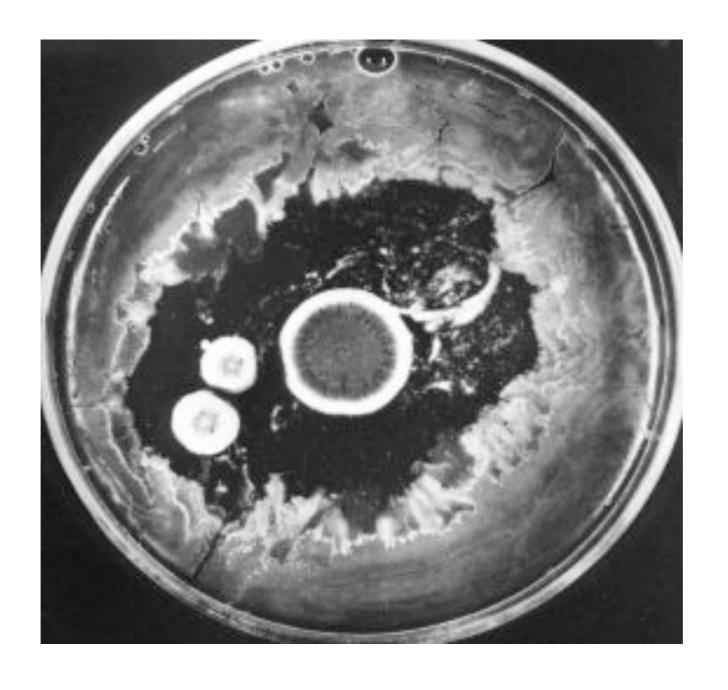
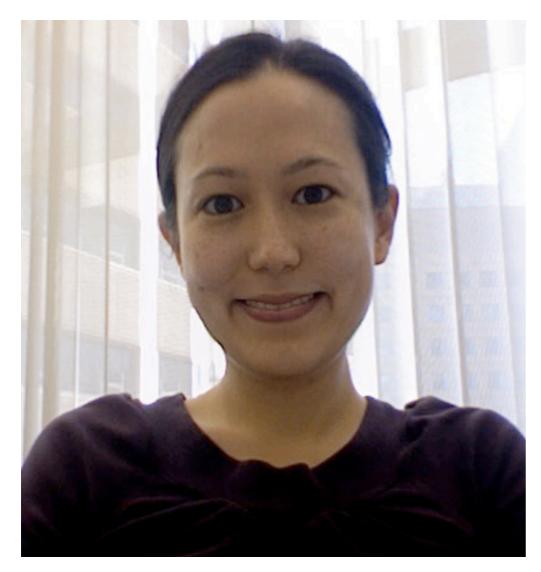


Scanning electron micrograph of Mycobacterium tuberculosis







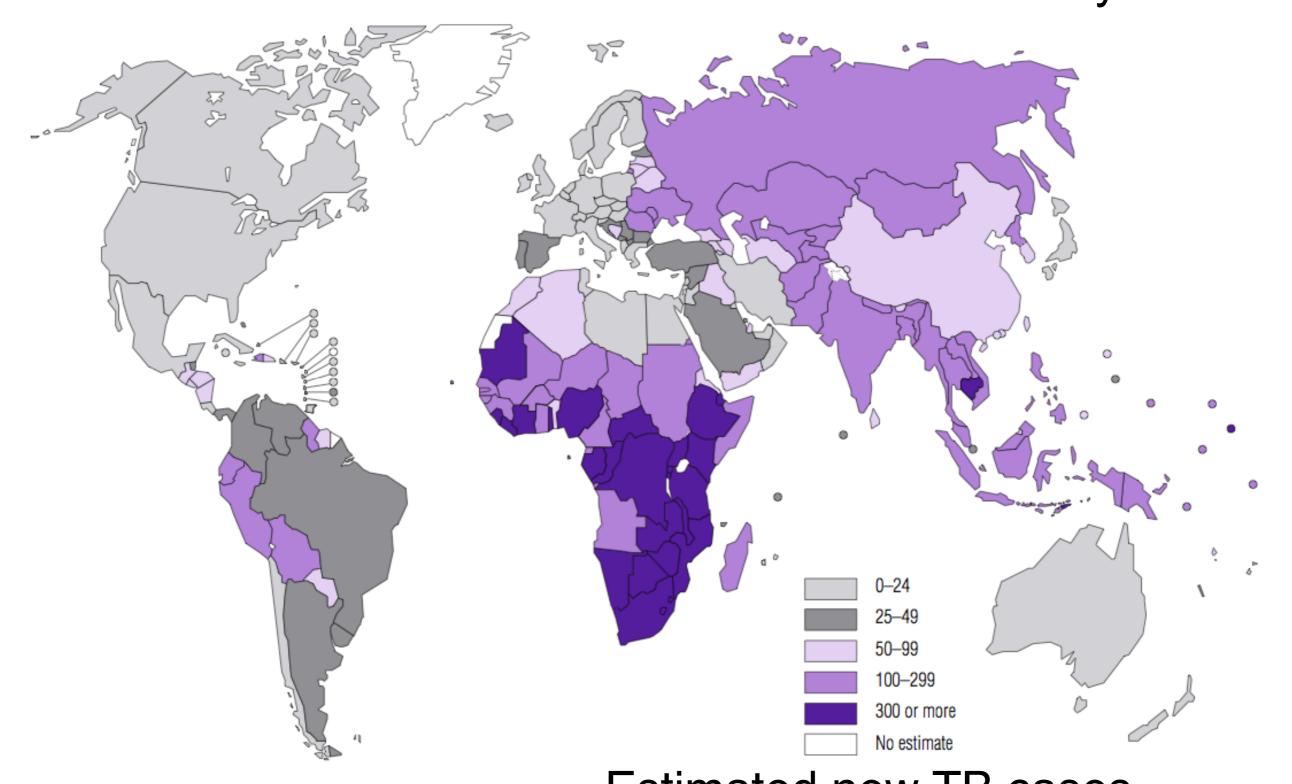
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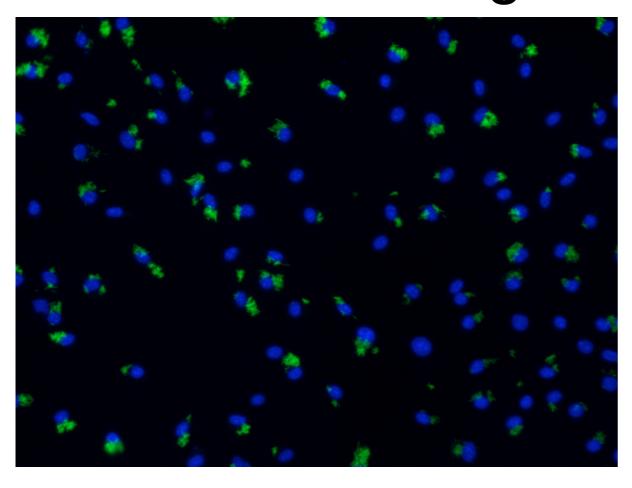
1.7 million deaths/year 9.2 million new cases/year



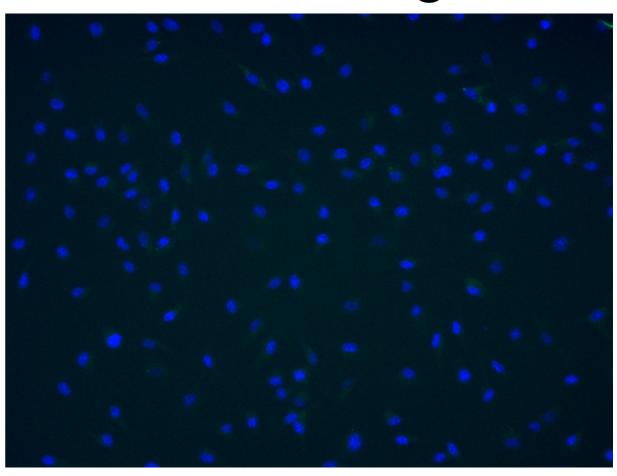
Estimated new TB cases per 100,000 population

Search for tuberculosis treatments

Without drug

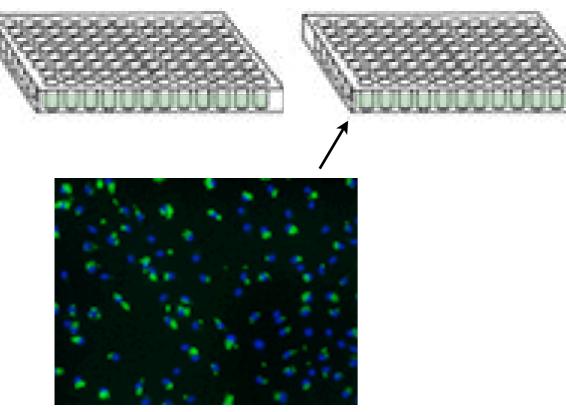


With drug

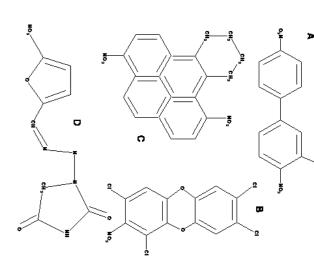


blue = human cells green = tuberculosis bacteria

Put bacteria and cells in individual wells of multi-well plates

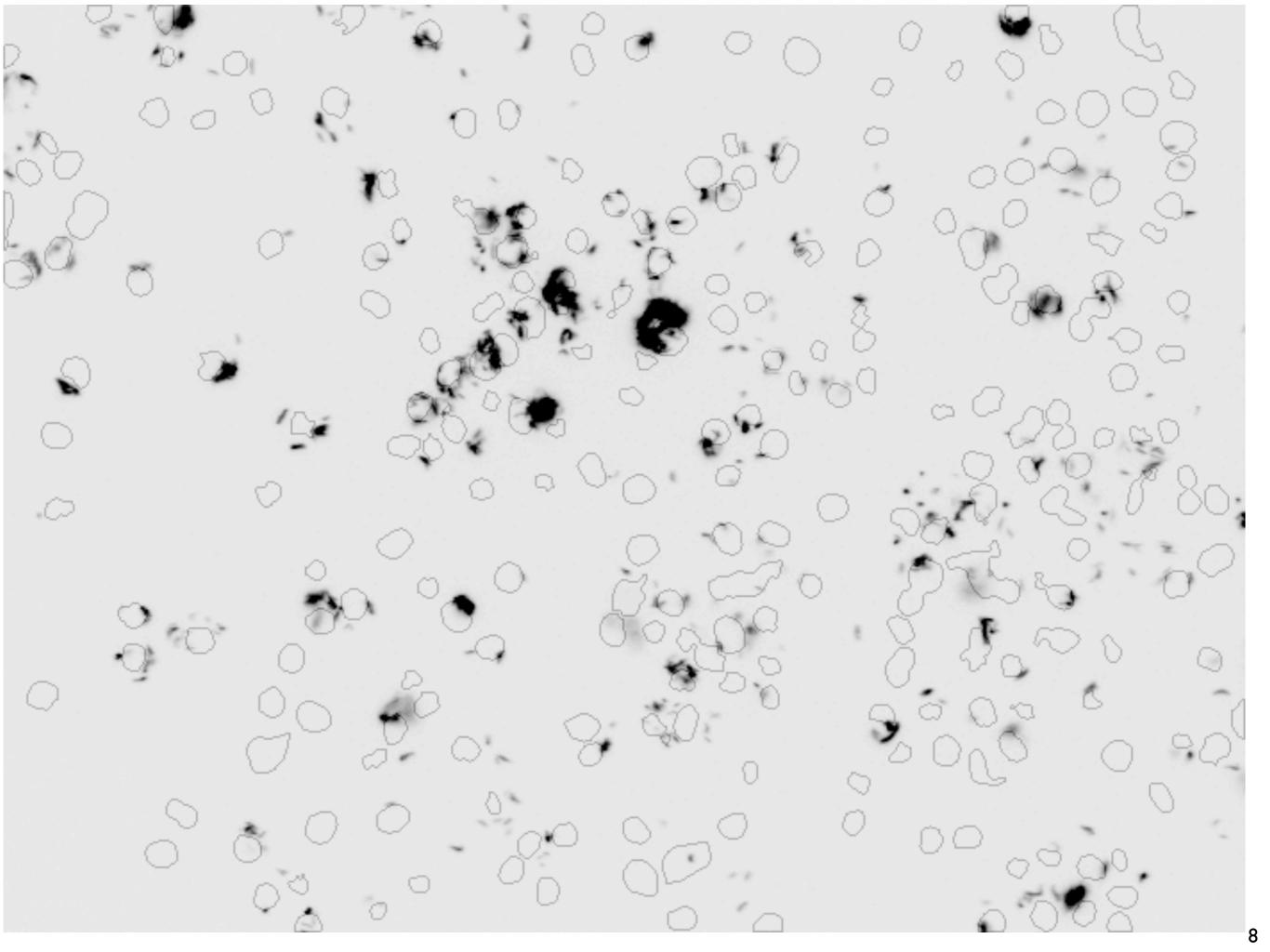


Add thousands of test chemicals, each chemical in a different well





Automated microscope



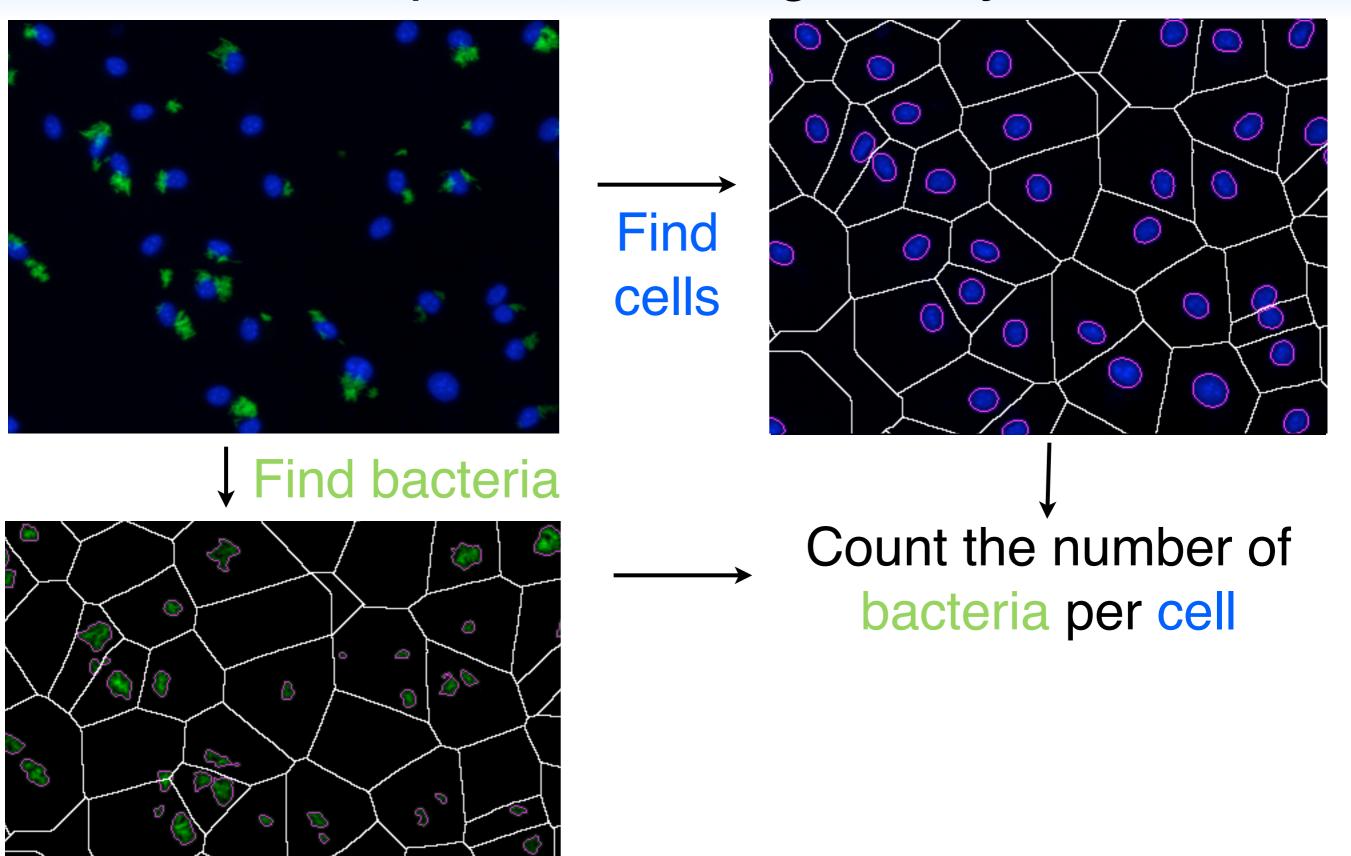
Rifampicin - positive control



Number of bacteria :	15
Number of human cells :	211

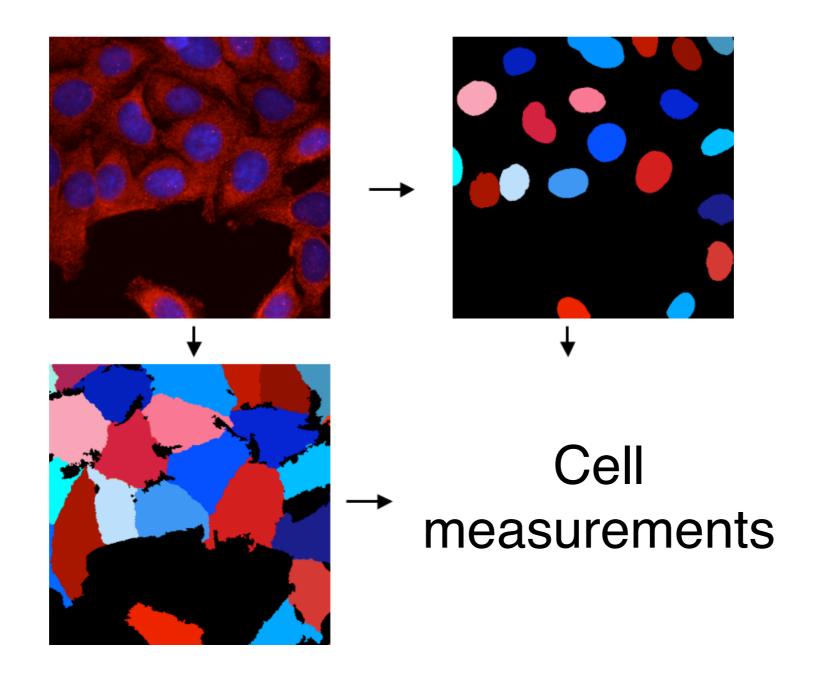
Average roundness of human cells (choose a score = 10,9,8,7,6,5,4,3,2,1):

Computerized image analysis

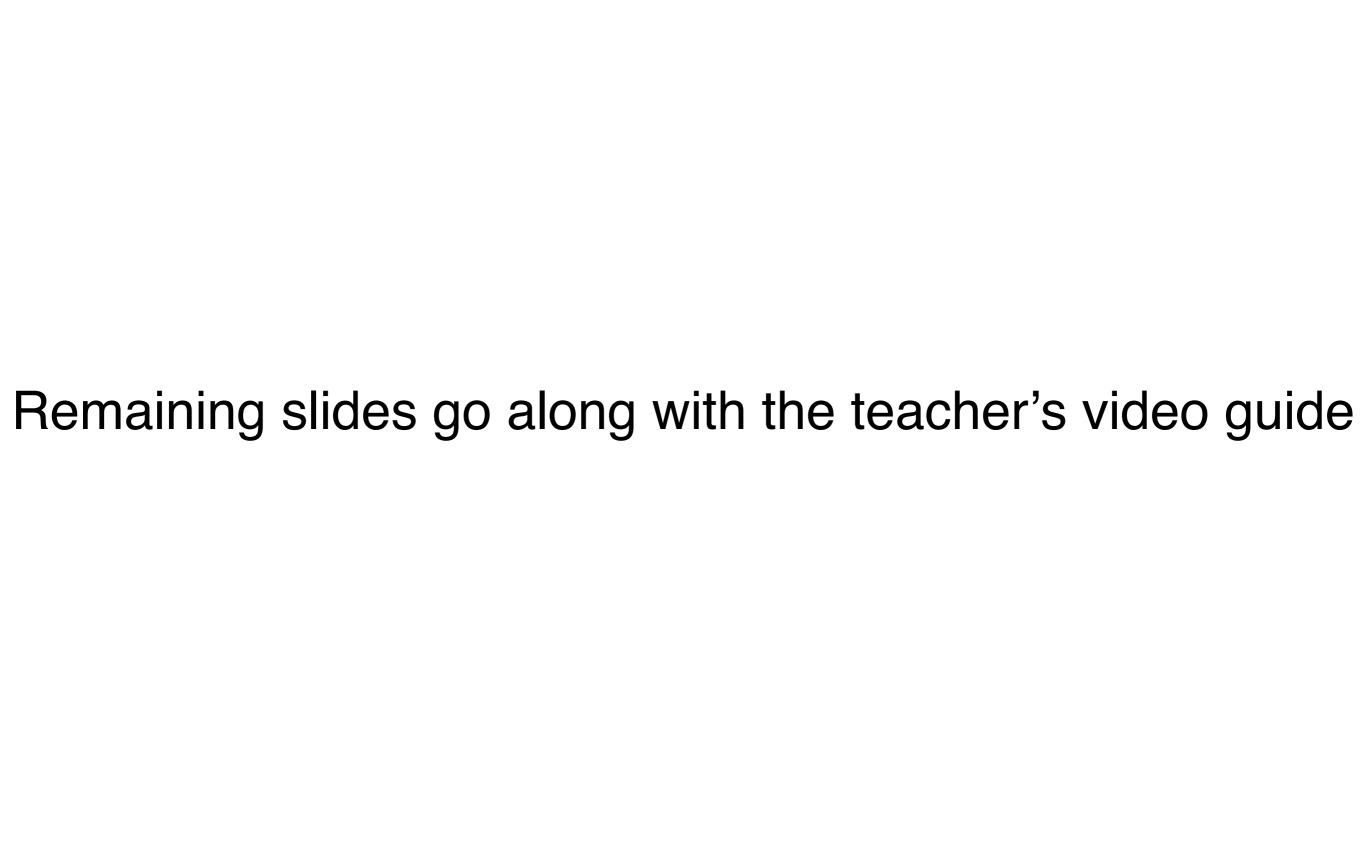




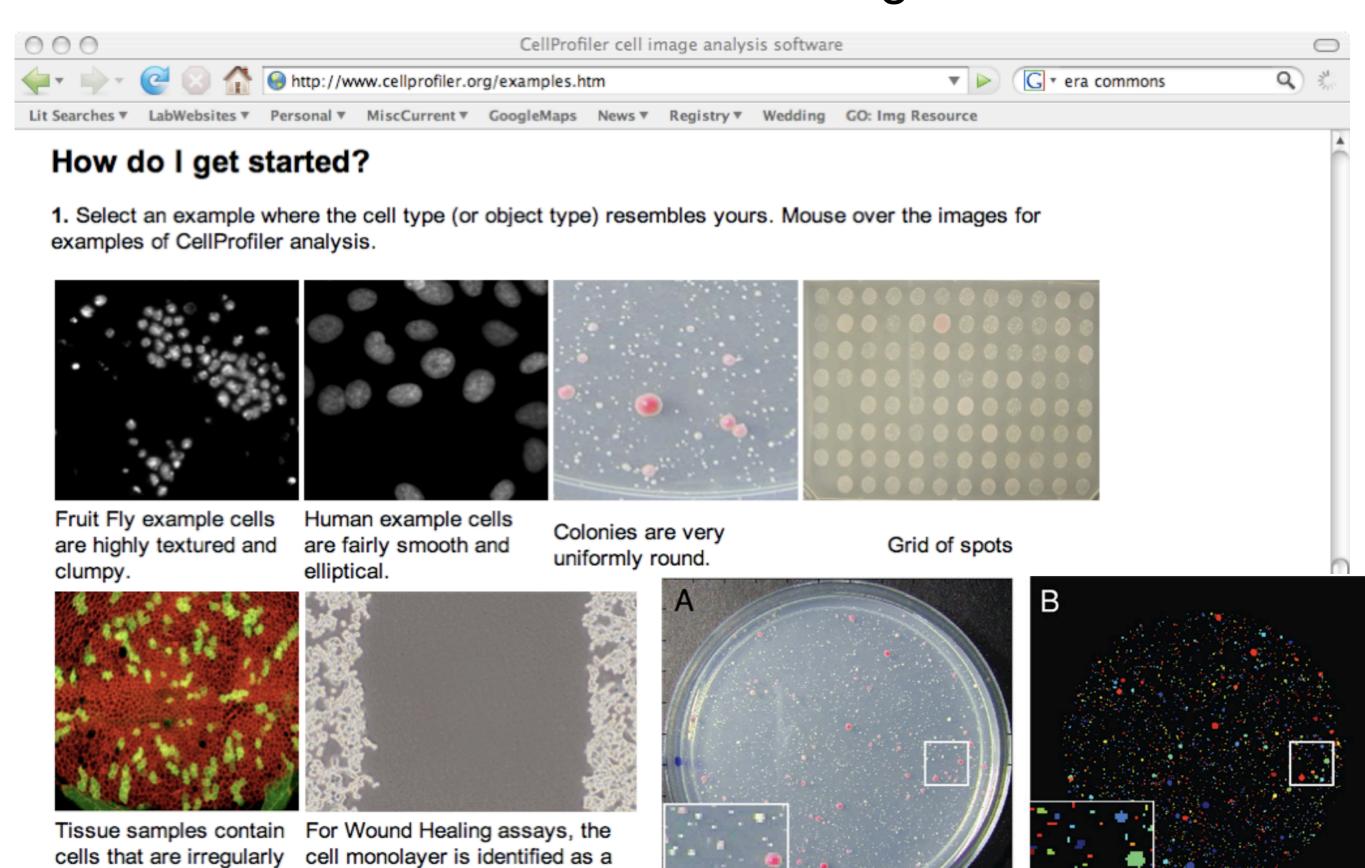
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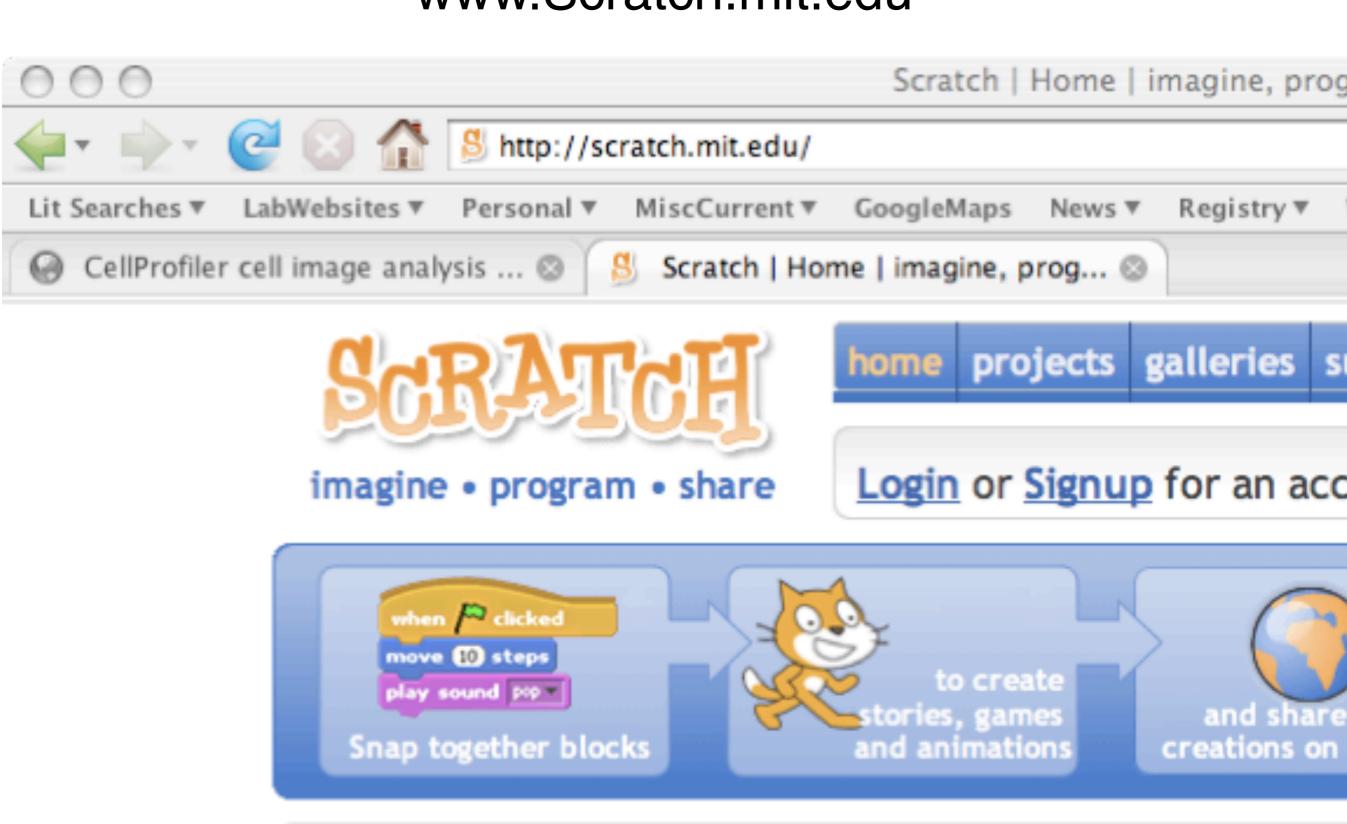
shaped with adjacent

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whole, rather than as individual

cells.

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