

**SUPPLEMENTAL DATA**

**SOX11, CD70 AND T<sub>REG</sub> CELLS CONFIGURE THE TUMOR IMMUNE  
MICROENVIRONMENT OF AGGRESSIVE MANTLE CELL LYMPHOMA**

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## **SUPPLEMENTAL METHODS**

### **Mantle cell lymphoma cell line models**

The well characterized SOX11+ MCL cell line Z138 (CRL-3001; ATCC) was used to generate the stable transduced SOX11 knockdown (Z138SOX11KD) and its control (Z138CT), using shRNA lentiviral vectors targeting specifically SOX11 and empty vector, respectively.<sup>1</sup> The SOX11 non-expressing MCL cell line JVM2 (ACC-12; DSMZ) was used to generate the stable transduced JVM2 cell line ectopically overexpressing SOX11 (JVM2SOX11+) and its control (JVM2CT) MCL cell line.<sup>2</sup> All stable transduced MCL cell lines were used for chromatin immunoprecipitation-quantitative-PCR (ChIP-qPCR). Z138CT and Z138SOX11KD were used for real time quantitative PCR (RT-qPCR) and flow cytometry (FC) experiments after CD40L, TGF $\beta$  and BCR stimulation. All the cell lines were routinely cultured at 37°C in a humidified atmosphere with 5% CO<sub>2</sub> in RPMI complete medium, containing RPMI 1640 medium (Sigma-Aldrich, St Louis, MO), supplemented with 10% fetal bovine serum (FBS; Sigma), 2 $\mu$ M L-glutamine and 100 U/mL penicillin/streptomycin (P/S) (both from Invitrogen).

### **Histopathology and Immunohistochemistry studies**

Immunohistochemistry (IHC) staining were performed on 2  $\mu$ m thick FFPE tissues as previously<sup>3</sup> on an automated BenchMark ULTRA platform (Ventana, Tucson, AZ, USA), according to manufacture recommendations. The description of the antibodies used is shown in Supplemental Table S2. Tonsil sections were used as controls for all IHC staining.

Double IHC protocols with anti-human specific FOXP3 and CTLA4 antibodies (to identify effector T<sub>regs</sub>) and FOXP3 and CD4 antibodies were performed sequentially in a Dako Autostainer Link 48 (Agilent, Santa Clara, CA, USA) adhering to the general manufacture guidelines, including appropriate tonsil controls. The double IHC with CD70 and Cyclin D1 antibodies were performed on an automated BenchMark ULTRA platform (Ventana). For the double IHC protocols of FOXP3 and CD4, FOXP3 was revealed with HRP Magenta chromogen (Agilent, Santa Clara, CA, USA) and CD4 with 3,3'-diaminobenzidine (horseradish peroxidase-chromogen) (Agilent, Santa Clara, CA, USA). For double IHC protocols of FOXP3 and CTLA4, FOXP3 was revealed with 3,3'-diaminobenzidine (horseradish peroxidase-chromogen) (Agilent, Santa Clara, CA, USA) and CTLA4 with HRP Magenta chromogen (Agilent, Santa Clara, CA, USA). For double IHC of CD70 and cyclin D1, CD70 was revealed with 3,3'-diaminobenzidine (horseradish peroxidase-chromogen) and cyclin D1 with Fast Red (Ventana). A case was classified as SOX11+ when more than 10% of tumor cells showed a nuclear staining pattern.<sup>4</sup> However, in our series all SOX11+ cases presented >50% of positive cells in the nucleus, while the SOX11- were virtually completely negative.

Consecutives sections were obtained for CD3, CD4, CD8, FOXP3, granzyme B, CD56, LAG3, CD163, CD70, CD27 and CD20 staining and FOXP3/CTLA4 double IHC staining. The evaluated intra-tumor areas were selected by overlapping with the previously marked cyclin D1 and CD3 slides. Stained sections were digitalized and five images inside the selected areas were acquired by a digital virtual microscope (Olympus BX51 microscope, Olympus, Shinjuku-ku, Tokyo, Japan) at x400 magnification (which covers a photographic area of 0.032 mm<sup>2</sup>), as previously described<sup>3</sup>. For the evaluation of CD3, CD4, CD8, FOXP3, granzyme B, CD56, LAG3

and CD163 and FOXP3/CTLA4 positive immune cells, and also CD20 positive tumor cells, the number of positively stained intratumoral cells were evaluated in the five images by counting with an Olympus Cell-B™ Basic Imaging Software (Olympus) (HPF: Number of cells per high power field (x400)).

Since the ratio of the different T-cell subsets reflect the balance of effective immune response and immunosuppression, we calculated the CD4+/CD8+, FOXP3+/CD3+, FOXP3+/CD4+ and FOXP3+CTLA4+/CD4+ T-cell ratio for every case. Additionally CD20+/CD3+ cell ratio was calculated in all cases.

For CD70 IHC evaluation, the percentage of positive cells with a moderate/strong membranous staining and/or a Golgi staining pattern was calculated (around 2800-3000 cells were counted per case). The mean count of the five fields was then used.

For CD27 IHC evaluation, the tumor staining intensity was semi-quantitatively characterized as negative/weak, moderate or strong, comparing with the staining intensity of the strongly positive accompanying T cells. When the tumor cells were positive, most tumor cells maintained a relatively similar intensity. The tumor cell staining intensity and extension of tumor positive cells were integrated and quantitatively evaluated considering the mean grey value (MGV) of color deconvoluted images as a measure.<sup>5</sup> The stained slides were scanned with the VENTANA iScan HT slide scanner, the DAB stain was then separated by color deconvolution and converted into gray scale using the Qupath 0.2.0 software,<sup>6</sup> and the gray scale images were exported to ImageJ software, where the MGV of the tumoral and reactive T cell staining was measured. In order to normalize for staining intensity variation across samples due to pre-analytical factors, the tumoral/T cell MGV ratio was calculated for each slide.

### **NanoStringnCounter® Analysis System**

The NanoString Counter® Analysis System performs multiplex gene expression analysis with 730 genes from 15 different immune cell types, common checkpoint inhibitors, cancer-testis antigens and genes covering both the adaptive and innate immune response. Raw NanoString counts for each gene were subjected to technical and biological normalization using the geometric mean of 40 housekeeping genes, six positive control genes and eight negative control genes, being eliminated those genes in which geometric mean was >10-fold below the negative controls. With this panel, we obtained information about 15 immune pathways scores (13 immune cell population scores plus the gene expression of CD4 and NCAM1 (CD56)), differential expression of genes and cell type profiling (Figure 1). In this last analysis, genes previously shown to be characteristic of various cell populations are used by the software to measure their abundance (immune cell subtype scores) (nSolver 4.0, nCounter®, NanoString).

### **Mantle cell lymphoma gene expression profiling (GEP) dataset**

Previously published GSE70910<sup>7</sup> GEP dataset, which contains 53 samples obtained from 41 SOX11+ MCL patients of unpurified lymph node biopsies (n=34), CD19+ purified cells isolated from concomitant lymph node tissues (n=4) and peripheral blood (n=15), was used to establish which cell compartment (tumor cells and/or non-tumoral cells from the tumor microenvironment (TME)) express the NanoString-based statistically significant downregulated or upregulated immune-related genes in SOX11+ compared to SOX11- MCL and RLN. The raw cell files of this dataset were processed using the RMA method. Two patients with peripheral

blood samples were considered as SOX11- MCL, based on the levels defined in our previous studies (the cutoff value used for SOX11 microarray mRNA levels was 6 expression units),<sup>8,9</sup> and removed from all analyses performed with this dataset. Twelve (80%) out of the 15 SOX11-positive CD19+ purified samples from peripheral blood were diagnosed as classic variant whereas the other 3 (20%) had blastoid morphology. On the other hand, 30 out of 34 (88%) unpurified lymph node samples were diagnosed as classic and 4 (12%) as blastoid/pleomorphic MCL, and 2 of the 4 cases with purified cells from the lymph nodes were blastoid/pleomorphic. The proportion of blastoid/pleomorphic cases in these subsets of samples was relatively similar to our study, 18% in the whole cohort and 27% in the subset studied with the NanoString panel (Supplemental Table S1).

Previously published and processed GSE93291<sup>10</sup> dataset, containing the MAS5.0 GEP of lymph node samples and survival data from 122 SOX11+ MCL patients, was used to analyze the prognostic impact of CD70 mRNA expression, the immune population score (Figure 1), the GO pathway average scores (Supplemental Table S7 and S8) and FOXP3/CD3 mRNA ratio. One case was considered as SOX11-negative MCL, based on the levels defined in our previous studies,<sup>8,9</sup> and removed from all analyses performed with this dataset. One outlier sample was removed from the survival analyses that included the T-cell costimulation and signaling activation pathway average score. This later sample had a score of 1.83 standard deviations below the next lowest sample and was highly influential in the cox regression analyses.

Only the probe set with the highest interquartile range for each gene was used in the analyses that included multiple genes. When genes were analyzed individually,

all probe sets of the target gene were considered and those with expression levels above background were averaged.

### **Chromatin Immunoprecipitation (ChIP)-quantitative-PCR (ChIP-qPCR)**

We revisited our previous published Chromatin Immunoprecipitation and DNA promoter-microarray (ChIP-chip) data on MCL cell lines<sup>1</sup> to identify SOX11-specific binding to *CD70* regulatory region (1393-1119 pb upstream transcription start site; TSS). In vitro validation of this SOX11-specific binding was performed by ChIP-qPCR, as previously described,<sup>1,2</sup>

The HighCell#ChIP kit (Diagenode) along with a SOX11 specific antibody previously optimized for ChIP-chip (sc-17347; Santa Cruz Biotechnology) in SOX11+ (Z138 wild type (WT), Z138 SOX11-knockdown (Z138shSOX11KD) and its SOX11+ control (Z138CT) MCL cell lines<sup>2</sup>) and one SOX11- (JVM2) MCL cell lines<sup>1</sup>; and anti-HA antibody (Abcam) in stable transduced JVM2CT and JVM2SOX11+ MCL cell lines, generated previously in our laboratory,<sup>2</sup> were used for ChIP-qPCR. The ChIP experiments were carried out by following the recommendations of the kit's manufacturer. In brief, chromatin was extracted from  $10 \times 10^6$  fixed MCL cell lines and lysed with Shearing Buffer S1. Chromatin was sonicated on ice with Biorupter<sup>TM</sup> sonicator from Diagenode (3 cycles of 10min [40 seconds "ON"/ 20 seconds "OFF"]). Sonicated chromatin was incubated overnight (O/N) with 2-5 $\mu$ g of antibodies, respectively, and then with Protein G-coated magnetic beads for 6h. After immunoprecipitation, beads were washed and DNA was decrosslinked O/N at 65°C. DNA was eluted and purified with IPure kit (Diagenode) and quantified with Qubit<sup>®</sup> 2.0 Fluorometer (Invitrogen Life technologies).

Specific primers for the qPCR study, to analyze enrichment of *CD70* regulatory region (Supplemental Figure S6), of the SOX11 ChIP-enriched genomic DNA regions were designed using Primers3 (<http://frodo.wi.mit.edu/>) (Forward primer: AACGGAGAGGGGGAGACA; Reverse primer: CTTCCACTCTCCCTGCGTCT). SOX11- and HA-ChIP DNA and 1:100 diluted input samples were analyzed in triplicate by qPCR using Fast SYBR Green Master Mix in a StepOnePlus PCR detection system (Applied Biosystems).

### **RNA extraction, cDNA generation and RT-qPCR**

RNA extraction was performed using the RNeasy® Plus Mini Kit according to the manufacturer's protocol instructions (Qiagen). Then, 500 ng of RNA were used to generate cDNA using the qScript™ cDNA Synthesis Kit according to the manufacturer's protocol instructions (Quanta Bioscience). After that, cDNA was used for analyzing *CD70* mRNA expression by RT-qPCR using TaqMan probes (*CD70*: Hs00174297\_m1) and MasterMix. *GUSB* was used as normalization control (*GUSB*: Hs99999908\_m1).

### **Flow cytometry analysis**

*CD70* was determined by FC using anti-*CD70* (clone 113-16, Biolegend) as primary antibody and anti-mouse Pacific Blue (Invitrogen) as secondary antibody. Mouse-IgG1 (clone Sc-2025; Santa Cruz) was used as isotype control. All antibodies were incubated in PBS + 5% SFB for 1h at 4°C and analyzed using the Attune cytometer software (Applied Biosystems).

### **Statistical analysis**



Group comparisons in the GSE70910 dataset were performed with linear mixed effects models, which took into account that several cases had multiple samples. Limma was used to identify differentially expressed genes. Genes with adjusted p value < 0.15 were considered differentially expressed. P-values were adjusted for multiple testing with the Benjamini-Hochberg method (q-values). Maximally selected rank statistics was applied to find thresholds for continuous variables associated with clinical outcome (maxstat R package).

## SUPPLEMENTAL TABLES

**SUPPLEMENTAL TABLE S1. Clinical and pathological characteristics of primary MCL according to SOX11 expression used for NanoString GEP and CD70 IHC.**

	MCL used for NanoString GEP		MCL used for IHC analysis	
	SOX11+ (N=11)	SOX11- (N=3)	SOX11+ (N=51)	SOX11- (N=13)
<b>Median age in years (range)</b>	63 (55-84)	59 (59-60)	61 (24-84)	60 (55-78)
<b>Gender</b>				
Male	10/11(91%)	1/3 (33%)	44/51 (86%)	7/11 (64%)
Female	1/11 (9%)	2/3 (67%)	7/51 (14%)	3/11 (27%)
<b>Morphological variant</b>				
Small cell	0/11 (0%)	3/3 (100%)	1/51 (2%)	7/13 (54%)
Classical	8/11 (73%)	0/3 (0%)	41/51 (80%)	2/13 (15%)
Blastoid/Pleomorphic	3/11 (27%)	0/3 (0%)	9/51 (18%)	4/13 (31%)
<b>Architectural pattern</b>				
Nodular	8/11 (73%)	2/3 (67%)	30/51 (59%)	3/12 (25%)
Diffuse	3/11 (27%)	1/3 (33%)	19/51 (37%)	8/12 (67%)
Mantle zone	0/11 (0%)	0/3 (0%)	2/51 (4%)	1/12 (8%)
<b>Ki-67, median (range)</b>	38 (10-90)	11 (5-20)	36 (2-90)	39 (3-90)
Ki-67 > 30%	6/11 (54%)	0/3 (0%)	26/51 (51%)	6/13 (46%)
<b>17p/TP53/p53 alterations</b>	2/11 (18%)	0/3 (0%)	9/43 (21%)	6/13 (46%)
17p loss	2/6 (33%)	0/0 (0%)	4/27 (15%)	4/8 (50%)
TP53 mutations	0/6 (0%)	0/2 (0%)	4/23 (17%)	3/5 (60%)
p53 positivity (IHC)	1/10 (10%)	0/3 (0%)	5/30 (17%)	4/13 (31%)
<b>Mutated IGHV (<math>\leq</math> 97 identity)</b>	0/6 (0%)	1/2 (50%)	3/28 (11%)	1/2 (50%)
<b>Ann-Arbor Stage</b>				
I-III	0/10 (0%)	0/2 (0%)	8/44 (18%)	1/5 (20%)
IV	10/10 (100%)	3/3 (100%)	36/44 (82%)	4/5 (80%)
<b>Elevated LDH serum levels</b>	6/10 (60%)	0/2 (0%)	26/44 (59%)	0/3 (0%)
<b>Leukemic involvement</b>	7/8 (87%)	3/3 (100%)	25/36 (69%)	4/4 (100%)
<b>Bone marrow involvement</b>	9/10 (90%)	3/3 (100%)	35/44 (79%)	4/5 (80%)
<b>Splenomegaly</b>	4/9 (44%)	2/3 (67%)	20/37 (54%)	3/4 (75%)
<b>Survival and Treatment</b>				
3-year OS	66.7%	100%	72.5%	100%*
95% CI	[42.0-100]	NA	[60.3-87.1]	NA
<b>Chemotherapy at diagnosis</b>	10/10 (100%)	0/3 (0%)	42/42 (100%)	1/4 (25%)
<b>Relapse</b>	4/9 (44%)	0/2 (0%)	16/38 (42%)	1/5 (20%)

MCL: mantle cell lymphoma; IHC: immunohistochemistry; IGHV: immunoglobulin heavy chain variable region; LDH: lactate dehydrogenase; OS: overall survival; CI: confidence interval. \*This data refers only to the n=4 cases with clinical data for follow-up and treatment.

**SUPPLEMENTAL TABLE S2. List of antibodies used for IHC studies.**

<b>Antibody</b>	<b>Clone</b>	<b>Dilution</b>	<b>Source</b>
CD20	L26	RTU	Ventana
Cyclin D1	SP4-R	RTU	Ventana
SOX11	MRQ-58	RTU	Ventana
CD5	SP19	RTU	Ventana
CD3	2GV6	RTU	Ventana
CD4	SP35	RTU	Ventana
CD8	SP57	RTU	Ventana
Granzyme B	polyclonal	RTU	Ventana
Ki-67	30-9	RTU	Ventana
p53	DO-7	RTU	Ventana
CD56	123C2	RTU	Ventana
CD163	NCL-L-CD163	1:6000	Leica
FOXP3	236A/E7	1:50	Biocare
CTLA4	F8	1:20	SantaCruz (Biotechnology)
CD70	301731	1:40	R&D systems
CD27	EPR8569	1:3000	Abcam
LAG3	17B4	1:600	Lifespan Biosciences

RTU: ready-to-use

**SUPPLEMENTAL TABLE S3. 271 NanoString-based statistically significant differential expressed genes in SOX11+ vs. SOX11- nodal primary MCLs cases with adjusted P value<0.15.**

Gene	logFC	adj.P.Val	Gene	logFC	adj.P.Val
<b>HLA-DRB4</b>	-6,562	0.008	<b>KLRB1</b>	-1,669	0.015
<b>CD209</b>	-5,002	0.000	<b>CSF3R</b>	-1,669	0.007
<b>SIGLEC1</b>	-3,794	0.000	<b>FLT3</b>	-1,666	0.004
<b>MRC1</b>	-3,461	0.000	<b>STAT4</b>	-1,651	0.002
<b>LRRN3</b>	-3,305	0.001	<b>IL6ST</b>	-1,632	0.002
<b>MARCO</b>	-3,271	0.001	<b>TBX21</b>	-1,608	0.005
<b>CCL14</b>	-2,928	0.002	<b>HLA-G</b>	-1,6	0.009
<b>CXCL12</b>	-2,86	0.002	<b>ITGA1</b>	-1,597	0.002
<b>CD163</b>	-2,731	0.004	<b>FCGR2A</b>	-1,591	0.012
<b>CD36</b>	-2,618	0.003	<b>CD33</b>	-1,587	0.002
<b>F13A1</b>	-2,511	0.011	<b>CD96</b>	-1,586	0.024
<b>COLEC12</b>	-2,423	0.002	<b>THBS1</b>	-1,578	0.014
<b>TNFSF11</b>	-2,416	0.000	<b>TXNIP</b>	-1,57	0.002
<b>TNFRSF11A</b>	-2,402	0.003	<b>IDO1</b>	-1,56	0.005
<b>CD160</b>	-2,395	0.002	<b>IFITM1</b>	-1,557	0.023
<b>CMA1</b>	-2,23	0.010	<b>CXCR3</b>	-1,545	0.005
<b>CTSL</b>	-2,152	0.001	<b>CCR9</b>	-1,539	0.032
<b>KLRD1</b>	-2,152	0.003	<b>CD28</b>	-1,538	0.012
<b>CCL21</b>	-2,137	0.015	<b>CD3G</b>	-1,535	0.017
<b>CD40LG</b>	-2,134	0.007	<b>IL23R</b>	-1,529	0.019
<b>TPSAB1</b>	-2,12	0.088	<b>MAF</b>	-1,527	0.010
<b>ITGA6</b>	-2,105	0.003	<b>PDGFRB</b>	-1,526	0.003
<b>CD1B</b>	-2,087	0.012	<b>TLR3</b>	-1,522	0.001
<b>IL7R</b>	-2,05	0.012	<b>TXK</b>	-1,511	0.010
<b>BTLA</b>	-2,037	0.006	<b>CFI</b>	-1,51	0.003
<b>CTSG</b>	-2,016	0.035	<b>CLEC7A</b>	-1,51	0.004
<b>FCER1A</b>	-2,01	0.004	<b>NT5E</b>	-1,5	0.030
<b>S100A8</b>	-2	0.018	<b>AXL</b>	-1,48	0.034
<b>CCL18</b>	-1,985	0.088	<b>MS4A2</b>	-1,461	0.015
<b>CFD</b>	-1,98	0.016	<b>IL1A</b>	-1,43	0.045
<b>XCL2</b>	-1,976	0.018	<b>SERPING1</b>	-1,425	0.005
<b>PPARG</b>	-1,912	0.001	<b>HLA-DPB1</b>	-1,424	0.024
<b>C1QB</b>	-1,907	0.045	<b>AIRE</b>	-1,419	0.080
<b>SELL</b>	-1,902	0.025	<b>CD244</b>	-1,414	0.006
<b>CXCL5</b>	-1,896	0.085	<b>CCL16</b>	-1,403	0.011
<b>ANXA1</b>	-1,883	0.001	<b>C1S</b>	-1,401	0.009
<b>KLRF1</b>	-1,86	0.028	<b>ITGA5</b>	-1,398	0.006
<b>CD86</b>	-1,842	0.002	<b>CR1</b>	-1,383	0.073
<b>FCGR3A</b>	-1,821	0.033	<b>SPP1</b>	-1,376	0.133
<b>PDGFC</b>	-1,816	0.001	<b>CASP1</b>	-1,374	0.004
<b>LAMP3</b>	-1,812	0.041	<b>PTPRC</b>	-1,372	0.041

<b>IL1R1</b>	-1,809	0.007	<b>AMICA1</b>	-1,357	0.010
<b>DPP4</b>	-1,766	0.001	<b>S100B</b>	-1,351	0.123
<b>NRP1</b>	-1,74	0.004	<b>NOS2A</b>	-1,35	0.015
<b>GNLY</b>	-1,727	0.029	<b>TLR8</b>	-1,34	0.022
<b>SH2D1B</b>	-1,7	0.004	<b>IL6R</b>	-1,325	0.024
<b>CD3D</b>	-1,687	0.009	<b>PDCD1LG2</b>	-1,306	0.005
<b>CD4</b>	-1,687	0.003	<b>CDH5</b>	-1,302	0.004
<b>HLA-DPA1</b>	-1,282	0.005	<b>ITGB3</b>	-0,949	0.087
<b>RORC</b>	-1,273	0.008	<b>BMI1</b>	-0,949	0.015
<b>IL15</b>	-1,263	0.017	<b>SH2D1A</b>	-0,944	0.101
<b>SLAMF1</b>	-1,257	0.045	<b>CTSS</b>	-0,944	0.012
<b>C2</b>	-1,249	0.074	<b>LRP1</b>	-0,942	0.088
<b>CD34</b>	-1,233	0.023	<b>REPS1</b>	-0,942	0.030
<b>LGALS3</b>	-1,215	0.025	<b>S100A12</b>	-0,941	0.057
<b>CD1E</b>	-1,213	0.080	<b>CFP</b>	-0,94	0.080
<b>VCAM1</b>	-1,198	0.029	<b>STAT5B</b>	-0,93	0.030
<b>PTGDR2</b>	-1,197	0.021	<b>FLT3LG</b>	-0,929	0.033
<b>C7</b>	-1,195	0.032	<b>CCL23</b>	-0,926	0.030
<b>NCAM1</b>	-1,189	0.048	<b>CEBPB</b>	-0,922	0.012
<b>C1QA</b>	-1,179	0.111	<b>FCER1G</b>	-0,92	0.133
<b>VEGFC</b>	-1,164	0.010	<b>CD59</b>	-0,918	0.051
<b>IFNGR1</b>	-1,156	0.009	<b>CTAG1B</b>	-0,916	0.030
<b>SSX1</b>	-1,15	0.013	<b>ITK</b>	-0,909	0.095
<b>TNFRSF1A</b>	-1,149	0.004	<b>CD48</b>	-0,907	0.018
<b>KLRG1</b>	-1,148	0.084	<b>SPANXB1</b>	-0,903	0.082
<b>ABCB1</b>	-1,141	0.133	<b>CD164</b>	-0,901	0.030
<b>CSF1</b>	-1,14	0.025	<b>IL18RAP</b>	-0,901	0.095
<b>IL3RA</b>	-1,133	0.066	<b>CFB</b>	-0,899	0.032
<b>C3</b>	-1,128	0.095	<b>ICOS</b>	-0,893	0.096
<b>CD247</b>	-1,127	0.030	<b>TNFSF18</b>	-0,884	0.111
<b>DOCK9</b>	-1,12	0.015	<b>IL12B</b>	-0,879	0.032
<b>MNX1</b>	-1,117	0.101	<b>ITGB2</b>	-0,875	0.065
<b>CXCL16</b>	-1,107	0.020	<b>VEGFA</b>	-0,873	0.032
<b>A2M</b>	-1,106	0.028	<b>TLR5</b>	-0,871	0.033
<b>SELPLG</b>	-1,1	0.014	<b>TARP</b>	-0,866	0.149
<b>CCL13</b>	-1,093	0.148	<b>PRM1</b>	-0,865	0.067
<b>F2RL1</b>	-1,09	0.030	<b>TAL1</b>	-0,856	0.103
<b>IL2RG</b>	-1,089	0.010	<b>CXCL10</b>	-0,846	0.102
<b>CCR4</b>	-1,086	0.029	<b>CREB5</b>	-0,846	0.084
<b>ENG</b>	-1,082	0.033	<b>TNFRSF10C</b>	-0,819	0.110
<b>C3AR1</b>	-1,079	0.010	<b>CCR2</b>	-0,816	0.113
<b>TNFSF10</b>	-1,077	0.017	<b>LTBR</b>	-0,813	0.030
<b>IL2</b>	-1,074	0.064	<b>CX3CR1</b>	-0,81	0.084
<b>HLA-DRA</b>	-1,066	0.015	<b>ATG5</b>	-0,808	0.030
<b>C1R</b>	-1,065	0.018	<b>CTSH</b>	-0,8	0.080
<b>ITGB1</b>	-1,065	0.024	<b>GATA3</b>	-0,796	0.113
<b>COL3A1</b>	-1,061	0.015	<b>IL12RB2</b>	-0,794	0.117
<b>TCF7</b>	-1,044	0.094	<b>TNFSF13B</b>	-0,794	0.050

<b>THBD</b>	-1,037	0.046	<b>TANK</b>	-0,788	0.033
<b>RORA</b>	-1,034	0.032	<b>CMKLR1</b>	-0,779	0.067
<b>ITGA2</b>	-1,031	0.022	<b>CD46</b>	-0,772	0.033
<b>IL32</b>	-1,03	0.039	<b>JAK1</b>	-0,763	0.084
<b>PECAM1</b>	-1,001	0.010	<b>MAPK1</b>	-0,754	0.088
<b>IL34</b>	-1	0.024	<b>PSEN2</b>	-0,753	0.056
<b>CXCL14</b>	-0,985	0.108	<b>BST1</b>	-0,74	0.074
<b>CD3E</b>	-0,963	0.057	<b>CX3CL1</b>	-0,736	0.084
<b>NFKB1</b>	-0,73	0.080	<b>CXCR5</b>	0,823	0.086
<b>MR1</b>	-0,695	0.111	<b>TLR9</b>	0,845	0.100
<b>JAK2</b>	-0,691	0.061	<b>CD79A</b>	0,852	0.023
<b>CASP10</b>	-0,681	0.096	<b>SPN</b>	0,862	0.088
<b>CDH1</b>	-0,66	0.117	<b>EGR2</b>	0,886	0.116
<b>HLA-E</b>	-0,658	0.042	<b>HLA-DRB3</b>	0,895	0.088
<b>MAGEA4</b>	-0,652	0.102	<b>IRF5</b>	0,931	0.057
<b>NFATC3</b>	-0,644	0.099	<b>CEACAM1</b>	0,954	0.086
<b>TNFRSF8</b>	-0,644	0.133	<b>MIF</b>	0,975	0.061
<b>IRF8</b>	-0,642	0.113	<b>TFEB</b>	0,989	0.011
<b>TNFRSF1B</b>	-0,632	0.129	<b>CD19</b>	1,008	0.047
<b>FAS</b>	-0,63	0.120	<b>PAX5</b>	1,063	0.007
<b>IRF2</b>	-0,622	0.038	<b>IRF4</b>	1,095	0.033
<b>IL15RA</b>	-0,619	0.119	<b>CD37</b>	1,107	0.014
<b>ICAM2</b>	-0,615	0.133	<b>LTK</b>	1,124	0.129
<b>ETS1</b>	-0,611	0.088	<b>ICOSLG</b>	1,131	0.030
<b>F12</b>	-0,611	0.096	<b>ADORA2A</b>	1,141	0.011
<b>IRGM</b>	-0,598	0.096	<b>CD70</b>	1,152	0.144
<b>ATF1</b>	-0,563	0.062	<b>BCL2</b>	1,161	0.033
<b>RPS6</b>	-0,558	0.084	<b>ENTPD1</b>	1,206	0.133
<b>CYLD</b>	-0,558	0.095	<b>CCL3</b>	1,237	0.037
<b>ICAM3</b>	-0,557	0.094	<b>TNFSF13</b>	1,254	0.086
<b>PSEN1</b>	-0,556	0.114	<b>PRKCE</b>	1,272	0.014
<b>FCGR1A</b>	-0,508	0.113	<b>CD24</b>	1,281	0.052
<b>NFKBIA</b>	-0,505	0.113	<b>SH2B2</b>	1,321	0.022
<b>ATF2</b>	-0,501	0.080	<b>CD38</b>	1,337	0.085
<b>MAPK14</b>	-0,424	0.123	<b>CXCL9</b>	1,338	0.112
<b>ILF3</b>	0,436	0.102	<b>CDK1</b>	1,399	0.066
<b>GTF3C1</b>	0,494	0.092	<b>SYT17</b>	1,41	0.015
<b>STAT6</b>	0,531	0.085	<b>CD3EAP</b>	1,437	0.010
<b>BAX</b>	0,538	0.120	<b>TNFRSF18</b>	1,482	0.017
<b>PIN1</b>	0,549	0.062	<b>CD79B</b>	1,796	0.007
<b>TIRAP</b>	0,558	0.100	<b>BIRC5</b>	1,908	0.029
<b>MAPKAPK2</b>	0,56	0.095	<b>TTK</b>	2,133	0.006
<b>MYD88</b>	0,627	0.061	<b>MSR1</b>	2,176	0.119
<b>TNFRSF13C</b>	0,672	0.135	<b>PBK</b>	2,274	0.010
<b>IRF3</b>	0,759	0.098	<b>USP9Y</b>	2,703	0.070
<b>FADD</b>	0,778	0.080	<b>IL17RB</b>	3,067	0.022
<b>TNFRSF9</b>	0,797				

FC: Fold Change; adj.P.Val: adjusted p-value

**Supplemental Table S4. 395 NanoString-based statistically significant differential expressed genes in SOX11+ nodal MCLs vs. RLN primary cases with adjusted P value<0.15 .**

Gene	logFC	adj.P.Val	Gene	logFC	adj.P.Val
CCL18	-4,344	0.000	FLT3	-1,994	0.000
TREM1	-3,415	0.003	C3	-1,977	0.001
AICDA	-3,282	0.000	IL4R	-1,966	0.000
GZMB	-3,092	0.000	ITGA6	-1,962	0.001
LRRN3	-3,049	0.000	C1QB	-1,955	0.003
MRC1	-2,901	0.000	ABCB1	-1,914	0.001
F13A1	-2,824	0.000	ICOS	-1,905	0.000
CD209	-2,811	0.001	CTLA4	-1,901	0.000
IL21	-2,76	0.000	CLEC7A	-1,893	0.000
CLEC4C	-2,726	0.002	AIRE	-1,876	0.001
CCL17	-2,716	0.000	CD200	-1,871	0.000
CCL24	-2,707	0.003	IL6R	-1,868	0.000
CCL13	-2,707	0.000	CCL23	-1,858	0.000
CD1B	-2,649	0.000	CD3D	-1,849	0.000
FCER1A	-2,649	0.000	CXCR2	-1,833	0.004
LAMP3	-2,645	0.000	AMICA1	-1,83	0.000
S100A8	-2,587	0.031	ITGA5	-1,827	0.000
LIF	-2,538	0.000	CD247	-1,815	0.000
SLAMF1	-2,511	0.000	C7	-1,803	0.000
S100B	-2,497	0.000	SERPINB2	-1,803	0.049
KLRB1	-2,452	0.000	COL3A1	-1,795	0.000
CCL21	-2,44	0.000	KLRD1	-1,792	0.000
CD40LG	-2,43	0.000	TPSAB1	-1,791	0.049
CCL14	-2,336	0.000	SELL	-1,788	0.002
FCER2	-2,314	0.011	MAF	-1,782	0.000
GNLY	-2,238	0.001	TLR8	-1,778	0.000
NRP1	-2,229	0.000	SH2D1B	-1,776	0.000
CXCL12	-2,224	0.000	CCL26	-1,775	0.006
ANXA1	-2,182	0.003	CD3E	-1,751	0.000
SIGLEC1	-2,163	0.000	S100A12	-1,727	0.009
CCL19	-2,16	0.000	RORC	-1,723	0.000
THBD	-2,152	0.000	FCGR3A	-1,715	0.003
BTLA	-2,147	0.000	MME	-1,706	0.043
IL23R	-2,121	0.001	CD1E	-1,705	0.001
IL1R1	-2,109	0.000	MS4A2	-1,701	0.002
DPP4	-2,084	0.000	ITK	-1,691	0.000
CD28	-2,08	0.000	LCN2	-1,689	0.101
CD36	-2,053	0.000	KLRC2	-1,673	0.072
TNFRSF11A	-2,051	0.000	ITGB3	-1,635	0.001
NT5E	-2,05	0.000	TNFRSF8	-1,633	0.000
SPINK5	-2,048	0.072	CD3G	-1,63	0.000

<b>CD163</b>	-2,047	0.003	<b>LTBR</b>	-1,629	0.000
<b>IL7R</b>	-2,028	0.002	<b>CD59</b>	-1,625	0.000
<b>IL1R2</b>	-2,01	0.002	<b>IDO1</b>	-1,618	0.000
<b>CCR2</b>	-2,004	0.000	<b>CD86</b>	-1,615	0.000
<b>CFI</b>	-1,608	0.000	<b>IL34</b>	-1,392	0.000
<b>ITGA2</b>	-1,604	0.001	<b>PPARG</b>	-1,374	0.000
<b>IFITM1</b>	-1,599	0.001	<b>CDH5</b>	-1,373	0.000
<b>ITGA1</b>	-1,596	0.001	<b>NCAM1</b>	-1,372	0.002
<b>SERPING1</b>	-1,596	0.000	<b>IL1A</b>	-1,37	0.016
<b>TXK</b>	-1,592	0.001	<b>C1R</b>	-1,355	0.001
<b>THBS1</b>	-1,59	0.005	<b>SELPLG</b>	-1,349	0.000
<b>PDGFRB</b>	-1,579	0.000	<b>TNFRSF1A</b>	-1,343	0.000
<b>IL1RN</b>	-1,577	0.132	<b>SPP1</b>	-1,341	0.021
<b>TCF7</b>	-1,573	0.001	<b>IL2RB</b>	-1,331	0.003
<b>A2M</b>	-1,57	0.000	<b>CTSG</b>	-1,327	0.045
<b>CCL8</b>	-1,567	0.000	<b>BCL6</b>	-1,317	0.002
<b>FOS</b>	-1,558	0.061	<b>LGALS3</b>	-1,305	0.003
<b>CD7</b>	-1,558	0.003	<b>TLR5</b>	-1,303	0.000
<b>TAL1</b>	-1,55	0.001	<b>CFB</b>	-1,299	0.001
<b>TNFSF13B</b>	-1,547	0.000	<b>TNFSF10</b>	-1,288	0.000
<b>PTGDR2</b>	-1,545	0.000	<b>IL12RB2</b>	-1,287	0.001
<b>MUC1</b>	-1,543	0.006	<b>IL18R1</b>	-1,271	0.005
<b>IL6ST</b>	-1,54	0.000	<b>CDH1</b>	-1,263	0.001
<b>KLRF1</b>	-1,535	0.004	<b>TNFRSF17</b>	-1,258	0.058
<b>CCL20</b>	-1,533	0.100	<b>MEFV</b>	-1,254	0.001
<b>IL3RA</b>	-1,523	0.001	<b>KIT</b>	-1,246	0.031
<b>KLRC1</b>	-1,521	0.073	<b>ENG</b>	-1,245	0.001
<b>STAT4</b>	-1,514	0.000	<b>CD34</b>	-1,231	0.003
<b>C1QA</b>	-1,509	0.004	<b>CD14</b>	-1,231	0.004
<b>CD96</b>	-1,508	0.003	<b>LILRB3</b>	-1,231	0.005
<b>F12</b>	-1,504	0.000	<b>C1S</b>	-1,23	0.003
<b>FCGR2A</b>	-1,494	0.000	<b>TARP</b>	-1,224	0.004
<b>F2RL1</b>	-1,482	0.001	<b>CCL2</b>	-1,216	0.002
<b>AXL</b>	-1,481	0.002	<b>SOCS1</b>	-1,215	0.003
<b>IL18RAP</b>	-1,476	0.001	<b>CXCL14</b>	-1,203	0.008
<b>CD2</b>	-1,459	0.001	<b>GZMM</b>	-1,197	0.008
<b>CREB5</b>	-1,456	0.000	<b>ITGB1</b>	-1,196	0.000
<b>FUT7</b>	-1,451	0.005	<b>CD160</b>	-1,193	0.009
<b>CD4</b>	-1,448	0.000	<b>CD1A</b>	-1,191	0.031
<b>GATA3</b>	-1,442	0.000	<b>XCL2</b>	-1,182	0.047
<b>IL2</b>	-1,438	0.001	<b>CCL16</b>	-1,181	0.003
<b>CEACAM6</b>	-1,434	0.053	<b>RORA</b>	-1,179	0.010
<b>PDGFC</b>	-1,43	0.001	<b>CLEC4A</b>	-1,179	0.002
<b>IL1RL1</b>	-1,424	0.001	<b>CCL11</b>	-1,177	0.025
<b>ADA</b>	-1,424	0.000	<b>IL1B</b>	-1,169	0.041
<b>CFD</b>	-1,423	0.006	<b>CCR1</b>	-1,167	0.031
<b>PTPRC</b>	-1,422	0.002	<b>LRP1</b>	-1,16	0.006
<b>DOCK9</b>	-1,412	0.000	<b>CCR4</b>	-1,159	0.004



<b>HLA-DPB1</b>	-1,403	0.007	<b>IFI27</b>	-1,148	0.010
<b>MEF2C</b>	-1,398	0.009	<b>IL17A</b>	-1,147	0.099
<b>CMA1</b>	-1,396	0.020	<b>SLAMF7</b>	-1,146	0.014
<b>CCR9</b>	-1,143	0.011	<b>EGR1</b>	-0,919	0.074
<b>CXCL16</b>	-1,137	0.001	<b>C2</b>	-0,914	0.036
<b>SH2D1A</b>	-1,135	0.007	<b>NCR1</b>	-0,912	0.006
<b>CCND3</b>	-1,135	0.001	<b>IL6</b>	-0,91	0.105
<b>FCER1G</b>	-1,128	0.011	<b>SSX1</b>	-0,909	0.013
<b>FLT3LG</b>	-1,123	0.005	<b>MAGEA1</b>	-0,904	0.011
<b>IL15</b>	-1,122	0.003	<b>C3AR1</b>	-0,891	0.001
<b>IL1RL2</b>	-1,103	0.003	<b>TXNIP</b>	-0,888	0.002
<b>CD207</b>	-1,099	0.004	<b>FN1</b>	-0,887	0.040
<b>LILRA5</b>	-1,097	0.004	<b>PDCD1</b>	-0,885	0.065
<b>CSF2RB</b>	-1,094	0.005	<b>IL4</b>	-0,881	0.061
<b>TREM2</b>	-1,083	0.014	<b>CD33</b>	-0,863	0.004
<b>ZAP70</b>	-1,081	0.024	<b>DUSP4</b>	-0,858	0.110
<b>MCAM</b>	-1,071	0.003	<b>SSX4</b>	-0,852	0.016
<b>CEBPB</b>	-1,064	0.001	<b>DUSP6</b>	-0,85	0.008
<b>STAT5B</b>	-1,05	0.001	<b>C4B</b>	-0,849	0.113
<b>ITGB4</b>	-1,044	0.026	<b>CLU</b>	-0,849	0.037
<b>PRM1</b>	-1,035	0.005	<b>MPPED1</b>	-0,844	0.080
<b>PVR</b>	-1,03	0.000	<b>CCR3</b>	-0,843	0.055
<b>TBX21</b>	-1,026	0.003	<b>CSF2</b>	-0,841	0.018
<b>LBP</b>	-1,016	0.016	<b>CSF3R</b>	-0,836	0.019
<b>TNFSF11</b>	-1,016	0.019	<b>TICAM2</b>	-0,833	0.011
<b>C6</b>	-1,014	0.012	<b>HLA-DPA1</b>	-0,826	0.062
<b>RAG1</b>	-1,009	0.006	<b>C1QBP</b>	-0,824	0.008
<b>LILRA1</b>	-1,008	0.004	<b>IL17F</b>	-0,822	0.039
<b>CXCR3</b>	-1,002	0.002	<b>MASP1</b>	-0,811	0.009
<b>LAG3</b>	-1	0.068	<b>PDCD1LG2</b>	-0,81	0.017
<b>C4BPA</b>	-0,996	0.005	<b>TNFRSF1B</b>	-0,8	0.008
<b>CD8B</b>	-0,995	0.031	<b>FOXP3</b>	-0,799	0.047
<b>RRAD</b>	-0,995	0.016	<b>LAIR2</b>	-0,791	0.029
<b>IL32</b>	-0,99	0.003	<b>THY1</b>	-0,791	0.027
<b>TLR3</b>	-0,99	0.003	<b>IL21R</b>	-0,791	0.051
<b>FCGR1A</b>	-0,986	0.003	<b>CARD9</b>	-0,788	0.041
<b>CCL1</b>	-0,981	0.017	<b>STAT3</b>	-0,777	0.003
<b>IFNGR1</b>	-0,981	0.001	<b>IL13RA2</b>	-0,777	0.049
<b>ICAM4</b>	-0,974	0.021	<b>ULBP2</b>	-0,775	0.036
<b>CX3CR1</b>	-0,973	0.003	<b>TNFSF18</b>	-0,769	0.033
<b>VEGFC</b>	-0,972	0.006	<b>CMKLR1</b>	-0,753	0.009
<b>CD48</b>	-0,97	0.001	<b>CDKN1A</b>	-0,745	0.031
<b>CD244</b>	-0,96	0.006	<b>IL1RAPL2</b>	-0,739	0.011
<b>ZNF205</b>	-0,95	0.016	<b>IFNB1</b>	-0,739	0.080
<b>CTSL</b>	-0,937	0.016	<b>PECAM1</b>	-0,736	0.020
<b>CD164</b>	-0,935	0.004	<b>KIR_Inhibiting_</b>		
<b>IL12B</b>	-0,929	0.004	<b>Subgroup_2</b>	-0,729	0.075
			<b>REPS1</b>	-0,726	0.025

<b>CXCL10</b>	-0,925	0.057	<b>KIR_Inhibiting_</b>		
			<b>Subgroup_1</b>	-0,717	0.050
<b>SLC11A1</b>	-0,921	0.027	<b>XCR1</b>	-0,717	0.064
<b>TNFSF14</b>	-0,92	0.001	<b>VEGFA</b>	-0,71	0.039
<b>CASP10</b>	-0,708	0.034	<b>CCL15</b>	-0,508	0.131
<b>IFNA7</b>	-0,697	0.022	<b>IL25</b>	-0,502	0.057
<b>ISG20</b>	-0,693	0.089	<b>LY96</b>	-0,501	0.089
<b>ANP32B</b>	-0,684	0.050	<b>CRP</b>	-0,491	0.079
<b>SLAMF6</b>	-0,669	0.048	<b>NFATC3</b>	-0,489	0.079
<b>CEACAM8</b>	-0,666	0.054	<b>CD81</b>	-0,485	0.041
<b>EGR2</b>	-0,666	0.068	<b>ATG5</b>	-0,484	0.068
<b>PTGS2</b>	-0,662	0.145	<b>BST1</b>	-0,482	0.143
<b>TNFSF12</b>	-0,661	0.011	<b>HLA-E</b>	-0,468	0.042
<b>CYLD</b>	-0,661	0.007	<b>TANK</b>	-0,457	0.065
<b>ARG1</b>	-0,658	0.101	<b>IL2RG</b>	-0,453	0.103
<b>TNFRSF10C</b>	-0,658	0.042	<b>ICAM1</b>	-0,412	0.100
<b>IL15RA</b>	-0,655	0.019	<b>PSMD7</b>	-0,392	0.099
<b>CSF3</b>	-0,654	0.087	<b>MAPK14</b>	-0,382	0.056
<b>OSM</b>	-0,653	0.106	<b>TFE3</b>	-0,369	0.115
<b>IL24</b>	-0,646	0.115	<b>ATG16L1</b>	-0,314	0.123
<b>IL11</b>	-0,645	0.089	<b>MYD88</b>	0,379	0.144
<b>CD63</b>	-0,644	0.034	<b>INPP5D</b>	0,4	0.104
<b>MAP2K1</b>	-0,644	0.012	<b>ILF3</b>	0,407	0.040
<b>CSF1</b>	-0,643	0.041	<b>REL</b>	0,434	0.089
<b>CD276</b>	-0,64	0.058	<b>ABL1</b>	0,487	0.099
<b>ITGB2</b>	-0,637	0.057	<b>TNFRSF9</b>	0,519	0.130
<b>ITGAL</b>	-0,635	0.101	<b>IL10RA</b>	0,521	0.107
<b>IL26</b>	-0,629	0.053	<b>TLR4</b>	0,542	0.062
<b>MERTK</b>	-0,628	0.087	<b>STAT6</b>	0,584	0.026
<b>CXCR1</b>	-0,624	0.143	<b>CYFIP2</b>	0,606	0.029
<b>FYN</b>	-0,619	0.049	<b>IL7</b>	0,612	0.128
<b>CASP1</b>	-0,605	0.025	<b>ST6GAL1</b>	0,638	0.026
<b>VCAM1</b>	-0,604	0.033	<b>SMAD3</b>	0,654	0.025
<b>ATM</b>	-0,602	0.089	<b>MAP3K1</b>	0,705	0.008
<b>CTAG1B</b>	-0,6	0.074	<b>CARD11</b>	0,733	0.015
<b>TNFSF8</b>	-0,598	0.103	<b>SYK</b>	0,751	0.017
<b>SPA17</b>	-0,585	0.031	<b>POU2F2</b>	0,78	0.038
<b>ETS1</b>	-0,581	0.049	<b>SH2B2</b>	0,786	0.085
<b>CCL27</b>	-0,579	0.075	<b>TLR6</b>	0,806	0.004
<b>TIGIT</b>	-0,578	0.137	<b>LYN</b>	0,81	0.005
<b>IRF8</b>	-0,576	0.057	<b>ENTPD1</b>	0,839	0.089
<b>SBNO2</b>	-0,575	0.028	<b>SYT17</b>	0,878	0.023
<b>SIGIRR</b>	-0,573	0.130	<b>CCL4</b>	0,904	0.082
<b>CD68</b>	-0,571	0.106	<b>PRKCE</b>	0,926	0.007
<b>TNFRSF14</b>	-0,569	0.012	<b>PAX5</b>	0,963	0.021
<b>RPS6</b>	-0,566	0.018	<b>BTK</b>	1,007	0.008
<b>SPANXB1</b>	-0,565	0.144	<b>BLNK</b>	1,01	0.001
<b>CTAGE1</b>	-0,541	0.139	<b>TFEB</b>	1,013	0.001

<b>FPR2</b>	-0,514	0.101	<b>TNFSF4</b>	1,046	0.068
<b>IFNL2</b>	-0,513	0.146	<b>CD1C</b>	1,067	0.141
<b>PSEN2</b>	-0,509	0.057	<b>CD19</b>	1,075	0.016
<b>KLRK1</b>	1,11	0.090	<b>IRF5</b>	1,48	0.000
<b>CXCR5</b>	1,165	0.003	<b>TNFRSF13C</b>	1,526	0.000
<b>TLR10</b>	1,181	0.001	<b>IRAK2</b>	1,531	0.001
<b>CD79A</b>	1,185	0.005	<b>BLK</b>	1,56	0.000
<b>CD37</b>	1,198	0.004	<b>CAMP</b>	1,585	0.036
<b>FCGR2B</b>	1,209	0.003	<b>CEACAM1</b>	1,59	0.001
<b>BCL2</b>	1,262	0.006	<b>CD1D</b>	1,741	0.002
<b>MS4A1</b>	1,302	0.001	<b>CD24</b>	1,841	0.001
<b>TLR9</b>	1,423	0.003	<b>MSR1</b>	1,861	0.047
<b>CD79B</b>	1,425	0.008	<b>TNFRSF13B</b>	2,058	0.001
<b>LILRA4</b>	1,431	0.103	<b>CD70</b>	2,289	0.000
			<b>IL17RB</b>	3,132	0.000

FC: Fold Change; adj.P.Val: adjusted p-value

**SUPPLEMENTAL TABLE S5. 12 NanoString-based statistically significant differential expressed genes in SOX11- vs. RLN primary cases with adjusted P value<0.15 .**

<b>Gene</b>	<b>logFC</b>	<b>adj.P.Val</b>
<b>TNFRSF13B</b>	<b>-2.054</b>	<b>0.111</b>
<b>IL7</b>	<b>-1.279</b>	<b>0.145</b>
<b>BLK</b>	<b>-1.204</b>	<b>0.149</b>
<b>CCR2</b>	<b>1.187</b>	<b>0.111</b>
<b>CD200</b>	<b>1.497</b>	<b>0.121</b>
<b>BCL6</b>	<b>1.703</b>	<b>0.080</b>
<b>CCL19</b>	<b>1.803</b>	<b>0.020</b>
<b>GZMB</b>	<b>1.977</b>	<b>0.130</b>
<b>IL4R</b>	<b>2.035</b>	<b>0.111</b>
<b>LIF</b>	<b>2.098</b>	<b>0.040</b>
<b>CCL17</b>	<b>2.370</b>	<b>0.145</b>
<b>PBK</b>	<b>2.595</b>	<b>0.149</b>

FC: Fold Change; adj.P.Val: adjusted p-value

**SUPPLEMENTAL TABLE S6. Differential expression of the 190 genes, significantly downregulated in SOX11+ compared to SOX11- nodal MCLs and RLNs, in unpurified nodal samples (unpurified LN; n=34) compared to CD19+ purified lymph nodes (CD19+ LN; n=4) and CD19+ purified peripheral blood samples (CD19+ PB; n=15) of pretreated SOX11+ MCL cases (GSE70910).**

	Unpurified LN vs CD19+ purified PB		Unpurified LN vs CD19+ purified LN	
	log <sub>2</sub> (FC)	adj.P.val	log <sub>2</sub> (FC)	adj.P.val
<b>CXCL14</b>	6,569	0,000	6,381	0,000
<b>VCAM1</b>	7,192	0,000	6,175	0,000
<b>CCL21</b>	6,014	0,000	6,141	0,000
<b>COL3A1</b>	5,314	0,000	5,304	0,000
<b>A2M</b>	4,617	0,000	4,654	0,000
<b>C1S</b>	5,032	0,000	4,560	0,000
<b>CXCL12</b>	6,100	0,000	4,183	0,000
<b>C3</b>	4,341	0,000	4,170	0,000
<b>CXCL10</b>	4,524	0,000	4,152	0,000
<b>IL6ST</b>	3,931	0,000	4,031	0,000
<b>CDH1</b>	4,157	0,000	4,003	0,000
<b>C7</b>	4,091	0,000	3,897	0,000
<b>PDGFC</b>	3,646	0,000	3,831	0,000
<b>MAF</b>	3,998	0,000	3,829	0,000
<b>SERPING1</b>	3,479	0,000	3,694	0,000
<b>IL7R</b>	3,849	0,000	3,611	0,000
<b>IL32</b>	4,283	0,000	3,575	0,000
<b>C1QA</b>	4,010	0,000	3,532	0,000
<b>C1QB</b>	3,412	0,000	3,480	0,000
<b>ANXA1</b>	2,977	0,000	3,154	0,000
<b>TNFSF11</b>	3,618	0,000	3,109	0,000
<b>THBD</b>	2,810	0,000	3,096	0,000
<b>C1R</b>	3,563	0,000	3,080	0,000
<b>IL1R1</b>	3,194	0,000	2,899	0,000
<b>THBS1</b>	3,084	0,000	2,748	0,001
<b>TNFSF13B</b>	2,550	0,000	2,715	0,000
<b>FCER1G</b>	2,299	0,000	2,704	0,000
<b>CD3D</b>	3,212	0,000	2,689	0,000
<b>ITK</b>	3,439	0,000	2,665	0,000
<b>CD28</b>	2,770	0,000	2,624	0,000
<b>CTSL</b>	2,496	0,000	2,609	0,000
<b>LGALS3</b>	3,250	0,000	2,589	0,000
<b>S100A8</b>	-0,556	0,353	2,558	0,024
<b>SH2D1A</b>	3,261	0,000	2,444	0,000
<b>LAMP3</b>	2,356	0,000	2,439	0,000

<b>CMKLR1</b>	1,870	0,000	2,289	0,000
<b>RORA</b>	2,170	0,000	2,172	0,004
<b>CX3CR1</b>	0,778	0,012	2,136	0,001
<b>CCL18</b>	2,194	0,000	2,108	0,009
<b>IL2RG</b>	0,532	0,264	2,095	0,022
<b>CD4</b>	2,028	0,000	2,075	0,002
<b>VEGFC</b>	1,790	0,000	2,041	0,000
<b>C3AR1</b>	1,293	0,000	2,037	0,000
<b>TARP</b>	2,372	0,000	2,035	0,002
<b>IDO1</b>	1,987	0,000	1,980	0,000
<b>CDH5</b>	2,003	0,000	1,967	0,001
<b>CLEC7A</b>	1,863	0,000	1,931	0,003
<b>CFD</b>	1,547	0,002	1,892	0,011
<b>CD3E</b>	2,155	0,000	1,891	0,003
<b>STAT4</b>	1,793	0,000	1,845	0,000
<b>IL15</b>	1,408	0,001	1,828	0,002
<b>CD3G</b>	2,099	0,000	1,783	0,001
<b>XCL2</b>	2,897	0,000	1,758	0,008
<b>TLR8</b>	1,253	0,001	1,753	0,001
<b>ITGA6</b>	2,061	0,000	1,752	0,000
<b>CD247</b>	2,071	0,000	1,728	0,001
<b>MRC1</b>	1,392	0,001	1,721	0,003
<b>IL6R</b>	1,675	0,000	1,667	0,004
<b>KLRB1</b>	2,061	0,000	1,651	0,003
<b>TNFRSF1A</b>	2,215	0,000	1,649	0,001
<b>CCL14</b>	1,842	0,000	1,634	0,004
<b>AXL</b>	1,461	0,000	1,629	0,002
<b>ITGB2</b>	1,855	0,000	1,581	0,003
<b>CD36</b>	1,642	0,001	1,527	0,029
<b>CFB</b>	1,660	0,000	1,525	0,000
<b>NRP1</b>	1,783	0,000	1,507	0,006
<b>TPSAB1</b>	1,560	0,001	1,480	0,021
<b>C2</b>	1,213	0,000	1,470	0,002
<b>TLR5</b>	1,220	0,000	1,372	0,000
<b>CD163</b>	1,271	0,004	1,341	0,040
<b>JAML</b>	0,714	0,010	1,291	0,005
<b>ICOS</b>	1,597	0,000	1,251	0,001
<b>CD164</b>	0,788	0,056	1,228	0,076
<b>TNFRSF1B</b>	1,065	0,001	1,217	0,009
<b>ENG</b>	1,390	0,000	1,181	0,001
<b>CXCL16</b>	0,409	0,020	1,110	0,001
<b>TNFSF10</b>	0,778	0,001	1,079	0,002
<b>CD96</b>	1,091	0,005	1,076	0,049
<b>PDGFRB</b>	1,283	0,000	1,031	0,004
<b>IFNGR1</b>	1,422	0,000	1,021	0,001
<b>CD1E</b>	1,121	0,003	1,021	0,058
<b>CFI</b>	1,315	0,000	0,965	0,004
<b>CD59</b>	1,982	0,000	0,926	0,034

<b>SIGLEC1</b>	0,868	0,002	0,920	0,011
<b>IFITM1</b>	1,938	0,000	0,915	0,017
<b>CD86</b>	1,190	0,001	0,914	0,031
<b>SELPLG</b>	0,570	0,002	0,894	0,002
<b>IL1A</b>	0,716	0,004	0,887	0,022
<b>IL15RA</b>	0,896	0,000	0,871	0,003
<b>NT5E</b>	0,677	0,000	0,841	0,001
<b>CXCR3</b>	1,237	0,000	0,835	0,008
<b>SLAMF1</b>	1,471	0,000	0,829	0,008
<b>VEGFA</b>	2,919	0,000	0,801	0,120
<b>IL3RA</b>	0,960	0,000	0,793	0,003
<b>ITGB1</b>	1,342	0,002	0,793	0,124
<b>CD34</b>	0,891	0,001	0,778	0,023
<b>FLT3LG</b>	-0,367	0,168	0,773	0,096
<b>PDCD1LG2</b>	0,527	0,002	0,772	0,004
<b>CD244</b>	0,501	0,003	0,757	0,005
<b>TXK</b>	0,849	0,000	0,724	0,012
<b>TXNIP</b>	-0,842	0,002	0,718	0,028
<b>SELL</b>	0,683	0,082	0,691	0,264
<b>DOCK9</b>	0,506	0,020	0,676	0,030
<b>PECAM1</b>	0,664	0,007	0,660	0,045
<b>SPP1</b>	0,768	0,002	0,647	0,032
<b>ITGA5</b>	0,629	0,001	0,616	0,010
<b>S100B</b>	0,682	0,002	0,605	0,041
<b>GNLY</b>	0,433	0,128	0,593	0,213
<b>CD33</b>	0,428	0,002	0,563	0,010
<b>CSF3R</b>	0,233	0,016	0,554	0,002
<b>STAT5B</b>	0,108	0,596	0,548	0,122
<b>LRRN3</b>	0,580	0,019	0,543	0,109
<b>LTBR</b>	0,447	0,004	0,534	0,022
<b>CD160</b>	0,574	0,008	0,530	0,074
<b>GATA3</b>	2,067	0,000	0,525	0,390
<b>DPP4</b>	0,612	0,001	0,493	0,038
<b>IL12RB2</b>	0,457	0,007	0,489	0,059
<b>BST1</b>	0,458	0,002	0,457	0,031
<b>CEBPB</b>	0,245	0,049	0,447	0,027
<b>CD209</b>	0,540	0,021	0,446	0,162
<b>NCAM1</b>	0,256	0,017	0,441	0,013
<b>HLA-E</b>	-0,127	0,408	0,439	0,090
<b>CTSG</b>	0,376	0,028	0,436	0,088
<b>CSF1</b>	0,762	0,000	0,435	0,047
<b>CASP1</b>	0,366	0,109	0,435	0,204
<b>F2RL1</b>	0,523	0,001	0,434	0,030
<b>FLT3</b>	0,375	0,006	0,390	0,045
<b>CMA1</b>	0,254	0,024	0,376	0,026
<b>TCF7</b>	0,148	0,497	0,347	0,312
<b>NFATC3</b>	0,096	0,791	0,346	0,583
<b>TNFRSF11A</b>	0,238	0,008	0,291	0,022

<b>ITGA1</b>	0,341	0,002	0,286	0,036
<b>HLA-DPB1</b>	-0,547	0,027	0,284	0,448
<b>PPARG</b>	0,132	0,307	0,283	0,204
<b>HLA-DPA1</b>	-1,257	0,003	0,280	0,608
<b>KLRD1</b>	0,288	0,026	0,278	0,107
<b>IL18RAP</b>	0,478	0,004	0,271	0,204
<b>ITGA2</b>	0,371	0,000	0,270	0,008
<b>CCL13</b>	0,270	0,006	0,267	0,056
<b>ETS1</b>	-0,427	0,144	0,244	0,615
<b>F13A1</b>	1,526	0,003	0,238	0,722
<b>FCGR3A</b>	0,080	0,517	0,237	0,264
<b>CD40LG</b>	0,334	0,011	0,236	0,222
<b>CCR2</b>	0,903	0,007	0,197	0,671
<b>PSEN2</b>	-0,197	0,137	0,195	0,350
<b>CCL16</b>	-0,115	0,182	0,193	0,189
<b>TBX21</b>	0,022	0,913	0,170	0,604
<b>TLR3</b>	0,209	0,003	0,155	0,063
<b>IL12B</b>	0,173	0,011	0,147	0,079
<b>ABCB1</b>	-0,464	0,119	0,139	0,755
<b>FCER1A</b>	0,116	0,111	0,116	0,284
<b>CCR4</b>	0,125	0,167	0,104	0,491
<b>AIRE</b>	-0,111	0,258	0,094	0,577
<b>PTPRC</b>	0,038	0,895	0,081	0,858
<b>LRP1</b>	0,003	0,972	0,079	0,639
<b>S100A12</b>	-0,872	0,020	0,057	0,916
<b>CCL23</b>	0,047	0,267	0,046	0,461
<b>TANK</b>	0,028	0,913	0,031	0,930
<b>PRM1</b>	-0,138	0,092	0,022	0,873
<b>CD1B</b>	0,041	0,639	0,007	0,959
<b>SSX1</b>	-0,042	0,445	-0,015	0,873
<b>KLRF1</b>	-0,202	0,419	-0,039	0,913
<b>CREB5</b>	-0,025	0,737	-0,043	0,737
<b>TNFRSF8</b>	-0,030	0,692	-0,046	0,722
<b>IL34</b>	-0,169	0,116	-0,048	0,784
<b>RORC</b>	-0,113	0,213	-0,052	0,737
<b>SH2D1B</b>	-0,118	0,180	-0,068	0,628
<b>TNFRSF10C</b>	-0,043	0,542	-0,069	0,572
<b>TNFSF18</b>	-0,171	0,028	-0,099	0,399
<b>FCGR1A</b>	-0,065	0,041	-0,112	0,020
<b>CTAG1B</b>	-0,262	0,004	-0,113	0,362
<b>PTGDR2</b>	-0,296	0,005	-0,119	0,411
<b>ITGB3</b>	-0,064	0,353	-0,125	0,291
<b>MS4A2</b>	-0,031	0,652	-0,133	0,260
<b>RPS6</b>	-0,146	0,035	-0,151	0,169
<b>IL2</b>	-0,036	0,614	-0,155	0,175
<b>CCR9</b>	-0,322	0,034	-0,171	0,418
<b>MAPK14</b>	0,135	0,440	-0,201	0,496
<b>FCGR2A</b>	-0,870	0,000	-0,207	0,327



<b>CASP10</b>	0,270	0,102	-0,222	0,353
<b>IRF8</b>	-0,769	0,000	-0,236	0,142
<b>IL23R</b>	-0,115	0,065	-0,242	0,026
<b>ATG5</b>	0,017	0,913	-0,277	0,234
<b>TAL1</b>	-0,268	0,060	-0,301	0,196
<b>F12</b>	-0,366	0,003	-0,302	0,069
<b>SPANXB1</b>	-0,195	0,007	-0,310	0,010
<b>BTLA</b>	-1,078	0,005	-0,364	0,477
<b>CD48</b>	-0,051	0,745	-0,414	0,103
<b>REPS1</b>	-0,446	0,045	-0,512	0,130
<b>CYLD</b>	-0,615	0,001	-0,608	0,023

FC: Fold Change; adj.P.Val: adjusted p-value

**SUPPLEMENTAL TABLE S7. DAVID gene ontology functional annotations of the 124 NanoString-based downregulated genes in SOX11+ vs. SOX11- nodal MCLs and RLN primary cases, statistically significant upregulated in unpurified LN samples compare to purified LN and PB samples from MCL patients, and their association with OS of 122 SOX11+ MCL patients (GSE93291).**

<b>Functional annotation cluster</b>	<b>Enrichment score</b>	<b>Genes</b>	<b>adj. P. Val</b>	<b>COX reg. P. Val</b>
<b>Cytokine-cytokine receptor interaction</b>	8.2	<i>IL1R1, IL6ST, CSF1, CXCR3, IL15, IL7R, CXCL12, CXCL10, IL12RB2, TNFRSF1A, TNFRSF1B, TNFRSF11A, CCL21, IL15RA, CSF3R, IFNGR1, IL1A, LTBR, IL6R, CCL18, TNFSF10, CCL13, TNFSF11, CCL14, TNFSF13B, CXCL14, CXCL16, CX3CR1, IL12B, XCL2, IL3RA</i>	1.04e-17	0.189
<b>Cell adhesion molecules (CAMs)</b>	7.2	<i>CDH1, ITGB2, ITGB1, PDCD1LG2, CDH5, VCAM1, NCAM1, SIGLEC1, CD86, ITGA6, CD34, ICOS, PECAM1, CD4, SELPLG, CD28</i>	7.25e-8	0.9
<b>T-cell costimulation and signaling activation</b>	11.6	<i>CD86, CD3G, CD3D, TNFSF13B, CD3E, CCL21, ICOS, CD247, CD4, DPP4, PDCD1LG2, CD28, ITK</i>	4.34e-5	<b>0.035</b>
<b>Natural killer cell mediated cytotoxicity</b>	4.2	<i>CD244, SH2D1A, TNFSF10, CD247, FCER1G, ITGB2, KLRD1, IFNGR1</i>	0.01	0.205

adj.P. Val: adjusted p-value; COX reg. P. Val: COX regression p-value

**Supplemental Table S8. DAVID gene ontology functional annotations of the 66 NanoString-based downregulated genes in SOX11+ vs. SOX11- nodal MCLs and RLN primary cases, without significant expression differences between the unpurified and purified MCL nodal samples, and their association with OS of 122 SOX11+ MCL patients (GSE93291).**

<b>Functional annotation cluster</b>	<b>Enrichment score</b>	<b>Genes</b>	<b>adj. P. Val</b>	<b>COX reg. P. Val</b>
<b>Antigen processing and presentation</b>	2.73	<i>HLA-E, HLA-DPA1, HLA-DPB1</i>	0.031	<b>0.0195</b>
<b>Cytokine-cytokine receptor interaction</b>	2.72	<i>CCL16, CCL23, CCR2, CCR4, CCR9, FLT3LG, IL18RAP, IL2, IL2RG, IL23R, TNFSF18, TNFRSF10C, TNFRSF8</i>	1.5e-5	0.674

adj.P.Val: adjusted p-value; COX reg. P. Val: COX regression p-value

**Supplemental Table S9. Differential expression of the 24 genes, significantly upregulated in SOX11+ compared to SOX11- nodal MCLs and RLNs, in CD19+ purified lymph nodes (CD19+LN; n=4) compared to unpurified nodal samples of pretreated MCL cases (unpurified LN; n=34) and CD19+ purified peripheral blood samples (CD19+PB; n=15) (GSE70910).**

	Unpurified LN vs CD19+LN		CD19+PB vs CD19+LN	
	log <sub>2</sub> (FC)	adj.P.val	log <sub>2</sub> (FC)	adj.P.val
<b>BCL2</b>	1,006	0,003	0,122	0,614
<b>ILF3</b>	0,990	0,066	1,054	0,066
<b>CD70</b>	<b>0,906</b>	<b>0,021</b>	<b>0,893</b>	<b>0,023</b>
<b>SYT17</b>	0,759	0,131	-0,772	0,141
<b>CEACAM1</b>	0,755	0,026	0,486	0,131
<b>IL17RB</b>	0,615	0,383	1,843	0,033
<b>TNFRSF13C</b>	0,588	0,008	-0,184	0,248
<b>MSR1</b>	0,533	0,585	0,846	0,383
<b>CD19</b>	0,518	0,009	0,460	0,020
<b>PRKCE</b>	0,469	0,083	-0,723	0,021
<b>IRF5</b>	0,465	0,460	-0,311	0,645
<b>PAX5</b>	0,447	0,010	-0,253	0,088
<b>TFEB</b>	0,408	0,051	-0,221	0,248
<b>CD24</b>	0,340	0,131	0,680	0,020
<b>MYD88</b>	0,182	0,094	0,135	0,222
<b>SH2B2</b>	0,139	0,645	-0,112	0,709
<b>STAT6</b>	0,100	0,768	-0,042	0,913
<b>TLR9</b>	-0,019	0,922	0,352	0,185
<b>CXCR5</b>	-0,115	0,709	0,395	0,248
<b>ENTPD1</b>	-0,118	0,759	0,531	0,224
<b>CD79A</b>	-0,630	0,266	-0,473	0,442
<b>CD79B</b>	-0,961	0,023	-0,135	0,709
<b>CD37</b>	-1,168	0,102	-1,274	0,094
<b>TNFRSF9</b>	-3,604	0,000	0,835	0,094

FC: Fold Change; adj.P.Val: adjusted p-value

**Supplemental Table S10. Univariate and multivariate linear regression models of CD70 protein expression estimated with our series of MCL primary cases. The intercept terms of the models are not shown.**

	Univariate			Multivariate		
	Coef.	IC95%	P-value	Coef.	IC95%	P-value
<b>SOX11 positivity</b>	21.54	[7.47,35.61]	0.003	25.95	[15.07,36.82]	<0.001
<b>Blastoid/Pleomorphic variant</b>	32.00	[19.28,44.72]	<0.001	27.91	[14.22,41.61]	<0.001
<b>Ki67 index</b>	0.41	[0.21,0.61]	<0.001	0.18	[-0.02,0.39]	0.076

Coef.= Coefficient; n=64; Multivariate model adjusted R-squared = 0.48

**Supplemental Table S11. Pairwise multivariate Cox regression models used to evaluate the independent prognostic value of CD70 protein expression in presence of other risk factors (Ki67 index, TP53 alterations or the blastoid/pleomorphic cytological variant), estimated with our series of SOX11+ nodal MCL primary cases. Hazard ratios (HR) for Ki67 index and CD70 protein expression correspond to 10 units increments.**

	<b>HR</b>	<b>IC95%</b>	<b>P-value</b>
<b>CD70 protein expression</b>	1.36	[1.05,1.78]	0.022
<b>TP53 alterations</b>	2.08	[0.48,9.09]	0.330

n=33, events=14; Global test p-value = 0.01

TP53 alterations (mutations, deletions and/or protein overexpression)

<b>CD70 protein expression</b>	1.55	[1.17,2.05]	0.002
<b>Blastoid/Pleomorphic Variant</b>	0.23	[0.05,1.13]	0.071

n=40, events=14; Global test p-value = 0.01

<b>CD70 protein expression</b>	1.22	[0.88,1.69]	0.242
<b>Ki67 Index</b>	1.07	[0.80,1.44]	0.653

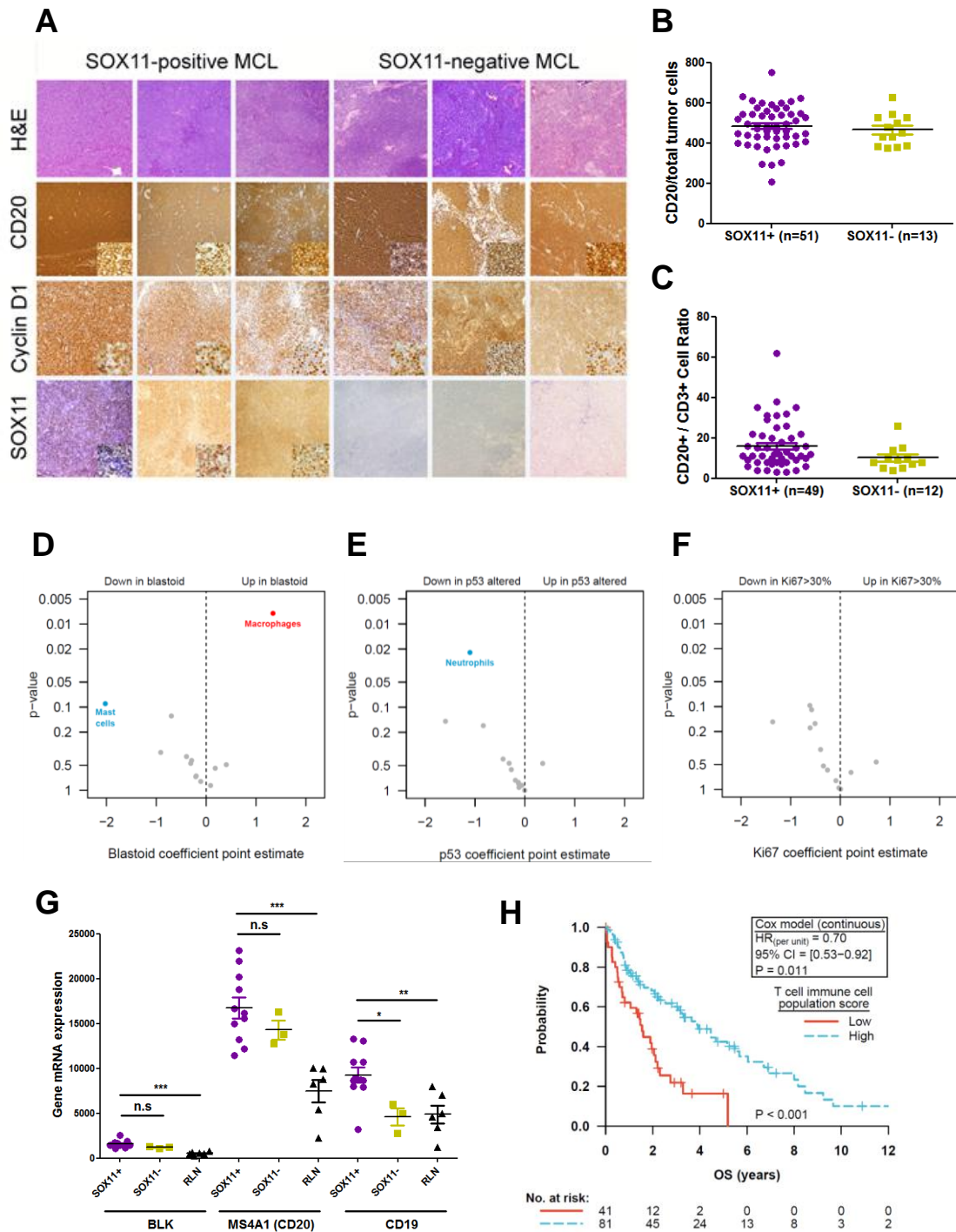
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**Supplemental Table S12. Univariate and multivariate Cox regression models estimated with the 122 nodal MCL samples cohort (GSE93291).** One outlier sample was removed in the models that included the T cell costimulation and receptor signaling score. Hazard ratios (HR) for FOXP3/CD3 mRNA ratio correspond to 0.1 units increments.

	Univariate			Multivariate		
	HR	IC95%	P-value	HR	IC95%	P-value
<b>CD70 mRNA expression</b>	1.36	[1.06,1.76]	0.017	1.02	[0.78,1.34]	0.877
<b>FOXP3/CD3 mRNA ratio</b>	1.33	[1.04,2.06]	0.049	1.42	[1.04,1.94]	0.028
<b>T cell costimulation and signaling activation</b>	0.67	[0.46,0.97]	0.036	0.82	[0.56,1.21]	0.321
<b>MKI67 mRNA expression</b>	2.48	[1.90,3.25]	<0.001	2.51	[1.88,3.35]	<0.001

n=122, events=80; Multivariate model global test p-value<0.001.

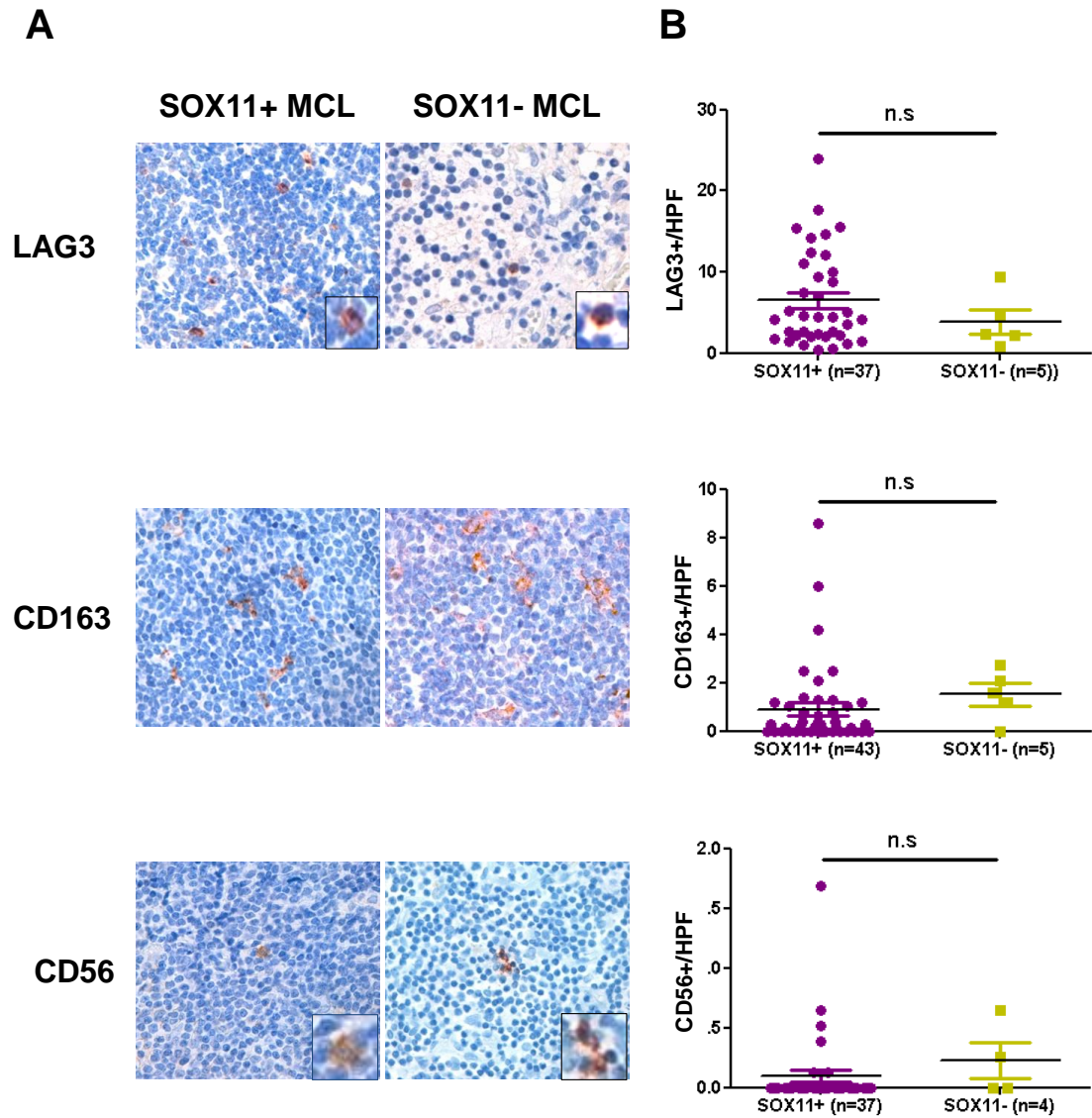
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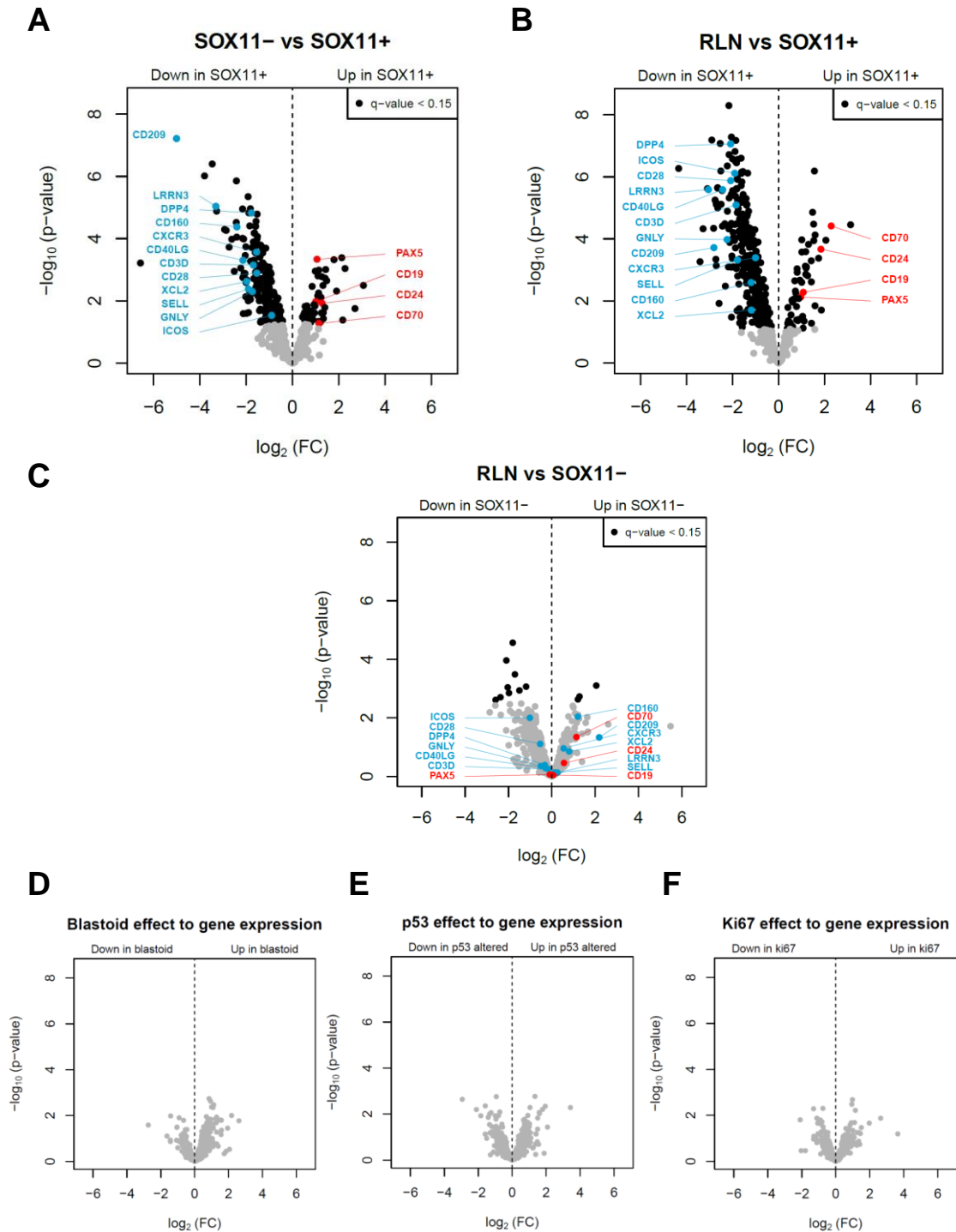
**Supplemental Figure S1. Low T cell population is associated with significant shorter OS of patients with MCL. (A)** SOX11+ and SOX11- nodal MCL primary samples have the same tumor cell content. Representative histological sections from SOX11+ and SOX11-nodal MCL primary samples stained with Hematoxylin and



Eosin (H&E) and specific antibodies anti-human CD20, Cyclin D1 and SOX11(x40), Inset magnification (x400). **(B)** IHC quantifications of CD20+ tumor cells and **(C)** CD20+/CD3+ cell ratio in SOX11+ and SOX11- nodal MCLs. **(D-F)** Volcano plots representing the effect of the risk factors: Blastoid/pleomorphic variant **(D)**, *TP53* alterations (mutations, deletions and/or protein overexpression) **(E)**, and high Ki67 (Ki67>30%) **(F)**, on the immune cell population scores, estimated with linear regression models that also included the subgroup of the samples (SOX11+, SOX11- and RLN). The effect of each risk factor was estimated without including the other risk factors in the linear models. Analyses performed with the immune cell population scores marked in red or blue within a risk factor were adjusted by that factor, as it was considered a potential confounding variable. **(G)** mRNA expression of BLK, MS4A1 (CD20) and CD19, used by the nSolver to defined B-cell content score, based on NanoString analysis in SOX11+, SOX11- nodal MCL and RLN primary samples. \*p<0.05, \*\*p<0.01, \*\*\*p<0.001. **(H)** Kaplan-Meier curve and Cox regression showing the association of the T cell population score with OS, using 122 SOX11+nodal MCL cases previously published (GSE93291). The score was calculated as the average expression of the specific T cell immune subtype markers (CD3D, CD3G, CD3E, SH2D1A) (Figure 1). High values were defined by Maxstat (cutoff point=8.8). The log-rank test p-value, the hazard ratio (HR) with 95% confidence interval (CI), and the Cox regression p-value are shown.

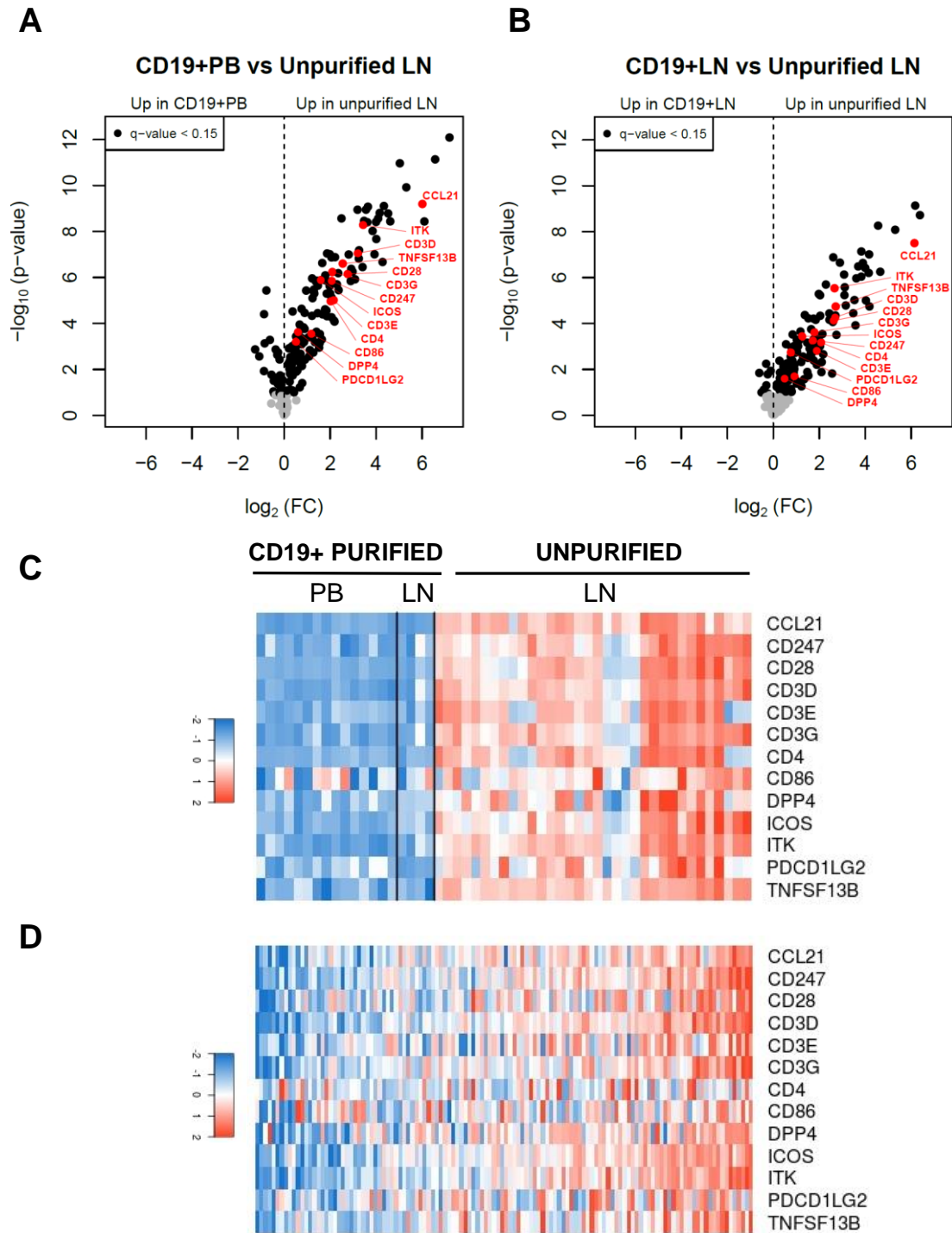


**Supplemental Figure 2. CD56+ NK cells, CD163+ TAMs and LAG3+ exhausted T cells in SOX11+ and SOX11- nodal MCL primary cases. (A)** Representative histological sections from SOX11+ and SOX11- nodal MCLs stained with specific anti-human LAG3, CD163 and CD56 antibodies. Pictures contain insets with magnification. **(B)** IHC quantifications of LAG3, CD163 and CD56+ stained intratumoral cells in SOX11+ and SOX11- nodal MCLs. The significance of difference was determined by independent samples Student t test: n.s.=statistically not significant. HPF: Number of positive cells per high power field (x400)



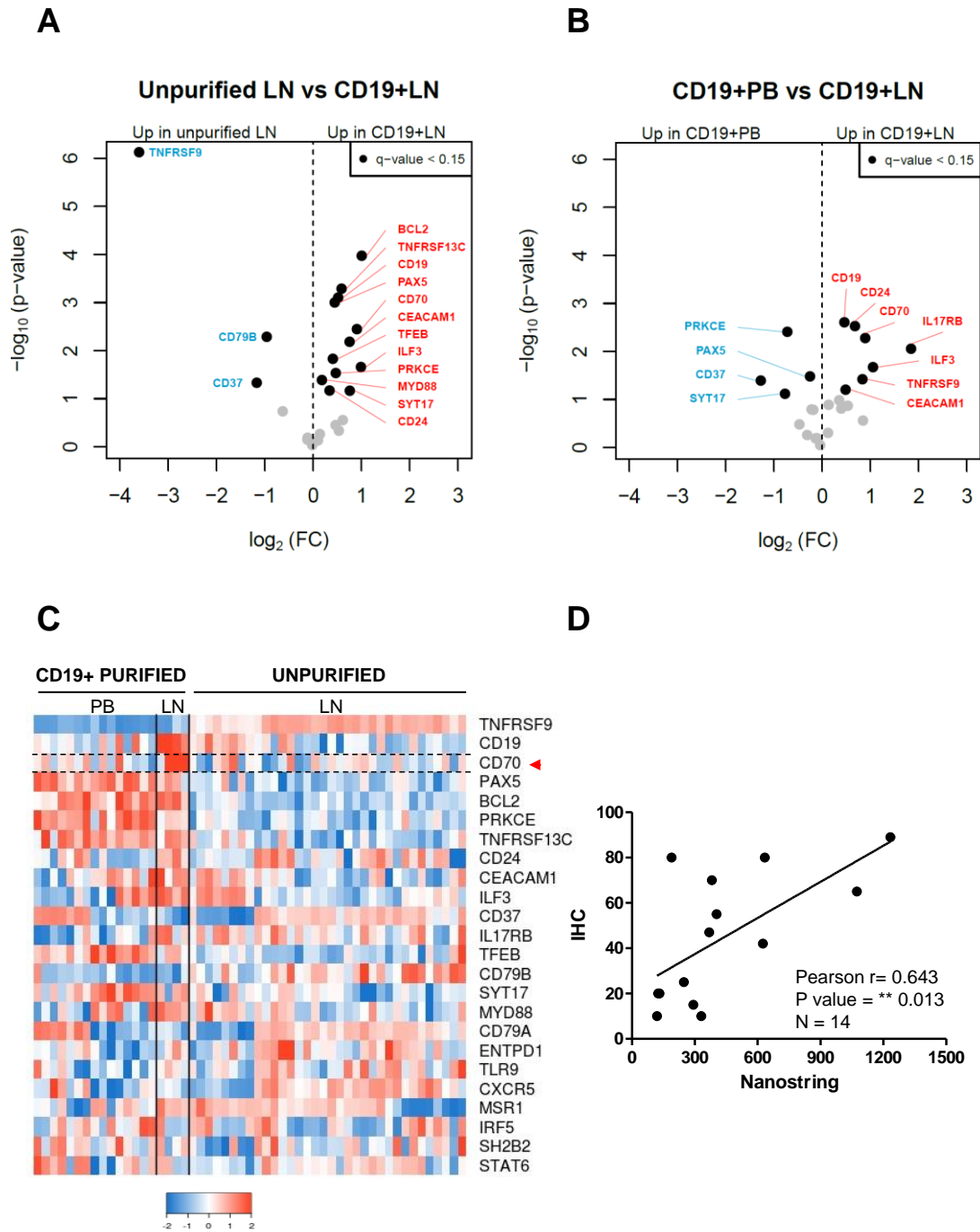
**Supplemental Figure S3. NanoString-based GEP reveals that most of the immune-related genes are downregulated in SOX11+ compared to SOX11-MCL and RLN samples.** Volcano plots representing the differential gene expression of the immune-related genes in SOX11+ nodal MCL primary samples (SOX11+; n=11) compared to (A) SOX11- cases (SOX11-; n=3) and (B) RLN

samples (RLN; n=6). **(C)** Volcano plot representing the differential gene expression of the immune-related genes in SOX11- nodal MCL primary samples (SOX11-; n=3) compared to RLN samples (RLN; n=6). Volcano plots display each gene p-value and fold change (FC) in  $-\log_{10}$  and  $\log_2$ , respectively. Genes with adjusted p-value (q-value)  $\leq 0.15$  are marked with black spots. Representative genes upregulated in SOX11+ (colored in red) or downregulated in SOX11+ (colored in blue) are written inside the volcano graphs. **(D-F)** Volcano plots representing the effect of the risk factors blastoid/pleomorphic variant **(D)**, *TP53* alterations (mutations, deletions and/or protein overexpression) **(E)** and high Ki67 **(F)** on the NanoString expression of the immune-related genes, estimated with linear regression models that also included the subgroup of the samples (SOX11+, SOX11- and RLN). The effect of each risk factor was estimated without including the other risk factors in the linear models. Volcano plots display each gene p-value and fold change (FC) in  $-\log_{10}$  and  $\log_2$ , respectively. The expression of any specific gene was clearly affected by the risk factors.



**Supplemental Figure S4. Most of the downregulated immune genes in SOX11+ compared to SOX11- MCLs and RLN are expressed by the non-malignant cells present in the lymph node microenvironment. Volcano plots of 190 genes, significantly downregulated in SOX11+ compared to SOX11- nodal MCLs and RLNs, representing the differential gene expression in unpurified nodal samples**

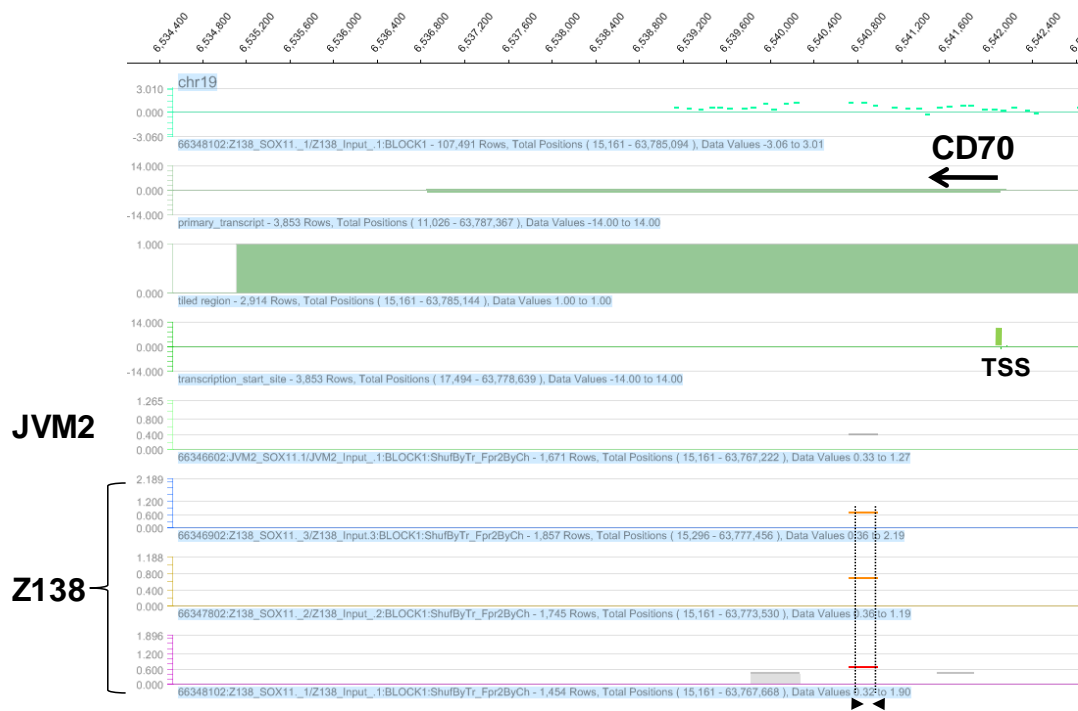
(unpurified LN; n=34) compared to **(A)** CD19+ purified lymph nodes (CD19+LN; n=4) and **(B)** CD19+ purified peripheral blood samples (CD19+PB; n=15) of pretreated MCL cases (GSE70910). Volcano plots display each gene p-value and fold change in  $-\log_{10}$  and  $\log_2$ , respectively. Genes with adjusted p-value (q-value)  $\leq 0.15$  are marked with black spots. The 13 genes grouped in the T-cell costimulation and signaling activation GO pathway are colored in red. Heatmaps showing the expression of the 13 genes grouped in the T-cell costimulation and signaling activation GO pathway, in the previously published datasets **(C)** GSE70910 (34 unpurified lymph nodes, 4 CD19+ purified lymph nodes, and 15 peripheral blood samples) and **(D)** GSE93291 (122 SOX11-positive nodal MCL cases). Red in the heatmap represents high expression and blue indicates low expression.



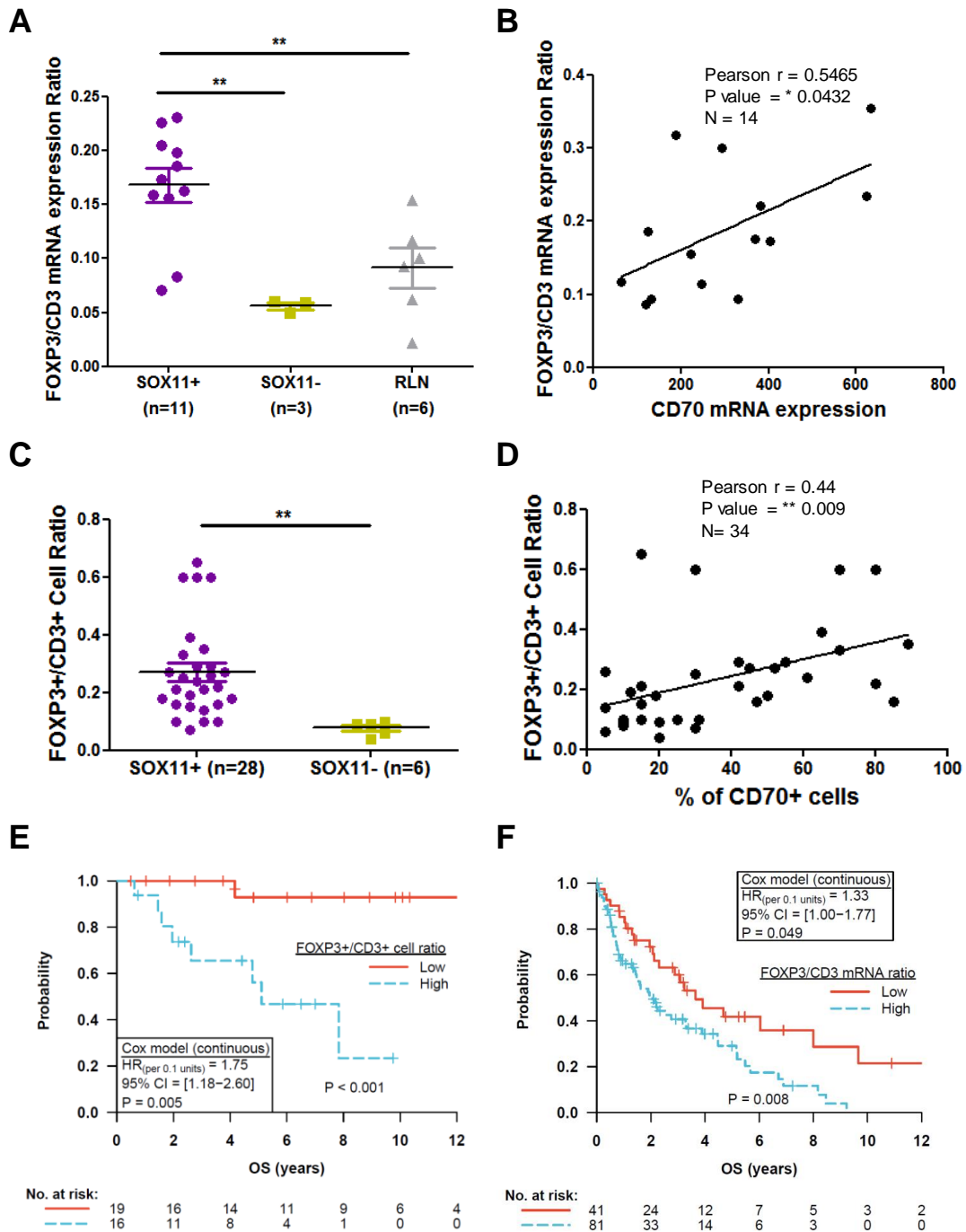
**Supplemental Figure S5. CD70 has a differential tissue-dependent expression, with a significant higher mRNA levels in CD19+ MCL cells purified from lymph node than from peripheral blood and unpurified lymph node primary MCL samples.** Volcano plots of 24 genes, significantly upregulated in SOX11+ compared to SOX11- nodal MCLs and RLNs, representing the differential gene expression in CD19+ purified nodal samples (CD19+LN; n=4) compared to (A) unpurified lymph

nodes (unpurified LN; n=34) and **(B)** CD19+ purified peripheral blood samples (CD19+PB; n=15) of pretreated MCL cases (GSE70910). Volcano plots display each gene p-value and fold change in  $-\log_{10}$  and  $\log_2$ , respectively. Genes with adjusted p-value (q-value)  $\leq 0.15$  are marked with black spots and written inside the volcano graphs. Representative genes upregulated in CD19+ LN (colored in red) or downregulated in CD19+ LN (colored in blue) are written inside the volcano graphs. **(C)** Heatmap showing the expression of the common 24 genes, statistically significant upregulated in SOX11+ compared to SOX11- MCLs and RLNs, in the previously published data of 34 unpurified nodal MCL (UNPURIFIED LN), 4 CD19+ purified lymph nodes (LN) and 15 CD19+ purified cells from the peripheral blood (PB) samples (GSE70910). Red in the heatmap represents high expression and blue indicates low expression. CD70 mRNA overexpression in CD19+ purified LN compared to the other compartments is marked by a red arrow. **(D)** Positive correlation between CD70 mRNA expression and CD70+ cells, analyzed by NanoString and IHC, respectively, in 11 SOX11+ and 3 SOX11- nodal MCL cases. Graphs show Pearson correlation coefficient (r), p value and number of cases analyzed (N).



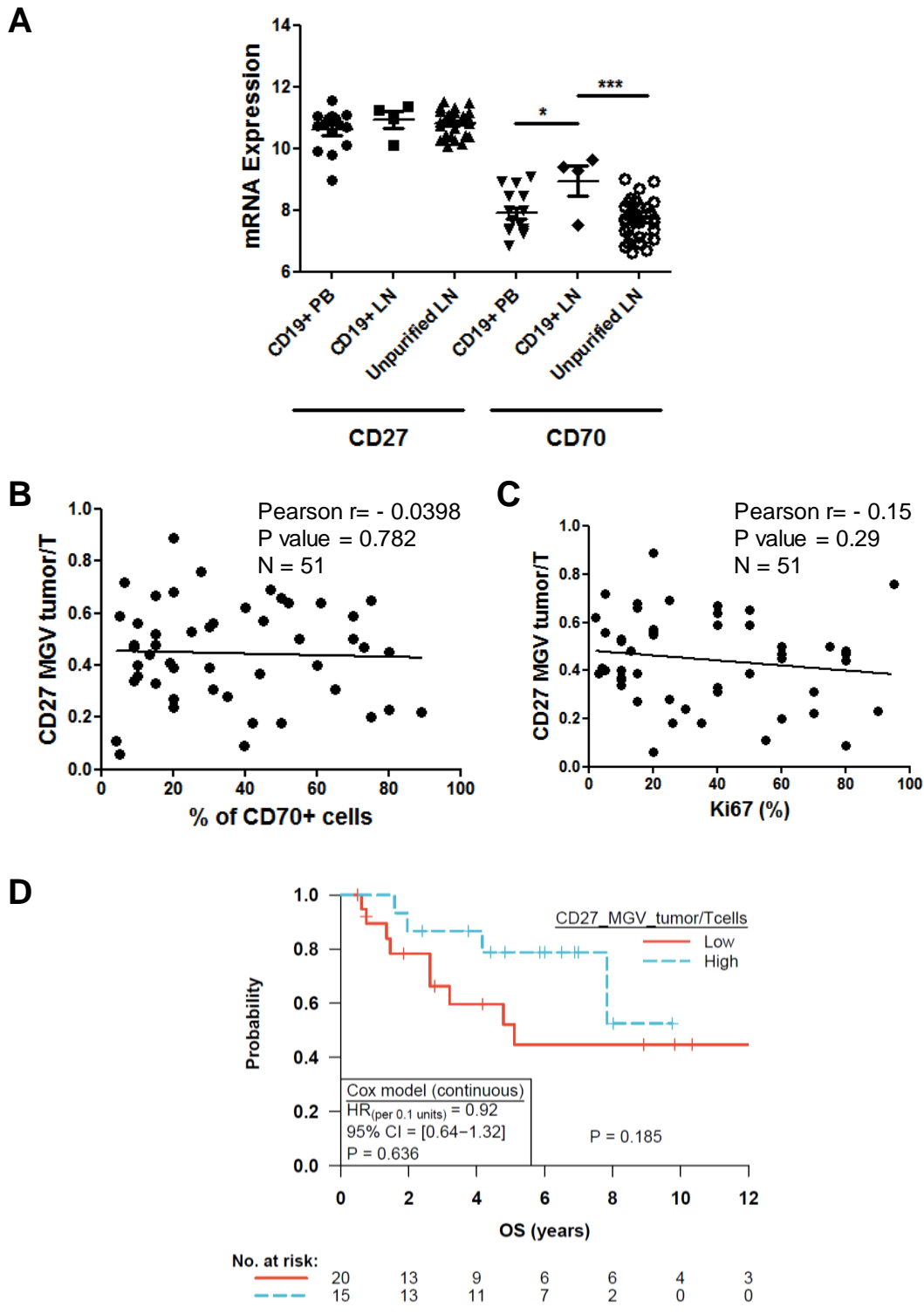


**Supplemental Figure S6. *In vitro* SOX11-specific binding to *CD70* regulatory region.** SignalMap representation of SOX11-specific binding to *CD70* regulatory region identified by ChIP-chip in three replicates of the SOX11-expressing MCL cell line, Z138.<sup>1</sup> These peaks were very weak in the SOX11-negative MCL cell line, JVM2. Red lines at the bottom depict high confidence peaks identified by NimbleScan peak finding algorithm. Orange, yellow and grey lines represent from poor, very poor to negative peaks also identified by NimbleScan peak finding algorithm. Position of gene transcripts and the promoter regions analyzed in the NimbleGen Human ChIP-chip 2.1 M Deluxe promoter array (spanning from 5kb upstream to 1kb downstream of transcription start site (TSS)) are represented in the middle panel in green, and correspond to the human genome assembly browser NCBI36/hg18. The black arrows below the red peaks indicate the primers sequences used to validate the SOX11-binding region by ChIP-qPCR.



**Supplemental Figure S7. FOXP3/CD3 mRNA and protein cell ratios are higher in SOX11+ compared to SOX11- nodal MCL and RLN primary samples and positively correlate with CD70 expression in MCL cells. (A)** FOXP3/CD3 mRNA ratio data based on NanoString data in 11 SOX11+ and 3 SOX11- nodal MCLs and 6 RLN primary samples. **(B)** Positive correlation between NanoString-based CD70

mRNA expression and FOXP3/CD3 mRNA ratio. **(C)** IHC quantification of FOXP3+/CD4+ T-cell ratio in our series of SOX11+ (n=28) and SOX11- (n=6) primary nodal MCLs samples. \*\*p<0.01. **(D)** Positive correlation between CD70+ cells and FOXP3+/CD3+ T-cell ratio, quantified by IHC in our series of nodal MCL. Graphs show Pearson correlation coefficient (r), p value and number of cases analyzed (N). **(E)** Kaplan-Meier curve and cox regression showing the association of FOXP3+/CD3+ cell ratio, quantified by IHC in our series of nodal MCL, with OS. High values were defined by Maxstat (cutoff point=0.21). **(F)** Kaplan-Meier curve and cox regression showing the association of FOXP3/CD3 mRNA ratio with OS, using previously published GEP and clinical data from 122 nodal SOX11+ MCL primary cases (GSE93291). High values were defined by Maxstat (cutoff point=0.514). The log-rank test p-value, the hazard ratio (HR) with 95% confidence interval (CI), and the cox regression p-value are shown.



**Supplemental Figure S8. CD27 expression in nodal MCL.** (A) CD27 and CD70 mRNA expression levels in unpurified lymph node MCL samples (Unpurified LN; n=34), CD19+ purified cells from lymph node samples (CD19+ LN; n=4) and peripheral blood samples (CD19+ PB; n=15) (GSE70910). \*Q-value<0.15, \*\*\*Q-

value<0.05. **(B-C)** Lack of correlation between CD27 mean gray value (MGV) tumor/T cells and CD70+ cells **(B)** or Ki67 **(C)**, quantified by IHC in our series of nodal MCL. Graphs show Pearson correlation coefficient (r), p value and number of cases analyzed (N). **(D)** Kaplan-Meier curve and cox regression showing the association of CD27 MGV tumor/T cells by IHC with OS, using our series of SOX11+ nodal MCL primary samples. High values were defined by Maxstat (cutoff point=0.47). The log-rank test p-value, the hazard ratio (HR) with 95% confidence interval (CI), and the Cox regression p-value are shown.

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