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# MATEMATINIO MODELIAVIMO UŽDAVINYS ONKOLOGIJOJE

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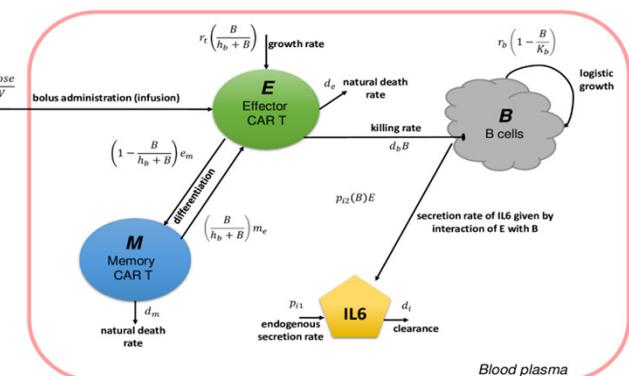
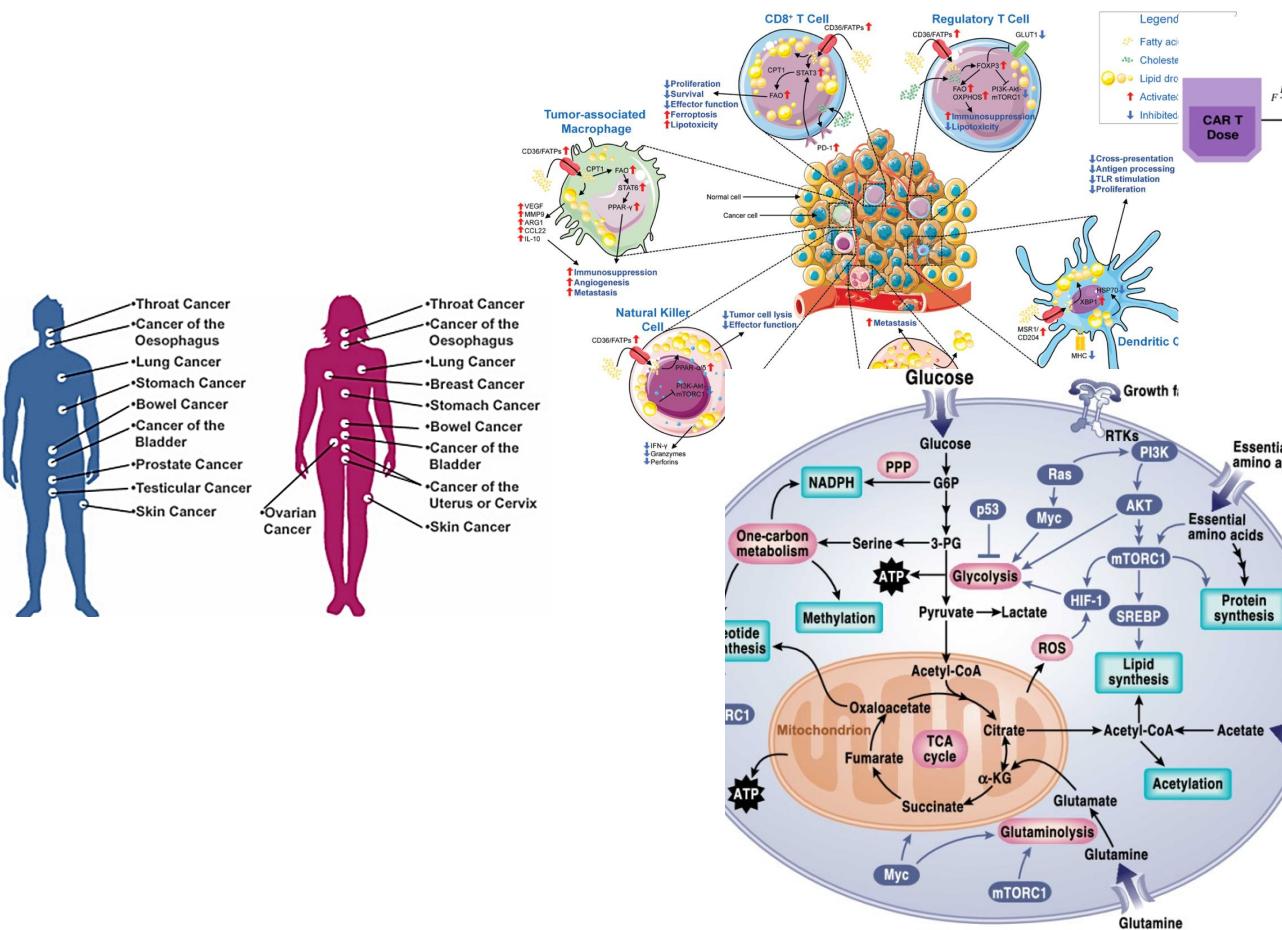
Kęstutis K.Urba

*USA NCI - The Ras initiative - international project*

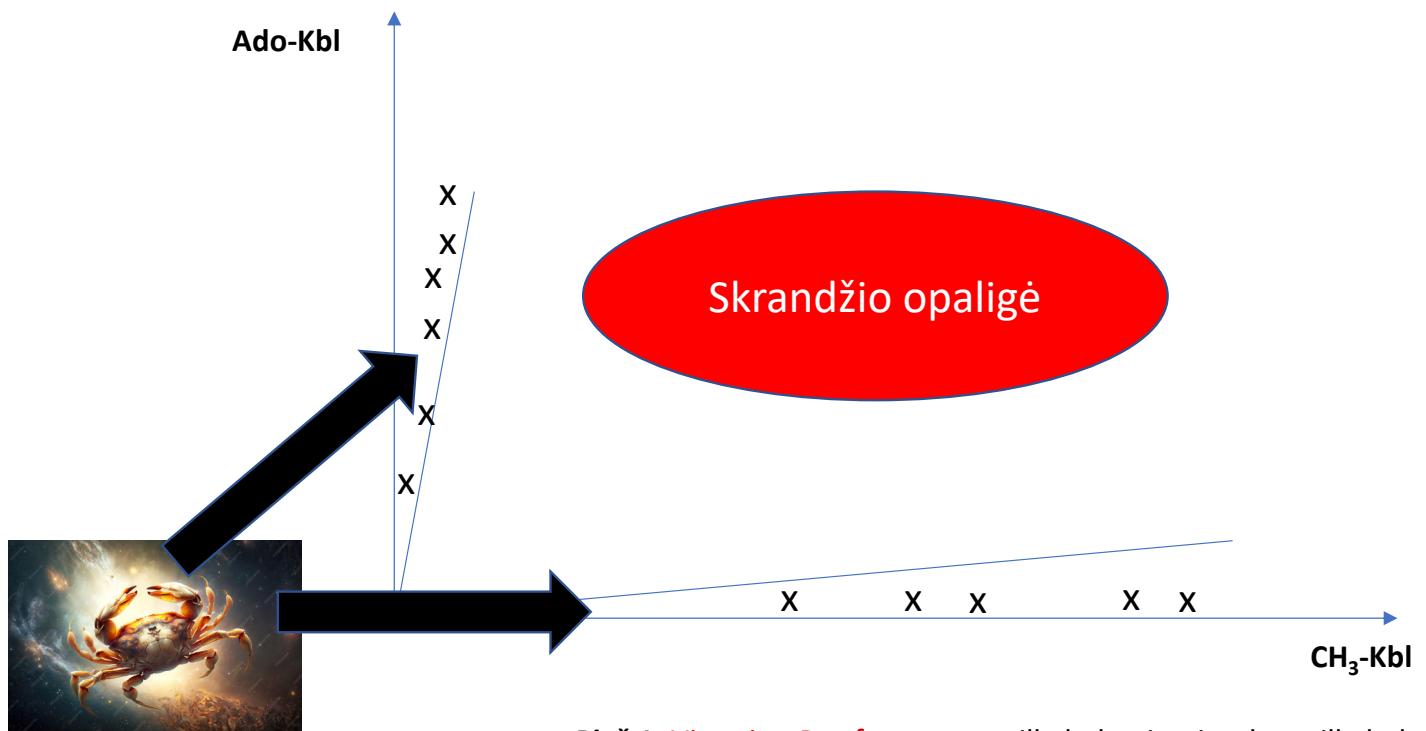
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# IVADAS: modeliuotino objekto sudėtingumas

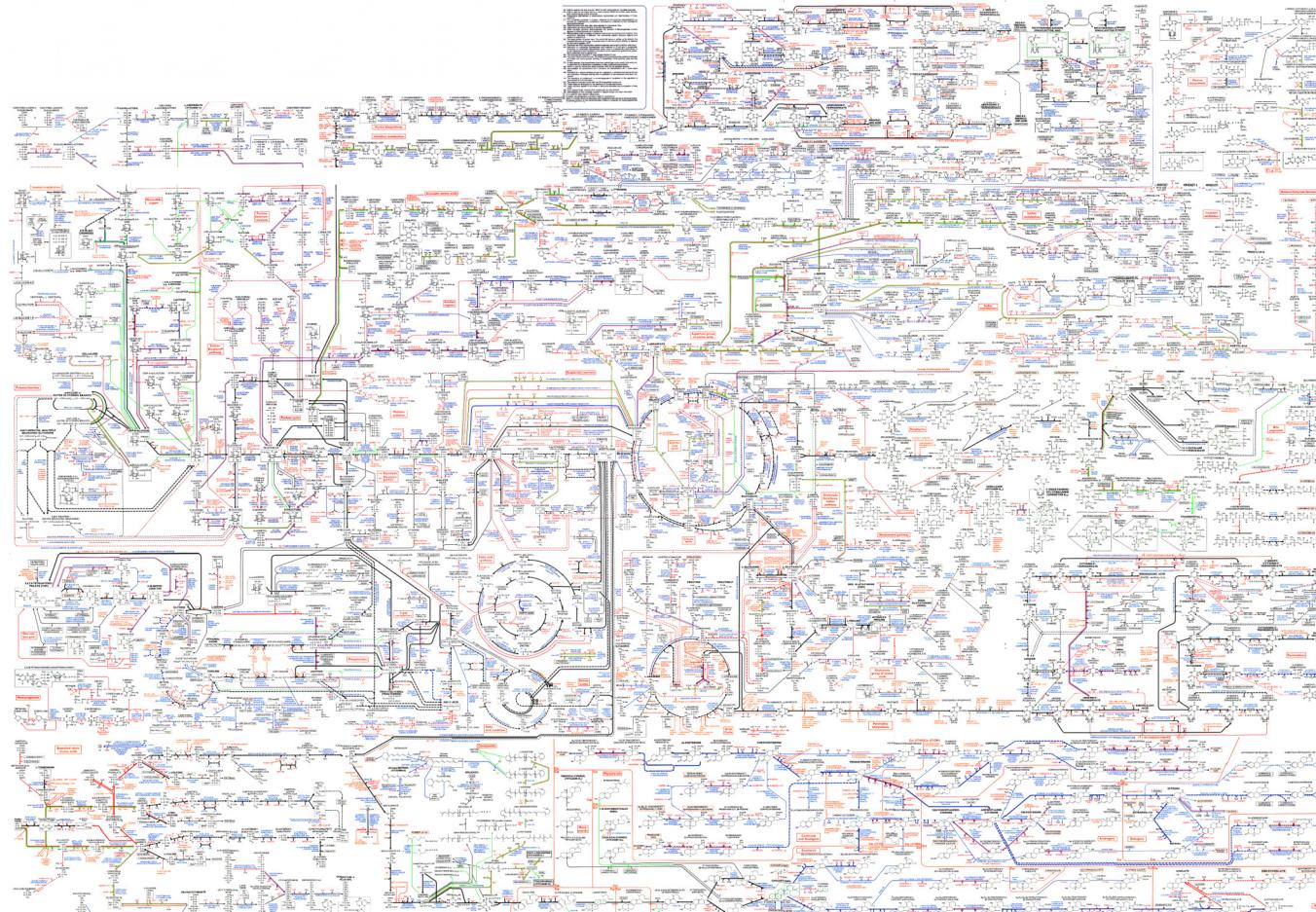


Empirinių duomenų analizės būdu gautas diagnostinis algoritmas - 1989 metai,  
išradimas 1992 ( akad.S.Kanopkaitė ... K.Urba)

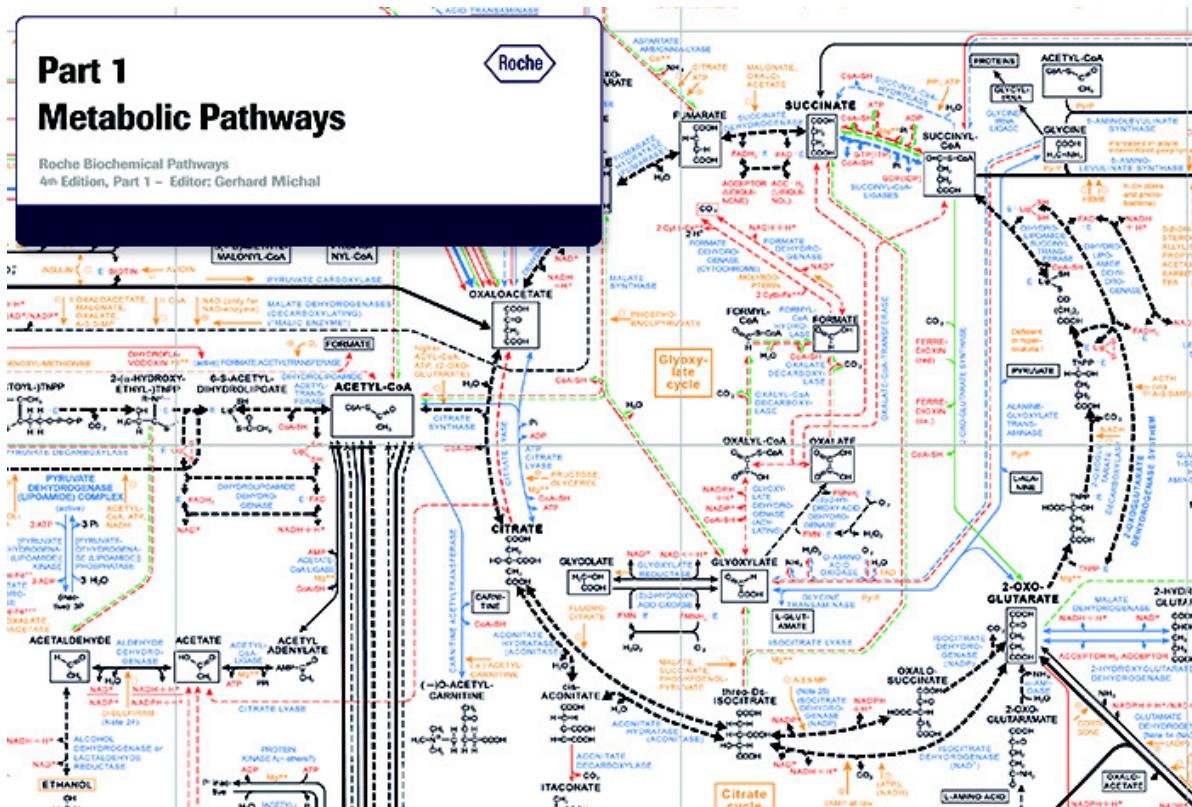


**Pieš 1. Vitamino B<sub>12</sub> formų – metilkobalamino ir adenozilkobalamino krauso įastelėse pasiskirstymas žmonių sergančių vėžiu ( x) bei skrandžio opalige**

# Medžiagų apykaitos žemėlapis



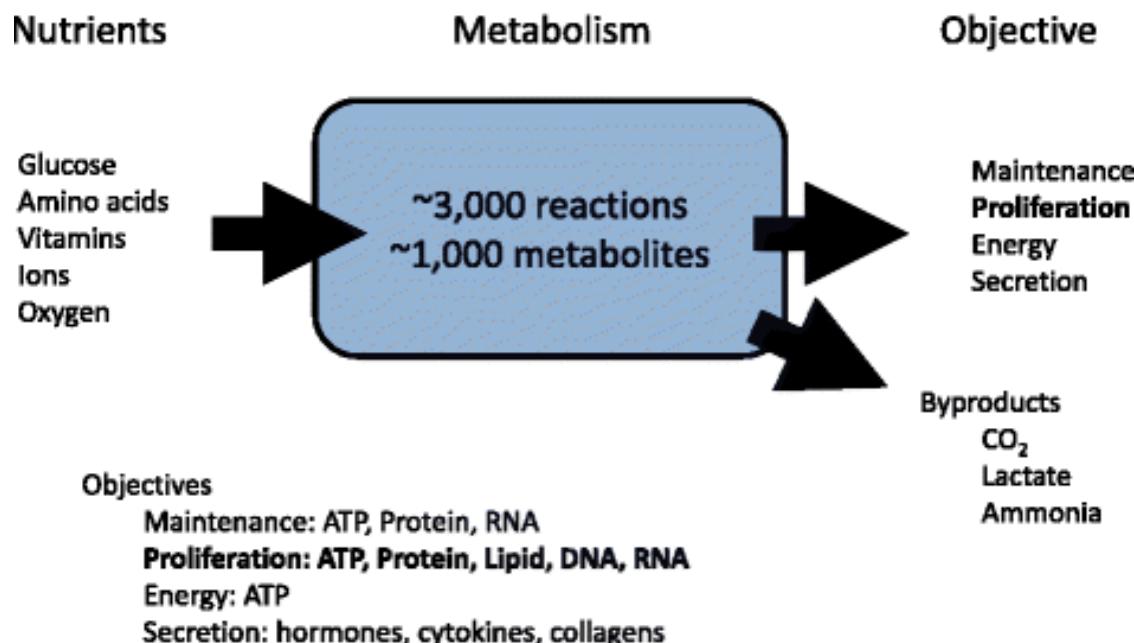
# ROCHE žmėlapis raiškesniame mastelyje



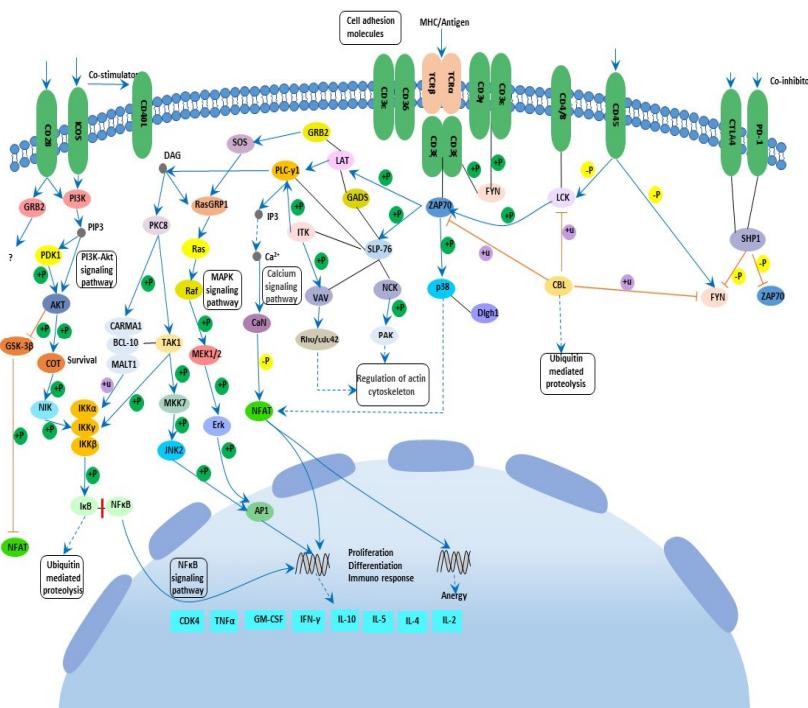
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Tyrinėjamos apykaitos apimtys ([Elke Katrin Markert, Alexei Vazquez, 2015](#))

### Genome scale model of human cell metabolism



# Signalų perdavimas transkripcijai nuo membranos



1. Eksposomika (Ex),
2. Genomika (G),
3. Signalomika (S),
4. Cistromika (C),
5. Transkriptomika (TR),
6. Proteomika (P),
7. Lipidomika (L) ([Smirnov D. et al. 2021](#)),
8. Metalomika (Mtl) ([Zhang Y. et al, 2022](#)), ([Wolters DA., et al, 2012](#))
9. Metabolomika (M)
10. Epigenomika (Ep),
11. Imunomika (Im) ([Nevedomskaya E, Haendler B. 2022](#))
- 12. Fliuksomika (F)**

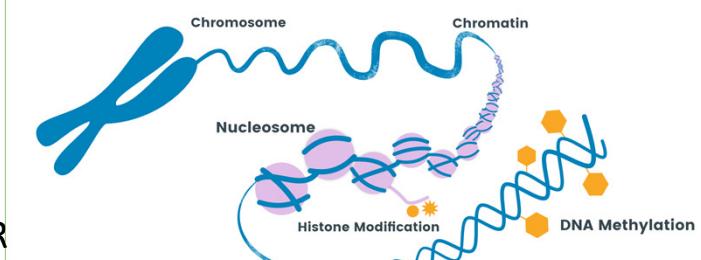
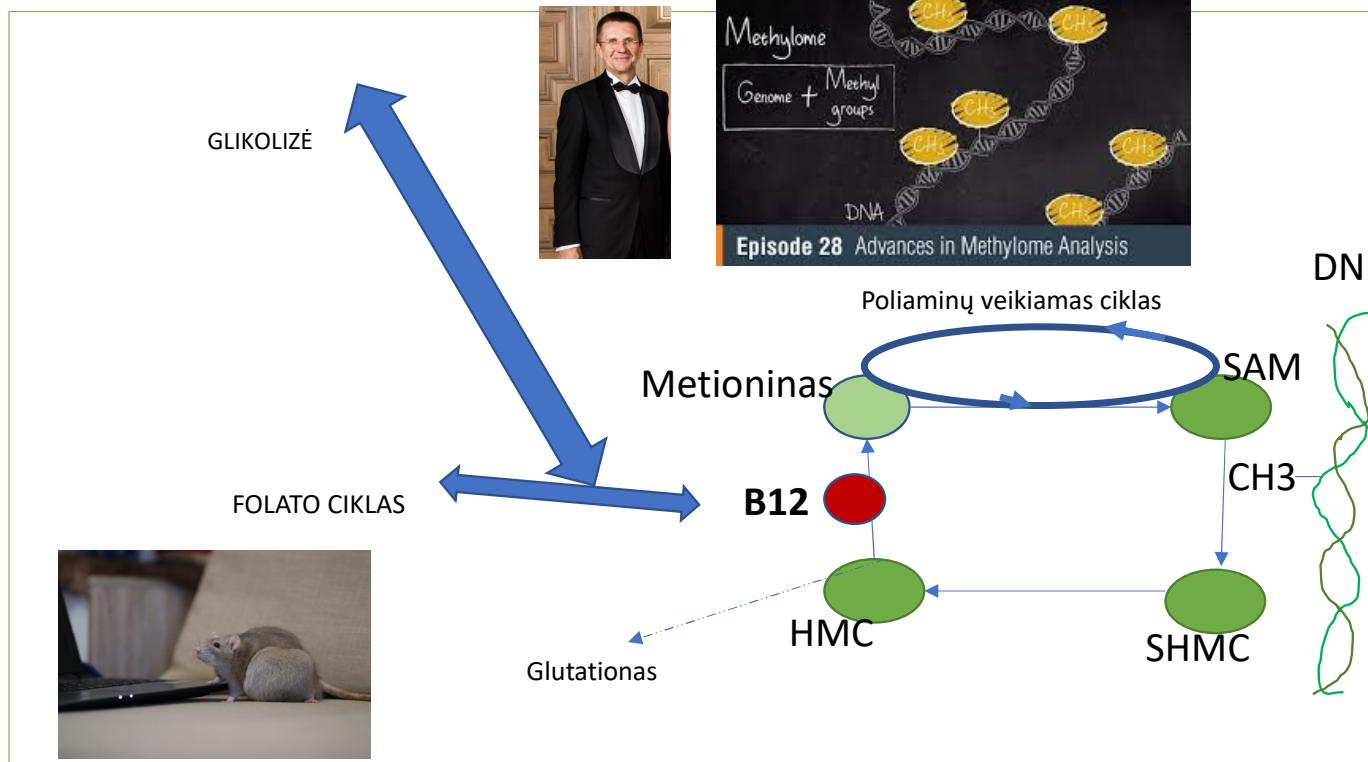
$$\{\text{TUMOR}^{\text{OEx}}\}_t = U_k U_i f_{k,ij} (\text{Ex}_{\xi_1}, G(K)_{\xi_2}, S(K)_{\xi_3}, C(K)_{\xi_4}, \text{Tr}(K)_{\xi_5}, P(K)_{\xi_6}, L(K)_{\xi_7}, \text{Mtl}(K)_{\xi_8}, M(K)_{\xi_9}, F(K)_{\xi_{10}}, \text{Ep}(K)_{\xi_{11}}, I_{\xi_{12}})$$

# I dalis. Vienanglių fragmentų – „1C“ apykaita ir modeliavimas:

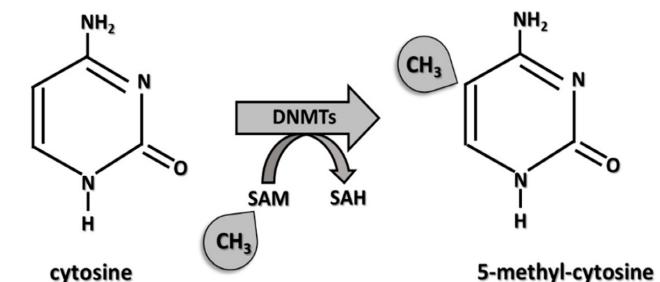
Duke universetas, Kornelio universitetas, Trento (Italija), Bordo (Prancūzija), Brisbenas (Australija)...

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Vitaminas B12-Metionino ciklas: „One-carbon Metabolism at the Root of Carcinogenesis“ ([Adam Rosenzweig](#), [John Blenis](#), and [Ana P. Gomes](#), Meyer Cancer Center, NYC. Beyond the Warburg Effect: How Do Cancer Cells Regulate One-Carbon Metabolism?, 2018)

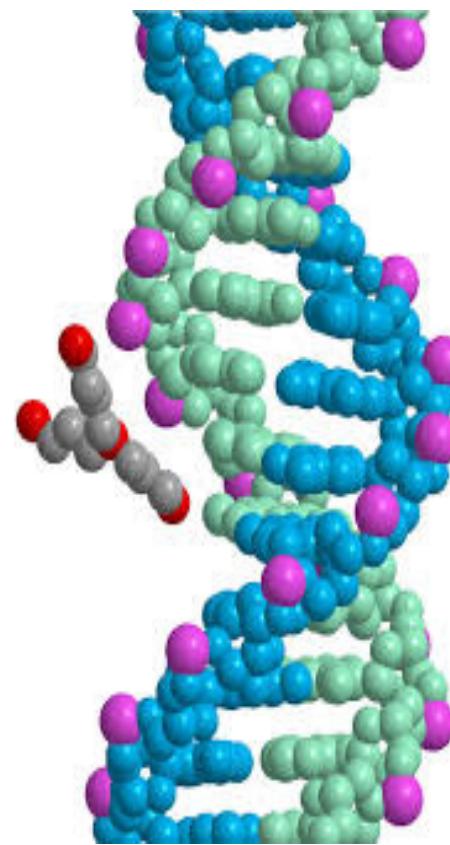


DNA methylation

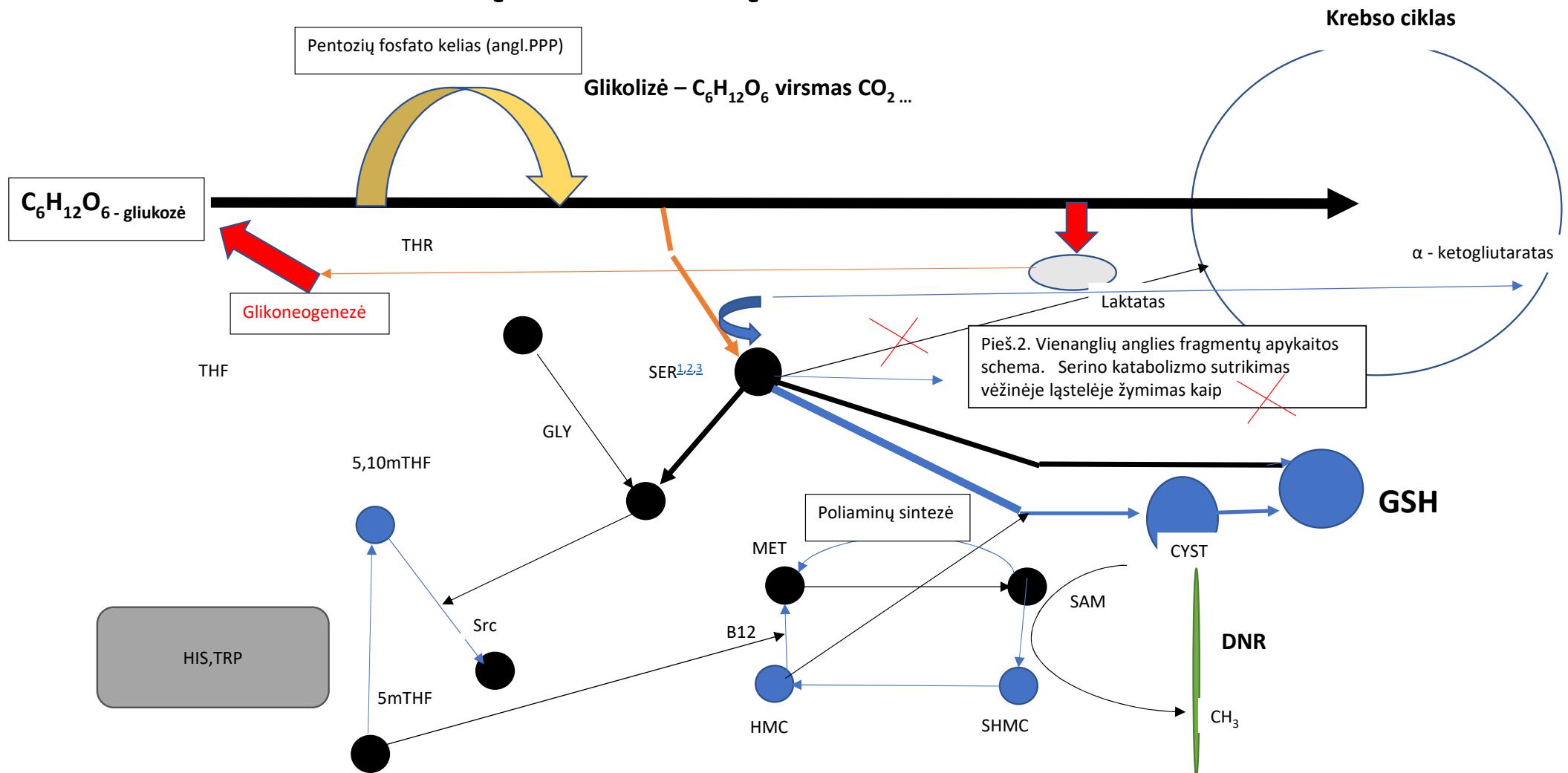


CH<sub>3</sub> - Vienanglių fragmentų apykaita. Glikolizės ... metu C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>12</sub>O<sub>6</sub> virsta CO<sub>2</sub> arba jos anglies atomas iš β pozicijos nukeliauja iki CH<sub>3</sub>

Poliaminai suaktyvina „DNR raišką“



# VIENANGLIŲ FRAGMENTŲ APYKAITOS SCHEMA



# Matematikai modeliuoja biologinius-molekulinius procesus

## 1. Glikolizės matematinis modeliavimas

<https://www.nature.com/articles/s41598-018-20348-7>

<https://www.nature.com/articles/s41598-019-39901-z>

## 2. Oksidacnio fosforilinimo (tolesnio energijos gaminimo ATP pavida) modeliavimas

<https://www.mdpi.com/2073-4409/11/24/4020>

## 4. Vienanglių fragmentų, apjungiant glikolizės procesą modeliavimas

<https://academic.oup.com/jn/article/136/10/2653/4746711>

Mathematical Models of Folate-Mediated One-Carbon Metabolism H. F. Nijhout,\* M. C. Reed,† and C. M. Ulrich <https://sites.duke.edu/metabolism/files/2015/11/08litwack.pdf>

## 5. Metionino ciklo matematinis modeliavimas

<https://www.researchgate.net/publication/8991844> A Mathematical model of the methionine cycle

## 6. Poliaminų sintezės matematinis modeliavimas

<https://www.researchgate.net/publication/7071327> Mathematical Modeling of Polyamine Metabolism in Mammals

## 8. Imuninės sistemos matematinis modeliavimas

<https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pmc/articles/PMC6579737/>

## 9. Biocheminių tinklų matematinis modeliavimas [Effect of substrate competition in kinetic models of metabolic networks – ScienceDirect https://ars.els-cdn.com/content/image/1-s2.0-S0014579313004833-mmcl.pdf](https://ars.els-cdn.com/content/image/1-s2.0-S0014579313004833-mmcl.pdf)

Matematiniai modeliai: tarp įmanomų modelinių uždavinių ir tarp tų, kuriuos reikia spręsti - atskiri reakcijų tinklo fragmentai

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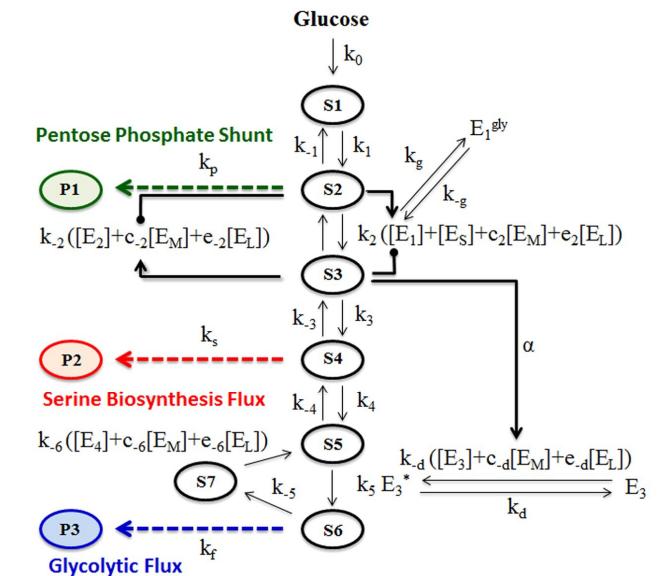
$$dA1(t)/dt = VfA(t) \frac{KmA + A(t)}{1 + B1(t) \frac{KmB}{KmA} + A1(t)} - VfA1(t) \frac{KmA + A1(t)}{1 + B1(t) \frac{KmB}{KmA} + A1(t)}$$

$$dA2(t)/dt = VfA1(t) \frac{KmA + A1(t)}{1 + B1(t) \frac{KmB}{KmA} + A1(t)} - VfA2(t) \frac{KmA + A2(t)}{1 + B1(t) \frac{KmB}{KmA} + A2(t)}$$

$$dB(t)/dt = kBBe - VfB(t) \frac{KmB + B(t)}{1 + A1(t) \frac{KmA}{KmB} + B1(t)}$$

$$dB1(t)/dt = VfB(t) \frac{KmB + B(t)}{1 + A1(t) \frac{KmA}{KmB} + B1(t)} - VfB1(t) \frac{KmB + B1(t)}{1 + A1(t) \frac{KmA}{KmB} + B1(t)}$$

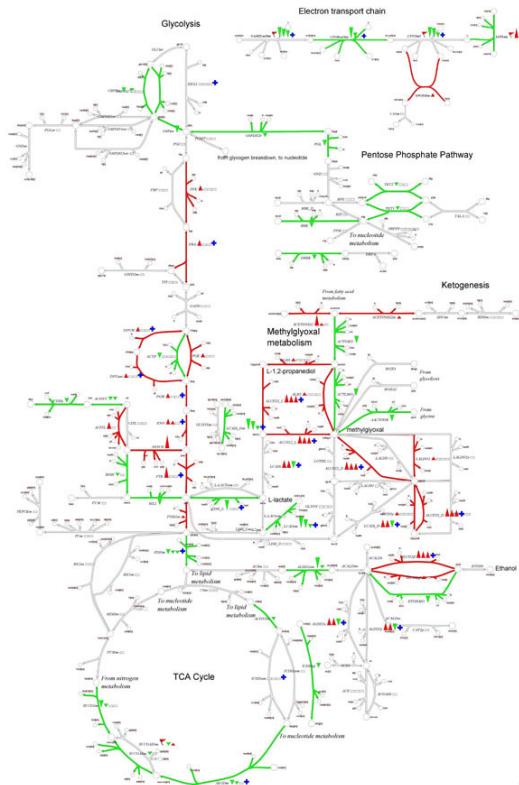
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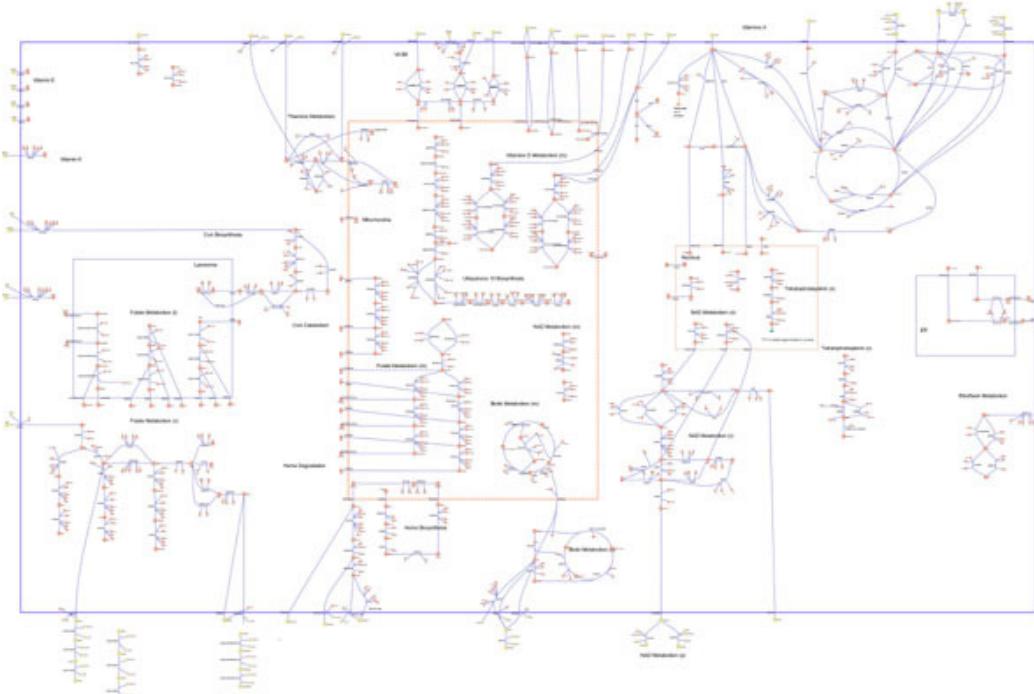
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$E_1$	$E_S + E_2 + E_3 + E_4$	$11 \cdot E_M$
$k_{as} \uparrow \downarrow$	$k_{am} \uparrow \downarrow$	$k_{al} \uparrow \downarrow$
$E_S$	$E_M$	$E_L$

# Balanso modelis (Recon1, Recon2)

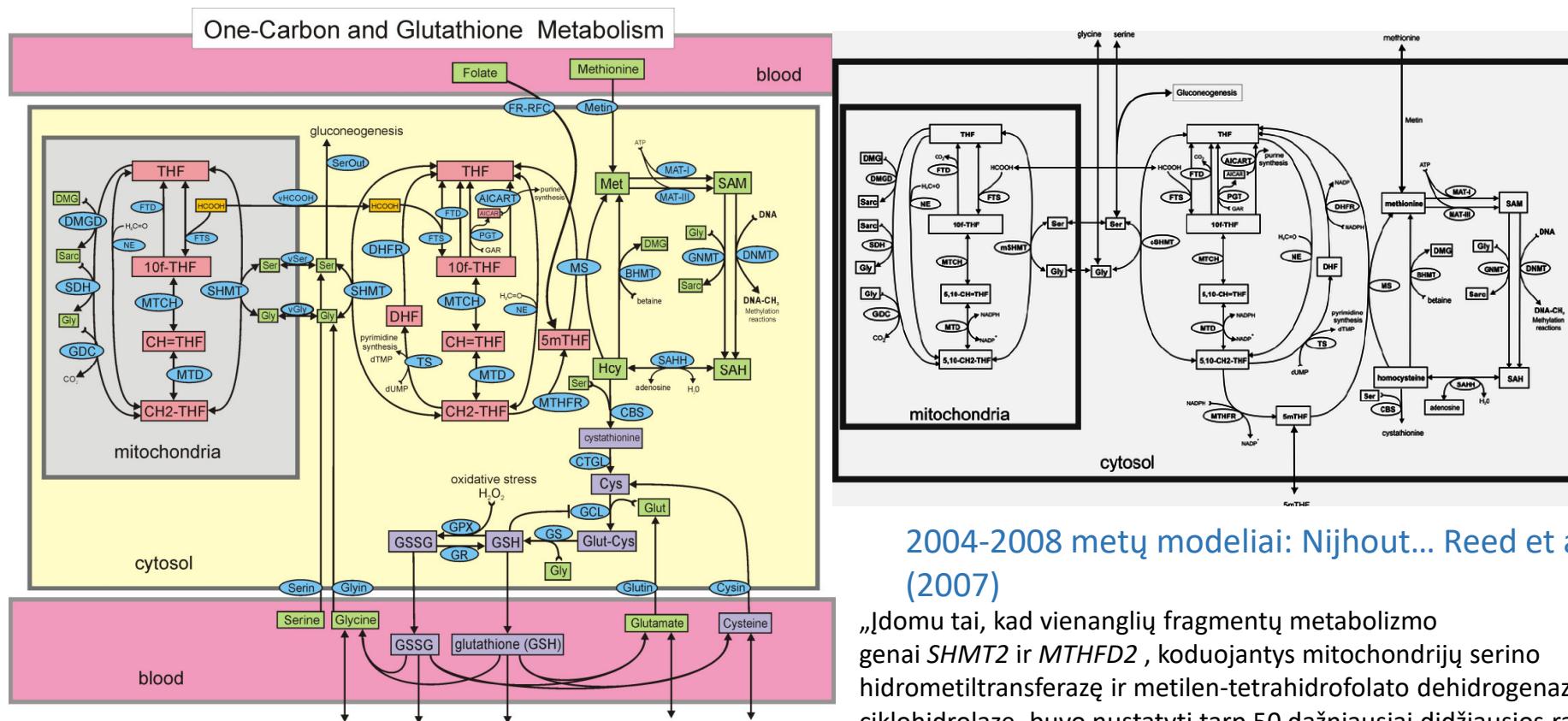


Homo sapiens Recon 1 VITAMIN & COFACTOR METABOLISM



Duarte NC, Becker SA, Jamshidi N, Thiele I, Mo ML, Vo TD, Srivas R, Palsson BØ. Global reconstruction of the human metabolic network based on genomic and bibliomic data. Proc Natl Acad Sci U S A. 2007 Feb 6;104(6):1777-82. doi: 10.1073/pnas.0610772104. Epub 2007 Jan 31.

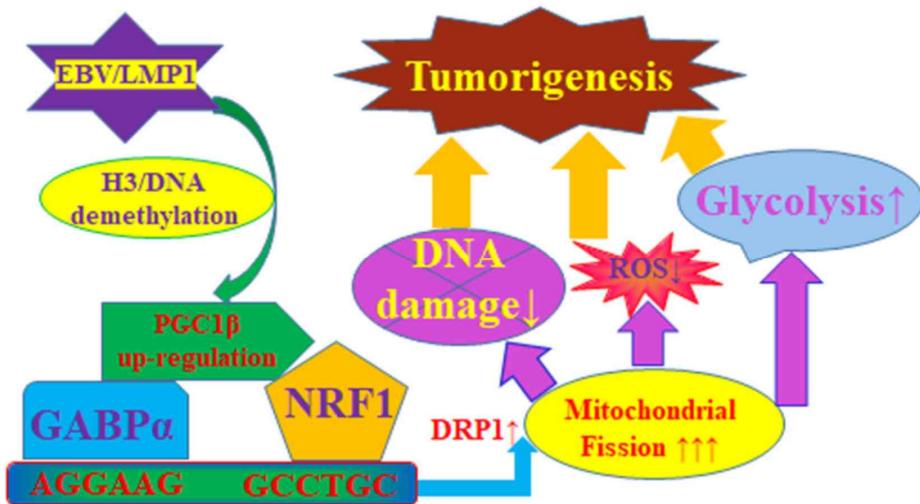
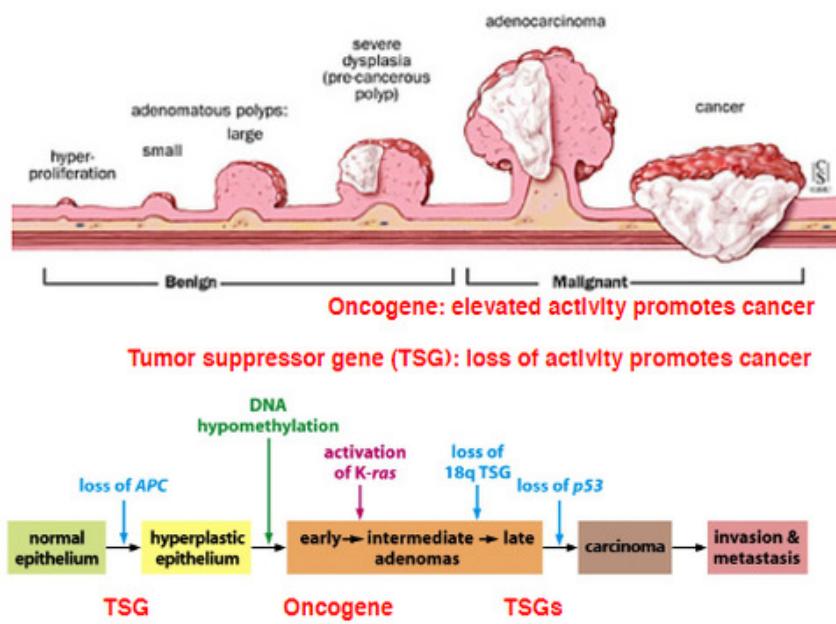
# 1C apykaitos modeliavimas folatų, metionino ciklo ir radikalų eliminavimo schemaje



2004-2008 metų modeliai: Nijhout... Reed et al. (2007)

„Jdomu tai, kad vienanglių fragmentų metabolismo genai *SHMT2* ir *MTHFD2*, koduojantys mitochondrijų serino hidrometiltransferazę ir metilen-tetrahydrofolato dehidrogenazę / ciklohidrolazę, buvo nustatyti tarp 50 dažniausiai didžiausios raiškos genų“

# II dalis. TUMORIGENEZĖS MODELIS

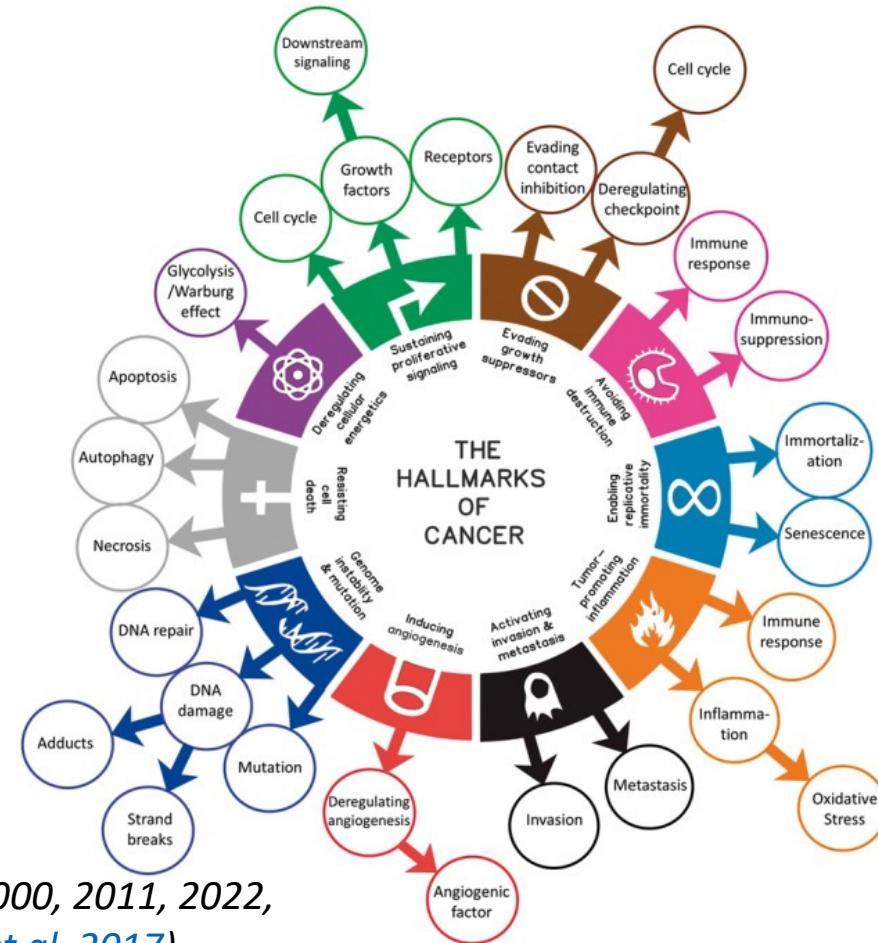


# Trys vėžio aprašo terminijos lygmenys

- KLINIKINIS (TNM klasifikacija)
- BIOLOGINIS
- MOLEKULINIS-ELEMENTARIJUJŲ DALELIŲ

## Būtinos ir pakankamos naviko aprašo sąlygos:

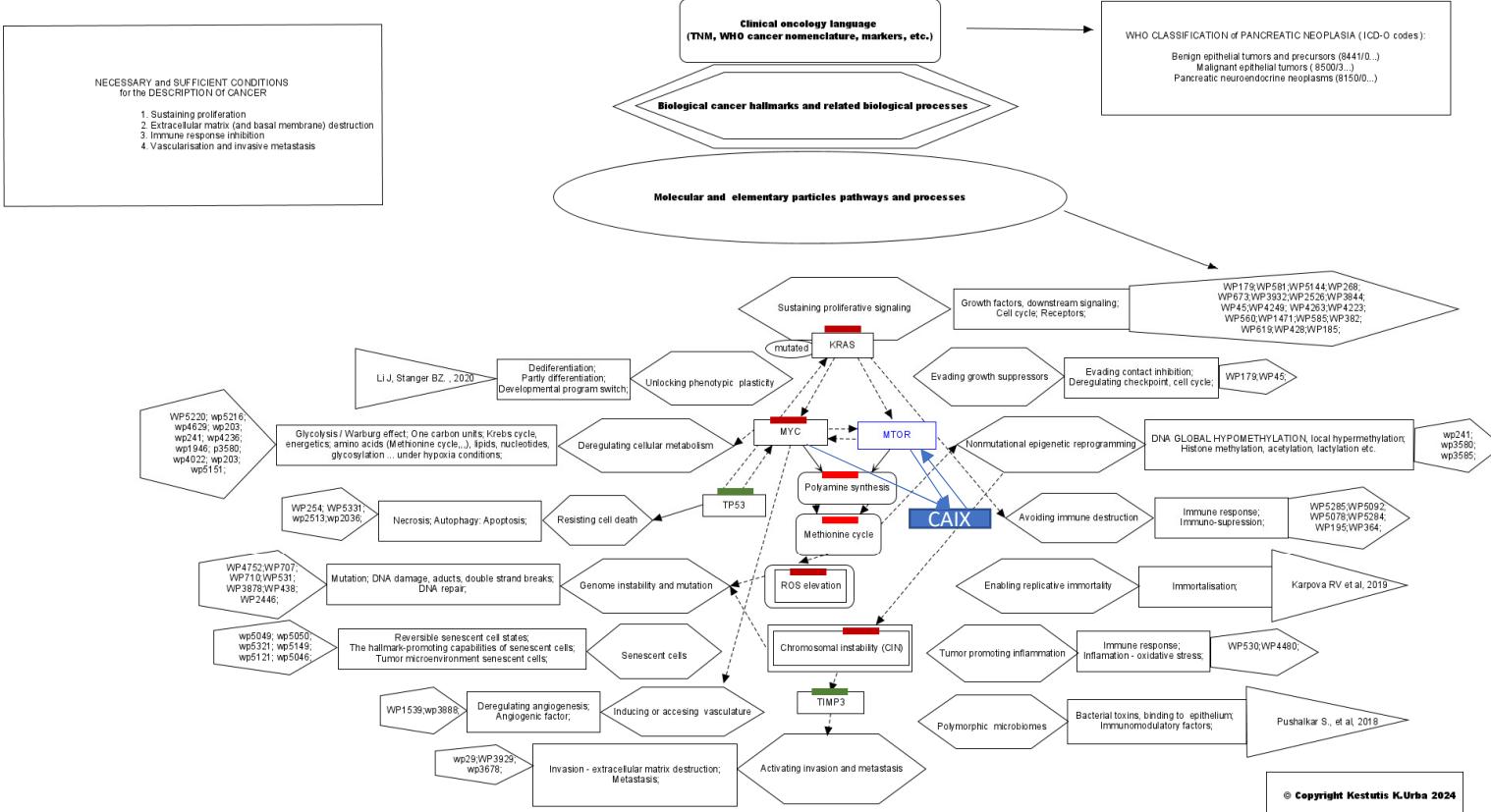
- I. Sparteinė piktybių ląstelių sankaupos proliferacija nei aplinkinio audinio
- II. Tarplastelinių jungčių, bazalinės membranos ir ekstraceliularinio matrikso griovimas bei ardymas
- III. Naviko angiogenėzė-kapiliarizacija ir metastazavimas
- IV. Imuninio atsako slopinimas



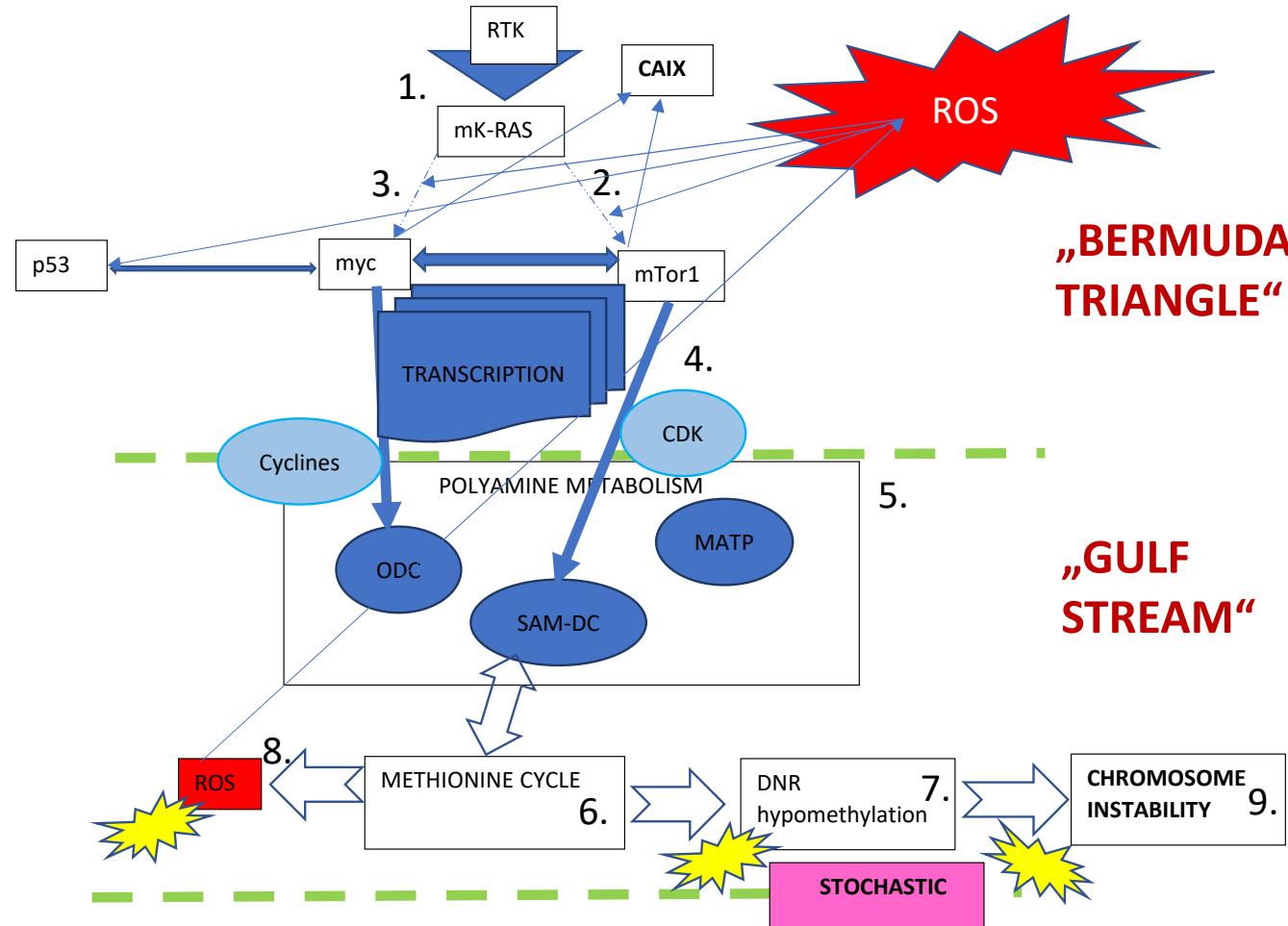
Hanahan-Weinberg 2000, 2011, 2022,  
([Baker S, Ali I, Silins I, et al. 2017](#))

# Molekulinio ir biologinio lygmenų sąryšis vėžio apraše

Title: Three levels of cancer description [+2](#)  
 Organism: Homo sapiens



CELL “undruggable” mK-ras INVOLVED CARCINOGENESIS and MALIGNIZATION SCENARIO (K.Urba, 2022, © copyright)

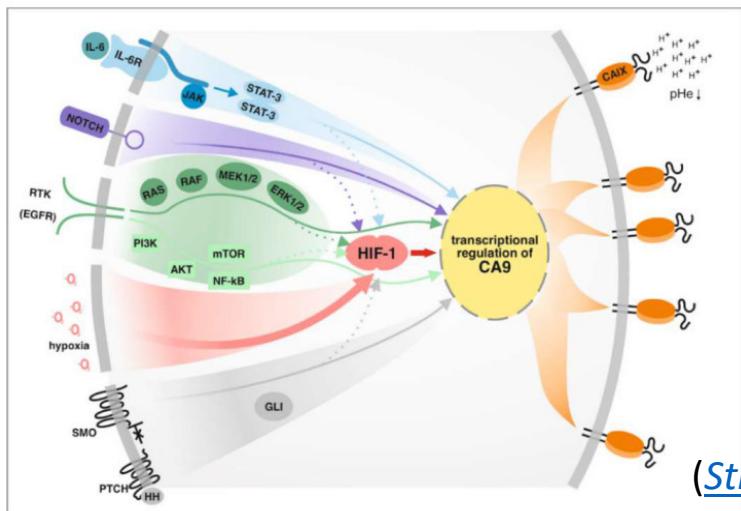


mK-ras is not only „driver“ but long distance long time stochastic „trigger“ too!

*Stochasticity:*

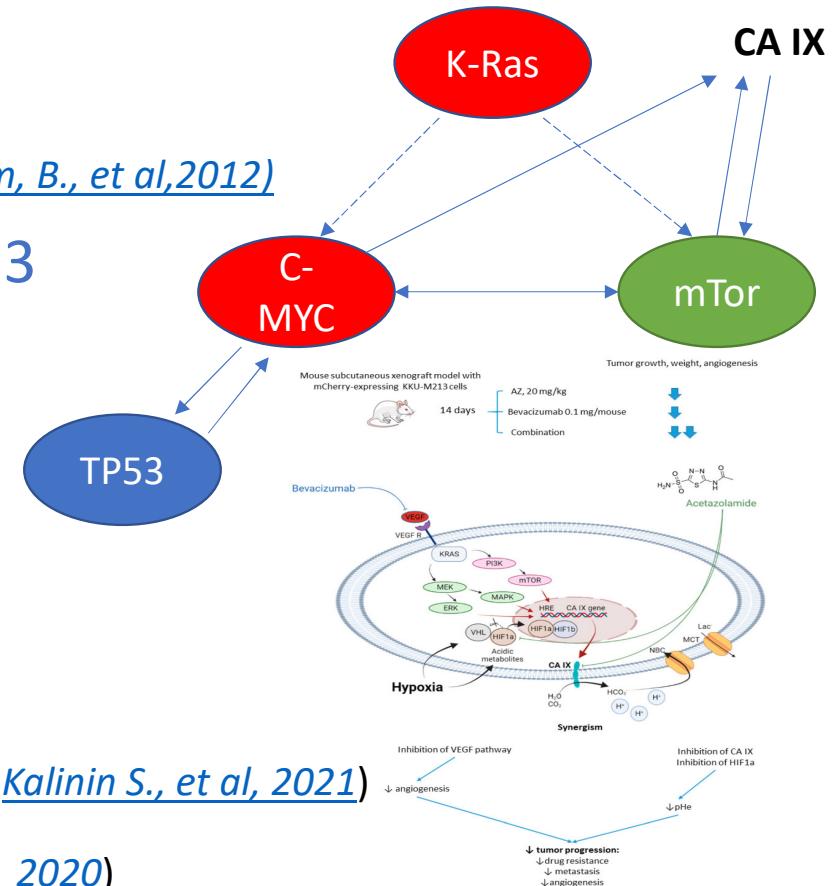
# Keletas onkogenų, augimo veiksių, supresorių

- Onkogenas **K-ras**
- Onkogenas **C-myc**
- Onkogenų slopiklis (supresorius) **Tp53**
- Augimo faktorių kompleksas **mTor**



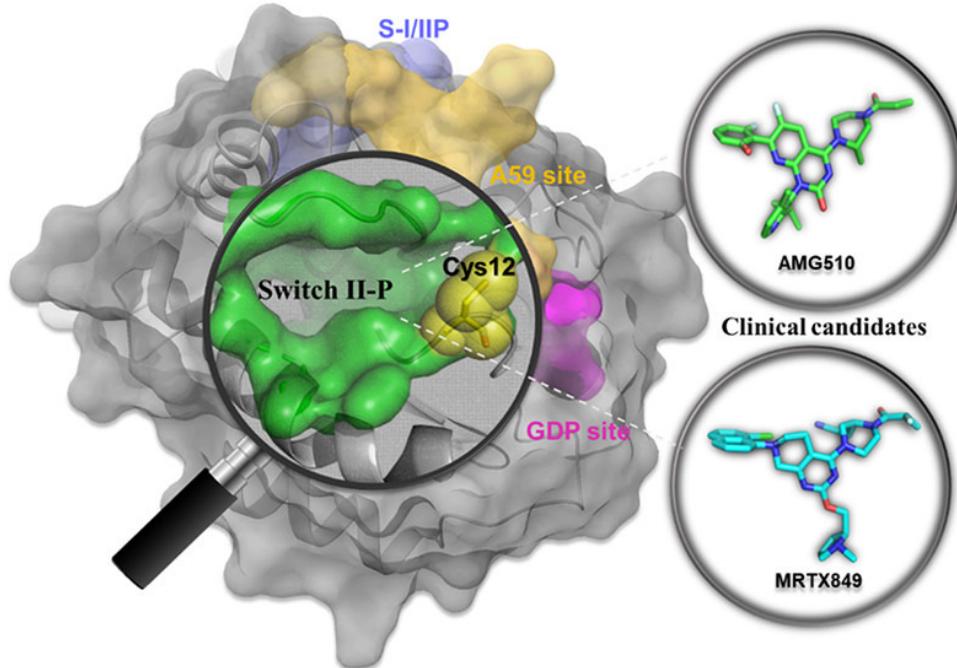
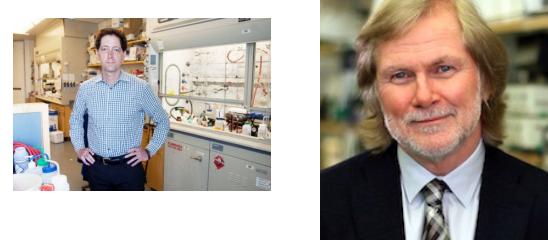
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([Kim, B., et al, 2012](#))

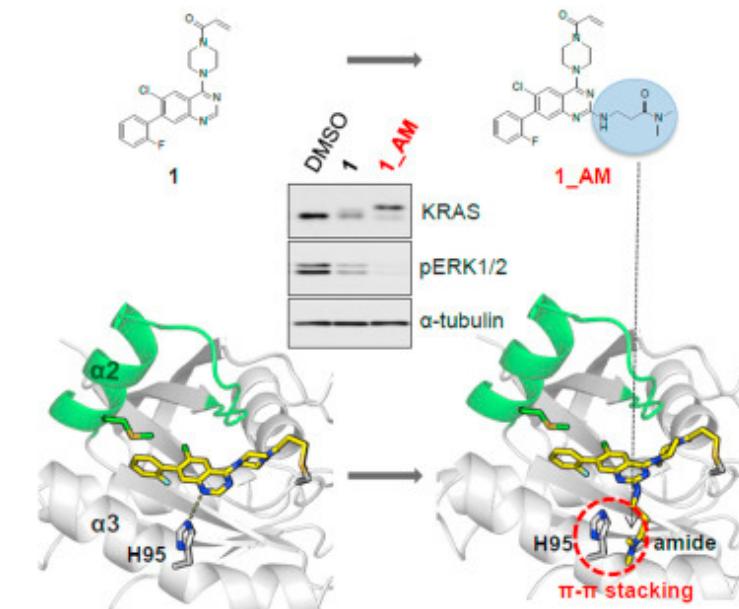


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# Tiesioginis K-RAS slopinimas



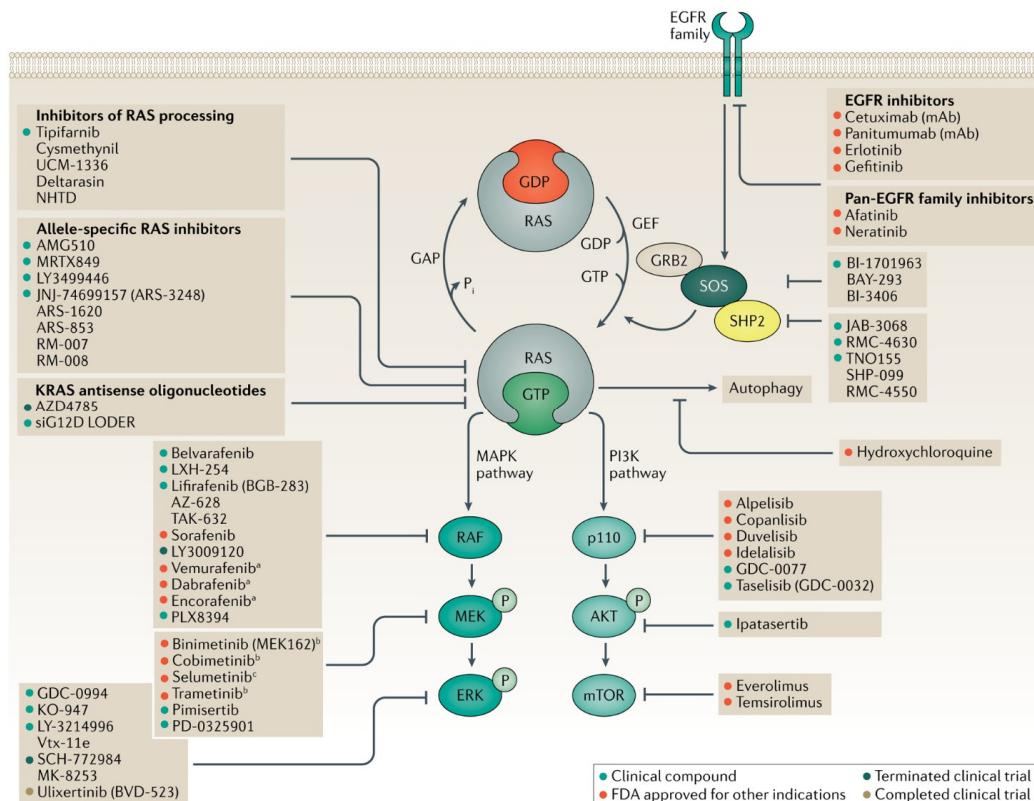
Developing more potent and selective inhibitors for KRAS G12C



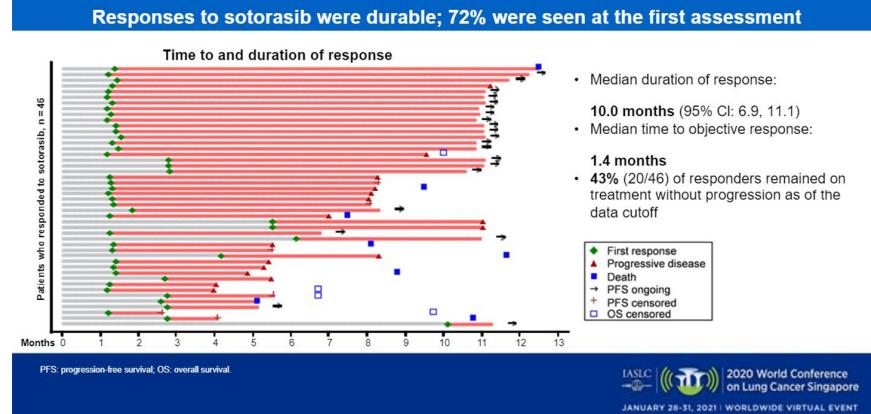
Olivier T, Haslam A, Prasad V. **Sotorasib in KRAS<sup>G12C</sup> mutated lung cancer: Can we rule out cracking KRAS led to worse overall survival?** Transl Oncol. 2023 Feb;28:101591. doi: 10.1016/j.tranon.2022.101591. Epub 2022 Dec 26. PMID: 36577165; PMCID: PMC9803768.

# RAS-targeted therapies: is the undruggable drugged?

Amanda R. Moore, Scott C. Rosenberg, Frank McCormick, Shiva Malek, Nat Rev., 2020



## Durability of Tumor Response



## Sotorasib Shows Early Activity Against KRAS G12C Mutant NSCLC



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Dear Kestutis,

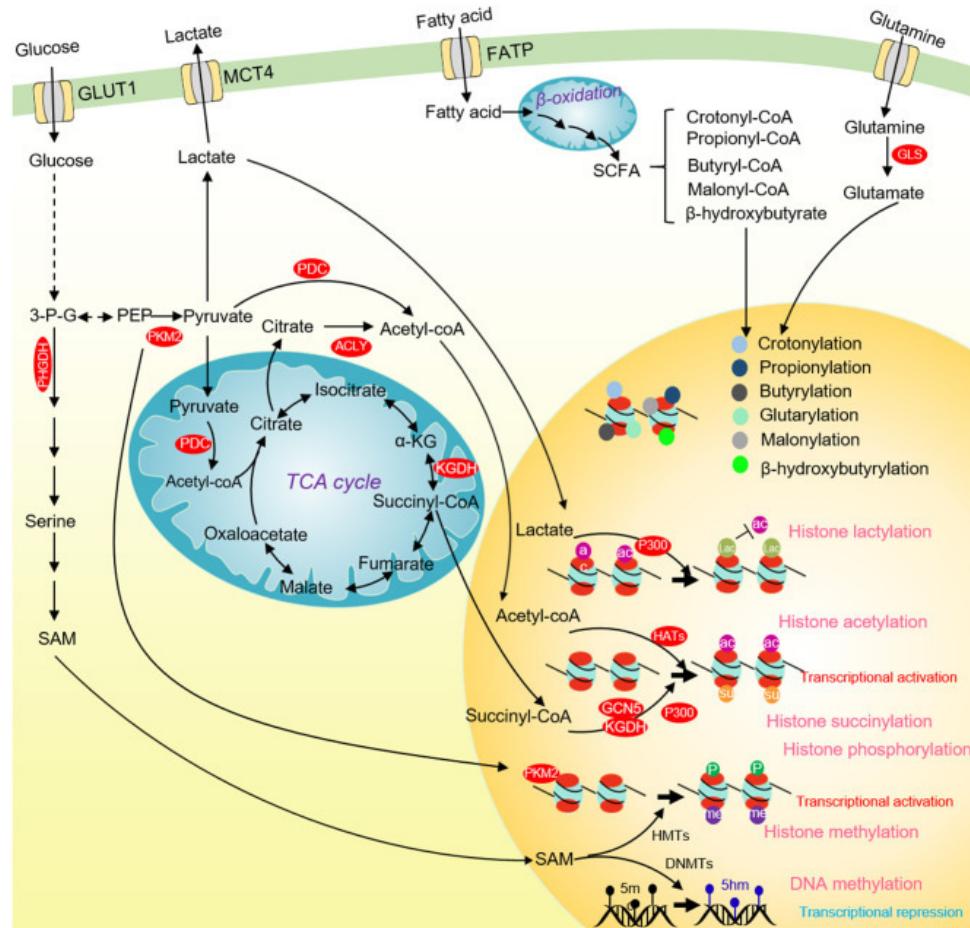


thank you for your thoughtful email. I agree that targeting MYC as a major downstream effector of KRAS is likely to be effective, as predicted from **mouse models** using inducible RAS and MYC systems. I had not given much thought to the possibility of targeting polyamines and/or ODC, though my PhD thesis focused on regulation of ODC during viral infections. I appreciate your comments and will give these matters more attention.

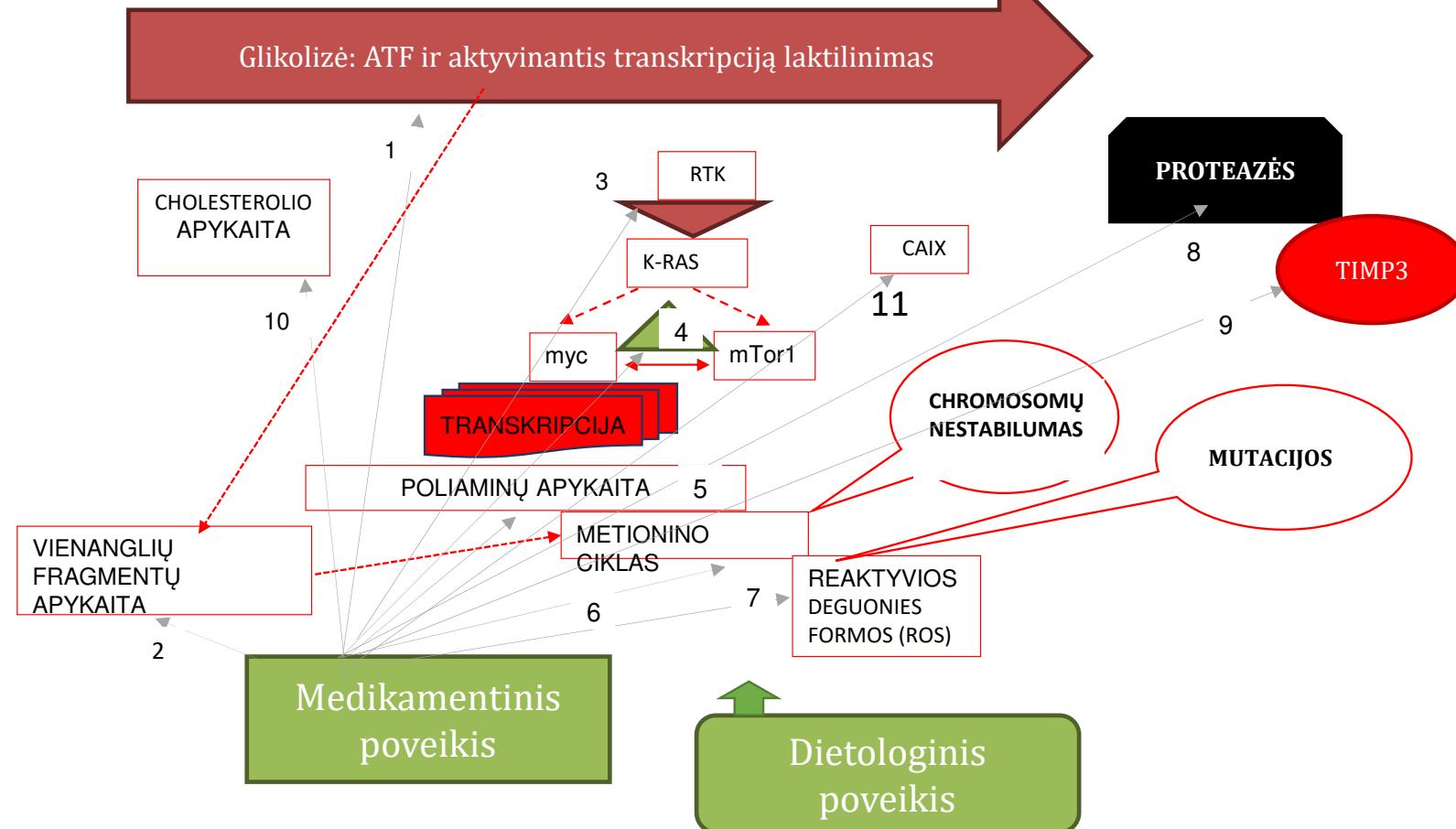
With best regards  
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Ma R, Wu Y, Li S, Yu X. **Interplay Between Glucose Metabolism and Chromatin Modifications in Cancer.** Front Cell Dev Biol. 2021 Apr 27;9:654337. doi: 10.3389/fcell.2021.654337. PMID: 33987181; PMCID: PMC8110832



# Vienuolika adaptyvios kompleksinės medikamentinės terapijos schemos krypčiu



# Dinaminiu sistemų onkologijoje modeliavimas

- Penkių tipų dinaminiai modeliai pagal apžvalgą *Markert EK, Vazquez A. Mathematical models of cancer metabolism. Cancer Metab. 2015;3:14.*

*Published 2015 Dec 22. doi:10.1186/s40170-015-0140-6:*

- Genų biologinės raiškos (Proliferacija/audinio Remodeliavimas: „P-/R-, P-/R+, P+/R- ir P+/R+“)
- Srautų balanso (stacionarumas: „metabolitų koncentracija ir biocheminių reakcijų greitis laikui bégant išlieka pastovūs“) -tik vidurkinės charakteristikos dėl plačių pasikliautinių intervalų riboja prognozių tikslumą, 2007 m.
- Srautų kinetiniai („Pagrindiniai veiksnių yra fermento apykaitos greitis, fermento koncentracija, substrato prisotinimo terminas ir termodinamikos terminas, susijęs su fermento savybėmis esant pusiausvyrai“ – gerėja prognozė) 2012-2014 m.
- Difuziniai (jonų, molekulių pernešimo per membranas modeliai su fizikinėmis savybėmis)
- Mechaniniai („Pagrindinis iššūkis - nustatyti ryšius tarp ląsteles charakterizuojančių savybių ir ląstelių-ląstelių sąveikos su naviko mechaninėmis savybėmis“, elastingumas)

# Matematinis chemo-imunoterapijos modelis

Nave O. A mathematical model for treatment using chemo-immunotherapy. Heliyon. 2022 Apr 26;8(4):e09288. doi: 10.1016/j.heliyon.2022.e09288. PMID: 35520602; PMCID: PMC9065634.

„Let  $\mathbf{U}^*$  be the vector of the dynamic variables of the system:  $\mathbf{U}^* = (D_I, D, D_T, T_N, T_C, T_{CP}, T_R, IL_2, IL_{10}, C, C_H)$ .

The analytical function  $F$  describes chemotherapy treatment, which is a combination of chemotherapy and immunotherapy. The function depends on time  $t$  and dosage  $q$ .

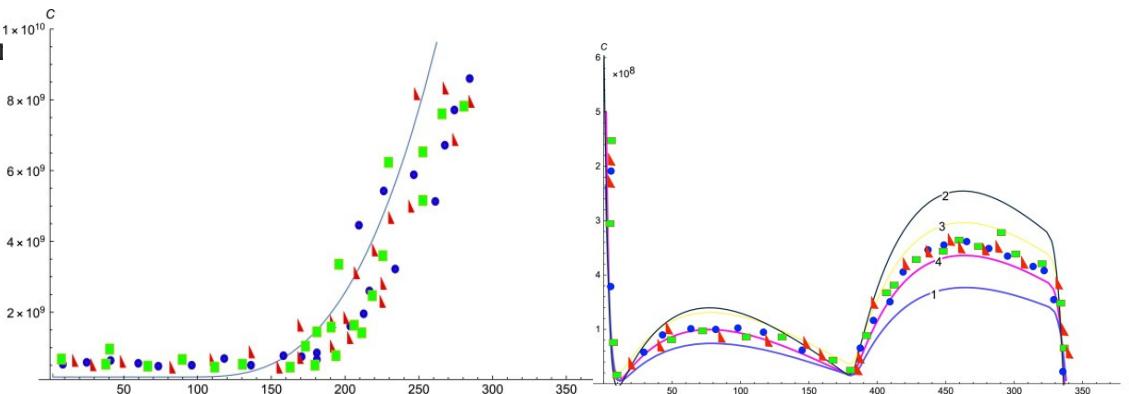
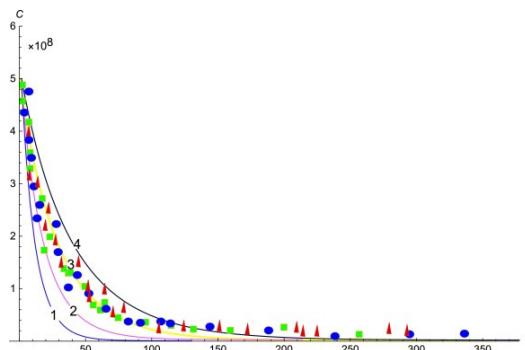
The function has the form:

$$F(q,t) = \sum q(t-mk)H(t-mk)e^{-t-mk/0.5}$$

The model (11 netiesinių lygtių) can be written in abbreviated form as

$$d\mathbf{U}^*/dt = F^*(\mathbf{U}^*), \quad \mathbf{U}^*(0) = \mathbf{U}^*_0,$$

where  $F^*(\mathbf{U}^*)$  is the vector field of the model; that is,  $F^*(\mathbf{U}^*) = (F_1(\mathbf{U}^*), \dots, F_{11}(\mathbf{U}^*))$ “



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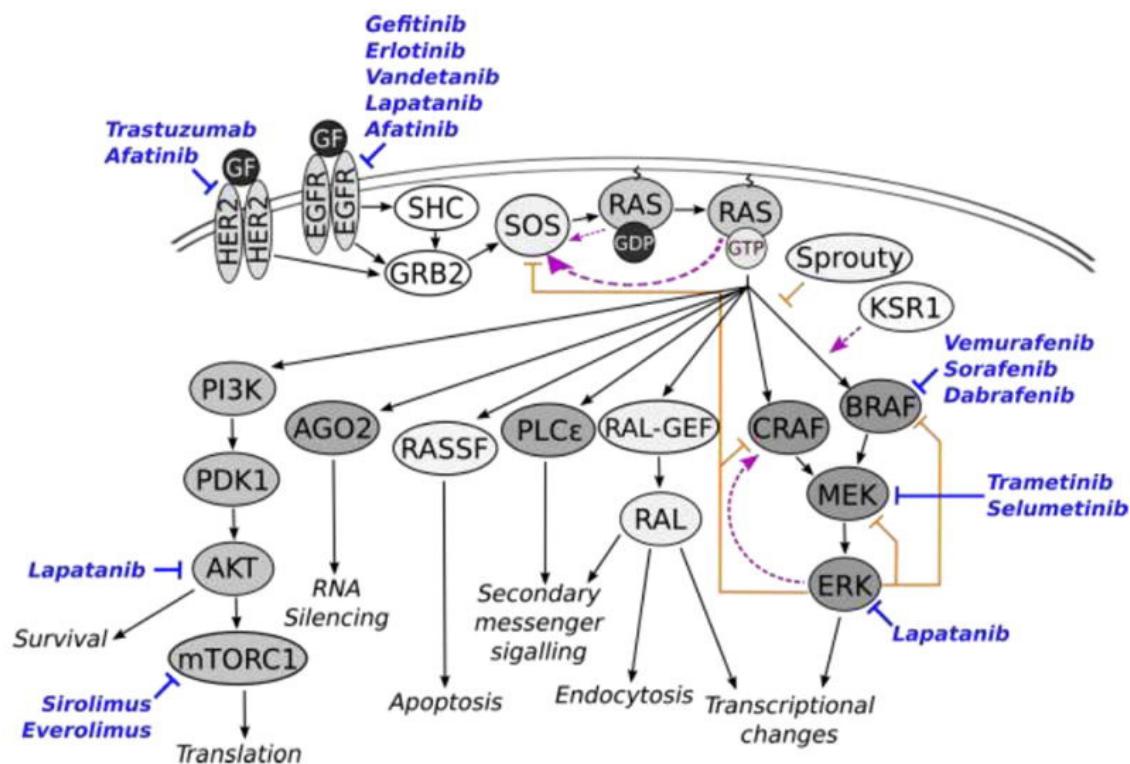
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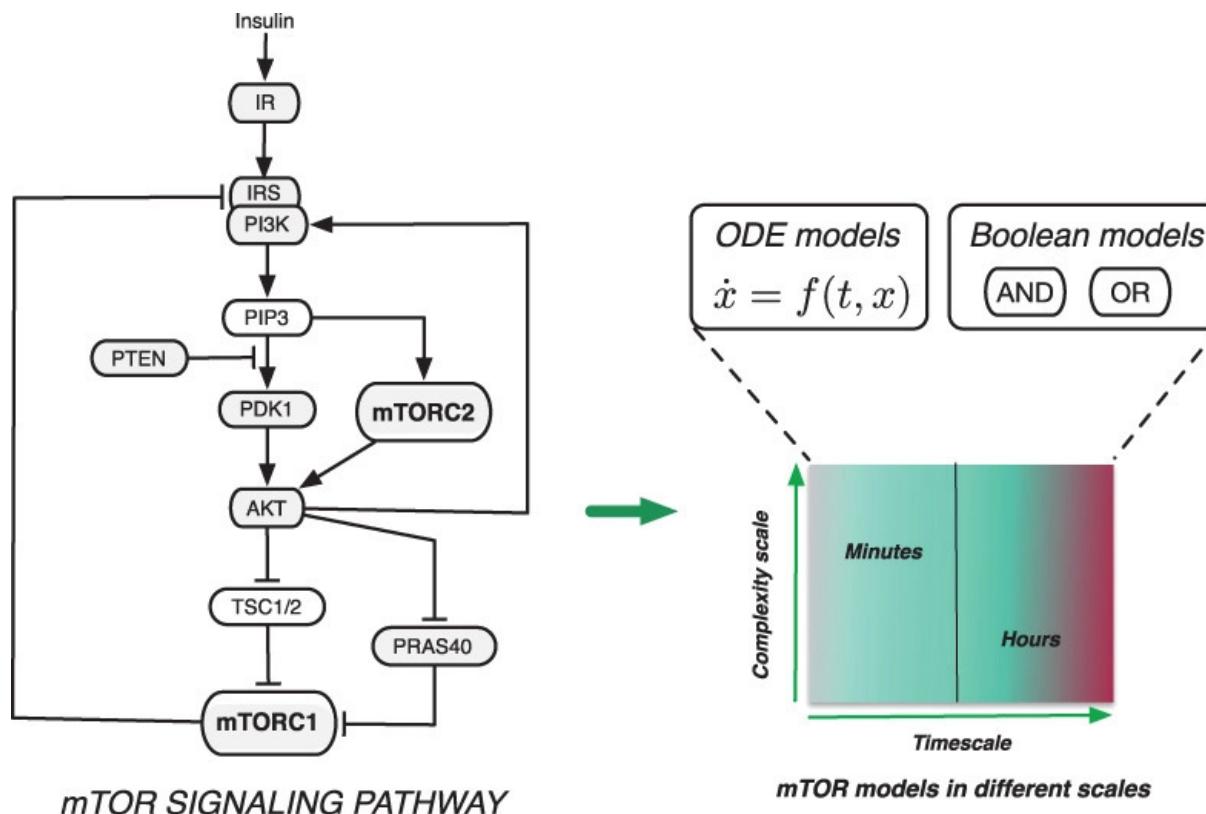
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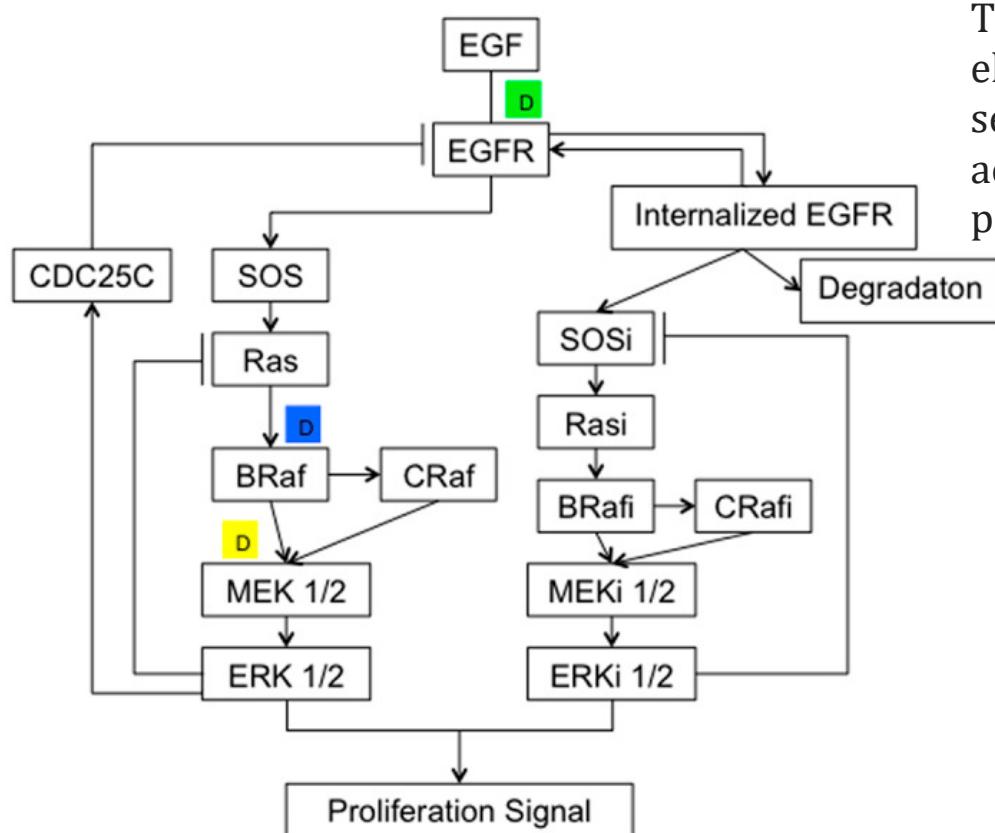
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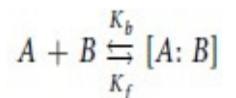
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Kubota et al. <a href="#">45</a>	Decoding insulin signal in the mTOR pathway	ODE	11	0–600 min
Toyoshima et al. <a href="#">46</a>	Signal transfer in the mTOR pathway	ODE	3–4	0–120 min
Noguchi et al. <a href="#">47</a>	Metabolism regulation by the mTOR pathway	ODE	15	0–480 min
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Fujita et al. <a href="#">49</a>	Signal transfer in the mTOR pathway	ODE	3–8	0–120 min
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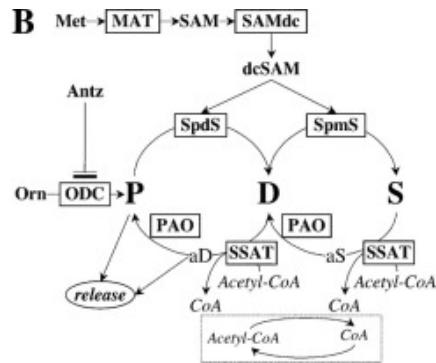
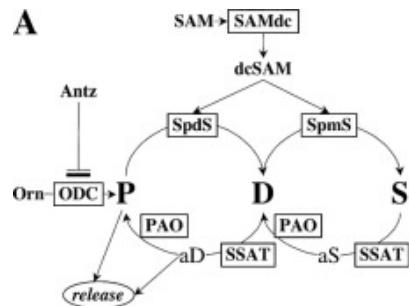
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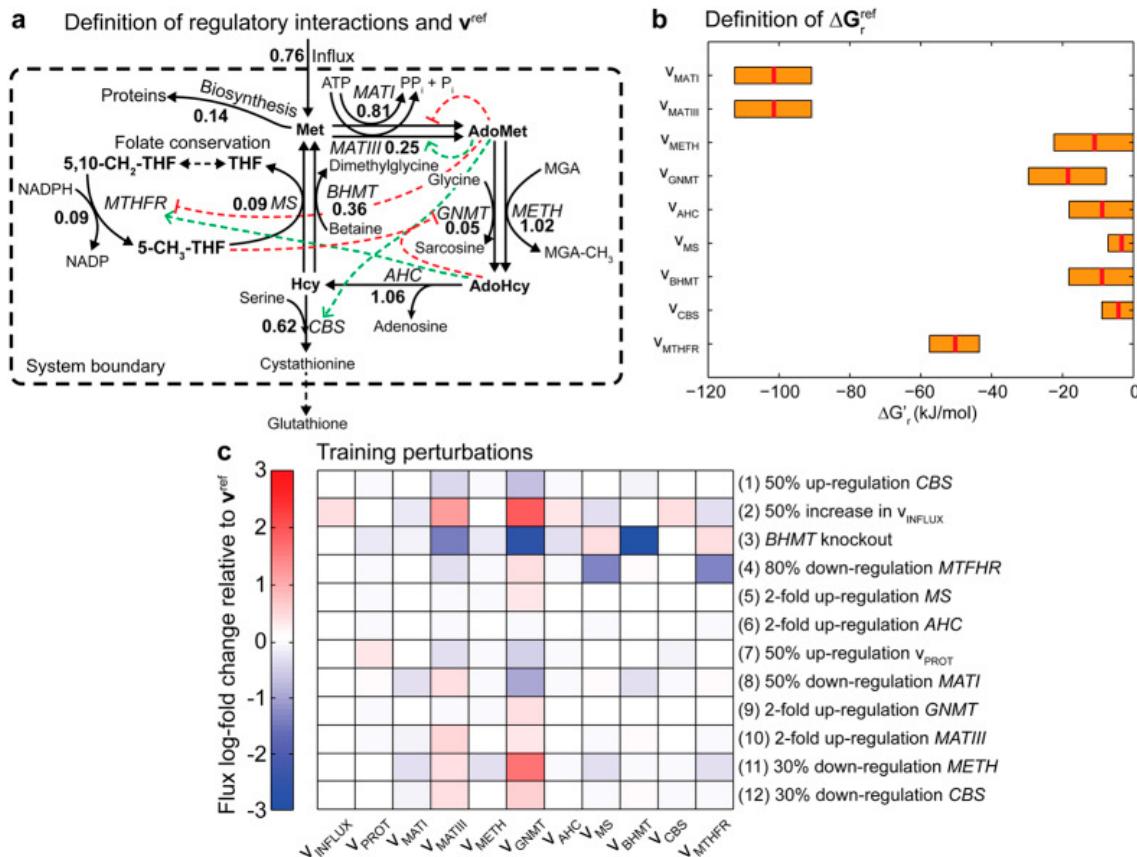
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Time-dependent variables	Differential equations
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$[D]$	$\frac{d[D]}{dt} = V_{SpdS} + V_{PAO,d} - V_{SpmS} - V_{SSAT,D}$
$[S]$	$\frac{d[S]}{dt} = V_{SpmS} - V_{SSAT,S}$
$[SAM]$	$\frac{d[SAM]}{dt} = V_{MAT} - V_{SAM}$
$[A]$	$\frac{d[A]}{dt} = V_{SAMdc} - V_{SpdS} - V_{SpmS}$
$[aD]$	$\frac{d[aD]}{dt} = V_{SSAT,D} - V_{P,6OaD} - V_{aDegrar}$
$[aS]$	$\frac{d[aS]}{dt} = V_{SSAT,S} - V_{P,6OaS}$
$[acCoA]$	$\frac{d[acCoA]}{dt} = V_{acCoA} - V_{CoA} - V_{SSAT,S} - V_{SSAT,D}$
$[CoA]$	$\frac{d[CoA]}{dt} = V_{CoA} + V_{SSAT,S} + V_{SSAT,D} - V_{acCoA}$
$V_{max}^{ODC}$	$\frac{dV_{max}^{ODC}}{dt} = k_s^{ODC} \left( \frac{1}{1 + (K_{eq}^{ODC} ([D] + [S]))} \right) - k_d^{ODC} \cdot Antz \cdot V_{max}^{ODC}$
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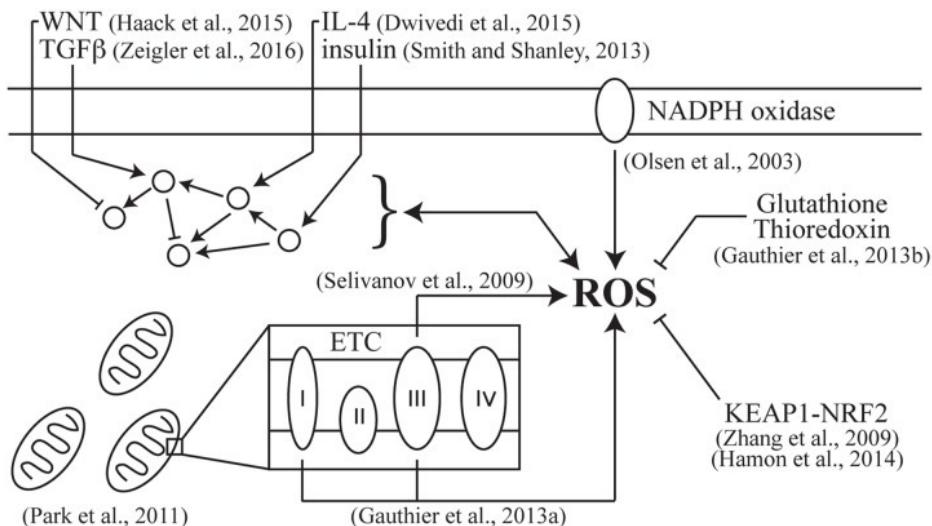
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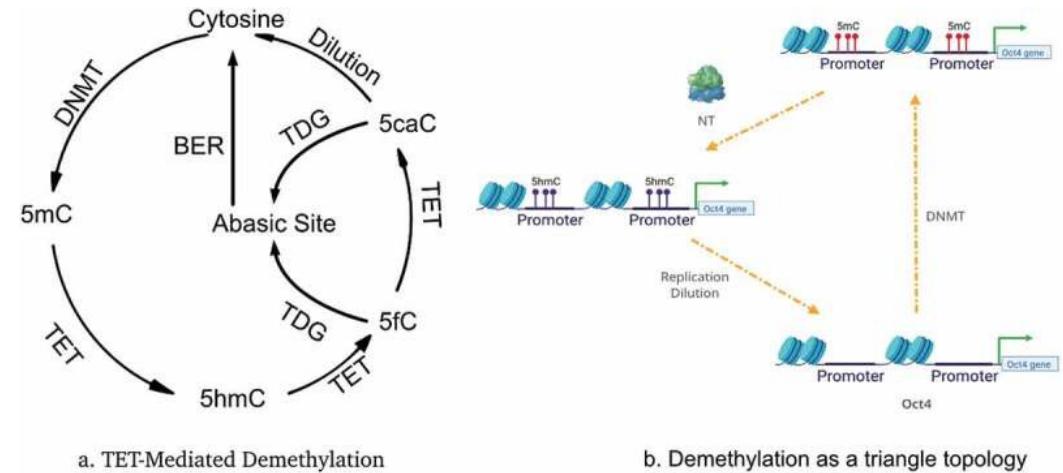


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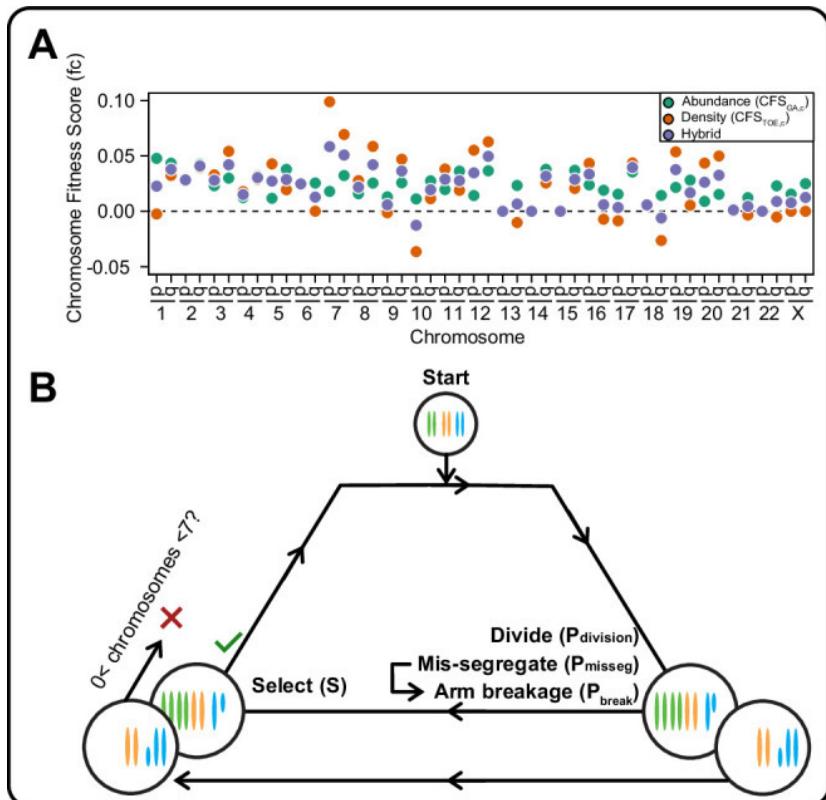
The reduced dynamical system's ODEs can be written as below:

$$\begin{aligned}
 dN/dt &= m_1 - \delta N + \alpha_N K_O + O, \\
 dT/dt &= m_2 - \delta T + \alpha_T NTO(NT + K_{nt}K_d)(K_O + O), \\
 dO/dt &= -K_{nt}K_d\delta O_2 - \delta NTO_2 + K_O K_{nt}K_d m_3 + \alpha_O NTO + K_{nt}K_d m_3 O(NT + K_{nt}K_d)(K_O + O) \\
 &\quad + K_O m_3 NT + m_3 NTO - K_O \delta NTO - K_O K_{nt}K_d \delta O - \alpha_O D_m NTO(NT + K_{nt}K_d)(K_O + O) \\
 dD_m/dt &= -K_O K_{nt}K_d \gamma D_m + K_O K_{nt}K_d \gamma - \theta K_O N_2 T_2 D_m - \theta N_2 T_2 O D_m K_d(NT + K_{nt}K_d)(K_O + O) \\
 &\quad - \theta K_O K_{nt}K_d N T D_m + \theta K_{nt}K_d N T O D_m K_d(NT + K_{nt}K_d)(K_O + O)
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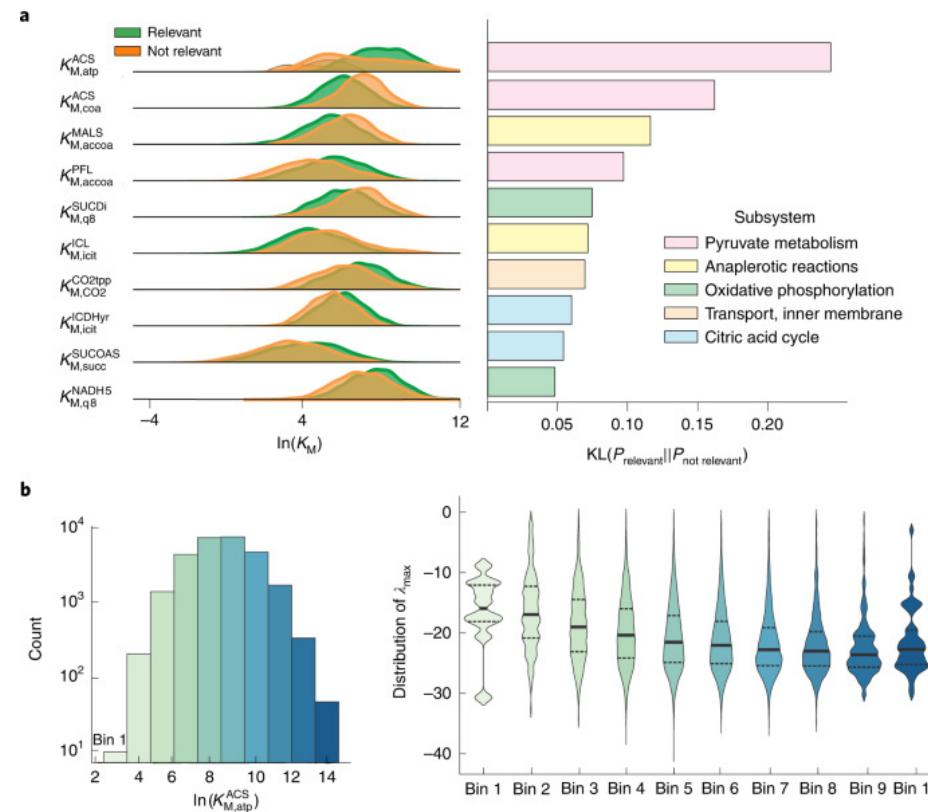
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## Comprehensive analysis of KRAS variants in patients (pts) with pancreatic cancer Clinical/molecular correlations and real-world outcomes across standard therapies

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### Background

Molecular profiling in pancreatic adenocarcinoma (PDAC) has led to the identification of driver mutations that targeting actionable alterations can improve patient (n) outcomes<sup>1,2</sup> using the Perthera's real-world evidence database<sup>3</sup>. Unfortunately, most (~75%) PDAC genomic profiles do not have any actionable targets<sup>4</sup> due to a KRAS mutation frequency of 80-90%. The spectrum of KRAS isoforms vary considerably between tumor types, but the predictive and prognostic implications for specific KRAS variants in PDAC are largely unknown. Further subtyping of PDAC, particularly those with KRAS mutations and without actionable findings, may provide novel insights into optimal treatment sequencing for individual patients. Here, we categorized PDAC tumors by specific KRAS variants and performed exploratory analysis to understand their implications for prognosis or response to standard frontline therapies (Tx) in PDAC.

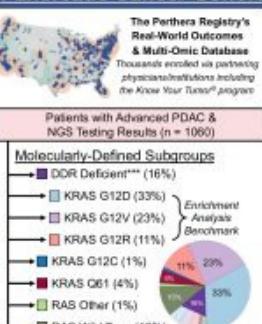
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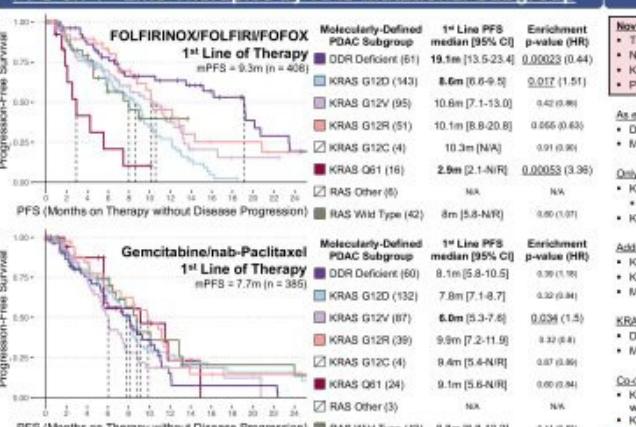
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### Pancreatic Cancer Cohort



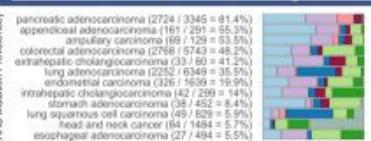
**Figure 1:** Pts with advanced pancreatic cancer (PDAC) and molecular profiles were analyzed based on specific RAS mutations (or DDR status) for OS/PFS analyses.  
\*Pts with mutations in DNA damage response (DDR) genes (e.g. BRCA1, PALB2, ATM, TRAF3, etc.) were reassigned to the DDR subgroup (see pie chart) due to known implications for platinum-sensitivity.

### PFS on 1<sup>st</sup> Line Therapies by RAS Mutational Subgroup



**Figure 3:** Enrichment analyses comparing PFS on 1<sup>st</sup> line Tx across RAS subgroups. Notable differences between each group and the benchmark subgroups (G12D/VIR) are highlighted (via univariate Cox regression).

### RAS Mutation Breakdown by Cancer Type



**Figure 2:** Overview of KRAS variants found in PDAC and other cancer types (broader cohort).

- Prevalence was calculated using data from AACR GENIE<sup>5</sup> & Perthera's real-world registry<sup>3</sup>.
- KRAS G12D (43%) and G12V (31%) are the two most common isoforms found in RAS-mutated PDAC.
- KRAS G12R is more common in PDAC (17% of RAS mutations) than in lung cancers (1-6%).
- KRAS G12C is surprisingly rare in PDAC (1.2% of RAS mutations) relative to lung cancers (38-47%).
- KRAS Q61HR is found in 5.8% of all PDAC (7% of RAS mutations) similar to other GI cancer types.
- Most other KRAS/NRAS/HRAS mutations are rare in PDAC despite a RAS mutation rate above 80%.

### Baseline Characteristics

Molecularly-Defined PDAC Subgroup	Age (median [SD]) (% Female)	Sex	Background (% White)
DDR Deficient (175)	62 [58-61]	47%	77%
KRAS G12D (358)	63 [56-62]	47%	84%
KRAS G12V (250)	64 [57-63]	50%	81%
KRAS G12R (120)	63 [57-63]	58%	78%
KRAS G12C (49)	64 [55-63]	43%	74%
RAS Wild Type (108)	61 [54-60]	46%	91%

1. Perthera's real-world clinical/molecular datasets may provide novel insights into biomarkers that predict response to standard of care (or lack thereof).  
2. Prospective validation may be warranted to optimize treatment sequencing for KRAS Q61 mutations (found in 6% of all PDAC cases).  
3. Multivariate analyses are underway to delineate the predictive vs prognostic role of specific KRAS mutations across all cancer types.  
4. Treatment-specific differences in response metrics may highlight the need for a better understanding of tumor biology to support future clinical trial design.  
5. As expected, DDR-mutated tumors were the most enriched group to benefit from SFL-based therapy (DDR is predictive for platinum response<sup>6</sup>).  
6. Perthera previously demonstrated a 1-year OS benefit for molecularly-matched Tx<sup>7</sup> which likely explains the favorable OS trends for DDR-mutated (independent of RAS status) and RAS wild type tumors (not prognostic).  
7. Perthera's outcomes collection efforts for molecularly-profiled patients may begin to support directing specific therapies to certain mutational subgroups.

### Conclusions & Further Questions

**Novel Insight:** Could KRAS Q61 positivity represent a novel predictive biomarker for differential response to SFL in PDAC?  
• The KRAS Q61 subgroup had shorter PFS on SFL-based Tx compared to KRAS G12D/VIR-mutated PDAC (Figure 3A)  
• No difference was seen for the KRAS Q61 subgroup who received 1<sup>st</sup> line gemcitabine/nab-paclitaxel (Figure 3B)  
• KRAS Q61 trend for OS was similar to G12D but not significant for enrichment vs G12D/VIR-mutated PDAC (Figure 4)  
• Perthera Caveat: No difference observed in 2<sup>nd</sup> line where SFL/nab-paclitaxel is more common (data not shown)

As expected, the DDR deficient subgroup performed exceptionally well on SFL-based regimens (Figure 3A)

- DDR mutations were excluded from RAS variant-specific subgroups for this known reason<sup>8</sup>
- Majority received FOLFOX or FOLFIRI in the frontline setting (DDR is predictive for response to platinum<sup>9</sup>)

Only modest OS/PFS differences were observed between the 3 most common KRAS variant subgroups (Figures 3 & 4)

- KRAS G12D was enriched for slightly shorter PFS on SFL-based therapy compared to KRAS G12V/R-mutated PDAC
- \* KRAS G12D also had slightly shorter OS compared to KRAS G12V/R-mutated PDAC (predictive or prognostic?)
- KRAS G12V was enriched for slightly shorter PFS on Gemcitabine/nab-P compared to KRAS G12D/R-mutated PDAC

Additional data are needed to assess the predictive/prognostic implications of uncommon RAS variant subgroups

- KRAS G12C is surprisingly rare (Figure 2) in PDAC (1.2% of RAS mutations) limiting our ability to assess OS/PFS trends
- KRAS Q61HR is found in 5.8% of all PDAC (7% of RAS mutations) and more abundant than G12C in many GI subtypes
- \* Most other KRAS/NRAS/HRAS mutations are rare in PDAC but other drivers can influence the MAPK pathway in PDAC<sup>10</sup>

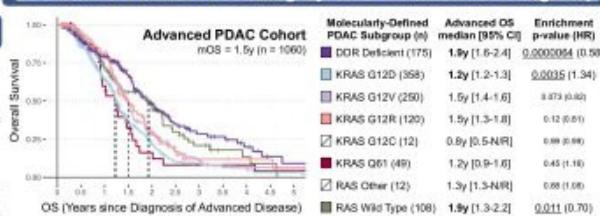
KRAS wild type & DDR deficient subgroups had longer OS compared to patients with KRAS G12D/VIR-mutated PDAC

- DDR alterations are predictive markers of response to PARP/kinetics (NOT prognostic in the absence of platinum<sup>11</sup>)
- Many patients within the RAS wild type subgroup received targeted therapies<sup>12</sup> for other drivers (e.g. NTRK/RB1/BRAF)

Co-occurrence and mutual exclusivity analyses were performed on each RAS mutational subgroup

- KRAS G12R-mutated tumors were often found alongside mutations in STK11/PRKCA, however KRAS G12R was mutually exclusive with ARID1A mutations (all 3 impact PI3K/AKT/mTOR signaling, relevant for previous studies)
- KRAS Q61 & RAS Other were both enriched for co-occurrences with SF3B1 mutations (dysregulates RNA processing)

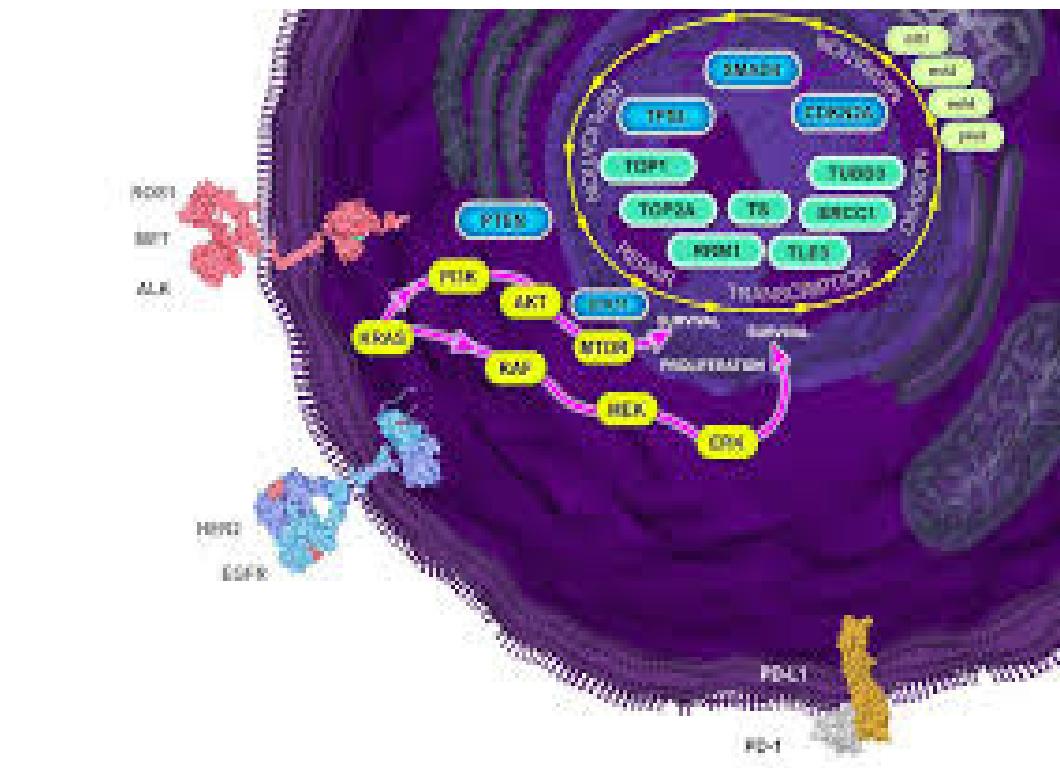
### OS in the Advanced Setting by RAS Mutational Subgroup



**Figure 4:** Enrichment OS analyses from advanced diagnosis across RAS subgroups. Differences against the benchmark (G12D/VIR) were noted but do not necessarily suggest prognostic associations<sup>13</sup> (see Discussion).

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# Ursulos von der Leyen palaiminimas Lietuvai

*I have passed your report on to my colleagues across the Commission who are working on the development of a comprehensive EU Cancer Plan that will include actions across the entire disease pathway: prevention, early detection and diagnosis, treatment, quality of life as a cancer survivor and palliative care. The proposed actions will aim to ensure that all Europeans will have access to effective prevention and care, respecting the principles of proportionality and subsidiarity.*

*Currently the Commission is consulting with stakeholders on the potential content and scope of the EU Cancer Plan. Your contribution to the discussion is much appreciated, and your emphasis on prevention, more knowledge, inequities, innovation and avoiding stigmatisation are well noted.*

*I wish to take this opportunity to thank you for your personal contribution and active role in public health in general and fighting cancer in particular. In times like these, Europe needs health advocates like you and I count on your continued cooperation and involvement in making Europe better and healthier for our people. Related to this, I welcome the initiative to develop a 'Lithuanian flagship Initiative for beating cancer' and the Commission remains available for further support.*

*Yours faithfully,*



*Ursula von der Leyen*



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