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WNT mutations are a hallmark of gastrointestinal cancer, but low MYC activity represents a barrier for stomach adenoma formation. MYC regulates metabolic processes that allow WNT activation of oncogenic programs.

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CT-P13 (infliximab, an anti-tumor necrosis factor therapy) is a biologic drug injected under the skin (ie, subcutaneously). Subcutaneous CT-P13 was more effective than a placebo and well tolerated in patients with moderate to severe Crohn's disease or ulcerative colitis.

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Thorough characterization of pancreatic murine ductal cells at single-cell resolution uncovers an unforeseen level of heterogeneity, highlighting the coexistence of 15 ductal populations and their putative role in exocrine pathogenesis and pancreas regeneration.

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In a large prospective study that aims to implement organoid-based functional precision medicine for pancreatic cancer, the authors identified, in a clinically relevant turnaround time, at least 1 putative hit in 91% of cases, with potential survival benefits.

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*V. C. Clark, C. Strange, P. Strnad, A. J. Sanchez, P. Kwo, V. M. Pereira, B. van Hoek, I. Barjaktarevic, A. G. Corsico, M. Pons, M. Goldklang, M. Gray, B. Kuhn, H. E. Vargas, J. M. Vierling, R. Vuppalanchi, M. Brantly, N. Kappe, T. Chang, T. Schluep, R. Zhou, J. Hamilton, J. San Martin, and R. Loomba*

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