

Application of Multiple NGS Panels for Germline Variation to Real Practice

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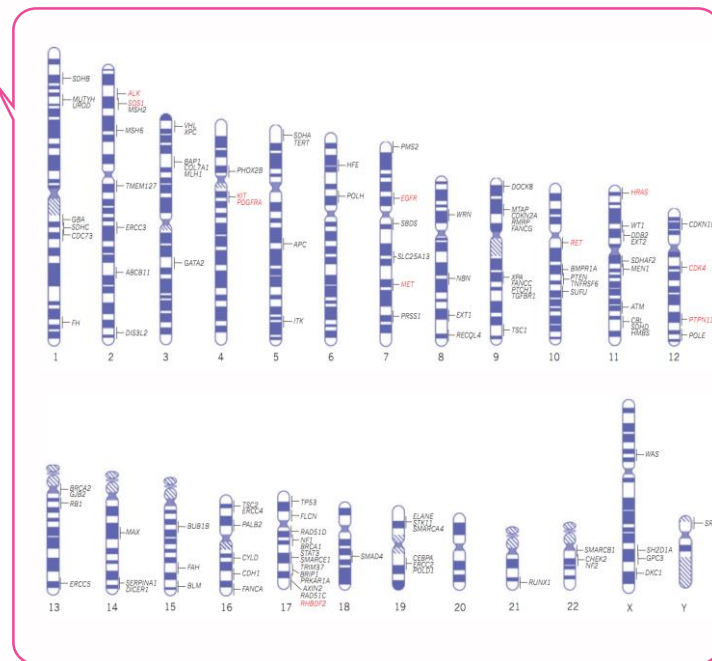
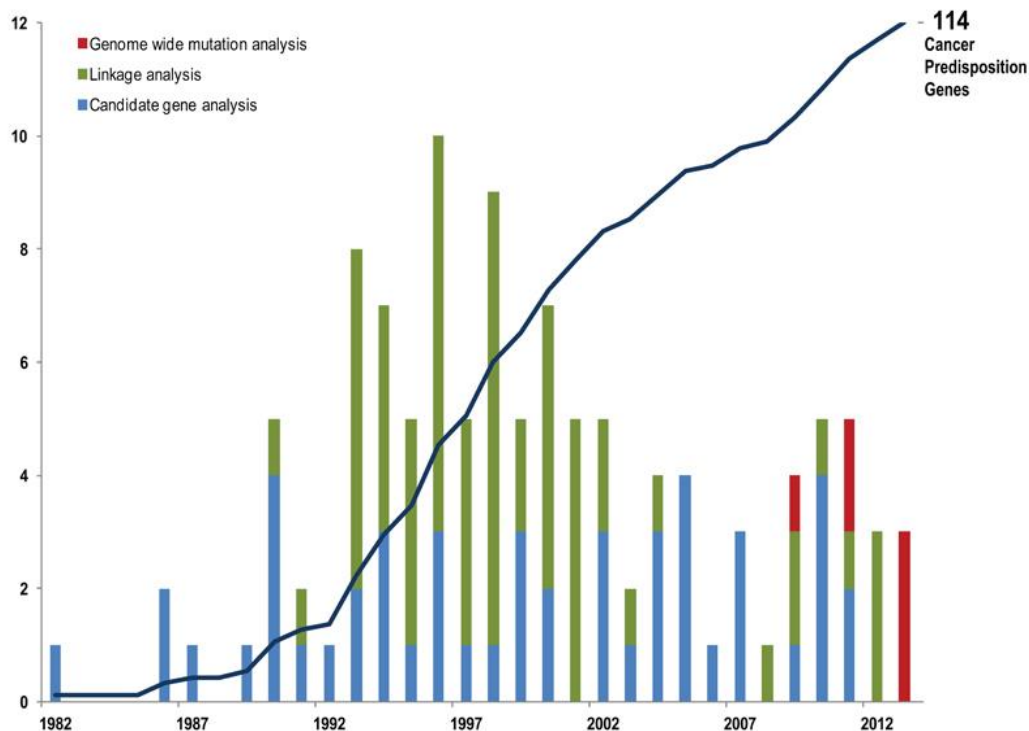
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Cancer Predisposition Genes



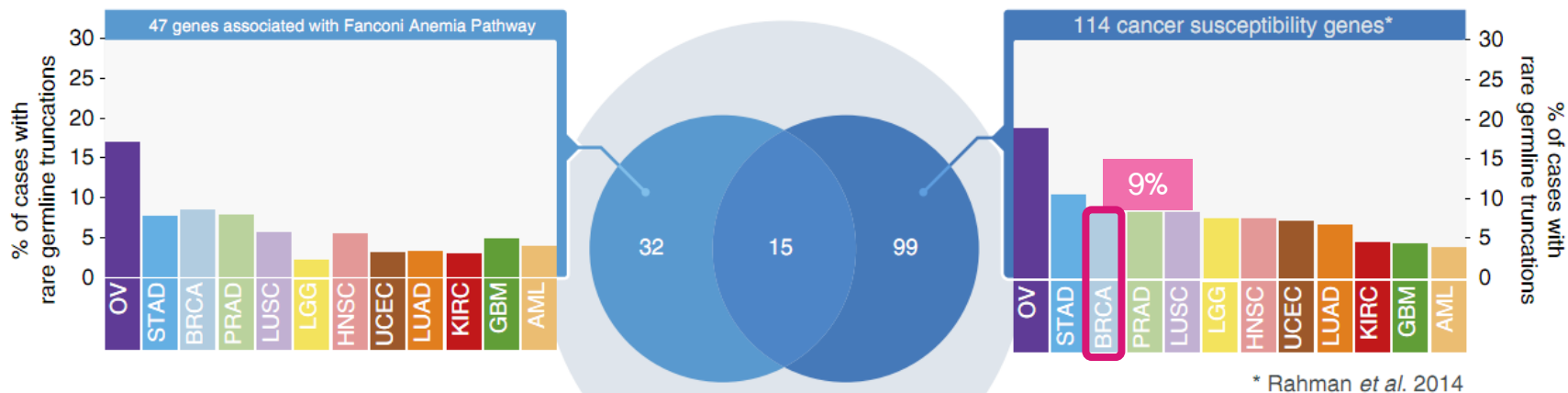
114 Cancer Predisposition Genes (CPGs)

Rahman, Nature 2014

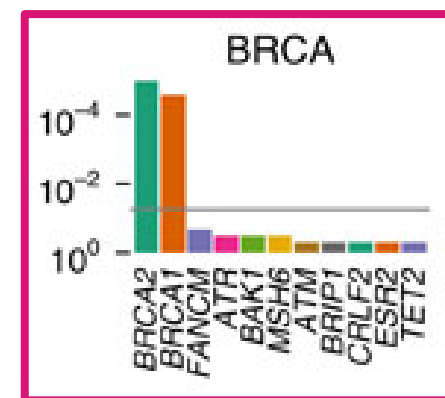
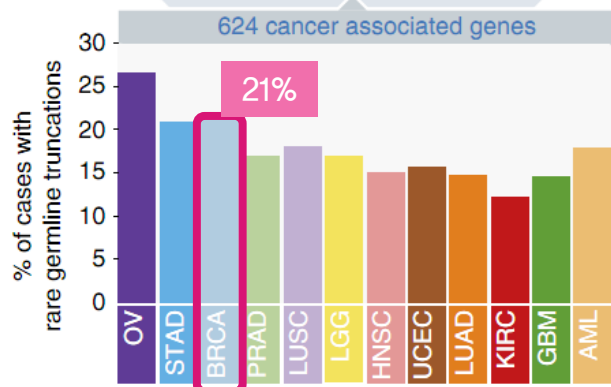
Cancer Gene Truncation Carrier Frequencies across 12 cancer types (rare variants; MAF $\leq 0.05\%$)



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OV: ovarian cancer
 STAD: stomach adenocarcinoma
 BRCA: breast adenocarcinoma
 PRAD: prostate adenocarcinoma
 LUSC: lung squamous cell carcinoma
 LGG: low grade glioma
 HNSC: head and neck squamous cell carcinoma
 UCEC: uterine corpus endometrial carcinoma
 LUAD: lung adenocarcinoma
 KIRC: kidney renal cell carcinoma
 GBM: glioma multiforme
 AML: acute myeloid leukemia



Lu et al., Nat Commun 2015

Cancer susceptibility genes associated with hereditary breast cancer, **beyond *BRCA1/2***

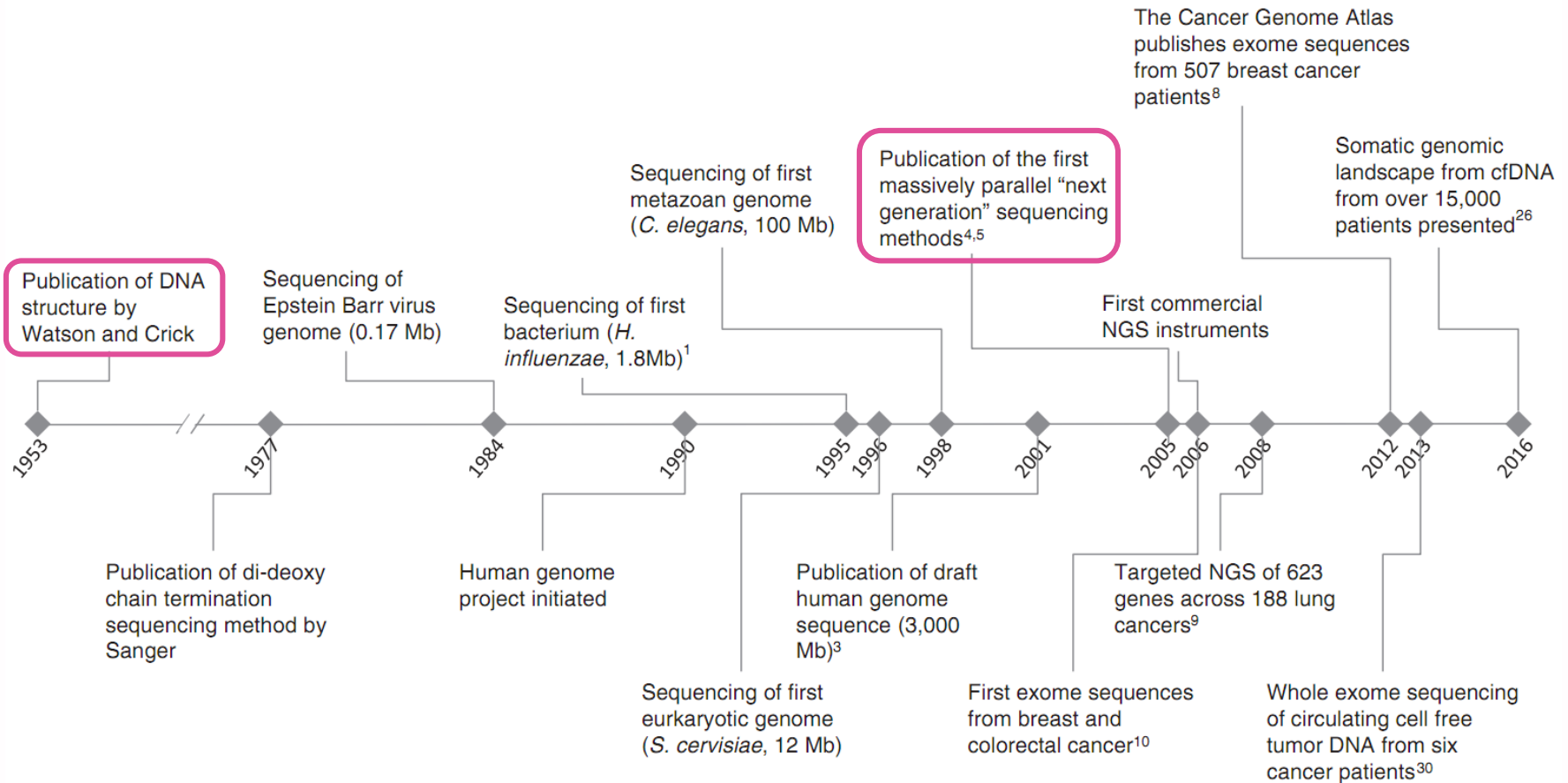


Spectrum of Mutations in *BRCA1*, *BRCA2*, *CHEK2*, and *TP53* in Families at High Risk of Breast Cancer

Results Of the 300 probands, 52 (17%) carried previously undetected mutations, including 35 (12%) with genomic rearrangements of *BRCA1* or *BRCA2*, 14 (5%) with *CHEK2* mutations, and 3 (1%) with *TP53* mutations. At *BRCA1* and *BRCA2*, 22 different genomic rearrangements were found, of sizes less than 1 kb to greater than 170 kb; of these, 14 were not previously described and all were individually rare. At *CHEK2*, a novel 5.6-kb genomic deletion was discovered in 2 families of Czechoslovakian ancestry. This deletion was found in 8 of 631 (1.3%) patients with breast cancer and in none of 367 healthy controls in the Czech and Slovak Republics. For all rearrangements, exact genomic breakpoints were determined and diagnostic primers validated. The 3 families with *TP53* mutations included cases of childhood sarcoma or brain tumors in addition to multiple cases of breast cancer.

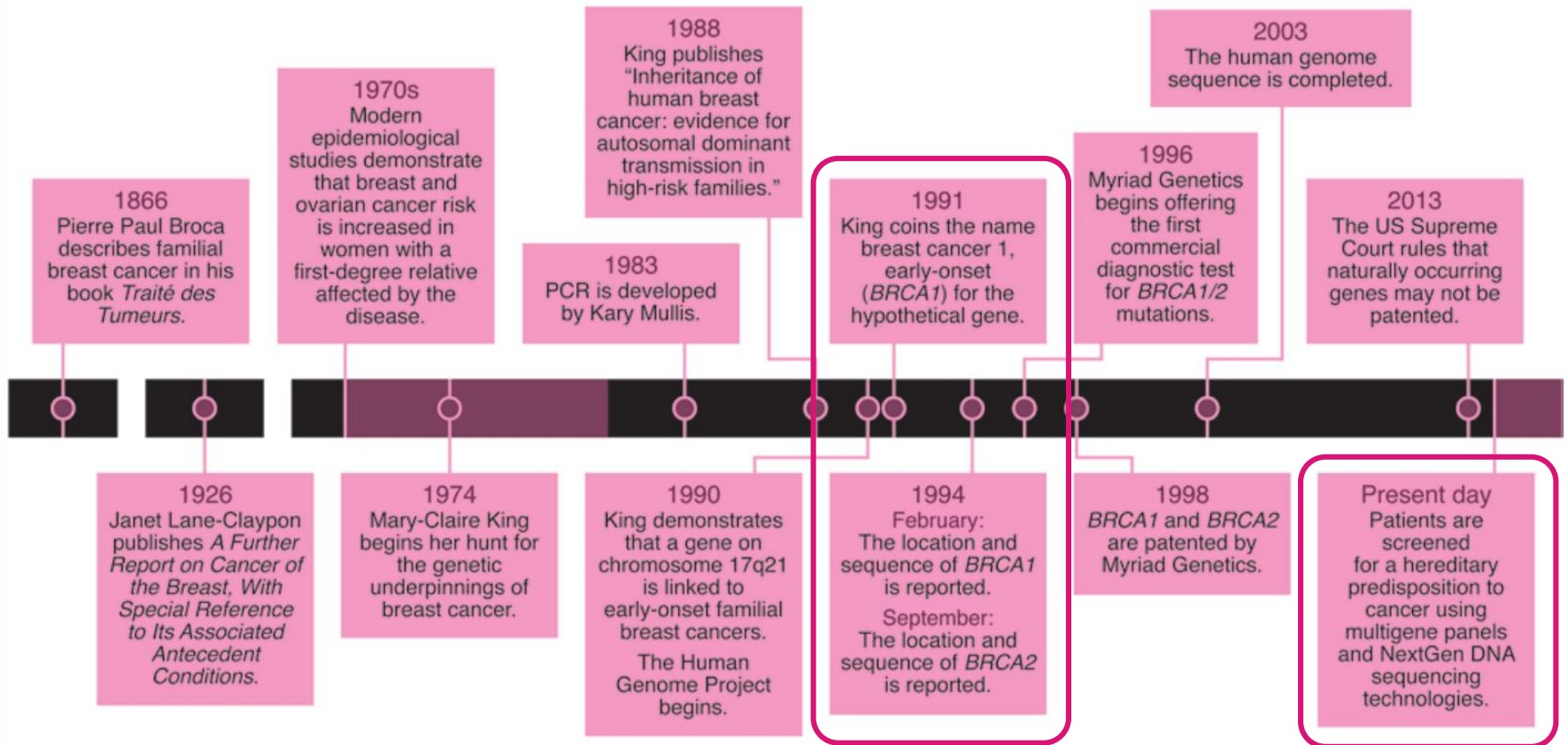
Walsh et al., JAMA 2006

Development of sequencing technologies and application



Cummings et al., Citation: Clin Transl Sci 2016

Genetic underpinnings of Early-onset familial breast cancer



J Clin Invest 2014

Multigene-Panel Sequencing for the Prediction of Breast-Cancer Risk



Company	Test	Website	Gene included
Ambry Genetics	BreastNext	www.ambrygen.com/tests/breastnext	ATM, BARD1, BRCA1, BRCA2, BRIP1, CDH1, CHEK2, MRE11A, MUTYH, NBN, NF1, PALB2, PTEN, RAD50, RAD51C, RAD51D, TP53
Breast Health UK	BreastGene	www.breasthealthuk.com/breast-cancer-genetic-testing/breastgene-service	ATM, BRCA1, BRCA2, NBN, CDH1, CHEK2, PALB2, PTEN, TP53, STK11
Centogene	CentoBreast	www.centogene.com/centogene/index.php	ATM, BARD1, BRCA1, BRCA2, BRIP1, CDH1, CHEK2, NBN, PALB2, PTEN, RAD51C, STK11, TP53
Eurofins*	High Risk Breast Cancer Panel	www.egl-eurofins.com/?testid=MM201	BRCA1, BRCA2, CDH1, PALB2, PTEN, STK11, TP53
Fulgent Diagnostics	Breast Cancer Comprehensive Panel	https://www.fulgentgenetics.com/comprehensivecancer-breast	ATM, BARD1, BRCA1, BRCA2, BRIP1, CDH1, CHEK2, MLH1, MRE11, MSH2, NBN, NF1, PALB2, PTEN, RAD50, RAD51C, RAD51D, STK11, TP53
GeneDx	Breast/Gyn Cancer Panel	https://www.genedx.com/test-catalog/disorders/breast-cancer/	ATM, BARD1, BRCA1, BRCA2, BRIP1, CDH1, CHEK2, EPCAM, FANCC, MLH1, MSH2, MSH6, MUTYH, NBN, NF1, PALB2, PMS2, POLD1, PTEN, RAD51C, RAD51D, RECQL, TP53
Illumina	TruSight Cancer	https://www.illumina.com/products/by-type/clinical-research-products/trusight-cancer.html	94 Genes plus 284 SNPs reported to be associated with risk of breast cancer
Invitae	Invitae Breast Cancer Panel	https://www.invitae.com/en/physician/tests/01202/	ATM, BARD1, BRCA1, BRCA2, BRIP1, CDH1, CHEK2, NBN, NF1, PALB2, PTEN, RAD50, STK11, TP53 (+ AKT1, FAM175A, FANCC, MRE11, MUTYH, PIK3CA, RAD51C, RAD51C, RINT1, SDHB, SDHD, XRCC2)
Myriad Genetics	myRisk	https://new.myriadpro.com/products/myriad-myrisk/	BRCA1, BRCA2, TP53, PTEN, STK11, CDH1, PALB2, CHEK2, ATM, NBN, BARD1
University of Washington	BROCA-Cancer Risk Panel	web.labmed.washington.edu/tests/genetics/BROCA	AKT1, APC, ATM, ATR, AXIN2, BAP1, BARD1, BMPR1A, BRCA1, BRCA2, BRIP1, CDH1, CDK4, CDKN2A, CHEK1, CHEK2, CTNNA1, FAM175A (Abraxas), FANCM, FH, FLCN, GALNT12, GEN1, GREM1, HOXB13, MEN1, MET, MITF, MLH1, MRE11A, MSH2 (+EPCAM), MSH6, MUTYH, NBN, NF1, NTHL1, PALB2, PALLD, PDGFRA, PIK3CA, PMS2, POLD1, POLE, POT1, PRKAR1A, PRSS1, PTCH1, PTEN, RAD51B, RAD51C, RAD51D, RB1, RECQL, RET, RINT1, RPS20, SDHB, SDHC, SDHD, SLX4, SMAD4, SMARCA4, TP53, VHL, XRCC2

*In September 2015, Eurofin scientific acquire a controlling stake in Emory Genetic Laboratory from Emory University's School of Medicine.

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***Are Multi-gene panels
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Decrease in error rates of NGS platforms



Instrument	Purchase cost	Additional instruments ^a	Service contract ^b	Computational resources ^c	Data file sizes (GB) ^d	Primary errors	Error rate (%) ^e
3730xl (capillary)	\$376	–	\$19.8	Desktop	0.03	Substitution	0.1–1
454 GS Jr. Titanium	\$108	\$16	\$12.6	\$5 (desktop)	<3 images, <1 sff	Indel	1
454 FLX Titanium	\$500	\$30	\$50.0	\$5 (desktop)	20 images, 4 sff	Indel	1
454 FLX+ ^f	\$29.5	\$30	\$50.0	\$5 (desktop)	~40 images, 8 sff	Indel	1*
PacBio RS	\$695	–	\$85	\$65 cluster	20 pulsed, 2 Fastq	CG deletions	16
Ion Torrent – 314 chip	\$49.5	\$18 ^g	\$7.5	Desktop – \$35	0.1Fastq	Indel	~1
Ion Torrent – 316 chip	\$49.5	\$18 ^g	\$7.5	Desktop – \$35	0.6Fastq	Indel	~1*
Ion Torrent – 318 chip	\$49.5	\$18 ^g	\$7.5	Desktop – \$35	TBD	Indel	~1*
SOLiD – 4	\$475	\$54 ^h	\$38.4	\$35 cluster ⁱ	680 ^j	A-T bias	>0.06*
SOLiD – 5500	\$349	\$54 ^h	\$29.0	\$35 cluster ⁱ	74 ^{k*}	A-T bias	>0.01*
SOLiD – 5500xl	\$595	\$54 ^h	\$38.4	\$35 cluster ⁱ	148 ^{k*}	A-T bias	>0.01*
Illumina MiSeq	\$125	–	\$12.5	Desktop	1 ^{k*}	~Substitution	>0.1*
Illumina HiScanSQ	\$405	\$55 ^l	\$41.5	\$222 cluster ^m	50 ^{k*}	Substitution	≥0.1
Illumina GAllx	\$250	\$100 ⁿ	\$44.5	\$222 cluster ^m	600	Substitution	≥0.1
Illumina HiSeq1000	\$560 ^o	\$55 ^l	\$62.0	\$222 cluster ^m	≤300 ^{k*}	Substitution	≥0.1
Illumina HiSeq2000	\$690	\$55 ^l	\$75.9	\$222 cluster ^m	≤600 ^{k*}	Substitution	≥0.1

2011

Commercial Platform	Most Frequent Error Type	Error Frequency
Capillary sequencing	single nucleotide substitutions	10 ⁻¹
454 GS Junior	Deletions	10 ⁻²
PacBio RS	CG deletions	10 ⁻²
Ion Torrent PGM	Short deletions	10 ⁻²
Solid	A-T bias	2 x 10 ⁻²
IlluminaMiSeq	single nucleotide substitutions	10 ⁻³
Illumina HiSeq2000	single nucleotide substitutions	10 ⁻³
Tag-based methods:		
SafeSeq	single nucleotide substitutions	1.4 x 10 ⁻⁵
CircleSeq	single nucleotide substitutions	7.6 x 10 ⁻⁶
Duplex Sequencing	Single nucleotide substitutions	5 X 10 ⁻⁸

2014

Glenn TC, Mol Ecol Resour. 2011; Fox et al., Next Gener Seq Appl. 2014

Chemistry, costs, and throughput of NGS platforms



Platform	Read length (bp)	Throughput	Reads	Runtime	Error profile	Instrument cost (US\$)	Cost per Gb (US\$, approx.)
Sequencing by ligation							
SOLID 5500 Wildfire	50 (SE) 75 (SE) 50 (SE) [‡]	80 Gb 120 Gb 160 Gb [*]	~700 M [*]	6 d [*]	≤0.1%, AT bias [‡]	NA [‡]	\$130 [‡]
SOLID 5500 xl	50 (SE) 75 (SE) 50 (SE) [‡]	160 Gb 240 Gb 320 Gb [*]	~1.4 B [*]	10 d [*]	≤0.1%, AT bias [‡]	\$251,000 [‡]	\$70 [‡]
BGISEQ-500 FCS	50–100 (SE/PE) [*]	8–40 Gb [*]	NA [‡]	24 h [*]	≤0.1%, AT bias [‡]	\$250	NA [‡]
BGISEQ-500 FCL	50–100 (SE/PE) [*]	40–200 Gb [*]	NA [‡]	24 h [*]	≤0.1%, AT bias [‡]	\$250,000	NA [‡]
Sequencing by synthesis: CRT							
Illumina MiniSeq Mid output	150 (SE) [‡] 75 (PE) [‡]	2.1–2.4 Gb [*] 1.6–1.8 Gb	14–16 M [*] 22–25 M (SE) [*]	17 h [*] 7 h	<1%, substitution [‡]	\$50,000	\$200–300
Illumina MiniSeq High output	150 (PE) [‡] 36 (SE) [‡]	6.6–7.5 Gb [*] 540–610 Mb	44–50 M (PE) [*] 12–15 M (SE)	24 h [*] 4 h	<1%, substitution [‡]	\$50,000	\$200–300
Illumina MiSeq v2	25 (PE) [‡] 150 (PE) [‡] 250 (PE) [‡]	750–850 Mb 4.5–5.1 Gb 7.5–8.5 Gb [*]	24–30 M (PE) [*]	5.5 h 24 h 39 h [*]	0.1%, substitution [‡]	\$99,000 [‡]	~\$1,000 \$996 \$212
Illumina MiSeq v3	75 (PE) [‡] 300 (PE) [‡]	3.3–3.8 Gb [*] 13.2–15 Gb [*]	44–50 M (PE) [*]	21–56 h [*]	0.1%, substitution [‡]	\$99,000 [‡]	\$142 [‡] \$250 \$110 [‡]
Illumina NextSeq 500/550 Mid output	75 (PE) [‡] 150 (PE) [‡] 75 (SE) [‡]	16–20 Gb 32–40 Gb [*] 25–30 Gb	Up to 260 M (PE) [*] 400 M (SE) [*]	15 h 26 h [*] 11 h	<1%, substitution [‡]	\$250 [‡]	\$42 \$40 [‡] \$43
Illumina NextSeq 500/550 High output	75 (PE) [‡] 150 (PE) [‡] 36 (SE) [‡]	50–60 Gb 100–120 Gb [*] 9–11 Gb	800 M (PE) [*] 300 M (SE) [*]	18 h 29 h [*] 7 h	<1%, substitution [‡]	\$250 [‡]	\$41 \$33 [‡] \$230
Illumina HiSeq2500 v2 Rapid run	50 (PE) [‡] 100 (PE) [‡] 150 (PE) [‡] 250 (PE) [‡]	25–30 Gb 50–60 Gb 75–90 Gb 125–150 Gb [*]	600 M (PE) [*]	16 h 27 h 40 h 60 h [*]	0.1%, substitution [‡]	\$690 [‡]	\$90 \$52 \$45 \$40 [‡]
Illumina HiSeq2500 v3	36 (SE) [‡] 50 (PE) [‡] 100 (PE) [‡] 36 (SE) [‡]	47–52 Gb 135–150 Gb 270–300 Gb 64–72 Gb	1.5 B (SE) 3 B (PE) [*] 2 B (SE)	2 d 5.5 d 11 d [*] 29 h	0.1%, substitution [‡]	\$690 [‡]	\$180 \$78 \$45 [‡] \$150
Illumina HiSeq2500 v4	50 (PE) [‡] 100 (PE) [‡] 125 (PE) [‡]	180–200 Gb 360–400 Gb 450–500 Gb [*]	4 B (PE) [*]	2.5 d 5 d 6 d [*]	0.1%, substitution [‡]	\$690 [‡]	\$58 \$45 \$30 [‡]
Illumina HiSeq3000/4000	50 (SE) [‡] 75 (PE) [‡] 150 (PE) [‡] 150 (PE) [‡]	105–125 Gb 325–375 Gb 650–750 Gb [*]	2.5 B (SE) [*]	1–3.5 d [*]	0.1%, substitution [‡]	\$740/\$900	\$50 \$31 \$22
Illumina HiSeq X Qiagen GeneReader	150 (PE) [‡] 150 (PE) [‡] NA [‡]	800–900 Gb per flow cell [*] 12 genes; 1,250 mutations	2.6–3 B (PE) [*] NA [‡]	<3 d [*] Several days	0.1%, substitution [‡] Similar to other SBS systems	\$1,000 [‡] , [‡] NA [‡]	\$7 [‡] , [‡] \$400–\$600
Sequencing by synthesis: SNA							
454 GS Junior	Up to 600; 400 average (SE, PE) [*]	35 Mb [*]	~0.1 M [*]	10 h [*]	1%, indel [‡]	NA [‡]	\$40,000 [‡]
454 GS Junior+	Up to 1,000; 700 average (SE, PE) [*]	70 Mb [*]	~0.1 M [*]	18 h [*]	1%, indel [‡]	\$108,000 [‡]	\$19,500 [‡]
454 GS FLX Titanium XLR70	Up to 600; 450 mode (SE, PE) [*]	450 Mb [*]	~1 M [*]	10 h [*]	1%, indel [‡]	NA [‡]	\$15,500 [‡]
454 GS FLX Titanium XL+	Up to 1,000; 700 mode (SE, PE) [*]	700 Mb [*]	~1 M [*]	23 h [*]	1%, indel [‡]	\$450,000 [‡]	\$9,500 [‡]
Ion PGM 314	200 (SE) 400 (SE)	30–50 60–100 Mb [*]	400,000–550,000 [*]	23 h 3.7 h [*]	1%, indel [‡]	\$49 [‡]	\$25–3,500 [‡]
Ion PGM 316	200 (SE) 400 (SE) [*]	300–500 Mb 600 Mb–1 Gb [*]	2–3 M [*]	3 h 4.9 h [*]	1%, indel [‡]	\$49 [‡]	\$700–1,000 [‡]
Ion PGM 318	200 (SE) 400 (SE) [*]	600 Mb–1 Gb 1–2 Gb [*]	4–5.5 M [*]	4 h 7.3 h [*]	1%, indel [‡]	\$49 [‡]	\$450–800 [‡]
Ion Proton	Up to 200 (SE)	Up to 10 Gb [*]	60–80 M [*]	2–4 h [*]	1%, indel [‡]	\$224 [‡]	\$80 [‡]
Ion S5 520	200 (SE) 400 (SE) [*]	600 Mb–1 Gb 1.2–2 Gb [*]	3–5 M [*]	2.5 h 4 h [*]	1%, indel [‡]	\$65	\$2,400 [‡] \$1,200 [‡]
Ion S5 530	200 (SE) 400 (SE) [*]	3–4 Gb 6–8 Gb [*]	15–20 M [*]	2.5 h 4 h [*]	1%, indel [‡]	\$65	\$950 [‡] \$475 [‡]
Ion S5 540	200 (SE) [*]	10–15 Gb [*]	60–80 M [*]	2.5 h [*]	1%, indel [‡]	\$65	\$300 [‡]
Single-molecule real-time long reads							
Pacific Biosciences RS II	~20 Kb	500 Mb–1 Gb [*]	~55,000 [*]	4 h [*]	13% single pass, ≤1% circular consensus read, indel [‡]	\$695 [‡]	\$1,000 [‡]
Pacific Biosciences Sequel	8–12 Kb	3.5–7 Gb [*]	~350,000 [*]	0.5–6 h [*]	NA [‡]	\$350	NA [‡]
Oxford Nanopore MK 1 MinION	Up to 200 Kb	Up to 1.5 Gb	>100,000	Up to 48 h	~12%, indel	\$1,000 [‡]	\$750 [‡]
Oxford Nanopore PromethION	NA [‡]	Up to 4 Tb [*]	NA	NA	NA [‡]	\$75 [‡]	NA [‡]

Goodwin et al., Nat Rev Genet 2016

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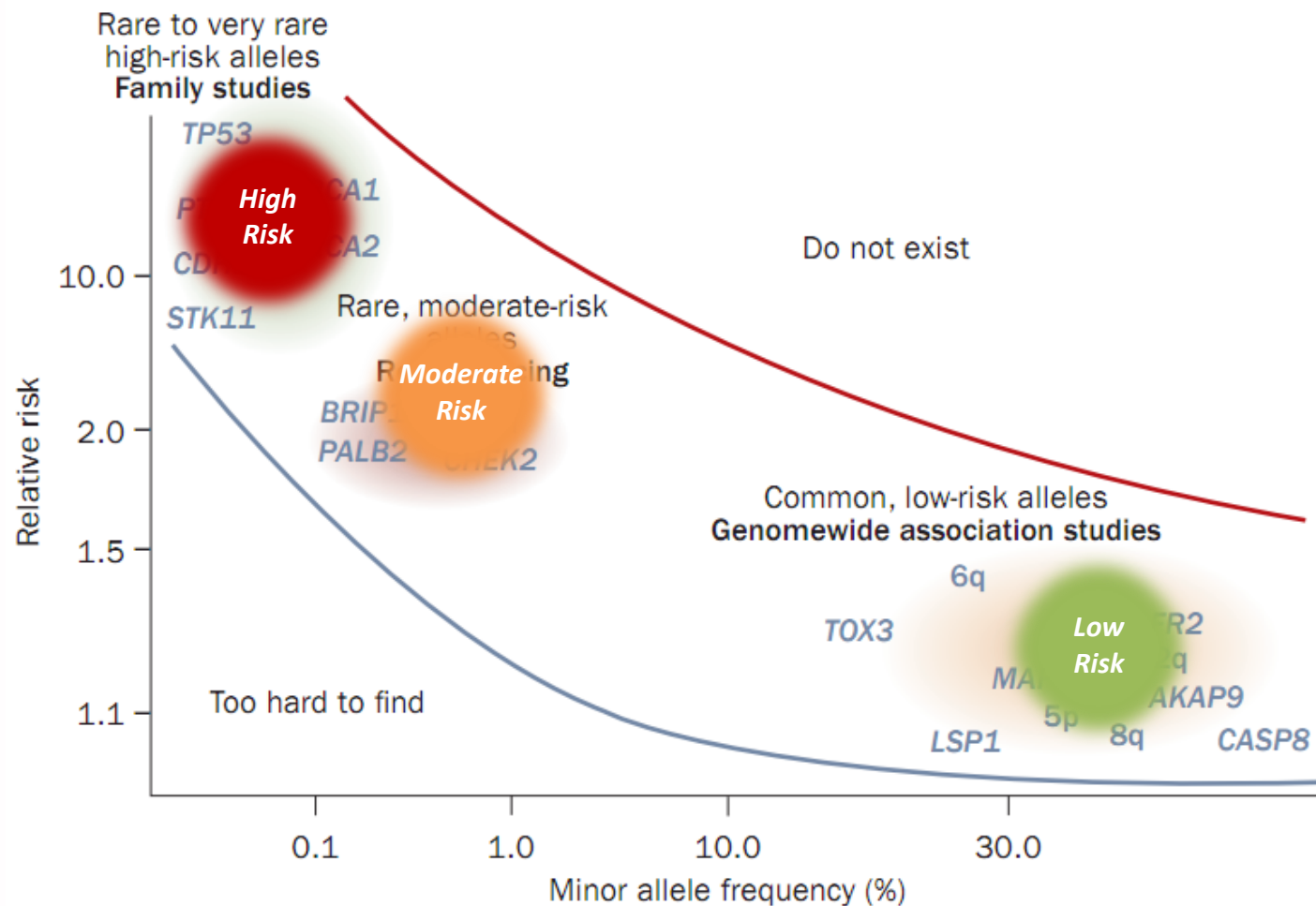
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Germline mutations that confer susceptibility



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Foulkes, N Engl J Med 2008

Multigene-Panel Sequencing for the Prediction of Breast-Cancer Risk



Company	Test	High Risk						Moderate Risk								Low Risk / Equivocal (for breast cancer)														
		BRCA1	BRCA2	TP53	CDH1	PTEN	STK11	PALB2	ATM	BRIP1	CHEK2	BARD1	MRE11A	NBN	RAD50	RAD51C	RAD51D	XRCC2	MLH1	MSH2	MSH6	MUTYH	NF1	MEN1	PMS1	PMS2	POLD1	RECQL	EPCAM	FANCC
Amry Genetics	BreastNext	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0	0								
Breast HealthUK	BreastGene	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			0																	
Centogene	Centobreast	0	0		0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			0	0	0	0		0	0	0					
Eurofins	HighRiskBreast Cancer Panel	0	0	0	0	0	0																							
Fulgent Diagnostics	Breast Cancer Comprehensive Panel	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			0								
GeneDx	Breast/Gyn Cancer Panel	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			0	0	0	0	0	0
Invitae	Invitae Breast Cancer Panel	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			0	0								0								
Myriad Genetics	myRisk	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0		0																	

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	Moderate (2-4 times)	High (>4 times)							
BRCA1	●	●	●	11.4				75	Ovary
BRCA2	●	●	●	11.7				76	Ovary, prostate, pancreas
TP53	●	●	●	105 (62-165)					Childhood sarcoma, adreno-cortical carcinoma, brain tumors
PTEN	Unknown	Unknown	●						Thyroid, endometrial cancer
CDH1	Likely	Unknown	Unknown	6.6 (2.2-19.9)	0.004			53	Diffuse gastric cancer
STK11	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown					45-50	Colon, pancreas, ovarian sex cord-stromal tumors
NF1	Likely	Unlikely	Unknown	2.6 (2.1-3.2)	2.3x10 ⁻¹³			26	Malignant tumors of peripheral nerve sheath, brain, central nervous system
PALB2	Likely	Unknown	Unknown	5.3 (9.0-9.4)	4x10 ⁻¹⁰	7.46 (5.12-11.19)	4.31x10 ⁻³⁸	45	Pancreas
ATM	Likely	Unknown	●	2.8 (2.2-3.7)	5x10 ⁻¹¹	2.78 (2.22-3.62)	2.42x10 ⁻¹⁹	27	Pancreas
CHEK2	Likely	Unlikely	●	3.0 (2.6-3.5)	8x10 ⁻³⁷	2.26 (1.89-2.72)	1.75x10 ⁻²⁰	29	Lung, although p.Ile1577Thr is associated with reduced risk
NBN	Likely	Unlikely	Unknown	2.7 (1.9-3.7)	5x10 ⁻⁷			23	Unknown
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Germline mutations, breast cancer risks, and preventive strategies



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Multigene-Panel Sequencing for the Prediction of Breast-Cancer Risk

Company	Test	High Risk						Moderate Risk									Low Risk / Equivocal (for breast cancer)														
		BRCA1	BRCA2	TP53	CDH1	PTEN	STK11	PALB2	ATM	BRIP1	CHEK2	BARD1	MRE11A	NBN	RAD50	RAD51C	RAD51D	XRCC2	MLH1	MSH2	MSH6	MUTYH	NF1	MEN1	PMS1	PMS2	POLD1	RECQL	EPCAM	FANCC	
Amry Genetics	BreastNext	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Breast HealthUK	BreastGene	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			0																		
Centogene	CentoBreast	0	0		0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			0	0	0	0		0	0	0						
Eurofins	HighRiskBreast Cancer Panel	0	0	0	0	0	0																								
Fulgent Diagnostics	Breast Cancer Comprehensive Panel	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			0									
GeneDx	Breast/Gyn Cancer Panel	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			0	0	0	0	0	0	
Invitae	Invitae Breast Cancer Panel	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			0	0								0									
Myriad Genetics	myRisk	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0		0																		

How about *Moderate- or Low- risk* genetic mutations?

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***Counselling for the carriers
with germline mutations in
moderate-risk
cancer-susceptibility genes***



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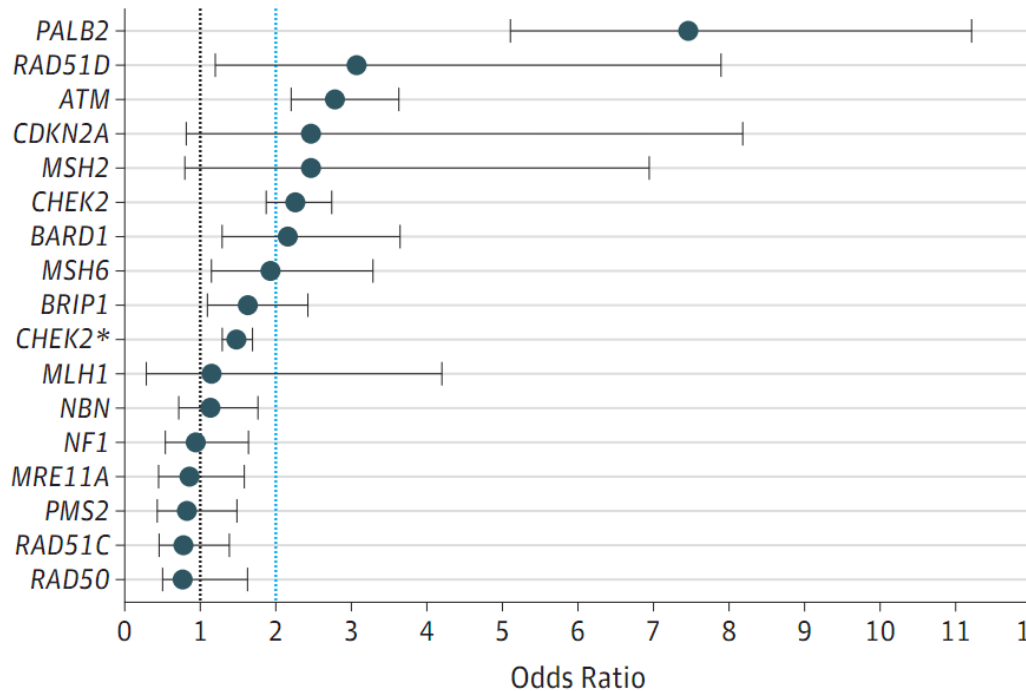
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Odds ratio of pathogenic or likely pathogenic variants beyond BRCA



Figure. Odds Ratio Between Combined Pathogenic Variants in Each Gene and Breast Cancer Among White Women With Breast Cancer and Reference Controls



Gene	Ambr Muta Allele	Cancer Risk OR (95% CI)	P Value
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BARD1	52	2.16 (1.31-3.63)	2.26×10^{-3}
BRIP1	71	1.63 (1.11-2.41)	.01
CDKN2A	6	2.47 (0.83-8.16)	.11
CHEK2	424	2.26 (1.89-2.72)	1.75×10^{-20}
CHEK2 1100delC	338	2.31 (1.88-2.85)	3.04×10^{-17}
CHEK2*	721	1.48 (1.31-1.67)	1.11×10^{-10}
MLH1	4	1.15 (0.30-4.19)	>.99
MRE11A	21	0.86 (0.46-1.57)	.65
MSH2	9	2.46 (0.81-6.93)	.11
MSH6	32	1.93 (1.16-3.27)	.01
NBN	48	1.13 (0.73-1.75)	.59
NF1	27	0.94 (0.55-1.62)	.89
PALB2	241	7.46 (5.12-11.19)	4.31×10^{-38}
PMS2	17	0.82 (0.44-1.47)	.56
RAD50	45	0.77 (0.52-1.61)	.23
RAD51C	26	0.78 (0.47-1.37)	.43
RAD51D	18	3.07 (1.21-7.88)	.01

Couch et al., JAMA Oncology 2017; Obeid et al., JAMA Oncol 2017 (editorial)

Moderate penetrance genes and preventive strategies for breast and ovarian cancers



Gene	BC Risk OR (95% CI)*	Absolute risk by 80 years of age	Breast cancer risk management		Ovarian cancer risk management	Other cancer risk management
			Screening	RRM		
ATM	2.78 (2.22-3.62)	27	Annual mammogram, starting at 40y (consider tomosynthesis, MRI)	Evidence insufficient	NO increased risk of OC	Unknown or insufficient evidence for pancreas or prostate cancer
BARD1	2.16 (1.31-3.63)		Unknown or insufficient evidence for BC risk		Unknown or insufficient evidence for OC risk	
BRIP1	1.63 (1.11-2.41)		NO increased risk of BC		Consider RRSO at 40-50y	N/A
CHEK2	2.26 (1.89-2.72)	29	Annual mammogram, starting at 40y (consider tomosynthesis, MRI)	Evidence insufficient	NO increased risk of OC	Colon (no established preventive strategies)
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NF1	0.94 (0.55-1.62)	26	Annual mammogram, consider tomosynthesis starting at 30y (consider MRI from 30-50y)	Evidence insufficient	NO increased risk of OC	Recommend referral to NF specialist for evaluation and management of MPNST, GIST, and others
RAD51C	0.78 (0.47-1.37)		Unknown or insufficient evidence for BC risk		Consider RRSO at 45-50y	N/A
RAD51D	3.07 (1.21-7.88)		Unknown or insufficient evidence for BC risk		Consider RRSO at 45-50y	N/A

*Risks are according to Couch et al., JAMA Oncol 2017

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Moderate penetrance genes and preventive strategies for breast and ovarian cancers



EDITORIAL

Multigene Panel Testing and Breast Cancer Risk Is It Time to Scale Down?

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- *However, the comprehensive genetic risk information provide **preventive strategies for the carriers** with moderate-risk genes.*
- *We are in immediate need of well-designed studies to provide **further clarification of risk estimates** for low- and moderate-risk genes, as well as expanded guidelines on **how to best manage these risks** over the lifetime of the patient.*

Obeid et al., JAMA Oncol 2017 (editorial)



Incidental findings
detected on multi-gene panels



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Multigene cancer panels and associated cancers



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GENES	BREAST	OVARIAN	COLORECTAL	UTERINE	MELANOMA	PANCREATIC	GASTRIC	PROSTATE	OTHERS
BRCA1	●	●				●		●	
BRCA2	●	●			●	●		●	
MLH1		●	●	●		●	●	●	●
MSH2		●	●	●		●	●	●	●
MSH6		●	●	●		●	●	●	●
PMS2		●	●	●		●	●	●	●
EPCAM		●	●	●		●	●	●	●
APC			●			●	●		●
MUTYH biallelic			●						●
MUTYH monoallelic			●						
CDKN2A (p16INK4a)					●	●			
CDKN2A (p14ARF)					●	●			
CDK4					●	●			
TP53	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
PTEN	●		●	●	●				●
STK11	●	●	●	●		●	●		●
CDH1	●		●				●		
BMPR1A			●			●	●		●
SMAD4			●			●	●		●
PALB2	●					●			
CHEK2	●		●						
ATM	●					●			
NBN	●							●	
BARD1	●								
BRIP1		●							
RAD51C		●							
RAD51D		●							
POLD1			●						
POLE			●						
GREM1			●						

Myriad laboratories, <https://new.myriadpro.com/products/myriad-myrisk/myrisk-gene-table/> (visited in Mar 2018)

Recommendations for incidental findings



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ACMG recommendations for reporting of incidental findings in clinical exome and genome sequencing

Phenotype	MIM-disorder	PMID-Gene Reviews entry	Typical age of onset	Gene	MIM-gene	Inheritance ^a	Variants to report ^b
Hereditary breast and ovarian cancer	604370 612555	20301425	Adult	BRCA1	113705	AD	KP and EP
				BRCA2	600185		
Li-Fraumeni syndrome	151623	20301488	Child/adult	TP53	191170	AD	KP and EP
Peutz-Jeghers syndrome	175200	20301443	Child/adult	STK11	602216	AD	KP and EP
Lynch syndrome	120435	20301390	Adult	MLH1	120436	AD	KP and EP
				MSH2	609309		
				MSH6	600678		
				PMS2	600259		
Familial adenomatous polyposis	175100	20301519	Child/adult	APC	611731	AD	KP and EP
MYH-associated polyposis; adenomas, multiple colorectal, FAP type 2; colorectal adenomatous polyposis, autosomal recessive, with pilomatricomas	608456 132600	23035301	Adult	MUTYH	604933	AR ^c	KP and EP
Von Hippel-Lindau syndrome	193300	20301636	Child/adult	VHL	608537	AD	KP and EP
Multiple endocrine neoplasia type 1	131100	20301710	Child/adult	MEN1	613733	AD	KP and EP
Multiple endocrine neoplasia type 2	171400 162300	20301434	Child/adult	RET	164761	AD	KP
Familial medullary thyroid cancer ^d	1552401	20301434	Child/adult	RET	164761	AD	KP
PTEN hamartoma tumor syndrome	153480	20301661	Child/adult	PTEN	601728	AD	KP and EP
Retinoblastoma	180200	20301625	Child	RB1	614041	AD	KP and EP
Hereditary paraganglioma-pheochromocytoma syndrome	168000 (PGL1)	20301715	Child/adult	SDHD	602690	AD	KP and EP
				SDHAF2	613019	KP	
	601650 (PGL2)			SDHC	602413	AD	KP and EP

Genes with high risk for breast cancer

BRCA1, BRCA2, TP53, STK11, PTEN

Other genes to be recommended of report, even when they are incidental findings

MLH1, MSH2, MSH6, PMS2, APC, MUTYH(AR), VHL, MEN1, RET, NTRK1, RB1, SDHAF2, SDHB, SDHC, SDHD, TSC1, TSC2, ST1, NF2, BMPR1A, SMAD4

Tuberous sclerosis
WT1-related
Neurofibromin

Green et al., Genet Med 2013; Kalia SS et al., Genet Med 2017

Application of NGS multiple gene panels in clinical practice



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American Society of Clinical Oncology Policy Statement Update: Genetic and Genomic Testing for Cancer Susceptibility

- *Quality assurance in genetic testing*
- *Clinical implication of germline mutations*

Components of Informed Consent and Pretest Education in Clinical Cancer Genetics

- Discussion of specific genes may need to be batched, because it may not be feasible to review each gene individually; high-penetrance syndromes being evaluated should be described (eg, hereditary breast-ovary, Lynch, hereditary diffuse gastric, Li-Fraumeni); patients should be aware of possible detection of high-penetrance mutations not suggested by personal or family history; genes of uncertain clinical utility may need to be described more generally
- Particular attention should be paid to implications of positive results in less well-understood or lesser penetrance genes and in findings of mutations in genes associated with syndromes not suggested by personal or family history
- Attention should be paid to current high rate of variants of uncertain significance
- Highlight potential reproductive implications to family of mutations in genes linked to recessive disorders (eg, ATM, Fanconi's (BRCA2, PALB2), NBN, BLM)

Robson et al., J Clin Oncol 2015

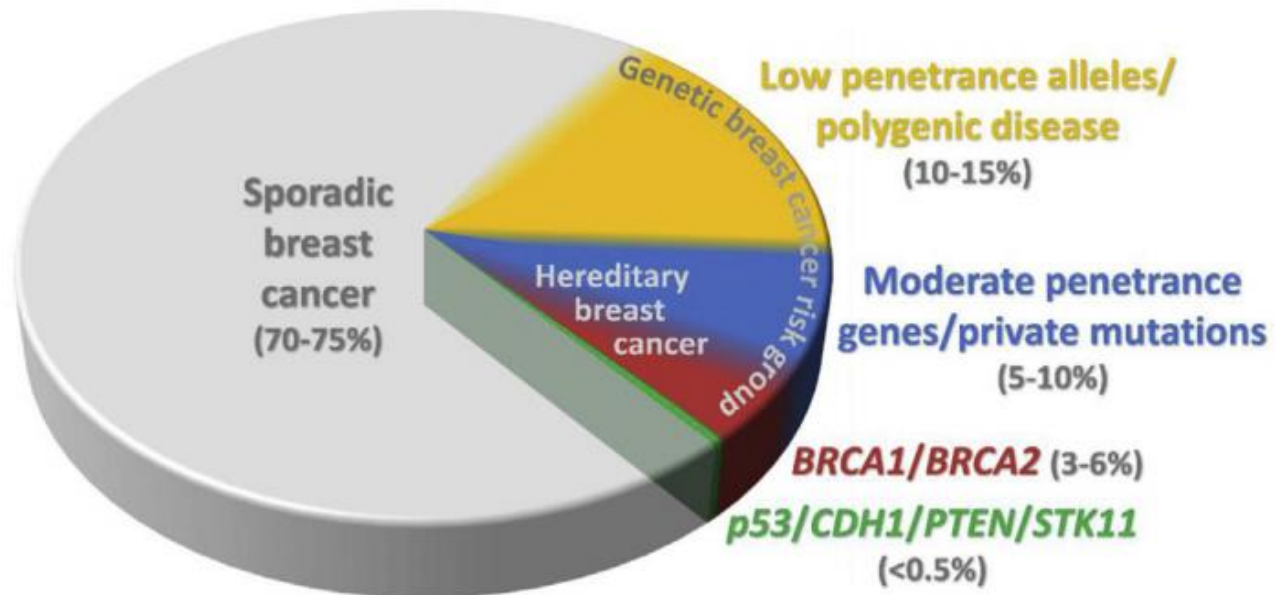


***Clinical application of
multigene panels **in Real Practice*****



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Distribution of breast cancer according to genetic risk



Kleibl et al., *The Breast* 2016

Frequency of pathogenic variants beyond *BRCA1/2* among patients without *BRCA1/2* mutation

References	Study populations	N of genes included in the panel	Frequency among <i>BRCA1/2</i> mut negative	Genes (number) with pathogenic variants
Castéra et al (2014)	<i>BRCA1/2</i> mut positive + negative (N=708)	27	36/639 (5.6%)	ATM(5), BARD1(1), CDH1(1), CHEK2(5), MLH3(1), MRE11A(3), MSH2(3), NBS1(3), PALB2(7), PMS1(1), PMS2(2), RAD50(1), RAD51C(3)
Kurian et al (2014)	Negative for <i>BRCA1/2</i> mutation (N=198)	42	16/198 (11.4%)	ATM(2), BLM(1), CDH1(1), CDKN2A(1), MLH1(1), MUTYH(5), NBN(2), PRSS1(1), SLX4(2)
Hirotsu et al (2015)	<i>BRCA1/2</i> mut positive + negative (N=155)	25	9/144 (6.3%)	ATM(1), MSH6(4), MRE11A(1), MUTYH(4)
Tung et al (2015)	<i>BRCA1/2</i> mut positive + negative (cohort 1, n=1781; cohort2, n=377)	25	14/377 (3.7%)	APC(1), ATM(1), BARD1(1), CDH1(2), CDKN2A(1), CHEK2(5), MUTYH(1), NBN(1), PALB2(1)
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Tedaldi et al (2017)	<i>BRCA1/2</i> mut positive + negative (N=255)	94	17/198 (8.6%)	ATM(2), BRIP1(1), ERCC3(1), FANCI(1), FANCL(2), FANCM(1), MSH6(1), PALB2(6), PPM1D(1), RAD51D(1), RECQL4(1), SLX4(1), TSC2(1)
Couch et al (2017)	41,611 white women with breast cancer, negative for <i>BRCA1/2</i> mutation	21	10.2%	ATM(274), BARD1(52), BRIP1(71), CDKN2A(6), CHEK2(424), MLH1(4), MRE11A(21), MSH2(6), MSH6(32), NBN(48), NF1(27), PALB2(241), PMS2(17), RAD50(45), RAD51C(26), RAD51D(18)

3.7 - 11.4%

Castera et al., Eur J Human Genet 2014; Kurian et al., J Clin Oncol 2014; Hirotsu et al., Mol Genet & Genomic Med 2015; Tung et al., Cancer 2015; Tung et al., J Clin Oncol 2016; Tedaldi et al., Oncotarget 2017; Couch et al., JAMA Oncology 2017

Our experiences

NGS multigene panel for the patients without *BRCA1/2* mutation



High risk features

- *Family history*: At least one case of breast or ovarian cancer in the first- or second-degree relatives
- *Young age*: Diagnosis of first breast cancer before age 40
- *Laterality*: Bilateral breast cancer
- *Ovarian cancer*: Diagnosis with breast cancer and ovarian cancer in the same patient



***BRCA1/2* mutation not detected by Sanger sequencing**



NGS with 35-gene panel

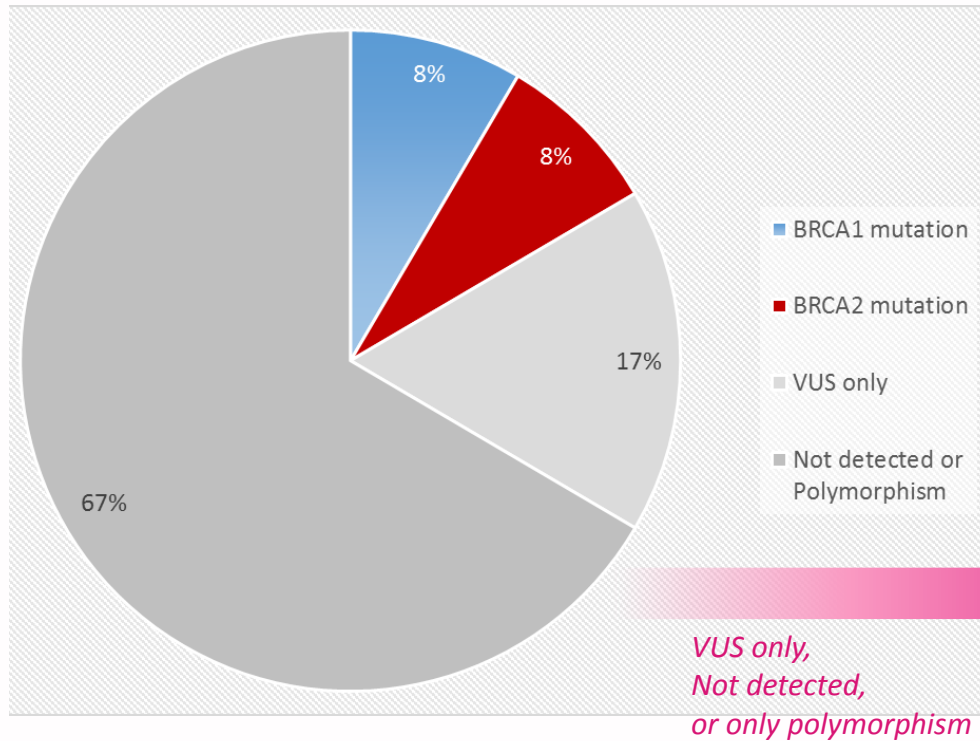
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<i>BRCA1, BRCA2</i>	0	0			0		0	
MLH1, MSH2, MSH6, PMS2, EPCAM		0	0	0	0	0		0
<i>STK11</i>	0	0	0	0	0	0		0
APC, BMPR1A, SMAD4			0		0	0		0
MUTYH			0					0
CDKN2A, CDK4					0			
<i>TP53</i>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<i>PTEN</i>	0		0	0				0
<i>CDH1</i>	0		0			0		
<i>PALB2, ATM</i>	0							
<i>CHEK2</i>	0		0		0		0	
<i>NBN</i>	0						0	
<i>BARD1</i>	0							
<i>BRIP1, RAD51C, RAD51D, RAD50, SLX4</i>	0	0						
BLM								0
MEN1, RET								0
<i>MRE11A</i>	0							
POLE			0					
PRSS1					0			
VHL, WT1								0

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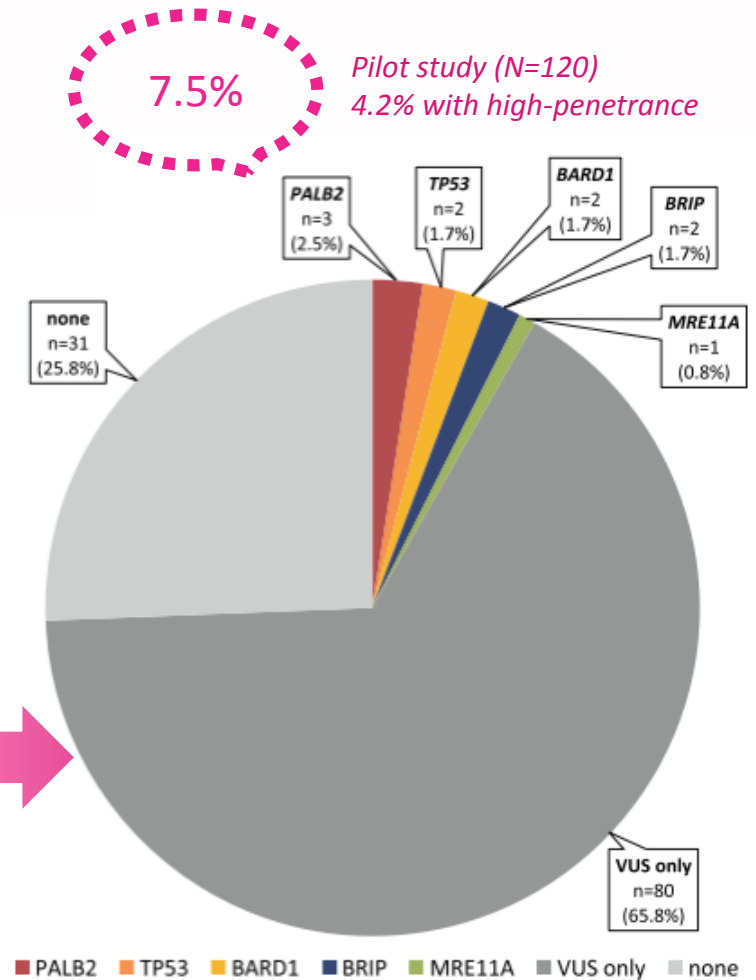
NGS multigene panel for the patients without BRCA1/2 mutation



BRCA1/2 mutation test and result database in Yonsei Cancer Center (n=1510; 2009.1-2017.3)



VUS only,
Not detected,
or only polymorphism



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Our experiences: characteristics of patients with pathogenic or likely pathogenic variants beyond *BRCA1/2*



Case number	Site/ histology of breast cancer	ER+/PR+/HER2- subtype	Breast cancer stage (AJCC 7th ed)	Concomitant cancers	Affected gene	Nucleotide change	Amino acid change	dbSNP	Variant effect	Family cancer history (family member, age)	MAF by ExAC (n=60,704)	MAF by ExAC Asian (n=12,583)	MAF by KRGDB (n=622)	Confirmation method	Pathogenicity
1	L/IDC	ER+/PR+/HER2-	IIA	-	TP53	exon2-9 deletion	N/A	-	Large deletion	Breast ca (mother, 32)	N/A	N/A	N/A	MLPA	Pathogenic
2	B/IDC	ER+/PR+/HER2-	IIA	-	PALB2	c.3267_3268delGT	p.Phe1090SerfsTer6	rs587781890	Frameshift	Breast ca (aunt, 47), Colon ca (GF, 60), Stomach ca (GM, 60)	-	-	-	Sanger sequencing	Likely pathogenic
3	R/IDC	ER+/PR+/HER2-	IIB	AoV	PALB2	c.2257C>T	p.Arg753Ter	rs180177110	Nonsense	Breast ca (sister, 53)	3.29x10 ⁻⁵	-	-	Sanger sequencing	Pathogenic
4*	L/poorly differentiated	TNBC	IA	Stomach	PALB2	c.695delG	p.Gly232ValfsTer6	-	Frameshift	Stomach ca (GF, 90), Liver ca (uncle, 60)	-	-	-	Sanger sequencing	Likely pathogenic
4*	L/poorly differentiated	TNBC	IA	Stomach	MRE11A	c.1773_1774delAA	p.Gly593LysfsTer4	-	Frameshift	Stomach ca (GF, 90), Liver ca (uncle, 60)	-	-	-	Sanger sequencing	Likely pathogenic
5†	L/mucinous	TNBC	IA	-	BARD1	c.1345C>T	p.Gln449Ter	-	Nonsense	Breast ca (sister1, 67; sister2, 47)	-	-	-	Sanger sequencing	Likely pathogenic
6†	L/IDC	ER+/PR-/HER2-	IIA	-	BARD1	c.1345C>T	p.Gln449Ter	-	Nonsense	Breast ca (sister1, 67; sister2, 58)	-	-	-	Sanger sequencing	Likely pathogenic
7	L/IDC	ER-/PR-/HER2+	IA	-	BRIP1	exon5-6 deletion	N/A	-	Large deletion	Ovarian ca (mother, 35)	N/A	N/A	N/A	MLPA	Pathogenic
8	R/IDC	ER-/PR-/HER2+	IA	Cervix uteri	BRIP1	c.1066C>T	p.Arg356Ter	rs730881633	Nonsense	Breast ca (sister, 40)	-	-	-	Sanger sequencing	Likely pathogenic
9	B/IDC	ER-/PR-/HER2+	IIA	-	TP53	c.733G>A	p.Gly245Ser	rs28934575	Missense	Stomach ca (father, 56); Pancreatic ca (father, 73)	8.24x10 ⁻⁶	-	-	Sanger sequencing	Likely pathogenic

High penetrance genes: TP53(2), PALB2(3); 4.5%
Moderate penetrance genes: BARD1(2), BRIP1(2), MRE11A(1); 4.5%

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***Clinicopathological feature
of the carriers with pathogenic or likely
pathogenic variants **beyond BRCA1/2*****



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Characteristics of patients with pathogenic or likely pathogenic variants beyond *BRCA1/2* (1)

Table 6. Clinical and Pathologic Predictors of Germline Mutations in *BRCA1/2* and Other Breast Cancer Predisposition Genes*

Variable	No Mutation (n = 436)		<i>BRCA1/2</i> Mutation (n = 30)†		Other BC Mutation (n = 19)†*		P	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No Mutation v <i>BRCA1/2</i> Mutatic	No Mutation v Other BC Mutation
Patient characteristic								
Age at BC diagnosis, years							< .01	.72
Mean ± SD	50.7 ± 11.2		42.6 ± 9.7		51.6 ± 10.9			
Median	49		40		53			
Range	28-88		31-66		34-68			
≤ 45	150	34.4	22	73.3	7	36.8	< .01	.96
46-60	184	42.2	6	20.0	8	42.1		
> 60	102	23.4	2	6.7	4	21.1		
Ashkenazi Jewish heritage							< .01	.51
Yes	29	6.7	7	23.3	2	10.5		
No	407	93.3	23	76.7	17	89.5		
History of cancer‡							.32	.27
Yes	37	8.5	1	3.3	3	15.8		
No	399	91.5	29	96.7	16	84.2		
BC characteristic								
Subtype								
TNBC	72	16.5	12	40.0	2	10.5	.01	.11
HR-positive/HER2-negative	275	63.1	15	50.0	9	47.4		
HR-negative/HER2-positive	33	7.6	2	6.7	2	10.5		
HR-positive/HER2-positive	56	12.8	1	3.3	6	31.6		
Histology								
Ductal	325	74.5	22	73.3	10	52.6	.50	.08
Lobular	33	7.6	1	3.3	2	10.5		
Ductal and lobular	58	13.3	4	13.3	4	21.1		
Other	20	4.6	3	10.0	3	15.8		
Histologic grade§								
1	57	13.1	0	0.0	3	15.8	< .01	.94
2	167	38.4	4	13.3	7	36.8		
3	211	48.5	26	86.7	9	47.4		
Stage								
I	169	38.8	12	40.0	4	21.1	.03	.12
II	198	45.4	8	26.7	9	47.4		
III	69	15.8	10	33.3	6	31.6		
Bilateral disease								
Yes	8	1.8	0	0.0	1	5.3	.45	.29
No	428	98.2	30	100.0	18	94.7		
Family history of cancer and prior genetic testing								
First-degree relative with any cancer‡ 								
Yes	242	56.8	15	50.0	12	63.2	.47	.58
No	184	43.2	15	50.0	7	36.8		
First- or second-degree relative with any cancer‡ 								
Yes	356	83.6	30	100.0	15	78.9	.02	.60
No	70	16.4	0	0.0	4	21.1		
First- or second-degree relative with BC or ovarian cancer‡ 								
Yes	202	47.4	22	73.3	9	47.4	.01	1.0
No	224	52.6	8	26.7	10	52.6		
First- or second-degree relative < 50 years of age with BC, ovarian cancer, or male BC‡ 								
Yes	71	16.7	12	40.0	5	26.3	< .01	.27
No	355	83.3	18	60.0	14	73.7		

● *No significant difference in clinical and pathologic predictors between the patients with no mutation vs. other mutations beyond *BRCA1/2**

Tung et al., *J Clin Oncol* 2016

Characteristics of patients with pathogenic or likely pathogenic variants beyond *BRCA1/2* (2)



41,611 white or Ashkenazi Jewish women with breast cancer, negative for *BRCA1/2* mutation (tested by Ambry genetics)

Phenotypic associations	Genes	OR (95% CI)
Bilateral breast cancer	<i>CHEK2</i>	1.35 (1.12-1.63)
	<i>PALB2</i>	1.51 (1.09-2.05)
	<i>TP53</i>	2.46 (1.26-4.65)
Personal history of ovarian cancer	<i>BRIP1</i>	5.22 (1.99-12.67)
	<i>MSH2</i>	18.44 (3.98-77.80)
Family history (1st- or 2nd-degree relatives) of breast cancer	<i>PALB2</i>	1.59 (1.15-2.19)
	<i>BRIP1</i>	2.42 (1.41-4.13)
Family history of ovarian cancer	<i>RAD51C</i>	2.89 (1.26-6.45)
	<i>TP53</i>	14.58 (3.02-103.47)
	<i>CHEK2</i>	47.7 years of age (vs 49.7)
Younger age	<i>TP53</i>	37.1 years of age (vs. 49.4)

Known high risk genes or odds ratio (OR) above 5 in the study; OR, 2-4.99 in the study; OR, 1-1.99 in the study

Couch et al., JAMA Oncology 2017

Characteristics of patients with pathogenic or likely pathogenic variants beyond *BRCA1/2* (3)

Table 2 Association between the clinicopathological features of suspected hereditary breast cancer and the pathogenic or likely pathogenic variants of non-*BRCA* cancer predisposition genes (*n* = 120 patients)

Clinicopathological features	High-penetrance mutations		Moderate-penetrance mutations		None or VUS		<i>p</i> -value
	Number of patients	%	Number of patients	%	Number of patients	%	
Breast cancer site							
Bilateral	2	18.2	0	0	9	81.8	0.106*
Unilateral	3	2.8	4	3.7	102	93.5	
Breast cancer subtype (<i>n</i> = 117, excluding patients with unknown breast cancer subtypes)							
TNBC	0	0	1	4.5	21	95.5	>0.99*
hormone + and/or HER2+	4	4.2	3	3.2	88	92.6	
Concomitant diagnosis with ovarian cancer							
Yes	0	0	0	0	3	100	>0.99*
No	5	4.3	4	3.4	108	92.3	
Age at first diagnosis of breast cancer							
< 35 years	4	21.1	0	0	15	78.9	0.003*
≥ 35 years	1	1.0	4	4.0	96	95.0	
Family history of young (< 50 years old at diagnosis) breast and/or ovarian cancer patients within 2nd degree family							
Yes	2	6.3	3	9.1	1	1.0	
No	3	3.4	1	1.0	116	96.0	

Abbreviations: HER2, human epidermal growth factor receptor 2; TNBC, triple negative breast cancer; VUS, variant of unknown significance; Fisher's exact test

Young age (age at first diagnosis of breast cancer, < 35years)

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**Concerns about
*variants of unknown significance
(VUS) in multigene panels***



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Possible outcomes of genetic testing



Deleterious

True positive

Associated with a significantly increased cancer risk



VUS (variant of unknown significance)

a detected genetic change without a good description of any correlating clinical risk.



Suspected Deleterious

Available evidence strongly suggests association with significantly increased cancer risk



Favor Polymorphism

Evidence strongly indicates the variant is harmless and not associated with an increased cancer risk



True negative

i.e. an individual in a family with a known mutation



Uninformative

i.e. a negative test in a family where a mutation has yet to be identified

Needs for Reclassification

<https://www.myriad.com/>; Shiovitz and Korde, Ann Oncol 2015

Reclassification of VUS

Multifactorial likelihood prediction models



Indirect evidences

- **Structural features** of the gene or protein
- *In vitro* assays
- Occurrence of **LOH in tumor DNA**
- **Conservation** across species

Direct (genetic) evidences

- **Frequency** of the variant in **cases and controls**
- **Co-segregation** with the disease in families
- **Co-occurrence** with a deleterious mutation in the same gene
- **Pathology profile, personal and family history** of cancer of the carriers of the variant

Prior probability =

in silico method using functional study, evolutionary conservation, ...

Likelihood of pathogenicity =

LR Co-occurrence × LR Pathology
× LR Segregation × LR cancer history

Posterior Odds = Likelihood ratio ×
[prior probability/(1-prior probability)]

Posterior Probability of Pathogenicity =
Posterior Odds / (Posterior Odds + 1)

Goldgar et al., Hum Mutat 2008; Lindor et al., Hum Mutat 2012

Reclassification of VUS

Evidence framework by ACMG guidelines



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	Benign		Pathogenic			
	Strong	Supporting	Supporting	Moderate	Strong	Very strong
Population data	MAF is too high for disorder BA1/BS1 OR observation in controls inconsistent with disease penetrance BS2			Absent in population databases PM2	Prevalence in affected statistically increased over controls PS4	
Computational and predictive Data		Multiple lines of computational evidence suggest no impact on gene /gene product BP4 Missense in gene where only truncating cause disease BP1 Silent variant with non predicted splice impact BP7 In-frame indels in repeat w/out known function BP3	Multiple lines of computational evidence support a deleterious effect on the gene /gene product PP3	Novel missense change at an amino acid residue where a different pathogenic missense change has been seen before PM5 Protein length changing variant PM4	Same amino acid change as an Established pathogenic variant PS1	Predicted null variant in a gene where LOF is a known mechanism of disease PVS1
Functional data			Missense in gene with low rate of benign missense variants and path. Missenses common PP2	Mutational hot spot or well-studied functional domain without benign variation PM1	Well-established functional studies show a deleterious effect PS3	
Segregation data			Cosegregation with disease in multiple affected family members PP1	→	→	
De novo data				De novo (without paternity & maternity confirmed) PM6	De novo (paternity and maternity confirmed) PS2	
Allelic data		Observed in trans with a dominant variant BP2 Observed in cis with a pathogenic variant BP2		For recessive disorders, detected in trans with a pathogenic variant PM3		
Other Database		Reputable source w/out shared data = benign BP6	Reputable source = pathogenic PP5			
Others		Found in case with an alternate cause BP5	Patient's phenotype or FH highly specific for gene PP4			

S Richard, ACMG laboratory quality assurance committee, Genet Med 2015

Variant of Unknown Significance (VUS) of cancer susceptibility genes **beyond BRCA1/2**

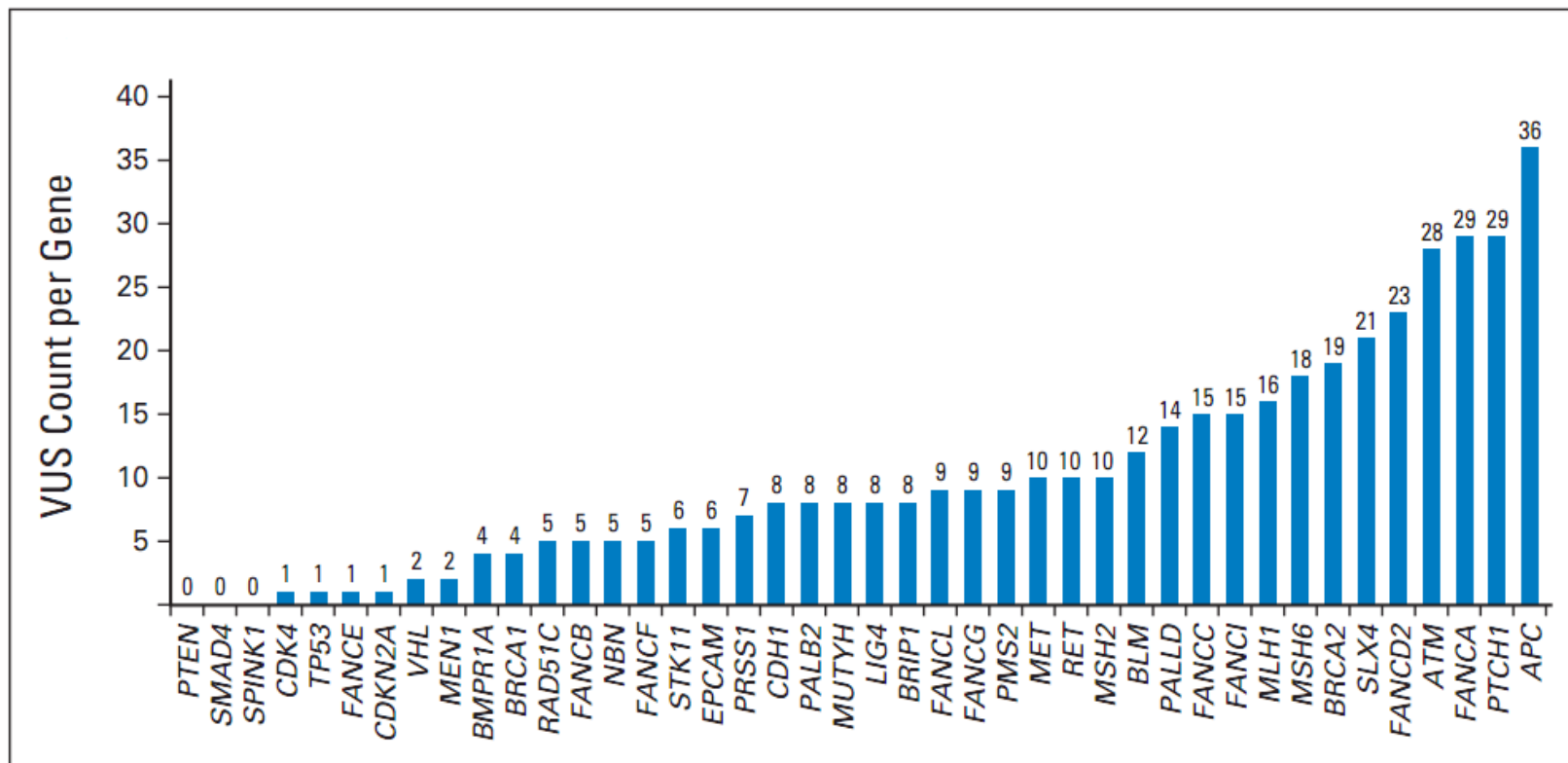


Fig 1. (B) Variants of uncertain significance (VUS) count, per gene, across 198 participants.

Kurian et al., J Clin Oncol 2014

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VUS of cancer susceptibility genes beyond *BRCA1/2*

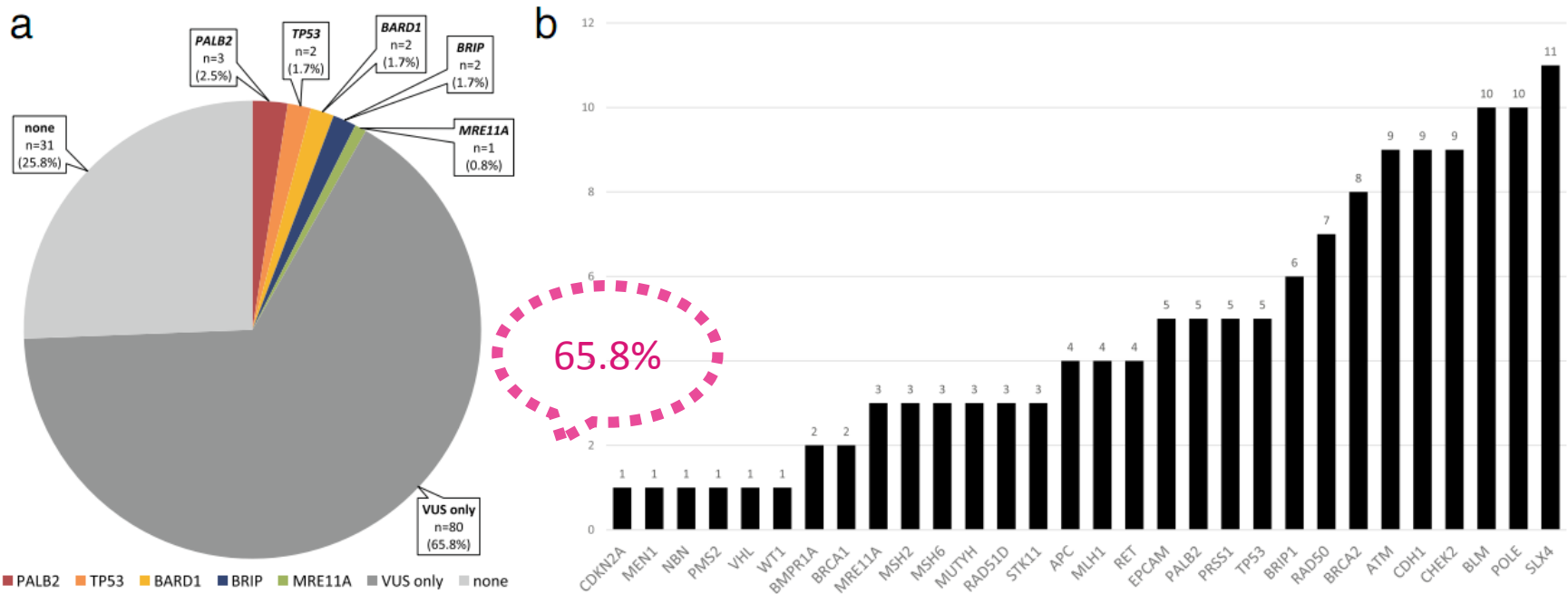


Fig. 1 **a** Percentage of patients with pathogenic or likely pathogenic mutations corresponding with each gene. **b** Number of patients with variants of uncertain significance (VUS) for each gene ($n = 120$ patients total)

Needs for clinical database and laboratory studies

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Conclusions



Despite many limitations,

- Considering advances in performance capacity, accuracy, and economic benefit, **application of NGS panel will continue to expand.**

There is a growing need to introduce:

- Guidelines for **selection of candidates** with high risk for hereditary cancer
- **Interpretation** of each genetic variants
- **Reclassification of VUS**
- Providing of **psychosocial support**
- Establishment of **preventive strategies** to the mutation carriers

*We are trying to establish a **well-organized population-based database**, and conduct clinical trials to help to improve **knowledge and quality of life** of the carriers with germline mutations of cancer susceptibility genes.*

Thank you for your attention!



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