

Precision Medicine Impacting Cancer Care

Acquired Genetic/Epigenetic Defects
Diagnostics
Therapeutics
Immunotherapeutics

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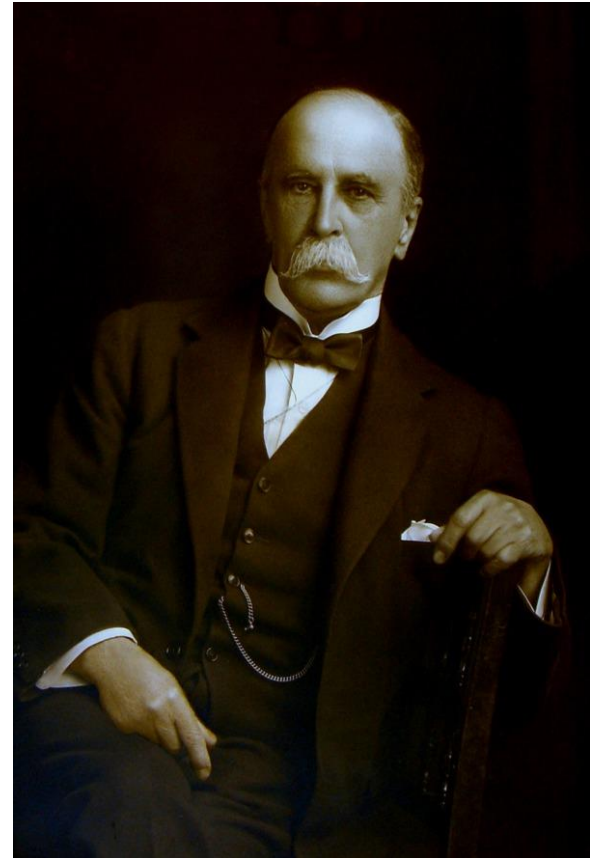
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Individualized Health, Precision Medicine, and Cancer

“*Variability* is the law of life, and as no two faces are the same, so no two bodies are alike, and *no two individuals react alike and behave alike under the abnormal conditions which we know as disease.*”



Sir William Osler
1849 -1919

The Human Genome: **Similarities** and **Differences** among Individuals



Human genome size:

♀ 3,117,838,593 base pairs (6 feet)

23 Chromosomes

19-20,000 protein-coding genes

Different individuals:

99.9% identical

1 in every 1000 base-pairs are different
(**>3,000,000 differences between
Individuals**)

Corruption of the Cancer Genome/Epigenome: Known for >5 Decades to be at the Root of Cancer



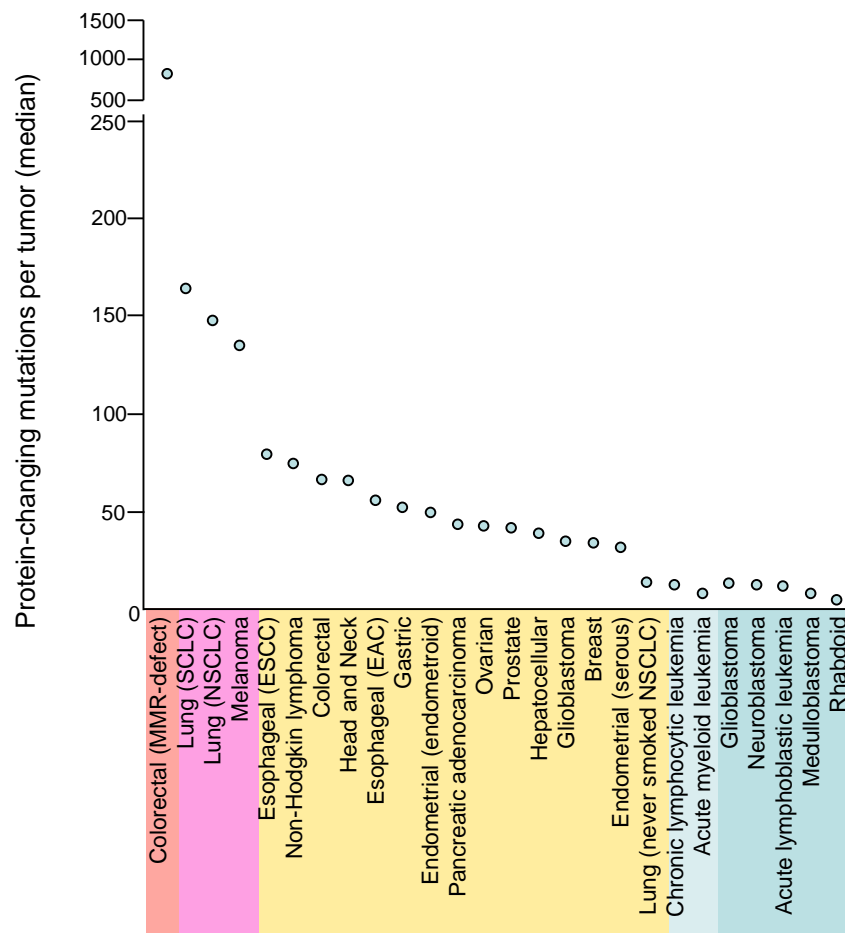
normal bone marrow

acute lymphocytic leukemia

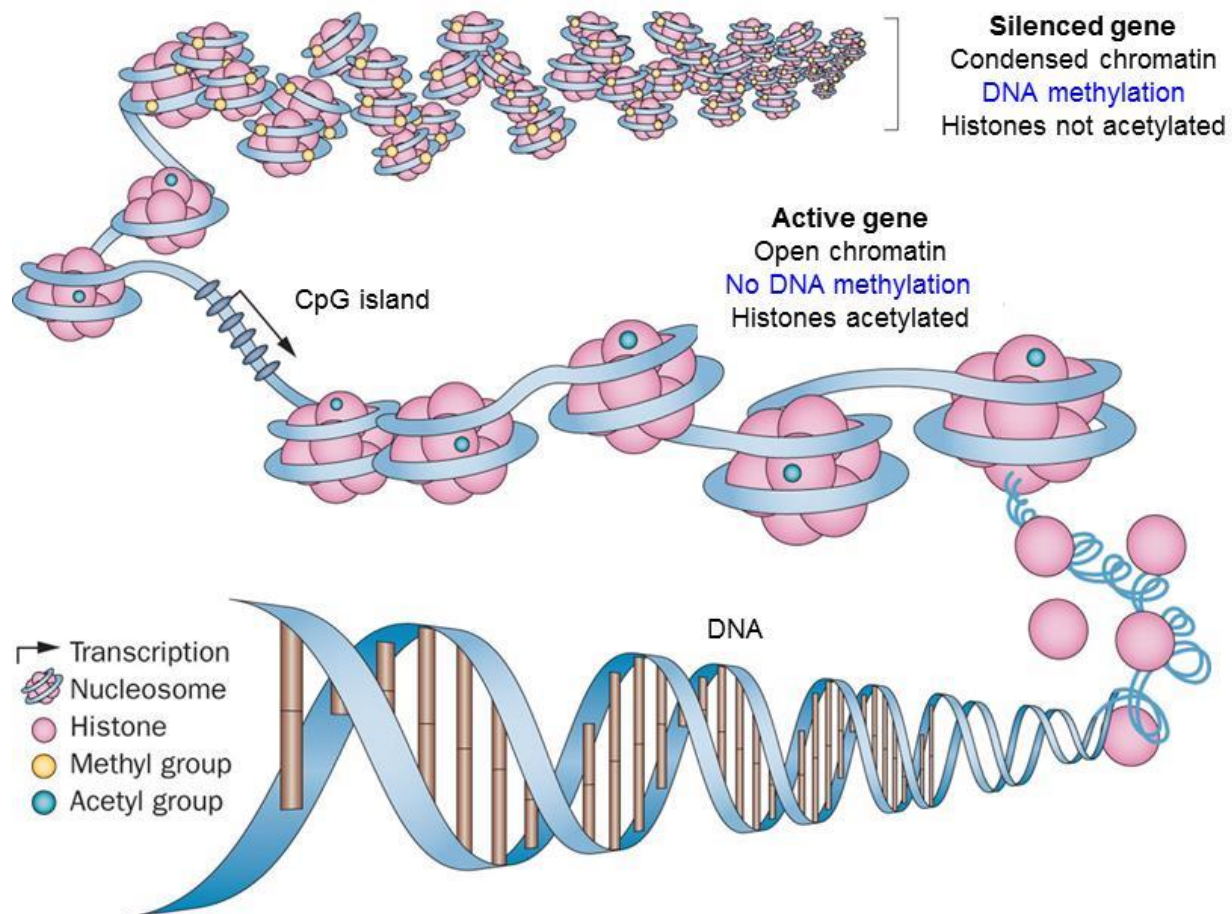
Cancer karyotype

- too many chromosomes
- abnormal chromosomes
- “fuzzy” chromosomes (poor condensation)

Human Cancers have Many Acquired Gene Defects: eg. Mutations (Changes in DNA Sequence that Affect Proteins)



Human Cancers also have Many Acquired Defects in Gene Function (Epigenetic): eg. DNA Methylation Changes Affecting Protein Expression



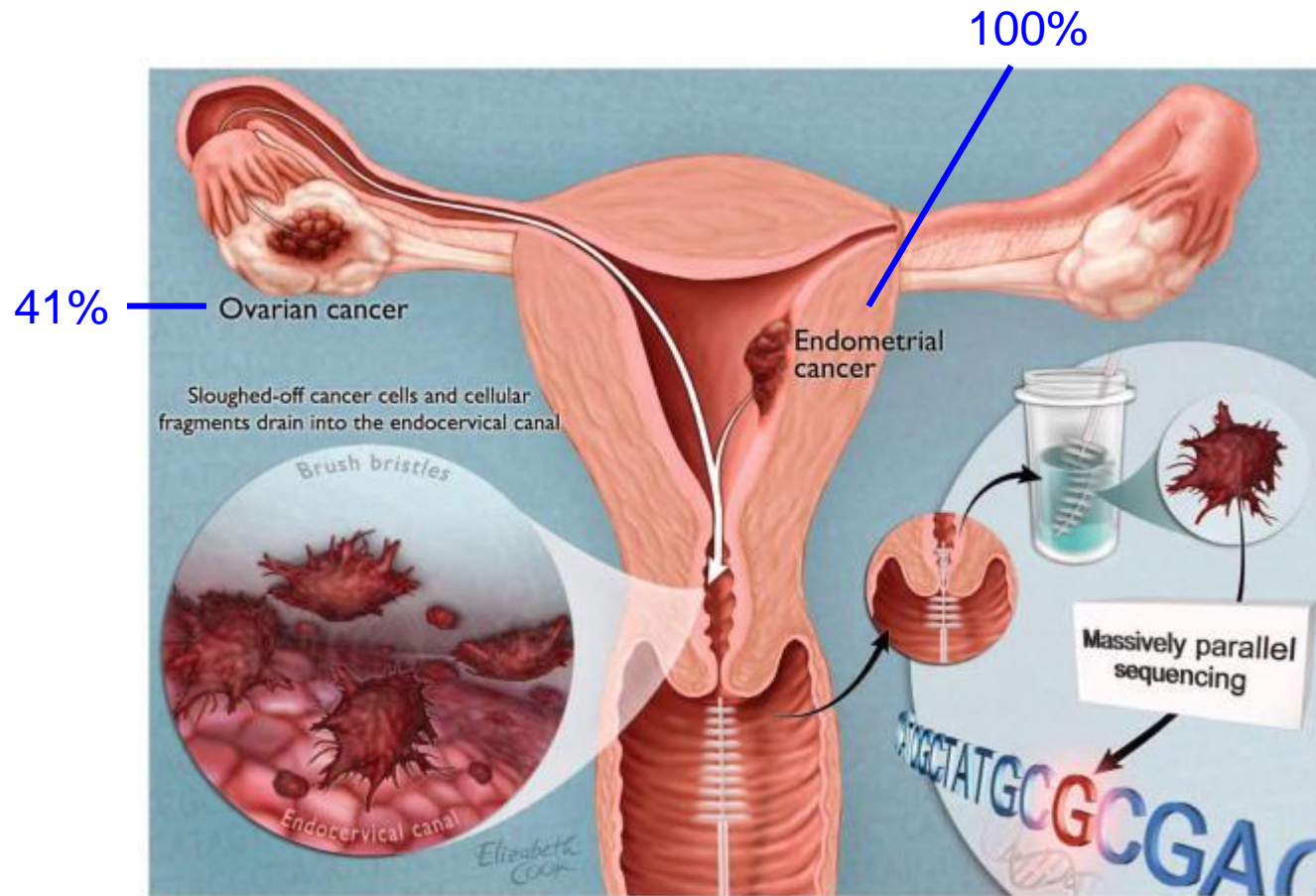
Somatic Gene Defects in Human Cancers

	Genetic	Epigenetic
Number of somatic alterations in each cancer case	10-10 ⁴	10 ³ -10 ⁴ (Hypermethylation)
Number of alterations that are “drivers” versus “passengers”	1-10 ²	Majority or all (Hypermethylation)
Heterogeneity in somatic changes	Mutations: Cell-to-cell: High Lesion-to-lesion: High Case-to-case: High Other Defects: Cell-to-cell: High Lesion-to-lesion: High Case-to-case: High	Hypermethylation: Cell-to-cell: Low Lesion-to-lesion: Low Case-to-case: Medium Hypomethylation: Cell-to-cell: High Lesion-to-lesion: High Case-to-case: High
Rate of accumulation in cancer cells	10 ⁻⁹ /cell each division or higher	Unknown
Number of alterations that can be therapeutically targeted	1-3	All?

*Vogelstein B *et al.* Science 339:1546-58 (2013); Bozic I *et al.* eLife 2: e00747 (2013)

Diagnostics

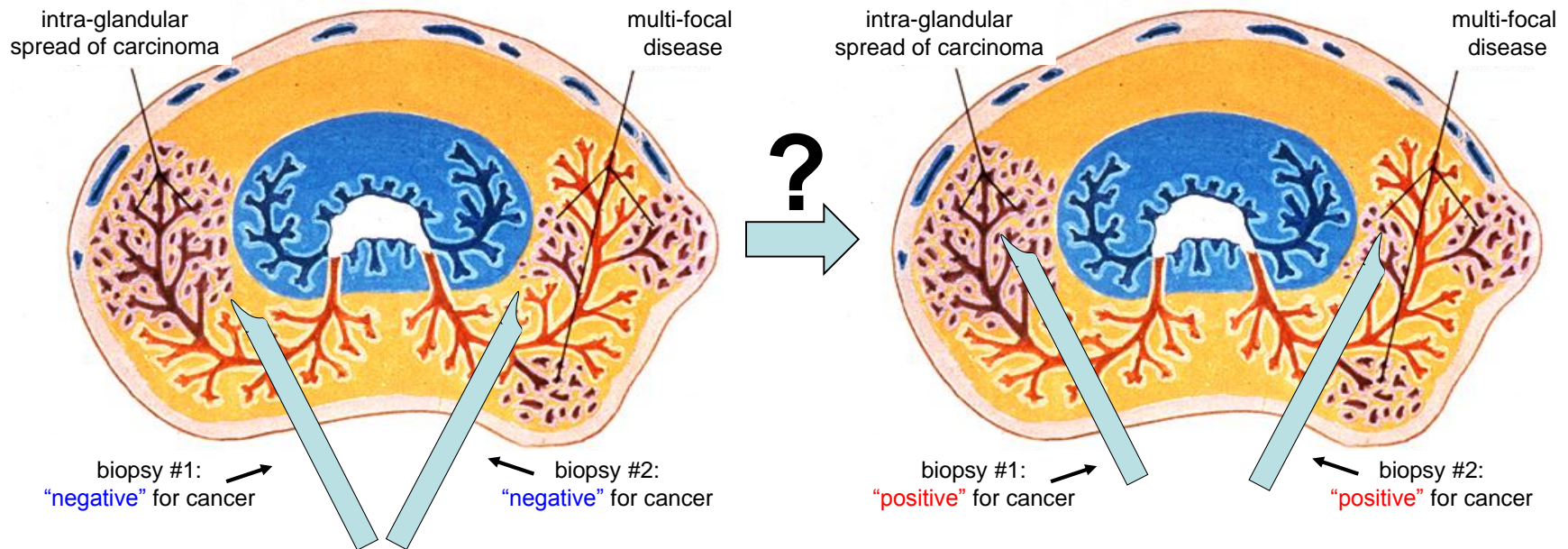
Can a **DNA Sequencing-Based Test** Provide an Opportunity to **Screen for Ovarian and Endometrial Cancers** Using **PaP Smears**?



Can a DNA Methylation Test Improve Upon Patterned Core Biopsy Sampling of the Prostate?

Unmet medical need: as many as 25% of men or more with an initial “negative” prostate biopsy have cancer on a subsequent biopsy.*

Can a DNA methylation test predict which men need a second prostate biopsy procedure and which men do not?



*Andriole GL *et al.* New Engl J Med 362: 1192-202 (2010)

United States Food and Drug Administration Approval of a **DNA Methylation Test for Prostate Cancer:** Pivotal Registration Trial Data*

Investigators	Study	Number of Men	Odd Ratio for Cancer on Second Biopsy	Negative Predictive Value
Steward GD <i>et al.</i> (2013)	MATLOC	498	3.17 (95% CI of 1.81-5.53)	90% (95% CI of 87-93)
Partin AW <i>et al.</i> (2014)	DOCUMENT	350	2.69 (95% CI of 1.60-4.51)	88% (95% CI of 85-91)



*Steward GD et al. J Urol 189: 1110-6 (2013)
Partin AW et al. J Urol 192: 1081-7 (2014)

DNA-Based Tests for Cancer:

- (1) Improved Screening, Early Detection, and Diagnosis
- (2) 'Liquid Biopsies' for Treatment Monitoring



Therapeutics

Genome Sequencing, Molecular Diagnostics and “Targeted” Anti-Cancer Drugs

Trastuzumab
(Herceptin®)



FDA-approved 1998

Imatinib
(Gleevec®)

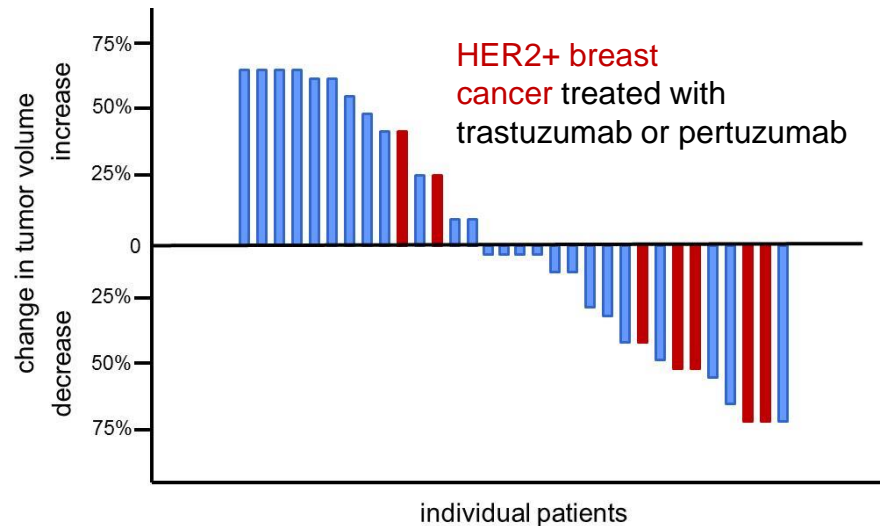
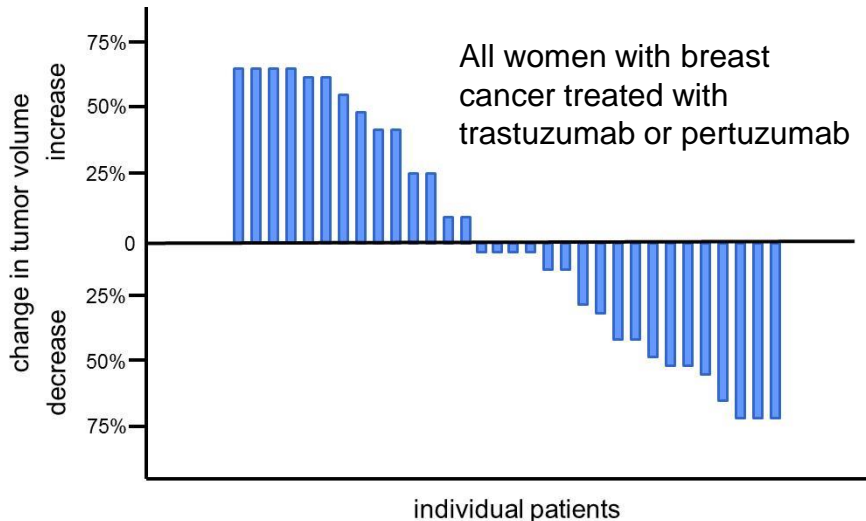


FDA-approved 2001



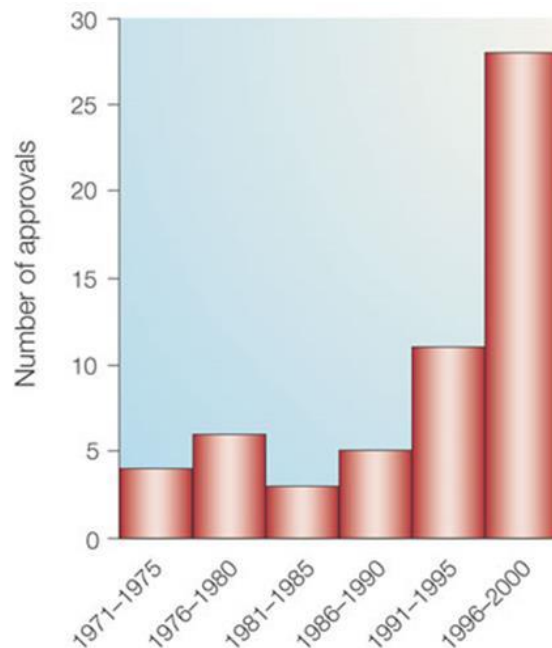
“Waterfall Plots” Show Individual Differences in Responses to Cancer Treatments Attributable to Differential Sensitivities of Cancers with/without Specific Acquired Gene Defects

Breast Cancers **with/without HER2 Amplification**
Treated with Trastuzumab or Pertuzumab



Accelerating Pace of Anti-Cancer Drug Discovery, Development, and Approval*

Oncology Drug Approvals by the Food and Drug Administration

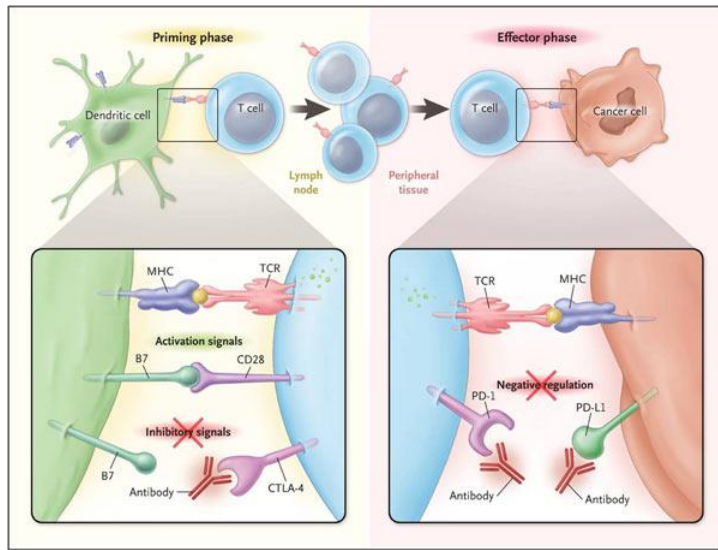


- 12 oncology approvals in 2013
- 10 oncology approvals in 2014
- 8 oncology approvals so far in 2015

*Chabner BA and Roberts TG Nat Rev Cancer 5: 65-72 (2005); fda.gov

Immunotherapeutics

Immune Checkpoint Inhibitors Transforming Cancer Care: **Development of Ipilimumab, Nivolumab, and Pembrolizumab***



Patient with Melanoma

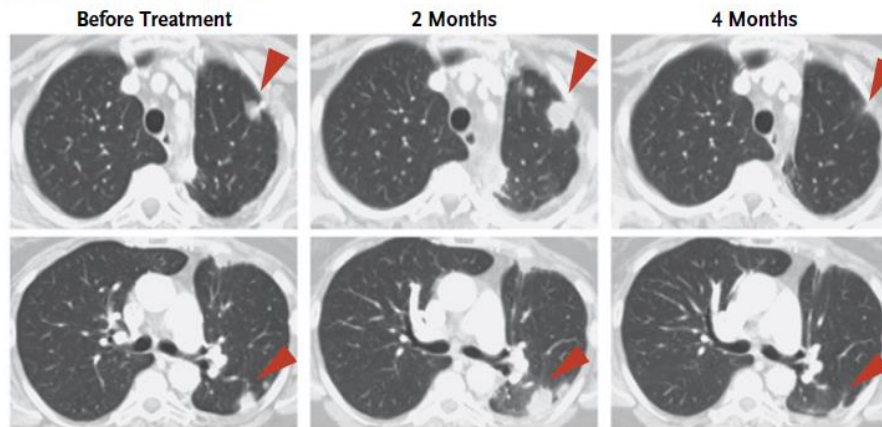


Before Treatment



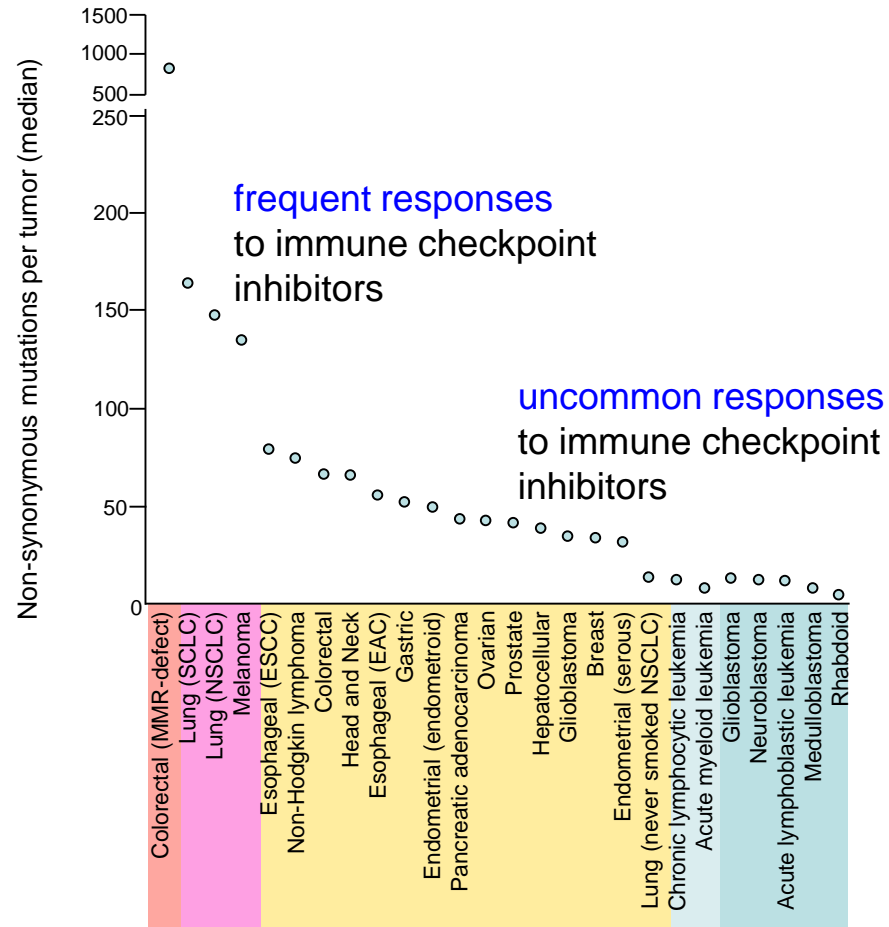
6 Months

Patient with Non-Small-Cell Lung Cancer

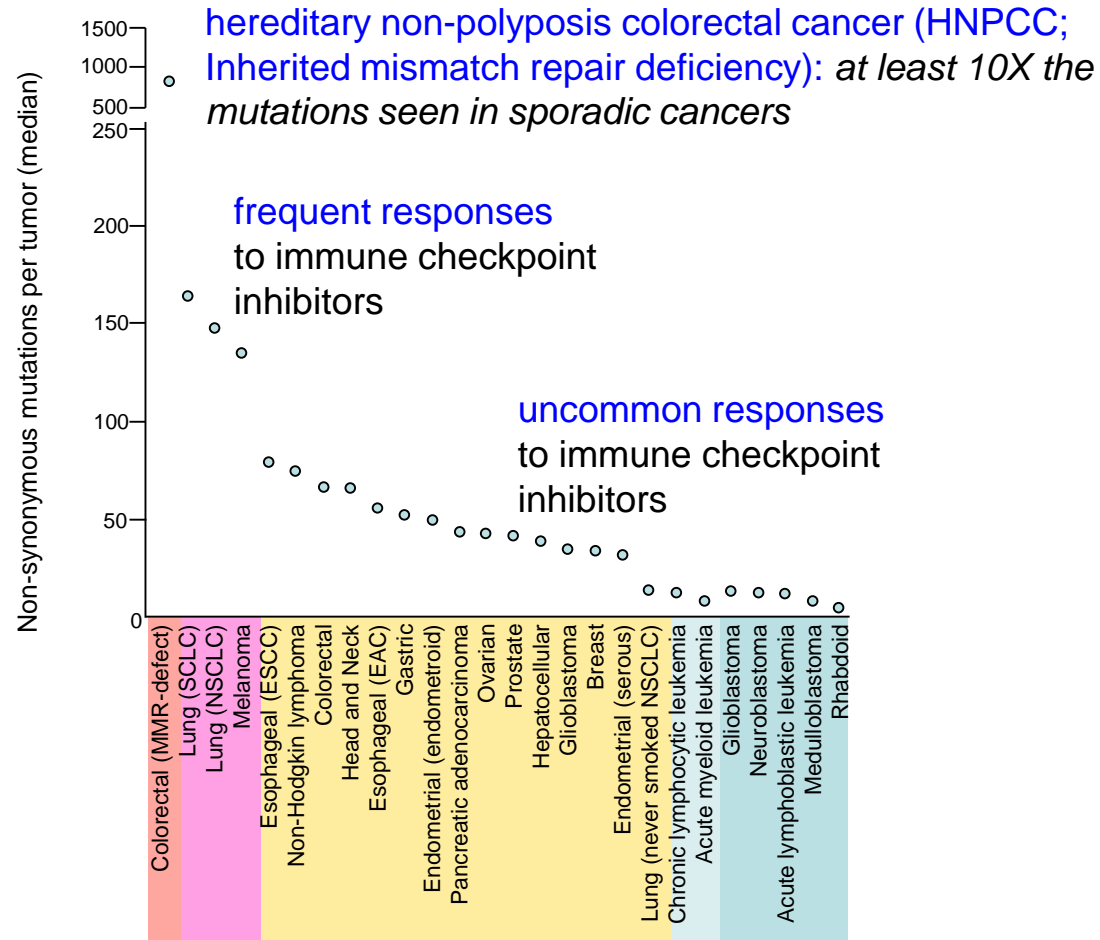


*Topalian SL *et al.* New Engl J Med 366: 2443-54 (2012)

Acquired Protein-Changing Gene Mutations and Responses to Immune Checkpoint Inhibitors

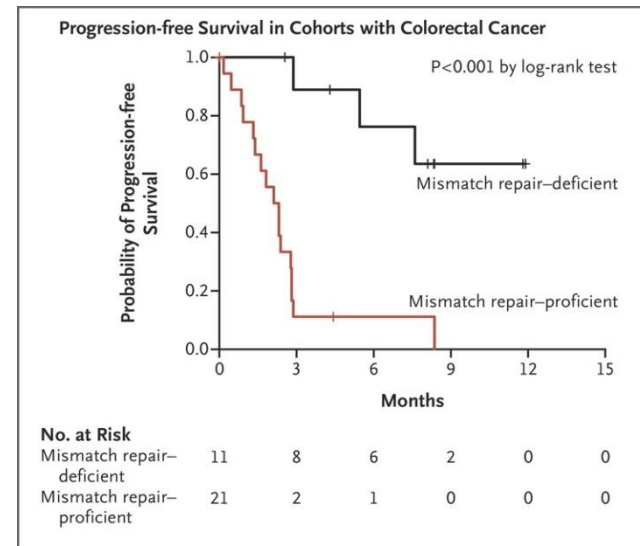
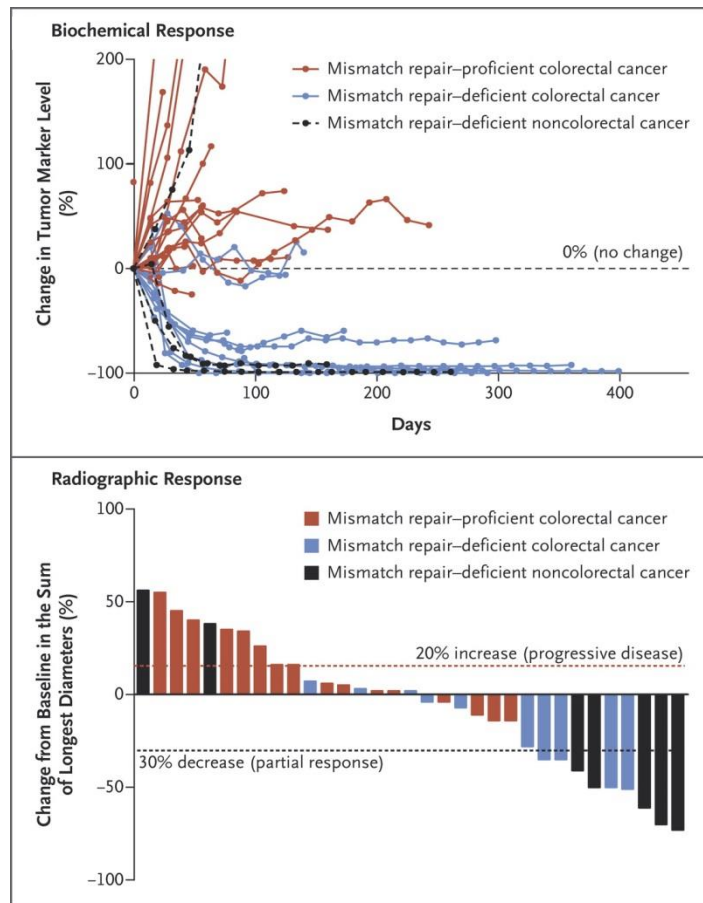


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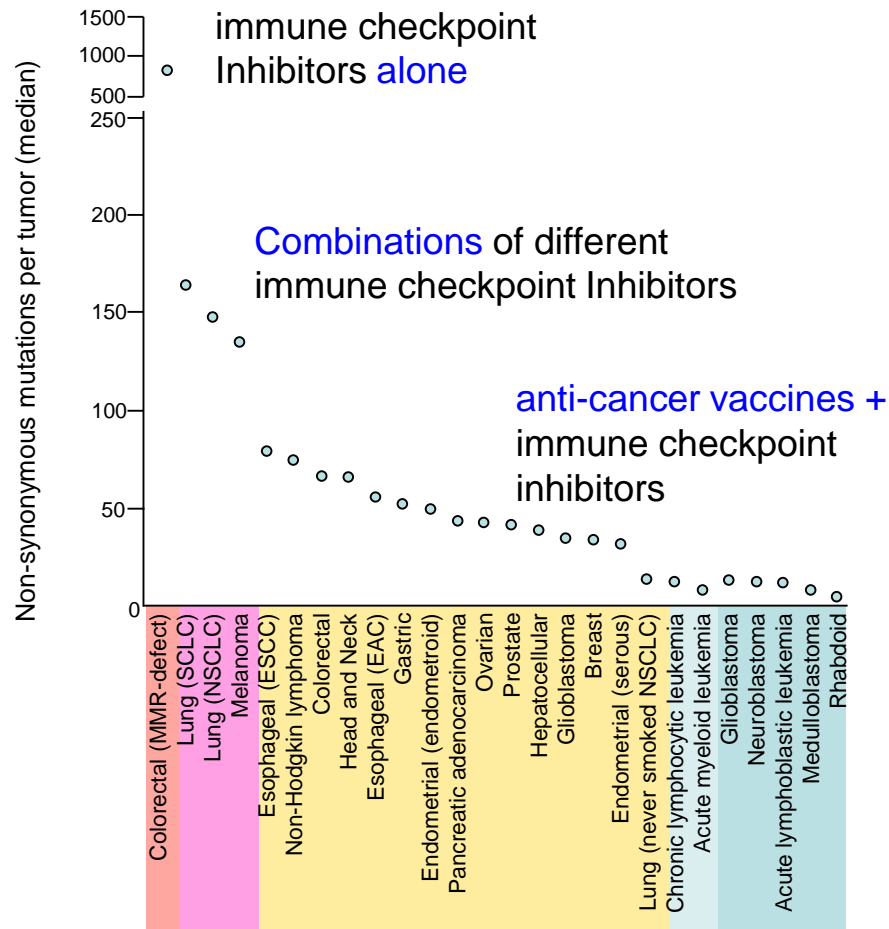
Cancers from Families with HNPCC (Mismatch Repair Deficiency): an Indication for Immune Checkpoint Inhibitors?

Clinical Trial of Pembrolizumab for Cancers with and without Mismatch Repair Defects*



*Le DT *et al.* N Engl J Med 372: 2509-20 (2015)

Future Best Uses of Immune Checkpoint Inhibitors in Cancer Treatment



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