SNPs and molecular profiles of breast tumors

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What proportion of the observed deregulation of gene expression is inheritable

- I. SNP association to mRNA expression in
 - Blood, before and after HRT use
 - Fibroblasts, before and after radiation
 - Tumor, before and after chemotherapy (DOXO, FUMI)
- II. SNP association to
 - DNA methylation associated deregulation
 - Chromosomal aberrations
 - miRNA associated deregulation

What SNPs

4 SNP panels

- 700 SNPs in the ROS pathay
- 500 htSNPs in the estradiol pathway
- 10K linkage panel Illumina (WGA)
- 109 Illumina



The experiments

 A panel of 1036 SNPs in 208 genes from the Reactive Oxigen Species metabolism and cell signalling genotyped in:

- 193 breast cancer patient cases (718 SNPs)
- 109 healthy controls
- 44 fibroblast cell lines
- 96 cervical cancers

(718 SNPs) (830SNPs) (830SNPs) (930SNPs)



Overabundance analysis results



Comparison of numbers of ANOVA-based association pairs in original and permuted data. Permuted data represents averages over 50 permuted data sets. *EGF*, *IL1A*, *MAPK8*, *XPC*, *SOD2* and *ALOX12* with regulatory SNPs, p-values<0.0001 by all 3 methods.

Epidermal growth factor Interleukin 1A c-jun N-terminal kinase 1 (MAPK8) Gene mutated in XP group C Superoxide dismutase 2

- SNPs regulating *in cis*
- grouped according to position (on chromosomes)
- grouped according to function (cliques in gene ontology)

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Comparisons in 2 measurements with 16 weeks interval before and after a mono-drug treatment with doxorubicin

Associations before and after/delta at p<0.001:

- •A/T SNP rs2062011 in BCL2 (18q21.3) MYB before, after
- •C/T SNP rs1126510 in CALM3 (19q13.2-q13.3) DGKG before and in
- •A/T SNP rs284190 in TGFBR3(1p33-p32) IL8 after and in the delta,
- •C/T SNP rs2073098 in aldo-keto reductase family 7, member A2

 $(1p35.1-p36.2\overline{3})$ - MYD88 after treatment and in the delta,

•A/T SNP rs2227547 in IL8 on 4q13-q21 - PTPRD before and in the delta

•G/T rs827500 in DPYD - translocation associated membrane protein 1 Hs.4147 AA452556 before and in the delta.

Comparison of SNP expression associations between breast Carcinomas and patient fibroblasts in culture

PRDX4						
GPX1						
MYB						
NFKB1			Rs699	473 SOD	3- MB n	nyoglobin
APEX1						
GSTP1						
TYMS						
	rs fibroblasts	901917	212083	212083	1982673	699473
NOOI	rs BCstudy	1192529	215094	215067	2551402	699473
	rs gene fibroblasts	TGFBR3	ABCC1	ABCC1	BCL2	SOD3
AP2S1	rs gene BCstudy	TGFBR3	ABCC1	ABCC1	BCL2	SOD3
COV6C	expression gene fibroblasts	TCF8	TAF6	TAF6	RAB3-GAP15	0 MB
CUAOC	expression gene BCstudy	TCF8	TAF6	TAF6	RAB3-GAP15	0 MB
XPC	SNP position	chr1:92004428	chr16:16135444 cl	hr16:16135444	chr18:58948995	chr4:24473072
	snp band	1p22.1	16p13.11	16p13.11	18q21.33	4p15.2
FOS	gene chr	chr10	chr7	chr7	chr1	chr22
ηπηλλ1	gene start	31648169	99349519	99349519	216712987	34327843
PIP4AI	gene end	31856198	99356483	99356483	216834074	34337804
IL8	с <u>–</u>					
NDUFA4						

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name	assays	testing	et al.	d by us	dataset	_
AHR		Y	Y	2282883	-	-
				2282885	trans	
CAT	511895	Υ	Y	511895	-	_
	2300181			554576	-	-
				564250	trans	
				2073058	trans	_
EPHX2	747276	Y	Y	747276	trans	-
	729609			721619	cis	
	1042064					_
FVT1	6810	Y	Y	2551402	trans	-
	2236719					
UGT1A1		Y	Y	887829	-	_
				1018124	-	
CDK2	2069398	Ν	Ν	1045431	-	
	2069408			1045435	-	
				2069397	-	
				2069400	-	
				2069415	-	
				3087335	-	_
IGF1	6214	Ν	Ν	6215	-	_
	6220			6219	-	F
				6222	-	Г
				972936	-	L
				1520220	-	r
TRAF3	1131877	N	N	2403102	-	ļ
	8023164					



Hege Edvardsen

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"Chromosome-wise" pharmacogenetics



Fatemeh Kaveh



Figure 1. Level of LD in and between genes analyzed on chromosome 4. Star (*) indicate groups SNPs found associated with groups of transcripts. The boxes with corresponding color gives the significantly overrepresented GO terms in this group of transcripts with the transcripts belonging to the GO term. The correlation between neighbouring genes is given in the cells adjacent to the diagonal cells.





Promoter analysis of the genes whose expression was significantly associated with the TP53 codon 72 SNP revealed in silico binding sites for TP53 in the promoter of DHFR, ECGF1, MTHFR, NME1, RRM1, TPMT and UGT1A1

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Global association analysis: 10K Results

1. SNPs associated with the expression of the Intrinsic genes

- 2. SNPs associated to the 5 breast cancer subgroups
- 3. SNPs associated to tumoral *TP53* mutation status
- 4. SNPs associated to Hormone Respetor status
- 5. SNPs associated to two random groups
- 6. Detection of chromosomal aberrations with the 10K SNP set



Background mRNA expression



Group H (Luminal Subtype A)

Group D

Perou et al 2000, Sørlie et al. 2001, 2003

SNPs associated to tumor subclasses





So let us divide our 100K SNPs into different functional pathways

Gene set enrichment analysis for SNPs Bmstatus 3 sig. pathways ER 2 -"-HR 1 -"-PR 0 -"-TP53 2 -"-

2 pathways are common for all analysed binære

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- p21 early (13 gener)
- RNA Polymerase (14 gener).
- CENPF, from p21 early, has 12 SNPs very significantly differently distributed in different groups with BM (p<10-5), TP53 status and HR.
- CENPF (Centromere protein F). Resides on chromosome 1q41 and encodes a protein that associates with the centromere-kinetochore complex. The protein is a component of the nuclear matrix during the G2 phase of interphase. In late G2 the protein associates with the kinetochore and maintains this association through early anaphase. It localizes to the spindle midzone and the intracellular bridge in late anaphase and telophase, respectively, and is thought to be subsequently degraded. The localization of this protein suggests that it may play a role in chromosome segregation during mitotis. It is thought to form either a homodimer or heterodimer. Autoantibodies against this protein have been found in patients with cancer or graft versus host disease.

CENPF SNPs are in LD, and form 2 blocks. One of these "disease" haplotypes was associated to BM status with p-value 4,4*10-5

Chromosomal aberrations



Background CGH

Summary from CGH-Explorer's ACE algorithm, FDR<0.001



•Aberration frequencies in the 5 TS of early BC



1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 X Y

Deletion on 16q





Results

•Significant association to survival is mapped to CNA of 6 probes after BF



Results

• CNAs associate with the expression of TXNL4B and DHX38



Results

•LD plots of the genes with germline SNPs most significantly associated with 16q deletion status



In cis

Chromosome 8



	Name	Chromoso	In Gene?	Allele	Chi square	P value
	APC and	RAD50				
	rs1496390	5	KCNN2	G	5.601	0.0179
	rs171661	5		Т	4.253	0.0392
	hLMH1					
	rs1403470	3		С	4.821	0.0281
	MGMT					
	rs196290	10	BAG3	Т	6.628	0.01
	rs765934	10		С	5.762	0.0164
	rs1545693	10	ADAM12	С	5.649	0.0175
	rs947582	10	UROS	G	5.217	0.0224
	rs1041517	10		Т	4.861	0.0275
	rs1535461	10	TACC2	G	4.697	0.0302
	NBS1					
	rs997597	8	FLJ35802	С	7.459	0.0063
	rs734546	8		С	4.703	0.0301
	STK6					
In trans	rs1570160	20		A	2,43	0.0099
in trans	rs195022	20		A	4.934	0.0263
	TP53					
	No Associ	17				

DNA methylation

Non-random distribution of methylated CpGs in subclasses of breast cancer



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Stage and DNA methylation

Stage 1:Tumors less than 2,0 cm in diameter

Stage 2:Tumors between 2-5 cm

Stage 3:Tumors greater than 5 cm

Stage 4: Fixation to chest wall, peu d'orange, ulceriation of skin







DNA methylation and survival

MDR1_MSP1_2_3

PPP2R2B_MSP1_3

GSTP1_MSP1_2



Sequencing of 400bp upstream of the GSTP1 genome







Rønneberg et al, Cancer Res 2008

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Variation in regulation of gene expression: SNPs in regulatory RNA and their targets.

Introduction

There are indications that microRNA genes are involved in human tumourigenesis. Expression profiles of microRNAs can be used to classify tumors. Comparative DNA Hybridization (CGH) show that loss, amplifications and fragile sites often overlap with genomic location of microRNAs. They have a striking propensity to target genes known to or suspected to have roles in growth control, including both oncogenes and tumor suppressor genes.

Single Nucleotide Polymorphisms (SNPs) affects the miRNA pathways in several aspects. SNPs upstream of the gene might affect the transcription of individual or clusters of miRNAs, SNPs in the mature unit might affect the binding to an mRNA, SNPs in the mRNA of the target gene might prevent or generate binding sites for miRNAs, and SNPs in genes involved in miRNA processing might affect the whole microRNA pathway.

Aim

 Identify SNP/haplotypes that affect expression or target binding of miRNAs involved in breast cancer.

Integrate miRNA and other data from various platforms (CGH, expression, SNPs) to generate a comprehensive understanding of the influence from miRNA deregulation in susceptibility, aggressiveness and treatment response of breast cancer.

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SNPs in miRNA targets





Candidate SNPs from *in silico* predictions for functional validation



miRNA bindingssites selected for functional validation

+ experimental control

Enhancer of zeste homolog 2, EZH2:

2 validated miR-101 bindingssites in 3' UTR SNP in one of them av setene

Materialer og metoder

in silico predikerte aminitetsscore og

genotypefrekvens

Gene	Predicted miRNA partner	Predicted pairing of target region (top) and miRNA (bottom)	SNP	Allele	Binding affinity score	Genotype frequency (82 breast cancer patients)
		5' UCAGGAACCUCG-A GUACUGU G 3'		Т	-	1
EZH2	hsa-miR-101	. . 3' AGUCAAUAGUGU CAUGACA U 5'	rs8829	G	-	0
		5'GCAGUU-(16nt)-CAAA GUACUGU A 3' 3'AGUCAAUAGUGU CAUGACA U 5'		Score difference	-	
		5' CAAU-GGC-AAUGGCAC U GCCU 3'		т	655	0,39
PTPR		:::Xi X::: i : : i :	rs2210992	С	251	0,61
J	hsa-miR-34b	34b 3' GUUAGUCGAUUACUGUGACGGA 5'		Score difference	404	
		5' AGGAAGCCAG-GGUGU <mark>U</mark> GAC 3'		Т	601	0,67
	hsa-miR-505	: : : ! : xx ! : : : :	rs8304	G	222	0,33
Lass6		3' UCCUUUGGUCGUUCACAACUG 5'		Score	379	
		$\mathbf{E}' = \mathbf{A} \mathbf{A} - \mathbf{C} \mathbf{A} \mathbf{C} - \mathbf{A} \mathbf{C} \mathbf{C} \mathbf{U} \mathbf{C} \mathbf{C} \mathbf{C} \mathbf{A} \mathbf{A} \mathbf{C} \mathbf{C} \mathbf{U} \mathbf{C} \mathbf{C} \mathbf{C} \mathbf{A} \mathbf{A}^{2}$		amerence	470	0.22
мсс	hsa-miR-34a	:: x1: x: : 1: : x 1: !:		с -	479	0,52
			rs2227947	1	319	0,68
				Score difference	160	
Resultater						

Luciferase reporter assay



- Hver av SNP allelene i de predikerte, utvalgte miRNA bindingssetene
- Kontrollvektorer med tilfeldig baserekkefølge av bindingssetene → vil ikke binde predikert miRNA partner

Western blotting med antistoff mot EZH2 av 293T celler transfektert med miR-101



293T celler: homozygot **T** for EZH2 rs8829

Resultater

Western blotting med antistoff mot PTPRJ



MCF-7 celler: heterozygot TC for PTPRJ rs2270992

- Predikert bindingspartner: miR-34b
- Også nedregulert av miR-34a og miR-505

Aligned miRNAs	Sequence alignment	
hsa-miR-34b	1 UAGGCAGUGUCAUUAGCUGAUUG	23
hsa-miR-34a	1 UGGCAGUGUC-UUAGCUGGUUGU	22
hsa-miR-34b	1 UAGGCAGUGUCAUUAGCUGAUUG	23
hsa-miR-505	1 CGUCAACACUU-GCUGGUUUCCU	22

Resultater

Luciferase reporter assay *PTPRJ – miR-34b*

1,2 1 0,8 - 1% 8 **∝**0,6 p = 0,9699R 0,4 0,2 - 53% p<0,0001 0 PTPRJ T allele/ hsa-miR-34b PTPRJ C allele/ hsa-miR-34b

Average RRR PTPRJ rs2270992 T>C

RRR= PTPRJ allel vektorkonstrukt PTPRJ kontroll vektorkonstrukt

- Gjennomsnittlig RRR:
 - T allel = 0,99 (±0,14)
 - C allel = 0,47 (±0,22)
- T allel vs. C allele:
 p<0,0001
- T allel vs. PTPRJ kontroll:

p = 0,9699

 C allel vs. PTPRJ kontroll: p<0,0001
 Resultater

What comes first and what is the relative contribution of each event?



Structure of the data

SNPs -100 000 datapointsCGH -44/100/244 000 datapointsmRNA values44 000 datapointsmethylation845 datapointsmiRNA470 datapoints

Sorted association analysis

	CGH no change	CGH high	CGH low
mRNA no change		Inhibition of mRNA- Absence of TF Methylation miRNA	Induction of mRNA- SNP regulator Presence of TF binding
mRNA high	Induction of mRNA- SNP regulator Presence of TF binding		???
mRNA low	Inhibition of mRNA- Absence of TF Methylation miRNA	Inhibition of mRNA- Methylation miRNA	

Sorted association analysis



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