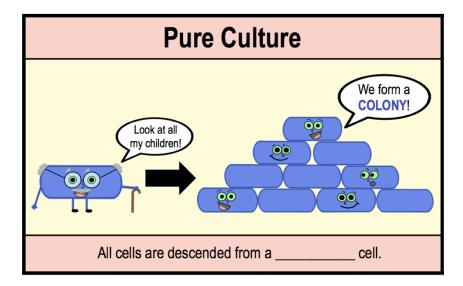
## **CONCEPT:** GROWING A PURE CULTURE

●In a lab, bacterial and archaeal cells are generally isolated,	grown, & studied in a culture.
□ Pure Culture: population of cells containing only _	species that grows starting from a single colony
□ Colony: a group of ~1 million cells required to star	t a pure culture (typically grown in a lab)



□ **Inoculum:** colony of cells that are added to a culture medium to start a \_\_\_\_\_ culture.

PRACTICE: A pure culture of bacteria is made of:

- a) Around 1 million viable bacteria cells that are all of the same species.
- b) Around 1 million viable bacteria cells that are all descended from a single parent cell.
- c) Around 1 million viable bacteria cells that are a mixture of different bacterial species.
- d) Both A and B.
- e) Both A and C.
- f) Both B and C.

**PRACTICE:** A bacterial culture grown in a \_\_\_\_\_\_ will not continue to grow exponentially forever, but will stop once the limited nutrients have been consumed.

- a) Open system.
- b) Secure system.
- c) Closed system.
- d) Extended system.