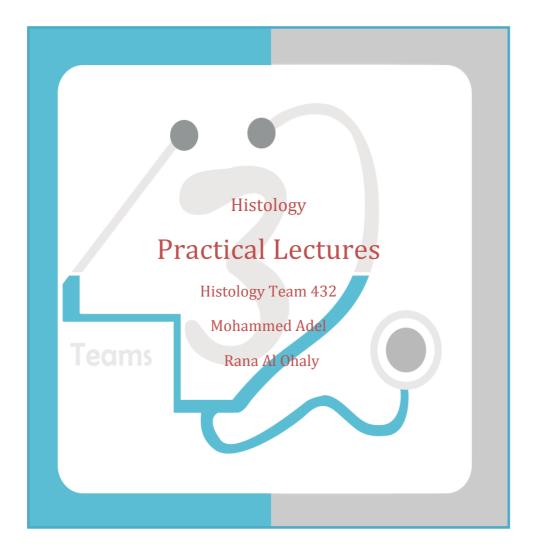
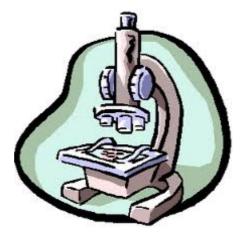


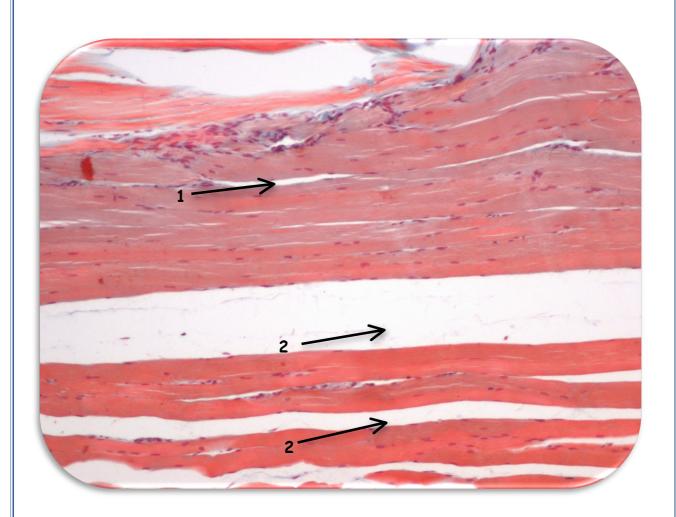
King Saud University College of Medicine Musculoskeletal Block







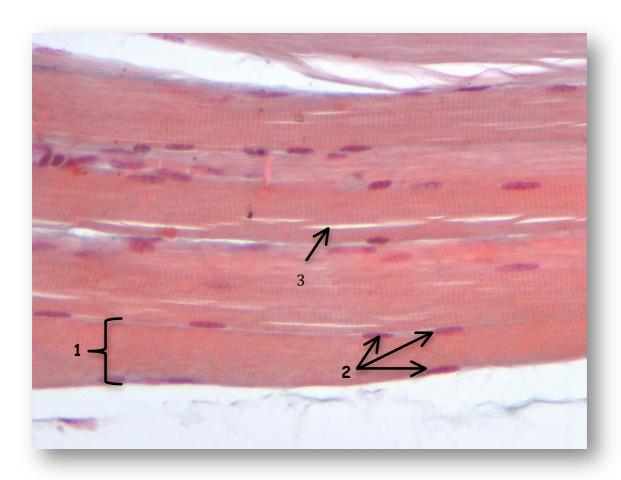
Skeletal Muscles



Feature

- 1 Endomysium (Loose C.T).
- 2- Perimysium (Dense C.T)
- Cylindrical in shape.
- Peripheral flattened nuclei

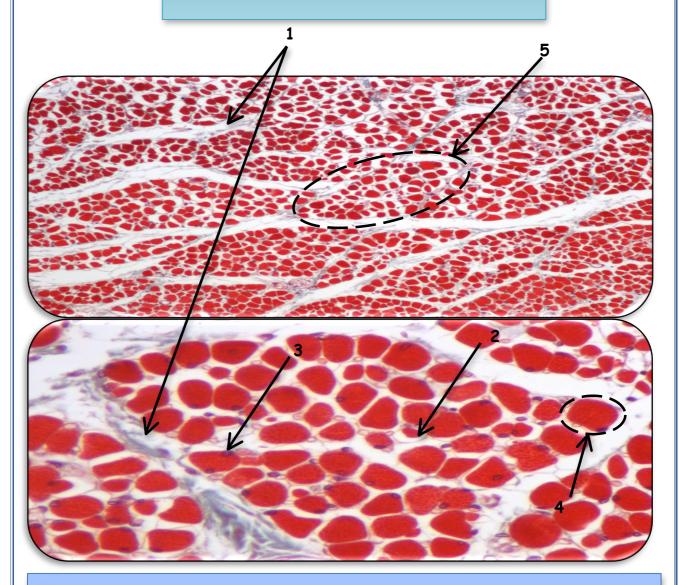
Skeletal Muscles



Feature

- 1-muscle fiber
- 2- Nuclei "peripheral, flattened, Multinucleated"
- 3- Endomysium
- Striations.

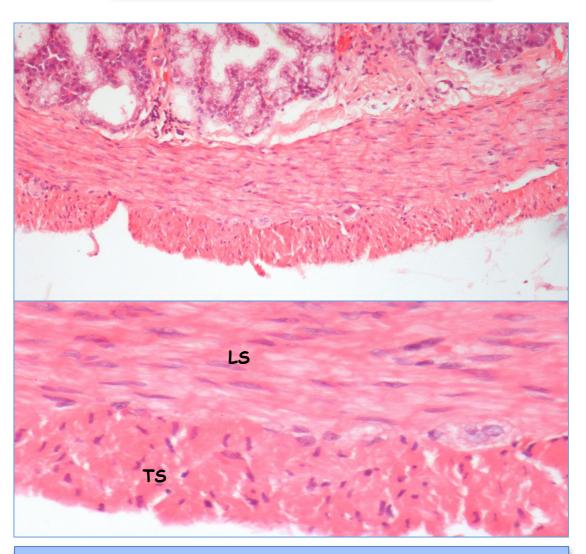
Skeletal Muscles



Feature

- 1- Perimysium.
- 2- Endomysium (C.T).
- 3- Nuclei "peripheral, flattened, Multinucleated"
- 4-muscle fiber
- 5- muscle fiber bundle

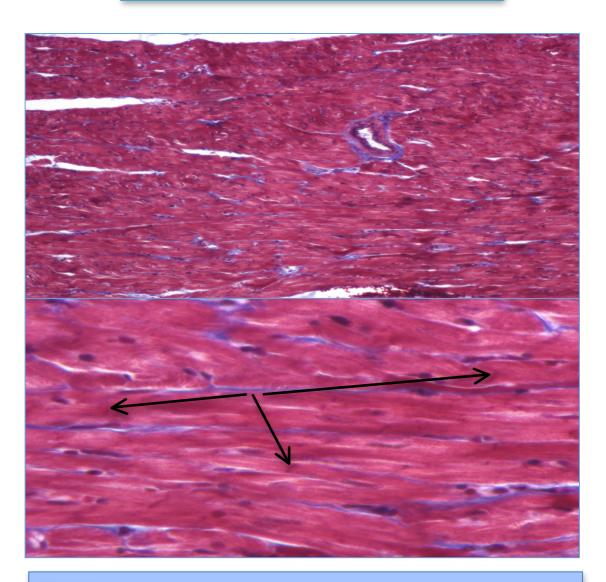
smooth Muscles



Feature:

- Mononucleated. Nuclei are oval & central
- Non-branched
- non-striated
- spindle-shaped

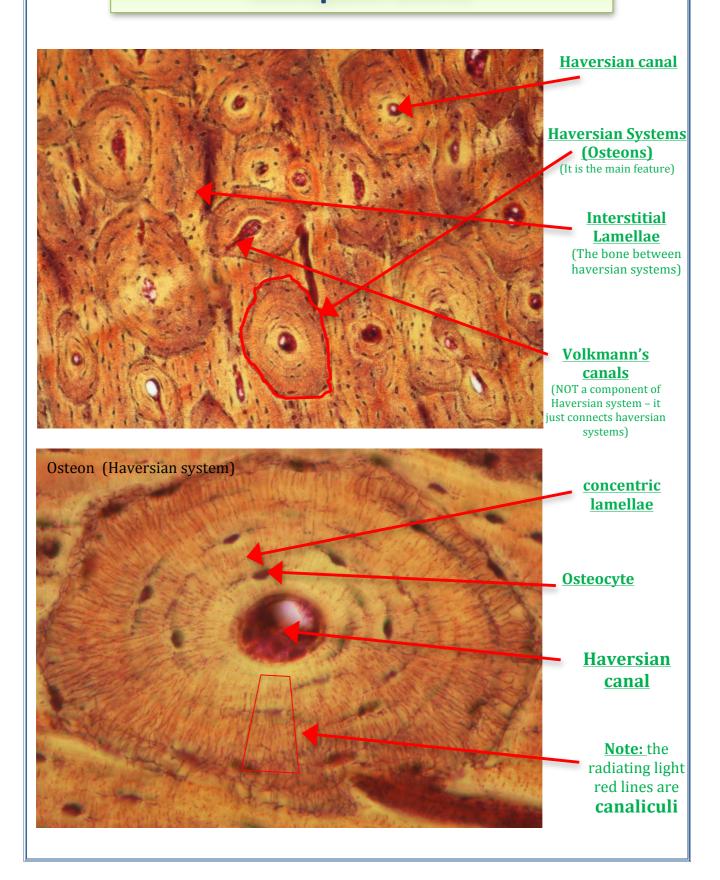
cardiac Muscles



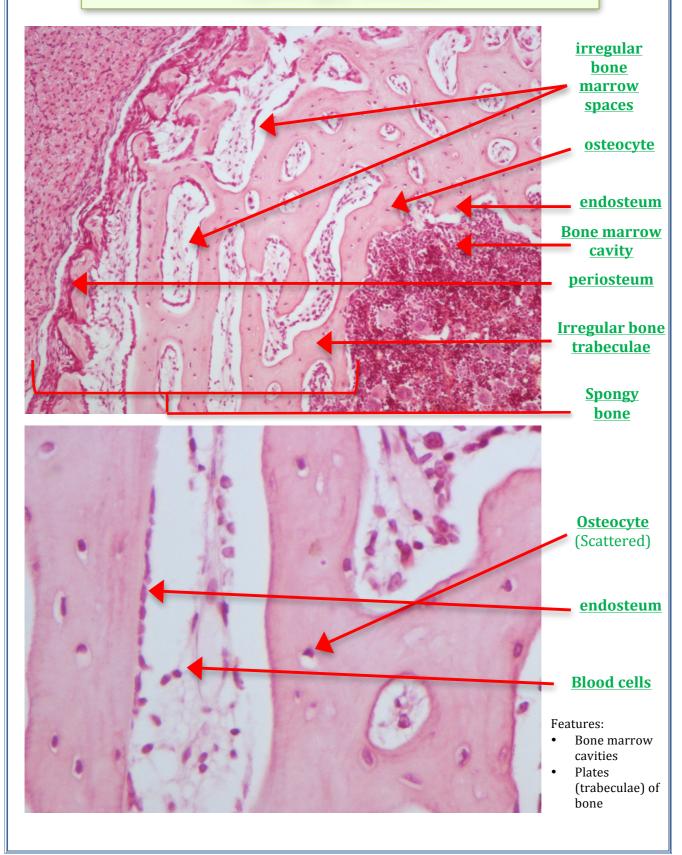
Feature:

- 1- intercalated discs.
- Mononucleated. Nuclei are oval & central n position.
- Branch and anastomose
- non-clear striations
- Cylindrical in shape.
- Note: the blue lines are loose C.T.

Compact Bone



Spongy Bone



Cartilage

- > Cartilage is a specialized type of C.T. with a rigid جامد matrix.
- > Cartilage is usually nonvascular (avascular).
- **>** 3 Types:
 - ✓ Hyaline cartilage.
 - ✓ Elastic cartilage.
 - ✓ Fibrocartilage.

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Note:
Staining
Muscle = acidophilic
Bone = acidophilic
Cartilage = Basophilic
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Hyaline Cartilage

1- Perichondrium

- Vascular C.T.membrane formed of2 layers:
- Outer fibrous layer: dense fibrous C.T.
- Inner chondrogeniclayer:containschondroblasts

(no lacunae).



Notes:

Main component of Hyaline cartilage:

- Collagen type II
- Chondrocytes are within lacunae and can divide

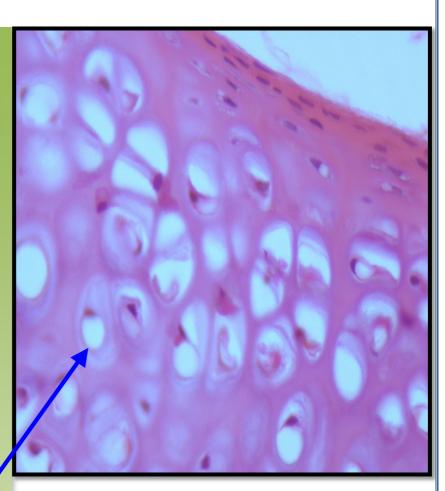
Comparison:

Chondrocytes	Osteocytes
In lacunae	
No canaliculi	Has canaliculi

Hyaline Cartilage

2- Cells (Chondrocytes):

- Found in spaces called lacunae.
- Young chondrocytes: are small & present singly in their lacunae.
- chondrocytes:
 are large, and are
 found singly or in
 groups of 2, 4 or 8
 cells in their
 lacunae (cell nests).



Main feature:

Homogenous ground substance

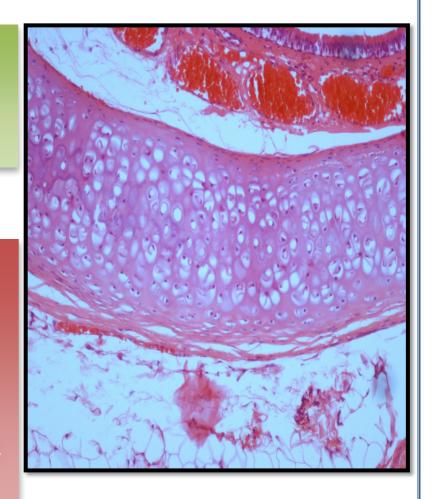
Hyaline Cartilage

3- Matrix:

- Homogeneous and basophilic.
- > Contains collagen type II

Sites of hyaline cartilage:

- > Foetal skeleton.
- > Costal cartilages.
- > Articular surfaces of bones.
- > Nose, trachea & bronchi.



Note:

Division of Chondrocytes in lacunae = Interstitial growth Division of chondroblasts = Appositional growth

Elastic Cartilage

Similar to hyaline cartilage

- + <u>elastic fibres</u> in the matrix
- ."(to give it elasticity)"
 (don't forget it also has collagen type II)

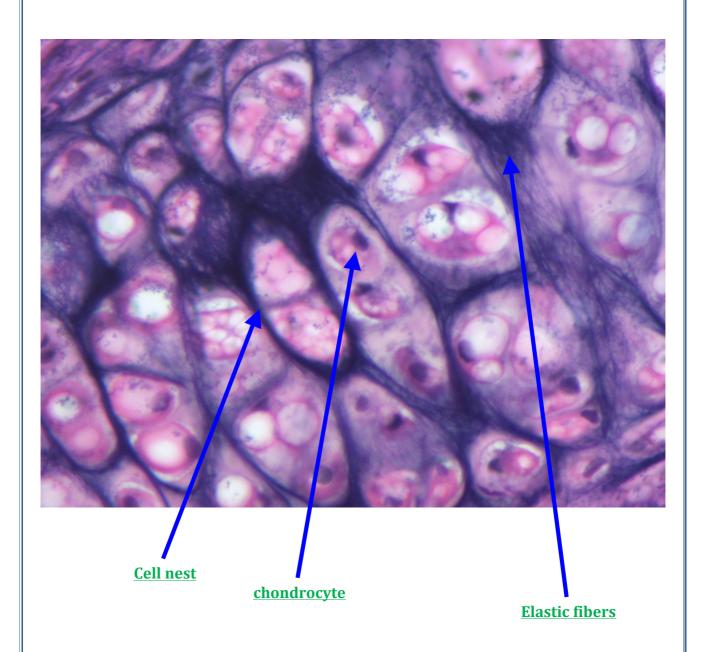
Sites:

External ear (ear pinna).
Epiglottis.



perichondrium

Elastic Cartilage



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