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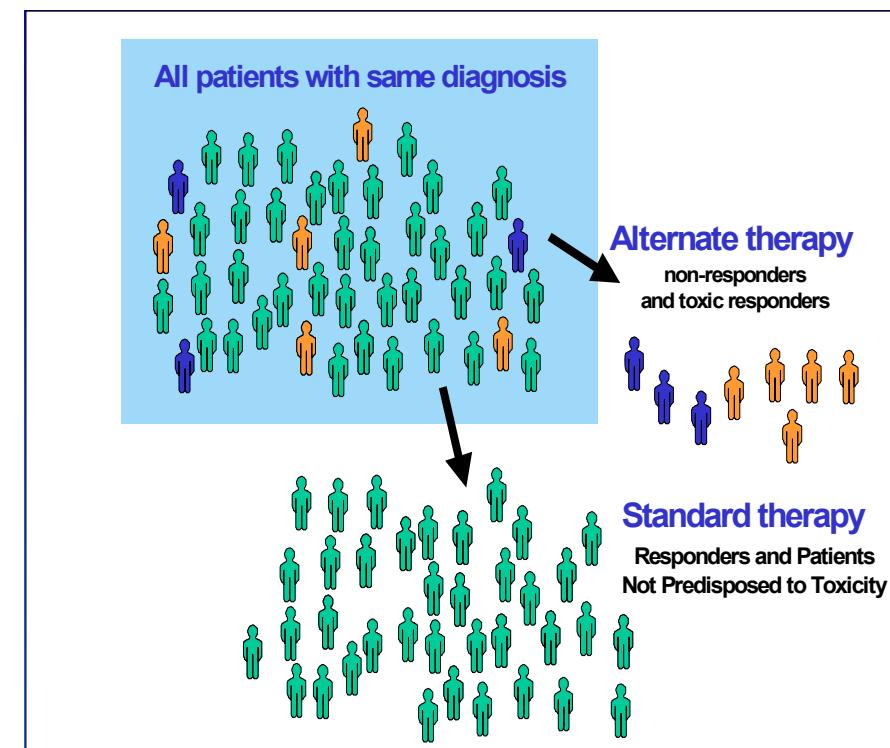


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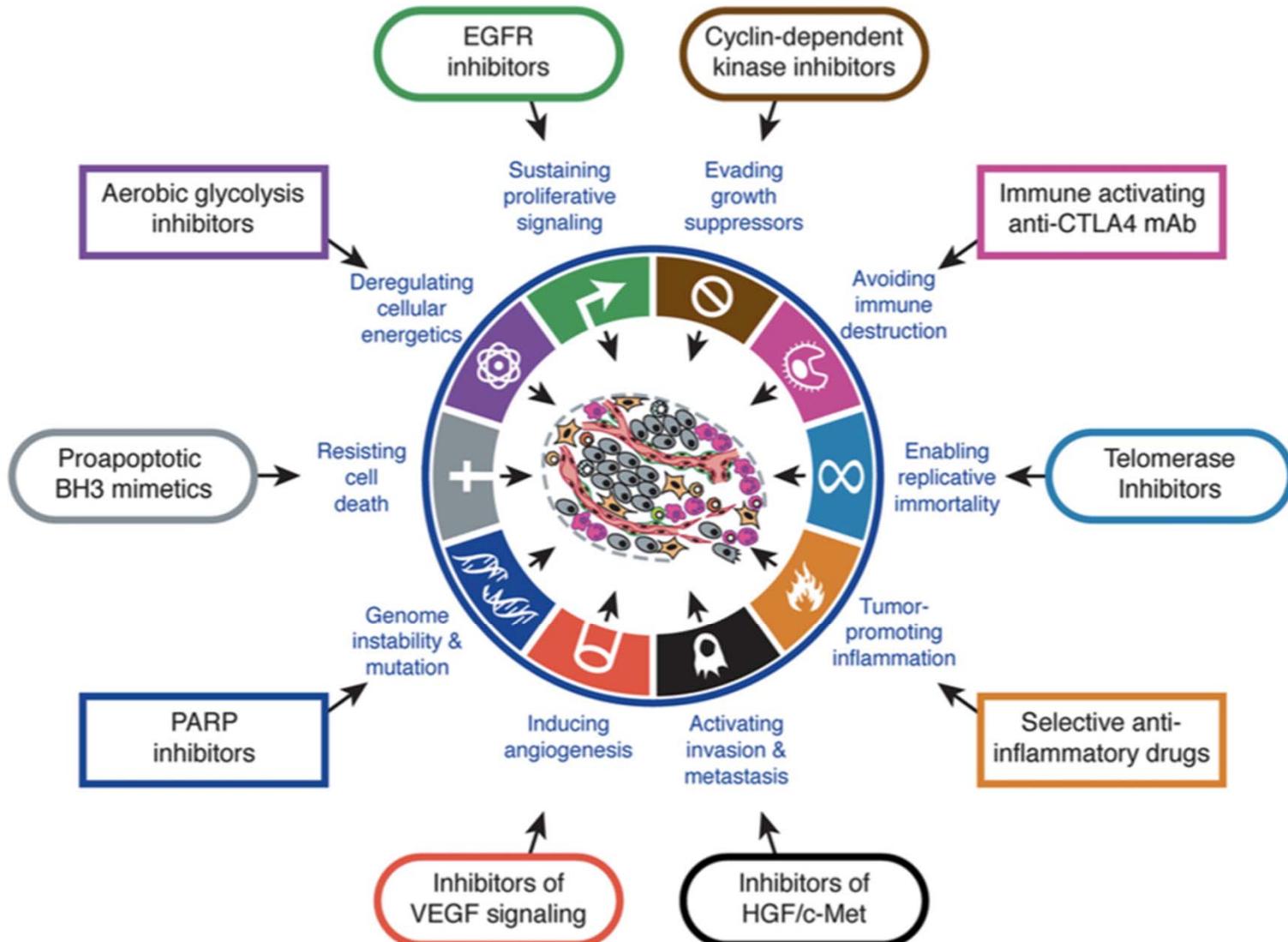
## 23. VKD/VDGH – Führungskräftee seminar am 25. Februar 2016

**Next Generation Sequencing – klinischer Nutzen  
heute und morgen**  
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# Understanding the Pathogenesis of Cancer → Driving a Rationale for Individualised Therapies

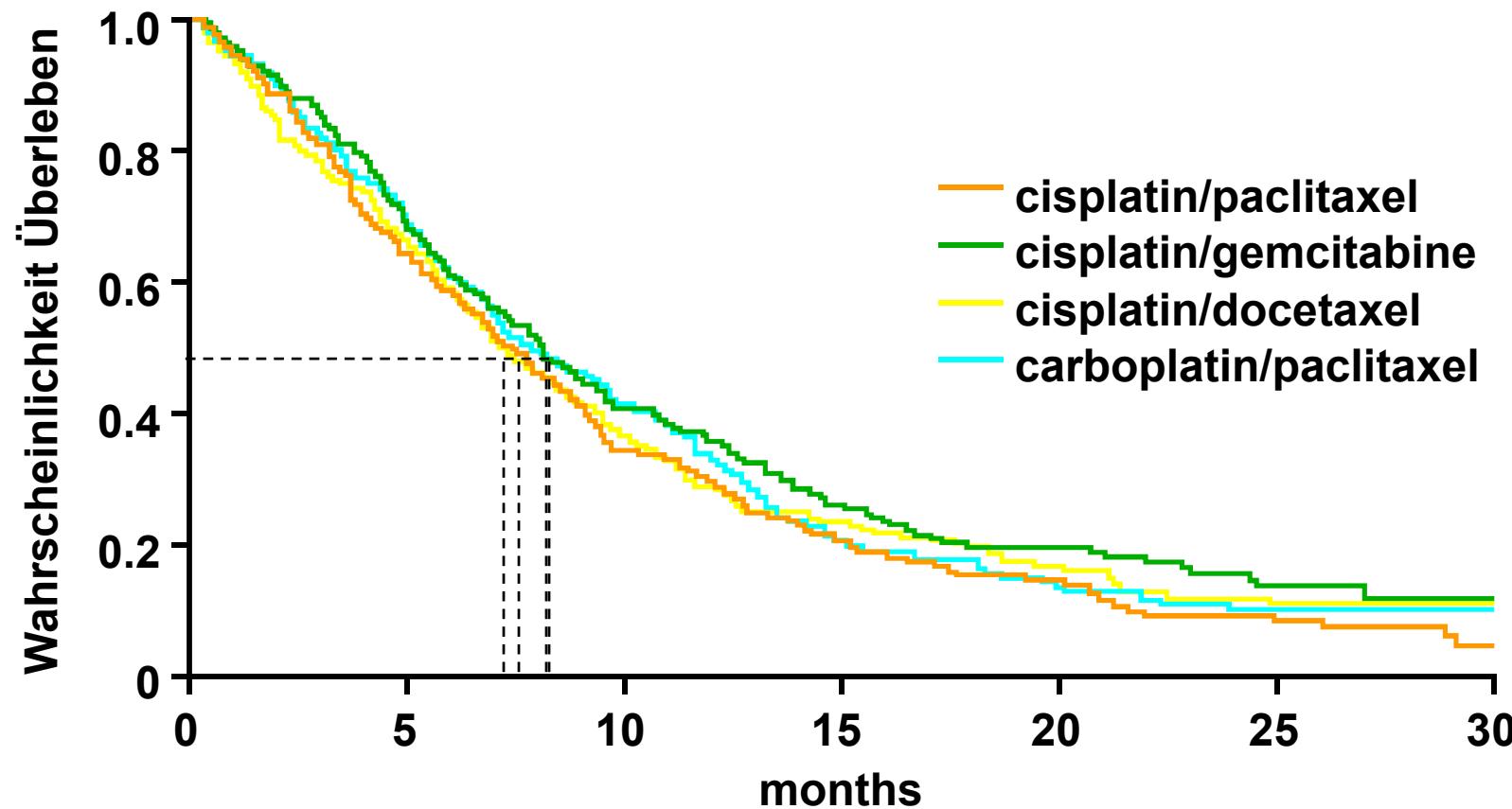


Hanahan & Weinberg Cell 2011

# Lung Cancer serves as a Paradigm

## The differences between chemotherapy regimens are negligible

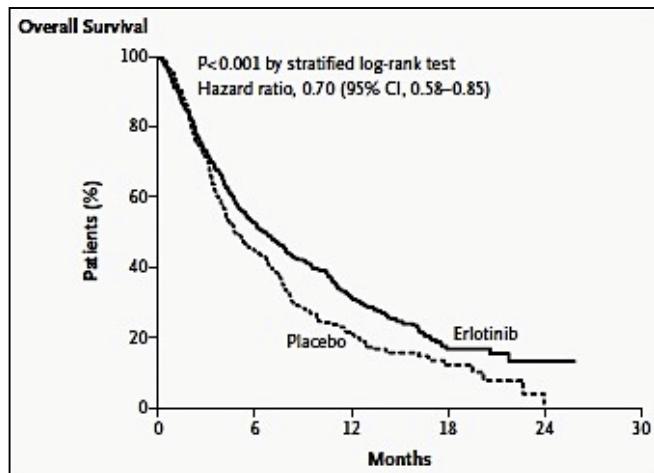
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Schiller, et al. NEJM 2002

In **unselected** patients targeted drugs will add  
only marginal benefits (if at all)

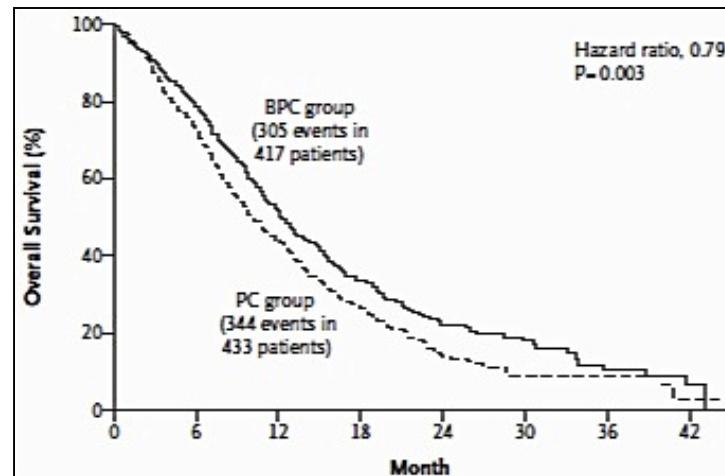
### EGFR-TKI mono



Erlotinib vs. Plac.: SV + 2 m

Shepherd, 2005

### anti-VEGF mab + chemotherapy



Bevacizumab + PC vs PC: SV + 2 m

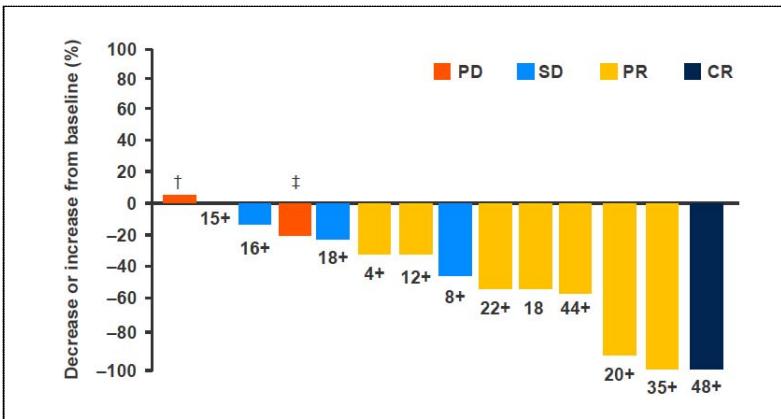
Sandler, 2006

Do we **hit the right target** in a specific patient ???

Taregeted therapies vs Personalised Therapies

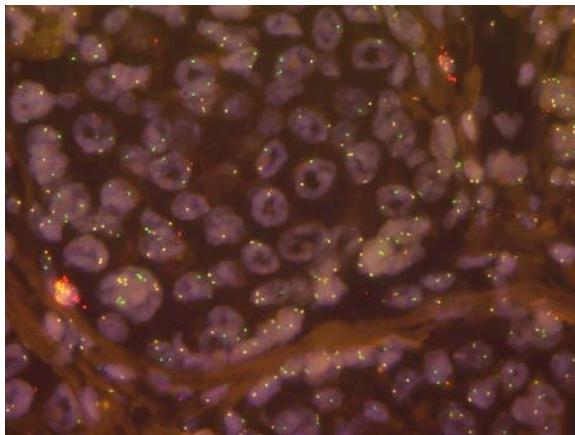
# Rare Lesions and innovation NGM

[www.lungcancergroup.de](http://www.lungcancergroup.de)

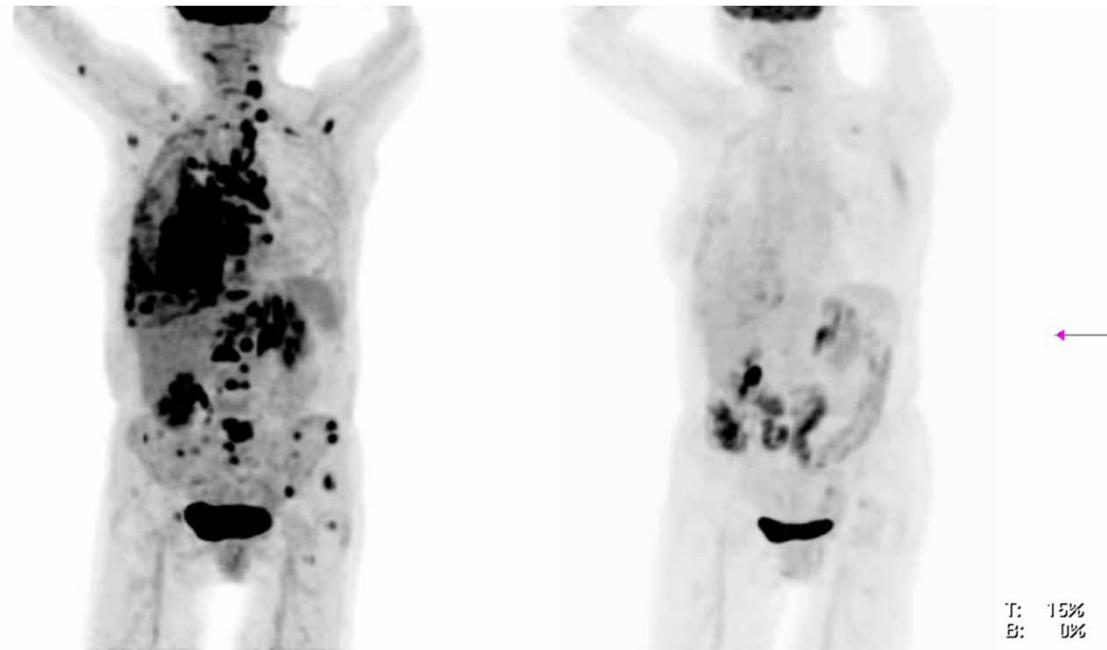


ASCO Juni 2013:  
Crizotinib wirksam bei  
ROS1+ Adenokarzinom

Shaw et al., ASCO 2012 #7508

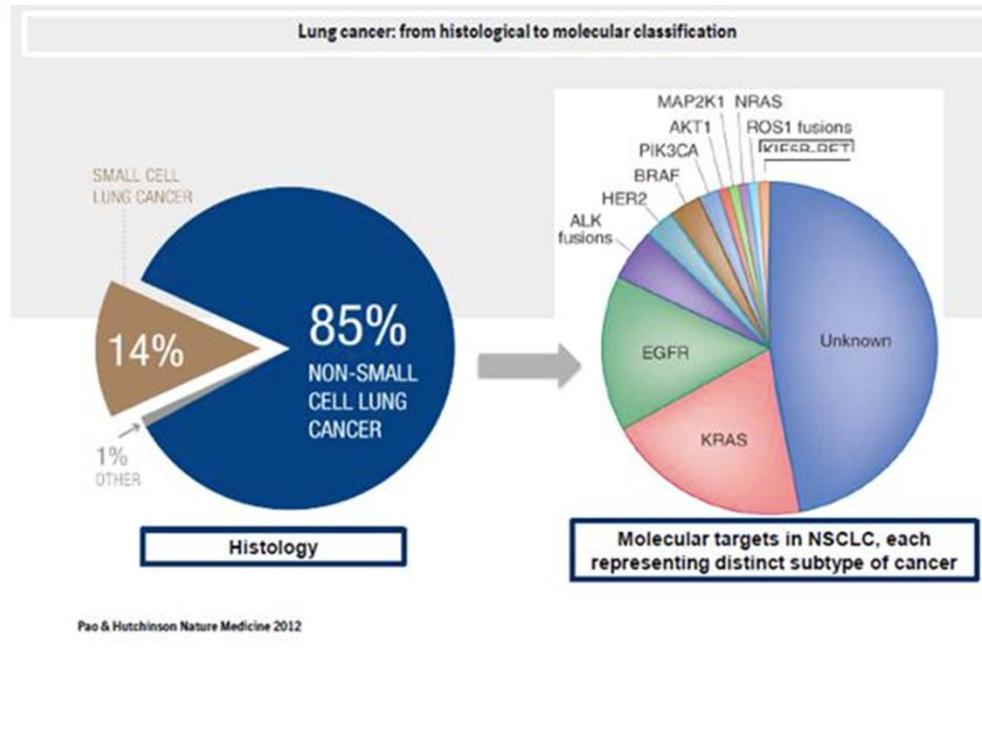


Aug. 2012: ROS1-FISH in  
NGM etabliert, Bos Lung  
Cancer 2012



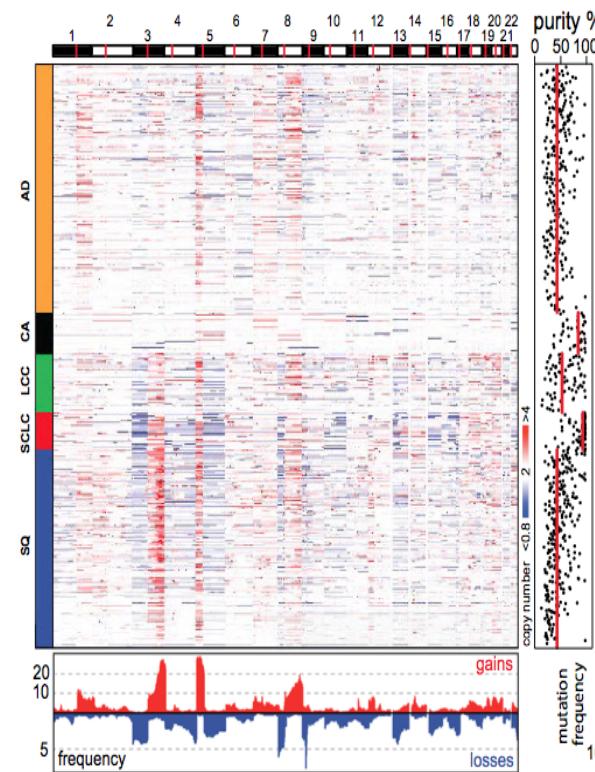
Sept. 2012: Crizotinib – Start bei ROS1+ Adenokarzinom-  
Patientin: Komplette Remission, anhaltend bis heute



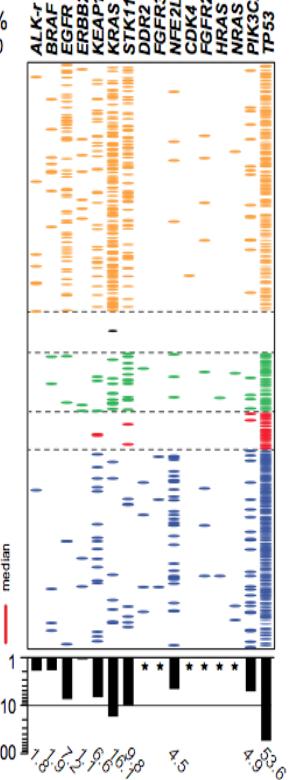


**Figure 1**

**a**



**b**



**Seidel...Wolf, Buettner, Thomas Science Transl Med Oct30th, 2013**

**~5,000 Lung Cancer Genomes connected to clinical data (NMG-L)**

# Options for Personalised Therapies for NSCLC (2015)

Gene	Alteration	Frequency
EGFR	Mutation	10-15%
ALK	Rearrangement	4-5%
ROS	Rearrangement	1%
MET	Amplification	2-4%
BRAF	Mutation	1-3%
HER2	Amplification	2-4%
DDR2	Mutation	4%
RET	Rearrangement	1%
MEK1	Mutation	1%
FGFR1	Amplification	10%
KRAS, p53	Mutation	30-35% 50%
NRAS	Mutation	1%
PIK3CA	Mutation	1-3%
PTEN	Deletion	4%

- **Standard 1<sup>st</sup> line**
- **off label Crizotinib, 1<sup>st</sup> line**
- **off label Crizotinib, Rez.**
- **off label Dabrafenib, Rez.**
- **off label Lapatinib, Rez. ?**
- **off label Dasatinib, Rez. ?**
- **off label Cabozantinib o.  
Vandetanib, Rez.**
- **Clinical Studies**



drugs approved in NSCLC



drugs approved in NSCLC, but for other molecular subtype



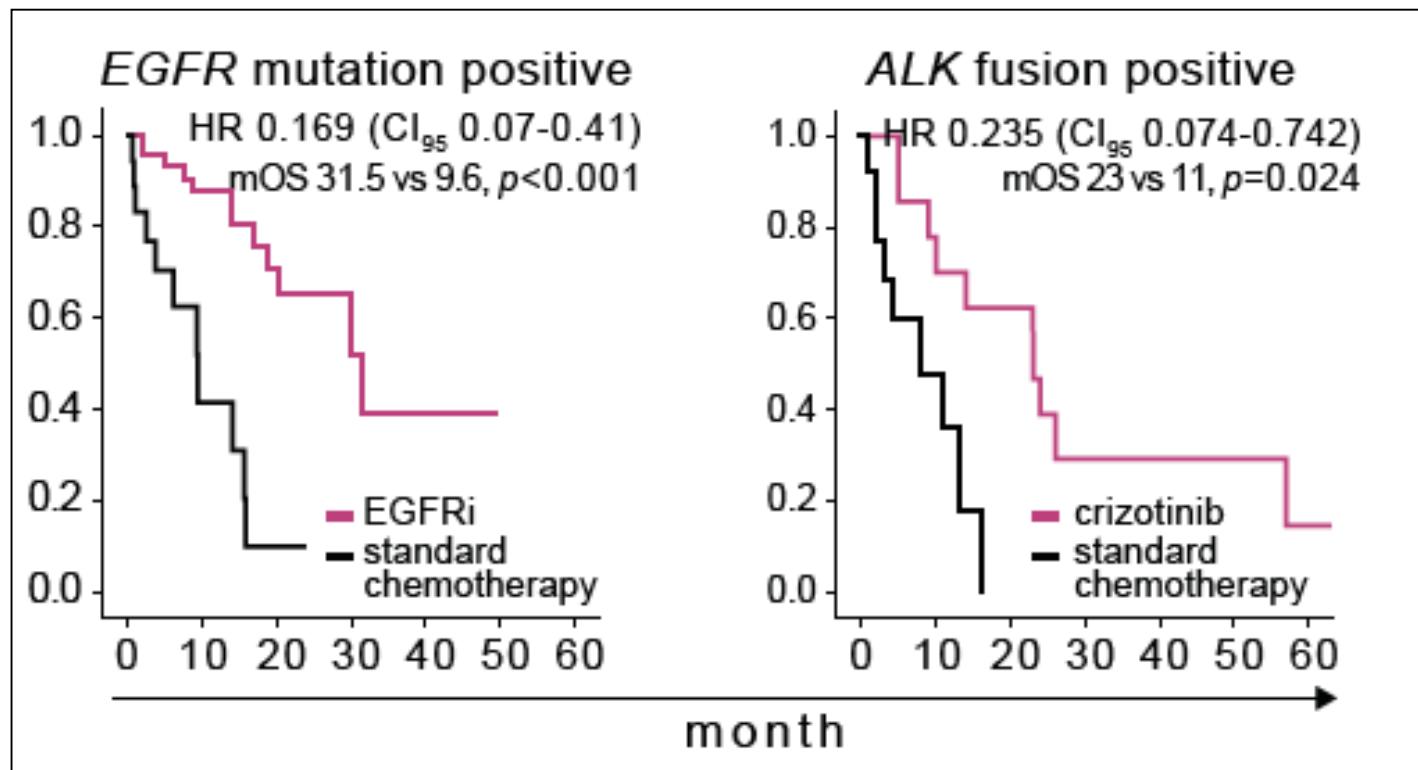
drugs approved in other cancer



drugs in clinical development

+ 3 additional therapies  
applying immune  
checkpoint antibodies  
**CTLR-4, PD1, PD-L1**

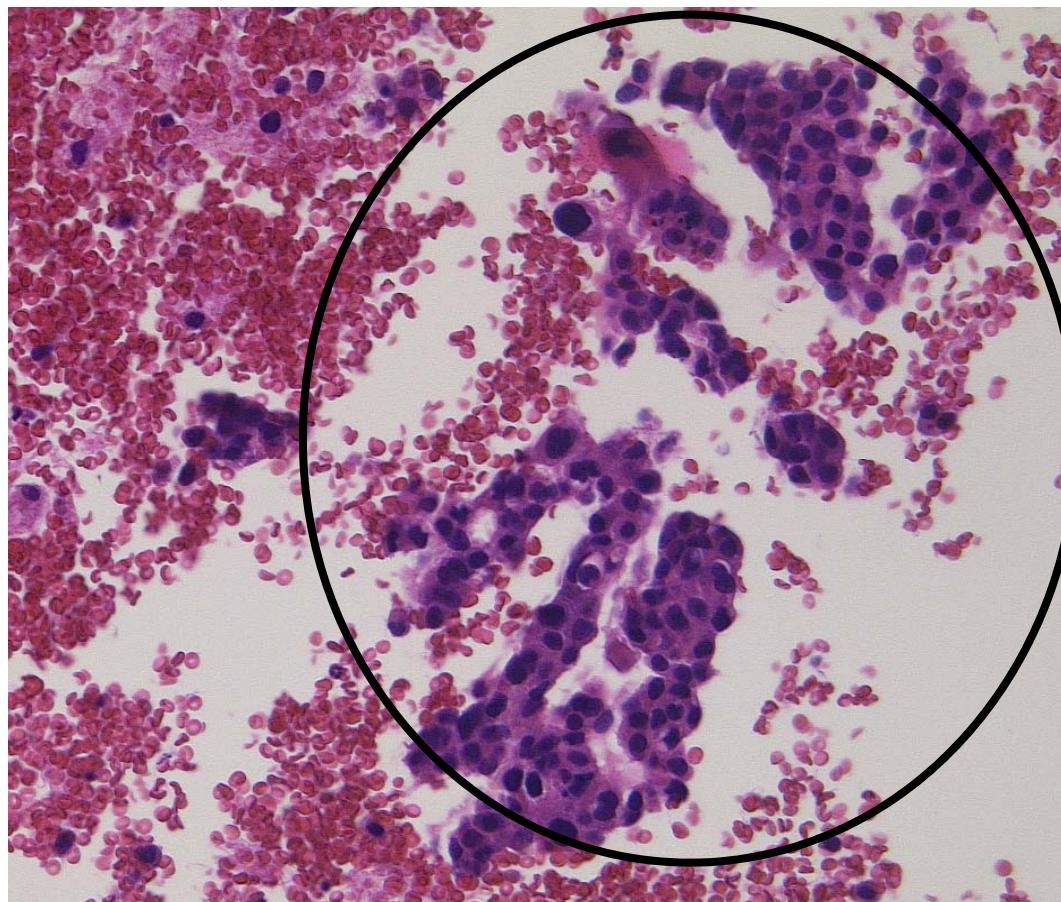
# Improved survival of EGFR<sup>mut</sup> und ALK<sup>transl</sup> patients with personalised therapy as compared to chemotherapy



Subkohorten des Network Genomic Medicine (NGM)

# EBUS-TBNA, EBB, TBB, Cytoblock

## Diagnostics



1. Histology /Cytology
2. Immunhistochemistry

PEC: p63, CK5

AdCA: TTF1, CK7, NapsinA

SCLC: CD56, panCKAE1/3

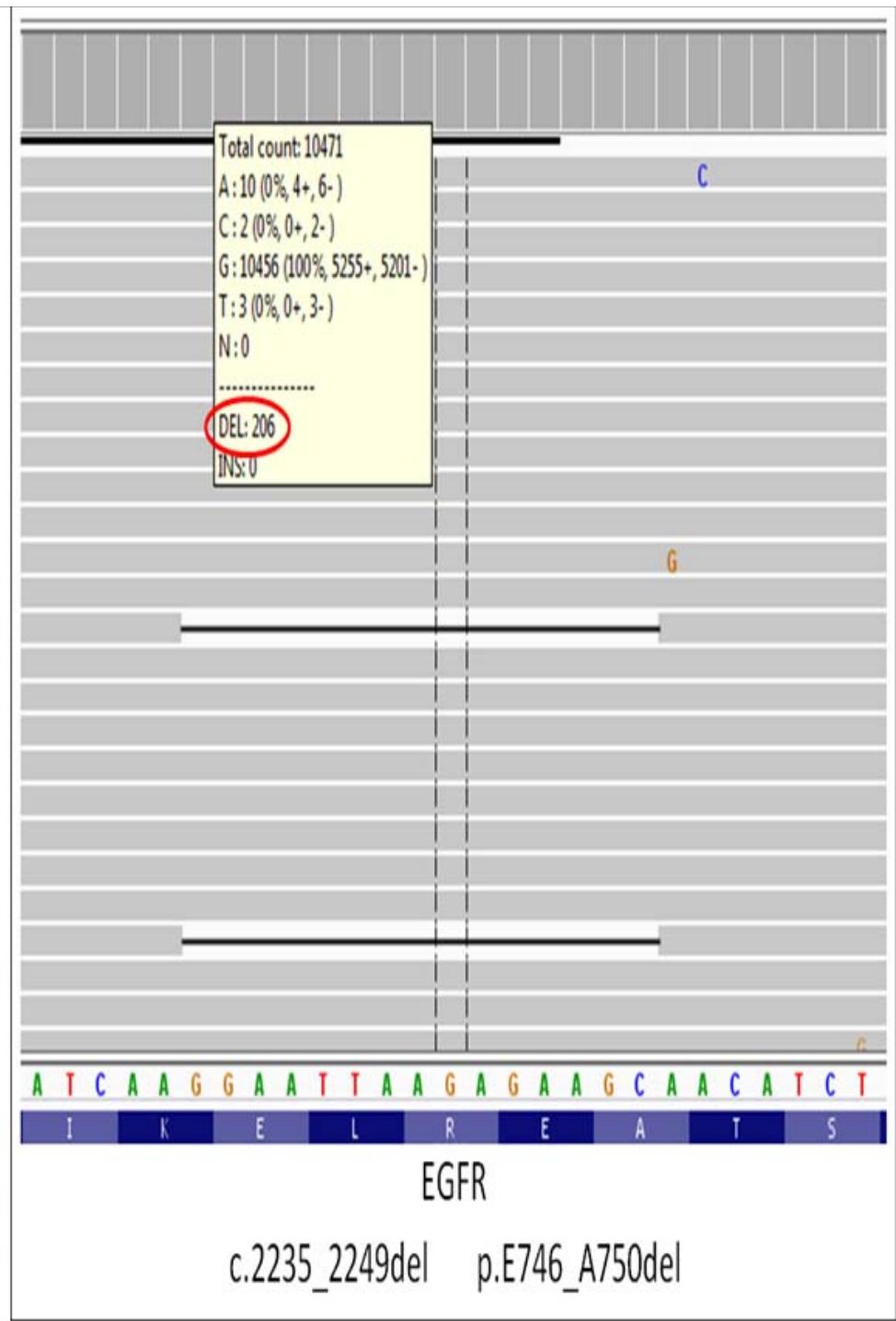
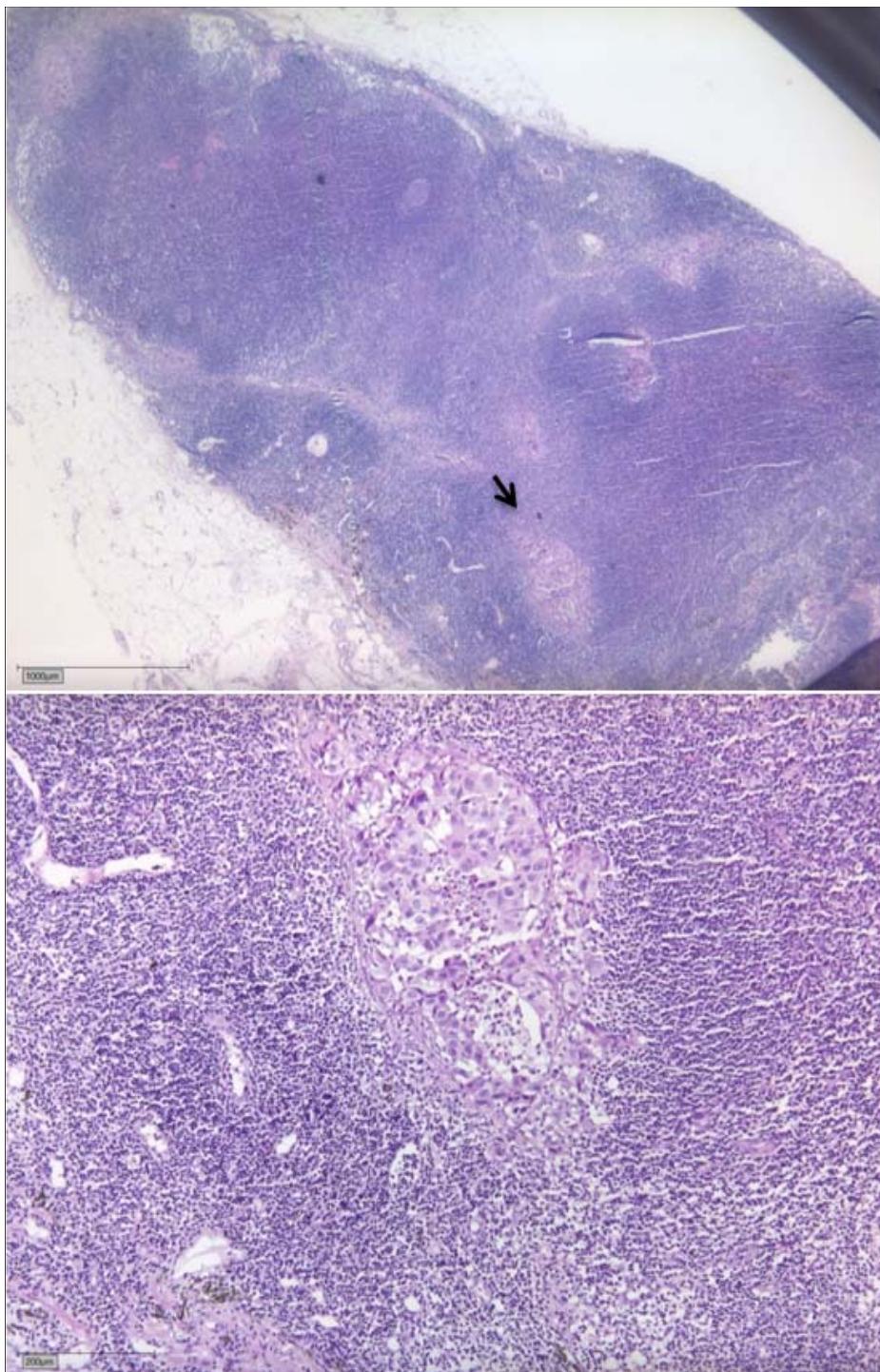
LCC

exclude lymphomas,  
metastases

3. Single parameter molecular diagnostics (compagnion diagnostics  
..... etc, etc....

4. Whole Genome Sequencing vs

*Multiplexing  
Informative Gene Sets*



## **Sequenzielle Einzelanalysen**

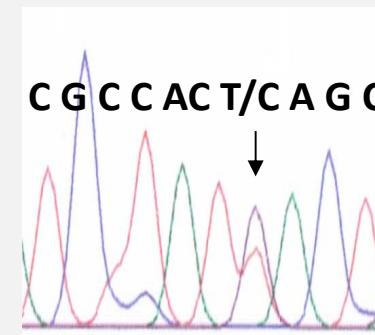
# Pro Ziel Region werden

# 40ng FFPE DNA benötigt



# DNA-Population aus FFPE

**Amplifikation einer Zielregion z.B. Exon 2 KRAS**

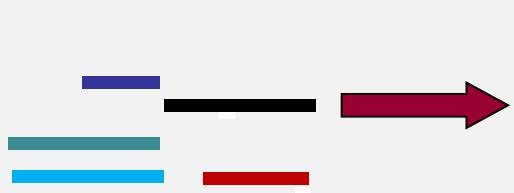


# Sanger Sequenzierung eines Amplikons

## Multiplex -Parallel Sequenzierung

**Für gesamtes Panel werden**

## 50ng FFPE DNA benötigt



# DNA-Population aus FFPE

**Simultane Amplifikation von  
>300 Amplikons**

**z.B. das gesamte Lungen Panel**

Parallel Sequenzierung aller relevanten Amplikons

### Lung Panel

for all NSCLC

189 Amplicons

NRAS	Exon2-3
DDR2	Exon1-18
PTEN	Exon7
FGFR2	Exon5-17
HRAS	Exon2-3
KRAS	Exon2-3
AKT1	Exon4
MAP2K1	Exon2
ERBB2	Exon19-20
STK11	Exon1-9
KEAP1	Exon1-6
ALK	Exon19-28
NFE2L2	Exon1-5
PIK3CA	Exon1-2,9,20
EGFR	Exon18-21
MET	Exon16-19
BRAF	Exon11,15
JAK2	Exon12,14

80% of DNA Extracts  
have the minimal  
required amount of  
material

### Multiplex PCR

- 10 to 50ng of gDNA
- DDR2 Panel
- Lung Panel

### Library Preparation

- Adapter ligation including BC
- Enrichment (10 cycles)

### MiSeq (Illumina)

- 48 Patients are loaded (DDR2 Panel)
- 24 Patients loaded (Lung Panel)
- Minimal coverage 500x

### DDR2 Panel

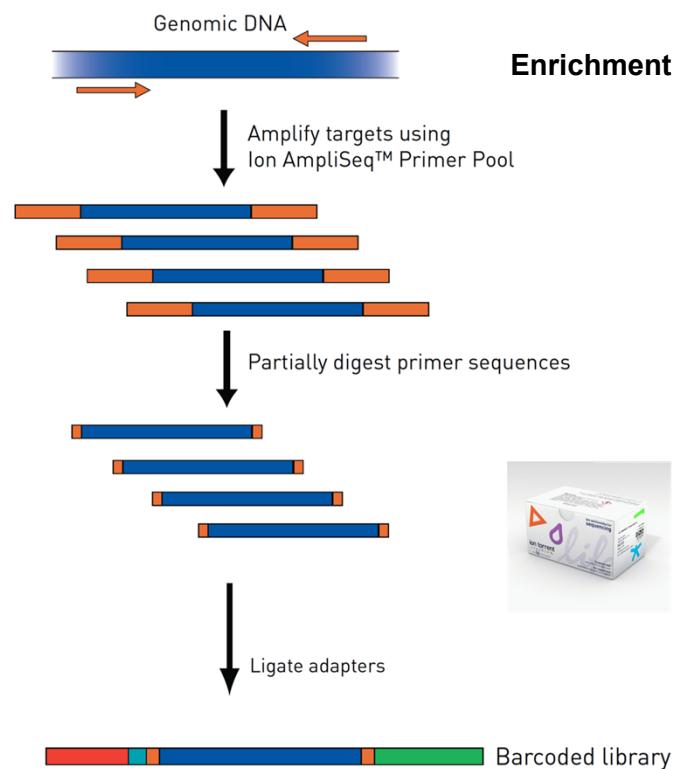
for squamous

35 Amplicons

BRAF	Exon11, 15
DDR2	Exon1-18

### Timeline

- Day 1: DNA → Multiplex PCR
- Day 2: Library Prep → MiSeq loading
- Day 3: MiSeq ready → Fastq files
- Day 4: Alignment, BAM → Data



König K,  
JTO 2015

FileMaker Pro - [Molpatho\_Leistungserfassung (UKKSRVMPATH06)]

Datei Bearbeiten Ansicht Einfügen Format Datensätze Scripts Fenster Hilfe

51276 52161  
Datensätze Gesamt (Unsortiert) Alle anzeigen Neuer Datensatz Datensatz löschen Suchen Sortieren

Layout: NGS Fall Anzeigen als: Seitenansichtmodus

Mol\_NR 3798 If\_Untersuchung\_ID 57185 Ergebnis Mol Patho  
Barcode C13.28708 LCGC-ID 7051 KRA5: c.35G>T p.G12V;TP53: c.359A>G p.K120R;TP53: c.215C>G p.P72R;TP53: c.542G>C p.R181P  
kunzel C 28708 / 2013 Untersuchung NGS\_LUN3 #3

**NGS DATA SUMMARY**

Diagnose LUN/M Comment\_NGS

**Coverage Statistic:**

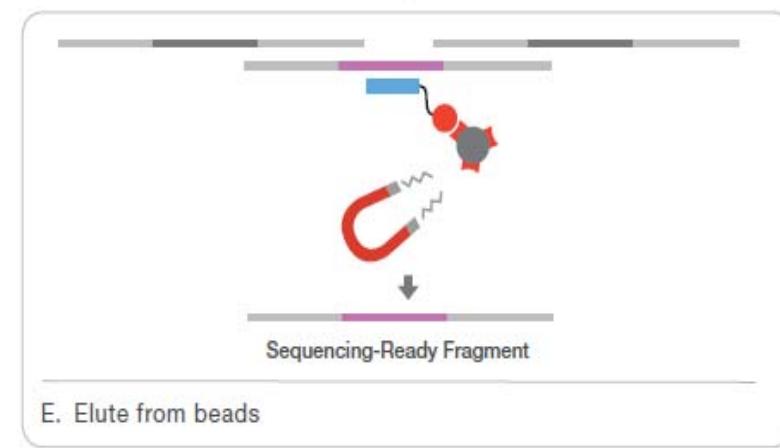
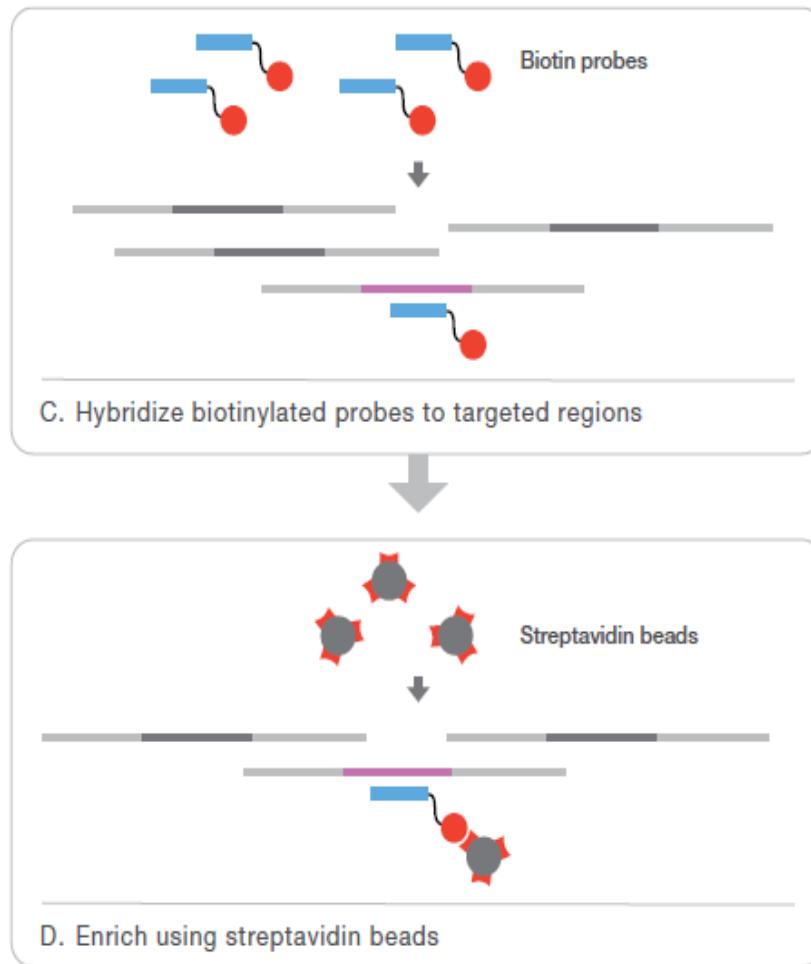
	Minimum	31	Std.-Abw.	6.839,3
Maximum	36.069		Std.-Abw. i.V.	1,0
Durchschn.	6.961,5		Durchschn.	
Anzahl ges.	102		Maximum i.V.	
Anzahl uHu	1		Std.-Abw.	5,3

**MP Leistungserfassung**

Table showing NGS data summary and coverage statistics. The main table lists variants for KRAS, MAP2K1, TP53, and other genes across chromosomes 12, 15, 17, and 20. Coverage values are shown as green (+) or red (-) bars. A red box highlights a row for TP53 variant c.271T>C at position 16965.

## Hybrid Selection instead of Multiplex PCR:

- Fragmentation of DNA (Covaris)
- Ligation of Adapter and Barcodes



**Advantage:**  
**fusions can be integrated**

**Disadvantage:**  
**more sample input (10x)**  
**more data output**

## Composition of **aCIO** (= all cancers in one) panel **LTCGv3.0**

Gene	target	Gene	target	Gene	target
ABL1	exons	IDH1	exons	RHOA	Exon 2,3
ALK	breakpoints and exons	IDH2	exons	RICTOR	exons
APC	exons	IGF2R	exons	ROS1	breakpoints and exons
AR	exons	JAK2	exons	RPTOR	exons
ARAF	exons	KDR	exons	SMO	exons
ATM	exons	KEAP1	exons	STK11	exons
ATR	exons	KIF5B	breakpoint only	TGFBR2	exons
BCL6	exons	KIT	exons	TP53	exons
BRAF	breakpoints and exons	KNSTRN	Exon1	TSC1	exons
BRCA1	exons	KRAS	exons	TSC2	exons
BRCA2	exons	MAP2K1	Exon 2	VHL	exons
CCND1	exons	MDM2	exons		
CCNE1	exons	MET	whole gene		
CD74	breakpoints	MSH3	exons		
CDK4	exons	MTOR	exons		
CDK6	exons	MYC	exons		
CDKN2A	exons	MYCL1	exons		
CDKN2B	exons	MYCN	exons		
CTNNB1	exons	NF1	exons		
EGFR	whole gene	NF2	exons		
EML4	breakpoint	NFE2L2	exons		
ERBB2	exons	NOTCH 1	exons		
FGFR1	whole gene	NOTCH 2	exons		
FGFR2	breakpoints and exons	NOTCH 3	exons		
FGFR3	whole gene	NRAS	exons		
FLT1	exons	NRG1	breakpoint only		
FLT4	exons	NTRK1	breakpoints and exons		
GNA11	exons	OXA1L	Exon 1		
GNA13	exons	PDGFRa	breakpoints and exons		
GNAI2	exons	PDGFRb	breakpoints and exons		
GNAQ	exons	PIK3CA	exons		
GNAS	exons	PTCH1	exons		
GNAT2	exons	PTEN	exons		
GNG2	exons	RAC1	Exon2		
HDAC2	exons	RB1	exons		
HRAS	exons	RET	breakpoints and exons		

83 genes and gene regions

Mutation analysis

Rearrangement analysis

Size of **aCIO**

(= all cancers in one) panel:

- estimated total target region:  
**2.26 Mb**
- suggested mean coverage:  
**200-400 x**

S Merkelbach Bruse, M Odenthal  
S Dümcke, R Büttner

## **Size of CAIO (= cancer all in one) panel:**

- estimation of total target region: 2.26 Mb
- suggested mean coverage: 200-400x
- minimal mean coverage: 150x

⇒ results in 48 samples per run using the „high output“ mode of Illumina's NextSeq

⇒ cover: mutations  
in-delss  
amplifications, deletions  
fusions  
qMSI  
(estimate mutational load)

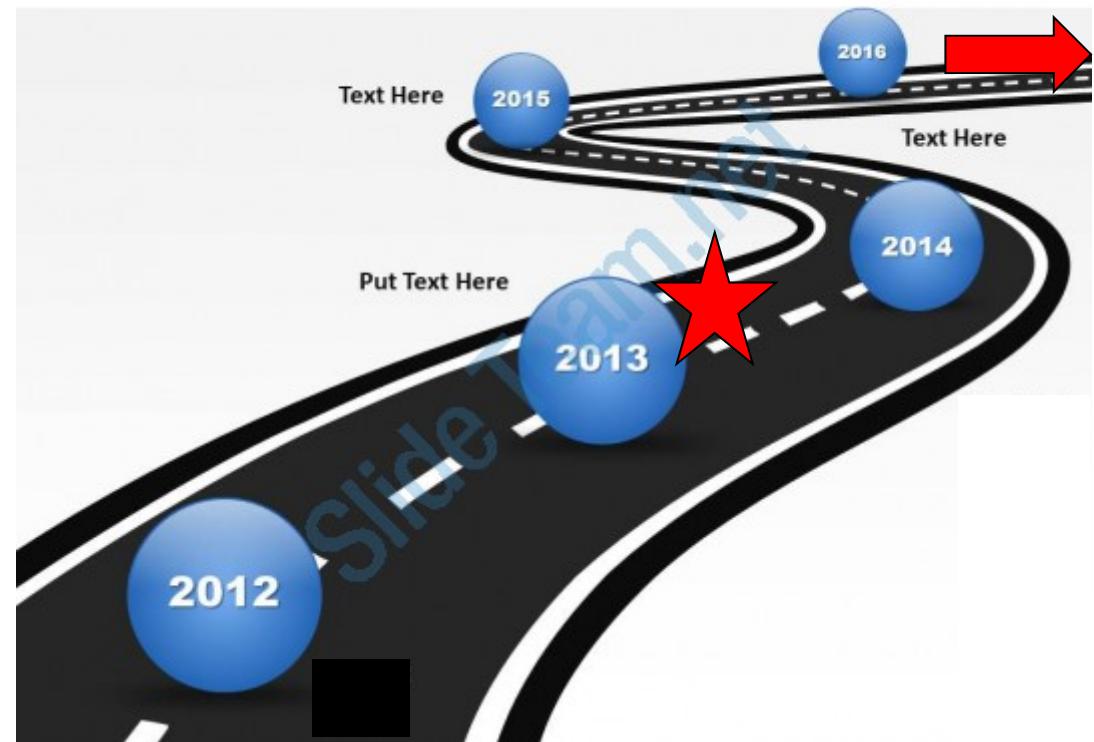
- *Genotyping for Personalised Oncology*

Is it worth ?

Yes

Is it durable ?

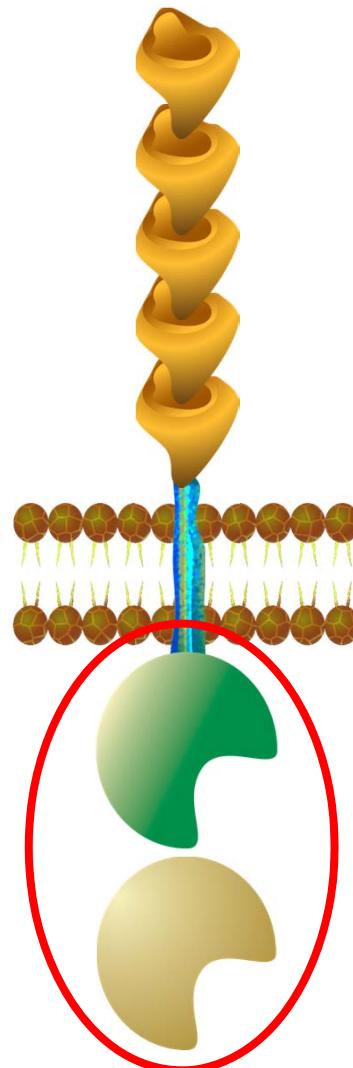
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# Tyrosinkinase Inhibitors (TKIs)

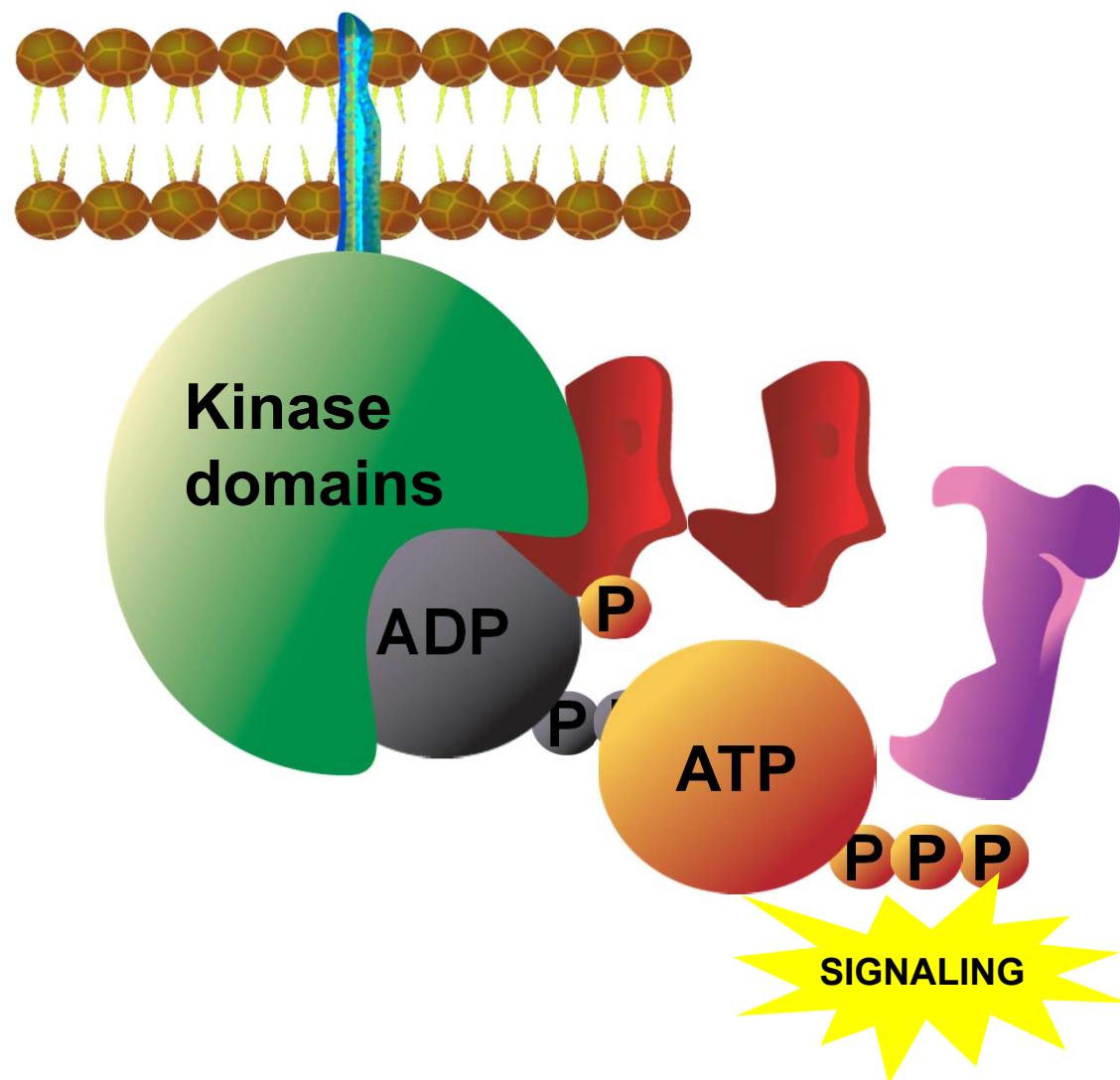
## Mode of action

- **Structure of a tyrosine kinase (c-KIT)**
  - SCF binding site
  - 5 IgG domains

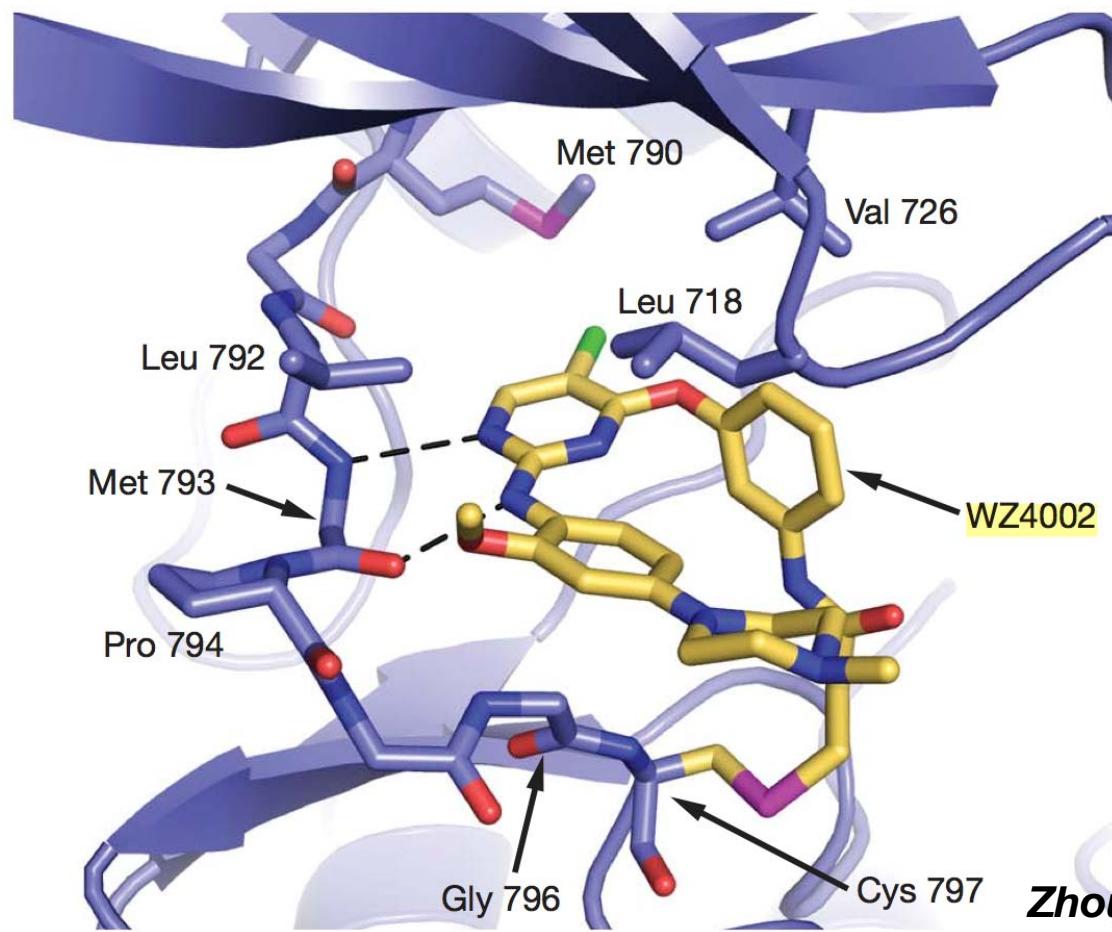


2 tyrosine kinase domains

- The KIT kinase domain activates a substrate protein, eg, PI3 kinase, by phosphorylation
- This activated substrate initiates a signaling cascade culminating in cell proliferation and survival



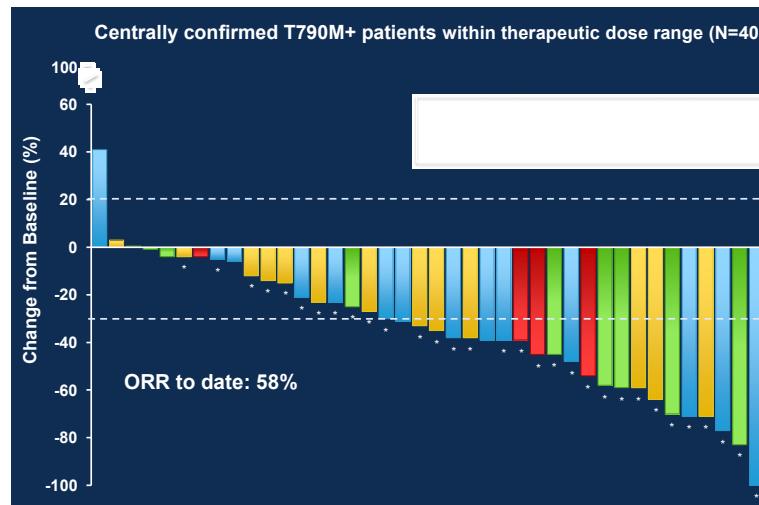
# Overcoming resistance by structure-based compound design



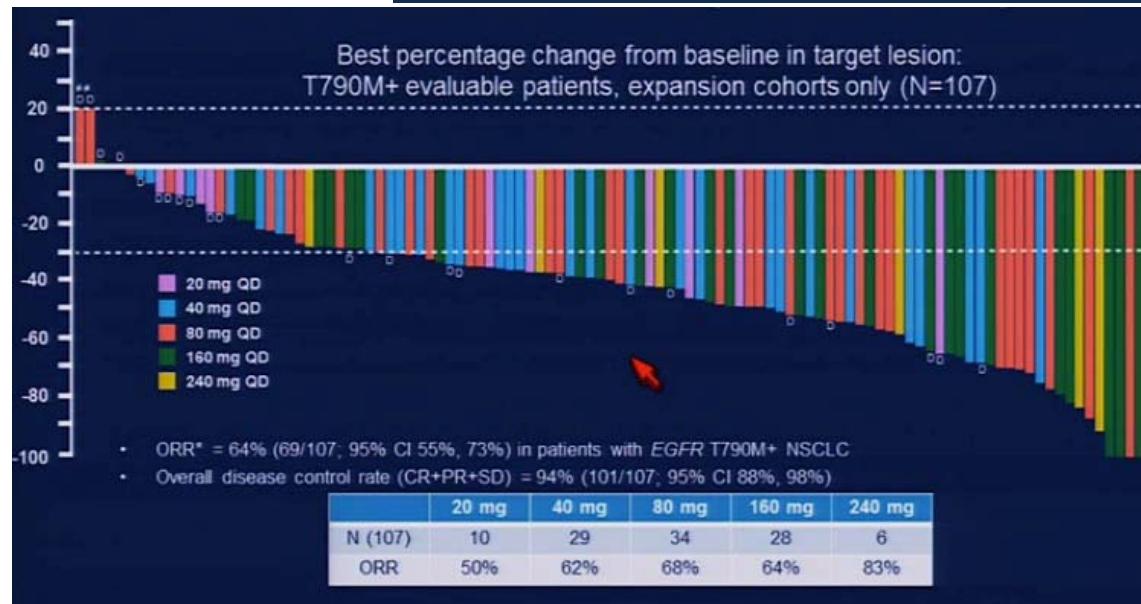
Zhou et al., Nature 2009

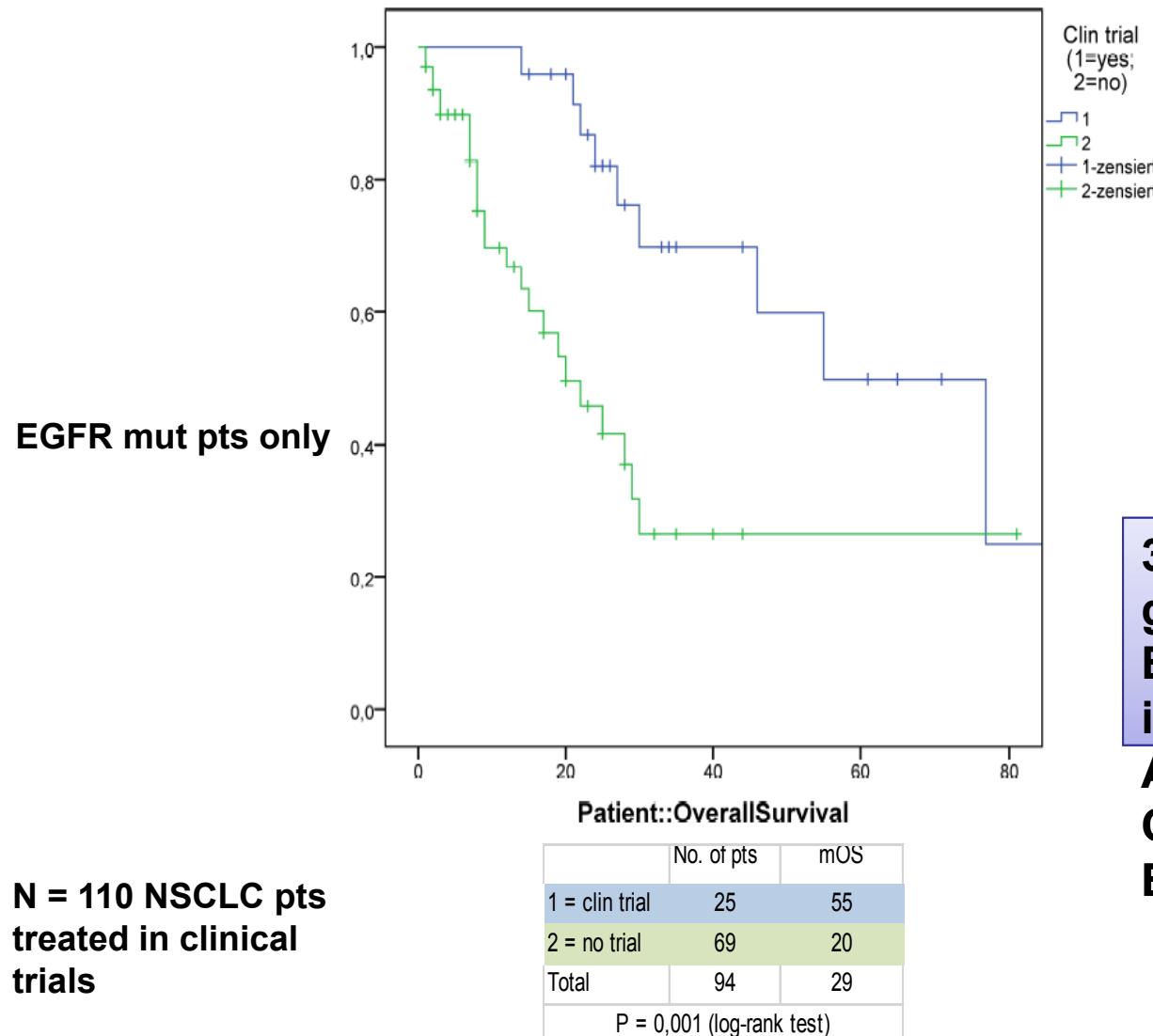
# Clinical efficacy of next-gen EGFR inhibitors

**CO-1686**



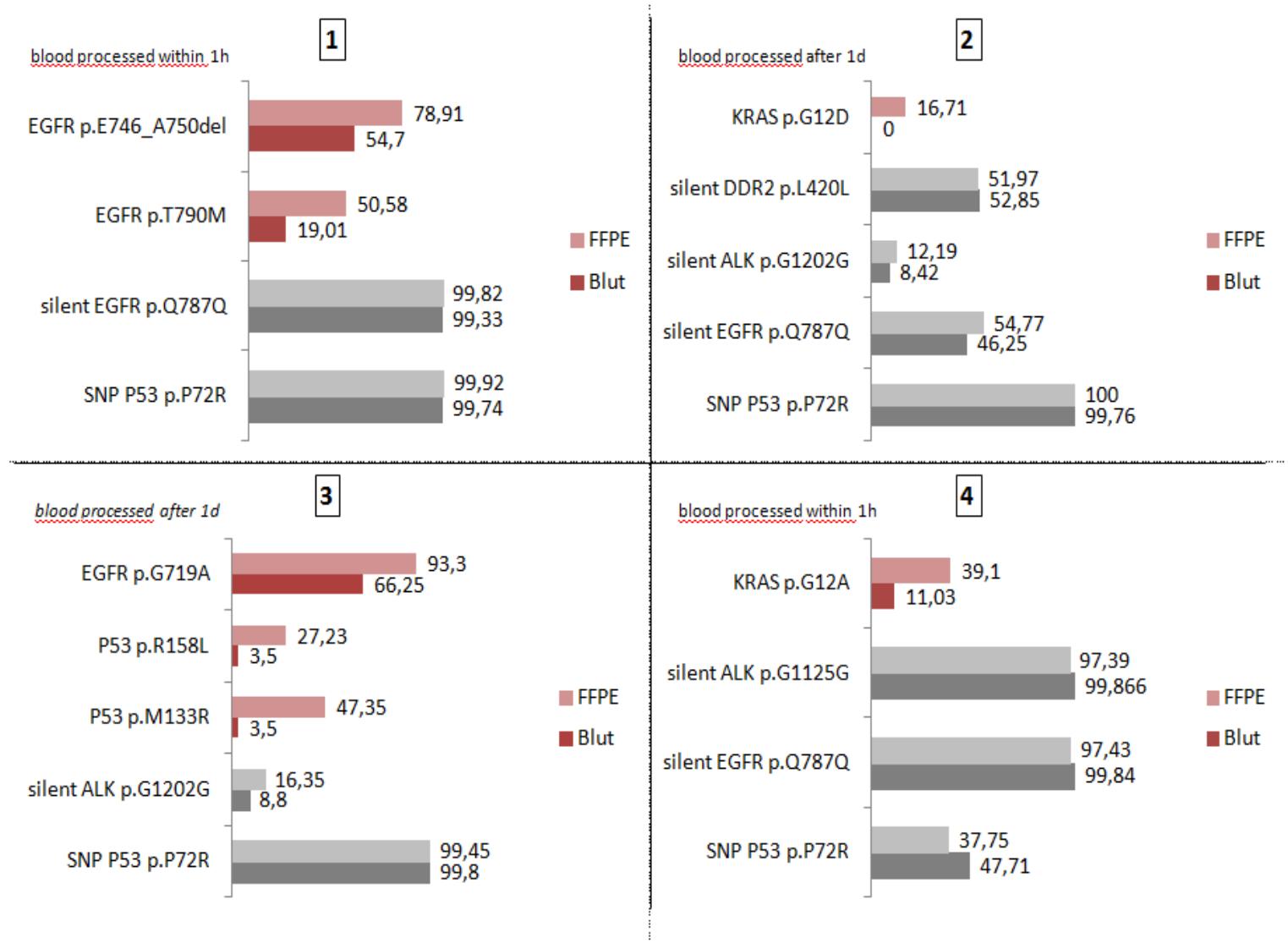
**AZD9291**





**3rd generation EGFR inhibitors:**  
**AZD9291,**  
**CO-1686,**  
**EGF816**

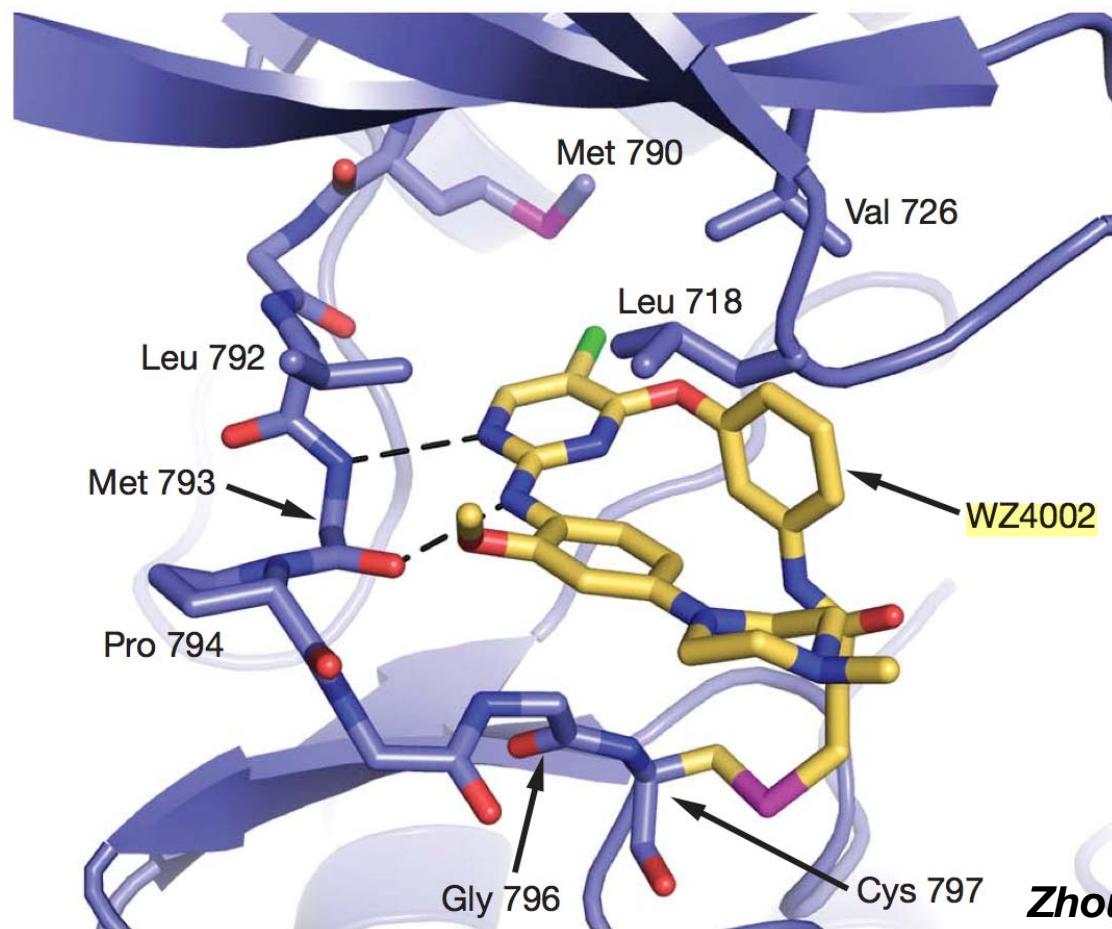
# Surveillance of solid tumors by liquid biopsies



Non-invasive analysis of acquired resistance to cancer therapy by sequencing of plasma DNA.

Murtaza M, Nature. 2013 May 2;497(7447)

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Zhou et al., Nature 2009

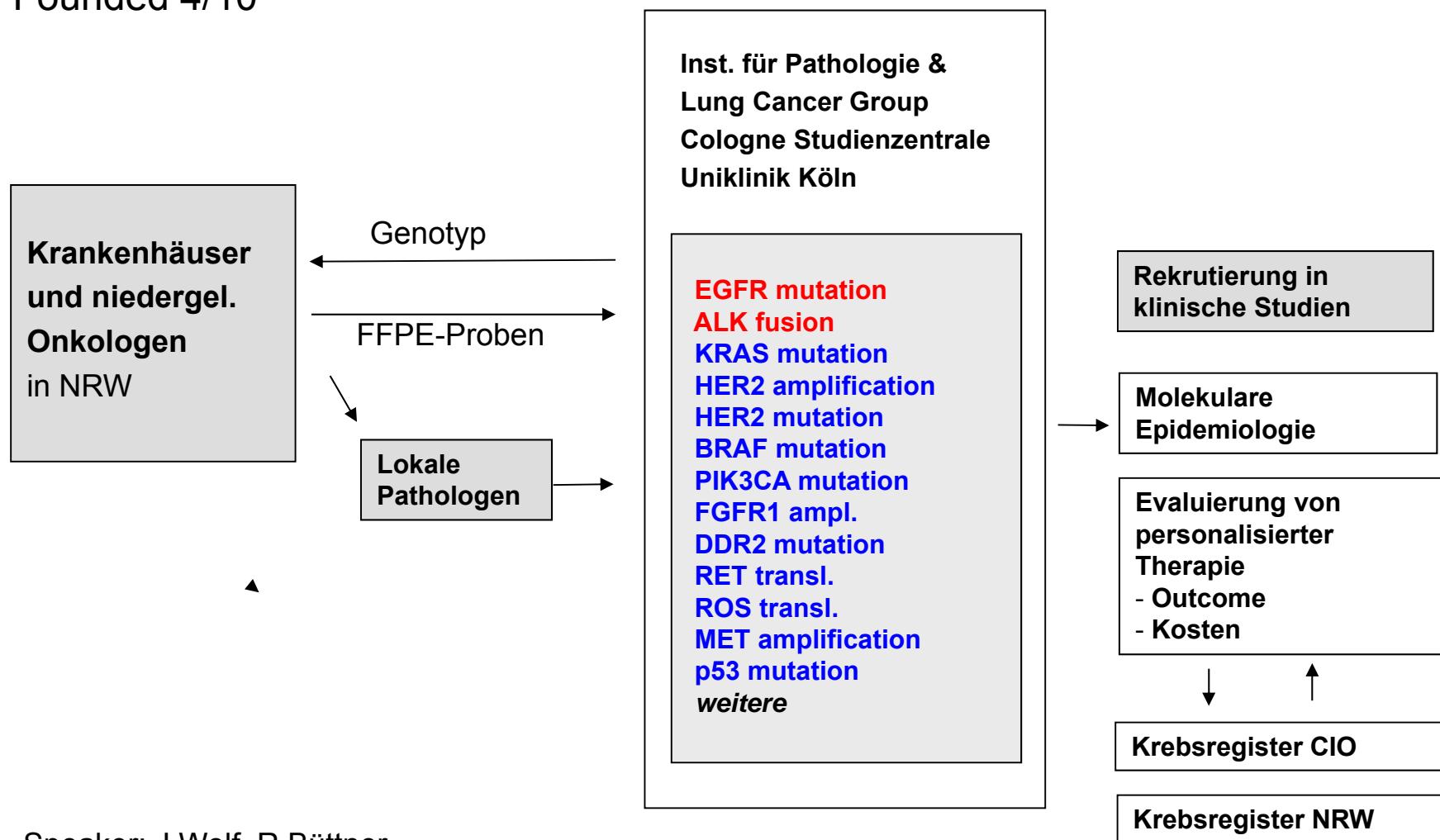
# Network Genomic Medicine - NGM

## Lung Cancer

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Lung Cancer



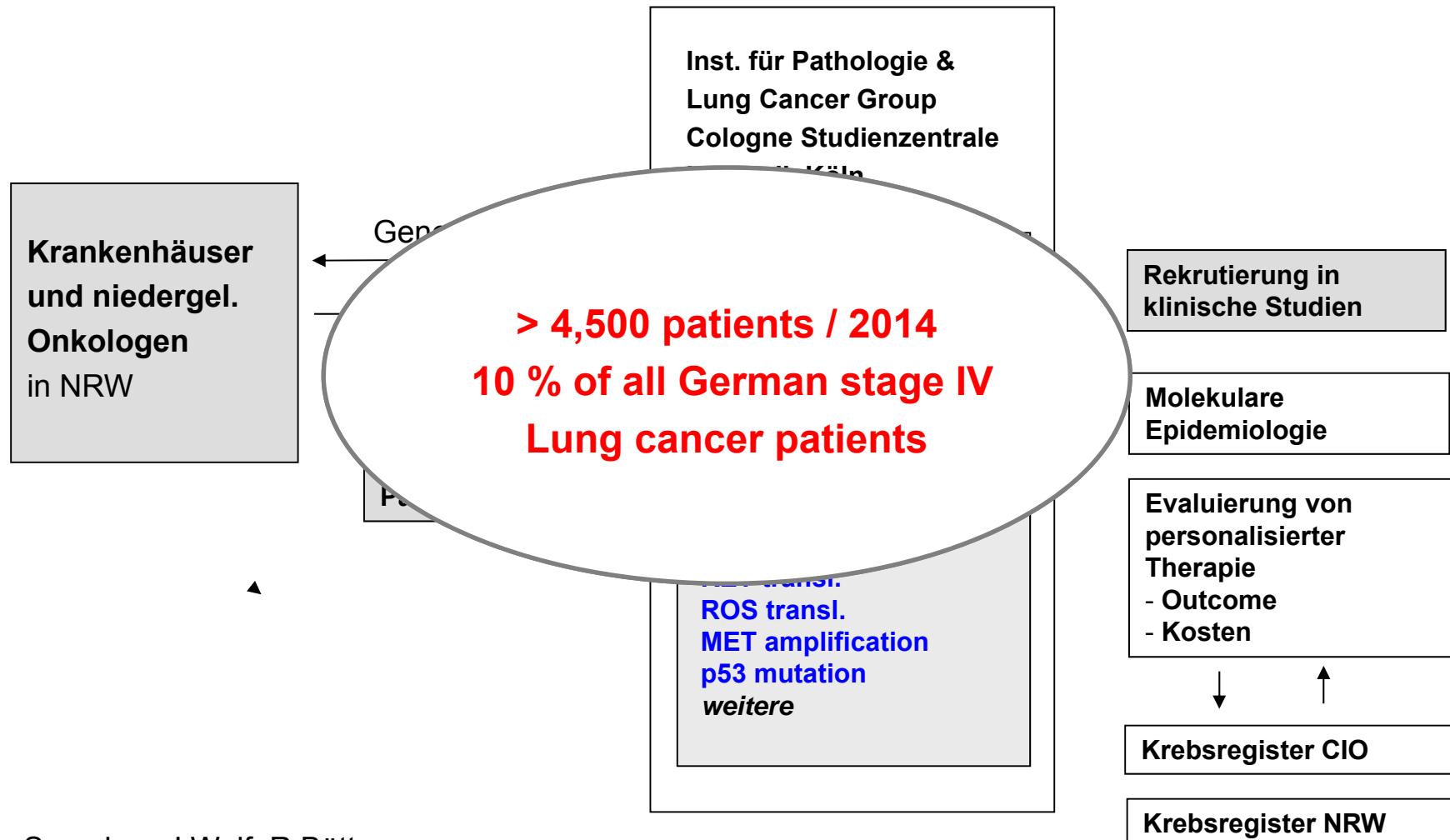
Speaker: J.Wolf, R.Büttner  
PI s: S.Michels, A. Scheel

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Sprecher: J.Wolf, R.Büttner  
PI s: S.Michels, A. Scheel



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**Reimbursed by an  
Integrated Care  
Contract (IV)**

**> 225  
NGM Members  
In Germany**

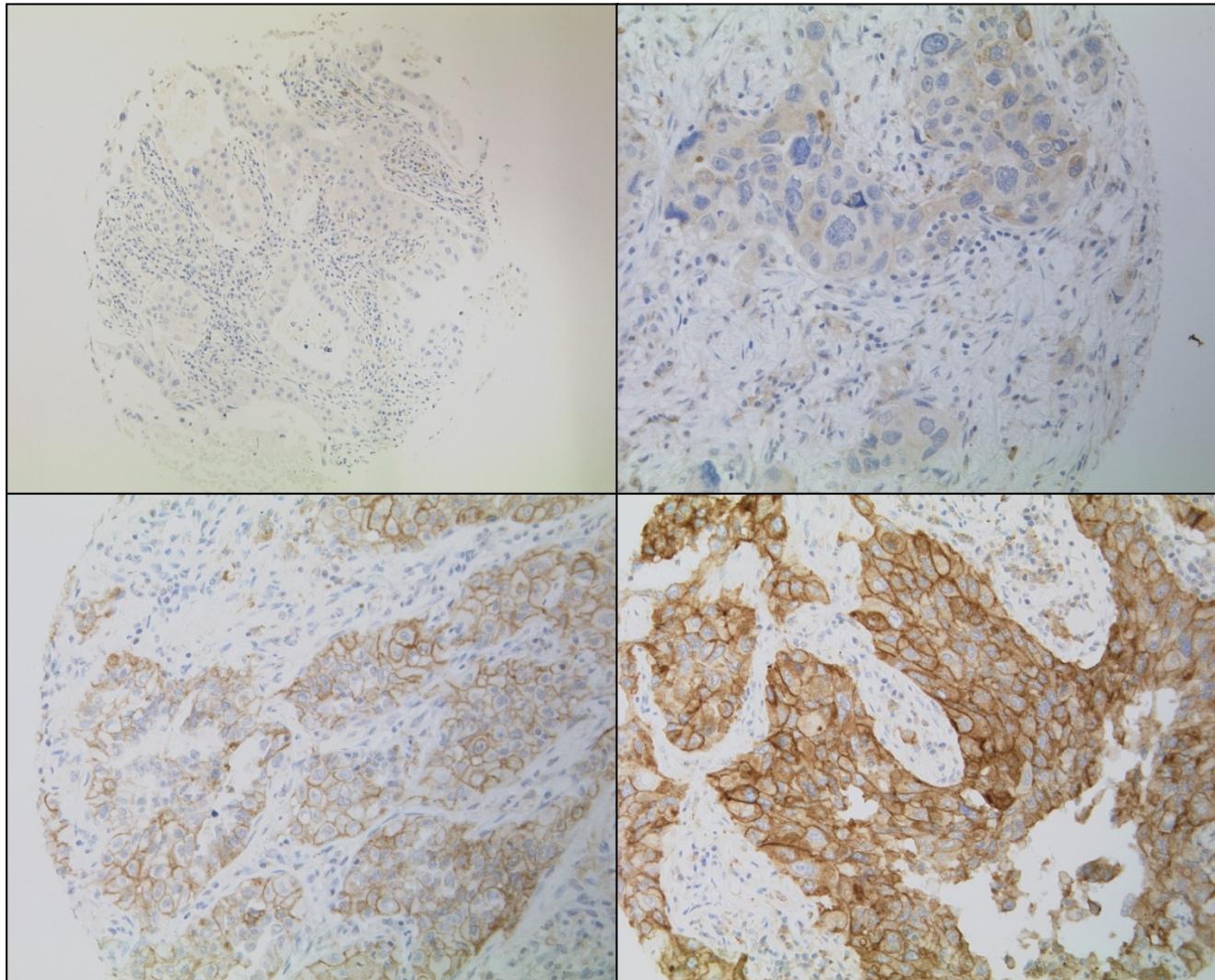
**Studies Steering  
Committee**

**Networks provide a Win-Win situation**



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## PD-L1 IHC

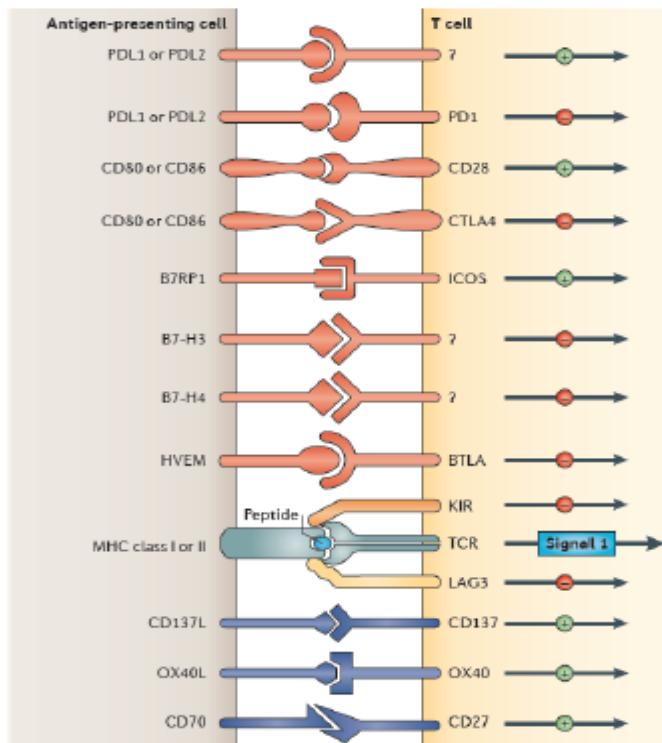


**PD-L1 ICH, Schultheis et al, 2015**

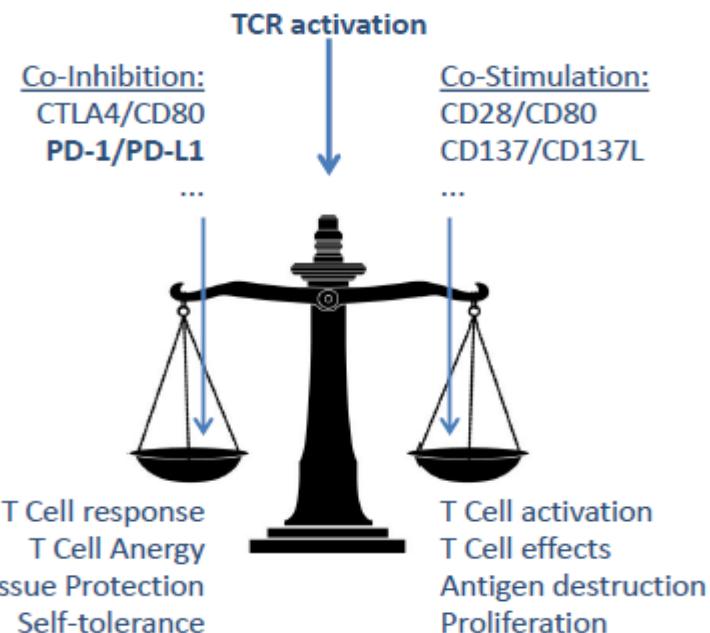
IHC: PD-L1, Klon 5H1.  
Abbildungen: Dr. Anne Schultheis,  
Pathologie Universitätsklinik Köln

# The role of PD-1 and PD-L1 pathway

PD-1 / PD-L1 is a co-inhibitory pathway

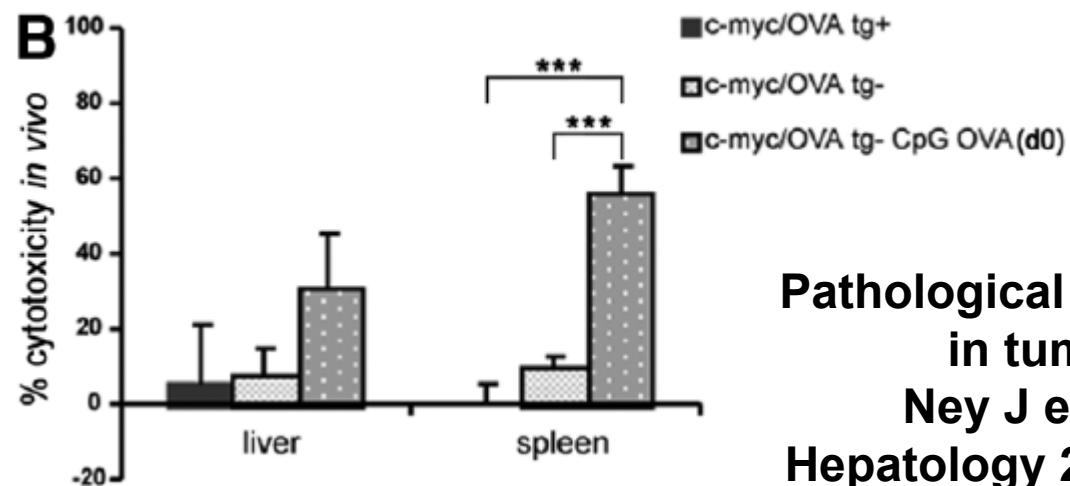
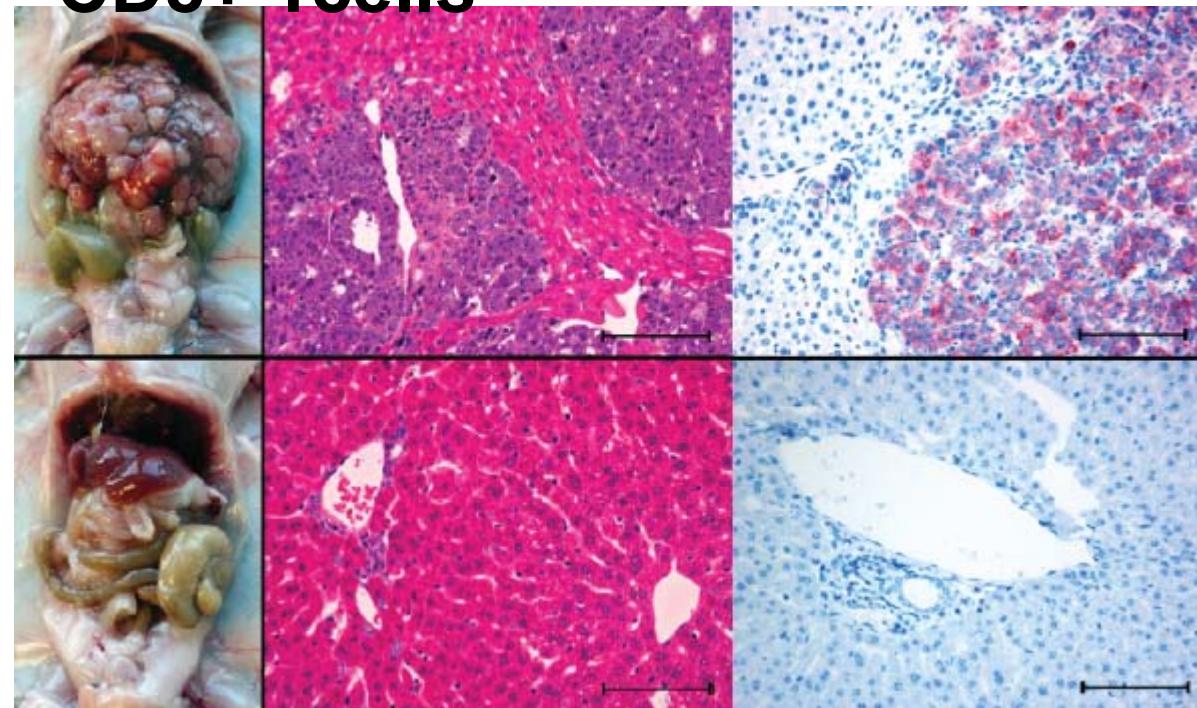
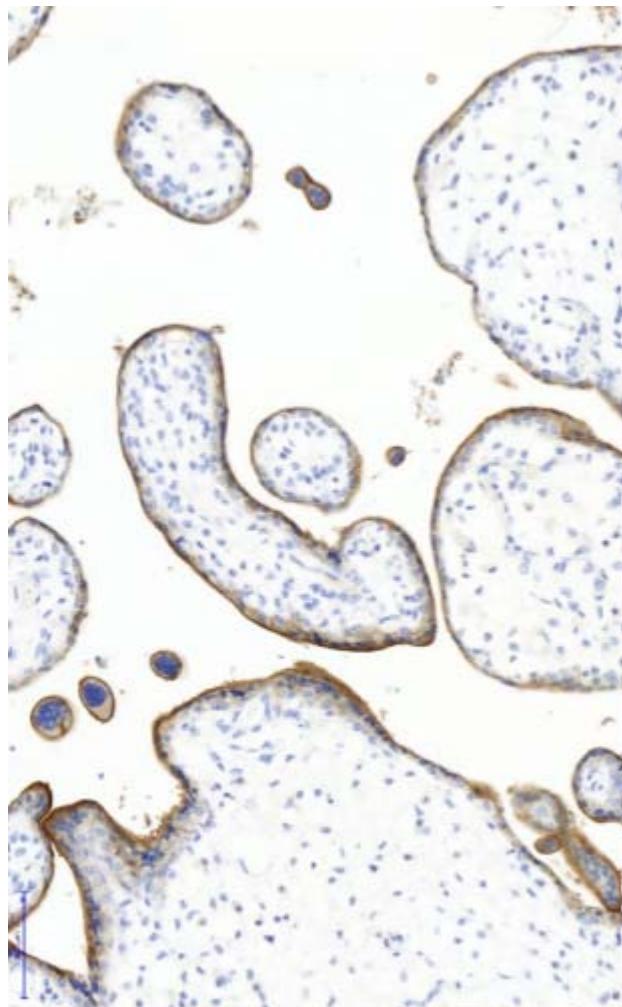


Pardoll. Nat Rev Cancer. 2012 Mar 22;12(4):252-64.



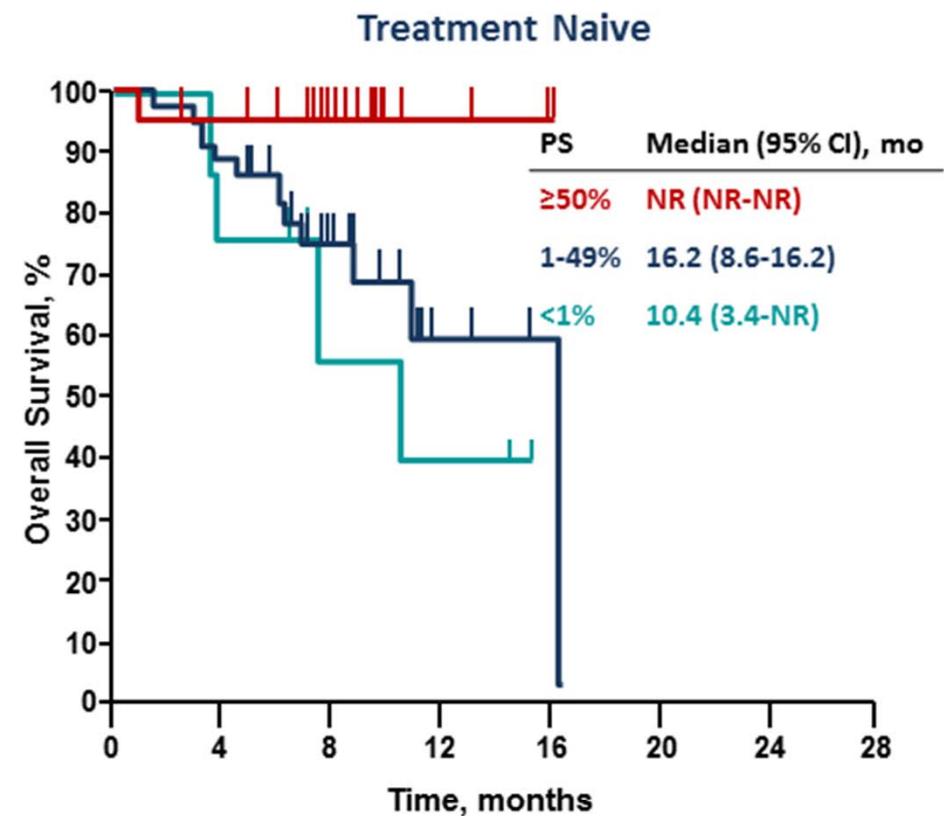
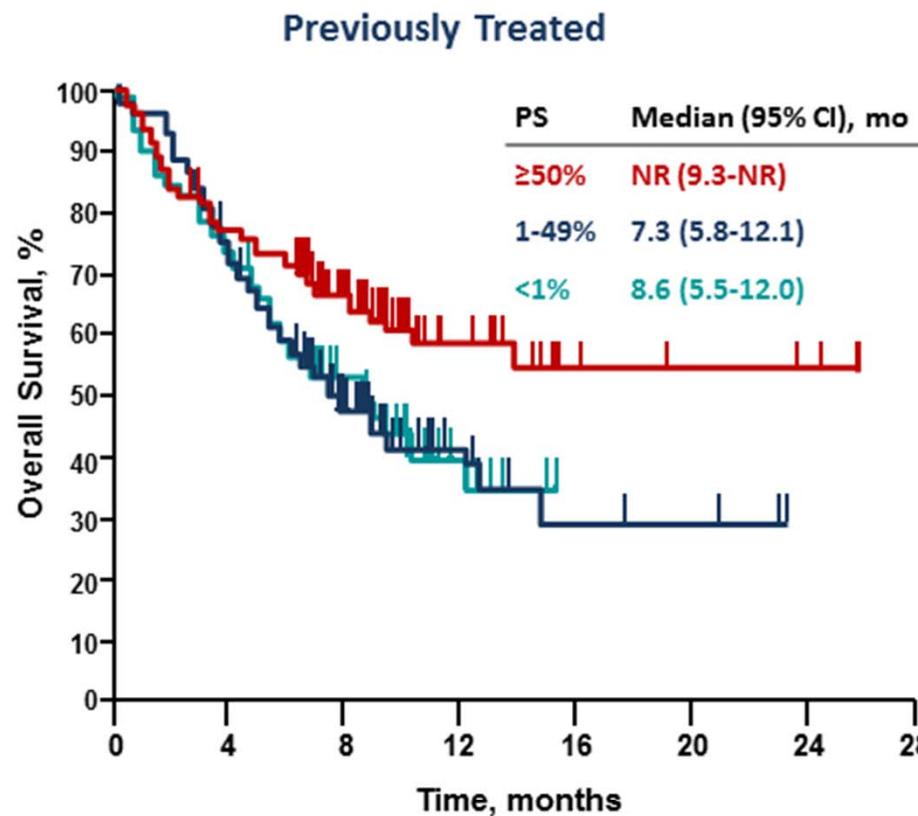
# PD-L1 induces tolerance in antigen-specific CD8+ Tcells

Physiological role in placenta



Pathological role  
in tumors  
Ney J et al.,  
Hepatology 2009

# OS by PD-L1 Expression, CTA-Evaluable Patients by Prior Treatment



n at risk

99	74	45	18	5	4	3	0
127	89	43	12	5	4	0	0
68	49	30	6	0	0	0	0

n at risk

20	18	11	4	0	0	0	0
34	30	15	3	1	0	0	0
8	6	3	2	0	0	0	0

OS was assessed in all patients whose samples were stained within 6 months of cutting.

Analysis cut-off date: August 29, 2014.

Garon\_AACR 2015\_19Apr15

# The challenge in PD-L1 testing: Currently four tests in development

	 Merck	 BMS	 Roche	 AZ
	KEYTRUDA pembrolizumab	Opdivo nivolumab	Atezolizumab MPDL3280a	Durvalumab MEDI-4736
Clone	22C3	28-8	SP142	SP263
Dxy	Dako	Dako	Ventana	Ventana
Cutoffs	TC: ≥1, ≥50	TC: ≥1, ≥5, ≥10	TC: ≥1, ≥10, ≥50 IC: ≥1, ≥5, ≥10	TC: ≥25, ≥90
Prospective	Yes	No	Yes	Yes
Inter Observer	<b>95.6 (50%)</b>	<b>97.8 (1%)</b> <b>98.5 (5%)</b>	>90	<b>96.7 (25%)</b>
Inter Site	<b>91.3 (50%)</b>	<b>90.2 (1%)</b> <b>94.8 (5%)</b>	-	-



# PD-L1 IHC: Harmonisation urgently needed

**German Society for Pathology initiative:  
Ring Trial for PD-L1 ICH test  
harmonization**

## **Phase I: Interobserver Concordance in Scoring -NSCLC**

- **In Progress**
- **Projectmanagement: A. Scheel,  
Cologne**

## **Phase II: Assay-Harmonization: Interobserver Concordance in Staining and Scoring NSCLC**

- **In Development**
- **Projectmanagement: Targos GmbH,  
Kassel**

**Status**



Case	Pathologists									Modus	Agreement
	P1	P2	P3	P4	P5	P6	P7	P8	P9		
1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	89%
2	6	6	5	5	6	6	6	6	6	6	78%
3	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	78%
4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	100%
5	6	6	4	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	89%
6	2	1	2	1	3	3	2	3	2	2; 3	44%
7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	89%
8	4	2	4	4	4	4	5	3	6	4	56%
9	5	4	5	5	5	5	5	6	6	5	67%
10	1	0	4	3	1	1	0	1	4	1; 4; 0	44%
11	4	2	3	4	4	5	4	4	6	4	56%
12	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	78%
13	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	89%
14	2	1	2	3	1	3	2	1	3	1; 2; 3	33%
15	5	5	5	4	5	6	5	5	6	5	67%

- 15 NSCLC-specimens stained centrally ('Case 1 - 15')
- Scoring by 9 German pathologists ('P1' - 'P9')

'Working group PD-L1  
IHC'  
Manuscript in  
preparation

## Concordance (7-step-score)

Mean (Light's  $\kappa$ ) [95% CI] | 0,43 [0,31 - 0,53]

Mean kw [95% CI] | 0,75 [0,61 - 0,82]

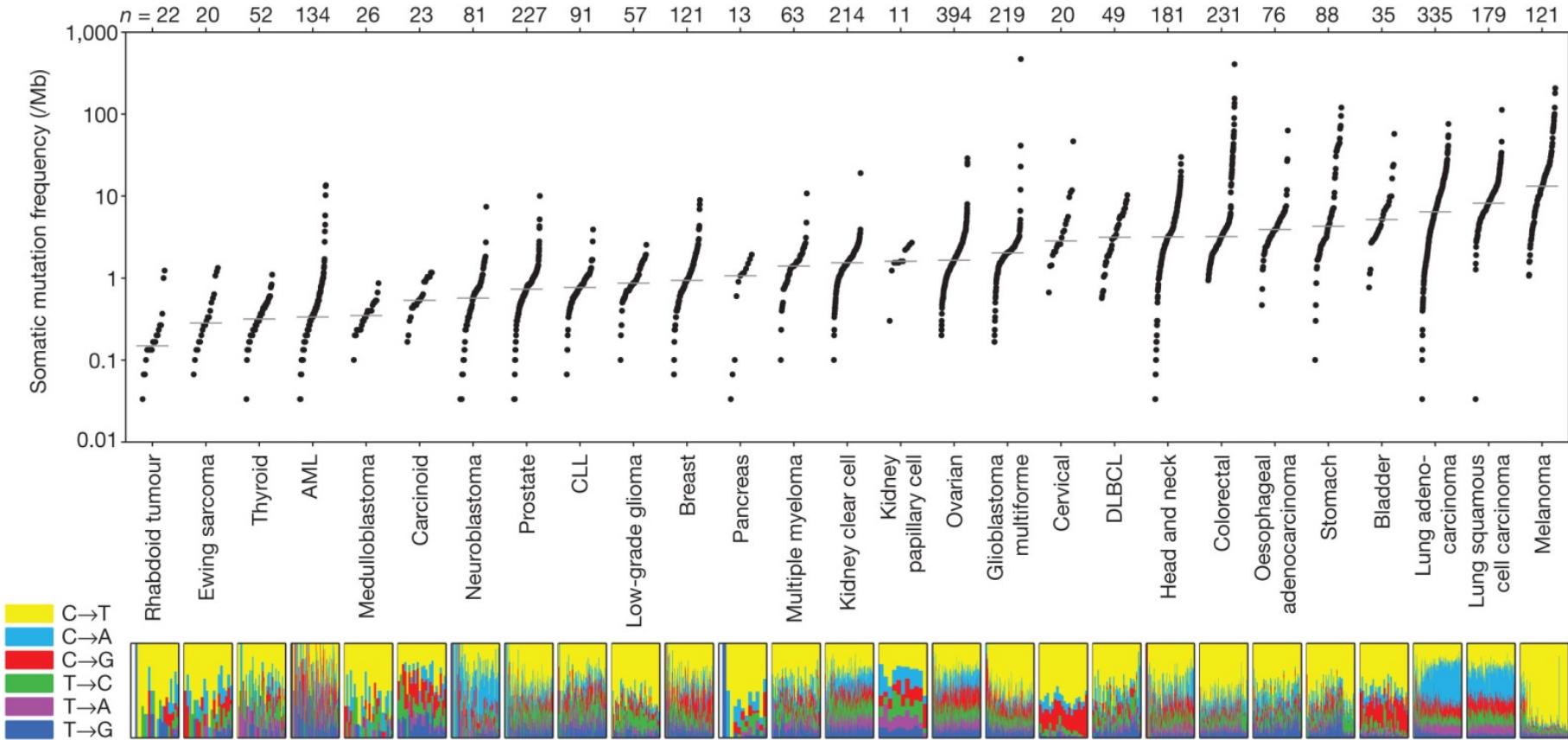
## Concordance (2-step / $\geq 1\%$ )

Mean (Light's  $\kappa$ ) = 0,73 [0,60 - 0,88]

## Concordance (2-step / $\geq 50\%$ )

Mean (Light's  $\kappa$ ) = 0,76 [0,58 - 0,92]

# Somatic genetic alterations in cancer correlate with response to PD1 therapies



MS Lawrence et al. *Nature*, 1-5 (2013)

[Van Allen EM<sup>1</sup>, et al., \*Science\*. 2015 Sep 10.](#)

Genomic correlates of response to CTLA4 blockade in metastatic melanoma.  
Overall mutational load, neoantigen load, and expression of cytolytic markers in the immune microenvironment were significantly associated with clinical benefit.



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**Re-analyses of:**

**Rizvi NA et al, Science 2015. 348(6230):124-8**

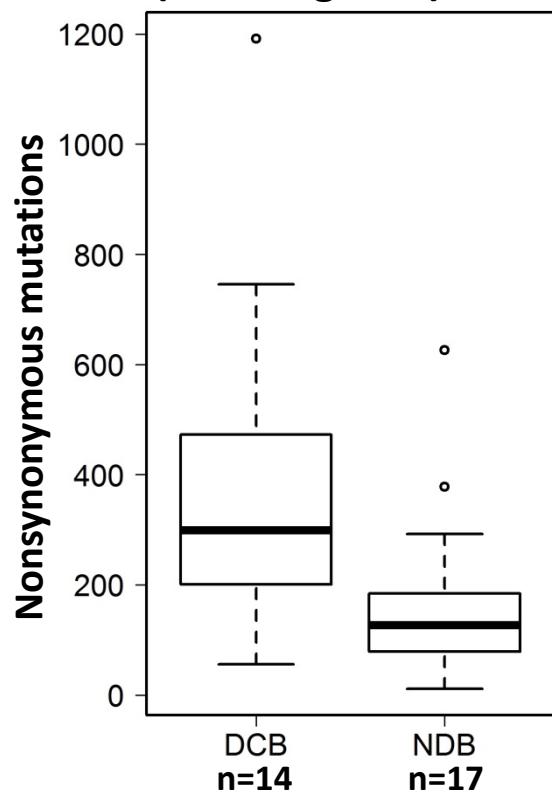
**Van Allen EM et al, Science 2015. 350(6257):207-11**

**Simulation of 'CAIO panel'**

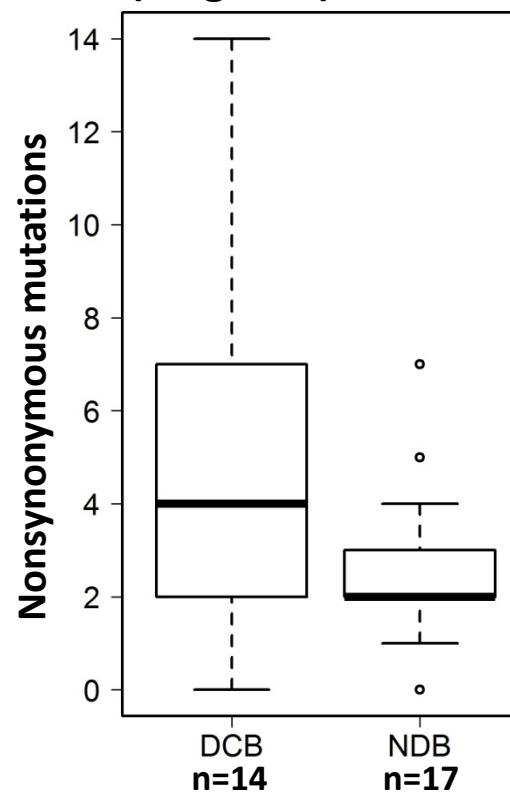


# NSCLC - Nonsynonymous mutations (*'Mutational load'*)

Published:  
Whole exome seq  
(20,500 genes)



Reanalysis:  
'CAIO panel' Cologne  
(93 genes)



Rizvi et al Science 2015:  
n=31 patients with NSCLC;  
Pembrolizumab (anti-PD-1).  
Number of nonsynonymous  
mutations determined by  
whole exome sequencing  
(published data) and 'CAIO  
panel' (reanalysis of same  
dataset).

DCB: Durable clinical benefit  
NDB: No durable benefit

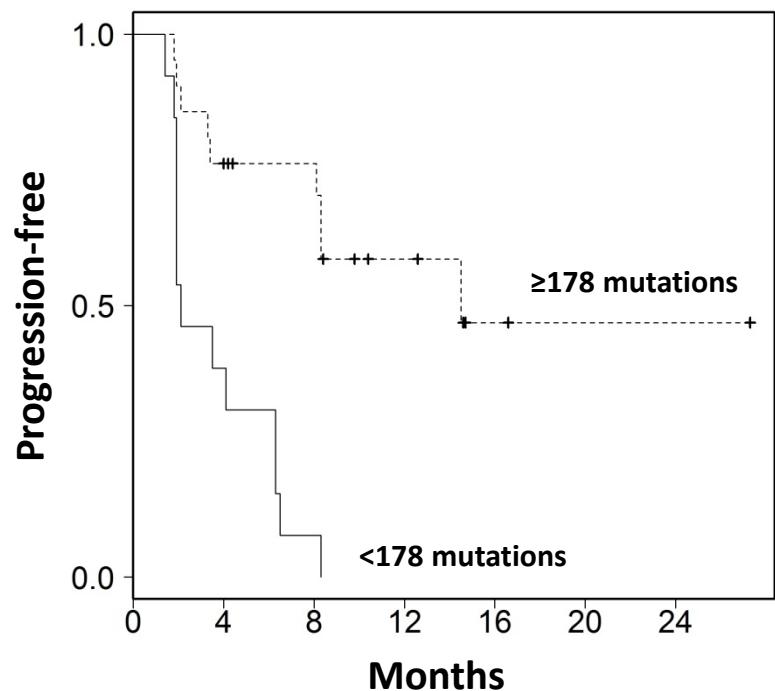


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# NSCLC - Progression-free survival

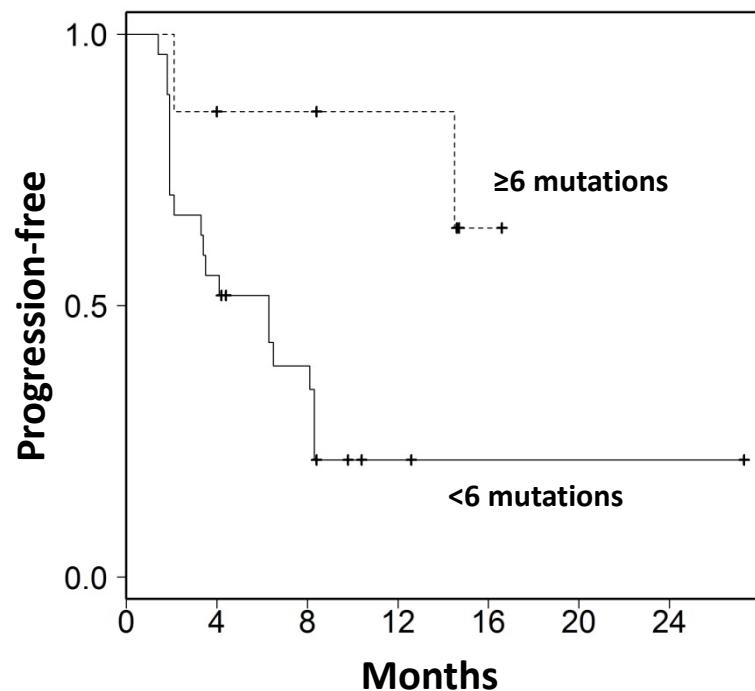
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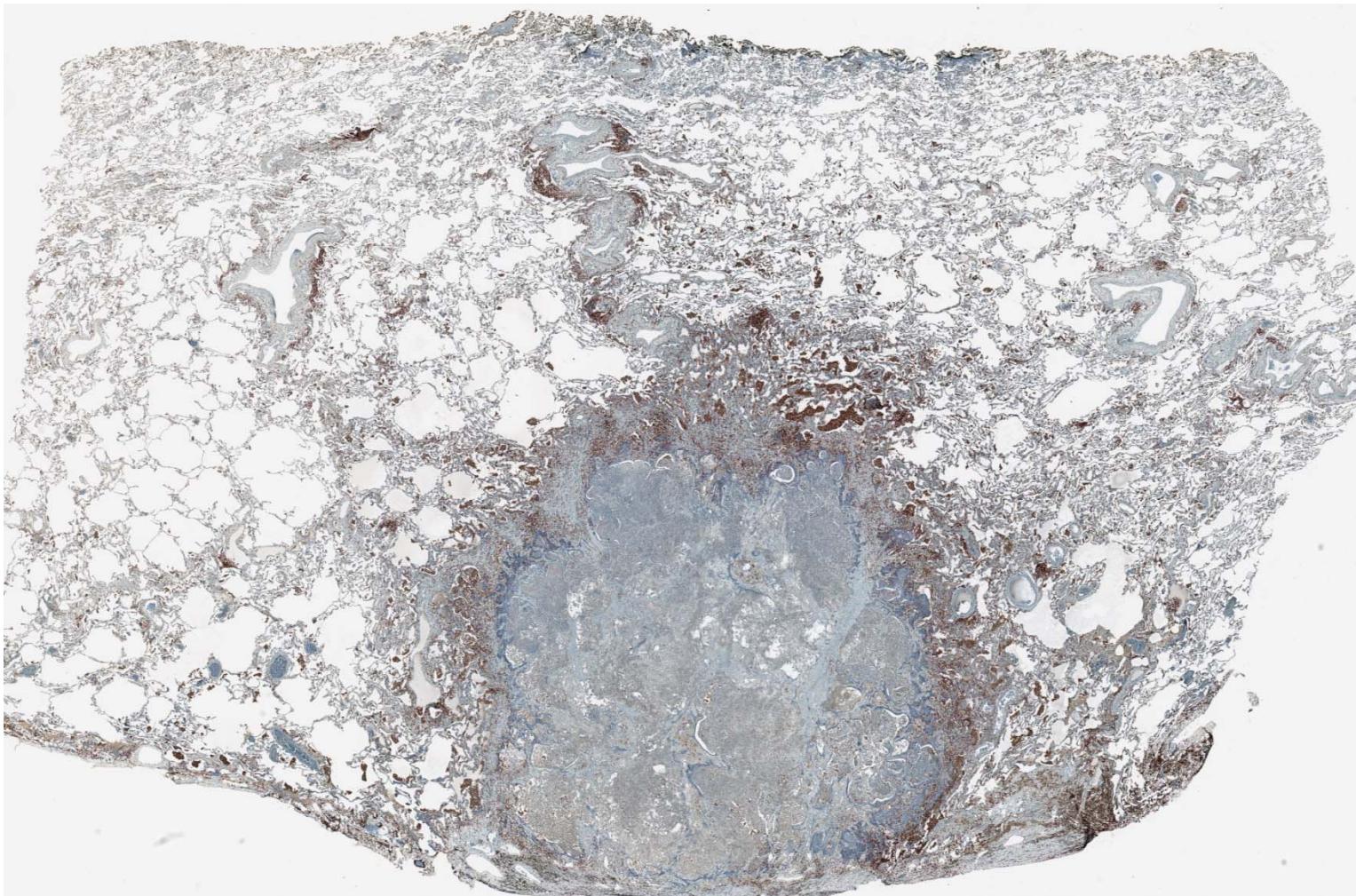
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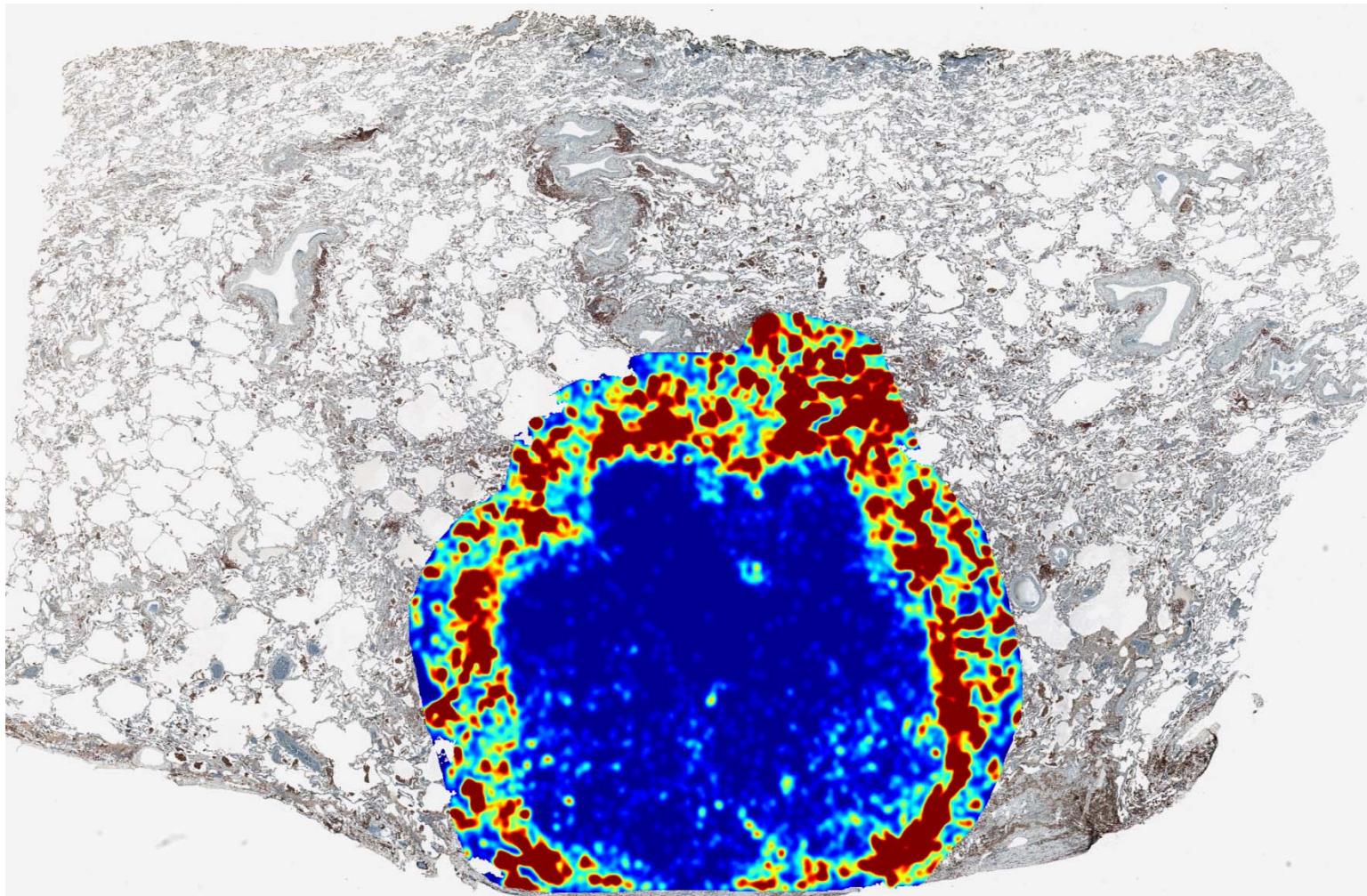


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# Quantitative Pathology: CD4CD8 SqCC



## CD3 (0-2000/mm<sup>2</sup>): PD1



## **The concept of Personalised Medicine:**

- In every single case determine the specific genomic vulnerability of a tumor
- Selectivity >> broad cytotoxicity
- Monitor genomic evolution under therapy (liquid biopsies)
- NGM networks and preclinical sciences (CCC)
- High-end integrative pathology

**Thank you for  
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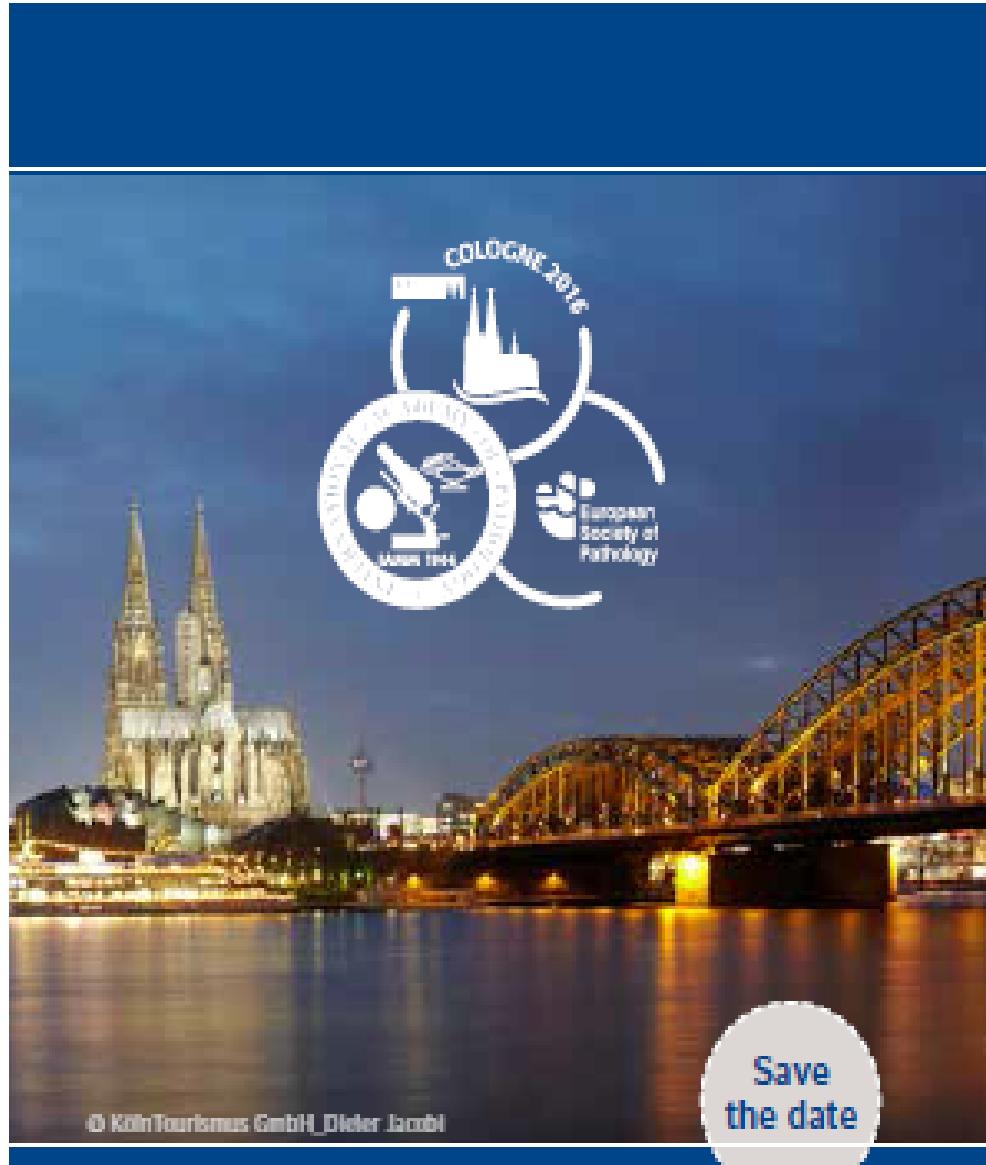
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