



# Le scienze «OMICHE» e la sorveglianza

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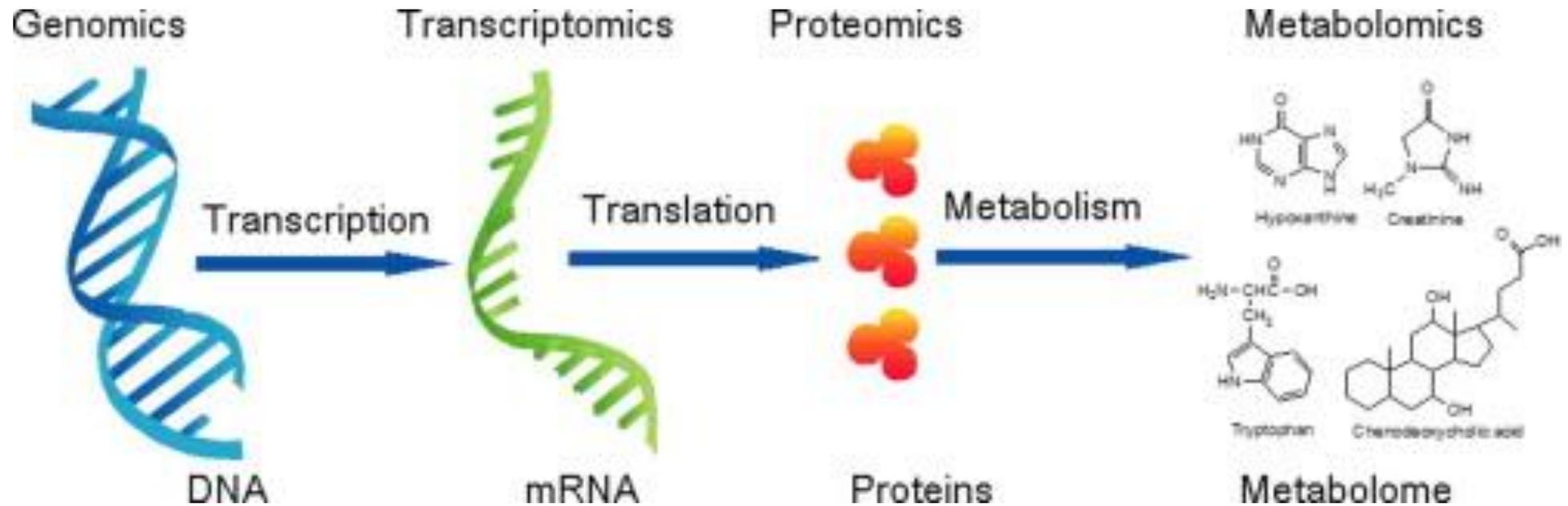
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# Di cosa parleremo

1. COSA SONO LE SCIENZE OMICHE
  2. LA RIVOLUZIONE GENOMICA
  3. APPLICAZIONI DELLA GENOMICA MICROBIOLOGICA IN SANITÀ PUBBLICA
  4. GENOMICA PER LA SORVEGLIANZA DELL' AMR
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5. IL FUTURO ?

# SCIENZE «OMICHE»: scienze che si occupano dell'ANALISI GLOBALE DI UN INSIEME DI MOLECOLE IN UN SISTEMA BIOLOGICO



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Numerose declinazioni di «Genomics»:

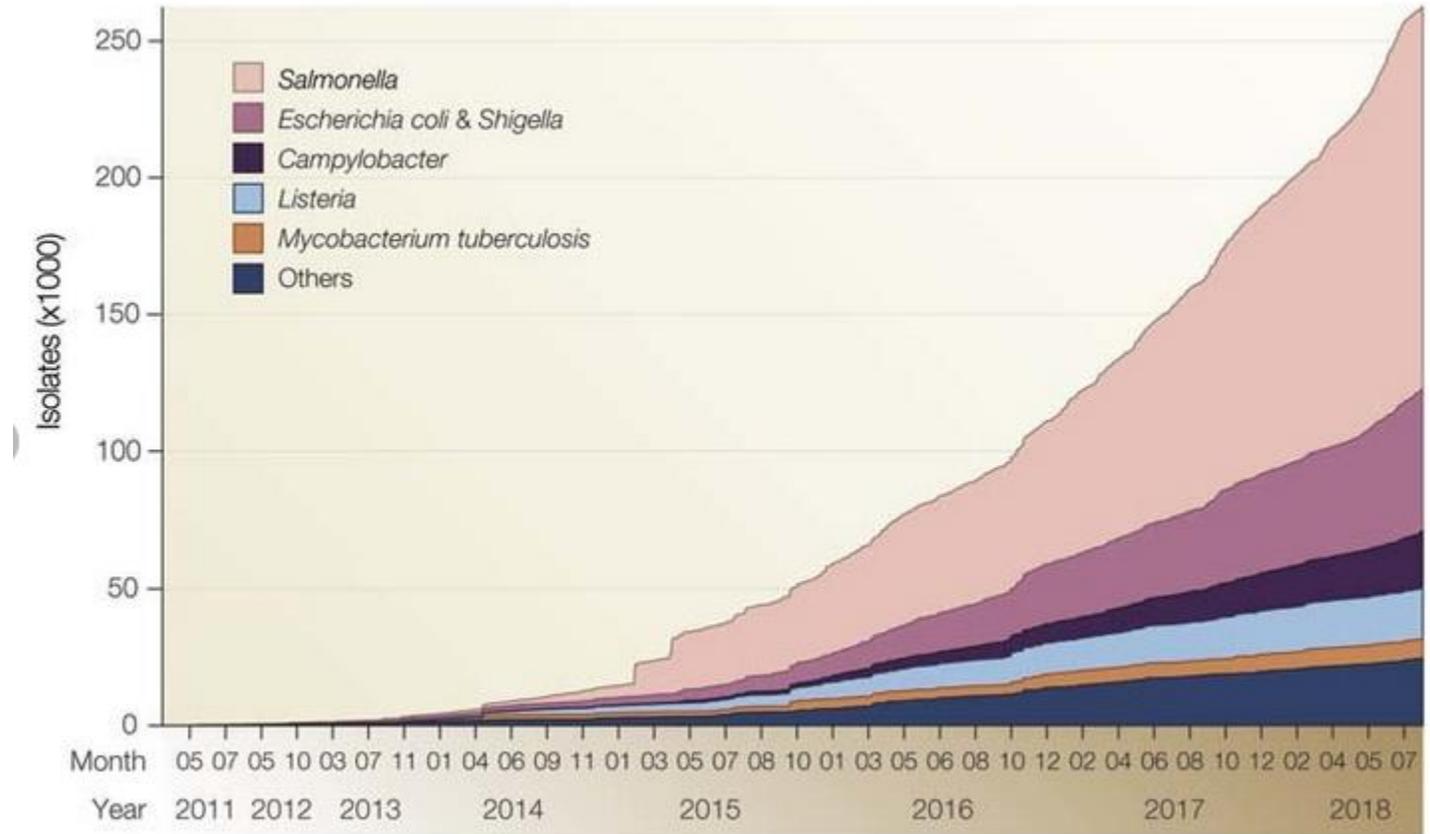
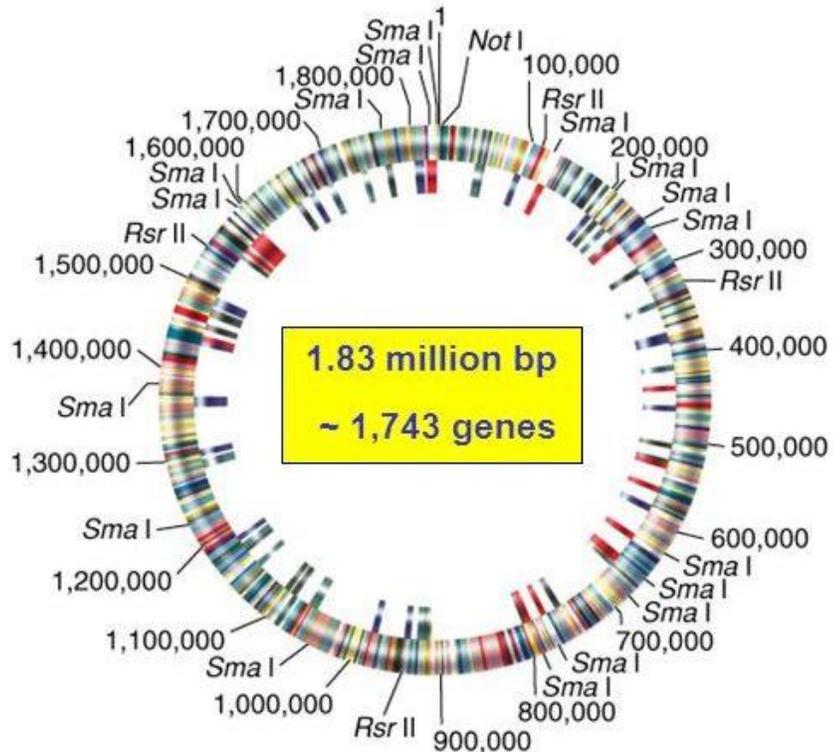
- Epigenomics
- Pharmacogenomics
- Nutritional Genomics
- Psycogenomics

Ma anche numerosi altri «OMICS»:

- Lipidomics
- Glycomics
- Connectomics
- Microbiomics

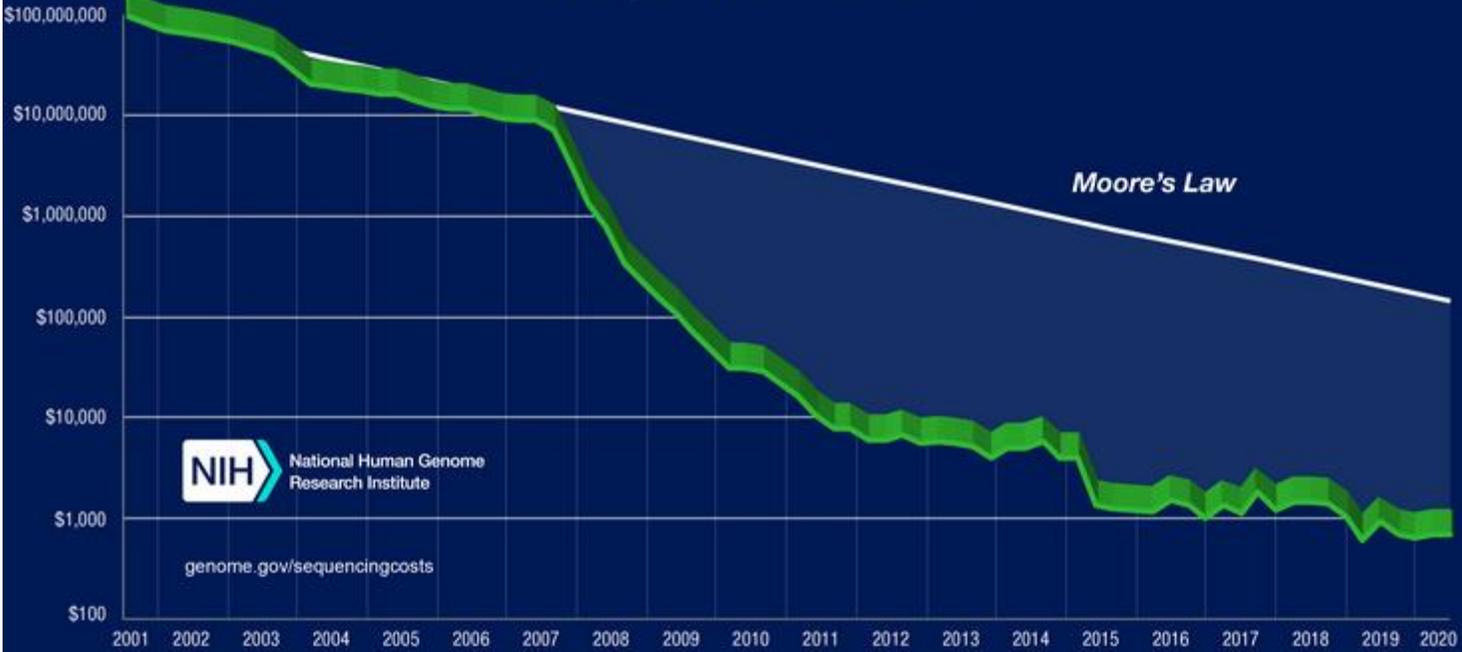
# Whole Genome Sequencing (WGS)

WGS DI PATOGENI BATTERICI (Database NCBI)



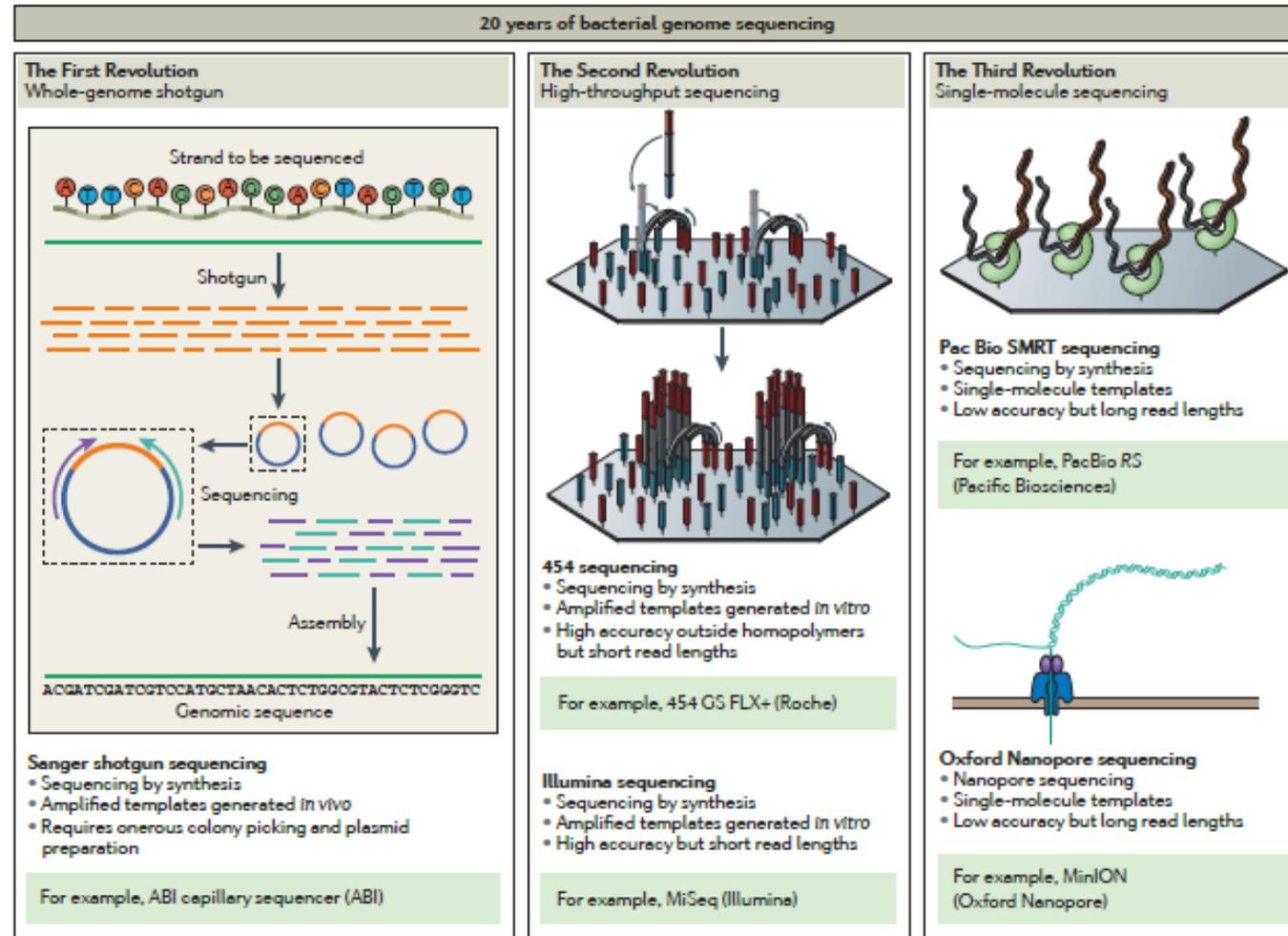
Genoma di *Haemophilus influenzae* (1995)

# Cost per Human Genome



**NIH** National Human Genome Research Institute

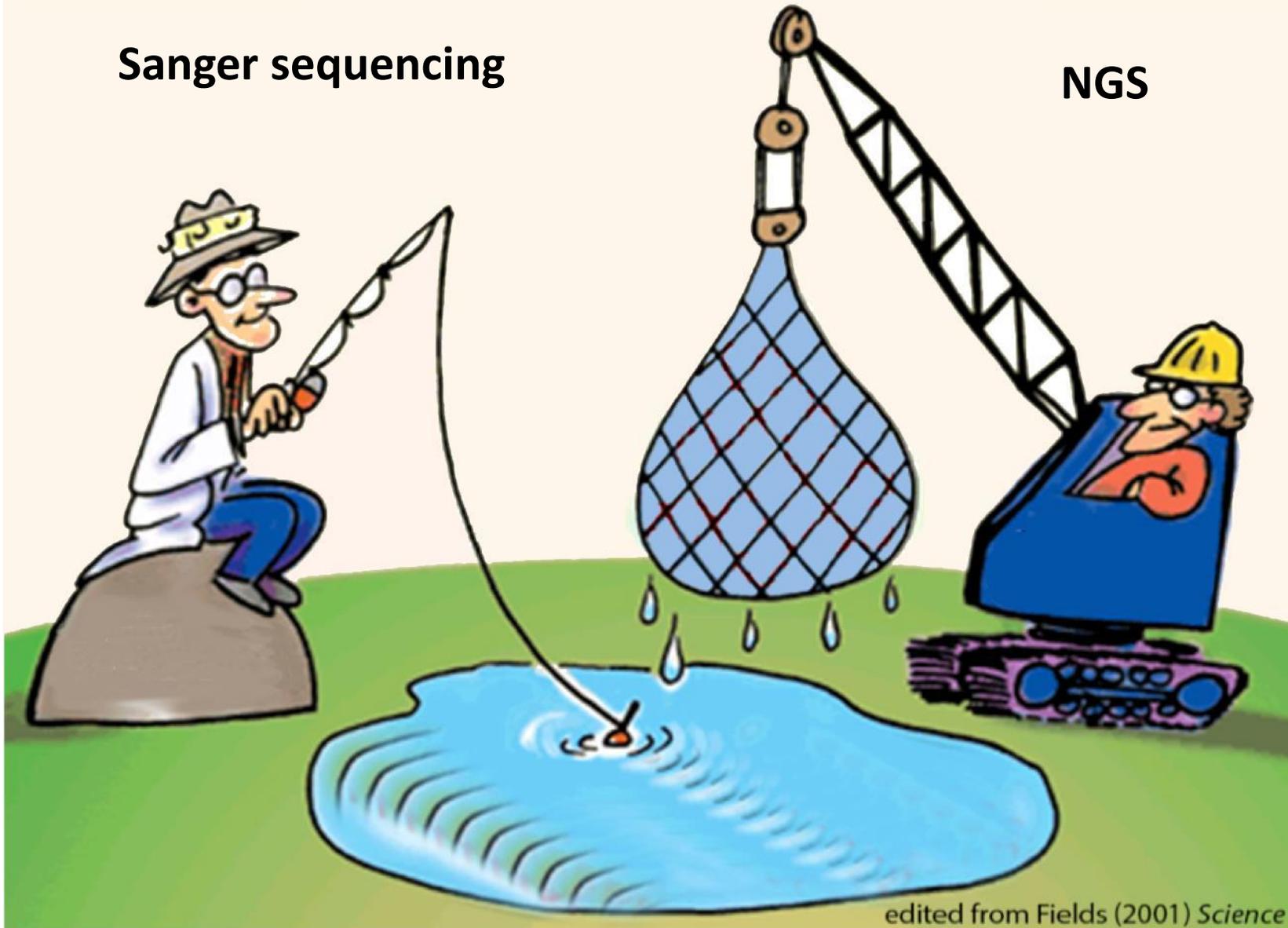
[genome.gov/sequencingcosts](http://genome.gov/sequencingcosts)



Genomica batterica: 3 rivoluzioni tecnologiche in 20 anni

Sanger sequencing

NGS

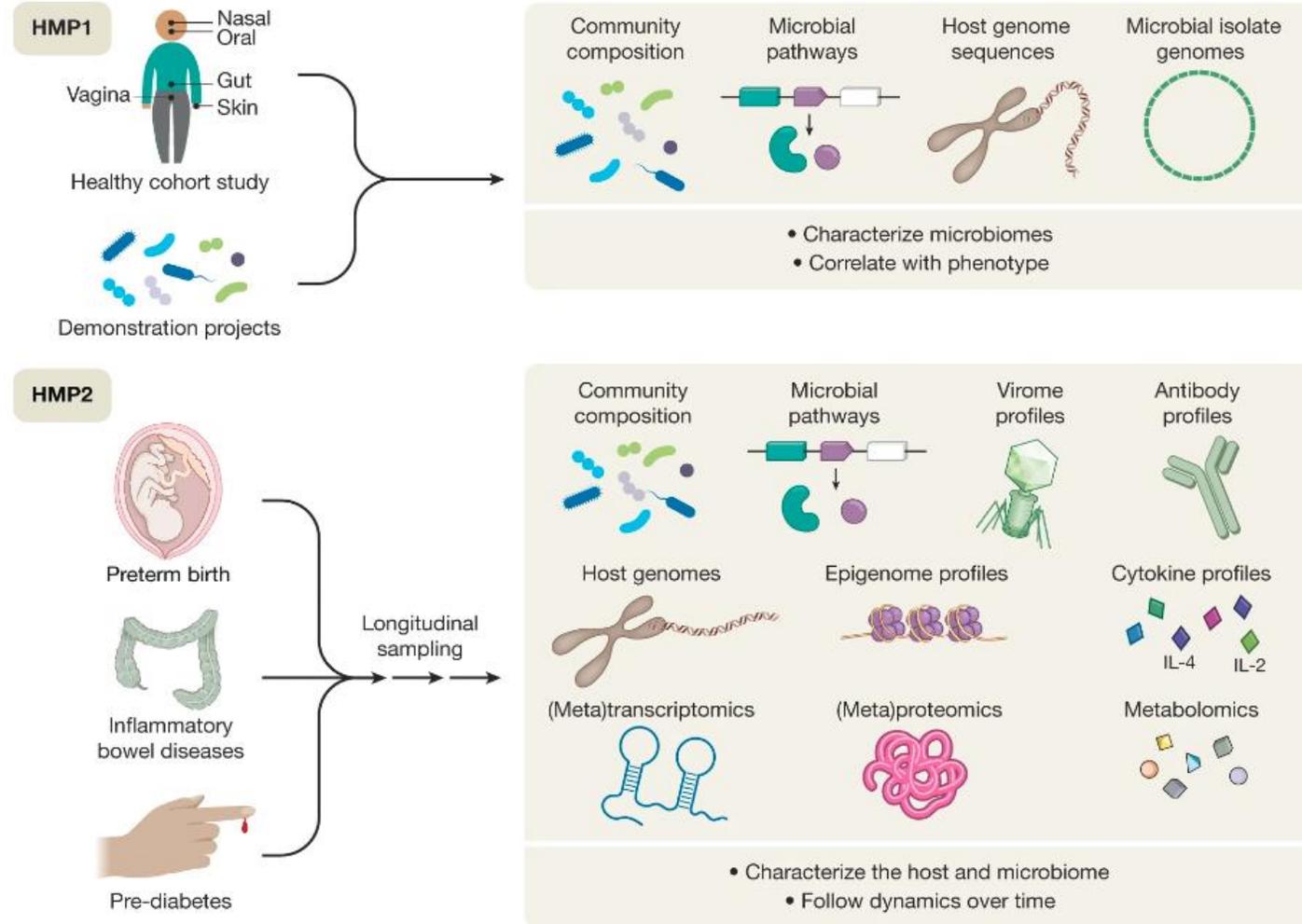


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# Metagenomica

1. STUDIO DEL MATERIALE GENETICO (GENOMI) OTTENUTO COLLETTIVAMENTE DA UNA COMUNITA' DI MICRORGANISMI DIVERSI
2. IN GENERE SI RIFERISCE A COMUNITA' MICROBICHE IN UN DETERMINATO ECOSISTEMA (ES. INTESTINO UMANO, ACQUA, SUOLO)
3. I MICRORGANISMI NON POSSONO ESSERE SEPARATI TRA LORO O CRESCIUTI SEPARATAMENTE QUINDI SI STUDIA DIRETTAMENTE IL MATERIALE GENETICO TOTALE
4. LA TECNOLOGIA E LE ANALISI BIOINFORMATICHE PERMETTONO DI RICONOSCERE I MICRORGANISMI PRESENTI

# NIH Human Microbiome Project

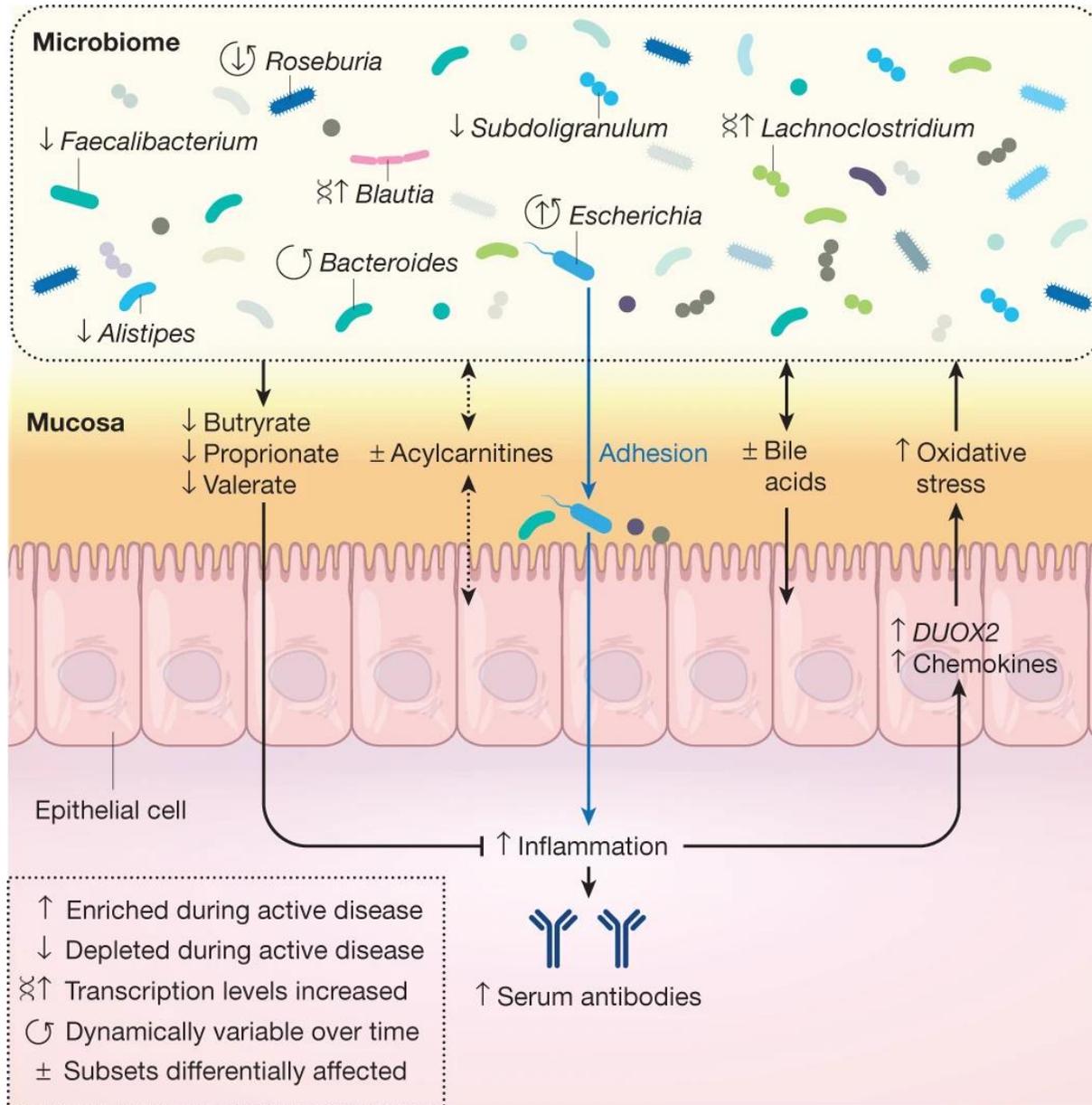


Microbioma in 5 siti corporei mediante 16S e metagenomica

**HMP DCC**  
Data, tools, protocols

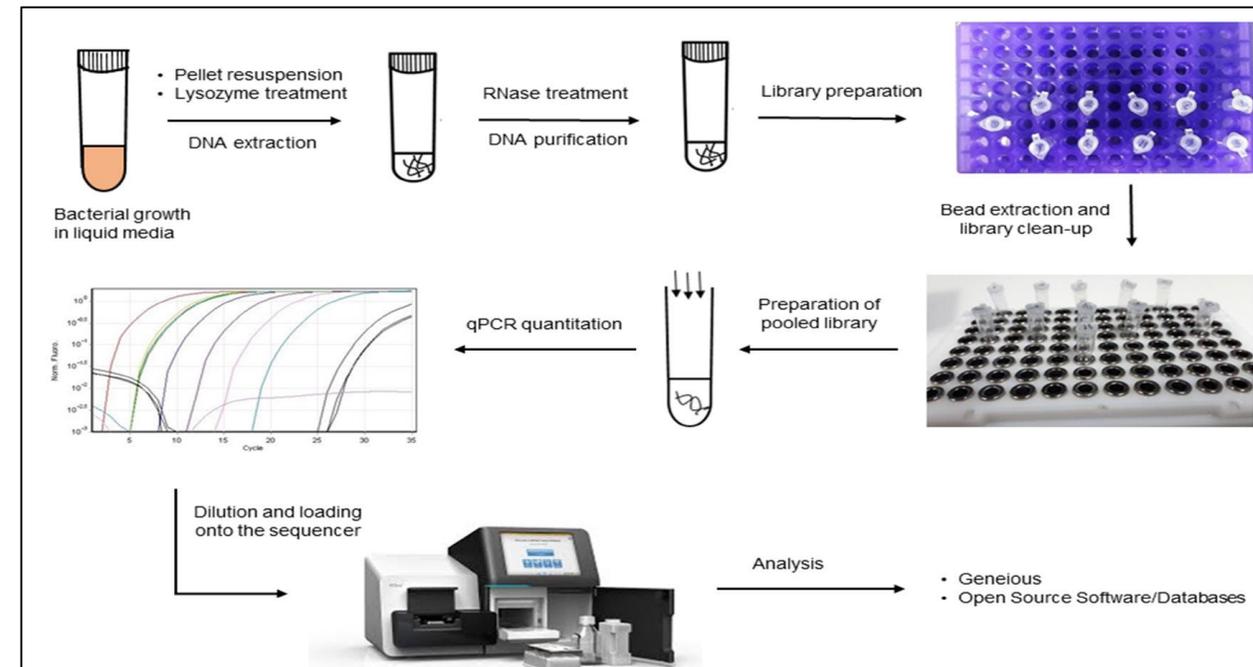
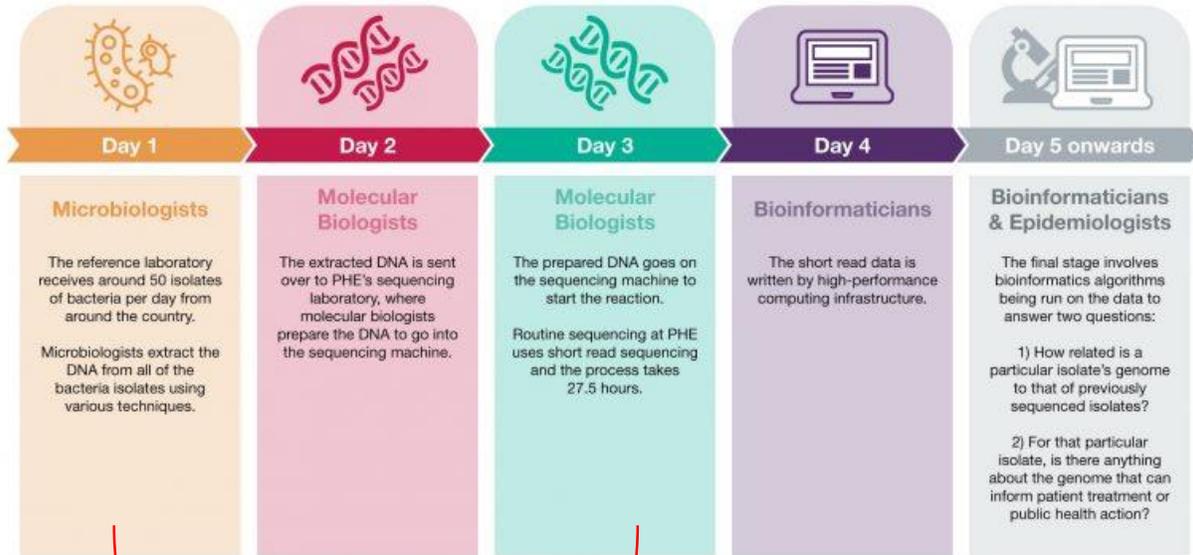
MULTIOMA (microbioma e ospite).  
Metagenomica  
Metatrascrittomica  
Genetica umana ecc.

iHMP Consortium, Nature 2019



Rilevazione di «nuove»  
specie batteriche nel  
microbiota intestinale

# WGS E' UN PROCESSO MULTIDISCIPLINARE



Gautam et al. J Mol Methods 2019

**Graphical summary of the process of obtaining whole genome sequence data from a bacterial culture (3 working days)**  
 «short read sequencing» (Illumina)

# Public Health England (PHE)

## Trasformazione del laboratorio microbiologico nazionale di riferimento e della sorveglianza di Salmonella per utilizzare WGS

October 2012 to February 2013  
Reconfiguration of laboratory space



March 2013 to April 2014  
First validation phase



April 2014  
WGS service launched



April 2014 to March 2015  
Second validation phase



April 2015  
Salmonella identification and typing transferred to WGS

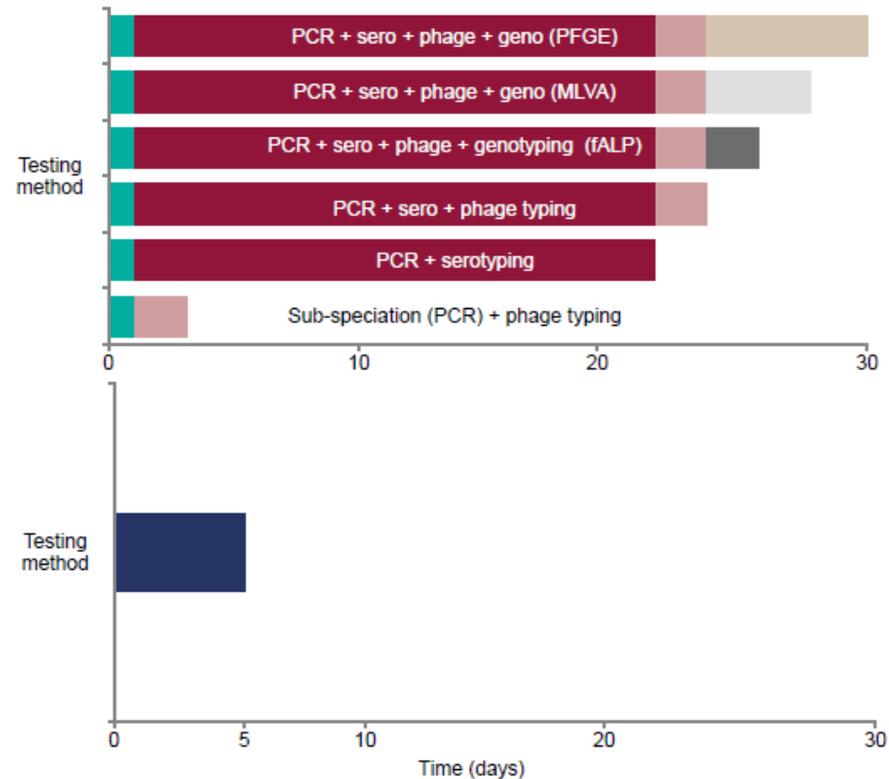


September 2015  
WGS analysis of Salmonella outbreaks becomes available



April 2015  
Salmonella serotyping phased out

September 2015 to December 2015  
Genotyping, PCR assays and phage typing of Salmonella phased out



Tipizzazione tradizionale

WGS

# Applicazione di WGS ai microrganismi

- **Metodo robusto**
- **Applicabile a tutti i microrganismi**
- **I dati possono essere conservati, riesaminati e comparati a livello internazionale**
- **In microbiologia umana:**
  - può sostituire i metodi di tipizzazione fin qui utilizzati e dare informazioni su resistenza agli antimicrobici
- **In sanità pubblica:**
  - tracciare rapidamente outbreak
  - individuare catene di trasmissione (es. patogeni zoonosici o provenienti da matrici alimentari ecc.)
  - Individuare rapidamente ceppi patogeni emergenti
  - Individuare rapidamente nuove resistenze



# Come utilizzare i dati di WGS di batteri?



- **TIPIZZAZIONE MOLECOLARE**
  - MLST (7 geni housekeeping)
  - cgMLST (1500-4000 geni del core genoma a seconda della specie batterica)
  - Sierotipo (capsulare, O-sierotipo ecc)
- **VIRULOMA (geni di virulenza)**
- **RESISTOMA (mutazioni o geni di resistenza acquisiti)**
- **MOBILOMA**
- **ecc.**
- **FILOGENESI (basata su Single Nucleotide Polymorphism o SNPs): rapporti tra microrganismi della stessa specie o gruppo per verificare reciproca derivazione ed evoluzione nel tempo**



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## Overview of Services

### Phenotyping

#### [ResFinder](#)

Identification of acquired antibiotic resistance genes.

#### [ResFinderFG](#)

Identification of functional metagenomic antibiotic resistance determinants.

#### [LRE-finder](#)

Identification of genes and mutations leading to linezolid resistance.

#### [KmerResistance](#)

Identification of acquired antibiotic resistance genes using Kmers.

### Phylogeny

#### [MINTyper](#)

Identification of SNPs with automatic filtering, masking and site validation together with inferred phylogeny based on both long and short sequencing data.

#### [CSIPhylogeny](#)

CSI Phylogeny calls SNPs, filters the SNPs, does site validation and infers a phylogeny based on the concatenated alignment of the high quality\* SNPs.

#### [NDtree](#)

NDtree constructs phylogenetic trees from Single-End or Pair-End

### Typing

#### [MLST](#)

Multi Locus Sequence Typing (MLST) from an assembled genome or from a set of reads.

#### [PlasmidFinder](#)

PlasmidFinder identifies plasmids in total or partial sequenced isolates of bacteria.

#### [pMLST](#)

Multi Locus Sequence Typing (MLST) from an assembled plasmid or from a set of reads.

#### [cgMLSTFinder](#)

Core genome Multi Locus Sequence Typing (cgMLST) from a set of reads.

#### [KmerFinder](#)

Prediction of bacterial species using a fast K-mer algorithm.

#### [MGE](#)

Identification of mobile genetic elements and their relation to antimicrobial resistance genes and virulence factors.

#### [SpeciesFinder](#)

Prediction of bacterial species using the S16 ribosomal DNA sequence.

#### [SeroTypeFinder](#)

Prediction of serotypes in total or partial sequenced isolates of E. coli.

#### [SeqSero](#)

SeqSero predicts the Salmonella serotype of either the pre-assembled or raw read sequence data provided to the service.

#### [spaTyper](#)

spaTyper predicts the S. aureus spa type.

#### [FimTyper](#)

FimTyper predicts the E. coli Fim type.

#### [CHTyper](#)

CHTyper predicts the E. coli FimH type and FimC type.

#### [PAst](#)

PAst predicts the P. aeruginosa serotypes.

#### [SCCmecFinder](#)

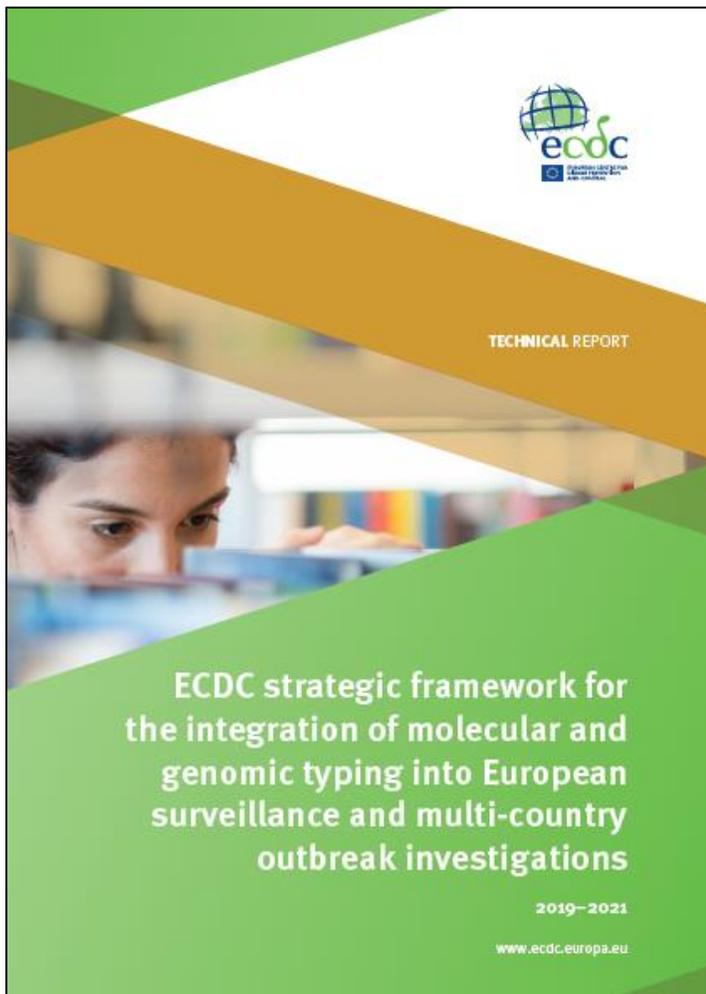
SCCmecFinder identifies SCCmec elements in sequenced S. aureus isolate.



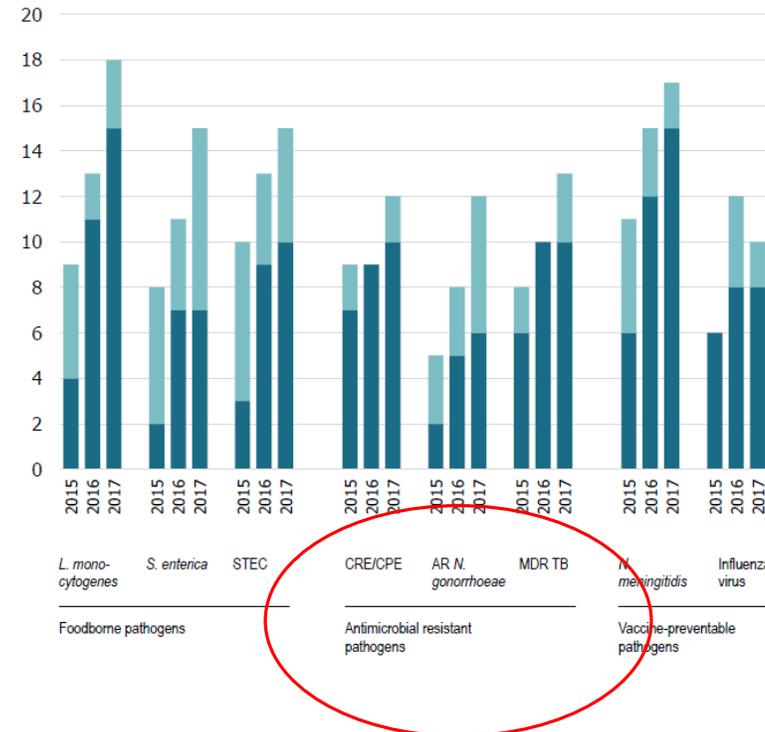
- Vantaggi e limitazioni di WGS nella sorveglianza dell'AMR
- Esempi dell'uso di WGS nella sorveglianza dell'AMR
  - Studio di outbreak (locali o nazionali)
  - Integrazione nella sorveglianza
- Requisiti per l'introduzione di WGS in un sistema di sorveglianza dell'AMR
  - Laboratori
  - Piattaforme
  - Bioinformatica
  - Storage dei dati, Finanziamenti ecc.
- WGS nello sviluppo di diagnostici, nuovi farmaci e vaccini

### **Consultazione delle autorità dei paesi:**

- **Necessità di chiarire meglio i vantaggi**
- **Necessità di armonizzare approcci, tecnologie e analisi**

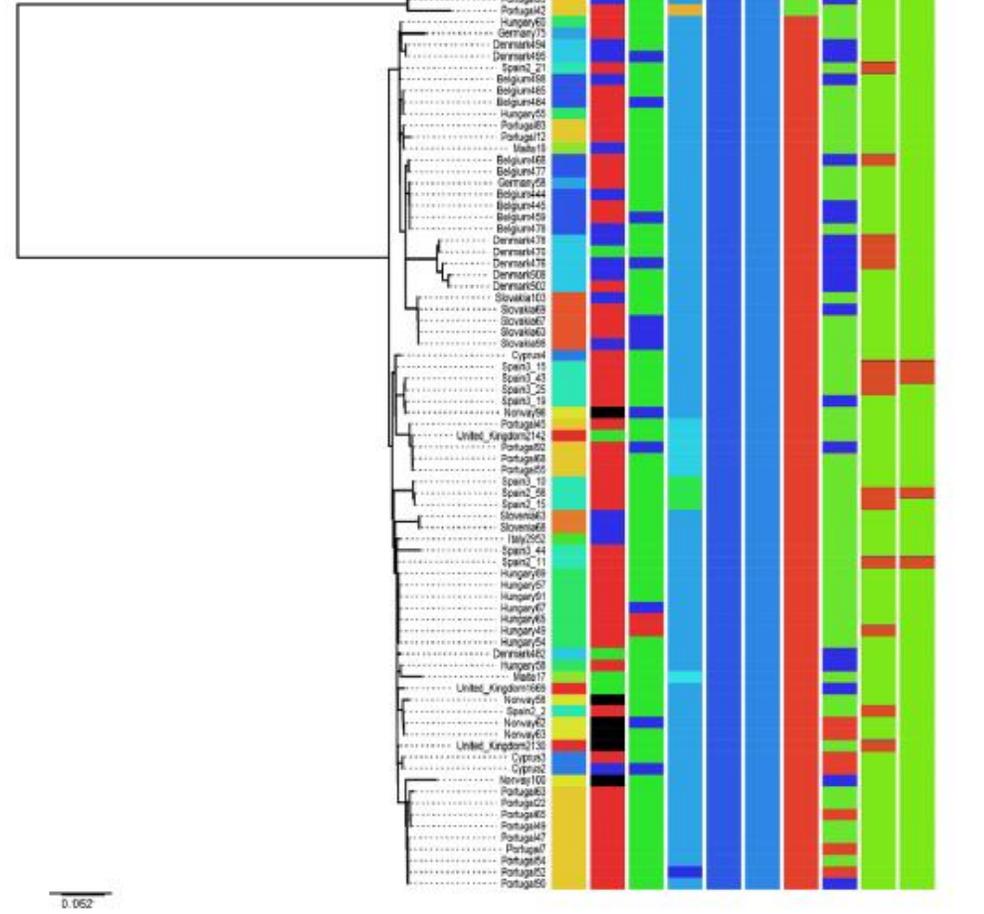
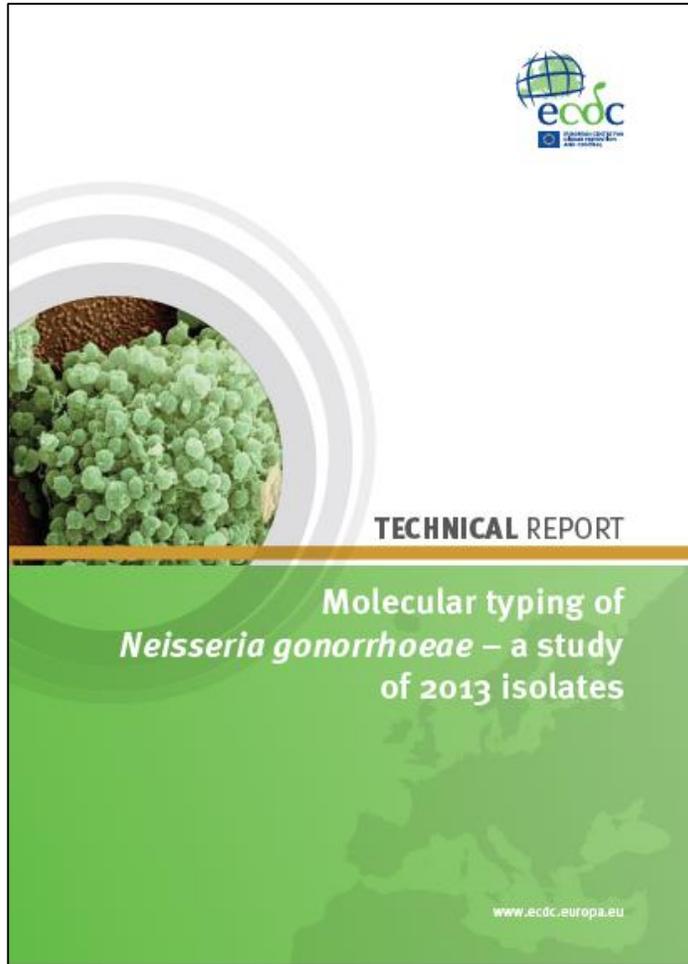


## Numero di paesi UE che utilizzano WGS per sorveglianza ■ o solo per studio di outbreak ■ per gruppo di patogeni



- 20 paesi EU usano WGS in almeno una sorveglianza routinaria nel 2018
- In 3 anni sono stati sequenziati >2000 genomi per identificare outbreak transnazionali





Filogenomica di 78 ceppi di *Neisseria gonorrhoeae* NG-MAST ST1407 isolati in EU nel 2013.  
 Sono evidenziate cladi minori che rappresentano evoluzioni all'interno di ogni paese, spesso associate con determinanti di antibiotico-resistenza

# Use of a whole genome sequencing-based approach for *Mycobacterium tuberculosis* surveillance in Europe in 2017–2019: an ECDC pilot study

Mtb



Tagliani E, ERJ 2021

Country	Isolates submitted by year of isolation n			Total n
	2017	2018	2019	
Austria	0	19	6	25
Belgium	5	8	6	19
Bulgaria	25	24	16	65
Croatia	0	2	1	3
Cyprus	0	0	0	0
Czech Republic	5	9	11	25
Denmark	0	4	4	8
Estonia	28	25	13	66
Finland	4	4	2	10
France	8	66	25	99
Germany	77	124	45	246
Hungary	5	13	4	22
Ireland	6	7	10	23
Italy	63	44	20	127
Latvia	18	33	34	85
Lithuania	77	60	42	179
Luxembourg	0	0	0	0
Malta	0	0	0	0
Netherlands	12	6	6	24
Norway	2	6	2	10
Poland	31	57	10	98
Portugal	12	19	6	37
Romania	335	336	195	866
Slovakia	2	4	2	8
Slovenia	0	1	0	1
Spain	17	37	12	66
Sweden	9	11	5	25
UK	27	30	24	81
<b>Total per year</b>	<b>768</b>	<b>949</b>	<b>501</b>	<b>2218</b>

Lineage	Strains n (%)
1	32 (1.5)
2.2.1	636 (29.6)
2.1	2 (0.1)
3	63 (2.9)
4.1	390 (18.1)
4.2	199 (9.3)
4.3	183 (8.5)
4.4; 4.5; 4.6	77 (3.6)
4.7; 4.8	548 (25.5)
4.9	7 (0.3)
5	1 (0)
Unknown	13 (0.6)

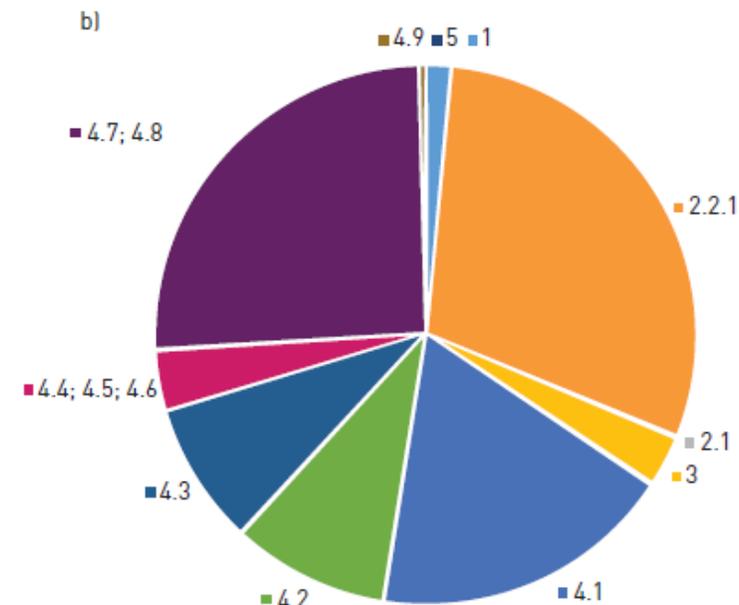


FIGURE 2 a, b) Lineage distribution of the 2151 rifampicin-resistant (RR)/multidrug-resistant (MDR) *Mycobacterium tuberculosis* complex (MTBC) isolates included in the EUSeqMyTB study. Lineages: 1: East-African Indian (EAI) (includes EAI and EAI Manila); 2: East-Asian (includes 2.2.1 Beijing and 2.1 East-Asian non-Beijing); 3: Delhi-CAS; 4.1: Euro-American (includes 4.1 and 4.1.2: Euro-American; 4.1.1: X-type; and 4.1.2.1: Haarlem); 4.2: Euro-American (includes 4.2 and 4.2.2: Euro-American; 4.2.1: Ural; and 4.2.2.1: TUR); 4.3: LAM; 4.4 (includes 4.4.1.1: S-type); 4.5: Euro-American; 4.6: Euro-American; 4.7: mainly T; 4.8: mainly T; 4.9: H37Rv-like; 5: West-Africa 1.



# A standardised method for interpreting the association between mutations and phenotypic drug resistance in *Mycobacterium tuberculosis*

Miotto P et al. ERJ 2017

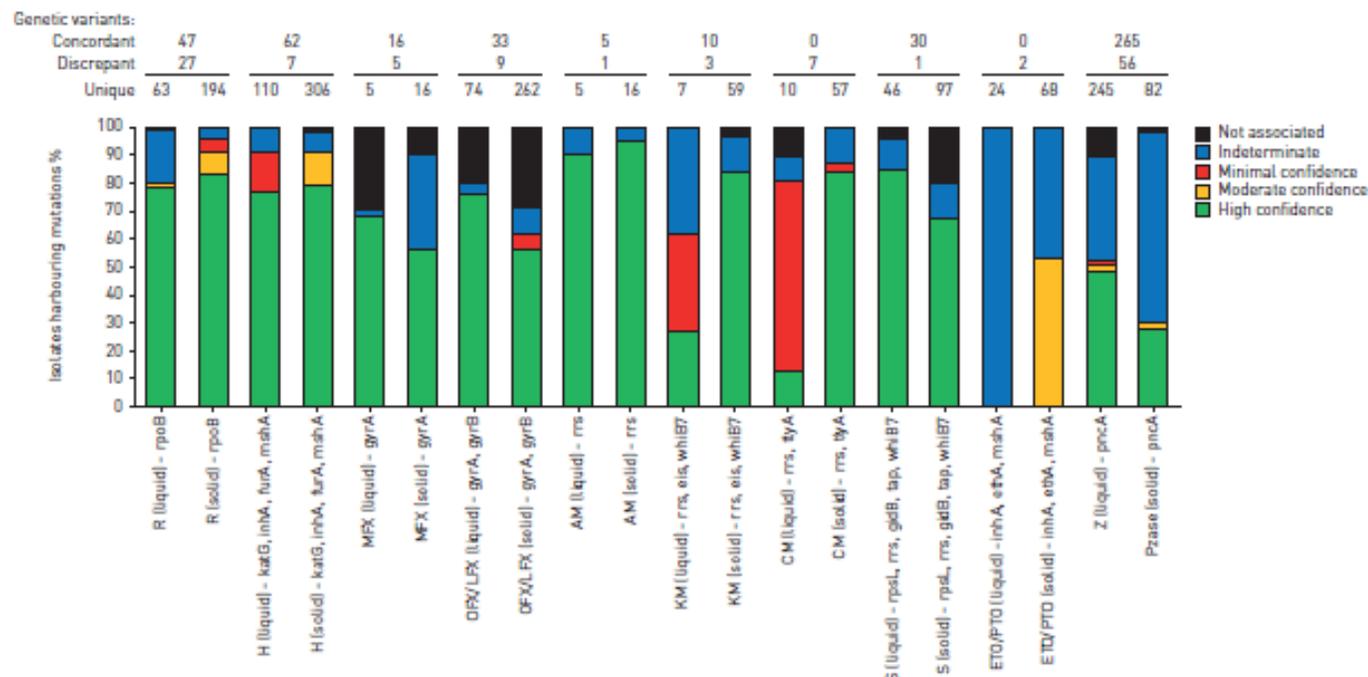


## VALORI MEDI DI CONFIDENZA TRA SENSIBILITÀ FENOTIPICA E GENI DI RESISTENZA/LOCI CON MUTAZIONI

Collected data				
	Loci of interest	Total isolates	Isolation time frame years	Countries represented
Rifampicin (R)	<i>rpoB</i>	13424	1999–2014	37
Isoniazid (H)	<i>katG</i>	11847	1992–2014	42
	<i>inhA-mabA</i>	9407		
	<i>furA</i>	361		
	<i>mshA</i>	288		
Ethionamide and prothionamide (ETO/PTO)	<i>inhA-mabA</i>	346		
	<i>ethA</i>	181		
	<i>mshA</i>	117		
Ofloxacin (OFX)	<i>gyrA</i>	5911	1991–2013	36
	<i>gyrB</i>	3078		
Moxifloxacin (MXF)	<i>gyrA</i>	1019		
	<i>gyrB</i>	735		
Levofloxacin (LFX)	<i>gyrA</i>	449		
	<i>gyrB</i>	218		
Pyrazinamide (Z)	<i>pncA</i>	4949	1990–2014	36
Streptomycin (S)	<i>rpsL</i>	3263	1985–2013	43
	<i>tap</i>	0		
	<i>rrs</i>	2598		
	<i>whiB7</i>	0		
	<i>gidB</i>	812		
Amikacin (AM)	<i>rrs</i>	2105		
Capreomycin (CM)	<i>rrs</i>	2533		
	<i>tlyA</i>	1854		
Kanamycin (KM)	<i>rrs</i>	1727		
	<i>eis</i>	2029		
	<i>whiB7</i>	56		

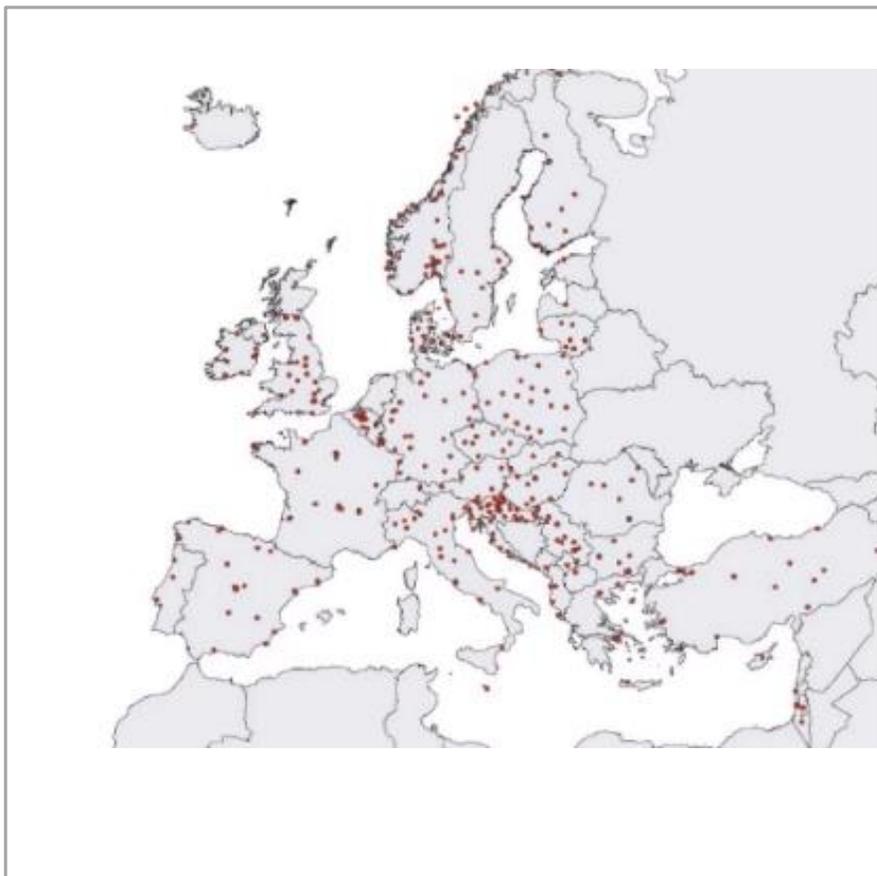
20 geni di resistenza/loci

286 mutazioni associate con la resistenza



Anche sulla base di questi risultati un report tecnico del WHO (2021) ha abbassato l'ECOFF per la rifampicina a 0,5mg/L e stabilito che un isolato di Mt con mutazioni nel «hotspot» del gene *rpoB* deve essere considerato resistente alla rifampicina, anche se è sensibile al test fenotipico

## European Survey of carbapenemase-producing Enterobacteriaceae (EuSCAPE) 2013-2014



### Update on the spread of carbapenemase-producing *Enterobacteriaceae* in Europe

#### RAPID COMMUNICATIONS

#### Colistin resistance superimposed to endemic carbapenem-resistant *Klebsiella pneumoniae*: a rapidly evolving problem in Italy, November 2013 to April 2014

Eurosurveillance, 2014

M. Monaco<sup>1,2</sup>, T. Gianì<sup>2,3</sup>, M. Raffone<sup>4,5</sup>, F. Arena<sup>3</sup>, A. Garcia-Fernandez<sup>1</sup>, S. Pollini<sup>3</sup>, Network EuSCAPE-Italy<sup>5</sup>, H. Grundmann<sup>6</sup>, A. Pantosti (annalisa.pantosti@iss.it)<sup>1</sup>, G. M. Rossolini<sup>3,7,8</sup>

#### Occurrence of carbapenemase-producing *Klebsiella pneumoniae* and *Escherichia coli* in the European survey of carbapenemase-producing Enterobacteriaceae (EuSCAPE): a prospective, multinational study



Lancet Infect Dis., 2017

Hajo Grundmann<sup>\*</sup>, Corinna Glasner<sup>\*</sup>, Barbara Albigler, David M. Aanensen, Chris T. Tomlinson, Arjana Tambić Andrasević, Rafael Cantón, Yehuda Carmeli, Alexander W. Friedrich, Christian G. Giske, Youri Glupczynski, Marek Gniadkowski, David M. Livermore, Patrice Nordmann, Laurent Poirel, Gian M. Rossolini, Haraki Seifert, Alkiviadis Vatsopoulos, Timothy Walsh, Neil Woodford, Dominique L. Monnet, and the European Survey of Carbapenemase-Producing Enterobacteriaceae (EuSCAPE) Working Group<sup>†</sup>

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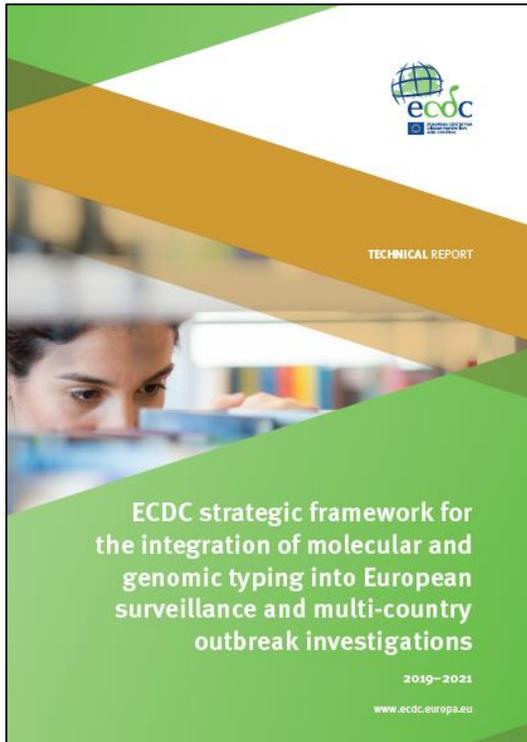
<https://doi.org/10.1038/s41564-019-0492-8>

#### Epidemic of carbapenem-resistant *Klebsiella pneumoniae* in Europe is driven by nosocomial spread

Nature Microbiol, 2019

Sophia David<sup>1</sup>, Sandra Reuter<sup>2</sup>, Simon R. Harris<sup>3</sup>, Corinna Glasner<sup>4</sup>, Theresa Feltwell<sup>5</sup>, Silvia Argimon<sup>1</sup>, Khalil Abudahab<sup>1</sup>, Richard Goater<sup>1</sup>, Tommaso Gianì<sup>5</sup>, Giulia Errico<sup>6</sup>, Marianne Aspbury<sup>7</sup>, Sara Sjunnebo<sup>8</sup>, the EuSCAPE Working Group<sup>9</sup>, the ESGEM Study Group<sup>10</sup>, Edward J. Feil<sup>11</sup>, Gian Maria Rossolini<sup>5,12</sup>, David M. Aanensen<sup>1,13,14\*</sup> and Hajo Grundmann<sup>1,2,4,14\*</sup>

## ECDC Road Map 2.1. Implementation of activities



### Antimicrobial Resistance and Healthcare-Associated Infections Programme

- *Clostridium difficile*
- *Enterobacterales* carbapenem e/o colistina resistenti
- (C/CRE)
- NEW • *Acinetobacter baumannii* resistente ai carbapenemi (CRAB)
- NEW • *Staphylococcus aureus* resistente alla meticillina (MRSA)
- Outbreak di patogeni/plasmidi/cloni emergenti multiresistenti

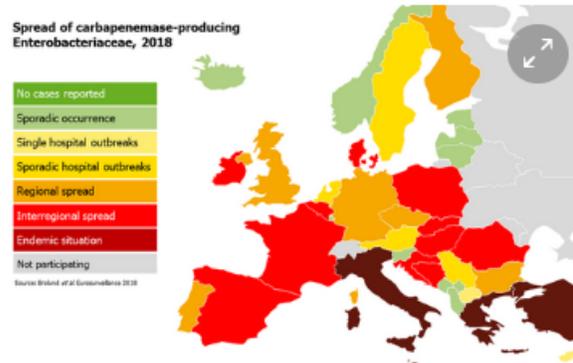
## European Antimicrobial Resistance Genes Surveillance Network (EURGen-Net)



The European Antimicrobial Resistance Genes Surveillance Network (EURGen-Net) is a network for genomic-based surveillance of multidrug-resistant bacteria of public health importance, coordinated by the European Centre for Disease Prevention and Control (ECDC). National reference laboratories or equivalent laboratories of 37 European countries currently participate in EURGen-Net.

The public health objectives of this European whole genome sequencing (WGS)-based surveillance are to determine the geographic distribution and population dynamics of multidrug-resistant clones and transmissible resistance elements to inform risk assessment, prevention and control policies and to support countries in developing technical capability and proficiency for genomic-based surveillance of multidrug-resistant bacteria with epidemic potential.

In 2019, the network starts its activity with a Europe-wide survey of carbapenem- and/or colistin-resistant Enterobacteriaceae (CCRE survey). A similar survey of carbapenem-resistant *Acinetobacter baumannii* is planned for 2020/21.



SORVEGLIANZA BASATA SU WGS

Obiettivi:

Determinare la distribuzione geografica e la dinamica di popolazione di

- Cloni multi-resistenti
- Elementi trasmissibili di resistenza

## Study protocol

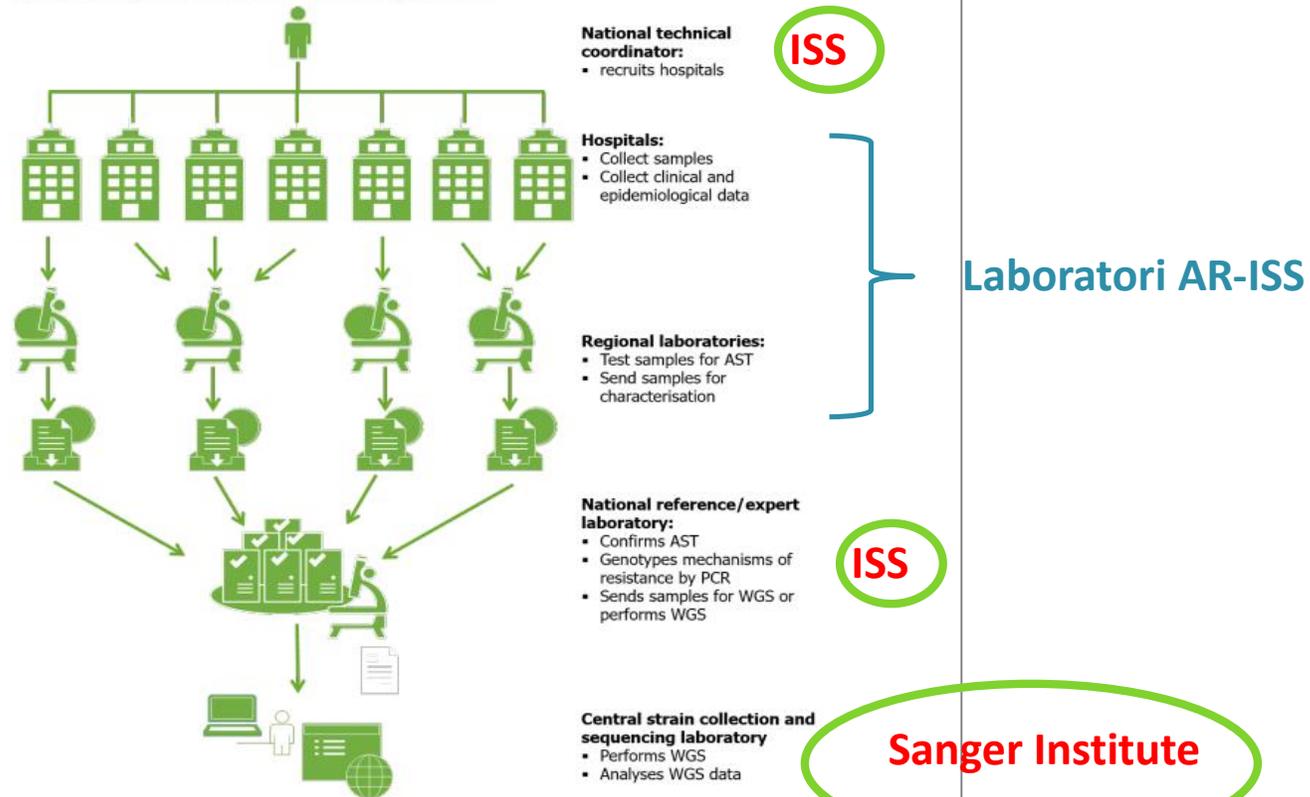
### Study and surveillance design

The study design follows the EuSCAPE project model [7] and structured survey protocol. A stepwise workflow is performed in each country (Figure 1).

The proposed surveillance design is a structured and periodically repeated pan-European multicentre molecular epidemiological survey of the prevalence and distribution at the regional level of CRE and/or ColRE by genotype among patients seeking hospital care.

These surveys are expected to take place every three years, or more frequently as indicated by the epidemiological situation, and subject to resource availability at ECDC and national and regional levels.

**Figure 1. National workflow for participation in EU-level genomic-based surveillance of carbapenem-resistant and/or colistin-resistant *Enterobacteriaceae***



AST: antimicrobial susceptibility testing; PCR: polymerase chain reaction; WGS: whole genome sequencing

## Molecular survey of carbapenem-and/or colistin-resistant Enterobacterales (CCRE survey)

### CCRE survey: current status



Country	Number of registered hospitals	Number of registered / received isolates	Country	Number of registered hospitals	Number of registered / received isolates
Albania	1	23	Latvia	1	8
Austria	9	50	Lithuania	4	20
Belgium	20	140	Luxembourg	4	15
Bosnia and Herzegovina	1	20	Malta	1	29
Bulgaria	11	184	Montenegro	1	19
Croatia	16	148	Netherlands	38	112
Cyprus	1	21	North Macedonia	3	28
Czechia	10	96	Norway	19	24
Denmark	5	11	Poland	27	123
Estonia	1	12	Portugal	7	104
Finland	20	26	Romania	11	138
France	18	120	Serbia	14	142
Germany	35	126	Slovakia	3	60
Greece	18	324	Slovenia	14	61
Hungary	10	76	Spain	26	440
Iceland	1	6	Sweden	10	84
Ireland	8	45	Turkey	28	408
Italy	46	605	United Kingdom	84	234
Kosovo	1	2	<b>Total</b>	<b>527</b>	<b>4084</b>



## Sorveglianza dell'antibioticoresistenza AR-ISS



**Coordinamento ISS**

**Partecipazione di tutte le Regioni/Province autonome**

**Isolati invasivi (sangue e liquor) di 8 specie batteriche**

**Dati routinari prodotti dai laboratori**

**150 laboratori hanno trasmesso dati del 2019**

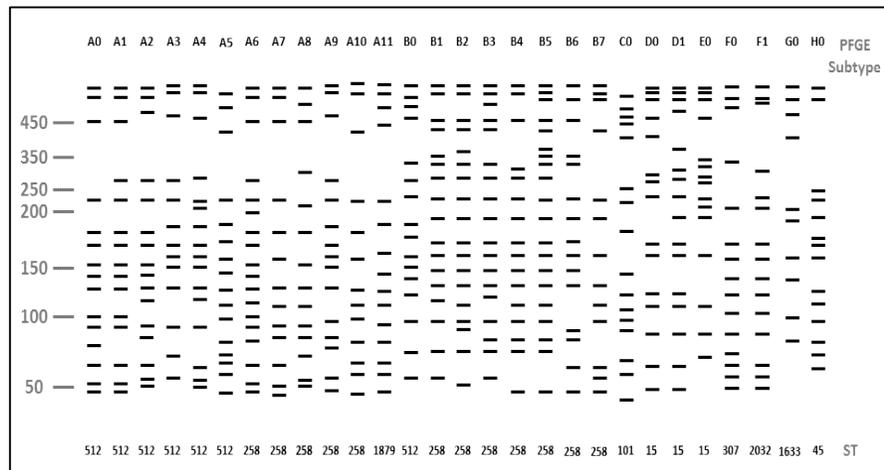
**Dati trasferiti alla rete europea Ears-Net**



## Molecular epidemiology of KPC-producing *Klebsiella pneumoniae* from invasive infections in Italy: increasing diversity with predominance of the ST512 clade II sublineage

Viola Conte<sup>1</sup>, Monica Monaco<sup>2</sup>, Tommaso Giani<sup>1</sup>, Fortunato D'Ancona<sup>3</sup>, Maria Luisa Moro<sup>4</sup>, Fabio Arena<sup>1</sup>, Marco Maria D'Andrea<sup>1</sup>, Gian Maria Rossolini<sup>1,5-7\*</sup> and Annalisa Pantosti<sup>2</sup> on behalf of the AR-ISS Study Group on Carbapenemase-Producing *K. pneumoniae*†

JAC 2016

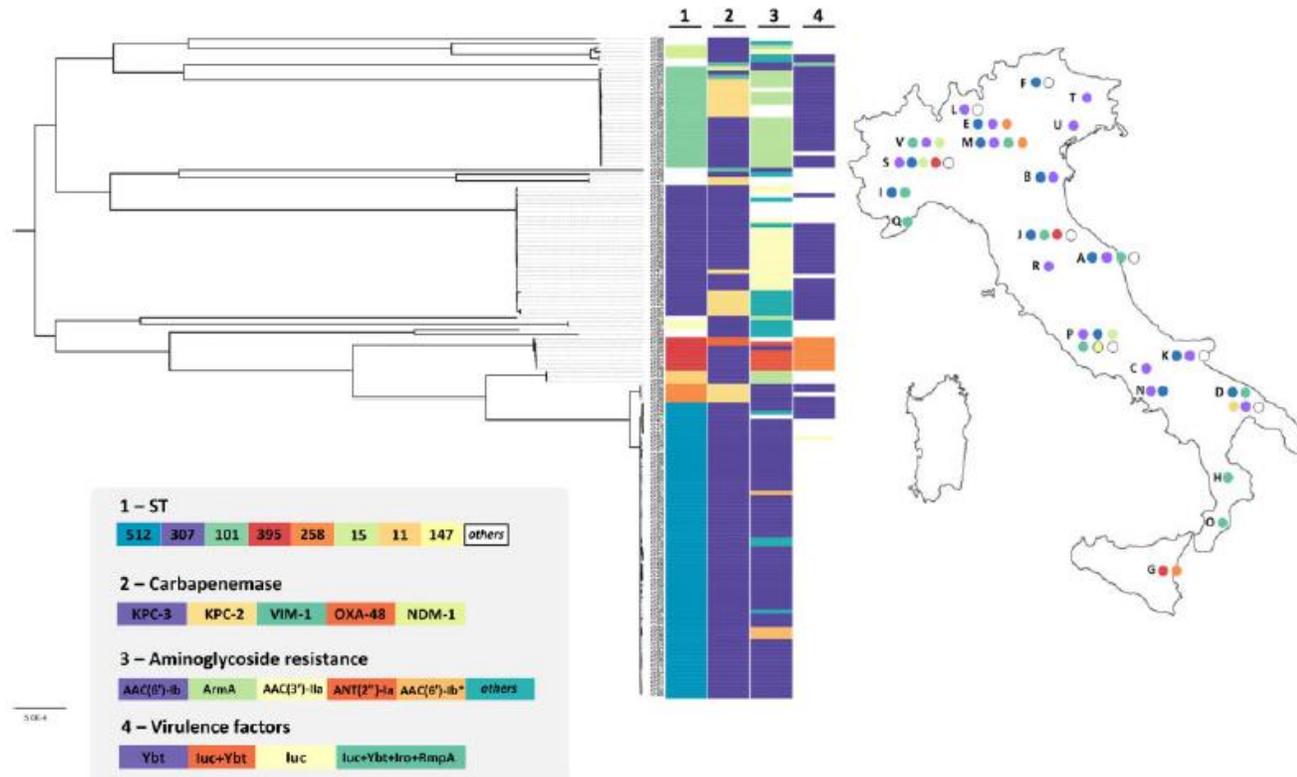


Profili PFGE profiles di 162 KPC-KP in combinazione con tipi MLST (ceppi 2011-2013)

## The changing epidemiology of carbapenemase-producing *Klebsiella pneumoniae* in Italy: toward polyclonal evolution with emergence of high-risk lineages

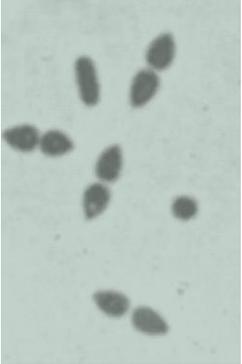
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Diversità genetica dei ceppi di *K. pneumoniae* produttori di carbapenemasi e distribuzione nei laboratori partecipanti allo studio (ceppi 2016)

# RESISTOMA di 27 ceppi di *Streptococcus pneumoniae* sierotipo 24F resistenti a penicillina e/o eritromicina mediante WGS



N° isolates	ST	CC	Acquired AMR genes	PBP profiles (n° isolates)	Capsular variant	Resistance Phenotype
17	230	230	erm(B) tet(M)	17:15:22 (13) IT1a:15:22 17:15:77 17:53:22 17:15:IT1b	24F	PEN ERI CLI TET
2	230	230	erm(B)	17:15:22	24F	PEN ERI CLI
1	230	230	erm(B) tet(M) aac(6')-aph("2)	17:15:22	24F	PEN ERI CLI GEN/AMK
1	6227	230	erm(B) tet(M)	17:15:22		PEN ERI CLI TET
5	162	156	erm(B) tet(M)	2:0:363	24F (+ 15 nt)	ERI CLI TET
1	New	72	mef(A) msr(D)	2:0:0		ERI

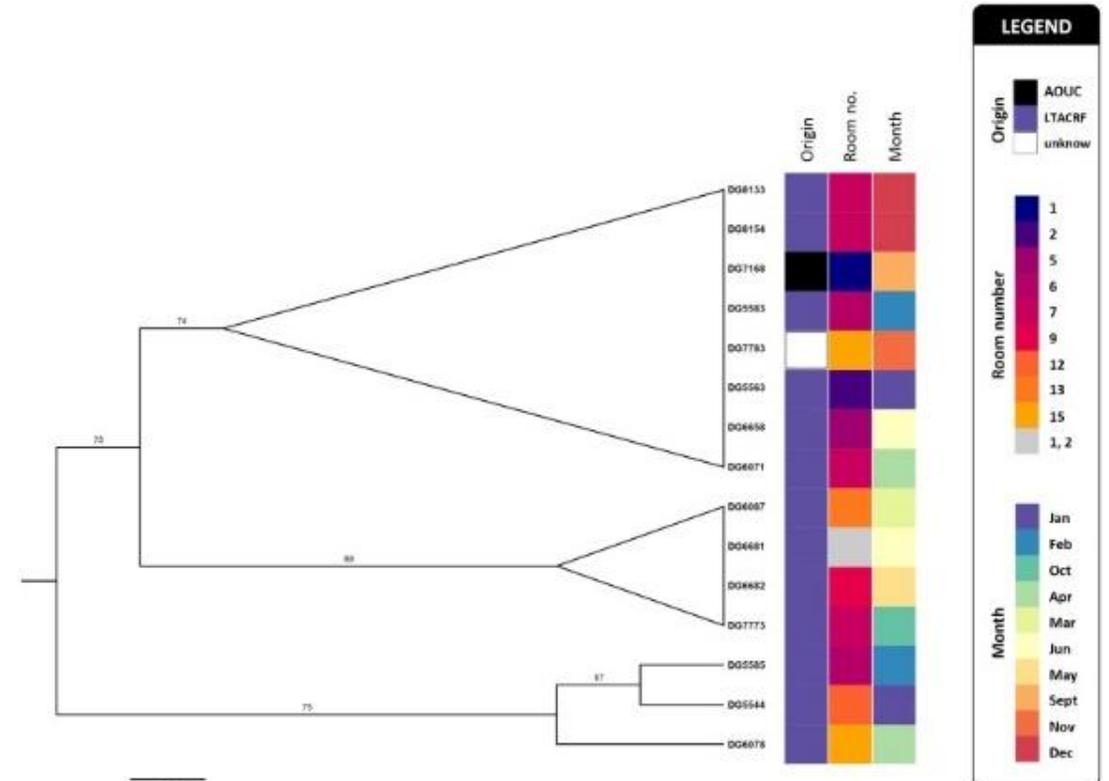
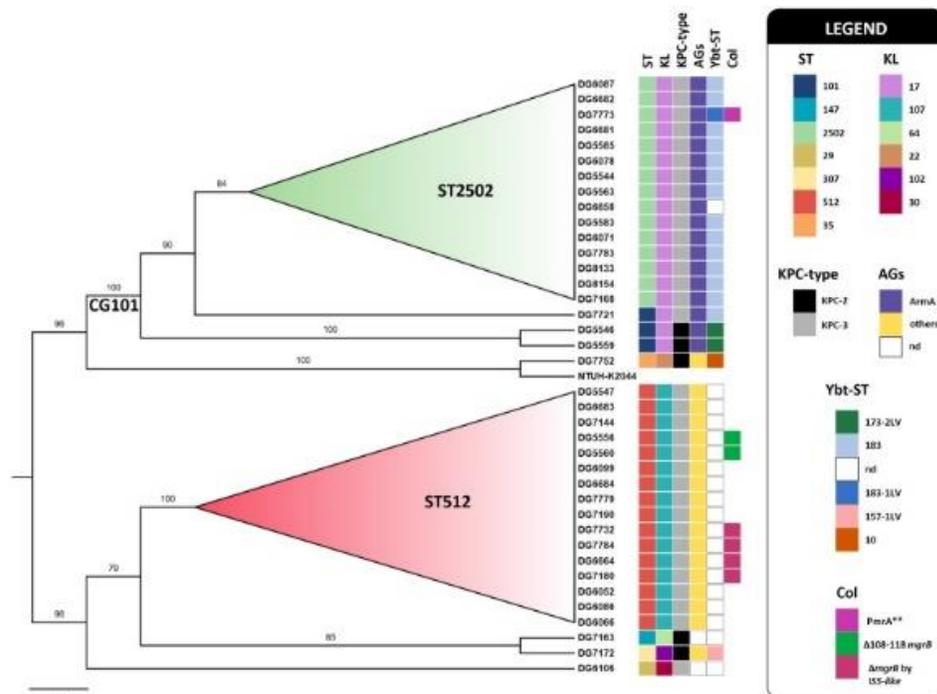
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## Population structure of KPC carbapenemase-producing *Klebsiella pneumoniae* in a long-term acute-care rehabilitation facility: identification of a new lineage of clonal group 101, associated with local hyperendemicity

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## Origine dei ceppi ST2502

## Ceppi di *K. pneumoniae* KPC isolati nel 2016 in una grande RSA





# Conclusioni

1. LA RIVOLUZIONE «OMICA» STA PORTANDO ENORMI CAMBIAMENTI NELLA CONOSCENZA DEI FENOMENI BIOLOGICI E SOPRATTUTTO DEL MONDO DEI MICRORGANISMI
2. LA GENOMICA STA DIVENTANDO LO STANDARD PER STUDI DI OUTBREAK E APPROFONDIMENTI DI SORVEGLIANZE
3. CI SONO RICHIESTE DI IMPLEMENTAZIONE DA PARTE DI WHO e ECDC
4. LE ATTIVITA' E GLI APPROCCI DEL MICROBIOLOGO DOVRANNO RAPIDAMENTE CAMBIARE
  - COMPETENZE MULTIDISCIPLINARI
  - E' NECESSARIO MANTENERE LE COMPETENZE DI MICROBIOLOGIA CLASSICA E DI EPIDEMIOLOGIA
5. LA STRUTTURA DEI LABORATORI DEVE ESSERE ADATTA ALLE NUOVE ESIGENZE
  - **STORAGE DEI DATI E DATABASE INTEGRATI PER LE SORVEGLIANZE**
6. SONO NECESSARI INVESTIMENTI ADEGUATI PER STRUTTURE, APPARECCHIATURE E FORMAZIONE PERSONALE

# Uno sguardo al futuro prossimo

1. IL COSTO DI WGS STA DIVENTANDO SEMPRE PIU' BASSO
2. E' SEMPRE PIU' CONVENIENTE UTILIZZARLO PER TIPIZZAZIONE ANZICHE' ALLESTIRE DIVERSI TEST E NUMEROSI SAGGI DI PCR
3. RAPPRESENTA IL GOLD STANDARD PER LO STUDIO DI OUTBREAK COMUNITARI E OSPEDALIERI PER LA SUA SENSIBILITA' RAPIDITA' E COMPARABILITA
4. PER LE SORVEGLIANZE, SOPRATTUTTO DI PATOGENI MDR, SI PASSERA' DA «STUDI AD HOC» ALLA SORVEGLIANZA ROUTINARIA
5. STUDI DI METAGENOMICA AMBIENTALE PER INTERCETTARE RESISTENZE EMERGENTI PRIMA CHE DIVENTINO CLINICAMENTE RILEVANTI

# Il futuro

1. LE SCIENZE «OMICHE» SARANNO PIU' ABBORDABILI TECNICAMENTE
2. LA DIAGNOSTICA SI BASERA' SULLA METAGENOMICA DEL SITO INFETTO
3. LA SORVEGLIANZA INTEGRERA' GENOMICA BATTERICA CON GENOMICA/PROTEOMICA UMANA DEL SOGGETTO INFETTO (PER LA IDENTIFICAZIONE DEI FATTORI DI RISCHIO, PREVENZIONE, TERAPIA, VACCINI ECC.)

LA TRANSIZIONE OMICA E' GIA' INIZIATA