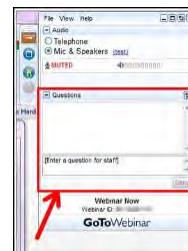
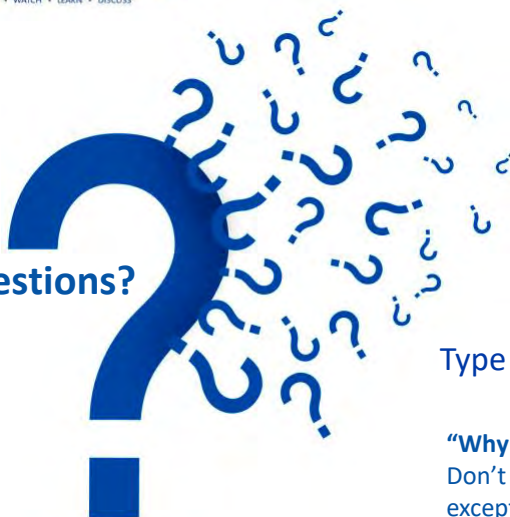




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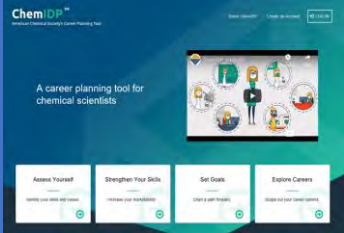
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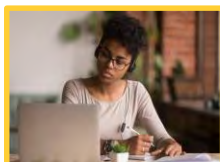
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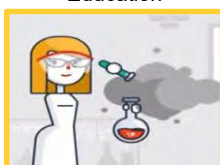
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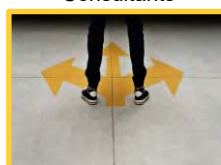
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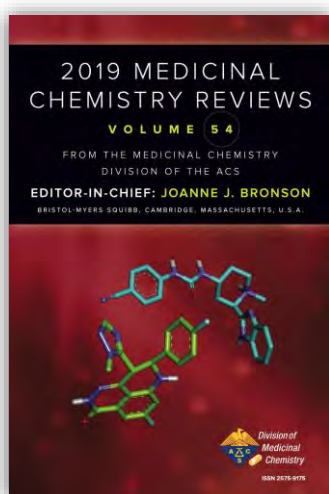
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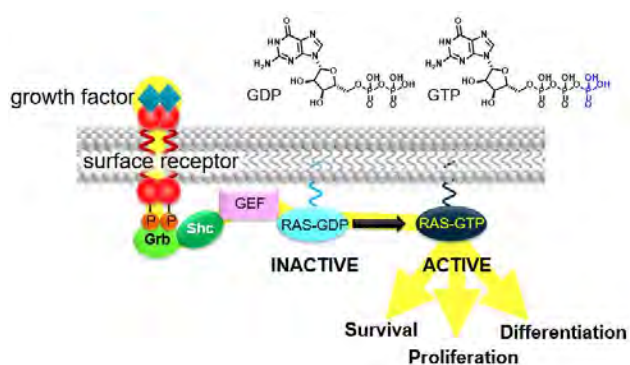


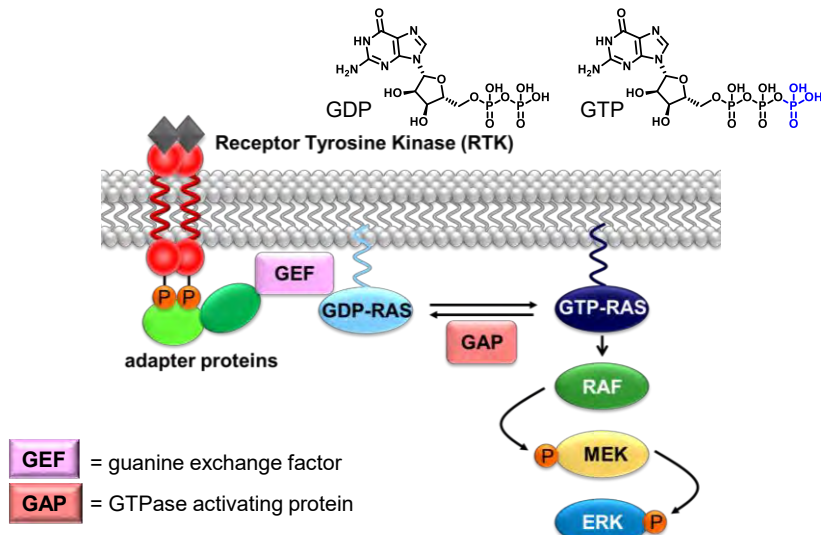
Table 1 | **Activation of RAS signalling pathways in different tumours**

Defect or mutation	Tumour type	Frequency (%)
RAS mutation	Pancreas	90 (K)
	Lung adenocarcinoma (non-small-cell)	35 (K)
	Colorectal	45 (K)
	Thyroid (Follicular)	55 (H, K, N)
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Nearly 50% of all cancers demonstrate oncogenic mutations of the Ras signaling pathway

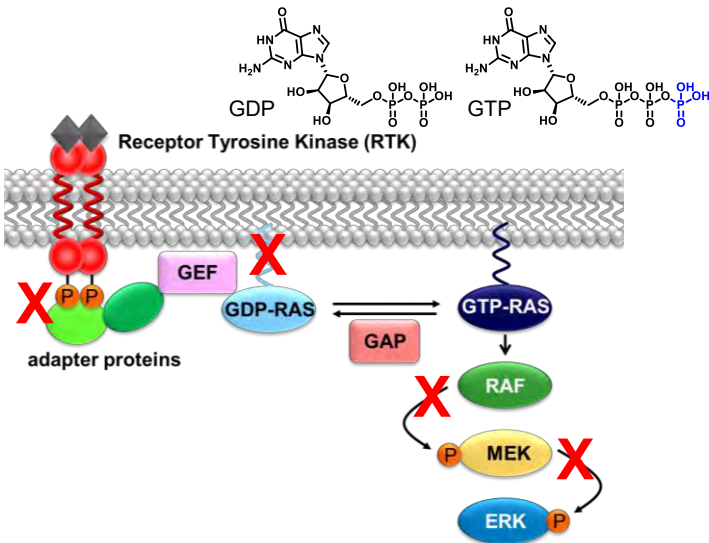
WORK IN THE 1980s DEFINED THE RAS SIGNALING PATHWAY



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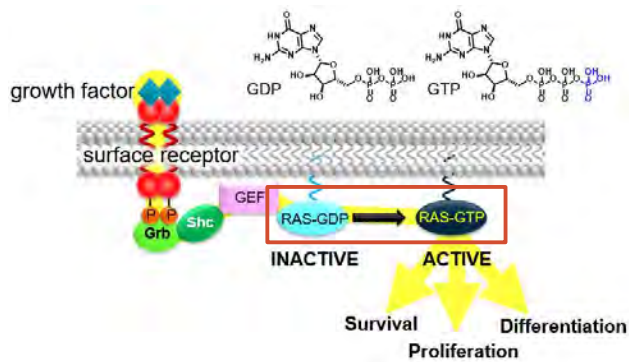


PROGRESS IN INHIBITING THIS PATHWAY BEGAN IN THE EARLY 2000s



Therapeutically useful inhibitors of Ras have remained elusive for over 30 years

“UNDRUGGABLE”: DIRECT INHIBITORS OF RAS REMAINED ELUSIVE



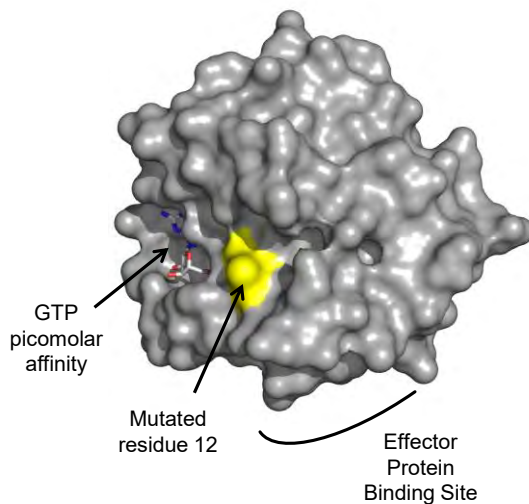
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Active GTP-KRAS

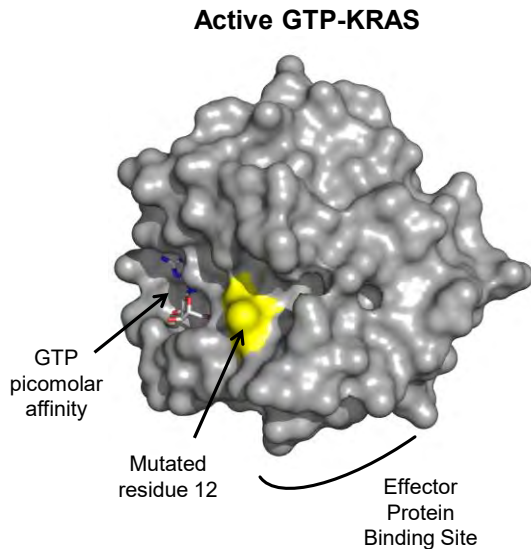


- GTP-KRAS is a good approximation of the definition of “undruggable”
 - GTP pocket: $K_d \sim 10 \text{ pM}$
Intracellular GTP concentration: **0.5 mM**
 - Other surface clefts too small ($<100 \text{ \AA}^3$) to enable high-affinity binding

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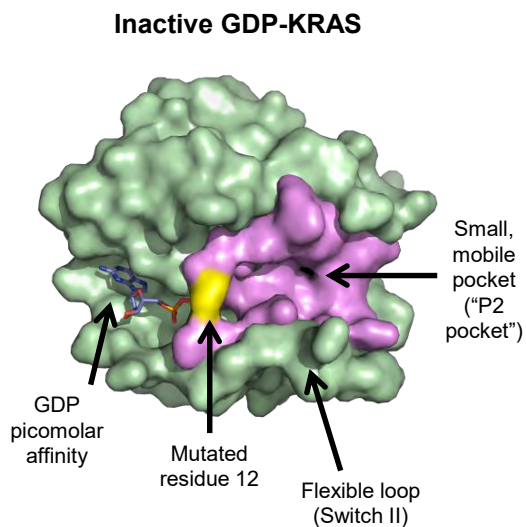
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A NEW STRATEGY: COULD INHIBITING GDP-KRAS SUPPRESS SIGNALING?



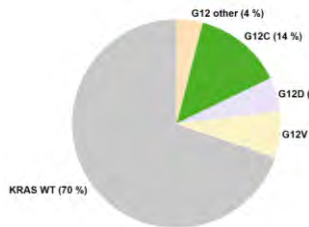
- GDP binding induces a small, flexible pocket adjacent to the GDP binding side
- Small size (139–213 Å³) & limited enclosure precluded the identification of high-affinity binders
- Proximity to a frequently mutated residue, Gly12, suggested a potential strategy...

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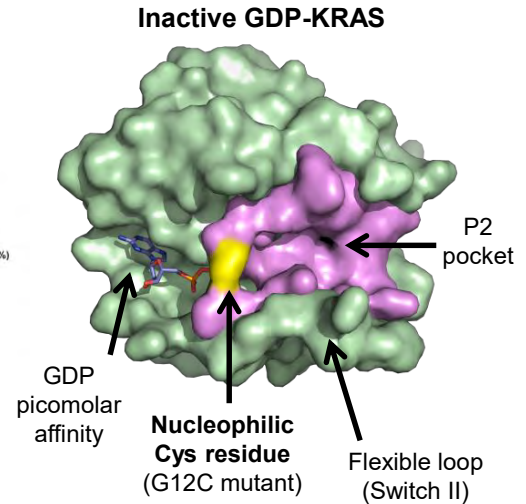
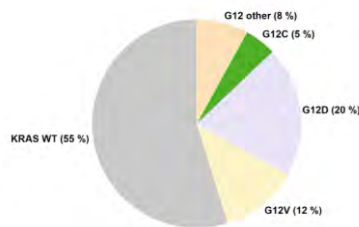
THE G12C MUTANT OFFERS A UNIQUE OPPORTUNITY IN TARGETING GDP-KRAS BECAUSE IT POSITIONS A REACTIVE CYS RESIDUE NEXT TO THE P2 POCKET

Codon 12 mutation frequency in select solid tumors

Lung Adenocarcinoma (LAC)

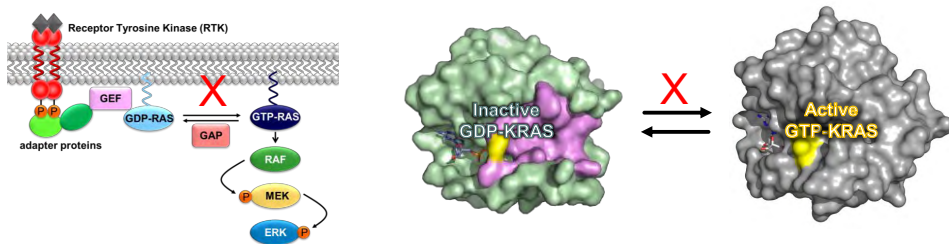


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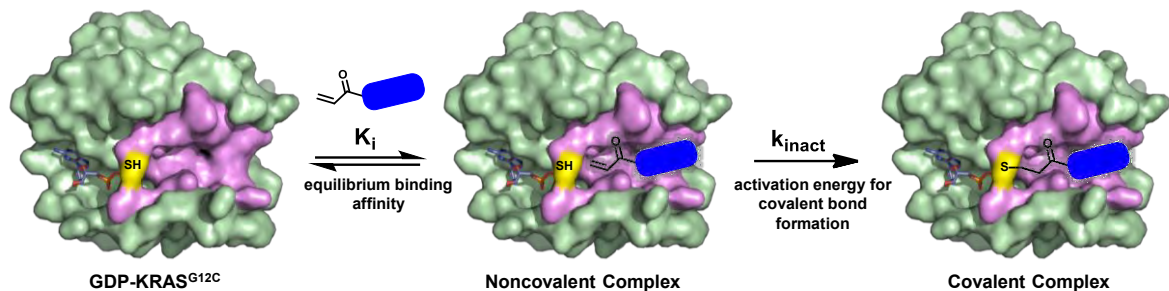


Survey of COSMIC, cBioPortal, TumorPortal, and ICGC data portal. *Nat. Rev. Drug Disc.* **2014**, 13, 828–851

PROJECT GOAL: LOCK GDP-KRAS^{G12C} IN ITS INACTIVE STATE...



...WITH A COVALENT INHIBITOR OF KRAS^{G12C}



Motivations & potential benefits:

- Moderately druggable pocket \Rightarrow only low-affinity ligands (K_i) likely to be identified; Covalent binding (k_{inact}) should afford **enhanced potency**
- Targeting G12C allows for selectivity toward non-mutant KRAS, **mitigating off-target toxicity**
- Irreversible inhibition should allow for **persistent pharmacological effects** (i.e., persisting until unmodified protein is resynthesized and lasting even after elimination of circulating drug)

Review of covalent inhibitors as a therapeutic class: J. Singh, *et al.*, *Nat. Rev. Drug Disc.* **2011**, *10*, 307–317

POLL QUESTION: FIRST COVALENT INHIBITOR?

Which of the following was the first marketed covalent inhibitor drug?

benzylpenicillin (Penicillin G)

acetylsalicylic acid (Aspirin)

omeprazole (Prilosec)

clopidogrel (Plavix)

POLL QUESTION: FIRST COVALENT INHIBITOR?

Answer: acetylsalicylic acid (Aspirin)

benzylpenicillin (Penicillin G) – 1942

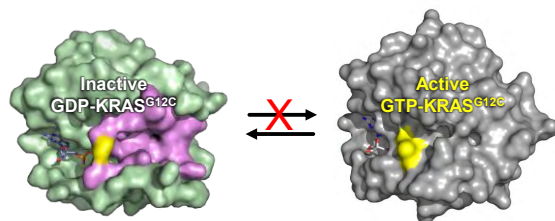
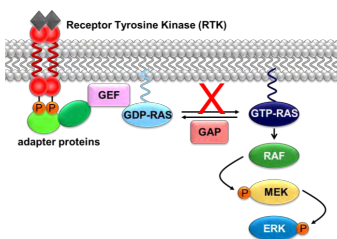
acetylsalicylic acid (Aspirin) – 1899

omeprazole (Prilosec) – 1988

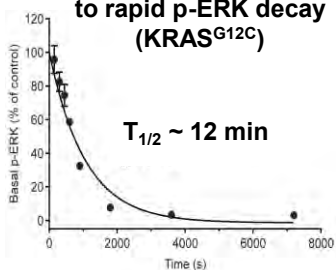
clopidogrel (Plavix) – 1997

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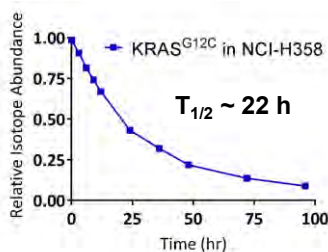
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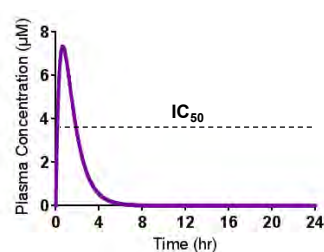
Pathway blockade leads to rapid p-ERK decay (KRAS^{G12C})



Long KRAS Protein Half-Life



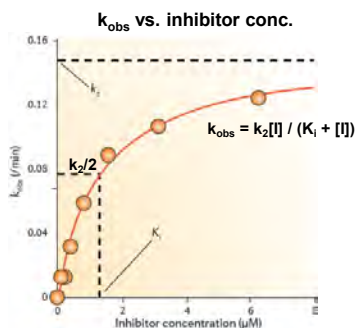
Hypothetical Minimum PK Profile



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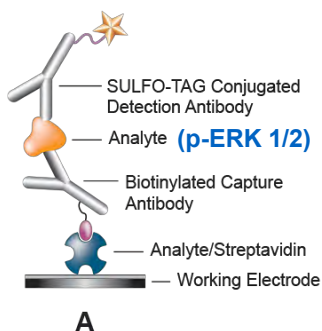
ASSESSING LEADS: AN OVERVIEW OF KRAS ASSAYS

Inactivation kinetics (mass spectrometry)

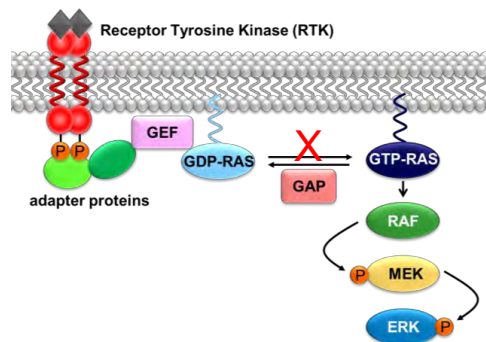


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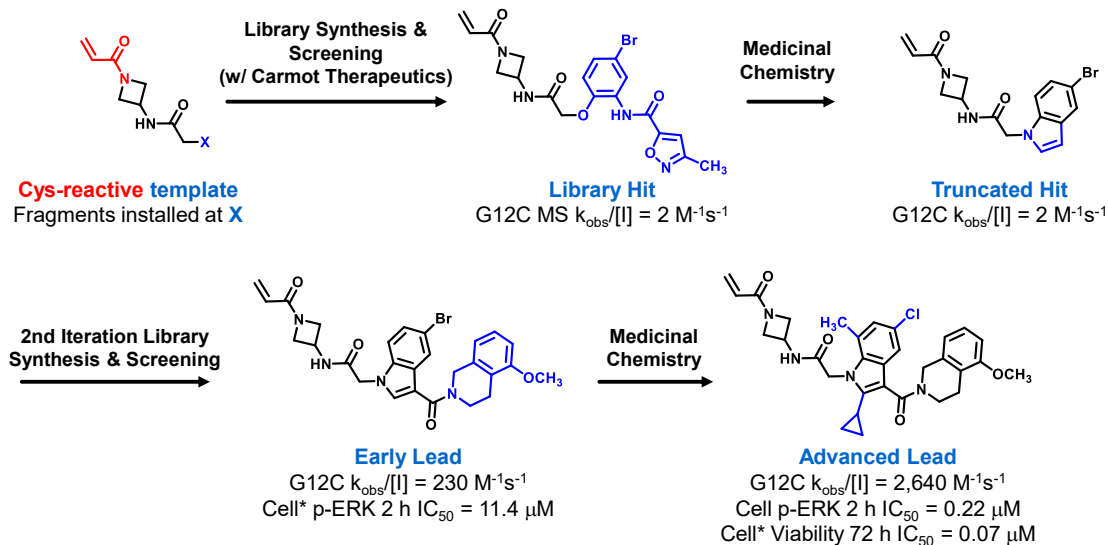
Signaling disruption (fluorescence assay)



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THE SEARCH FOR A STARTING POINT: SCREENING LIBRARIES OF CYS-REACTIVE COMPOUNDS IDENTIFIED A NOVEL INHIBITOR SCAFFOLD



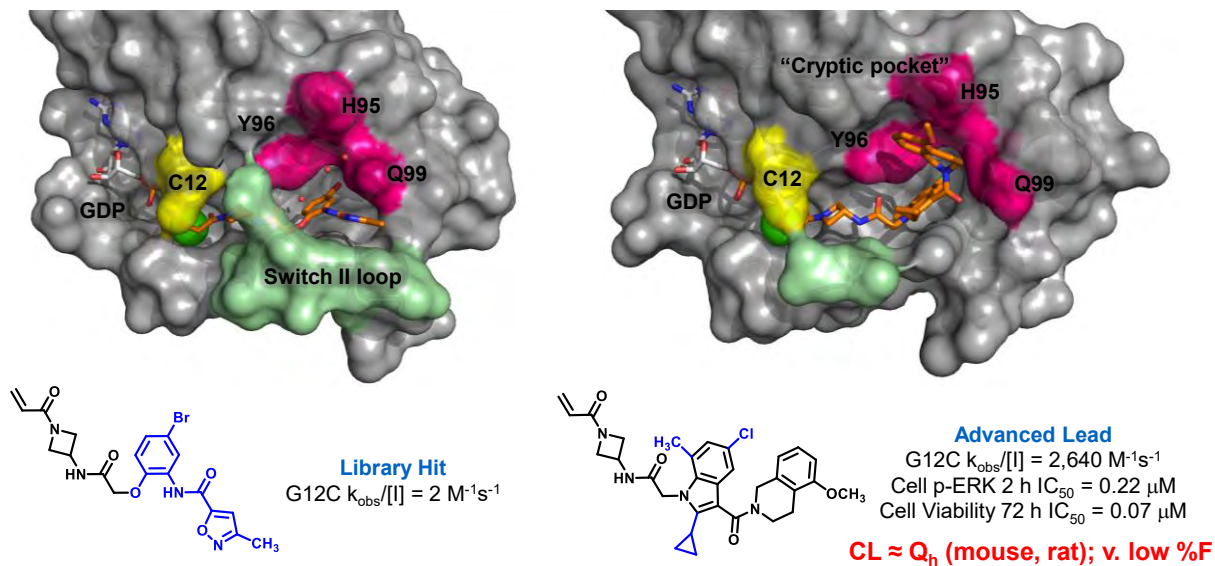
Y. Shin, et al., *ACS Med. Chem. Lett.* 2019, 10, 1302–1308

* MIA PaCa-2 human pancreatic tumor (homozygous *KRAS* p.G12C-mutant)

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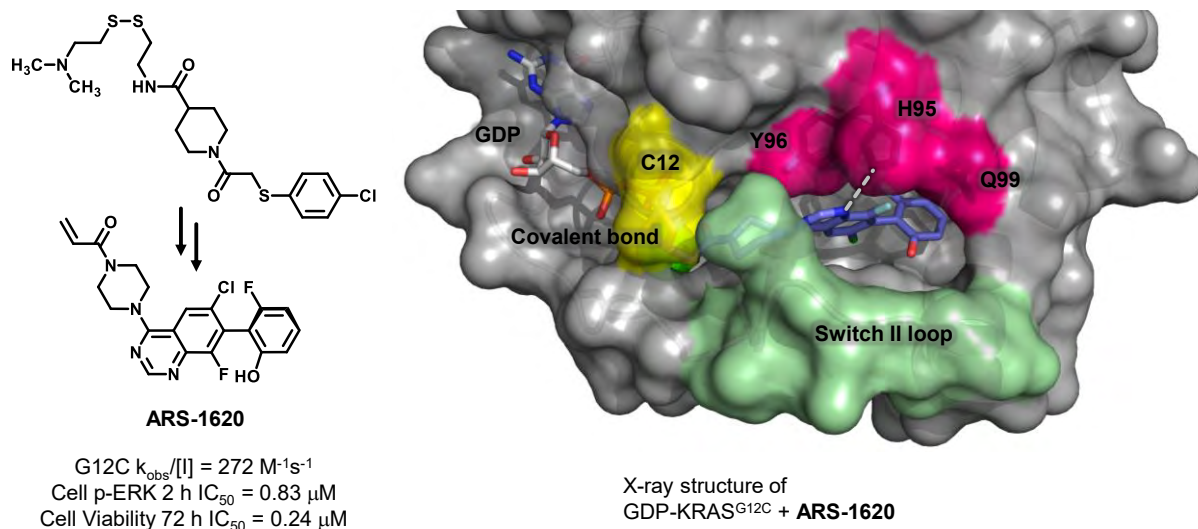
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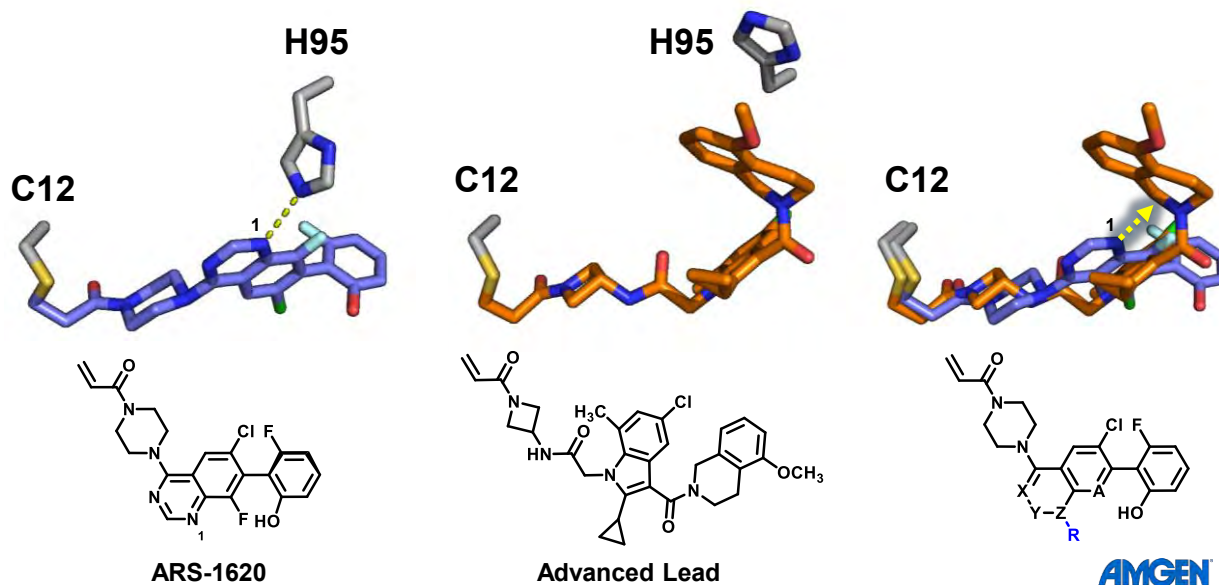
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STRUCTURAL BIOLOGY OF A PUBLISHED KRAS^{G12C} INHIBITOR

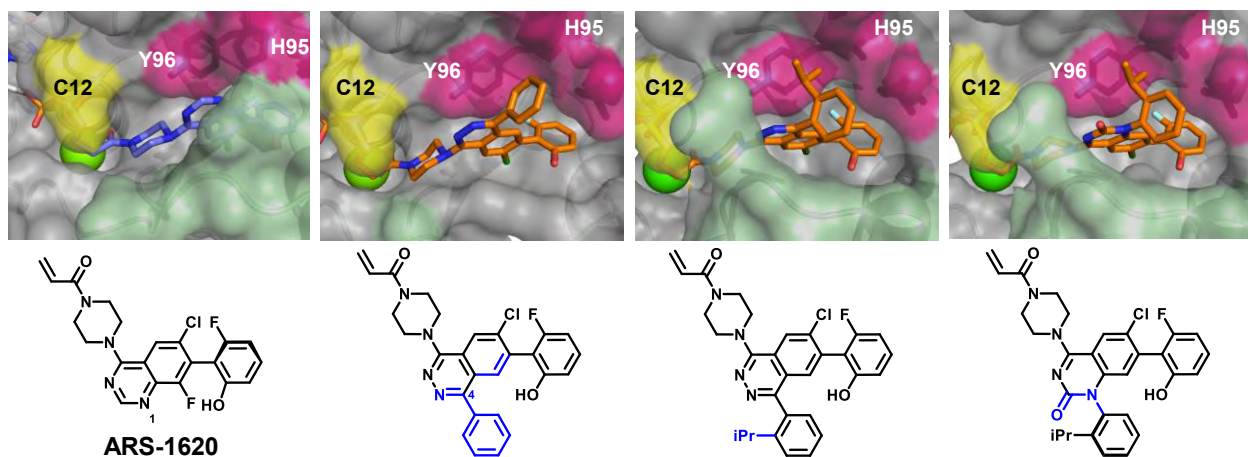
M. R. Janes, et al. *Cell* **2018**, 172, 578–589

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HYBRIDIZING SCAFFOLDS TO IDENTIFY NEW CHEMICAL MATTER WITH IMPROVED PHARMACEUTICAL PROPERTIES



HYBRID SCAFFOLDS EXPLOIT THE CRYPTIC POCKET & GAIN POTENCY

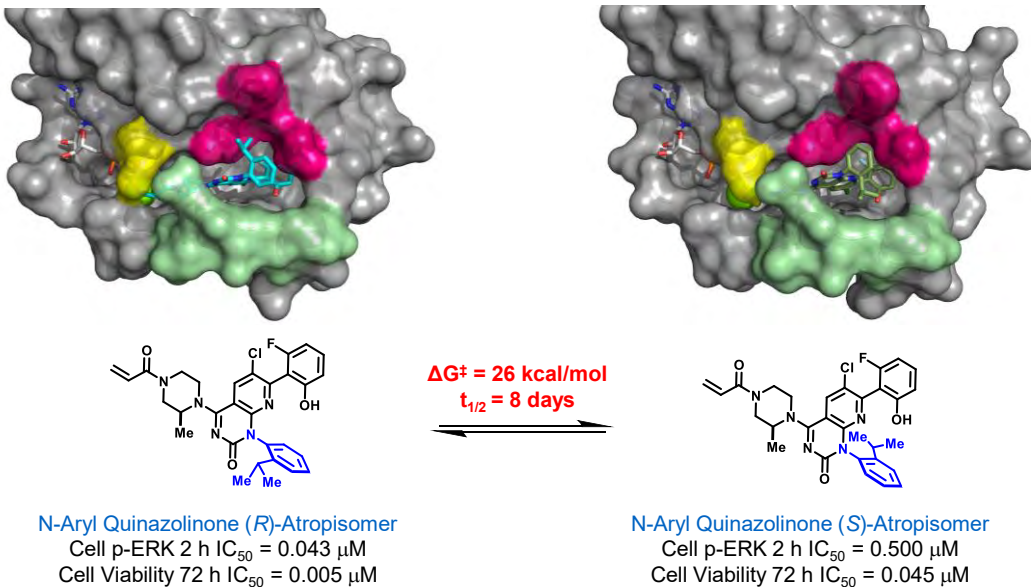


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2.89 (0.831*)	58.0	3.47	0.211 (0.130*)
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* Single atropisomer

Lanman, et al., *J. Med. Chem.* **2020**, 1, 52–65

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POLL QUESTION: ATROPISMERISM

When was phenomena of atropisomerism first reported in the literature?

1815

1848

1893

1922

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When was phenomena of atropisomerism first reported in the literature?

1815 – Jean-Baptiste Biot; rotation of plane-polarized light

1848 – Louis Pasteur; discovery of enantiomers

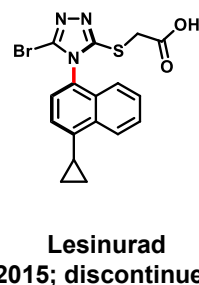
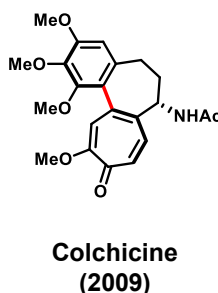
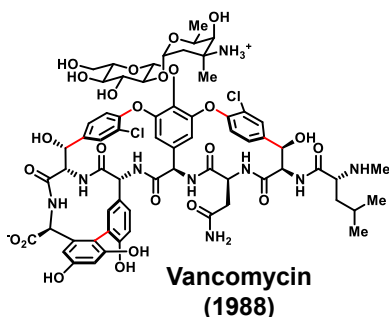
1893 – Lord Kelvin coined the term “chirality”

1922 – James Kenner & George Hallatt Christie (Univ. of Sheffield); atropisomer separation by crystallization

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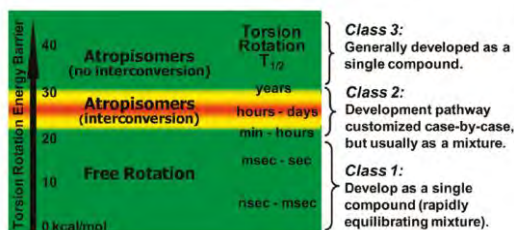
FAST FACTS: ATROPISOMERISM

- The term *atropisomer* was first proposed in 1933 by Richard Kuhn (Univ. of Heidelberg; 1938 Nobel Laureate in Chemistry)
- *Atropisomer* is derived from the Greek *atropos*, meaning “without turn”
- Examples of FDA-approved atropisomerically stable drugs:



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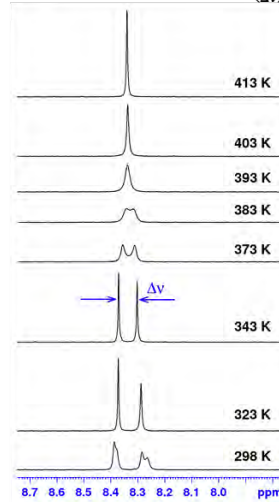
HOW TO DEAL WITH META-STABLE ATROPISOMERS?



LaPlante, S. R., et al. *J. Med. Chem.*, 2011, 54, 7005–7022

- Strategies: (1) Lock biaryl bond rotation
 (2) Completely free rotation of biaryl bond
 (3) Remove axial chirality

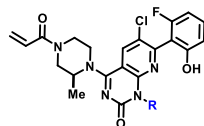
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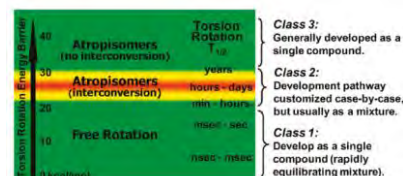
OPTIMIZATION OF ATROPISOMER STABILITY & KRAS ACTIVITY



Cmpd	R	Coupled Exchange IC ₅₀ (μM)	p-ERK IC ₅₀ (μM)	Interconversion barrier (ΔG [‡] , kcal/mol) ^a
(R)-18		0.051	0.044	26.0 ¹
(R)-23		0.117	0.051	>30 ²
(R)-24		0.025	0.028	>30 ²
26		0.083	0.053	23.5 ²
28		0.081	0.063	17.5 ²
31		0.068	0.036	NA
33		0.021	0.025	NA

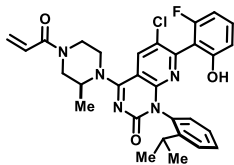
^a Interconversion barriers measured by ¹H time-course or ²V NMR

Cmpd	CL (L/h/kg)	PPB (f _u)	t _{1/2} (h)	%F	10 mg/kg C _{max,u} / p-ERK IC ₅₀
(R)-24	2.7	0.03	0.5	21	4.5
28	2.2	0.02	1.1	22	1.5
31	3.3	0.03	0.5	8	0.8
33	2.3	0.03	0.8	13	0.8



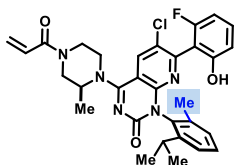
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BIS-ORTHO SUBSTITUTION AFFORDS A CONFIGURATIONALLY STABLE LEAD



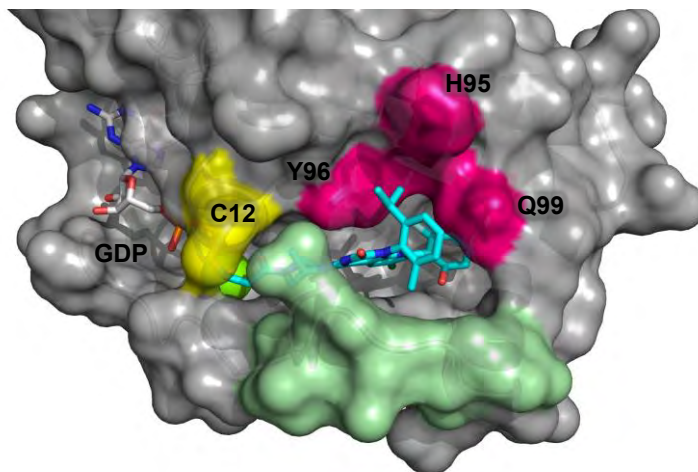
$k_{\text{obs}}/[I] = 5,800 \text{ M}^{-1}\text{s}^{-1}$
 Cell p-ERK 2 h $\text{IC}_{50} = 0.043 \text{ }\mu\text{M}$
 Cell Viability 72 h $\text{IC}_{50} = 0.005 \text{ }\mu\text{M}$

$\Delta G^\ddagger = 26 \text{ kcal/mol (DMSO)}$; $t_{1/2} = 8 \text{ days}$



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$\Delta G^\ddagger = 35 \text{ kcal/mol (DMSO)}$; $t_{1/2} = >2,000 \text{ years}$



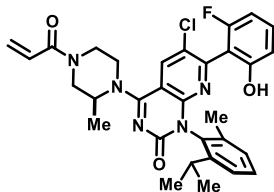
Bis-ortho substitution restricts C–N bond rotation, affording separable & highly stable atropisomers

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Configurationally-Stable Lead



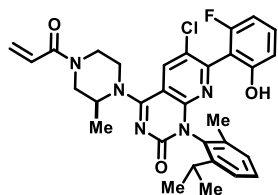
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FaSSGF (pH 1.6)	0.108	0.001
PBS (pH 7.4)	0.115	<0.001
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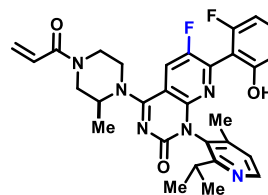


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Cell p-ERK 2 h IC_{50} = 0.070 μ M
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	Solubility (mg/mL)	
	Amorphous	Crystalline
FaSSGF (pH 1.6)	4.2	2.4
PBS (pH 7.4)	0.10	0.052
FaSSIF (pH 6.8)	0.17	0.070

Oral bioavailability (%F) similar across different physical forms

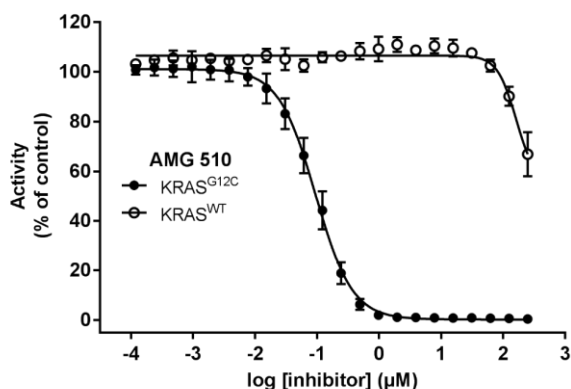
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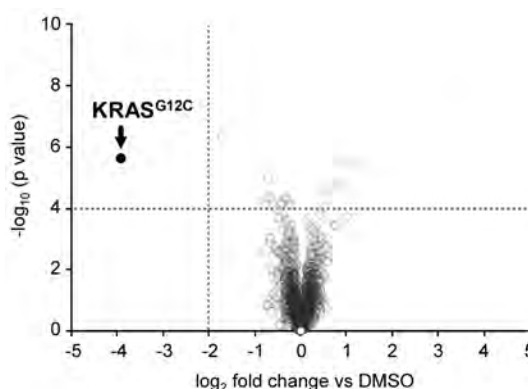
SOTORASIB (AMG 510) IS HIGHLY SELECTIVE FOR KRAS^{G12C}

Coupled Nucleotide Exchange



40 min SOS-1-catalyzed GDP/GTP exchange coupled to binding of c-RAF RAS-binding domain (RBD)

NCI-H358 Cysteine Proteome (Sotorasib vs DMSO)



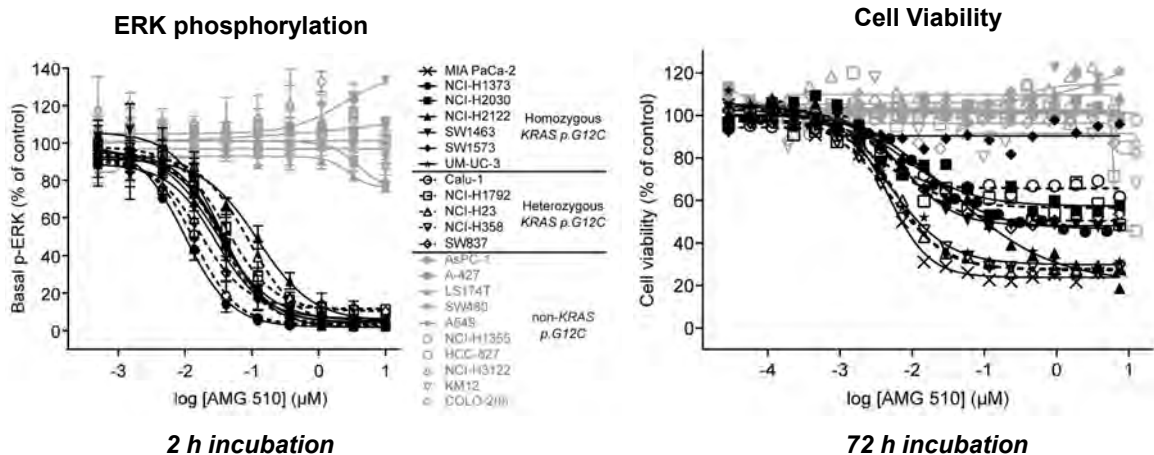
6451 unique cysteine-containing peptides identified

Canon, et al., *Nature* 2019, 575, 217–223

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SOTORASIB INHIBITS SIGNALING AND IMPAIRS VIABILITY ONLY IN *KRAS* p.G12C MUTANT CELL LINES

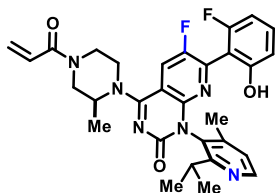


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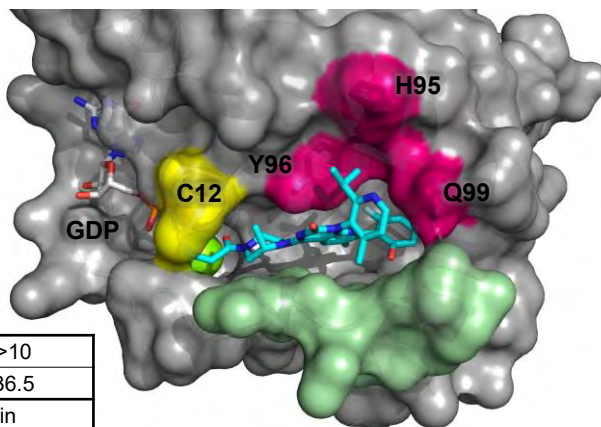
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IN VITRO & PHARMACOKINETIC PROFILE OF SOTORASIB



$$\text{G12C } k_{\text{inact}}/K_i = 9,900 \text{ M}^{-1}\text{s}^{-1}$$



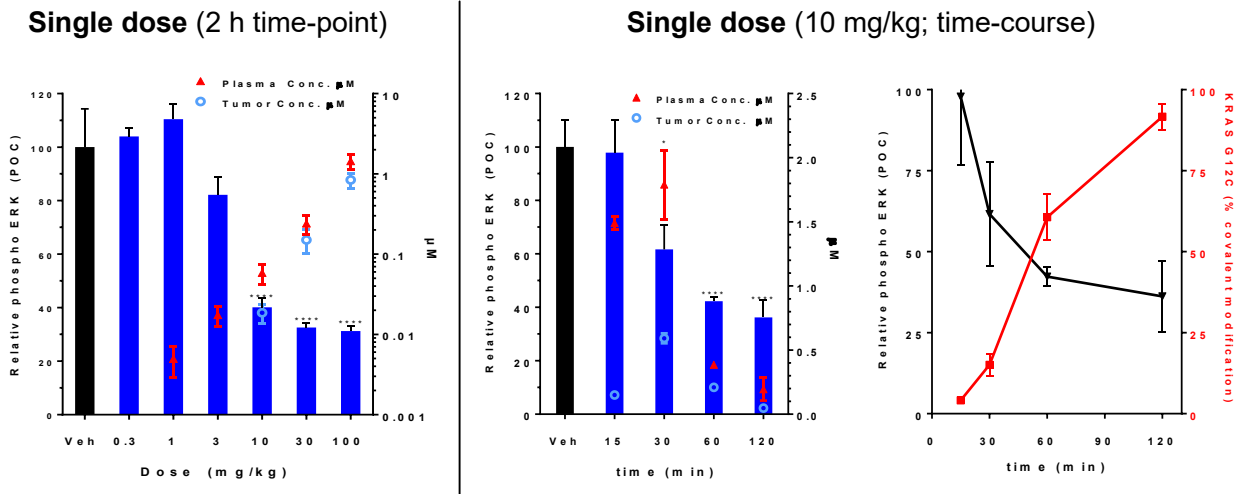
X-ray structure of
KRAS^{G12C}-GDP + sotorasib

KRAS^{G12C} protein $t_{1/2} \sim 22$ h
 (stable-isotope labeling)

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Cell	p-ERK 2 h IC ₅₀ MIA PaCa-2 A549 (μM)	0.070 >10
	Viability 72 h IC ₅₀ MIA PaCa-2 A549 (μM)	0.005 36.5
in vitro ADME	5 mM GSH $t_{1/2}$ (min)	200 min
	MuLM RLM DLM HLM ($\mu\text{L}/\text{min}/\text{mg}$)	21 18 16 17
	Mu R D H hep CL _{int} ($\mu\text{L}/\text{min}/10^6$ cells)	36 25 11 9
	PPB Mu R D Hu (0.25 μM , UC, f_u)	0.06 0.05 0.17 0.09
	Solubility (mg/mL, PBS) FaSSiF FaSSGF	0.05 0.07 2.4
in vivo (10 mpk)	Mouse CL (L/h/kg) V _{ss} (L/kg) t _{1/2} (h) %F	1.6 0.74 0.3 31
	Rat CL (L/h/kg) V _{ss} (L/kg) t _{1/2} (h) %F	3.4 2.0 0.5 30
	Dog CL (L/h/kg) V _{ss} (L/kg) t _{1/2} (h) %F	2.2 0.73 0.4 34

SOTORASIB INHIBITS ERK1/2 PHOSPHORYLATION IN *KRAS p.G12C* TUMORS (MIA PACA-2 T2); INHIBITION CORRELATES W/ OCCUPANCY

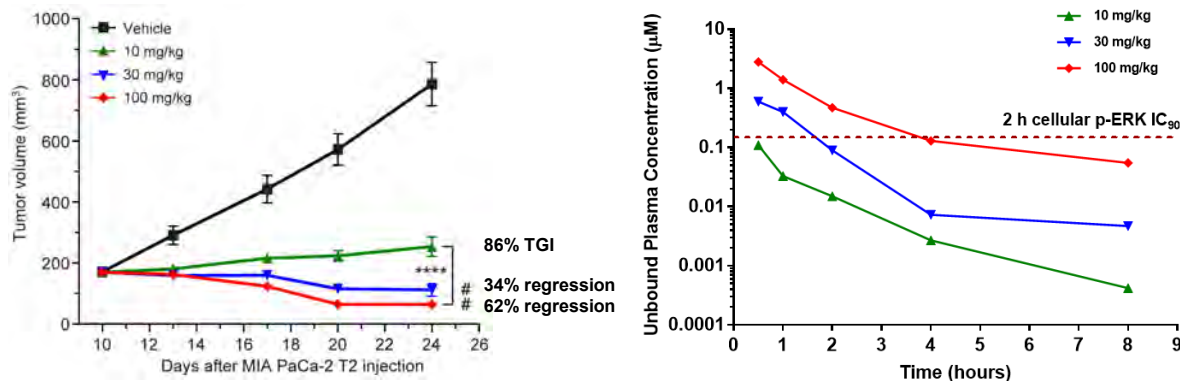


* p<0.05, ****p<0.0001 by One-Way Anova followed by Dunnett's post hoc

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SOTORASIB DOSED ORALLY ONCE DAILY RESULTS IN REGRESSION OF *KRAS p.G12C* TUMOR XENOGRAFTS



Sotorasib exposure >IC₉₀ for 2+ hours results in tumor regression

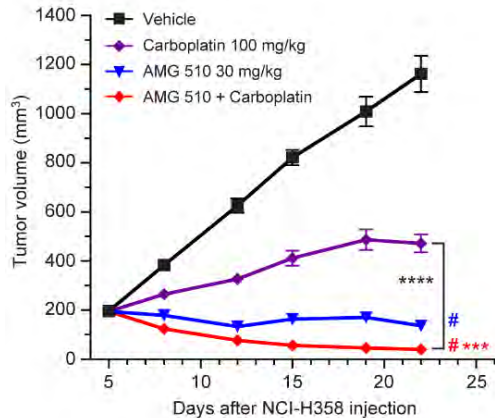
**** p < 0.0001 comparisons of vehicle to treatment group by Dunnett's
p<0.05 regression by paired t-test

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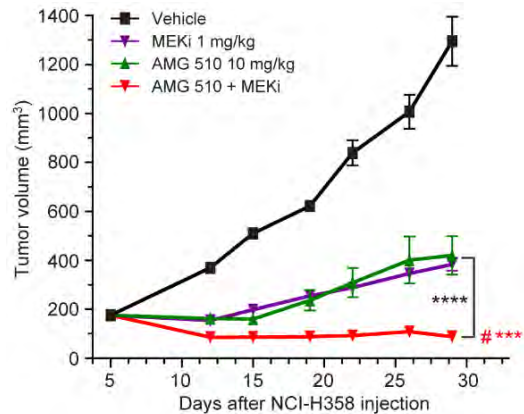


ASSESSING THE POTENTIAL OF SOTORASIB IN COMBINATION WITH CYTOTOXIC & TARGETED AGENTS

Sotorasib (AMG 510) + carboplatin



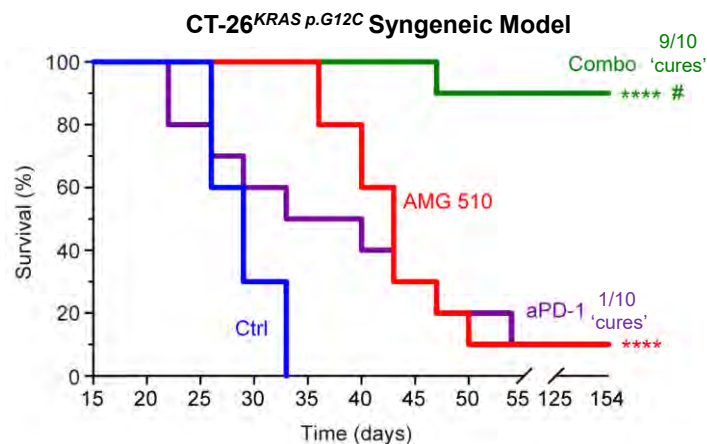
Sotorasib + MEK inhibitor



*** P < 0.001 combination treatment compared to each single agent by Dunnett's
 # P < 0.001 regression by paired t-test
 Results from all treatment groups were significant compared with vehicle (**** P < 0.0001 by Dunnett's)

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SOTORASIB + IMMUNE CHECKPOINT INHIBITION RESULTS IN DURABLE CURES IN A CT-26^{KRAS p.G12C} SYNGENEIC MODEL



Cures persisted for 112 days off drug

AMG 510 was dosed orally once daily at 100 mg/kg; anti-PD-1 29F.1A12 was administered once every 3 days for a total of 3 injections by IP

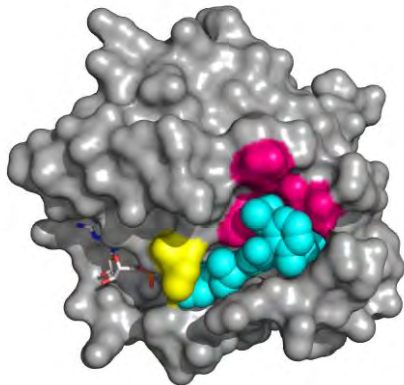
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**** p < 0.0001 comparisons of vehicle to treatment groups by Mantel-Cox. # p < 0.005 combination vs AMG 510 or anti-PD-1

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DISCOVERY OF THE FIRST CLINICAL KRAS^{G12C} INHIBITOR



A Phase 1, Study Evaluating the Safety, Tolerability, PK, and Efficacy of AMG 510 in Subjects With Solid Tumors With a Specific KRAS Mutation.

ClinicalTrials.gov Identifier: NCT03000883

Recruitment Status: Recruiting
 First Posted: July 26, 2018
 Last Update Posted: November 26, 2018
[See Contacts and Locations](#)

Sponsor: Amgen
 Information provided by (Responsible Party): Amgen

Study Details: Tabular View | No Results Posted | Disclaimer | How to Read a Study Record

Study Description

Brief Summary:
 Evaluate the safety and tolerability of AMG 510 in adult subjects with KRAS p.G12C mutant solid tumors.
 Estimate the maximum tolerated dose (MTD) and/or a biologically active dose (eg, recommended phase 2 dose [RP2D]) within investigated subject population groups.

Condition or disease	Intervention/treatment	Phase
Advanced KRAS p.G12C Mutant Solid Tumors	Drug: AMG 510	Phase 1

In June 2018, **Sotorasib (AMG 510)** became the first KRAS^{G12C} inhibitor to enter human clinical testing. For more information, visit clinicaltrials.gov

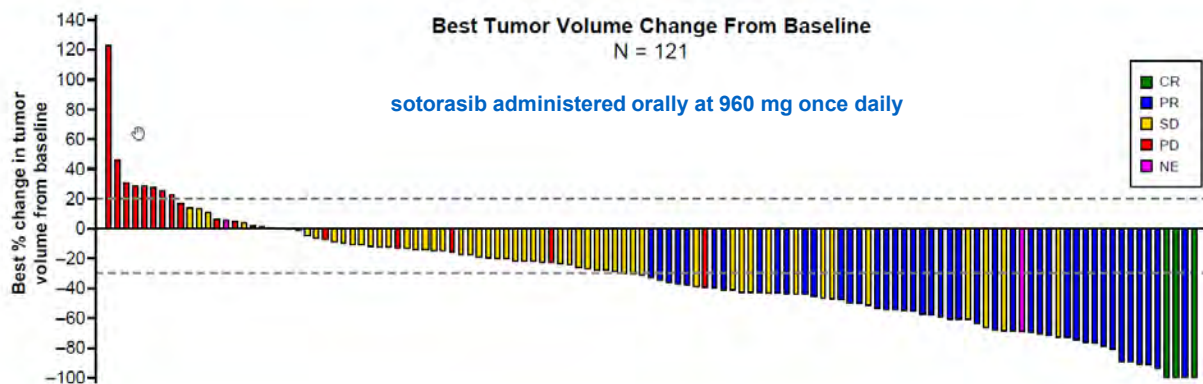


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Depth of Tumor Response

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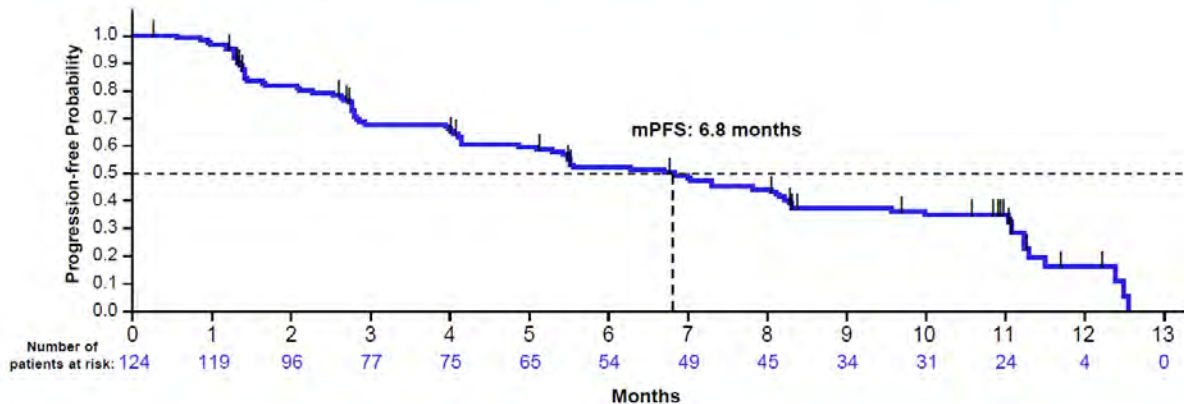
Tumor shrinkage of any magnitude was observed in 81% of patients (101/124)
 Median percentage of best tumor shrinkage among all responders was 60%



Graph excluded 3 patients without post-baseline measurement in target lesions.
 CR, complete response; PR, partial response; SD, stable disease; PD, progressive disease; NE, not evaluable

Progression-Free Survival

Median progression-free survival was 6.8 months (95% CI: 5.1, 8.2)



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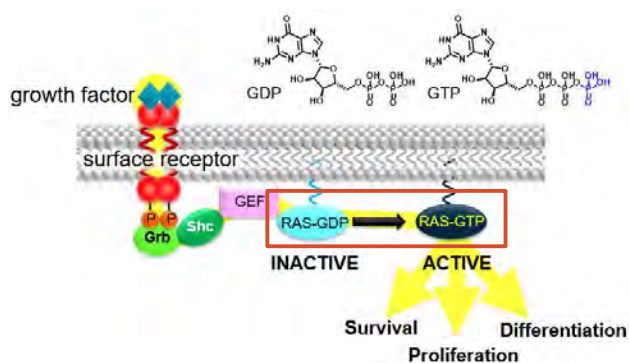


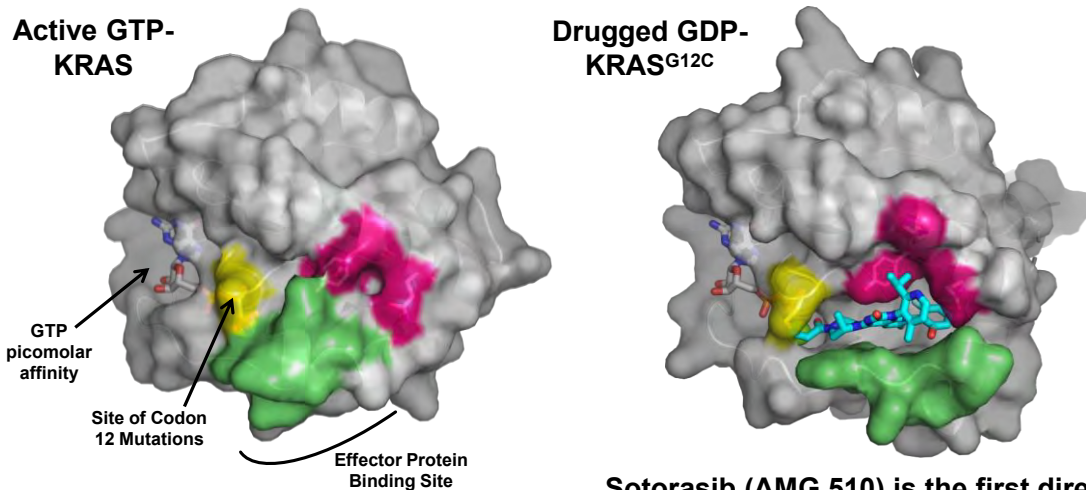
Table 1 | Activation of RAS signalling pathways in different tumours

Defect or mutation	Tumour type	Frequency (%)
RAS mutation	Pancreas	90 (K)
	Lung adenocarcinoma (non-small-cell)	35 (K)
	Colorectal	45 (K)
	Thyroid (Follicular)	55 (H, K, N)
	Thyroid (Undifferentiated papillary)	60 (H, K, N)
	Seminoma	45 (K, N)
	Melanoma	15 (N)
	Bladder	10 (H)
	Liver	30 (N)
	Kidney	10 (H)
Myelodysplastic syndrome	40 (N, K)	
Acute myelogenous leukaemia	30 (N)	

Downward, J. *Nat. Rev. Cancer* 2003, 3, 11–22

Nearly 50% of all cancers demonstrate oncogenic mutations of the Ras signaling pathway

A STRUCTURAL VIEW OF “DRUGGING THE UNDRUGGABLE”



Sotorasib (AMG 510) is the first direct KRAS^{G12C} inhibitor to enter human clinical testing (NCT03600883)

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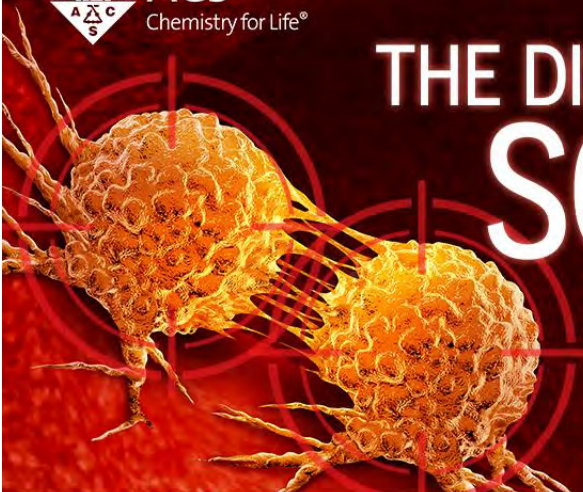
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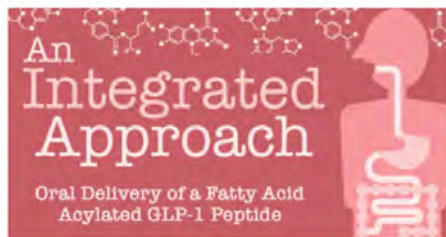
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