

# Genexus use for for NGS molecular profiling of tumors

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# Manual NGS setup











FFPE Block

DNA / RNA Extraction

Library Preparation

Sequencing

Data Analysis

Currently 5-10 working days from sample to report

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# Oncomine™ Precision Assay for tissue and liquid biopsies

- ✓ Fully automated library-prep, sequencing, and data analysis
- ✓ From sample to report in 1-2 days
- ✓ Up to 32 samples/run
- Only 10ng DNA / RNA input required
- Requires minimal hands-on

#### **50 Actionable Genes**



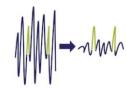
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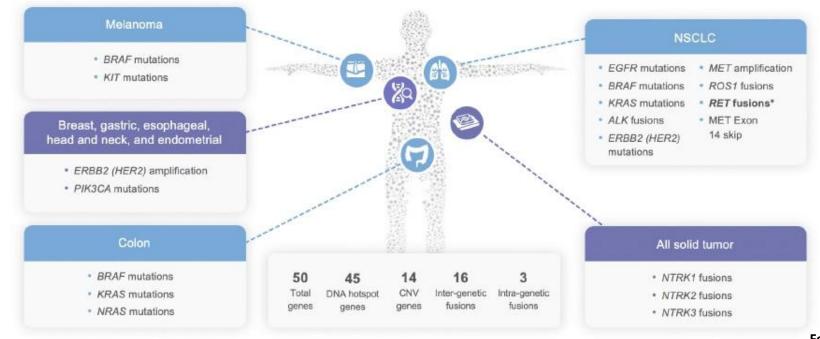


#### **Tissue and Plasma**



**UMI-technology** 







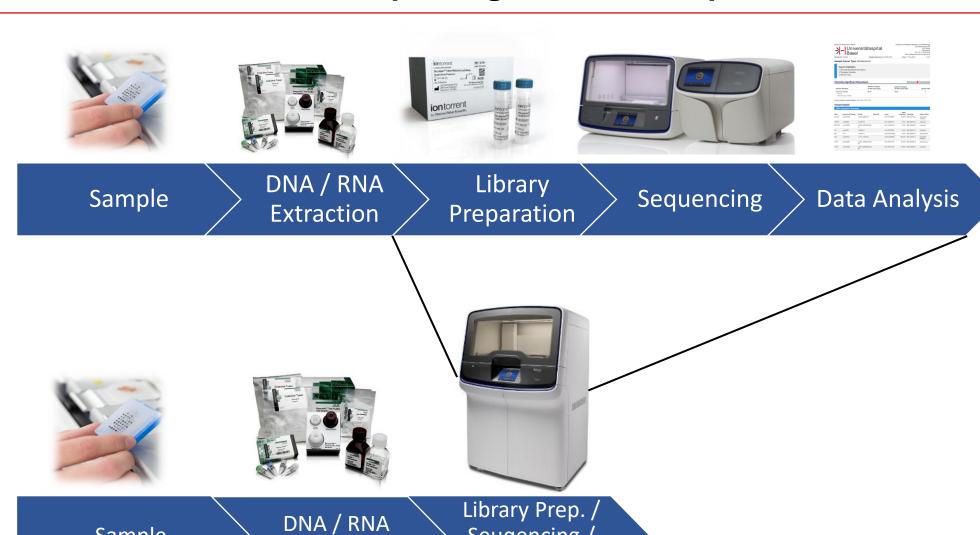
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The Present

**5-10** days TaT

# **Automated NGS setup using Genexus Sequencer**



Seugencing /

**Data Analysis** 

The Future
4-6 days TaT

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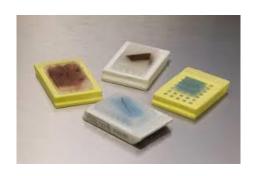
Extraction

Sample



#### **The Genexus Workflow**

Step by Step







Tissue microdissection



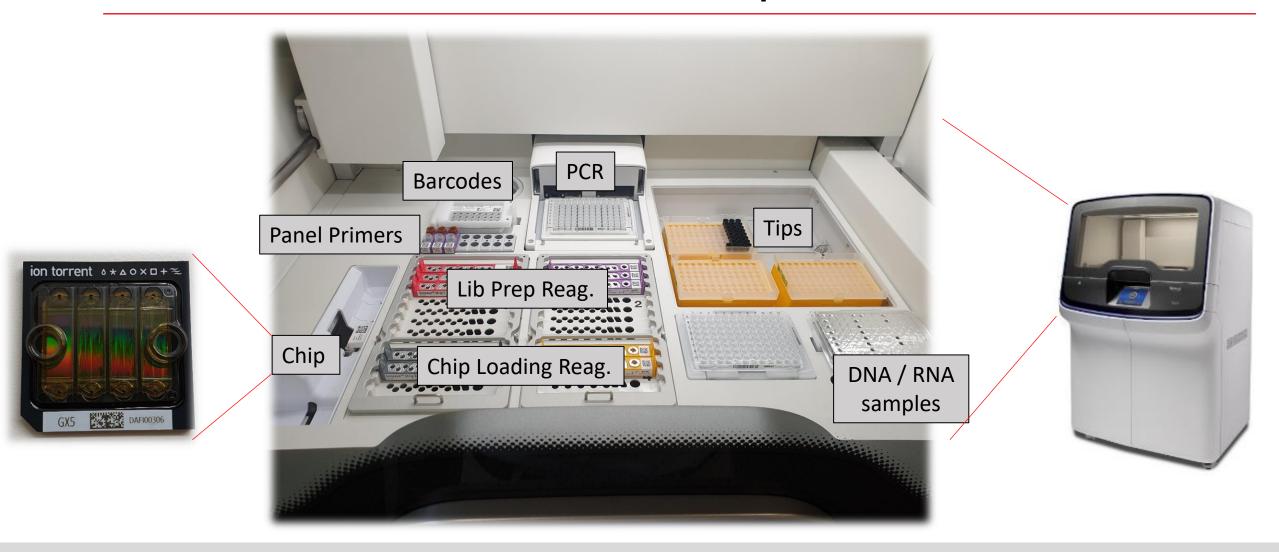
DNA / RNA Extraction



Library Prep. / Seuqencing / Data Analysis



## The Genexus Sequencer

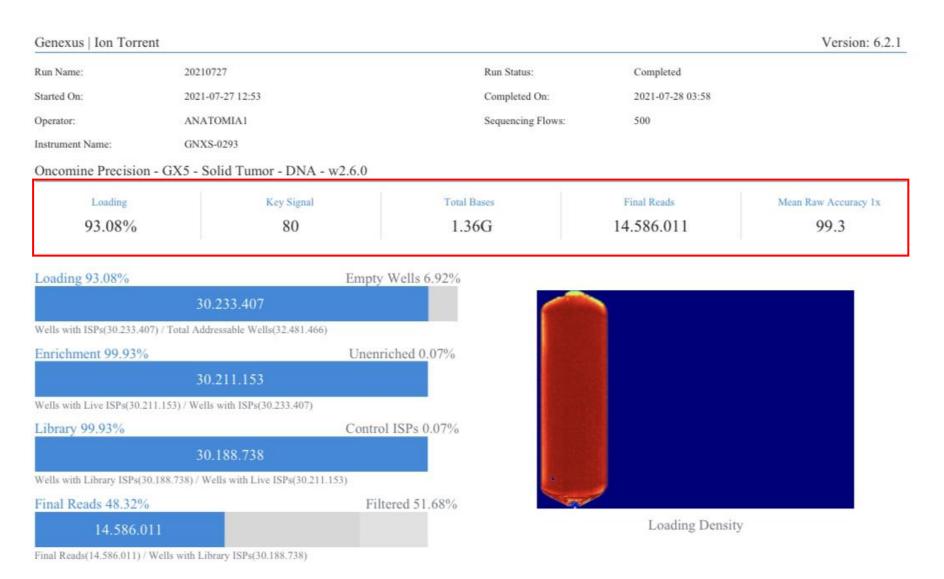


15 min Hands-On; all reagents come in strips, only pipetting step is to fill DNA / RNA in sample plate Runtime varies depending on no. samples from approx. 13 – 30 hours incl. data analysis

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## **Genexus Software – run overview**



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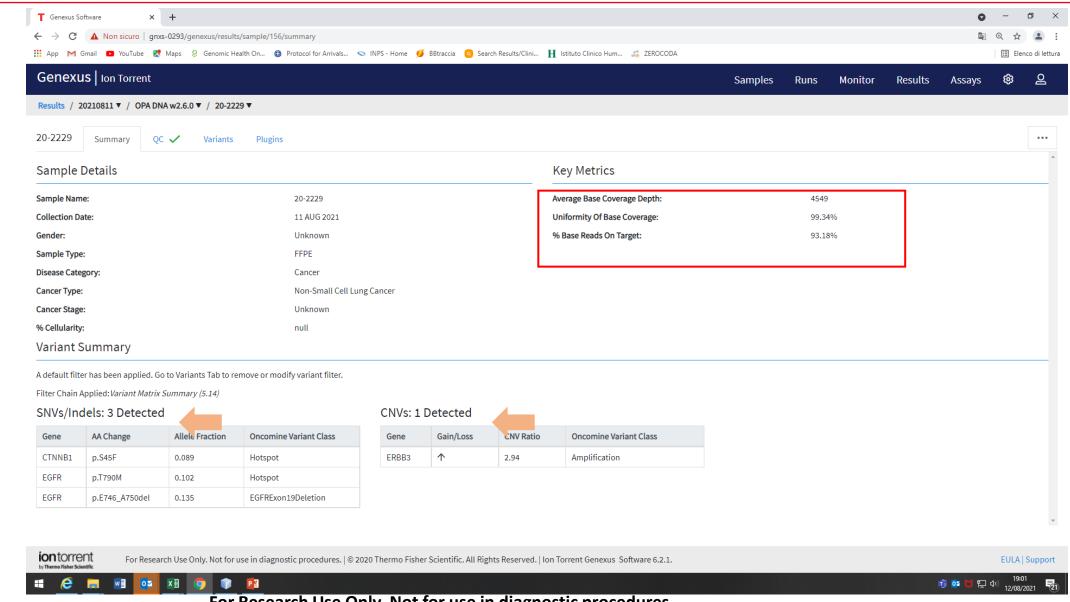
# **Genexus Software** – run overview

#### Run Samples

Sample Name	Nucleic Acid Type	Barcode	Total Reads	Mean Read Length	>= Q20 Bases	Uniformity	Read Length Histogram
21-23465A2	DNA	IonHDdual_0101	1.419.328	95	122.964.867	97.22%	0 50 000 LS# 260 250 300
21-24585A2	DNA	IonHDdual_0102	1.467.626	92	123.221.280	96.59%	b \$0 150 250 250 300
21-24870A1	DNA	IonHDdual_0103	1.487.357	93	126.342.986	98.24%	0 50 000 150 260 250 300
21-27868A1	DNA	IonHDdual_0104	1.342.221	93	114.953.246	98.30%	0 50 100 150 200 250 300
21-27961	DNA	IonHDdual_0105	1.327.972	96	116.047.939	98.83%	b \$0 100 150 200 250 300
21-28072	DNA	IonHDdual_0106	1.349.428	93	113.842.526	99.38%	0 50 100 150 260 250 300
21-29577A4	DNA	IonHDdual_0107	1.615.711	95	139.915.324	96.82%	b 50 100 150 260 250 300
21-30278A1	DNA	IonHDdual_0108	1.556.177	94	133.389.034	96.56%	b \$0 160 150 200 2\$0 300

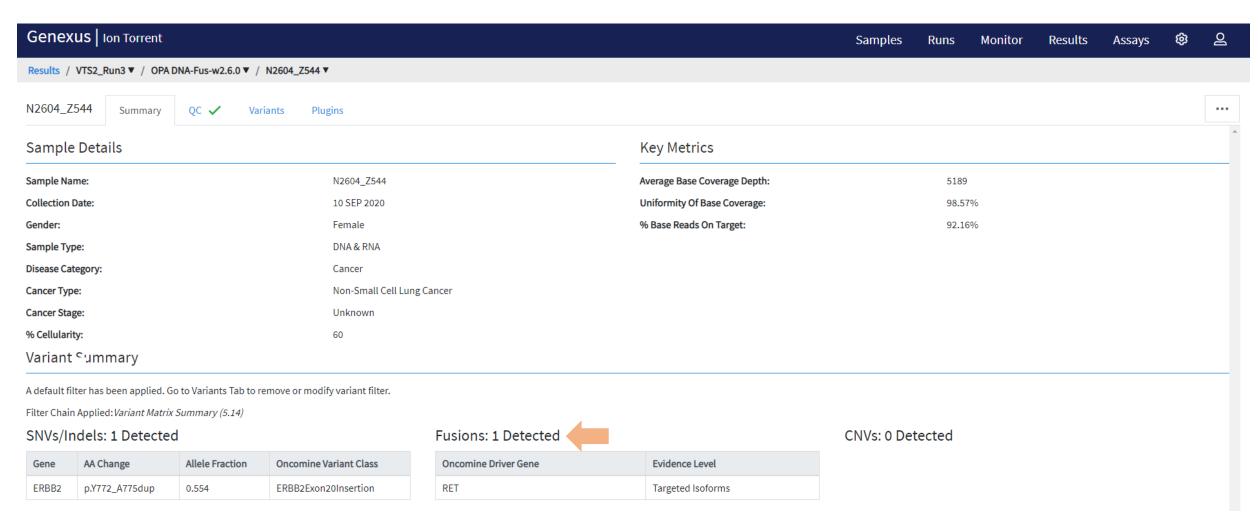


# **Genexus Software – DNA sample overview**



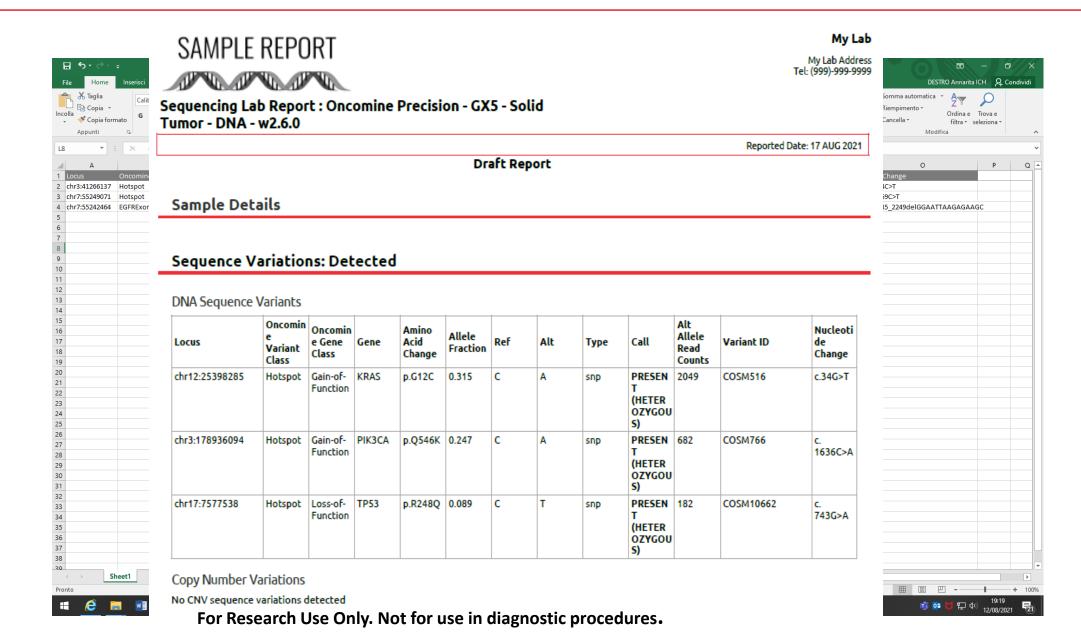


# **Genexus Software – DNA and RNA sample overview**





## **Genexus Software – download files**





# **Genexus analysis in FFPE tumor samples**

#### 95 tested samples:

44 lung adenocarcinoma

28 colon adenocarcinoma

11 melanoma

4 glial tumors

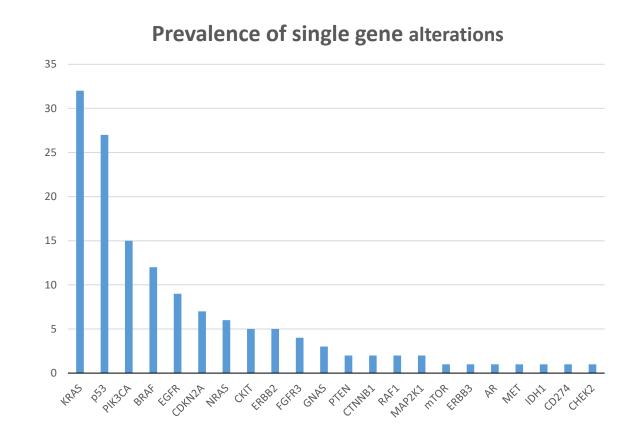
4 DLBCL

3 GIST

1 thyroid carcinoma

#### Number of alterations detected with genexus:

- 128 mutations vs 73 mutations with canonical techniques
- 12 CNV





## Genexus analysis in FFPE tumor samples vs conventional techniques

**Concordance rate: 90/95= 94,7%** 

#### Discordant cases (n=5):

- 1- Genexus detected BRAF V600E below threshold at 0.9% of allele frequency in lung adenocarcinoma with <10% tumoral cells.
- 2- Genexus detected NRAS Q61R in two melanoma samples of the same patient; conventional technique detected the mutation only in a second sample.
- 3- Genexus detects BRAF D594A in lung adenocarcinoma that is not detected by conventional technique, despite the mutation is covered.
- 4- Genexus detects BRAF G469A in lung adenocarcinoma containing low % of tumoral cells (<10%) that is not detected by conventional technique, despite the mutation is covered.
- 5- Genexus detects KRAS G12C in lung adenocarcinoma misinterpretated by conventional techniques as KRAS G12insGA/G12fs\*3 (fw assay failed)

#### **Minor discrepancies:**

- 1- in 3 cases (2 lung adenocarcinoma and 1 GIST) Genexus software failed to call the correct deletion. The software calls 2 different deletions that require IGV to be correctly interpretated.
- 2- in 2 cases Genexus **has an advantage** in the call of correct mutation respect conventional technique (Real Time PCR) that mix two possible variant in the same codon.

We have concordance also in melanoma melanina-rich and in decalcificated-samples. For Research Use Only. Not for use in diagnostic procedures.



## **Conclusions**

- Reduction of TAT from 5-10 working days to 4-6
- Optimization of lab workflow analysing until 32 samples of different cancer type
- High concordance with the major diagnostic techniques
- Good performance in difficult samples as decalcificated bones and melanina-enriched samples
- Good sensitivity in the detection of mutations in tisssues with <10% of tumoral cells
- Instrument and Software easly to be used

#### **Areas of improvement:**

- Correct discrimination of deletions/insertions by software
- Introduce the possibility of intervention on the instrument during the run
- Implementation new panel kit



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