

# Molecular Testing and Targeted Therapy

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# Molecular Testing

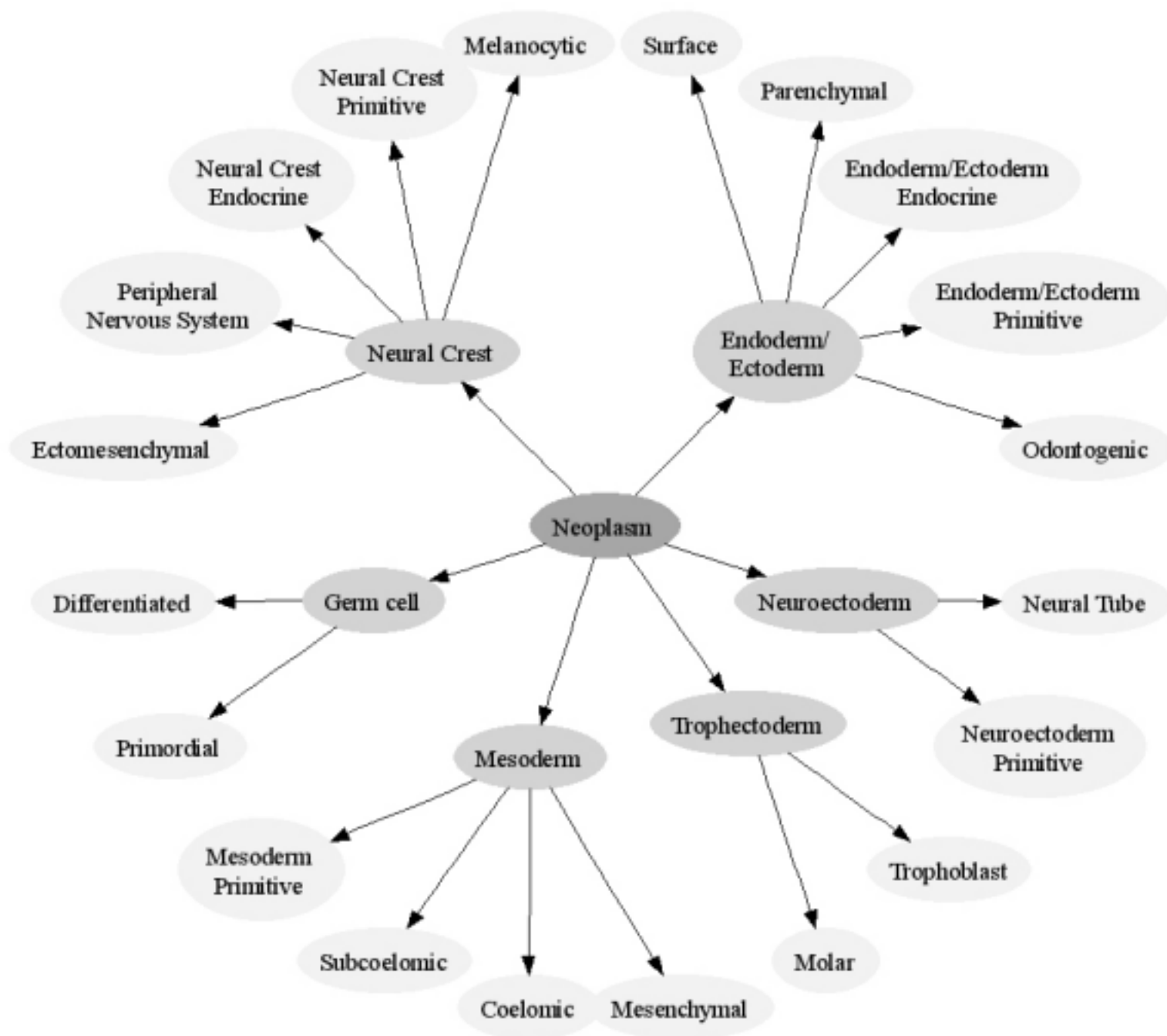
- Technologies
  - IHC
  - FISH
  - DNA / Next Generation technologies
  - Circulating Tumor Cells and CF DNA analysis
- Role in clinical trials
  - Molecular classification of cancer
  - Targeted therapies









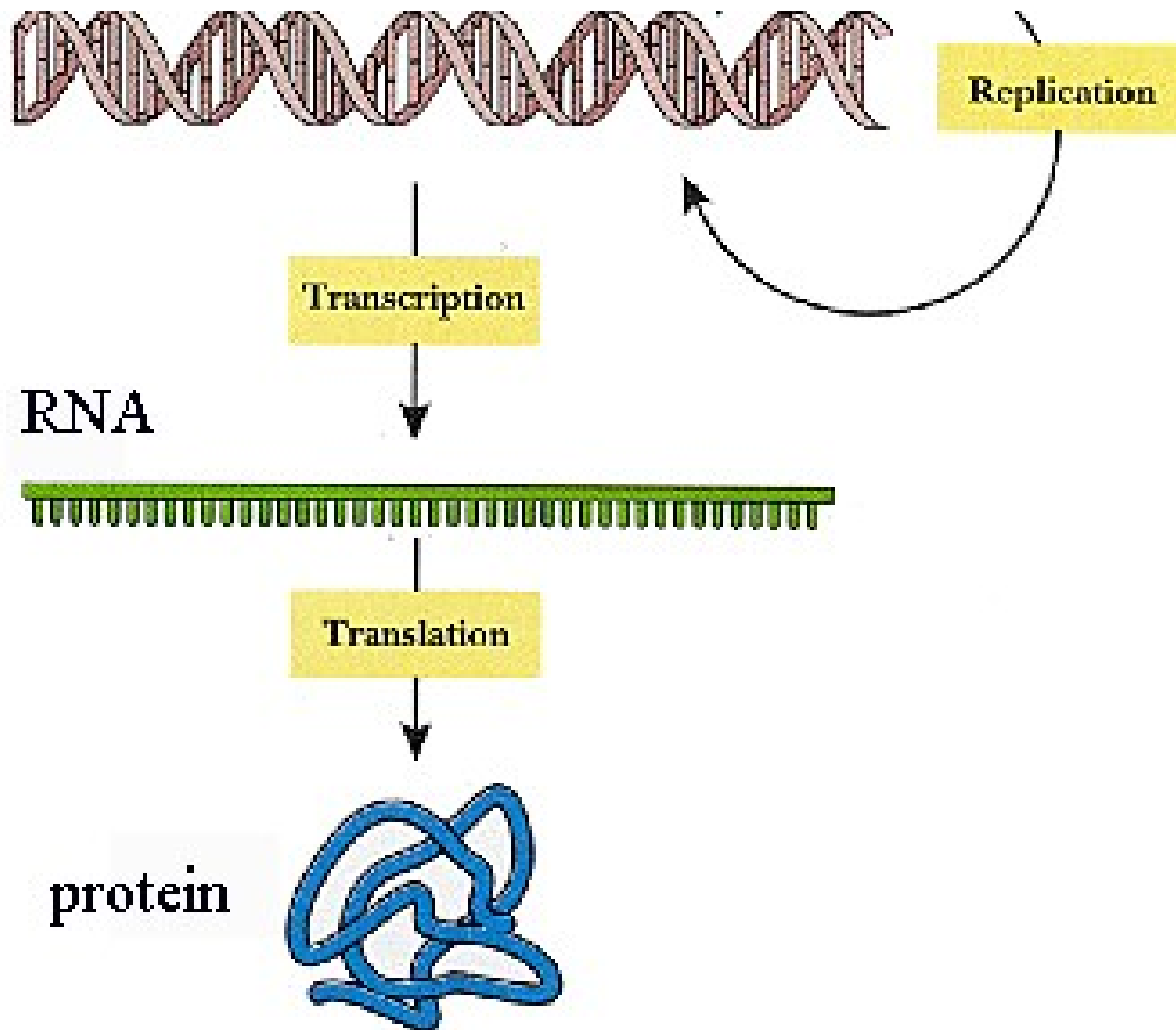


# Microscopes



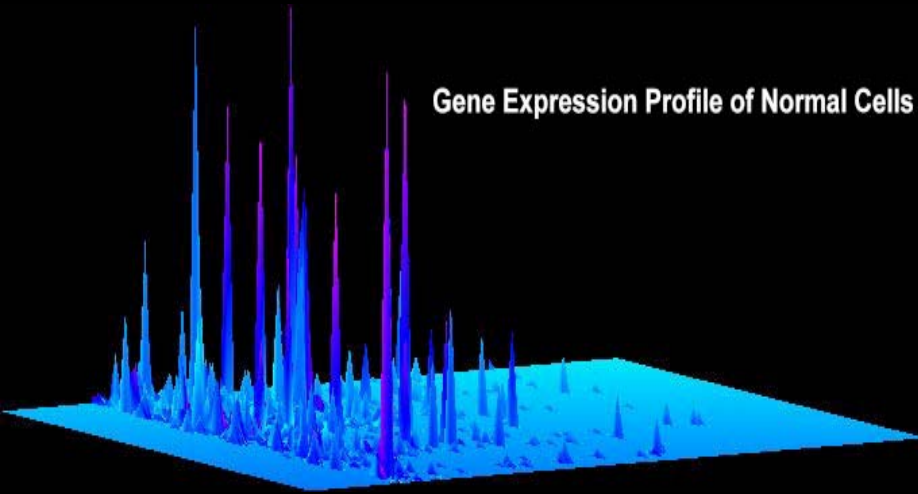
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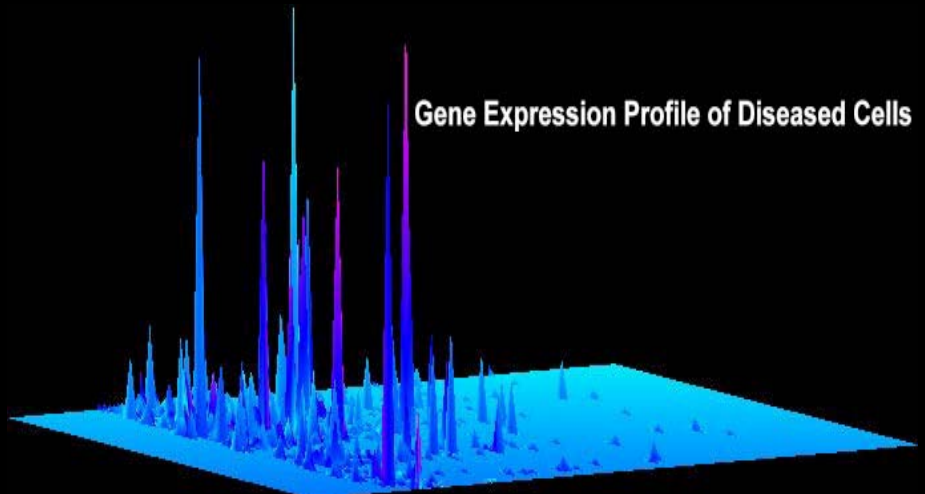


## Comparison of the Expression Profile of Entire Genomes

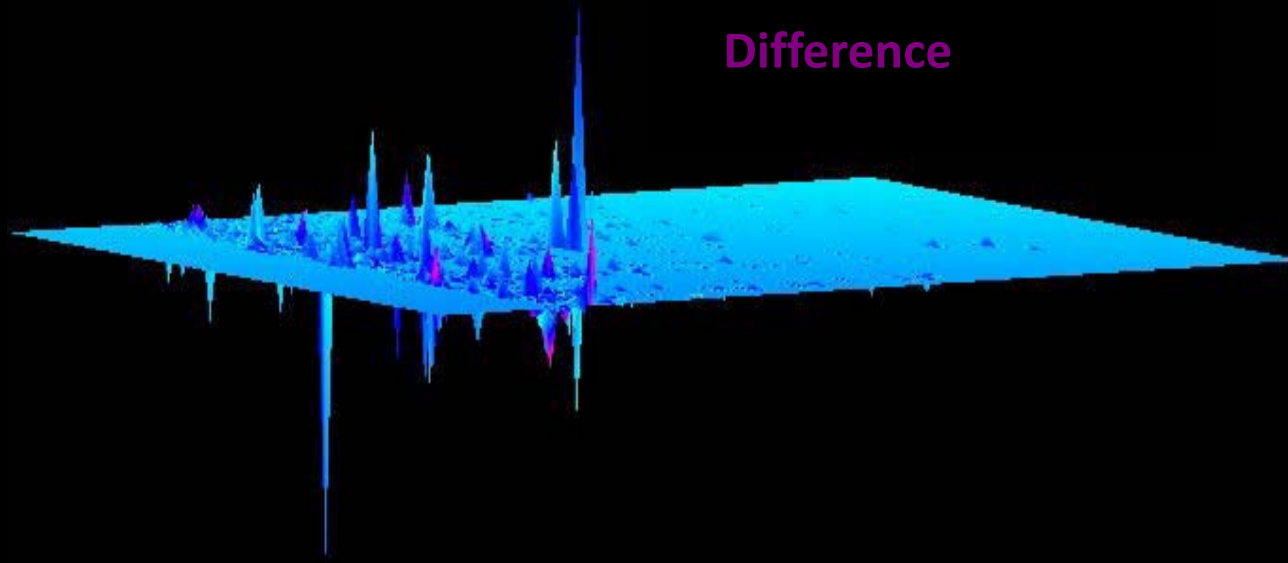
Gene Expression Profile of Normal Cells



Gene Expression Profile of Diseased Cells

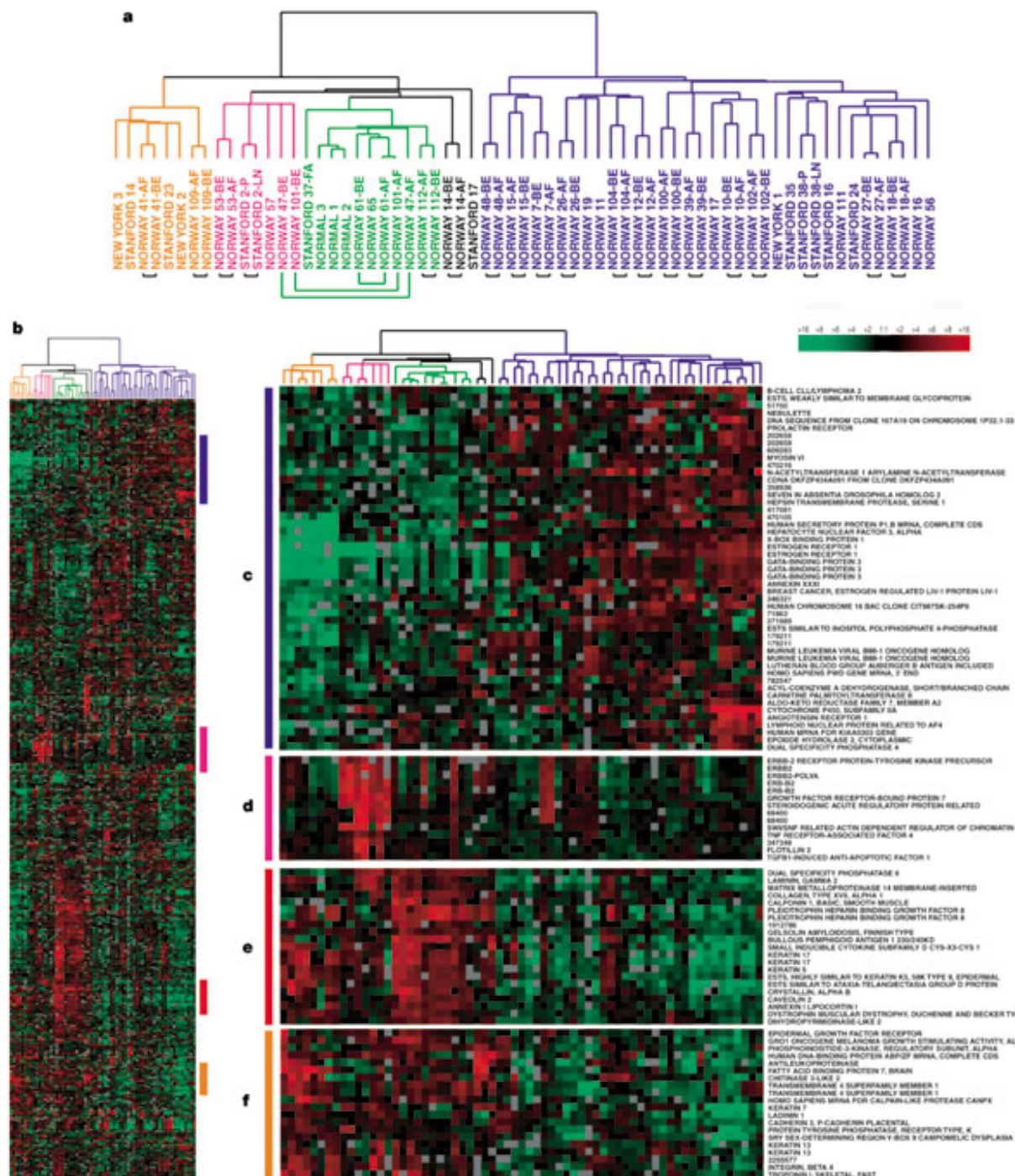


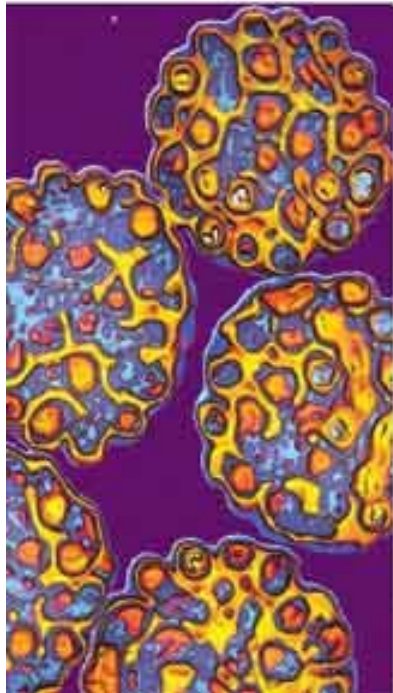
Difference





# Molecular Portraits





	HPV-Positive HNSCC	HPV-Negative HNSCC
Age of patient	Younger	Older
Socioeconomic status of patient	Higher	Lower
Risk factors	High-risk sexual practices Marijuana exposure	Tobacco and alcohol exposure*
Location of primary tumor	Oropharynx (palatal and lingual tonsils)	All head and neck sites
Survival	Better	Worse
Response to chemoradiation	Better	Worse
Tumor recurrence	Lower risk	Higher risk

**Table 1** Comparison of HPV-positive and HPV-negative head and neck cancers

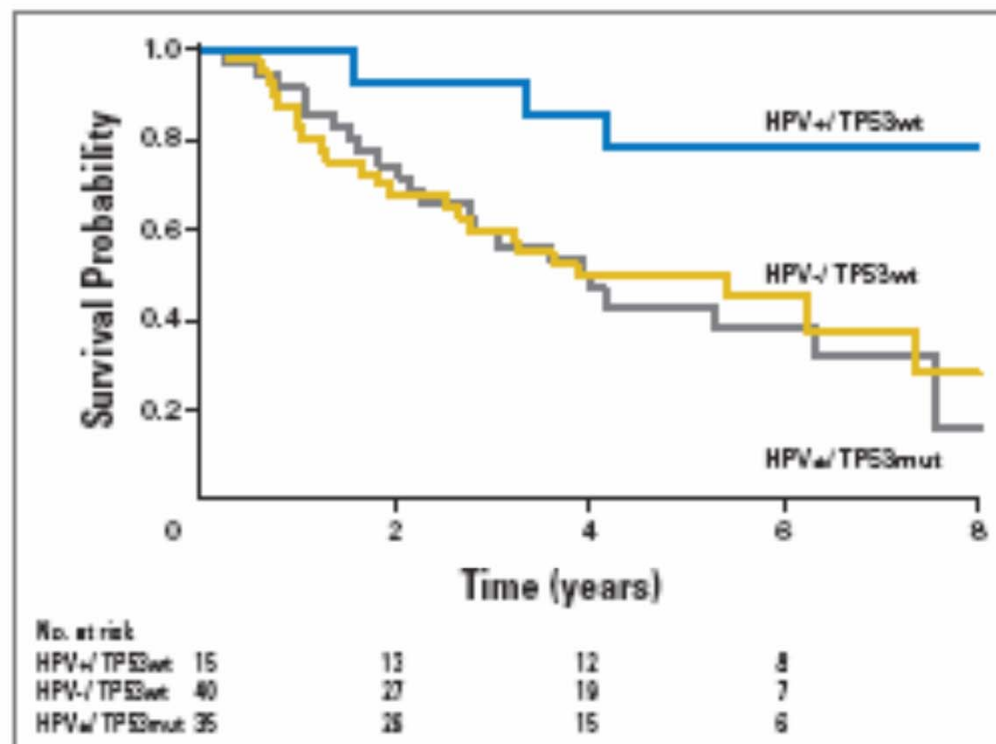
	HPV-positive	HPV-negative
Incidence	Increasing	Decreasing
Age	Younger	Older
Gender	3:1 men	3:1 men
Risk factors	Sexual behavior	Tobacco, alcohol
Cofactors	Marijuana, immunosuppression	Diet, oral hygiene
Molecular genetics findings	P16 ↑	P16 ↓
	Rb ↓	Rb ↑
	P53 wild-type	P53 mutated
Anatomic site	Lingual and palatine tonsils	All sites
Pathologic findings		
Primary	Basaloid	Keratinized
Lymph node metastasis	Cystic	Solid
Survival	Better	Worse



# High-Risk Human Papillomavirus Affects Prognosis in Patients With Surgically Treated Oropharyngeal Squamous Cell Carcinoma

*Lisa Licitra, Federica Perrone, Paolo Bossi, Simona Suardi, Luigi Mariani, Raffaella Artusi, Maria Oggionni, Chiara Rossini, Giulio Cantù, Massimo Squadrelli, Pasquale Quattrone, Laura D. Locati, Cristiana Bergamini, Patrizia Olmi, Marco A. Pierotti, and Silvana Pilotti*

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**Fig 1.** Overall survival according to human papillomavirus (HPV)/TP53 status. mut, mutated; wt, wild type.

**90 surgical pts**  
**64% post op RT**

**HPV 16 – 18 by PCR**  
**E2 and E6**  
**TP53 gene sequence**  
**p16INK4a gene**  
**p16 immunohistochemistry**

# Molecular Classification Identifies a Subset of Human Papillomavirus–Associated Oropharyngeal Cancers With Favorable Prognosis

Paul M. Weinberger, Ziwei Yu, Bruce G. Haffty, Diane Kowalski, Malini Harigopal, Janet Brandsma, Clarence Sasaki, John Joe, Robert L. Camp, David L. Rimm, and Amanda Psyrri

## Conclusion

Using this system for classification, we define the molecular profile of HPV+ OSCC with favorable prognosis, namely HPV+/p16 high (class III). This study defines a novel classification scheme that may have value for patient stratification for clinical trials testing HPV-targeted therapies.

		p16 Status	
		Nonoverexpressing	Overexpressing
HPV-16 DNA	Absent	Class I	—
	Present	Class II	Class III

**Table 2.** Antibodies Used for Immunohistochemistry and Immunofluorescence

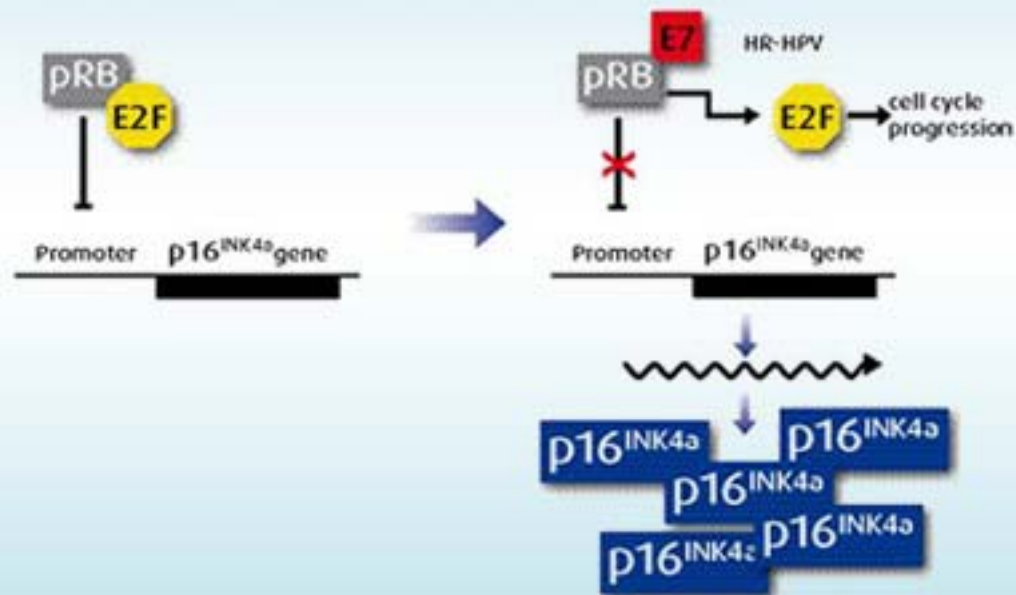
Antibody Target	Species	Type	Dilution	Company	Identifier
Rb	Mouse	Monoclonal	1:50	NeoMarkers*	Clone 1F8
p53	Mouse	Monoclonal	1:100	DAKO†	Clone DO7
p16	Mouse	Monoclonal	1:25	DAKO	k5334

Abbreviation: Rb, retinoblastoma.

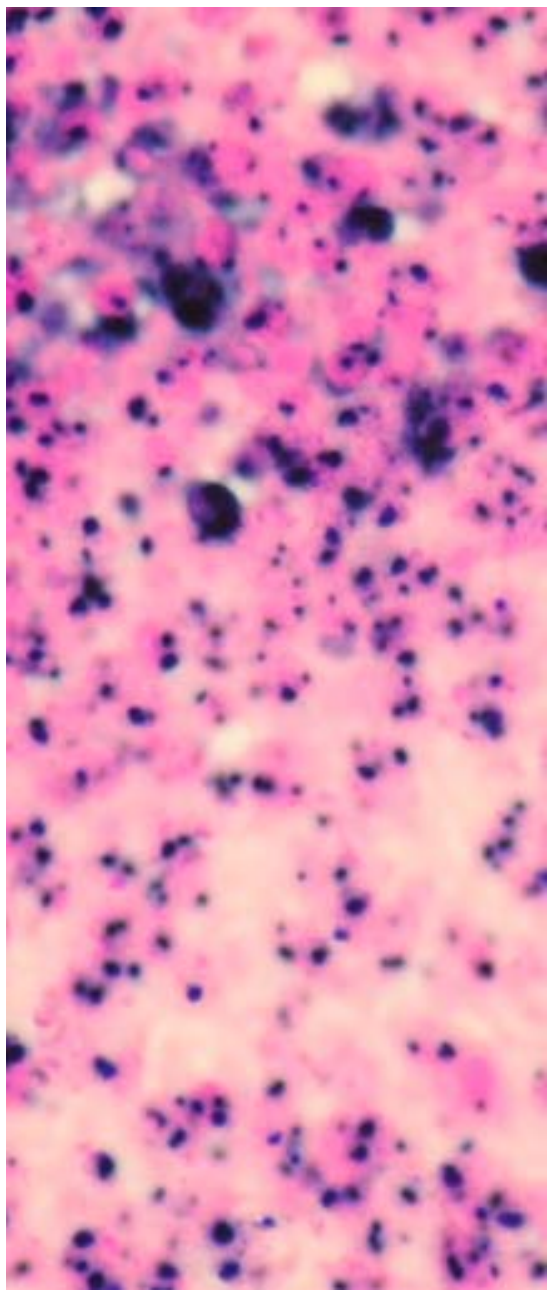
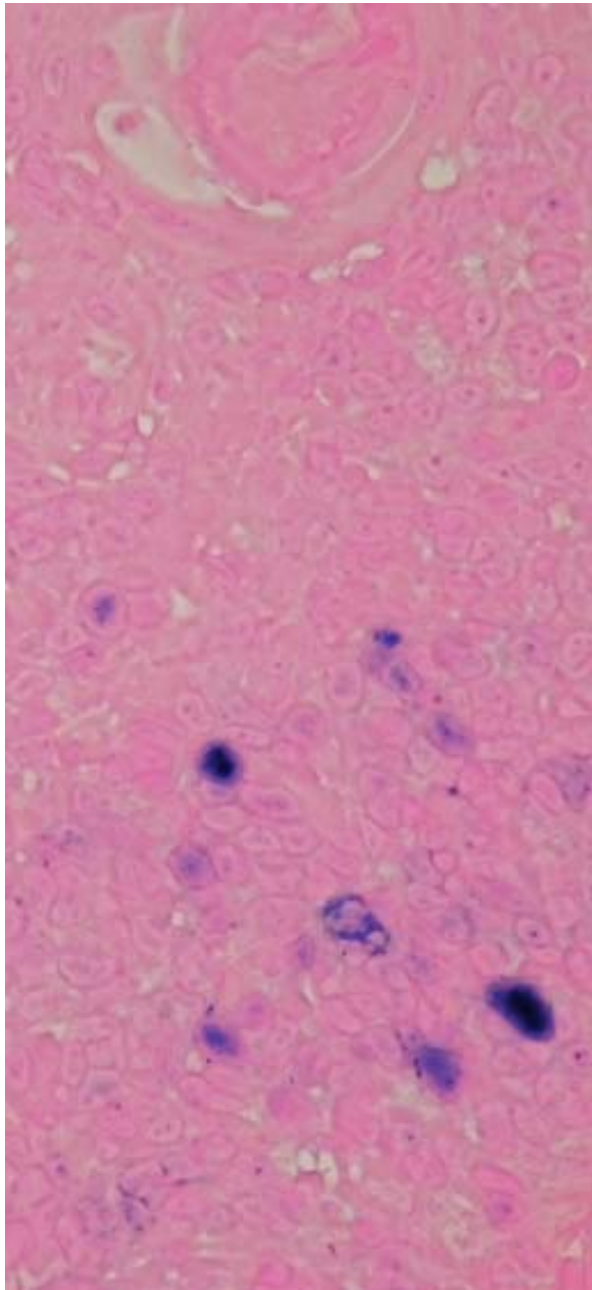
\*Fremont, CA.

†Carpinteria, CA.

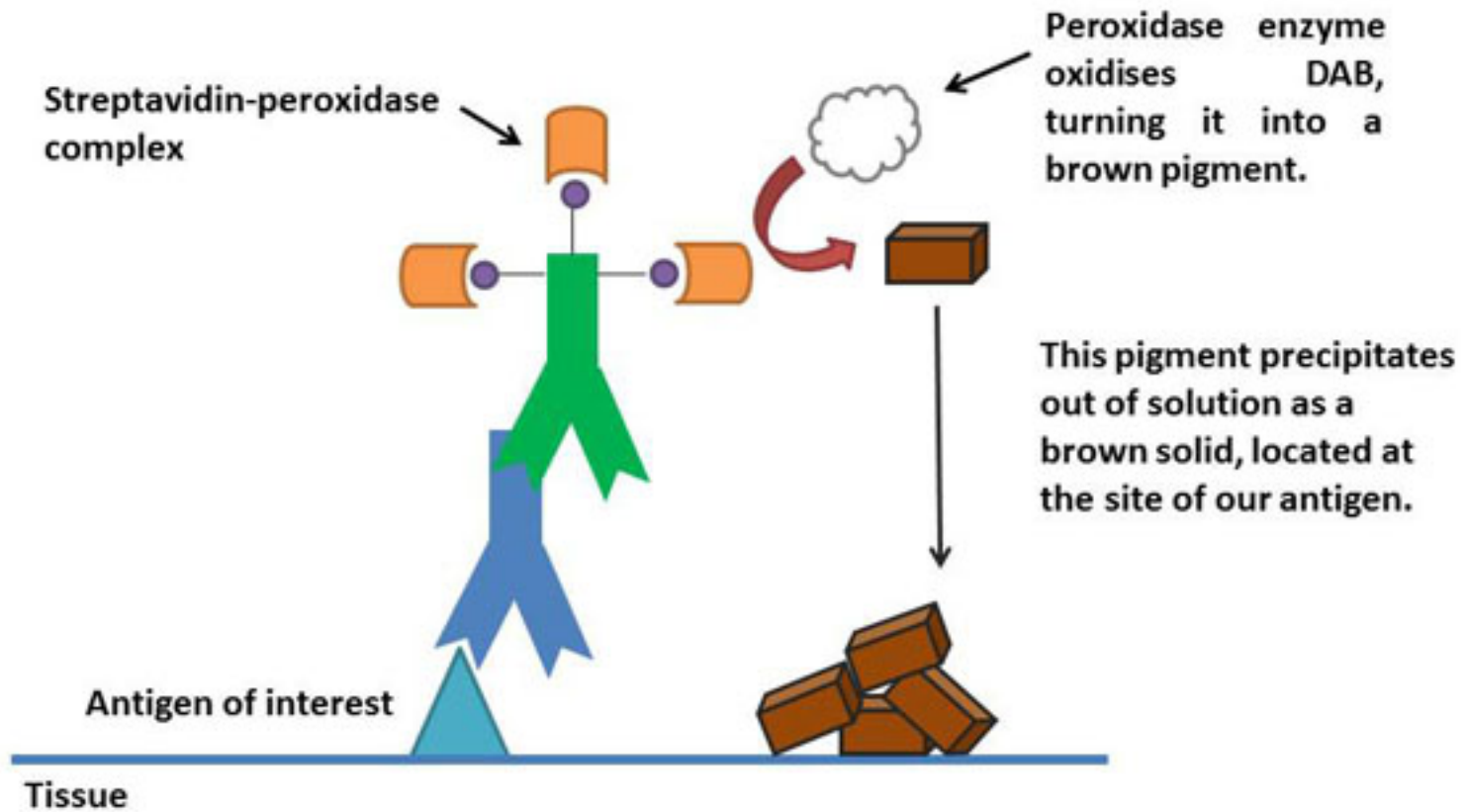
## Mechanism of p16<sup>INK4a</sup> over-expression in pre-cancerous and cancerous cells



HPV in situ

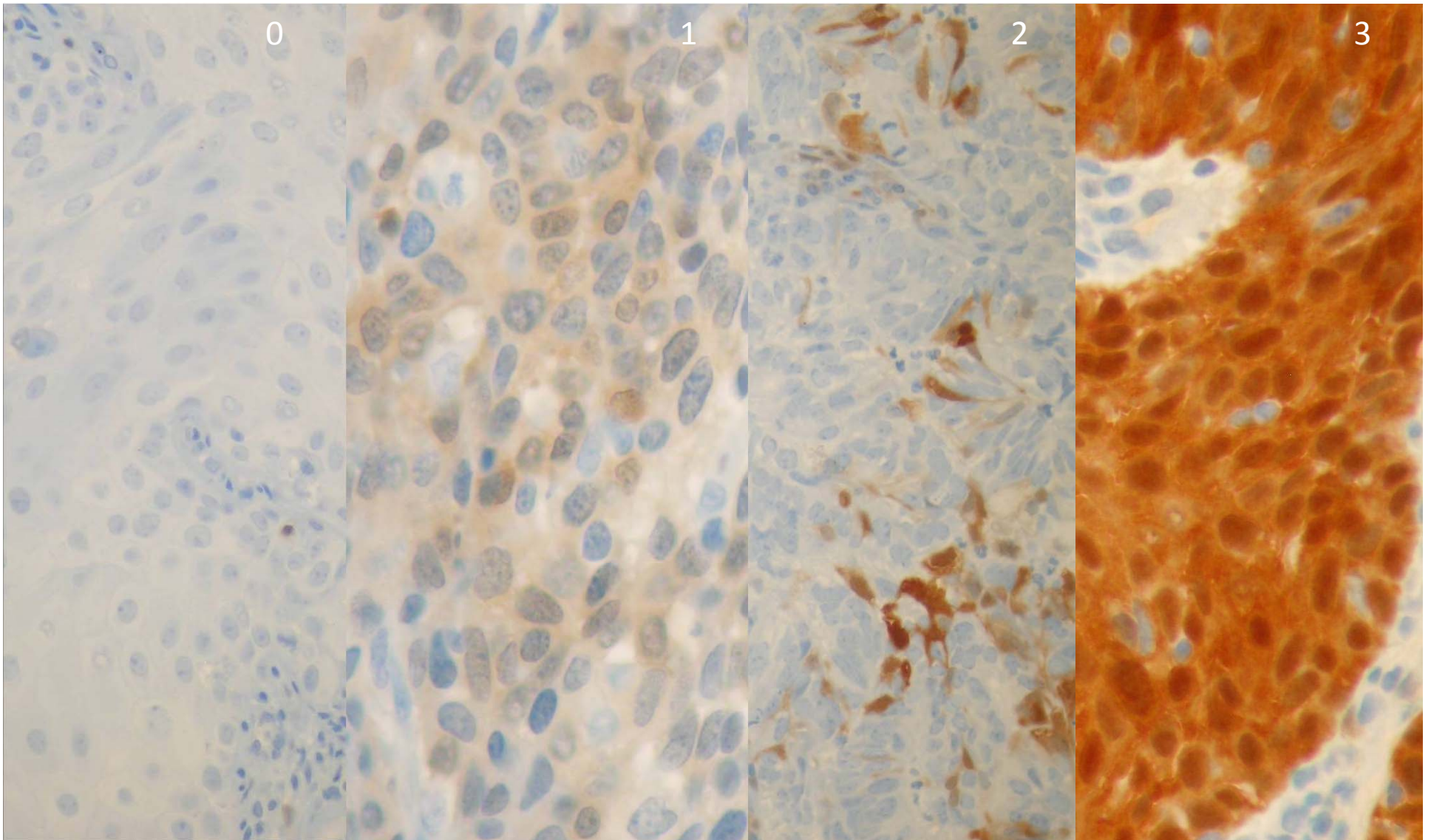


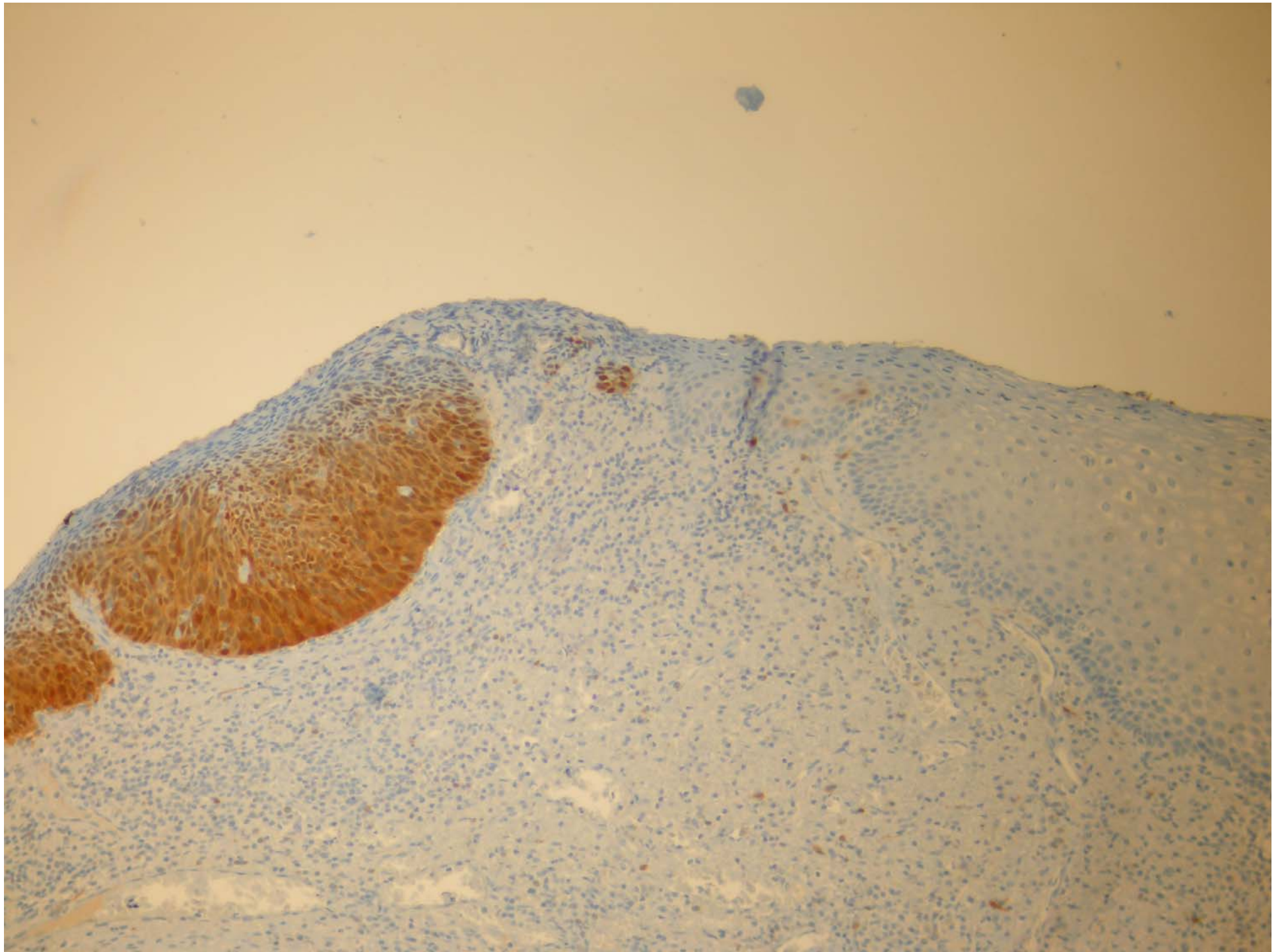
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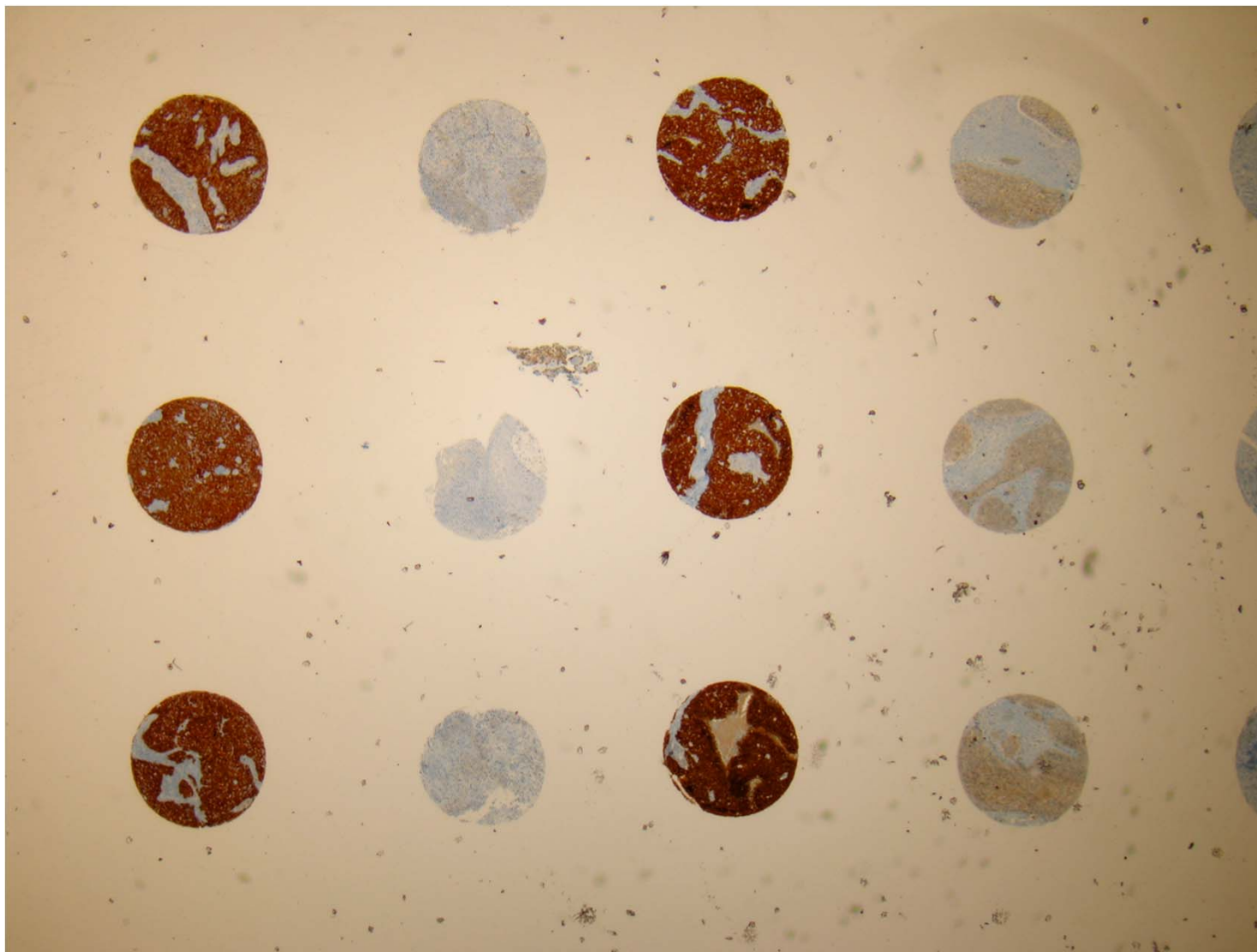


# P16 IHC Invasive Cervical Carcinoma



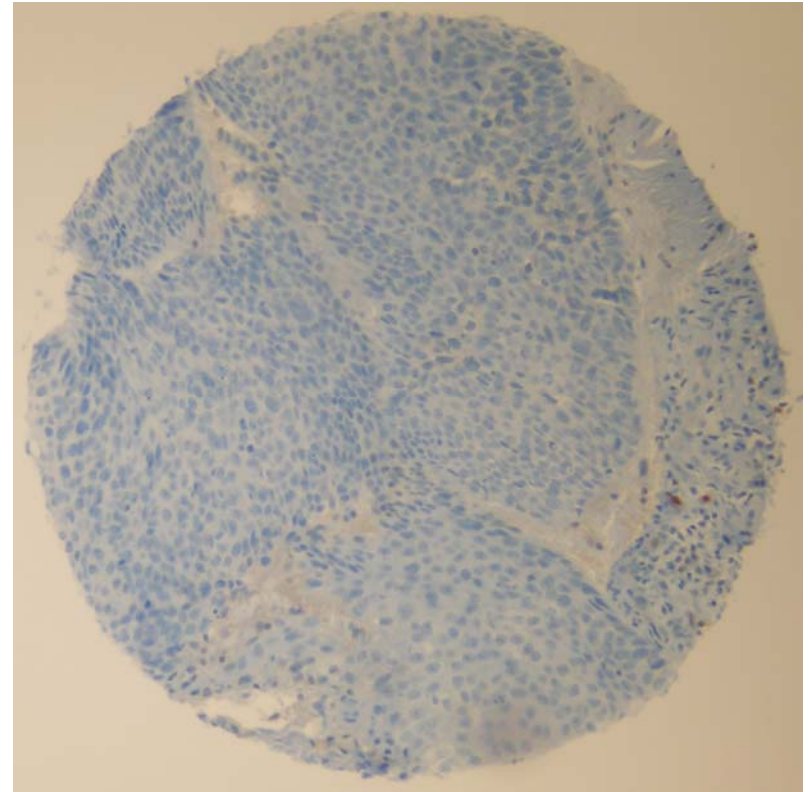
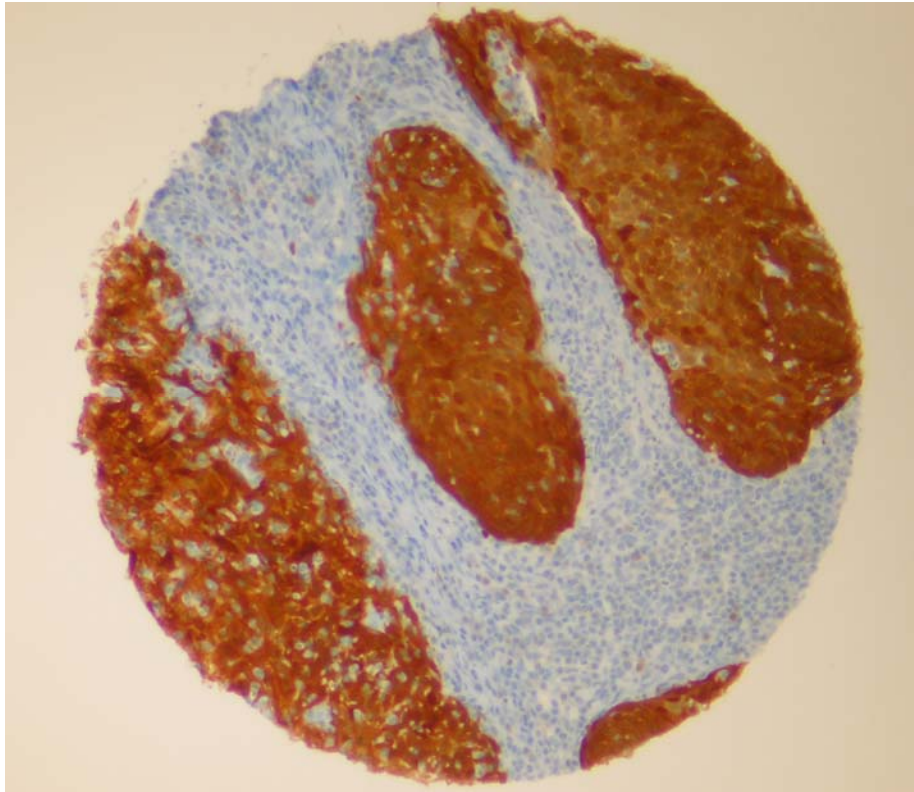


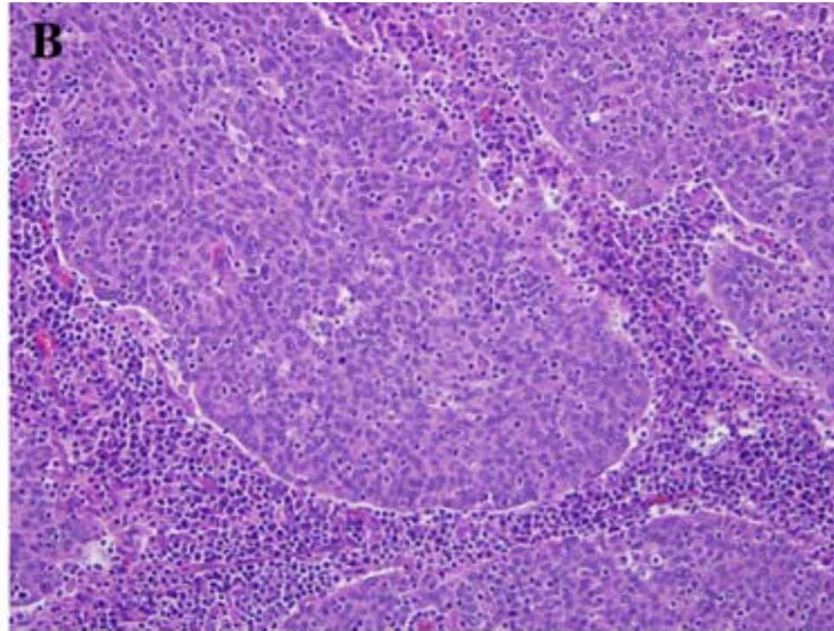
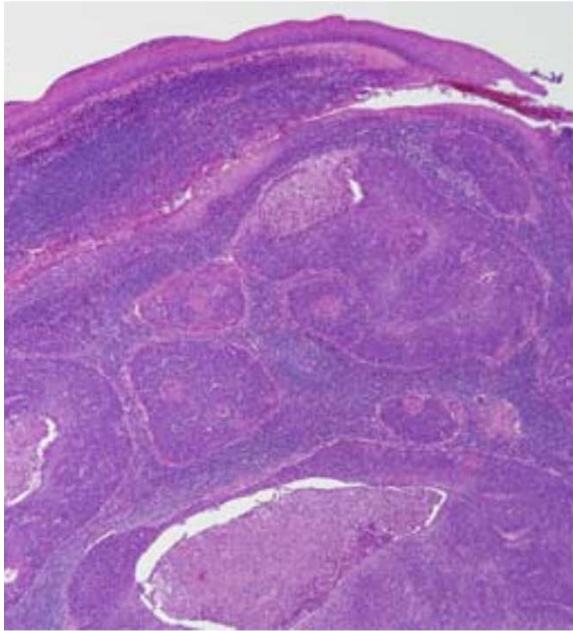






# P16 Head and Neck





# TBCC patient cohort

P16 status	P16 positive N=29	P16 negative N=26
Median Age	52	62
Male: Female	24 : 5	21 : 5
Primary Site		
Oral Cavity	0	1
Oropharynx	21	7
Hypopharynx	3	6
Larynx	1	12
Unknown	4	0
Stage		
II	1	2
III	1	9
IV	23	15
X	4	0
Smoking Status		
Never	11	2
Prior	7	9
Current	11	15
% CR	28 (97%)	20 (77%)

# TBCC patient cohort

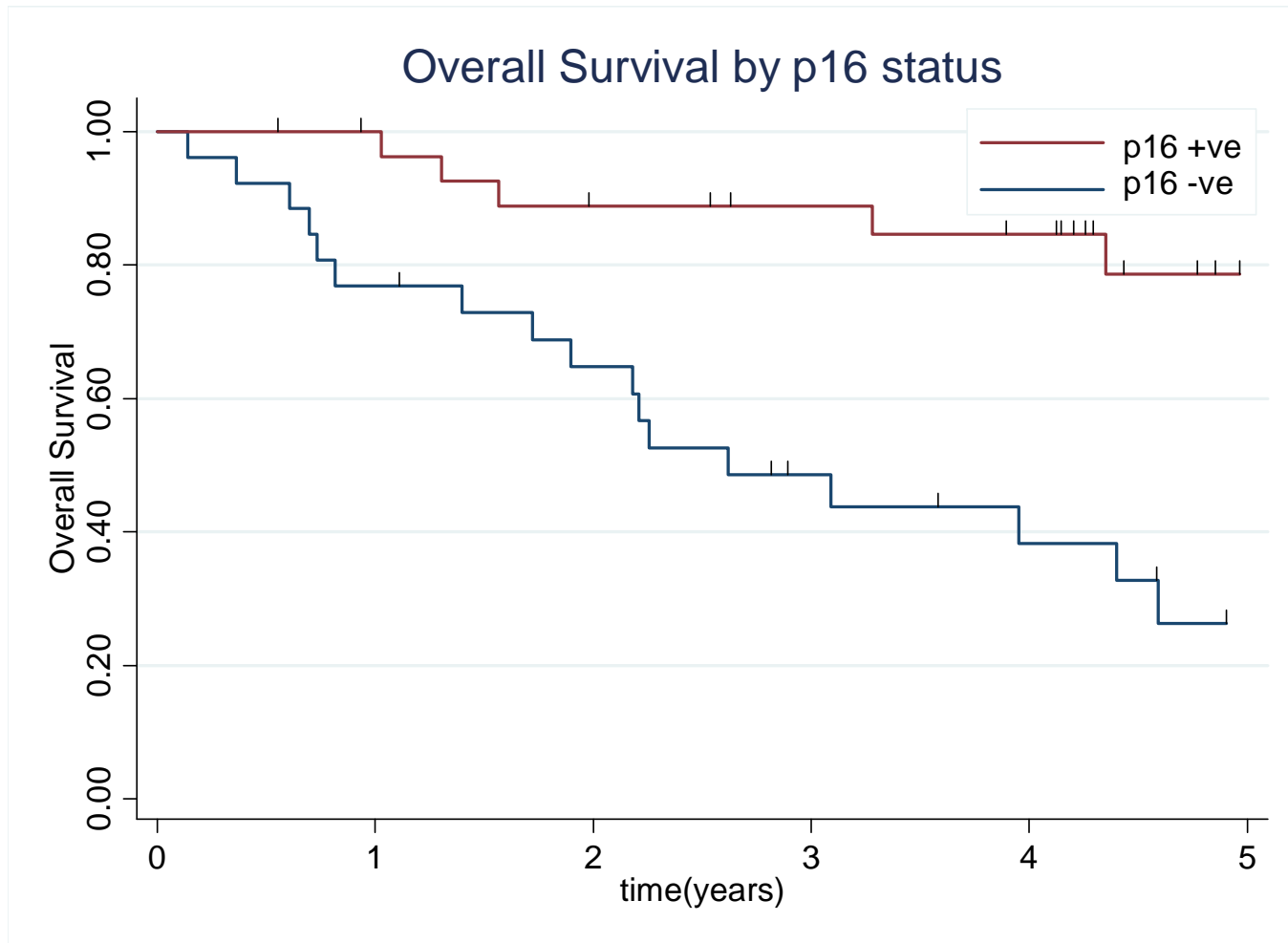
p16 status	P16+ve N=29		P16-ve N=26		p-value
Mean Age ( $\pm$ SD)	52 ( $\pm$ 8)		62 ( $\pm$ 8)		<0.0001
Stage IV at diagnosis	24	83%	15	58%	0.04
Never smokers	11	38%	2	8%	0.008
Oropharyngeal Primary	21	72%	7	27%	<0.0001

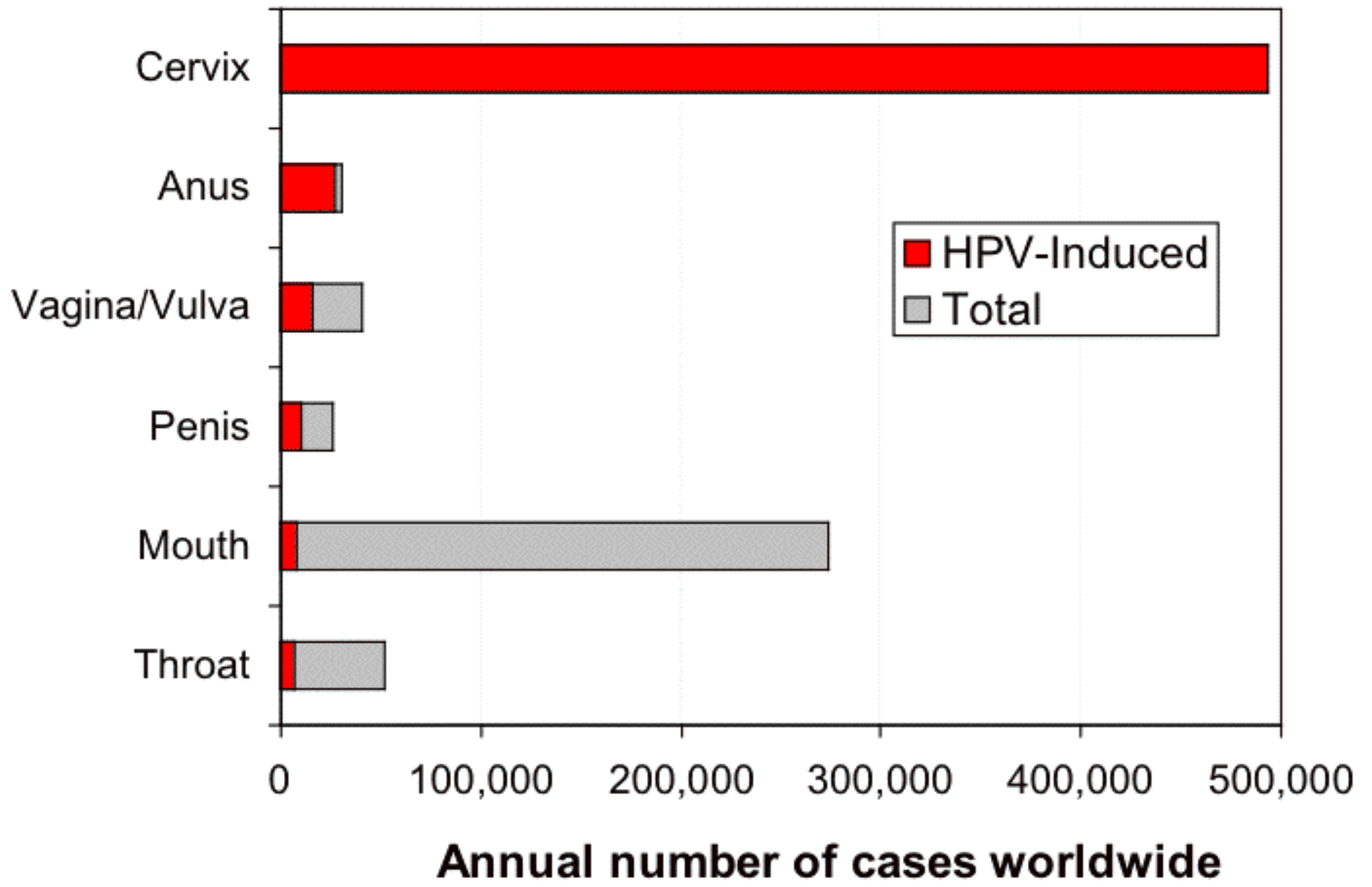
# TBCC cohort: results

p16 status	P16+ve N=29	P16-ve N=26	p-value
Overall survival*	79%	26%	<0.0001
Disease-specific survival*	91%	34%	<0.0001
Locoregional recurrence	11%	60%	<0.0001

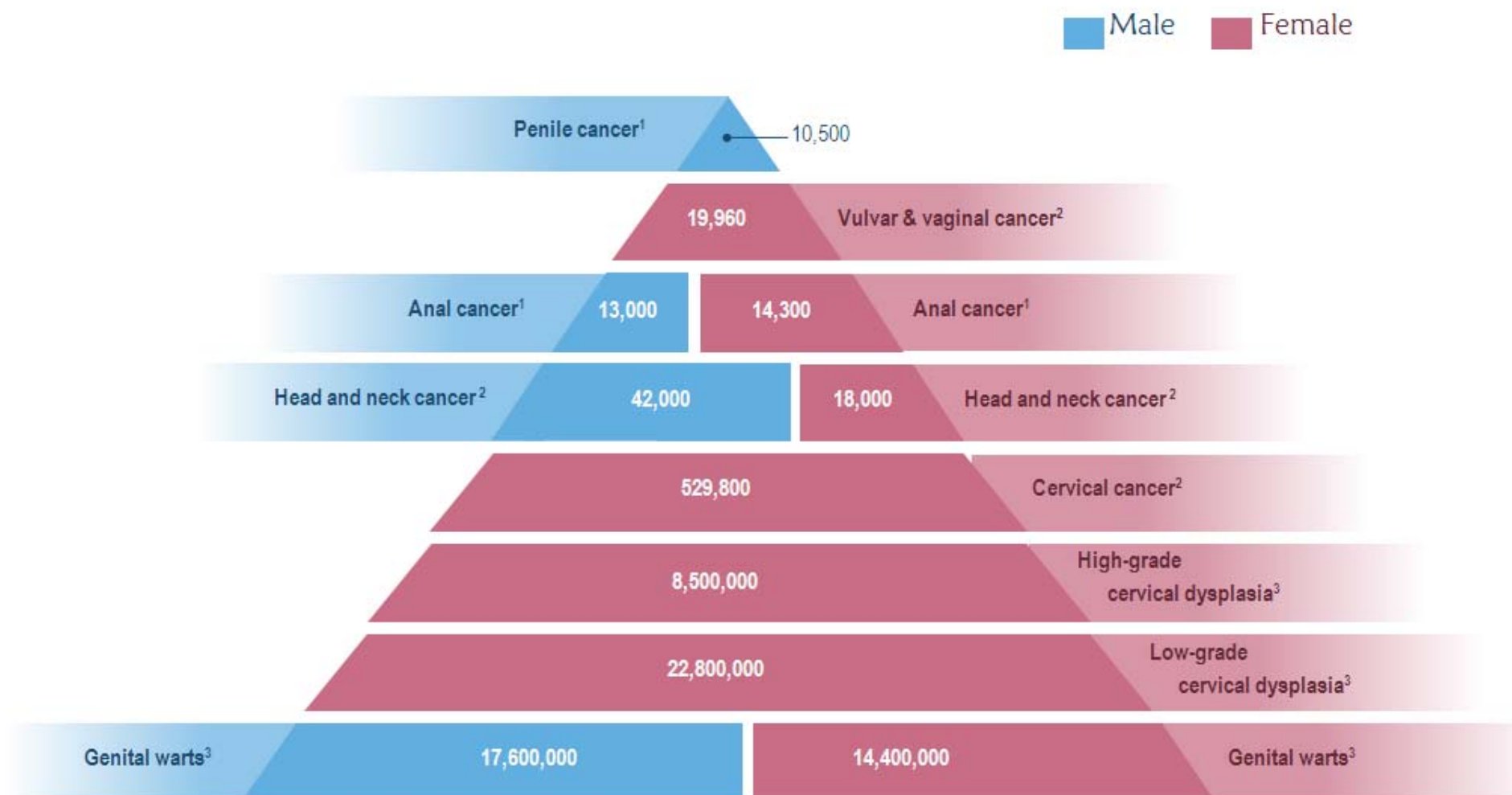
\*5-year survival rate; median follow-up 38 months (range 3 - 85months)

# Overall Survival by p16 status





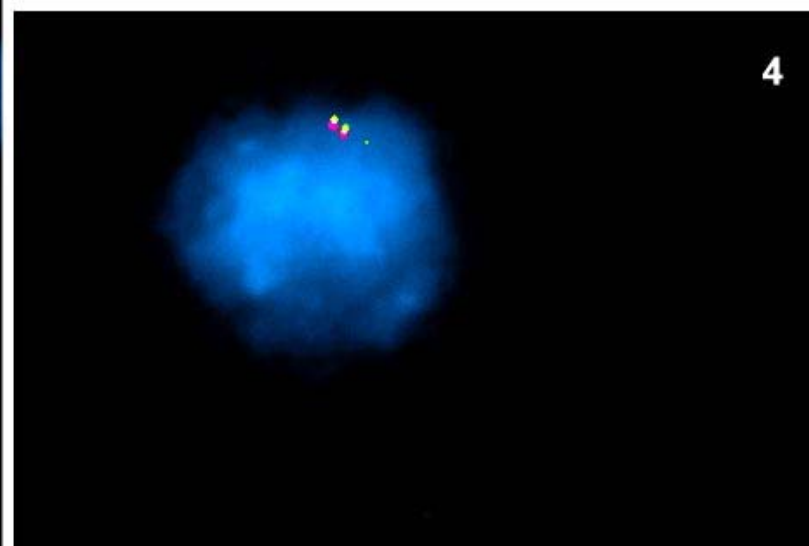
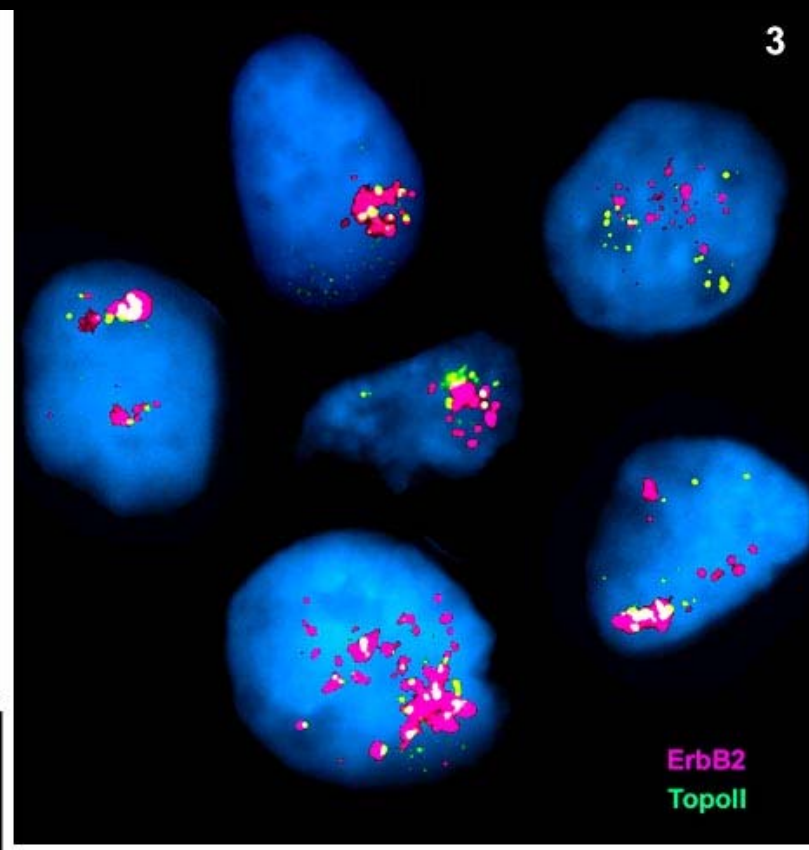
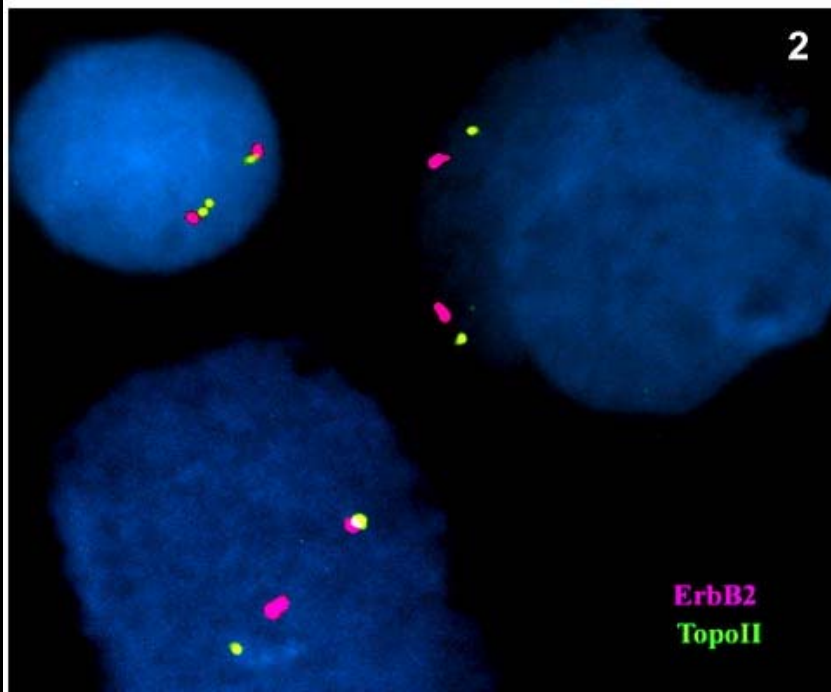
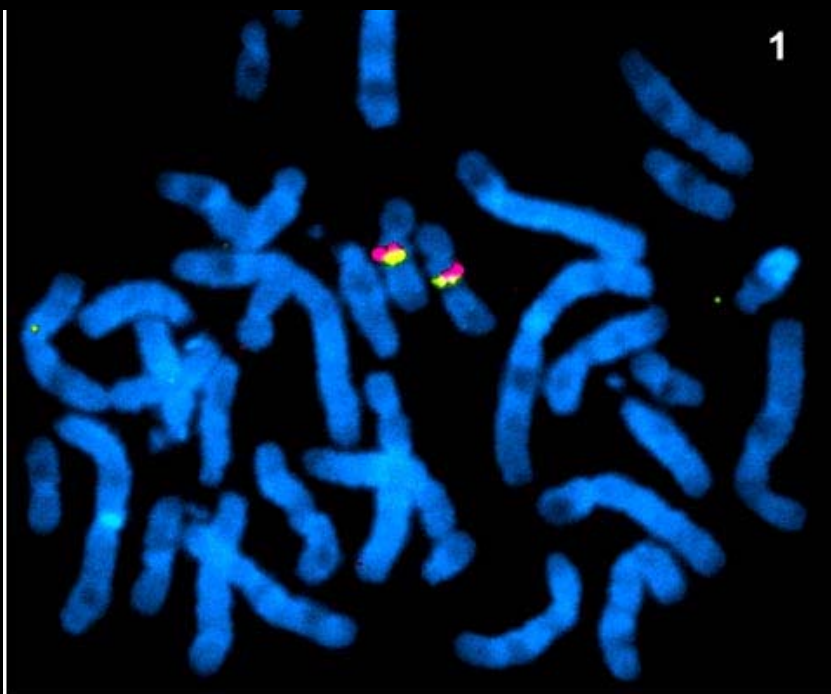
# Estimated annual new HPV-related disease cases in males and females globally

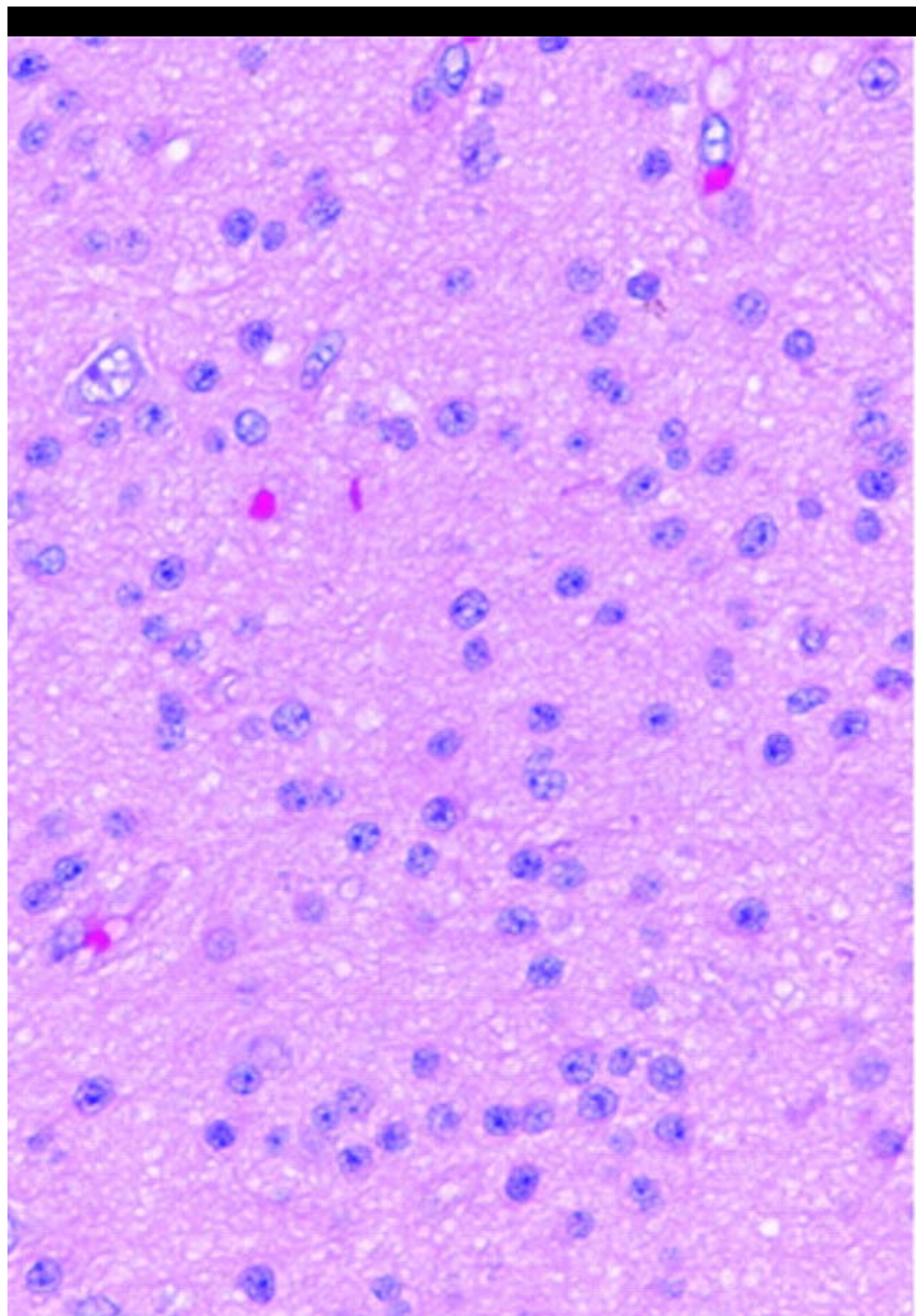




# Glioma- Use of FISH for Prognosis

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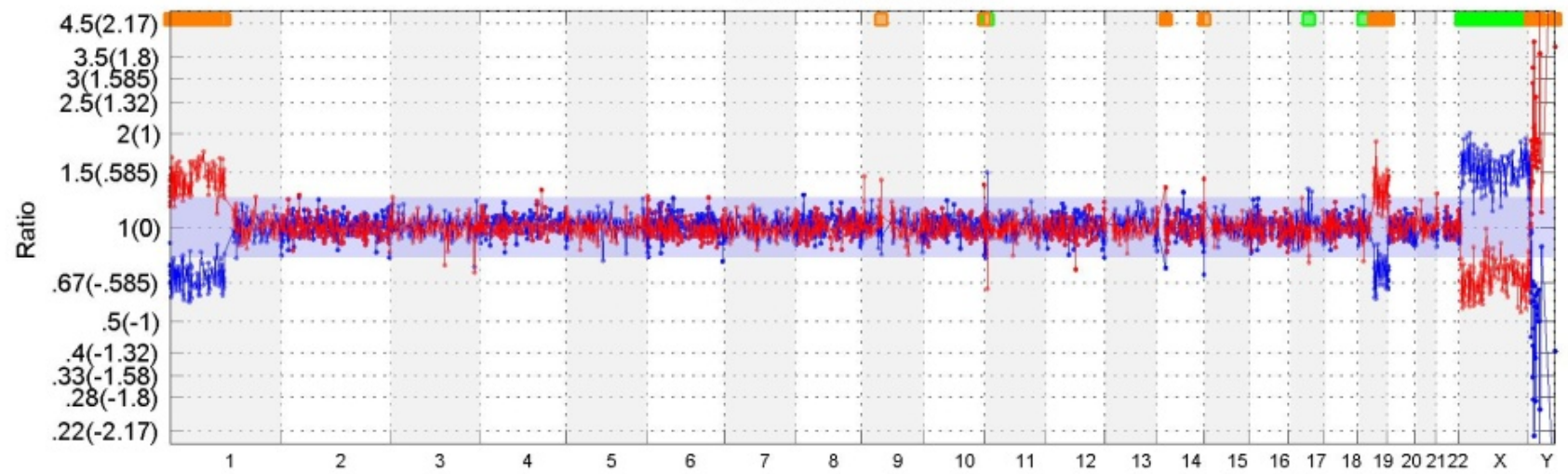




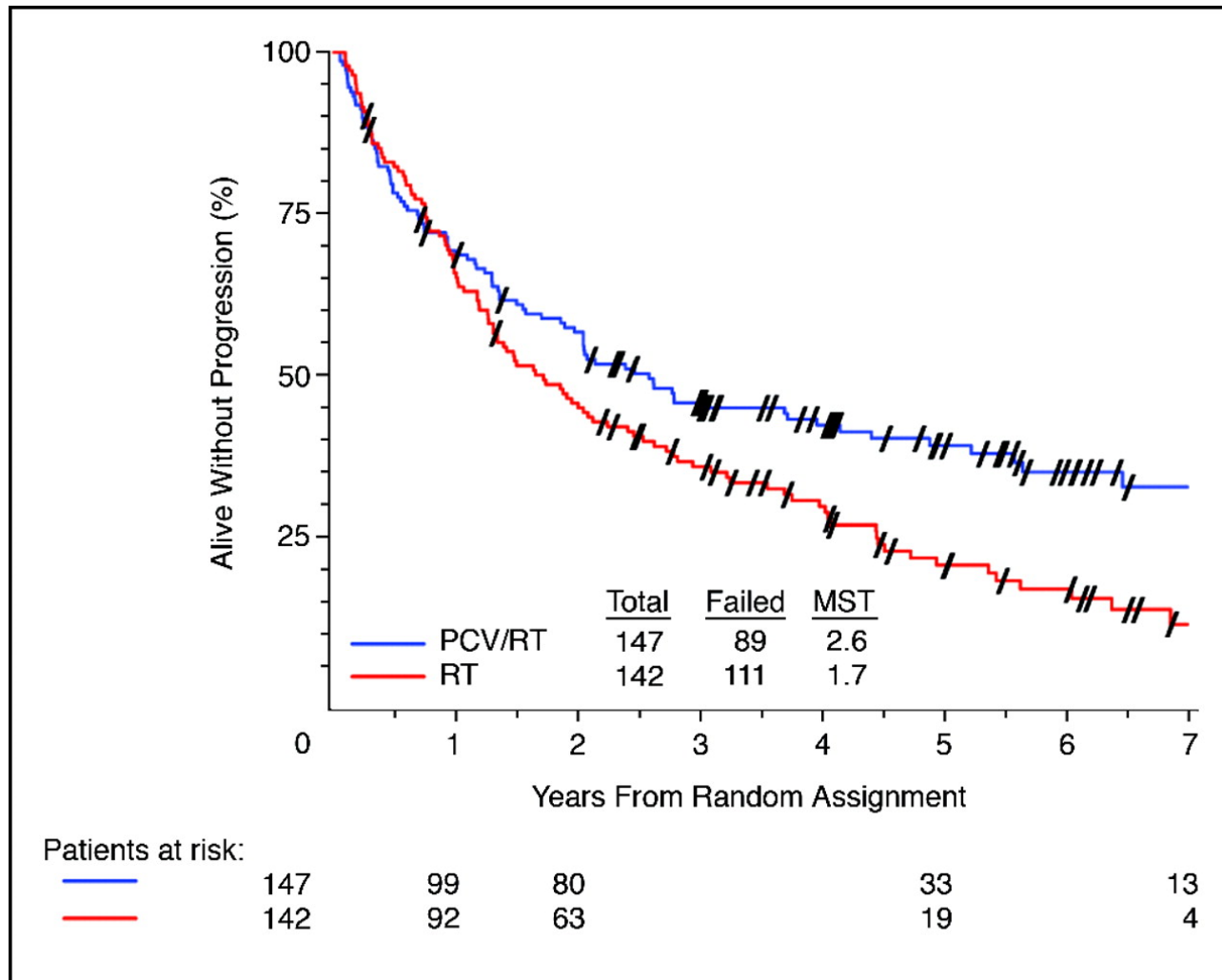
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**19q del**

# Whole Genome View



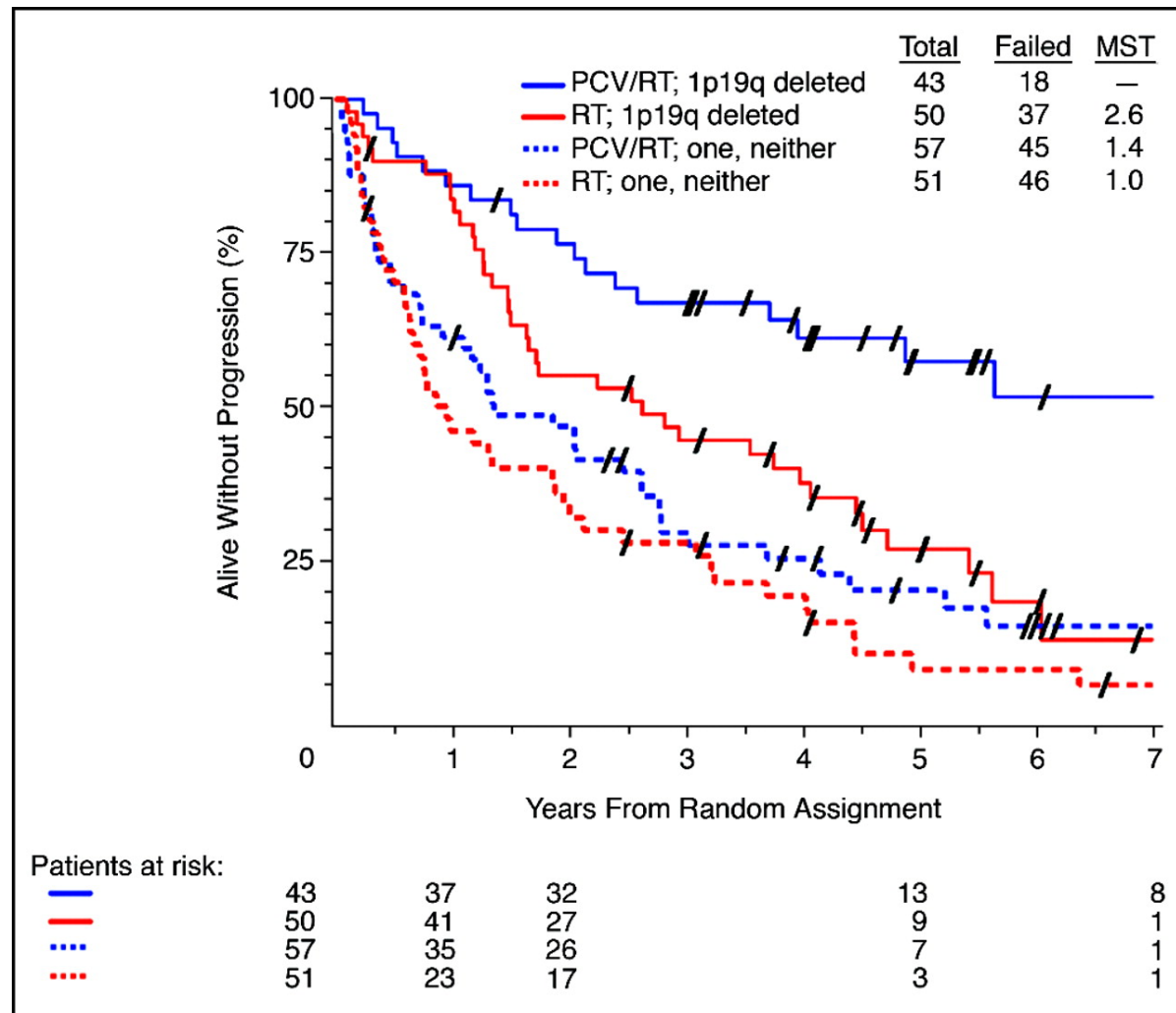
**Kaplan-Meier estimates of progression-free survival by treatment group.**



**Cairncross G et al. JCO 2006;24:2707-2714**

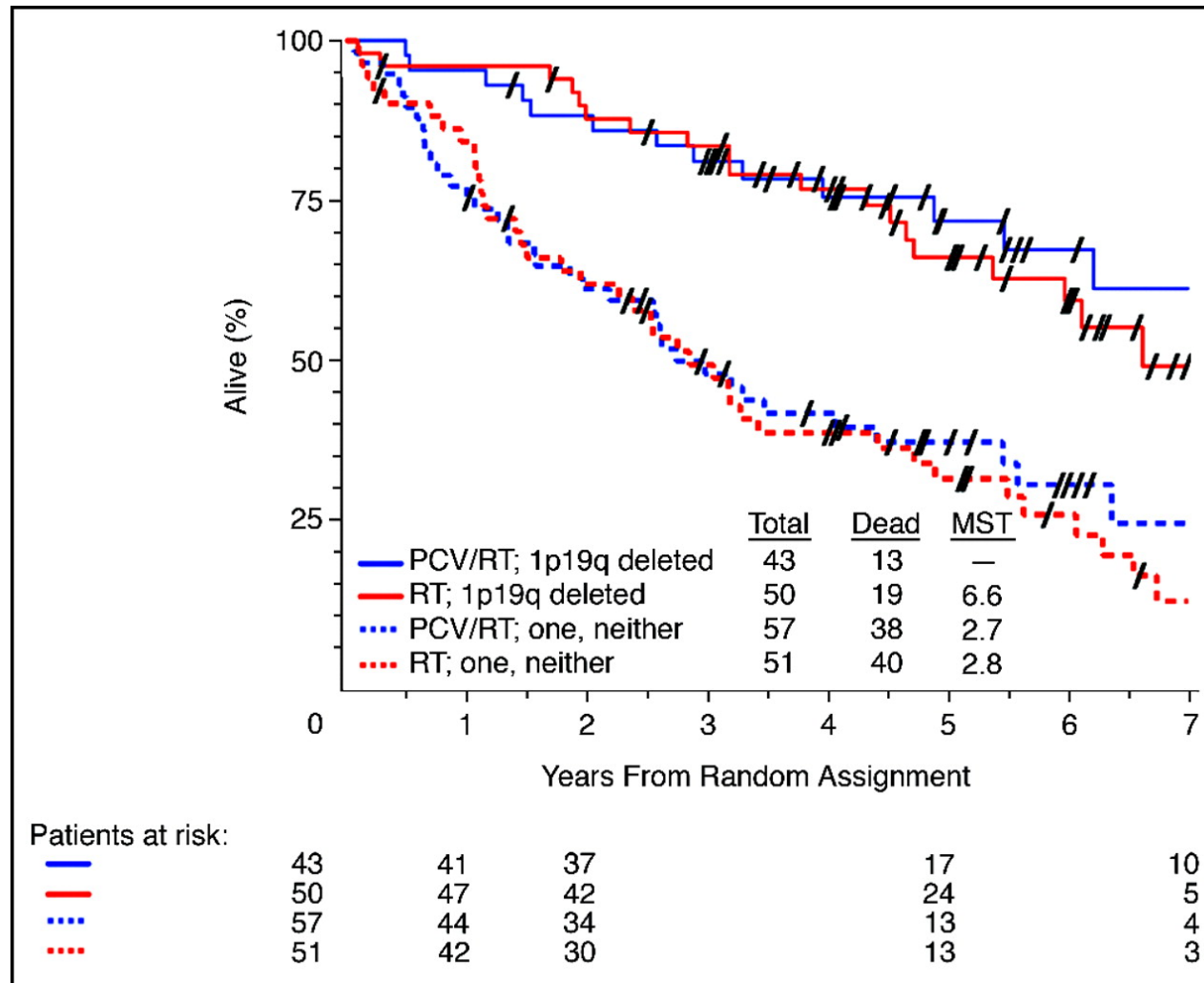


## Kaplan-Meier estimates of progression-free survival by treatment and genotype.



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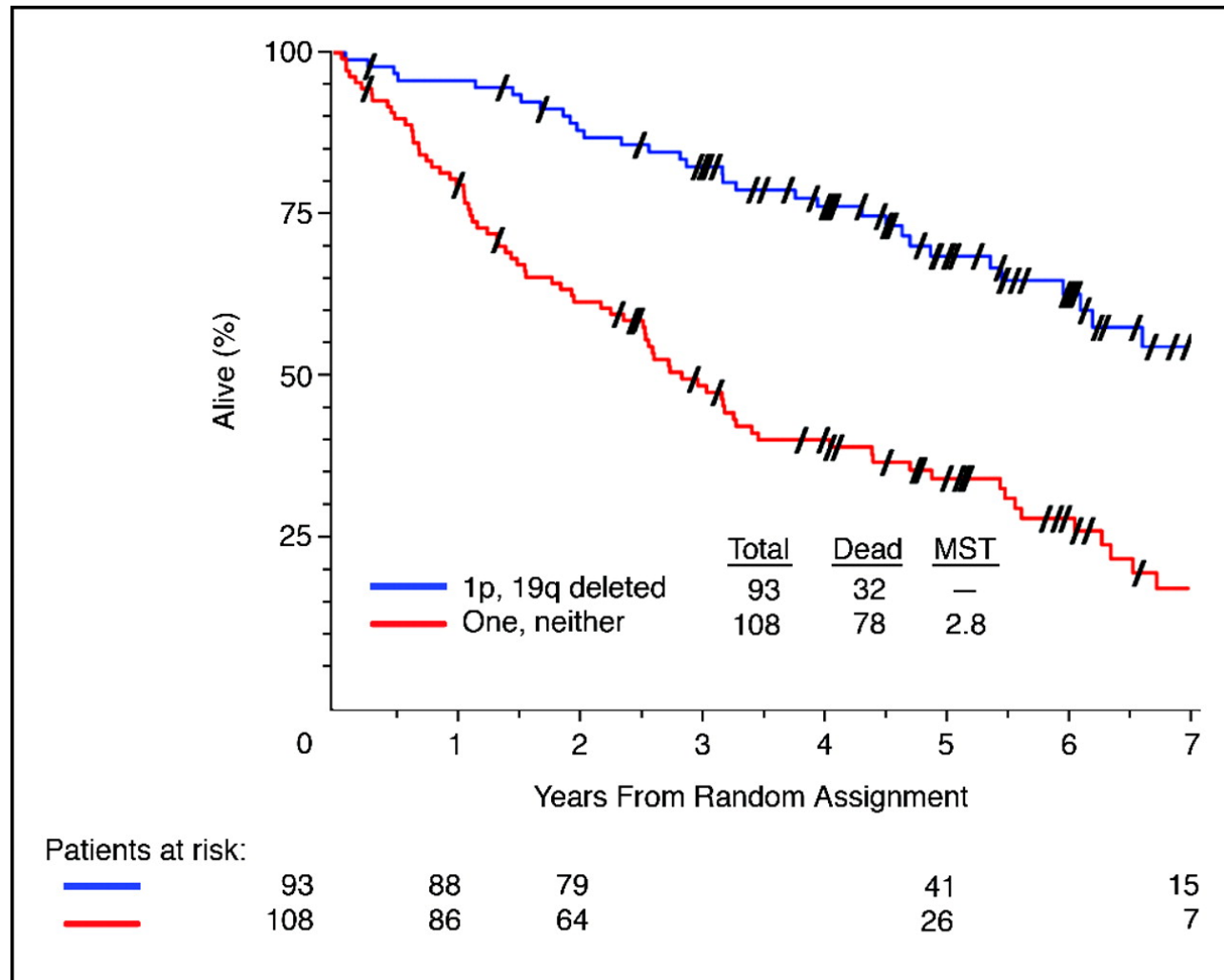
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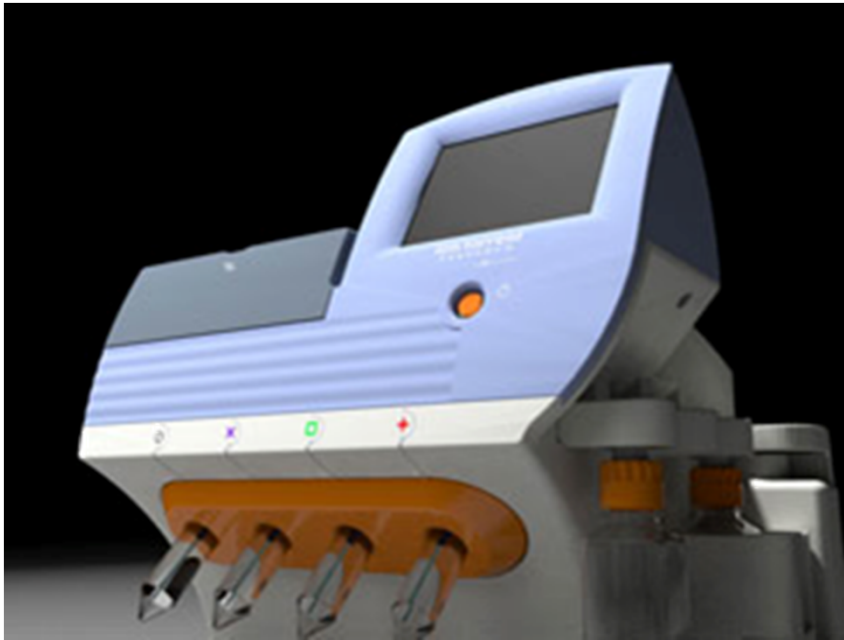


# Kaplan-Meier estimates of overall survival by 1p and 19q deletion.



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# Next Generation Sequencing



Ion Torrent



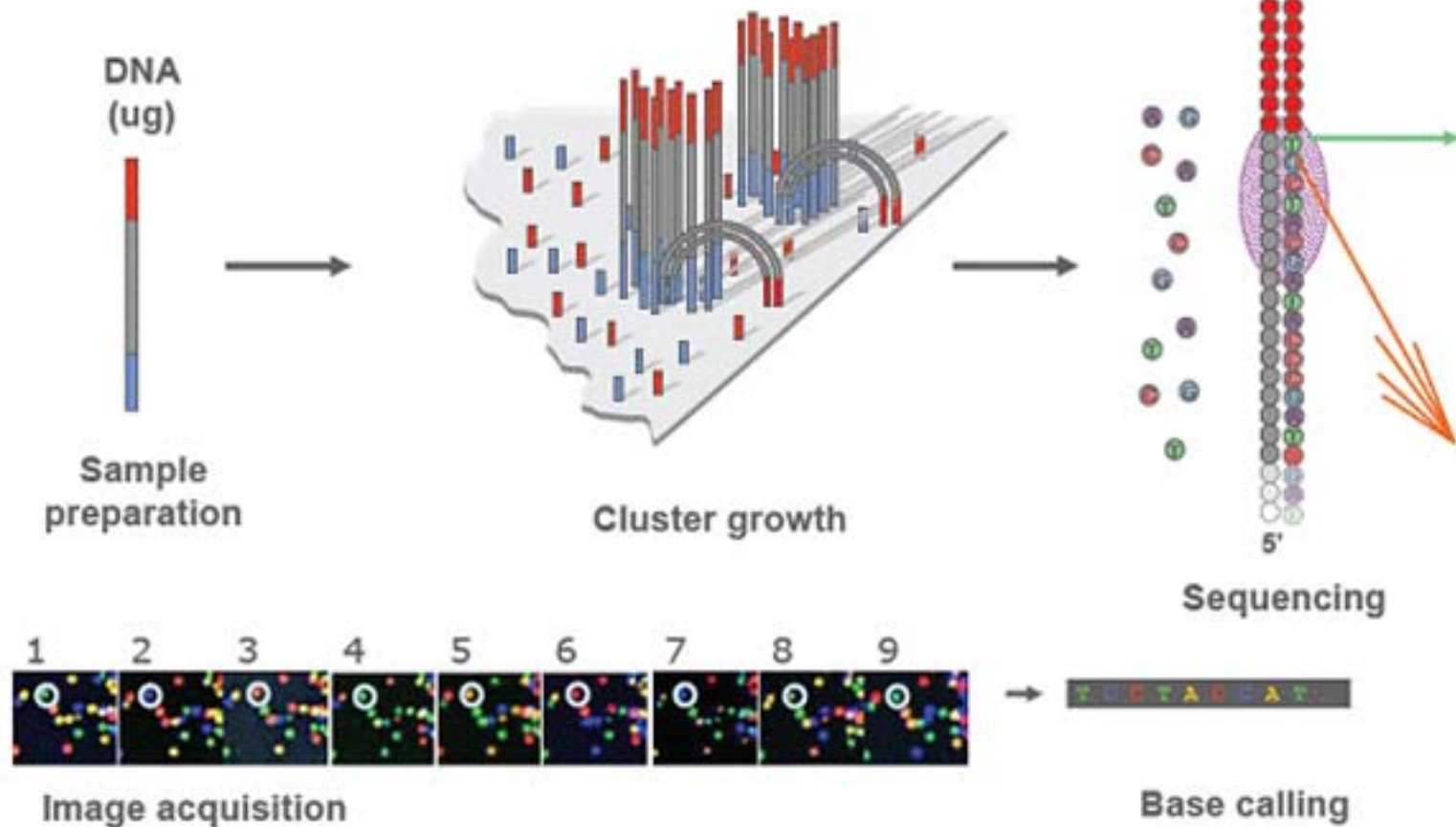
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MiSEQ



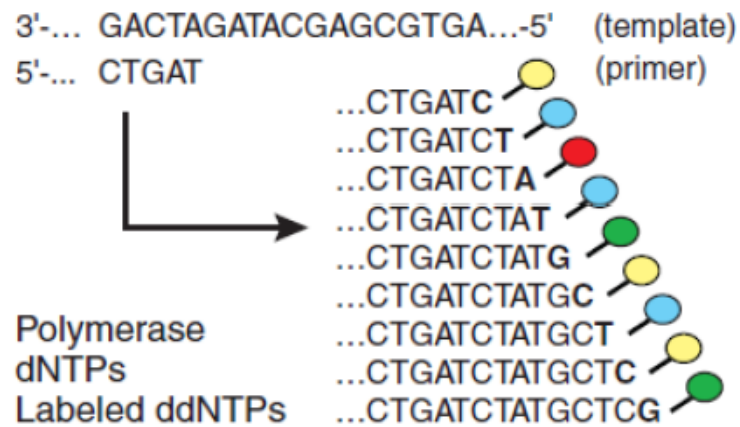
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*Robust Reversible Terminator Chemistry Foundation*

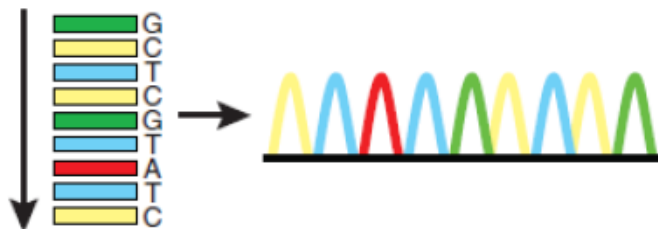


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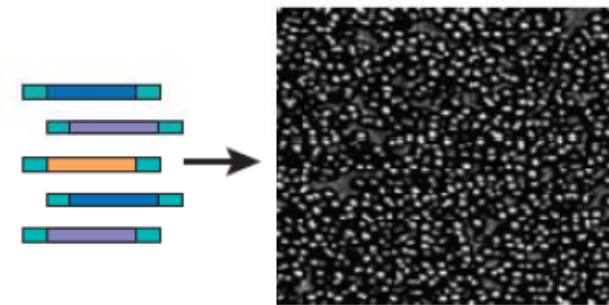
## Cycle sequencing



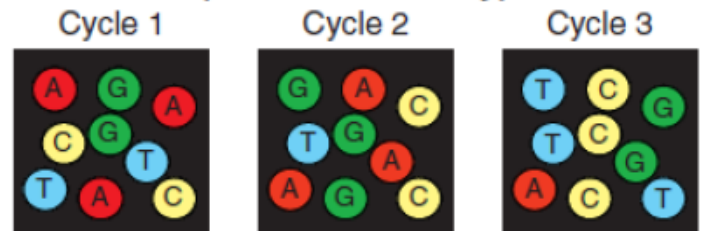
## Electrophoresis (1 read/capillary)



## Generation of polony array



## Cyclic array sequencing ( $>10^6$ reads/array)

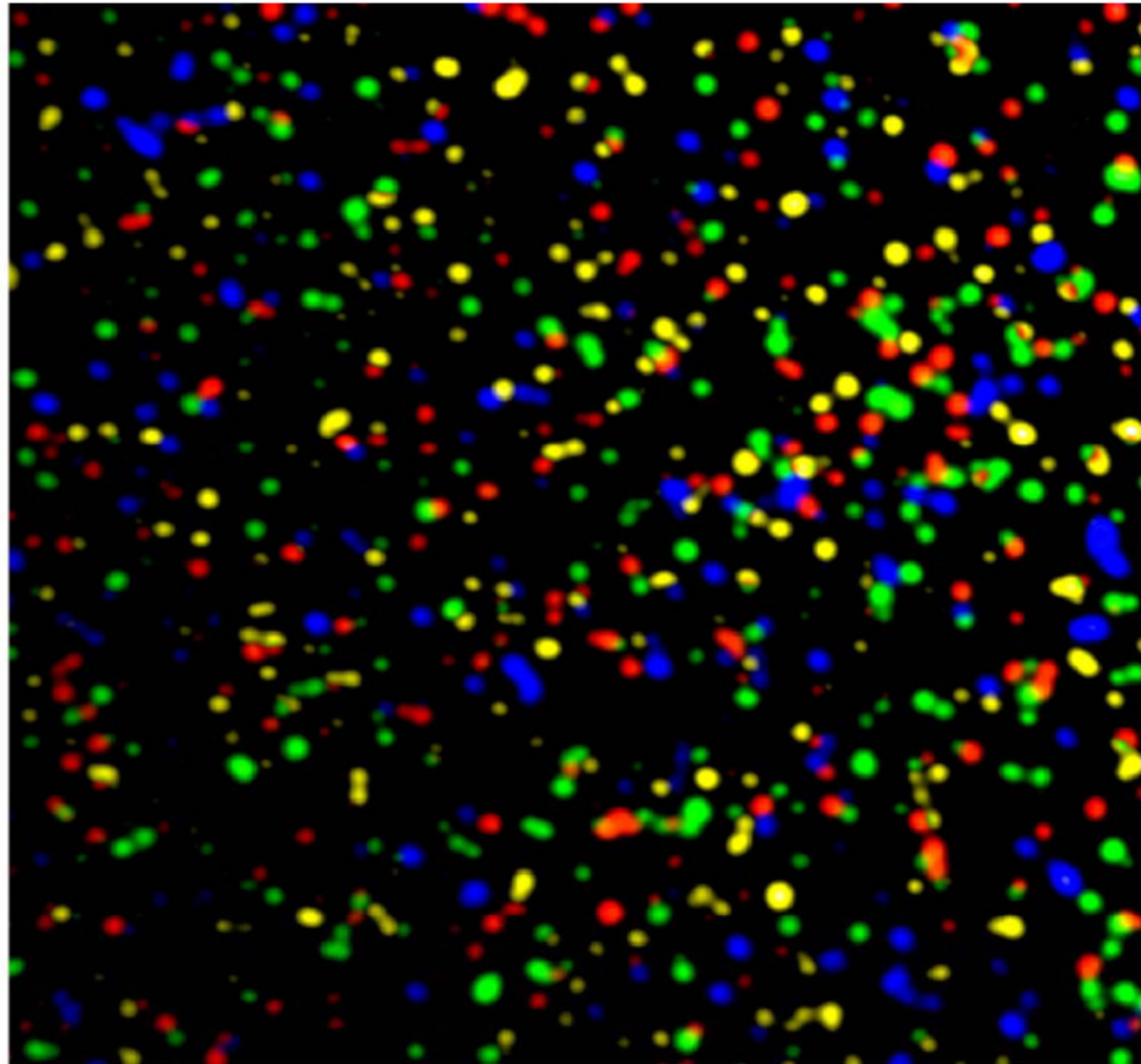


What is base 1? What is base 2? What is base 3?

# Illumina Genome Analyzer

Compiled Image

A ●  
T ●  
C ●  
G ●



Flow Cell Clusters



# Qualitative and Quantitative Information

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Ref Seq

Coverage  
or number  
of reads

# Next Generation Sequencing: Steps in Workflow

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**Analytical Wet Bench Process:**  
sample handling, library  
preparation, sequence  
generation



**Bioinformatics process:**  
Alignment, variant calling, and  
variant annotation



**Clinical Interpretation**



## The Cost of Genome Sequencing is Decreasing Rapidly and Driving Clinical Adoption of Genomic Analysis

### Cost per Genome Data Generation, Sep 2001 – Oct 2011



***Cost for genome sequence data generation today is <\$3,000***

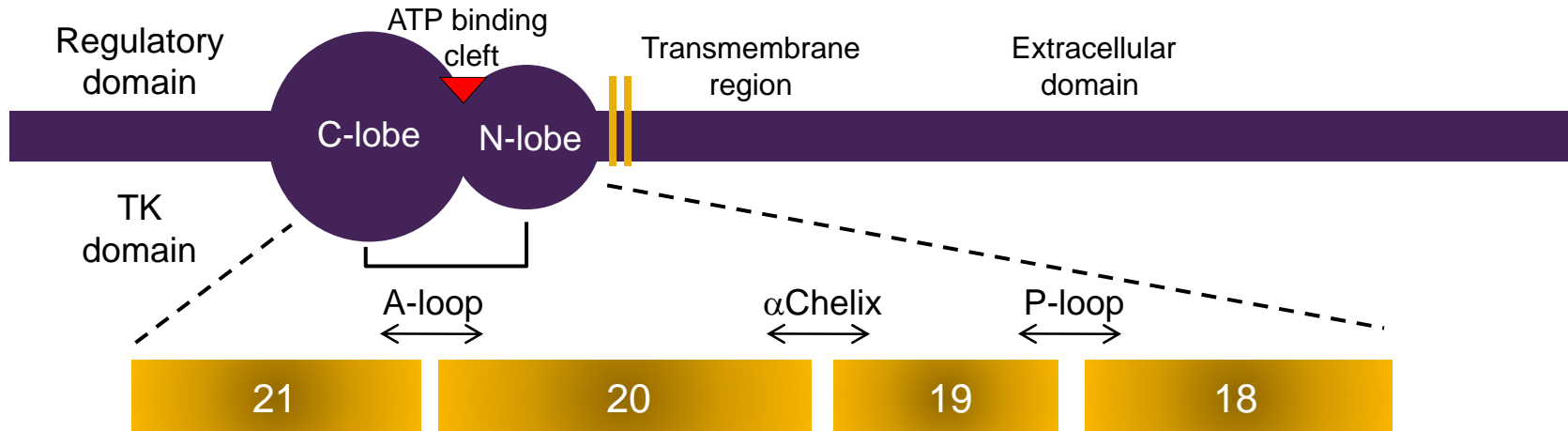
# New Clinical Molecular Testing

EGFR as an Example

## The significance of EGFR activating mutations

- The EGFR is a transmembrane receptor
- Somatic mutations in the kinase domain increase activity of the EGFR
  - EGFR mutations are 10-15% of cases in North America and Western Europe, but 30%-40% in East Asian
  - Mutations are associated with adenocarcinoma and bronchoalveolar histology
  - Mutations are also observed more frequently in women and non-smokers with NSCLC

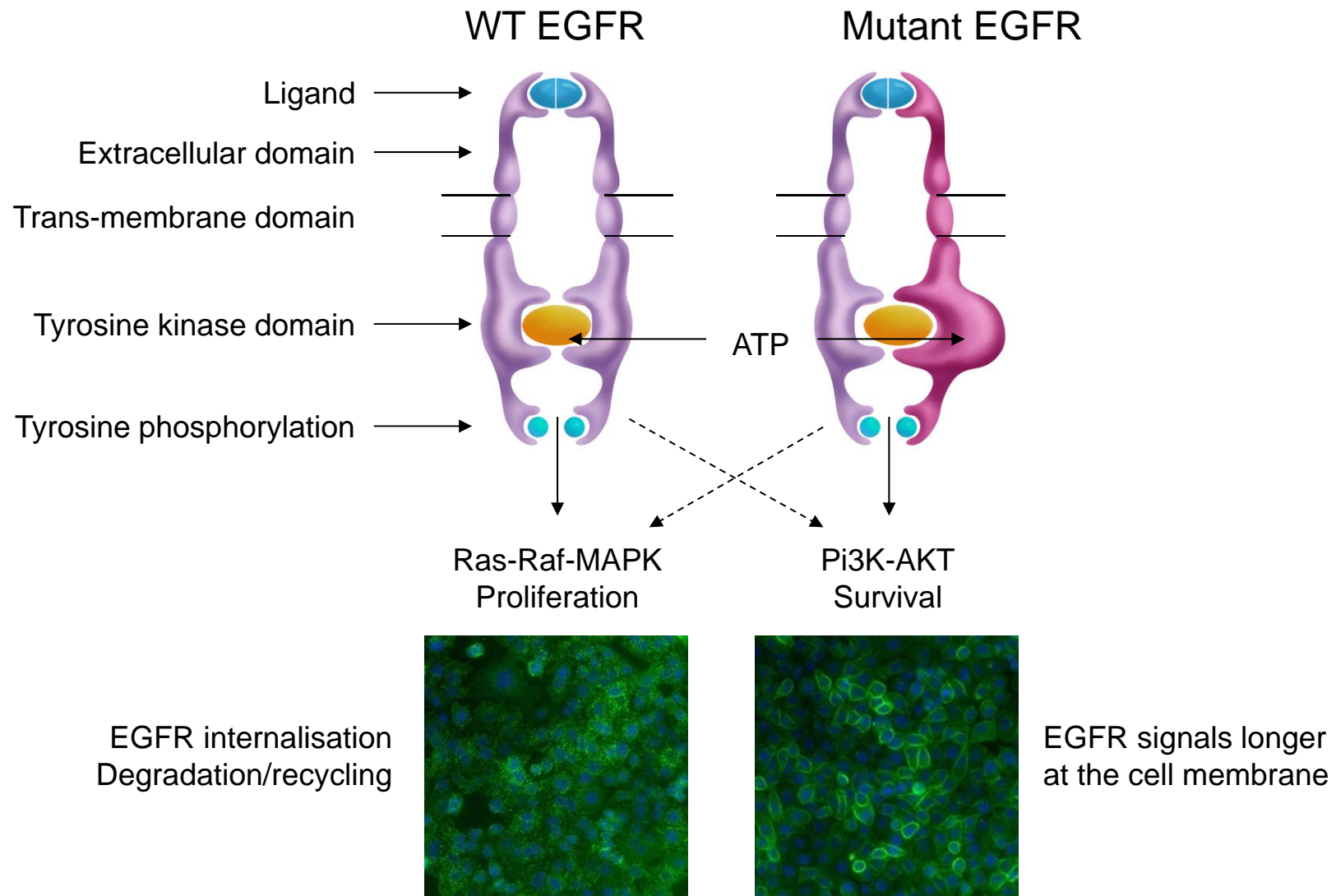
The distribution of activating mutations among EGFR mutation positive patients is similar in Asian and Non Asian studies



Distribution of mutation types (% of mutations)		
Literature review	Asian studies	Non-Asian studies
Most prevalent mutation types	Literature (n=1523)	Literature (n=583)
Exon 19 deletion	51%	58%
Exon 21 point mutation L858R	42%	32%
Exon 20	2%	6%
Exon 18 G719A/C	3%	2%
Exon 21 L861Q	1%	1%

Some patients had more than one mutation type

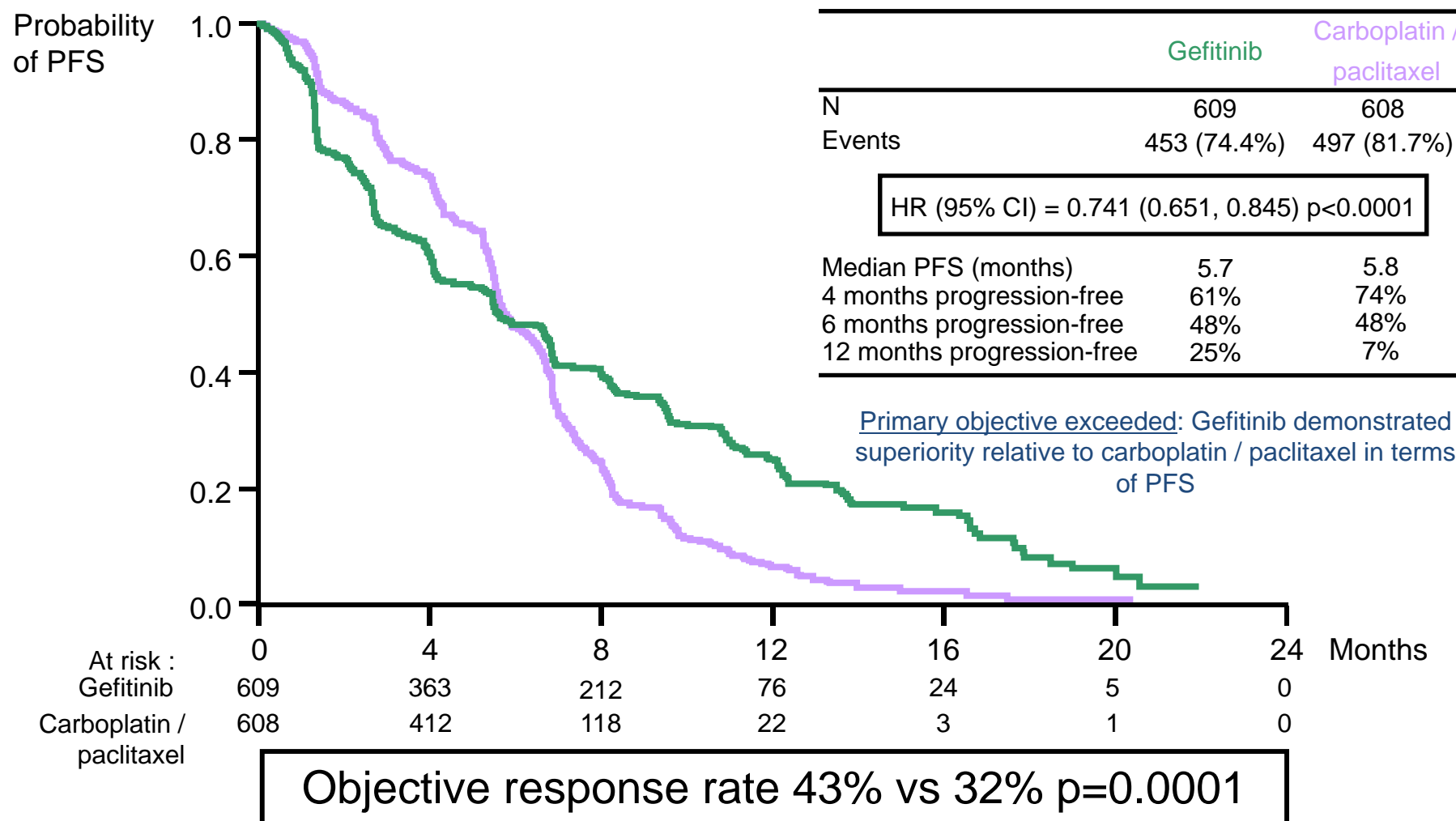
# Mutation status causes conformational change and increased activation



# The IPASS Trial

The Phase III IRESSA Pan-Asia Study (IPASS) compared the efficacy, safety and tolerability of IRESSA vs. carboplatin/paclitaxel in clinically selected chemo-naïve patients in Asia with advanced non-small-cell lung cancer (NSCLC).

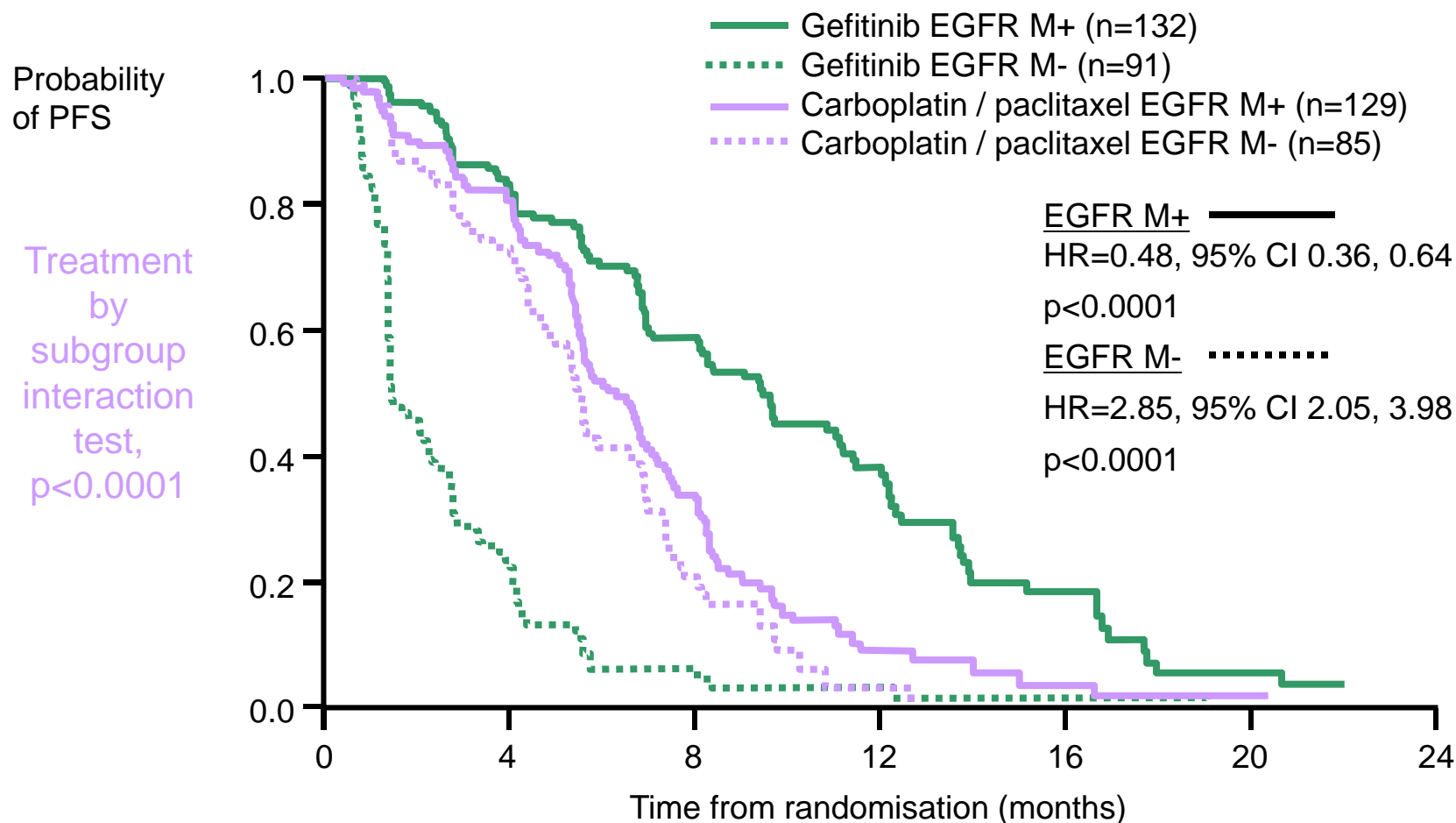
# IPASS: Superior PFS and ORR with gefitinib vs doublet chemotherapy; PFS effect not constant over time



Primary Cox analysis and logistic regression with covariates; ITT population  
HR <1 implies a lower risk of progression on gefitinib

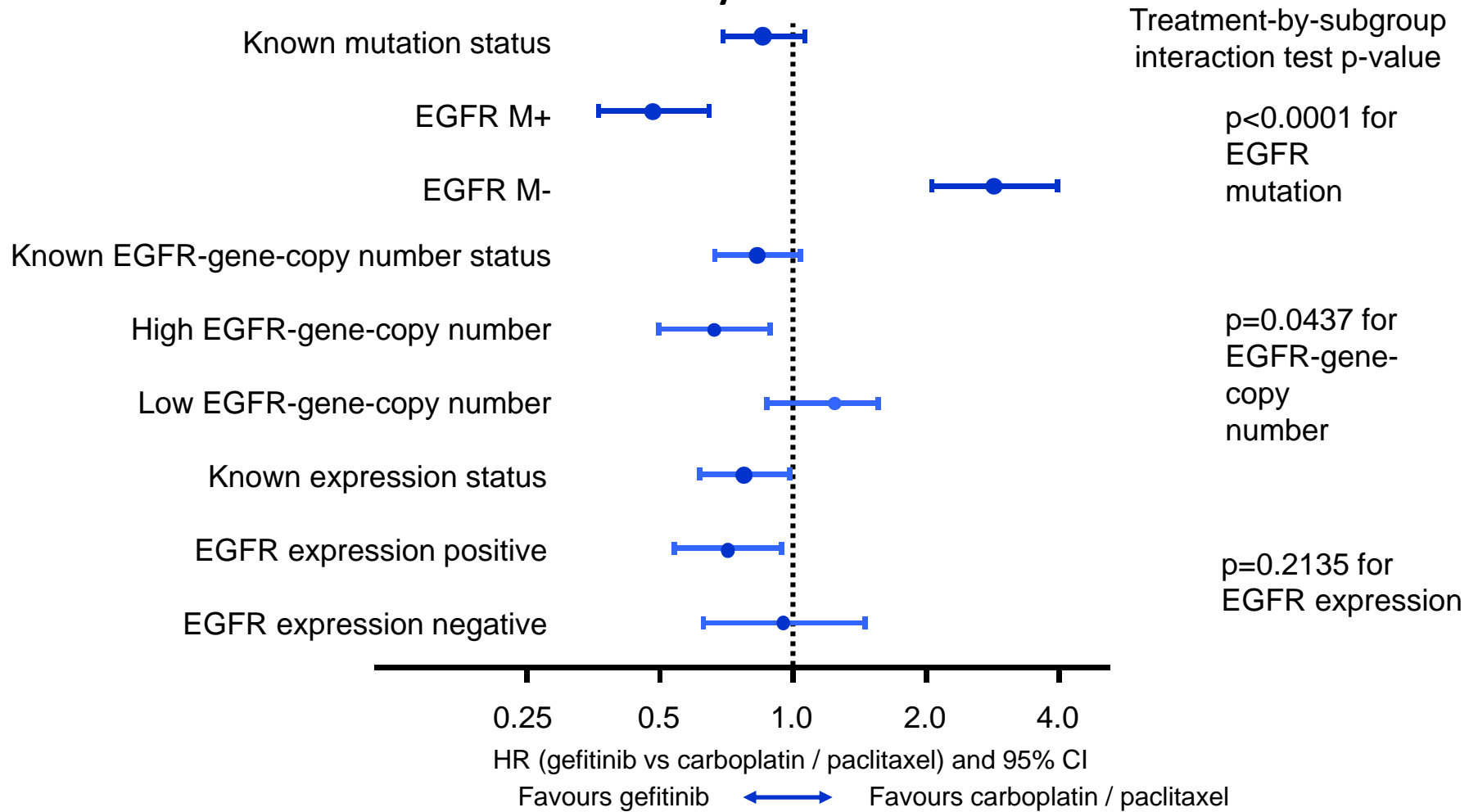


# IPASS: EGFR mutation is a strong predictor for differential PFS benefit between gefitinib and doublet chemotherapy



M+, mutation positive; M-, mutation negative

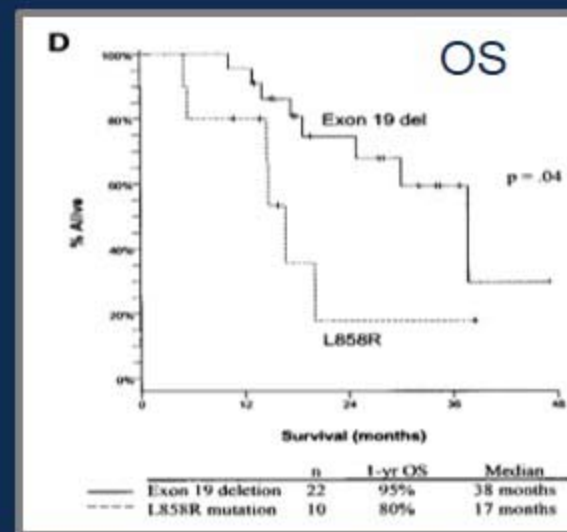
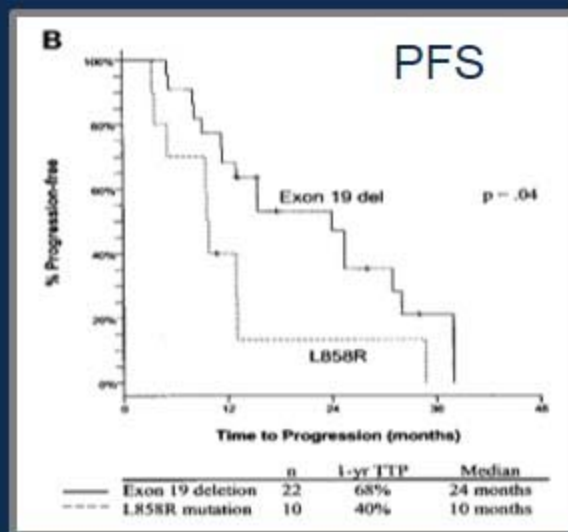
# IPASS: PFS by biomarkers



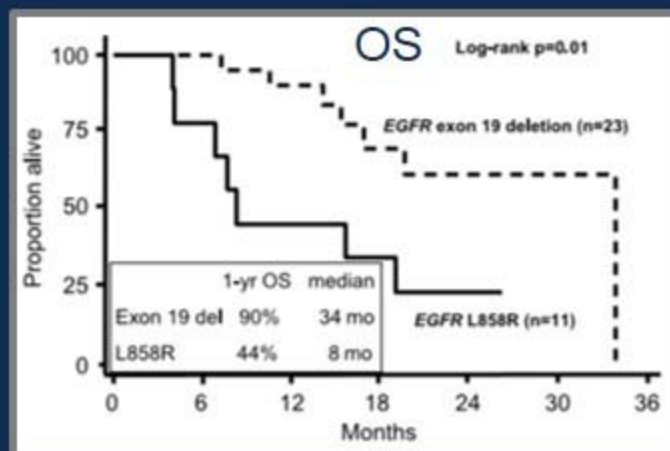
ITT population; Cox analysis with covariates;  
HR <1 implies a lower risk of progression on gefitinib

# Differences in Efficacy of Gefitinib/ Erlotinib: Exon 19 Del vs. L858R

Jackman,  
Clin Cancer Res,  
2006



Riely,  
Clin Cancer Res,  
2006



Presented by: H. Jack West

PRESENTED AT:



# Clinical factors that independently predict EGFR mutation status in Caucasian patients

Analysis in Caucasian patients

(INTEREST, INVITE, ISEL, INTACTs and IDEALs combined [n=786])

- **Smoking status**  $p < 0.0001$ 
  - Odds of mutation 6.5 times higher in never-smokers than ever-smokers
- **Histology**  $p < 0.0001$ 
  - Odds of mutation 4.4 times higher in adeno than non-adeno
- **Gender**  $p = 0.0397$ 
  - Odds of mutation 1.7 times higher in females than males

Other factors tested: Age (<65yrs, ≥ 65yrs), WHO PS (0-1, ≥2)  
Overall EGFR mutation positive rate 9.5%

## Summary

- EGFR mutation status is the most robust predictive biomarker of clinical benefit in NSCLC
- EGFR mutation status is predictive irrespective of ethnicity
  - Incidence rates may differ, but response rates do not
- Clinical characteristics can not be used to determine EGFR mutation status but may be helpful in determining who to test



# Types of Biomarkers

Prognosis

Who needs extra  
treatment ?

Prediction

What Treatment ?

Toxicity

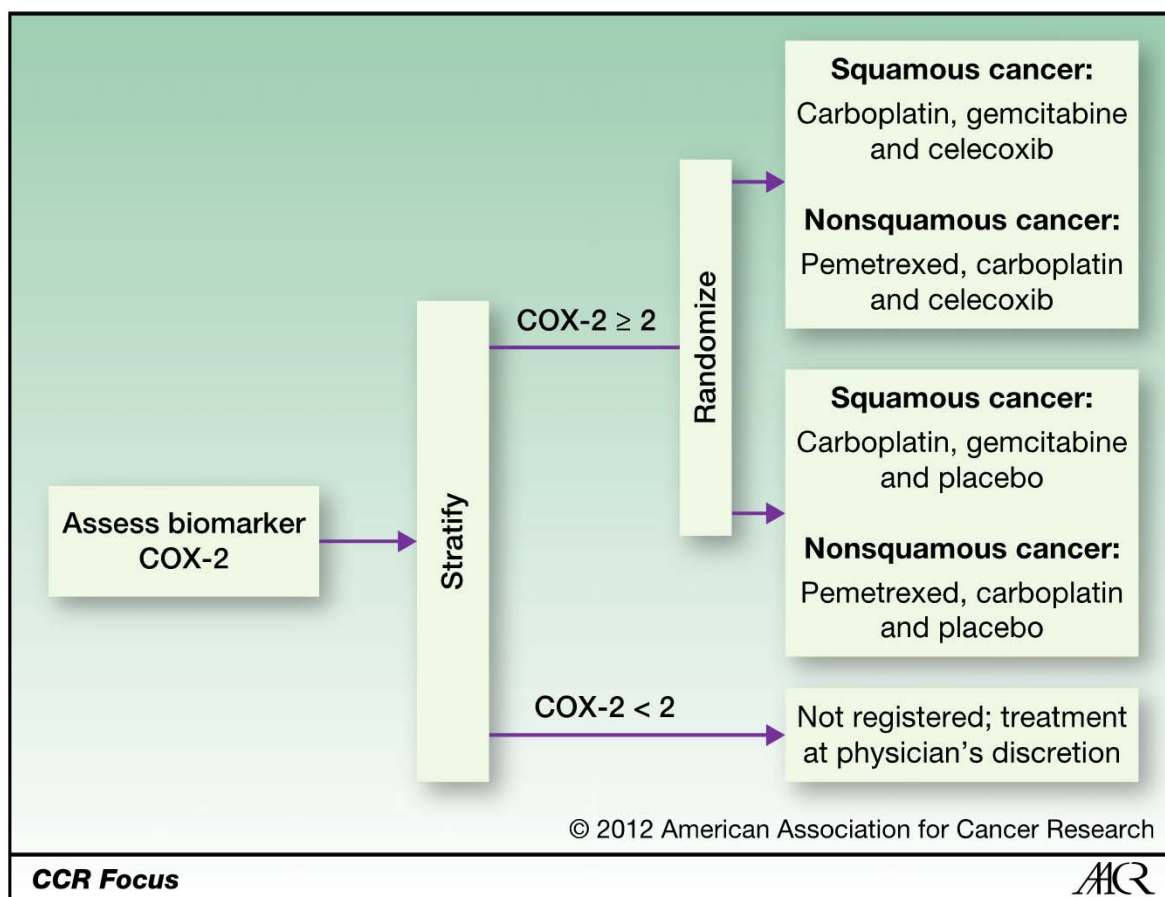
Who should avoid  
Treatment ?

# Level of Evidence

- Level 1
  - prospective, high power, specifically addressing utility of marker in question
  - meta analysis of several small studies
- Level 2
  - Clinical Trial companion study in which marker is also evaluated
- Level 3
  - performed on assembly of cases taken for other reasons

# Integral Markers in Trials

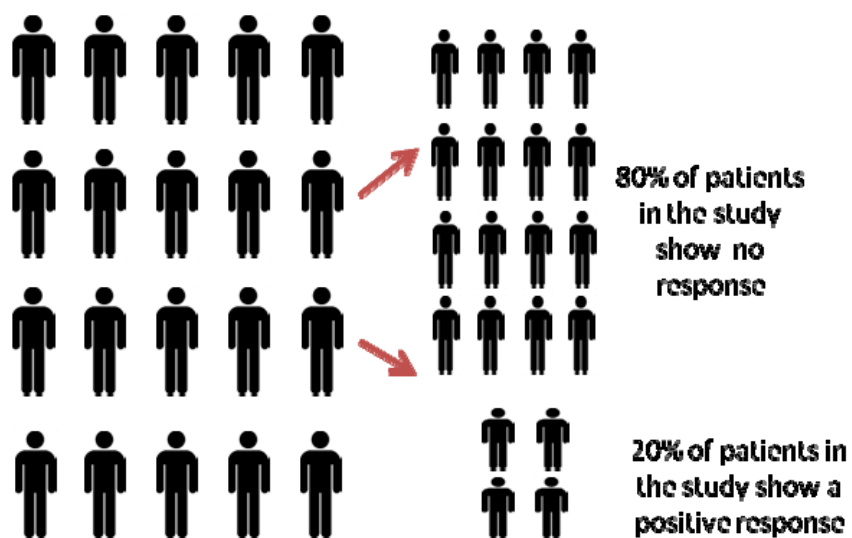
- Marker is used to make a CLINICAL DECISION
  - Assignment to a specific treatment
    - Ie Kinase mutation
  - Withholding treatment
    - Ie Low risk prognostically



**Figure 1.** CALGB-30801. Randomized phase III trial for stage IIIB or IV NSCLC (adenocarcinoma, large cell, squamous, or mixture). The trial will allow evaluation of the cut point for the COX-2 assay.

## Typical Drug Development Example

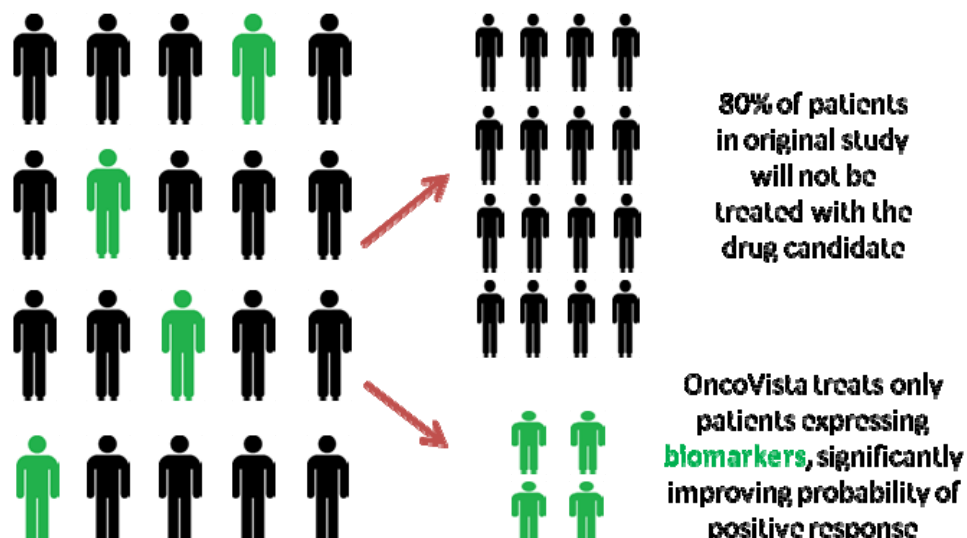
A pharmaceutical company performs trials on patients who have identical cancer diagnosis with a drug candidate



Efficacy below minimum threshold, drug is abandoned

## Targeted Drug Development Example

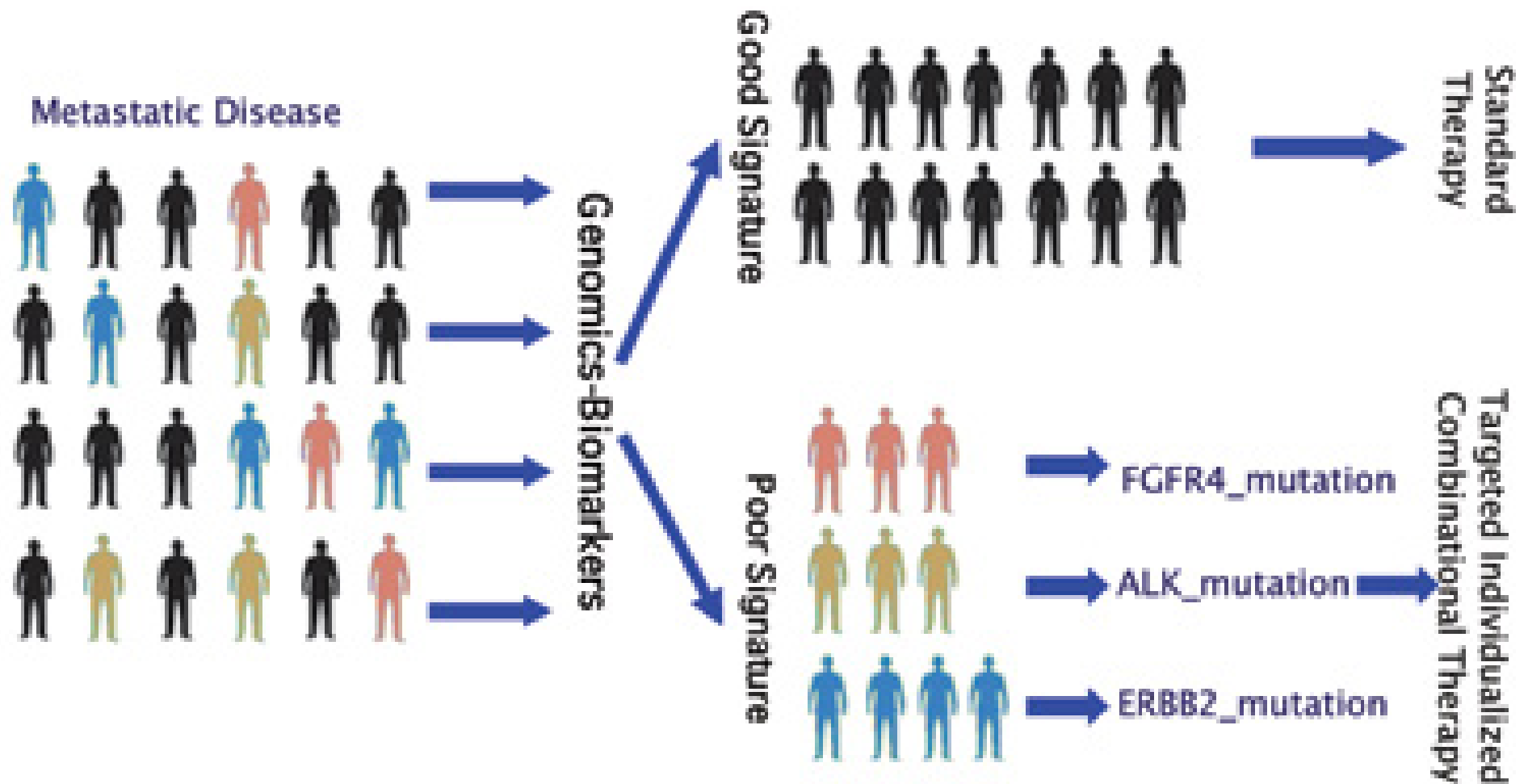
OncoVista licenses a drug candidate & identifies patients expressing **biomarkers** correlated with drug efficacy



Efficacy exceeds minimum threshold, OncoVista has a viable drug candidate



# Personalized medicine–The Goal





# FDA, CLIA, and Assays



- FDA Approved
- FDA Cleared

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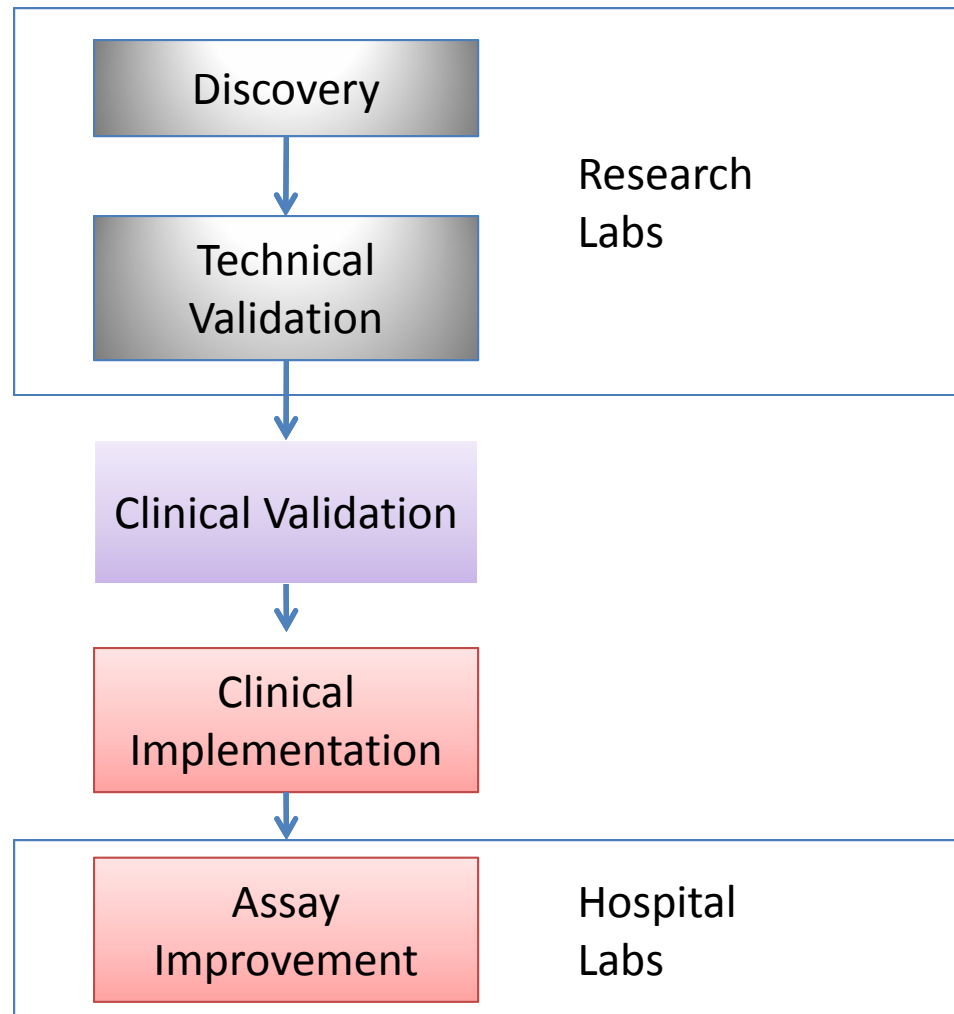
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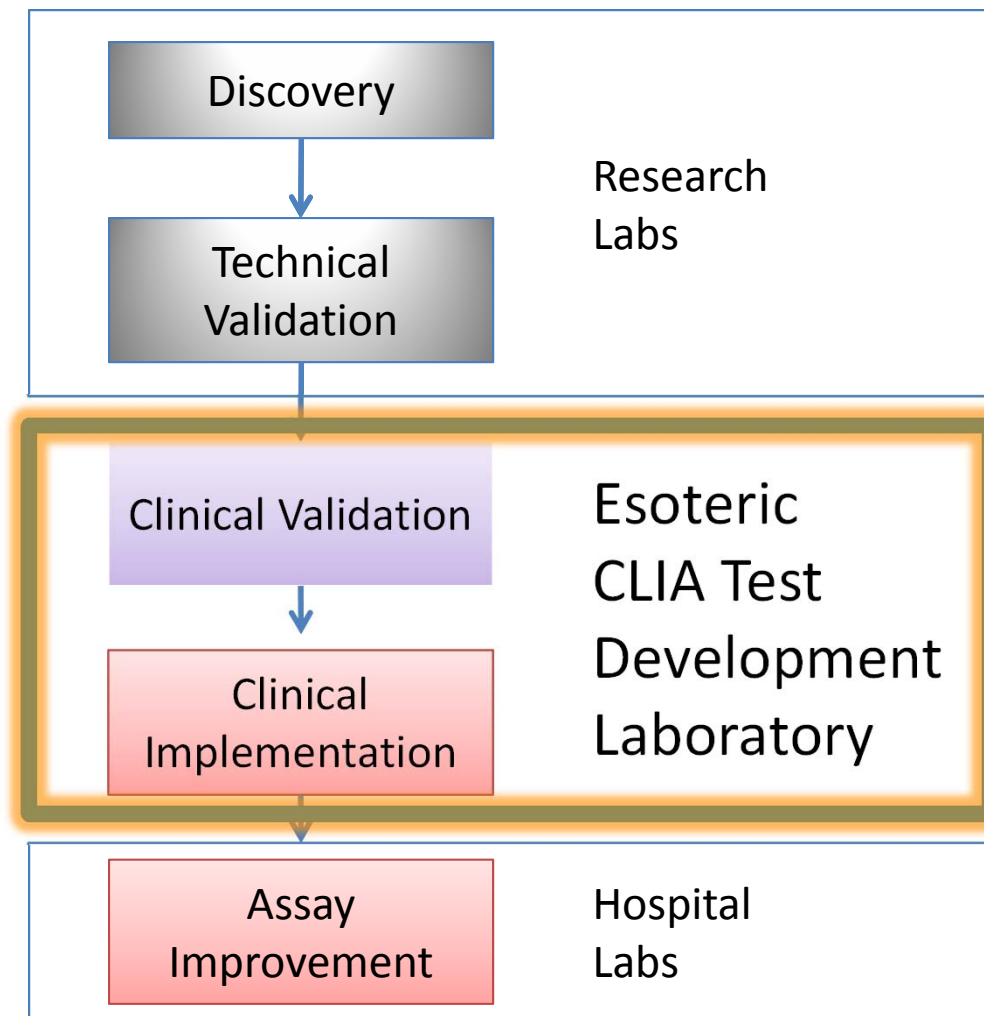


# Development of a Clinical Assay



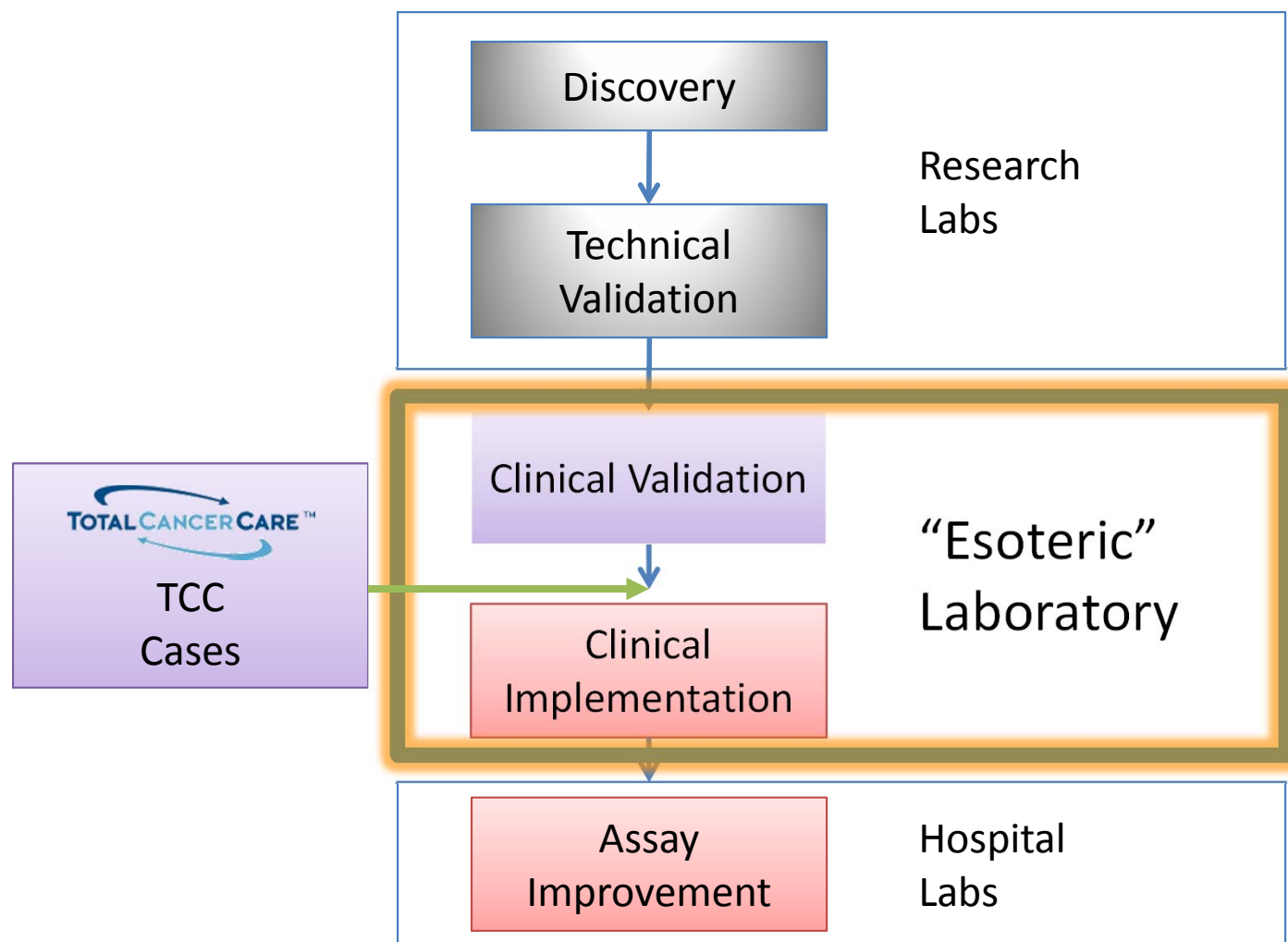


# Product Cycle of Biomarker

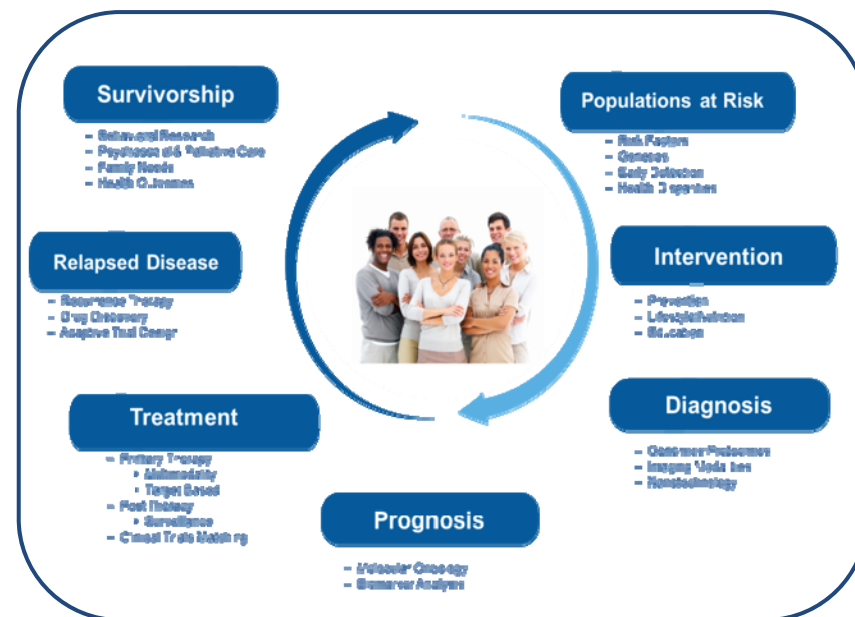




# Product Cycle of Biomarker



# Vision of Total Cancer Care



- Identify the needs of the patient & their families
- Develop an evidence-based approach to meet those needs
- Develop markers to predict need so they can be prevented



# The TCC Protocol



## The Total Cancer Care™ Protocol

- May we follow you throughout your lifetime?
- May we study your tumor using molecular technology?
- May we re-contact you?

***The Total Cancer Care Protocol represents Moffitt's unique approach to Personalized Medicine, and is the foundation upon which M2Gen is built.***

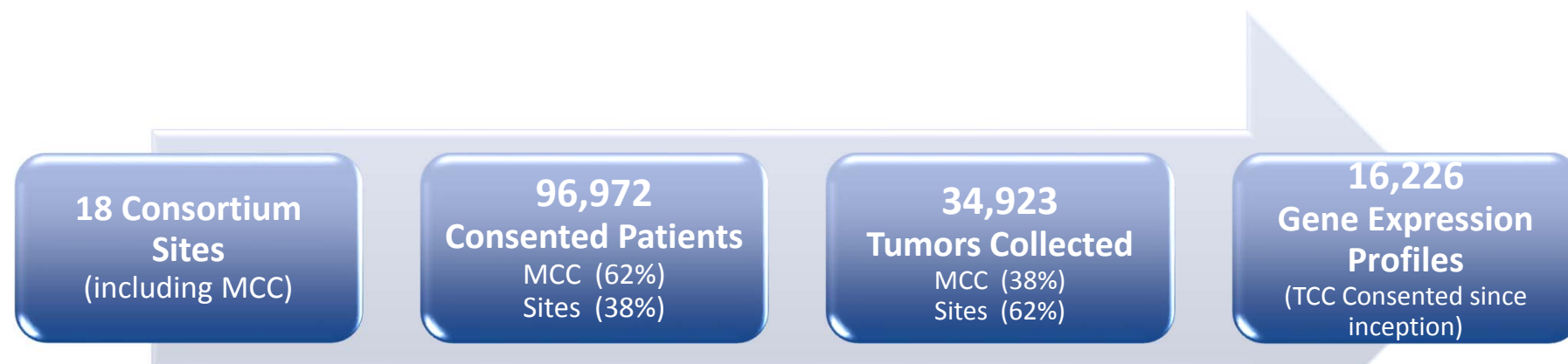
# The TCC Consortium

***M2Gen currently partners with several Consortium Sites (including Moffitt) to collect patient tissue and data***



- Hartford Hospital, Hartford, CT
- St. Joseph's Candler Health System, Savannah, GA
- Greenville Hospital System, Greenville, SC
- Moffitt Cancer Center, Tampa, FL (Coordinating Site)
- Baptist Health South Florida, Miami, FL
- Martin Memorial Medical Center, Stuart, FL
- Morton Plant Mease Health Care, Clearwater, FL
- Sarasota Memorial Health Care, Sarasota, FL
- Watson Clinic Center for Research, Lakeland, FL
- Norton Healthcare, Louisville, KY
- Lehigh Valley Health Network, Allentown, PA
- Billings Clinic, Billings, MT

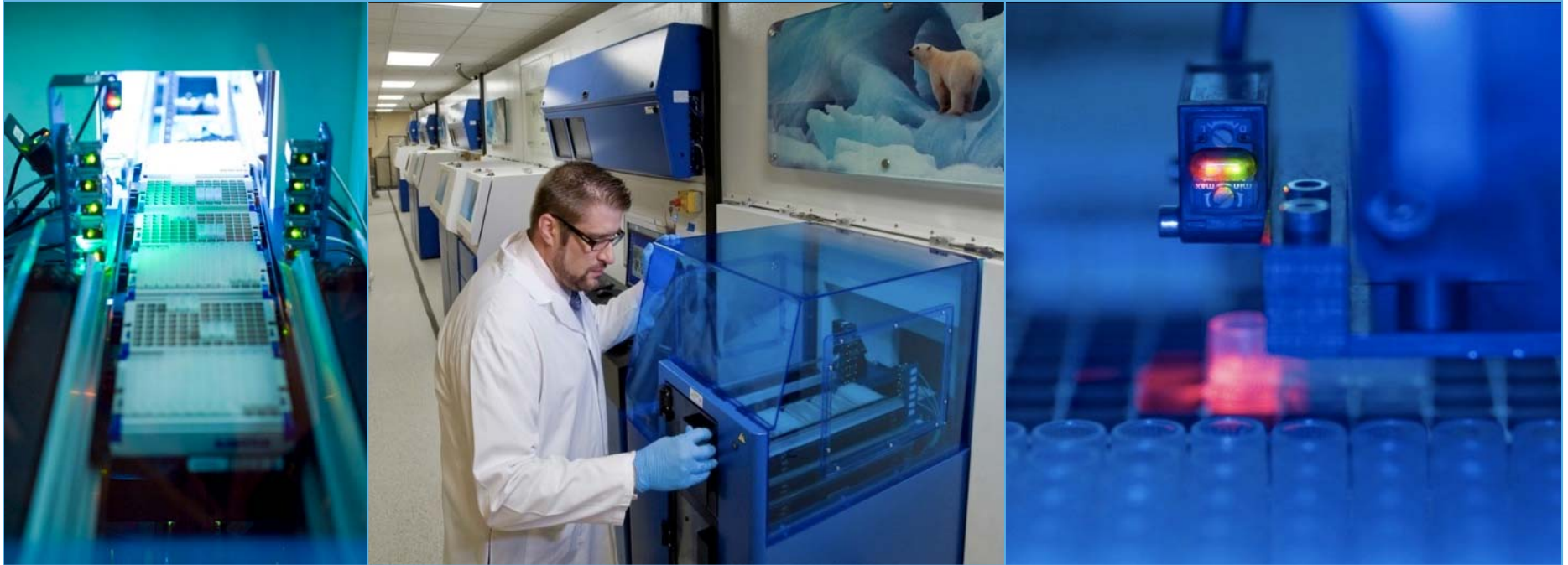
# Total Cancer Care™ to Date



*As of May 29, 2013*

Data Generated from Specimens	
CEL Files (Gene Expression Data)	16,226 files
Targeted Exome Sequencing	4,016 samples
Whole Exome Sequencing (Ovary, Lung, Colon)	535 samples
Whole Genome Sequencing (Melanoma)	13 samples with normal pairs
SNP/CNV (Lung, Breast, Colon)	559 samples

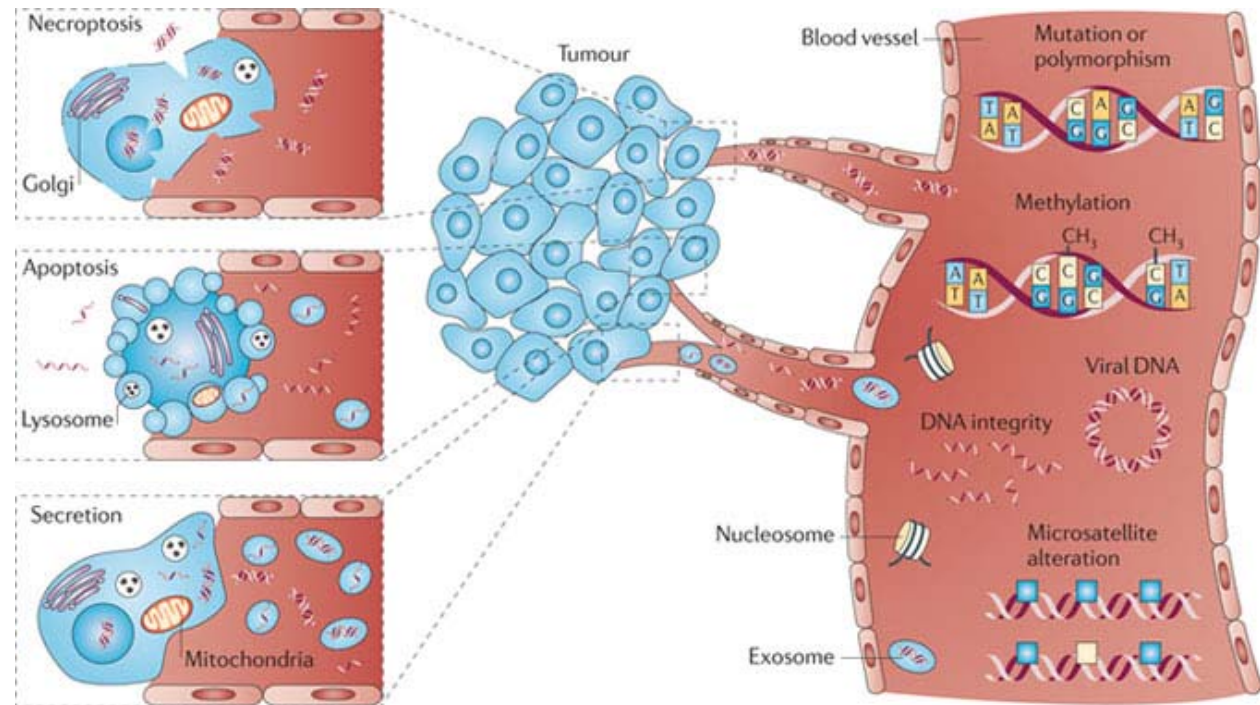
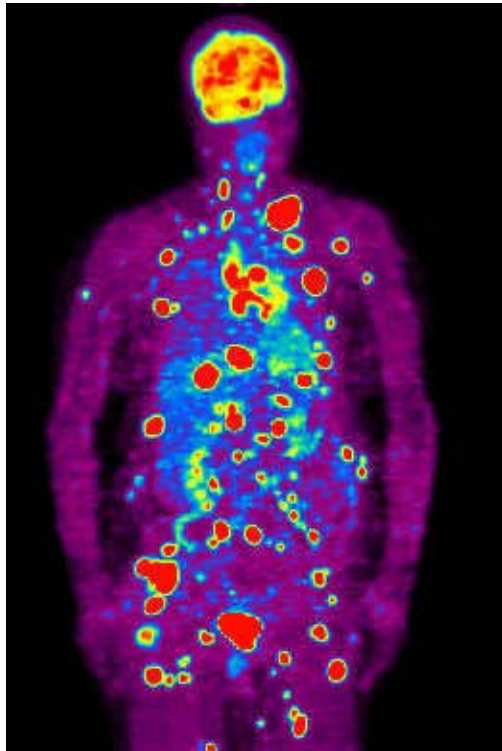
# Nexus Biostore



- **Four unit capacity** of 2.4 Million samples
- **Stores** samples in a -80°C environment
- **Handles** samples in a -20°C environment
- **Retrieves** samples using NEXUS proprietary 'Cool Transition' technology
- **Flexibility** to accommodate a wide variety of samples, vessels and labware
- **Automated** 24/7 monitoring system in place
- **Automated Inventory** functionality provides real-time inventory tracking of stored biospecimens

# CIRCULATING TUMOR CELLS

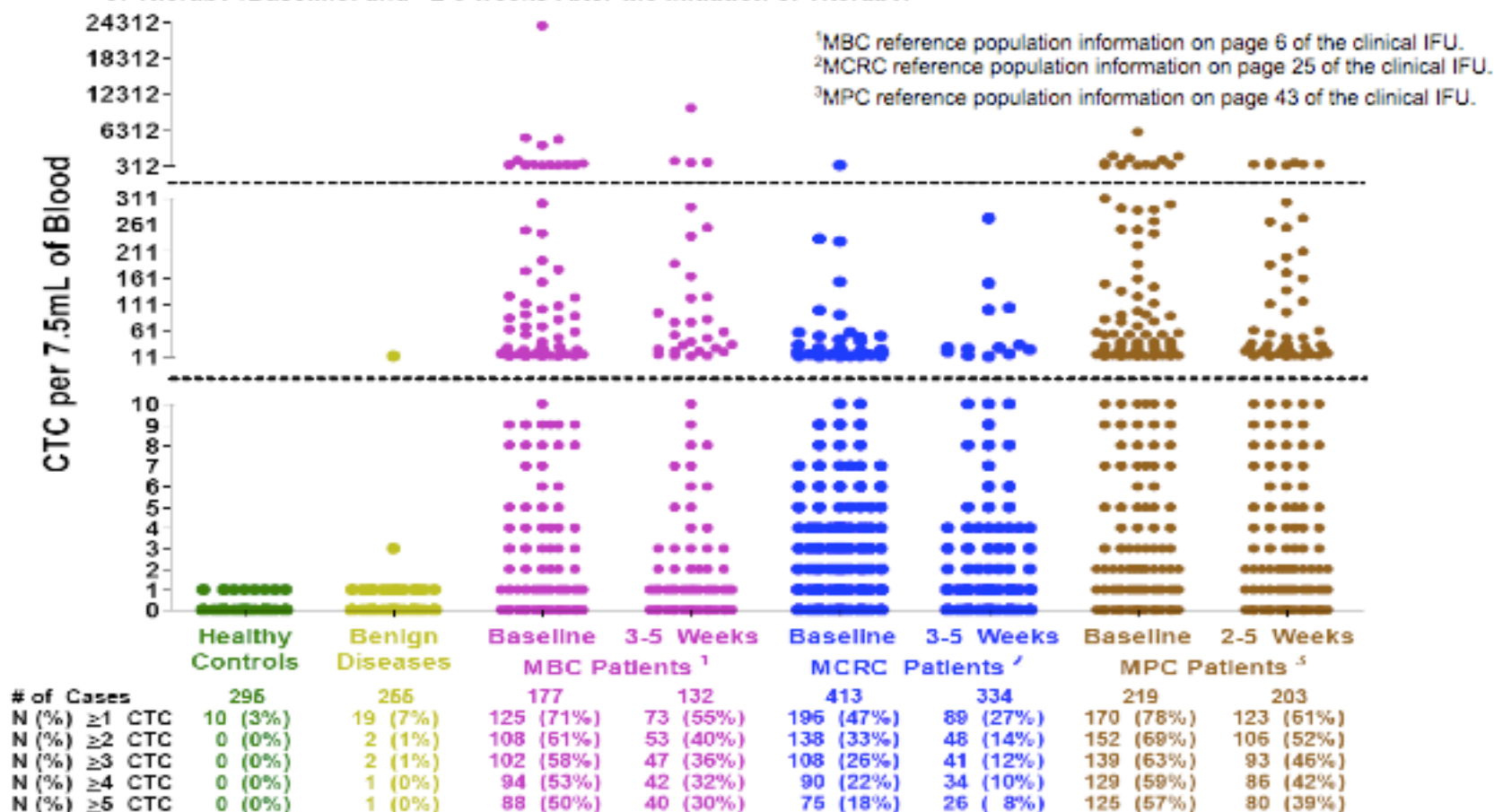
# METASTASIS





# Frequency of CTC

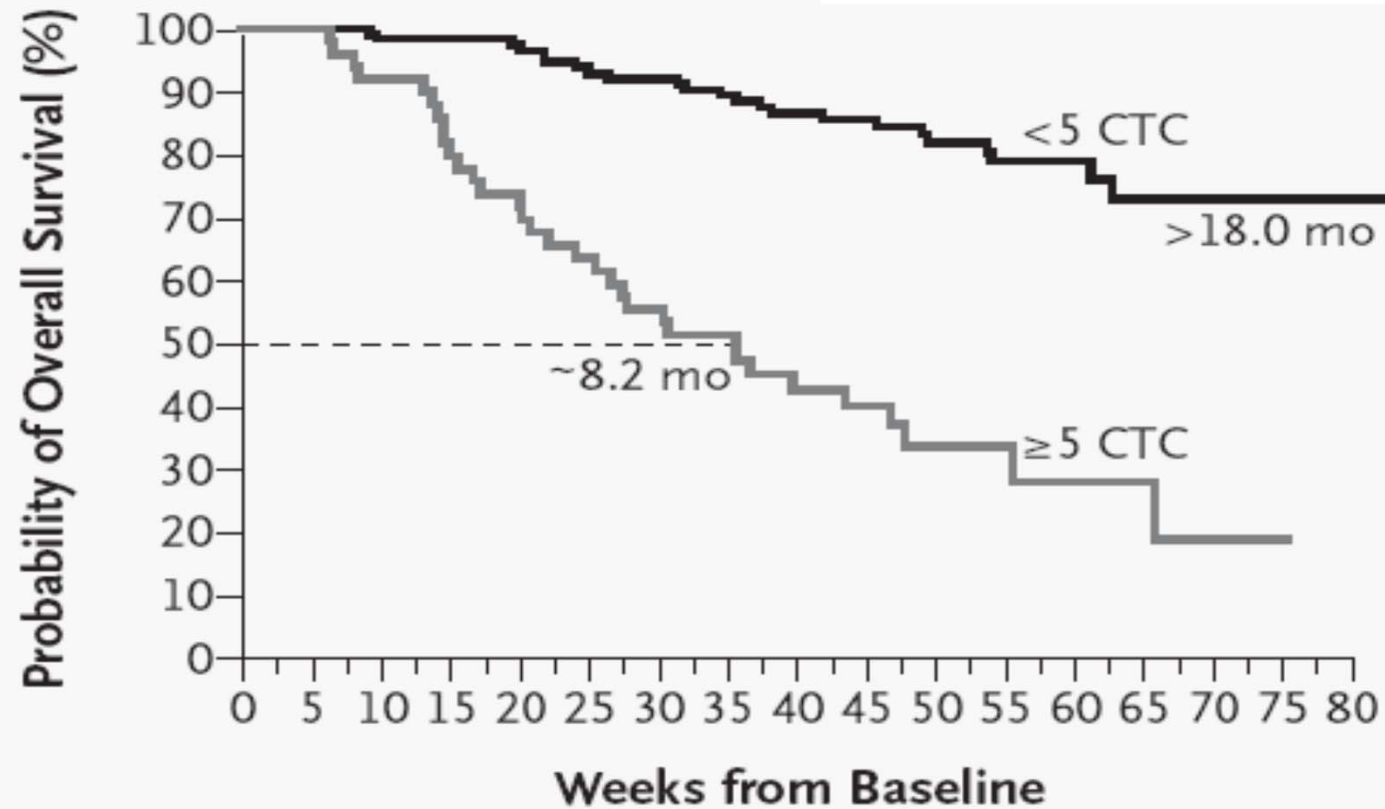
Figure 1. Frequency of CTC in Controls (Subjects without Cancer) and Patients with Metastatic Breast<sup>1</sup> (MBC), Metastatic Colorectal<sup>2</sup> (MCRC) or Metastatic Prostate Cancer<sup>3</sup> (MPC) before Initiation of a new line of Therapy (Baseline) and ~2-5 weeks After the Initiation of Therapy.



Circulating Tumor Cells, Disease Progression,  
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**F Full Set of Data**



**No. at Risk**

<5 CTC	114	114	112	111	108	103	102	99	86	75	62	48	32	13	10	4	2
≥5 CTC	49	49	45	39	35	31	27	24	18	14	9	6	3	3	2	1	0

# CellSearch™ System

CellSave Tube



CellSearch™

Circulating Tumor Cell Kit

Circulating Tumor Cell Control Kit



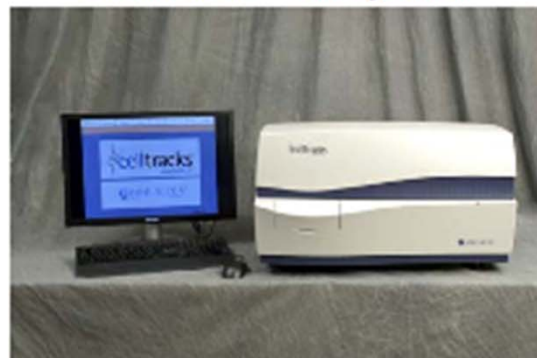
CellTracks® AutoPrep® System



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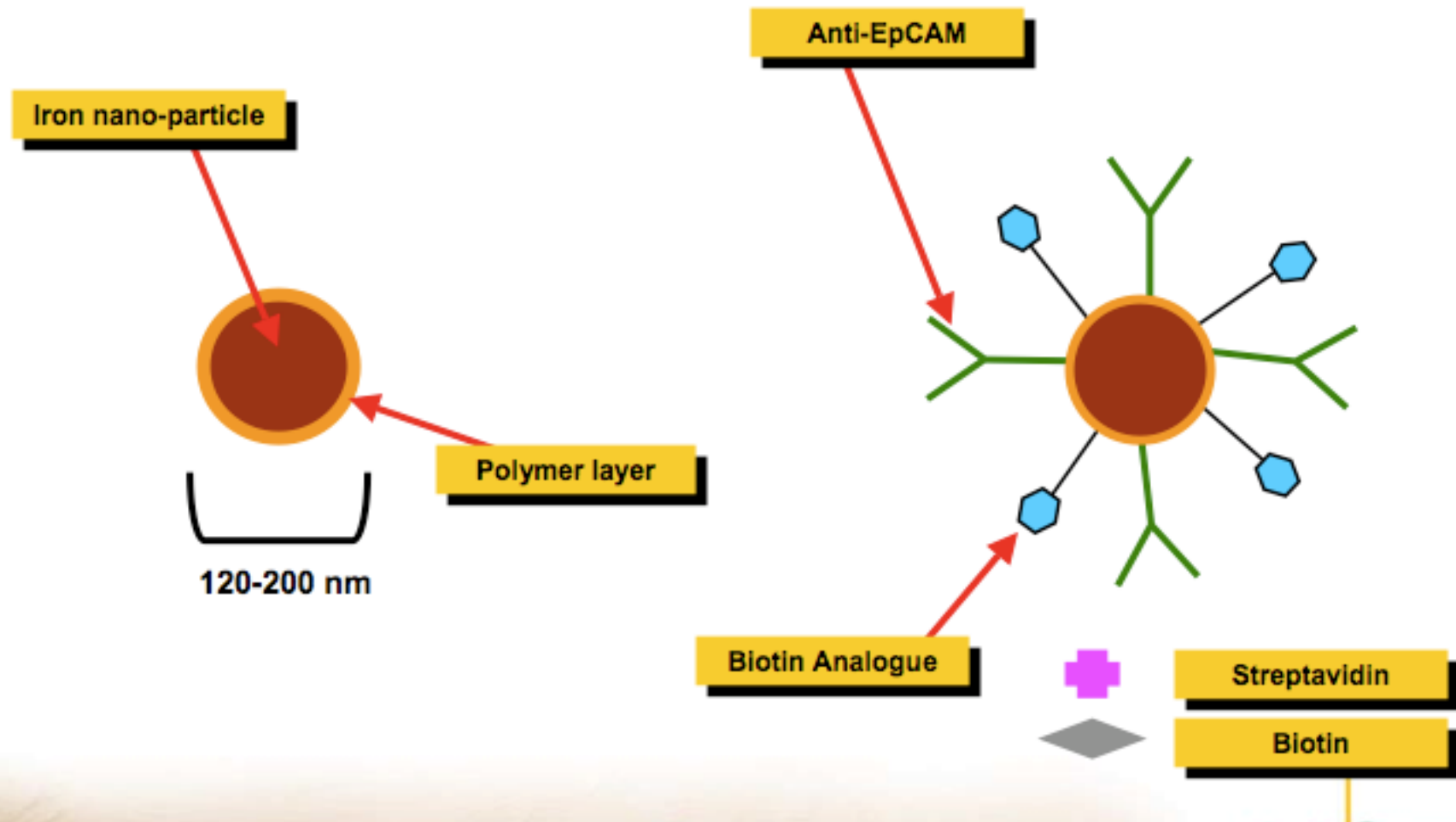


CellTracks® Analyzer II



# Anatomy of Ferrofluid

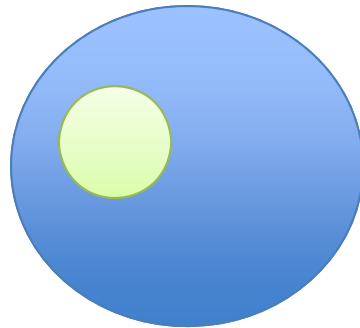
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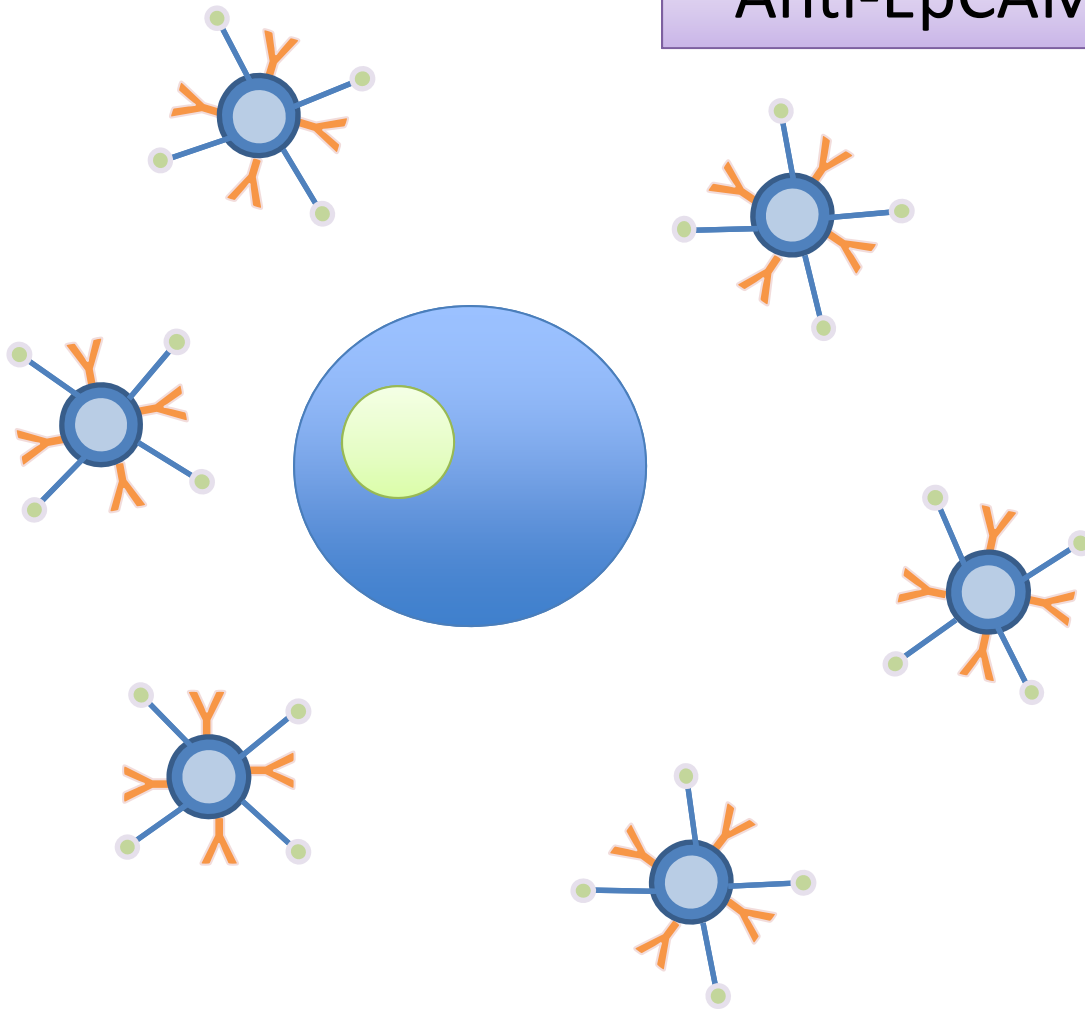
Circulating Tumor Cell





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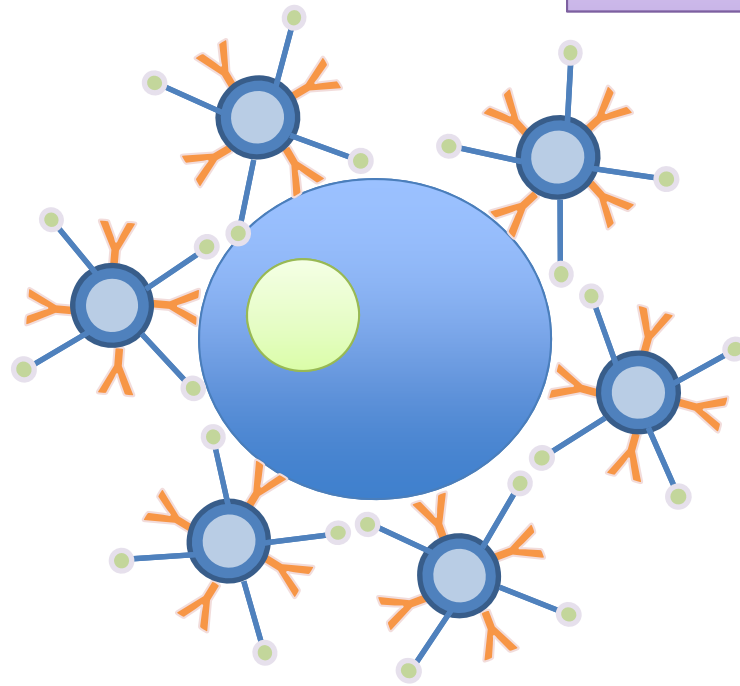






# Automated Optimization of Ferrofluid Binding Activity

Anti-EpCAM-Ferrofluid  
binds to CTCs



# Control HCT-116 cells



## CONTROL REVIEW PRINT

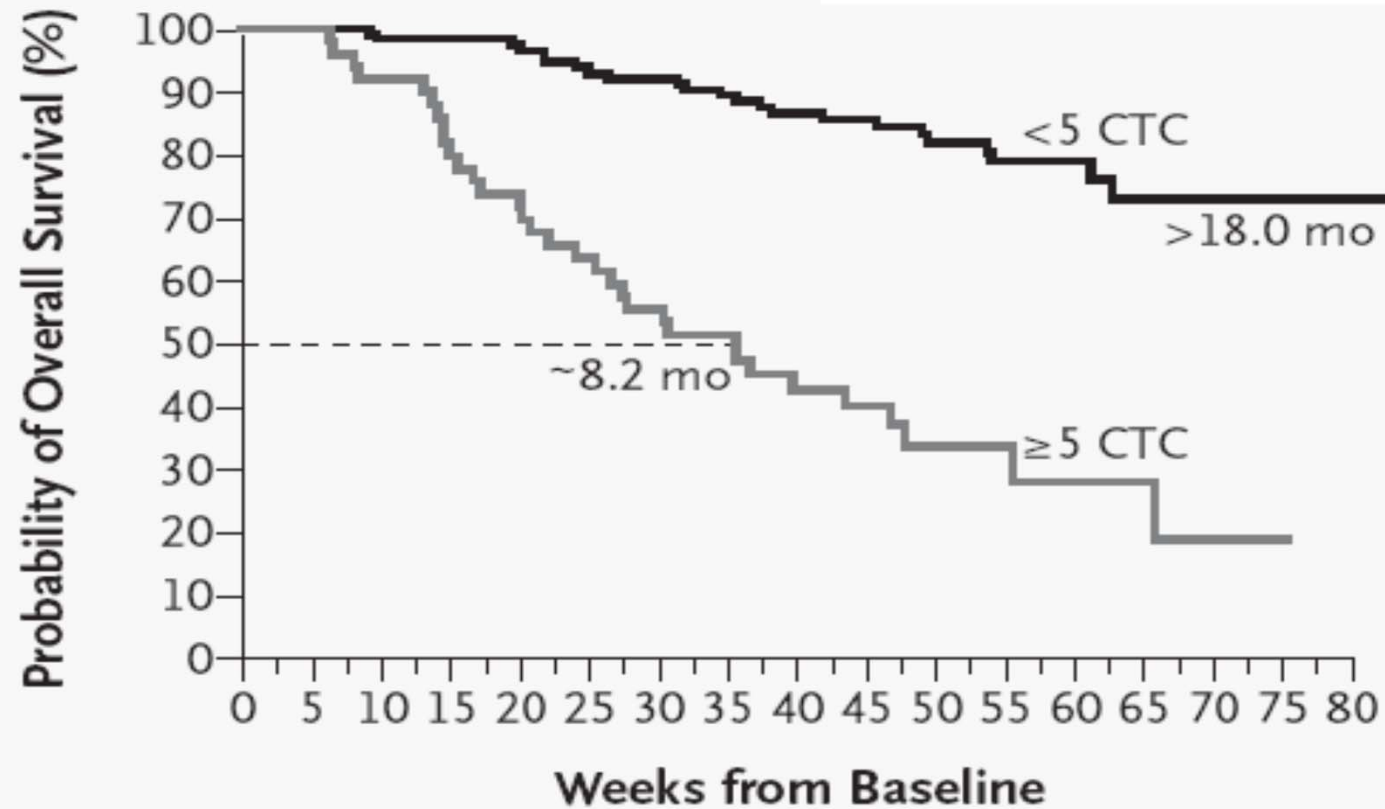
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Cultured HCT-116 EpCaM+ cells were run on the Veridex/Janssen Celltracks CTC system and evaluated for CK and DAPI expression.

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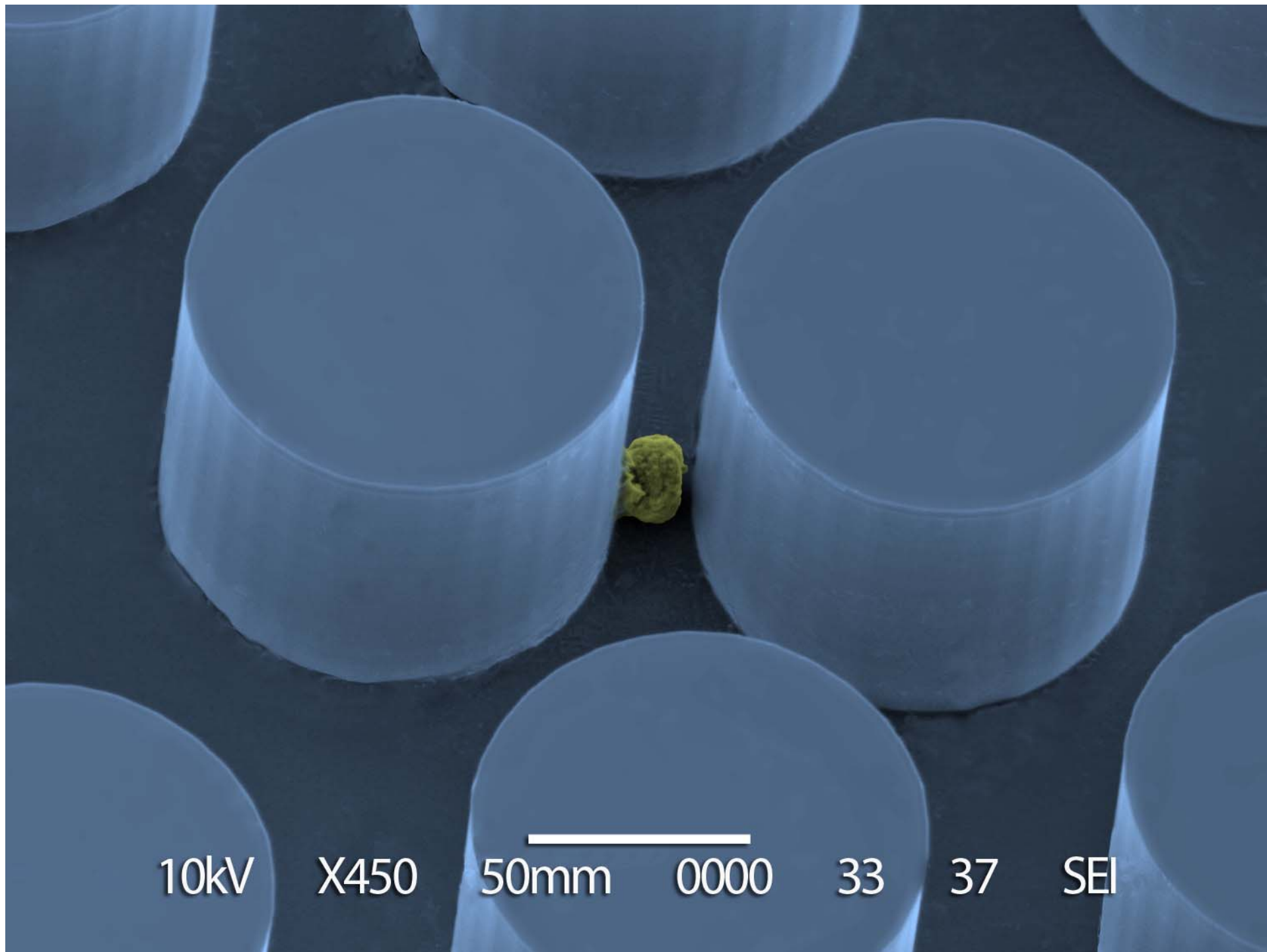
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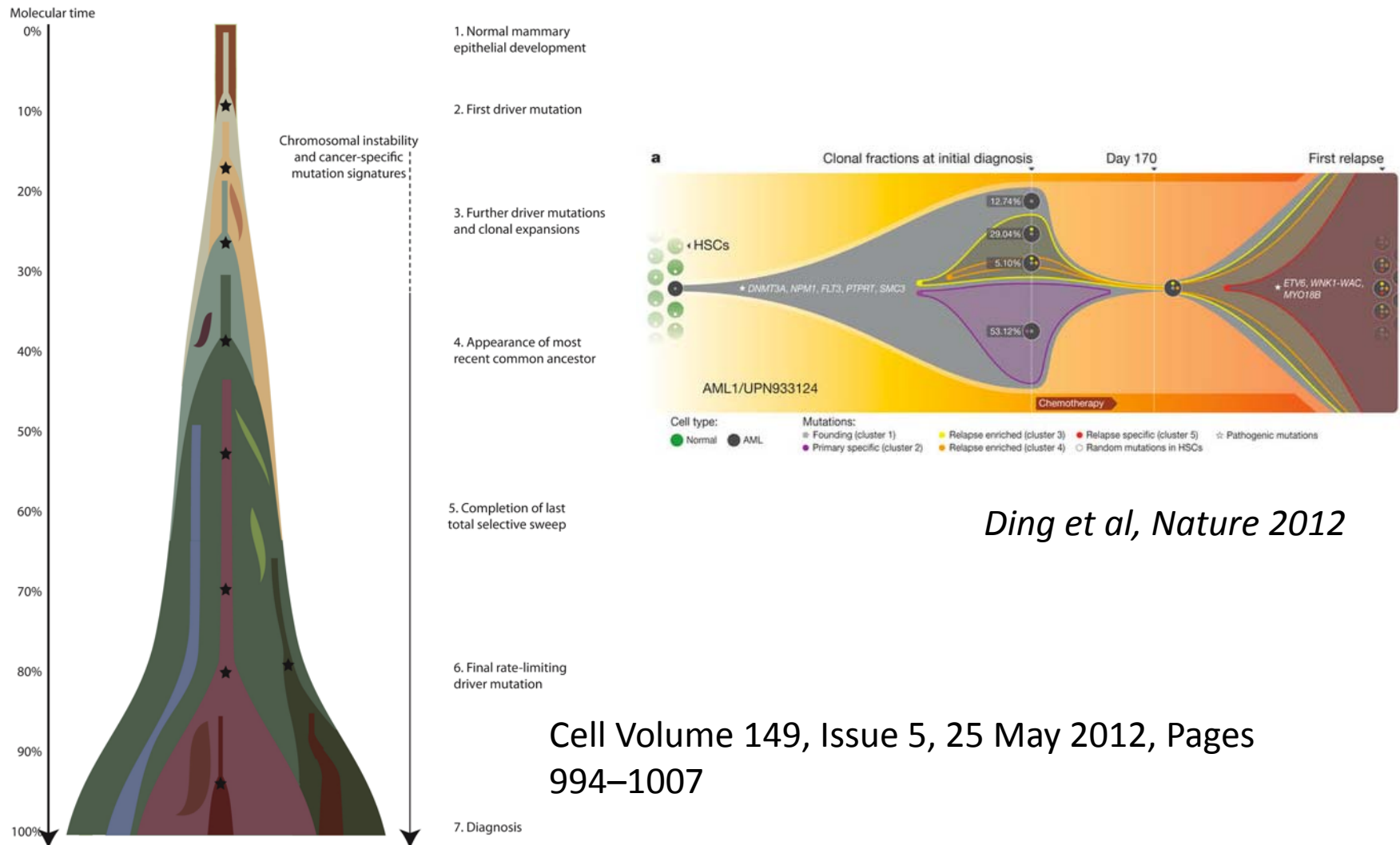
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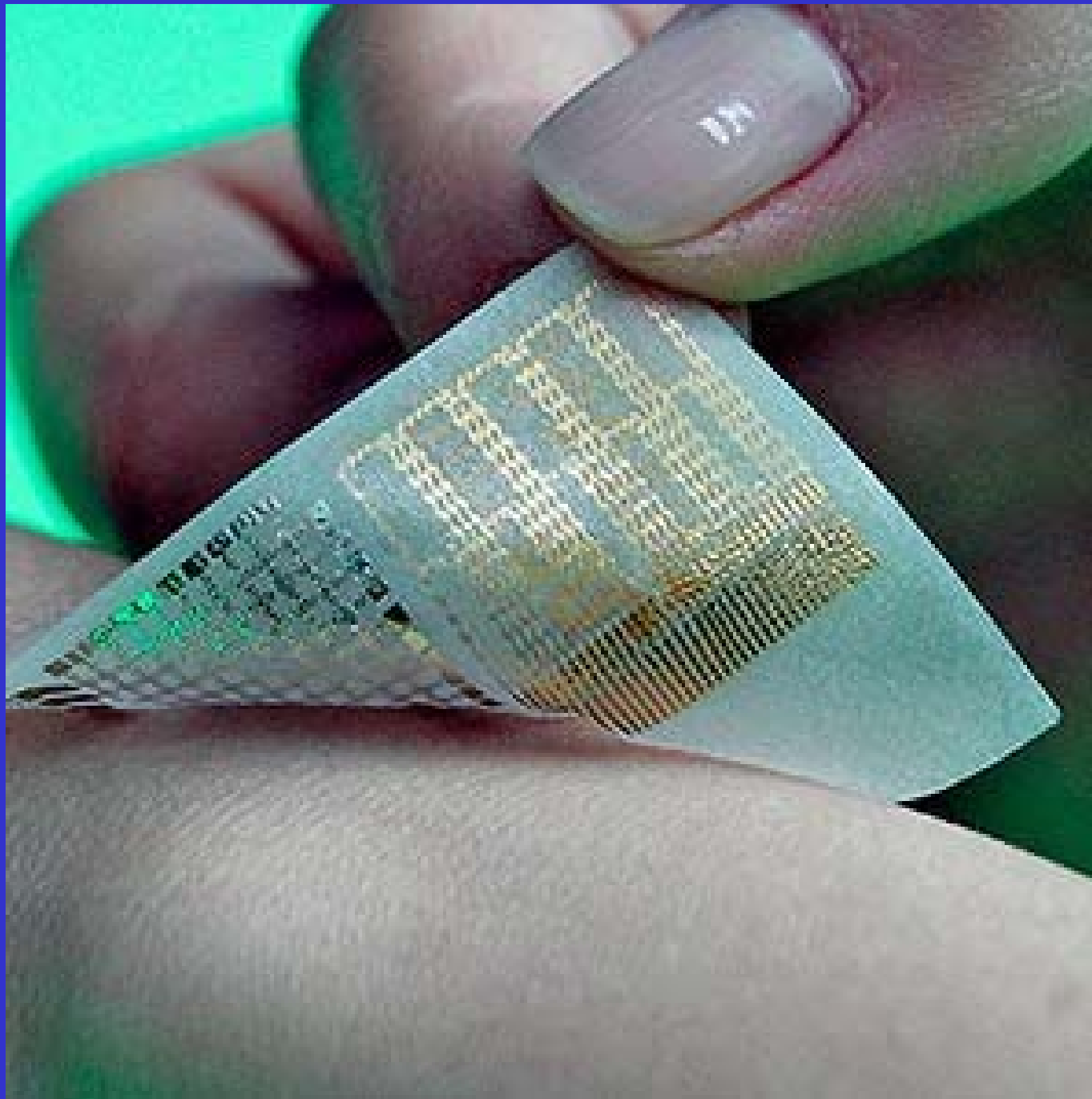
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# Heterogeneity and tumor evolution







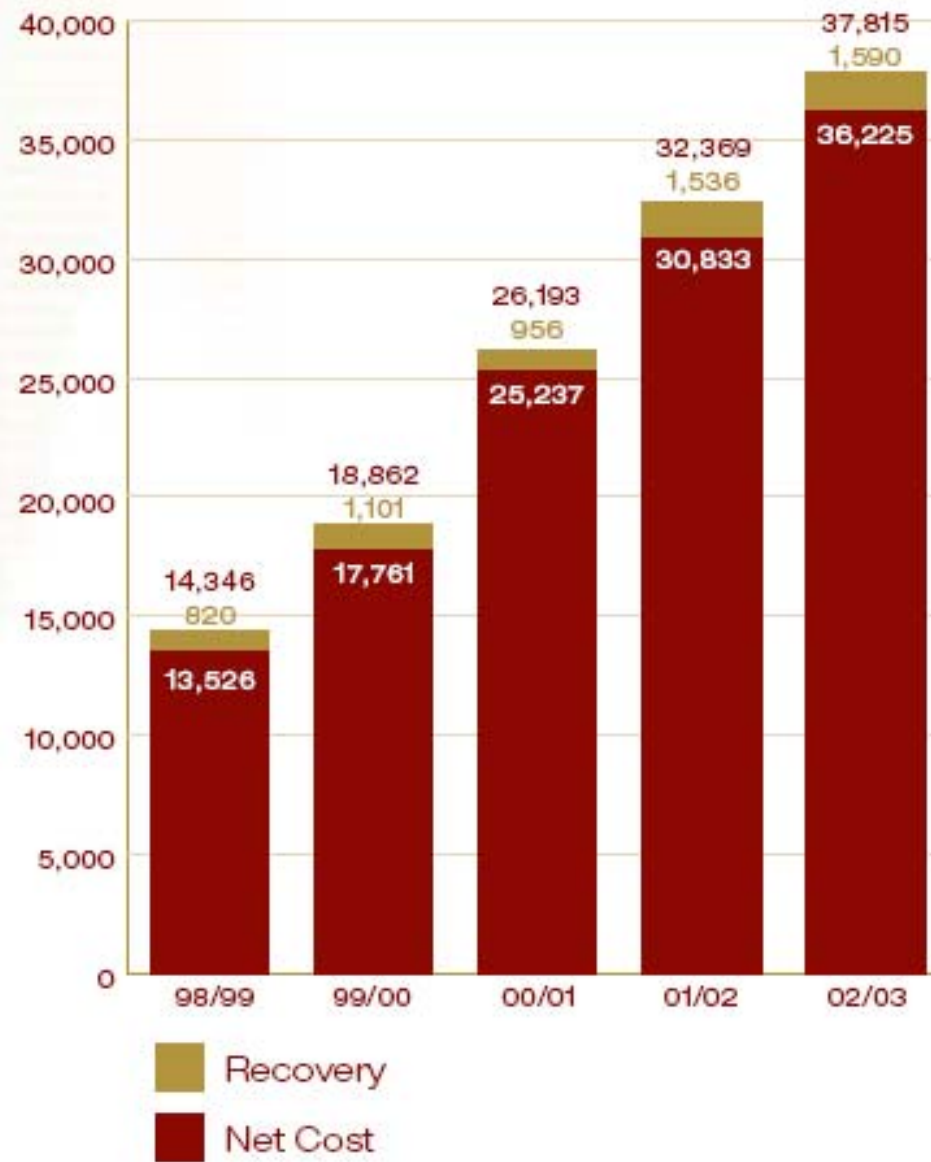
# CTCs

- FDA approved for Breast, Colon, Prostate
- Must be analyzed within 48 hrs
- Monitor response to therapy / early recurrence in metastatic setting
- Opportunity to use open channel- other antibody, FISH
- May be complementary to cell free serum circulating DNA studies

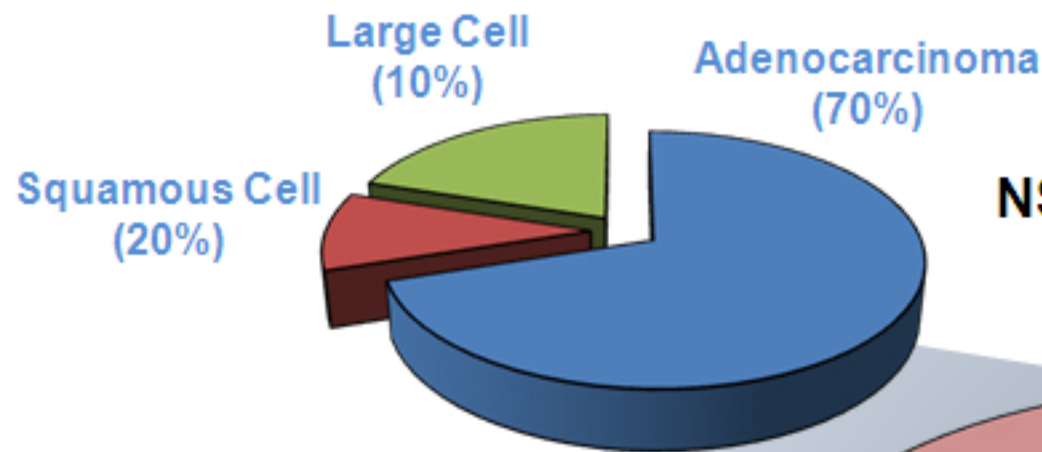
- Why do we need better biomarkers?



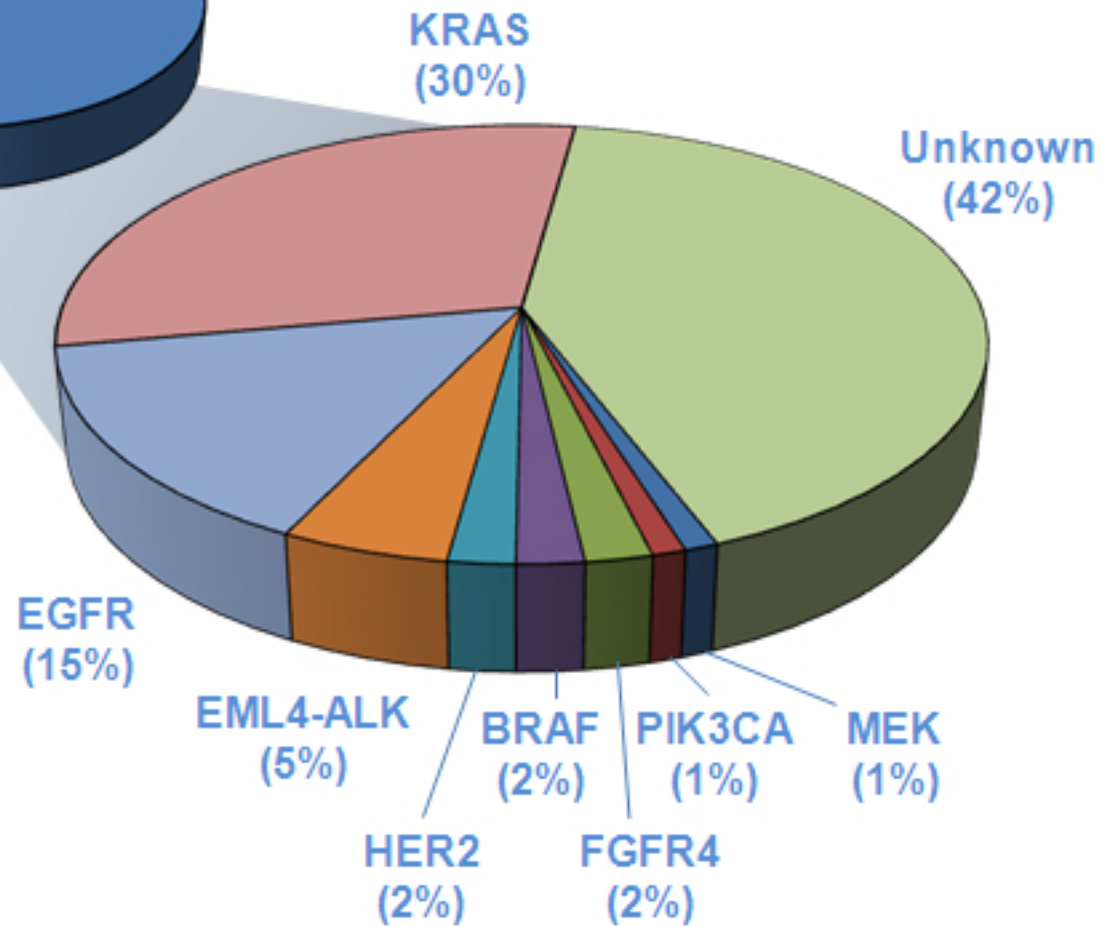
## Drug Costs

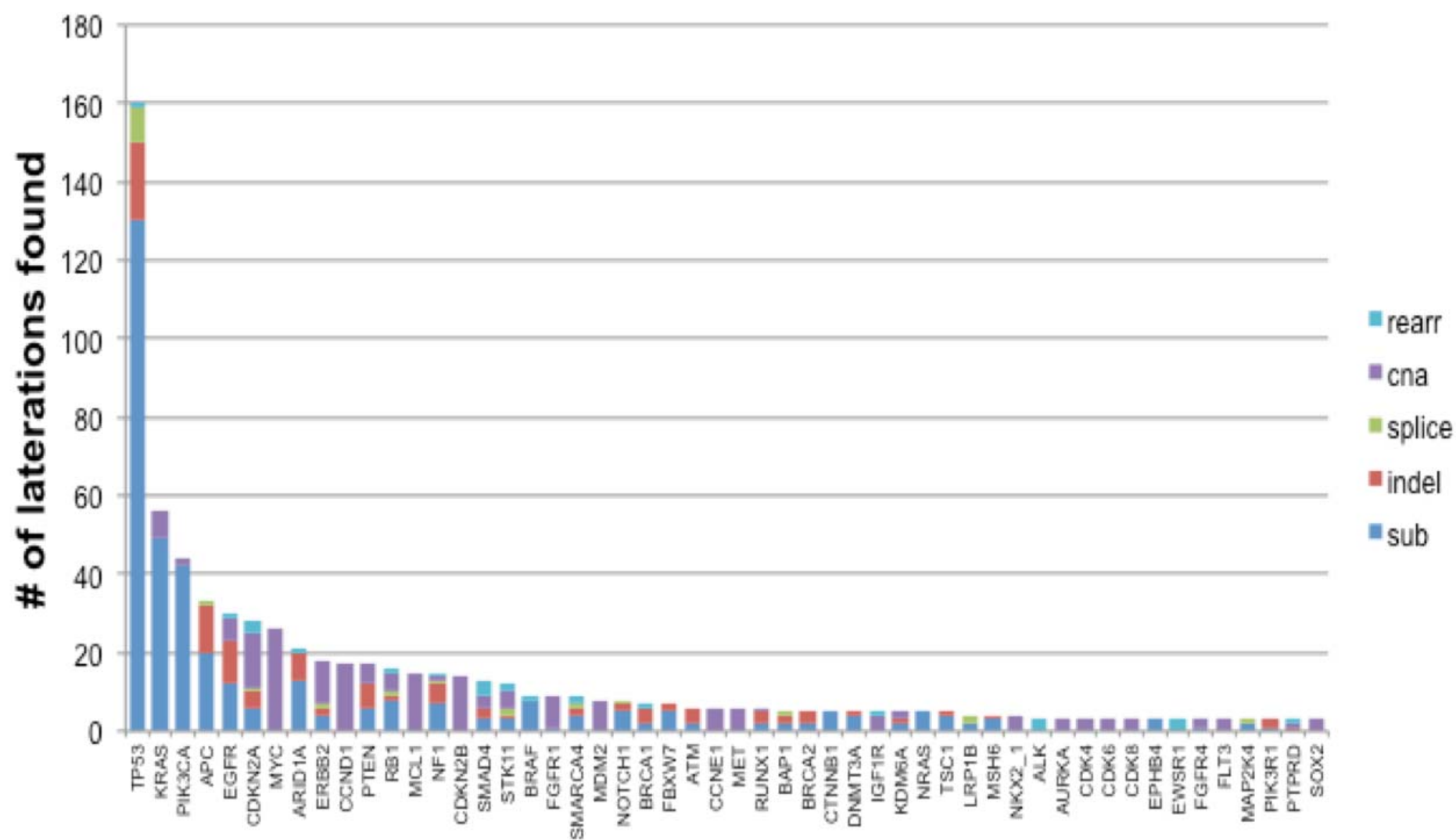


## Lung Adenocarcinomas



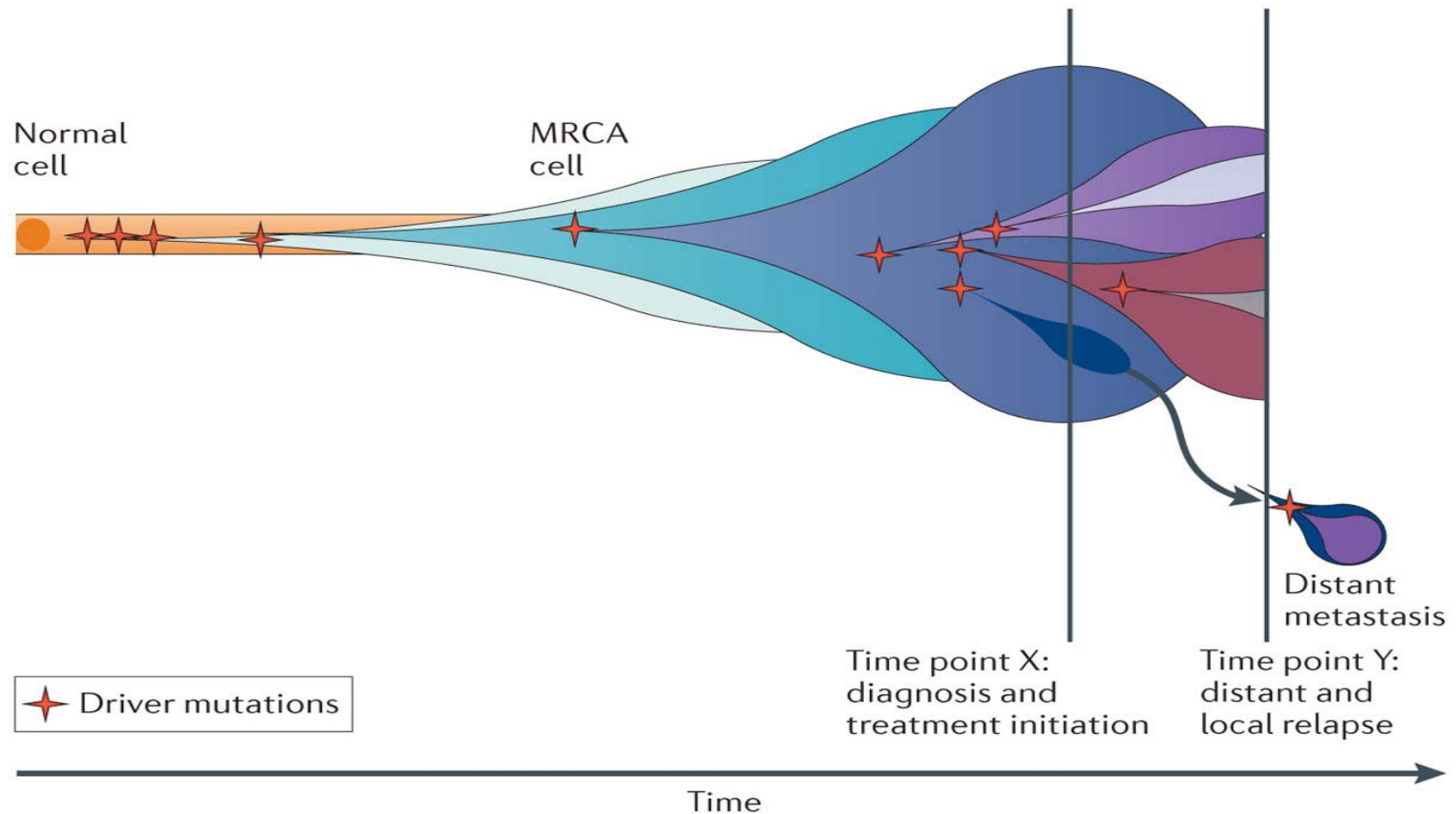
## NSCLC Heterogeneity

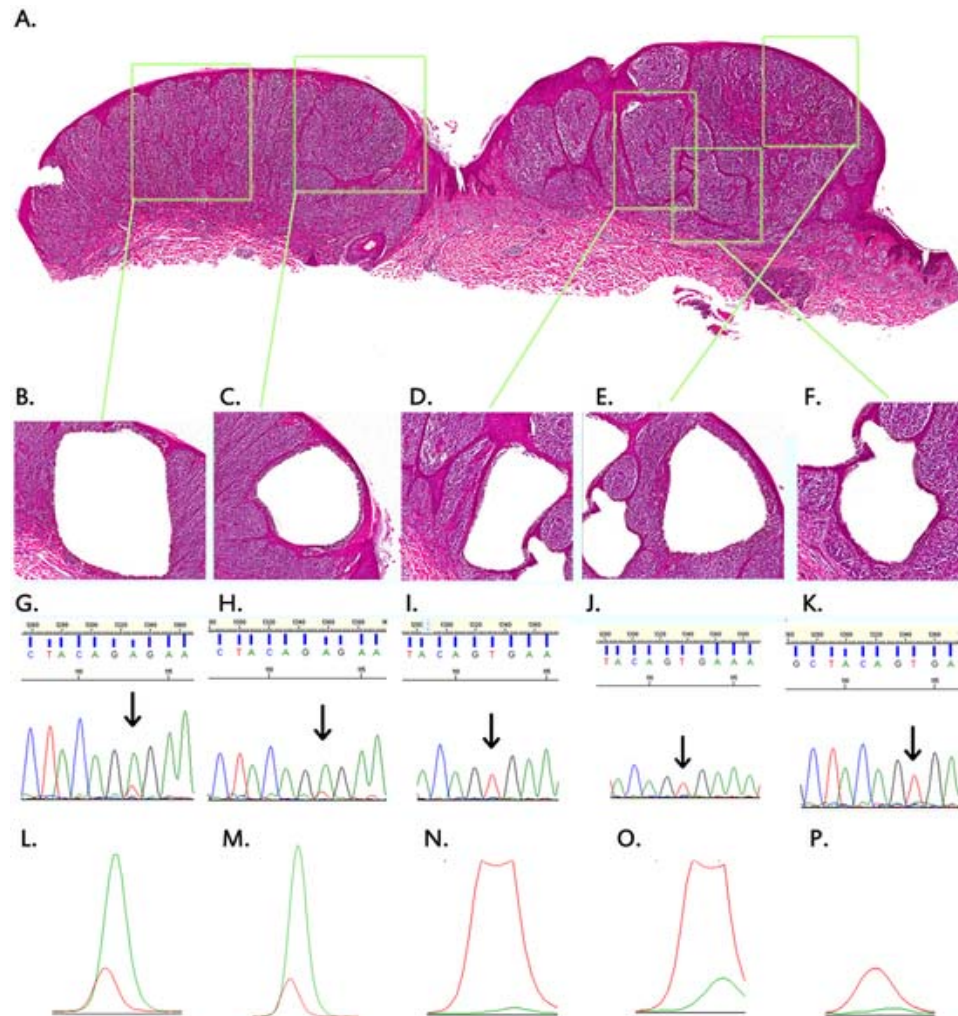






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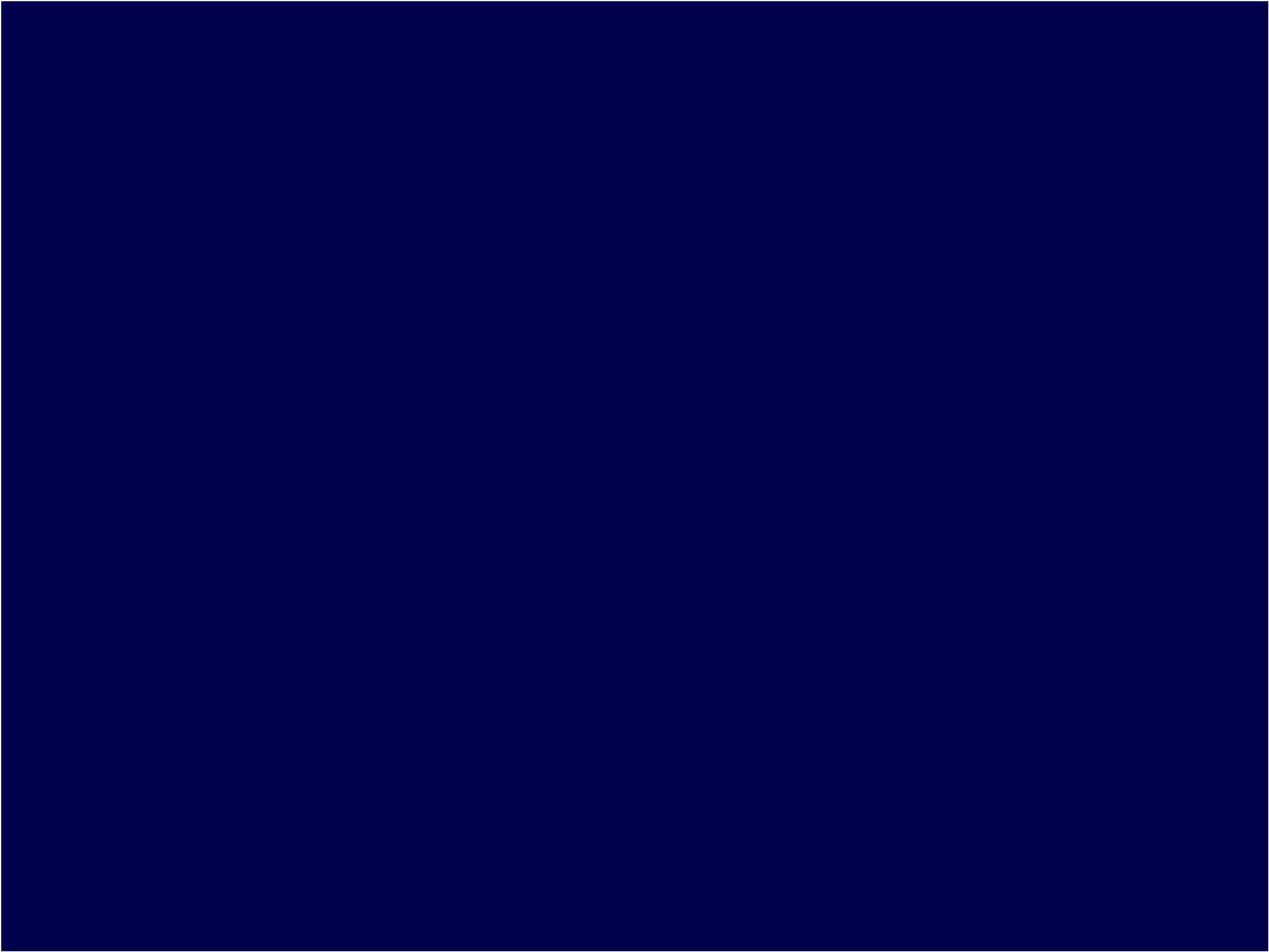




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# The Future

Better trials based on molecular selection

Adaptive designs

Better monitoring

The right treatment for the right patient at  
the right time!