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Assessors' report for cIQc Run 2: Breast module (ER, PR and HER2)

A tissue microarray (TMA) paraffin block with 38 fully characterized breast carcinomas, including FISH analysis for HER2/neu status, was used for testing estrogen receptor (ER), progesterone receptor (PR), and HER2/neu status by immunohistochemistry. Results from each participating lab are presented in a format that cIQc will henceforth refer to as a Garrattogram, which is a visual tabular summary of self-assessments for each TMA core (i.e. row) reported by each lab (i.e. column).

Figure 1. ER garrattogram

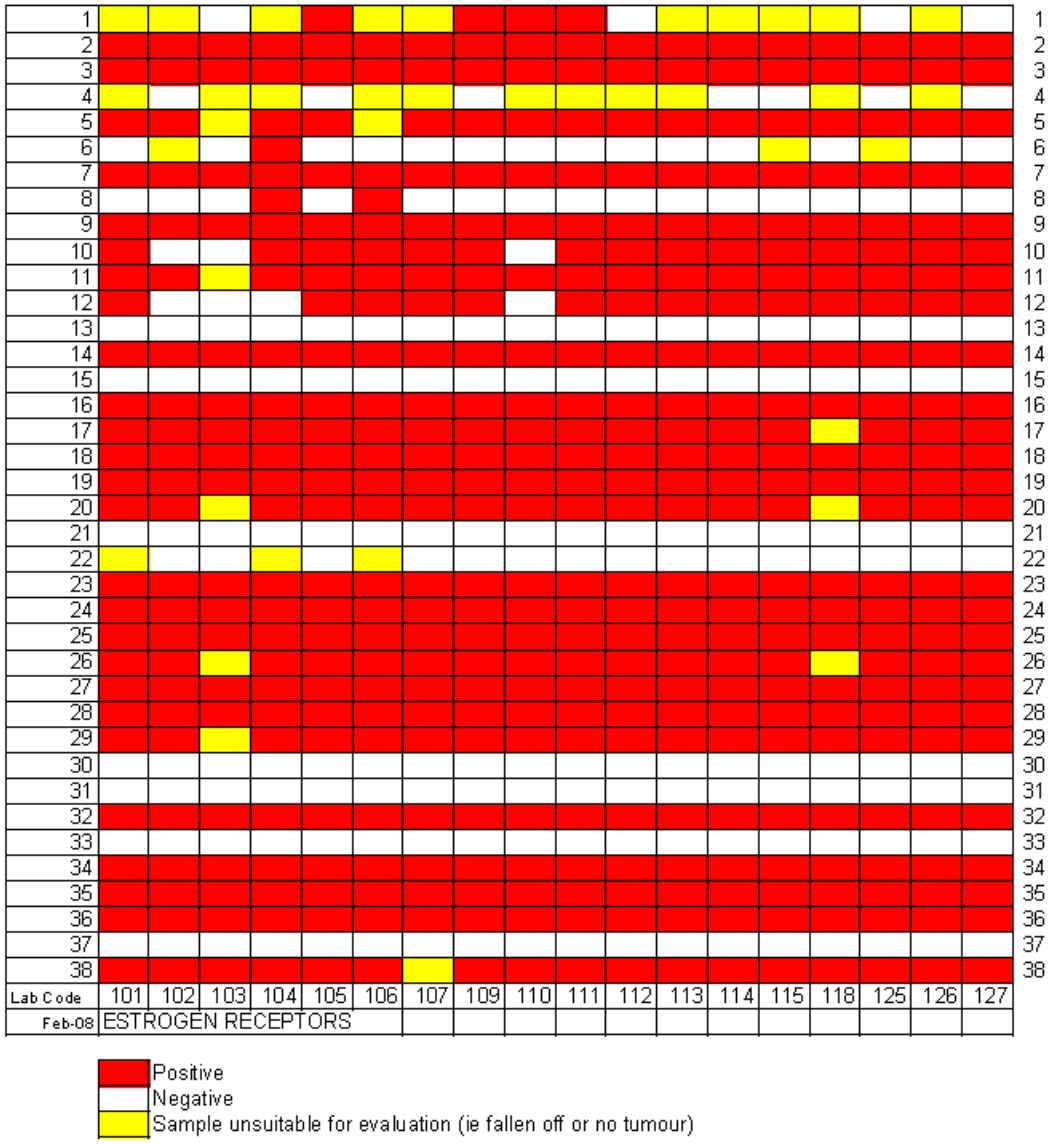

Figure 2. PR garrattogram

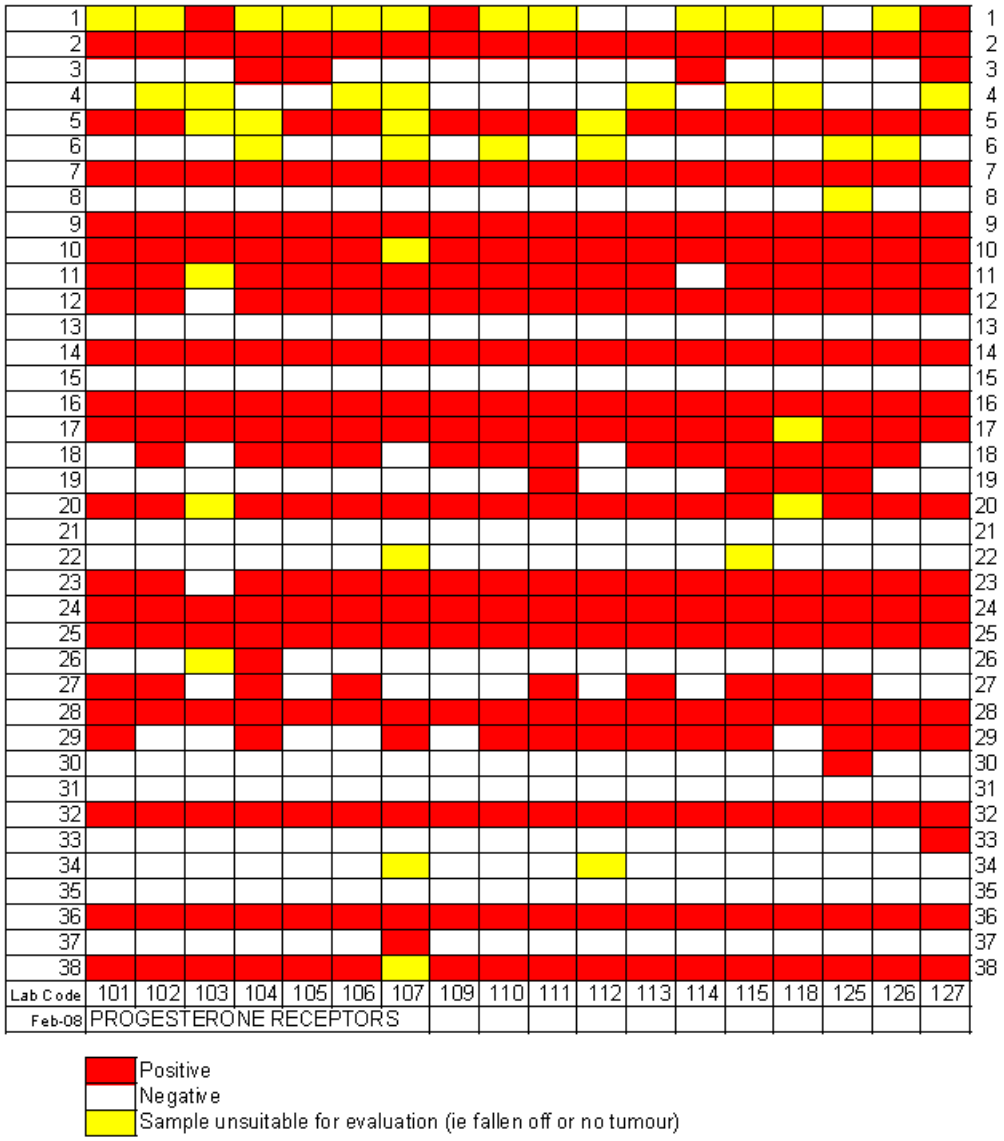
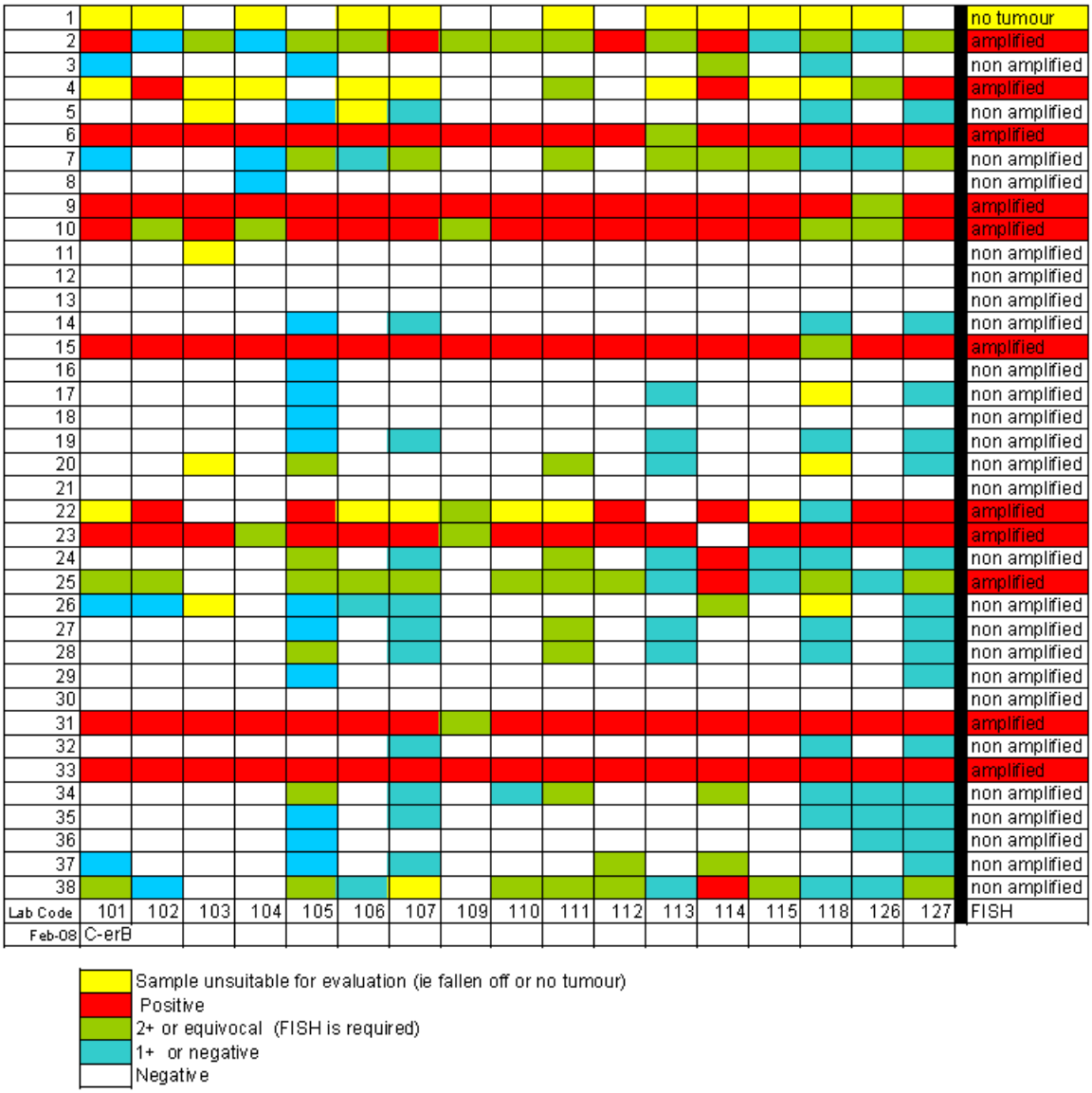
Figure 3. HER2 garrattogram