Intratumoral microbiota is associated with prognosis in patients with adrenocortical carcinoma

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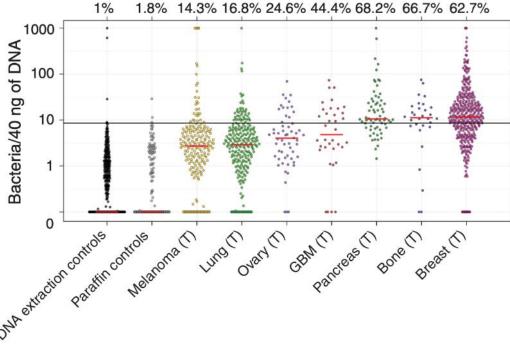
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Introduction

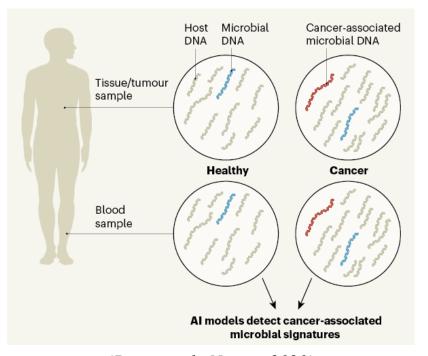
Nejman et al. found that each tumor type has a distinct microbiome composition.

The correlations between intratumor bacteria or their predicted functions with tumor types and the response to immunotherapy were also observed.



(Nejman et al., Science, 2020)

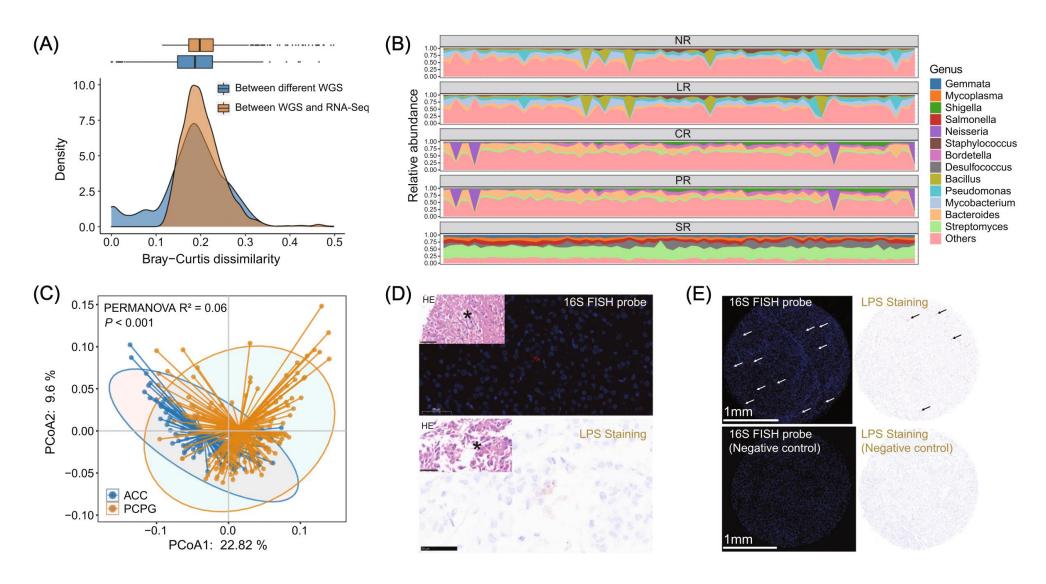
Poore et al. found unique microbial signatures in tissue and blood within and between 33 types of cancer from The Cancer Genome Atlas (TCGA).



(Poore et al., Nature, 2020)

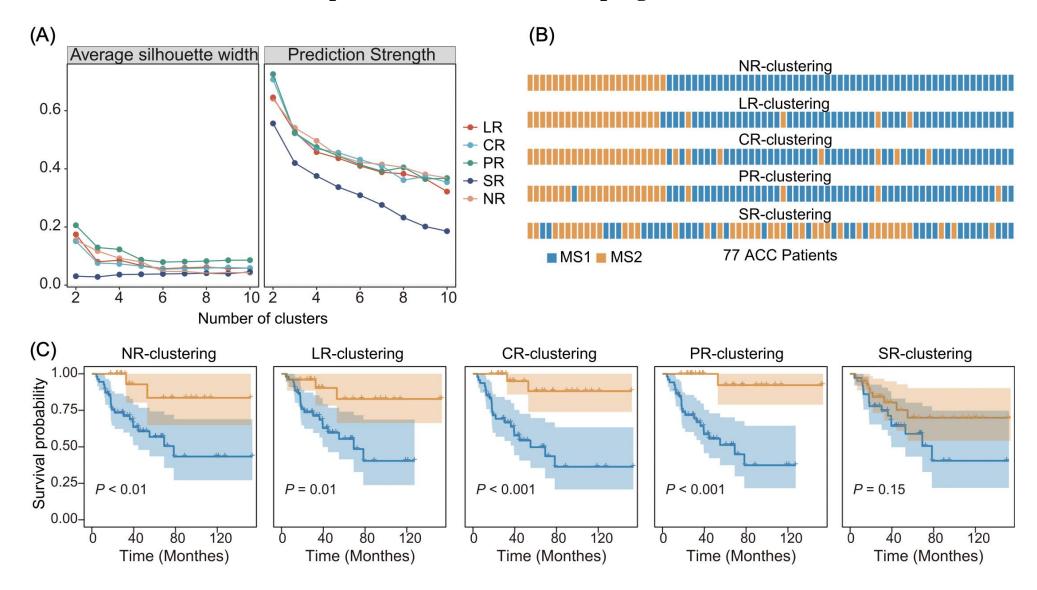


ACC harbors intratumoral microbes.



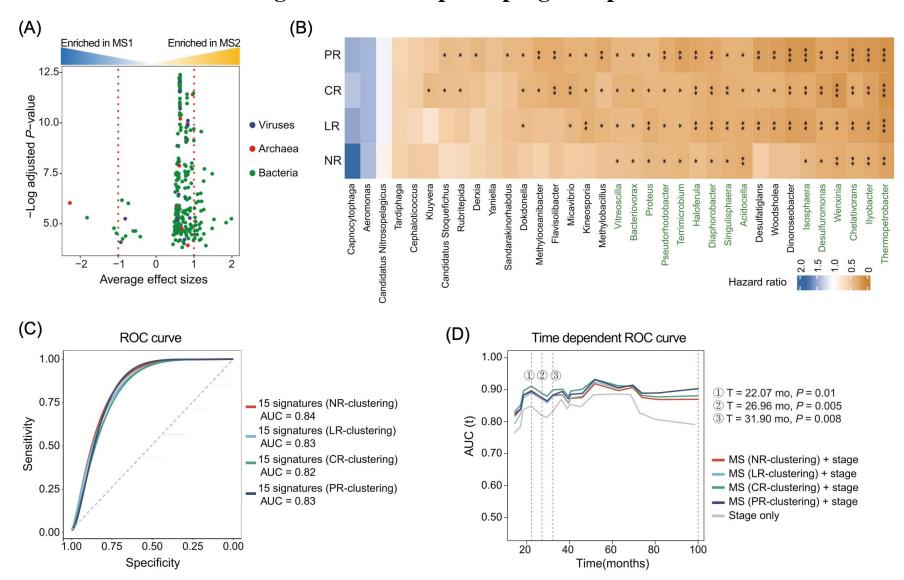


Intratumoral microbiome composition is associated with prognosis in ACC.



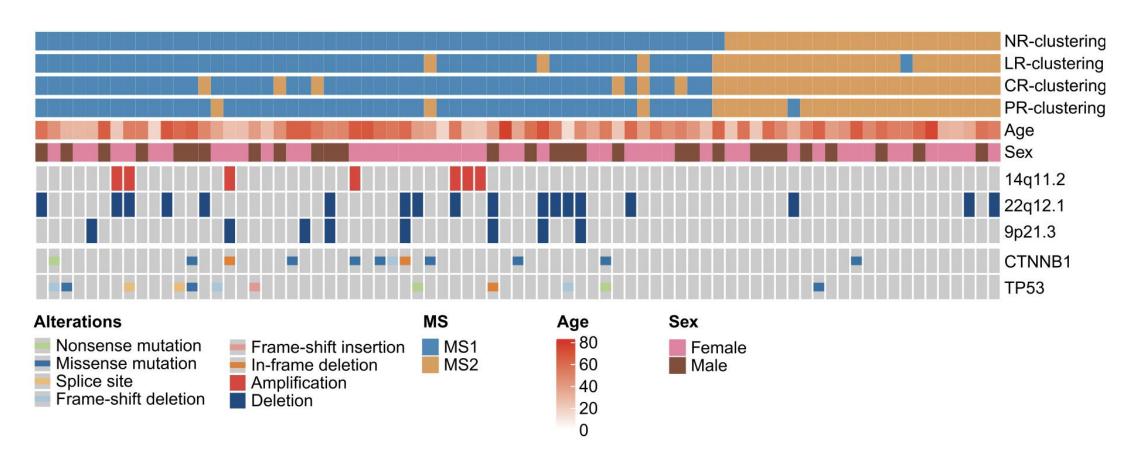


Intratumoral microbial signatures can improve prognosis prediction.



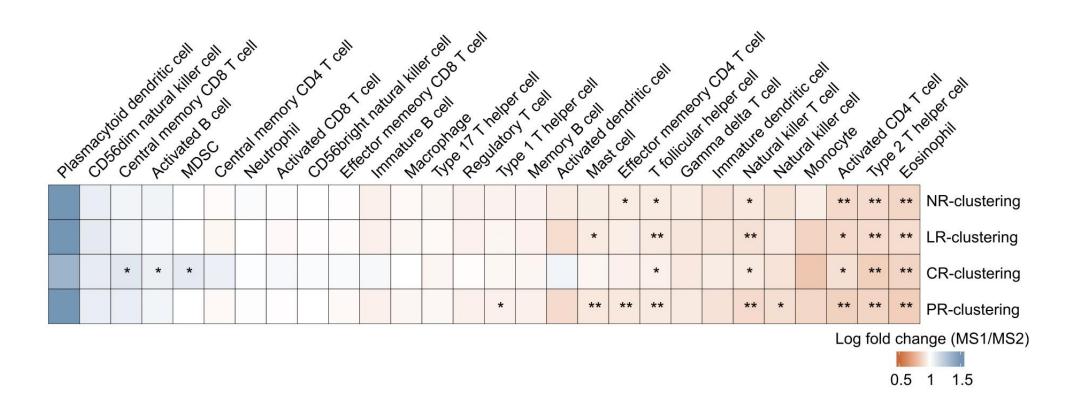


Intratumoral microbial composition is associated with host genomic events.



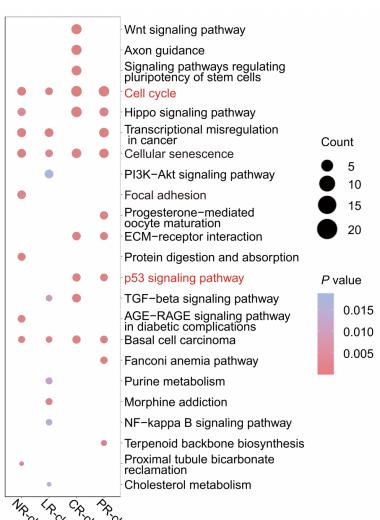


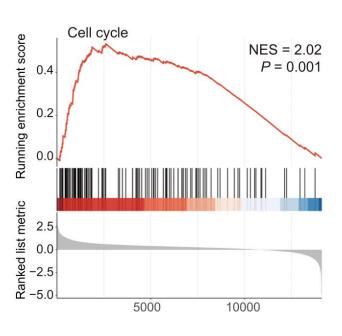
Intratumoral microbiota might play roles in an immunity-dependent manner.

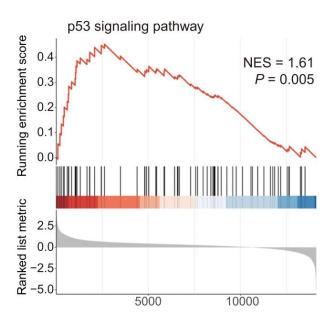




Intratumoral microbiota might activate carcinogenic pathways.











Summary

- Adrenocortical carcinoma (ACC) harbors intratumoral microbes.
- The intratumoral microbiome is associated with prognosis in ACC.
- The intratumoral microbiota might correlate with genomic events, immune status and specific carcinogenic pathways.

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