

Product Profile Services

Mutation Profiling of Biobank Samples Using Next Generation Sequencing

Overview

Indivumed Services has been perfecting its high-quality research network for over a decade, allowing for the accumulation of more than 25,000 patient cases within the company's ISO-certified cancer biobank. Currently, our biobank contains thousands of discrete samples and data sets secured and available for research. A standardized ischemia time-controlled biospecimen collection comprises of fresh frozen (FF) and formalin-fixed paraffin-embedded (FFPE) tumor and corresponding normal tissue samples as well as serum, plasma, PBMC's and urine. Furthermore, the comprehensive clinical data collection of each patient includes pathology report data, patient and family history, medication, clinical chemistry, and biospecimen collection information such as exact tissue ischemia times.

Next Generation Sequencing

We offer Next Generation Sequencing capabilities, giving you the option to purchase already characterized samples or to screen our biobank tissues to determine presence or absence of mutated genes.

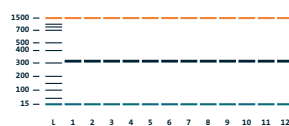
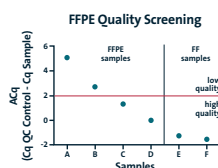
Mutation profiling is performed with Illumina's TruSeq Amplicon Cancer Panel that detects somatic mutations in the following 48 cancer-related genes by multiplexed targeted resequencing.

Analysis of somatic mutations in 48 cancer-related genes

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|------|--------|-------|-------|------|--------|--------|---------|
| ABL1 | CDH1 | ERBB4 | GNA11 | JAK2 | MLH1 | PIK3CA | SMARCB1 |
| AKT1 | CDKN2A | FBXW7 | GNAQ | JAK3 | MPL | PTEN | SMO |
| ALK | CSF1R | FGFR1 | GNAS | KDR | NOTCH1 | PTPN11 | SRC |
| APC | CTNNB1 | FGFR2 | HNF1A | KIT | NPM1 | RB1 | STK11 |
| ATM | EGFR | FGFR3 | HRAS | KRAS | NRAS | RET | TP53 |
| BRAF | ERBB2 | FLT3 | IDH1 | MET | PDGFRA | SMAD4 | VHL |

Indivumed Services Mutation Profiling Workflow

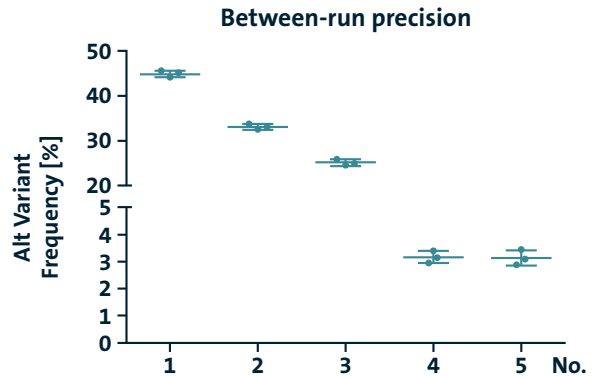
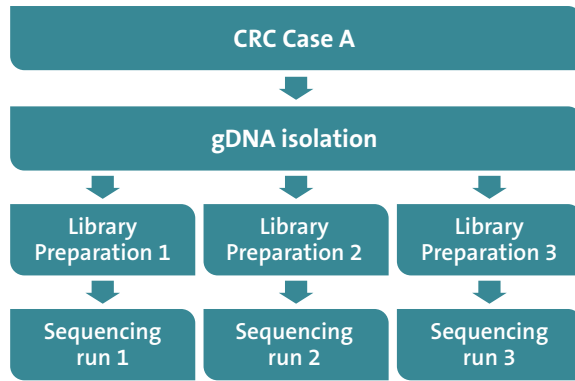
FF or FFPE samples can be used for mutation profiling. Routinely, Indivumed Services performs sequencing on FF tumor samples.



| CRC case A, Tumor Content 60% | | | | |
|-------------------------------|-------------|-----------|---------|-------------|
| Gene | COSMIC ID | DNA | Protein | Variant (%) |
| APC | COSMIC ID | c.2626C>T | p.R876* | 31.4 |
| ATM | COSM18852 | c.2572T>C | p.F858L | 86.4 |
| KRAS | COSM1360827 | c.743G>A | p.R248Q | 22.9 |
| TP53 | COSM10662 | c.437C>T | p.A146V | 65.4 |

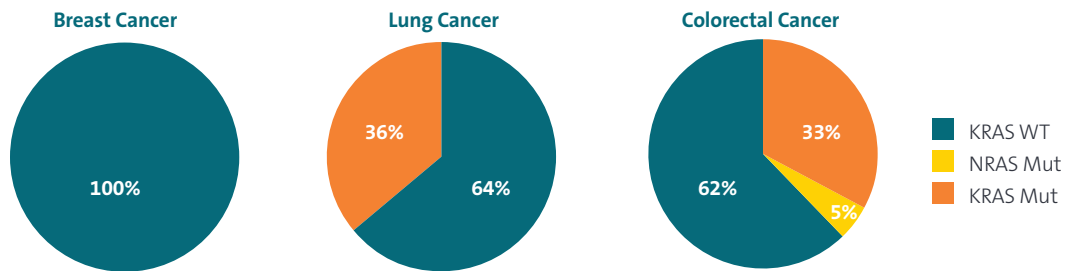
Validation — Between-Run Precision

Our service includes highly qualified method establishment and validation. In the example below, between-run precision is analyzed by performing three library preparations and sequencing runs of the same sample. The frequency of the alternative variant (mutant) in comparison to the reference allele (wildtype) is shown for five different variants. The calculated coefficients of correlation are below 10 %.



Distribution of RAS Mutations

We offer characterized breast, lung as well as colorectal cancer samples. As an example, diagrams represent different frequencies of RAS mutations in breast, lung and colorectal cancer patients.



Distribution of RAS Mutations

- Pre-analytical controlled tumor tissue
- Fresh Frozen and FFPE tumor and matched normal tissue
- Serum, plasma, PBMC's and urine sample sets of each case
- Rigorous ISO-certified collection, processing and storage
- Comprehensive clinical data including follow up
- Characterized samples by Next Generation Sequencing
- Screening of your Individumed Services biobank purchase with Illumina's TruSeq Amplicon Cancer Panel

About Indivumed Services

Indivumed Services, a Crown Bioscience Company, is a global contract research organization (CRO) that offers an industry-leading oncology biobank and a range of service platforms to advance oncology and immuno-oncology drug discovery and development.

Holding a unique biobank of clinical specimens, unrivalled in quality and associated clinical history, which currently totals almost one million patient samples, the company partners with extensive clinical network of more than 60 entities in the United States, Europe, and Asia providing direct and controlled access to relevant surgical biospecimens and blood samples.

Further known for their enhanced immunohistochemistry and spatial transcriptomics, Indivumed Services' platforms complement a range of established Crown Bioscience capabilities supporting biomarker discovery.

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