

EU Integrated Project **eTUMOUR**



Project acronym: eTUMOUR

Project full title:

WEB ACCESSIBLE MR DECISION SUPPORT SYSTEM FOR BRAIN
TUMOUR DIAGNOSIS AND PROGNOSIS, INCORPORATING IN
VIVO AND EX VIVO GENOMIC AND METABOLOMIC DATA
(FP6-2002-LIFESCIHEALTH 503094)

Programme:

SIXTH FRAMEWORK PROGRAMME PRIORITY LSH-2002-2.2.0-5
Molecular imaging for early detection of tumours and monitoring of
treatment

Period: February 1, 2004 till January 31 2009 (5 years)

Budget: 7.5 million € EU financing; 9.633 million € Overall

Participants: 21 partners (14 public institutions and 7 companies)

Coordinator: Prof. Dr. Bernardo Celda, Univ. de Valencia, Spain

Website: <http://www.uv.es/etumour>



Antecedentes

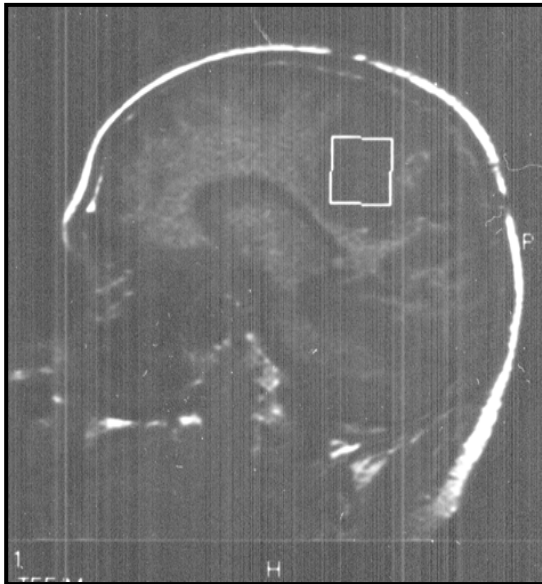
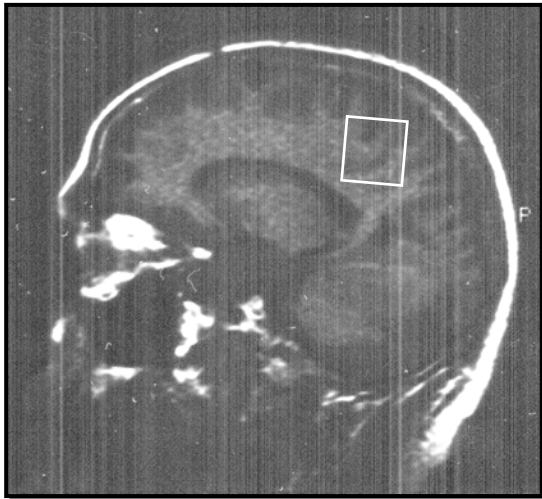
- Los tumores cerebrales afectan a una $\uparrow$ % de la población europea aumentando al incrementarse las expectativas de vida.
- Los tumores del SNC es hoy en día la causa de **mortalidad líder** en niños por debajo de **15 años** y la segunda causa de muerte por cáncer para edades comprendidas entre 15-34 años.
- Diagnóstico y tratamiento de tumores del SNC está basado en la clínica, radiología y histopatología.
- La respuesta a la terapia de tumores con características Histológicas o radiológicas similares es muy variable, especialmente en tumores pediátricos.



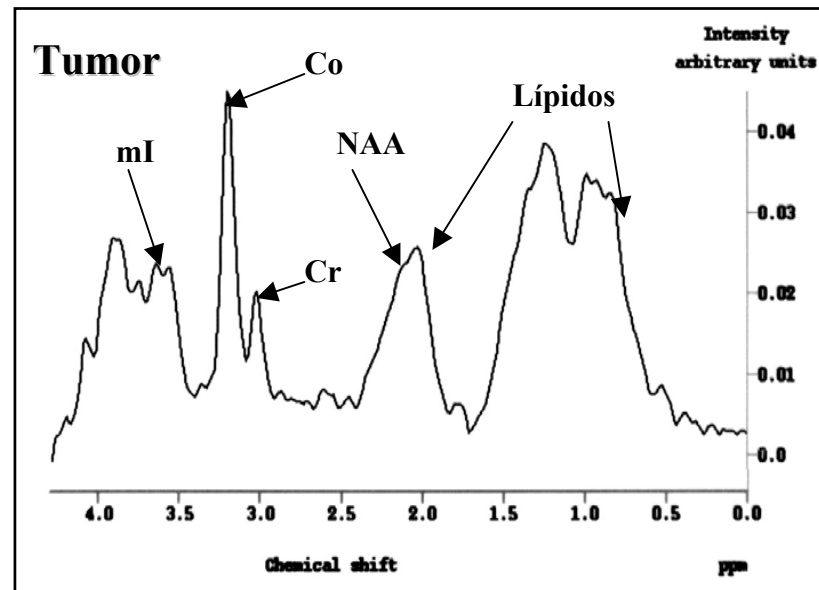
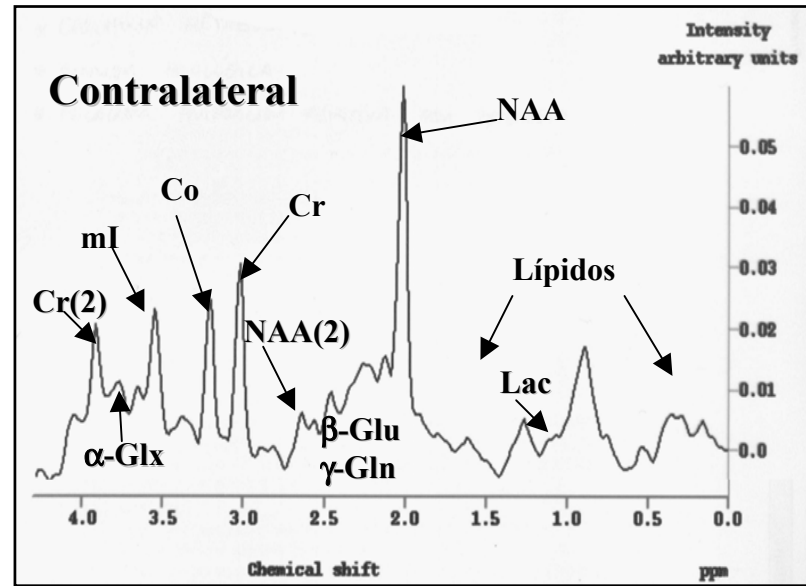
Antecedentes

- El diagnóstico **no cruento** por la imagen (RMI) sólo alcanza **60-90%** de precisión en función del tipo de tumor y grado.
- Actual “gold standard” → histopatología de biopsias implica un proceso quirúrgico “invasivo” con un riesgo 1-2% de mortalidad.
- Necesario una mejora para la clasificación y gradación no cruenta para diagnóstico y pronóstico de tumores de SNC
- Tres técnicas disponibles:
 - 1) ERM in vivo no cruenta
 - 2) HR-MAS ex vivo → METABOLÓMICA
 - 3) Chips ADN ex vivo → TRANSCRIPTÓMICA

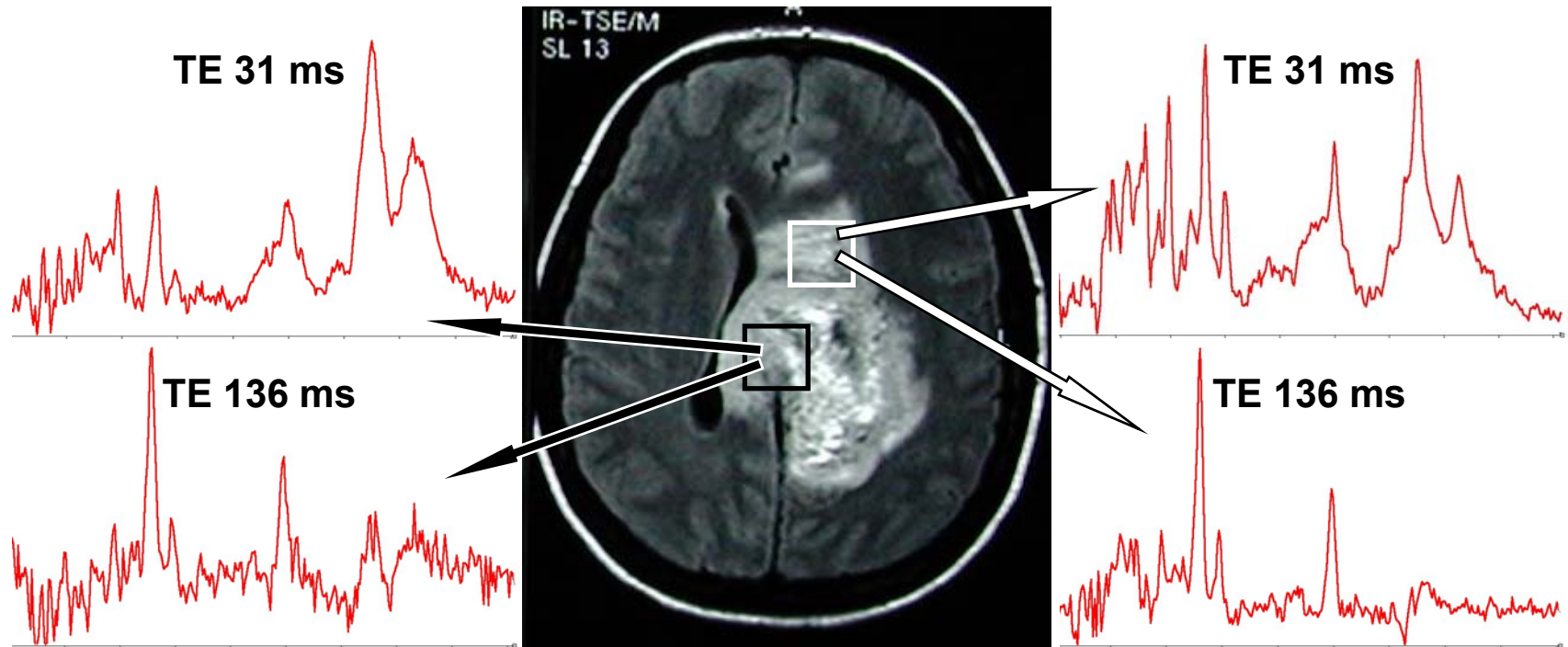
GLIOMA IV



VOI Tumor y contralateral



Tumor in vivo ^1H ERM a 1,5 T





Abrir



FTP



Config



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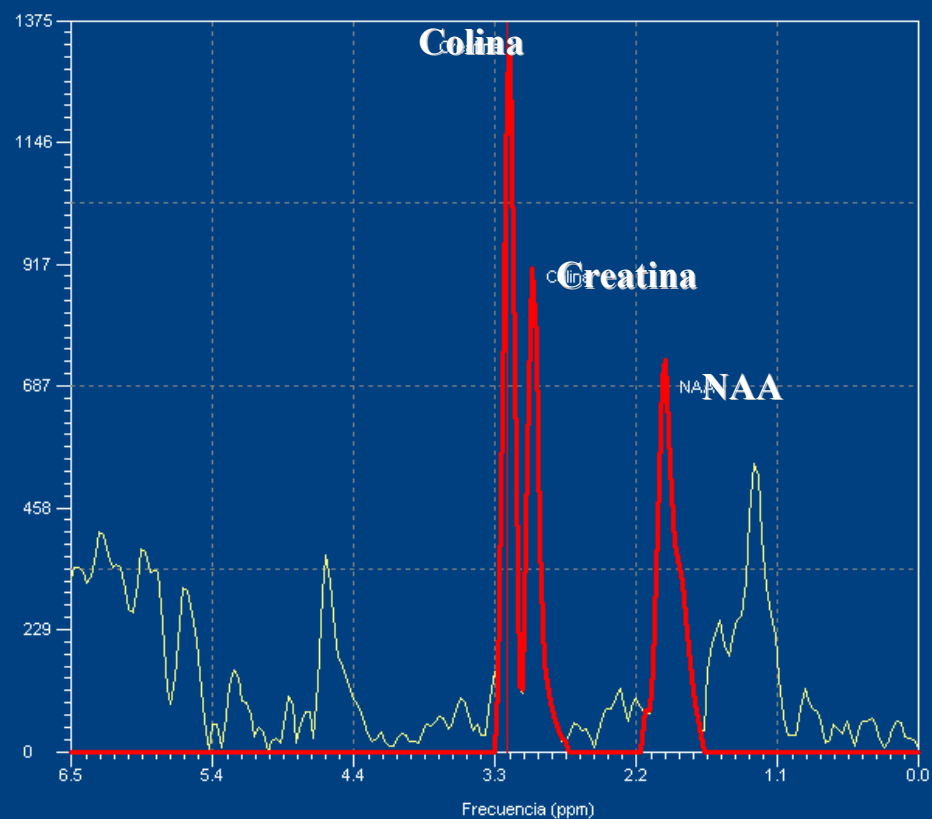
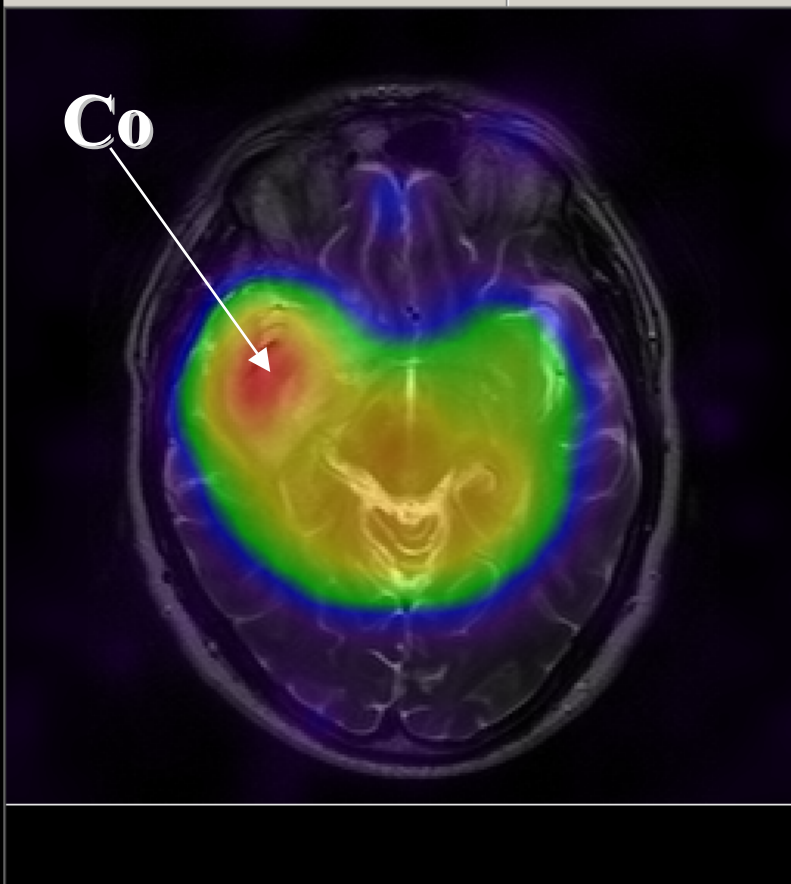


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Ayuda

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Espectro

Escala

Modo

☐ Absoluto

☒ Relativo

Opciones

☒ Etiquetar Picos

☒ Mostrar Areas

Superponer

☐ Malla

☐ Red

ROI

Zoom

Imagen

NAA

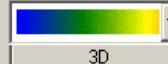
Creatina

Colina

Lactato

Libre

IRMN



3D

Frecuencia 3.172 ppm

Tipo

☒ Modulo

☐ Real

☐ Fase

☐ Imaginario

Formación

☐ Discreta

☒ Continua

Referencia

☐ Contorno

☒ Imagen

Relaciones entre metabolitos

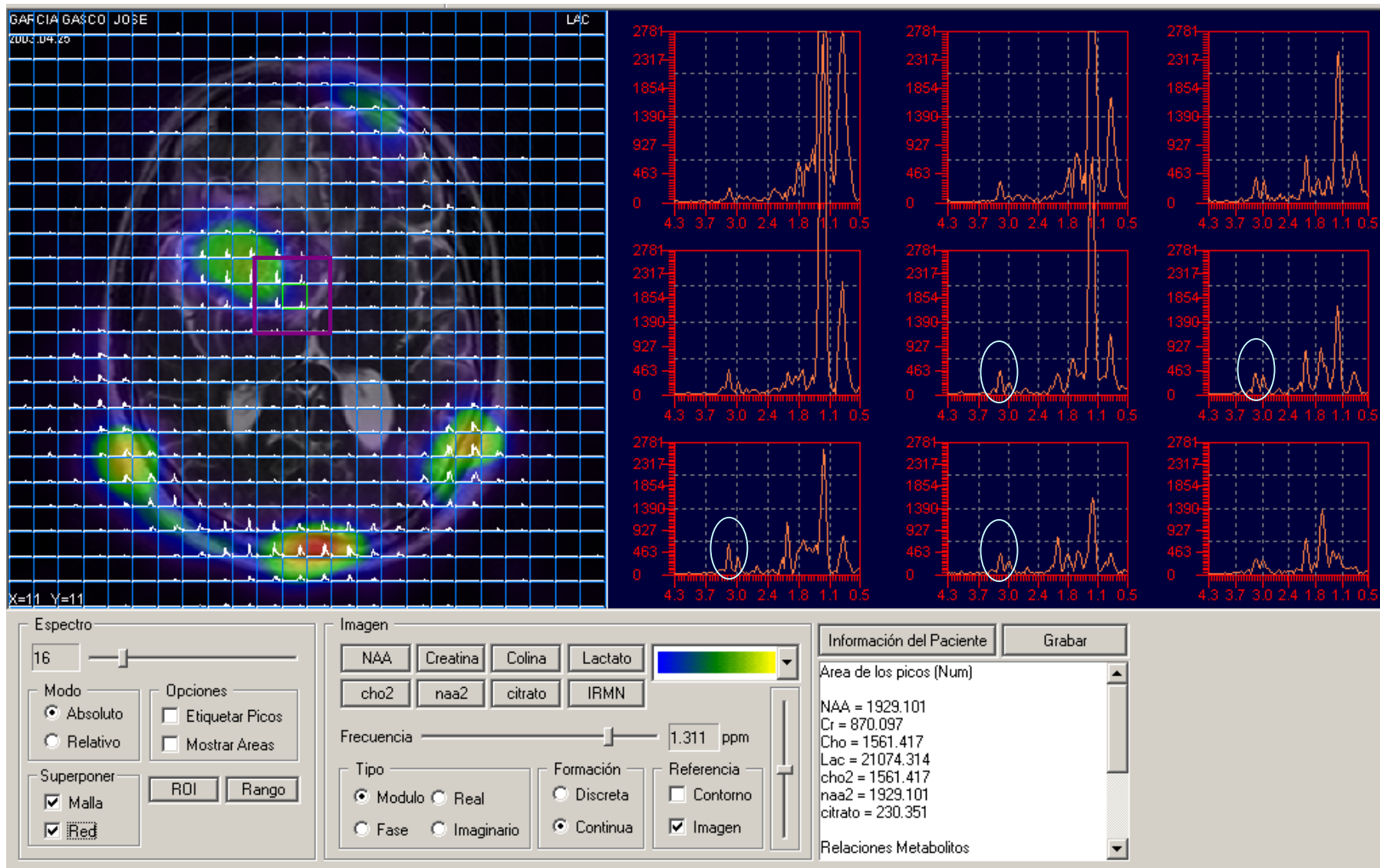
NAA\Cr = 0.5551

Cho\Cr = 0.7208

NAA\Cho = 0.7702

Cr\Cho = 1.3874

Metástasis



METABOLÓMICA

Estudio de biopsias con HR-MAS (ex vivo)

T=0 C (4 C interior)

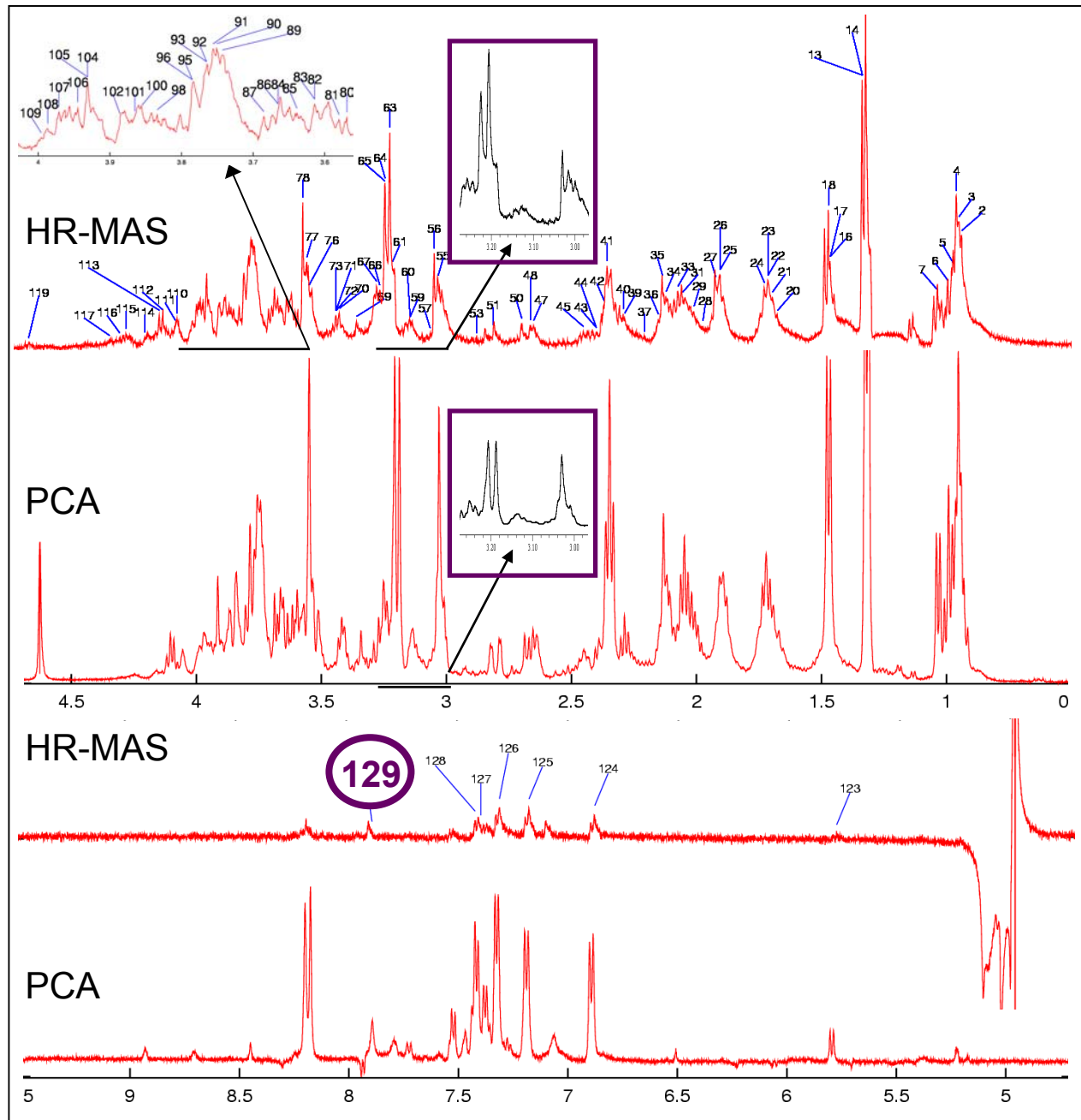
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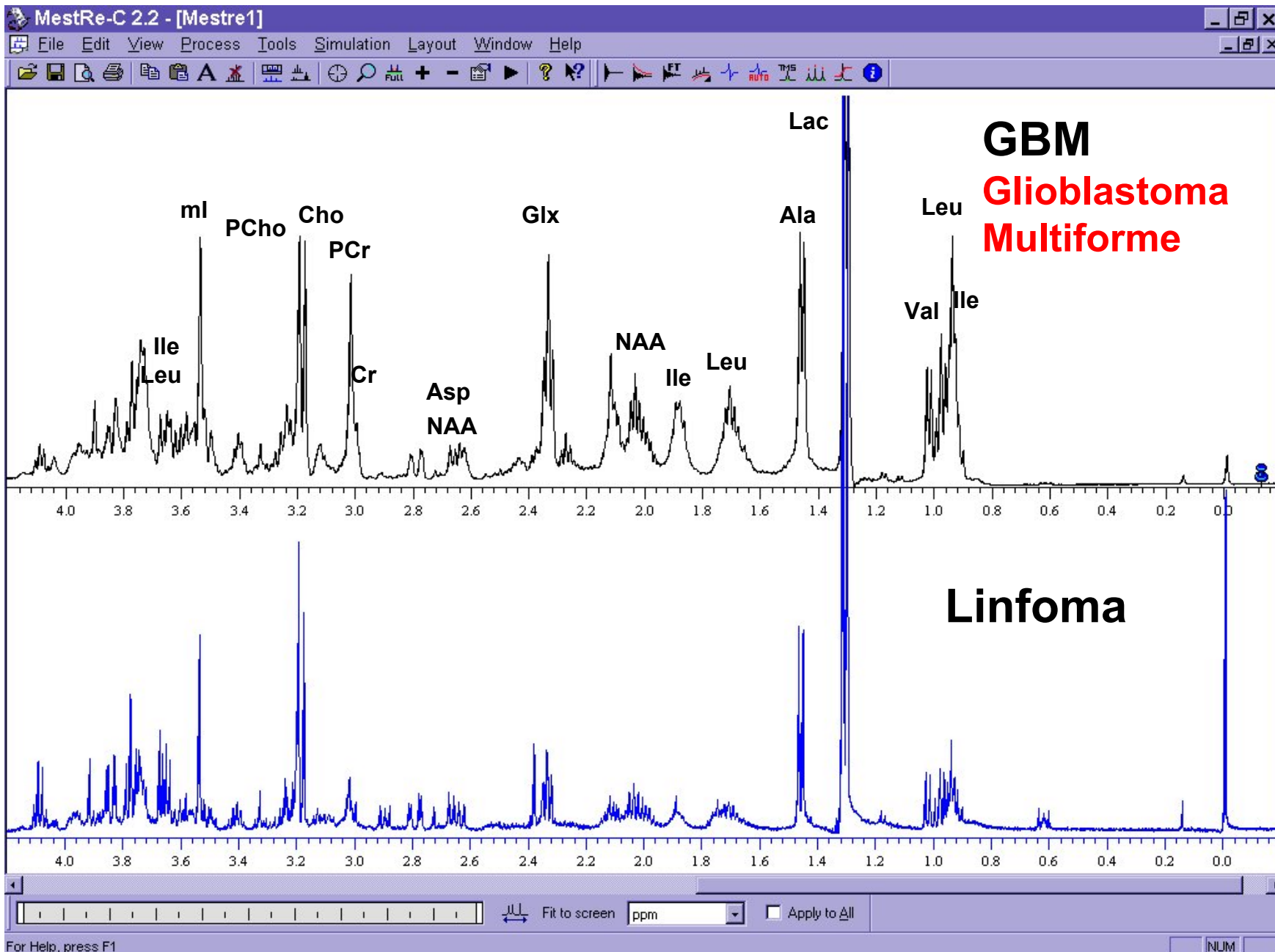
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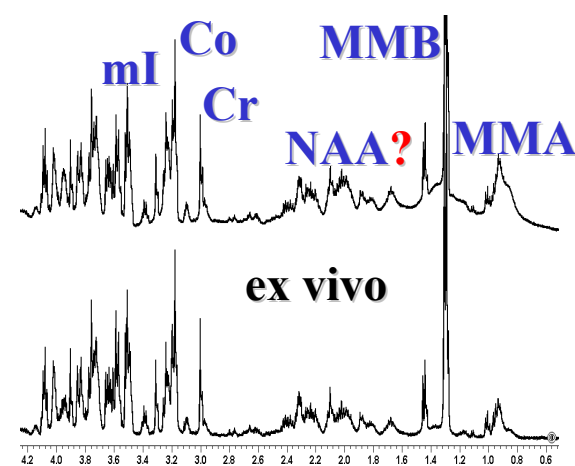
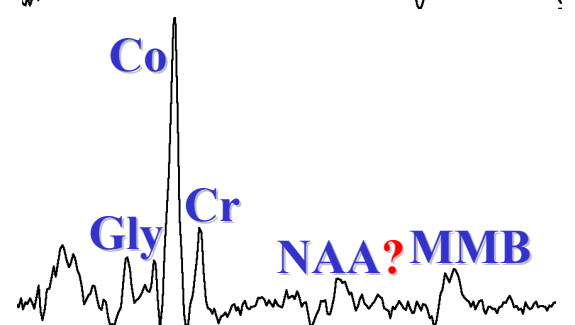
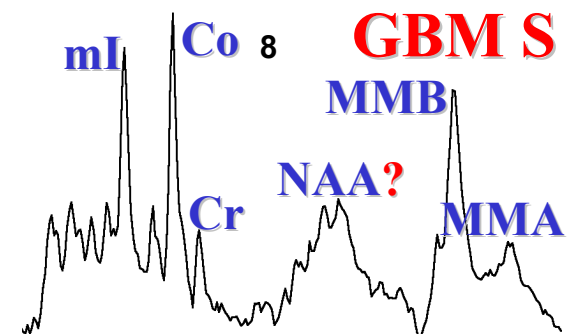
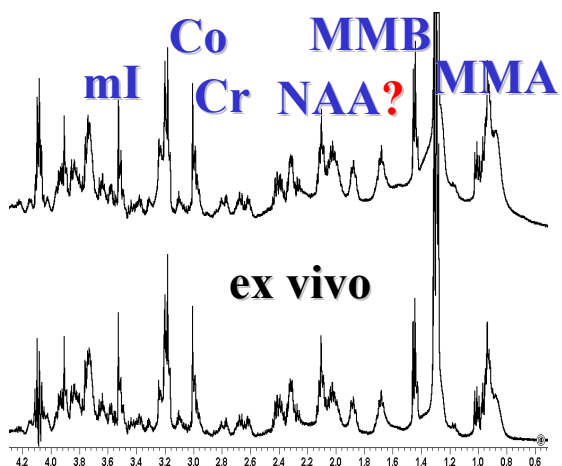
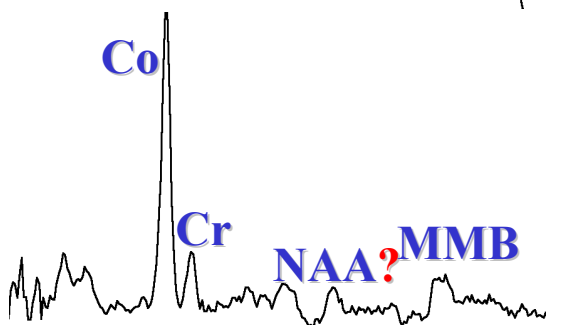
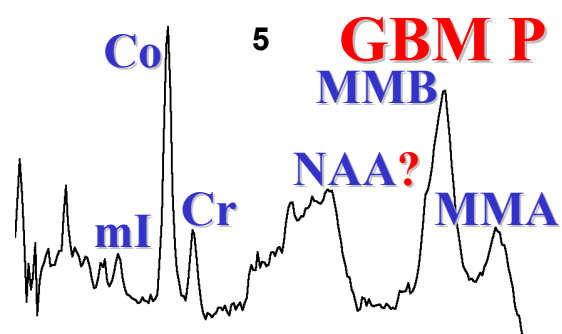
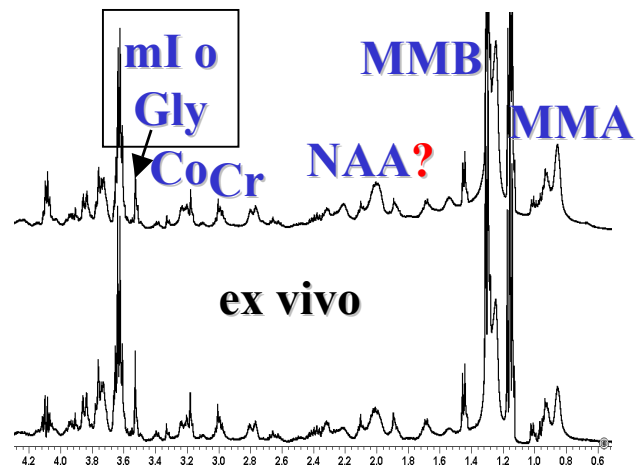
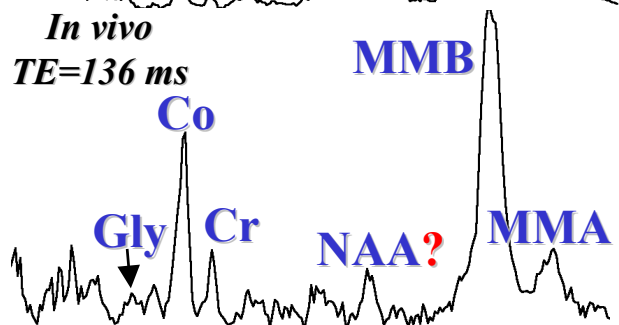
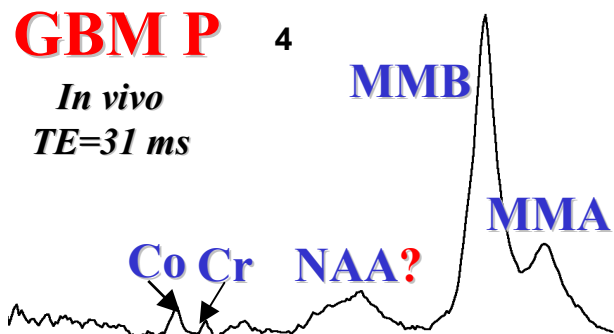
Rotor cilíndrico (50 μ l)

(PCA aprox. 2g)

D₂O ajuste del campo y movilidad







[NMR in Biomedicine, Martínez-Bisbal et al. 2004;17:1-15(2004)]

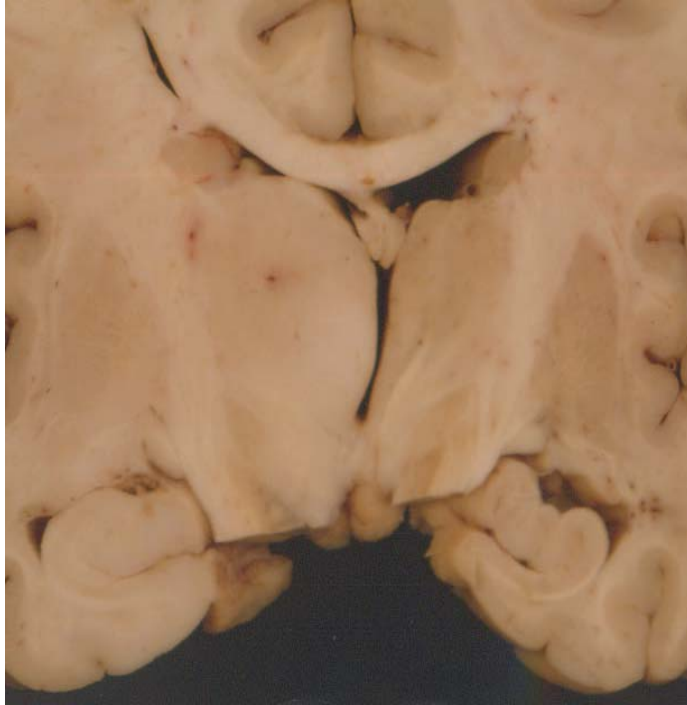
RVGP-2004

Gradación de gliomas; características histopatológicas

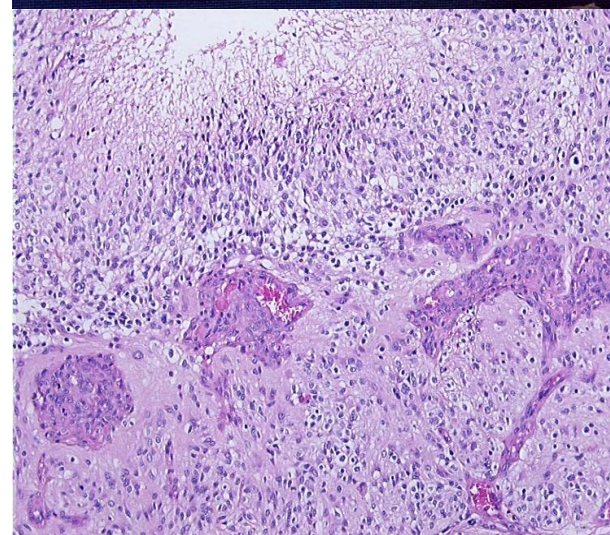
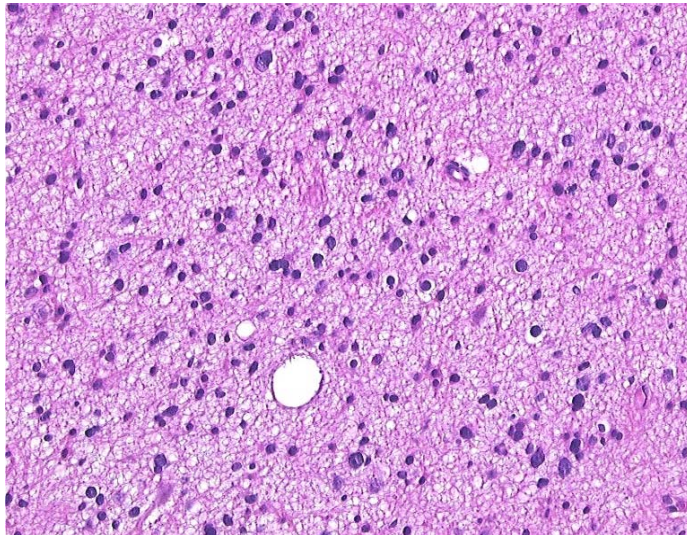
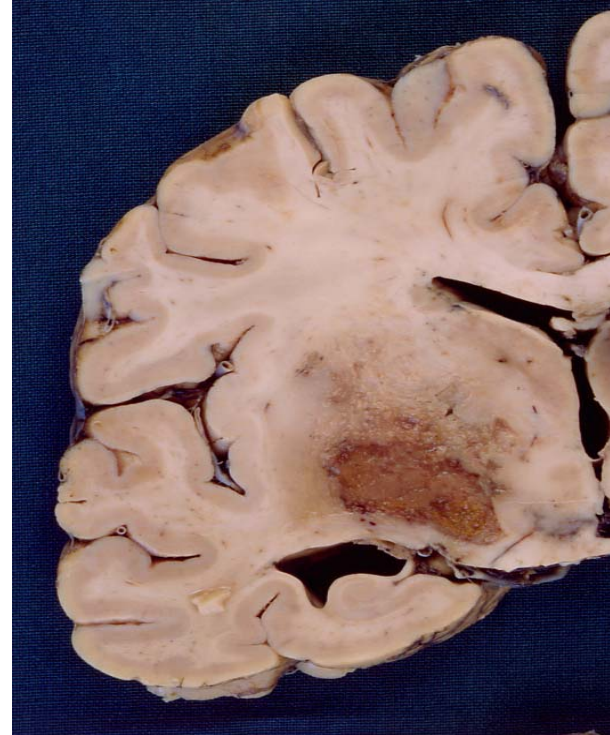
- **polimorfismo nuclear**
- **actividad mitótica**
- **necrosis**
- **proliferación microvascular**
- **celularidad**



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GBM





Clasificación Histopatológica de gliomas

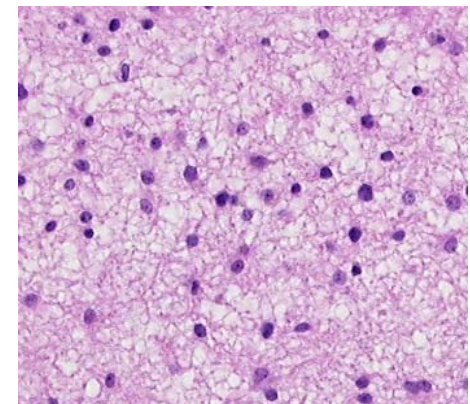
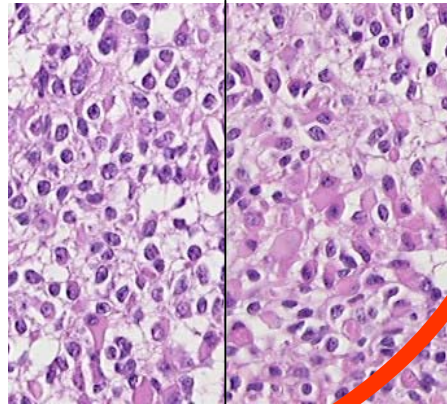
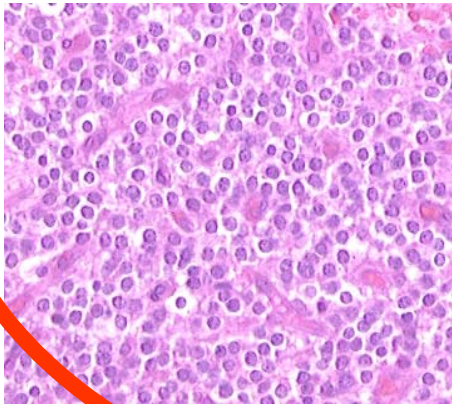
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OAs



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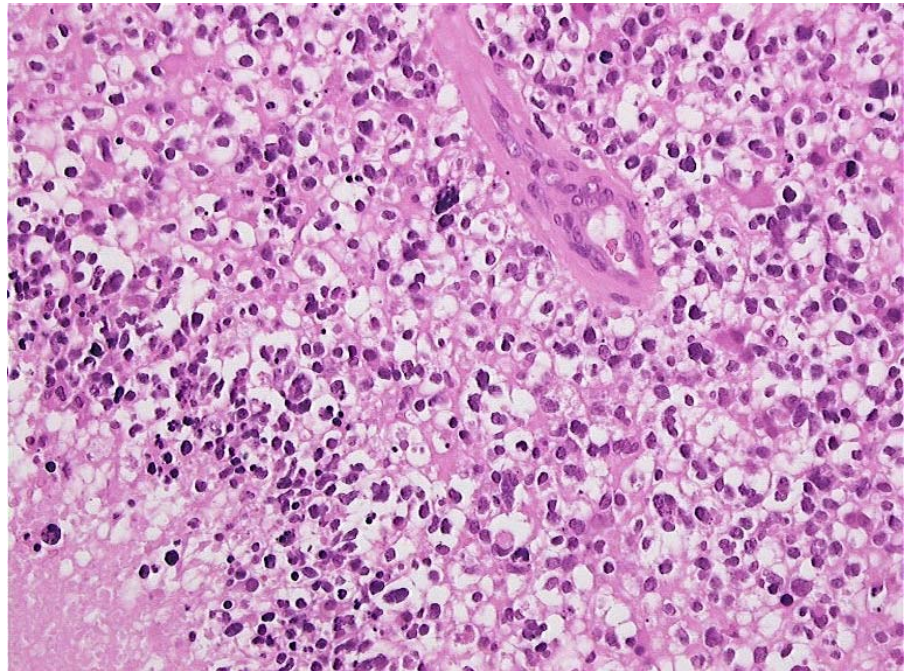
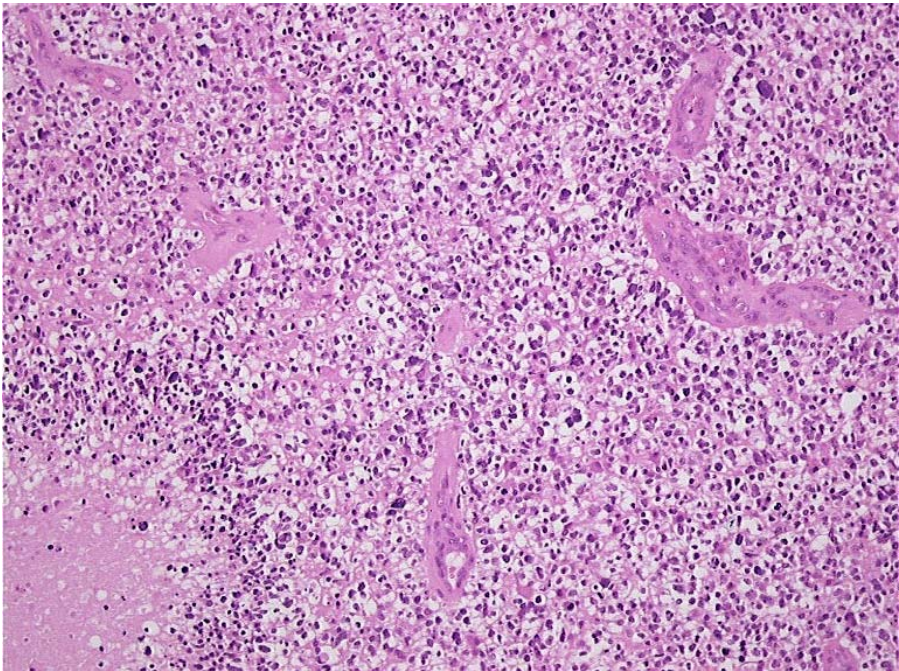


**Oligodendroglial
Tumors (OTs)**

- * Sensible a quimioterapia
- * Mejor pronóstico



Oligodendroglioma Maligno? O GBM con características de oligo?





Genética de los Tumores del SNC

Subtipos Genéticos de GBMs

Progresión / Secundario
evolución

Astrocito Normal



LOH 17p
P53 mutacion (17p13)

Astrocitoma



LOH 19q
LOH 13q
LOH 9p

Astrocitoma Anaplásico



LOH 10q
PTEN mutación (10q23)

GBM

De novo / Primario
evolución

Astrocito Normal



Amplificación :

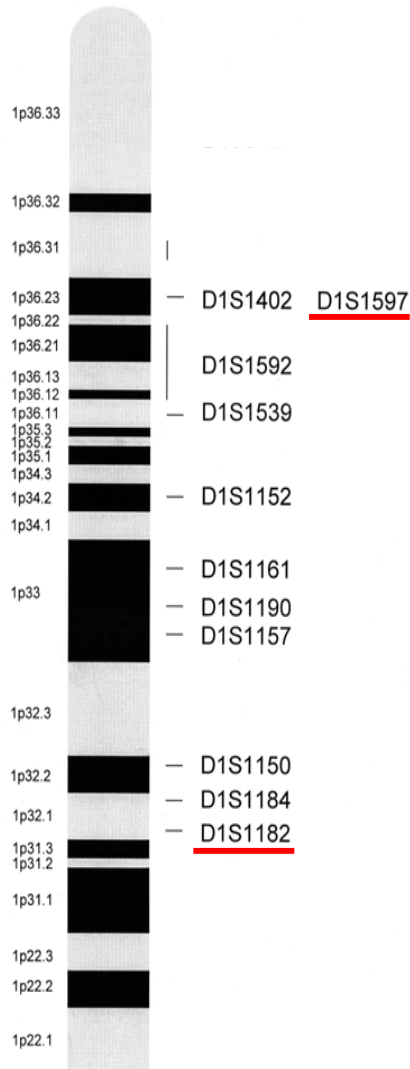
EGFR (7p12)
MDM2 (12q14-15)

Deleción (LOH) o
mutación :

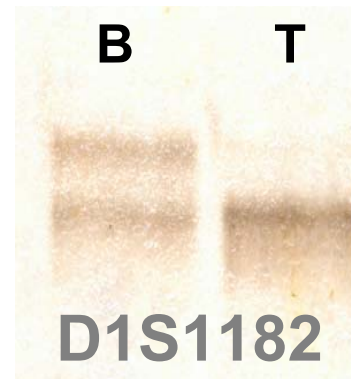
p16 (9p21)
10p and 10q
RB1 (13q14)

GBM

LOH 1p

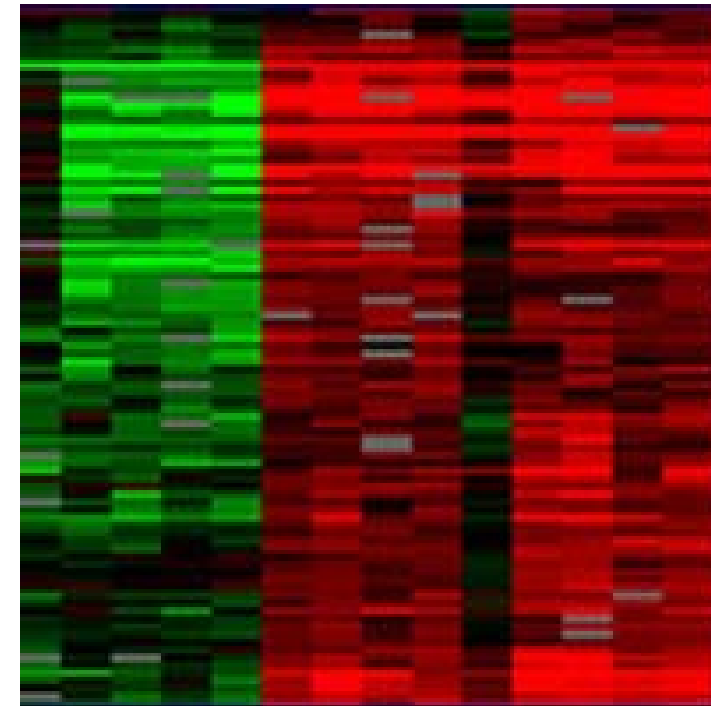
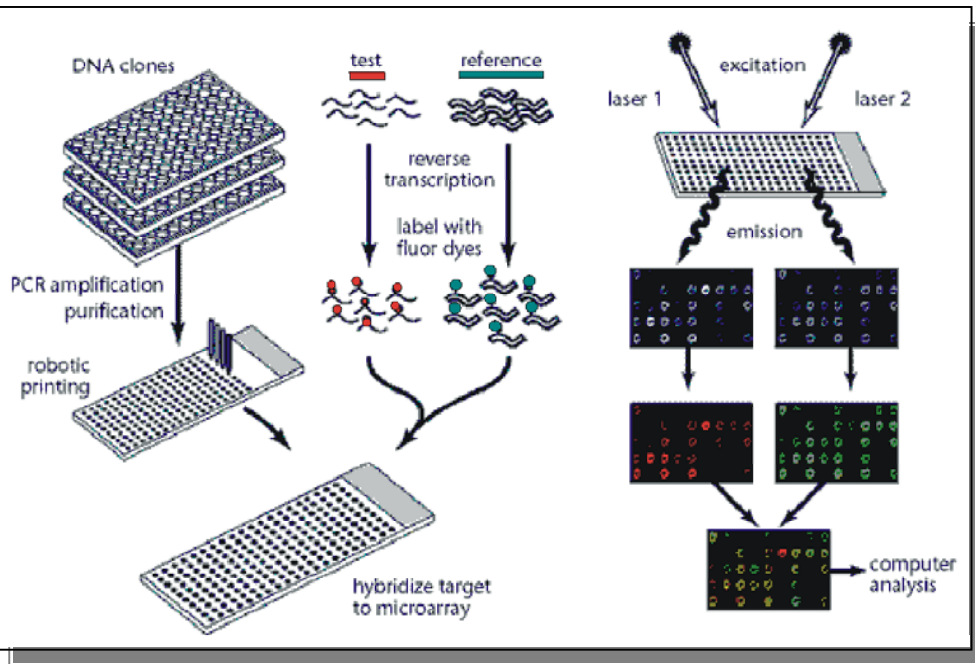


ID 23462
Oligoastrocitoma
WHO Grado II



ID 23434
Anaplásico
oligodendroglioma
WHO Grado III

Transcriptómica eTUMOUR





eTUMOUR GENERAL OBJECTIVES

- eTUMOUR aims to create a comprehensive Web-accessible Decision Support System (DSS) for analysis and interpretation of in vivo Magnetic Resonance Spectroscopy and Imaging (MRS & MRI) data of brain tumours
- includes a database of clinical, histological, metabolic (NMR HR-MAS) and molecular phenotype data from brain tumour patients
- the DSS will facilitate evidence-based clinical decision-making using MR and include new criteria such as genetic based tumour classifications
- the DSS will be also designed with Agent Technology to create a secure distributed database accessible trans-nationally by collaborating centres



eTUMOUR PARTICULAR OBJECTIVES (1)

- Acquire *in vivo* MRS/MRI and clinical (histopathology, treatment response and patient outcome) data from brain tumour patients
- Acquire *ex vivo* HR MAS (metabolomic) and DNA microarray (transcriptomic) data from tumour biopsies
- Correlate metabolomic with transcriptomic profiles of tumours and correlate these with clinical data
- Implement pattern recognition methods for classification and analysis of *in vivo* MRS and *ex vivo* HR-MAS and microarray data
- Develop transcriptomic based tumour classifications
- Develop new microarrays specific to tumour classification



eTUMOUR PARTICULAR OBJECTIVES (2)

- Improve our classification of *in vivo* molecular MRS imaging of tumours and understanding of tumour biology by using *ex vivo* metabolomic and transcriptomic data
- Develop automated processing, analysis and display for molecular imaging by MRS
- Use Agent Technology to securely integrate multi-site data for access by the DSS, for pattern recognition (PR)
- Analysis on distributed data, for data sharing and for DSS updating
- Create a web-based Decision Support System (DSS) with a distributed database that incorporates clinical, metabolomic, transcriptomic data and the MRS processing and classification prototype
- Prospectively evaluate the DSS in a clinical demonstration of added value

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SCIENTIFIC OBJECTIVES	Users of the outcomes (apart from partners)
Clinical demonstration of the added value of combined MRI/MRS use in the DSS for diagnostic accuracy support over conventional radiology.	Clinicians. Government Agencies. MR companies.
Introduction of DNA microarray analysis of tumour biopsies as an adjuvant in tumour classification.	Pathology services at major hospitals. Pharmaceutical companies.
High field MRS of biopsy tissue to improve under-standing of tumour biology, classification and grading, and to aid diagnosis and prognosis using new high field ($\geq 3\text{T}$) whole body MR systems.	Cancer researchers. Pharmaceutical companies. High-field ex vivo MRS researchers and users of new high-field in vivo MR systems. Developers of DSS upgrades
Publications and PhD's	Scientific and industrial MR community

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TECHNOLOGICAL OBJECTIVES	Users of the outcomes (apart from partners)
Development of a secure distributed database using Agent Technology with web server DSS access	Clinical centres worldwide (≈ 5600) with 1.5 T (and 3T) MRI/MRS scanners
The development of the GUI as a learning tool for proper MRS use by radiologists	Teaching institutions. Radiology departments. Data-mining groups
Automated processing & analysis software for incorporation of molecular imaging by MRS into the DSS in real time.	Future users of the DSS
GUI guided advice on optimal MRI and MRS acquisition protocols for differential diagnosis.	Clinical MR centres. Companies making MR scanners.
Contribution to the development of a DICOM MRS standard.	Companies developing MR scanners and postprocessing software for MRI/MRS.
Consensus protocols for acquisition of all MRS/MRI data compatible with DSS use.	Future DSS users. Researchers into MR diagnosis of other abnormal brain masses and neuro-degenerative diseases.
MR system and patient data quality control protocols for data acceptance into the DSS.	MR clinical centres. Future DSS users. MR Industry.

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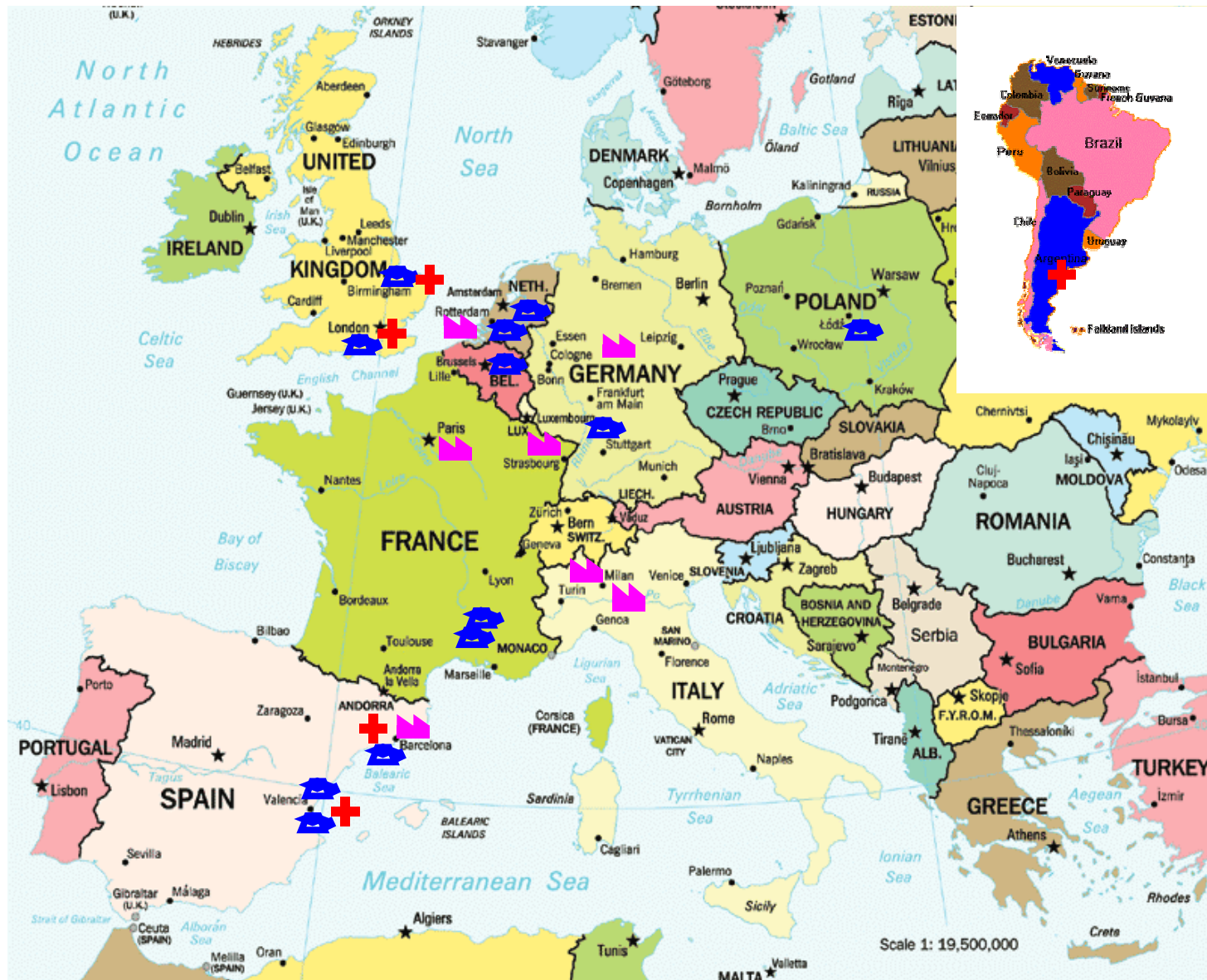
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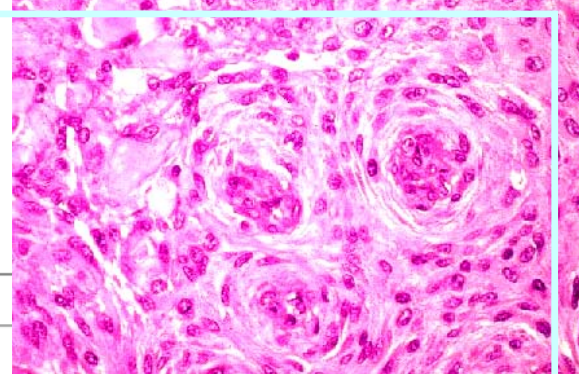
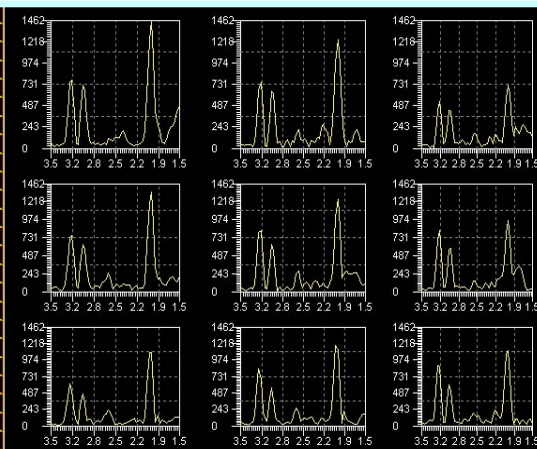
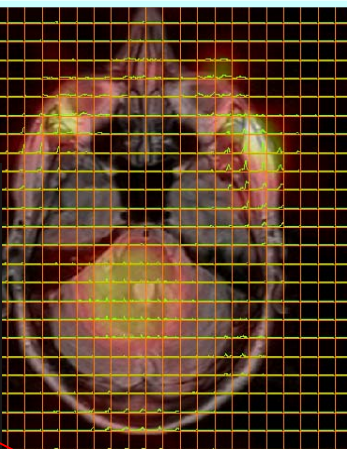
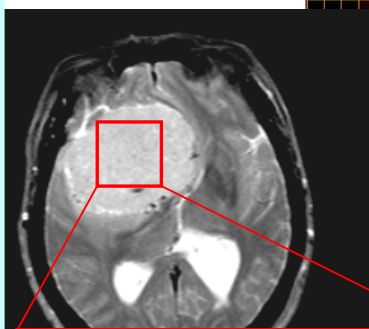
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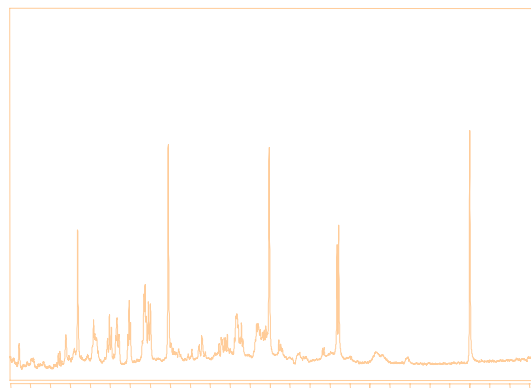
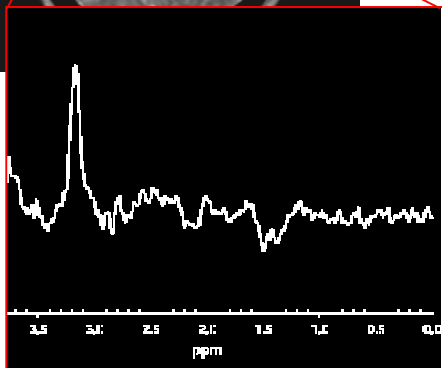


Workpackage Description

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WP7	Diffusion and Implementation	Mr. Magí Lluch
WP8 RVGP-2004	Industrialization and CE Marketing	Dr. Arno Klaassen



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Neurological Detail
Corns (GCS less or equal to 8)

Medication at Time of Spectroscopy

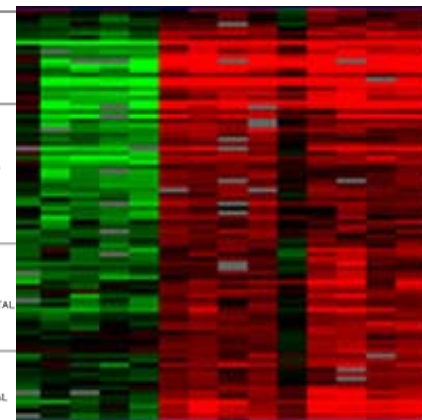
Steroids	NO	Drug taken:	DEXAMETHASONE
Anticonvulsants	NO		NA
Gadolinium	NO		
Anesthetic Agents	NO		NA
Mannitol	NO		

Radiology - MRI or CT Scan Findings

Bleed into Tumour	NO
Tumour Location	RIGHT FRONTAL
Tumour Size (Diameter mm)	65
Radiological Diagnosis	MENINGIOMA

Surgery

Site of Operation	FRONTOTEMPORAL
Total Tumour Removal	NO
Subtotal Tumour Removal	NO
Stereotactic Biopsy	NO

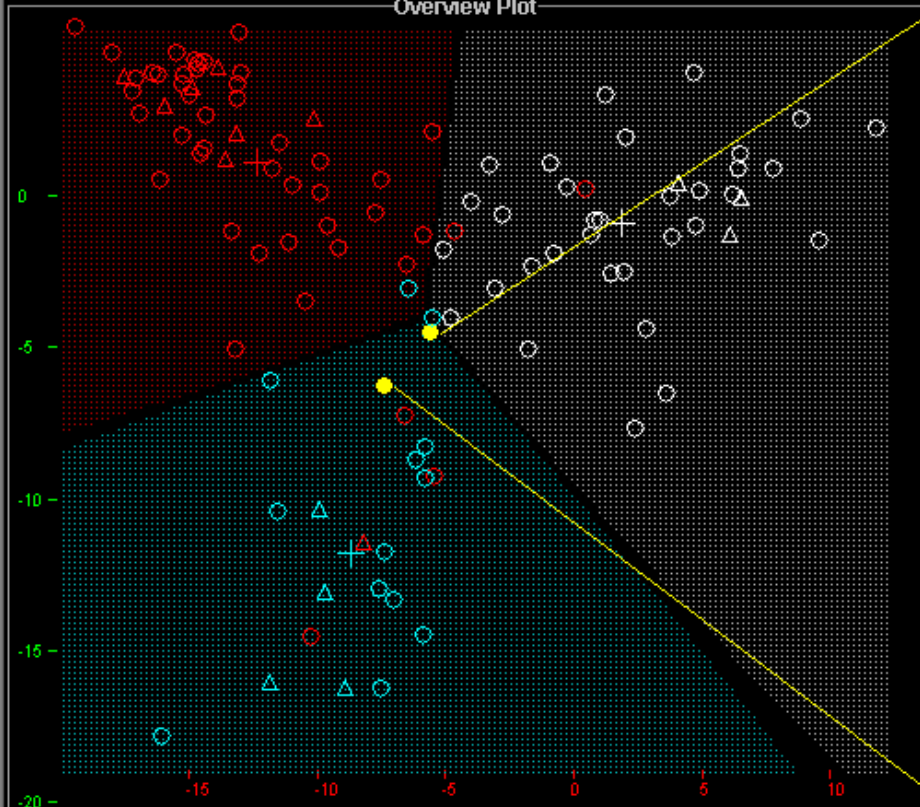


SECURE WEB-BASED DISTRIBUTED DATABASE

DECISION SUPPORT TOOL

Classify New Case

Overview Plot



Overview Key Overview Description

☒ Group Average	☒ Background Color	☒ Healthy Tissue
☐ Abscess	☒ Astrocytoma 2	☐ Astrocytoma 3
☒ Glioblastoma	☐ Haemangiobla...	☐ PNET
☐ Lymphoma	☒ Meningioma	☐ Metastases
☐ Oligoastrocyto...	☐ Oligodendrogl...	☐ Schwannoma

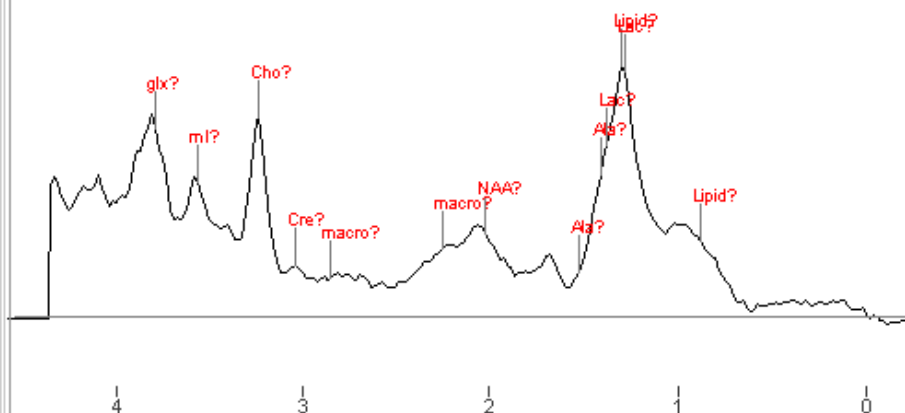
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MRS MRI Clinical Record Case Notes Help

Overlay (mean $\pm$ SD) ☐ Show phased real spectrum

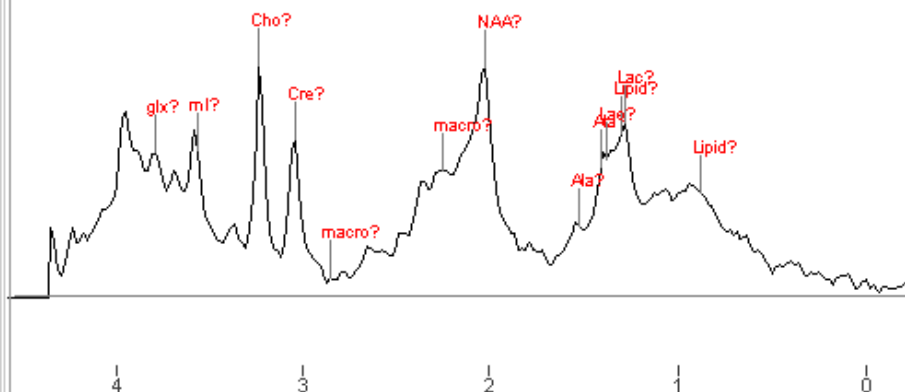
Short TE magnitude

Glioblastoma ?



Short TE magnitude

Astrocitoma grado 3

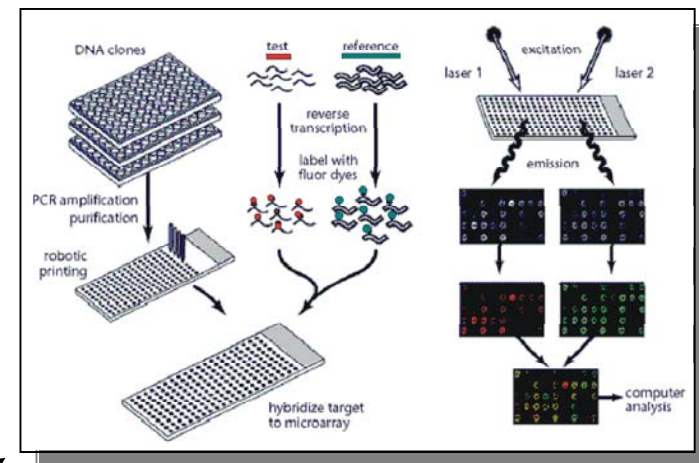
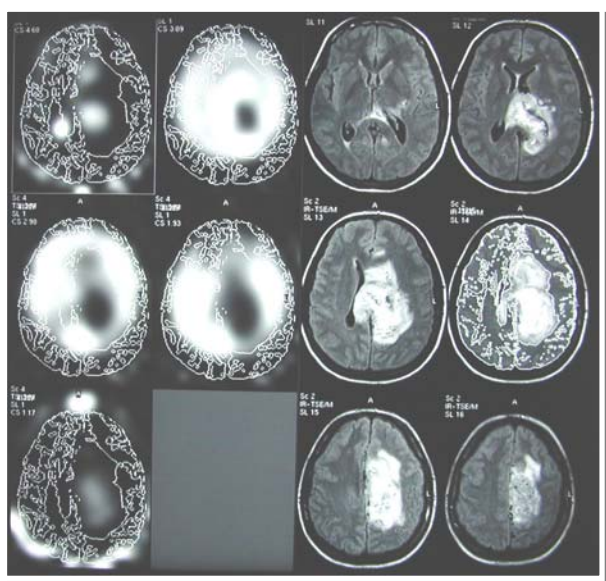


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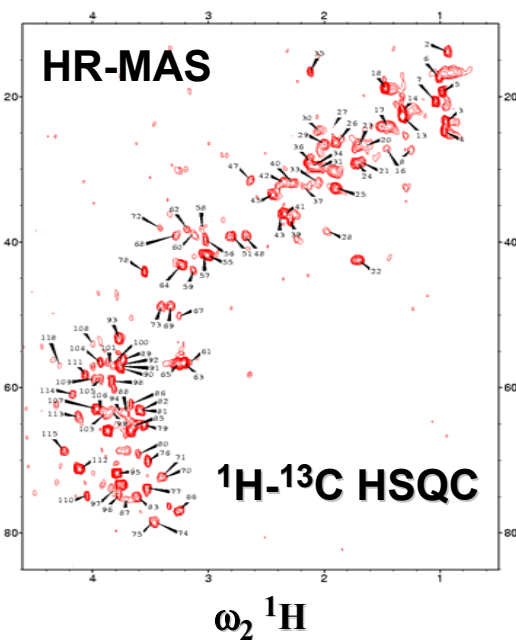
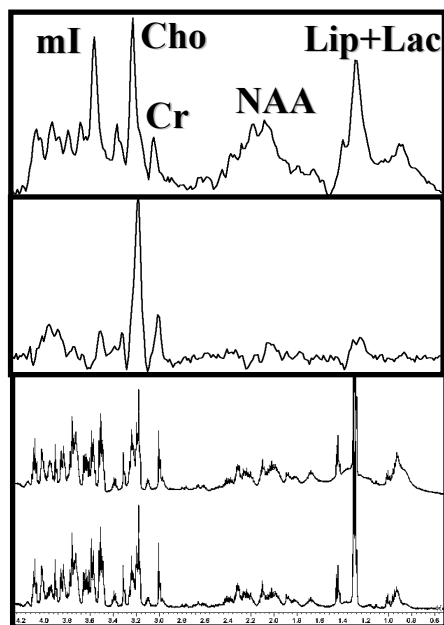
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