# SureSelect The Leader in Target Enrichment

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# **Maximize Sequencing Efficiency**

Required Throughput = Genome Size x Average Coverage





Target = 50Mb x 100 = 5Gb
Target = 5Mb x 100 = 500Mb
Target = 0.5Mb x 100 = 50Mb
Target =50Kb x 100 = 5Mb

Develop designs for any sequencing capacity: - High Throughput or Desktop





# SureSelect – Pioneer in NGS Target Enrichment



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#### Solution hybrid selection with ultra-long oligonucleotides for massively parallel targeted sequencing

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Targeting genomic loci by massively parallel sequencing requires new methods to enrich templates to be sequenced. We developed a capture method that uses biotinvlated RNA 'baits' to fish targets out of a 'pond' of DNA fragments. The RNA is transcribed from PCR-amplified oligodeoxynucleotides originally synthesized on a microarray, generating sufficient bait for multiple captures at concentrations high enough to drive the hybridization. We tested this method with 170-mer baits that target >15,000 coding exons (2.5 Mb) and four regions (1.7 Mb total) using Illumina sequencing as read-out. About 90% of uniquely aligning bases fell on or near bait sequence; up to 50% lay on exons proper. The uniformity was such that ~60% of target bases in the exonic 'catch', and  $\sim$  80% in the regional catch, had at least half the mean coverage. One lane of Illumina sequence was sufficient to call high-confidence genotypes for 89% of the targeted exon space.

The development and commercialization of a new generation of have been tested on target sets complex enough to match the scale of increasingly powerful sequencing methodologies and instruments<sup>1-4</sup> have lowered the cost per nucleotide of sequencing data by several orders of magnitude. Within a short time, several individual human arrays containing synthetic oligonucleotides that match the target

current next-generation sequencing instruments.

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The first method, microarray capture9,12,13, uses hybridization to

- Capture fragments with longest, most efficient 120-mer cRNA baits
- Probes can be designed to any regions of interest, samples can be multiplexed
- Easy to implement and compatible with validated automation solution



#### **SureSelect – The Leader in Target Enrichment**

#### **COMPLETE** Solution

#### Best **PERFORMANCE**

#### FLEXIBLE Designs



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# **SureSelect - Most Complete Enrichment Solution**





# **SureSelect - Most Complete Workflow Solution**

#### **From Sample to Analysis**





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#### SureSelect Technology The Best Performance

Core Technology	Benefits	
Ultra-Long RNA Baits (120-mer)	<b>Better Sensitivity</b> Detect more SNP, InDels, CNV, fusions	
Binding strength	<b>Better Workflow</b> 16hr hybridization, other require up to 72hrs	
RNA:DNA > DNA:DNA	<b>Better Allelic Balance</b> Equal representation of both alleles	



# **SureSelect: Enabling Scientific Discovery**





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## **SureSelect - Most Flexible Enrichment Solution**

Custom or Catalog Solutions for DNA and RNA targets

- Proven, Refined Design Algorithms
- ISO 13485 Reagents



• Validated, Scalable Automation Solution



SureDesign – New, intuitive software for custom capture designs









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### **SureSelect All Exon V5**







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# Human All Exon V5 Design and Synthesis

- Updated Content: Refseq, Gencode, UCSC, TCGA, CCDS, miRBase
- Proprietary probe selection/placement algorithms based on GC, Tm, Entropy, Mapability
- Long 120mer probes printed in Agilent's microarray fabrication facility
  - V5 ~ 544K individual probes spanning 50.4 Mb
  - V5 +UTR ~ 882K individual probes spanning 74.6 Mb
- High GC content printed in higher replication to boost performance
- Matched for best performance with Agilent's library preparation
- DNA probes are converted into biotinylated RNA bait





#### Human All Exon V5 and V5+UTRs

The Best Performing Exome Ready for Sequencing the Next Day



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#### The Fastest Workflow From sample to sequencing the next day



#### Overnight Hybridization Enables Sequencer Ready Samples the Next Day



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## Human All Exon V5: Distribution of Read Depths





# **Human All Exon V5 Performance Statistics**





# **The Best Performance and Fast Workflow**

Parameter	All Exon V5	All Exon V5+UTRs	Competitor N	Competitor I
Target Size	50Mb	75Mb	64Mb	62Mb
# Genes	21,522	21,522	>20,000	20,794
# Targeted Exons	357,999	359,555	-	201,121
CCDS	Х	Х	Х	Х
RefSeq	Х	Х	Х	Х
GENCODE	Х	Х	Х	Х
miRBase	Х	Х	Х	Х
TCGA	Х	Х		
UCSC	Х	Х		
Amount of Seq. (total)	4Gb	6Gb	6Gb	10Gb
<b>Overall Workflow</b>	1.5 days	1.5 days	4.5 days	3.5 days
Add Custom Content	Yes	No	Yes	No



## **The Best Performance**

#### **Outstanding coverage with less sequencing**





# Human All Exon V5: Coverage in Tumor Suppressor Genes



Agilent displays higher depth of coverage with the same amount of sequencing (4Gb)



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# **Example Studies: Target Enrichment in Cancer**

**Target Enrichment for Novel Discovery** Diffuse Large B cell Lymphoma

Intratumor Heterogeneity Renal Cell Carcinoma





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# Diffuse Large B cell Lymphoma (DLBCL)

- Aggressive Non-Hodgkin lymphoma
- Affects 30,000 new patients in the US every year
- Current Standard of Care R-CHOP
  - Rituximab (anti CD20), cyclophosphamide, doxorubicin, vincristine, and prednisone
- 3 year event-free survival ~60%, remaining 40% die of disease



#### **Exome sequencing of Non-Hodgkin Lymphoma**

#### Discovery and prioritization of somatic mutations in diffuse large B-cell lymphoma (DLBCL) by whole-exome sequencing

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To gain insight into the genomic basis of diffuse large B-cell lymphoma (DLBCL), we performed massively parallel whole-exome sequencing of 55 primary tumor samples from patients with DLBCL and matched normal tissue. We identified recurrent mutations in genes that are well known to be functionally relevant in DLBCL, including *MYD88*, *CARD11*, *EZH2*, and *CREBBP*. We also identified somatic mutations in genes for which a functional role in DLBCL has not been previously suspected. These genes include *MEF2B*, *MLL2*, *BTG1*, *GNA13*, *ACTB*, *P2RY8*, *PCLO*, and *TNFRSF14*. Further, we show that *BCL2* mutations commonly occur in patients with *BCL2/IgH* rearrangements as a result of somatic hypermutation normally

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somatic mutations in oncogenes and tumor-suppressor genes in B lymphocytes.

Traditionally, DLBCL has been classified by the morphology and immunophenotype of the malignant B-cells but more recently, molecular classifications have been reported. Specifically, gene expression-based classification of DLBCL has been proposed (5, 6), and the prognostic relevance for this has been demonstrated (7). It has been suggested that distinct signal transduction pathways are affected in the subtypes that are defined in this way, and that certain genetic defects preferentially occur in specific subtypes defined by the presumed cell of origin of the tumors (8–12).

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# Exome sequencing of DLBCL and Follicular Lymphoma (FL)

# Frequent mutation of histone-modifying genes in non-Hodgkin lymphoma

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Follicular lymphoma (FL) and diffuse large B-cell lymphoma (DLBCL) are the two most common non-Hodgkin lymphomas (NHLs). Here we sequenced tumour and matched normal DNA from 13 DLBCL cases and one FL case to identify genes with mutations in B-cell NHL. We analysed RNA-seq data from these and another 113 NHLs to identify genes with candidate mutations, and then re-sequenced tumour and matched normal DNA from these cases to confirm 109 genes with multiple somatic mutations. Genes with roles in histone modification were frequent targets of somatic mutation. For example, 32% of DLBCL and 89% of FL cases had somatic mutations in *MLL2*, which encodes a histone methyltransferase, and 11.4% and 13.4% of DLBCL and FL cases, respectively, had mutations in *MEF2B*, a calcium-regulated gene that cooperates with CREBBP and EP300 in acetylating histones. Our analysis suggests a previously unappreciated disruption of chromatin biology in lymphomagenesis.

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# **DLBCL Exome Sequencing Details**

- Lohr et al.
  - 55 patients paired tumor and germline(normal) DNA
  - Captured with Agilent's exome capture
  - 150-fold mean sequence coverage of targeted exons
- Morin et al.
  - 117 patients FL and DLBCL tumor DNA
  - Captured with Agilent's exome capture



# **DLBCL** mutation frequency



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### **Agreement between two studies**

- Common Pathways and Genes Identified in Both Studies
  - Known contributing genes: CD79B, TP53, CARD11, MYD88, EZH2
  - Suggested Pathogenic role: MLL2, TNFRSF14, BTG1, MEF2B, GNA13
  - Selected Common Novel findings: *HIST1H1C, PIM1*
  - Selected Novel Findings (Lohr et al): PCLO, TMSL3,
  - Selected Novel Findings (DLBCL, Morin et al): SGK1, BCL2

Frequent nonsynonymous mutations in chromatin remodeling genes, suggesting potential cooperation in lymphomagenesis

-HDAC inhibitors under investigation (phasel/II)

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# Conclusions

- High Coverage of exonic content in two large cohorts of DLBCL
- Confirmed mutations in known and novel sites
- Excellent agreement between studies
- Spurred new efforts to understand potential previously unknown drivers
- Progress toward new therapeutic avenues and potentially increased survival rates



#### **Discovery Using Target Enrichment:** Renal Cell Carcinoma

#### Aim:

To characterize *intra*-tumor heterogeneity that may foster tumor evolution/adaptation

#### Method:

SureSelect Exome sequencing of:

- 4 patient samples, 7-15 biopsies
- Pre-treatment (Primary vs. Metastasis)
- Intratumor sections (R1-R9)
- Multiple metastases



Gerlinger et.al. N Eng J Med 2012 366 (883-892)







#### **Discovery Using Target Enrichment:** Renal Cell Carcinoma

#### **Results/Conclusions:**

- Identified driver mutations (VHL, KDM5C, SETD2, MTOR, PTEN)
- Only VHL was mutated ubiquitously in all analyzed regions
- Different *regions* of the tumor have different mutations in the very *same driver* gene, e.g. *MTOR, SETD2*
- Intra-tumor heterogeneity may contribute to failure of targeted chemotherapy
- Suggests potential need for multiple assessments of tumor





# Summary

- SureSelect exome target enrichment
  - Optimized probe design/production for improved capture
  - High coverage of exons with only 4Gb of sequencing
  - Samples ready for sequencing the next day
- Enables large cancer sequencing studies
  - Allows in-depth determination of nucleotide variations
  - Driving discovery of new potential targets and therapies
  - Increasing understanding of tumor evolution





# **Thank You!**



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