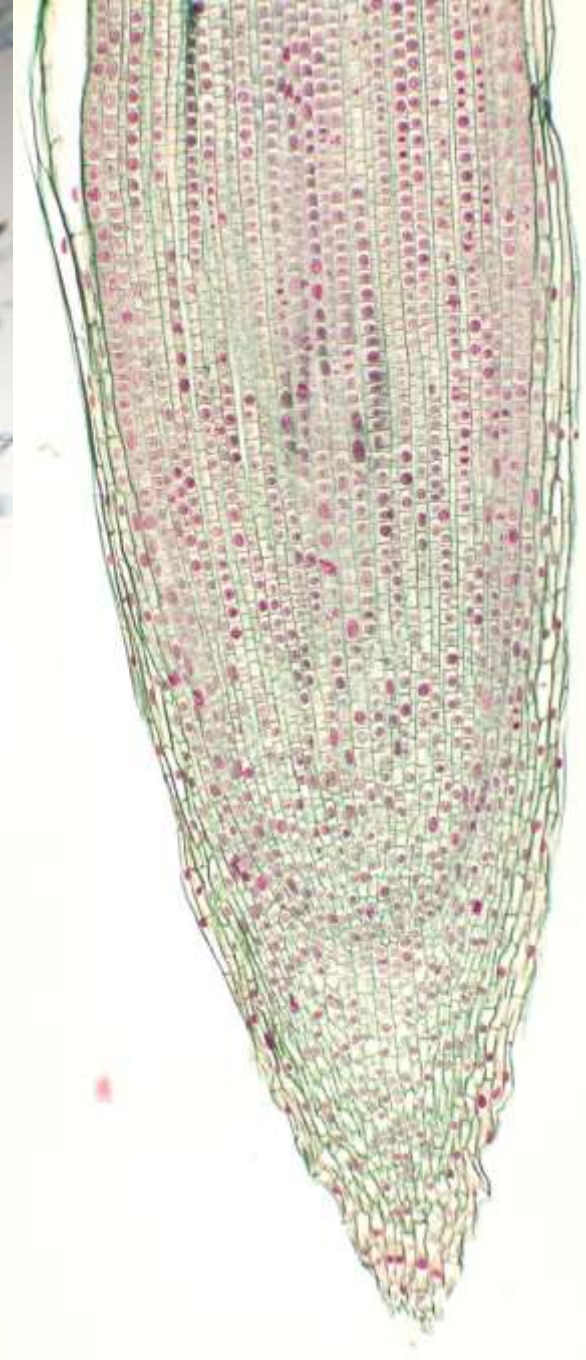


- ✓ Thin-walled
- ✓ Living at maturity



Parenchyma cells
Cell Types



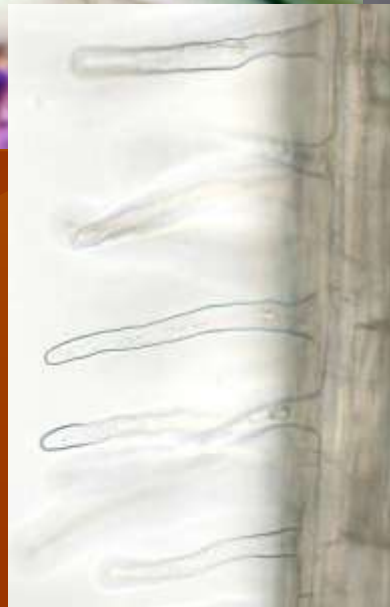
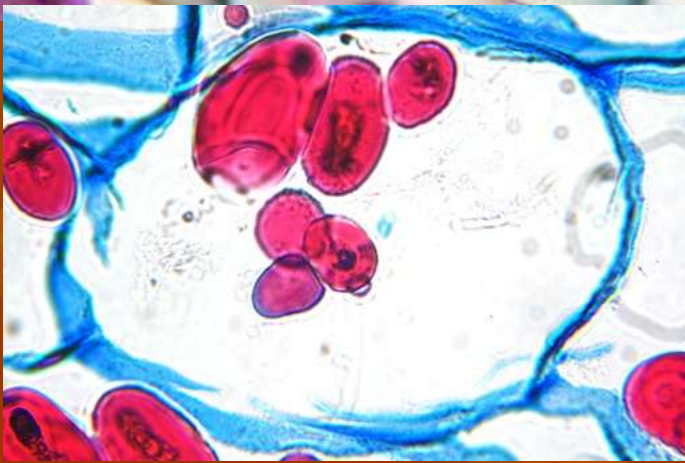
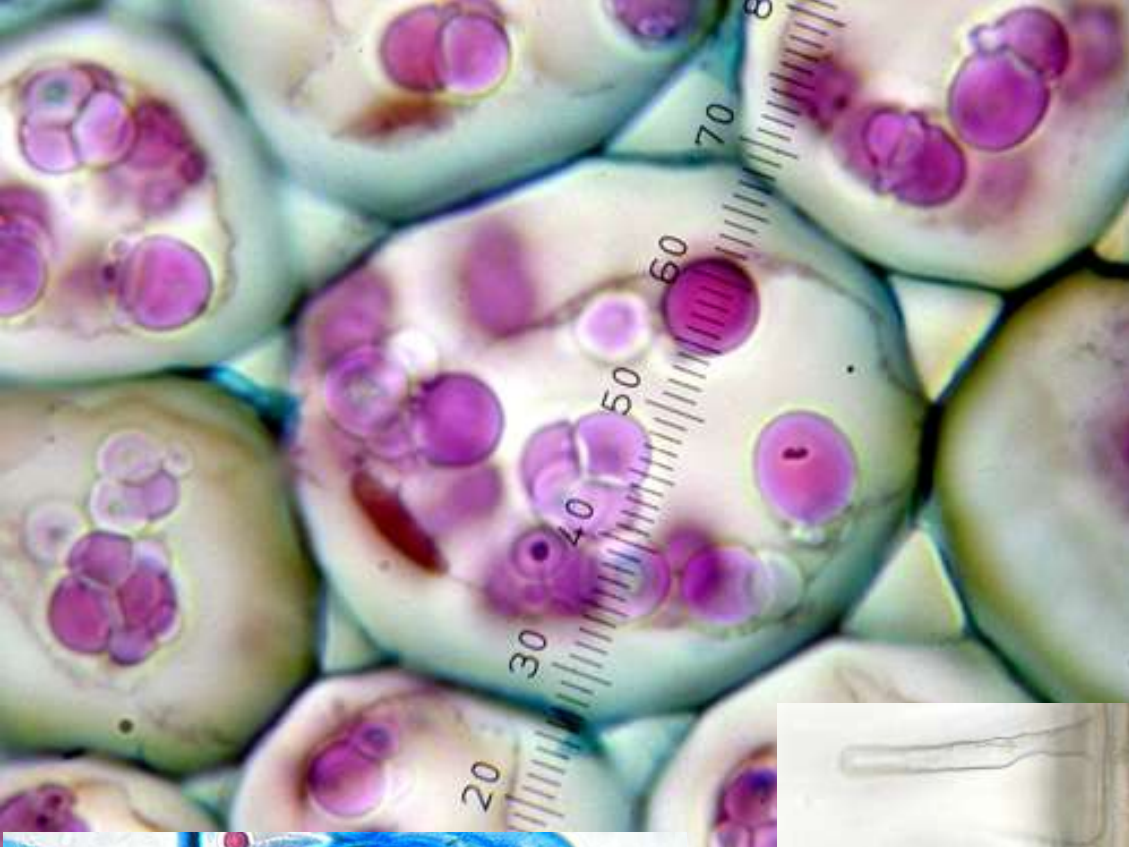
Apical meristem produces the procambium, ground meristem, and protoderm

The mature tissues formed still usually contain parenchyma cells that retain the ability to divide

Parenchyma – primary meristems in shoot and root tips

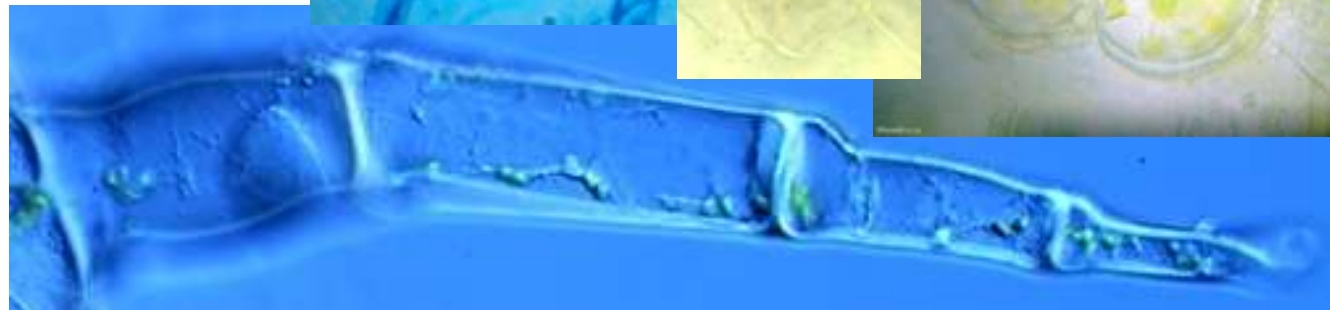
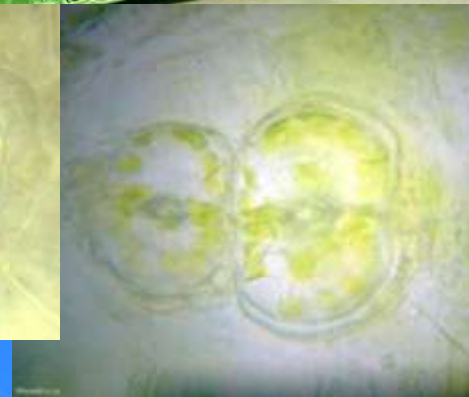
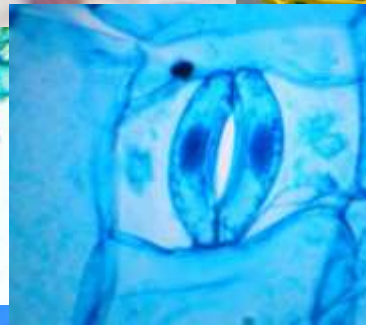
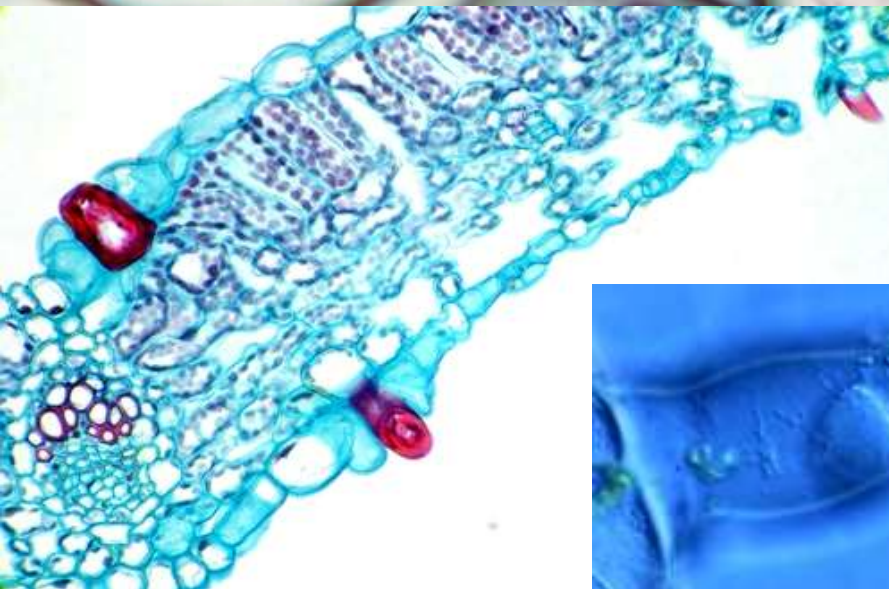
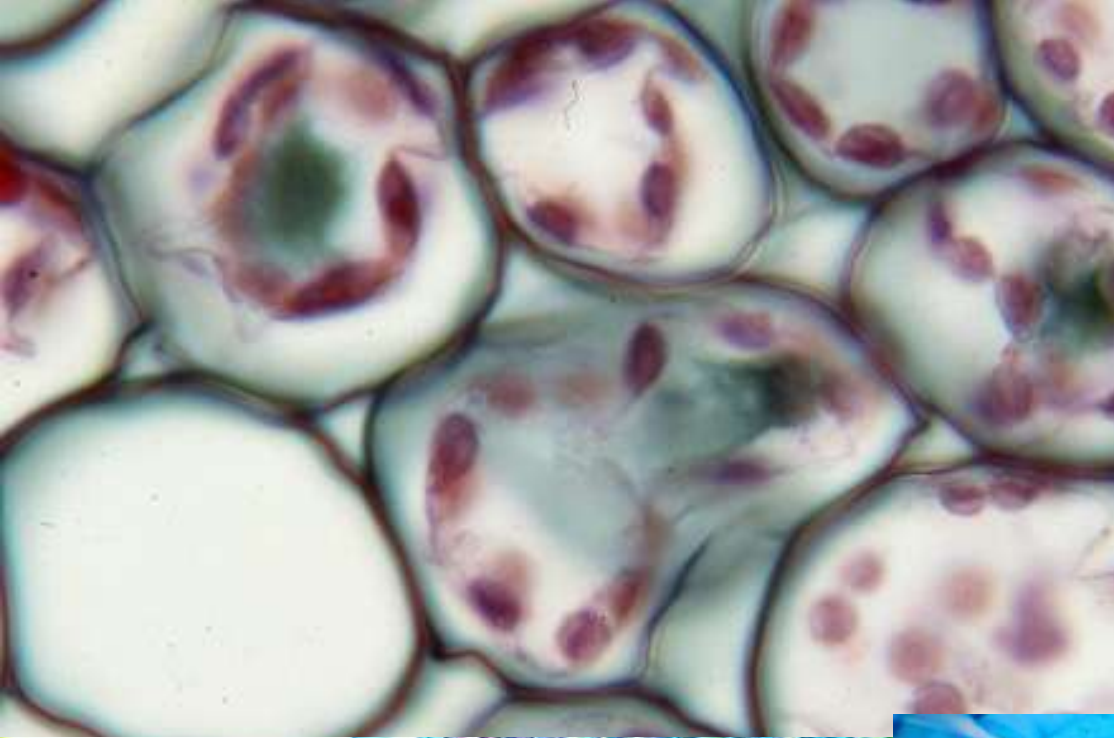
Cell Types

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Parenchyma – epidermis with and root hairs and starch storage in root cortex (and tubers)

Cell Types



Parenchyma cells of leaf – mesophyll, trichomes, guard cells

Cell Types



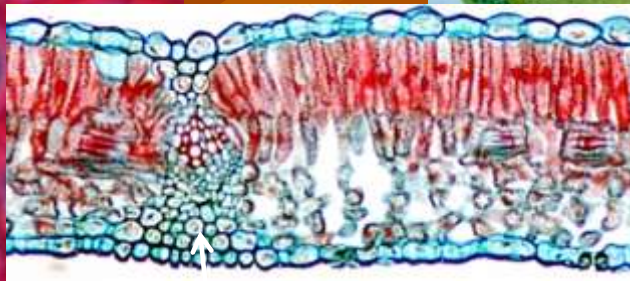
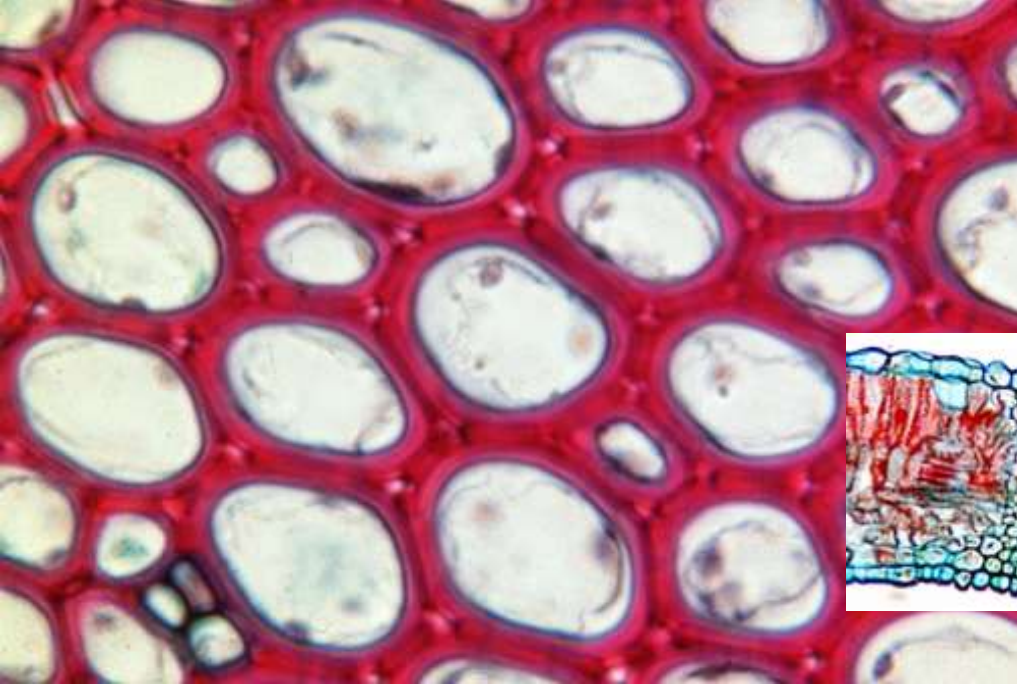
Parenchyma cells also make up the secondary meristems: vascular cambium and cork cambium

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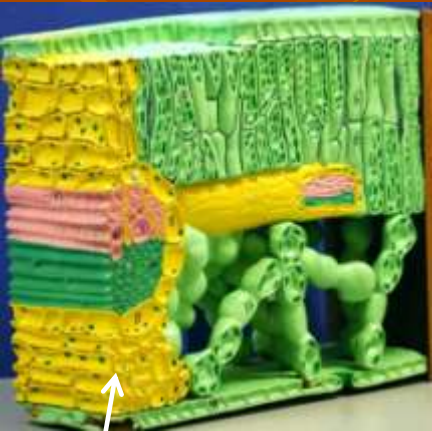
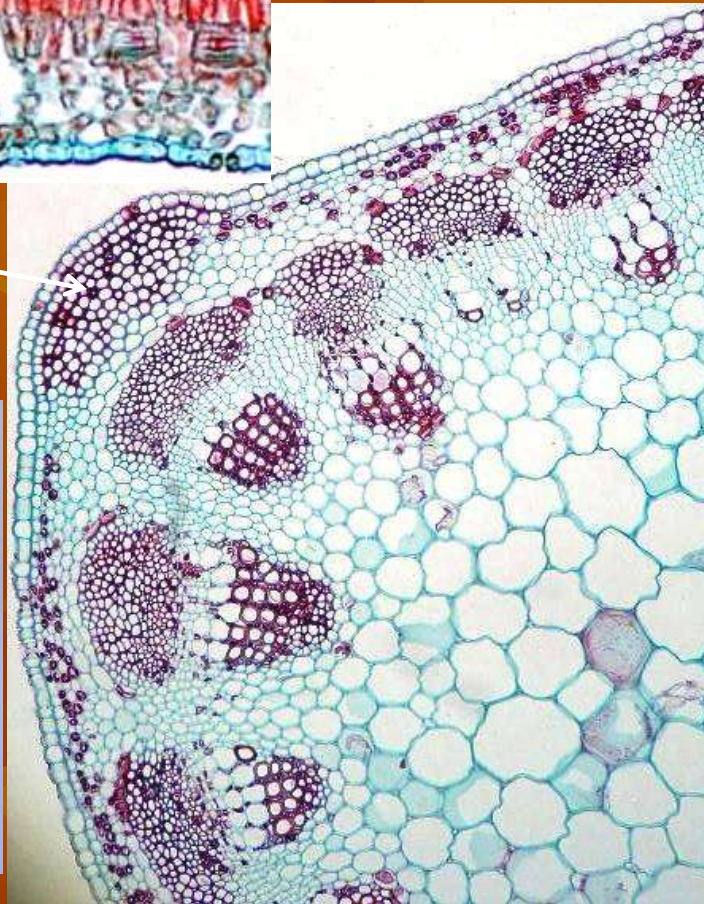
Parenchyma – secondary or lateral meristems in woody dicot stems and roots

Cell Types

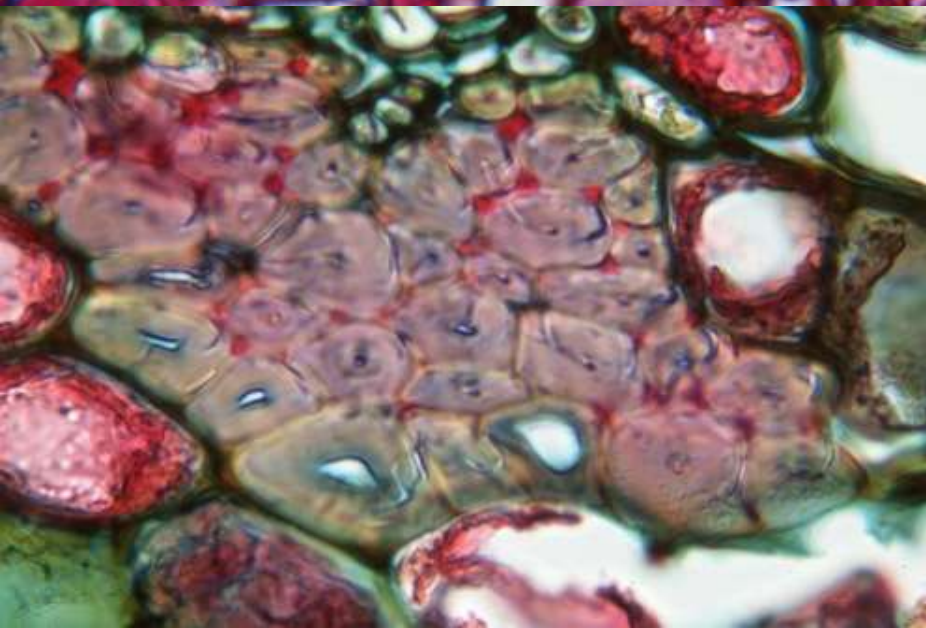
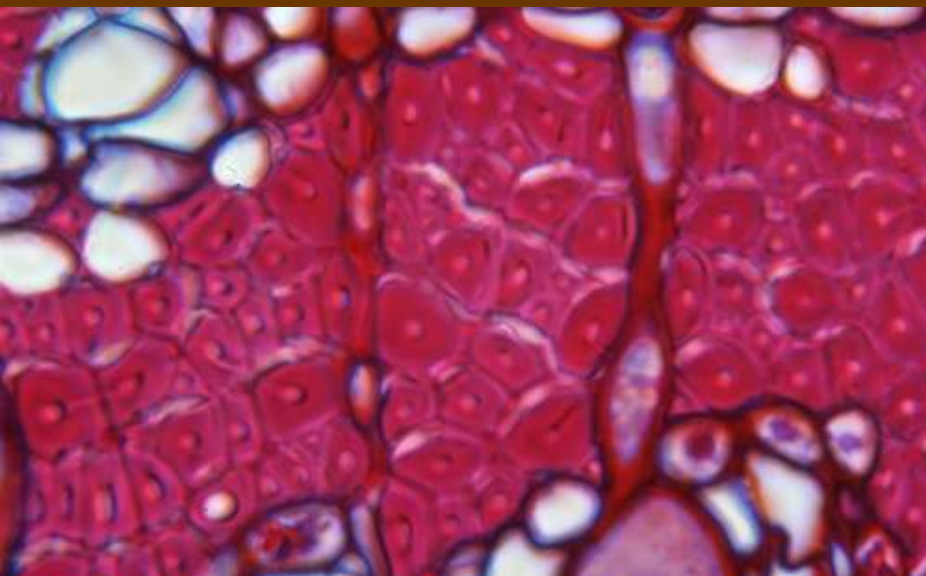
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- ✓ Cells support the growing organ
- ✓ Living at maturity



Collenchyma
Cell Types



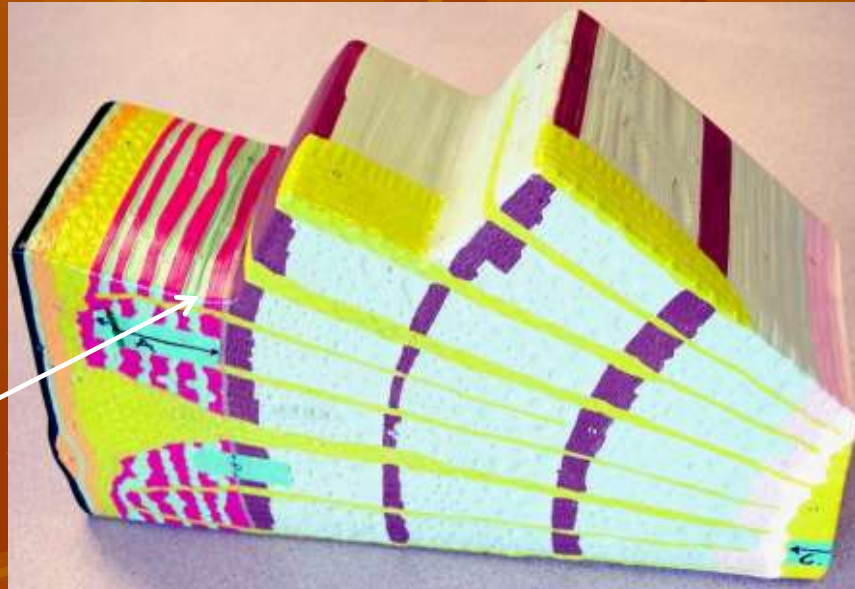
- ✓ Supports xylem and phloem and fruit tissue
- ✓ Thick walled and dead at maturity

Sclerenchyma

Cell Types

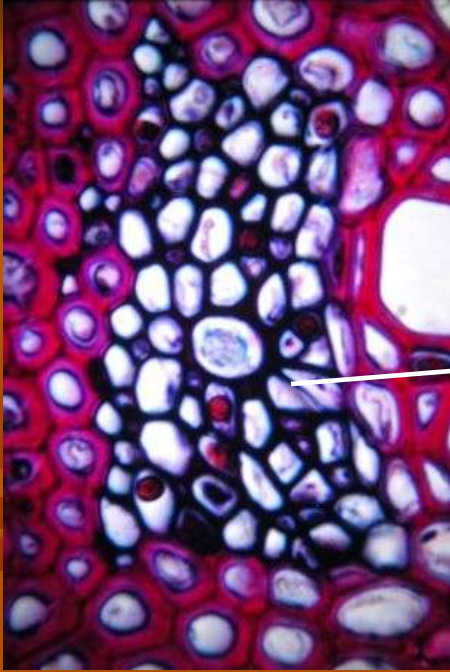


✓ Transports sugars from leaves to roots, etc.



Sieve tube members and companion cells of phloem tissue

Cell Types



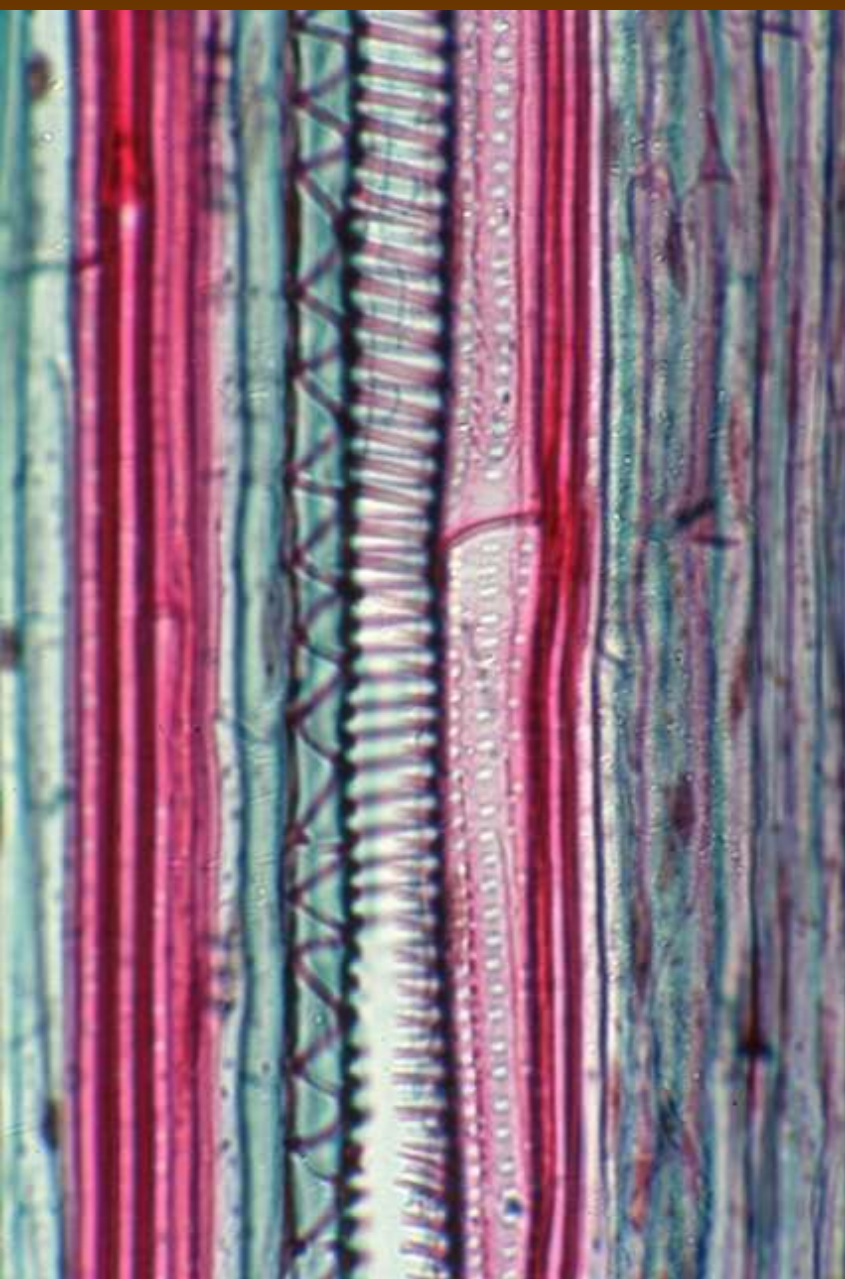
✓ Transports sugars from leaves to roots, etc.



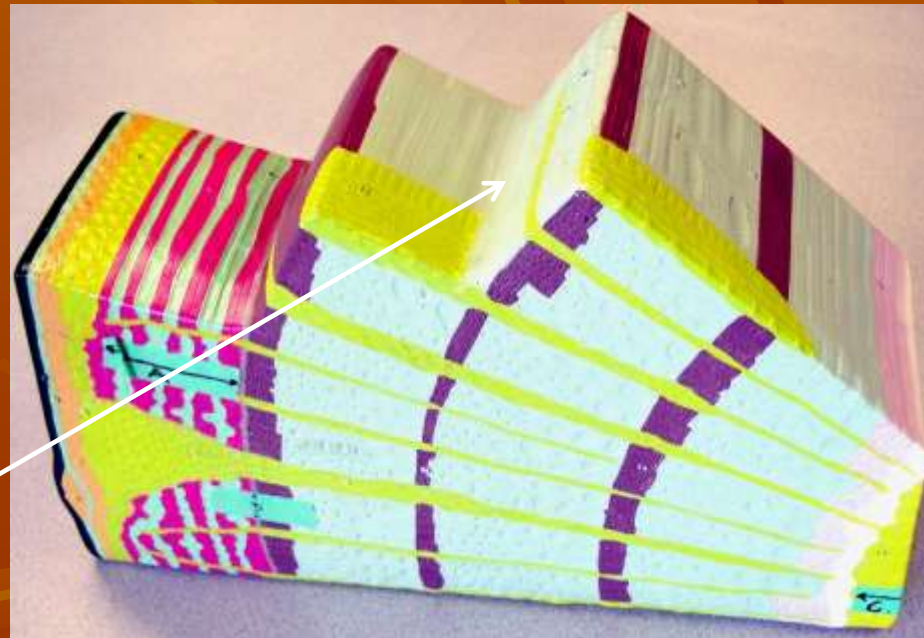
Sieve tube members, companion cells, sclerenchyma & parenchyma cells of phloem tissue

Cell Types

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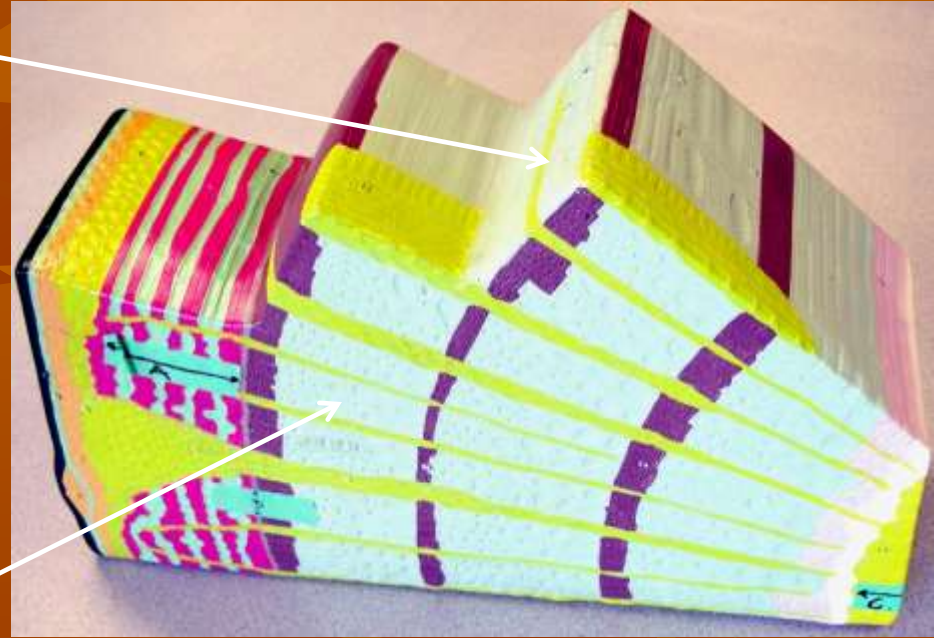
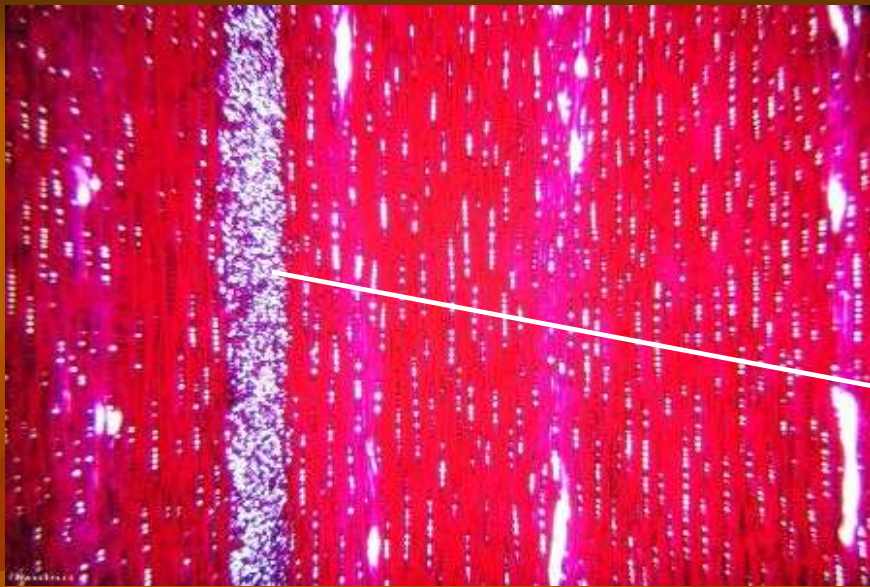
✓ Transports water and minerals up from roots



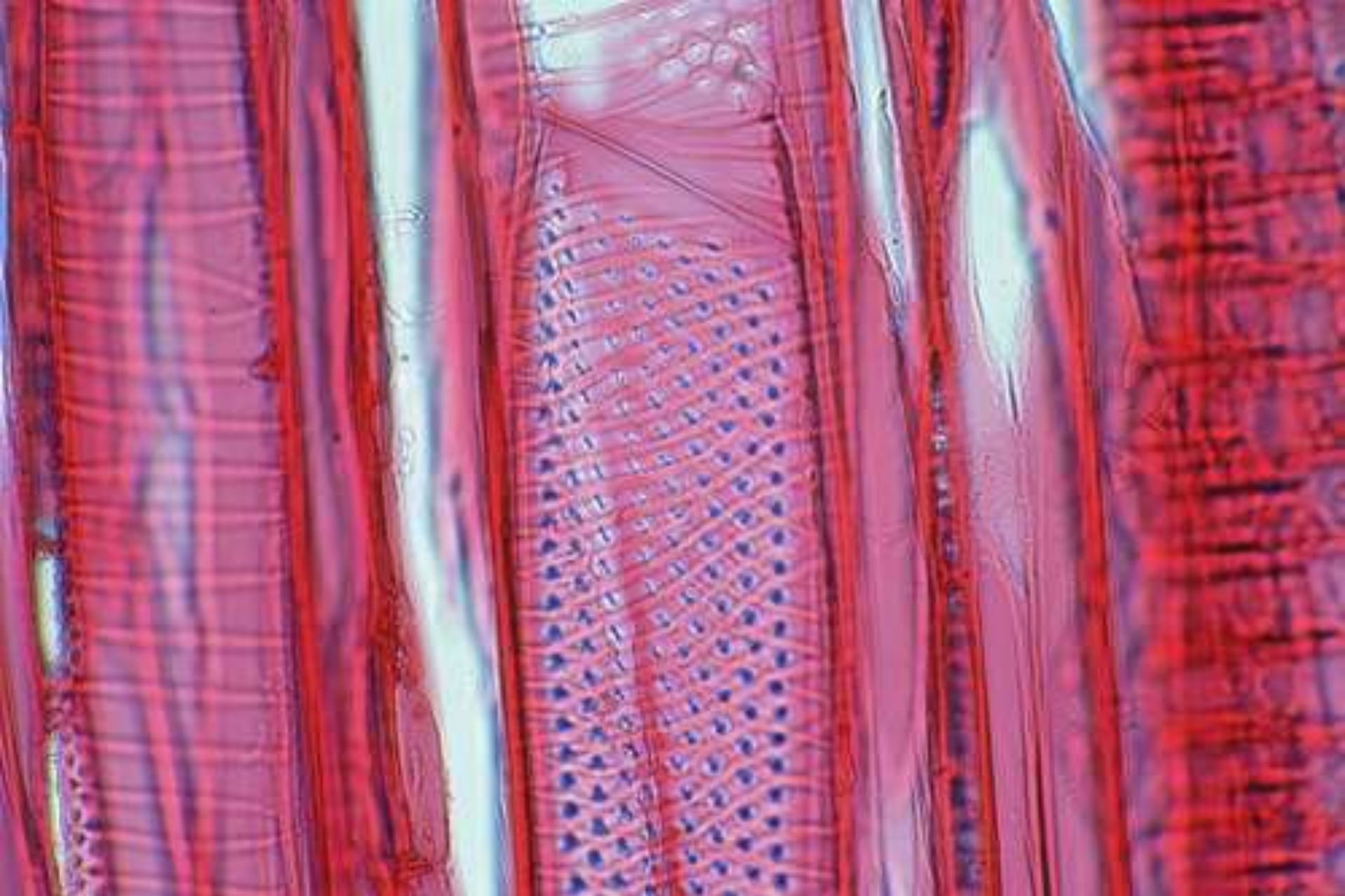
Xylem – vessels and tracheids

Cell Types

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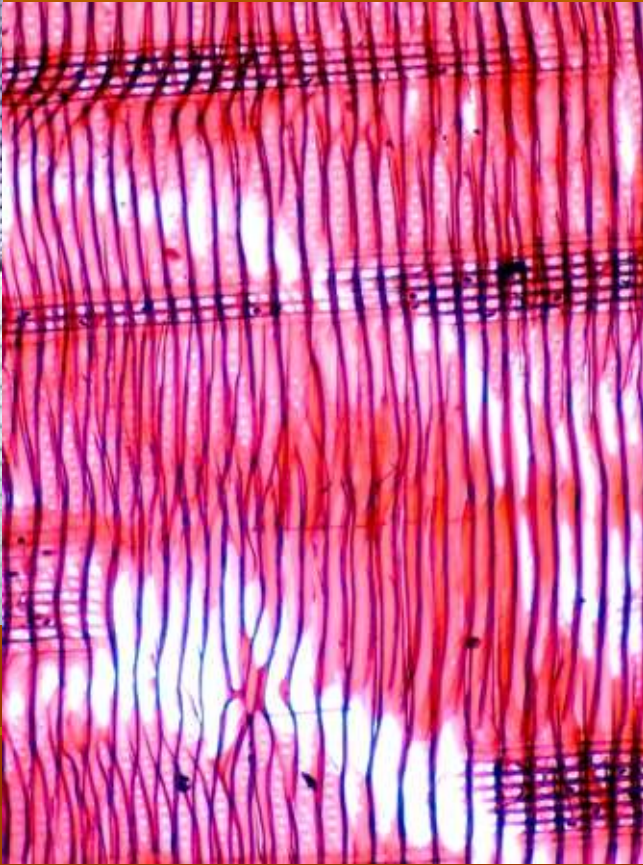
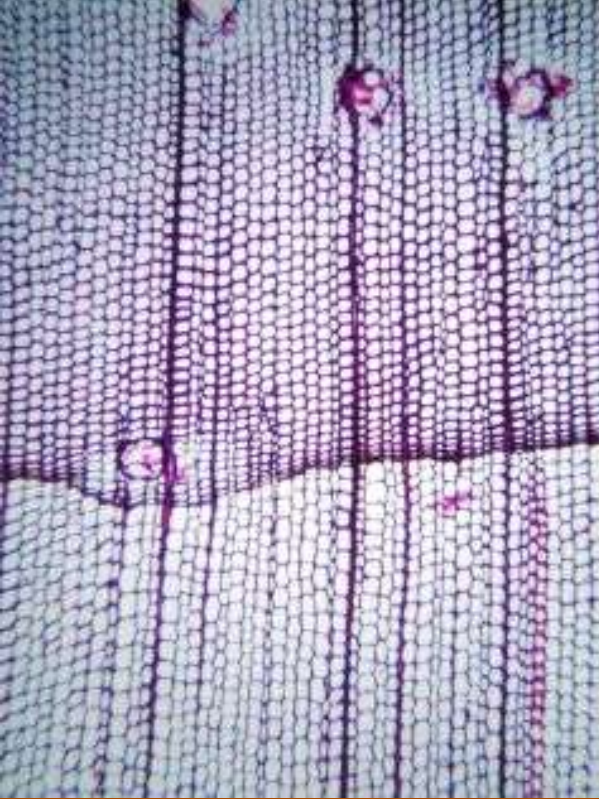
Xylem – vessels and tracheids (t.s. and c.s.)
Cell Types



Vessels (l.s.) are in Angiosperms only

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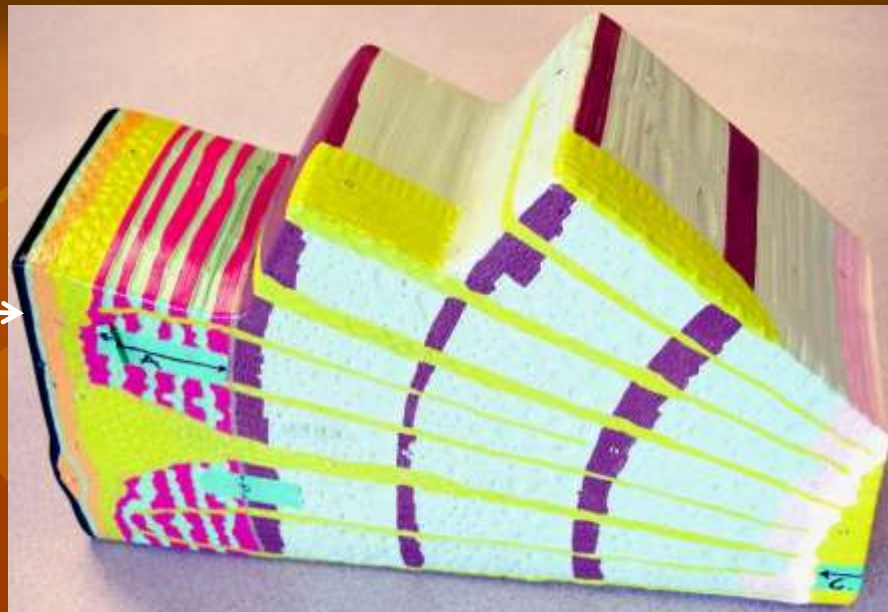
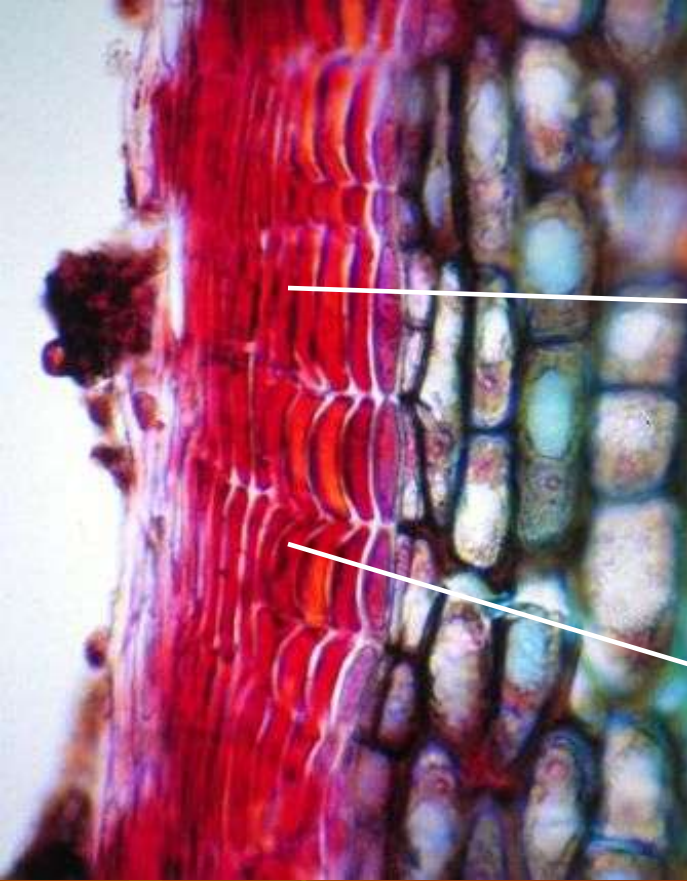


✓ The only water conducting cells in softwoods

Tracheids, ray cells and resin duct cells of pine – conifer - softwood (c.s., r.s., t.s.)

Cell Types

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- ✓ Dead at maturity
- ✓ Impregnated with suberin

Cork cells

Cell Types