

Citogenética del mieloma



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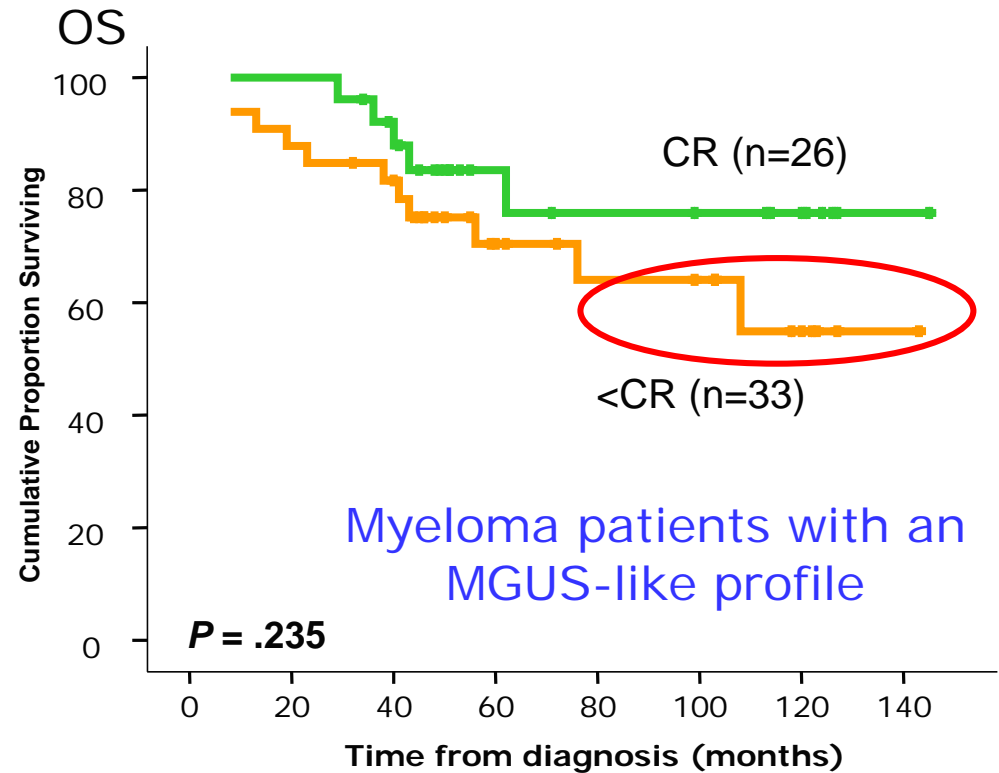
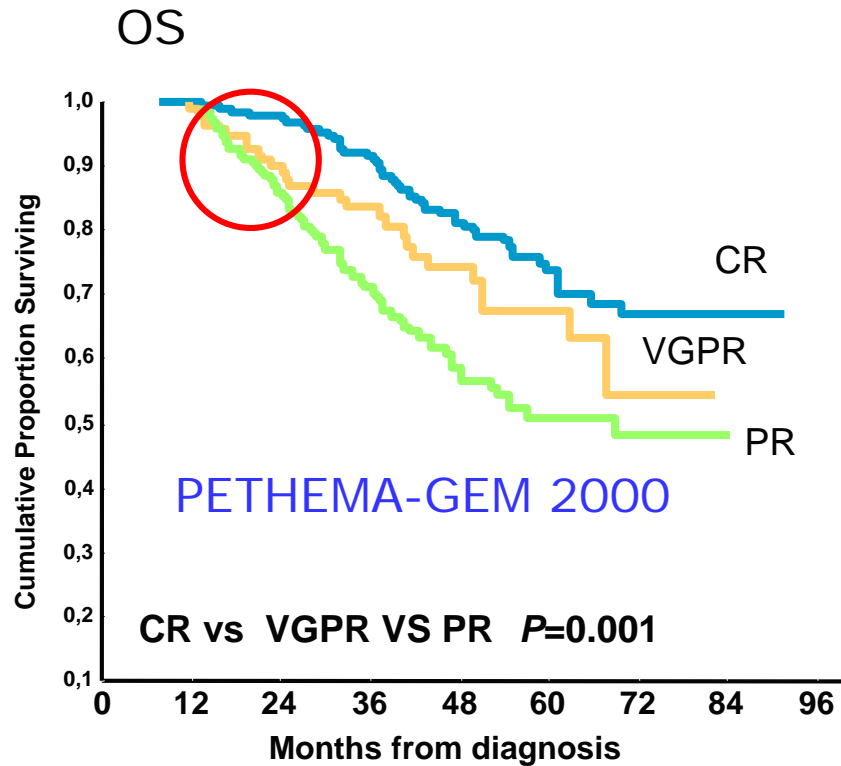
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MM is a heterogeneous disease

Median survival around 6 years

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1-2 years

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More than 15 years



Different entities with distinct clinical evolution

Genomic diversity

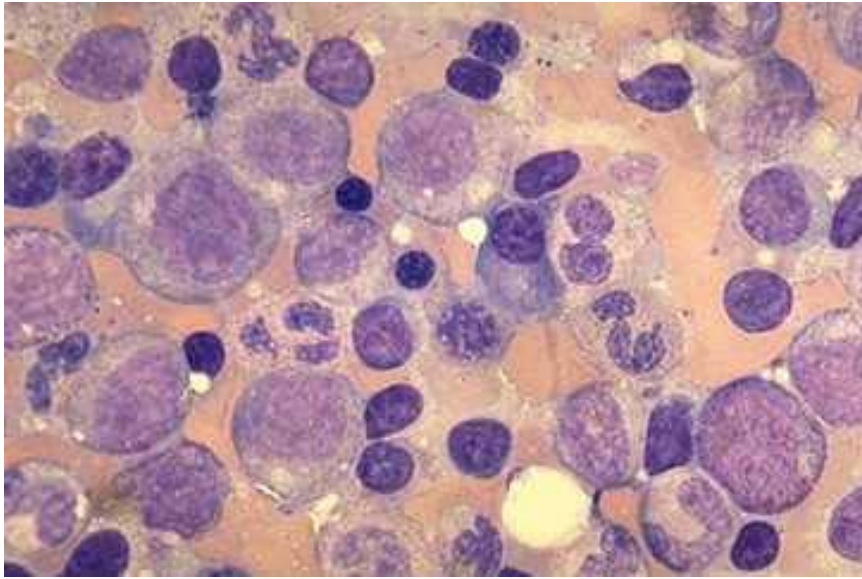
Epigenetic divergence

Intertumor Heterogeneity

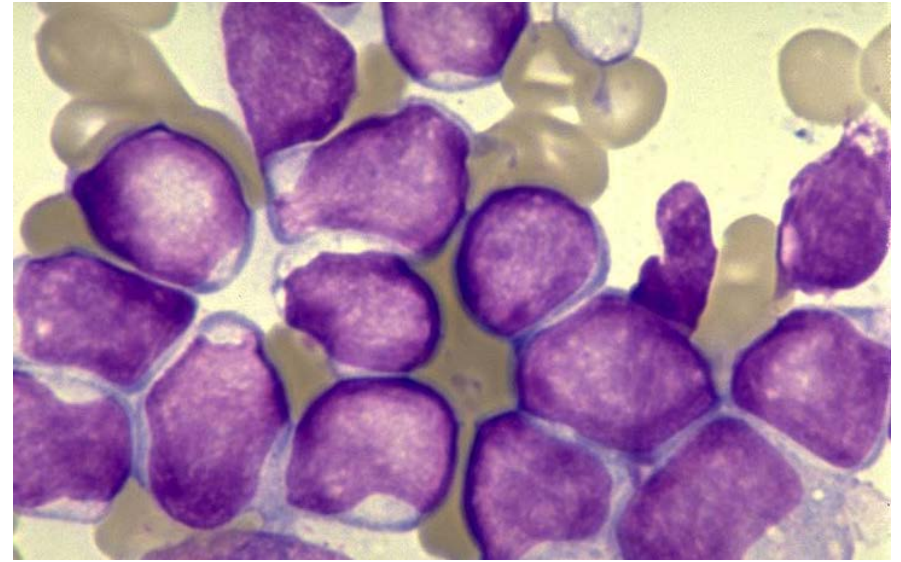
Events in protein stability

Micro-environmental fluctuations:
Stromal niche
Immune system

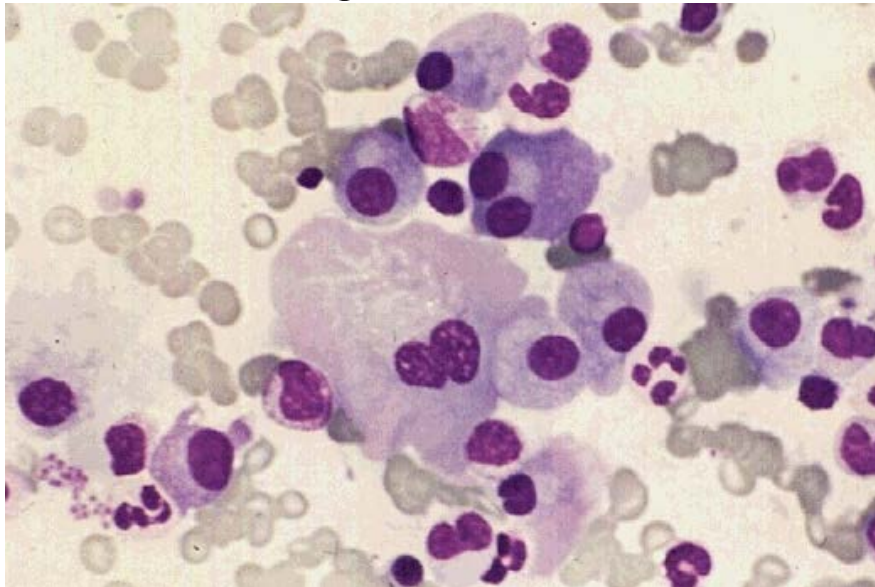
Normal BM



Acute leukemia

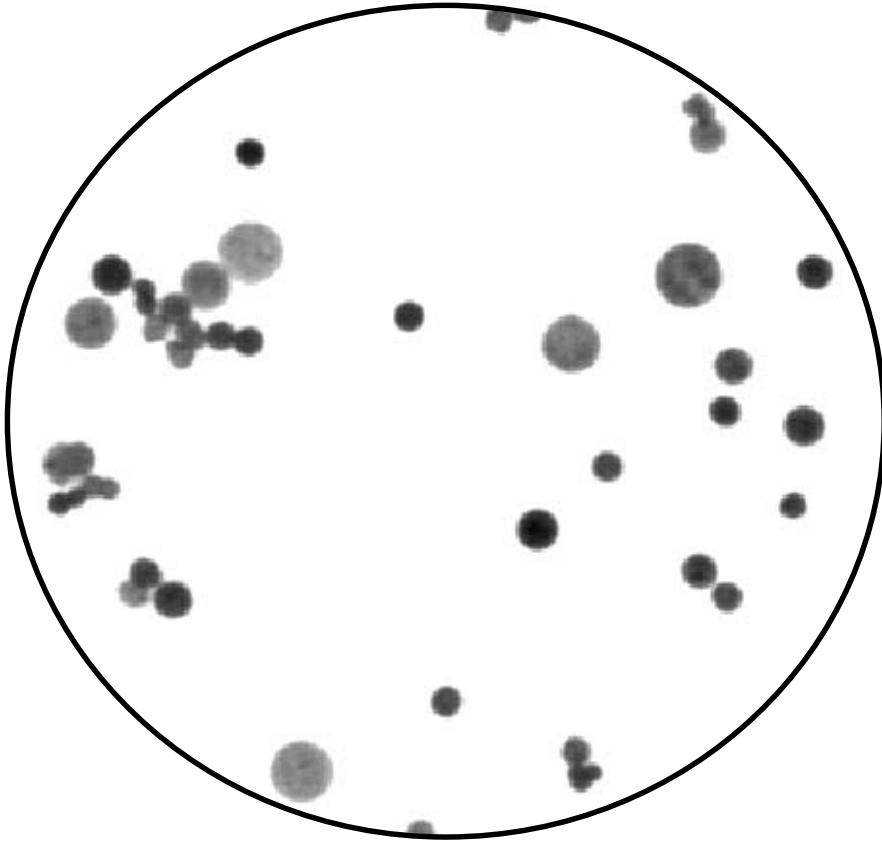


Myeloma

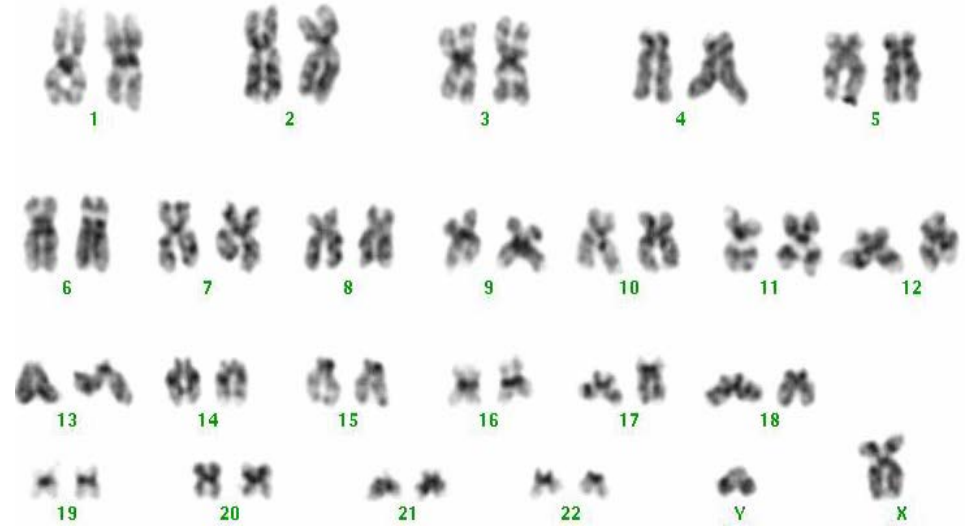


Low infiltration of tumoral cells in the bone marrow

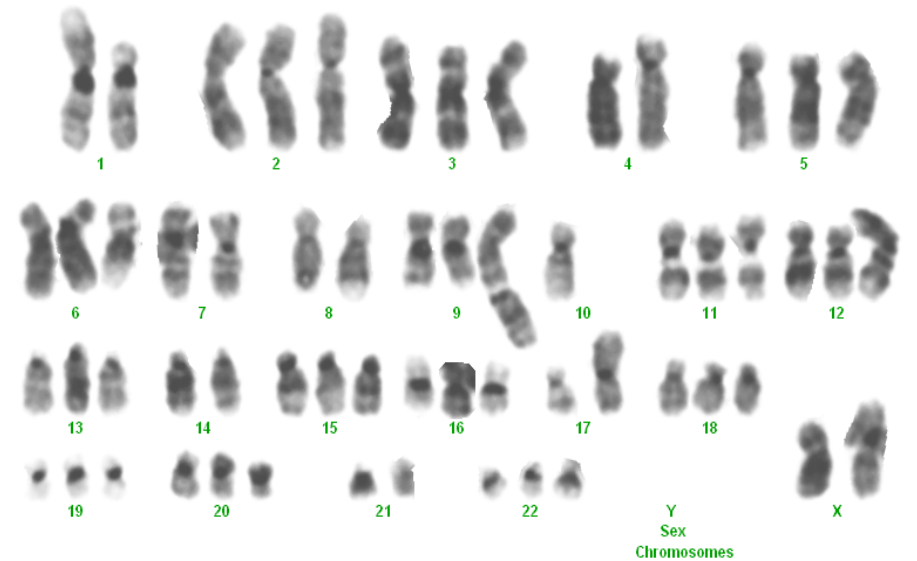
Low mitotic index



Failure \simeq 10-25%



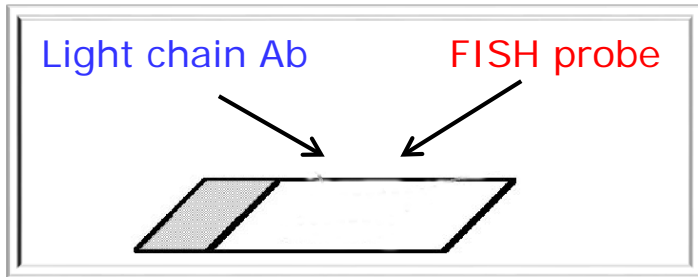
Normal Karyotype \simeq 40-50%



Abnormal Karyotype \simeq 30-40%

The plasma cells need to be selected enabling an unambiguous identification

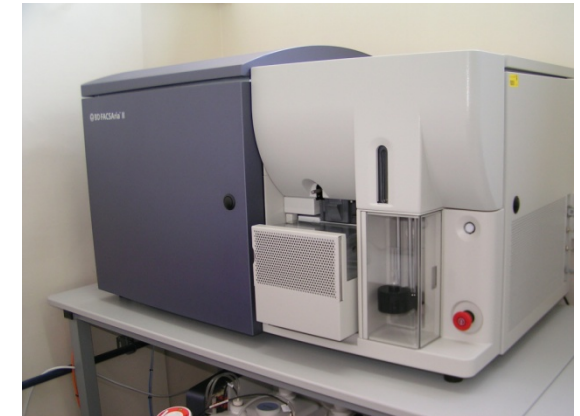
Concomitant labeling of the cytoplasmic immunoglobulin light chain



Immunomagnetic separation



Flow cytometry, FACS Aria II cell sorter

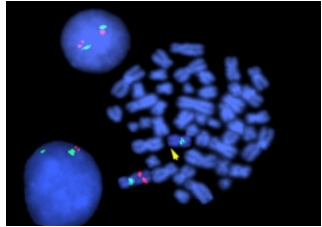


Cell sorting results in a **pure PC population** which enables further analyses to be performed

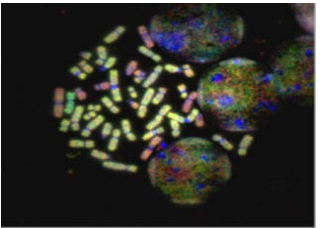


Conventional Cytogenetics

5-10 Mb



Fluorescence *in situ* hybridization



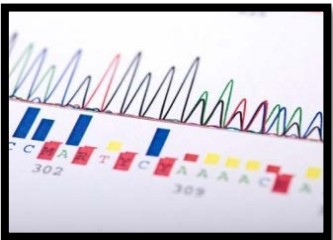
Comparative genomic hybridization (CGH)

100 Kb-5 Mb



SNP-arrays

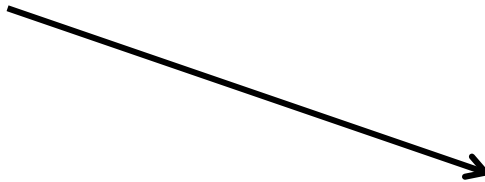
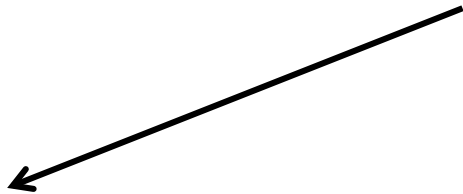
50 Kb



NGS

base-pair

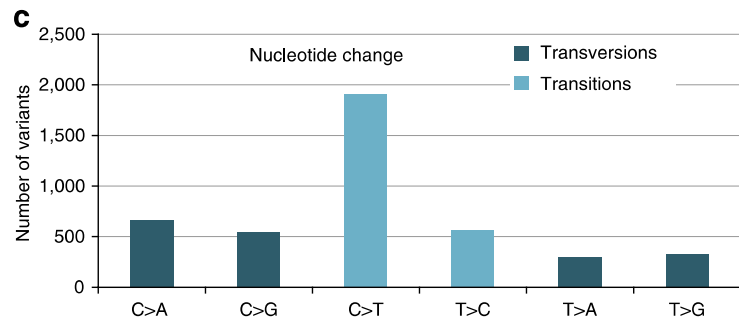
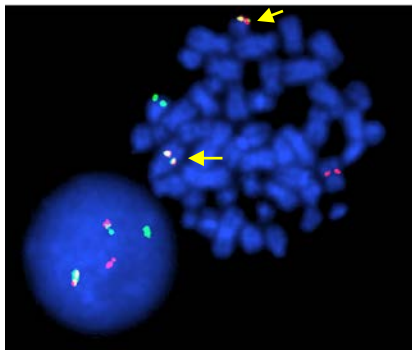
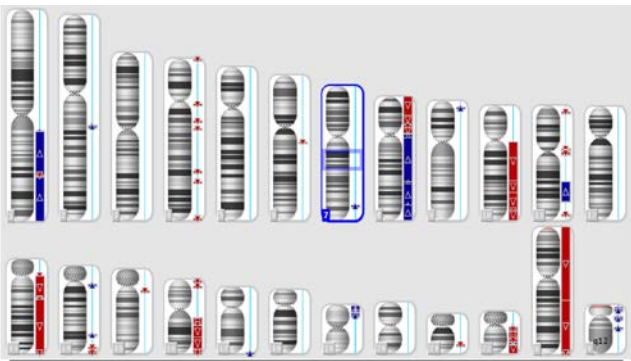
DNA



Copy number abnormalities

Translocations

Point mutations



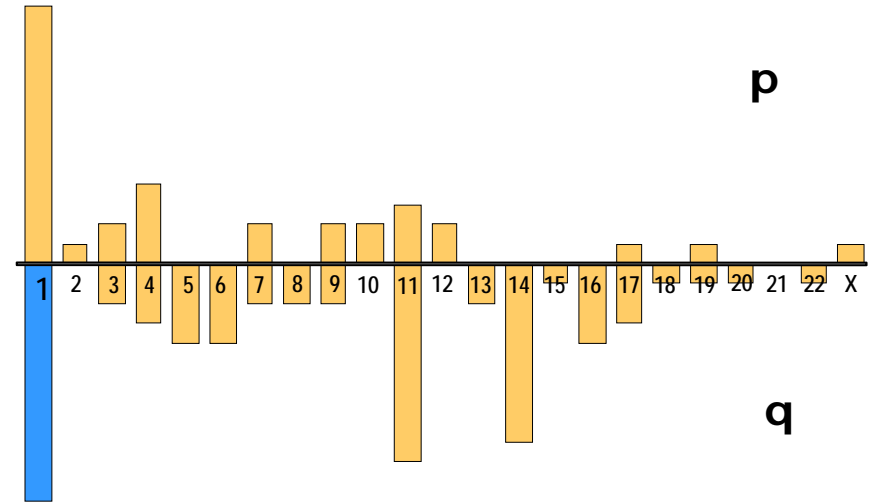
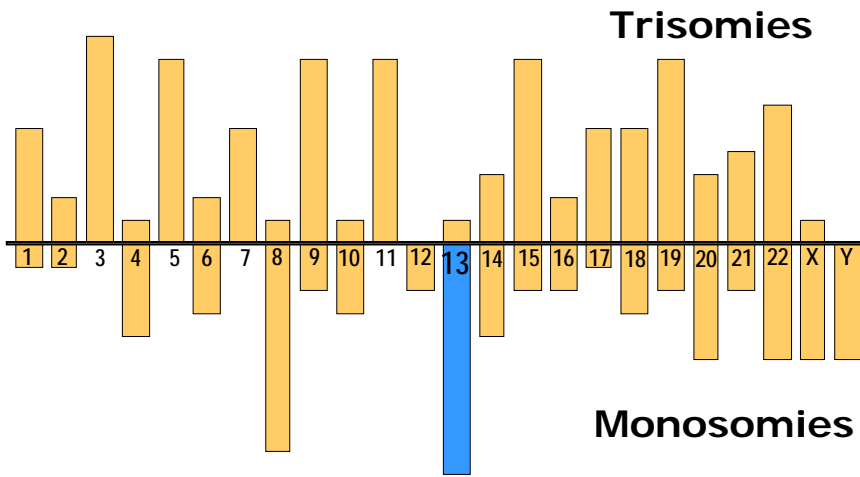
Array comparative genomic hybridization (aCGH)
SNP-arrays

FISH

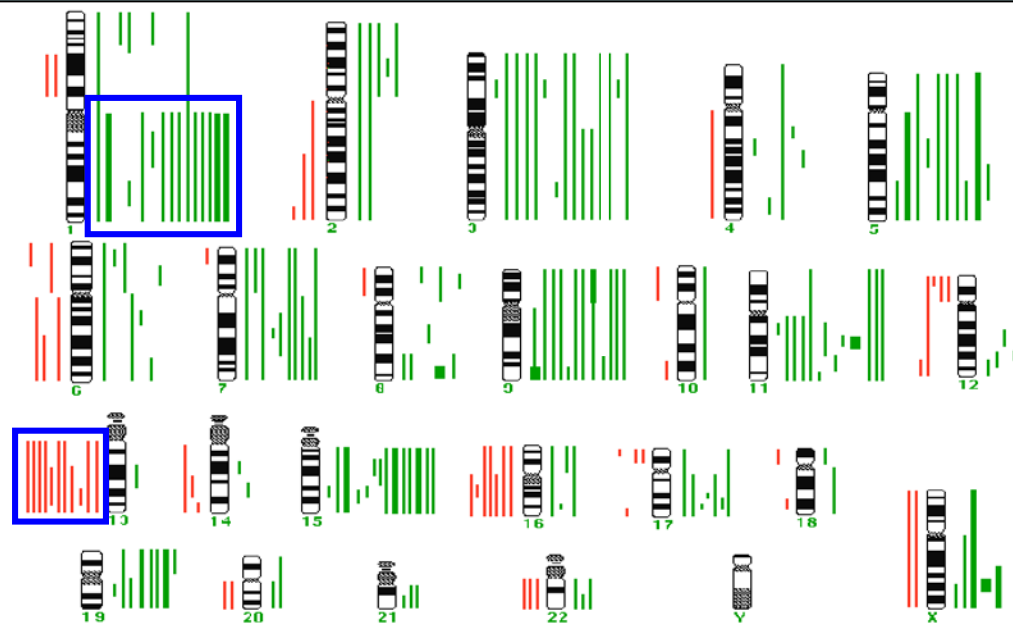
Next-generation sequencing

Numerical abnormalities in MM

Structural abnormalities in MM

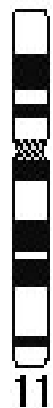


Almost all MM cases are cytogenetically abnormal



IGH translocations

20%
Cyclin D1



q13

Cyclin D3

p21



6

t(11;14)

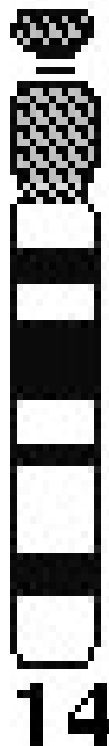
Cyclin D2

p13



12

q32



14

IGH

p16

FGFR3/
MMSET

Oncogenic receptor
tyrosine kinase

Nuclear SET domain
protein



t(4;14)

15%

q23



C-MAF

t(14;16)

B-ZIP transcription
factor

5%

q11



MAFB

t(14;20)

B-ZIP transcription
factor

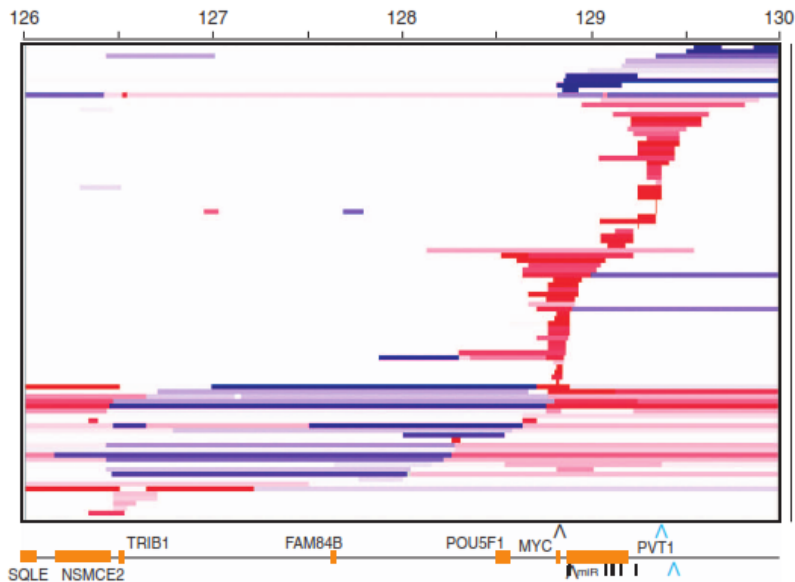
2%

MYC rearrangements in myeloma

Rearrangements of the *MYC* detected by FISH are present in 15% of primary human multiple myeloma tumors and more than half of HMCLs (Avet-Loiseau et al, Blood 2001)

218 patients

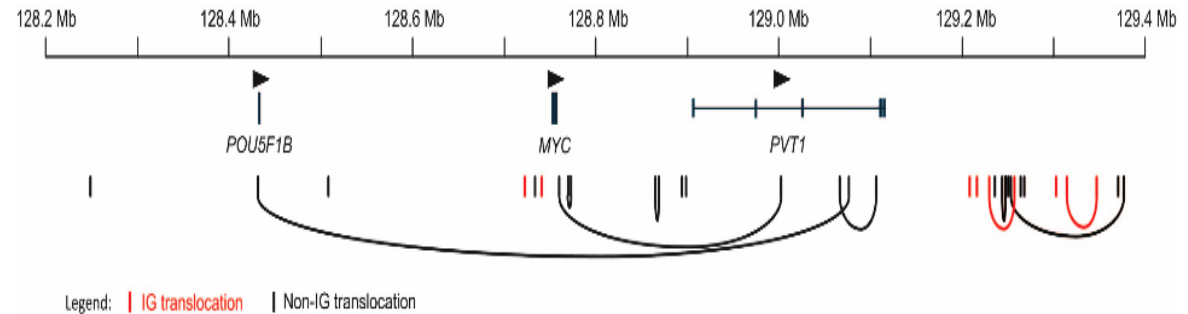
FISH
CGH arrays



MYC locus rearrangements: 49%

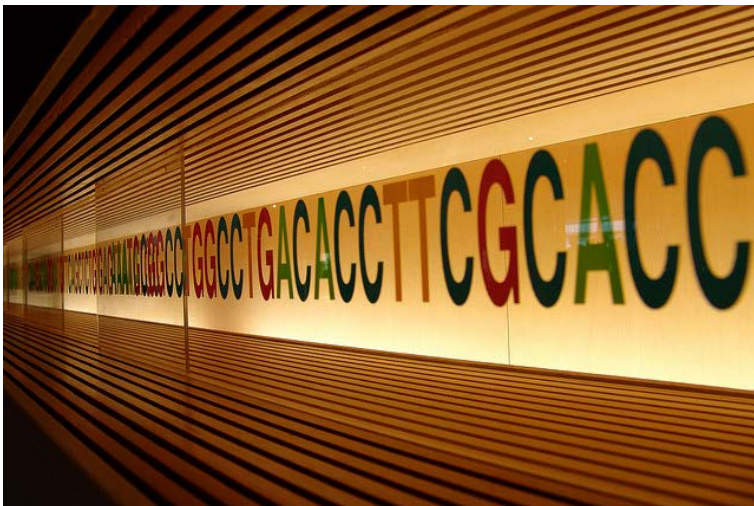
104 patients

Capture assay followed
by massively parallel sequencing



MYC translocation in 21% of samples

Whole-exome/genome sequencing

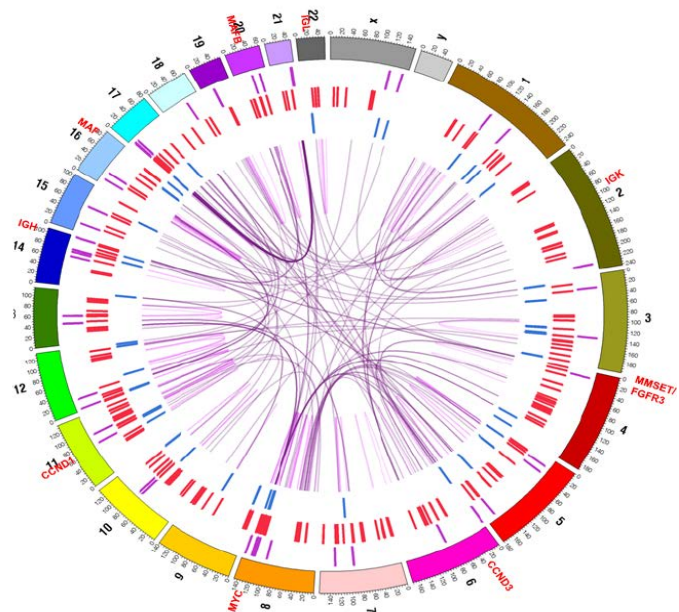


Hairy-cell leukemia

BRAF mutations \simeq 100%

Waldenstrom's Macroglobulinemia

MYD88 mutations \simeq 90%



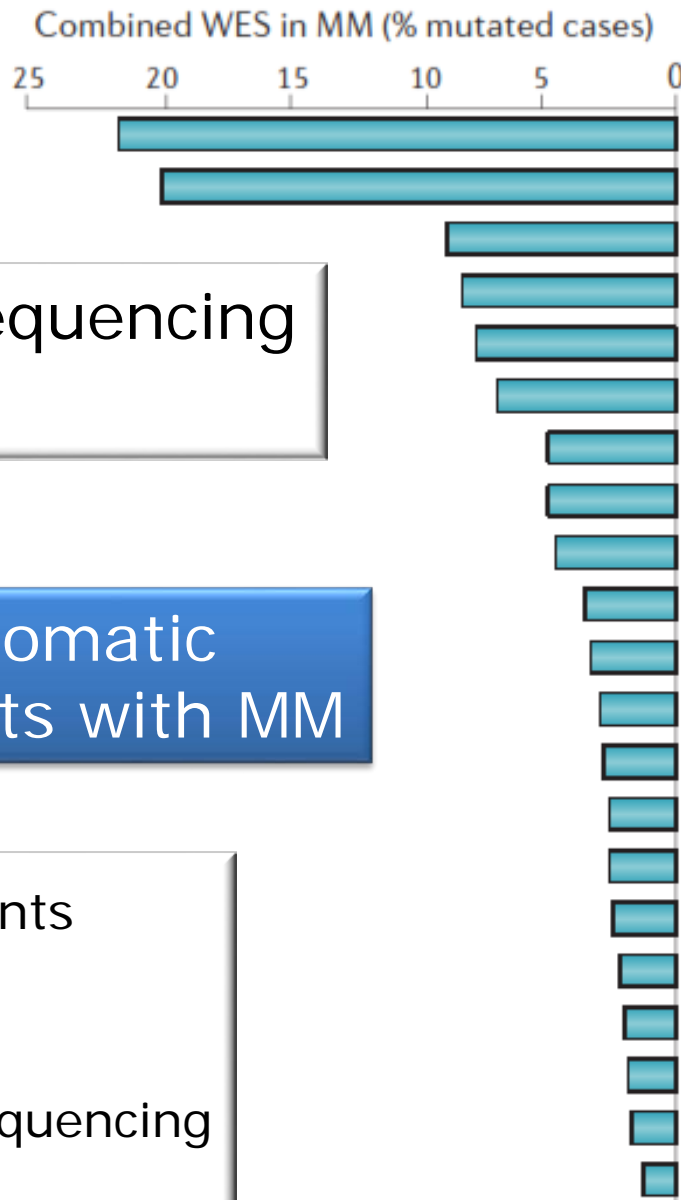
Multiple myeloma

?

Massively parallel sequencing
Paired tumor/normal samples

Most frequent somatic mutations in patients with MM

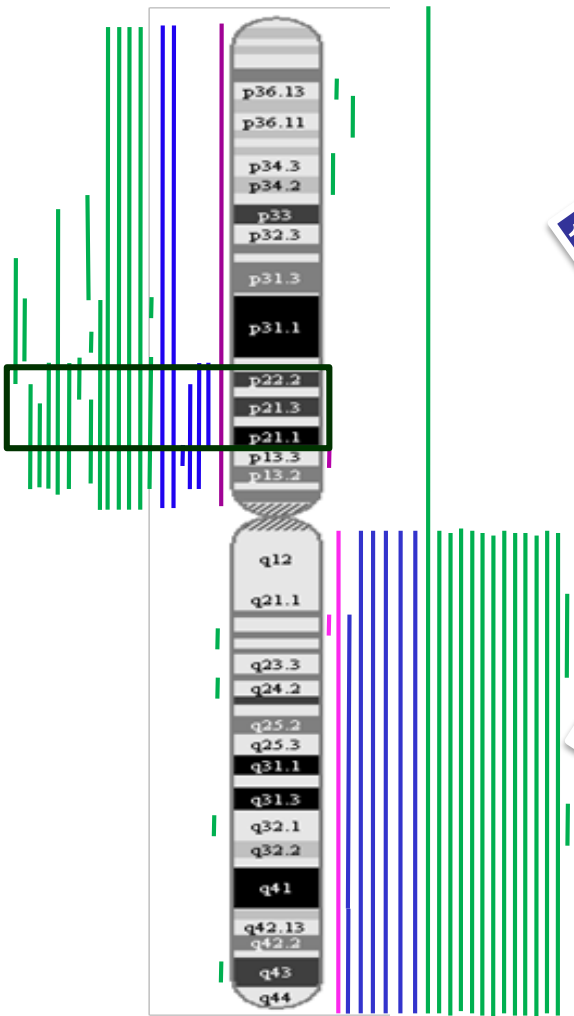
733 MM patients
↓
Whole-exome sequencing



	Walker et al. % (n = 463)	Lohr et al. % (n = 203)	Boli et al. % (n = 67)
KRAS	21*	23*	20*
NRAS	19*	20*	20*
FAM46C	6*	11*	10*
BRAF	7*	6*	12*
TP53	3*	8*	12*
DIS3	9*	11*	1
PRDM1	-	5*	-
SP140	-	4	6*
EGR1	4*	4	6
TRAF3	4*	5*	2
ATM	3	4	3
CCND1	2*	3	4
HISTH1E	3*	-	-
LTB	3*	1	4*
IRF4	3*	2	-
FGFR3	3*	2	-
RB1	2	3*	-
ACTG1	-	2*	-
CYLD	2*	2*	1
MAX	2*	1	-
ATR	1	1	2

*Mutations reaching significance

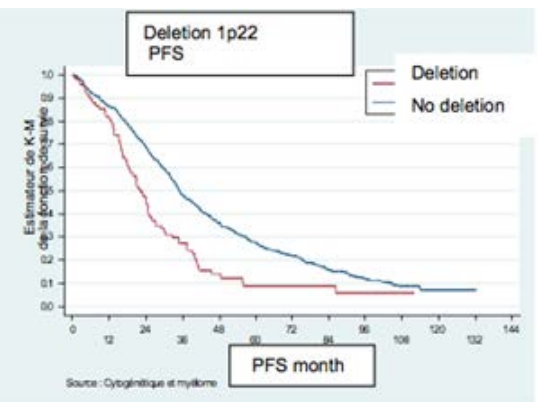
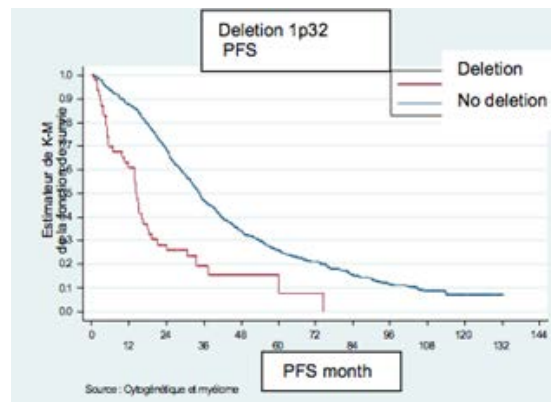
Chromosome 1 abnormalities



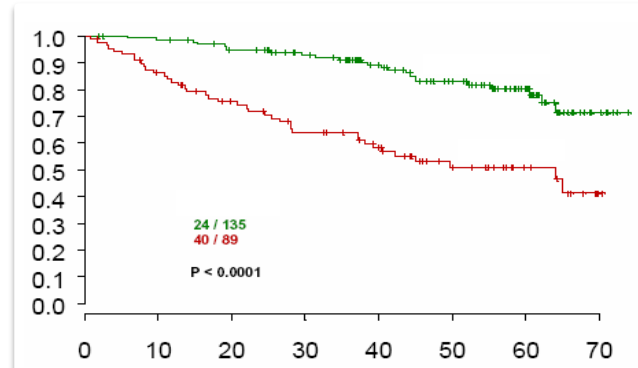
1p deletions

1q gains

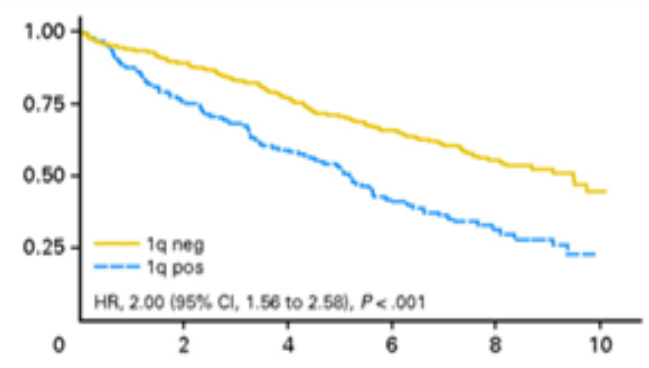
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- 1195 patients in IFM trial
- Major negative prognostic factors for OS and PFS
- Confirms importance of 1p deletion from previous studies

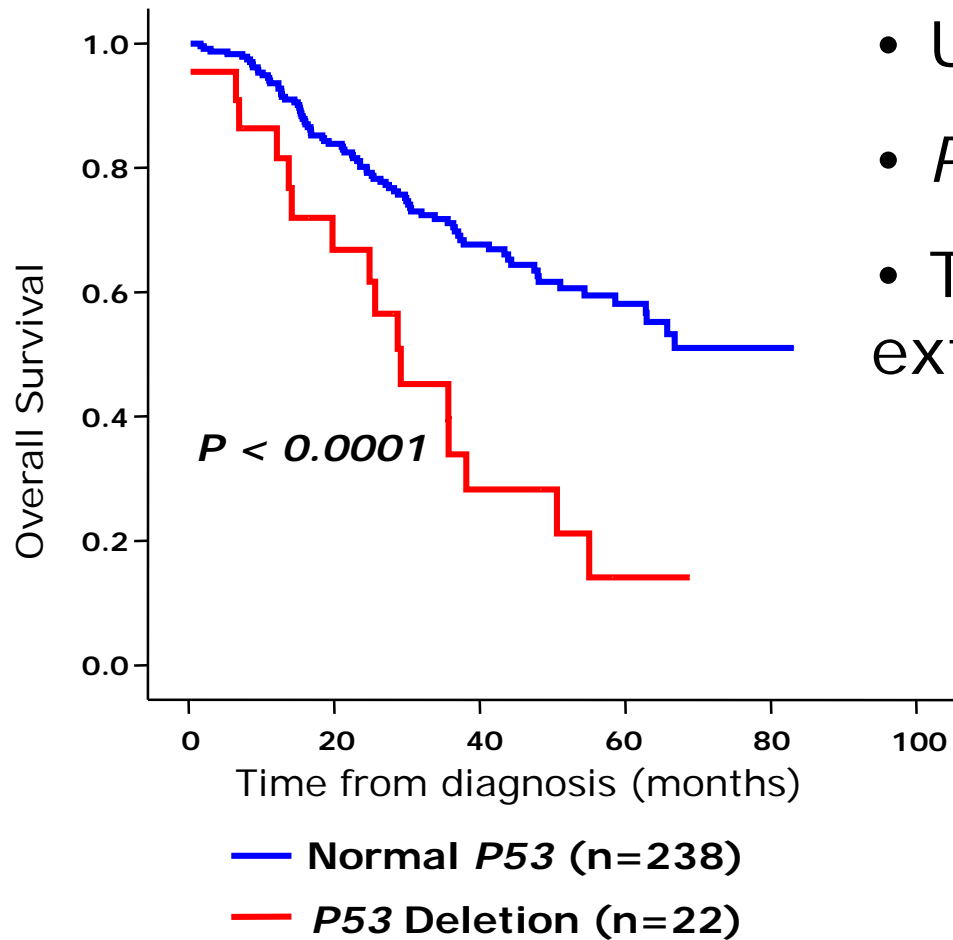


Total Therapy 2

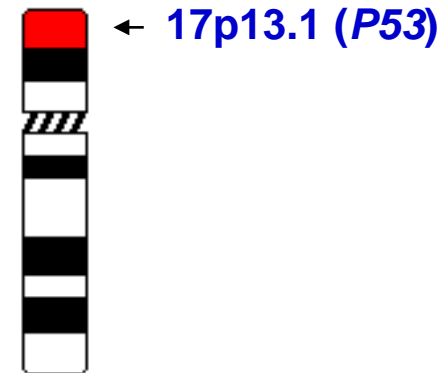


IFM 99-02 and 99-04 trials

17p (*P53*) deletion is associated with adverse prognosis

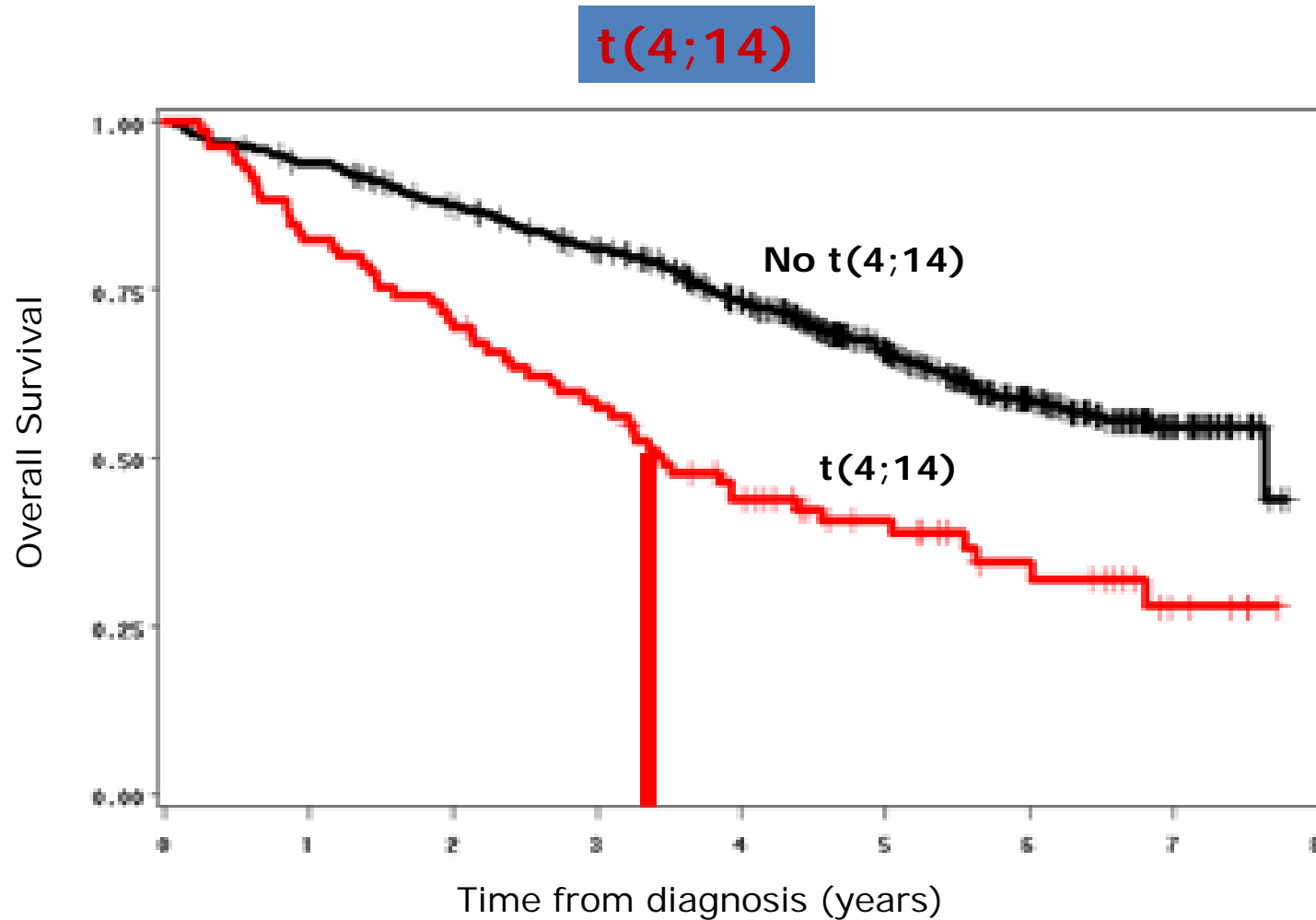


- Uncommon in newly diagnosed MM
- *P53* mutations: rare
- The lack of *P53* may promote the extramedullary disease



PETHEMA/GEM (Spanish MM group): 260 patients undergoing autologous transplantation

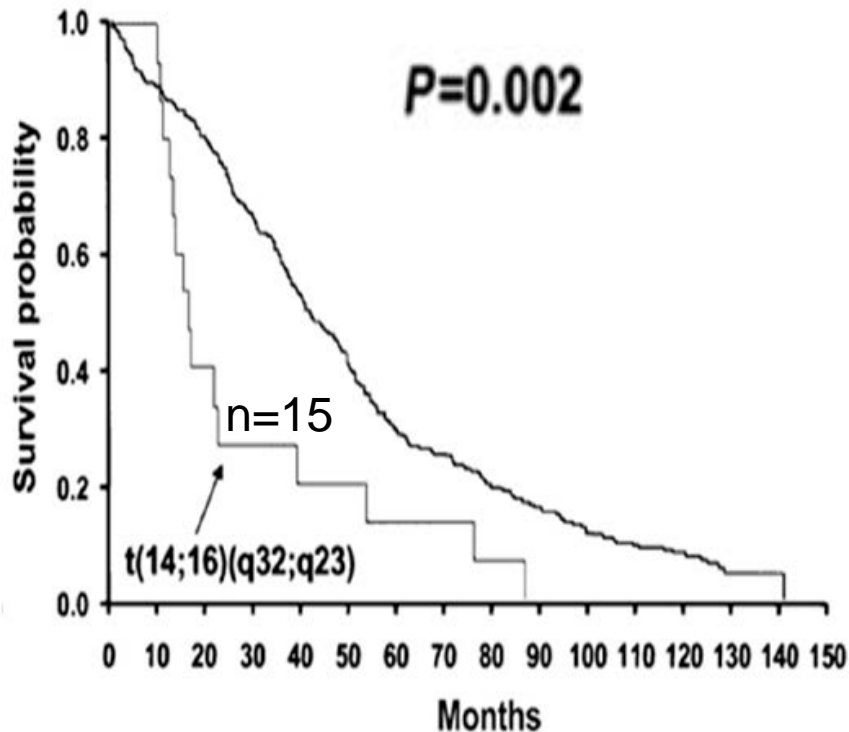
Prognostic implications of *IGH* translocations



Patients with t(4;14) respond to treatment but early relapses

Prognostic implications of *IGH* translocations

t(14;16)



Conventional Chemotherapy

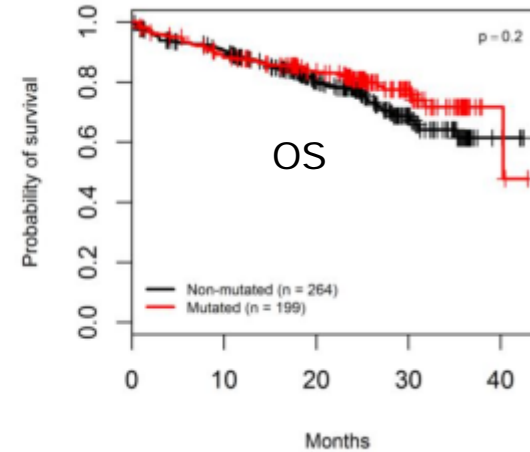
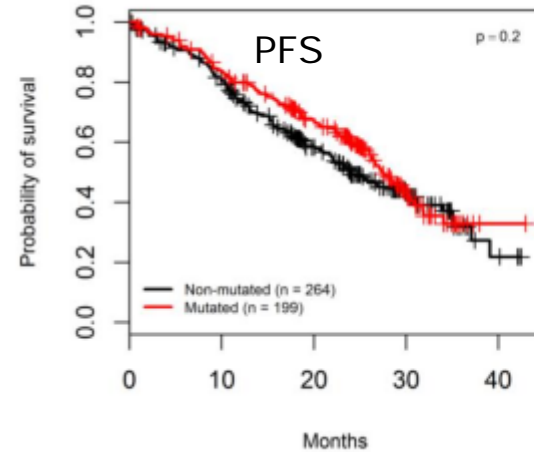
Parameter	n=32	Univariate analysis	
		HR (95% CI)	P
Age (n = 697)		1.03 (1.02-1.05)	< .0001
β_2 -microglobulin ≥ 4 vs < 4		2.02 (1.65-2.47)	< .0001
t(4,14) positive vs negative		2.24 (1.72-2.92)	< .0001
del(17p) ≥ 60 vs < 60		2.57 (1.88-3.50)	< .0001
del13 > 0 vs 0		1.63 (1.34-1.97)	< .0001
t(14,16) positive vs negative		1.28 (0.82-2.01)	.281

Double-intensive regimen

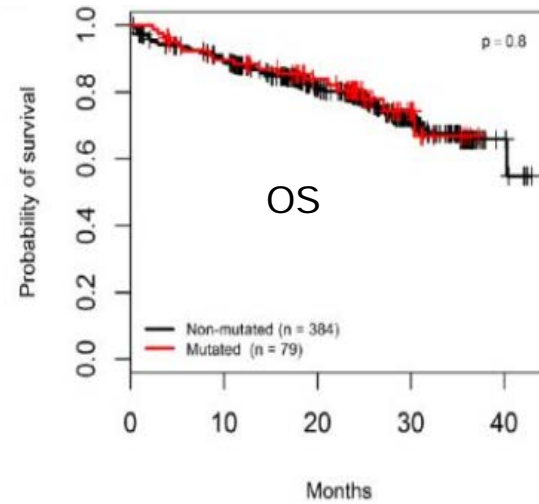
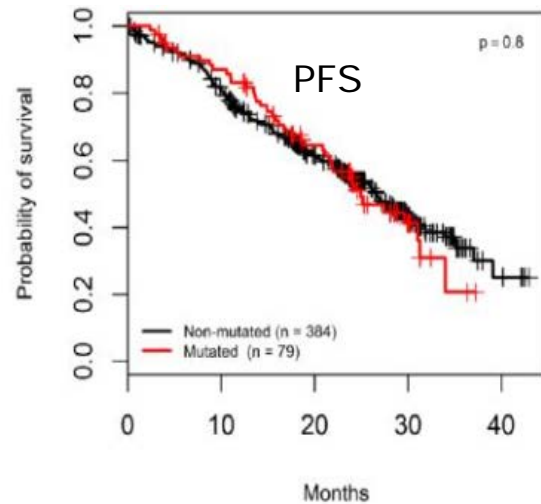
Mutations in the RAS and NF- κ B pathways are prognostically neutral

Mutations

KRAS
NRAS
BRAF



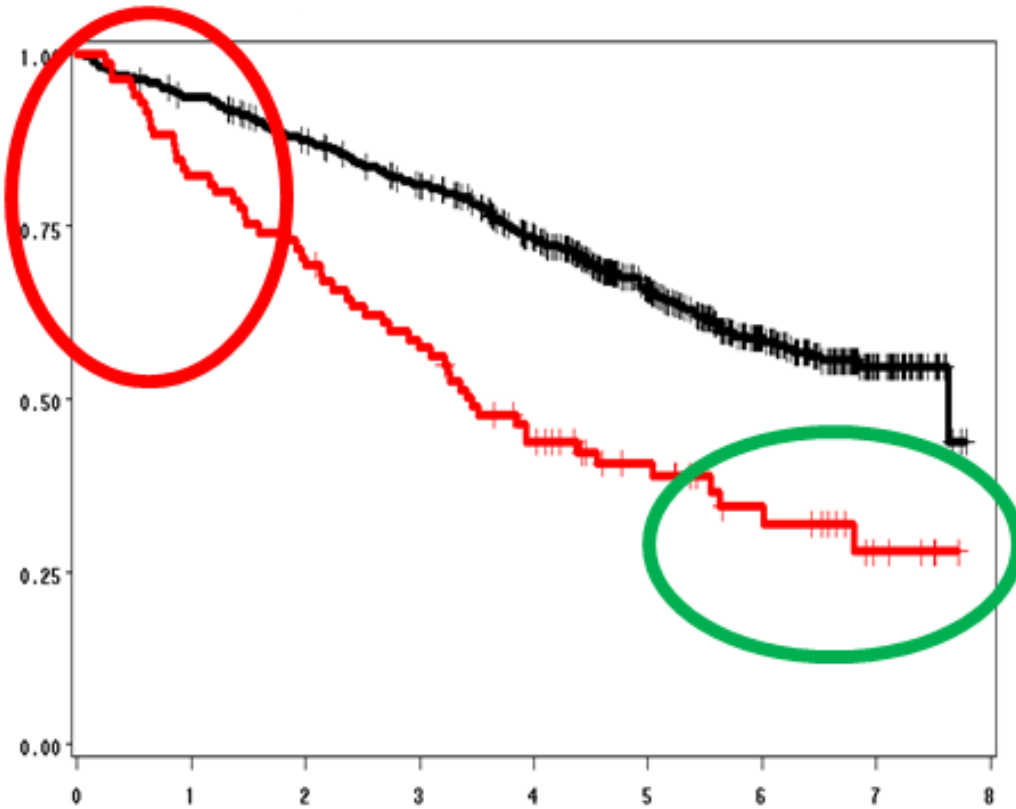
NF- κ B
pathway
mutations



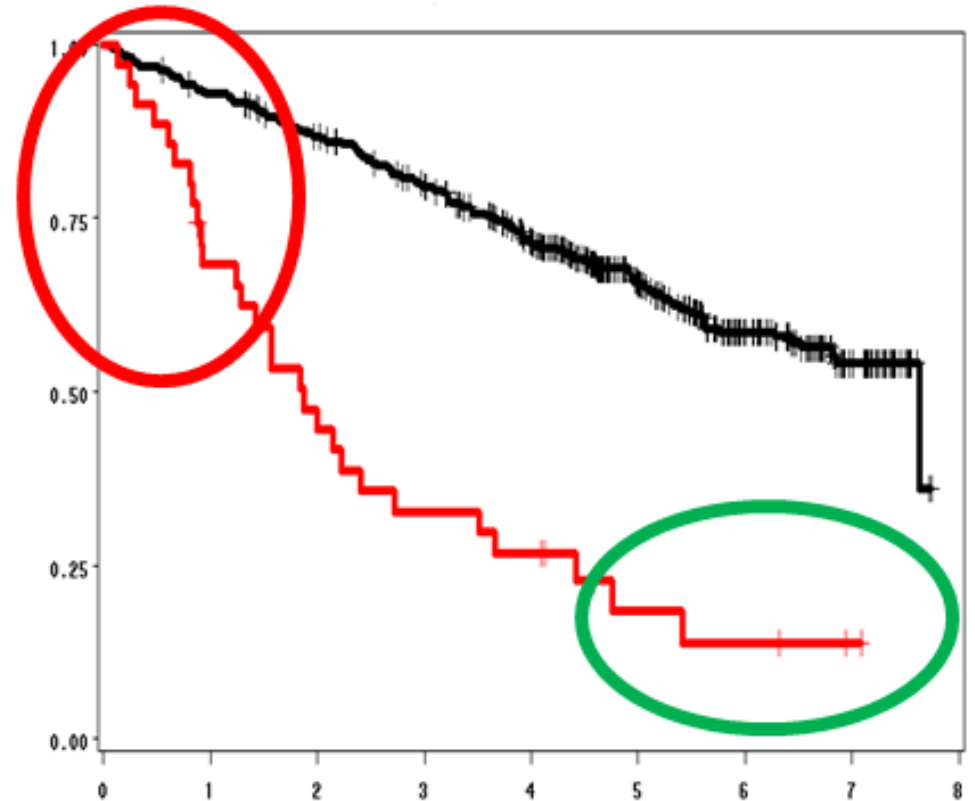
The mutational spectrum is dominated by mutations in the RAS (43%) and NF- κ B (17%) pathways, but although they are prognostically neutral, they could be targeted therapeutically

Heterogeneity in high-risk patients

t(4;14) overall survival



del(17p) overall survival

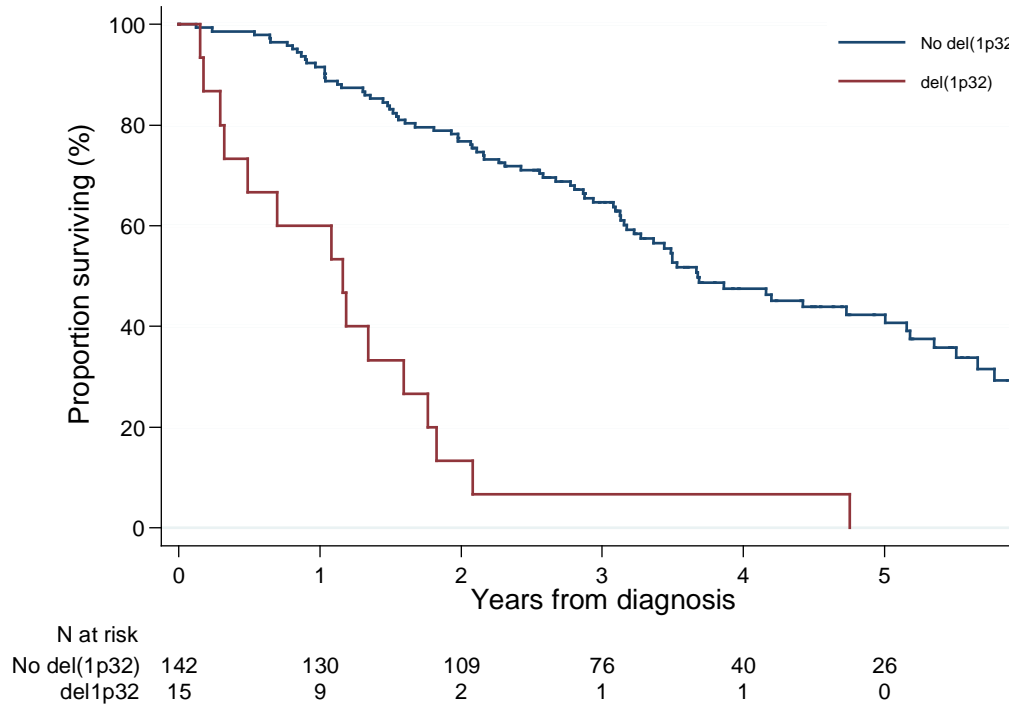


Patients < 65 years, double HDM/ASCT

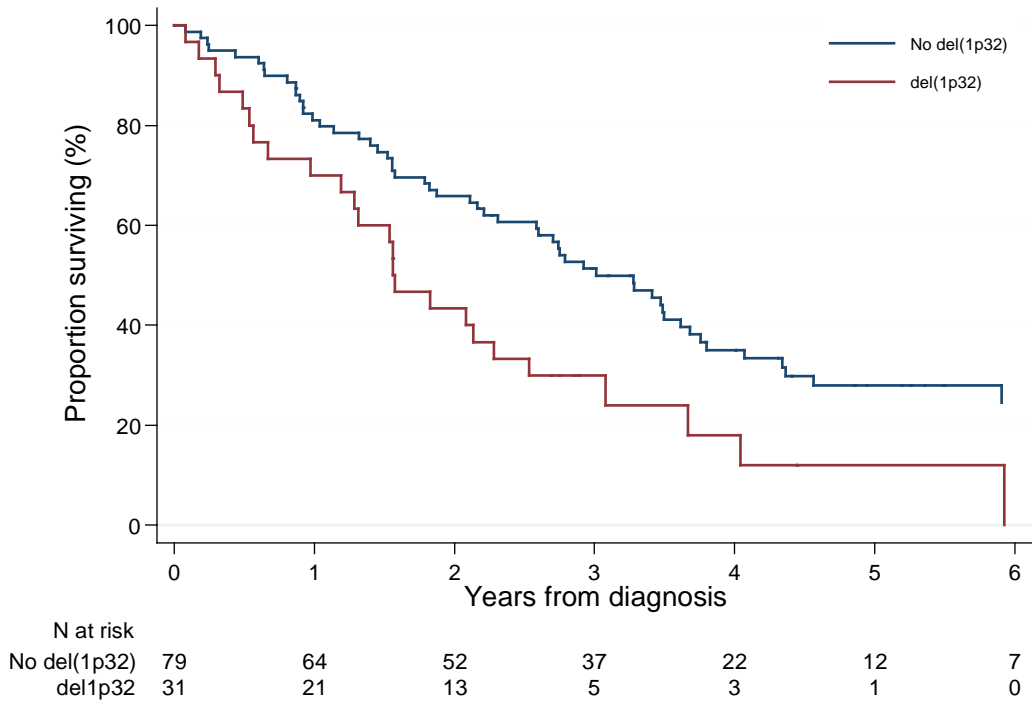
Do other chromosomal changes impact the outcome?

Heterogeneity in high-risk patients

Overall survival according to del(1p32)

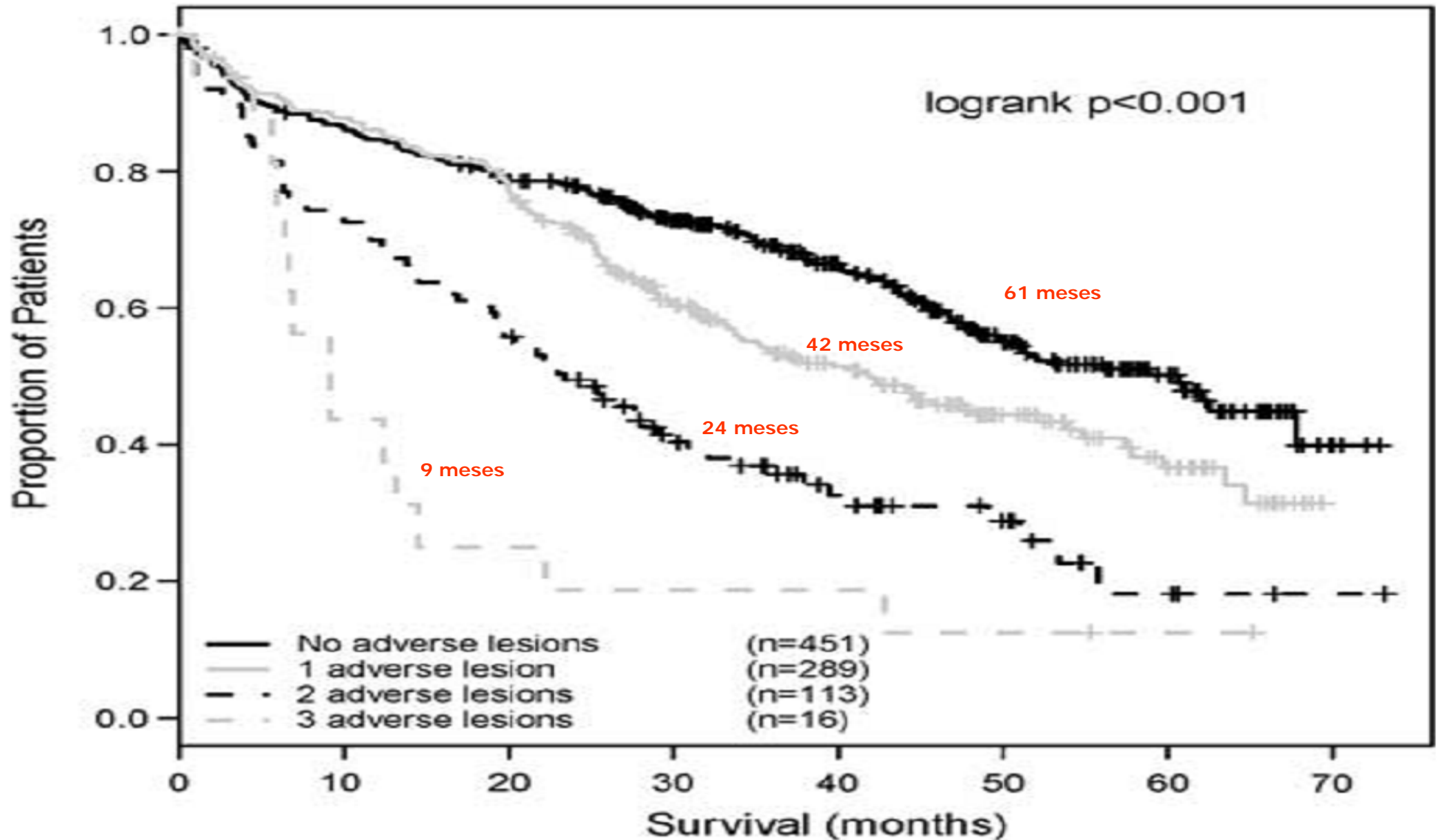


t(4;14)



del(17p)

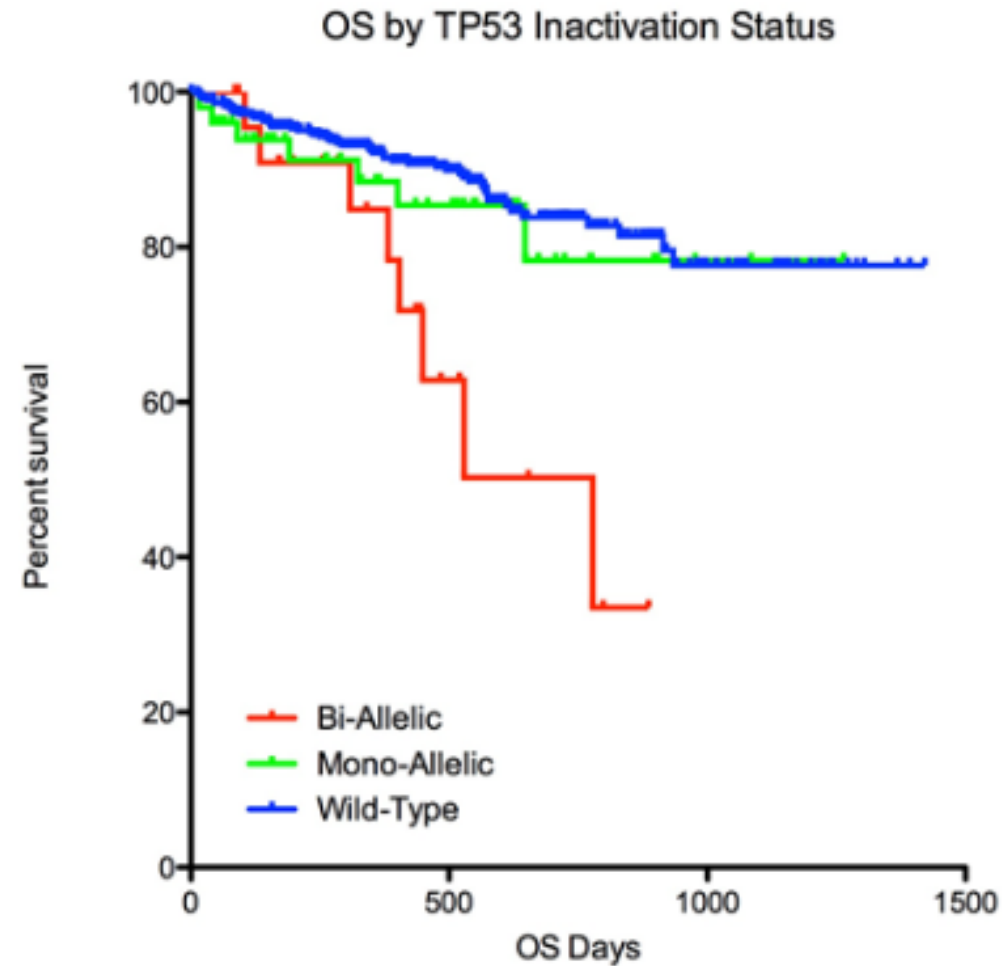
Overall survival graded by number of adverse lesions



Bi-allelic TP53 inactivation is associated with poorer prognosis

CoMMpass Trial

Over 1,000 MM patients analyzed by NGS:
- Whole Exome Sequencing (WES)
- RNA sequencing (RNA-seq)

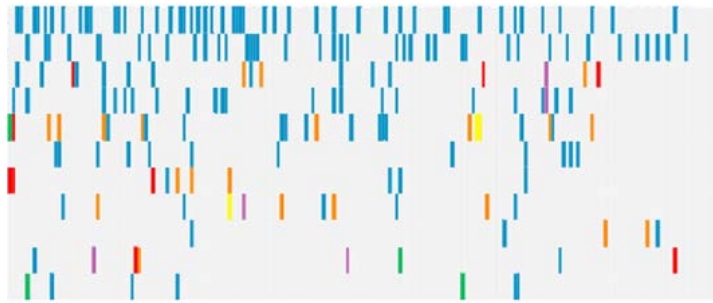


Bi-Allelic = Del + Del, Del + Mut, or Mut + Mut

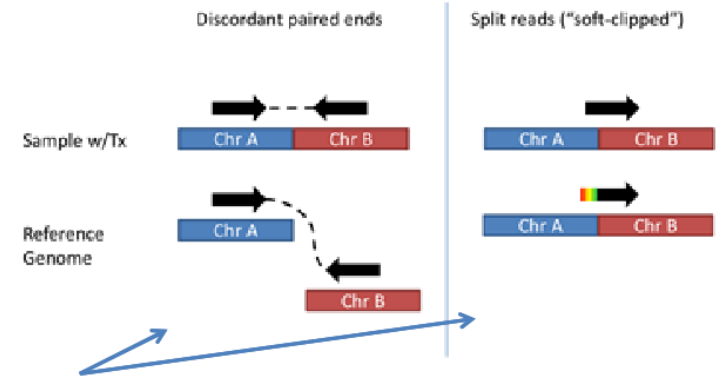
Mono-Allelic = Deletion or Mutation alone

Wild-Type = No Deletion and No Mutation Detected

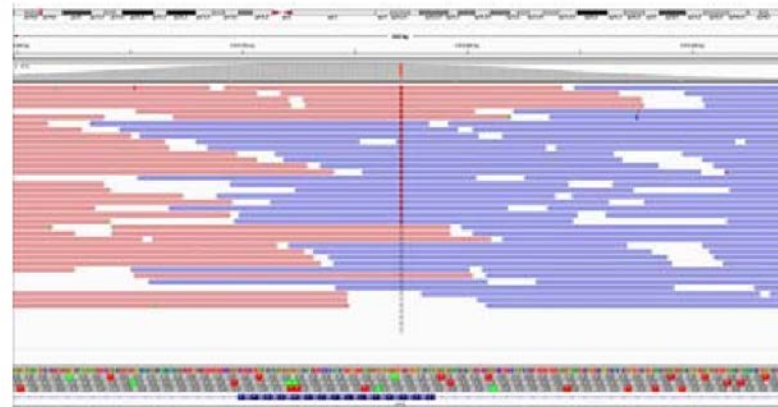
Opportunity for detection of mutations, translocations and CNAs using a single NGS assay



Detection of mutations



Detection of translocations

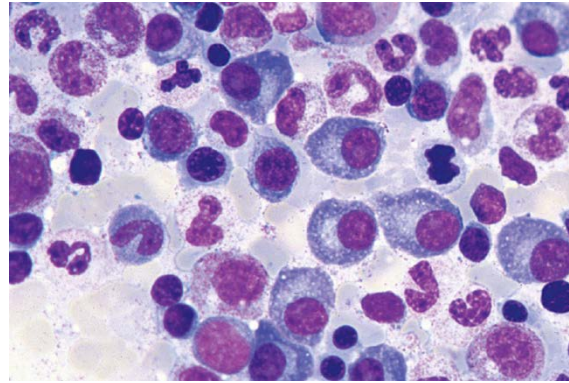


Detection of CNAs

Translocations and CNAs have a preponderant contribution over gene mutations in defining the genotype and prognosis of each case.

Bolli et al, Leukemia 2018

Intratumor Heterogeneity

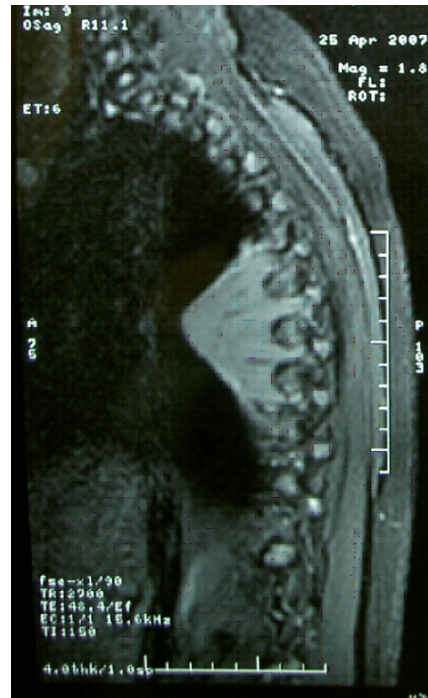


Complete remission at BM



t(4;14)
Monosomy 13

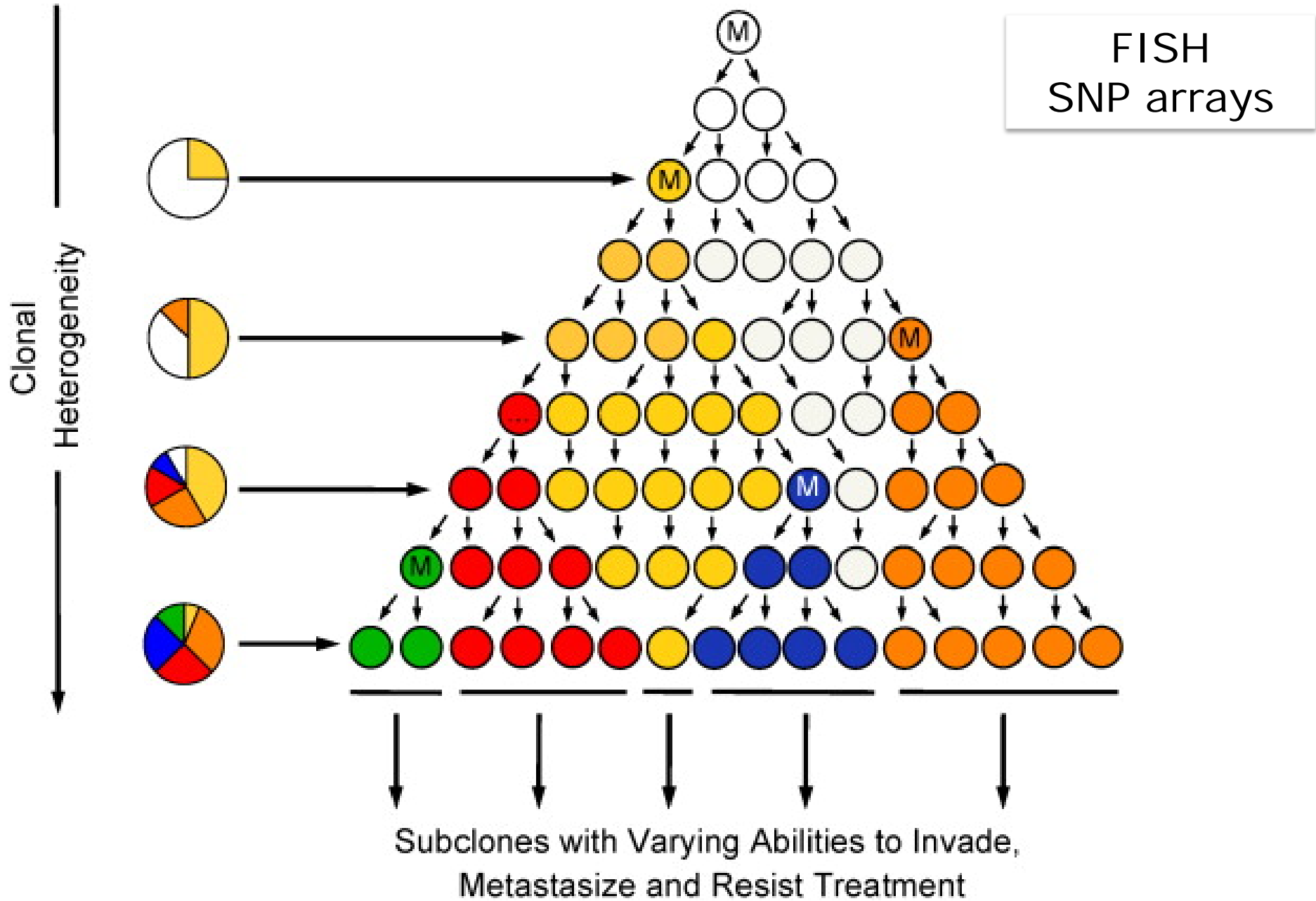
MM IgG lambda with light chain proteinuria and a paraspinal plasmacytoma



Extramedullary plasmacytomas appeared during therapy and were refractory to every line of treatment

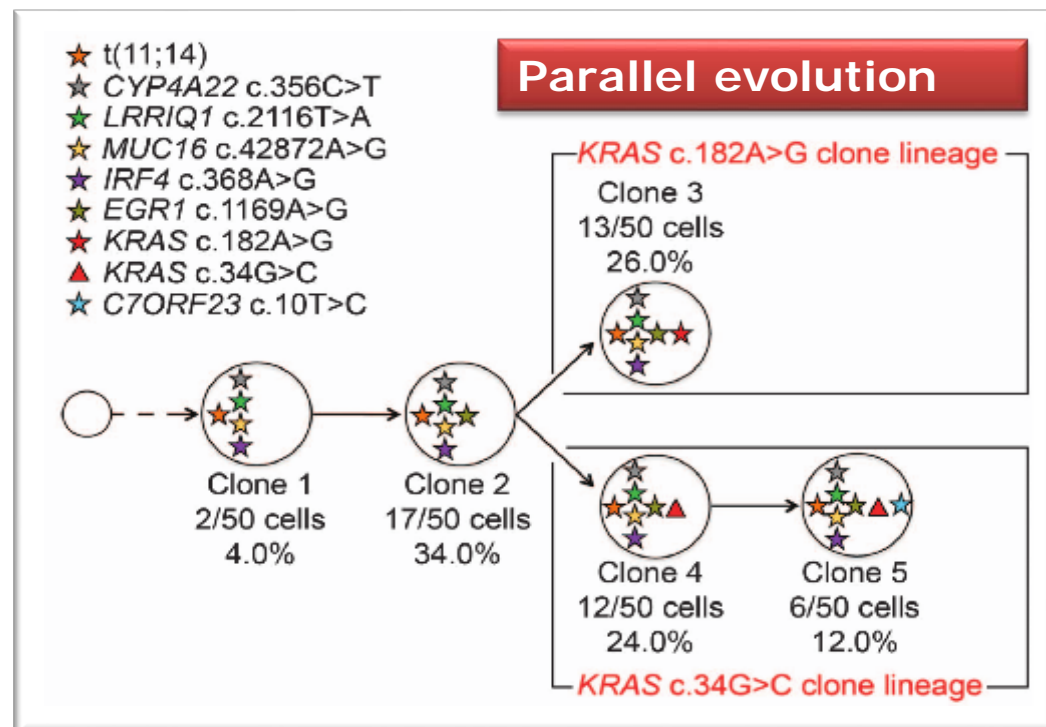
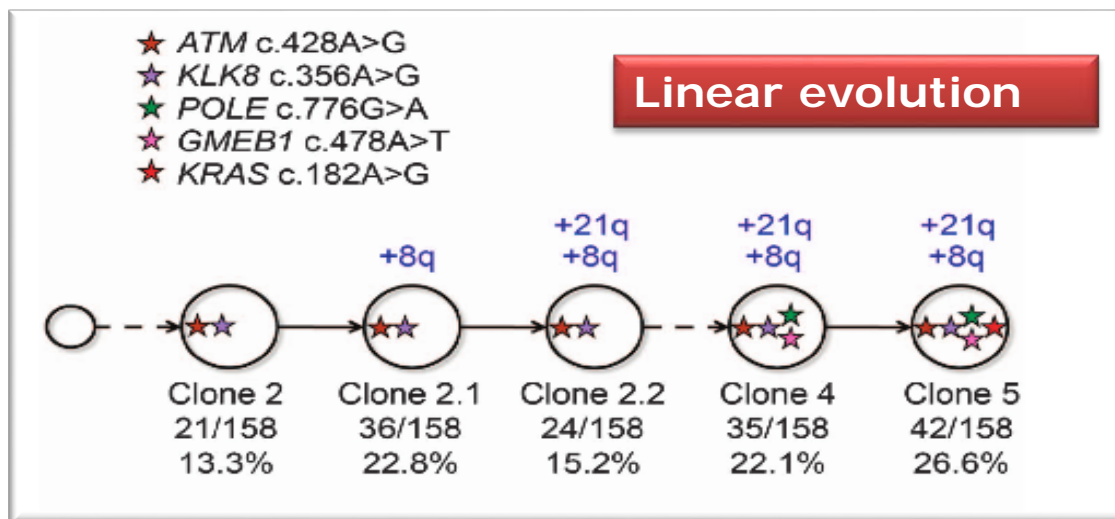


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17p deletion



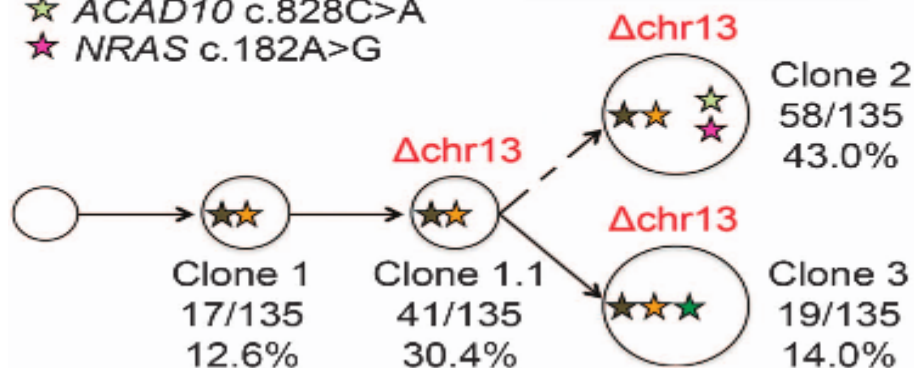
Intraclonal heterogeneity demonstrated by Massively Parallel Sequencing

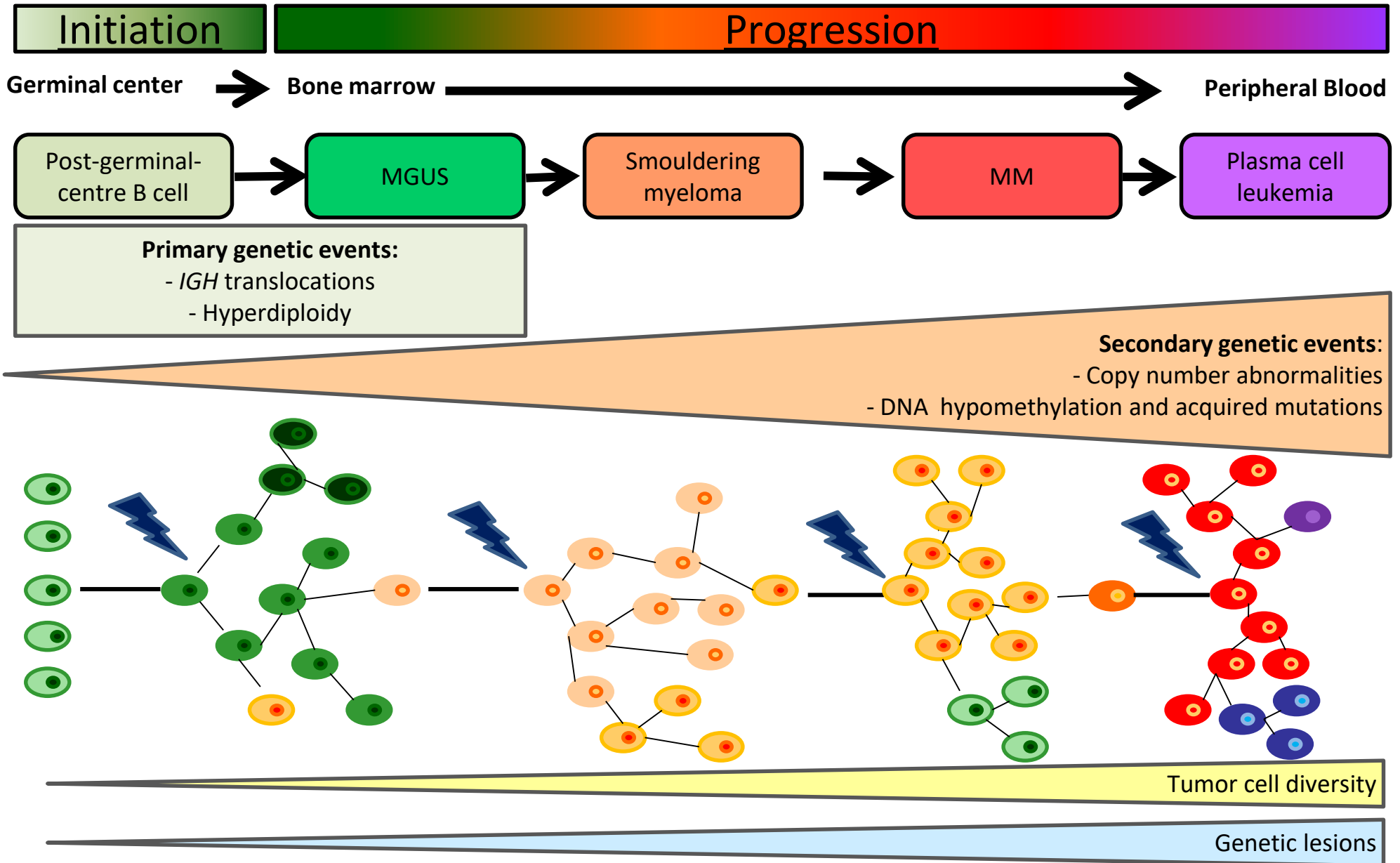
Single cell genetic analysis



- ★ TRPA c.2272C>T
- ★ PCDH15 mutation*
- ★ STK24 c.12200C>T
- ★ ACAD10 c.828C>A
- ★ NRAS c.182A>G

Branching evolution



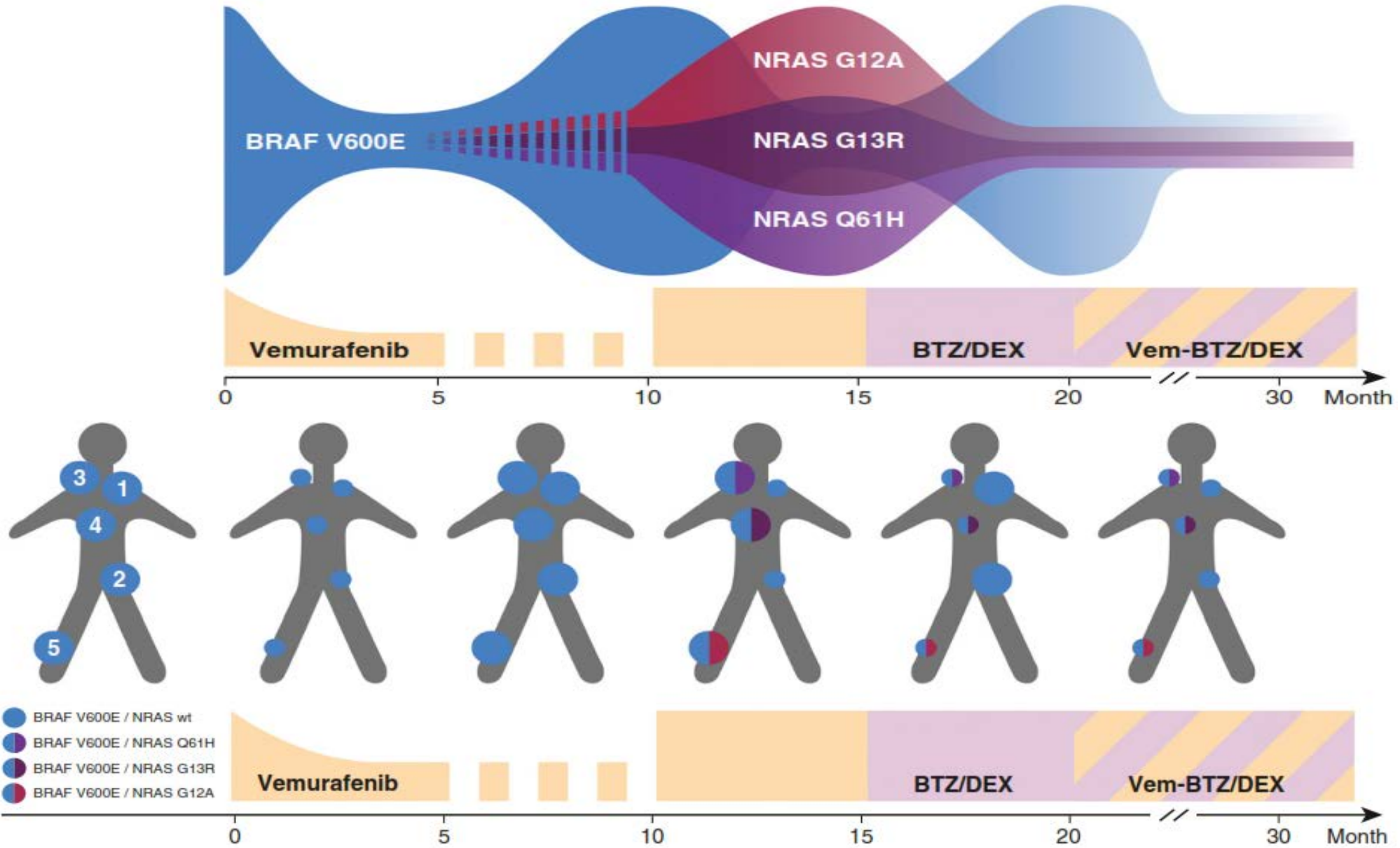


The impact of genomic diversity and intra-clonal heterogeneity on the treatment of myeloma

Challenge for cancer therapy

- ✓ Targeted therapy might have a paradoxically stimulatory effect on the subclones lacking the relevant mutation.
- ✓ Multi-drug combination with different mechanism of action in order to eradicate dominant as well as minor clones.
- ✓ Limitations of basing treatment decisions on the findings derived from a single bone marrow biopsy.

The clinical course and management of a patient with BRAF V600E-mutant MM developing resistance to treatment with vemurafenib



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DNA

Genome

Transcription



mRNA

Transcriptome

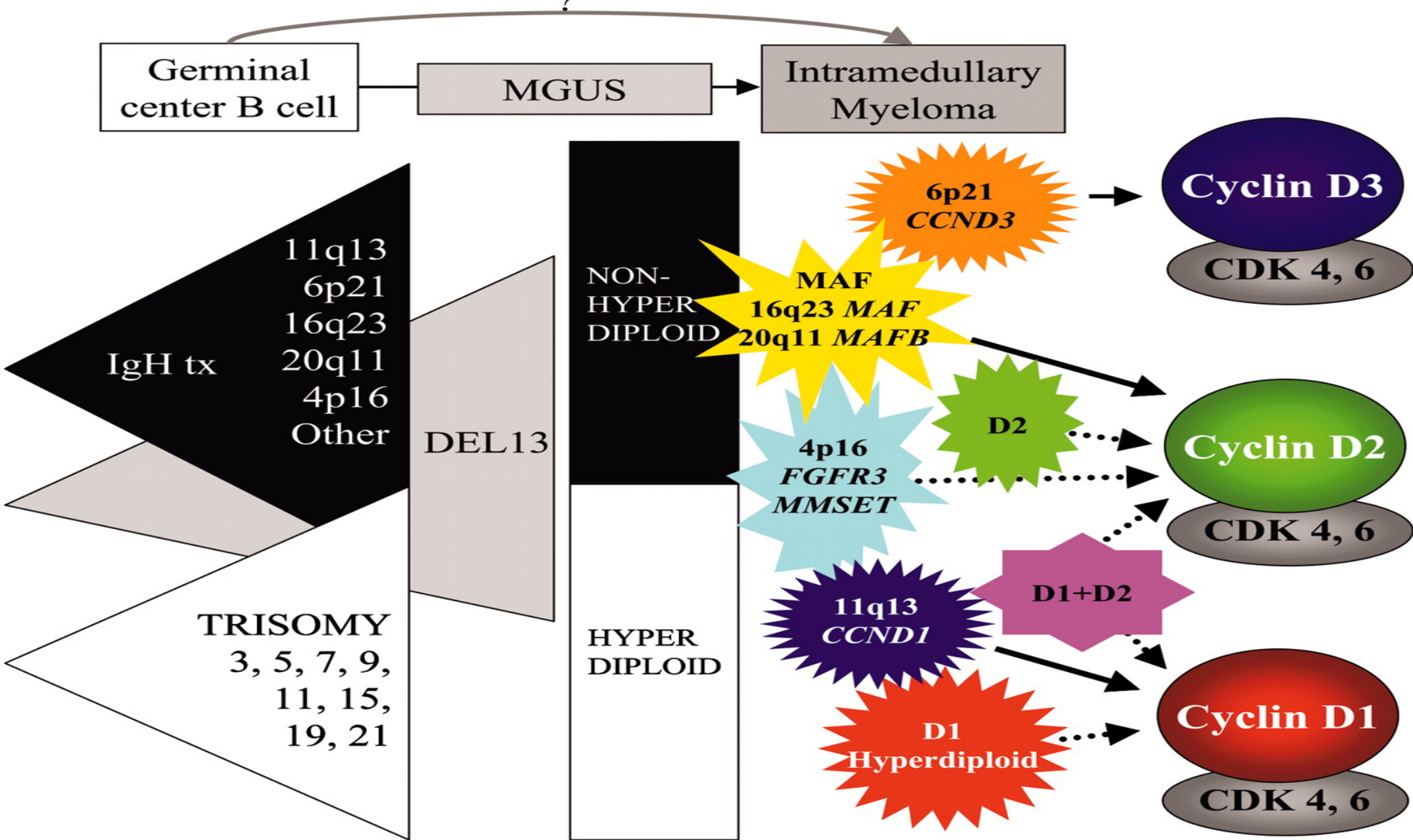
Translation



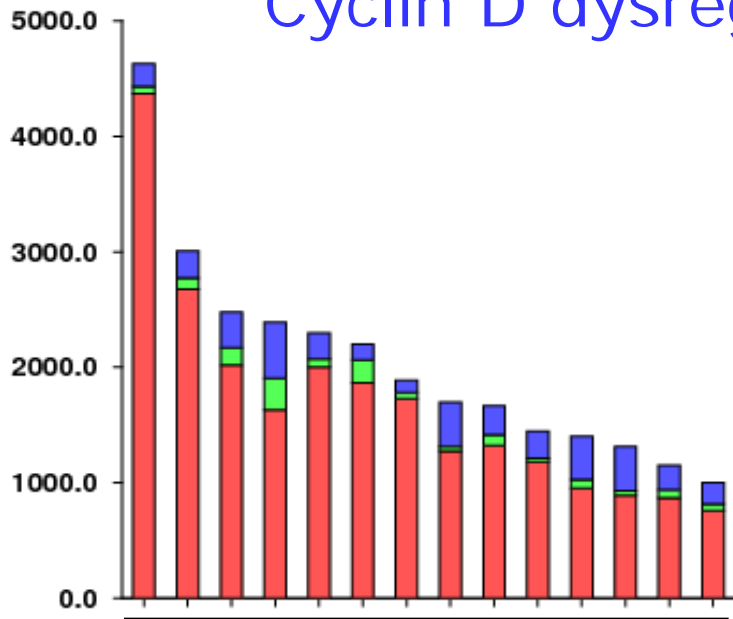
Protein

Proteome

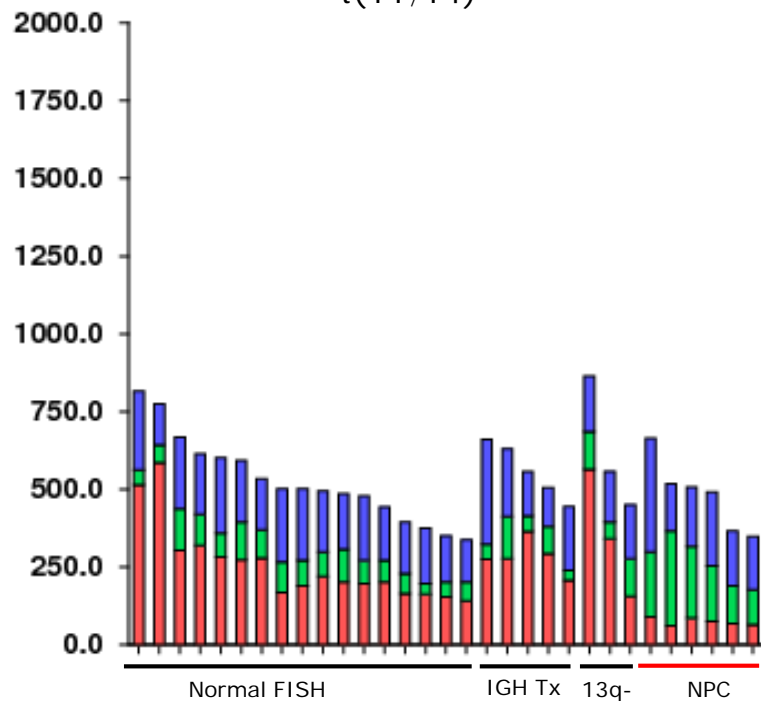
Cyclin D dysregulation: an early and unifying pathogenic event



Cyclin D dysregulation in 100 myeloma samples



t(11;14)

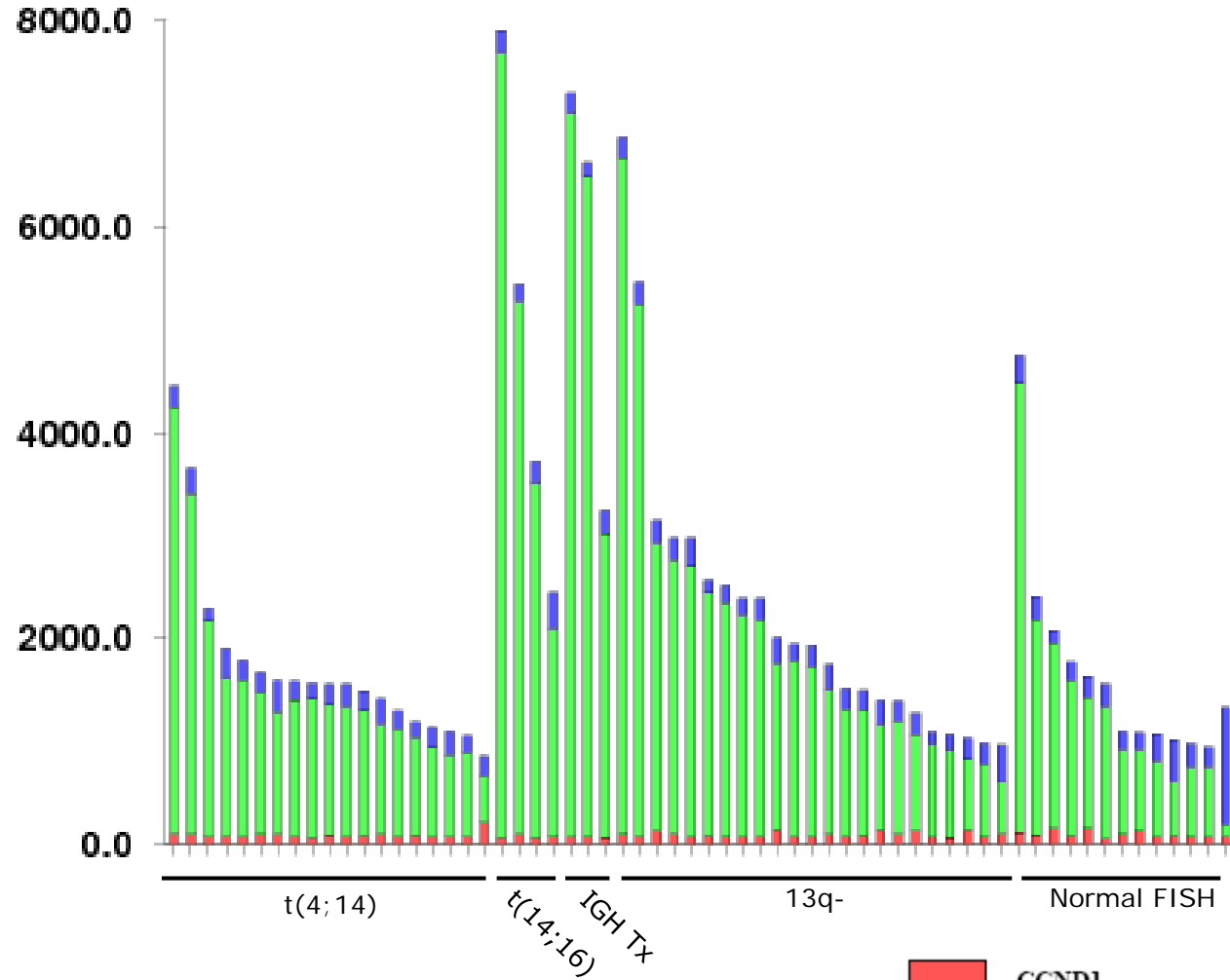


Normal FISH

IGH Tx

13q-

NPC



t(4;14)

t(14;16)

IGH Tx

13q-

Normal FISH

**Expression by
microarray analysis**

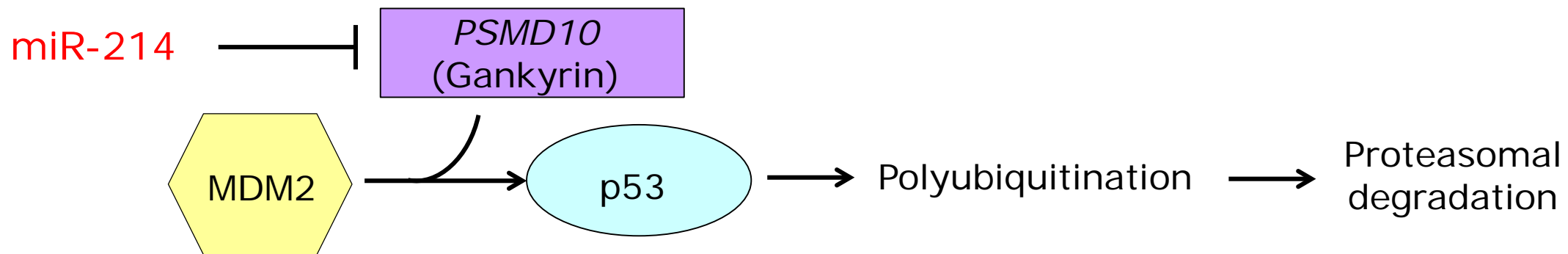
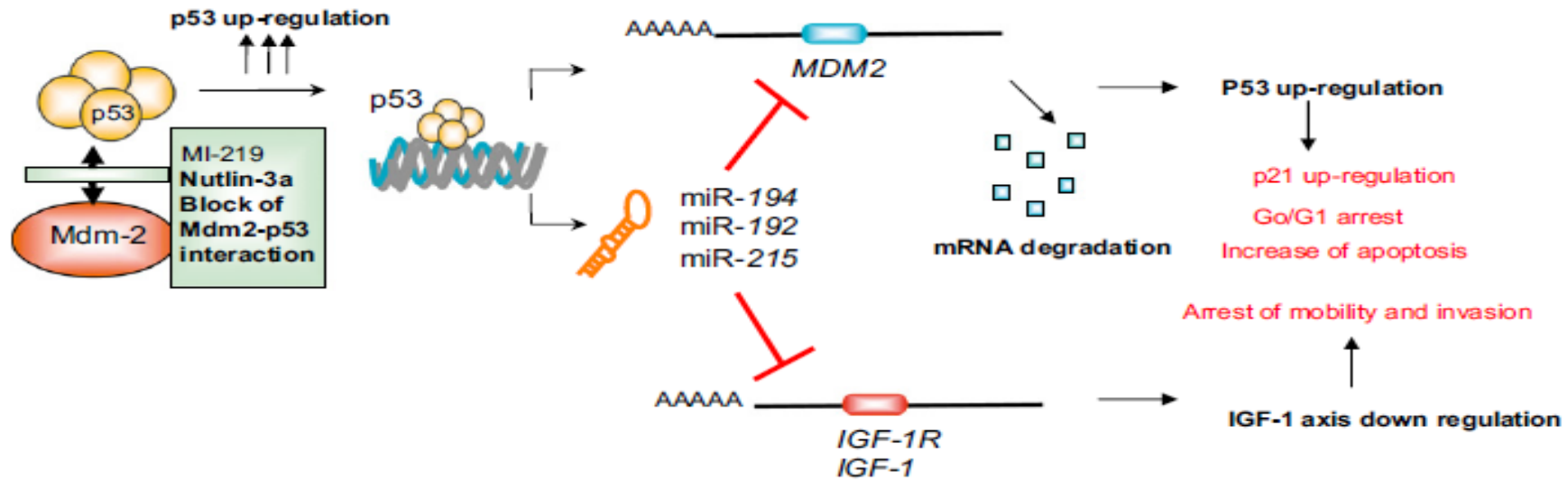


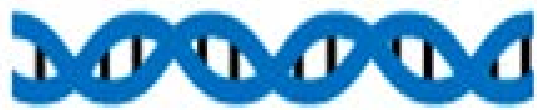
Post-Transcriptional Modifications Explain the Overexpression of CCND2 in Multiple Myeloma

- ✓ **CCND2 is highly expressed** in most of the multiple myeloma samples without CCND1 or CCND3 overexpression
- ✓ The mechanisms by which CCND2 is upregulated in a set of MMs are not completely deciphered
- ✓ Role of **post-transcriptional regulation** through the interaction between miRNAs and their binding sites at 3'UTR **in CCND2 overexpression in MM**

P53 inactivation induced by the deregulation of miRNAs targeting P53

miR-192, 215, and 194 Impair the p53/MDM2 Autoregulatory Loop





DNA

Genome

Transcription



mRNA

Transcriptome

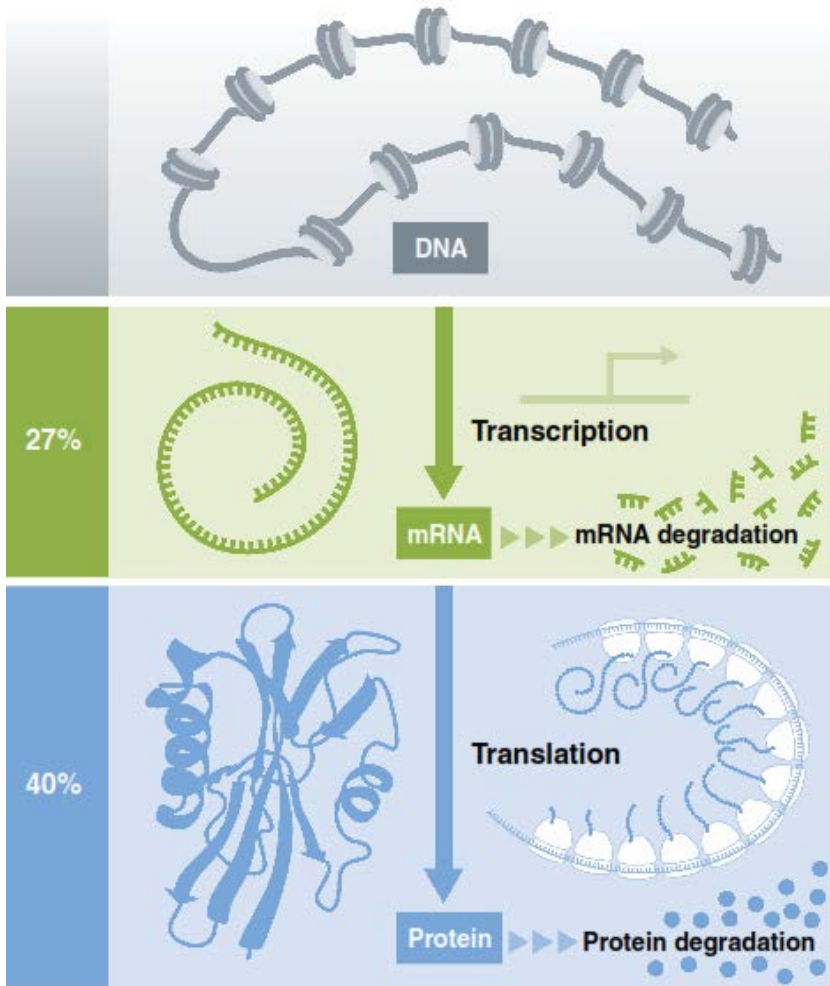
Translation



Protein

Proteome

Relative influence of transcriptional and translational regulation on protein abundance



The unresolved difficulties in studying the proteome have made the quantification of messenger RNA (mRNA) an indirect measure of protein expression, although many studies have shown that protein levels cannot be predicted from mRNA measurements



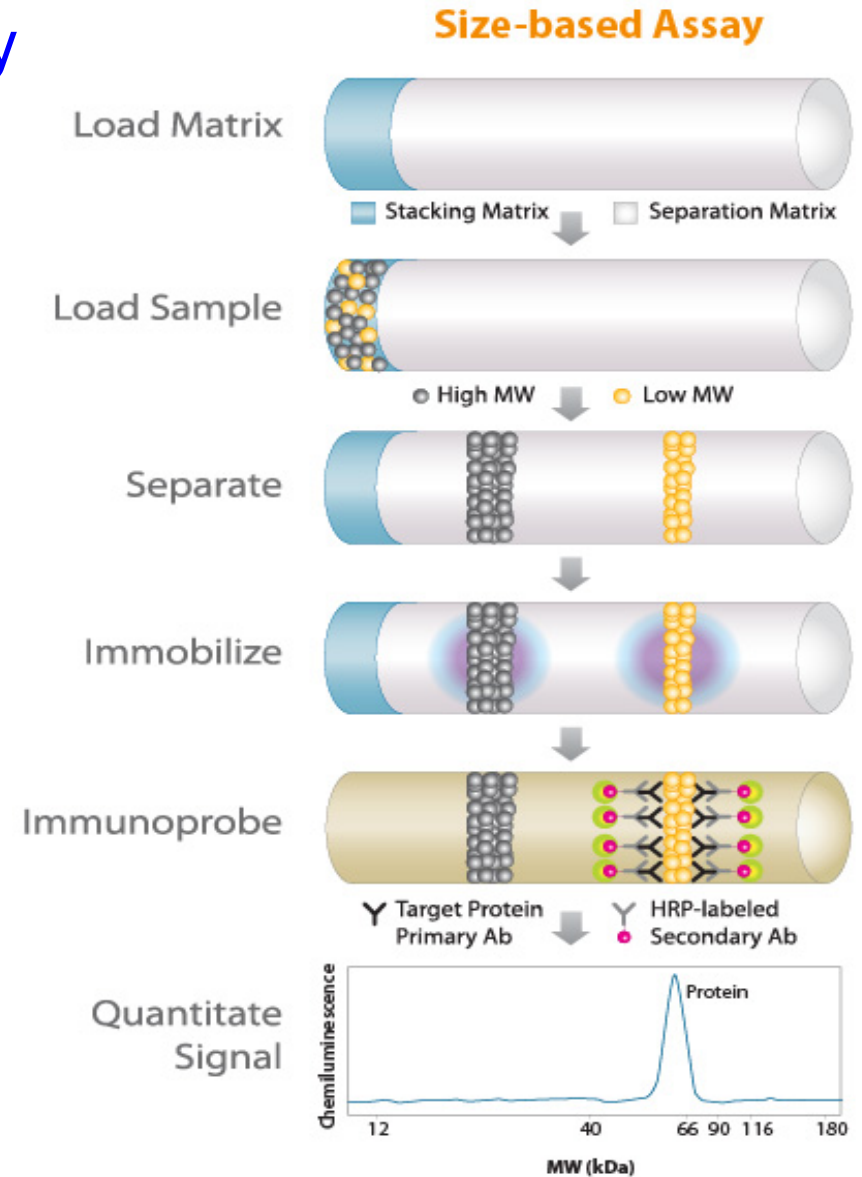
mRNA levels cannot be used as surrogates for protein levels

Combination of capillary electrophoresis with immunoassay

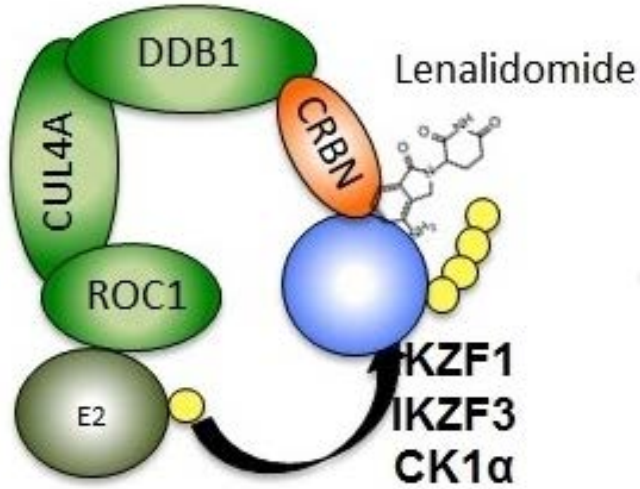
Simple Western



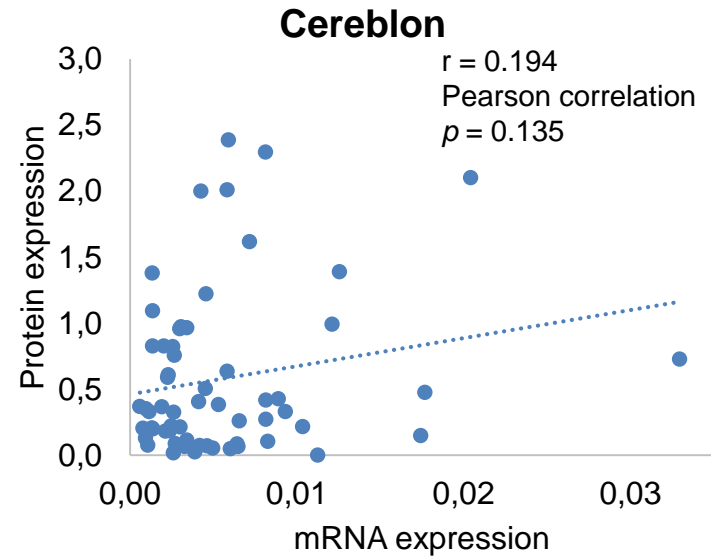
Sufficient protein to analyze over 50 proteins from one single MM sample.



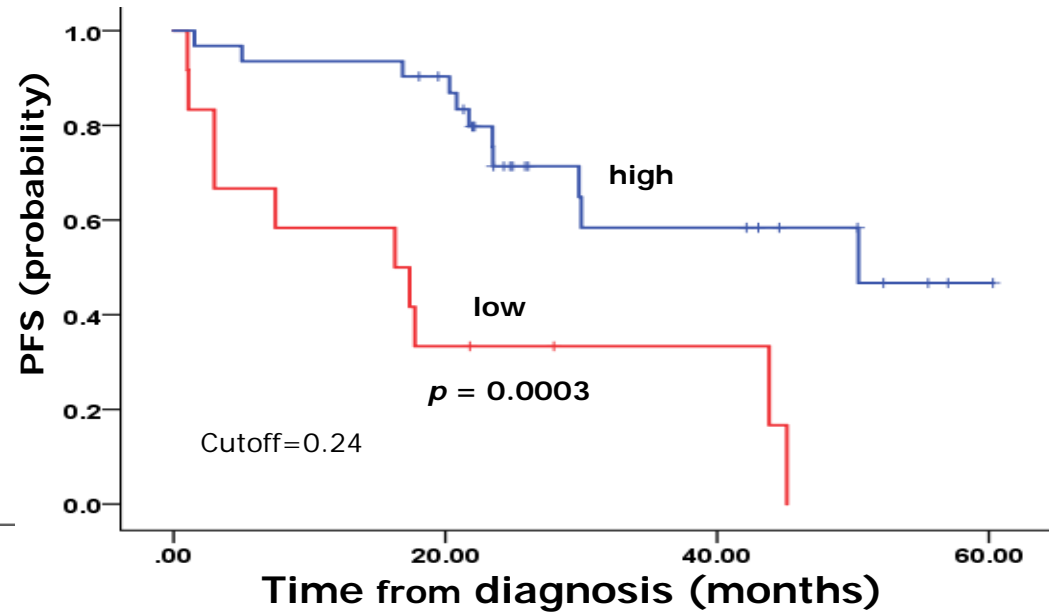
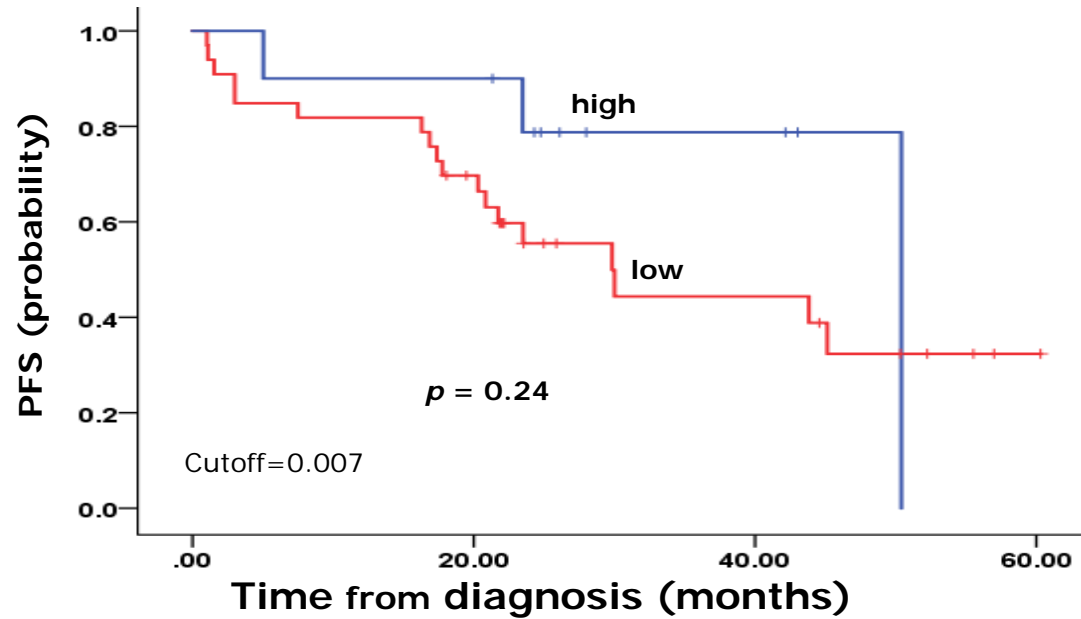
Cereblon (CRBN)



CRBN mRNA

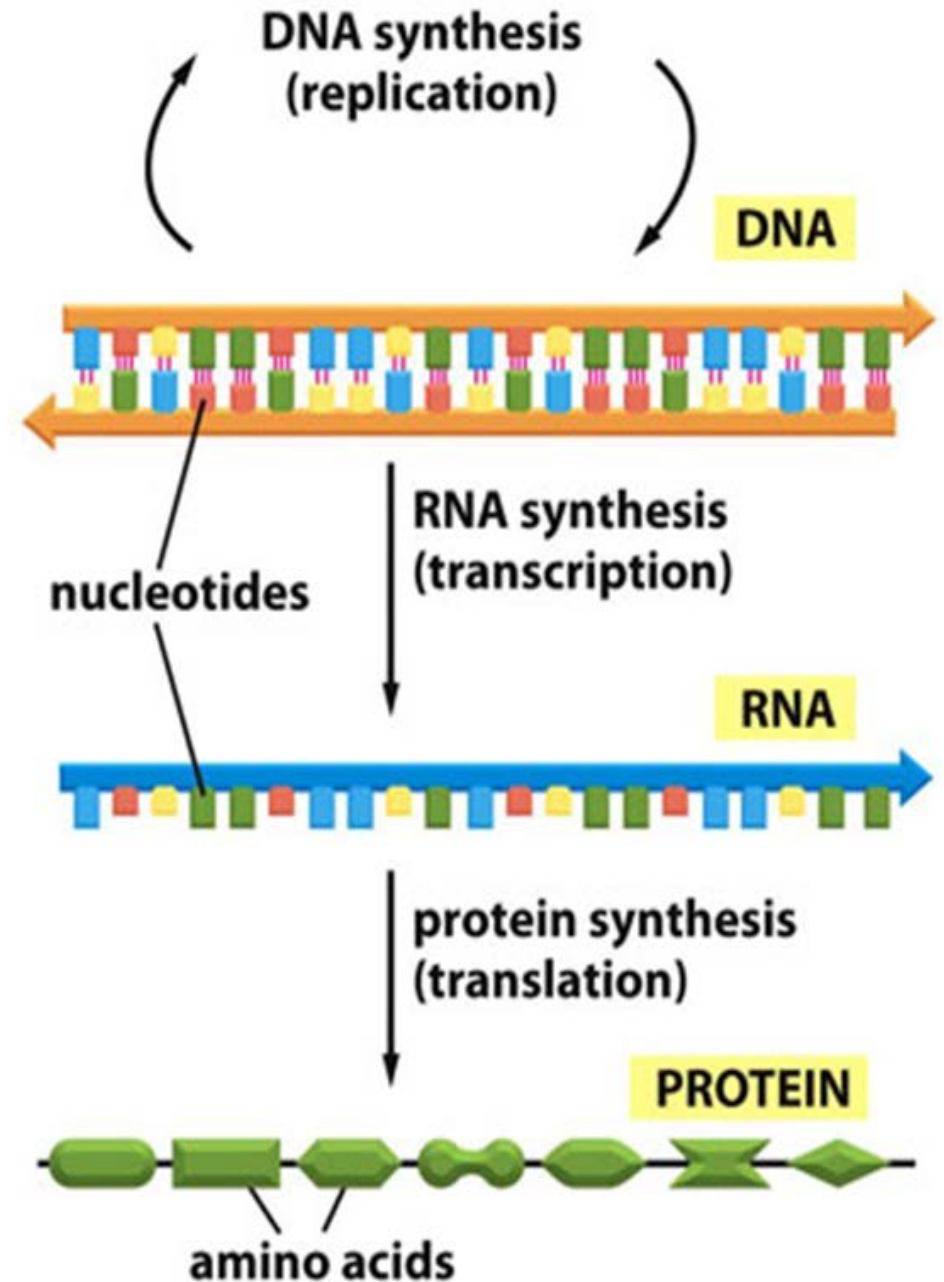


CRBN protein

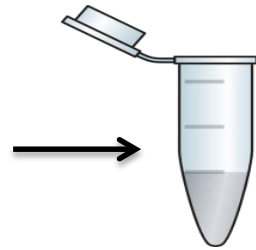
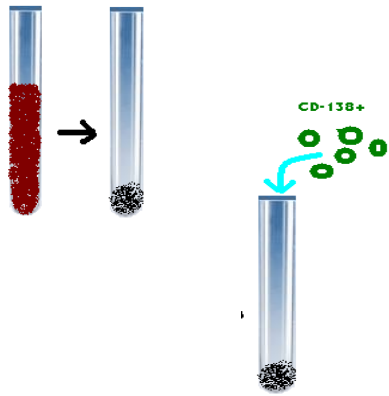


Central Dogma of Molecular Biology

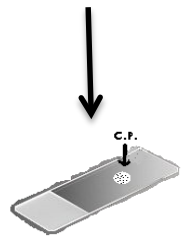
“Genomics involves the study of all genes at the DNA, mRNA, and proteome level as well as the cellular or tissue level”



Methodology overview: everything from the same ONE sample



CD138+
in RLT+
-80°C
for years



FISH

AllPrep
(Qiagen)

In-house
protocol

DNA

SNP arrays,
NGS, epigenetic
analysis

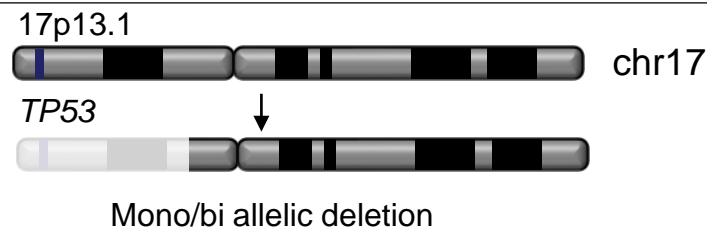
RNA

GEP, RNA seq, qRT-
PCR, mRNA
isoforms analysis,
posttranscriptional
modifications

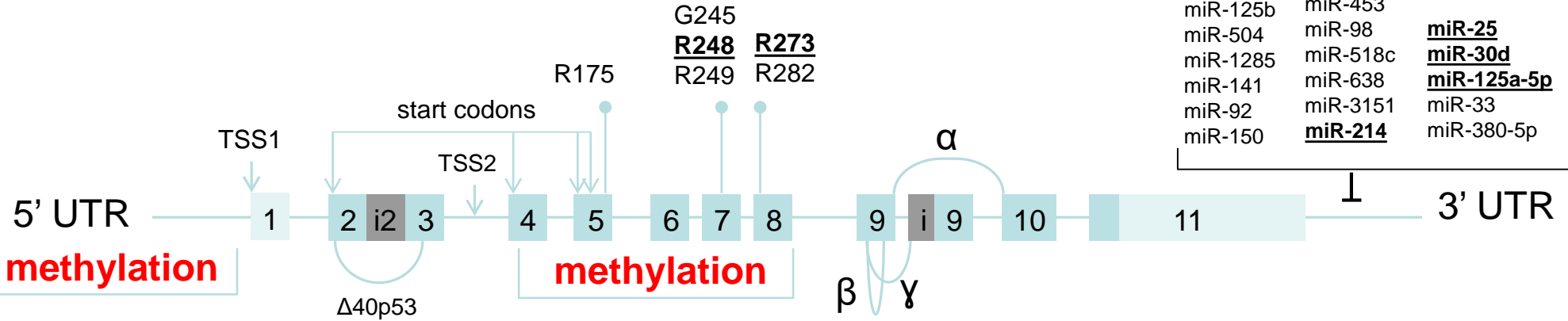
protein

Simple western
for expression
level and isoform
identification

deletions



mutations

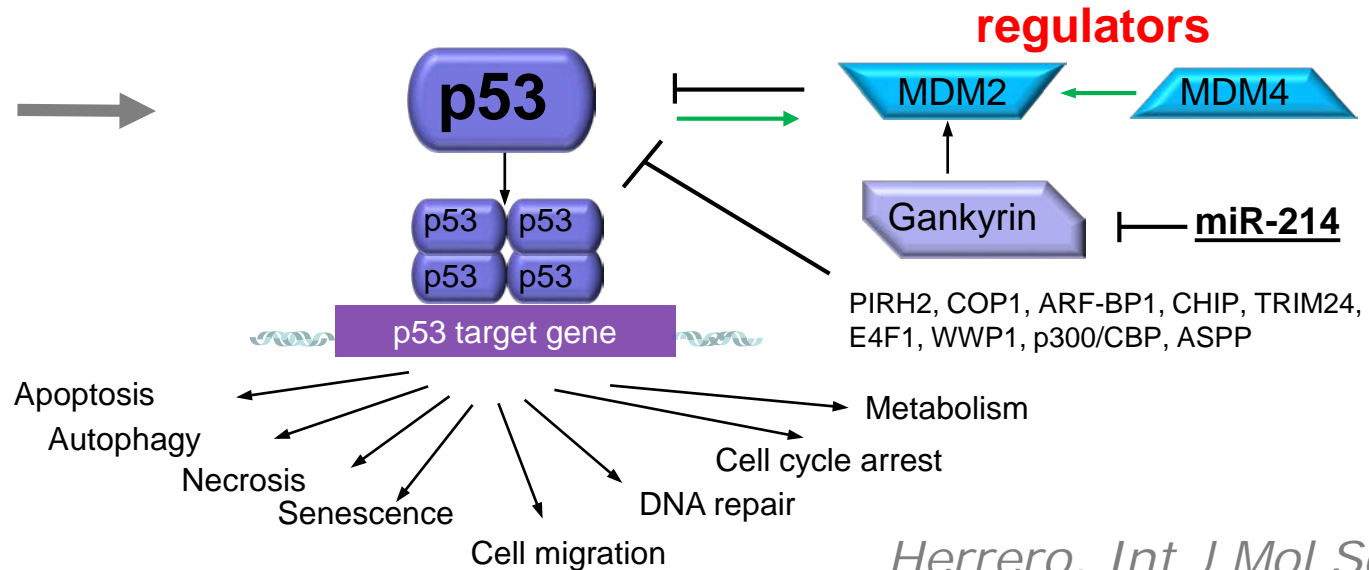


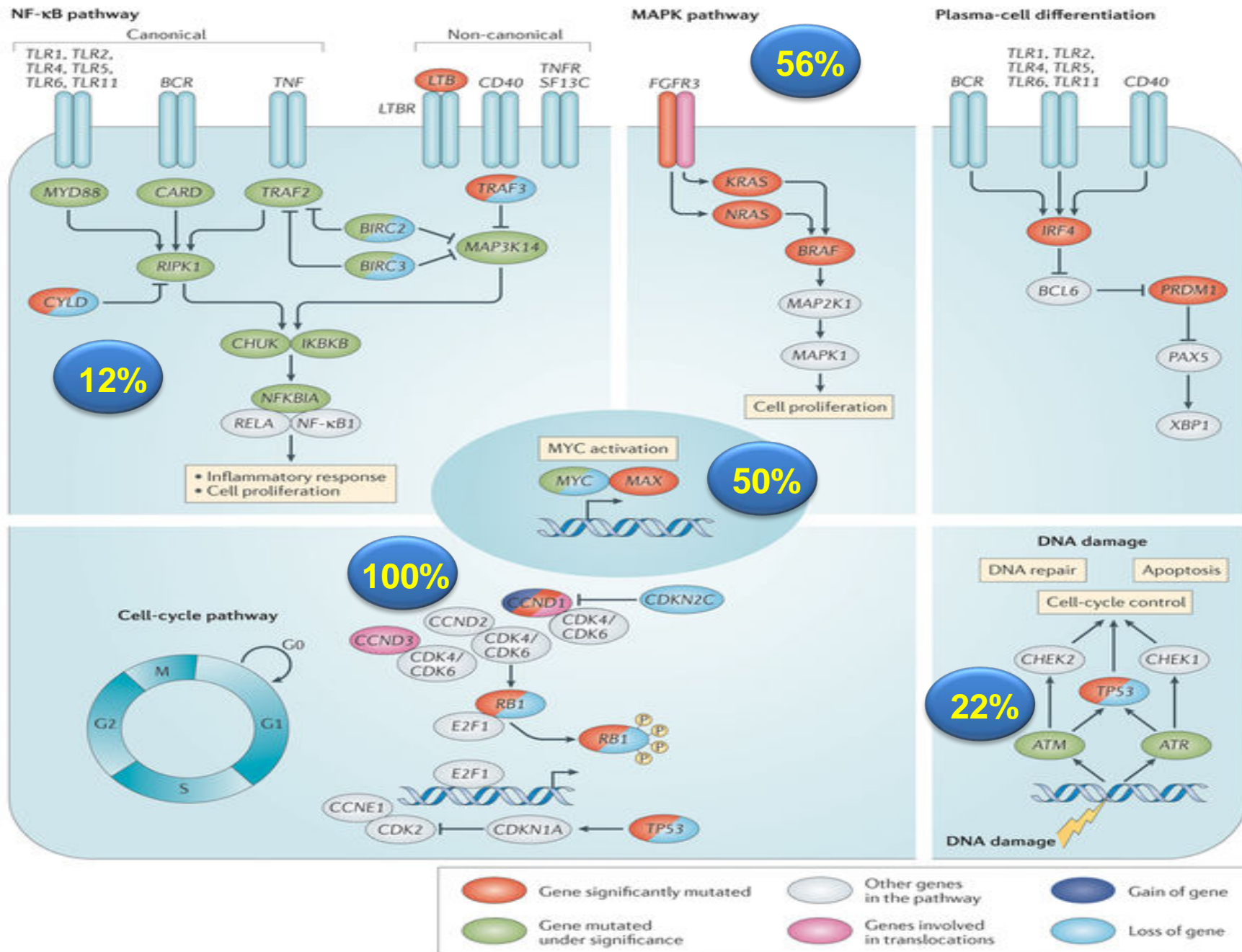
MicroRNAs

miR-125b	miR-453	<u>miR-25</u>
miR-504	miR-98	<u>miR-30d</u>
miR-1285	miR-518c	<u>miR-125a-5p</u>
miR-141	miR-638	miR-33
miR-92	miR-3151	miR-380-5p
miR-150	<u>miR-214</u>	

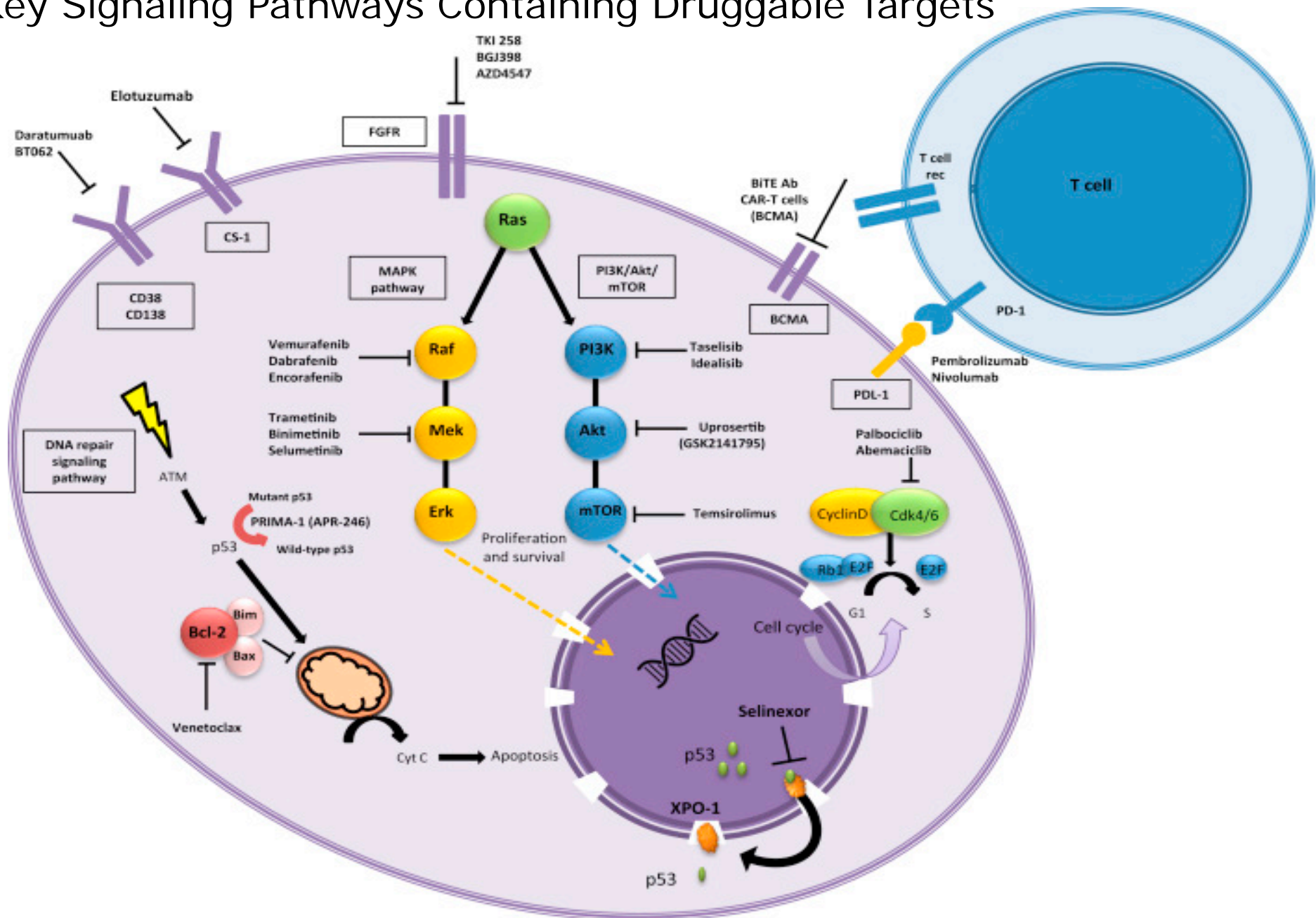
p53 isoforms

p53 α (p53 wt)
 $\Delta 40p53\alpha$
 $\Delta 133p53\alpha$
 $\Delta 160p53\alpha$
p53 β
 $\Delta 40p53\beta$
 $\Delta 133p53\beta$
 $\Delta 160p53\beta$
p53 γ
 $\Delta 40p53\gamma$
 $\Delta 133p53\gamma$
 $\Delta 160p53\gamma$





Key Signaling Pathways Containing Druggable Targets



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