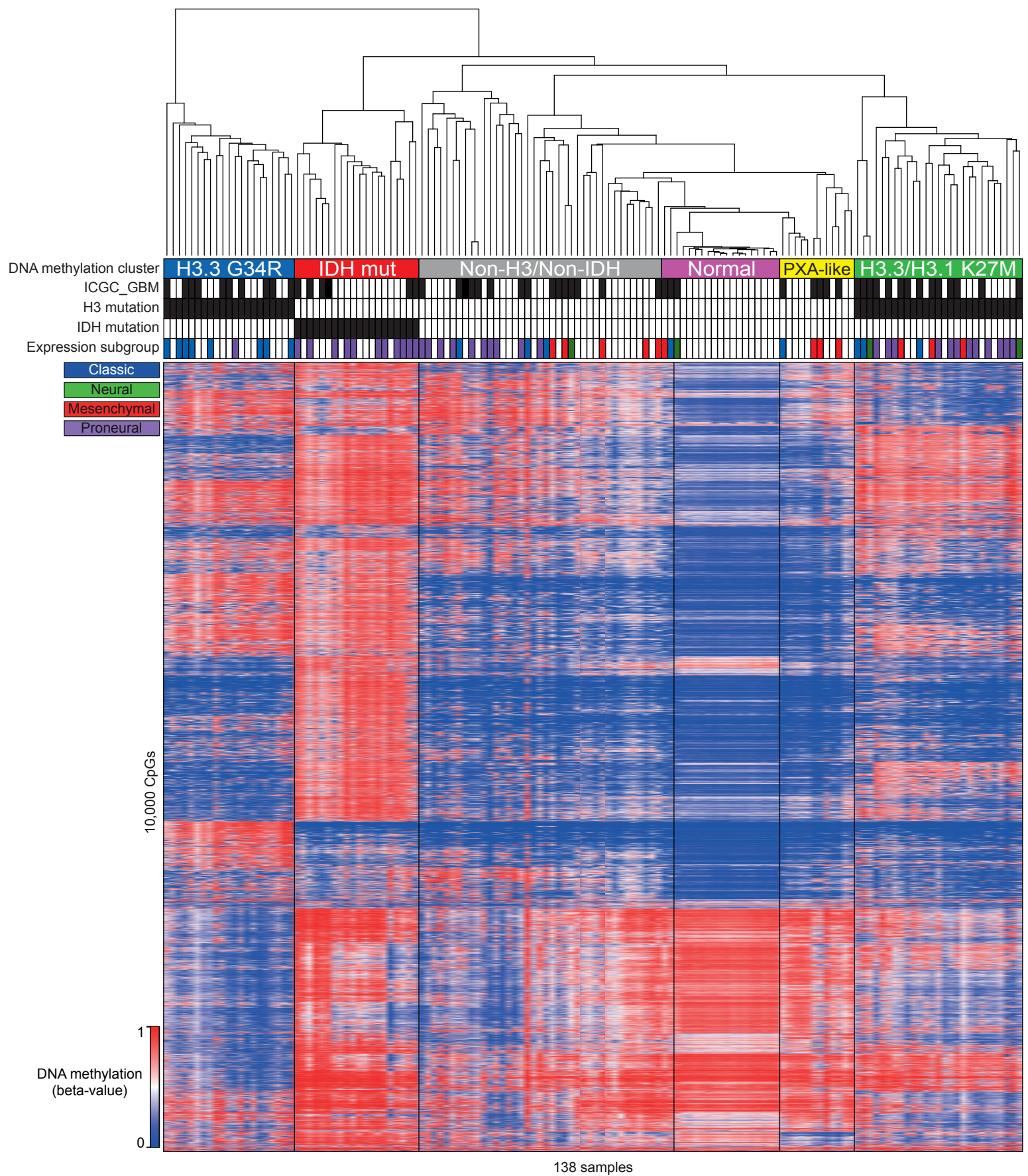
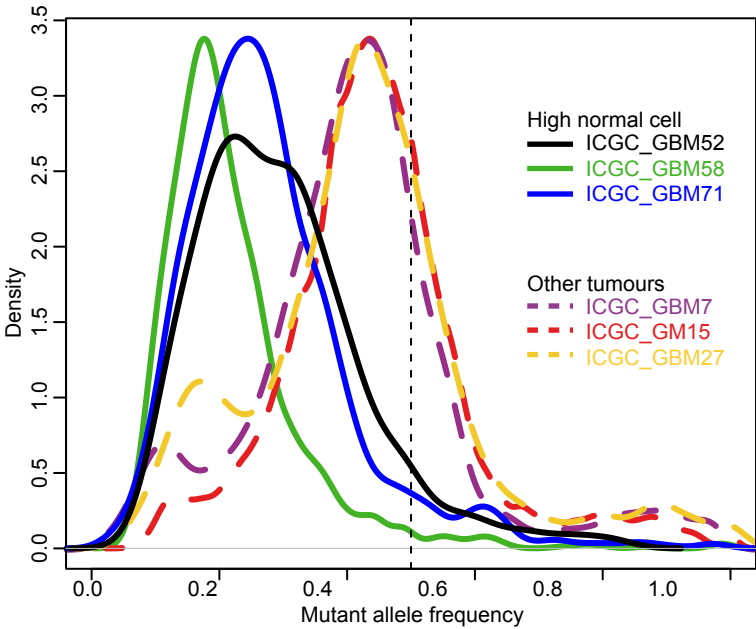


Supplementary Figure 1



**Supplementary Figure 1. Epigenetic pedGBM subgroups.**  
Heatmap of DNA methylation levels in 122 tumour and 16 normal brain samples generated by unsupervised hierarchical clustering. Each row represents a CpG site, each column represents a sample. The level of DNA methylation (beta-value) is represented with a colour scale as depicted. ICGC\_GBM, histone H3- and IDH-mutant tumours as well as gene expression subgroup association are indicated (where available).

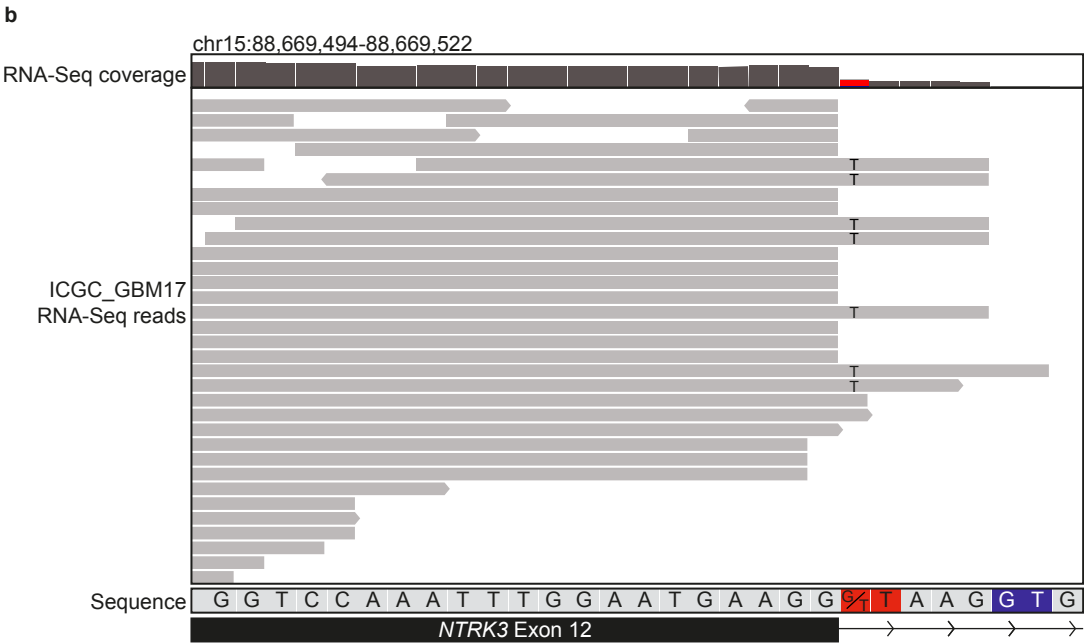
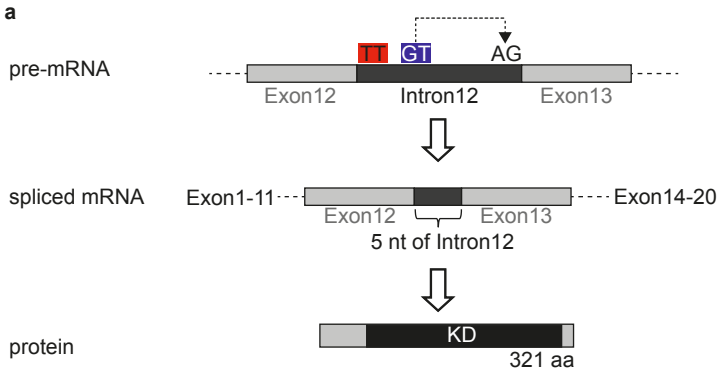
Supplementary Figure 2



**Supplementary Figure 2. Mutant allele frequency in pedGBMs with high normal cell content.**

Density plots depicting mutant allele frequency in three pedGBMs with high normal cell content. Mutation frequency distributions of three pedGBMs with purer tumour cell content are shown as a control (dotted lines).

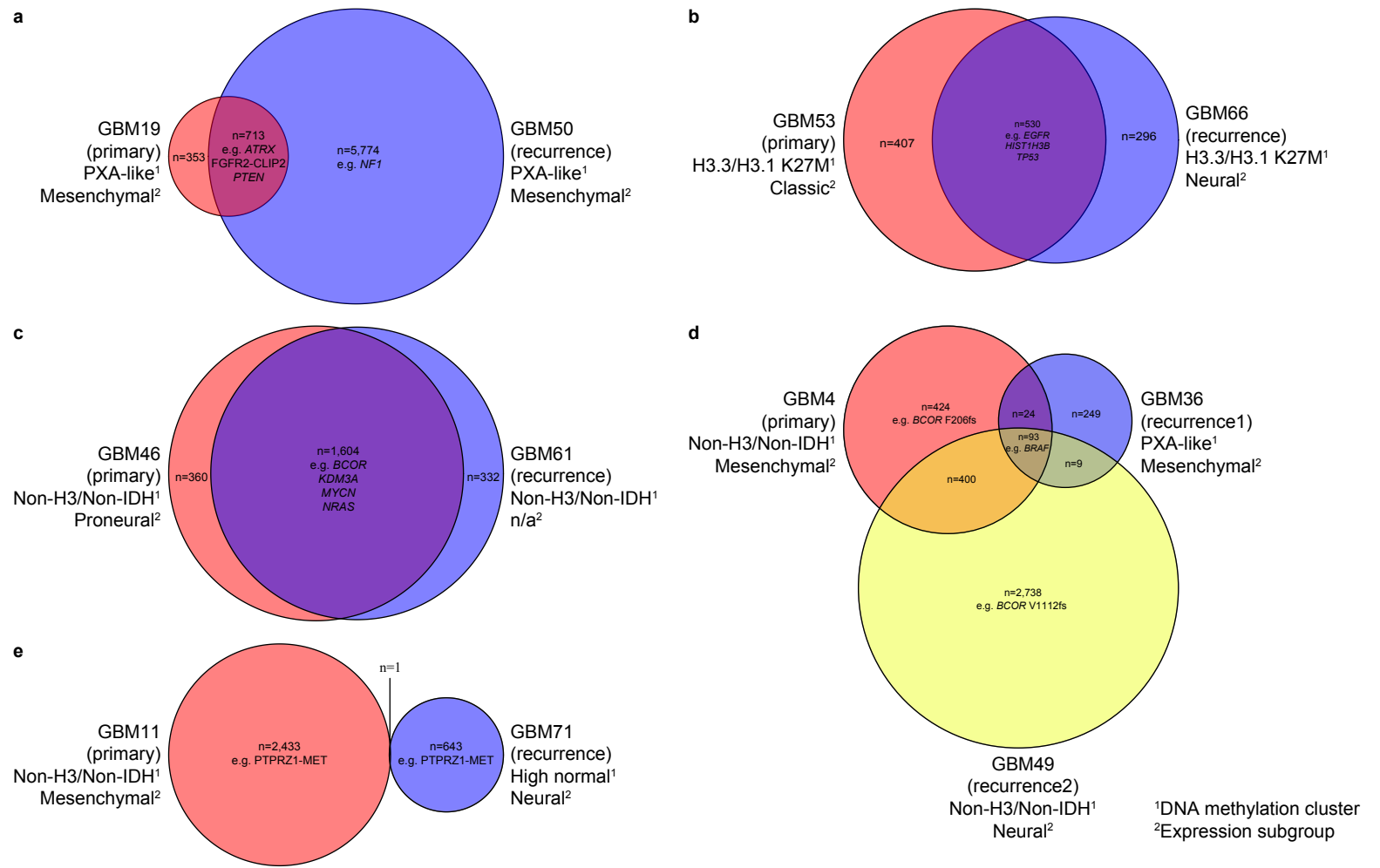
# Supplementary Figure 3



**Supplementary Figure 3. *NTRK3* splice site mutation.**

**a.** Effects of the heterozygous splice site mutation within intron 12 of the *NTRK3* gene identified in ICGC\_GBM17. Mutation of the regular splice donor site (GT>TT; red) within intron 12 of *NTRK3* results in an alternative transcript, retaining 5 additional nucleotides of intron 12 by using an alternative splice donor (GT; blue). The resulting spliced mRNA encodes an amino-terminally truncated protein containing the NTRK3 kinase domain (KD). **b.** RNA sequencing data of ICGC\_GBM17 covering exon 12 of *NTRK3*. While the majority of RNA sequencing reads indicate normal splicing using the regular splice donor (GT; red), several RNA sequencing reads support the splice site mutation (TT; red) and the use of an alternative splice donor (GT; blue) within intron 12 of the *NTRK3* gene.

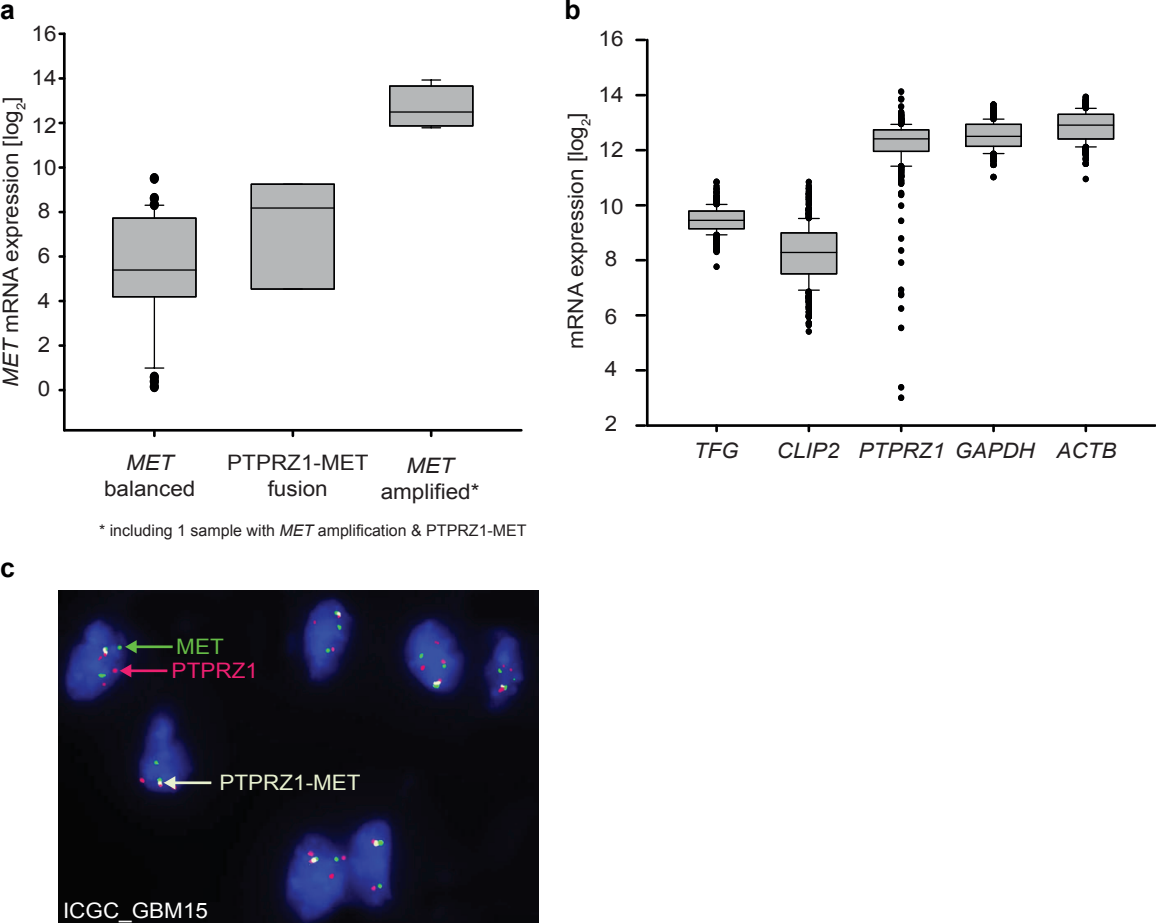
Supplementary Figure 4



**Supplementary Figure 4. Genetic aberrations in pairs of primary and recurrent tumours.**

Venn diagrams illustrating overlapping genetic aberrations in 5 pairs of primary and recurrent tumour samples. Overlapping events in glioma-associated genes are listed. DNA methylation as well as gene expression subgroup of tumours is provided if available (n/a: not analysed).

# Supplementary Figure 5

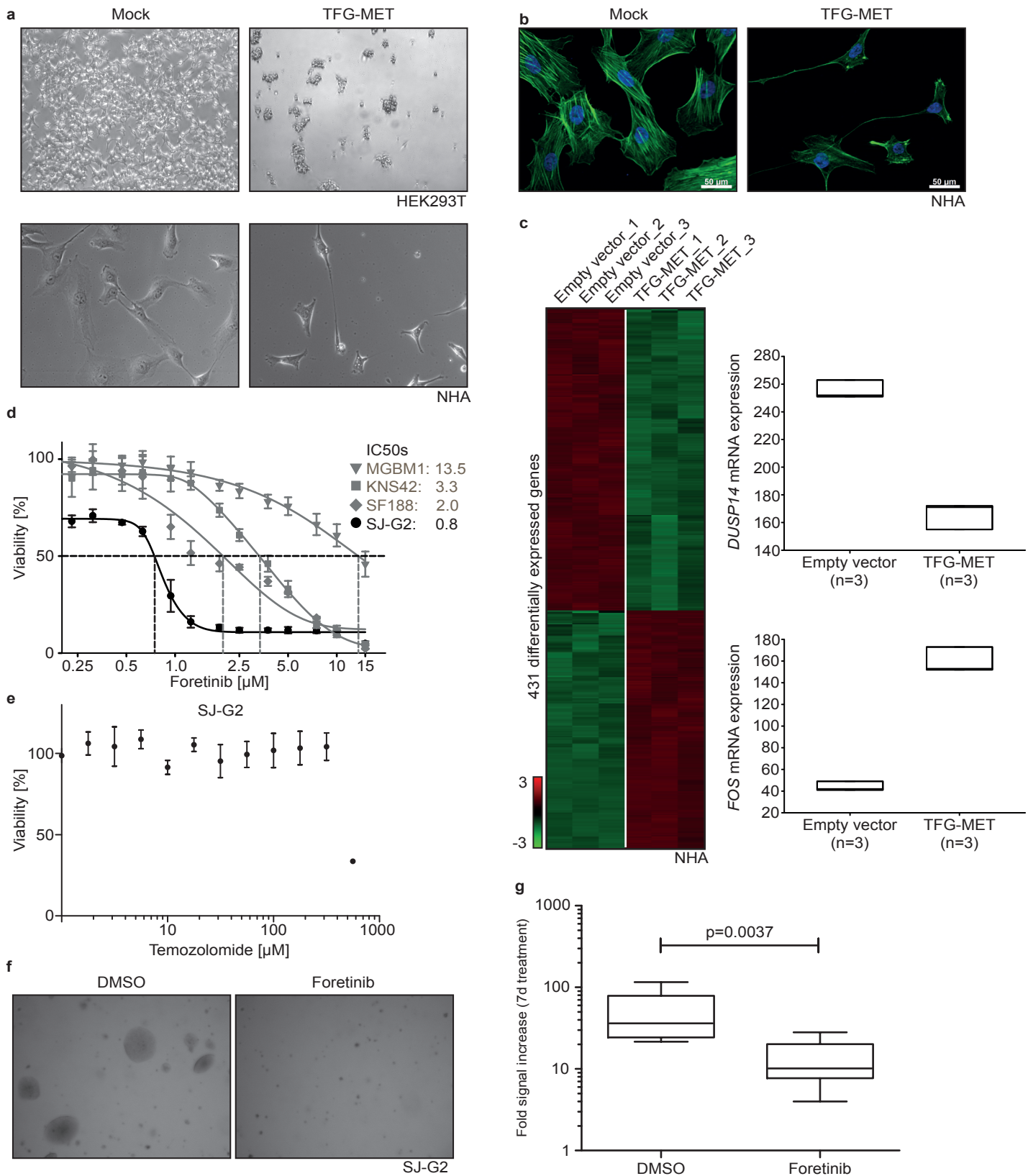


**Supplementary Figure 5. Glioblastoma expression and fluorescence *in situ* hybridization data.**

**a.** Scatter plot illustrating *MET* mRNA expression ( $\log_2$ ) of 31 primary pedGBMs with balanced *MET* locus, 4 *MET* amplified tumours (including ICGC\_GBM43 with additional PTPRZ1-MET fusion) as well as three PTPRZ1-MET-bearing tumours (ICGC\_GBM11, 15 and 71). **b.** Box plot illustrating *TFG*, *CLIP2*, *PTPRZ1*, *GAPDH* and *ACTB* mRNA expression ( $\log_2$ ) in 458 human glioblastomas. **c.** Detection of the PTPRZ1-MET fusion in interphase cell nuclei of ICGC\_GBM15 by dual-colour interphase FISH using a PTPRZ1 (red) and MET (green) specific probe.



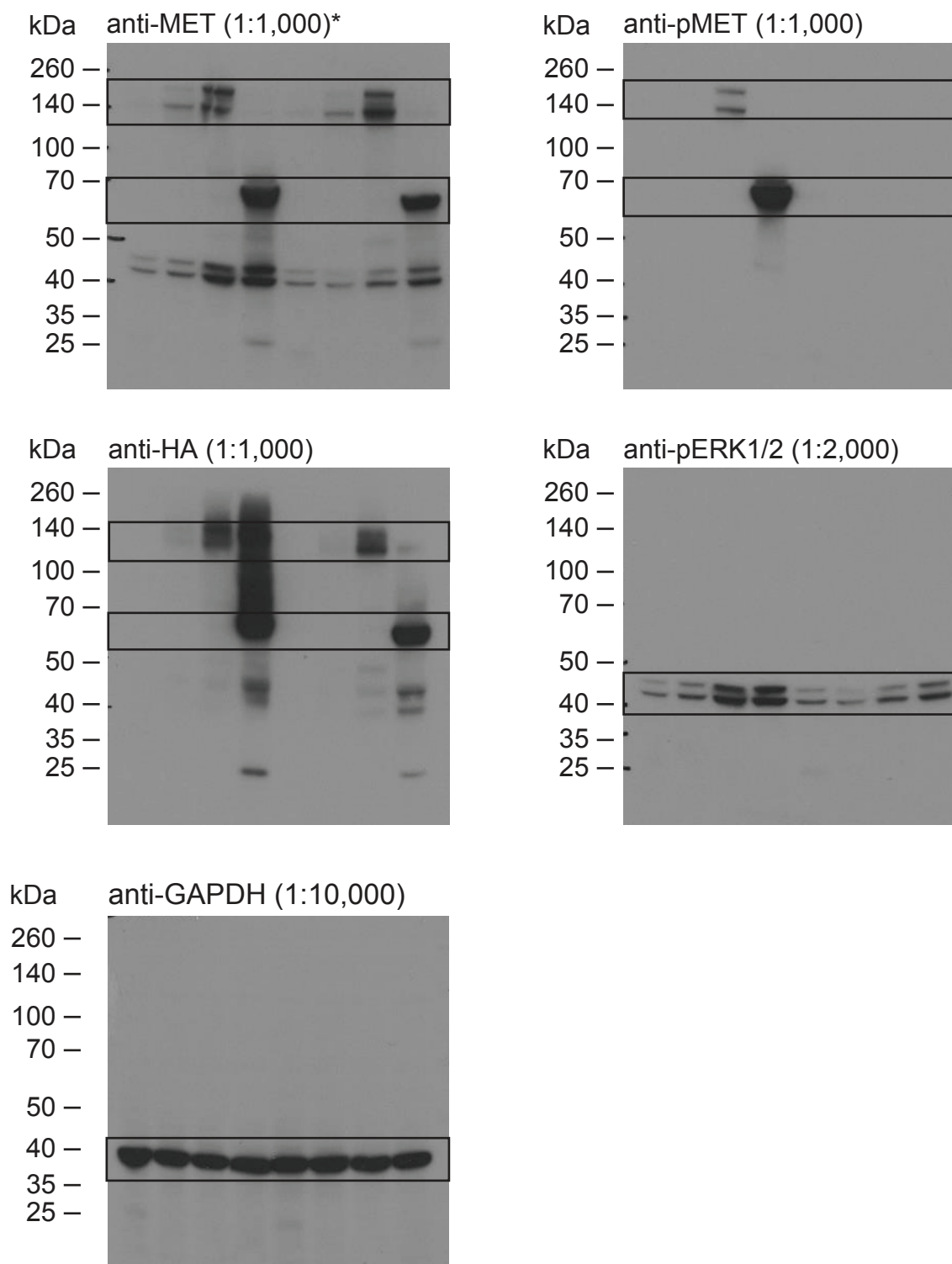
Supplementary Figure 6



**Supplementary Figure 6. MET fusions are sensitive to pharmacological MET inhibitors.**

**a.** Both HEK293T and normal human astrocyte (NHA) cells show increased cell rounding and cell detachment upon TFG-MET overexpression (cell viability was not affected). Mock-transfected/empty vector transduced cells are shown as a control. **b.** Immunofluorescence staining of NHA cells (EV or TFG-MET transduced) for F-actin (phalloidin) indicates a dramatic loss of stress fibres upon TFG-MET expression. **c.** Heatmap of 431 differentially expressed genes identified in TFG-MET-overexpressing NHA (compared to empty vector control). Each row represents a gene, each column represents an experiment, performed in triplicate. The level of gene expression (z-score) is represented with a colour scale as depicted. Boxplots show mRNA expression of the two example genes *DUSP14* and *FOS*. **d.** Effect of foretinib treatment on CLIP2-MET-expressing SJ-G2 glioblastoma cells as well as three other pediatric glioblastoma cell lines without MET fusion (SF188, KNS-42 and MGBM1). Each assay was measured in triplicates. Error bars represent standard deviation. **e.** Effect of temozolomide treatment on CLIP2-MET-expressing SJ-G2 glioblastoma cells. Each assay was measured in triplicates. Error bars represent standard deviation. **f.** Anchorage independent growth of CLIP2-MET-expressing SJ-G2 glioblastoma cells is inhibited in the presence of 0.5 $\mu$ M foretinib (d12). **g.** Box plot illustrating luciferase signal increase as measured by intravital bioluminescence imaging, which indicates proliferation of RCAS-TFG-MET cells. Tumour cell proliferation/tumour growth was significantly decreased by foretinib treatment (over the course of 7 days) compared to DMSO treated controls (log rank test).

Figure 2B: Full Western Blot membranes



\* Western Blot membrane was used to detect pERK1/2 with subsequent reprobing for MET without membrane stripping.

Figure 2C: Full Western Blot membranes

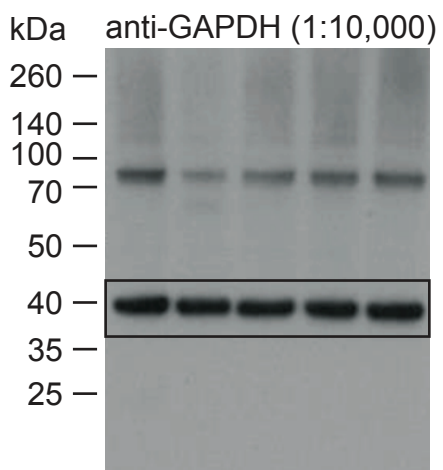
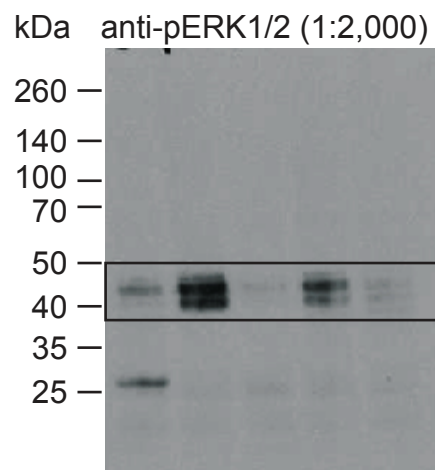
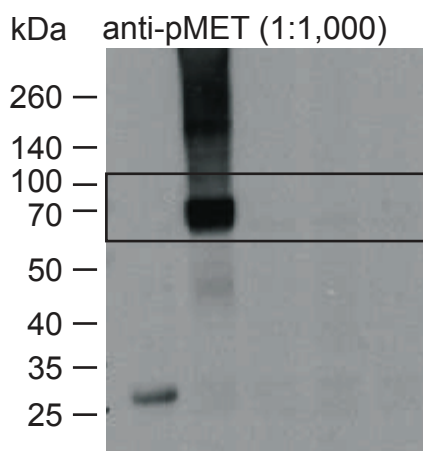
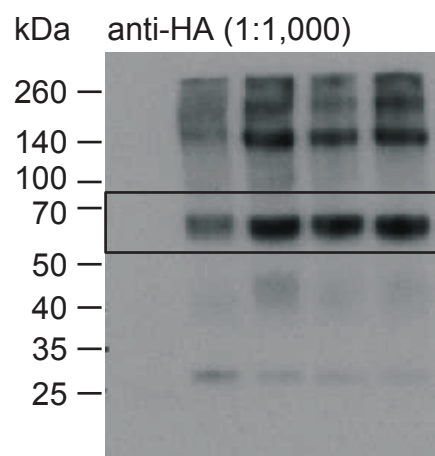
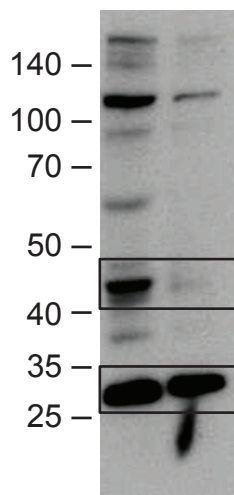




Figure 3G: Full Western Blot membrane

kDa anti-pERK1/2 (1:2,000) & anti-RAB11 (1:2,000)



Western Blot membrane was incubated with PathScan Multiplex Western Cocktail I (#5301; Cell Signaling; 1:2,000), which allows simultaneous detection of pERK1/2 and RAB11.