

**M U N I
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Inflammation-induced mutagenesis

Petr Müller



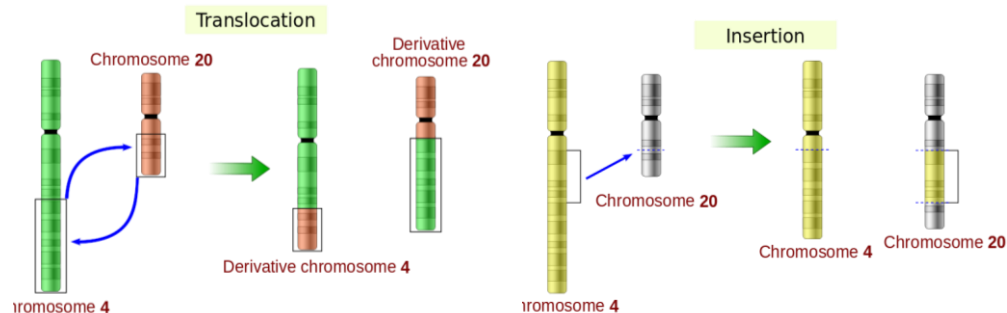
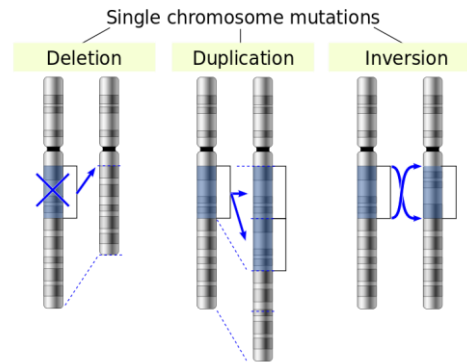
Mutations

mutation is an alteration in the nucleotide sequence of the genome of an organism, virus, or extrachromosomal DNA

By effect on structure

Large scale mutations (Chromosomal abnormalities)

- Deletion
- Duplication, amplification
- Inversion
- Translocation
- Insertion
- Loss of heterozygosity
- Aneuploidy



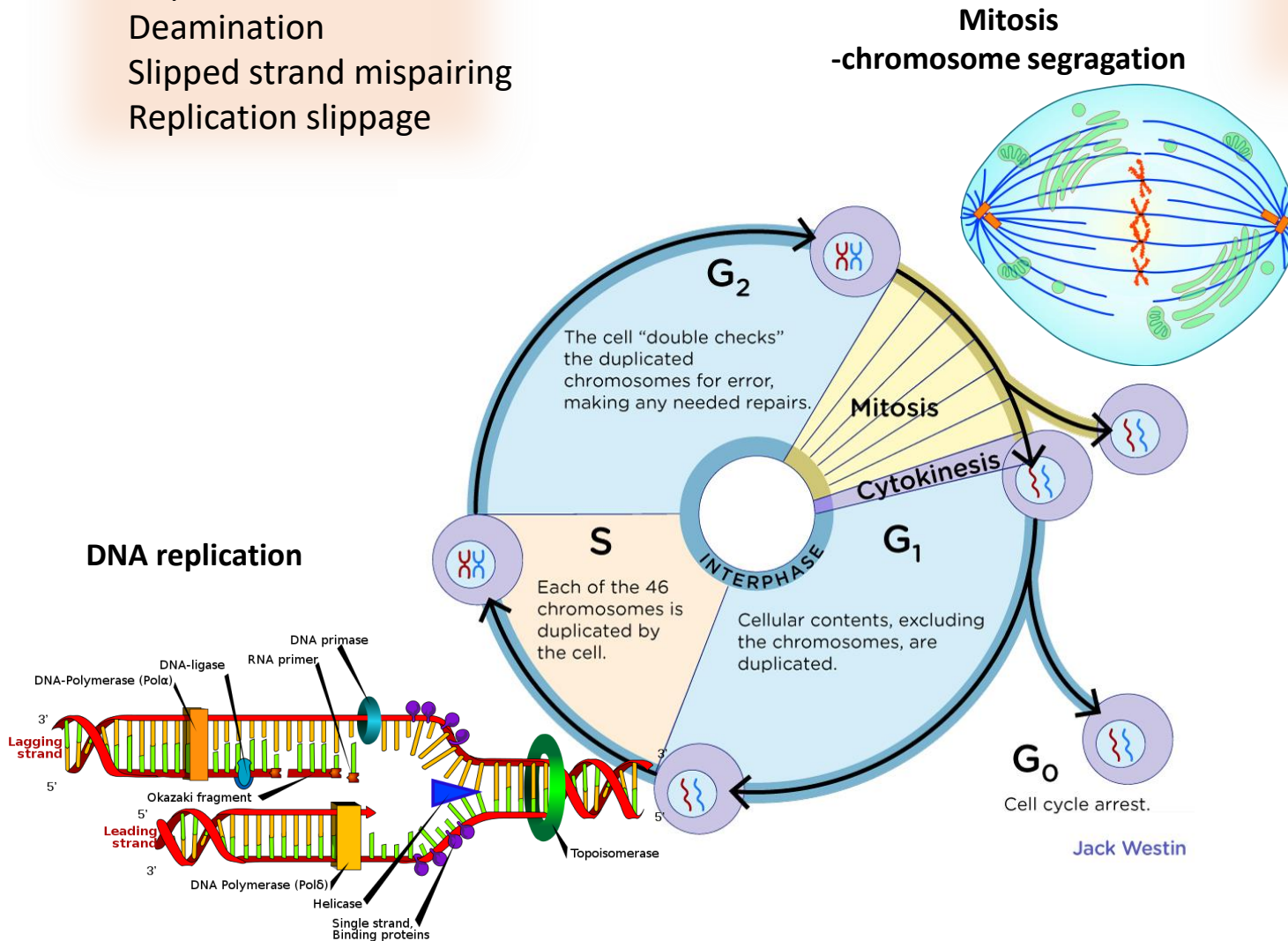
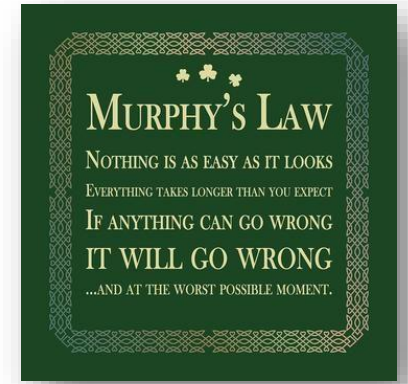
Small-scale mutations

- Insertions
- Deletions
- Substitution mutations / point mutations
 - Missense
 - Nonsense
 - Silent

Spontaneous vs induced mutations

Tautomerism
 Depurination
 Deamination
 Slipped strand mispairing
 Replication slippage

Chromosome abnormality
 Amplification
 Translocation
 Aneuploidy



DNA repair -> genomic instability

- Double strand break repair
 - BRCA1, BRCA2
 - CHK2
 - ATM
- Mismatch repair (MMR)
 - MLH1, MLH2, MLH3, PMS1, and PMS2
- Nucleotide excision repair (NER)
 - Xeroderma pigmentosum (XPC,..)
- DNA polymerase
 - POLD, POLE

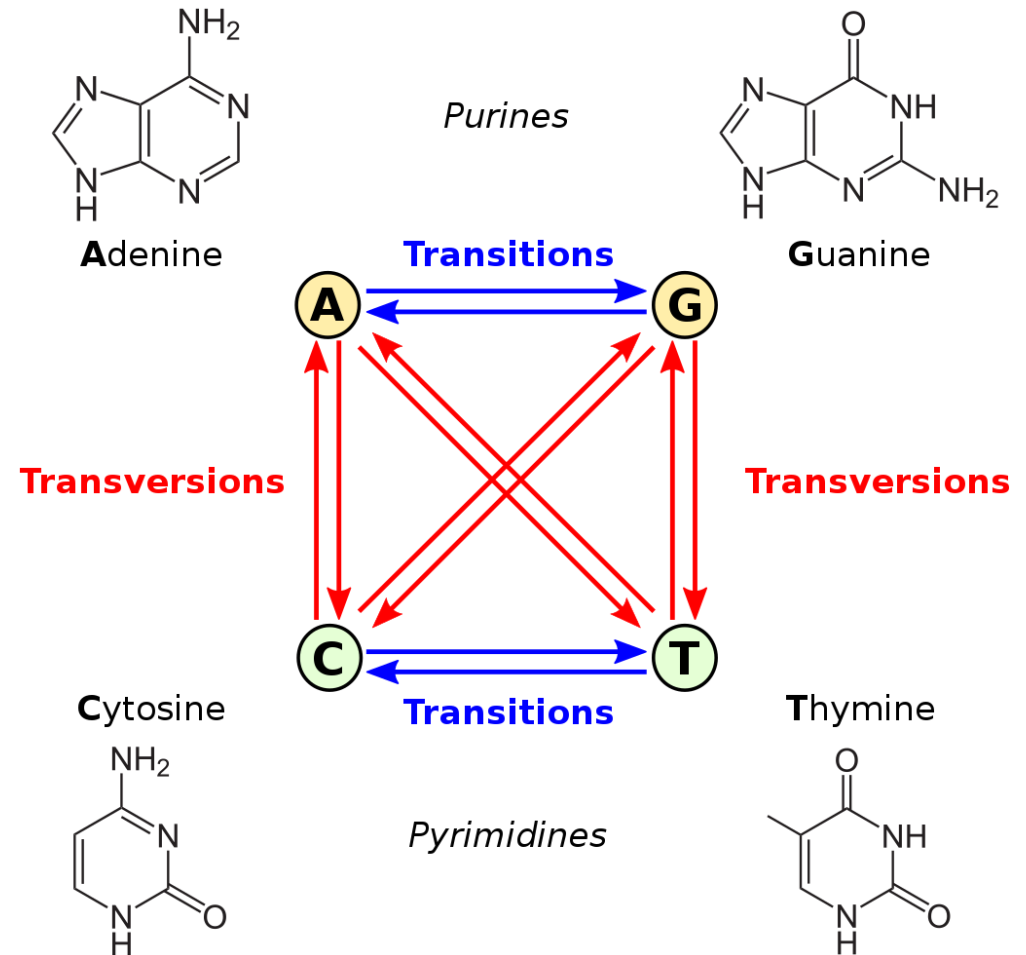
Point mutations

Transition

- mutation that changes a purine nucleotide to another purine (A \leftrightarrow G), or a pyrimidine nucleotide to another pyrimidine (C \leftrightarrow T).
- Approximately two out of three single nucleotide polymorphisms (SNPs) are transitions.
- Transitions can be caused by oxidative deamination and tautomerization.

Transversion

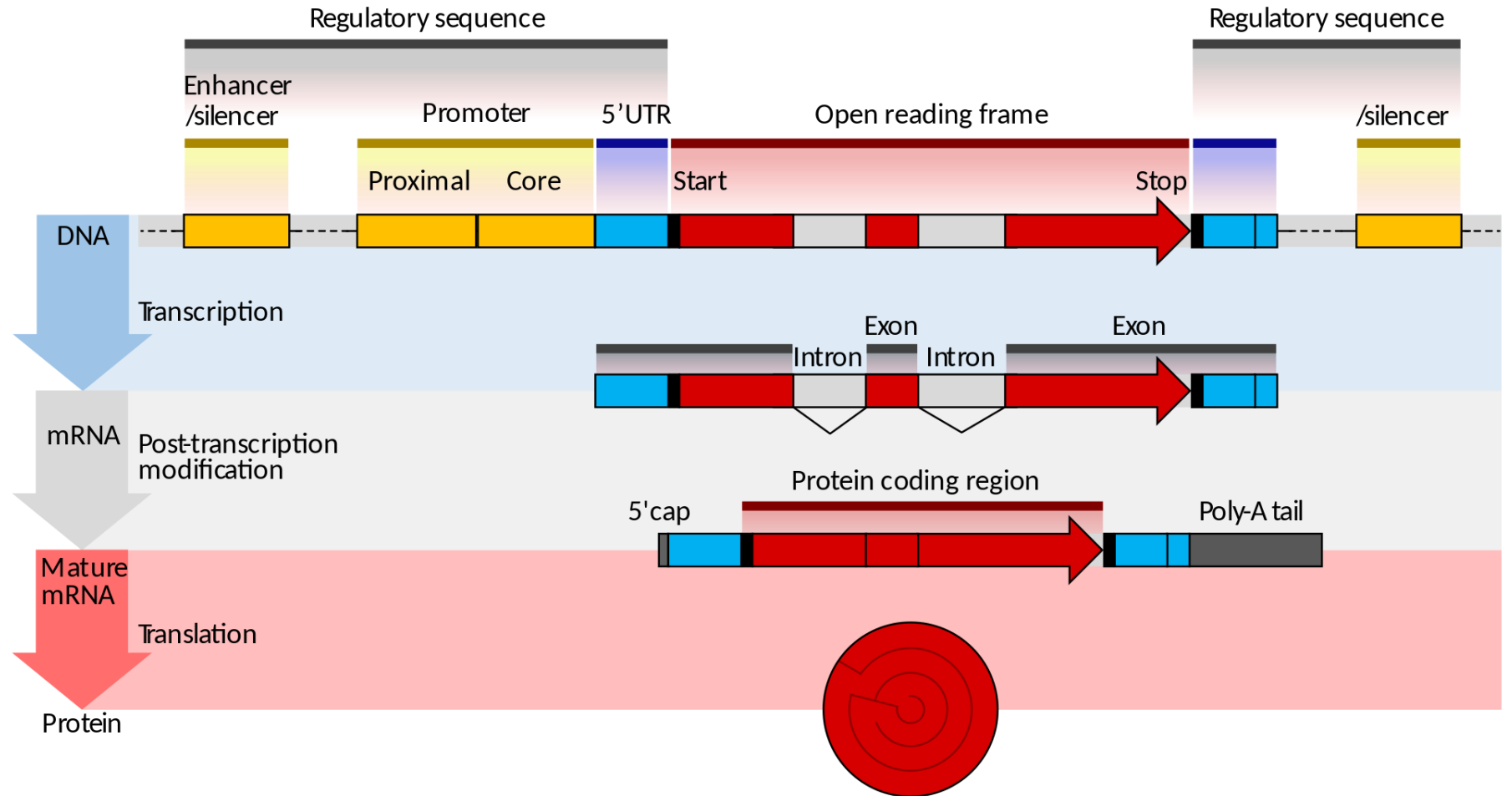
- mutation in DNA in which a single (two ring) purine (A or G) is changed for a (one ring) pyrimidine (T or C), or vice versa.
- A transversion can be spontaneous, or it can be caused by ionizing radiation or alkylating agents.



Mutations by impact on protein sequence

Coding region:

- **Point mutations**
 - Missense
 - Nonsense
 - Silent
- **Frameshift mutations**
 - Insertions
 - Deletions
 - (Indels)



Bad and good mutations



- Genetic variation is an important force in evolution as it allows natural selection to increase or decrease frequency of alleles already in the population.
- Genetic variation can be caused by mutation (which can create entirely new alleles in a population), random mating, random fertilization, and recombination between homologous chromosomes during meiosis (which reshuffles alleles within an organism's offspring).
- Genetic variation is advantageous to a population because it enables some individuals to adapt to the environment while maintaining the survival of the population.

Adaptive immunity and controlled mutagenesis

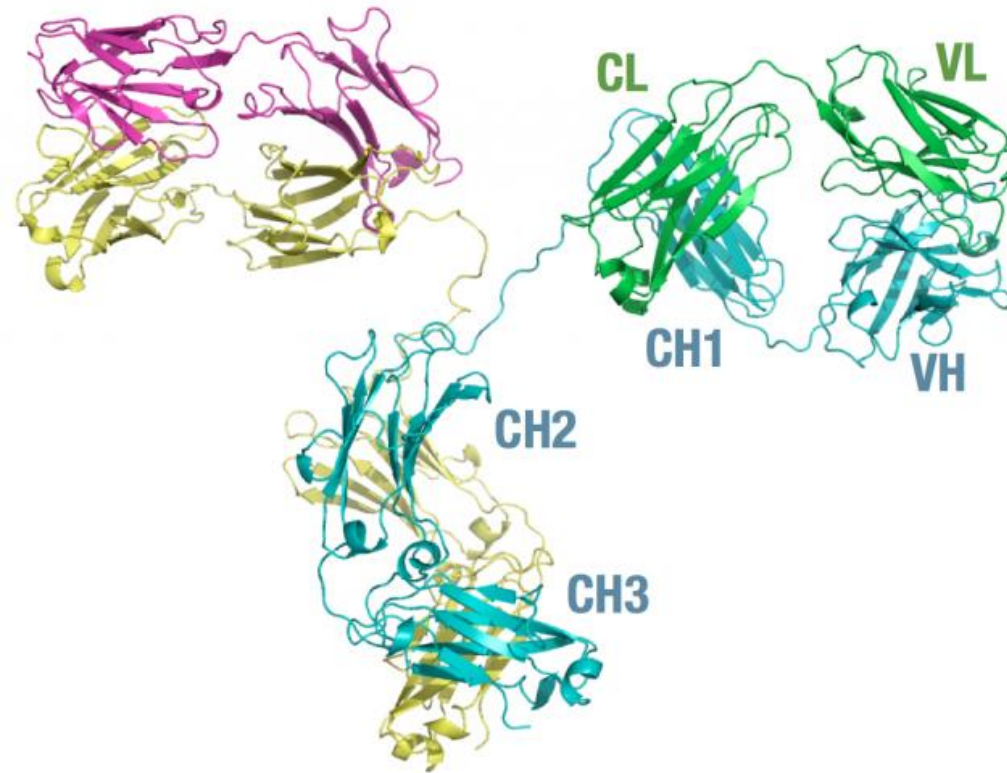
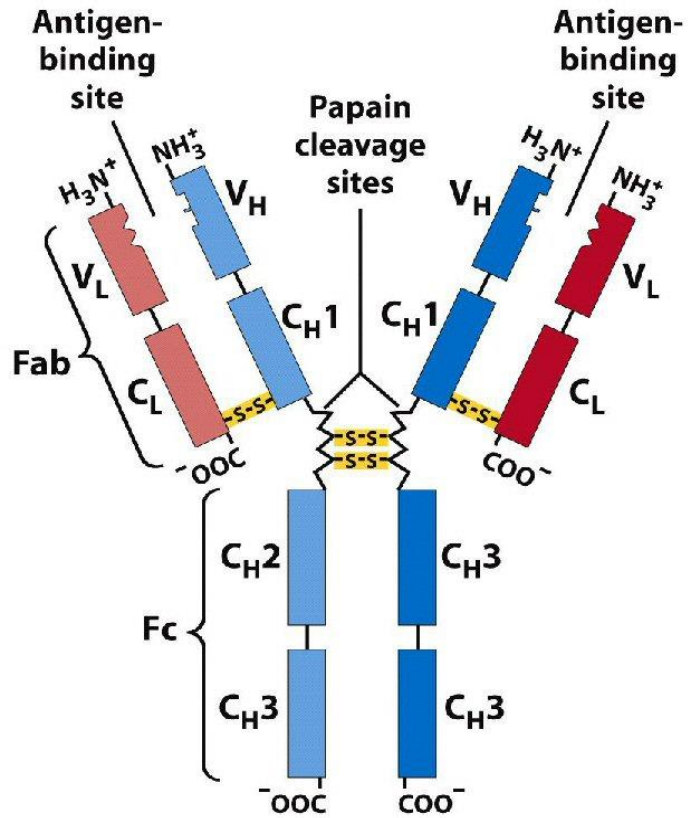
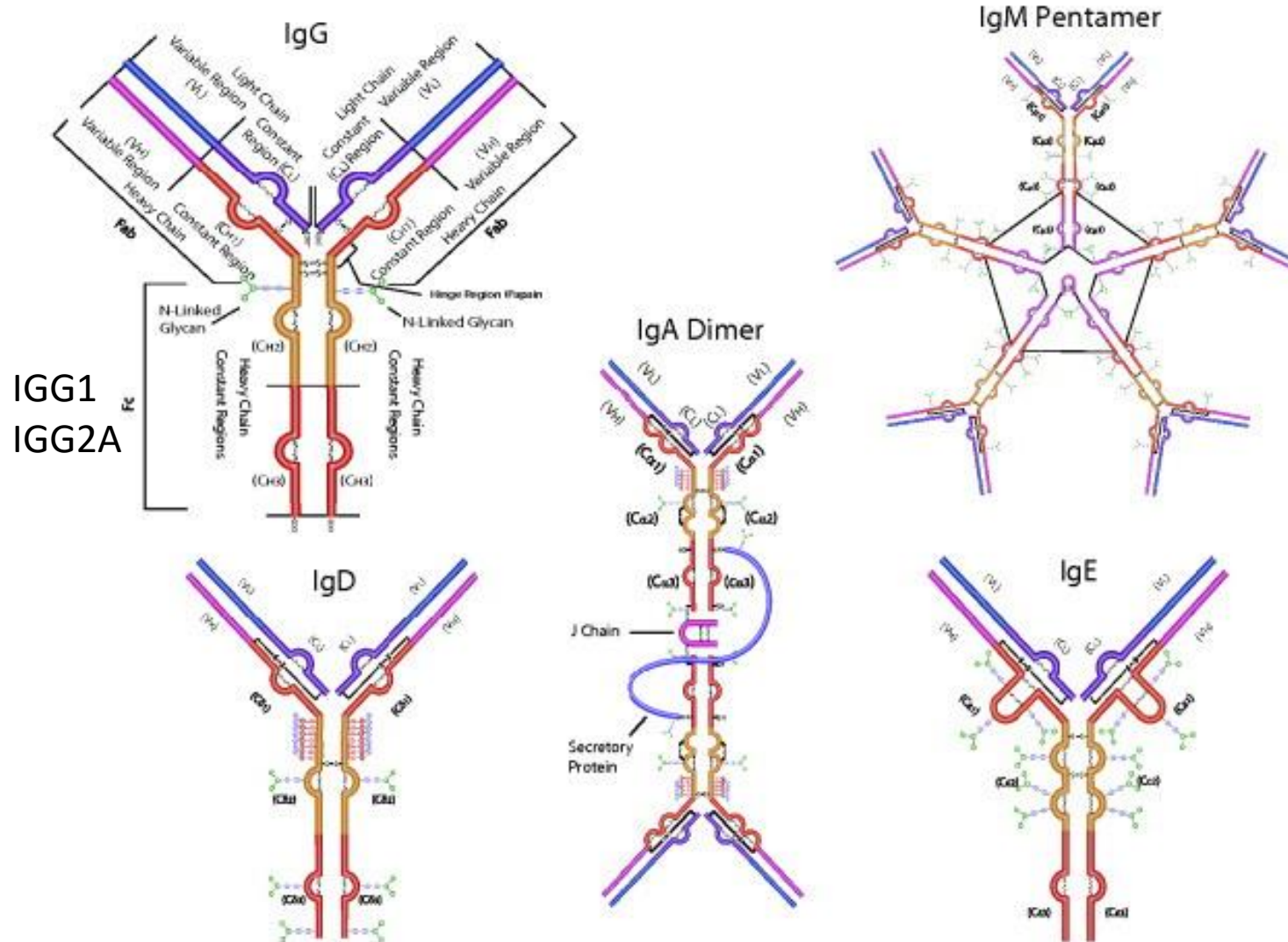


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Antibody isotypes



Antibody genetics

IGH locus chr. 14

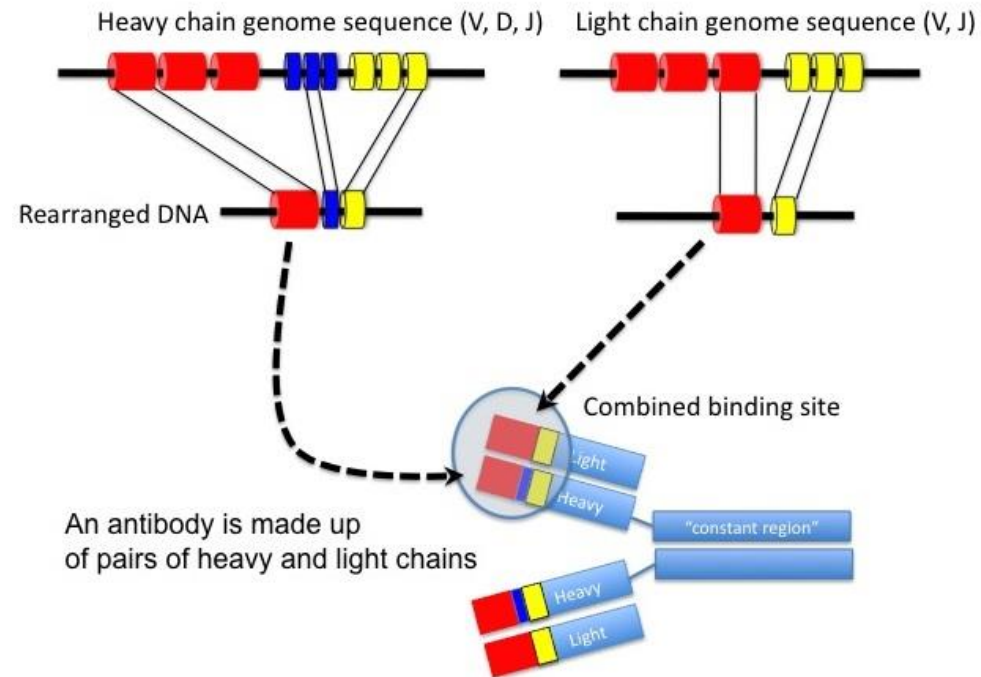
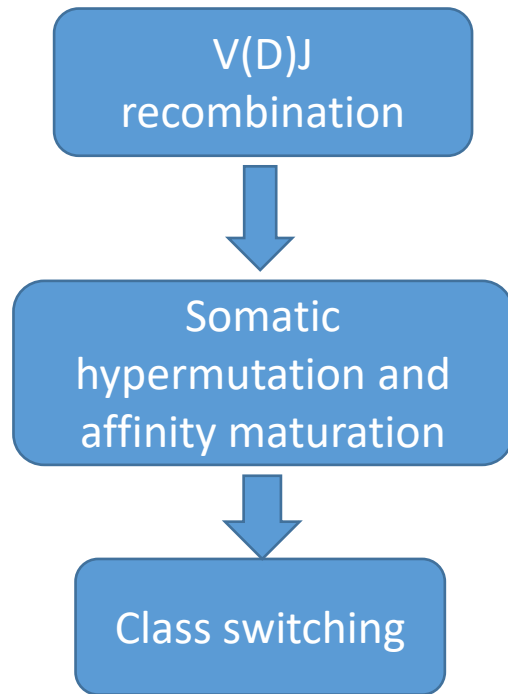
IGL kappa (κ) locus chr. 2

IGL lambda (λ) locus chr. 22

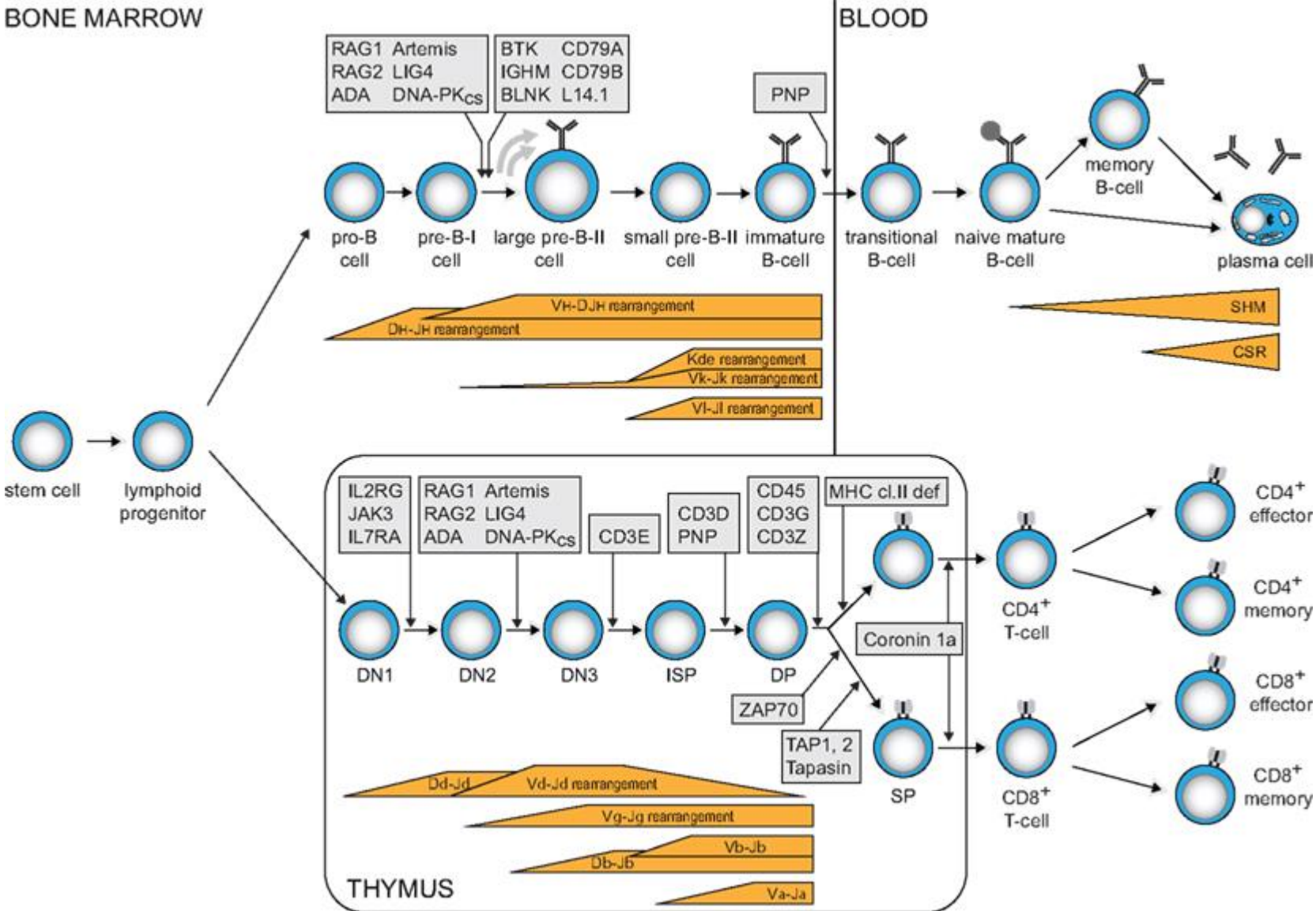
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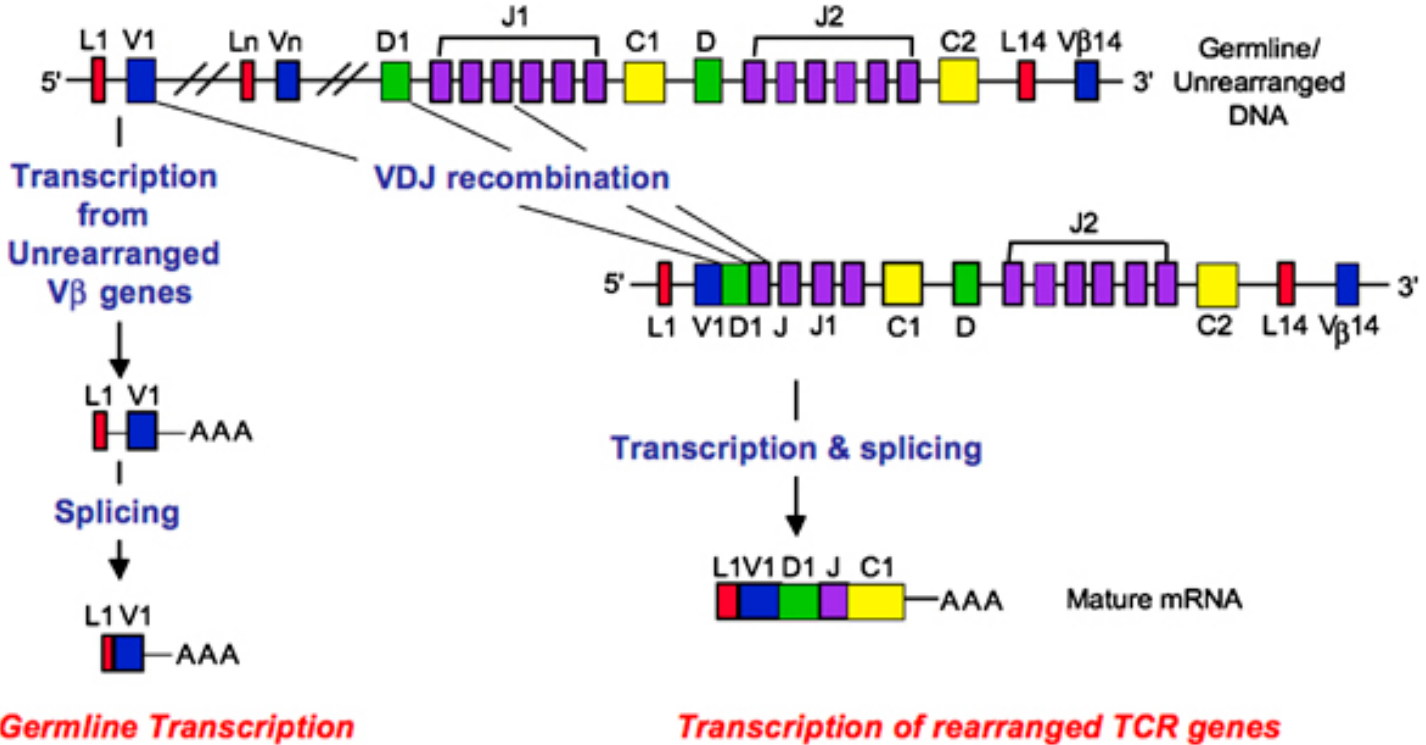
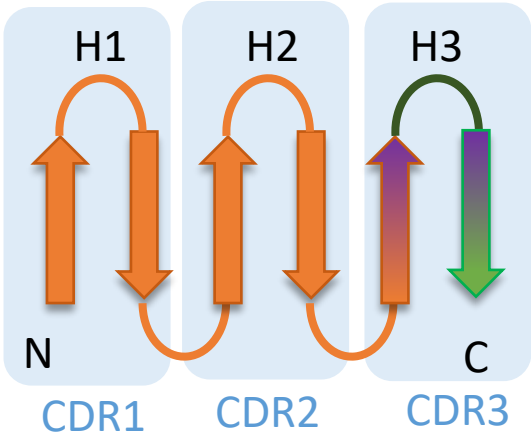
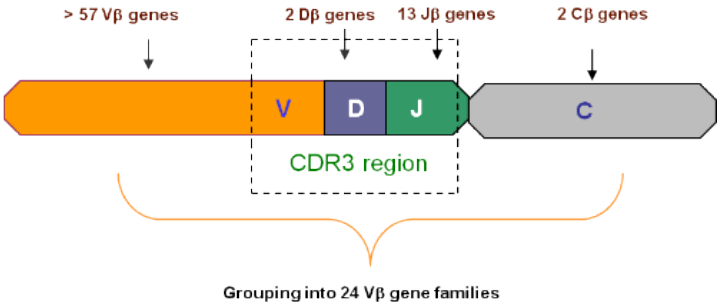
Susumu Tonegawa
Nobel prize 1987



V(D)J recombinations in lymphocyte differentiation



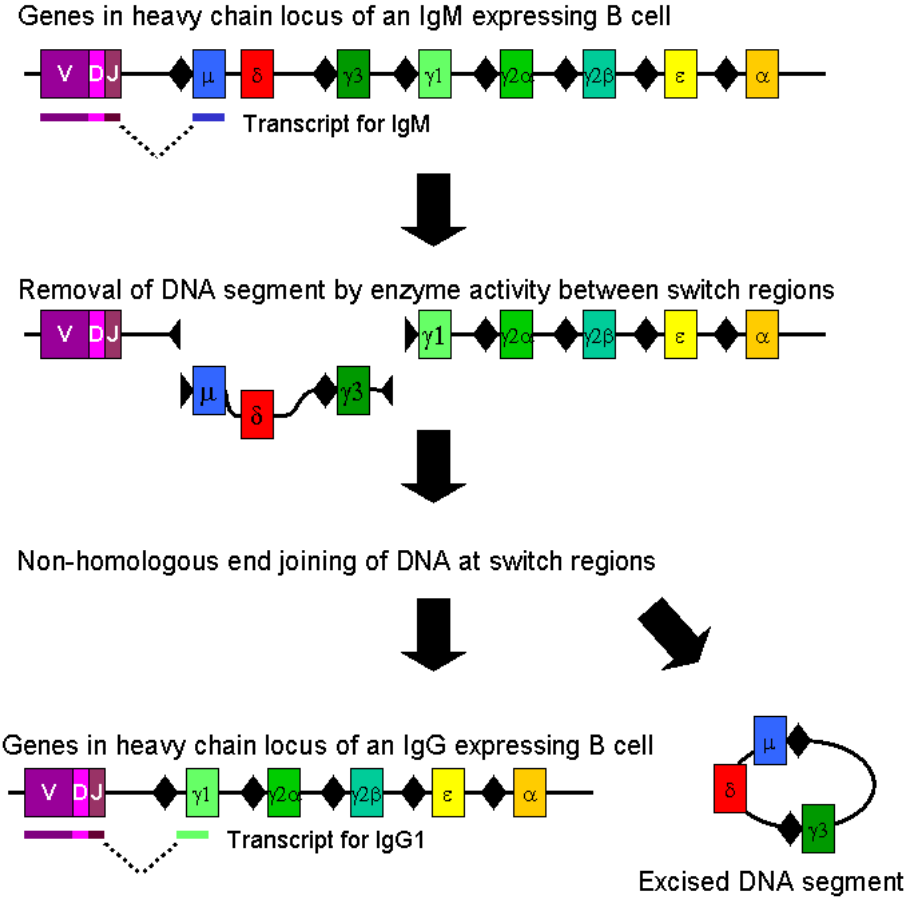
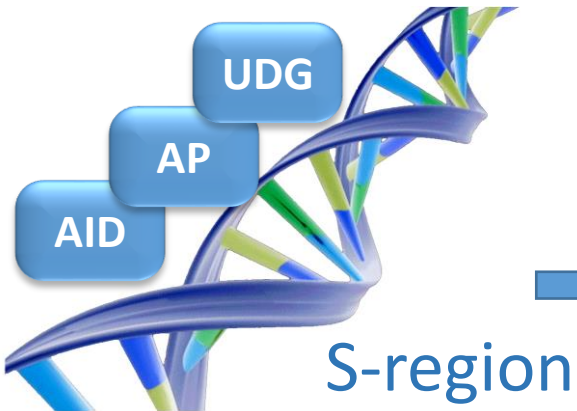
VDJ recombination



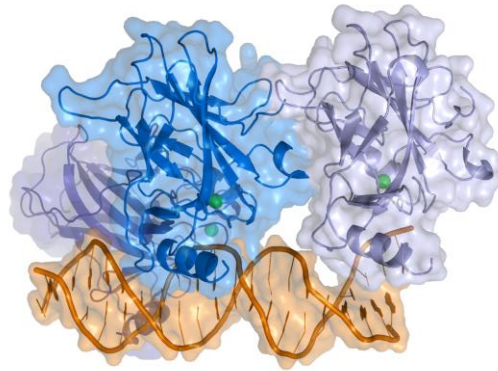
Class switching

- μ - IgM
- δ - IgD
- γ3 - IgG3
- γ1 - IgG1
- pseudogene
- α1 - IgA1
- γ2 - IgG2
- γ4 - IgG4
- ε - IgE
- α2 - IgA2

Activation-Induced (Cytidine) Deaminase (AID),
 Uracil DNA glycosylase
 Apyrimidic/apurinic (AP)-endonucleases



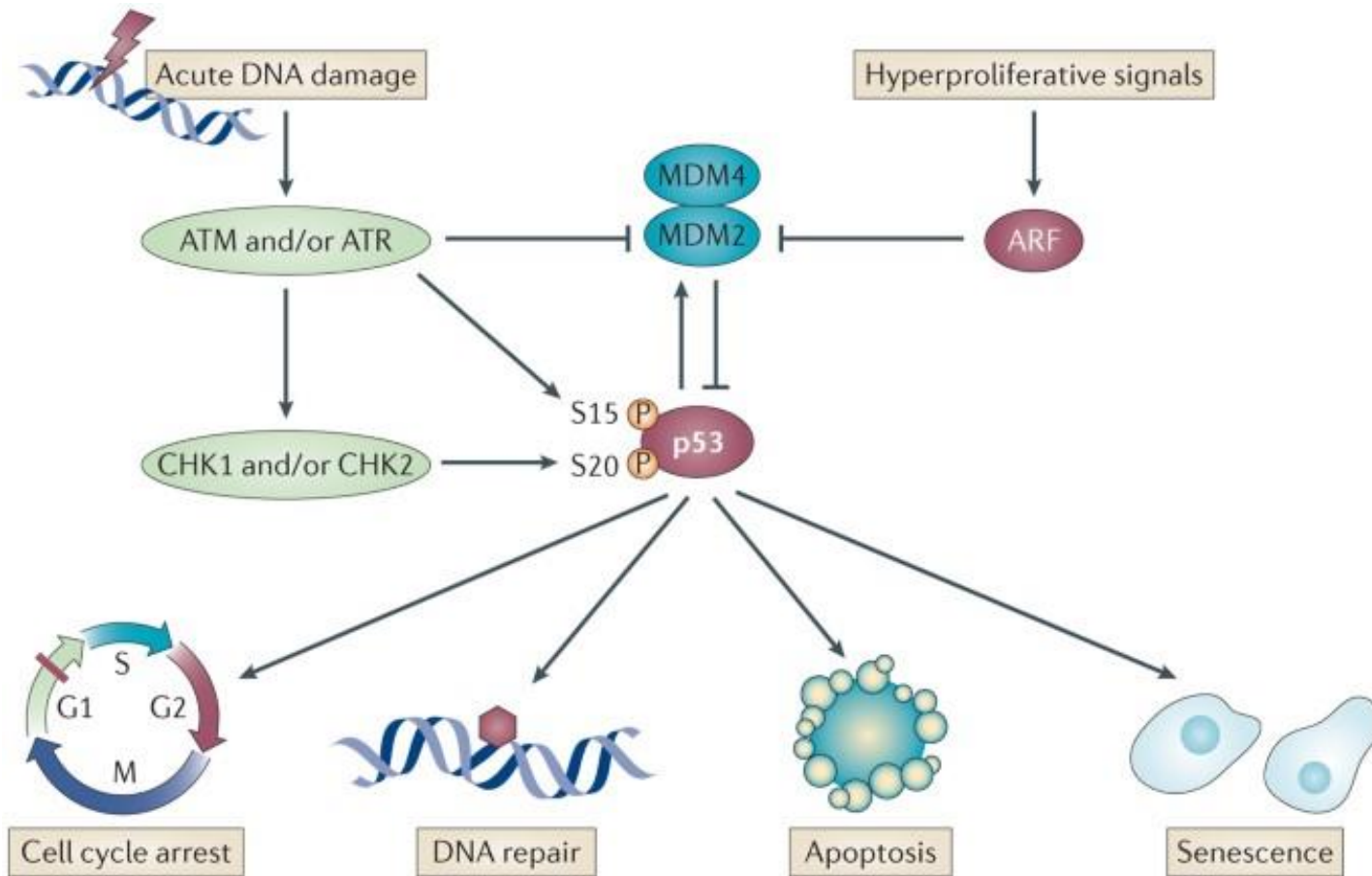
Tumor suppressor p53 - the guardian of genome



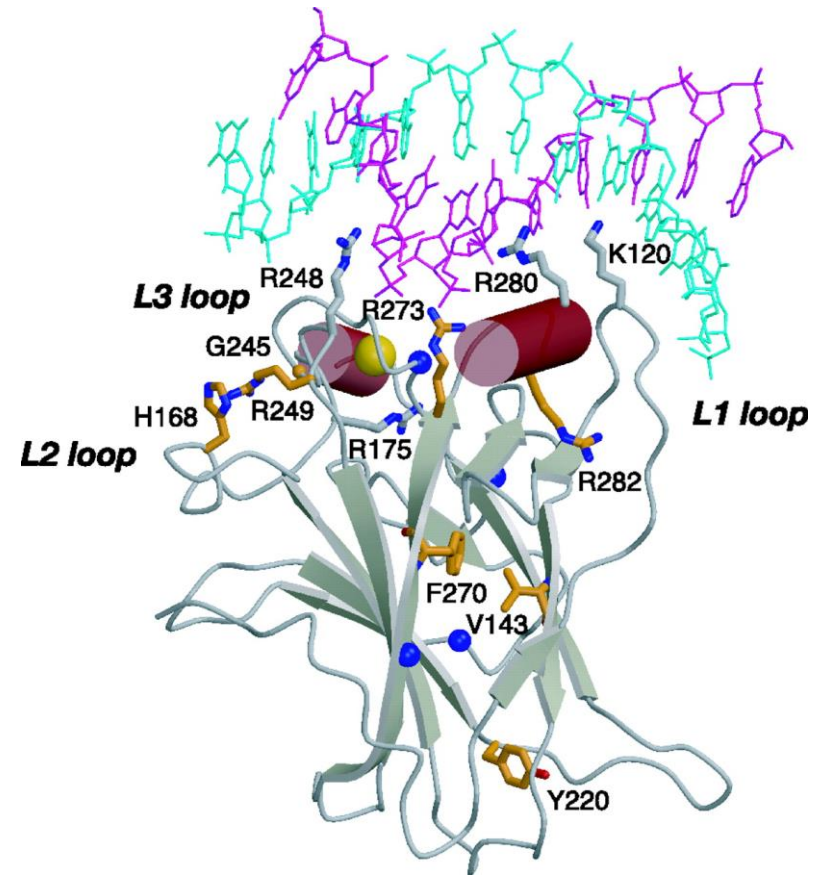
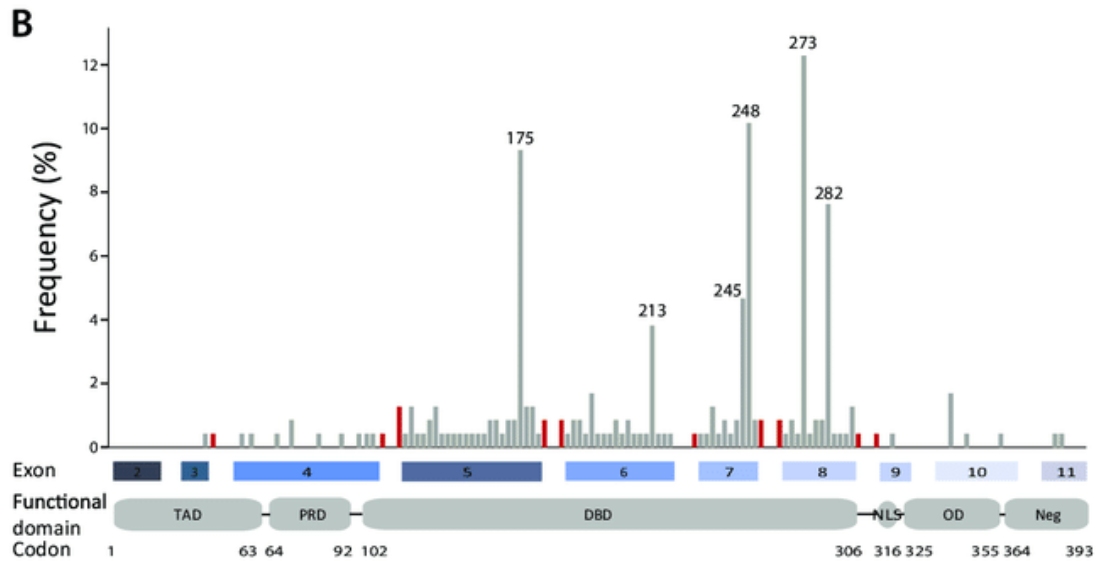
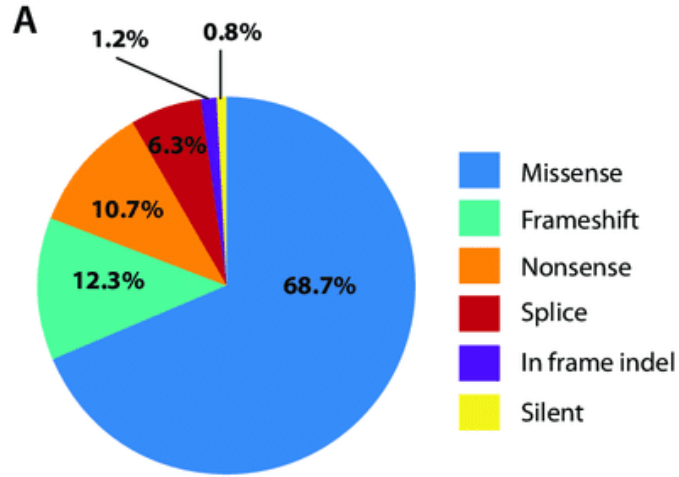
David Lane

- Most frequently mutated gene in cancer
- Transcription factor
- Germline mutation cause Li-Fraumeni syndrome
- Tumor suppressor
- Both alleles lost in cancer – (lost of heterozygosity) LOH

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p53 mutational spectrum

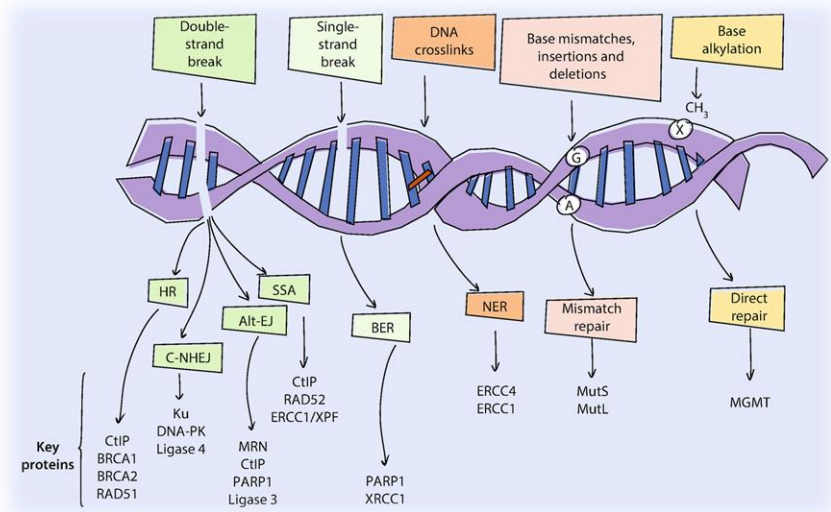


CGG -->Arg

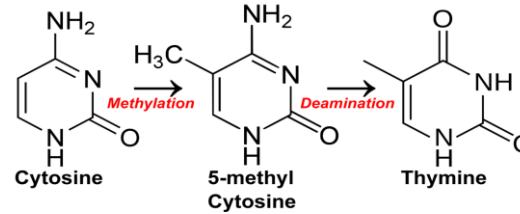


CpG island

Genomic instability

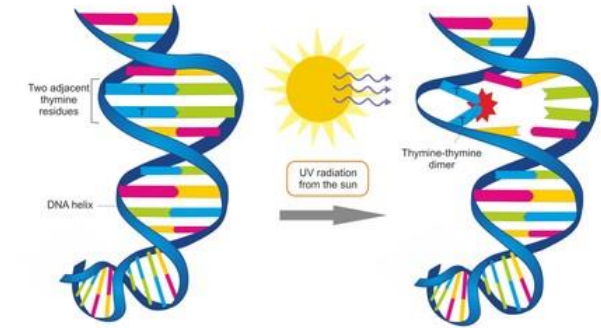


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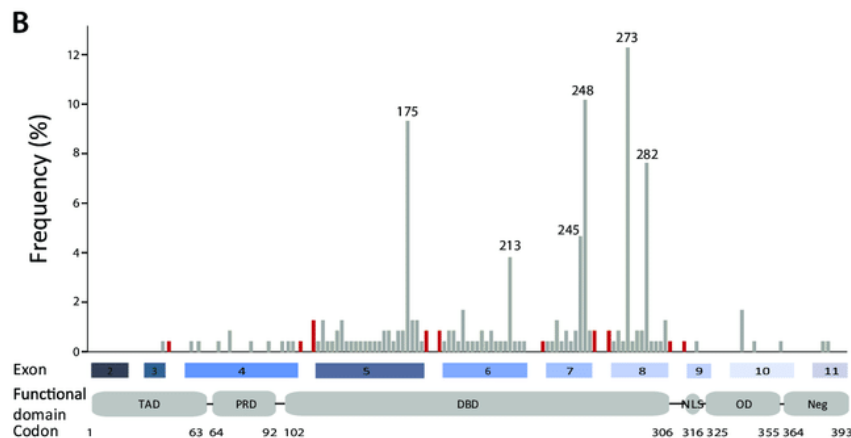
Exogenous mutagens

- Smoking
- UV light
- Alkylating agents
- aflatoxin



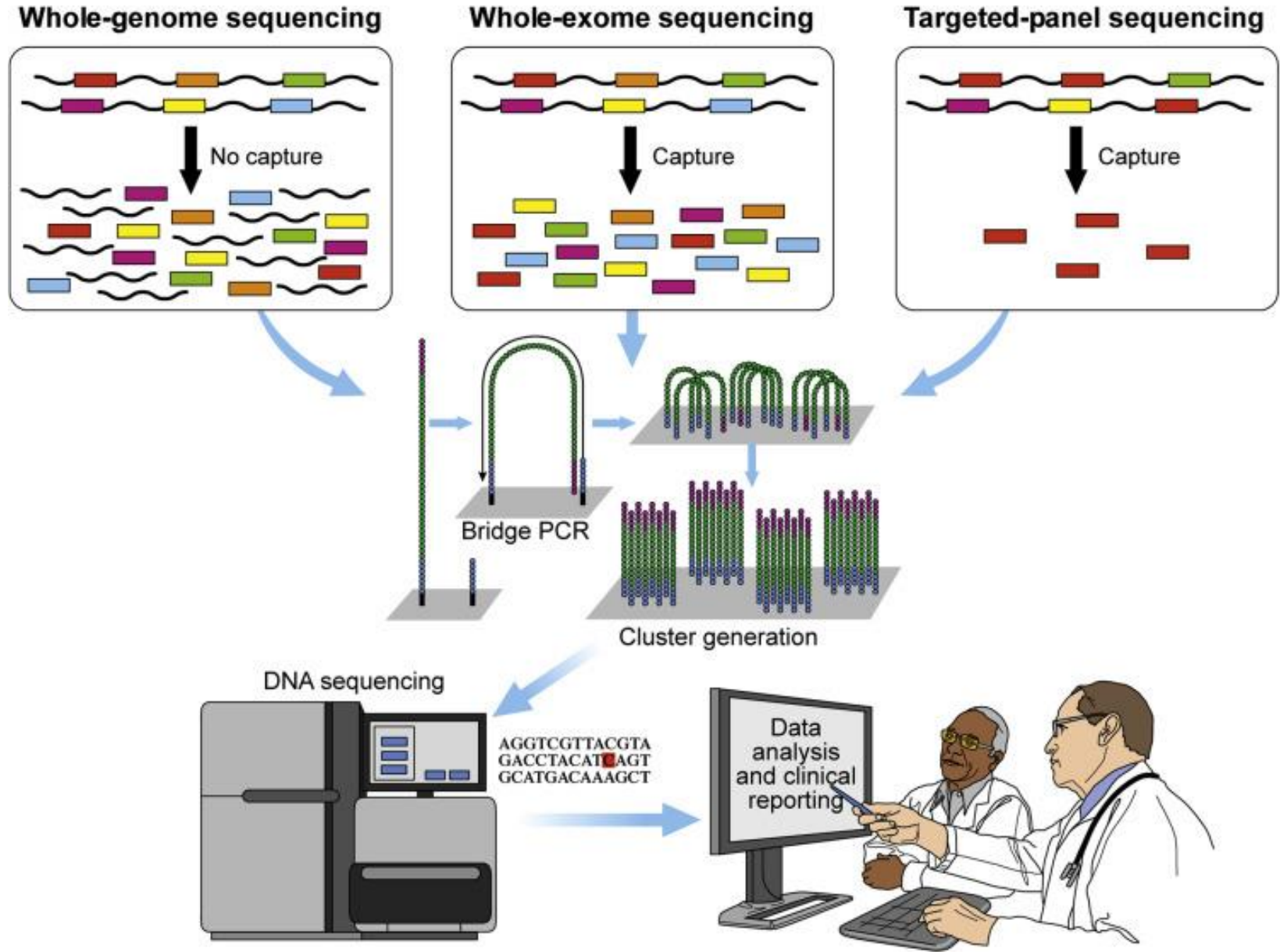
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Mutation pattern
Mutational signatures

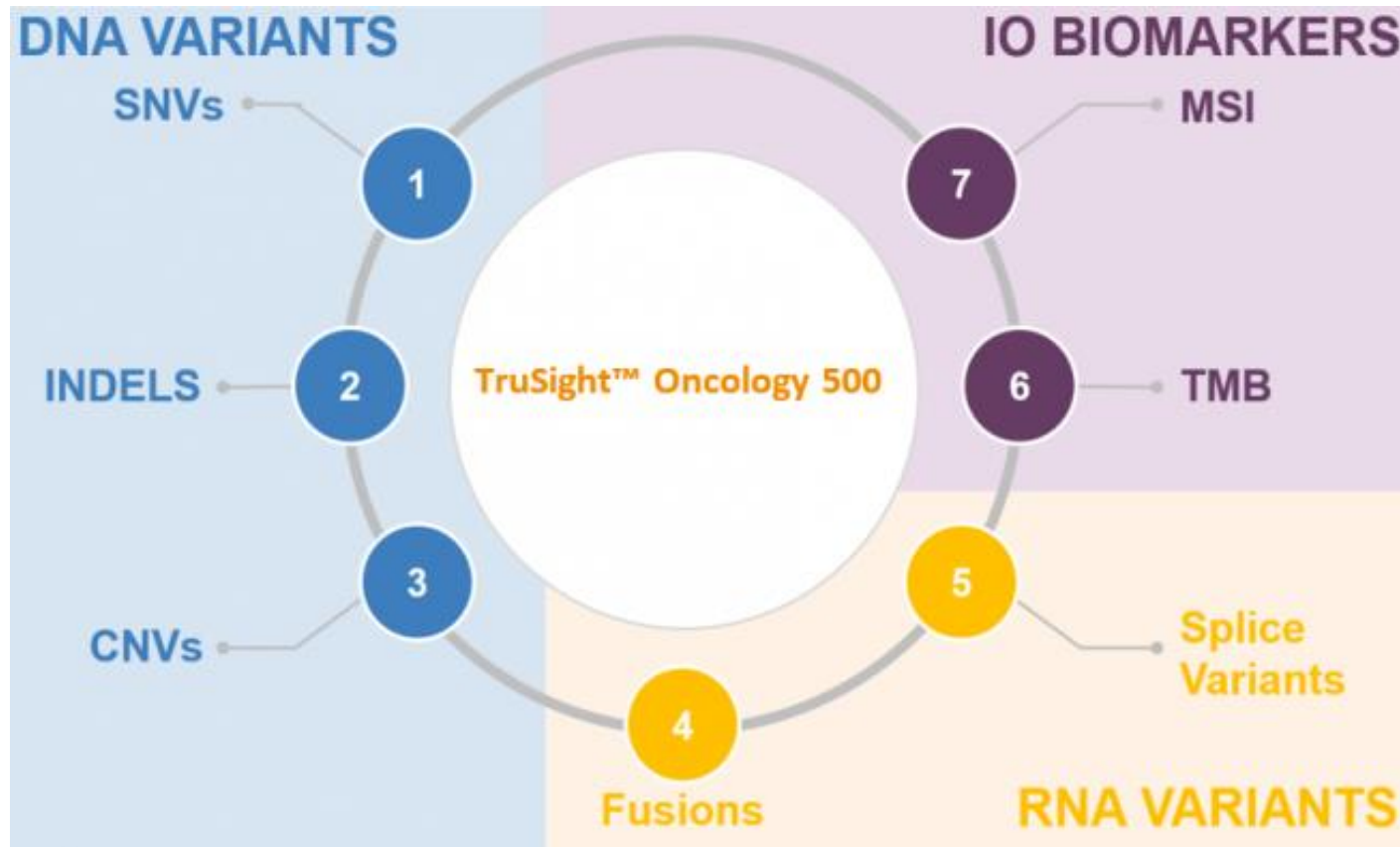


NGS

Next Generation Sequencing

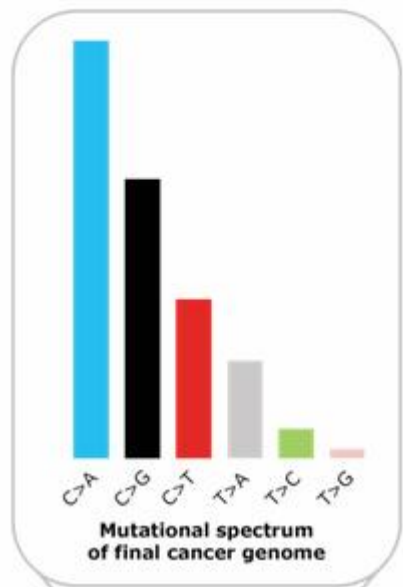
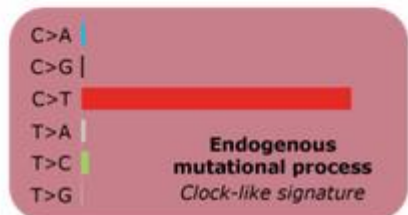


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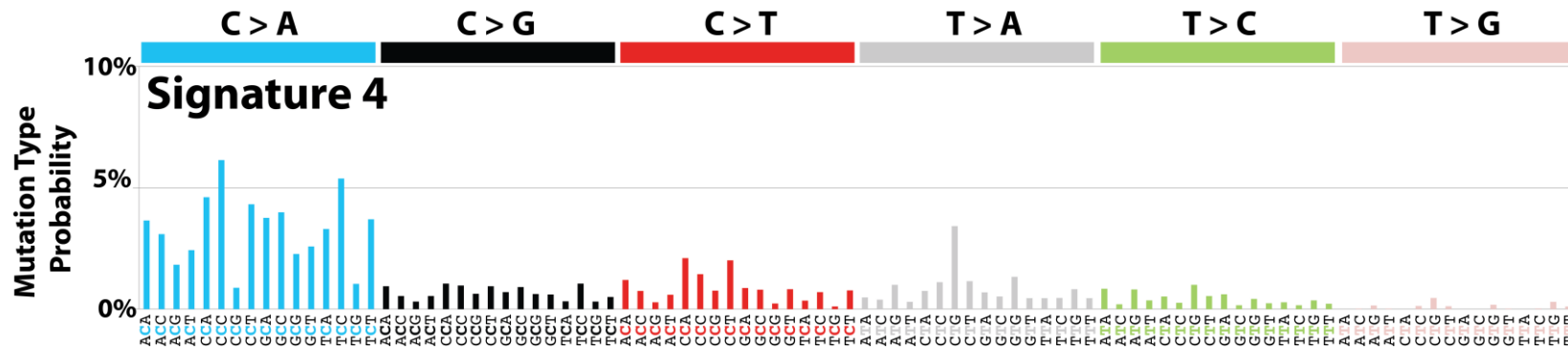
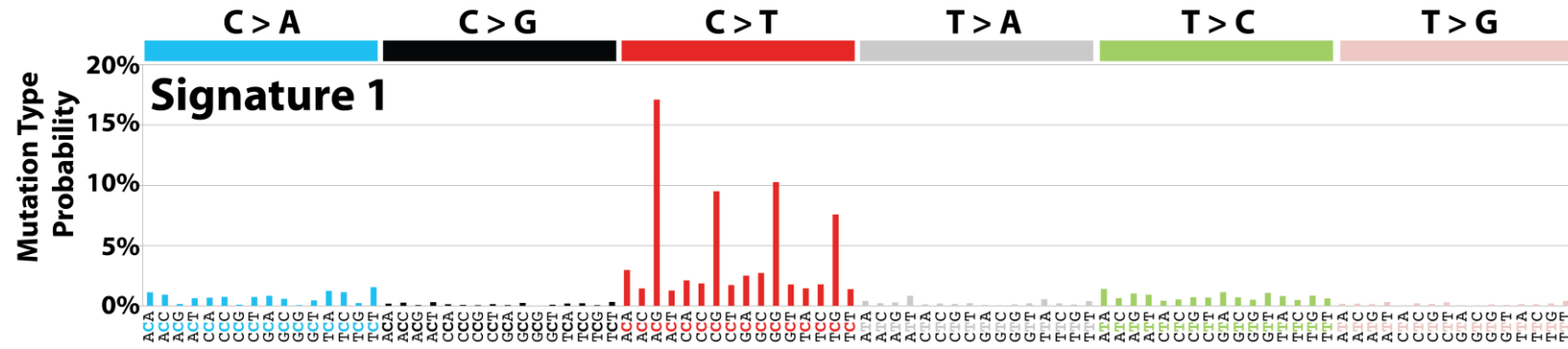
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Supports multiple tissue types	Commercial DNA/RNA* extraction kits	TruSight Oncology UMI kit DNA Probes (523 genes) RNA* Probes (55 genes) Automatable workflow	NextSeq® System	TruSight Oncology 500 Local App	Powered by PierianDx Clinical Genomics Workspace

Mutational Signatures

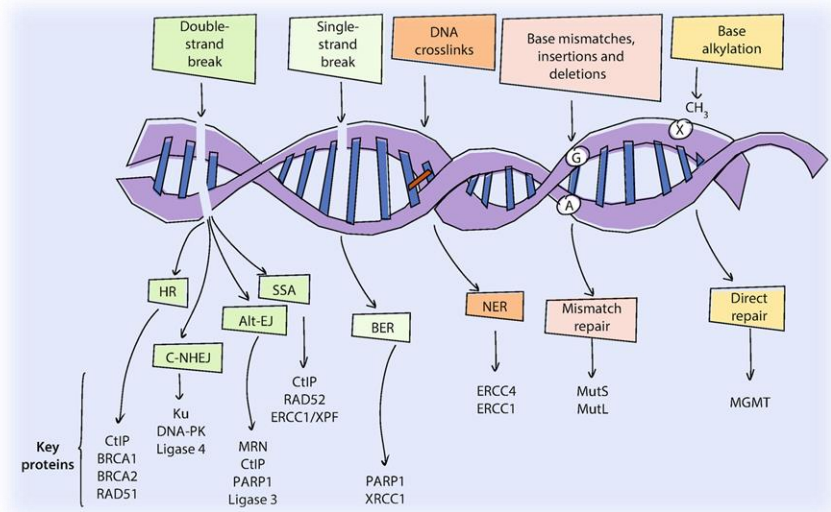


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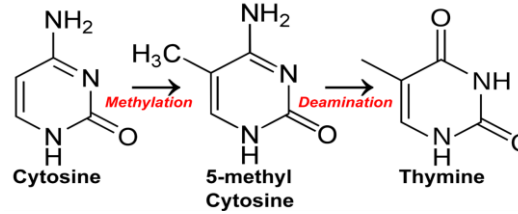
Endogenous mutational process initiated by spontaneous deamination of 5-methylcytosine



Genomic instability

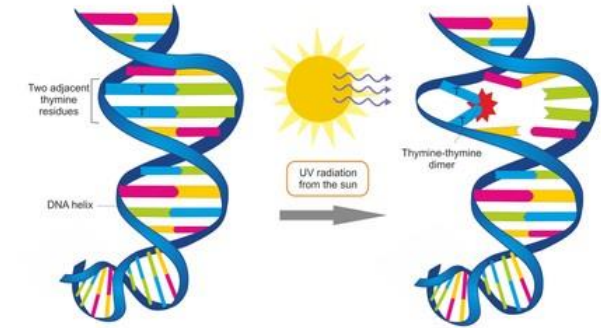


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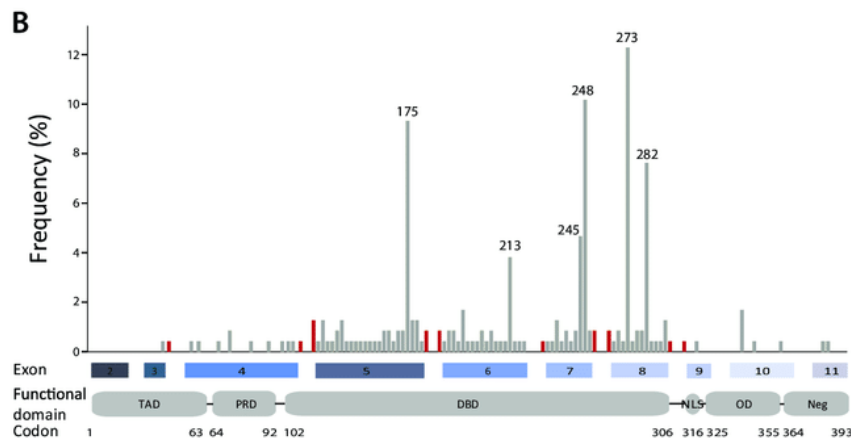
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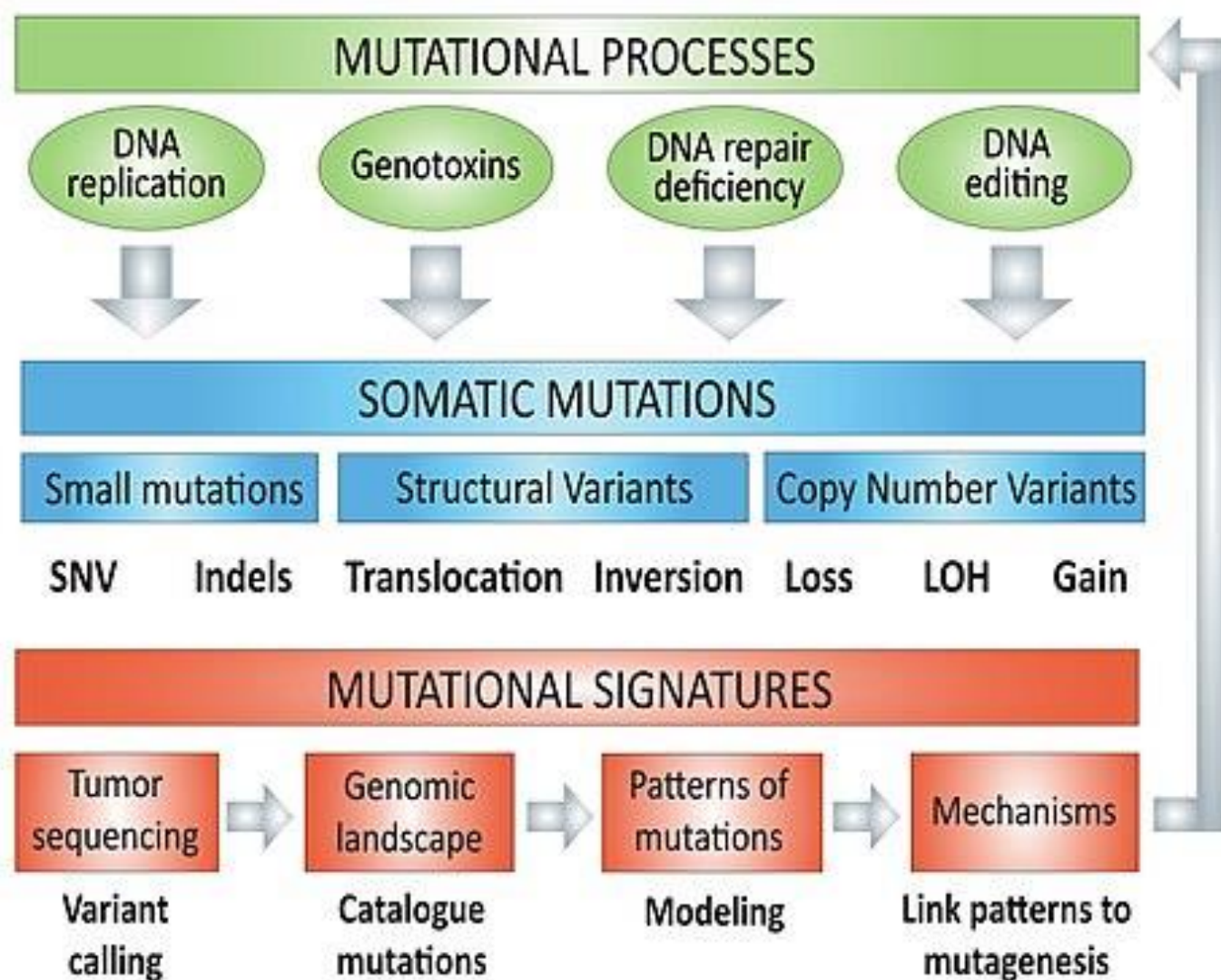


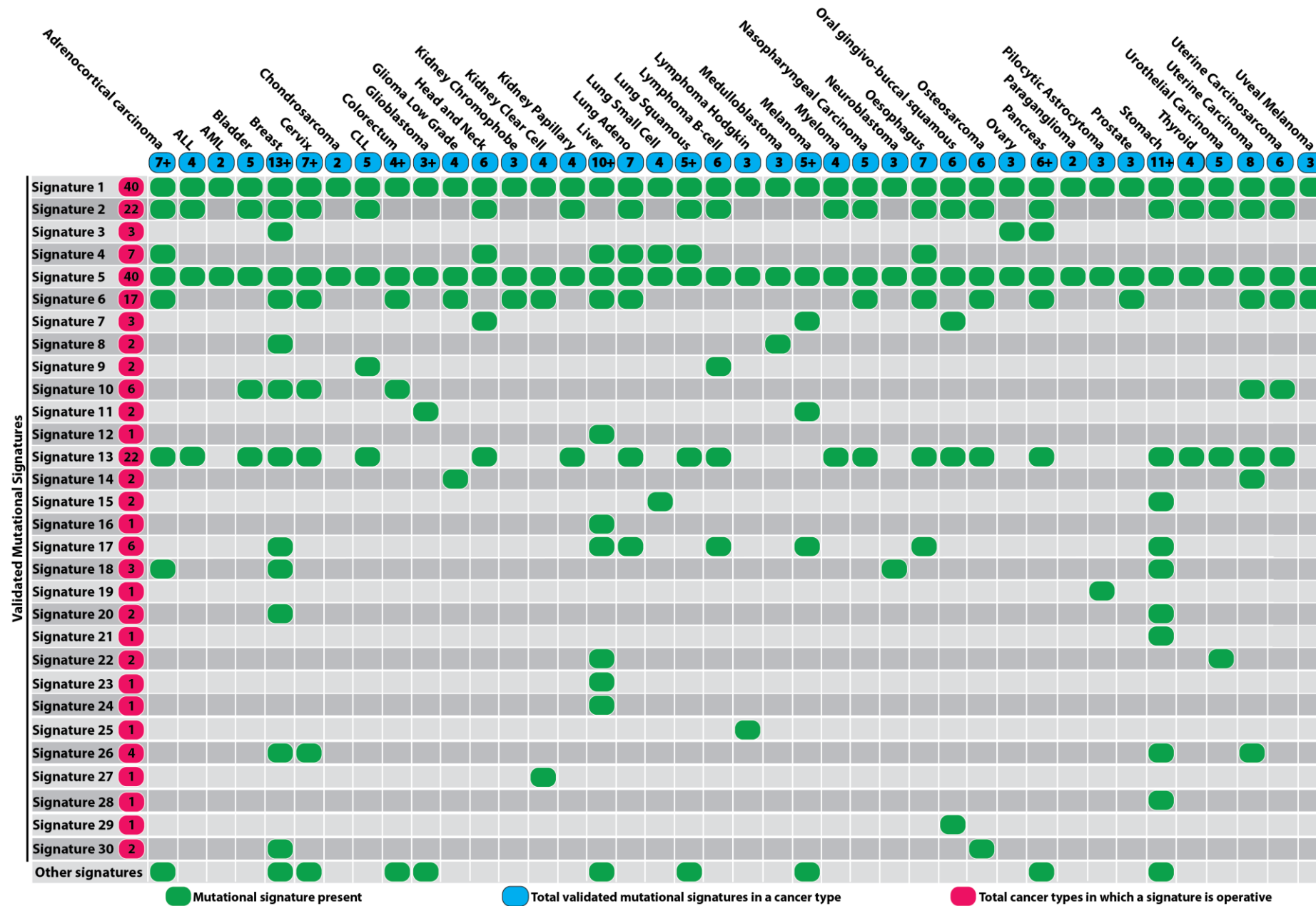
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**Mutation pattern
Mutational signatures**



IDENTIFICATION OF MUTATIONAL SIGNATURES





● Mutational signature present

● Total validated mutational signatures in a cancer type

● Total cancer types in which a signature is operative

CLINICALLY RELEVANT RESULTS

Tumor Mutational Burden: 242.632568

of unstable microsatellite loci: 3

Usable MSI Sites (%): 2.7%

Tier I - Variants of Strong Clinical Significance

Level A

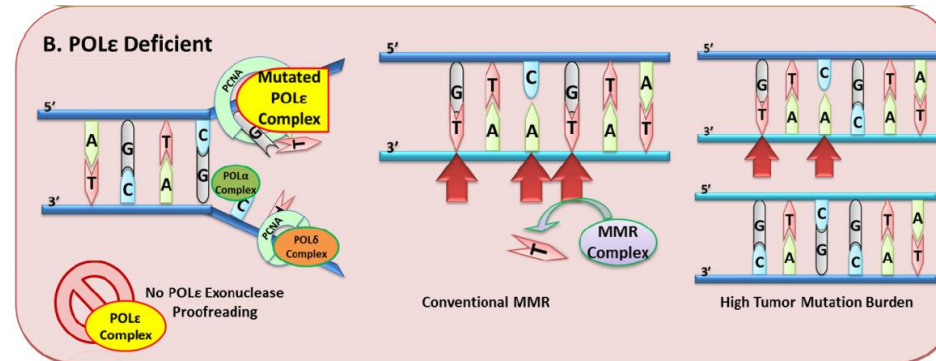
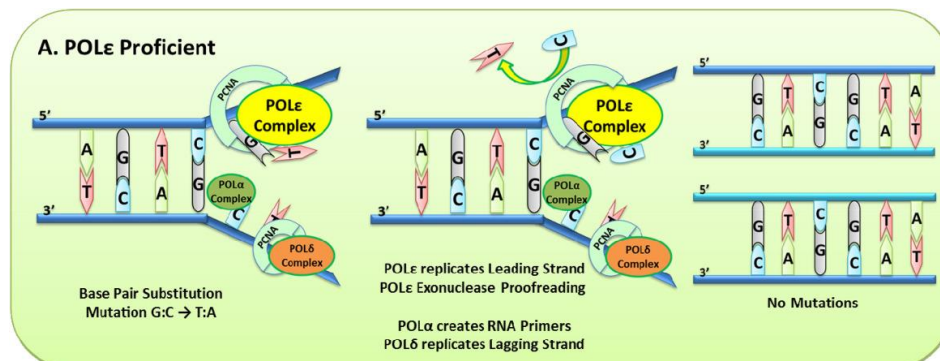
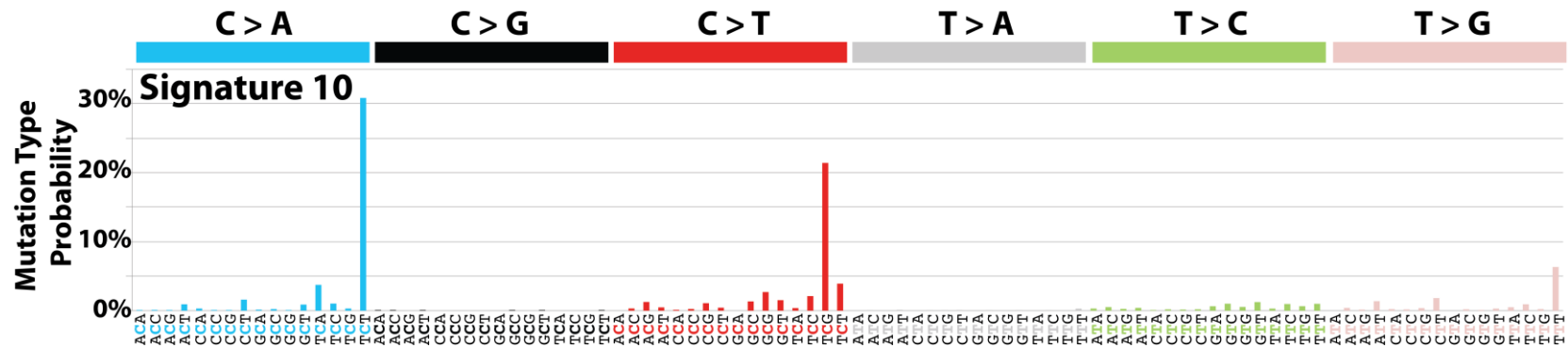
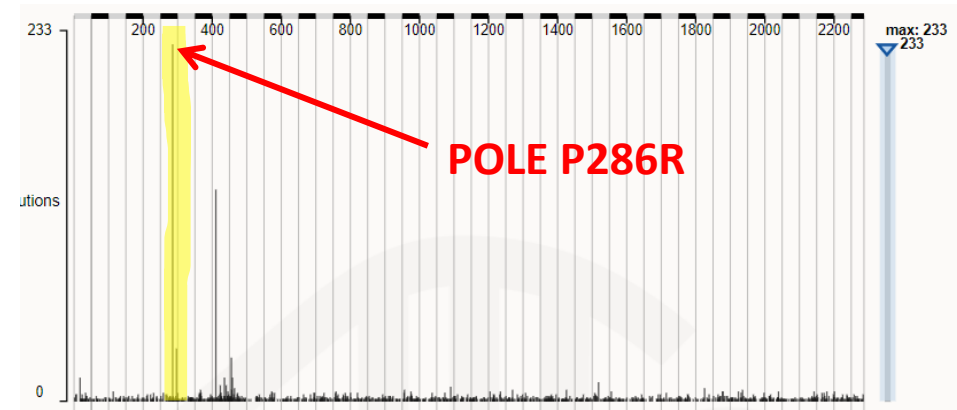
MSH2

p.E580*

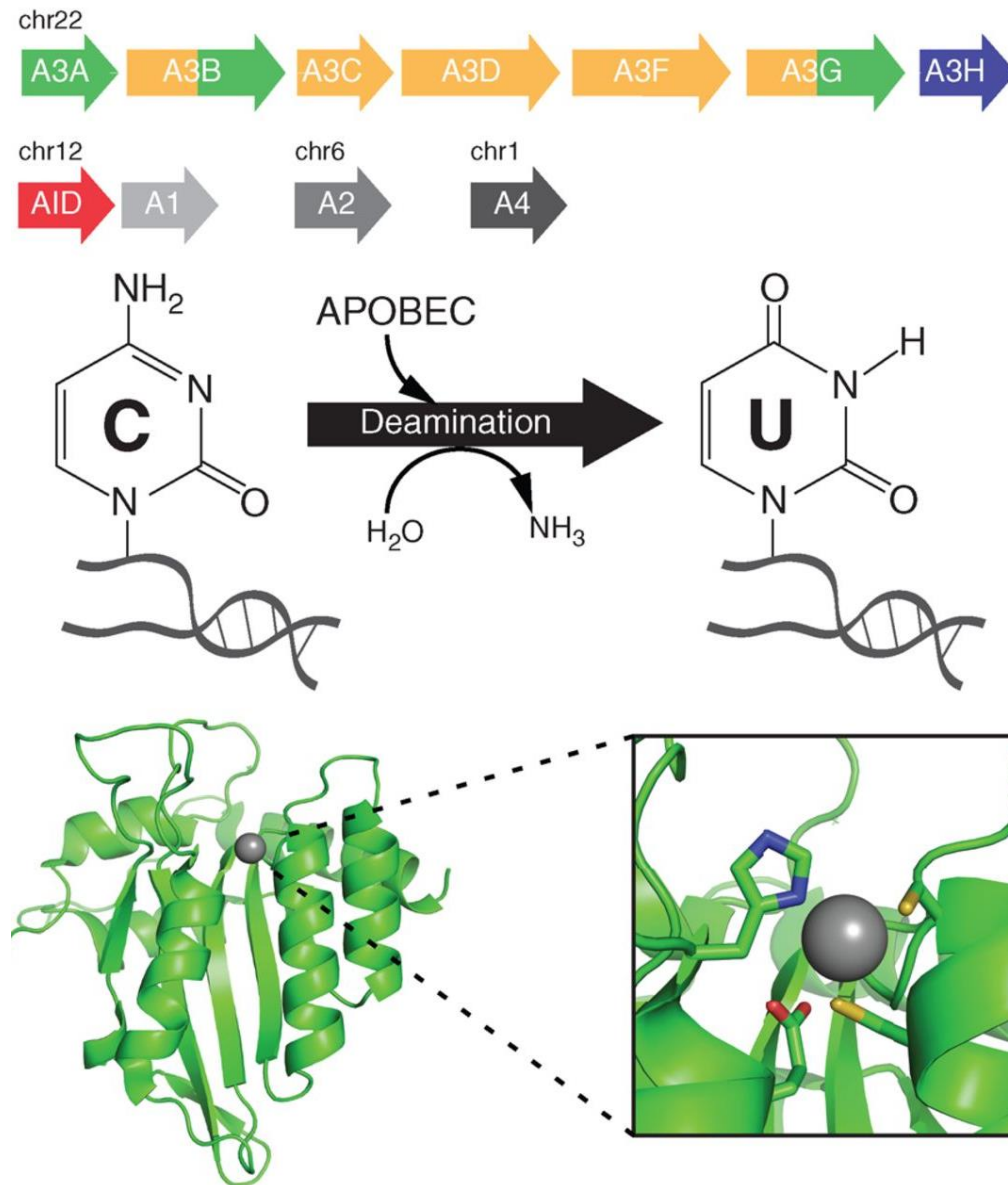
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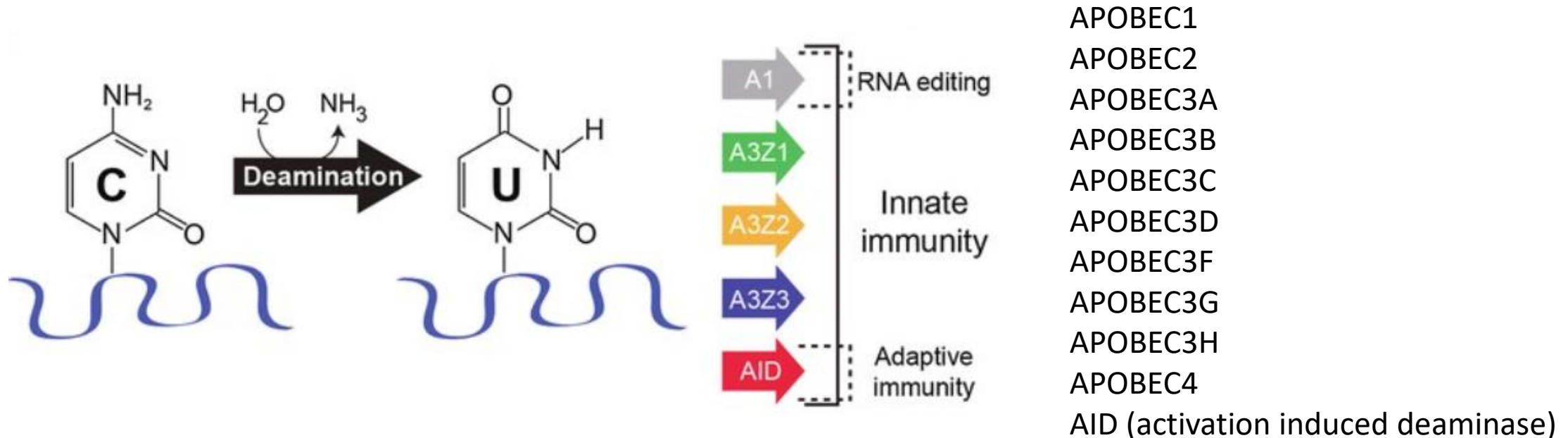


Cells are able to actively induce mutations

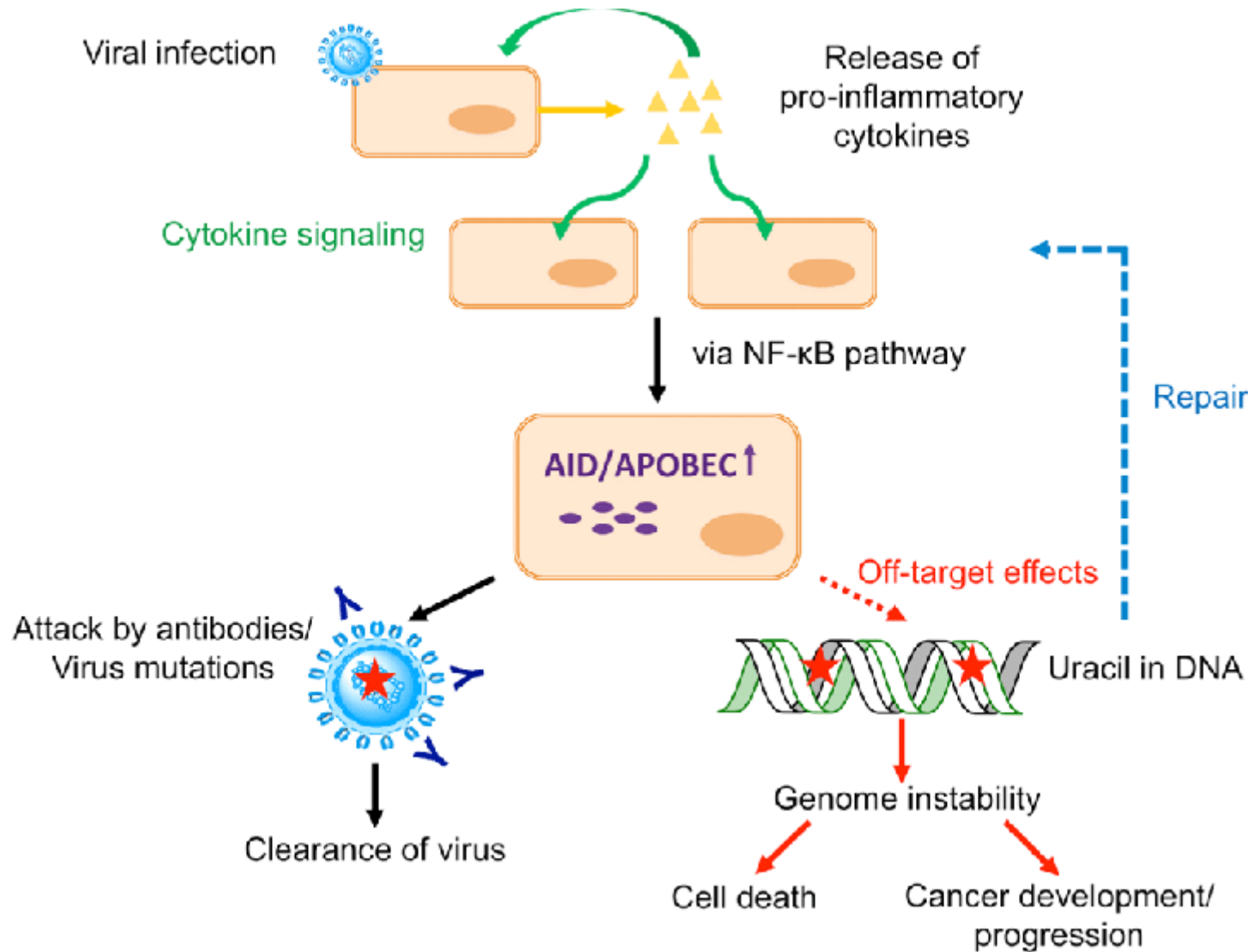


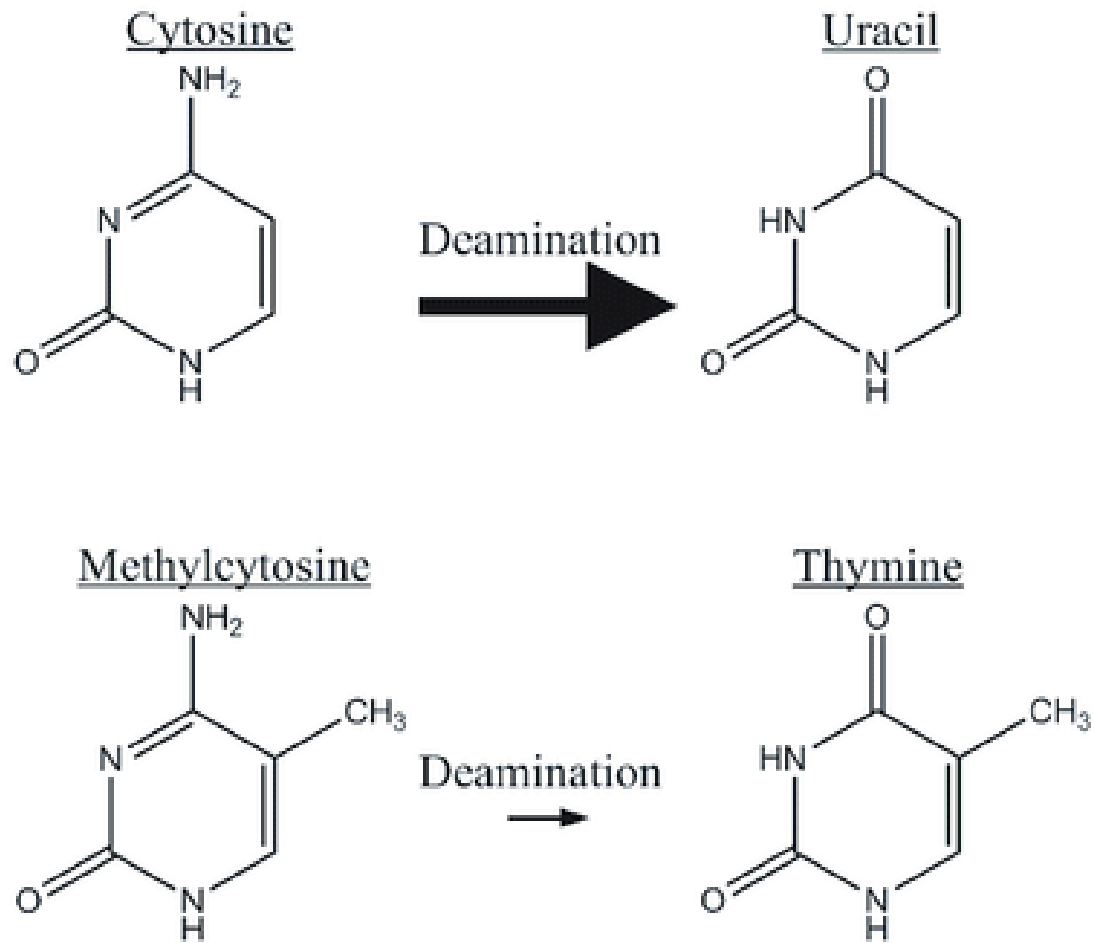
APOBEC family members

- APOBEC ("apolipoprotein B mRNA editing enzyme, catalytic polypeptide-like") is a family of evolutionarily conserved cytidine deaminases.
- Discovered due to their ability to eliminate HIV infection
- When misregulated, are a major source of mutation in numerous cancer types.
- AID is a part of adaptive immunity; it is responsible for hypermutation of variable immunoglobulin regions in lymphocytes

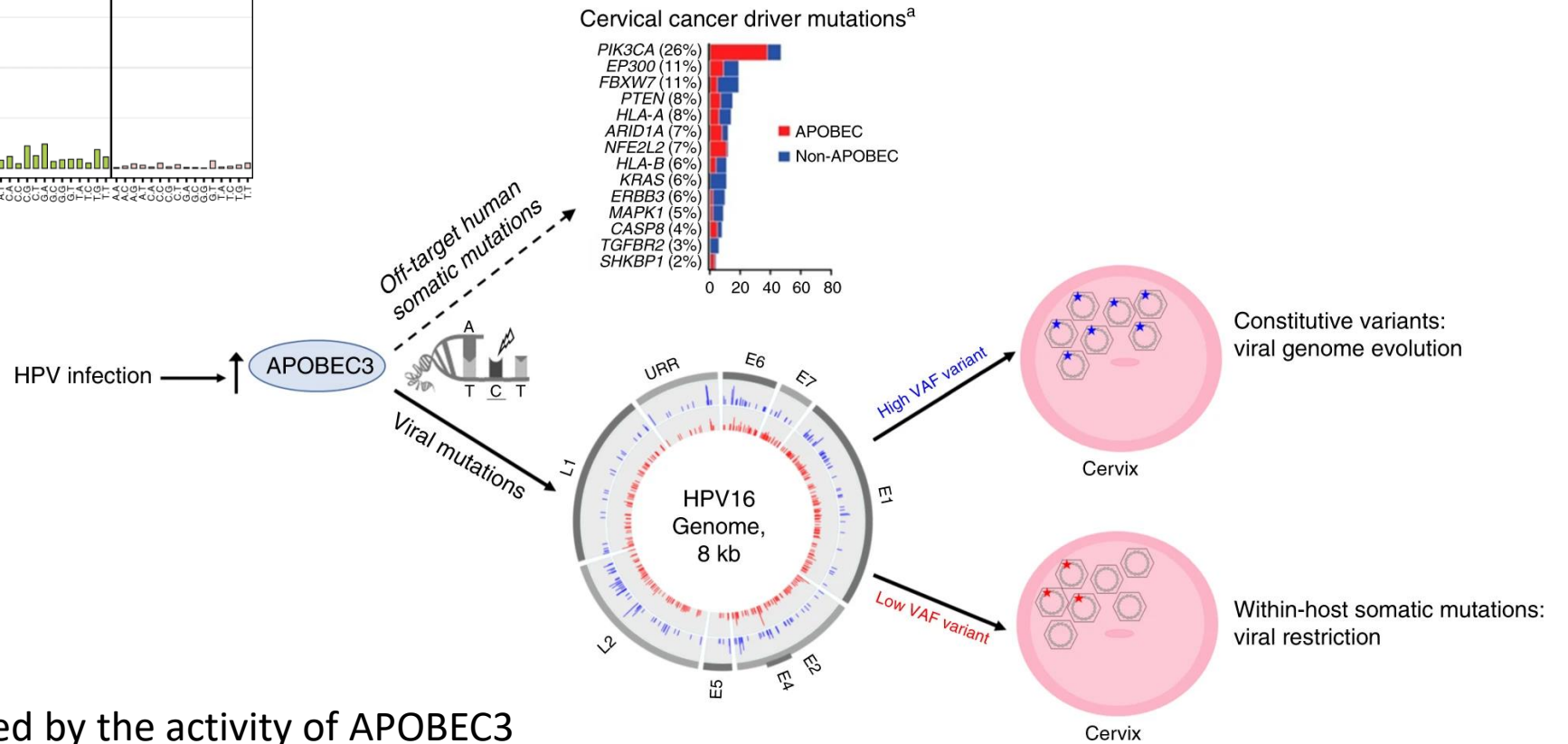
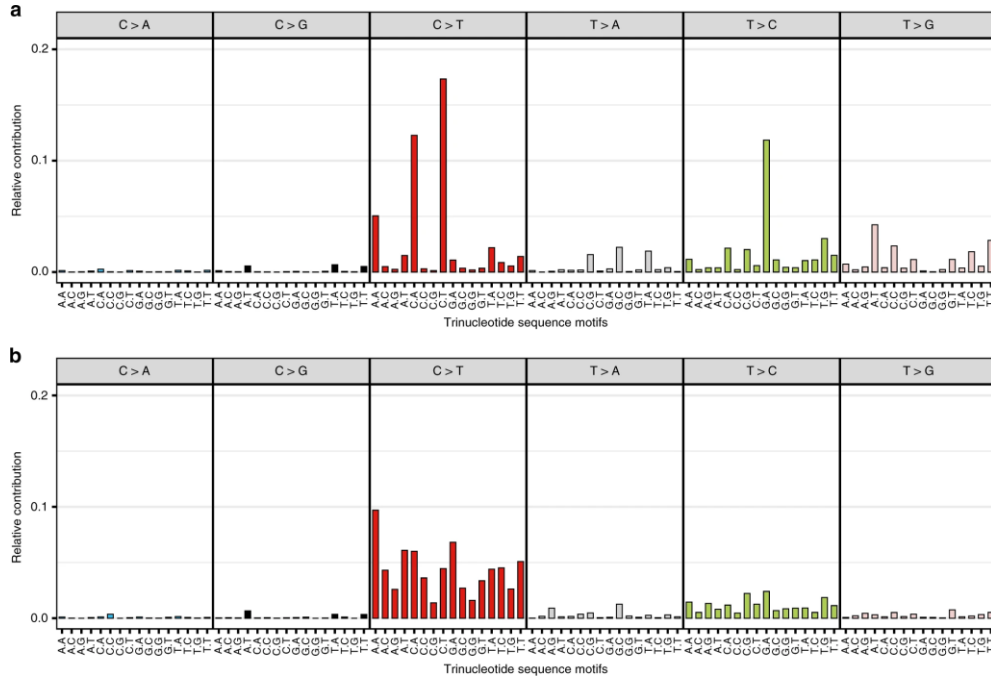


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The role of APOBEC3



The effects of mutations induced by the activity of APOBEC3

Mechanisms of innate immunity

(fast but non-specific response)

Detection of pathogenic microorganisms

- Membrane receptors
- Intracellular receptors of foreign nucleic acids
- Cytokine signalling

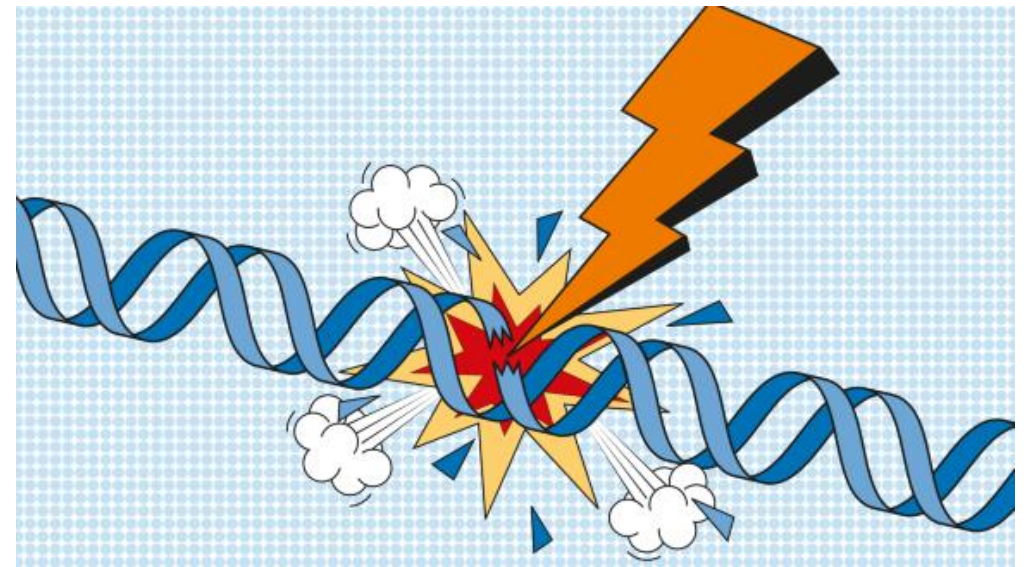


Intracellular signalling pathways

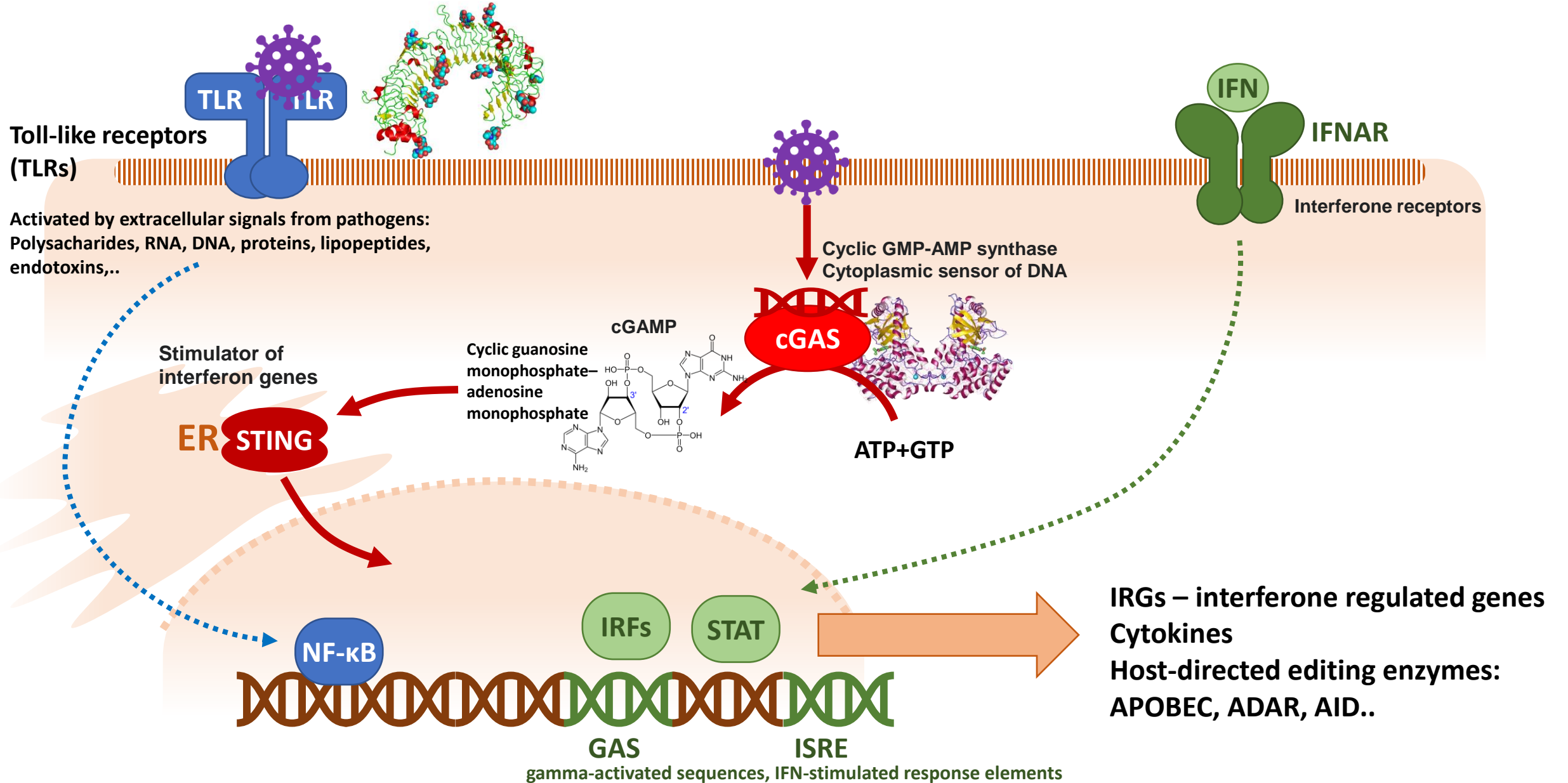


Activation of transcription / gene expression

- Expression of cytokines
- Activation of specific immune response
- Elimination of microorganisms
- Use of gene



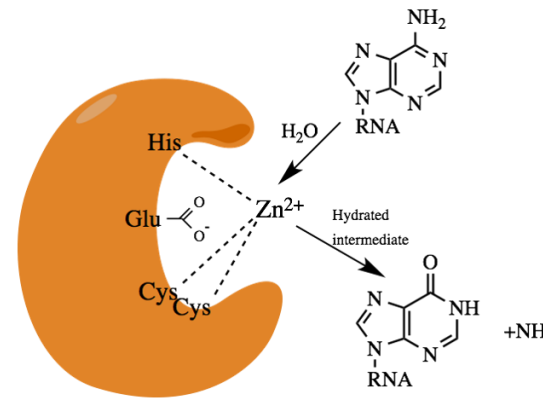
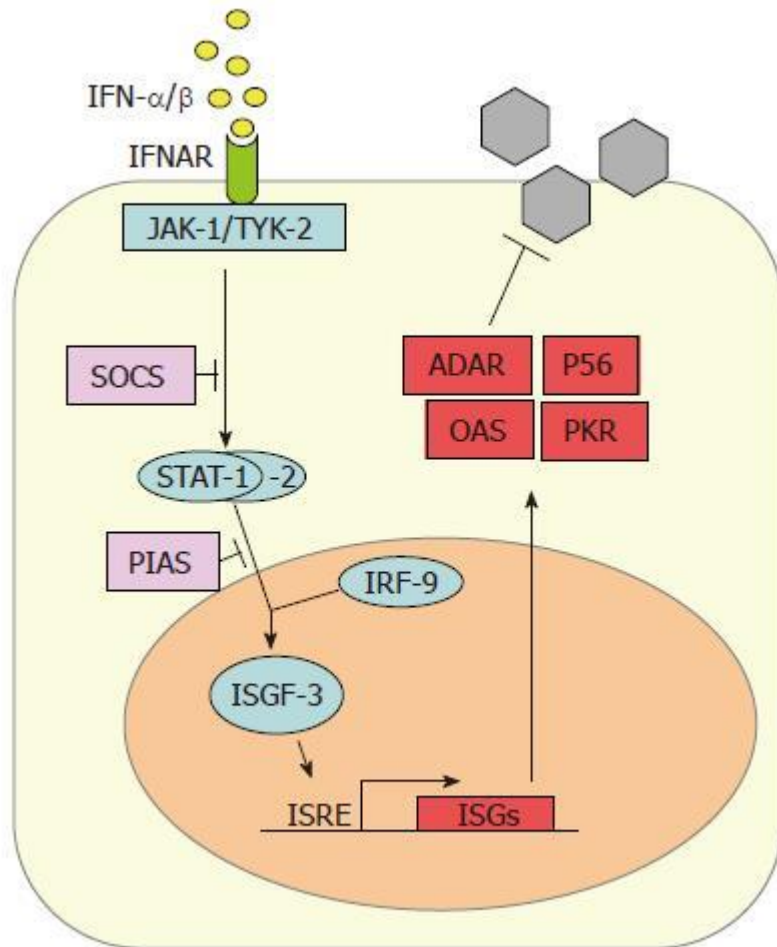
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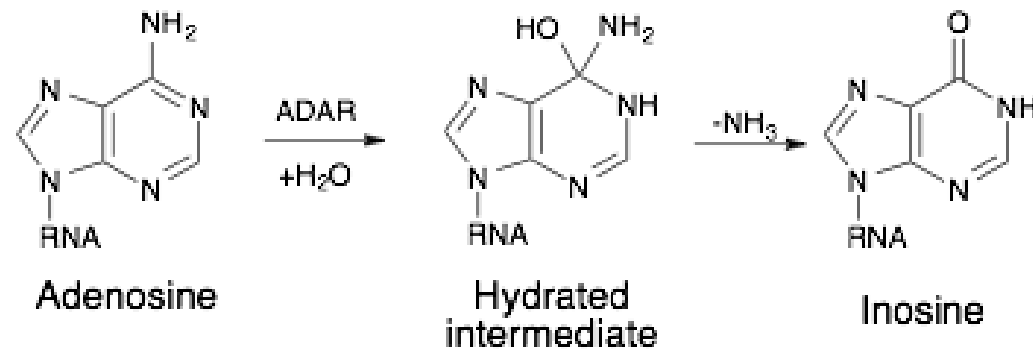
ADAR - adenosine deaminase acting on RNA

responsible for binding to double stranded RNA (dsRNA) and converting adenosine (A) to inosine (I) by deamination. ADAR protein is a RNA-binding protein, which functions in RNA-editing through post-transcriptional modification of mRNA transcripts by changing the nucleotide content of the RNA

Dysregulation associated with: Aicardi–Goutières syndrome and Bilateral Striatal Necrosis/Dystonia, cancer (HCC)



Mechanism of action:
Deamination of adenosine to inosine
Destabilize RNA
Mismatch pairing when replicated

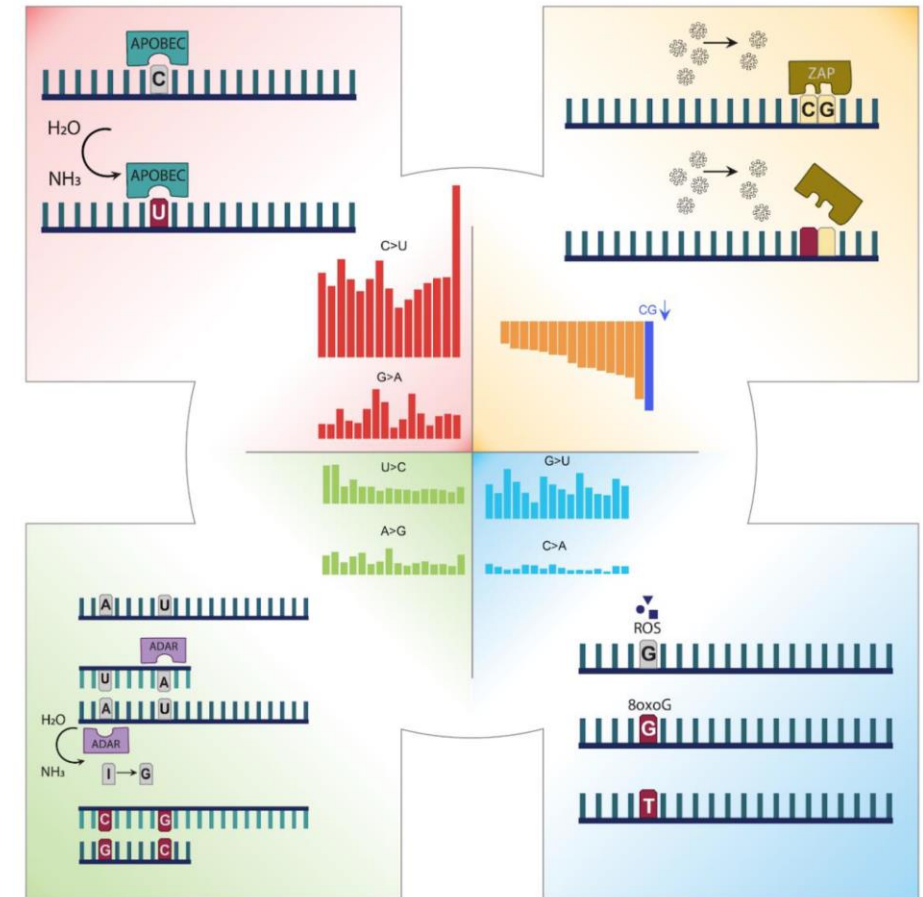
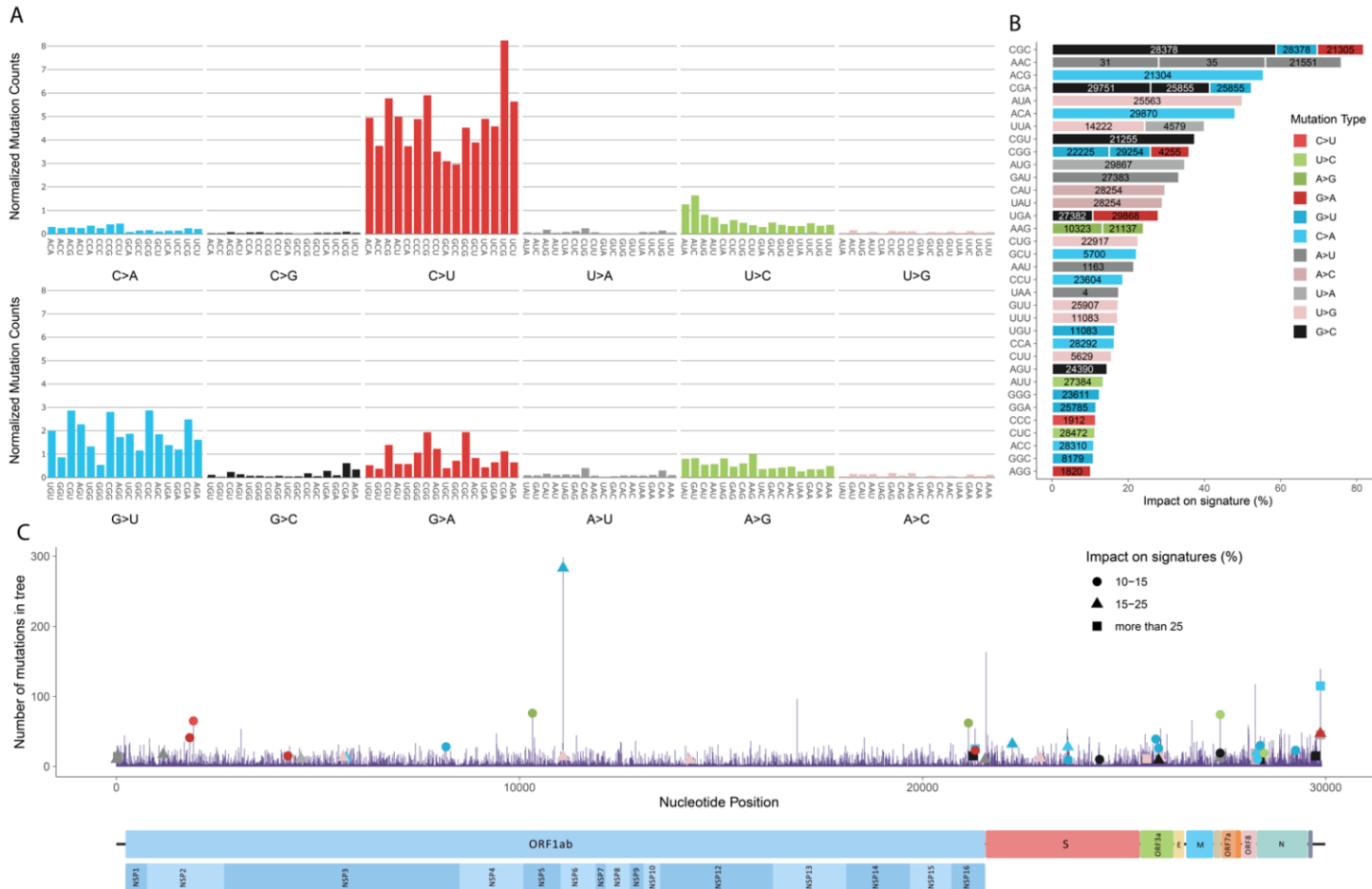


Article

The Mutation Profile of SARS-CoV-2 Is Primarily Shaped by the Host Antiviral Defense

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The results suggest that the heterogeneous mutation patterns are mainly reflections of host (i) antiviral mechanisms that are achieved through APOBEC, ADAR, and ZAP proteins, and (ii) probable adaptation against reactive oxygen species.





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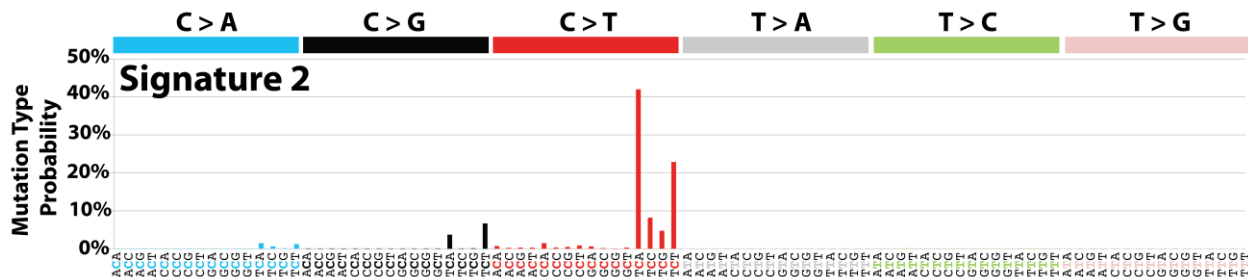
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Signatures of Mutational Processes in Human Cancer

Signature 2 has been attributed to activity of the AID/APOBEC family of cytidine deaminases.



SARS-CoV-2 genome



	2.6%	10.6%	1.4%	A
1.6%		1.6%	12.6%	C
10.9%	0.3%		1.5%	G
2.4%	36.9%	17.6%		U



changed to

ROS can oxidize guanine to oxoguanine, which pairs with A, leading to G-to-U changes.
Valyi-Nagy and Dermody (2005); Smith (2017); Graudenzi et al. (2020)

APOBEC can deaminate cytosine to uracil, leading to C-to-U changes
When: After replication, before packaging
Salter et al. (2016); Di Giorgio et al. (2020)

ADAR can deaminate adenine to inosine (I), which pairs with cytosine, leading to A-to-G changes
When: During replication
Placido et al. (2007); Bass (2002)

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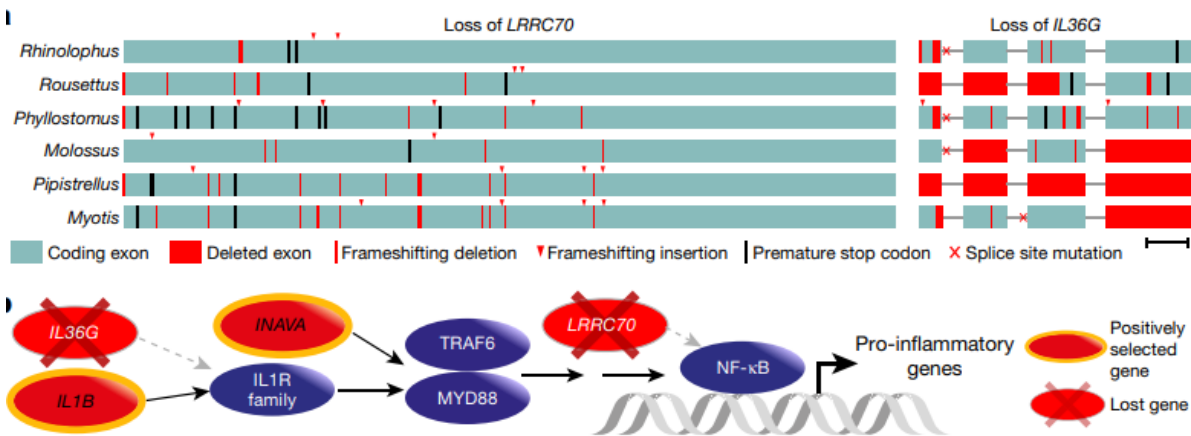
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Loss of genes in NF-κB signalling pathway



Expansion of the APOBEC3 gene locus

