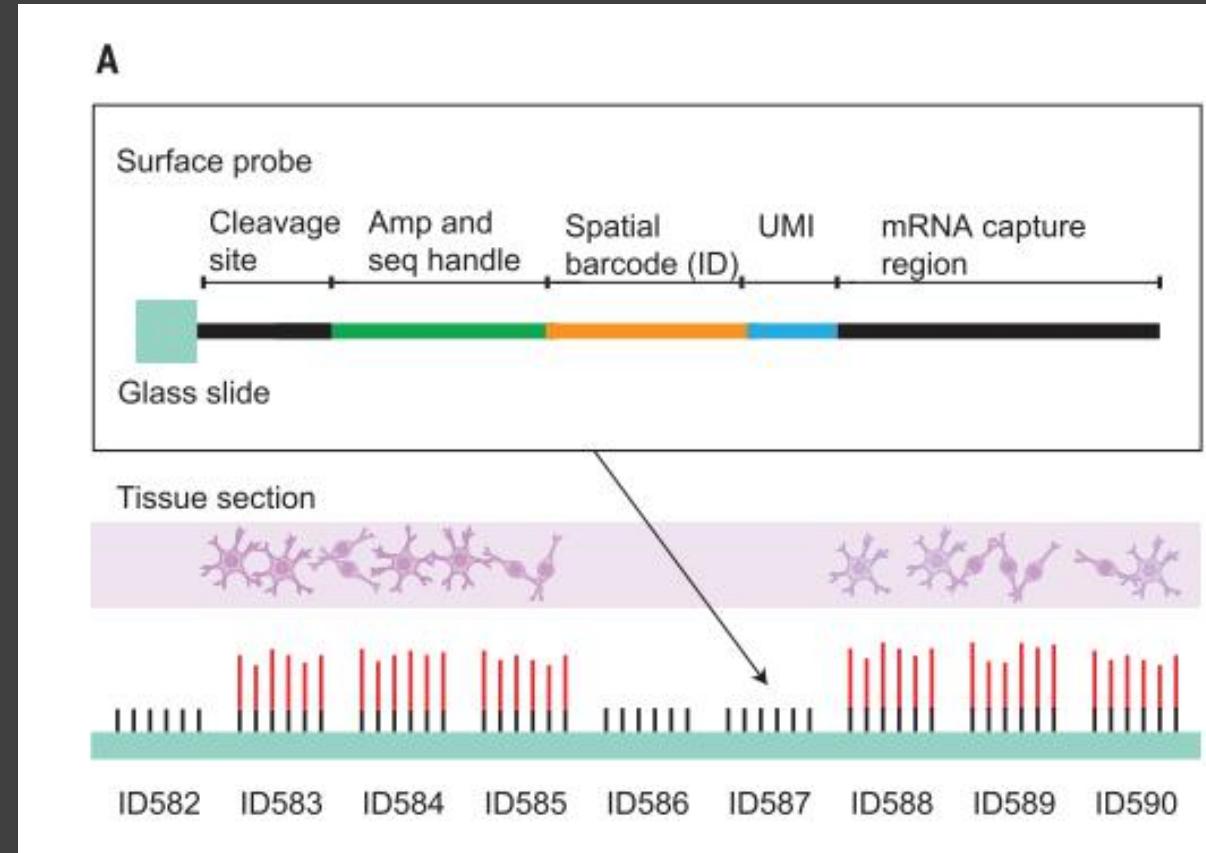
*in situ* Sequencing



Spatial Sequencing

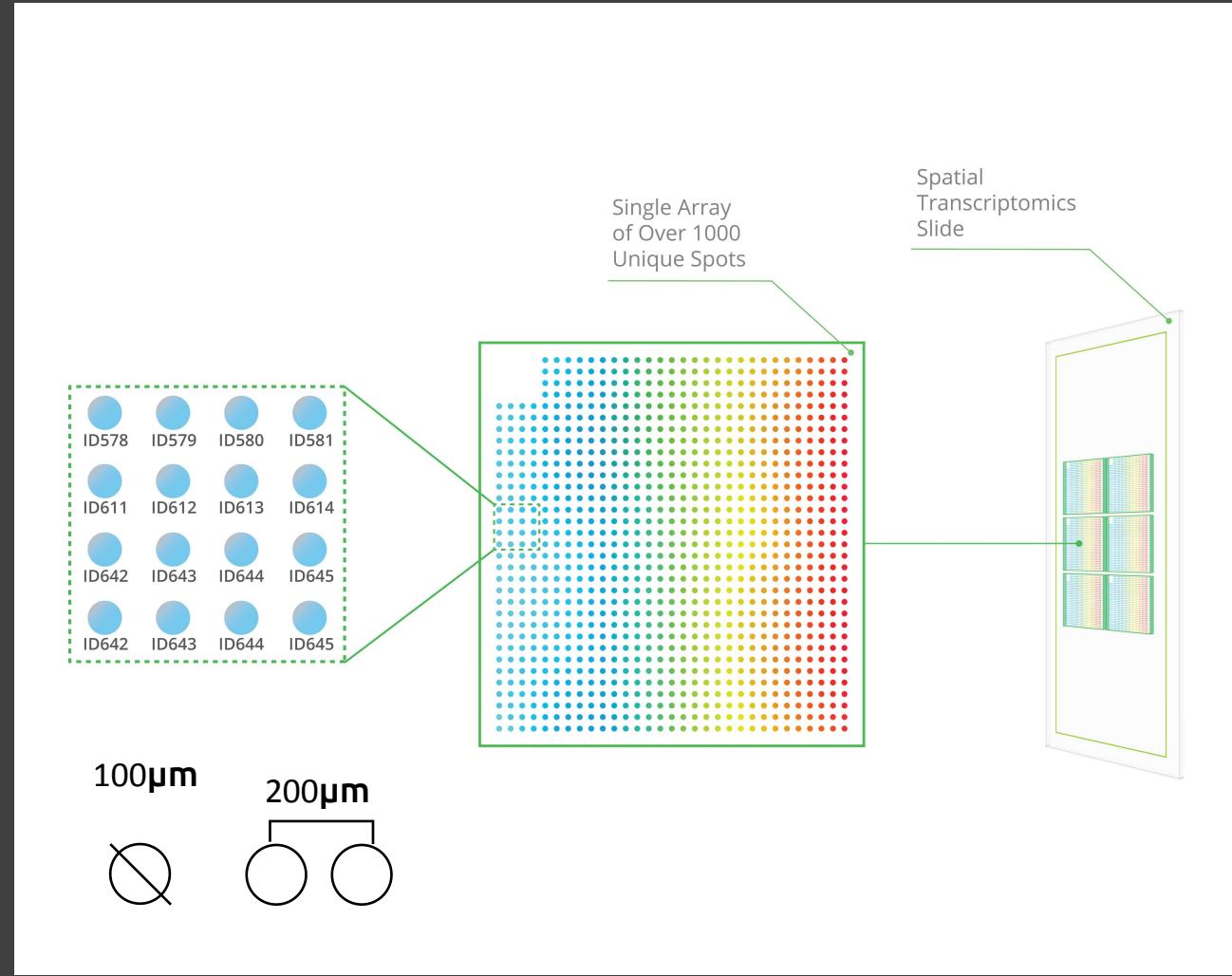
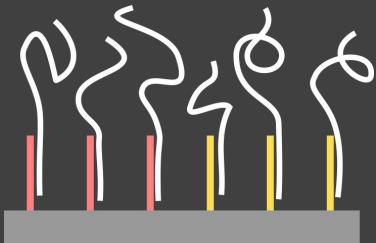


# Spatial transcriptomics

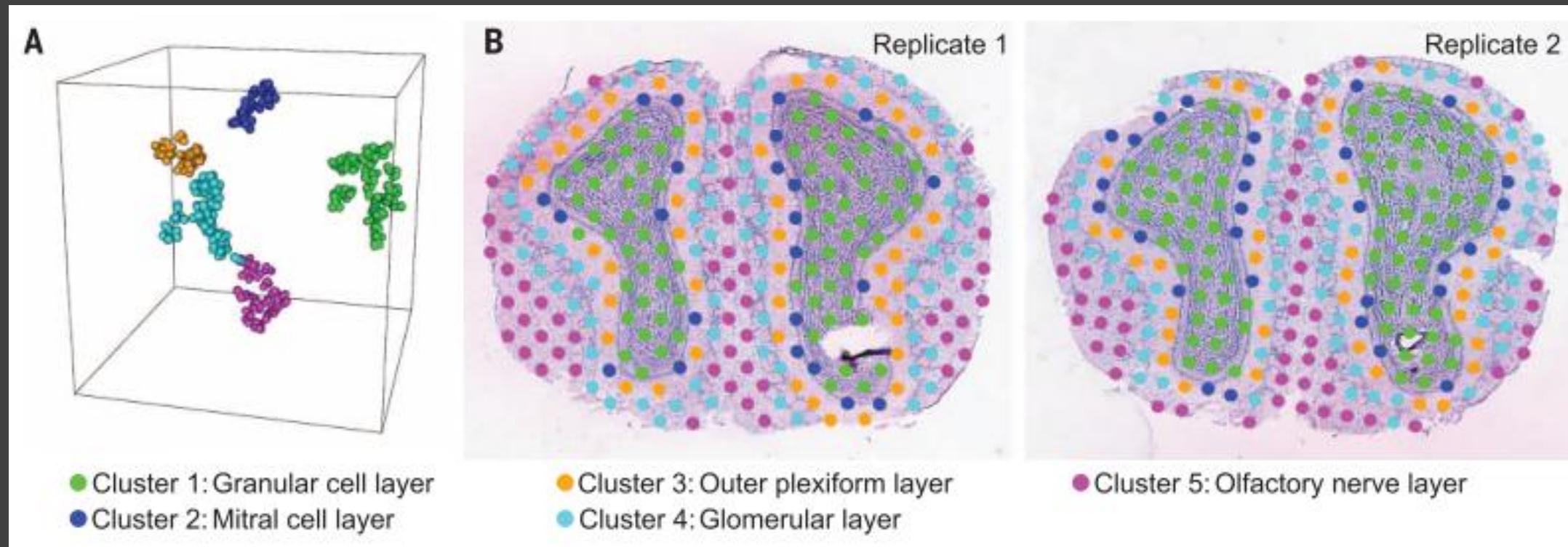
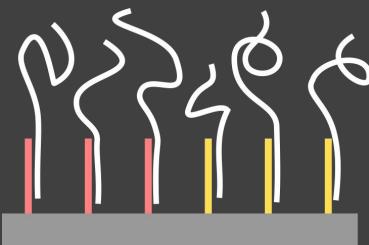


Stahl *et al.* Science 2016

# Spatial transcriptomics

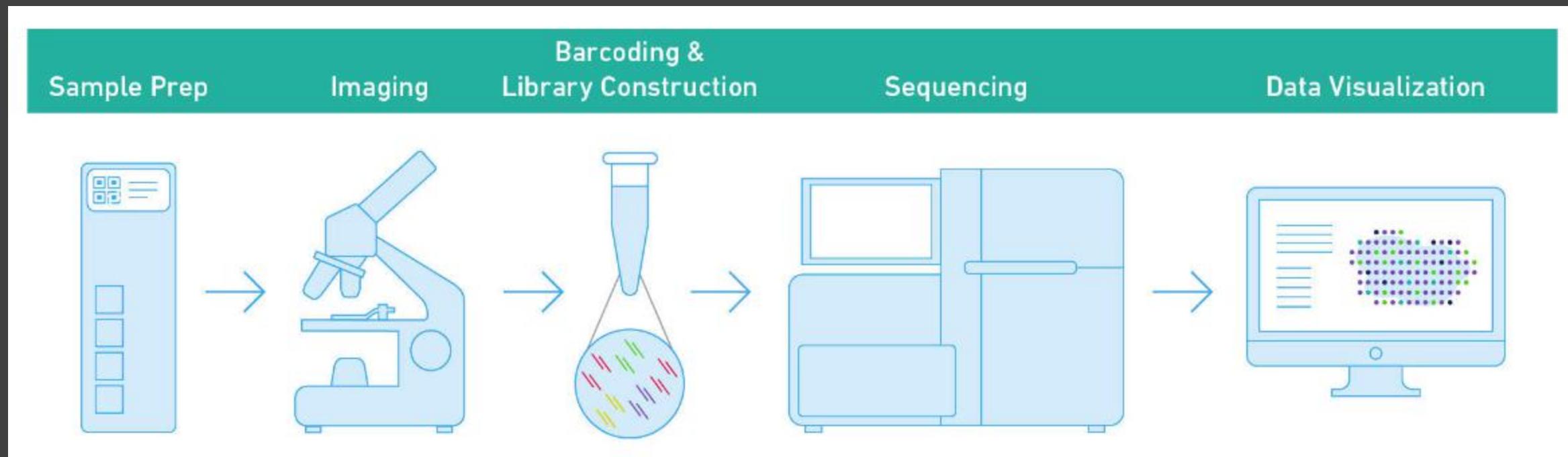


# Spatial transcriptomics



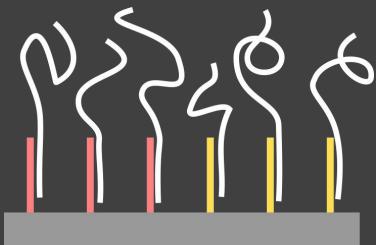
Stahl *et al.* Science 2016

# 10X Visium

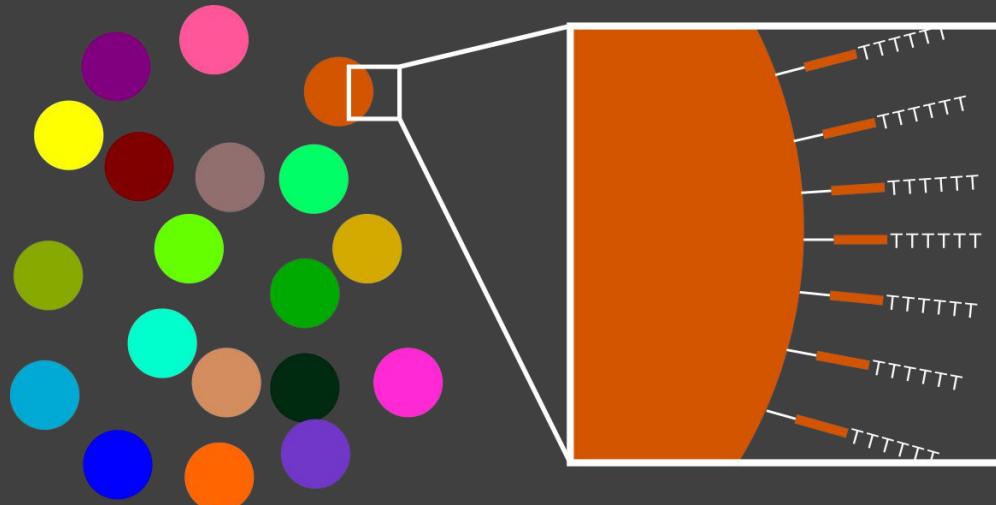


10X Visium

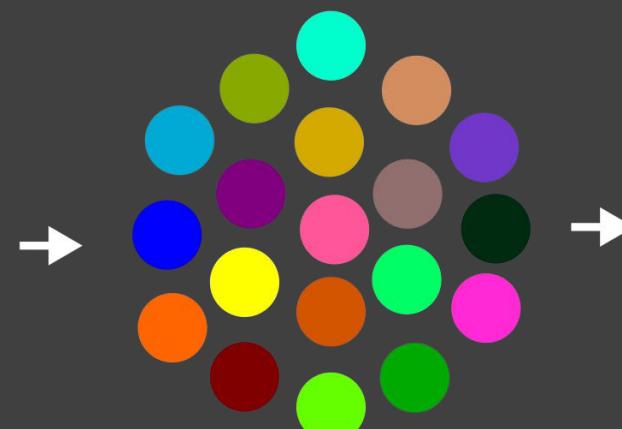
# Array of barcoded beads



Random barcoded beads



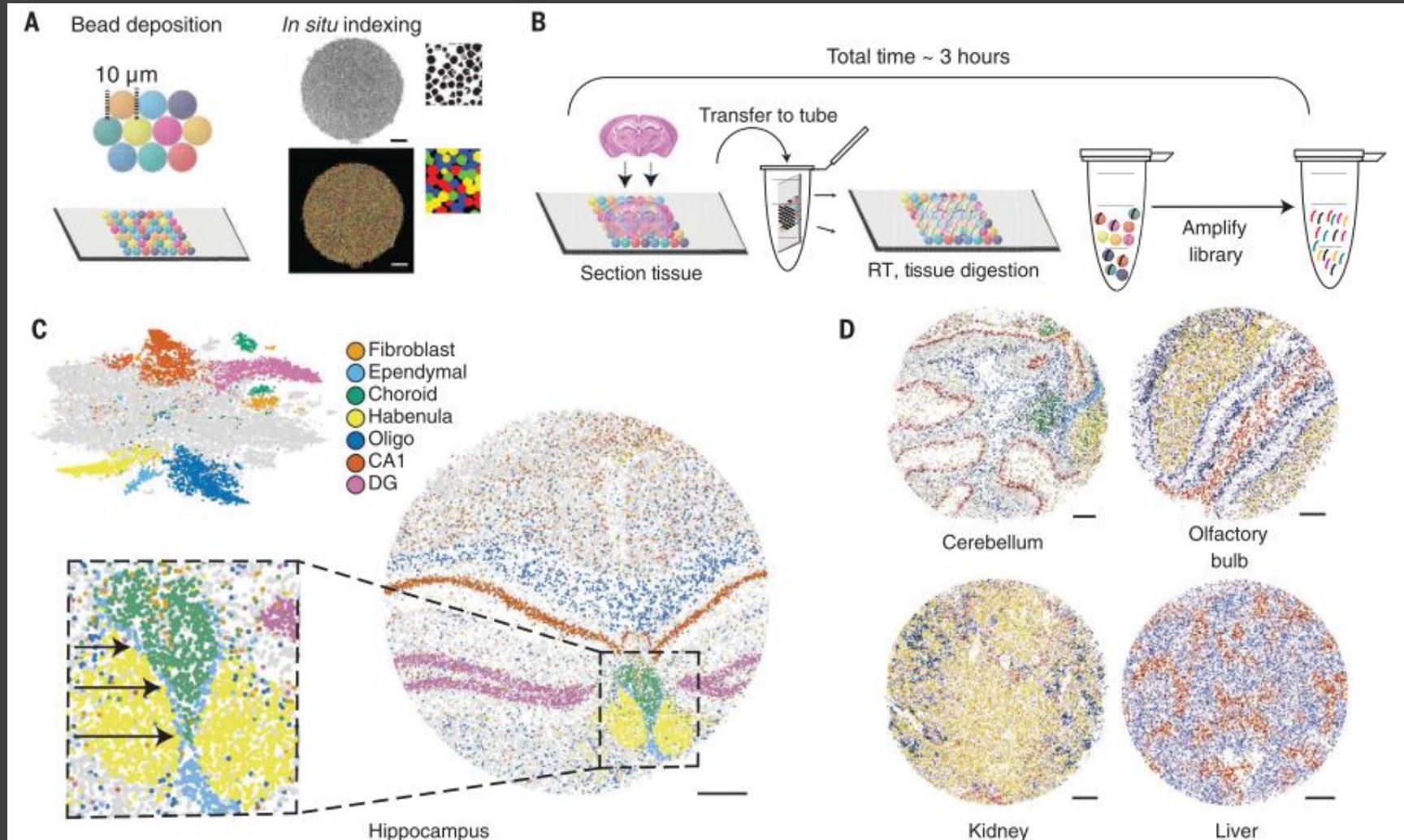
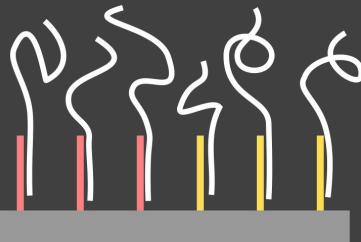
Array



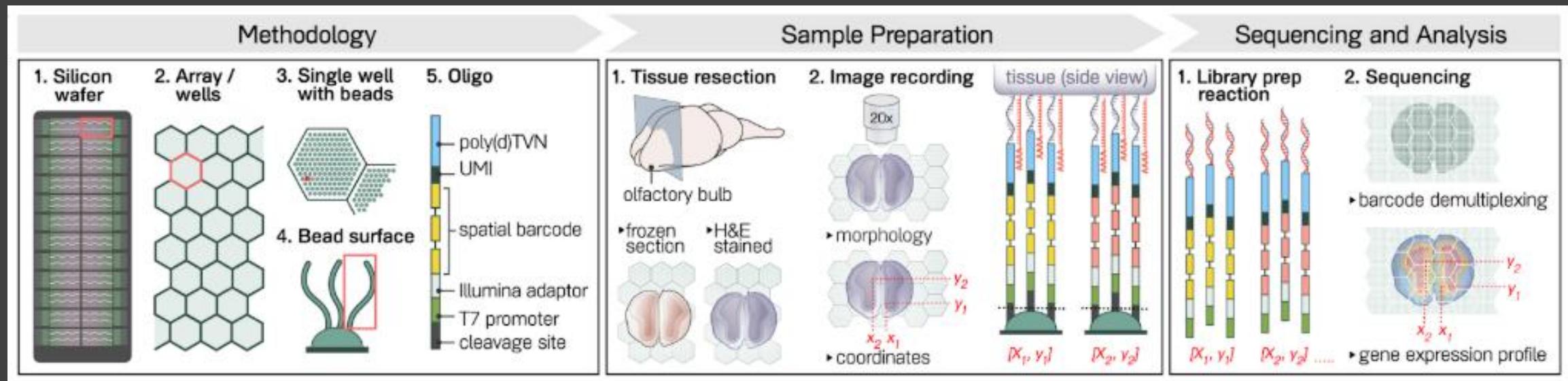
Decoded array

Barcode	X	Y
AACGTC	1	2
CGTTCA	2	5
TCGATC	1	6
GGTACT	5	3
TACCGA	2	3

# Slide-Seq



# High density Spatial transcriptomics

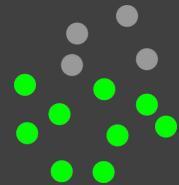


Vickovic *et al.* BioRxiv 2019

# Spatial Sequencing



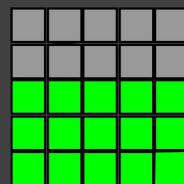
Resolution: Spot size 2um - 100um



Detection efficiency: 0.1 - 1%



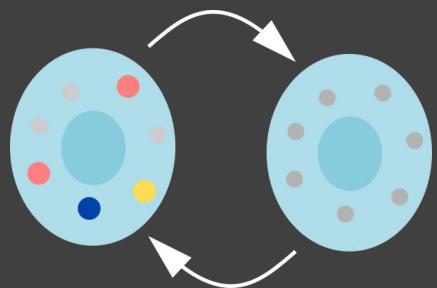
Gene throughput: Full transcriptome



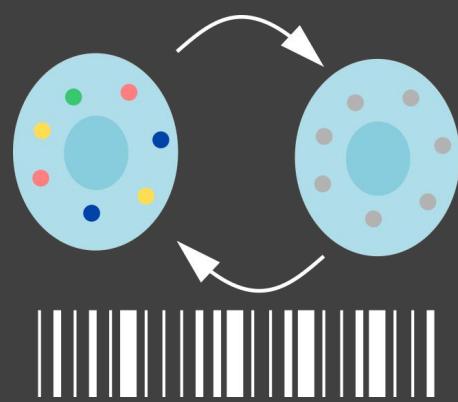
Spatial throughput: several cm<sup>2</sup>

# RNA spatial detection

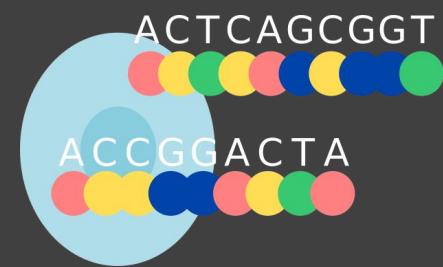
Cyclic FISH



Barcoded FISH



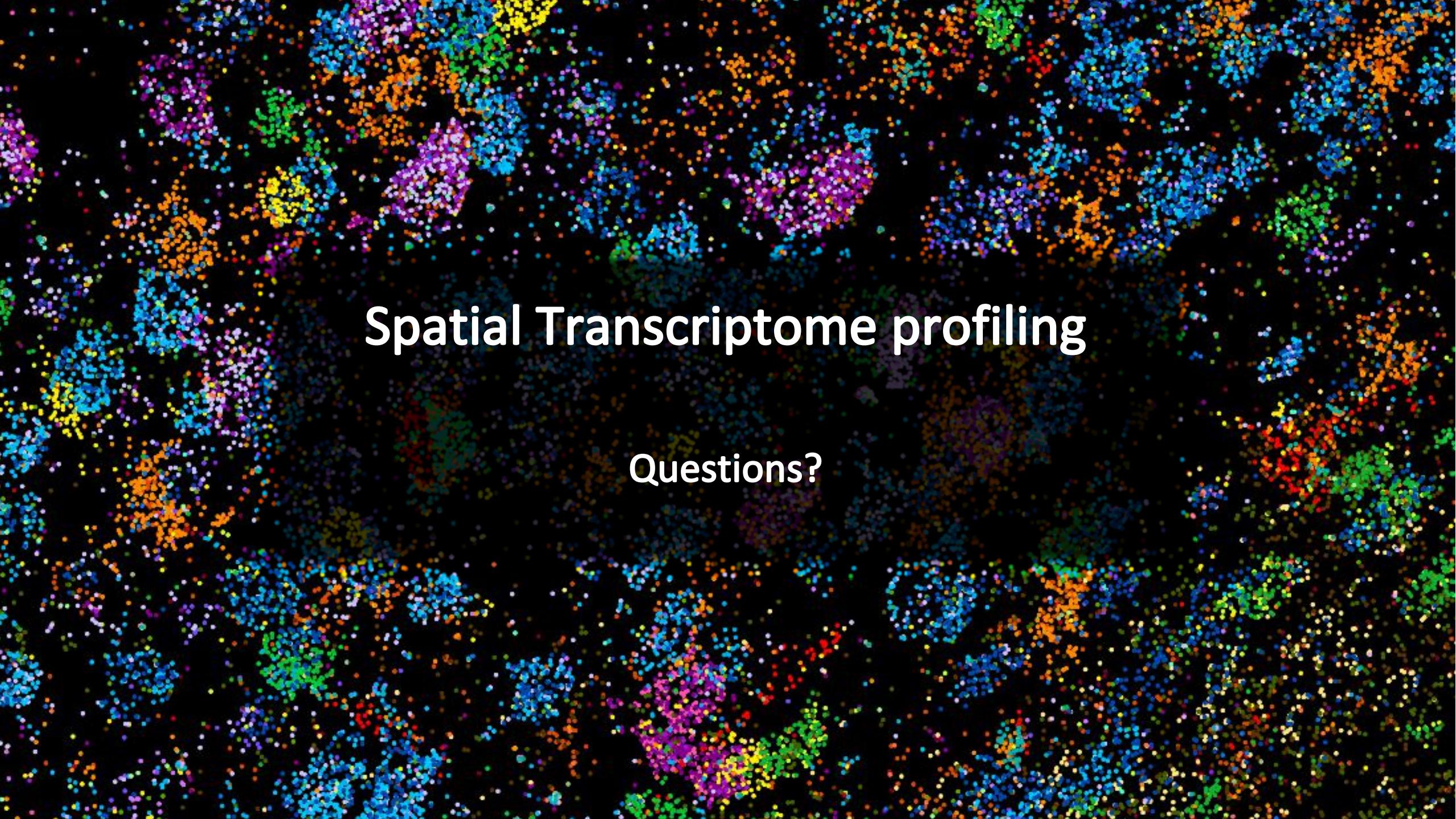
*in situ* Sequencing



Spatial Sequencing



But there is more: sc reconstruction, Tomography, Array microdissection, Grid barcoding



# Spatial Transcriptome profiling

Questions?

