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Germ cell differentiation:

What determines sex in fetus : SRY gene on short arm, chromosome Y.

Others :

If SRY gene is present.



Gonads = Testis (7 wks).

(Gonads develop from
Genital ridge)

Sertoli cells



Mullerian Inhibiting factor

(A glycoprotein, secreted at 7 wks)

It has paracrine action.

i.e. it acts locally.

Leydig cells.



Testosterone

(Its production begins at

9 wks (intra-uterine)).

Max^m producⁿ @ 14-18 wks



Leads to ipsilateral regression of

Mullerian ducts in males by
9 wks.



Remnants of Mullerian duct in

males : Appendix of Testis

Prostatic utricle

Promotes the

growth of
Wolffian duct

in males



Int. Genitalia

5α-reductase

Forms of

DHT



Ext. genitalia
in males.

* Appendix of Testis

≈ Hydatid of Morgagni.

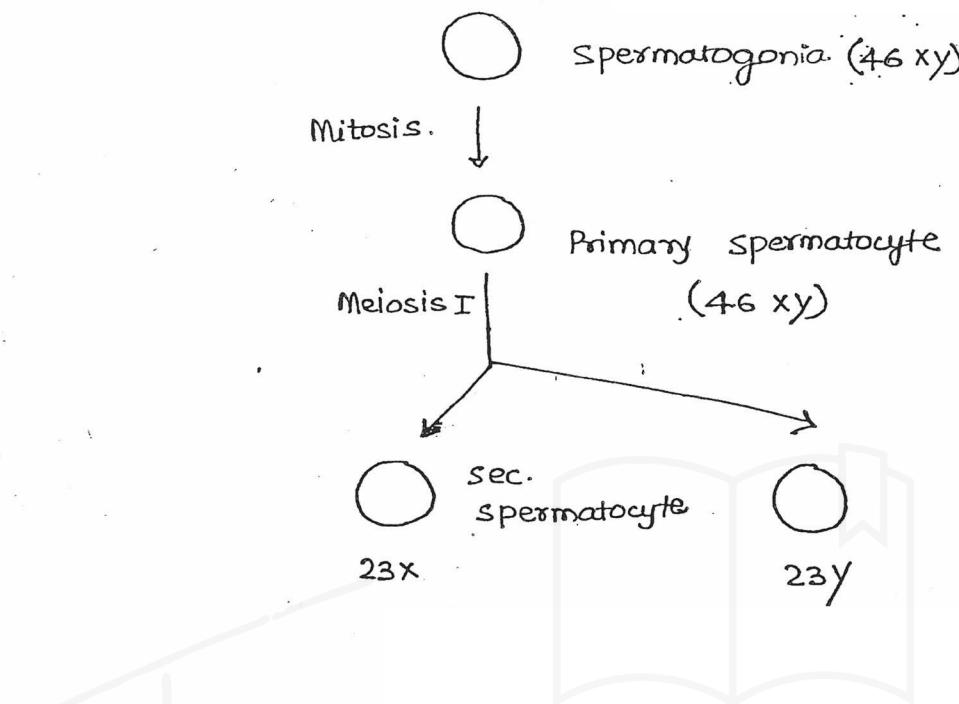
S - Seminal vesicle

E - Ejaculatory duct

E - Epididymis

V - Vas deferens

Spermatogenesis.



Imp. points on spermatogenesis :

Begins at puberty.

Time taken : 72-75 days.

one spermatogonia forms - 16 primary spermatocyte.

one spermatocyte gives rise to 4 sperms/ spermatids.

one spermatogonia gives rise to 64 sperms/ spermatids.

Spermiogenesis :-

Spermatids change to sperms

No mitosis/ No meiosis

Time taken : 14 days.

Part of spermatid .

Nuclear material

Golgi body

Mitochondria

Microtubules

Part in sperm .

Head of sperm

Acrosomal cap

Middle piece

Tail / axial filament

* sperms lack ER (especially RER).-

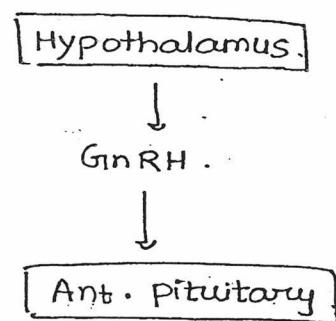
Sperms

55 μ m .

Life span - 72 hrs .

sperms attain motility & maturity in - cranial end of epididymis

Hormonal support of spermatogenesis :



* 1st stimulus for Leydig cells to produce testosterone : HCG.

Sperm pathway -

Spermatogenesis occurs @ seminiferous tubules of Testis.
(Sertoli cells)



Motility & maturity @ Epididymis (cranial end).



Vas deferens.



They are released along with seminal vesicle fluid. (60% volume + Fructose).

+ prostatic fluid.

+ Bulbourethral gland secretion.



The semen which is released should liquify in 20-30 minutes.

(Liquification d/t : prostatic fluid)

Ideally semen analysis is done on liquified semen.

But if no liquification occurs in 60 min : semen analysis on unliquified semen.

Note : If there is azoospermia with low semen volume & absent fructose → Block is below the level of seminal vesicle.

Men w/ congenital absence of vas def., suffer w/ seminal vesicle agenesis (CAVD)

They have low semen volume, low pH & low fructose.

Spermatogenesis is, however, normal.

* Absence of spermatozoa . }
But presence of Fructose } in semen .

Likely diagnosis may be : Mumps orchitis .

Capacitation :

- Ability of sperms to fertilize ova
- Begins in female reproductive tract (cervix) .
- Major part occurs in Fallopian tube .
- Time taken : 7 hours
- After capacitation, sperms become hyper-motile ,

Acrosomal rK^n :

- occurs after the sperm binds to zona pellucida
- Zona pellucida has sperm receptors : ZP_1 , ZP_2 & ZP_3 , which mediate acrosomal rK^n (main : ZP_3) .
- Acrosomal rK^n occurs because enzymes like hyaluronidase, acrosin, etc. are released .

In females

SRY gene ~~is~~ Absent



Gonads = ovary.

Sertoli cells absent



∴ Mullerian I.F. absent



- ∴ Mullerian duct grows into
 - Fallopian tube
 - uterus
 - cervix
 - upper $\frac{3}{5}$ th vagina.

- Whether ovary is present/absent depends on Y chromosome.
- For dev. of ovary 2X chromosomes are needed.

Leydig cells absent



Testosterone absent

Wolffian duct regresses

Ext. genitalia looks like female.

Lower part of vagina develops from urogenital sinus (sino-vaginal bulb)

Most common cause of ambiguous female genitalia : Presence of testosterone in intra-uterine life [congenital adrenal hyperplasia]

Remnants of Wolffian ducts in females :-

Part of Wolffian duct

Remnants in females

1. Pronephros — forms — Hydatid of Morgagni / Kobbelt tubercle.
2. Mesonephros .
 - Cranial end — Epo-oophoron / organ of Rosenmüller
 - Caudal end — Para-oophoron.
3. Wolffian duct proper — Gartner's duct

All remnants of Wolffian duct is present in lateral part of broad ligament, except paroophoron, which is present in medial part of broad ligament.

- * Wolffian duct \cong Mesonephric duct
- Mullerian duct \cong Para-mesonephric duct.

* organ of Rossmüller :

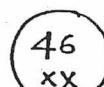
- consists vertical tubules. (Not horizontal tubules)
- Lined by cuboid epithelia (Not by columnar epithelia).

Oogenesis.



oogonia

↓
MITOSIS.



→ Primary oocyte.



MEIOSIS I : arrested in Diplotene (Prophase)

* This arrested stage is known as

Dictyate stage. (upto puberty).

↳ This stage is absent in spermatogenesis.

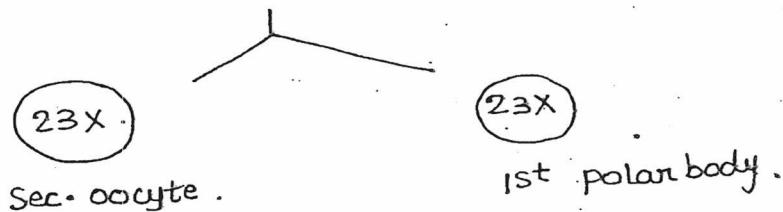
At puberty, Meiosis I is resumed.

Meiosis is hormone dependent. \rightarrow LH

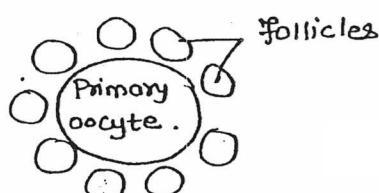
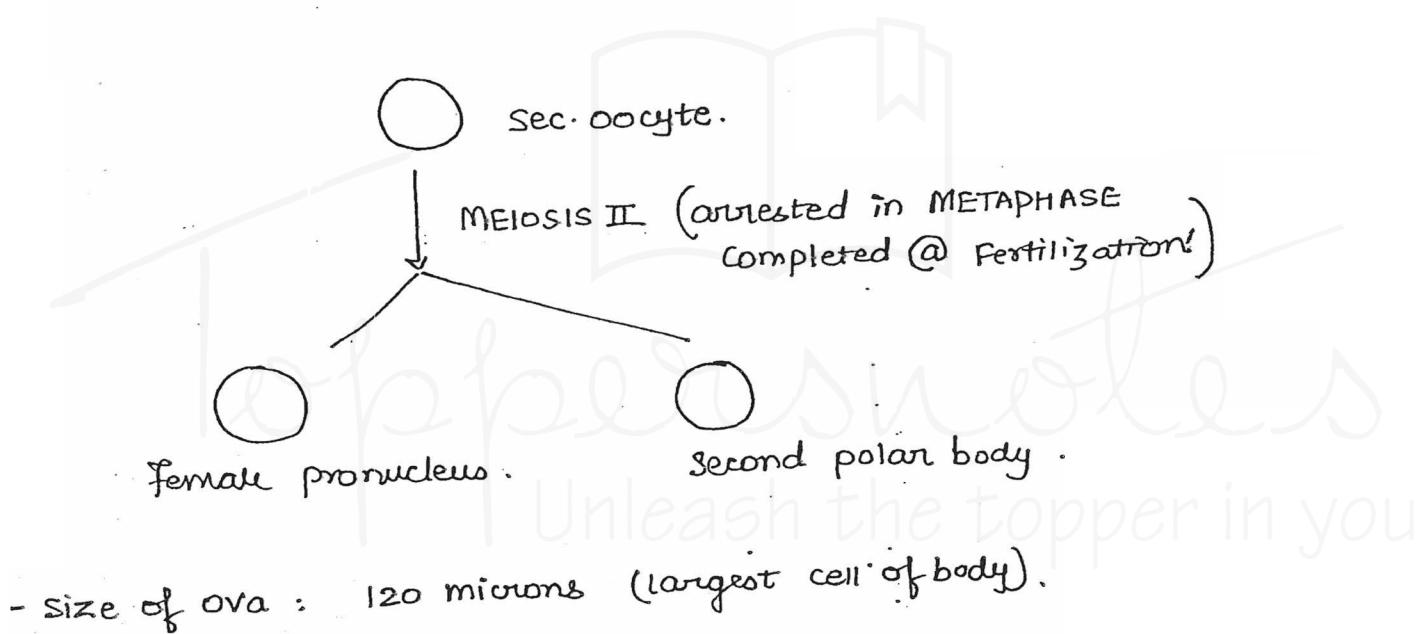
\therefore Meiosis I is resumed 24-36 hours before ovulation.

At puberty :

The arrest is over.



Release of sec. oocyte from primary is w/a ovulation.



PRIMORDIAL FOLLICLE (size : 0.02 mm)

* size of follicle just before ovulⁿ = 18-20 mm

* Max^m no. of follicles @ 20 wks (5th month of intra-uterine life)
 - 6-7 millions.

At birth : 1-2 millions

At Puberty : 4-5 lacs.

400-500 follicles mature in entire lifetime.

Germ cells are derived from Epiblast/ectoderm.



Reach yolk sac (by 3 wks)



Genital ridge (6 wks)



Oogonia are formed (9 wks)



1st oocytes (12 wks)



Follicle formaⁿ begins @ 14 wks.
& completed by 24 wks.

- Fertilization:

- site : ampulla (FT)
- zygote undergoes cell division.



2, 4, 8, 16 celled zygote.



16 celled zygote (Morula).

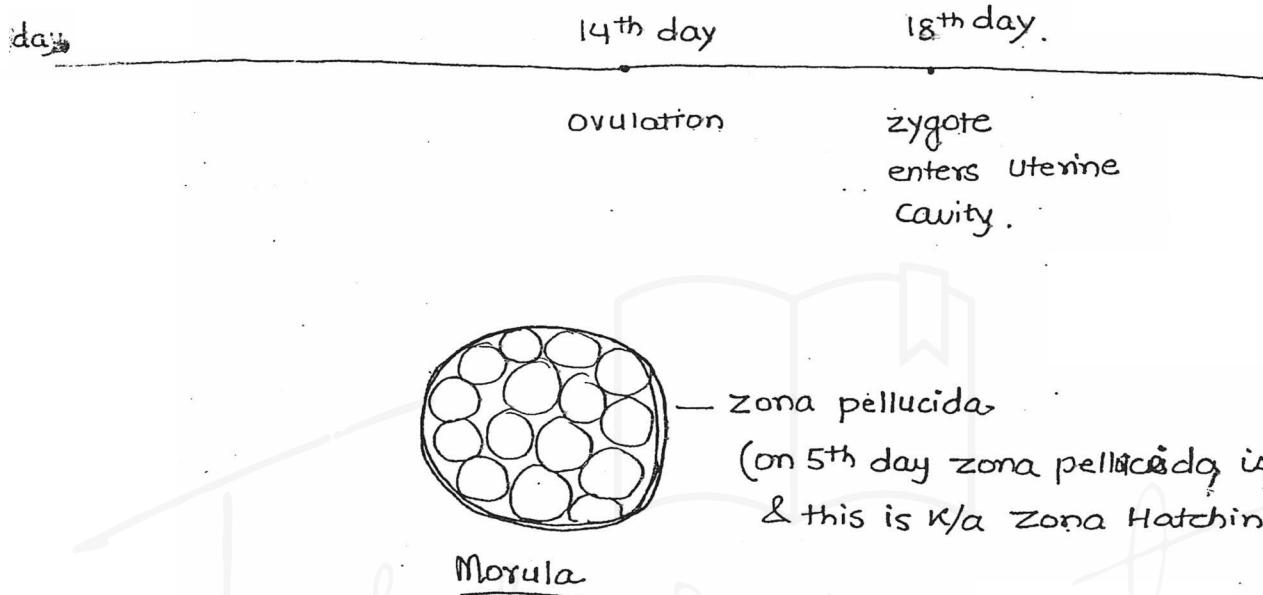
* zygote stays in Fallopian tube for 3 days.

Then it moves towards uterine cavity d/t:-

- (i) Peristalsis of tube
- (ii) Movement of cilia

Nutrition to the zygote in F.T. is provided by secretory cells of F.T. in the form of pyruvate.

* zygote enters the uterine cavity : Day 4 after fertilizⁿ!¹¹



As the Morula enters uterine cavity,
 fluid enters into it. & Now it is k/a BLASTOCYST.

In Blastocyst, cells are arranged in 2 manners.

→ ~~Ex~~ TROPHOBlast : which lines the Blastocyst.

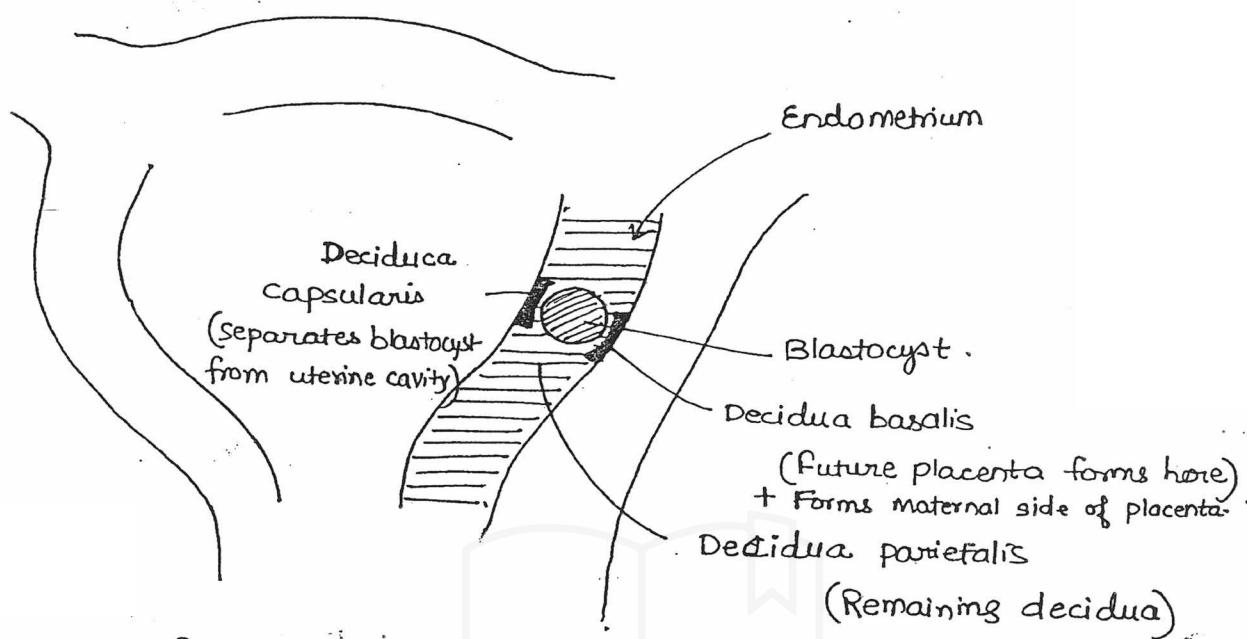
→ Inner cell mass :

Implantation :

occurs in the form of Blastocyst

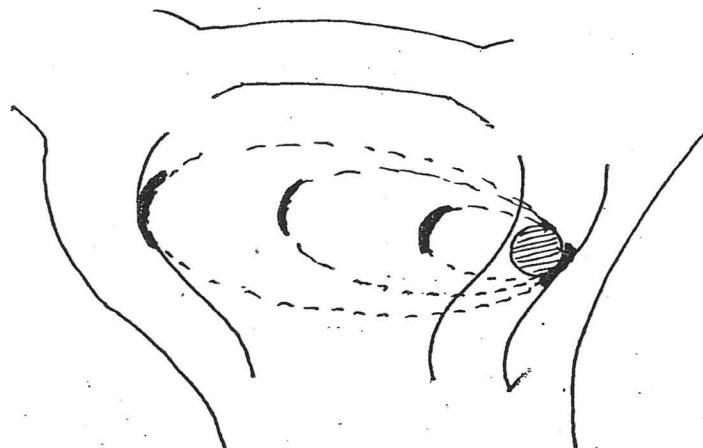
6-7 days after fertilization : Beginning.

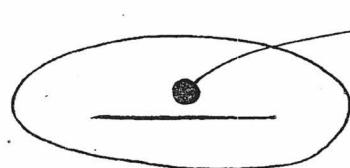
Completed by 10 days after fertilization



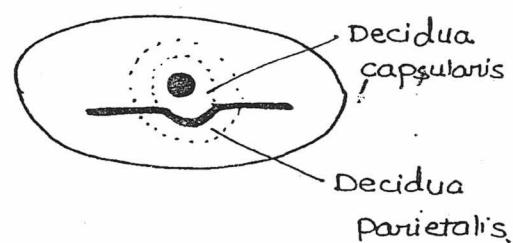
• Interstitial implantation.

- Thickness of endometrium at time of implantation = 8mm
In some females, bleeding occurs at the time of implantation
— HARTMAN's sign.
- After implantation, Endometrium is w/a Decidua.
- As the fetus grows, Decidua basalis & decidua parietalis fuse by 16 wks. (uterine cavity obliteration).
∴ Superfetation could be possible only before uterine cavity obliterates i.e. by 16 wks.





Gestational sac.



Decidua capsularis

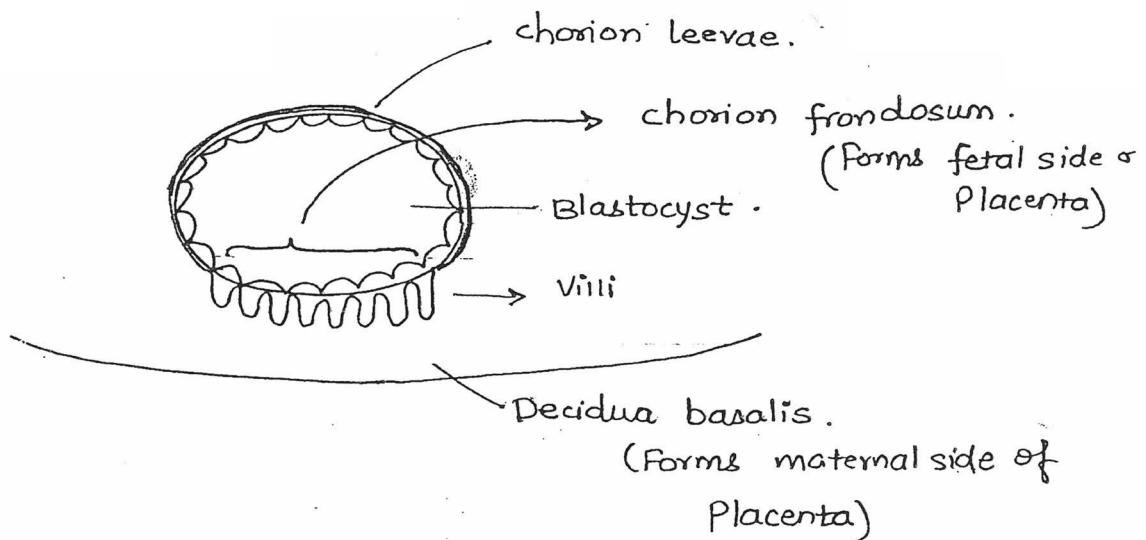
Decidua parietalis.

- Double ring sign-
(at)

Double ring sign is absent in Ectopic Pregnancy:

- Embryonic period : 3-8 wks after fertilization.
(5-10 wks after pregnancy).
↳ Most teratogenic period.
- Fetal period : From 9 wks after fertilization until delivery.
- First germ layer formed in fetus : Endoderm.

Trophoblast < Cytotrophoblast | Syncytiotrophoblast | This differentiation occurs
8th day after fertilization.



- Fetal membranes.

Amnion.

- Formed @ Day 10, 11. - after fertilisation.
- Derived from ectoderm
- Innermost fetal memb.
- Avascular; provides tensile strength to fetal memb.

Chorion.

formed 8 days after fertilisation

Chorion laeve : fuses w/ amnion.

Chorion frondosum

Yolk sac.

First site for hematopoiesis

Allantois.

- A diverticula that arises from hindgut & grows into connecting stalk.
- + Prostaglandin Predominantly present in fetal memb. — PG_{E2}
 - When fetal memb. are ruptured during labour → Prostaglandins are released. & labour proceeds @ faster rate.

Site of hematopoiesis

1. yolk sac.	3-6 wks.	Gower 1, 2 Portland.
2. Liver (mainly) & spleen.	≥ 6 wks.	HbF
3. Bone marrow	≥ 20 wks.	HbA

Fetal RBCs have larger size.
but short life span. (90 days)

Fetal Hb. at term = 18 gm%. (75-80% is HbF).

Switch over of fetal Hb. to Adult Hb. begins at 36 wks &
is completed by 6 months after birth. (HbF < 1% @ 6 months)
This shift is carried by Gluco-corticoids.

HbF

Hb A

- Less of 2,3 DPG.

- More 2,3 DPG.

∴ Higher affinity for O₂.

∴ Less affinity for O₂.

- Less of carbonic anhydrase

- More.

- Resistant to acid & alkali

- Sensitive to acid & alkali
∴ gets hemolysed.

* Apt test / singer alkali denaturation test

- It is a qualitative test done in vasa previa, to differentiate b/w maternal & fetal blood.