

# Hematopoiesis II

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# Erythropoiesis

↑ formation process

- Is the process of formation of **Erythrocyte** which occurs through several stages.
  - The glycoprotein erythropoietin, a growth factor produced by cells in the kidneys, stimulates production of mRNA for globins, the protein components of hemoglobin, and is essential for the production of erythrocytes.
- ↑ G1F hormone

# Erythropoiesis

blast → cyte

- 1-Pluripotential stem cell → myeloid multipotential
- 2-Erythrocyte colony forming unit (CFU-E) (progenitor)
- 3- Pro-erythroblast
- 4- <sup>blue</sup>Basophilic erythroblast
- 5- <sup>multi-color</sup>Polychromatophilic erythroblast
- 6- <sup>1-color</sup>Orthochromatophilic erythroblast (normoblast)
- 7-Reticulocyte



**Erythrocyte**

color

## Pro-erythroblast

globoin لا - صلبه



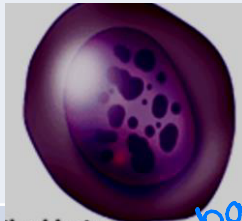
Pro-erythroblast

It is a large cell (12-15 um in diameter)

The <sup>1</sup>nucleus is central, pale and contains fine chromatin and two visible nucleoli.

The <sup>2</sup>cytoplasm is basophilic due to presence of <sup>3</sup>many polyribosomes for synthesis of protein of Hgb.

## Basophilic erythroblast



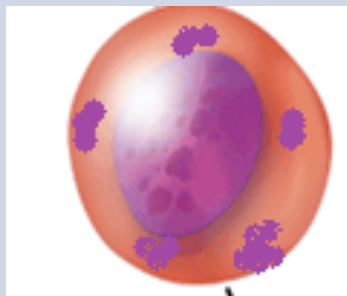
Basophilic erythroblast

The nucleus is smaller than that of pro-erythroblast with condensed chromatin.

The cytoplasm is deeply basophilic due to large number of polysomes and free ribosomes.

## Polychromatophilic erythroblast

baso  
- acido



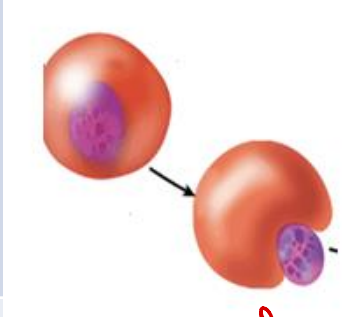
The cell becomes smaller.

The nucleus becomes smaller with more condensed chromatin.

The <sup>red</sup>cytoplasm shows areas of acidophilia due to hemoglobin and others of basophilia due to free ribosomes and polysomes. } <sup>factory still active</sup>

\*note: cell smaller / nucleus smaller & condense / darker

## <sup>1</sup>Orthochromatophilic erythroblast (normoblast)



The size still becomes smaller.

The **nucleus** condensed <sup>1</sup>pyknotic and extruded <sup>2</sup>peripherally.

The **cytoplasm** is markedly and uniformly **acidophilic** as hemoglobin becomes the main constituent.

The cytoplasm also contains ribosomes and polyribosomes. *alot less*

This cell at last <sup>3</sup>expels its nucleus.

They do not divide.

## Reticulocyte

*precursor of eryth.*

It is **non-nucleated** immature erythrocyte.

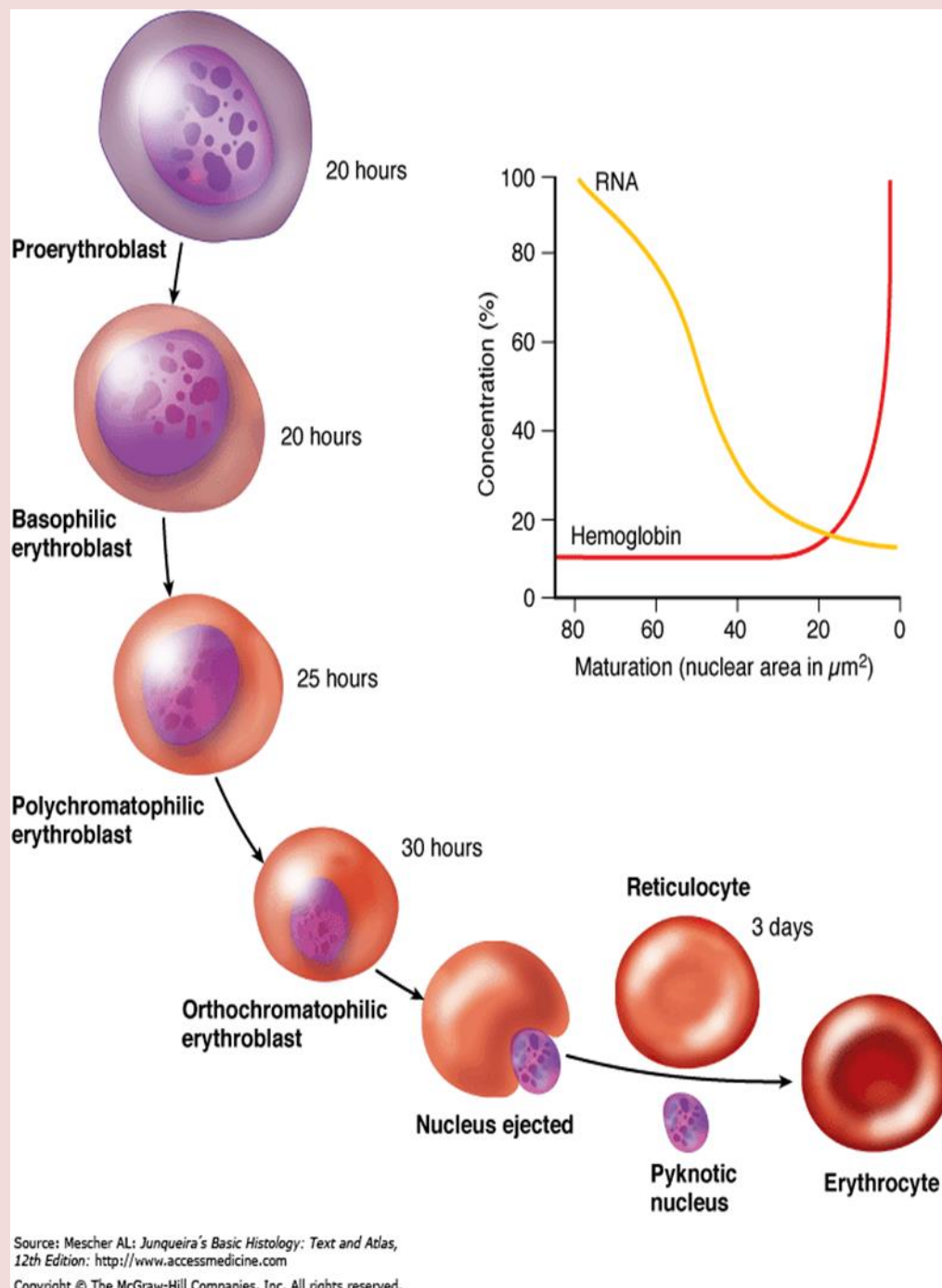
Its cytoplasm is filled with hemoglobin and small amount of polyribosomes.

When stained with **brilliant cresyl blue**!, the polyribosomes aggregate to form a basophilic network (reticulum).

Reticulocytes pass to the circulation where **99%** of reticulocytes lose their ribosomes and change into mature erythrocytes.

Normally, **1%** of reticulocytes may appear in the peripheral blood.

*100 RBC = 1 retic.*



1)The **cell** size becomes **smaller**.

2)The **nucleus** becomes **smaller**, **condensed**, **pyknotic** and finally **extruded** from the cell.

3)Decrease in free ribosomes and **polysomes** (decrease of  $\downarrow$  basophilia) and **increase** of **hemoglobin** (increased  $\uparrow$  acidophilia).

4)Mitochondria and other cell organelles gradually disappear.

# Big nucleus Megakaryopoiesis

- Pluripotential stem cell → myeloid multipotential stem cells → CFU-Meg
- - Megakaryoblast:
  - It is 15-50 um in diameter.
  - It has large kidney-shaped nucleus with numerous nucleoli.
  - polyploidy nucleus [multiple sets of haploid number (23 chromosomes). endomitosis (multiple nuclear divisions without separation)]
  - The cytoplasm is intensely basophilic

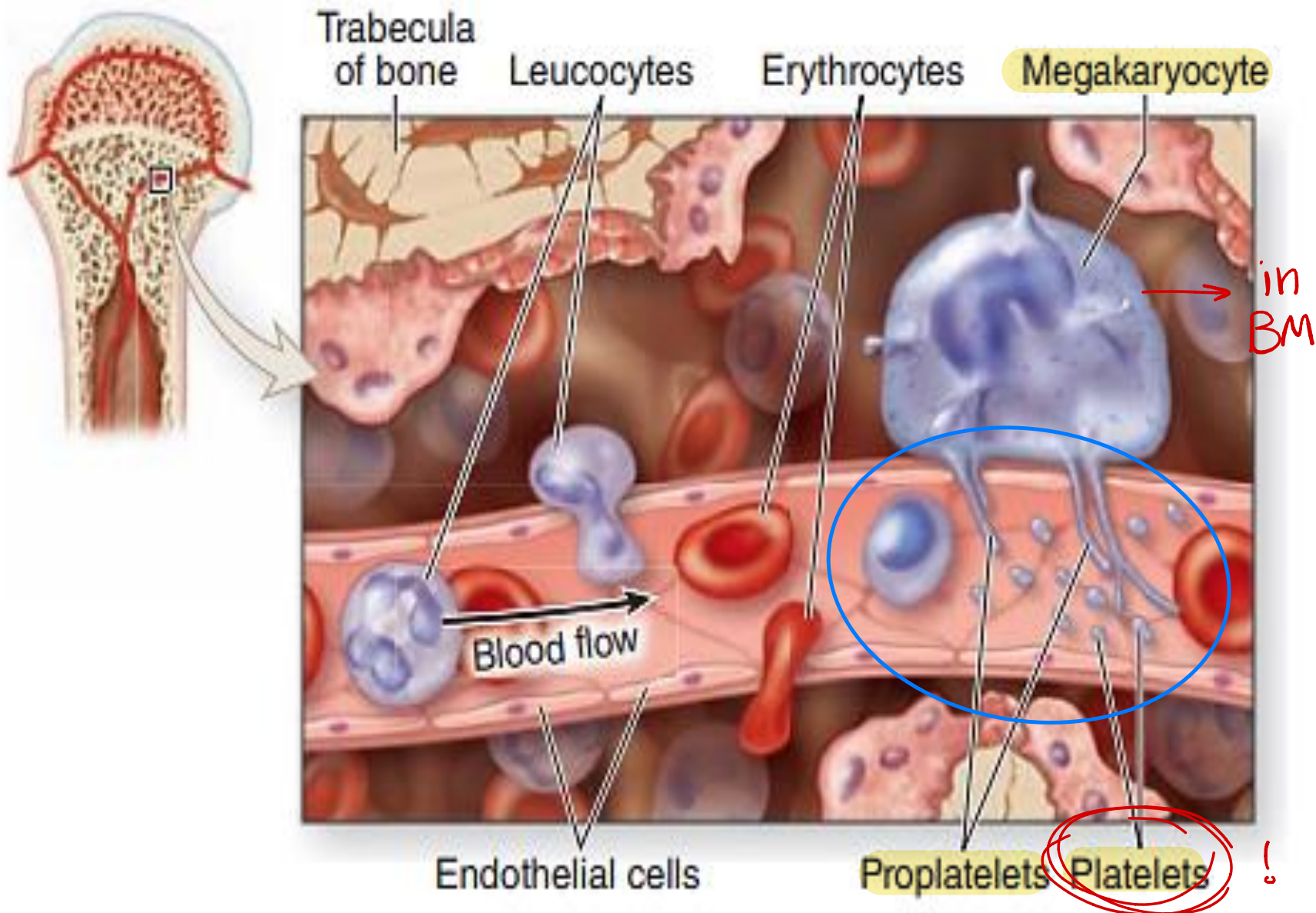
usually 23 chromosome,  
but here:  
23 are divided & replicate  
w/o separation  
>>> 23

Me

# Megakaryocyte:

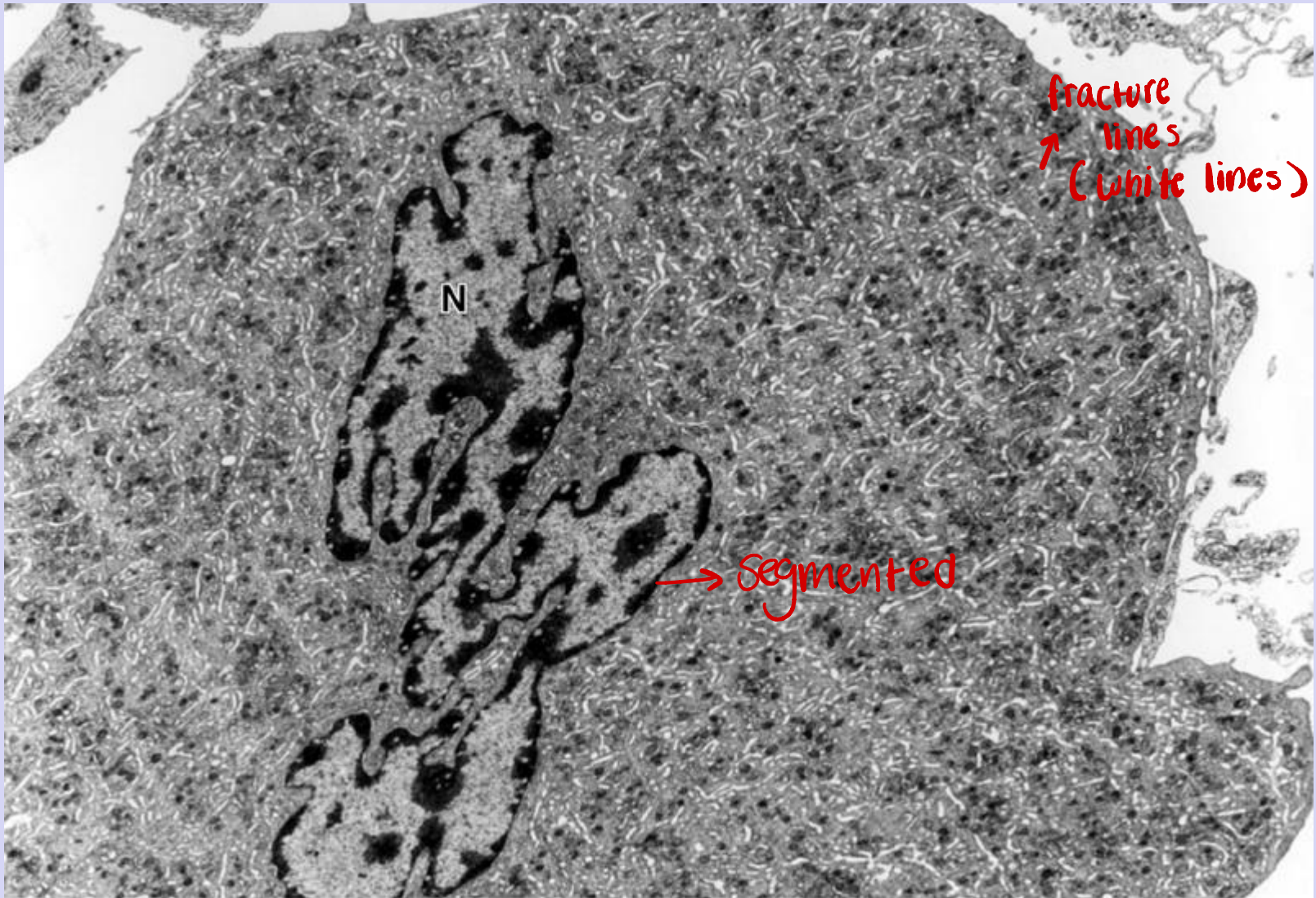
- It is a **giant cell** up to 150 um in diameter.
- It has an **irregular lobulated nucleus** with **coarse chromatin**.
- The cytoplasm is **basophilic** and contains azurophilic granules, numerous mitochondria, well developed RER and Golgi apparatus.
- The process of Megakaryopoiesis is driven by **thrombopoietin** (liver,kidney)





- With maturation of megakaryocytes, they extend **several long, wide branching processes called proplatelets.** These cellular extensions penetrate the **sinusoidal endothelium** and are exposed in the circulating blood of the sinusoids.
- Numerous **demarcation channels** formed throughout the cytoplasm (fracture lines) for the release of platelets.
- Platelets originate by **fragmentation of cytoplasm** of mature megakaryocytes and the remainder of cells degenerated and phagocytosed by macrophages.

## Demarcation membranes seen as tubular lines



# Development of Leukocytes

- -Development of leukocytes is divided into three processes
- 1- Granulopoiesis through which the granulocytes (Neutrophil, Eosinophils and Basophils) are formed.
- 2-Monocytopoiesis through which the monocytes are formed.
- 3-Lymphopoiesis through which the lymphocytes are formed.



# Granulopoiesis

the growth factors are called granulocyte colony-stimulating factors (G-CSFs) and cytokines  
*+ cytokines*

1-Pluripotential stem cell  $\longrightarrow$  myeloid multipotential

2-Granulocyte colony forming unit (CFU-G)  $\longleftarrow$  *progenitor*

3- Myeloblast

4- Promyelocyte

5- Myelocyte

6- Metamyelocyte  $\longrightarrow$  **Band**

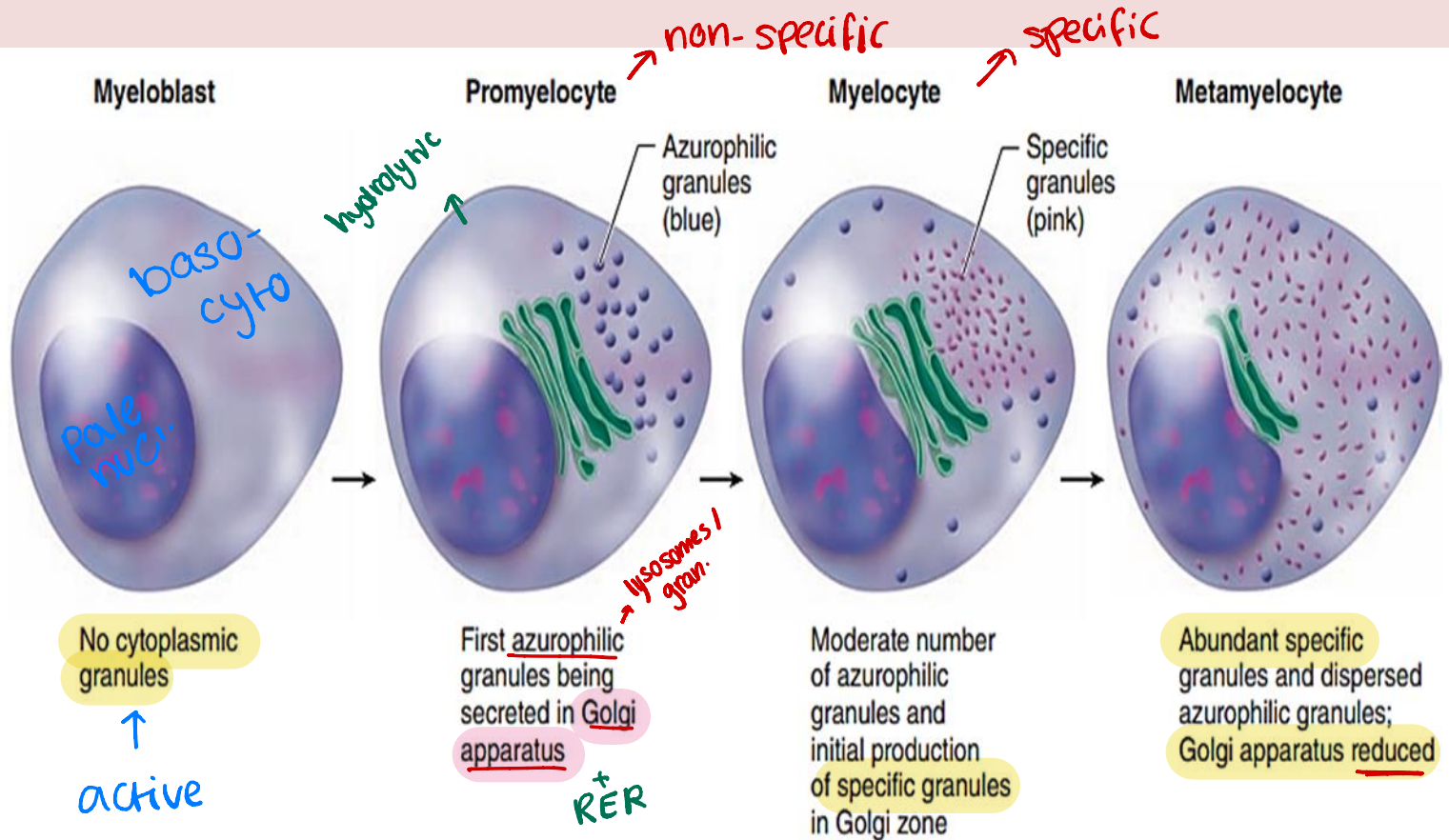


**Neutrophils**

**Basophils**

**eosinophils**

# Granulopoiesis



- The myeloblast have finely dispersed chromatin, and faint nucleoli.

- the promyelocyte is characterized by basophilic cytoplasm and azurophilic granules containing lysosomal enzymes and myeloperoxidase.  
*RER*

- the myelocyte stage initial production of specific granules  
*each myelocyte alone*  
*eosino neutro base*

*start to have separate pathway*

- metamyelocyte stage gradual increase in number of specific granules which eventually occupy most of the cytoplasm with indentation of nuclei  
*NOT lost (imp) → active cells*

-These neutrophilic, basophilic, and eosinophilic metamyelocytes mature with further condensations of the nuclei.

-Before its complete maturation, granulocytes pass through an intermediate stage, the band cell, in which the nucleus is elongated. May be present in peripheral blood.

all nuclei are but hold  
band diff granules

+ specific granules to each



w/ immune  
stim, diff  
into:

- Mature cells: (Neutrophils ,Eosinophils ,Basophils )



# Development of Monocytes (Monocytopoiesis)

- 1- Pluripotential hematopoietic stem cell  $\longrightarrow$  myeloid multipotential stem cells
- 2- Colony forming unit of monocyte (CFU-M) (M-CSF)  
*macrophage*
- 3- Monoblasts: identical to the myeloblast morphologically  
*use lysosomes from RER to phagocyte*
- 4- Promonocytes: a large cell with basophilic cytoplasm and a large, slightly indented nucleus  
*RER = baso*
- 5- <sup>mature</sup> Monocytes: circulate for three days then enter C.T and become macrophages.

# Development of Lymphocytes (Lymphopoiesis)

1-Pluripotential hematopoietic stem cell

2- ~~Lymphoid~~<sup>\*</sup> multipotential stem cells: divide into CFU-LyT (thymus) and CFU-LyB (bone marrow).

3-Lymphoblasts

4-Prolymphocytes

5-Mature Lymphocytes (T, B, NK)  
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- As lymphocytes develop, their nuclei become smaller, nucleoli become less visible, and the cells decrease in size overall.
- In the bone marrow and in the thymus, these cells synthesize the specific cell surface proteins that characterize B or T lymphocytes, respectively

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