

**Supplementary Information**

**Minimal Spatial Heterogeneity in  
Chronic Lymphocytic Leukemia at Diagnosis**

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## **Supplementary Methods**

### **Informed consent**

Informed consent was obtained from all patients according to the International Cancer Genome Consortium guidelines.<sup>1</sup> The study was approved by the Hospital Clínic of Barcelona Ethics Committee.

### **Sample preparation and sequencing**

Tumor cells from peripheral blood (PB) were purified from fresh or cryopreserved mononuclear cells using a cocktail of magnetically labeled antibodies as previously described (AutoMACS; Miltenyi Biotec).<sup>2</sup> Normal DNA was extracted from the non-tumoral fraction. DNA from lymph node (LN) tumoral cells was obtained from OCT embedded samples. All DNA extractions were performed using Qiagen kits and DNA quality was checked by SYBR-green staining on agarose gels and quantified using a Nanodrop ND-100 spectrophotometer. Paired-end whole-genome/exome sequencing (WGS/WES) was performed as previously described,<sup>2</sup> and sequenced in a Illumina HiSeq2000 (2x76 or 2x101 bp) or Illumina HiSeq X Ten (2x150 bp). The mean coverage obtained was 33x (range 30-41x) for WGS and 58x (range 25-150x) for WES.

### **Bioinformatic and statistical analyses**

For WGS and WES, raw reads were mapped to the human reference genome (GRCh37) using the BWA-mem algorithm (v0.7.15),<sup>3</sup> and BAM files were generated, sorted, indexed and optical or PCR duplicates flagged using biobambam2 (v2.0.65) (<https://gitlab.com/german.tischler/biobambam2>). Quality control metrics were

extracted using Picard (v2.10.2) (<https://broadinstitute.github.io/picard/>). Somatic single nucleotide variants (SNVs) called by at least two algorithms (Sidrón,<sup>2</sup> CaVEMan (cgpCaVEManWrapper, v1.12.0),<sup>4</sup> Mutect2 (GATK v4.0.2.0),<sup>5</sup> and/or MuSE (v1.0 rc)<sup>6</sup>) were considered.<sup>7</sup> Short insertions/deletions (indels) were called by SMUFIN,<sup>8</sup> Pindel (cgpPindel, v2.2.3),<sup>9</sup> Platypus (v0.8.1),<sup>10</sup> and Mutect2, and retained for downstream analyses if identified by at least two algorithms. SNVs and indels only called in one tissue sample were automatically added in the second sample if at least one read with the mutation was found in the BAM file using Rsamtools (v1.30.0).<sup>11,12</sup> Copy number alterations (CNA) were called combining ASCAT (ascatNgs, v4.1.0)<sup>13</sup> and Battenberg (cgpBattenberg, v3.2.2)<sup>14</sup> or using FACETS (v0.5.14)<sup>15</sup> on WGS and WES data, respectively. To confirm the aberrations identified from WGS/WES data, CNA were also investigated using Genome-wide Human SNP Array 6.0 (Thermo Fisher Scientific) as previously described.<sup>16</sup> Structural variants (SV) were extracted from WGS data using SMuFin and BRASS (v6.0.5),<sup>17</sup> and were visually inspected on IGV.<sup>18</sup> Tumor purity used for downstream analysis was estimated using Battenberg (for samples with WGS) and FACETS (for WES). Tumor purity was verified (and adjusted if needed) in samples with low CNA burden based on distribution of the variant allele frequency of the clonal mutations. Tumor purities are listed in Supplementary Table 1.

The subclonal architecture of the tumors analyzed by WGS was reconstructed using a Bayesian approach. First, an Markov chain Monte Carlo sampler for a Dirichlet process mixture model was used to infer putative subclones (assignment of mutations to subclones, and estimation of the subclone frequencies in each sample), from the SNVs read count data, copy number states (from Battenberg) and tumor purities, as recently

described.<sup>19</sup> The phylogenetic relationships between subclones were identified following the “pigeonhole principle” excluding clusters with less than 100 mutations. The length of each tree branch in the reconstructed tree is proportional to the number of mutations assigned to the corresponding subclone.<sup>19</sup>

To assess the clonality of the indels as well as of the SNVs and indels identified by WES, the CCF of each mutation was calculated integrating read counts, CNA and tumor purity as described in Dentro *et al.*<sup>20</sup> The resulting CCF of each mutation was directly compared between each tissue to assess for spatial differences in the topographic abundance of specific mutations.

## **Supplementary Tables**

*Tables are placed in the Supplementary Tables Excel file.*

Supplementary Table 1. Predicted tumor purities

Supplementary Table 2. Mutations identified by WGS

Supplementary Table 3. Copy number alterations

Supplementary Table 4. Structural variants identified by WGS

Supplementary Table 5. Mutations identified by WES

## Supplementary Figures

**Figure S1. WGS-based genome plots.** Genome plots integrating (from the outer to the inner most layer) SNVs, indels, CNA and SV for each sample analyzed by WGS. CNA are depicted using intensity-based colors according to their CCF. A detailed representation of the CNA and SV found in chromosome 11 of patient CLL063 is shown in the bottom-left side of the figure. All CNA and SV were shared between the PB (left) and LN (right) in both cases. CN, copy number.

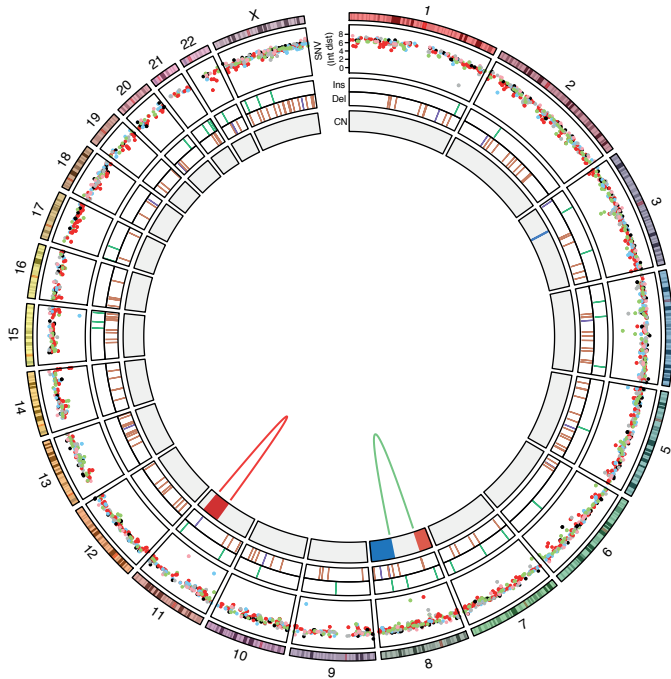
**Figure S2. Comparison of the CNA profile of 12 PB (outer layer) and LN (inner layer) synchronous samples analyzed by WES.** One case with no CNA in any of the two samples analyzed is not depicted in this figure. All CNA were shared at similar CCF between PB and LN. CNN-LOH, copy number neutral-loss of heterozygosity.

**Figure S3. Density of the CCF of the tissue-specific mutations identified by WES.** Density plot showing the distribution of the CCF of the tissue-specific mutations identified in the 13 cases analyzed by WES.

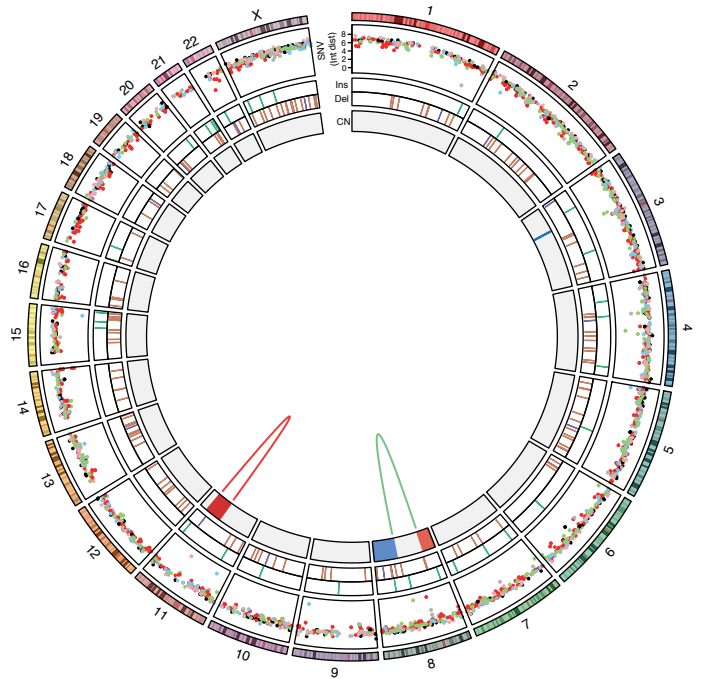
**Figure S4. Comparison of the CCF of mutations identified by WES.** Dot plots comparing the CCF of the mutations between PB (x-axis) and LN (y-axis) in the 13 cases analyzed by WES.

**CLL290**

PB

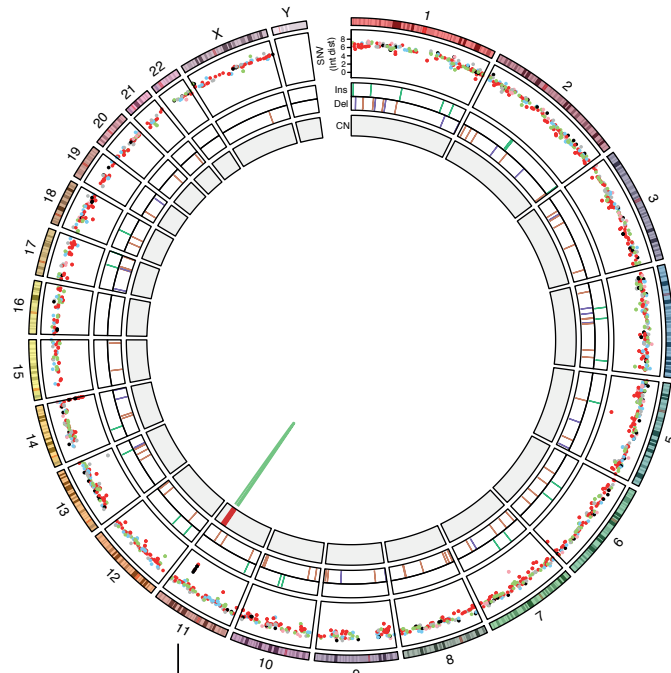


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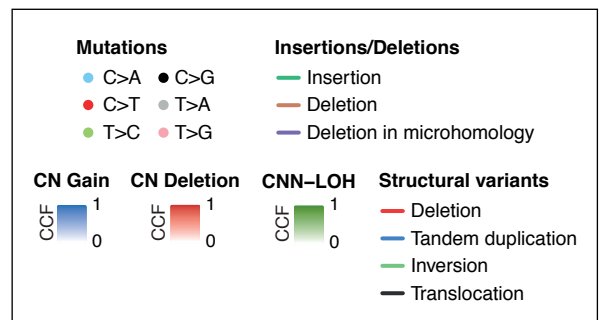
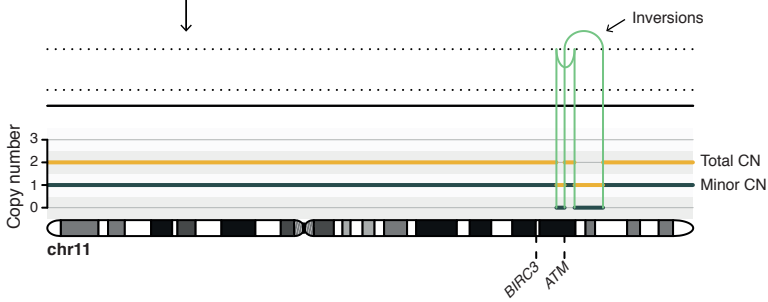
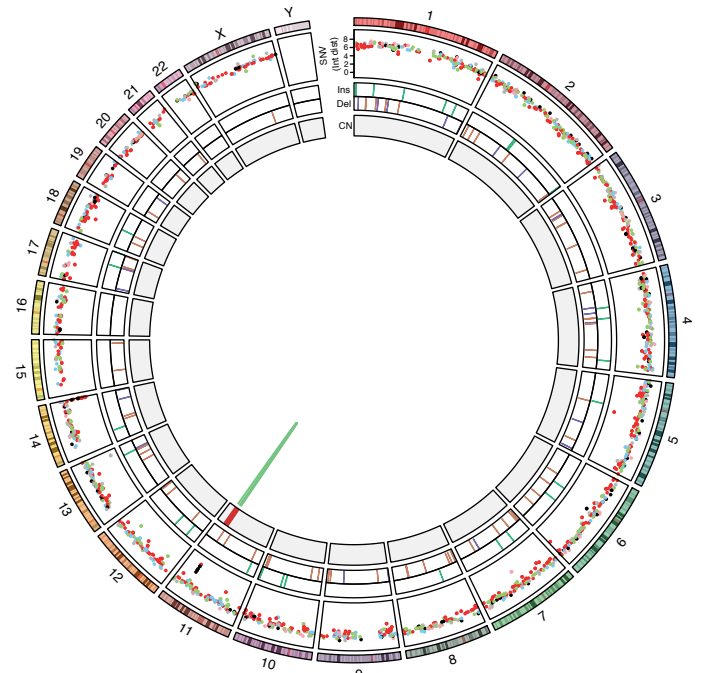


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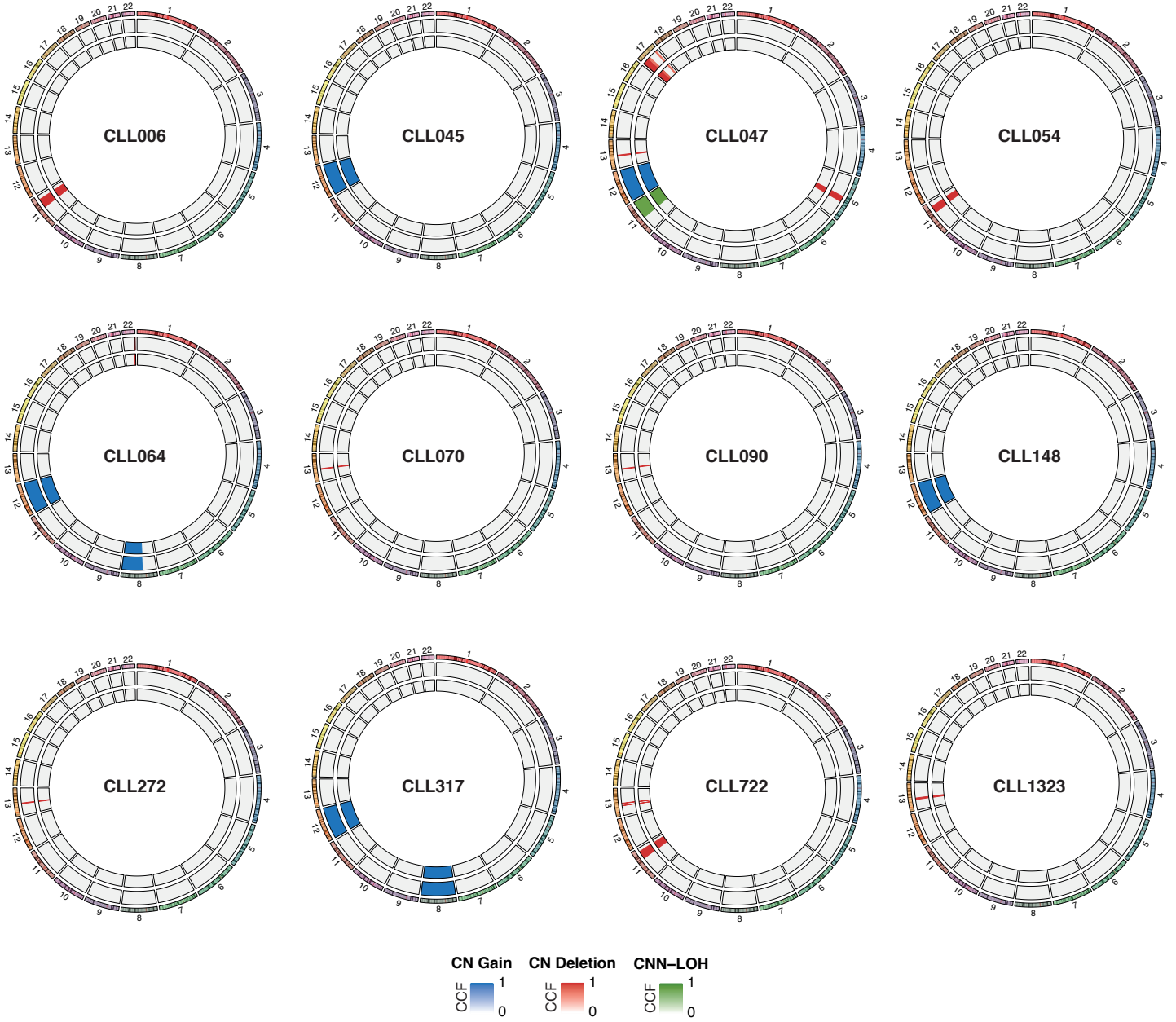
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LN



**Figure S1**



**Figure S2**



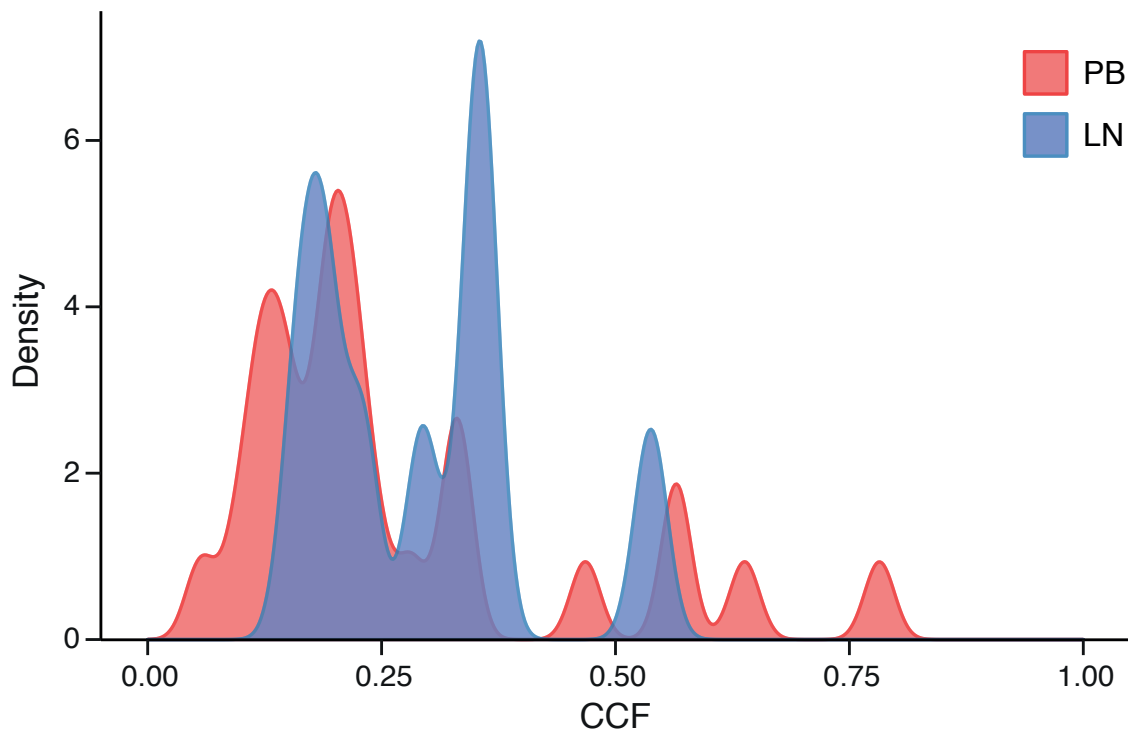


Figure S3

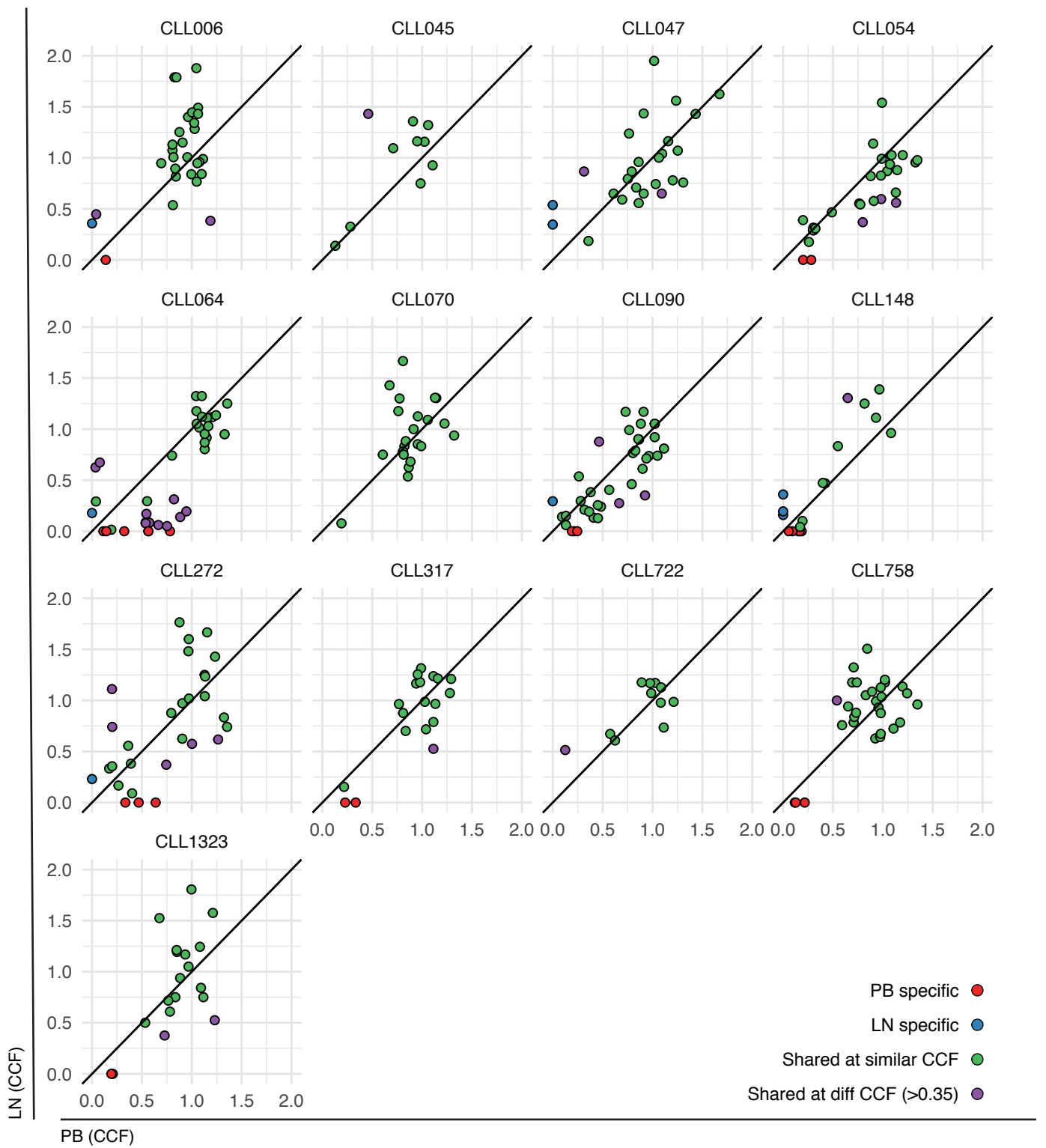


Figure S4

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