



Cancer Genomics: Sequence to Action

Ricardo Brentani Memorial Lecture

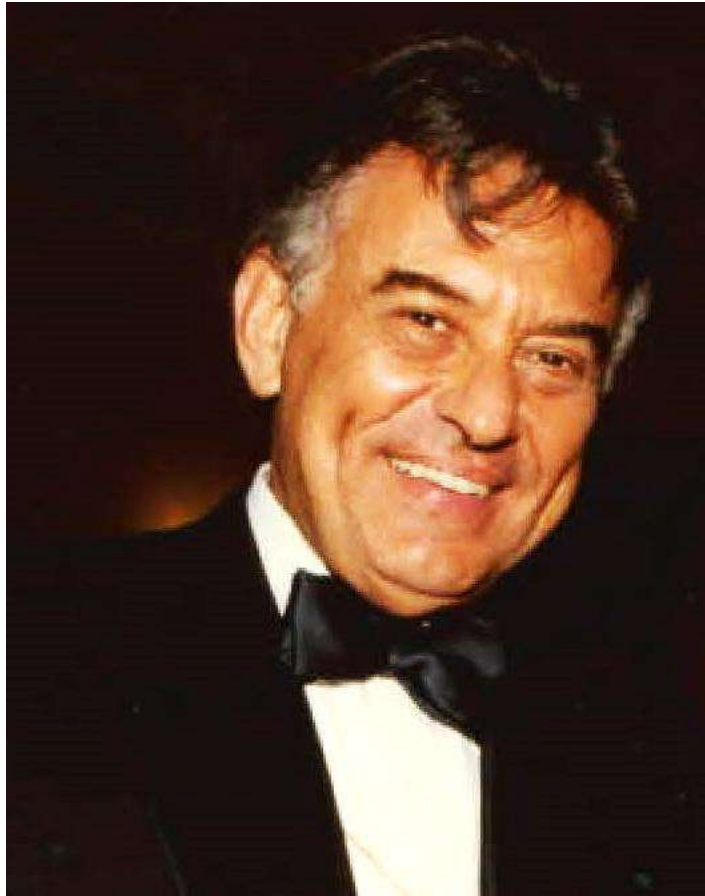
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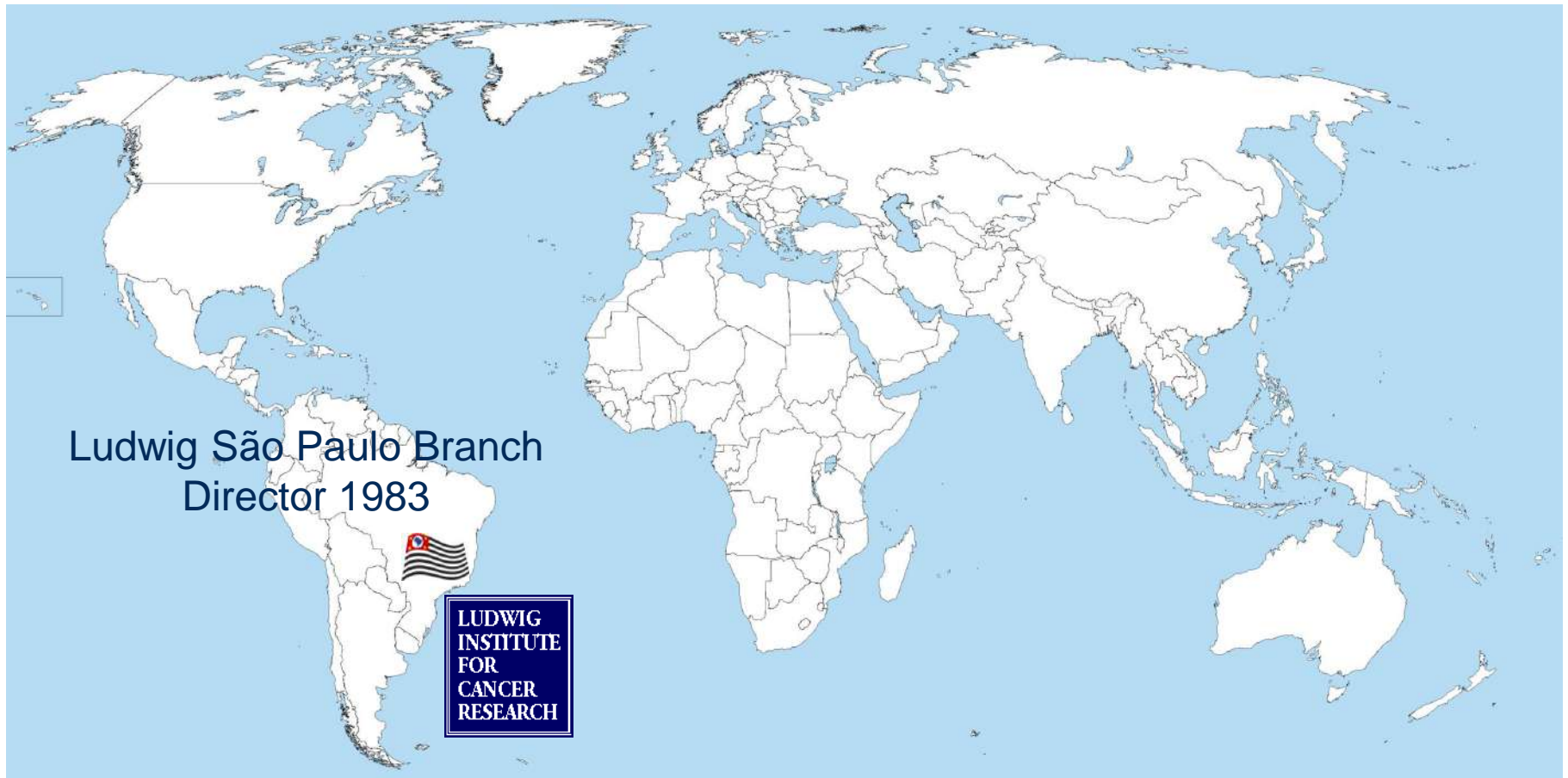


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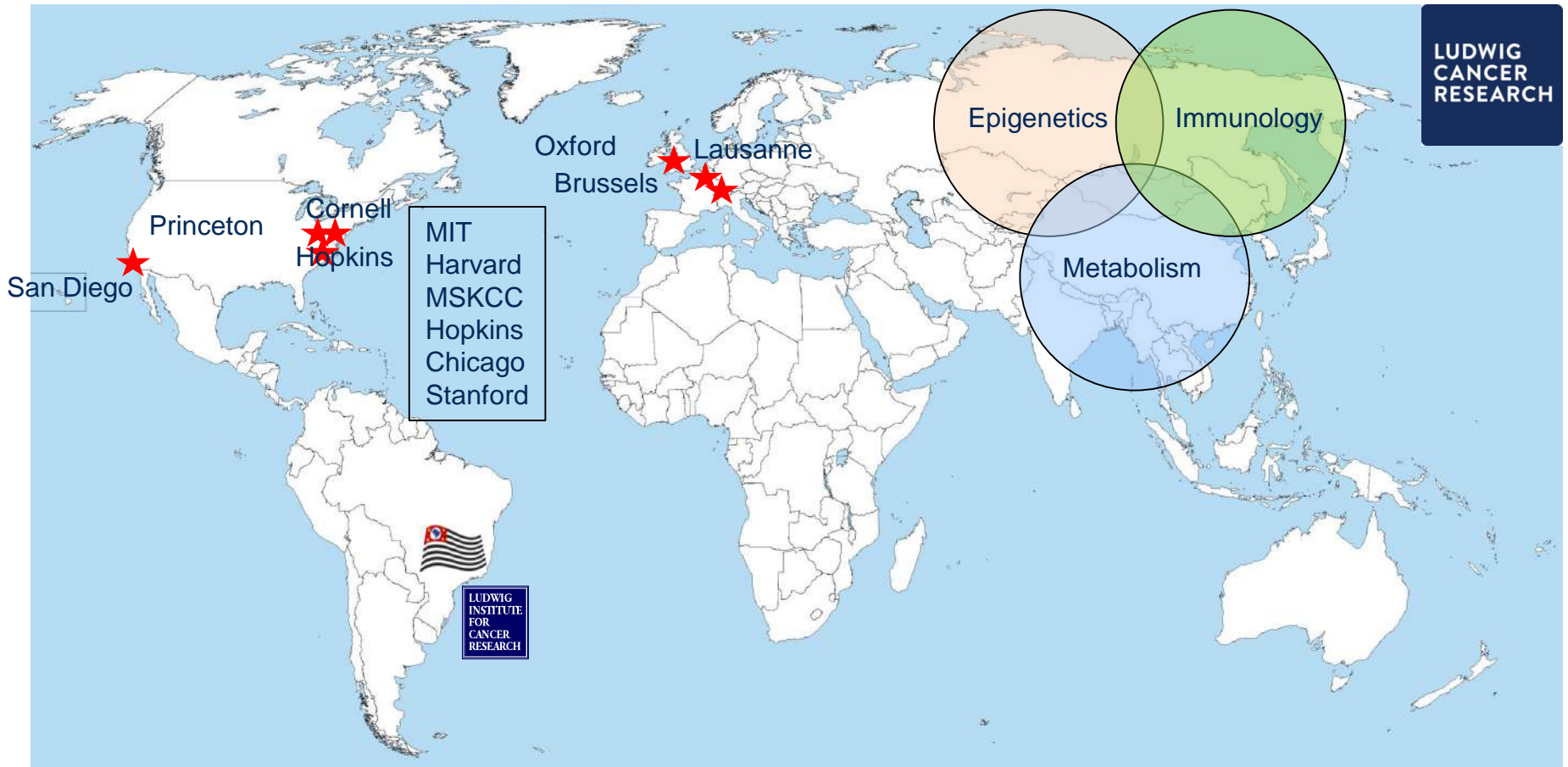
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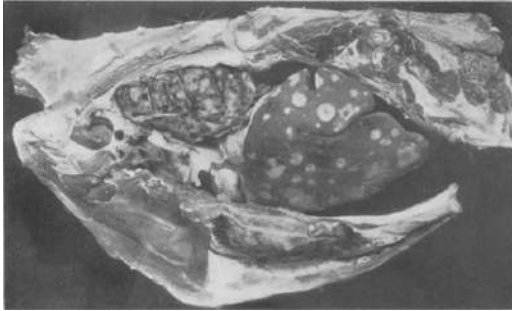
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Chickens and Cancer:

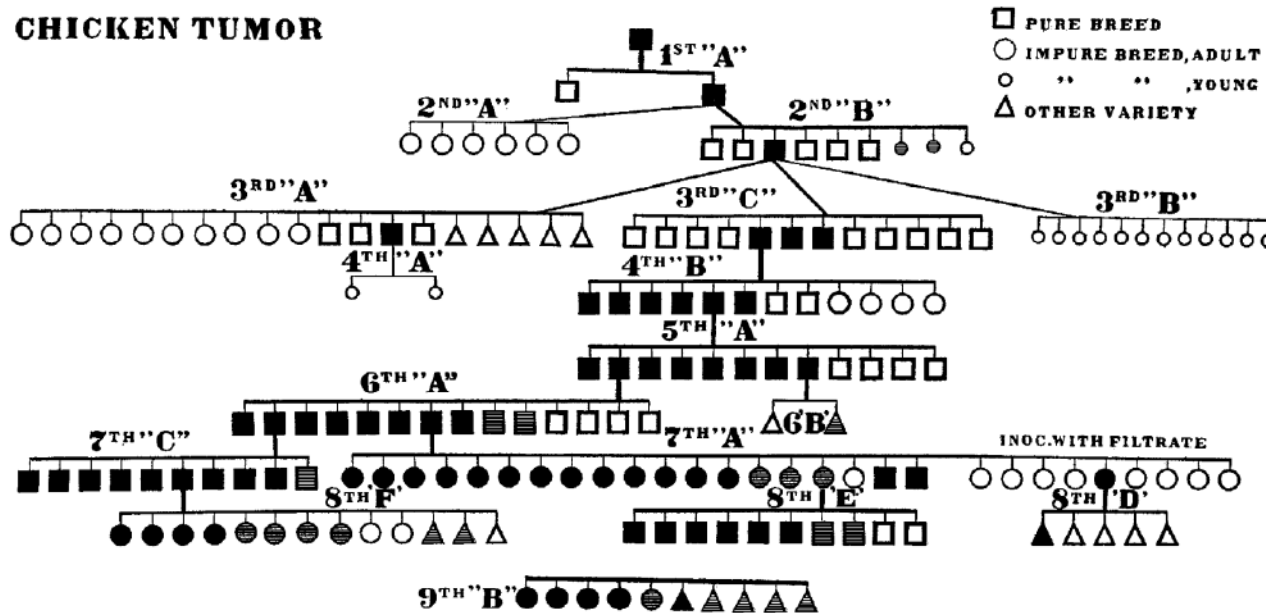


A SARCOMA OF THE FOWL TRANSMISSIBLE BY AN AGENT SEPARABLE FROM THE TUMOR CELLS.*

By PEYTON ROUS, M.D.

(From the Laboratories of the Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research, New York.) Fowl.

CHICKEN TUMOR



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Peyton Rous

B.A. (1900) and M.D. (1905) from **Johns Hopkins University**

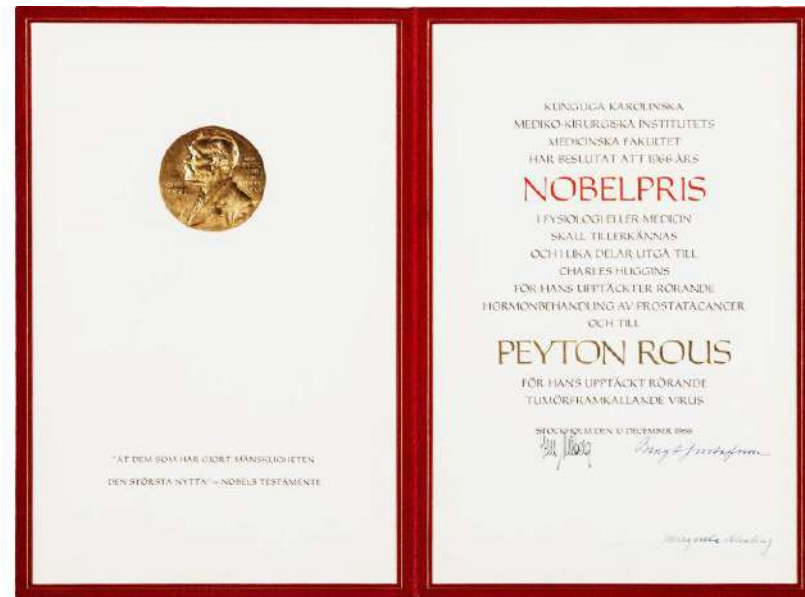
1909, Rockefeller Institute in New York City



Fig. 1. Peyton Rous at his microscope (1923) at age 44 y in his Rockefeller Institute laboratory. © Van Epps, HL (2005) Originally published in *J Exp Med* 201:320.

Rubin, PNAS 2011

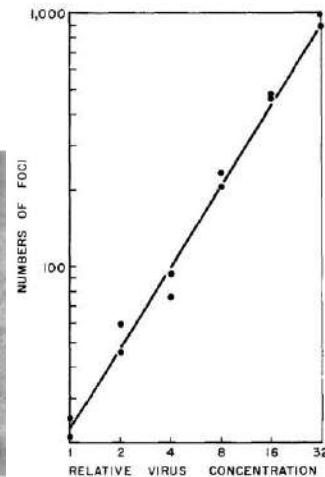
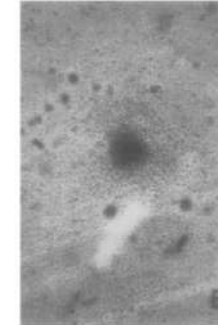
1966



Rous Sarcoma Virus

Transformation in vivo to in vitro

- Partially purified RSV: Bather
 - Br J Cancer 1957
 - Partially purified RSV
 - RNA virus
- Chicken fibroblast transformation: Temin & Rubin
 - Virology 1958; soft agar foci assay
- DNA provirus: Temin
 - PNAS 1964
- Isolation of RSV RNA: Duesberg & Vogt
 - PNAS 1970 v-*Src*
- Identification of proto-oncogene in normal avian DNA:
Stehelin, Varmus, Bishop, Vogt
 - Nature 1976 c-*Src*



Chickens and Cancer: MYC



carcinosarcoma



nephroblastoma

Myelocytomatosis

Sheiness & Bishop, J Virol 1979

“The avian carcinoma virus MC29 (MC29V) contains a sequence of approximately 1,500 nucleotides which may represent a gene responsible for tumorigenesis by MC29V. We present evidence that MC29V has acquired this nucleotide sequence from the DNA of its host.”

MC29 virus: RNA
Duesberg, Bister, Vogt PNAS 1977

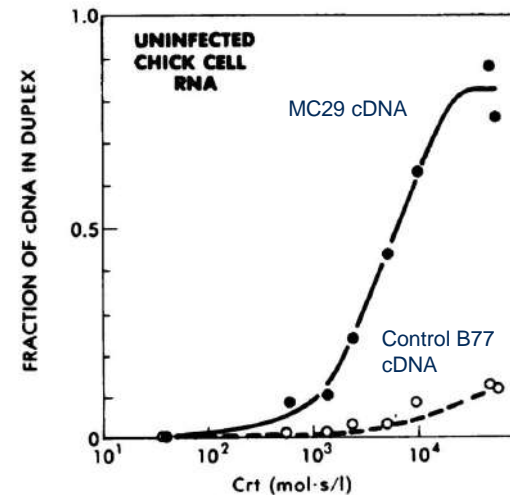
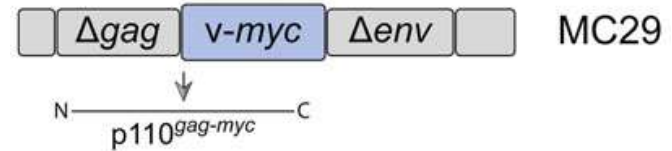


Fig. 3. Hybridization of MC29 cDNA with RNA from chicken embryo fibroblasts.

Chickens and Cancer: Cellular Proto-oncogenes to Viral Oncogenes

1989



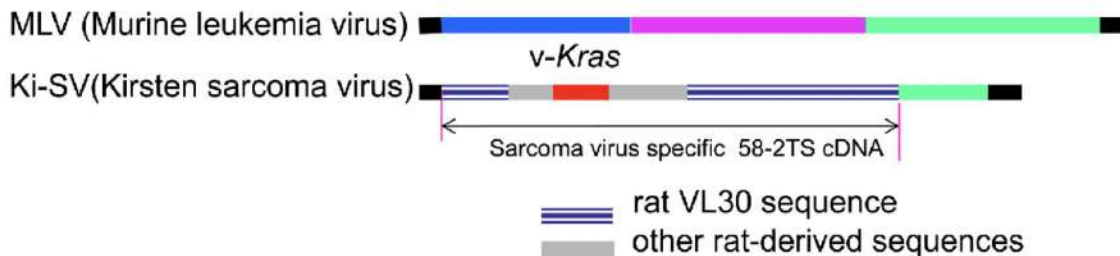
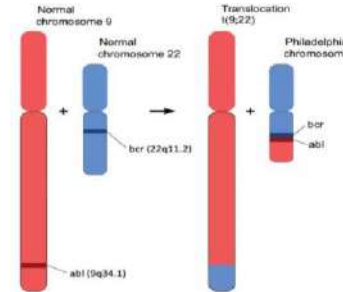
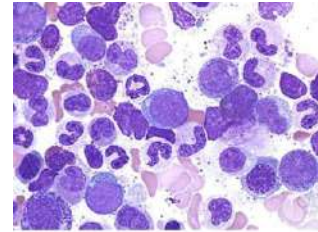
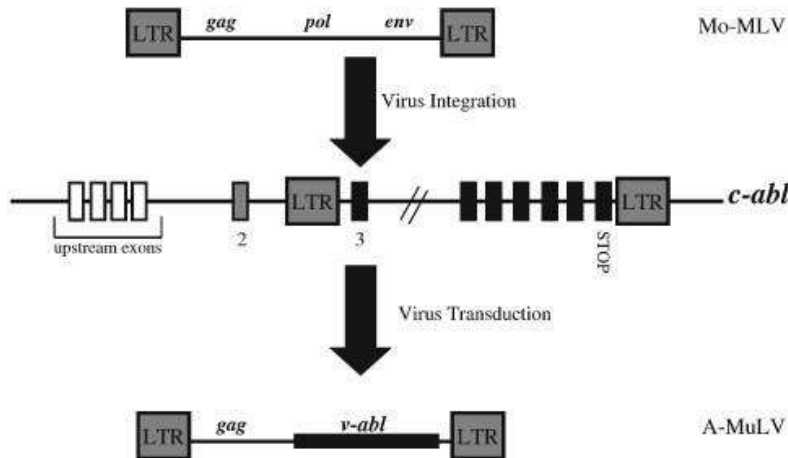
Harold Varmus & J Michael Bishop



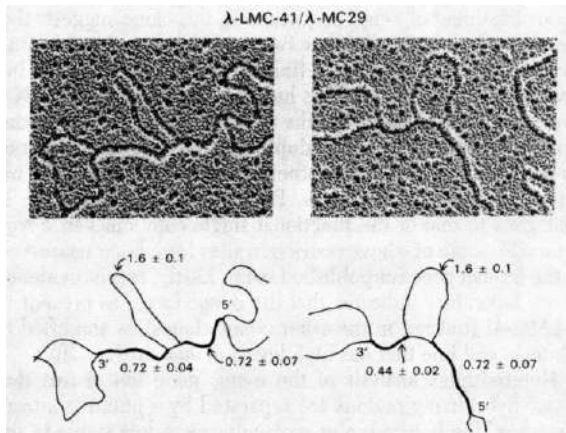
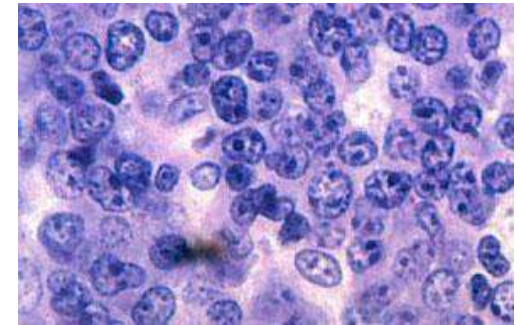
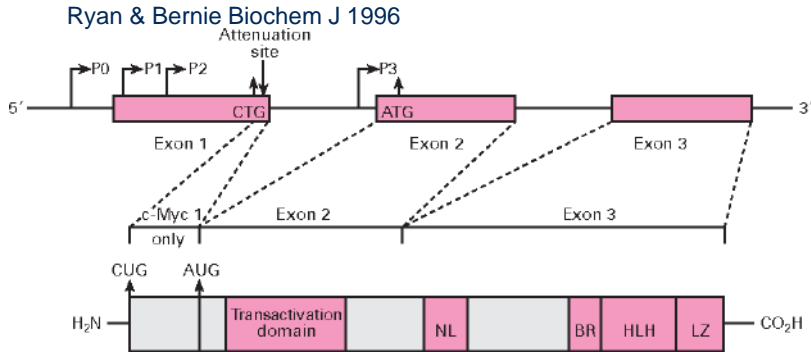
Pre-Cancer Genomics

Genome Science: AMuLV

Retrovirus Transduction: Evolution of A-MuLV

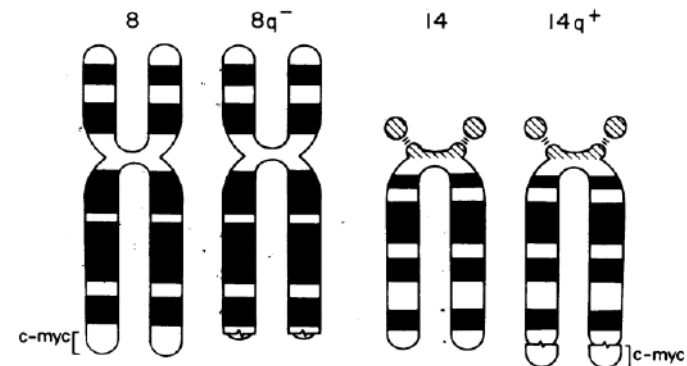


Avian Virus to Human Cancer: MYC Oncogenes



v-Myc and human genomic DNA phage clone
Hybridization EM

Dalla-Favera et al *PNAS*, Nov & Dec 1982
Taub et al. *PNAS*, 1982



2-Hit Hypothesis: Tumor Suppressor

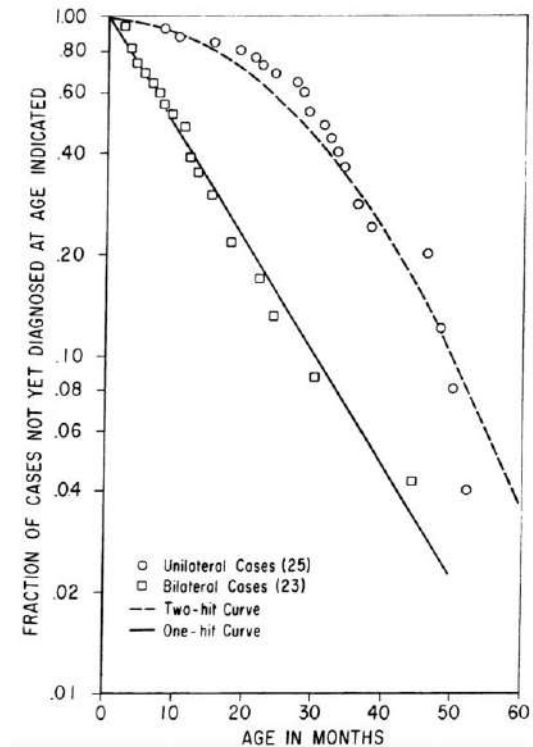
Knudson PNAS 1971:

“Mutation and Cancer: Statistical Study of Retinoblastoma”

ABSTRACT Based upon observations on 48 cases of retinoblastoma and published reports, the hypothesis is developed that retinoblastoma is a cancer caused by two mutational events. In the dominantly inherited form, one mutation is inherited via the germinal cells and the second occurs in somatic cells. In the nonhereditary form, both mutations occur in somatic cells.

The second mutation produces an average of three retinoblastomas per individual inheriting the first mutation. Using Poisson statistics, one can calculate that this number (three) can explain the occasional gene carrier who gets no tumor, those who develop only unilateral tumors, and those who develop bilateral tumors, as well as explaining instances of multiple tumors in one eye.

This value for the mean number of tumors occurring in genetic carriers may be used to estimate the mutation rate for each mutation. The germinal and somatic rates for the first, and the somatic rate for the second, mutation, are approximately equal. The germinal mutation may arise in some instances from a delayed mutation.



2-Hit Hypothesis: Tumor Suppressor

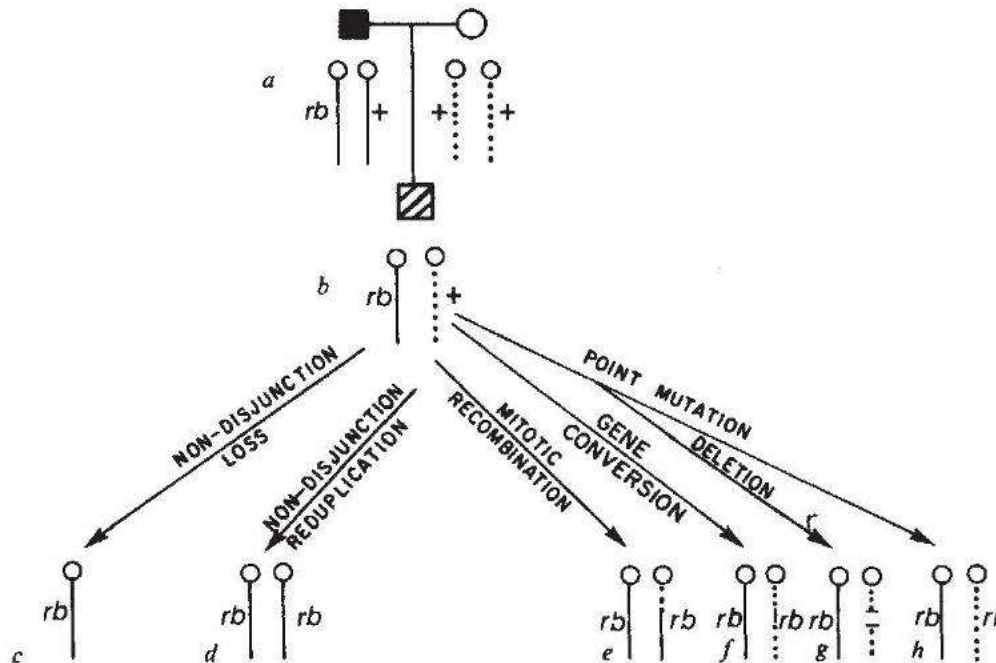
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1983

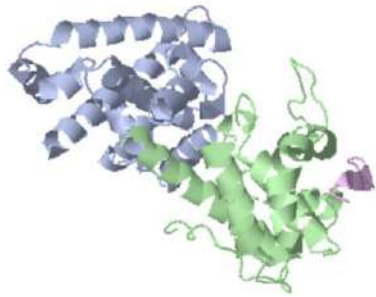
Expression of recessive alleles by chromosomal mechanisms in retinoblastoma

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Cavenee:
Ludwig San Diego
1991-2015

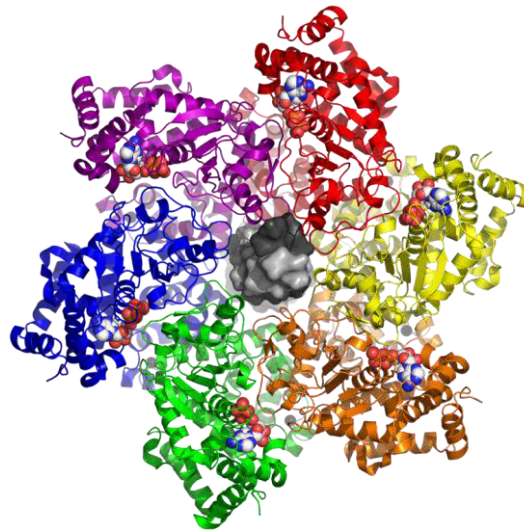
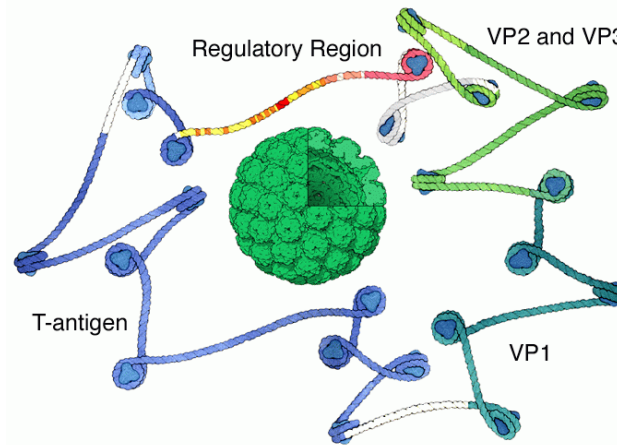


SV40 and Tumor Suppressors

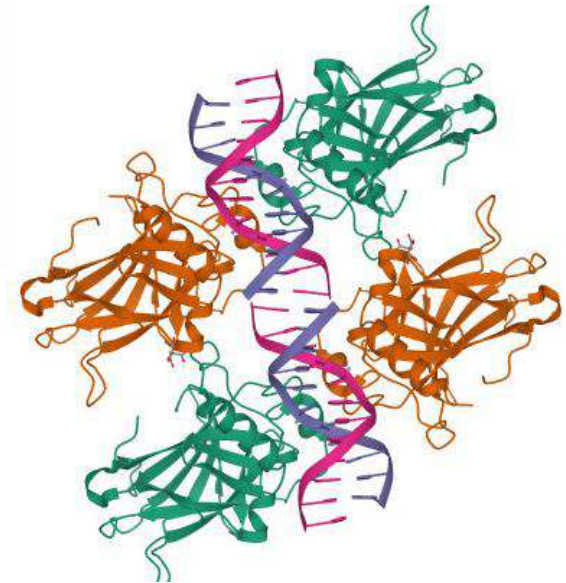


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Livingston
1988

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SV40 Large T



p53

1979: Lane, Levine, May

Lane
LICR 2013-2015

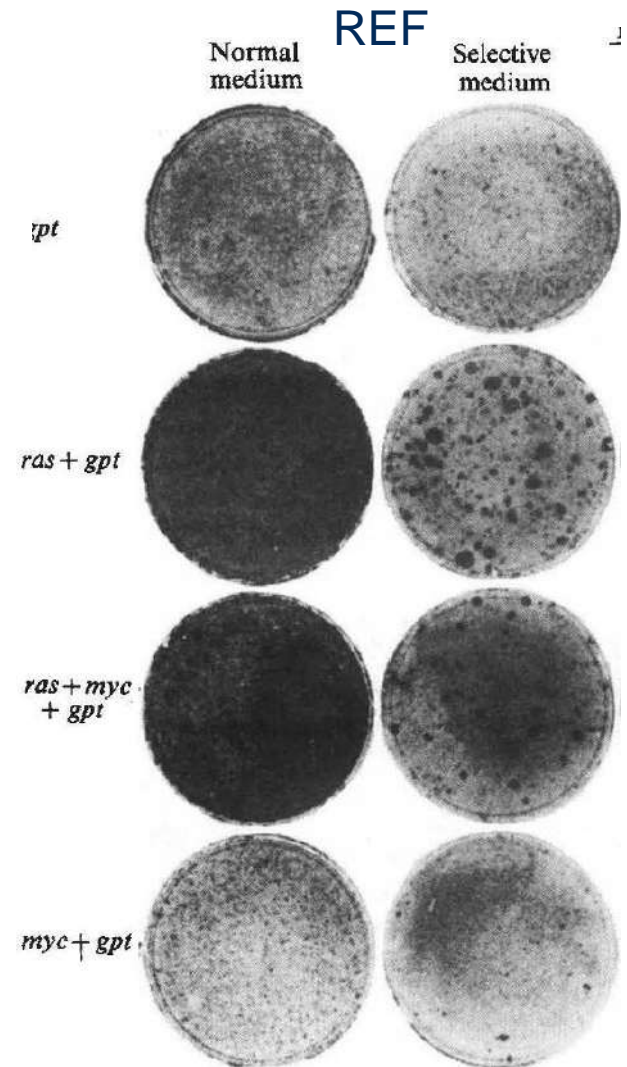
Multi-step Tumorigenesis

nature
1983

Tumorigenic conversion of primary embryo fibroblasts requires at least two cooperating oncogenes

Hartmut Land, Luis F. Parada & Robert A. Weinberg

Weinberg
Ludwig MIT Center



Multi-step Tumorigenesis

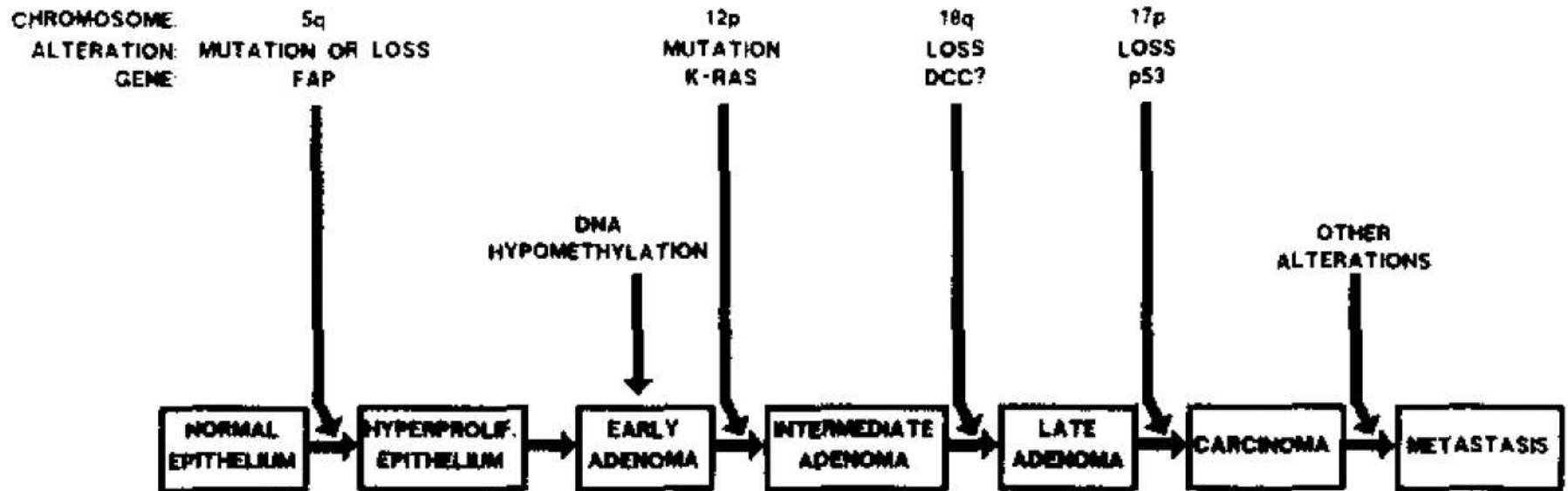
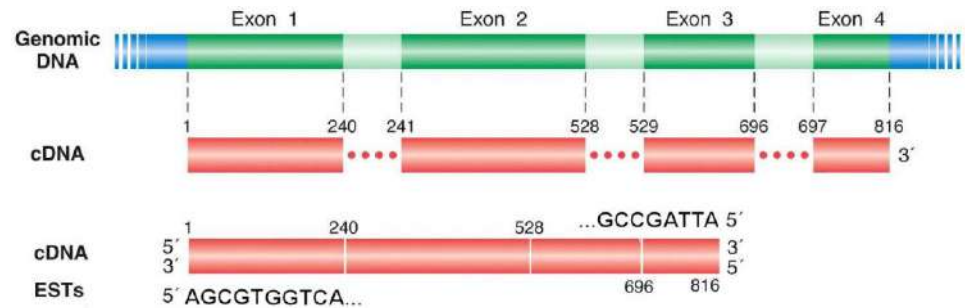
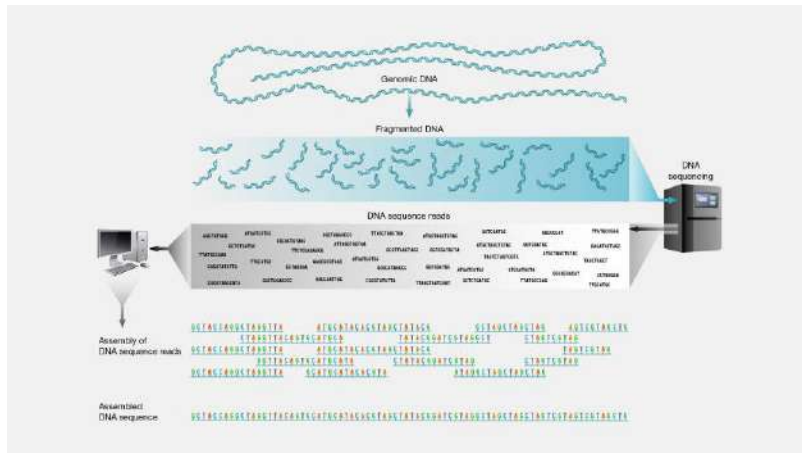
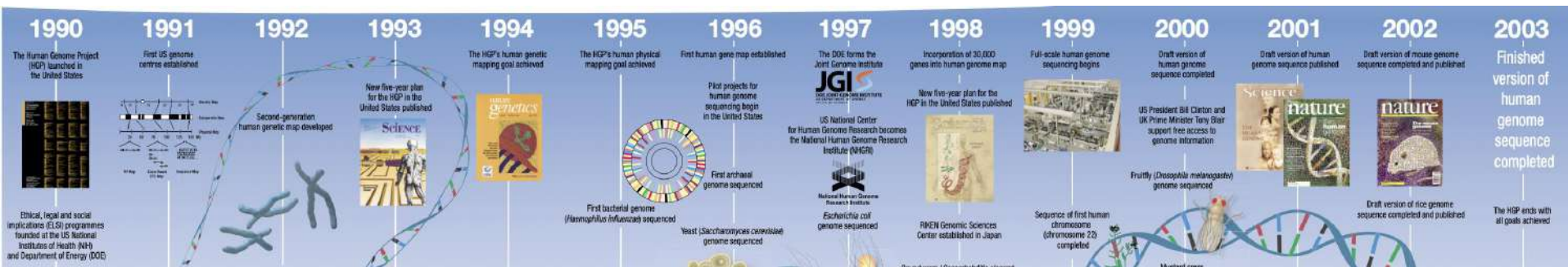


Figure 3. A Genetic Model for Colorectal Tumorigenesis

Fearon & Vogelstein Cell 1990

Vogelstein
Ludwig Hopkins Center

Human Genome Project 1990-2003



Brazilian scientists team up for cancer genome project

[SÃO PAULO] Brazilian researchers have entered the competitive field of human genome sequencing with the signing of an agreement between the state funding agency of São Paulo (FAPESP) and the US-based Ludwig Institute for Cancer Research.

Each will contribute US\$5 million to a two-year Human Cancer Genome Project. According to FAPESP, the programme is "aimed at providing sequences from genes expressed in tumours that are important within the context of public health in the state of São Paulo".

Expressed Sequence Tags (ESTs)

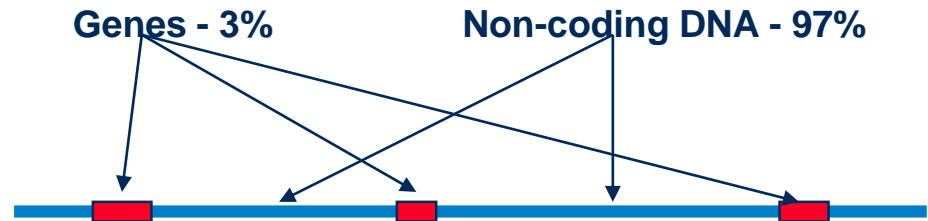
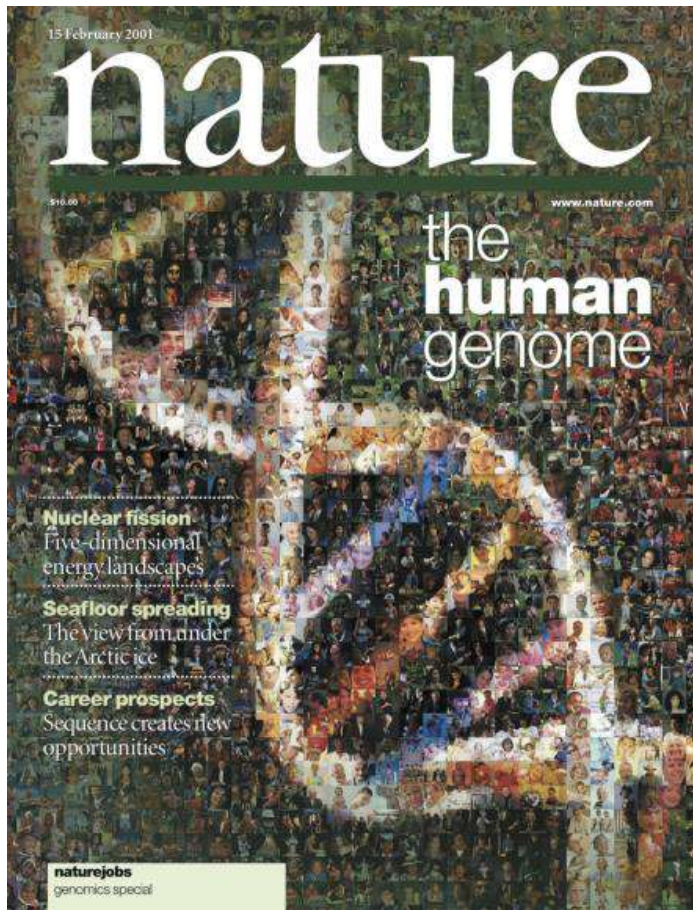
Brazilian science Fruits of co-operation

SAO PAULO

SAMBA, football and...genomics. The list of things for which Brazil is renowned has suddenly got longer. Only a few days after publishing, on July 13th, the first-ever sequence of the genome of a plant pathogen, scientists at Sao Paulo's state research agency, Fapesp, were due to announce, on July 21st, another success—the composition of 279,000 human expressed-sequence tags, small pieces of DNA that allow genes to be located along chromosomes. Only in America and Britain have more than that number of human ESTs been identified.

Human Genome Sequencing

15 February 2001



PNAS 2001

The contribution of 700,000 ORF sequence tags to the definition of the human transcriptome

Anamaria A. Carmago, .. , Ricardo R. Brentani, Andrew J.G. Simpson and Sandro J. de Souza

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Comp Funct Genom 2001; 2: 169–175.

DOI: 10.1002/cfg.81



Review Article

Definition of the gene content of the human genome: the need for deep experimental verification

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nature

October 16, 1997

Brazil to sequence 'first plant pathogen'

[SÃO PAULO] The creation of a network of laboratories in São Paulo state, Brazil, to sequence the complete genome of a microorganism was announced last week by the Foundation for the Support of Research of the State of São Paulo (FAPESP), the state funding agency.

The Organisation for Nucleotide Sequencing and Analysis will first tackle the bacterium *Xylella fastidiosa*, the causal agent of many economically important plant diseases, particularly citrus variegated chlorosis, which poses a major threat to São Paulo's orange cultivation. This is thought to be the first plant pathogen genome to have been sequenced.

Citrus variegated chlorosis: first

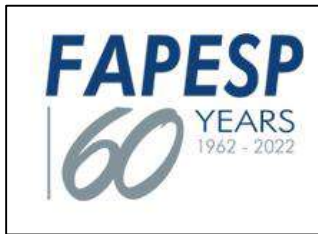
pest, with obvious gains to the state's economy. It will also help to forge links between research centres and the private sector, which is contributing to the cost of the project.

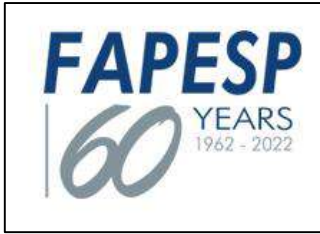
The state says that it is keen to create a network of laboratories that will "significantly increase the number of laboratories in the state capable of using modern molecular biology techniques".

The project will be overseen by a five-member steering committee consisting of three international experts in genome sequencing and two researchers from São Paulo state. Two of the experts, André Goffeau of the University of Louvain in Belgium and Steve Oliver of the University

São Paulo Genome Annotation

February 2000





Brasilia

March 25, 2000



*Xylella
fastidiosa*



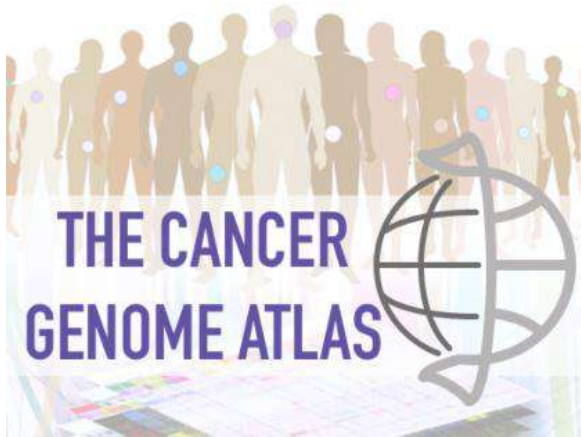
July 13, 2000



Simpson
LICR 2007

Courtesy of Andy Simpson

Cancer Genome Sequencing

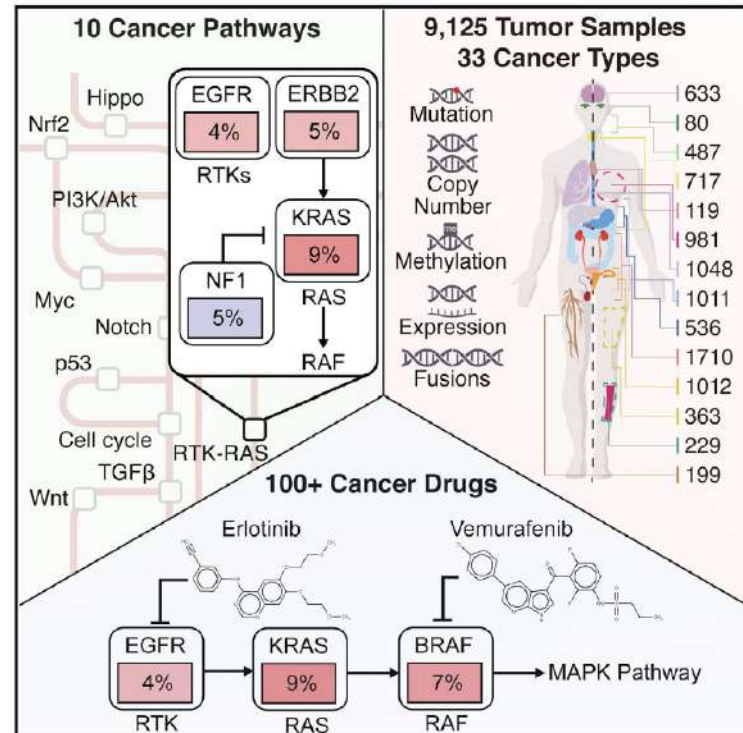


2006: Launch
 2010: 20 cancers
 2018: Pan-Cancer Atlas
 10,000 Tumors
 33 Tumor Types



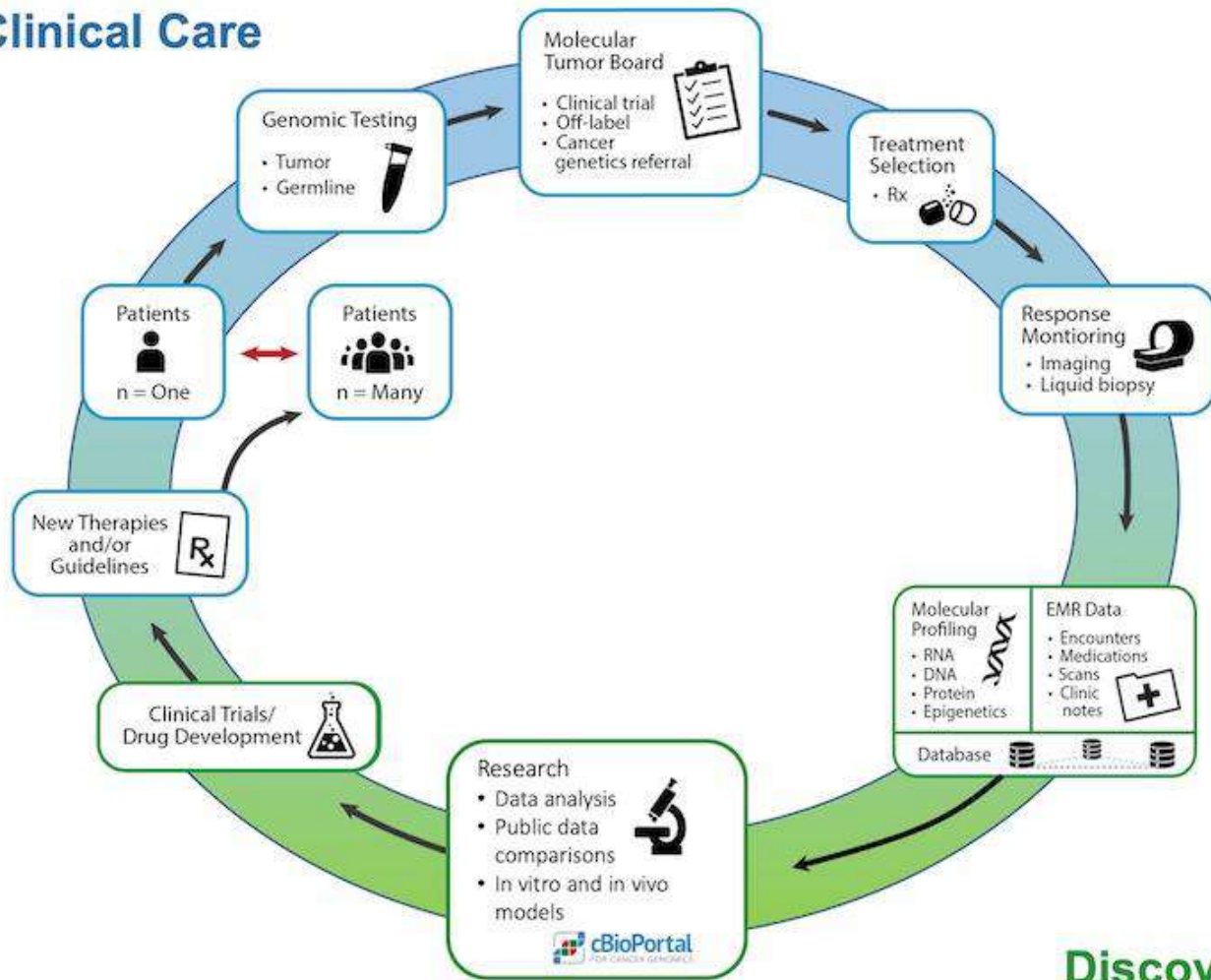
International
 Cancer Genome
 Consortium

LESSONS:
 Oncogenic Signaling Pathways
 Mutations of Epigenetic Modifiers
 Role of Non-coding RNAs

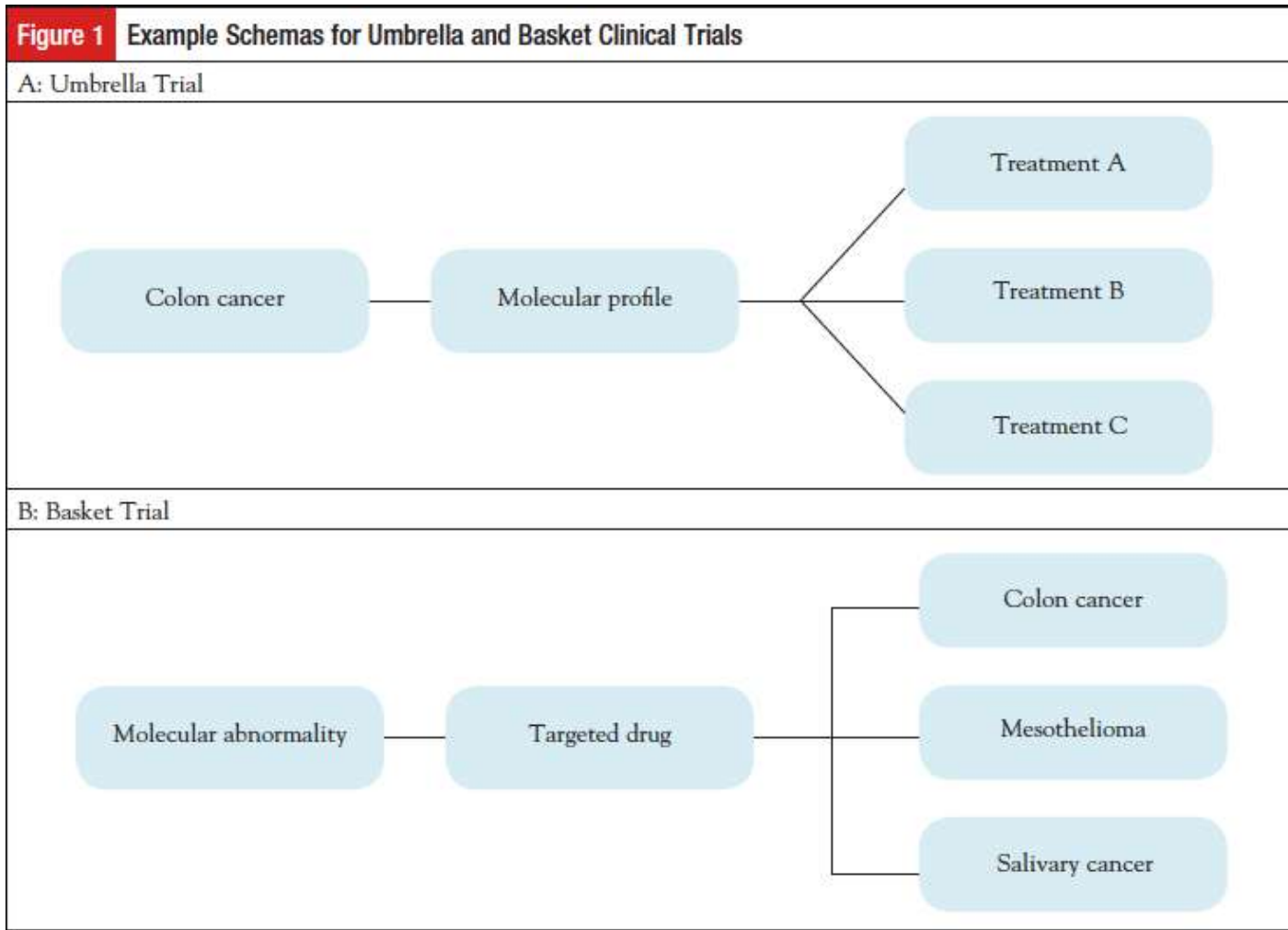


Cancer Genome: Tumor Boards

Clinical Care



Cancer Genome: Precision Oncology



PMO 2016

Cancer Genome: Germline Risks & Interception

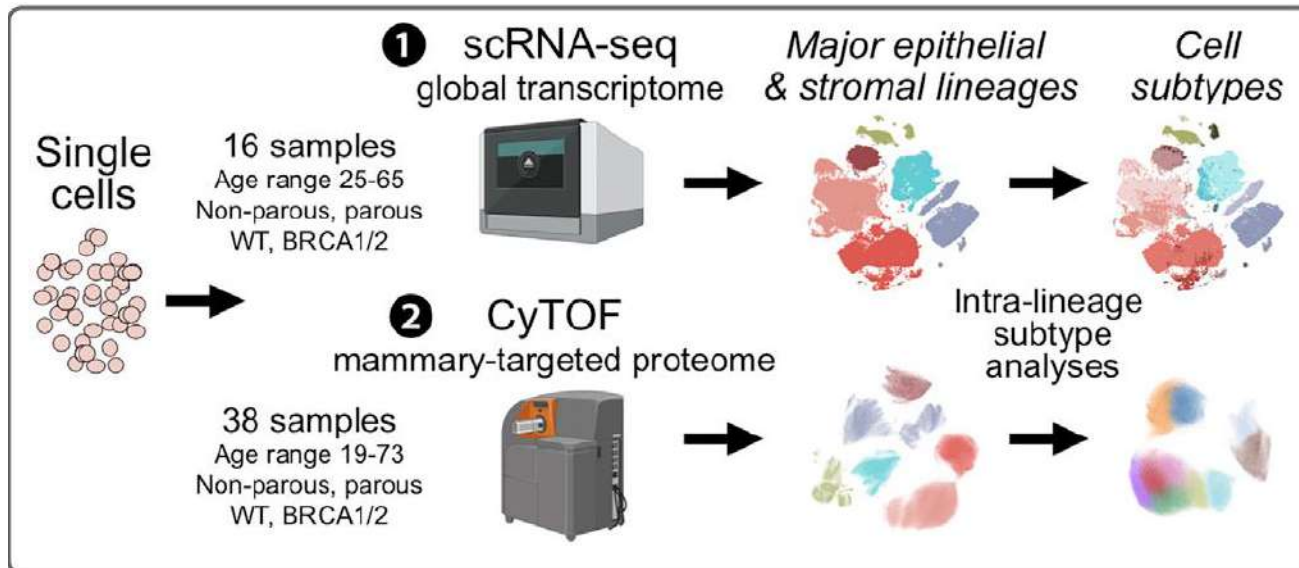
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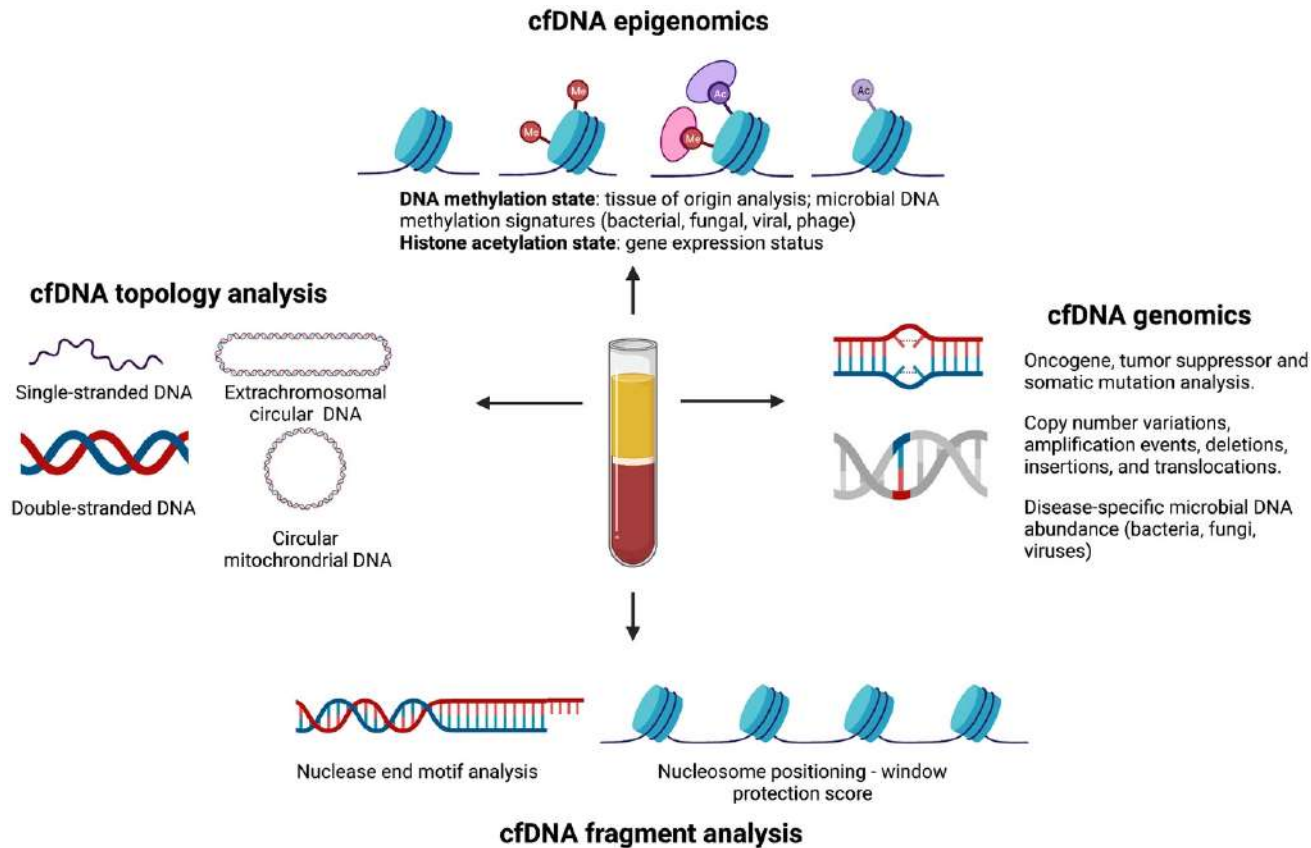
Resource Dev Cell 2022
**A human breast atlas integrating
single-cell proteomics and transcriptomics**

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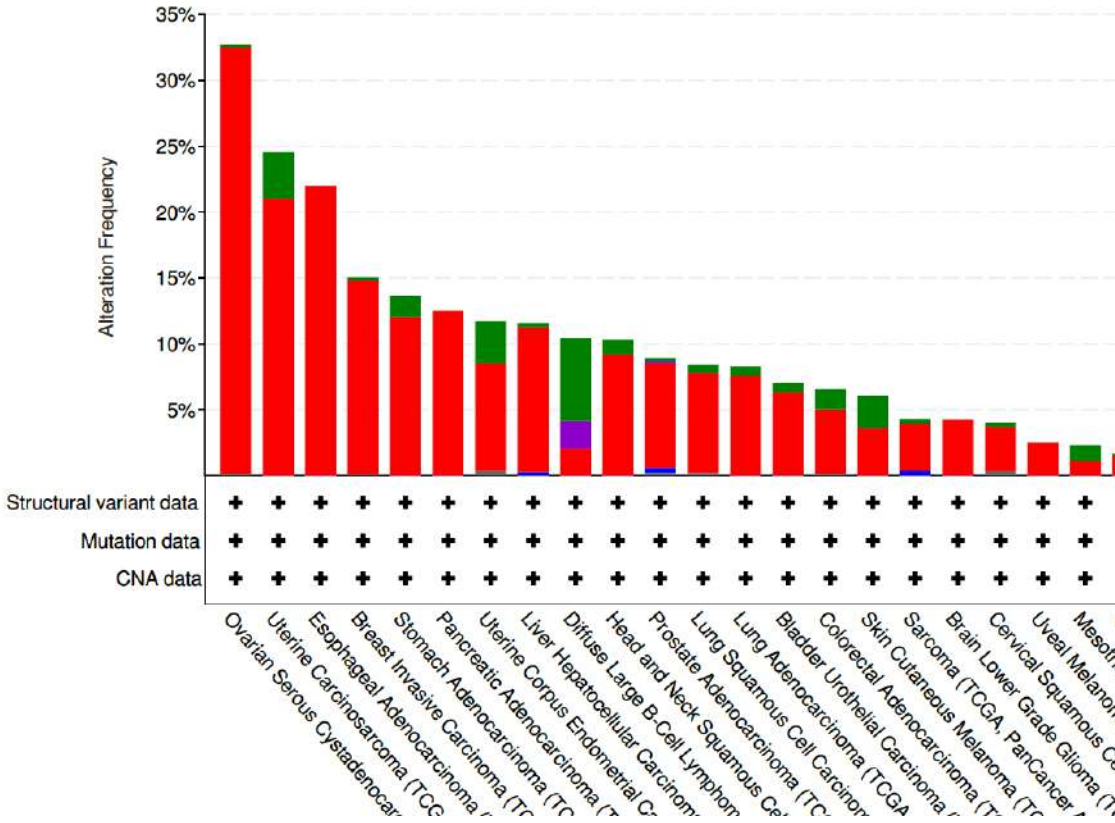
Cancer Genome: Liquid Biopsy



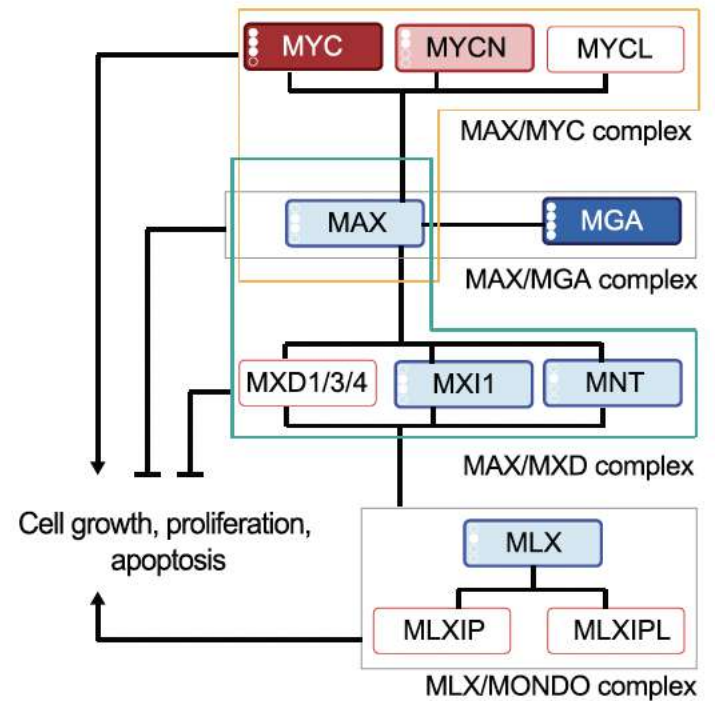
| Indication | Biomarker | Therapy |
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| Non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC) | <i>EGFR</i> exon 19 deletions, L858R and T790M* | TAGRISSO® (osimertinib) |
| | <i>EGFR</i> exon 20 insertions | RYBREVANT™ (amivantamab-vmjw) |
| | <i>KRAS</i> G12C | LUMAKRAS™ (sotorasib) |

MYC & Human Cancers

cBioPortal: MYC

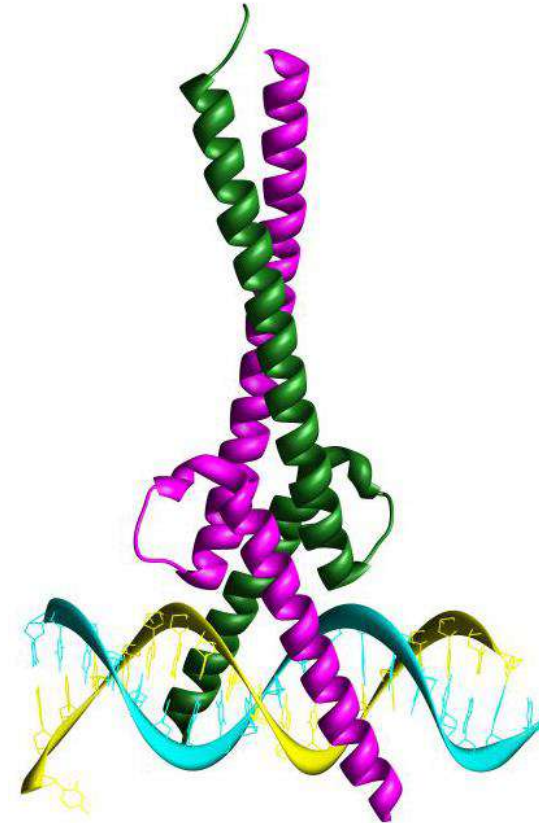
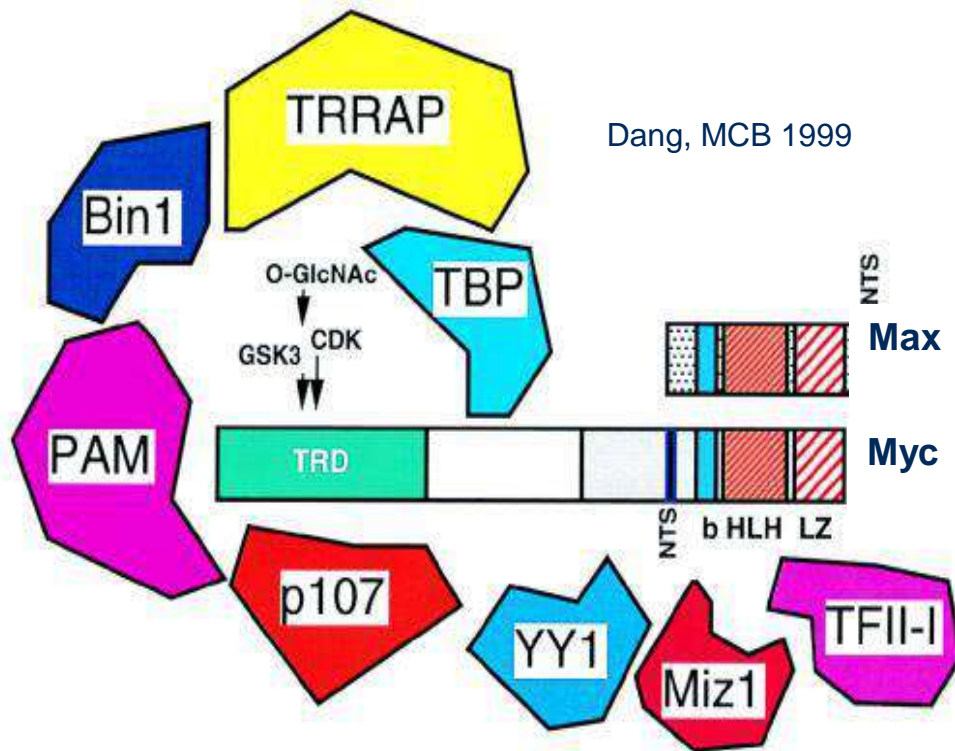


Myc pathway



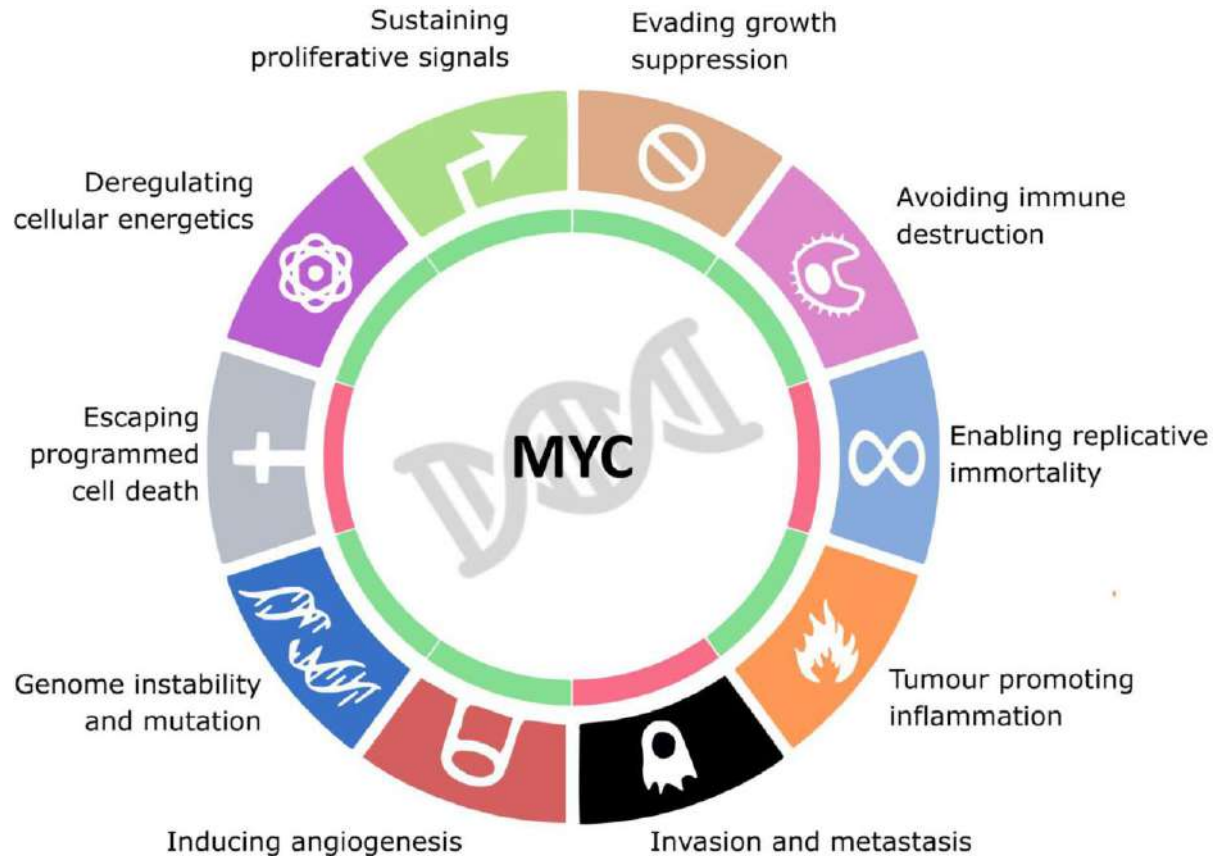
Sanchez-Vega Cell 2018

MYC Function: MYC:MAX



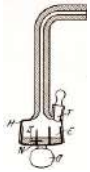
Nair & Burley Cell 2003

MYC Target Genes



Cancer Metabolism

Glucose → Lactate



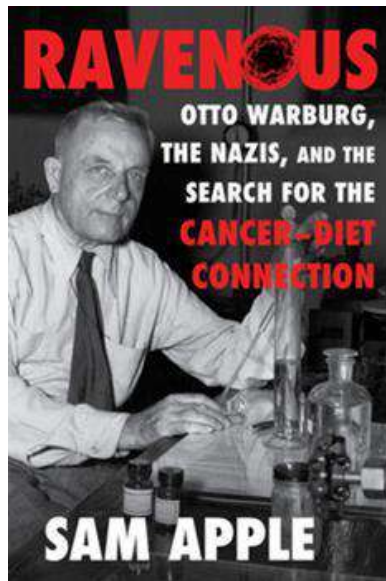
Otto Warburg 1920's:

Cancers

- 1) aerobic glycolysis
- 2) defective respiration

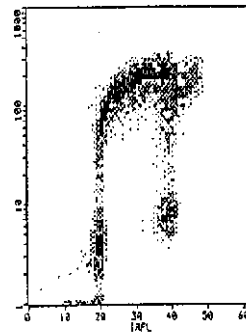
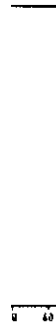
1970-1980's:

Oncogenes (Myc, Ras),
Tumor Suppressors (p53, Rb)
Cell Cycle



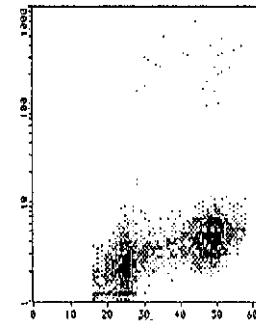
Rat1a

R1a-Myc



Rat1a+c-Myc

Non-Adherent
R1a



Non
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Lewis et al., MCB 1997

MYC and The Warburg Effect

Brian Lewis



MOLECULAR AND CELLULAR BIOLOGY, Sept. 1997, p. 4967-4978
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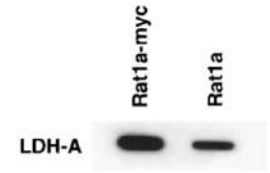
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Identification of Putative c-Myc-Responsive Genes: Characterization of *rcl*, a Novel Growth-Related Gene†

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Professor and George F. Booth Chair in the Basic Sciences, University of
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Slot-blot amplicons



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Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA
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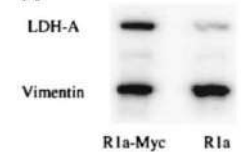
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(oncogene/lactate dehydrogenase/hypoxia/tumorigenicity)

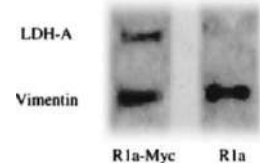
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University

A Rnase protection



B Nuclear Run-on



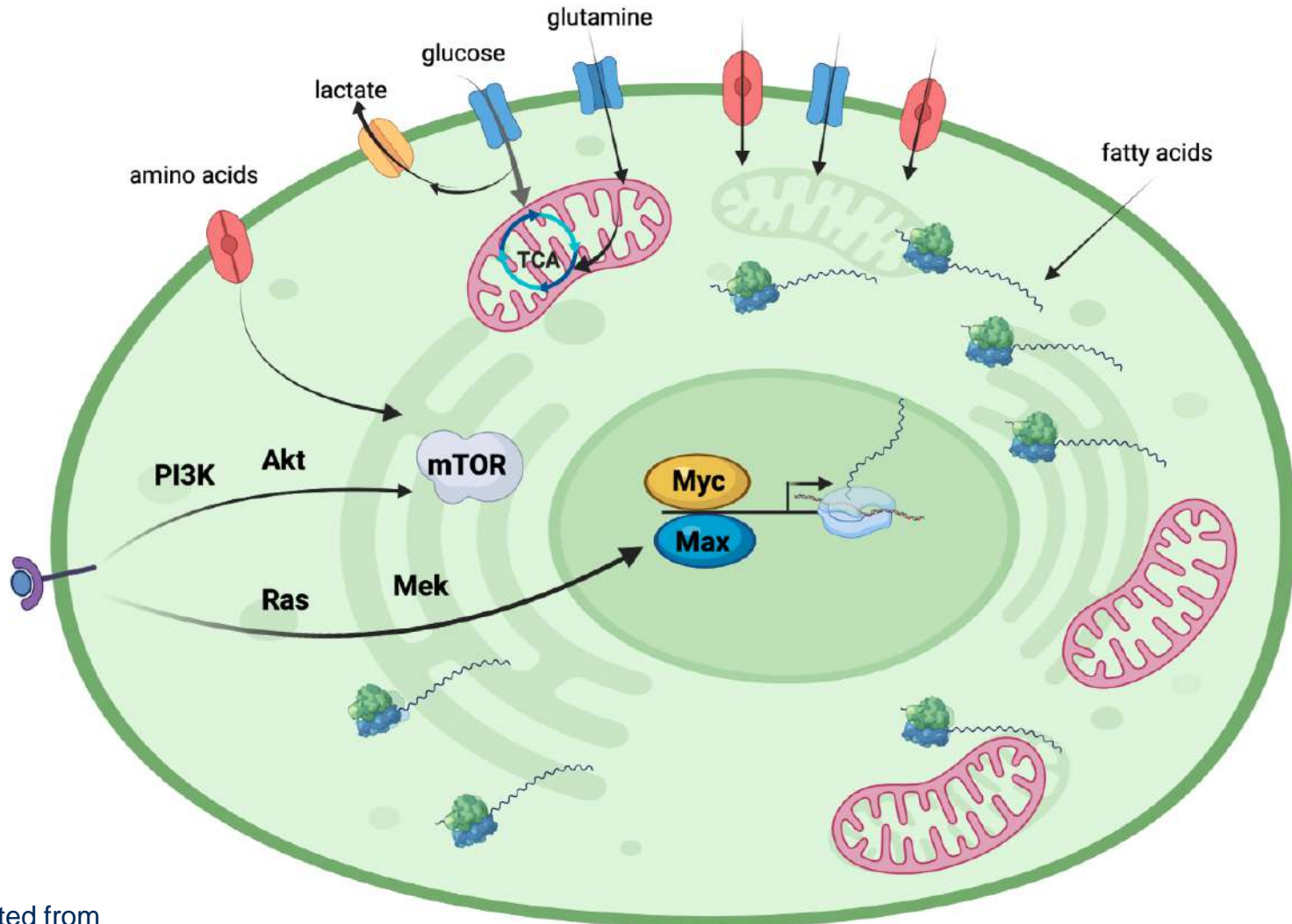
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Milestones in Cancer #6

**c-Myc transactivation of LDH-A:
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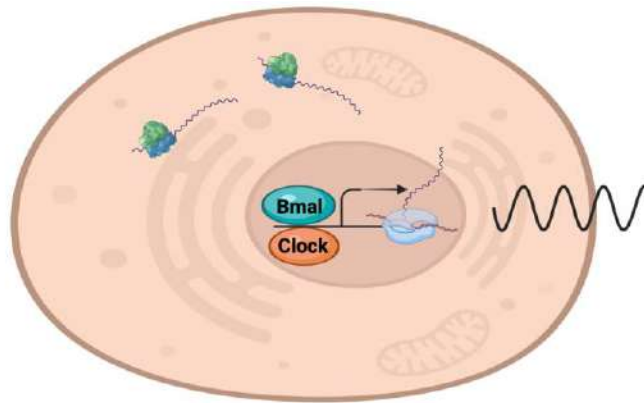
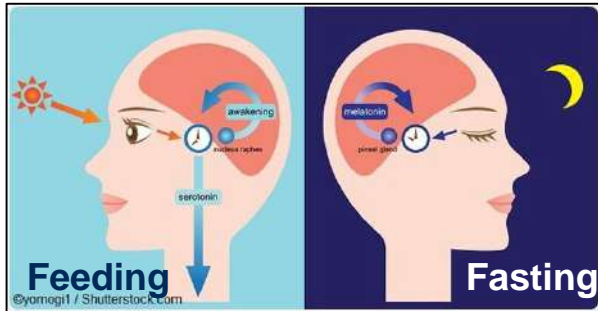


Proliferative metabolism



Adapted from
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Circadian Maintenance Metabolism

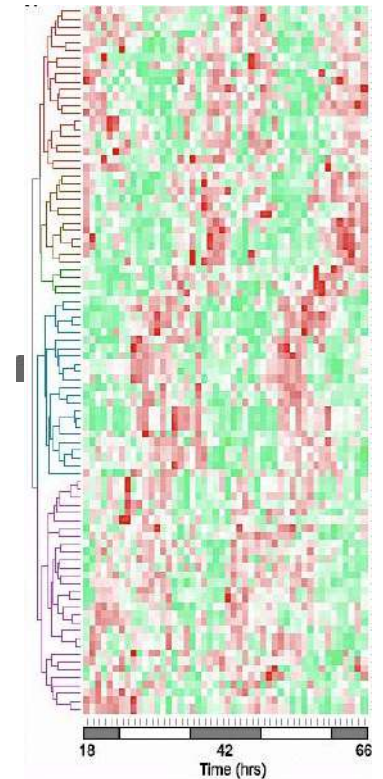


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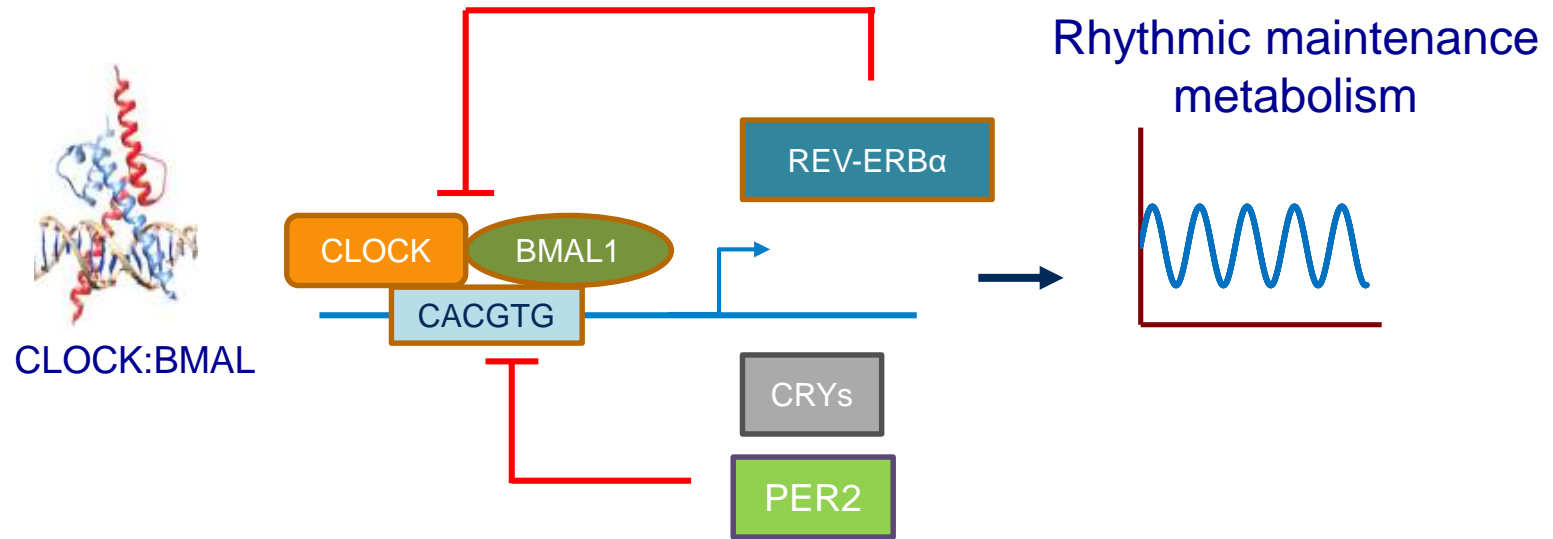
Liver circadian metabolome



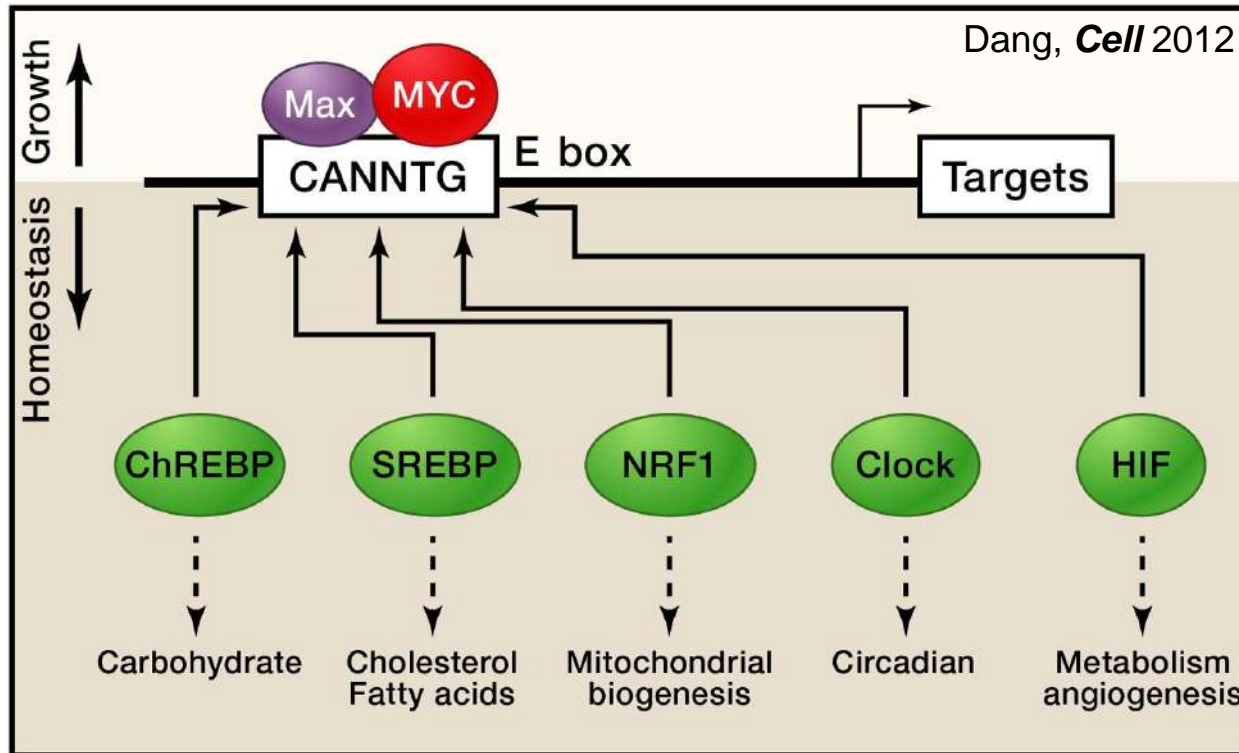
Krishnaia et al. *Cell Metab* 2017

Weijie & Hogenesch

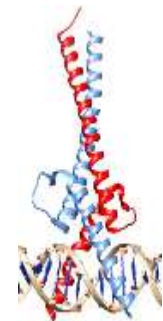
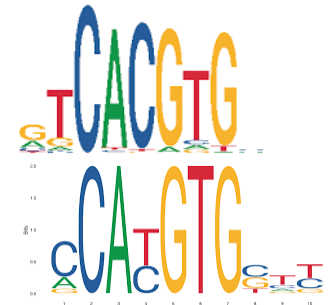
Mammalian cell intrinsic circadian clock



Circadian to Proliferative Metabolism

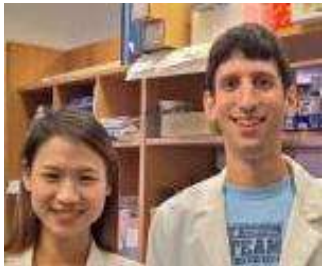


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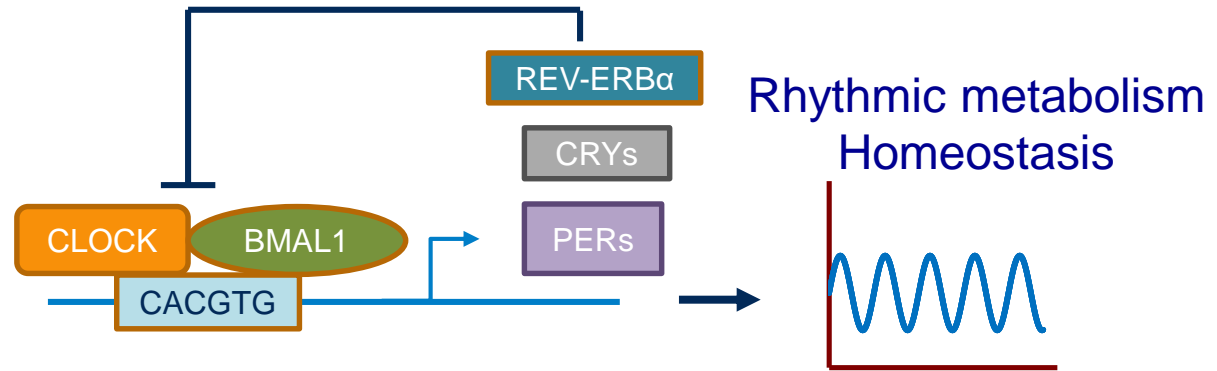


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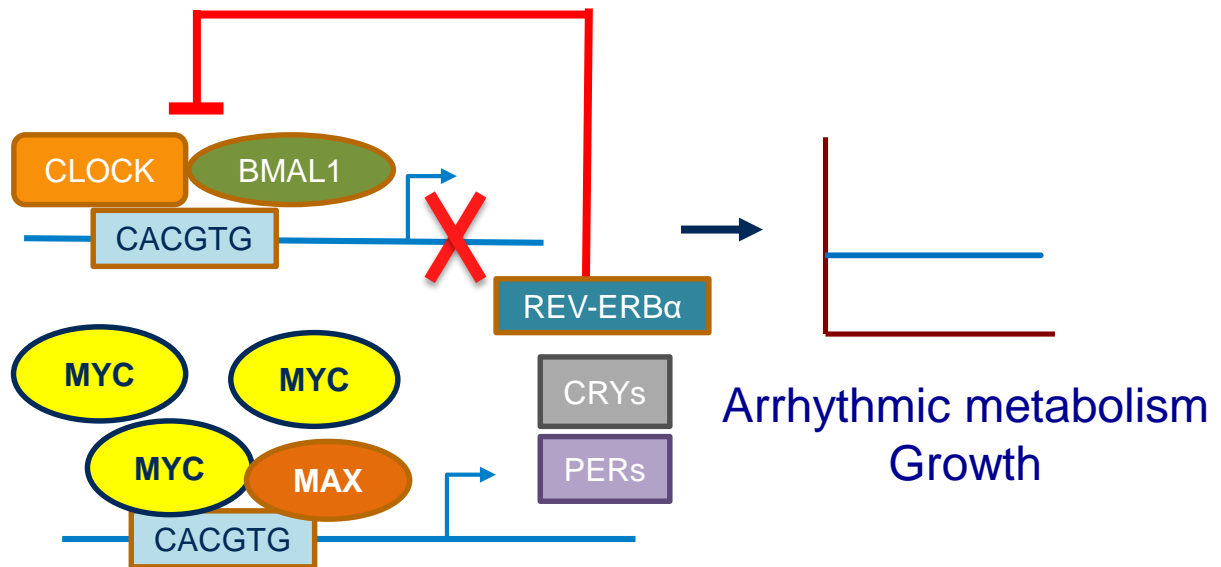
Oncogenic MYC & the molecular clock



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Annie Hsieh



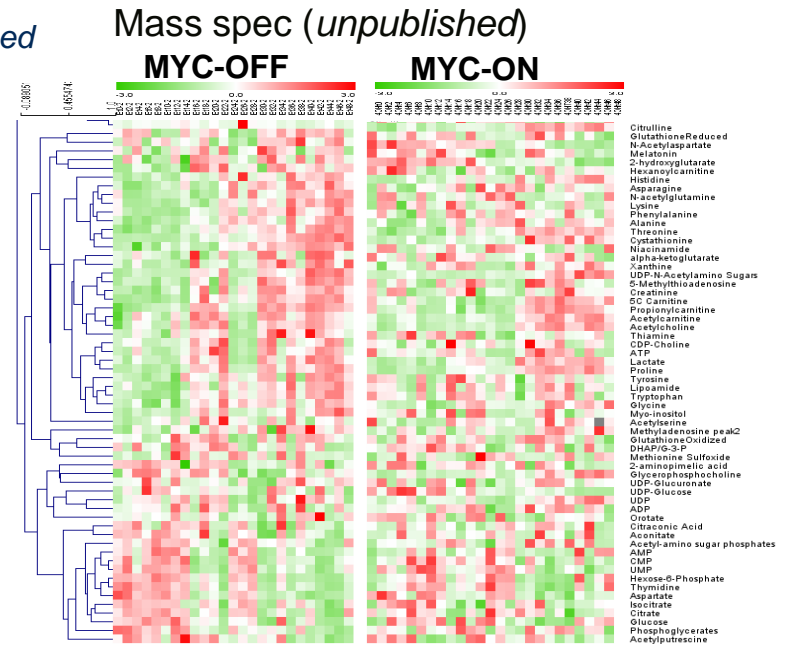
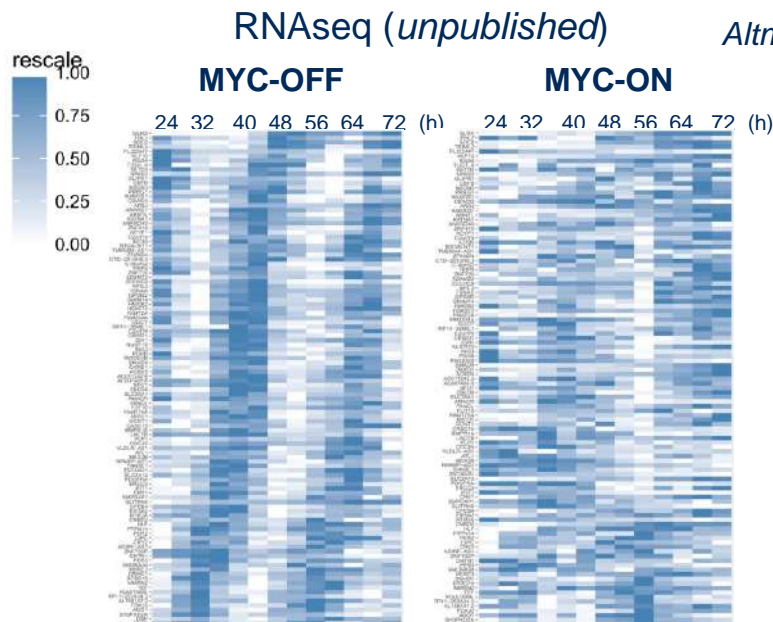
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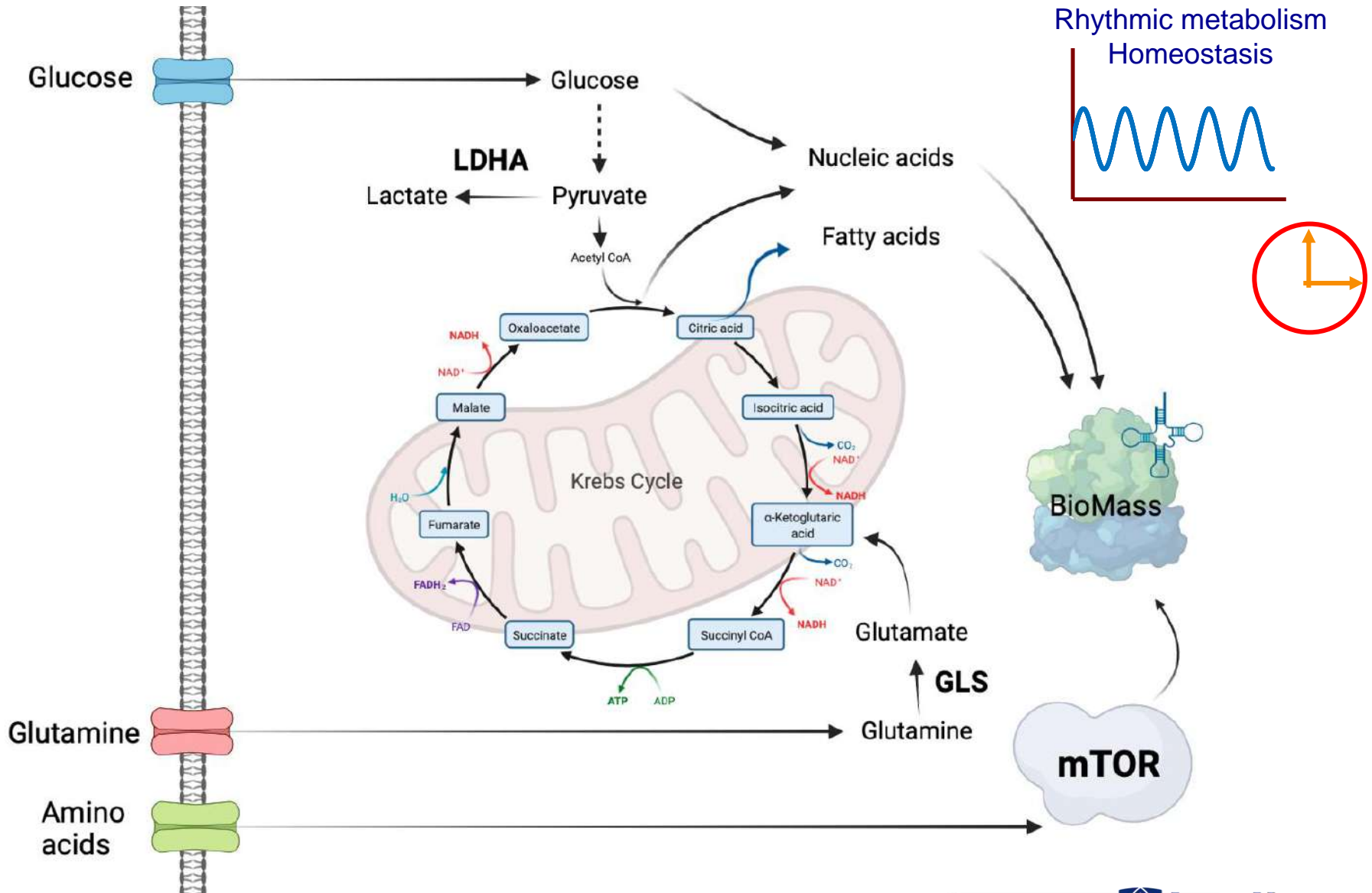
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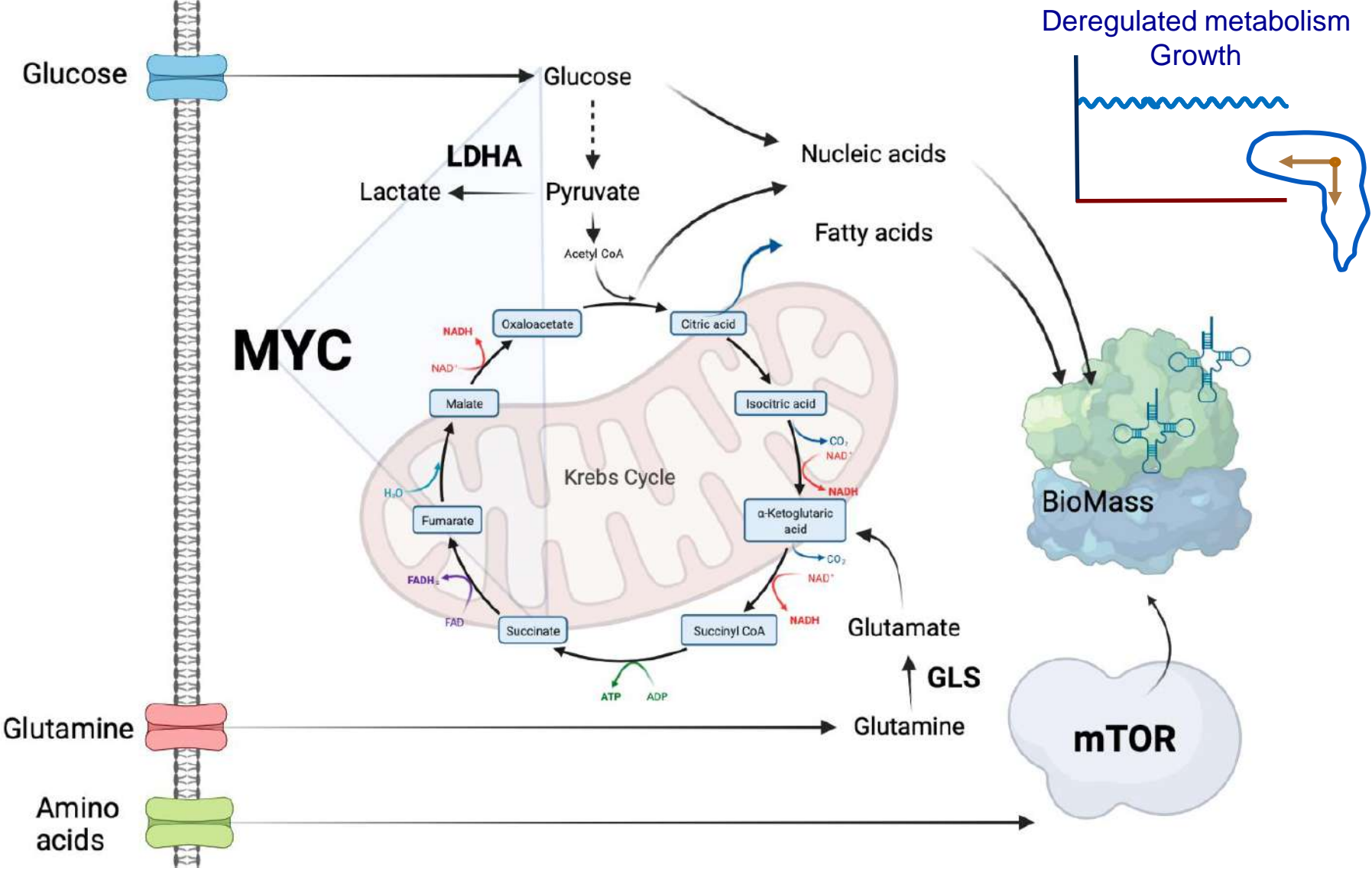
Myc alters circadian transcriptome & metabolome



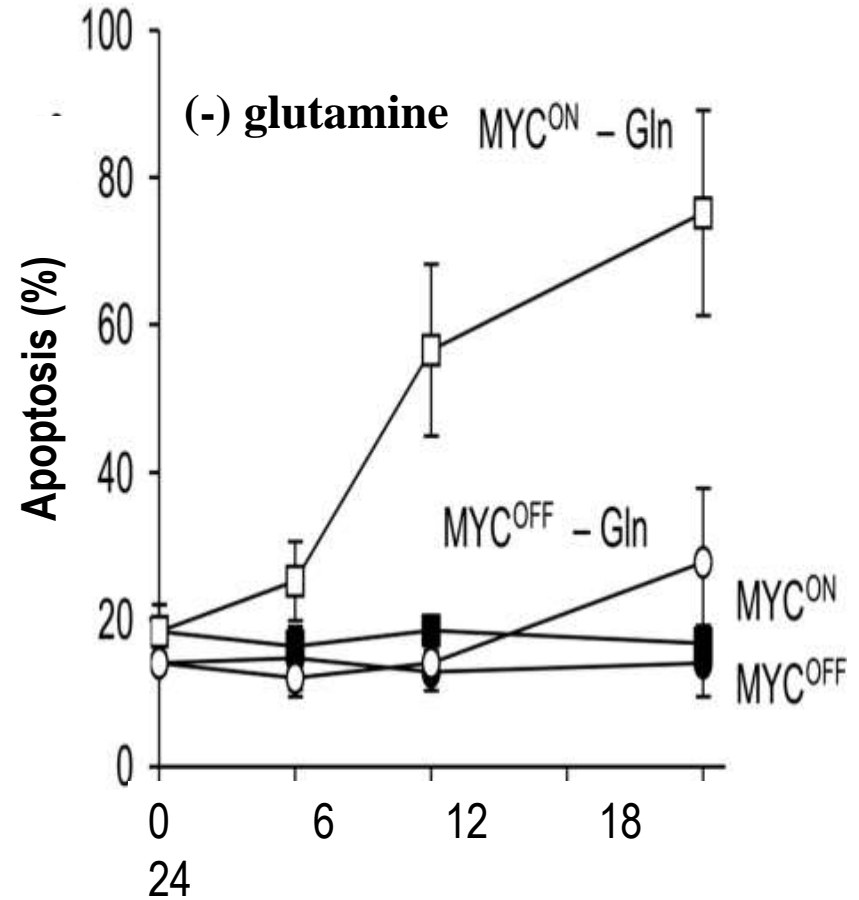
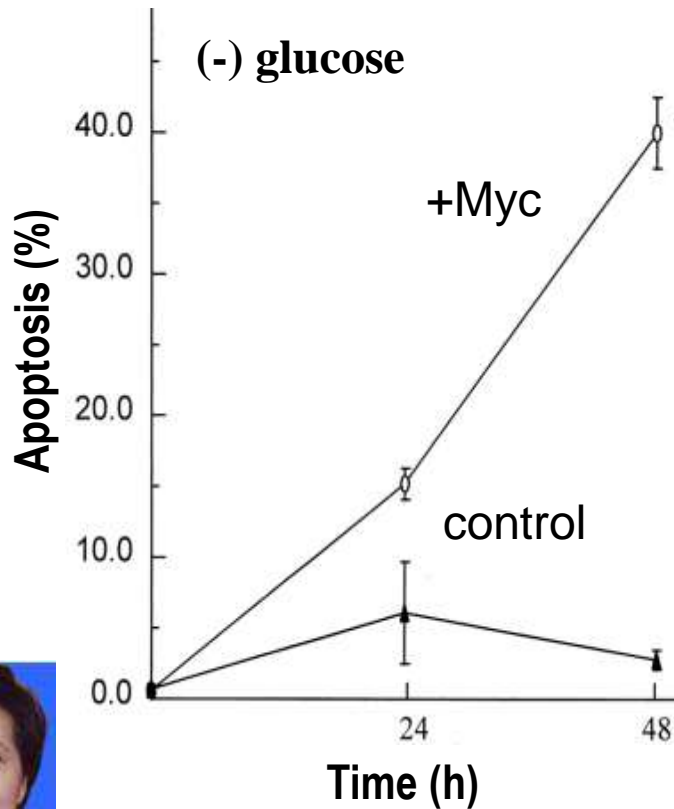
Maintenance metabolism



MYC-induced proliferative metabolism



Myc-induced glucose and glutamine dependency

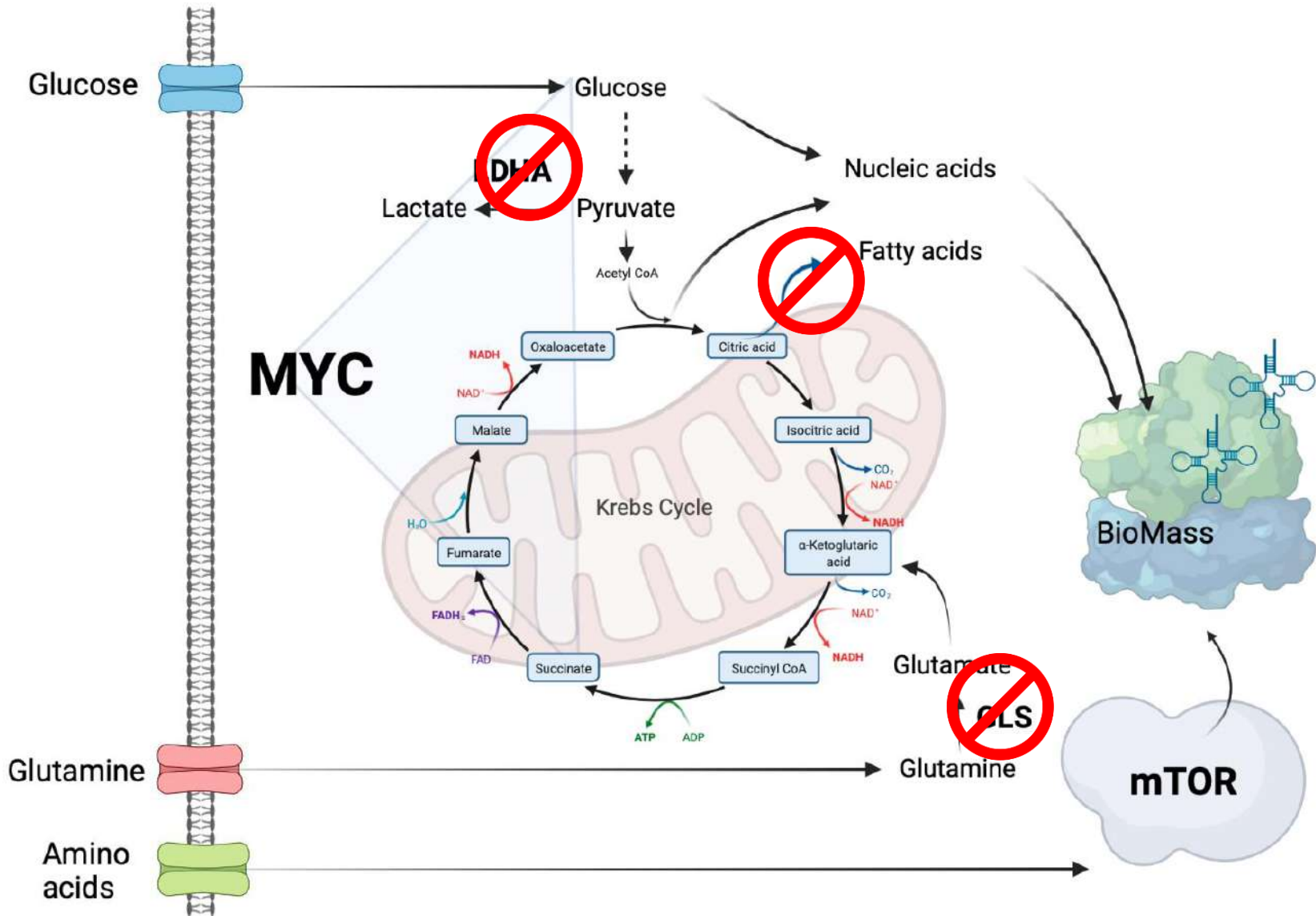


Shim H et al. PNAS 1998;95:1511-1516

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Myc-driven Metabolic Vulnerabilities



Tumor-specific Metabolic Vulnerability

IDH1 and IDH2

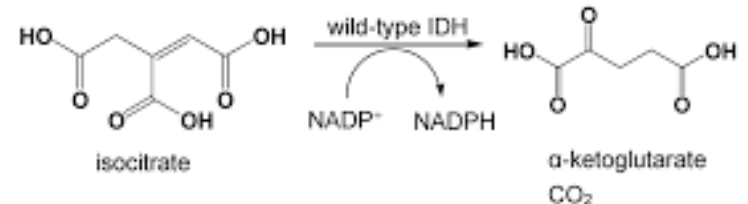
Science

2008

An Integrated Genomic Analysis of Human Glioblastoma Multiforme

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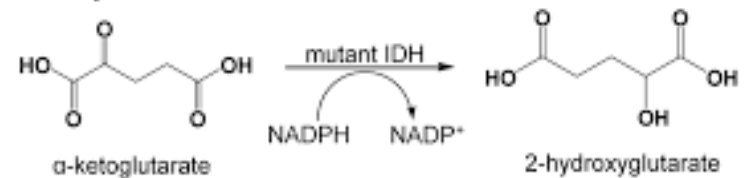
nature

2009

Cancer-associated IDH1 mutations produce 2-hydroxyglutarate

Lenny Dang,¹ David W. White,¹ Stefan Gross,¹ Bryson D. Bennett,² Mark A. Bittinger,¹ Edward M. Driggs Valeria R. Fantin,¹ Hyun Gyung Jang,¹ Shengfang Jin,¹ Marie C. Keenan,¹ Kevin M. Marks,³ Robert M. Pri Patrick S. Ward,¹ Katharine E. Yen,¹ Linda M. Liaw,¹ Joshua D. Rabinowitz,² Lewis C. Cantley,³ Craig B. Thompson,¹ Matthew G. Vander Heiden^{1*} & Shinsan M. Su¹

Neomorphic reaction:



The NEW ENGLAND JOURNAL of MEDICINE 2009

IDH1 mutation

Recurring Mutations Found by Sequencing an Acute Myeloid Leukemia Genome

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MYC, ncRNAs & Cancer

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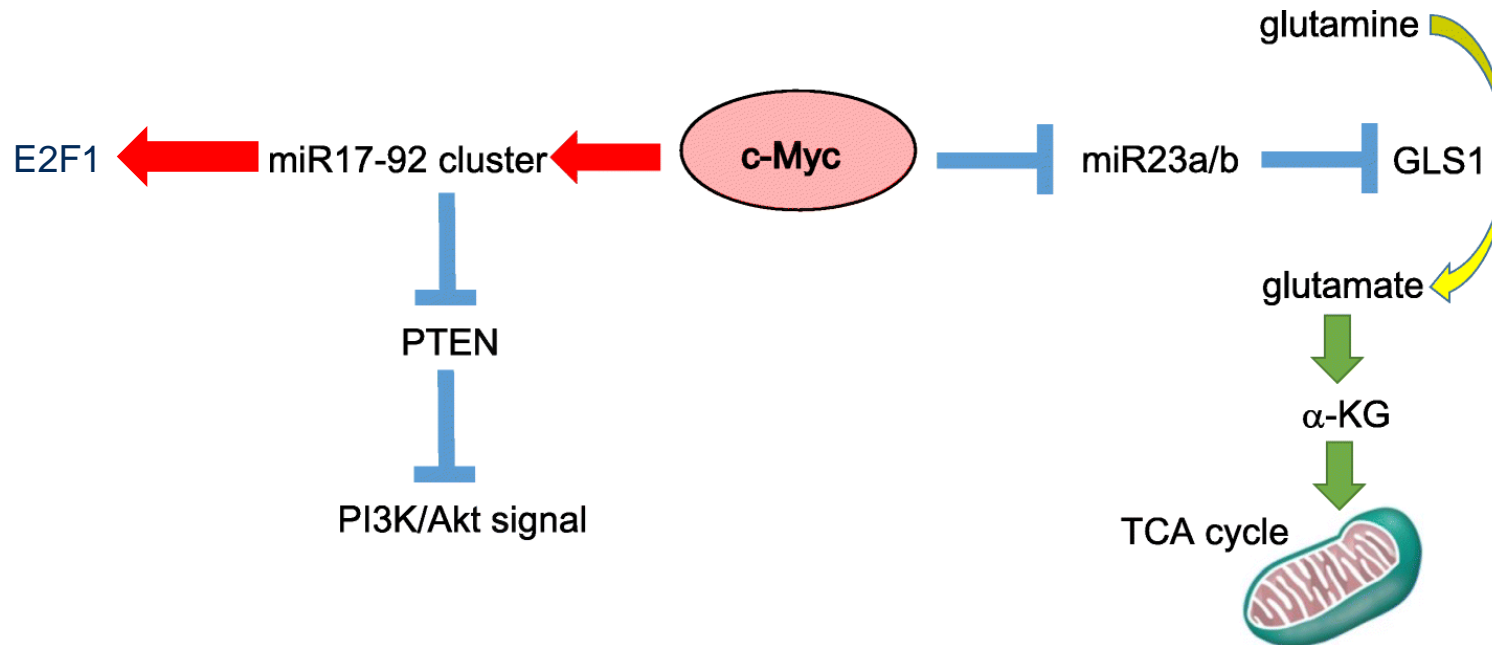
2005

c-Myc-regulated microRNAs modulate E2F1 expression

Kathryn A. O'Donnell^{1,2}, Erik A. Wentzel², Karen I. Zeller³, Chi V. Dang^{1,2,3,5} & Joshua T. Mendell^{1,2,4}

c-Myc suppression of miR-23a/b enhances mitochondrial glutaminase expression and glutamine metabolism

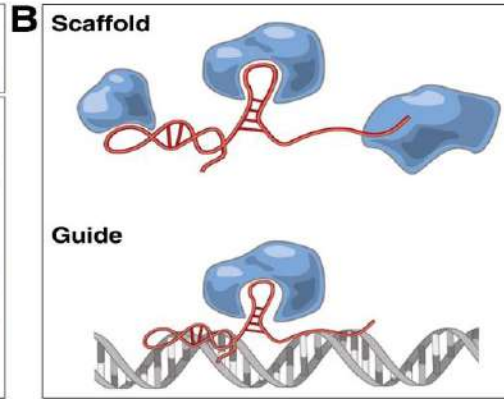
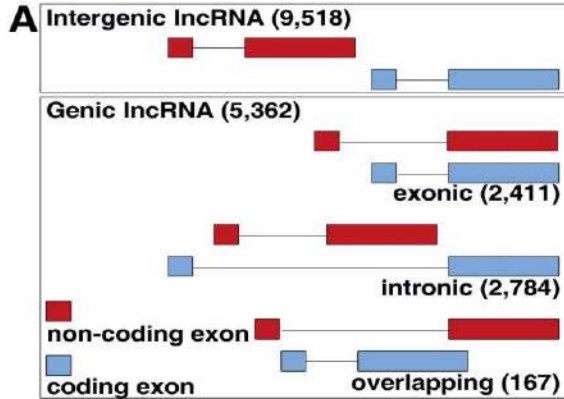
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ncRNAs & Cancer

Genome 'dark matter' = lncRNA



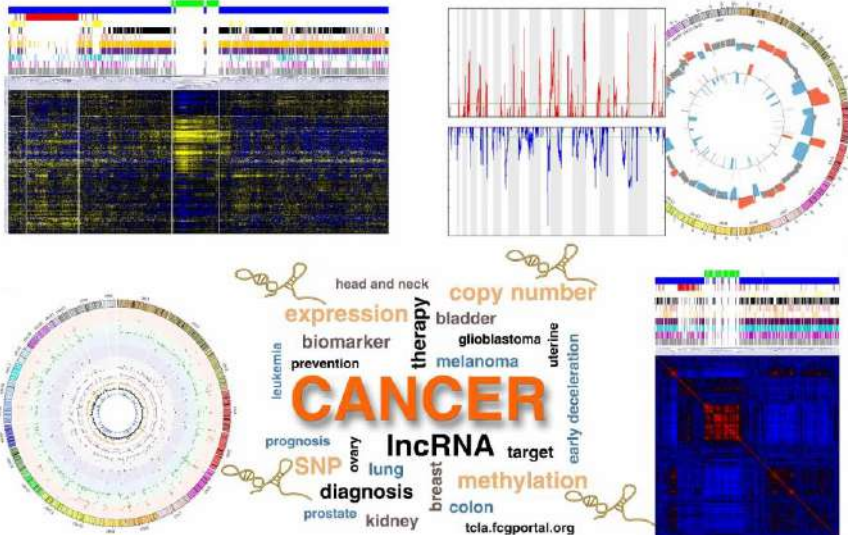
Cancer Research

2018

Molecular Cell Biology

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Yunqi Lu¹, Zhongyi Hu², Lingegowda S. Mangala³, Zachary E. Stine¹, Xiaowen Hu², Dahai Jiang³, Yan Xiang¹, Youyou Zhang², Sunila Pradeep³, Cristian Rodriguez-Aguayo⁴, Gabriel Lopez-Berestein⁴, Angelo M. DeMarzo⁵, Anil K. Sood³, Lin Zhang², and Chi V. Dang^{1,6,7}



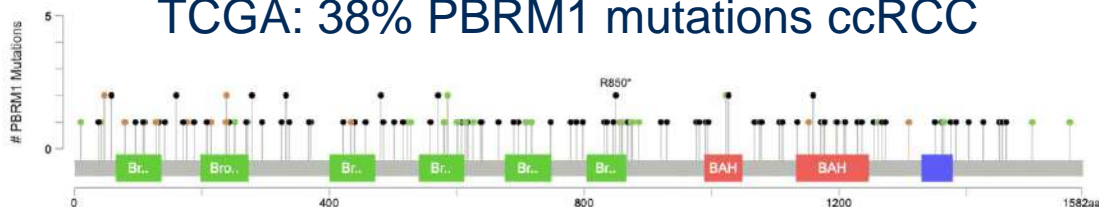
Cancer Cell 2015

Comprehensive Genomic Characterization of Long Non-coding RNAs across Human Cancers

Xiaohui Yan,^{1,9,20} Zhongyi Hu,^{1,20} Yi Feng,^{1,2,20} Xiaowen Hu,¹ Jiao Yuan,¹ Sihai D. Zhao,¹⁰ Youyou Zhang,¹ Lu Yang,^{1,12} Weiwei Shan,¹⁹ Qun He,¹ Lingling Fan,^{1,9} Lana E. Kandalaft,^{1,16} Janos L. Tanyi,³ Chunsheng Li,^{1,3} Chao-Xing Yuan,⁴ Dongmei Zhang,^{1,12} Huiqing Yuan,¹¹ Keqin Hua,⁹ Yiling Lu,¹⁹ Dionyssios Katsaros,¹³ Qihong Huang,¹⁴ Kathleen Montone,⁵ Yi Fan,⁶ George Coukos,¹⁵ Jeff Boyd,¹⁶ Anil K. Sood,^{17,18} Timothy Rebbeck,⁷ Gordon B. Mills,¹⁹ Chi V. Dang,^{2,6,*} and Lin Zhang^{1,4,*}

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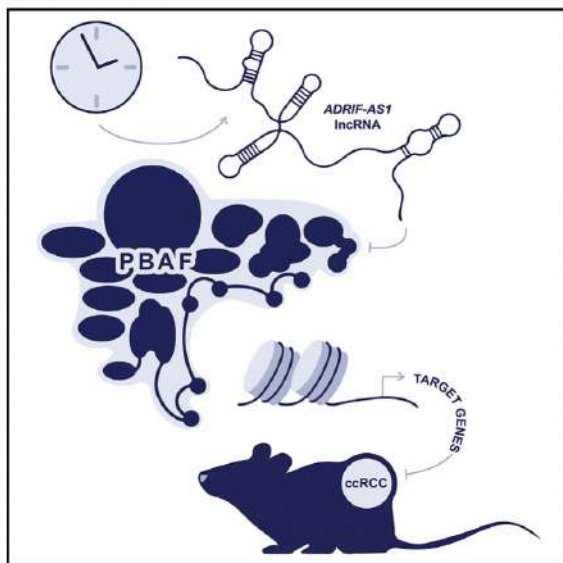
TCGA: 38% PBRM1 mutations ccRCC



Cell Reports 2022

Circadian lncRNA *ADIRF-AS1* binds PBAF and regulates renal clear cell tumorigenesis

Graphical abstract



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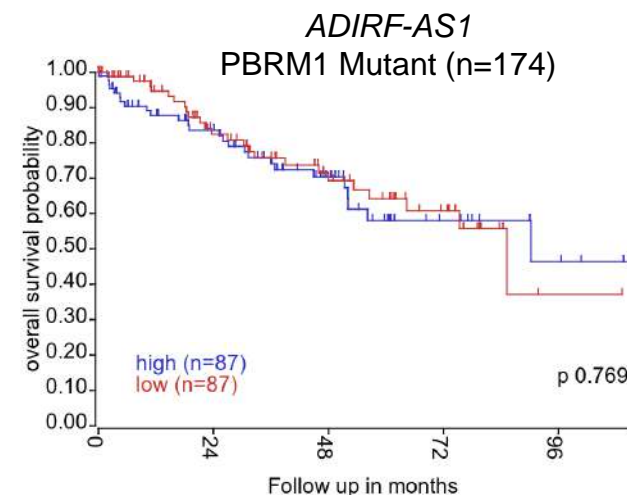
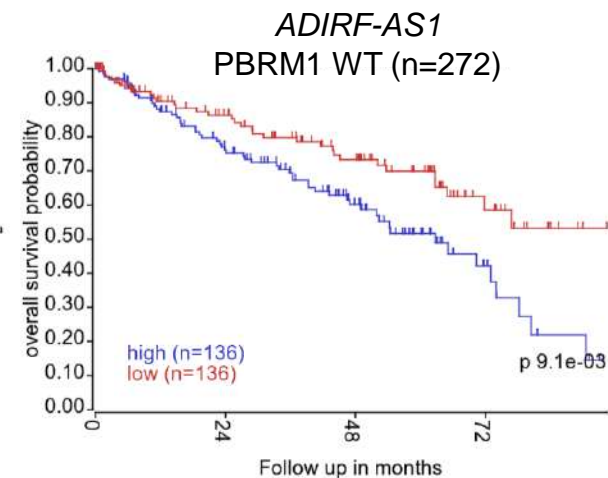
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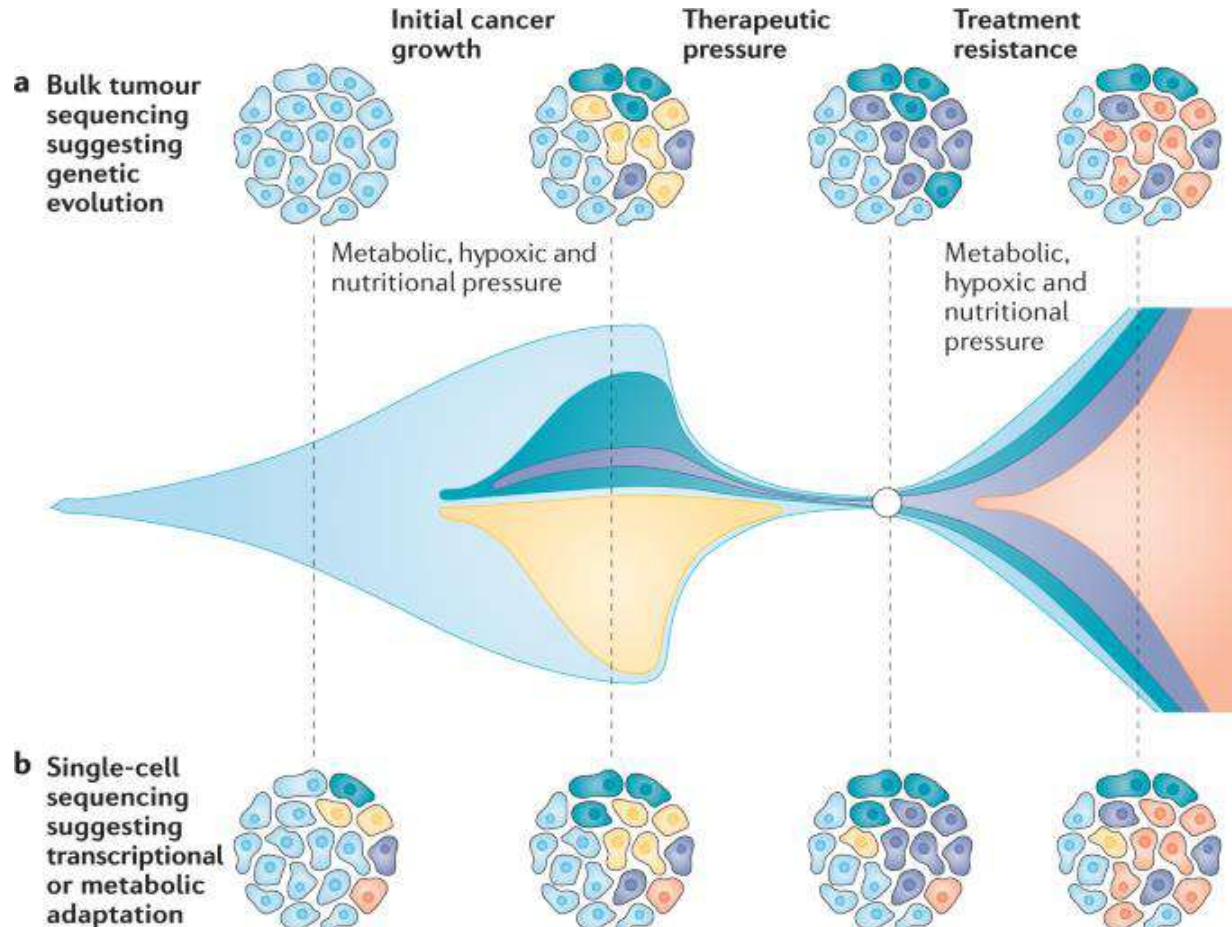
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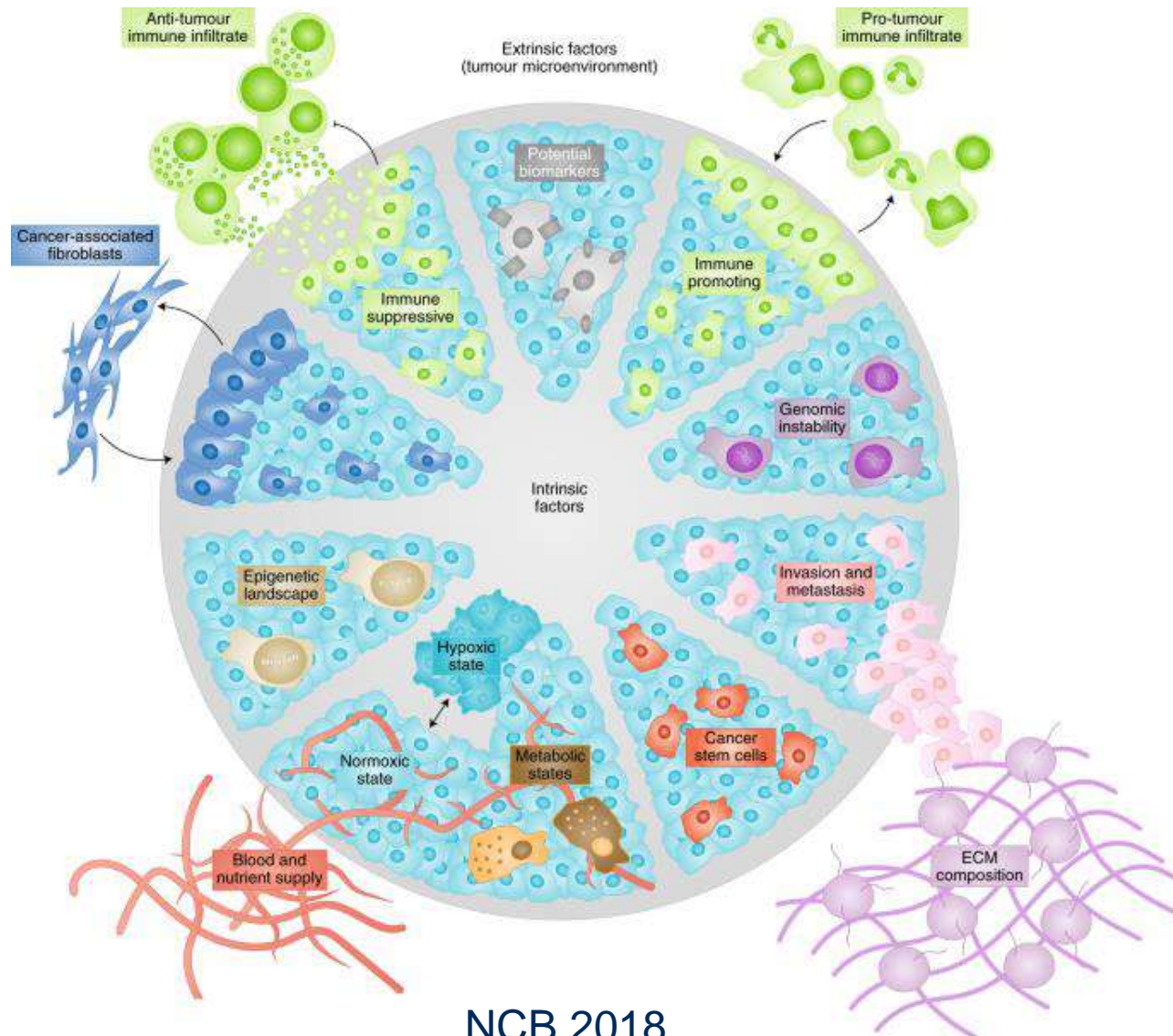
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Cancer Functional Genomics: Rx Resistance



Cancer Genomics: scHeterogeneity



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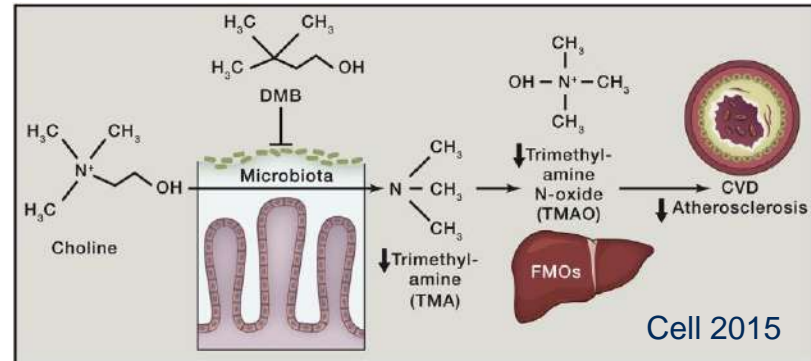
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TRANSPLANTATION BLOOD 2020 The gut microbial metabolite trimethylamine N-oxide aggravates GVHD by inducing M1 macrophage polarization in mice

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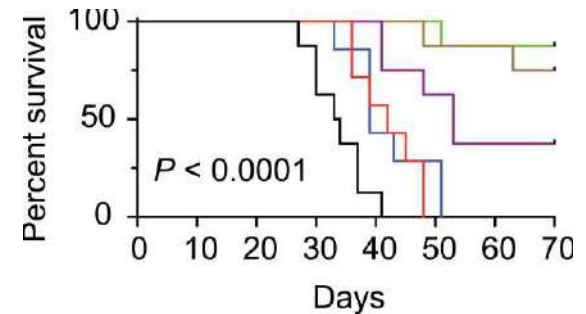
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The microbiome-derived metabolite TMAO drives immune activation and boosts responses to immune checkpoint blockade in pancreatic cancer

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- Germline alterations
 - BRCA interception
 - Pre-cancer to Cancer
- BCR-ABL
- IDHmut
- Mutant RAS to RAS drugs
- Epigenetic modifier mutations
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