

## Supplementary Data for

### Aggressive B-cell Lymphoma with MYC/TP53 Dual Alterations Displays Distinct Clinicopathobiological Features and Response to Novel Targeted Agents

**Supplementary Table S1.** Clinicopathologic characteristics of patients with *de novo* DLBCL with dual MYC/TP53 aberrations

	Total N	Myc <sup>high</sup> Mut-TP53 n (% of total N)	P	Myc <sup>high</sup> p53 <sup>high</sup> n (% of total N)	P	MYC-R Mut-TP53 n (% of total N*)	P	Total N*
<b>Patients</b>	480	69 (14.4)		78 (16.5)		15 (4.7)		320
<b>Sex</b>								
F	198	28 (14.1)	1.0	35 (17.7)	.53	5 (3.7)	.60	136
M	282	41 (14.5)		43 (15.2)		10 (5.4)		184
<b>Age, years</b>								
≤ 60	171	25 (14.6)	.89	25 (14.6)	.52	7 (6.5)	.27	107
> 60	309	44 (14.2)		53 (17.2)		8 (3.8)		213
<b>Stage</b>								
I - II	216	27 (12.5)	.19	30 (13.9)	.14	4 (3.0)	.19	134
III-IV	246	42 (17.1)		48 (19.5)		11 (6.4)		173
<b>B symptom</b>								
Yes	132	16 (12.1)	.37	21 (15.9)	.78	7 (6.9)	.40	102
No	282	45 (16.0)		49 (17.4)		8 (4.0)		198
<b>LDH level</b>								
Normal	165	24 (14.5)	1.0	25 (14.3)	.60	2 (1.8)	.05	114
Elevated	268	39 (14.6)		47 (26.0)		12 (7.1)		168
<b>ECOG performance status</b>								
< 2	357	52 (14.6)	.84	57 (16.0)	.13	6 (2.6)	.58	228
≥ 2	57	7 (12.3)		14 (24.6)		1 (3.3)		31
<b>Extranodal sites</b>								
0 - 1	357	46 (13.4)	.26	57 (14.3)	.0096	6 (2.6)	.0039	235
≥ 2	100	18 (18.0)		14 (26.0)		8 (11.9)		67
<b>Tumor size</b>								
< 5 cm	219	28 (12.8)	.18	30 (13.7)	.067	1 (0.7)	.044	149
≥ 5 cm	151	27 (17.9)		32 (21.2)		6 (5.6)		108
<b>IPI score</b>								
0 - 2	266	33 (12.4)	.26	35 (13.2)	.012	6 (3.5)	.26	171
3 - 5	165	27 (16.4)		38 (23.0)		8 (7.1)		112
<b>Cell of origin</b>								
ABC	231	28 (12.1)	.19	33 (18.1)	.26	3 (1.9)	.031	161

<b>GCB</b>	248	41 (16.5)		45 (14.3)		12 (7.5)		159
<b>Ki-67</b>								
< 70%	163	13 (8.0)	<b>.0038</b>	17 (10.4)	<b>.013</b>	1 (1)	.44	98
≥ 70%	312	55 (17.6)		60 (19.2)		7 (3.3)		215
<b>Therapy response</b>								
<b>CR</b>	364	36 (9.9)	<b>&lt;.0001</b>	45 (12.4)	<b>.0001</b>	2 (0.8)	<b>&lt;.0001</b>	239
<b>PR+PD+SD</b>	116	33 (28.4)		33 (28.4)		13 (16.0)		81
<b>Recurrence</b>								
<b>Yes</b>	194	43 (22.2)	<b>&lt;.0001</b>	43 (22.2)	<b>.0001</b>	6 (4.8)	.34	125
<b>No</b>	285	24 (8.4)		35 (12.3)		2 (2.3)		88
<b>MYC/BCL2 double-hit</b>								
<b>No</b>	389	50 (12.9)	.13	58 (14.9)	<b>.0066</b>	10 (3.3)	<b>&lt;.0001</b>	306
<b>Yes</b>	10	3 (30.0)		5 (50.0)		5 (41.7)		12
<b>MYC/BCL-2 double-expression</b>								
<b>No</b>	315	30 (9.5)	<b>&lt;.0001</b>	35 (11.1)	<b>&lt;.0001</b>	9 (3.4)	.16	306
<b>Yes</b>	157	38 (24.2)		41 (26.1)		6 (7.2)		12

\* Number of cases with *MYC* rearrangement data available. Detailed numbers for single and combinational markers are in Supplementary Table S2.

*P* values are by the Fisher's exact test for difference between DLBCL cases with concurrent *MYC/TP53* aberrations (shown in the table) and those without (not shown).

Abbreviation: *MYC-R*, *MYC* rearrangement; LDH, lactate dehydrogenase; ECOG, Eastern Cooperative Oncology Group; IPI, International Prognostic Index; CR, complete remission; PR, partial remission; PD, progressive disease; SD, stable disease.

**Supplementary Table S2.** Frequency of single or dual abnormal Myc protein, p53 protein, BCL-2 protein, *MYC* gene, and *TP53* gene in the studied patients with DLBCL treated with R-CHOP

Biomarker	Number of positive cases/total tested cases	Positive rate
<b>In 480 cohort</b>		
<b>Protein expression marker</b>		
Myc <sup>high</sup> (Myc >40%)	307/475	64.6%
p53 <sup>high</sup> (p53 >30%)	105/474	22.2%
BCL-2 <sup>high</sup> (BCL-2 >50%)	230/473	48.6%
<b>Genetic lesion markers</b>		
<i>TP53</i> mutation (Mut- <i>TP53</i> )	108/480	22.5%
MYC rearrangement (MYC-R)	34/313	10.9%
<b>Combinational markers</b>		
Myc <sup>high</sup> p53 <sup>high</sup>	78/474	16.5%
Myc <sup>high</sup> Mut- <i>TP53</i>	69/480	14.4%
MYC-R p53 <sup>high</sup>	13/310	4.2%
MYC-R Mut- <i>TP53</i>	8/313	2.6%
<b>In 487 cohort*</b>		
MYC-R p53 <sup>high</sup>	18/315	5.7%
MYC-R Mut- <i>TP53</i>	15/320	4.7%

\* The post-hoc 7 cases were all MYC-rearranged *TP53*-mutated cases (MYC-R Mut-*TP53*), added to the 480 cohort for sake of better prognostic analysis which however increased the “natural” frequency of MYC-R Mut-*TP53*.

**Supplementary Table S3.** Prognostic factors by univariate analysis and multivariate analysis in DLBCL

A. Univariate analysis

	Overall survival			Progression-free survival		
	HR	95% CI	p	HR	95% CI	p
B symptom	1.61	1.17-2.21	.004	1.60	1.17-2.18	.003
IPI >2	3.13	2.15-4.56	<.001	2.73	1.92-3.87	<.001
ABC subtype	1.52	1.13-2.04	.005	1.45	1.09-1.93	.01
MYC-R Mut- <i>TP53</i>	3.71	1.62-8.48	.002	3.30	1.44-7.55	.005
MYC-R p53 <sup>high</sup>	2.61	0.92-7.45	.072	2.88	1.05-7.84	.039
Myc <sup>high</sup> Mut- <i>TP53</i>	2.33	1.65-3.29	<.001	2.45	1.75-3.43	<.001
Myc <sup>high</sup> p53 <sup>high</sup>	1.85	1.37-2.51	<.001	1.89	1.41-2.53	<.001

B. Multivariate analysis

	Overall survival			Progression-free survival		
	HR	95% CI	p	HR	95% CI	p
B symptom	1.40	.93-2.11	.11	1.52	1.02-2.25	.04
IPI score >2	2.60	1.59-4.26	<.001	2.16	1.37-3.41	.001
ABC subtype	1.39	.92-2.12	.12	1.30	.87-1.95	.20
MYC-R Mut- <i>TP53</i>	4.40	1.82-10.65	.001	3.86	1.60-9.32	.003

Abbreviation: HR, Hazard Ratio; CI, confidence interval; IPI, International Prognostic Index; ABC, activated B-cell like; MYC-R, MYC rearrangement; Mut, mutant.

**Supplementary Table S4.** Gene expression signatures identified by comparing DLBCL patients with concurrent MYC-R Mut-TP53 or Myc<sup>high</sup> Mut-TP53 alterations (double-positive) with DLBCL patients with none or the alterations (double-negative)

Upregulated genes	Downregulated genes
<b>Integrated Mut-TP53 MYC-R signature:</b> MYC-R Mut-TP53 vs. Non-MYC-R Wt-TP53 (FDR 0.0005)	
<i>POLR3B, LOC100507266, CDKN2A, WASF1, DNMT3B, UNG*, UHRF1*, TERT, NCR3LG1, SMARCA4, E2F2, FZD3, UBE3D, BMP3, RAG2, TFDP2, ZNF385B, BEST3, XYLB, NTF3, C7orf33, PHOX2A, LOC101928191, NR1I3, SLC25A27, CYP39A1, LZTS1, ART1, NFE2, LINC00550, LOC102725116, OR51B6, NAA11, LOC284561, LINC01360, OR2F1, APOH, MOGAT1, PLA2G2F, DKFZp434E1119, C1QTNF6, LRRC48, LOC101930593, HMGN5, ACP6, SLTRK3, CELSR2, FOXO6, GJB4, TBX20, STRBP, DIP2C</i>	<i>NPLOC4, SP140L, MDFIC, LOC285628, TICAM2, LRP10, UNC50, SPATA20, RAC2, FAS, NFAT5, IL10RA, MPEG1, RASSF5, IL24, YIPF5, PIGF, IL21R, ZBTB4, PBXIP1, CMTM6, TNFRSF1B, LOC541471, SERPINB1, IDS, JAK2, NCOA1, RAP2C, F8A1, DOCK8, REEP5, MGEA5, SH3GLB1, TRIM21, SNX18, MIR155HG, AHR, CFLAR, SP100, SP110, CD44, STAT3, JAK1, BCL2A1, UGCG, TMSB4X, RNASEK, NFKBIA, MCL1, YPEL5, PTG1IP, WSB2, LOC100507463, HCP5, CASP4, LITAF, CDC42SE1, RASSF4, IL2RG, VMP1, HLA-E, HLA-F, HLA-B, HLA-C, HLA-A, HLA-G, TAP1, TPP1, HIPK3, PLEK, EDF1, PEA15, ANXA7, ATP6V0E1, CTSH, CAP1, ARPC2*, ARPC5*, LCP1, SH3BGRL3, TMSB10, UBB*, LGALS8, IL6ST, KIAA1551, GVINP1, N4BP2L2, ARL6IP5, UBD, FYB, CD3D, SLFN5, LCP2, RAB27A, SLAMF7, GBP2, STAT1, TNFSF10, KCTD12, ITM2B, ASAHI, ADAMDEC1, LYZ, GBP3, DAPK1, GIMAP2, CHI3L1, ENPP2, PTGDS, PLA2G2D, PTPRC, SPPL2A, SAT1, SRGN, CDC42SE2, NLRC5, SAMD9L, PLSCR1, RNF19A, PNRC1, TNFAIP3, STAM2, IRF2BP2, HLA-DMA, HLA-DRA, HLA-DMB, RFFL, FNBP1, CD58, CD53, RASSF2*, TACC1, PIP4K2A, RNF111, WDR26, IL13RA1, CXCL13, BIRC3, PARP12, TMEM2, APOBEC3G, TINF2, VOPP1, CLIP1, ZFP36, PPAPDC1B, RGS1, AHNAK, UBALD2, ELL2, DOCK10, CCR7, SOS1, TNIP1, FAM129A, RUNX3, FAM65B, CD99, ZNF224, OAZ2, MAFF</i>
<b>Integrated Myc<sup>high</sup> Mut-TP53 signature:</b> Myc <sup>high</sup> Mut-TP53 vs. Myc <sup>low</sup> Wt-TP53 (FDR 0.0001)	
<i>CDKN2A, OR7E12P, ALMS1-IT1, UBE3D, XPO5, MTAP, KIAA1958, WASF1, TFDP2, SRM, MPP6, APLP2, ZNF259, NAA40, FLJ41455, NREP, HK2, CCNE1, UNG*, POLR3B, MTHFD2L, ACACA, MIR17HG, PEG10, EI24, KIAA0020, CLSPN*, CEP152, FAM216A, AKAP1, SMARCA4, MCM7, EIF3B, TERT, C17orf75, EXOSC2, TIMM8B, WDR75, PUS7, DPY19L2P2, GART, ZNF639, MYC, DKC1, WDR77, IARS, DCUN1D5, WDR4, FARSB, KLHL23, GCSH, CDC25A, CDC7, SLC16A1, WDR43, BZW2, ASF1B, MZT1, PRKDC*, SNHG1, SKP2, TMEM48,</i>	<i>ARID5B, AHNAK, ZFP36L2, FLII, NCOA1, PPM1M, ZBTB4, HCP5, SOD3, TGOLN2, HLA-F, HLA-E, PBXIP1, LGALS8, ARL4C, GVINP1, TRAF3IP3, N4BP2L2, CYLD, LCP2, SLFN5, FYB, CD3D, CD3E, BCL11B, TRBC1, ITM2A, AAK1, FYN, MAF, GPR174, GBP2, FGL2, RNF213, B2M, IL6ST, ITM2B, GGT1P, EVI2B, WIPF1, ATP2B4, INPP4A, CD226, LBH, DAZAP2, RASSF5, JAK2, CD58, ZBTB38, TRAF1, ITGB2-AS1, FGFR1,</i>

*CDT1, SRSF1, TMEM97, PPAT, PAICS, RAD51AP1\*, ALPK1, IDS, MIR155HG, VMP1, DOCK10,  
CHEK1\*, UHRF1\*, KIF20A, MCM4, DEPDC1, GMNN, IL10RA, RGS3, VAMP2  
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CENPF, E2F8, RFC4, AURKA, BUB1B\*, DDX21,  
MCM8, VRK1, HSPD1, SERBP1, TOPBP1, DCAF13,  
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CAPRIN1, NDC80, POLR3G, POLE2\*, KIAA1524,  
CENPK, CHAF1A\*, CTPS1, UCHL3, CENPJ,  
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MARS2, TRIT1, PPP1R8, FZD3, DNMT3B, XYLB,  
CBX2, **E2F1**, SLC19A1, RCL1, EBPL, SQLE, EHBP1,  
UMODL1, PEX13, SLC25A37, C11orf85*

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Abbreviation: FDR, false discovery rate.

Notes: Genes involved in apoptosis, cell death, p53 pathway regulation, or tumor suppression are in bold; genes involved in DNA repair or DNA damage response are marked by \*; genes indicating impaired immune responses (such as MHC/TCR/CD3 components) are underlined by straight underlines; and microRNA genes are underlined with wavy underlines.

**Supplementary Table S5.** Molecular, genetic and phenotypic status of 8 DLBCL/HGBCL cell lines by targeted next-generation sequencing, fluorescence in situ hybridization (FISH), and immunohistochemistry analysis

Cell line	Subtype	MYC	Myc expression	TP53 mutation	p53 expression
		rearrangement			
OCI-LY10	HGBCL-DH	MYC-R <sup>+</sup>	30%	Wild type	0%
OCI-LY19	HGBCL-DH	MYC-R <sup>+</sup>	80%	Wild type	10%
MCA	HGBCL-DH	MYC-R <sup>+</sup>	50%	Wild type	100%
RC	HGBCL-DH	MYC-R <sup>+</sup>	60%	Wild type	0%
GR	GCB	FISH failed	50%	Mutated (p.G245A)	90%
HBL1	ABC	Non-MYC-R	80%	Mutated (p.V157A)	70%
MZ	HGBCL-DH	MYC-R <sup>+</sup>	40%	Mutated (p.Y126N)	30%
TMD8	HGBCL-DH	MYC-R <sup>+</sup>	60%	Mutated (p.F134C)	90%

Abbreviation: HGBCL-DH, high-grade B cell lymphoma with *MYC/BCL2* double-hit; GCB, germinal-center B-cell-like; ABC, activated B-cell-like; MYC-R, MYC rearrangement.

## **Supplementary Figure Legends**

**Supplementary Figure S1. Morphologic and immunophenotypic features of DLBCL with MYC rearrangement (MYC-R) and TP53 mutation (Mut-TP53) dual-alterations and high-grade B-cell lymphoma (HGBCL) with MYC/BCL2 double-hit (DH) in representative patients.** (A) A representative case with both MYC-R and Mut-TP53 but not BCL2-R (MYC/TP53 double-hit), characterized by monotonous sheets of medium or large-sized B-cells, with expression of Myc and p53, but negative for BCL-2. (B) A representative case with MYC-R, Mut-TP53, and BCL2-R (MYC/BCL2/TP53 triple-hit), characterized by monotonous sheets of large-sized B-cells, with expression of Myc, BCL-2 and p53. (C) A representative case of HGBCL-DH (MYC/BCL2 double-hit), characterized by monotonous sheets of large-sized B-cells, with expression of Myc and BCL-2, but negative for p53.

**Supplementary Figure S2. Prognostic impact of p53 and Myc protein overexpression as single or double abnormalities in overall DLBCL and GCB/ABC subtypes.**

**Supplementary Figure S3. Heatmap for gene expression signatures of MYC/TP53 dual alterations.** (A) Differentially expressed genes (DEGs) between the MYC-R/Mut-TP53 and MYC-R/Wt-TP53 groups. (B) DEGs between the MYC-R/Mut-TP53 and non-MYC-R/Mut-TP53 groups. (C) DEGs between the Myc<sup>high</sup>/Mut-TP53 and Myc<sup>low</sup>/Mut-TP53 Groups. (D) DEGs between Myc<sup>high</sup>/Mut-TP53 and Myc<sup>low</sup>/Wt-TP53 groups.

**Supplementary Figure S4. Representative figures of flow cytometric analysis indicating G2/M phase-cell cycle arrest by NCB057643 treatment for 24 hours in cells with MYC-R or Myc overexpression with Wt-TP53 (OCI-LY19) or Mut-TP53 (GR and TMD8).**

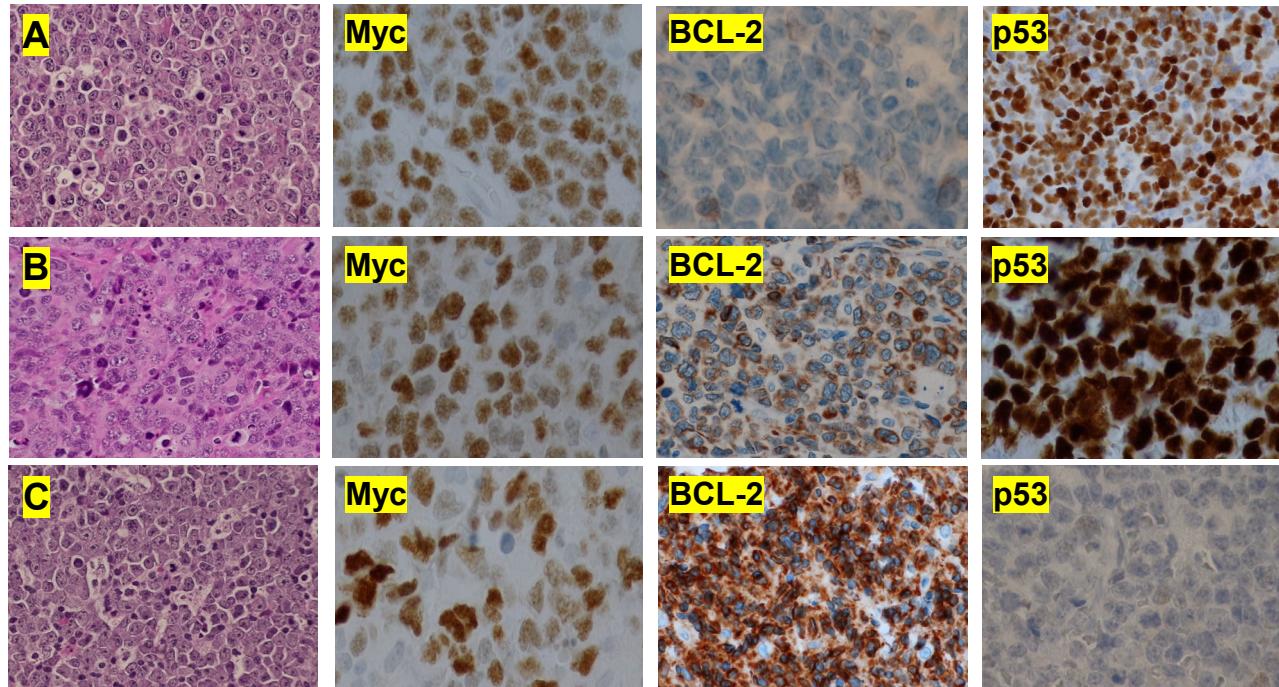
**Supplementary Figure S5. Heatmap for significantly up- or downregulated proteins after INCIB057643 treatment (5µM, 24 hours) in OCI-LY19 cells.** The protein expression levels were measured by RPPA assays performed in three independent experiments.

**Supplementary Figure S6. A MDM2 inhibitor DS3032b shows cytotoxic effects selectively in high-grade B-cell lymphoma (HGBCL) with MYC/BCL2 double-hit (DH) and wild-type (Wt) TP53.** (A) Levels of p53 protein were markedly upregulated by DS3032b treatment (24 hours) in HGBCL-DH cells with Wt-TP53 (OCI-LY19, OCI-LY10, MCA and RC) but not in those with TP53 mutation (Mut-TP53, TMD8 and MZ). (B) DS3032b significantly suppressed cell viability of HGBCL-DH cells with Wt-TP53 but not in cell lines with Mut-TP53. CellTiter-Glo® 2.0 Assays were performed after treatment for 72 hours. (C) The IC50 values of DS3032b for four HGBCL-DH cell lines with Wt-TP53 as calculated by GraphPad Prism 8. (D) Exposure with DS3032b for 48 hours induced apoptosis by Annexin V/PI dual staining in four HGBCL-DH cell lines with Wt-TP53 but not in a HGBCL-DH cell line with Mut-TP53. (E) DS3032b treatment for 24 hours blocked the cell cycle at G0/G1 phase, in parallel with the reduction of cell percentage at S phase in Wt-TP53 cell lines. Values indicate mean ± SD for at least three independent experiments performed in triplicate.

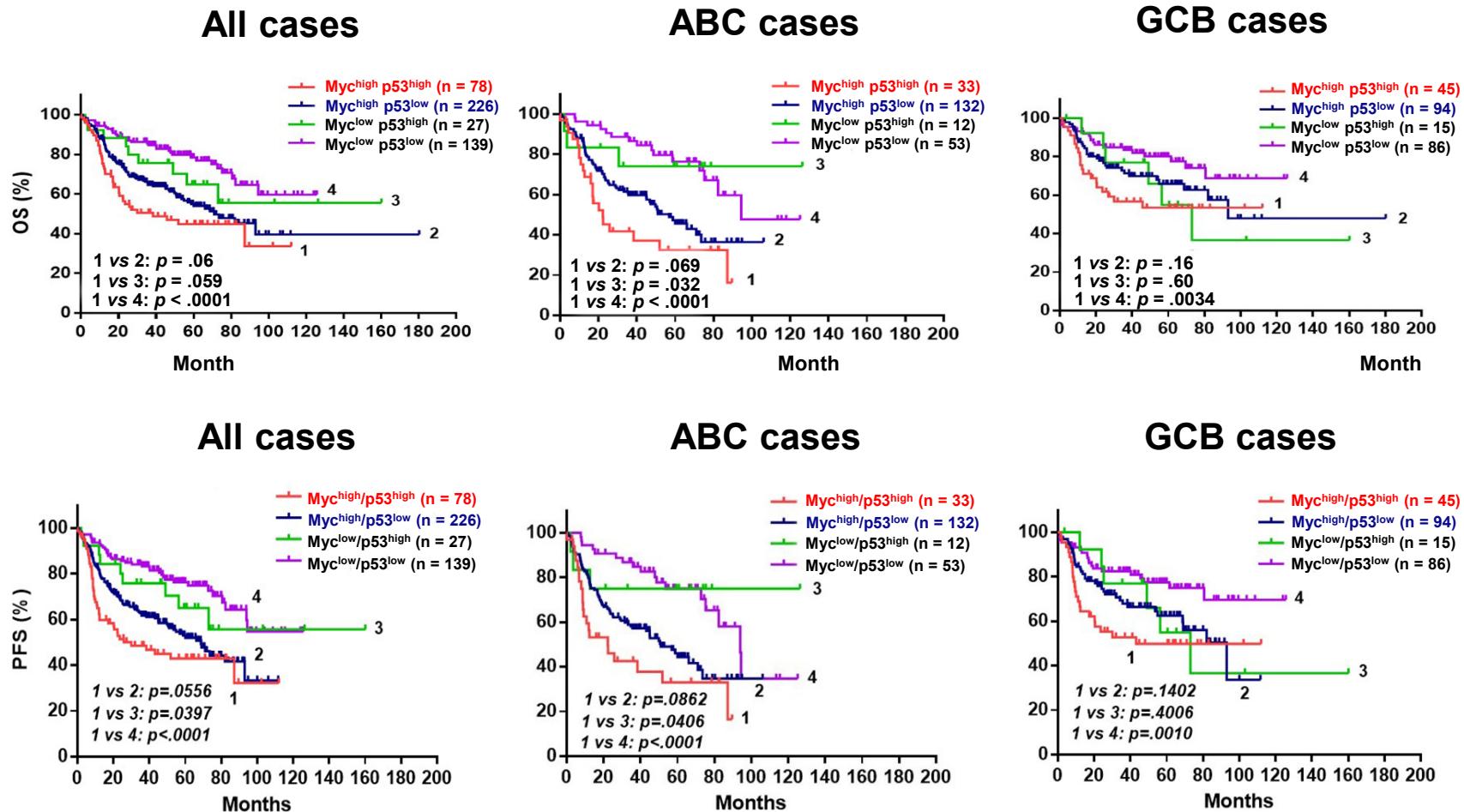
**Supplementary Figure S7. Combined DS3032b and INCB057643 treatment has no synergistic cytotoxicity in DLBCL cell lines with MYC aberrations and TP53 mutation (Mut-TP53).** Cell viability was measured by CellTiter-Glo® 2.0 Assay at 72 hours. Values indicate mean ± SD for at least three independent experiments performed in triplicate.

**Supplementary Figure S8. INCB057643 treatment (1.25 µM) alone or in combination with ABT-199 (venetoclax, 6.25 mM) for 24 hours induced p21 expression in TMD8 cells, whereas had no effect on p53 (mutant) expression levels.**

# Supplementary Figure S1

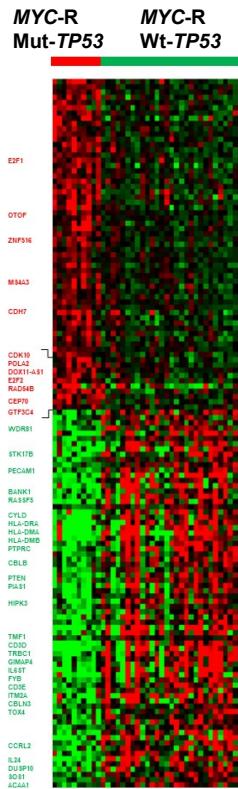


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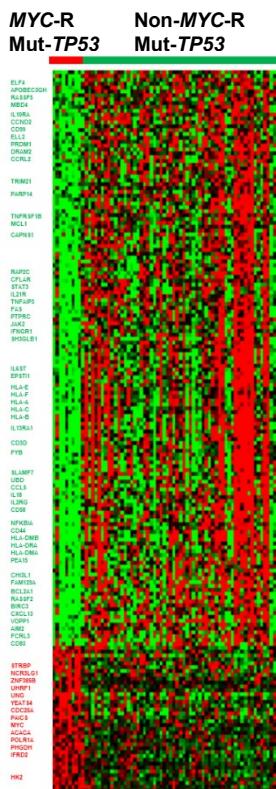


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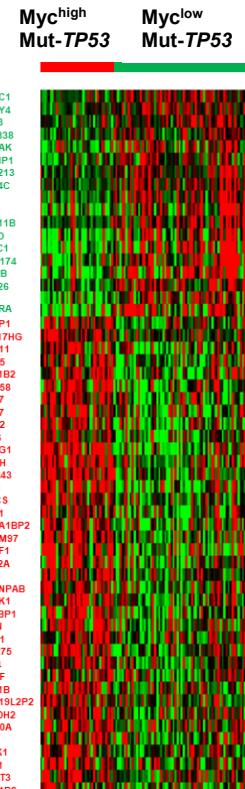
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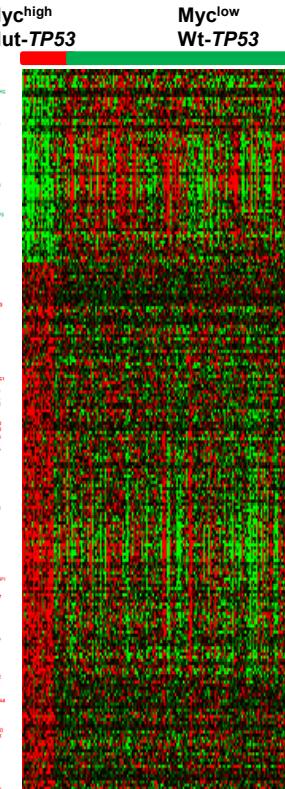
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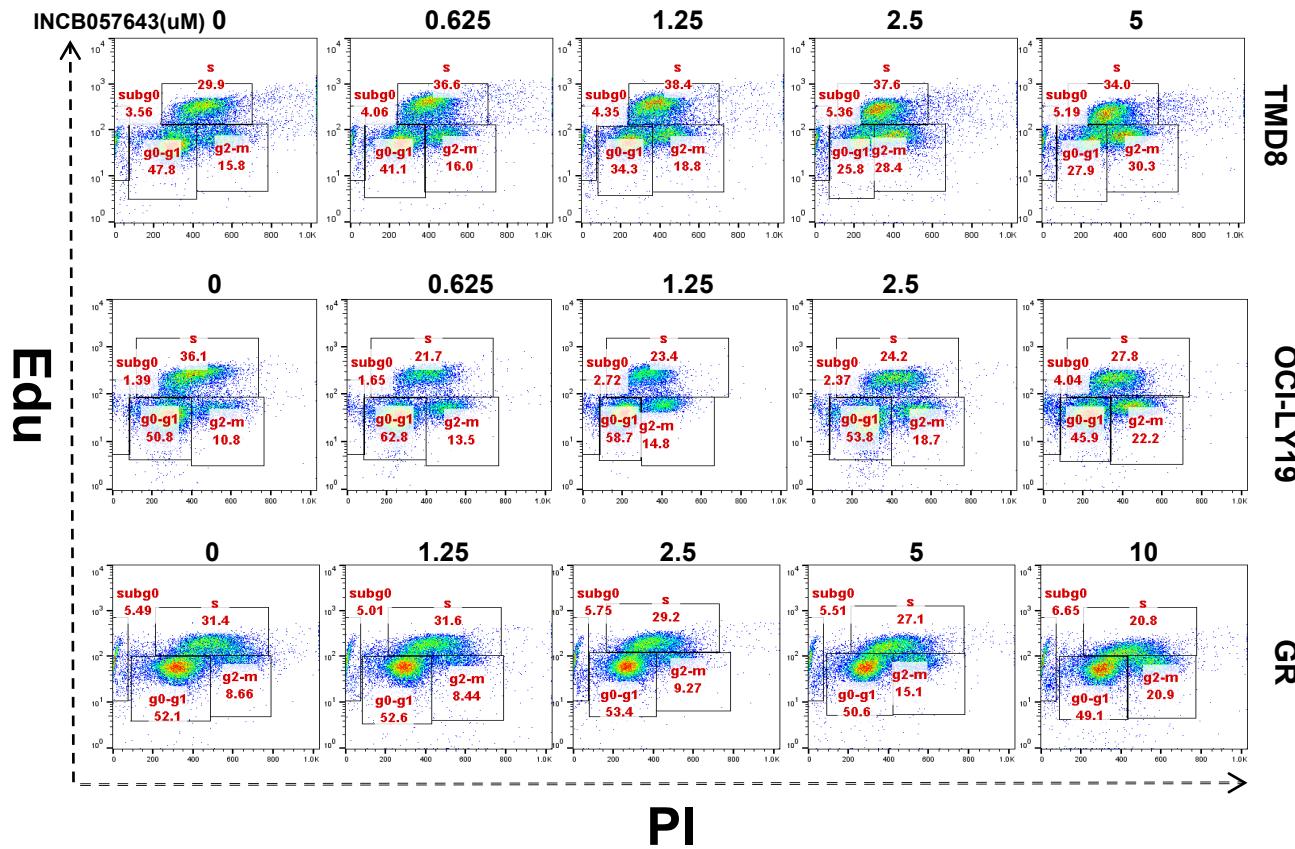
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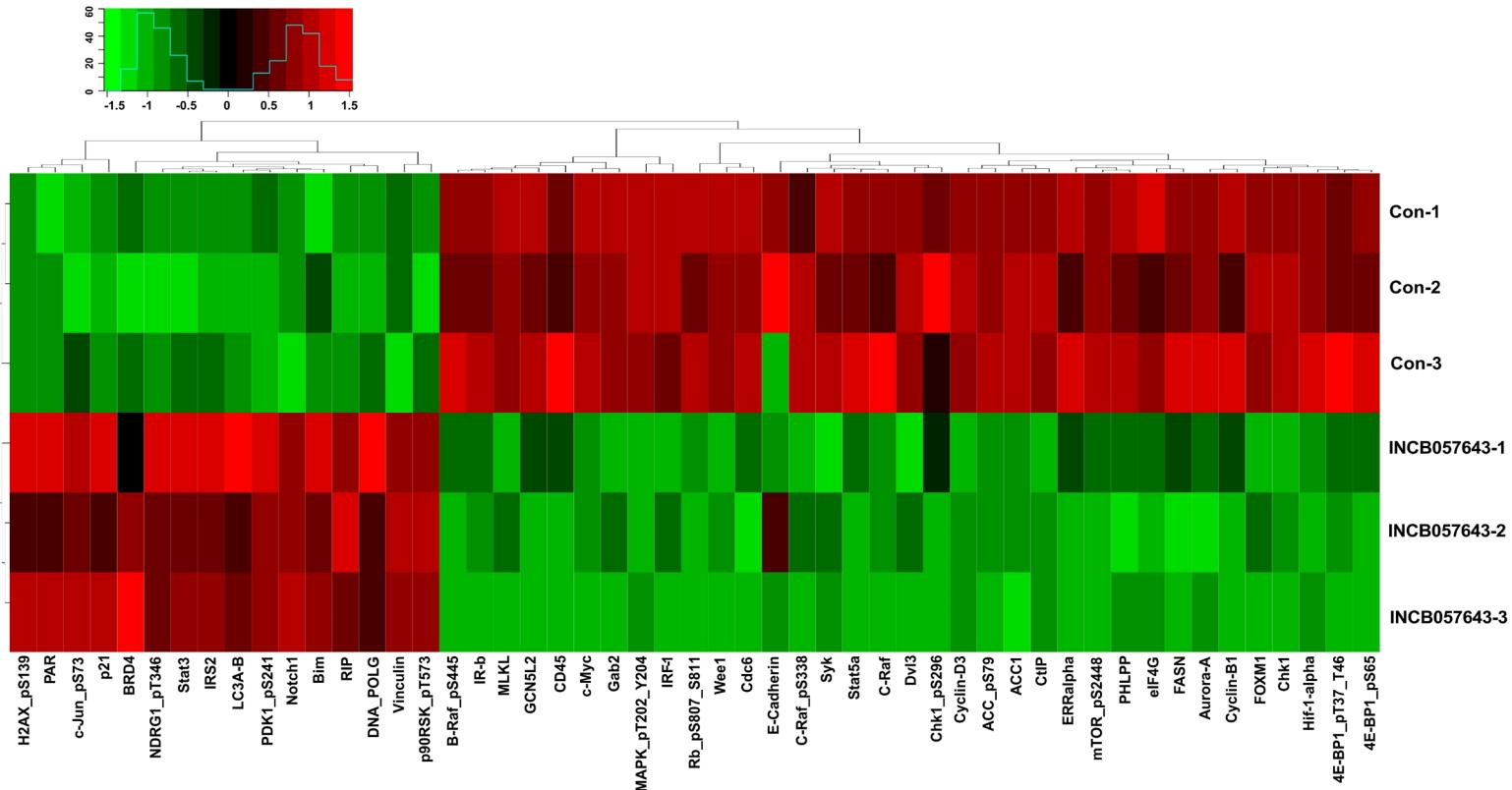


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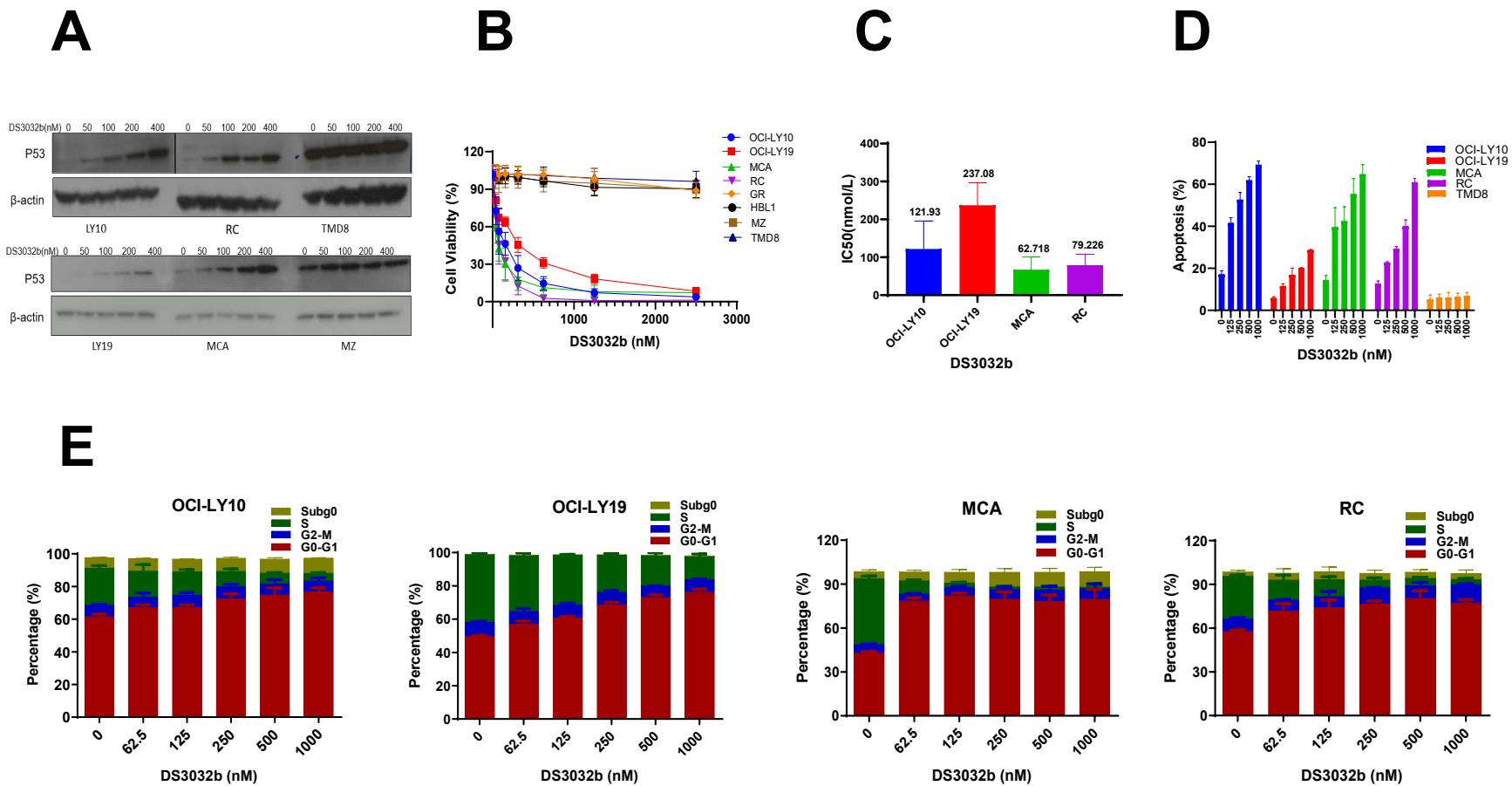


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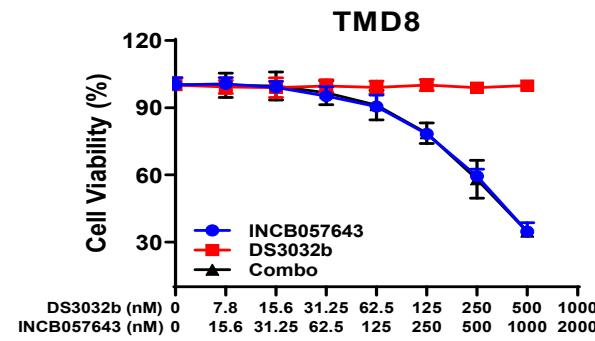
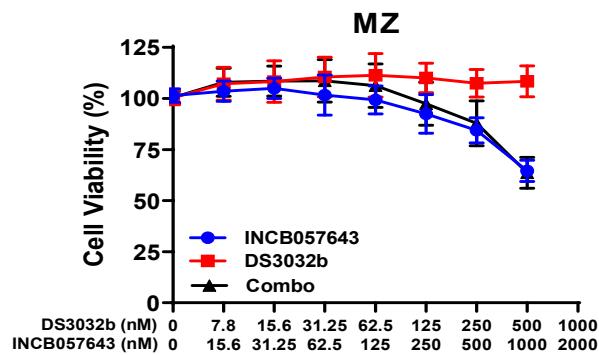
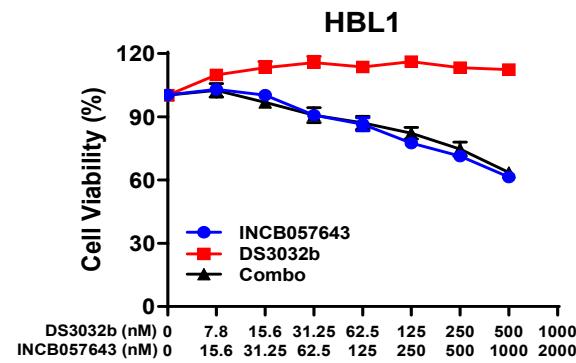
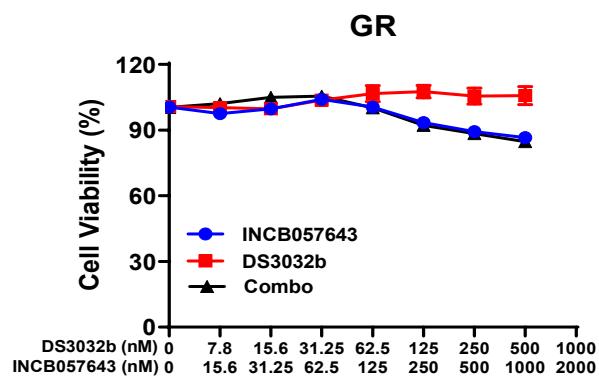
## INCB057643 treatment in OCI-LY19



# Supplementary Figure S6



# Supplementary Figure S7



## Supplementary Figure S8

