

PATHOLOGICAL DIAGNOSIS:

Soft tissue, chest, left, fine needle biopsy, see descriptions.

GROSS:

Received in formalin consists of 2 cores of white soft tissue, measuring up to 2.6x0.2x0.1 cm in size fixed in formalin.

Entire specimen is embedded in one block.

MICRO:

Sections show a hypocellular and partially infarcted spindle-shaped cell tumor with relatively bland nuclei. The spindle cells are CK(-), Bcl-2(-), calretinin(-), S100(-), CD10(+), vimentin(+), Cd117(-) and CD34(-). As characterised by epithelial lined cystic spaces into which projects a hypercellular stroma, the presence of both epithelial and stromal elements are necessary to confirm the diagnosis of phyllodes tumor. Moreover, the stroma spindle cells are the neoplastic component and their anaplastic features determine the pathological behaviour of potential metastasis. Due to lacking of epithelial component and absence of anaplastic features of the spindle cells, it is hard to label the biopsy as metastatic phyllodes tumor currently. However, metastatic phyllodes tumor is still compatible and more viable tissue is needed to confirm the diagnosis.



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 SURGICAL PATHOLOGY CONSULTATION REPORT

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SPECIMEN DESCRIPTION: Received are 8 H&E slides, labeled S2014-044274, with an accompanying pathology report dated 2014/07/04 from 林口長庚醫院. Additional 3 H&E and 7 IHC slides are received, labeled 104-10167 and 10338, with accompanying pathology reports dated 2015/08/07 and 08/11 from 振興醫院.

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S2014-044274

Left breast, partial mastectomy: MALIGNANT PHYLLODES TUMOR (5.3x4.9x2.8 cm), with negative resection margins.

104-10167

Soft tissue, labeled as left chest, fine needle biopsy: NECROTIC SPINDLE CELL NEOPLASM. (see Micro)

104-10338

Left breast, 2 o'clock, sono-guided fine needle biopsy: benign breast tissue.

NOTE: The case has been presented in the Departmental Consensus Meeting on 2015-08-20 and 08-21. All the attending pathologists have agreed with the diagnosis.

MICROSCOPIC COMMENTS:

S2014-044274

The sections show a relative well-defined breast tumor composed of proliferating leaf-like ductal epithelium surrounded by cellular stroma with mild to moderate nuclear pleomorphism. There is no infiltrative growth noted. However, the tumor shows two unusual features suggesting malignancy including stromal overgrowth (>2x field devoid of glandular cells) and brisk mitotic figures (10/10 HPF, by olympus BX50). According to the reference, the tumor may be classified as a malignant tumor.

104-10167

The core biopsy shows a necrotic spindle cell tumor with the ghost shadow showing similar histology as to the stromal component of the phyllodes tumor. A recurrent or metastatic malignant phyllodes tumor should be considered. Please correlate with clinical findings and repeating biopsy is clinically indicated.

104-10338

The core biopsy shows benign breast tissue only.

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Classification of Biphasic Lesions of the Breast

Fibroadenoma

Juvenile Fibroadenoma

Phyllodes Tumor

Adenomyoepithelioma

Gynecomastia

Hamartoma

Metaplastic Carcinoma

Pleomorphic Adenoma

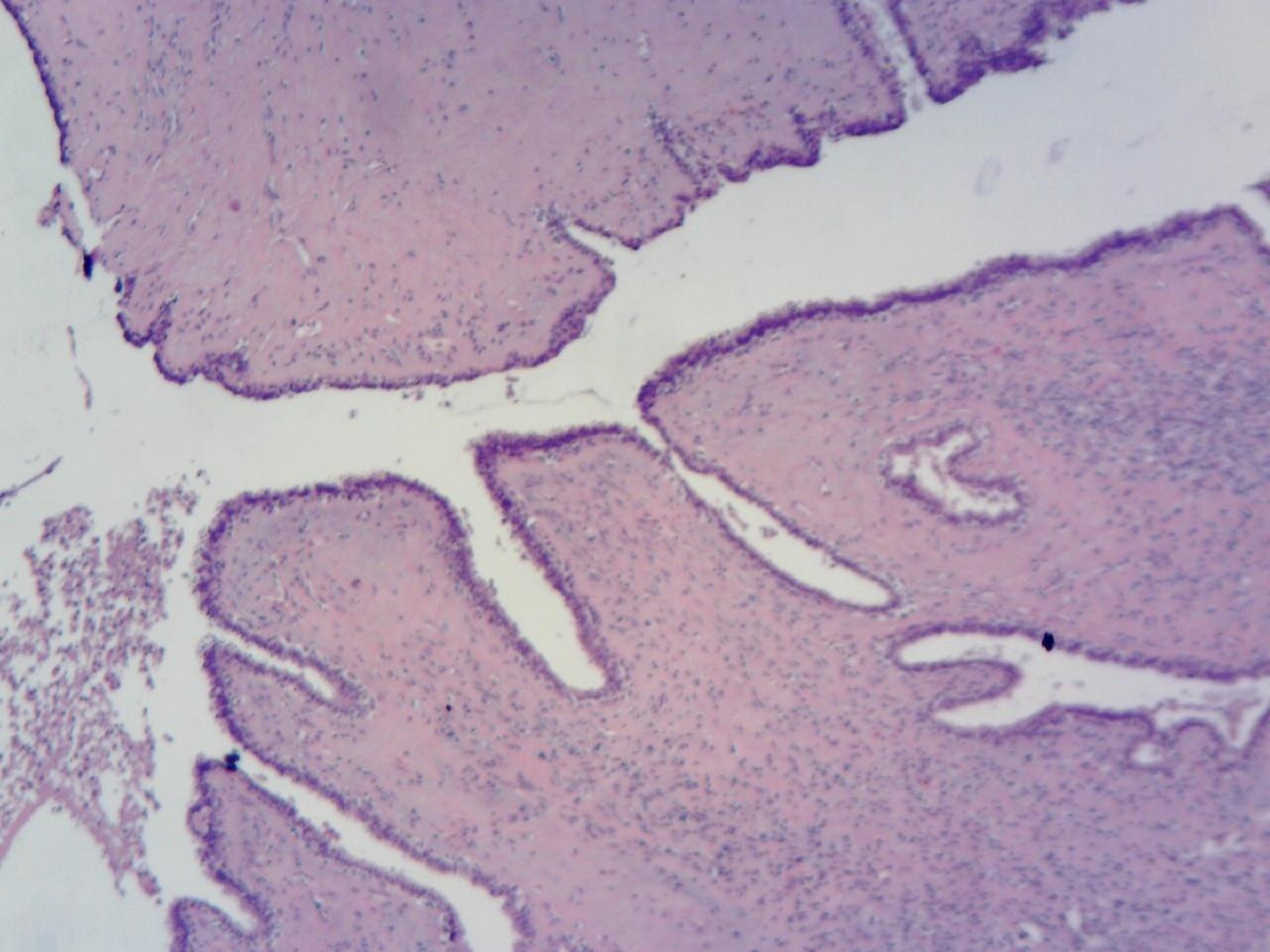
Pubertal Macromastia

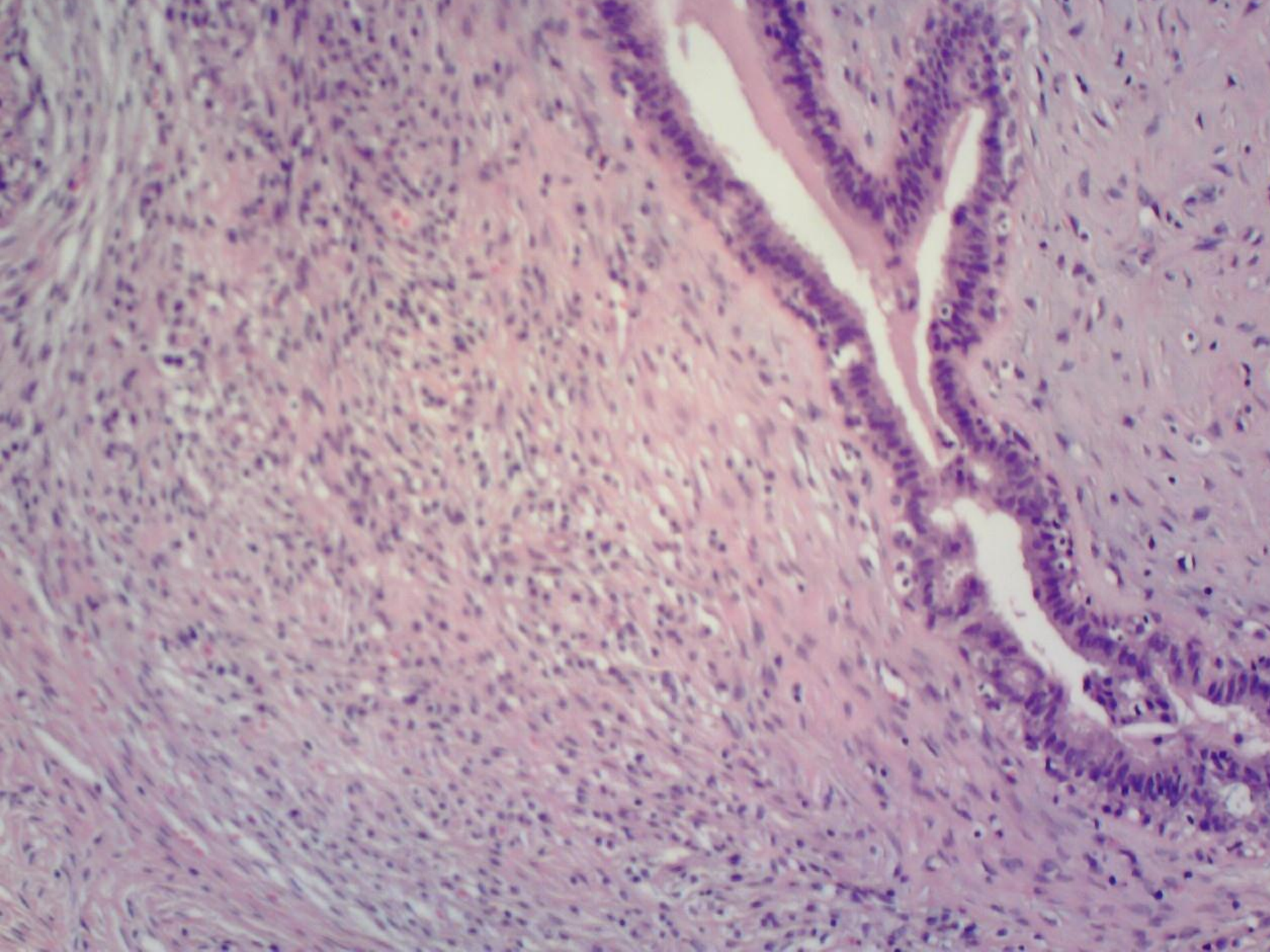
Phyllodes Tumor of the Breast

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Phyllodes Tumor of the Breast

Clinical basics

Uncommon, generally well circumscribed lumps

Account for 2.5% of all fibroepithelial lesions of the breast

Patient usually older than 40 years

In Asian countries occur at an earlier age (average 25-30 yrs)

Lesion usually larger than 4 cm

May be a history of recent growth

Principal clinical concern is the risk of local recurrence after excision, also....

....very rarely, malignant transformation with metastatic potential

Malignant lesions more common in Latino whites, particularly those born in
Central & South America

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Diagnostic Criteria:

Usually large and grossly circumscribed

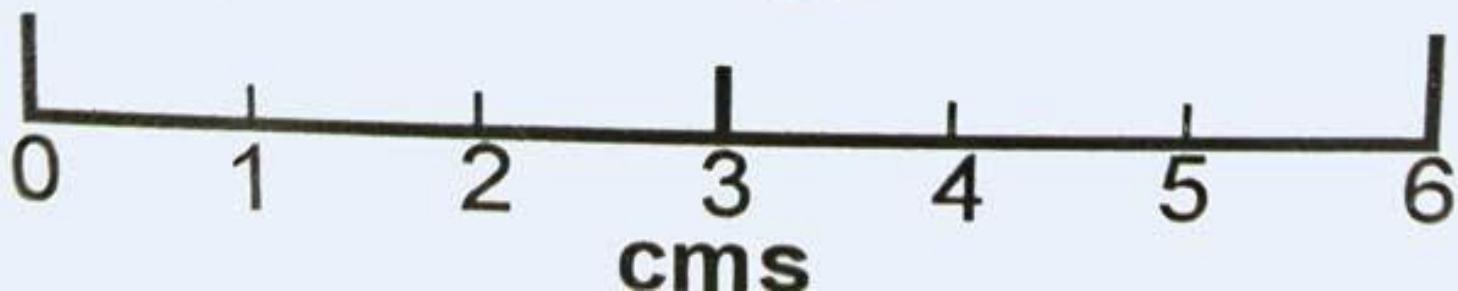
**Fibroepithelial proliferation with broad "leaf-like" papillae
inserting into slit-like or cleft-like spaces**

Exaggerated intracanalicular pattern

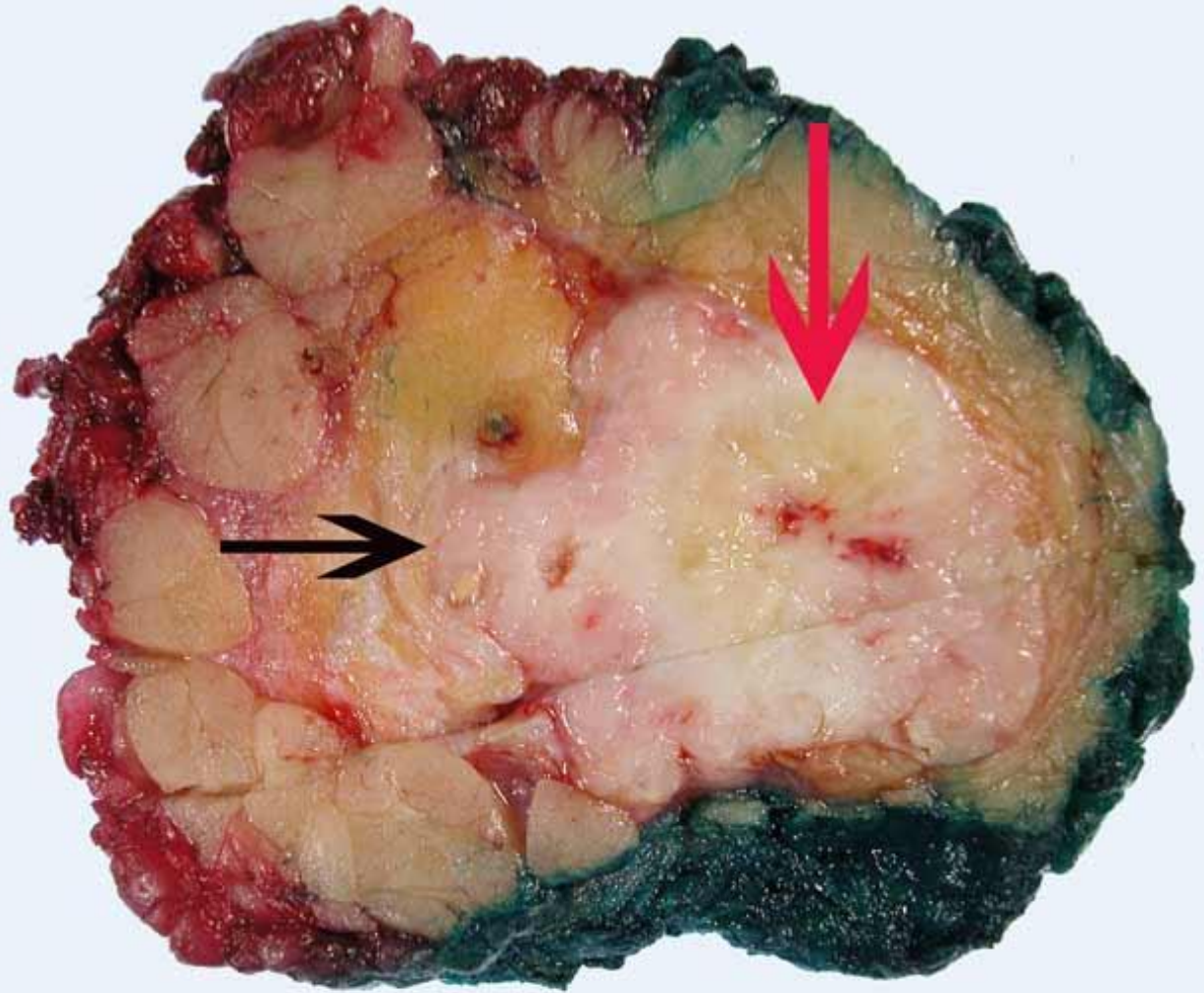
Cellular stroma

Periductal stromal condensation may be seen

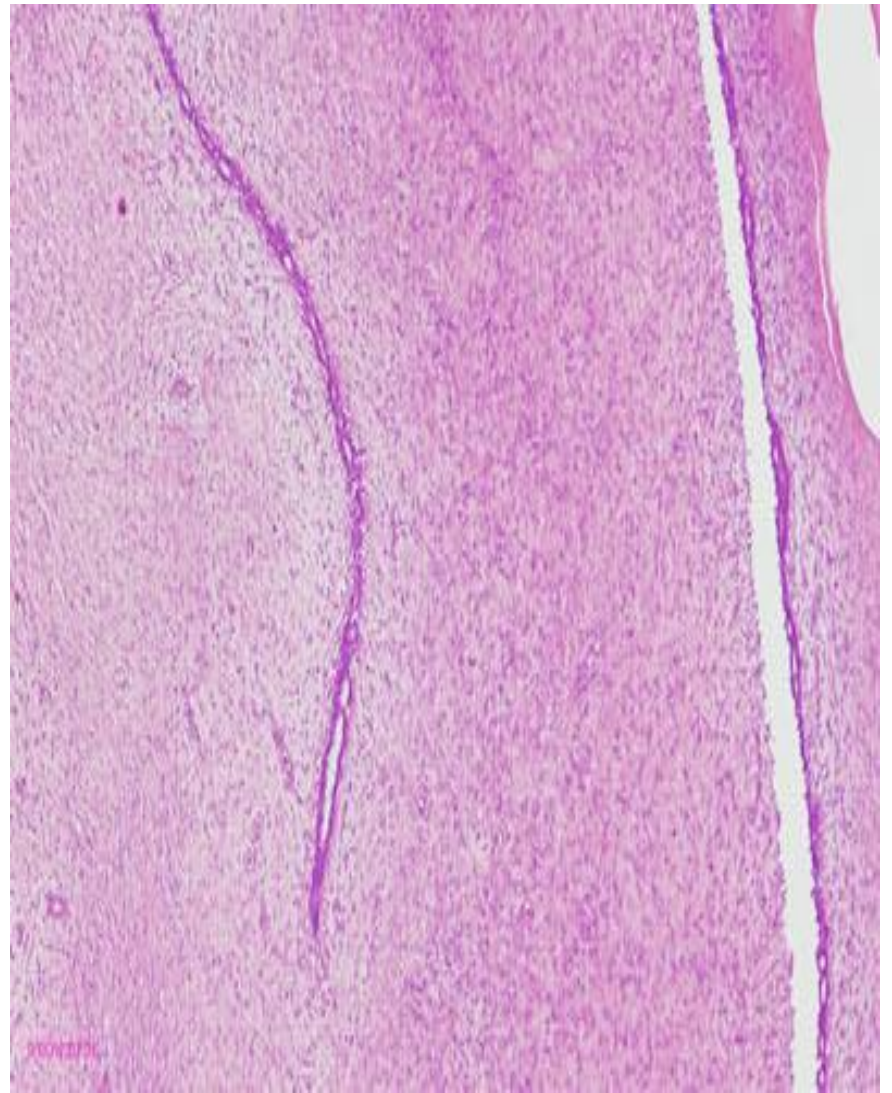
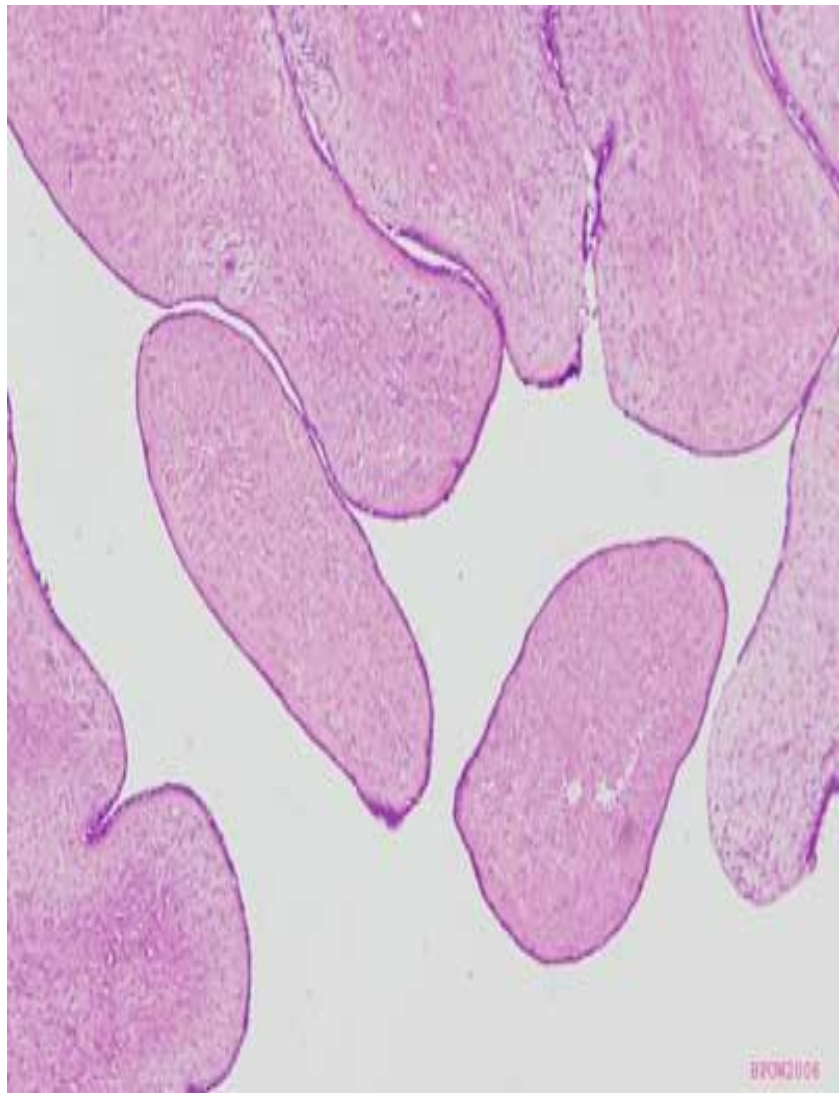
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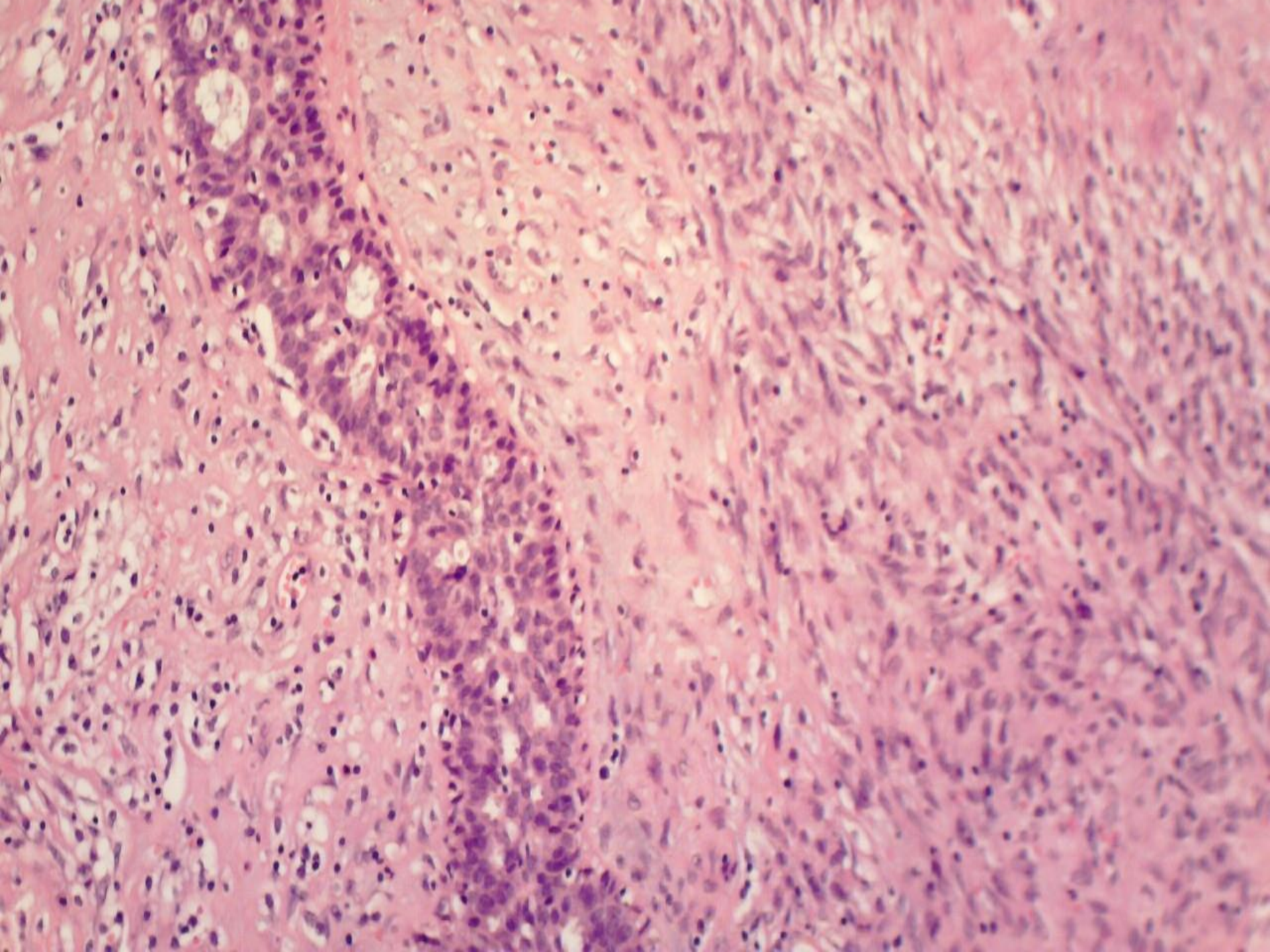


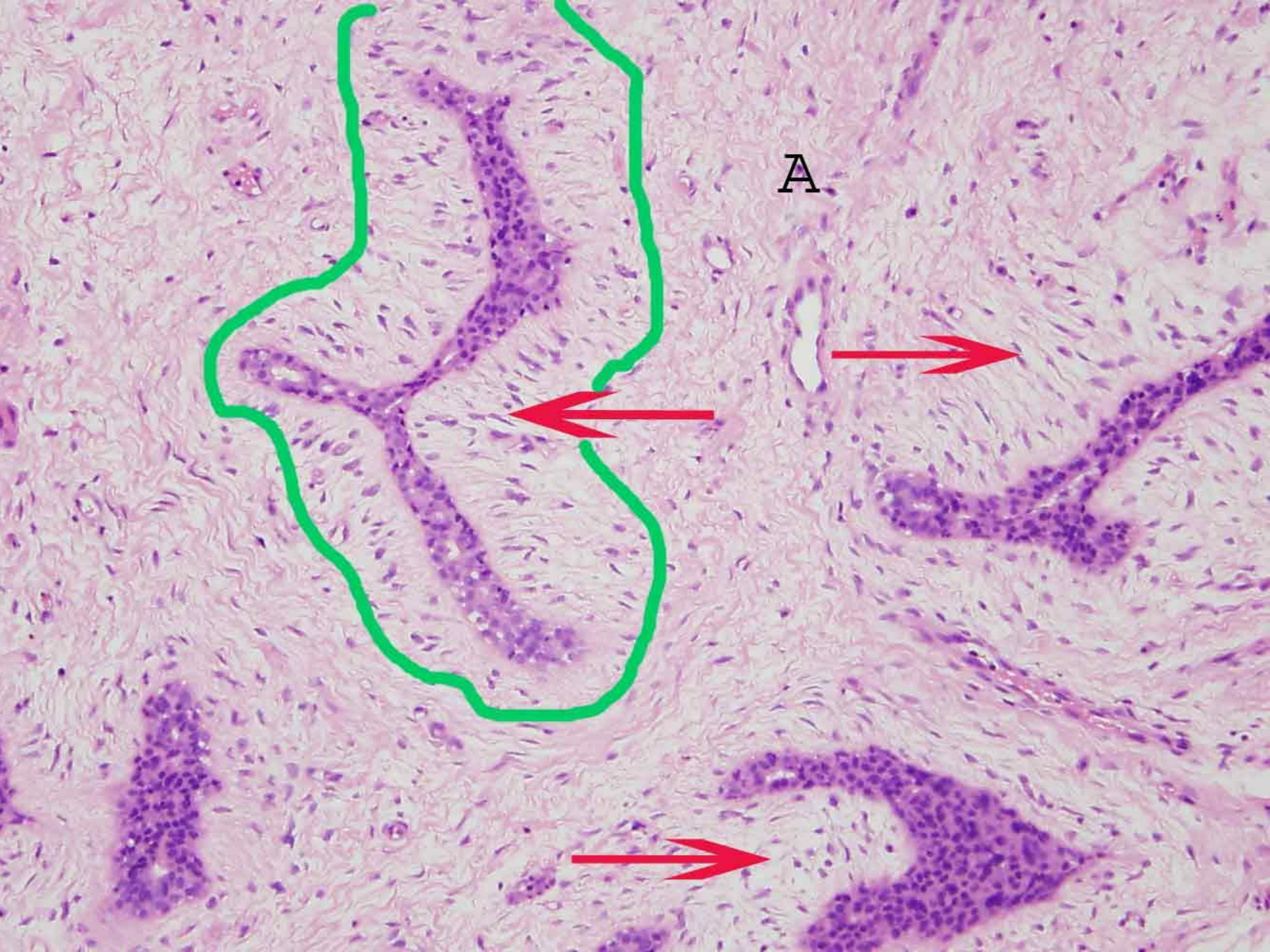
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Phyllodes Tumor of the Breast

Fibroadenoma	Low Grade Phyllodes Tumor
Lacks significant stromal hypercellularity	Hypercellular stroma is prominent
No stromal overgrowth	May have stromal overgrowth
No leaf-like architecture	Prominent leaf-like architecture
No condensation around ducts	Stromal condensation around ducts
Does not infiltrate	May infiltrate surrounding breast

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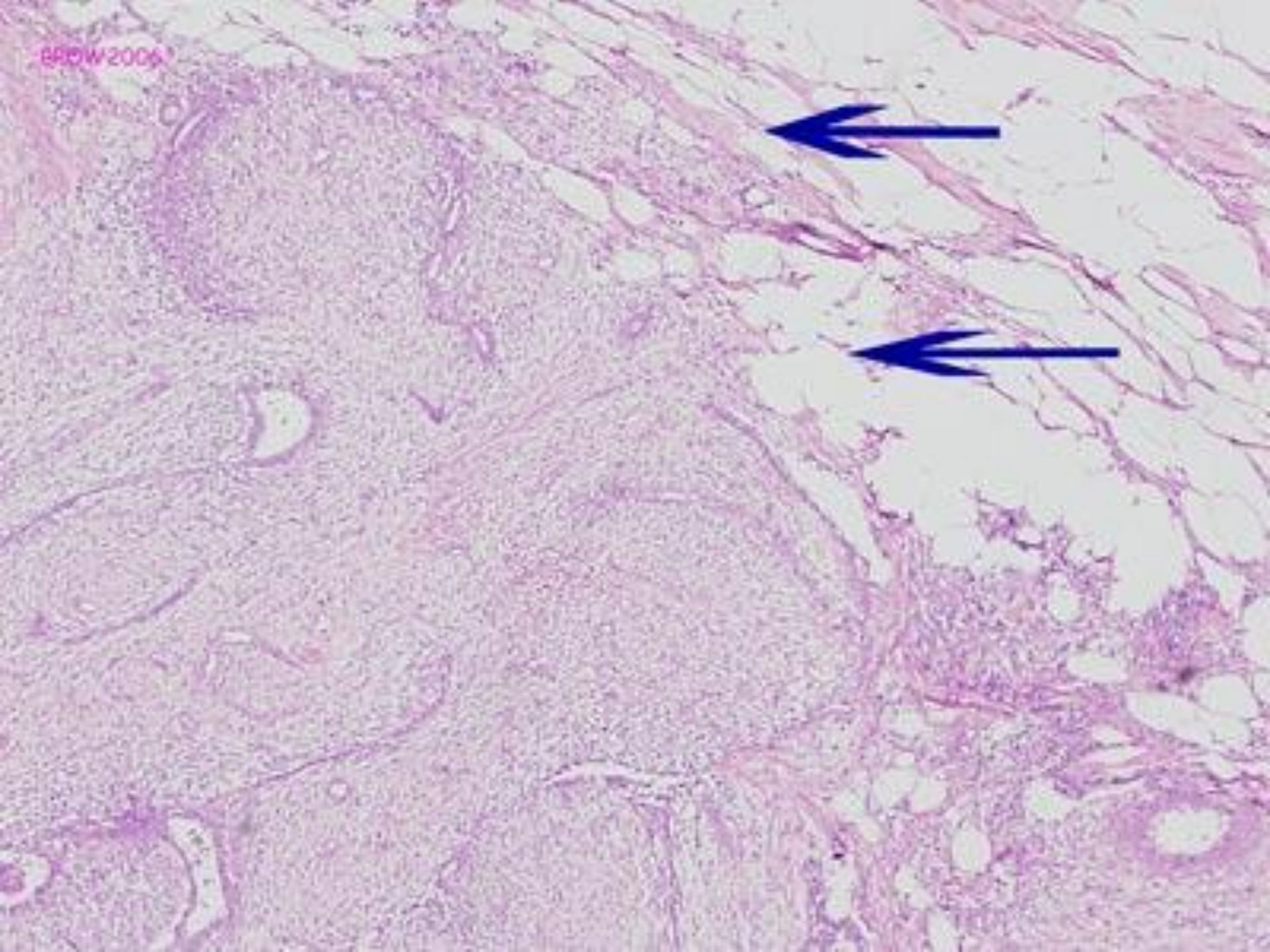
Adverse features

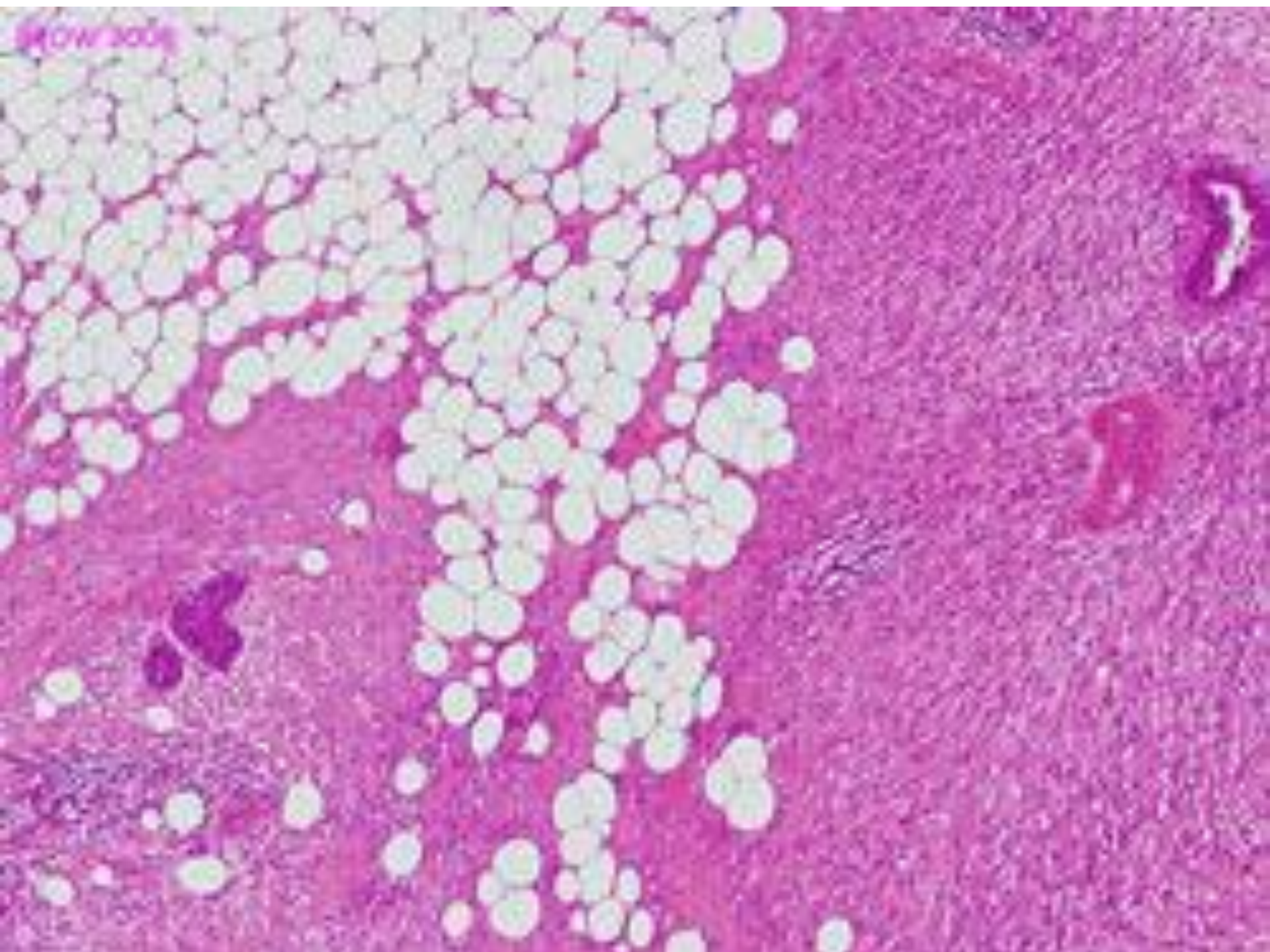
Infiltrative margin

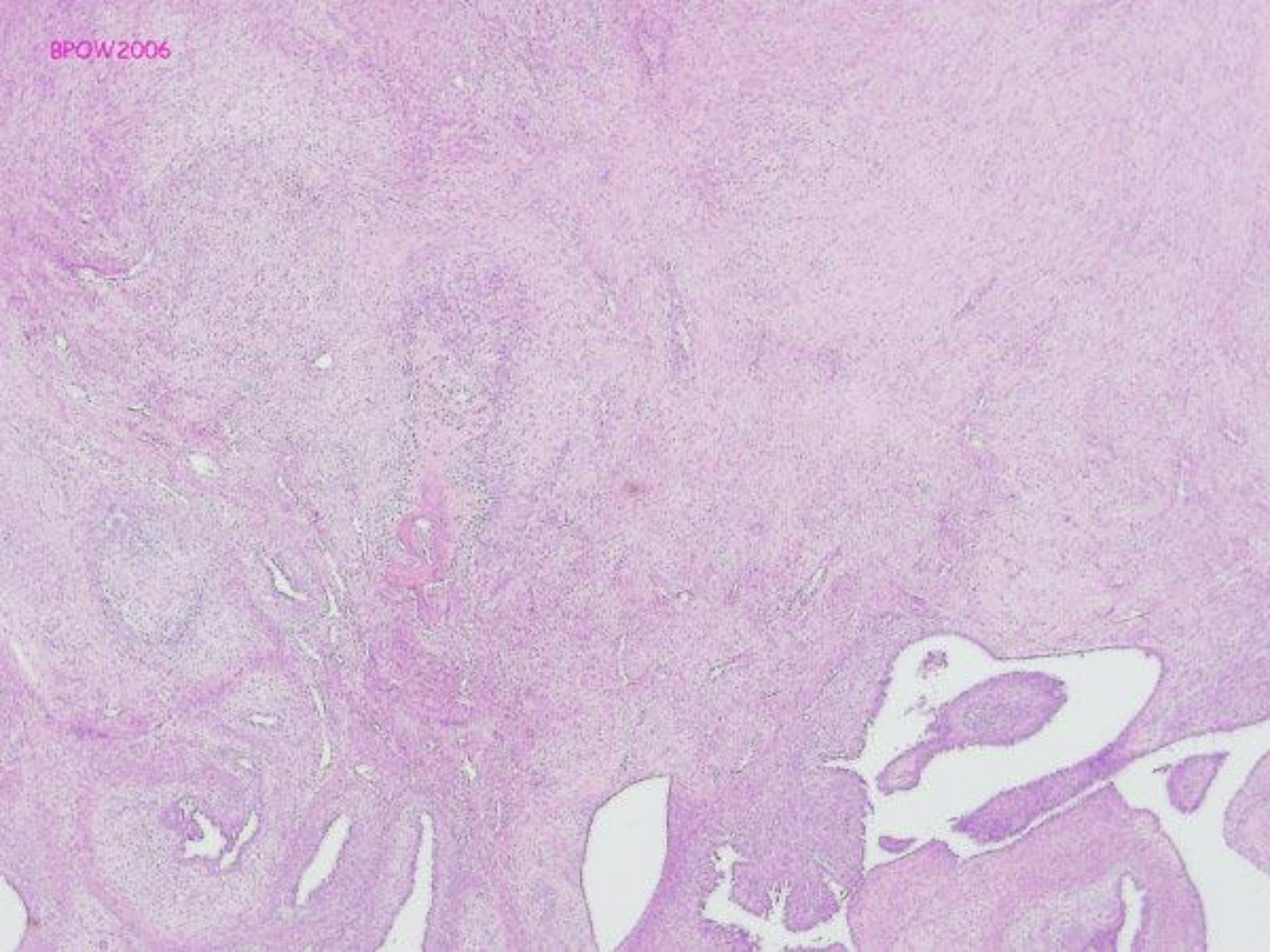
Stromal overgrowth (> one 40x field without epithelium)

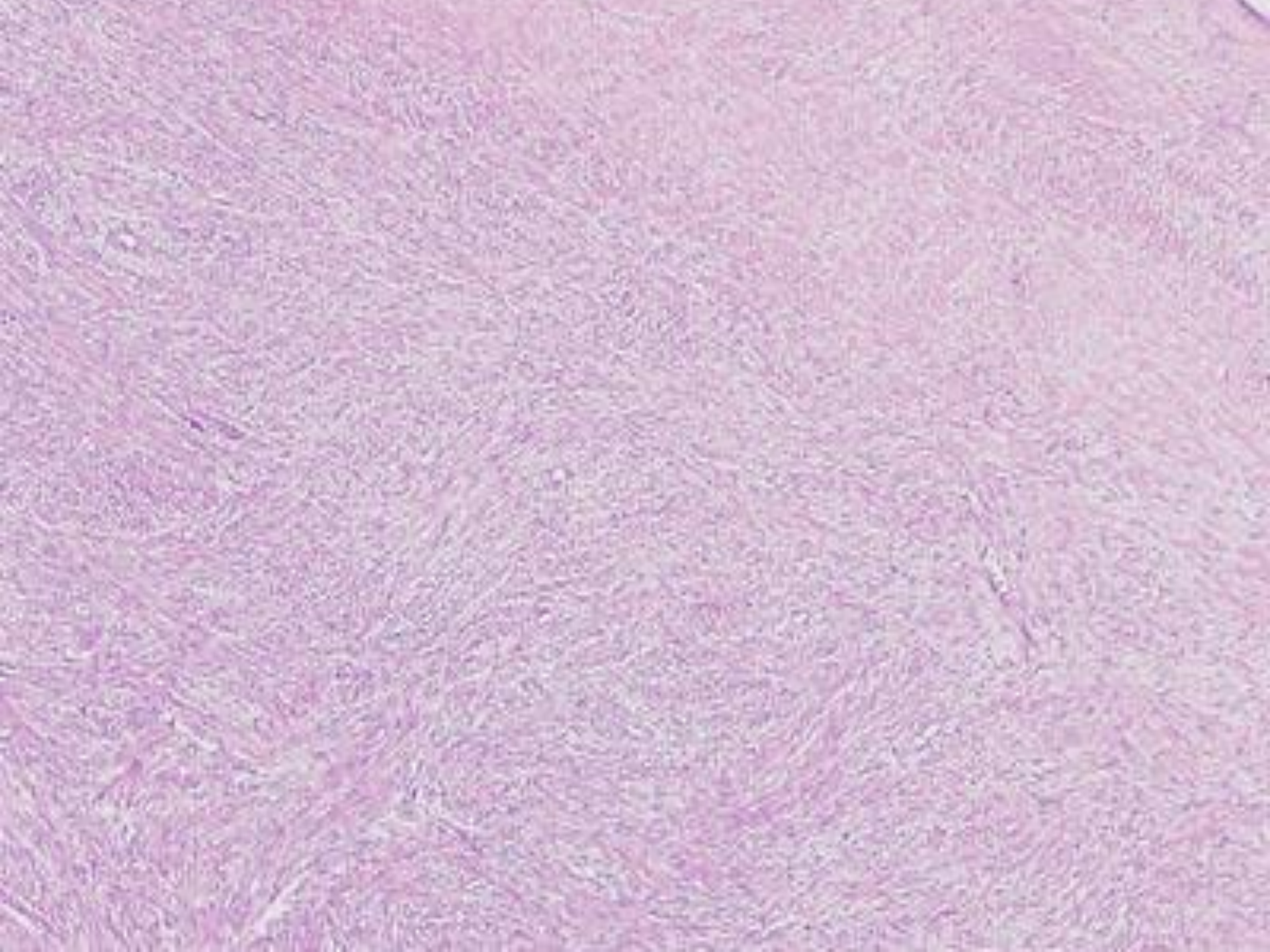
High mitotic index (>10 /10 hpf)

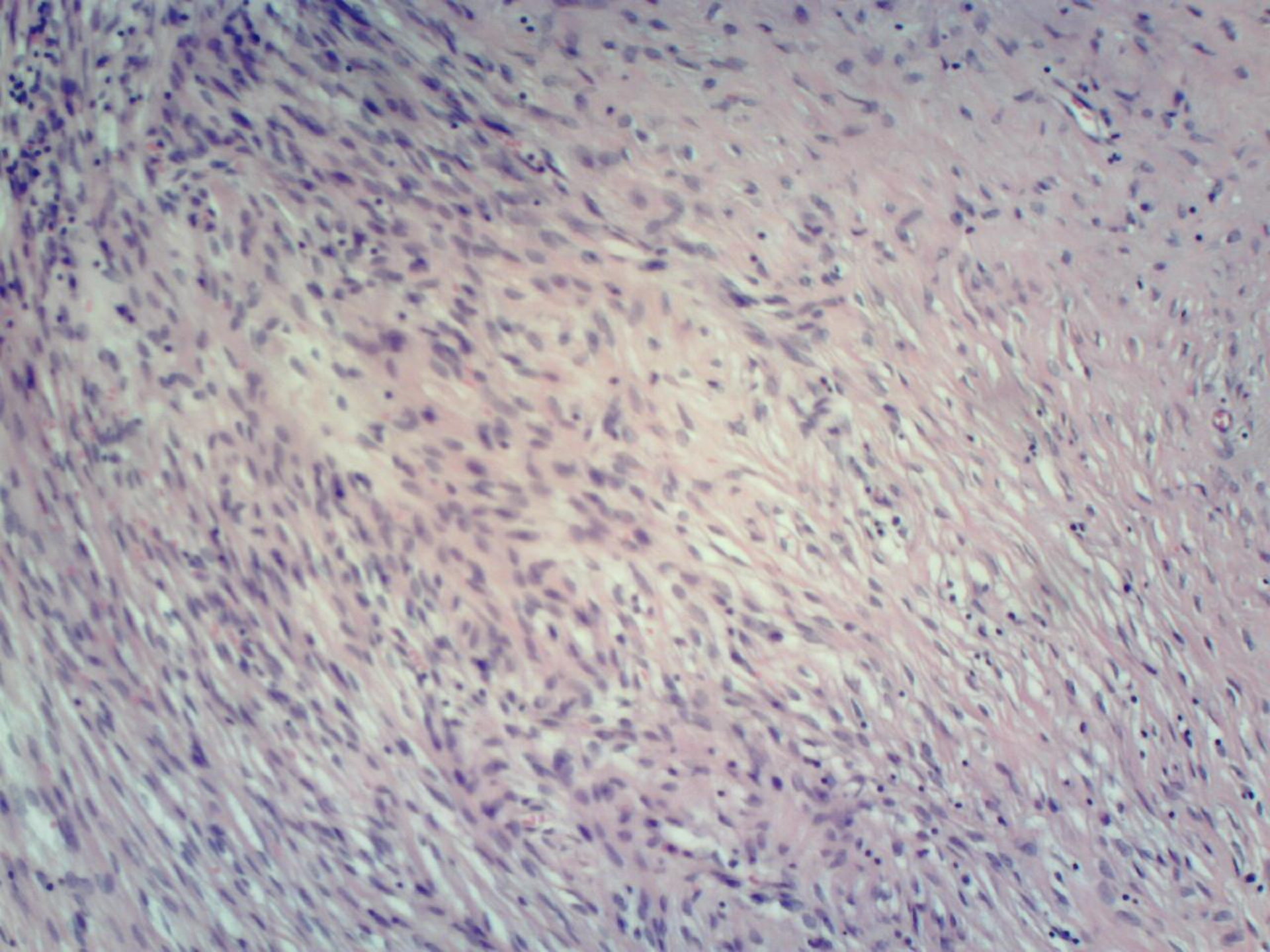
Sarcomatous stroma (nuclear pleomorphism and atypia)

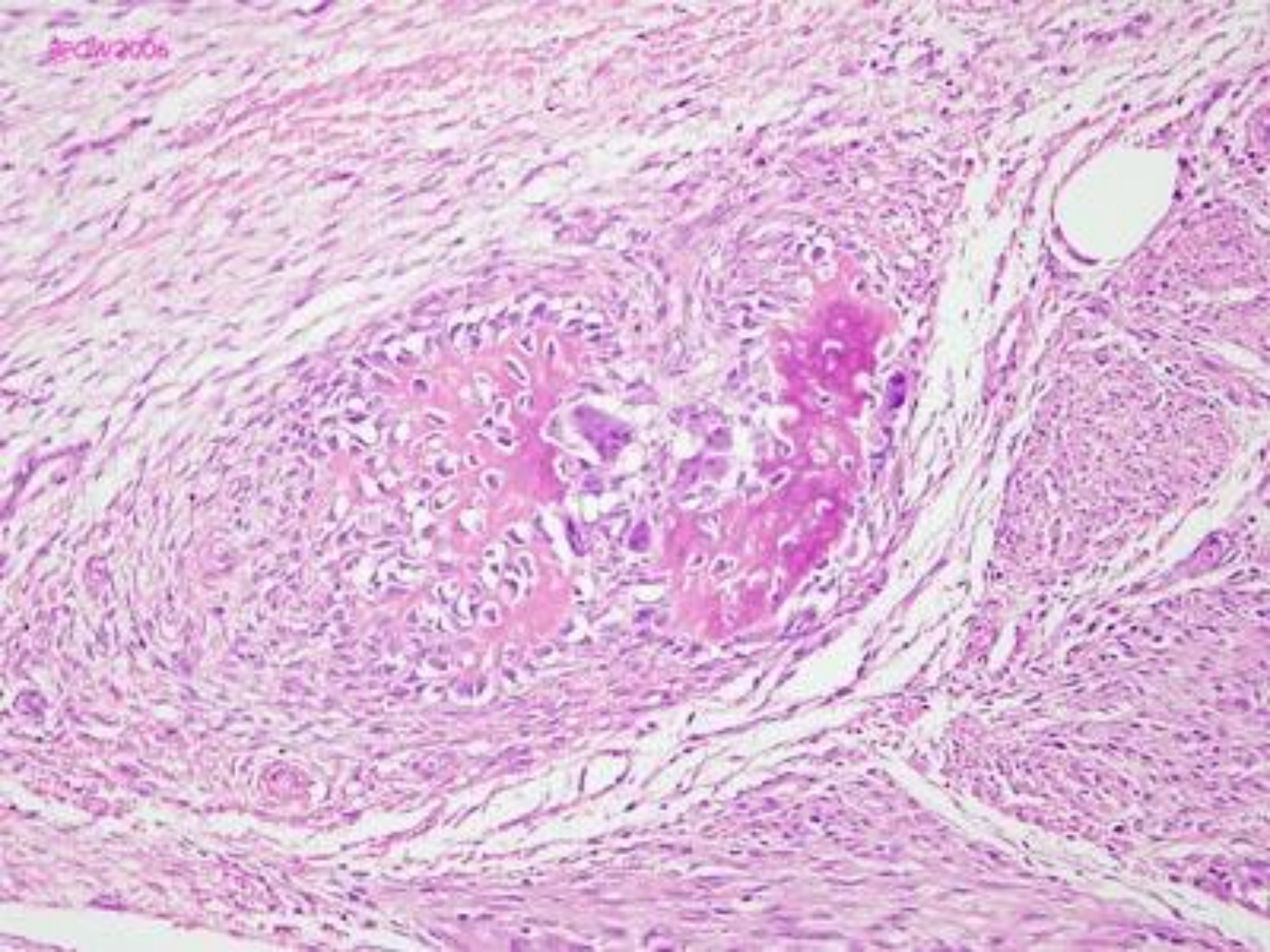












<i>WHO Classification</i> ^[63]	<i>Benign PT</i>	<i>Borderline PT</i>	<i>Malignant PT</i>
Stromal cellularity	Modest	Modest	Marked
Cellular pleomorphism	Little	Moderate	Marked
Mitoses	Few, if any	Intermediate	Numerous (>10/ HPF)
Margins	Well circumscribed (Pushing)	Intermediate	Invasive
Stromal pattern	Uniform stromal distribution	Heterogenous stromal distribution	Marked stromal overgrowth
Heterologous stromal distribution	Rare	Rare	Not uncommon
Overall average distribution (%)	60	20	20

	Benign	Borderline	Malignant
Pushing boundary	Yes	Usually	Not usually
Stromal/epithelial balance	Even	Even	Uneven
Stromal cellularity	High	High	High
Variability of stromal cellularity	Yes	Yes	Yes ++
Stromal mitoses /10 hpf	< 5	5 - 10	>10

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Phyllodes Tumor of the Breast

Benign

No adverse features

20% recurrence rate after local excision

10% recurrence rate after wide excision (at least 1 cm margin)

No reported metastases

In: Tavassoli FA, Devilee P, editors. Pathology and genetics: tumours of the breast and female genital organs. Lyon, France: IARC Press, 2003, pp. 99-103.

Phyllodes Tumor of the Breast

Borderline

One or more adverse features but short of definition for malignant (see below)

45% recurrence rate after local excision

30% recurrence rate after wide excision (at least 1 cm margin)

No reported metastases

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Phyllodes Tumor of the Breast

Malignant

High mitotic index and sarcomatous stroma

Stroma overgrowth and high mitotic index or sarcomatous stroma

65% recurrence rate after local excision

35% recurrence rate after wide excision (at least 1 cm margin)

30% metastatic rate

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	Benign	Borderline	Malignant
Local Recurrence (%)	15	25	30
Distant Metastases (%)	0	5	20

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Juvenile Fibroadenoma	High Grade Phyllodes Tumor
No stromal atypia	Atypical stroma
Stromal mitotic rate \leq 3/10 hpf	Elevated stromal mitotic rate
No stromal overgrowth	Stromal overgrowth
Does not infiltrate	May infiltrate surrounding breast

Stromal overgrowth defined as at least one low power field (40x total magnification) composed entirely of stroma

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Metaplastic Carcinoma	Phyllodes Tumor
Spindled component may be positive for high molecular weight keratin or p63	Stromal component negative for high molecular weight keratin and p63
Epithelial component is malignant	Epithelial component is benign
Squamous differentiation may be present	No squamous differentiation

Pure Sarcoma of the Breast

Phyllodes Tumors of the Breast

The Role of Pathologic Parameters

Abstract

We aimed to establish whether morphologic parameters were prognostically important in a large series of breast phyllodes tumors in Asian women. Of 335 phyllodes tumors diagnosed at the Department of Pathology, Singapore General Hospital, Singapore, between January 1992 and December 2002, 250 (74.6%) were benign, 54 (16.1%) borderline, and 31 (9.3%) malignant, based on histologic review of archival slides. Of the women, 43 (12.8%) experienced recurrences during the follow-up period. Recurrent disease was correlated with grade or classification ($P = .028$), stromal atypia ($P = .016$), stromal hypercellularity ($P = .046$), and permeative microscopic borders ($P = .021$). Multivariate analysis revealed that independent predictors of recurrence were pseudoangiomatous stromal hyperplasia (PASH) and margin status, whereby the presence of PASH and complete or negative margins reduced recurrence hazards by 51.3% and 51.7%, respectively. The 7 women who died of disease during follow-up had malignant phyllodes tumor at the outset and experienced recurrences, and death was preceded by distant metastases.

Malignant phyllodes tumors: a review of 752 cases.

Abstract

Because of the scarcity of the disease, there are no evidence-based treatment or follow-up guidelines established. We identified 752 cases of malignant phyllodes tumors in the California Cancer Registry from the years 1988 to 2003. Relative survival was determined using Berkson-Gage life table analysis which was then compared with the nonphyllodes breast cancer patients.

For MPT patients, the relative annual survival at 1 year was 94 per cent and at 10 years was 99.6 per cent. Thus, after 10 years, these patients are no more likely to die than the general population. At 10 years, the relative cumulative survival of the MPT patients was 87.4 per cent, whereas the nonphyllodes breast cancer patients had only a 57.2 per cent relative cumulative survival. MPT patients with localized disease had a higher 10-year relative cumulative survival than those with regional disease (90.9% vs. 61.5%, $P < 0.001$). MPT has a good prognosis, particularly in patients with localized disease. After 10 years, MPT patients have no increased mortality relative to the general population.

Clinicopathologic Details for Nine Women With PT Who Died*

Case No./Race/ Age (y) [†]	Tumor Size (mm)	Mitoses (/10 hpf)	Stromal Cyto- logic Atypia	Stromal Overgrowth	PASH	Surgical Procedure	Margin Status	Local Recur- rence (No.)	Distant Recurrence	Cause of Death (Survival, mo)
1/C/34	60	5	Marked	Absent	Absent	Excisional biopsy	Involved	Yes (2)	CT, metastasis to lung, ilium; histology, metastasis to spine	PT (40)
2/C/43	250	20	Moderate	Present	Present	Mastectomy	<0.5 mm away	Yes (1)	CT, metastasis to bone, liver, lung	PT (112)
3/C/42	35	40	Marked	Present	Absent	Wide excision	<1 mm away	Yes (1)	CT, metastasis to lung	PT (14)
4/C/52	150	39	Moderate	Present	Absent	Chest wall resection [‡]	Complete	Yes (3)	CT, metastasis to bone, lung	PT (17)
5/C/54	250	8	Marked	Present	Present	Mastectomy	Complete	Yes (1)	Histology, metastasis to lung	PT (25)
6/C/40	220	23	Marked	Present	Present	Mastectomy	1 mm away	Yes (1)	CT, metastasis to lung	PT (4)
7/C/45	120	7	Marked	Absent	Present	Mastectomy	Complete	None	None	AMI (112)
8/C/58	90	30	Marked	Present	Absent	Mastectomy	Involved	Yes (1)	CT, metastasis to lung, liver	PT (9)
9/M/43	170	1	Minimal	Absent	Present	Mastectomy	Complete	None	None	Cancer, unknown origin (92)

AMI, acute myocardial infarction; C, Chinese; CT, computed tomographic scan; hpf, high-power fields; M, Malay; PT, phyllodes tumor.

* All tumors were malignant with permeative borders and marked stromal hypercellularity except in case 9, which involved a benign tumor with pushing borders and mild stromal hypercellularity.

[†] Age at diagnosis.

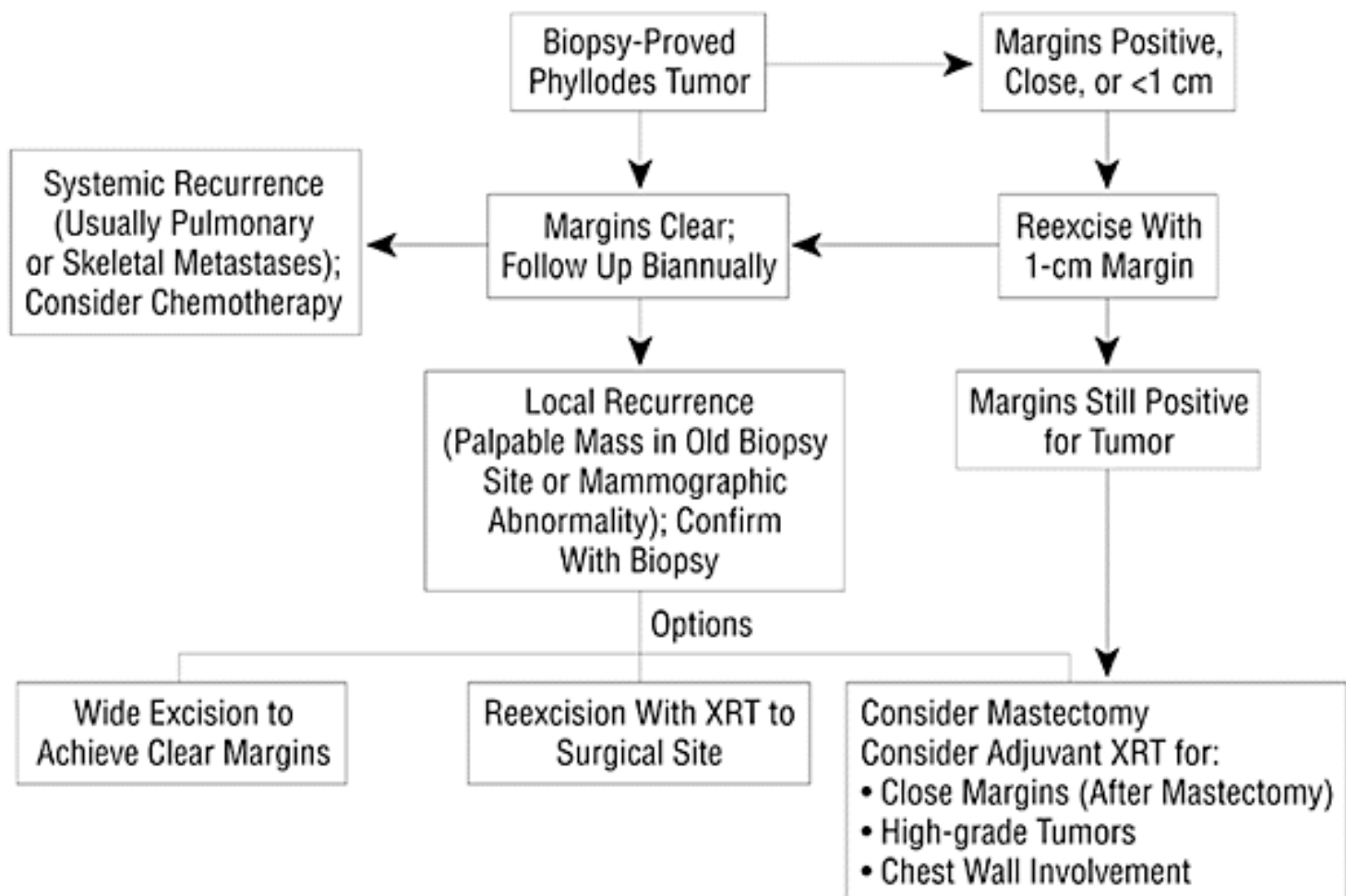
[‡] Clinicoradiologic evidence of skeletal muscle and rib involvement before surgery.

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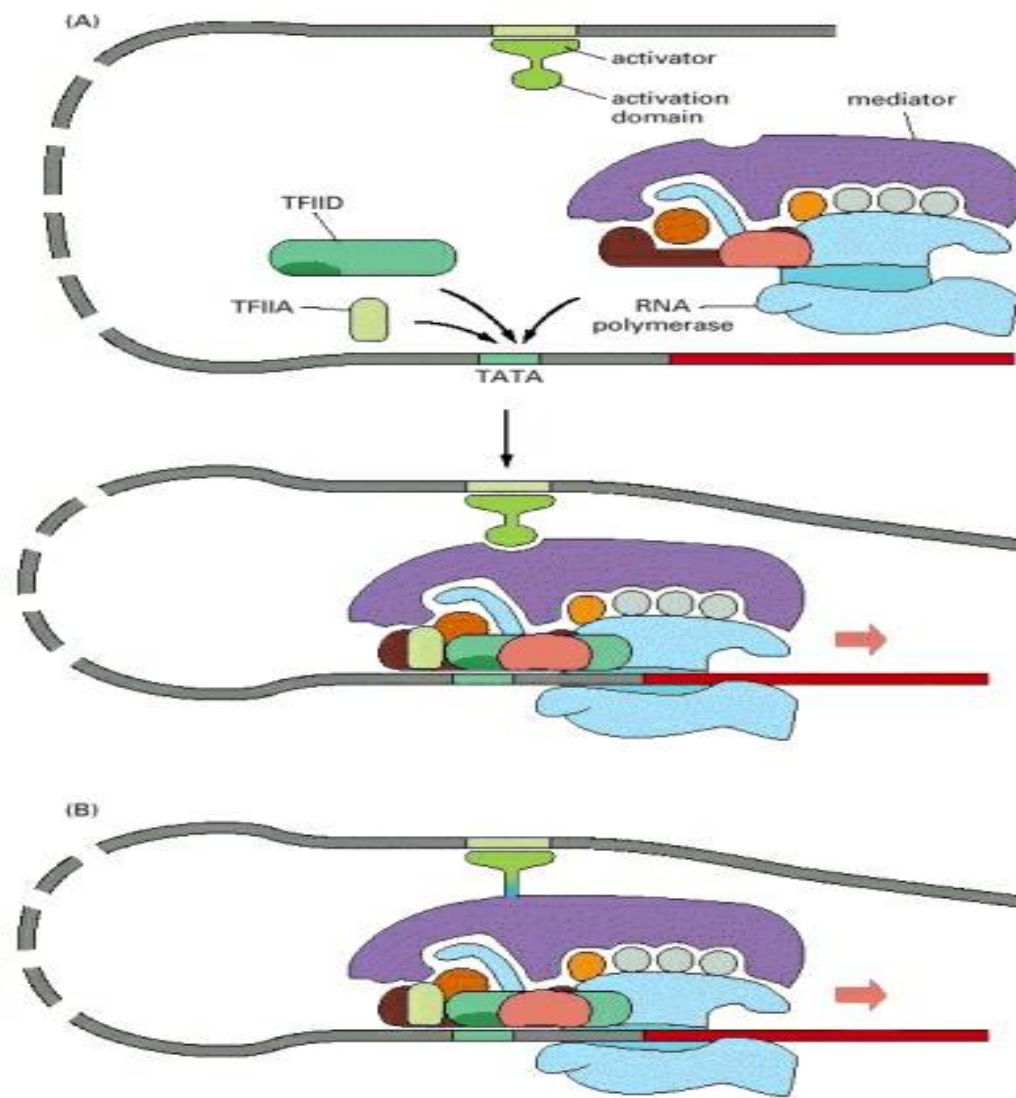
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Next-Gen Sequencing Exposes Frequent MED12 Mutations and Actionable Therapeutic Targets in Phyllodes Tumors

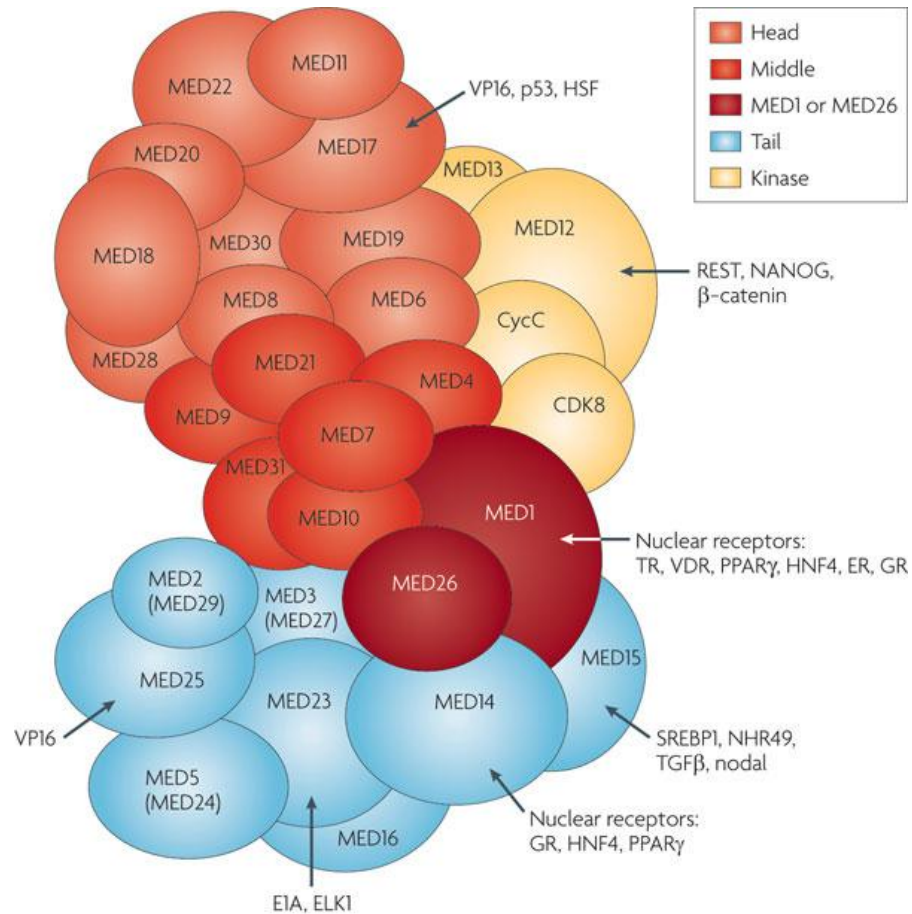
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Little is known about the genetic alterations that drive phyllodes tumor initiation and/or progression. Here targeted next generation sequencing (NGS) was used to identify somatic alterations in formalin fixed paraffin embedded (FFPE) patient specimens from malignant, borderline and benign cases. NGS revealed mutations in mediator complex subunit 12 (MED12) affecting the G44 hotspot residue in the majority (67%) of cases spanning all three histological grades. In addition, loss-of-function mutations in p53 (TP53) as well as deleterious mutations in the tumor suppressors retinoblastoma (RB1) and neurofibromin 1 (NF1) were identified exclusively in malignant tumors. High-level copy number alterations (CNAs) were nearly exclusively confined to malignant tumors, including potentially clinically actionable gene amplifications in IGF1R and EGFR. Taken together, this study defines the genomic landscape underlying phyllodes tumor development, suggests potential molecular correlates to histologic grade, expands the spectrum of human tumors with frequent recurrent MED12 mutations, and identifies IGF1R and EGFR as potential therapeutic targets in malignant cases. Implications: Integrated genomic sequencing and mutational profiling provides insight into the molecular origin of phyllodes tumors and indicates potential druggable targets in malignant disease

January 15, 2015; doi:10.1158/1541-7786.MCR-14-0578



Mediator as a bridge binds to the [RNA polymerase II](#) holoenzyme and [transcription factors](#).



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The Mediator complex is composed of up to at least 31 subunits in all eukaryotes

Selected Tumor Suppressor Genes Involved in Human Neoplasms

Subcellular Locations	Gene	Function	Tumors Associated with Somatic Mutations	Tumors Associated with Inherited Mutations
Cell surface	TGF- β receptor	Growth inhibition	Carcinomas of colon	Unknown
	E-cadherin	Cell adhesion	Carcinoma of stomach	Familial gastric cancer
Inner aspect of plasma membrane	<i>NF1</i>	Inhibition of RAS signal transduction and of p21 cell cycle inhibitor	Neuroblastomas	Neurofibromatosis type 1 and sarcomas
Cytoskeleton	<i>NF2</i>	Cytoskeletal stability	Schwannomas and meningiomas	Neurofibromatosis type 2, acoustic schwannomas, and meningiomas
Cytosol	<i>APC</i> / β -catenin	Inhibition of signal transduction	Carcinomas of stomach, colon, pancreas; melanoma	Familial adenomatous polyposis coli/colon cancer
	<i>PTEN</i>	PI3 kinase signal transduction	Endometrial and prostate cancers	Cowden syndrome
	<i>SMAD2</i> and <i>SMAD4</i>	TGF- β signal transduction	Colon, pancreas tumors	Unknown
Nucleus	<i>RB1</i>	Regulation of cell cycle	Retinoblastoma; osteosarcoma carcinomas of breast, colon, lung	Retinoblastomas, osteosarcoma
	<i>p53</i>	Cell cycle arrest and apoptosis in response to DNA damage	Most human cancers	Li-Fraumeni syndrome; multiple carcinomas and sarcomas
	<i>WT1</i>	Nuclear transcription	Wilms' tumor	Wilms' tumor
	<i>P16/INK4a</i>	Regulation of cell cycle by inhibition of cyclindependent kinases	Pancreatic, breast, and esophageal cancers	Malignant melanoma
	<i>BRCA1</i> and <i>BRCA2</i>	DNA repair	Unknown	Carcinomas of female breast and ovary; carcinomas of male breast

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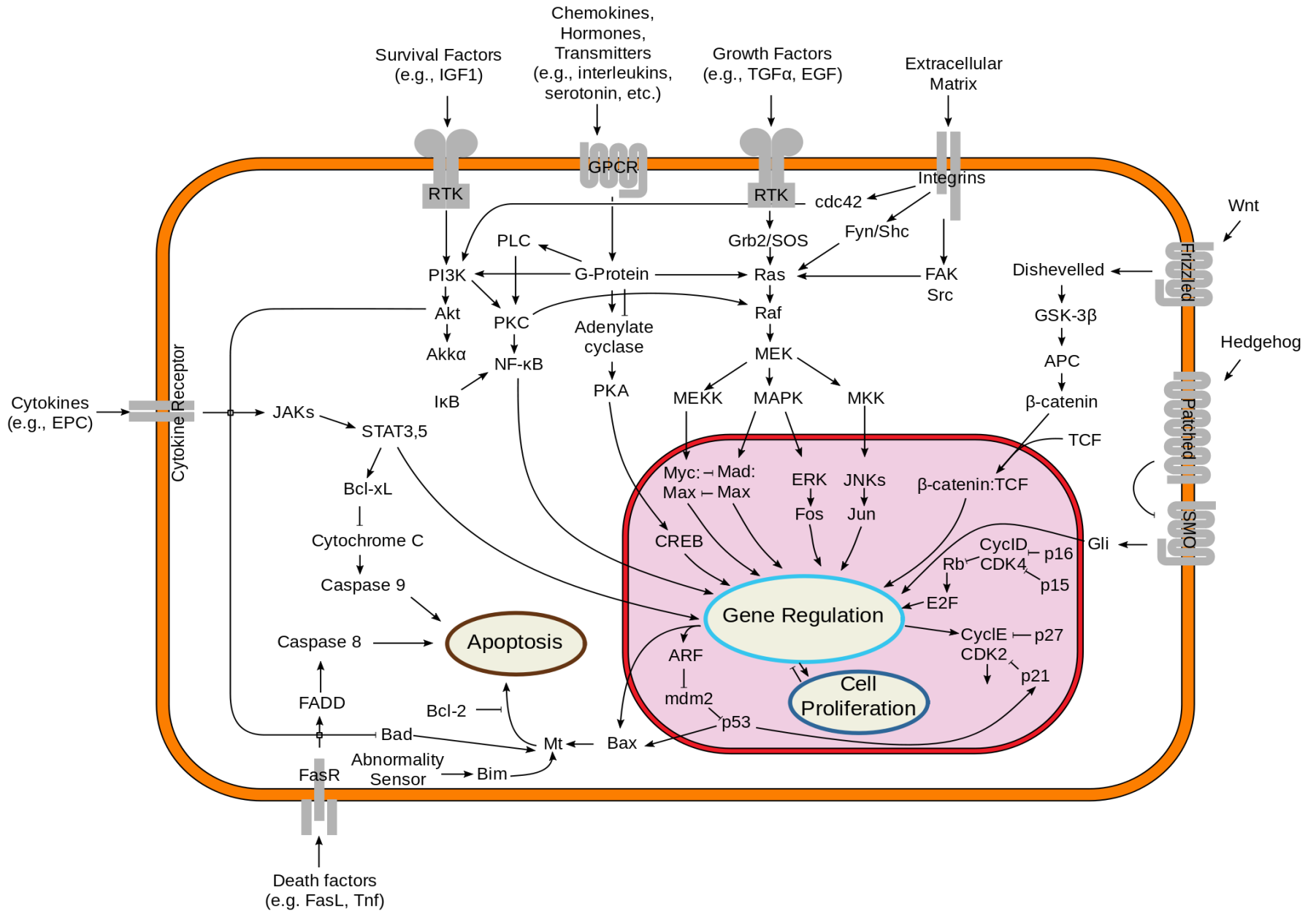
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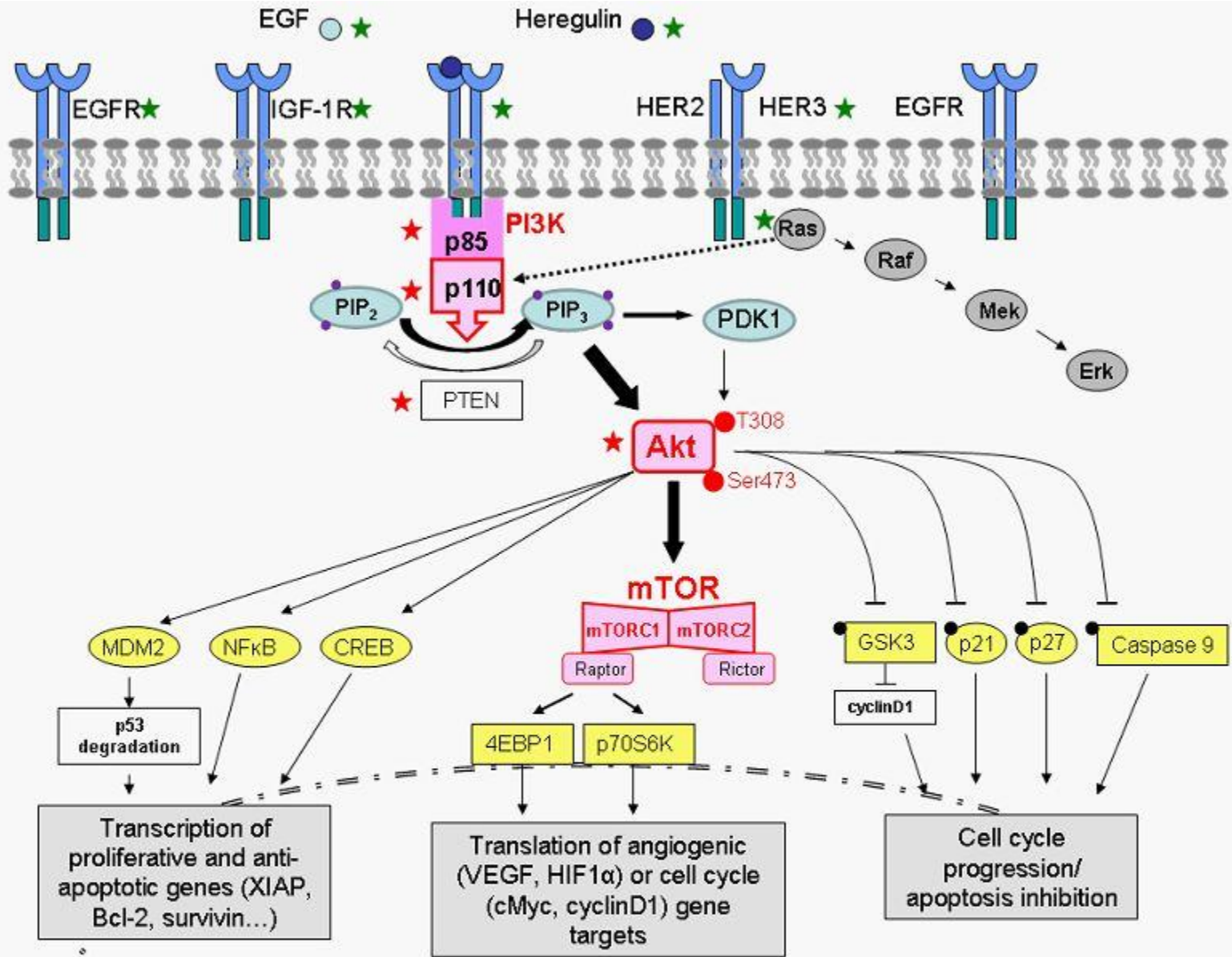
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**SOME PROTO-ONCOGENES AND THEIR FUNCTIONS,
MUTATIONS, AND ASSOCIATED CANCERS**

PROTO-ONCOGENE	FUNCTION	MUTATION	CANCER
ABL	Nonreceptor tyrosine kinase activity	Translocation t(9:22)	Chronic myelogenous leukemia (chromosome 22 is Philadelphia chr.)
HER (ERBB2)	Receptor synthesis	Amplification	Breast carcinoma (marker of aggressiveness)
MYC	Nuclear transcription	Translocation t(8:14)	Burkitt's lymphoma
N-MYC	Nuclear transcription	Amplification	Neuroblastoma
RAS	Guanosine triphosphate signal transduction	Point mutation	Leukemia; lung, colon, pancreatic carcinomas
RET	Receptor synthesis	Point mutation	Multiple endocrine neoplasia IIa/IIb syndromes
SIS'	Growth factor synthesis	Overexpression	Osteogenic sarcoma, astrocytoma

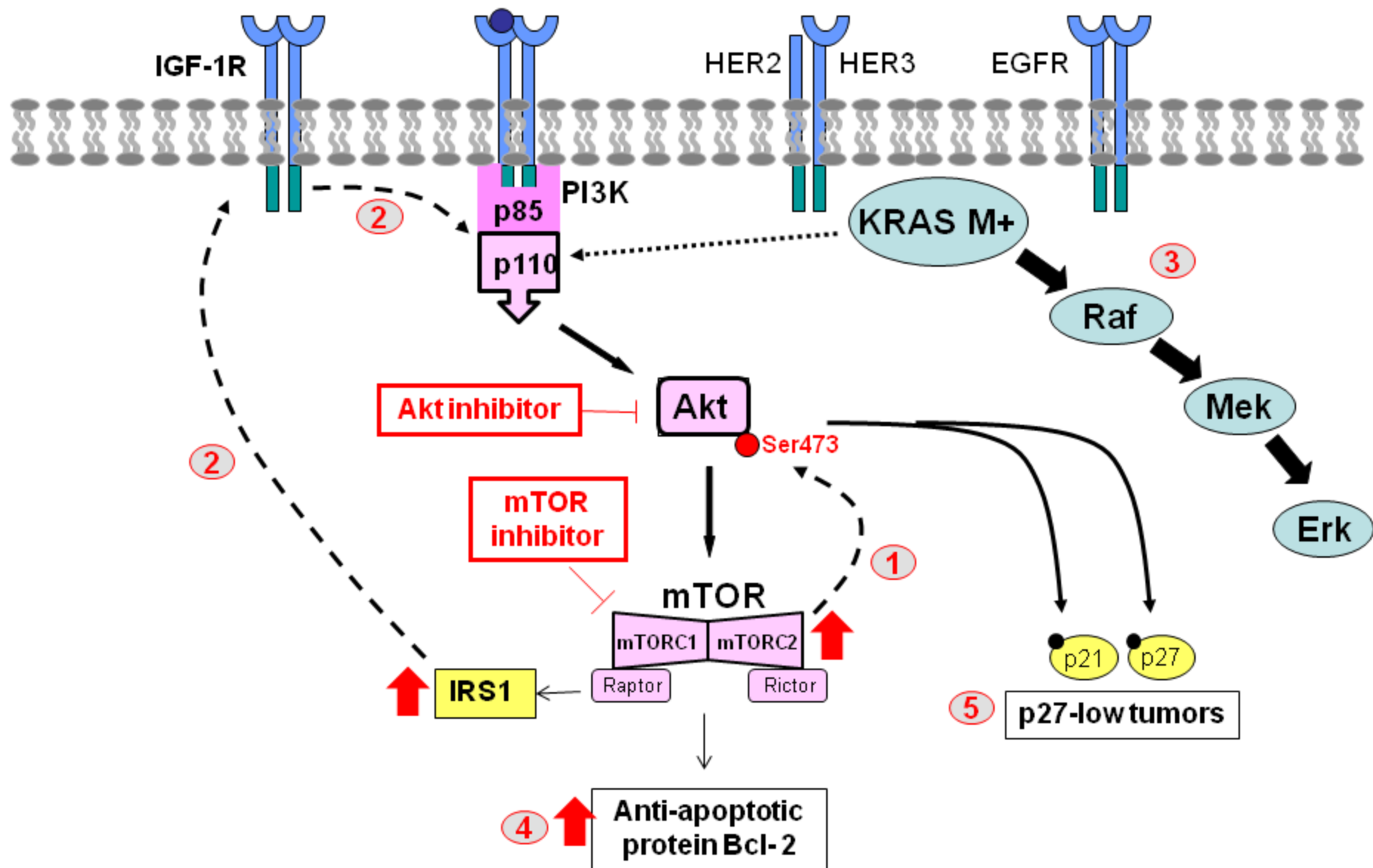


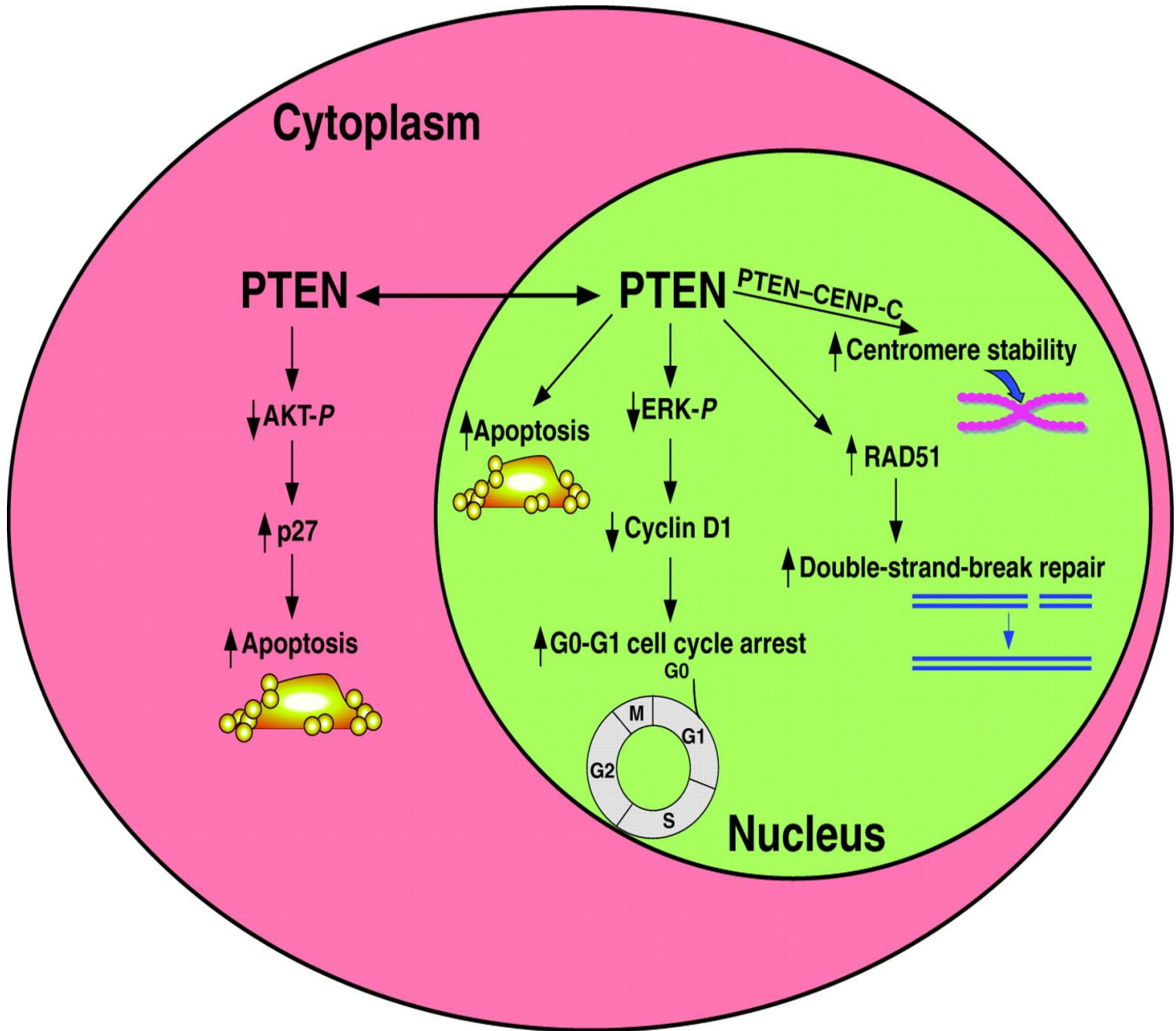


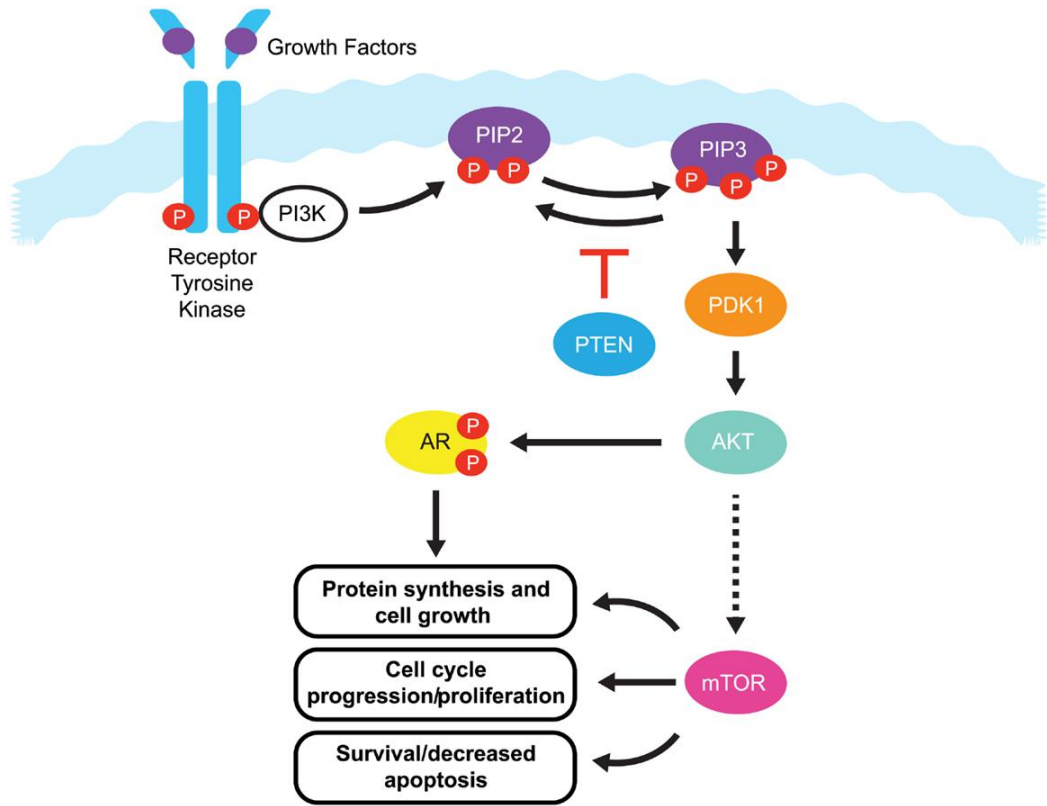
* Upstream activation of PI3K pathway: directly via membrane RTKs or their ligands, or indirectly via Ras

* Intrinsic activation of PI3K pathway via mutations in the p110 (*PIK3CA*) or p85 (*PIK3R*) subunits of PI3K, Akt mutations/amplifications, or PTEN loss.

..... Cross-talk







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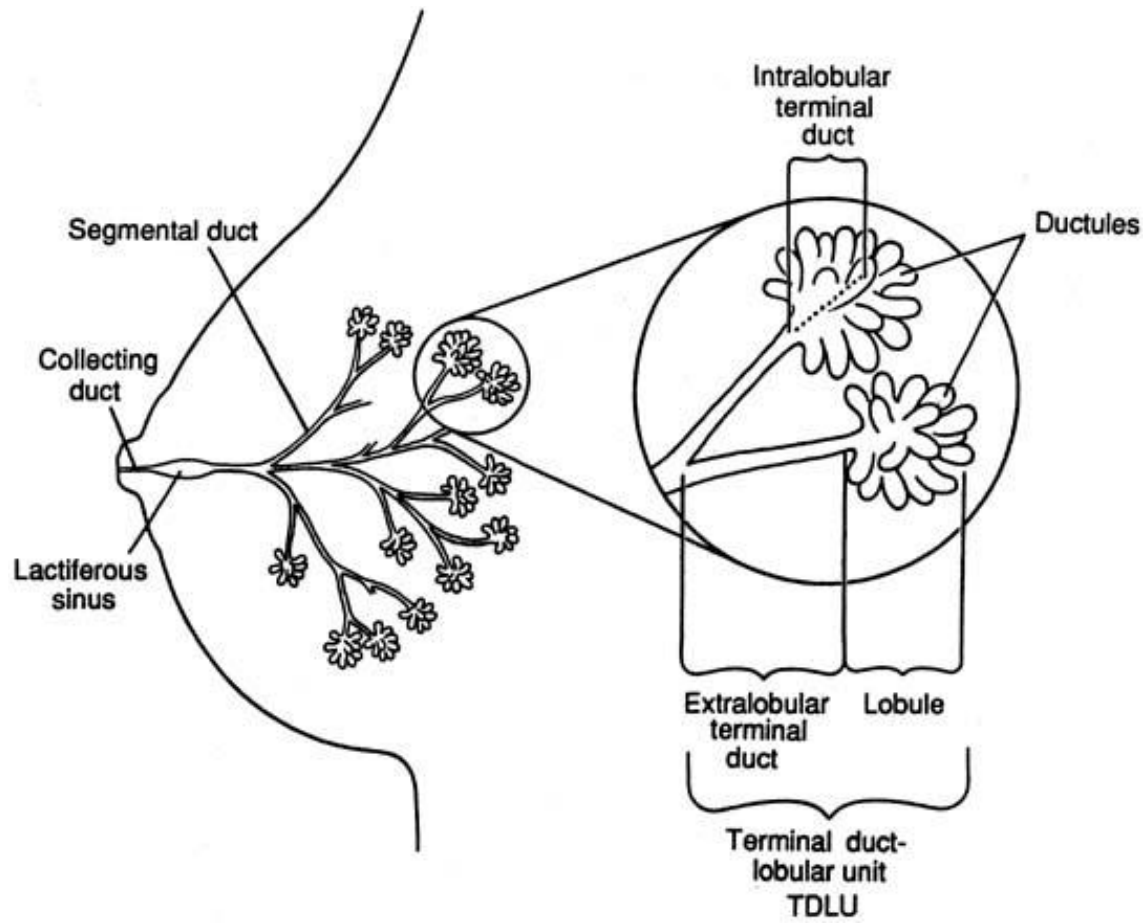
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- **Report**
- Grade
- Size
- Margin status
- Presence and type of heterologous differentiation



	FA	Benign PT	Borderline PT	Malignant PT	Total
n	117	45	17	14	193
Age (years)					
Mean±SD	28.5±11.8	41.7±12.9	48.6±10.4	42.1±12.3	
(Range)	(10-59)	(19-74)	(30-78)	(25-67)	
Size tumor (cm)					
Mean±SD	3.4±2.0	6.5±4.4	12.6±8.0	11.0±8.4	
(Range)	(0.4-11.5)	(2.3-23.0)	(1.5-32.0)	(2.5-27.0)	
<3 cm	53 (45.3%)	5 (11.1%)	1 (5.9%)	2 (14.3%)	61
3-5 cm	50 (42.7%)	18 (40.0%)	2 (11.8%)	3 (21.4%)	73
>5 cm	14 (12.0%)	22 (48.9%)	14 (82.4%)	9 (64.3%)	59

Abbreviations: FA: Fibroadenoma; PT: Phyllodes tumor

Phyllodes Tumor of the Breast

- Differential Diagnosis
- Juvenile (cellular) fibroadenoma vs low grade phyllodes tumor
- Juvenile (cellular) fibroadenoma vs high grade phyllodes tumor
- (Usual adult type) fibroadenoma vs low grade phyllodes tumor
- Metaplastic carcinoma
- Pure sarcoma of the breast
- Fibromatosis
- Myofibroblastoma