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## Forefront practical application of cancer genome

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*Tumor-agnostic clinical development - ideal and reality*

# Academia Task for Tumor-Agnostic Clinical Development and the Post-Launch

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- ✓ In May 2017, the U.S. FDA granted accelerated approval for pembrolizumab, an anti-PD-1 monoclonal antibody for treatment of adult and pediatric patients with unresectable or metastatic, microsatellite instability-high (MSI-H) or mismatch repair deficient (dMMR) solid tumors. The FDA approval represents the first disease agnostic anti- cancer therapy based on tumor biomarker.
- ✓ MSD Merck Japan & FALCO has submitted the application for approval for adult patients with unresectable or metastatic, MSI-H solid tumors at March 2018.
- ✓ Japanese PMDA is also anticipated to grant the same regulatory for pembrolizumab, to which the PMDA has applied 'Conditional Early Approval System for Pharmaceuticals (one of Priority Review System)' at June, 2018.

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# Agenda

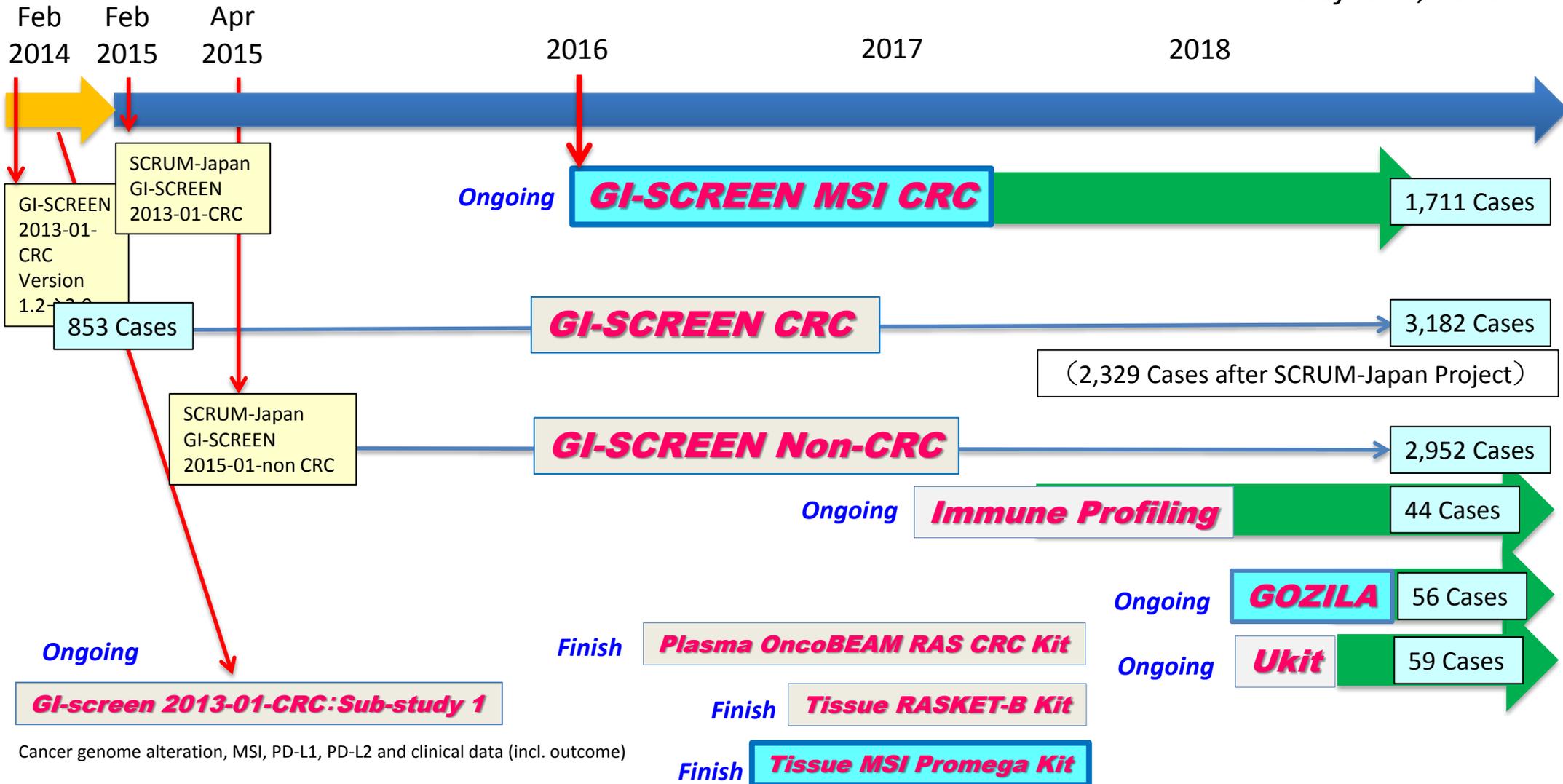
- **TODAY:**
  - **Accomplishment of SCRUM-Japan for MSI-High tumors before the launch**
- **TOMORROW:**
  - **Guideline in place**
- **THE DAY AFTER TOMORROW:**
  - **TMB-high**
  - **RWD**
  - **International Collaboration**



# Accomplishment on GI-SCREEN



As of June, 2018



Cancer genome alteration, MSI, PD-L1, PD-L2 and clinical data (incl. outcome)

## Prevalence of microsatellite instability-high (MSI-H) or mismatch repair-deficient (dMMR) CRC: Cross-trial comparison

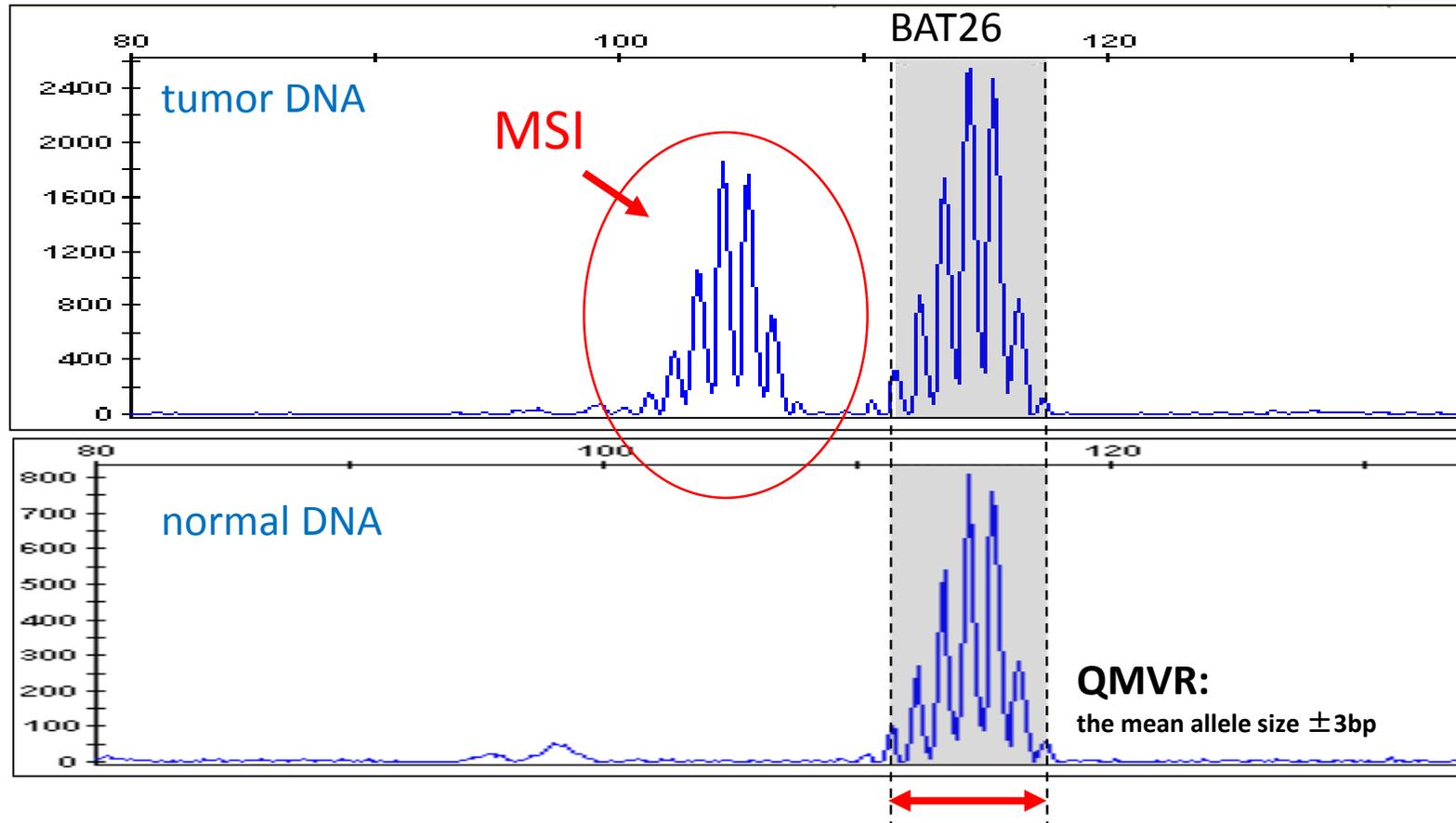
Trial Name	N	Prevalence of MSI-H/dMMR	Overlapping <i>BRAF</i> V600E mutation
Pooled dataset <sup>1</sup>	3,063	5.0%	34.6%
AIO Colorectal Study Group <sup>2</sup>	104	4 %	Not reported
Australia and United States <sup>3</sup>	NA	Not reported	30%
Review Article <sup>4</sup>	NA	3 - 5%	Not reported
<b>GI-SCREEN-JAPAN <sup>5</sup></b>	<b>853</b>	<b>1.9%</b>	<b>40%</b>
<b>NCCE <sup>6</sup></b>	<b>277</b>	<b>1.9%</b>	<b>40%</b>
<b>GI-SCREEN CRC - MSI *</b> <i>unpublished</i>			
<b>Universal Screening in Stage II and III <sup>+</sup></b> <i>unpublished</i>			

Note: GI-SCREEN-JAPAN is the Nationwide Cancer Genome Screening Project for Gastrointestinal Cancer in Japan: NA, not applicable:

\*Ongoing Prospective Observational Study as of 31<sup>st</sup> Mar, 2018; <sup>+</sup>Our institutional Data as of 31<sup>st</sup> Mar, 2018

# Quasi-monomorphic variation range: QMVR

Okamoto W, ..., Yoshino T. ESMO 2017



- The mean allele size of mononucleotide markers was generated from the normal DNA.
- QMVR was defined as the mean allele size  $\pm 3$ bp.
- Because of few variant alleles observed in Caucasians as well as in Asians, QMVR might be applicable as references.

- According to the pilot study performed by FALCO Biosystems, the QMVR in 149 healthy Japanese individuals were almost the same as those of the Caucasian group. <sup>(1)</sup>

	NR21	BAT26	BAT25	NR24	MONO27
Pilot study <sup>(1)</sup>	98.4-104.4	111.4-117.4	121.0-127.0	129.5-135.5	149.9-155.9
Patil DT, et al. <sup>(2)</sup>	98-104	112-118	121-127	129-135	149-155

- Three large Japanese cohorts suggested that the frequencies of variant alleles for 5 mononucleotide markers were rare. <sup>(1)</sup>

	NR21	BAT26	BAT25	NR24	MONO27
MSI analysis of GI-SCREEN 2013-01-CRC	4/602 (0.66%)	0/602 (0%)	3/602 (0.50%)	0/602 (0%)	0/602 (0%)
Saitama Cancer Center	3/774 (0.39%)	2/3320 (0.06%)	12/3320 (0.36%)	2/774 (0.26%)	Not evaluated
FALCO Biosystems	2/252 (0.79%)	0/252 (0%)	1/252 (0.40%)	0/252 (0%)	0/252 (0%)

(1) Bando H, et al. ASCO GI. 2017

(2) Patil DT, et al. Diagn Mol Pathol. 2012

# Schema of the clinical evaluation study

## Standard method (GI-SCREEN CRC-MSI study)

Tumor tissue

Normal tissue

DNA extraction

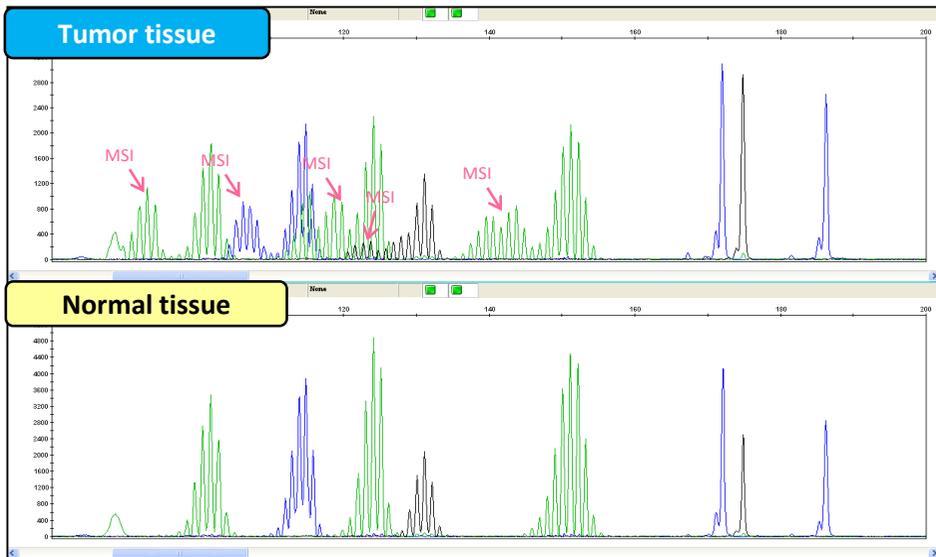
PCR

(NR-21, BAT-26, BAT-25, NR-24, MONO-27)

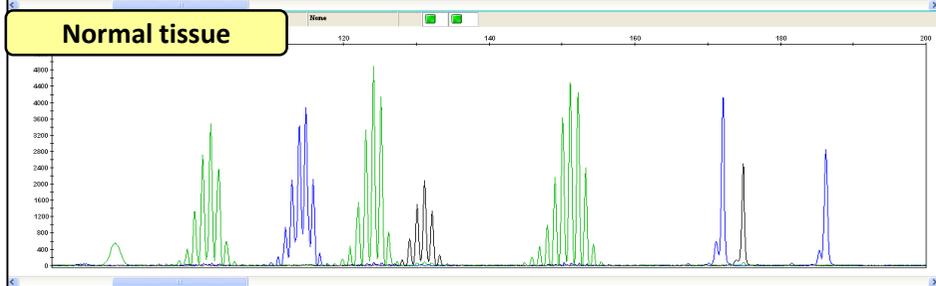
The Promega MSI testing was performed using genomic DNA extracted from both tumor and paired normal tissue.

Capillary electrophoresis

Tumor tissue



Normal tissue



Decision

The presence of MSI was determined by the appearance of new alleles in the tumor sample that were not present in the normal sample

## Testing method (This study)

Tumor tissue

DNA extraction

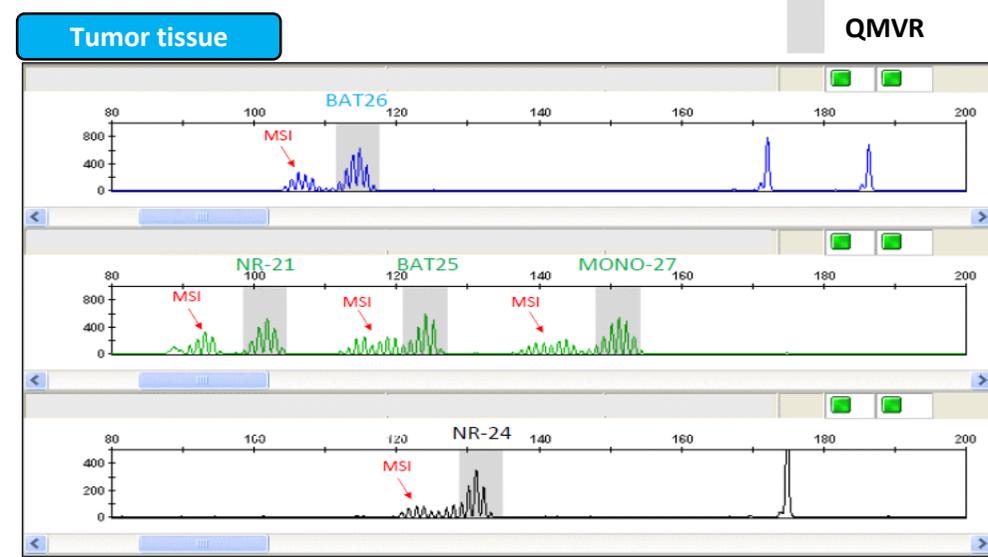
PCR (The New MSI kit)

(NR-21, BAT-26, BAT-25, NR-24, MONO-27)

The new MSI kits were manufactured under the Quality Management System (QMS) for in vitro diagnostics (IVDs).

Capillary electrophoresis

Tumor tissue



Decision

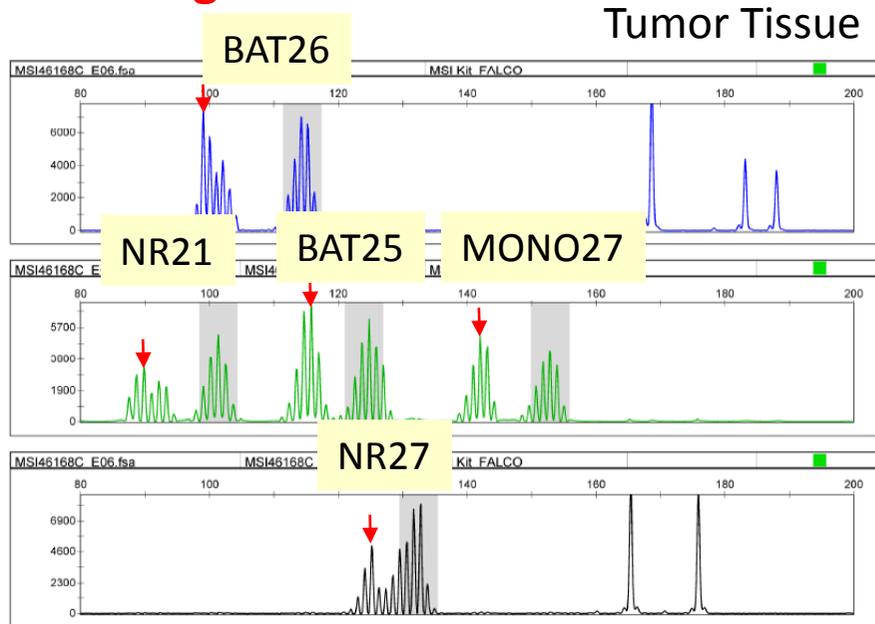
The presence of MSI was determined by appearance of the tumor allele peak outside the Quasi-Monomorphic Variation Range (QMVR)



# Can we adapt the findings from the CRC study to Non-CRC?

*-Our Experience-*

## MSI-High CRC



We will soon start the confirmatory study to investigate the concordance between MMR-IHC and MSI-PCR in Non-CRC, utilizing the SCRUM-Japan Platform before the launch of pembrolizumab.



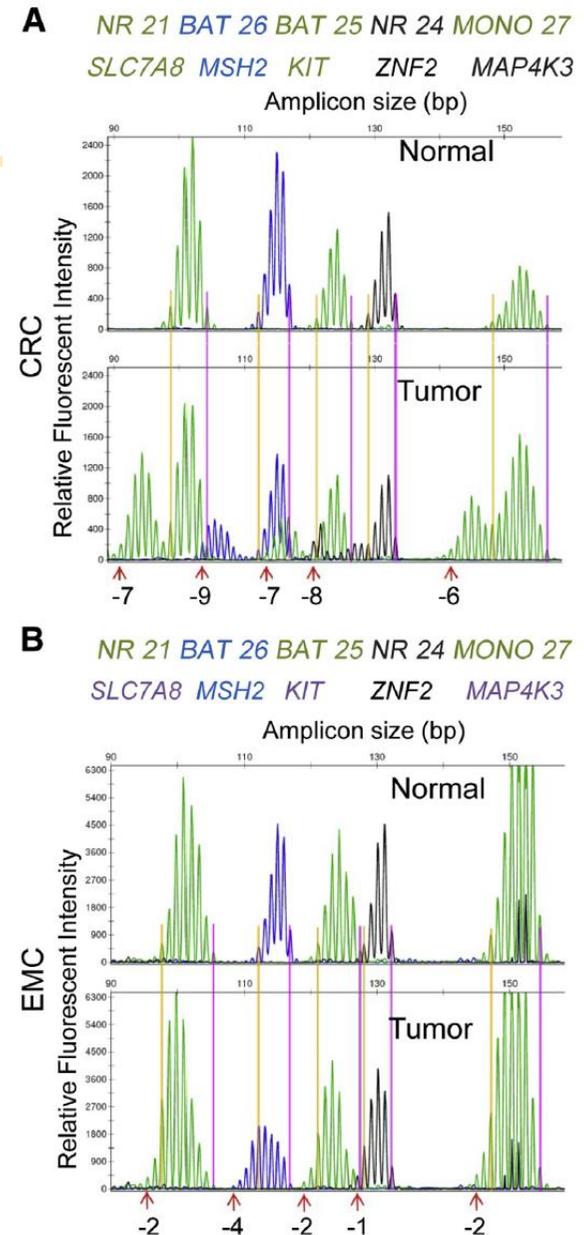
## Differences in Microsatellite Instability Profiles between Endometrioid and Colorectal Cancers

### *A Potential Cause for False-Negative Results?*

Yang Wang, Chanjuan Shi, Rosana Eisenberg, and Cindy L. Vnencak-Jones

From the Department of Pathology, Microbiology, and Immunology, Vanderbilt University Medical Center, Nashville, Tennessee

Colorectal (CRCs) and endometrioid (EMCs) cancers in patients with Lynch syndrome exhibit microsatellite instability (MSI) detected by PCR or immunohistochemistry (IHC). While both assays are equally sensitive for CRCs, some suggest that PCR has a higher false-negative rate than IHC in EMCs. We assessed the MSI profiles of 91 EMC and 311 CRC specimens using five mononucleotide repeat markers: BAT25, BAT26, NR21, NR24, and MONO27. EMCs with high MSI (MSI-H) showed a mean left shift of 3 nucleotides (nt), which was significantly different from 6 nt in CRCs. A shift of 1 nt was observed in multiple markers in 76% of MSI-H EMCs, whereas only 12% of MSI-H CRCs displayed a 1-nt shift in one of five markers. IHC against four mismatch repair proteins was performed in 78 EMCs. Loss of staining in one or more proteins was detected in 18 of 19 tumors that were MSI-H by PCR. When EMC tumor cell burden was diluted to <30%, MSI-H was no longer observed in two of three EMCs with a mean nucleotide shift of 1 nt. These results indicate that EMC and CRC MSI profiles are different and that caution should be exercised when interpreting the results, as subtle, 1-nt changes may be missed. These findings provide a potential cause of previously reported discordant MSI and IHC results in EMCs. (*J Mol Diagn* 2017, 19: 57–64; <http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/j.jmoldx.2016.07.008>)



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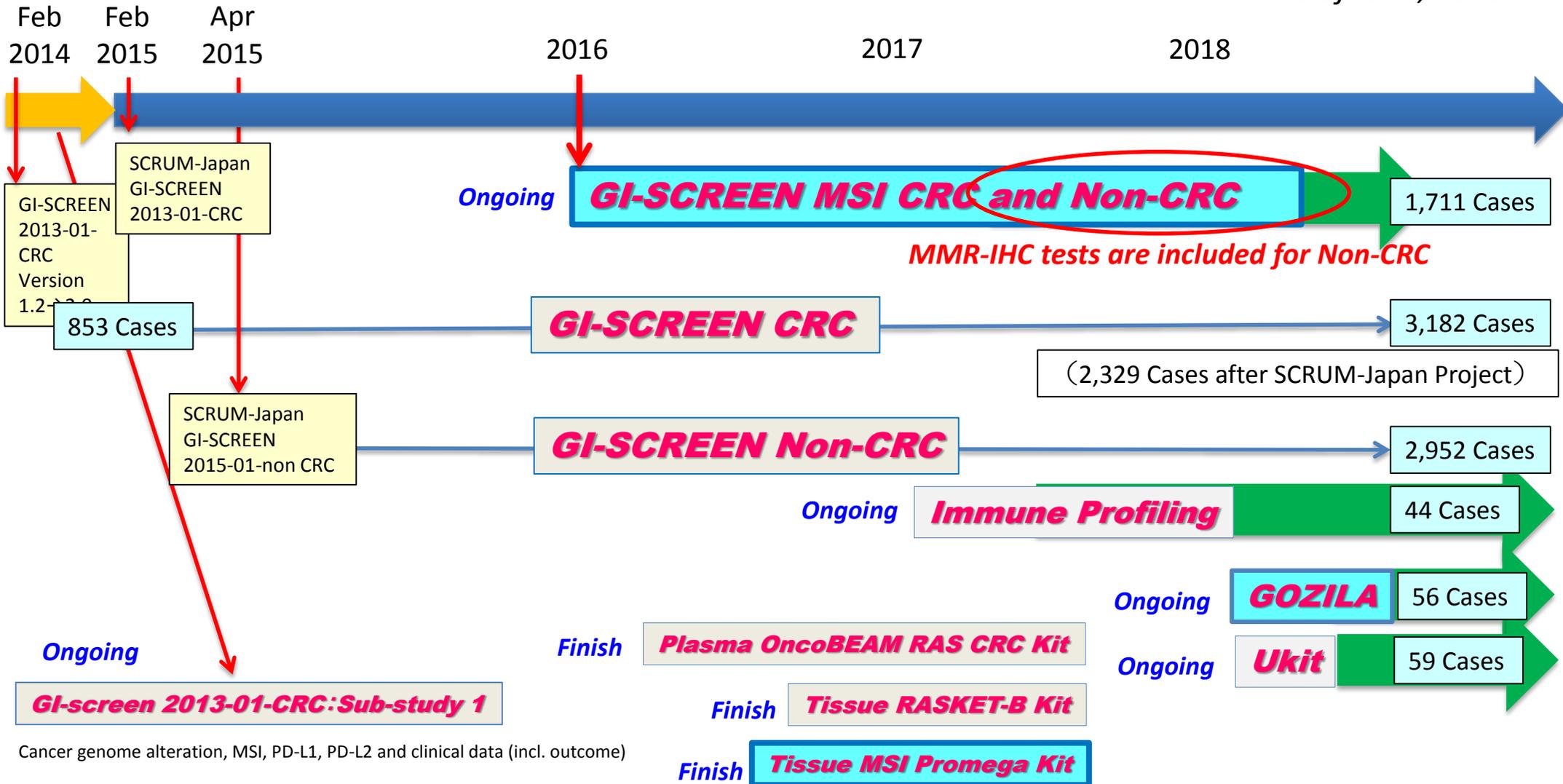
*-Our Experience- We also identified this difference in Ovarian and Breast Cancers.*

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# Accomplishment on GI-SCREEN



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# Clinical Questions

- Should all cancer patients be tested for MSI / MMR?
- When is the optimal timing for tests?
- Which tests are recommended?
- What is the appropriate biospecimen for tests?
- Which treatment is best for MSI-H / MMR-D patients, particularly for metastatic solid tumors?
- Which line of therapy should immunotherapy be used in MSI-H / MMR-D solid tumors ?

etc.

SPECIAL ARTICLE

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Pan-Asian adapted ESMO consensus guidelines for the management of patients with metastatic colorectal cancer: a JSMO–ESMO initiative endorsed by CSCO, KACO, MOS, SSO and TOS

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# Summary of Asian Recommendations including consideration of left-versus right-sided primary tumour location

Yoshino T, et al. *Annals of Oncology* 2018

## Molecular pathology and biomarkers

### *Recommendation 6 with revision: Tumour mismatch repair (MMR) testing*

- 6a. **Immunohistochemistry (IHC) tests for MMR proteins or PCR tests for microsatellite instability (MSI)** in the metastatic disease setting can assist clinicians in genetic counselling [ II , B ] .
- 6b. **Tumour MMR** testing has strong predictive value for the use of immune check-point inhibitors in the treatment of patients with mCRC [ II , B ] .

The frequency of DNA MMR deficiency in stage IV CRC is about 4–8% in Western countries [9], and about 1.9–3.7% in Japan [61, 62]. Since Asian experts view IHC and PCR as complementary techniques for evaluating tumour MMR deficiency, all the Asian experts agreed [A=100%] with the recommendations for tumour MMR testing accompanied by the modifications to *recommendations 6a and b* indicated in bold text above. They also all agreed that tumour MMR testing has strong predictive value for the use of immune check-point inhibitors in the treatment of mCRC patients [63, 64].

## ***Next Step: GL for MSI-High Solid Tumor***

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# What we learned from the US FDA Approval

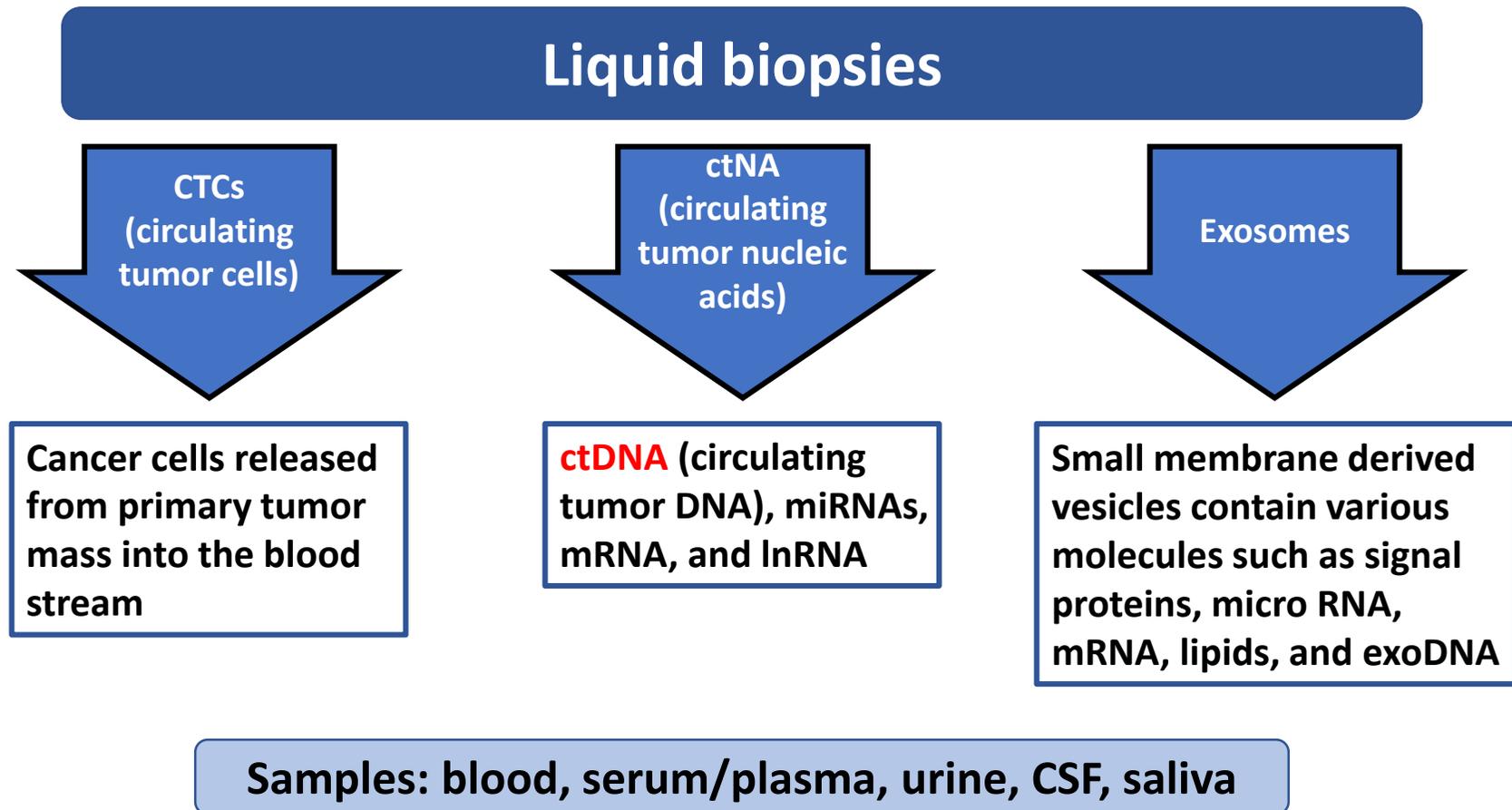
*Goal is to identify patients most likely to benefit from treatment*

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## Challenges in drug development for a tumor-agnostic indication

- Study design for providing evidence of clinical efficacy (*vs traditional randomized controlled studies*)
- Identification of study population

# Liquid Biopsy



# Advantages of ctDNA Analysis

- Minimal Invasiveness
- Rapid turnaround time
- Low cost of sampling procedure
- Capturing intratumoral heterogeneity

# A Comprehensive

### Point Mutations and Splice Site-Disruption

<i>AKT1</i>	<i>ALK</i>	<i>APC</i>	<i>AR</i>
<i>CCND1</i>	<i>CCND2</i>	<i>CCNE1</i>	<i>CDH1</i>
<i>ERBB2</i>	<i>ESR1</i>	<i>EZH2</i>	<i>FBXW7</i>
<i>GNAS</i>	<i>HNF1A</i>	<i>HRAS</i>	<i>IDH1</i>
<i>MAP2K2</i>	<i>MAPK1</i>	<i>MAPK3</i>	<i>MET</i>
<i>NOTCH1</i>	<i>NPM1</i>	<i>NRAS</i>	<i>NTRK1</i>
<i>RB1</i>	<i>RET</i>	<i>RHEB</i>	<i>RHOA</i>
<i>TP53</i>	<i>TSC1</i>	<i>VHL</i>	

### Indels – 23 Genes

<i>ATM</i>	<i>APC</i>	<i>ARID1A</i>	<i>BRCA1</i>
<i>KIT</i>	<i>MET</i>	<i>MLH1</i>	<i>MTOR</i>
<i>TP53</i>	<i>TSC1</i>	<i>VHL</i>	

### Amplifications – 18 Genes

<i>AR</i>	<i>BRAF</i>	<i>CCND1</i>	<i>CCND2</i>
<i>FGFR2</i>	<i>KIT</i>	<i>KRAS</i>	<i>MET</i>

### Fusions – 6 Genes

<i>ALK</i>	<i>FGFR2</i>	<i>FGFR3</i>	<i>RET</i>
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## The Guardant360® Assay Receives Expedited Access Pathway Designation for Breakthrough Devices from FDA

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REDWOOD CITY, Calif., Feb. 15, 2018 /PRNewswire/ -- The Guardant360® assay, the leading comprehensive liquid biopsy, received an Expedited Access Pathway (EAP) designation from the United States Food and Drug Administration, [Guardant Health](#) announced. If approved, the Guardant360 assay could be the first FDA-approved comprehensive liquid biopsy.

"This marks a critical milestone for our work with the FDA, and an important moment in the development of comprehensive liquid biopsies," said Guardant Health Co-Founder and President AmirAli Talasaz. "This designation allows us to work hand in hand with the FDA as we prepare our submission to the FDA later this year. Accomplishing this goal will be critical as we deepen our capabilities for our partners in the biopharma industry."

Guardant360 is a comprehensive liquid biopsy that helps oncologists select the optimal treatment for advanced cancer patients without the need for an invasive tissue biopsy. Guardant360 has been extensively validated and is supported by more than 20 clinical outcome studies. It is available in more than 30 countries.

The Expedited Access Pathway is intended to speed review of breakthrough technologies and medical devices that serve unmet medical needs. Through the program, the FDA will work with Guardant Health to finalize its data development plan, providing access to senior FDA officials and facilitating a collaborative, cross-disciplinary review. The FDA is expected to replace the EAP soon with its new Breakthrough Devices Program. Premarket Approval Applications from EAP-designated devices typically receive priority review at the FDA, and all submissions designated as Breakthrough Devices are set to receive priority review.

"Our FDA submission for Guardant360 is Guardant Health's top priority for 2018," said Guardant Health Co-Founder and CEO Helmy Eltoukhy. "The ability to tap into the FDA's expertise and support will be invaluable as we work toward our goal of seeking the first FDA approval for a comprehensive liquid biopsy."

# Simultaneous Press Release from Japan and USA



To the press

## SCRUM–Japan GI–SCREEN Aims for Realizing of Cancer Precision Medicine Utilizing Liquid Biopsy by Analyzing Comprehensive Cancer Genome Alterations in Blood

March 13, 2018

National Cancer Center, Japan

In February 2018, National Cancer Center (President, Dr. Hitoshi Nakagama, Tokyo, Japan) and National Cancer Center Hospital East (Director, Dr. Atsushi Ohtsu, Kashiwa, Japan) launched a new project “Research on Liquid Biopsy in Patients with Advanced Gastrointestinal Cancers”. This study is conducted using a highly sensitive genetic analysis technology “Guardant360® assay” as part of a Nationwide cancer genome screening project for various gastrointestinal cancer, “SCRUM–Japan GI–SCREEN”. The Guardant360® assay, developed by Guardant Health in the U.S. is a new diagnostic technique capable of analyzing fragments of tumor DNA circulating in the blood by next-generation sequencer technology, and providing cancer genetic information accurately and quickly. As conventional tumor tissue biopsies are highly invasive, biopsies of multiple regions and repeated biopsies can cause significant risk to the patients and delays in reaching a treatment decision. However, liquid biopsy is minimally invasive and enables the analysis of fragments of tumor DNA circulating in the blood. For these reasons, it can overcome the problems faced by tumor tissue biopsy.

## Guardant Health and National Cancer Center East Japan Announce Liquid Biopsy Arm of GI Cancer Trial

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REDWOOD CITY, Calif., March 12, 2018 /PRNewswire/ -- The Guardant360® assay, the leading comprehensive liquid biopsy, will be used to launch a new arm of a nationwide trial run by SCRUM–Japan GI–SCREEN, organized by the National Cancer Center Hospital East (NCCE), Kashiwa, Japan. The study will match patients with advanced gastrointestinal (GI) cancer, including gastric and colorectal cancer (CRC), to novel therapies in clinical trials that target specific gene alterations.

GOZILA (Guardant Originates in ZIpangu Liquid biopsy Arrival) trial will initially use Guardant360 to test 200 advanced CRC patients in Japan whose cancer has progressed after standard treatment with anti-EGFR therapy. Those who test positive for amplification in the *ERBB2* gene will be enrolled in a clinical trial exploring the effectiveness of changing to an anti-ERBB2 combination targeted therapy with trastuzumab + pertuzumab (Clinical trial information: UMIN000030505). The study will expand to include 2,000 patients with a variety of GI cancers and treatment arms.

“We are more than happy to collaborate with Guardant Health to investigate new therapeutic options for patients with GI cancers. Other treatment arms will open in the upcoming year,” said GI–SCREEN Principal Investigator Dr. Takayuki Yoshino.

The study is part of a larger effort in Japan, called SCRUM–Japan GI–SCREEN, to assess the genomic profile of patients with advanced cancer in their GI tracts and match them to associated targeted therapies.

“We are excited to be working with NCCE Japan to help study new therapeutic options for patients in Japan with GI cancers,” said Guardant Health CEO Helmy Eltoukhy. “Tumors that metastasize from the GI tract can be especially difficult to access, making tissue specimen collection challenging. Through a simple blood draw, we can help match these patients to the experimental treatments being studied by NCCE Japan.”

# GI-SCREEN GOZILA Project

## Umbrella & Basket Clinical Trials (IIS Only to be listed)

### based on NGS-Based Liquid Screening

- Each arm to have a junior/senior investigator leadership team
- Flexible design: arms open and close with best available science

#### GOZILA Project

Guardant Originates in Zipangu Liquid biopsy Arrival

Nationwide Genome Screening Project  
**SCRUM-Japan GI-SCREEN**  
 24 sites



**CRC cohort, N = 1,000**

- Before anti-EGFR, N = 500
- Refractory to anti-EGFR, N = 500

**CRC Only**

**Non-CRC cohort, N = 1,000**

- Gastric cancer, N = 300
- Esophageal cancer, N = 150
- Hepatocellular carcinoma, N = 100
- Biliary tract cancer, N = 150
- Pancreatic cancer, N = 100
- Neuroendocrine tumor/carcinoma, N = 50
- GIST, N = 100
- Others, N = 50

**Non-GI Cancer cohort, N = 100**

**Pan Cancer**

ctDNA analysis

ctDNA analysis

HER2 Positive

Trastuzumab + Pertuzumab (TRIUMPH)

BRAF V600E MT

Eribulin (BRAVERY)

BRAF Non-V600E MT

Binimetinib + Encorafenib + Cetuximab (BIG BANG)

MET Amplification

Drug A + Drug B  
FPI, 1Q, 2019

bTMB-High Cancer

Nivolumab (TMB-H basket)  
FPI, 3Q, 2018

Any X alteration

X-targeted Tx  
FPI, 1Q, 2019

Any Y alteration

Y-targeted Tx  
FPI, 4Q, 2019

# Global Collaboration for ctDNA Analysis to elucidate the Clinical Utility



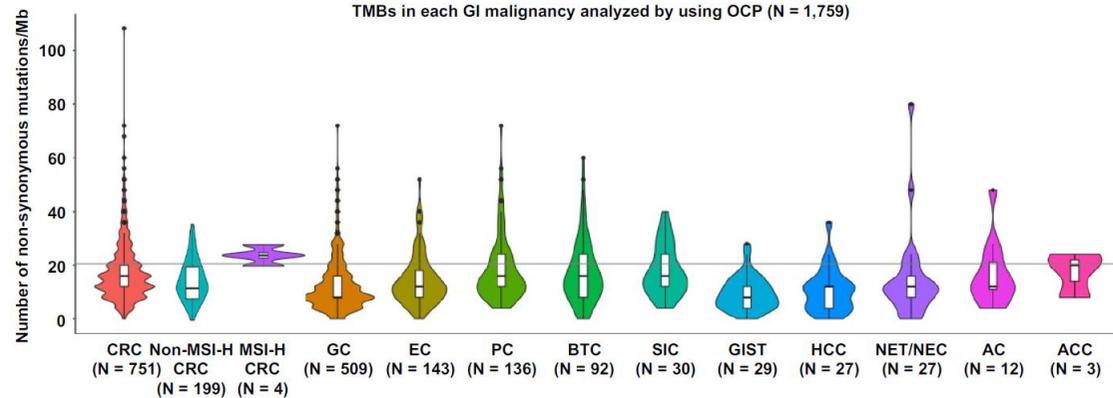
## Opportunities for collaboration

- Pooling and comparing cfDNA profiling results
- Pooling efficacy results (of similar trials)
- Develop novel concepts utilizing blood-based biomarkers
- International multi-site trials for extremely rare targets (FGFR, RET, NTRK1/2/3)
- Pool data for establishing cutoffs (copy number corrected, etc)

## Next steps

- Follow up at GI ASCO, potentially ESMO – update progress on treatment arms, collaborative data sharing
- Proposal: COLOMATE-GOZILA investigator summit at Mayo CME conference (San Diego, CA) in March 2019
  - Will include pharma collaborators

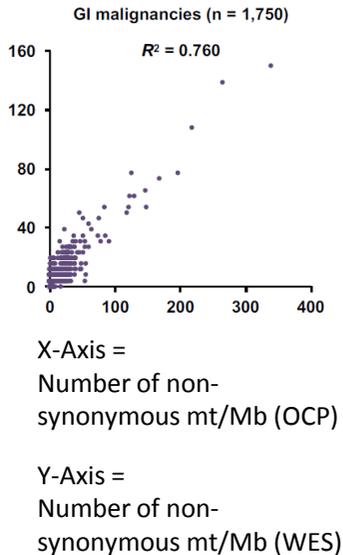
# TMBs Across Various Advanced GI Malignancies in GI-SCREEN & Collaboration with Certain Companies



- The OCP panel can assess TMB with a high correlation with WES.
- TMB varied widely across various advanced GI malignancies.
- TMB analysis may be used as an agnostic histologic indicator to identify patients with GI malignancies who can benefit from immunotherapy

Nakamura Y, Yoshino T. ASCO 2018

	N	Median TMB, mt/Mb (Range)	Frequency of TMB > 20 mt/Mb, %
CRC	751	15.3 (0.0 - 103.6)	23.6
Non-MSI-H	199	15.3 (0.0 - 34.5)	17.1
MSI-H	4	23.0 (19.2 - 26.8)	75.0
GC	509	7.7 (0.0 - 69.0)	13.3
EC	143	11.5 (0.0 - 49.9)	17.5
PC	136	15.3 (3.8 - 69.0)	27.9
BTC	92	15.3 (0.0 - 57.5)	26.1
SIC	30	15.3 (3.8 - 38.4)	30.0
GIST	29	7.7 (0.0 - 26.8)	6.9
HCC	27	11.5 (0.0 - 34.5)	7.4
NET/NEC	27	11.5 (0.0 - 76.7)	14.8
AC	12	11.5 (3.8 - 46.0)	25.0
ACC	3	19.2 (7.7 - 23.0)	33.3



# TMB-H Basket | Nivolumab for TMB-H GI Cancers

*From September, 2018*

- ❑ **Advanced GI cancers refractory or intolerant to standard chemotherapy**
  - Colorectal cancer
  - Gastric cancer
  - Esophageal cancer
  - Others (Biliary tract cancer, Pancreatic cancer, Hepatocellular carcinoma, Small intestine cancer, Appendiceal cancer, Anal canal cancer, Neuroendocrine tumor/carcinoma, GIST)
- ❑ **Tumor mutation burden-high identified by Guardant360**



**Nivolumab**  
3 mg/kg DIV, Q2W  
until PD

**Sample size:** 70 (40 at 1<sup>st</sup> sate, 30 at 2<sup>nd</sup> stage)

**Study design:** Bayesian two-stage adaptive design

**Primary endpoint:** Objective response rate (ORR) by RECIST v1.1

**Secondary endpoints:** Progression-free survival (PFS) by RECIST v1.1 and irRECIST, Duration of response (DoR) by RECIST v1.1 and irRECIST, Disease control rate (DCR) by RECIST v1.1 and irRECIST, Overall survival (OS), Incidences of adverse events

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# Prospective registry study for control data at CTD evaluation : SCRUM-Japan Registry (since 07/2017)

## ◆ Data collection for efficacy

### ① Following data collection in each line

**Tx**

➤ **ORR : Objective Response Rate**

➤ **DoR : Duration of Response**

➤ **DCR : Disease Control Rate**

➤ **PFS : Progression Free Survival**

➤ **TTF : Time to Treatment Failure**

② **OS : Overall Survival**

## Subjects for SCRUM registry

Lung cancer

LC-SCRUM	target	Freq.(%)*	Estimated sample size
Non-sq NSCLC	RET fusion	3.0	60
	MET ex14skip	4.8	97
	MET amp	1.0	20
	ERBB2 mut	6.2	124
	ERBB2 amp	2.0	40
	Sq NSCLC	FGFR1 amp	10.0
	FGFR2 amp	0.6	2
	FGFR3 fusion	0.6	2
	PIK3CA amp	14.4	43
	PIK3CA mut	6.8	20
total			438

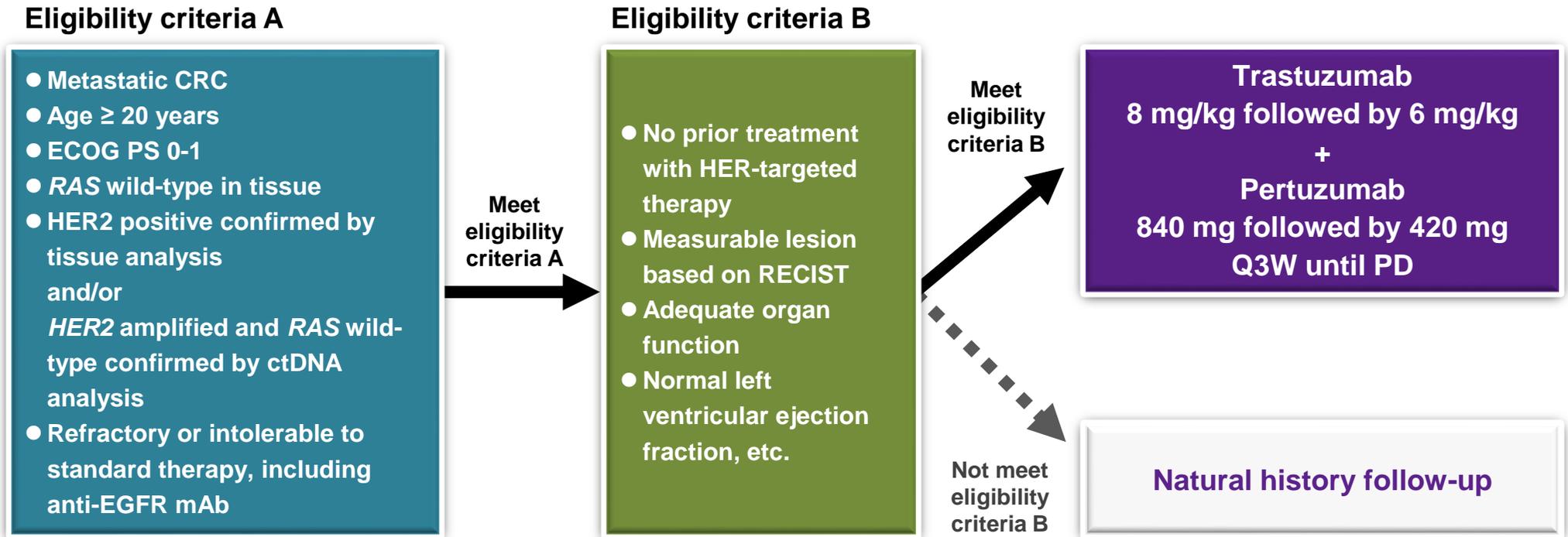
GI cancers

GI-SCREEN	target	Freq (%)*	Estimated sample size
CRC	BRAF mut	9.9	99
	ERBB2 amp	3.1	31
	MET amp	0.4	4
	NTRK fus	0	0
	RSPO2 fus	-	-
	RSPO3 fus	-	-
	RNF43 mut	-	-
	BRAF mut	9.9	99
	GC	FGFR2 amp	3.0
	MET amp	2.3	11
EC	ERBB2 amp	2.8	4
	PIK3CA mut	7.3	11
	PIK3CA amp	1.8	3
Biliary tract cancer	FGFR2 fusion	0	0
	ERBB2 amp	1.6	3
	IDH1 mut	4.8	8
Pancreatic ca	BRCA2 mut	1.0	2
	ATM mut	1.9	4
	PALB2 mut	-	-
total			195

\*: frequency in the SCRUM-Japan previous cohort

# TRIUMPH Study Design

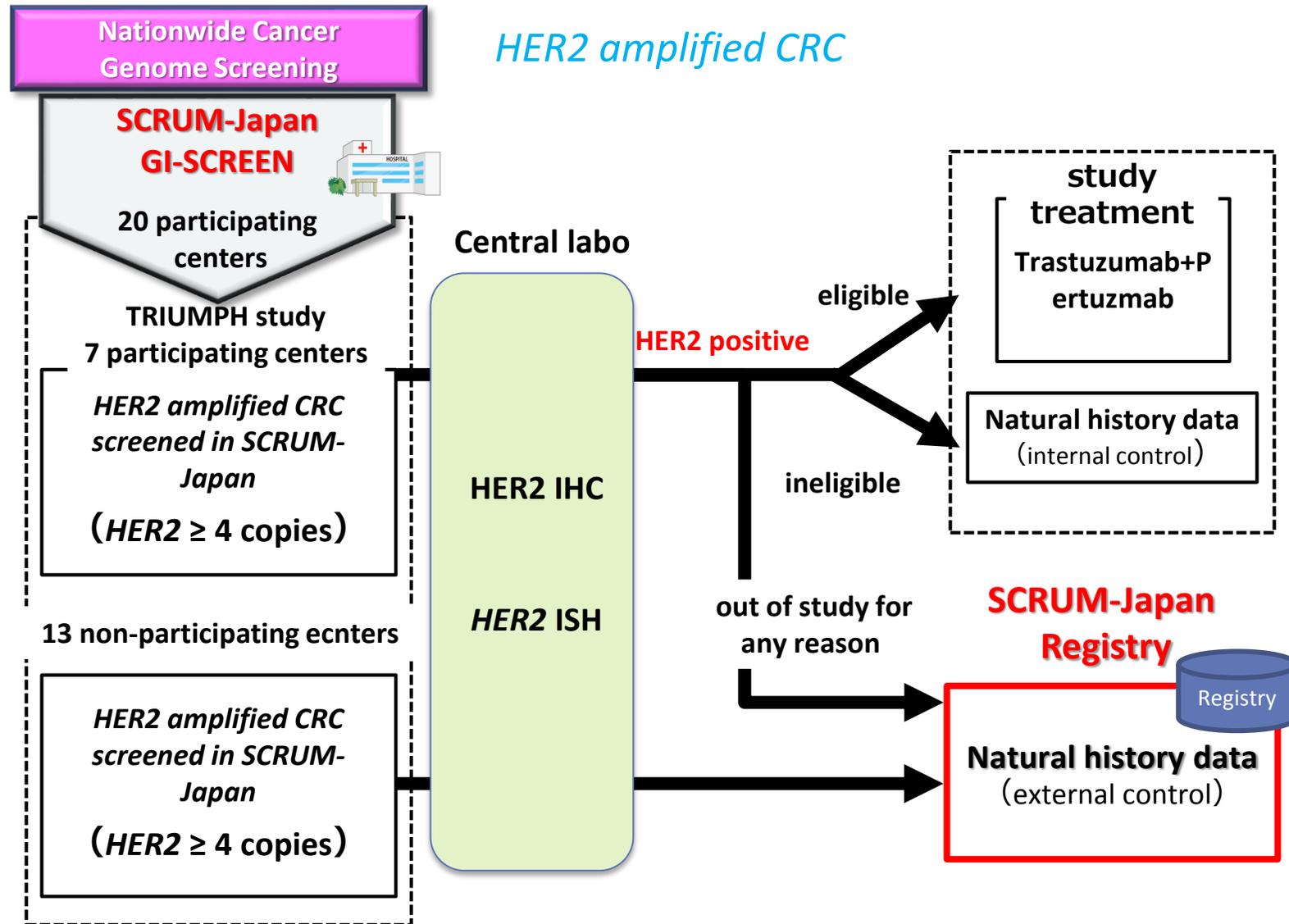
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- ❑ Design: Unblinded, single-arm, multi-center phase II study
- ❑ Primary endpoint\*: Objective response rate (ORR) by investigator's assessment
- ❑ Secondary endpoints\*: PFS, DoR, TTF, DCR, OS, Incidence of adverse events, Efficacy of the previous anti-EGFR treatment
- ❑ Sample size: 18 patients (25 patients, if enrolled at good rate)

\* Endpoints will be evaluated in each analysis set with HER2 positive in tissue or ctDNA

# Ongoing investigator-initiated IND registration study for orphan-fractionated cancer associated with registry data collection: TRIUMPH study / SCRUM-Japan Registry



International Harmonization of Diagnostic Criteria for *HER2*-Amplified Metastatic Colorectal Cancer, collaborated with SWOG-USA, HERACLES-Italy, and Korea

# Prospective collaboration for HER-2 +ve for mCRC

## TRIUMPH Study

- HER2-positive mCRC
- Age  $\geq$  20 years
- ECOG PS 0-1
- RAS wild-type
- Refractory or intolerable to standard therapy, including anti-EGFR mab

Meet  
eligibility



Trastuzumab  
8 mg/kg followed by 6 mg/kg  
+  
Pertuzumab  
840 mg followed by 420 mg  
Q3W until PD

Not meet  
eligibility



Natural history follow-up

**Prospective combination for regulatory approval**

Natural history follow-up

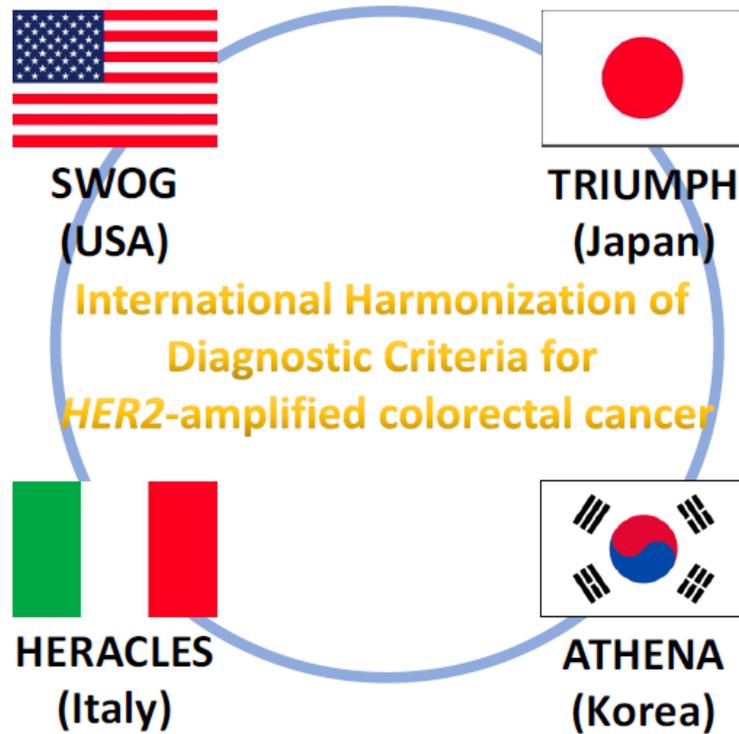


Trastuzumab  
+  
Pertuzumab  
+  
Atezolizumab

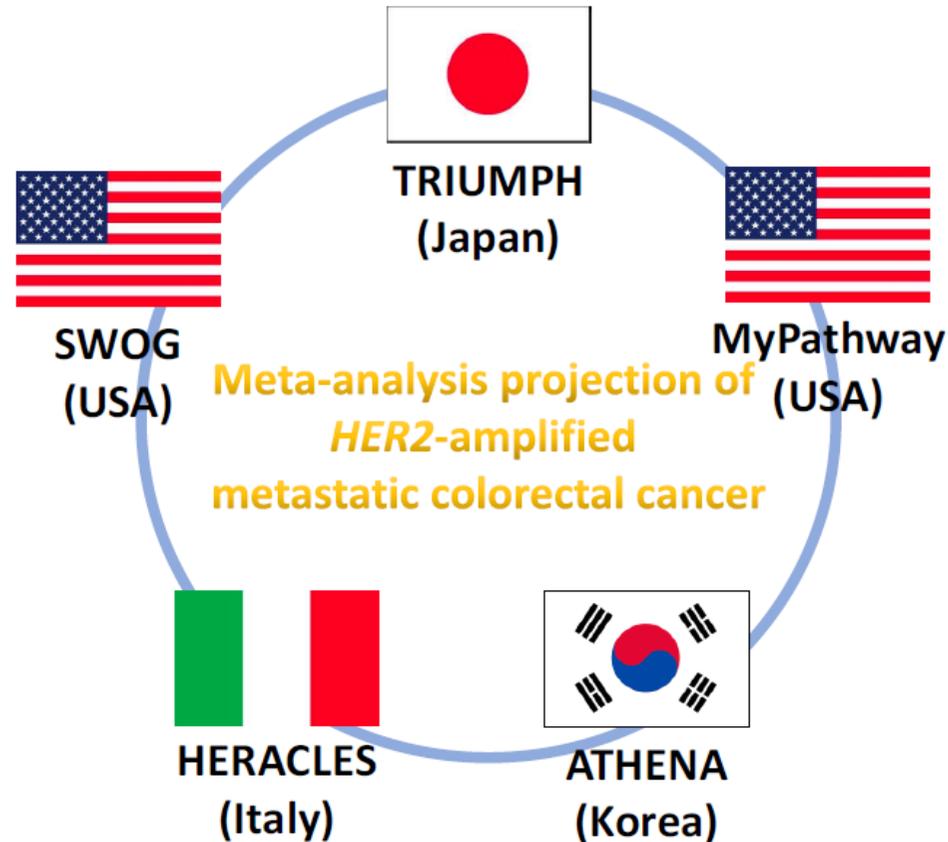
## KOREAN Study

- HER2-positive mCRC
- Age  $\geq$  20 years
- ECOG PS 0-1
- RAS wild-type
- Refractory or intolerable to standard therapy, including anti-EGFR mab

# Global Collaboration for HER2 Positive mCRC



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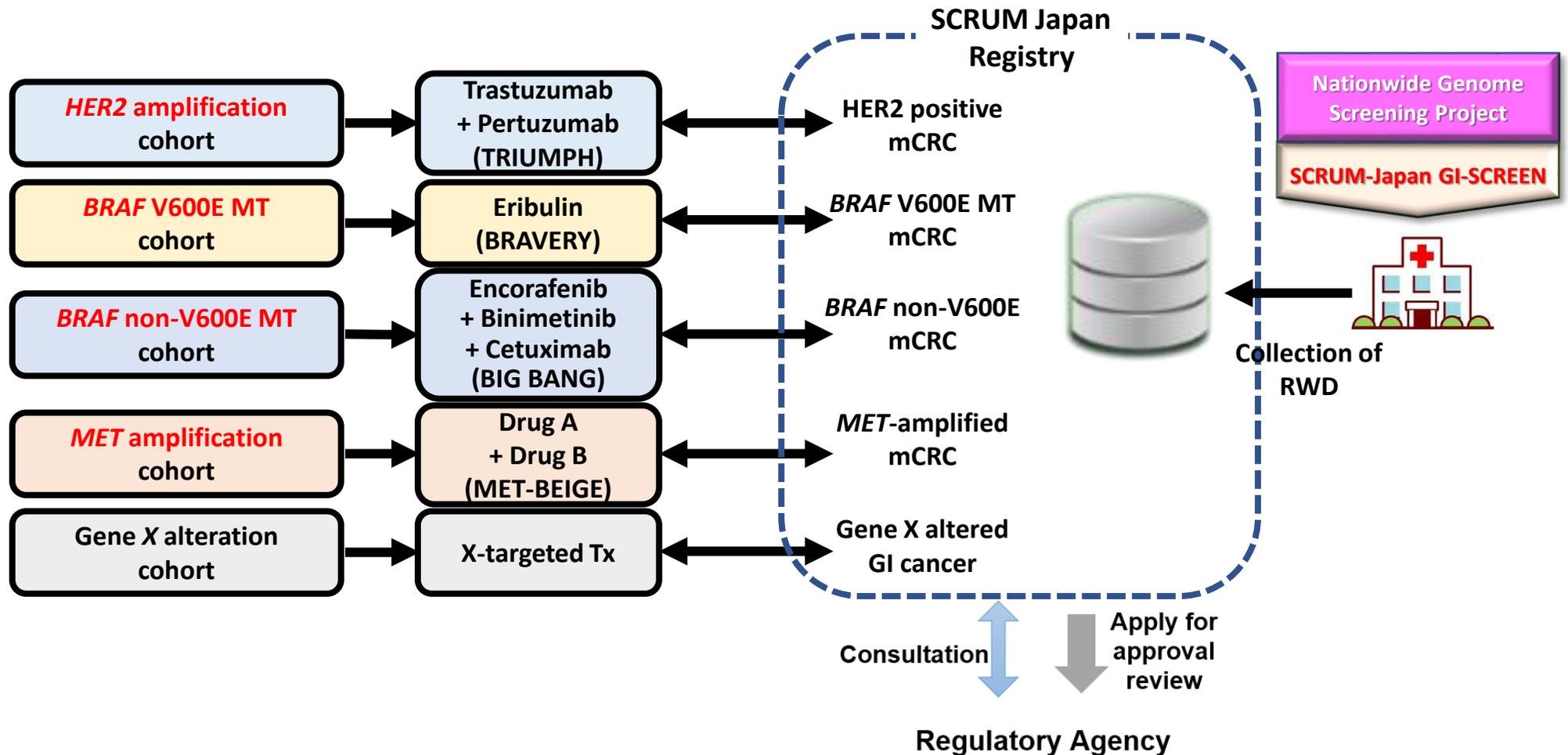


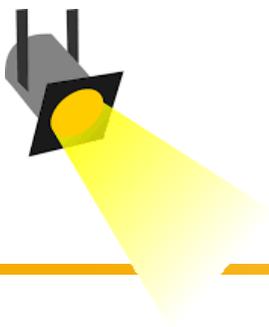
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# Utilization of Real World Data | Comparison of Endpoints in Each Sub-study with Data in SCRUM Japan Registry





# Conclusion

- **TODAY:**

- Elucidate the prevalence & characteristics of MSI-High Pan-Cancer before the launch

- **TOMORROW:**

- New Guideline Projection with US Investigators (Dr. Axel Grothey as one of co-chairs)

- **THE DAY AFTER TOMORROW:**

- Further identification of study population for a tumor-agnostic indication

- Utilization of RWD for approval

- International Collaboration to get approval from regulators, incl. FDA, EMA and PMDA

*Our mission is to provide an engaging smile on patients' face, prioritized for cancer patients.*

## 第1部 SCRUM-Japanの成果 10:10-12:55

# Achievement of SCRUM-Japan: The Nationwide Cancer Genome Screening Project

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