

Supplementary Information

Comprehensive analysis of *CTNNB1* in adrenocortical carcinomas: Identification of novel mutations and correlation to survival.

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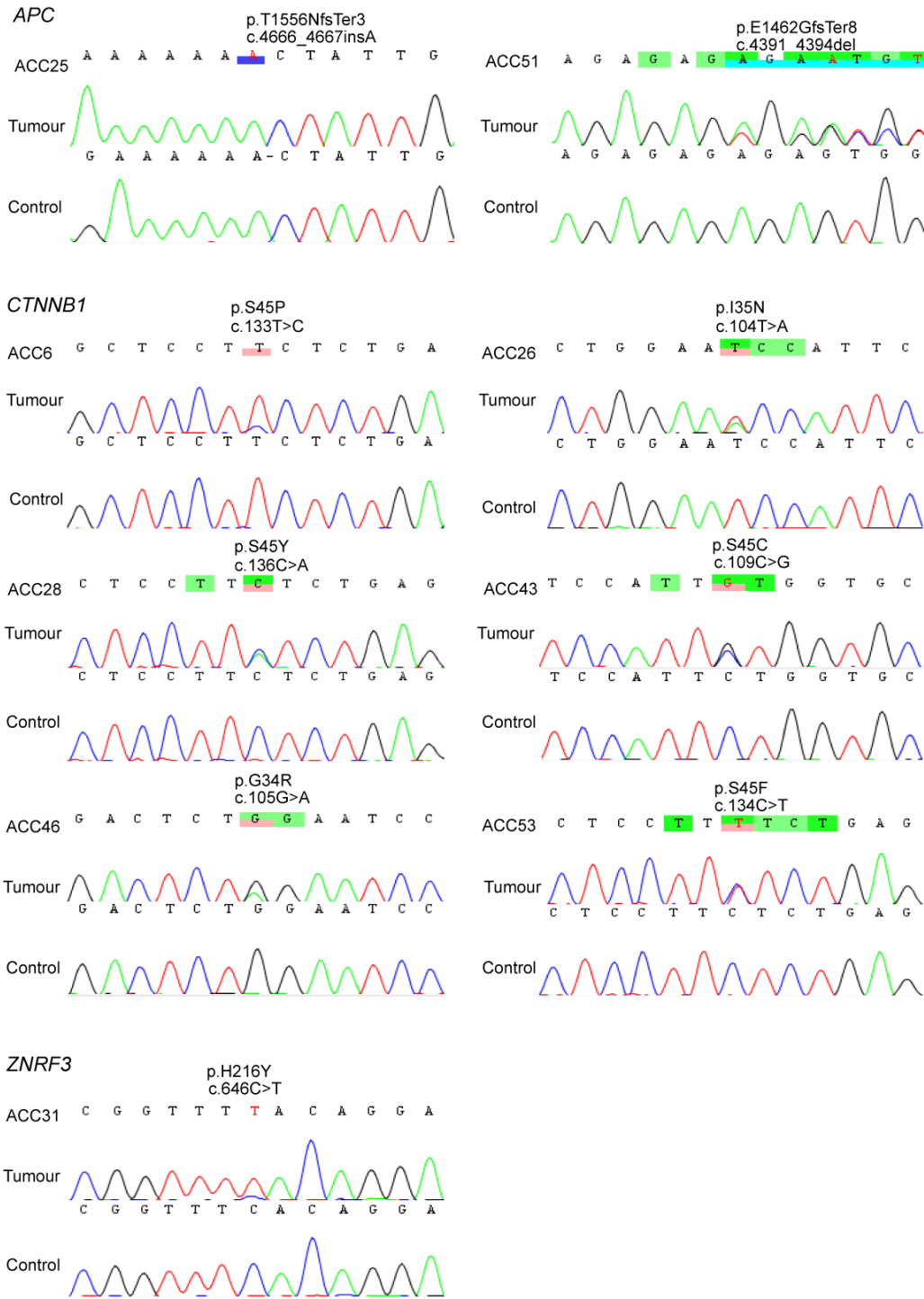
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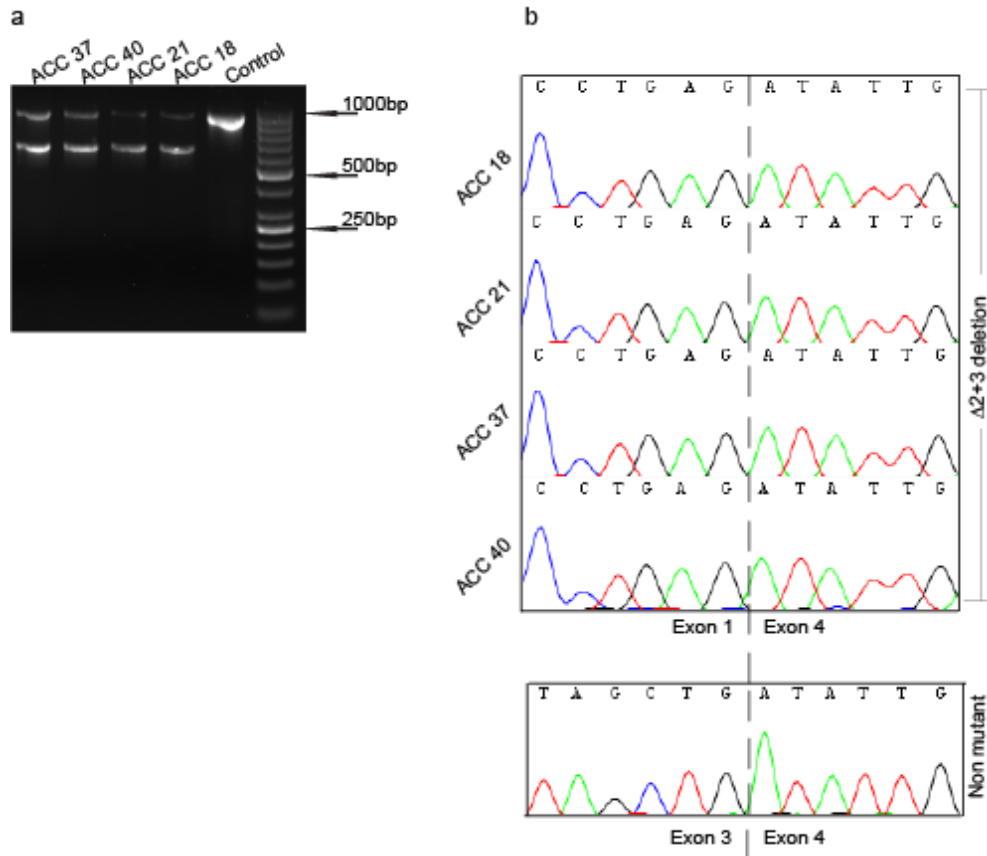
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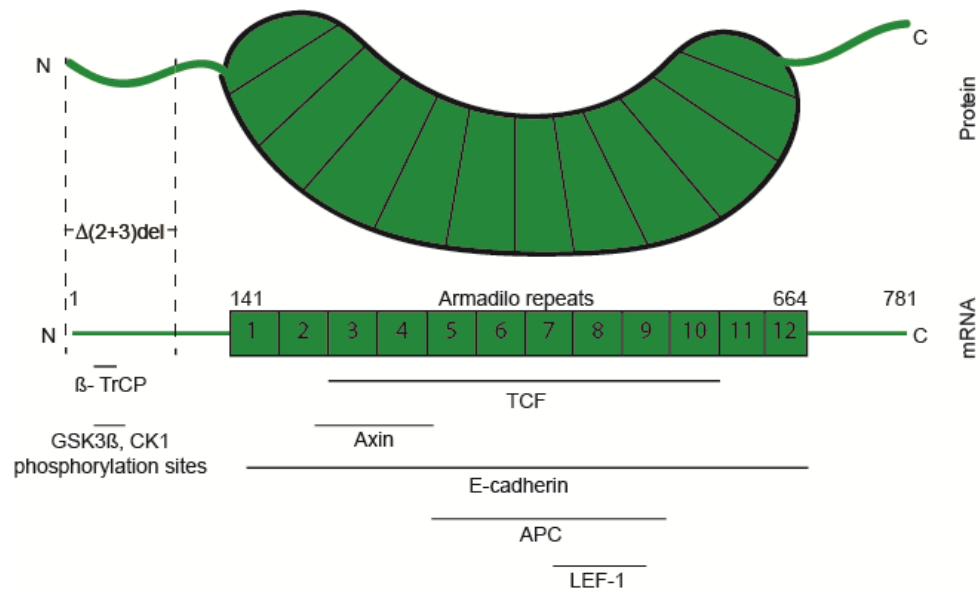
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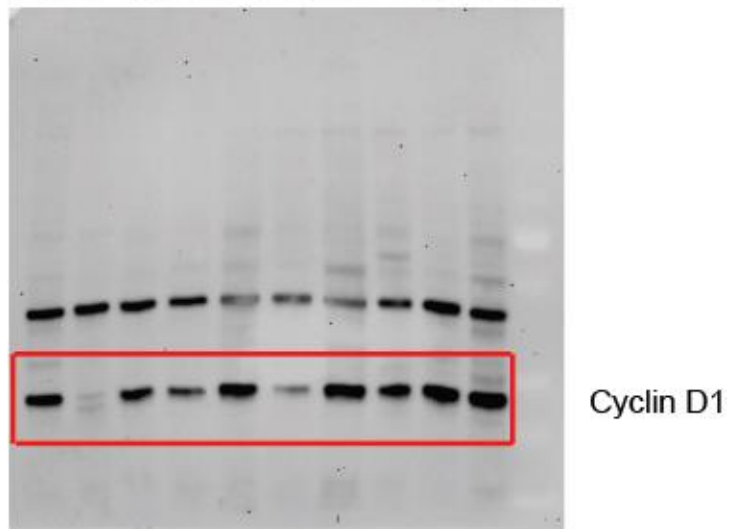
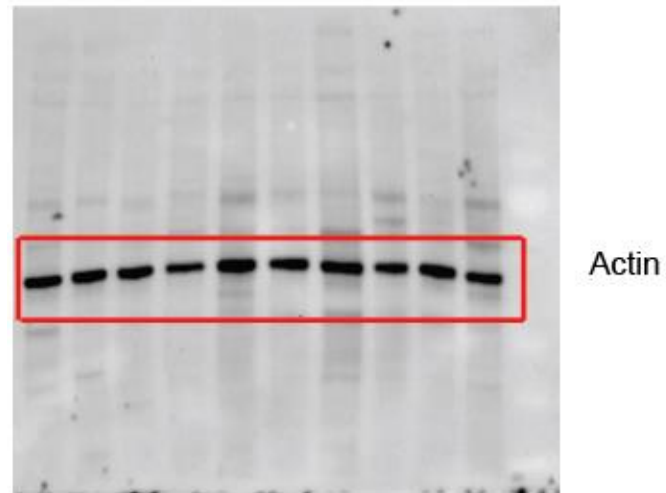
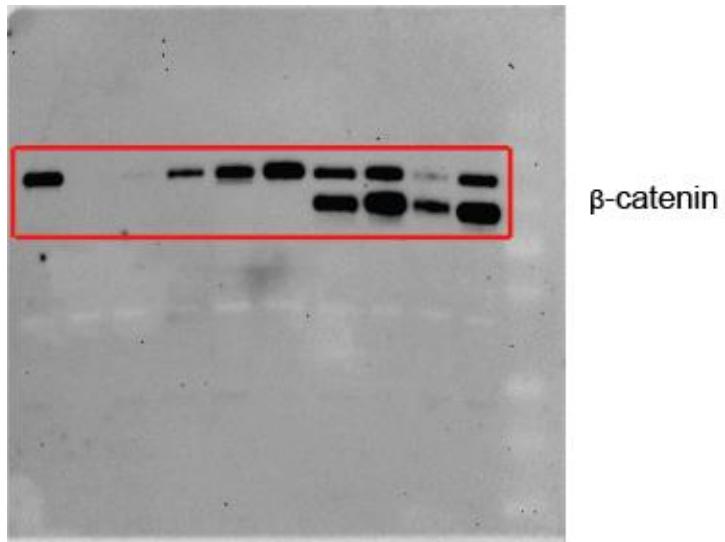
Supplementary Figure S1. Electropherogram showing *CTNNB1*, *ZNRF3* and *APC* mutations.



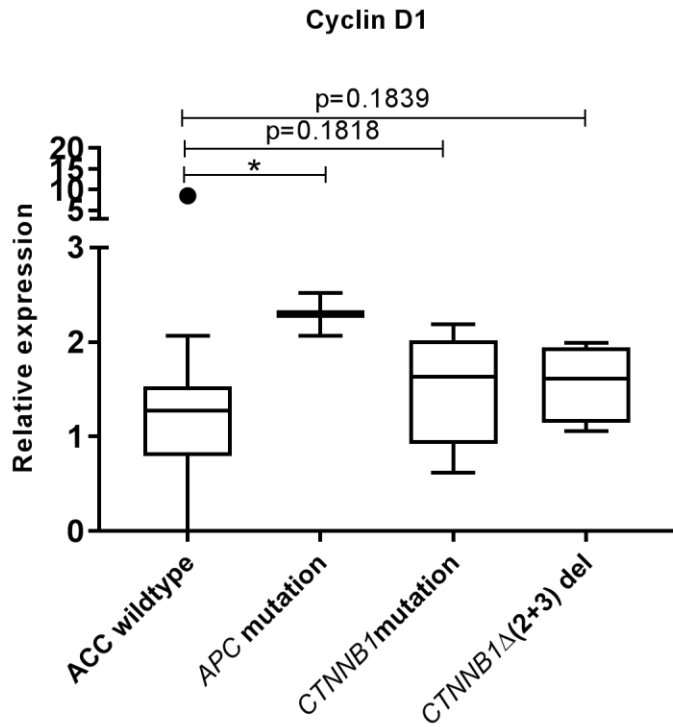
Supplementary Figure S3a) Gel electrophoresis on the cDNA. PCR products showing four ACC tumours with shorter product (630 bases) in addition to the wildtype product (920 bases). b) Electropherogram of ACC 18, ACC 21, ACC 37 and ACC 40 showing deletion of exon 2 and 3 in cDNA unlike non mutant control.



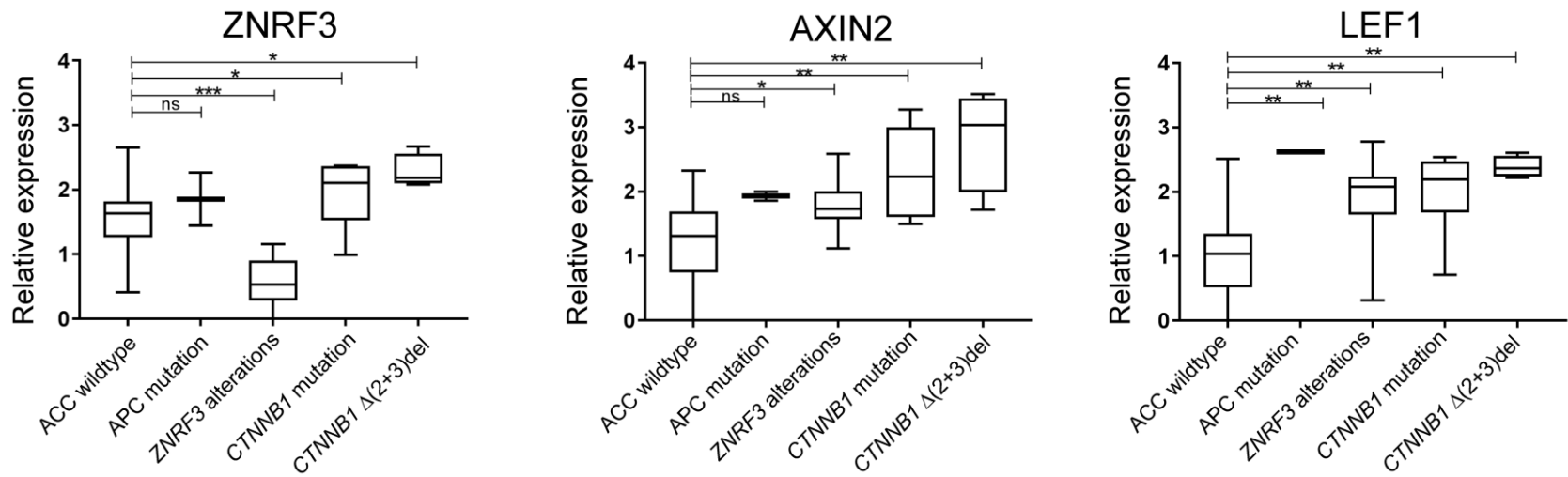
Supplementary Figure S4. Schematic illustration showing simplified β -Catenin mRNA and protein structure (based on crystal structure studies^{1,2}) with different binding regions and $\Delta(2+3)$ deletion site.



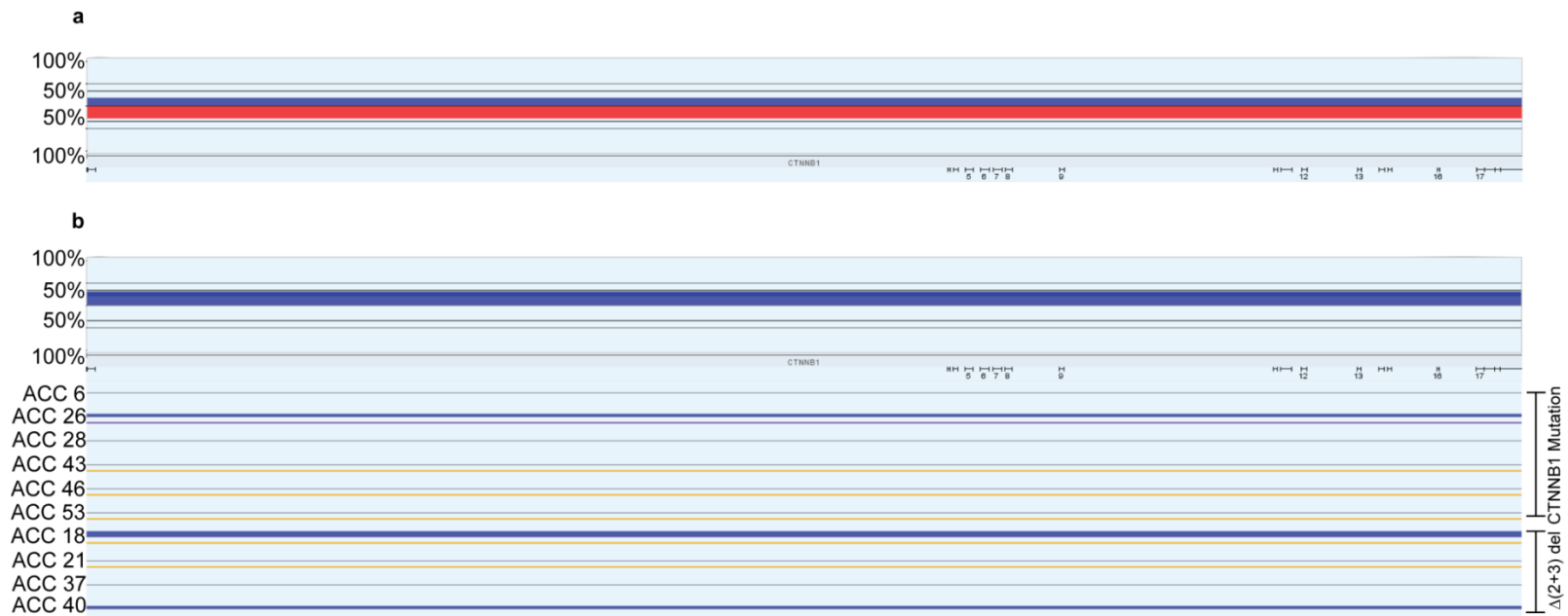
Supplementary Figure S5. Original Western blot for Figure 3a.



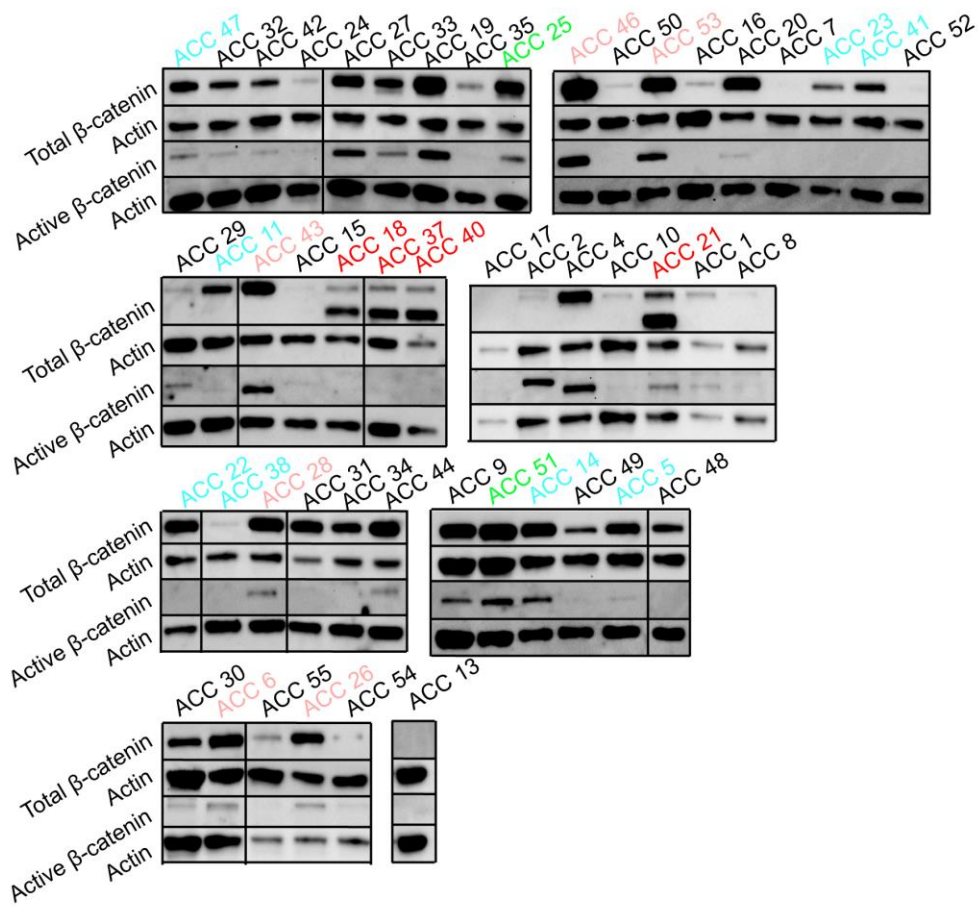
Supplementary Figure S6. mRNA expression of Cyclin D1 in tumour samples harboring *APC* mutation, *CTNNB1* mutation and Δ (2+3) deletion in comparison to rest of the cohort devoid of *CTNNB1* mutation or deletion (*, $p=0.0144$).



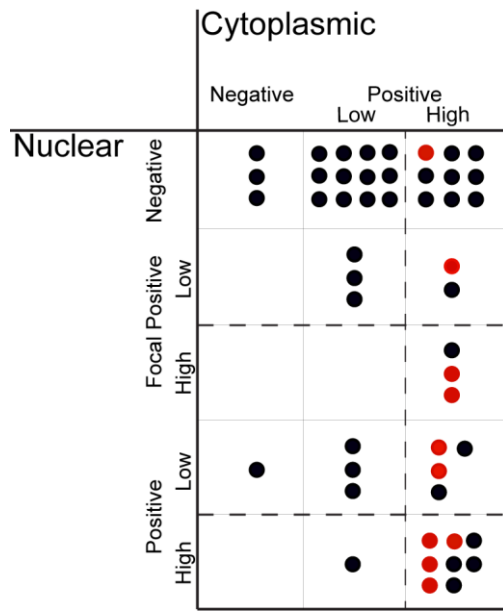
Supplementary Figure S7. mRNA expression of ZNRF3, AXIN2 and LEF1 in tumour samples harboring *APC* mutation, *ZNRF3* alterations, *CTNNB1* missense mutation and $\Delta(2+3)$ deletion in comparison to rest of the cohort (p values for AXIN2 and ZNRF3 for ACC wildtype vs *APC* mutation are 0.1239 and 0.5813 respectively).



Supplementary Figure S8. SNP array analysis showing a) summary of events at *CTNNB1* locus 3p22.1 in the tumours without *CTNNB1* mutations b) summary of events at *CTNNB1* locus 3p22.1 for tumours with *CTNNB1* missense mutation and $\Delta(2+3)$ deletion (top panel) followed by details of each mutant sample. In the figure; red represents loss, blue represents gain and tan yellow represents loss of heterozygosity.



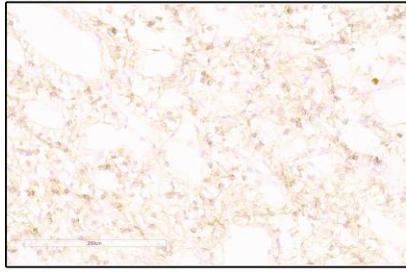
Supplementary Figure S9. Western blot on ACC tumours showing expression levels of total and active β -catenin and actin. The samples with APC mutation, *CTNNB1* missense mutation, *CTNNB1* $\Delta(2+3)$ deletion and *ZNR3* deletions are highlighted in green, pink, red and blue respectively. Uncropped original blots are shown in Supplementary Fig S16.



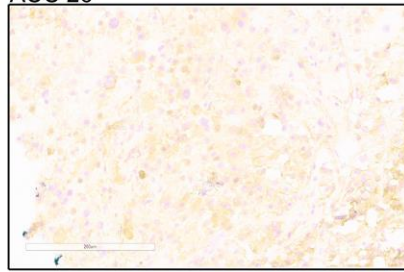
Supplementary Figure S10. Tumours grouped according to the immunohistochemical staining of β -catenin. *CTNNB1* mutants are marked in red and the rest of the samples are marked in black. The samples were scored and categorized as “negative” or “positive” for cytoplasmic staining and as “negative”, “focal positive” (heterogeneous) and “positive” for nuclear staining. For positive cases the nuclear and cytoplasmic staining intensity were scored manually ascending from 1+ to 5+. Samples with 1+ to 2+ scoring were grouped as “low” and those with 3+ to 5+ scoring were grouped as “high”.

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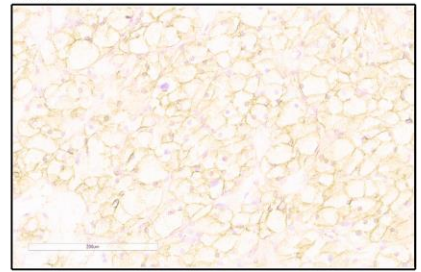
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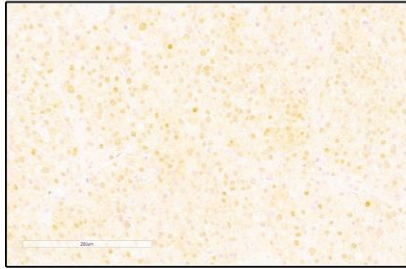
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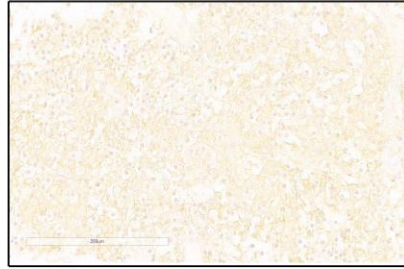
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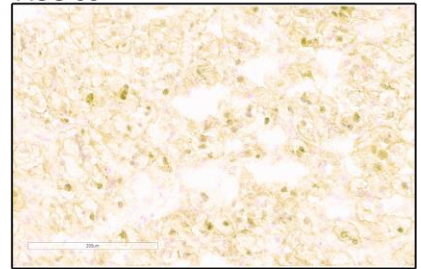
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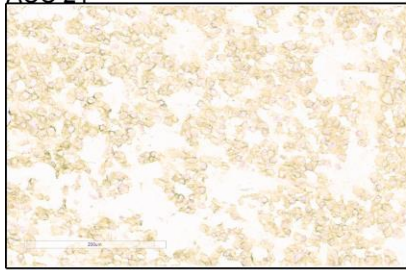
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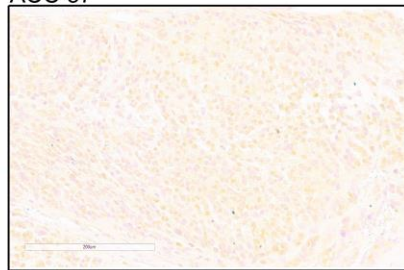
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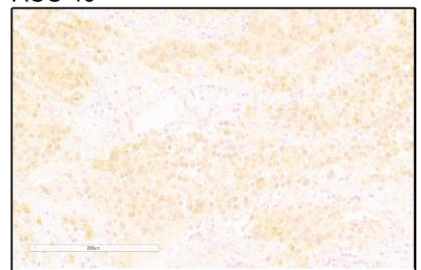
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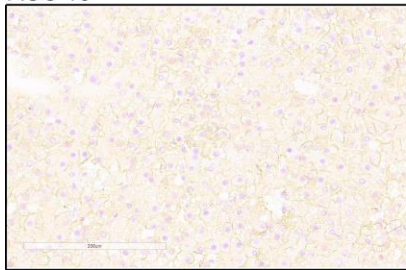


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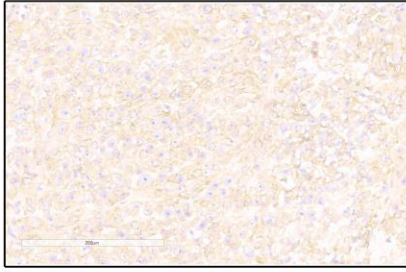
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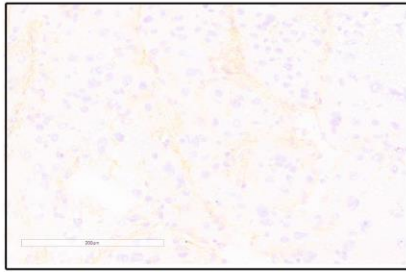


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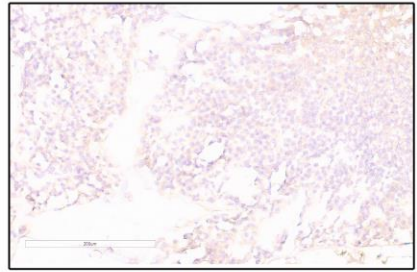
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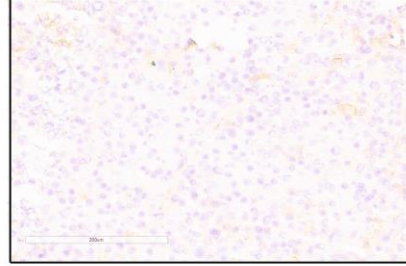
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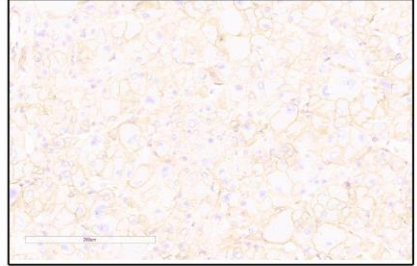
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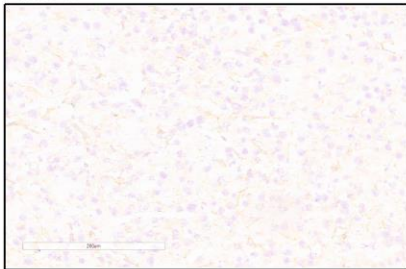
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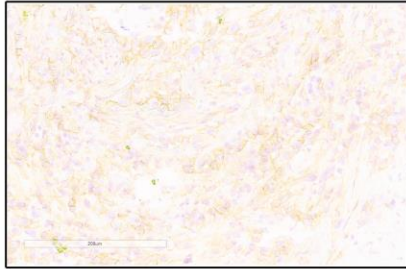
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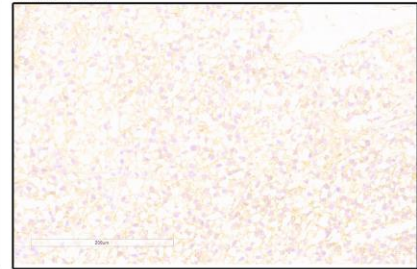
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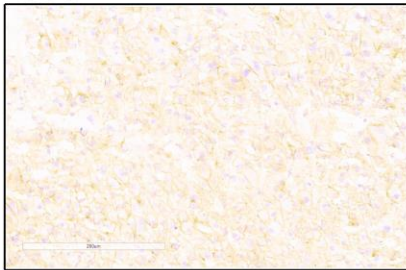
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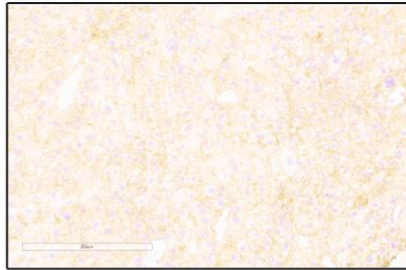
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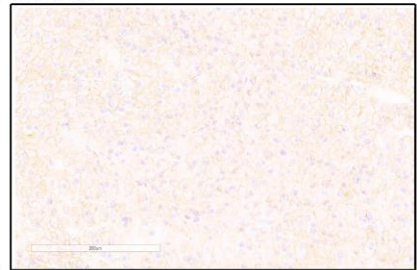
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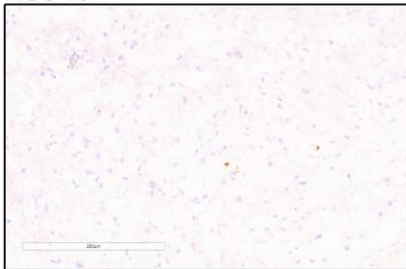
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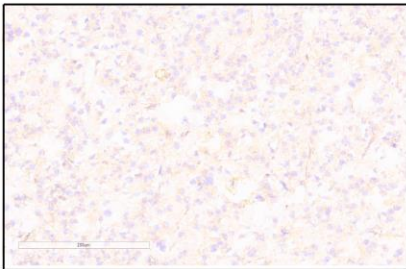
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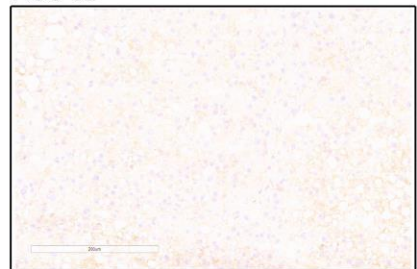
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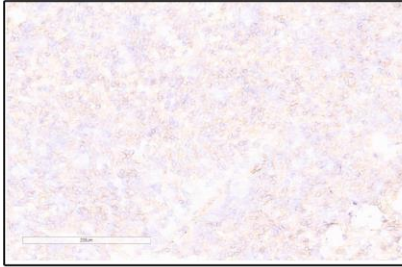
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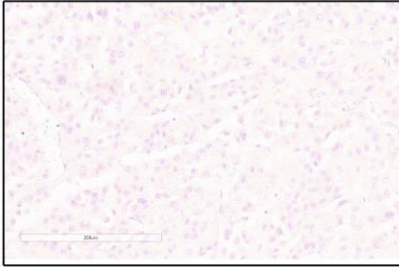
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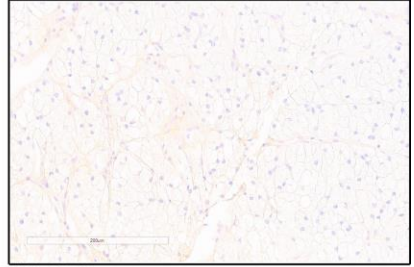
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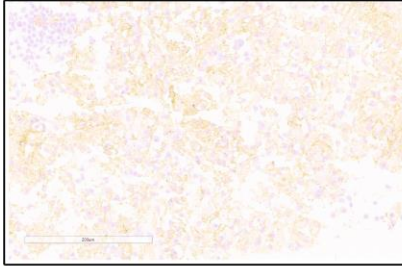
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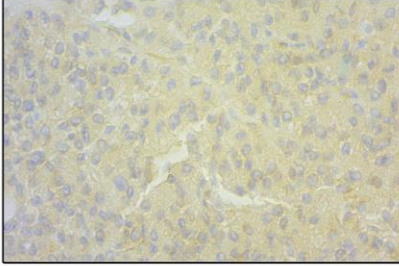
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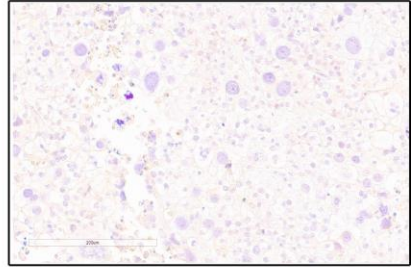
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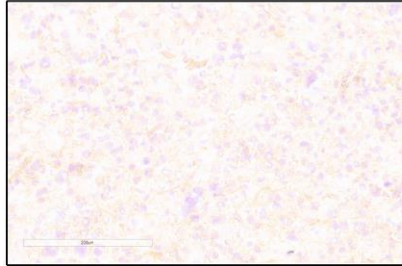
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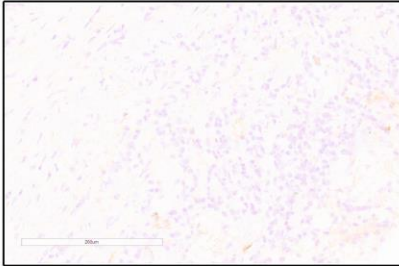
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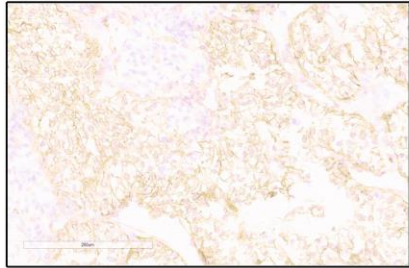


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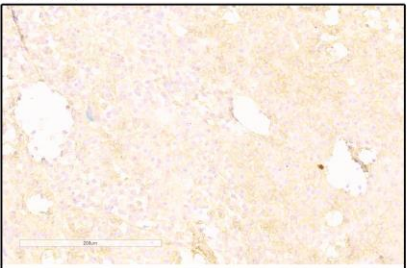


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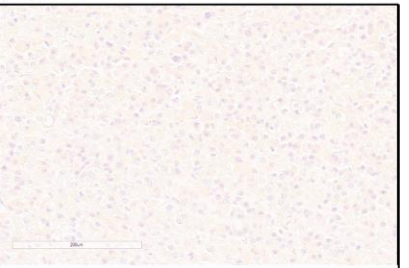
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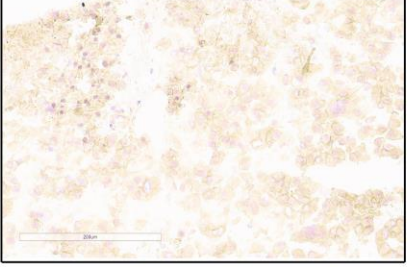
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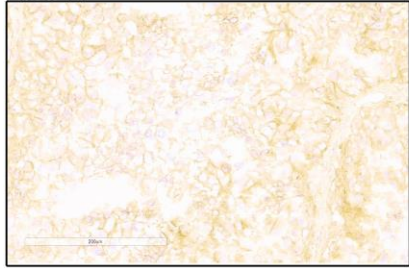
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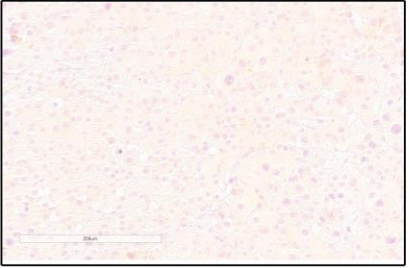
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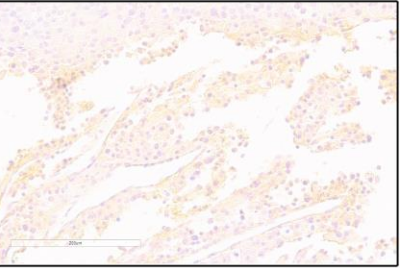
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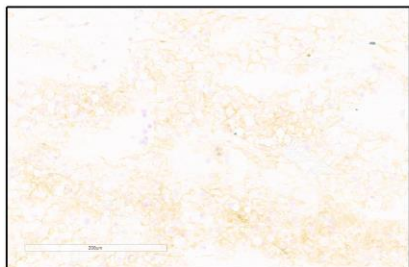
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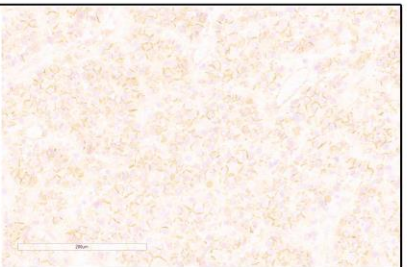
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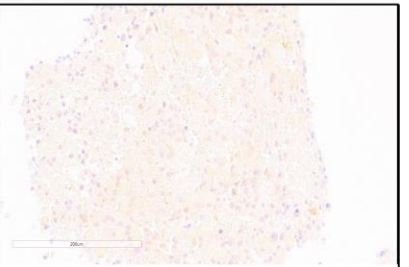
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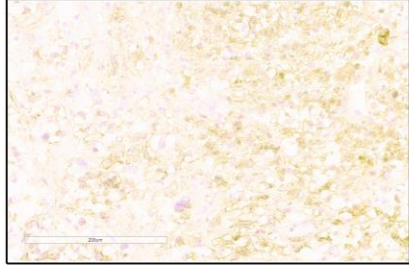
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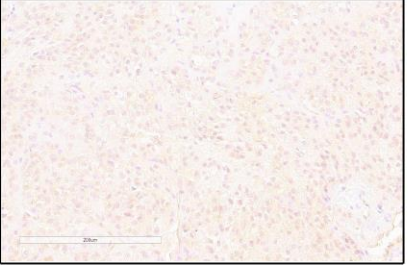
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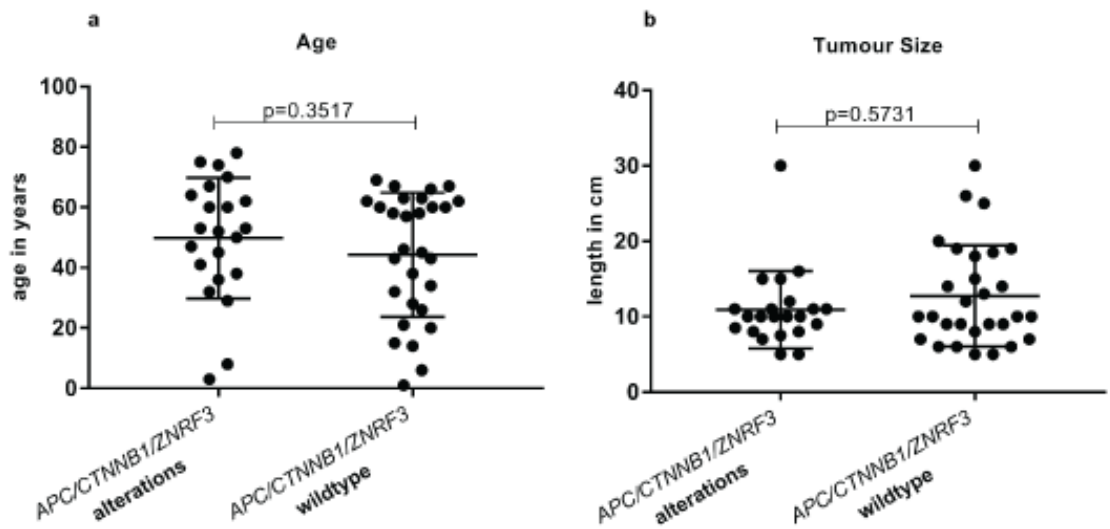


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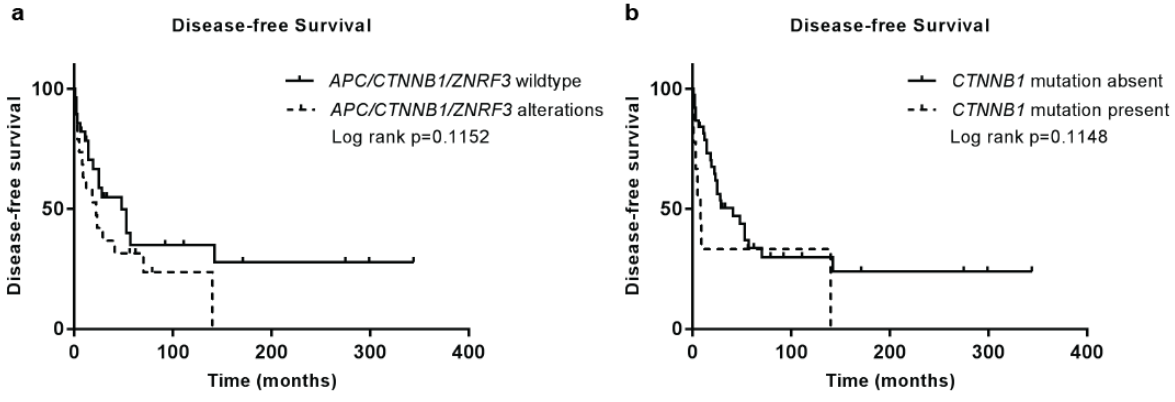


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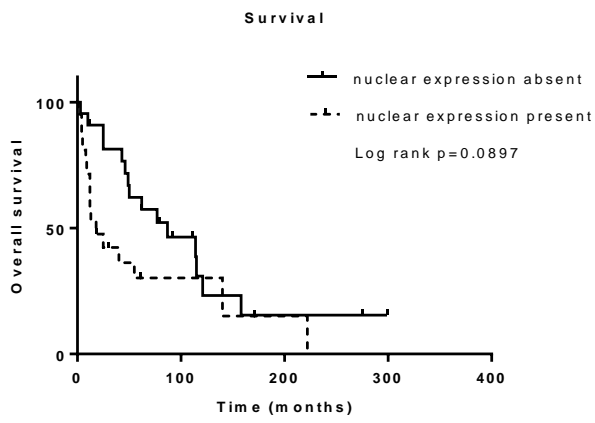
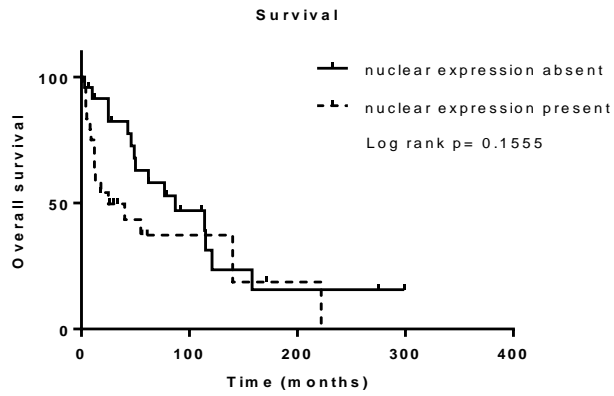




Supplementary Figure S13. a) Age at operation and b) tumour size comparison between group of tumours with *APC/CTNNB1/ZNRF3* alterations versus tumours wildtype for *APC/CTNNB1/ZNRF3*.



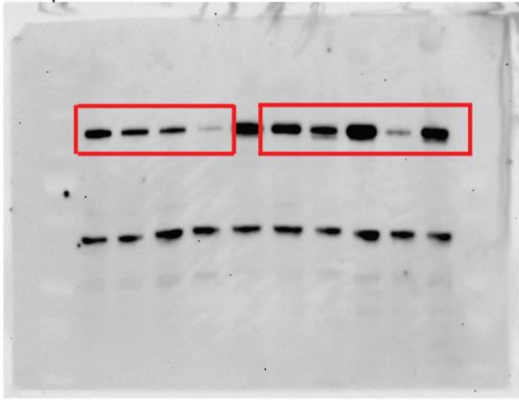
Supplementary Figure S14. Disease-free survival graph for a) patients with tumour harbouring *APC/CTNNB1/ZNRF3* alterations versus the wildtype b) patients with tumour harbouring *CTNNB1* mutations alone versus the wildtype.



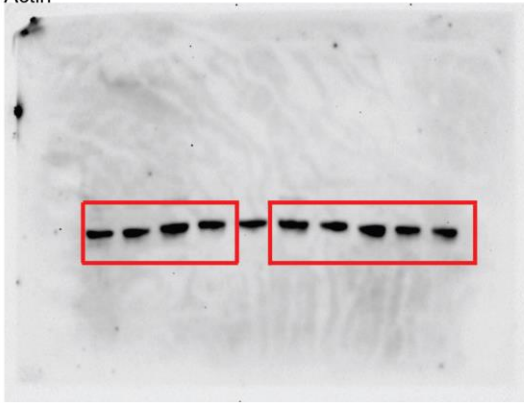
Supplementary Figure S15. Overall survival graph for patients with tumour showing nuclear expression of β -catenin versus those lacking the expression in whole cohort (top) and in adult ACC (bottom).

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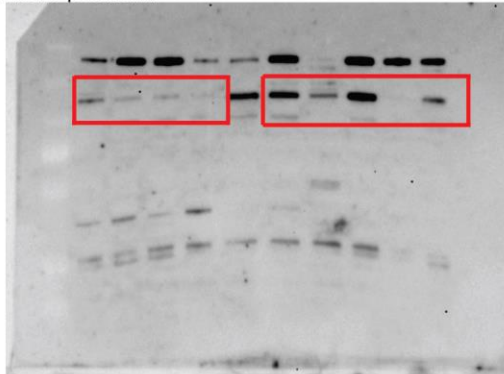
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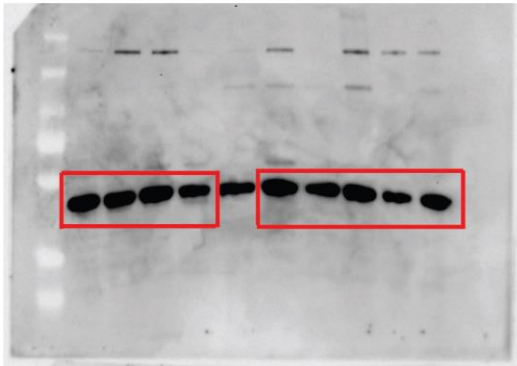
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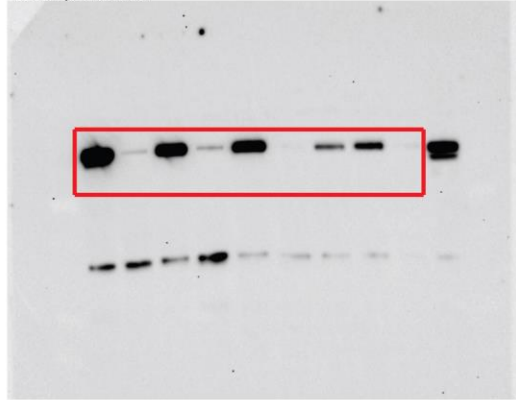


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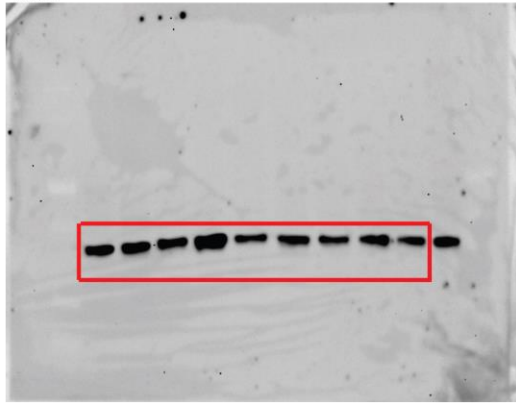


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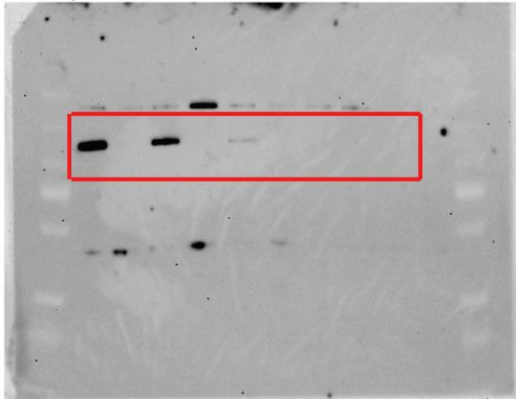
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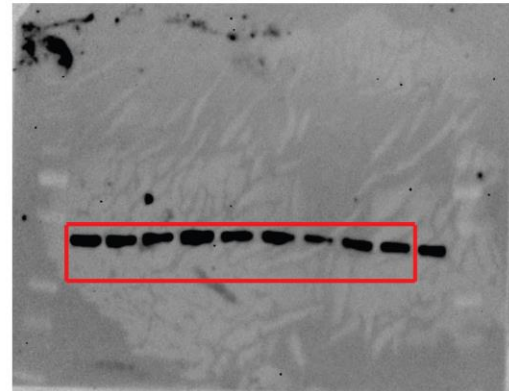
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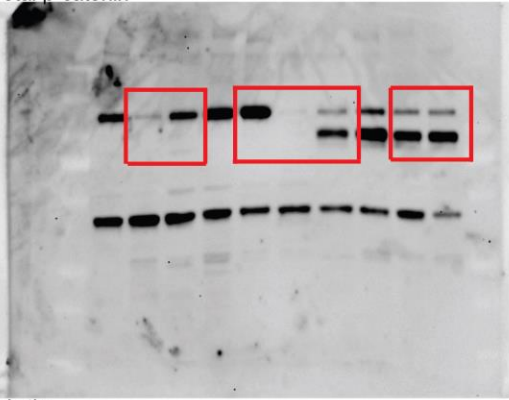


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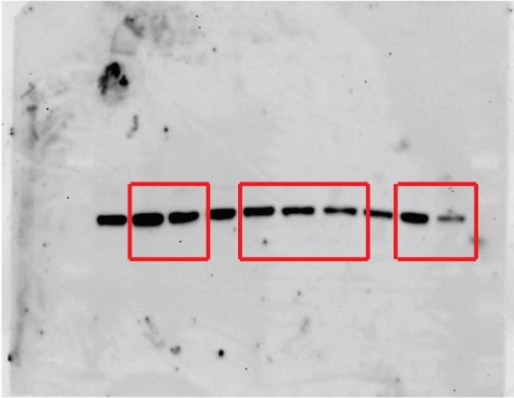


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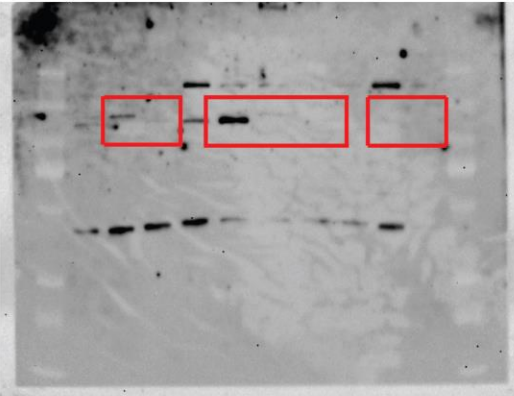
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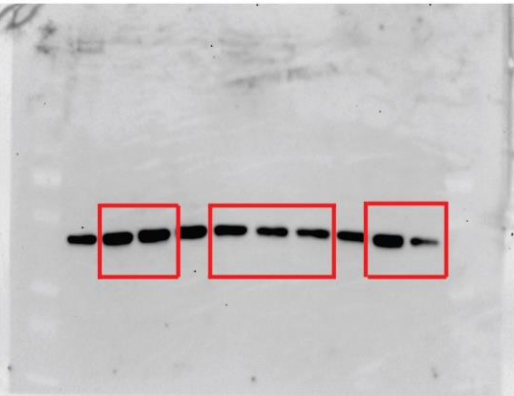
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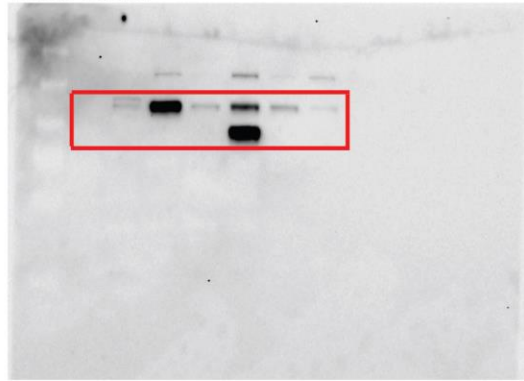


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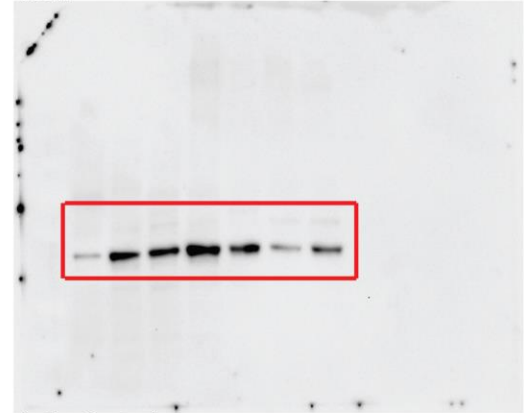


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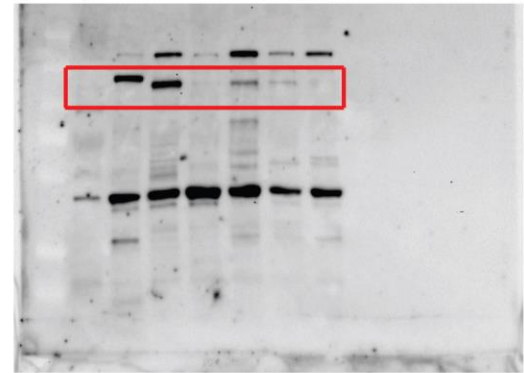
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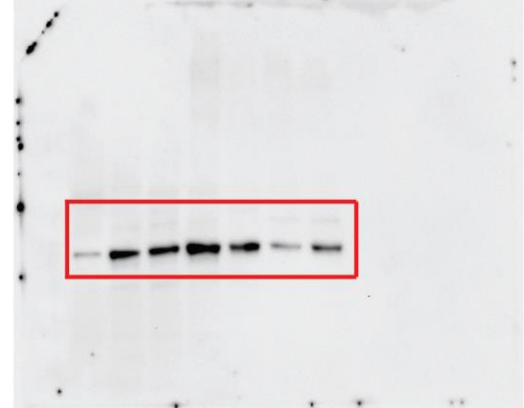
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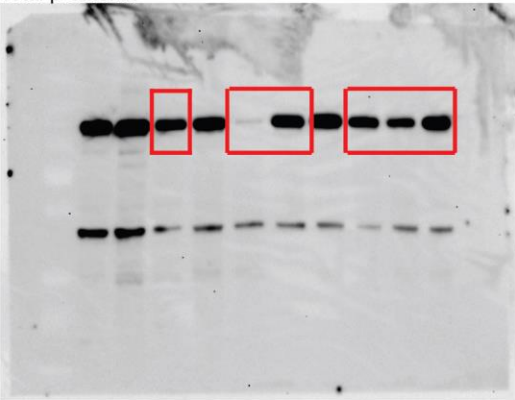


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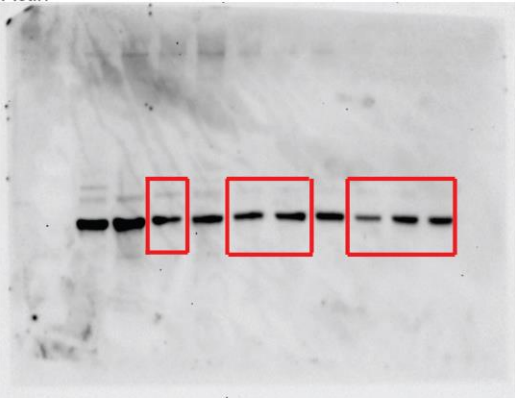


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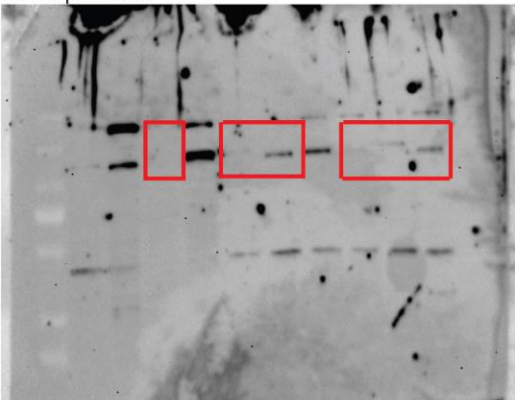
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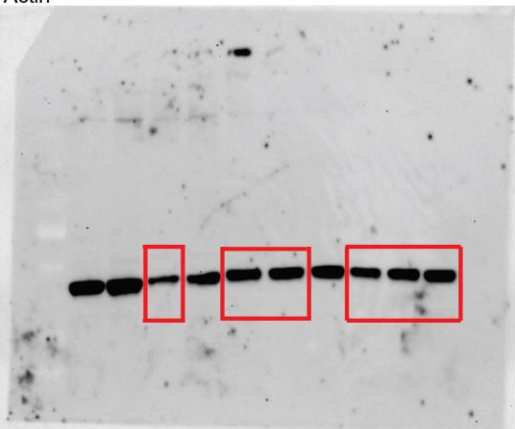
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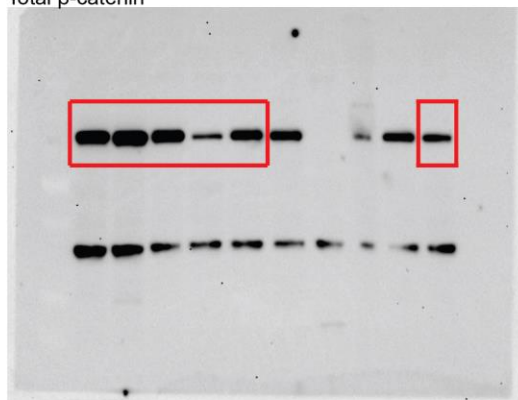


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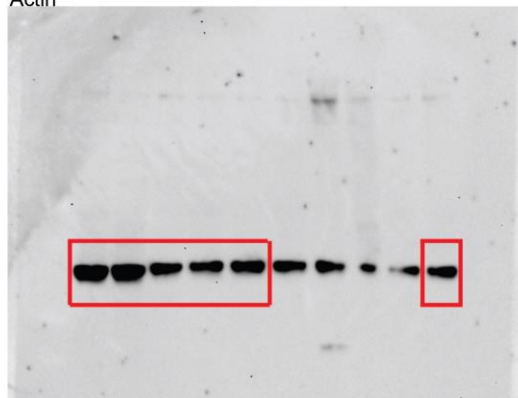


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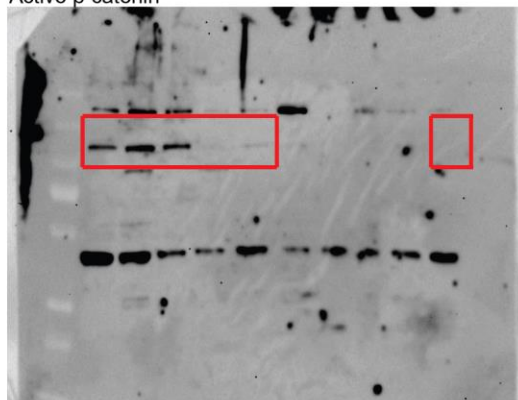
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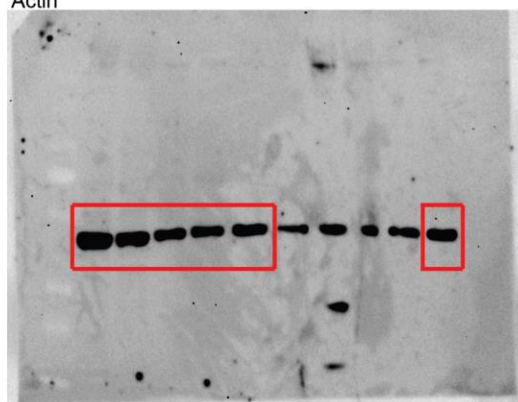
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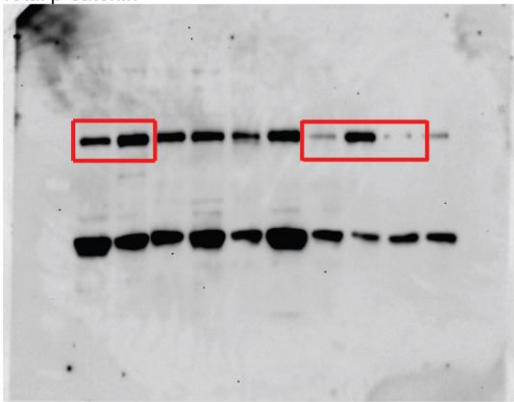
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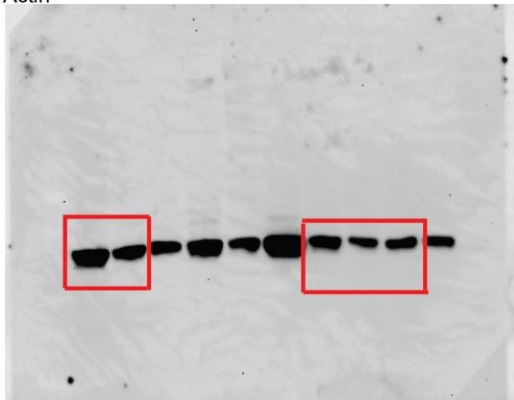
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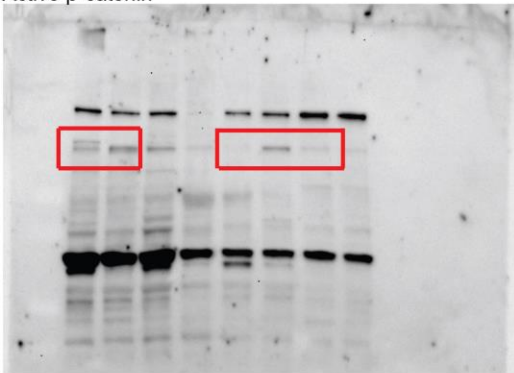
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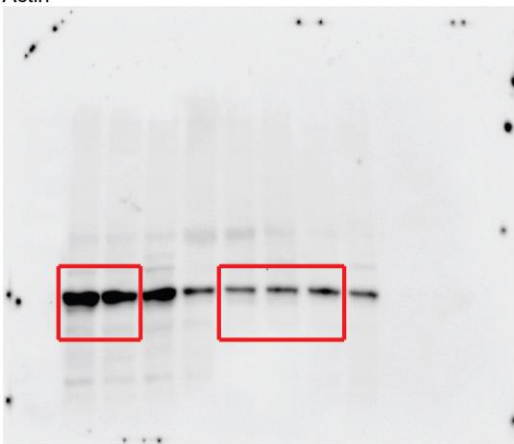
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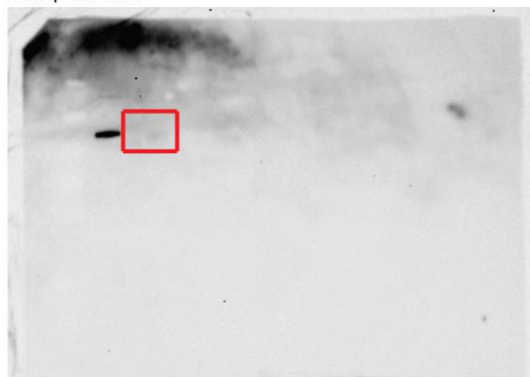
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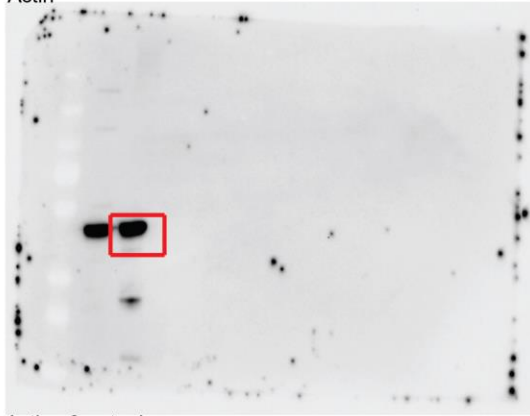
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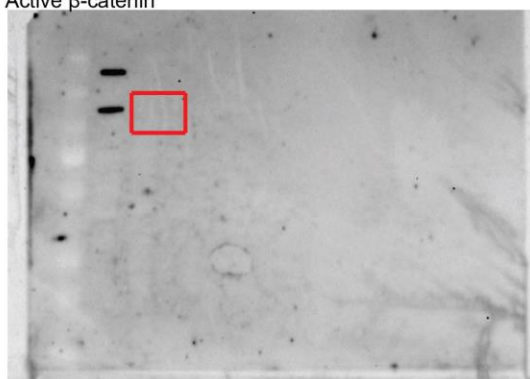
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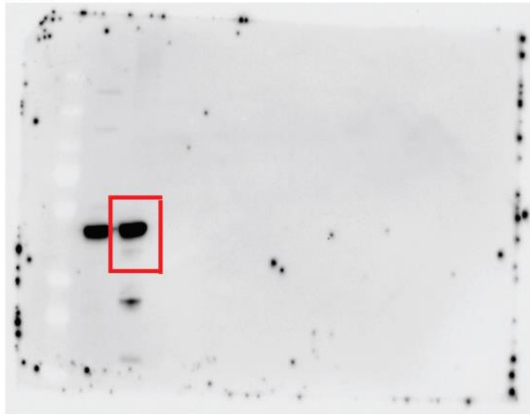
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Active β -catenin



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Supplementary Figure S16. Original blots for Supplementary Figure S9. The samples enclosed by the red box represent the samples included in Supplementary Figure S9. Panel 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8 in the figure corresponds to the panel comprising samples ACC 47 - ACC 25, ACC 46 - ACC 52, ACC 29 – ACC 40, ACC 17- ACC 8, ACC 22 - ACC 44, ACC 9 - ACC 48, ACC 30 – ACC 54, and ACC 13 in Supplementary Figure S9 respectively.

Supplementary Table S1: Missense mutation details						
Sample ID	<i>CTNNB1</i> mutation		Mutation Type	SIFT	Polyphen-2	PROVEAN
	cDNA	Protein				
ACC6	c.133T>C	p.S45P	Missense	Damaging (0)	Prob. Damaging (0.988)	Deleterious (-2.928)
ACC 26	c.104T>A	p.I35N	Missense	Damaging (0)	Prob. Damaging (1.00)	Deleterious (-5.175))
ACC 28	c.136C>A	p.S45Y	Missense	Damaging (0)	Prob. Damaging (0.999)	Deleterious (-3.620)
ACC 43	c.109C>G	p.S37C	Missense	Damaging (0)	Prob. Damaging (1.00)	Deleterious (-3.951)
ACC 46	c.105G>A	p.G34R	Missense	Damaging (0)	Prob. Damaging (1.00)	Deleterious (-6.200)
ACC 53	c.134C>T	p.S45F	Missense	Damaging (0)	Prob. Damaging (0.996)	Deleterious (-3.849)
Sample ID	<i>ZNRF3</i> mutation		Mutation Type	SIFT	Polyphen-2	PROVEAN
	cDNA	Protein				
ACC31	c.646C>T	p.H216Y	Missense	Damaging (0)	Prob.Damaging (0.999)	Deleterious (-5.577)
Sample ID	<i>APC</i> mutation		Mutation Type	SIFT	Polyphen-2	PROVEAN
	cDNA	Protein				
ACC25	c.4666_4667insA	p.T1556NfsTer3	Insertion	-	-	-
ACC51	c.4391_4394del	p.E1462GfsTer8	Deletion	-		

Supplementary Table S2: Primer used for detection of deletion in DNA	
ACC 18	
Fw primer	GCTTCACTGTATGTATGATC
Rw primer	CTGACTTTCAGTAAGGCAATG
ACC 21	
Fw primer	CTAGAACTTCTGGTGATATGG
Rw primer	CTGTGTAGATGGGATCTGC
ACC 37	
Fw primer	CTGCTAGTTTCACCATATCC
Rw primer	CTCACTATCCACAGTTCAGC
ACC 40	
Fw primer	CTGCTAGTTTCACCATATCC
Rw primer	CTGACTTTCAGTAAGGCAATG

Supplementary Table S3: Details of deletion mutation			
Sample	Deletion (genome)	Mutation(coding DNA)	Mutation(RNA)
ACC18	g.41217632_g.41224675del	c.-48-6389_163del	r.-48_241del
ACC21	g. 41220754_g.41224725delinsA	c.-48-3267_213del	r.-48_241del
ACC37	g. 41218557_g. 41224902delinsT	c.-48-5464_241-51del	r.-48_241del
ACC40	g.41218317_g.41224723del	c.-48-5704_211del	r.-48_241del
Transcript ID: ENST00000349496.9			

Supplementary Table S4. Analysis of sequences at deletion junctions.		
Sample	Deletion	Sequence at the site of deletion
ACC18	g.41217632_g.41224675del	CAAAGGGT <u>AG</u> ttaccttta.....cctgaggaag <u>AGGATGTGG</u>
ACC40	g.41218317_g.41224723del	TAATACAATA <u>cttgaattgc</u>caggatttt <u>CTCAGTCCTT</u>
ACC37	g. 41218557_g.41224902delinsT	GTAA <u>ACTAA</u> gagttgttt.....tagcaaata <u>CTTAG</u> GTAAA
ACC21	g.41220754_g.41224725delinsA	ATTATGAAT <u>Tg</u> ctagtataa.....gggattttct <u>CAG</u> TCCTTCA

Two of the samples harboring the $\Delta(2+3)$ deletion (ACC 18, ACC 40) displayed sequence microhomology whereas the other two samples (ACC 37, ACC 21) harbored reverse complement sequence at the breakpoint. The sequences in lowercase font depict the deleted regions and the uppercase font on the left and right depict deletions start and end sites. The microhomologous sequences are underlined whereas the reverse complement sequences are bold and underlined. The samples harboring reverse complement sequences also had similar patterns of deletion where an additional nucleotide was inserted at the breakpoint, unlike the ones displaying microhomology that harbored a defined breakpoint.

Supplementary Table S5: Sequence at deletion site.	
ACC18	
	deletion start
CAAAGGGTAG	TTACTTTTA
CCTGAGGAAG	AGGATGTGGA
deletion end	
ACC21	
	deletion start
ATTATGAATT	GCTAGTATAAAA
GGGATTTTCT	CAGTCCTTCACT
deletion end	
ACC37	
	deletion start
GTAAACTAA	GAGTTGTTTT
TAGCAATAC	TTAGGTAAAT
deletion end	
ACC40	
	deletion start
TAATACAATA	CTTGAATTGC
CAGGATTTT	CTCAGTCCTT
deletion end	

Several small identical (flanking microhomology), complement or reverse complement sequences near the breakpoints were observed. Similar sequence are highlighted in red, reverse complement sequence in green and complementary sequence in blue

Supplementary Table S6: Nucleotide percentile in Deletion start site

Tumours	Nos. (T)	Nos. (A)	Nos. (G)	Nos. (C)	AT(percent)
ACC18	36T	34A	17G	13C	70%
ACC21	43T	30A	20G	07C	73%
ACC 37	31T	35A	21G	13C	72%
ACC 40	47T	25A	11G	17C	72%

Supplementary Table S7. Cohort details

ACC case	Mutations	Gene	Nuclear Accumulation	Age	Gender	Event (OS) (yr/mnth)	DFS (yr/mnth)	Tumour Size(cm)	TNM	ENSAT Stage	Hormone Production
1	No		NA	32	M	28 y/8 m	28 y/8 m	7x5x5	T2 N0 M0	II	Cortisol
2	No		NA	60	F	† 11 y/10 m	†11y10m	9x8x6	T2 N0 M0	II	None
3	No		NA	45	F	† 1 y/2 m	†1y/2 m	10x6x3	T2 N0 M0	III	Cortisol
4	No		+	66	F	† 18 y/6 m	†4y/5m	7x6	T2 N0 M0	II	None
5	No		-	53	F	† 7 y/3 m	†2y/5m	4.5x7.5x10	T3 N0 M0	III	Androgen
6	c.133T>C	<i>CTNNB1</i>	+	32	F	† 8 m	†8m	8x6	T2 N0 M0	II	None
7	No		-	60	M	† 5 y/2 m	†4y	20x20	T2 N0 M0	II	Cortisol+Aldosteron
8	No		-	21	M	† 3 y/10 m	†6m	18.5x14x10	T2 N0 M0	II	Androgen
9	No		-	20	F	24 y/11 m	24y/11 m	5x5	T1 N0 M0	I	Androgen
10	No		+	69	F	† 1 y	†11m	30x25x20	T3 N1 M0	III	None
11	No		+	45	F	† 4 y/7 m	†3y/5m	9x5x4	T2 N0 M0	II	Cortisol+Androgen
12	No		+	60	F	† 3 y/4 m	†1y	9x9x10	T3N1M0	III	Androgen
13	No		-	63	F	† 2 y/3m	†2y/3m	6.5x5x9	T3N1M0	III	Cortisol
14	No		+	36	F	† 1 y/6 m	†1y/6 m	8.5x7x11	T3 N1 M0	III	None
15	No		-	46	M	† 4 y/2 m	†2y/4m	12x14	T3 N1 M0	III	Cortisol
16	No		-	58	F	22 y/8 m	22 y/8 m	5x5.5x6	T2 N0 M0	II	None
17	No		-	38	F	† 2 y/1 m	†2 y/1 m	10 x 5	T3 N0 M0	III	None
18	c.-48-6389_163del	<i>CTNNB1</i>	-	29	F	† 3 y/7 m	†9m	11x10x7	T2 N0 M0	II	Cortisol+Androgen
19	No		+	NA	F	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
20	No		+	62	M	† 2 y/1 m	†1y/2m	6x4x5	T3 N0 M0	III	Cortisol
21	c.-48-3267_213del	<i>CTNNB1</i>	+	41	M	† 1 y	†5m	15x11x8	T3 N0 M0	III	Cortisol
22	No		-	52	M	† 4 y/1 m	†1y/10m	5x3.5	T3 N0 M0	III	Cortisol+Aldosterone
23	No		+	70	M	† 5 m	-	10x7x5	T4 N0 M1	IV	Androgen
24	No		-	26	F	† 10 y/1 m	-	10x14	T4 N0 M1	IV	Cortisol+Androgen

25	c.4666_4667insA	APC	-	47	F	I 6y/5 m	†5y/10m	5x5	T1 N0 M0	I	None
26	c.104T>A	CTNNB1	+	74	F	I 11y/8 m	†11y/8 m	16x15x12	T4 N0 M0	III	Cortisol+Androgen
27	No		-	67	M	I 9 y/6 m	†1y/7m	25x17x11	T3 N0 M0	III	None
28	c.136C>A	CTNNB1	+	60	F	I 11 y/8 m	†11 y/8	7.5x7.5	T2 N0 M0	II	Cortisol+Androgen
29	No		+	34	M	14 y/3 m	14 y/3 m	15x15	T2 N0 M0	II	None
30	No		-	62	F	I 13 y/2 m	†4y/9m	18x18x10	T2 N0 M0	II	None
31	c.646C>T	ZNRF3	-	62	M	I 9 y/7 m	†4y/5m	15x13x9	T2 N0 M0	II	Cortisol
32	No		-	60	M	I 10 m	†1m	5.5x5.5x6	T4 N0 M0	III	Cortisol
33	No		-	15	F	9 y/3 m	9y/3m	9x8x6	T2 N0 M0	II	Androgen
34	No		-	58	M	7 y/8 m	7y/8m	10x8x6	T2 N0 M0	II	None
35	No		-	57	F	I 3 m	†2m	19x9x10	T2 N0 M0	II	Cortisol+Androgen
37	c.-48-5464_241-51del	CTNNB1	+	78	M	I 4 m	-	9x9x10	T2 N0 M1	IV	Cortisol+Aldosterone
38	No		-	75	M	6y/7m	6y/7m	30x20x8	T2 N0 M0	II	Cortisol
40	c.-48-	CTNNB1	+	38	F	I 13 m	†3m	12x8x5	T4 N0 M0	III	None
41	No		-	64	F	5 y/2 m	5y/2m	11x9x8	T4 N0 M0	III	Cortisol+Androgen
42	No		+	28	M	I 4 m	-	10x10x6.5	T4 N0 M1	IV	Cortisol+Aldosterone
43	c.109C>G	CTNNB1	+	3	M	4 y/8 m	4y/8m	7x4.5x4.5	NA	III	Cortisol+Androgen
44	No		+	67	F	5 y/1 m	†3m	13x10.5x7	NA	III	None
46	c.105G>A	CTNNB1	+	67	F	I 1 y	†1m	8.5x5x5	T3 N1 M0	III	Cortisol
47	No		+	50	F	I 9 m	†3m	8x8x6	T4 N0 M0	IV	Cortisol
48	No		+	6	F	2 y/9 m	2y/9m	9x8x12	T3 N0 M0	II	Cortisol+Androgen
49	No		+	63	M	2 y/6 m	2 y/6 m	26x15x14	T3 N0 M0	III	Androgen
50	No		-	1	F	2 y/4 m	2y/4m	6x8x6.5	T4 N0 M0	III	Androgen
51	c.4391_4394del	APC	+	8	M	2 y/1 m	†1y/11m	11x8.5x8	T2 N0 M0	II	Cortisol
52	No		-	14	F	7m	7m	5x5x4	T1 N0 M0	I	Cortisol+Androgen
53	c.134C>T	CTNNB1	+	53	F	I 1 m	†1m	10x6x4	T4 N0 M0	III	Cortisol
54	No		+	43	F	1 y/8 m	†2m	9x8x7	T3 N1 M0	III	Cortisol
55	No		-	43	M	1 y/2 m	1y	19x14x12	T3 N0 M0	III	Cortisol

I : Deceased; †:Recurrence; F/M: Female/male; NA: Not Available; TNM : Tumour Node Metastasis

Supplementary Table S8						
		Age at operation	tumour size	Female;male	Cortisol producing	ENSAT stage
		(median in yrs)	(median length in cm)			III+IV; I+II
<i>APC/CTNNB1/ZNRF3</i> alterations	n= 22	52.5 (n=22)	10 (n= 22)	14;8 (n=22)	15 (n=22)	14;8 (n=22)
<i>APC/CTNNB1/ZNRF3</i> wildtype	n= 30	46 (n=29)	10 (n=29)	17;12 (n=29)	14 (n=29)	15;14 (n=29)
				$\chi^2=0.005$ p=0.9412	$\chi^2=1.291$ p=0.2559	$\chi^2=0.320$ p=0.5719
Nuclear accumulation	n=25	51.5 (n=24)	10 (n=24)	15;9 (n=24)	14 (n=24)	17;7 (n=24)
No nuclear accumulation	n=24	52.5 (n=24)	10 (n=24)	14;10 (n=24)	13 (n=24)	11;13 (n=24)
		p=0.5159	p=0.8097	$\chi^2=0.087$ p=0.7679	$\chi^2=0.085$ p=0.7711	$\chi^2=2.143$ p=0.1432
Active β - catenin expression	n=30	46 (n=29)	9 (n=29)	18;11 (n=29)	16 (n=29)	16;13 (n=29)
lack of active β - catenin expression	n=16	58 (n=16)	10 ((n=16)	9;7 (n=16)	9 (n=16)	8;16 (n=16)
		p=0.3744	p=0.5059	$\chi^2=0.004$ p=0.9493	$\chi^2=0.005$ p=0.0.9445	$\chi^2=1.723$ p=0.1893
Cohort	n=52	52 (n=51)	10 (n=51)	31;20 (n=51)	29 (n=51)	29;22 (n=51)

Supplementary Table S9. Cox regression analysis for overall survival				
Univariate analysis				
	Cohort (n=51)		Cohort – childhood ACC (n=46)	
	HR (95% CI)	P value	HR (95% CI)	P value
Age at operation	1.012 (0.994 – 1.032)	0.203	1.006 (0.986 – 1.,027	0.578
Cortisol production	1.763 (0.873 – 3.559)	0.114	1.890 (0.939– 3.806)	0.074
ENSAT staging (I/II vs II/IV)	4.076 (1.798 – 9.244)	0.001	4.160 (1.832 – 9.448)	0.001
Gender	1.037 (0.510 – 2.108)	0.919	0.993 (0.491 – 2.025)	0.993
Size	1.009 (0.954 – 1.068)	0.752	1.003 (0.948 -1.062)	0.907
<i>APC/CTNNB1/ZNRF3</i> alteration	2.493 (1.211-5.131)	0.013	2.481 (1.206-5.107)	0.014
Multivariate analysis				
	Cohort (n=51)		Cohort – childhood ACC (n=46)	
	HR (95% CI)	P value	HR (95% CI)	P value
Grading	3.480 (1.528-7.927)	0.003	3.604 (1.589-8.174)	0.002
<i>APC/CTNNB1/ZNRF3</i> alteration	1.976 (0.949-4.113)	0.069	2.028 (0.979-4.201)	0.057

Supplementary Table S10

Supplementary Table S10		
<i>CTNNB1</i>	DNA primers	
	Exon 3	
	Fw primer	CAATGGGTCATATCACAGATTCTT
	Rw primer	CTGTGTAGATGGGATCTGC
	Exon 5	
	Fw primer	GCTCAAGGGGAGTAGTTTCAGA
	Rw primer	TCCACTGGTGAAGTGGGAAG
	cDNA Primers	
	Fw primer	GAAGGTCTGAGGAGCAGCTTC
	Rw primer	ACAACACAGAATCCACTGGTG
<i>ZNRF3</i>	DNA primers	
	Exon 2	GGGTTGAAAACTGTCCCA
		CCACCTCATGCAACTCAGC
	Exon 3	GATTGCCAAGGCCAACTTT
		GGGACAAGCCAAGCTACTA
	Exon 4	CTGGAGGATTCCAGACAGGT
		GGGTATGCCAGCATTCAGA
	Exon 5	GATAGCCCATGTGCCGCTTA
		GCTGTGAGGCTCCATGTTGC
	Exon 6	GTCTGCCTGTCCCAGTGAAT
		CCTTCTAGGTCTTGGGCACC
	Exon 7	GCTGTGCAGAACTCCTTGG
		GAGTGTTCCCAAGCCTGCG
	Exon 8a	GCCTCTGACACCAGTATGCT
		CTACCACAGAGTCACTGGAG
	Exon 8b	GCTTCAGCTGCTATCACGGC
		GTCCTGGGCAAATGGTCGG
	Exon 8c	TGGCAGCAGCACCTTGTTT
		GGCCAGGCTGAGGAGTAACC
	Exon 9	TTGCCTGGTCCCATGTGTGG
	TGGGTTGACAAGGAGGGCTC	

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