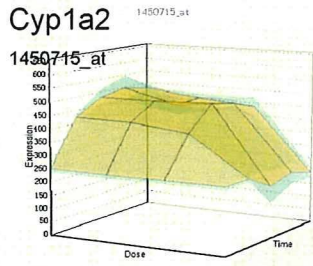


3-MC 30mg/kg
Cyp1a2
anti-sense



cytochrome P450, family 1, subfamily
a, polypeptide 2

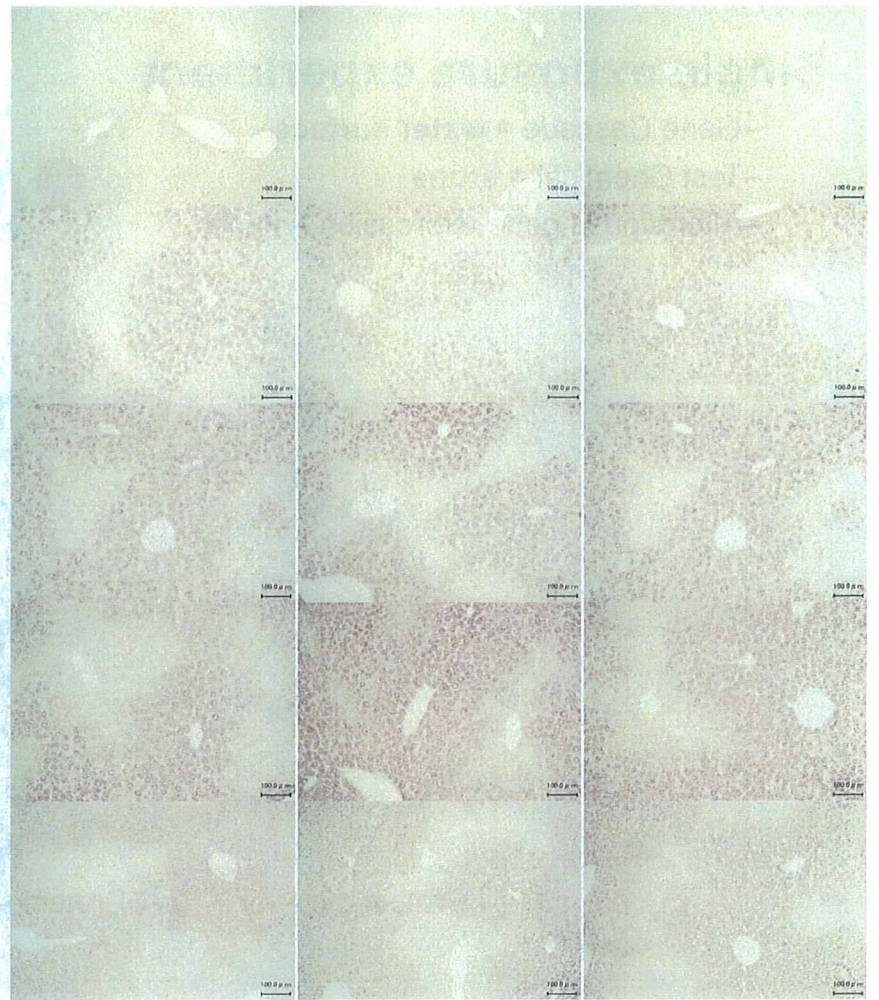
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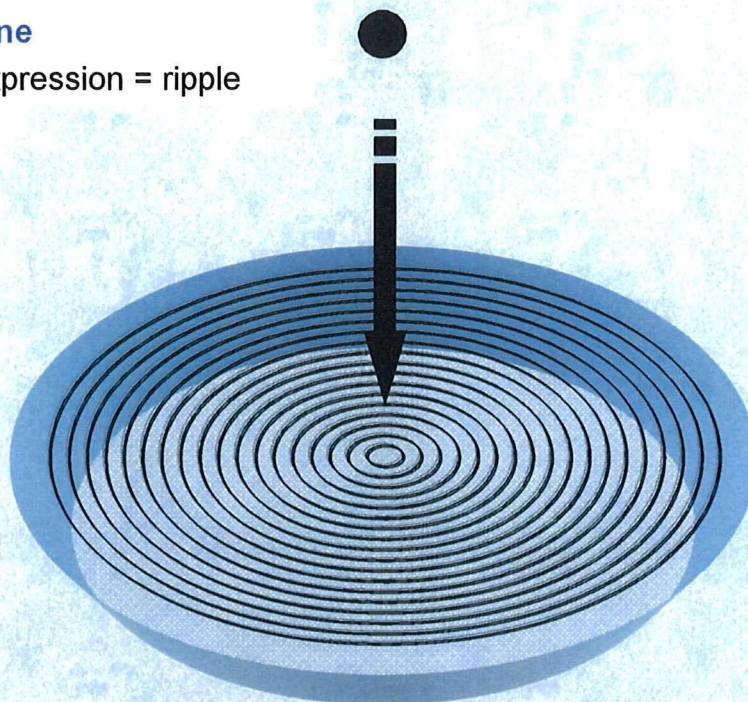


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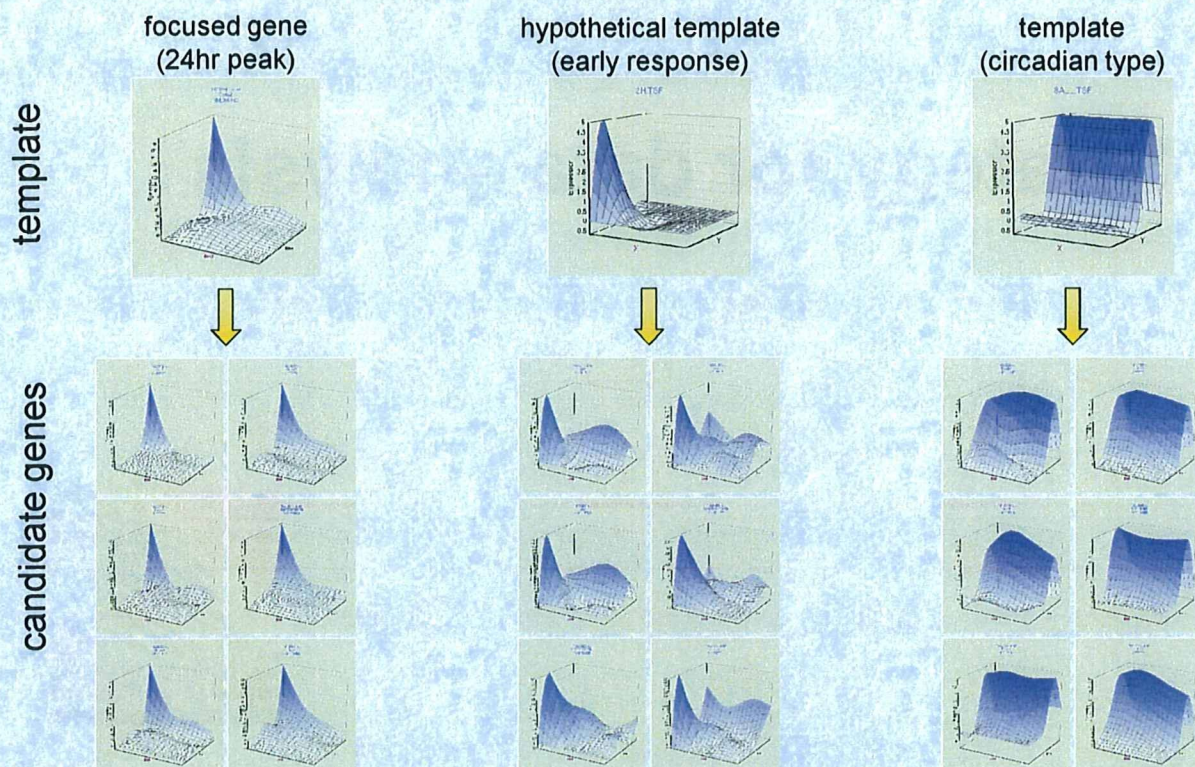


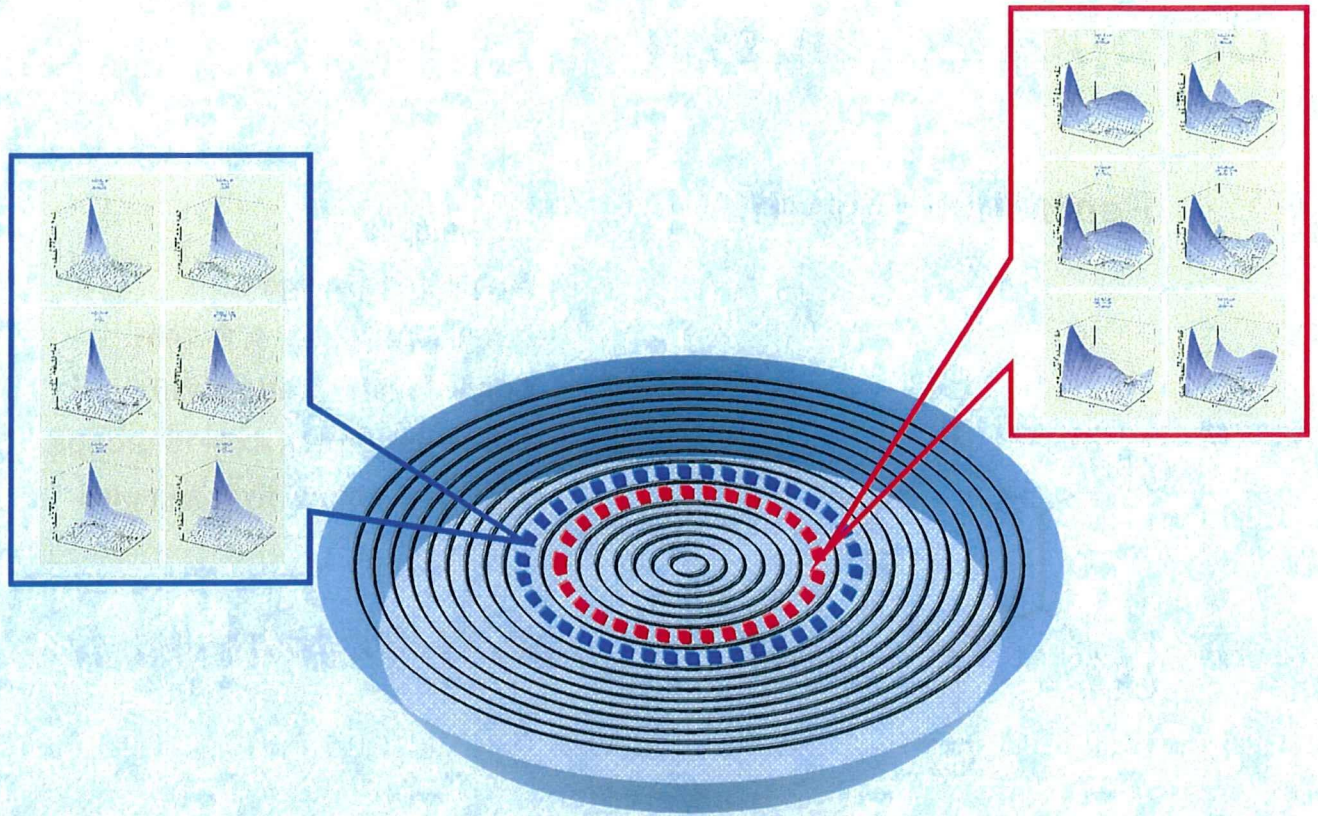
Single exposure experiment

- Gene Cascade = water surface
- Test Chemical = stone
- Alteration in gene expression = ripple

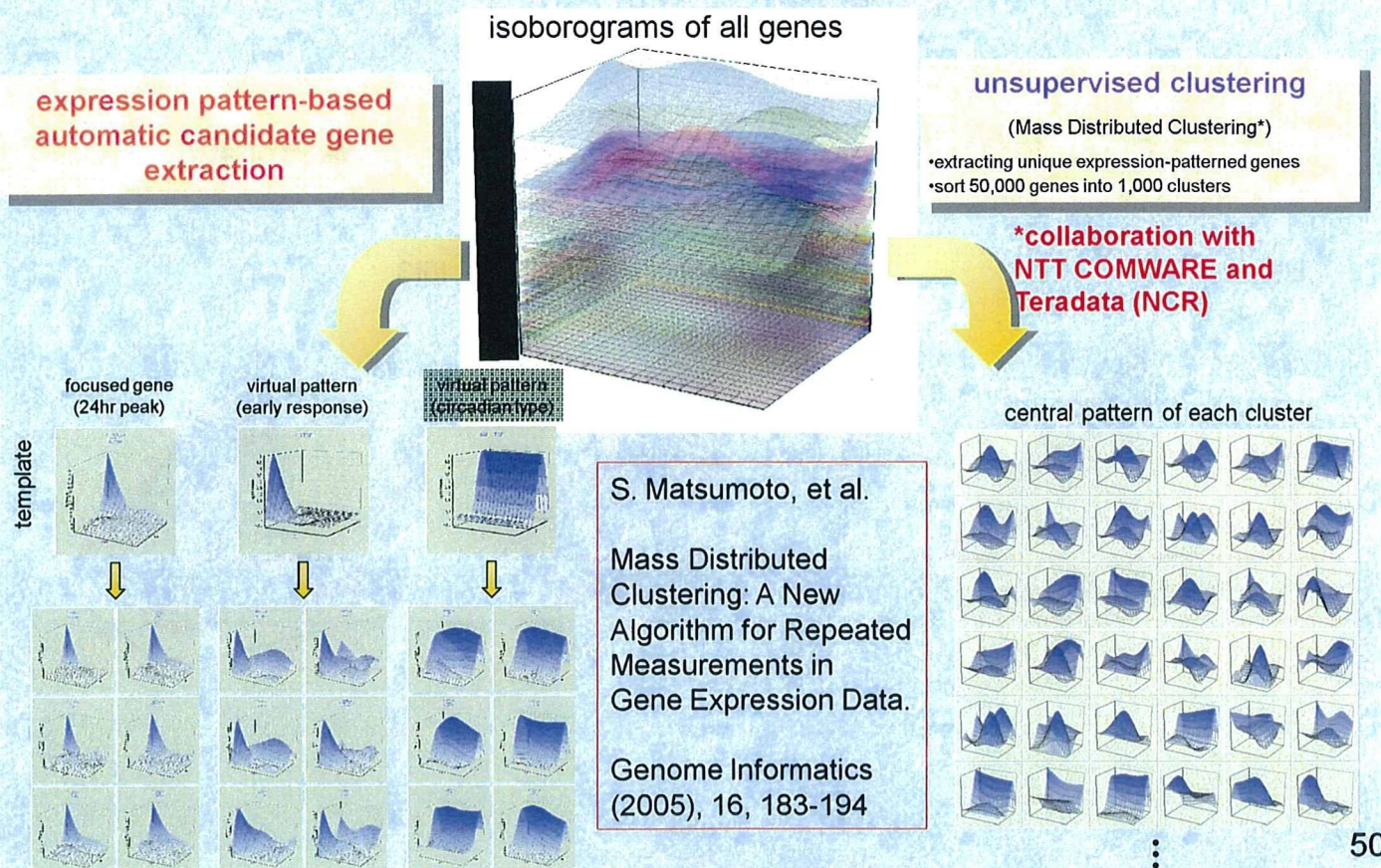


'Millefeuille' analysis system ~ Candidate Gene Extraction



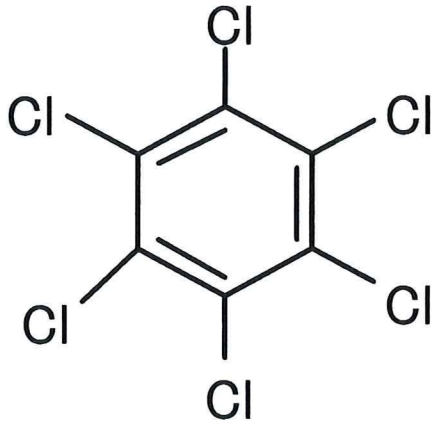


'Millefeuille(MF)' analysis system:



Unreported cluster

Pentachlorophenol (PCP)



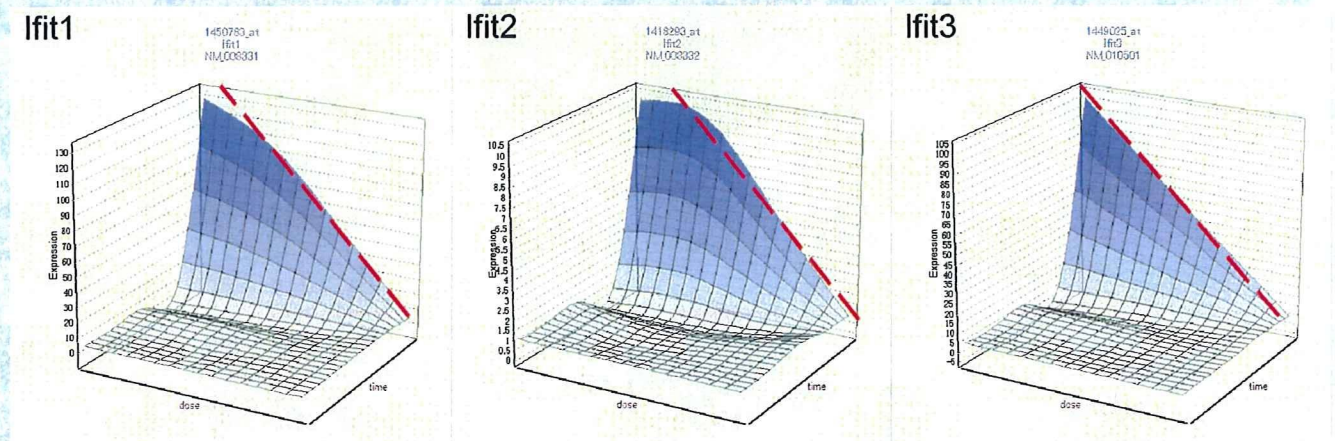
- C57BL/6, 12W ♂
- Single oral gavage
- 4 time points 2, 4, 8, 24hr
- 4 dose levels (ratio = $\sqrt{10}$)
- 3 mice per group, 4x4=16 groups,
- total of 48 animal liver samples

0, 10, 30, 100mg/kg

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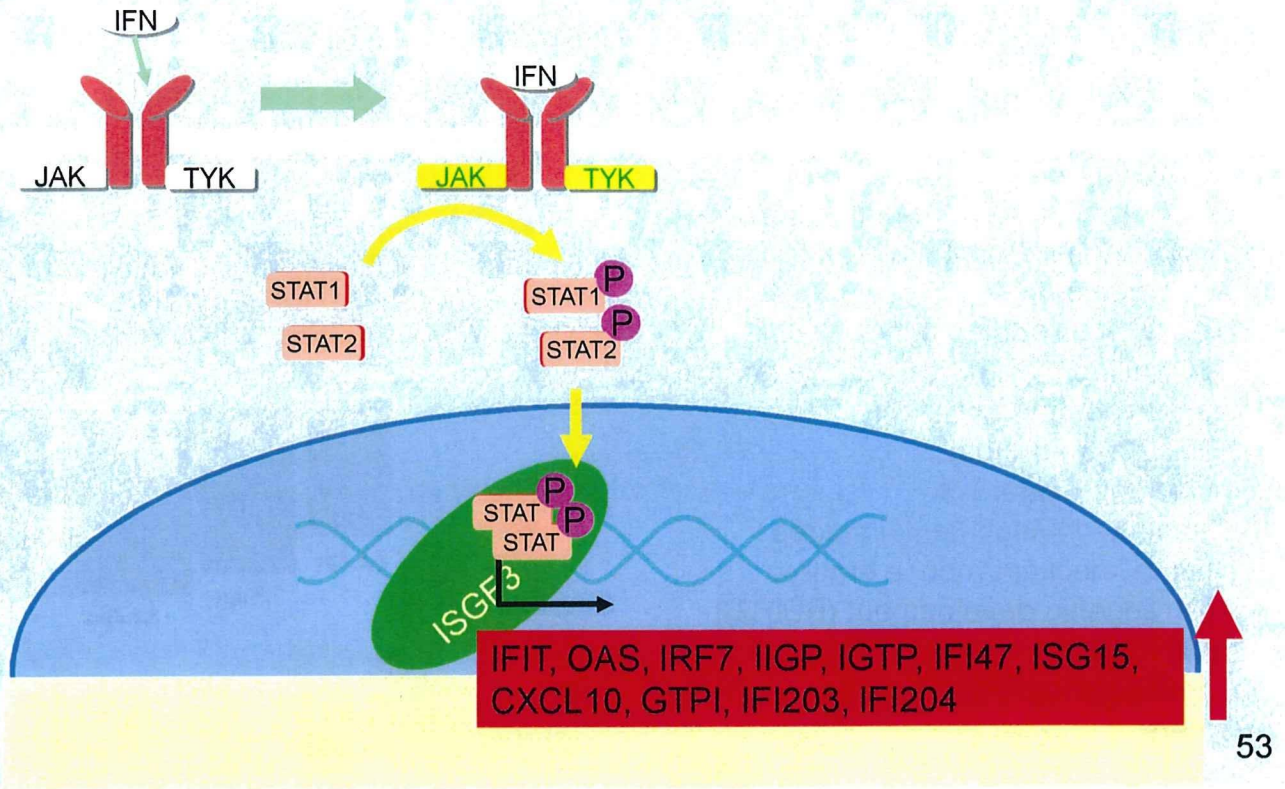
Dose-dependent increase at 24hr by PCP << IFIT family gene >>

IFIT (interferon-induced protein with tetratricopeptide repeats)



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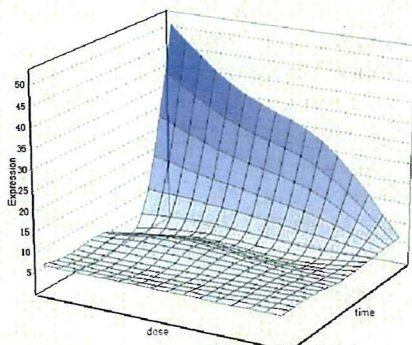
Interferon pathway



Other IFN-induced genes by PCP, including IFN signaling components

Oasl1

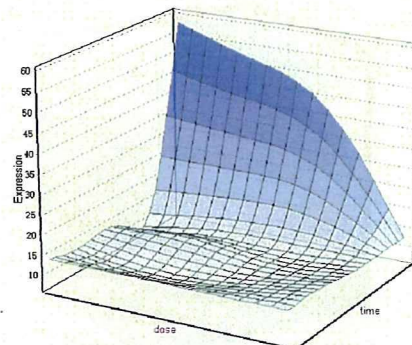
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2'-5' oligoadenylate synthetase-like 1

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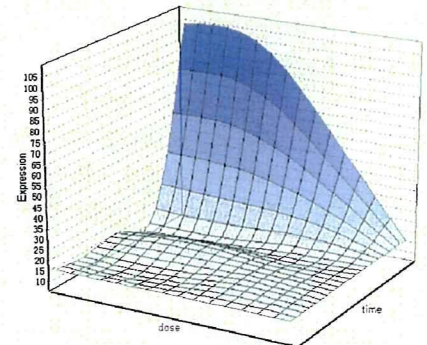
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interferon regulatory factor 7

Igtp

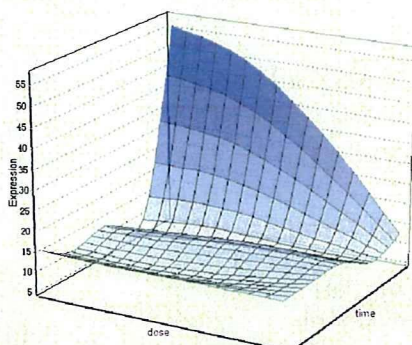
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interferon gamma induced GTPase

Ifi47

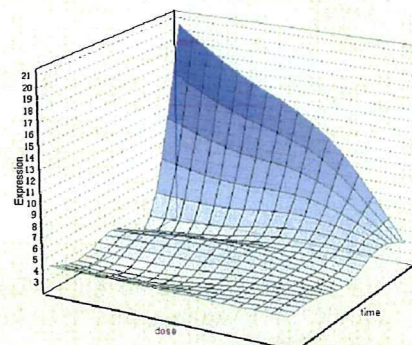
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interferon gamma inducible protein 47

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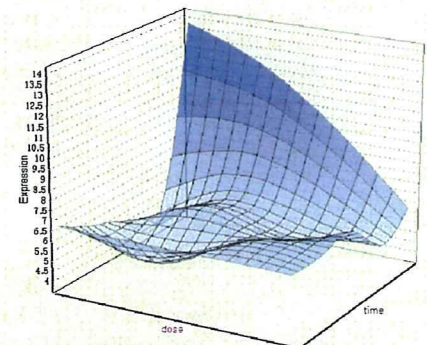
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signal transducer and activator of transcription 1

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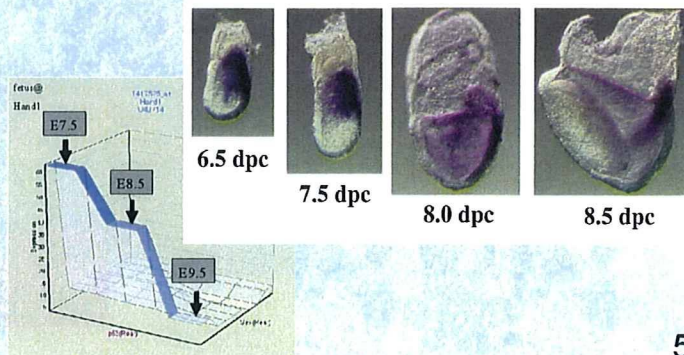


signal transducer and activator of transcription 2

Percellome Project (mouse)

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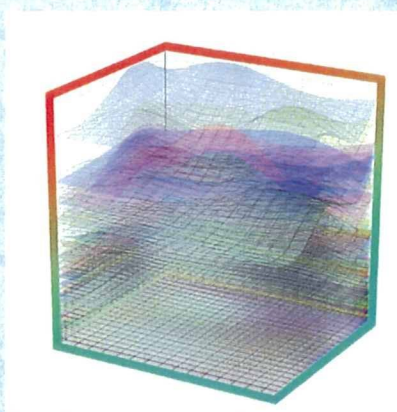
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AIM

**Establishing the evaluation system
concerning the developmental toxicity
of high accuracy**



Fetus Percellome Toxicogenomics
case study on a model teratogen

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Background 1

Necessity of the evaluation system concerning the developmental toxicity of high accuracy

1) **Species difference**

ex) Thalidomide

2) **Detection sensitivity**

ex1) Spontaneous occurrence of embryotoxicity
in the control group

ex2) Difference of sensitivity among the embryos
of the same litter

ex3) Abnormality which tends to be overlooked

[Functional disorder, Immune disorder,

Changes in tumor incidence, Becoming a short life, etc

→ **Even if the embryotoxicity is not observed in the laboratory animal, it is necessary to foresee the embryotoxicity in the human accurately.**

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Background 2

Feature of embryo in view of the gene-expression

**Unlike adult, in the case of embryo,
the expressions of the genes related to development change
violently as time passes**

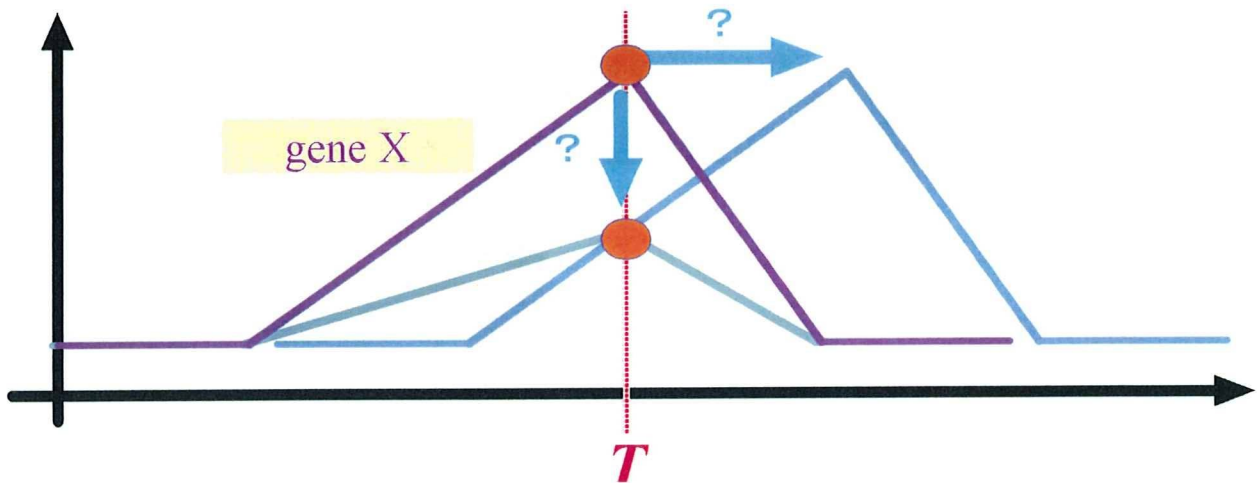
→ **A specific signal cascade can be drawn**

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Background3

Problem of doing only by one point in time when paying attention to target genes

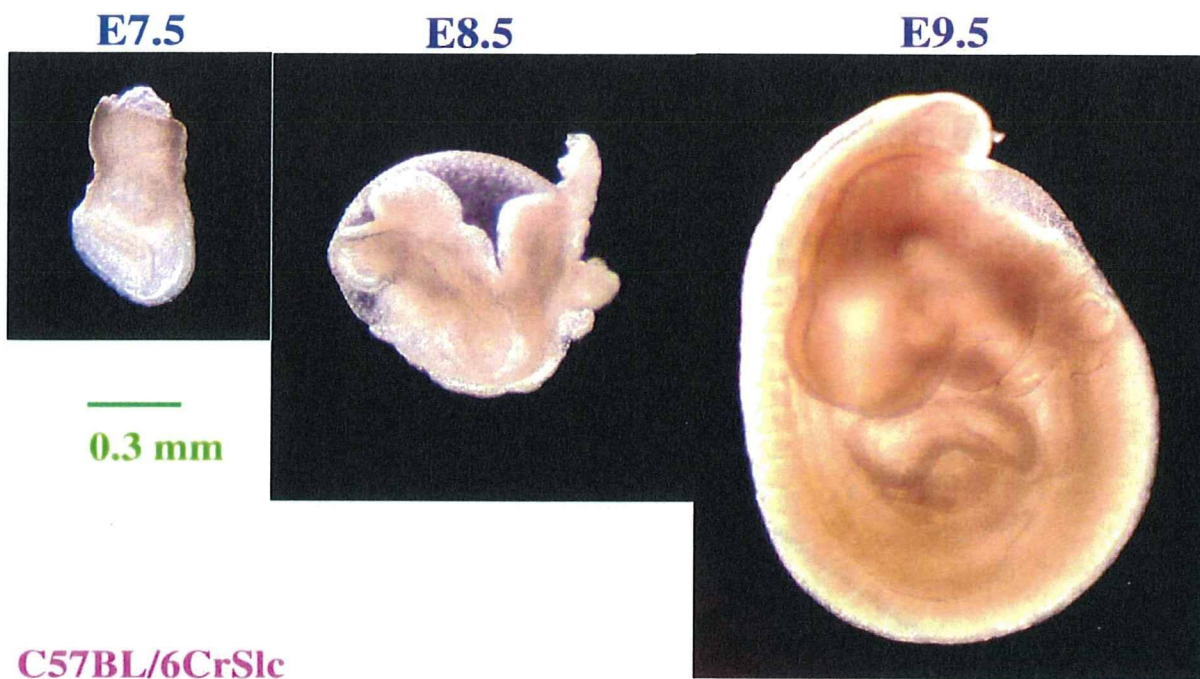
Only in the observation of the gene X-expression in the point of time T , it is uncertain whether it is a shift of the peak, or the phase, or a compound of both.



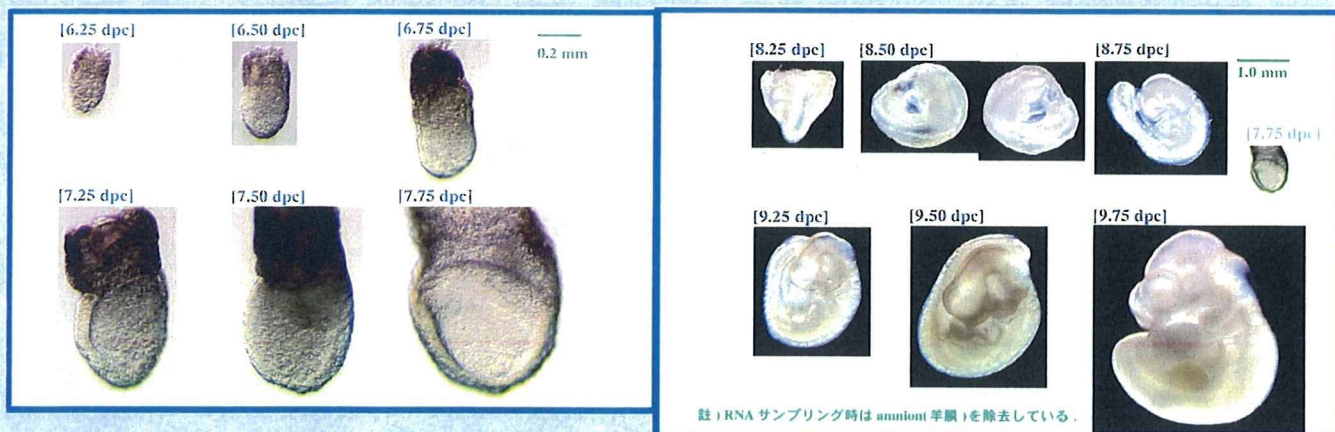
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Construction of database of gene-expression in whole embryo of a wild type from 6.25 to 9.75 dpc

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12 time point (6.25-9.75 dpc)



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Feature of Cyclopamine

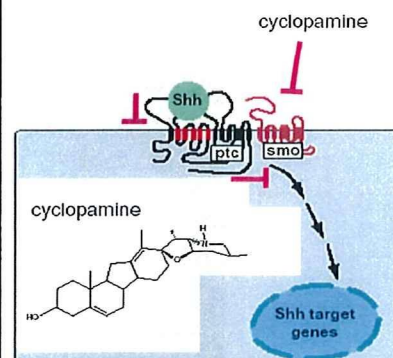
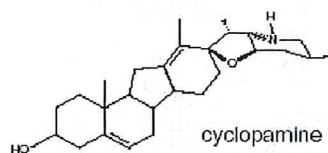
★ Cyclopamine is a steroidal alkaloid which has been extracted from corn lily (*Veratrum californicum*)

Inhibits HedgeHog (HH) signaling pathway. Strict control is critical for correct cell differentiation during embryo genesis. In adults, HH signaling plays role in regulation of stem-cell maintenance and proliferation.

History

- The malformations including cyclopic arose when ewes fed on the plant *Veratrum californicum* (Binns et al., 1963).
- Cyclopamine induced craniofacial anomalies when orally administered to pregnant ewes (Keeler & Binns, 1968).
- Cattle, goats, rabbits and hamsters were susceptible to terato-induction by cyclopamine, however, rats and mice relatively show resistant to the teratogen (Keeler, 1975)
- Cyclopamine inhibits the hedgehog signaling pathway (Hh) by influencing the balance between the active and inactive forms of the Smoothened protein (Smo). (Cooper et al., 1998; Incardona et al., 1998).
- The KO mice of Smo showed cyclopic (Zhang 彦, 2001).

-Model teratogen with clear target molecule-



★ There is no report proven directly that the target molecule of cyclopamine to be embryo's Smo, when the pregnant animal is administered orally.

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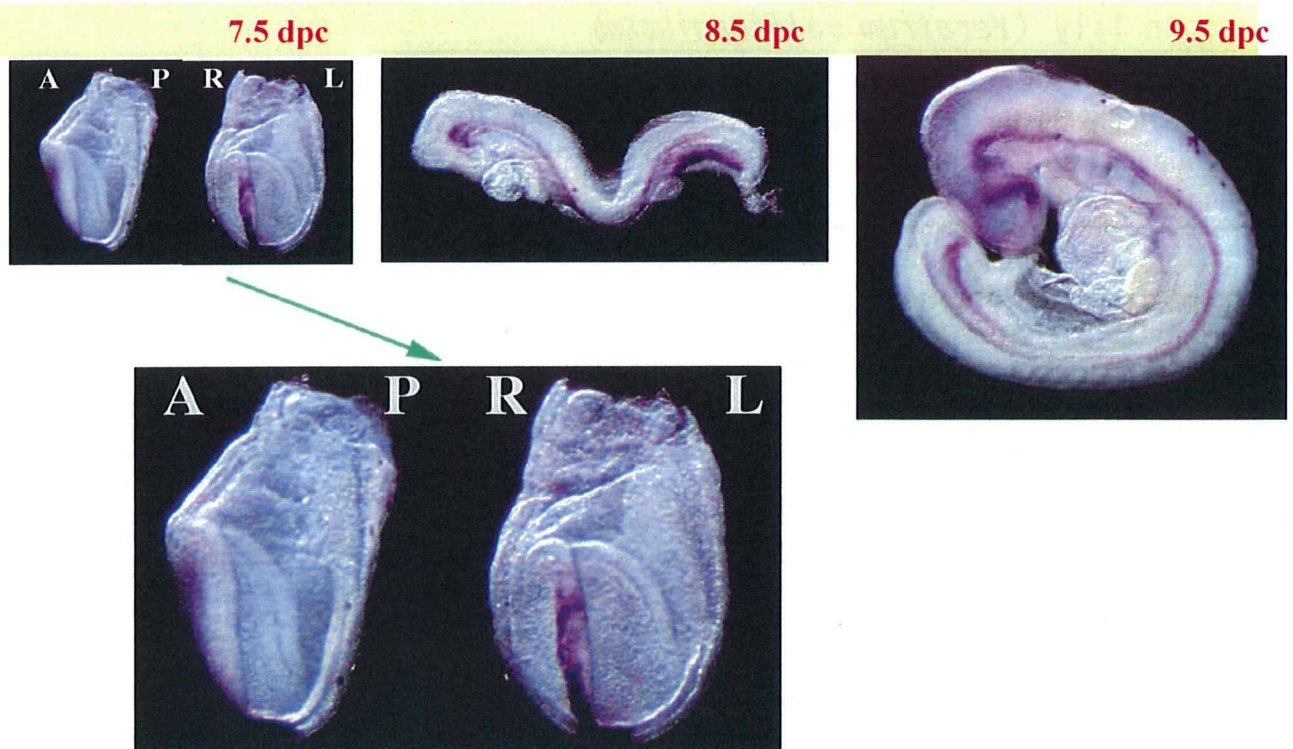
Question

- Is a molecular target of cyclopamine really Smo of the embryo?
- Do other target molecules exist ?

→ Comprehensive gene-expression analysis

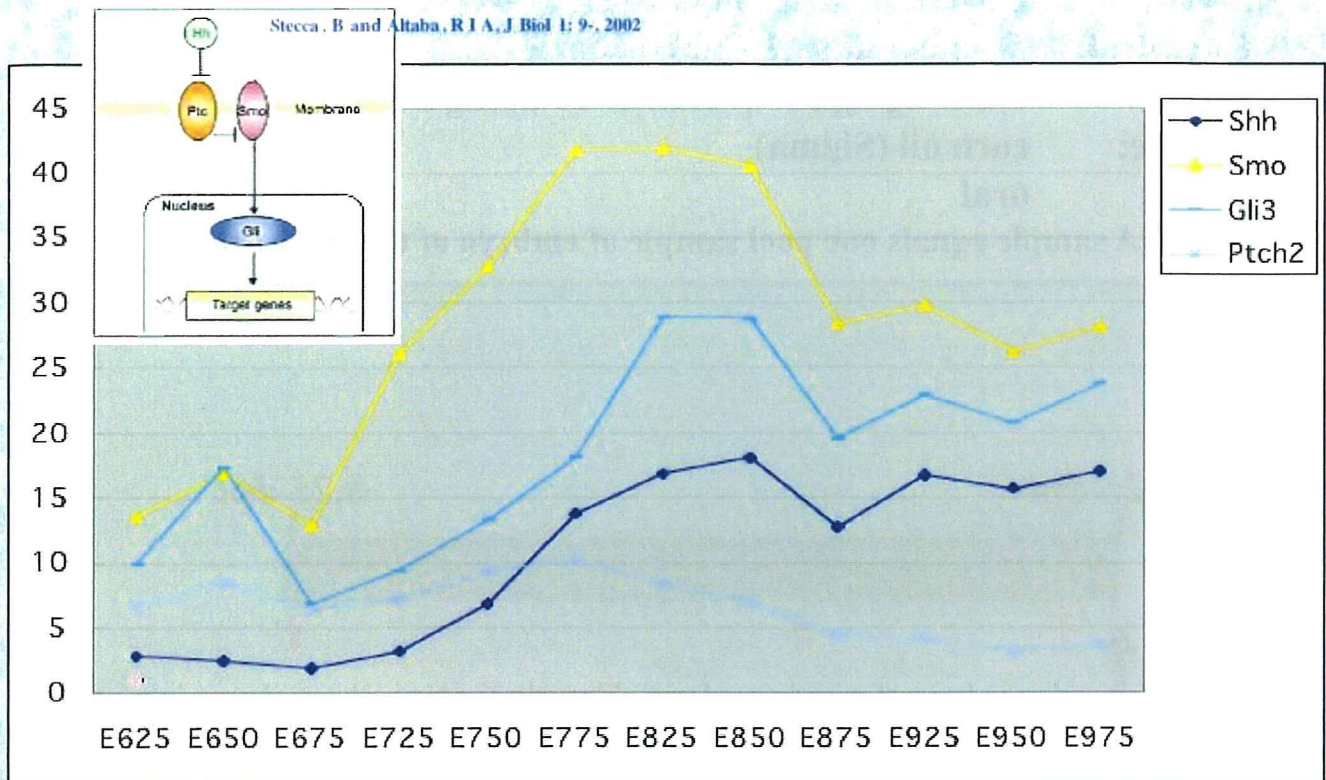
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The *Shh* expression in mouse embryo from 7.5 to 9.5 dpc



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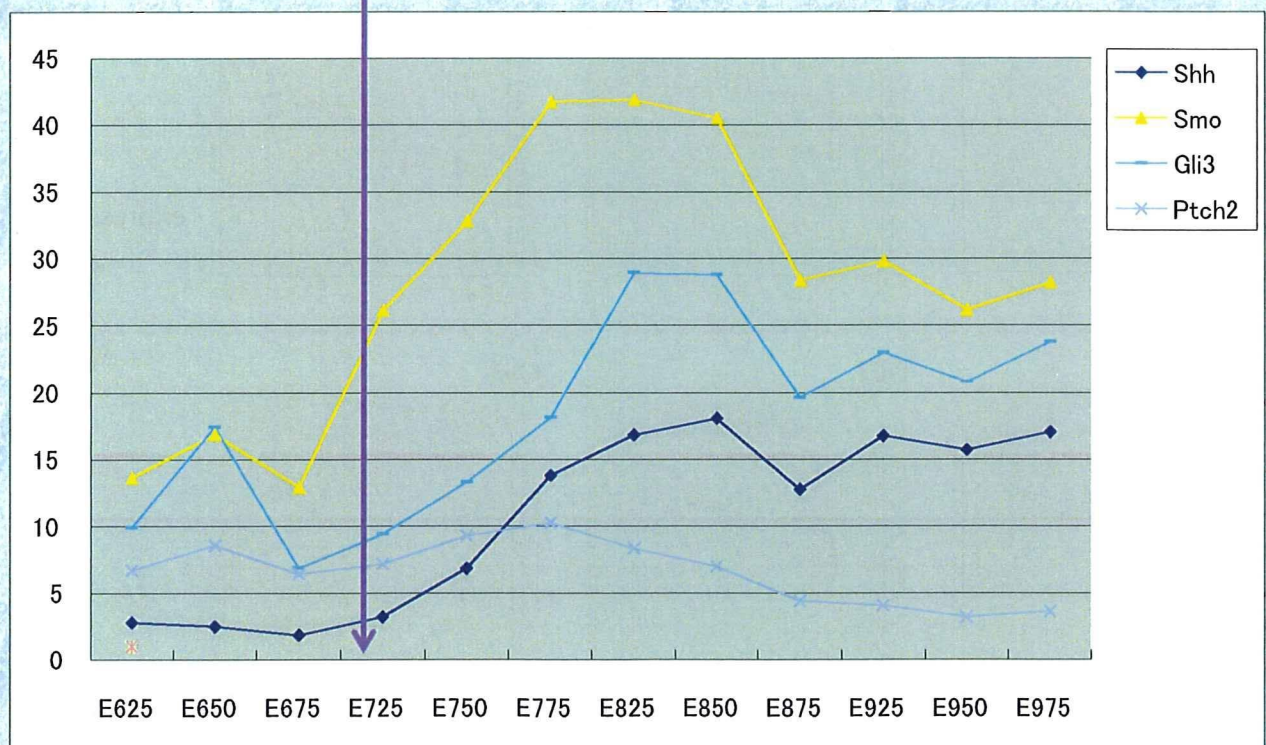
The gene-expression profiles which relate to the Shh signaling during 6.25-9.75 dpc in our database using the whole embryo



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The timing of the cyclopamine administration

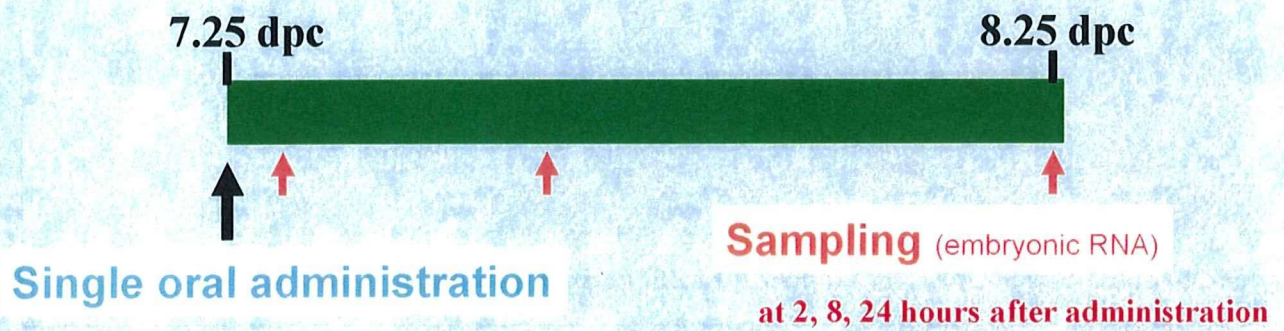
Single oral administration of cyclopamine



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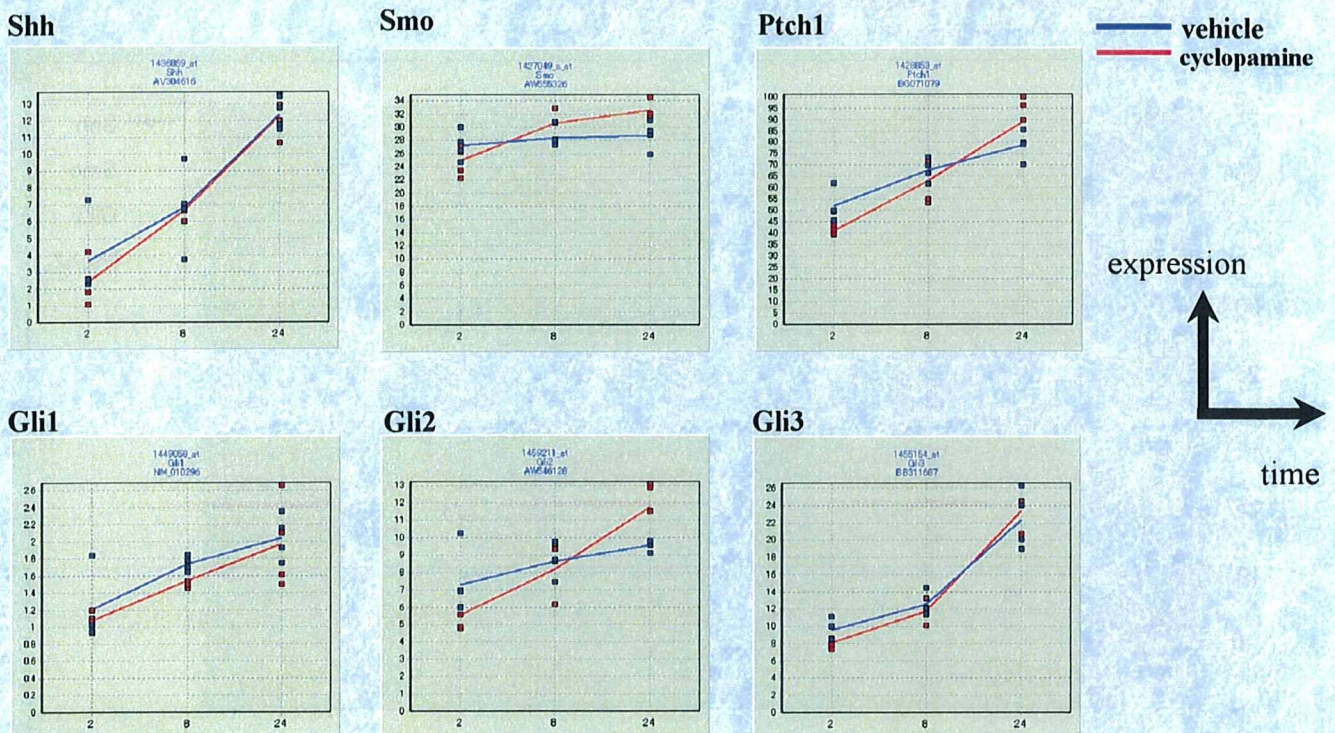
Experiment for the gene-expression analysis

- Strain: C57BL/6CrSlc (Japan SLC, Inc.)
 - Chemical: Cyclopamine (LC laboratories)
 - Dose: 0, 30 mg/kgBW [volume: 10 ml/kgBW]
 - Vehicle: corn oil (Sigma)
 - Route: oral
- # One RNA sample equals one pool sample of embryo of the same litter.



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Cyclopamine (30 mg/kg) does not remarkably change the expressions of the genes related to the Shh signaling in the embryo



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Condition setting for analysis

When comparing that in the control group and the treated group,

- 1) Either copy number of gene expression is larger than that of two.
- 2) P value of t-test is less than 0.05.
- 3) The ratio of the mean value of both is larger than that of 1.6.



The number of probe set after selected:

- two hours after administration : 17 P.S.
- eight hours after administration : 23 P.S.
- twenty four hours after administration : 213 P.S.

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Cyclopamine (30 mg/kg) changes the expressions of the genes related to the cholesterol biosynthesis in the embryo

— vehicle
— cyclopamine

expression

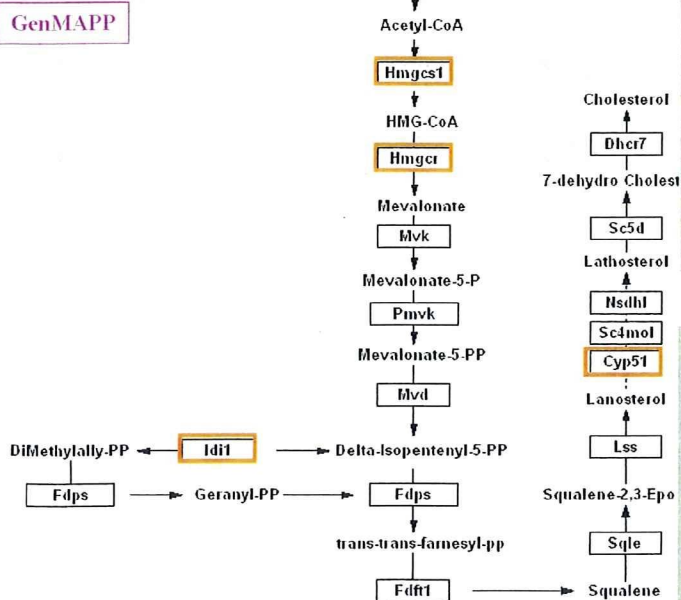


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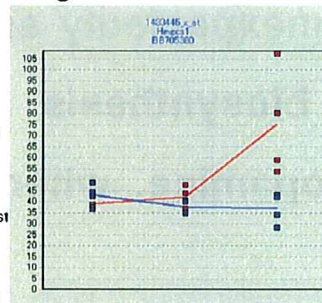
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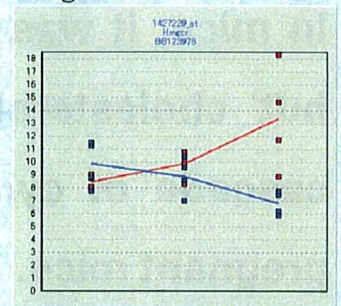
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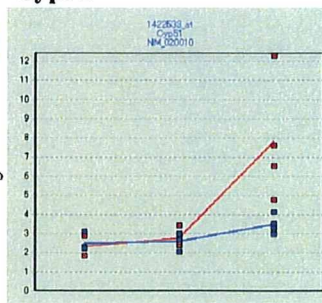
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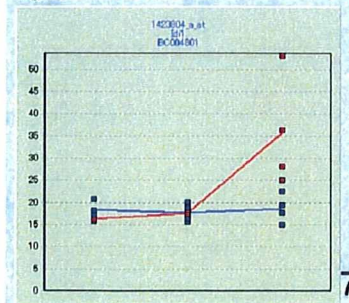
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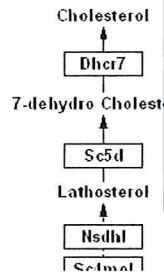
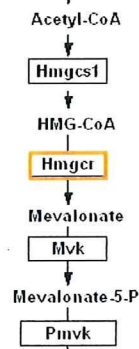
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HMG-CoA reductase [Hmgcr] inhibitor “atorvastatin “ induces litter resorption (plus maternal death) (300 mg/kgBW)

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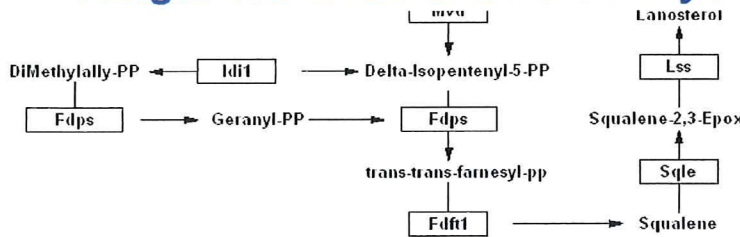
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Hmgcr-KO mice shows embryonic lethality (8.5 dpc)



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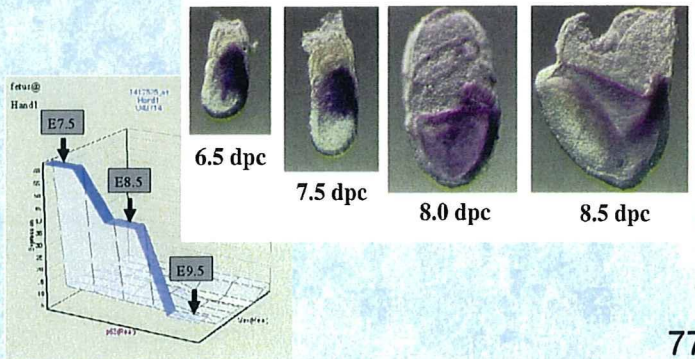
In mice, it was **unexpectedly** suggested that not Shh signal, but cholesterol biosynthesis system might be the target cascade of cyclopamine, when administrating orally to the pregnant mice.

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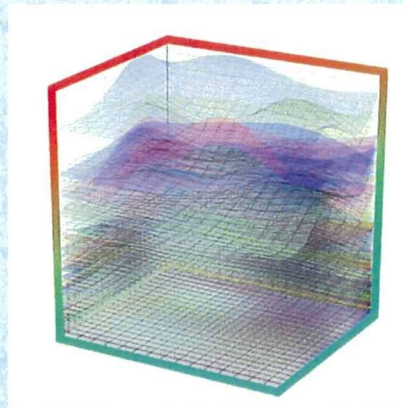
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Microarrays and next-generation sequencing represent core technologies in pharmacogenomics and toxicogenomics; however, before these technologies can successfully and reliably be used in clinical practice and regulatory decision-making, standards and quality measures need to be developed. The MAQC project is helping improve the microarray and next-generation sequencing technologies and foster their proper applications in discovery, development and review of FDA regulated products. Everyone is invited to participate in the MAQC project.

MAQC-I

The first phase of the MAQC project (MAQC-I) aims to:

- provide quality control (QC) tools to the microarray community to avoid procedural failures
- develop guidelines for microarray data analysis by providing the public with large reference datasets along with readily accessible reference RNA samples
- establish QC metrics and thresholds for objectively assessing the performance achievable by various microarray platforms
- evaluate the advantages and disadvantages of various data analysis methods

MAQC-I involves six FDA Centers, major providers of microarray platforms and RNA samples, EPA, NIST, academic laboratories, and other stakeholders. Two human reference RNA samples have been selected, and differential gene expression levels between the two samples have been calibrated with microarrays and other technologies (e.g., QRT-PCR). The resulting microarray datasets have been used for assessing the precision and cross-platform/laboratory comparability of microarrays, and the QRT-PCR datasets enabled evaluation of the nature and magnitude of any systematic biases that may exist between microarrays and QRT-PCR. The availability of the well-characterized RNA

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samples combined with the resulting microarray and QRT-PCR datasets, which have been made readily accessible to the scientific community, allow individual laboratories to more easily identify and correct procedural failures.

Results from the MAQC-I were published in six research papers in September 2006 in *Nature Biotechnology*

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- assess the capabilities and limitations of various data analysis methods in developing and validating microarray-based predictive models
- reach consensus on the “best practices” for development and validation of predictive models based on microarray gene expression and genotyping data for personalized medicine

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RNA Samples

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Microarrays and next-generation sequencing represent core technologies in pharmacogenomics and toxicogenomics; however, before these technologies can successfully and reliably be used in clinical practice and regulatory decision-making, standards and quality measures need to be developed. The MAQC project is helping improve the microarray and next-generation sequencing technologies and foster their proper applications in discovery, development and review of FDA regulated products. Everyone is invited to participate in the MAQC project.

- **February 11, 2005:** Phase I of the MAQC project (MAQC-I) on microarray technical performance launched
- **June 5, 2006:** MAQC-I manuscripts submitted
- **September 8, 2006:** MAQC-I results published in *September 2006 issue of Nature Biotechnology*
- **September 8, 2006:** MAQC-I datasets made publicly available
- **September 21, 2006:** MAQC-II on predictive models (signatures) launched
- **August 28, 2007:** "Pharmacogenomic Data Submissions — Companion Guidance" released
- **December 16-17, 2008:** MAQC-III (or SEQC) on next-generation sequencing launched
- **March 2009:** MAQC-II manuscripts submitted
- **September 2009:** MAQC-II results published
- **December 2009:** MAQC-III manuscripts submitted
- **May 2010:** MAQC-III results planned for publication

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