



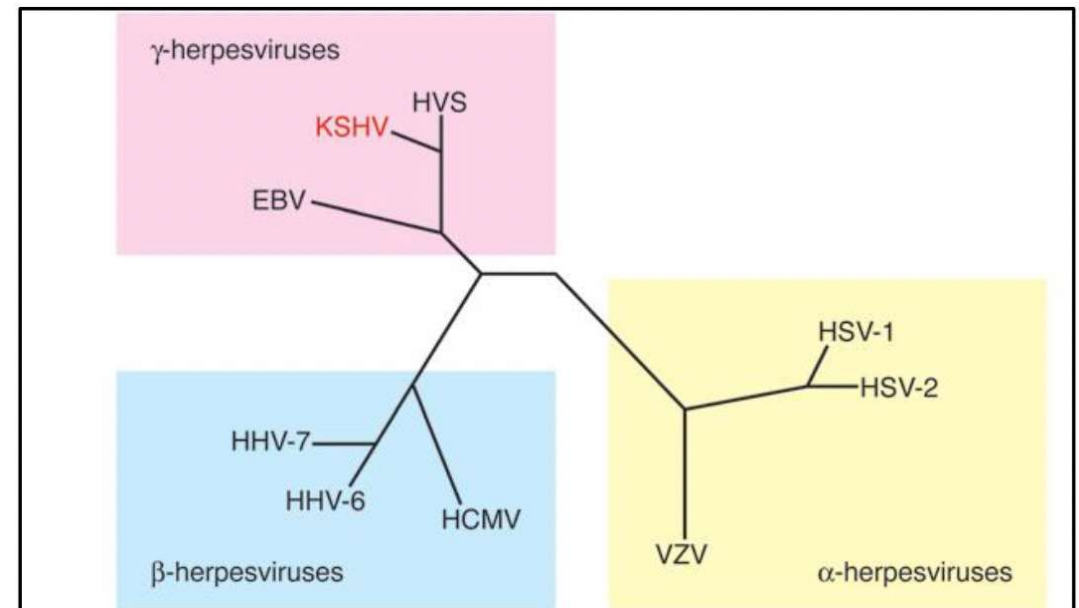
EBV HHV8
Si loin, si proche

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EBV et/ou HHV8?

- γ -Herpesviridae (ADN double brin)
- Cycles lytique/latent
- Infection et transformation B
- Analogues viraux de protéines cellulaires (cycle,...)
- Séroprévalence
- Réservoir
- IEI



VIRUS PARTICLES IN CULTURED LYMPHOBLASTS FROM BURKITT'S LYMPHOMA

INTEREST in Burkitt's malignant lymphoma¹ has centred largely on the climatic and geographical factors which determine its distribution,^{2,3} since these can be taken to suggest that a transmissible vector-borne agent may be involved in causation.^{4,5} As part of an investigation

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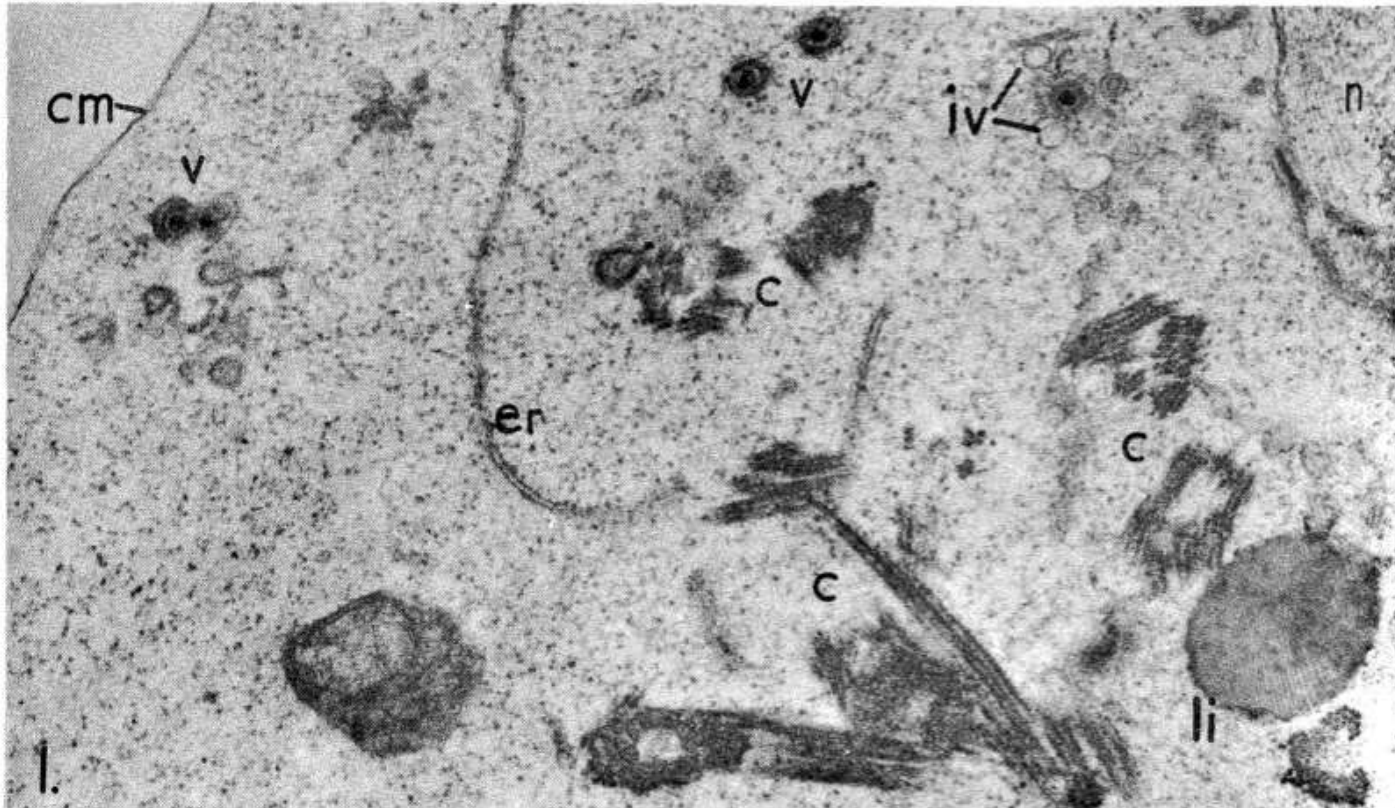
into this possibility a line of lymphoblasts from a Burkitt tumour has been established in tissue culture⁶ for various types of study; this communication gives a preliminary account of virus particles in cells of this line from the first two cultures examined by electron microscopy.

METHODS

Collection of cells.—The cells were taken from two separate stationary cultures after 75 and 82 days in vitro respectively; they were collected in suspension by drawing the culture fluid, in which they grow as free-floating individuals,⁶ into a syringe pre-warmed to 37°C.

Preparation for electron microscopy.—The cells were fixed by

6. Epstein, M. A., Barr, Y. M. *Lancet*, 1964, **i**, 252.



EBV/Généralités

Gamma herpes virus/HHV-4/DNA double brin

2 pics d'infection (avant 5 ans/(A)symptomatique, entre 15-24 ans/(a)symptomatique)



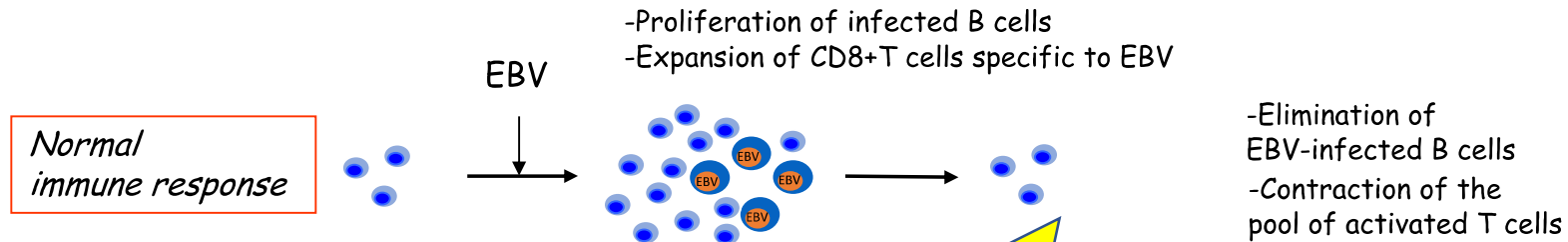
Séro-prévalence estimée à 90-95% à l'âge adulte (rôle?)

Mononucléose infectieuse

- Forme de l'adolescent
- Incubation 4-7 semaines
- Triade : fièvre, polyadénopathie/splénomégalie, **angine (>90%)**
- Diagnostic sérologique (MNI test chez l'adolescent, exceptions : DI humoral, substitution Ig)
- Cinétique clinique et biologique de guérison très variable (excrétion salivaire prolongée)

Anti-EBV antibodies			Interpretation
VCA IgM	VCA IgG	EBNA-1 IgG	
Negative	Negative	Negative	No immunity
Positive	Negative	Negative	Acute infection or non-specificity ¹
Positive	Positive	Negative	Acute infection
Negative	Positive	Positive	Past infection
Negative	Positive	Negative	Acute or past infection ¹
Positive	Positive	Positive	Late primary infection or reactivation ¹
Negative	Negative	Positive	Past infection or non-specificity ¹

Primo-infection EBV (2)



Challenge immunologique

Primo-infection asymptomatique

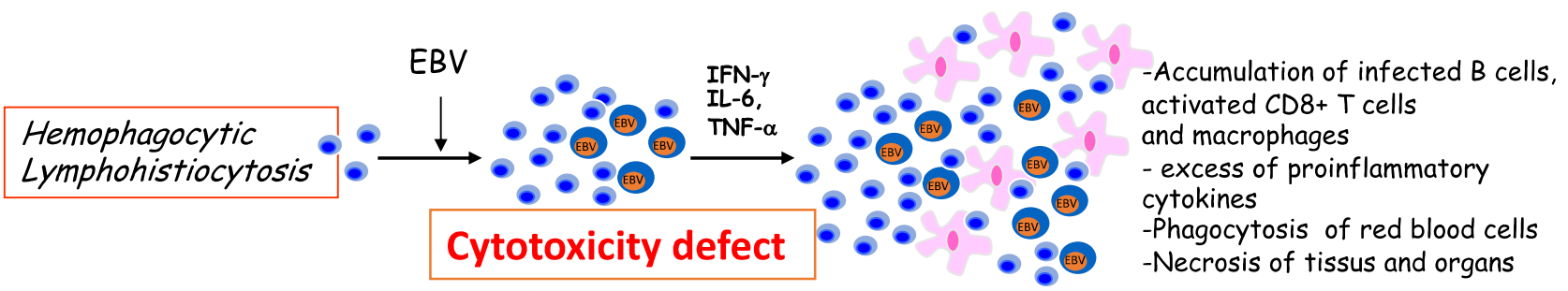
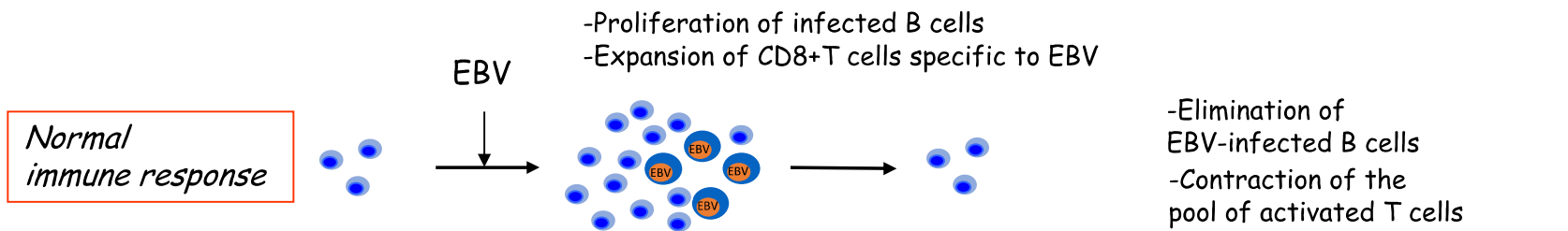
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Primo-infection symptomatique

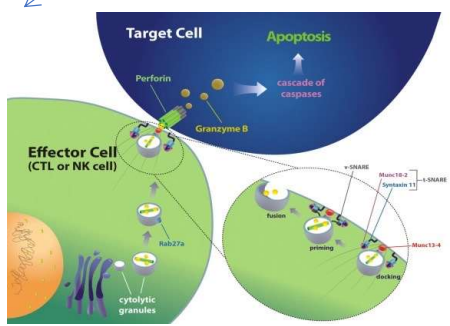
MNI

Formes hémophagocytaires

Primo-infection EBV hémophagocytaire



Lymphohistiocytoses familiales
Peu spécifiques de l'EBV



Syndrôme de Purtilo ou XLP
XLP-1 (SAP)
XLP-2 (XIAP)



Article

Role of IL-27 in Epstein–Barr virus infection revealed by IL-27RA deficiency

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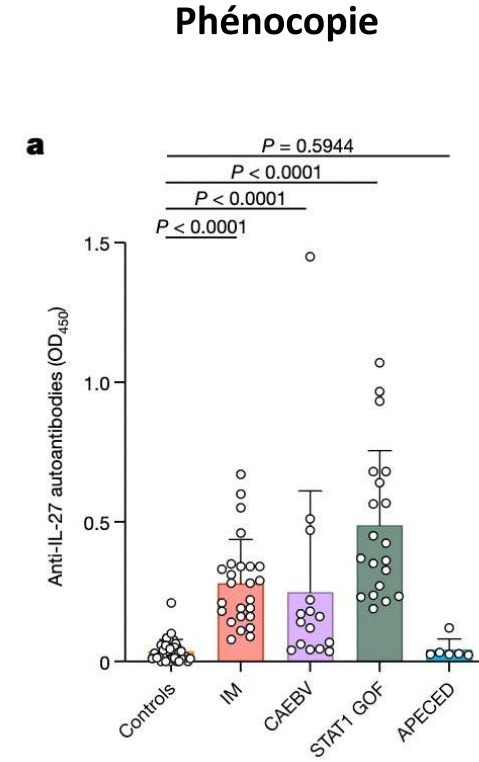
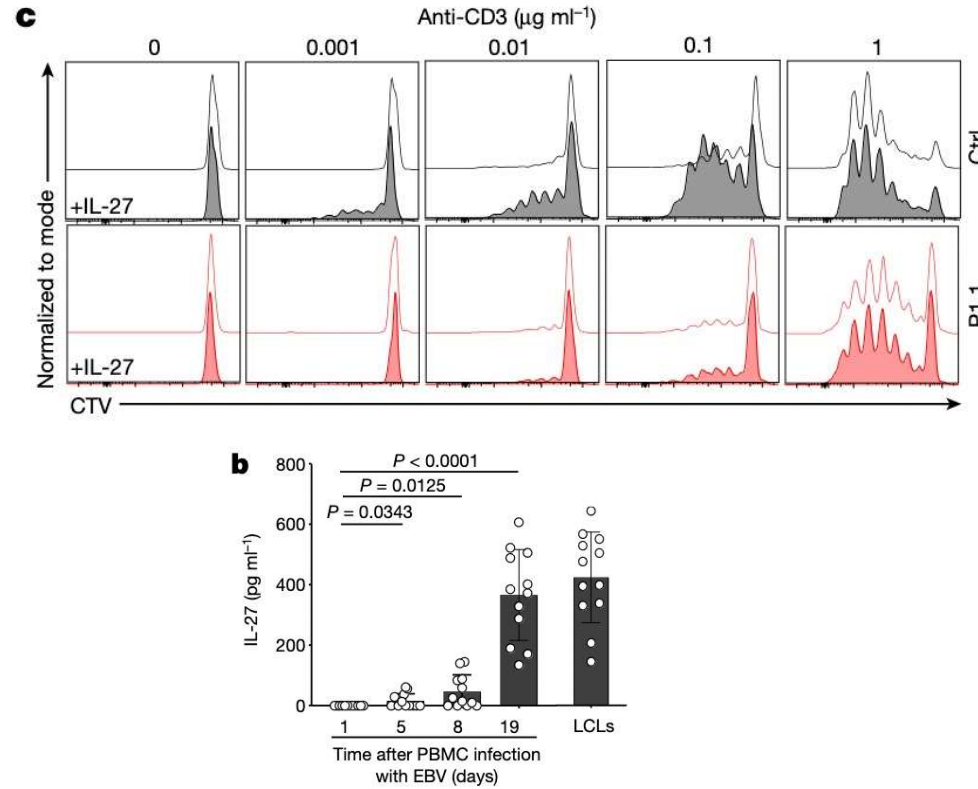
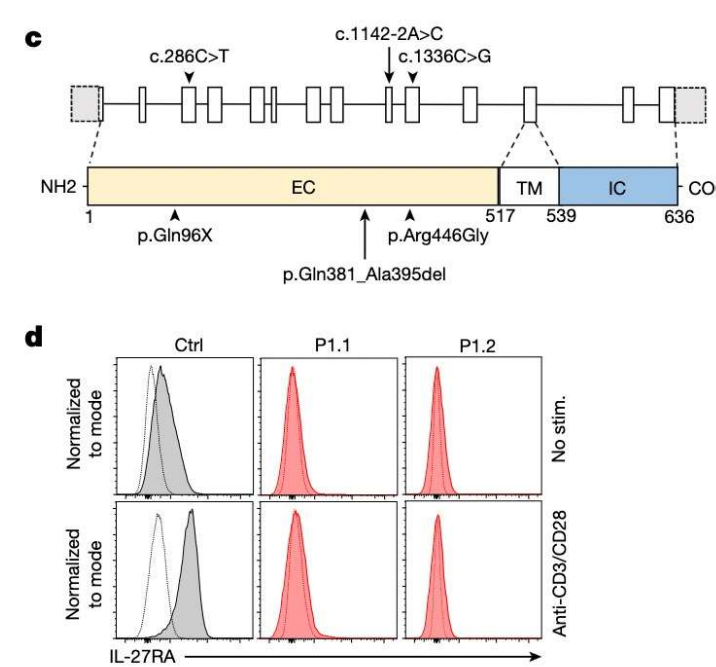
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Infections chroniques par l'EBV

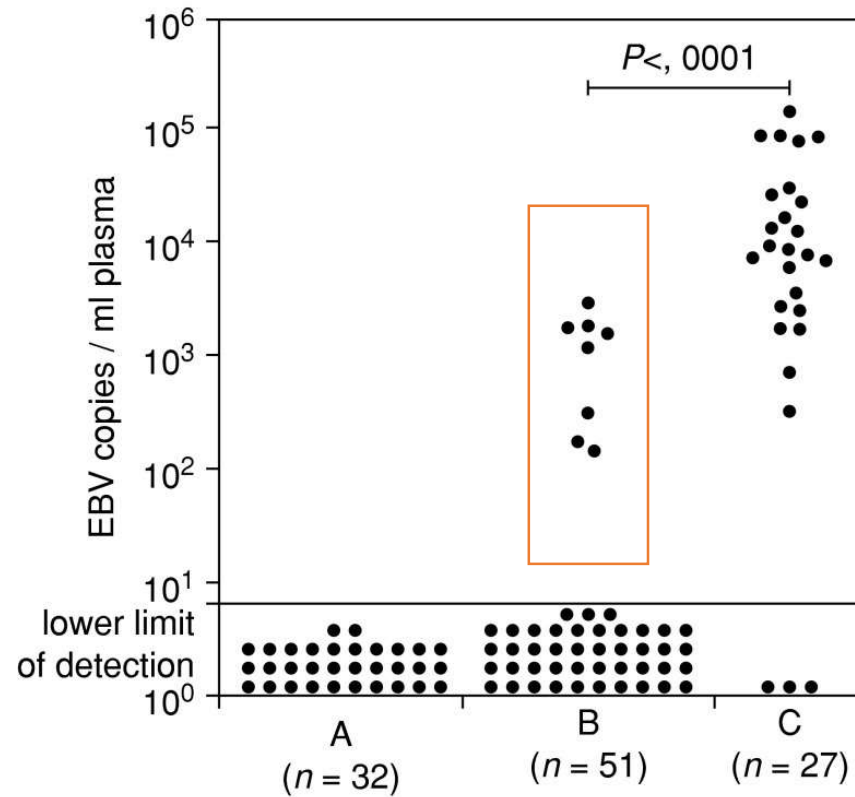
Réservoir B mémoire (1 cellule B infectée/ 10^6) et PCR EBV négative sur sang total

PCR EBV positive > 3 log « isolée »

Lymphoproliférations B EBV+

Lymphoproliférations T/NK EBV+

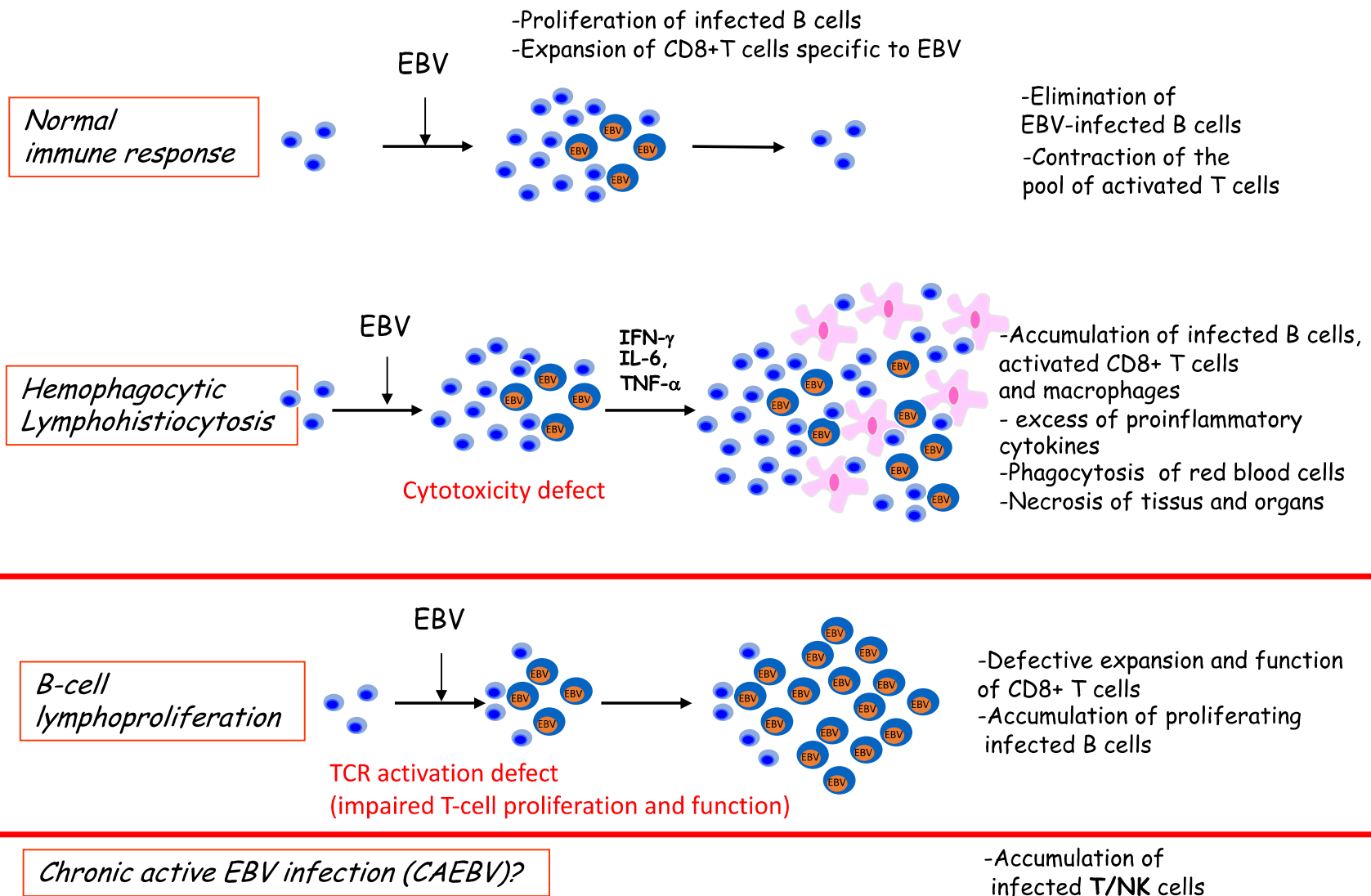
Réplication EBV plasmatique



EBV serology

IgM to VCA	-	-	+
IgG to VCA	-	+	+/-
IgG to EBNA	-	+	-

Abnormal immune responses to EBV in primary immunodeficiencies (Latour model)

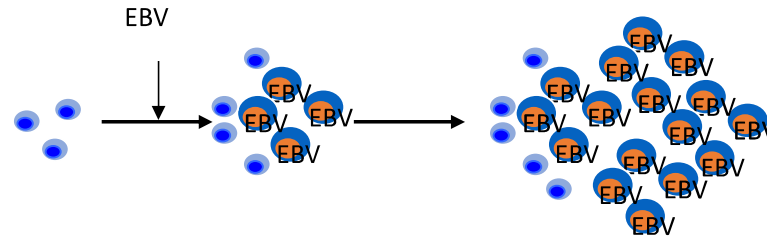


Genetics of EBV+ B cell LPD susceptibility

IEIs with EBV+ LPD susceptibility :

- CTPS1 deficiency
- ITK deficiency
- CD27/CD70/CD137/CD137L deficiency
- MAGT1 deficiency
- CORO1A deficiency
- RASGRP1 deficiency

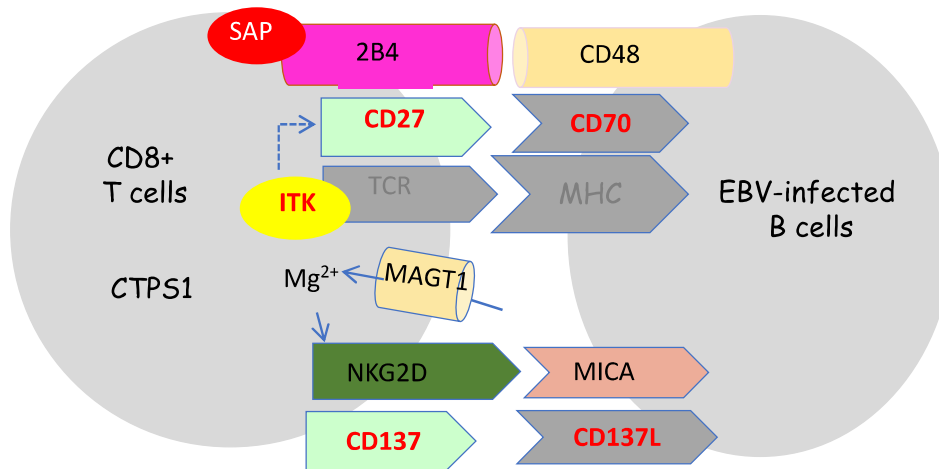
B-cell lymphoproliferation



Impact translationnel

TG CD70 (LNH)
iCTPS1 (LNH T)

Defective expansion and function of CD8+ T cells
Accumulation of proliferating infected B cells

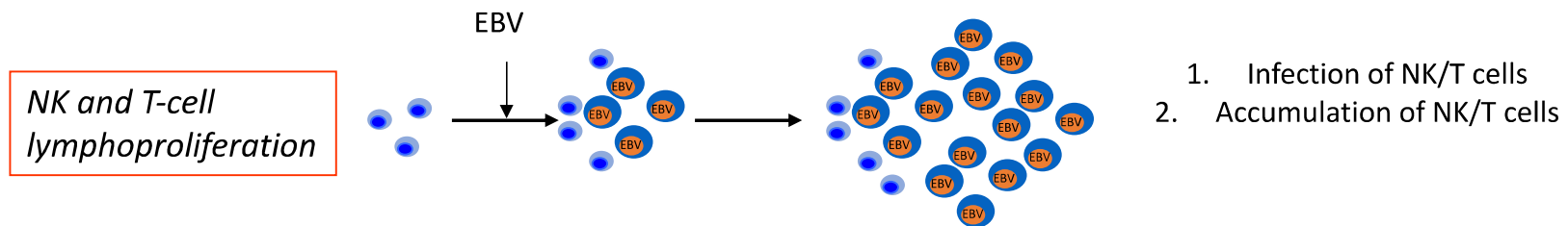


Monogenic disorders associated with EBV PIDs = **T CELL PROLIFERATION DEFECTS OR COSTIMULATION DEFECTS**

*S. Latour, COACI (2013)
Nature (2014)
J Exp Med (2016, 2019, 2021, 2023)
EMBO Mol Med (2018)*

Lymphoproliférations T/NK liées à l'EBV

- Pathologie nodale ou extranodale
- Spectre nosologique et phénotypique large
- **Pas de formes familiales**
- Prévalence accrue dans les populations asiatiques
- Pas de réponse au rituximab



Présentations cliniques

EBV-positive T-cell and NK-cell LPDs of childhood

Systemic EBV+ T-cell lymphoma of childhood

CAEBV

Chronic active EBV infection of T- and NK-cell type, systemic form

Hydroa vacciniforme-like lymphoproliferative disorder

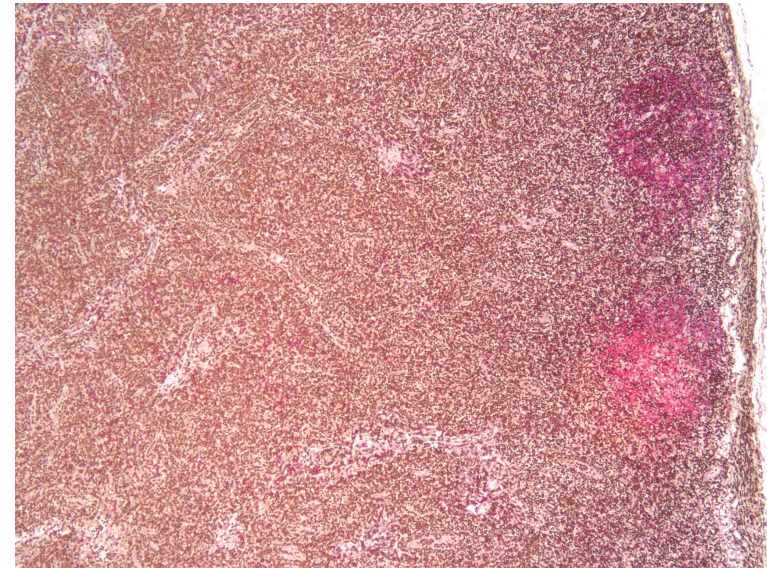
Severe mosquito bite allergy

1. Lymphome T EBV+ systémique de l'enfance

- HLH fulminante
- Défaillance multiviscérale (foie, coagulation, ...)
- Pronostic défavorable
- Infection des T CD8+

Pt 1 (4 ans)	
Fibrinogène (g/l)	<0.3
LDH (UI/l)	12 490
Triglycérides (mmol/l)	10,86
Ferritine (µg/l)	316 617
EBV (Log cp/ml)	6,8

Pt 2 (9 ans)	15/01	29/01	30/03	21/05
Fibrinogène (g/l)	0,5	0,4	1,7	1
LDH (UI/l)	1698			6977
Triglycérides (mmol/l)	4,77		9,66	10,08
Ferritine (µg/l)	28 758	818	8 568	1 700 474
EBV (Log cp/ml)	5,1	4,9	<2.0	5,2



**EBER
CD79A**

**Diagnostic histologique
Comarquage T/EBER**

2. CAEBV cutanés



Hydroa vacciniformis: $\gamma\delta$

« Allergie sévère aux piqûres de moustiques »

NK



Diagnostic histologique
Comarquage T/EBER

3. CAEBV systémiques, type T/NK

Critères diagnostiques

1. **Charge virale EBV élevée** dans le sang périphérique
2. **Infection des lymphocytes T et/ou NK** dans un tissu ou **le sang périphérique**
3. **Symptômes systémiques** « inflammatoires » pendant plus de 3 mois.
4. **Exclusion d'autres diagnostics:** lymphomes, immunosuppression, etc...

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Hétérogénéité clinique importante

Lymphoprolifération chronique (HMG, SMG, fièvre)

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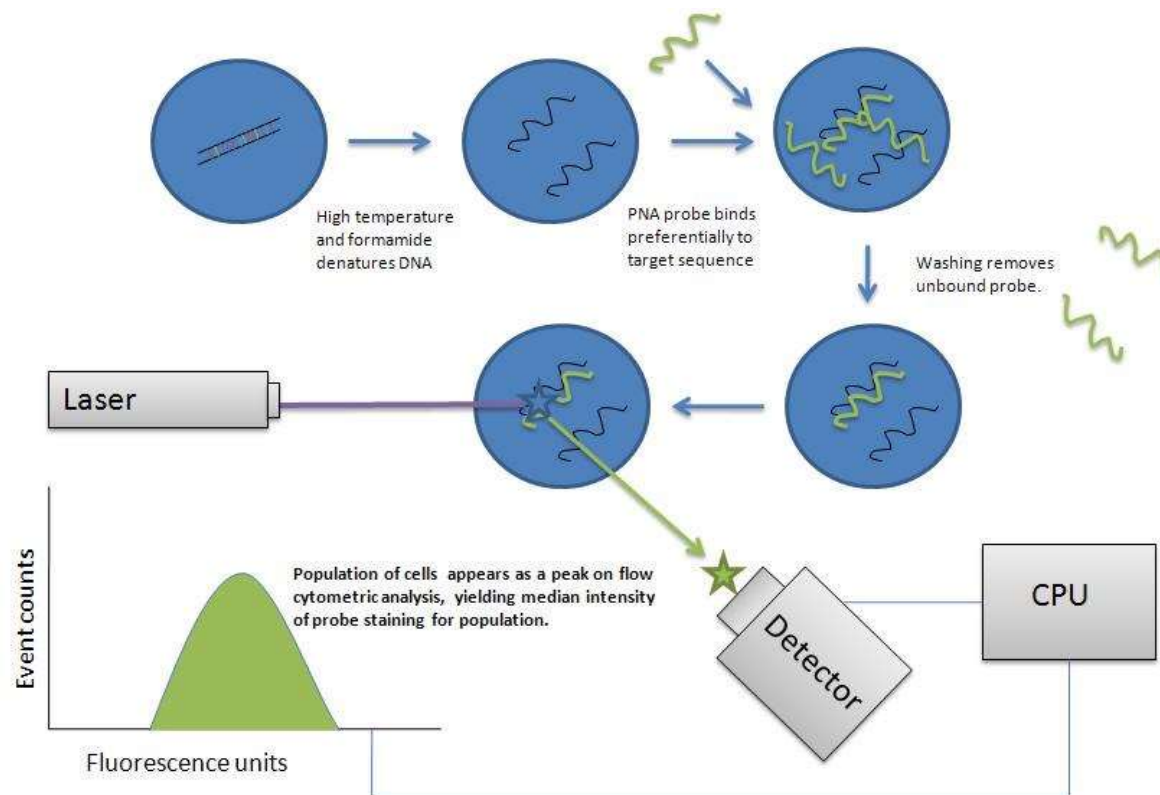
Dermatomyosite-like

Vascularite systémique

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CD4, CD8, $\gamma\delta$ et/ou NK sans lien avec le phénotype

Flowfish = Technique d'hybridation in situ EBV (EBER) couplé à la cytométrie de flux



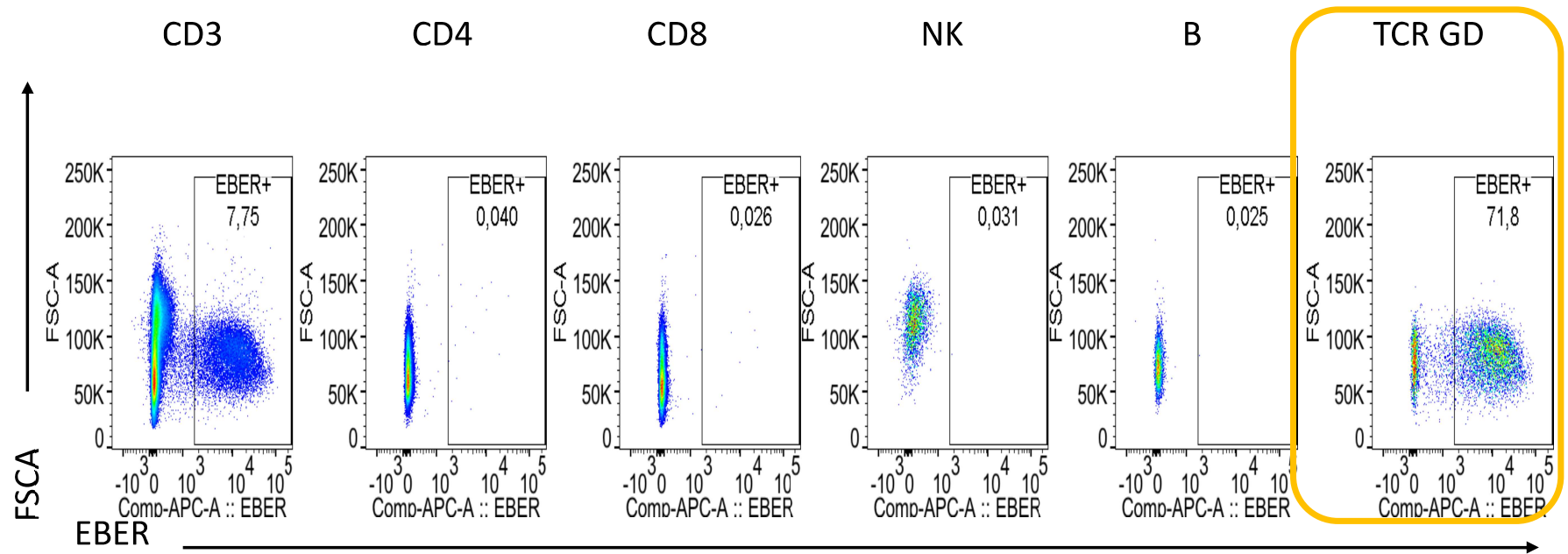
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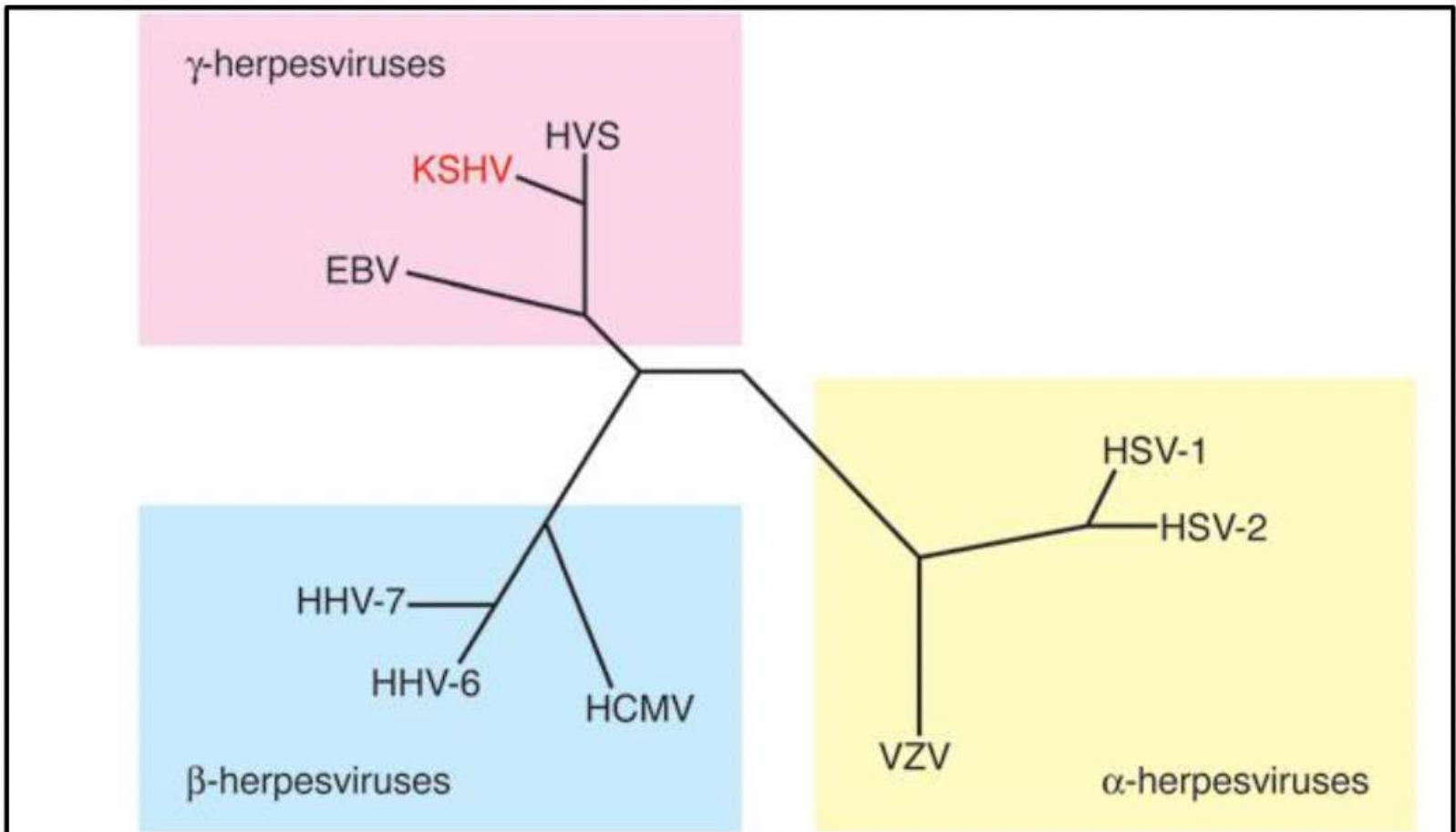
- 0 ATCD familial ni personnel
- Origine marocaine / pas de consanguinité
- Anévrysmes
 - Coronaires
 - Digestifs
- Hépatomégalie/HNR
- Splénomégalie
- Pancytopénie à moelle riche
- Autoimmunité = 0
- Clonalité T circulante négative
- PCR EBV sang total = 6 log

- TTT
 - Immunosuppresseurs
 - Ciclosporine
 - Polychimiothérapie
 - ➔ pas de réponse
 - Décès (rupture d'anévrysme)

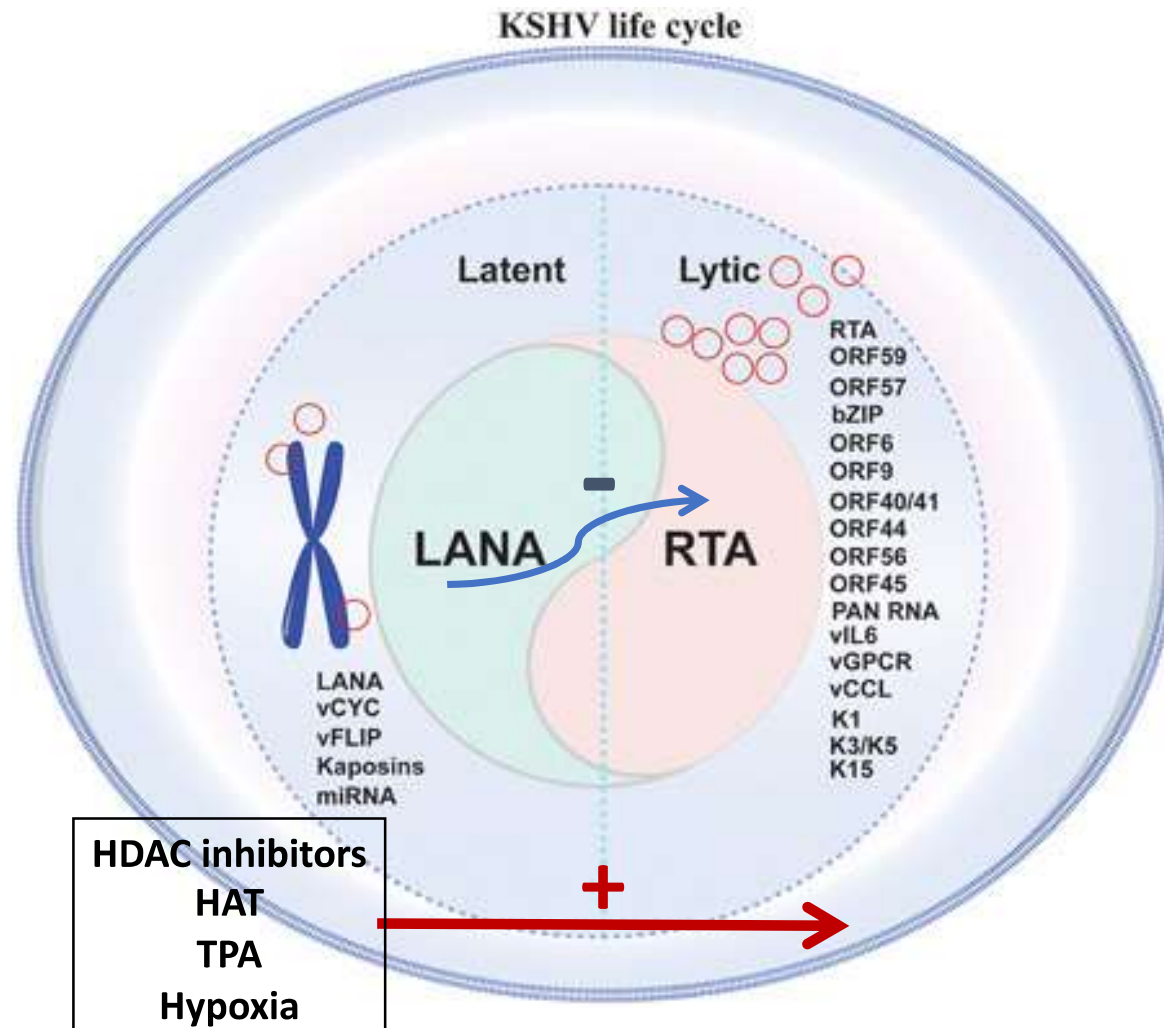


Flowfish





Replication vs persistence: Latent vs lytic viral cycles

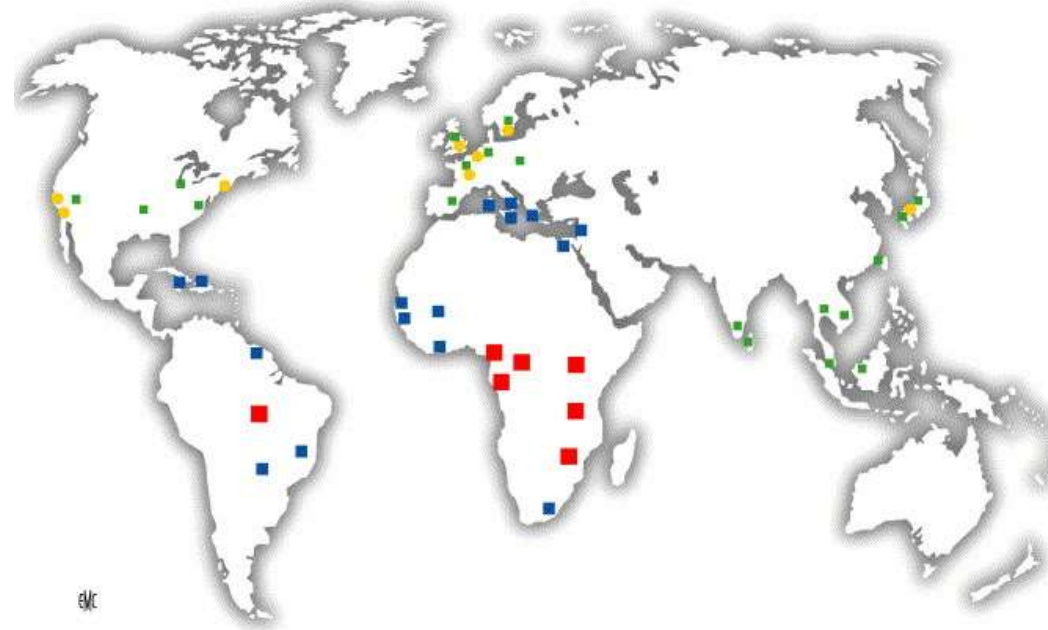


HHV8 basics

Transmission through saliva in young siblings
(high prevalence countries = subsaharan Africa, West Indies)



Sexual transmission, especially in MSM
(high and low prevalence countries)

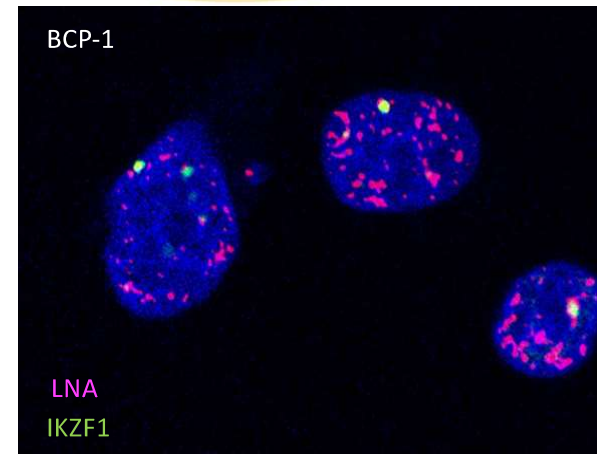
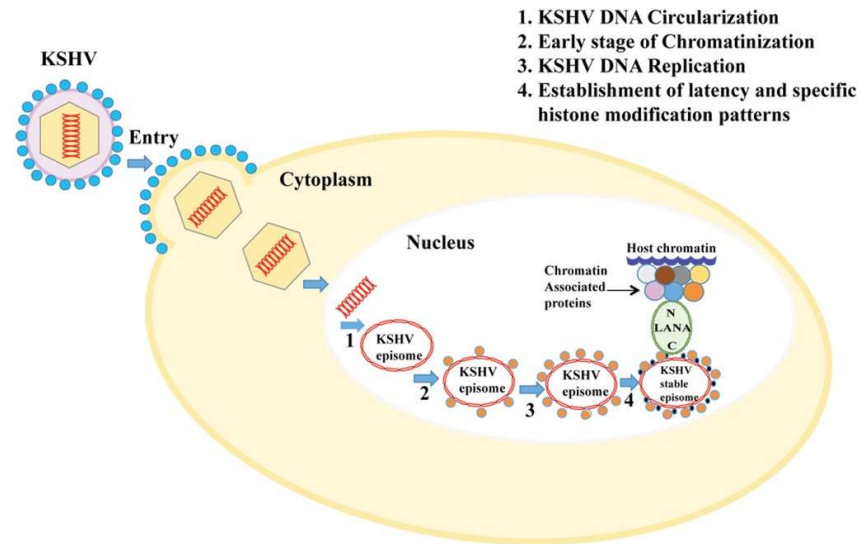


HHV8 target cells

Endothelial cells, epithelial cells
and keratinocytes
Heparan sulfate, integrins,
Epha2R

B cells and monocytes
DC-SIGN

Various endocytic pathways
Latency establishment
Episomal maintenance
(LNA-mediated histone interaction)



G. Fremont

HHV8-associated diseases
Secondary (HIV, post-transplant) > primary ID setting

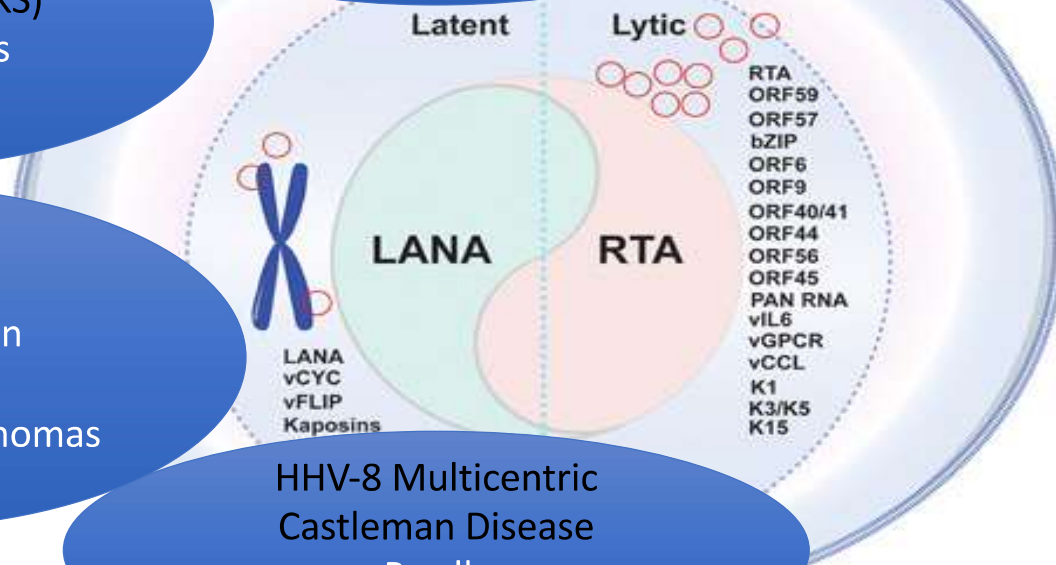


Kaposi Sarcoma (KS)
Endothelial cells

HHV-8 primary infection
Epithelial cells
Endothelial cells
B cells
T-cells, monocytes?

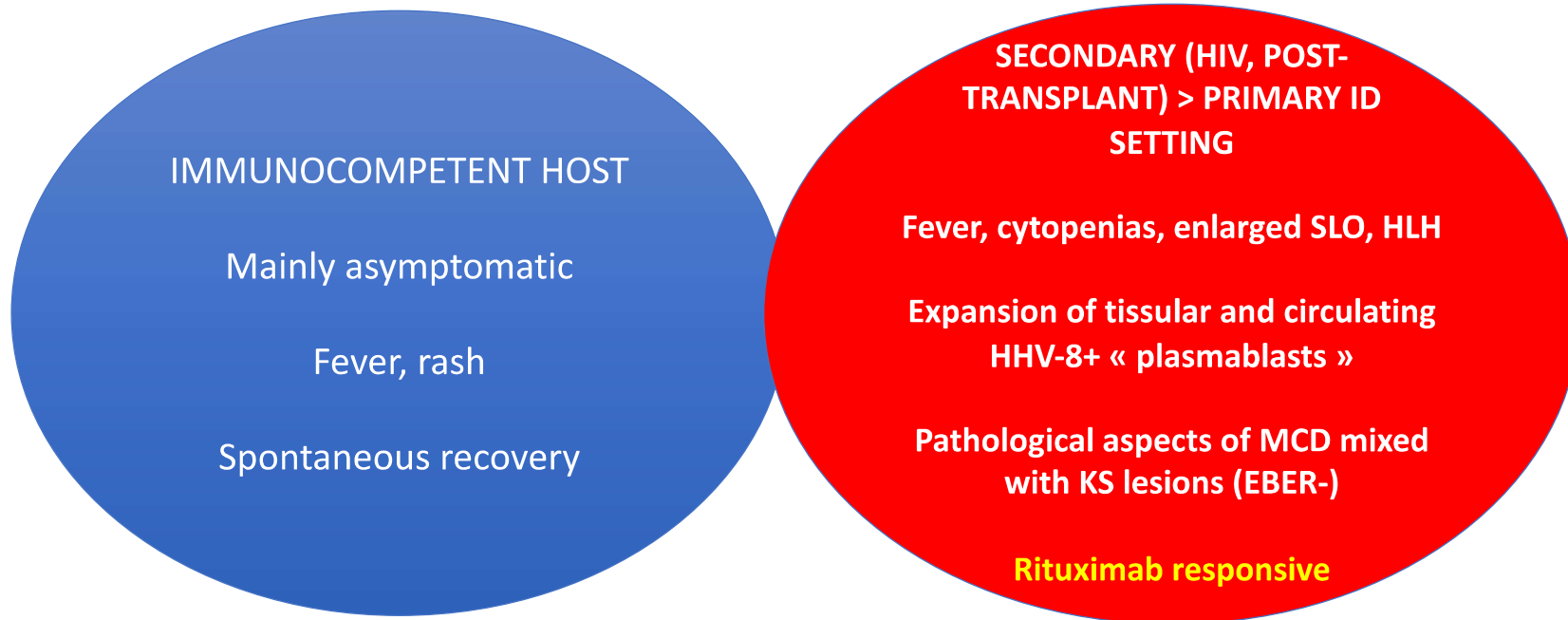
Lymphomas
Primary effusion
lymphomas
Plasmablastic lymphomas

HHV-8 Multicentric
Castleman Disease
B cells
T-cells, monocytes?



HHV8 primary infection

Serological diagnosis



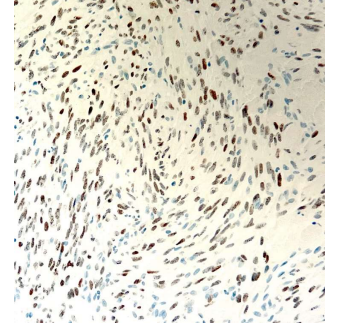
Unlike infectious mononucleosis, tonsillitis is not a hallmark of the disease (in oral contamination)
No massive expansion of circulating CD8+ cytotoxic T cells

High HHV8 loads (saliva and blood) = partially lytic disease?



KAPOSI SARCOMA

Histological diagnosis (LNA)



HIV/POST-TRANSPLANT

DISSEMINATED DISEASE

Expansion of HHV8+ fusiform cells (endothelial infection)

**Immune restoration
Polychemotherapy (ABV, Taxol)
Interferon**

CLASSICAL/ENDEMIC TYPES

No overt ID

Old males

Predominant lower limb localization

Unknown pathophysiology
Anti-PD1

« Cold » disease unless generalized/visceral involvement
If B symptoms, think of Castleman disease/HHV8 lymphoma!

Low HHV8 loads (2-3 log, saliva and blood) = latent disease

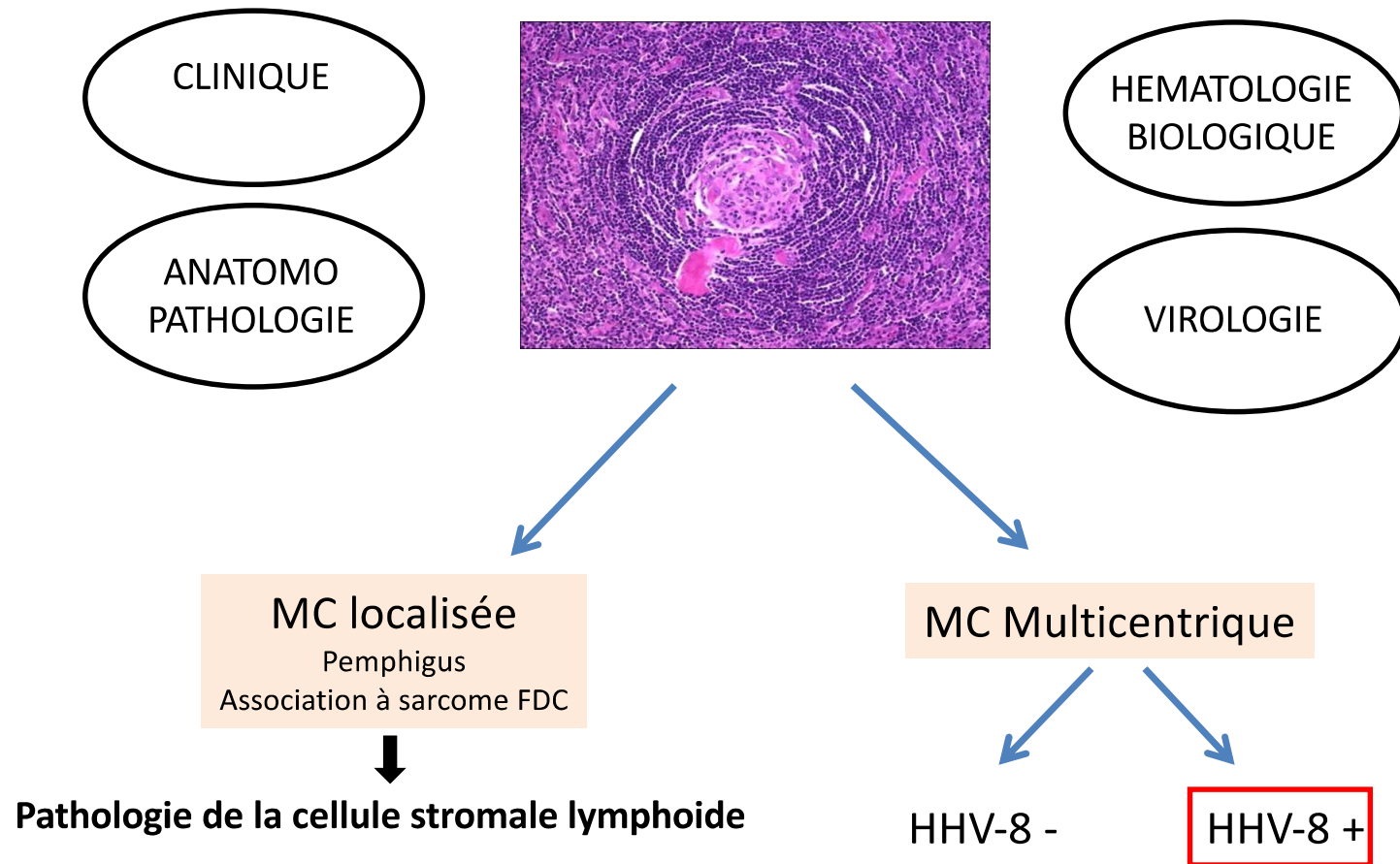
Steroids and rituximab are worsening factors

Maladie de Castleman HHV-8



Maladie(s) de Castleman

Une histologie, plusieurs maladies

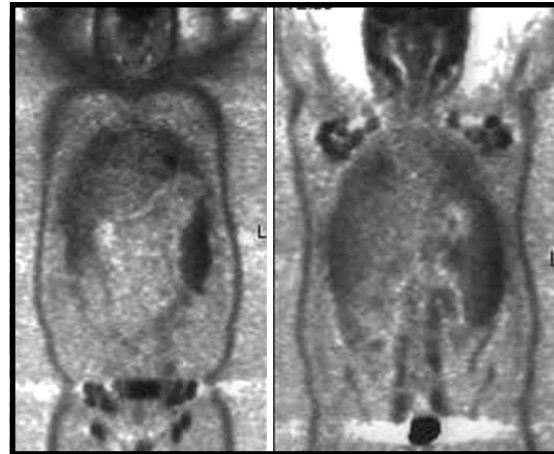


MC HHV8+: diagnostic

Symptômes

- * Symptômes "B"
- * Polyadénopathie
- * Splénomégalie
- * Symptômes Respiratoires
- * Œdèmes
- * Sd sec
- * Coma
- * Rash

- * **Kaposi**



Biologie

- * Cytopénies
- * CRP très élevée
- * Gammaglobuline > 20g/l
- * Albumine < 30g/l
- * Cholestase
- * TP allongé
- * Test de Coombs Direct +
- * **Hémophagocytose**

- * **Rémission spontanée possible**

- * **DNA-HHV8 / PBMCs +++**

MCM: Physiopathologie

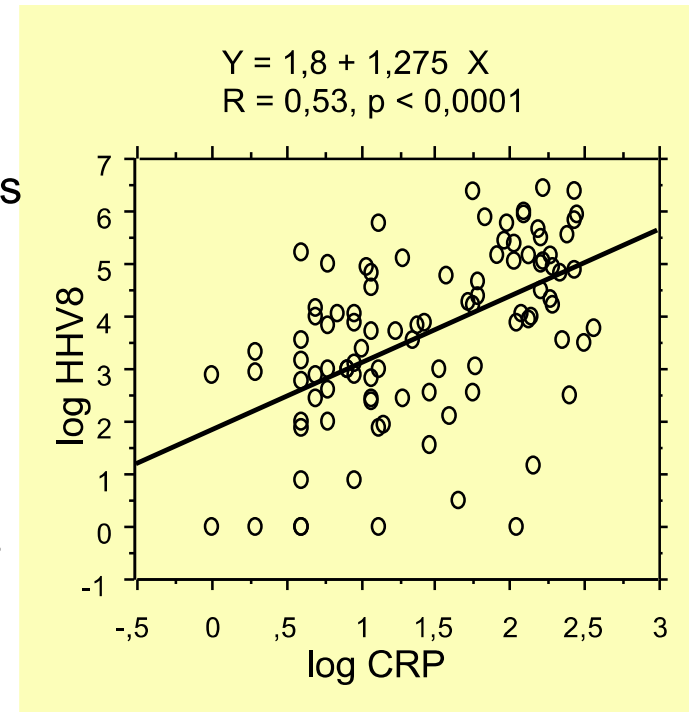
Les « poussées » s'accompagnent d'une charge virale élevée

« Poussées »

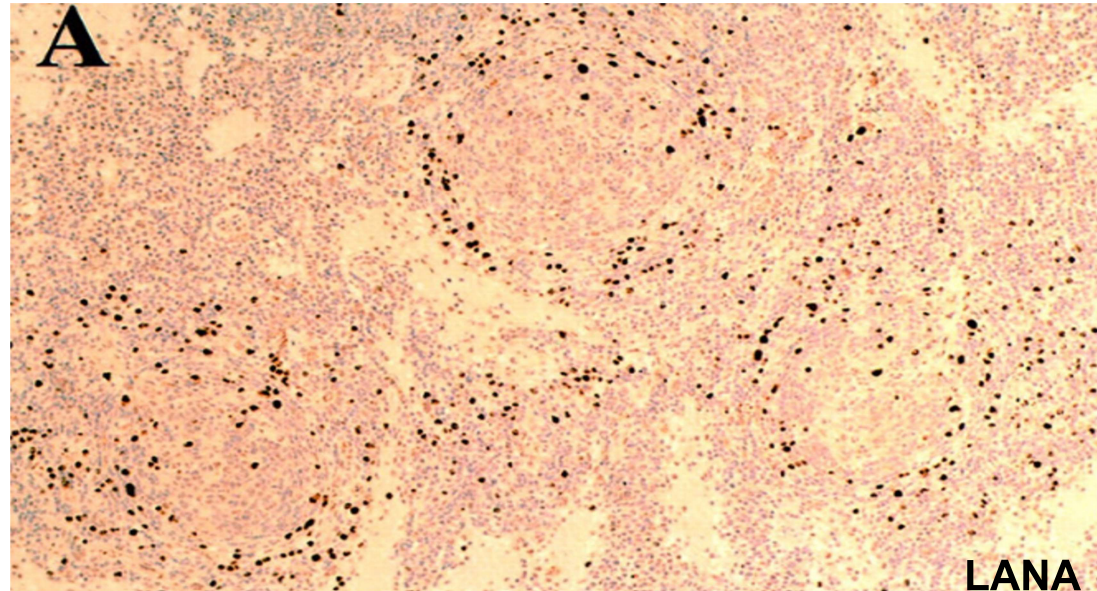
- CRP élevée
- « Charge virale » HHV8 élevée dans les PBMCs
med: **4.8 log** copies / μg DNA

Rémission

- CRP normale
- Faible « charge virale » HHV8 dans les PBMCs
med: **2.9 log** copies / μg DNA

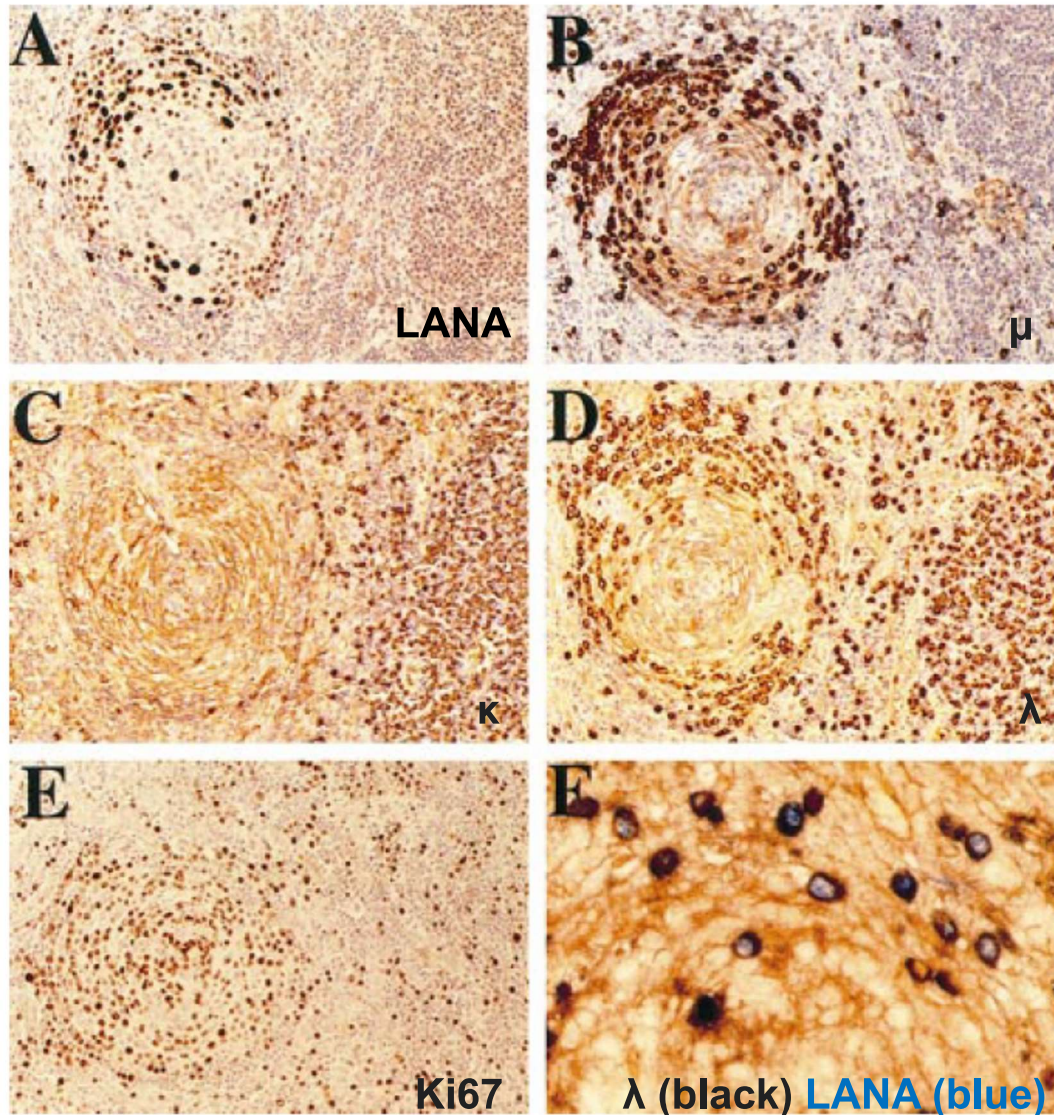


What is KSHV/HHV8-associated Multicentric Castleman Disease (MCD)?



Plasma-cell type MCD
Evidence of HHV8 *in situ* infection (LNA staining) =
KSHV-infected “plasmablasts”
Gold standard = biopsy
Semi-invasive and time-consuming procedure
in an emergency setting
(HLH with coagulation disorder)
Life-threatening disorder
Peculiar autoimmune complications

Phenotype of Lymph node KSHV-infected cells

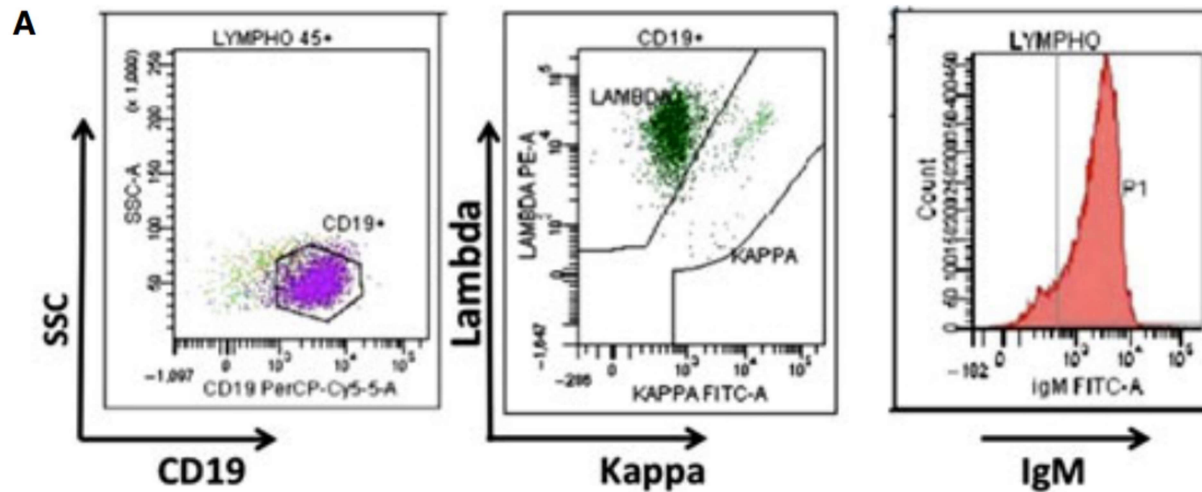
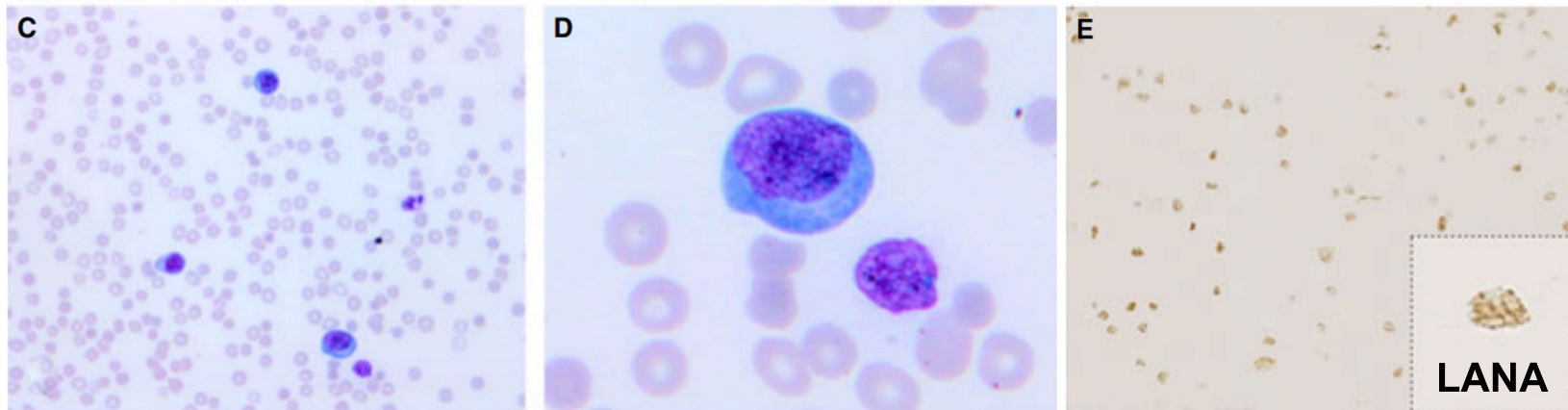


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All KSHV-infected are uniformly IgM and lambda-positive cells

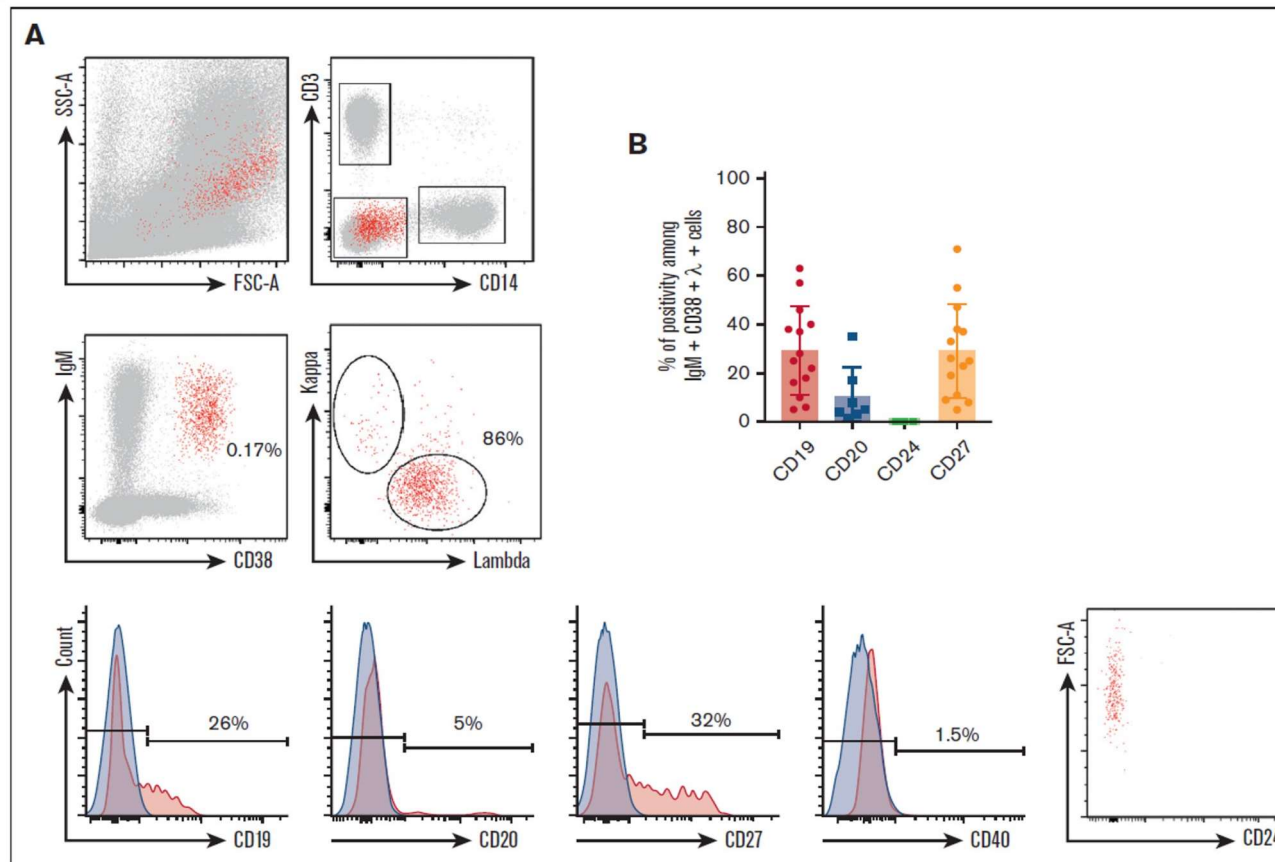
Hypothesis :
This singular phenotype might allow the detection of circulating KSHV-infected cells during Castleman flares

Preliminary observations of 3 patients with KSHV-associated MCD flare



Detection of circulating monotypic IgM lambda in 3/3 patients

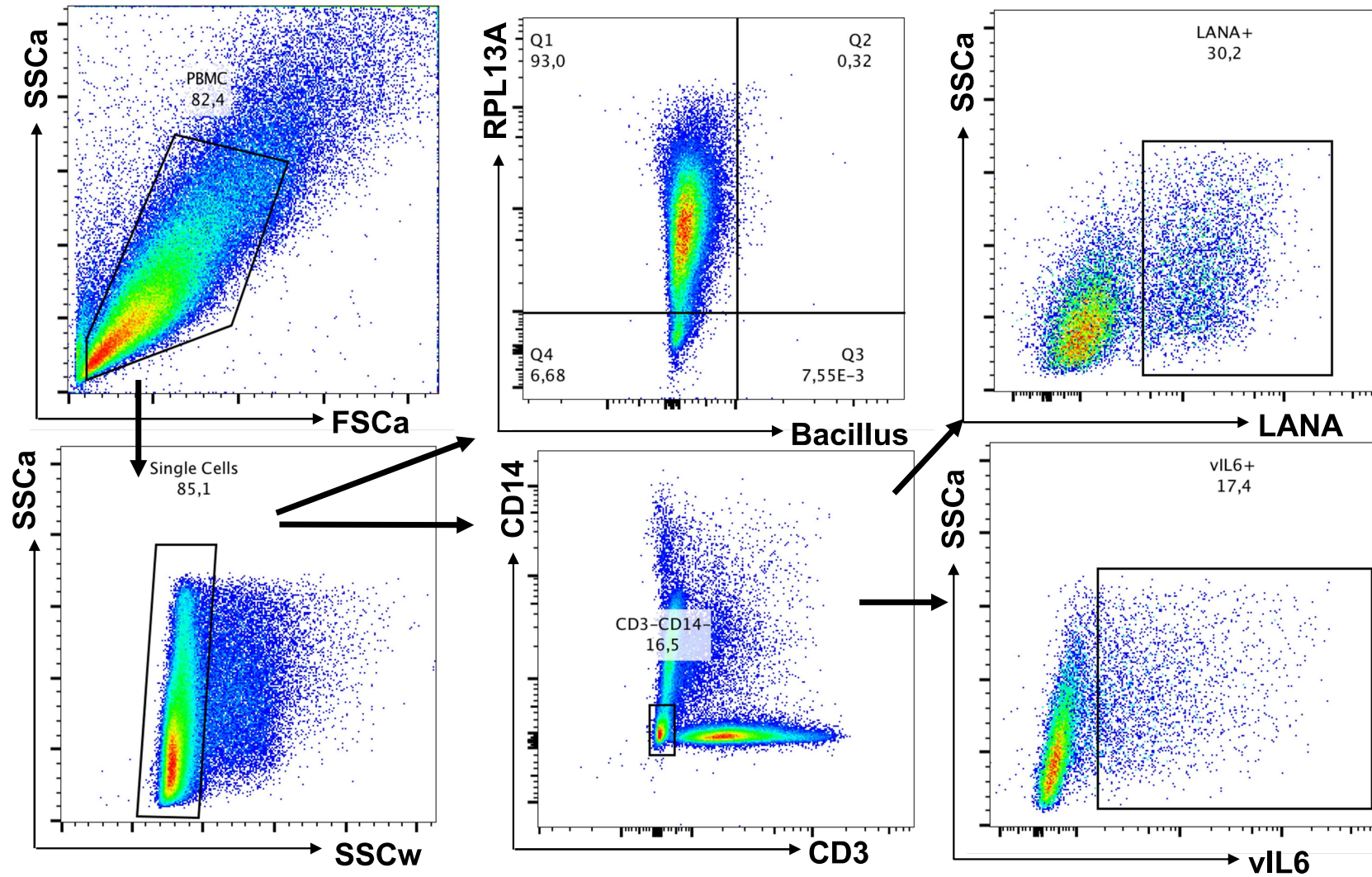
Detection of circulating monotypic IgM lambda cells in patients with KSHV-associated MCD flares



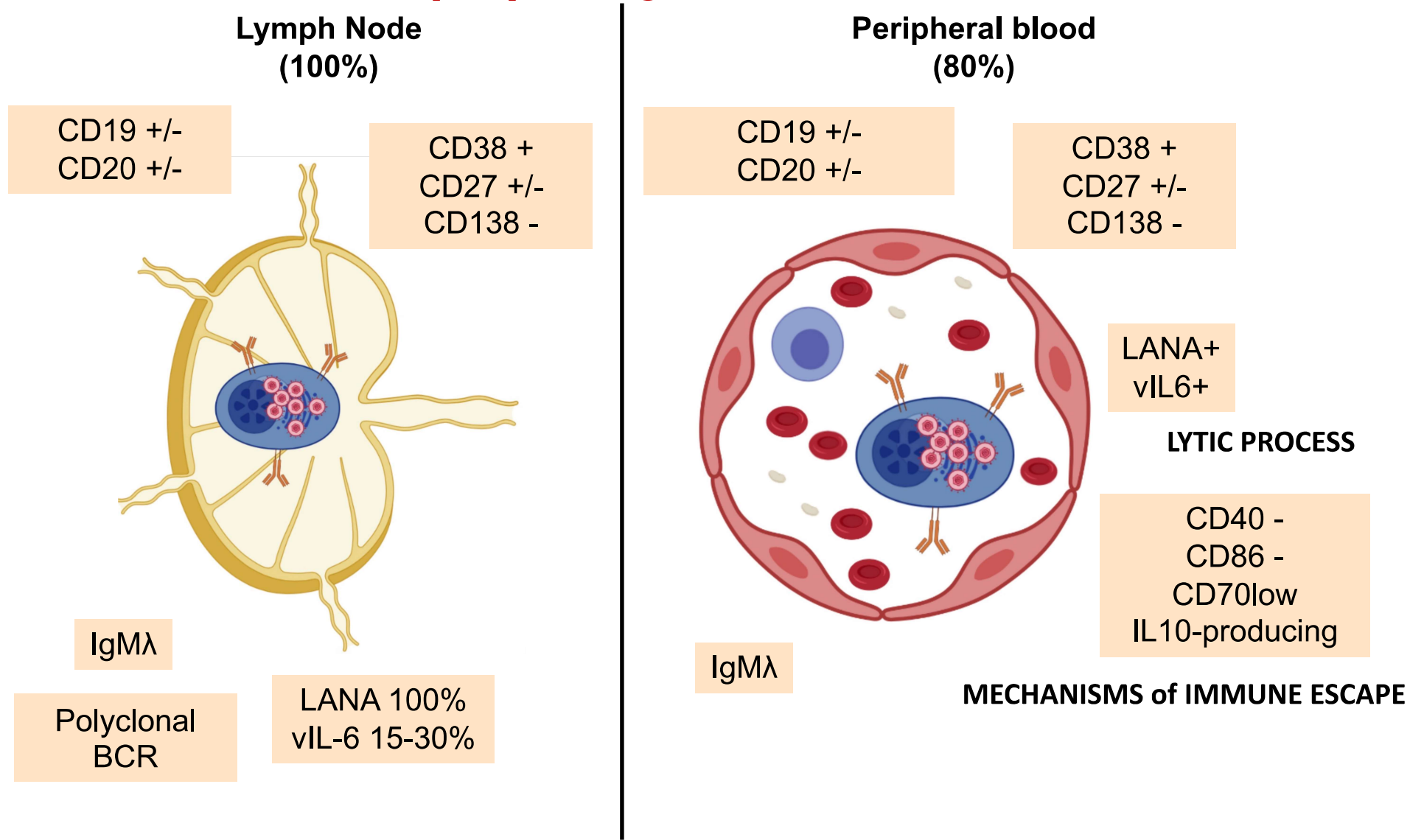
Sensitivity 80%. Specificity 100%

Does not replace biopsy but indicates the occurrence of MCD flare

Demonstration of KSHV infection using flowfish (hybridation of latent and lytic transcripts of KSHV)



Detection and characterization of circulating KSHV-infected viroblasts (KIV) during KSHV+ MCD flares



MCM HHV8: Traitement

Chimiothérapie

- ✓ Etoposide (VP16) 150-200 mg PO/IV

Antiviraux

- ✓ Ganciclovir, cidofovir: résultats décevants

Splénectomie

- ✓ Cytopénies sévère, splénomégalie persistente ou réponse partielle

Immunothérapie

- ✓ Rituximab
- ✓ Anti IL6 R : données sporadiques

Rituximab for HIV-MCD

Rituximab is effective in MCD (two prospective clinical trials)

	N	Patients	One-year EFS	KS exacerbation
Bower et al.	20	Newly diagnosed MCD	92%	4 / 11
ANRS 117 CastlemaB trial	24	Chemodependent MCD	71%	8 / 12

→ Best for patients with no active KS

Bower et al. Ann Int Med 2007, 147:836-9

Gérard et al. J Clin Oncol 2007, 25: 3350-6



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