

Resource Summary Report

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COSMIC - Catalogue Of Somatic Mutations In Cancer

RRID:SCR_002260

Type: Tool

Proper Citation

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Resource Information

URL: <http://cancer.sanger.ac.uk/cancergenome/projects/cosmic/>

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Description: Database to store and display somatic mutation information and related details and contains information relating to human cancers. The mutation data and associated information is extracted from the primary literature. In order to provide a consistent view of the data a histology and tissue ontology has been created and all mutations are mapped to a single version of each gene. The data can be queried by tissue, histology or gene and displayed as a graph, as a table or exported in various formats.

Some key features of COSMIC are:

- * Contains information on publications, samples and mutations. Includes samples which have been found to be negative for mutations during screening therefore enabling frequency data to be calculated for mutations in different genes in different cancer types.
- * Samples entered include benign neoplasms and other benign proliferations, in situ and invasive tumours, recurrences, metastases and cancer cell lines.

Abbreviations: COSMIC

Synonyms: Catalogue Of Somatic Mutations In Cancer

Resource Type: data or information resource, database

Defining Citation: [PMID:20952405](#)

Keywords: cancer, mutation, somatic mutation, tumor, cancer genome, genome, gene, dna, tissue, histology, bio.tools, FASEB list

Related Condition: Cancer

Funding: Wellcome Trust 077012/Z/05/Z

Availability: Free

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Alternate IDs: nif-0000-02690, biotools:cosmic, OMICS_00082

Alternate URLs: <http://www.sanger.ac.uk/perl/CGP/cosmic>, <https://bio.tools/cosmic>

Record Creation Time: 20220129T080212+0000

Record Last Update: 20260811T043140+0000

Ratings and Alerts

No rating or validation information has been found for COSMIC - Catalogue Of Somatic Mutations In Cancer.

No alerts have been found for COSMIC - Catalogue Of Somatic Mutations In Cancer.

Data and Source Information

Source: [SciCrunch Registry](#)

Usage and Citation Metrics

We found 4809 mentions in open access literature.

Listed below are recent publications. The full list is available at [nidm-terms](#) .

Culliford R, et al. (2026) Contrasting Features of Papillary and Chromophobe Renal Cell Carcinoma Revealed by Whole-Genome Sequencing. Molecular cancer research : MCR, 24(5), 327.

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Gurjao C, et al. (2026) Germline Predisposition to Oncogenic Alkylating Damage in Colorectal Cancer. Cancer epidemiology, biomarkers & prevention : a publication of the American Association for Cancer Research, cosponsored by the American Society of Preventive Oncology, 35(3), 420.

Robinson E, et al. (2026) STK11 mutations and deletions define a distinct subtype of cervical adenocarcinoma. medRxiv : the preprint server for health sciences.

Botticelli A, et al. (2026) The Impact of Concordance between Liquid and Tissue Biopsy for Actionable Mutations: Insights from the ROME Trial. Clinical cancer research : an official journal of the American Association for Cancer Research, 32(1), 45.

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Swift SZ, et al. (2026) Integration of Short- and Long-Read RNA Sequencing Enables the Discovery of Circular RNAs. *Cancer research*, 86(5), 1300.

Tirtei E, et al. (2026) Mapping Genomic Heterogeneity in Pediatric and Adolescent-Young Adult Sarcomas: Insights from the Italian SAR-GEN2016 and SAR-GEN_ITA Prospective Multicenter Trials. *Cancer research communications*, 6(4), 857.

Pradhan B, et al. (2026) Dynamic and Ongoing De Novo L1 Retrotransposition Contributes to Genome Plasticity and Intrapatient Heterogeneity in Ovarian Cancer. *Cancer research*, 86(4), 1073.

Lee JB, et al. (2026) Lazertinib with stereotactic body radiotherapy in oligometastatic EGFR-mutant non-small-cell lung cancer. *ESMO open*, 11(2), 106057.

Hang JF, et al. (2026) Out-of-frame CBX3::ALK fusion drives ALK activation and therapy response. *Cell reports. Medicine*, 7(4), 102697.

Chang LJ, et al. (2026) Assessment of Circulating Tumor DNA for Early Detection of Hepatocellular Carcinoma in Alpha-Fetoprotein-Negative Patients With Cirrhotic Nodules. *JGH open : an open access journal of gastroenterology and hepatology*, 10(1), e70331.

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