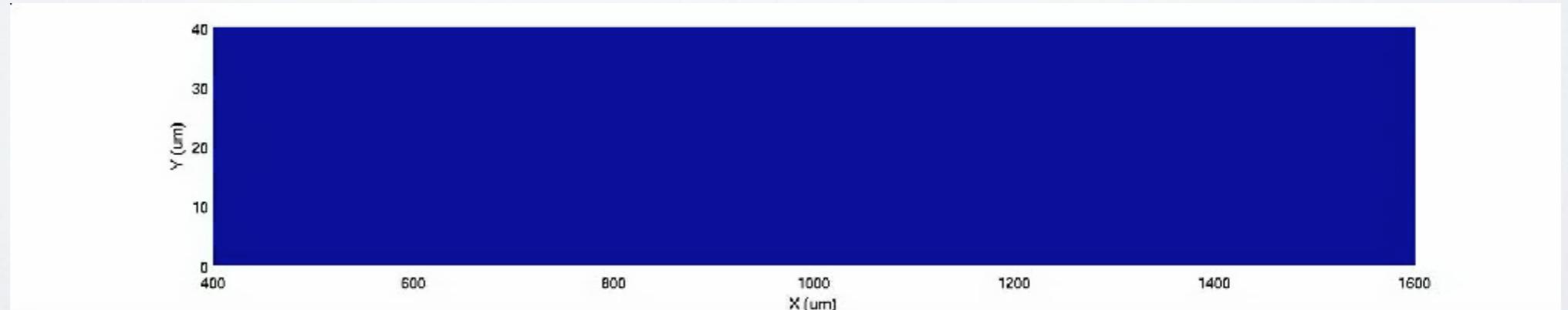
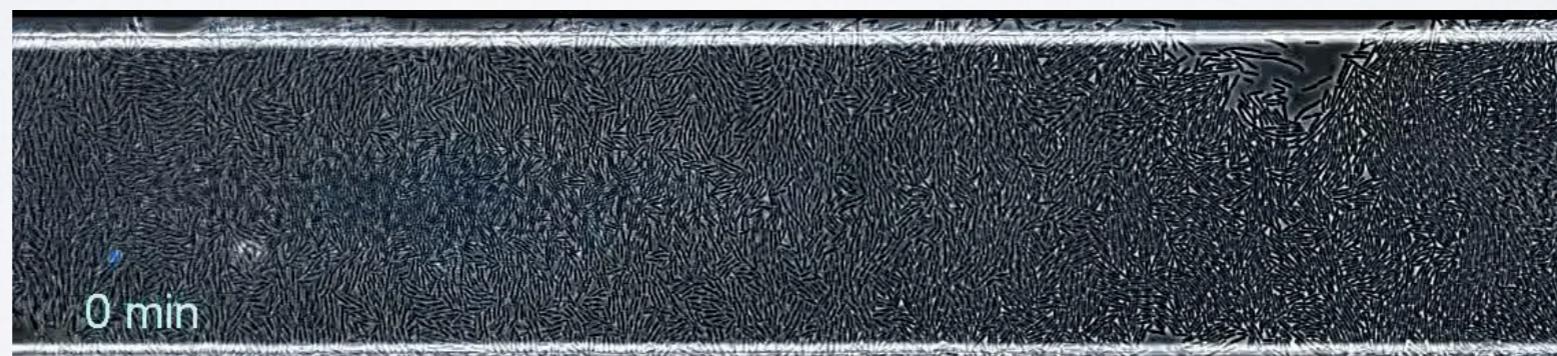
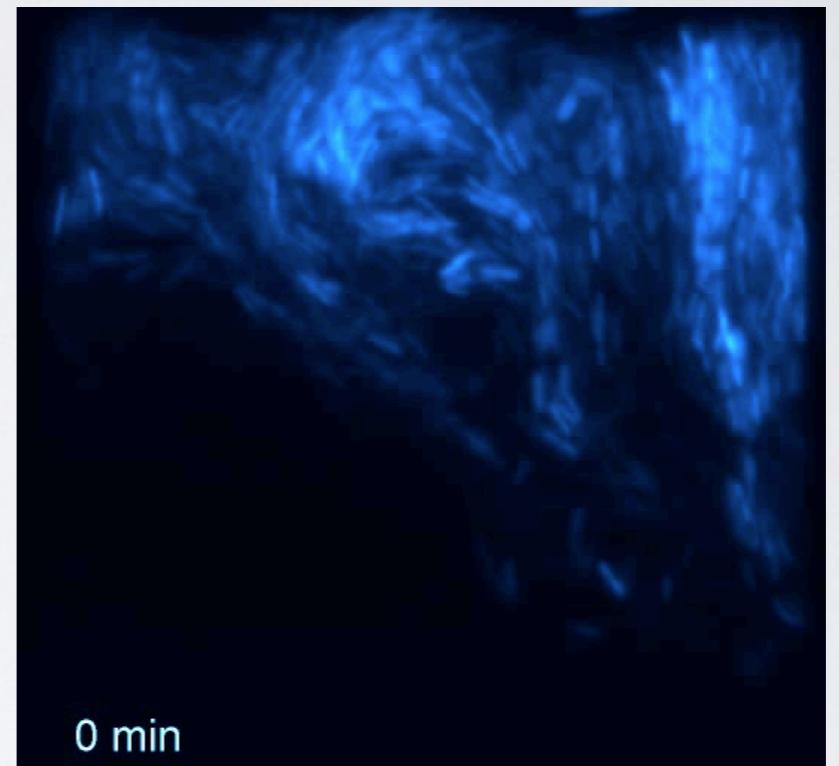


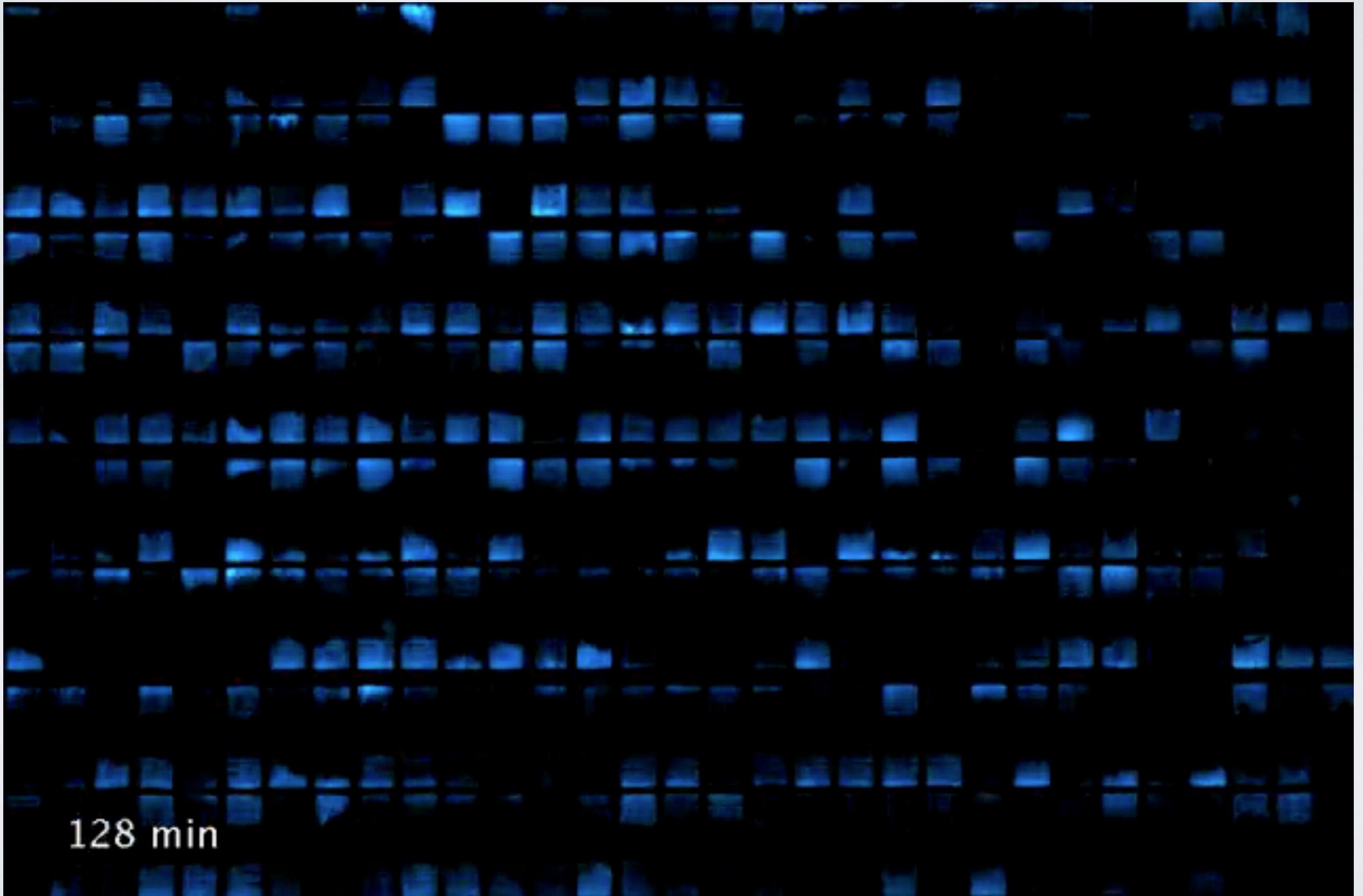
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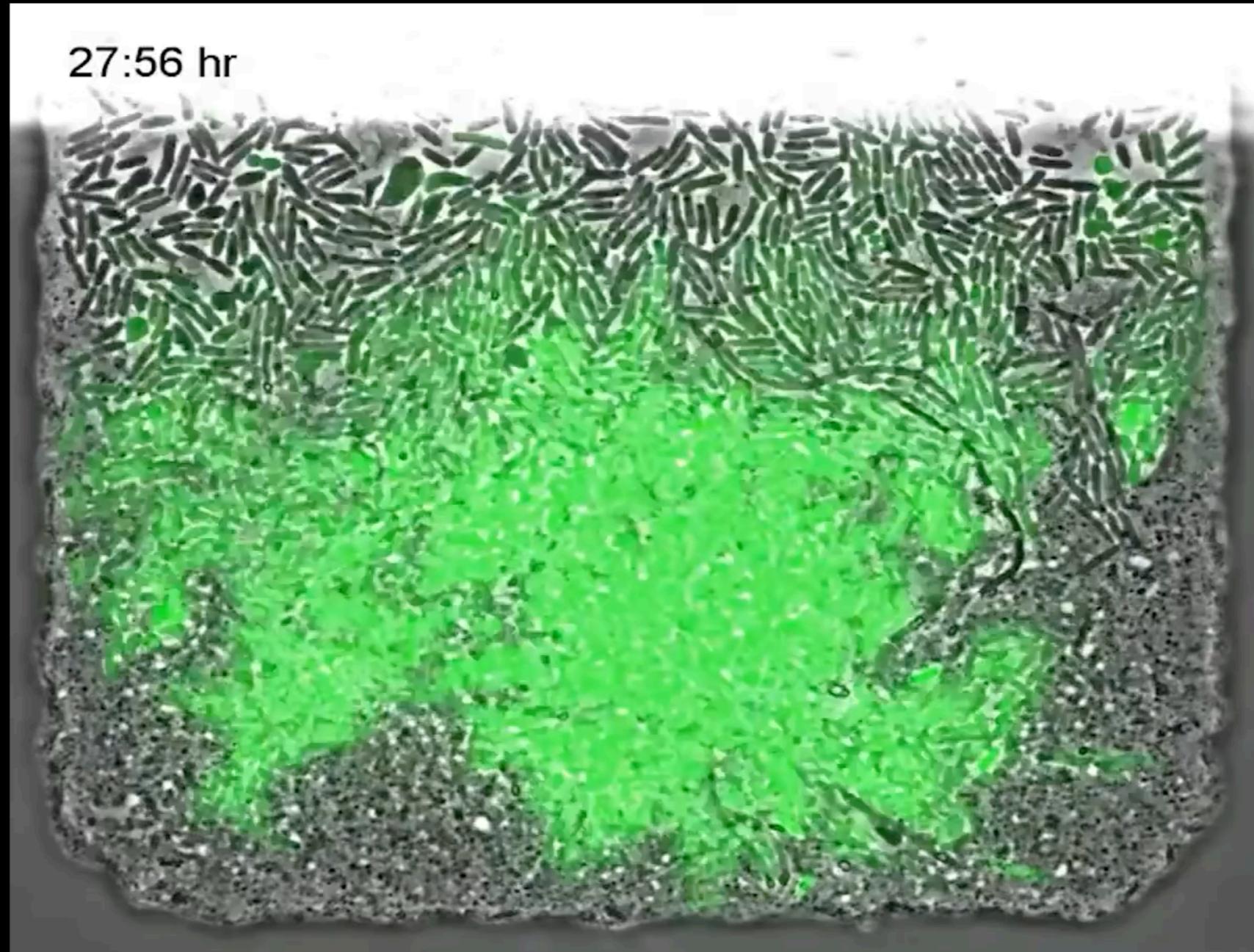
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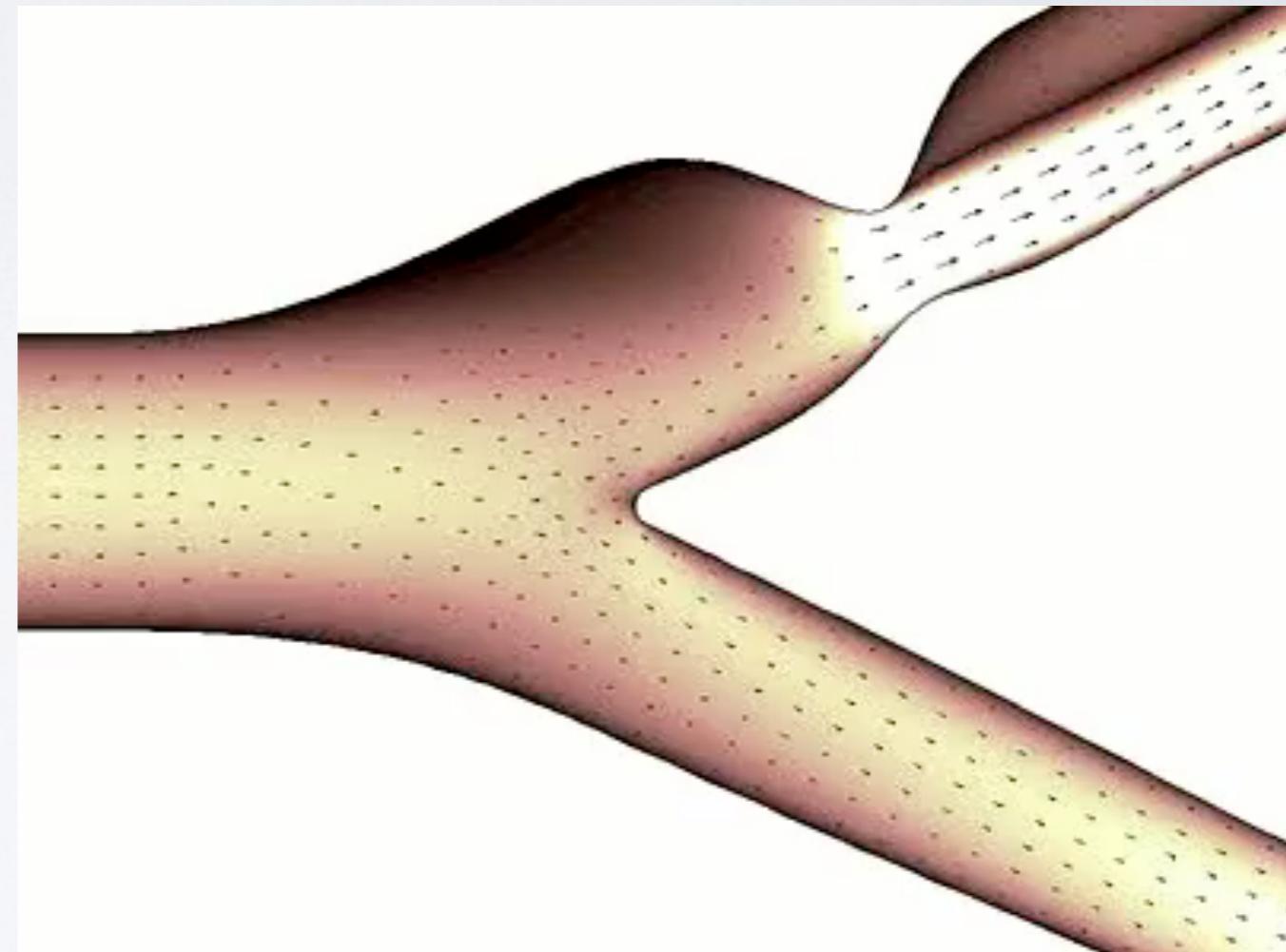
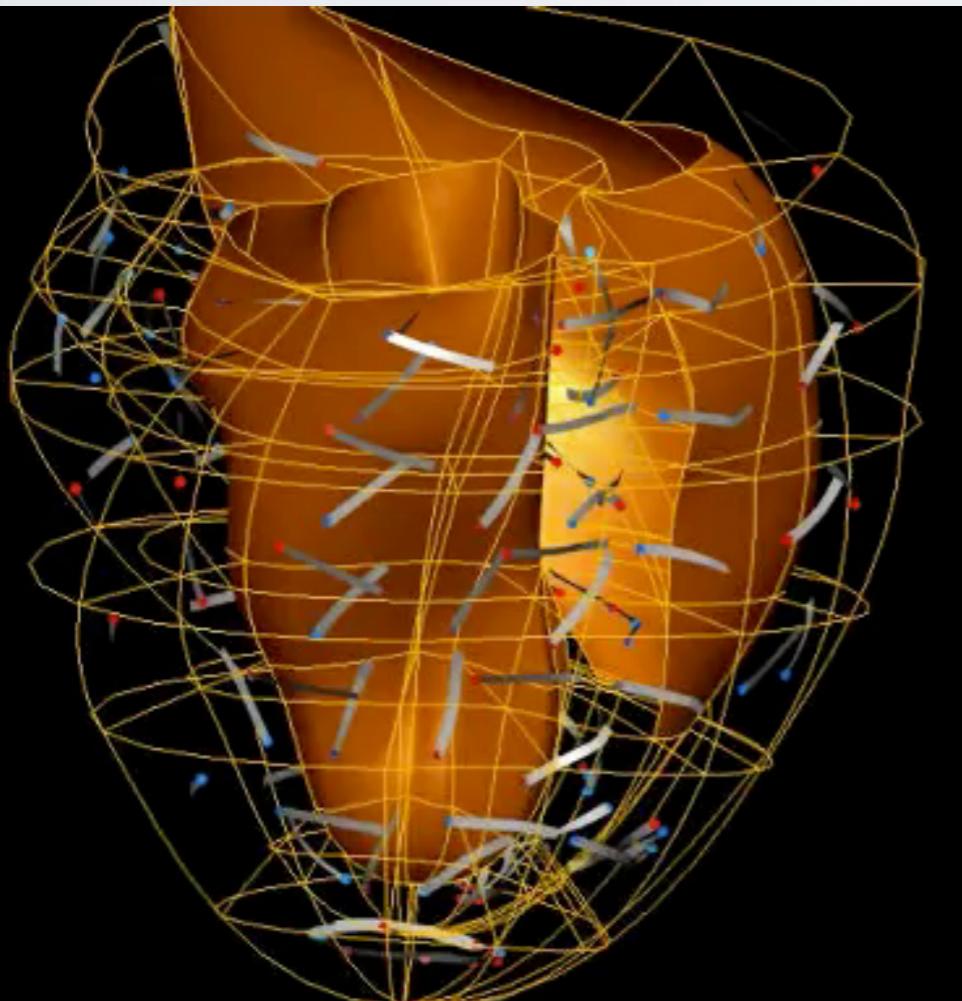
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- To understand complex systems/phenomena
- To predict outcomes/behaviours under various changes in the system under observation or in its environment
- To propose ways to improve the behaviour of the system through mathematical analysis and simulations

**Modelling, analysis and simulation, if they can be done, are often much more time and cost effective than experimenting on a real system or a prototype**

# MODELLING IN BIOLOGY: OVERVIEW

Deterministic Models  
Dynamical Systems  
Analysis and Simulations

Modelling variability  
Stochastic dynamics  
Networks and motifs

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# SOME OTHER INTERESTING VIDEOS

## Links to Steve Strogatz's videos on experimental nonlinear dynamics

- **Lorenz Waterwheel:**

<http://uk.youtube.com/watch?v=7iNCfNBEJHo>

- **Double pendulum:**

<http://uk.youtube.com/watch?v=anwl6OZ1UuQ>

- **Airplane wing vibrations (and instabilities!):**

[http://uk.youtube.com/watch?v=\\_Ys8qGxr--M](http://uk.youtube.com/watch?v=_Ys8qGxr--M)

- **Chemical oscillations (Belousov-Zhabotinsky):**

<http://uk.youtube.com/watch?v=8R33KWPmql0>

- **Synchronised chaotic circuits and communications:**

[http://uk.youtube.com/watch?v=J-ca\\_bqWp4I](http://uk.youtube.com/watch?v=J-ca_bqWp4I)

- **Musical chaos:**

<http://uk.youtube.com/watch?v=dL4VKuKNgXI>

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