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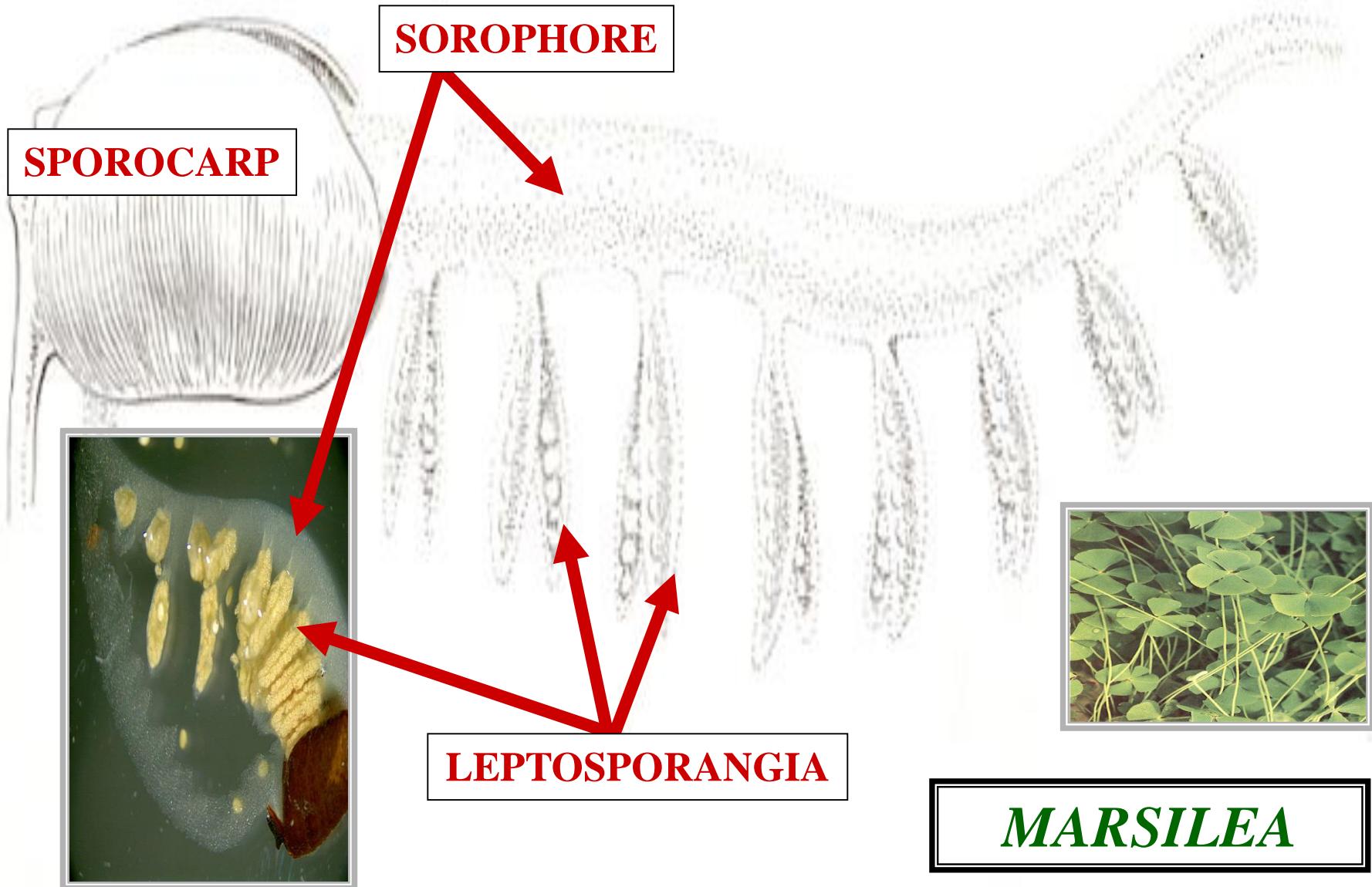
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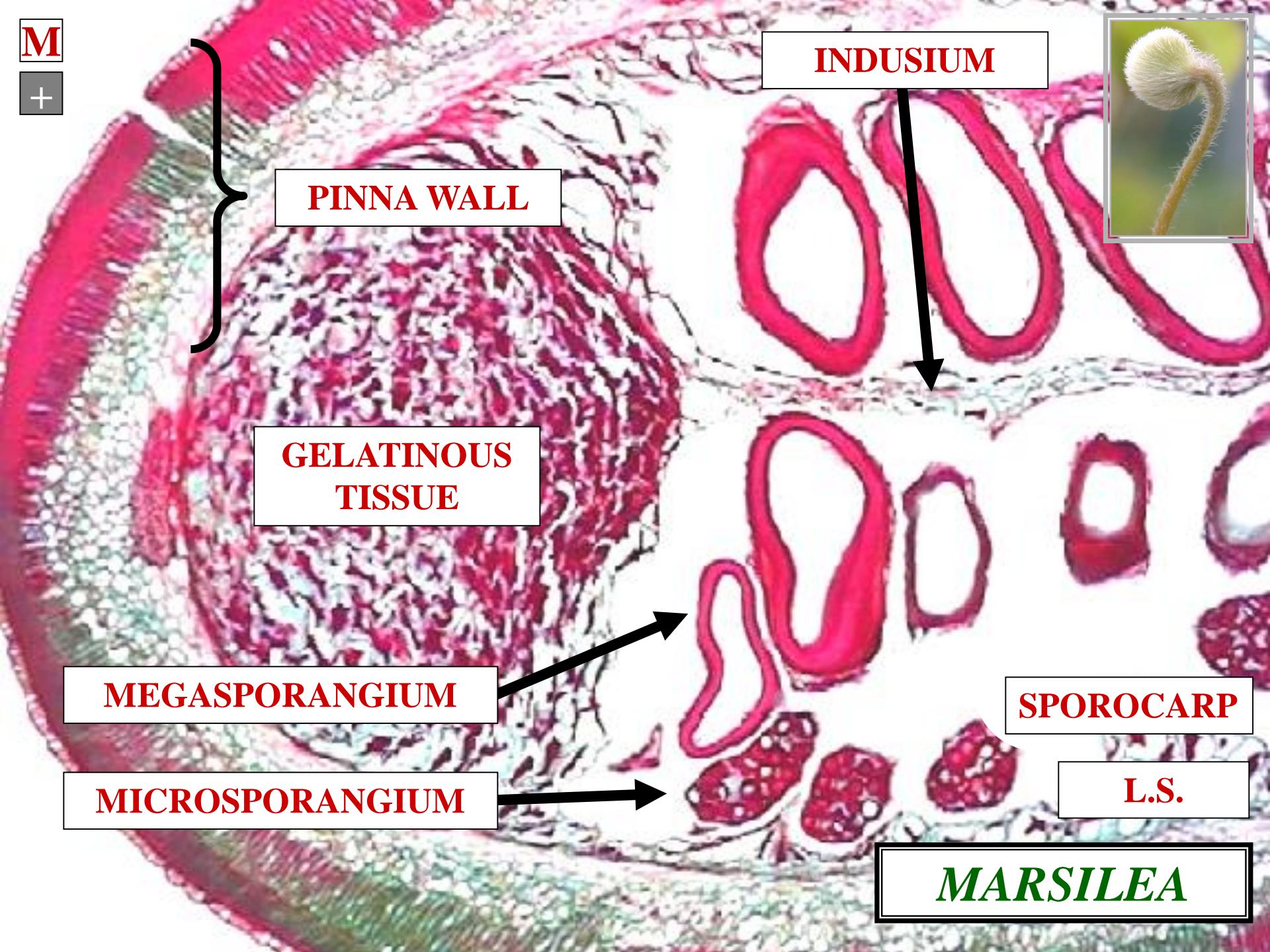
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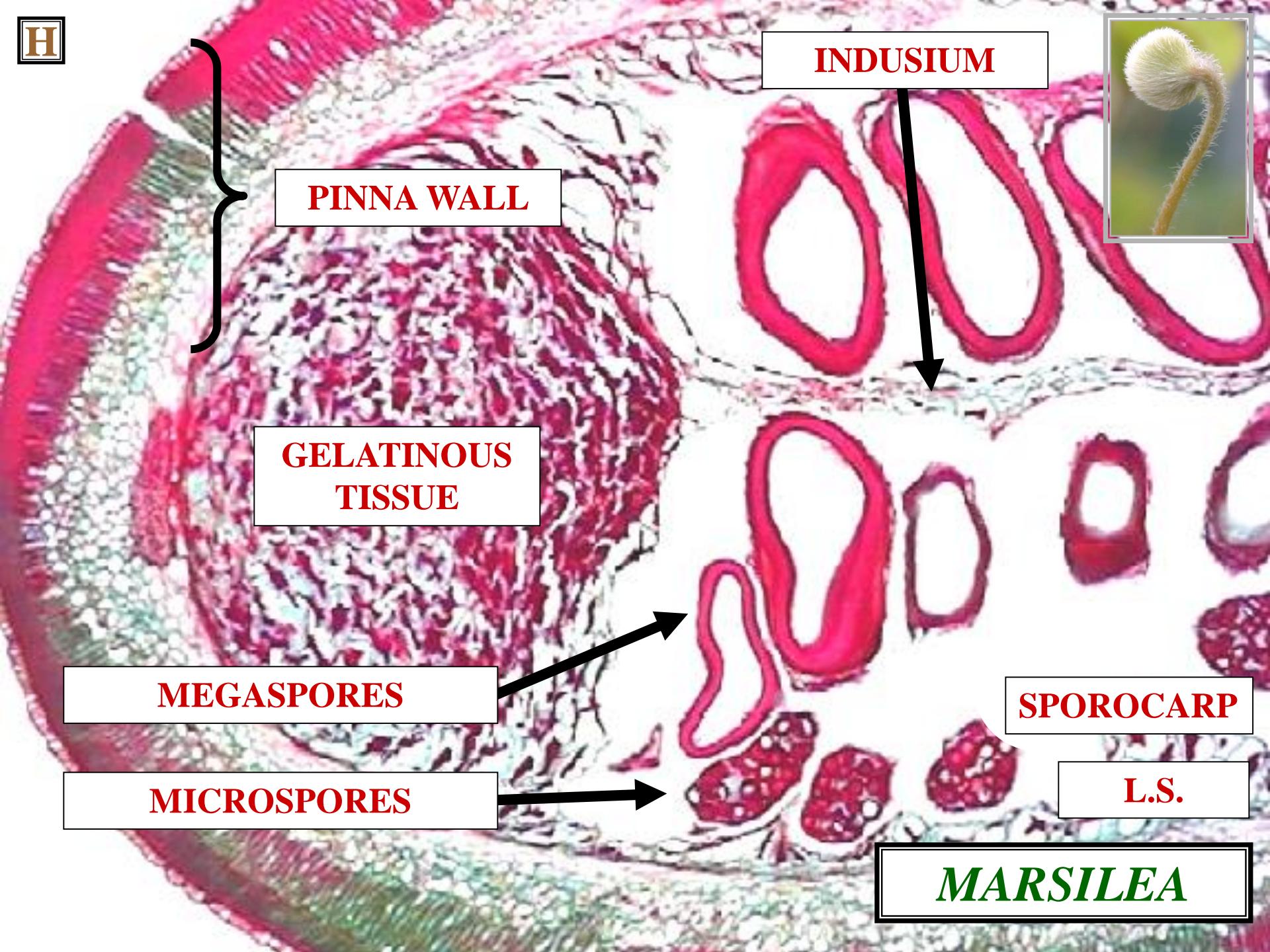


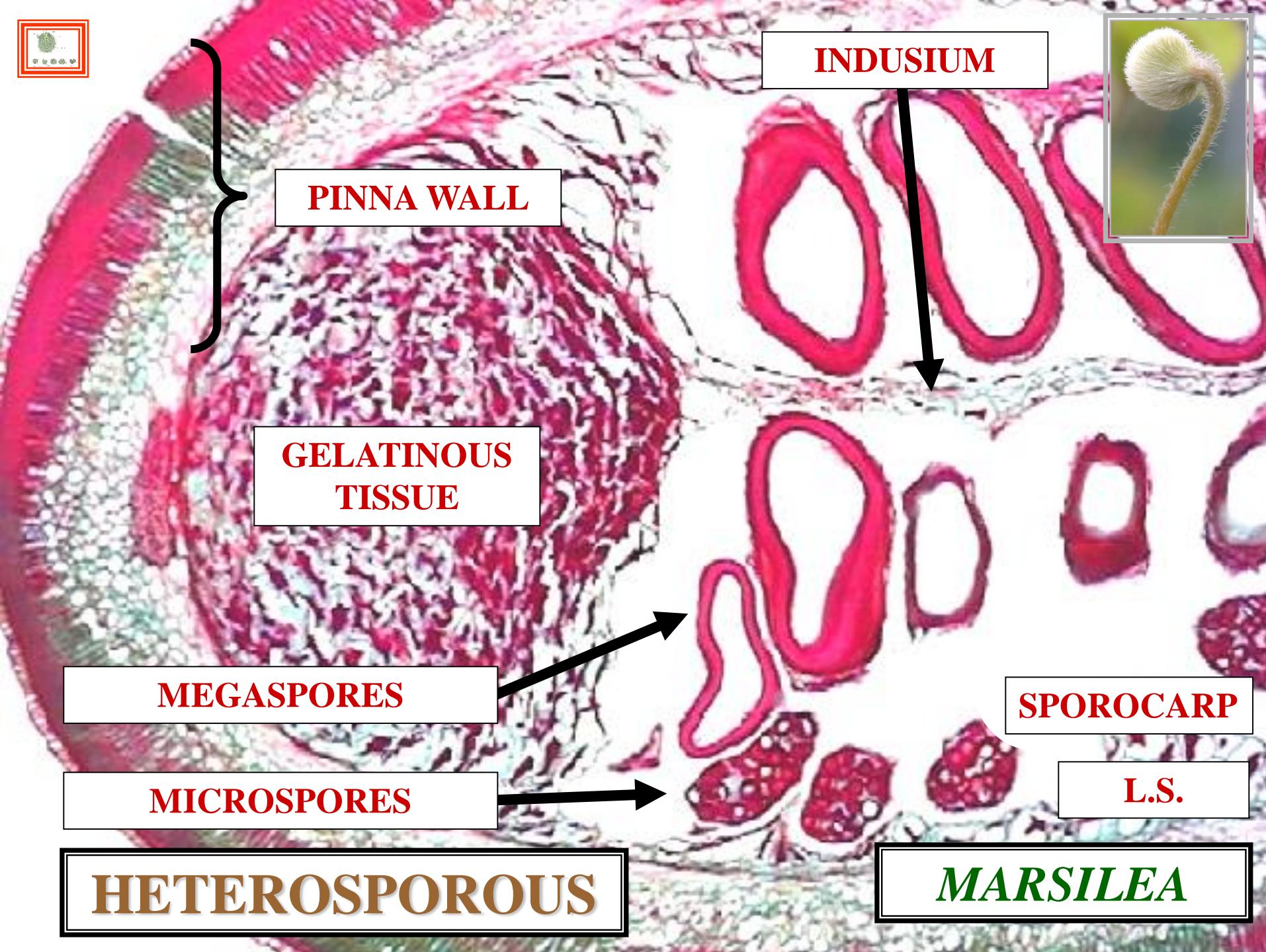
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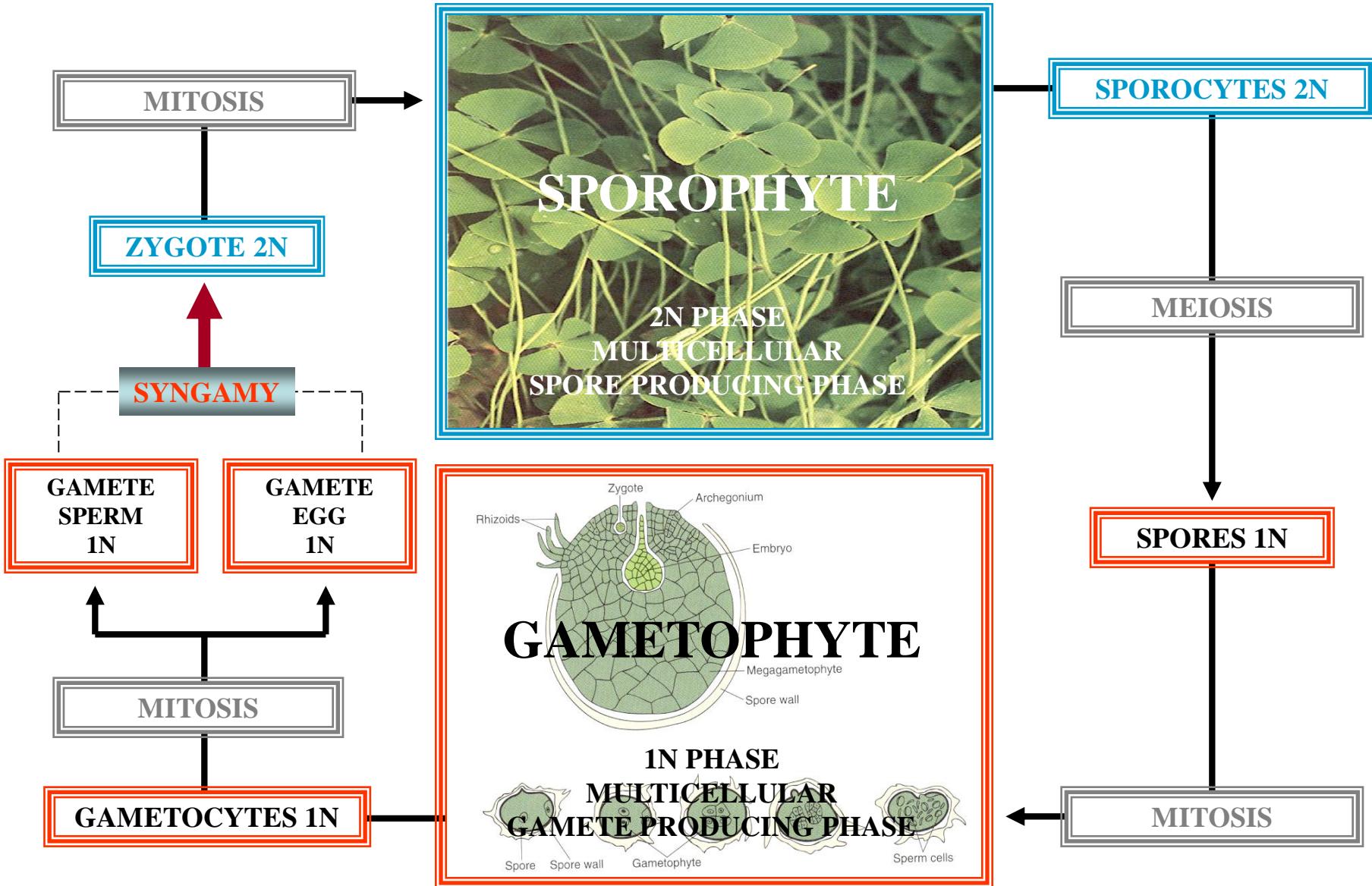
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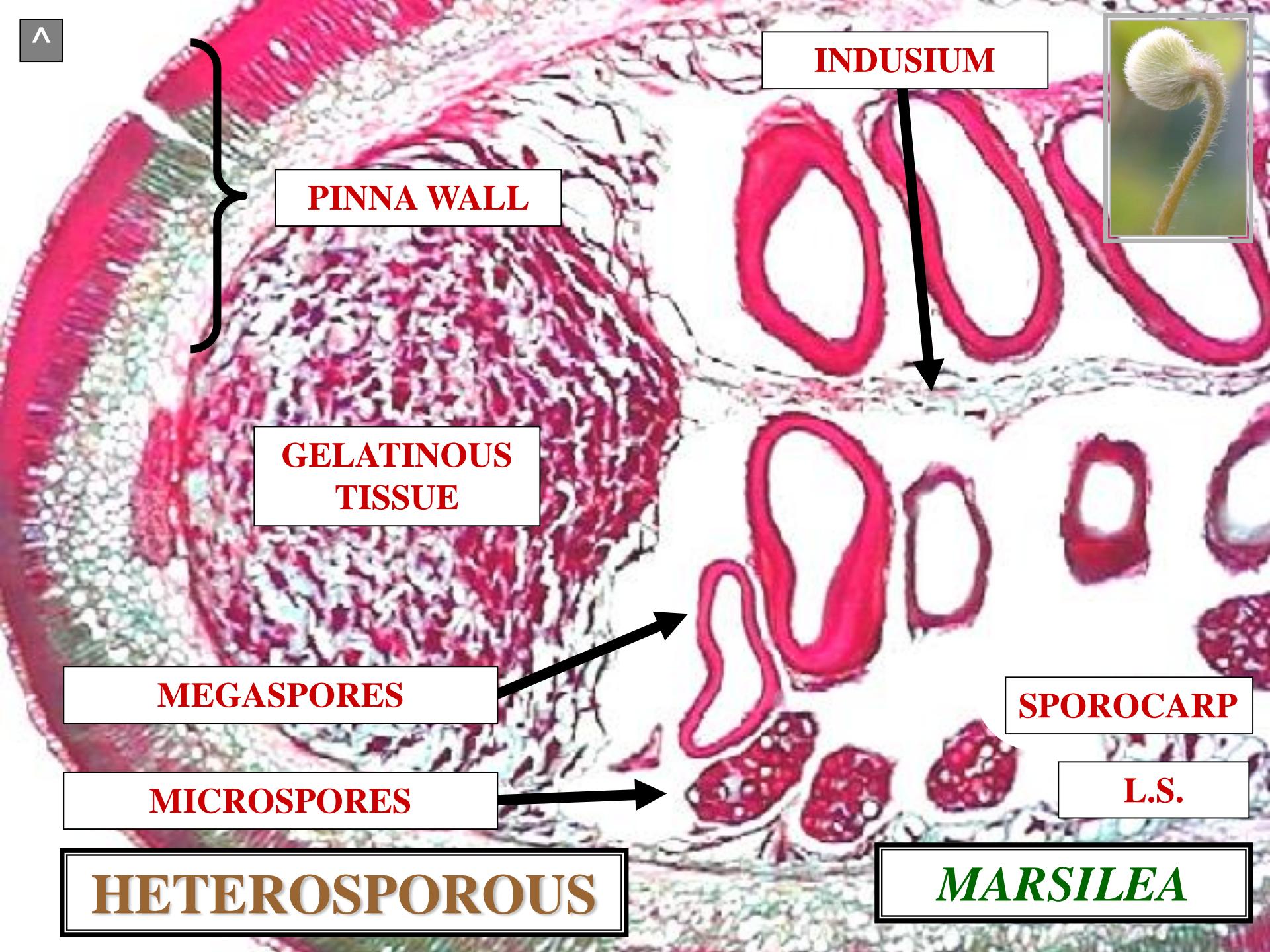
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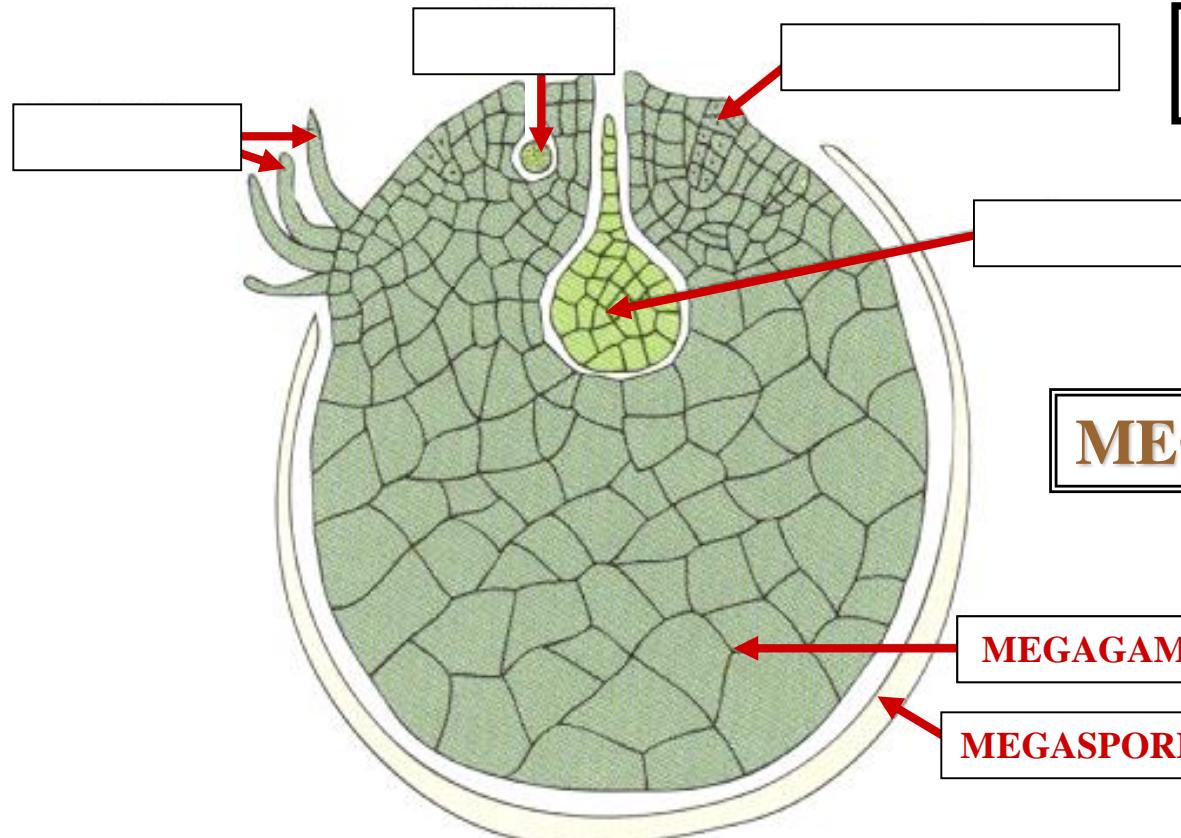
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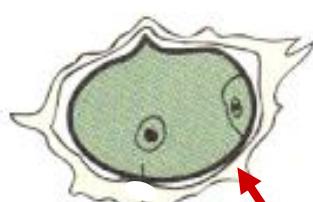
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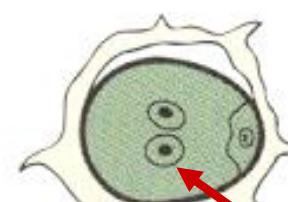
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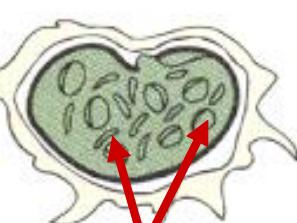
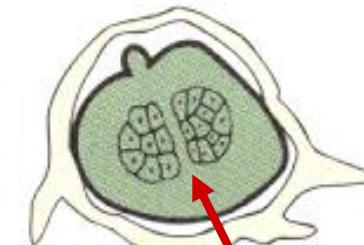
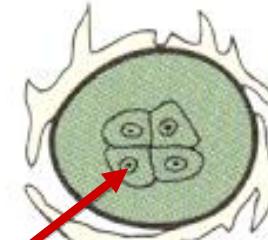
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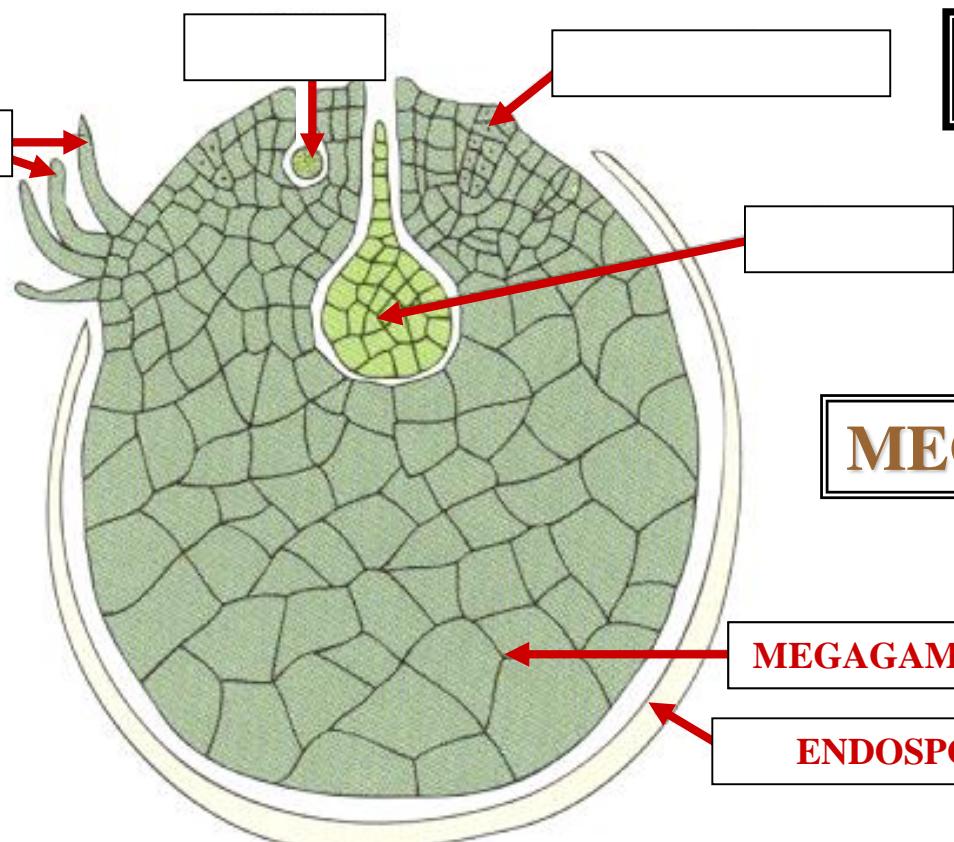


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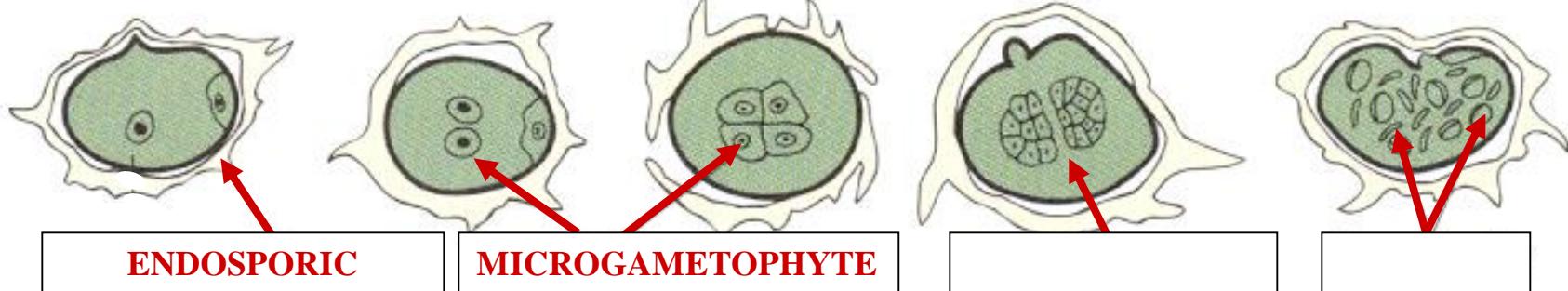
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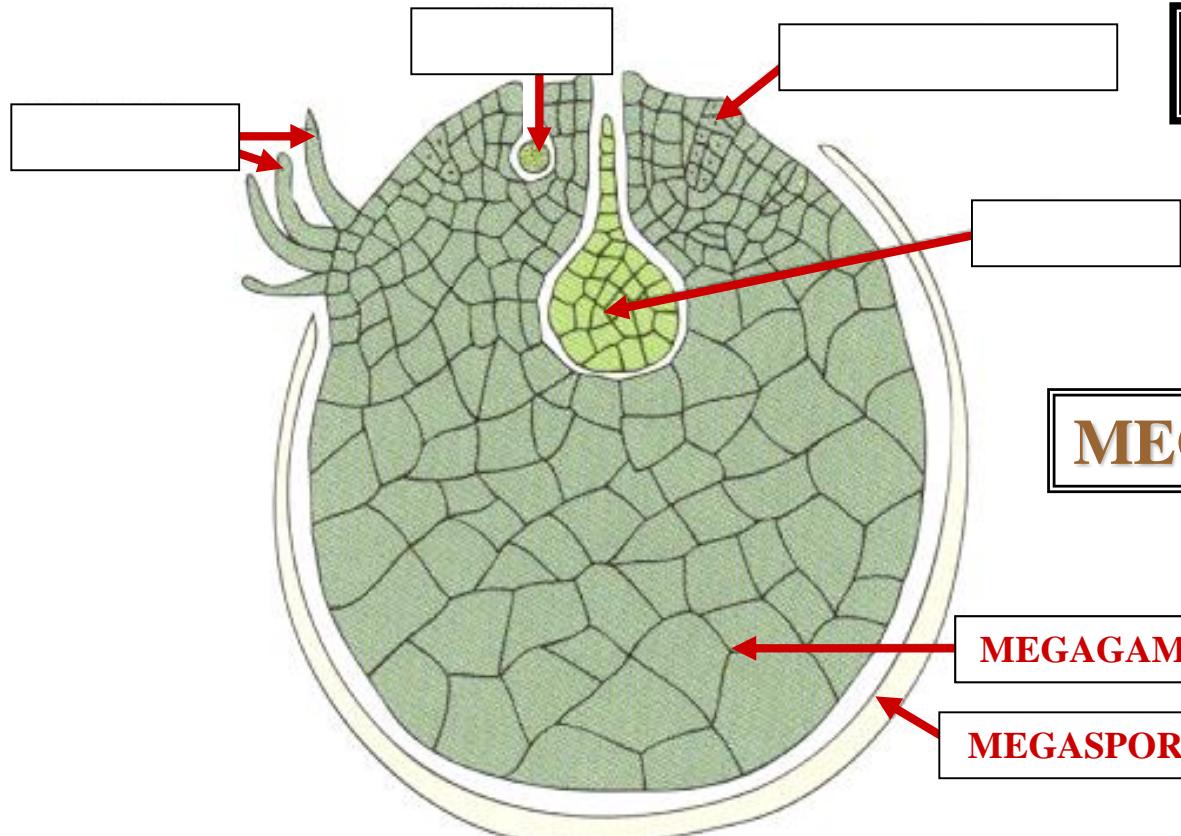


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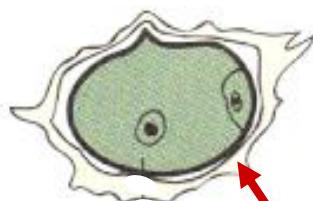
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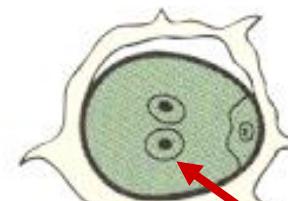
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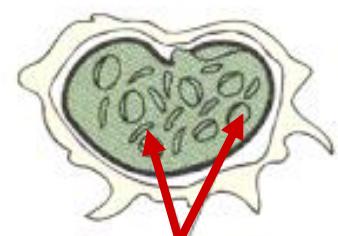
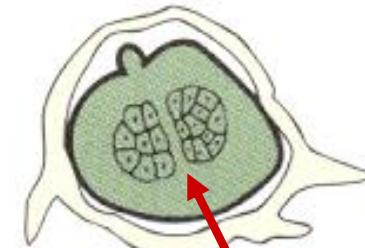


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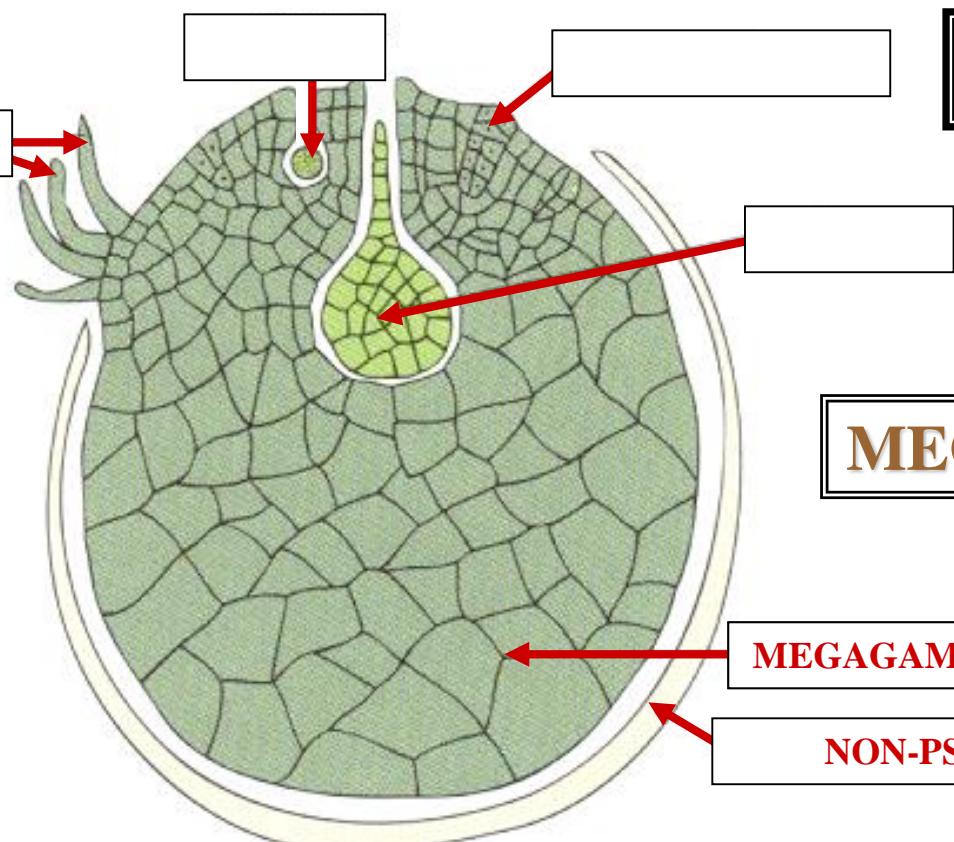
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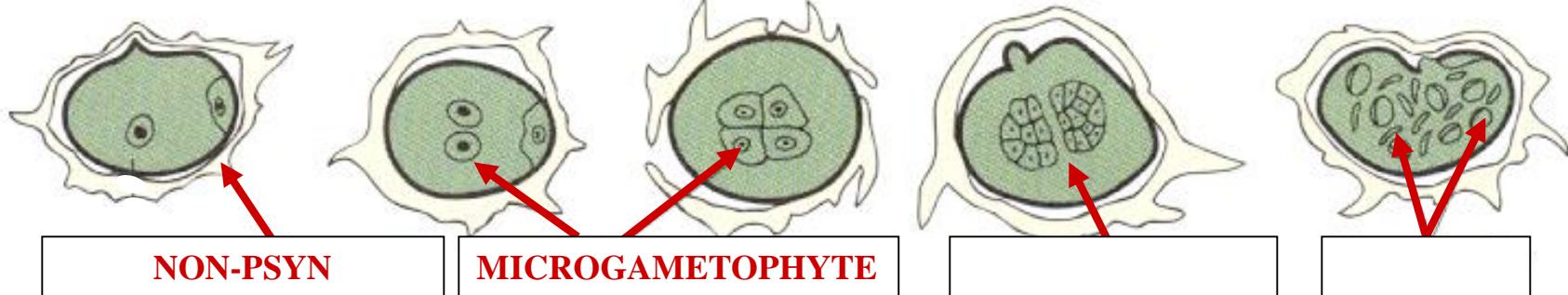
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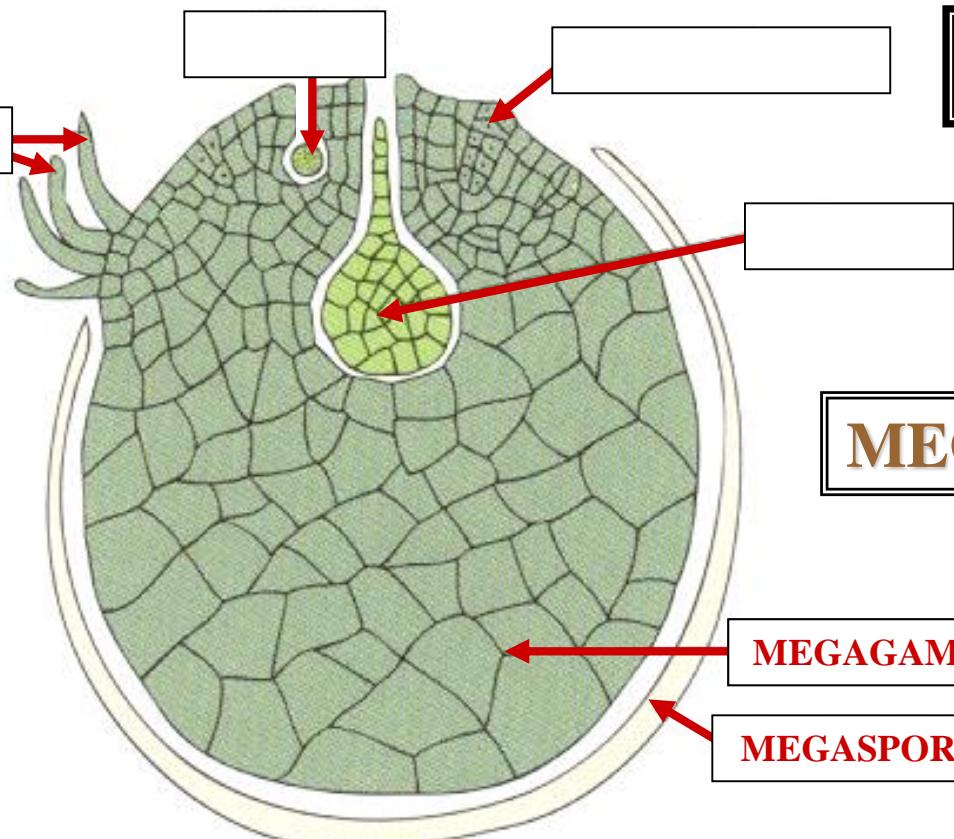
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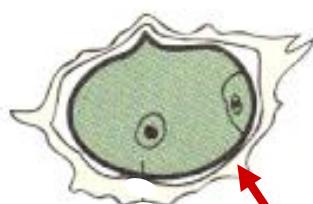


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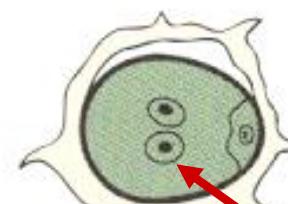
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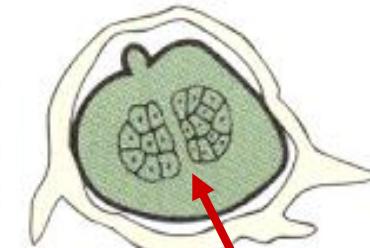


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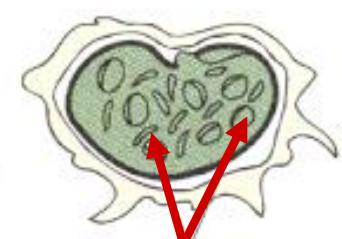


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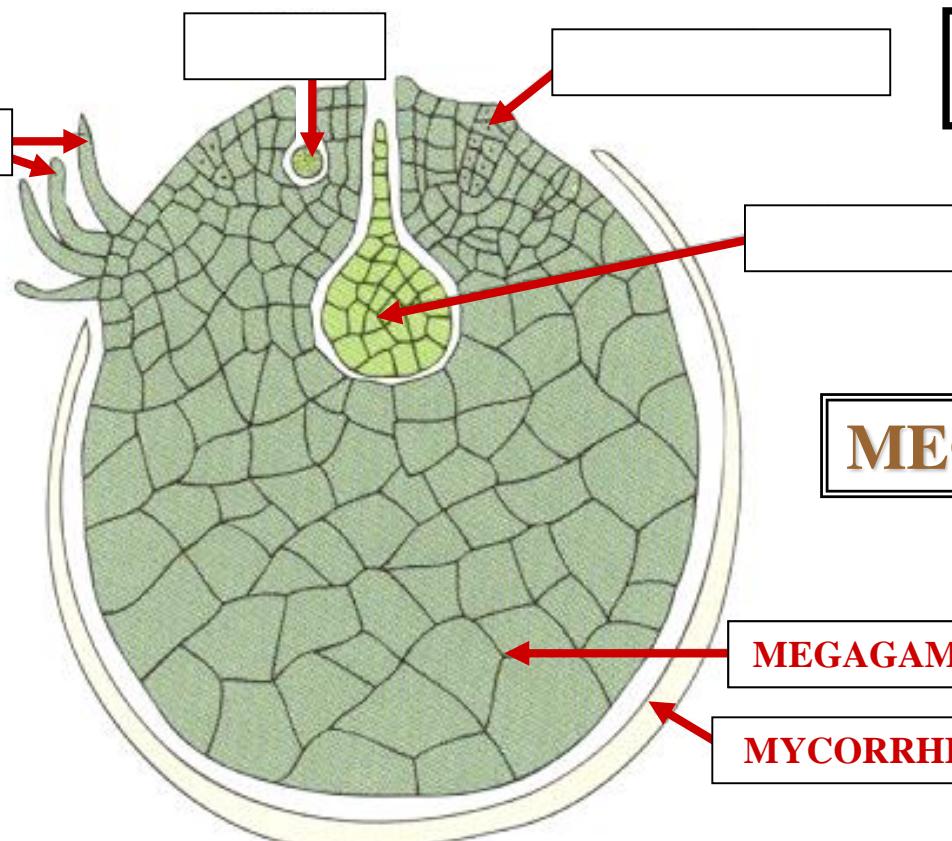
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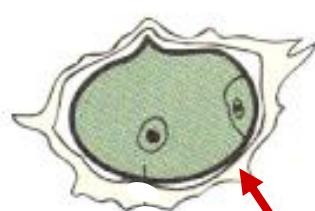
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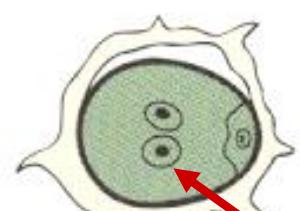


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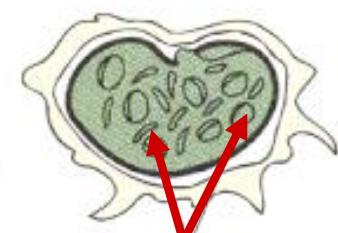
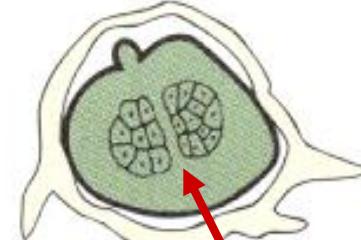
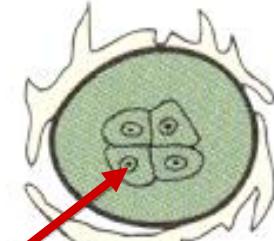
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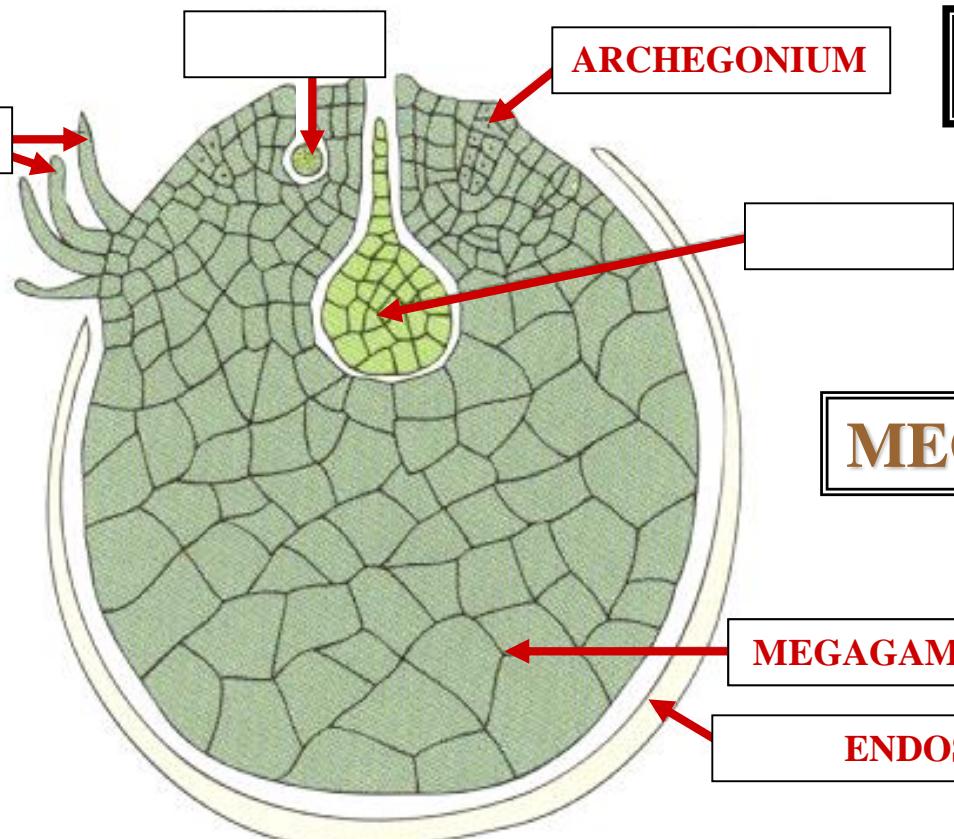


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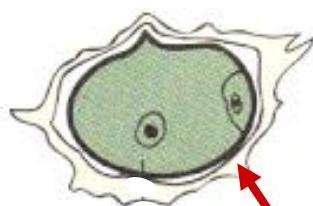
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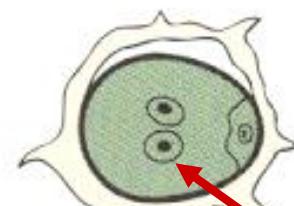
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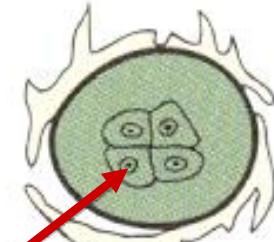
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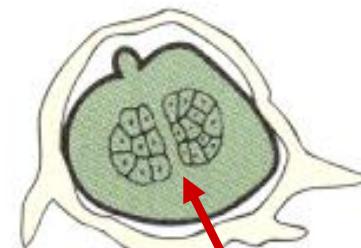
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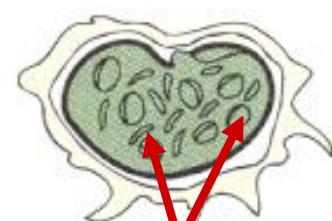
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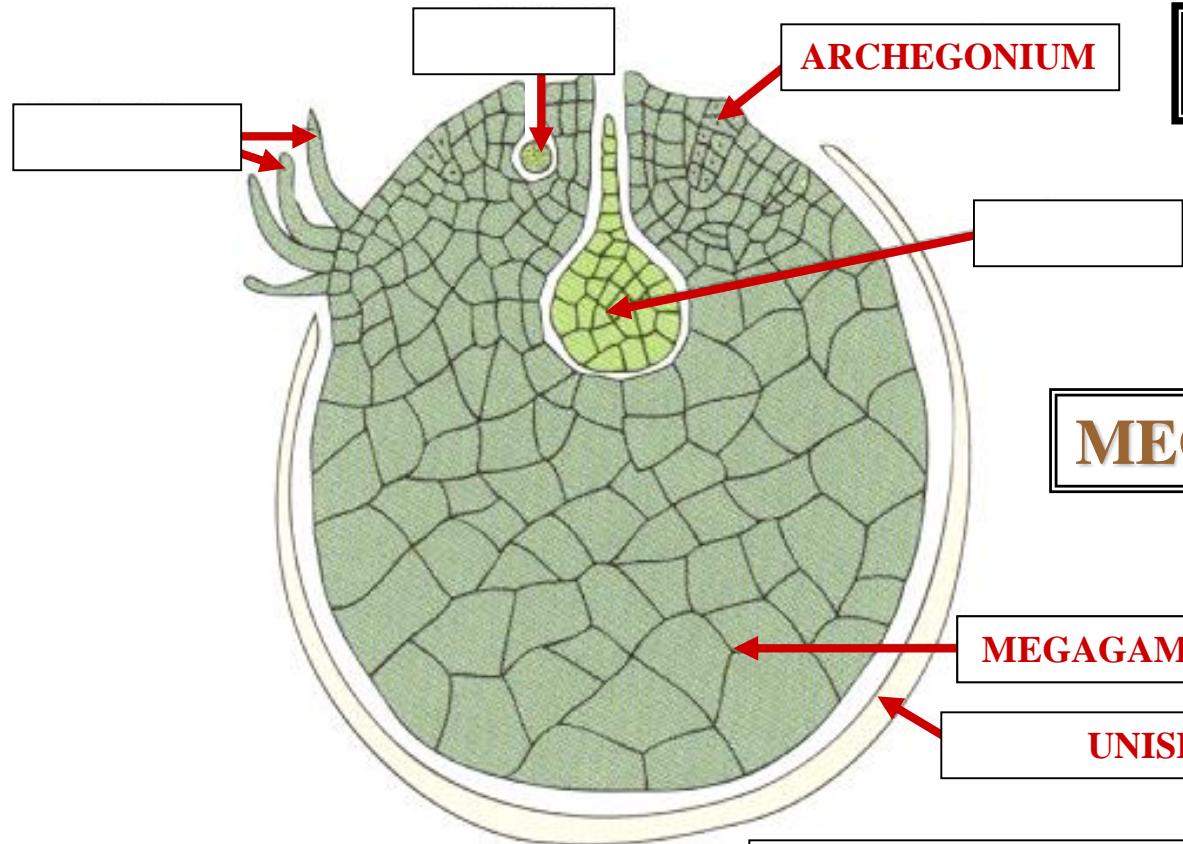
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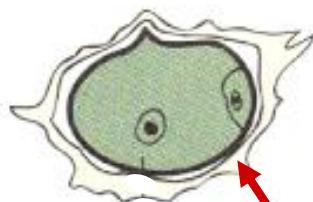


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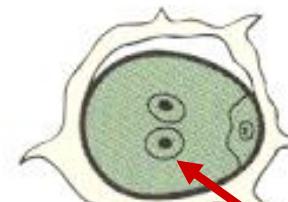


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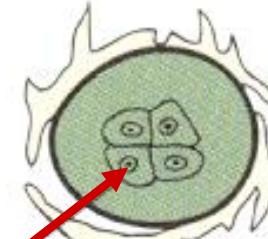
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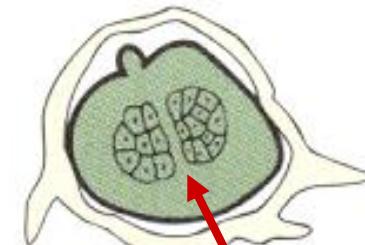
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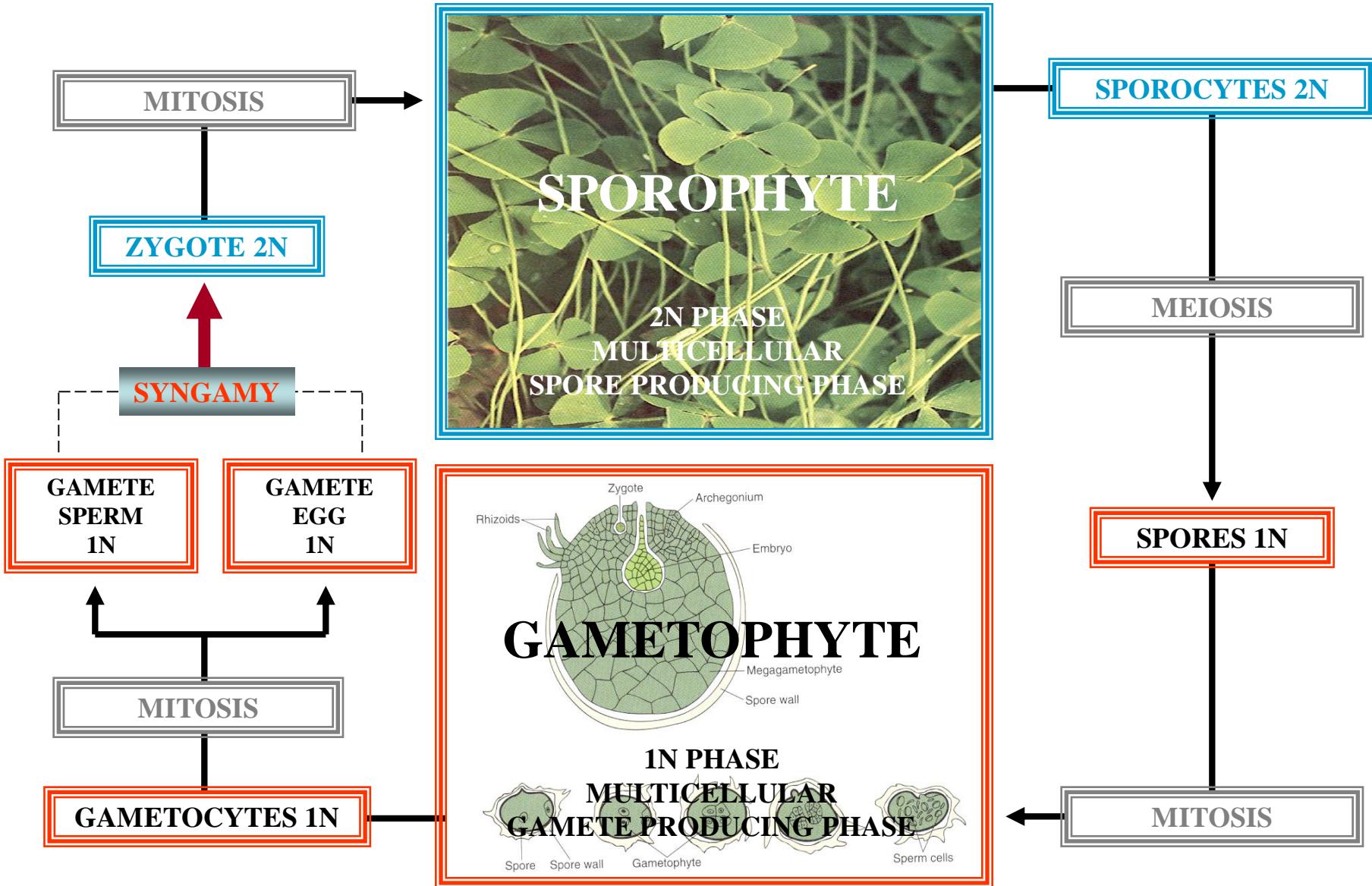


ANTHERIDIUM



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LIFE CYCLE



PTERIDOPHYTA CLASSIFICATION

ALABAMA
TRACHEOPHYTE

SALVINIALES

ALABAMA
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COMMON NAME

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ALABAMA LAKE OR ALABAMA POND



WATER FERNS

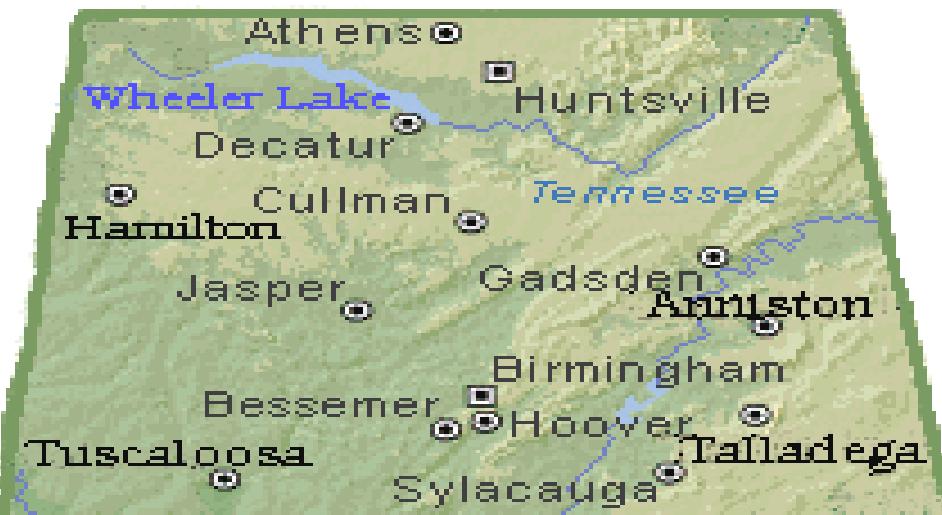


DIVERSITY



~17 SPECIES

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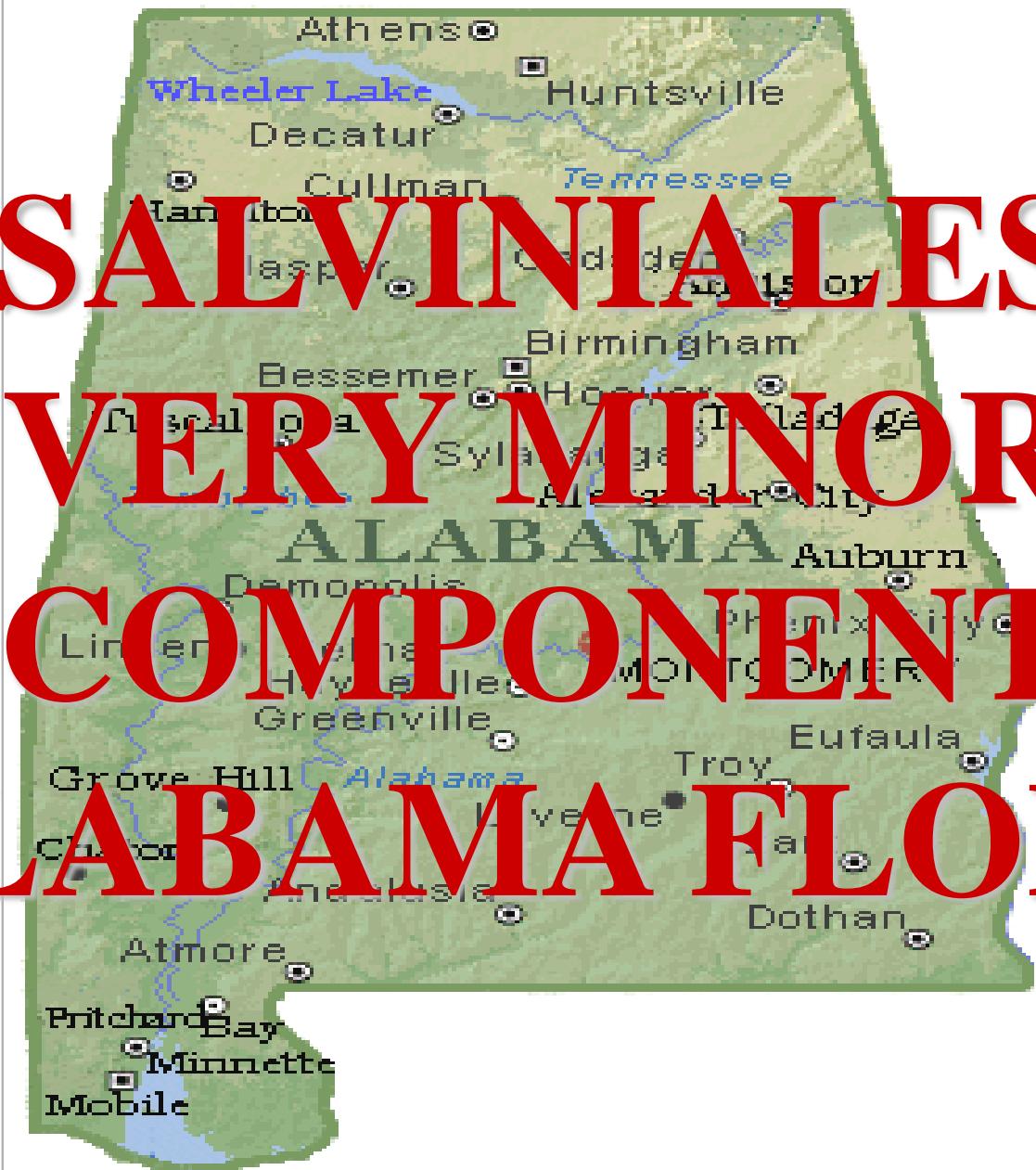


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SALVINIALES VERY MINOR COMPONENT ALABAMA FLORA



REPRESENTATIVE GENERA

A close-up photograph of numerous small, round, green leaves, likely from a aquatic plant like duckweed. The leaves are densely packed and glistening with numerous small water droplets. The background is dark, making the bright green leaves stand out.

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A close-up photograph of a dense cluster of green, heart-shaped leaves of the aquatic plant Salvinia. The leaves are covered in numerous small, clear water droplets, which glisten against the dark green background. The leaves overlap each other, creating a textured, layered appearance.

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ALABAMA LAKE OR ALABAMA POND

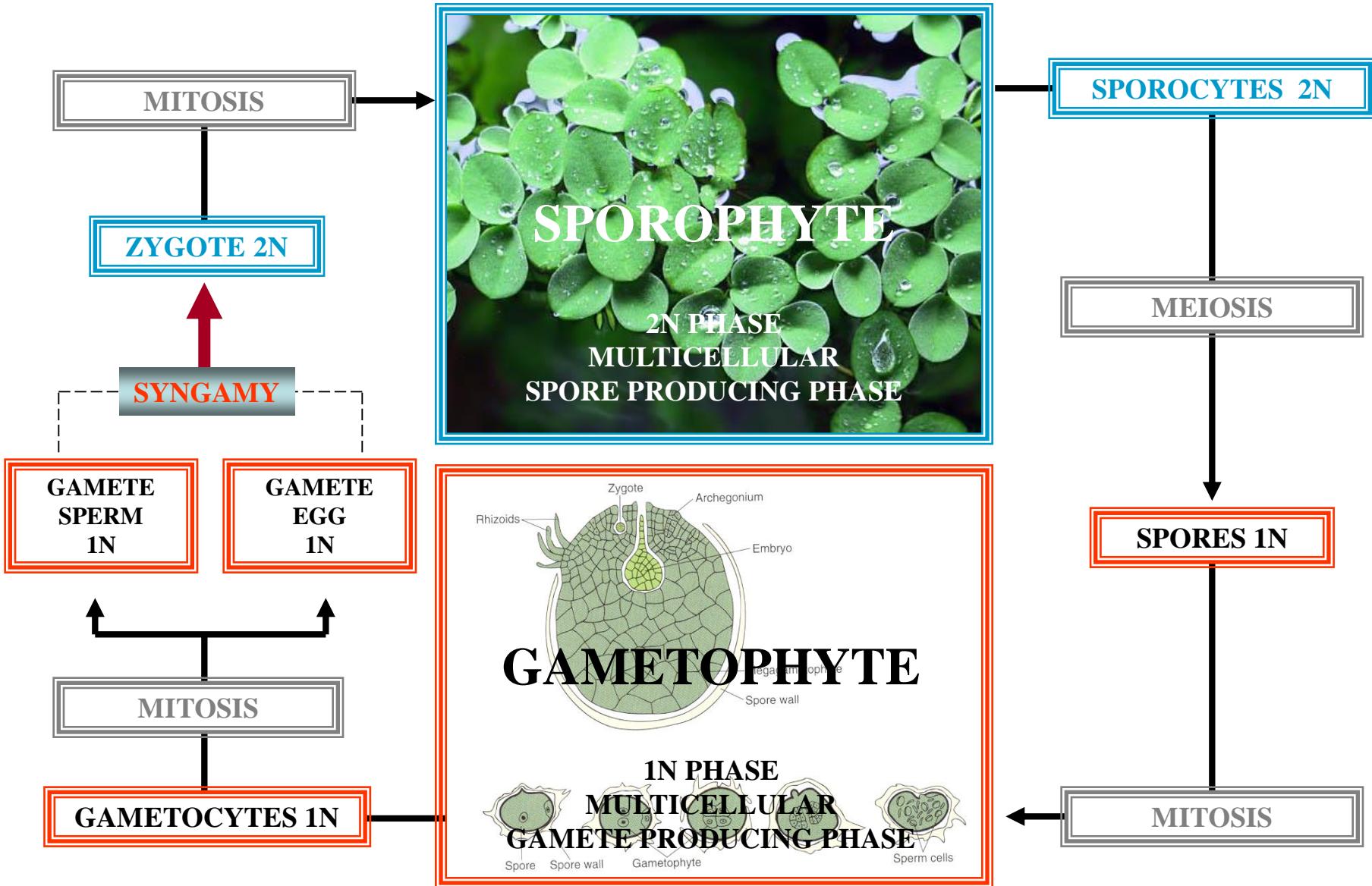


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GENERAL CHARACTERS

SALVINIALES LIFE CYCLE



SPOROPHYTE CHARACTERS



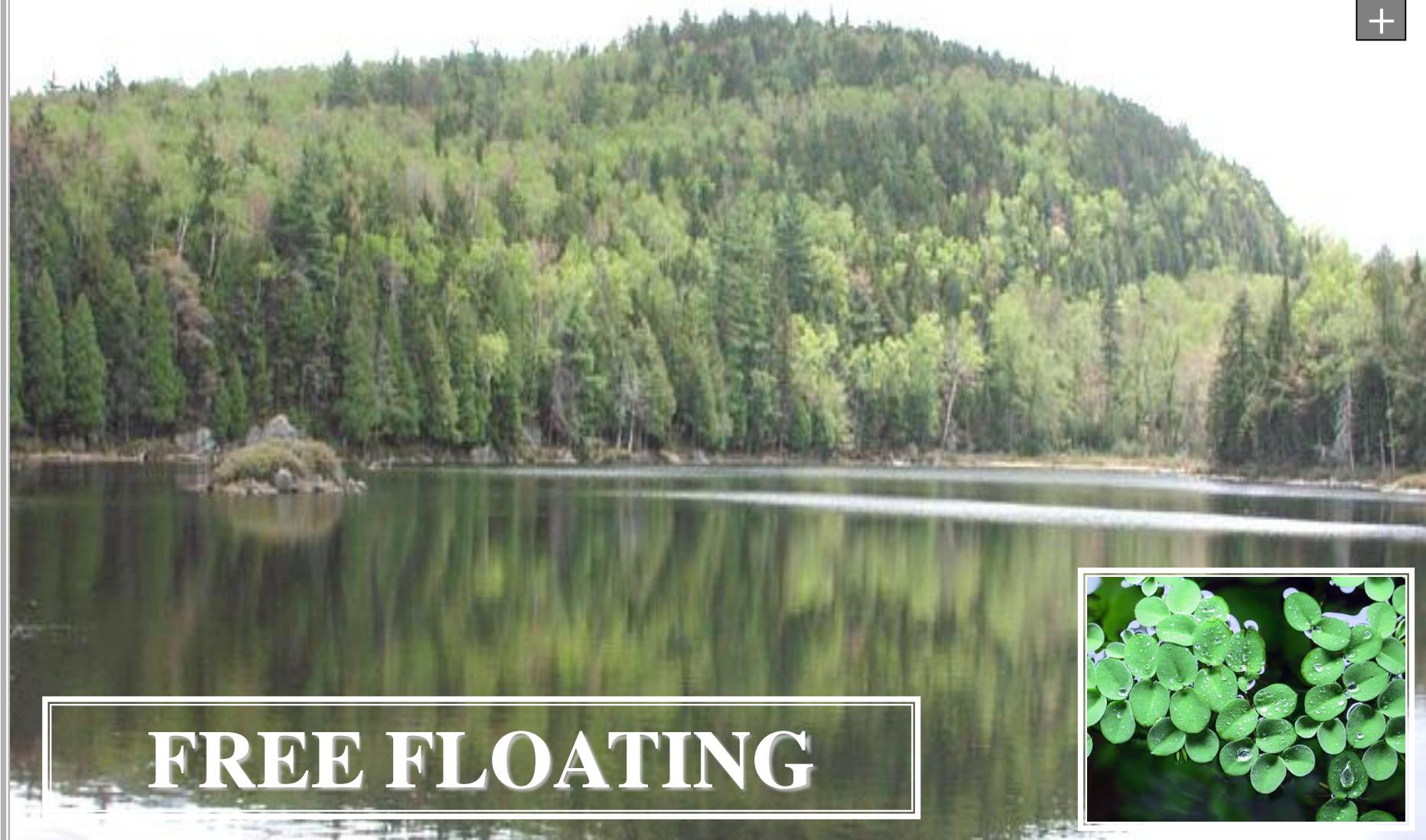
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SALVINIA

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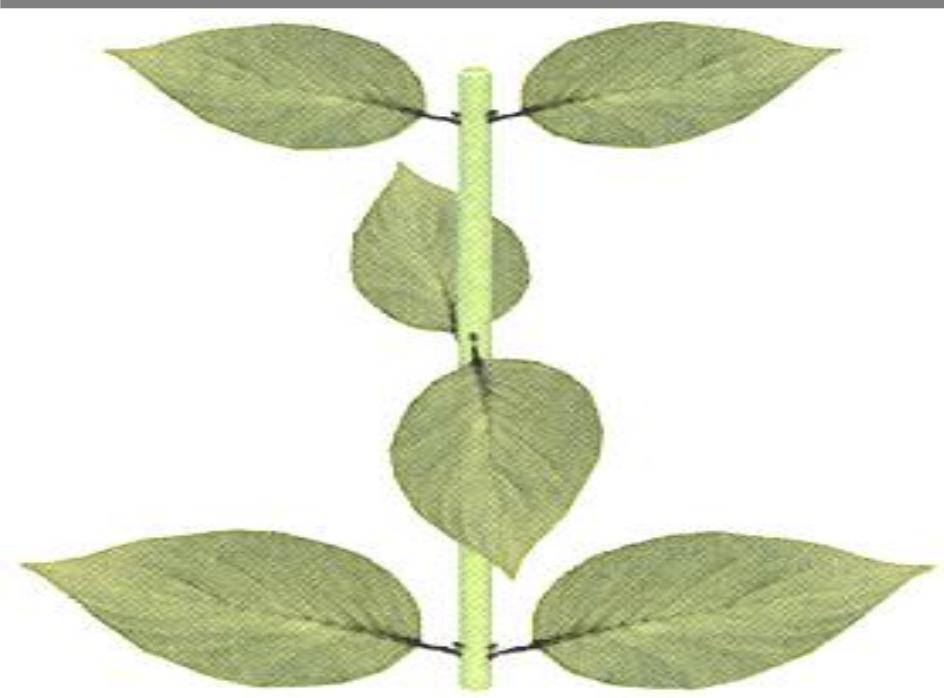
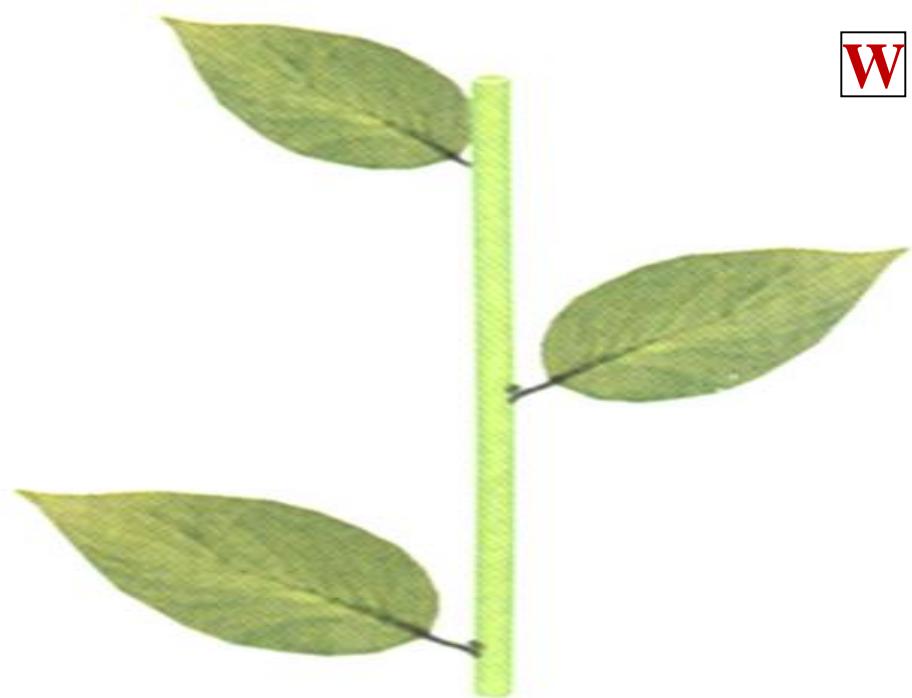


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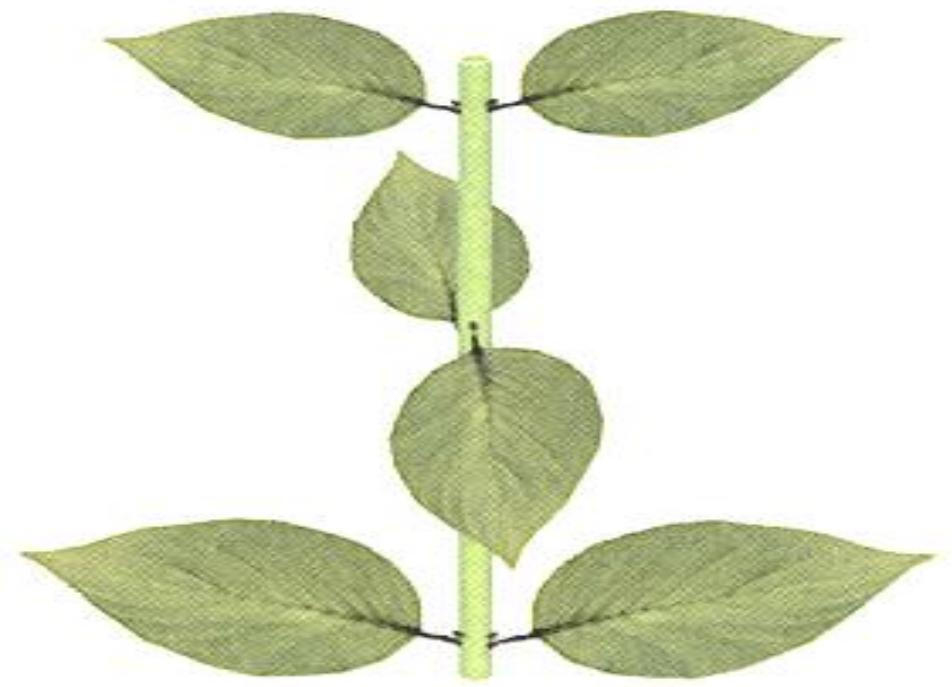
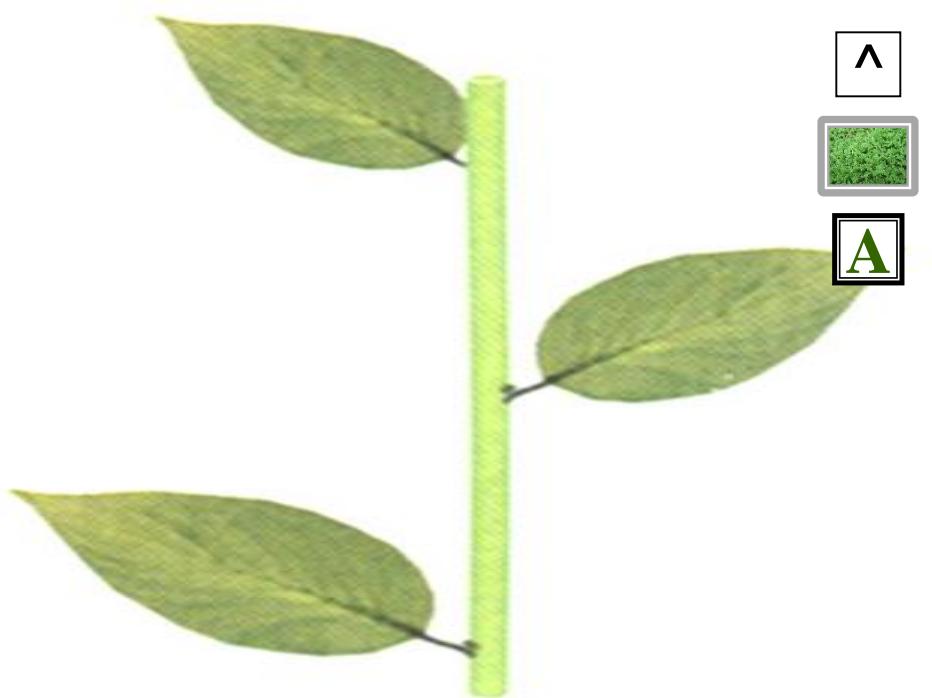


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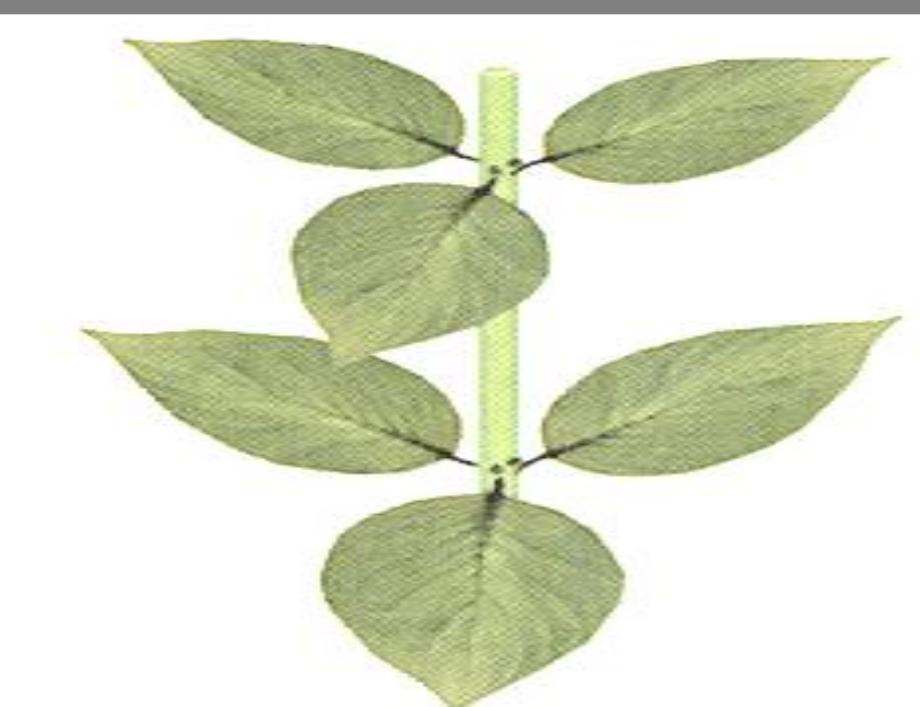
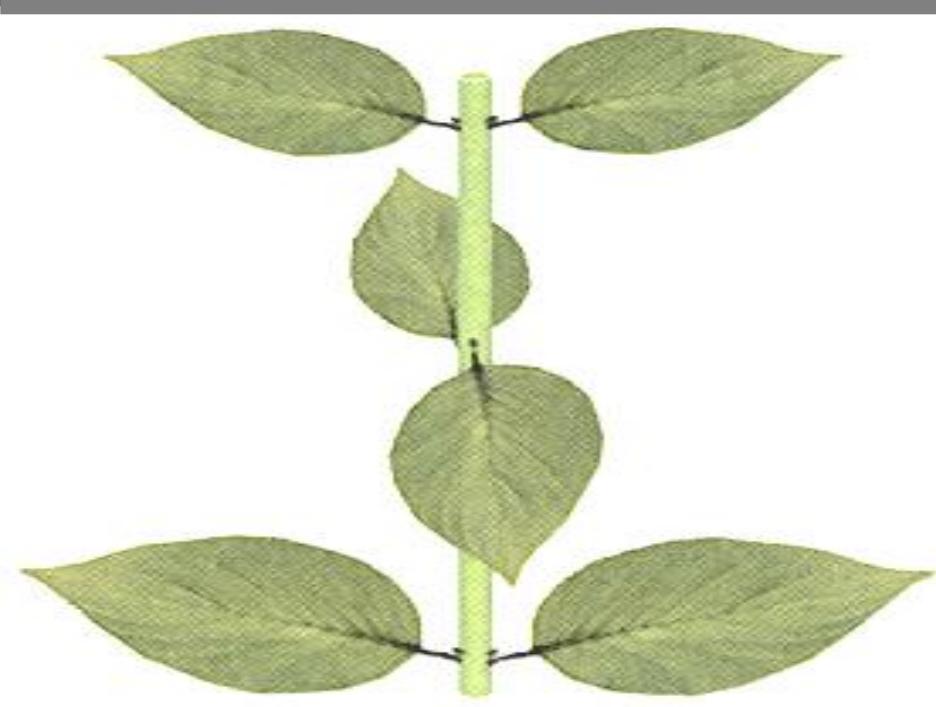




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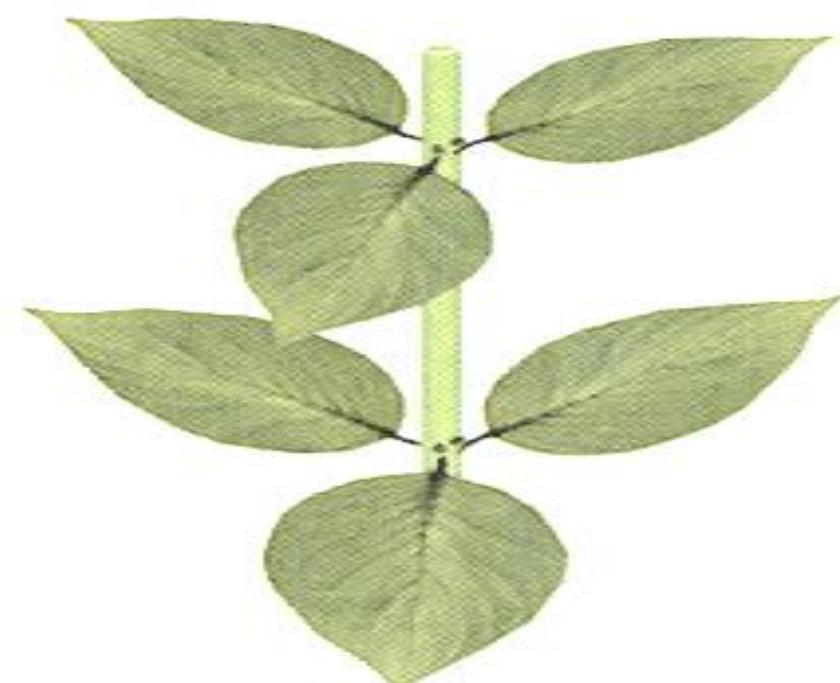
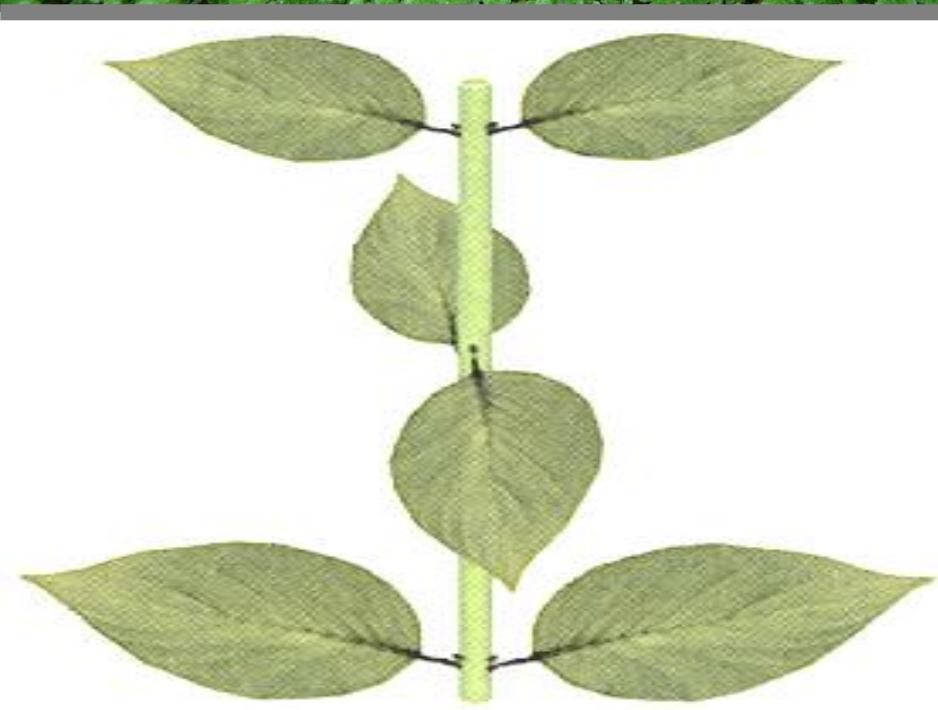
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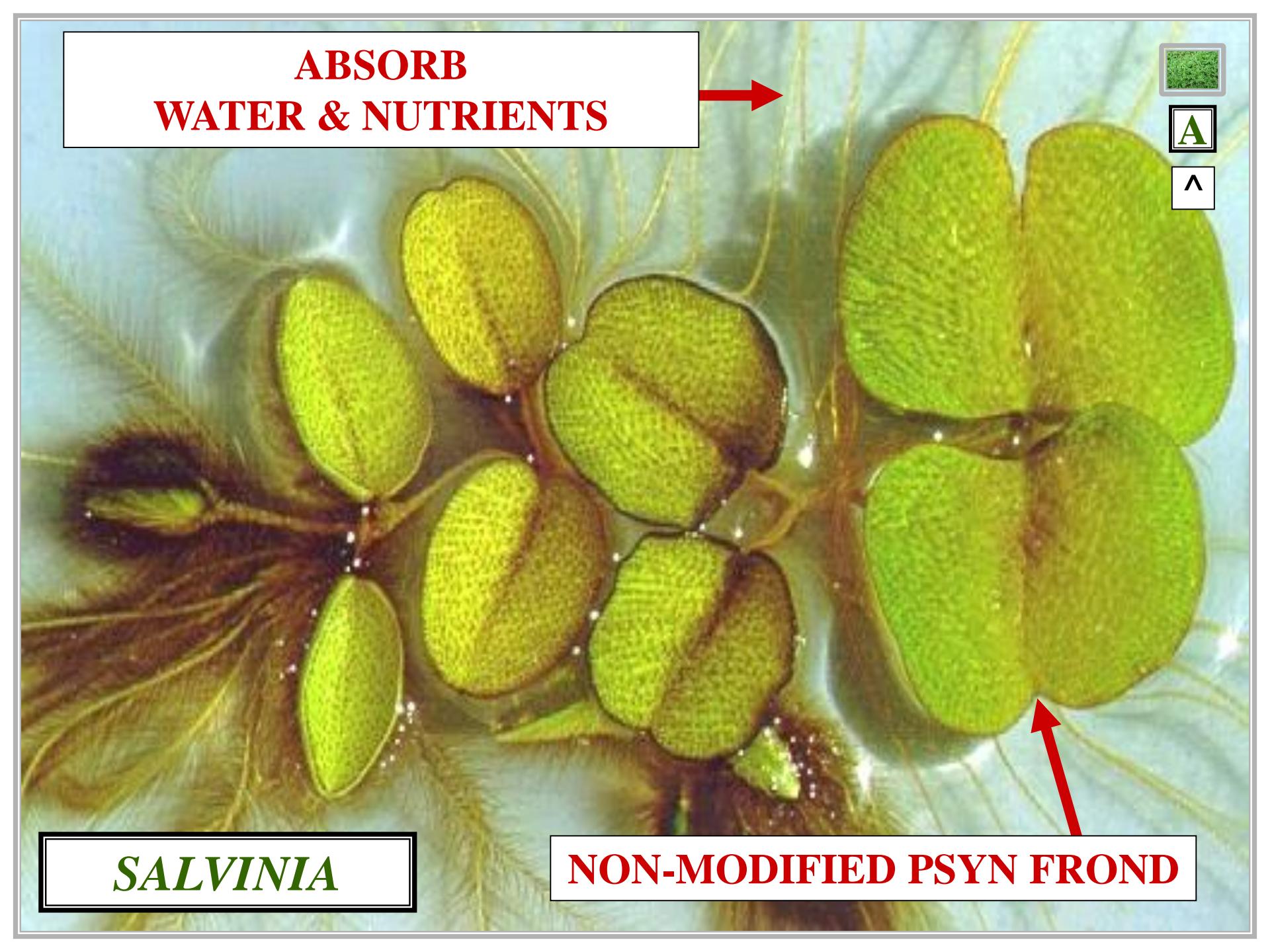
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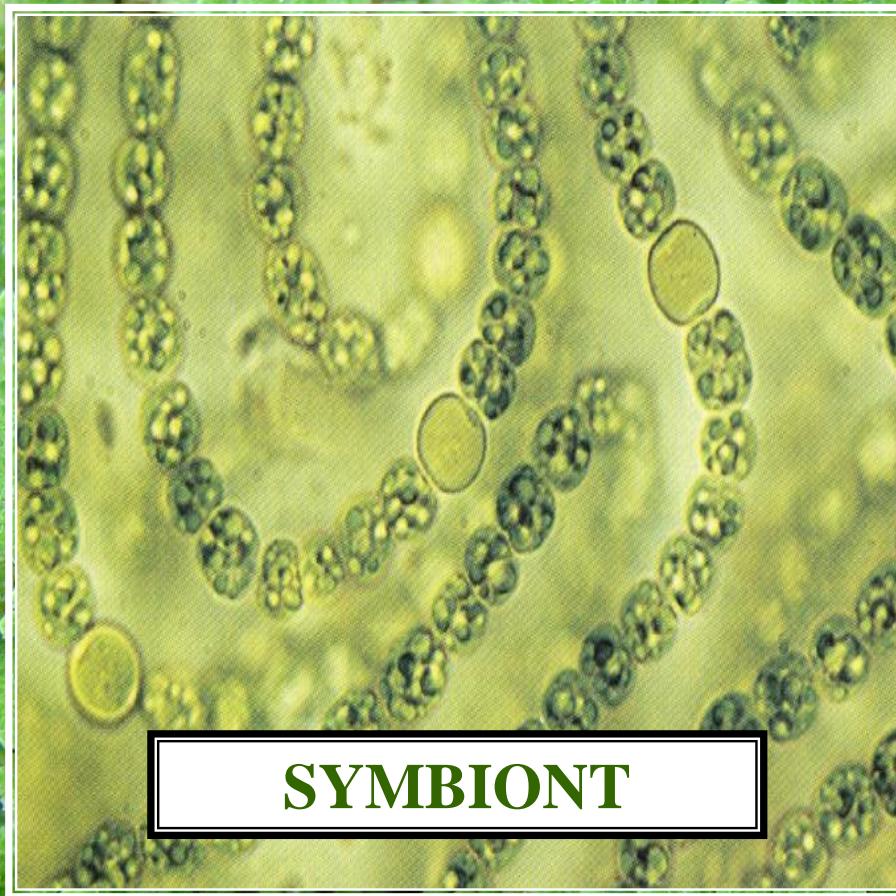
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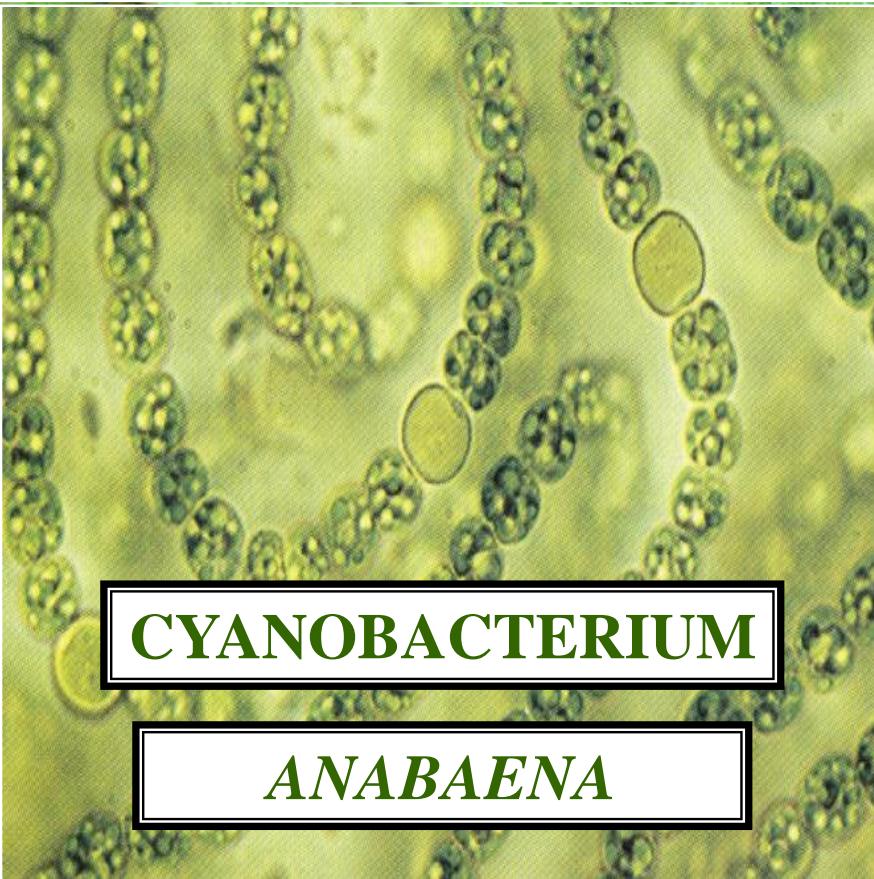
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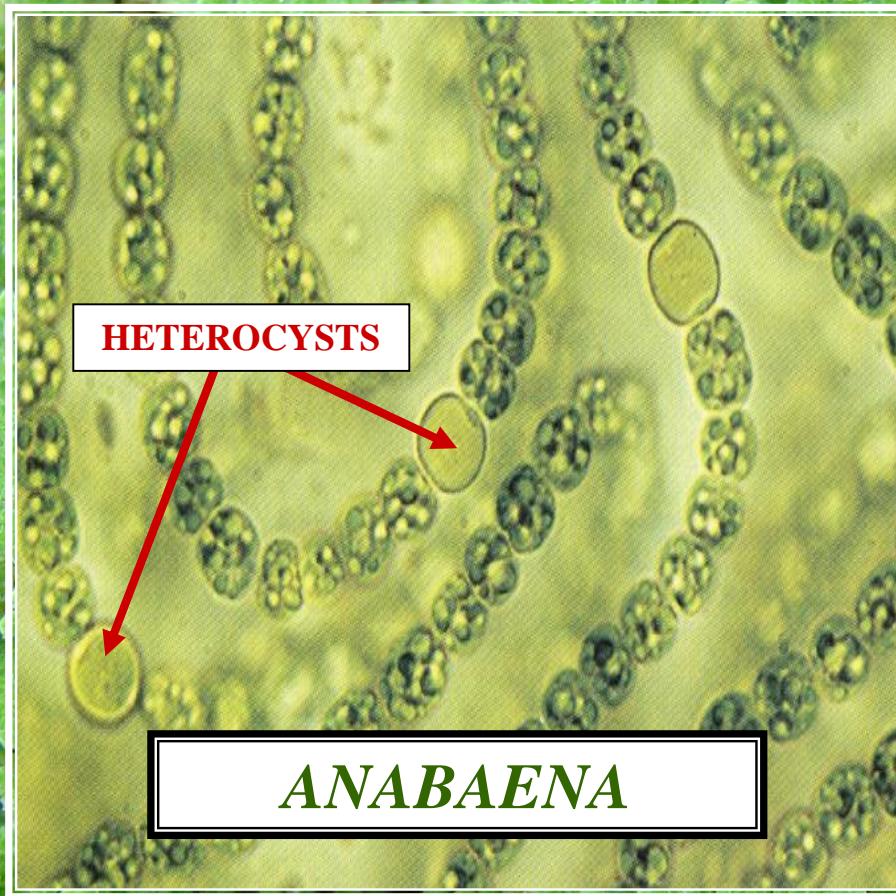
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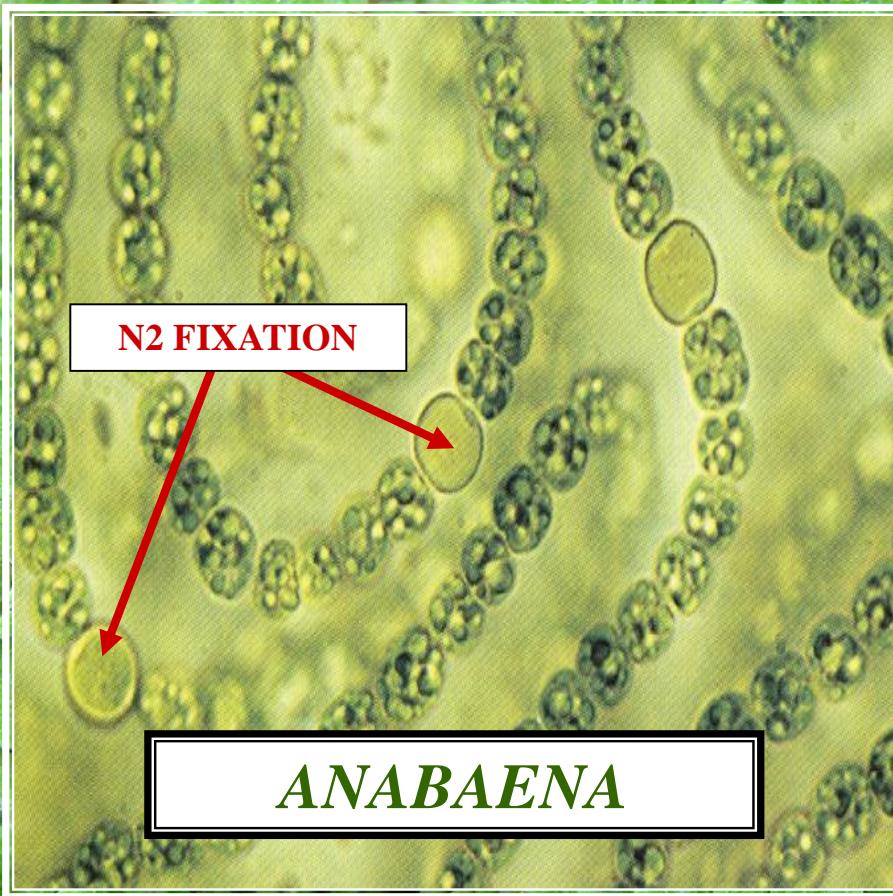
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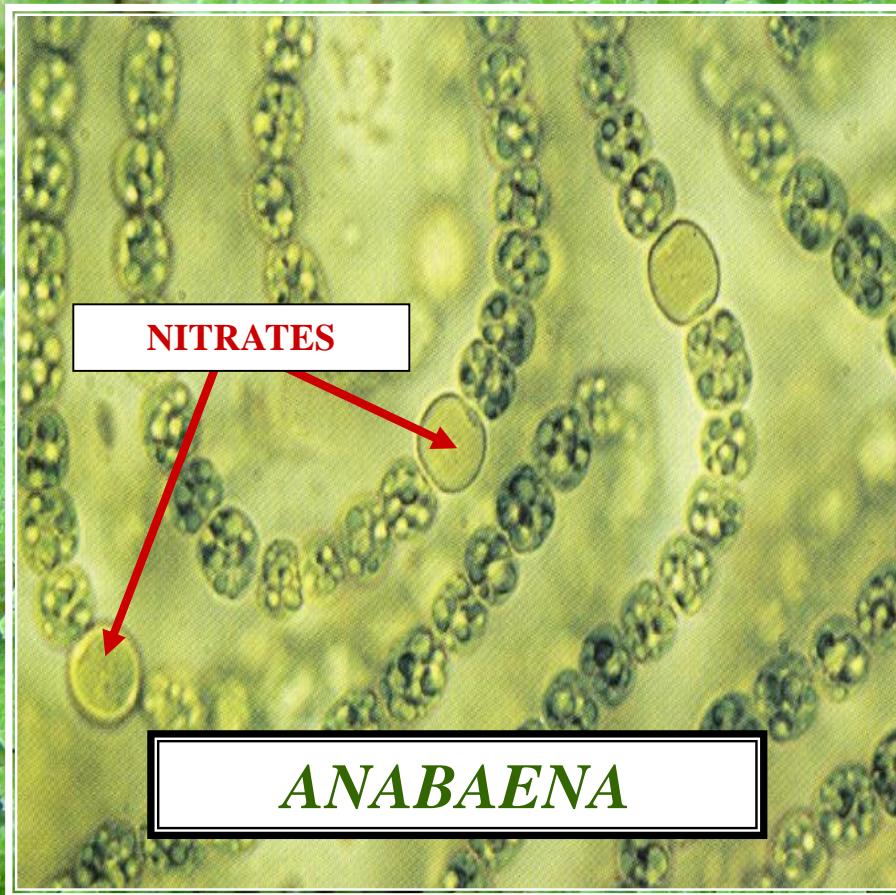
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FERTILIZER SUPPLEMENT



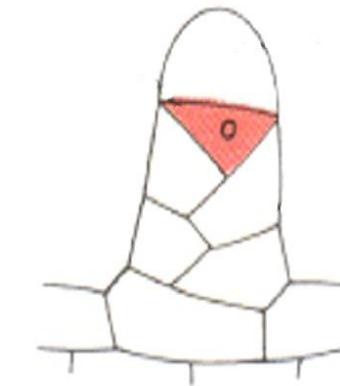
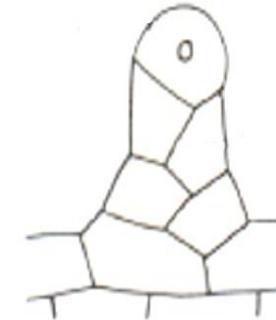
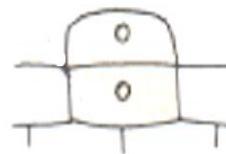
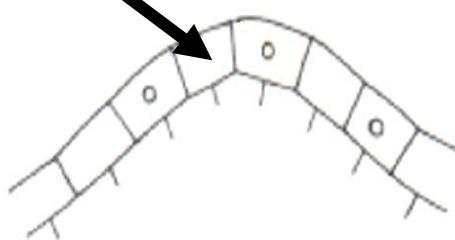
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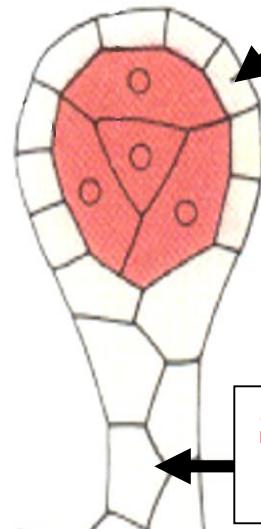
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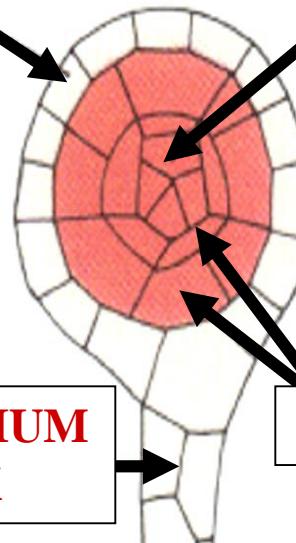
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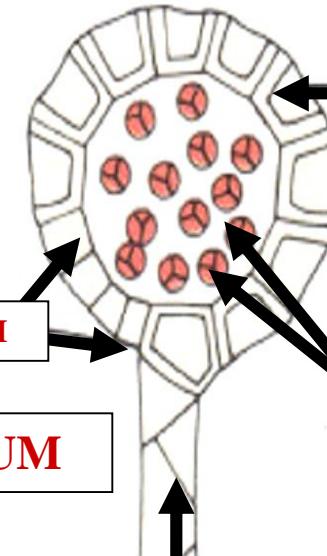
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WALL



SPOROCYTES



SMALL SIZE



ANNULUS

THIN WALL

FEW SPORES

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STALK

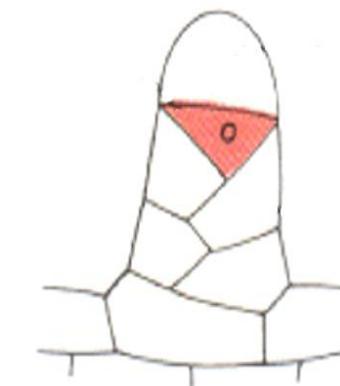
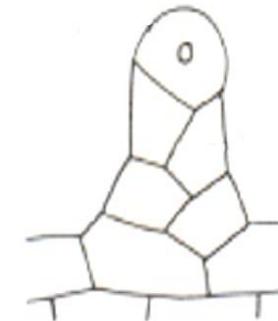
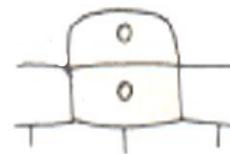
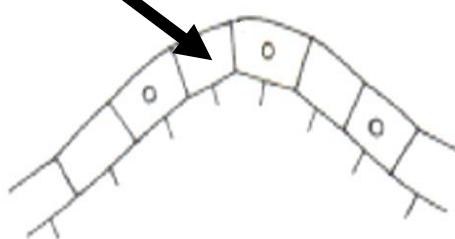
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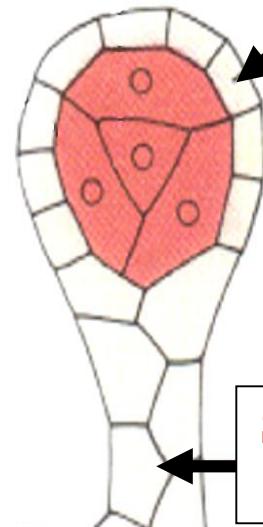
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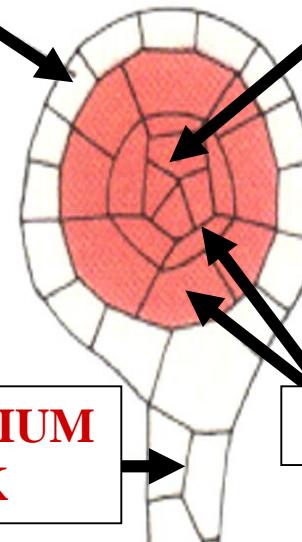
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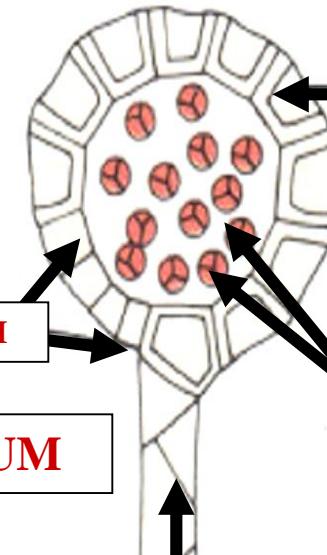
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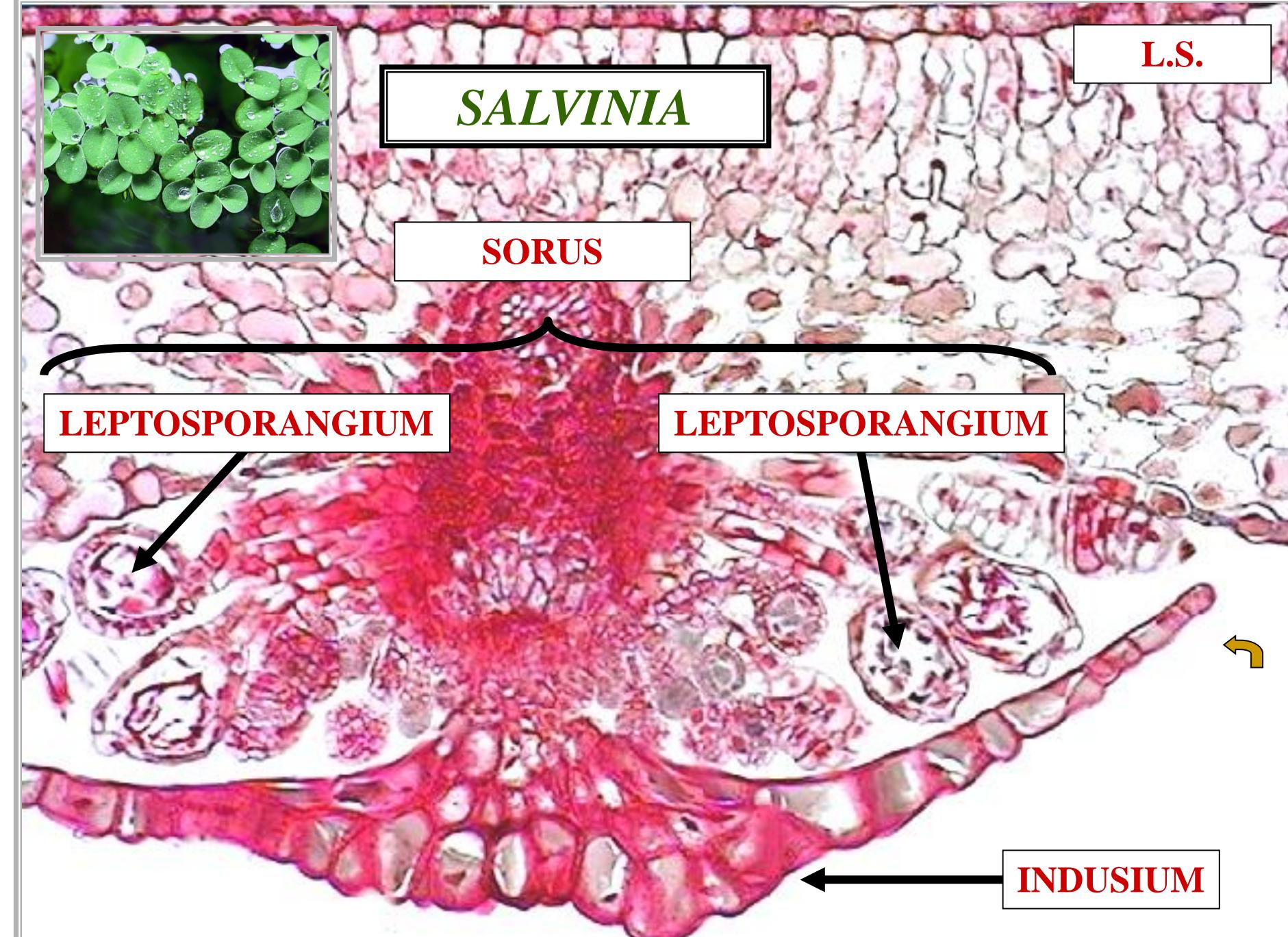
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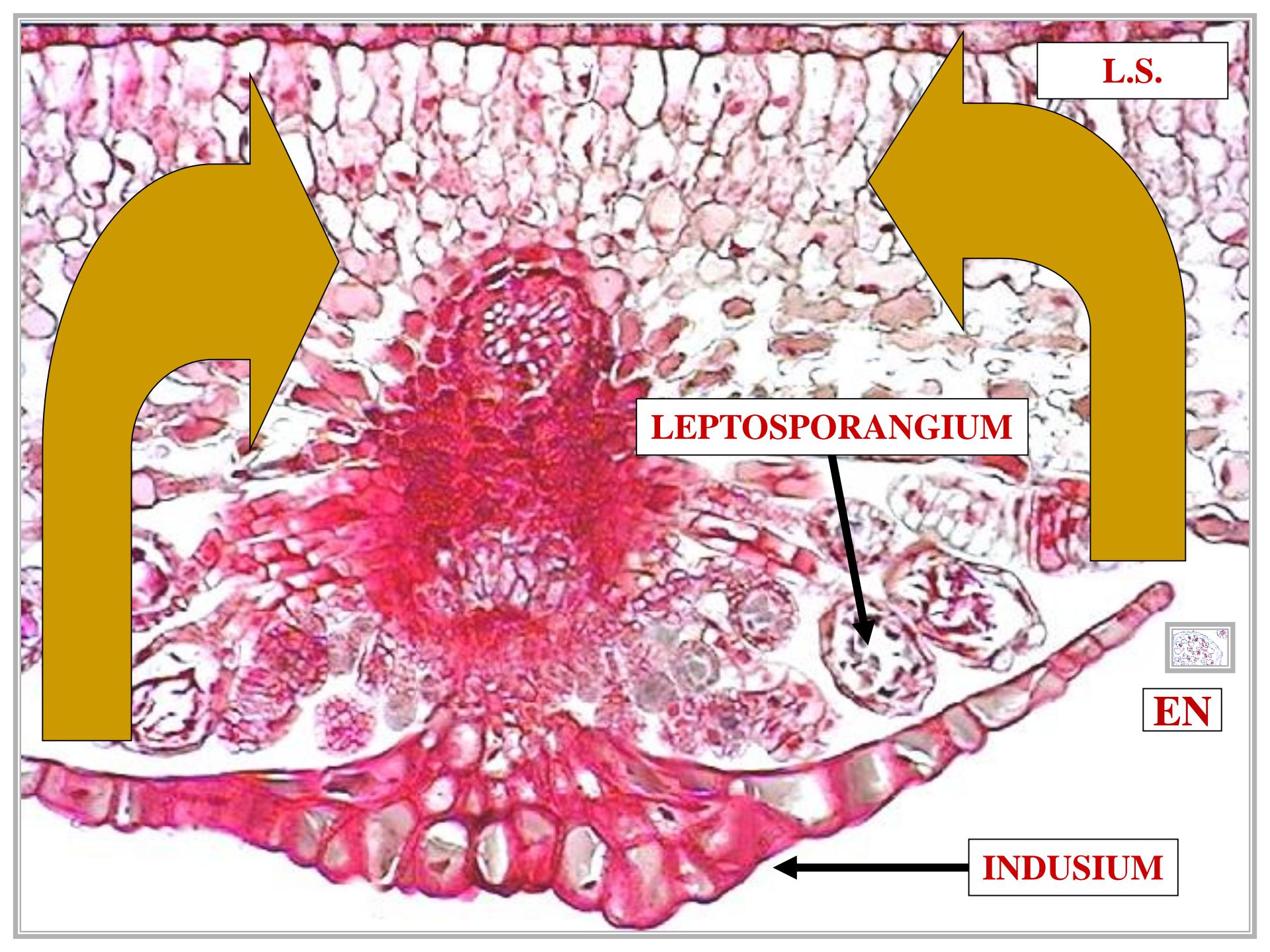
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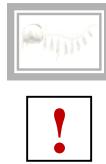
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EITHER
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OR
MEGASPORANGIA
NOT BOTH

SALINIALES
IMPERFECT SPOROCARP

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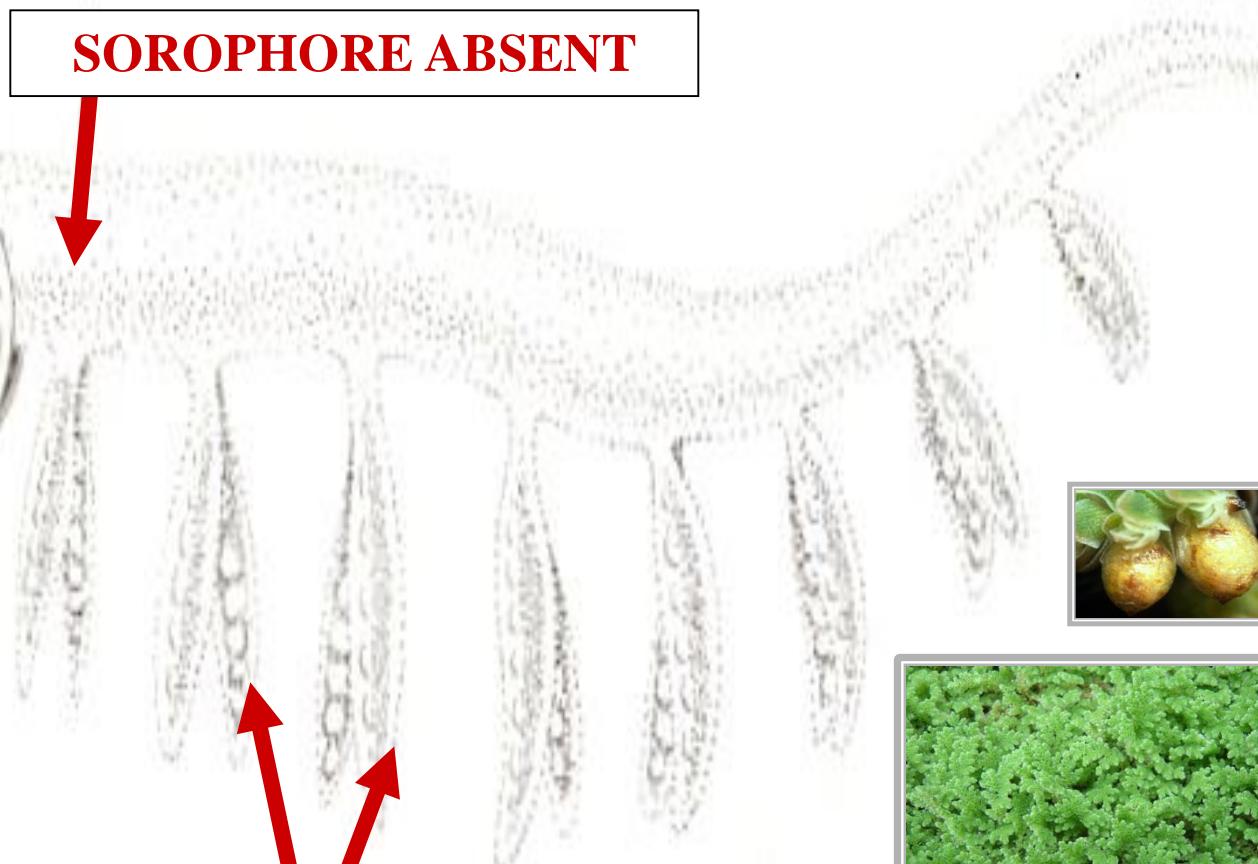
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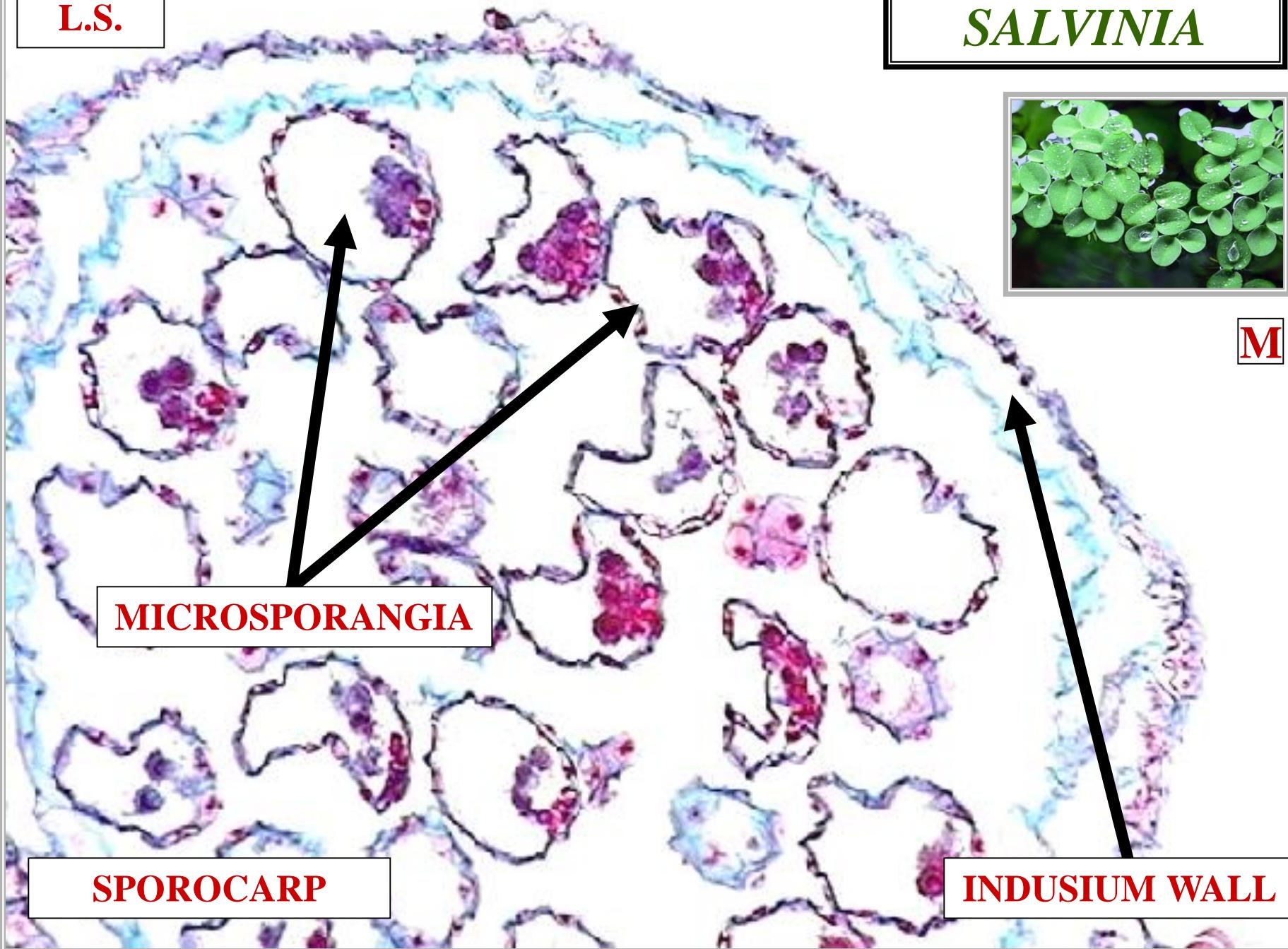
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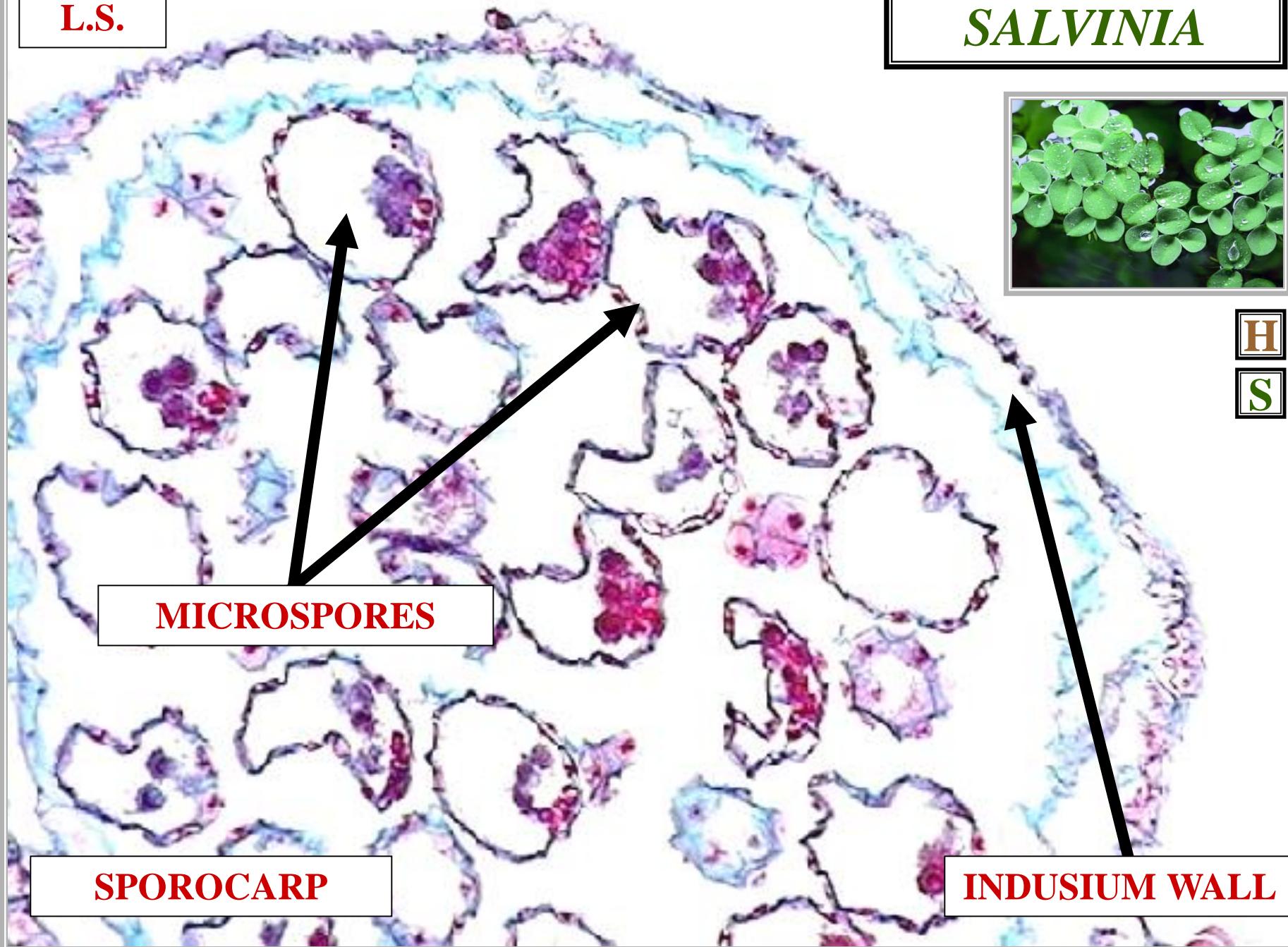
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