

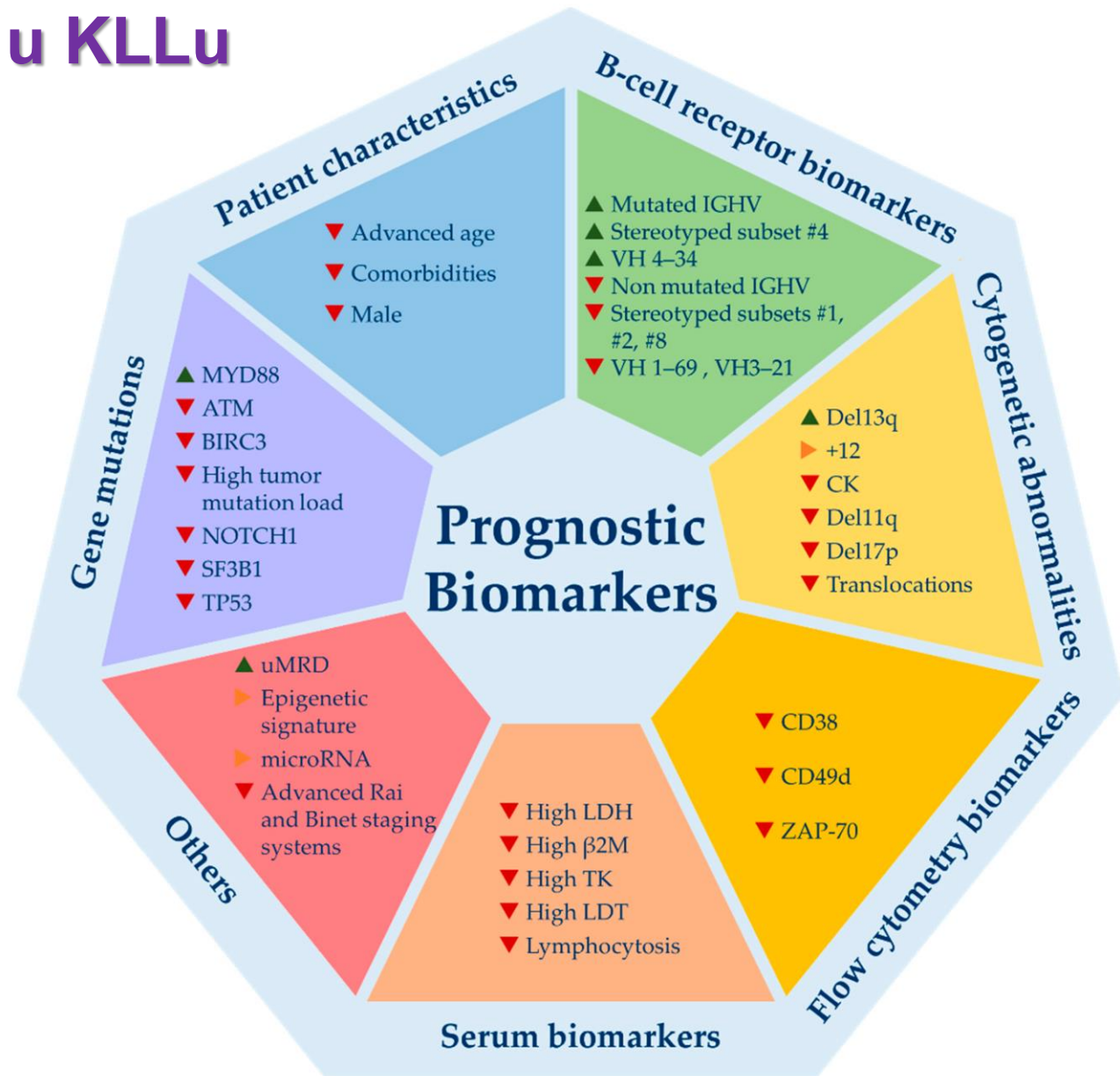
# Molekularna dijagnostika KLL-a

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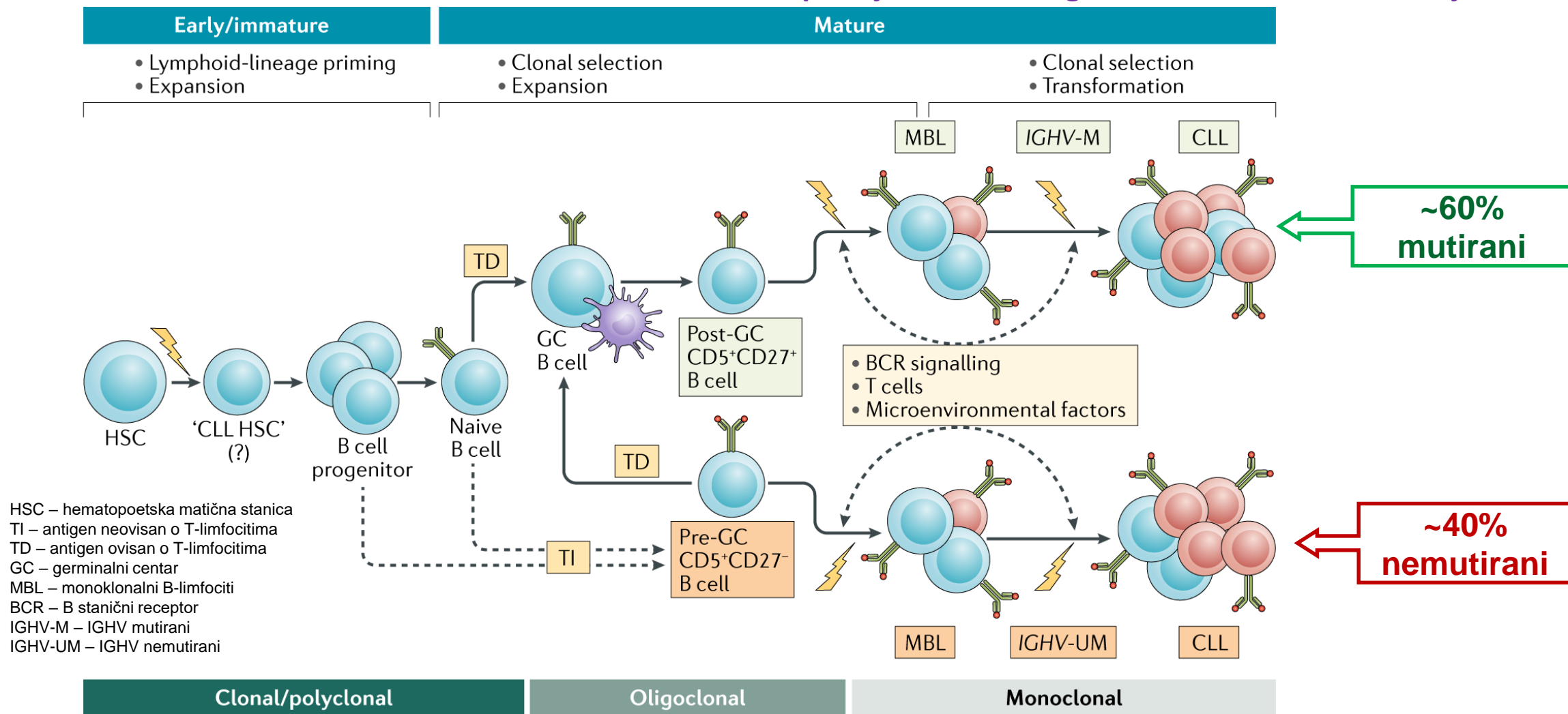
# Prognostički biomarkeri u KLLu

- ✓ B stanični biomarkeri
  - ✓ IGHV mutacijski status
  - ✓ Stereotip BcR (subset)
- ✓ Mutacije u genima
  - ✓ **TP53**
  - ✓ **BTK**
  - ✓ **BCL2**
  - ✓ **PLCG2**
  - ✓ **NOTCH1**
  - ✓ **SF3B1**
  - ✓ ...



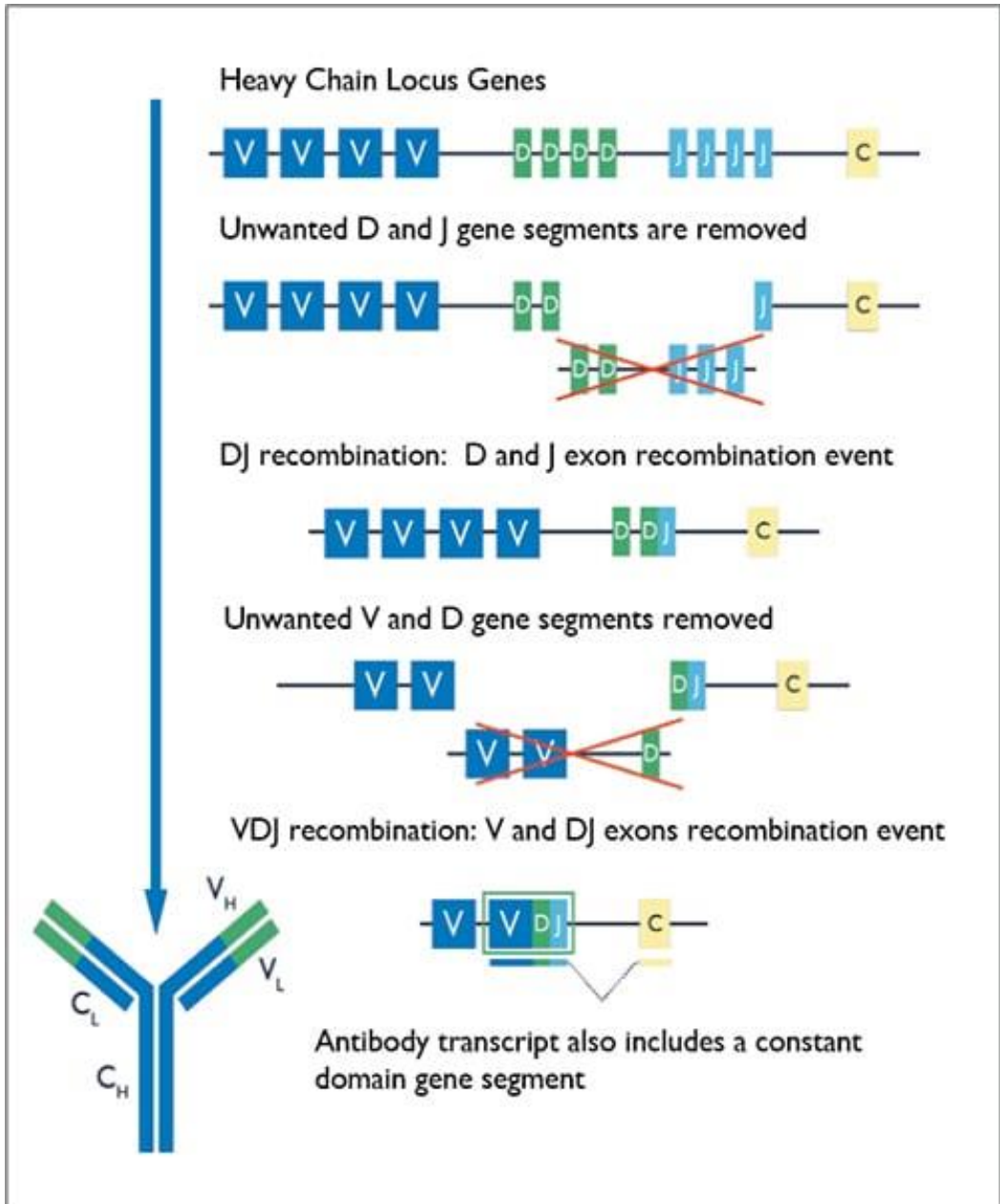
# Nastanak zloćudnog B staničnog klona

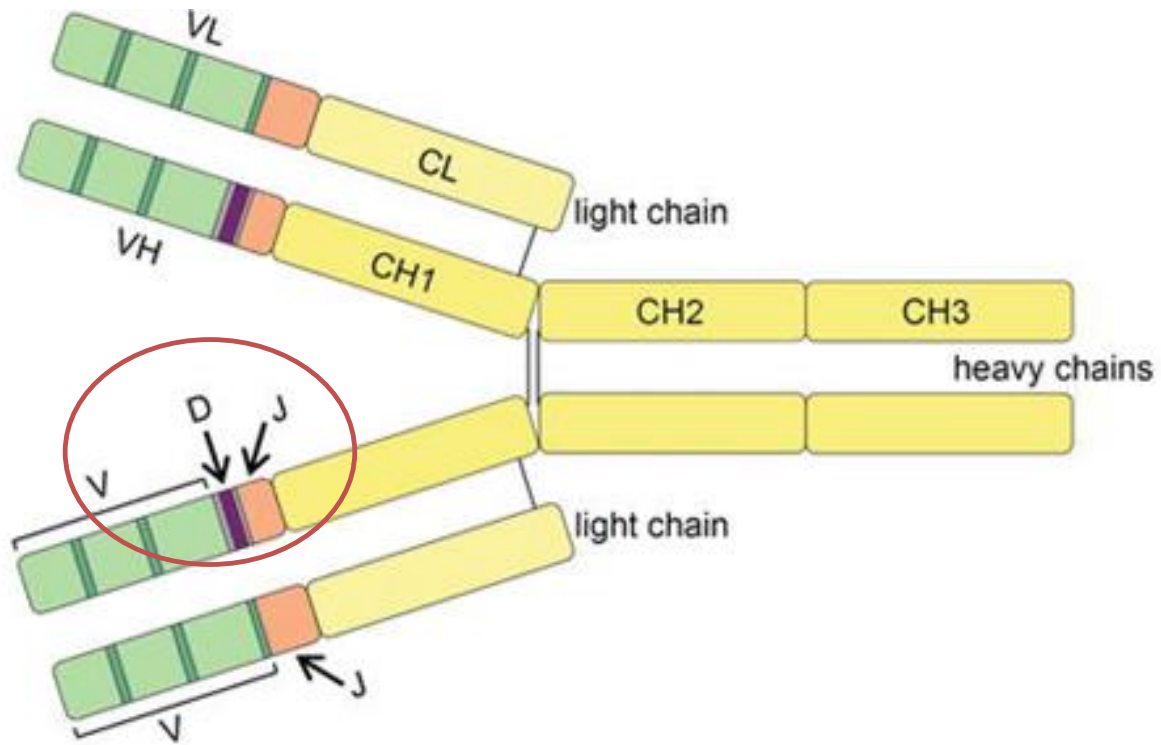
- podrijetlo zloćudnog klona definira IGHV mutacijski status



# Preuredba teškog lanca imunoglobulina (IGH)

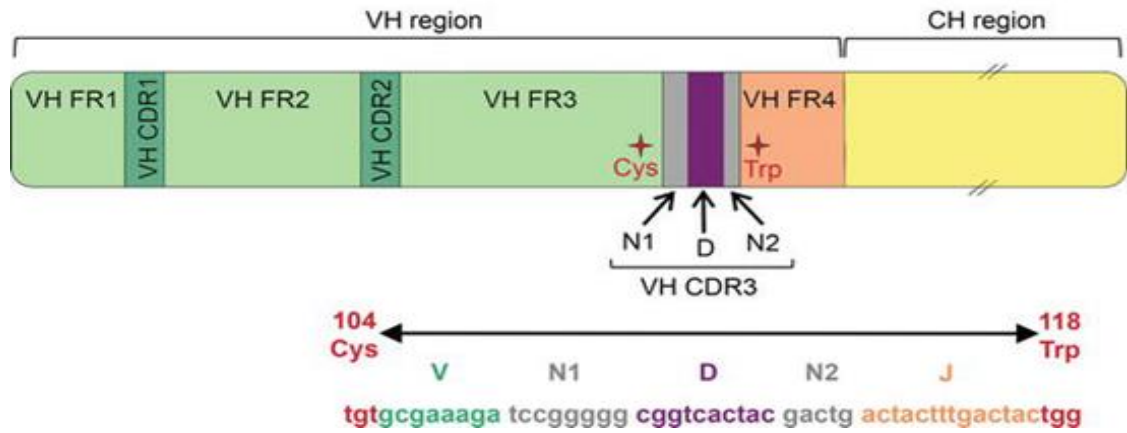
- ✓ teški lanac imunoglobulina (IGH)
- ✓ gen se nalazi na 14 kromosomu
- ✓ preuredba počinje rekombinacijom na razini DNA
- ✓ stvara se jedinstvena struktura preuređenog gena
  - ✓ IGHV-IGHD-IGHJ
- ✓ proces somatske hipermutacije





Svaki neoplastični klon ima svoj jedinstveni „BARKOD“

IGHV-IGHD-IGHJ



# Standardizirani protokol

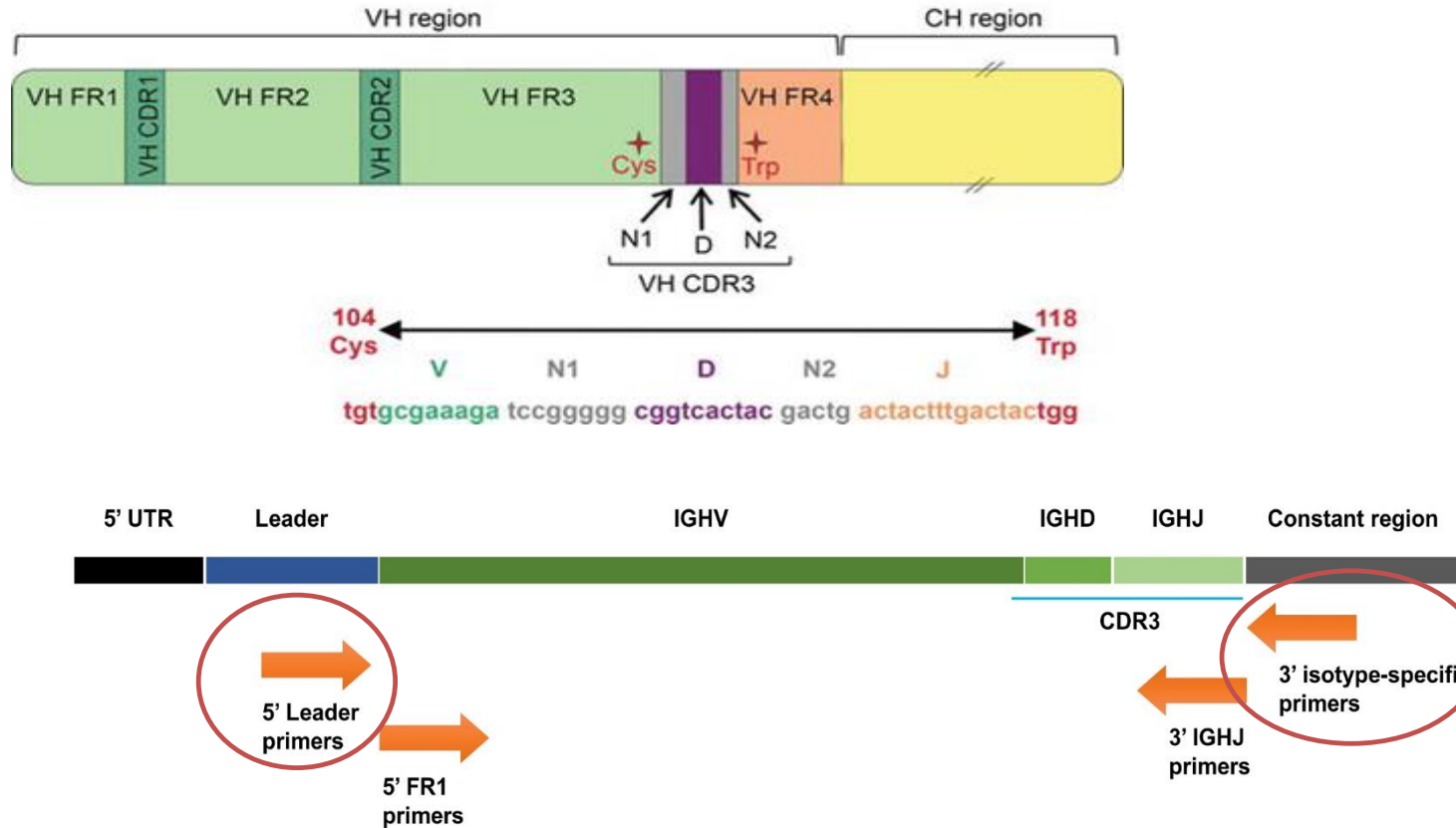
**EDITORIAL**

## Immunoglobulin gene sequence analysis in chronic lymphocytic leukemia: updated ERIC recommendations

*Leukemia* (2017) **31**, 1477–1481; doi:10.1038/leu.2017.125



<https://www.krohem.hr/2020/10/12/mutirano-igh-u-bolesnika-s-kl/>



**GOOD  
LABORATORY  
PRACTICE**

eric  
european research initiative on CLL  
IG Certified Center

## Diploma

Internal ERIC certification on the assessment of *IG* mutations  
University Hospital Centre Zagreb

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PASS: The laboratory meets ERIC standards for *IG* mutation detection. In 5 CLL samples *IG* mutation status was assessed and interpreted correctly.

14 July 2021

Valid for 3 years

Paolo Ghia

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57001, Thessaloniki, Greece

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75013 Paris, France

# IGHV mutacijski status

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>ig_
ggatctagactcttttgggtggcagcagccacaggtgccactccaggtccagcttg
cagctctgggctgaggtgaagaagcctggggcctcaatgaagtttctgcaaggctt
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aactttgactactggggccaggggaaccctggtcaccgttcctcaggt
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✓ uvijek mora biti  
PRODUKTIVNA preuredba

podudarnost sa  
sekvencom gena IGHV

Result summary:	Productive IGH rearranged sequence (no stop codon and in-frame junction)		
V-GENE and allele	<a href="#">Homsap IGHV1-3*01 F</a>	score = 1422	identity = 99.31% (286/288 nt)
J-GENE and allele	<a href="#">Homsap IGHJ4*02 F</a>	score = 195	identity = 89.58% (43/48 nt)
D-GENE and allele by IMGT/JunctionAnalysis	<a href="#">Homsap IGHD6-19*01 F</a>	D-REGION is in reading frame 3	
FR-IMGT lengths, CDR-IMGT lengths and AA JUNCTION	[25.17.38.11]	[8.8.13]	CAREQWLVRVNFYD

VH obitelj gena

JH obitelj gena

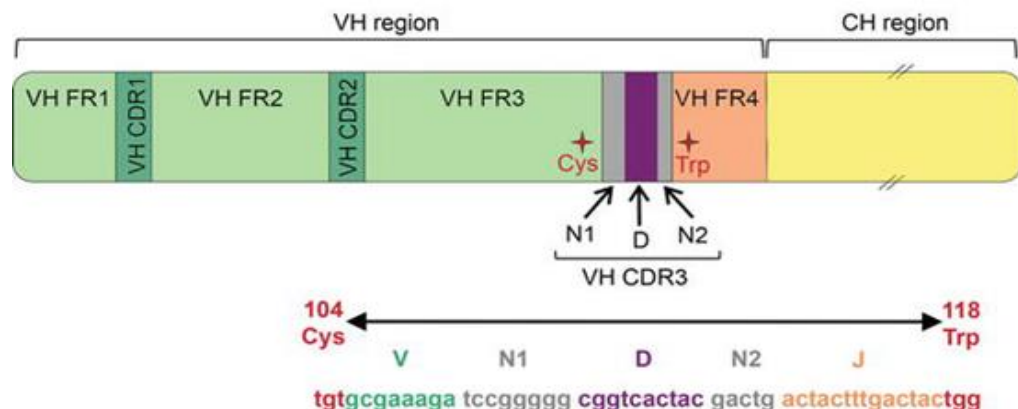
DH obitelj gena

Aminokiselinski slijed  
od C<sup>104</sup> do W<sup>118</sup>

**MUTIRANI** ← < 98 % - podudarnost sa sekvencom gena IGHV- > 98% → **NEMUTIRANI**

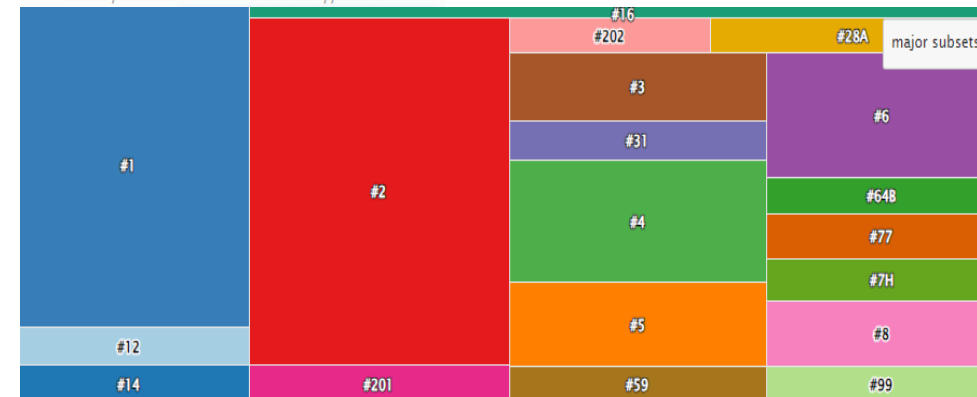
# Podskupine zloćudnog B staničnog klona

- podkupina (subset) zloćudnog klona definirana je aminokiselinskim slijedom u CDR3 regiji između Cys<sup>104</sup> i Trp<sup>118</sup>



## Encyclopedia of CLL Subsets

a unique knowledgebase and novel bioinformatics tools towards personalised biomedical and clinical applications



104	105	106	107	108	109	114	115	116	117	118	Frame	CDR3- IMGT length	Molecular mass	pI	PhysicoChemical Descriptor
C	A	R	D	Q	N	G	M	D	V	W	+	9	1,294.43	4.44	<a href="#">CARDQNGMDW</a>
ig_	tgt	gcg	aga	gac	cag	aac	ggt	atg	gac	gtc	tgg	+			

Be aware that some allele reference sequences may be incomplete or from cDNAs. In those cases, IMGT/JunctionAnalysis uses automatically the allele \*01 for the analysis of the JUNCTION.

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ig_	tgt	gcg	aga	gat	tat	acg	tat	tac	gat	ttt	tgg	agt	ggt	tat	acg	ggt	tac	tac	tac	tac	ggt	atg	gac	gtc	tgg	+				

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# Stereotipovi BcR u KLLu - podskupina

## REVIEW

## Antigen receptor stereotypy in chronic lymphocytic leukemia

K Stamatopoulos<sup>1,2</sup>, A Agathangelidis<sup>1,3</sup>, R Rosenquist<sup>2</sup> and P Ghia<sup>3</sup>

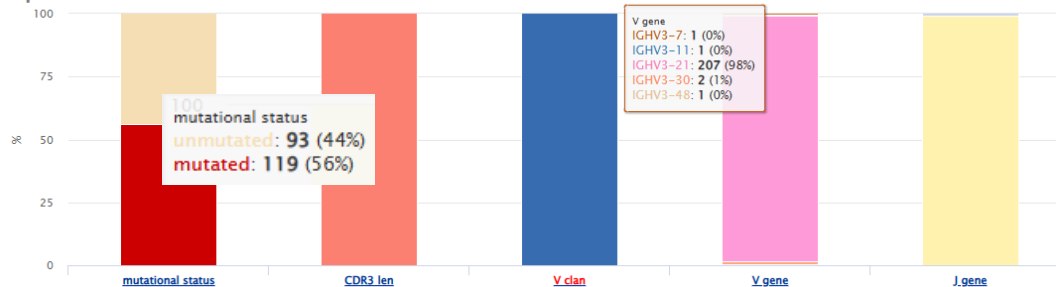
MUTACIJSKI STATUS IgHV

Mutiran ( 96,88% podudarnosti sa sekvencom gena IGHV3-21\*01 u zametnim stanicama). Dokazan je produktivan gen IGHV3-21\*01/ IGHD2-2\*01/ IGHJ6\*02 koji ima podudarnost od 96,88% sa sekvencom gena IGHV3-21\*01 u zametnim stanicama.  
 Mišljenje:  
 Kod bolesnika je utvrđen mutirani gen IGHV3-21\*01/ IGHD2-2\*01/ IGHJ6\*02 koji pripada podtipu (subset) #2 te je povezan s NEPOVOLJNOM prognozom kronične limfatične leukemije.  
 Obrazloženje:  
 Granična vrijednost podudarnosti sa sekvencom gena IGHV za svrstavanje slučajeva KLL u prognostičke skupine je 98% stoga je mutacijski status gena IGHV definiran kao nemutirani ukoliko je podudarnost sa sekvencom gena IGHV veća od 98% odnosno kao mutirani ako je podudarnost manja od 98%.  
 Preuredba gena u ovom uzorku pripada podskupini #2 te ukazuje na nepovoljnu prognozu bolesti.

MUTACIJSKI STATUS IgHV podskupina

x	cases	mutational status	V clan	CDR3 len	V gene	J gene	sequence logo
#2	212	mixed	clanIII	9	IGHV3-21	IGHJ6	

barplot overview



2.4% of all CLL

Very aggressive (TTFT 1-9 years)

U-CLL

Significantly up-regulated EZH2 levels

Recurrent *NFKB1* gene mutations

Pronounced BcR and TLR signaling



2.8 % of all CLL

Very aggressive (TTFT 1-6 years)

Both U-CLL and M-CLL

High incidence of del(11)(q22q23)

Significant enrichment of *SF3B1* mutations

Low frequency of *TP53* aberrations



1% of all CLL

Very indolent (TTFT 11 years)

M-CLL

Few genetic aberrations

Ongoing SHM

IG features of anti-DNA Abs

Signature of B-cell anergy



0.5% of all CLL

Very aggressive-highest risk for RT (TTFT 1-5 years)

U-CLL

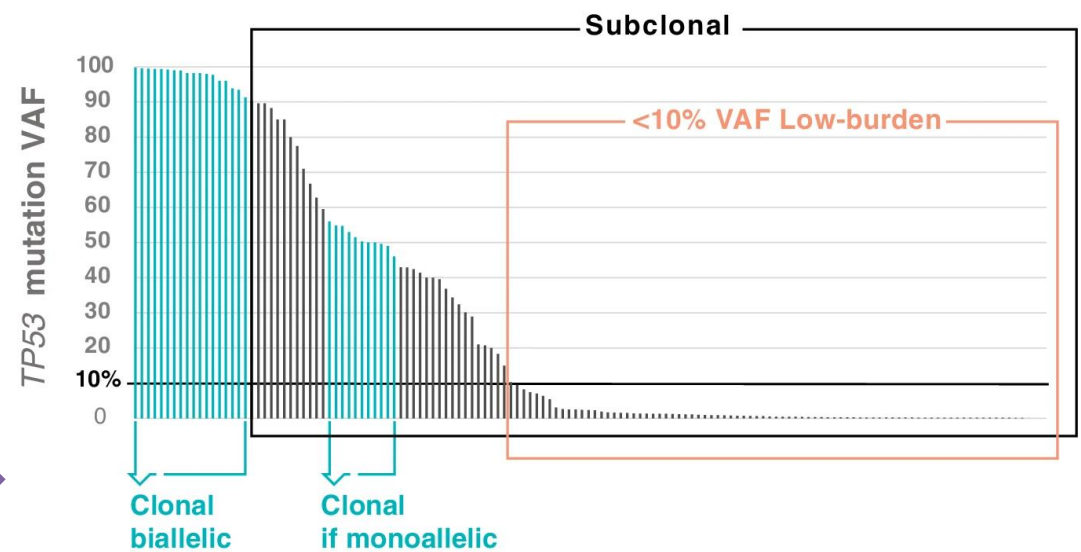
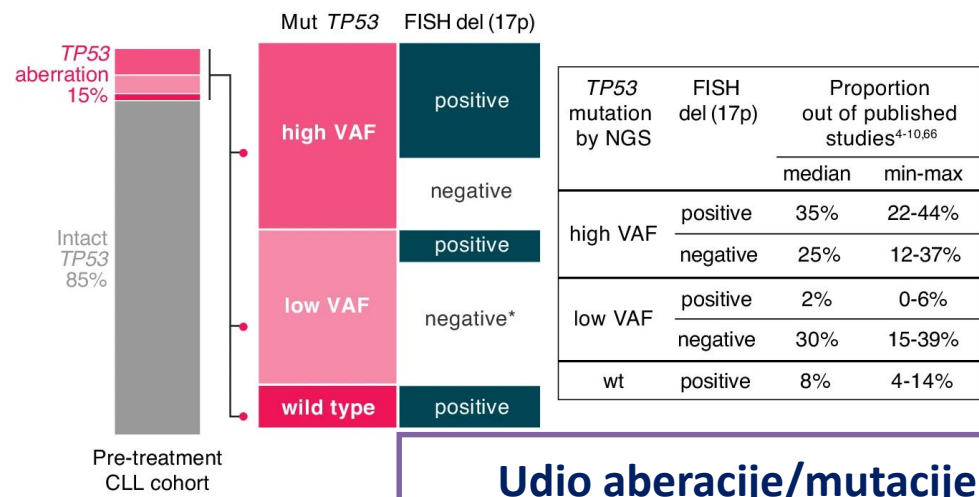
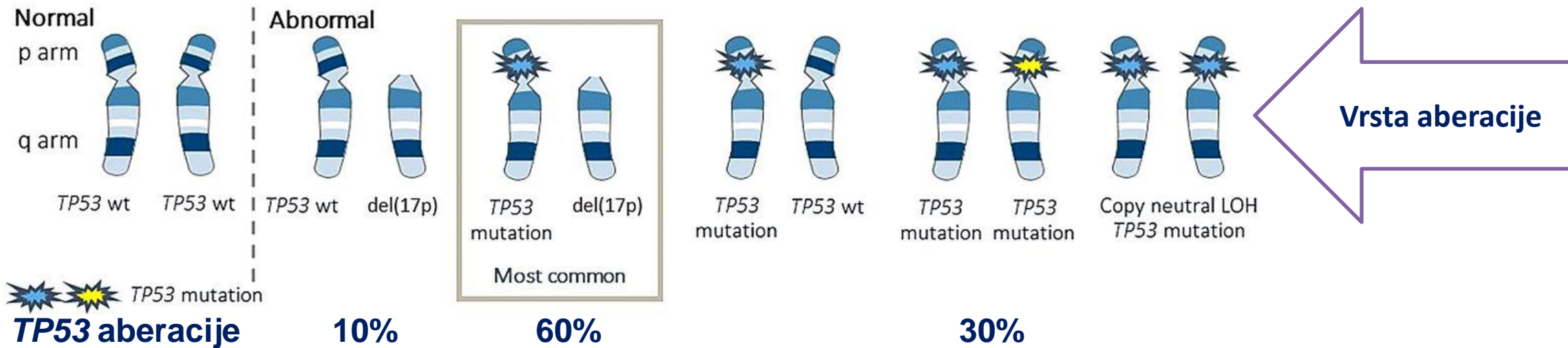
High frequency of trisomy 12

Prevalence of *NOTCH1* mutations

Promiscuous antigen binding reactivity

Stamatopoulos K, Agathangelidis A, Rosenquist R, Ghia P. Antigen receptor stereotypy in chronic lymphocytic leukemia. *Leukemia*. 2017 Feb;31(2):282-291.

# Tumor protein 53 – TP53

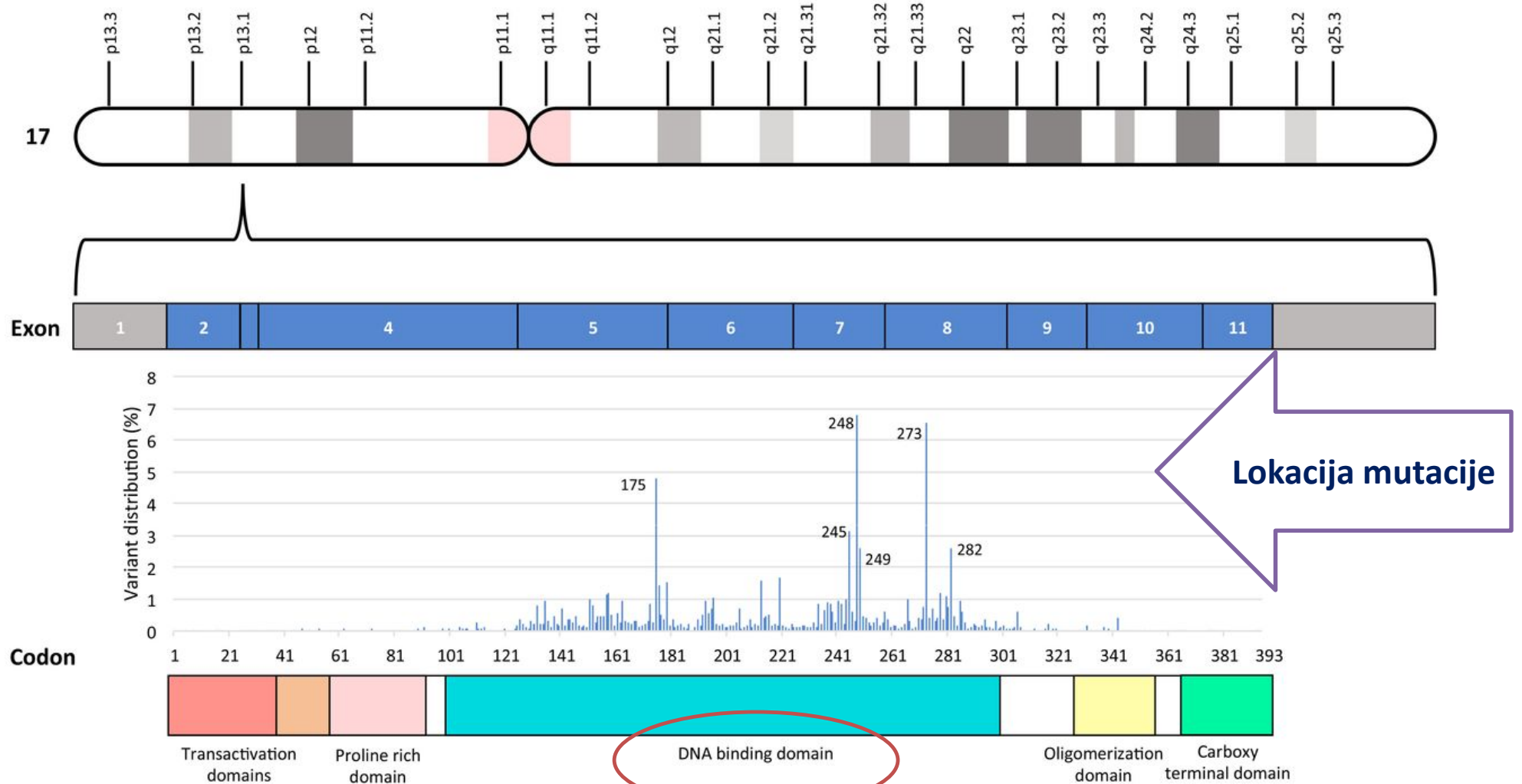


# TP53 mutacijski status

Relaps

30-70%

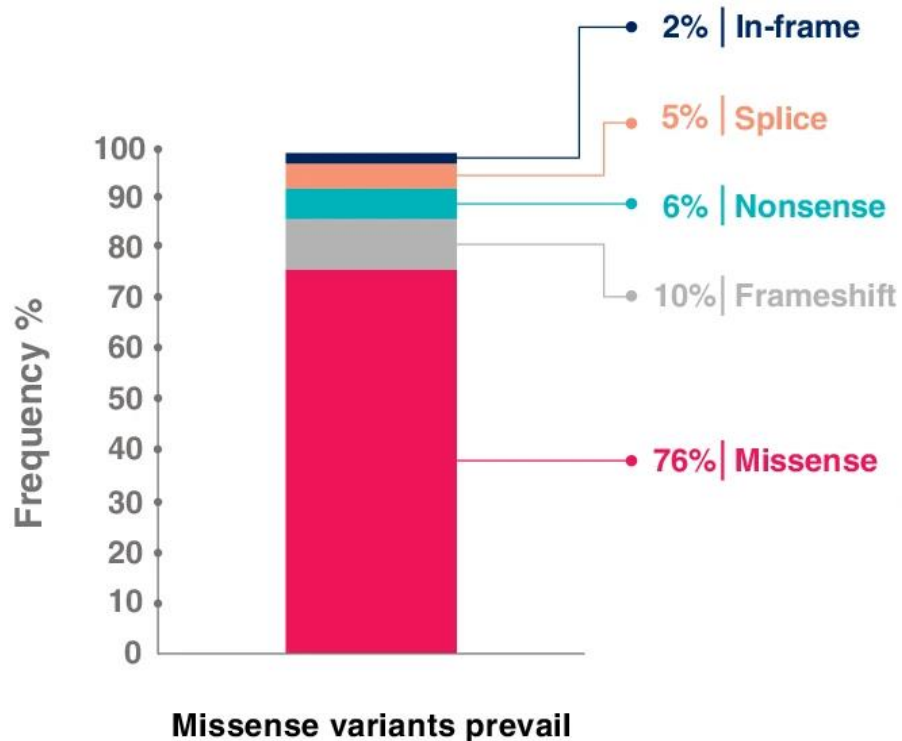
5-15%  
Dijagnoza



## ERIC recommendations for *TP53* mutation analysis in chronic lymphocytic leukemia—update on methodological approaches and results interpretation

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## Standardizirani protokol

The TP53 database:  
<https://tp53.isb-cgc.org/>  
TP53 website:  
<http://p53.fr/>

THE TP53 WEB SITE

Welcome to the novel TP53 v...  
After 20 years of existence with more than 4 mil...  
The new TP53 website has been launched with...  
TP53 information or the TP53 mutation databas...  
Novel features and tools include the TP53 cel...  
than 80,000 TP53 mutants (2017 Release).

Percent survival

Time (months)

TP53 wild-type

Other TP53 mutations

Missense TP53 mutations in DBM

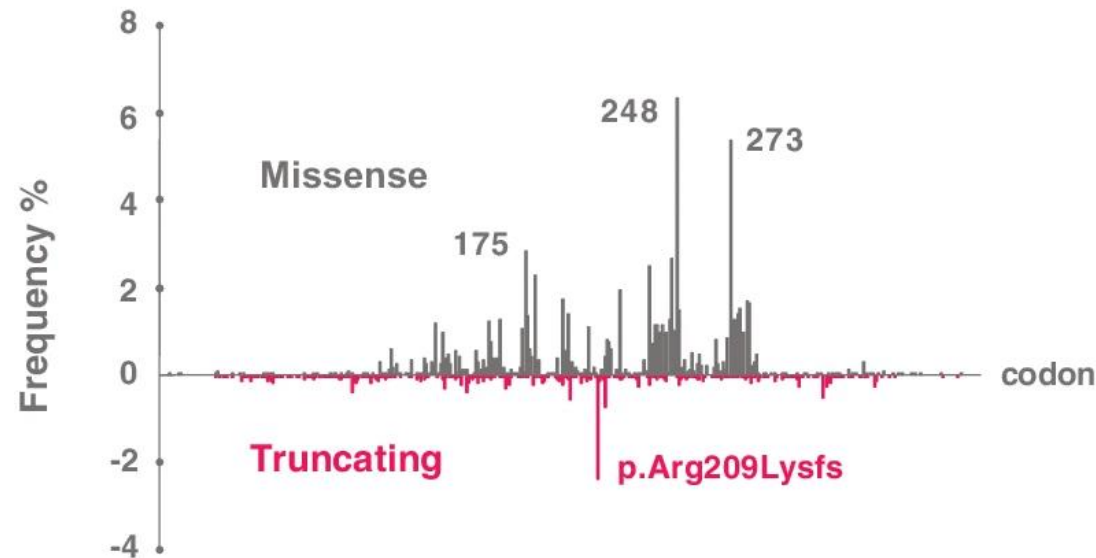
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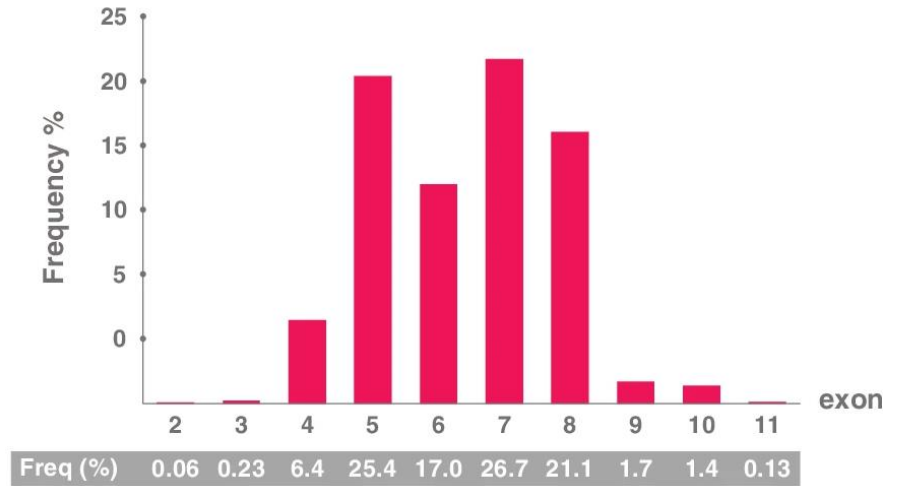
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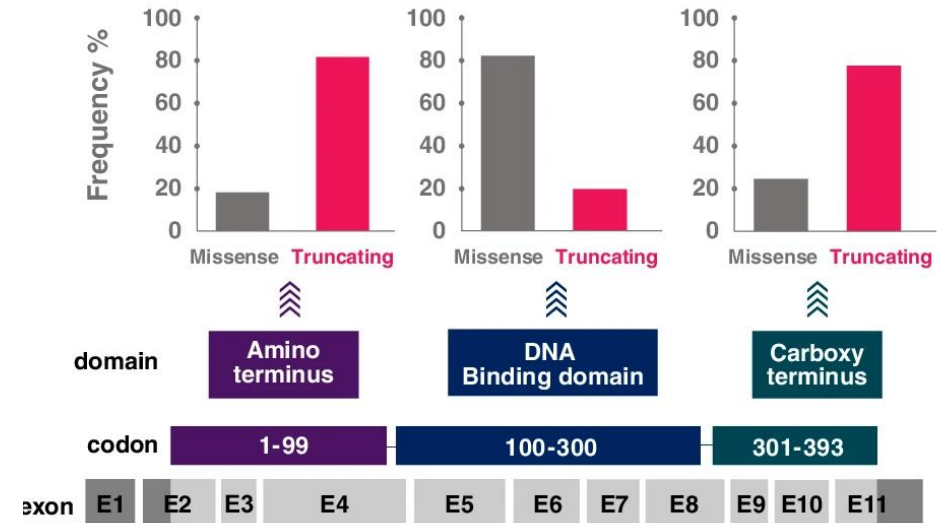
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Variants are present along the gene and cluster in hot-spots

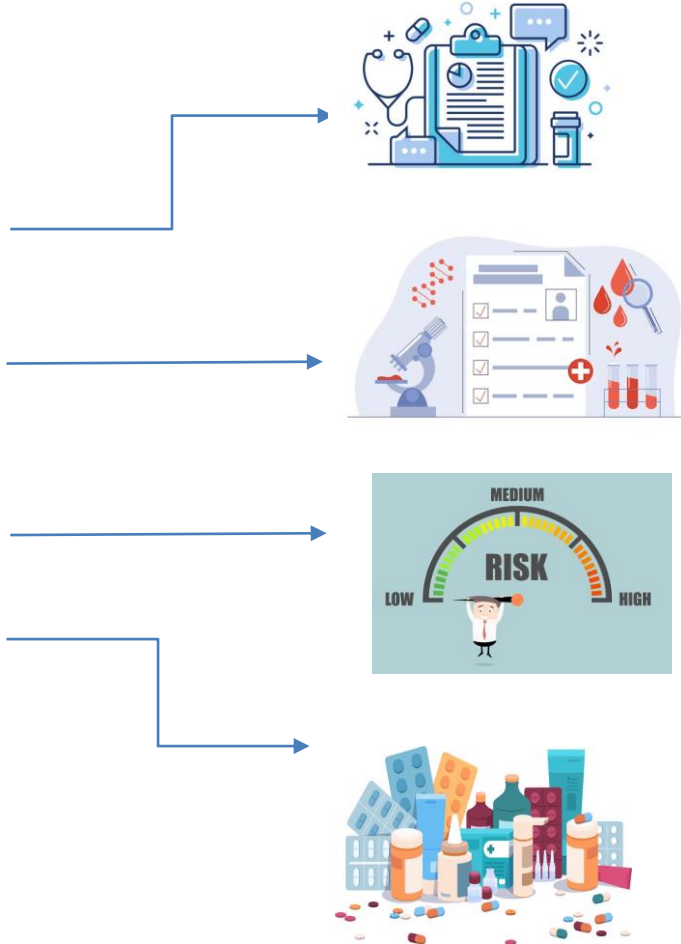


Majority of variants in exons 5-8



Truncating variants prevail in N- and C- terminus

# Putovanje KLL bolesnika od dijagnoze do ...



## Dijagnostičko/prognostički biljezi

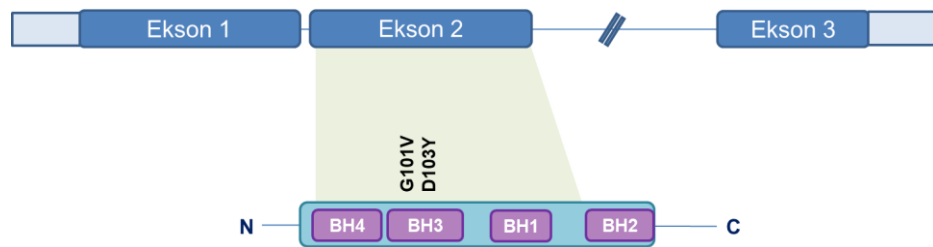
- ✓ IGHV mutacijski status
- ✓ BcR stereotip
- ✓ Del(17p), Del(11q), Del(13q),+12
- ✓ TP53 mutacijski status
- ✓ ATM, NOTCH1, SF3B1, BIRC3...
  - ✓ NFKBIE, EGR2, MYD88, XPO1, CHD2

## Prediktivni

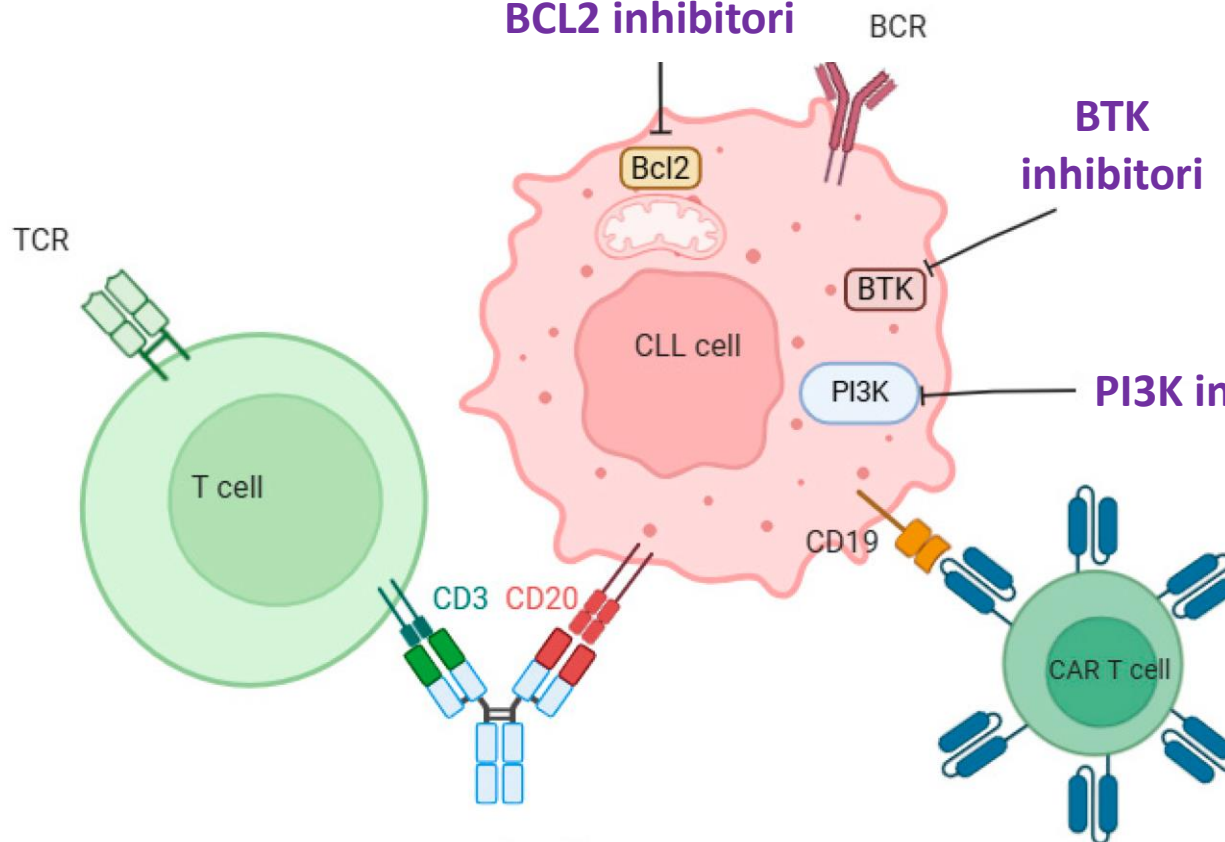
- ✓ TP53 mutacijski status
- ✓ BTK, PLCG2 mutacijski status
- ✓ BCL2 mutacijski status
- ✓ CARD11 mutacijski status

# Predikcijski biljezi za bolesnike na terapiji

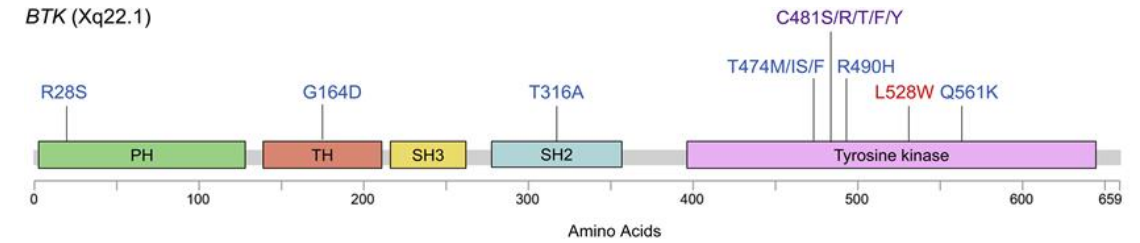
*BCL2* (18q21.33)



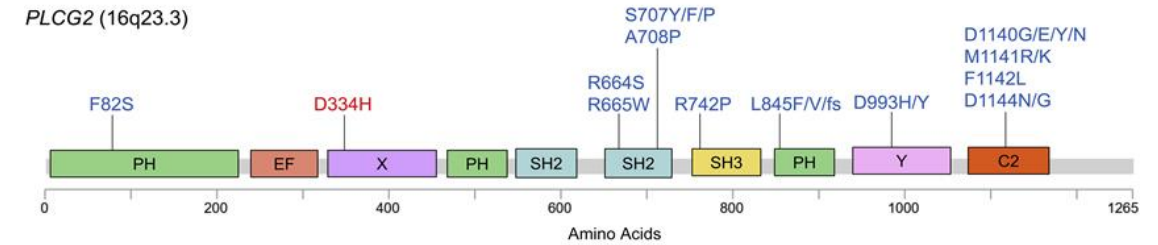
**BCL2 inhibitori**



*BTK* (Xq22.1)



*PLCG2* (16q23.3)



Associated with CLL progression  
 Associated with Richter transformation  
 Associated with both CLL and Richter transformation

✓ **TP53** mutacijski status

✓ **BCL2**

✓ G101V, D103Y

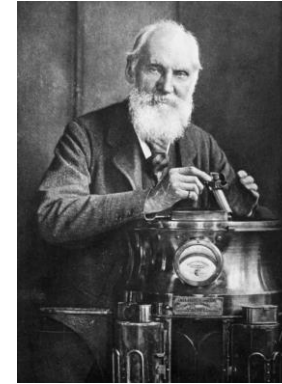
✓ **BTK**

✓ **C481**, druge mutacije u TKD

✓ **PLCG2**

## MRD – mjerljiva ostatna bolest

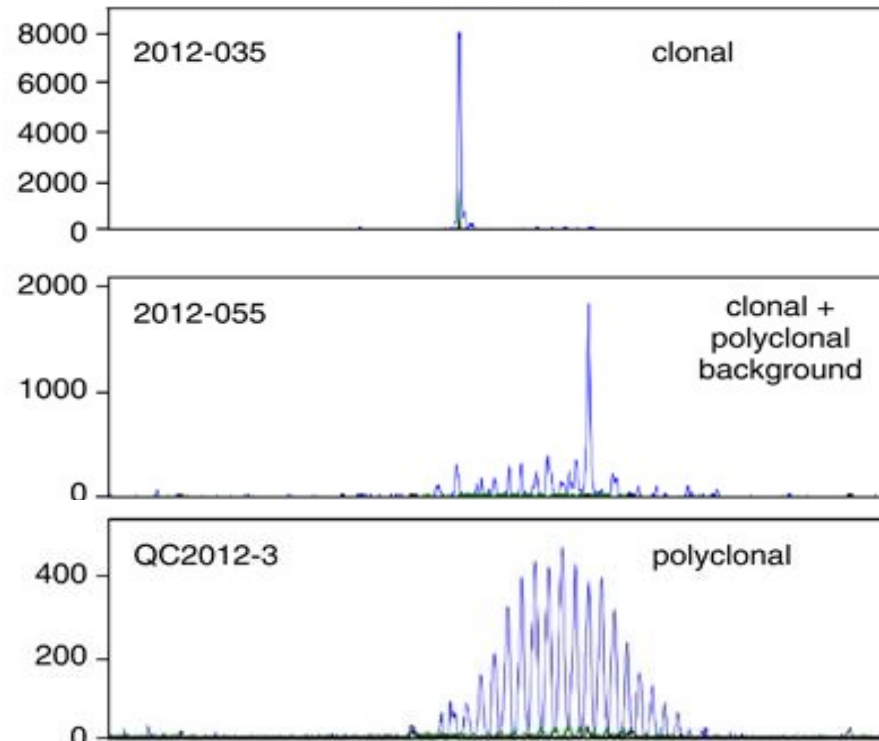
- ✓ uzorak – periferna krv
- ✓ vremenske točke
- ✓ marker – klonalnost teškog lanca (IGH)
- ✓ metoda



*“When you can measure what you are speaking about and express it in numbers, you know something about it.”*

Lord Kelvin (William Thomson), scientist

Chen, J., Gale, R.P., Hu, Y. *et al.* Measurable residual disease (MRD)-testing in haematological and solid cancers. *Leukemia* **38**, 1202–1212 (2024). <https://doi.org/10.1038/s41375-024-02252-4>



Langerak, A W et al. *Leukemia* vol. 26,10 (2012): 2159-71.

- ✓ Najsnažniji **prognostički** pokazatelj
- ✓ Definiranje **trajanja** vremenski ograničene **terapije**
- ✓ Rano **otkrivanje relapsa**
- ✓ Definiranje **odgovora na terapiju** (svakodnevna praksa, kliničke studije)

## Usporedba NGS i NGF za procjenu MRD u KLLu



	NGS (sekvenciranje)	NGF (protočna citometrija)
PRIMJENA	>90%	100%
POTREBAN DG UZORAK	DA, važna je identifikacija neoplastičnog klona	Nije neophodan
METODA	Specifična preuredba imunoglobulina se koristi za usporedbu količine u praćenju u odnosu na dijagnostički uzorak	Anormalni klonalni limfociti se identificiraju prema imunofenotipu u odnosu na normalne stanice
VRIJEME IZVOĐENJA ANALIZE	>7 dana	5h
OSJETLJIVOST	$10^{-6}$	$10^{-6}$
KOLIČINA UZORKA	3 milijuna stanica za osjetljivost $10^{-6}$	Do 10 milijuna stanica za osjetljivost $10^{-6}$
KLONALNA EVOLUCIJA	Može se detektirati	Ne može se detektirati
STANDARDIZACIJA	Komercijalne kompanije	EuroFlow konzorcij
OBRADA UZORKA	Moože se odgoditi jer analize ne ovisi o svježini uzorka	Analiza unutar 24–48 h; isključivo svježi uzorak
CIJENA	++/+++	+
KONTROLA KVALITETE	Nije standardizirana	Korelira s morfološkim analizama

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**Zahtjev za testiranje mutacijskog statusa IGHV bolesnika s KLL**

Ime i prezime:  
Datum rođenja:  
Naziv ustanove u kojoj se liječi:  
Hematolog:  
Kontakt hematologa koji traži analizu (e mail, telefon):  
Status pacijenta:  
a.) ne liječeni bolesnici za opservaciju  
b.) ne liječeni bolesnici za prvu liniju liječenja  
c.) kasnije linije liječenja

Citogenetika - rezultat analize:  
FISH: a.) u tijeku  
b.) ima del 17p i/ili del 11q  
c.) nema del 17p i del 11q  
Ranije određen IGHV mutacijski status:  
a.) da  
b.) ne

Laboratorijski nalaz datum:  
broj leukocita ( $\times 10^9/L$ ): \_\_\_\_\_  
postotak limfocita (%): \_\_\_\_\_  
Hgb: \_\_\_\_\_ Trc: \_\_\_\_\_

Potencijalni datumi slanja uzorka (koje dane lokalni laboratorij)



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**Upute za uzorkovanje za testiranje mutacijskog statusa IGHV bolesnika s KLL**

1. Poslati upit za analizu u obliku Zahtjeva na email kontakta u laboratoriju
2. Prema dogovorenom pravilno uzorkovati i transportirati uzorak u Klinički zavod za laboratorijsku dijagnostiku (Molekularna hematologija) KBC Zagreb

Uzorak za analizu je periferna krv

- ✓ (iznimno koštana srž ili punktati limfnog čvora)
- ✓ uzeta u spremnik s EDTA antikoagulansom (ljubičasti čep)
- ✓ dostavljena na hladnom (4°C) unutar 24h od uzorkovanja

Uzorak mora biti na hladnom (4°C) od uzorkovanja do dostave u laboratorij.

Kontakt osobe: Margareta Radić Antolic  
mradicantolic@gmail.com

**KBD**  
Klinička bolnica Dubrava

**Upute za uzorkovanje i slanje uzorka za analizu TP53 mutacijskog statusa**

1. Poslati upit za analizu (ispunjen obrazac „Zahtjev za testiranje mutacijskog statusa TP53“) na e-mail [tp53@kdb.hr](mailto:tp53@kdb.hr) nakon čega će se dogovoriti datum slanja uzorka
2. Prije zahtjeva za analizu mutacijskog statusa TP53 potrebno je imati rezultat FISH analize u kojoj je potvrđeno da ne nosi deleciju 17p.
3. Nakon dogovora potrebno je pravilno uzorkovati i transportirati uzorak u Klinički zavod za laboratorijsku dijagnostiku – Odjel za molekularnu dijagnostiku i genetiku, Kliničke bolnice Dubrava

Za analizu mutacijskog statusa TP53 koristi se:

- periferna krv ili ovisno o potrebi koštana srž ili punktati limfnog čvora
- za uzorkovanje se koristi epruveta s ljubičastim čepom (EDTA)
- uzorak se čuva i dostavlja na hladnom (4°C) unutar 24 sata od uzorkovanja

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**Zahtjev za testiranje mutacijskog statusa TP53**

Ime i prezime:  
Datum rođenja:  
Naziv ustanove u kojoj se liječi:  
Hematolog:  
Kontakt hematologa koji traži analizu (e mail, telefon):  
Status pacijenta:  
a) neliječeni bolesnik  
b) neliječeni bolesnik za prvu liniju liječenja  
c) kasnije linije liječenja

Citogenetika - rezultat FISH analize:  
a) delecija 17p  
b) bez del 17p  
Ranije određen TP53 mutacijski status:  
a) da, nađene mutacije \_\_\_\_\_  
b) ne

Laboratorijski nalaz datum:  
broj leukocita ( $\times 10^9/L$ ): \_\_\_\_\_  
postotak limfocita (%): \_\_\_\_\_

Potencijalni datumi slanja uzorka (kada je moguće iz laboratorija poslati uzorak): \_\_\_\_\_



## Molekularna dijagnostika u KLLu

- ✓ neophodna je u modernoj **dijagnostici i liječenju** bolesnika s KLLom
  - ✓ osigurava pravilnu **stratifikaciju rizika**
  - ✓ mogućava **individualni** pristup liječenju
- ✓ uključuje:
  - ✓ Mutacijski status varijabilne regije teškog lanca imunoglobulina (**IGHV**)
  - ✓ **TP53** mutacijski status (del17p i točkaste mutacije)
  - ✓ druge kromosomske i **genske aberacije** (*ATM, NOTCH1, SF3B1, ..*)
  - ✓ Testiranje **rezistencije** na lijekove (*BCL2, BTK, PLCG2...*)
- ✓ **MRD** – kao neovisni prognostički pokazatelj