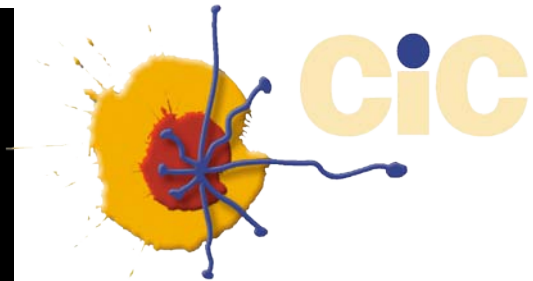


New applications of FCM in the diagnosis and monitoring of B-cell chronic lymphoproliferative disorders



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FCM IMMUNOPHENOTYPING IN THE 80'S: PANELS OF REAGENTS AND TECHNIQUES

PANELS OF REAGENTS:

- Panels of relevant markers to support suspected diagnosis of:
 - AML, ALL
 - MM
 - B-CLPD, T-CLPD

TECHNIQUES:

- Isolation of MNC
- Indirect and direct IF
- Single stainings
- Difficult to distinguish normal/leukemic cells
- Few fluorochrome conjugated MAbs available
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MATUTES et al SCORE FOR B-CLL

MARKER	EXPRESSION	SCORE
CD5	positive	1
CD23	positive	1
FMC7	negative	1
sIg	dim	1
CD22/CD79b	dim/dim	1

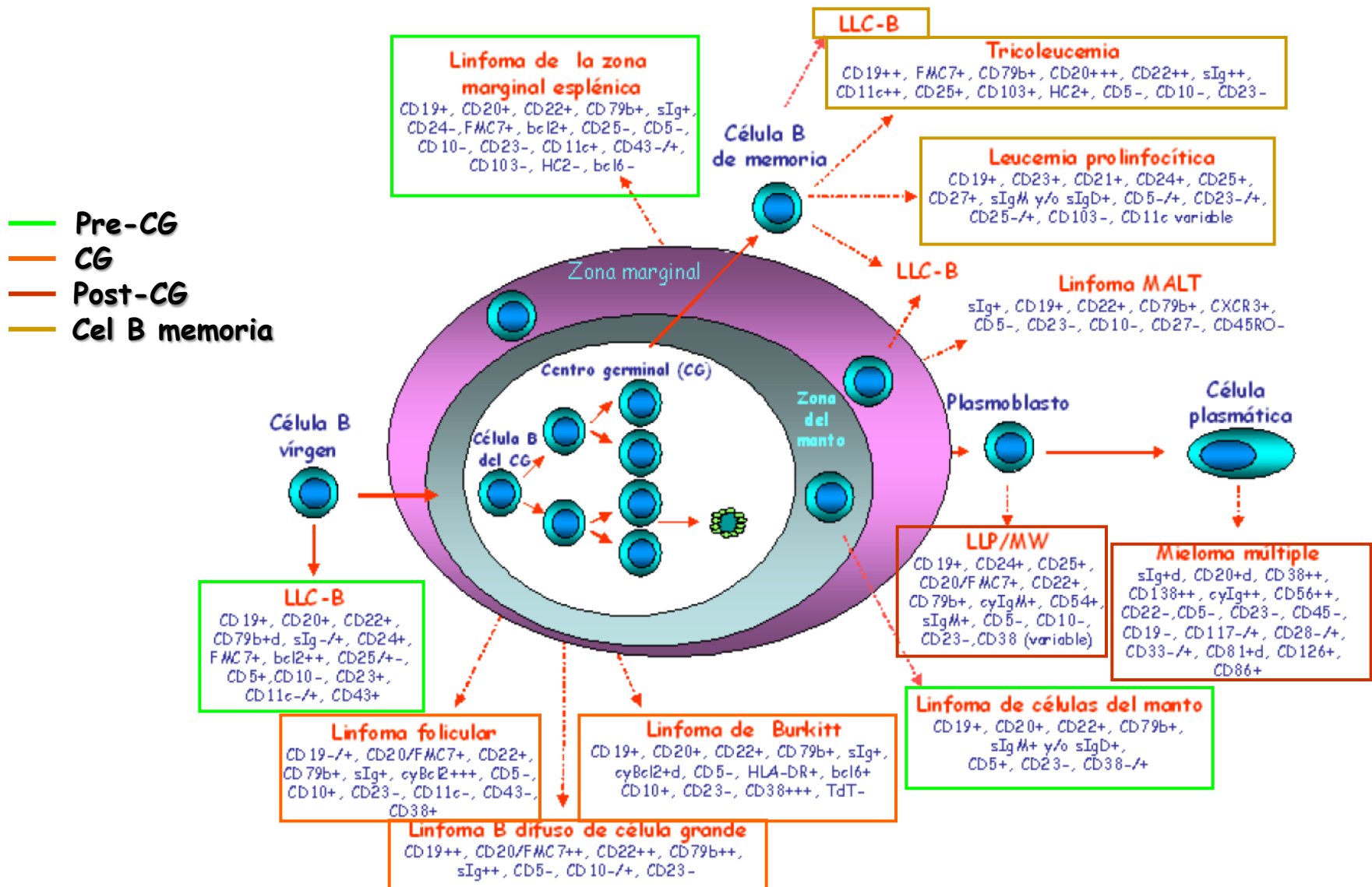
Scores in **CLL** range from 3 to 5, while in other B-CLPD range between 0 and 2

IMMUNOPHENOTYPIC PATTERNS OF DIFFERENT TYPES OF B-CLPD

(Orfao et al, In: "B-CLL". Humana Press, 2004)

	sIg	CD5	CD10	CD20	CD11c	CD23	CD24	CD25	CD38	CD43	CD79b	CD103	FMC7
B-CLL	d	+	-	d	-/+	++	+	+	-/+	+	d	-	-
PLL	+	-/+	-	+	-/+	-/+	+	-/+	-/+	-/+	+	-	+
HCL	+	-	-	++	++	-	-/+	++	-	-	+	+	+
SMZL	+	-/+	-	+	+	-	+	-/+	-	-	+	-/+	+
LPL	+	-	-	+	-	-	+	+	-/+	-	+	-	-/+
MCL	+	+	-	+	-/+	-	+	-/+	-	+	+	-	-/+
FL	+	-	+	+	-/+	-/d	+	-/+	+	-	+	-	+
LDBCL	+	-	-	+	-/+	-	-/+	-	+	-	+	-	+
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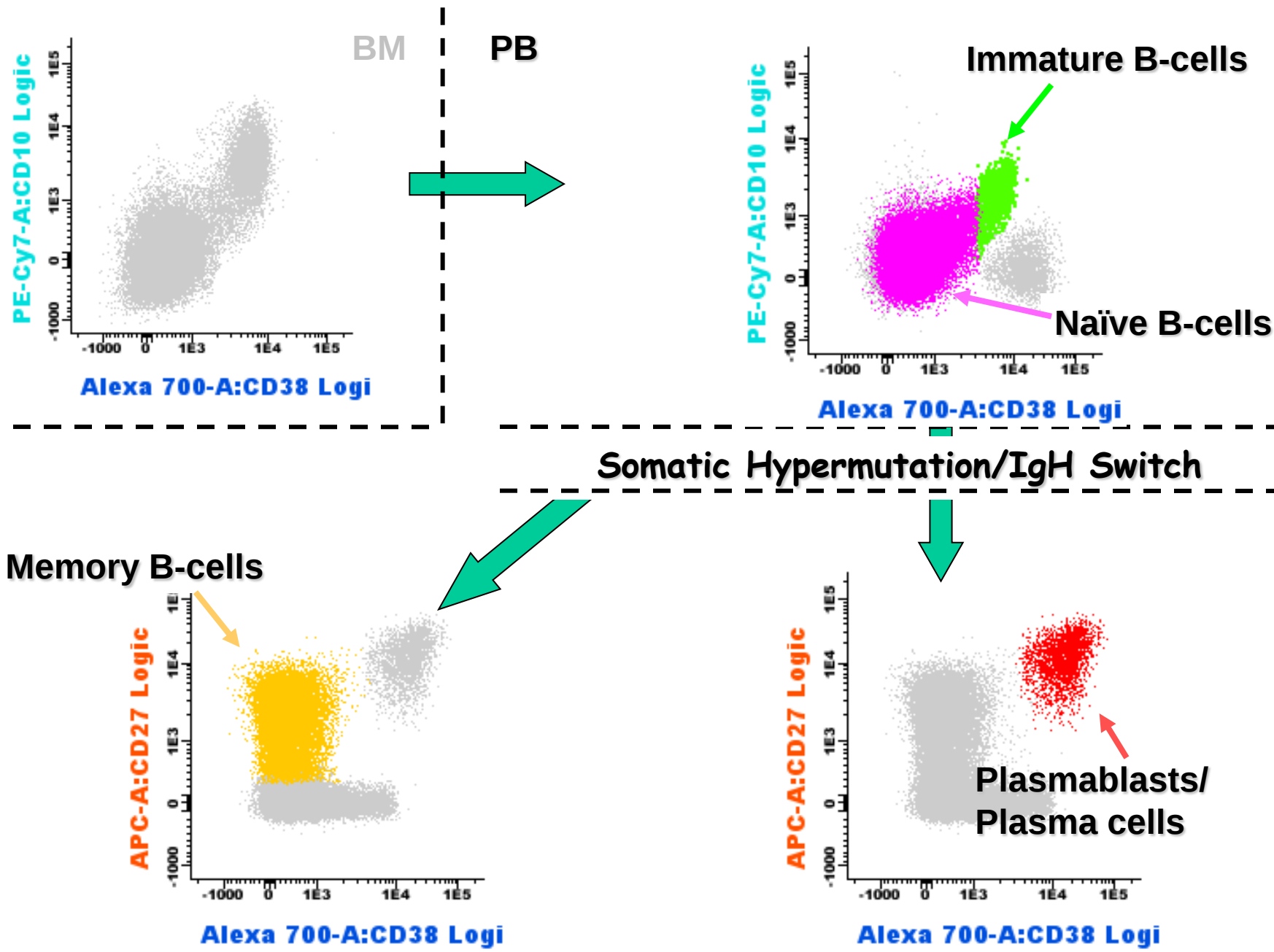
Origen de los SLPC-B según su célula homóloga normal



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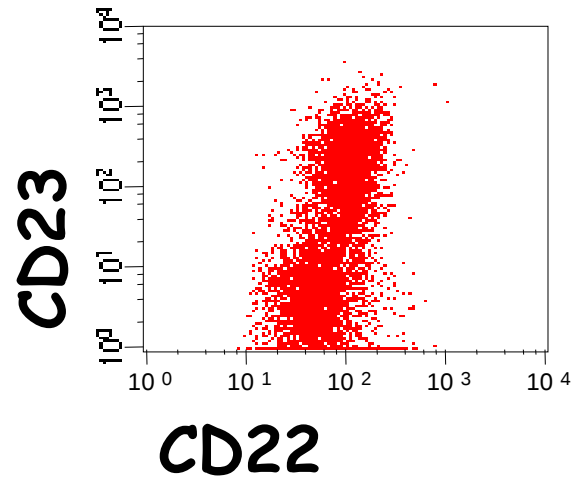
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MATURATION-ASSOCIATED NORMAL PB B-CELL SUBSETS

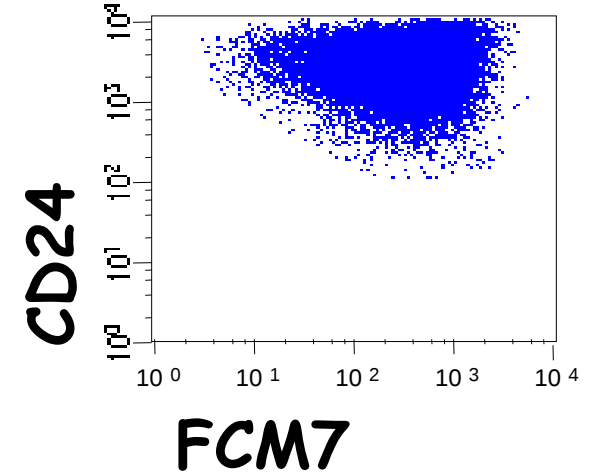
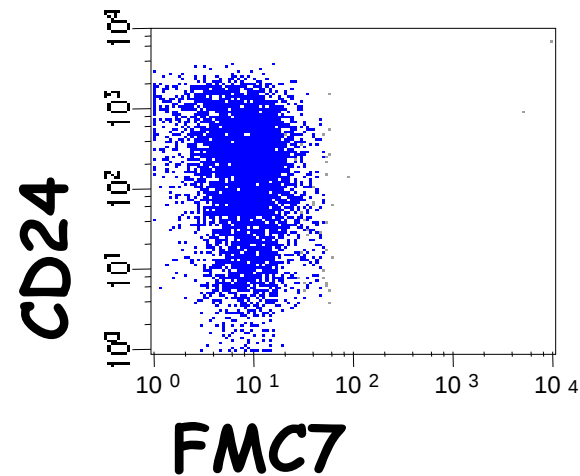
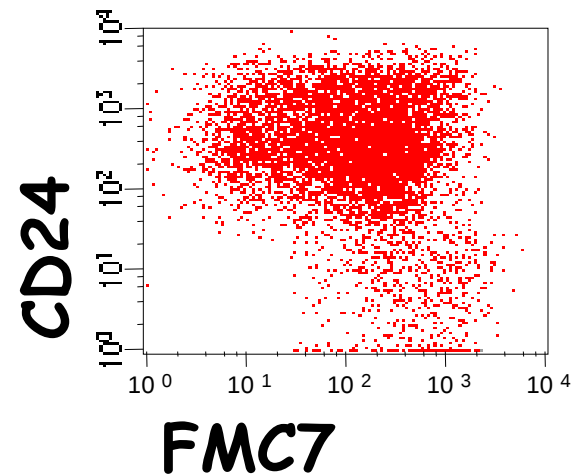
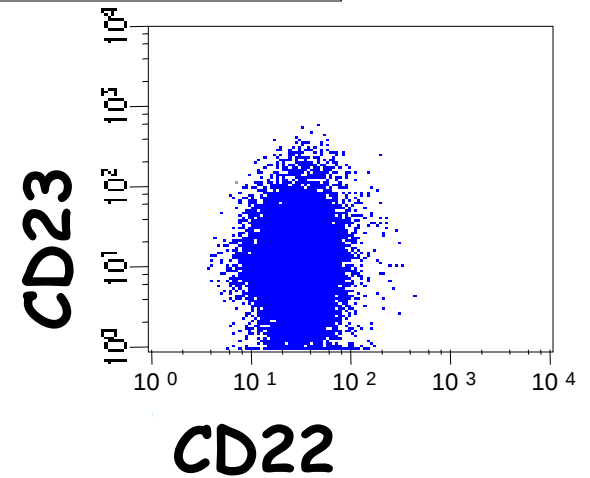
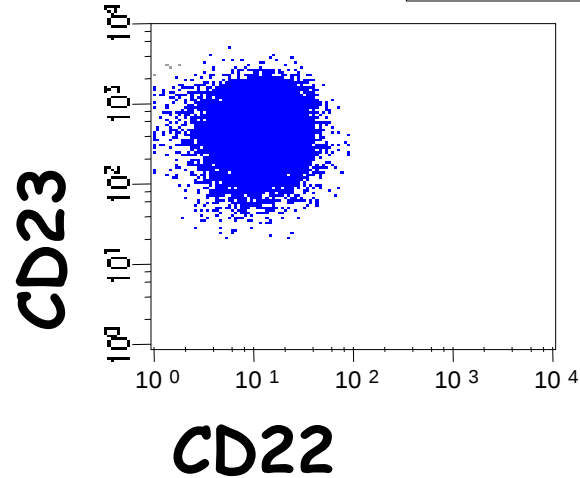


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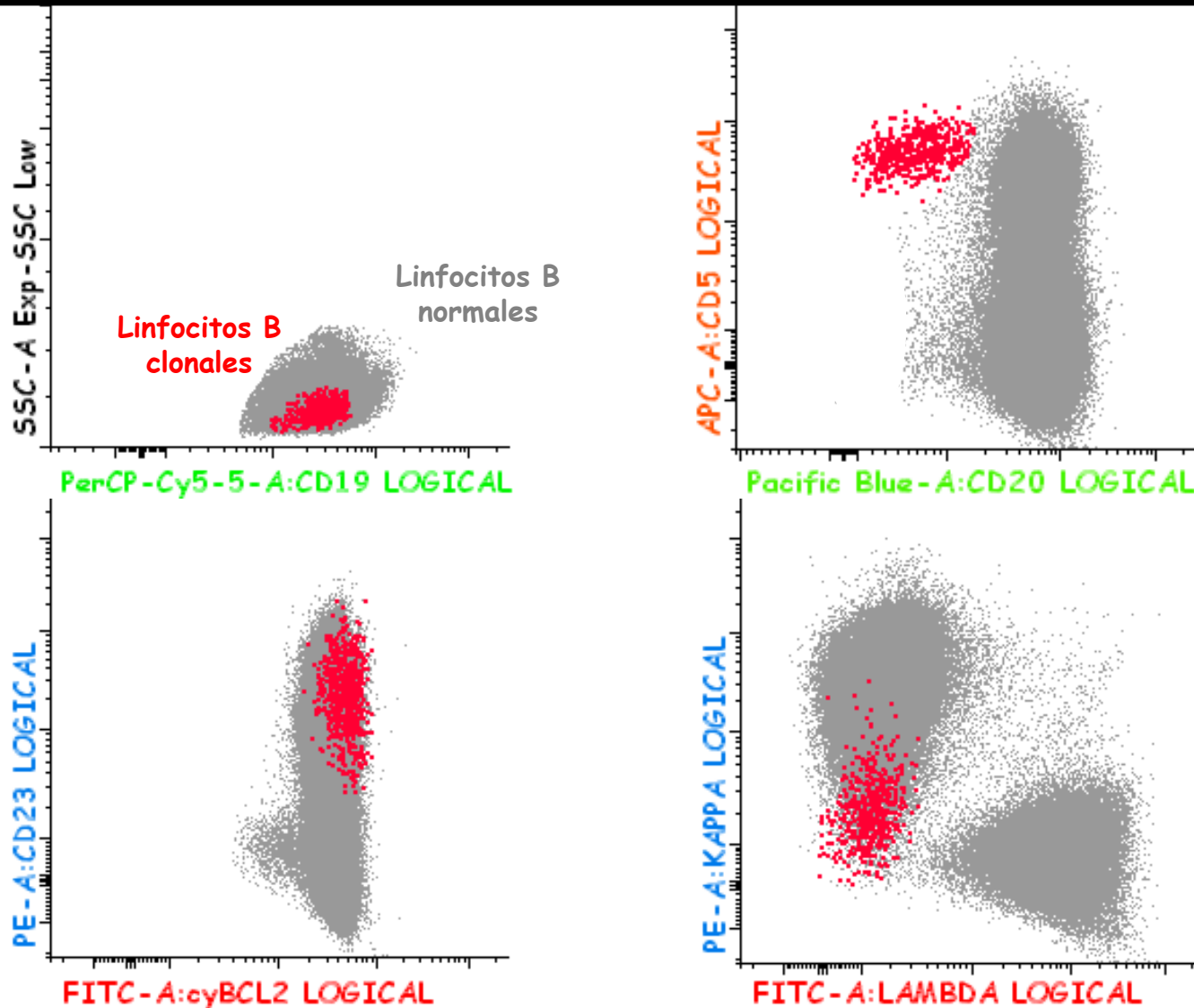
Normal PB B-cells



Leukemic B-cells



Immunophenotypic identification of PB B-cells with a CLL-like phenotype



**0.35% of all B-cells & 0.03% of all leucocytes*

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Detection of minimal residual disease (MRD):

MRD-based risk-group stratification (treatment reduction or treatment intensification)

Annually > 400,000 follow-up samples in leukemia patients

FCM in the study of BCLPD

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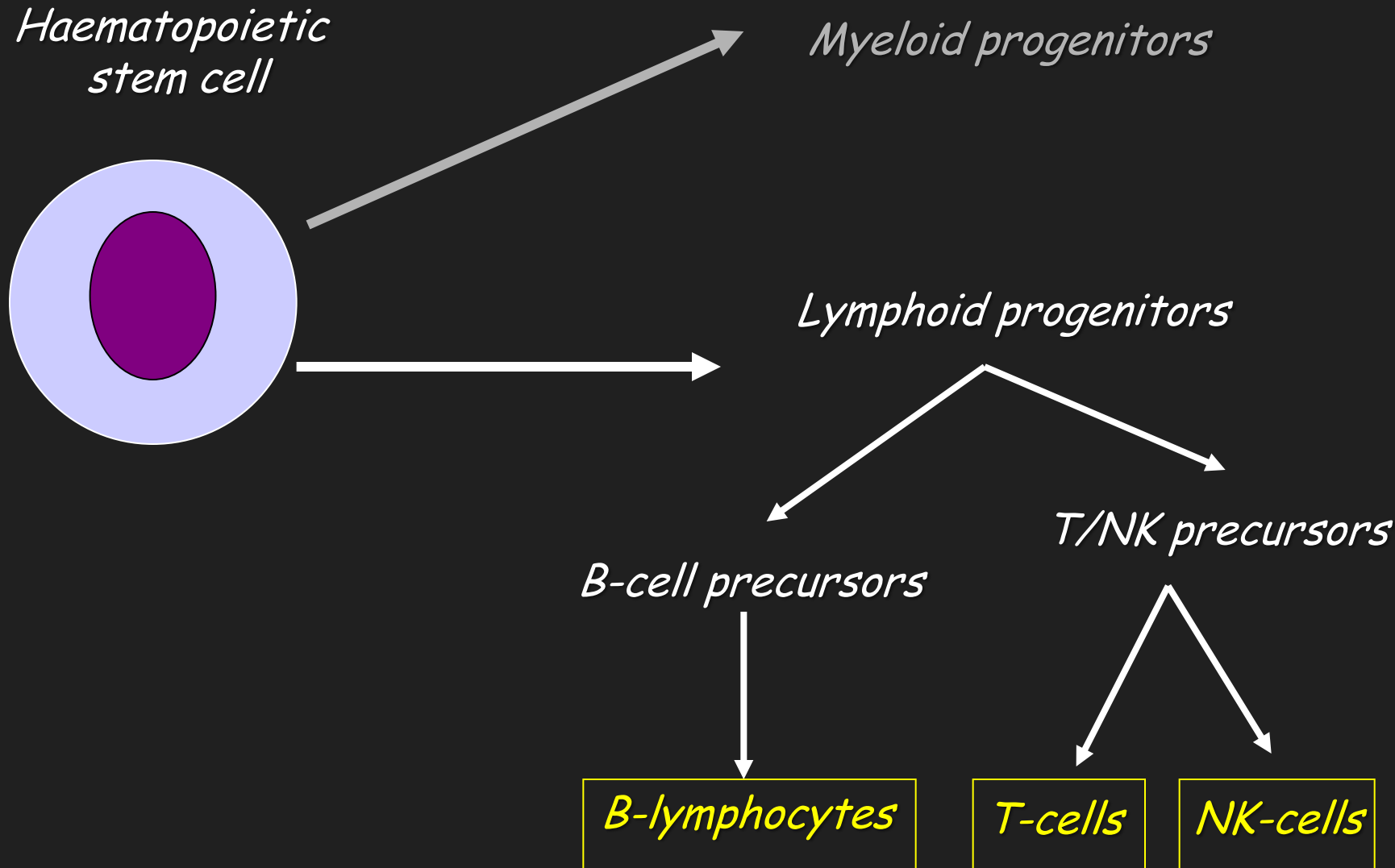
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LYMPHOPOIESIS



PHENOTYPIC ASSESSMENT OF CELL LINEAGE IN CLPD

T-cell lineage:

- CD3, TCR

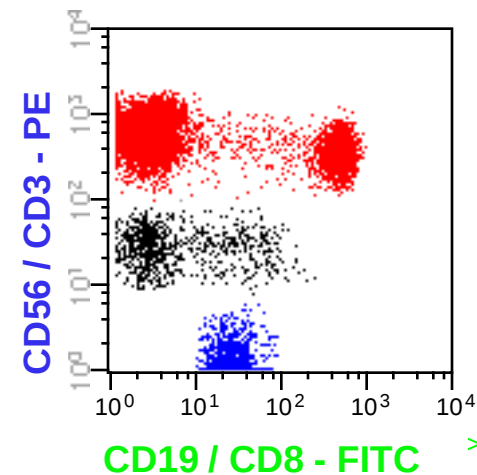
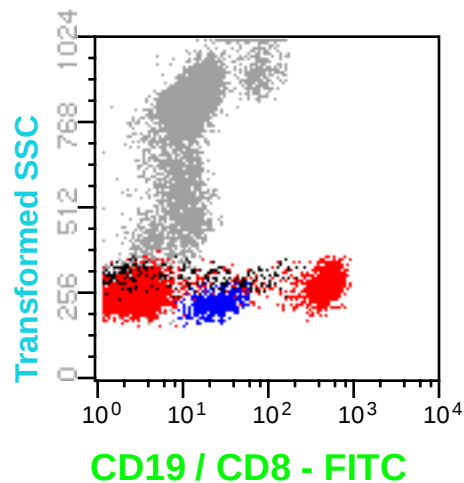
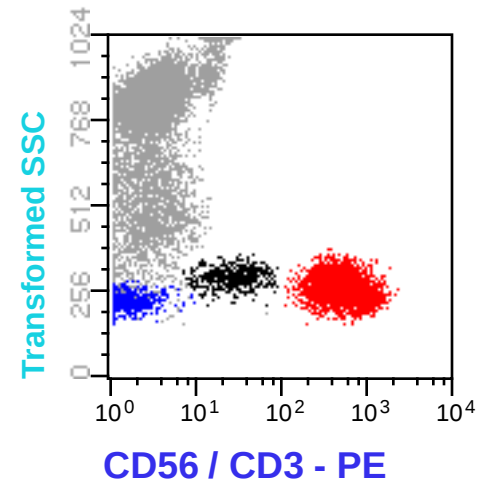
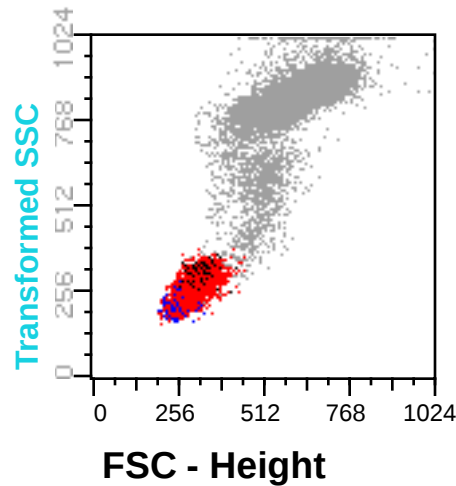
B-cell lineage:

- **CD19**, CD20, **sIg**, cIg, CD38+++, CD138

NK-cell lineage:

- CD56, CD16 (CD3 negative)

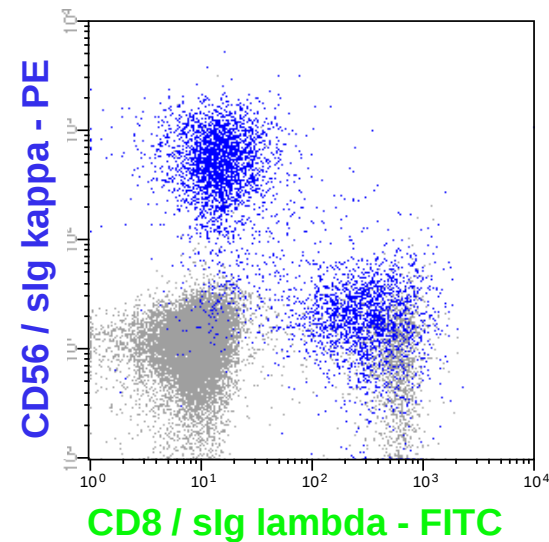
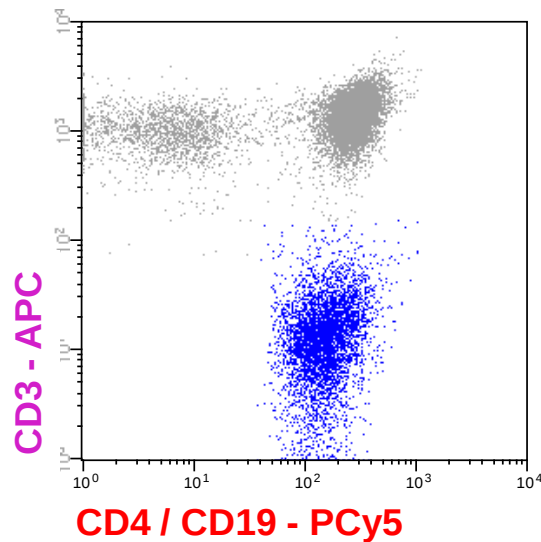
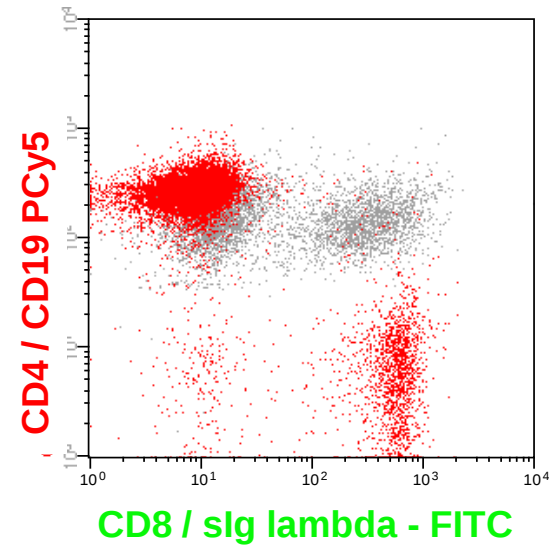
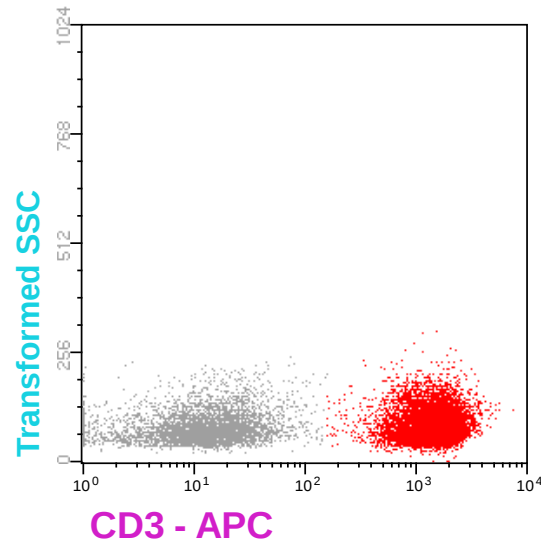
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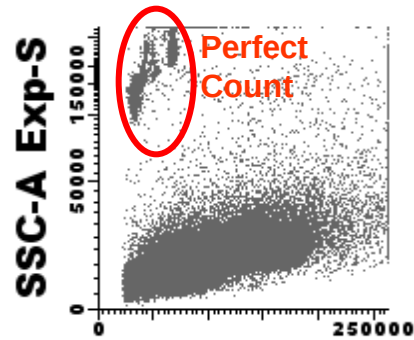
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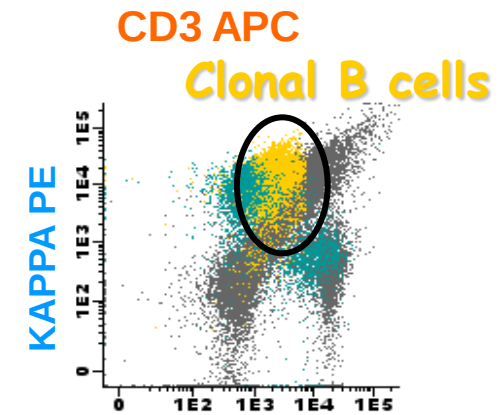
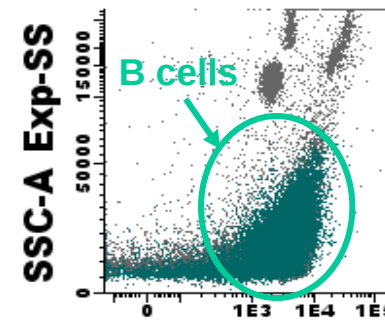
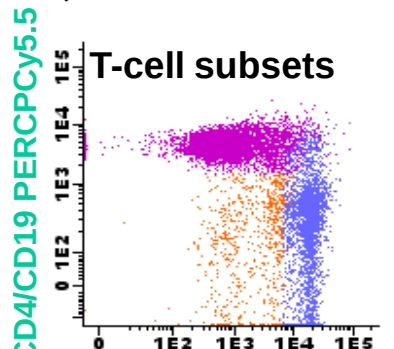
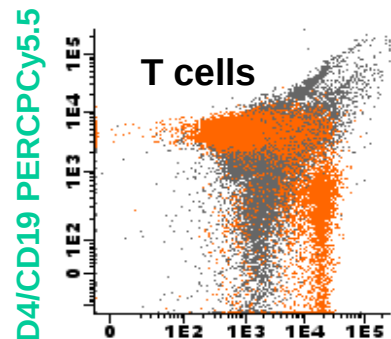
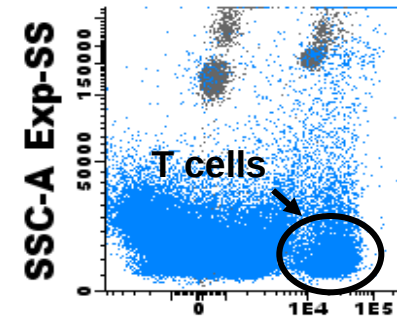
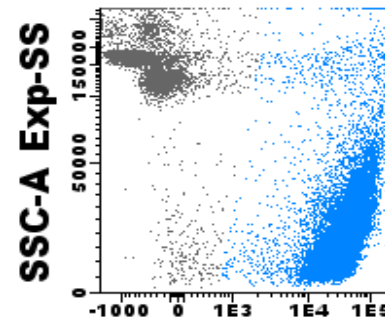
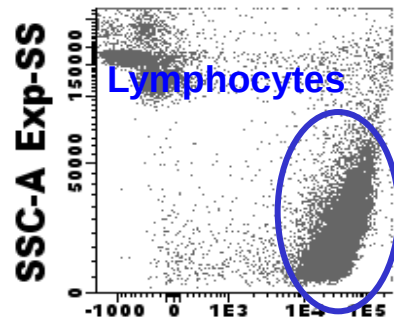
GATING STRATEGY for the immunophenotypic identification of lymphoid cells

CD8+anti- λ FITC / anti- κ PE / CD4 + CD19 PerCPCy5.5 / CD3 APC / CD45 APCCy7

Pathologic lymphoid tissue sample



N. events: $2.2 \pm 3.5 \times 10^6$ (416- 3×10^7)



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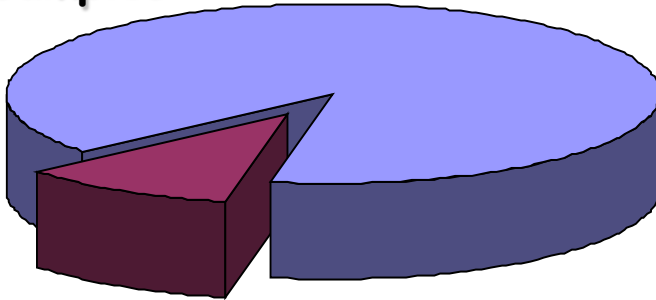
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Comparison of cytology, FC and histology

Total FNA samples:
n=446
(from 400 cases)



Valuable samples
n=48 (10.5%)
(from 41 patients)

Only for cytology: 35
Only for FCM: 3
For FCM & cytology: 10 | <3%

*Usually due to scanty cellularity or
PB contamination*

Valuable samples
n= 398 (89.5%)
(from 359 patients)

Degree of concordance between
FNAC, FC and histology:

Concordant samples:
373/398 (94%)
from 336 cases
84% from the total samples

Discordant samples:
25/398 (6%)
from 23 cases
5.5% from the total samples

Distribution of concordant samples by FCM and cytology by diagnostic subgroups

DIAGNOSIS	FNA (n=373)		GANGLIONAR BIOPSY (n=136)
	FCM	CYTOLOGY	
REACTIVE PROCESS OR HL	182	182	30
TYPE I LYMPHADENITIS		37	
TYPE II LYMPHADENITIS		38	
OTHER REACTIVE PROCESSES		86	
HODGKIN`S LYMPHOMA		21	16
B-NON HODGKIN LYMPHOMA	121	121	82
T-NON HODGKIN LYMPHOMA	6	6	5
SOLID TUMOR	47	47	17
PLASMA CELL DYSCRASIA	11	11	
ACUTE MYELOID LEUKEMIA	1	1	
T-ACUTE LYMPHOBLASTIC LEUKEMIA	5	5	2

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Results expressed as number of concordant samples. HL: Hodgkin's lymphoma. FCM: flow cytometry

Comparison between FCM, cytology and histology: DISCREPANT CASES

CASE N.	Age/Sex	FCM	Cytology	Histopathologic diagnosis	PCR/SB/FISH	Final diagnosis
1	74/M	RP	ST	B-NHL	NV	B-NHL
2	80/M	RP	ST	-	-	ST
3	35/M	RP	ST	RP	-	RP
4	64/M	RP	PCD	-	-	PCD
5	85/F	RP	NHL	B-NHL	NV	B-NHL
6	77/M	T-NHL vs RP	NHL	T-NHL	TCRab+	T-NHL
7	19/F	RP	RP	B-NHL	-	B-NHL
8	80/M	RP vs ST	RP	B-NHL	NV	B-NHL
9	73/F	B-NHL	NHL	HL	t(14;18)+	HL + B-NHL
10	41/F	B-NHL	RP	RP	BCR+	B-NHL
11	79/M	B-NHL	RP	B-NHL	BCR+	B-NHL
12	88/F	B-NHL	RP	-		B-NHL
13	71/M	B-NHL + ST	ST	ST		ST + B-NHL
14	73/F	B-NHL + T-NHL	NHL	T-NHL + ATYPICAL B-CELLS	T-NHL	B-NHL + T-NHL
15	74/M	B-NHL	NHL	T-NHL + ATYPICAL B-CELLS	T-NHL	B-NHL + T-NHL
16	75/F	T-NHL	NHL	B-NHL	TCRb+	T-NHL
17	73/F	T-NHL	HL	HL	TCRb+	HL + T-NHL
18	36/M	T-NHL	RP	T-NHL	TCRb+	T-NHL
19	477M	AML	RP	-	-	AML
20	48/M	PCD	RP	-	-	PCD
21	58/M	PCD	RP	-	-	PCD
22	44/F	DCL	GS	GS	-	DCL

F: female; M: male; RP: reactive process; ST: solid tumor; B-NHL: B-Non Hodgkin Lymphoma; T-NHL: T-Non Hodgkin Lymphoma; AML: acute myeloid leukemia; PCD: plasma cell dyscrasia; DCL: dendritic cell lymphoma; NHL: non-Hodgkin lymphoma; GS: Granulocytic sarcoma; HL: Hodgkin’s lymphoma; TCR: T-cell receptor; CLL: Chronic lymphoid leukemia; -: not analyzed; NV: non valuable;

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LEPTOMENINGEAL DISEASE IN HEMATOLOGICAL MALIGNANCIES

- ❖ **Clinical parameters** used to define risk for CNS involvement/relapse in B-NHL, ALL and AML are found to be of **limited predictive value**
- ❖ Although **cytologic analysis** of CSF has a great specificity, it has a limited **sensitivity** with a reported **false-negative rate** of between 20%-60%
- ❖ Recent single center studies suggest that **FCM** can increase the sensitivity of conventional cytology for the **identification of CSF involvement**, particularly in B-NHL

ANÁLISIS DE MUESTRAS DE LCR MEDIANTE CMF

Muestras de LCR estabilizadas (Transfix, Immunostep SL)



centrifugar (1x) y concentrar (300mL)



Marcaje celular de 1/3 de la muestra

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Adicionar esferas PerfectCOUNT (Cytognos SL) y Medir (Citómetro de flujo FACSCanto II; BDB)

Negativo



Marcar de nuevo las
2/3 partes restantes
de muestra

Positivo



Panel adaptado al
fenotipo del LNH-B

FLOW CYTOMETRY VS CYTOLOGY FOR DETECTION OF CSF IN AGGRESSIVE B-NHL (n=123)

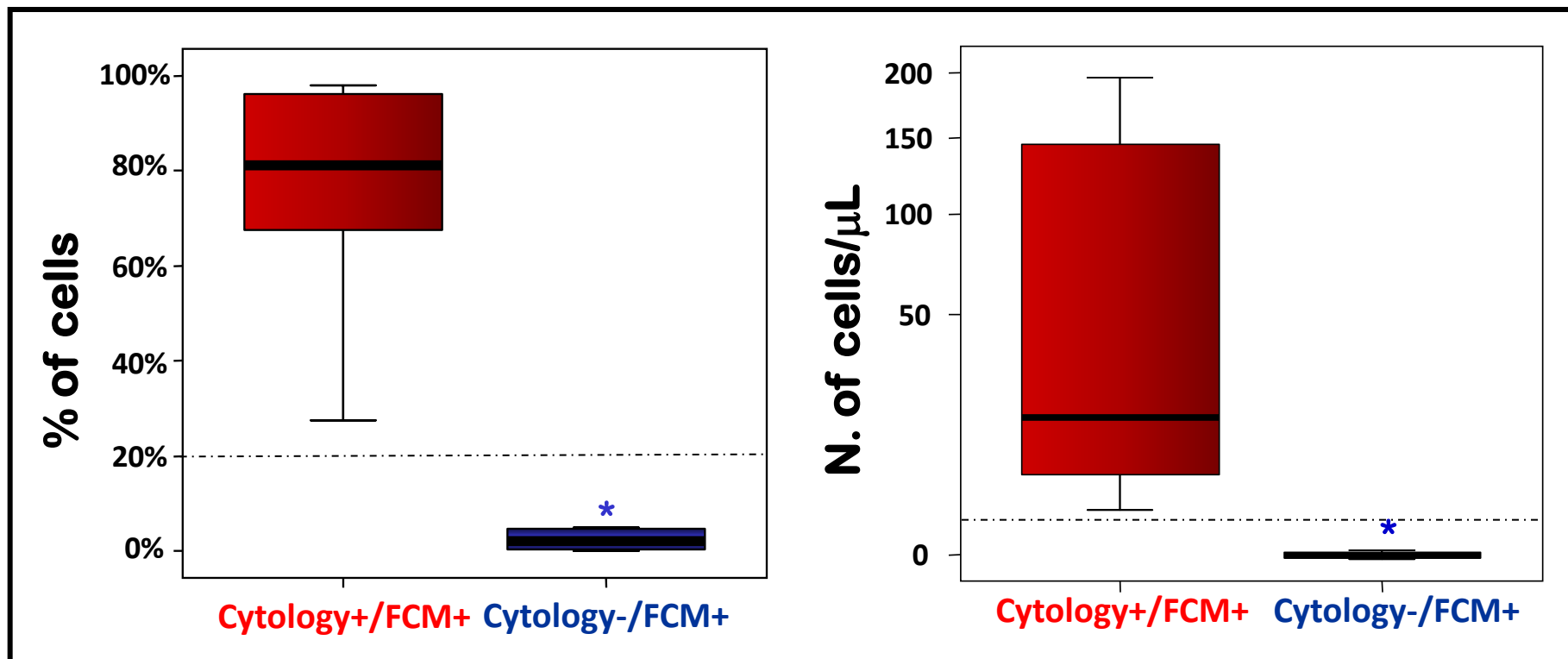
	Flow Cytometry	Cytology	P
Positive CSF	27/123 (22%)	7/123 (6%)	<0.0001

Flow Cytometry

		-	+
Cytology	-	95/123 (77%)	17/123 (14%)
	+	1/123 (1%)*	7/123 (6%)
	Susp.	-	3/123 (2%)

*The presence of neoplastic cells was ruled out by further immunocytochemical analyses

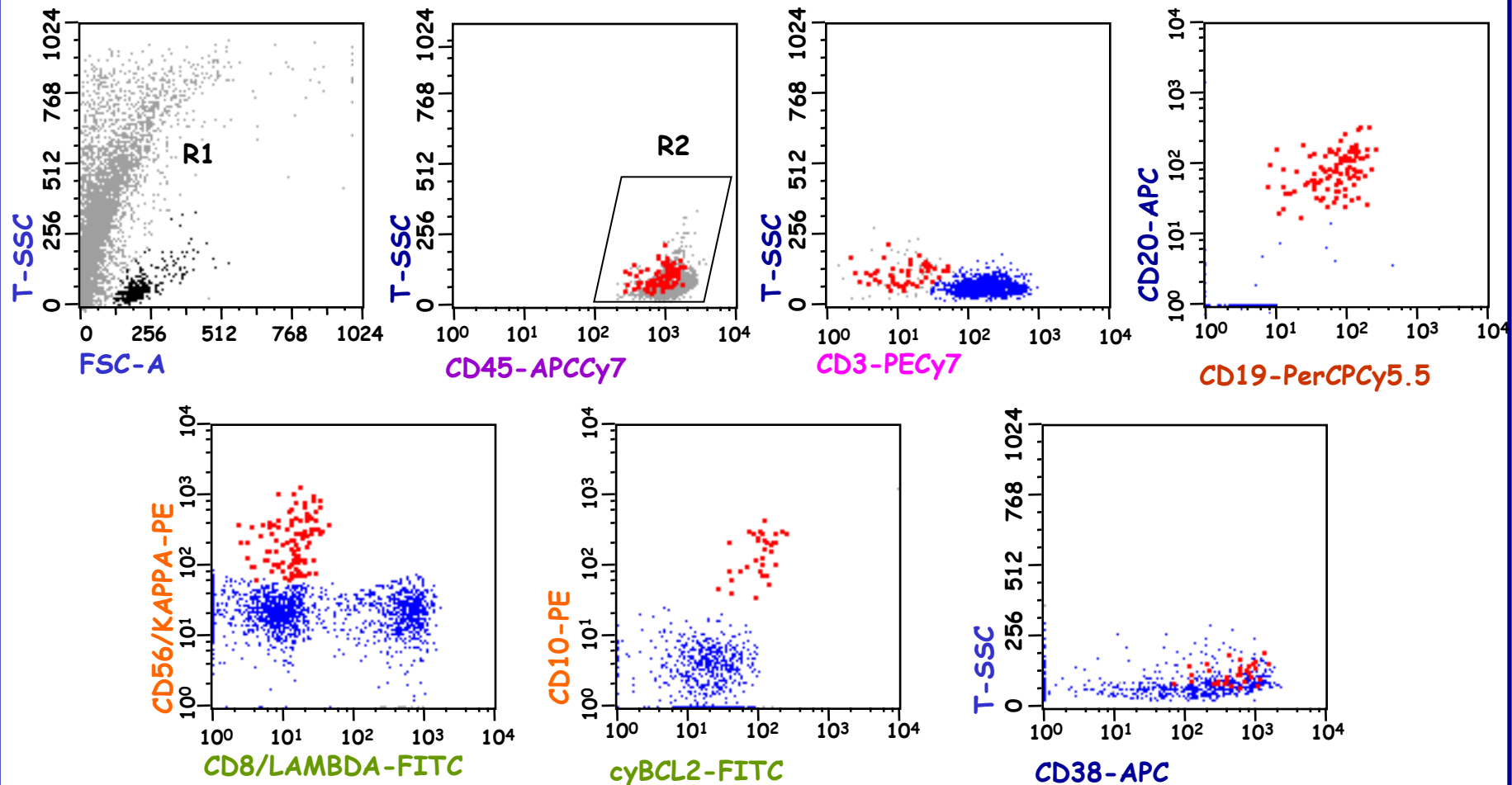
ABSOLUTE AND RELATIVE NUMBERS OF NEOPLASTIC B-CELLS IN INFILTRATED CSF SAMPLES BY FCM



*p<0.001

***Cut-off: <20% and <1 neoplastic B-cell/ μ L**

LEPTOMENINGEAL DISEASE IN A DLBCL (tFL): LOW LEVEL INFILTRATION OF CSF



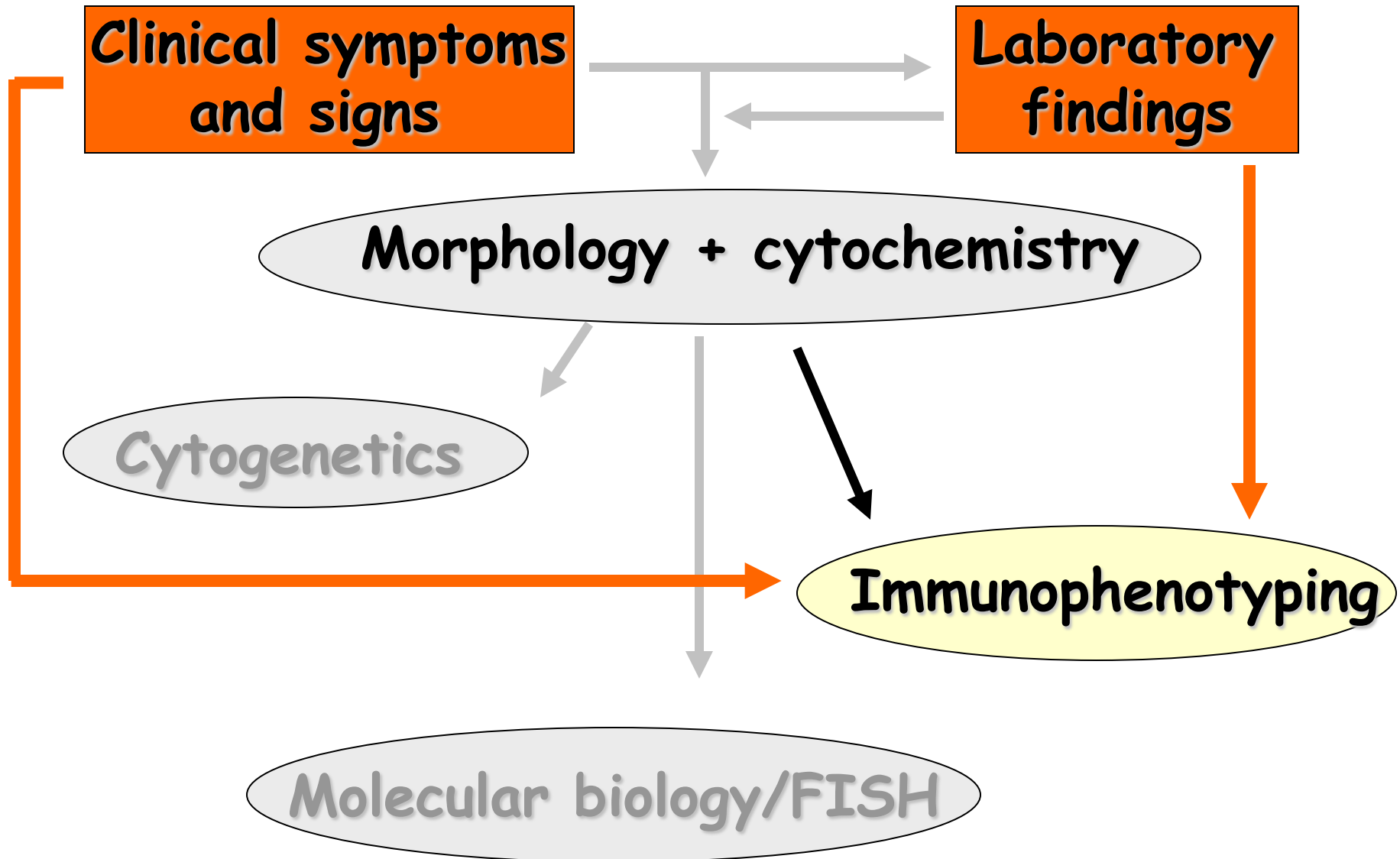
■ T-cells

■ Neoplastic B-cells (6%)

FREQUENCY OF FCM+ in B-NHL according to diagnosis

B-NHL SUBTYPE	At Diagnosis	%	At Relapse	%
DLBCL	21/129	16%	7/21	30%
Burkitt	2/23	9%	3/3	100%
Follicular	4/15	27%	1/6	17%
Mantle-cell	3/11	27%	1/2	50%
Plasmablastic	0/4	0%	0/0	0%
Splenic marginal zone	1/4	25%	1/1	100%
Richter syndrome	1/1	100%	0/0	0%
Other B-NHL	2/3	67%	0/1	0%
TOTAL	34/190	18%	12/33	36%

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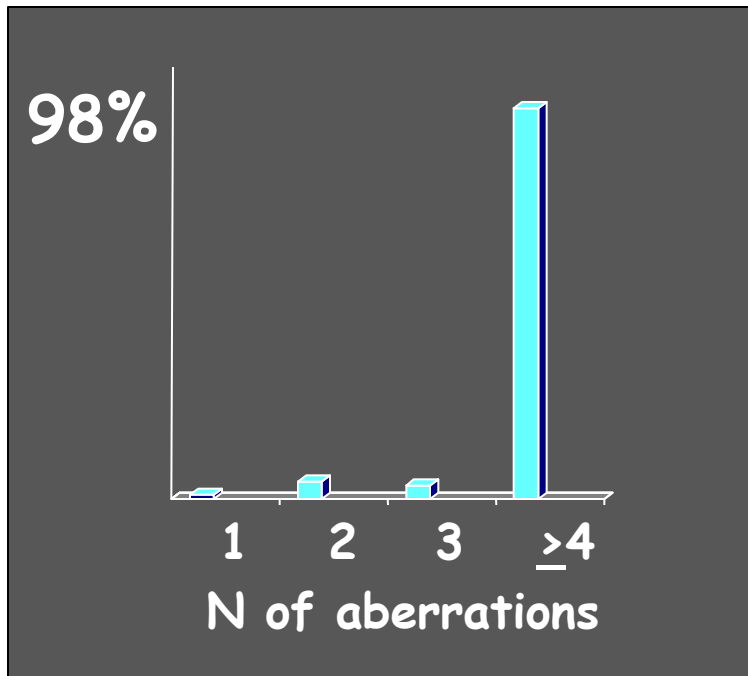
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Detection of MRD:

High applicability and sensitivity

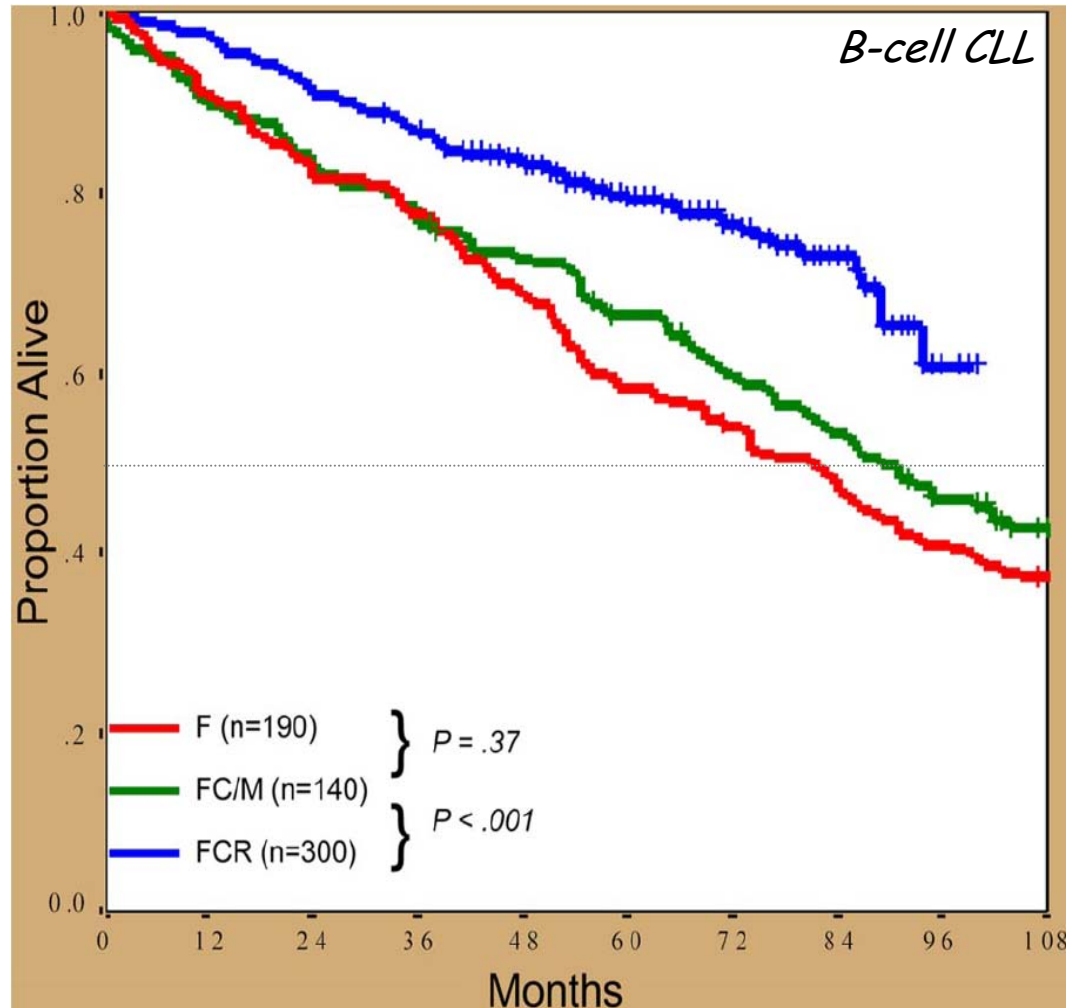


Phenotypic aberrancy	Case	% of B lymphocytes ^a		Sensitivity level
		Aberrant	Normal	
FMC7 ⁻ /CD5 ⁺ or ⁺⁺ /CD19 ⁺	1	0.007	3.44	10 ⁻⁵
	2	0.006	2.56	10 ⁻⁵
	3	0.012	1.64	10 ⁻⁴
FMC7 ⁺ /CD5 ⁺⁺ /CD19 ⁺	4	0.019	1.45	10 ⁻⁴
FMC7 ⁺⁺ /CD5 ⁺ /CD19 ⁺	5	0.022	1.10	10 ⁻⁴
CD22 ^d /CD23 ⁺ /CD19 ⁺	6	0.017	3.08	10 ⁻⁴
	7	0.001	1.28	10 ⁻⁵
	8	0.019	3.93	10 ⁻⁴
CD103 ⁺ /CD25 ⁻ /CD19 ⁺	9	0.001	2.05	10 ⁻⁵
	10	0.012	2.53	10 ⁻⁴
	11	0.01	2.51	10 ⁻⁴
CD103 ⁺ /CD25 ⁺⁺ /CD19 ⁺	12	0.033	0.40	10 ⁻⁴
	13	0.025	1.29	10 ⁻⁴
	14	0.003	0.38	10 ⁻⁵
CD10 ⁻ /CD11c ⁺⁺ /CD19 ⁺⁺	15	0.003	1.82	10 ⁻⁵
	16	0.05	0.81	10 ⁻⁴
	17	0.03	1.93	10 ⁻⁴
	18	0.02	4	10 ⁻⁴
	19	0.05	3.67	10 ⁻⁴

MRD IN B-CLL

Reference	Aberrant criteria	Sensitivity	Prognostic value
Brugiatelli M et al. (Cancer 1989)	sIgκ+/sIgλ+ ratio	10-2	Yes
Robertson LE et al. (Blood 1992)	sIgκ+/sIgλ+ ratio	10-2	Yes
Leonormand B et al. (Leukemia 1994)	CD19+/CD5+	10-3	Yes
Cabezudo E et al. (Leukemia, 1997)	CD19+/CD5+	10-3	Yes
García-Vela A et al. (Leukemia, 1999)	CD19+/CD79b+d	10-4	Yes
Rawstron AC et al. (Blood 2001)	CD19+/CD20+d/CD5+/CD79b+d	10-4	Yes
Maloum K et al. (Br J Haematol 2002)	CD19+/CD20+d/CD5+/CD79b+d	10-4	Yes
Gupta R et al. (Am J Clin Pathol 2004)	CD19+/CD5+	10-3	Not analyzed
Bottcher S et al. (Leukemia 2004)	CD19+/CD5+/CD43+/CD20+d	10-4	Not analyzed
Moreton P et al. (J Clin Oncol 2005)	CD19+/CD20+d/CD5+/CD79b+d	10-5	Yes
Montillo M et al. (Cancer Invest 2005)	CD19+/CD20+d/CD5+/CD79b+d	10-5	Yes
Moreno et al (Blood 2006)	Autologous transplantation (n=25) Allogeneic transplantation (n=15)		Yes No

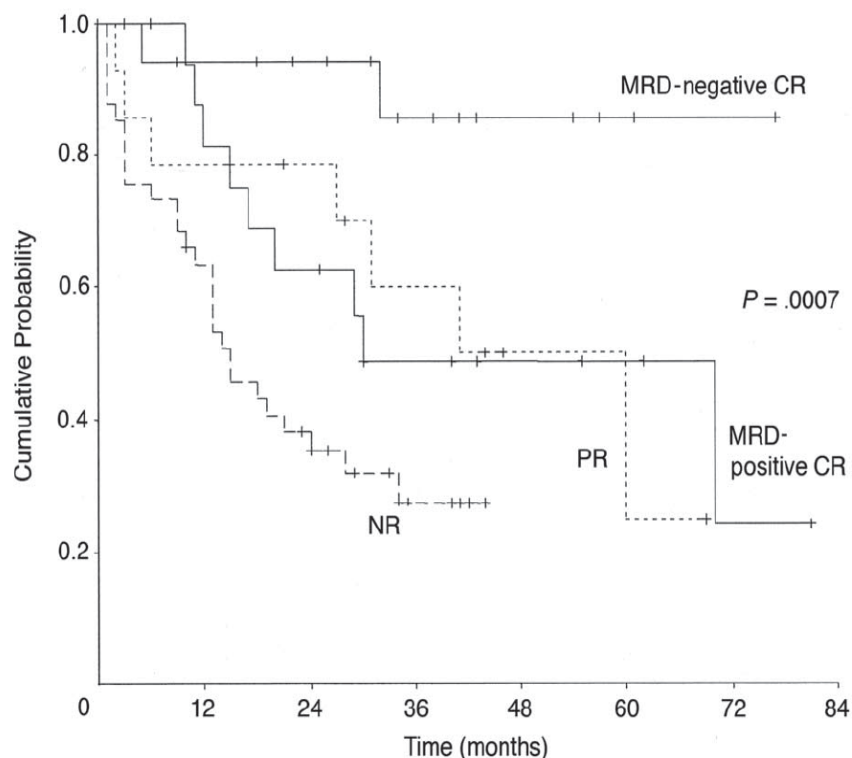
Why performing MRD monitoring in B-cell CLPD?



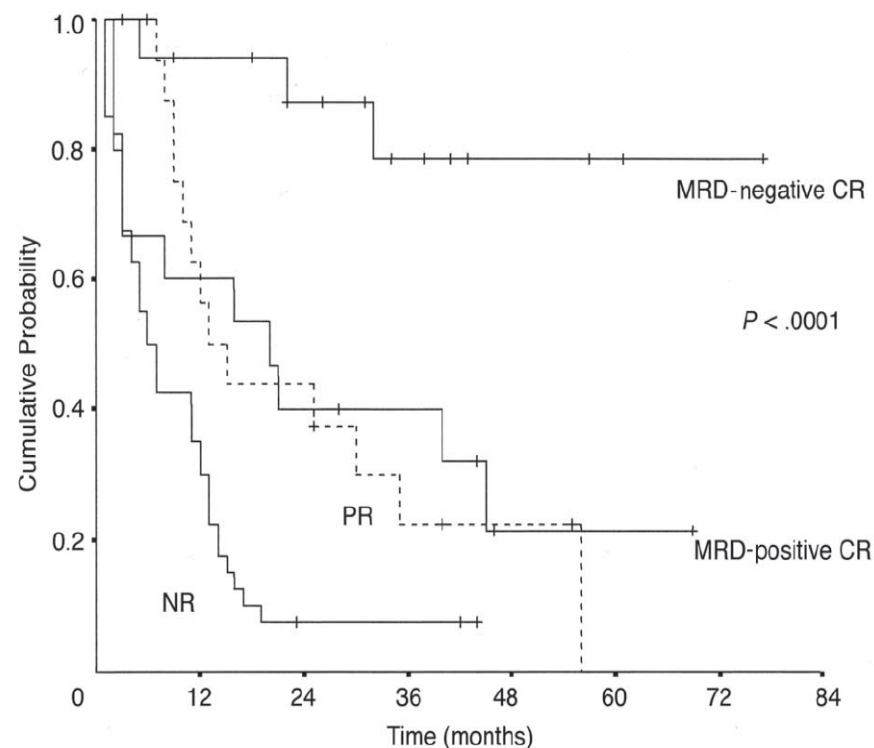
MRD IN B-CLL by flow cytometry

Clinical impact

Overall survival



Treatment free survival



IMMUNOPHENOTYPING OF HAEMATOLOGICAL MALIGNANCIES

- 1953/1994: From the development of the instruments & techniques to the WHO classifications of haematological malignancies.
- 1994/2006: The ability to specifically identify leukaemic cells: from normal phenotypes to aberrant phenotypic profiles.
- 2006/-: **Recent contributions** of immuno-phenotyping of haematological malignancies: pointing to the future.

CLINICAL APPLICATIONS OF IMMUNOPHENOTYPING OF B-CLPD

Diagnosis

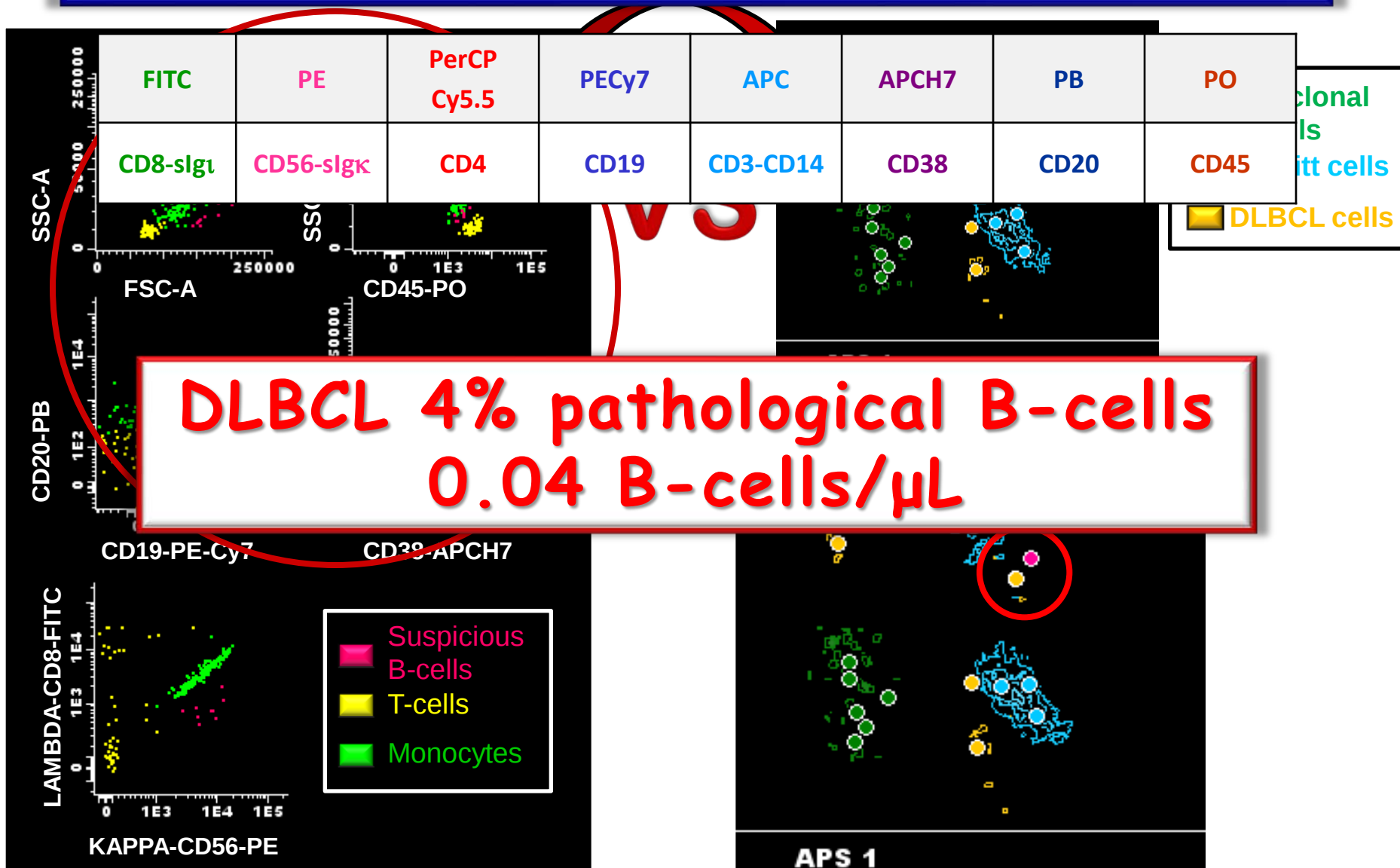
Diagnostic classification

Treatment monitoring

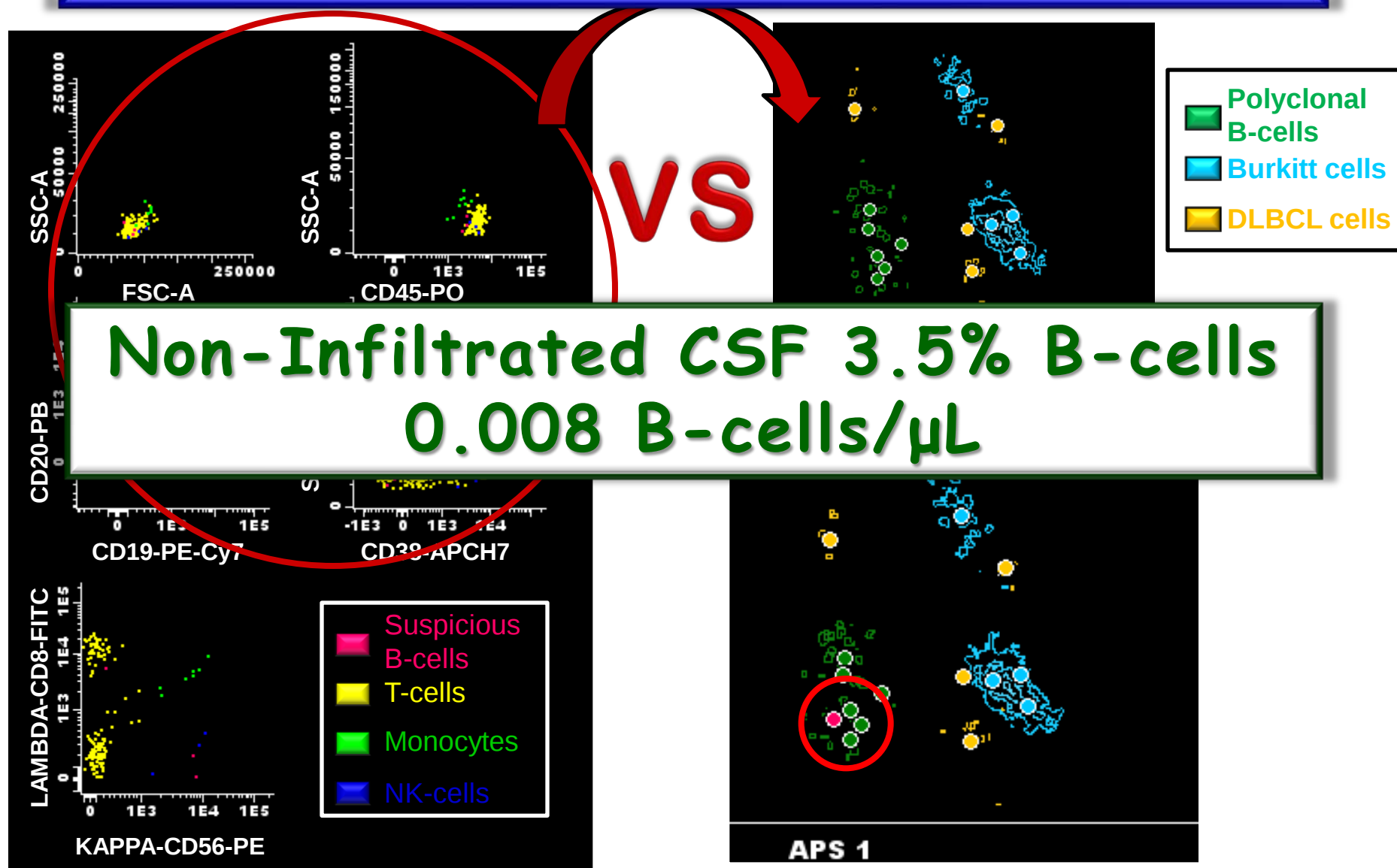
FUTURE DEVELOPMENTS

- Can we still **improve the sensitivity** of flow cytometry for the diagnosis of CSF involvement?
- Can we build an **internal control** for the detection of (minimal) CSF **contamination** with blood-derived cells?
- Can we develop **new tools** to help in distinguishing normal vs pathological B-cells?

SUSPICIOUS B-CELLS VS REFERENCE LIBRARY: COMPASS ANALYSIS



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IMMUNOPHENOTYPIC PATTERNS OF DIFFERENT TYPES OF B-CLPD (Orfao et al, In: "B-CLL". Humana Press, 2004)

sIg CD5 CD10 CD20 CD11c CD23 CD24 CD25 CD38 CD43 CD79b CD103 FMC7

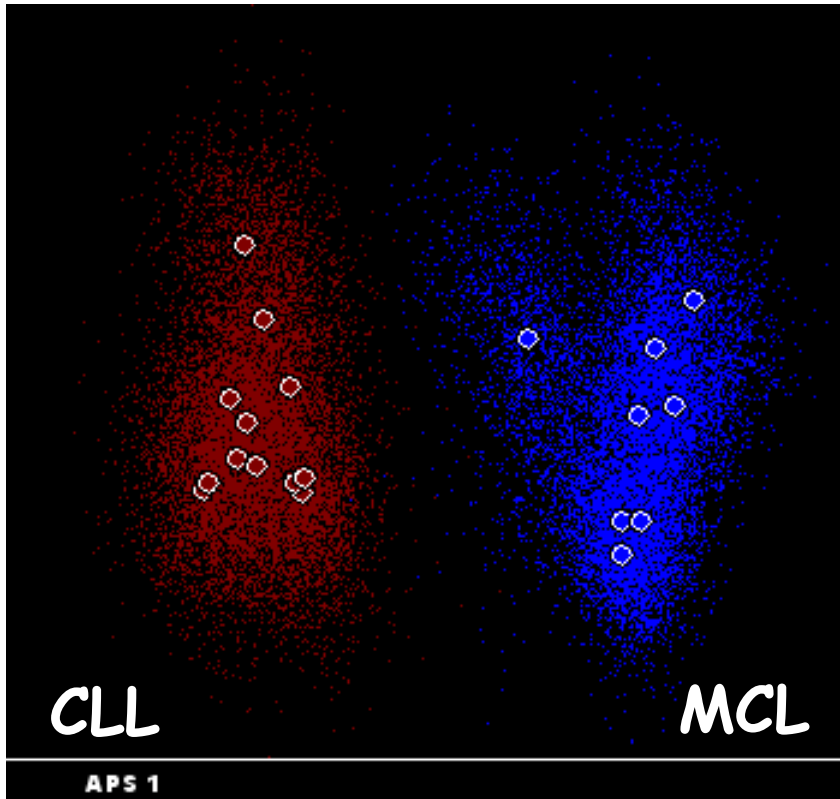
B-CLL	d	+	-	d	-/+	++	+	+	-/+	+	d	-	-
PLL	+	-/+	-	+	-/+	-/+	+	-/+	-/+	-/+	+	-	+
HCL	+	-	-	++	++	-	-/+	++	-	-	+	+	+
SMZL	+	-/+	-	+	+	-	+	-/+	-	-	+	-/+	+
LPL	+	-	-	+	-	-	+	+	-/+	-	+	-	-/+
MCL	+	+	-	+	-/+	-	+	-/+	-	+	+	-	-/+
FL	+	-	+	+	-/+	-/d	+	-/+	+	-	+	-	+
LDBCL	+	-	-	+	-/+	-	-/+	-	+	-	+	-	+
BL	-/+	-	+	+	-	-	+	-	++	-/+	-/+	-	+

B-CPLD panel

	Pac Blue	Pac Orange	FITC	PE	PerCP- Cy5.5	PECy7	APC	APC-H7
1	CD20	CD45				CD19		
2	CD20	CD45				CD19		
3	CD20	CD45				CD19		
4	CD20	CD45				CD19		
5	CD20	CD45				CD19		

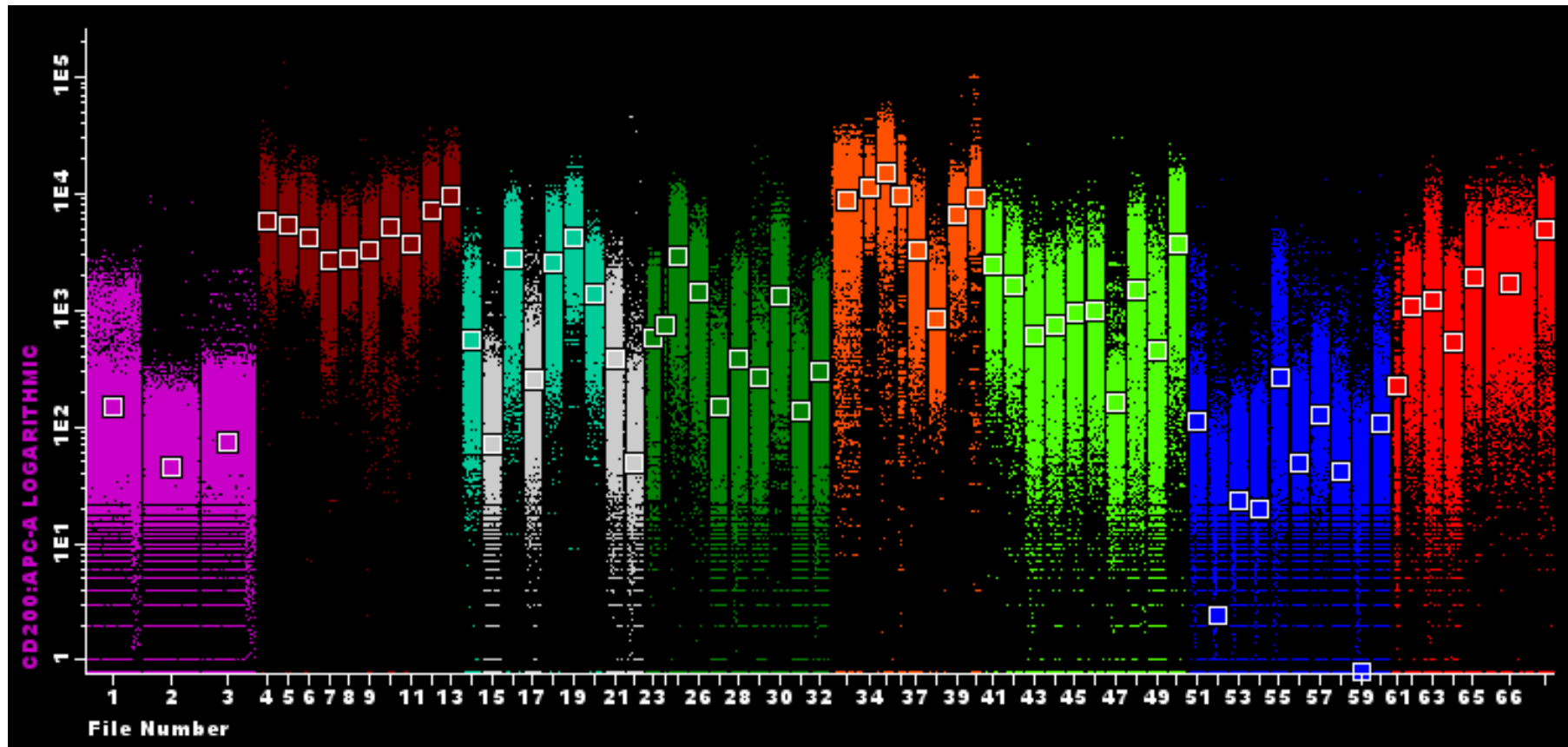
1= LST	CD20 / CD4	CD45	Λ/CD8	κ/CD56	CD5	CD19 / TCRγ/δ	CD3	CD38
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3	CD20	CD45	CD31	LAIR	CD11c	CD19	IgM	CD81
4	CD20	CD45	CD103	CD95	CD22	CD19	CXCR5	CD49d
5	CD20	CD45	CD62L	CD39	HLA-DR	CD19	CD27	

B-CLPD panel: utility



1	IgM	14.02
2	CD200	13.76
3	CD79b	11.94
4	CD23	8.57
5	CD38	7.73

Characterization markers: CD200



BL

CLL

DLBCL

FL

HCL

LPL

MCL

MZL

Responsible scientists: Sebastian Bottcher

EuroFlow B-CLPD panel: summary and perspectives

- B-CLPD panel allows unequivocal classification of most mature B-cell malignancies according to WHO
- All differential diagnoses (n=35) achieved efficiently except for the following 1 vs 1 comparisons:

FL vs DLBC

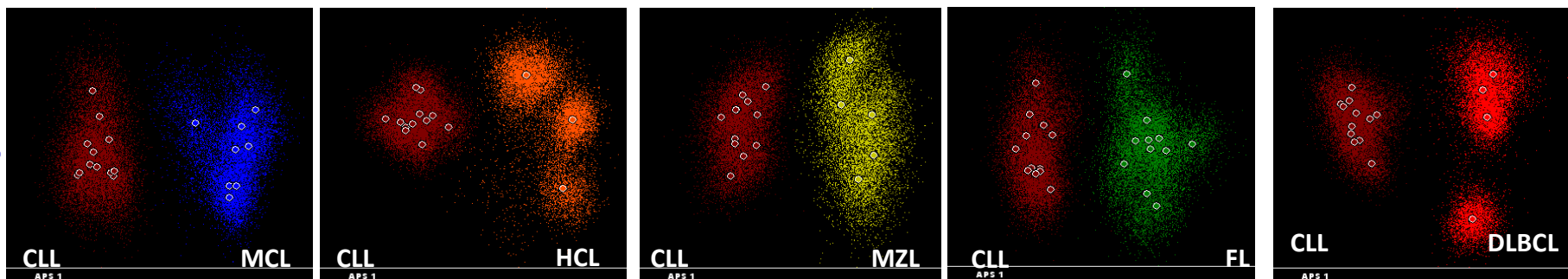
MZL vs LPL

LPL vs DLBCL

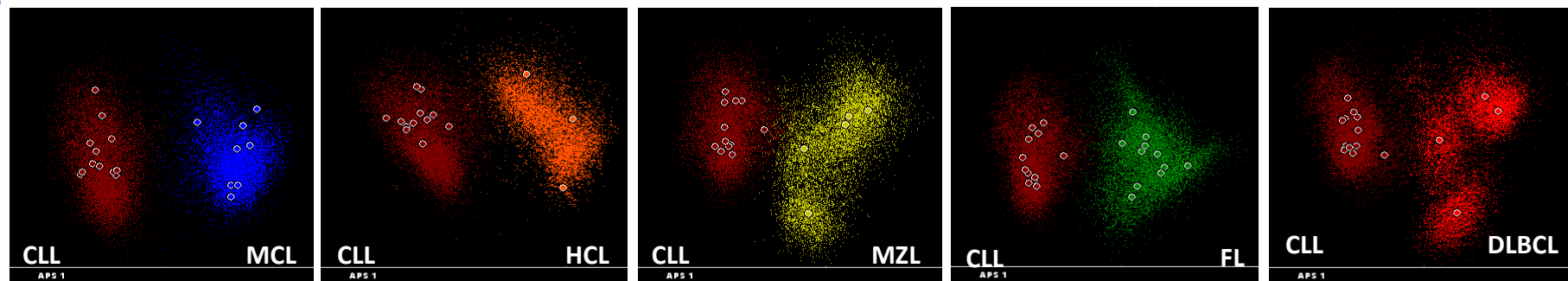
MZL vs DLBCL

B-NHL classification panel – modular design

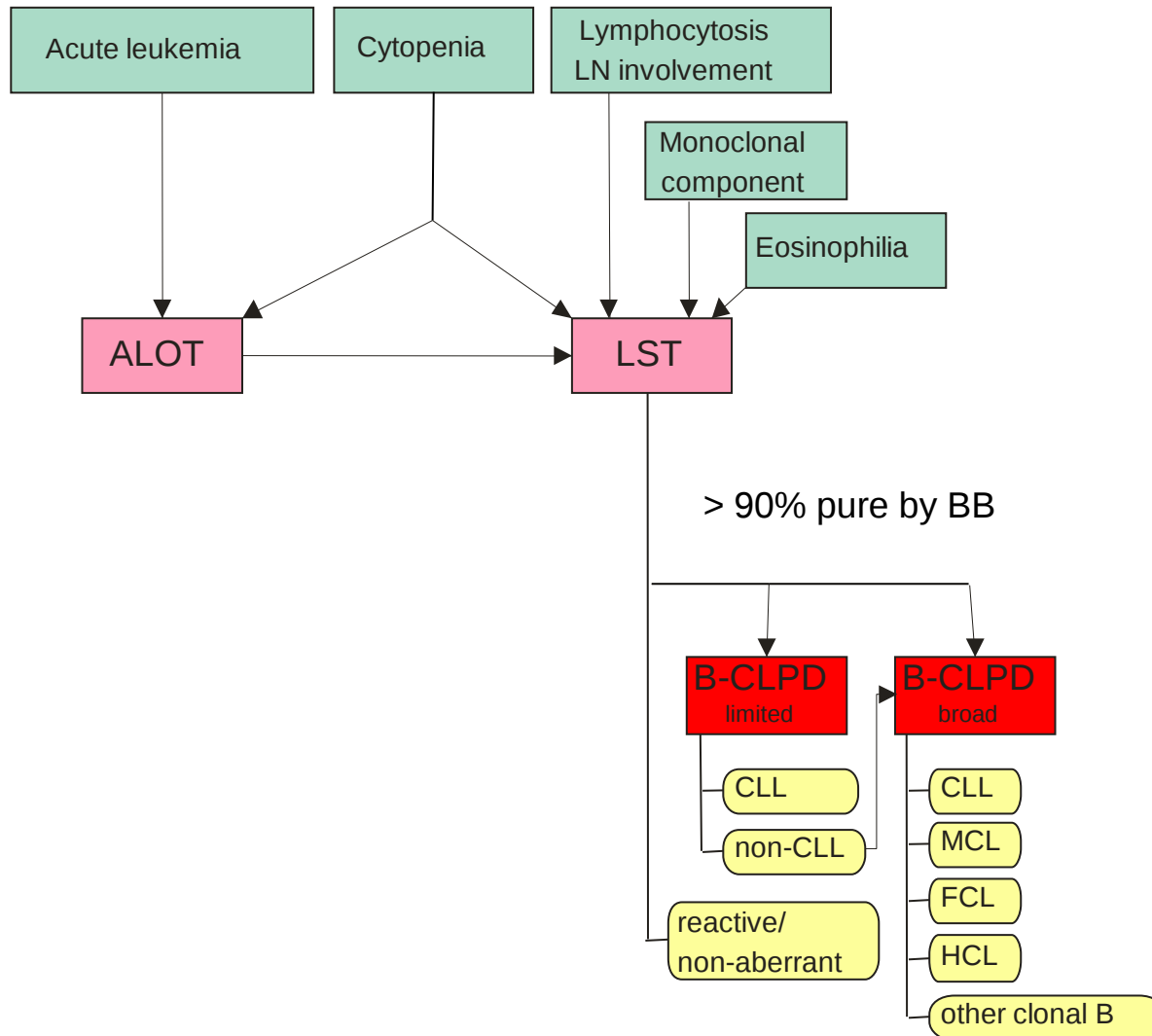
Full panel



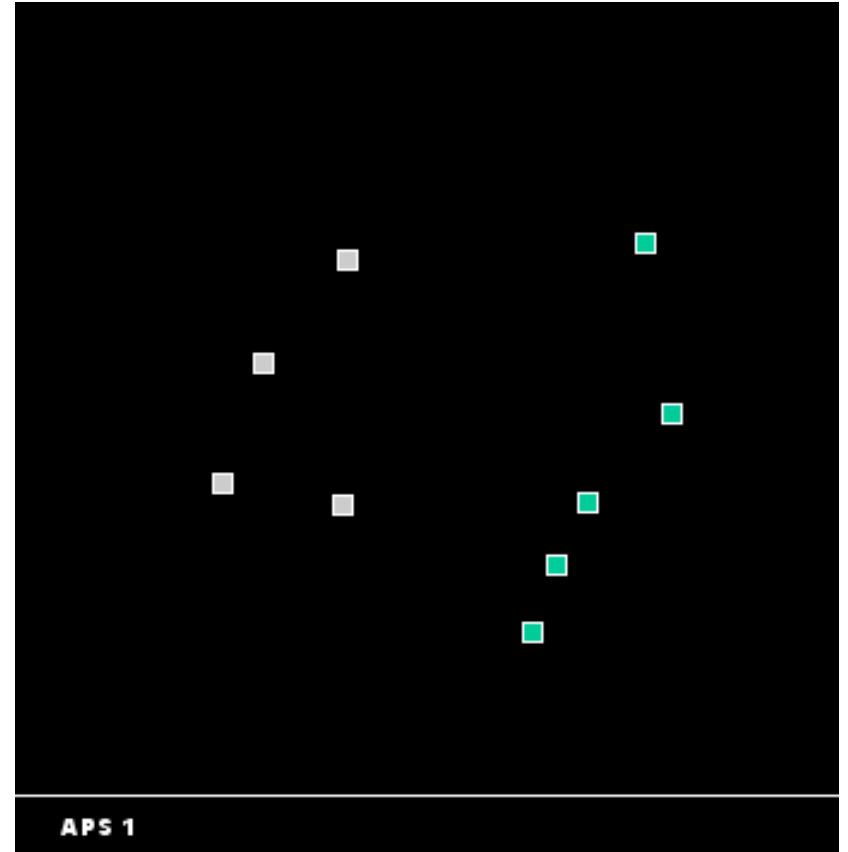
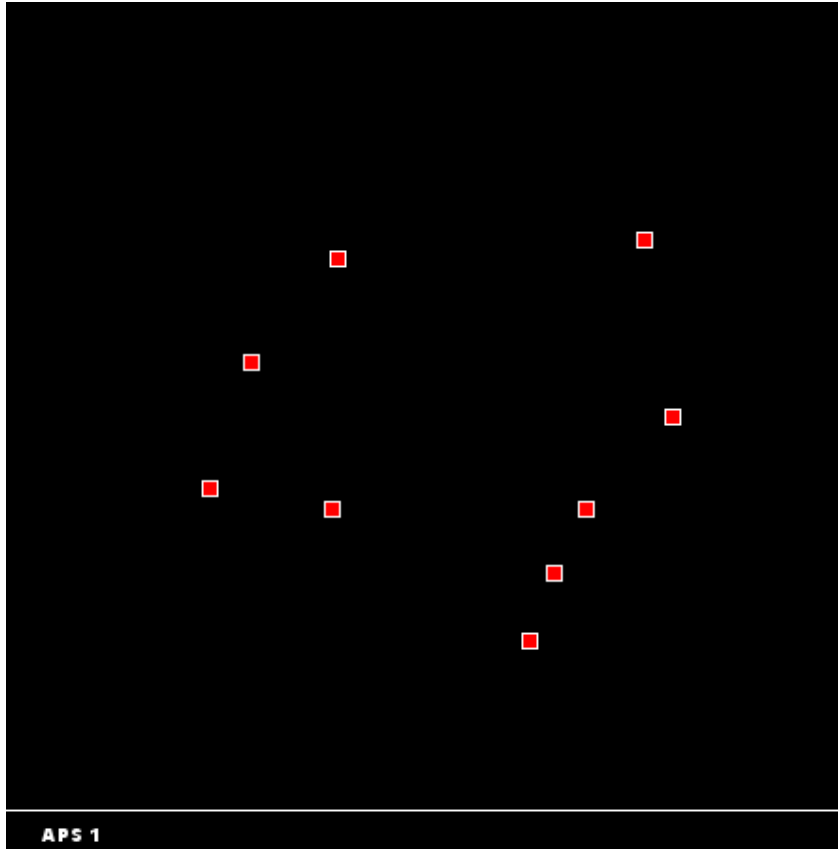
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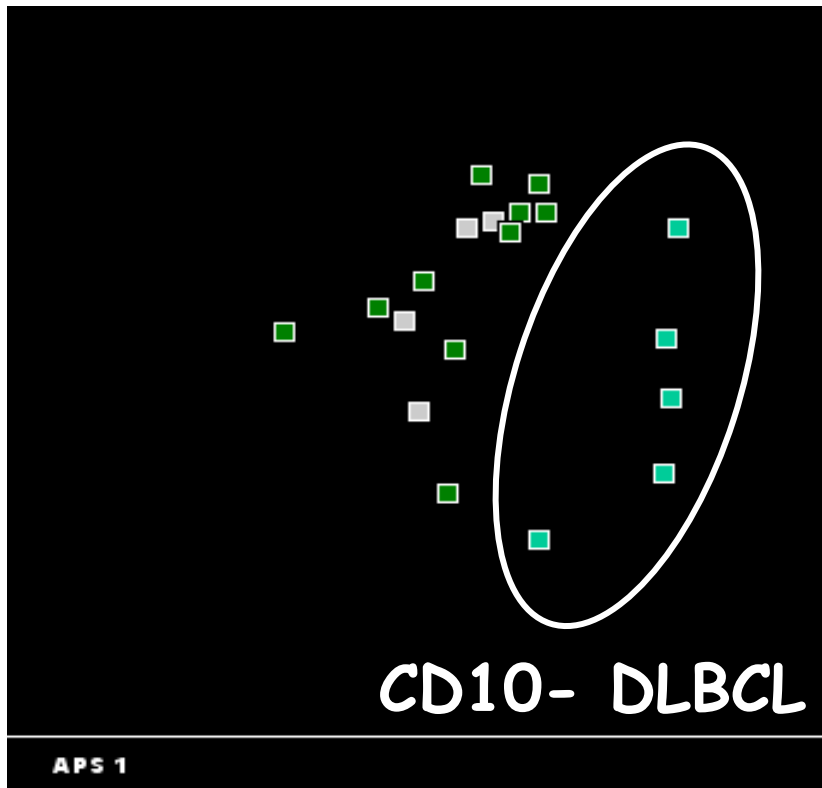
B-CLPD: Diagnostic work-flow



B-CLPD panel: subclassification of DLBCL

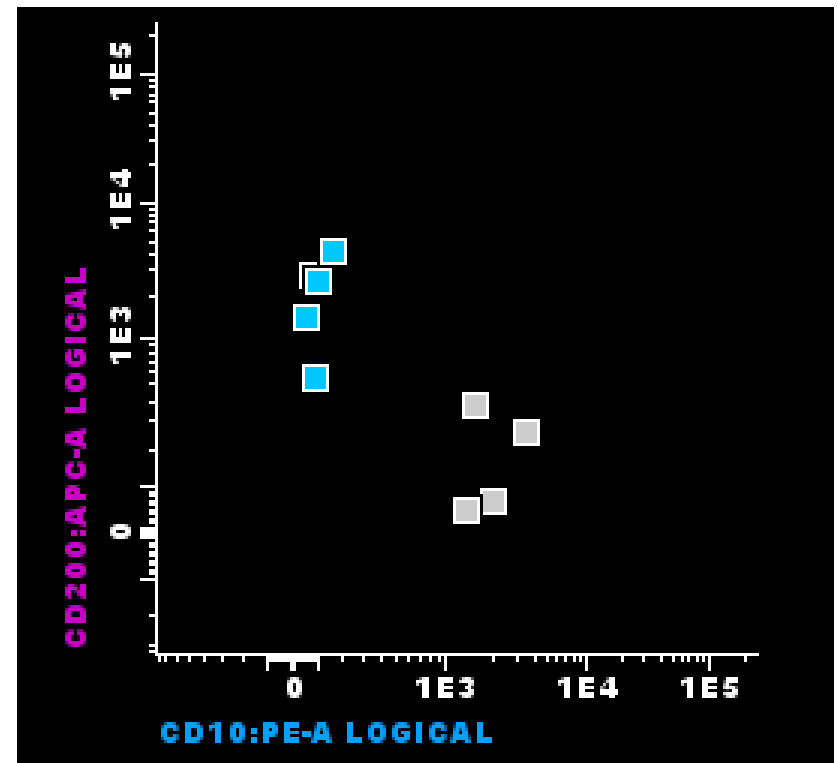
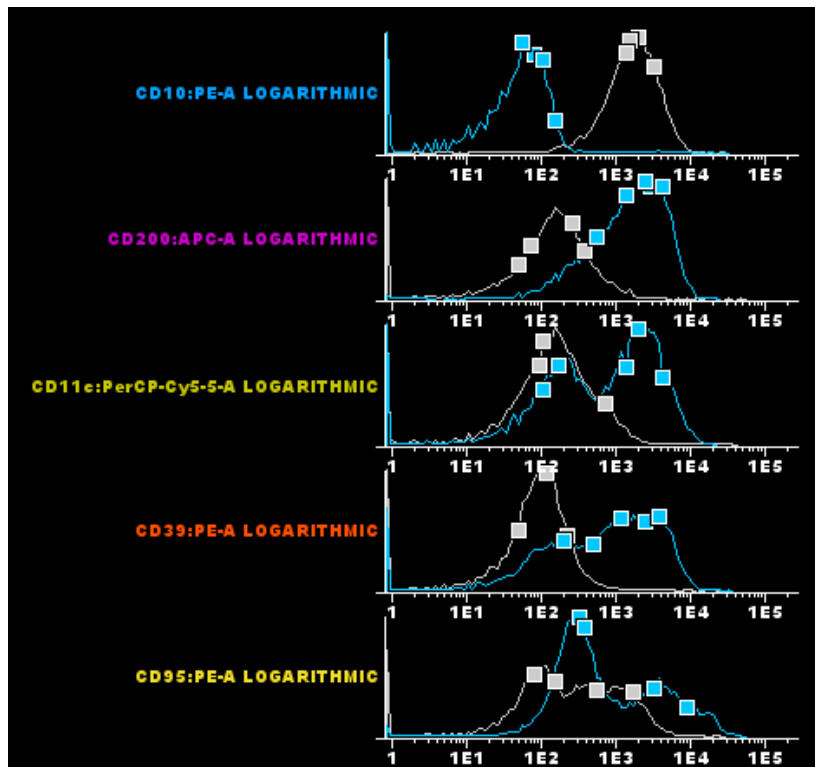


B-CLPD panel: subclassification of DLBCL vs FL



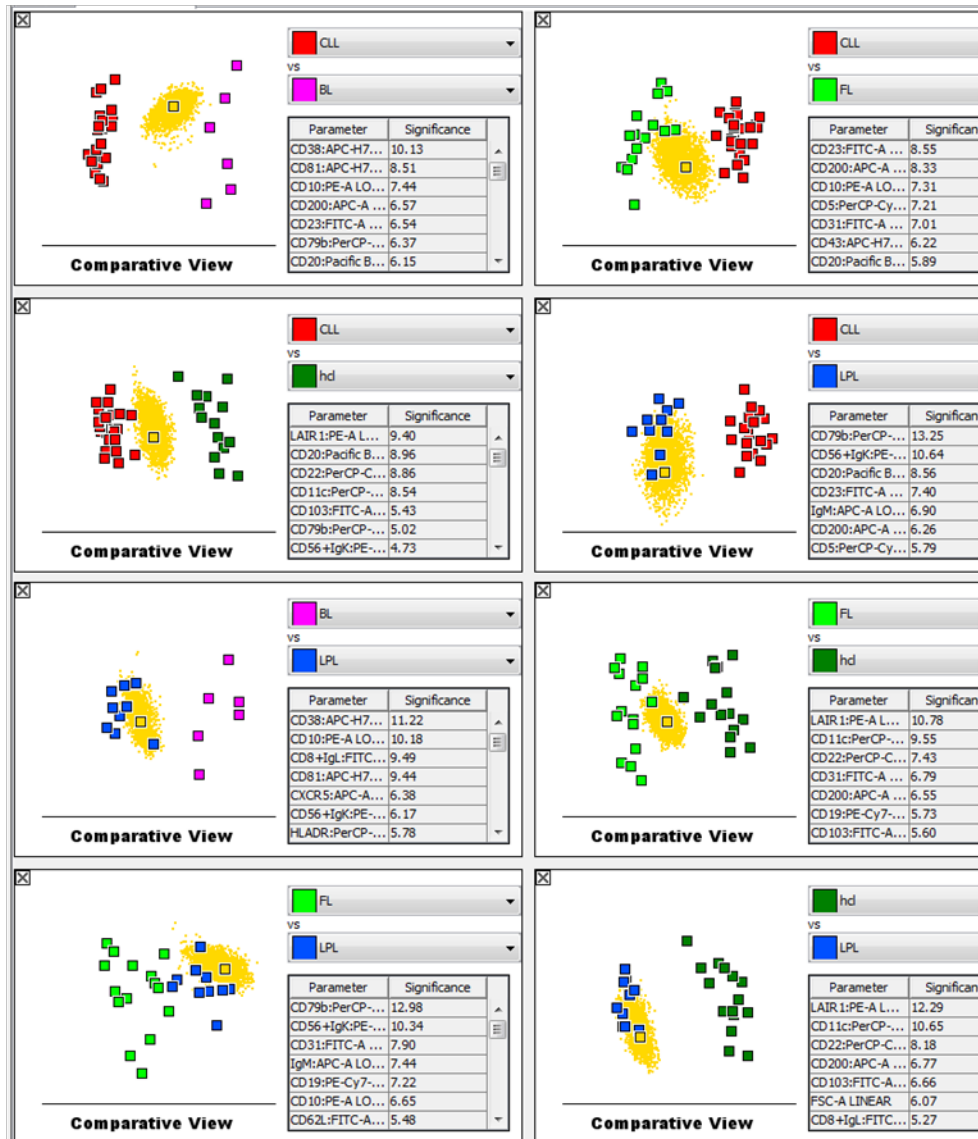
	APS Significance
IgM-APC	11.4
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CD200-APC	9.1
CD39:PE	8.4

B-CLPD panel: subclassification of DLBCL



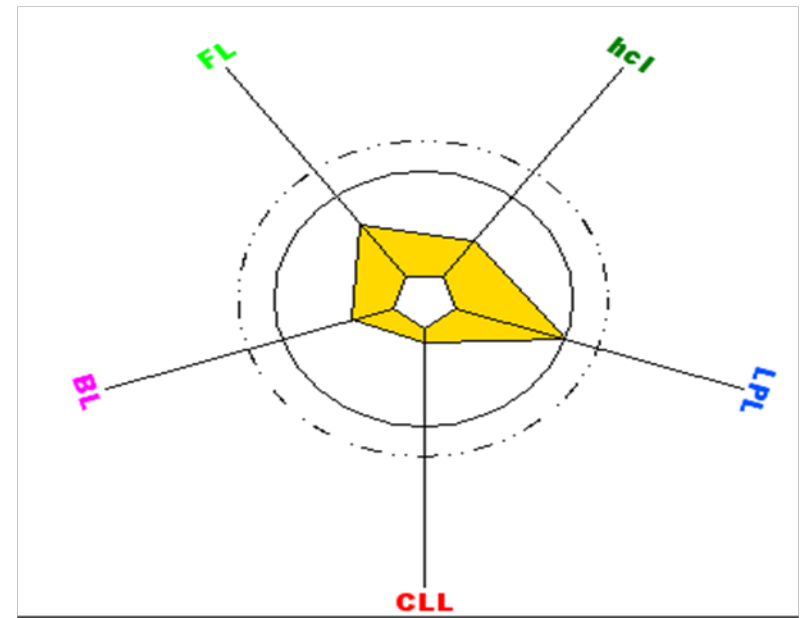
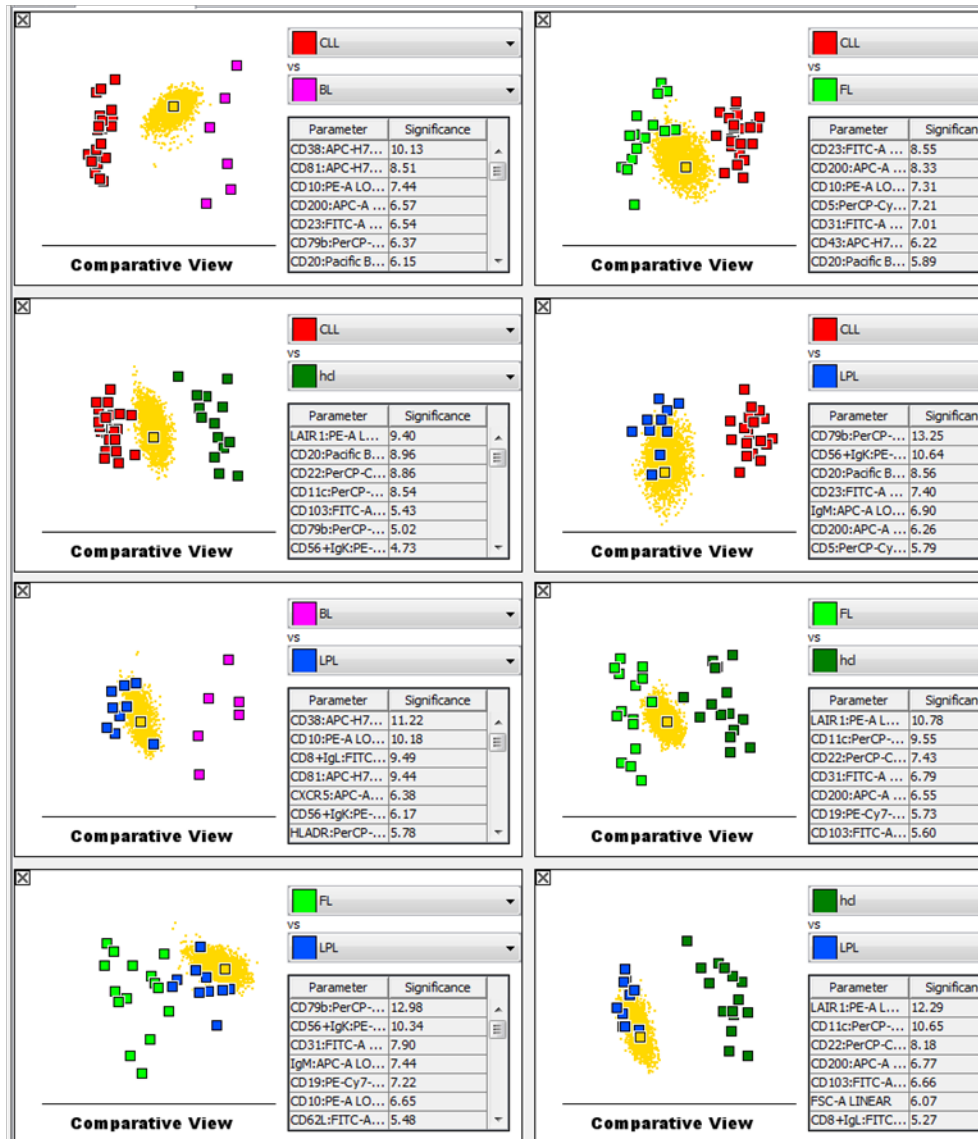
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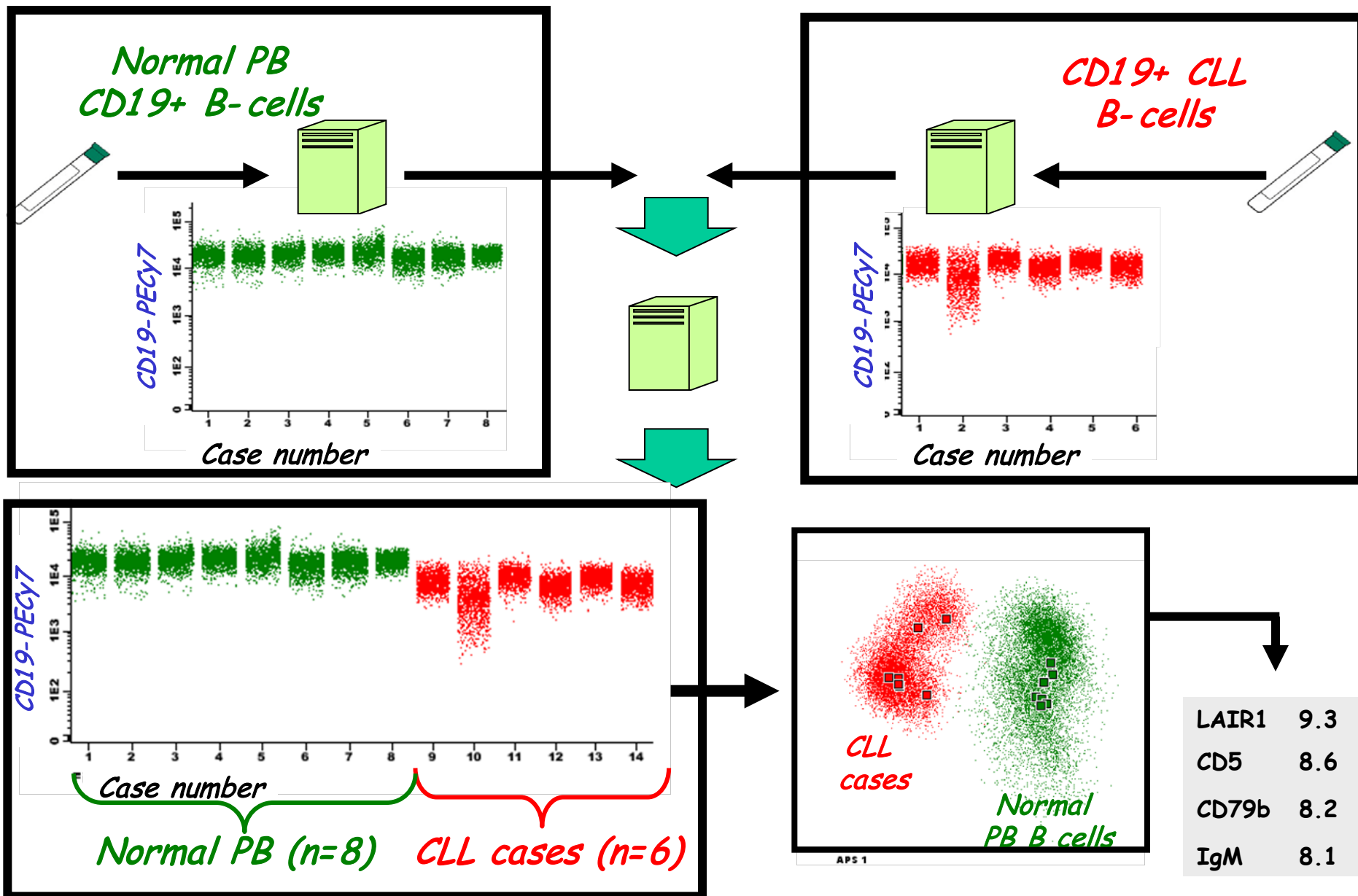
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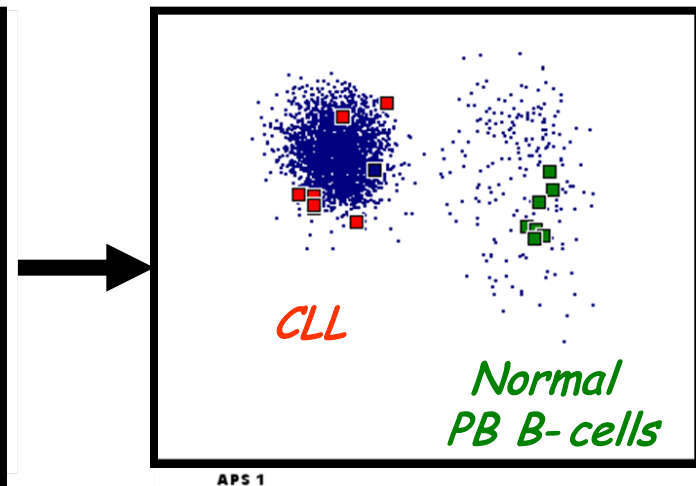
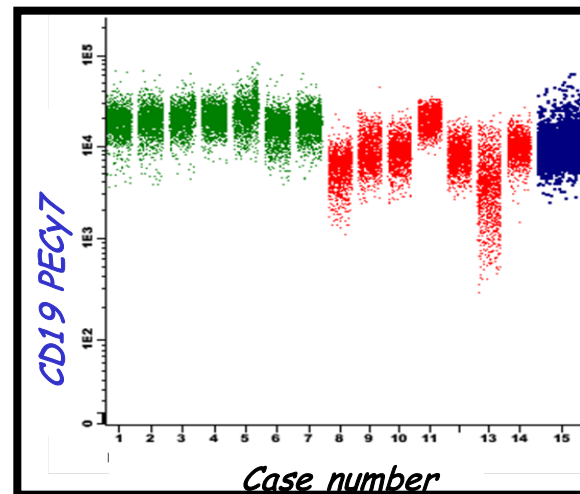
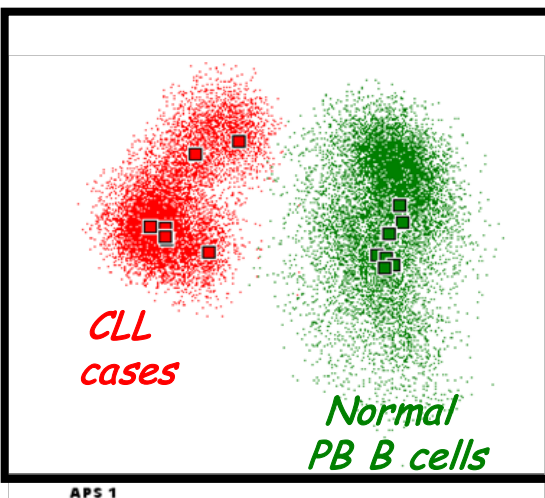
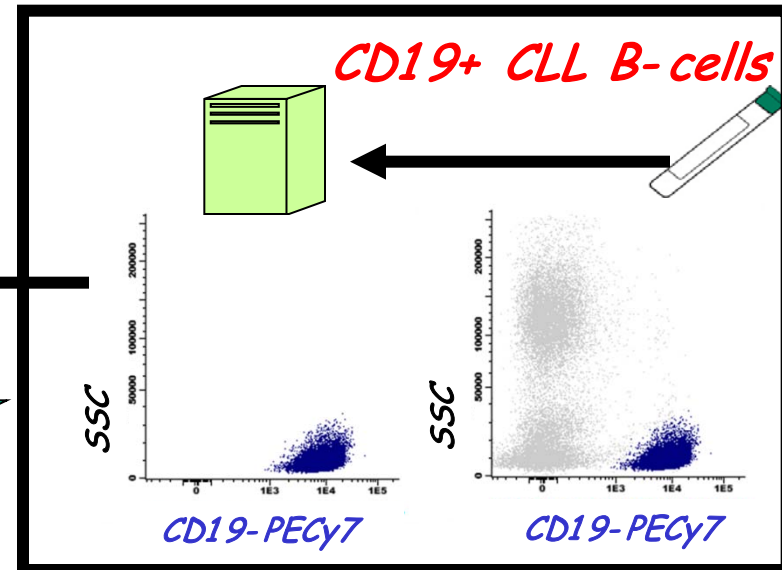
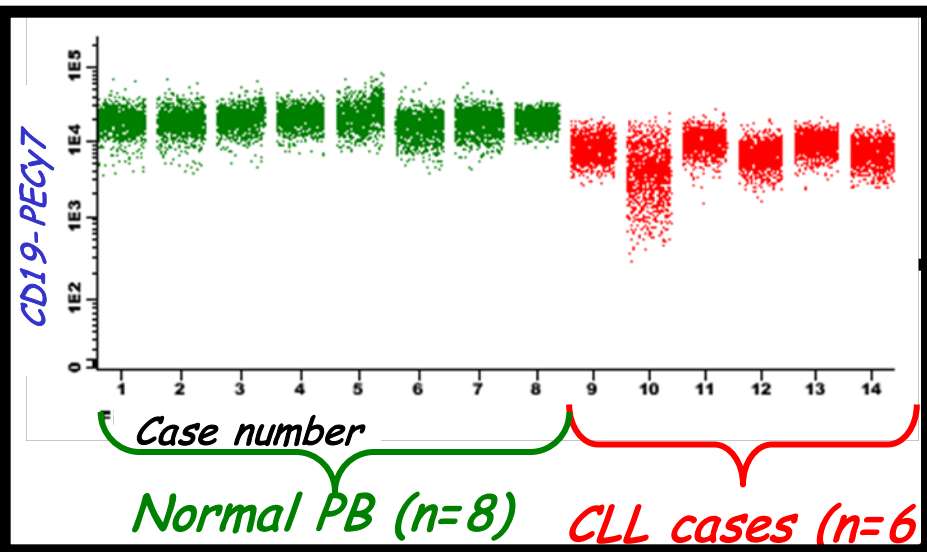
Diagnostic classification

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REFERENCE DATAFILES: NORMAL vs. CLL B-CELLS



COMPARE A CASE VS NORMAL & CLL B-CELLS



COMPARE A CASE VS NORMAL & NEOPLASTIC B-CELLS



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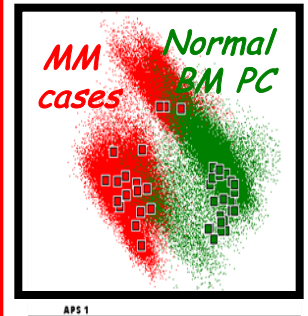
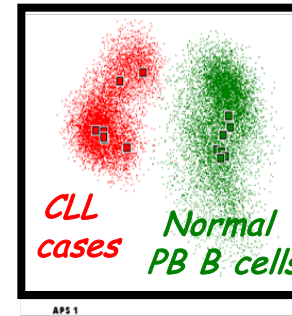
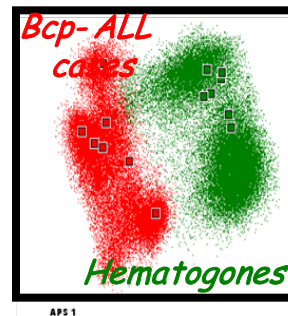
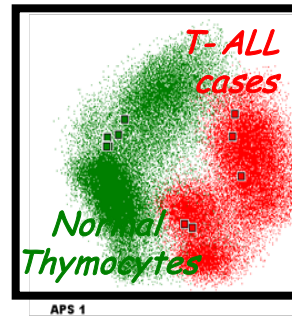
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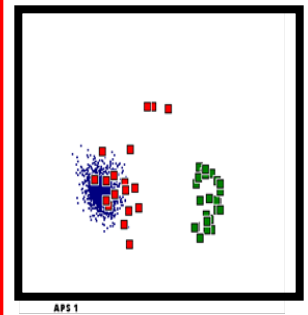
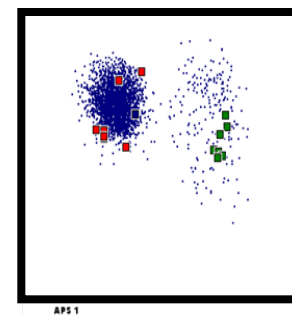
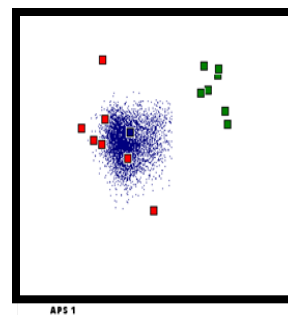
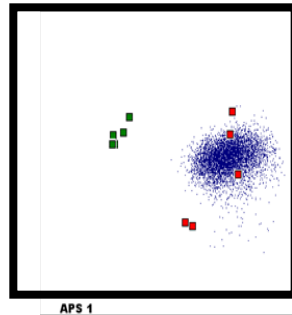
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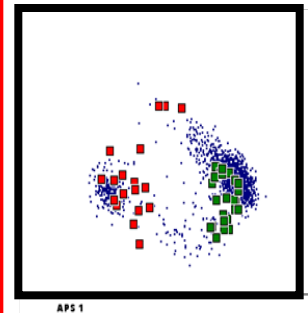
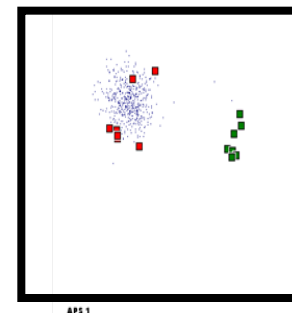
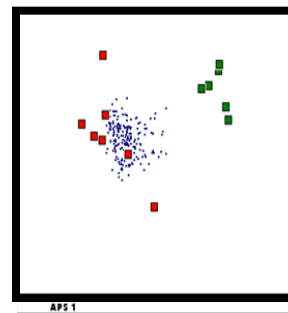
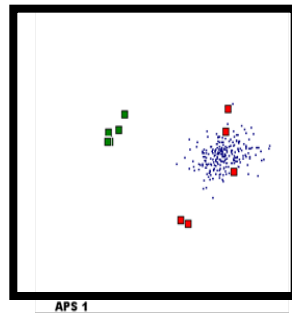
Reference data files



Diagnostic samples vs. Reference data files



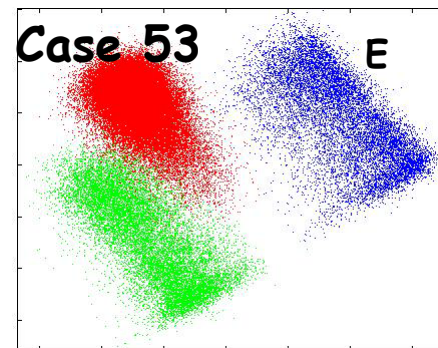
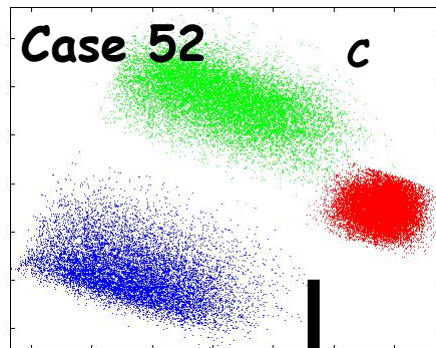
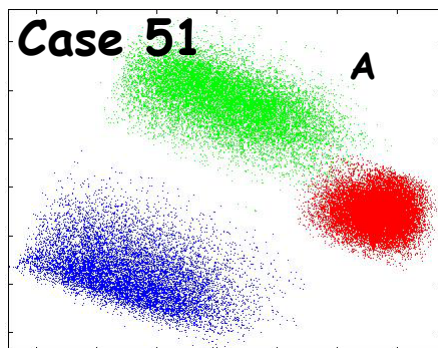
MRD samples vs. Reference data files



B-CLPD: AUTOMATED IDENTIFICATION OF ABERRANT PHENOTYPES AT DIAGNOSIS

(Only CD19+ B-cells are displayed)

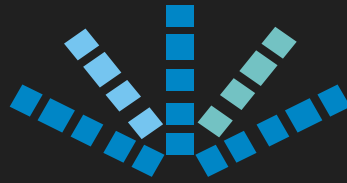
PB SAMPLES
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Information about the most discriminating parameters:
(Most informative panels for the follow-up of MRD)

Conclusions

- FCM is useful for the study of B-CLPD for: (i) the **diagnosis** (of clonality, NHL staging, and CSF infiltration), (ii) **classification** into WHO groups and (iii) **MRD monitoring**
- The new strategies developed by the EuroFlow Consortium opens the door for all applications of **multiparameter flow cytometry** for which a **large number of parameters are needed** and for the **automation** of FCM data analysis



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innovation in flow cytometry