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Analýza exprese microRNA

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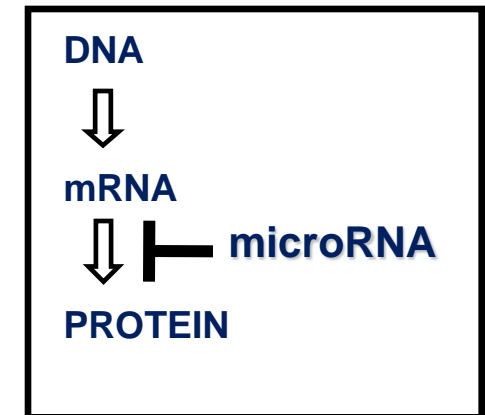
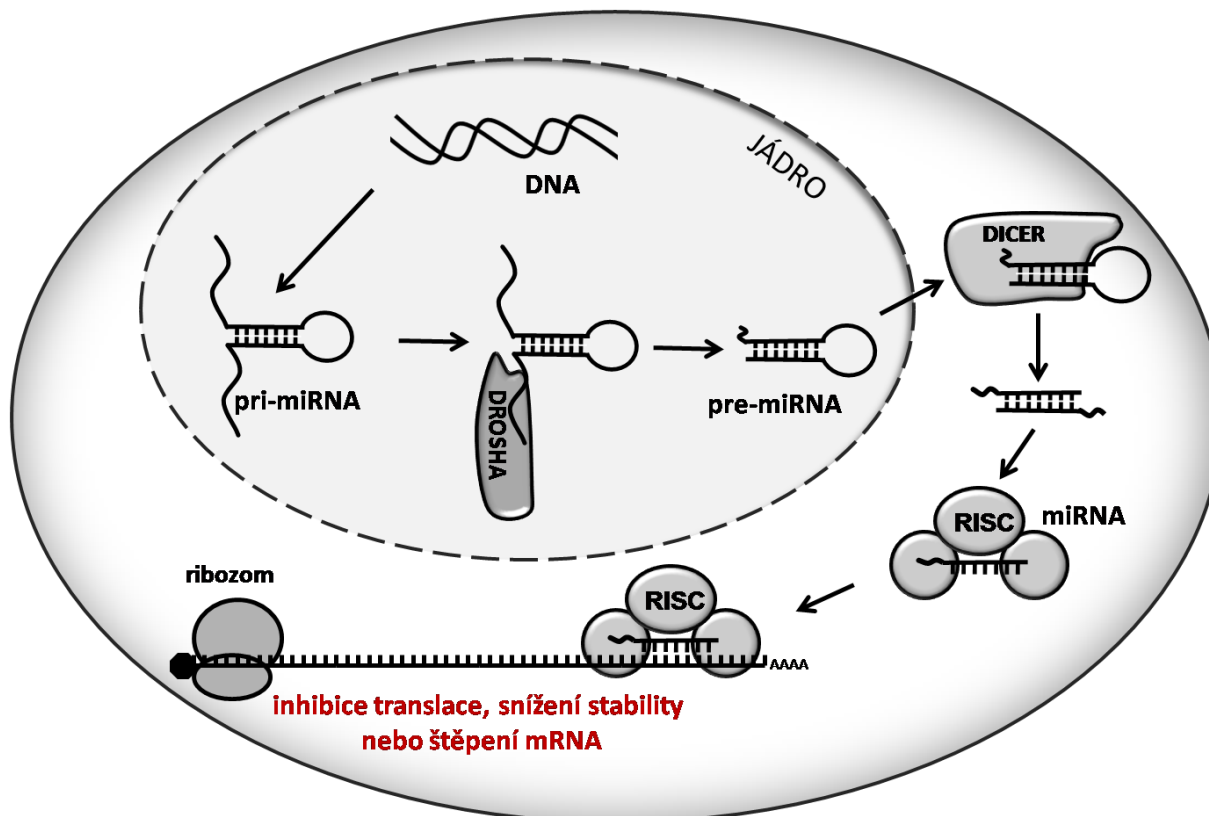
- Lidské miRNA geny: **cca 2000**

microRNA (miRNA)

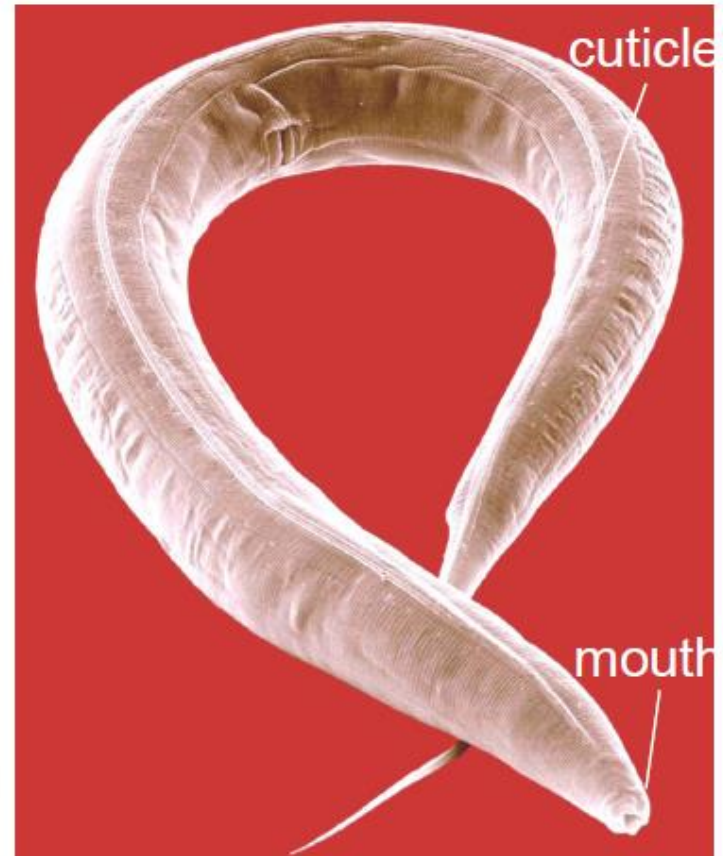
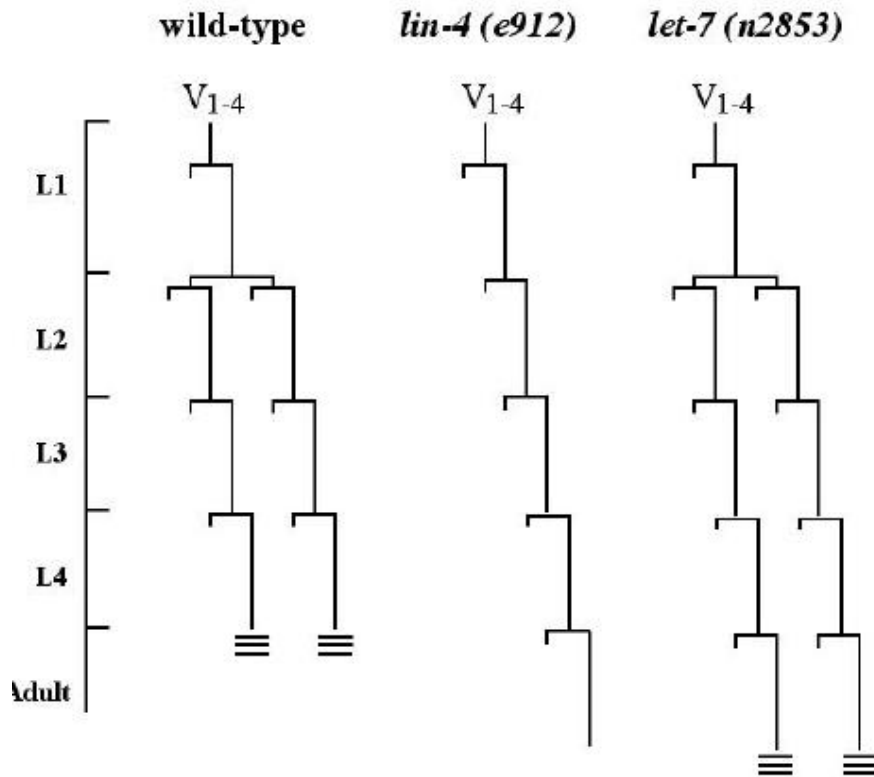
- ❑ krátké RNA molekuly
~22 nukleotidů
- ❑ komplementární vazba k
cílové mRNA
- ❑ inhibují translaci a snižují
stabilitu mRNA



**Stovky evolučně
konzervovaných microRNA**

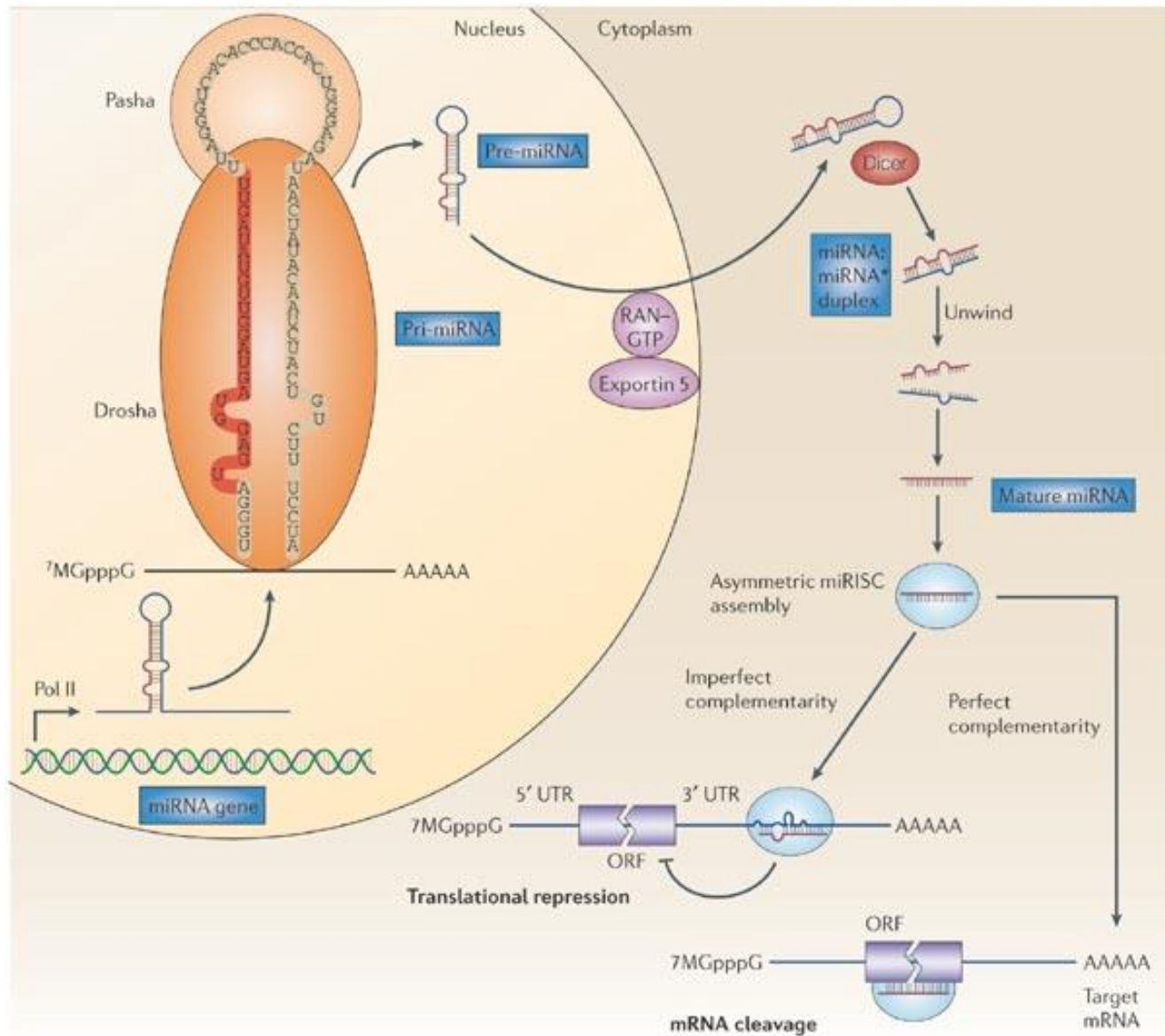


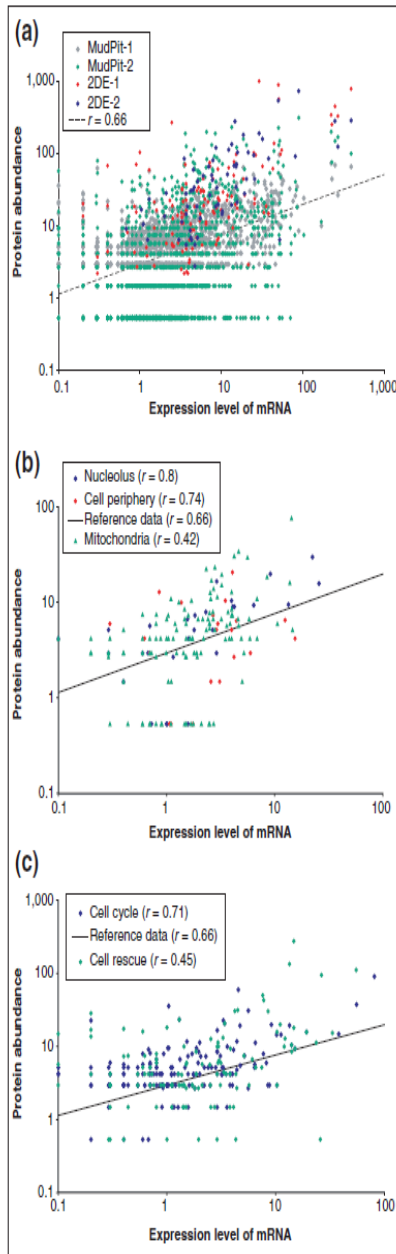
MicroRNAs were discovered by V. Ambros and G. Ruvkun in *C. elegans*



Lee et al. 1993 *Cell*

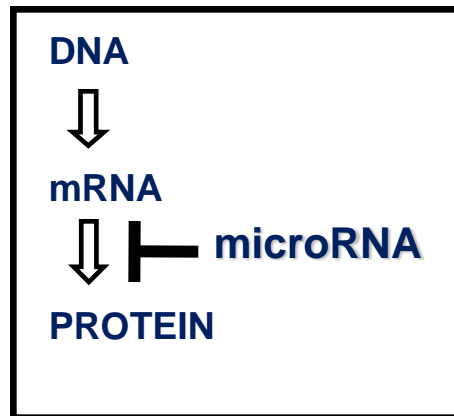
Reinhart et al. 2000 *Nature*





mRNA neznamená, že v buňce bude i protein

Historicky vždy velká neshoda mezi daty z expresních čipů a expresí proteinů (Western Blot)



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Izolace

Microarrays

Identifikace miRNA (deep sequencing, cloning a Northern blot)

Real-Time PCR

NGS

1/ Izolace a stabilita microRNA

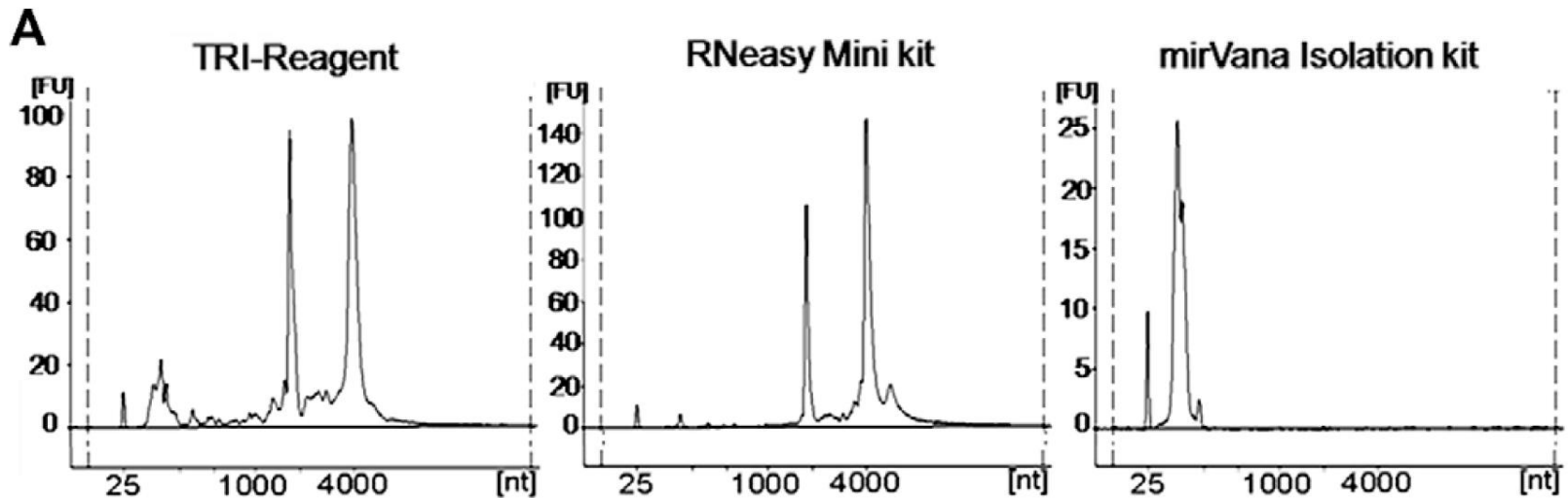
Problémy: velikost 22nt, celkově cca 0,01% z celkové RNA

Izolace:

TRizol/TriReagent
miRvana (Ambion)
PureLink (Invitrogen)
a další

Obohacení:

PAGE
FlashPAGE Fractionator
(Ambion)



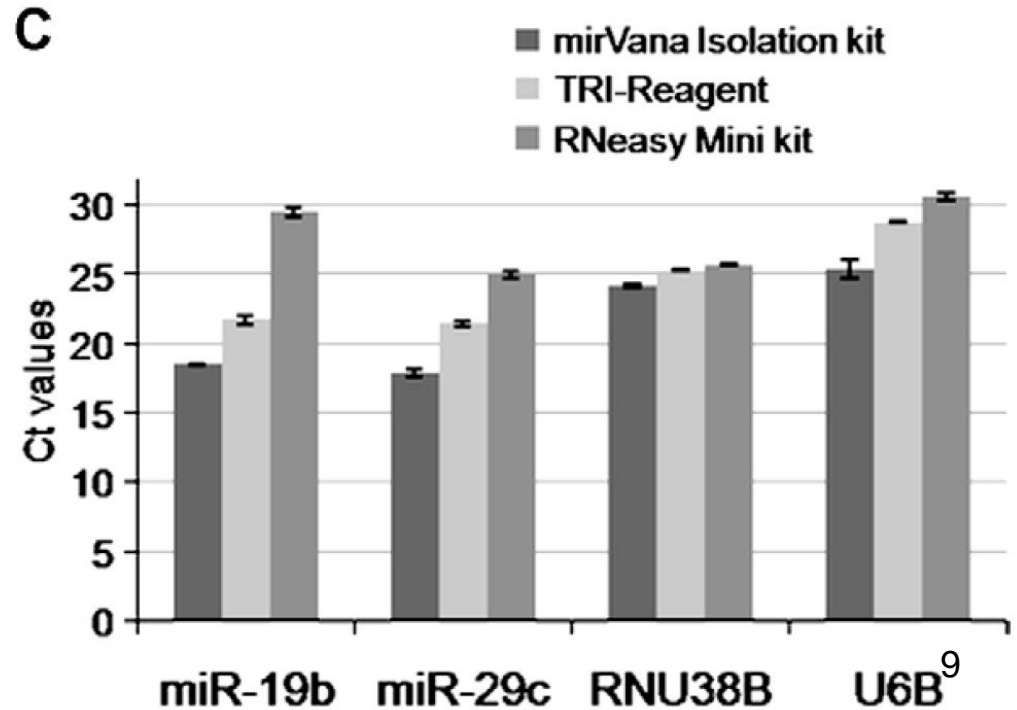
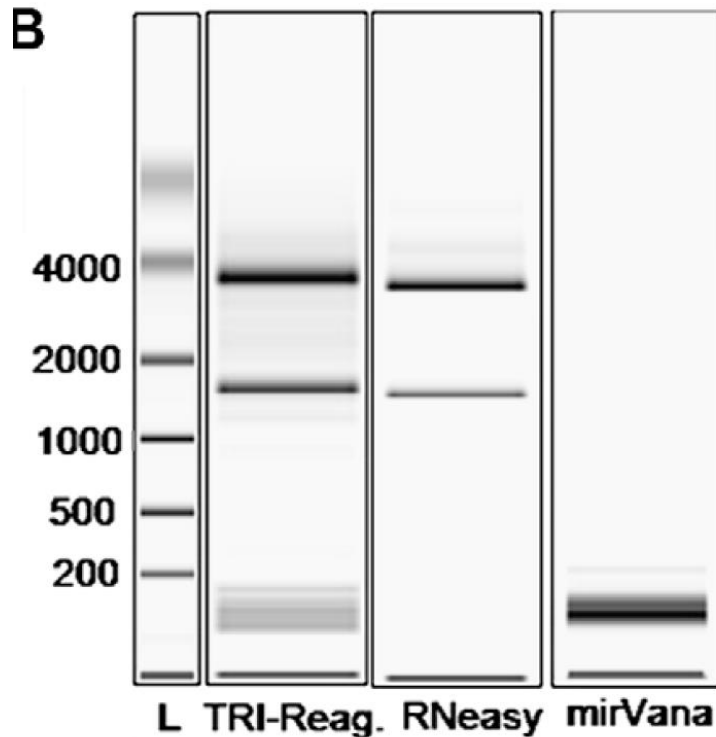
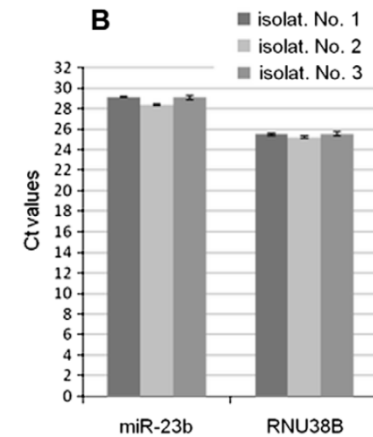
Mraz et al., 2009

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TRIReagent/TRIzol
is the „gold standard“
(Mraz et al., 2009)



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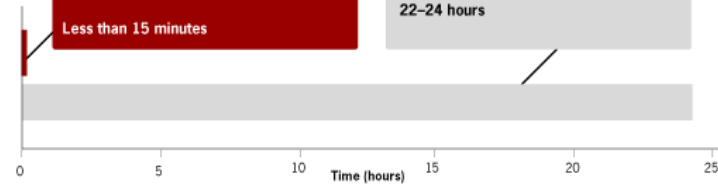
flashPAGE™ Protocol

1. Pipet flashPAGE™ Lower Running Buffer into the lower buffer chamber of the apparatus
<30 seconds
2. Insert a "ready-to-use," pre-cast flashPAGE™ Gel Cartridge
<5 seconds
3. Add flashPAGE™ Upper Running Buffer to the upper buffer chamber of the gel cartridge
<30 seconds
4. Add your RNA or DNA sample (with flashPAGE™ A40 Dye Marker)
<1 minute
5. Run gel at 70 V on any standard power supply
~12 minutes
6. Collect PAGE-purified nucleic acid from lower buffer chamber*
<30 seconds

Less than 15 minutes

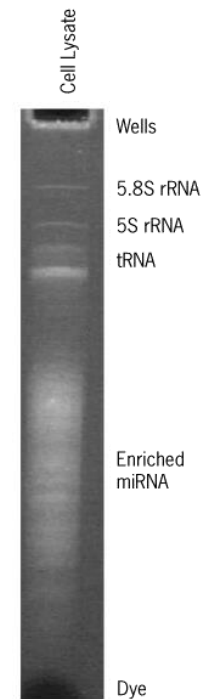
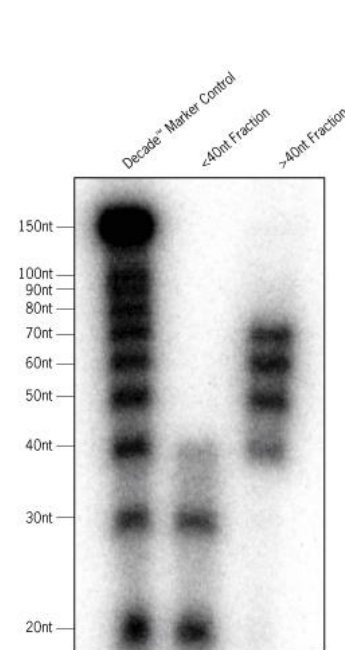
Traditional PAGE Purification

1. Prepare gel solutions
30 minutes
 2. Cast gel
2 hours
 3. Pre-run the gel
30 minutes
 4. Load sample
1 minute
 5. Electrophorese
30-60 minutes
 6. Stain gel to visualize region of interest
10 minutes
 7. Excise desired size fraction
5 minutes
 8. Soak crushed gel with elution buffer
overnight
 9. Collect first elution and elute again
2 hours
- 22-24 hours



15min

20hours

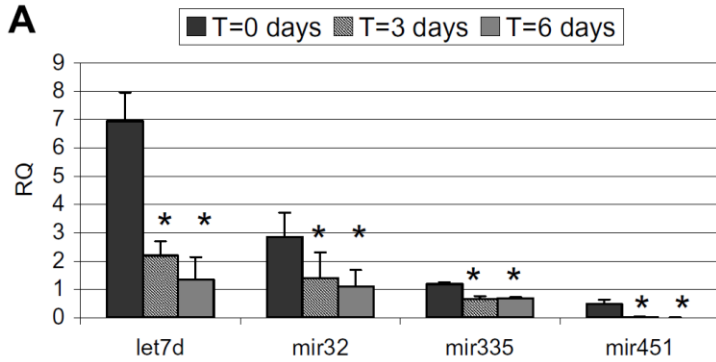


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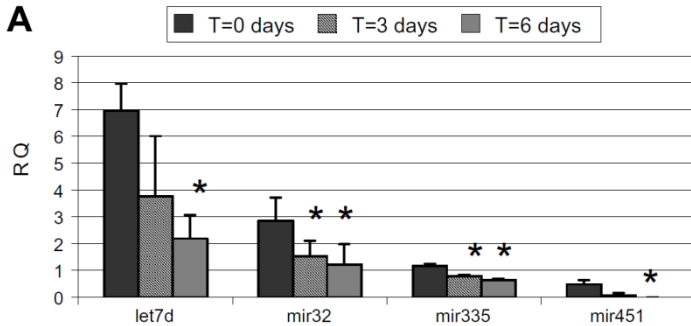
Stabilita po izolaci

Stabilita v FFPE (formalin-fixed parafin-embedded tissue)

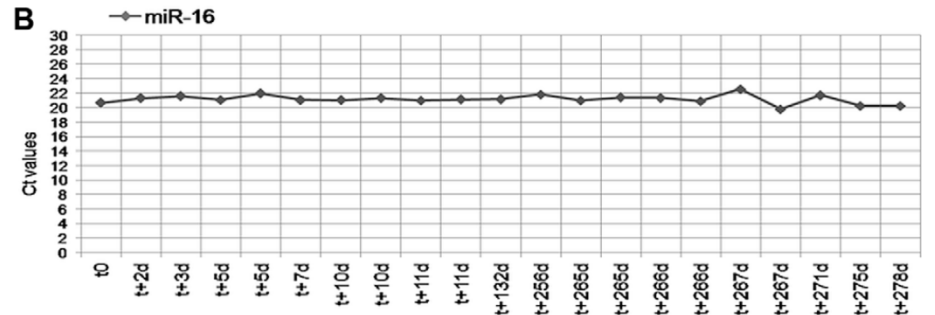
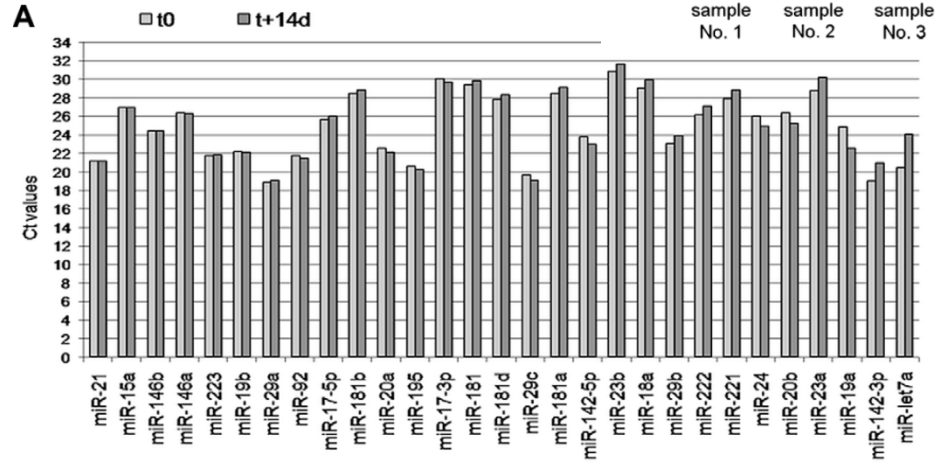
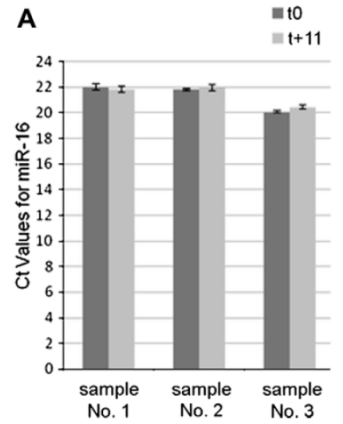
RNA



cDNA



Bravo et al., 2007



Mráz et al., 2009

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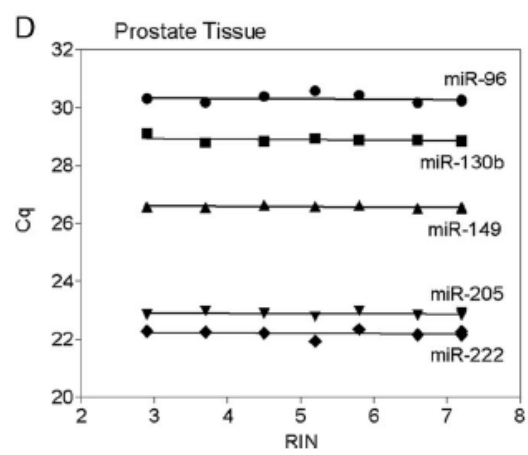
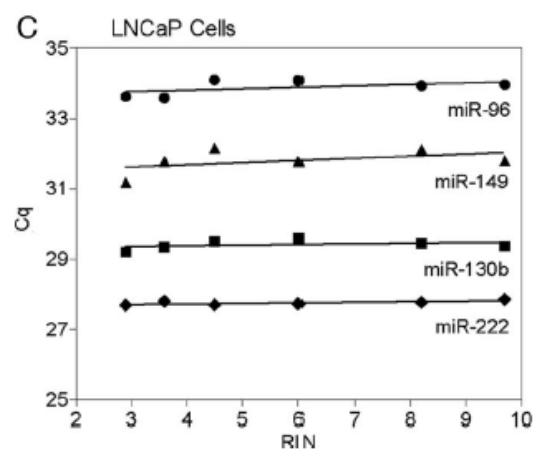
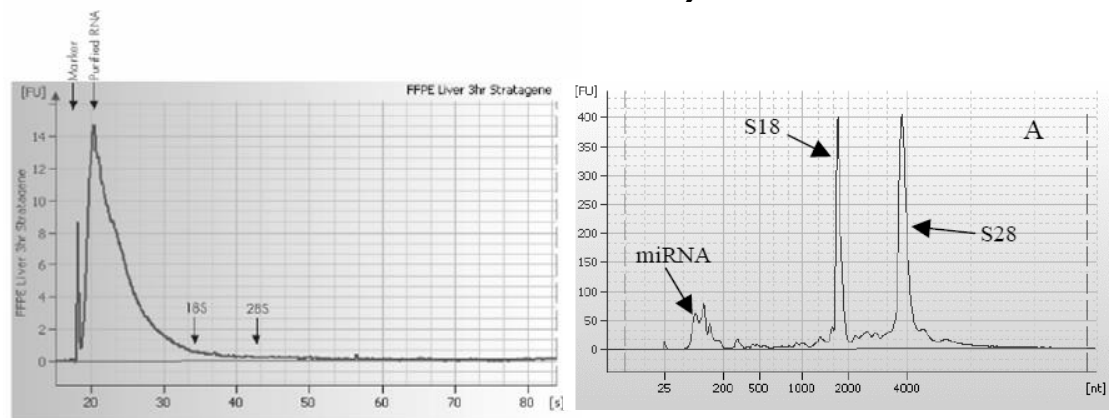
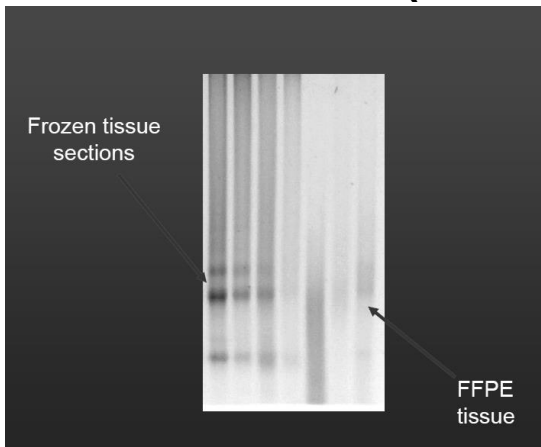
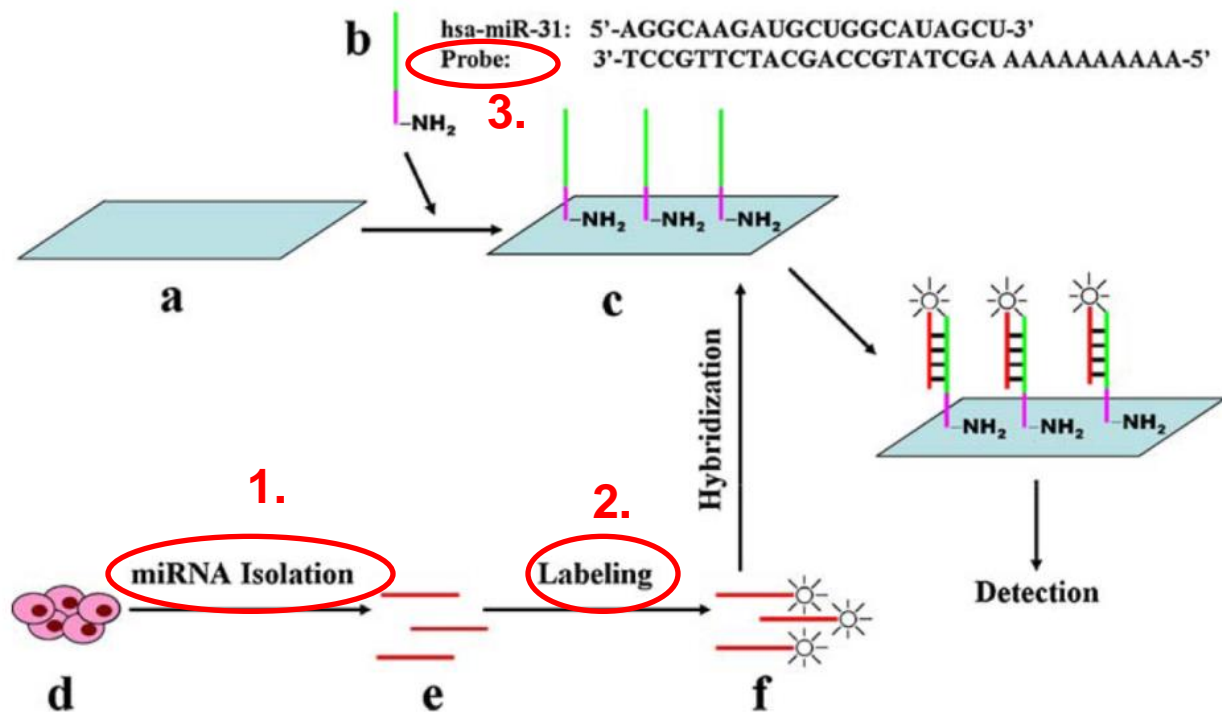


Fig. 2. Influence of RNA integrity on miRNA gene expression. (A), miR-141, miR-155, miR-200c, and miR-210 in RNA samples from ccRCC cell line Caki-2. (B), miR-141, miR-155, miR-200c, and miR-210 in RNA samples from the renal tissue pool. (C), miR-96, miR-130b, miR-149, and miR-222 in RNA samples from PCa cell line LNCaP. (D), miR-96, miR-130b, miR-149, miR-205, and miR-222 in RNA samples from the prostate tissue pool. For further details, including regression line characteristics, 95% CIs of the slopes, and *P* values indicating significant deviations from 0, see Table 5 in the online Data Supplement.

Expression microarrays pro microRNAs:

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3/ Labeling – značení:

- ❑ Není možný labeling pomocí značených polyT při reverzní transkripci
- ❑ Přímé značení (direct labeling) – většinou nějaká fluorescenční barva
- ❑ Nepřímé značení (indirect labeling) – probíhá nějaká reverzní transkripce/PCR

Přímé značení:

Jednoduché, rychlé a „čím méně kroků tím méně vnesených chyb a variability“

1/ Značení guaninu v microRNA

Fluochromem vážícím se na guanin jsou označeny miRNA (Ulysis Alexa Flour 546/647)

Všechny lidské miRNA obsahují guanin, ale v různém množství

Nemožnost usuzovat na vzájemnou expresi různých miRNA (různý obsah guaninu)

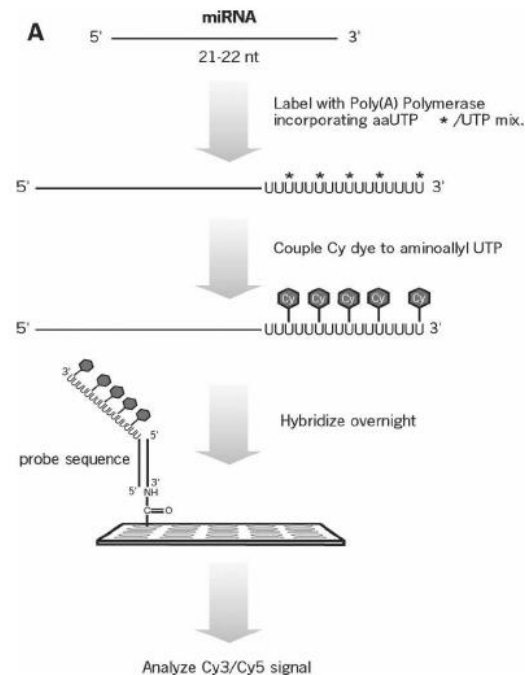
(Babak et al., 2004)

2/ Značení pomocí Poly (A) polymerázy

Můžu se rozhodnout jak dlouhý bude poly(A)

a tím ovlivnit sílu signálu

(Shingara et al., 2005)



4/ značení pomocí T4 ligasy

Krátký značený oligonukleotid

je připojen T4 ligásou k 3'konci

Výhodou je přednostní vazba

na RNA o velikosti 18-30bp ->total RNA

(Thomson et al., 2004; Castoldi et al., 2007)

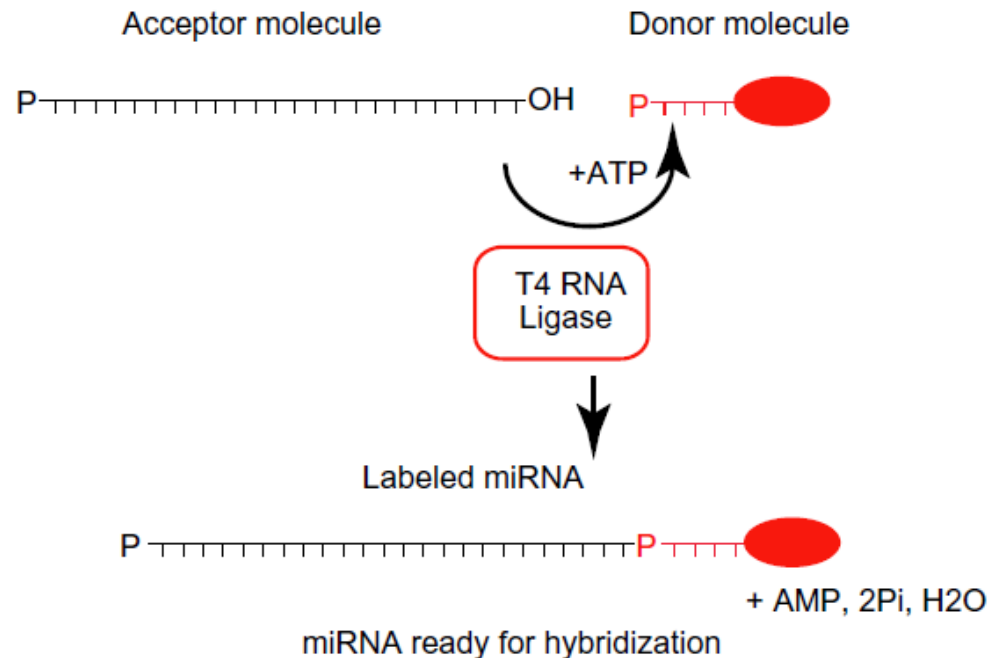


Fig. 2. Schematic representation of the miRNA labeling principle: a short Cy-dye labeled RNA-linker (donor molecule) is ligated to the single-stranded miRNA (acceptor molecule) by T4 RNA ligase in the presence of ATP.

Nepřímé značení:

Značen je produkt reverzní transkripce či PCR

Výhody: cDNA je pak stabilní a lze uchovat, Pre-amplifikace a tím snadnější detekce méně exprimovaných miRNA

1/ značení reverzního transkriptu miRNA

Reverzní transkripce pomocí náhodných 8-merů značených 2 biotiny (3'-(N)8 – (A)12-biotin-(A)12-biotin-5' (Liu et al., 2004)

Reverzní transkripce pomocí náhodných neznačených 7-merů, následně označeny s pomocí terminální transferázy a biotin-dideoxy-UTP (Sun et al., 2004)

Nebezpečí chyb z nespecifické vazby primeru

2/ značení produktu RT-PCR

Výhoda: snadná pre-amplifikace

Dva adaptory

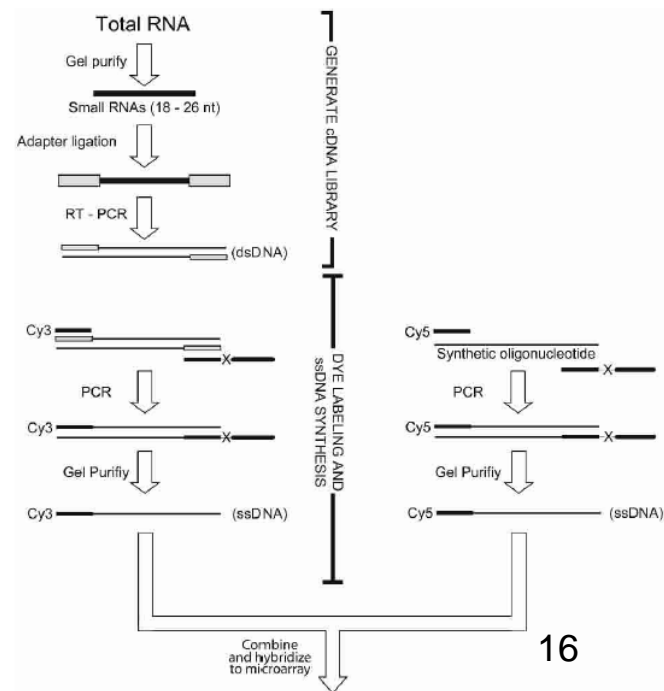
fluorescenčně-značený primer (k adaptoru)

(Miska et al., 2004)

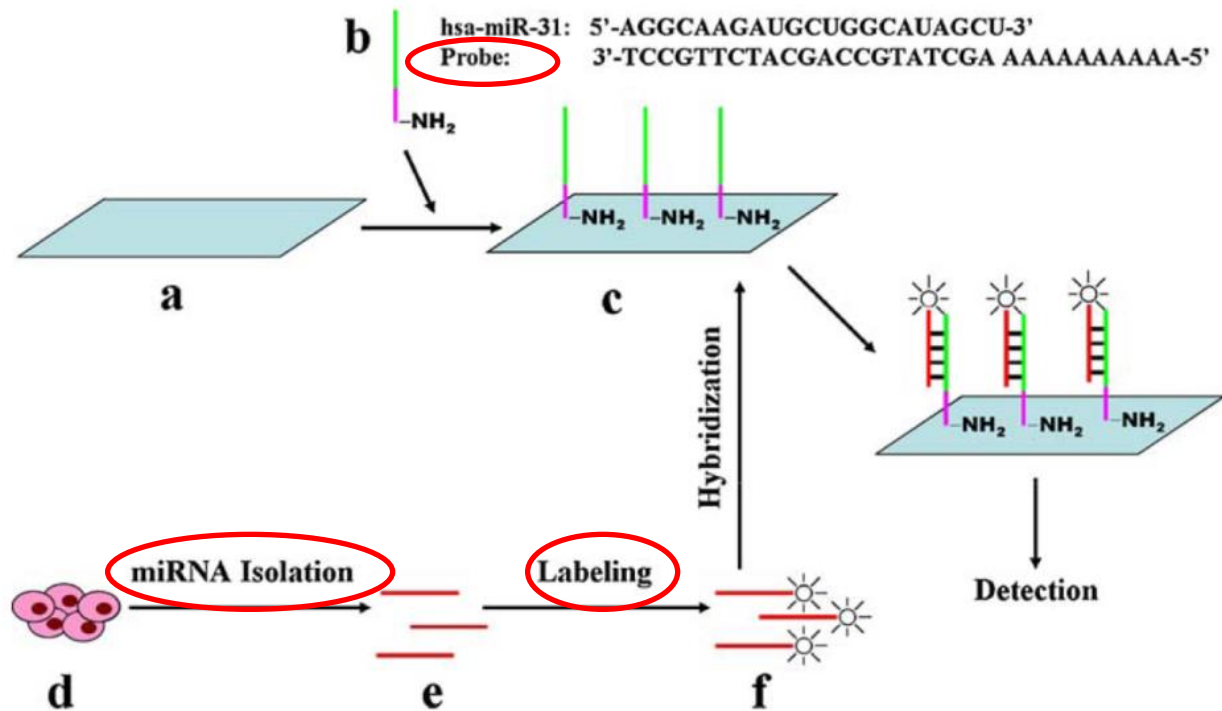
Nevýhoda: antisense strand přiromen při hybridizaci

Rešením je různá délka sense a antisense ->PAGE

(Baskerville, 2005)



3/ Microarrays/ Próby: Problémy: krátké RNA, malé rozdíly v sekvenci, Tm



T_m – melting temperature určité próby
T – hybridizační teplota

$T_m < T$ nižší efektivita vazby miRNA
 $T_m > T$ vyšší efektivita vazby miRNA

- ☐ Je třeba navrhnout próby tak, aby měly všechny podobnou T_m
- ☐ To se u „dlouhých“ mRNA řeší vhodným výběrem oblasti genu k němuž bude sonda komplementární nebo délkou sondy
- ☐ navíc některé miRNA jsou téměř sekvenčně totožné

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let-7b : TGAGGTAGTAGGTTGTGTGGTT : 22
let-7e : TGAGGTAGGAGGTTGTATAGT- : 21
let-7d : AGAGGTAGTAGGTTGCATAGT- : 21
let-7a : TGAGGTAGTAGGTTGTATAGTT : 22
let-7f : TGAGGTAGTAGATTGTATAGTT : 22
let-7i : TGAGGTAGTAGTTTGTGCT--- : 19
let-7g : TGAGGTAGTAGTTTGTACAGT- : 21
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ÚPRAVA DÉLKY

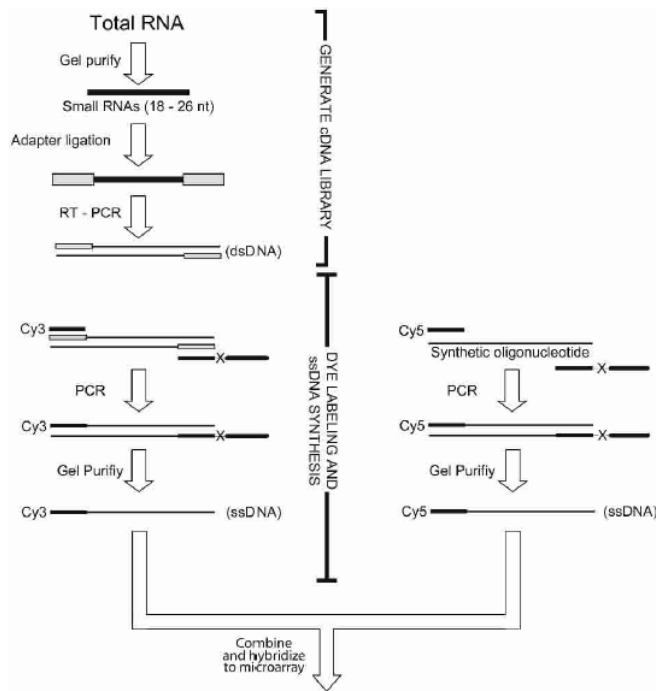


FIGURE 1. Microarray sample preparation and reference oligonucleotide synthesis. Small RNAs were fractionated on a polyacrylamide gel, and oligonucleotide primers were then ligated to the 5' and 3' ends of the small RNA library (Lau et al. 2001). A cDNA library was generated through reverse transcription, and the product was amplified using PCR. Using a pair of modified oligonucleotide primers in a second PCR, the sense strand of the library was fluorescently labeled and the antisense strand was selectively lengthened (Williams and Bartel 1995). The sense strand of the asymmetric duplex was purified away from the antisense strand in a denaturing gel, and this purified dye-labeled ssDNA sample was used for hybridization and detection on the array. At each feature, the signal from the miRNA sample was compared to that from a reference sample, which had been generated by amplifying and labeling synthetic oligonucleotides using the same strategy as for the miRNA sample.

Baskerville and Bartel, 2005

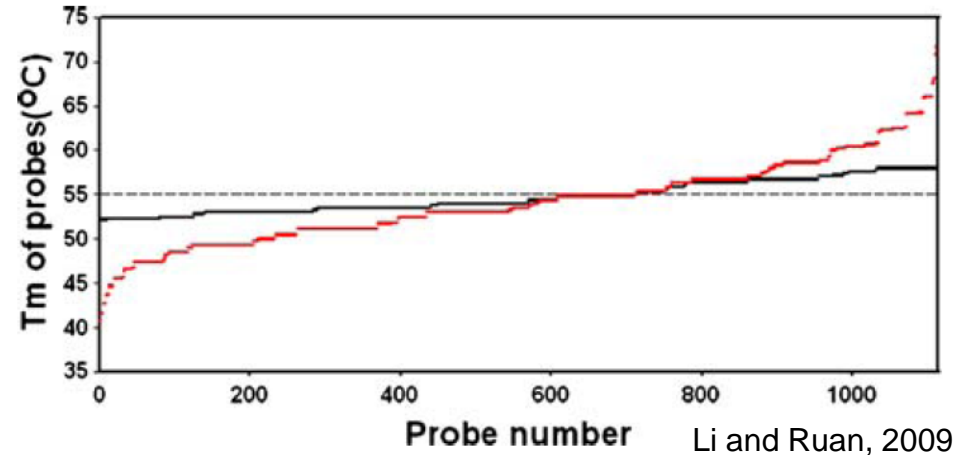
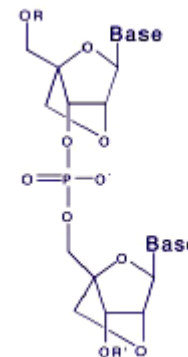


Fig. 2 T_m (melting temperature) distribution for microRNA probes for human, rat and mouse. *Red and black curves* represent the T_m distributions of the raw and normalized probes, respectively

ÚPRAVA SÍLY VAZBY NUKLEOTIDŮ

LNA próby (Locked Nucleic Acid)

ribózový kruh je „uzamčen“ methylenovým můstkem mezi atomy 2'-O a 4'-C



Použití LNA pro některé báze v průběh

**SÍLA VAZBY:
LNA vs DNA próba
Tm až 72°C
(Castoldi et al., 2006)**

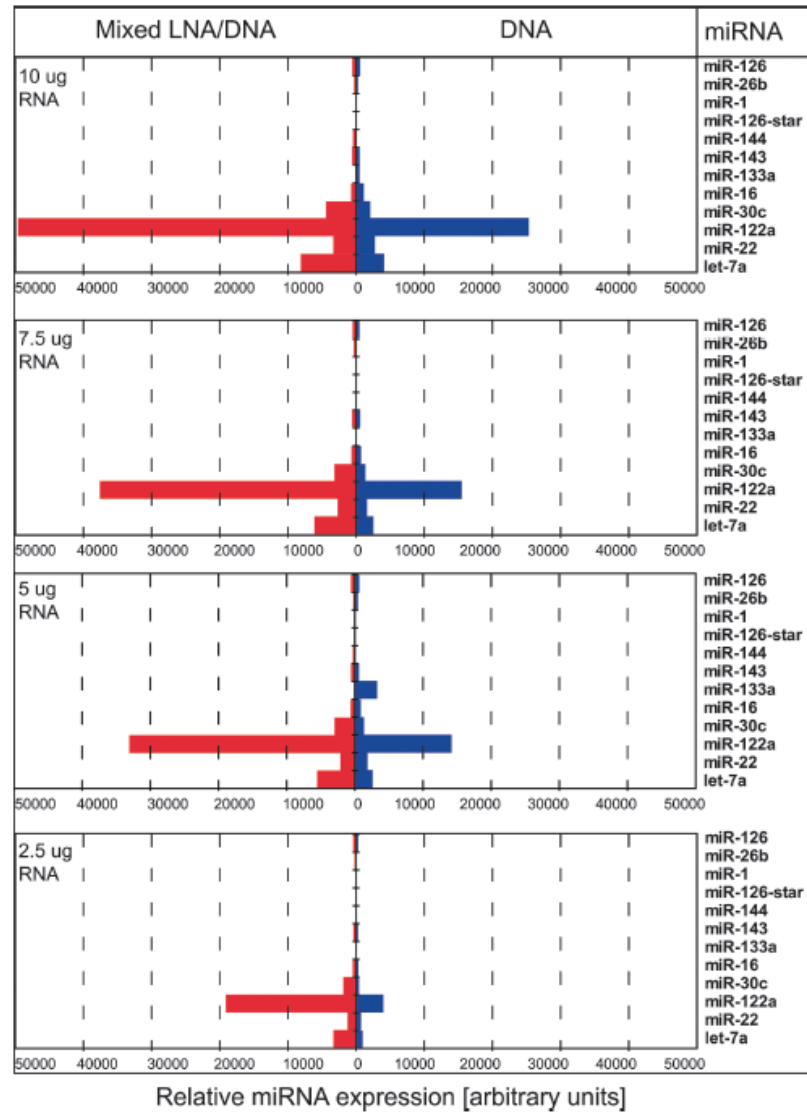
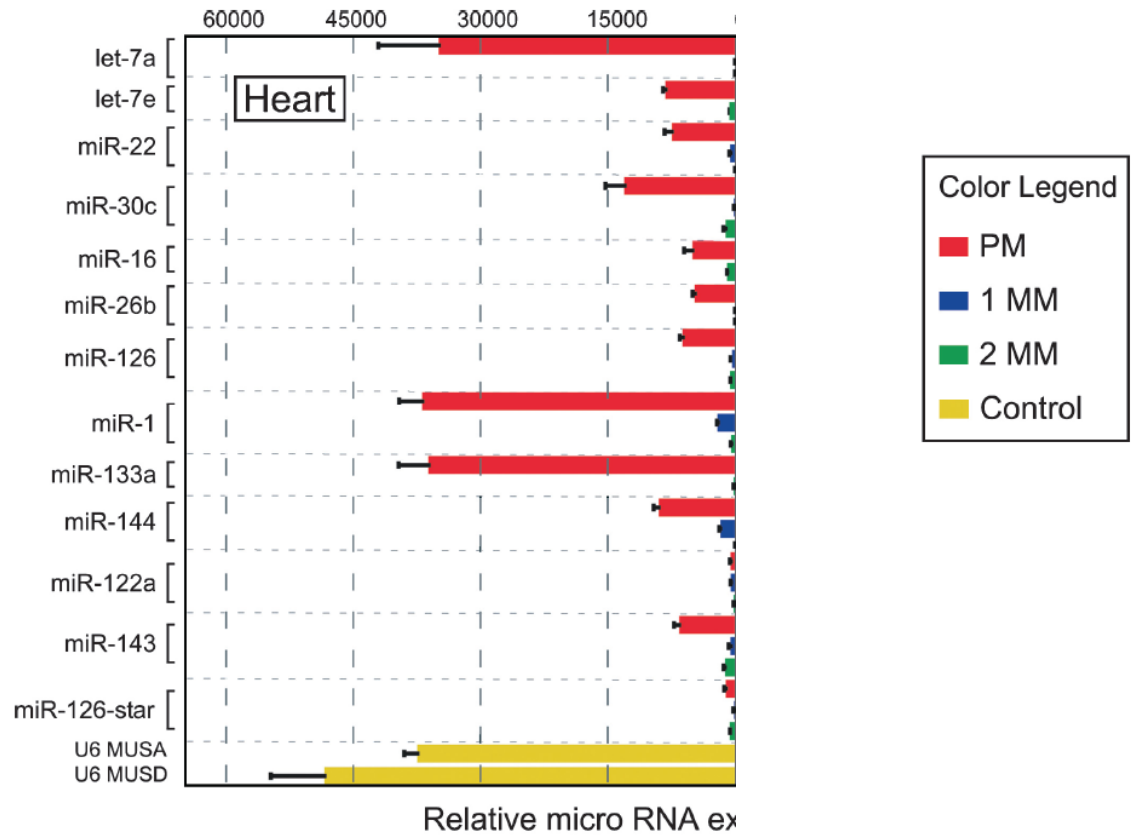


FIGURE 1. Mixed DNA/LNA capture probes display increased sensitivity for miRNA detection. miRNA expression was assessed in murine liver using a test set of LNA-modified (*left*) or unmodified DNA oligonucleotide capture probes (*right*). Decreasing amounts of total RNA were used as input material for miRNA analysis. Data are presented as median intensity (four replicas per miRNA capture probe; a representative experiment is shown).

SPECIFITA VAZBY: LNA vs DNA próba

(Castoldi et al., 2006)



miRCURY LNA Array, Exiqon : 3 dny

Protocol overview

miRCURY™ LNA microRNA Power Labeling Kit

CIP treatment

Mix: RNA sample
Spike-In miRNA kit



Labeling reaction

Mix: CIP'ed RNA sample
Labeling buffer
Hy3™ or Hy5™
DMSO
Enzyme



miRCURY™ LNA microRNA Array Kit

Mix samples

Mix: Hy3™ labeled sample
Hy5™ labeled sample
Hybridization buffer
Denature sample



Hybridize

Hybridize at 56°C for 16 hours



Stringency wash

Wash 2 min. in buffer A at 56°C
Wash 2 min. in buffer B at 23°C
Wash 2 min. in buffer C at 23°C
Dry slides



Image acquisition

Scan slides (recommended scan at 5µm)
Download relevant GAL files from
www.exiqon.com

Co se nemusí podařit:

Nekvalitní RNA

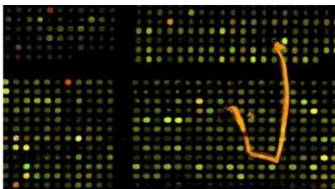
Nepodaří se značení

Nepodaří se hybridizace

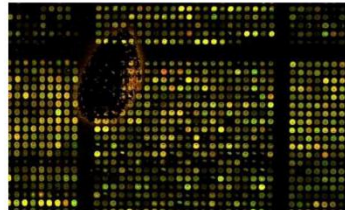
Nepodaří se promývání

Technická variabilita čipů je větší než ta biologická

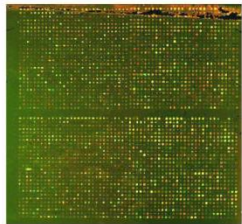
Nepodaří se validace dat pomocí RT-PCR, atd



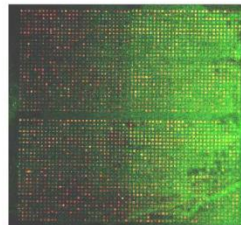
Fiber or scratch?



Bubble



Edge effect

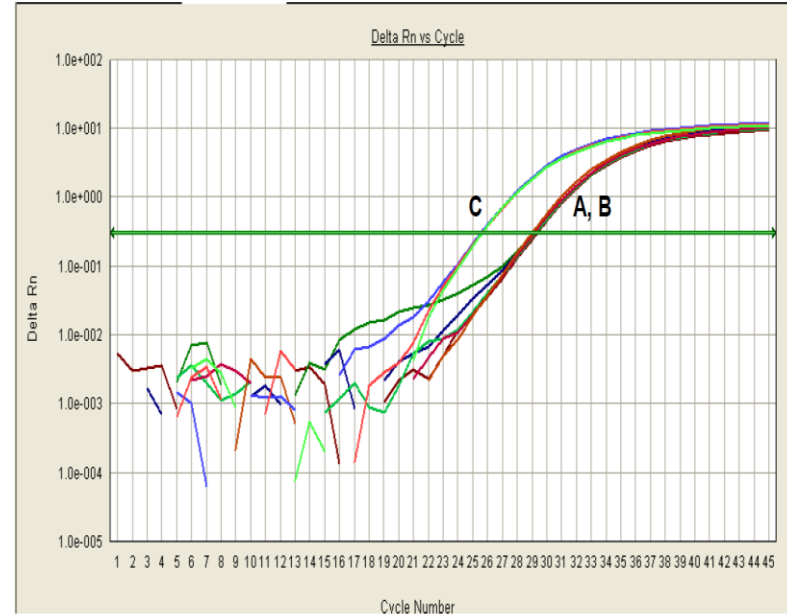
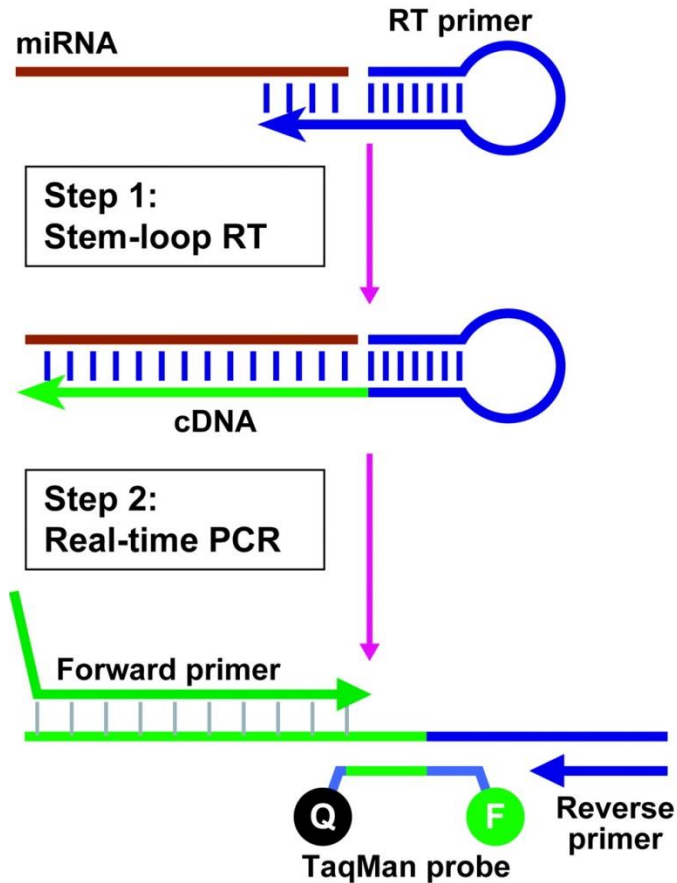


Background haze

Práce s miRNA čipy je velmi obtížná. Všeobecně nižší míra standardizace. Obtížná interpretace získaných dat z pohledu biologického smyslu např. deregulace několika miRNA (nádor vs. zdravá tkáň apod.)

RT-PCR

TaqMan-based real-time PCR quantification of mature miRNAs



RNA Seq

Sanger vs NGS

'Sanger sequencing' has been the only DNA sequencing method for 30 years

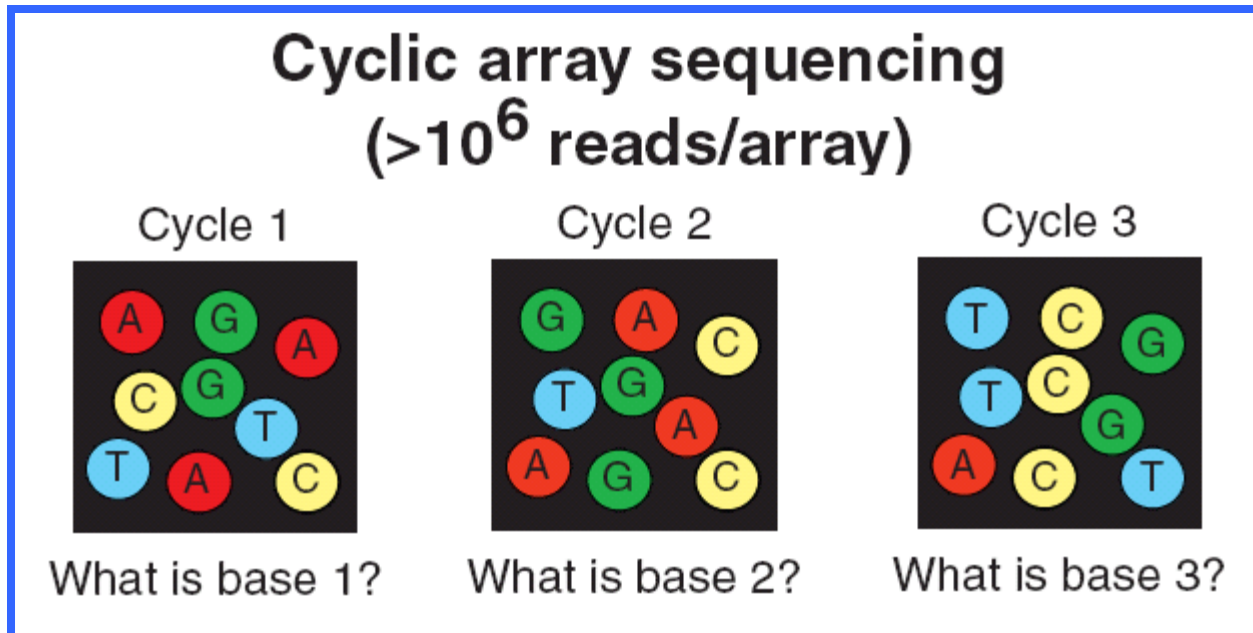
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NGS has the ability to process millions of sequence reads in parallel rather than few at a time

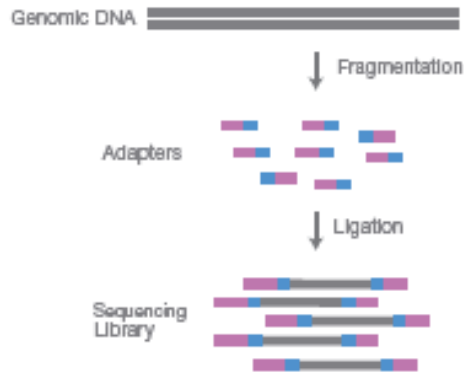
High Parallelism is Achieved in Polony Sequencing

Sanger

Polony

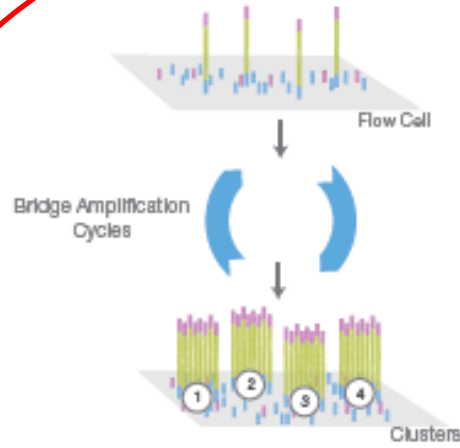


A. Library Preparation



NGS library is prepared by fragmenting a gDNA sample and ligating specialized adapters to both fragment ends.

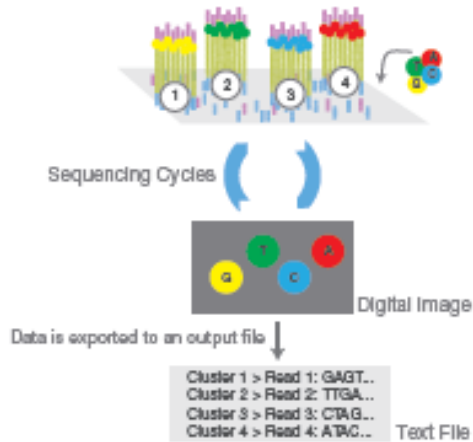
A. Cluster Amplification



Library is loaded into a flow cell and the fragments hybridize to the flow cell surface. Each bound fragment is amplified into a clonal cluster through bridge amplification.

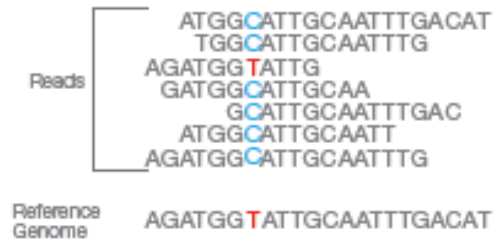
This is the trick

C. Sequencing

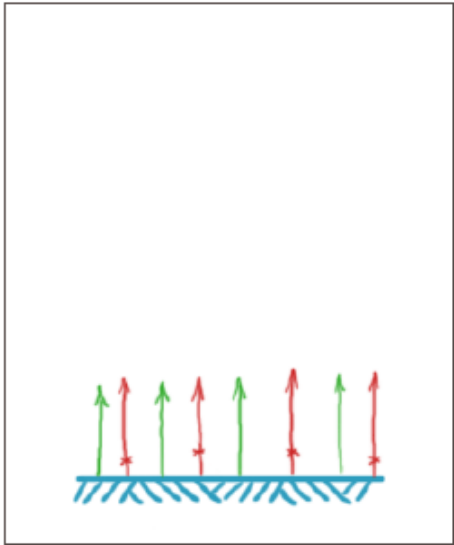


Sequencing reagents, including fluorescently labeled nucleotides, are added and the first base is incorporated. The flow cell is imaged and the emission from each cluster is recorded. The emission wavelength and intensity are used to identify the base. This cycle is repeated "n" times to create a read length of "n" bases.

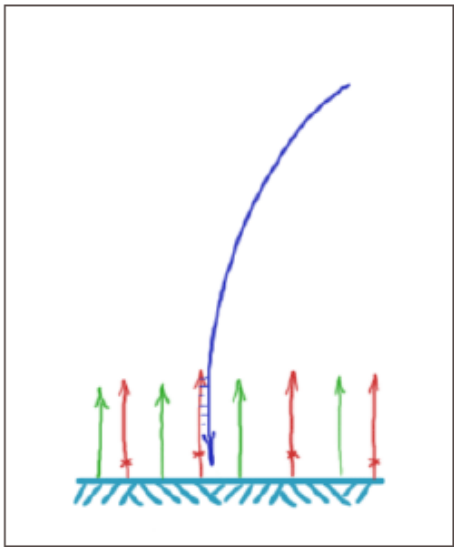
D. Alignment & Data Analysis



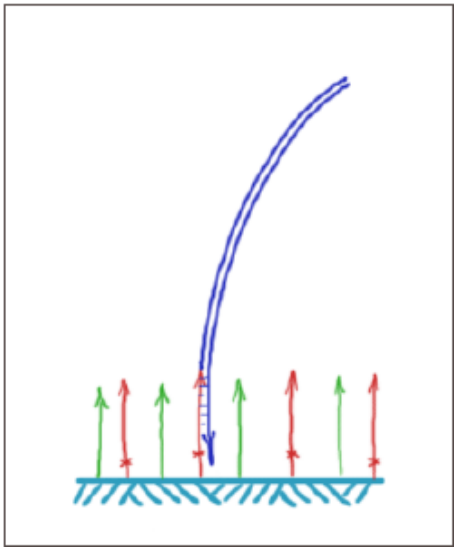
Reads are aligned to a reference sequence with bioinformatics software. After alignment, differences between the reference genome and the newly sequenced reads can be identified.



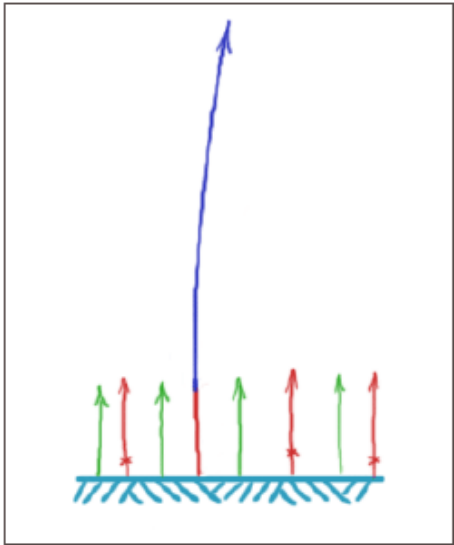
Two PCR primers are attached to the surface of flowcell. One of the primers has a cleavable site (cross on red primer);



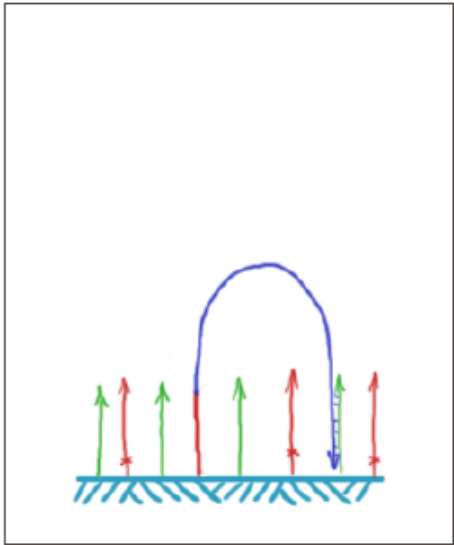
Pre-amplified library is denatured in NaOH, then hybridization buffer is added to shift pH to neutral value. Library is loaded into the channel in neutral aqueous solution. DNA molecules can hybridize to the PCR primers. Red primers hybridize with a library molecule on the picture (complementary strand of this molecule has a chance to form a hybrid with a green primer).



Elongation reaction: extension mix (buffer, dNTP's, Taq polymerase) is pumped into a channel. Hybridized primer extended on library molecule.

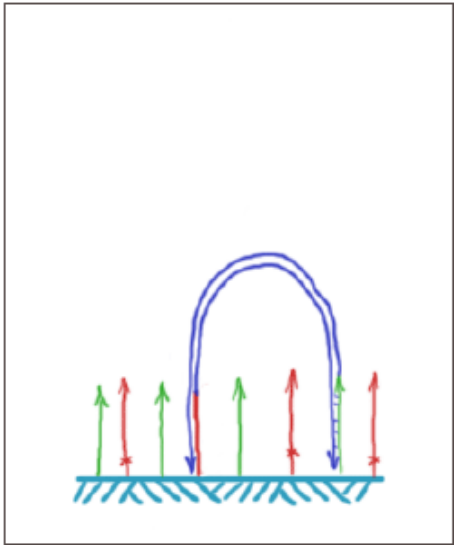


Formamide
Original library molecule is denatured and washed away.

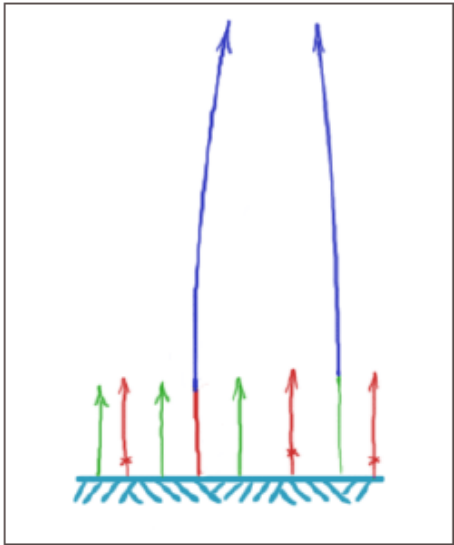


Extension buffer

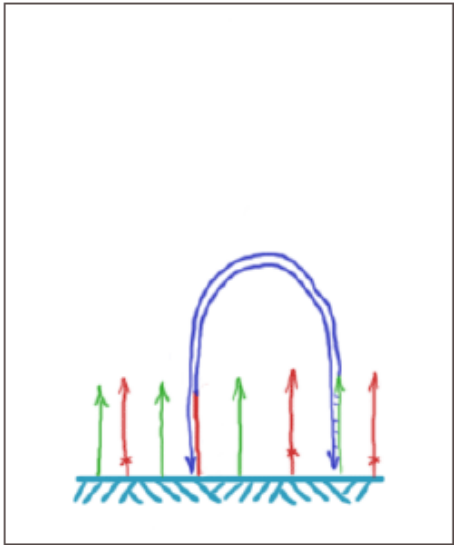
Extended molecule bends and hybridizes to a second PCR primer (forms a bridge).



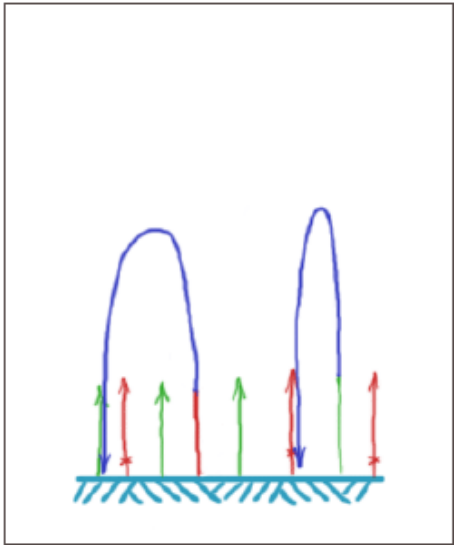
Extension mixture
Extension of hybridized primer.



Formamide washing
Two DNA strands are denatured.

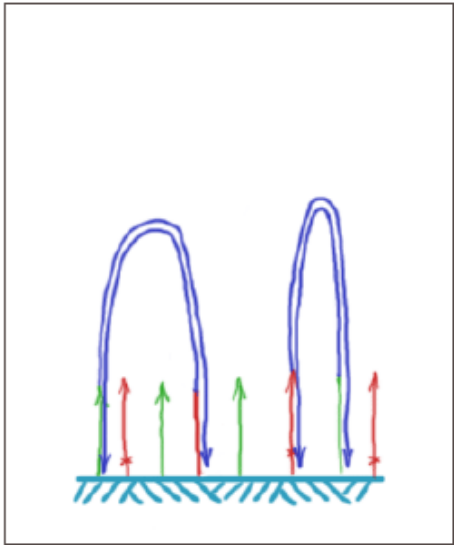


Extension buffer
Extended molecules may hybridize to each other again or find other PCR primers.

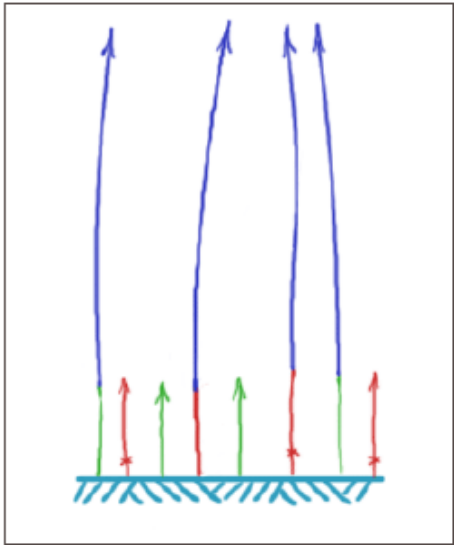


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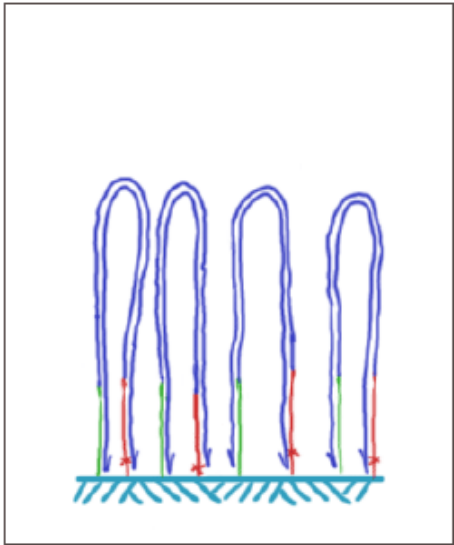
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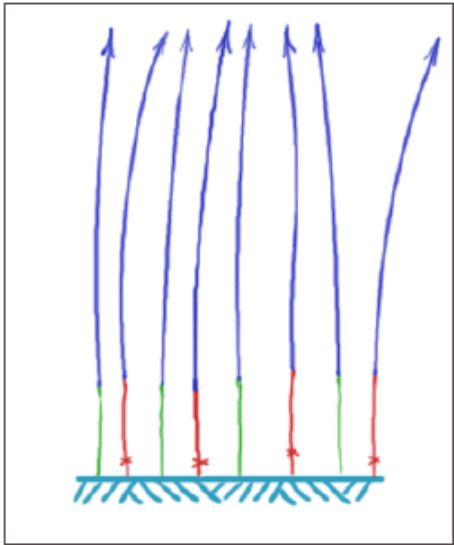
Extension mixture
In the second case they will duplicate again.



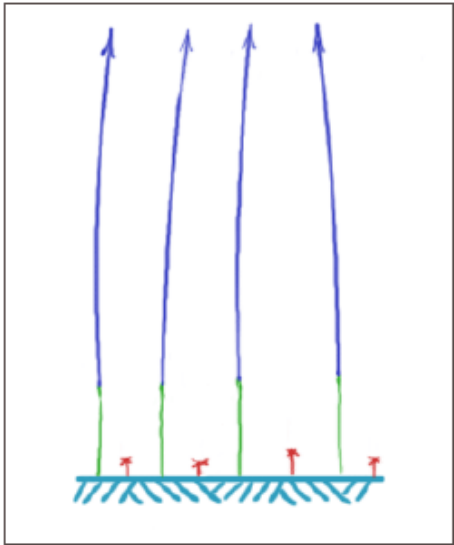
Formamide washing
DNA strands are denatured.



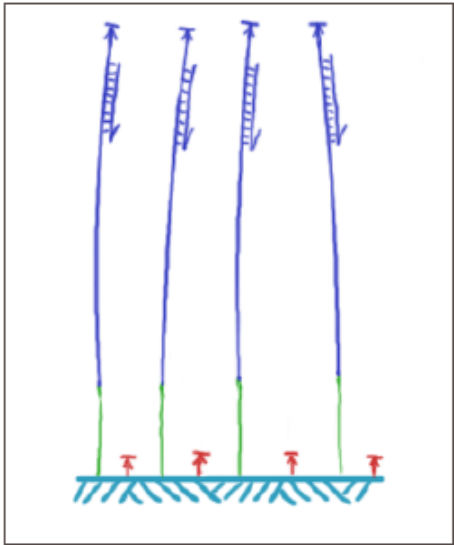
After 35 cycles cluster consists on a number of double-stranded bridges.



DNA is denatured.



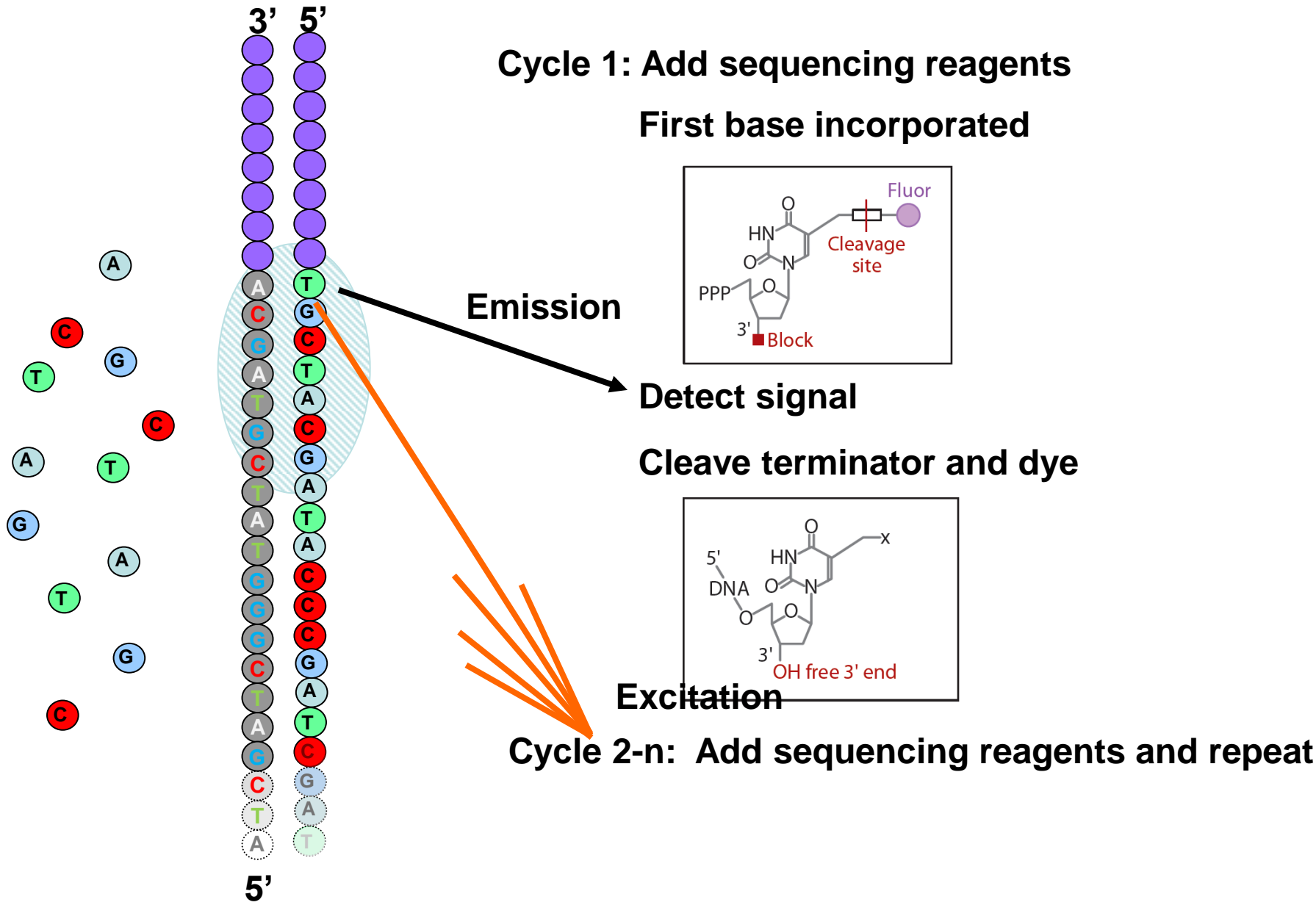
One primer is cut off and washed out.



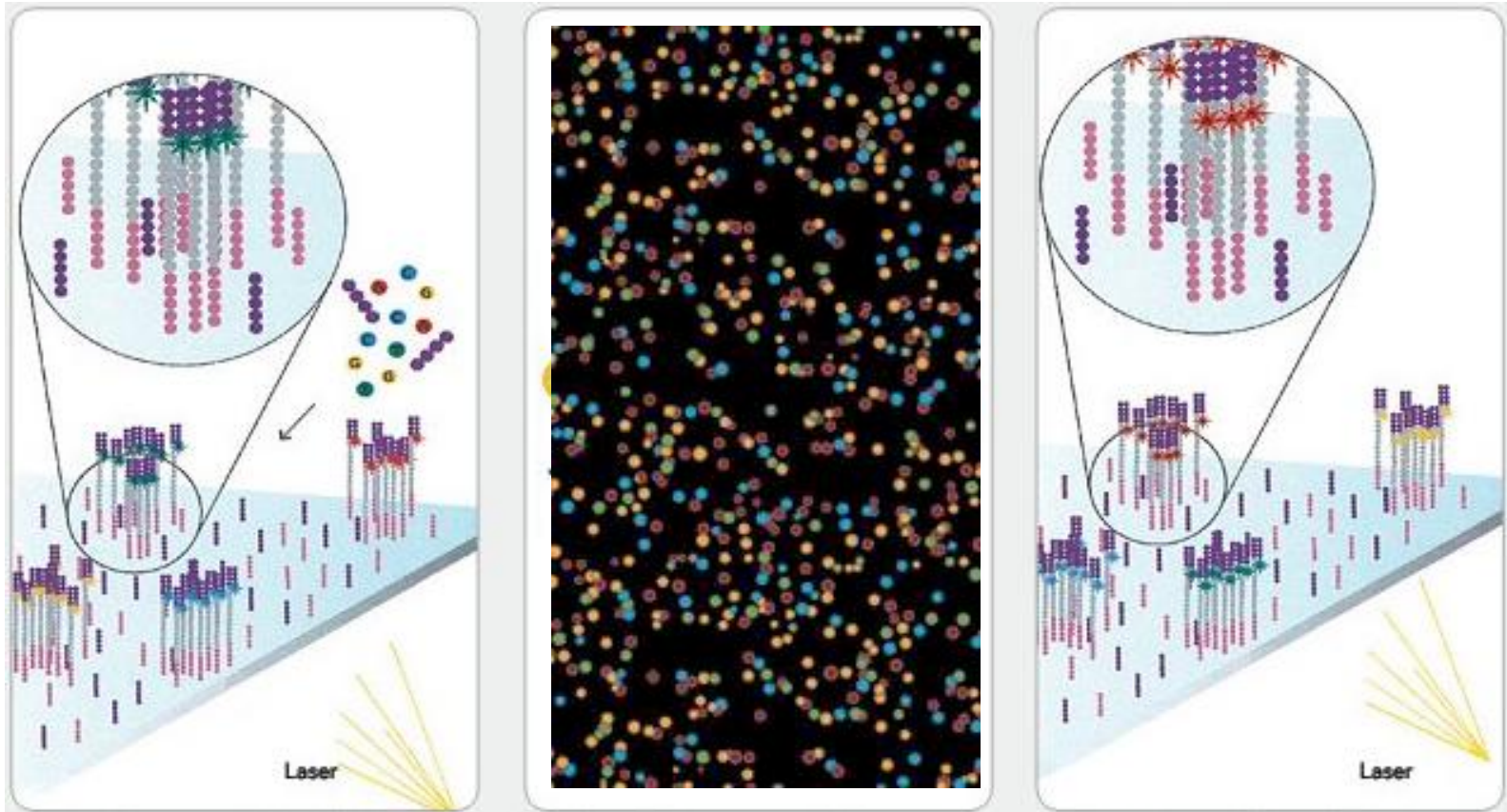
the last operations, which are done on Cluster station are:

- * * blocking of all 3' ends (ddNTP's and terminal transferase) to prevent extension of DNA molecules on each other;
- * annealing of sequencing primer.

Sequencing by synthesis



Sequencing by Synthesis - Fluorescently labeled Nucleotides (Illumina)



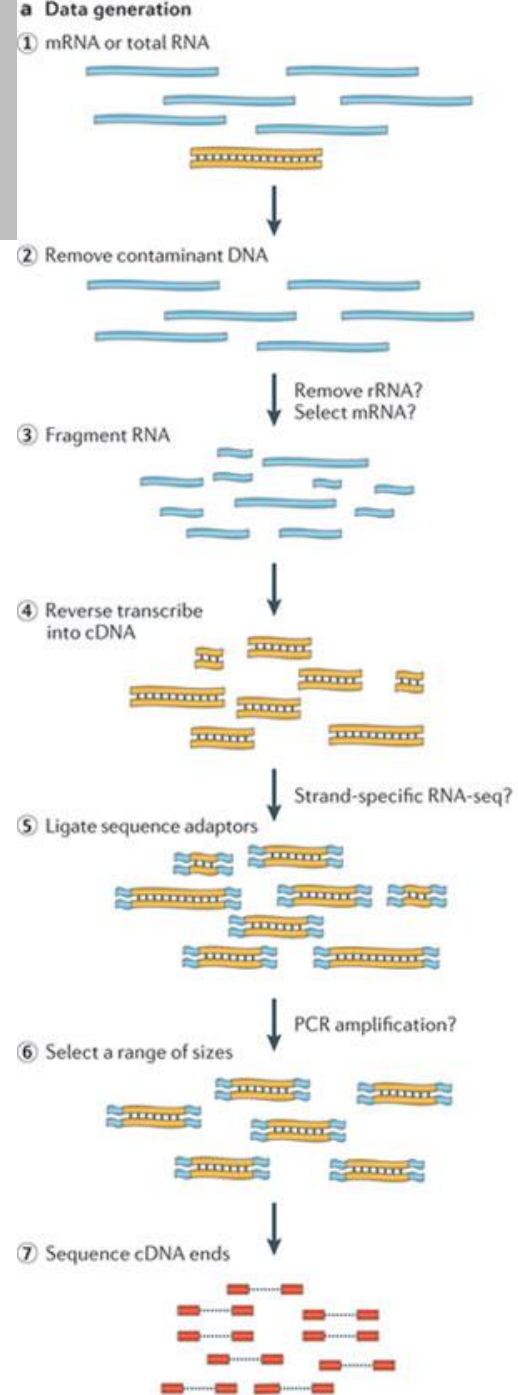
Complementary strand elongation: DNA Polymerase

video

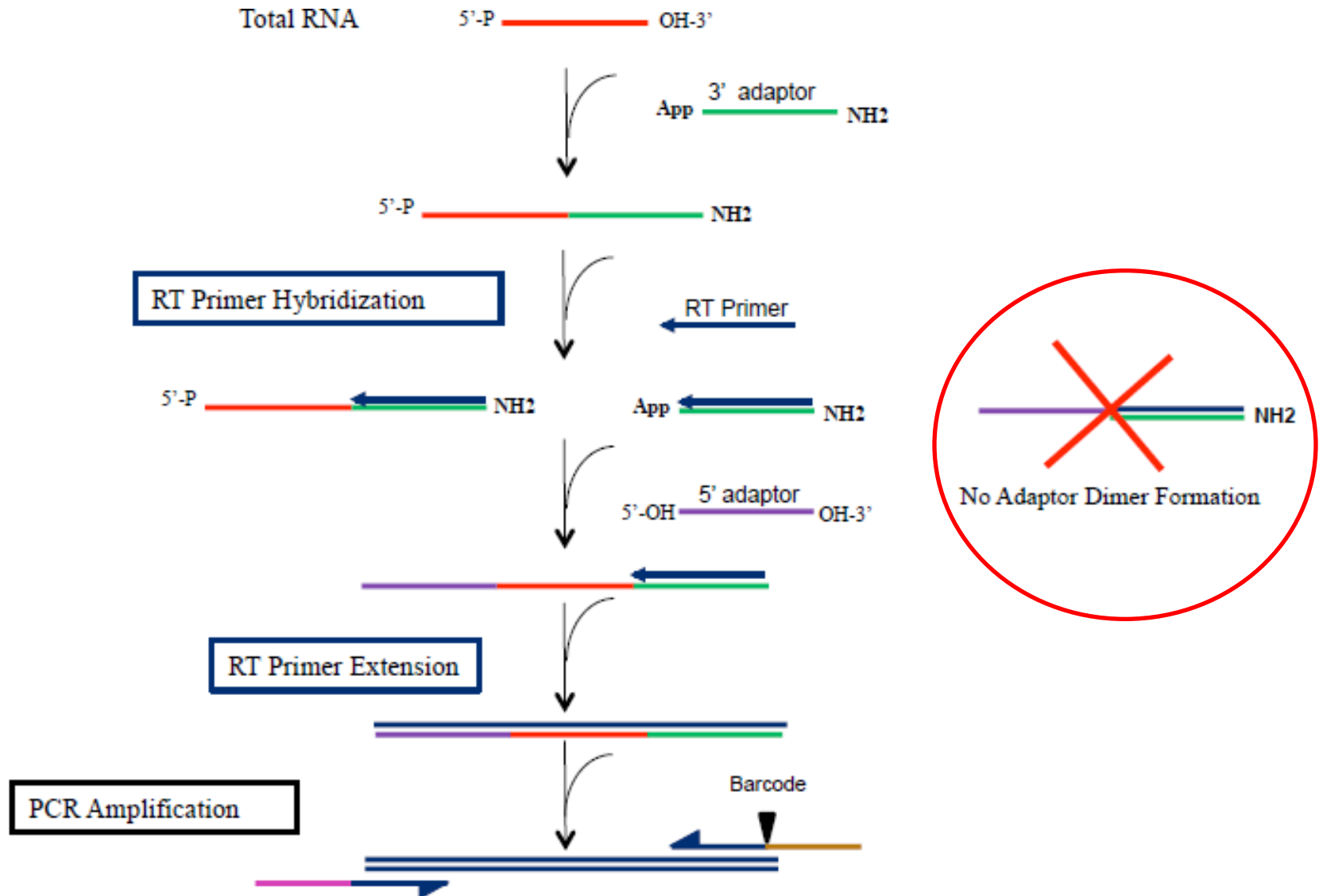
- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=womKfikWlxM>

The general experimental procedure for RNA

Transcriptom =
sum of all RNA
(mRNA, rRNA,
tRNA and
noncoding RNA)



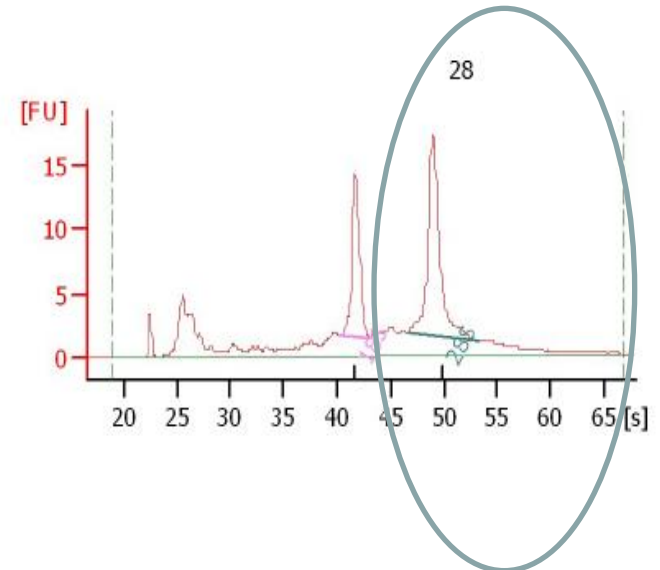
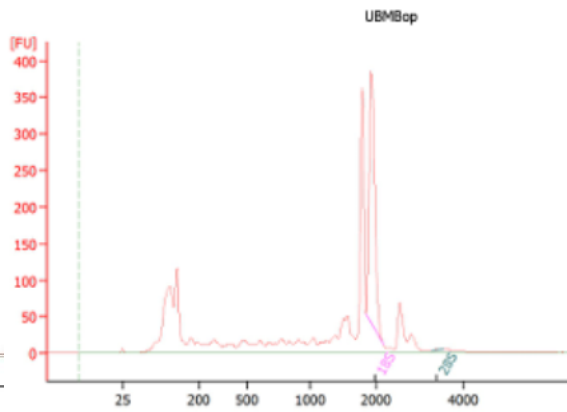
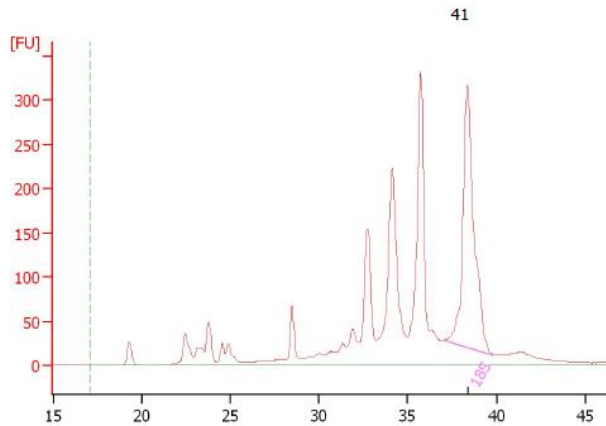
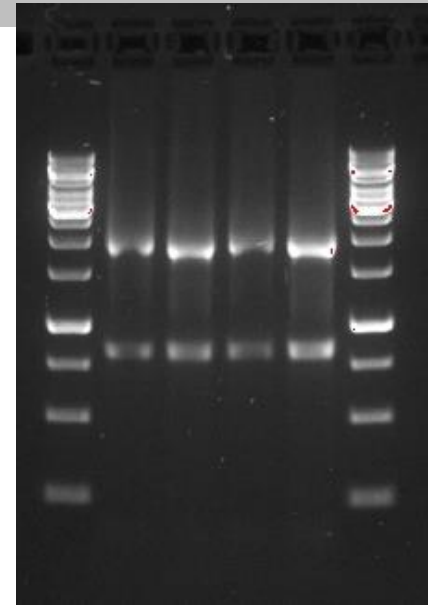
The general experimental procedure for miRNA



Library preparation

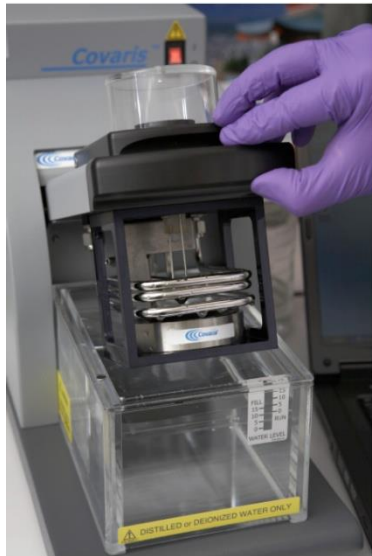
Strict QC of starting material

- appropriate quantification
- gel images, bioanalyzer traces
- which carrier was used – salmon sperm DNA, yeast RNA ☹️, linear acrylamide 😊
- How to get rid of rRNA...



Library preparation

- Fragmentation: Covaris, enzymes, for RNA ions+heat
- Size selection: gel vs beads



Covaris



E-gel

Konstrukce cDNA knihovny malých RNA

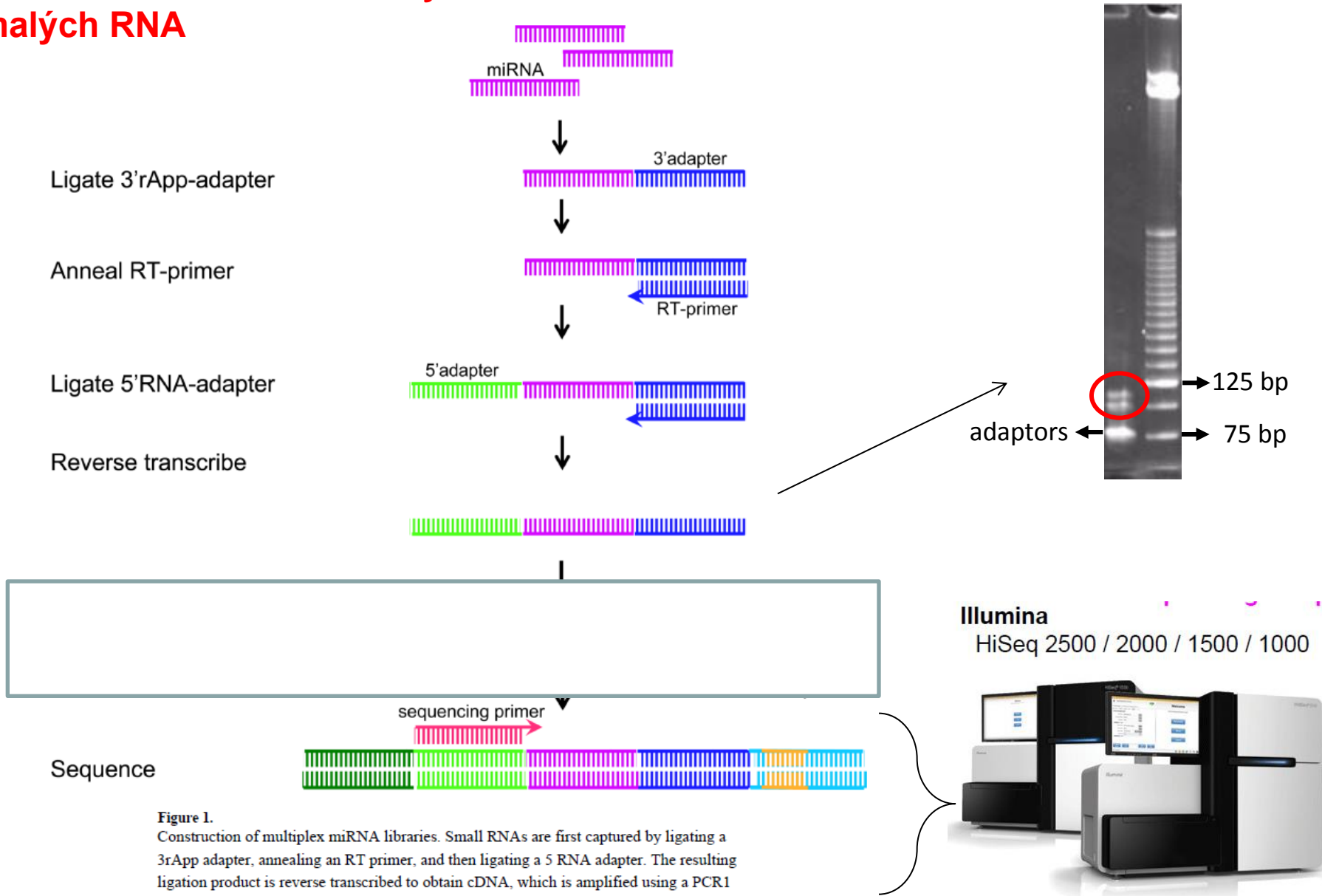
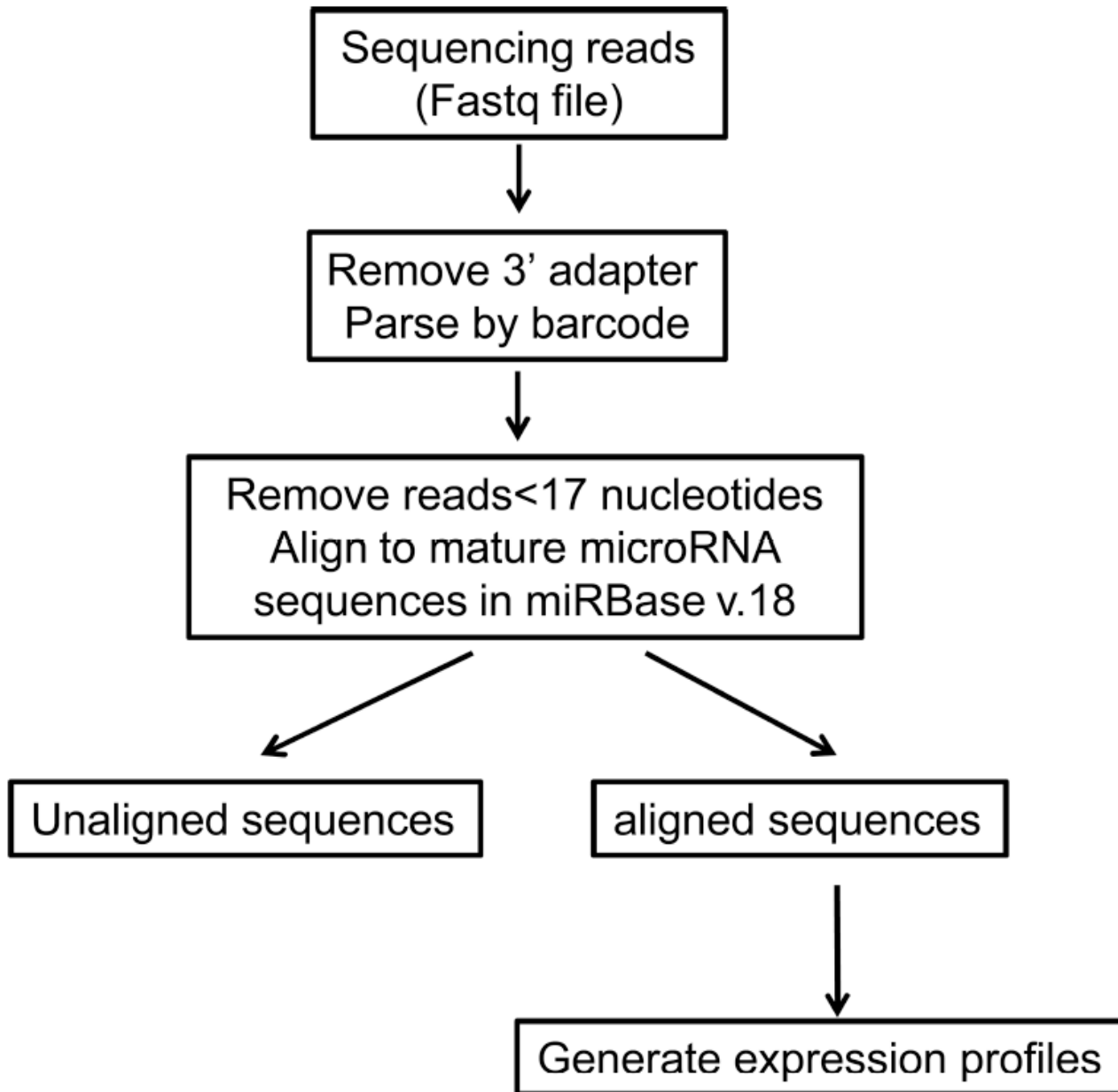


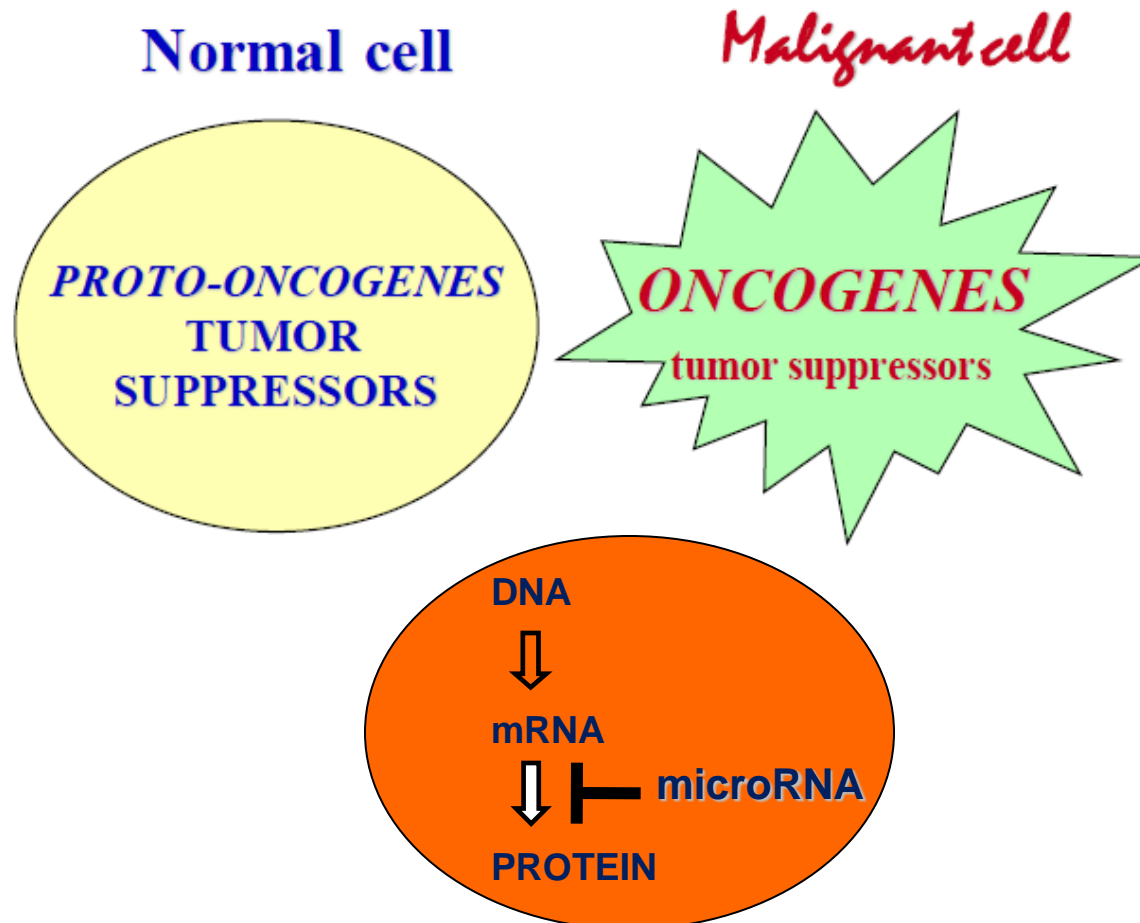
Figure 1. Construction of multiplex miRNA libraries. Small RNAs are first captured by ligating a 3rApp adaptor, annealing an RT primer, and then ligating a 5 RNA adaptor. The resulting ligation product is reverse transcribed to obtain cDNA, which is amplified using a PCR1 forward primer and PCR2 barcoded reverse primers to generate an ~135-bp product containing miRNAs (~22 bp). The final product is purified prior to sequencing. Adapted from Vigneault et al. (2012).



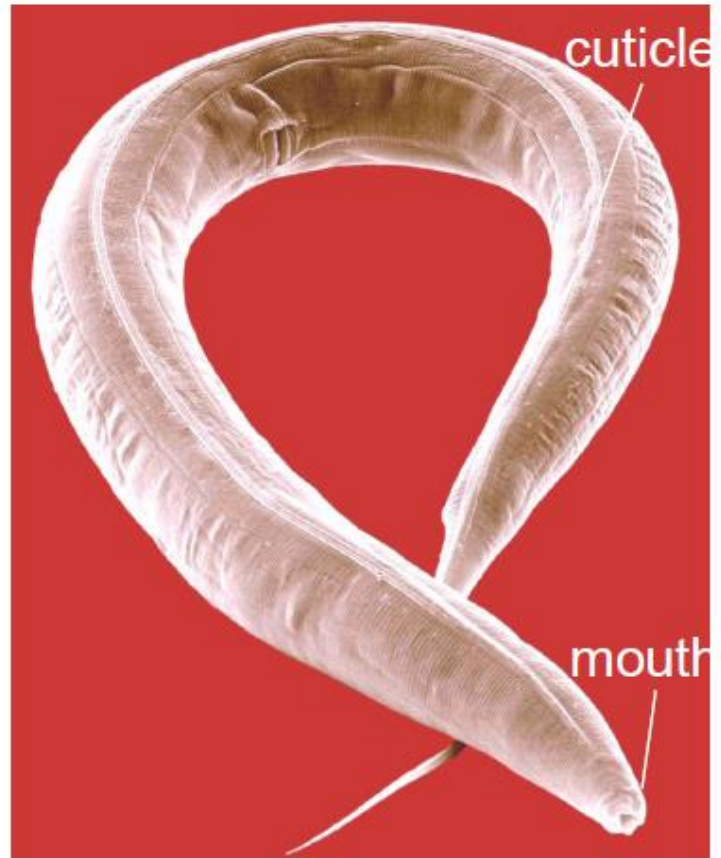
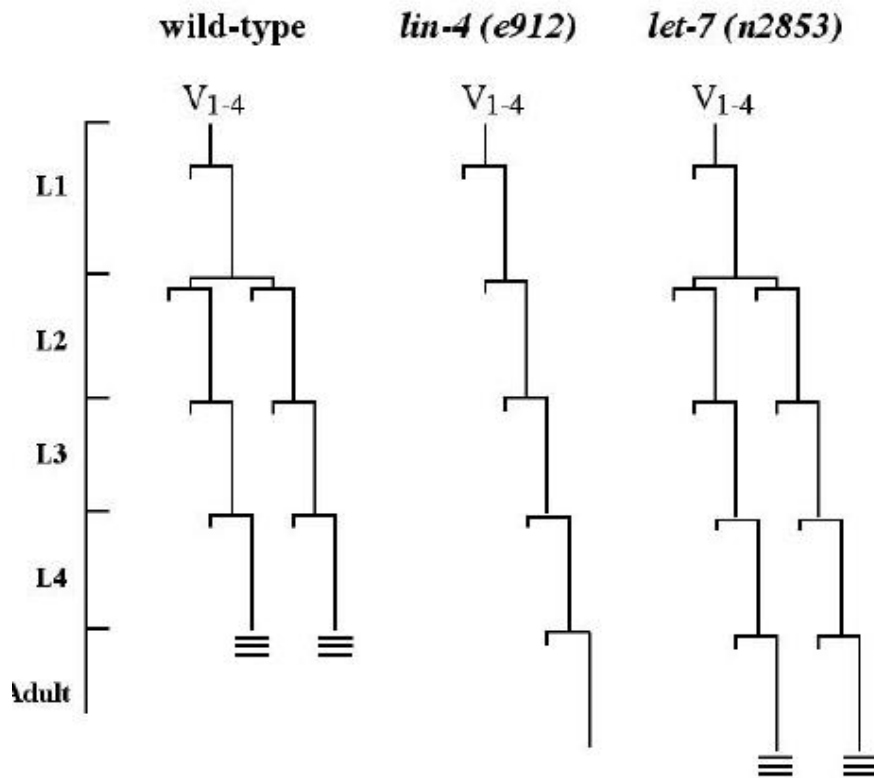
ODPOČINEK

Year 2K “Central dogma” of molecular oncology

Cancer is the GENETIC DISEASE with the most complex mechanism.
Oncogenes and Tumor-suppressors are the two types of PROTEINS deregulated in cancer cells.



MicroRNAs were discovered by V. Ambros and G. Ruvkun in *C. elegans*



Lee et al. 1993 *Cell*

Reinhart et al. 2000 *Nature*

microRNA genes map to cancer loci

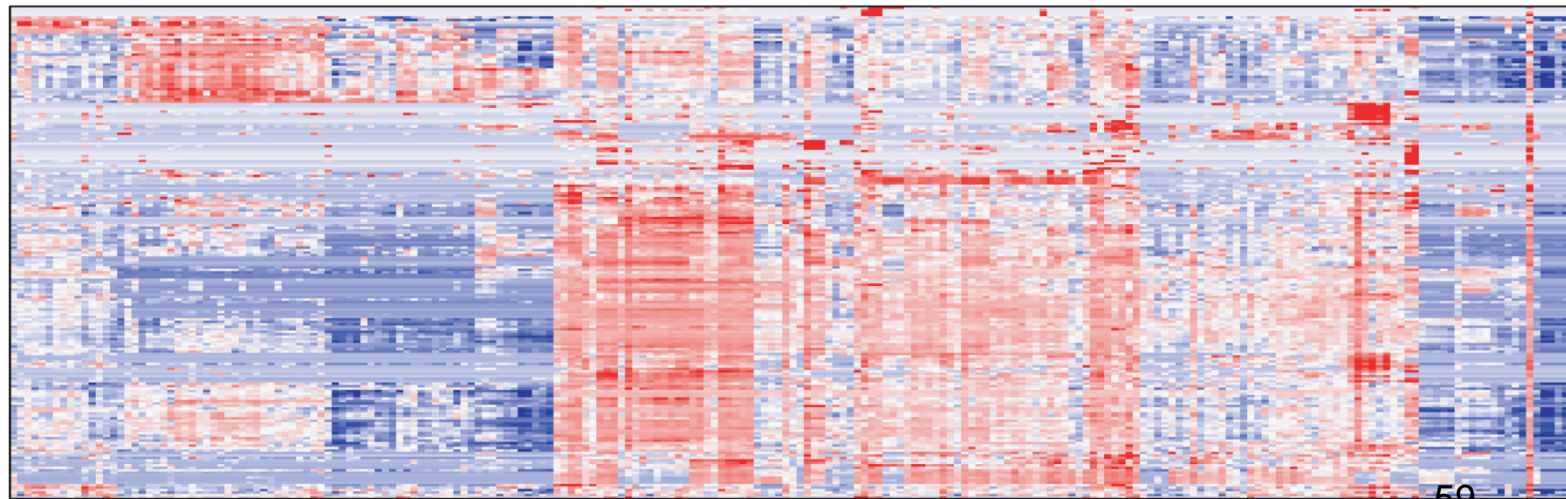
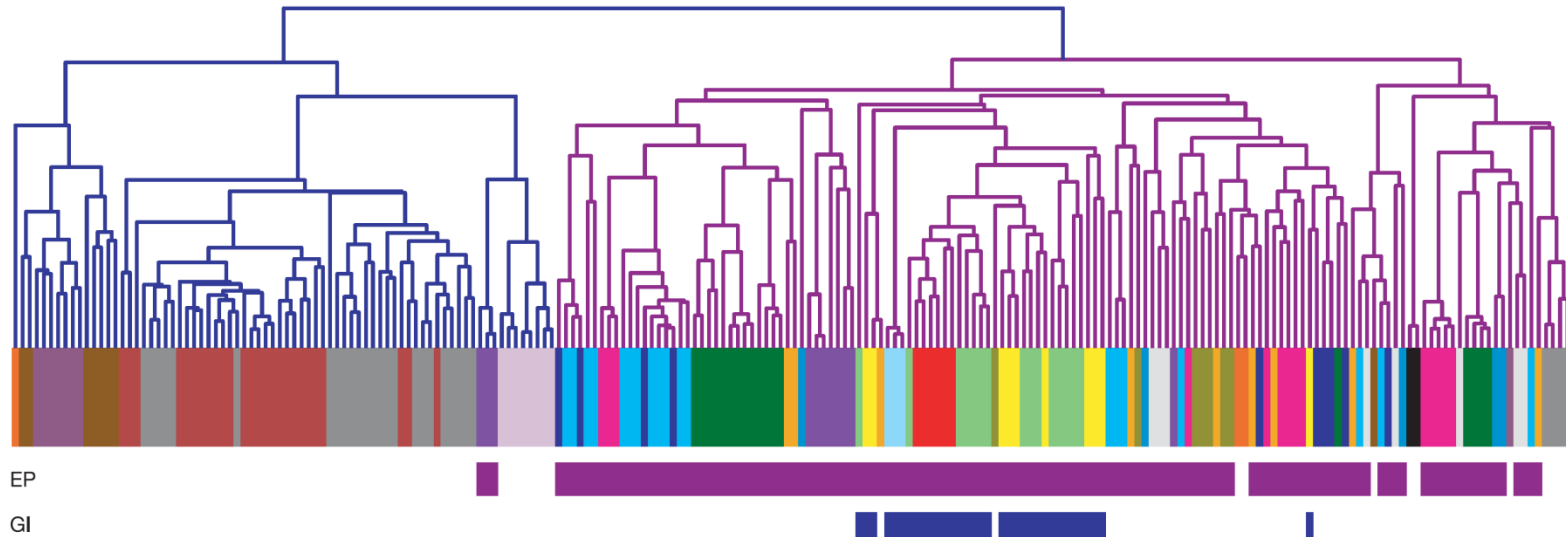
Table 2. Examples of miRNAs located in minimal deleted regions, minimal amplified regions, and breakpoint regions involved in human cancers

Chromosome	Location (defining markers)	Size, Mb	miR	Hystotype	Known OG/TS
3p21.1-21.2-D	ARP-DRR1	7	<i>let-7g/miR-135-1</i>	Lung, breast cancer	—
3p21.3(AP20)-D	GOLGA4-VILL	0.75	<i>miR-26a</i>	Epithelial cancer	—
3p23-21.31(MDR2)-D	D3S1768-D3S1767	12.32	<i>miR-26a; miR-138-1</i>	Nasopharyngeal cancer	—
5q32-D	ADRB2-ATX1	2.92	<i>miR-145/miR-143</i>	Myelodysplastic syndrome	—
9q22.3-D	D9S280-D9S1809	1.46	<i>miR-24-1/miR-27b/miR-23b; let-7a-1/let-7f-1/let-7d</i>	Urothelial cancer	PTC, FANCC
9q33-D	D9S1826-D9S158	0.4	<i>miR-123</i>	NSCLC	—
11q23-q24-D	D11S927-D11S1347	1.994	<i>miR-34a-1/miR-34a-2</i>	Breast, lung cancer	PPP2R1B
11q23-q24-D	D11S1345-D11S1328	1.725	<i>miR-125b-1/let-7a-2/miR-100</i>	Breast, lung, ovary, cervix cancer	—
13q14.3-D	D13S272-D13S25	0.54	<i>miR-15a/miR-16a</i>	B-CLL	—
13q32-33-A	st5G15303-st5G31624	7.15	<i>miR-17/miR-18/miR-19a/miR-20/ miR-19b-1/miR-92-1</i>	Follicular lymphoma	—
17p13.3-D	D17S1866-D17S1574	1.899	<i>miR-22; miR-132; miR-212</i>	HCC	—
17p13.3-D	ENO3-TP53	2.275	<i>miR-195</i>	Lung cancer	TP53
17q22-t(8;17)	miR-142s/c-MYC		<i>miR-142s; miR-142as</i>	Prolymphocytic leukemia	c-MYC
17q23-A	CLTC-PPM1D	0.97	<i>miR-21</i>	Neuroblastoma	—
20q13-A	FLJ33887-ZNF217	0.55	<i>miR-297-3</i>	Colon cancer	—
21q11.1-D	D21S1911-ANA	2.84	<i>miR-99a/let-7c/miR-125b</i>	Lung cancer	—

D, deleted region; A, amplified region; NSCLC, non-small-cell lung cancer; HCC, hepatocellular carcinoma; PTC, patched homolog (*Drosophila*); FANCC, Fanconi anemia, complementation group C; PPP2R1B, protein phosphatase 2, regulatory subunit A (PR 65), β isoform, miRNAs in a cluster are separated by a slash. For references, see Table 6.

microRNA exprese je schopná rozlišit původ nádoru

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A microRNA expression signature of human solid tumors defines cancer gene targets

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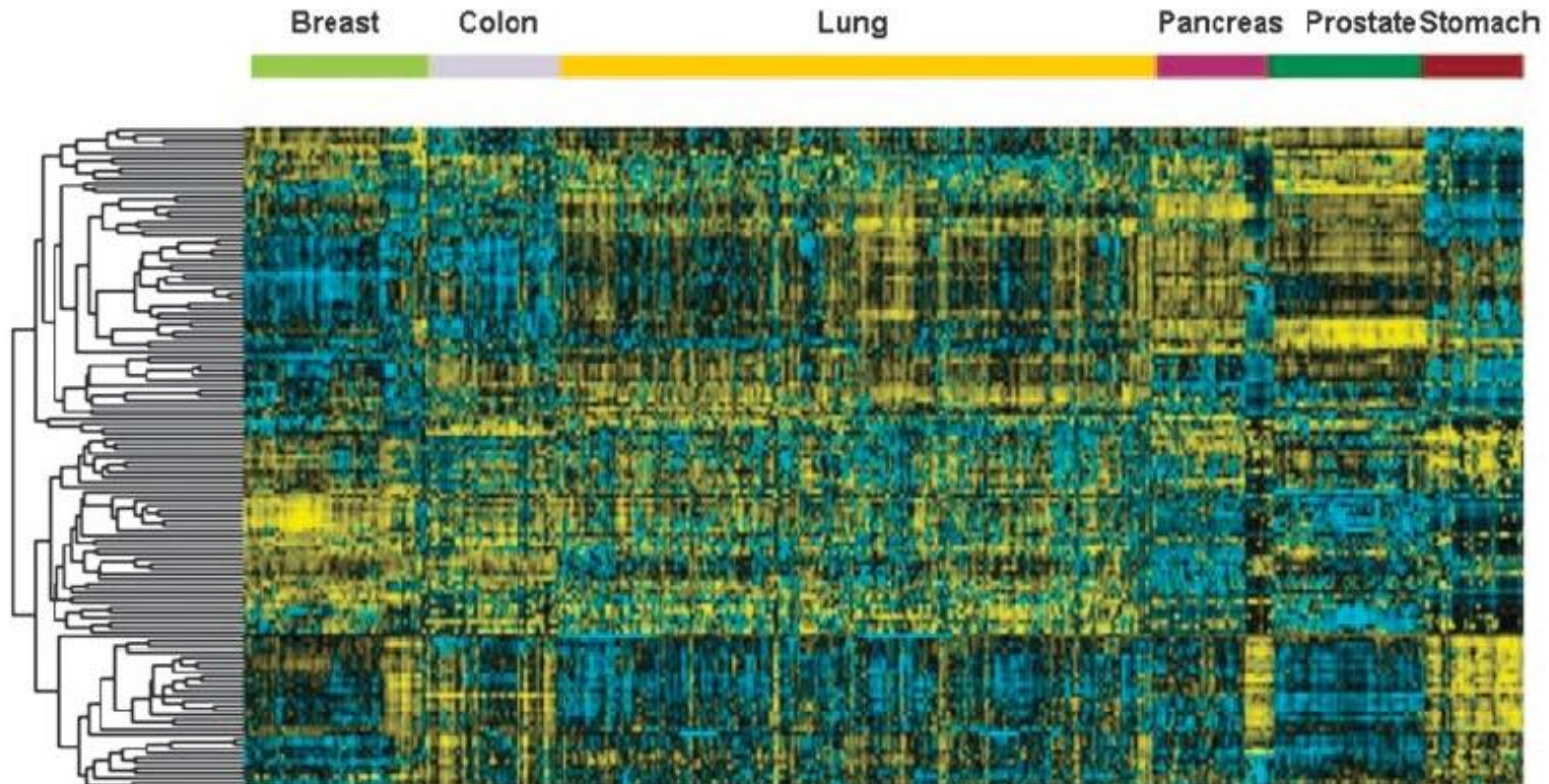
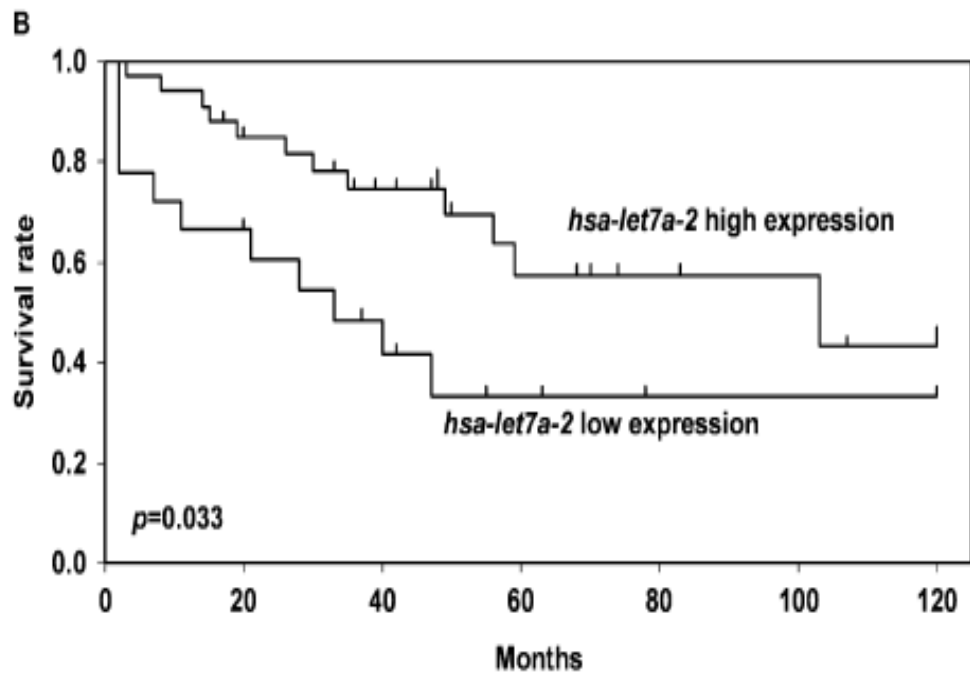
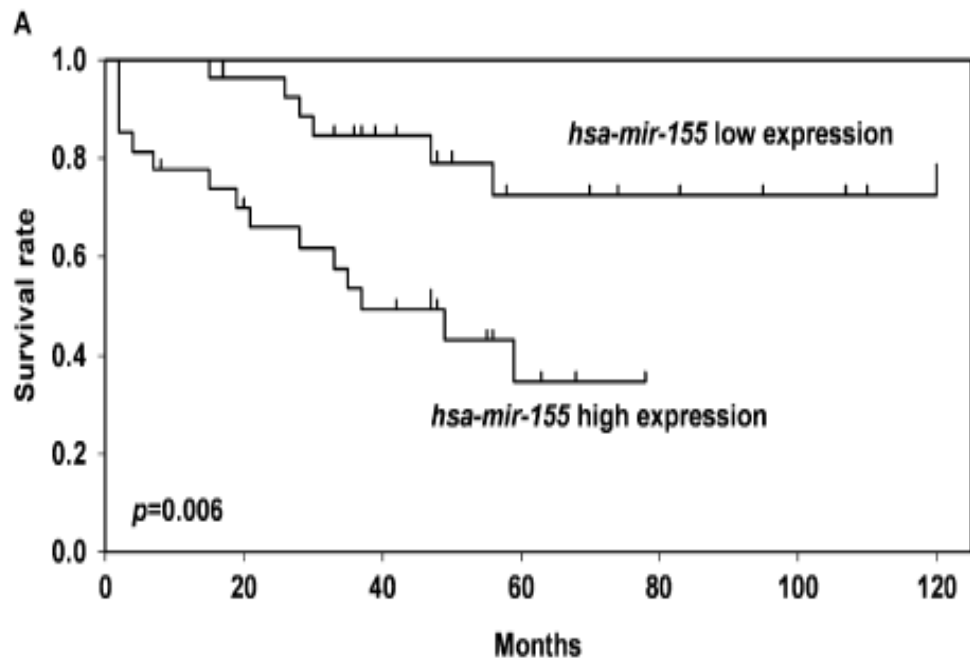


Table 2. The miRNAs shared by the signatures of the six solid cancers

miR	<i>N</i>	Tumor type
miR-21	6	Breast, colon, lung, pancreas, prostate, stomach
miR-17-5p	5	Breast, colon, lung, pancreas, prostate
miR-191	5	Colon, lung, pancreas, prostate, stomach
miR-29b-2	4	Breast, colon, pancreas, prostate
miR-223	4	Colon, pancreas, prostate, stomach
miR-128b	3	Colon, lung, pancreas
miR-199a-1	3	Lung, pancreas, prostate
miR-24-1	3	Colon, pancreas, stomach
miR-24-2	3	Colon, pancreas, stomach
miR-146	3	Breast, pancreas, prostate
miR-155	3	Breast, colon, lung
miR-181b-1	3	Breast, pancreas, prostate
miR-20a	3	Colon, pancreas, prostate
miR-107	3	Colon, pancreas, stomach
miR-32	3	Colon, pancreas, prostate
miR-92-2	3	Pancreas, prostate, stomach
miR-214	3	Pancreas, prostate, stomach
miR-30c	3	Colon, pancreas, prostate
miR-25	3	Pancreas, prostate, stomach
miR-221	3	Colon, pancreas, stomach
miR-106a	3	Colon, pancreas, prostate

The list includes 21 commonly up-regulated microRNAs in 3 or more (*N*) types of solid cancers (P value = 2.5×10^{-3}).



A unique miRNA signature is associated with lung cancer prognosis

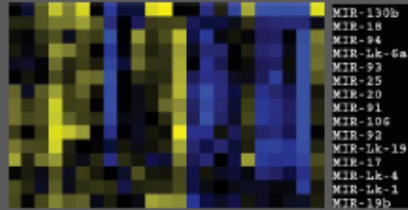
Table 5. Postoperative survival of patients with lung adenocarcinoma in relation to clinicopathological characteristics and miRNA expression analyzed by microarray analysis

Variable	Subset	Hazard ratio (95% confidence interval)	p
→ Univariate analysis (n = 65)			
Age	age ≥ 67/age < 67	1.41 (0.67–3.06)	0.348
Sex	male/female	1.36 (0.64–2.93)	0.413
Stage	II–IV/I	2.51 (1.29–6.82)	0.010
Smoking history	current/former	1.32 (0.63–2.79)	0.456
→ hsa-mir-155 (n = 55)	high/low	3.42 (1.42–8.19)	0.006
→ hsa-let-7a-2 (n = 52)	low/high	2.35 (1.08–6.86)	0.033
→ Multivariate analysis (n = 55) ^{a,b}			
Age	age ≥ 67/age < 67	1.92 (0.71–5.17)	0.195
Sex	male/female	1.23 (0.47–3.22)	0.669
Stage	II–IV/I	3.27 (1.31–8.37)	0.013
Smoking history	current/former	1.49 (0.51–4.34)	0.457
→ hsa-mir-155	high/low	3.03 (1.13–8.14)	0.027

^aMultivariate analysis, Cox proportional hazard regression model.

^bhsa-let-7a-2 low/high was not statistically significant (p = 0.129).

A polycistronic cluster of microRNAs are overexpressed in cancer

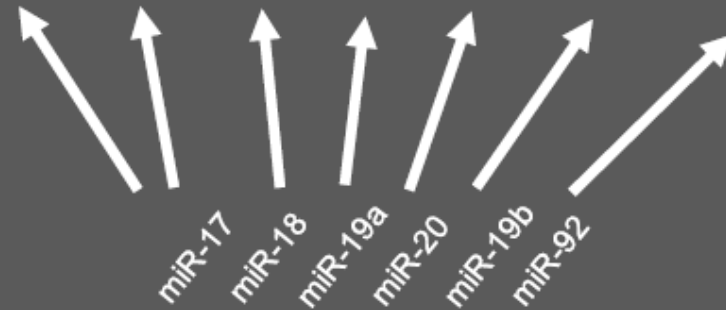


Proliferation

Angiogenesis

Apoptosis

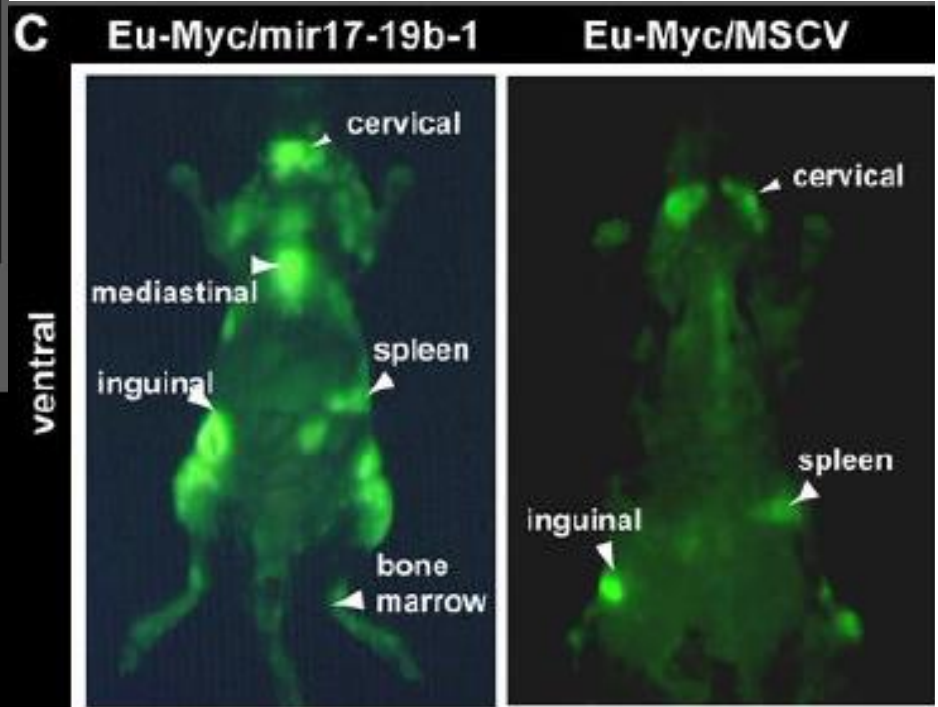
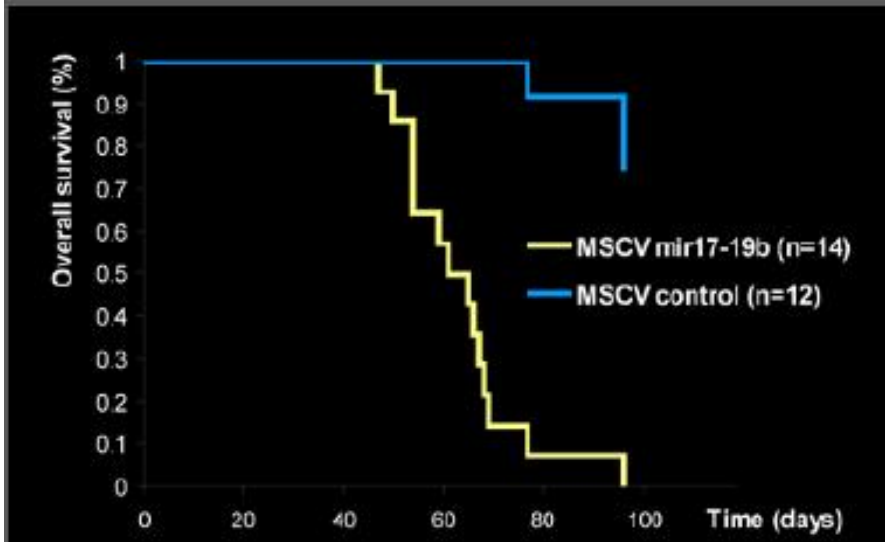
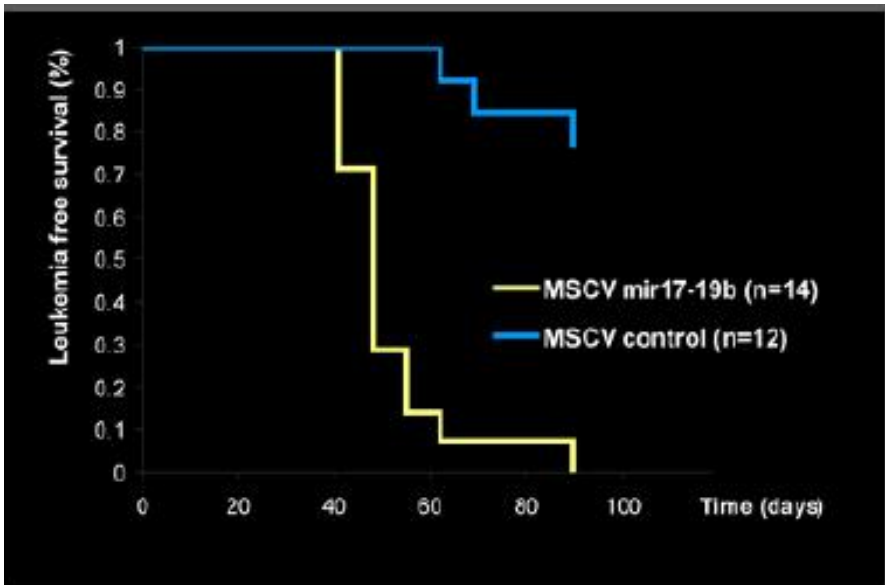
Invasiveness



Ch13-ORF25

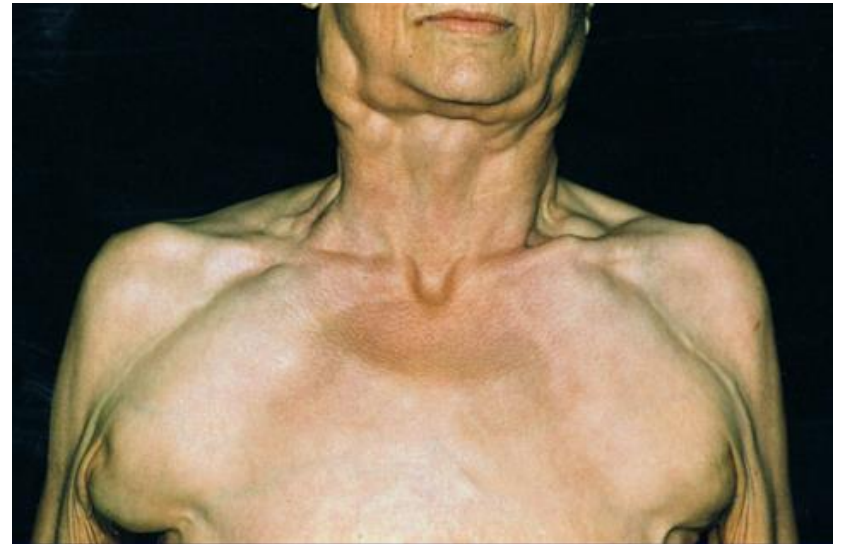
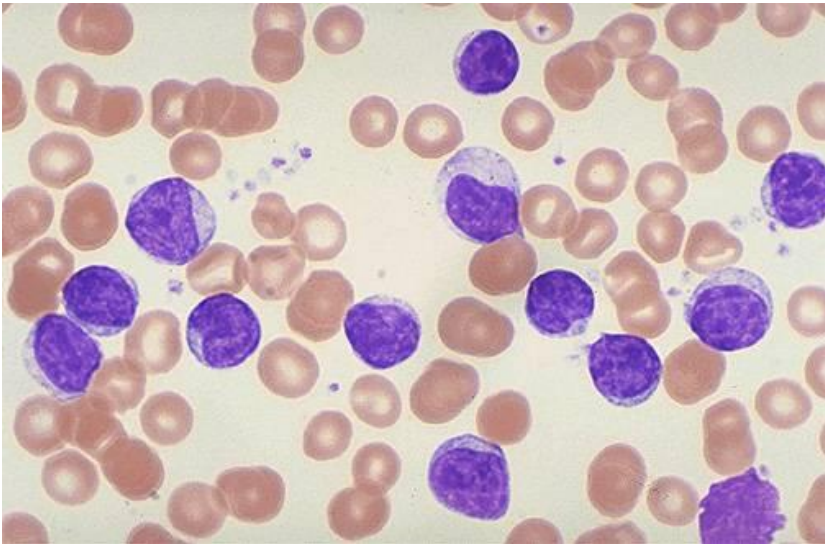


OncomiR-1 (Oncogenic microRNA-1)



Chronická lymfatické leukémie

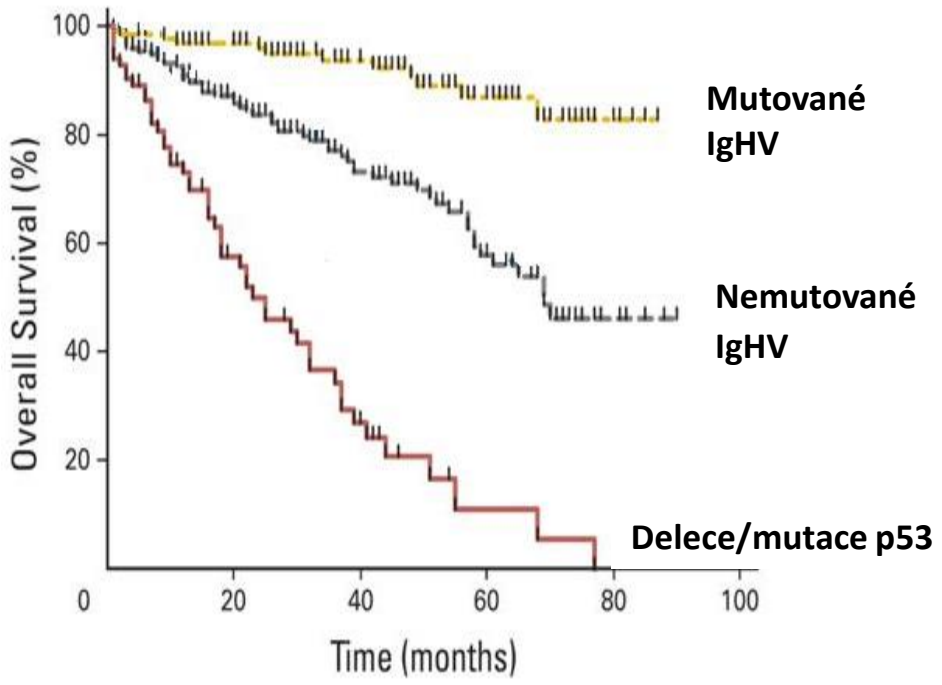
- ❑ Z maturovaných B lymfocytů
- ❑ Nejčastější leukémie dospělých
- ❑ Extrémně variabilní prognóza
- ❑ Nejčastější aberace del13q14 – obsahuje 2 miRNA (miR-15a, miR-16)



Expresse miRNA asociuje s prognostickými subtypy CLL

~ 20 miRNAs

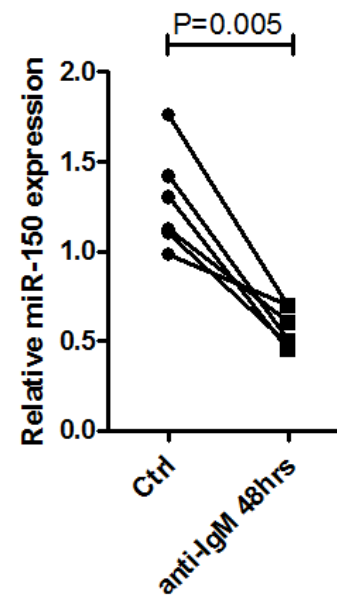
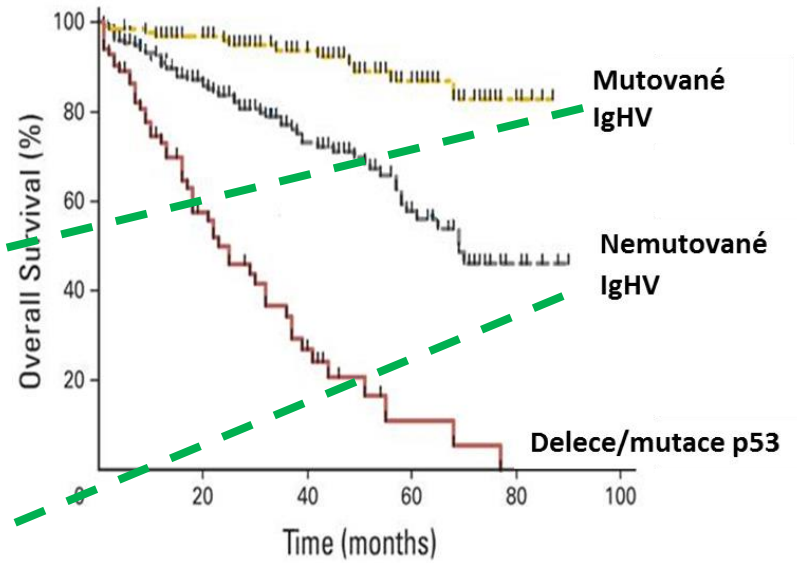
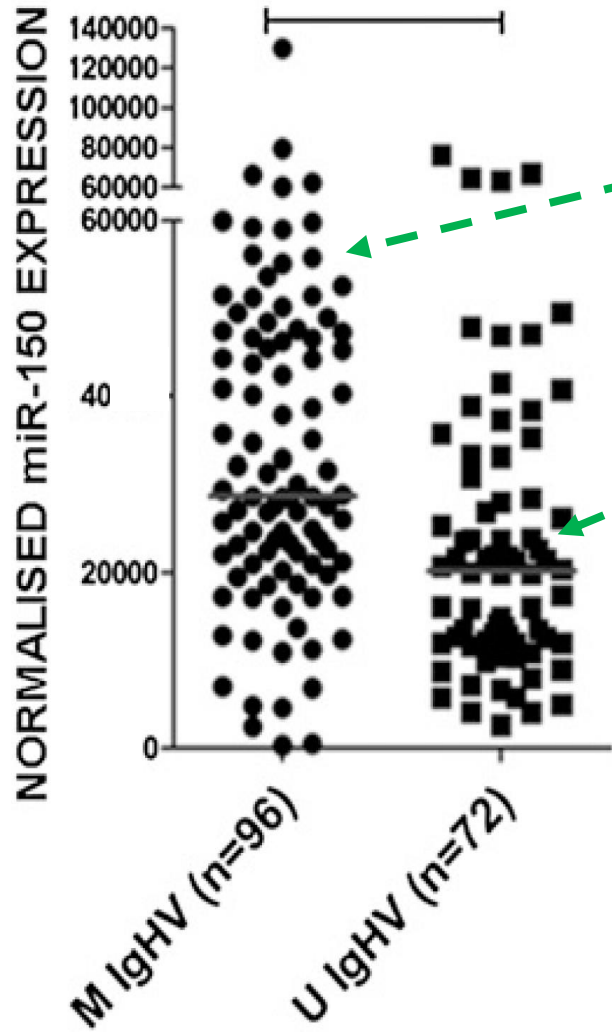
Calin et al., 2005
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Zenz et al., 2009
Stamatopoulos et al., 2009
Mraz et al., 2009a, 2009b, 2012, 2014



What is the functional significance of these observations?

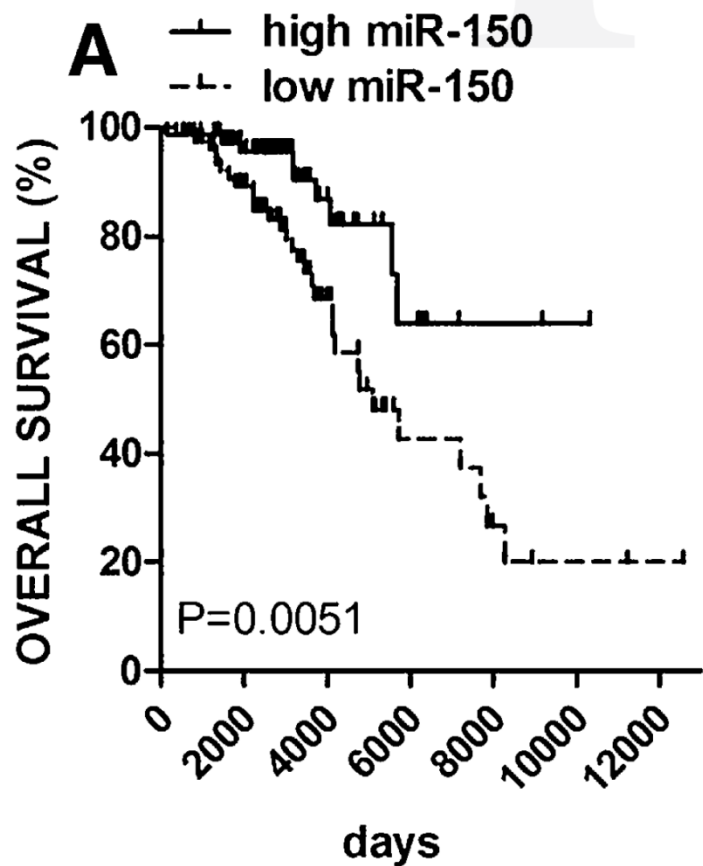
Pacienti s nemutovaným IgHV mají nižší expresi miR-150

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Nižší hladiny miR-150 asociují s kratším celkovým přežitím a časem do první léčby

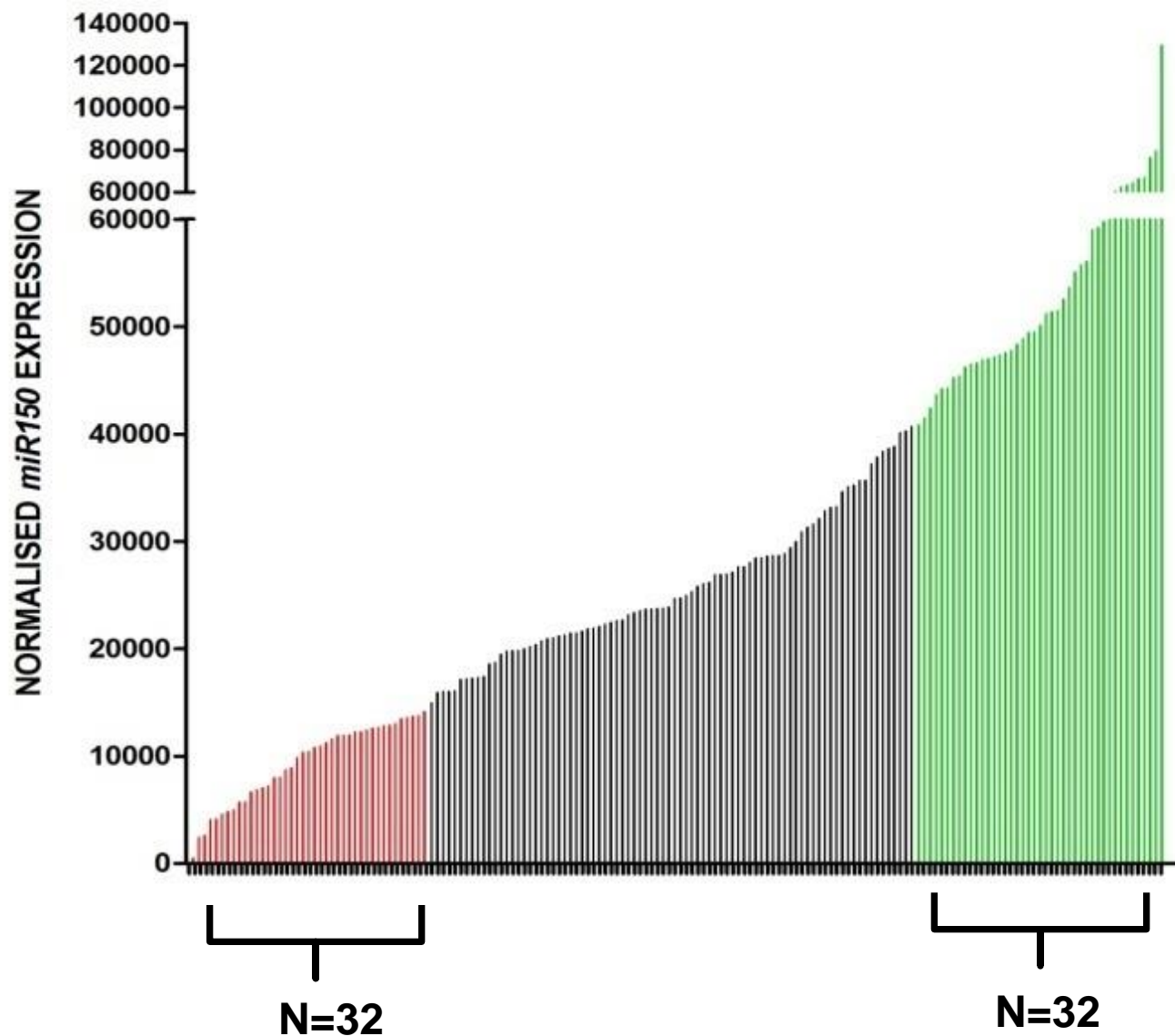
n = 168



Variable ^{&}	HR [#]	CI [#]	P-val [#]	
miR-150 (\leq vs. $>$ median)	5.6	2.1-14.9	0.001	
IGHV (unmut. vs. mut.)	2.8	0.9-9.1	0.08	
ZAP-70 (pos. vs. neg.)	5.6	1.7-17.9	0.004	
CD38 (pos. vs. neg.)	1.4	0.7-2.9	0.37	
Gender (male vs. female)	2.9	1.3-6.5	0.008	
Rai stage	I vs. 0	4.9	1.4-17	0.01
	II vs. 0	6.6	1.7-25.8	0.01
	\geq III vs. 0	3.6	1-13.1	0.05
Age ($>$ vs. \leq median)	3.0	1.4-6.8	0.01	

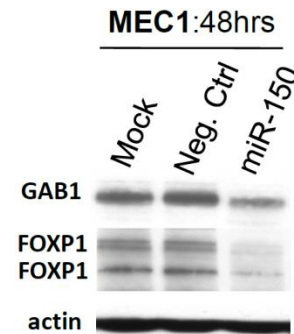
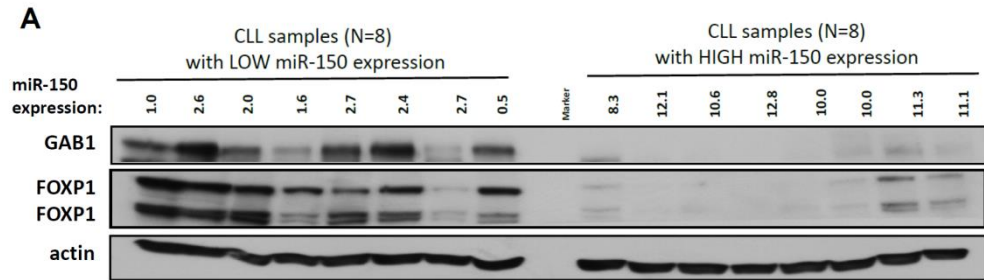
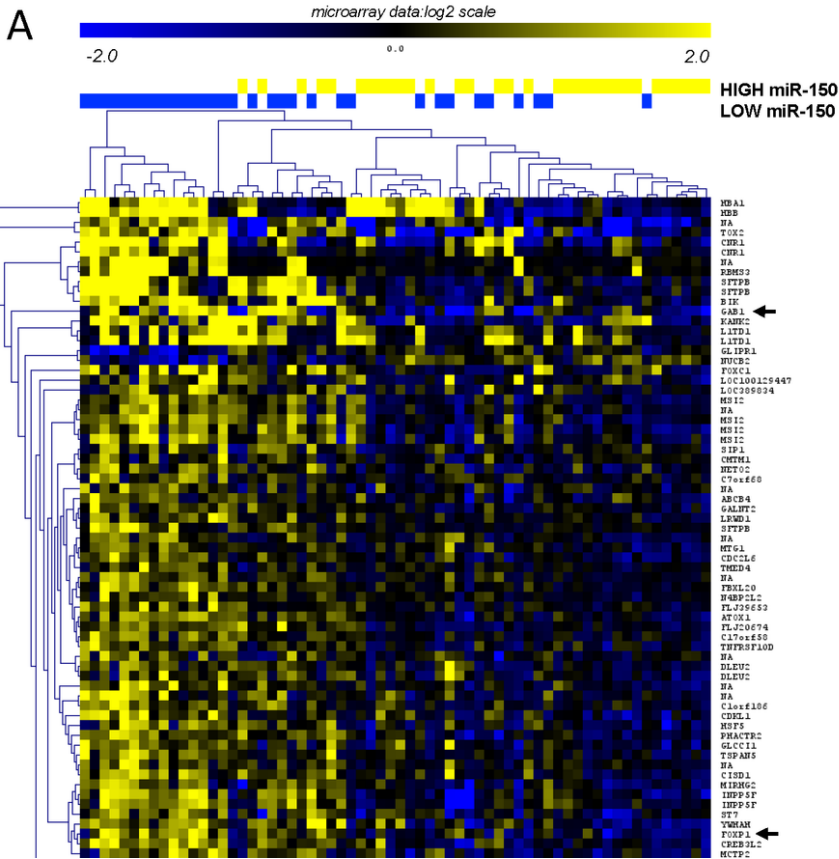
Jak identifikovat cíle miR-150 u CLL?

(HG-U133 Plus 2.0, Affymetrix)



Genové expresní čipy pro CLL s nízkou vs vysokou hladinou miR-150

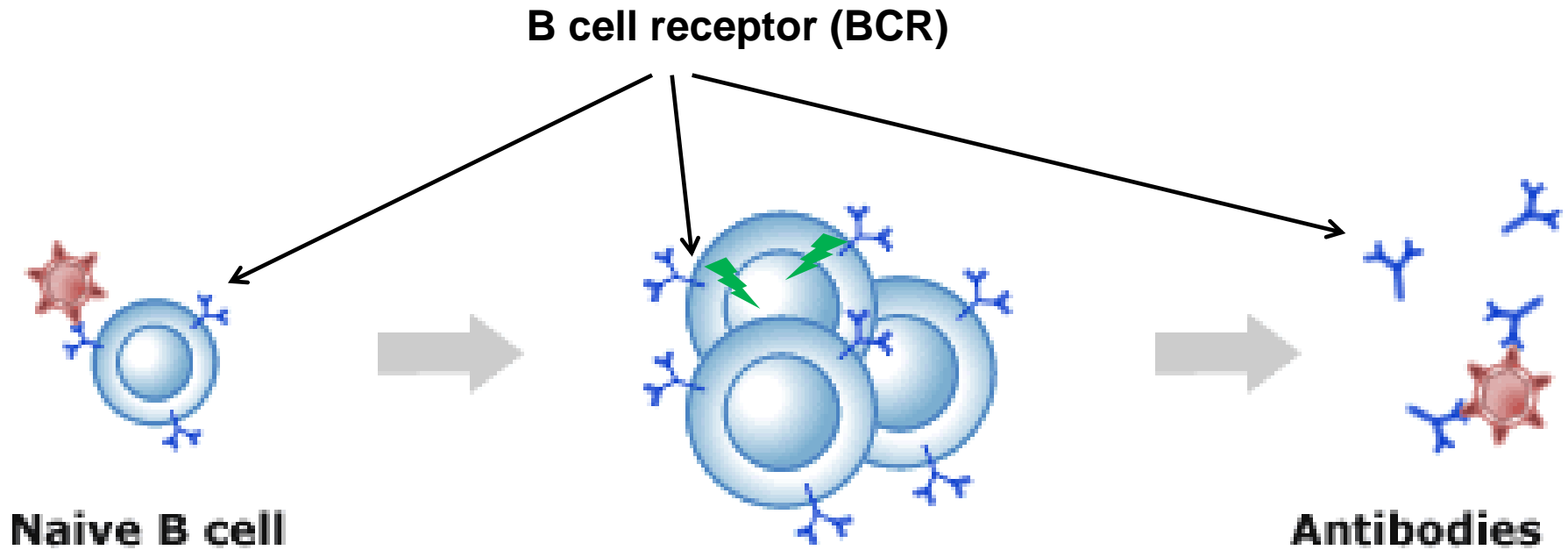
- 58 rozdílně exprimovaných genů
- 2 geny s evolučně konzervovanými vazebnými místy pro miR-150 – **GAB1 a FOXP1**



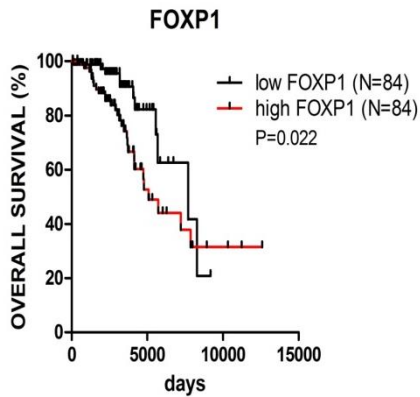
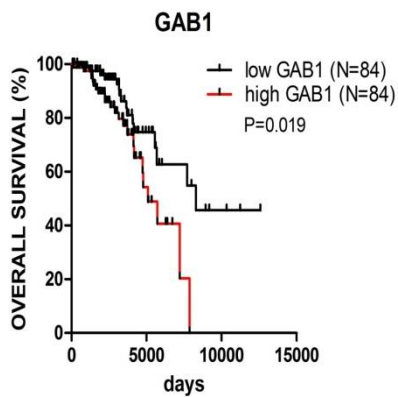
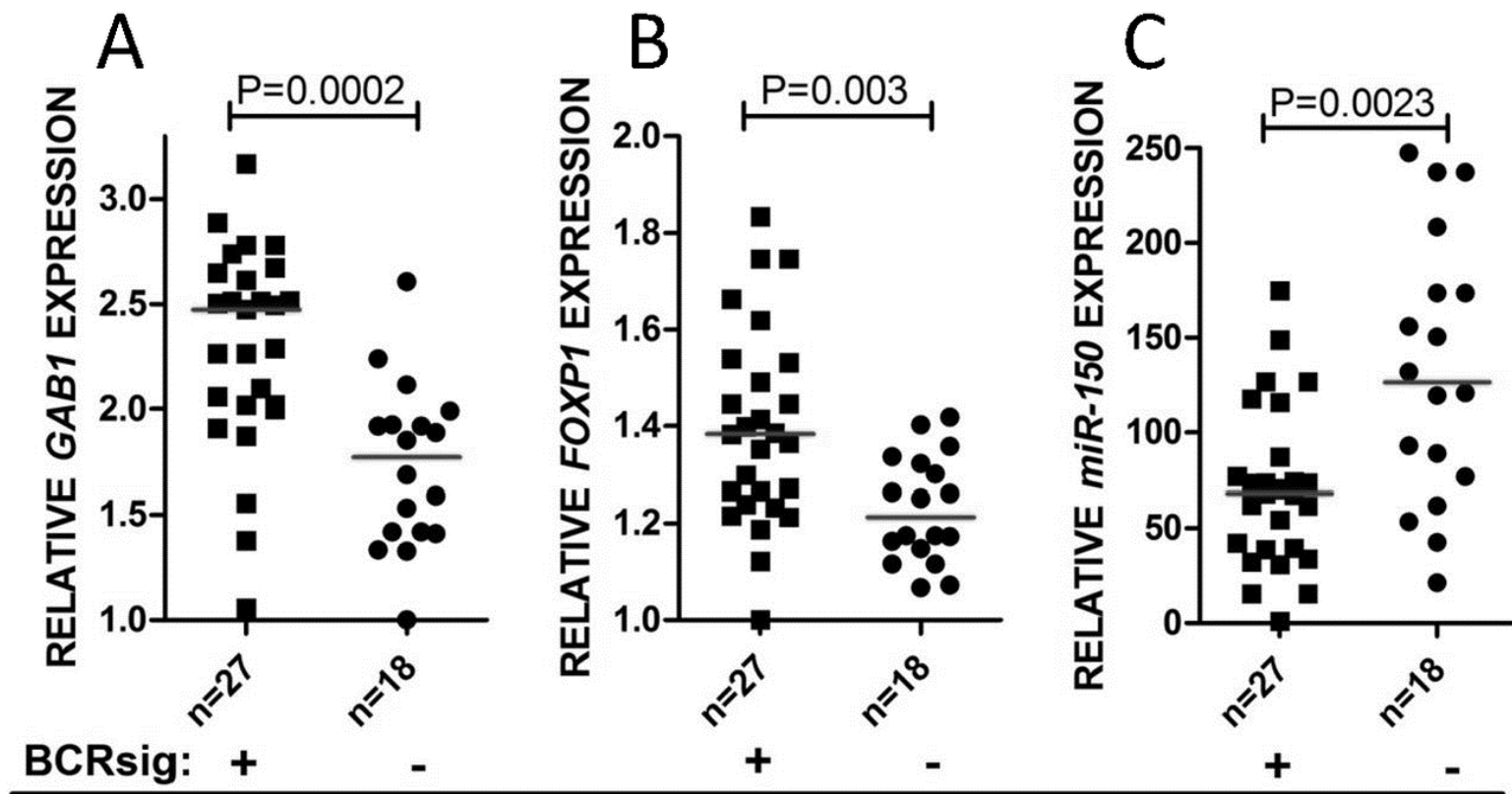
GAB1 je adaptorová molekula, která je nutná k vazbě PI3K na membránu a amplifikaci BCR signalizace (Ingham et al. JBC, 2001).

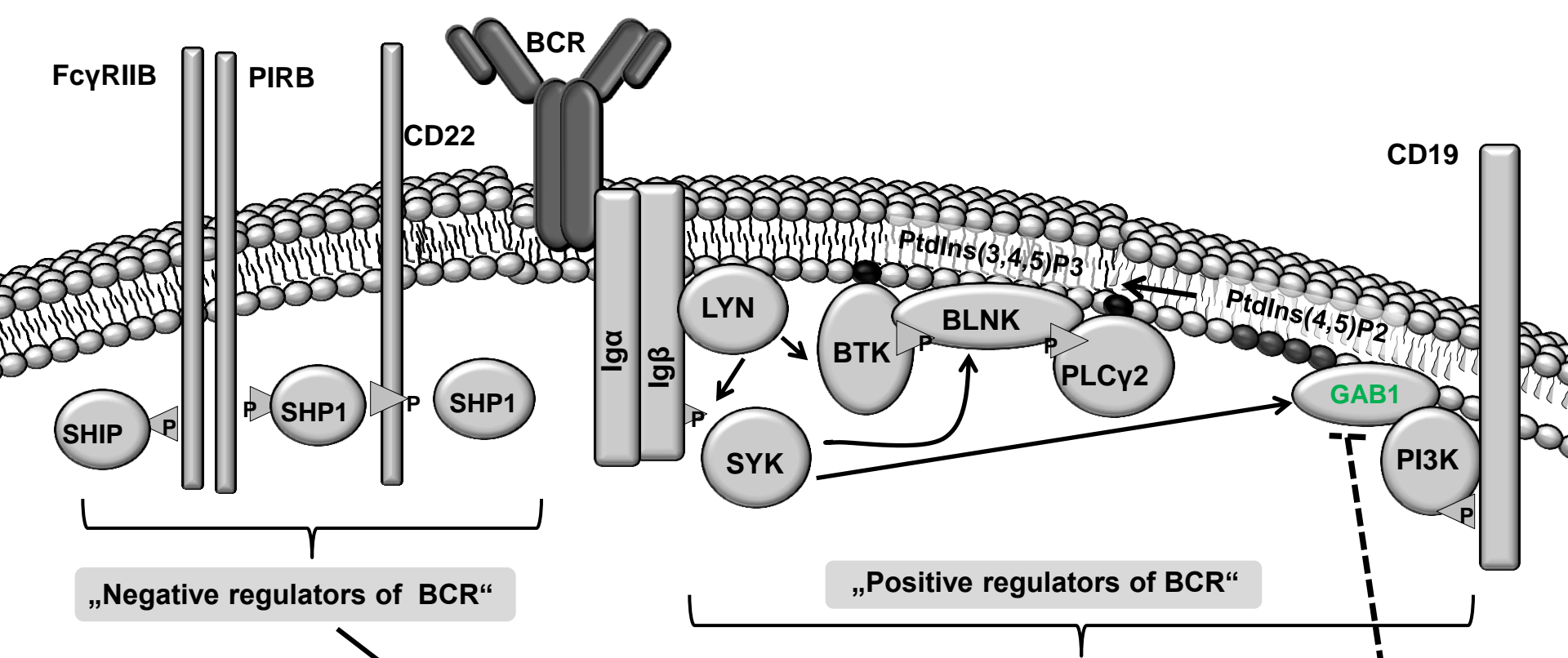
FOXP1 je transkripční faktor důležitý pro vývoj B lymfocytů a asociovaný s ABC DLBCL a progresí B buněčných lymfomů (Hu et al. Nat Immunol, 2006).

Adaptivní imunity- centrální dráha BCR

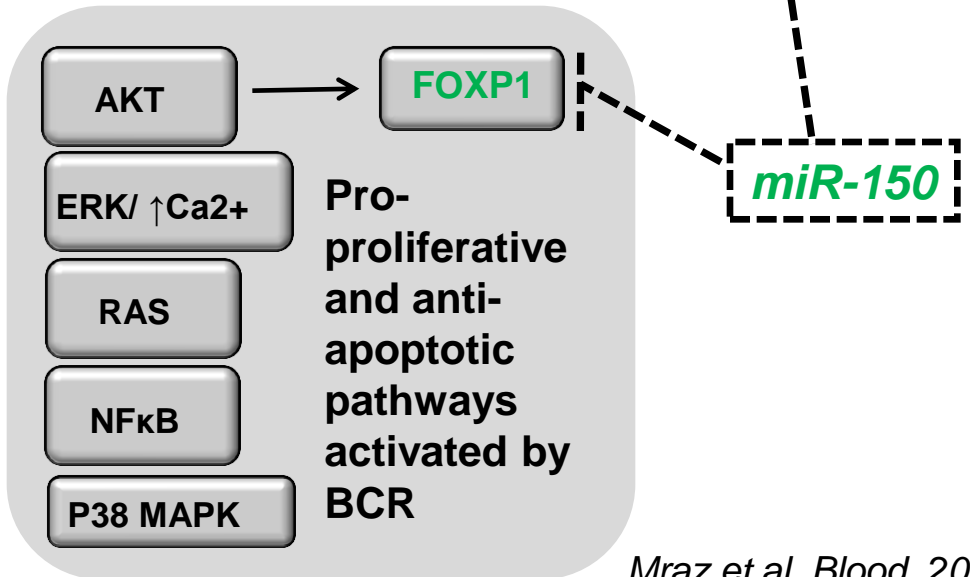


Vyšší hladiny GAB1 nebo FOXP1 znamenají silnější BCR signalizaci

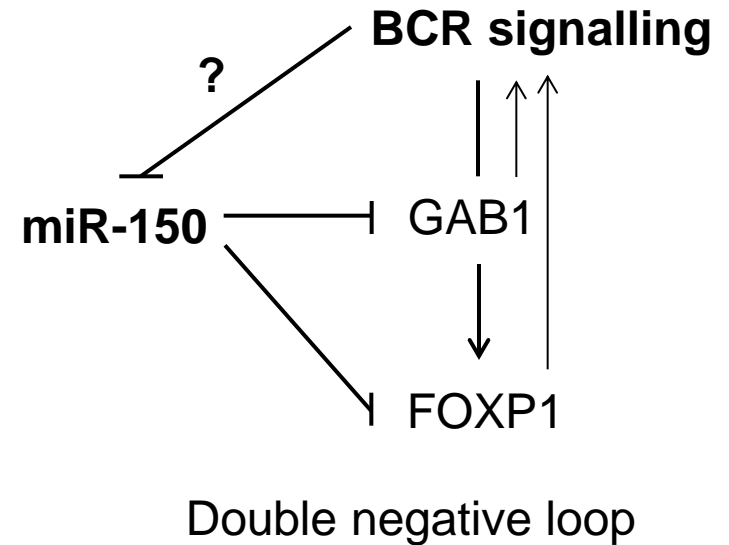
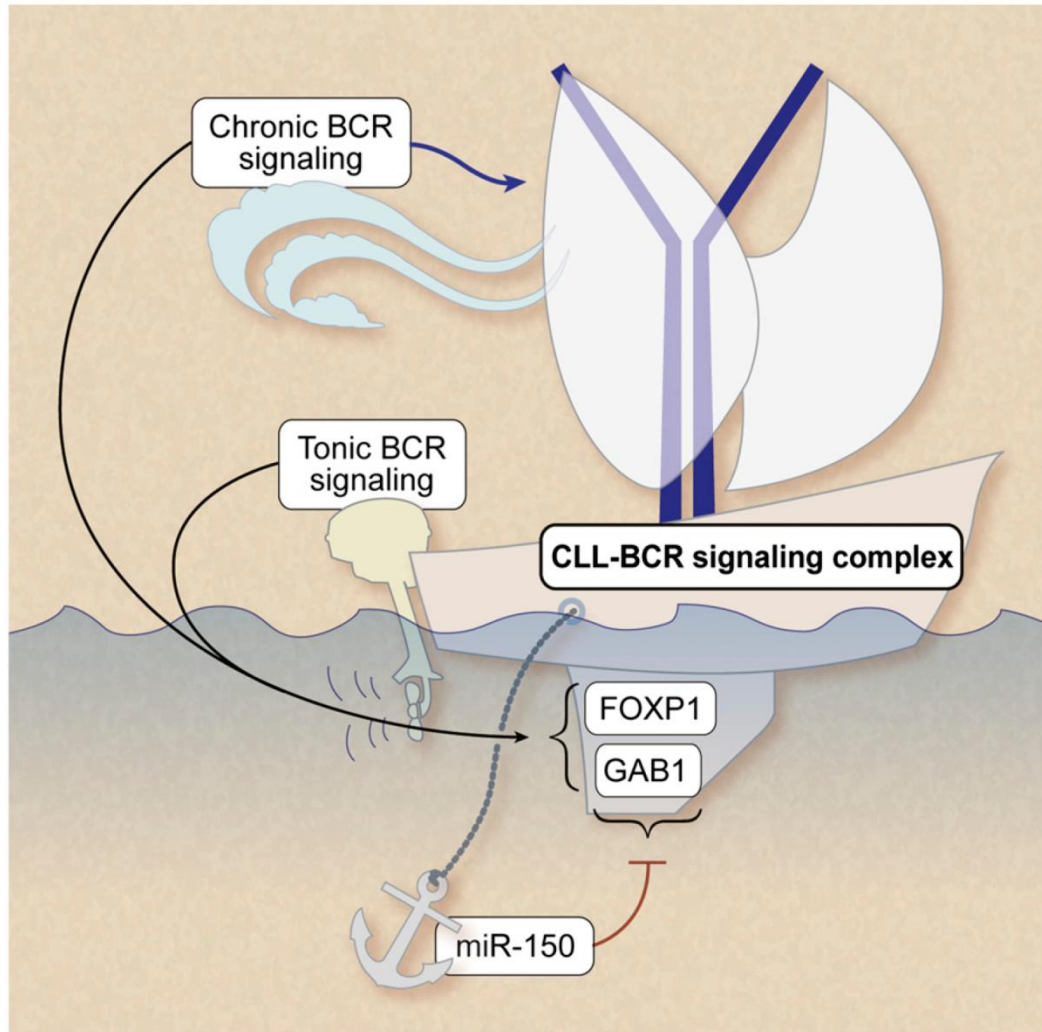




Popsali jsme první
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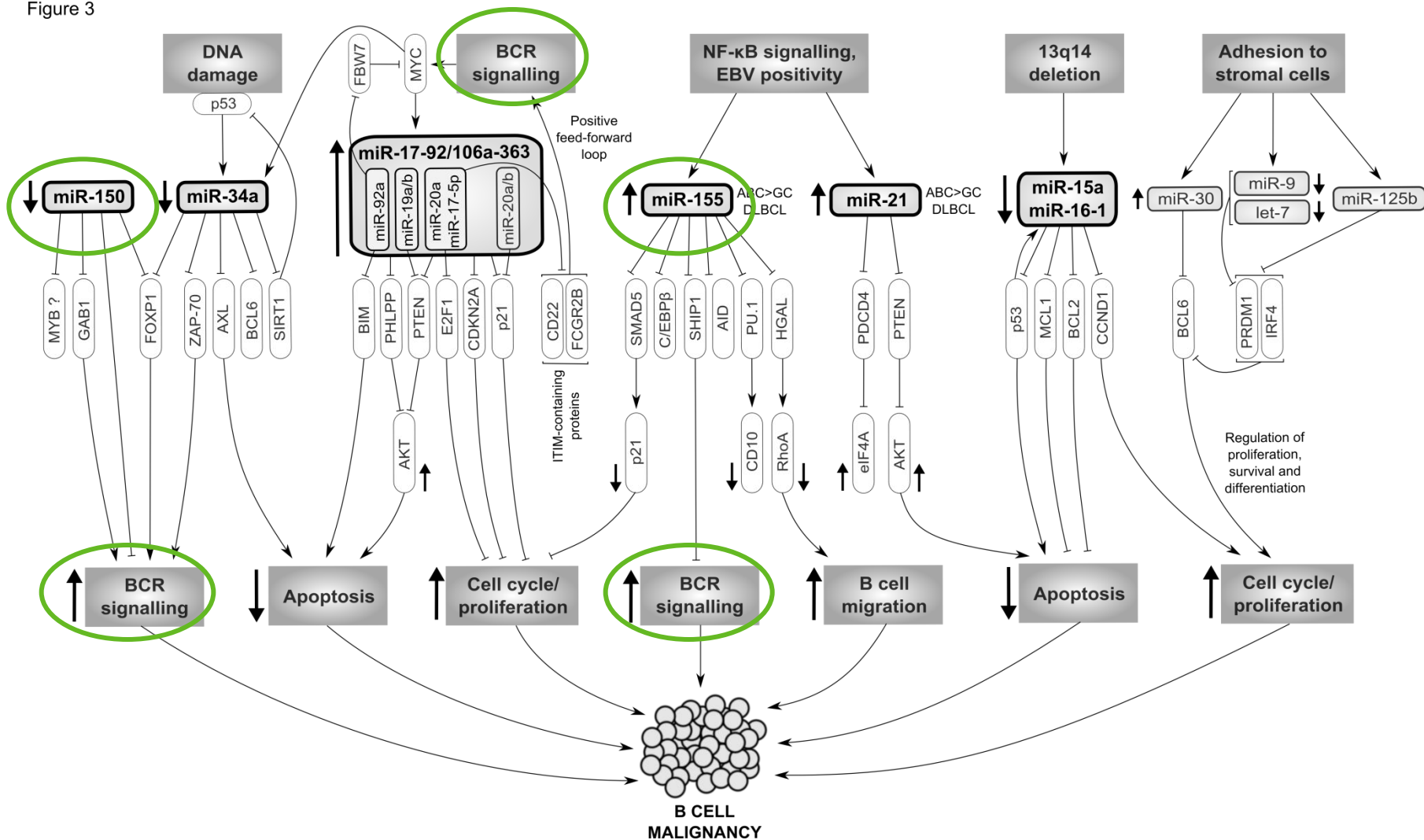
First description of miRNAs role in BCR signalling...not only in CLL



Ligand-independent ("tonic") and ligand-dependent ("chronic") BCR signaling play a pivotal role in CLL survival and growth. MiRNA-150 dampens the threshold for BCR signaling by repressing expression levels of GAB1 and FOXP1. Professional illustration by Debra T. Dartez.

miRNAs přispívají k regulaci mnoha drah

Figure 3



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