

**Y a-t-il un Ac dans la SEP ??**

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## Heterogeneity of multiple sclerosis lesions: implications for the pathogenesis of demyelination.

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→ grande hétérogénéité des patients

→ 4 groupes définis par leurs lésions anatomopath.

→ groupe II = dépôt Ig + C' → rôle des Ac (?)

→ efficacité des plasmaφ

## Functional identification of pathogenic autoantibody responses in patients with multiple sclerosis

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### Modèle de myélinisation *in vitro* (rat)

- ➡ 30 % des patients ont des IgG à activité « démyélinisante »
- ➡ Cible antigénique = sur les oligodendrocytes (≠ MOG)
- ➡ Mécanisme C' - dépendant

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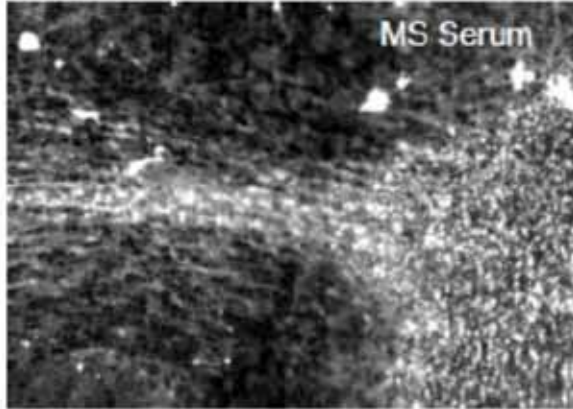
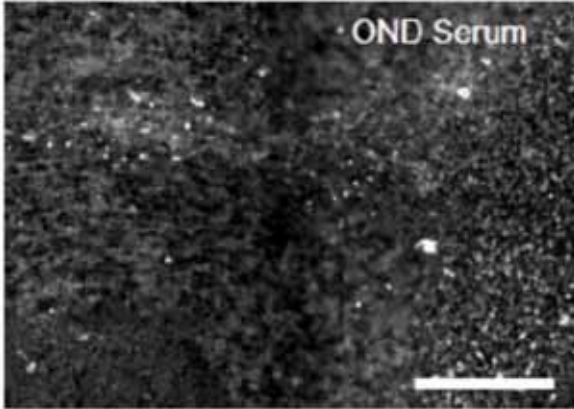
## Potassium Channel KIR4.1 as an Immune Target in Multiple Sclerosis

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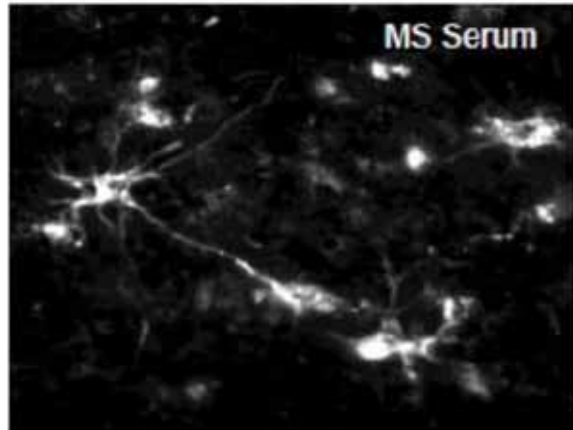
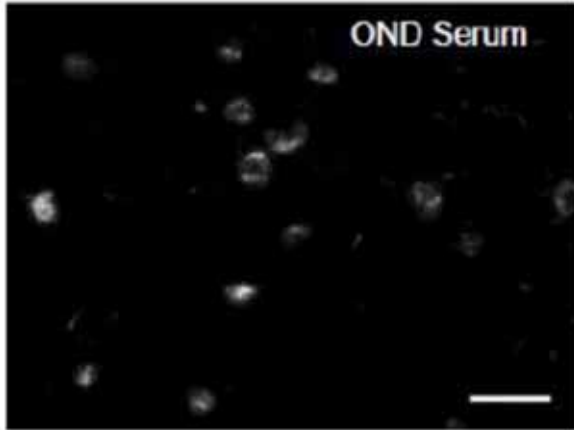
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# IFI avec IgG purifiées: SEP (n=19) vs autres pathologies neurologiques (n=24)

Rat  
Cerebellum



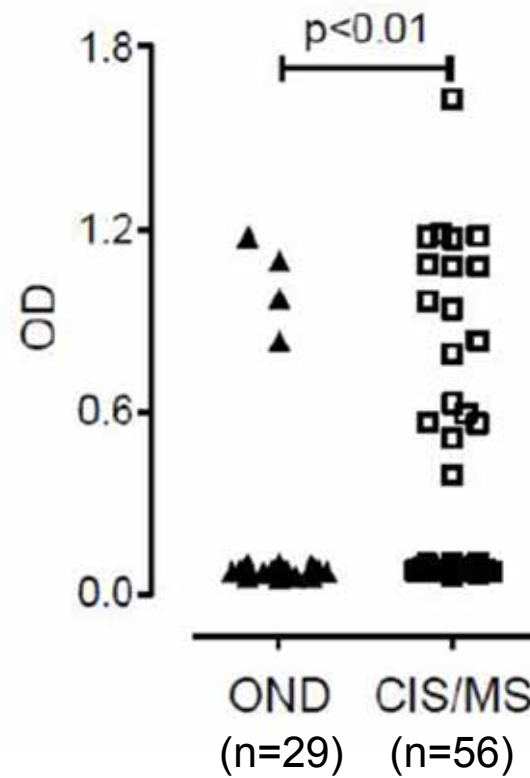
Human  
brain



« glia specific immunoreactivity » (?)

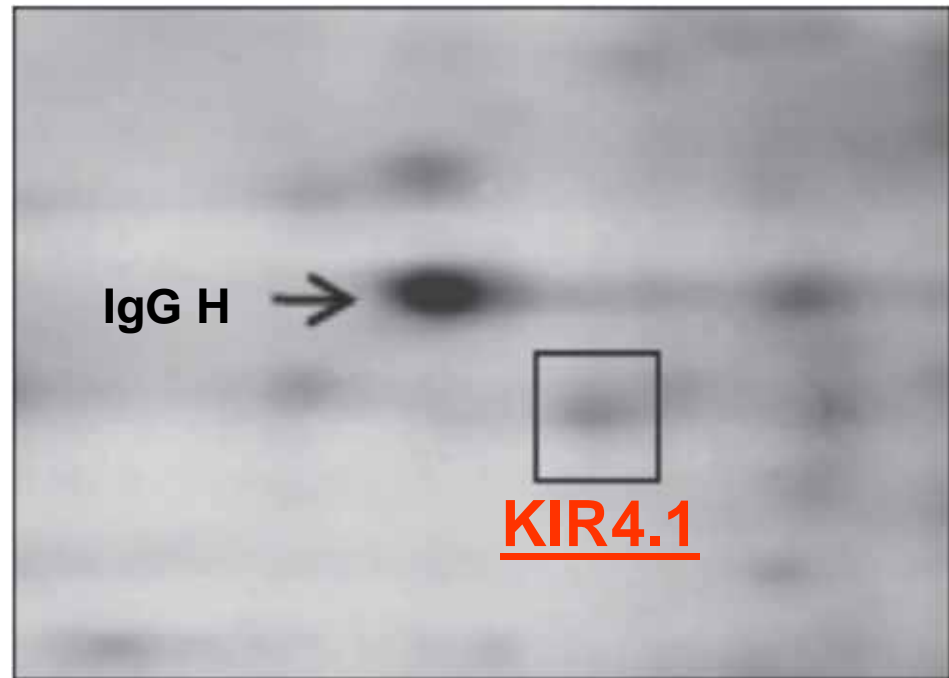
OND	= 0%
SEP	= 58% (11/19) sur T humain = 37% (7/19) sur rat

**ELISA** with membrane protein fractions prepared from rat (or human ?) brain tissue.



(pas de différence si protéines cytoplasmiques)

- **IP** avec lysat de cerveau humain + IgG purifiées
- **gel 2D**
- **spectrométrie de masse**



**KIR4.1 = ATP-sensitive Inward Rectifying potassium channel**

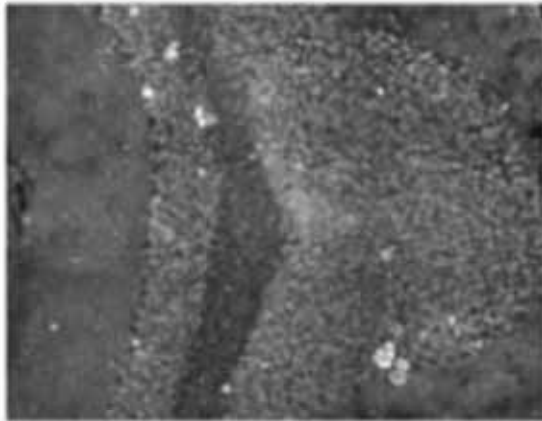




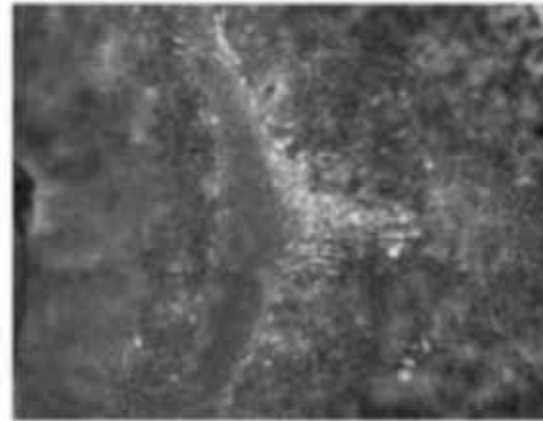
# IFI on rat cerebellum (purified IgG) colocalization anti-Kir4.1 / MS sera

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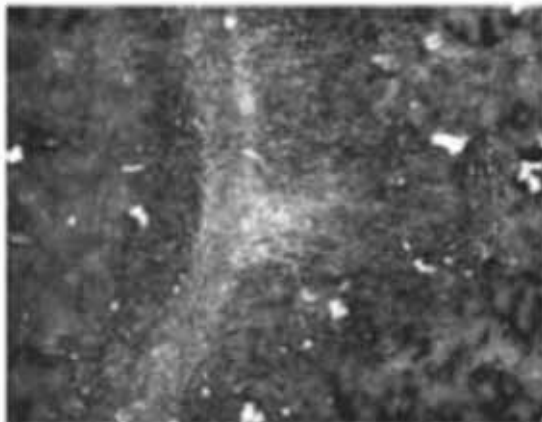
OND Serum



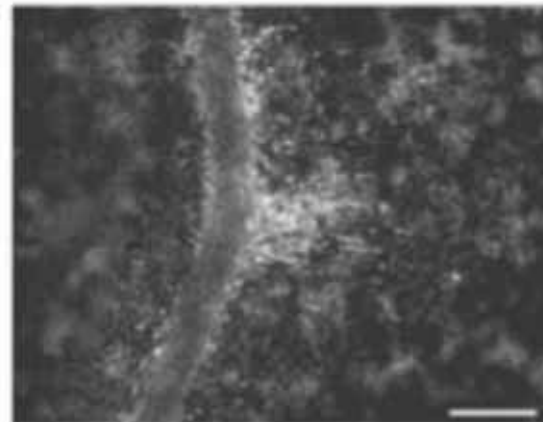
Anti-KIR4.1



MS Serum

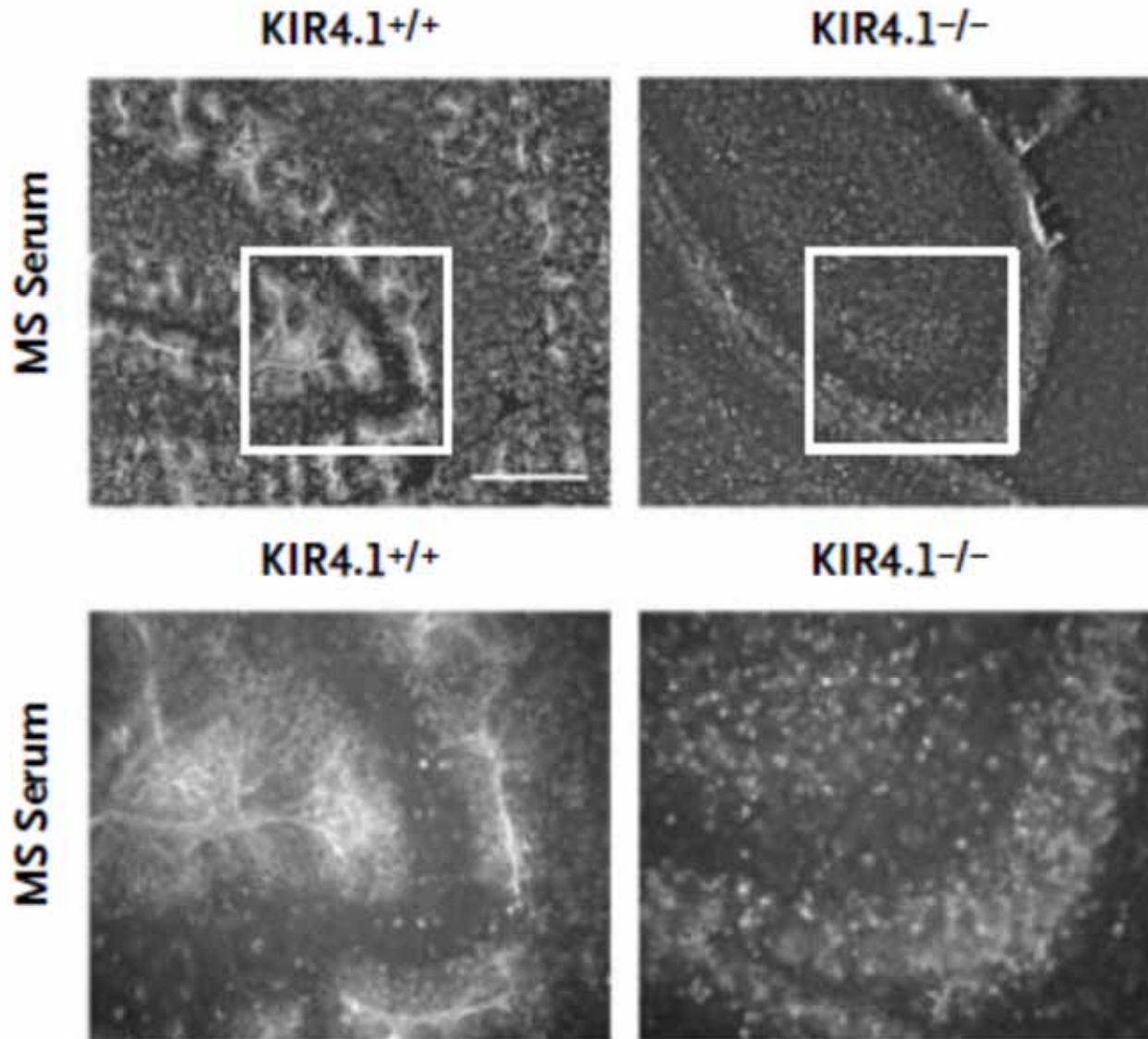


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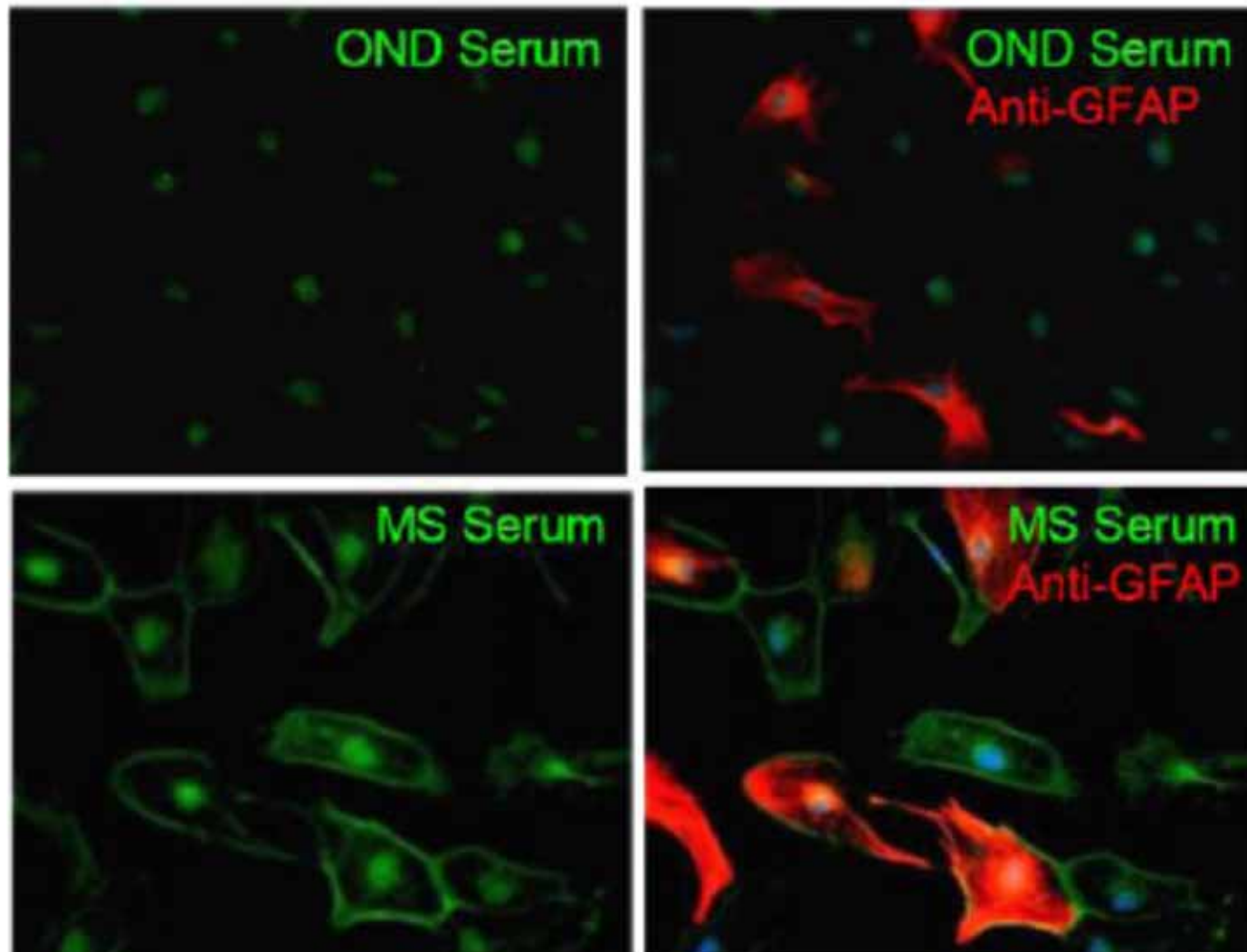


**IFI on rat cerebellum:  
KIR1<sup>+/+</sup> vs KIR1<sup>-/-</sup>**

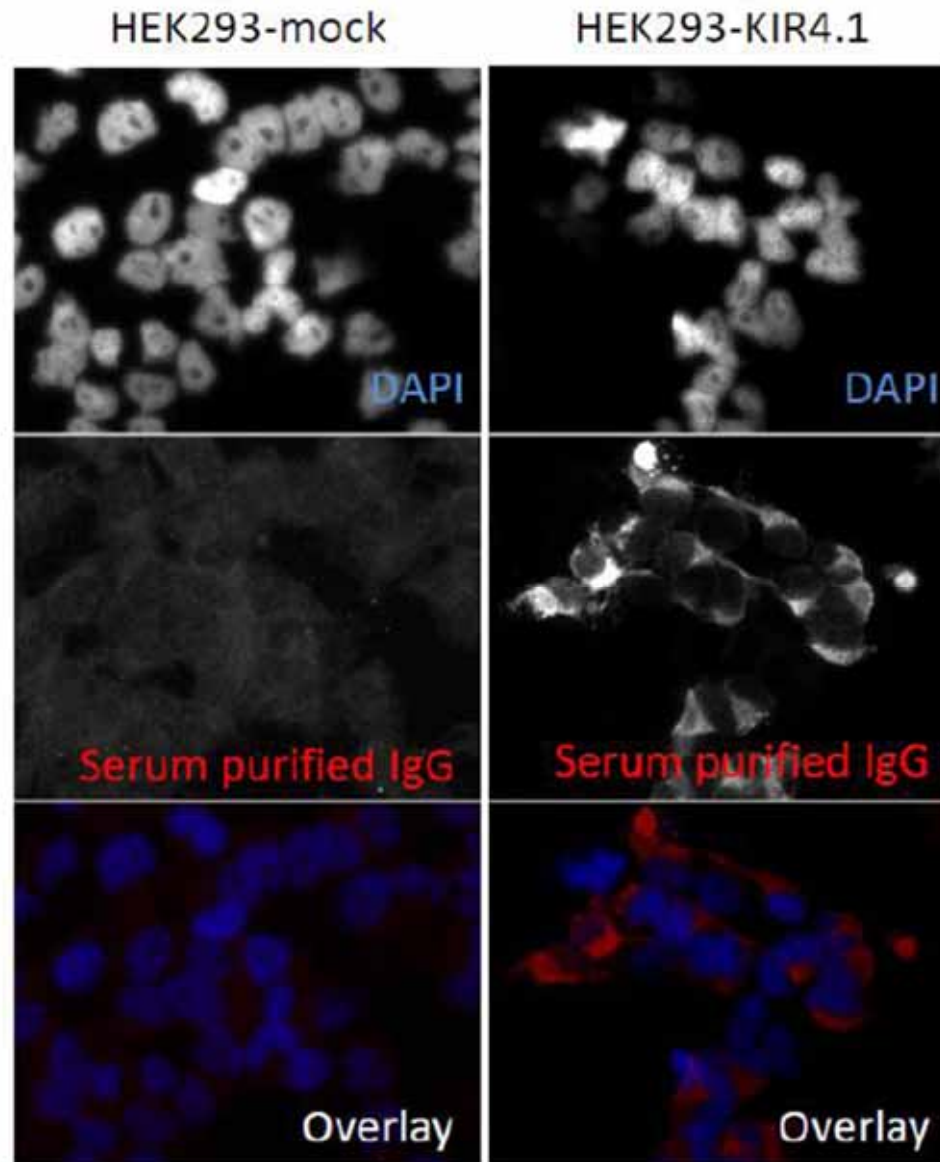
**B**



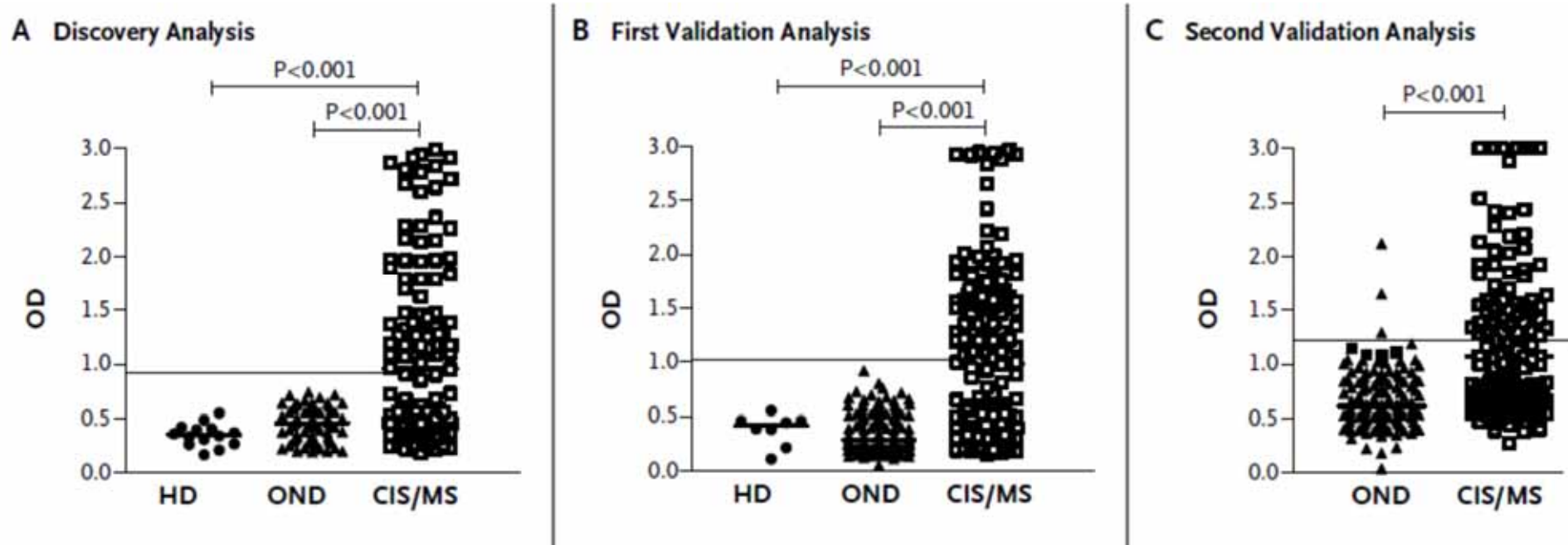
## IFI on mouse primary mixed glial culture



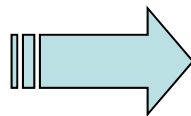
# IFI on HEK-293 transfected cells



# ELISA avec rKIR4.1

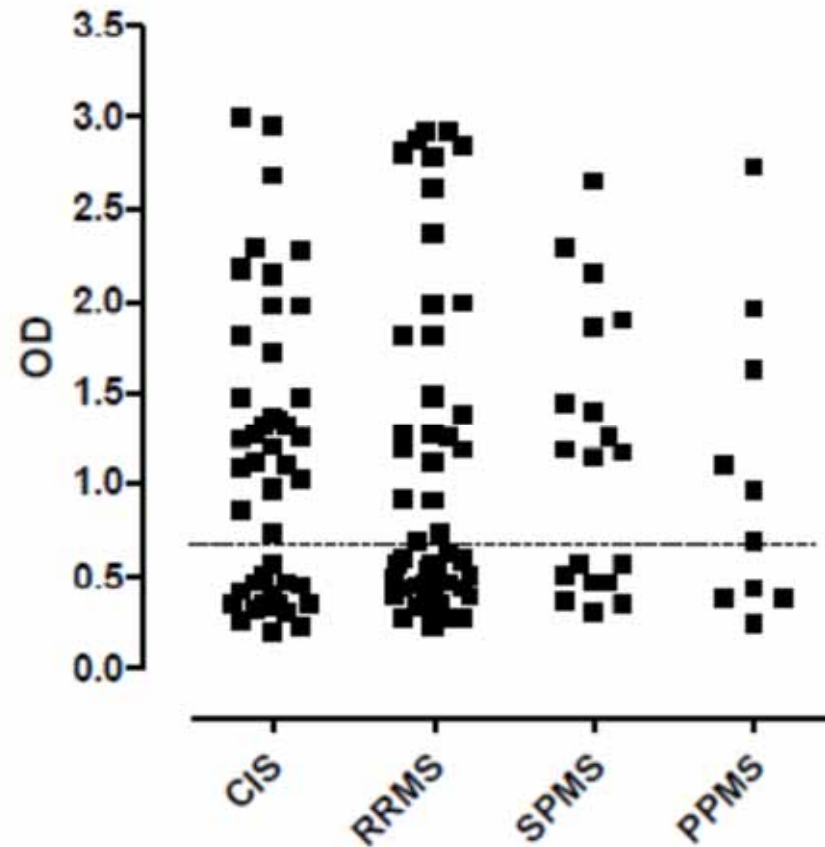


Seuil de positivité = DO des contrôles sains + 5 SD



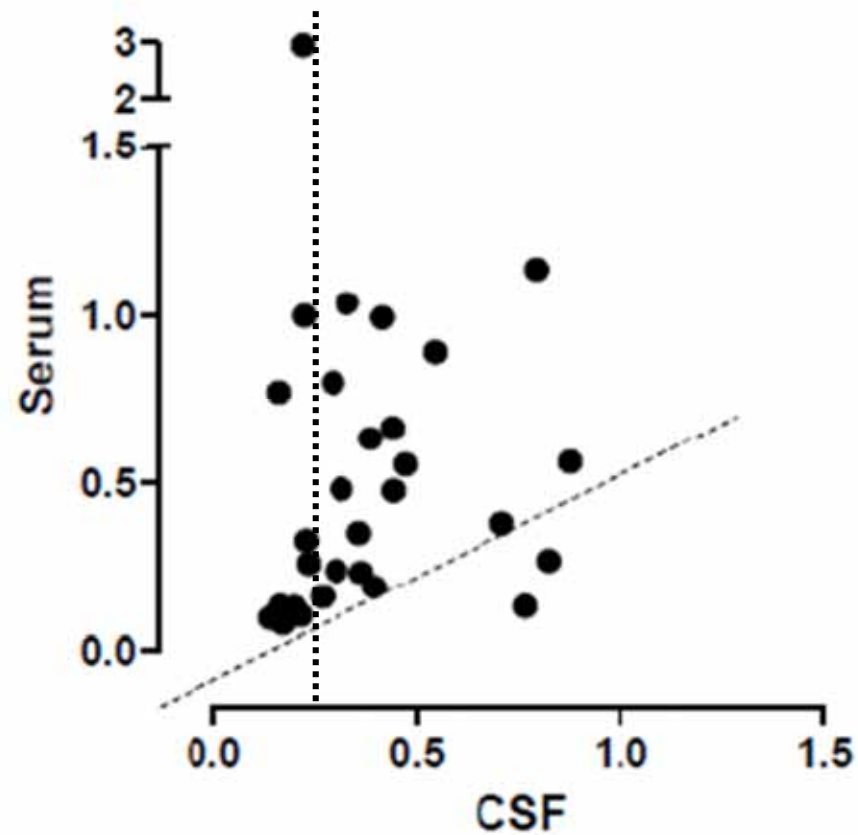
- CIS/SEP: 186 / 397 = 46.9%  
- OND: 3 / 329 = 0.9%  
- HC 0 / 59 = 0%

## ELISA avec rKIR4.1



- pas de différence entre CIS / RRMS / SPMS / PPMS
- pas de corrélation avec âge ou caractéristiques cliniques

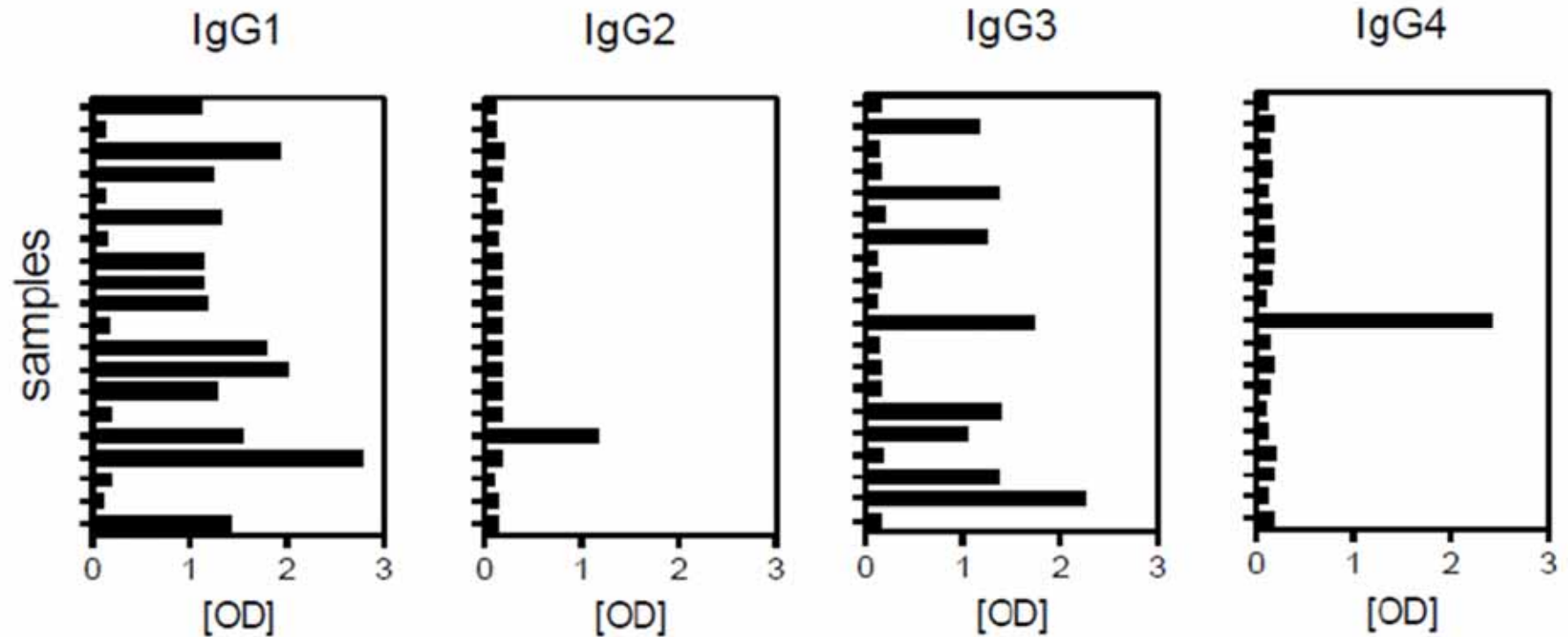
## ELISA avec rKIR4.1



Présence d'Ac dans le LCR: 19/30

2 patients (seulement) avec sécrétion intra-thécale (index > 2)

## ELISA avec rKIR4.1

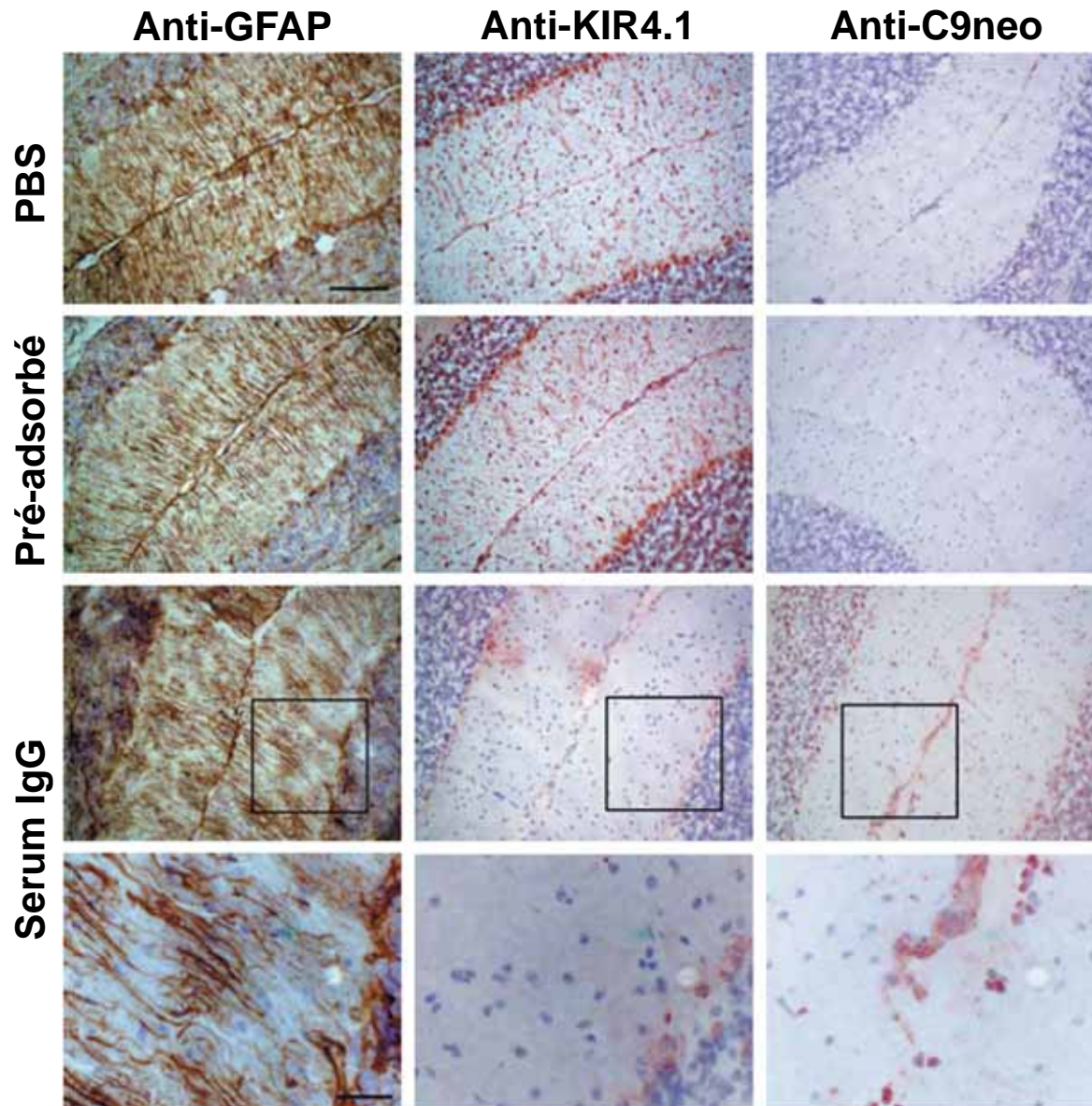


Tous les patients = IgG1 et/ou IgG3

→ Capables d'activer le C'



# Injection in vivo (grande citerne): IgG purifiées + C'



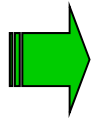
À 24h:

- ↘ expression GFAP
- perte expression KIR4.1
- dépôt C9neo

# conclusion

## Présence d'Ac anti-KIR4.1 chez 46.9% des patients

- KIR4.1:
- homéostasie H<sub>2</sub>O / K<sup>+</sup> (couplage AQP4)
  - recapture glutamate
  - développ<sup>t</sup> des oligodendrocytes et myélinisation



- Perturbation homéostasie H<sub>2</sub>O / K<sup>+</sup>
- excitotoxicité
- lésions directes oligoD et/ou astrocytes (CDC – ADCC)
- inflammation (activation C')

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