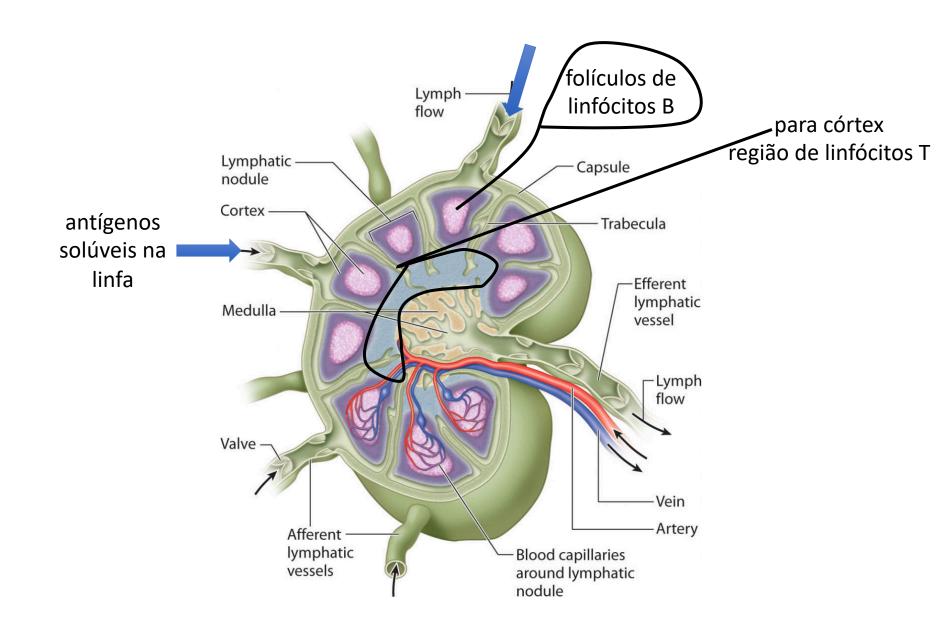
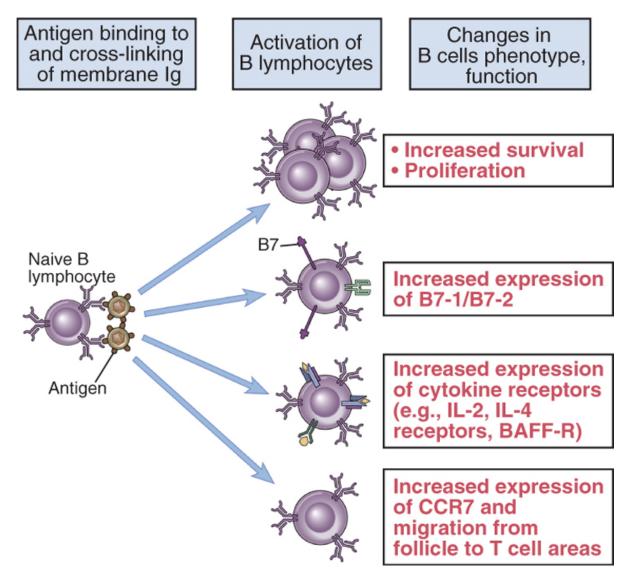


- Quick review T dependent and independent B cell activation
- Dynamics
- Thf T cells
- The role of CD40/CD40L
- Organization of the immunoglobulin locus and constant regions
- Isotype switching
- Affinity maturation

Ativação de linfócitos B também acontence principalmente em tecidos linfóides secundários



#### B lymphocyte activation

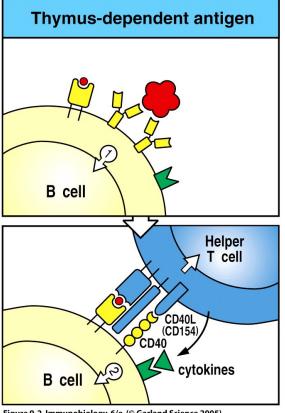


- Quick review T dependent and independent B cell activation

T independent
Antigens have varied chemical structure or composition
Production of IgM>IgG

T dependent
Protein antigens (haptens)
Antigen presentation to T cells
More potent, isotype switching, affinity maturation
IgG, IgE, IgA

Quick review T dependent and independent B cell activation – still need to signals....



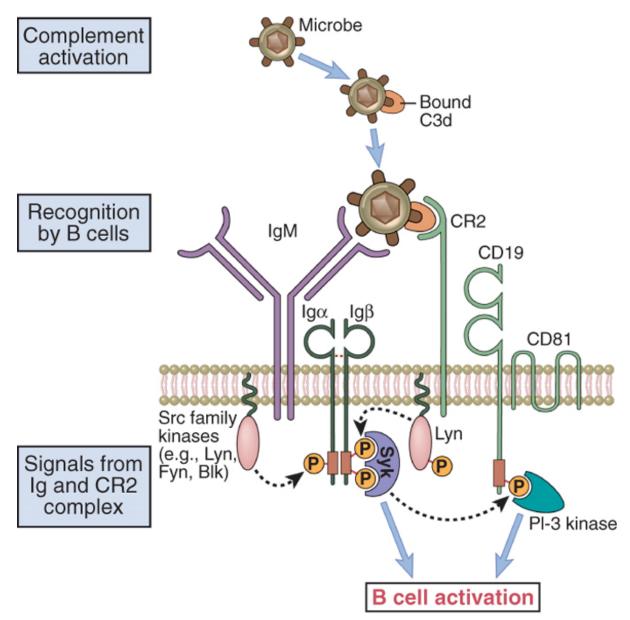
Thymus-independent antigen B cell

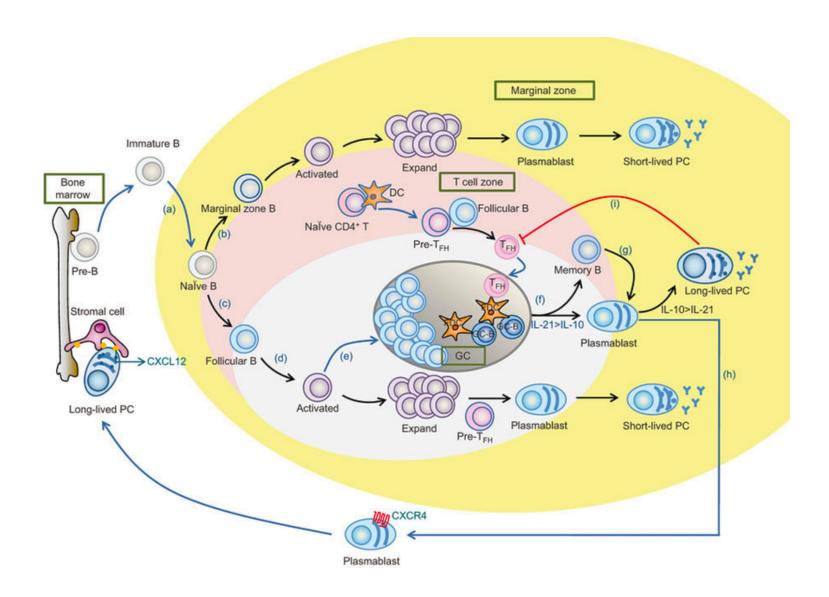
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- proteins
- Lymph nodels
- •estímulo de maturação
- ·estímulo de troca de Ig

- Multivalent antigens
- Different chemical compounds
- •spleen

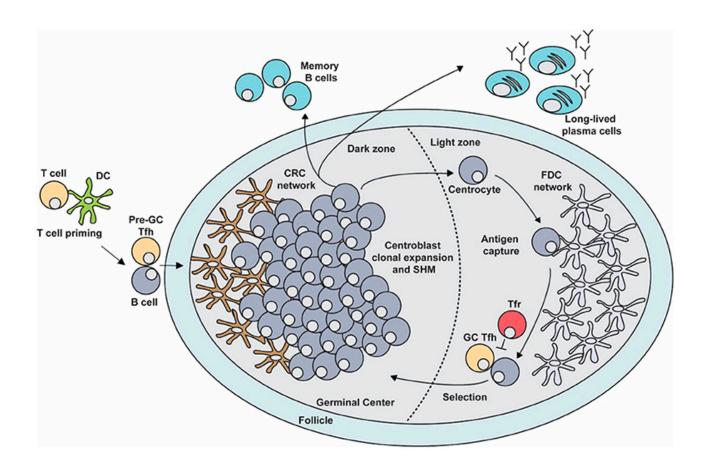
#### T independent activation

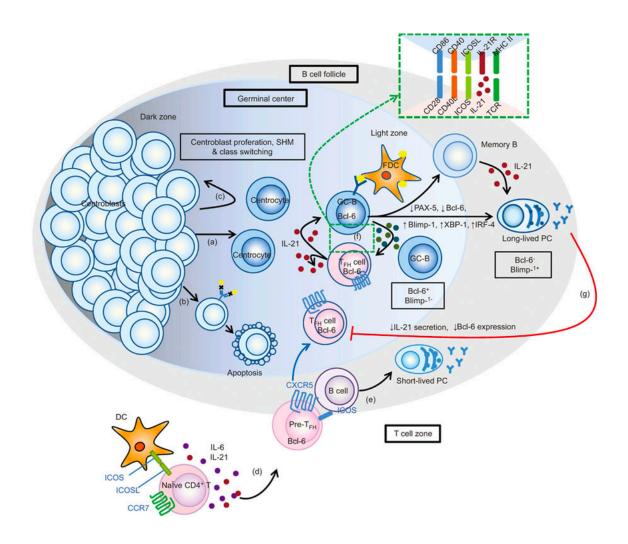




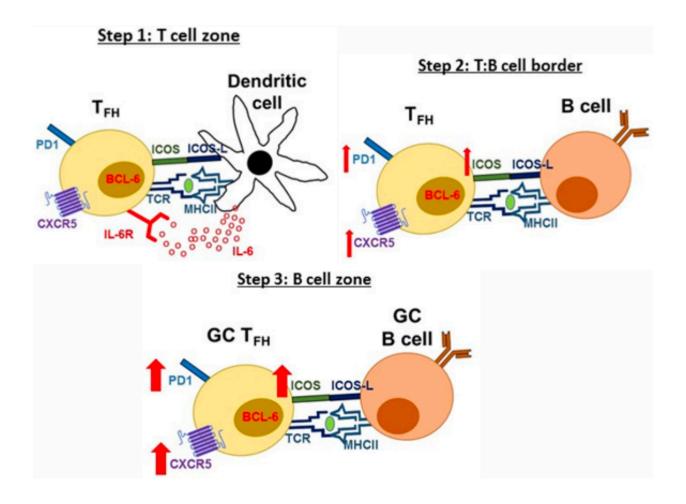
Activation and B cell Germinal center T:B cell migration of differentiation: reaction: affinity Ť and B interaction Ig secretion, maturation, lymphocytes isotype switching memory B cells Lymph node Primary Germinal follicle center FDC APC'

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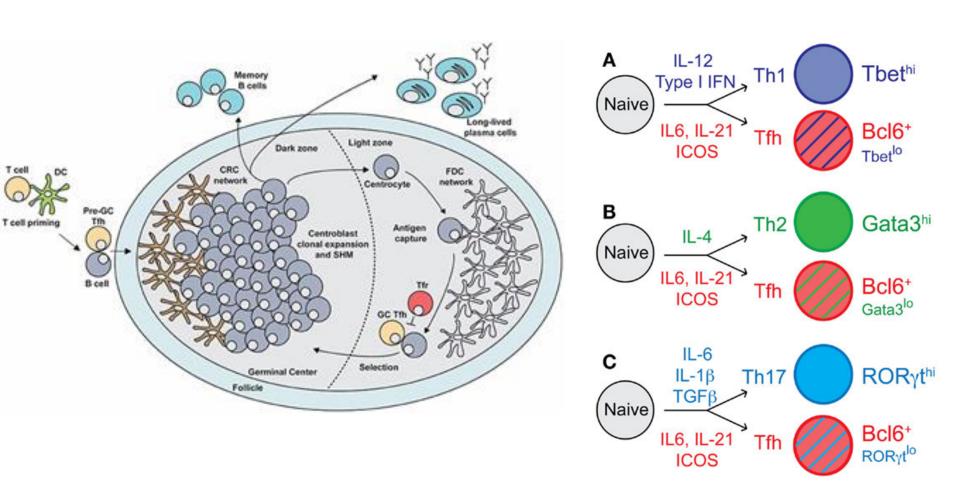


- Thf T cells – follicular helper T cells

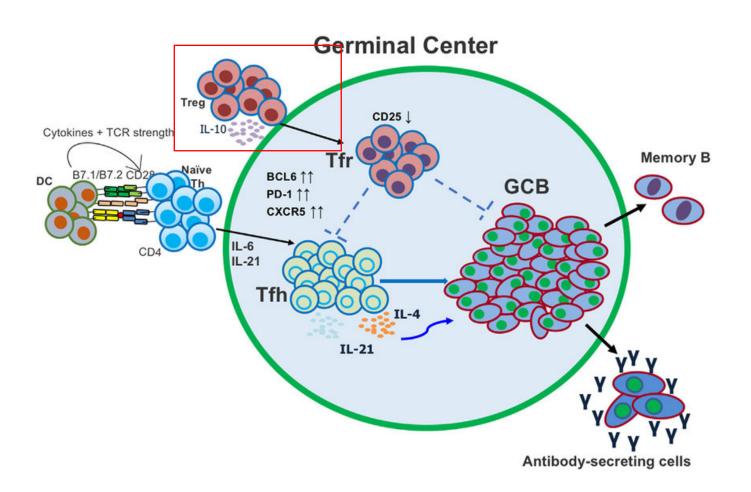


Necessary for the formation of germinal centers, essential helpers for B cells, characterized by Bcl6, PD-1, CXCR5 and ICOS expression.

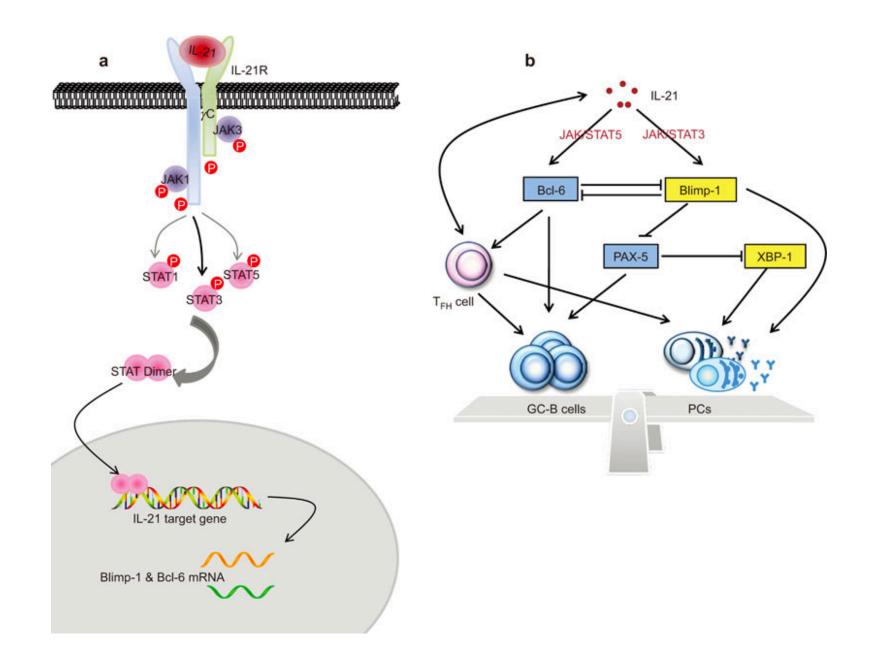
Tfhs differentiate into various phenotypes depending on cytokines and environment



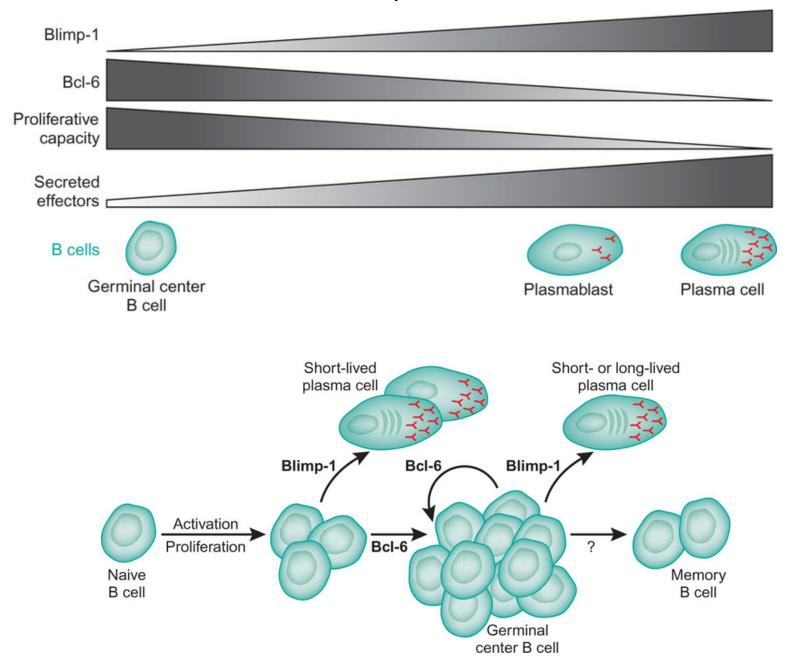
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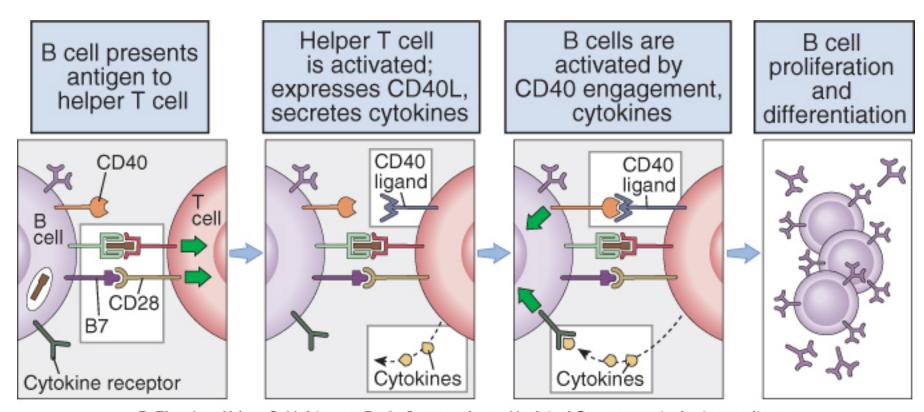
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# Bcl-6 and Blimp roles in cell fate

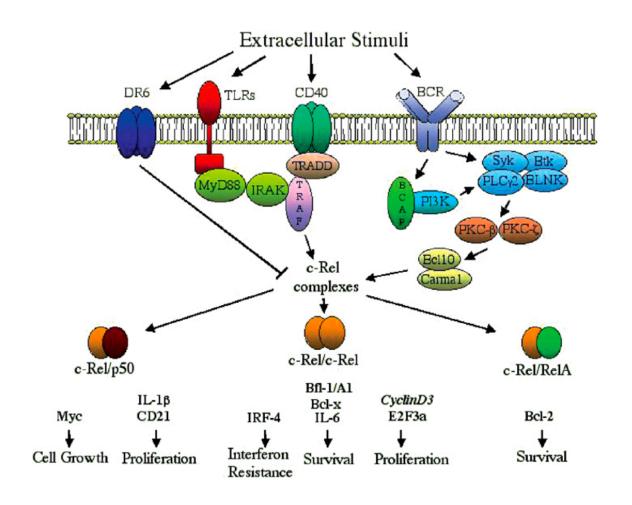


## - The role of CD40/CD40L

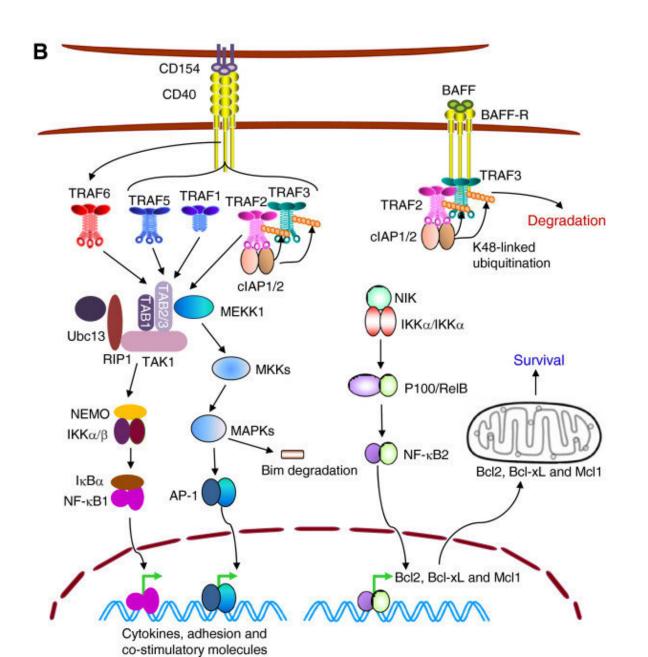


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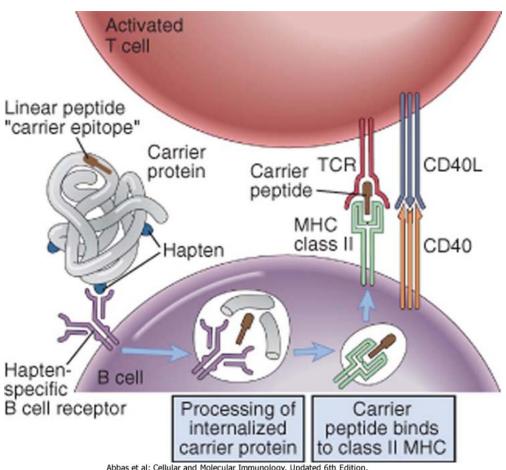
- The role of CD40/CD40L



## CD40 and BAFFR cooperate to increase B cell survival

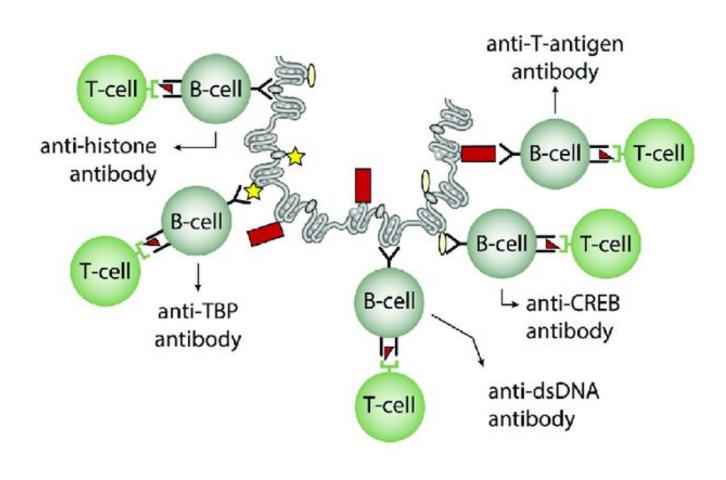


# Haptens



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## Hapten - example





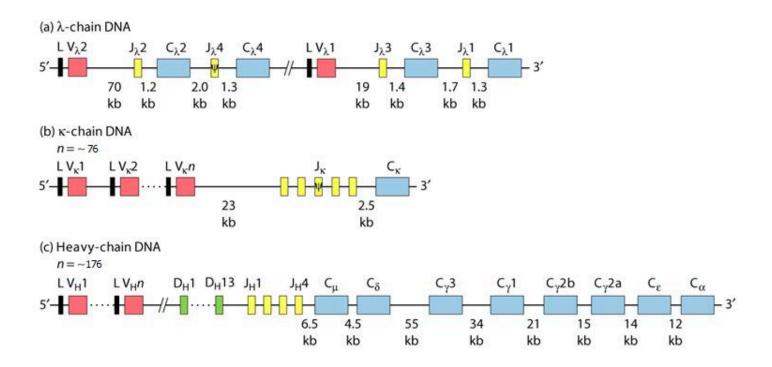


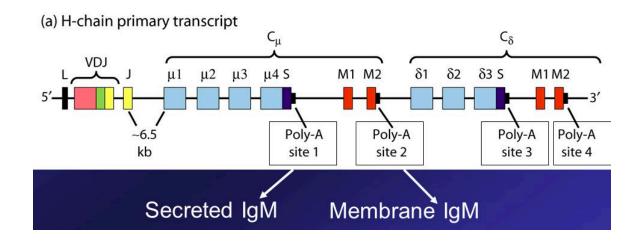




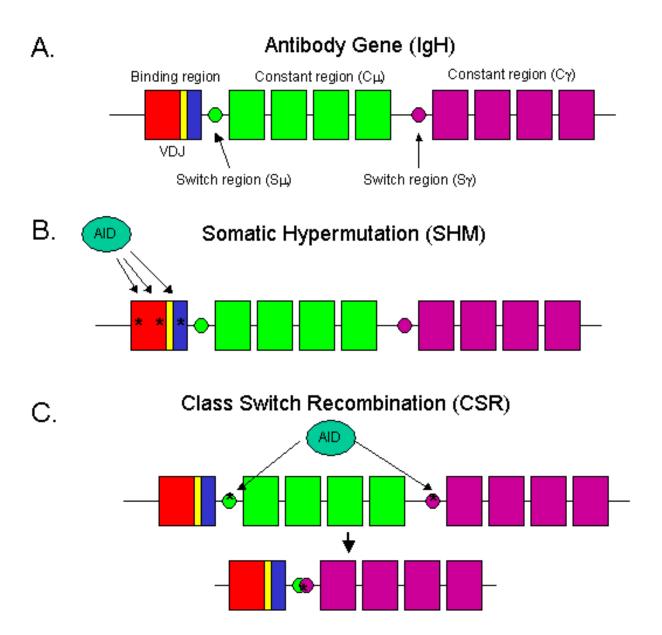


- Organization of the immunoglobulin locus and constant regions





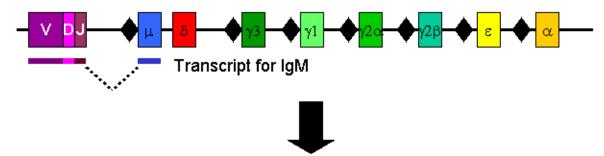
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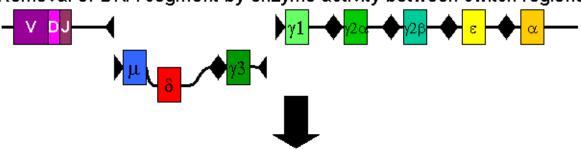
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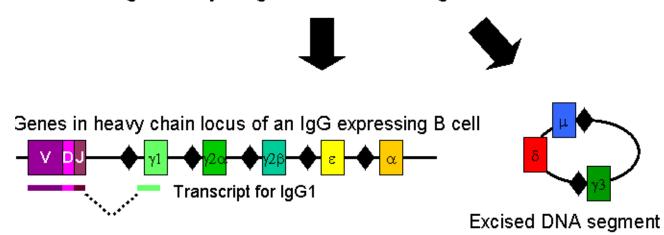
Genes in heavy chain locus of an IgM expressing B cell



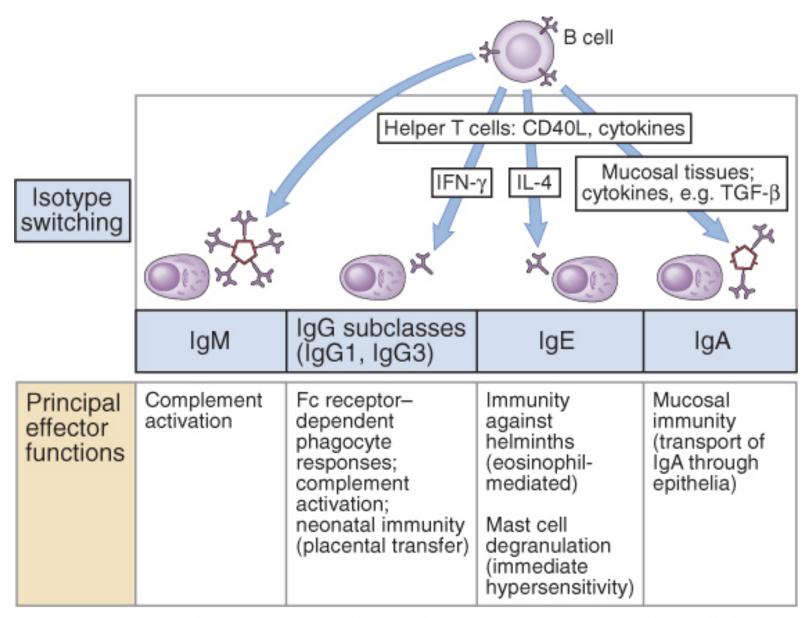
Removal of DNA segment by enzyme activity between switch regions



Non-homologous end joining of DNA at switch regions

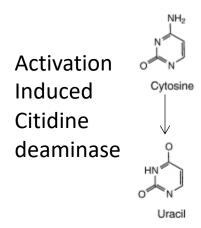


Isotype switching – the role of cytokines

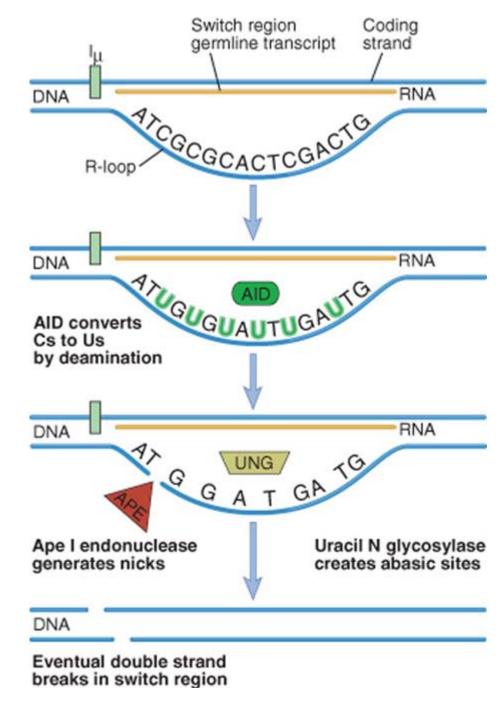


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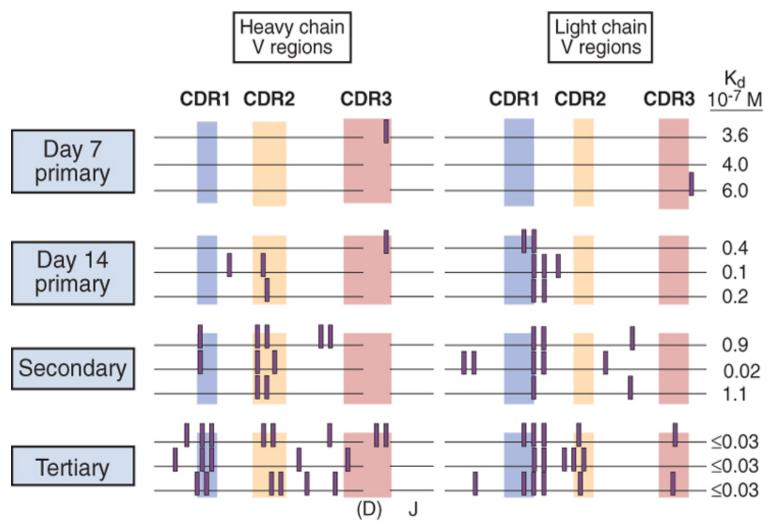
Affinity maturation



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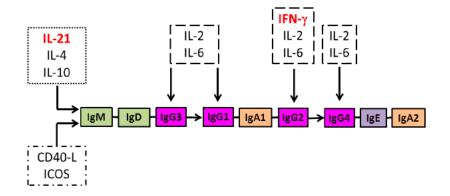


#### Affinity maturation



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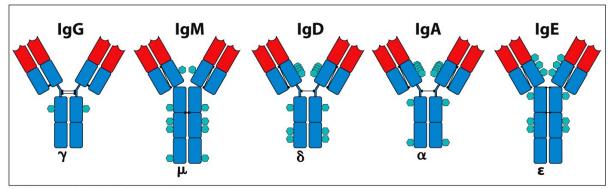
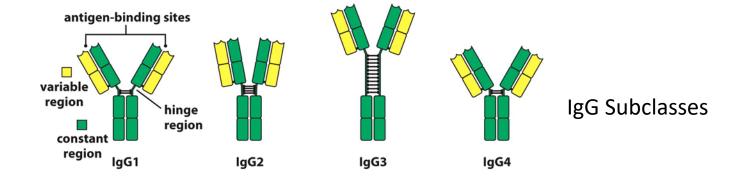


Figure 4.5 The Immune System, 3ed. (© Garland Science 2009)



#### **Kinetics**

