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Vers une théorie génétique des mycobactéries humaines

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Déclaration de conflits d'intérêts:

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The genus *Mycobacterium*

‘Virulent’

M. tuberculosis complex

M. leprae

Human transmission
transmission
(airborne)

M. ulcerans (Buruli ulcer)
Aquatic bug transmission?

‘Weakly virulent’

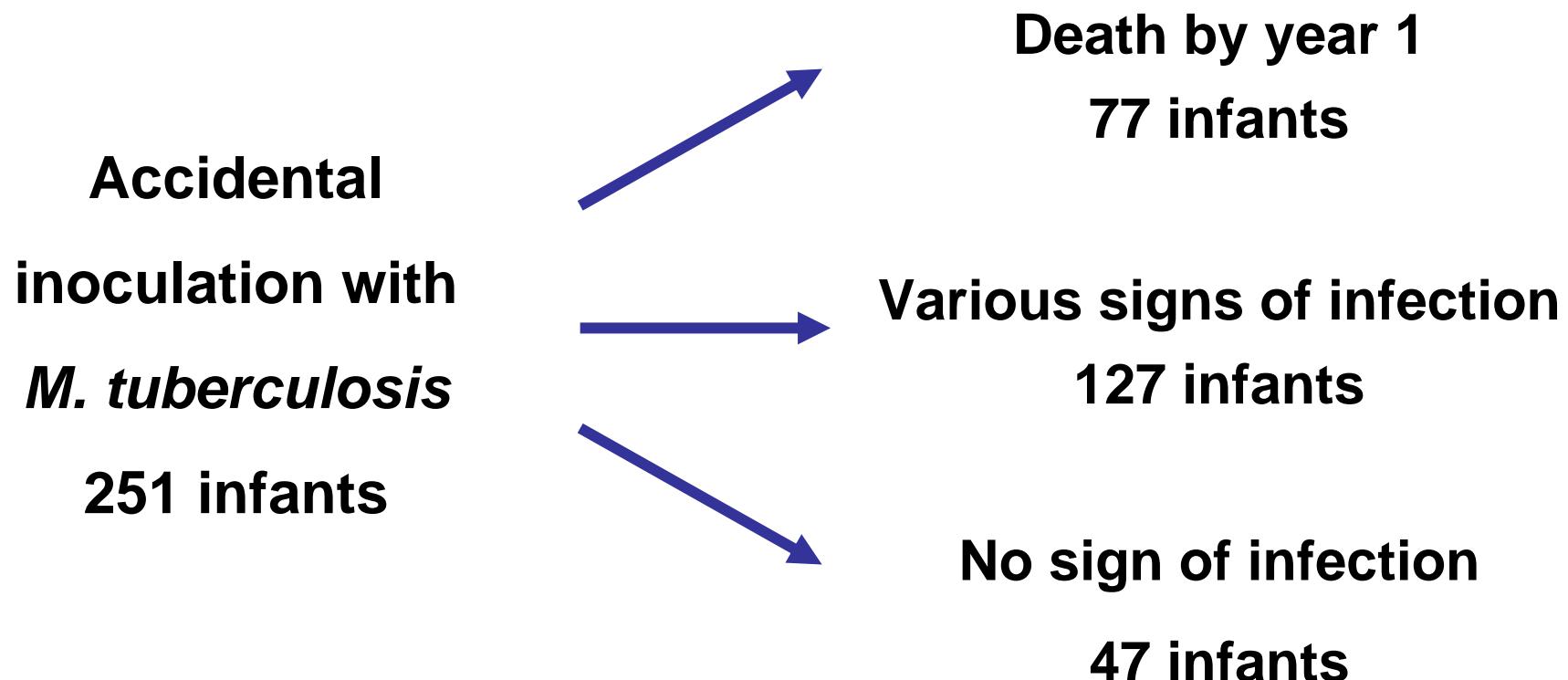
> 80 species (e.g. *M. avium*,
M. marinum, *M. fortuitum*...)

Environmental
(water, soil, air...)

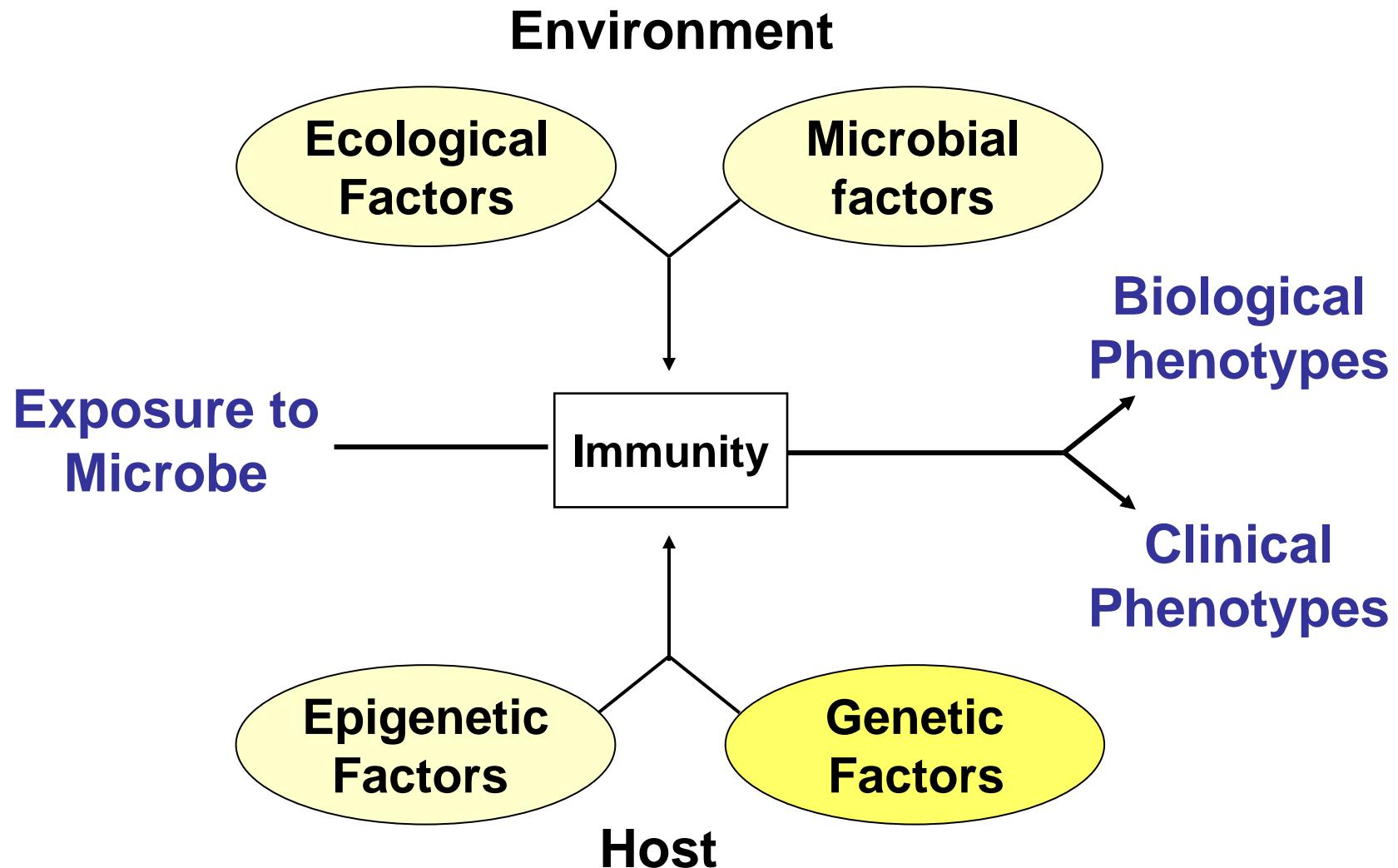
BCG vaccine
Injection transmission

Inter-individual variability in tuberculosis: the key question

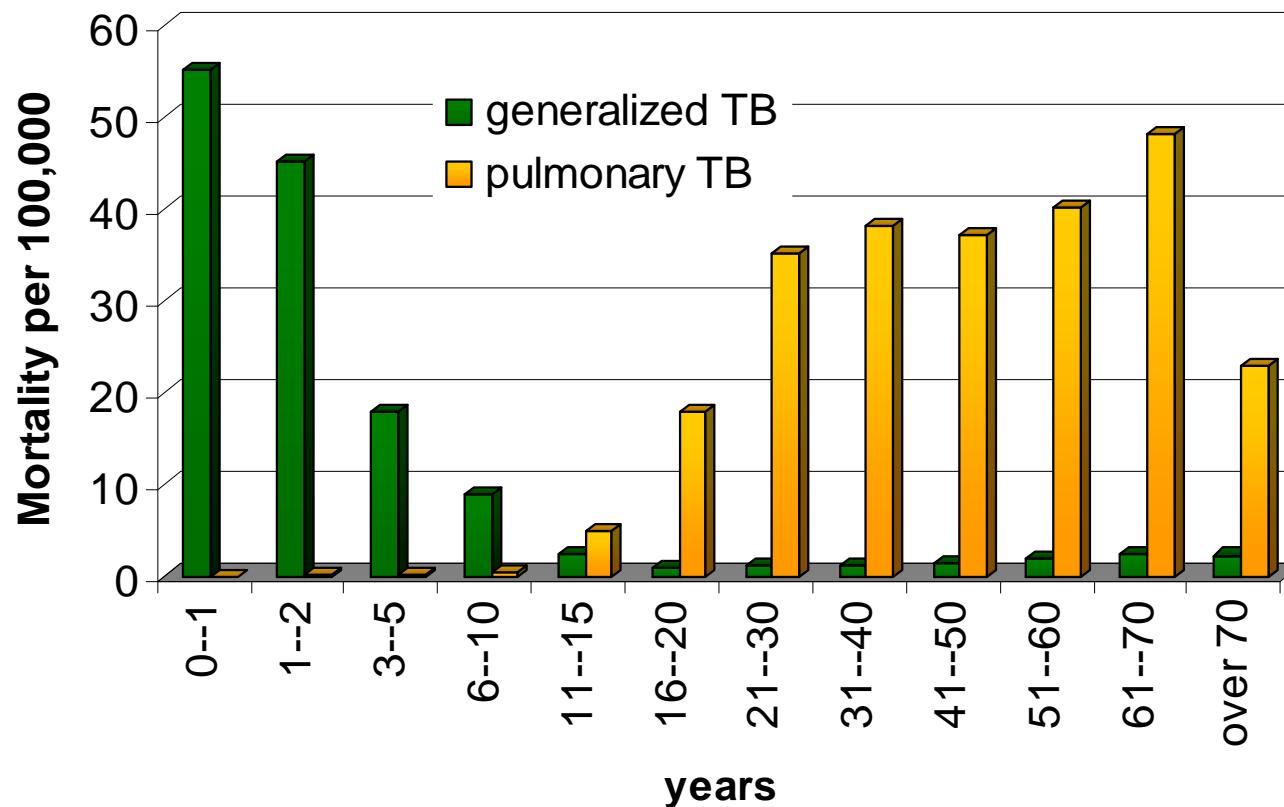
- The Lübeck disaster before world war II



Four theories of infectious diseases

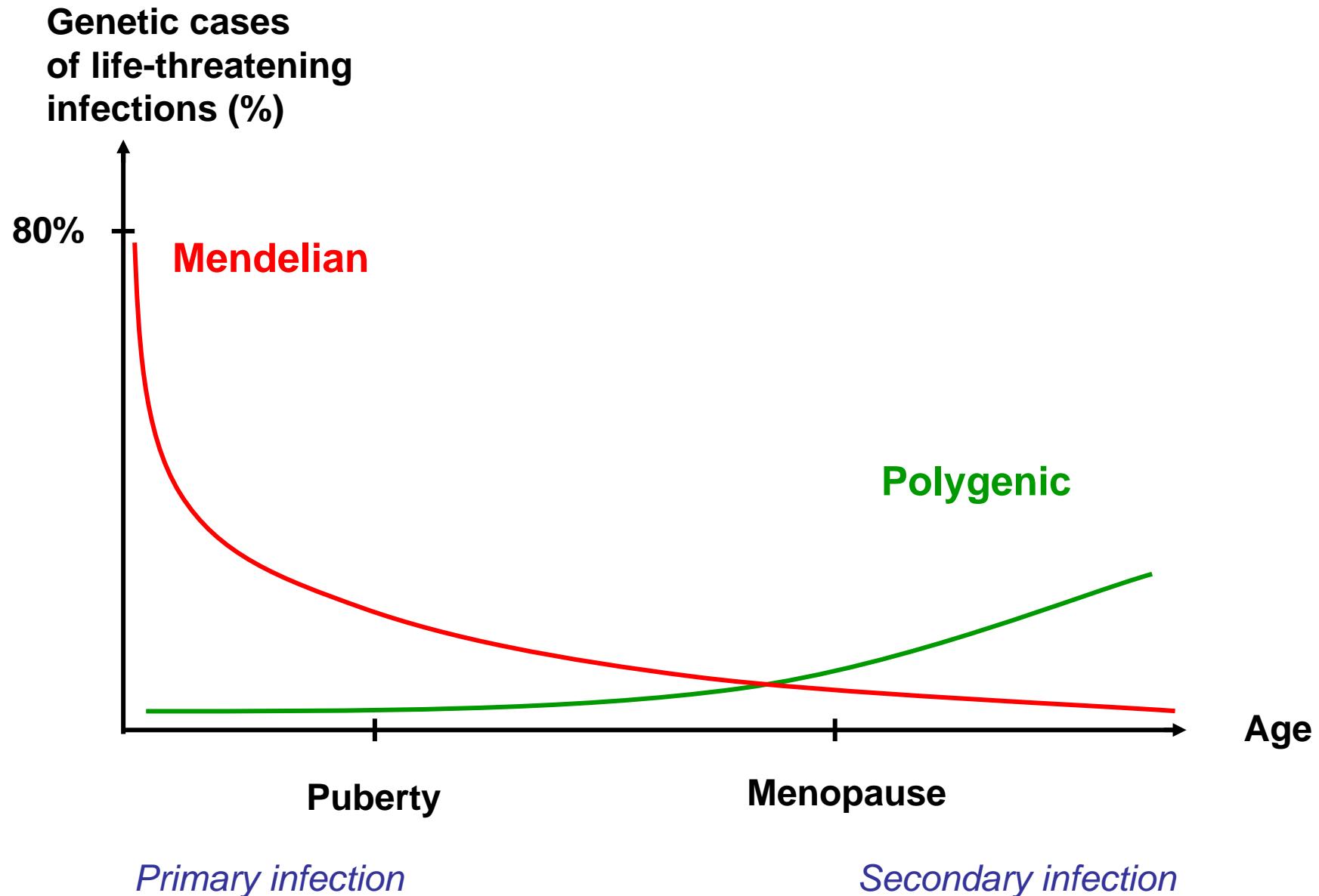


Tuberculosis in children and adults



Ranke, K. 1910. Diagnose und Epidemiologie der Lungentuberkulose des Kindes. *Archiv für Kinderheilkunde* 54:279-306.

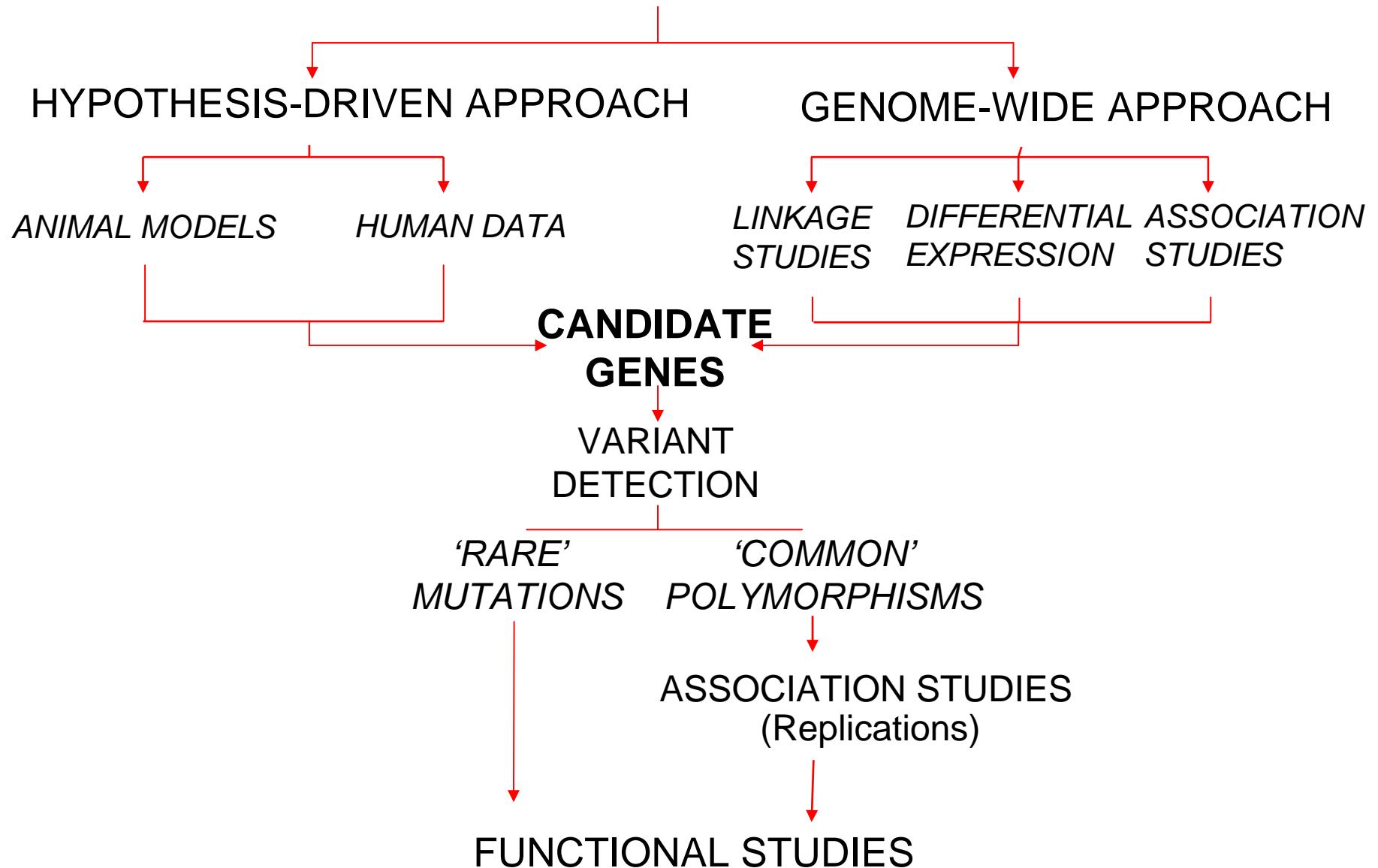
A genetic architecture of tuberculosis



Methods of investigation in humans

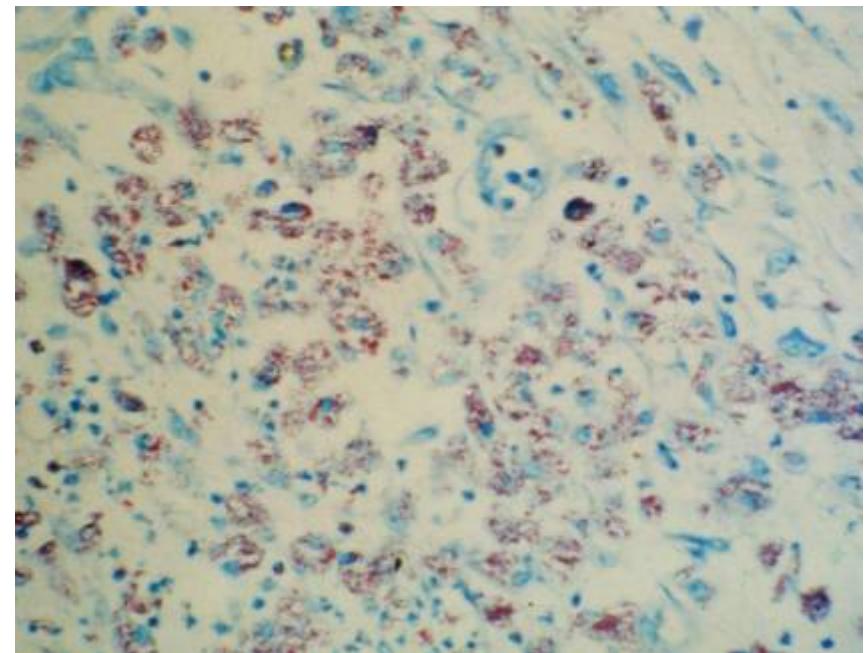
| Phenotype | Rare (disseminated infection) | Common (TB, leprosy) |
|-----------|---|--|
| Tools | Mendelian Genetics | Genetic Epidemiology |
| Sample | Small | Large |
| |  Rare mutation |  Common polymorphism |

MENDELIAN and COMPLEX INHERITANCE



Mendelian susceptibility to mycobacterial diseases (MSMD)

- * Infections by BCG and environmental Mycobacteria
- * Otherwise healthy individuals
- * Very rare ($10^{-5} – 10^{-6}$) but often familial (consanguinity)



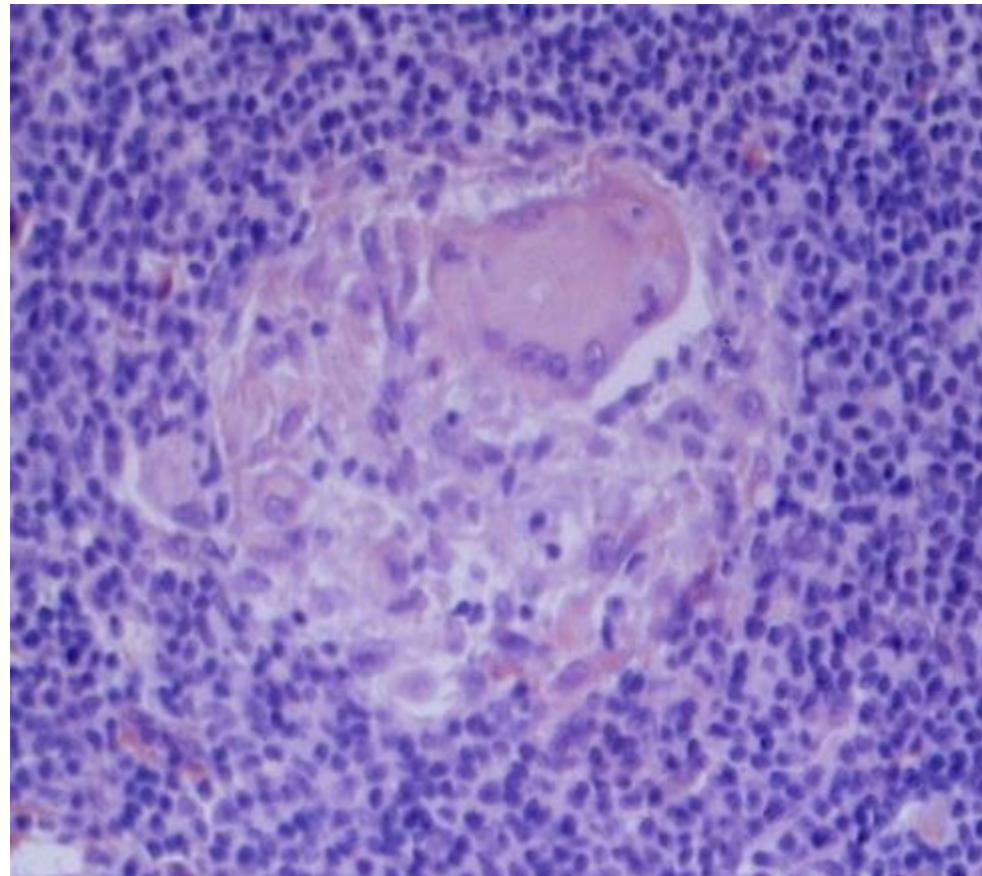
Mendelian Susceptibility to Mycobacterial disease

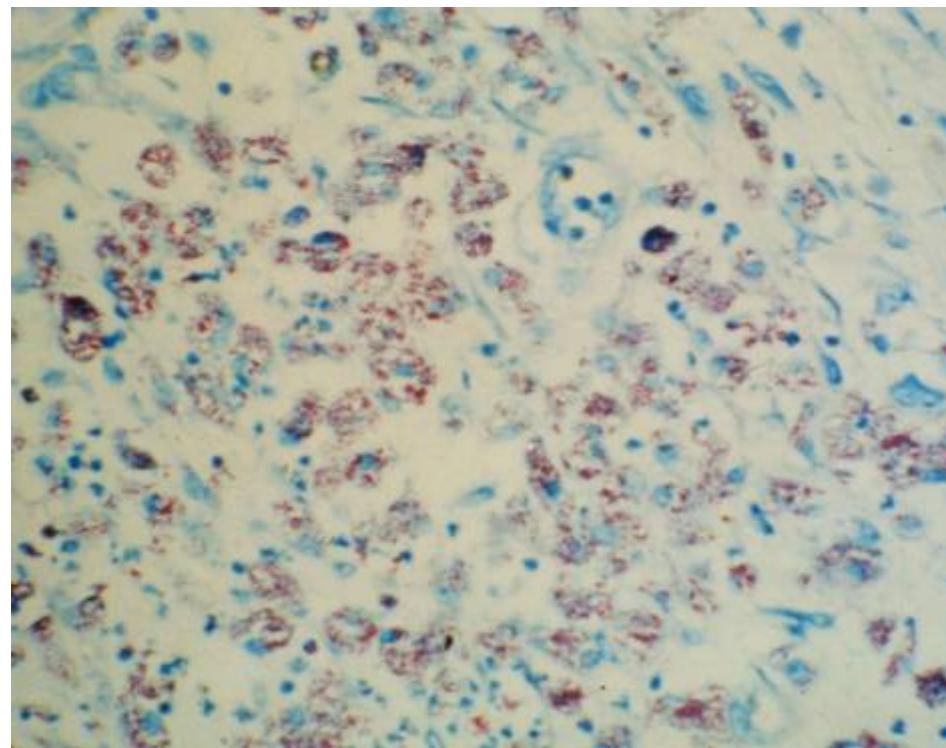
HETEROGENEOUS

Genetic basis: autosomal or X-linked inheritance

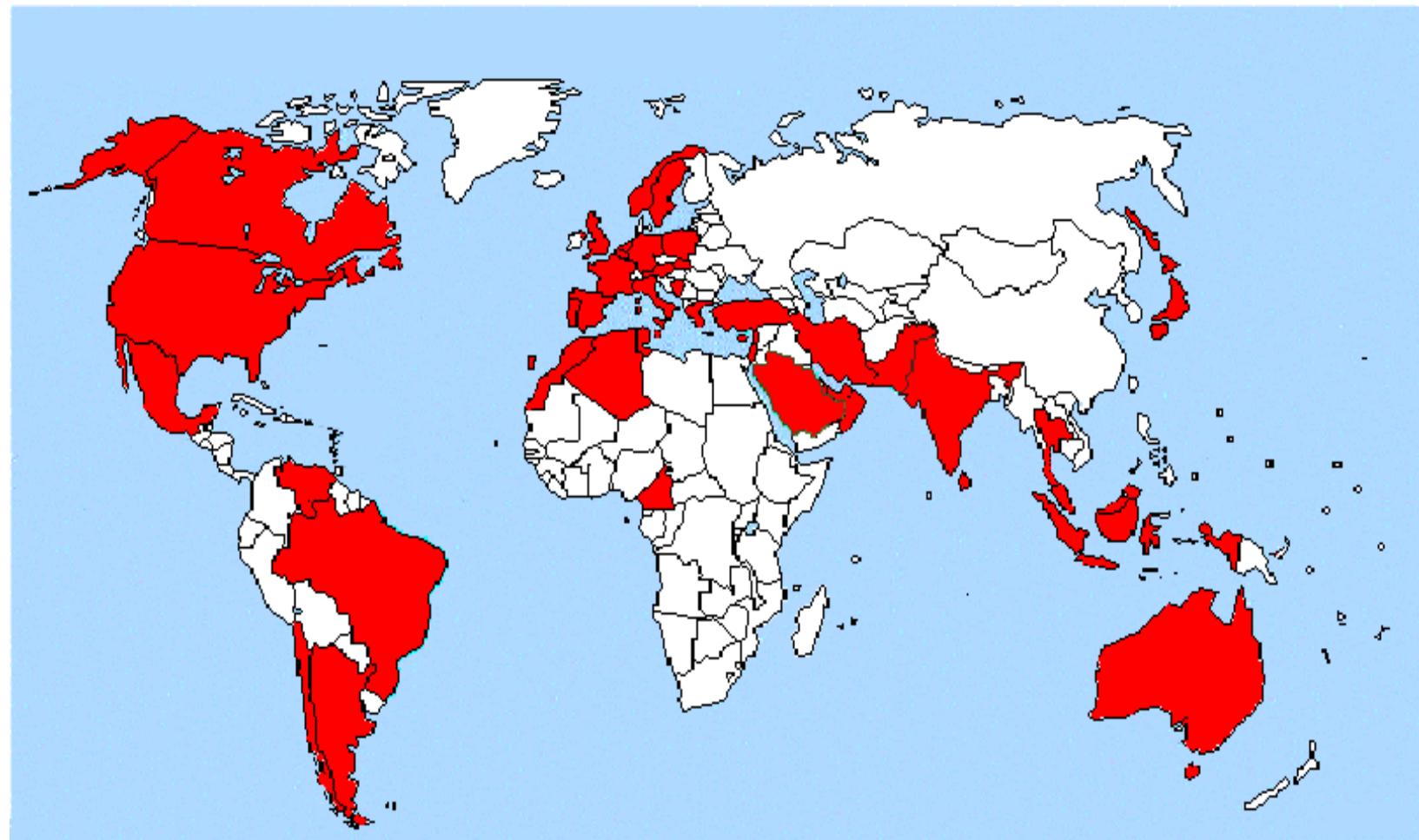
Clinical outcome: recurrent, disseminated or local

Granulomatous lesion: lepromatous type
tuberculoid type

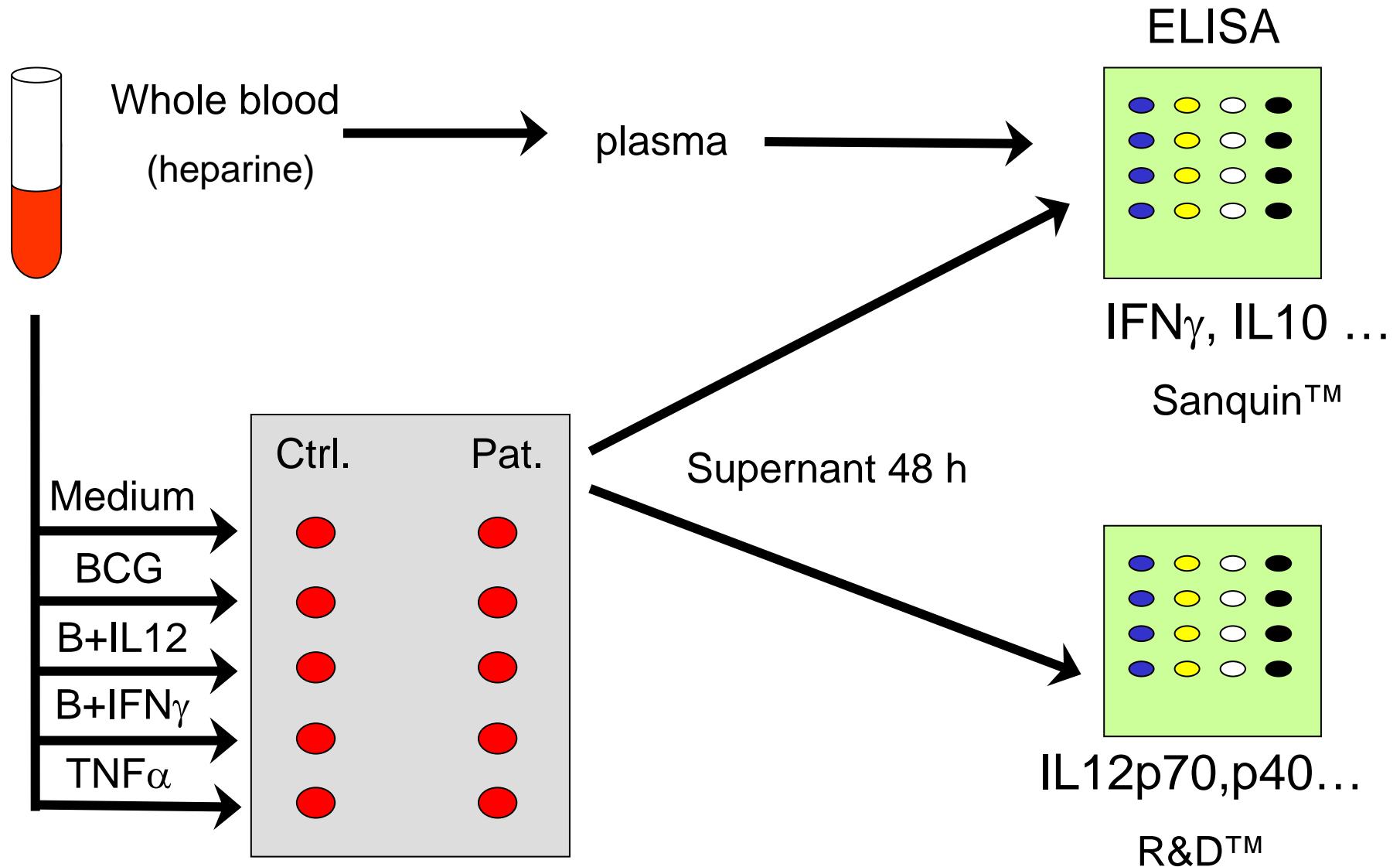




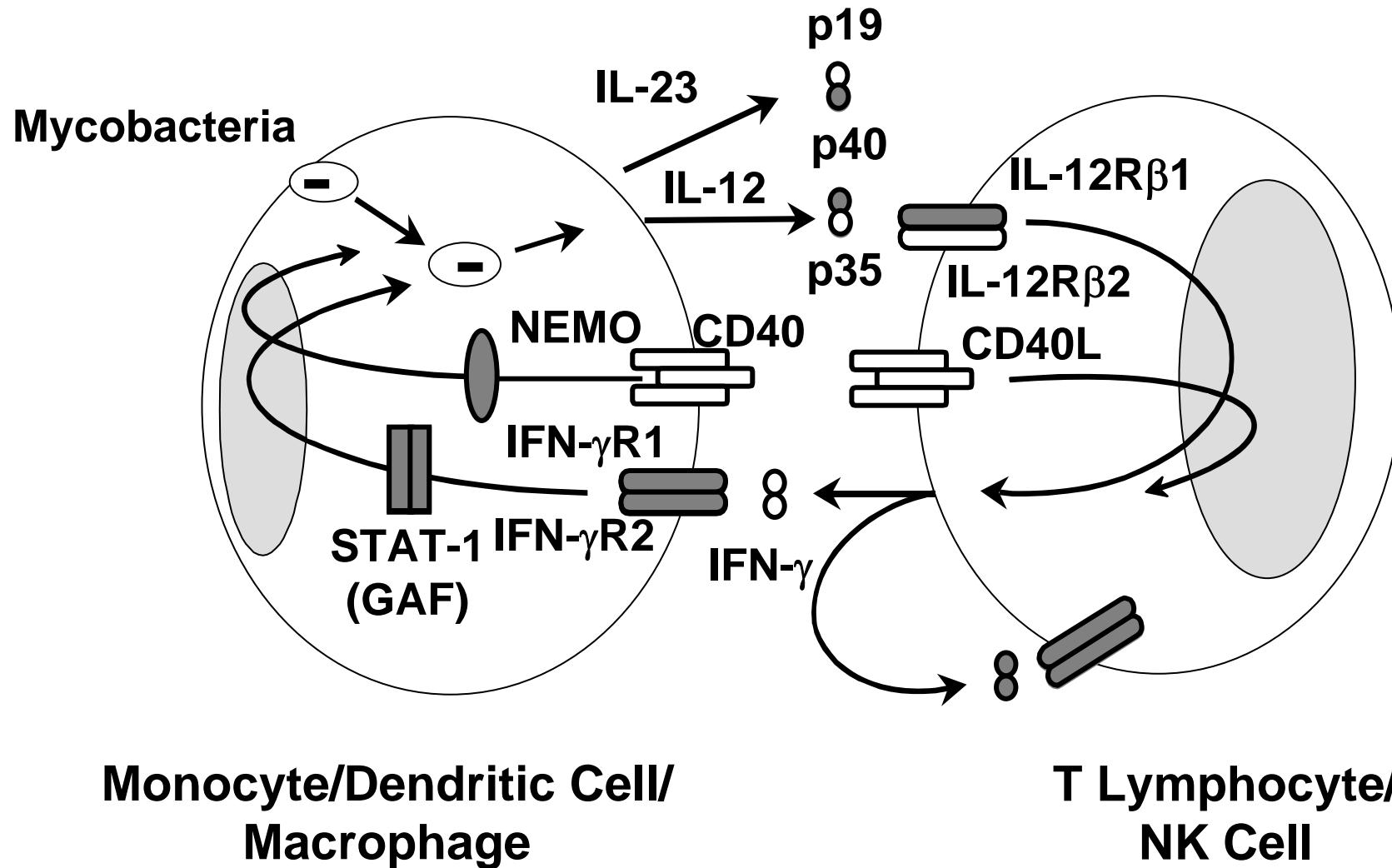
Over 300 patients in 45 countries



Functional screening *in vitro*



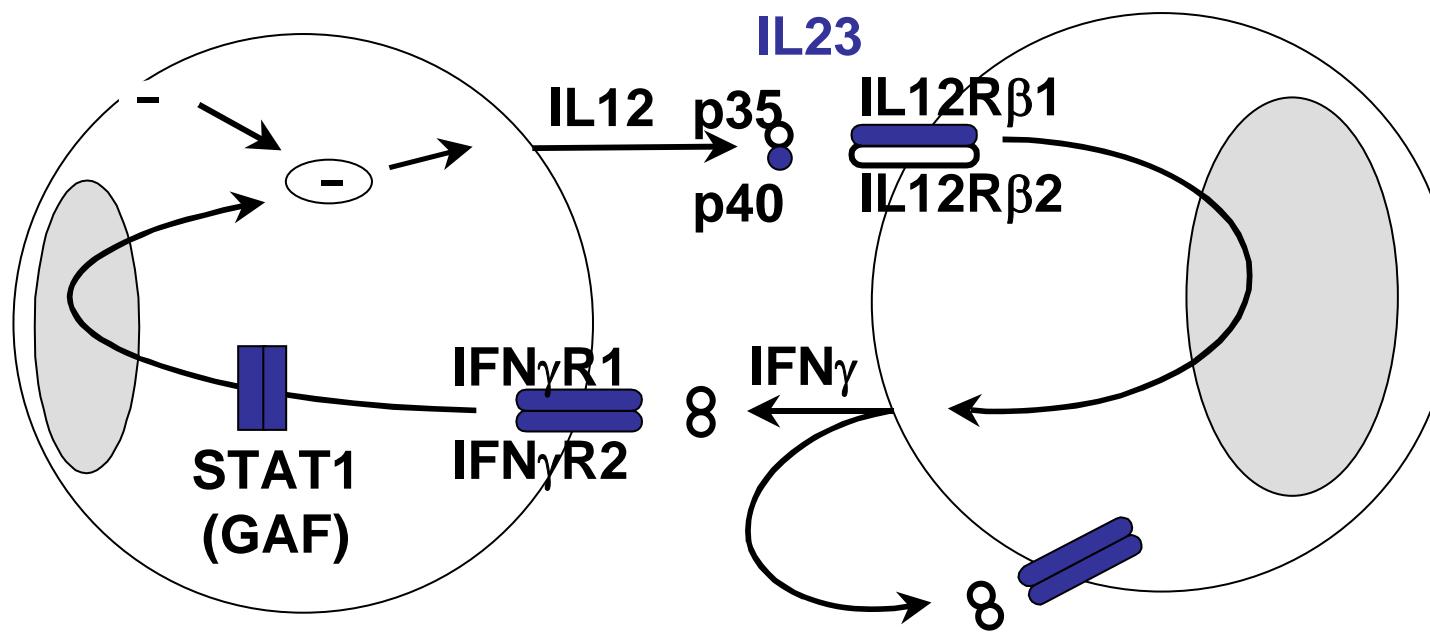
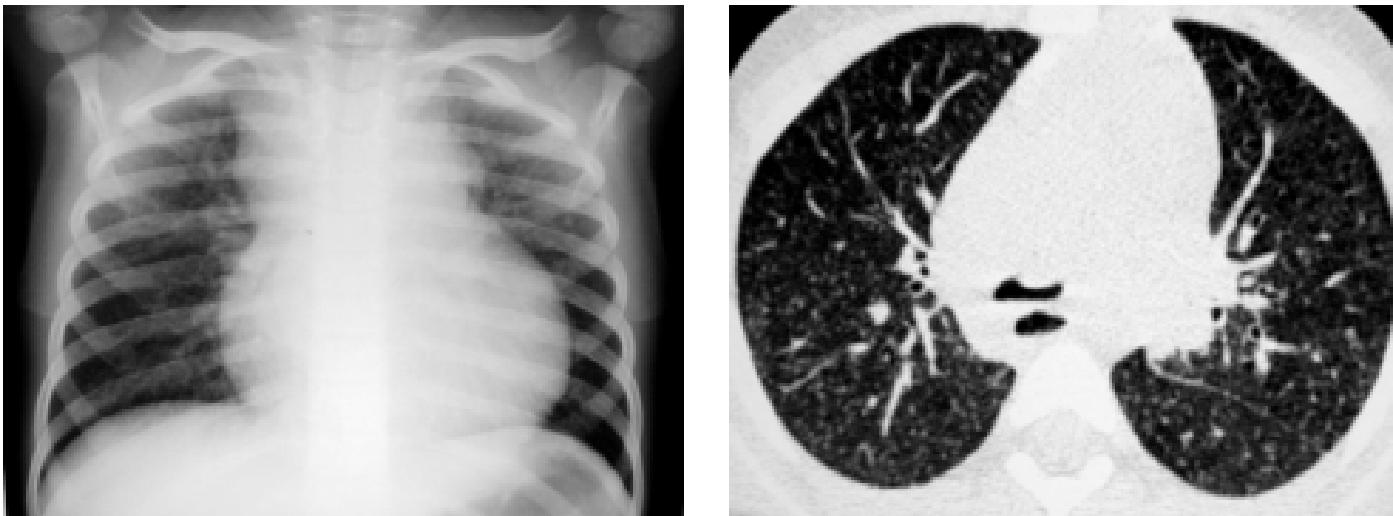
MSMD: IFN- γ /IL-12/IL-23 pathway



Mendelian Tuberculosis

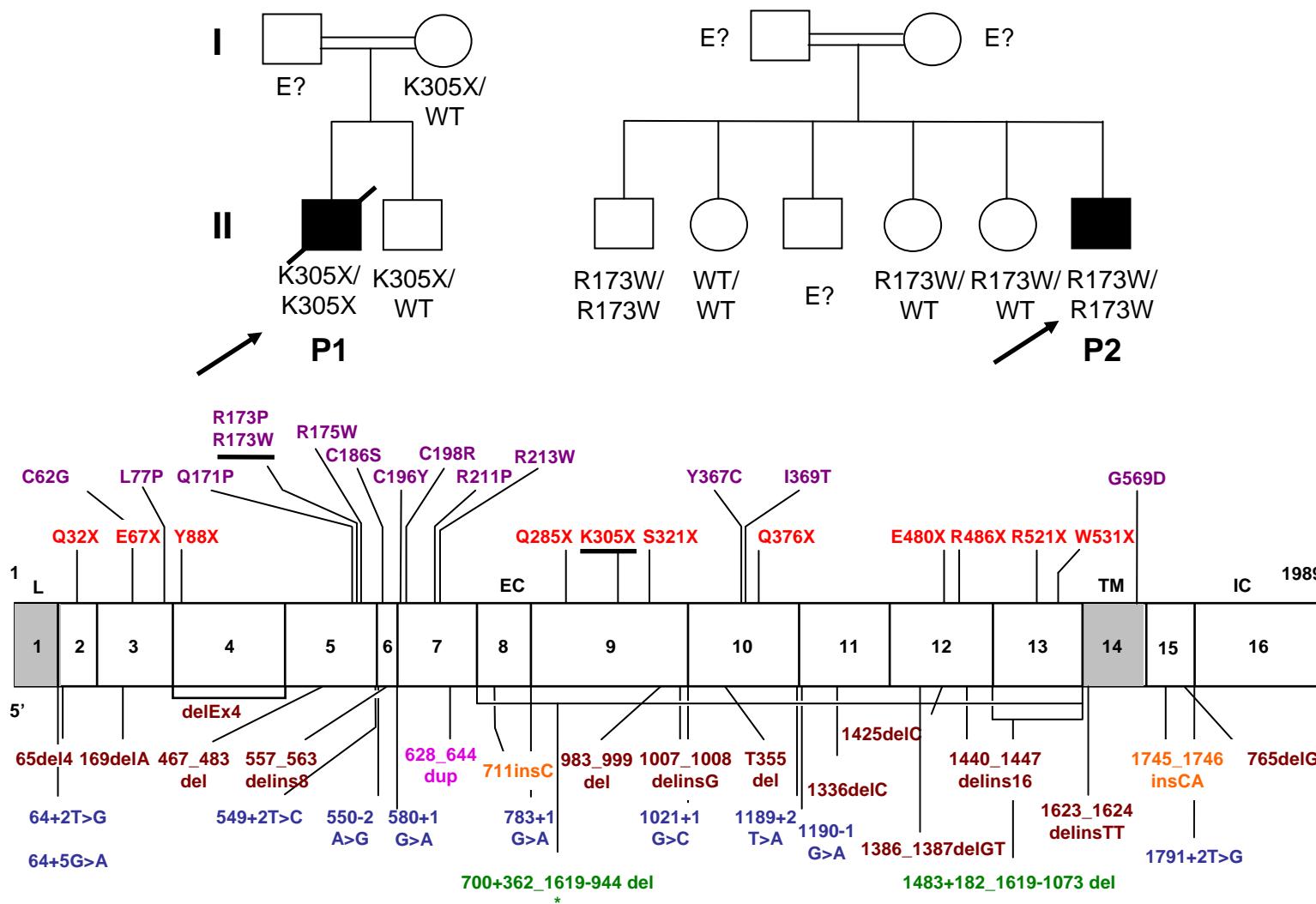
- Mendelian disorders of the IL12-IFN γ axis are genetic etiologies for severe forms of tuberculosis:
- What is the proportion of ‘Mendelian’ tuberculosis? (in children) ...

Proof of principle: Mendelian tuberculosis



IL12-R β 1 deficiency and tuberculosis

Patients with extra-pulmonary TB from Iran and Morocco



MSMD and severe childhood tuberculosis

Strategy

Functional screening of
the pathway

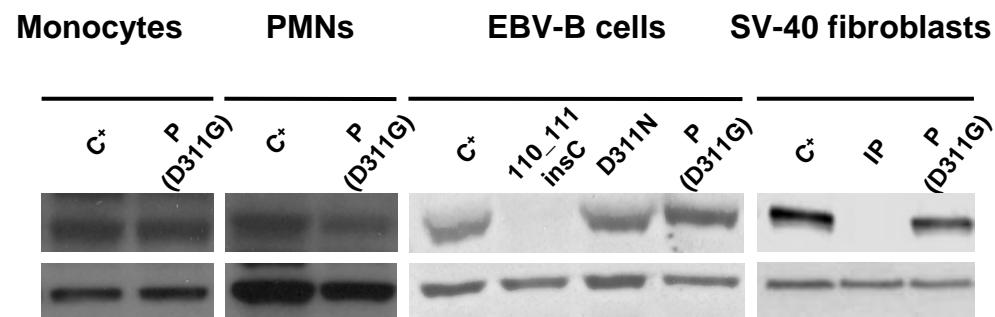
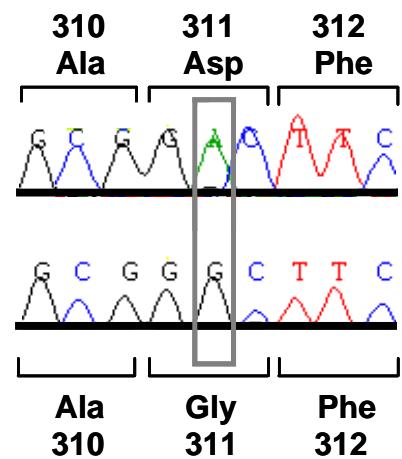
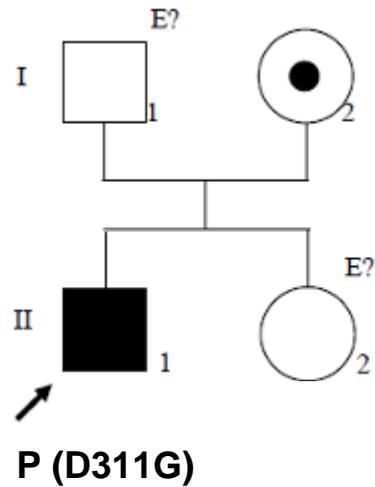
Positional cloning

30 consanguineous families
2 X-linked families

- I. IFN- γ Production
- II. IFN- γ Response
- III. IL-12 Production
- IV. Genetic Screening

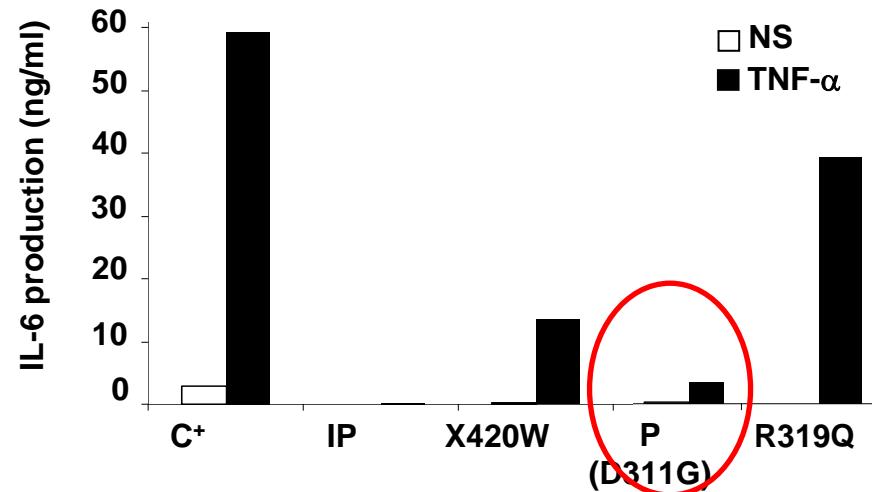
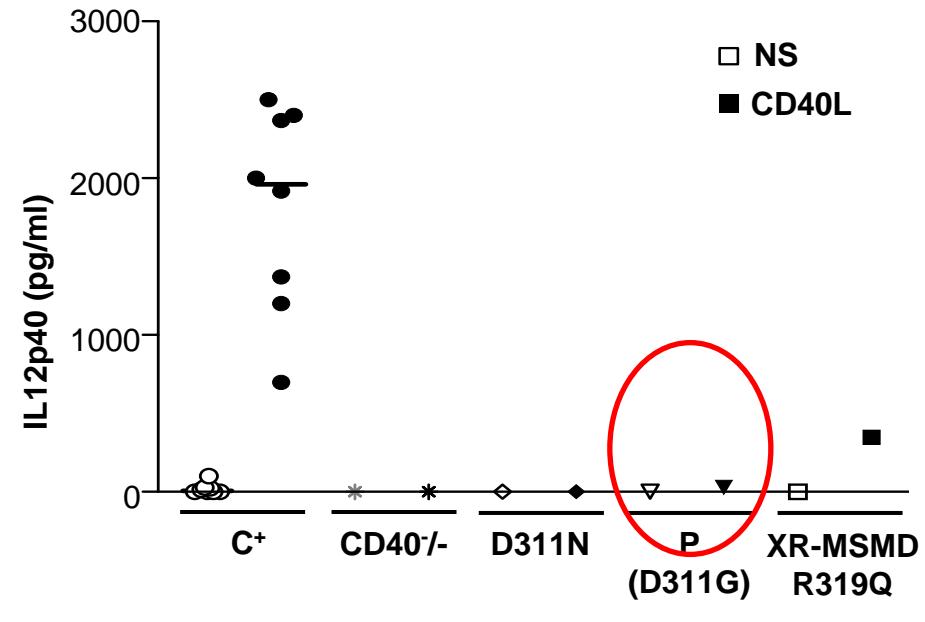
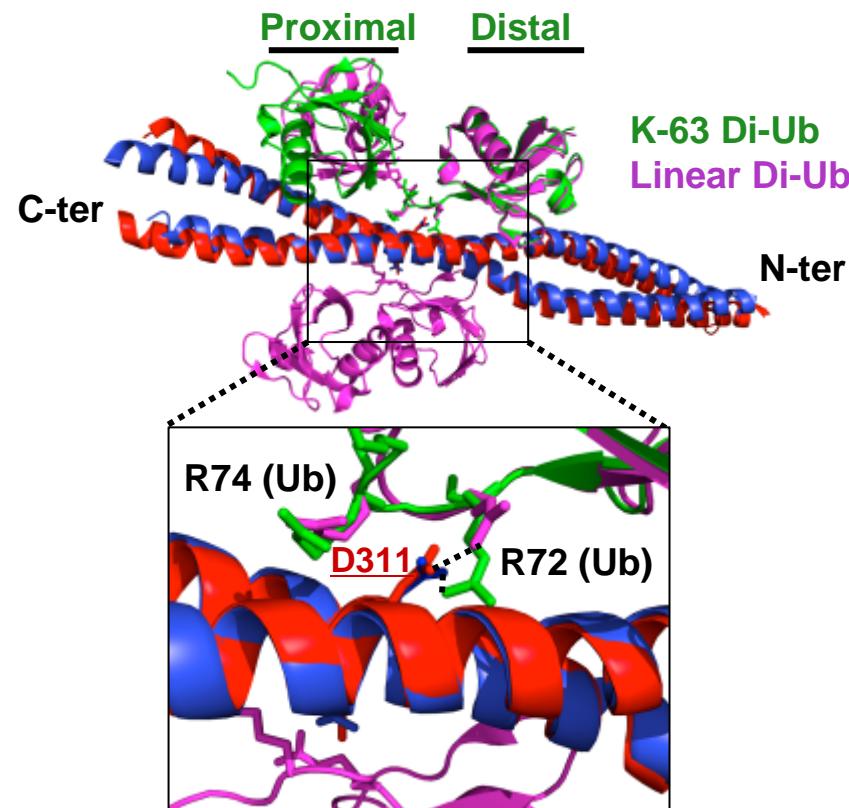
- I. Genome Scan
- II. Fine Mapping
- III. Exome sequencing
- IV. Candidate Gene

Novel mutation in *NEMO*

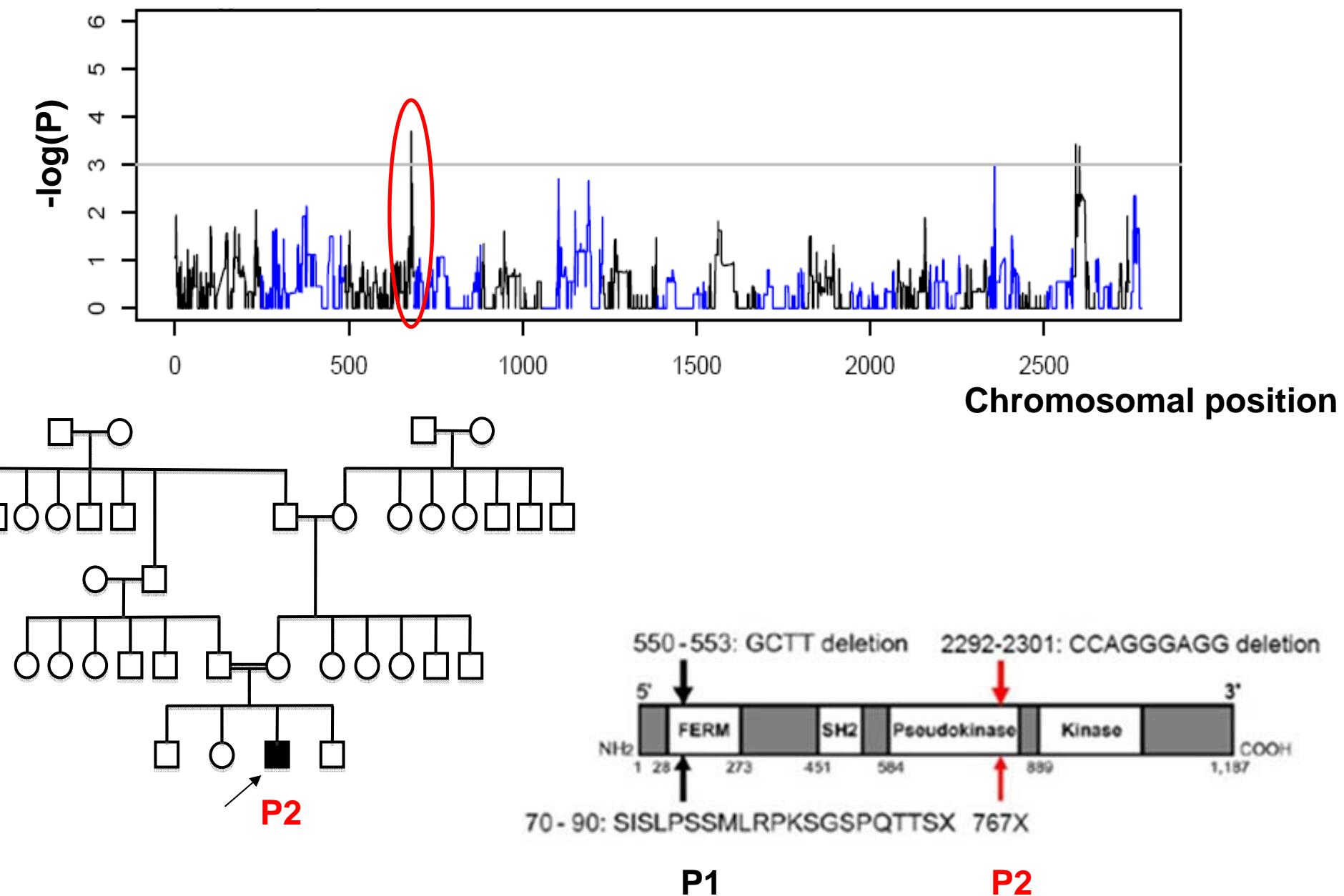


NEMO
43kDa
GAPDH
35kDa

Impairment of ubiquitin binding of NEMO



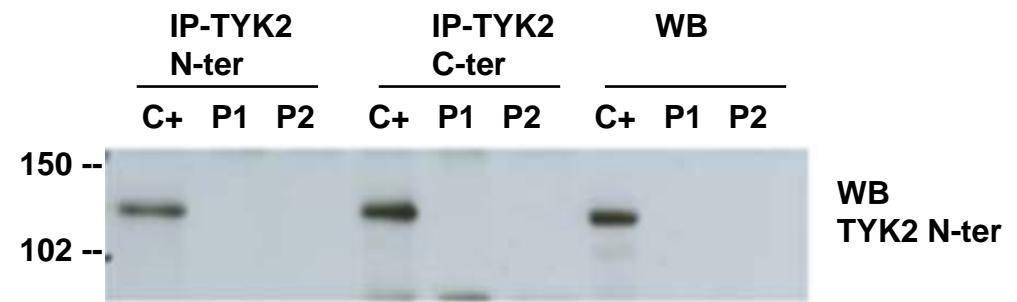
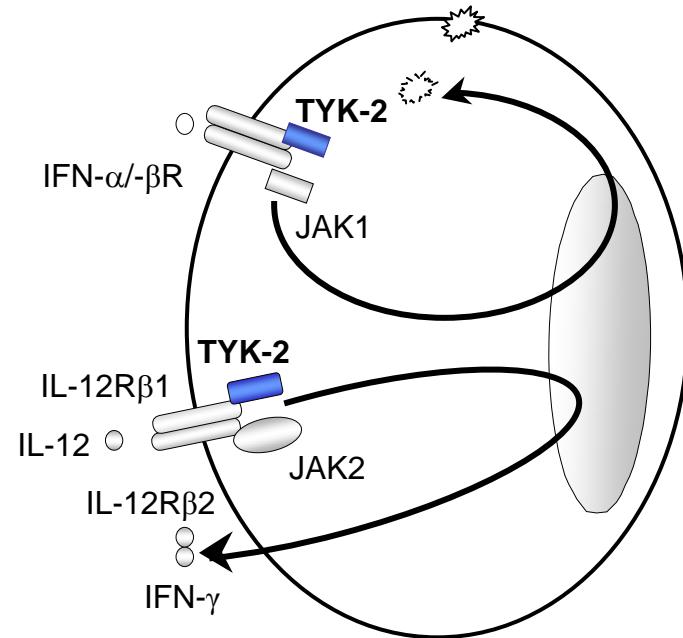
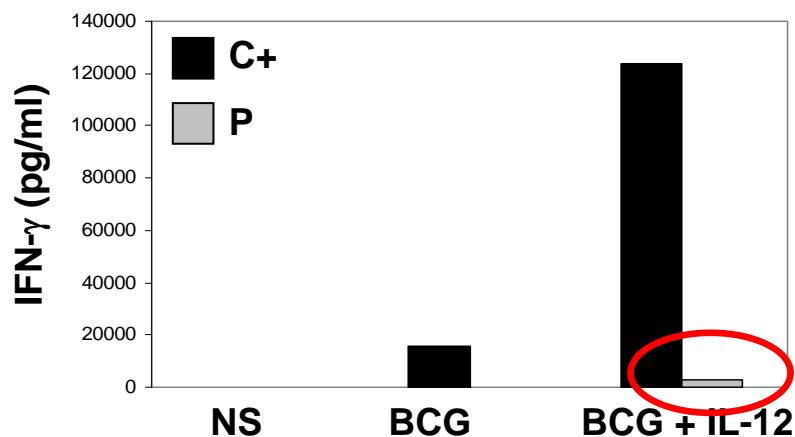
Positional Cloning: autosomal recessive



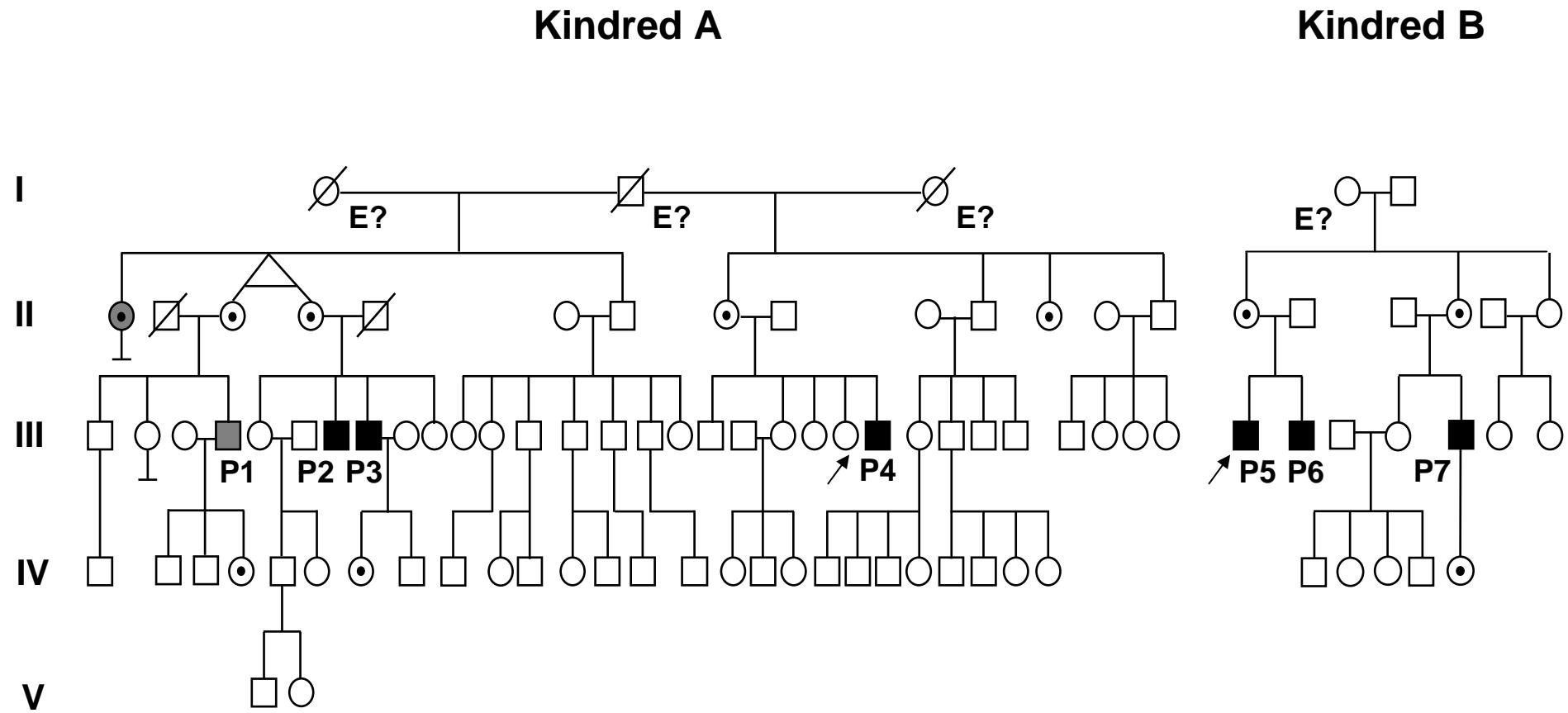
Tyk2 deficiency

Clinical features

- BCG-osis
- Cutaneous herpes simplex virus infections



A novel form of XR- MSMD



Case reports – Kindred A

P1

Born 1953

No BCG vaccination

10 yo: pulmonary TB

34 yo: disseminated TB

Now 57 yo and well
off all treatment

P2

Born 1950

BCG inoculation at birth

3 mo: BCG-itis

12 yo: BCG-itis

29 yo: BCG cervical adenitis

Now 60 yo and well
off all treatment

P3

Born 1955

BCG inoculation at birth

3 mo: BCG-itis

Now 55 yo and well
off all treatment

P4

Born 1974 (index case, 1998)

BCG inoculation at 2 years

3 mo: BCG-itis

21 yo: BCG abdominal adenitis

24 yo: BCG cervical adenitis

27 yo: BCG cervical adenitis

Now 36 yo and well
off all treatment

Case reports – Kindred B

P5

Born 1974

BCG inoculation at birth

3 mo: BCG-itis

**Now 36 yo and well
off all treatment**

P6

Born 1969

BCG inoculation at birth

6 mo: BCG-itis

4 yo: BCG-itis

39 yo: BCG-osis

**Now 41 yo well off all
treatment**

P7

Born 1974

BCG inoculation at birth

3 mo: BCG-itis

11 yo: BCG-osis
17 yo: BCG-itis

**Now 36 yo and well
off all treatment**

Cellular phenotype

Known MSMD etiologies:

AD and AR: *IL12B*, *IL12RB1*, *IFNGR1*, *IFNGR2*, *STAT1*

XR: *NEMO* (gene structure and function)

IL-12 and IFN- γ loops

...

Known XR primary immunodeficiencies:

XR WAS (platelets, skin, Ig)

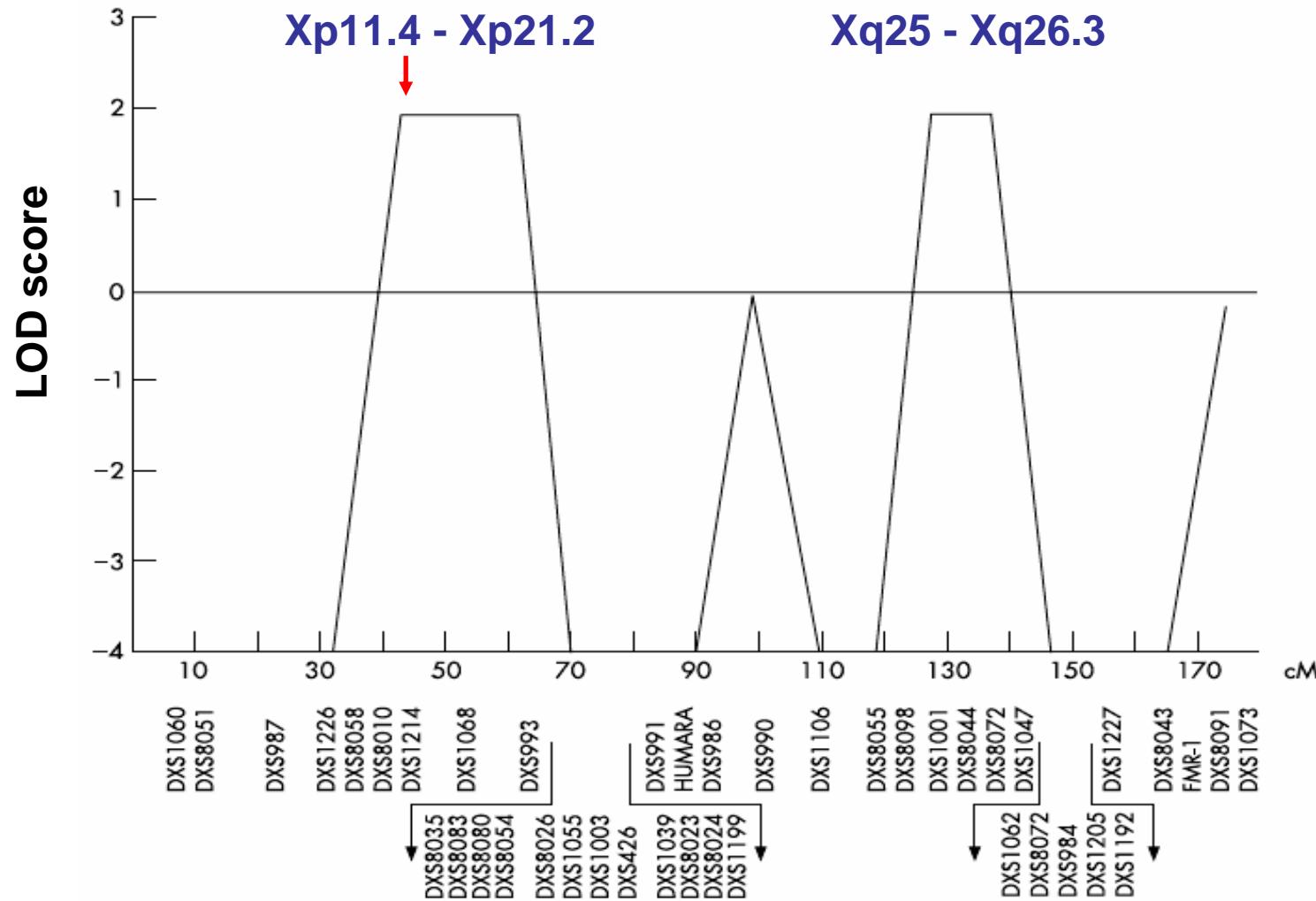
XR (S)CID (T cell number and function)

XR CGD (NBT, chemiluminescence)

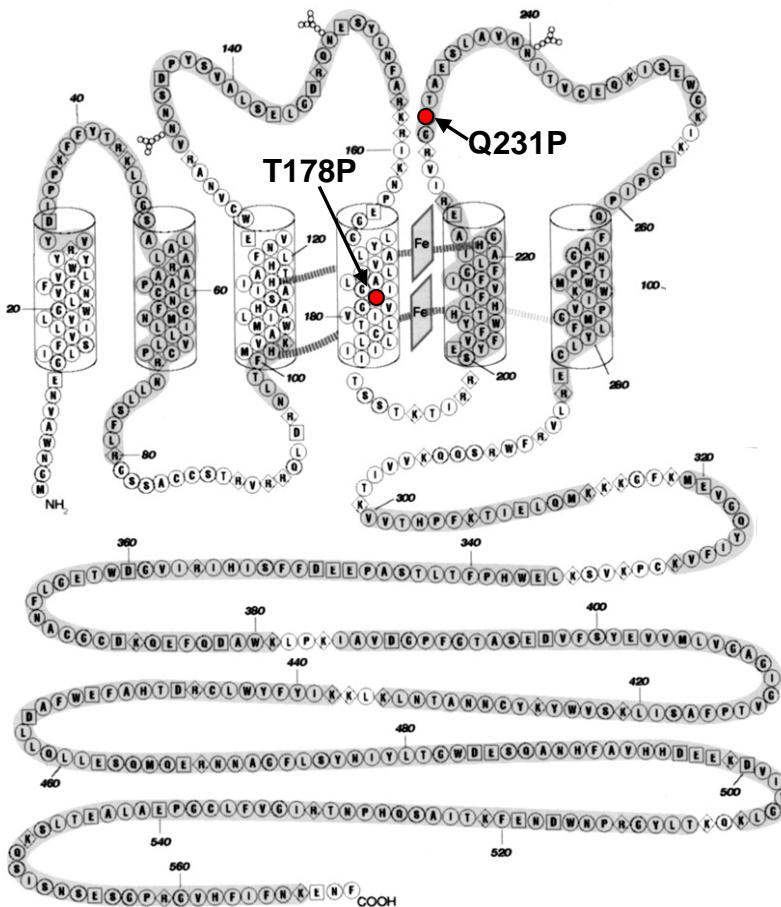
CD40L (expression)

...

Positional cloning: X-linked



Strict co-segregation of the CYBB (gp91^{phox}, NOX2) mutation



Homo sapiens
Mus musculus
Rattus norvegicus
Bos Taurus
Sus scrofa
Oryctolagus cuniculus
Xenopus tropicalis
Danio rerio
Takifugu rubripes

RIVRG**Q**TAESLAVHNITVCEQKISEWG-KIKECPIP
RIVRG**Q**TAESLEEHNLDICADKIEEWG-KIKECPVP
RIVRG**Q**TSDSLKEHNLDVCADKIKEWG-KIKECPVP
RIVRG**Q**TAESLLKHQPRNCYQNIISQWG-KIENCPIP
RIVRR**Q**TPKSLLVHDPKACAQNISQWG-KIKDCPIP
RIVRG**Q**TEESLKKHDPVMCEQHISDWG-KIKDCPVP
KIVRG**Q**TDKSLEKHNSTECDKFTEWG-NITSCPIP
RIVRG**Q**TDADLQVHDPTICHSKFEKGQNVTDCCPVP
---RG**Q**TPASLKSNDPTVCADQFEDWGRNGSNCAVP

CYBB (226-260)

Homo sapiens
Mus musculus
Rattus norvegicus
Bos Taurus
Sus scrofa
Oryctolagus cuniculus
Xenopus tropicalis
Danio rerio
Gallus gallus
Canis lupus familiaris

EGGLYLAVTLLAGI**T**GVVITLCLILII
EGGLYVAVTRLAGI**T**GIVVITLCLILII
EGGLYVAVTRLAGI**T**GIVVITLCLILII
EGGLYVAVTRLAGI**T**GVVITLCLILII
EGGLYVAVTRLAGI**T**GVVITLCLILII
EGGLLVAVTRLAGV**T**GIIITLCLILII
IGGINVAFTFLAGL**T**GVVITLALILII
TNPTIVMFVVAGL**T**GVVITLALILII
VGGLYVAFTYLAGL**T**GVVITLALILII
EGGLYVAVTLLAGI**T**GIVVITLCLILII

CYBB (164-190)

These missense mutations are **not** SNPs,
with 1,300 X chromosomes sequenced

They are **not** known CGD mutations

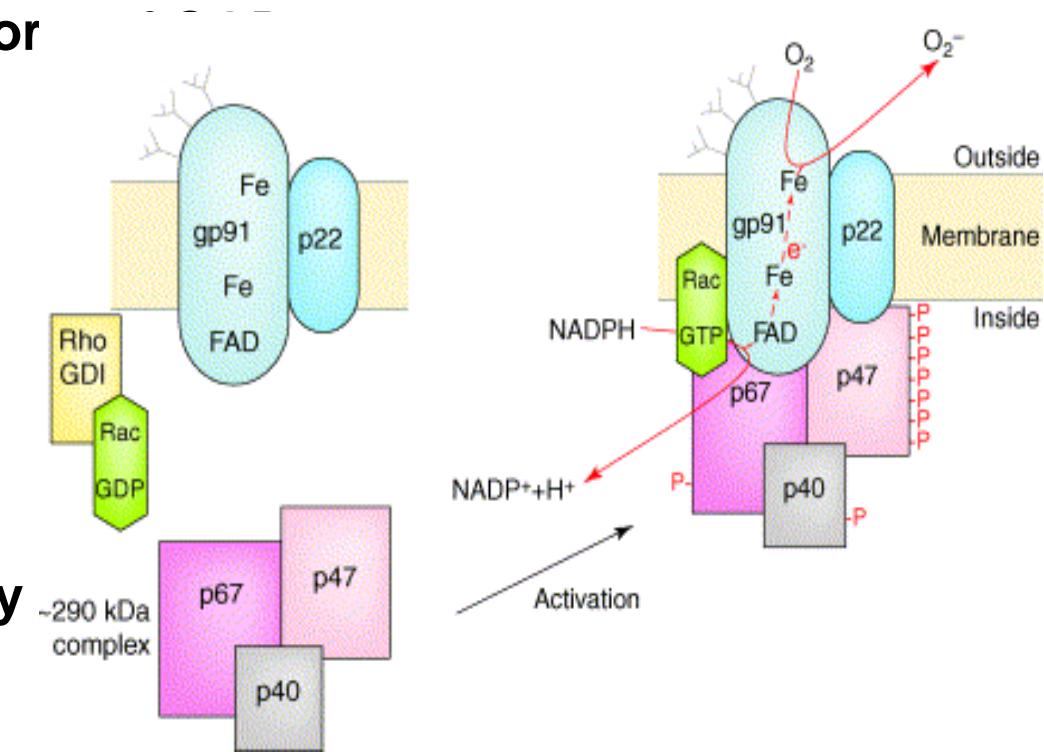
CGD and the phagocyte NADPH oxidase

CYBB/gp91phox most frequent for

**Early-onset, severe, recurrent,
& multiple bacterial
& fungal infections**

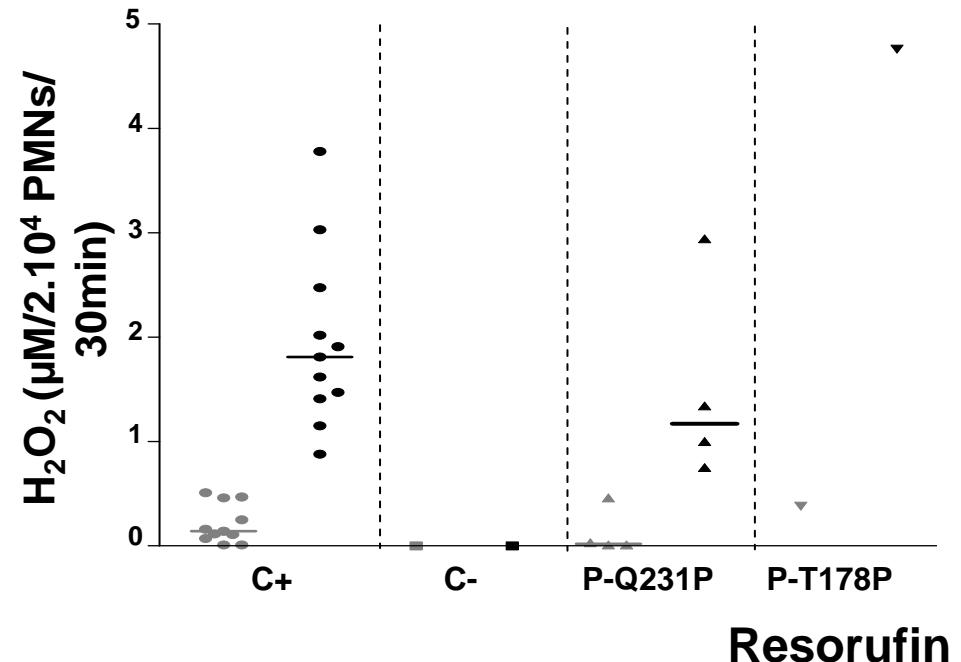
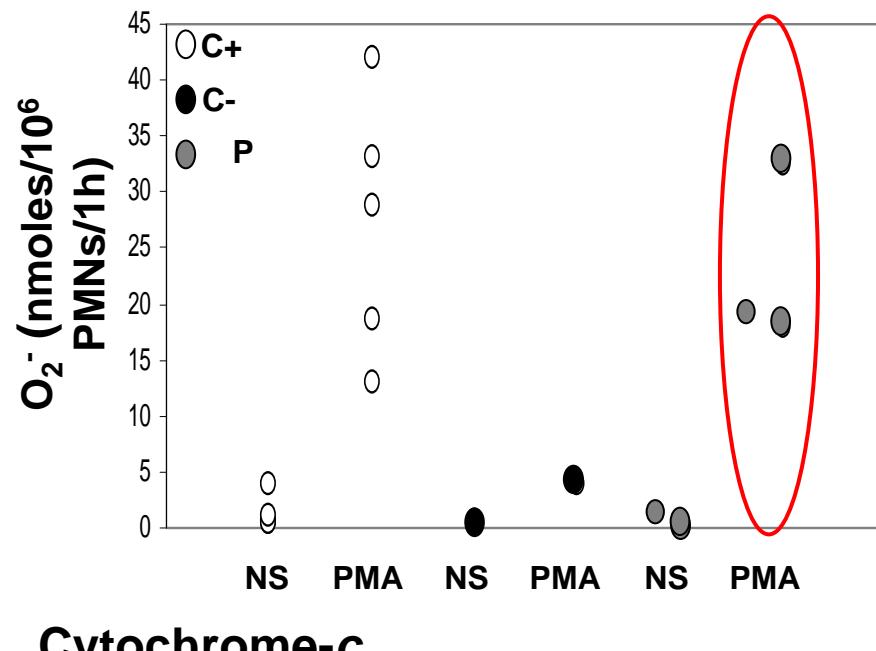
**Also vulnerable to BCG & TB
in endemic regions**

**Defect of respiratory burst activity
in all phagocytic cells
(granulocytes, monocytes &
macrophages)**

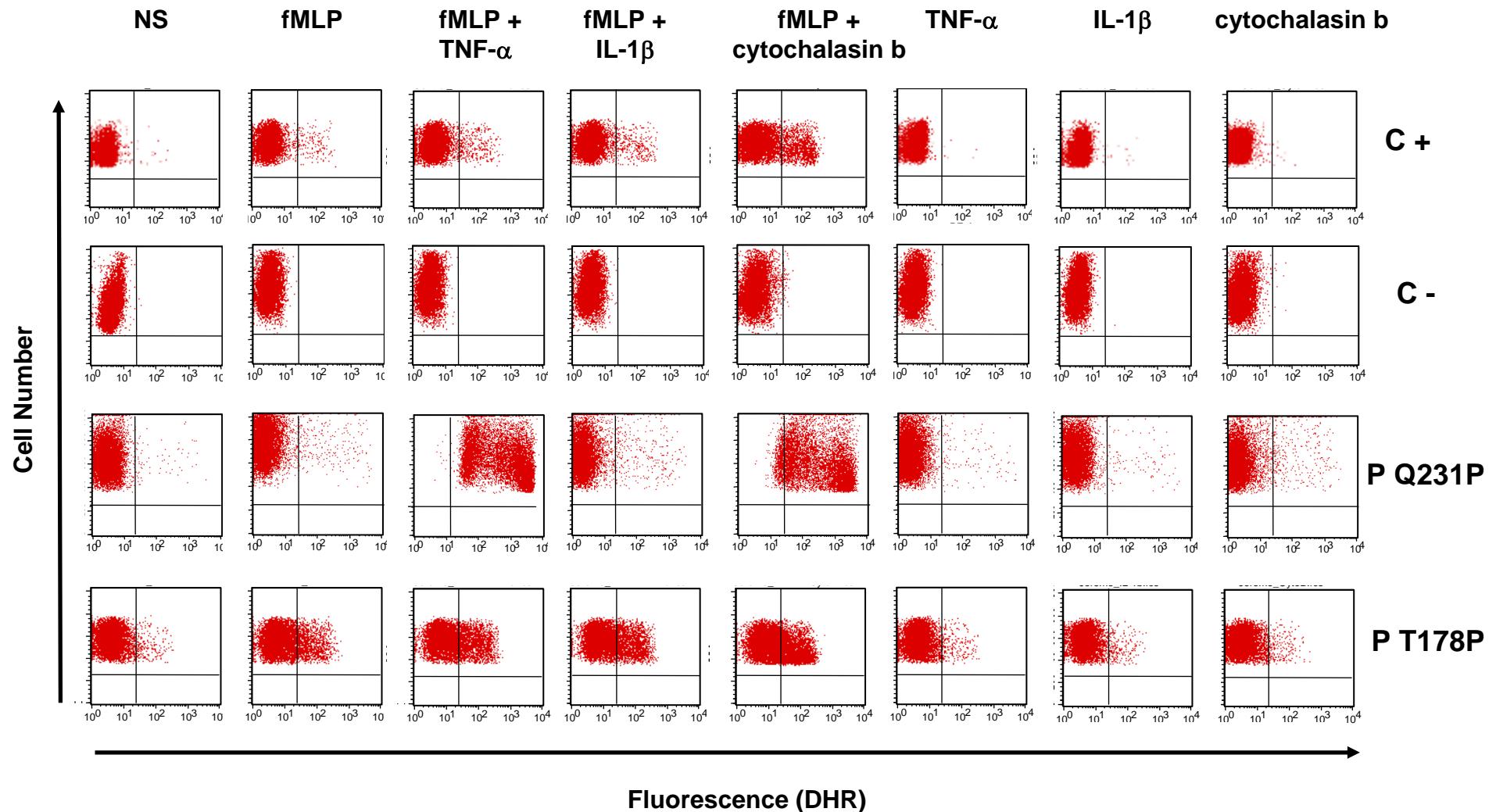


**Our patients: seven otherwise healthy adults with a pure
MSMD phenotype**

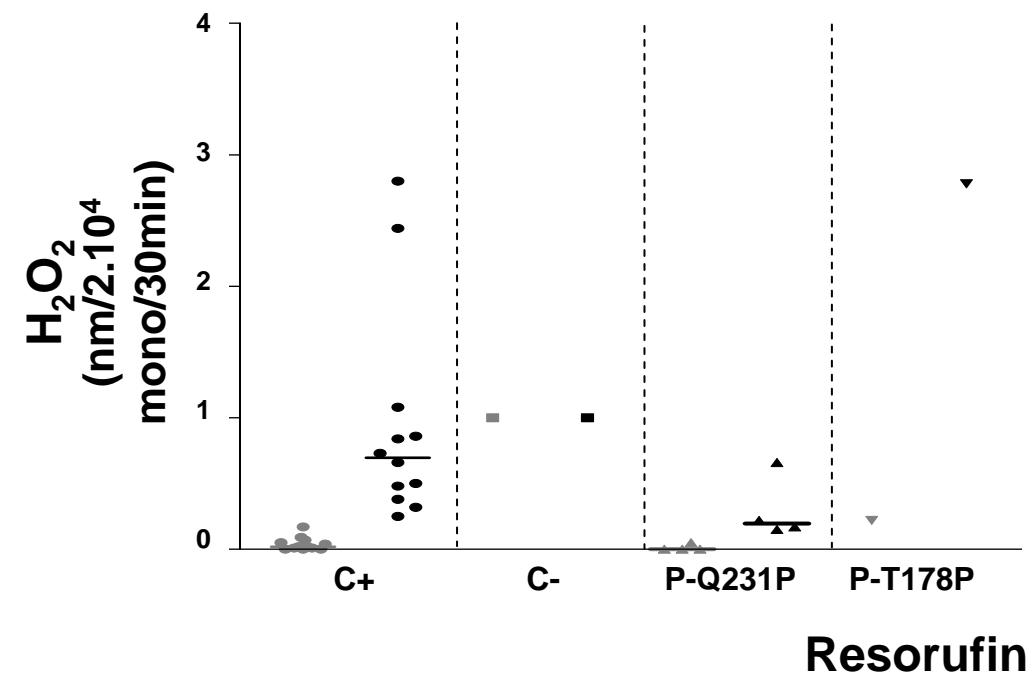
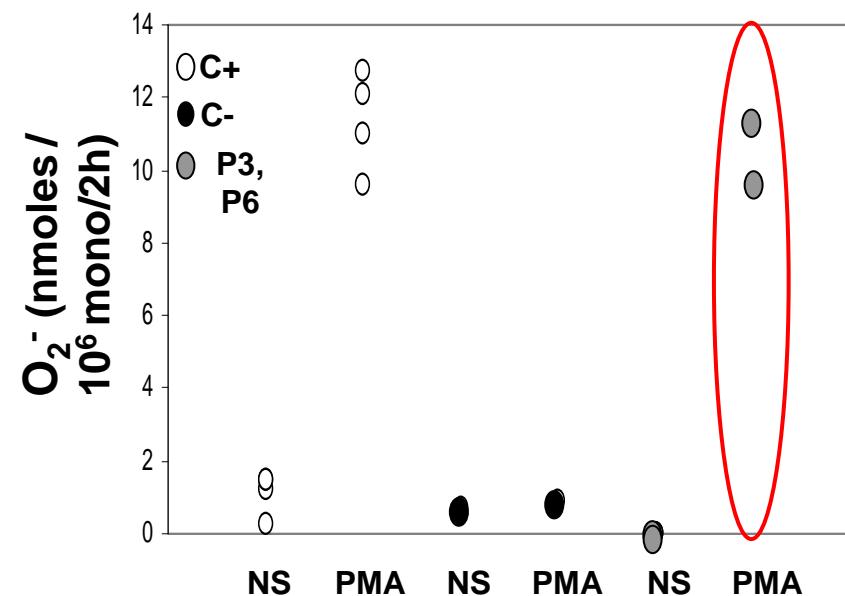
The patients' PMNs produce O_2^- and H_2O_2



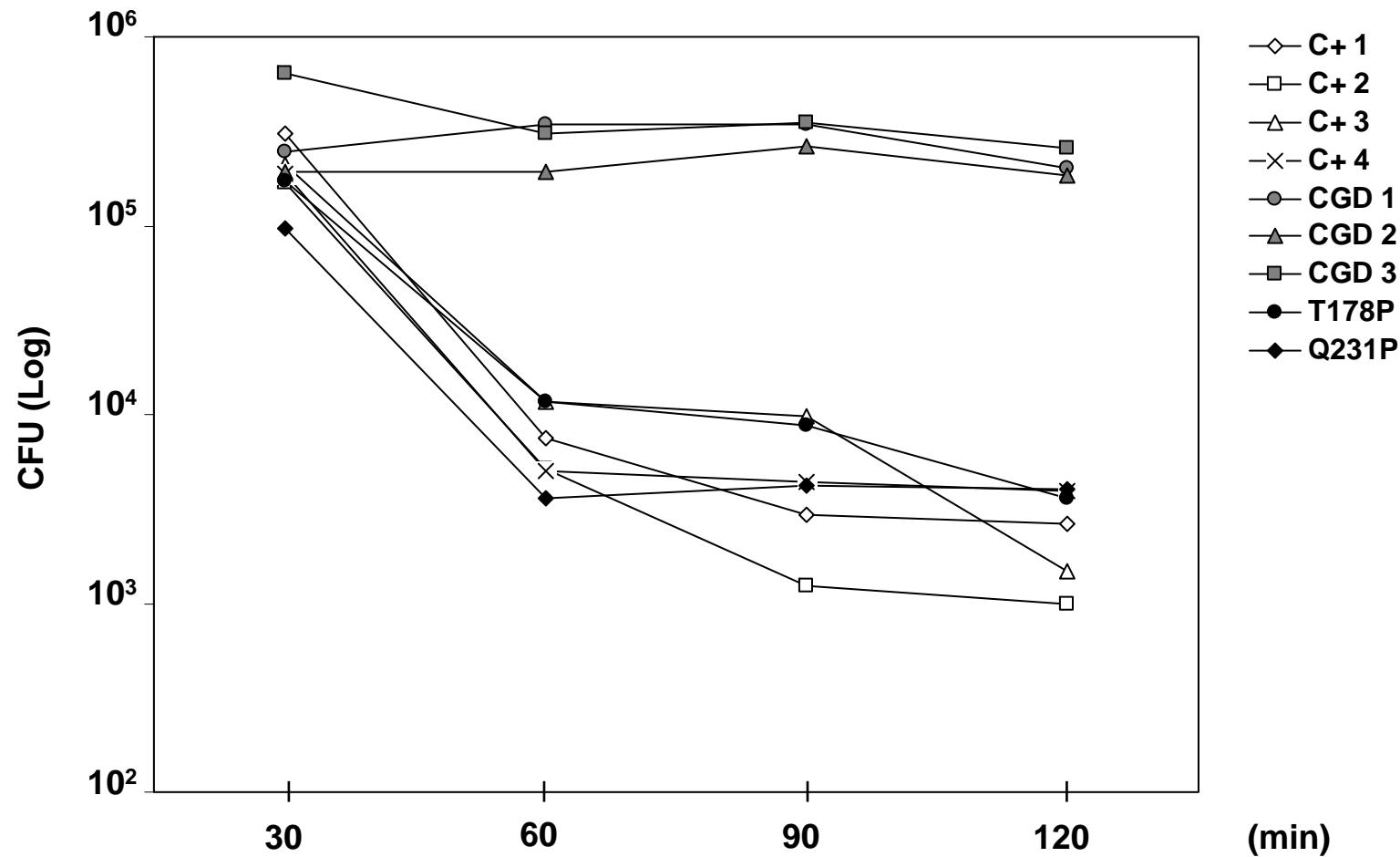
The PMNs respond to physiological stimuli



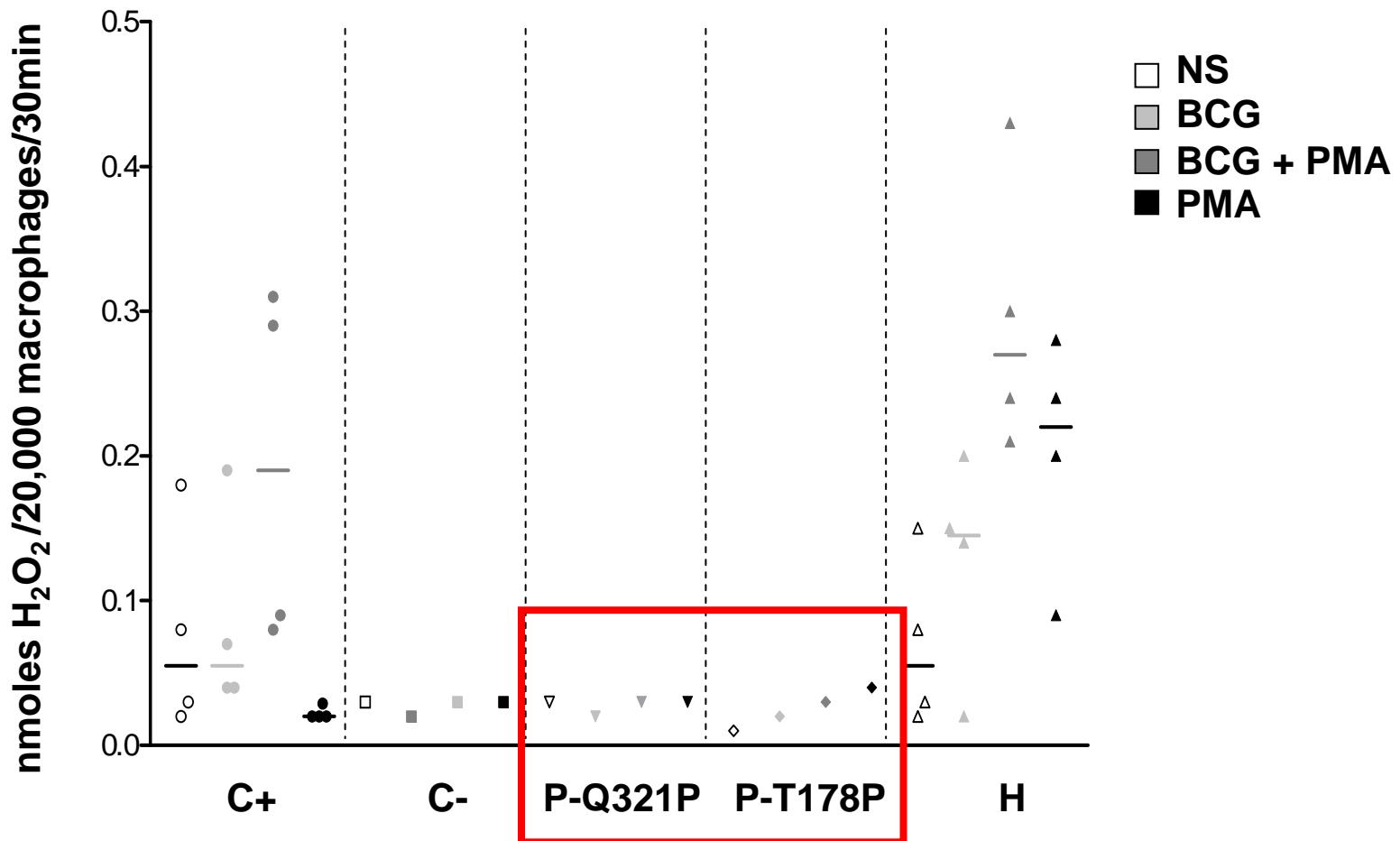
The patients' monocytes produce O_2^- and H_2O_2



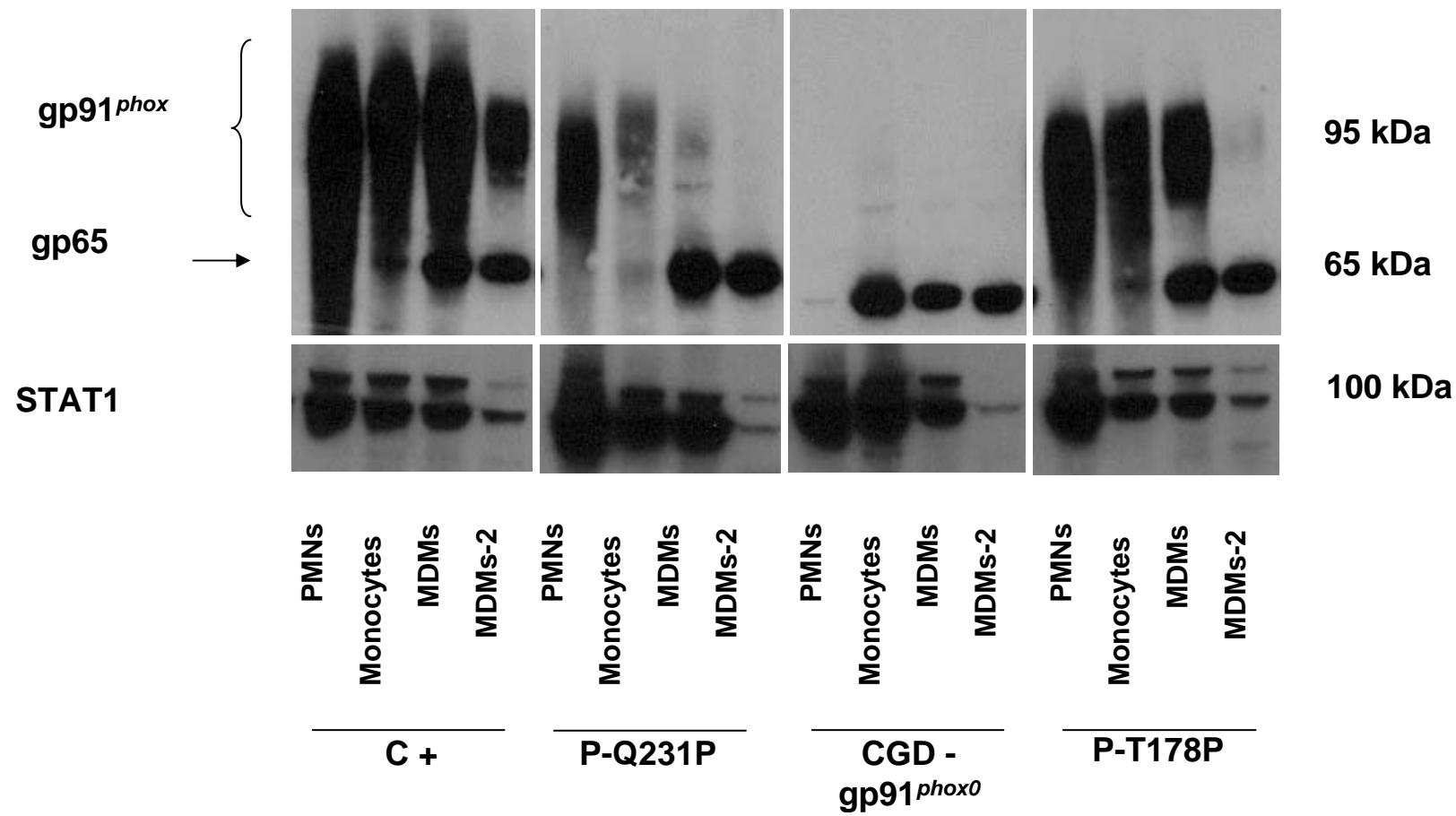
Normal killing of *S. aureus* by neutrophils



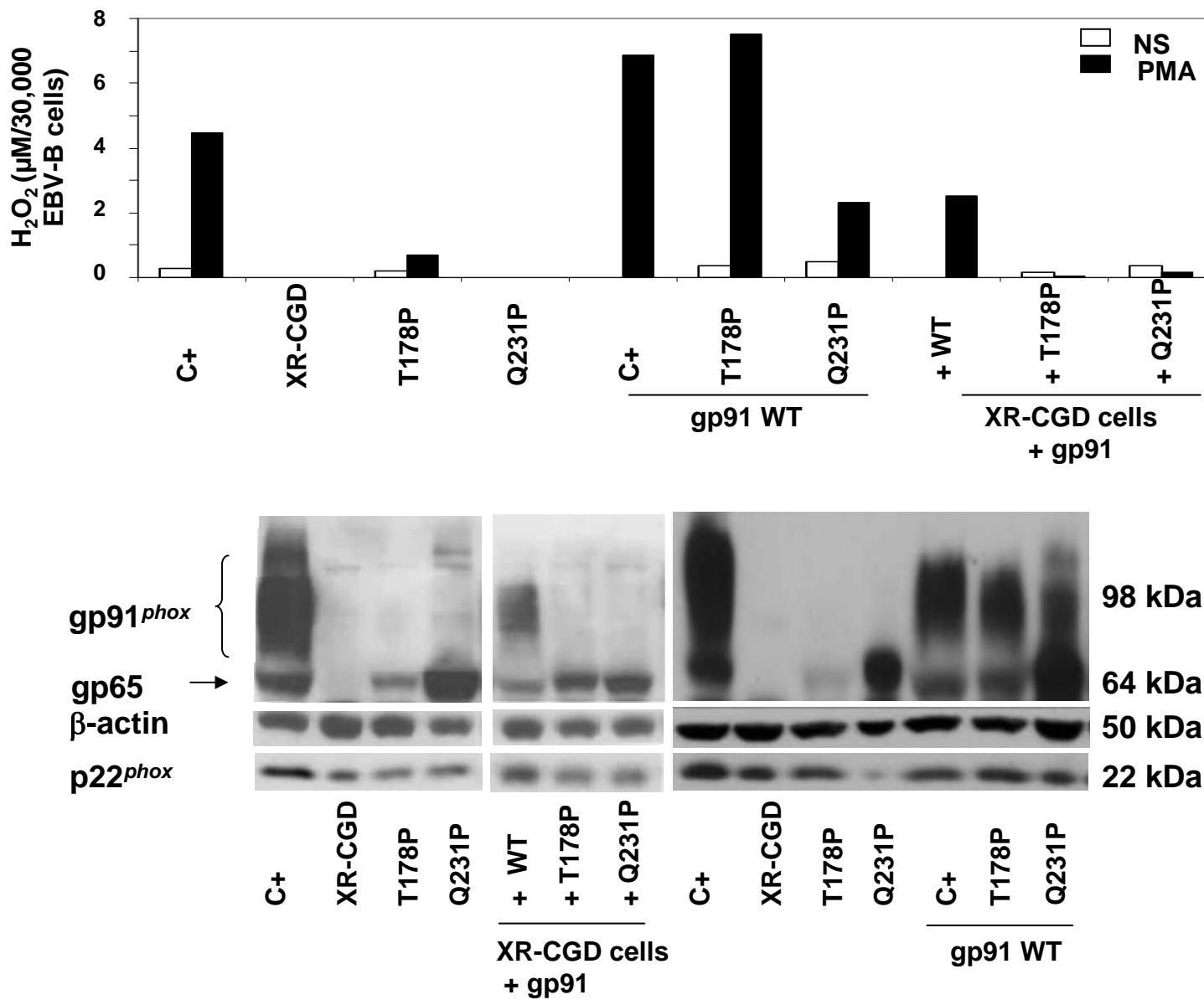
The patients' macrophages do not produce H_2O_2



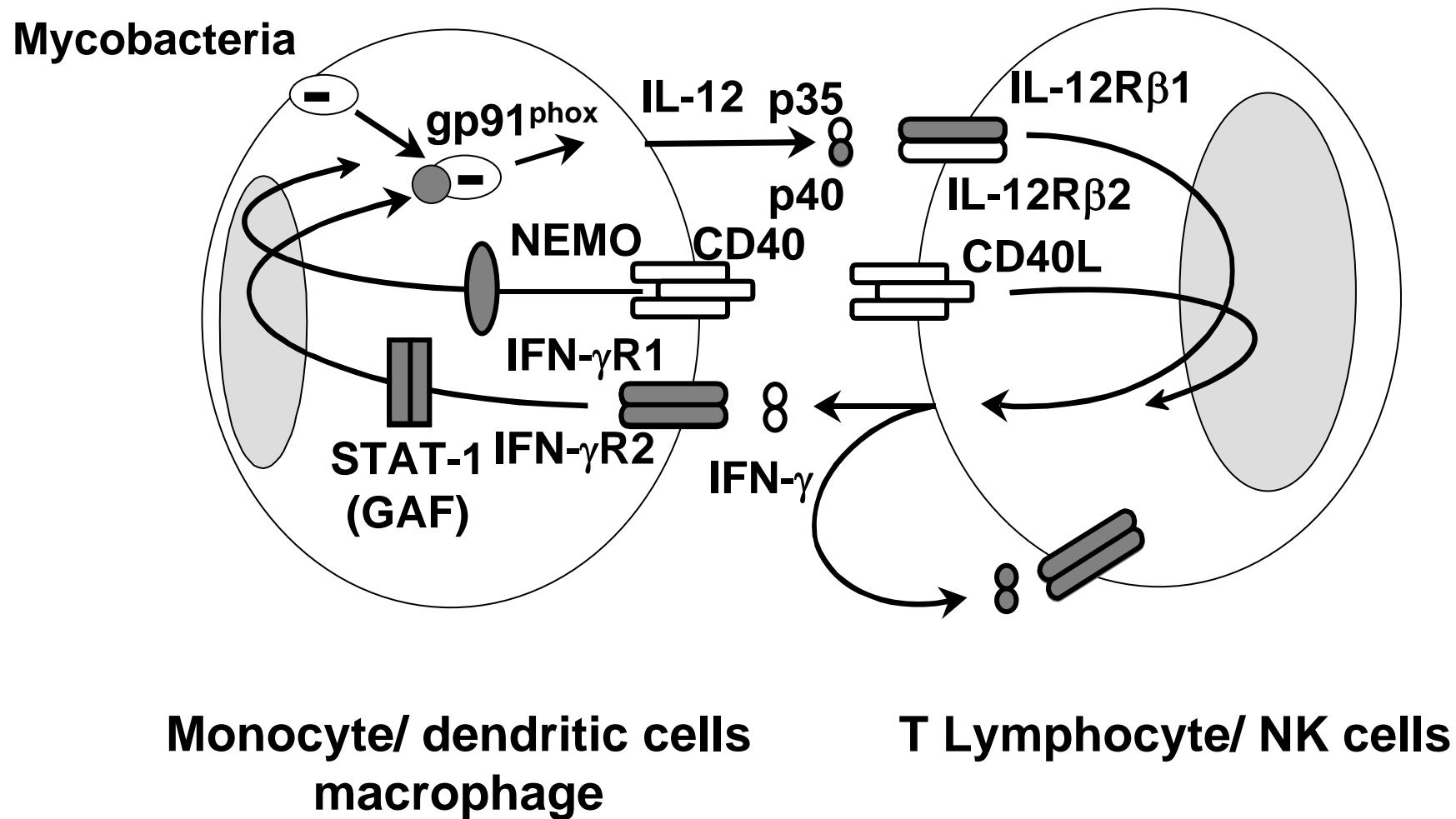
Impaired expression of gp91^{phox}



The Q231P and T178P alleles are null in EBV-B cells



Connexion between CYBB and IL-12-IFN- γ ?



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