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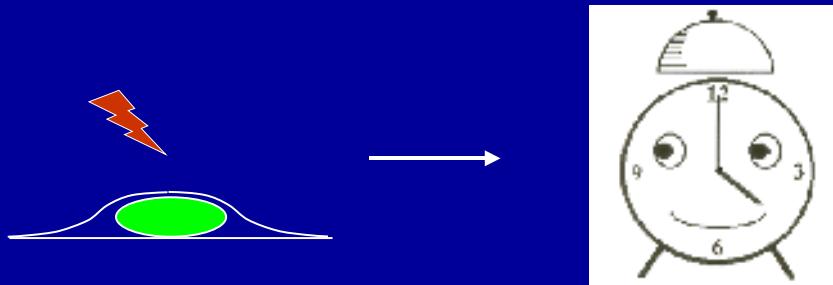
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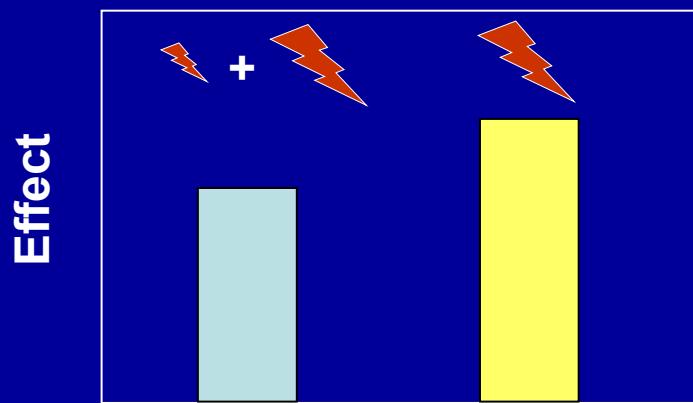
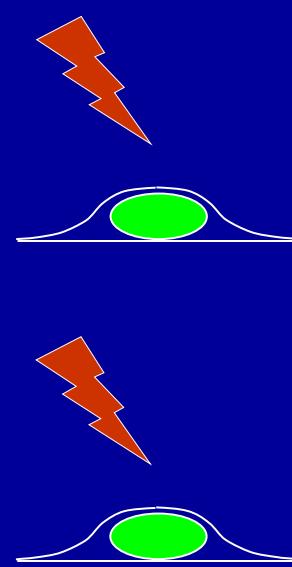
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# Adaptive Responses

*conditioning dose*

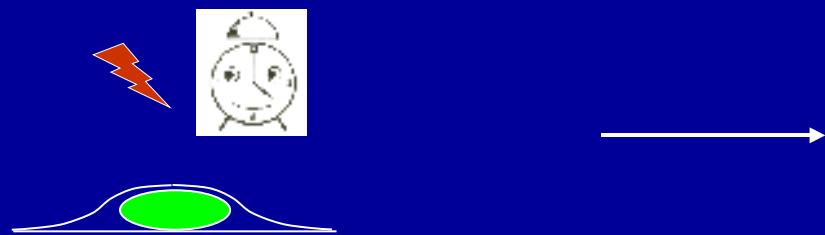


*challenge dose*

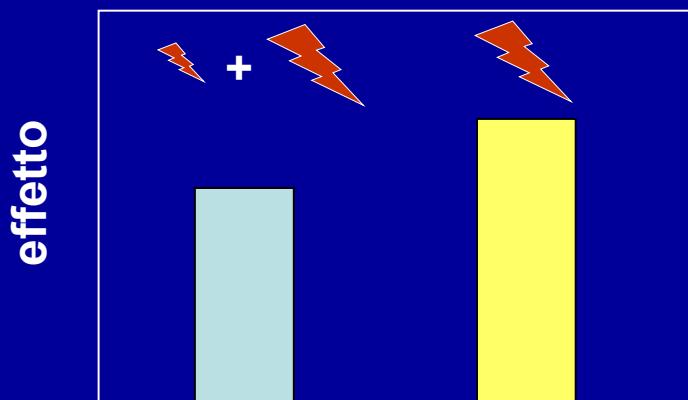
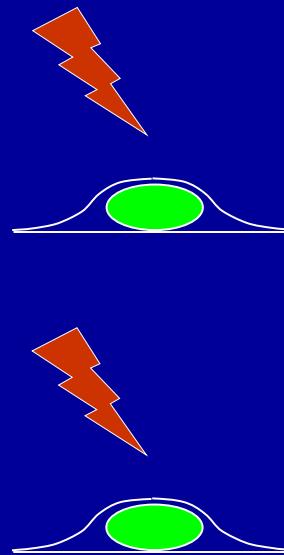


# Adaptive Responses - II

Cronic conditioning  
with  $^3\text{H}$   $\beta$ -particles



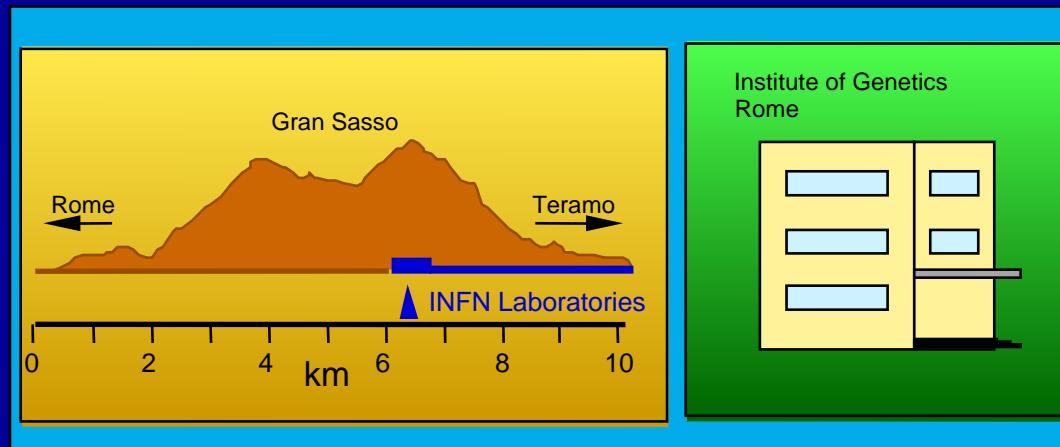
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Olivieri, Bodcote and Wolff, *Science*, 1984

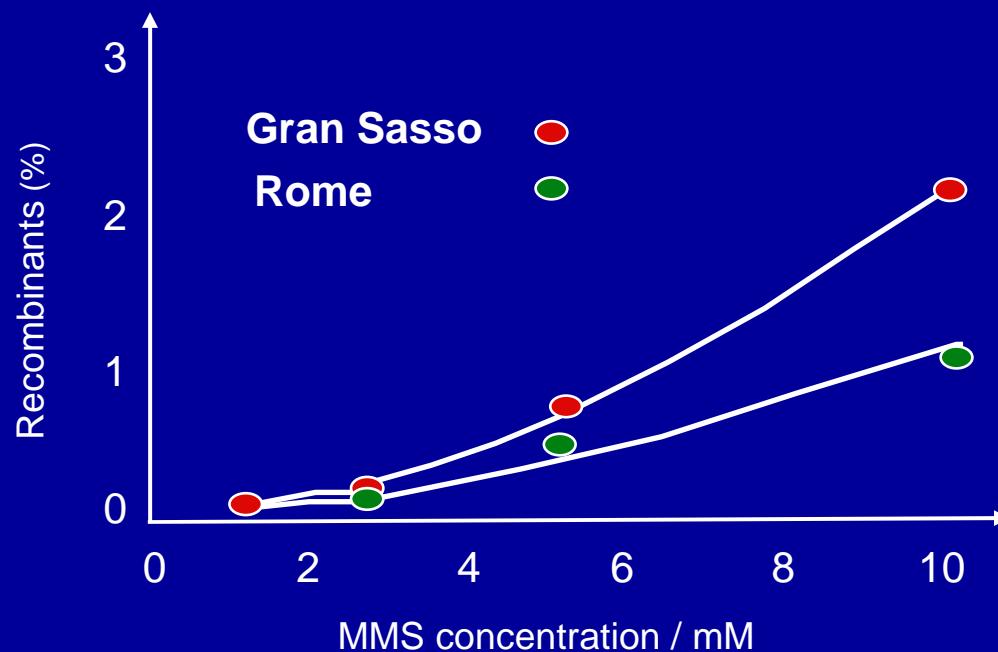
# Yeast (*S. Cerevisiae*)

$\gamma$ -ray dose rate  
25 nGy/h



$\gamma$ -ray dose rate  
166 nGy/h

(L. Satta et al., *Mutation Research*, 347, 129, 1995)



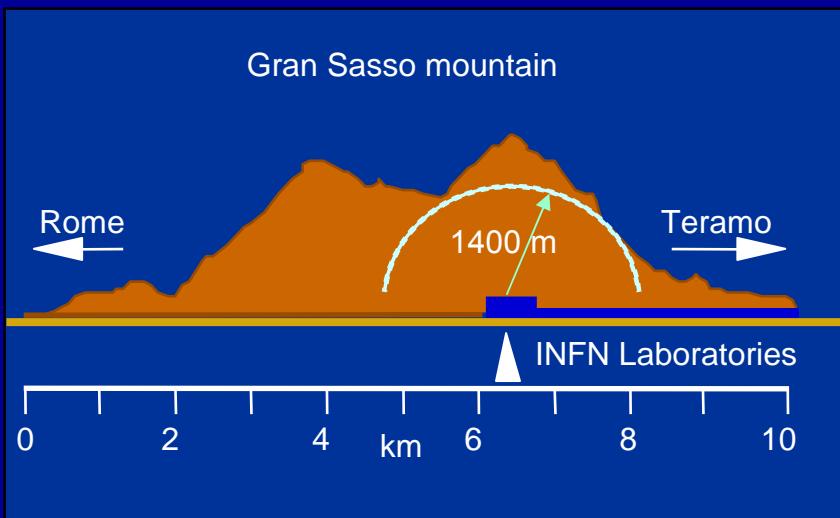
# Chinese hamster cells

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$287 \pm 30$  nGy/h

$120$  Bq/m<sup>3</sup>

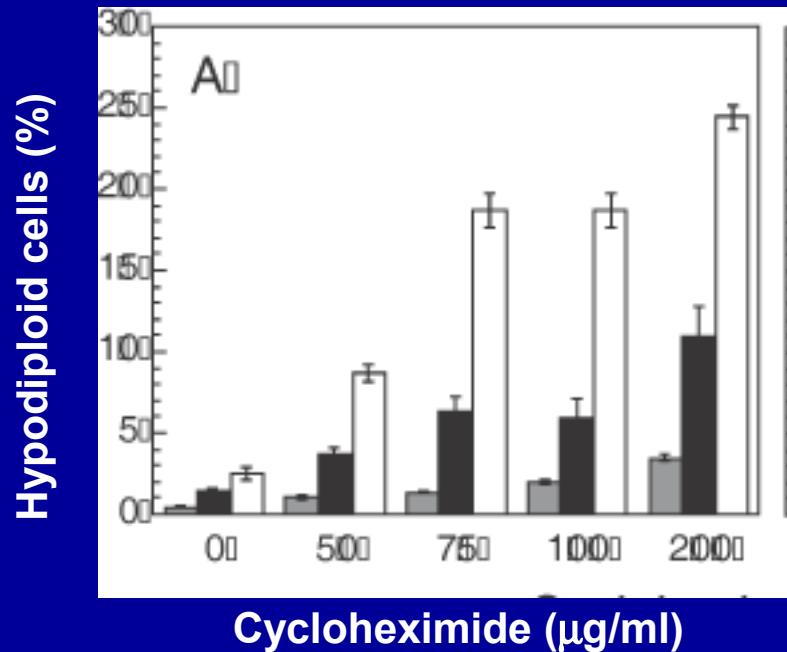
$\gamma$ -ray dose rate  
radon concentration

$4.3 \pm 0.9$  nGy/h

$5$  Bq/m<sup>3</sup>

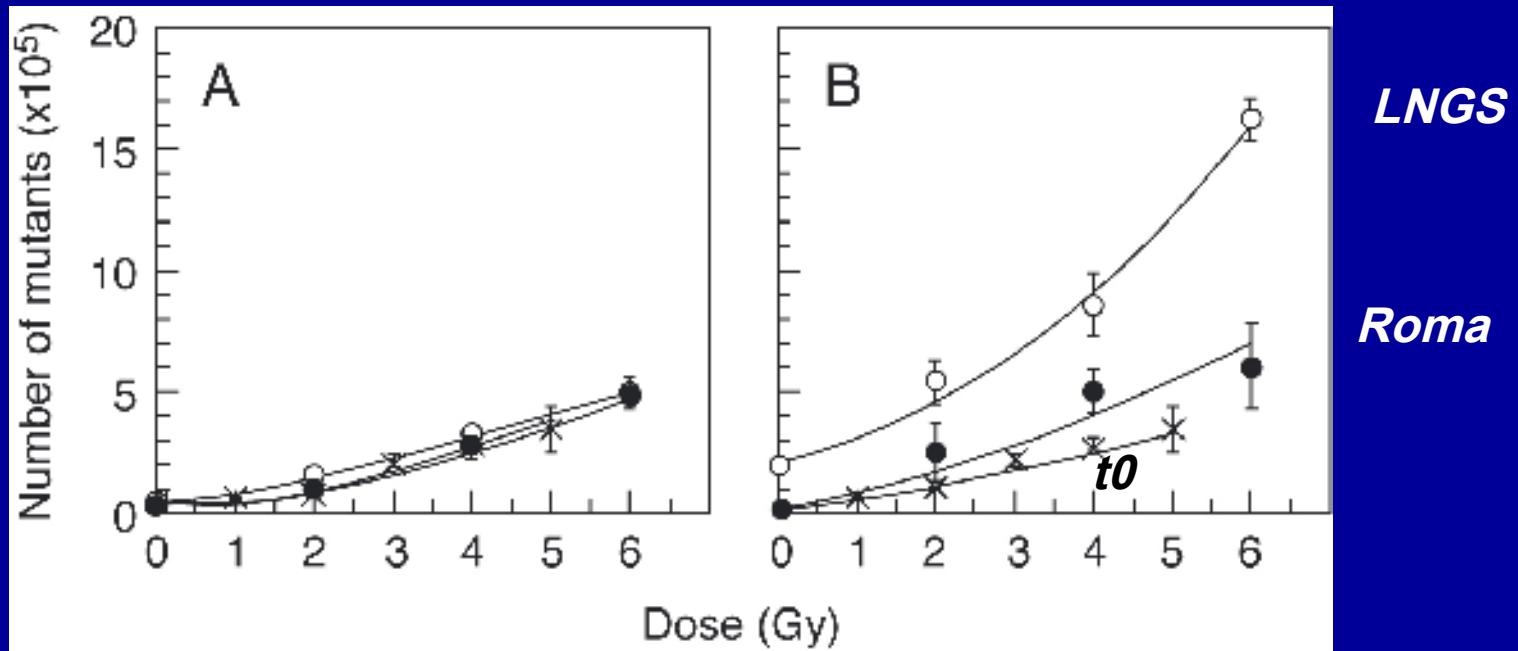


# Chinese hamster cells



Apoptosis induction by cycloheximide in V79 cells cultured for 3 months

# Chinese hamster cells



Mutation induction by  $\gamma$ -rays after 3 (panel A) and 9 (panel B) months culture

# 3° esperimento

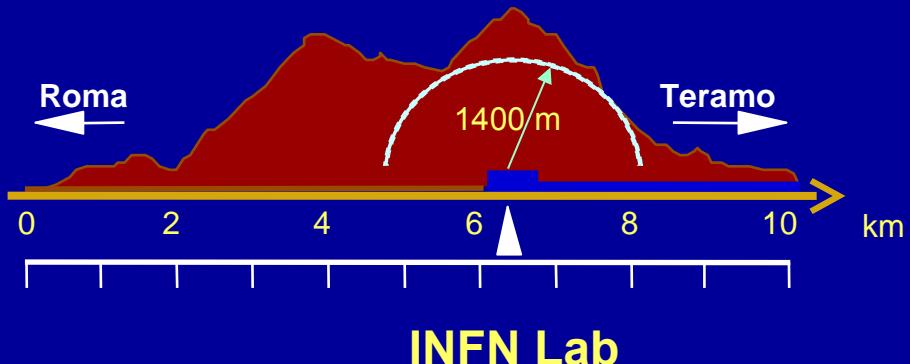
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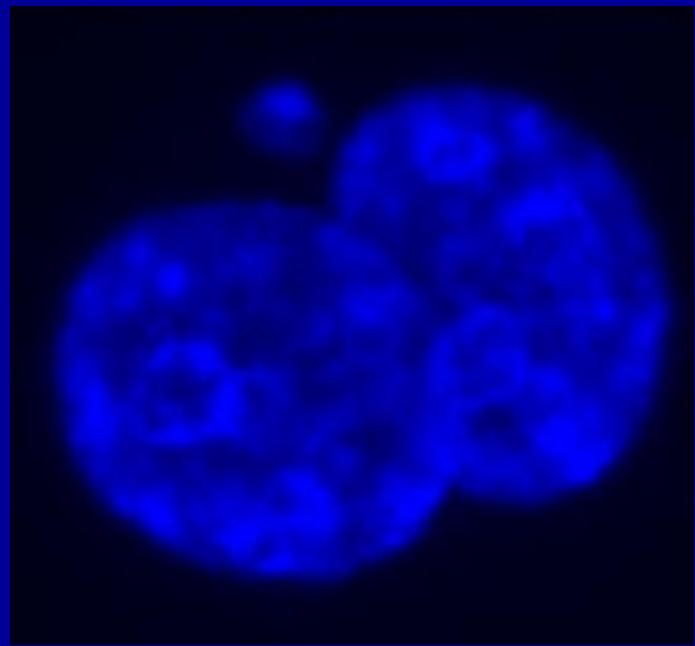
**Gran Sasso d'Italia**



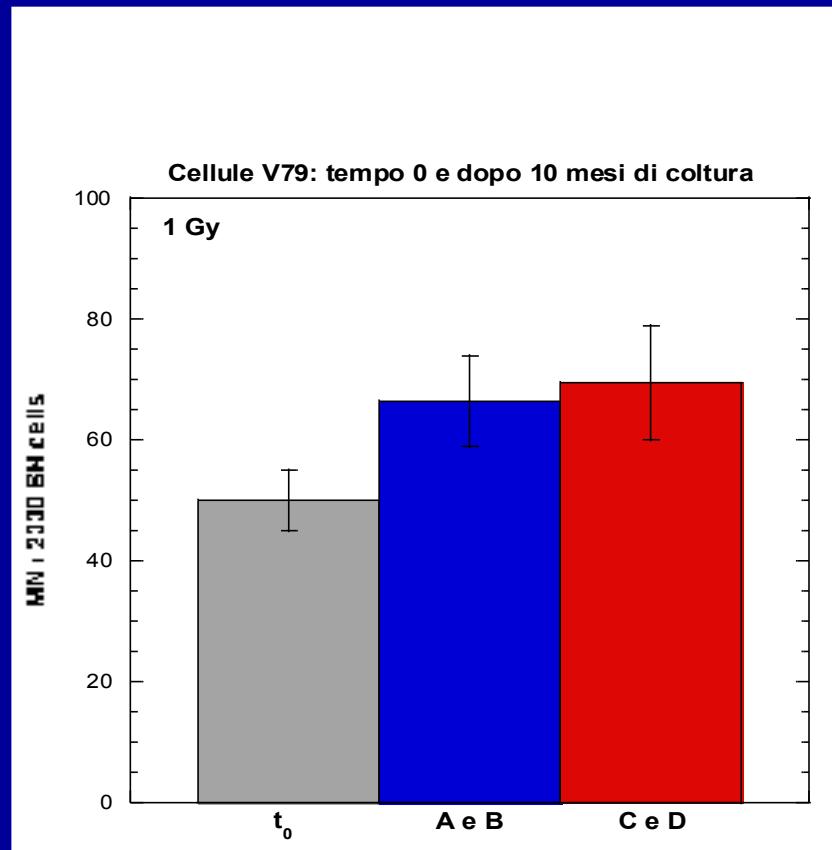
$40.1 \pm 4.2$  nGy/h  
 $5$  Bq/m<sup>3</sup>

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radon concentration

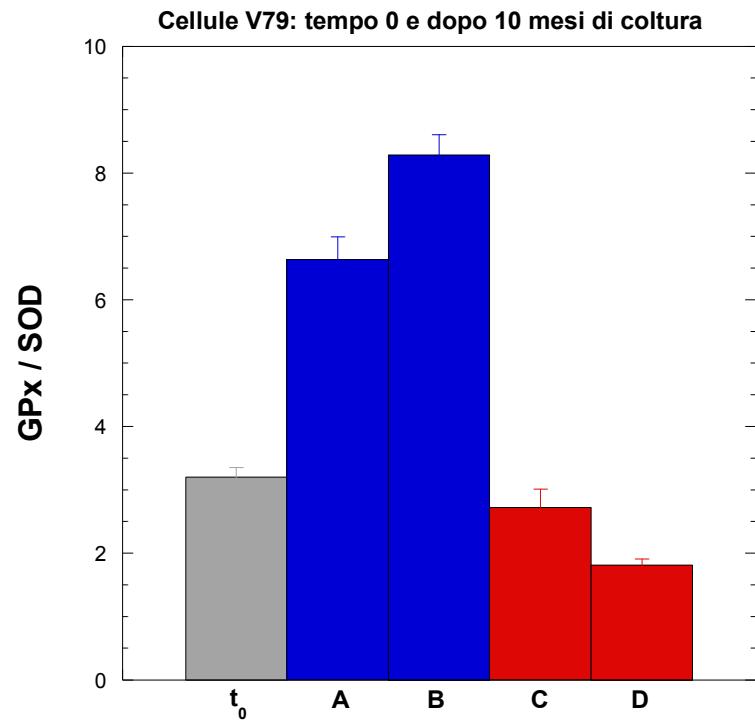
$4.3 \pm 0.9$  nGy/h  
 $5$  Bq/m<sup>3</sup>



# Induzione di micronuclei



# Dosaggi enzimatici



# Induzione di apoptosi

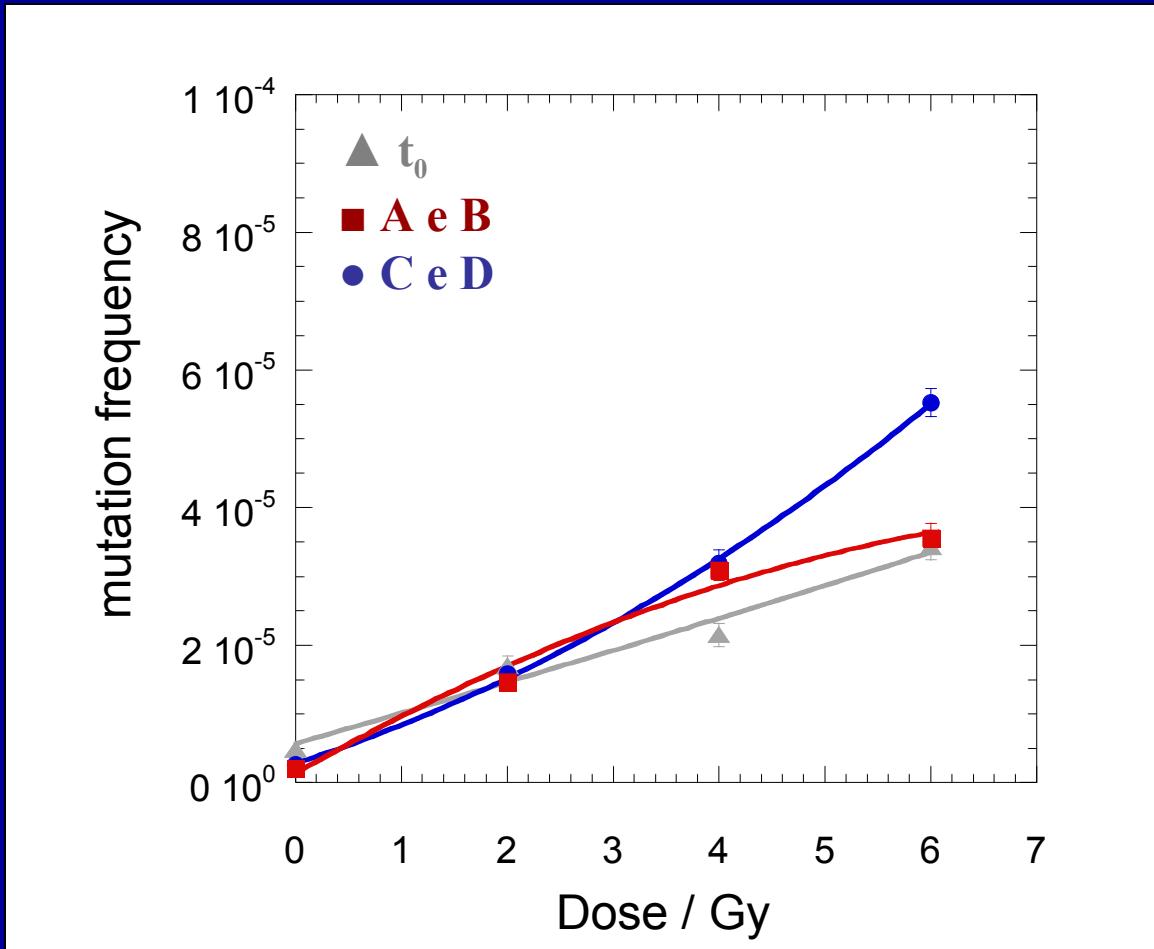
<i>3 mesi</i>	Cn	CHX	<i>10 mesi</i>	Cn	CHX
A	0.6	13.1	A	0.4	53.7
B	0.3	1.2	B	0.9	11.1
C	0.1	20.1	C	0.9	71.9
D	0.6	3.3	D	5.6	34.6

- Apparente disomogeneità tra coppie di colture sia all'interno che all'esterno della galleria del Gran Sasso
- Mediando le misure di apoptosi per le due colture esterne e per le due colture interne, si ha comunque una indicazione di maggiore sensibilità al trattamento con cicloesimide della coltura interna rispetto a quella esterna

<i>3 mesi</i>	Cn	CHX
A e B	0.45	7.15
C e D	0.35	11.7

<i>10 mesi</i>	Cn	CHX
A e B	0.65	32.4
C e D	3.25	53.25

# Induzione di mutazioni (dopo 3 mesi di coltura)



# Induzione di mutazioni (dopo 10 mesi di coltura)

