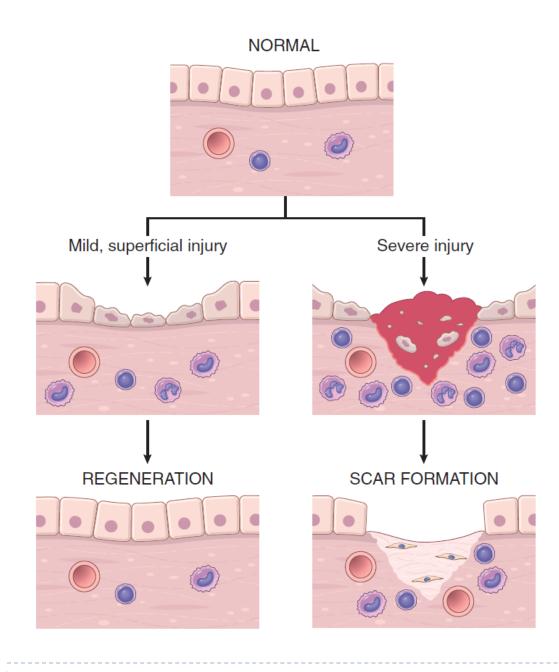


Repair

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Tissue Repair



Repair/Healing

Restoration of tissue architecture & function

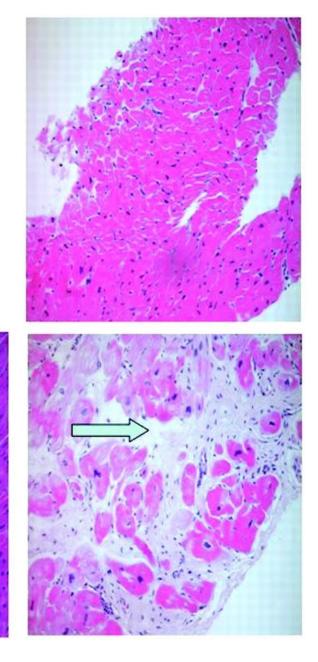
Regeneration:

- Same cell replacement
- Proliferative ability
- Function maintained
- Architecture restored

Scar formation:

- Fibrous tissue (CT) replacement
- Potential loss of function
- Architecture somewhat restored

Cardiac biopsies showing fibrosis



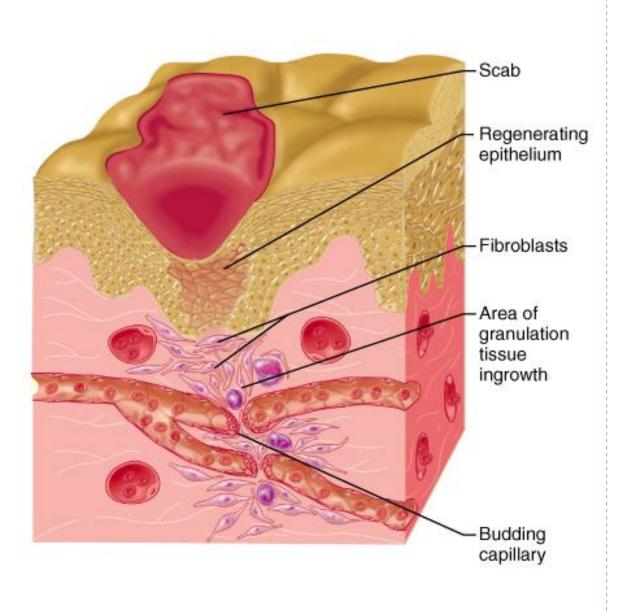
Fibrosis

Extensive deposition of collagen in organs (e.g. liver, lung, kidney, heart)

- Idiopathic
- Chronic inflammation

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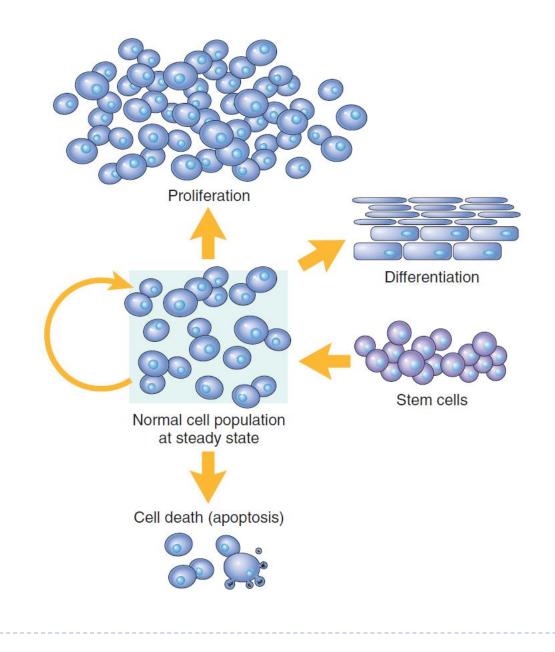
Deposition in a tissue space containing inflammatory exudate = organization



Requirements

- L. Cell proliferation
- 2. Interaction with the ECM

Cell proliferation



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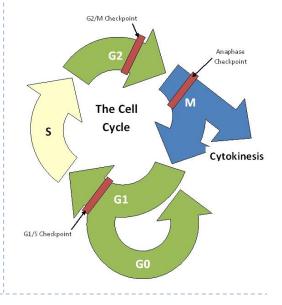
Proliferation control

Cell cycle control

Response to growth factors

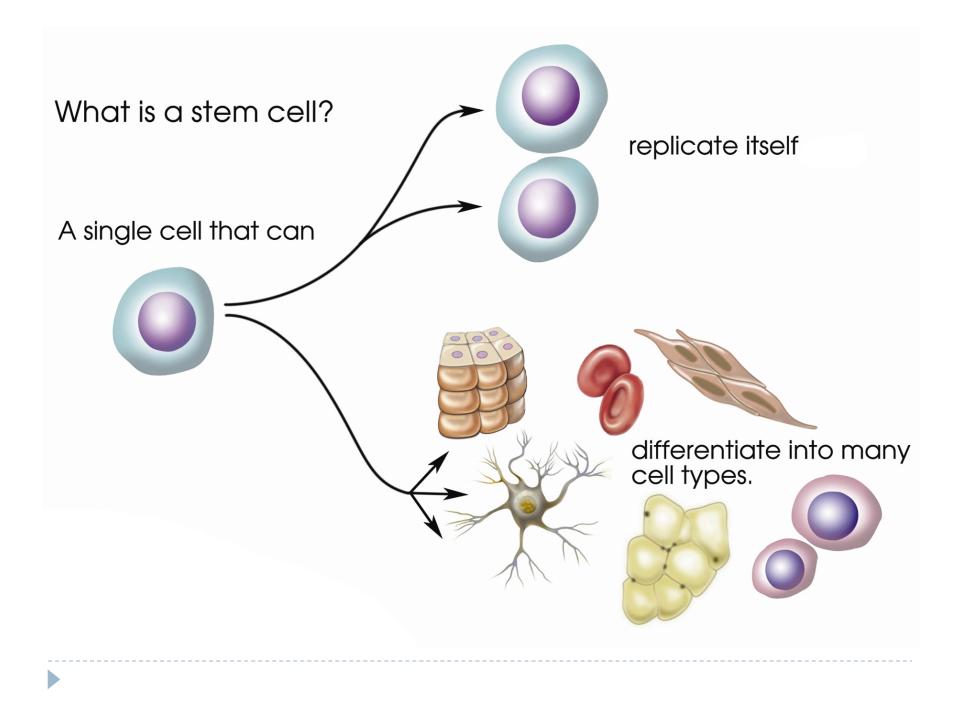
Differentiation

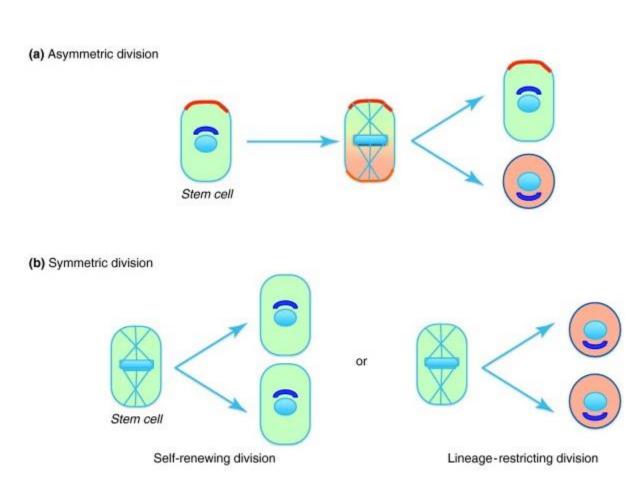
Apoptosis



Proliferation capacity

Tissue	Characteristics	Examples	%distribution
Labile	 Continuously dividing mature & stem cells Can regenerate if stem cells are intact 	BMSurface epithelia	
Stable	 Quiescent Minimal replicative activity normally Capable of proliferating if/when needed Limited regeneration capacity* 	 Solid tissue parenchyma* Endothelium Fibroblasts Smooth Muscles 	
Permanent	 Terminally differentiated and non- proliferative Limited stem cell replication and differentiation = no regeneration 	 Neurons Cardiac & skeletal muscle 	





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Stem cells

- Self Renewal
- Asymmetric replication

<u>2 types</u>:

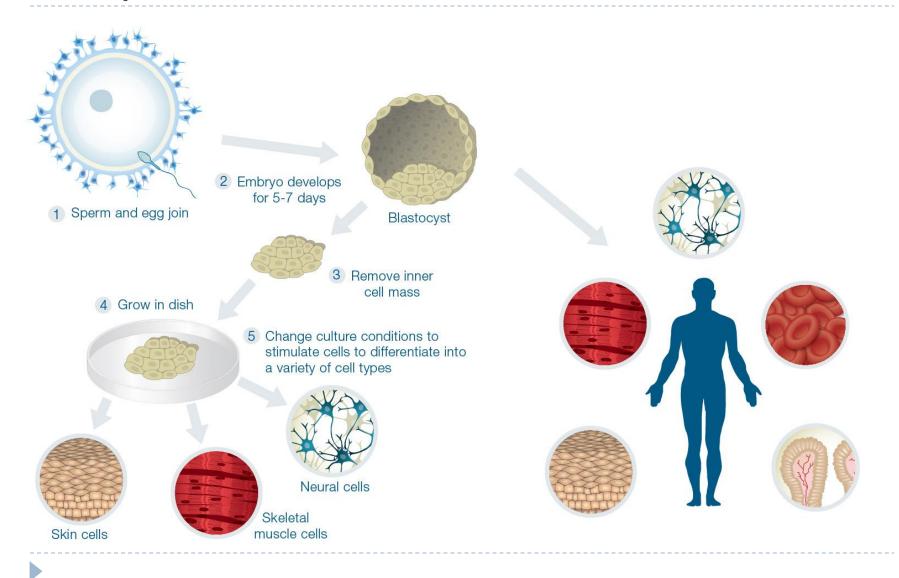
Embryonic

- Self renewal
- Unlimited differentiation
- Organism creation

Adult/Tissue

- Limited self renewal
- Limited differentiation
- Tissue homeostasis

Embryonic stem cells

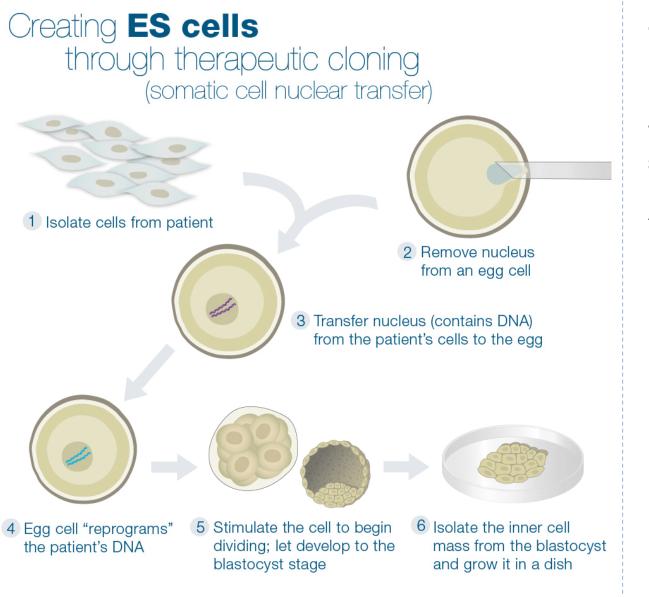


Pitfalls & Ethics of ES use

Graft rejection

Embryo destruction





Therapeutic cloning

No graft rejection

Time consuming, inefficient, and expensive

Achieved in 2013

Ethical considerations?