

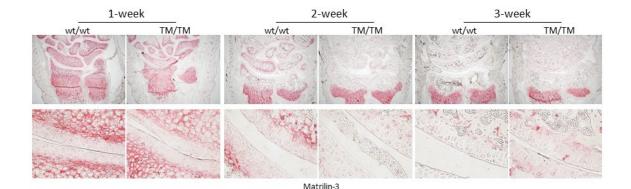




### D4.9 partner [UKK]

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Forepaws of wt and matn3 T298M mutant were stained via IHC (Fast Red). Age 1-, 2- and 3-weeks old animals. Decreased Matn-3 Signal in 1-week old mutant mice. No Matn-3 signal in the articular cartilage of 2-weeks old mutant mice. Same results for matn-1.



2 weeks.tif

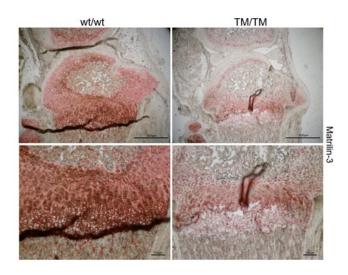
Knees of wt and matn3 T298M mutant were stained via IHC (Fast Red). 2-weeks old animals. Protein extraction from 2-weeks old knees. Decreased Matn-3

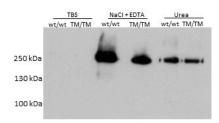






signal in 2-weeks old mutant mice. Decreased Matn-3 protein level in mutant mice. Same results for matn-1.





2 weeks knee.tif

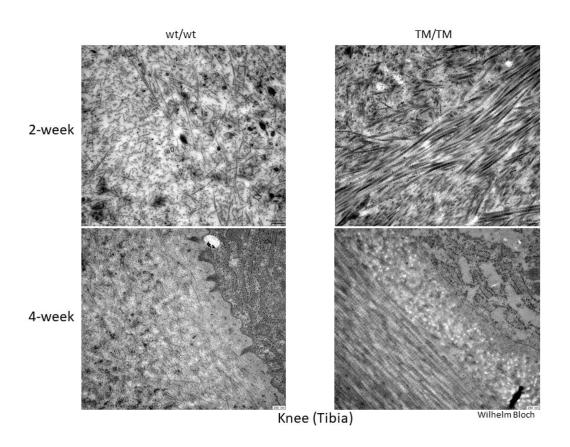
EM analysis of the knee (Tibia) of 2- and 4-weeks old animals. Increased fibril diameter werde detected in







# mutant mice. It seems to be that the mutation has an impact on collagen fibrillogenesis.



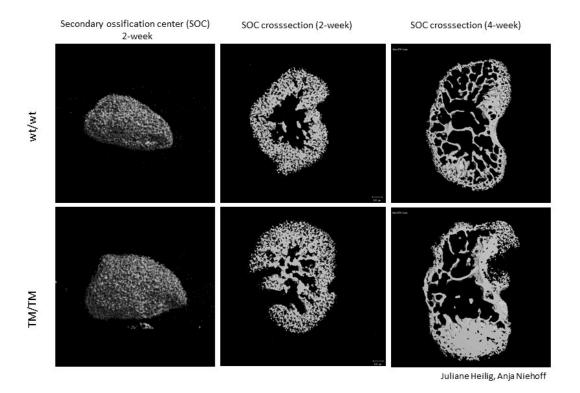
EM 2 and 4 weeks old knees.tif

MicroCT analysis of 2- and 4-weeks old knees. Secondary ossification center (SOC) of the mutant mice is increased in width. SOC crossection revealed an impact on the ossification in 2- and 4-weeks old mutant mice.









microCT 2 and 4 weeks old knees.tif

Transcriptome analyses of 1-week old animals reveald a link to the TGF-B/BMP-2 pathway.

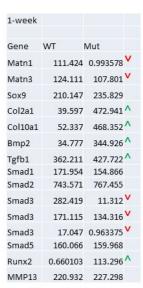




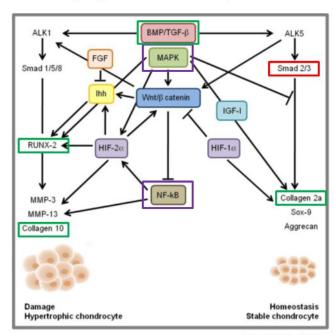


## Upregulation of BMP-2, RUNX-2 and Collagen-10 in mutant mice.

### Transcriptome Analysis (1-week-old animals)



Knee (Tibia)



(Mariani et al., 2014)

Transcriptome analysis 1 week.tif

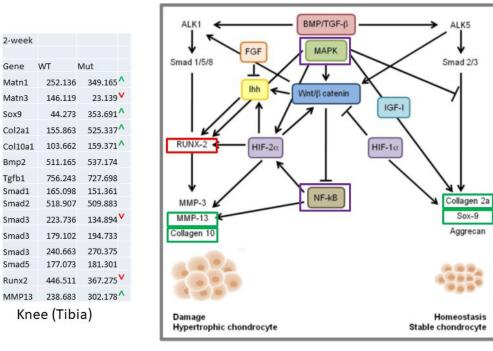
Transcriptome analyses of 2-week old animals reveald a link to the TGF-B/BMP-2 pathway. Upregulation of Sox-9 in mutant mice.







#### Transcriptome Analysis (2-week-old animals)



(Mariani et al., 2014)

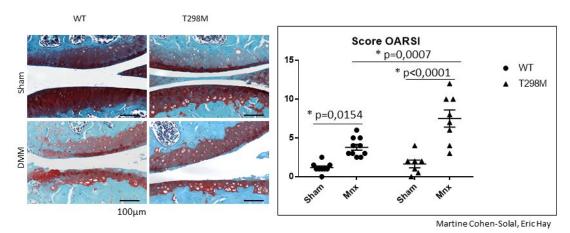
Transcriptome analysis 2 week.tif

Premature osteoarthritis in mutant mice by DMM. WT Oarsie score 3.8 and mutant Oarsi score 7.4.









WT score: 3.8 T298M score: 7.4

DMM OA Mutant.tif