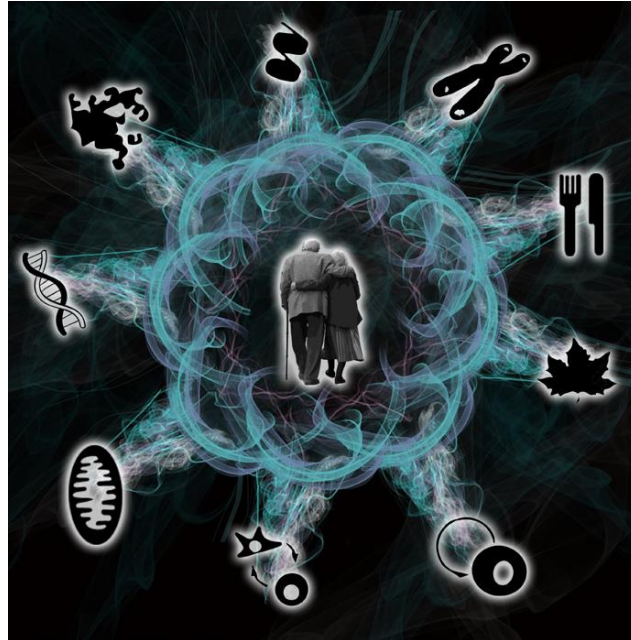


# Microbiota studies in cancer



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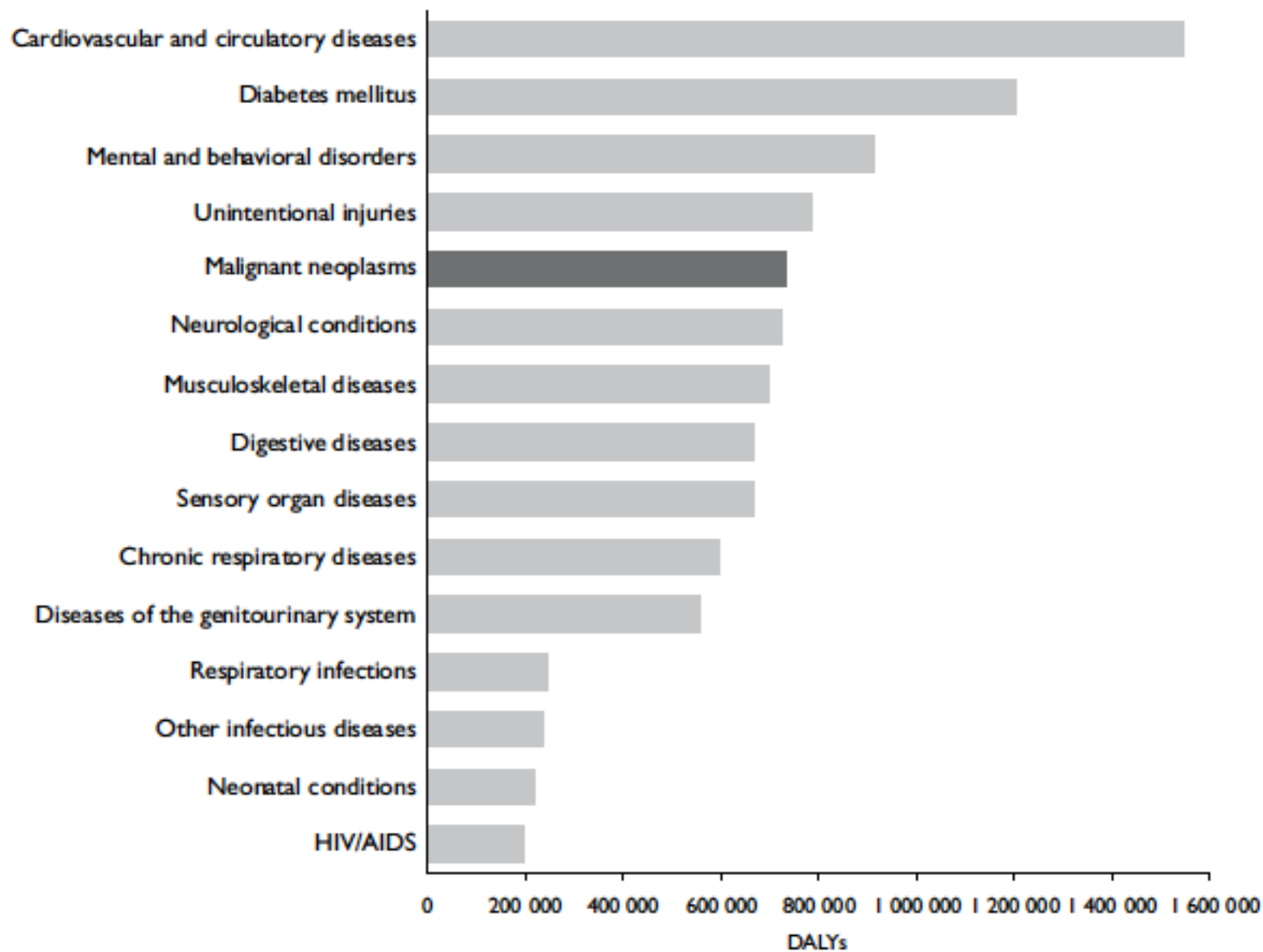
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# **Gastric and biliary tract cancer**

- **GC is the second cause of death due to all cancer worldwide.**
- **GC and BTC are diseases of very poor prognosis, particularly in developing countries.**
- **The success in treatment rely on an early diagnosis.**

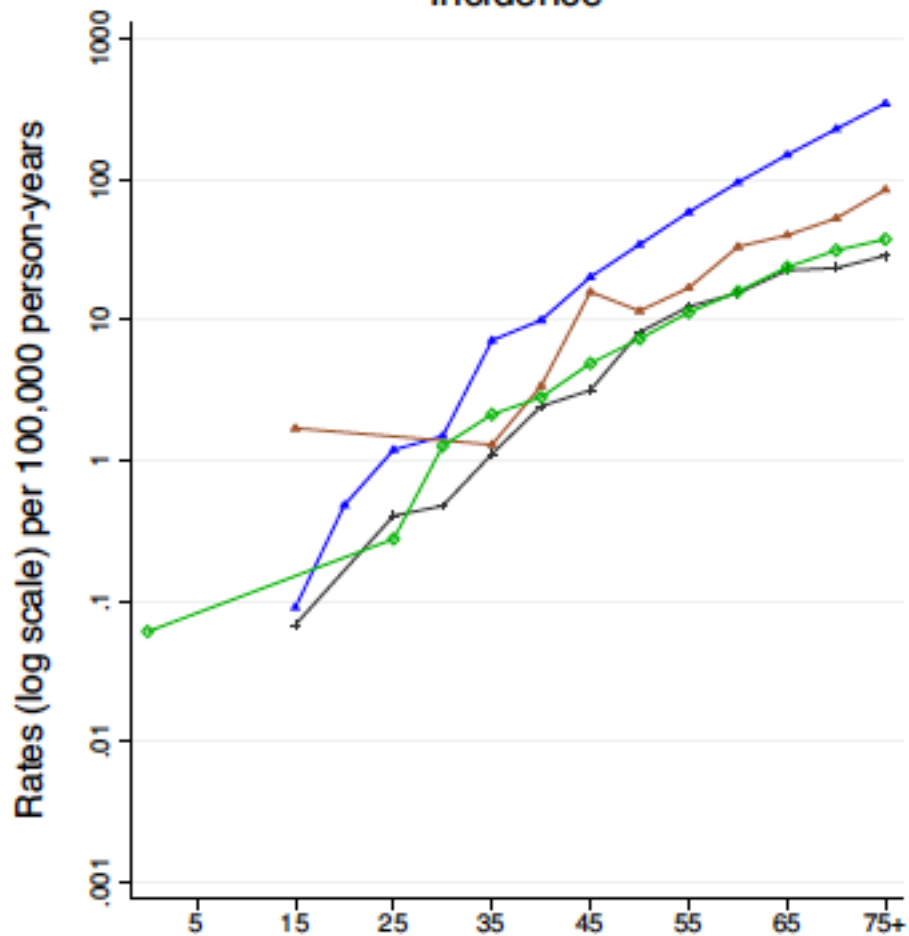
# Impact in México

- **It is estimated that, only during the first year of medical attention, direct cost related to gastric and breast cancer in México sum up approximately 2 thousand million pesos.**
- **In Mexico cancer is the third leading cause of death, with 128,000 new cases each year.**
- **Considering the demographic trend in our country, OMS estimate that by year 2020 the number of patients affected by cancer will duplicate.**

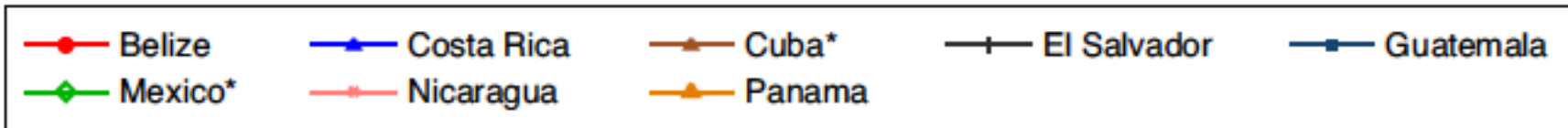
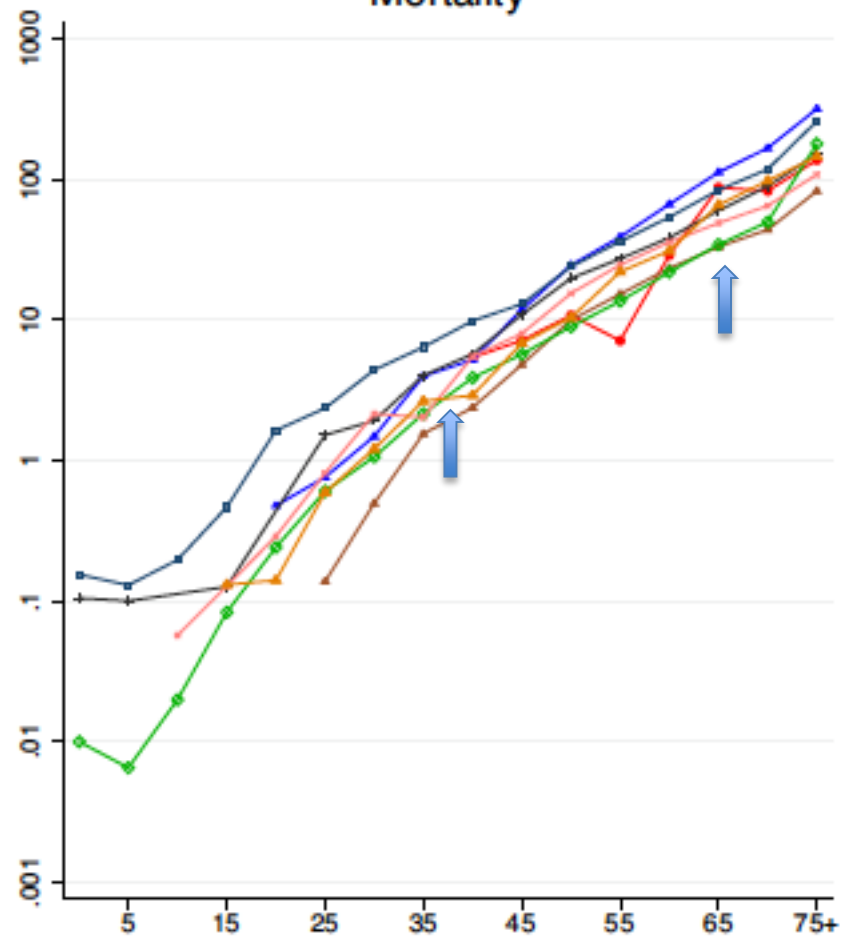


**FIGURE I. FIFTEEN MAJOR CAUSES OF DISEASE BURDEN MEASURED VIA DISABILITY-ADJUSTED LIFE YEARS (DALYs). MEXICO, IMSS 2010**

Incidence



Mortality



Tasas de incidencia y mortalidad de cáncer gástrico en América central-norte, por edad.

## Multivariate logistic regression analysis showing interaction of DQA\*04:01 allele with other risk factors

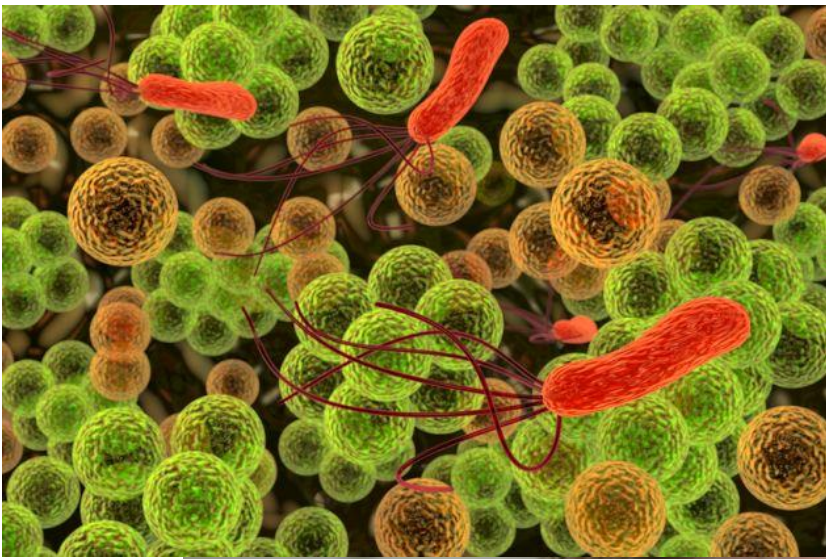
Disease	Variable	$\beta$ coefficient	Wald $X^2$	<i>p</i>	OR (95% CI) <sup>a</sup>
Non-Atrophic Gastritis	04:01 <sup>b</sup>	0.14	0.62	0.430	1.15 (0.81-1.65)
	male	-0.29	2.67	0.102	0.74 (0.53-1.06)
	> 50 years	0.64	12.9	<0.0001	1.89 (1.34-2.69)
	<i>Hp</i> +	0.22	1.36	0.244	1.25 (0.85-1.82)
	04:01 <sup>b</sup>	0.43	2.14	0.143	1.54 (0.86-2.75)
Intestinal Metaplasia	male	0.40	1.78	0.182	1.50 (0.83-2.71)
	> 50 years	2.46	65.6	<0.0001	11.7 (6.44-21.2)
	<i>Hp</i> +	1.01	7.07	0.008	2.74 (1.3-5.78)
	04:01 <sup>b</sup>	0.87	13.7	<0.0001	2.38 (1.5-3.8)
Gastric Cancer	male	1.04	18.29	<0.0001	2.85 (1.76-4.6)
	> 50 years	2.69	118.1	<0.0001	14.8 (9.1-24.0)
	<i>Hp</i> +	-0.02	0.007	0.932	0.98 (0.59-1.63)
	04:01 <sup>b</sup>	0.87	13.7	<0.0001	2.38 (1.5-3.8)

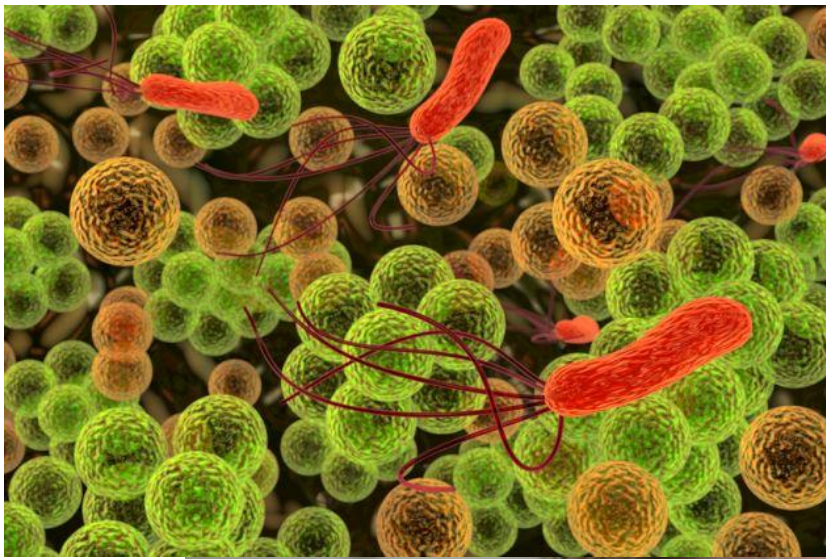


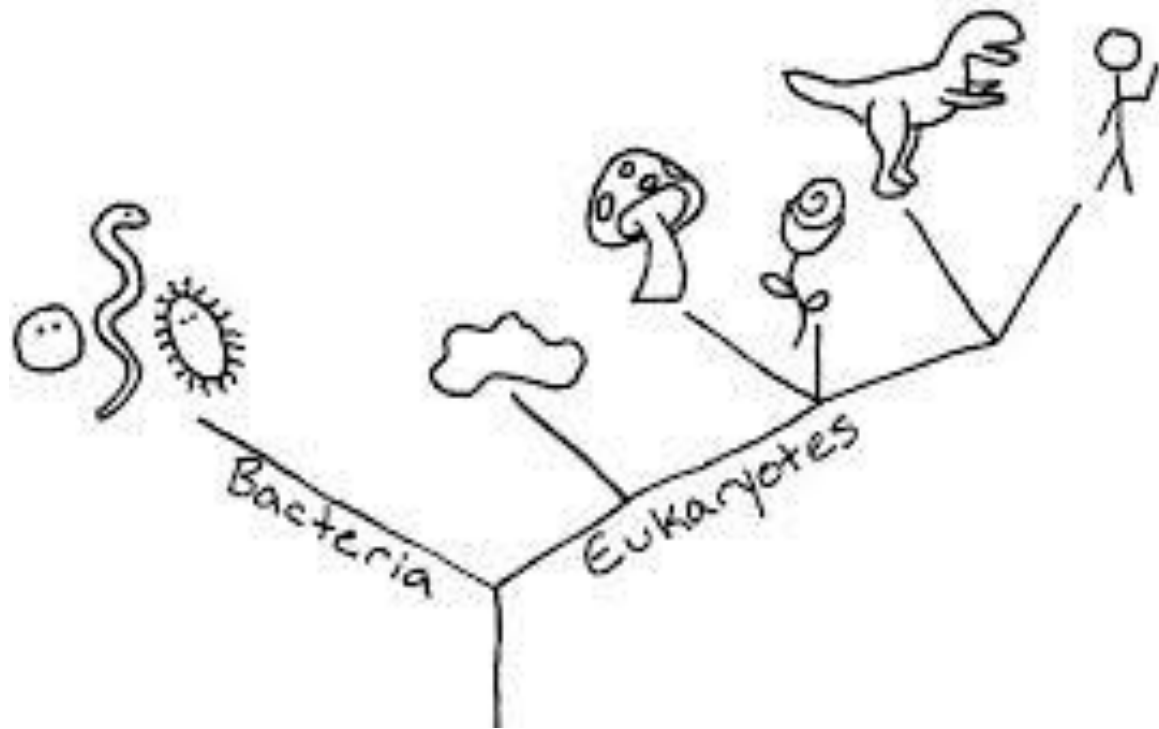
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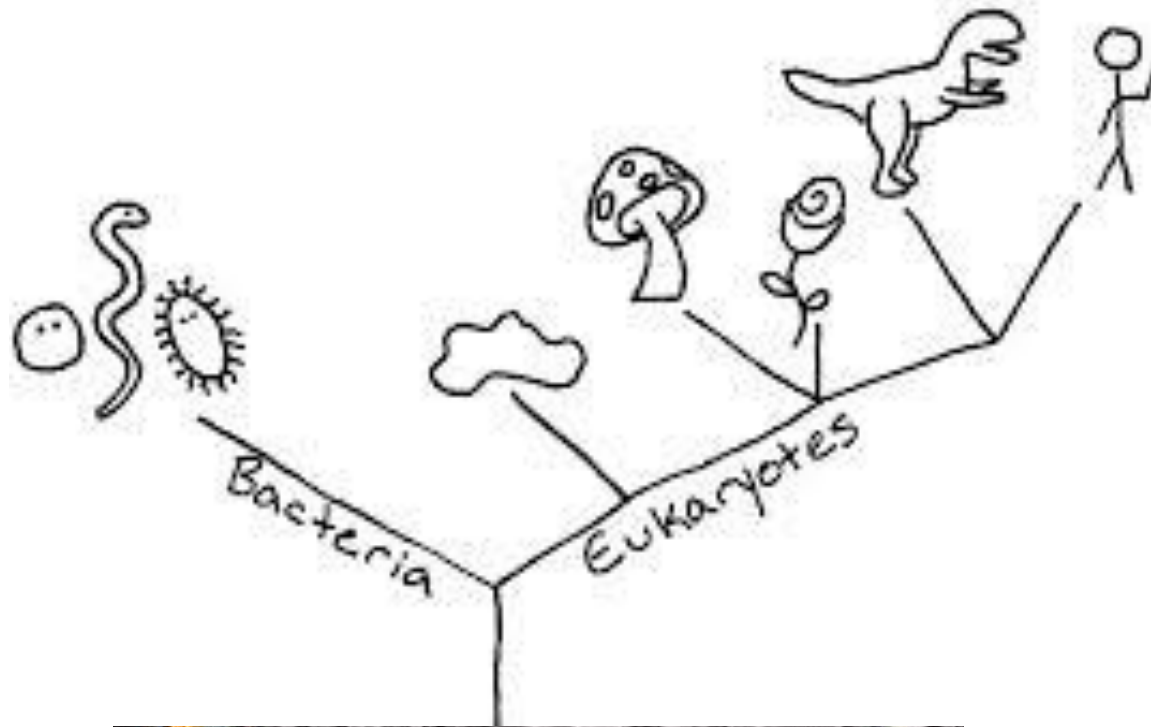
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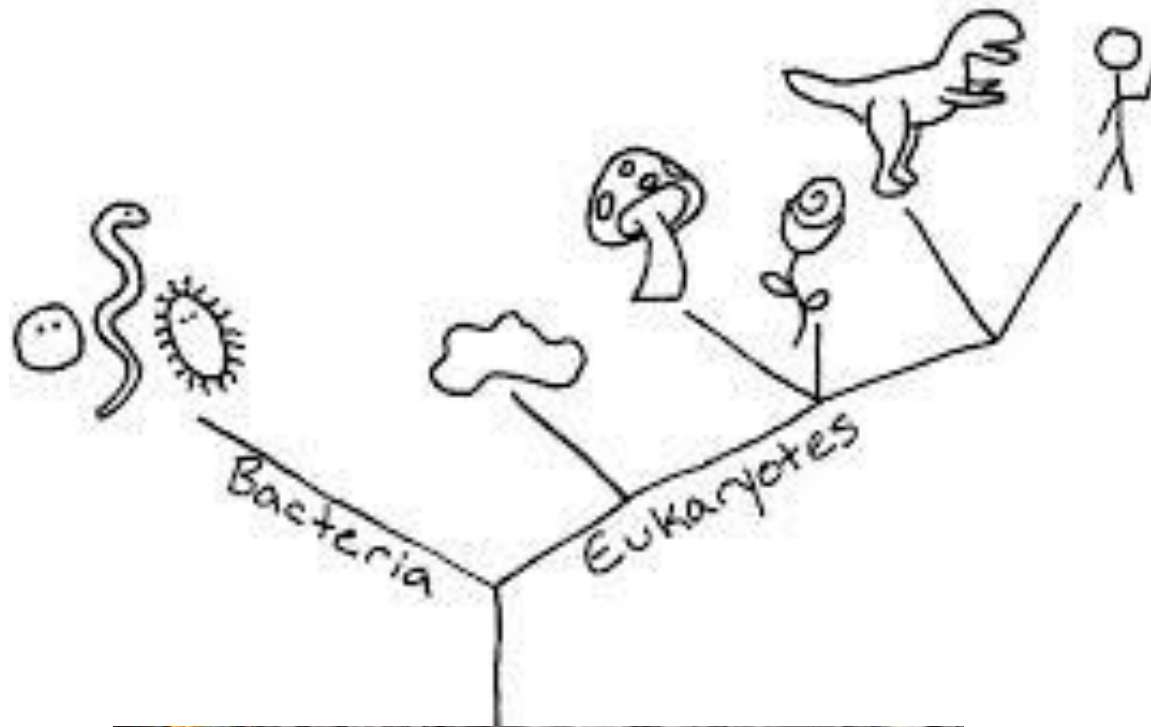
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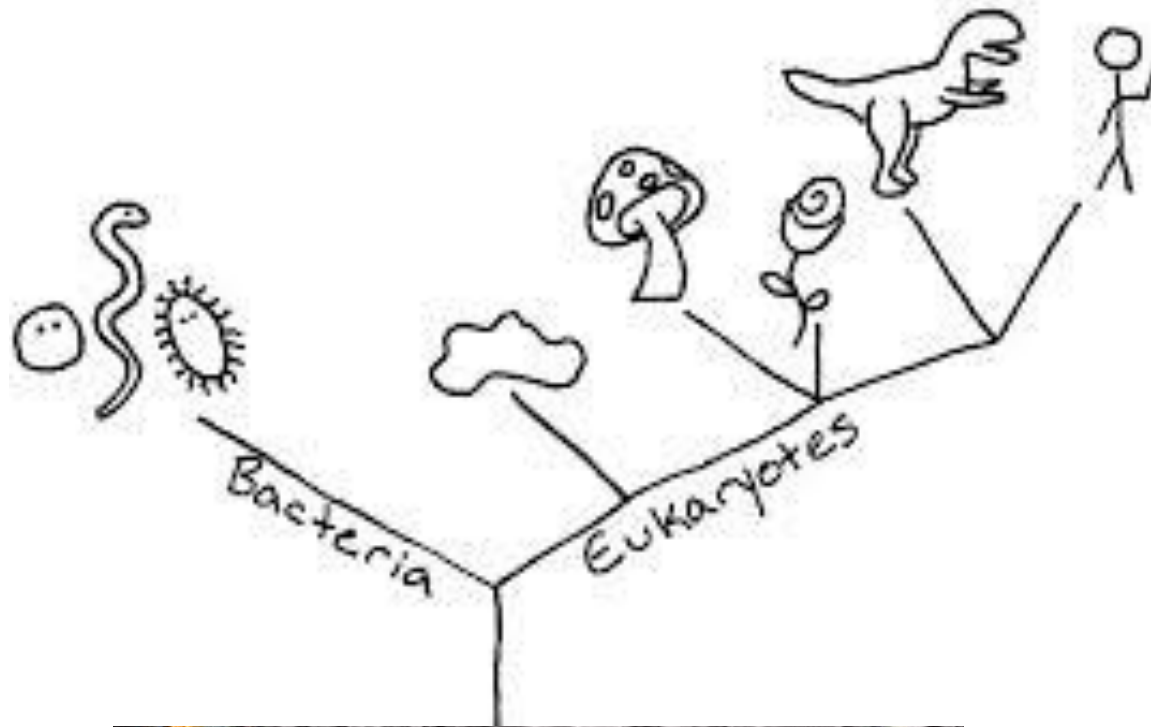






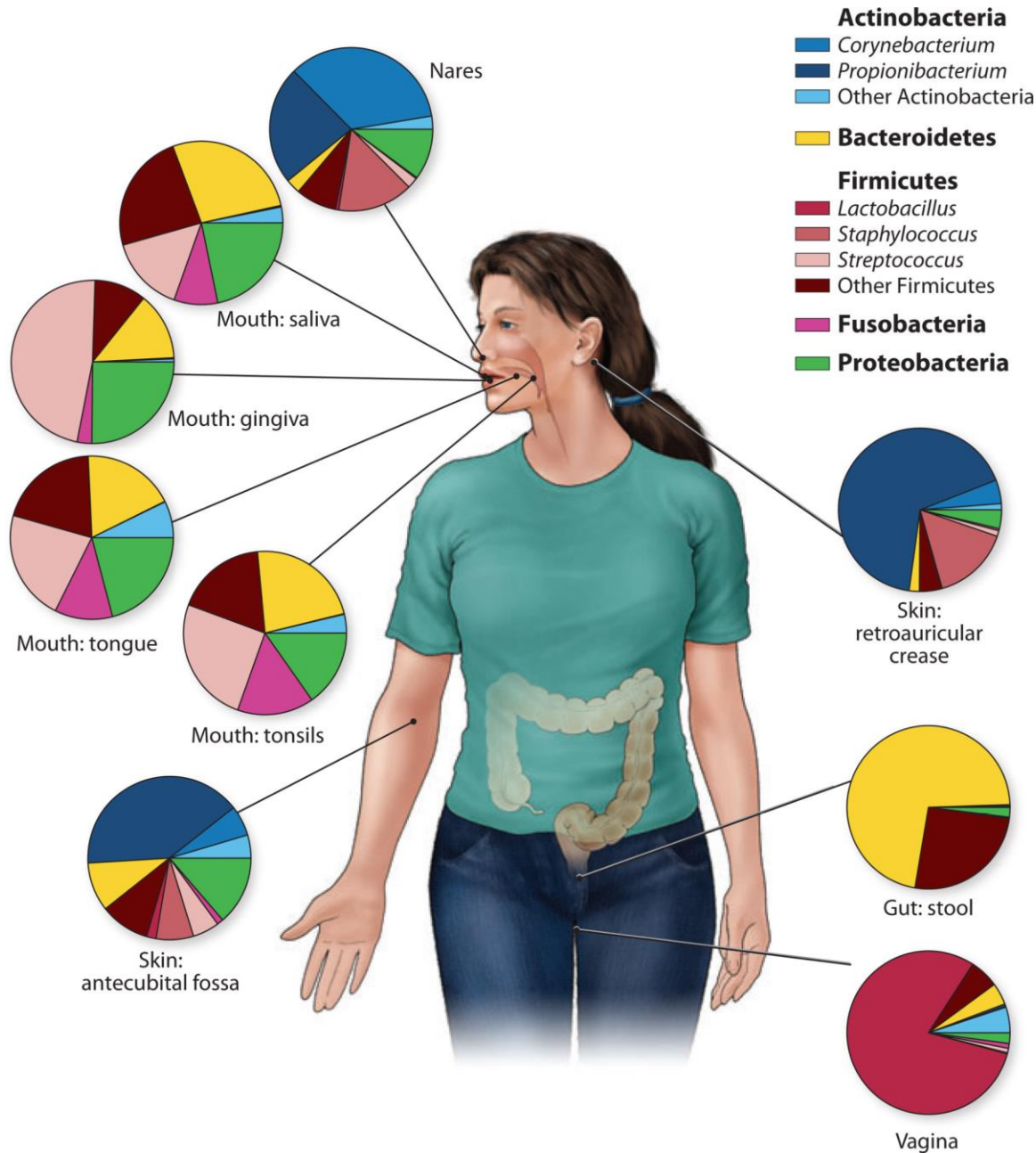


**Microbiota**



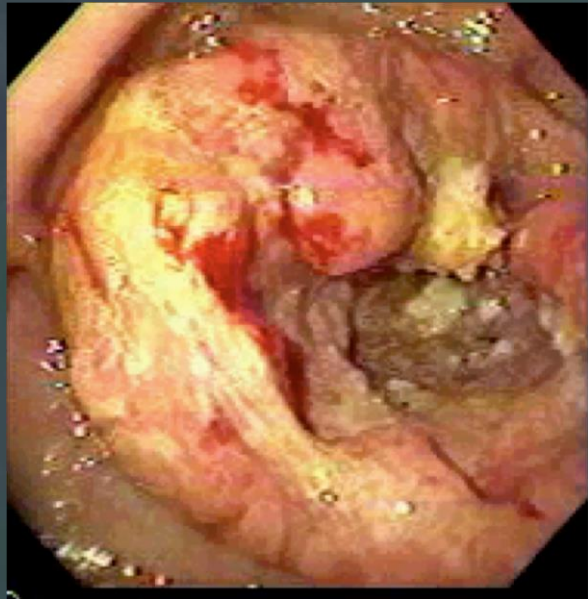
**Flora Normal**

**Microbiota**

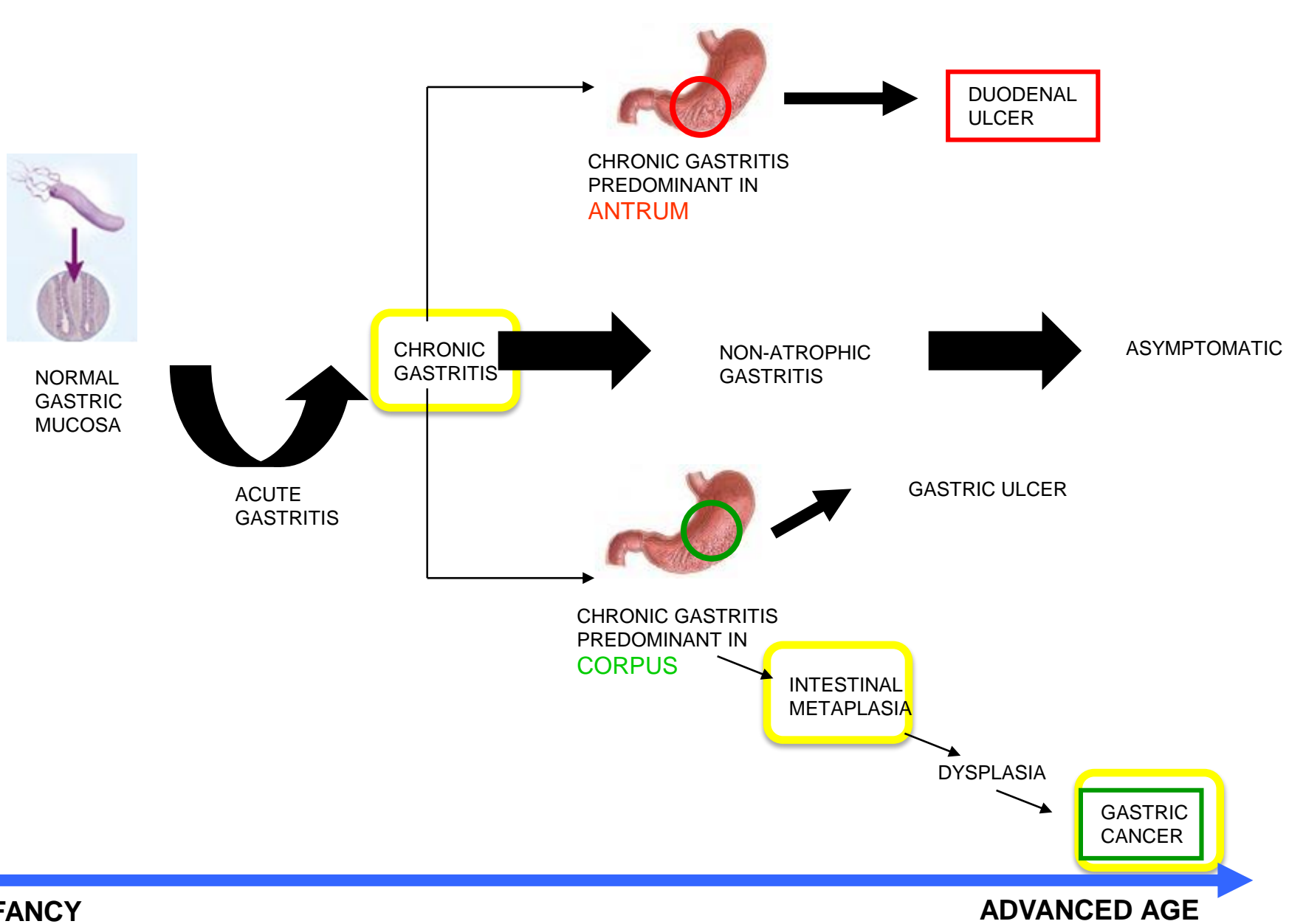


La microbiota humana comprende aprox.  $10^{13}$  bacterias, similar al numero de cel. humanas y 150 veces más el número de genes bacterianos

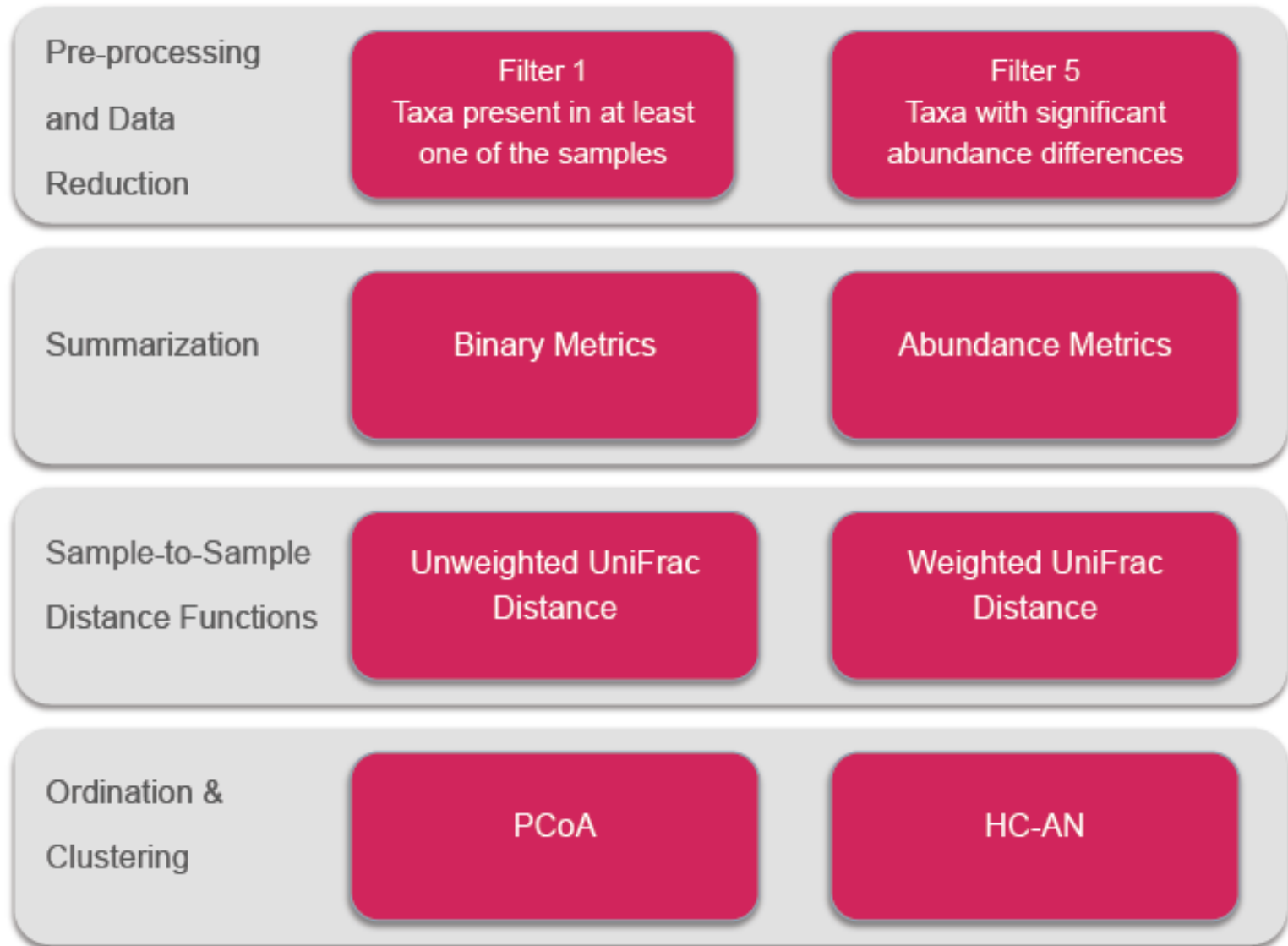


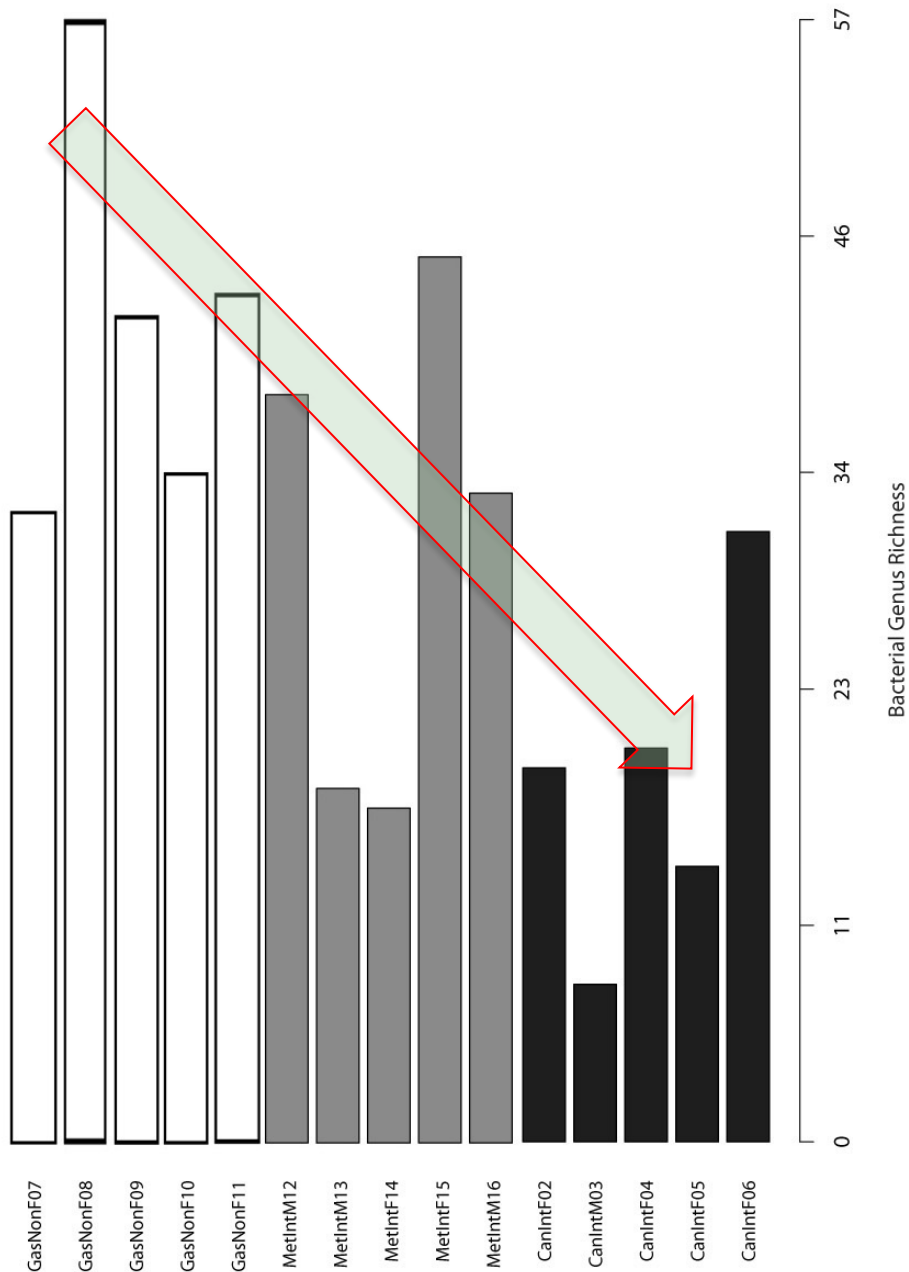


# Natural history of *H. pylori* infection



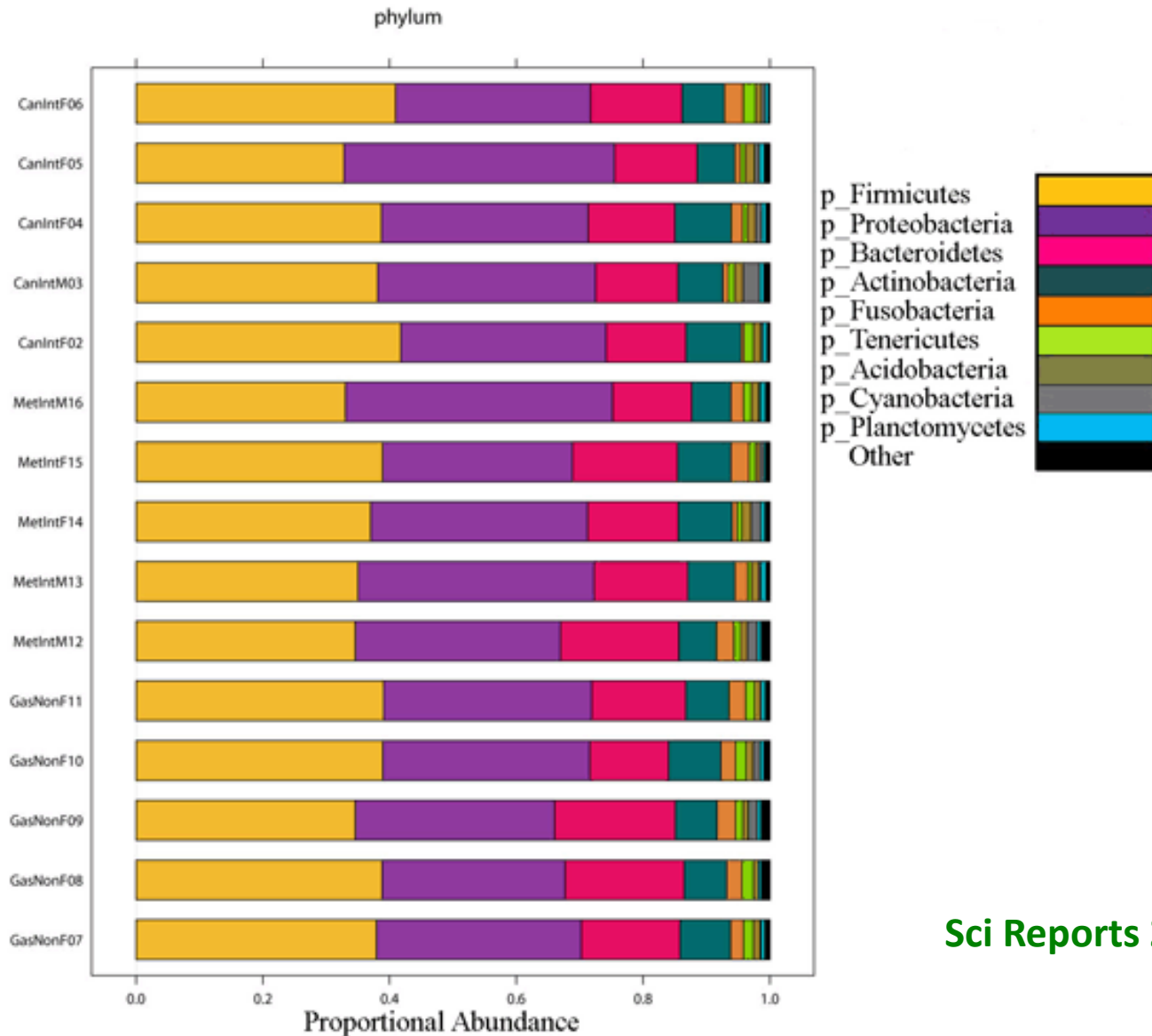
# Perfil de la Microbiota con secuencia de V4 16S en la plataforma miSeq



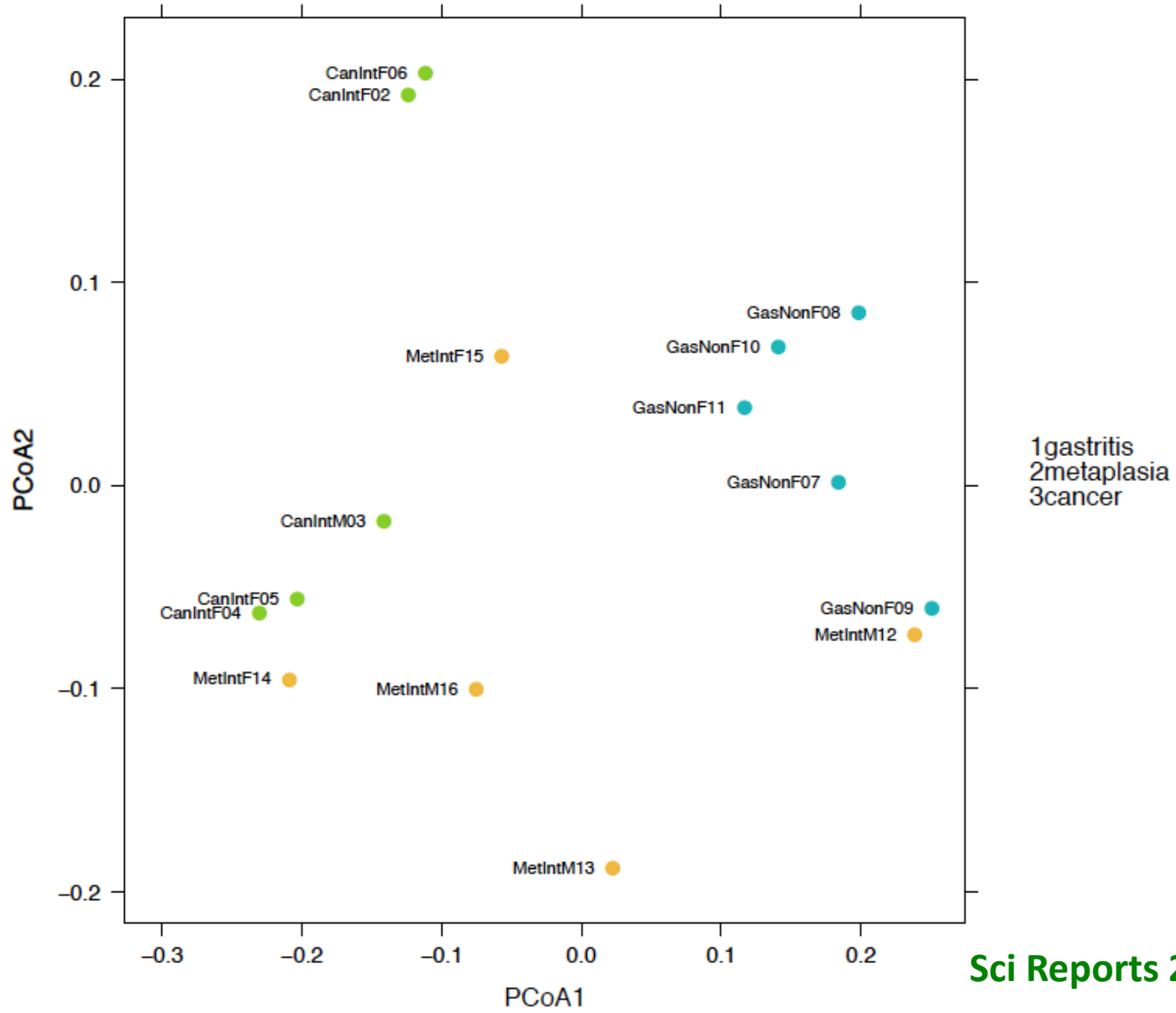


**Bacterial diversity tends to decrease in the stomach, from gastritis to metaplasia and to gastric cancer**

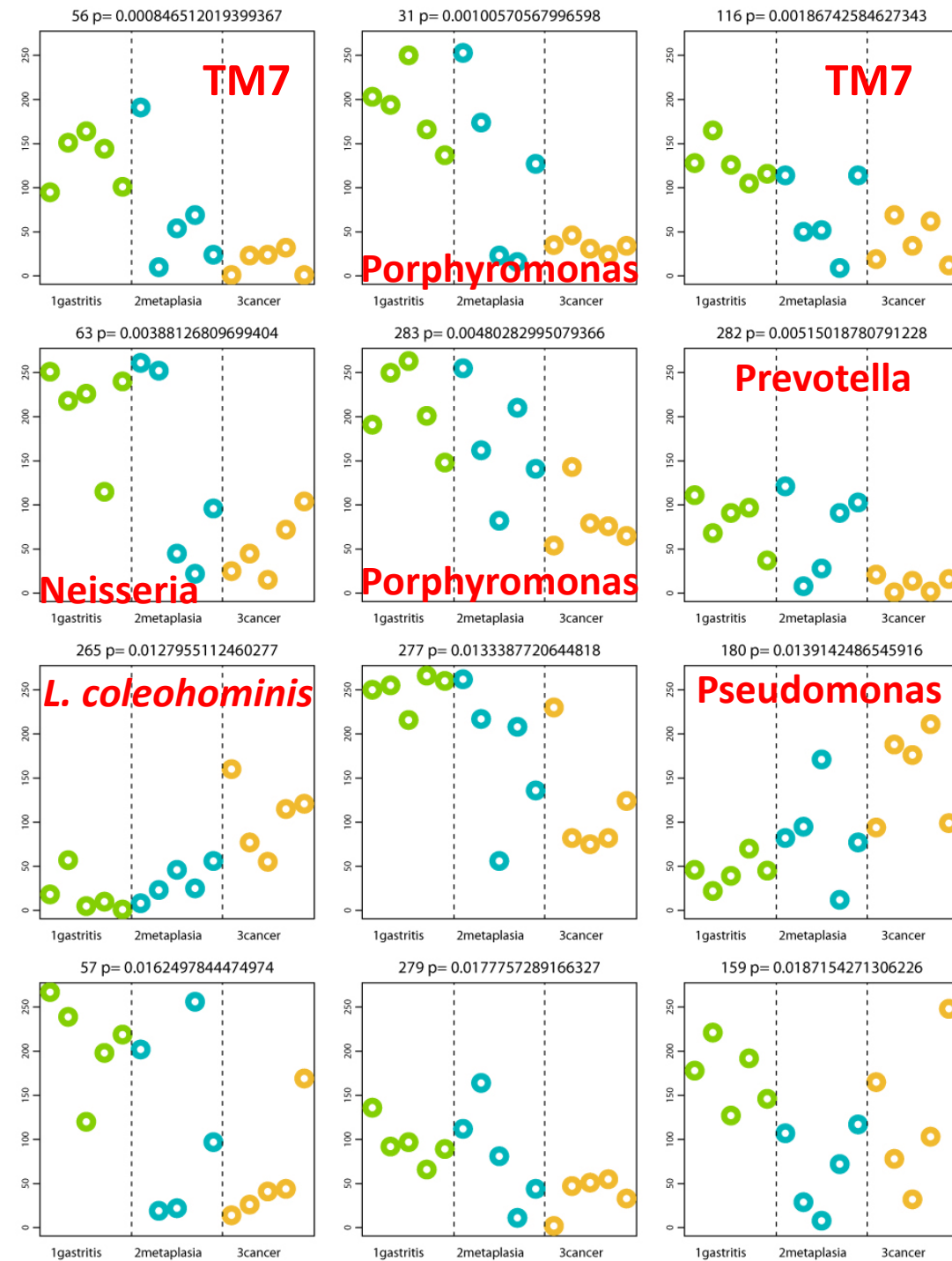
# Composition of microbiota of the stomach in pre-neoplasia and cancer



# Multicomponent analyses-PCoA shows a trend of microbiota separation from gastritis to metaplasia and to cancer



# Profiles of the most significant OTUs

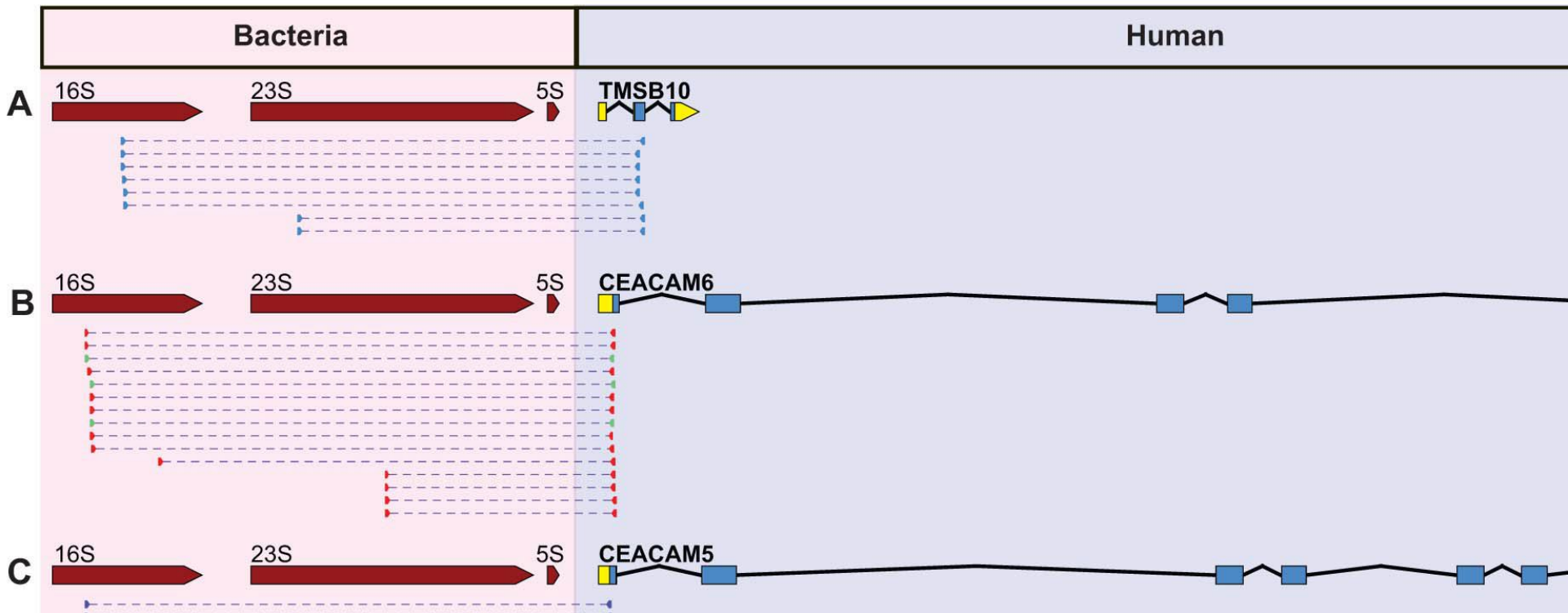


**TM7** ↓

Recently described in intestine; code for T-IV, proinflammatory island

**Pseudomonas** ↑

# Evidence of integration of bacterial ribosomal genes of *Pseudomonas* in gastric cancer



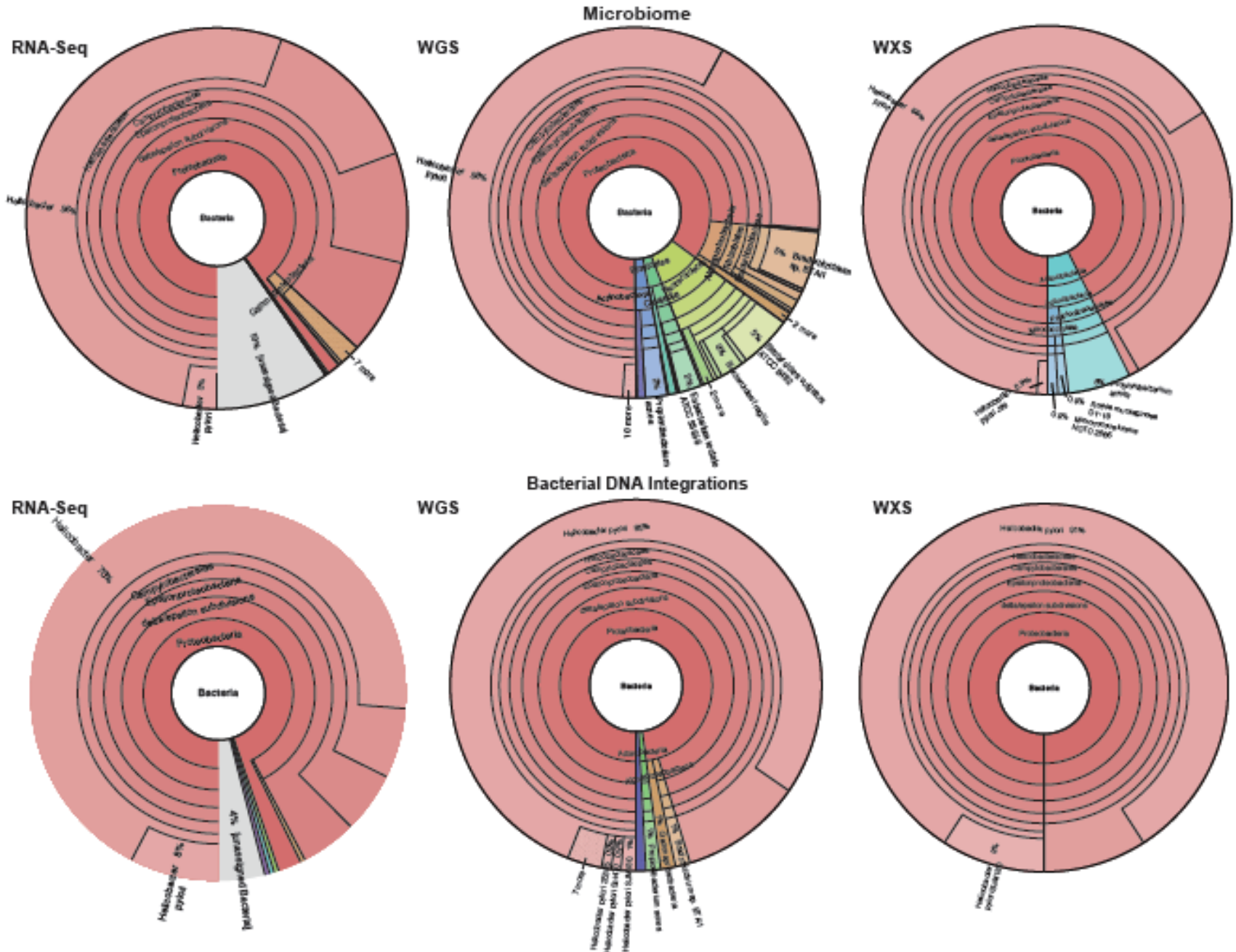
**Genes up-regulated in gastric cancer**

Julie C. Dunning, Institute for Genome Science, U Maryland

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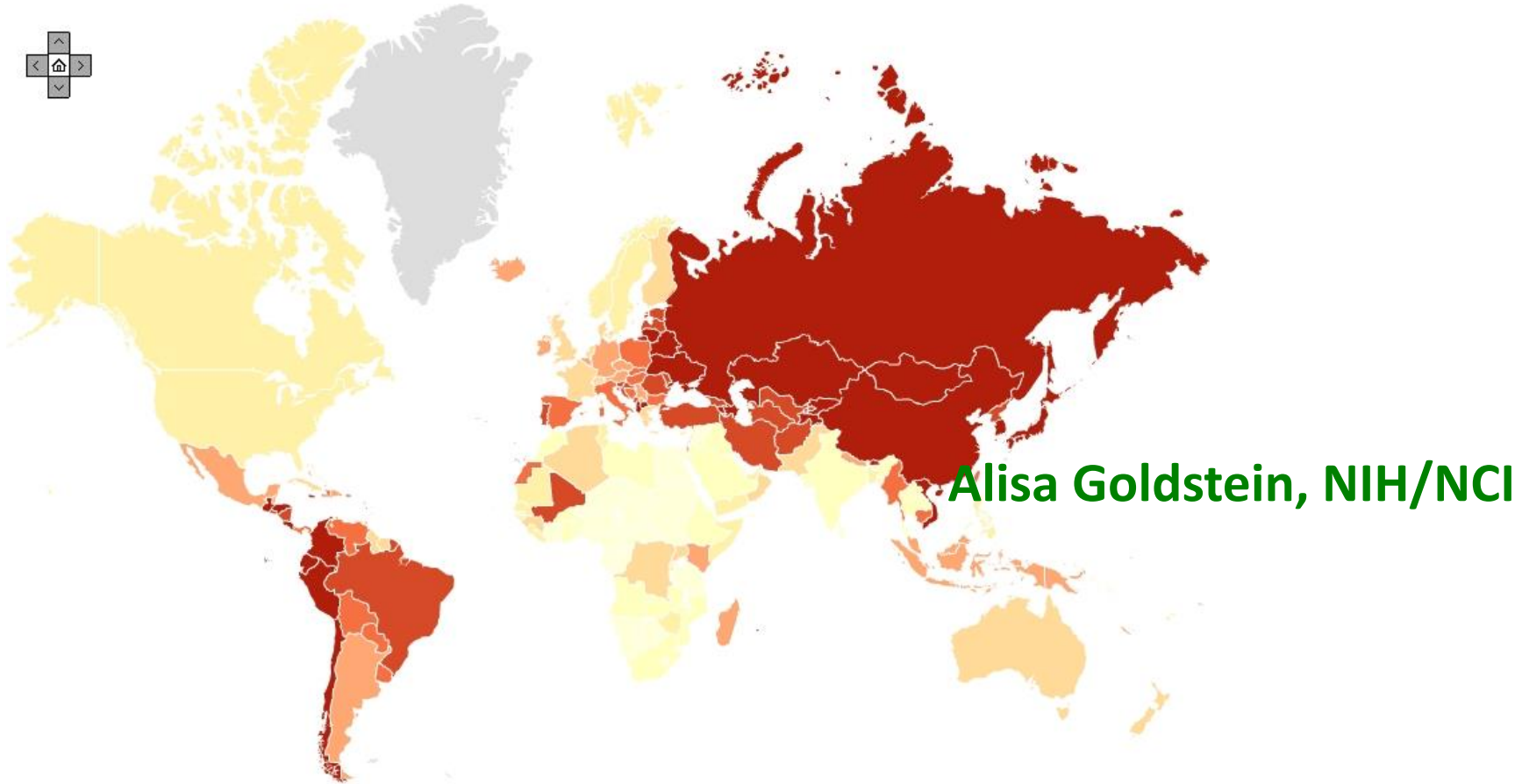
# Tumor microbial proportion and bacterial DNA integrations

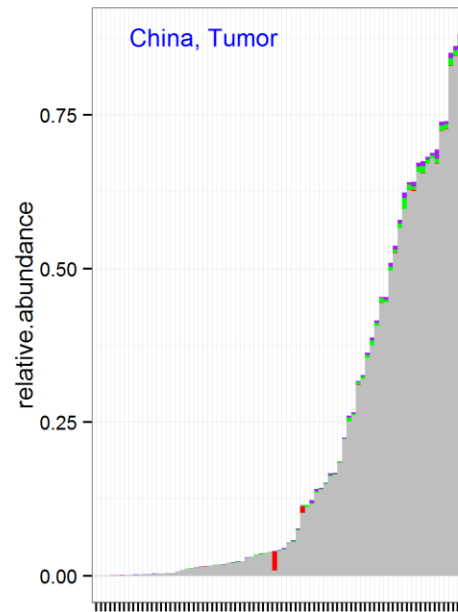
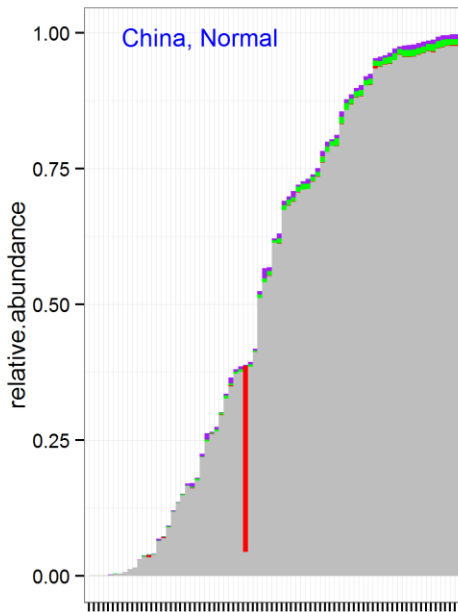
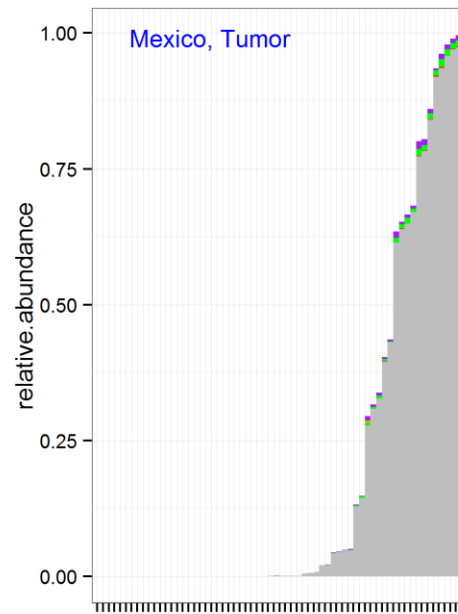
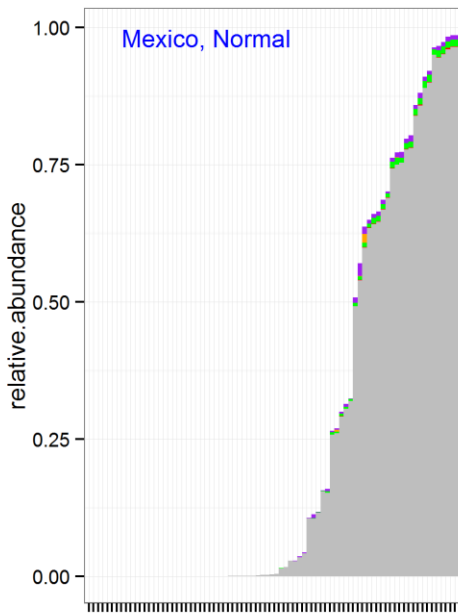


## RNA-Seq Patient 1 genes with BDIs

Chromosome	Gene	Sample
chr7	<i>AGR2</i>	T1
chr11	<i>PGA3</i>	A1
chr14	<i>IgG</i>	T1, A1
chr21	unknown	T1
chr22	<i>IGLL5</i>	T1
chrM	unknown	T1, A1
chrUn	<i>RNA45S5</i> , unknown	T1, A1

# Asia and Latin America are the regions with the highest mortality rates for GC





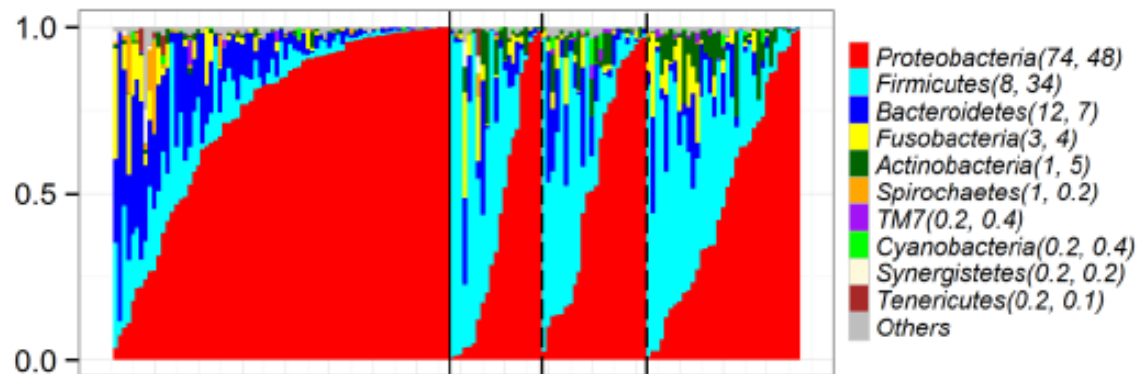
*H. pylori* is highly frequent in tumor and adjacent tissue of Mexican and Chinese patients with gastric cancer

■ *H. pylori* OTUs

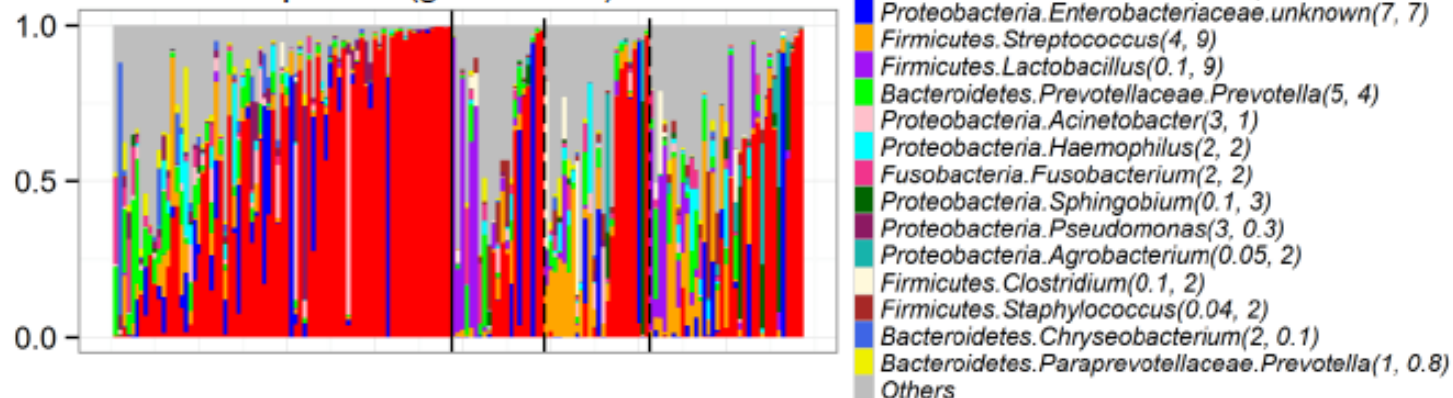
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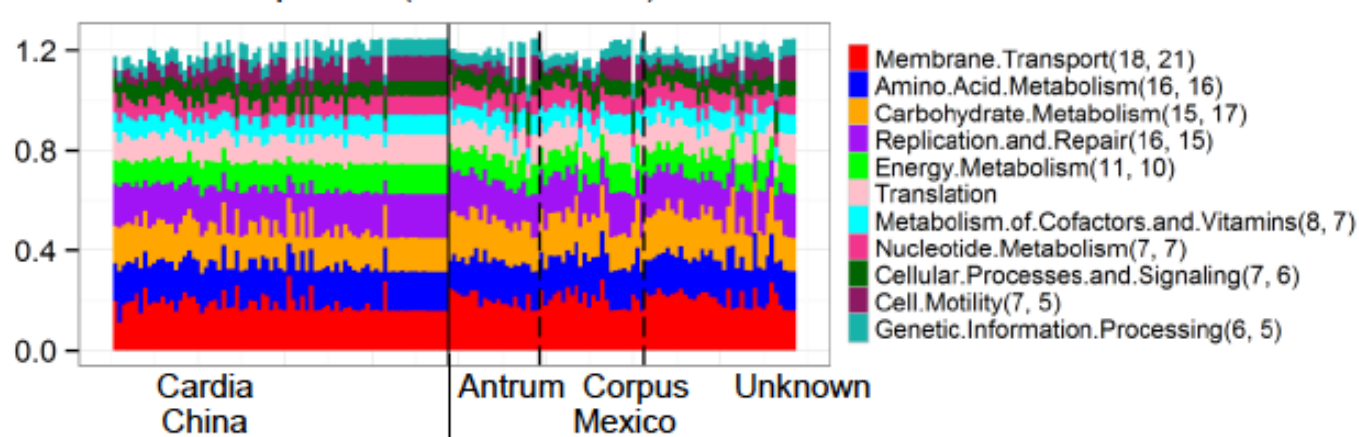
### A Taxonomic profiles (phylum-level)

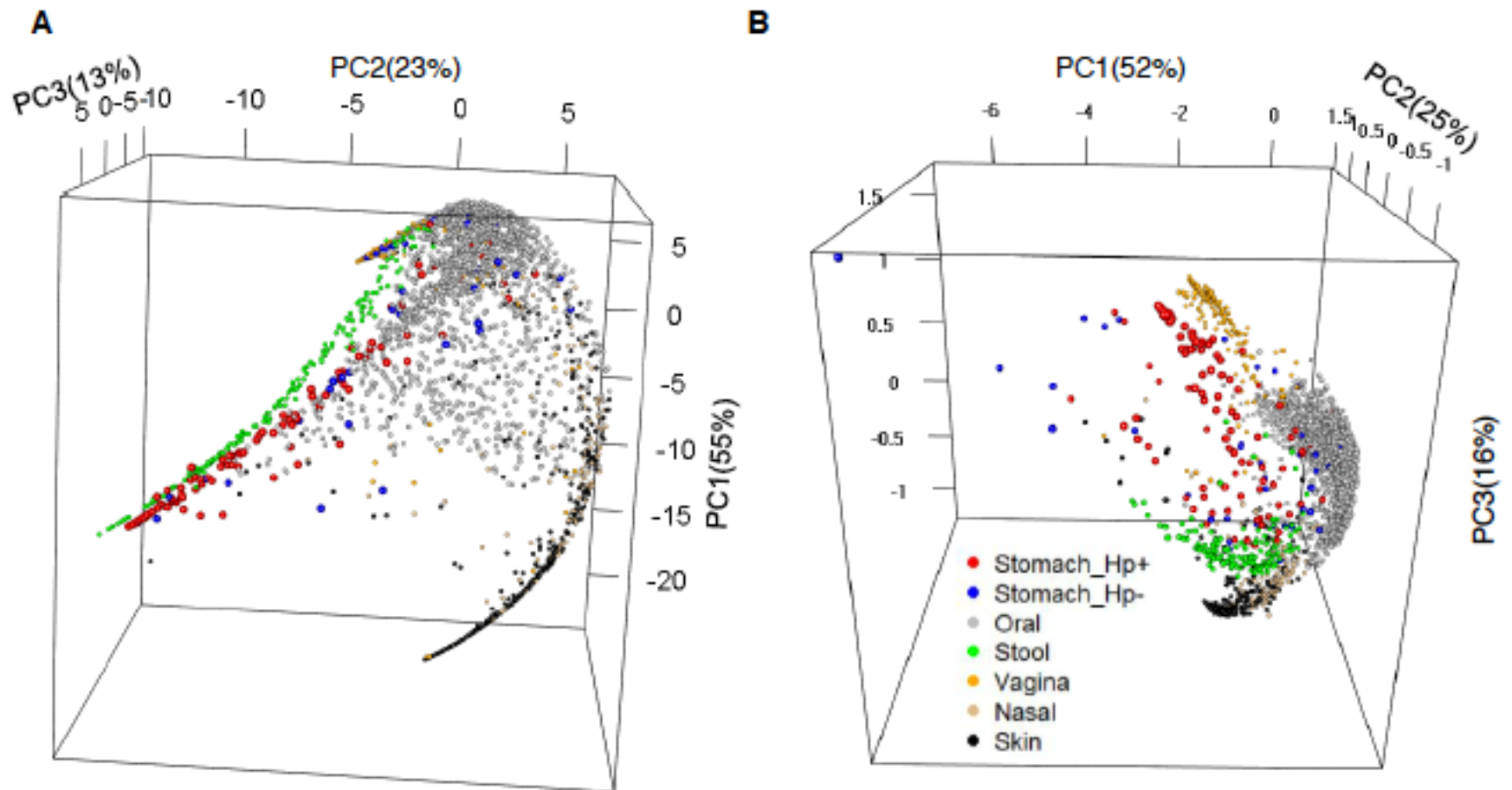


### B Taxonomic profiles (genus-level)



### C Functional profiles (KEGG module)





Principal coordinates plots showing variation among samples based on Bray-Curtis distance of phylum-level taxonomic profiles (A); and KEGG module-level functional profiles (B)

# Conclusions

- ✓ Bacterial diversity in the stomach decrease as the severity of lesions advance from NAG to IM and to GC
- ✓ Microbiota studies indicate that *H. pylori* is frequent and abundant in the stomach of patients with gastric cancer.
- ✓ Preliminary evidence suggests integration of *H. pylori* ribosomal genes in human genome.
- ✓ Comparative analyses showed higher variation of microbiota and functional profiles in the stomach than in other body sites.

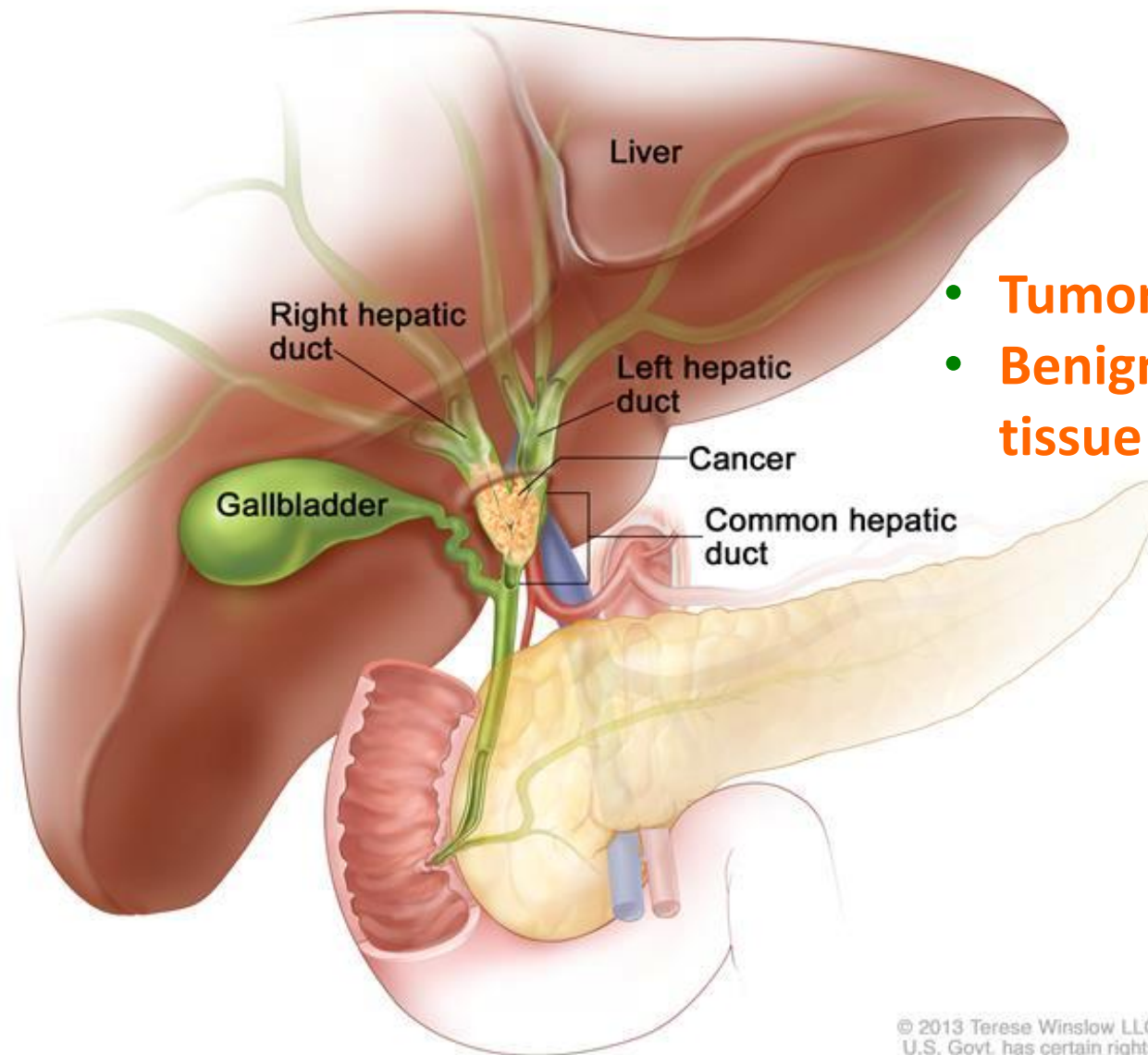
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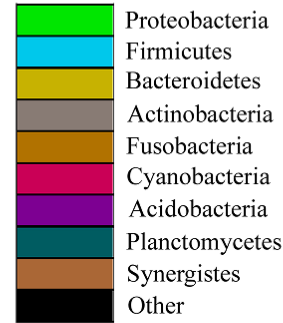
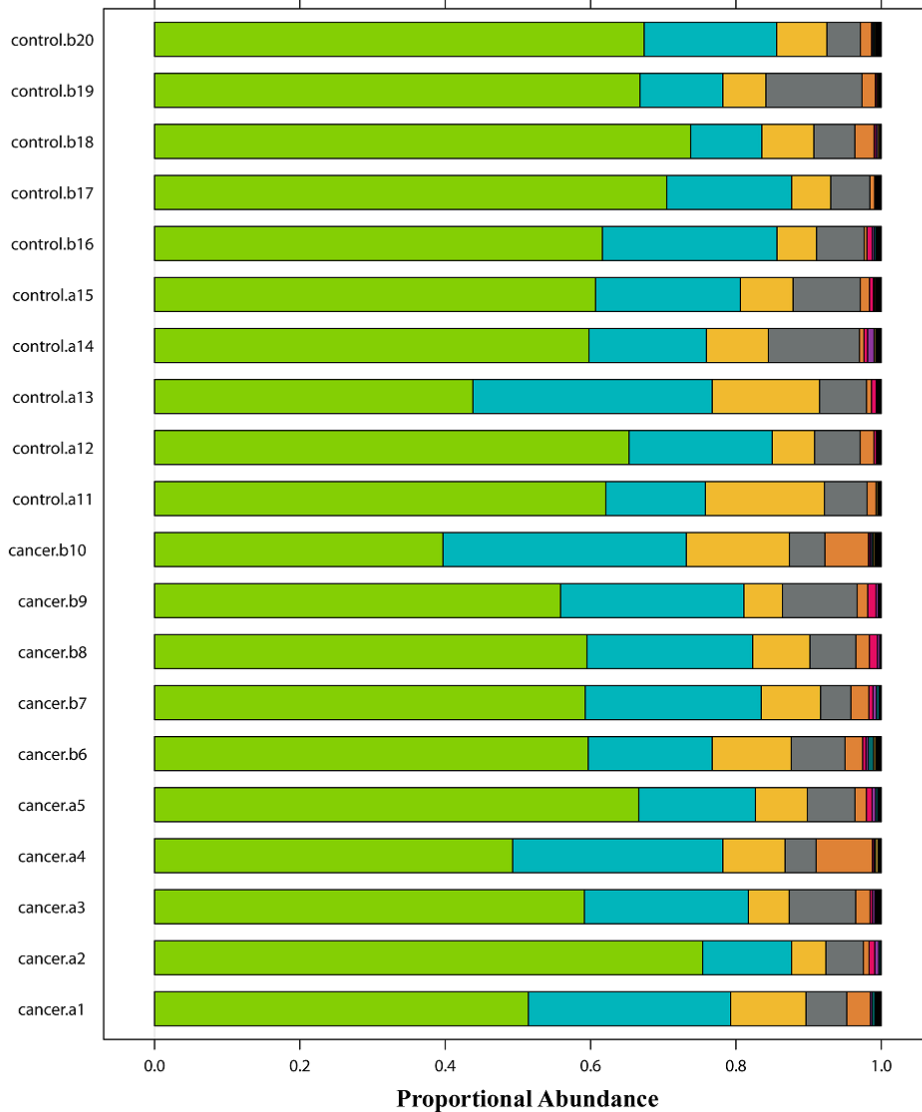


## Klatskin Tumor



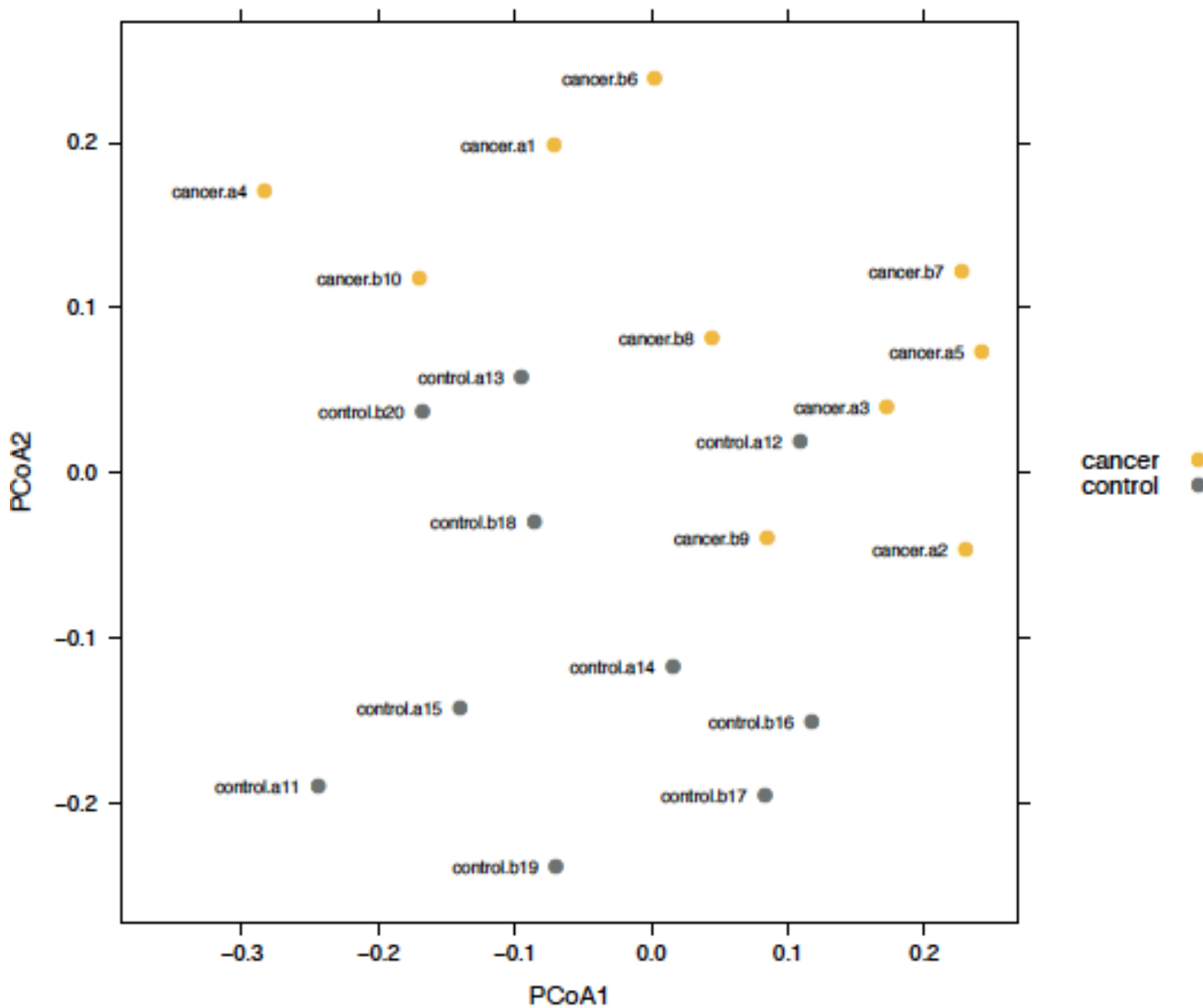
- Tumoral tissue
- Benign disease tissue

### Phylum



**Proteobacteria is the dominant phylum (60%) in bile duct of cancer and benign cases**

## Multi-component analyses-PCoA of 4,002 taxa shows separation of bile duct cancer and benign disease microbiota



## The 12 OTUs with the most significant $p$ -values for abundance in one of the studied groups

TAXA ID	PHYLUM	CLASS	ORDER	FAMILY	GENUS	SPECIES	TREND
809814	Proteobacteria	Betaproteobacteria	Burkholderiales	Comamonadaceae	unclassified	Unclassified	Increase
75585	Actinobacteria	Actinobacteria	Actinomycetales	Micrococcaceae	Nesterenkonia	97otu9179	Decrease
102924	Proteobacteria	Alphaproteobacteria	Rhizobiales	Phyllobacteriaceae	Mesorhizobium	Unclassified	Decrease
621279	Actinobacteria	Actinobacteria	Actinomycetales	Micrococcaceae	Nesterenkonia	unclassified	Decrease
845354	Actinobacteria	Actinobacteria	Actinomycetales	Micrococcaceae	unclassified	unclassified	Decrease
4451302	Proteobacteria	Betaproteobacteria	Burkholderiales	Comamonadaceae	unclassified	unclassified	Increase
2802748	Proteobacteria	Alphaproteobacteria	Rhizobiales	Phyllobacteriaceae	unclassified	unclassified	Decrease
343239	Proteobacteria	Betaproteobacteria	Burkholderiales	Comamonadaceae	unclassified	unclassified	Increase
903426	Actinobacteria	Actinobacteria	Actinomycetales	Micrococcaceae	Rothia	mucilaginosa	Decrease
955102	Actinobacteria	Actinobacteria	Actinomycetales	Actinomycetaceae	Actinomyces	97otu84559	Increase
3091248	Proteobacteria	Betaproteobacteria	Methylophilales	Methylophilaceae	unclassified	unclassified	Increase
2283862	Firmicutes	Clostridia	Clostridiales	Veillonellaceae	Dialister	unclassified	Increase

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- **Rothia decreases also in skin cancer**
- **Nesterenkonia no previously reported in humans**
- **Novosphingobium**

# Frequency of *Nesterenkonia sp.* colonization in the biliary tract of patients with benign or malignant disease

Disease group	No. tested	No. Positive (%)	p-value	OR (95% CI)
Benign biliary disease	90	22 (24.4)		
Biliary tract cancer	100	11 (11)	0.0244	0.38 (0.17-0.84)

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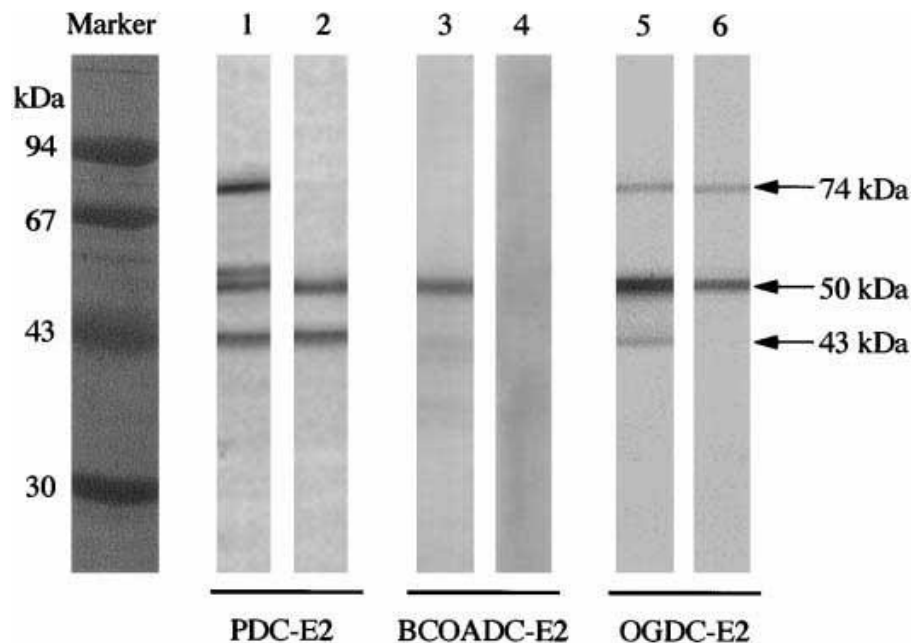
Nesterenkonia lacusekhoensis strain EL-30 16S ribosomal RNA gene, partial sequence  
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Alignment statistics for match #1

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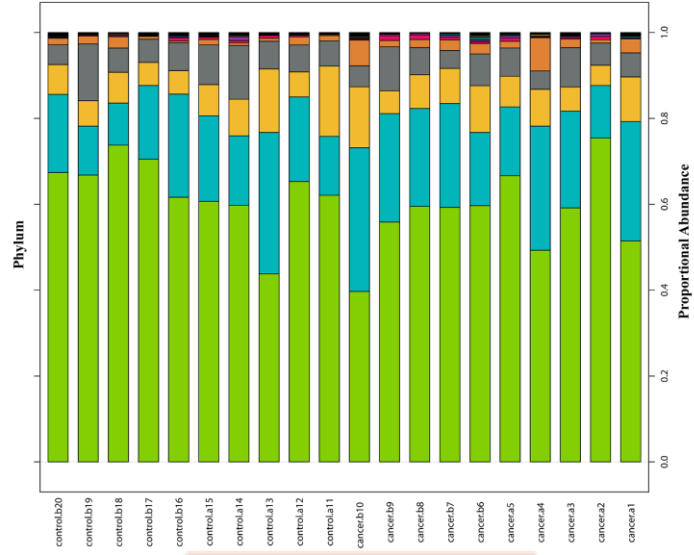
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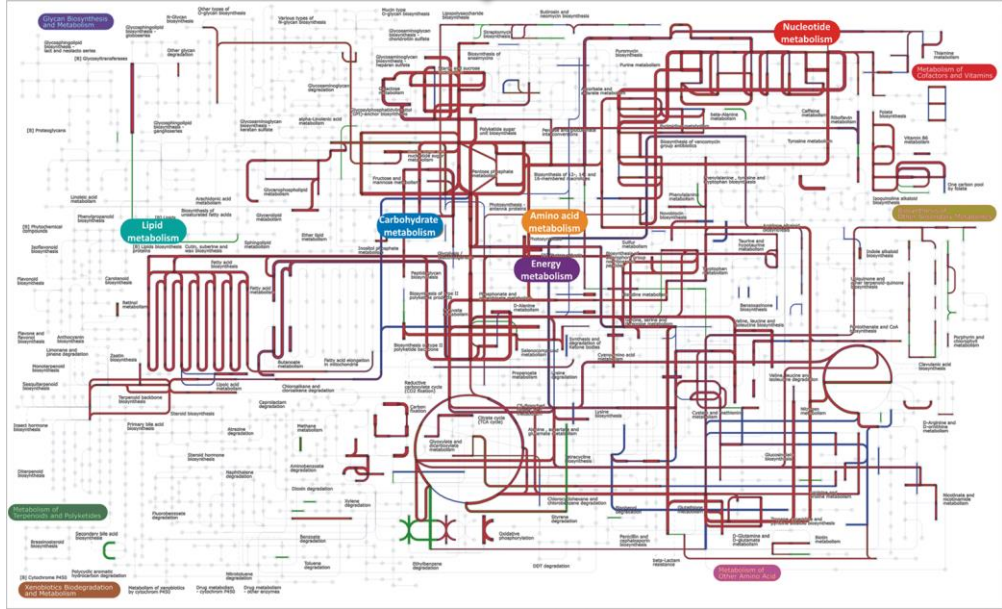


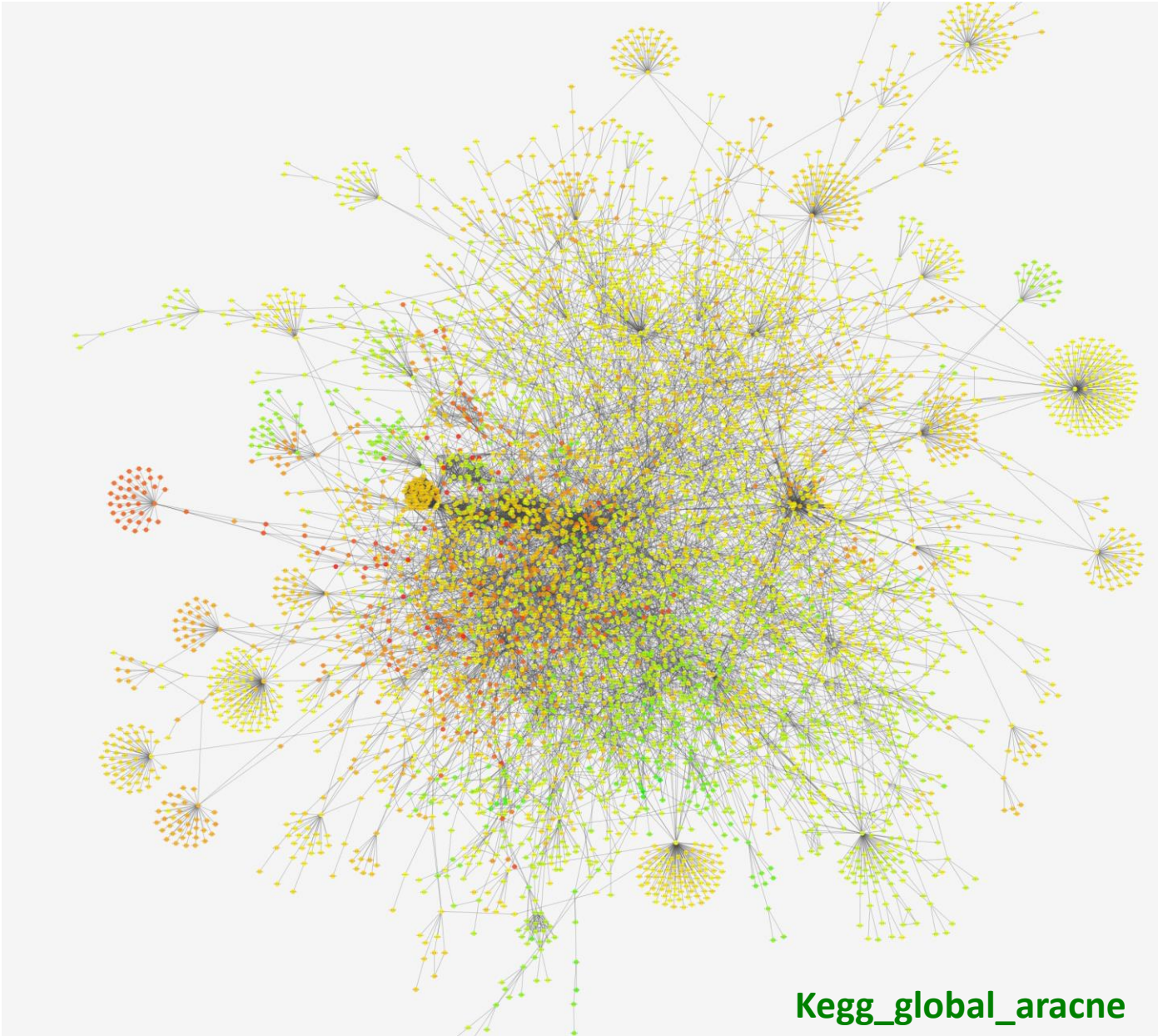
Enzymes expressed by  
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Eric Gershwin, University of California, Davis

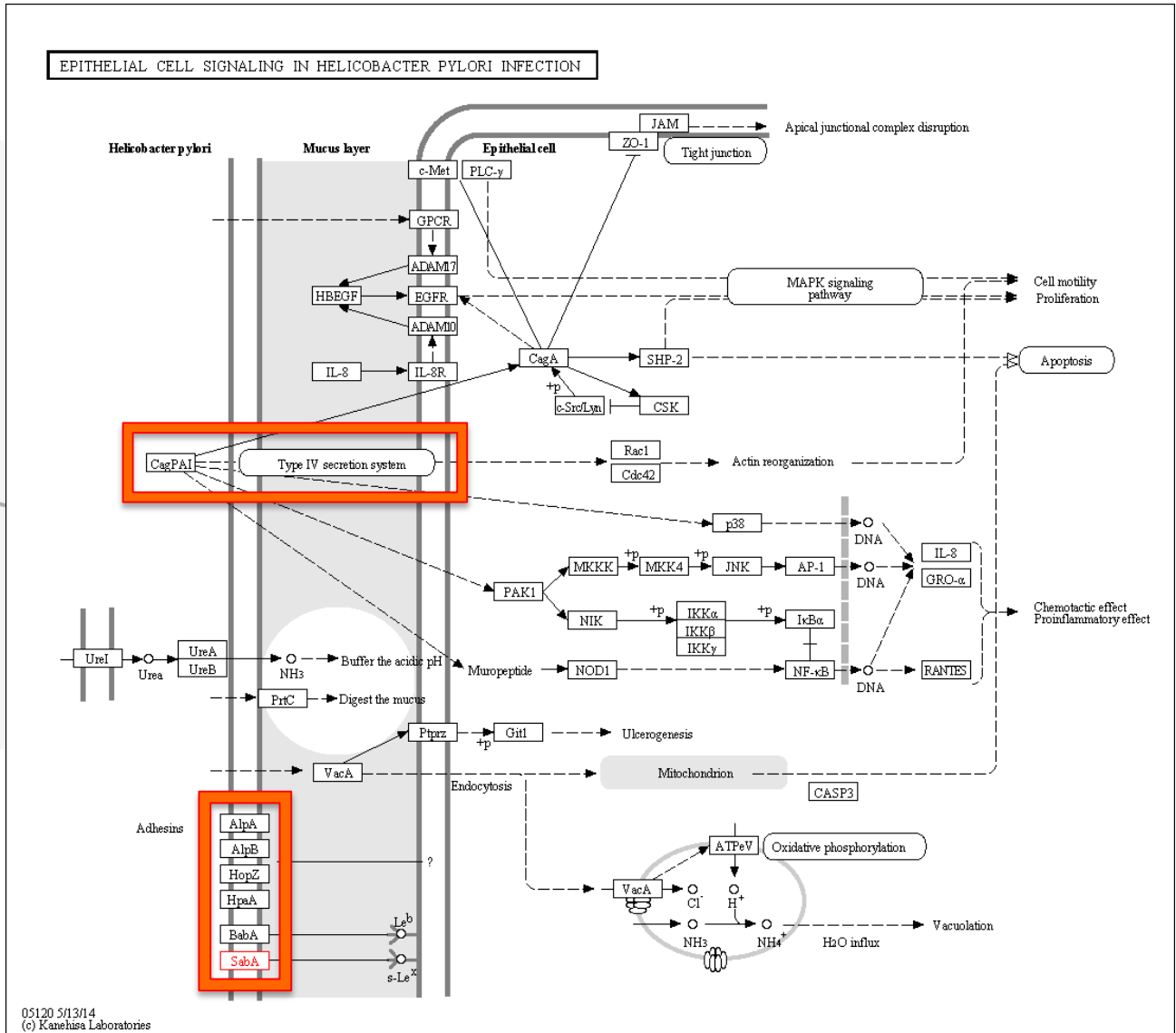
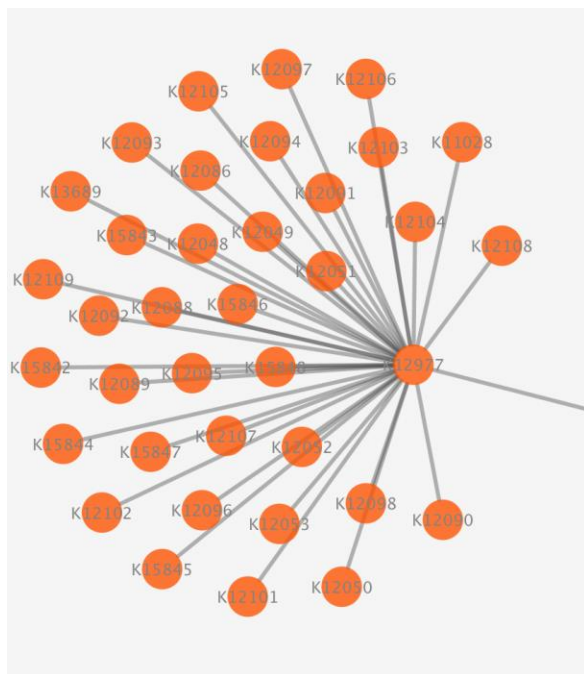


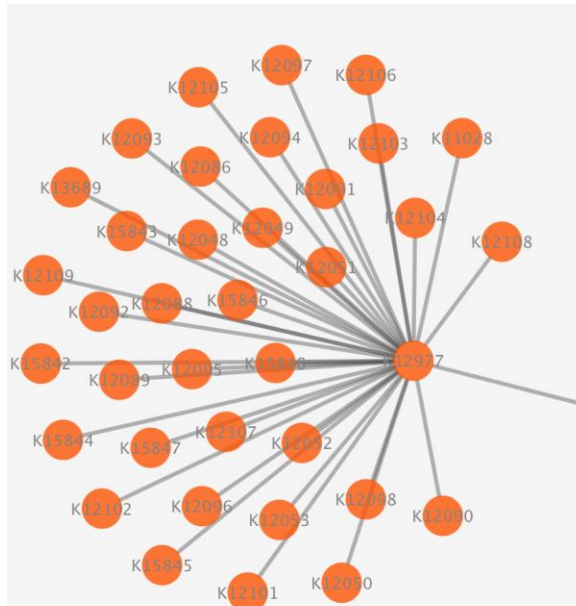
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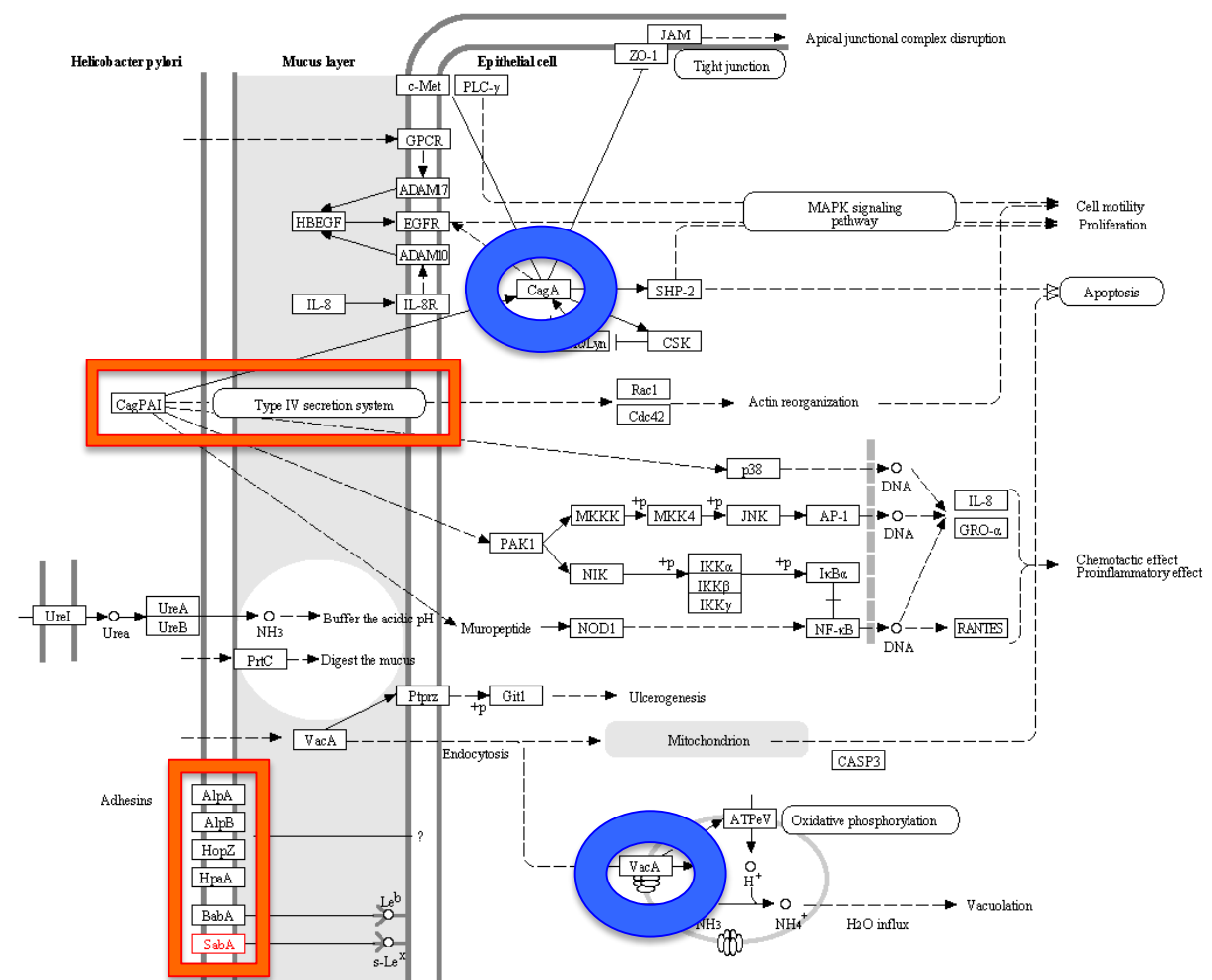








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## PCR detection of *vacA* and *cagA* in DNA from cells of the bile duct

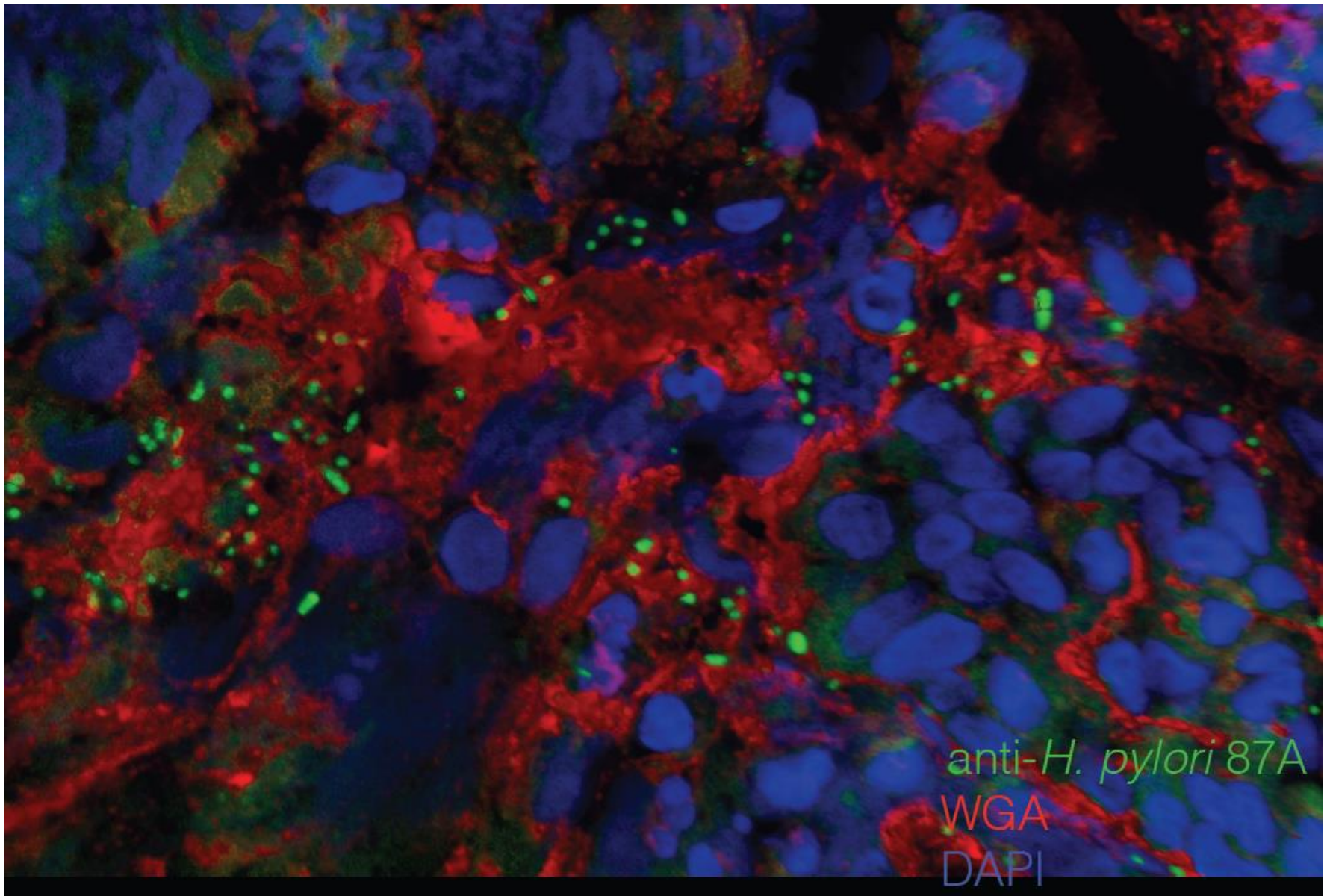
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	<i>vacA</i> + (%)*	<i>cagA</i> + (%)	<i>vacA</i> and/or <i>cagA</i> + (%)
Cases	50/97 (51.5)	46/100 (46.0)	75/100 (75.0)
Controls	21/86 (24.4)	39/92 (42.4)	52/92 (56.5)

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\*OR 3.29 (C.I. 95% 1.754521-6.176529); p-value=0.0003

## Presence of *H. pylori* in the bile duct of patients with cancer



# Conclusions

- ✓ Microbiota studies reveal the presence of extremophilic bacteria reported in the sea sediments and deserts, in the bile duct of humans
- ✓ Microbiota and PCR studies suggest *H. pylori* might be present in bile duct.
- ✓ Presence of these bacteria might be associated with BD cancer.

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