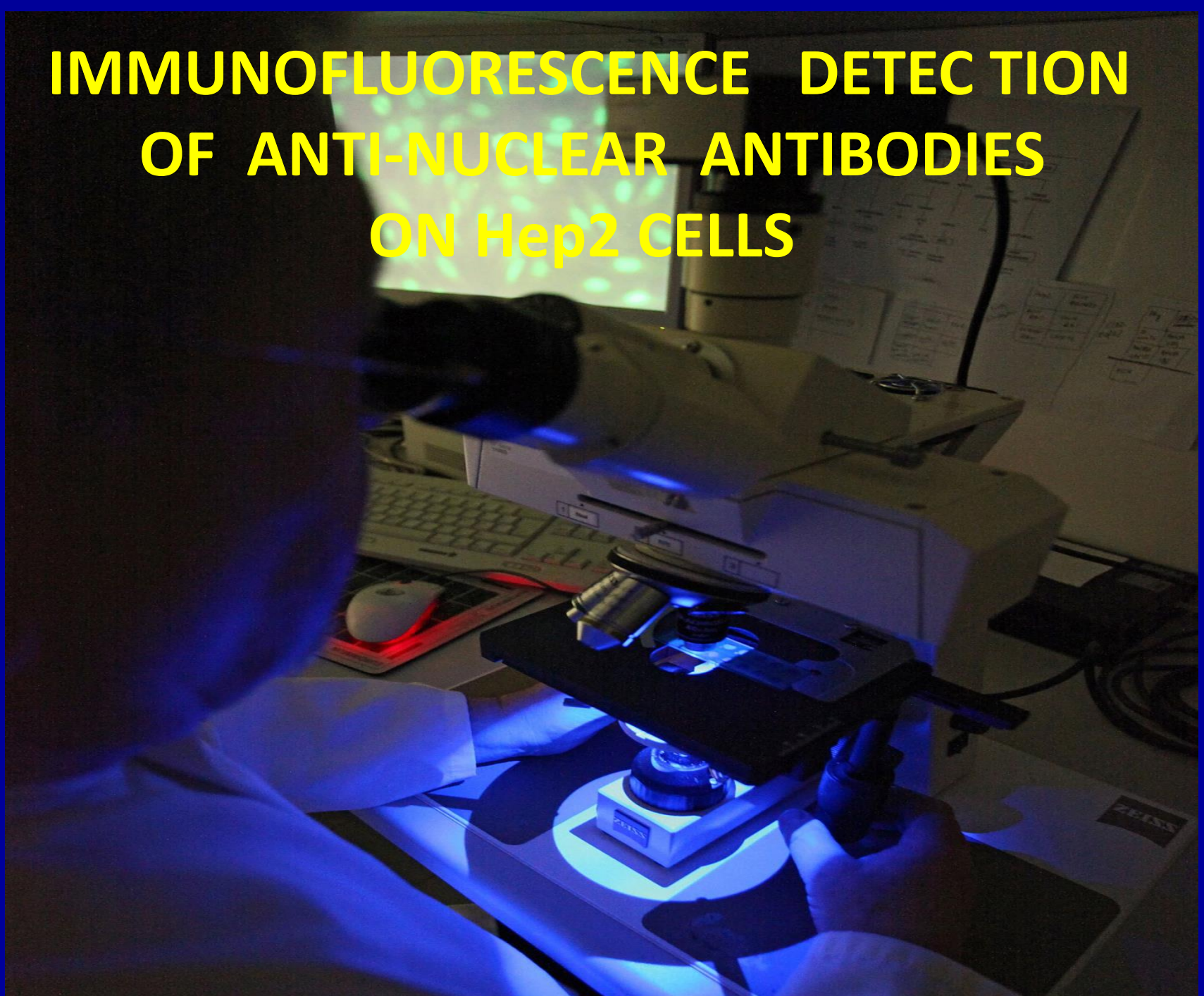


IMMUNOFLUORESCENCE DETECTION OF ANTI-NUCLEAR ANTIBODIES ON Hep2 CELLS



ANA-TESTING

IMMUNOFLUORESCENCE ON HEp2 CELLS

CONNECTIVE TISSUE
DISEASES

INFECTIOUS
DISEASES

DRUG
INDUCED

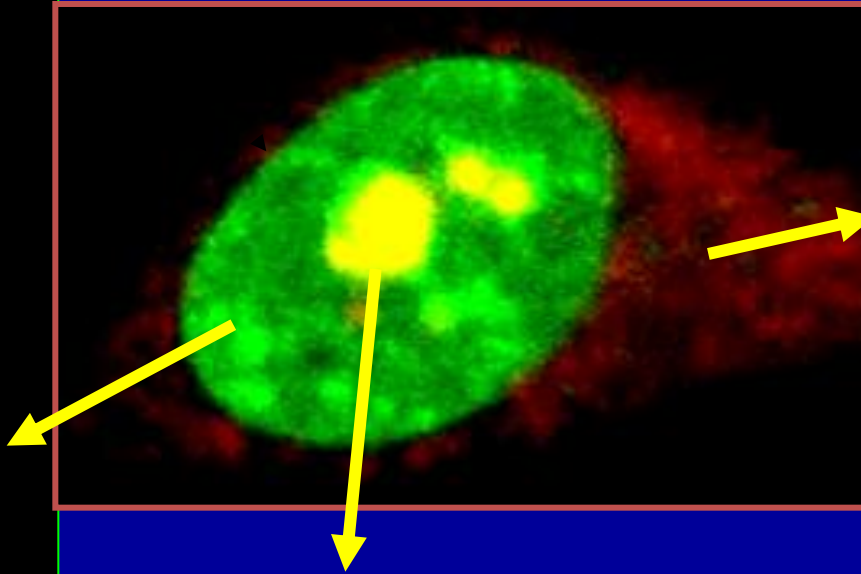
No Disease

CANCER

ANTINUCLEAR ANTIBODIES

NUCLEI

RNP
Sm
SSA
SSB
Sci70
PMSci
Ku
Mi2
PCNA
Centromere A/B
DFS70
RNA POL III
Sp100
gp210



CYTOPLASM

JO1, PL7, PL12, EJ, OJ,
KS, Zo, SRP,
Mitochondria, Golgi
Ribosomes

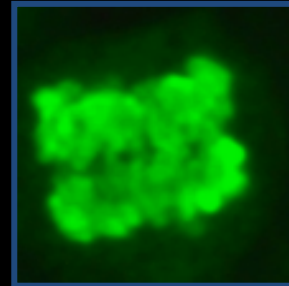
Actin, Vimentin
Tubulin, Nematine

NUCLEOLI

Th/To
Fibrillarine
NOR90
RNAPol I
PMSci100

MITOTIC CELLS

Nucleosome
DNA, Histones
Spindle Apparatus
Mitotic Chromosomes
CENP E, CENP F, MSA2
Midbody



ANA-TESTING

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POSITIVE

IDENTIFICATION

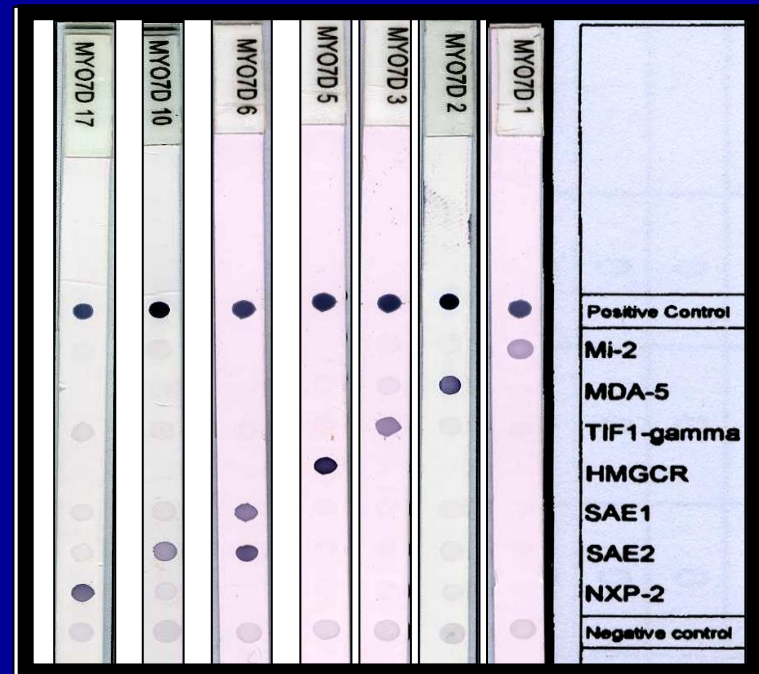
REFLEX TEST

Nucleosome , DNA
ENA PROFILE

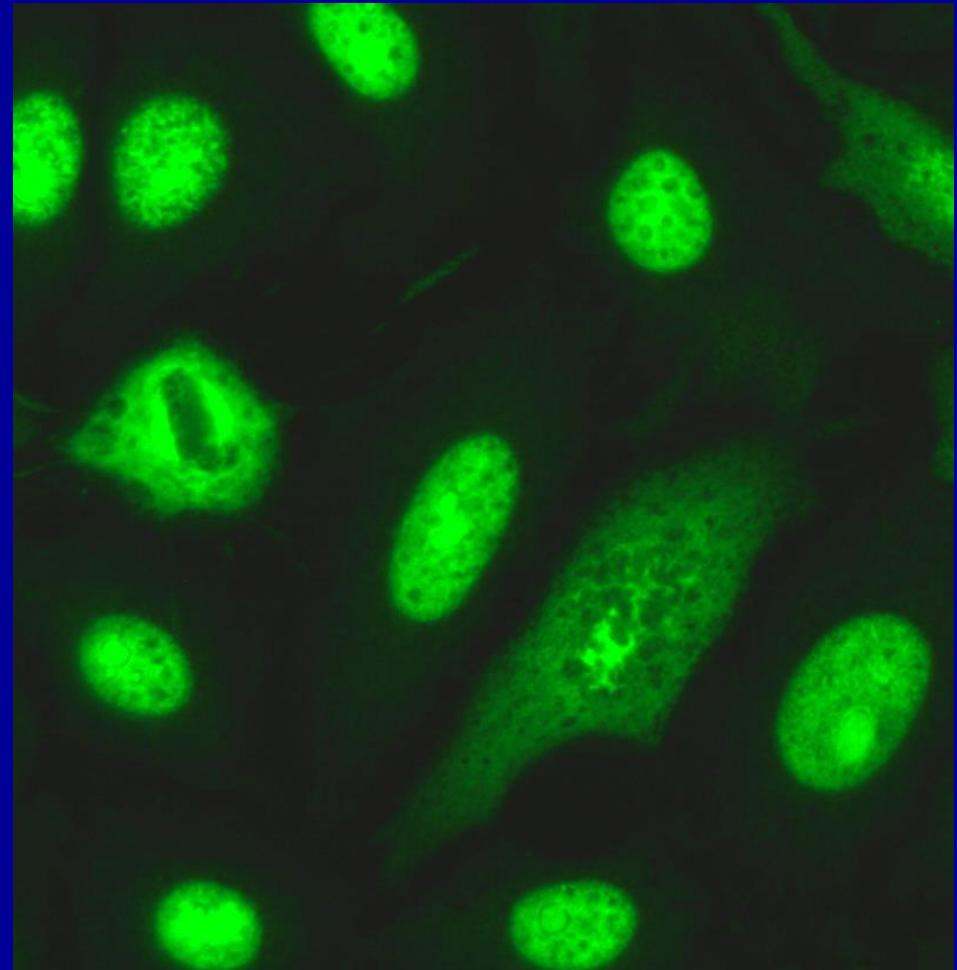
NEGATIVE

Ro52/TRIM21

SOME MYOSITIS ANTIBODIES



Hep2 CELLS



Evaluation of Cellular Substrates for Antinuclear Antibody Determinations

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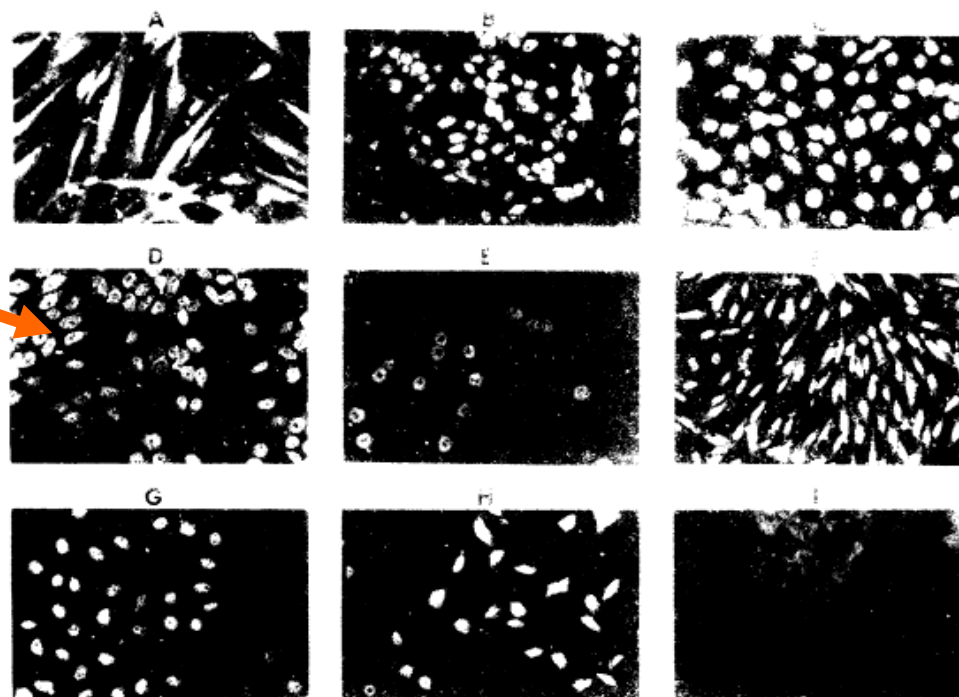


FIG. 1. Nuclear fluorescence in different cell substrates using an identical dilution of one ANA-positive serum sample. A, WI-38; B, 1-5c-4; C, LLC-MK₂; D, HEp-2; E, E-N; F, BHK 21/C13; G, HeLa; H, L-929; I, RK. $\times 125$.

Hep-2 CELLS are HeLa CELLS !!

Cells of this line contain HeLa marker chromosomes, and were derived via HeLa contamination. This line was originally thought to be derived from an epidermoid carcinoma of the larynx, but was subsequently found, based on isoenzyme analysis, HeLa marker chromosomes, and DNA fingerprinting, to have been established via HeLa cell contamination. The cells are positive for keratin by immunoperoxidase staining.



Henrietta Lacks (1920-1951)

***Adenocarcinoma
of the Cervix***

IMMUNOFLUORESCENCE

SUBSTRAT

Hep2 CELLS

DILUTION BUFFER

PBS or TRIS

Tween 20

Non Fat Dry Milk

Evans Blue

ANTI-GLOBULIN

IgG

IgM

IgG (H+L)

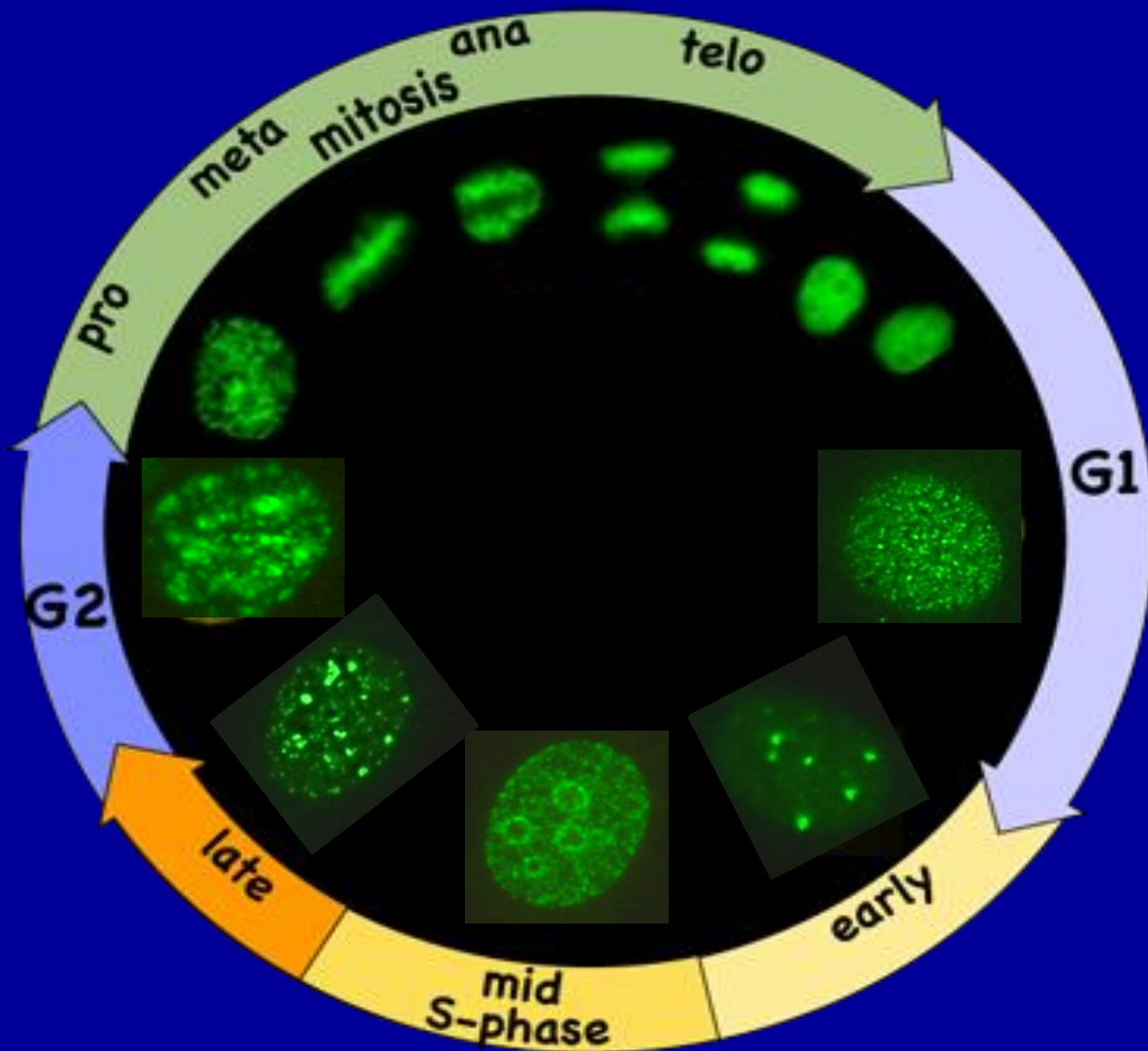
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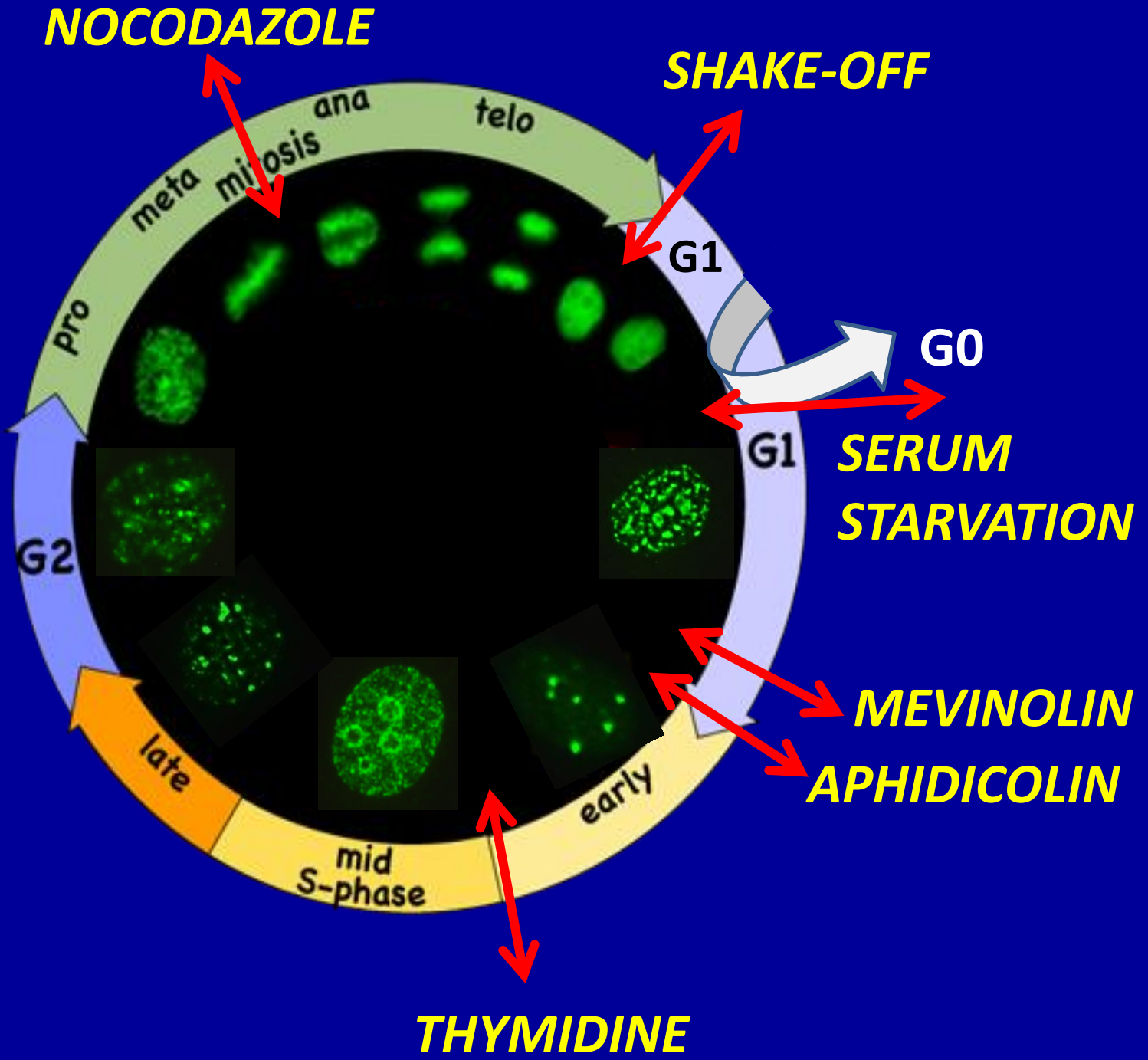
Evans Blue

MOUNTING MEDIUM

Anti-Fading Agents

Hep2 CELL CULTURE





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INTERPRETATION

TITRE

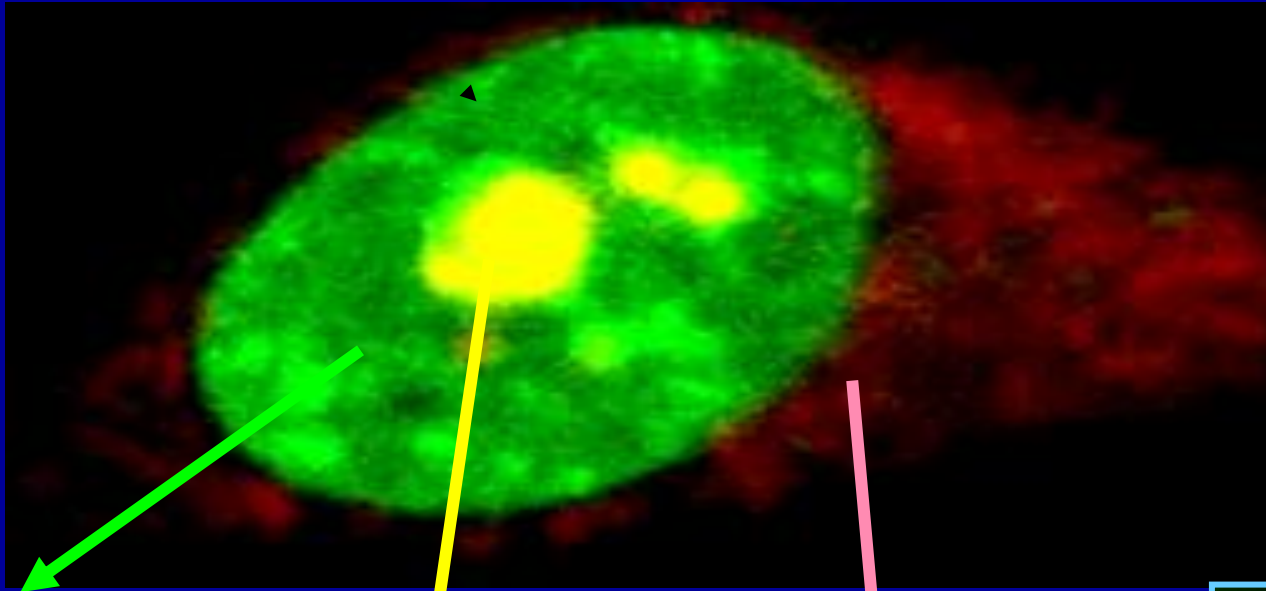
ASPECT

> : 1/320

What is Stained ?

How ?

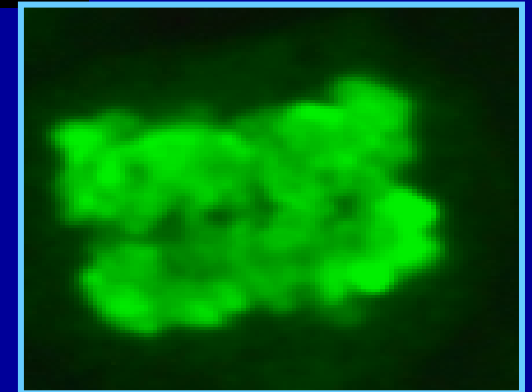
WHAT IS STAINED ?



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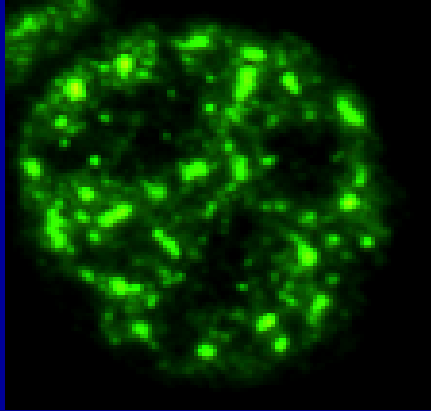
NUCLEOLI

CYTOPLASME

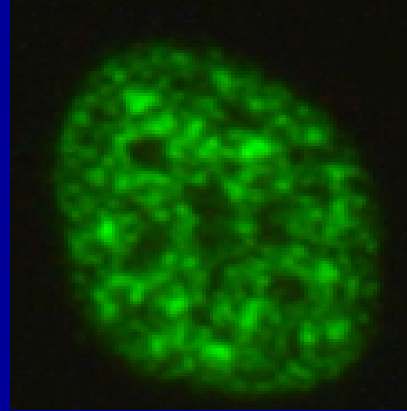


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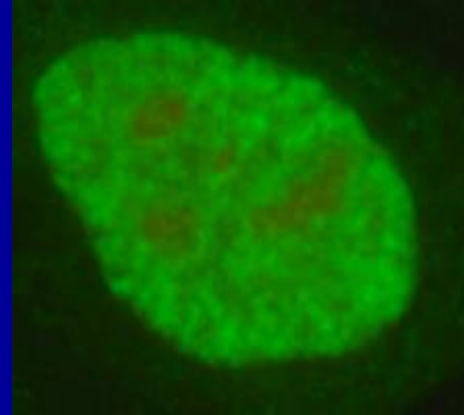
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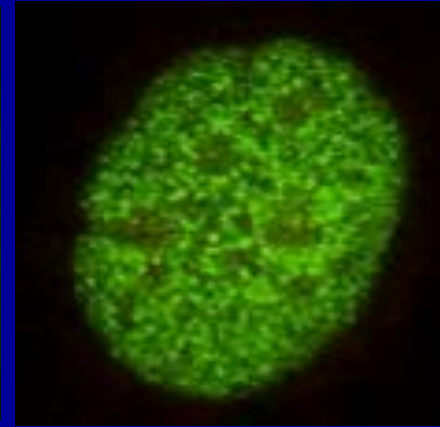
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SPECKLED**



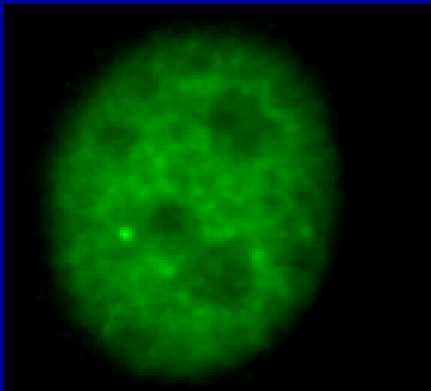
**DENSE FINE
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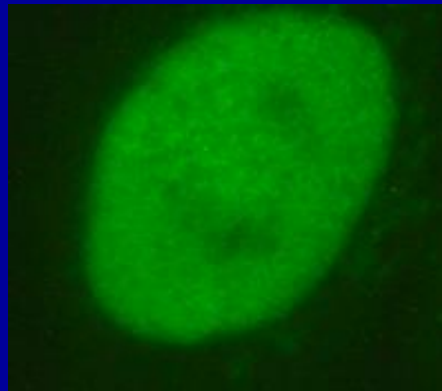
GRANULAR



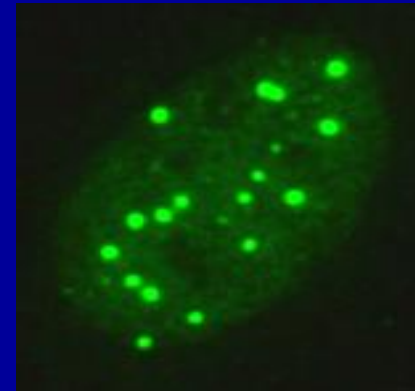
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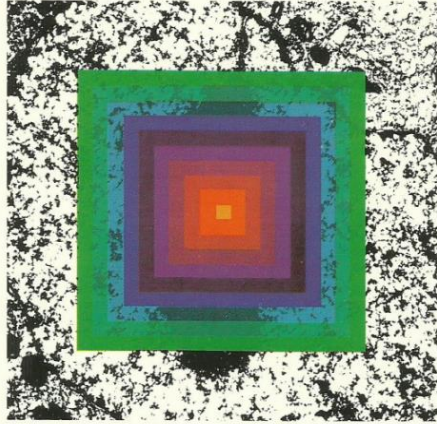


CENTROMERE



DOTS





**AN ATLAS OF
FLUORESCENT PATTERNS
ASSOCIATED WITH
ANTINUCLEAR AND
ANTICYTOPLASMIC
ANTIBODIES ON HEP-2 CELLS**

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1985



MEMBRANOUS PATTERNS

1. Homogeneous
2. Punctate

NUCLEAR PATTERNS

- Homogeneous
- Speckled 1 - 4
- Pleomorphic
- Centromere
- Nuclear Dots 1-2

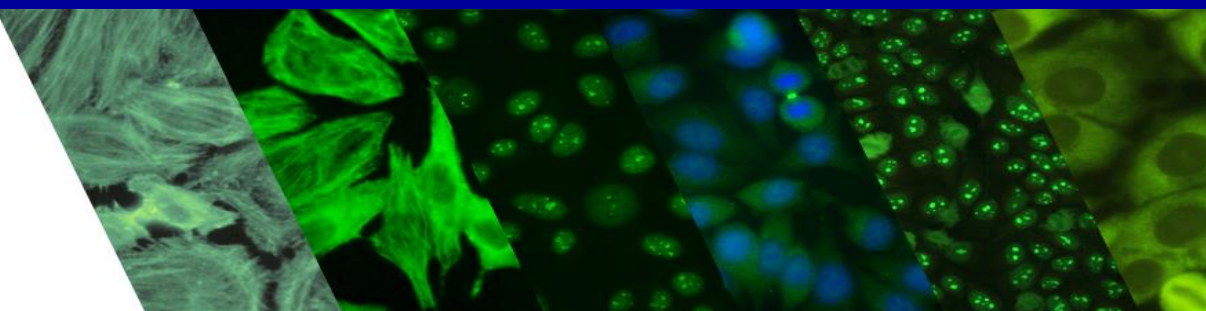
NUCLEOLAR PATTERNS

- Homogeneous
- Clumpy
- Speckled
- Dots

SPINDLE APPARATUS 1-4

CYTOPLASMIC PATTERNS

- Fine Speckles
- Fine Dense
- Large Speckles
- Polar Arrow
- Stress Fibers
- Fine Fibers



International recommendations for the assessment of autoantibodies to cellular antigens referred to as anti-nuclear antibodies

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NEW NOMENCLATURE OF ANTINUCLEAR ANTIBODIES

SÃO PAULO - BRAZIL



AC = ANTI-CELL

HEp-2 cell patterns

Nuclear

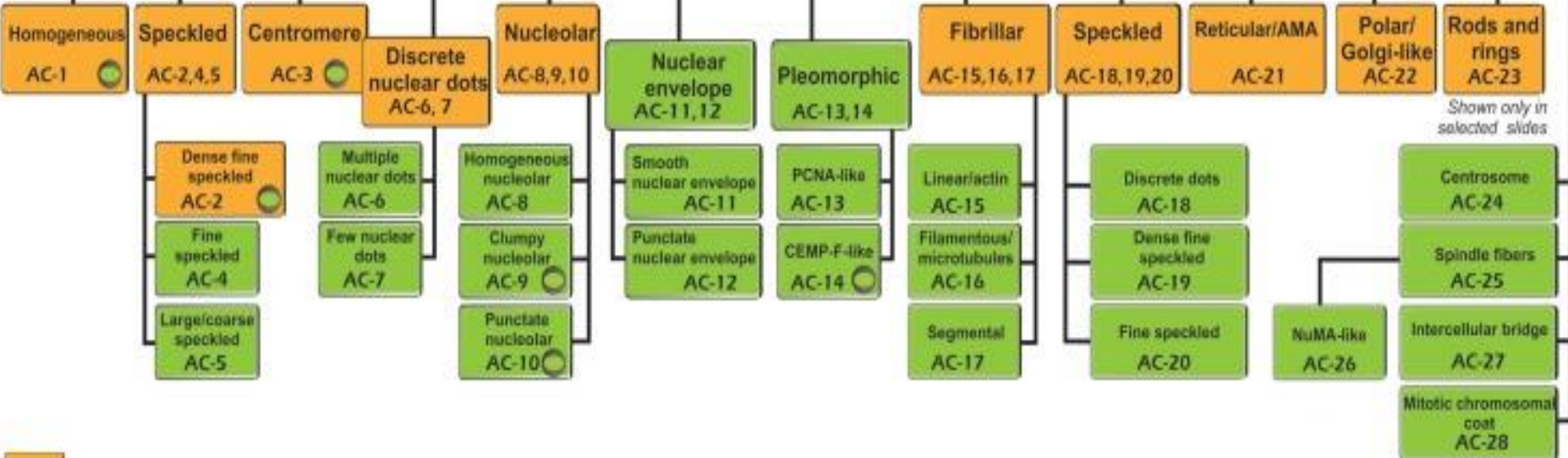
AC-1 to AC-14

Cytoplasmic

AC-15 to AC-23

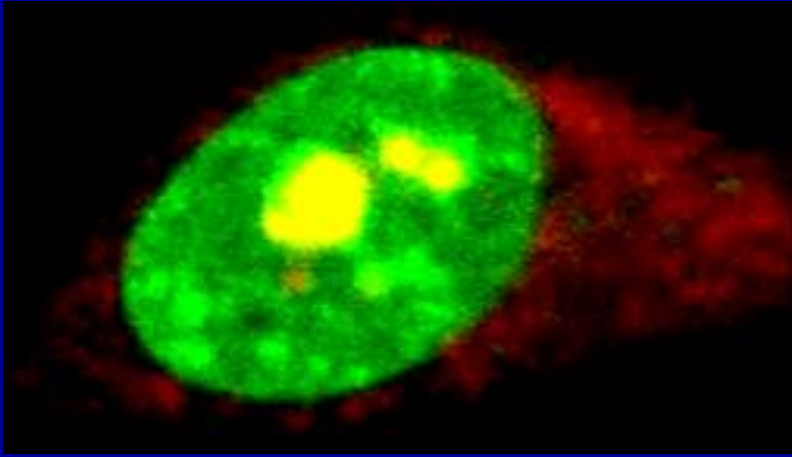
Mitotic

AC-24 to AC-28



- Competent-level
- Expert-level report
- Metaphase plate is stained

NUCLEI



MEMBRANE

Nuclear Envelope

Homogeneous **AC-11**

Punctated **AC-12**

NUCLEOPLASM

Homogeneous **AC-1**

Large Speckled **AC-5**

Coarse Speckled

Dense Fine Speckled **AC-2**

Fine Speckled (granular) **AC-4**

Dense Fine Granular

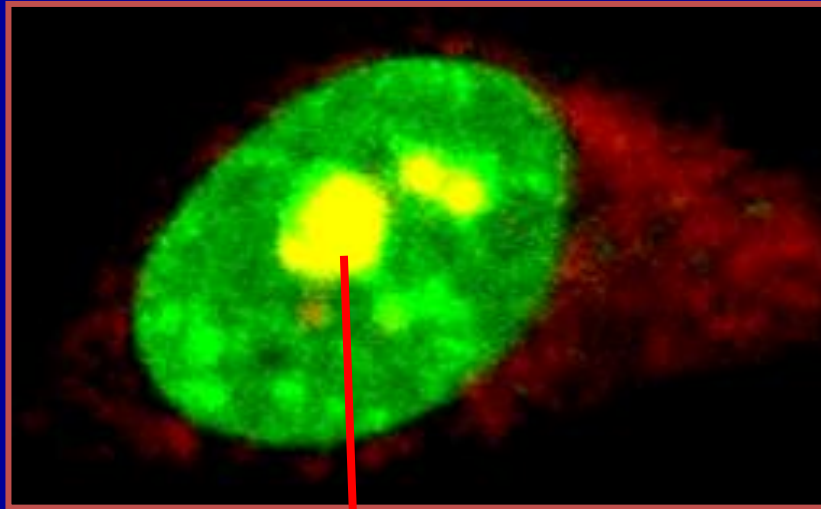
Very Dense Fine Granular

Centromere **AC-3**

Multiple Isolated Dots **AC-6**

Few Isolated Dots **AC-7**

Pleomorphic **AC-13**



NUCLEOLUS

HOMOGENEOUS

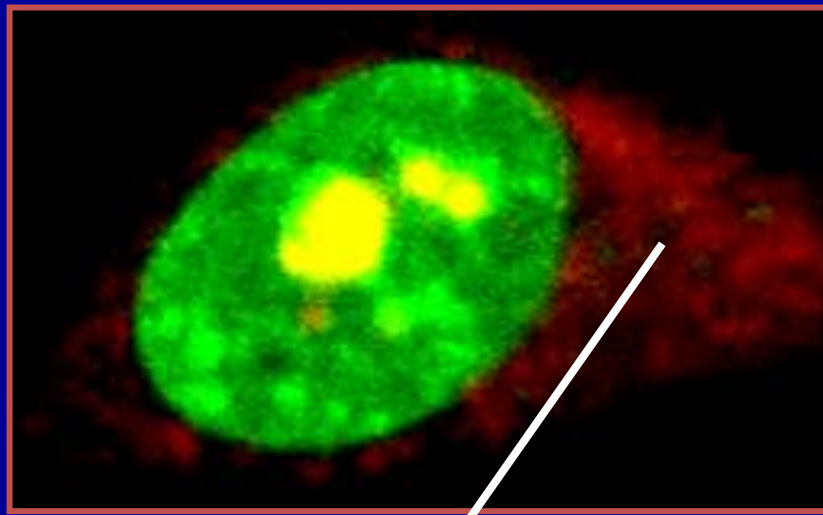
AC-8

CLUMPY

AC-9

**GRANULAR
PUNCTATE**

AC-10



CYTOPLASM

FILAMENTS

Linear / Cables

AC-15

Radial Filaments

AC-16

Fine Long Filaments

Sequential

AC-17

INCLUSIONS

Golgi **AC-22**

Nematin RR

AC-23

SPECKLED/GRANULAR

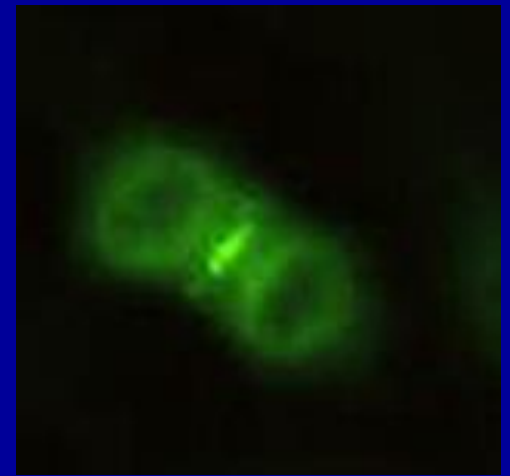
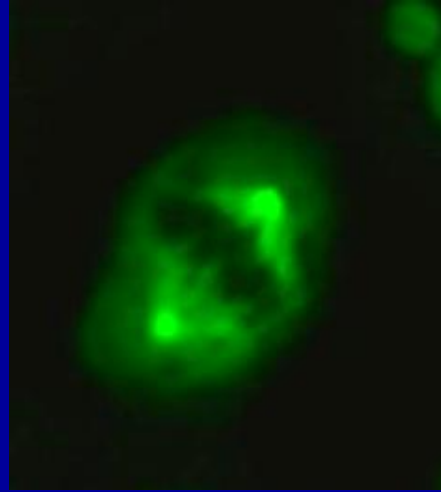
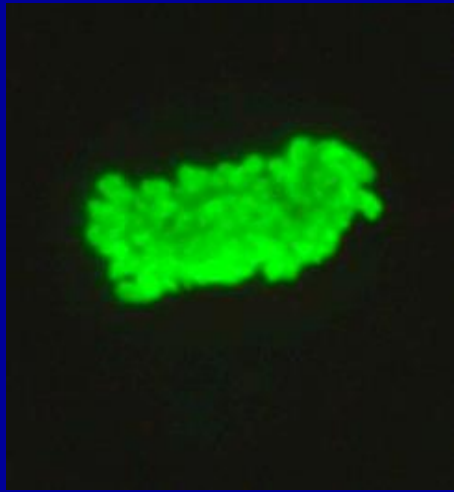
Large Granules **AC-21**

Discrete Dots **AC-18**

Fine Granules **AC-20**

Dense Fine Granules

AC-19



MITOTIC CELLS

CHROMOSOMES

MITOTIC CHROMOSOME

AC-28

MITOTIC CENTROMERE

CHROMOSOMAL
PASSENGER PROTEINS

SPINDLE

CENTROSOME

AC-24

SPINDLE POOL

AC-25

AC-26

MIDBODY

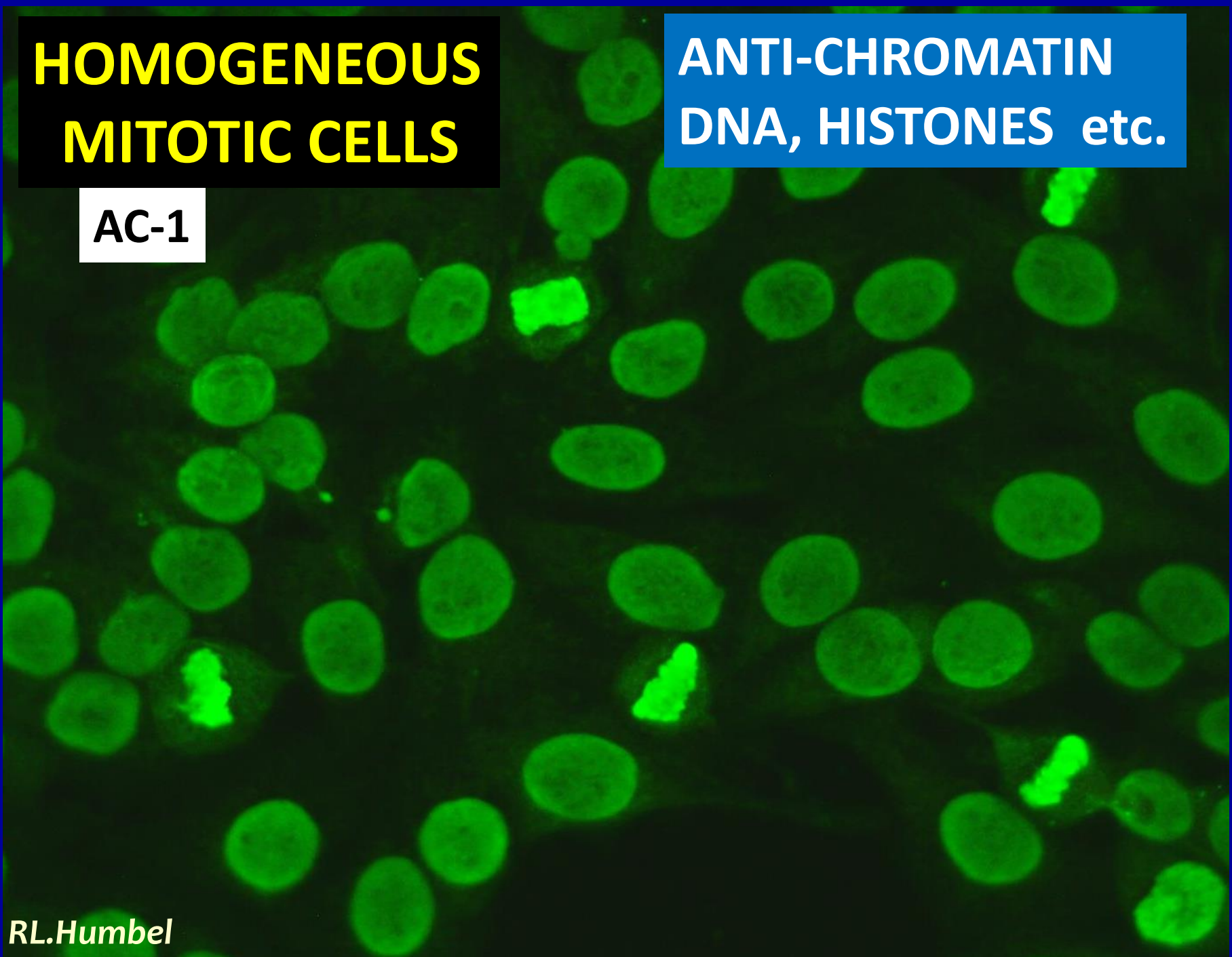
INTERCELLULAR BRIDGE

AC-27

HOMOGENEOUS MITOTIC CELLS

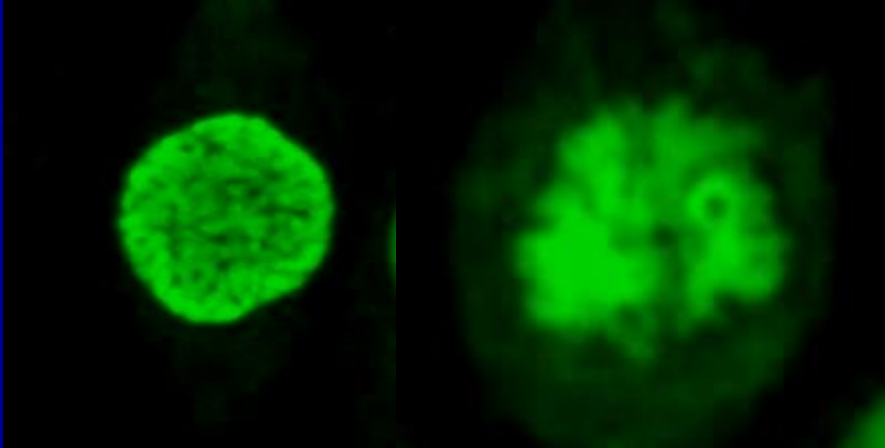
AC-1

ANTI-CHROMATIN
DNA, HISTONES etc.

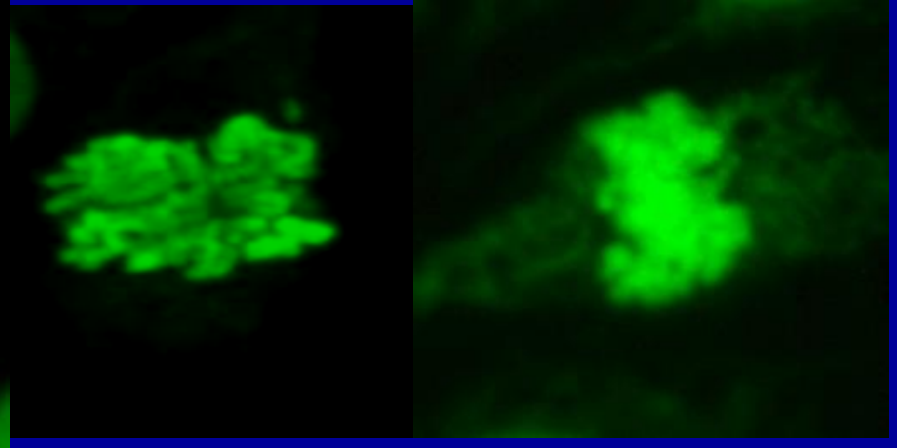


MITOSIS

PROPHASE



PROMETAPHASE

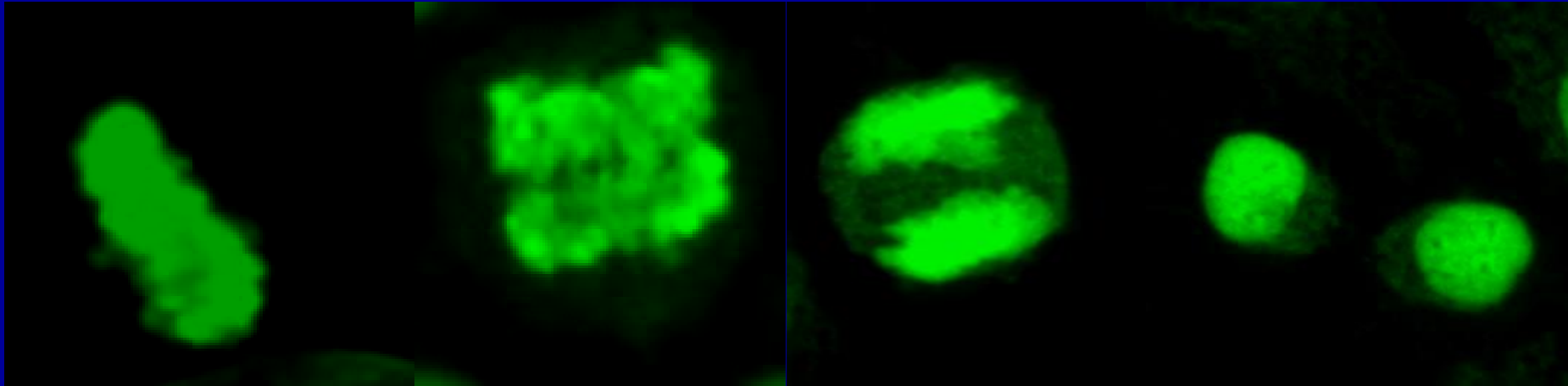


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ANAPHASE

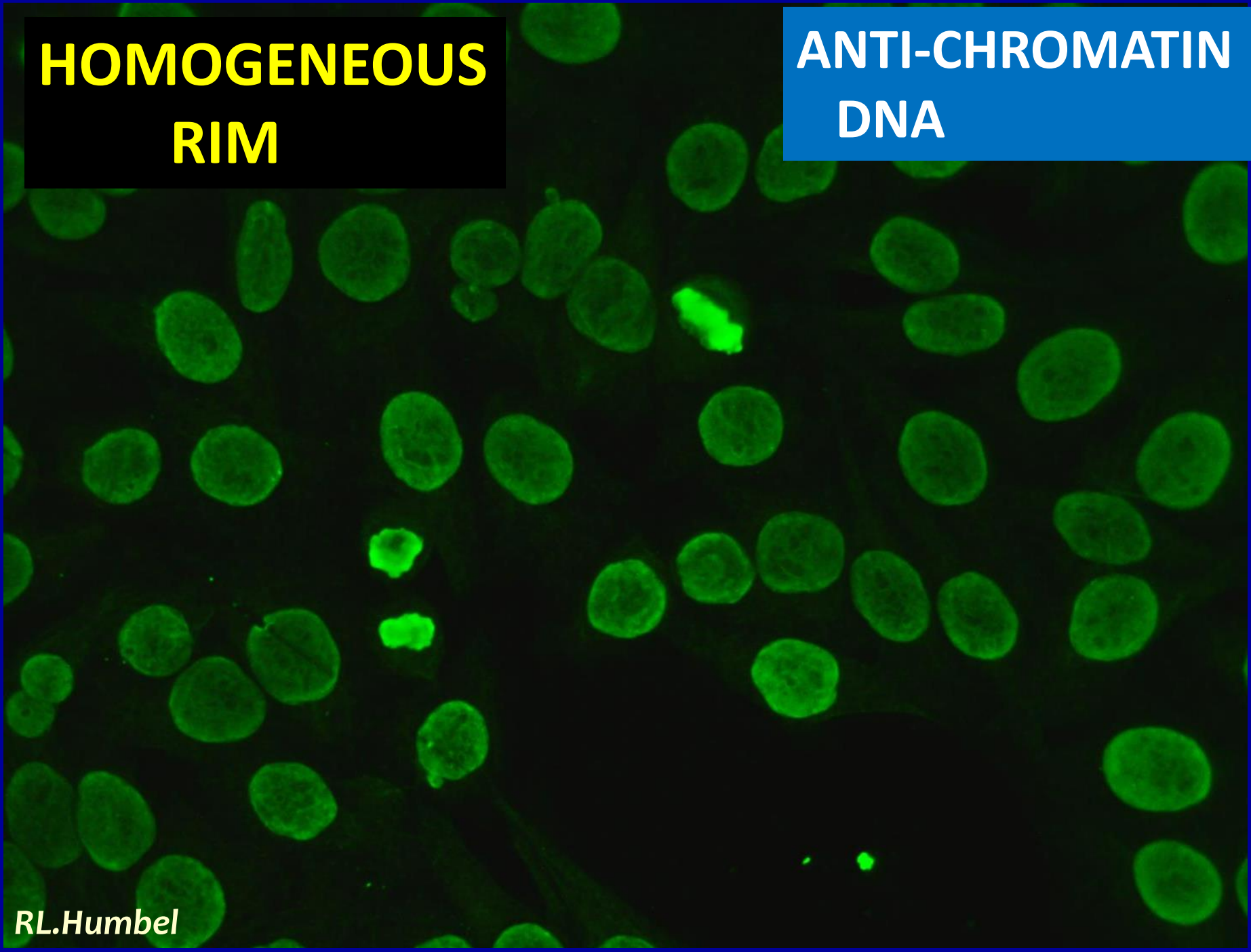
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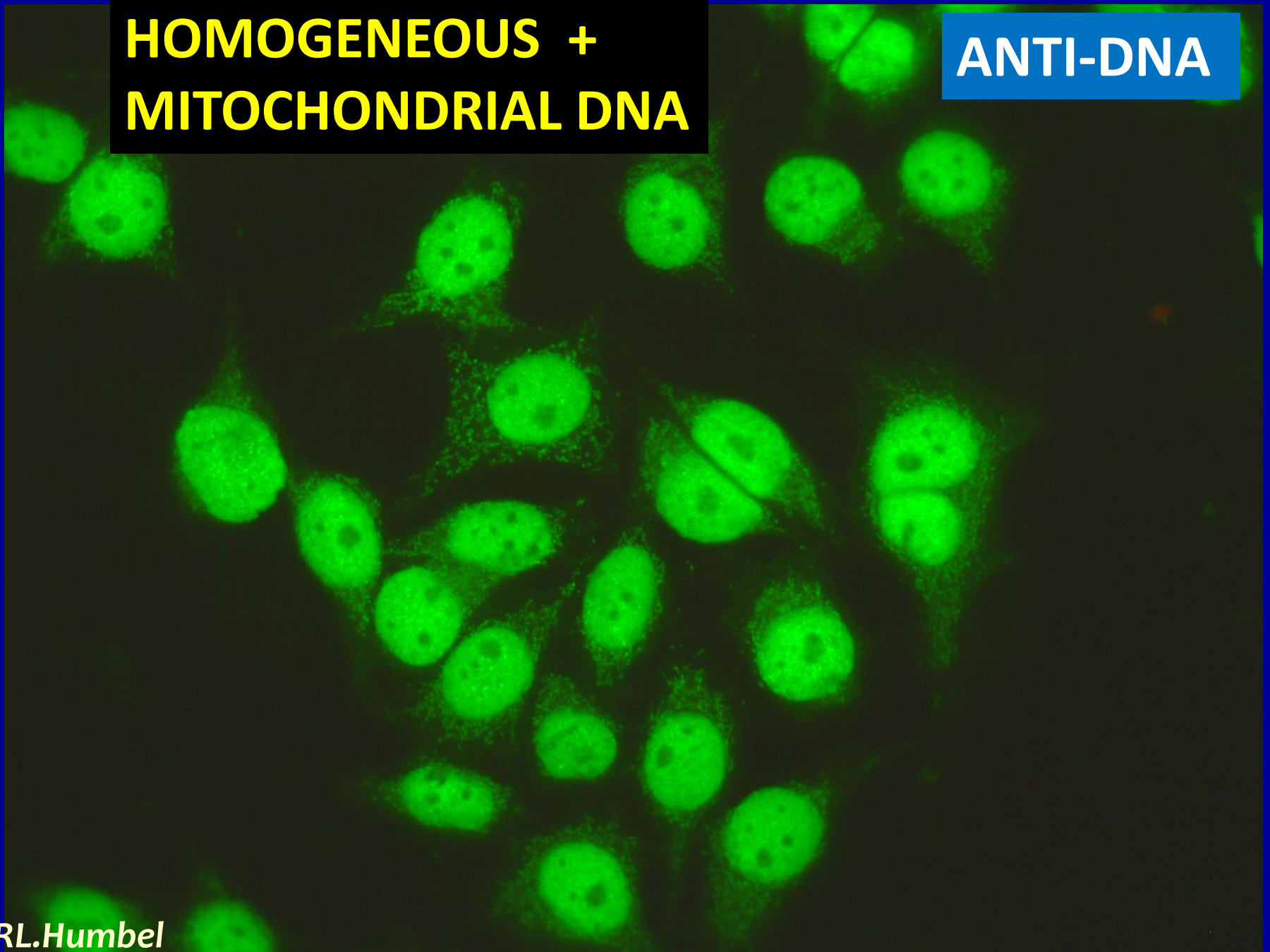
**HOMOGENEOUS
RIM**

**ANTI-CHROMATIN
DNA**



**HOMOGENEOUS +
MITOCHONDRIAL DNA**

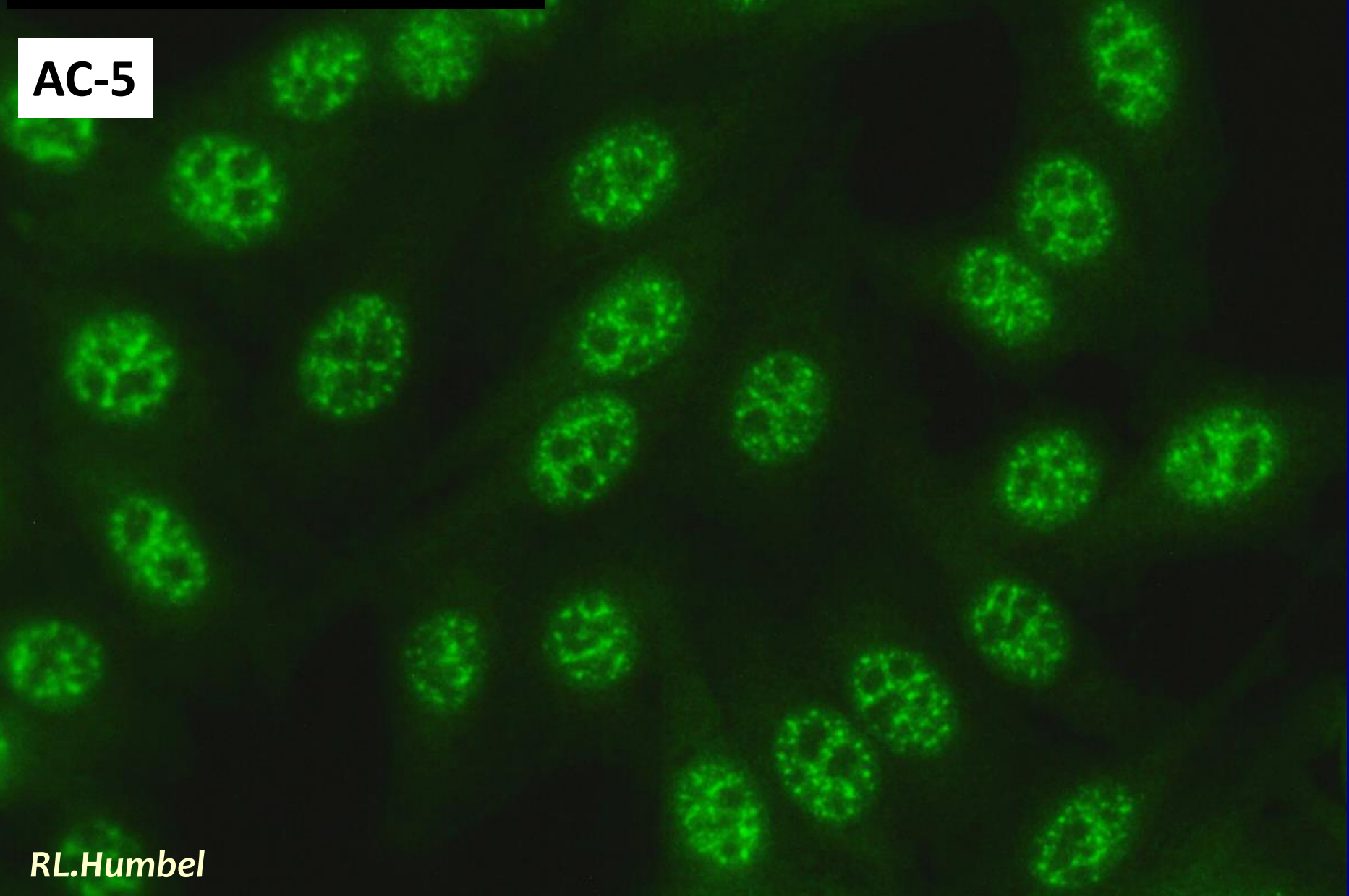
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LARGE SPECKLED

ANTI-NUCLEAR MATRIX

AC-5

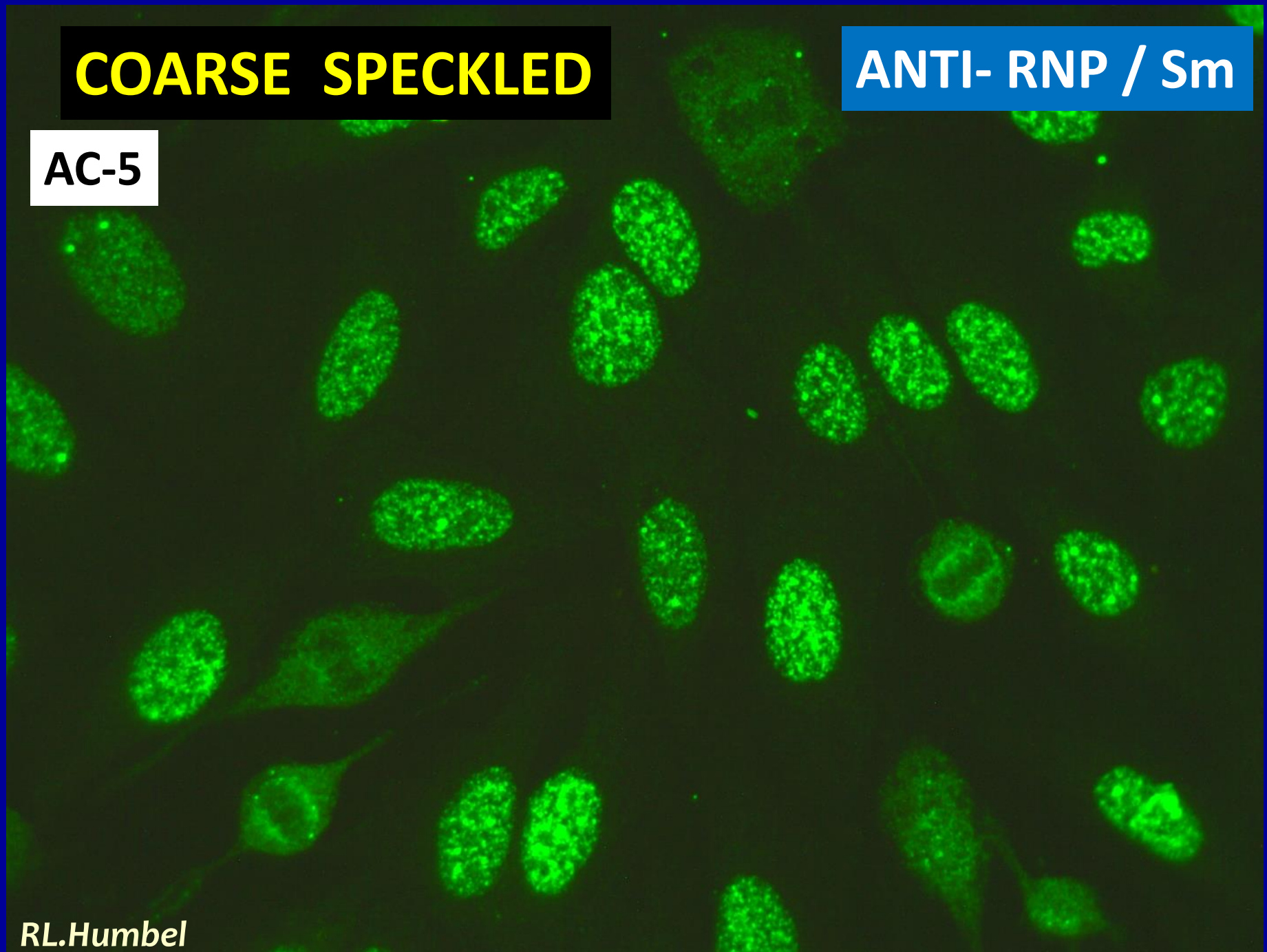


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COARSE SPECKLED

ANTI- RNP / Sm

AC-5



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**COARSE SPECKLED
+ CAJAL BODIES**

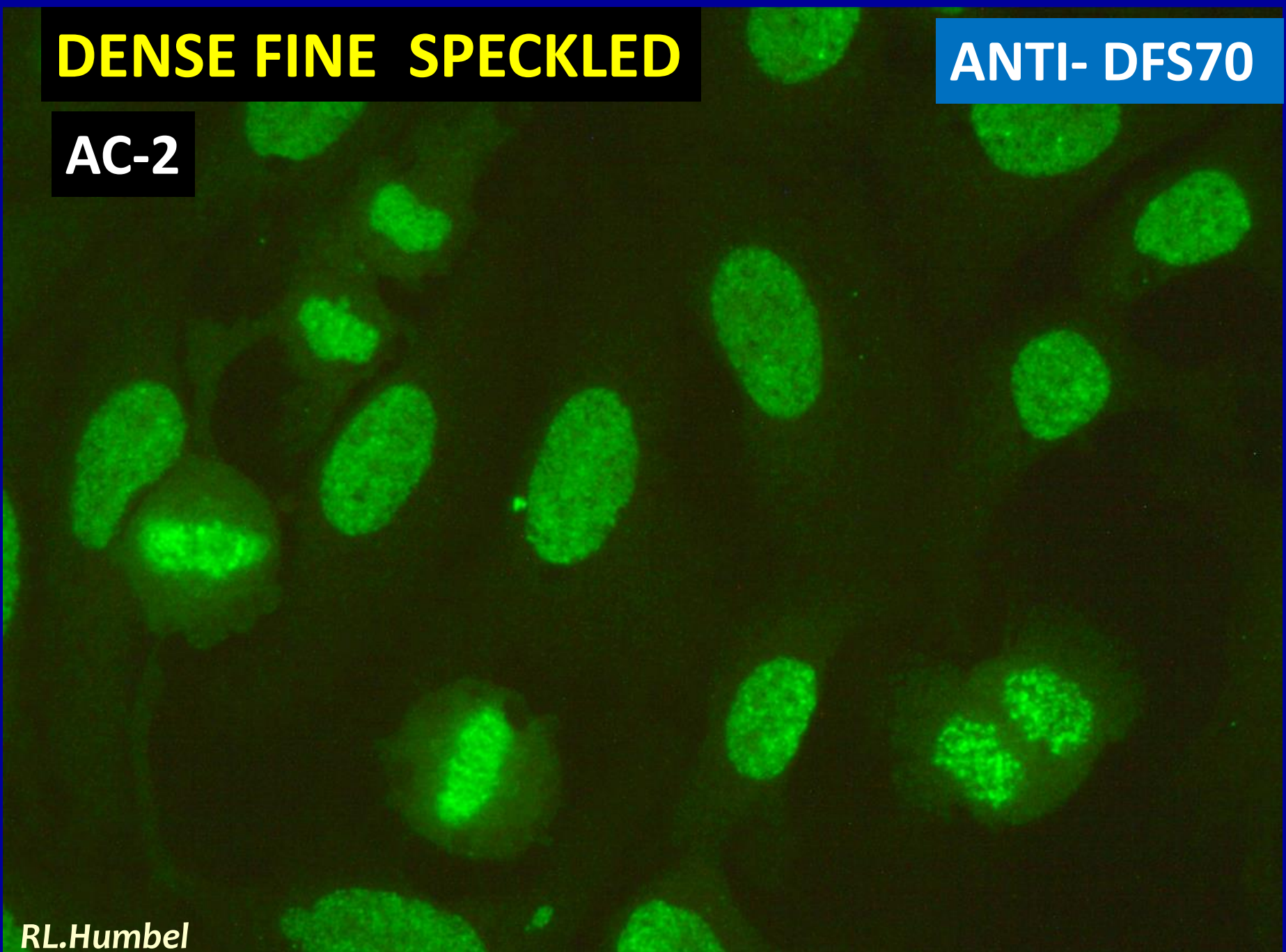
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DENSE FINE SPECKLED

ANTI- DFS70

AC-2

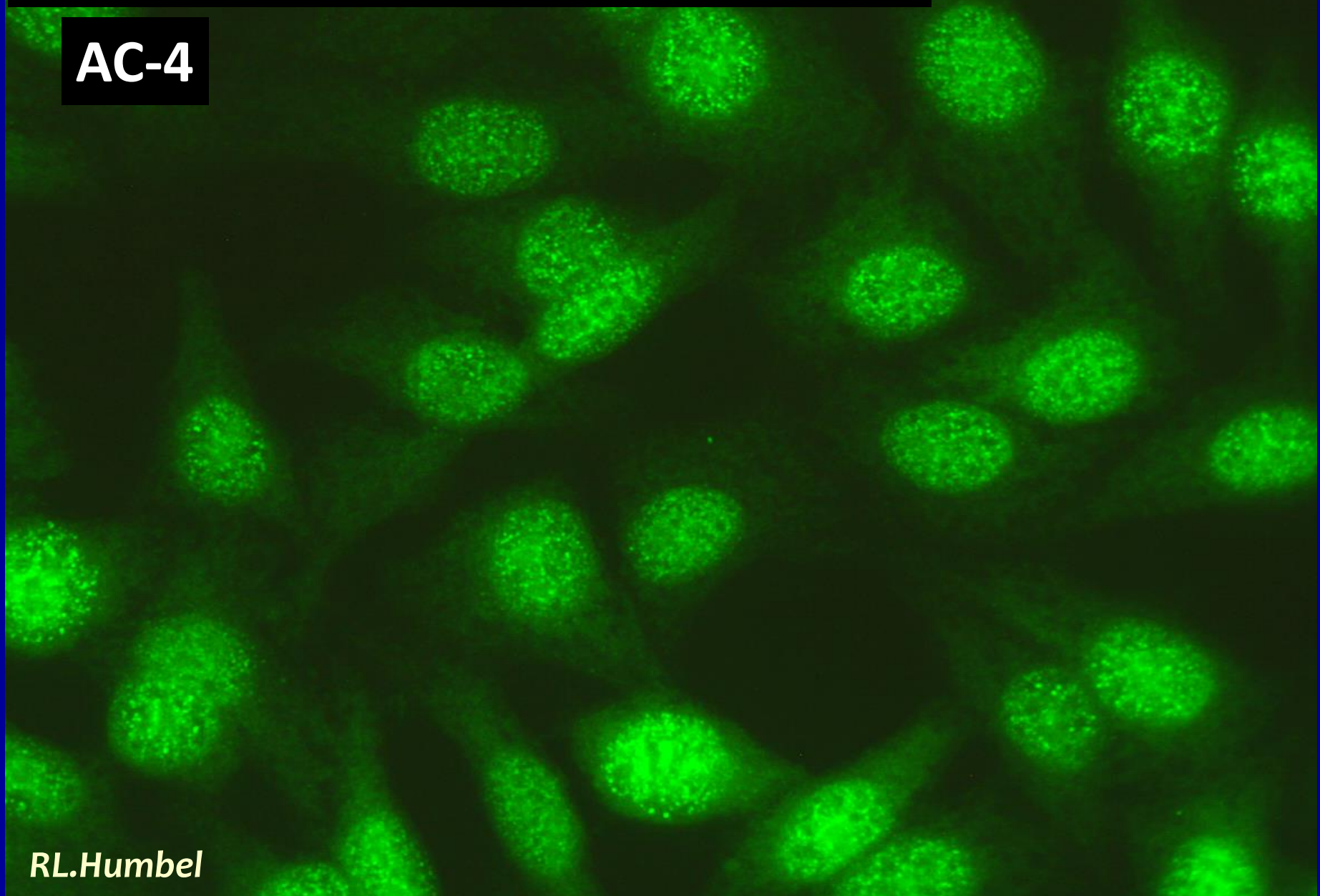


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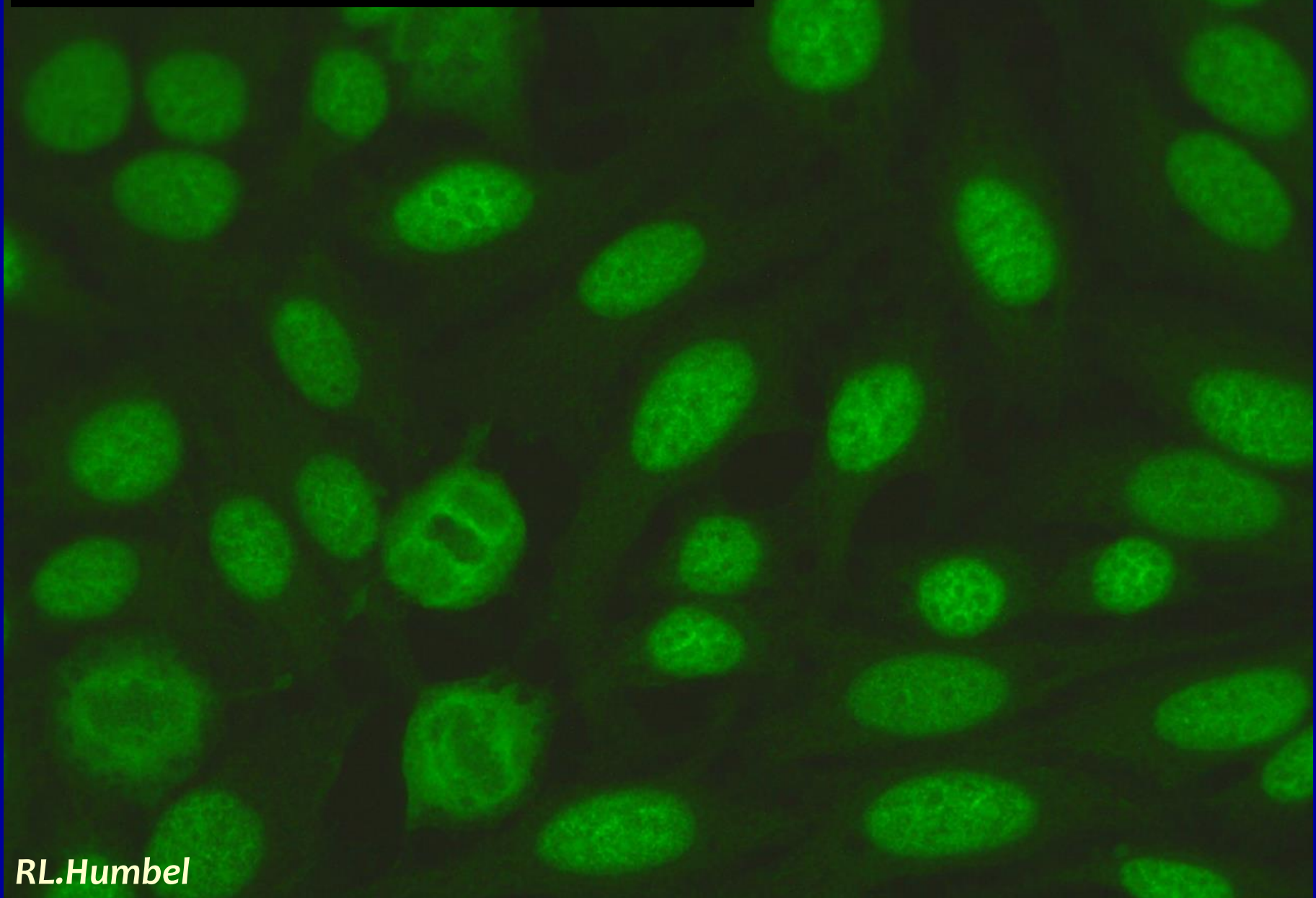
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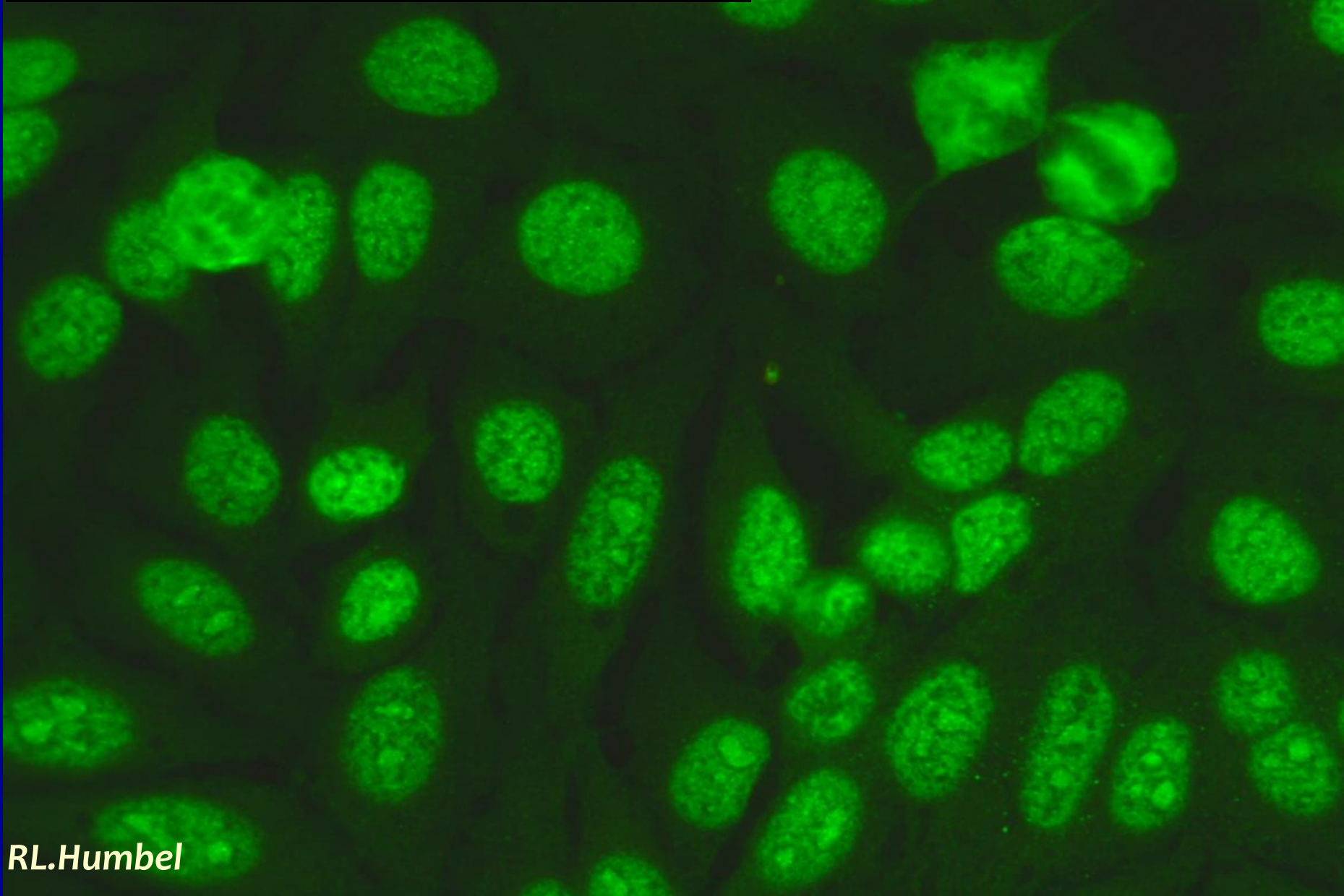
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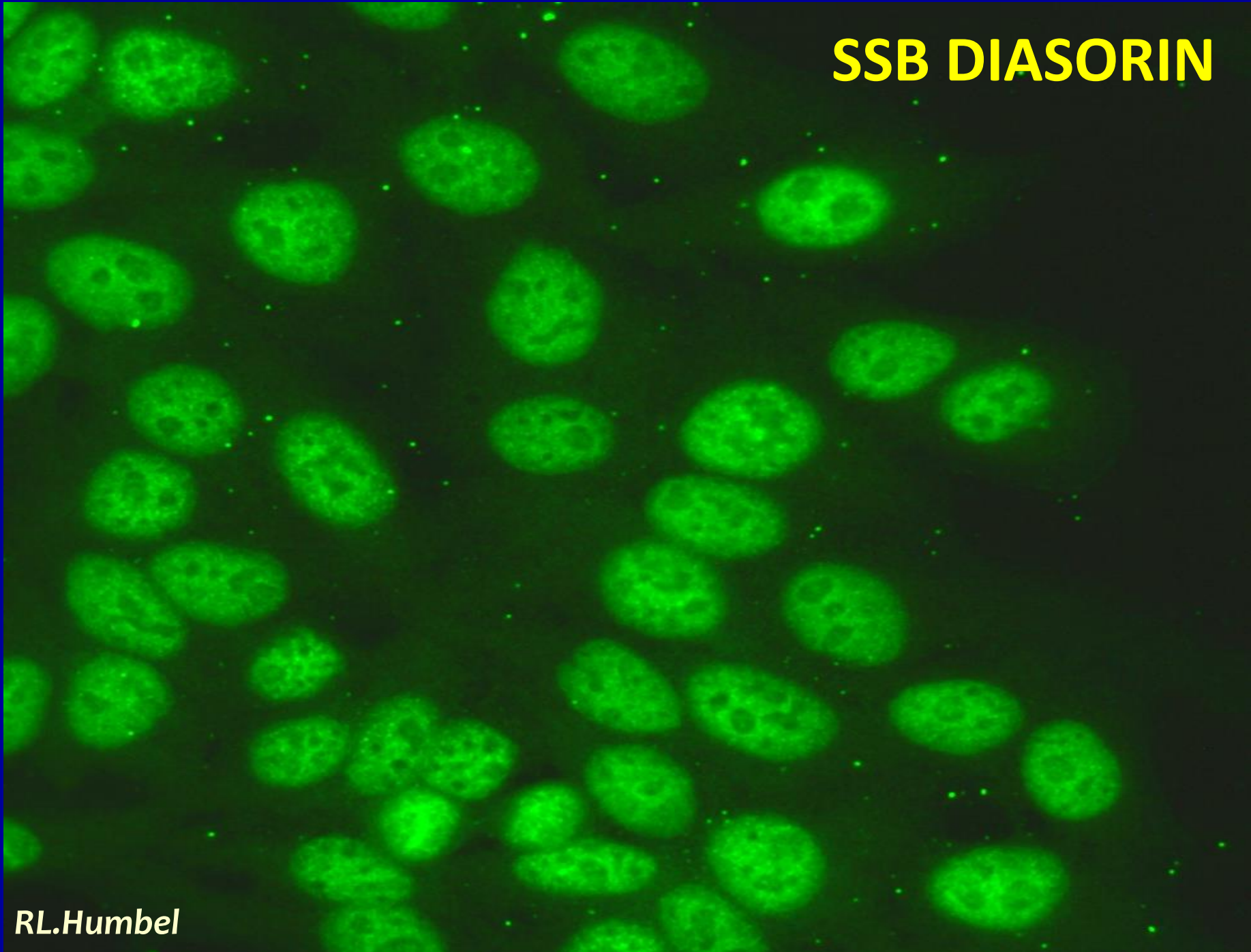
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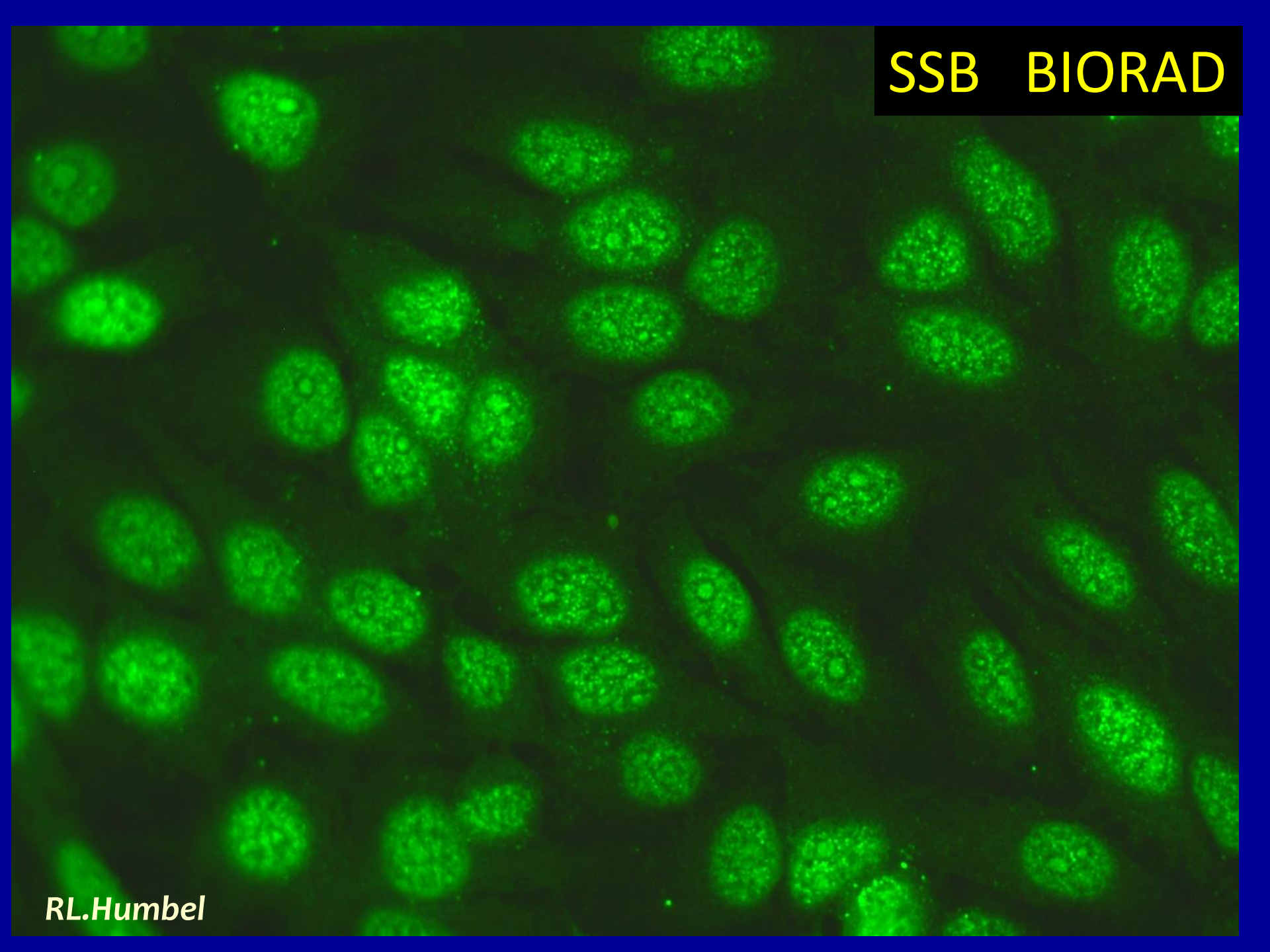
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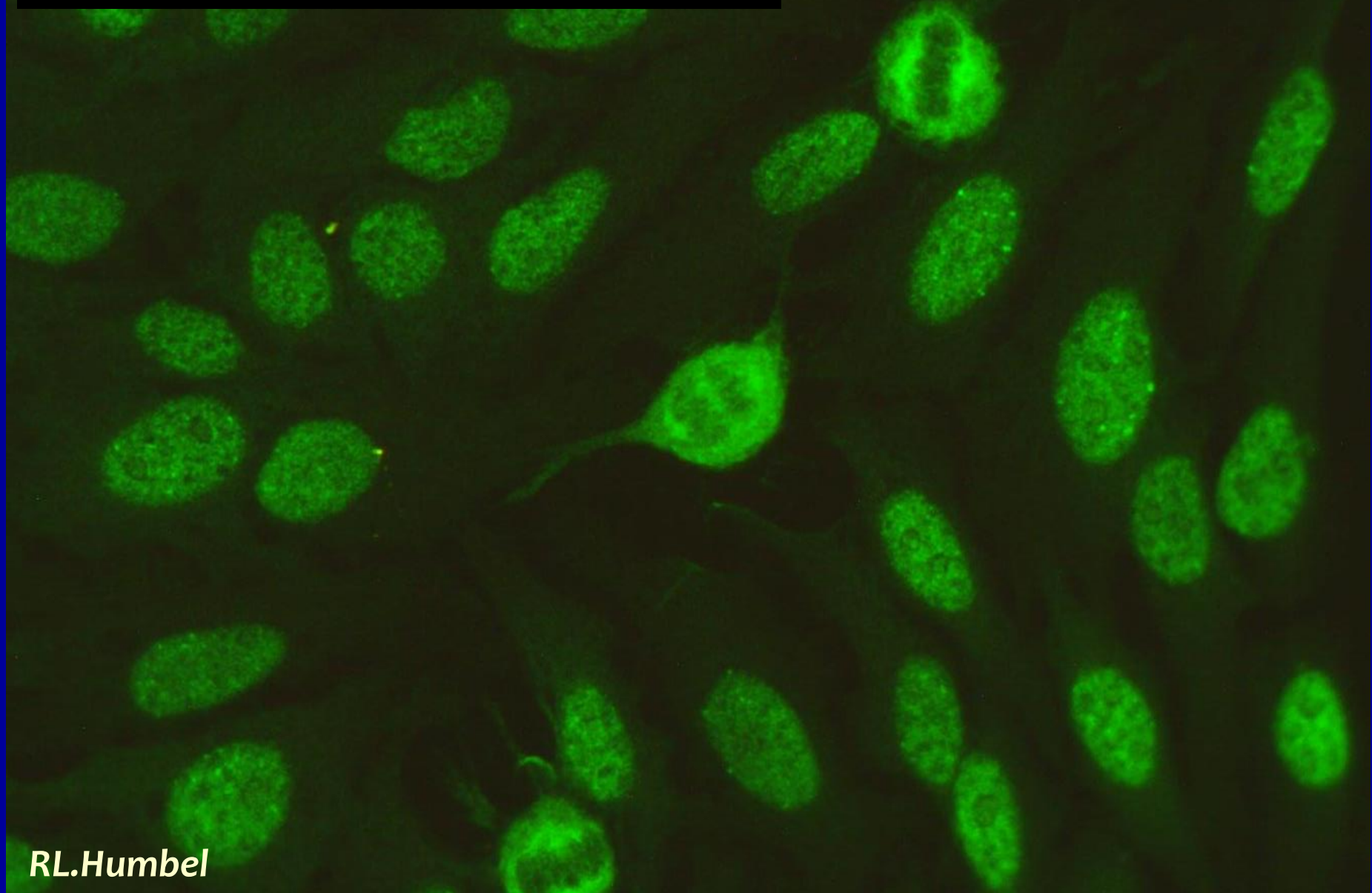
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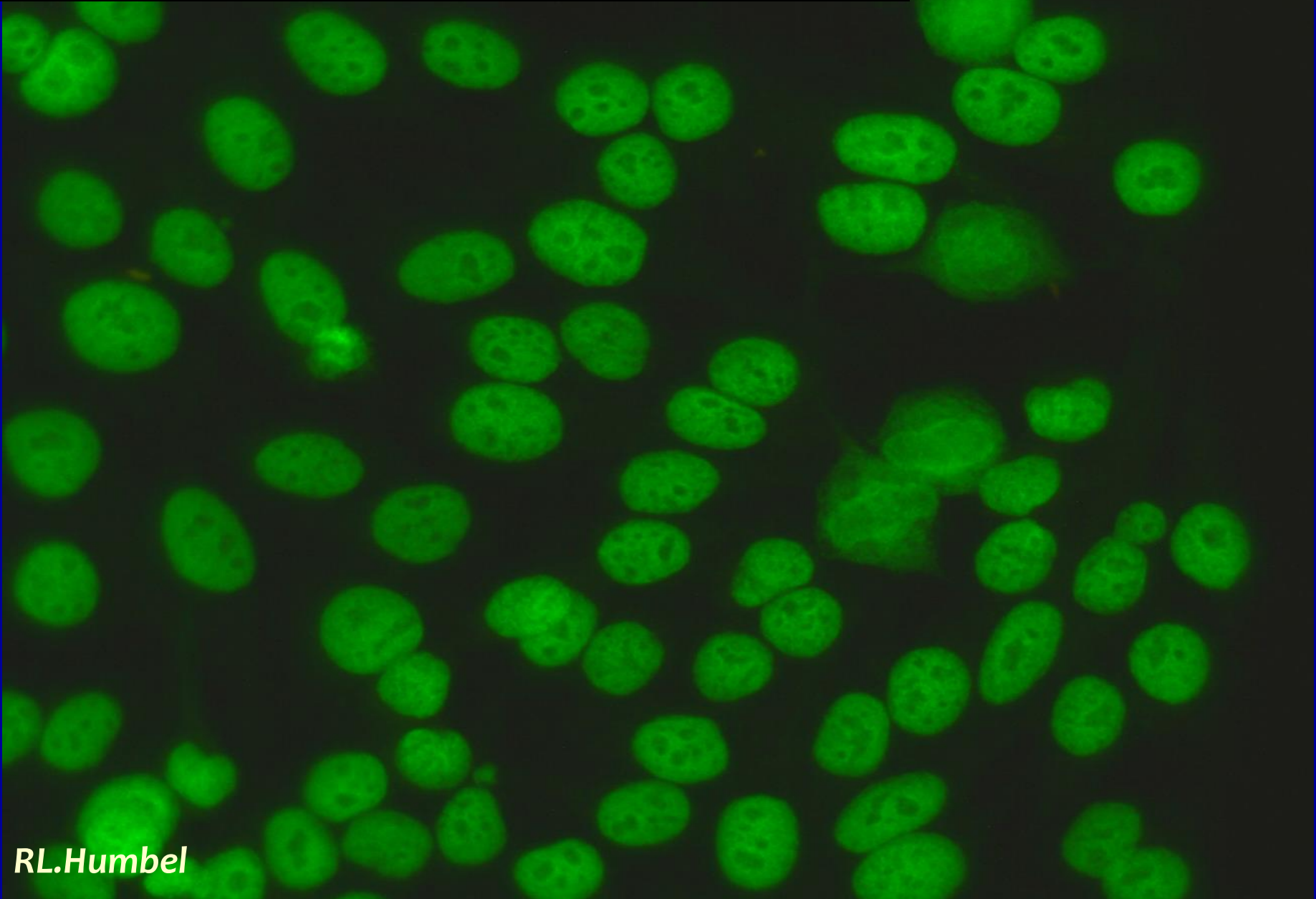
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VERY DENSE FINE GRANULAR

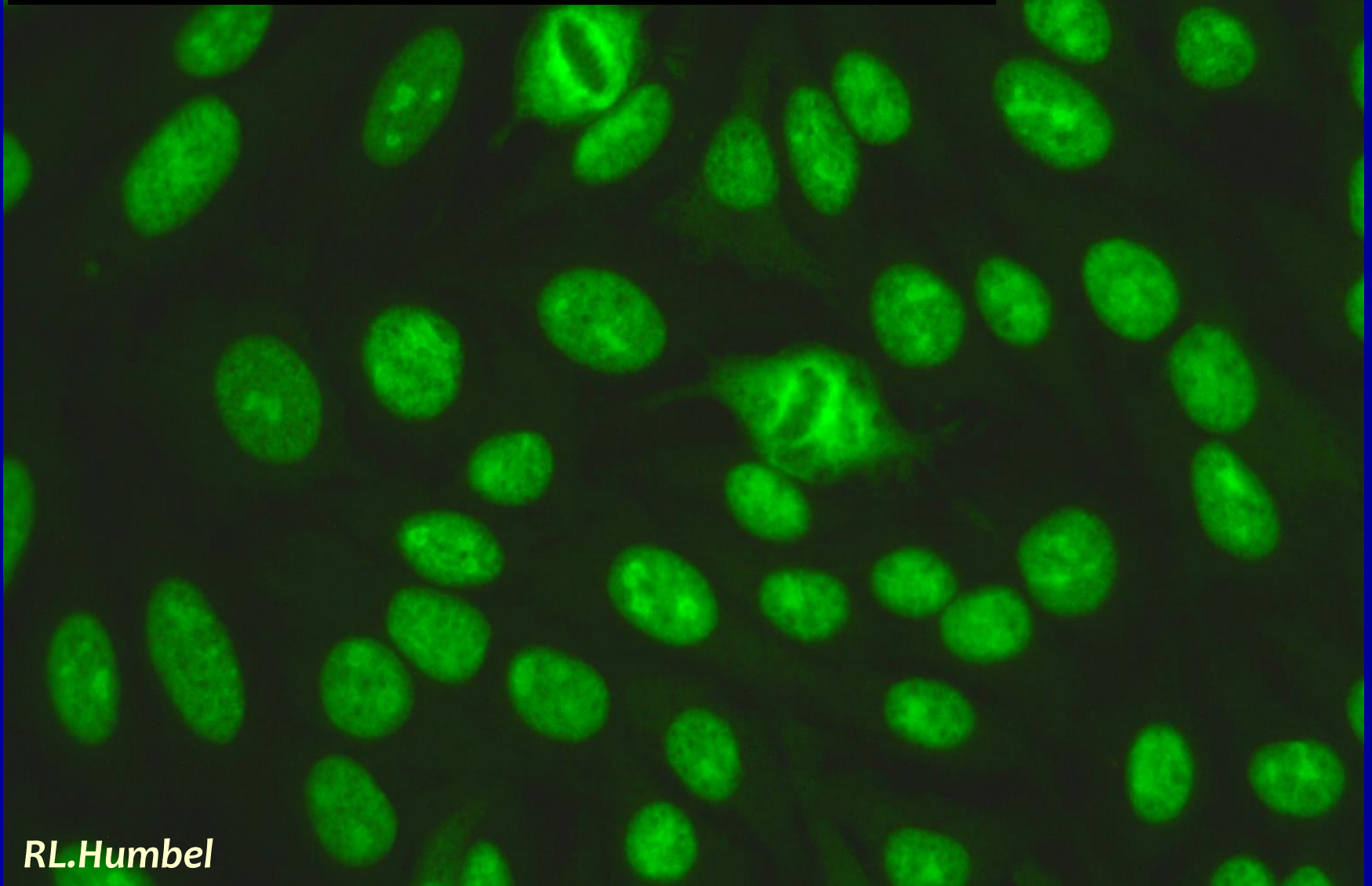
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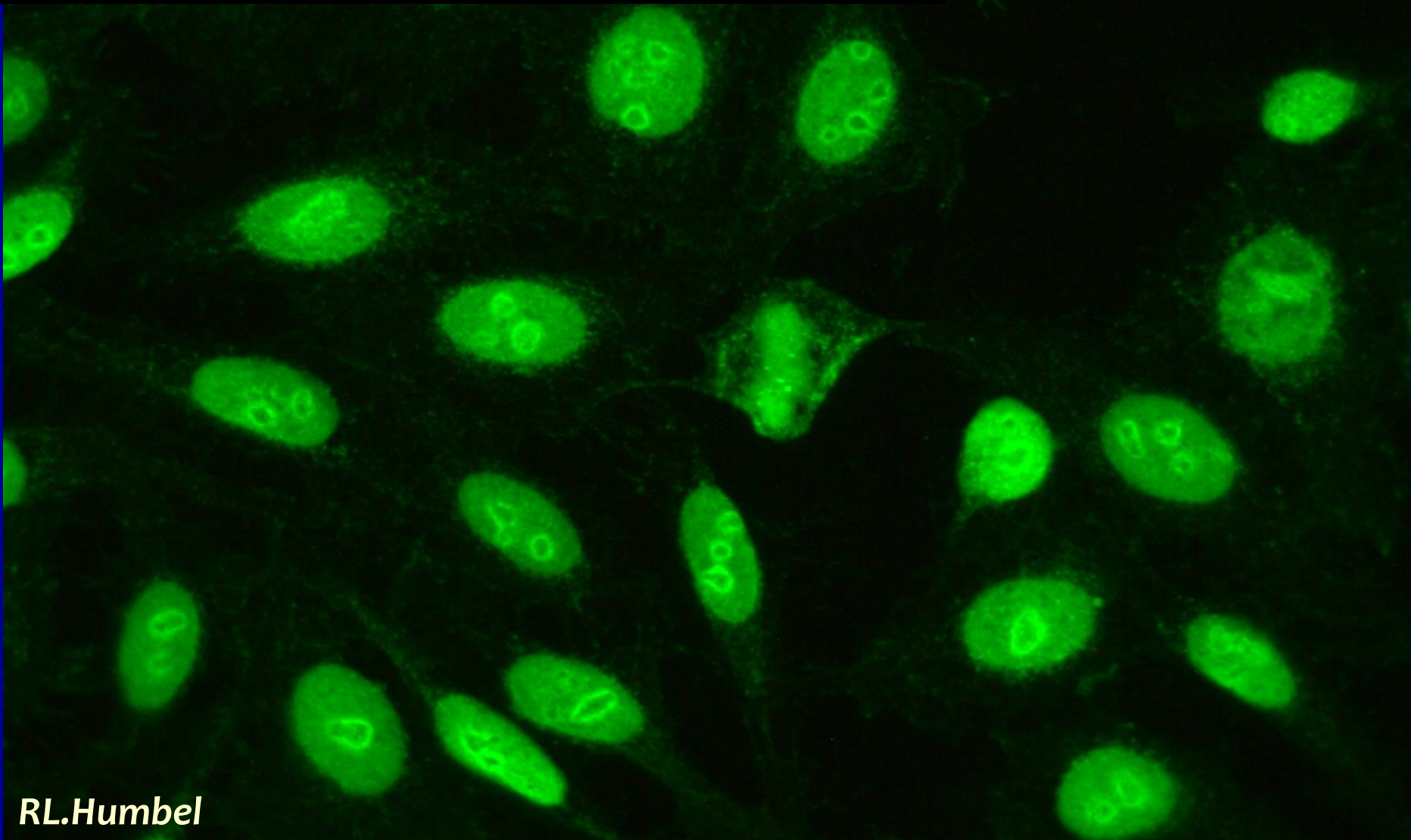
**VERY DENSE FINE GRANULAR
NUCLEOLI / PERIMITOTIC**



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**VERY DENSE FINE GRANULAR
NUCLEOLI / MITOTIS NOR**

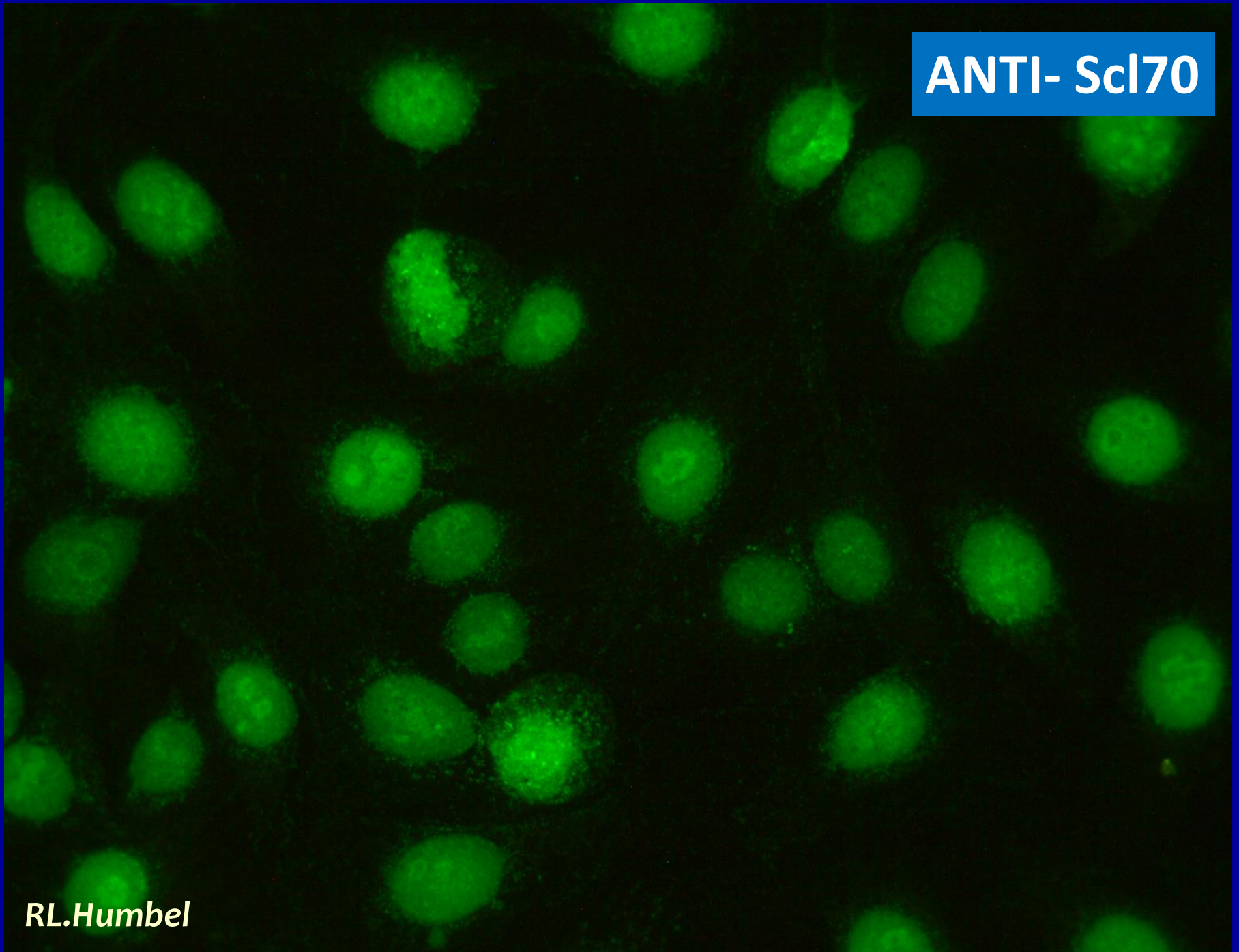
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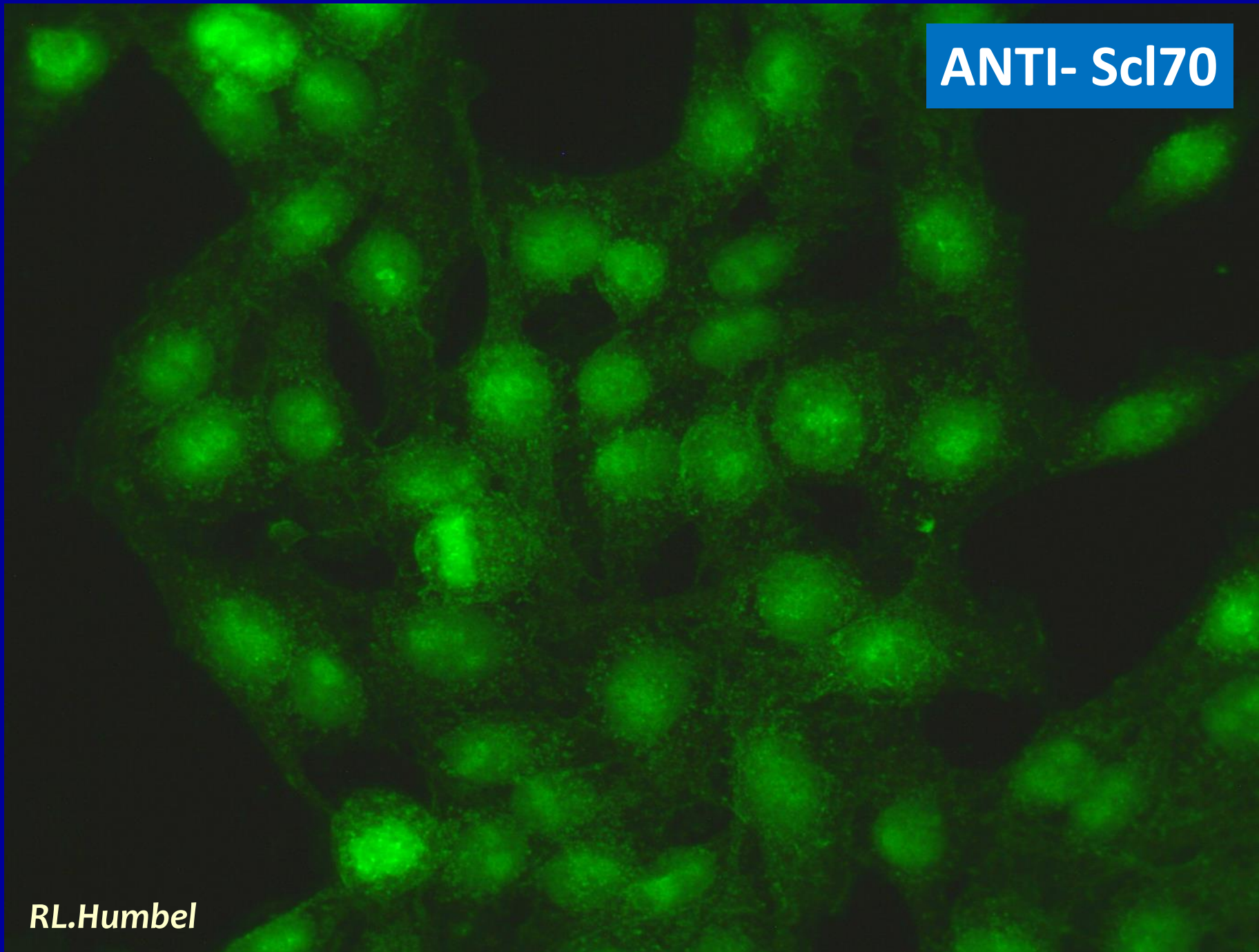
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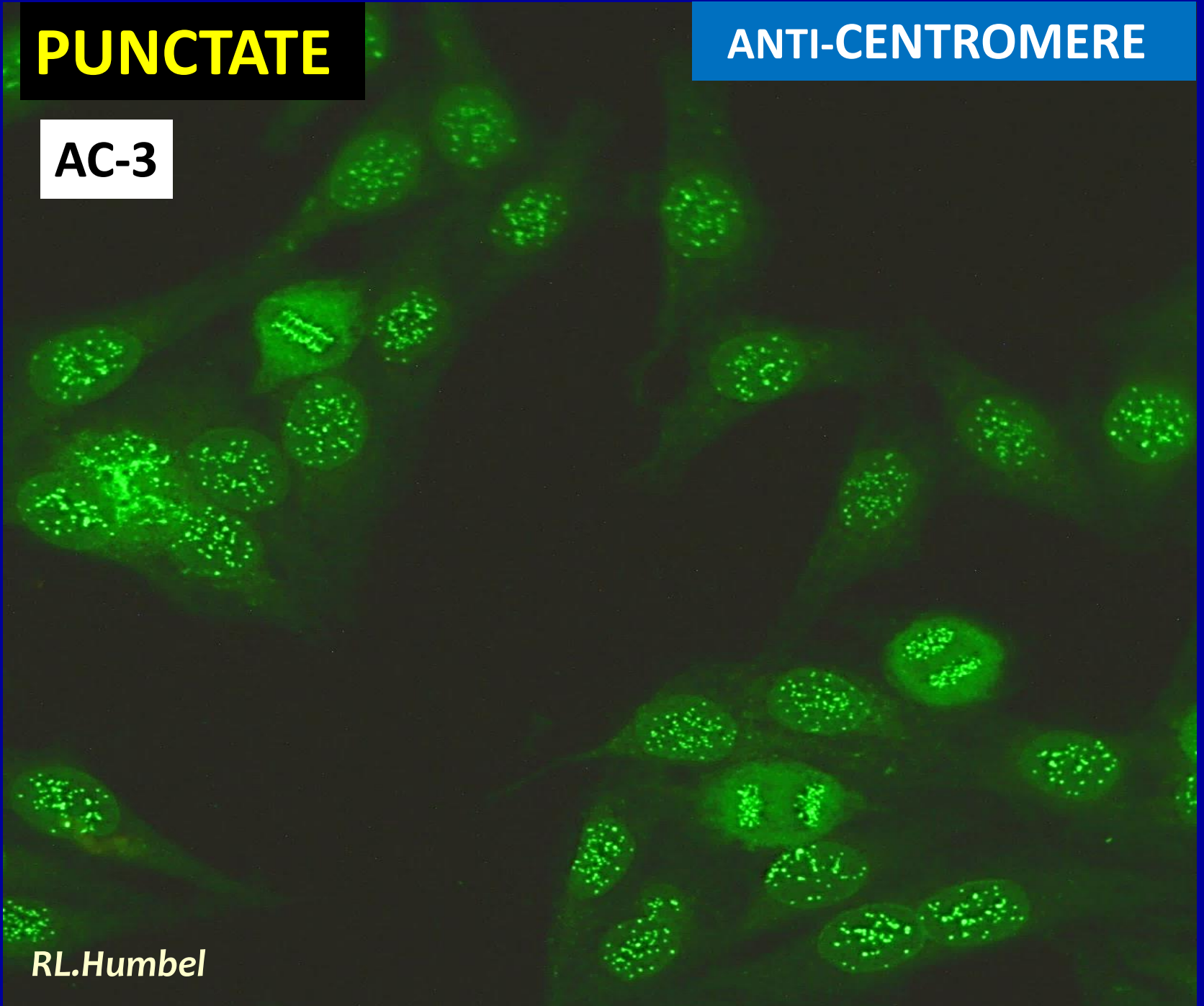
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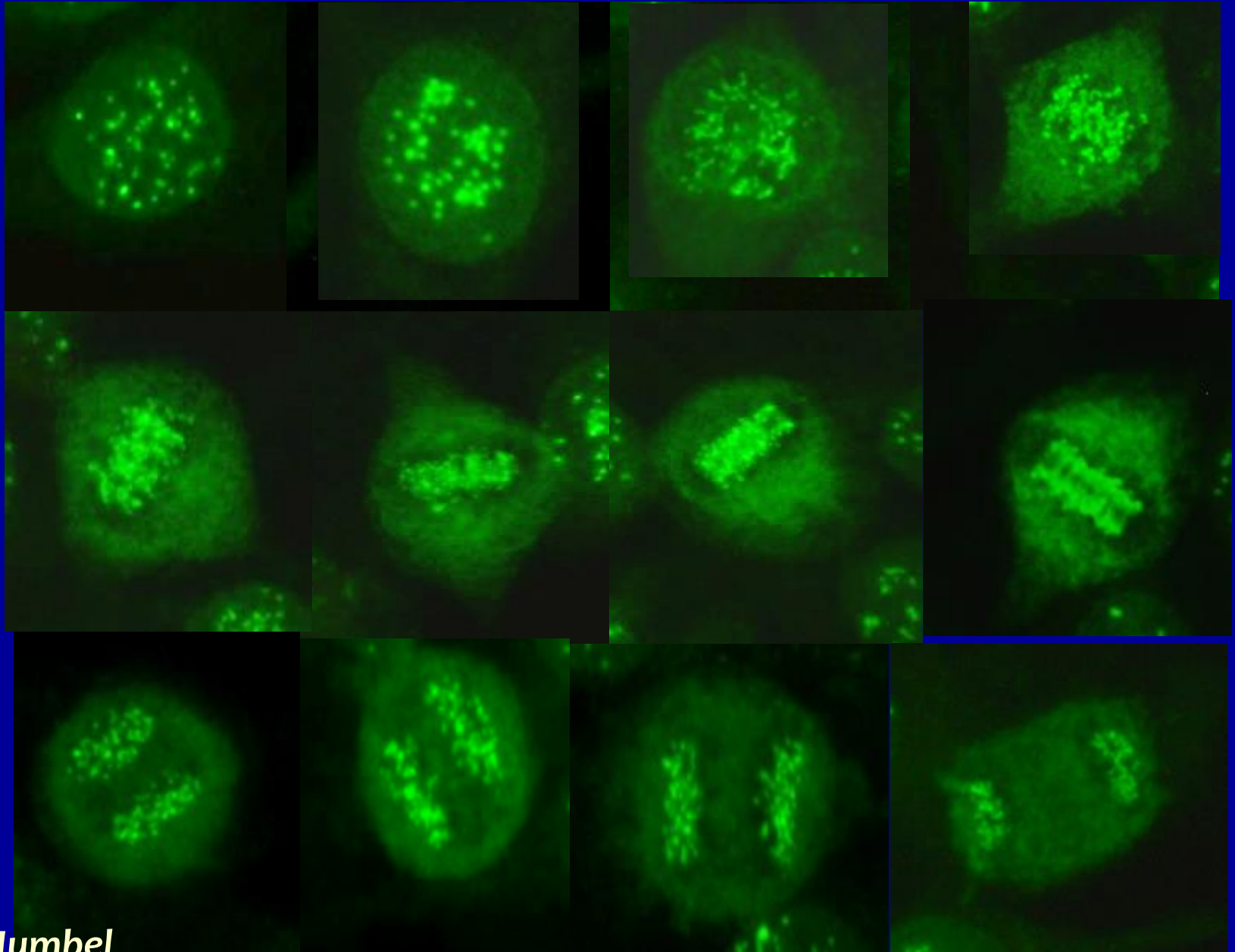
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AC-3

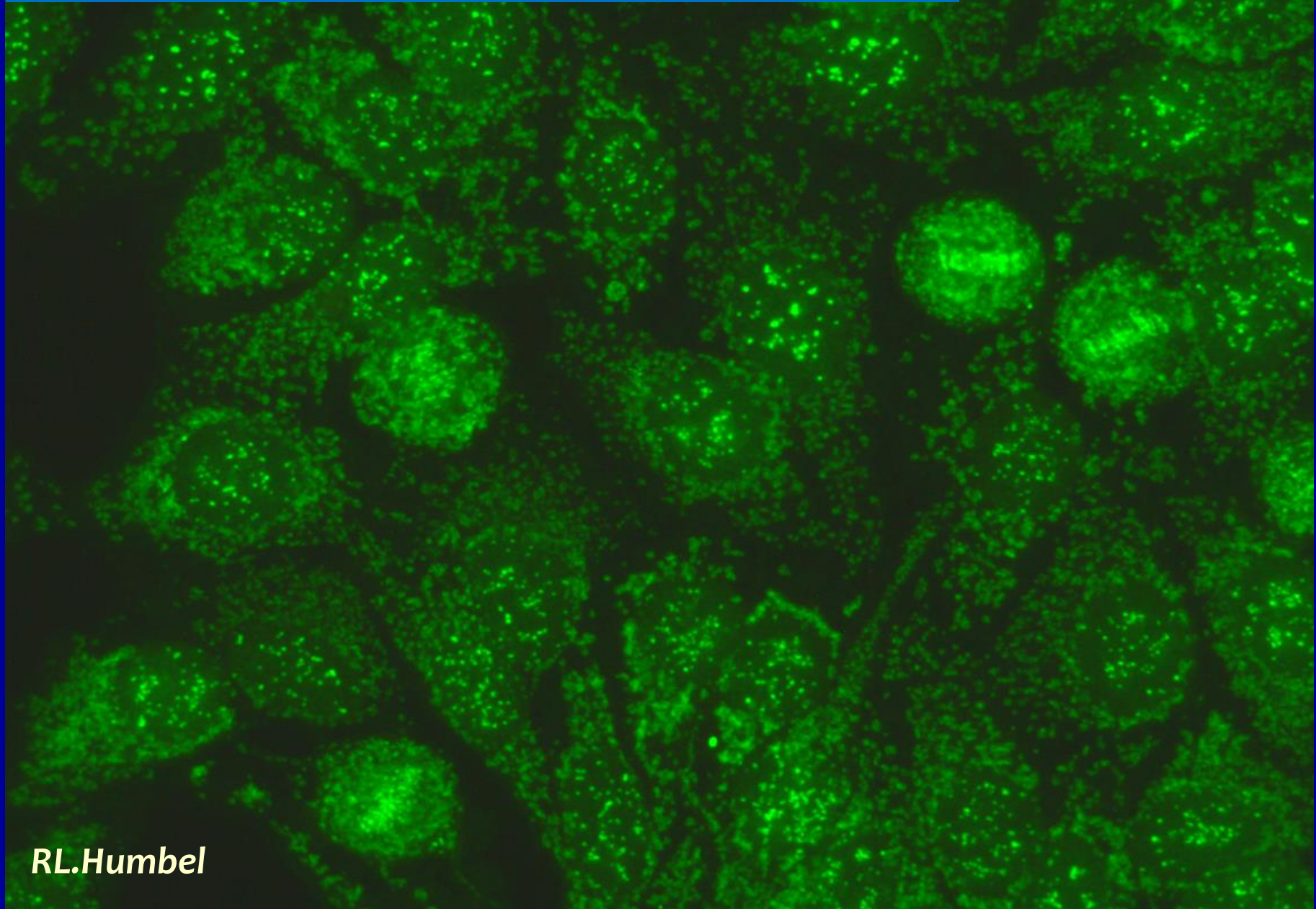


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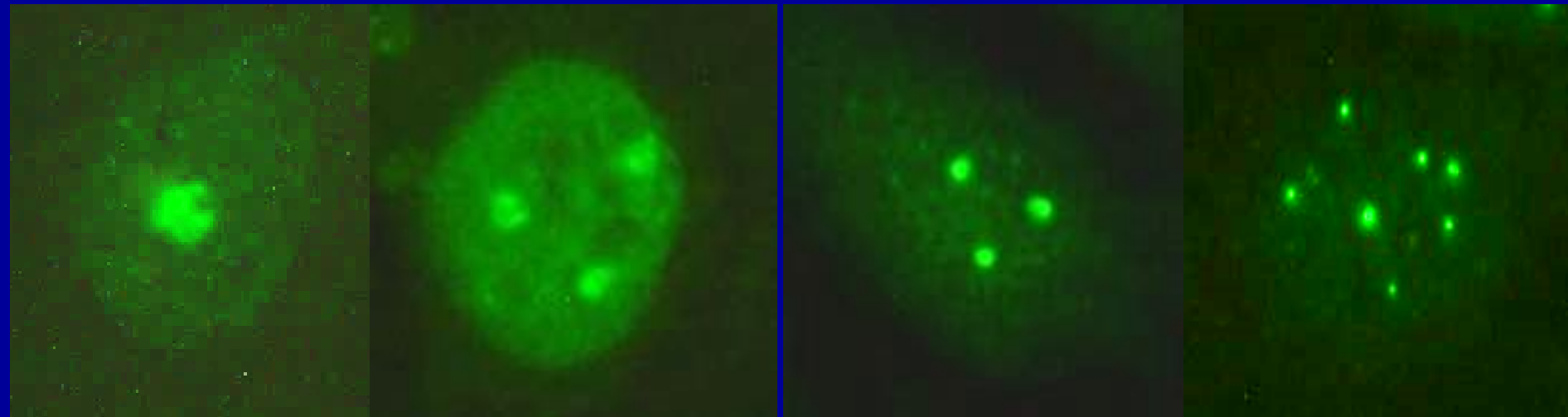


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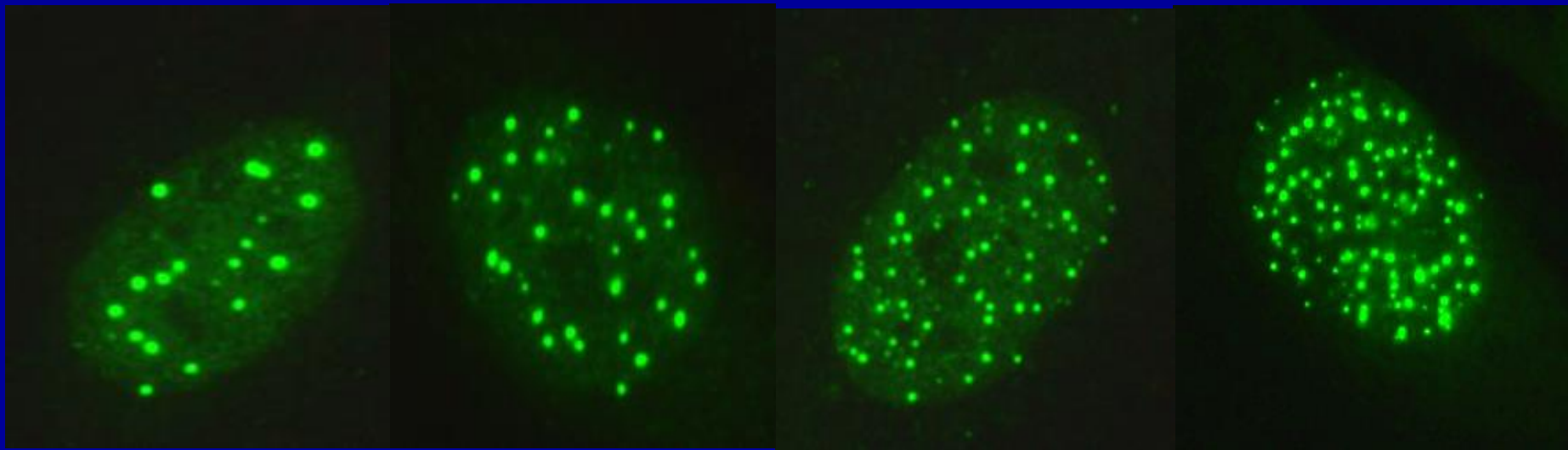


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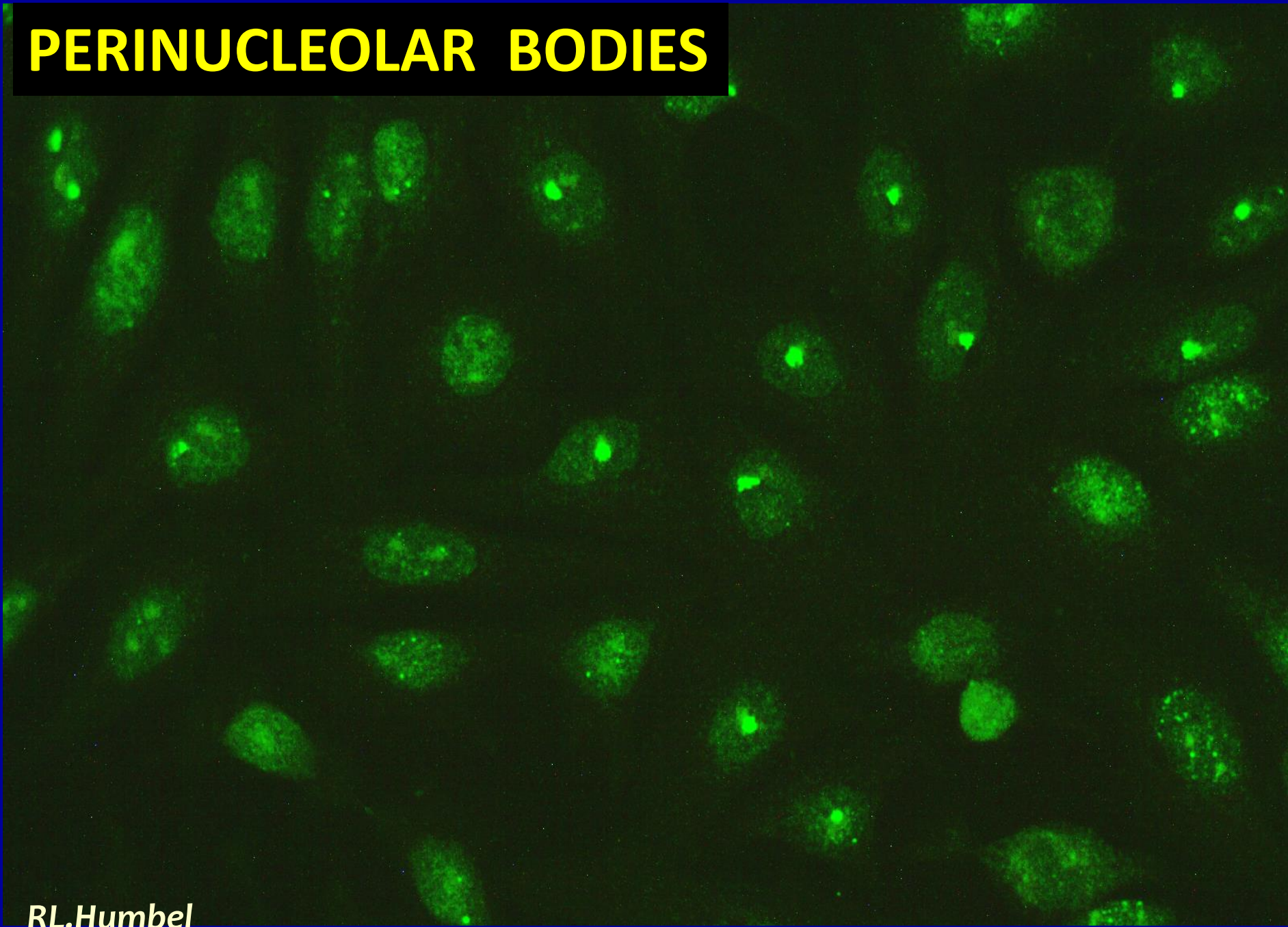
NUCLEAR DOTS



MULTIPLE NUCLEAR DOTS



PERINUCLEOLAR BODIES

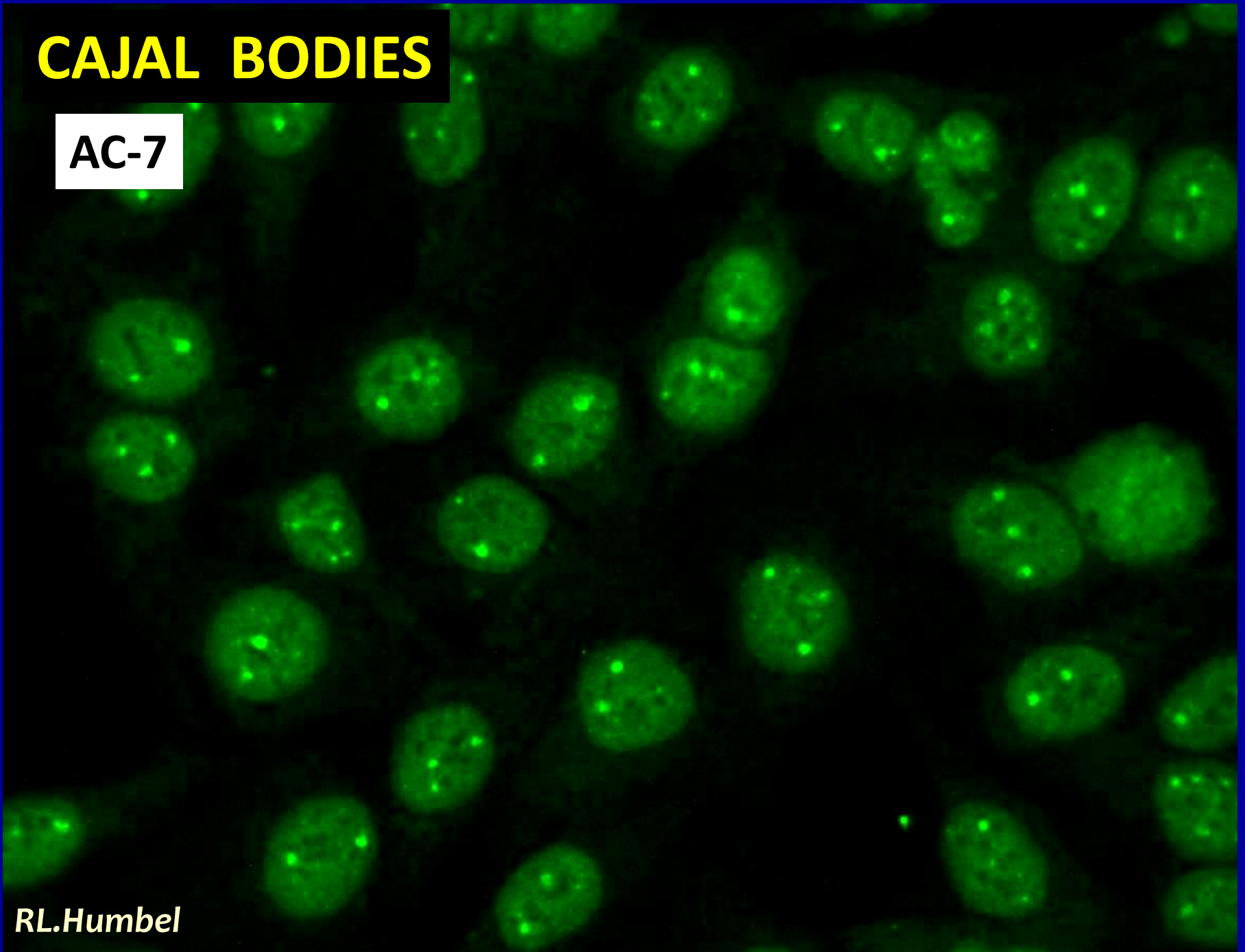


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CAJAL BODIES

AC-7

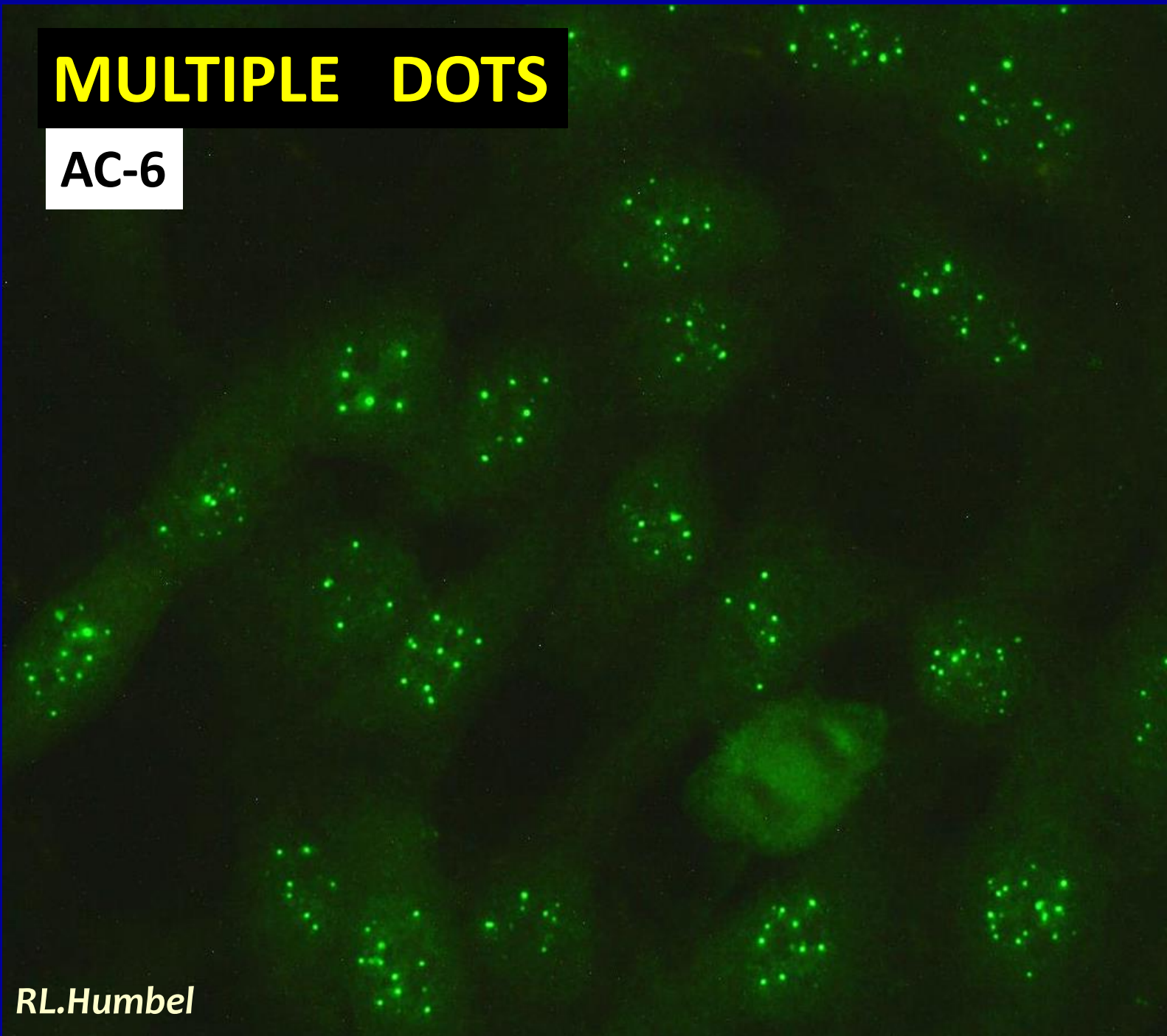
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MULTIPLE DOTS

AC-6

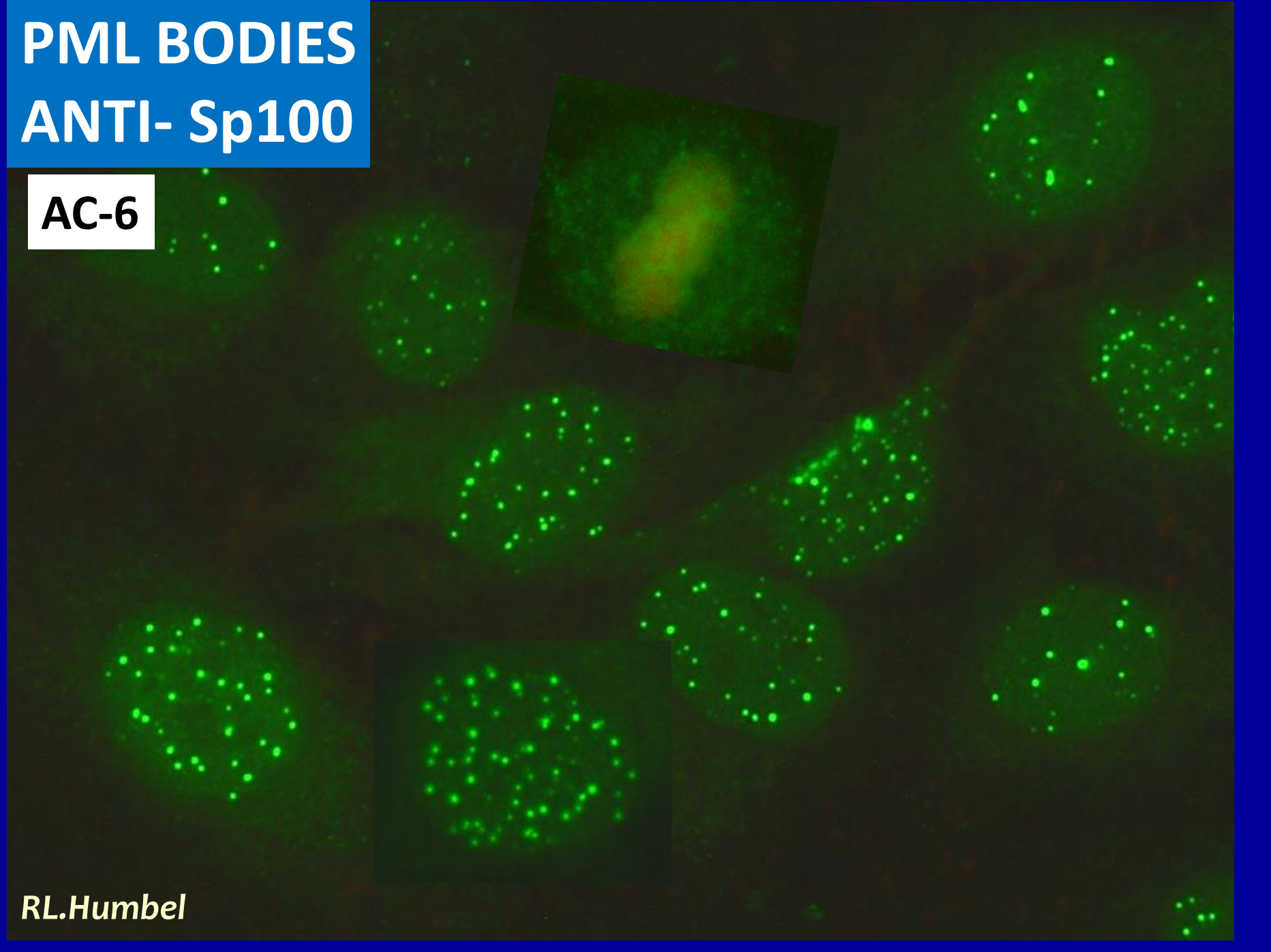
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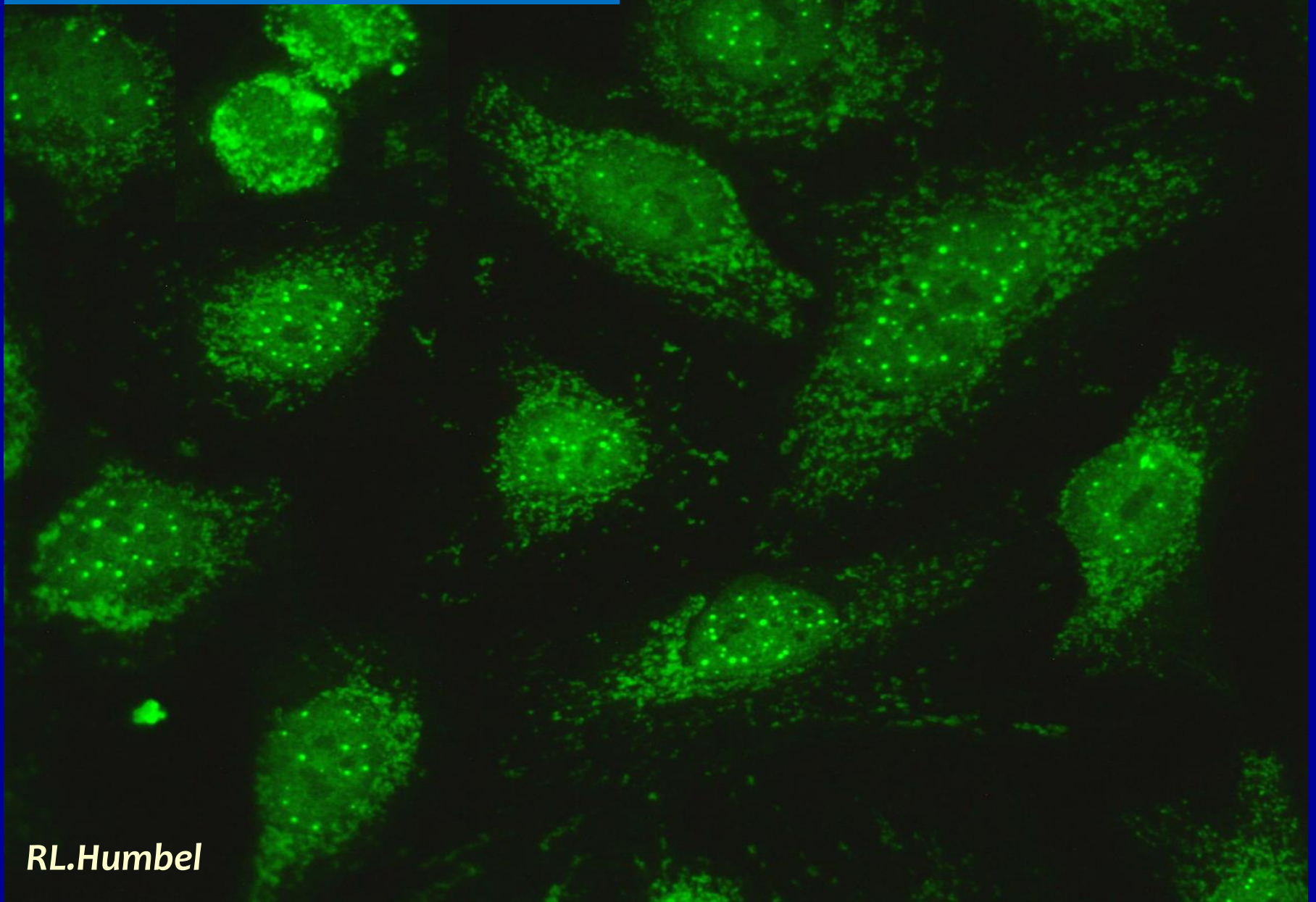
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AC-6

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ANTI- Sp100 + AMA



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MEMBRANOUS LINEAR HOMOGENEOUS

AC-11

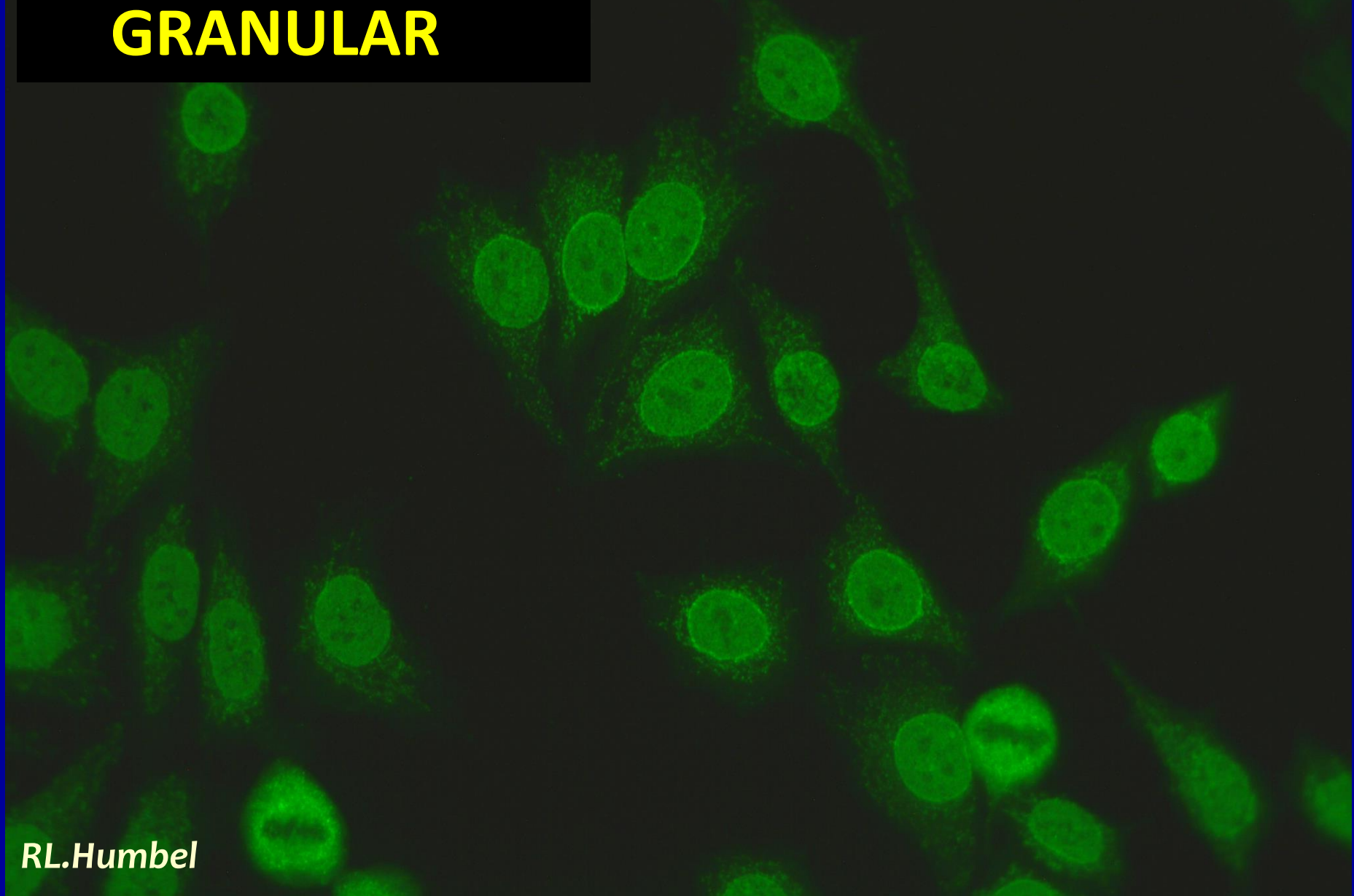
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A fluorescence micrograph showing numerous cells with bright green, linear, and homogeneous staining. The cells are mostly oval-shaped and appear to be arranged in a somewhat regular pattern. The staining is concentrated in the cytoplasm and along the cell periphery, creating a bright green outline and internal structure. The background is dark, making the green-stained cells stand out prominently.

MEMBRANOUS LINEAR HOMOGENEOUS

**MEMBRANOUS
GRANULAR**

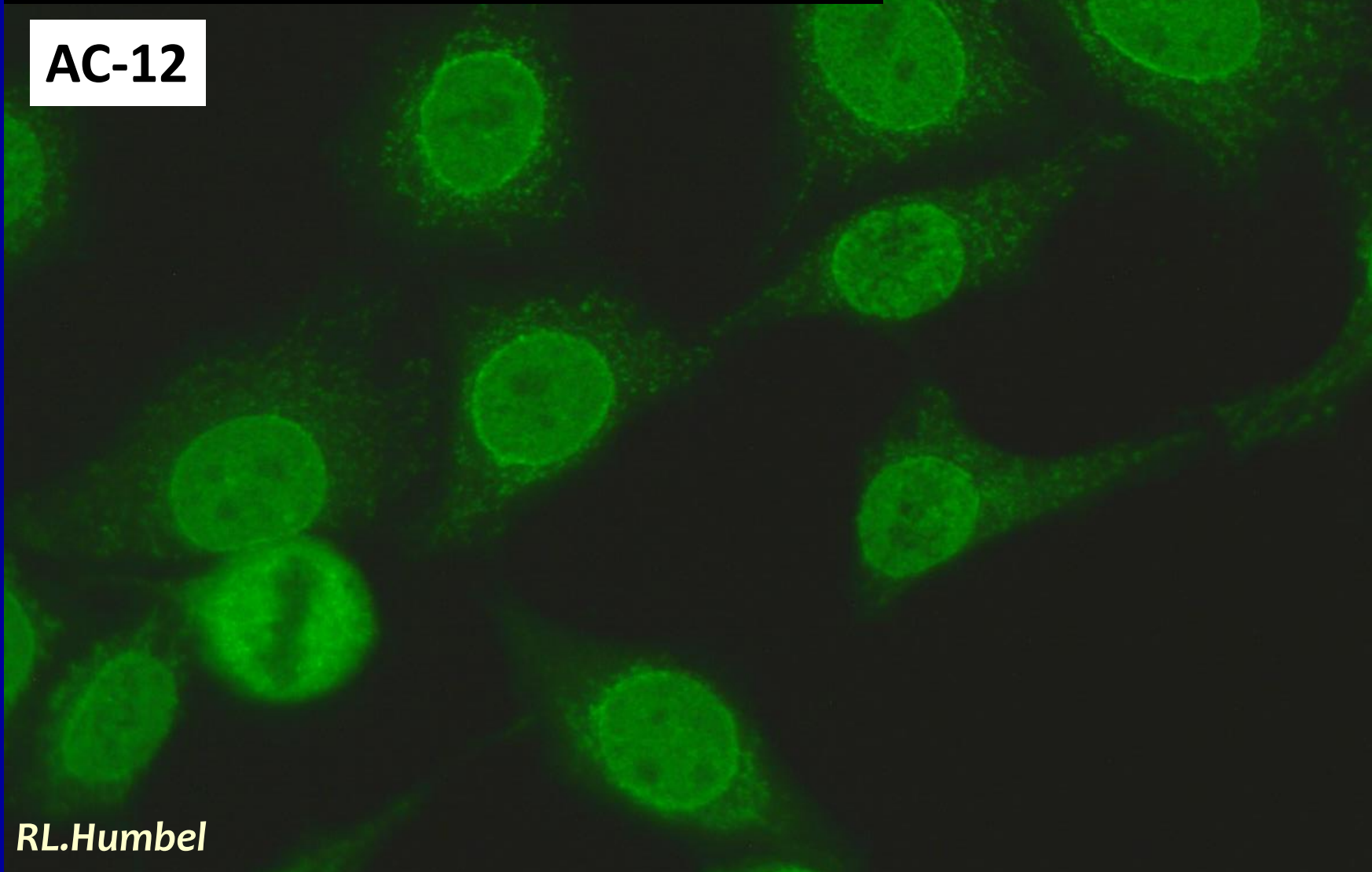
ANTI-NUCLEAR PORES



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MEMBRANOUS GRANULAR / PUNCTATED

AC-12

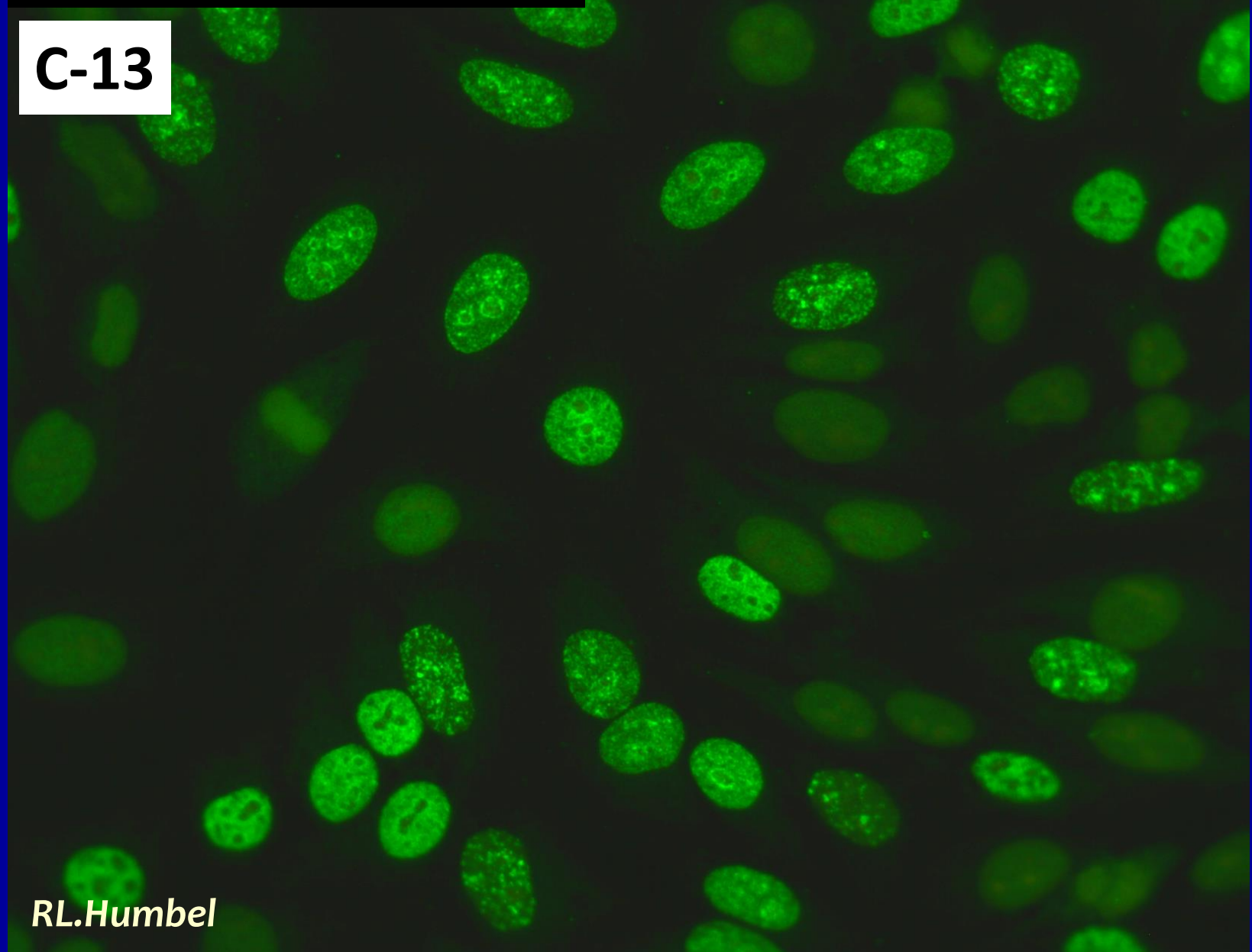


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PLEOMORPHIC

ANTI- PCNA

C-13

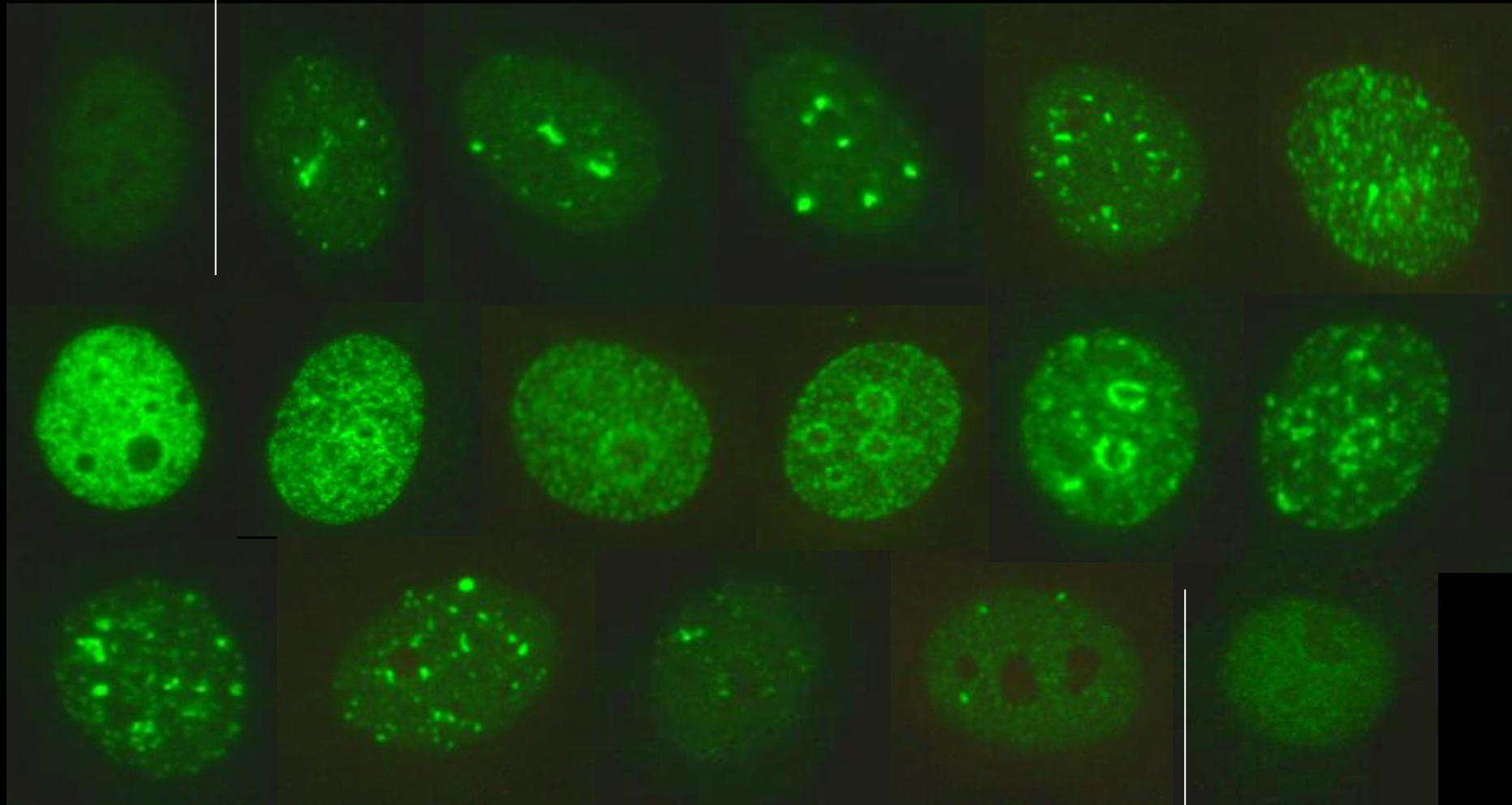


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ANTI-PCNA

G1

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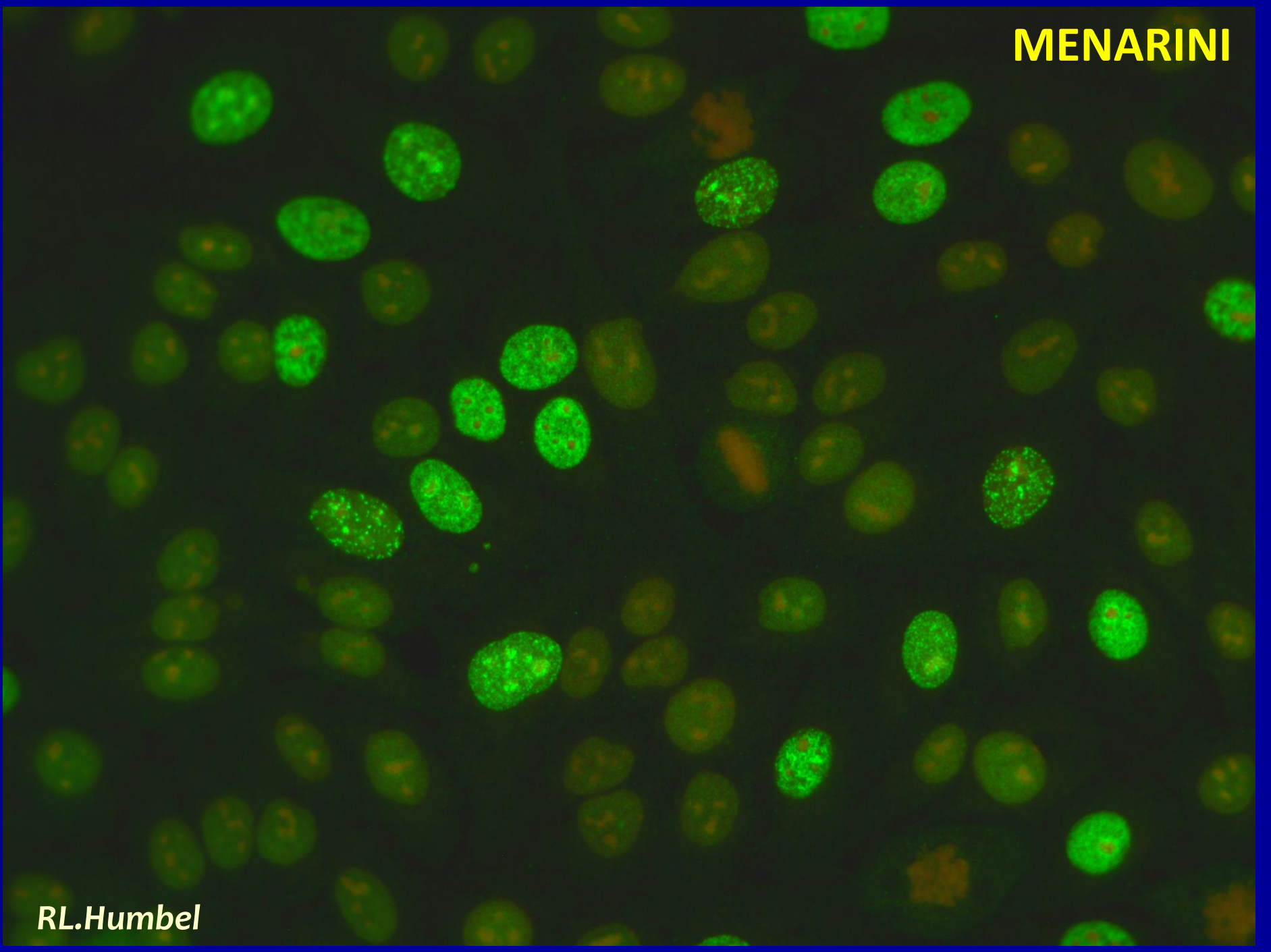


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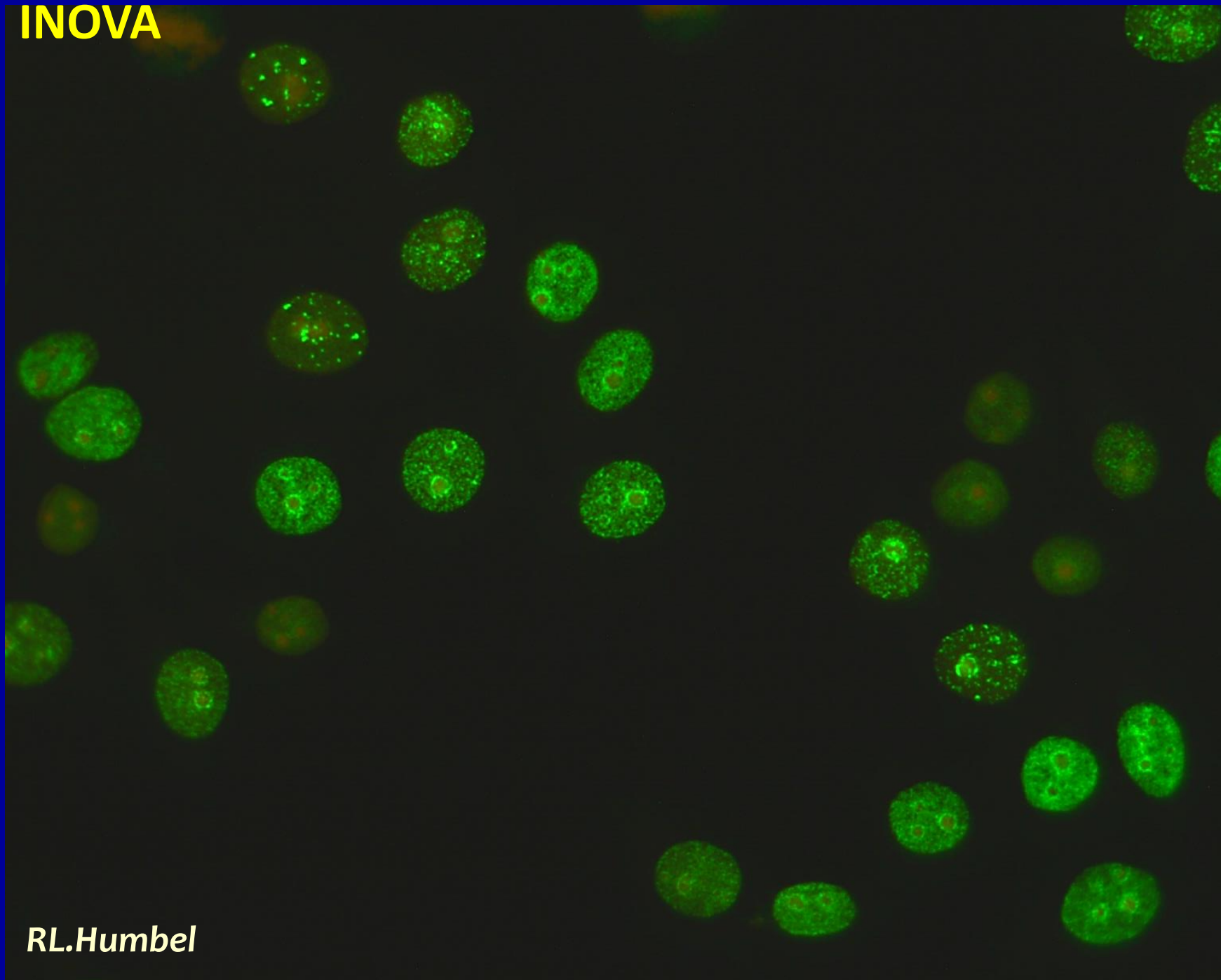
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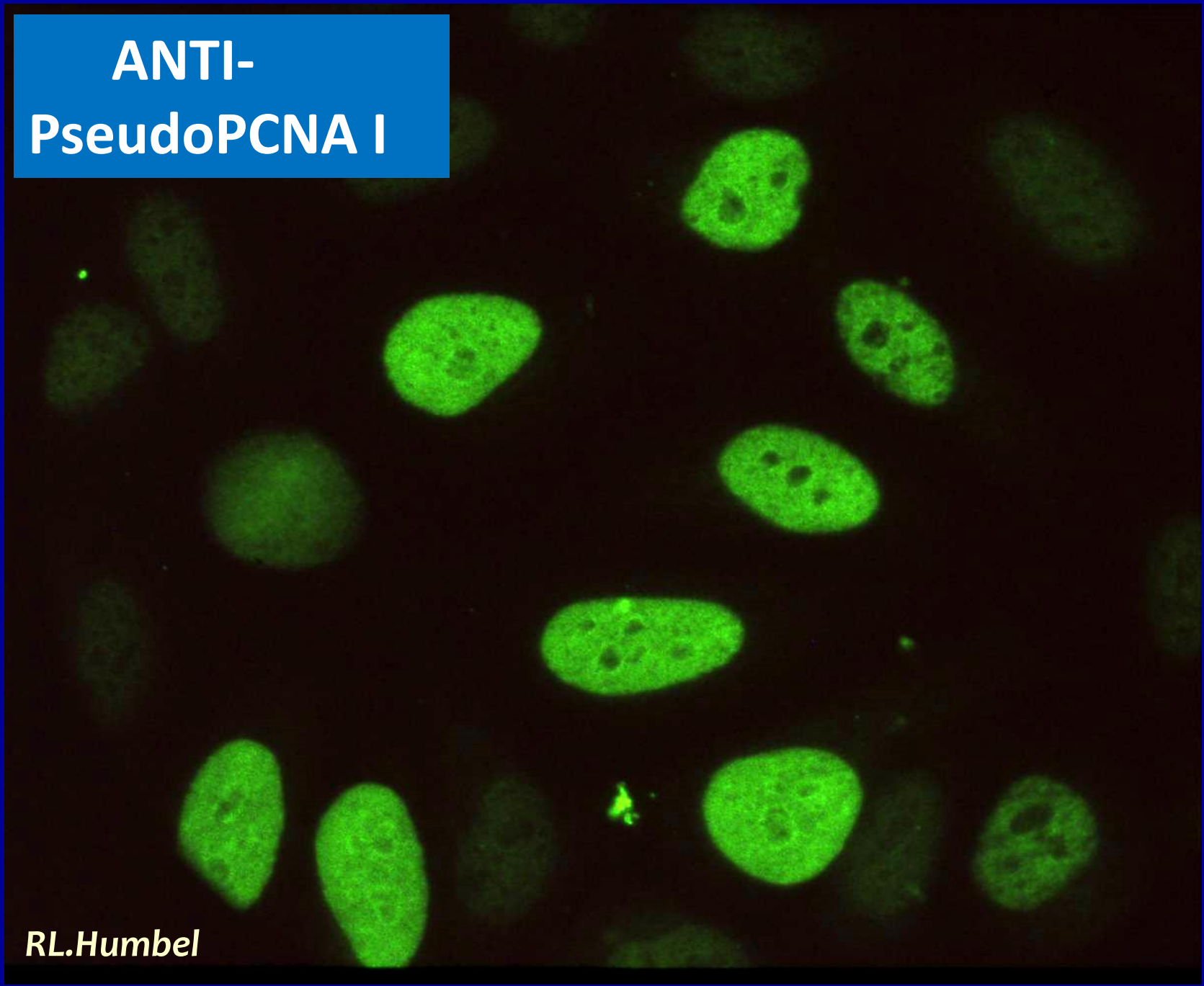
PLEOMORPHIC

**ANTI-
PseudoPCNA I**

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A fluorescence microscopy image showing a large number of cells stained with a green fluorescent marker. The cells exhibit pleomorphism, with varying shapes and sizes. The staining is concentrated in the nuclei, which appear as bright green spots. The background is dark, making the green-stained cells stand out. The overall appearance is that of a dense population of cells with diverse morphologies.

**ANTI-
PseudoPCNA I**



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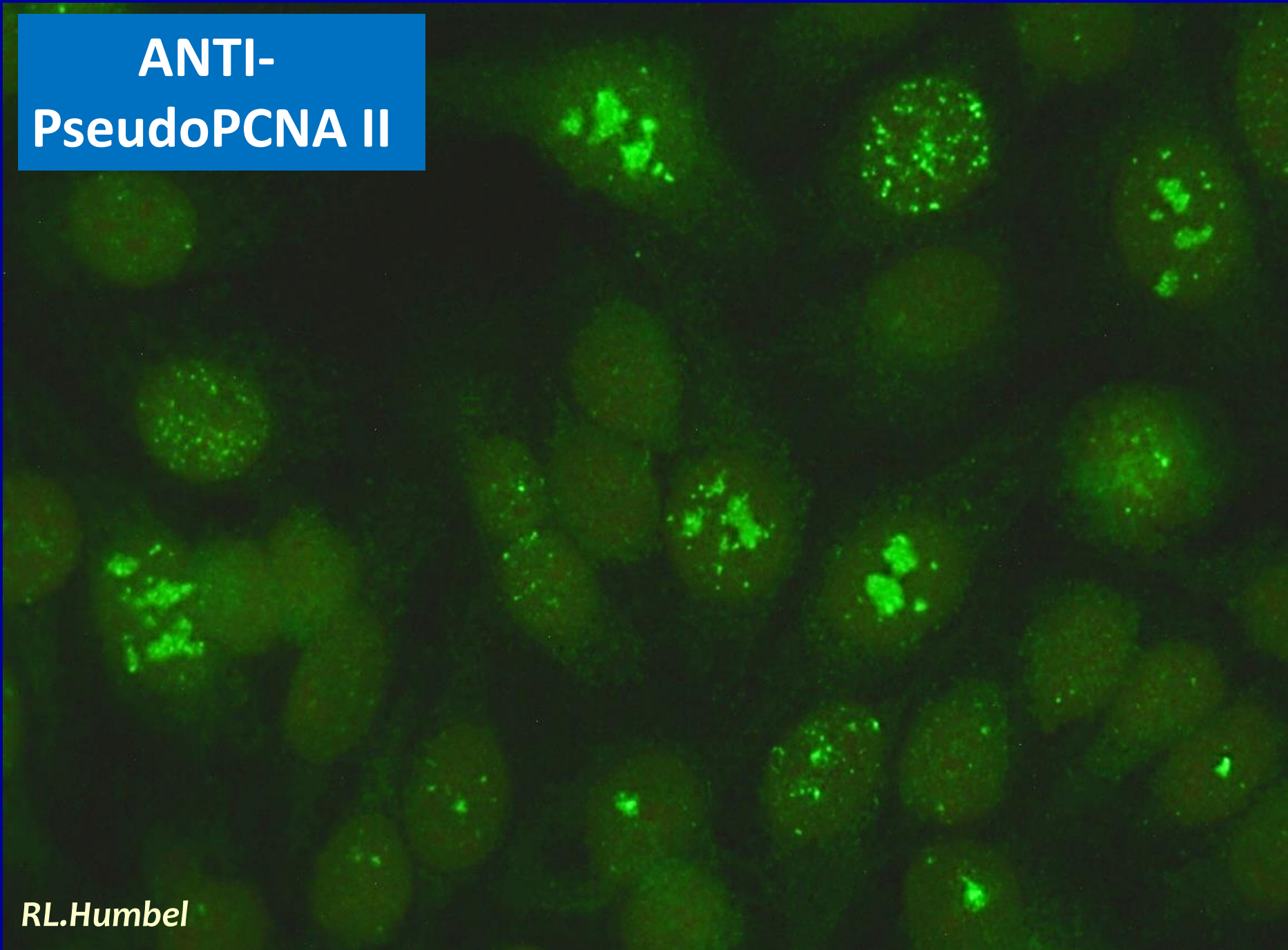
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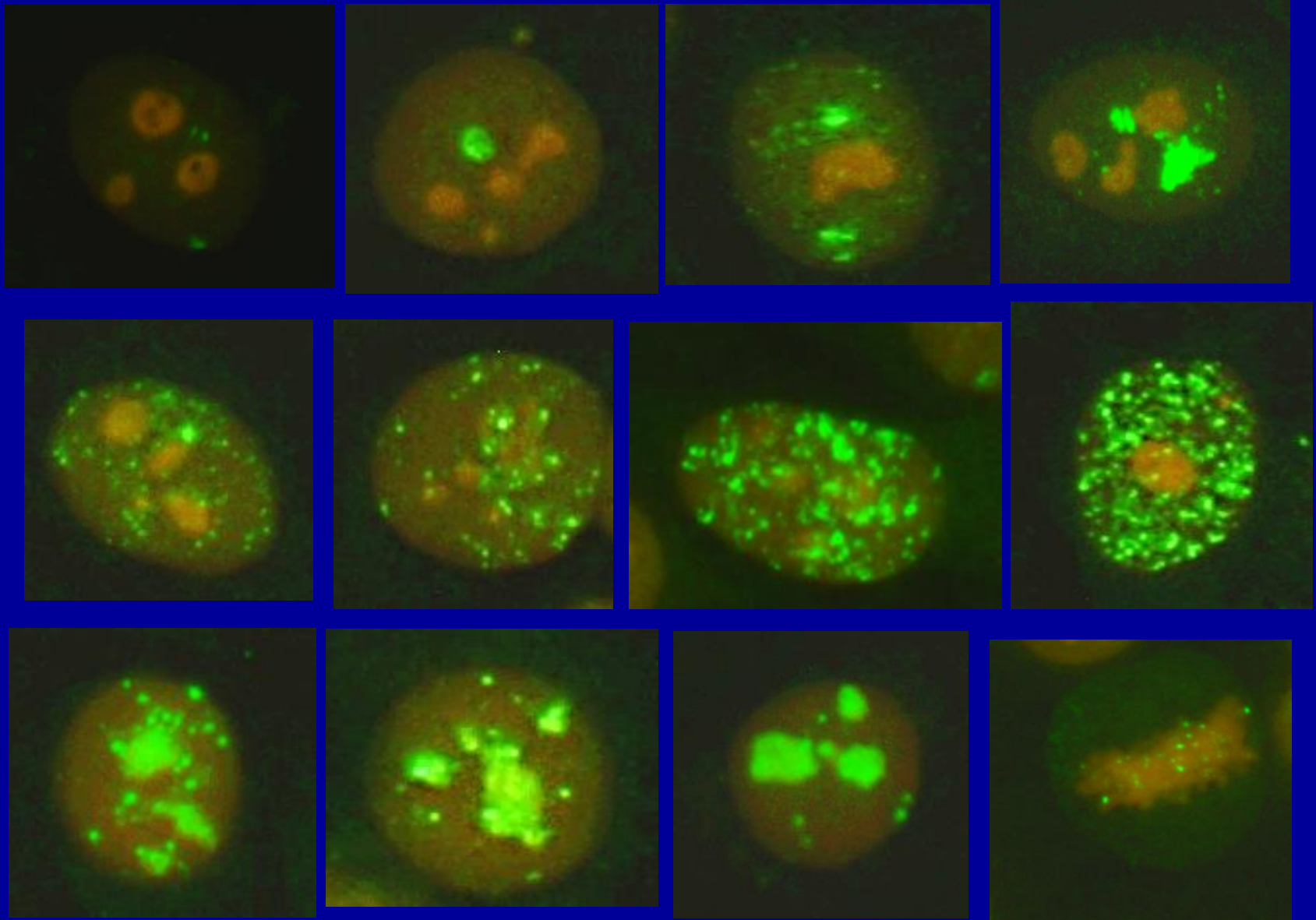
A fluorescence microscopy image showing numerous cells stained with anti-PseudoPCNA II antibody. The cells exhibit pleomorphic morphology, with bright green fluorescent spots distributed across the field of view, indicating the presence of the target protein. The background is dark, and the overall appearance is that of a heterogeneous cell population.

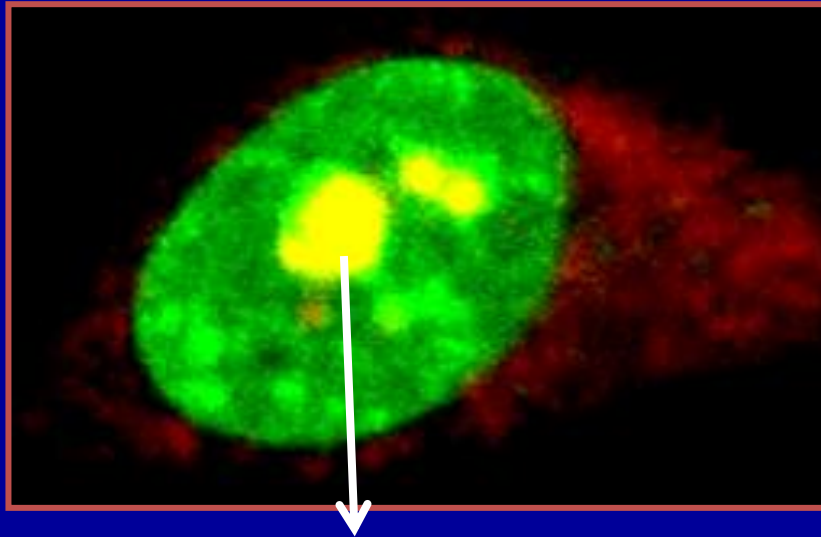
**ANTI-
PseudoPCNA II**



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ANTI- PseudoPCNA II





NUCLEOLI

HOMOGENEOUS

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CLUMPY

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**GRANULAR
PUNCTATE**

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NUCLEOLI HOMOGENEOUS

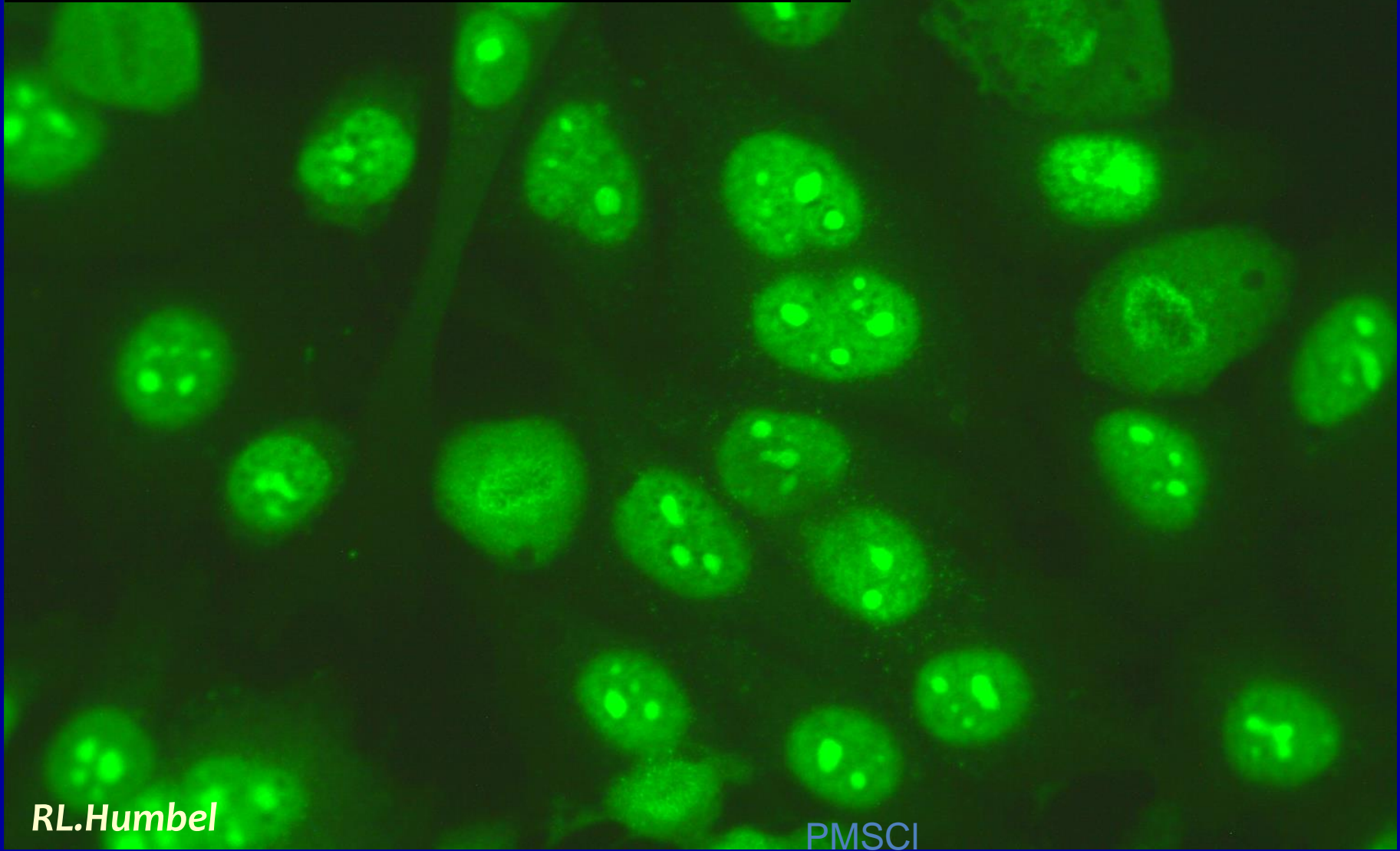
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A fluorescence microscopy image showing numerous cells with bright green, homogeneous nucleoli. The cells are scattered across the field of view, and the nucleoli appear as distinct, bright spots within the nuclei. The background is dark, and the overall image has a blue tint.

**NUCLEOLI HOMOGENEOUS
NUCLEI VERY FINE GRANULAR**

ANTI-PMScI



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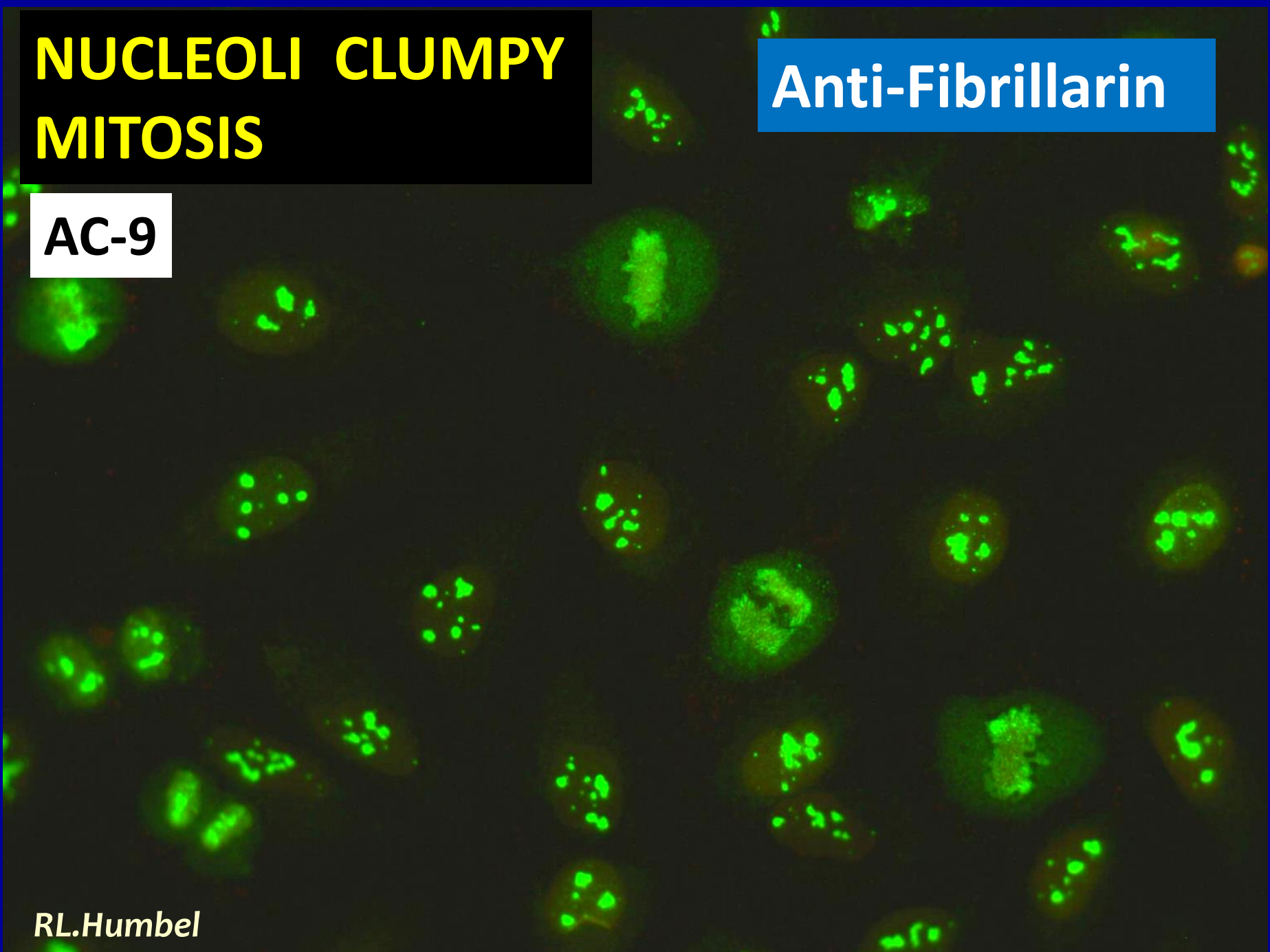
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**NUCLEOLI CLUMPY
MITOSIS**

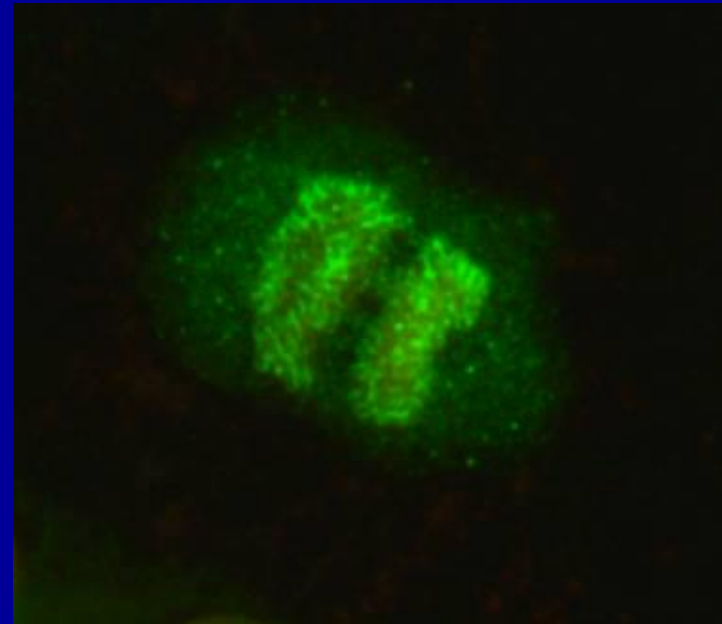
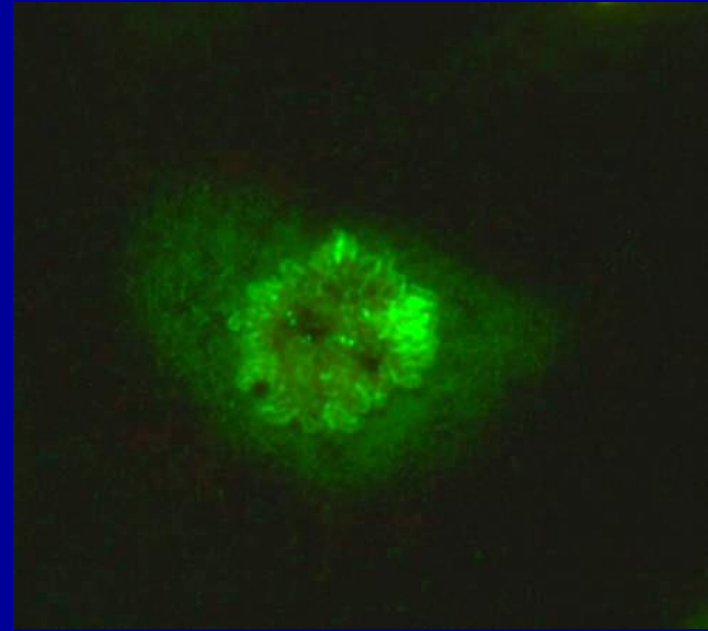
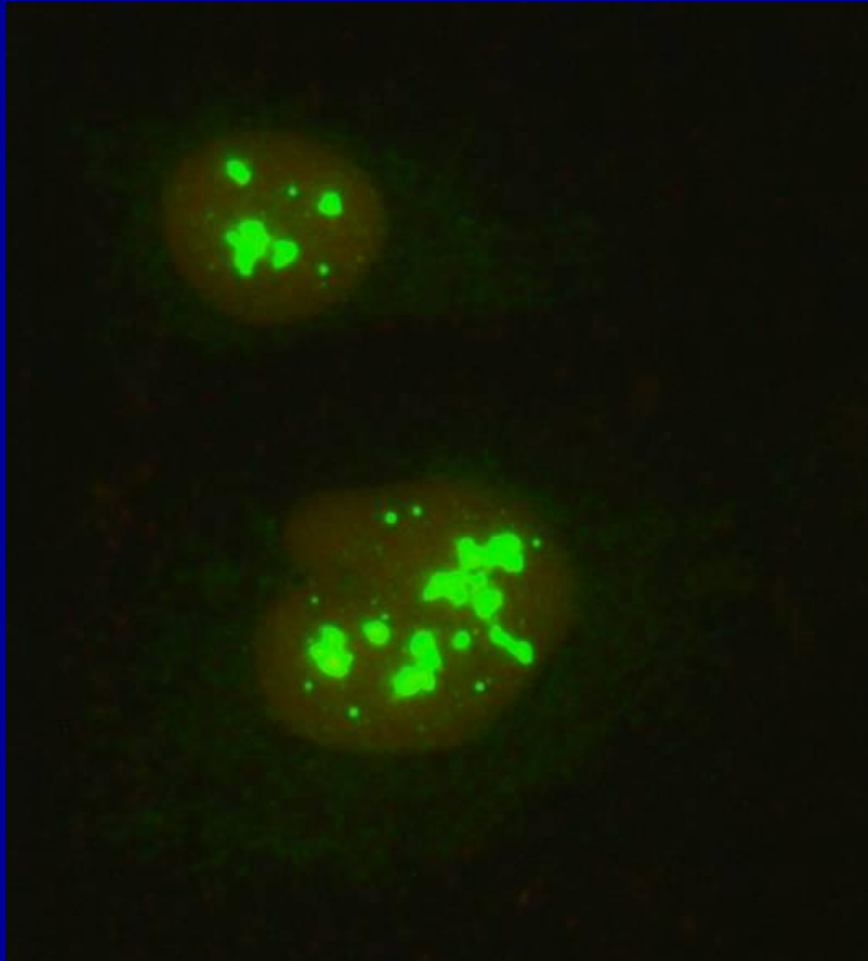
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Anti-Fibrillarin

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Anti-Fibrillarin

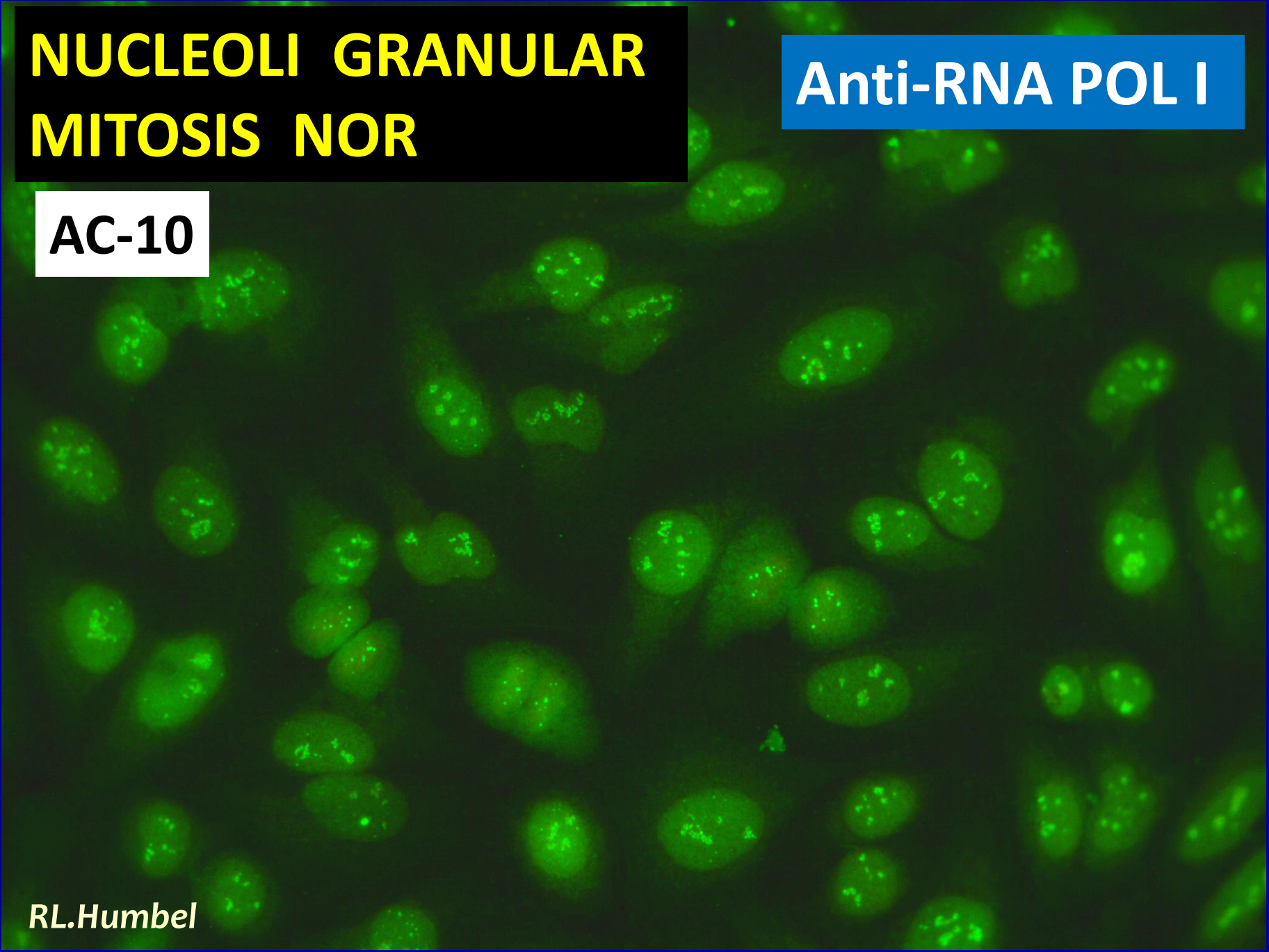


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MITOSIS NOR**

Anti-RNA POL I

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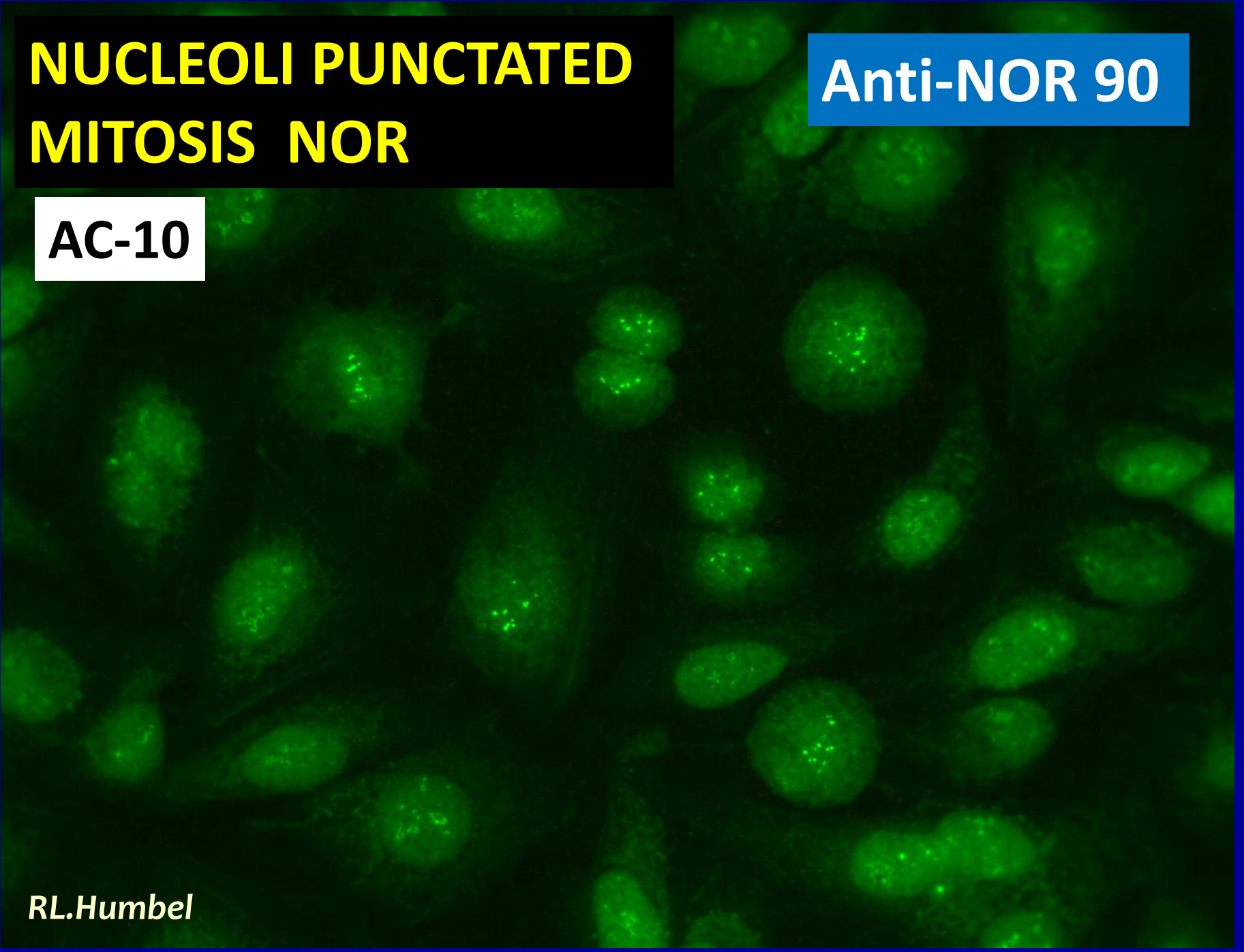


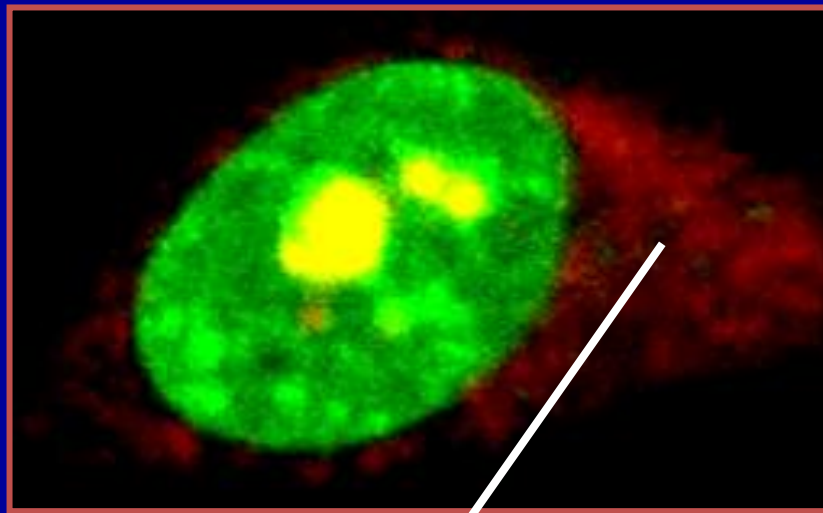
**NUCLEOLI PUNCTATED
MITOSIS NOR**

Anti-NOR 90

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CYTOPLASM

FILAMENTS

Linear / Cables

AC-15

Radial Filaments

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Fine Long Filaments

Sequential

AC-17

INCLUSIONS

Golgi **AC-22**

Nematine RR

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SPECKLED/GRANULAR

Large Granules **AC-21**

Discrete Dots **AC-18**

Fine Granules **AC-20**

Dense Fine Granules

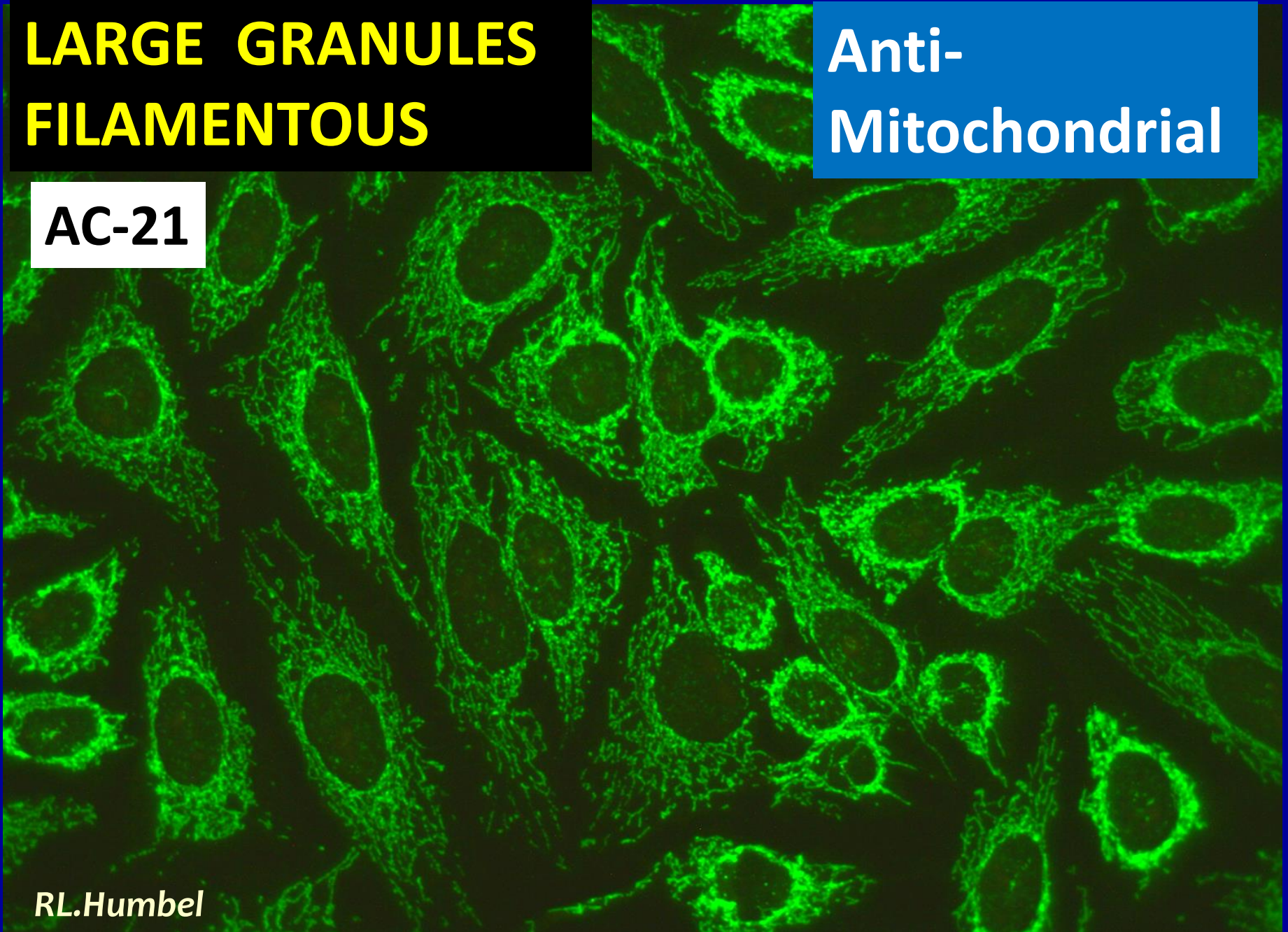
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**LARGE GRANULES
FILAMENTOUS**

**Anti-
Mitochondrial**

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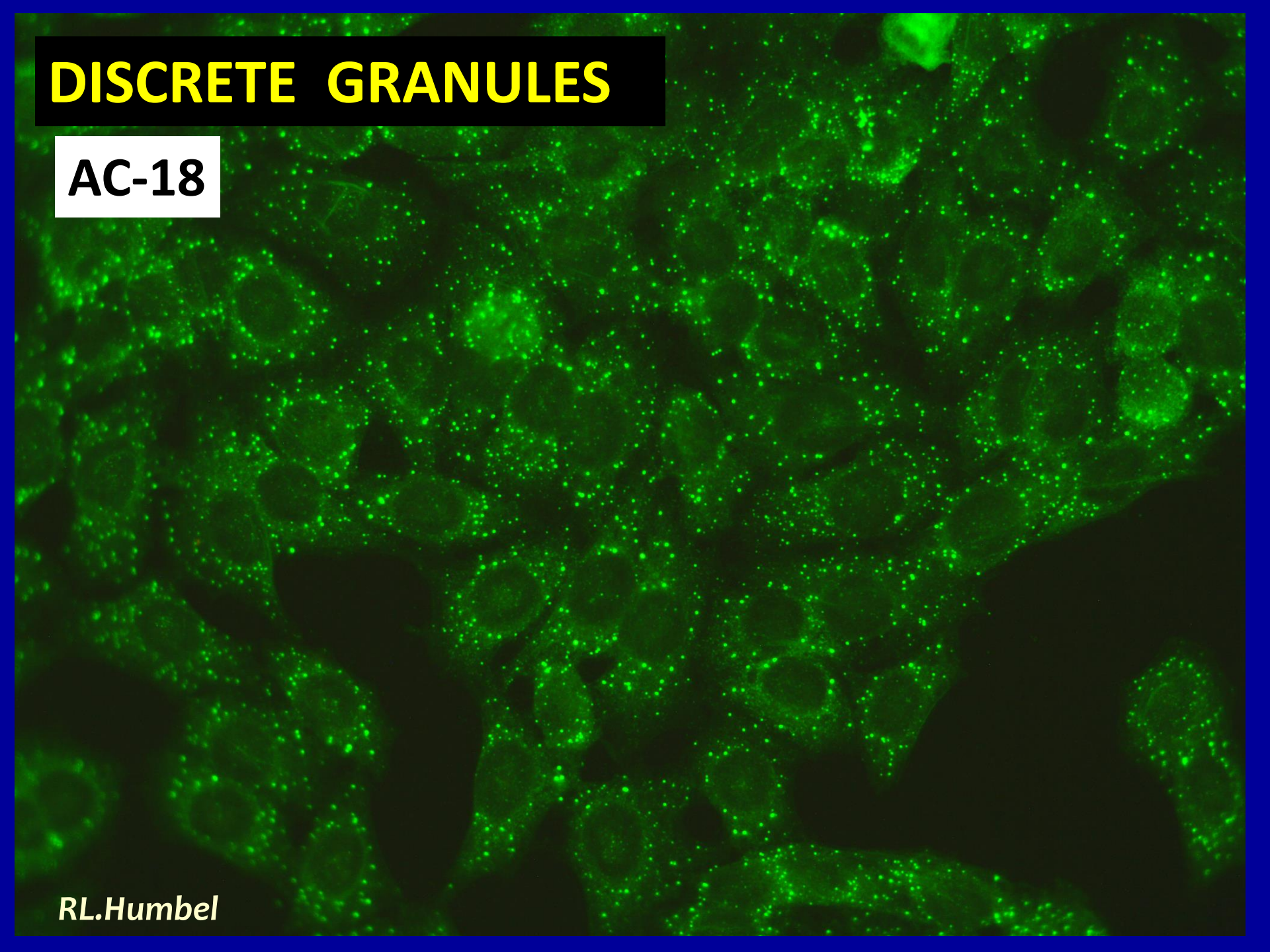
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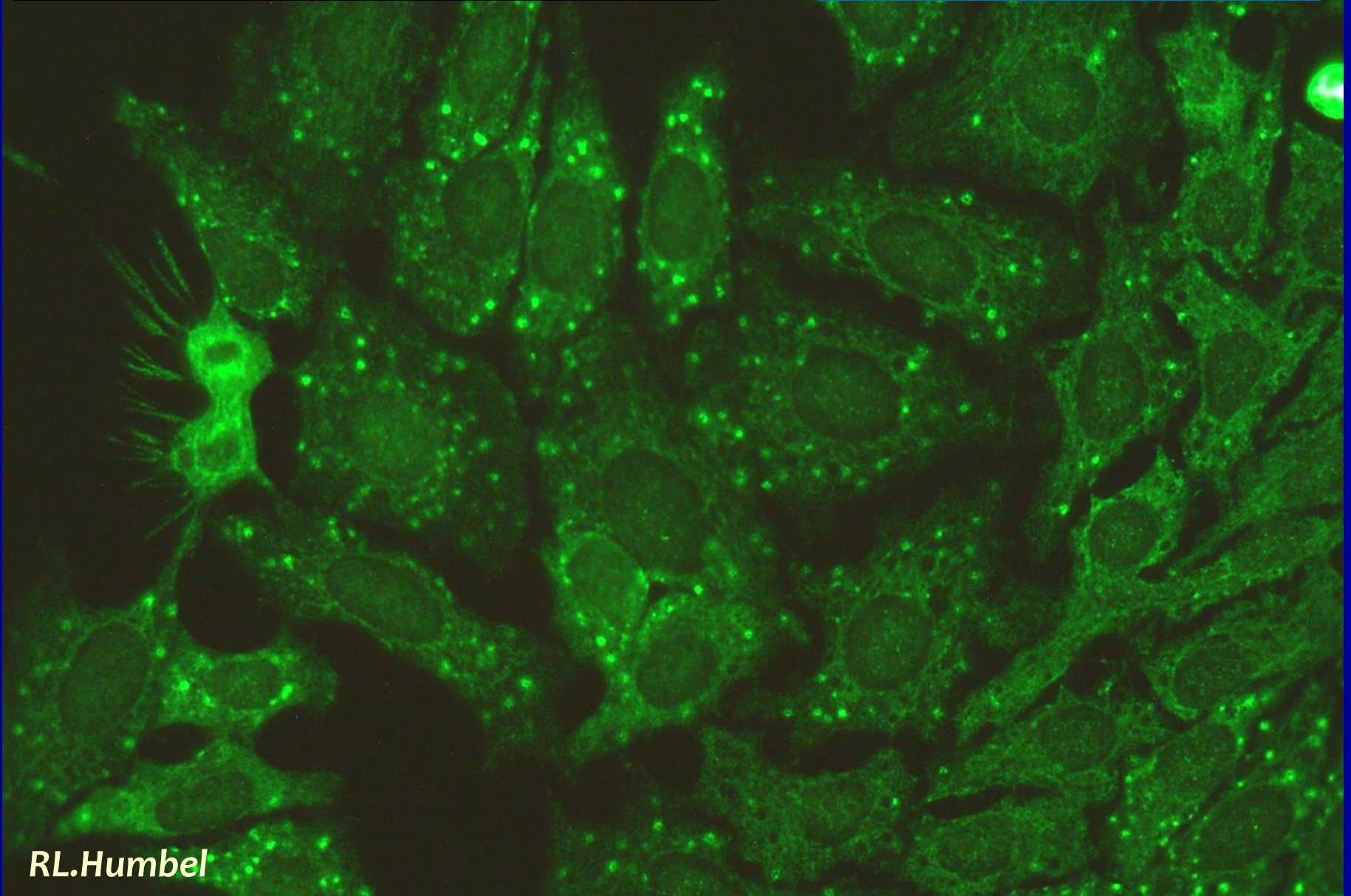
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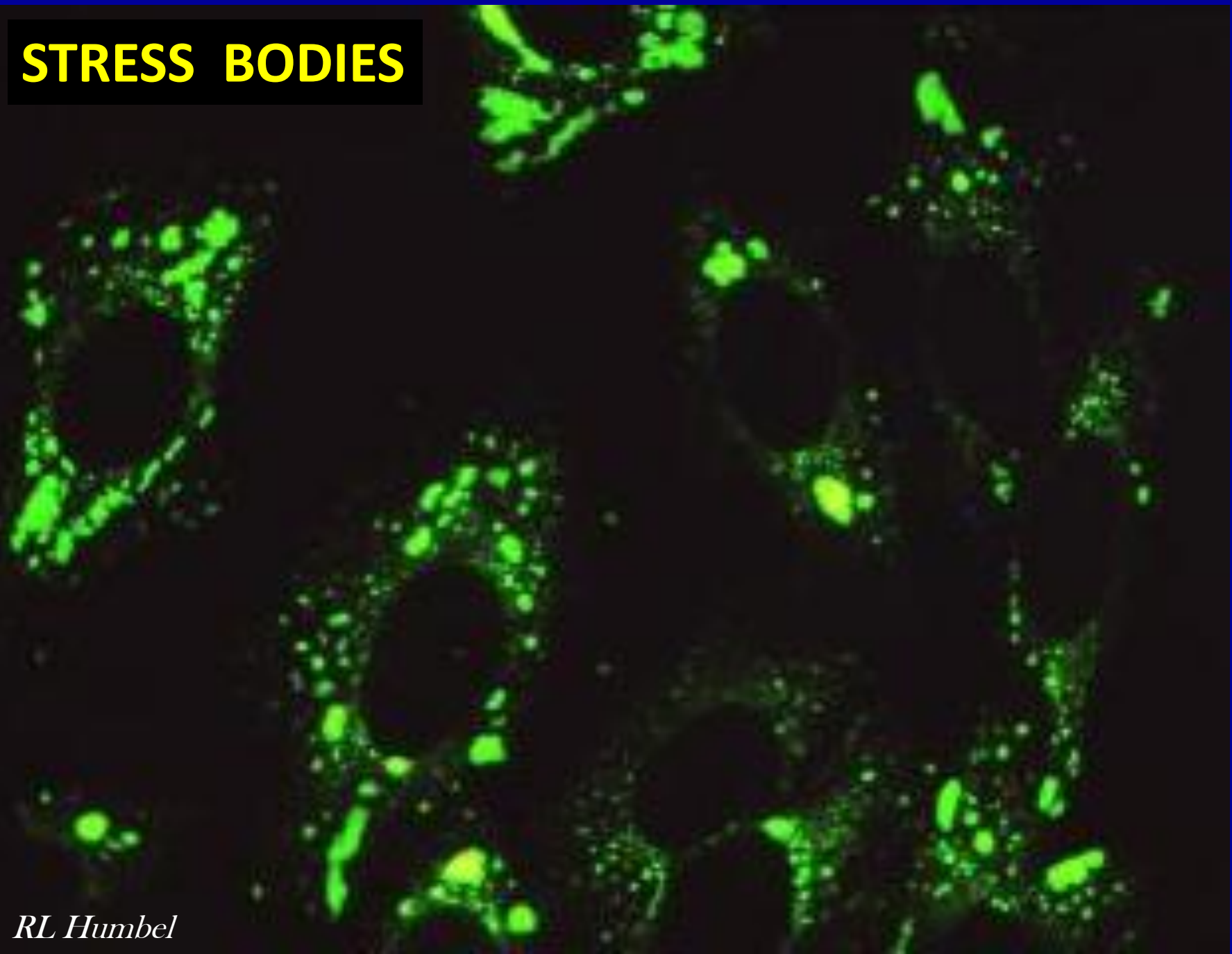
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Anti-GW Bodies



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STRESS BODIES



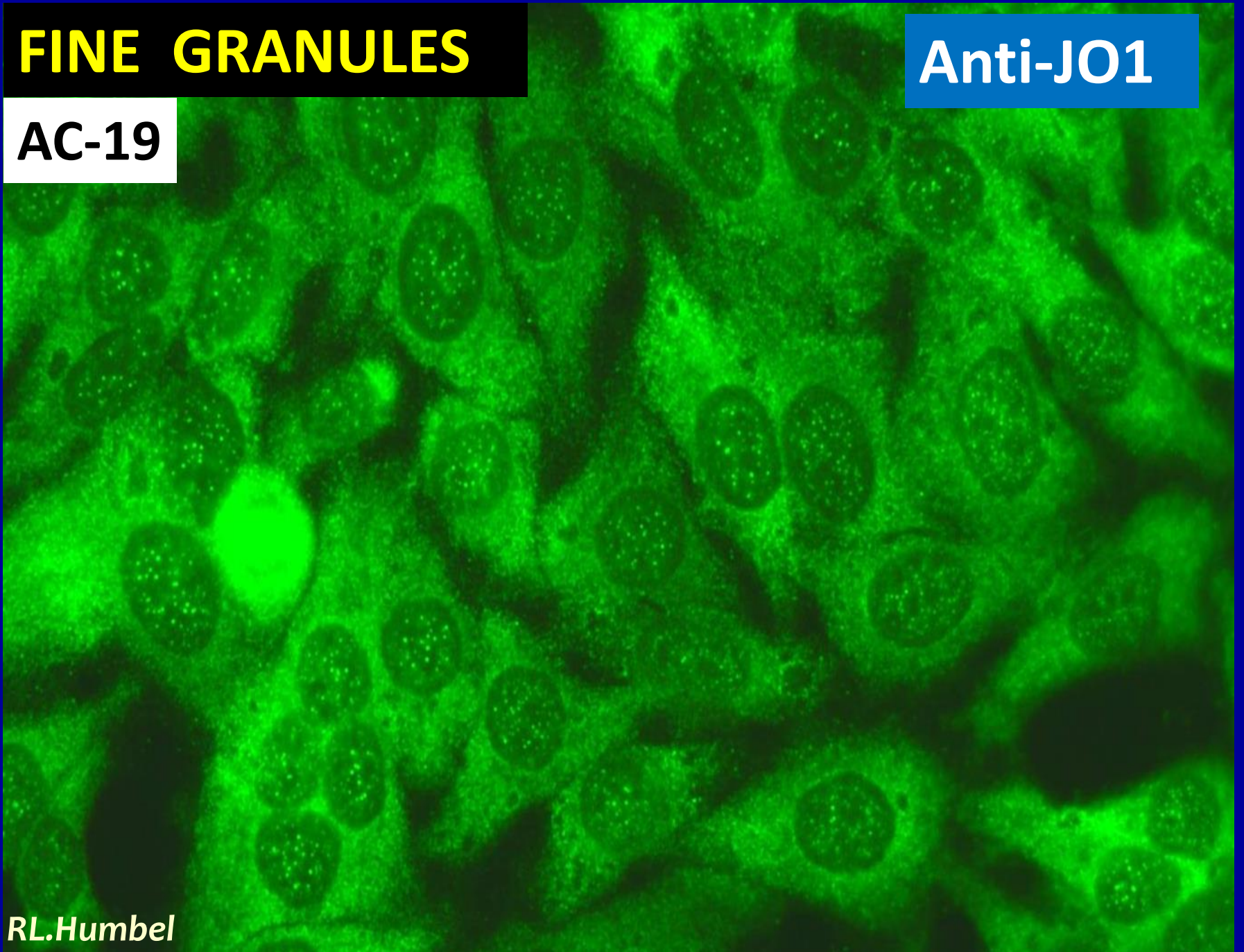
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FINE GRANULES

Anti-JO1

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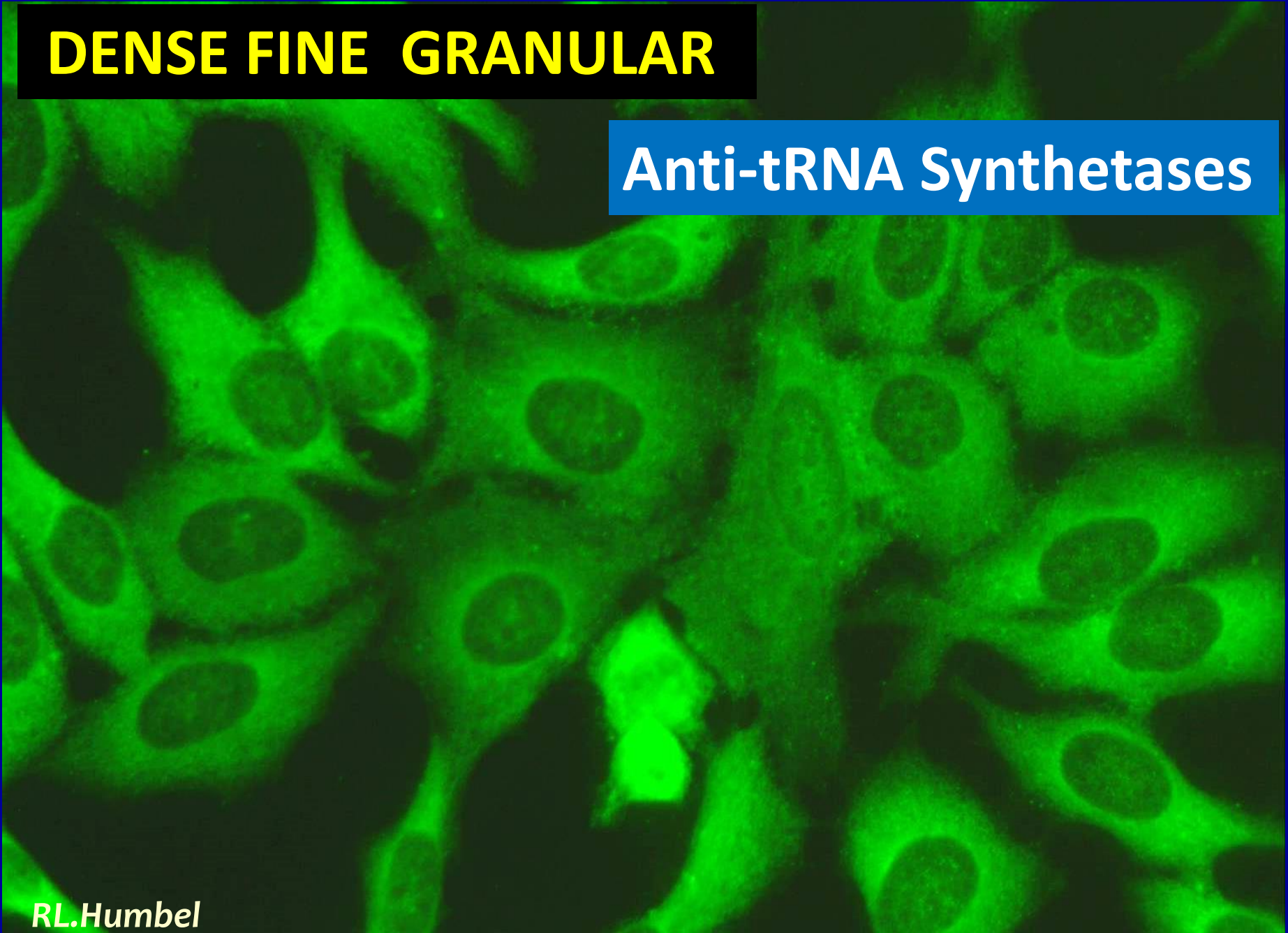
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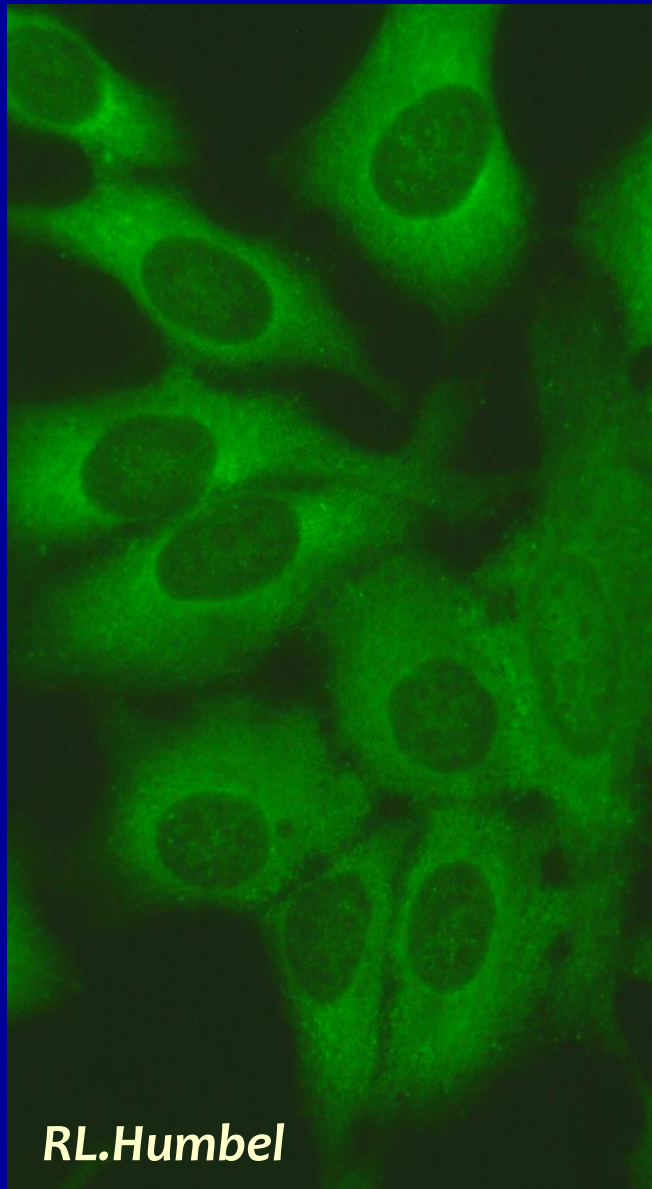
DENSE FINE GRANULAR

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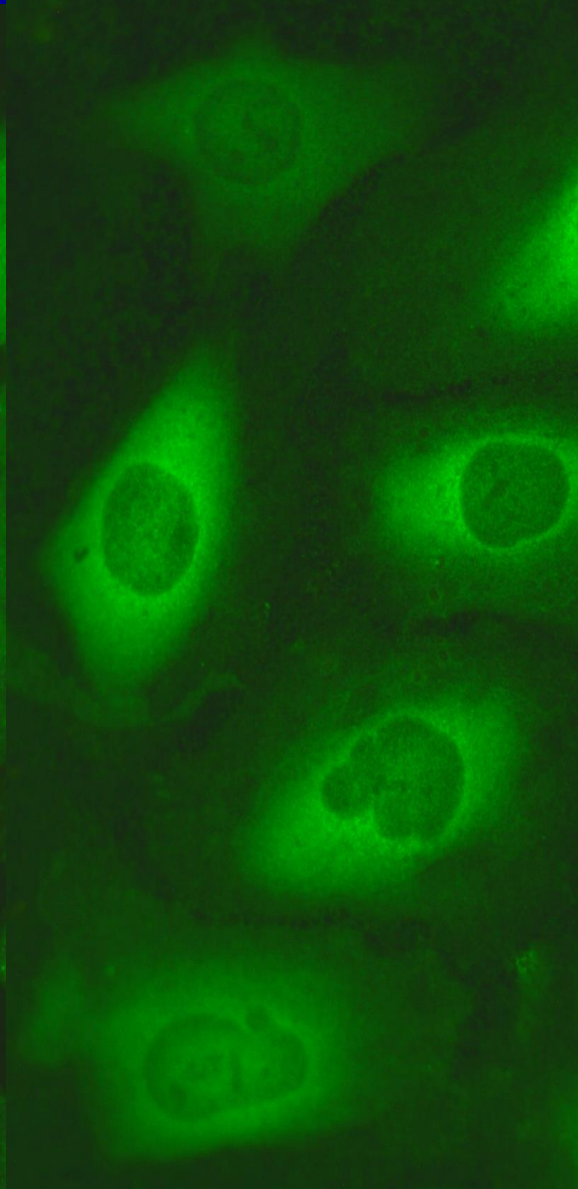
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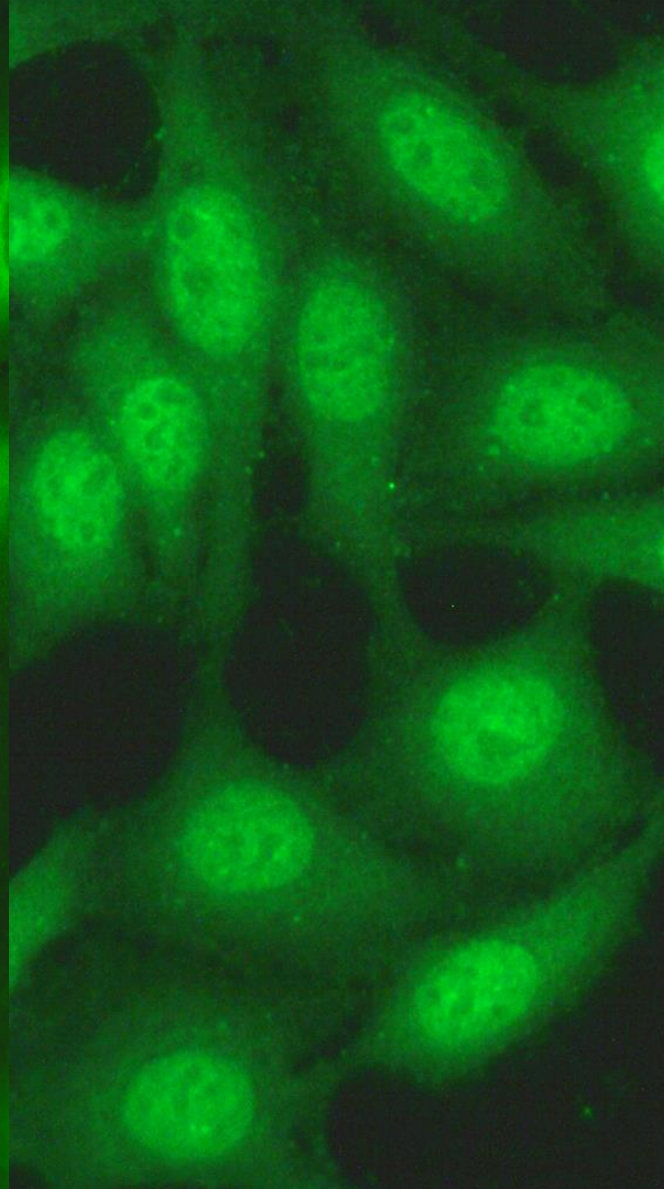
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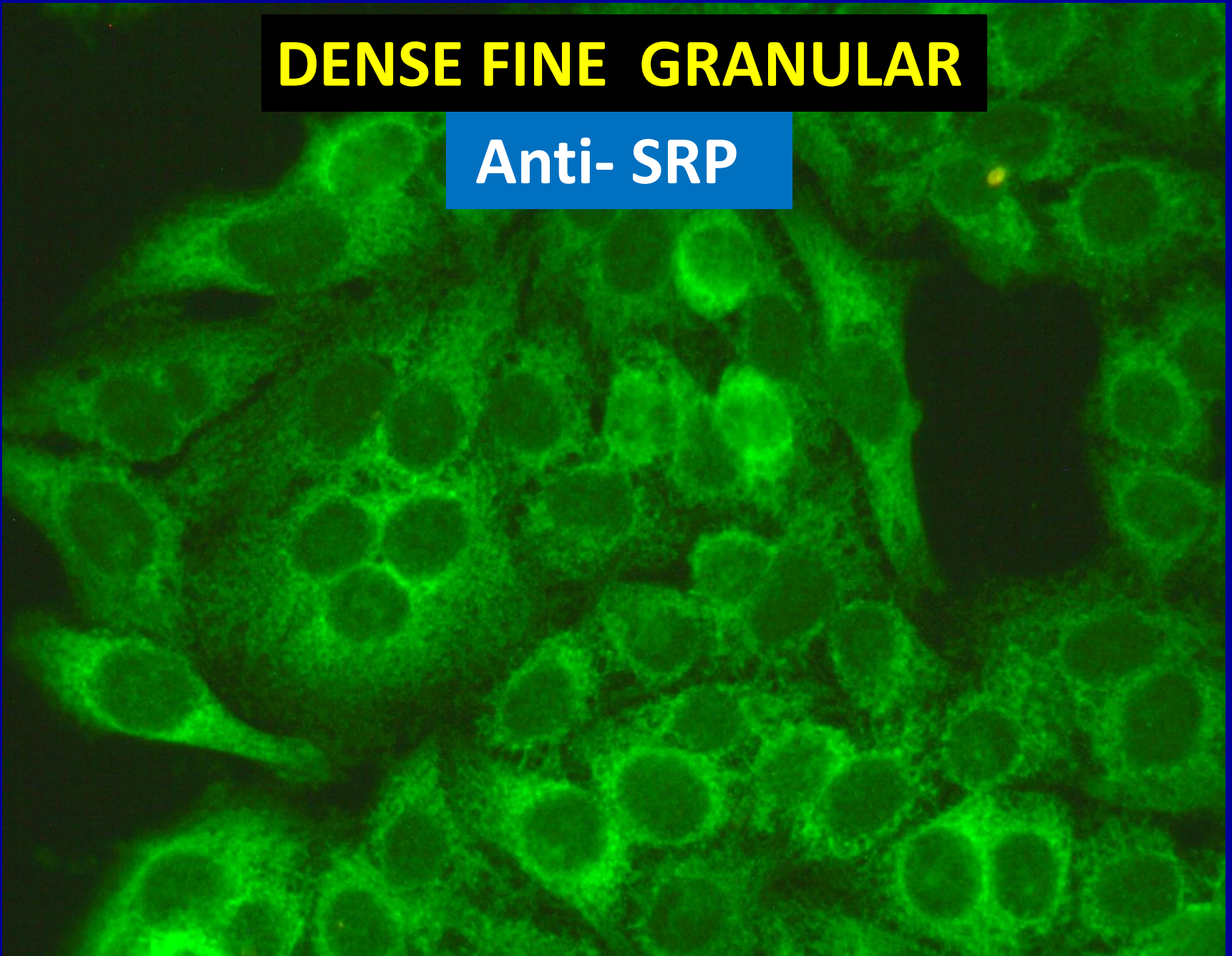
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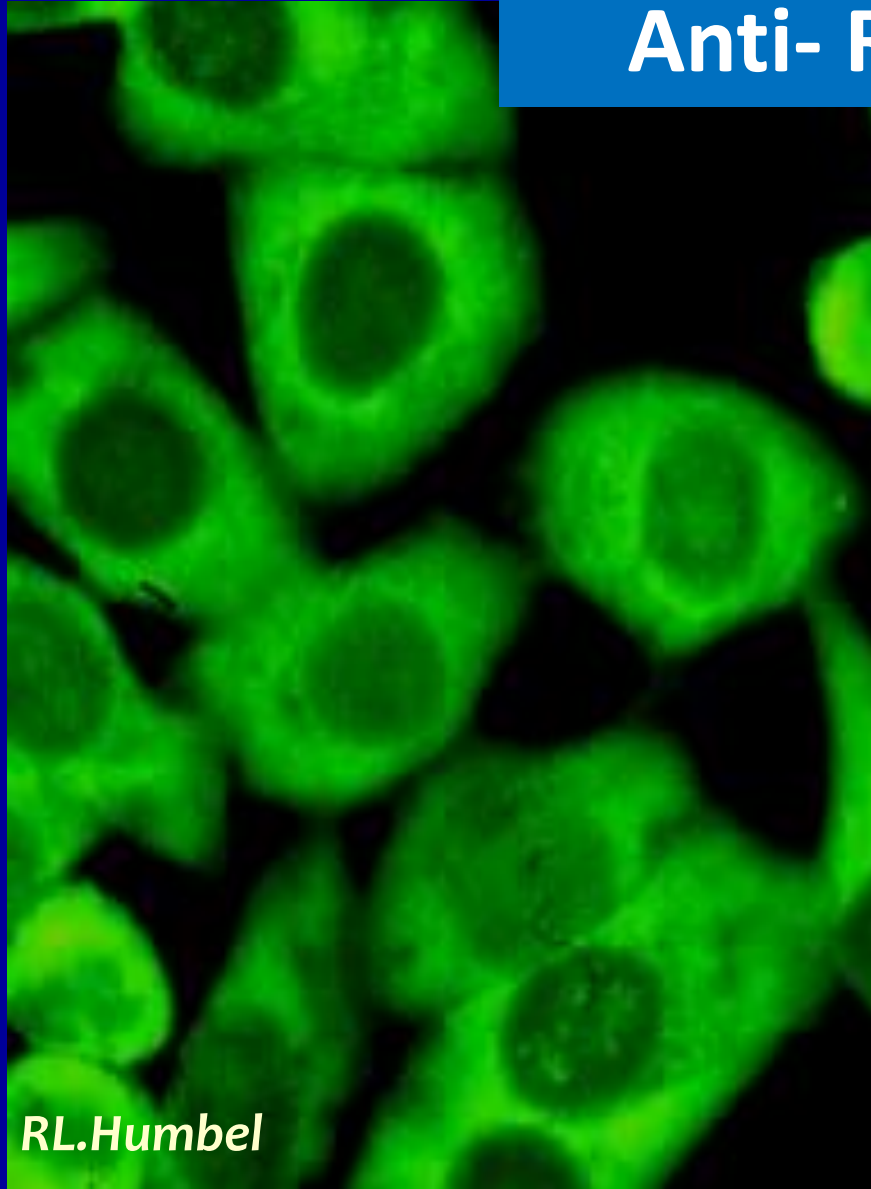
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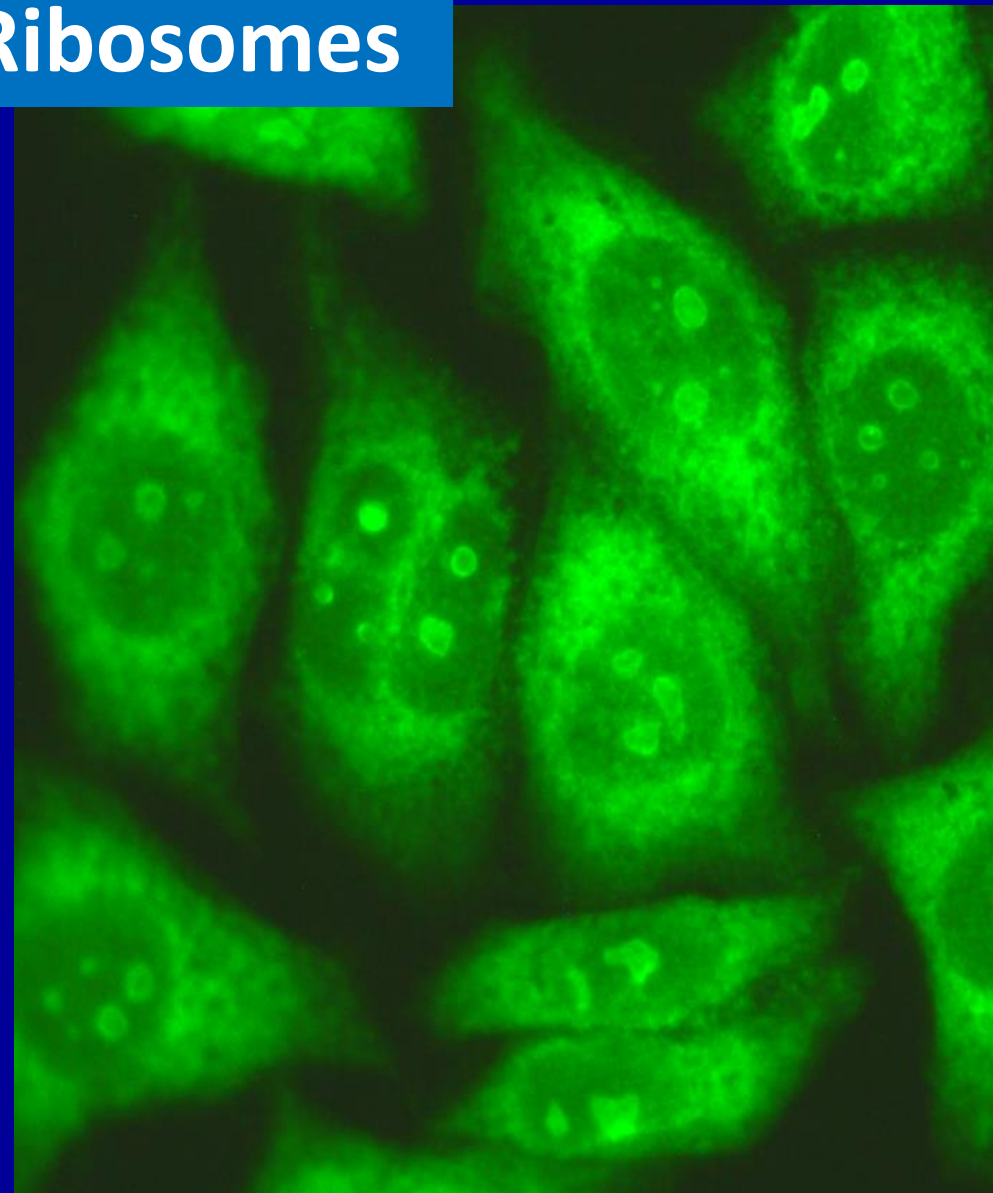


VERY DENSE FINE GRANULAR

Anti- Ribosomes



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ANTI-HMGCR

A fluorescence microscopy image showing a network of cells stained with a green fluorescent antibody against HMGCR. The cells are elongated and interconnected, with some showing distinct nuclei. The background is dark, highlighting the green-stained cells.

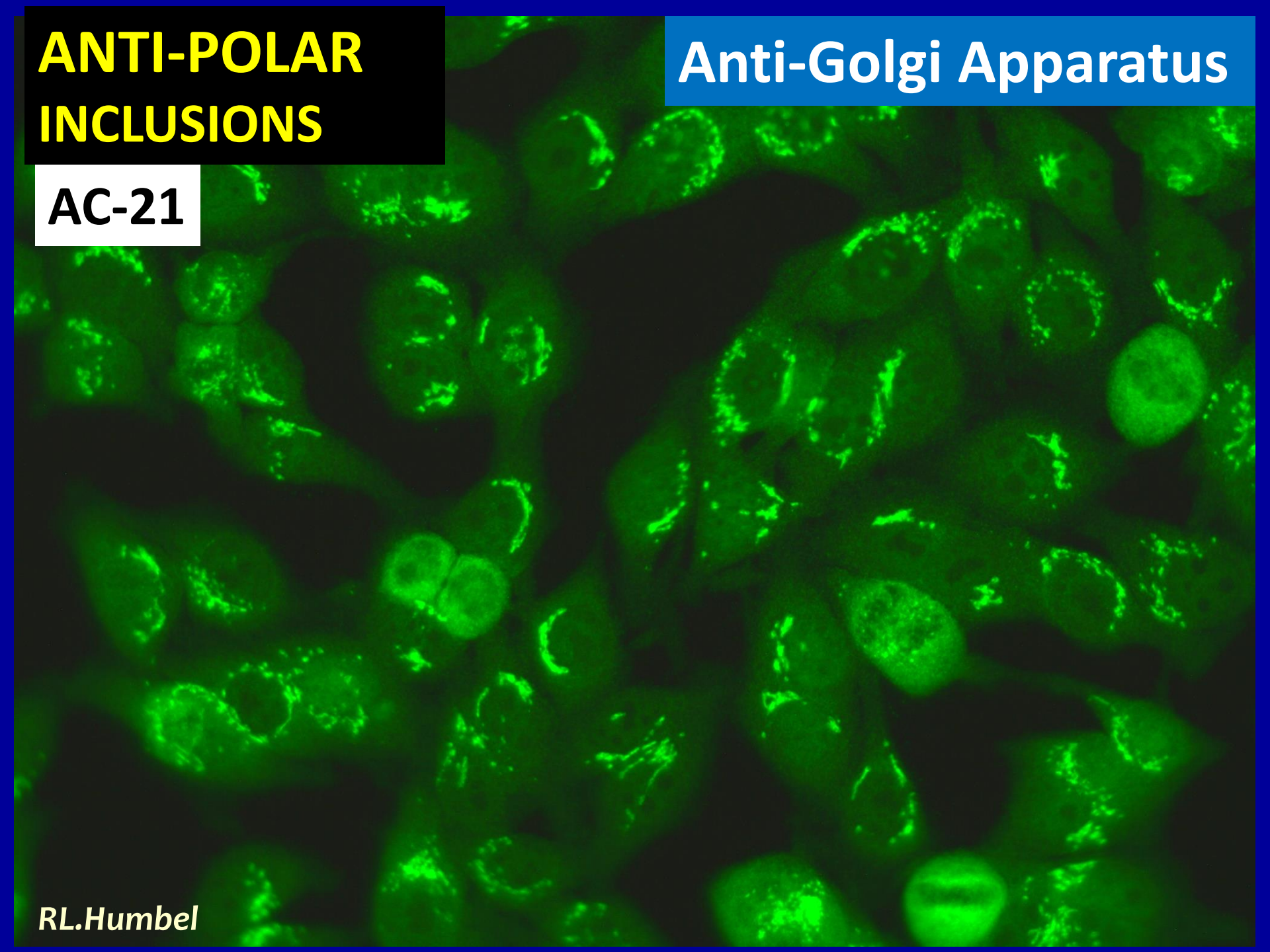
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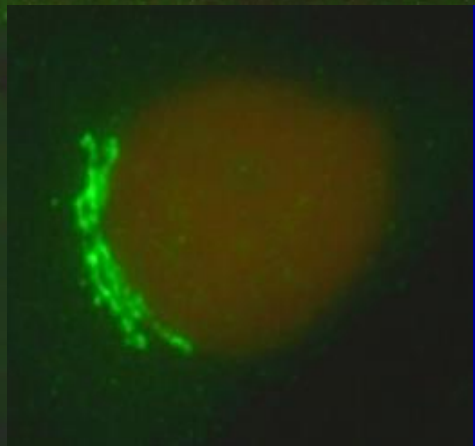
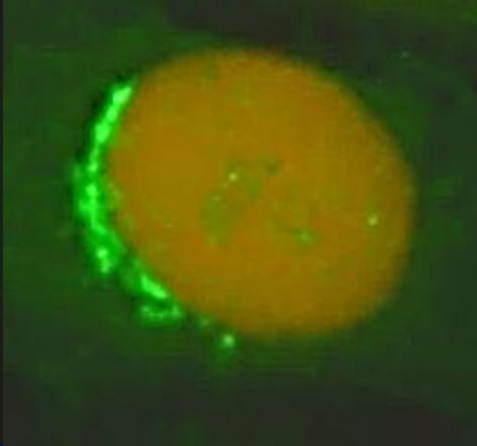
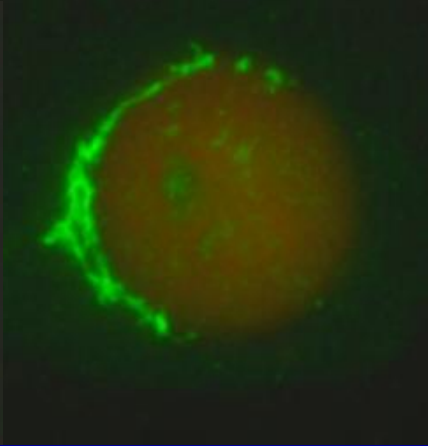
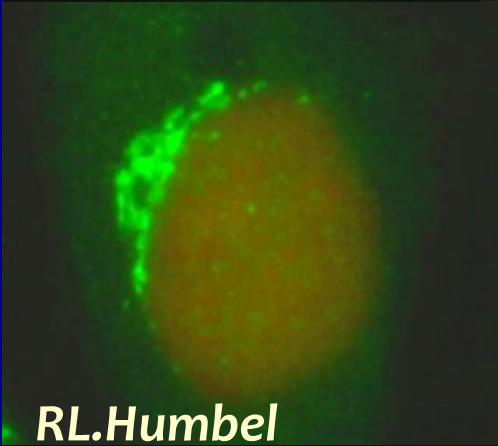
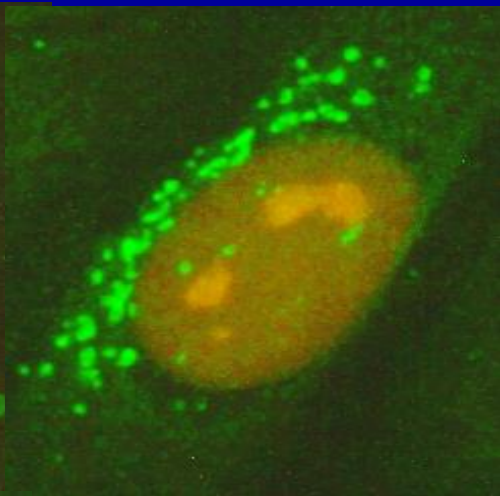
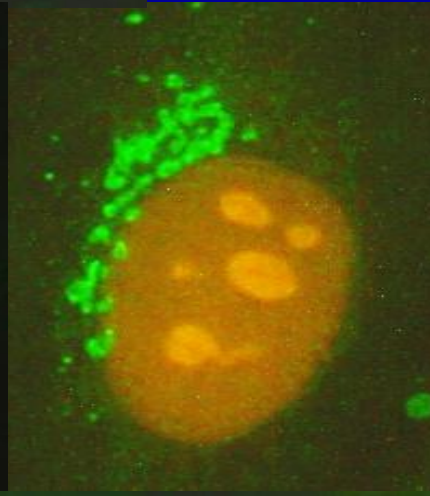
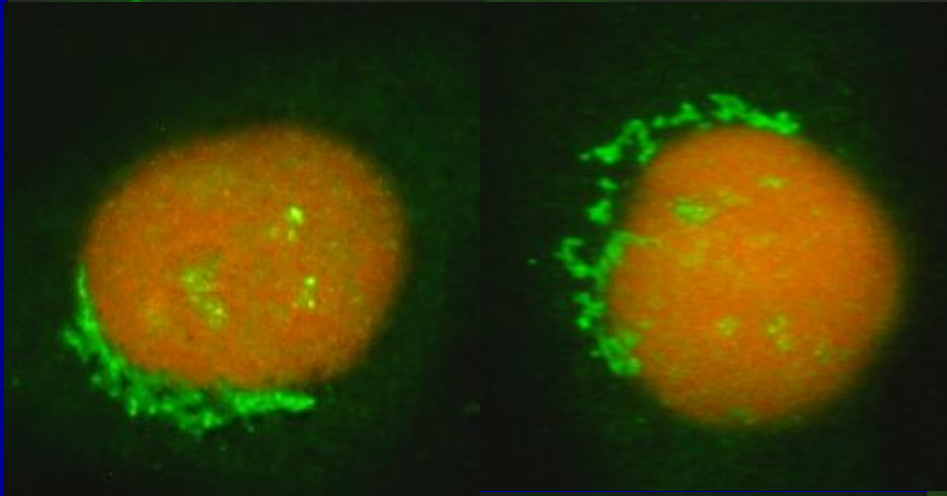
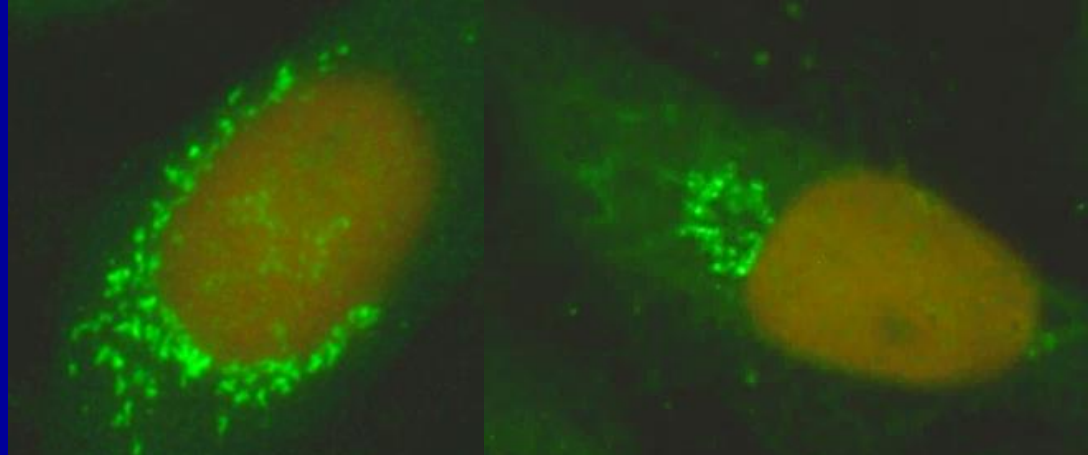
Anti-Golgi Apparatus

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GOLGI APPARATUS

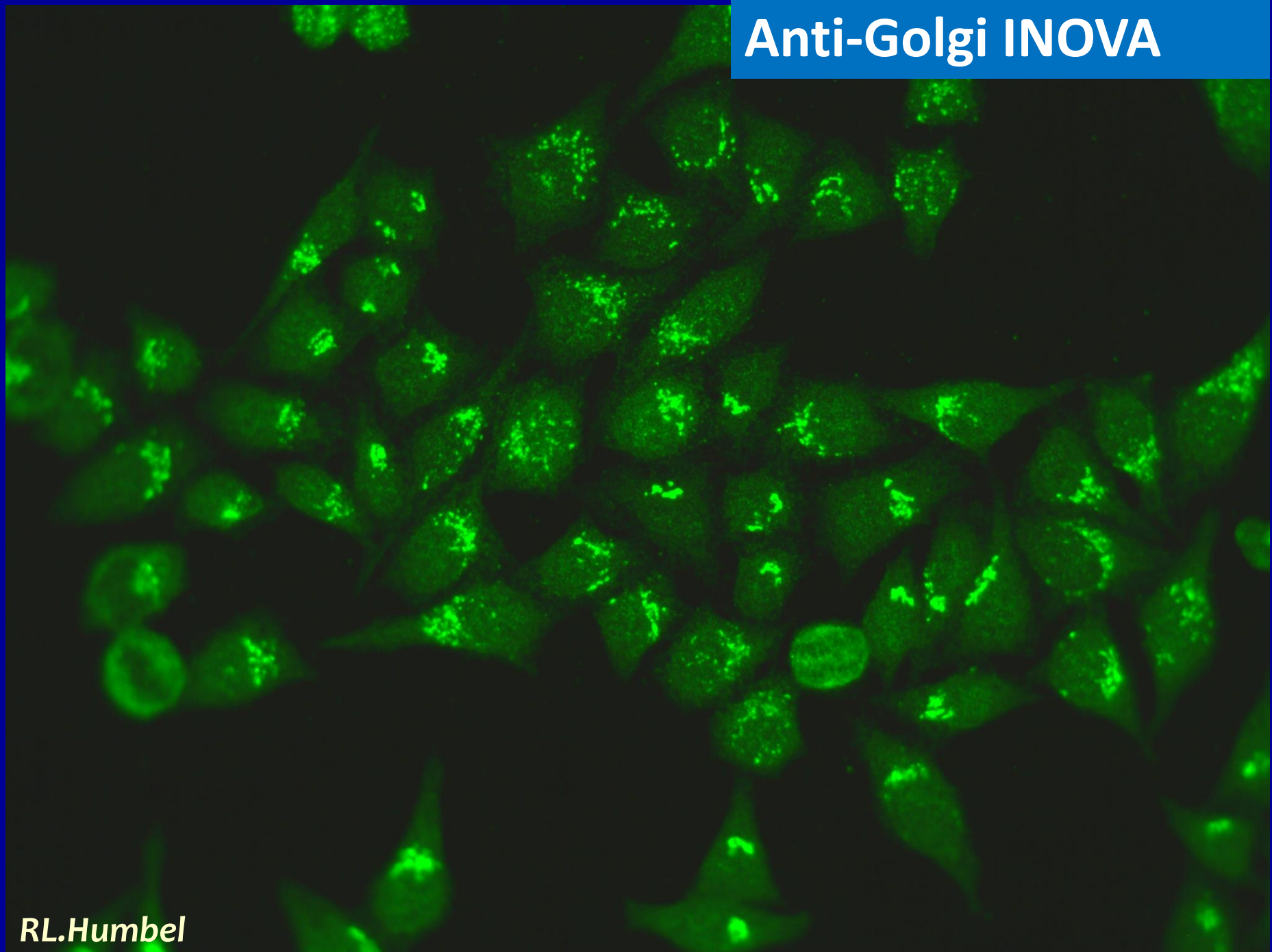


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Anti-Golgi Kallestadt

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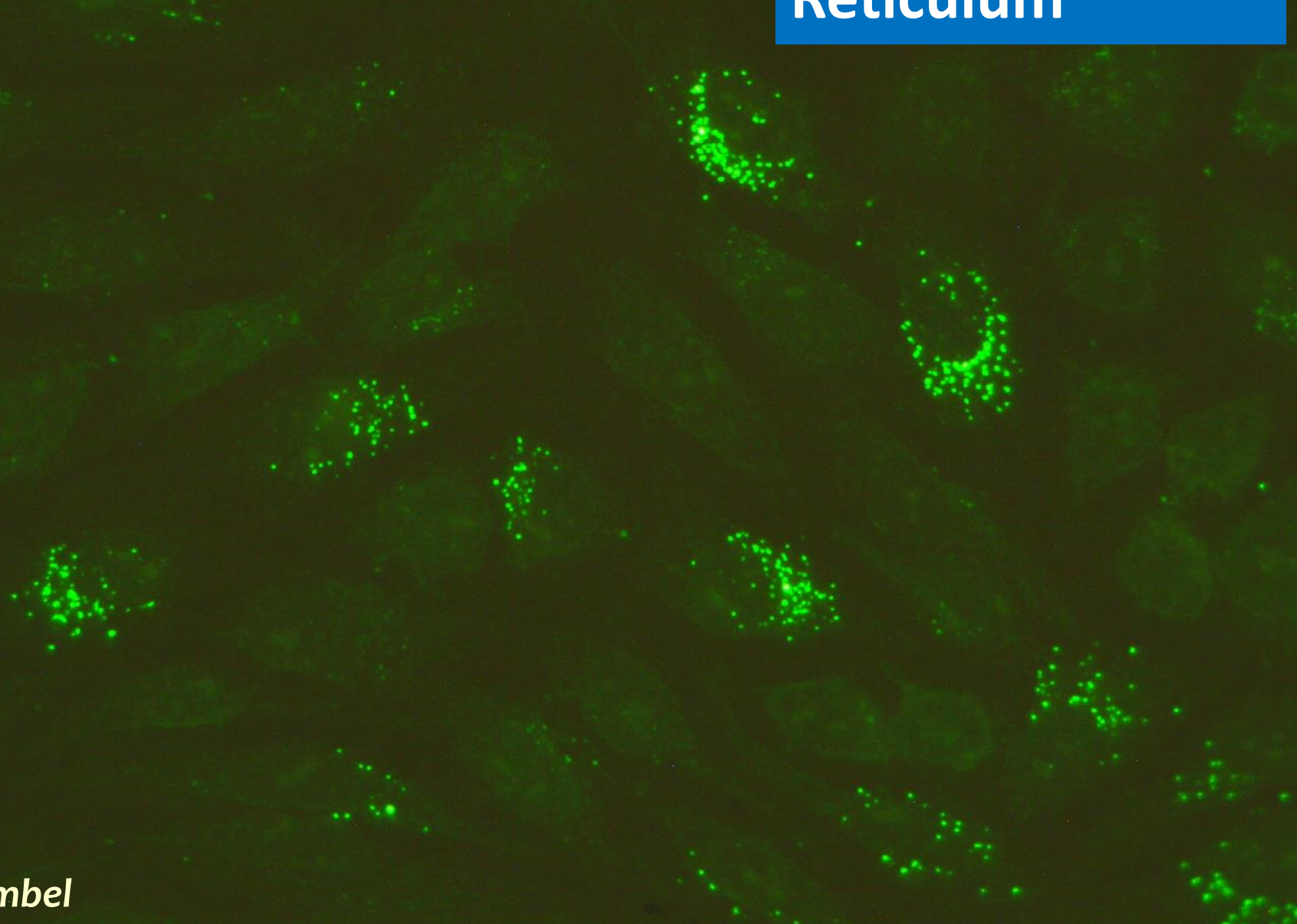


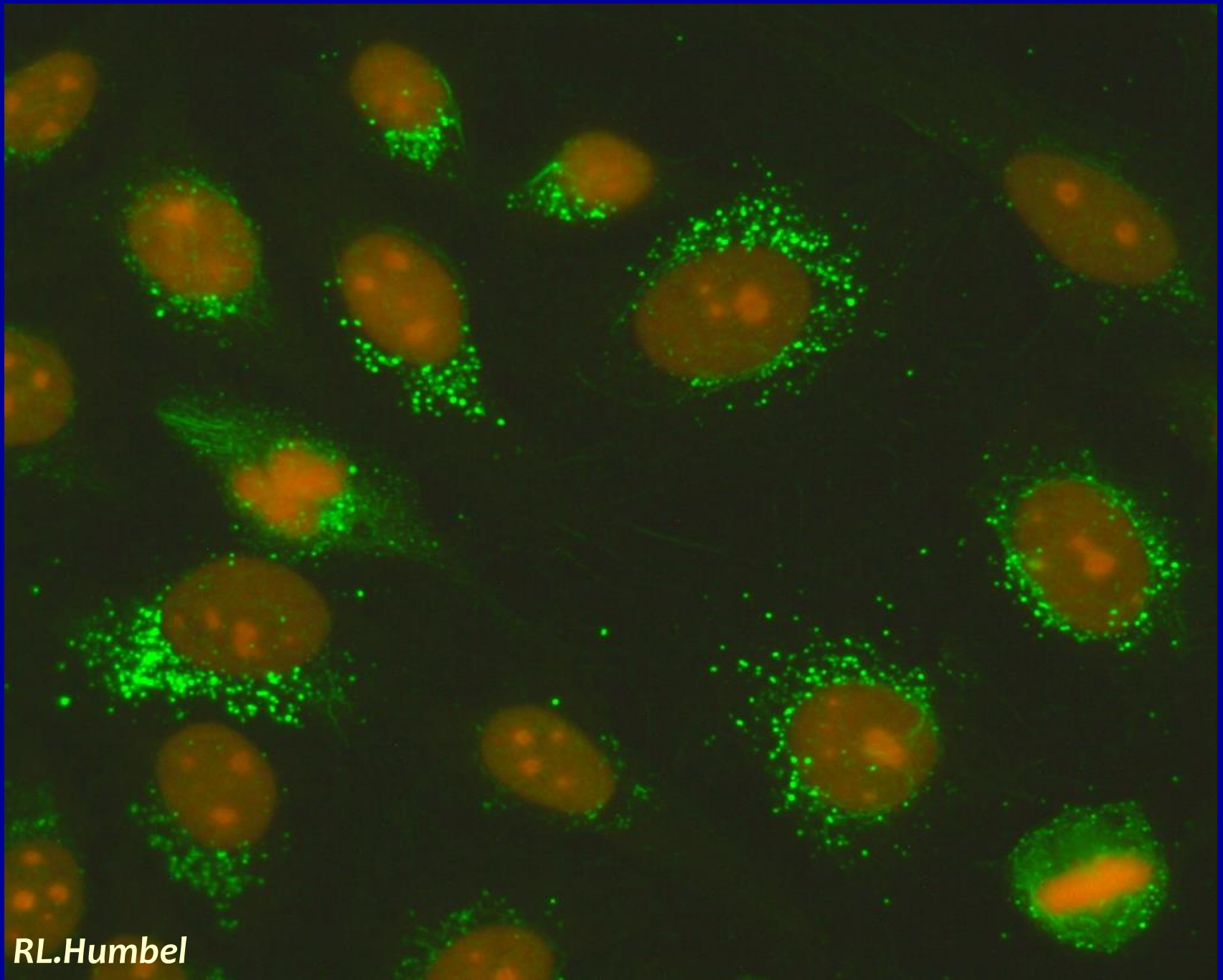
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INCLUSIONS

Anti-Golgi Apparatus Reticulum

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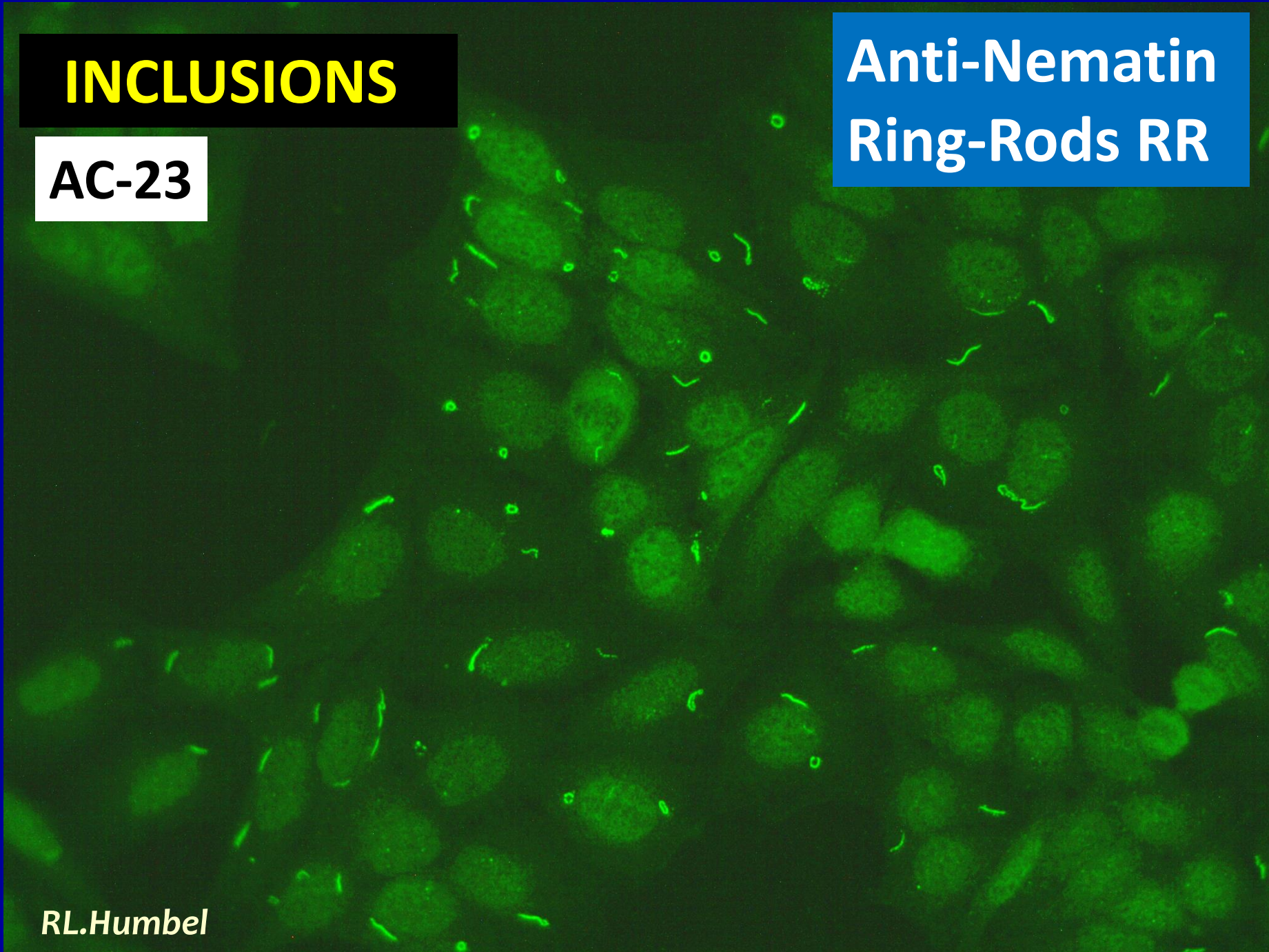
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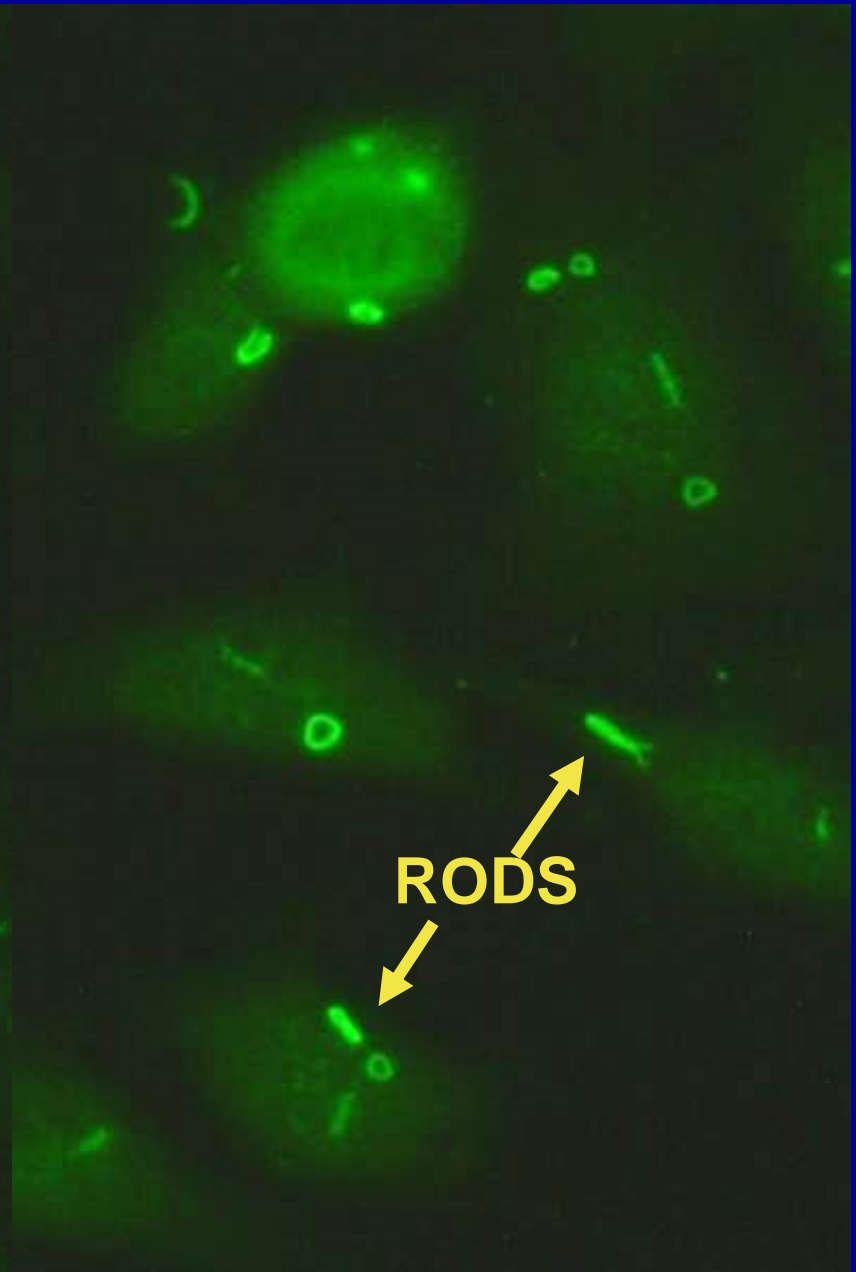
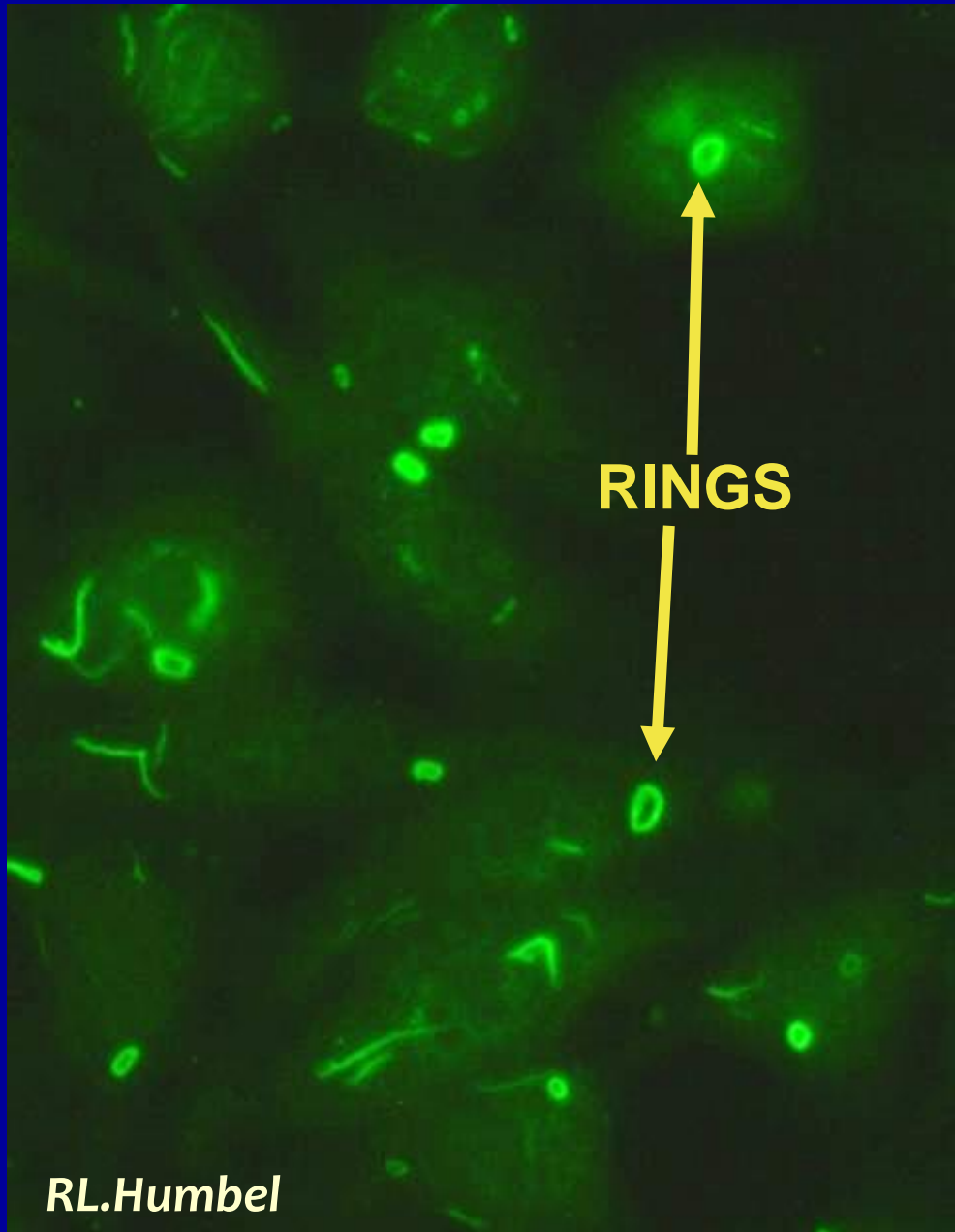
INCLUSIONS

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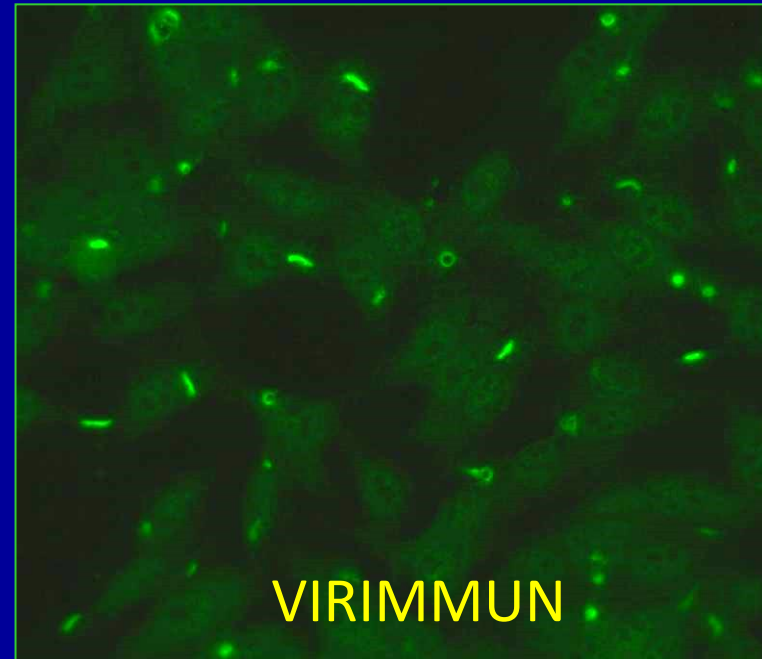
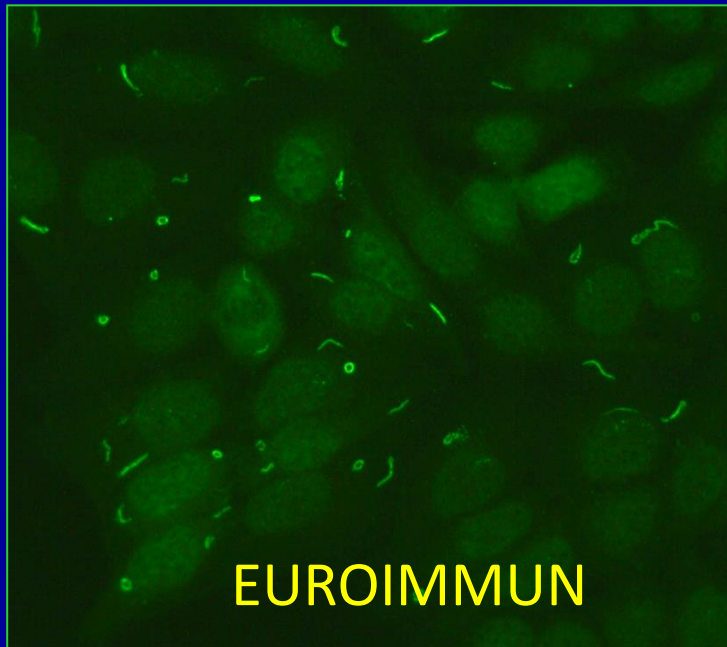
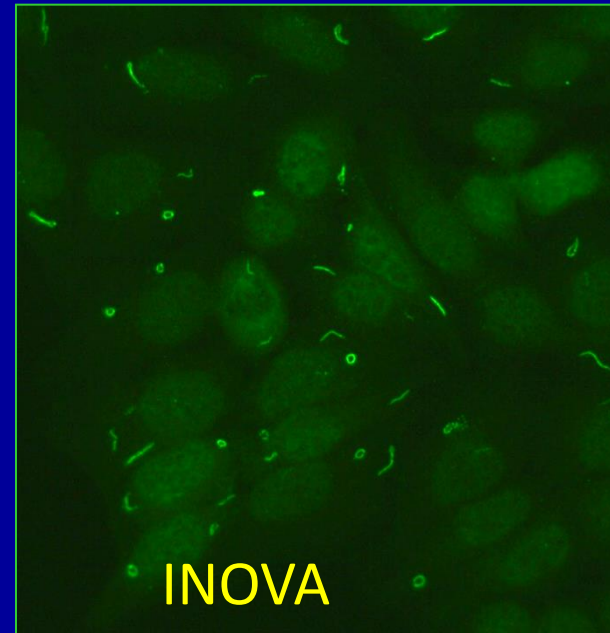
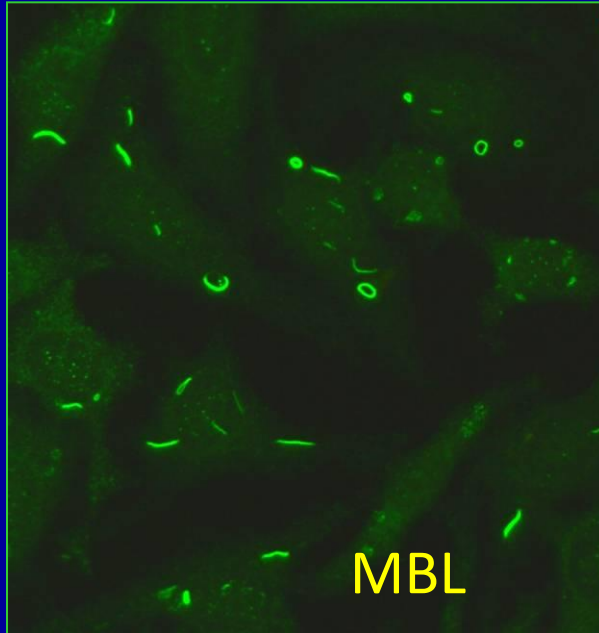
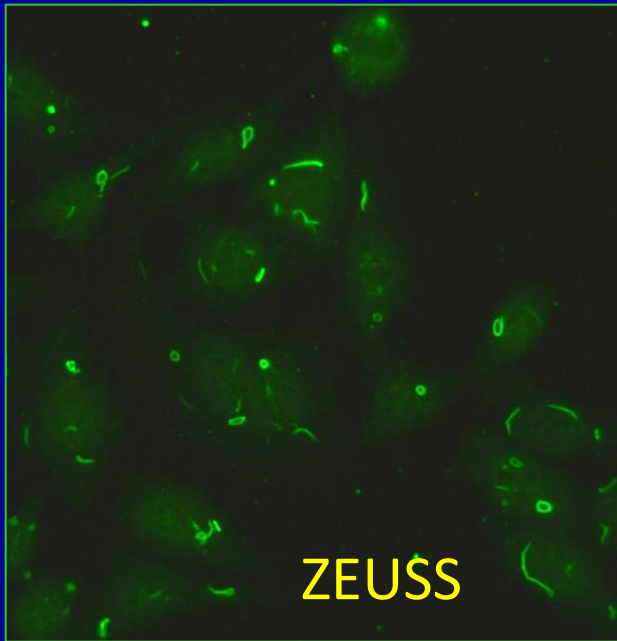
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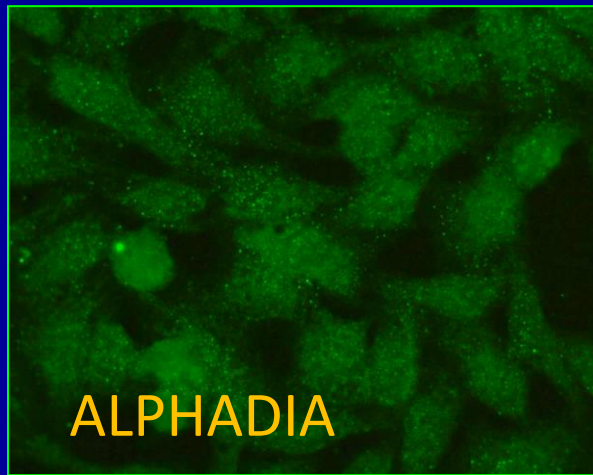
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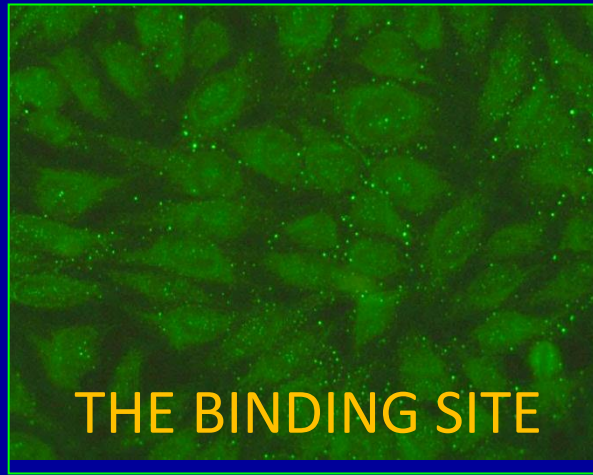


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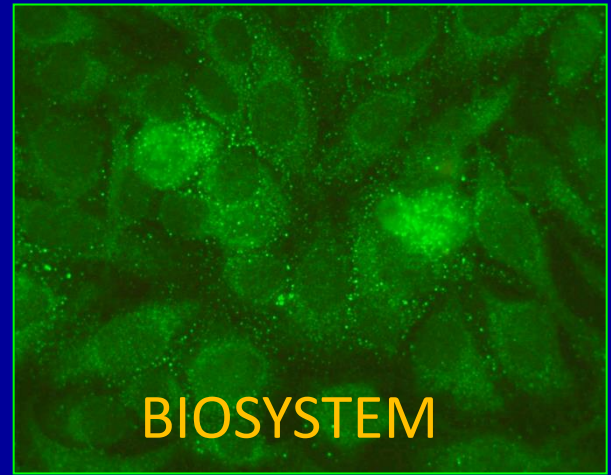




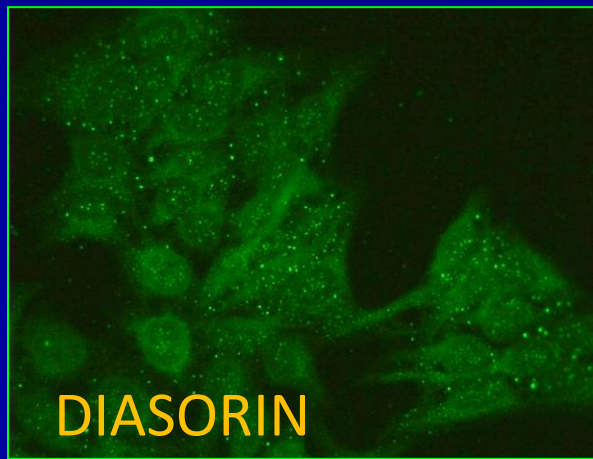
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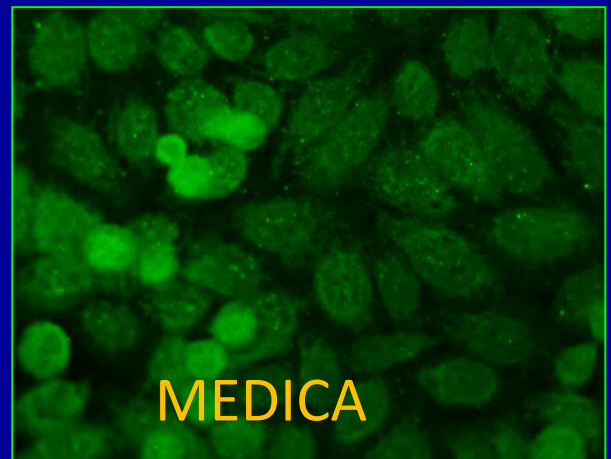
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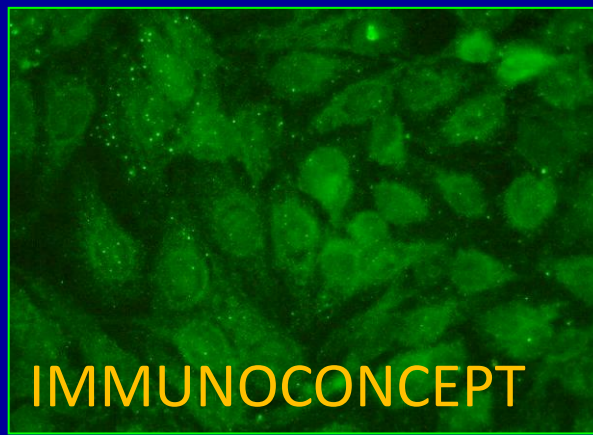
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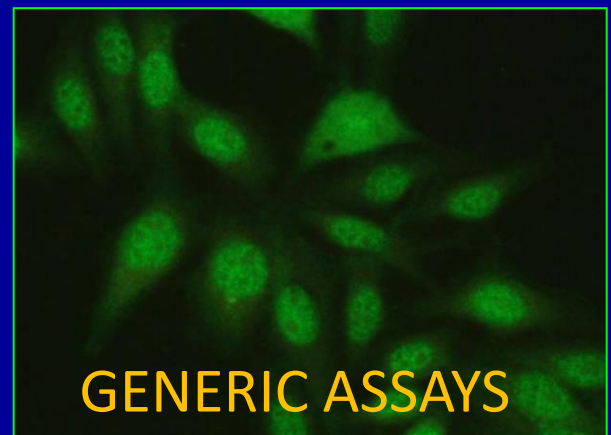
MEDICA



MENARINI



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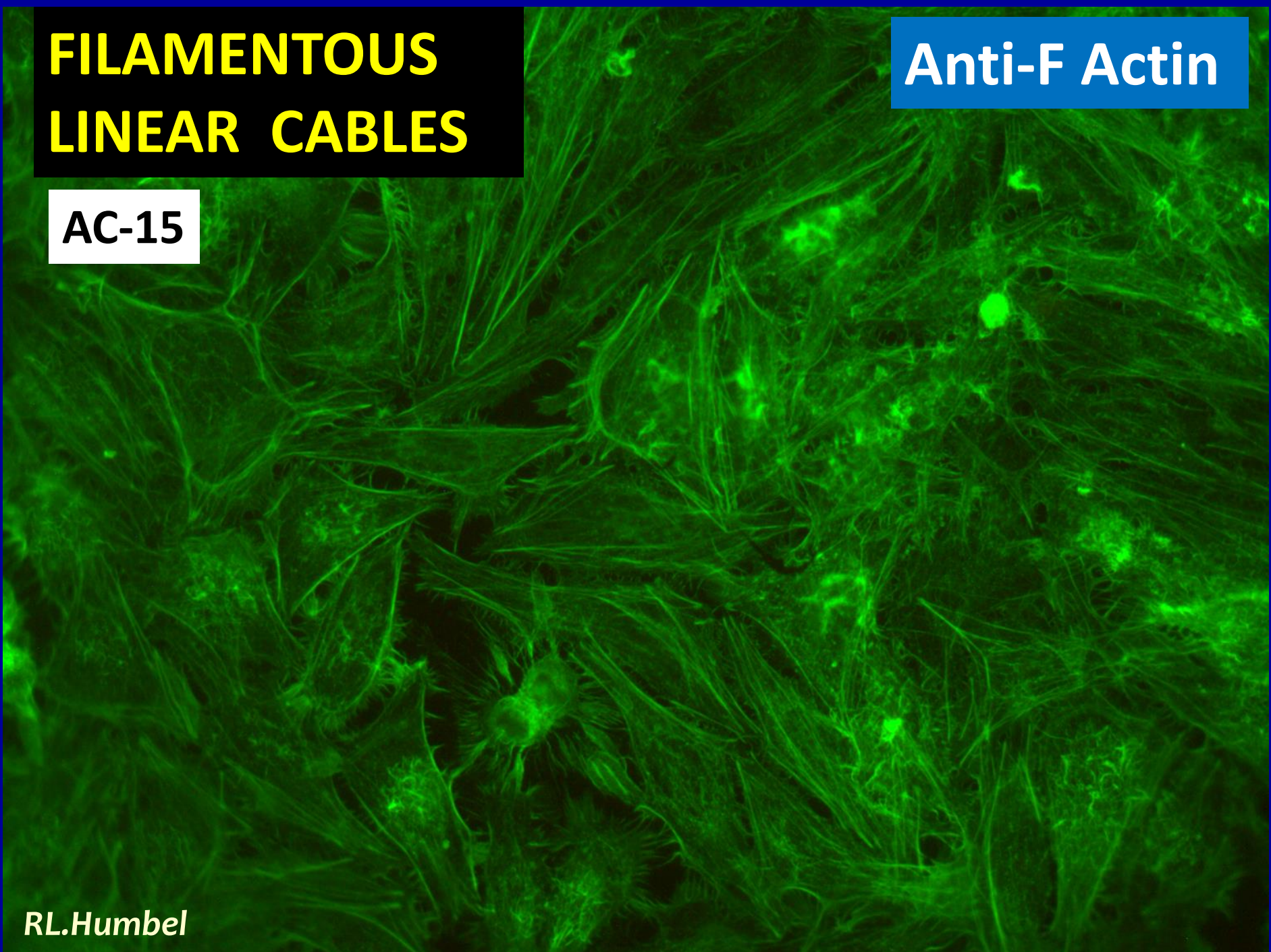


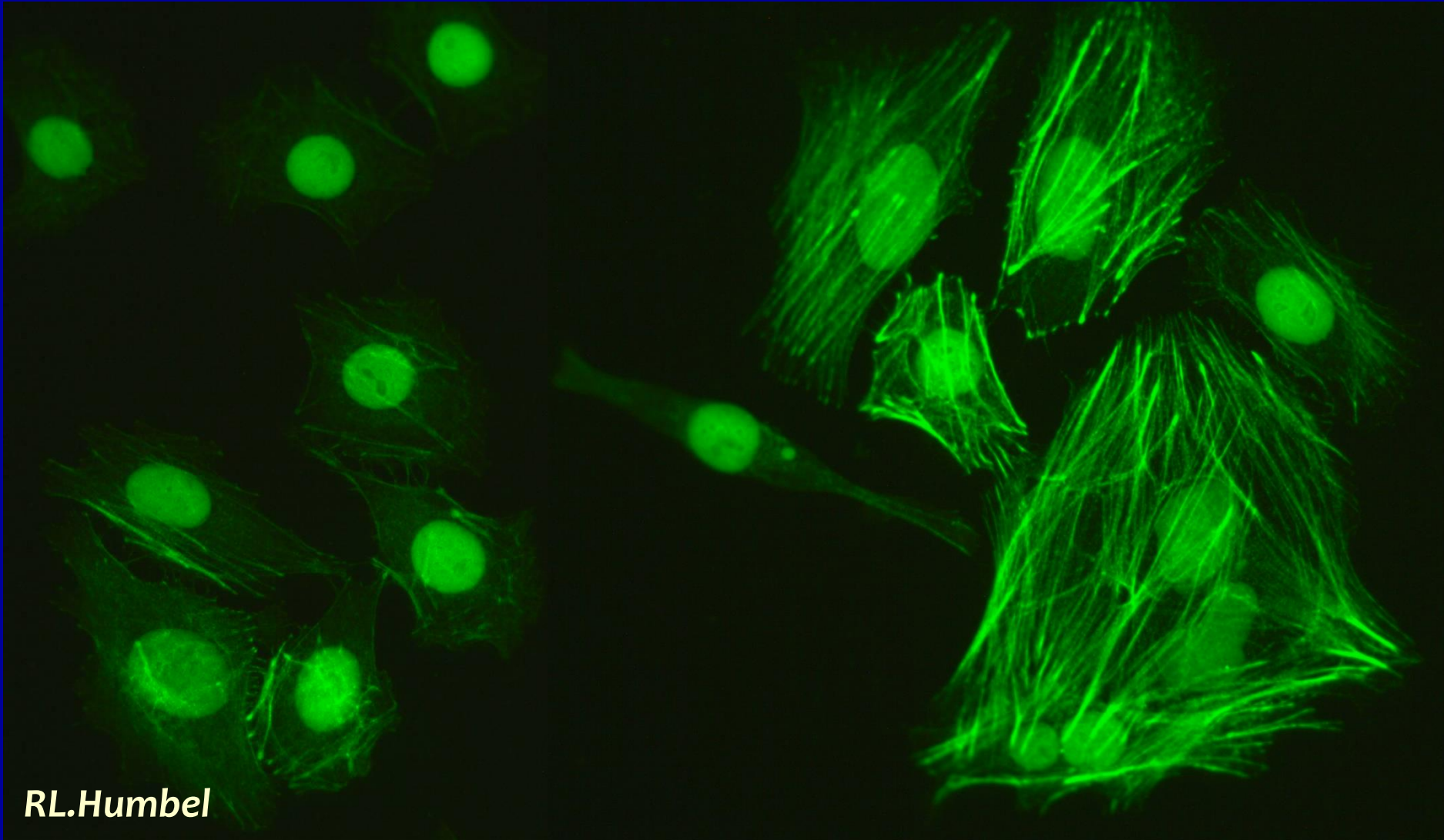
GENERIC ASSAYS

**FILAMENTOUS
LINEAR CABLES**

Anti-F Actin

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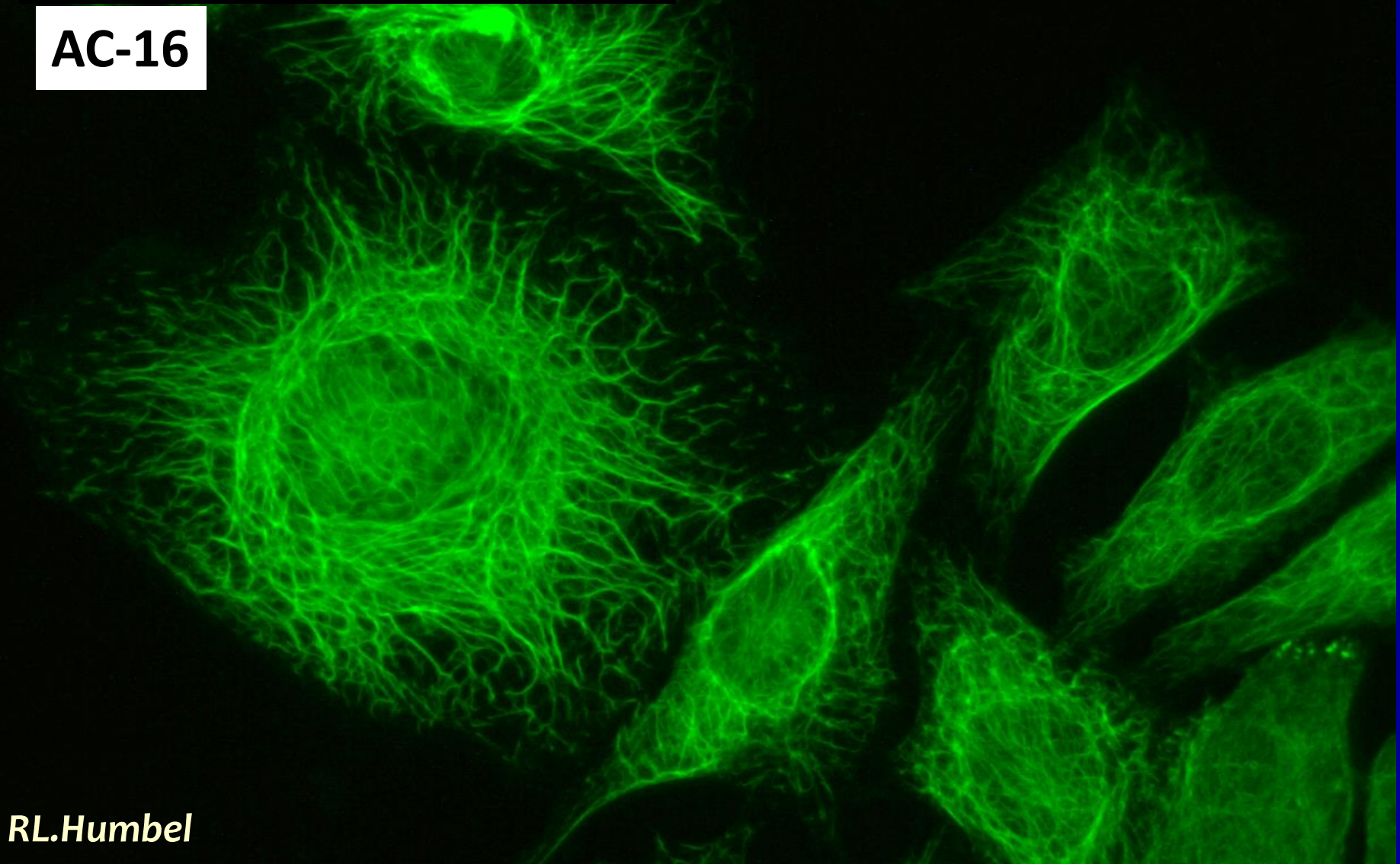


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FILAMENTOUS RADIAL FILAMENTS

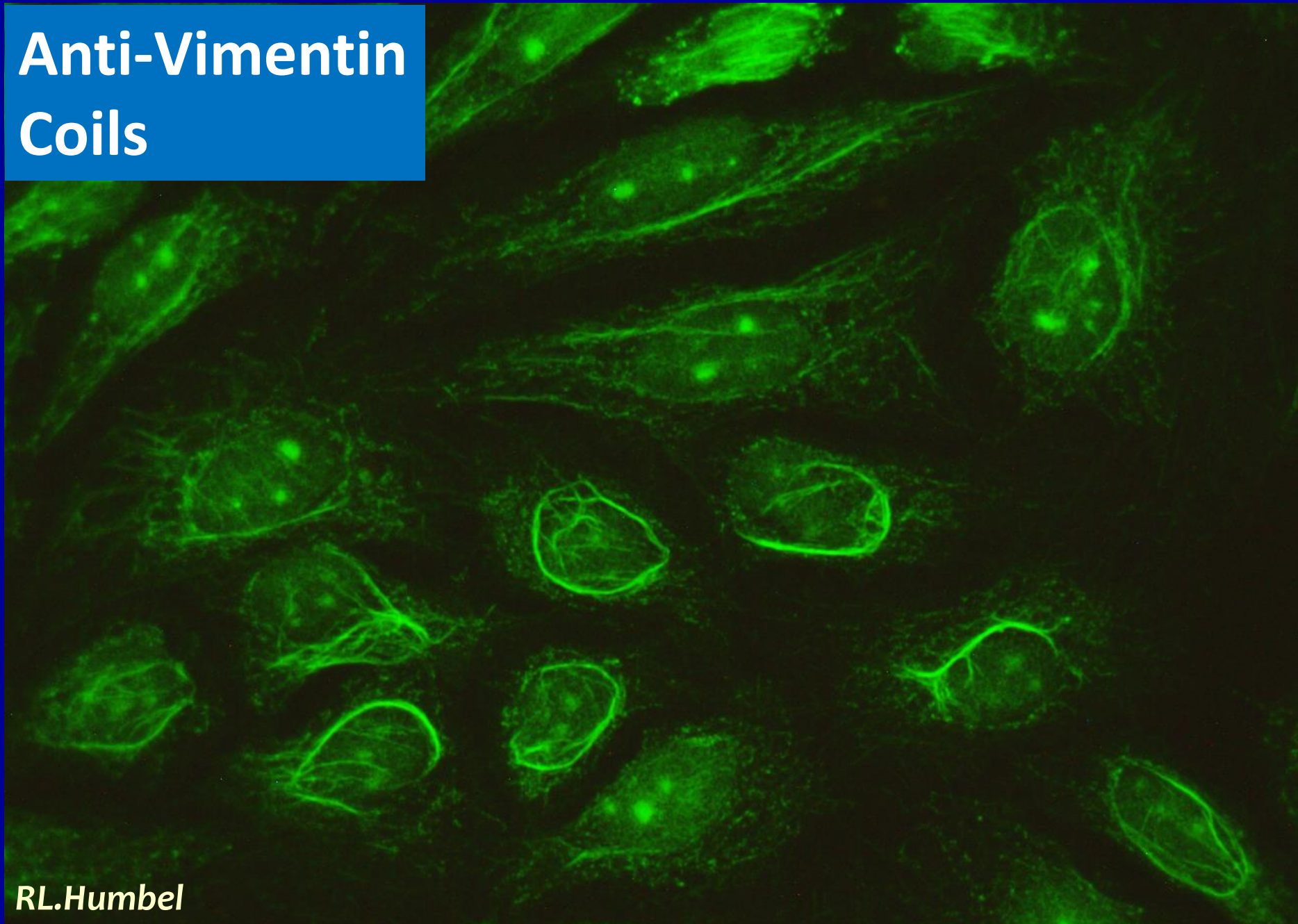
Anti-Vimentin

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Anti-Vimentin Coils



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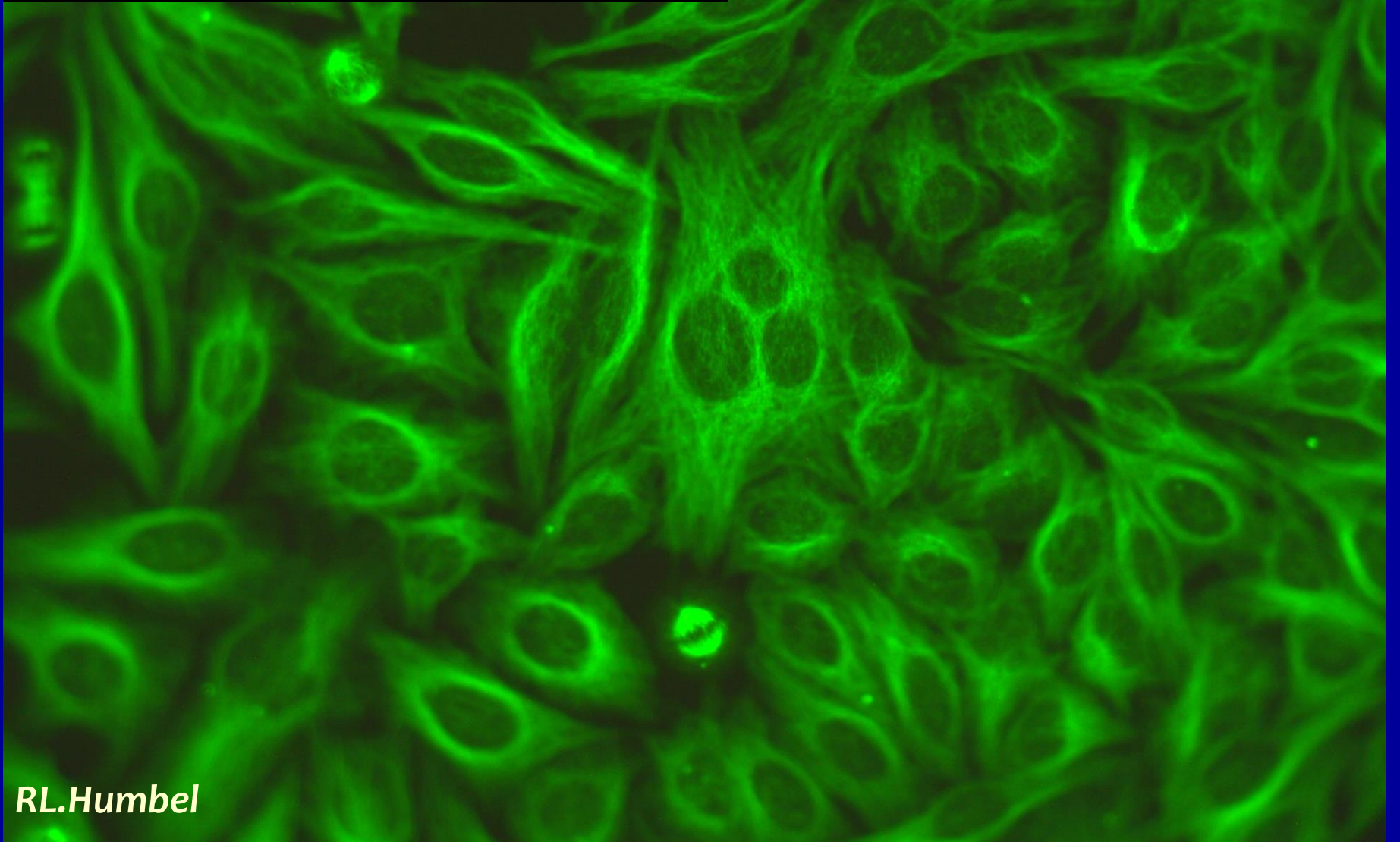
Anti-Vimentin

A fluorescence microscopy image showing vimentin staining in cells. The image displays a network of green filaments, characteristic of vimentin intermediate filaments, within several cells. The staining is most prominent in a large, irregularly shaped cell in the center, which shows a dense, interconnected network of filaments. Other cells in the field show more sparse or organized filamentous structures. The background is dark, highlighting the green fluorescence.

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**FINE LONG FILAMENTS
MITOSIS**

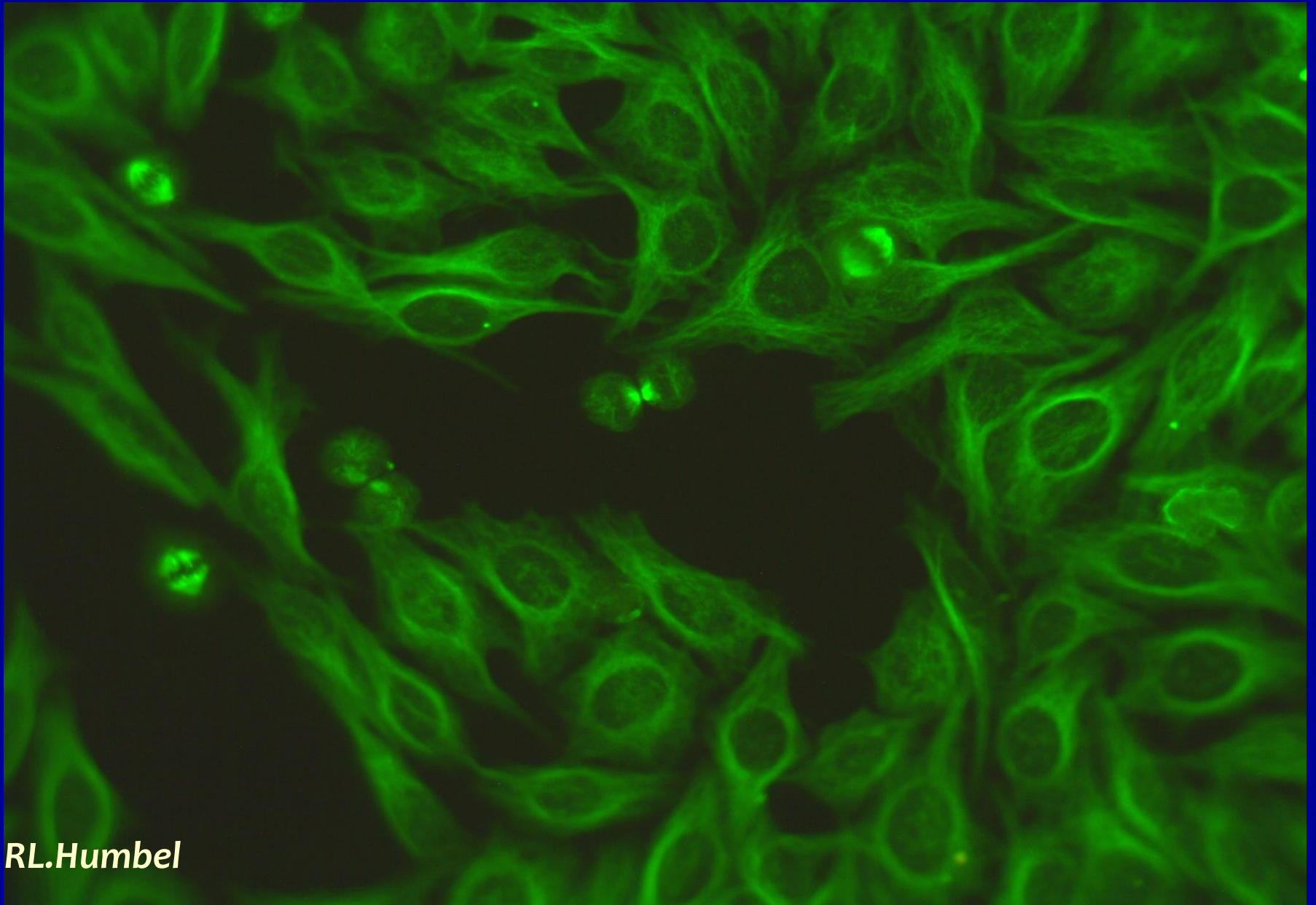
Anti-Tubulin



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Anti-Tubulin

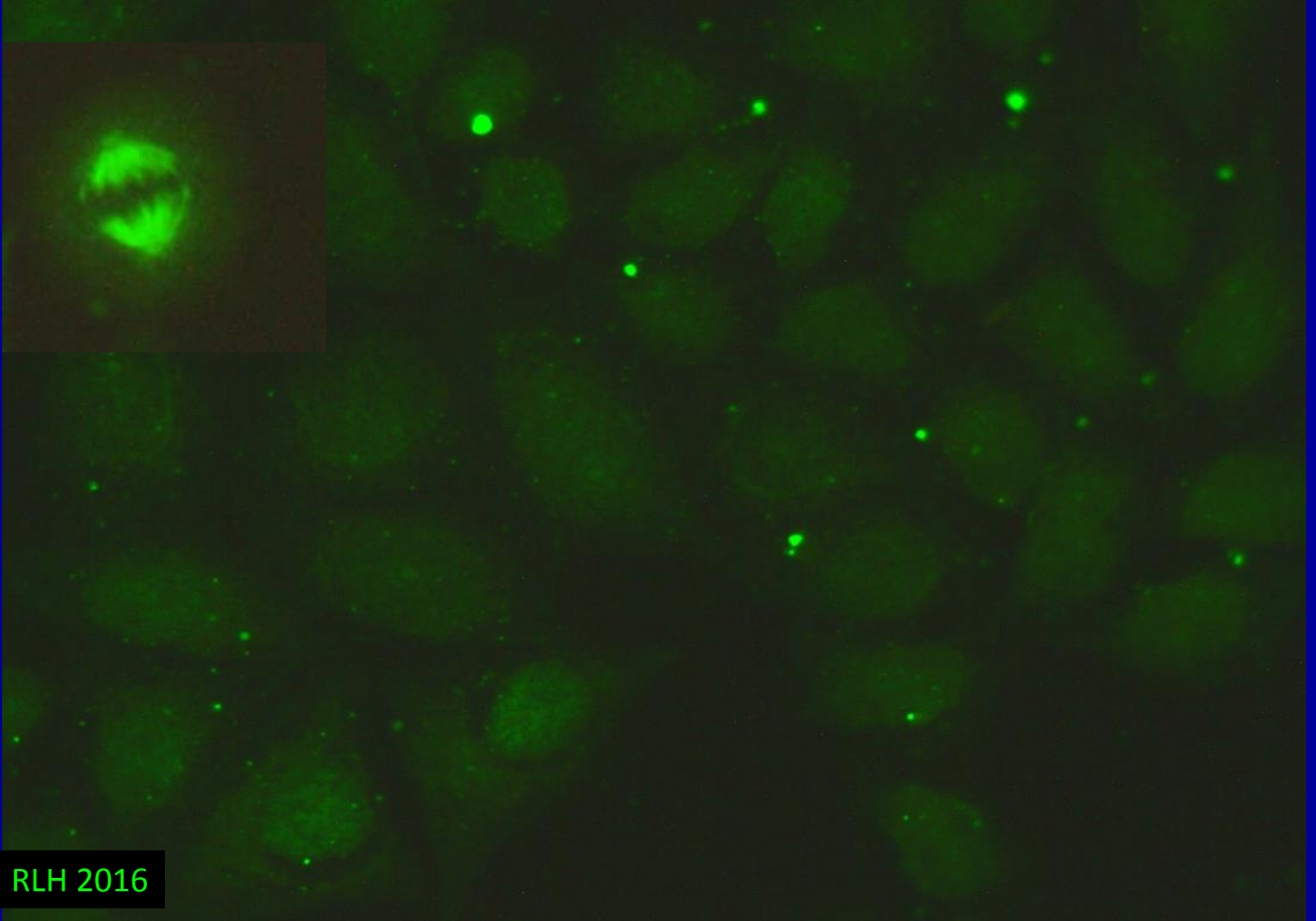
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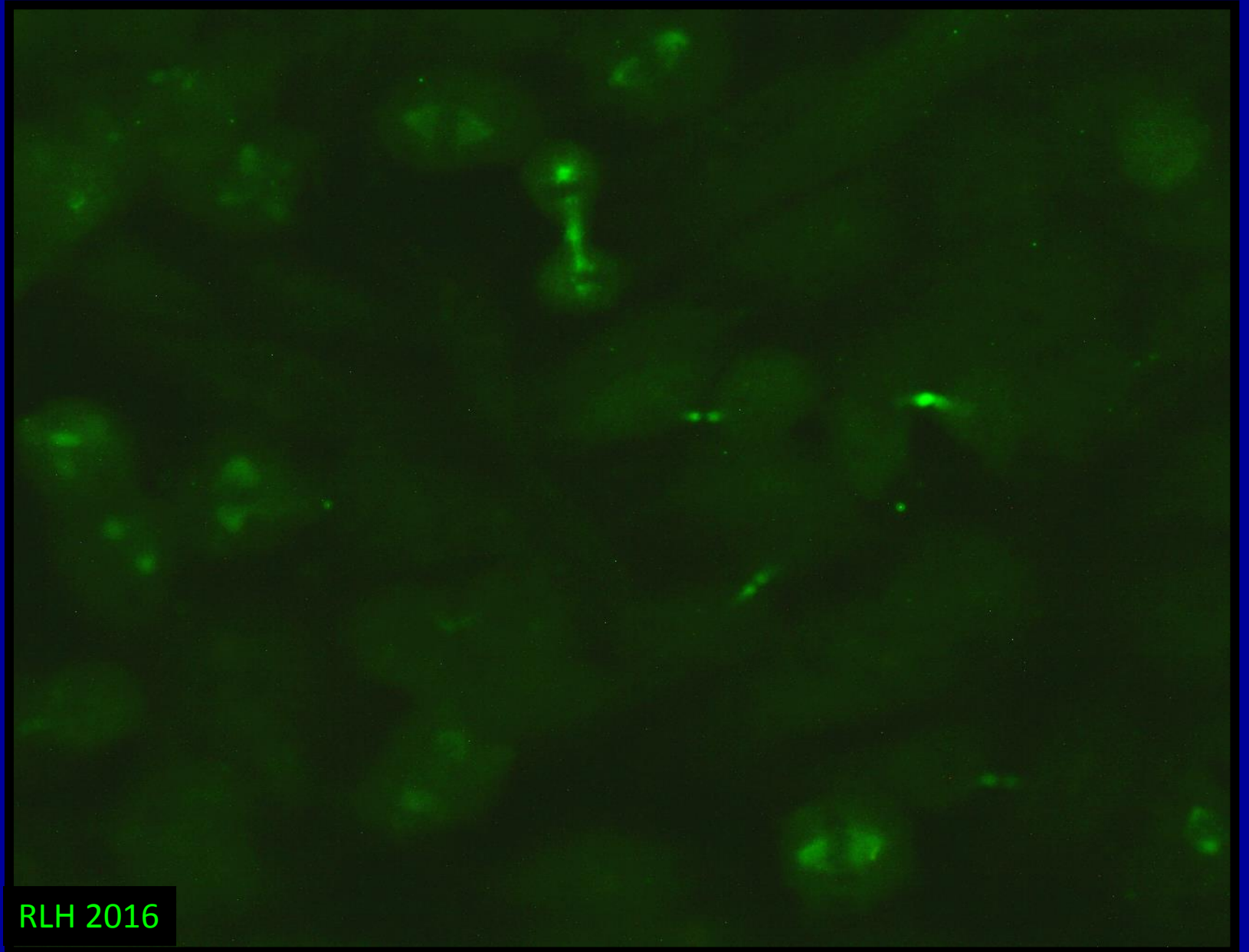
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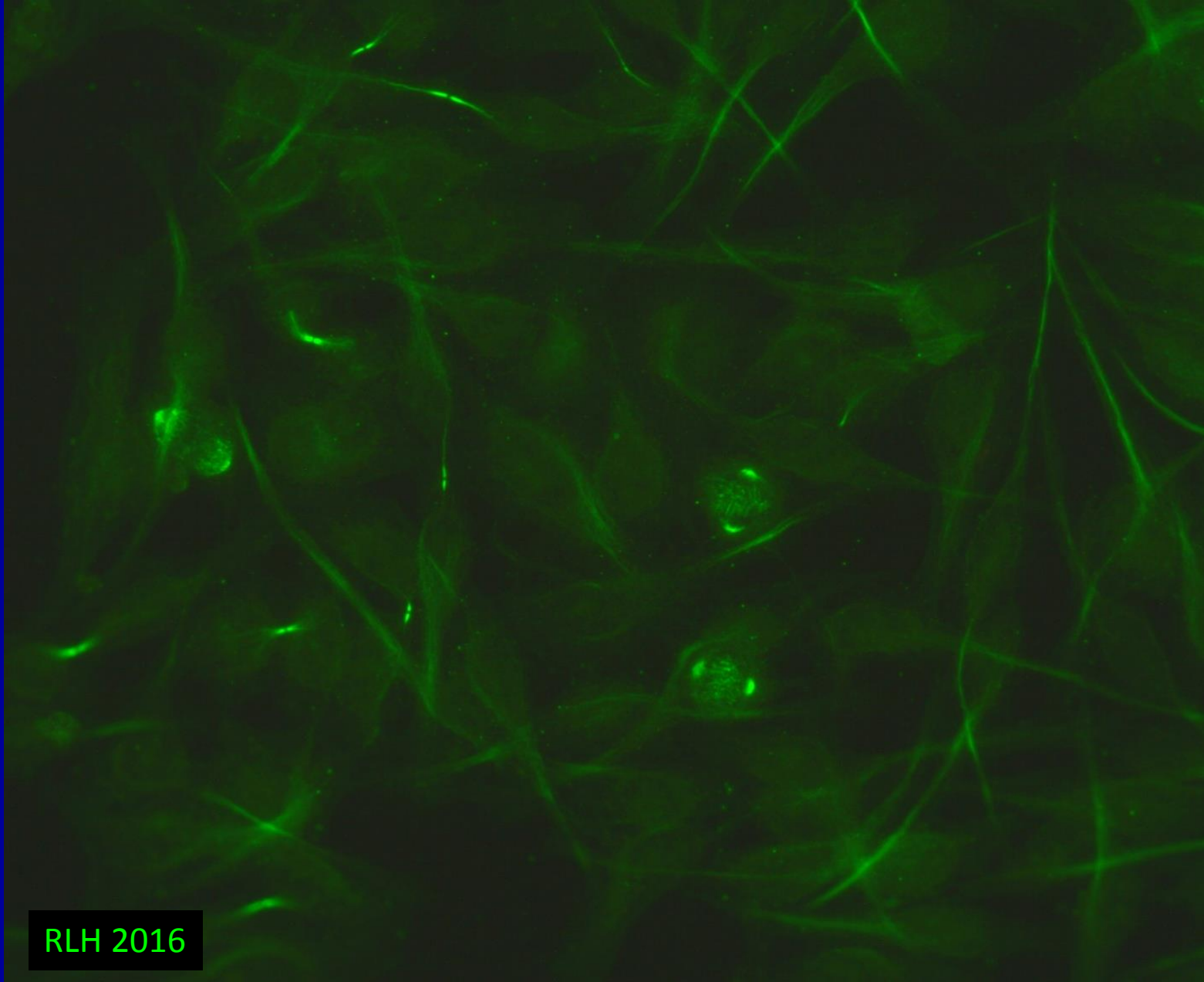
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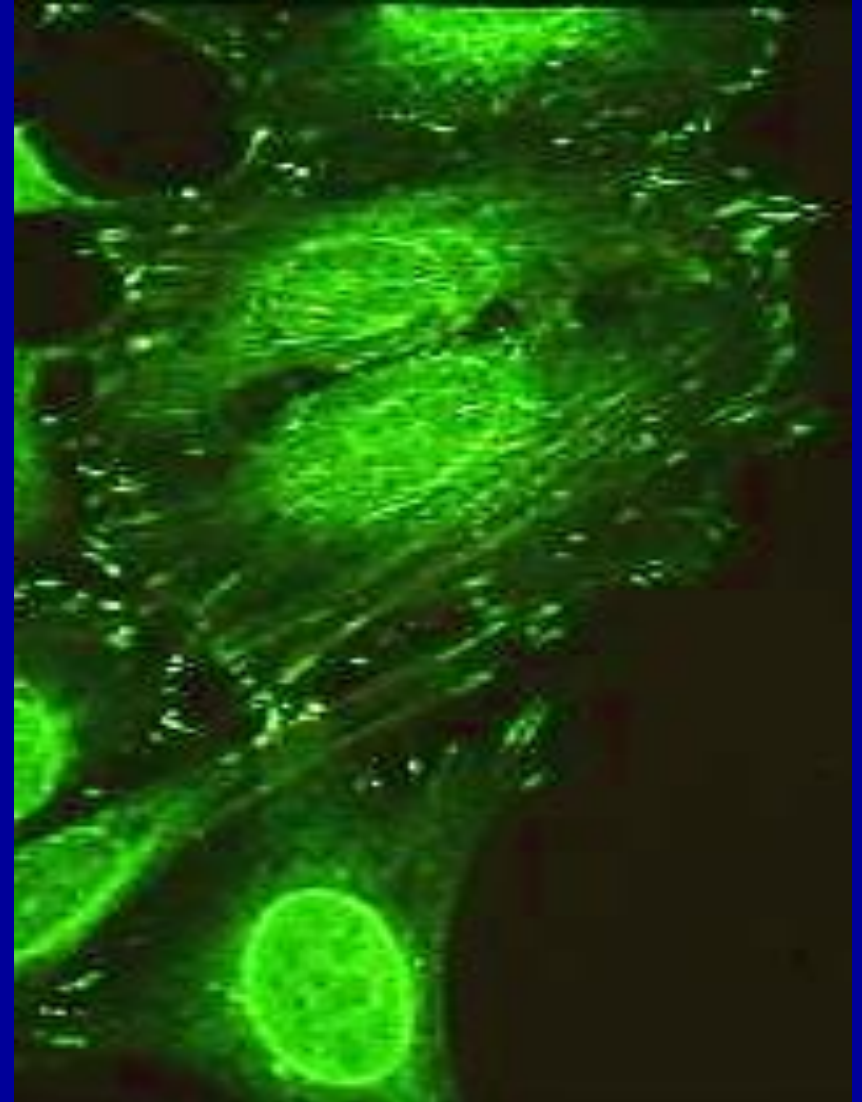
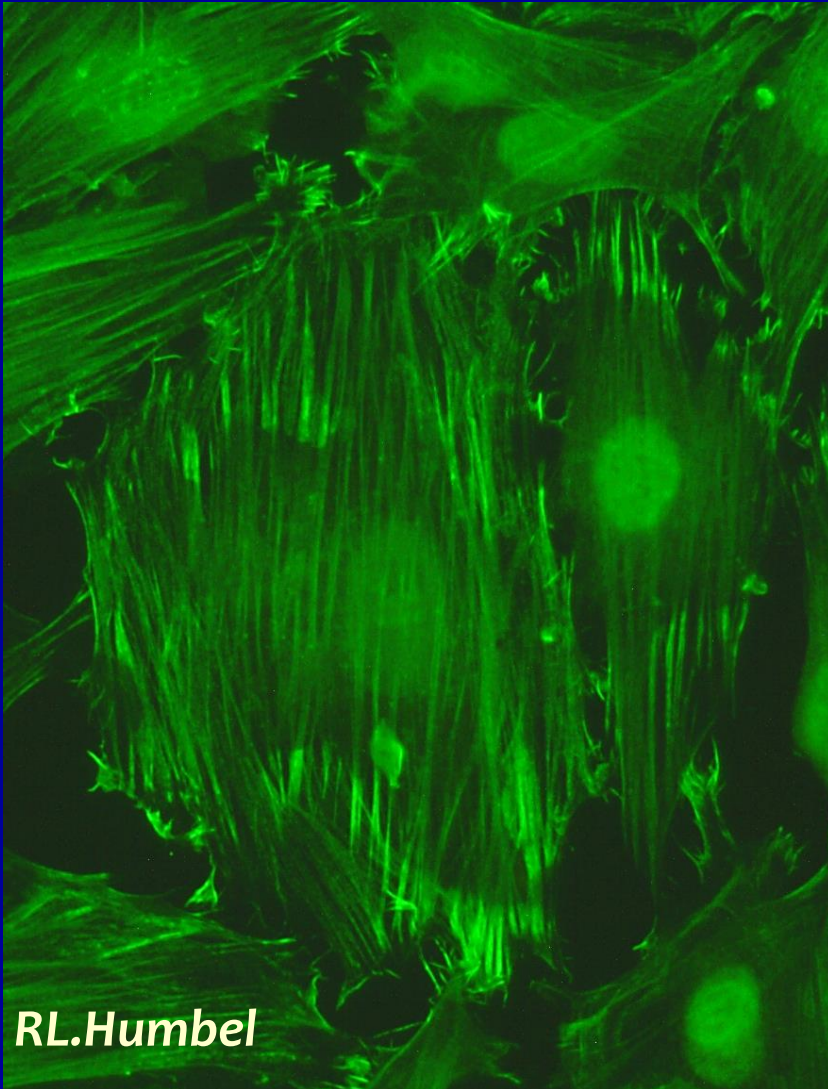
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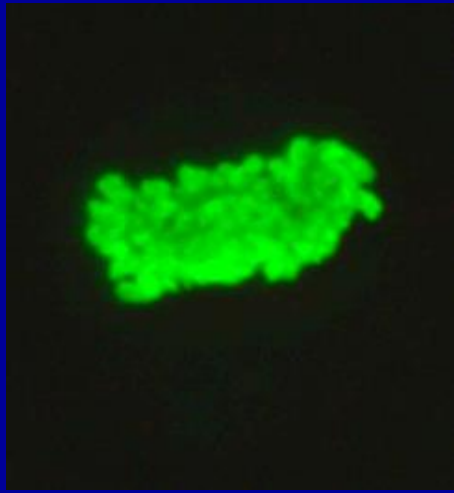
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SEGMENTAL

VINCULIN



MITOTIC CELLS



CHROMOSOMES

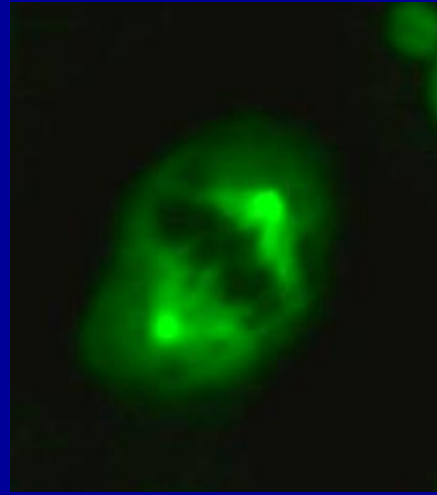
MITOTIC CHROMOSOME

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MITOTIC CENTROMERE

CHROMOSOMAL

PASSENGER PROTEINS



SPINDLE

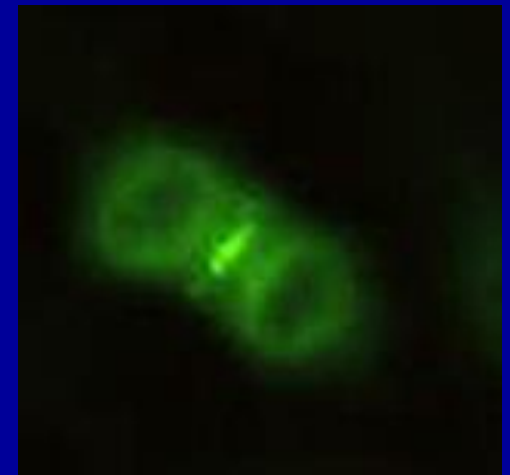
CENTROSOME

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SPINDLE POOL

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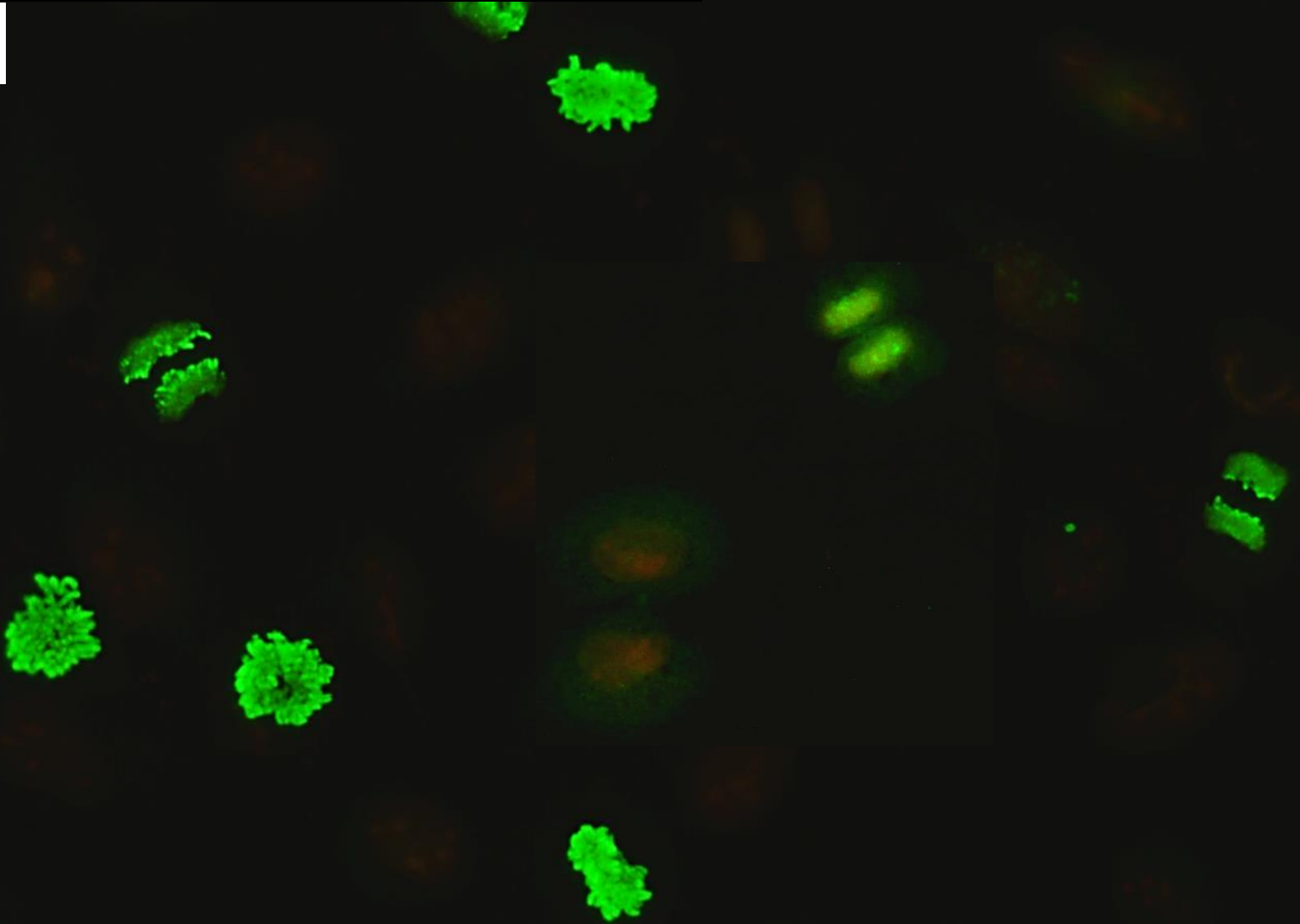
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INTERCELLULAR BRIDGE

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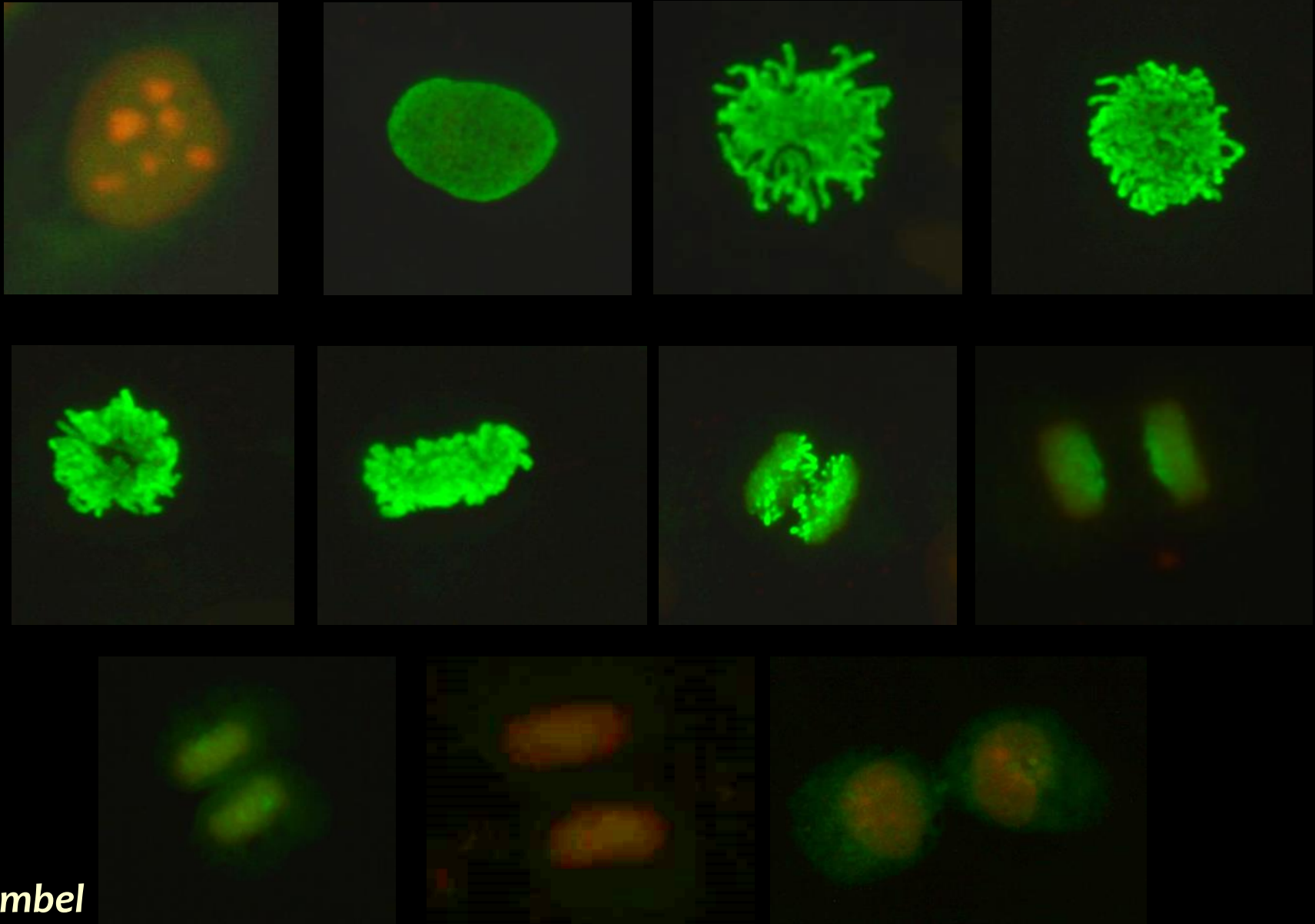
MITOTIC CHROMOSOMES

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ANTIBODIES TO MITOTIC CHROMOSOMES





IgG

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IgM



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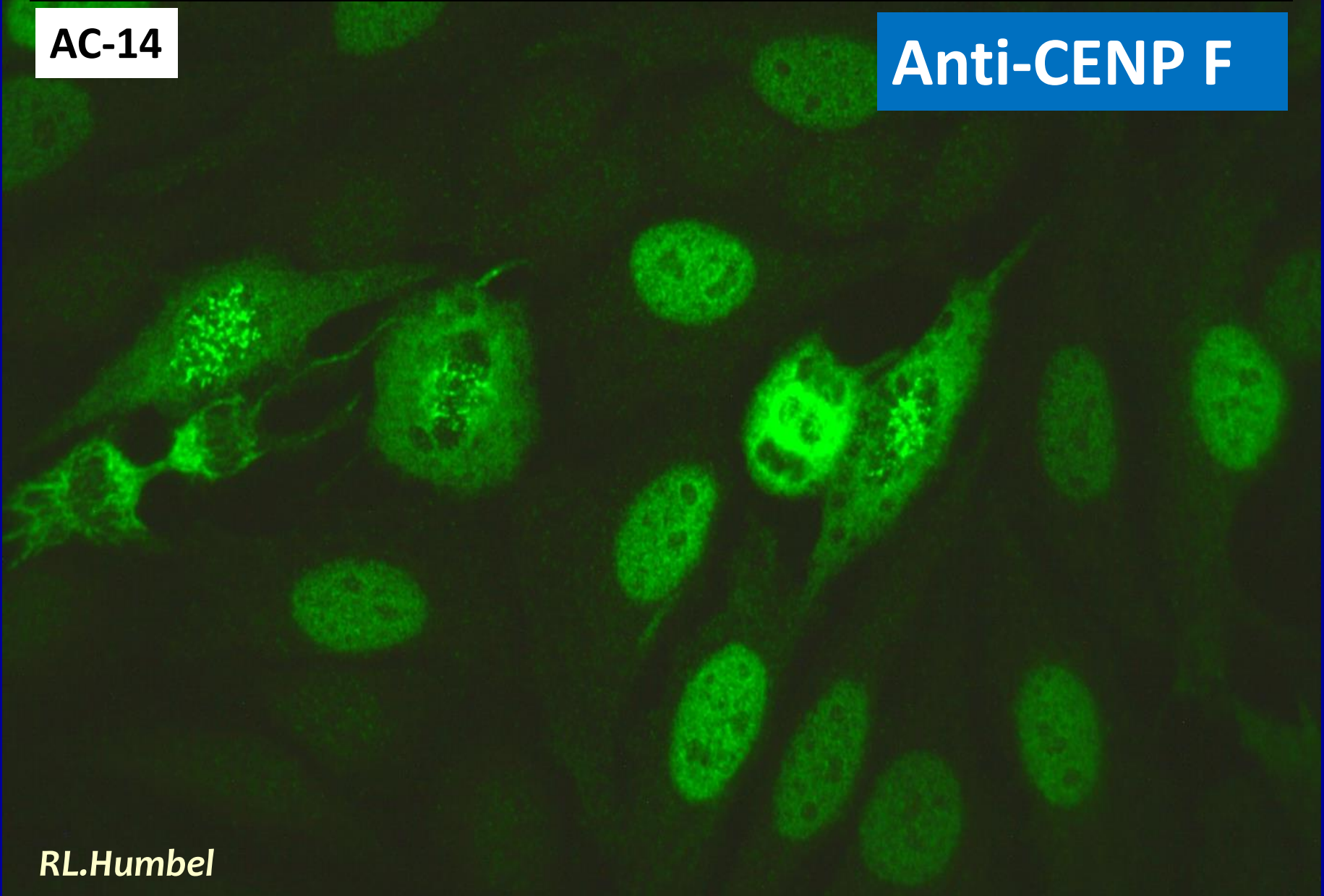


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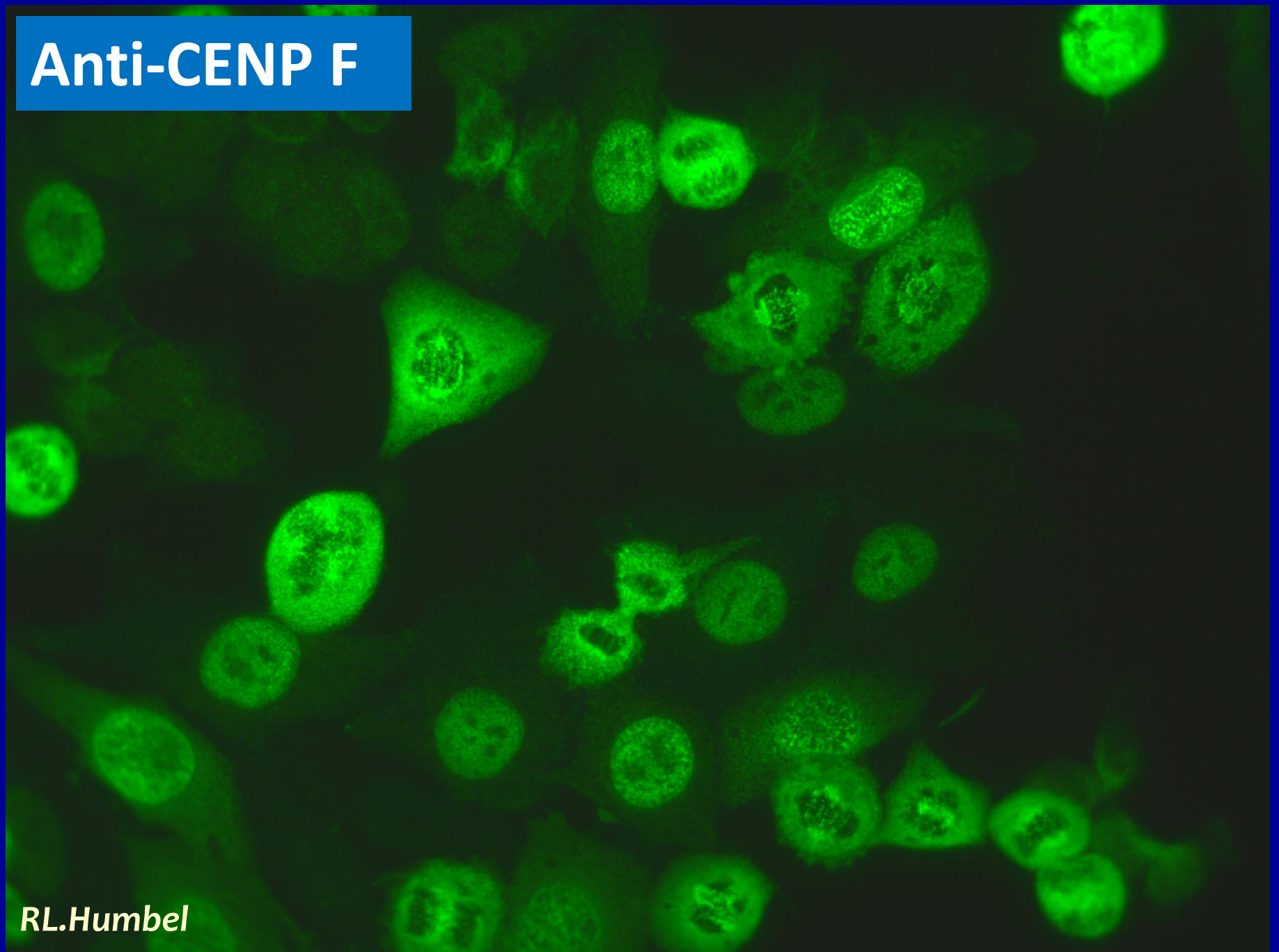
MITOTIC CHROMOSOME / CENTROMERE

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Anti-CENP F

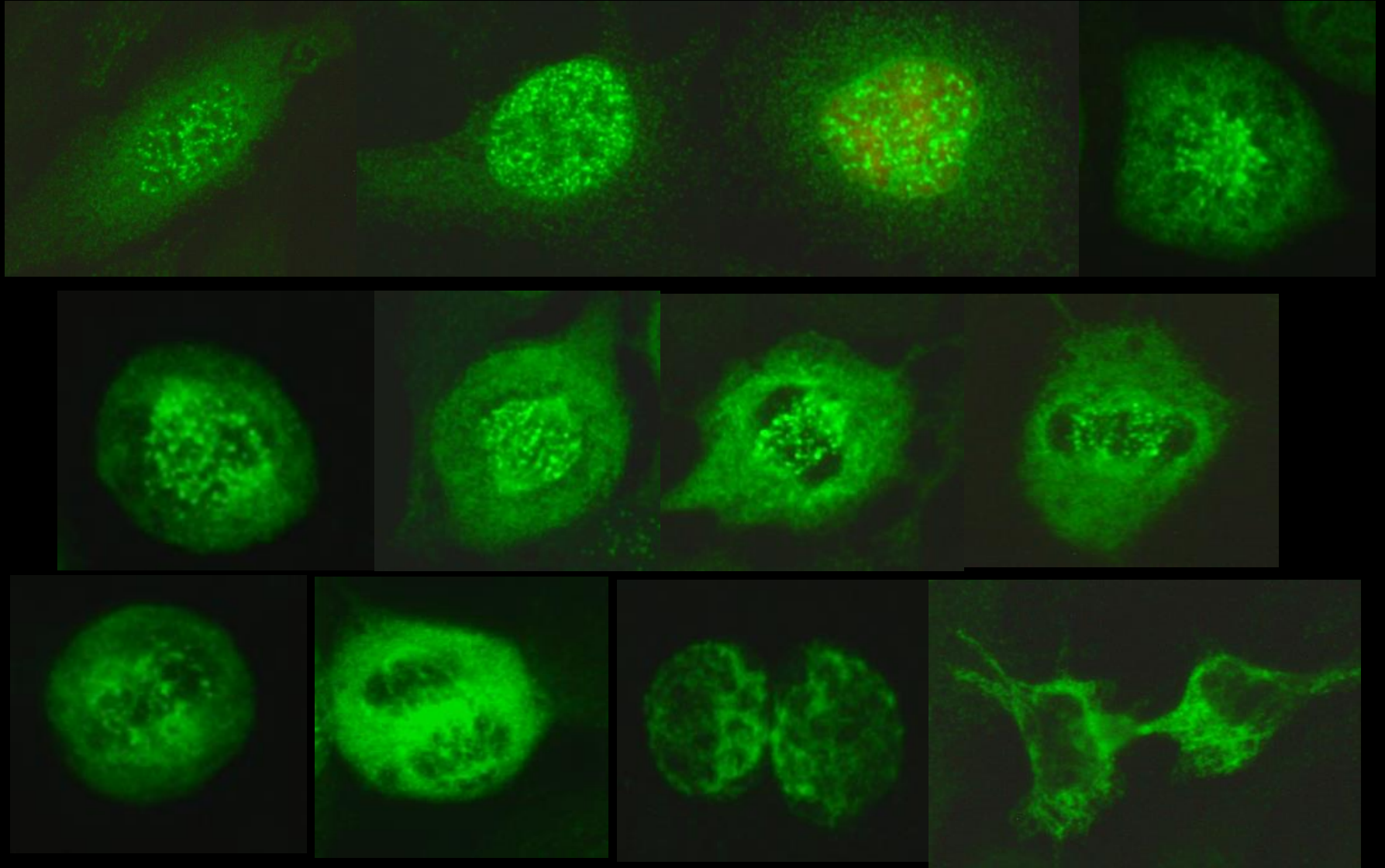


Anti-CENP F



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MSA3 : ANTI - CENP F



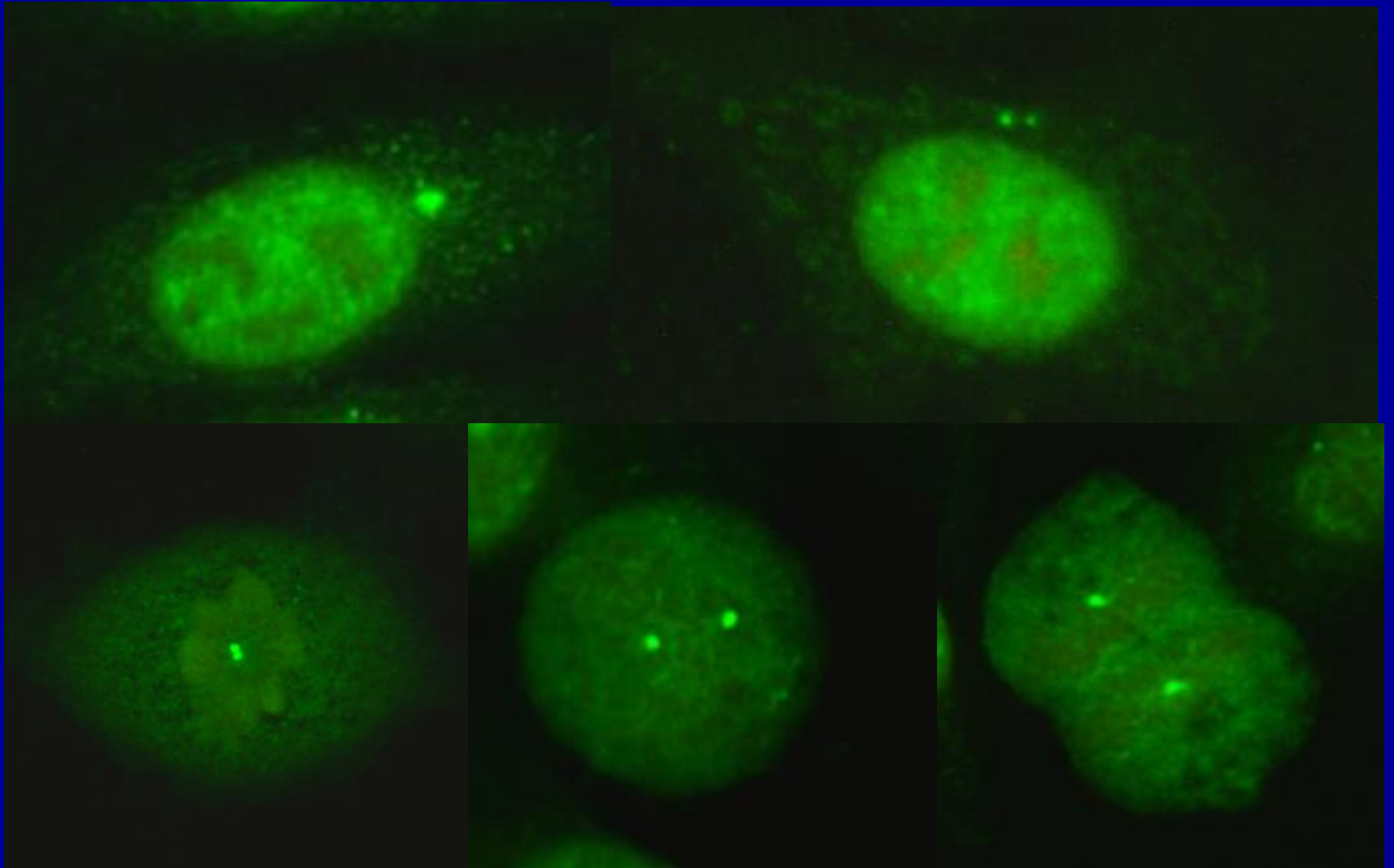
SPINDLE APPARATUS

Anti-Centrosome
Centriol

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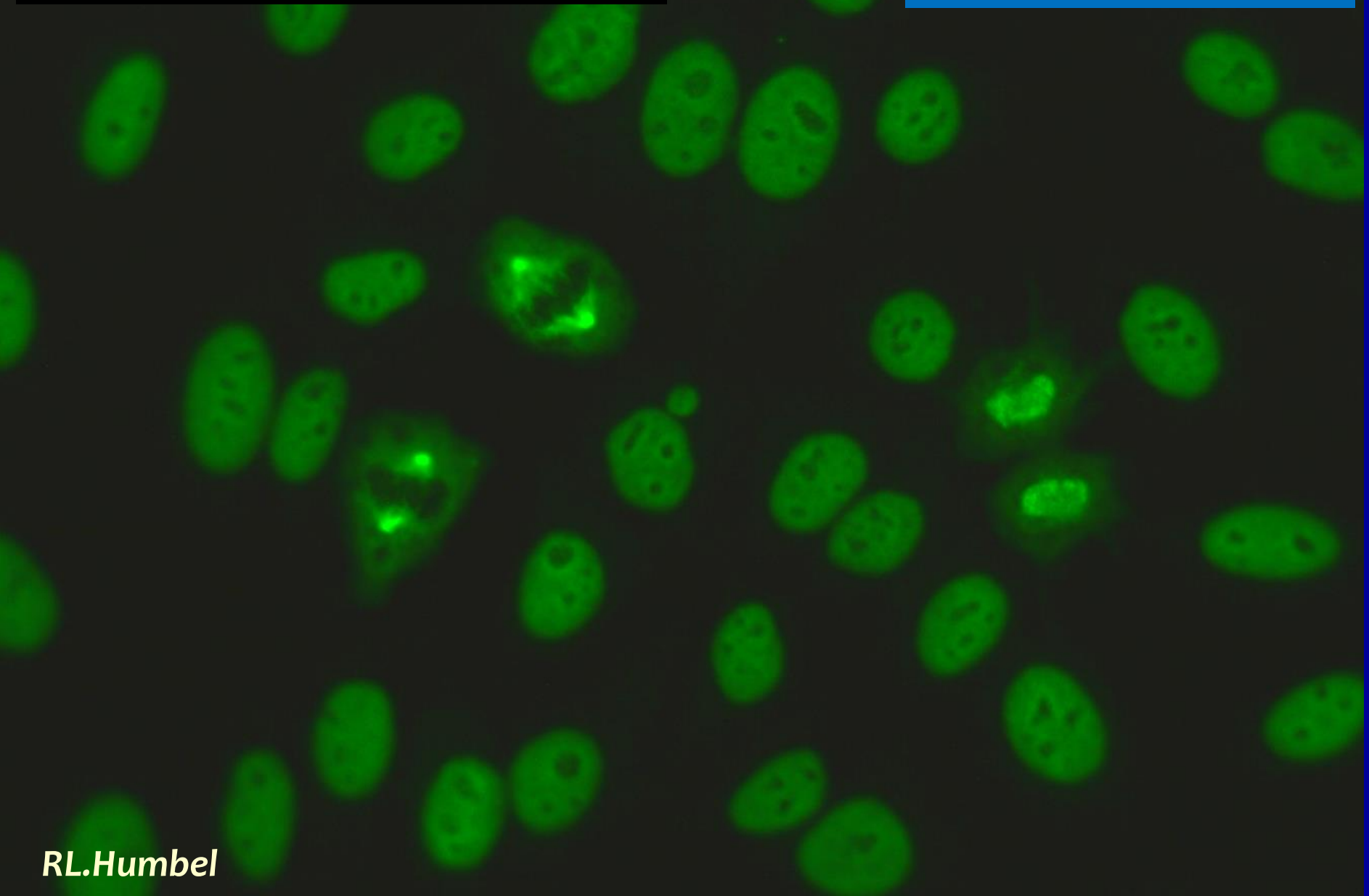
A fluorescence microscopy image showing several cells. The cells are stained with a green fluorescent antibody that targets centrosomes and centrioles. The staining appears as bright green spots and puncta within the cells, indicating the location of these organelles. The background is dark, making the green fluorescence stand out. The overall image is framed by a blue border.

ANTI-CENTROSOME



SPINDLE APPARATUS

Anti-NUMA 1

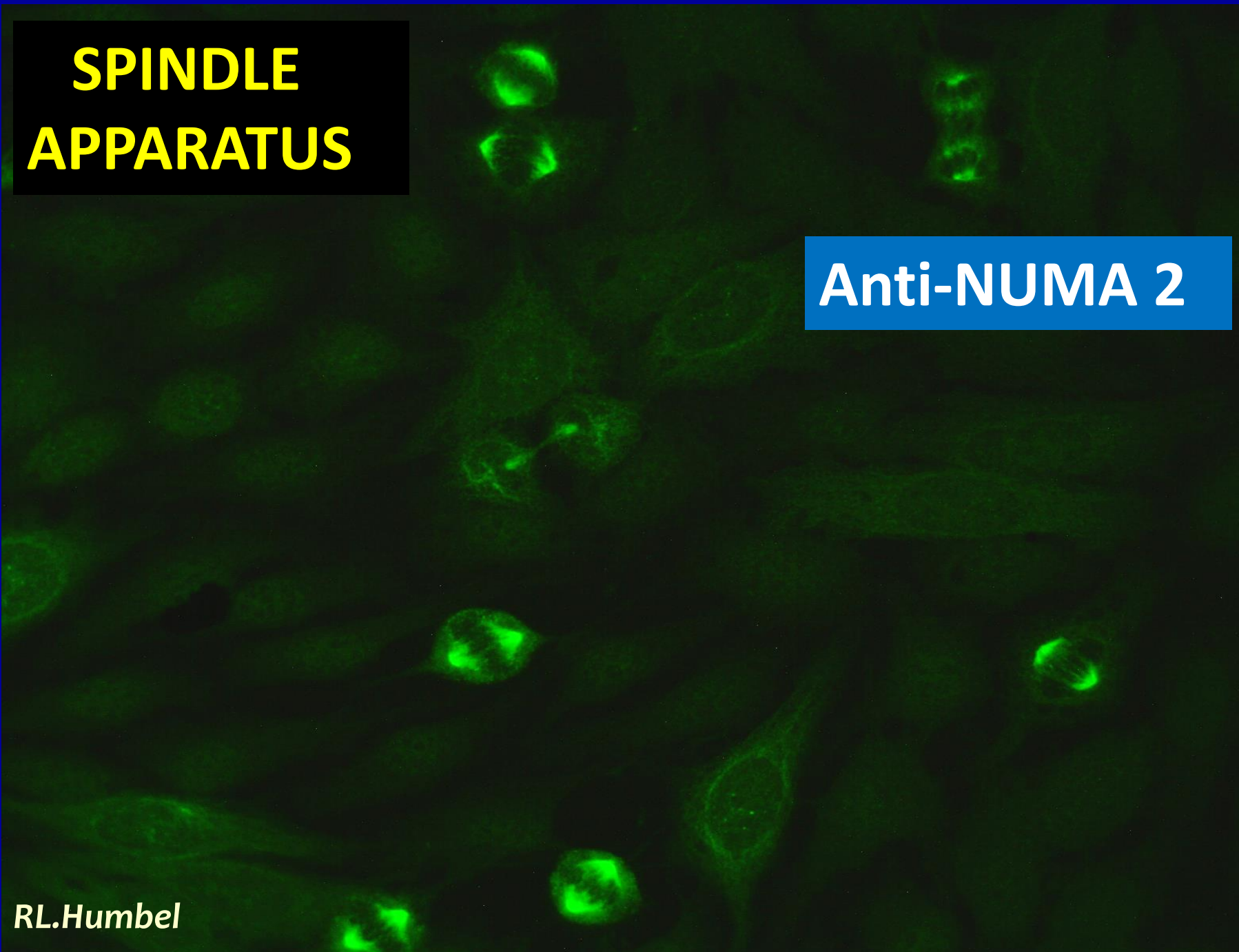


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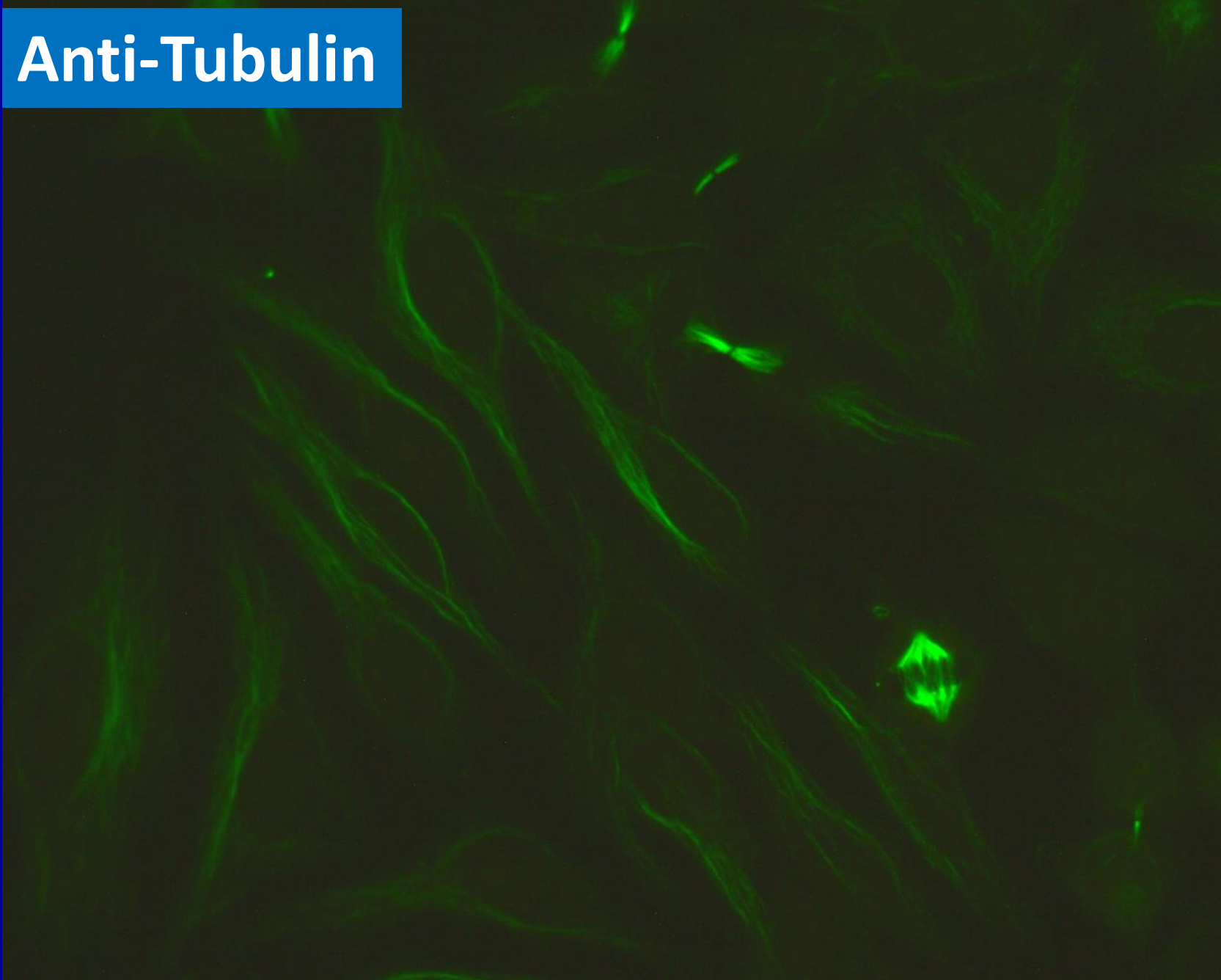
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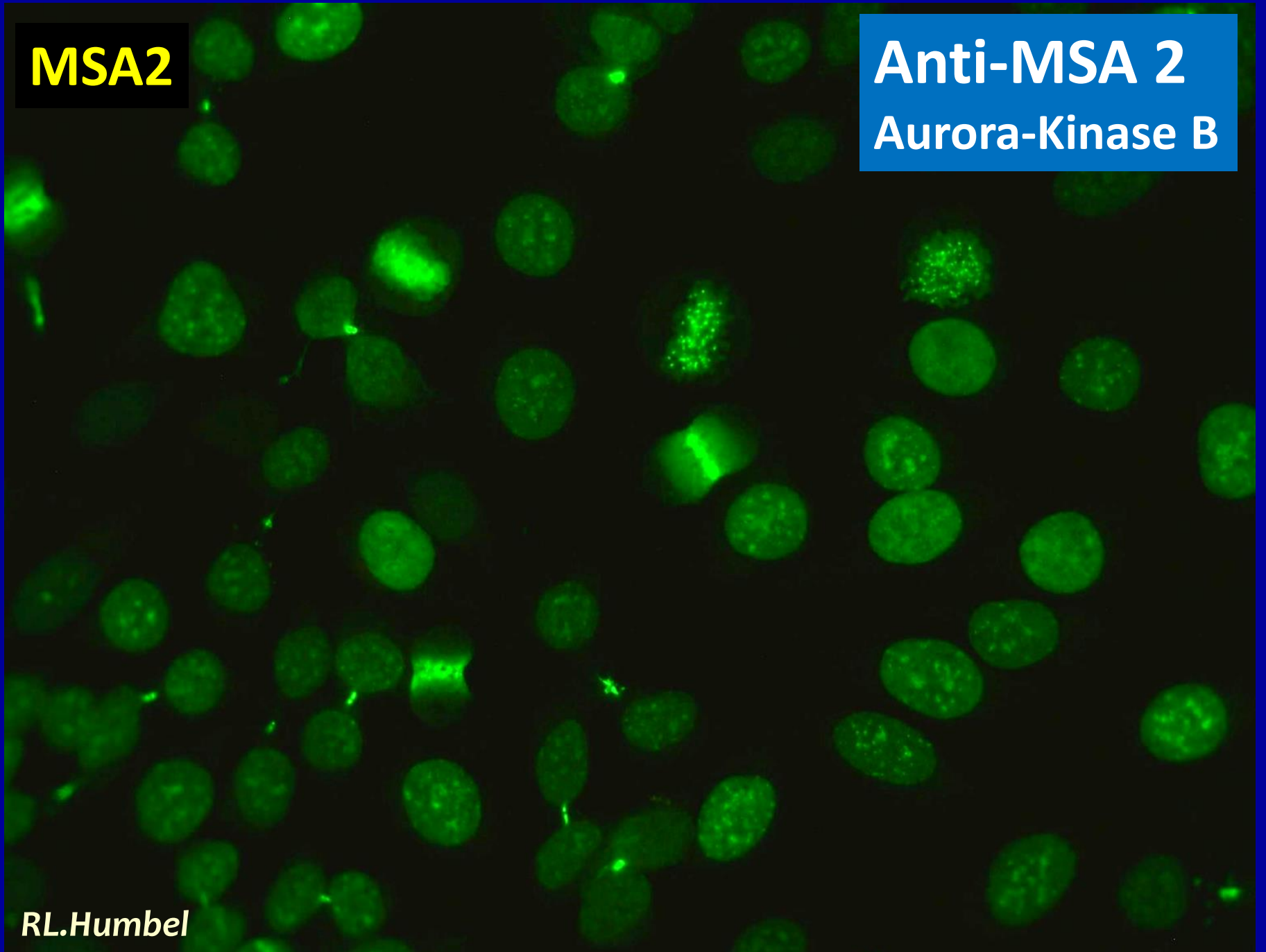
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A fluorescence microscopy image showing a dense network of green-stained tubulin filaments. The filaments are primarily oriented in a diagonal direction from the top-left to the bottom-right. There are several bright, localized spots of higher intensity, notably one in the lower-right quadrant and another in the upper-middle. The background is dark, highlighting the green signal.

MSA2

Anti-MSA 2
Aurora-Kinase B

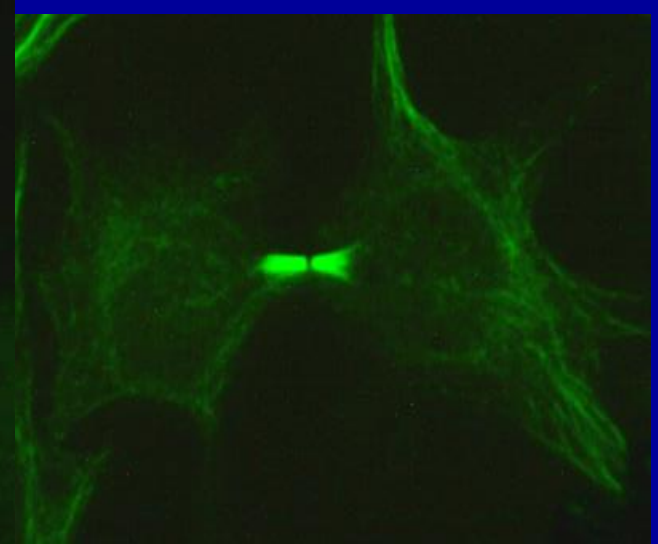
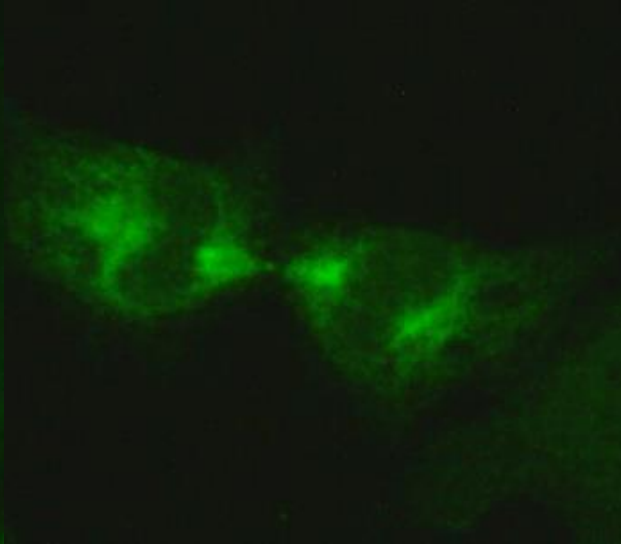
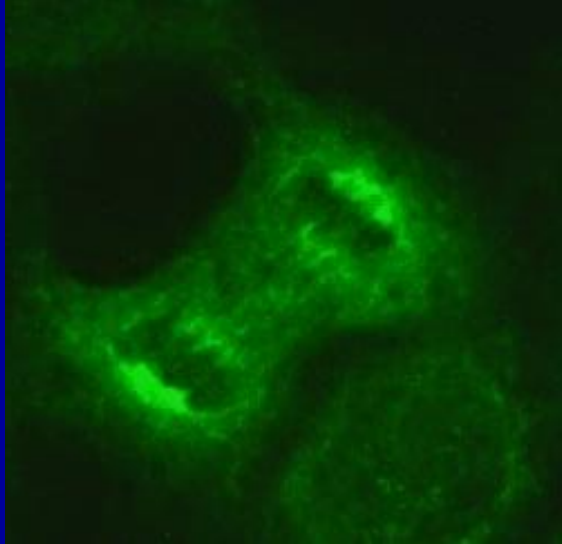
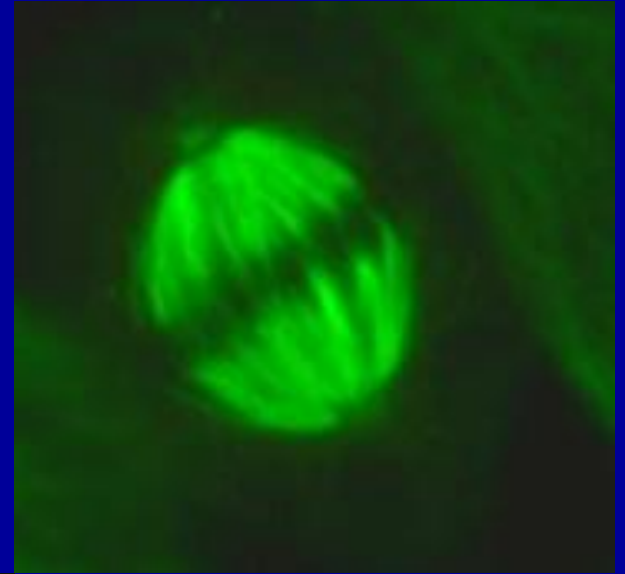
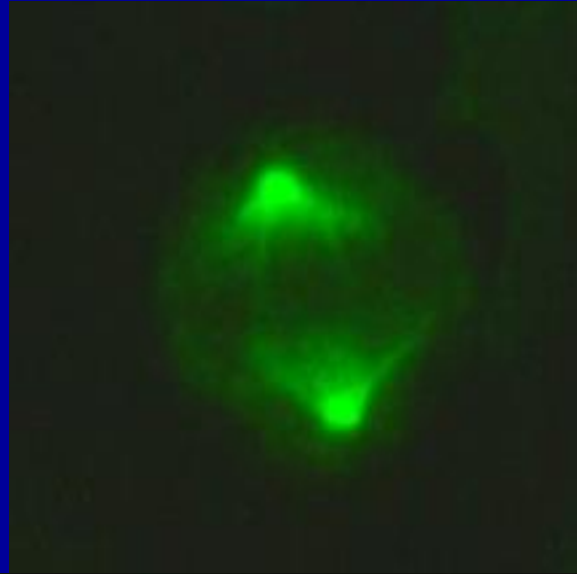
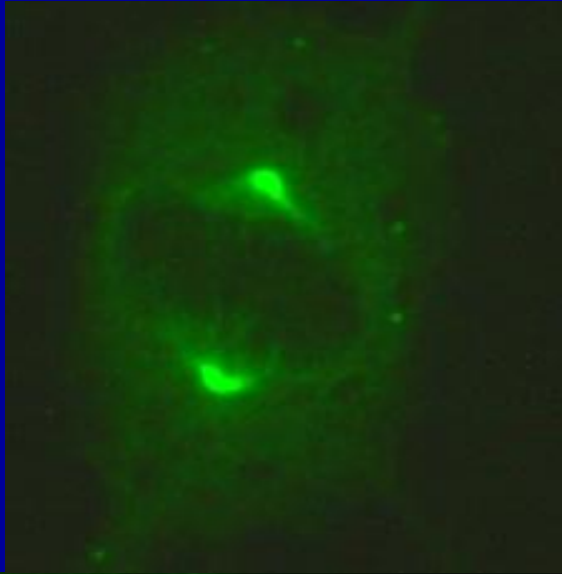
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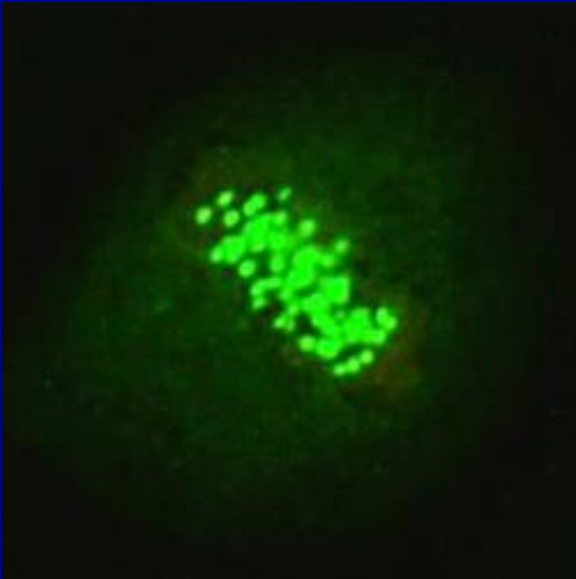
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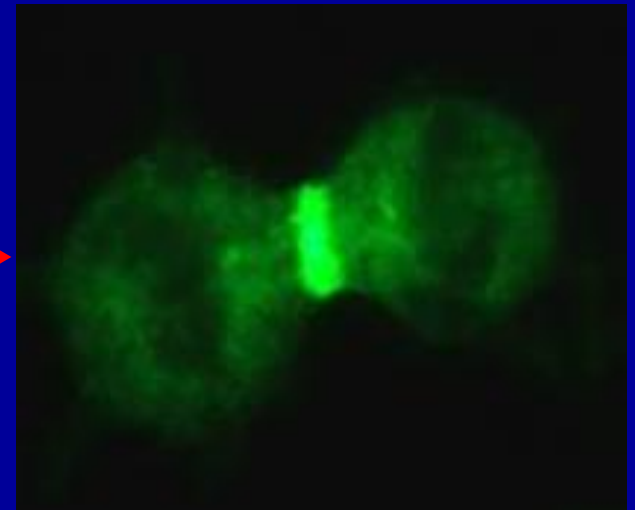
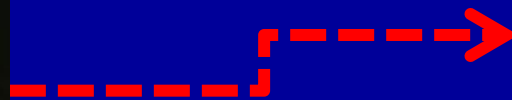
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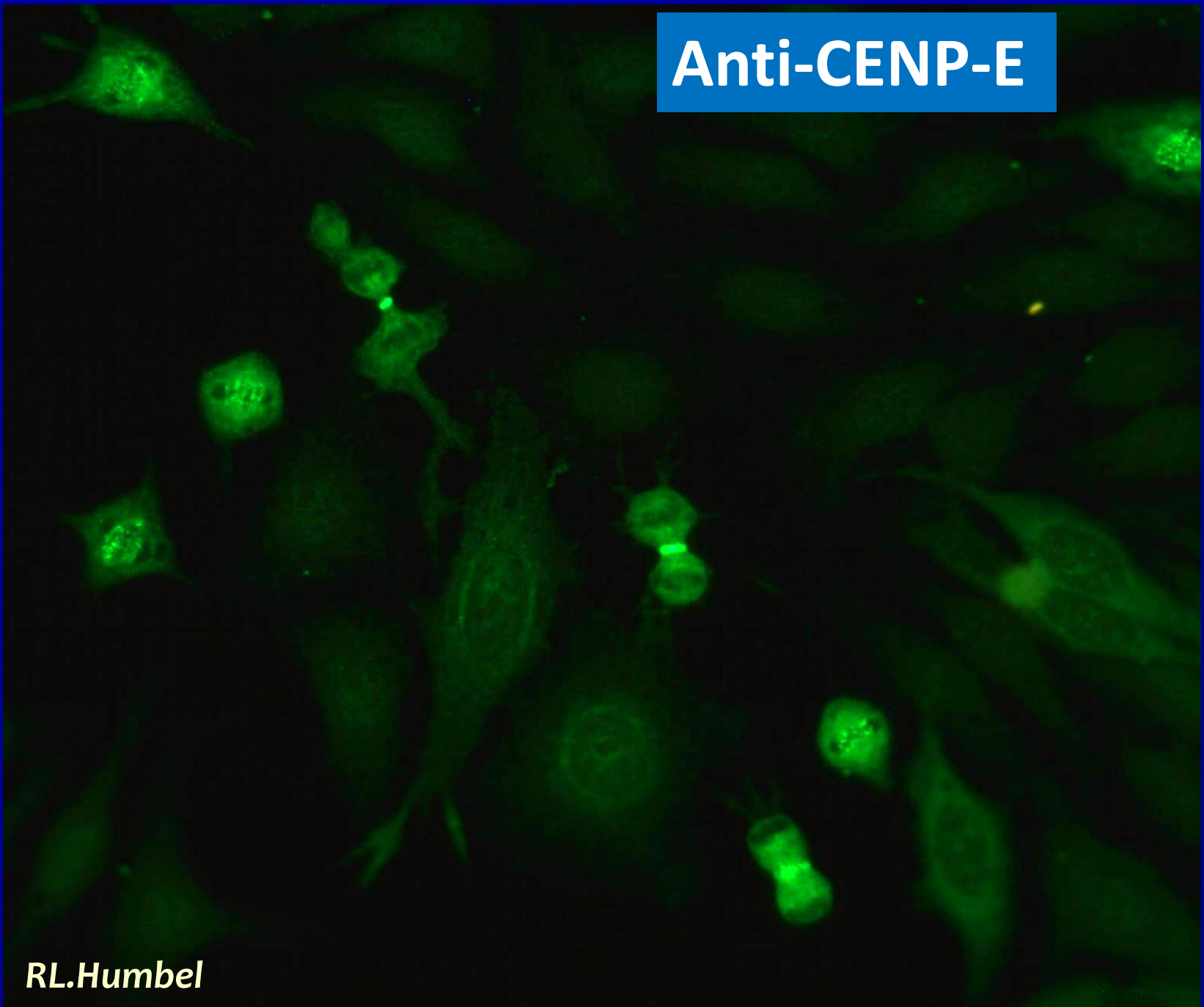


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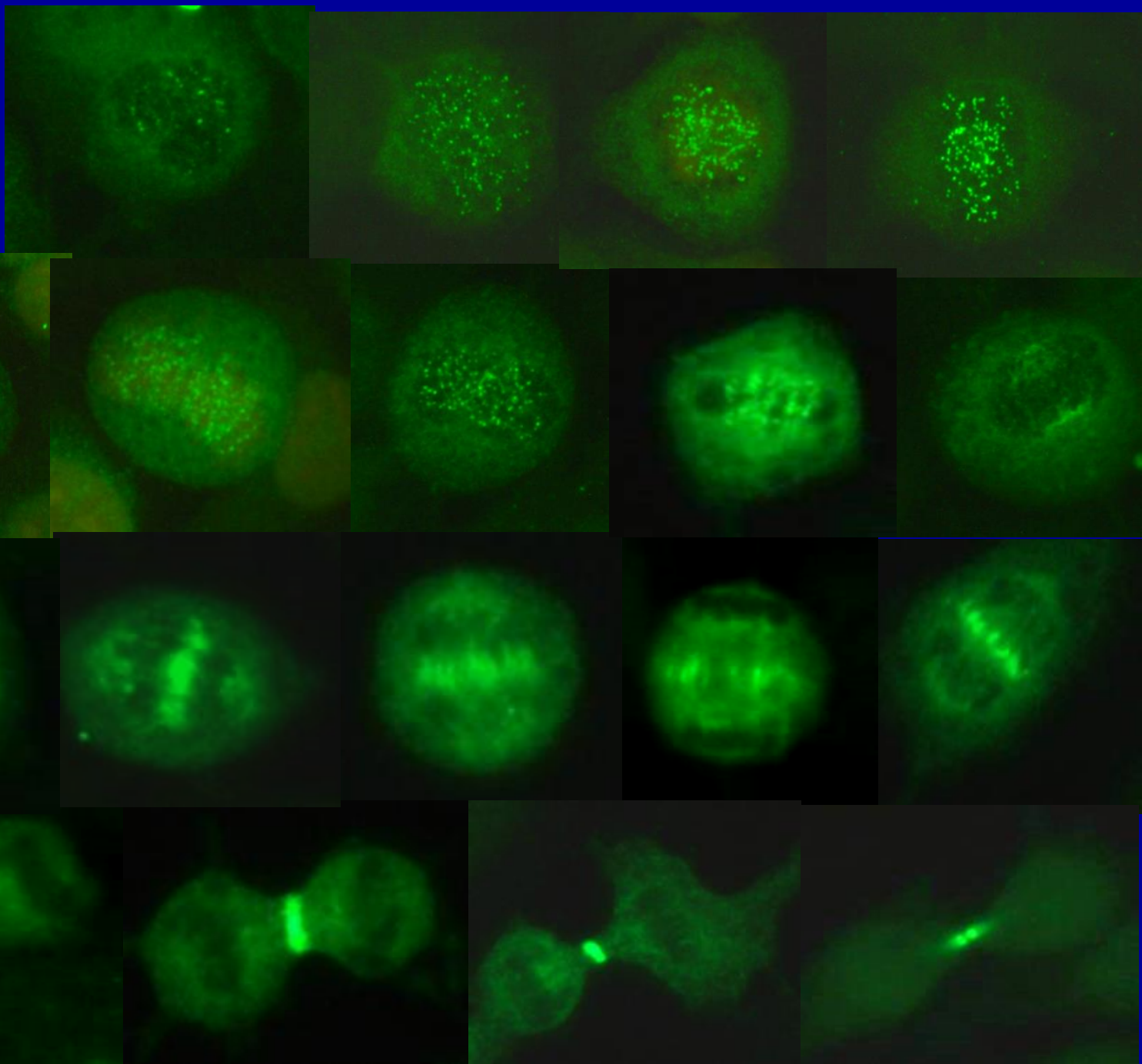
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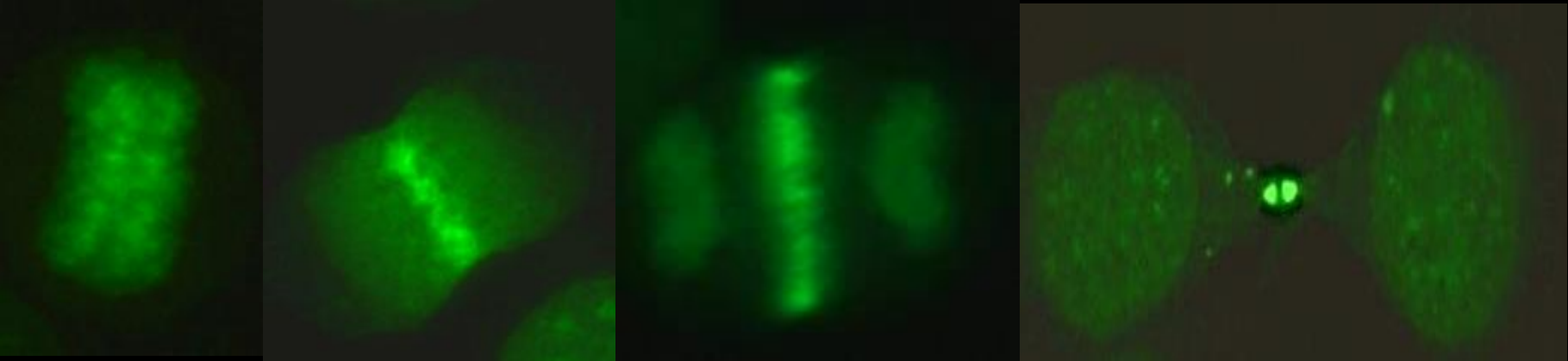
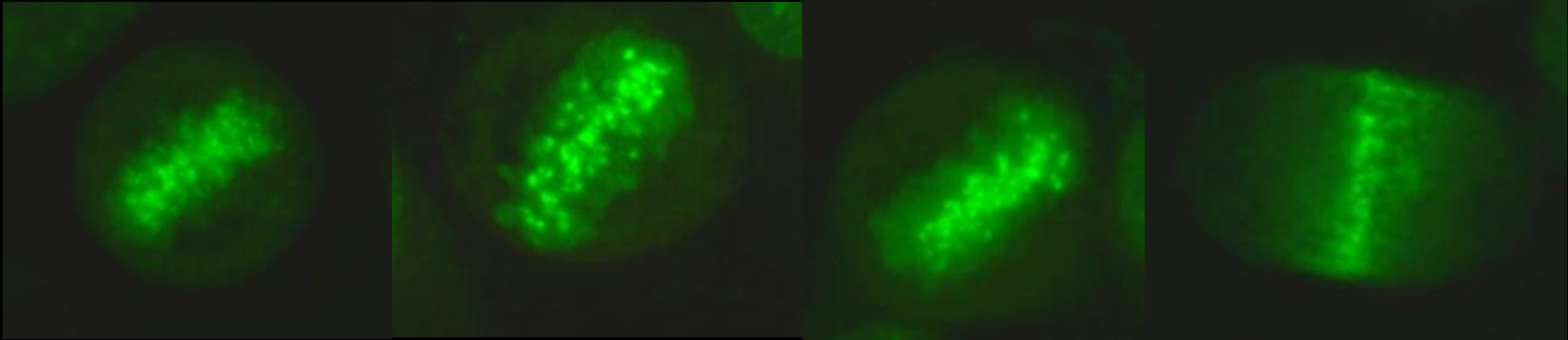
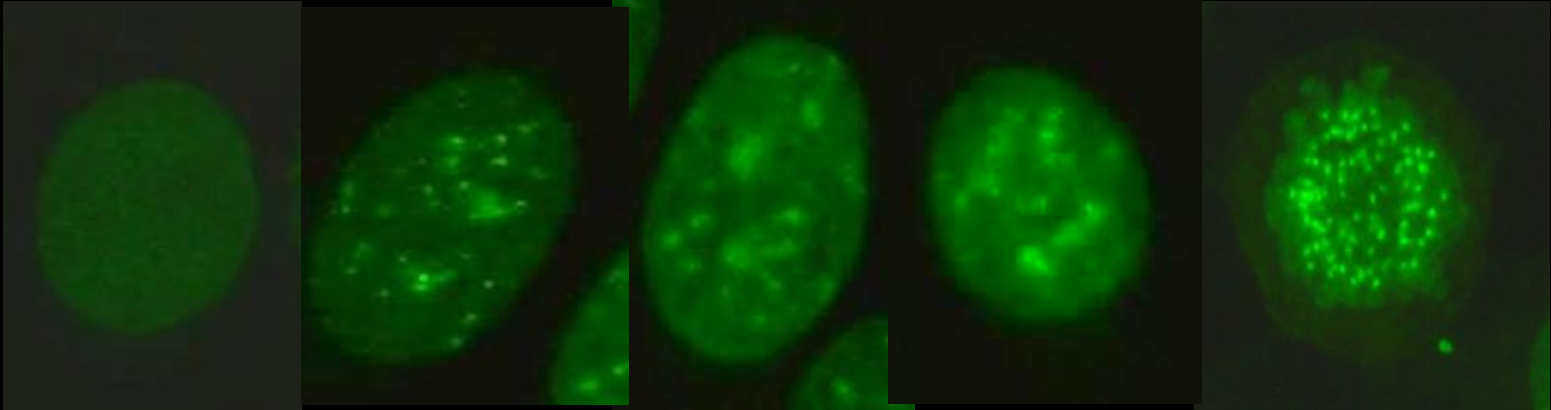


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MSA2**



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ANTI-MIDBODY

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Anti-MKLP1



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