

## Supplementary Table S1

**Combination Index (CI) values in AT-1, AT-2 and REH cell lines.** CIs were calculated by CalcuSyn software at the effective dose necessary to reduce the cell viability of the 50% (GI<sub>50</sub>) in AT-1, AT-2 and REH cell lines at 48 hours, measured by MTT test. Synergy, additivity and antagonism are defined by a CI<1, CI=1 or CI>1, respectively. Of note, experiments with dexamethasone (dex) in REH cells were not performed since these cells are resistant due to a lack of functional Glucocorticoid Receptor<sup>14</sup> and with vincristine (VCR) since they showed to be highly sensitive. Cells were treated at the molar ratio (Chemio: SYK inhibitor) of 1:100 for cytarabine (AraC) or 1:10 for Dex and VCR.

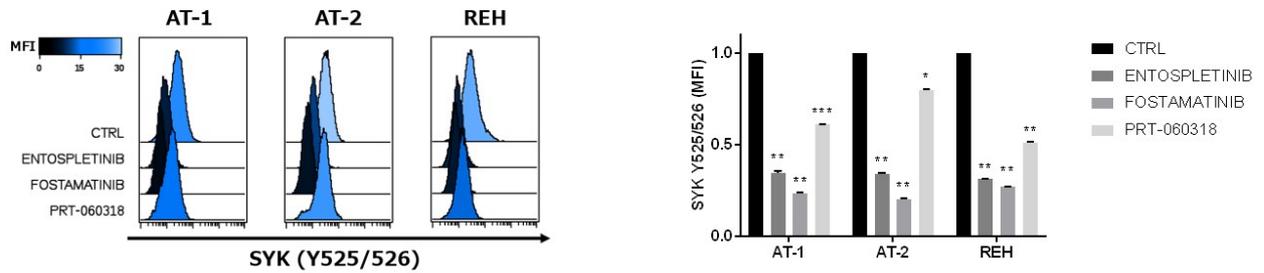
Combination Index (CI) GI <sub>50</sub>	AT-1	AT-2	REH
<b>AraC+ entospletinib</b>	<b>0.162</b>	<b>0.320</b>	<b>0.956</b>
<b>AraC+ fostamatinib</b>	0.329	2.255	3.077
<b>AraC+ PRT-060318</b>	0.630	0.999	0.868
<b>Dex+ entospletinib</b>	<b>0.082</b>	<b>0.165</b>	ND
<b>Dex+ fostamatinib</b>	0.290	0.006	ND
<b>Dex+ PRT-060318</b>	0.639	0.817	ND
<b>VCR+ entospletinib</b>	<b>0.073</b>	<b>0.321</b>	ND
<b>VCR+ fostamatinib</b>	0.097	0.338	ND
<b>VCR+ PRT-060318</b>	0.755	1.089	ND

## Supplementary Table 2

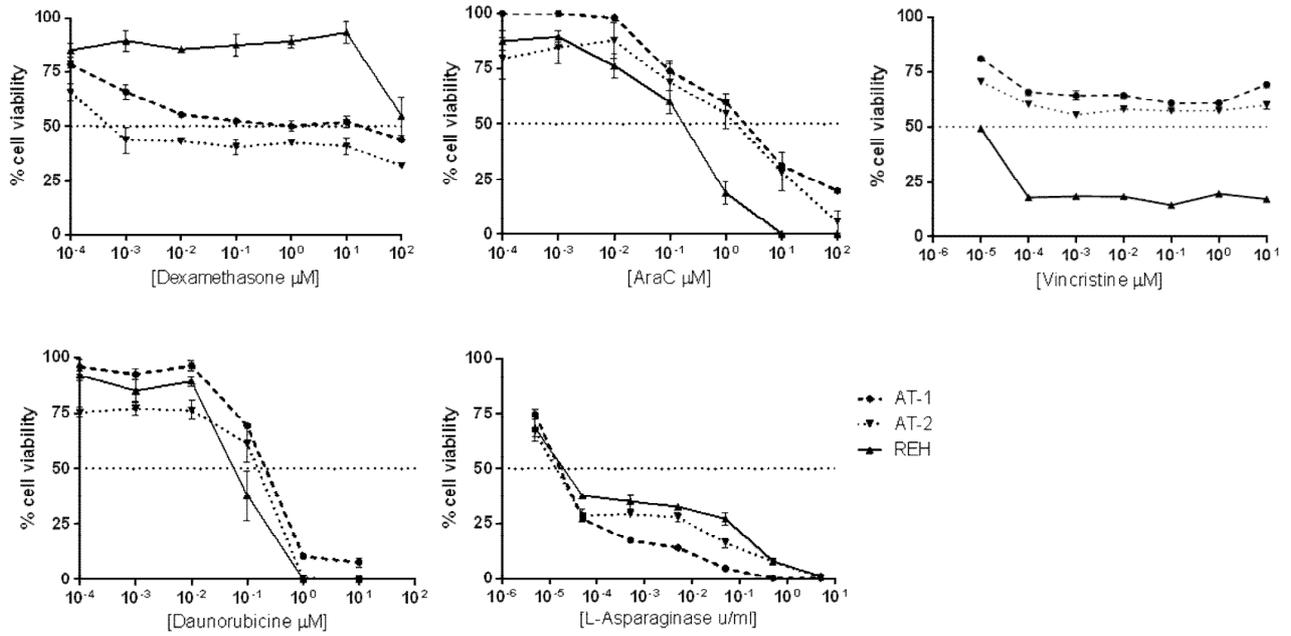
**CI values in AT-1, AT-2 and REH cell lines.** CI values at the indicated concentrations of entospletinib with fixed VDA at 1 unit. Ento: entospletinib, VDA (VCR+Dex+AraC).

	Combination Index (CI)		
	VDA + ento	VDA + ento	VDA + ento
	AT-1	AT-2	REH
entospletinib			
100 $\mu$ M	0.188	0.220	0.643
50 $\mu$ M	0.413	0.375	0.718
25 $\mu$ M	0.385	0.357	0.403
12,5 $\mu$ M	0.204	0.262	0.224

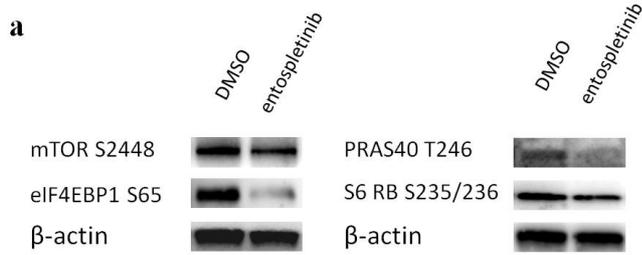
## Supplementary figures:



**Figure S1: SYK Y525/Y526 phosphorylation measured by phosphoflow.** Right panel. Reduction of SYK Y525/Y526 phosphorylation measured by phosphoflow in AT-1, AT-2 and REH cell lines after 1 hour of treatment with DMSO (CTRL) or with 5  $\mu$ M SYK inhibitors. MFI= Median Fluorescence Intensity. Left panel. Fold change reduction of SYK Y525/Y526 phosphorylation measured by phosphoflow in AT-1, AT-2 and REH cell lines after 1 hour of treatment with DMSO (CTRL) or with 5  $\mu$ M SYK inhibitors. Paired t test; \*  $p \leq 0.05$ , \*\*  $p \leq 0.01$ ; \*\*\*  $p \leq 0.001$ ;  $n=3$  for all experiments. Results are presented as means  $\pm$  SEM. CTRL was set to 1.0.



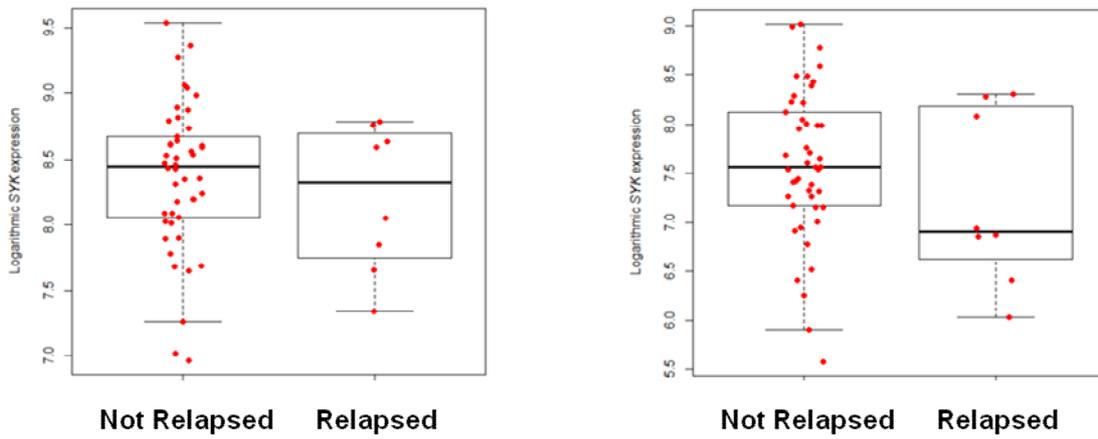
**Figure S2: Sensitivity of AT-1, AT-2 and REH cells to the conventional chemotherapeutic compounds.** Cell viability of AT-1, AT-2 and REH cells after treatment for 48 hours with dexamethasone, AraC, vincristine, daunorubicine and L-Asparaginase. All experiments were performed at least 3 times, and data are represented as mean  $\pm$  SEM.



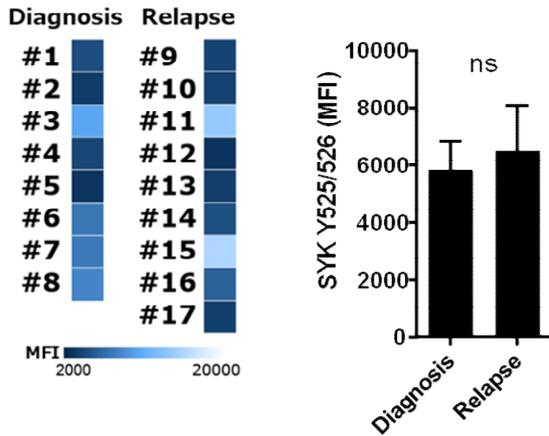
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Antibody	DMSO	entospletinib
mTOR S2448	1,294377	0,910453
eIF4EBP1 S65	0,861115	0,276838
PRAS40 T246	0,682033	0,286682
S6 RB S235/236	0,850192	0,459063

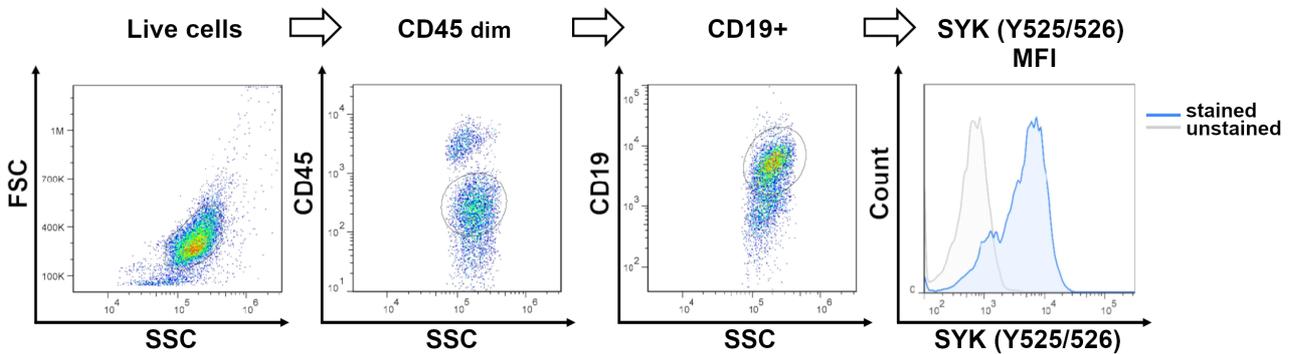
**Figure S3: Western blot for mTOR pathway in AT-1 cell line treated with entospletinib. a)** Western Blot analysis for mTOR S2448, eIF4EBP1 S65, PRAS40 T246, S6 Ribosomal Protein S235/236 and  $\beta$ -actin in AT-1 cell line after 1 hour treatment with DMSO or with 10  $\mu$ M of entospletinib. **b)** Densitometric values after normalization of antibodies signal intensity to  $\beta$ -actin with ImageJ software.



**Figure S4: *SYK* mRNA expression in ETV6-RUNX1 patients.** *SYK* mRNA in log<sub>2</sub> expression measured by gene expression analysis in an independent cohort of 54 ETV6-RUNX1 B-ALL patients (n= 46 not relapsed, n= 8 relapsed) by Affymetrix HG-U133Plus 2.0 arrays. The two panels show the two different probe sets (226068\_s\_at and 207540\_s\_at) for *SYK*. The average expression of *SYK* between ETV6-RUNX1 patients who did not relapse and the ones who relapsed is not significantly different. Results are presented as mean  $\pm$  SD.



**Figure S5: Phosphorylation of SYK Y525/526 in primary cells.** Phosphorylation was measured by phosphoflow in primary cells from 8 diagnosis and 9 unmatched relapses of ETV6-RUNX1 patients. Data are presented as a heatmap of Median Fluorescence Intensity (MFI) of positive-cells in the live-gated cell subpopulation (left panel) or as MFI mean  $\pm$  DS (right panel).



**Figure S6: Gating strategy used in phospho-flow cytometry analysis.** Representative image on patient #6, showing the gating strategy used for SYK (Y525/526) Median Fluorescent Intensity (MFI) detection, evaluated on live-gated CD45<sup>dim</sup>/CD19<sup>+</sup> cell population.