

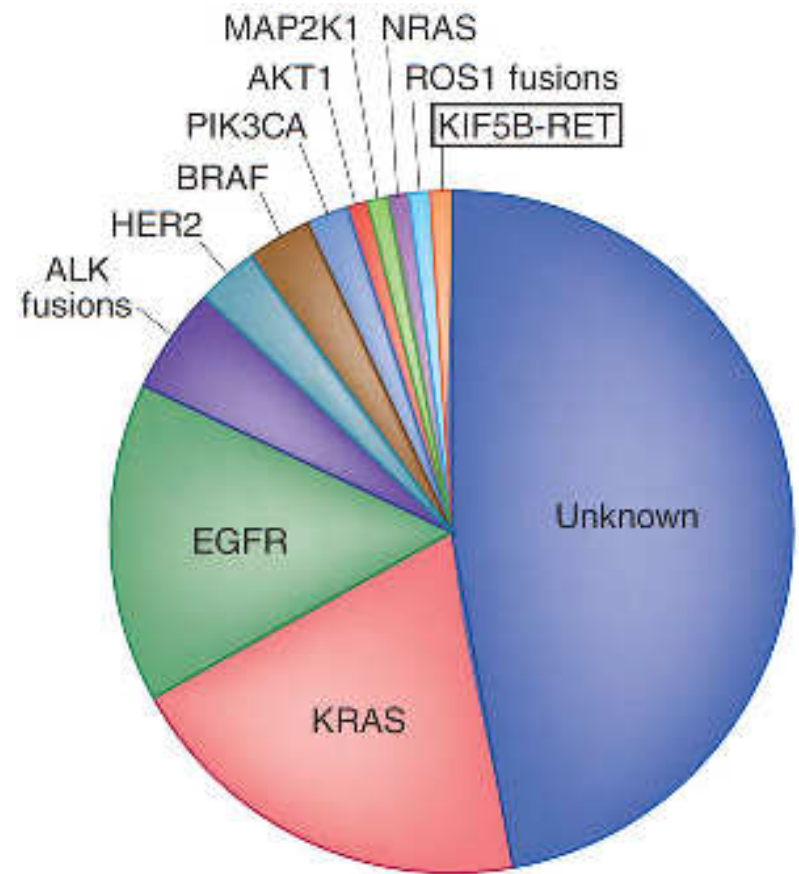
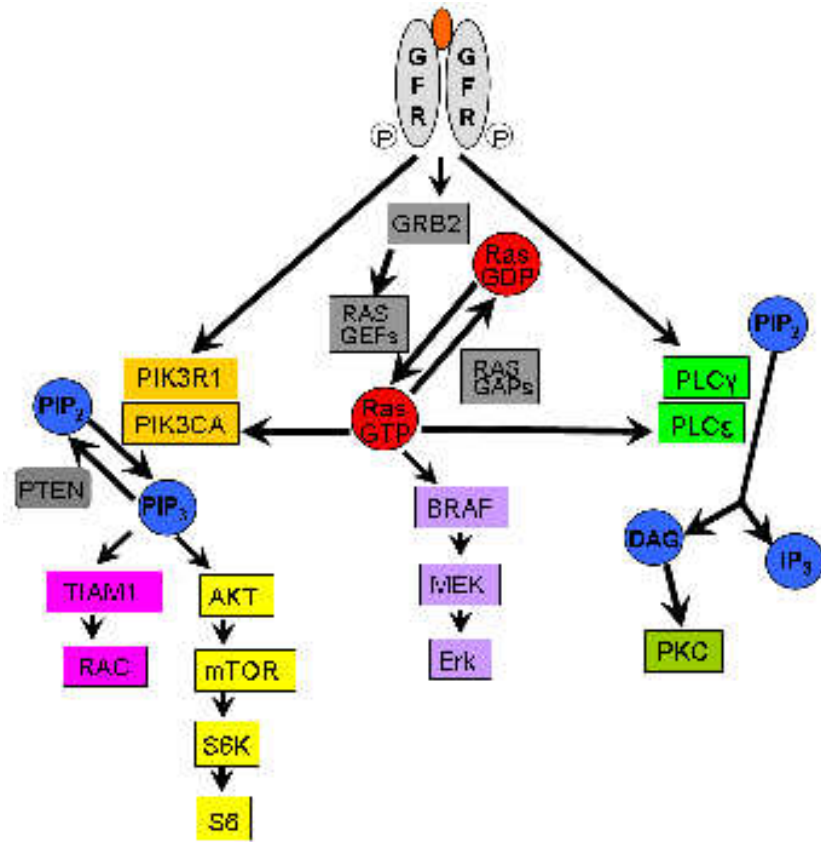
# Oncogenic mutations of the EGFR pathway in lung adenocarcinoma

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# Growth factor receptor signaling



	<b>EGFR</b>	<b>KRAS</b>	<b>BRAF</b>	<b>PI3KCA</b>	<b>NF1 (GAP)</b>	<b>PTEN</b>
<b>Lung adenocarcinoma</b>	8-20%	20-30%	1-3%	3-8%	??	11%

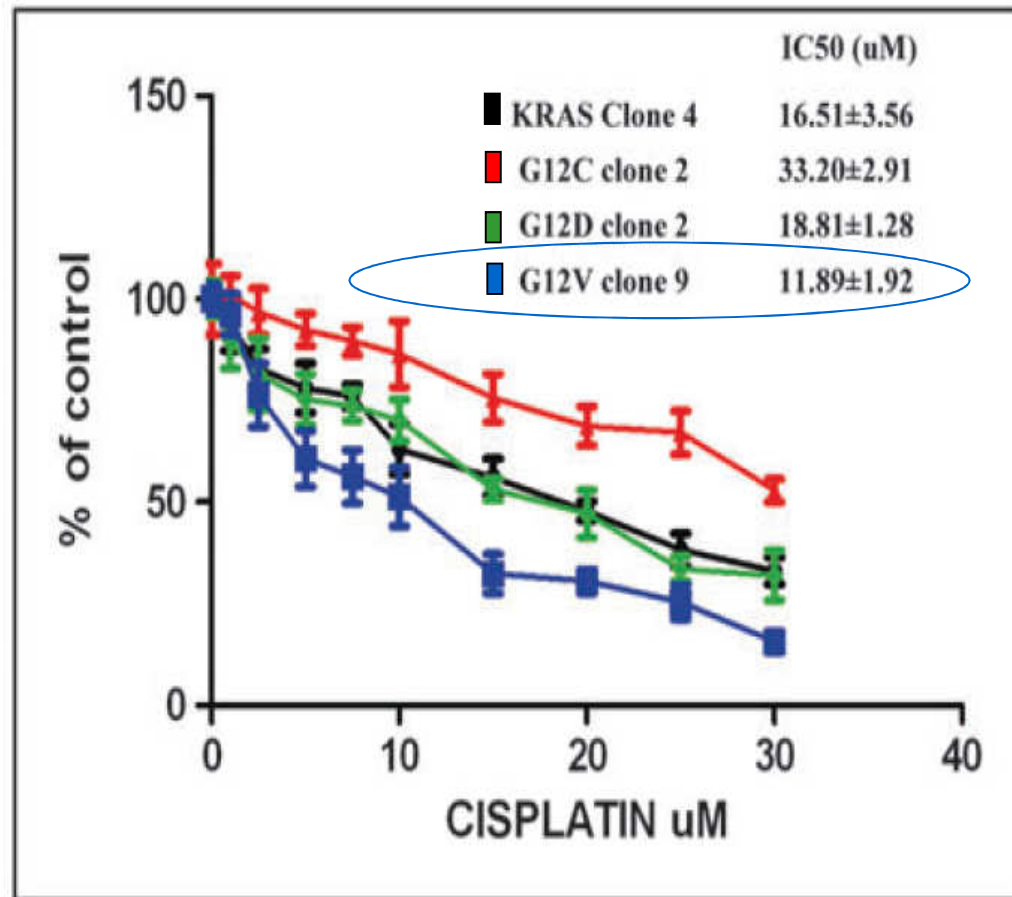
**Response to Platinum-Based  
Chemotherapy and Subtype-Specific  
KRAS Mutations in Advanced Lung  
Adenocarcinoma**

# The most frequent oncogenic mutations of **KRAS** in lung adenocarcinoma

Nucleotide change	Amino acid change		Mutation
GGT> <b>T</b> GT	Glycin	Cystein	<b>G12C</b>
GGT> <b>T</b> GT	Glycin	Valin	<b>G12V</b>
GGT> <b>A</b> T	Glycin	Aspartat	<b>G12D</b>
GGT> <b>C</b> T	Glycin	Alanin	<b>G12A</b>
GGT> <b>A</b> GT	Glycin	Serin	<b>G12S</b>
GGT> <b>C</b> GT	Glycin	Arginin	<b>G12R</b>
GGC> <b>A</b> C	Glycin	Aspartat	<b>G13D</b>

Dogan S, Shen R, Ang DC, Johnson ML, D'Angelo SP, Paik PK, Brzostowski EB, Riely GJ, Kris MG, Zakowski MF, Ladanyi M. Molecular epidemiology of EGFR and KRAS mutations in 3,026 lung adenocarcinomas: higher susceptibility of women to smoking-related KRAS-mutant cancers. Clin Cancer Res. 2012 Nov 16;18(22):6169-77.

# Biological effect of the amino acid change



Garassino MC, Marabese M, Rusconi P, Rulli E, Martelli O, Farina G, Scanni A, Brogгинi M. Different types of K-Ras mutations could affect drug sensitivity and tumour behaviour in non-small-cell lung cancer. *Ann Oncol.* 2011 Jan;22(1):235-7.

# Patient population and enrollment criteria

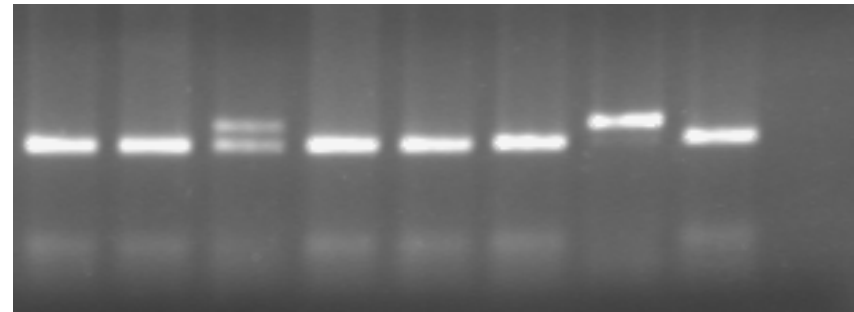
- Single center study (National „Koranyi” Institute of Pulmonology and TB)
- 1125 patient with KRAS mutation analysis
- 01/01/2009 - 31/12/2012
  
- **505** patients met the requirements of inclusion criteria:
  - III-IV stage lung adenocarcinoma
  - ECOG: 0-1
  - platinum based chemotherapy  
(adjuvant chemo treatment was excluded)

# KRAS mutation analysis

- **RFLP**

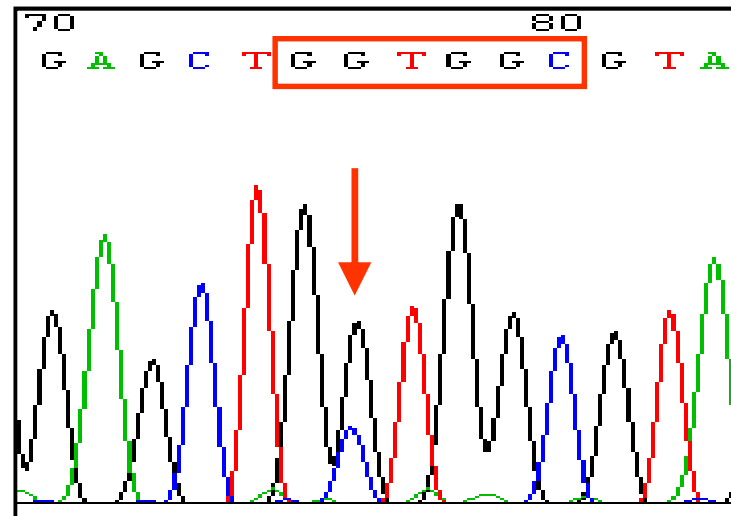
Detection of wild-type and mutant alleles.

\_\_\_\_\_ samples \_\_\_\_\_ control  
*wt wt mut wt wt wt mut wt*



- **Direct sequencing**

validation of the mutation and the accurate nucleotide change detection



# Prevalence of KRAS mutations

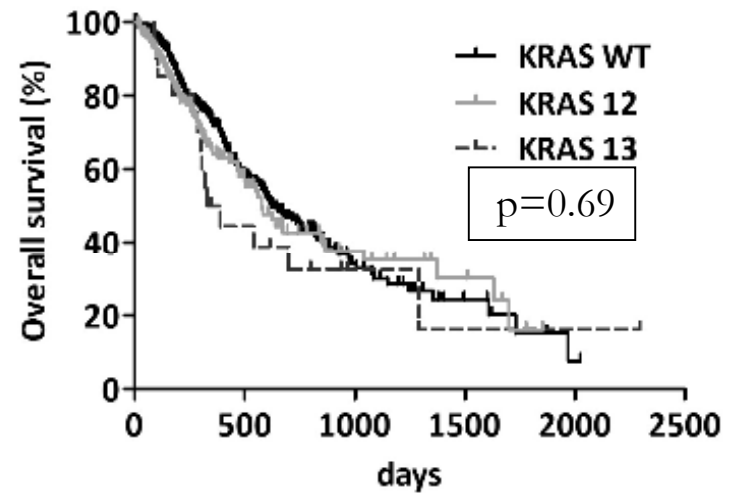
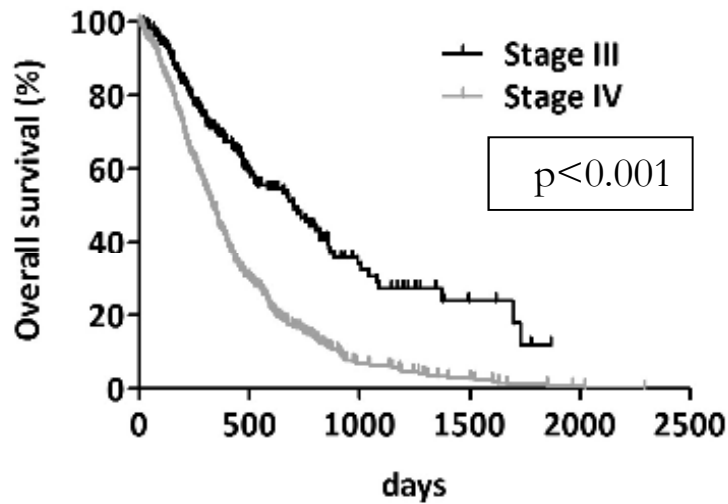
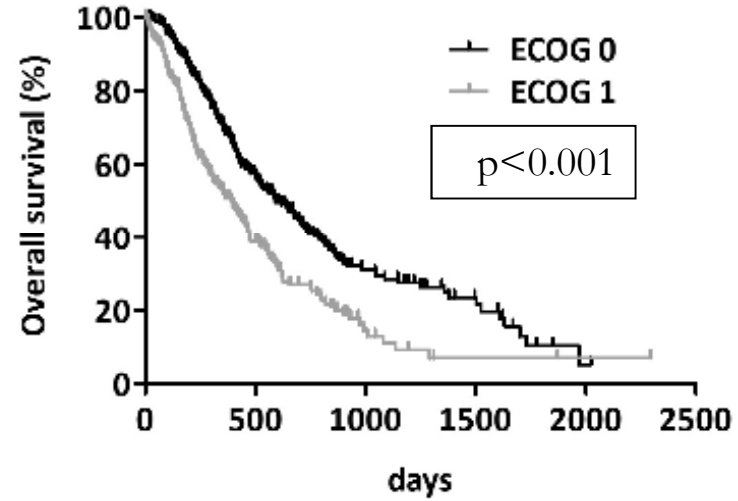
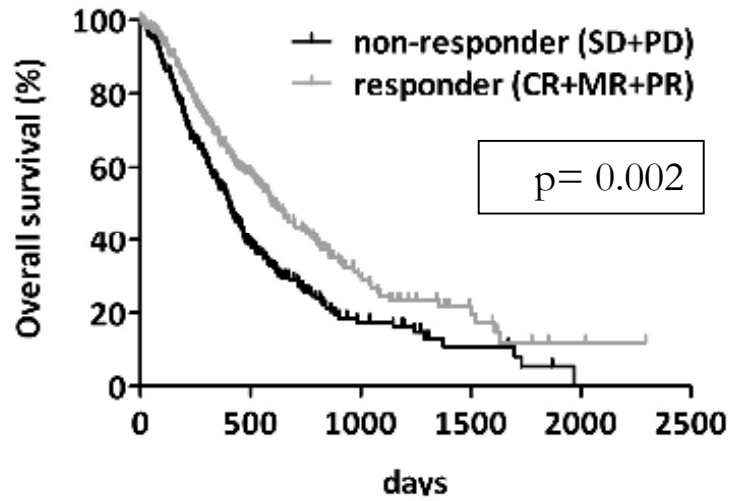
Entire patient population			
KRAS status	Number	%	Mutant %
Total	<b>1125</b>	100	-
Wild type	764	67.91	-
KRAS12 mut	335	29.78	92.8
KRAS13 mut	26	2.31	7.2

Patients with full clinical follow-up		
Number of patients		<b>505</b>
Wild type		<b>338</b>
Codon13 mutation		<b>20</b>
Codon12 mutation	all	<b>147</b>
	G12C	61
	G12V	29
	G12D	27
	G12A	8
	G12S	6
	G12R	3
	Not identified	11

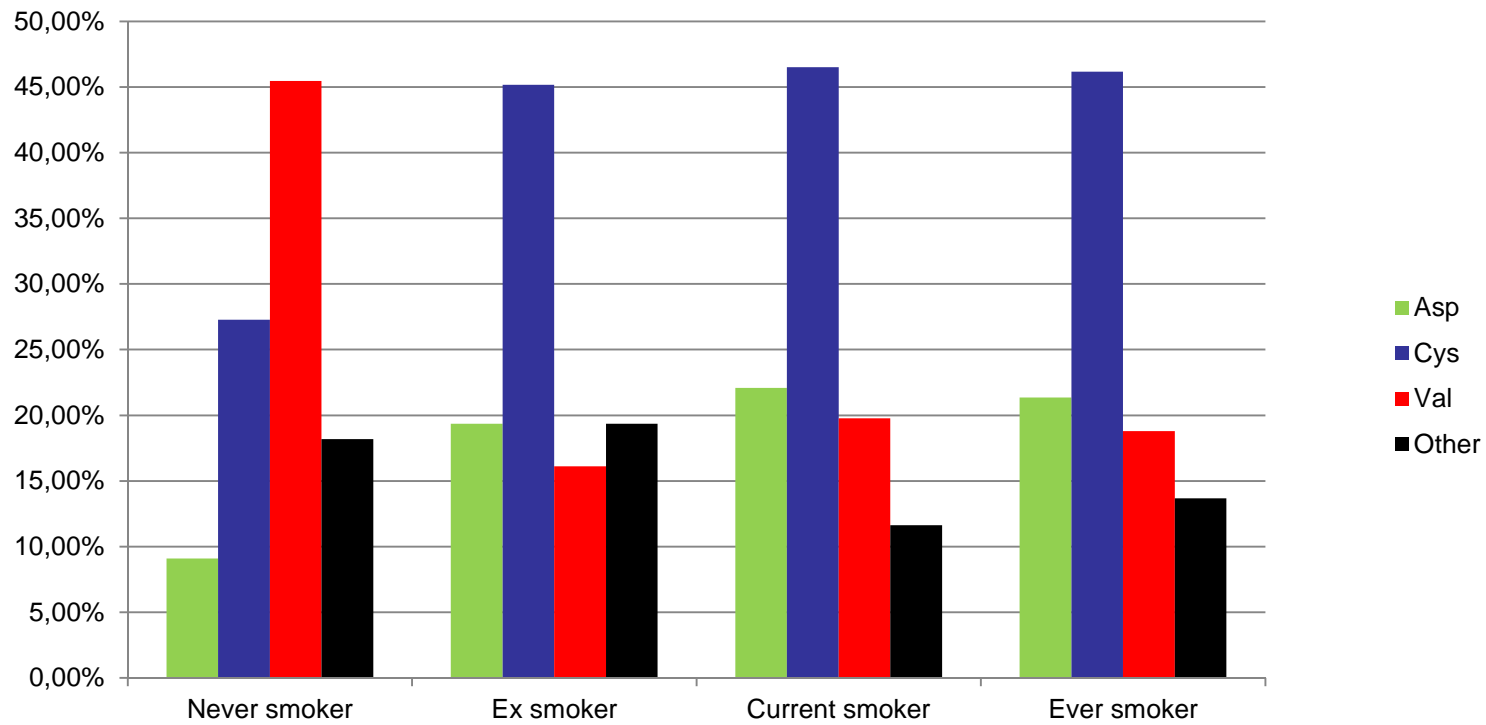
	<b>COSMIC*</b>	<b>Current cohort</b>
G12C	42%	38,61%
G12V	20%	18,35%
G12D	15%	17,09%
G12A	7%	5,06%



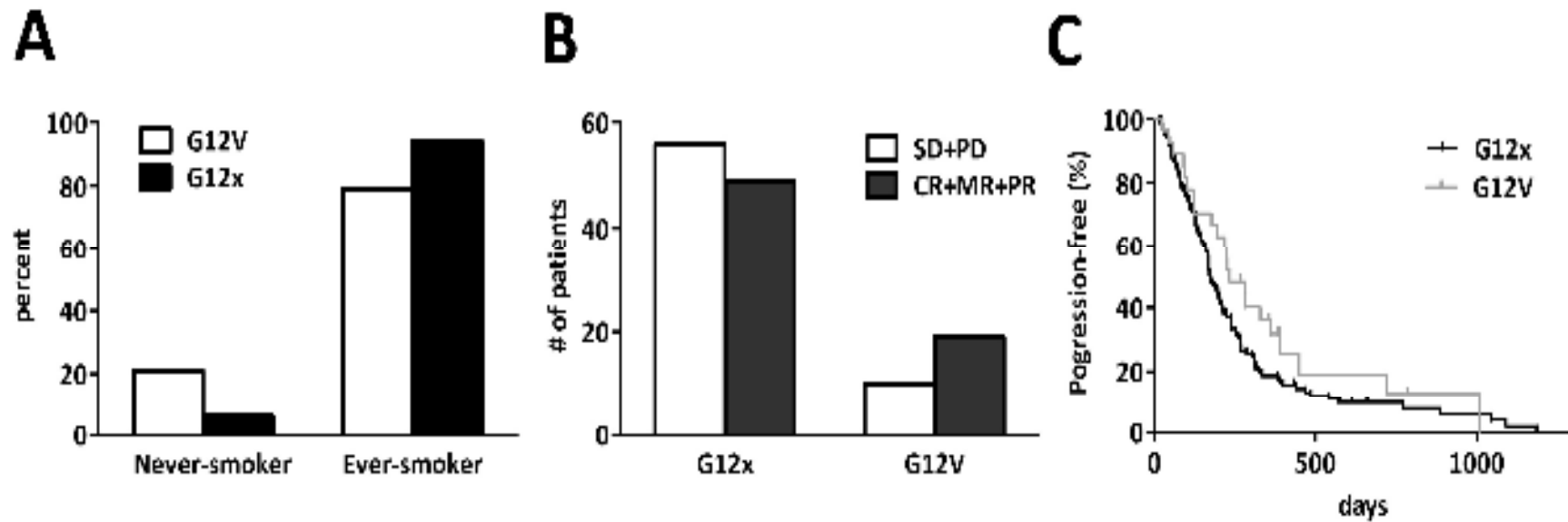
# Prognostic / predictive factors



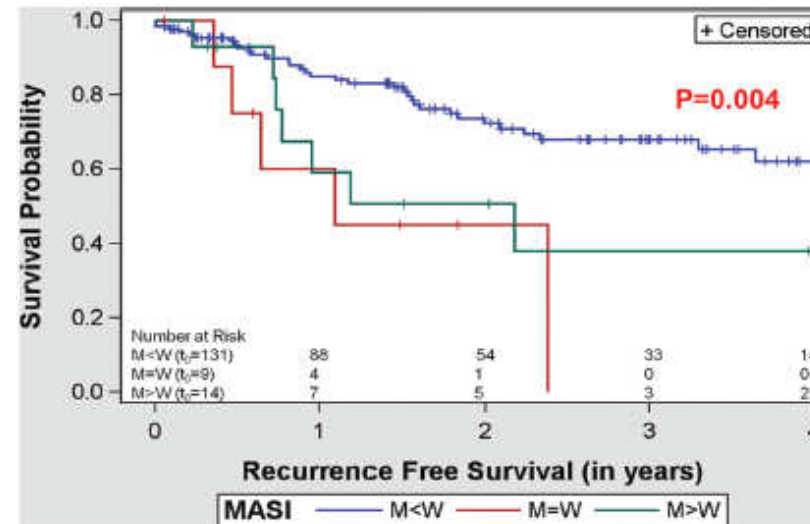
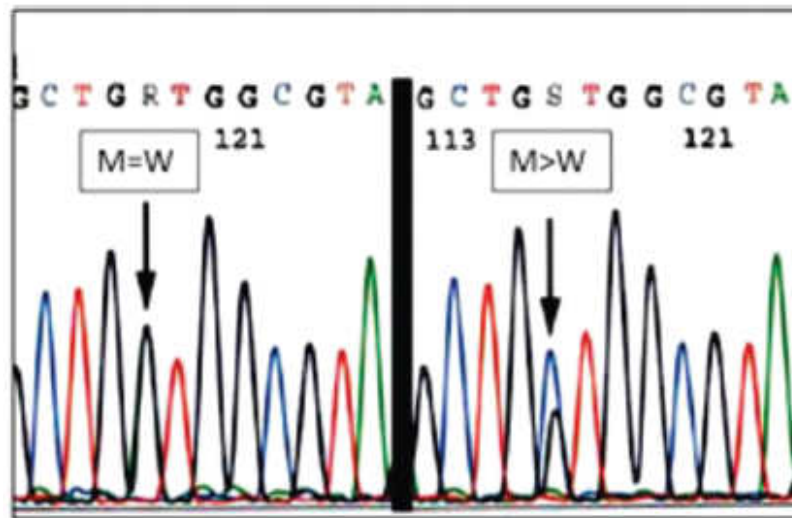
# KRAS mutation subtype and smoking history



# Comparison of G12V versus all other G12 KRAS mutant

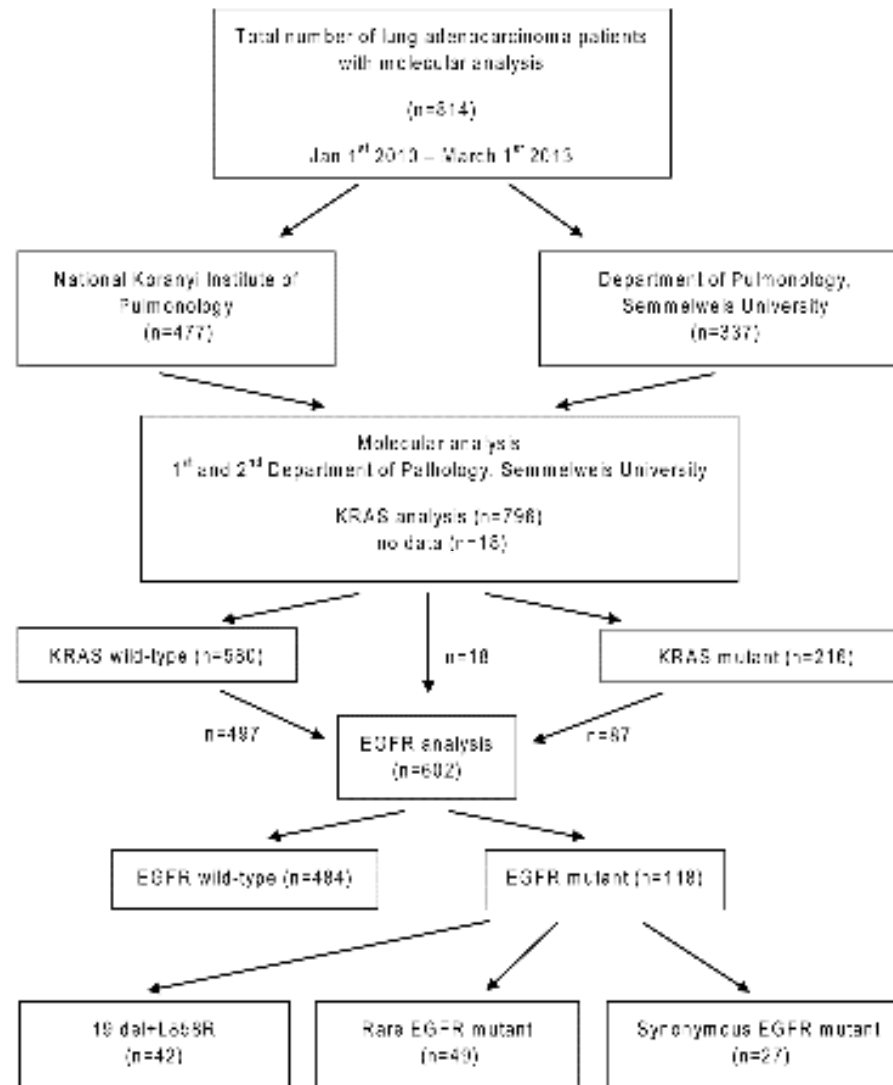


# Perspective: mutant allele specific imbalance (MASI)

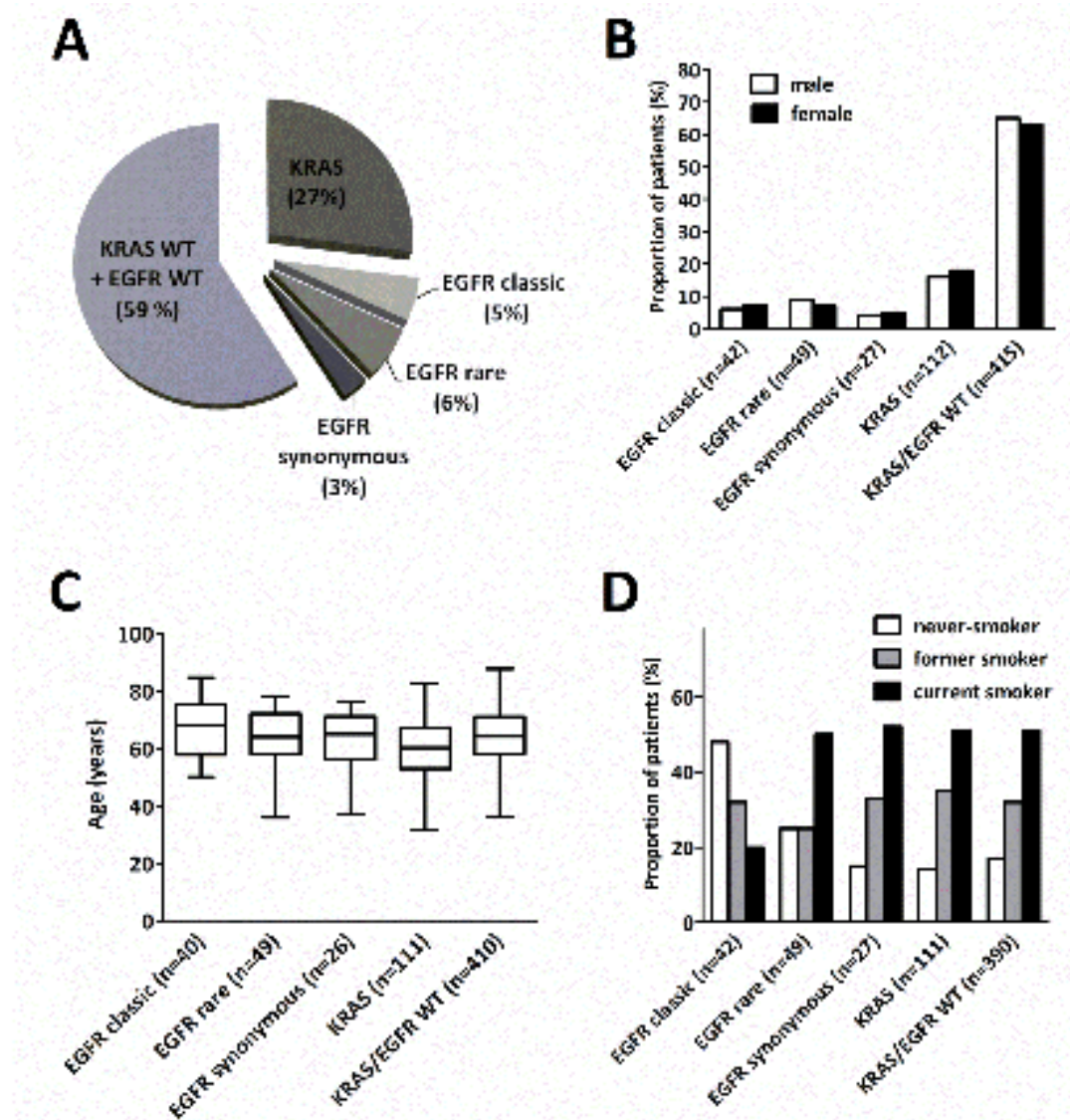


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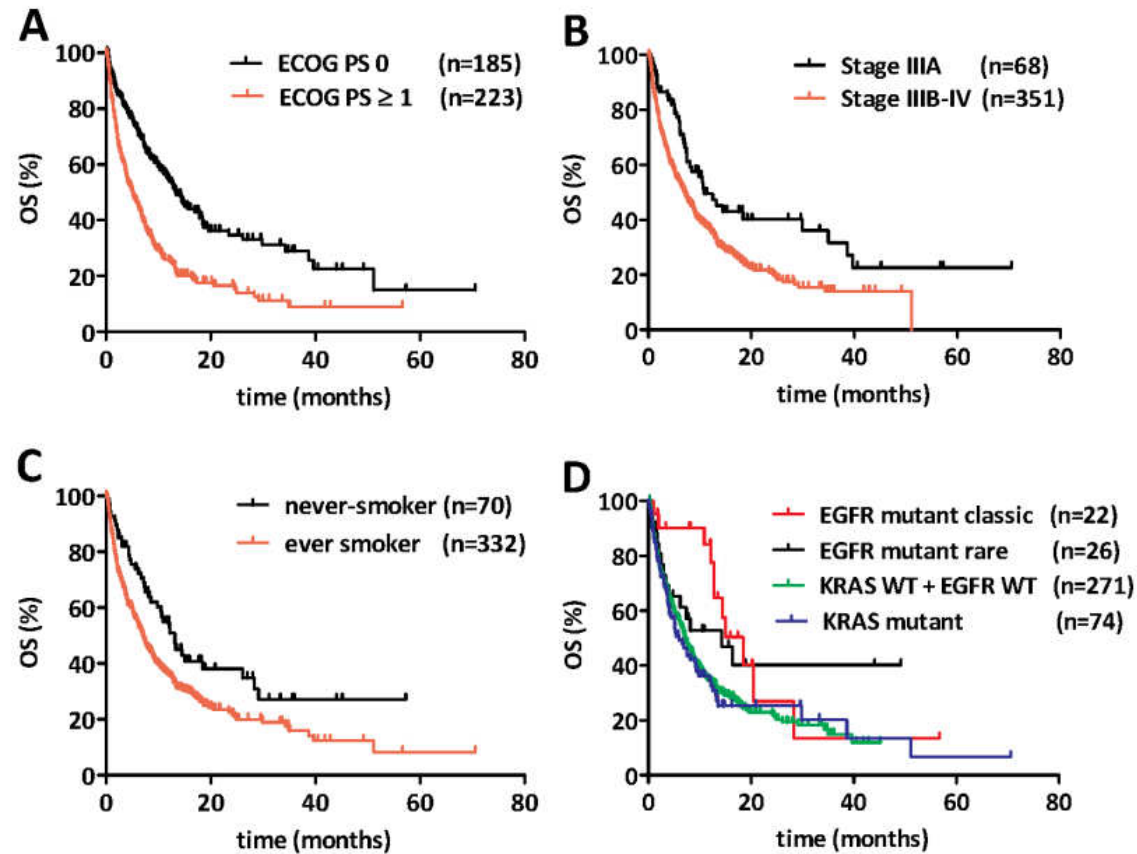
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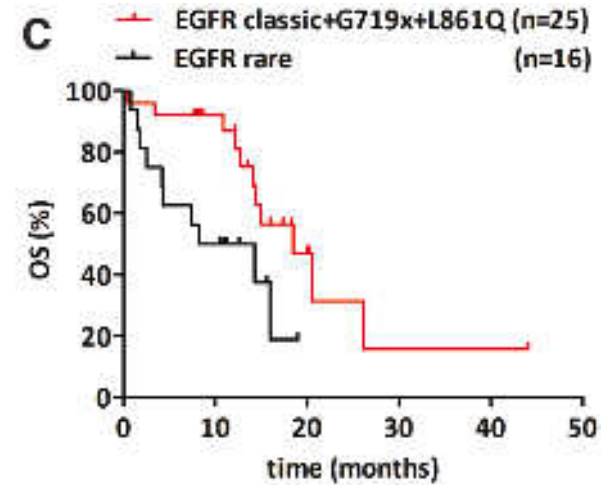
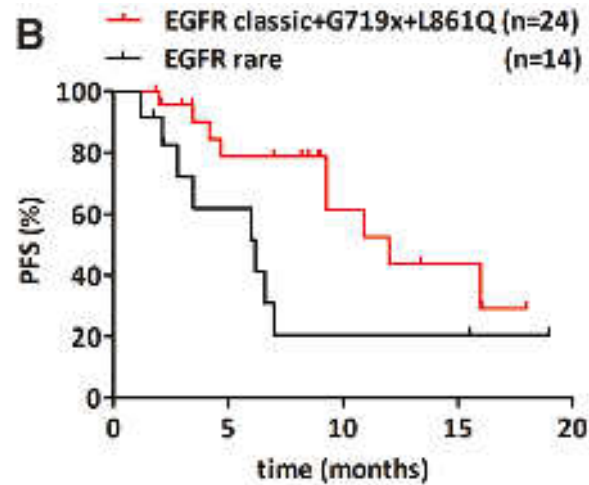
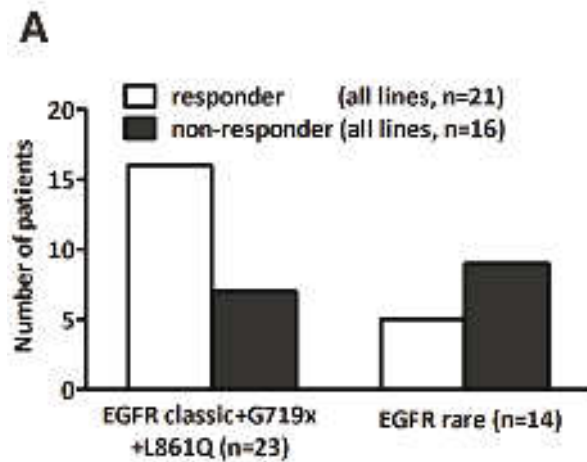
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# Prognosticators in lung adenocarcinoma



# EGFR TKI treatment





# DIRECT database



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## DNA-mutation Inventory to Refine and Enhance Cancer Treatment (DIRECT)

### What is DIRECT?

The Vanderbilt–Ingram Cancer Center Personalized Cancer Medicine Initiative (PCMI) team has established a database entitled DNA-mutation Inventory to Refine and Enhance Cancer Treatment (DIRECT) that contains information about the potential clinical significance of specific tumor mutations. DIRECT may enable a genetically informed approach to cancer medicine—in other words, cancer therapy tailored according to the genetic makeup of individual tumors.

Currently, DIRECT catalogues drug response data from patients with non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC) whose tumors harbor mutations in:

- Epidermal growth factor receptor (EGFR)

### How does DIRECT work?

To compile the information in DIRECT, the PCMI team used a retrospective PubMed medical subject heading (MeSH) search to identify patient-level, mutation-specific, drug response data from different studies in NSCLC ([Horn et al. 2011](#); [Yeh et al. 2013](#)). As of January 1, 2013, more than 1,800 individual patient entries including patient demographics, tumor mutations, and drug response data have been extracted from 165 papers and catalogued in the DIRECT database. DIRECT currently has information on 188 different primary EGFR mutations and 4 secondary EGFR mutations ([Yeh et al. 2013](#)).

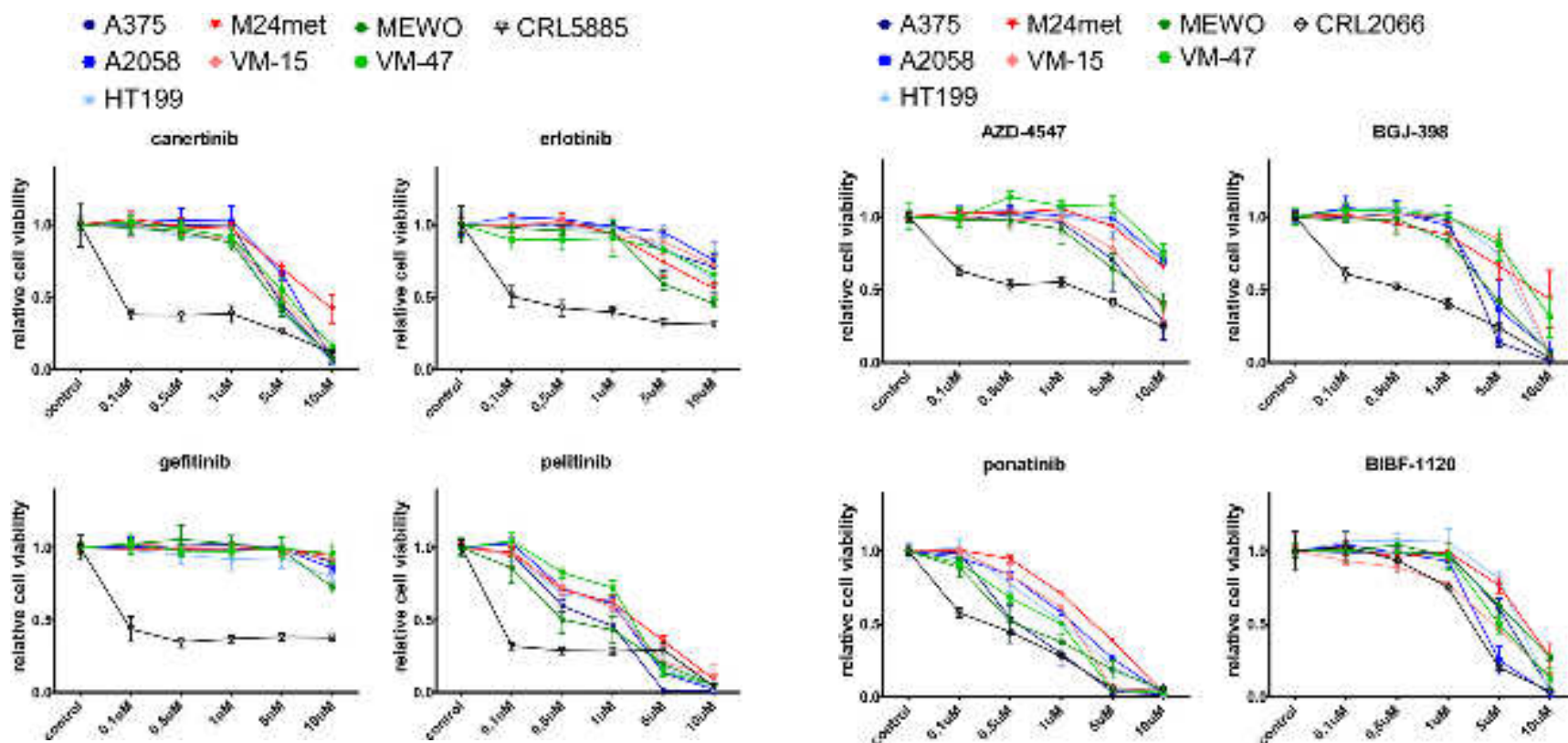
If you wish to query DIRECT for more information about a specific mutation of interest, please

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If the mutation is in DIRECT, we will provide you with a customized report detailing patient-level, mutation-specific drug response data.

## Sensitivity of Melanoma Cells to EGFR and FGFR Activation but Not Inhibition is Influenced by Oncogenic BRAF and NRAS Mutations

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# EGFR mutation, TKI treatment and immunotherapy

## Original Study



Programmed Death-Ligand 1 Expression Predicts Tyrosine Kinase Inhibitor Response and Better Prognosis in a Cohort of Patients With Epidermal Growth Factor Receptor Mutation-Positive Lung Adenocarcinoma

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## original articles

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## Association of PD-L1 overexpression with activating EGFR mutations in surgically resected nonsmall-cell lung cancer

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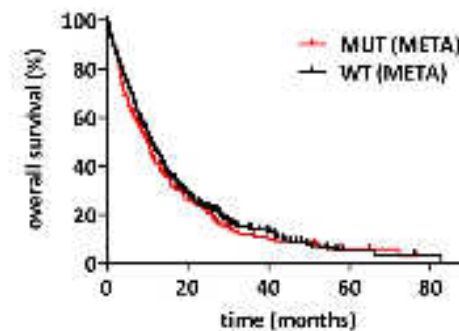
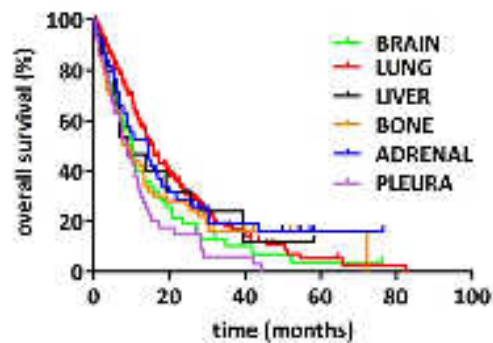
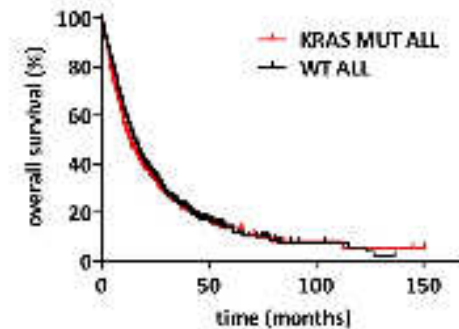
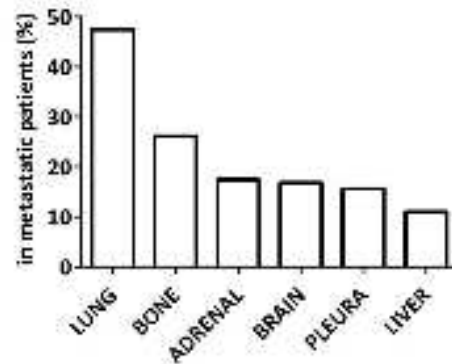
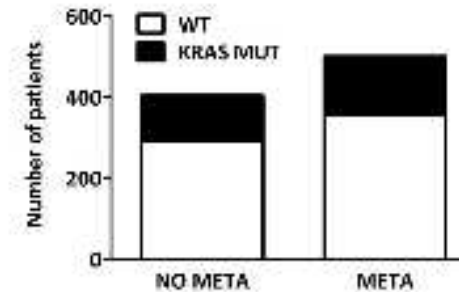
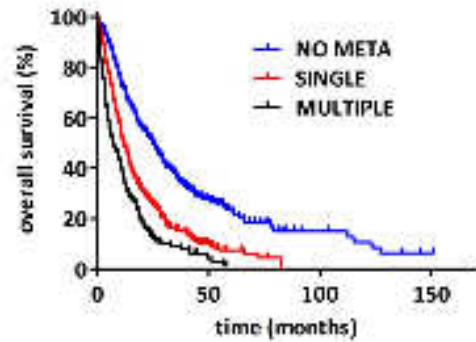
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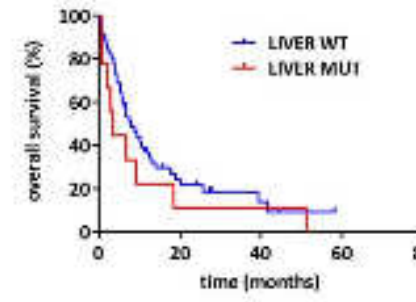
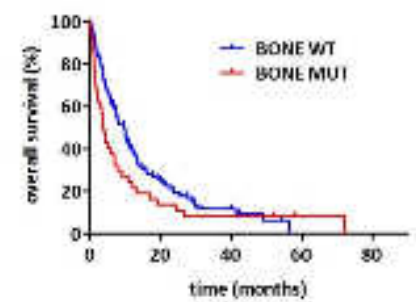
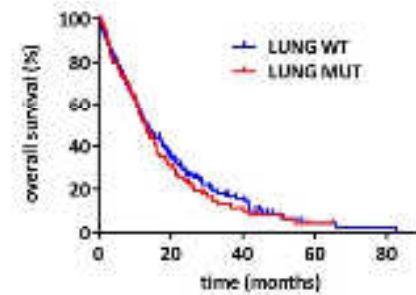
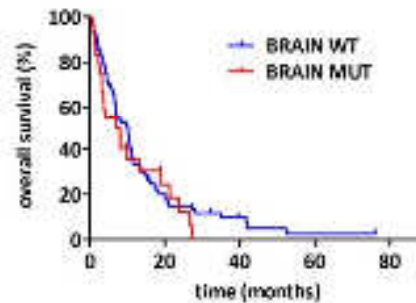
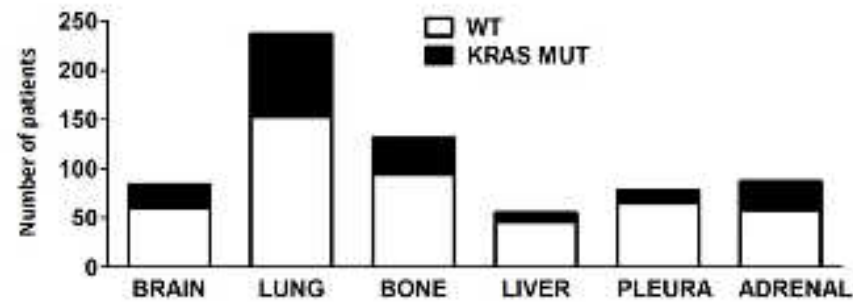
# Metastatic site-specific variation of KRAS status in lung adenocarcinoma

Metastatic site		Multiple	Single	Lung	Bone	Adrenal	Brain	Pleura	Liver	Non-metastatic
<b>Total</b>		138	362	228	131	87	84	78	55	403
<b>Age (mean±SD)</b>		60.8±8.7	62.4±9.3	62±9.0	60.7±10.2	61.1±9.6	59.2±9.3	64.5±10.5	62.2±9.9	61.8±8.9
<b>Gender</b>	<b>Male</b>	64 (46%)	181 (50%)	102 (45%)	74 (56%)	34 (39%)	36 (43%)	38 (49%)	26 (47%)	190(49%)
	<b>Female</b>	74 (54%)	181 (50%)	126 (55%)	57 (44%)	53 (61%)	48 (57%)	40 (51%)	29 (53%)	213 (51%)
<b>ECOG</b>	<b>0-1</b>	124 (92%)	335 (94%)	218 (97%)	115 (91%)	75 (87%)	77 (93%)	71 (91%)	48 (91%)	382 (96%)
<b>performance status</b>	<b>&gt;1</b>	11 (8%)	21 (6%)	7 (3%)	11 (9%)	11 (13%)	6 (7%)	7 (9%)	5 (9%)	15 (4%)
	<b>Unknown data</b>	3	6	3	5	1	1	0	2	6
<b>Smoking status</b>	<b>Never-smoker</b>	15 (12%)	52 (16%)	29 (14%)	18 (16%)	7 (9%)	7 (9%)	20 (27%)	4 (8%)	66 (17%)
	<b>Former smoker</b>	37 (30%)	104 (31%)	61 (29%)	32 (28%)	20 (25%)	25 (32%)	23 (32%)	20 (41%)	115 (30%)
	<b>Current smoker</b>	71 (58%)	179 (53%)	117 (57%)	65 (58%)	52 (66%)	45 (58%)	30 (41%)	25 (51%)	203 (53%)
	<b>Unknown data</b>	15	27	21	16	8	7	5	6	19
<b>KRAS</b>	<b>Wild-type</b>	94 (68%)	263 (73%)	148 (65%)	94 (72%)	58 (67%)	60 (71%)	65 (83%)	46 (84%)	290 (72%)
	<b>Mutant</b>	44 (32%)	99 (27%)	80 (35%)	37 (28%)	29 (33%)	24 (29%)	13 (17%)	9 (16%)	113 (28%)

# KRAS status in metastatic lung adenocarcinoma



# Metastatic site-specific variation of KRAS status in lung adenocarcinoma



# Repurposing bisphosphonates

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## Repurposing of bisphosphonates for the prevention and therapy of nonsmall cell lung and breast cancer

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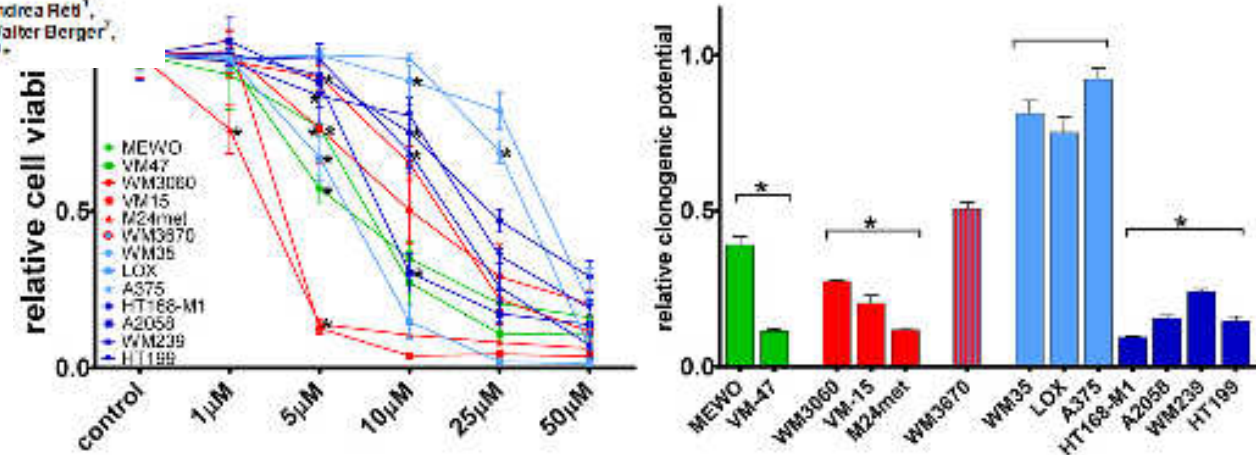
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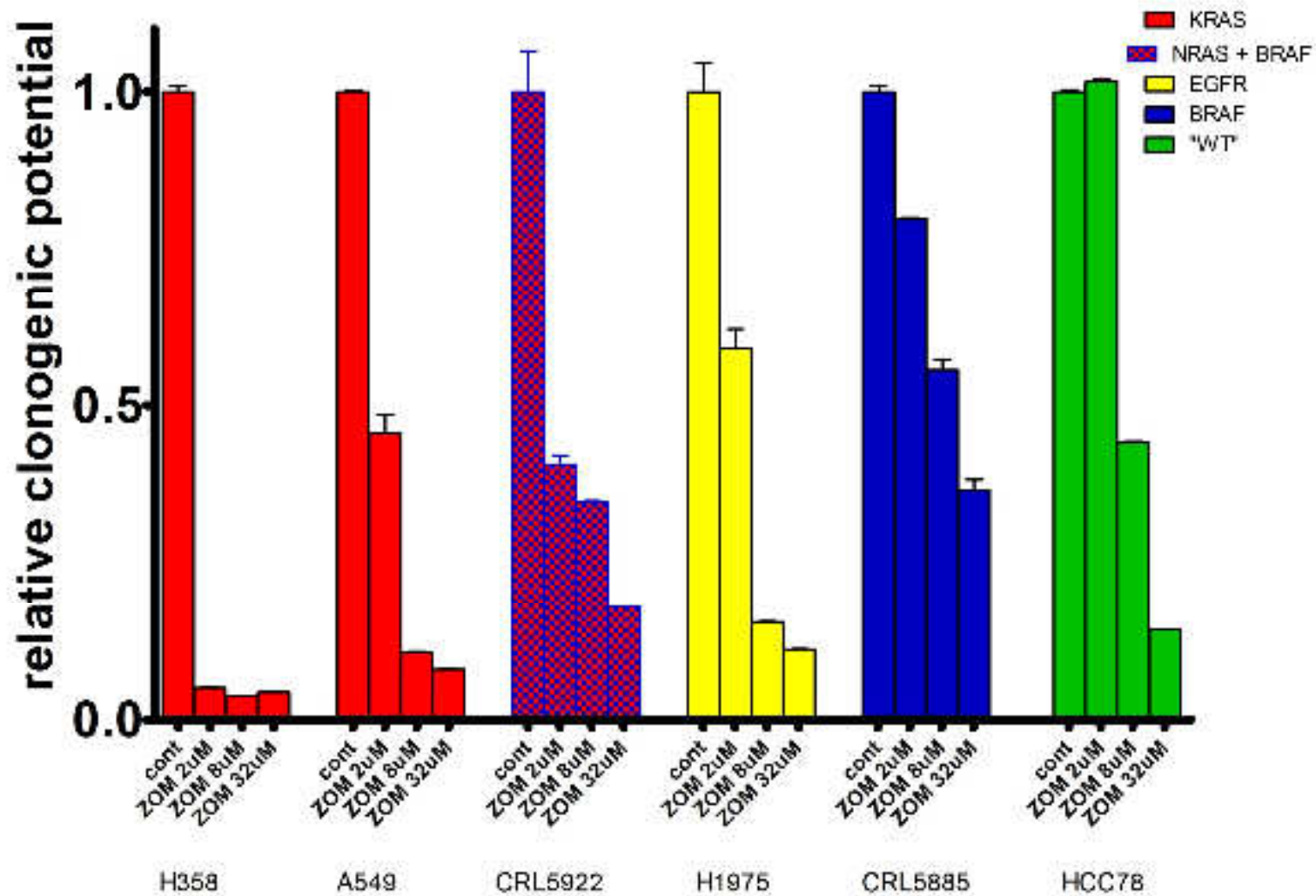
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## Prenylation Inhibition-Induced Cell Death in Melanoma: Reduced Sensitivity in BRAF Mutant/PTEN Wild-Type Melanoma Cells

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# KRAS mutation and bisphosphonate treatment sensitivity





# Personalised (precision) medicine in lung adenocarcinoma

- Subtypes of molecular alterations, especially of so-called 'driver mutations', must be used as markers that determine the selection of patients who most likely can benefit from therapy.
- The clinical consequence of molecular alterations are context (e.g. metastatic site) dependent.
- The translation of our knowledge about molecular mechanisms and signaling networks to predict therapeutic consequences is a very delicate task and requires thorough preclinical and clinical investigations.

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