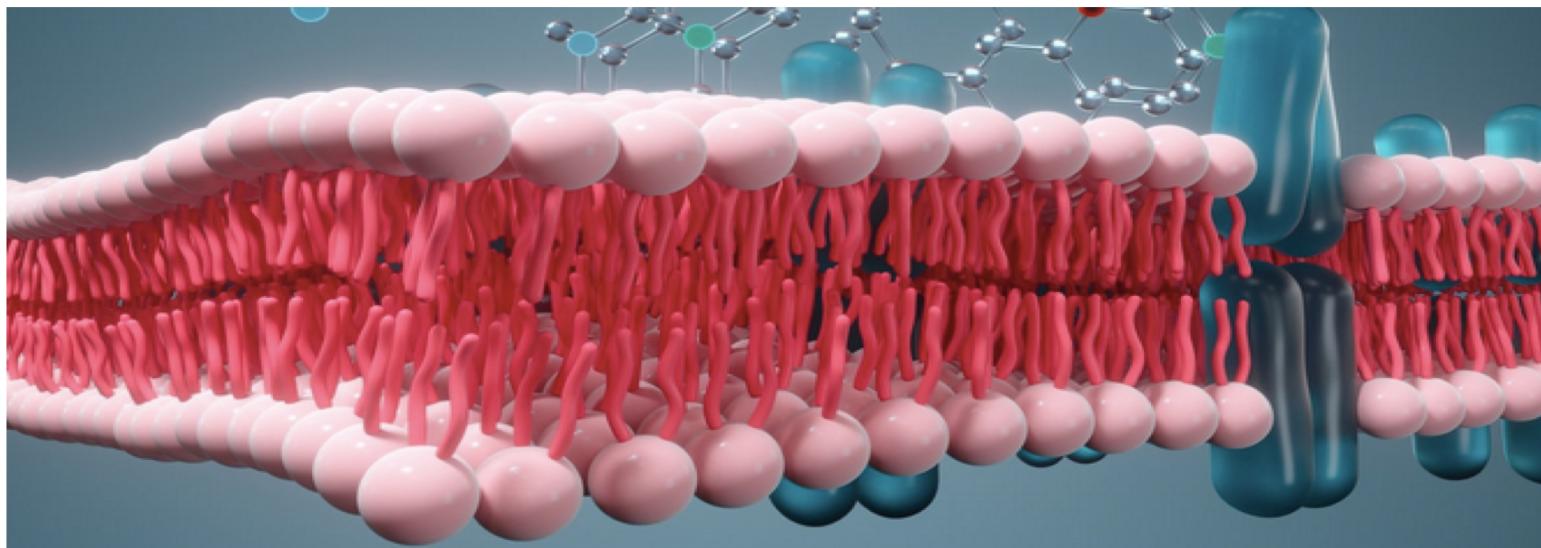
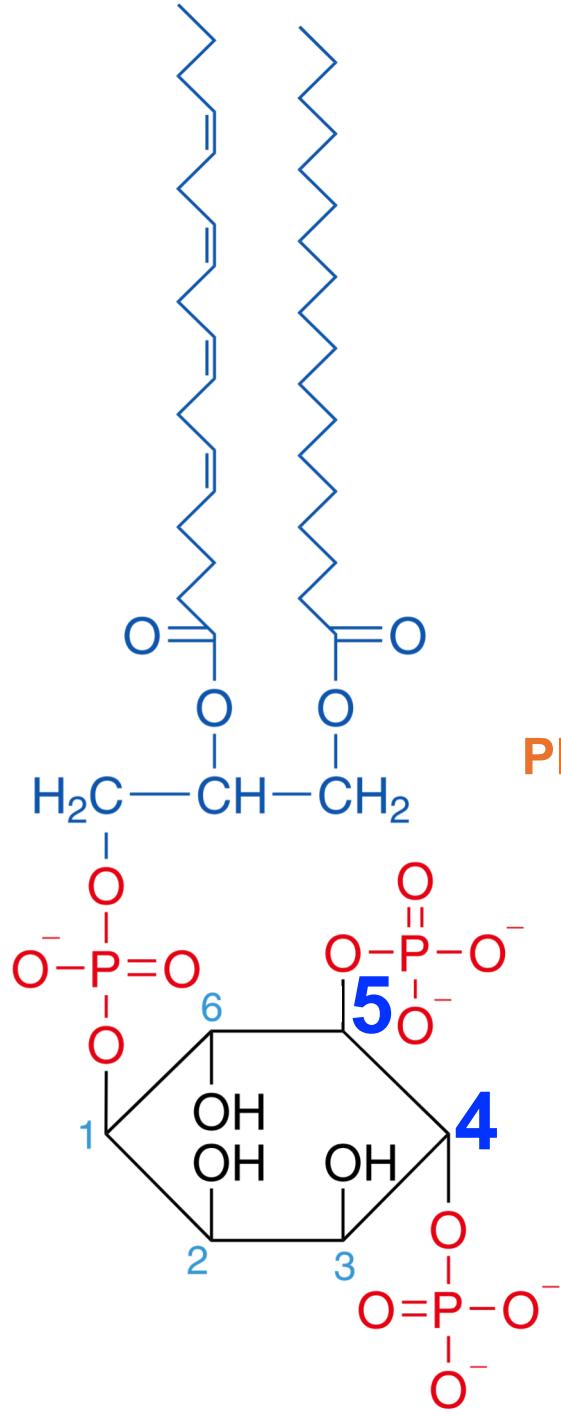


I fosfoinositidi nella segnalazione delle cellule del sistema immunitario

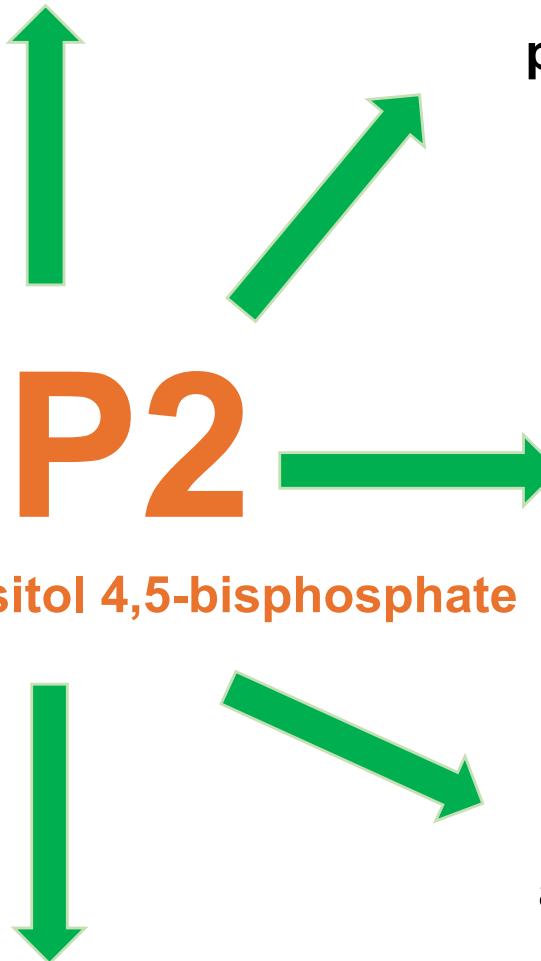




Directional Neutrophil migration

PIP2

Phosphatidylinositol 4,5-bisphosphate



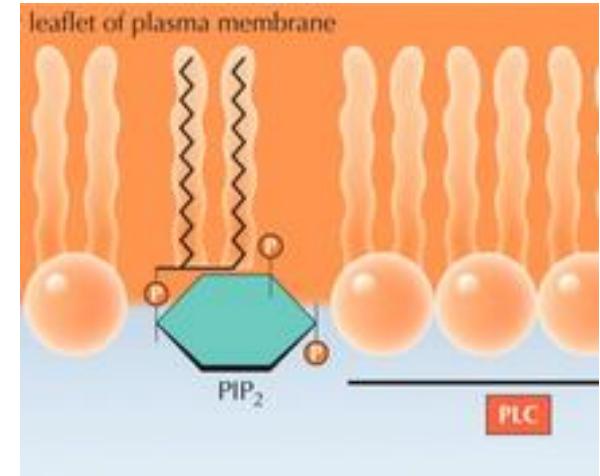
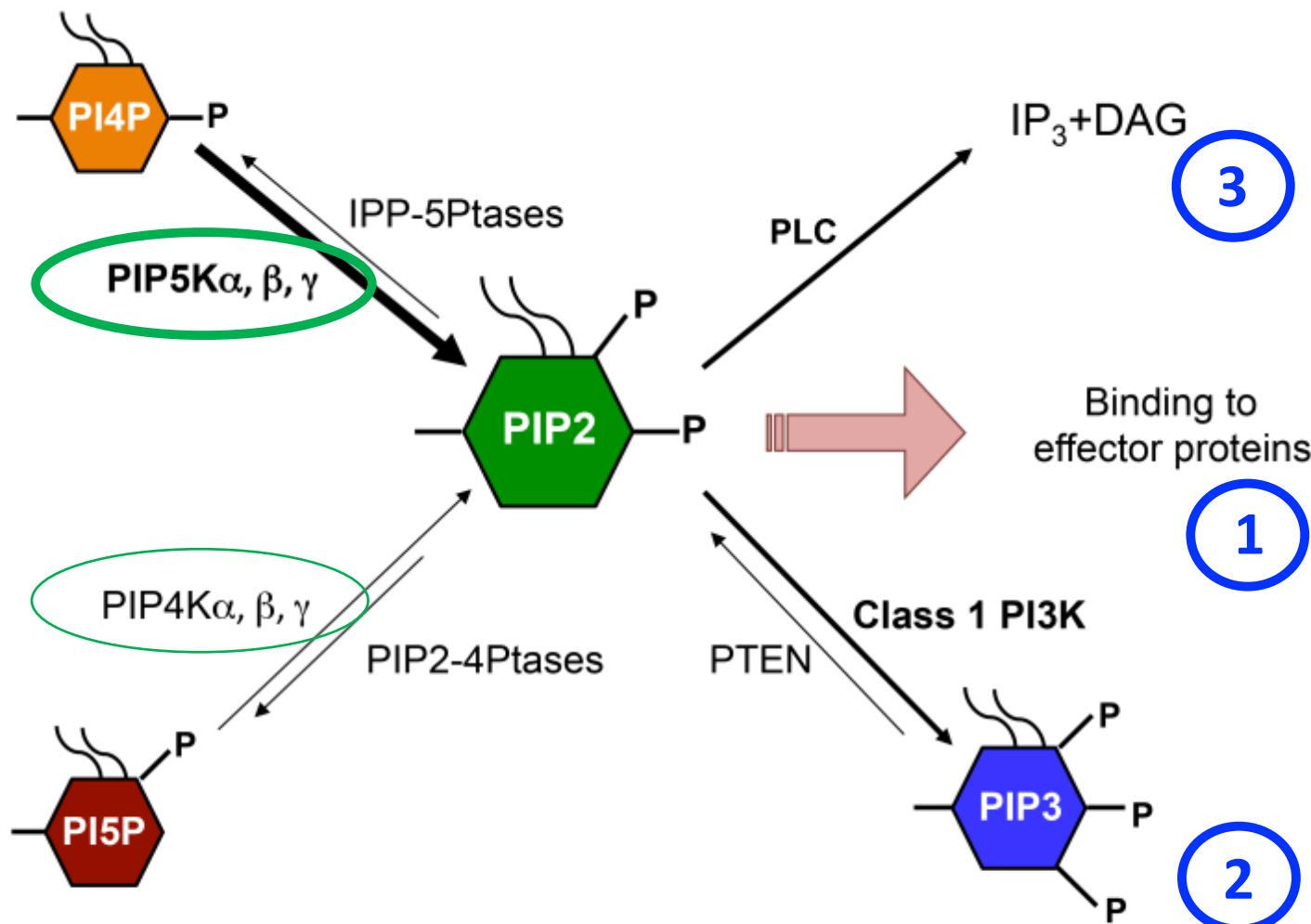
Macrophage phagocytosis

Calcium signals and gene transcription in lymphocytes, NK cells and mast cells

Integrin-dependent adhesion of T cells

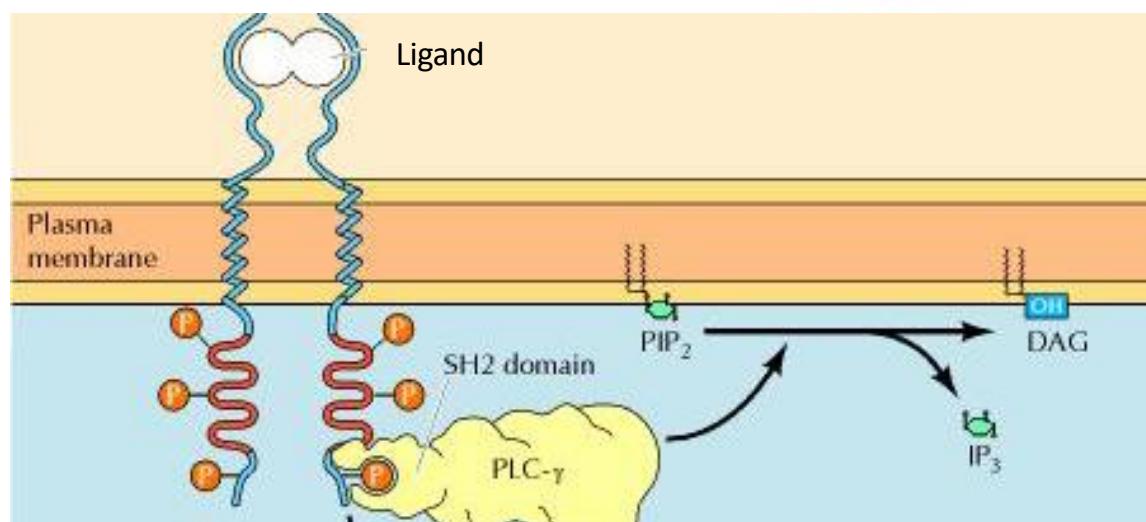
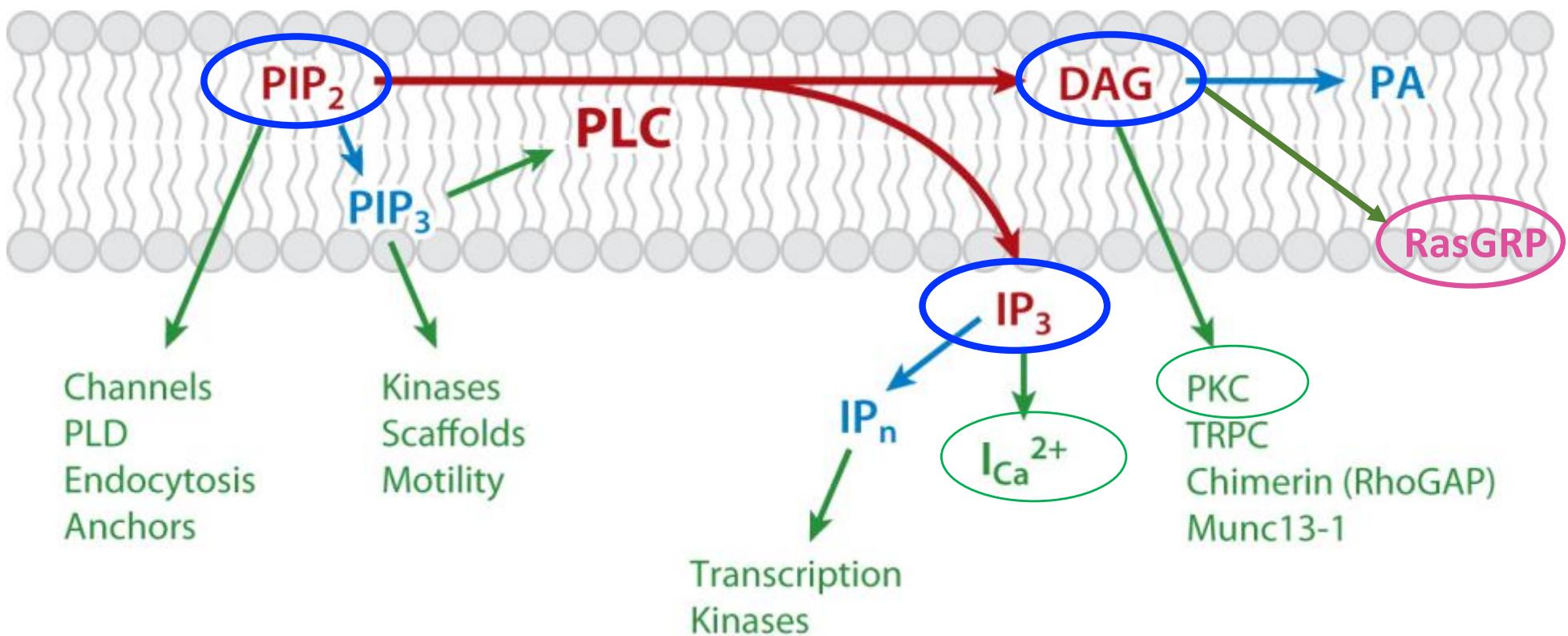
Lysosome secretion and trafficking at immune synapse in cytolytic and secretory cells

PIP2 sintesi e turnover



- 1% membrane phospholipids → neo-synthesis for ensuring downstream signalling functions.
- PIP2 is mainly synthesized by **PIP5K** that phosphorylate PI4P and to a lesser extent by PIP4K that phosphorylate PI5P.
- PIP2 may also derive from PTEN-mediated PIP3 dephosphorylation.

Phosphatidylinositol 4,5-bisphosphate (PIP₂)

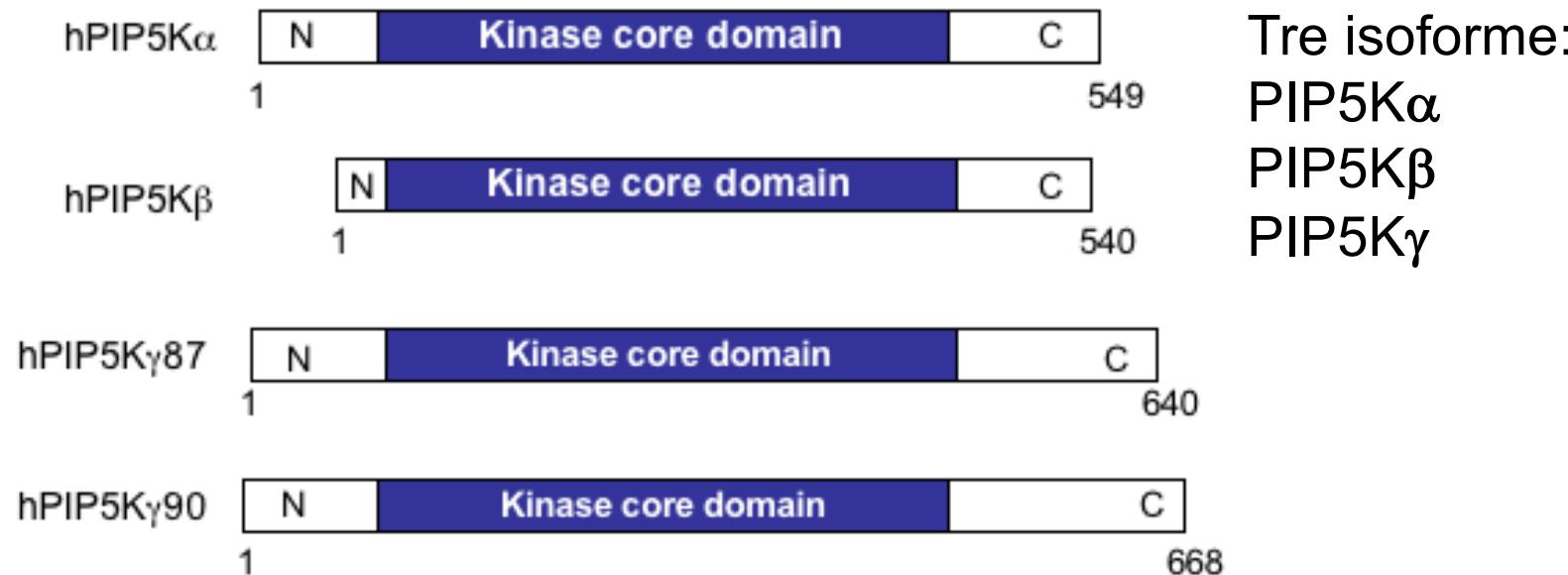


PLC = fosfolipasi C

DAG = diacilglicerolo

IP3 = Inositol 1,4,5-trifosfato

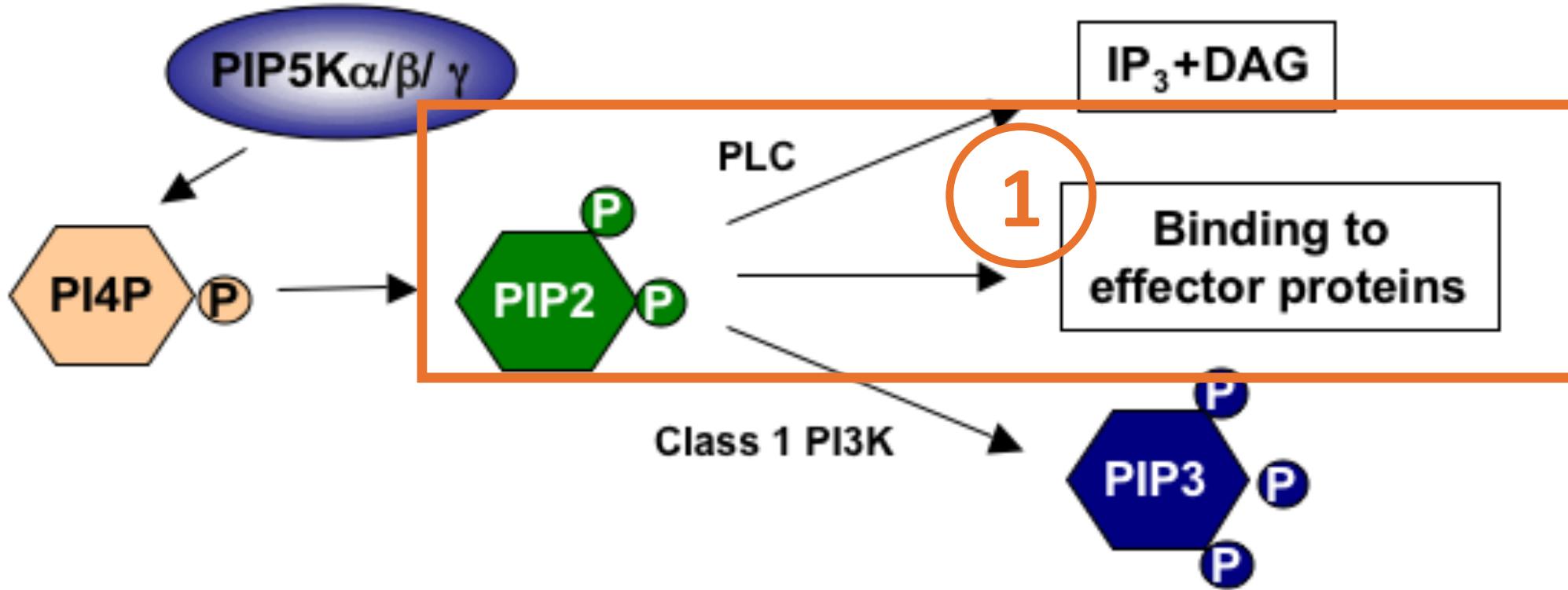
(Phosphatidylinositol-4-phosphate 5-kinase) PIP5K family



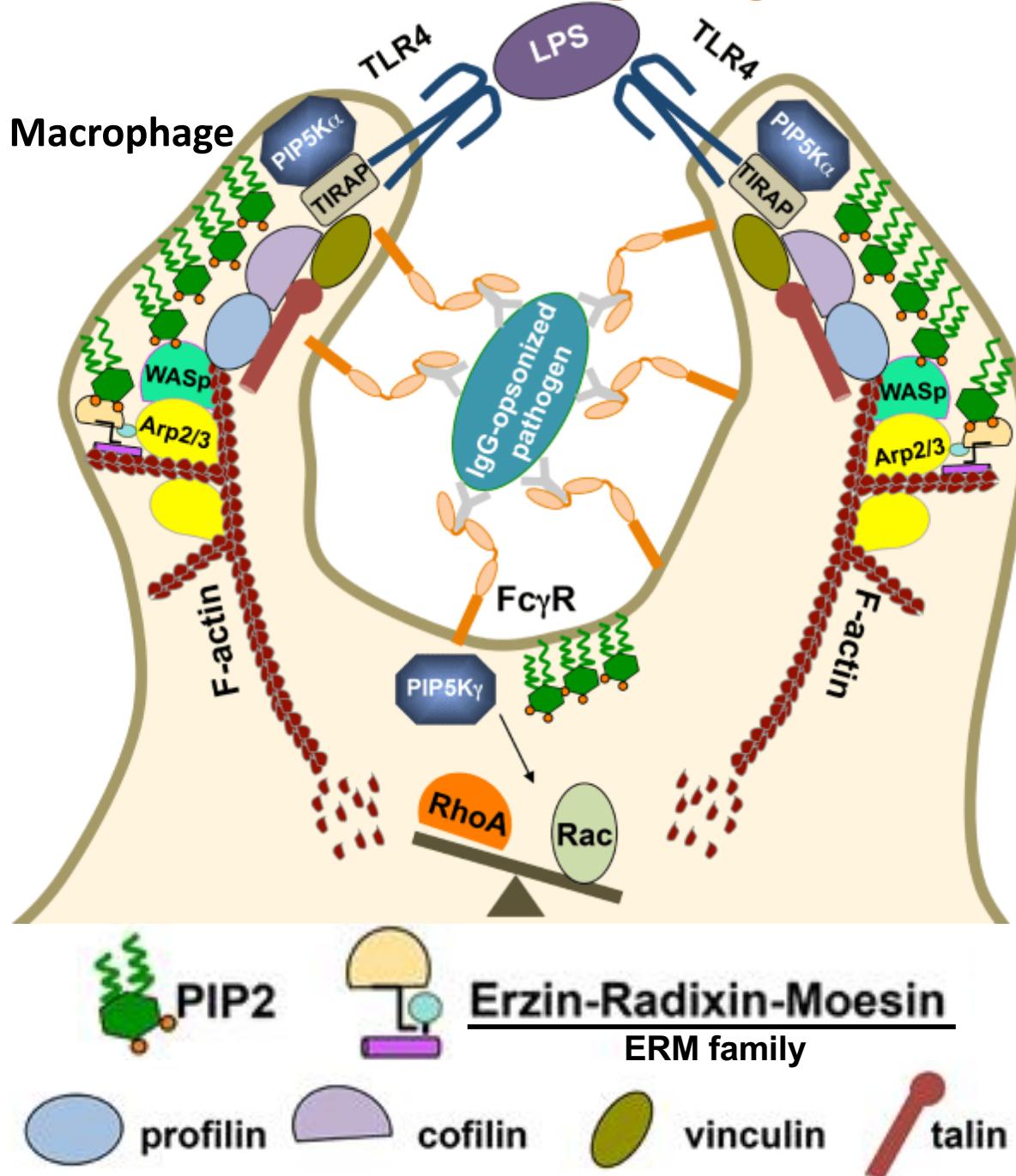
- Nell'uomo sono presenti tre varianti di splicing per PIP5K α , quattro per β e tre per γ .
- Tutte le isoforme e varianti di splicing di PIP5K condividono una significativa omologia di sequenza nel dominio catalitico

Regolazione e attivazione di PIP5K
dipendono da alcuni membri della famiglia delle
“small GTPasi”





PIP2 in phagocytosis



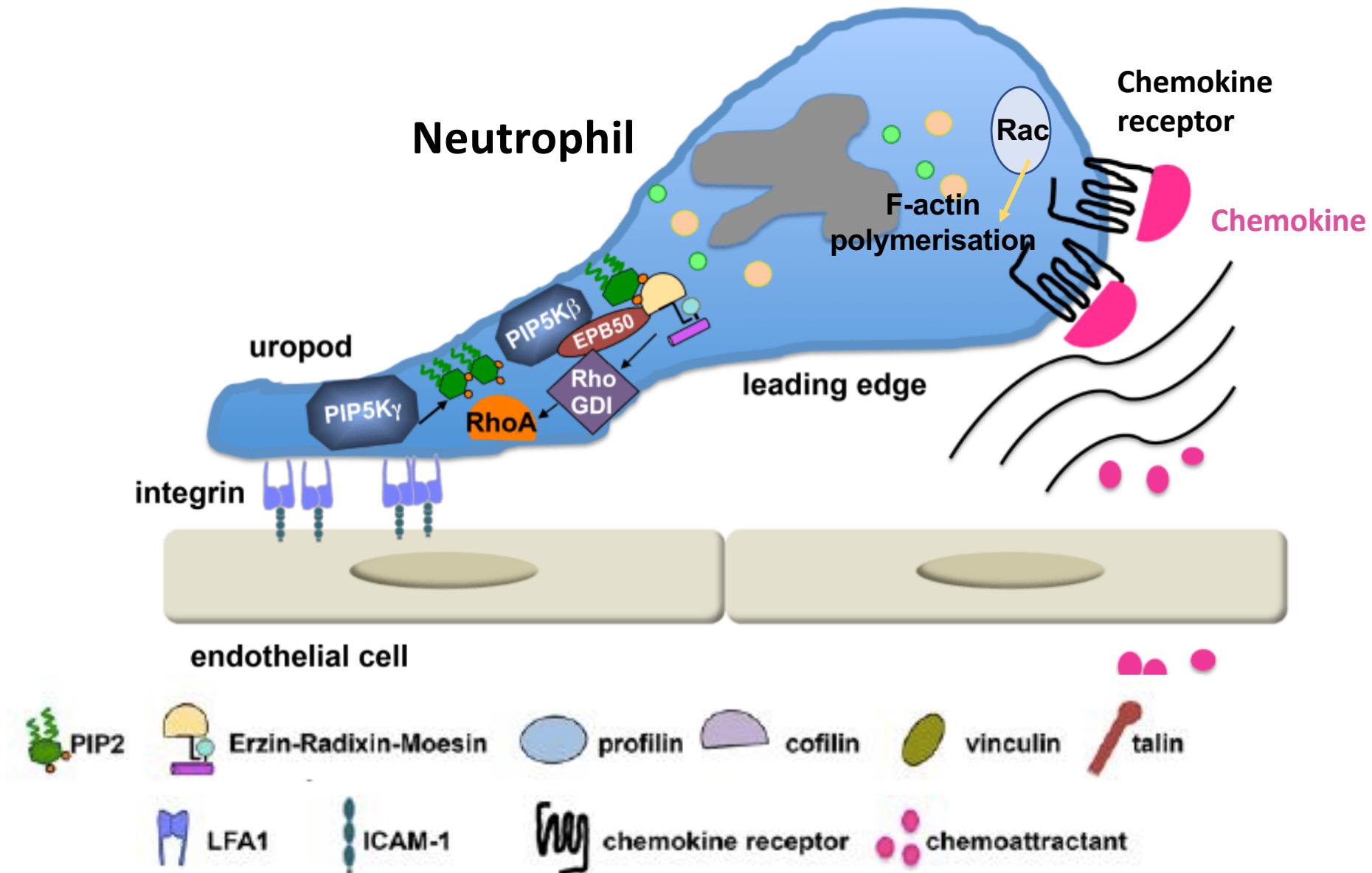
During phagocytosis PIP2 is crucial for assembly and remodelling of F-actin structure. It accumulates in the inner leaflet of phagosomal cup and recruits/activates actin polymerization proteins (profilin, cofilin, talin, vinculin, WASP, erzinradixin-moesin (ERM) family members, etc).

PIP5K α is mainly recruited and activated by plasma membrane **TLR** (i.e. TLR4)

PIP5K γ is recruited to **Fc γ R**

Both isoforms are involved in the reorganization of actin cytoskeleton required for phagocytosis and signalling

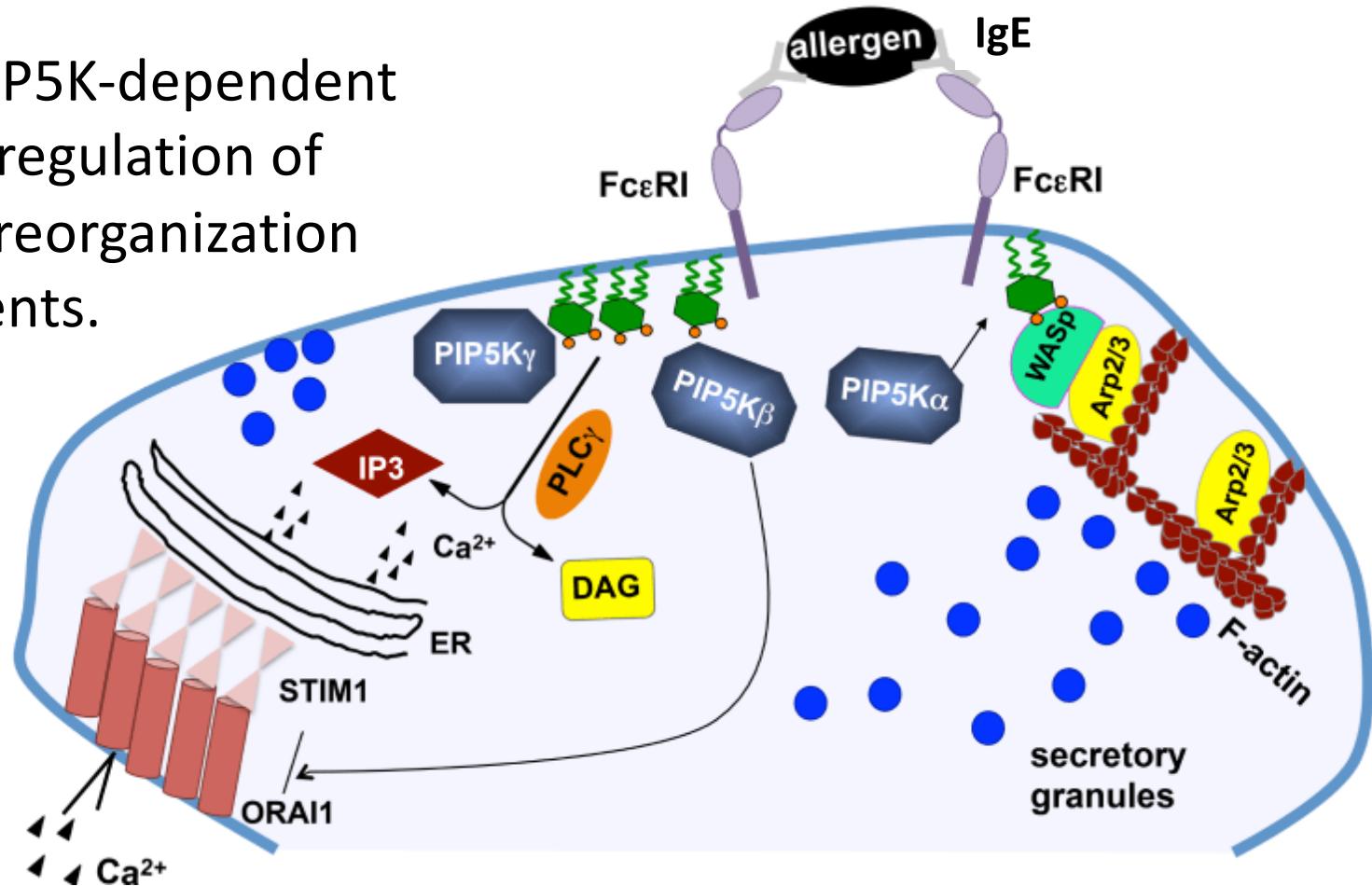
PIP2 chemotaxis and adhesion



PIP5K β and **PIP5K γ** isoforms control signals involved in cell polarization during cell migration, chemotaxis and adhesion to endothelial cells.

PIP2 in mast cells

Involvement of PIP5K-dependent PIP2 pools in the regulation of the cytoskeleton reorganization and signalling events.



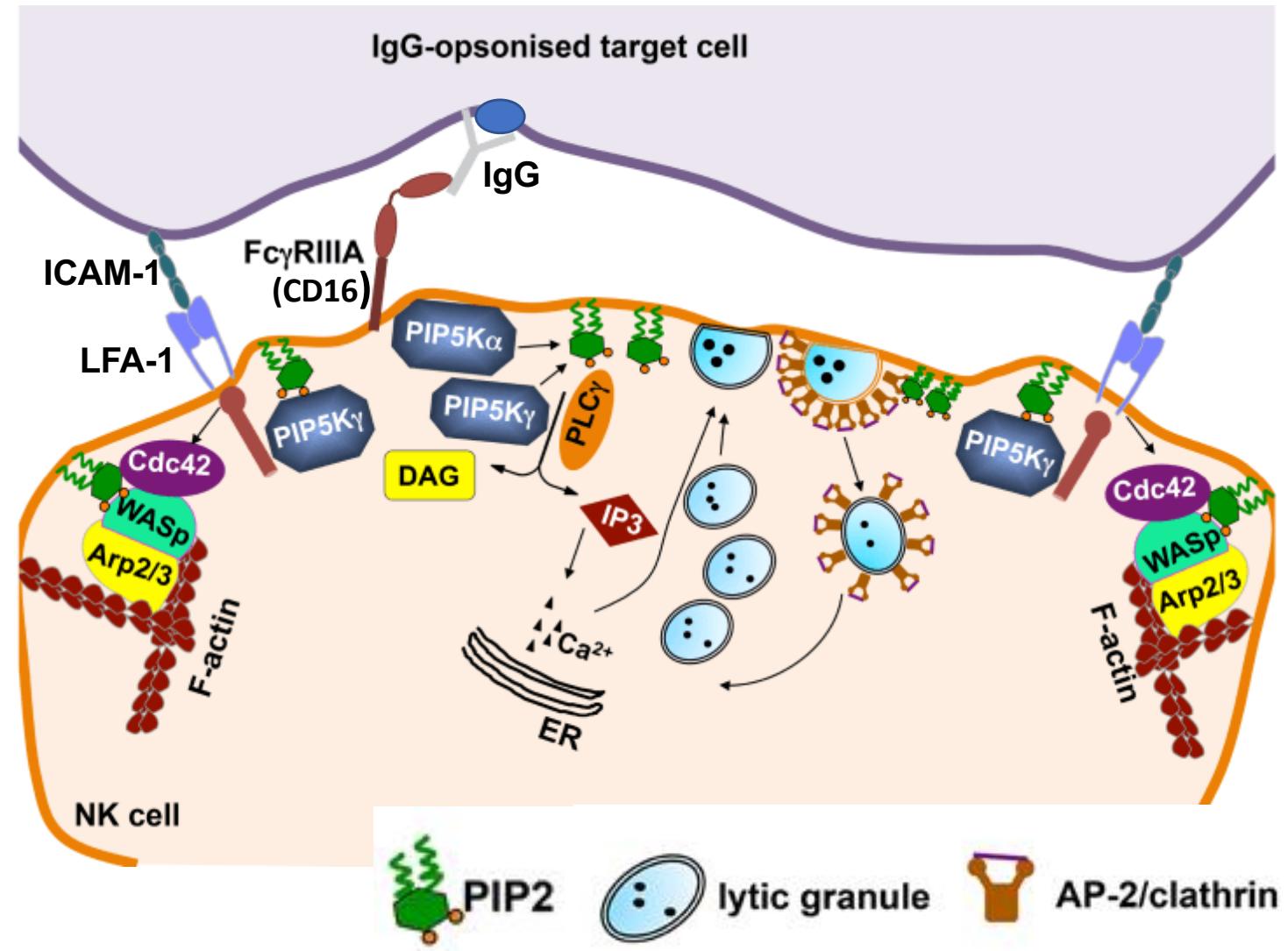
PIP5K α regulates actin cytoskeleton

PIP5K β and γ isoforms regulate **FcεRI-induced Ca²⁺** response and granule release.



PIP2 in Natural Killer cells

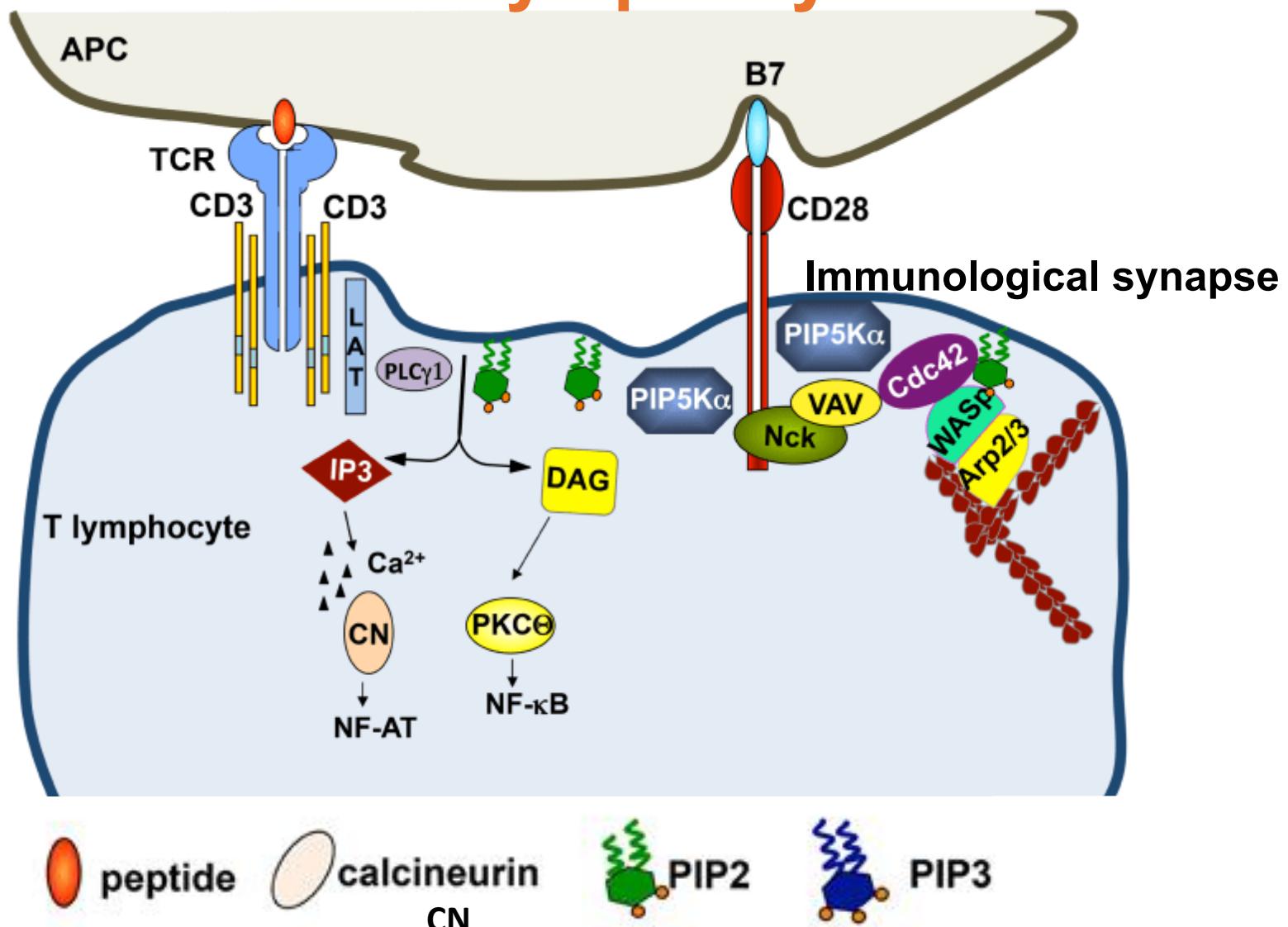
NK cells contribute to immune defence through their effector functions: cytotoxicity and cytokine secretion



PIP5K_α and _γ isoforms control Fc_γRIIIA(CD16)-dependent Ca²⁺ response and lytic granule exocytosis.

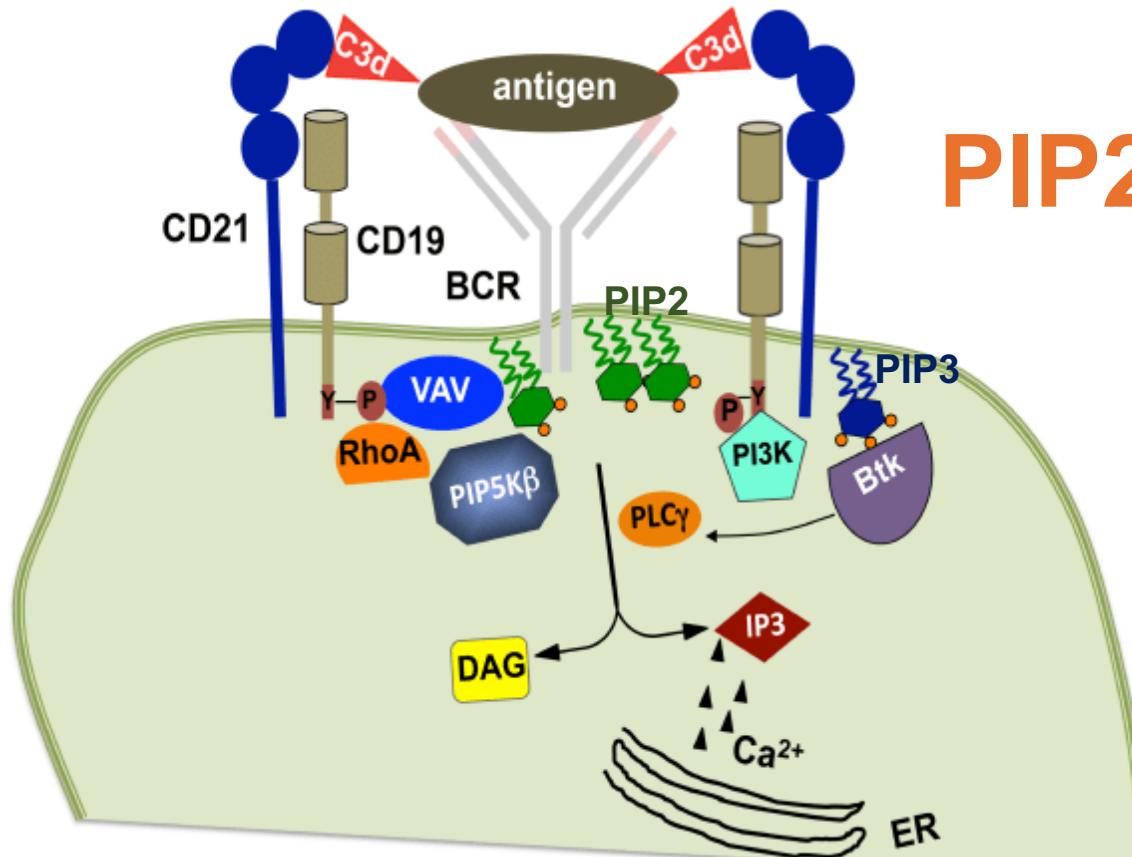
PIP5K_γ also regulates integrin-mediated adhesion and recycling of lytic granule components.

PIP2 in T lymphocytes



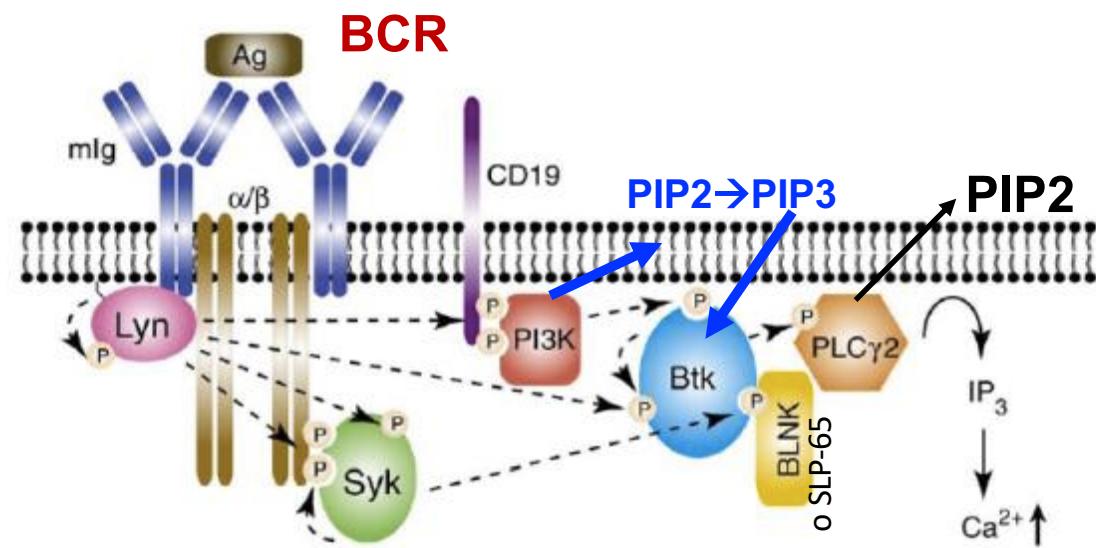
PIP2 is pivotal for T cell activation, serving as a substrate for both **PLC γ 1** and **PI3K**. **CD28 recruits PIP5K α** at the T:APC interface. **PIP5K α -dependent** PIP2 pool is substrate of PLC γ 1 for the generation of second messengers and **actin cytoskeleton reorganization**.

PIP2 in B lymphocytes

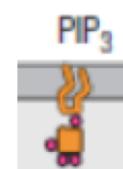
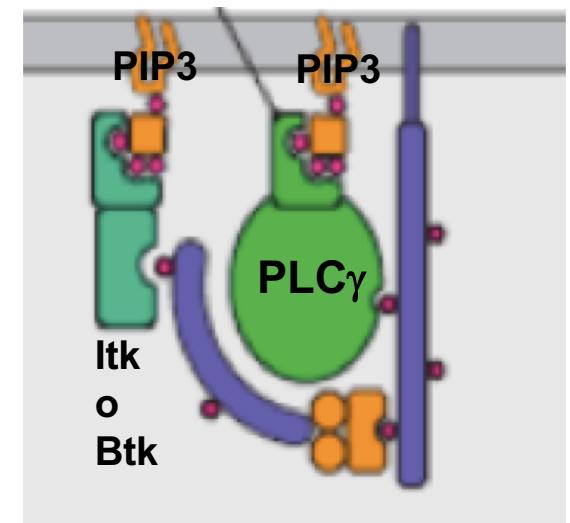
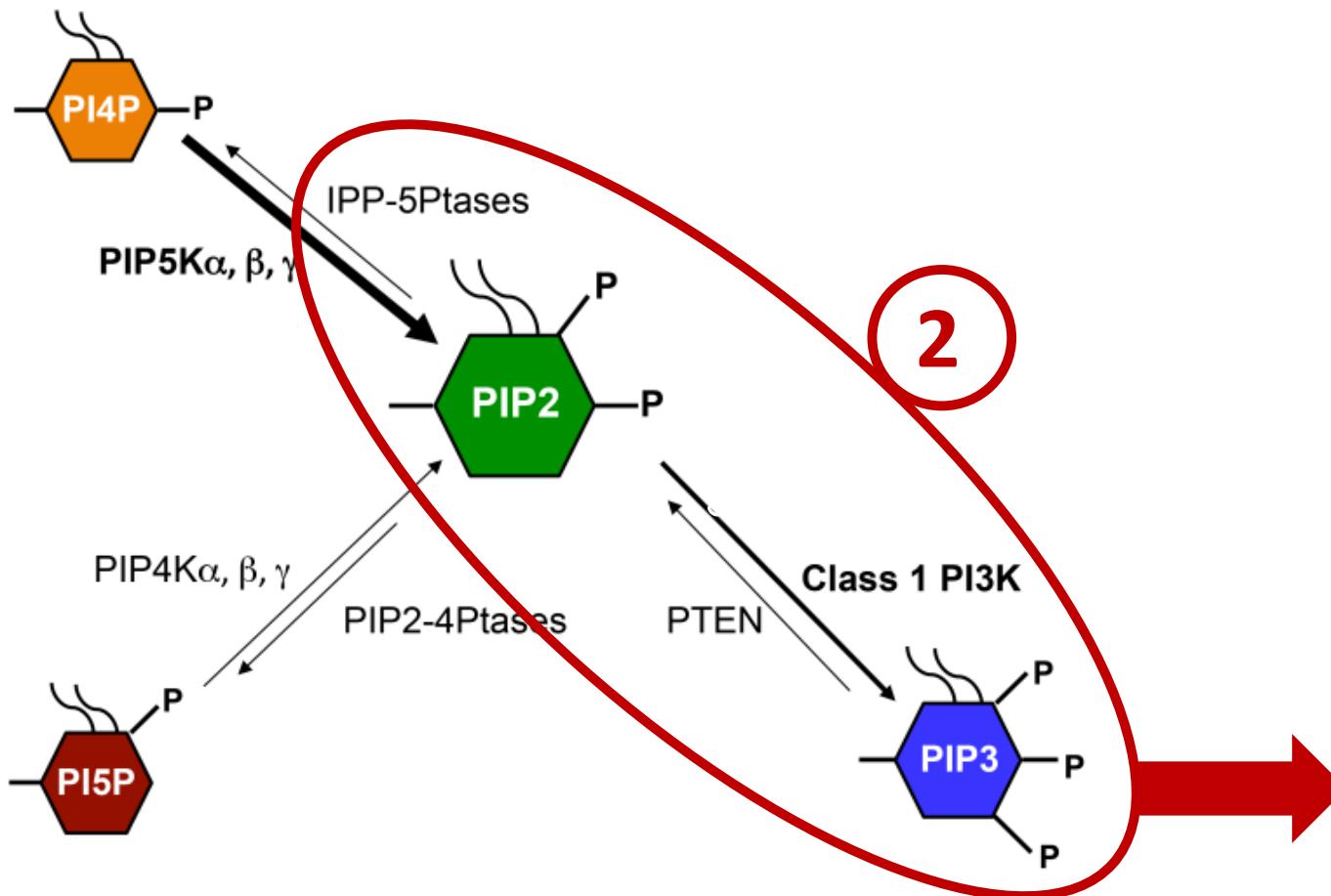


PIP2 is pivotal for B cell activation serving as a substrate for both **PLC γ 2** and **PI3K**

CD19 recruits **PIP5K β** that increases the local levels of PIP2, thus, favouring **Btk-dependent PLC γ 2** signalling pathways

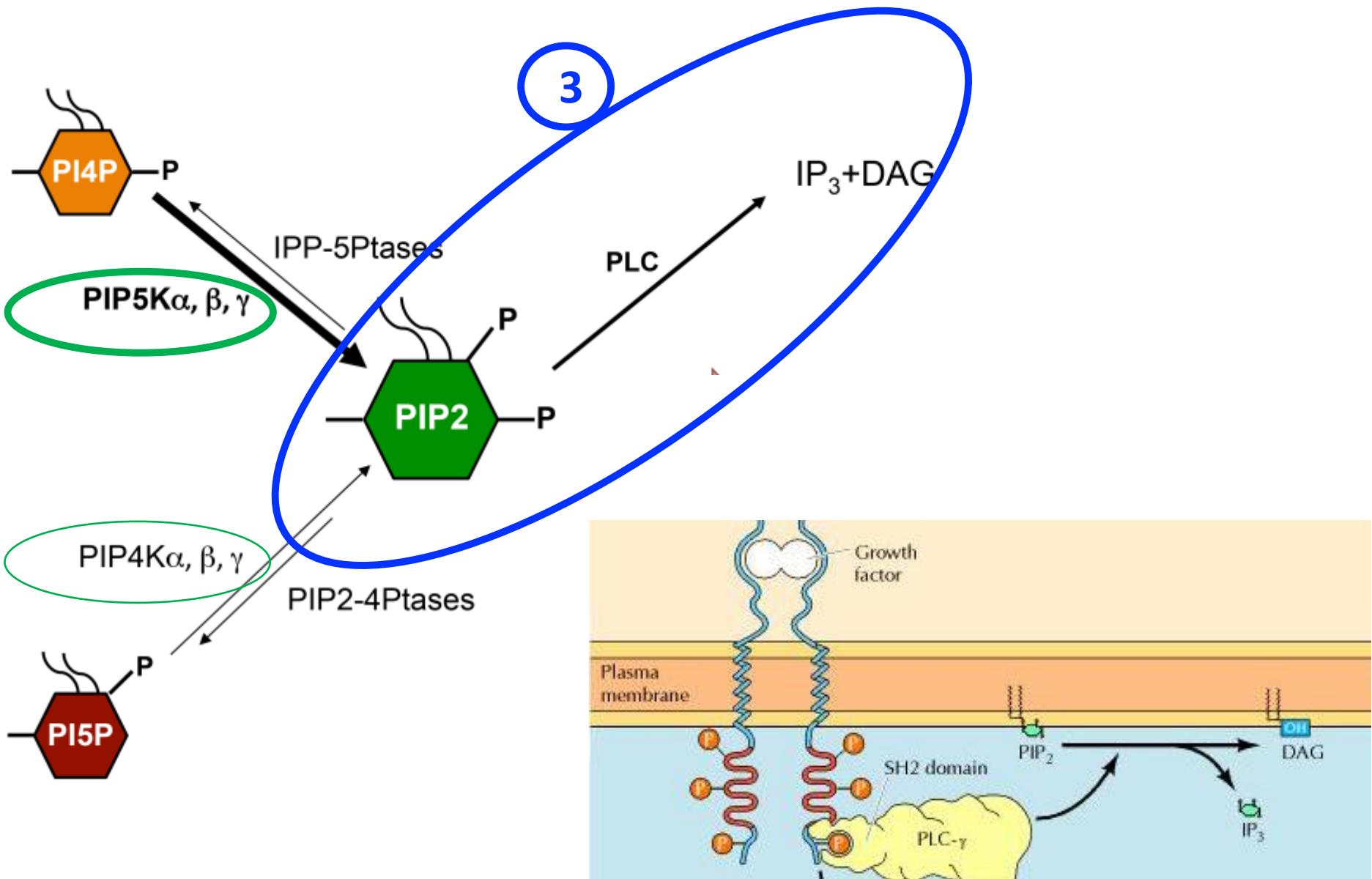


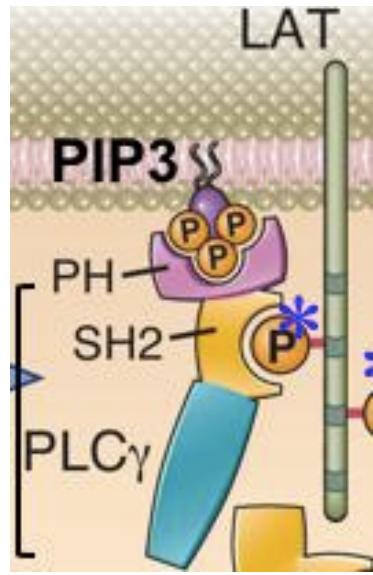
PIP2 è il substrato della PI3K che genera PIP3



Ruolo di PIP3 nel reclutamento
della PLC γ e delle chinasi della
famiglia Tec

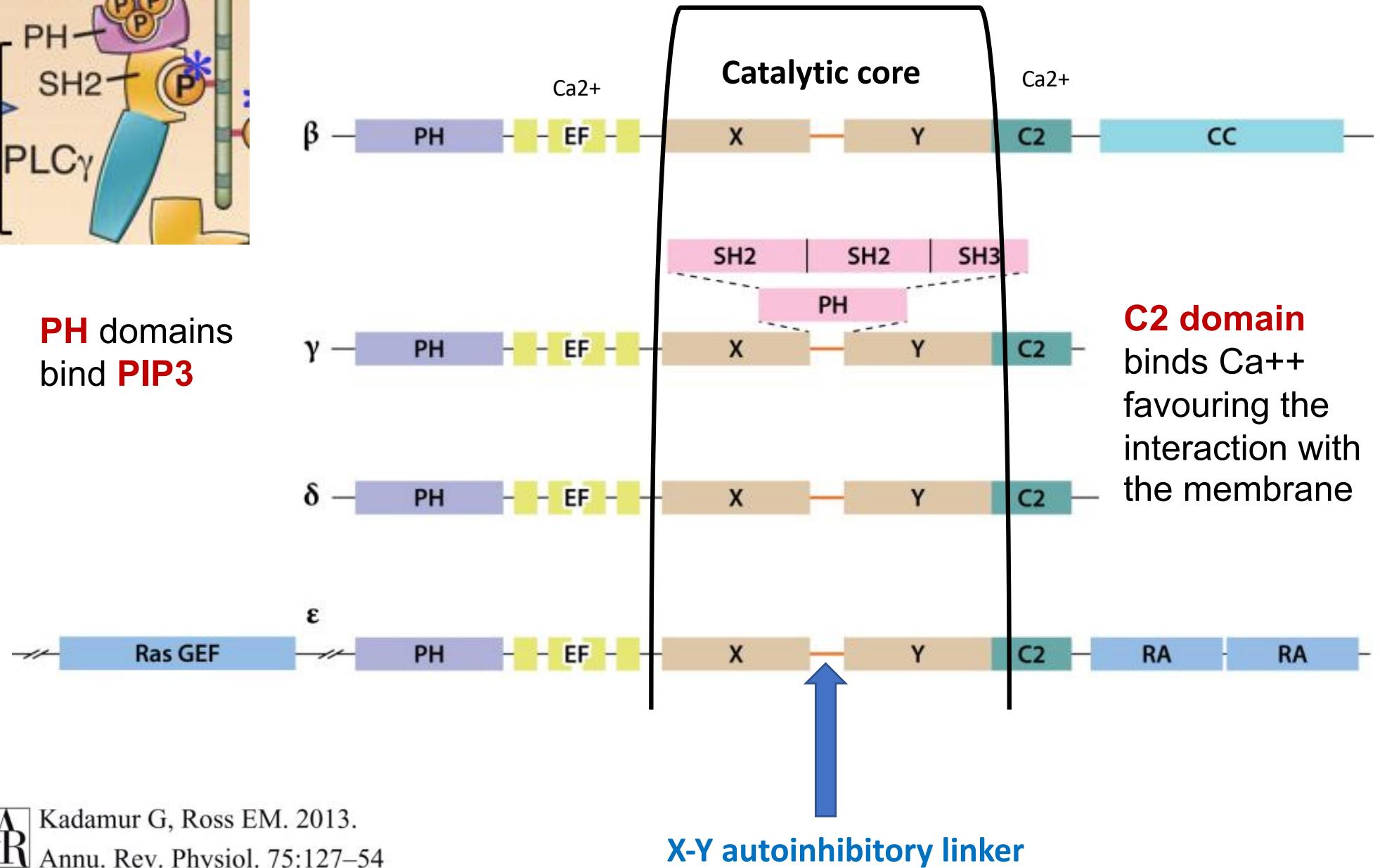
PIP2 è idrolizzato dalla PLC con produzione di IP3 e DAG





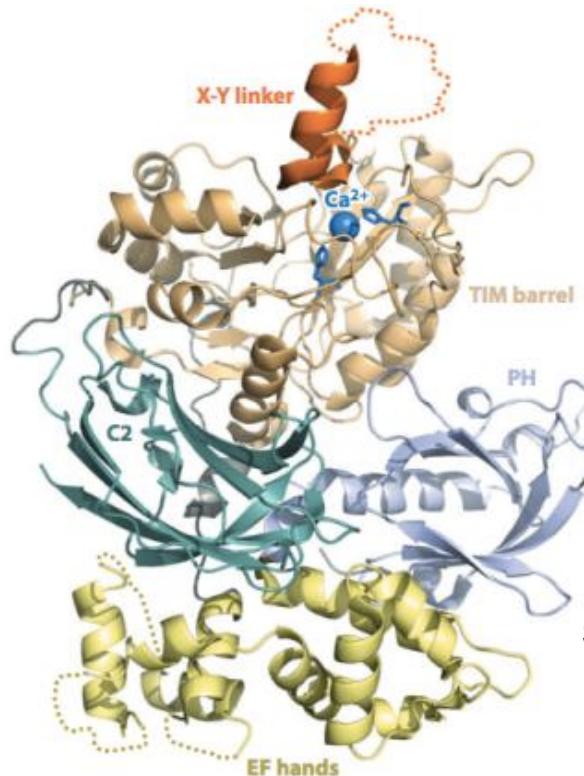
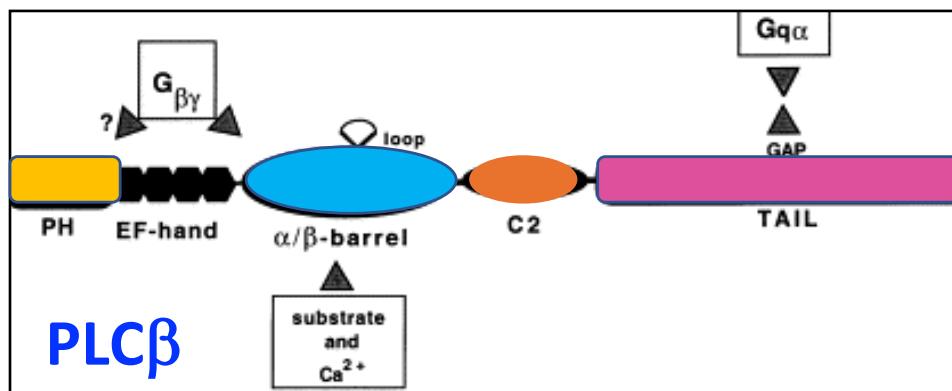
PH domains bind PIP3

Phospholipase C subfamilies



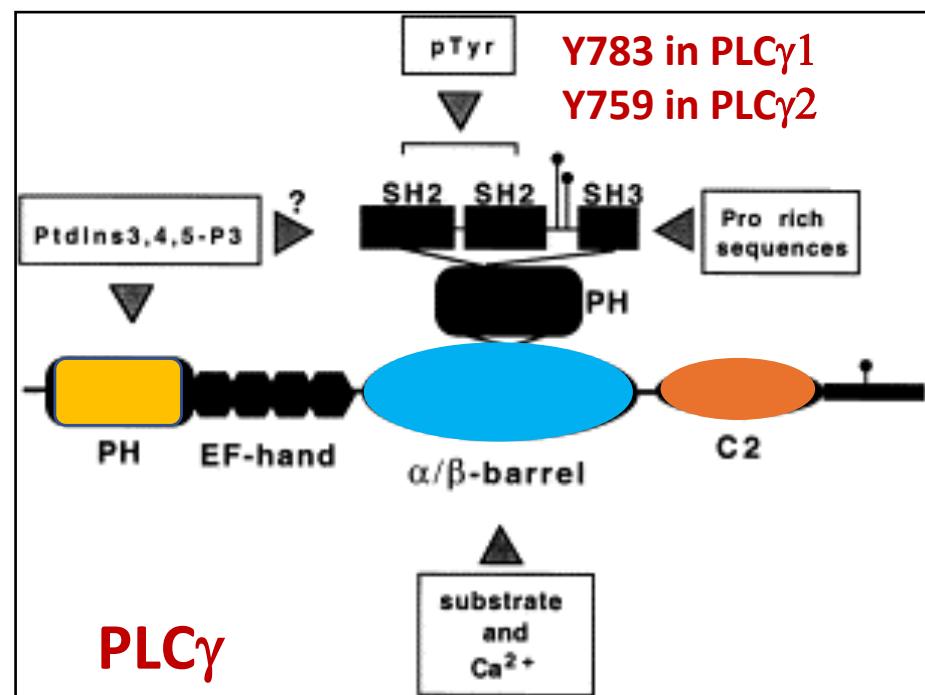
PLC subfamilies: different modes of activation

Heterotrimeric G proteins mediate activation of PLC β

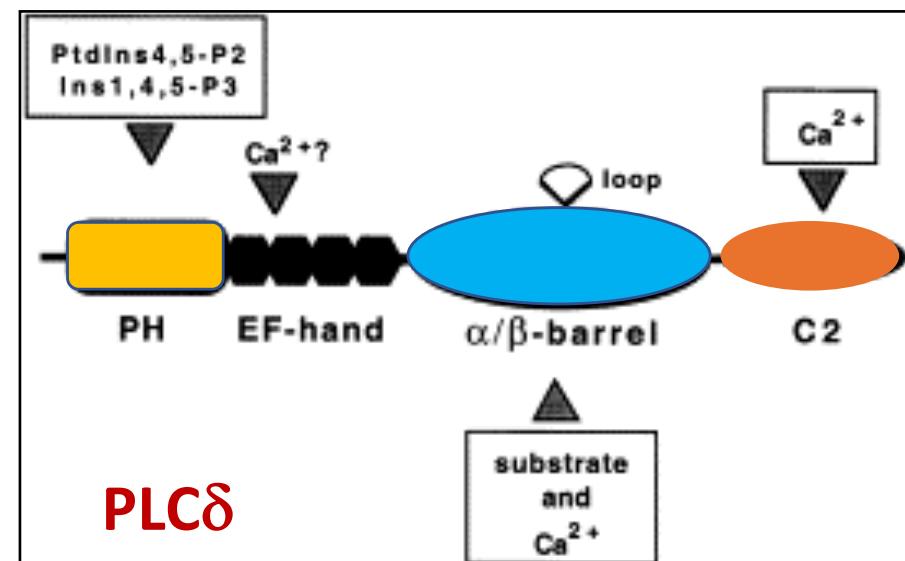


Structure of PLC β 2

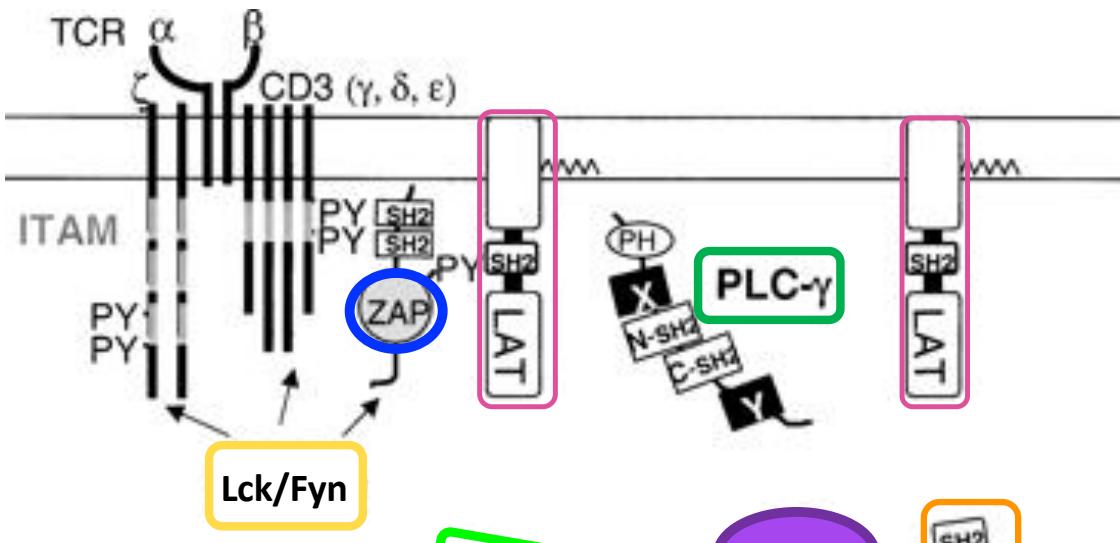
Enzyme activation is Ca^{2+} -dependent



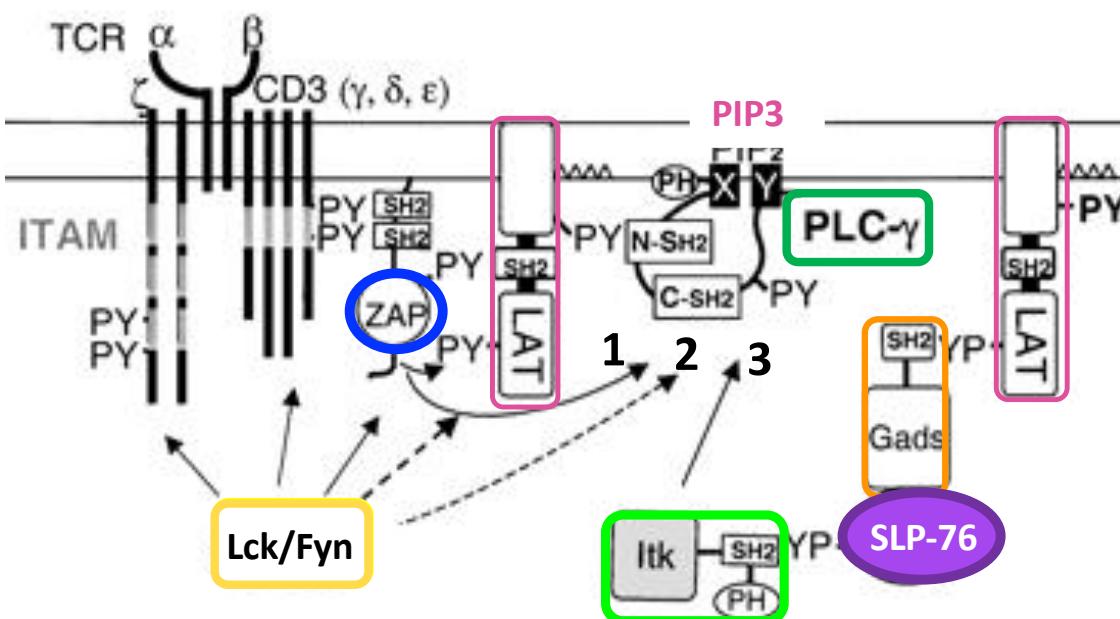
Phosphorylation of Y783 or 759 induces reorientation of the X-Y linker and activation of PLC γ



PLC γ 1 in T lymphocyte activation

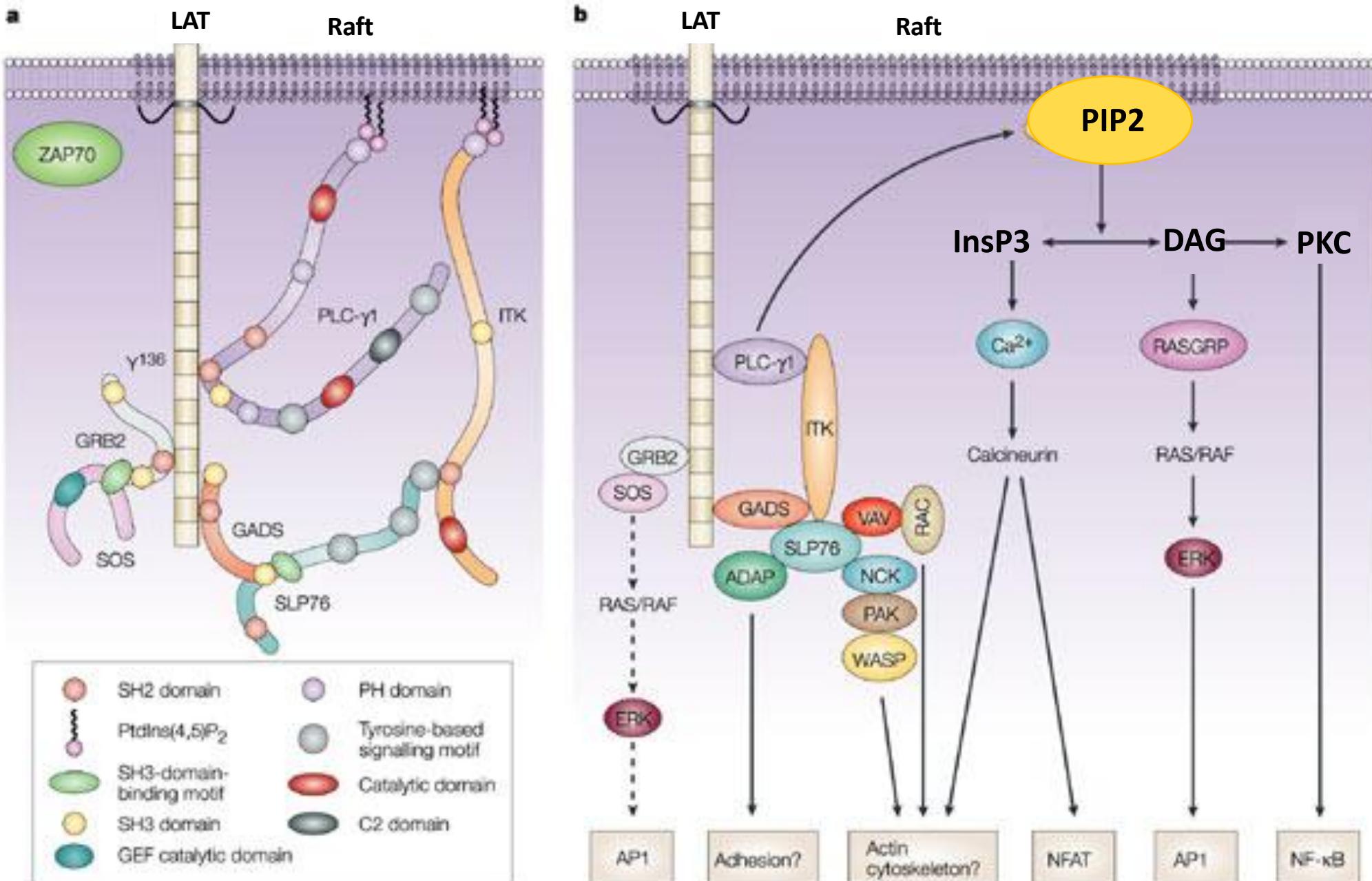


TCR-induced activation of PLC γ 1
(Top) Ligation of the TCR triggers the activation of Lck and Fyn by unknown mechanisms. Either or both of these Src family PTKs then phosphorylates tyrosine residues within ITAM sequences located in TCR zeta and CD3 chains. Two phosphorylated tyrosine residues with this motif serve as binding sites for the tandem SH2 domains of ZAP-70. Lck or Fyn then phosphorylates the bound ZAP-70, resulting in its activation.

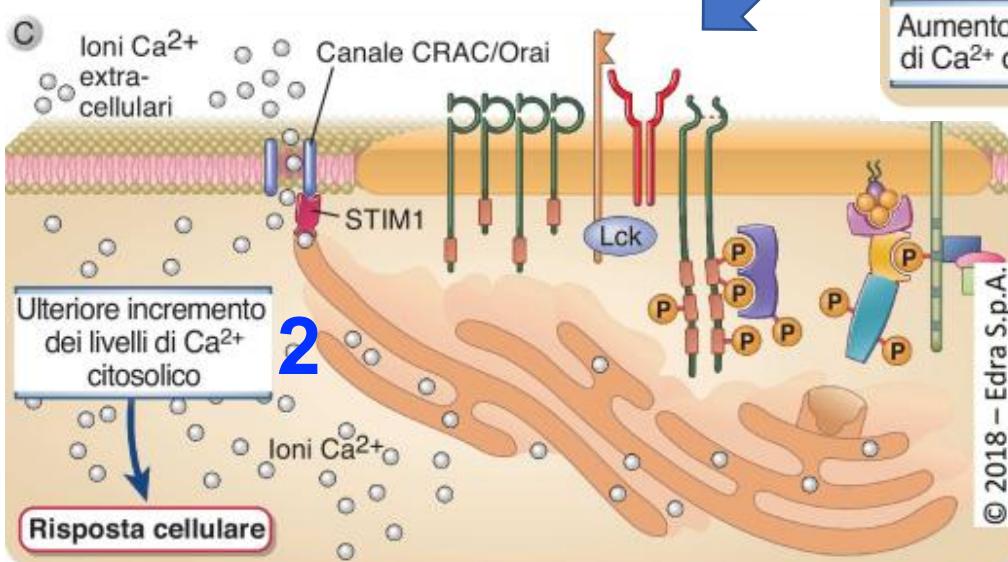
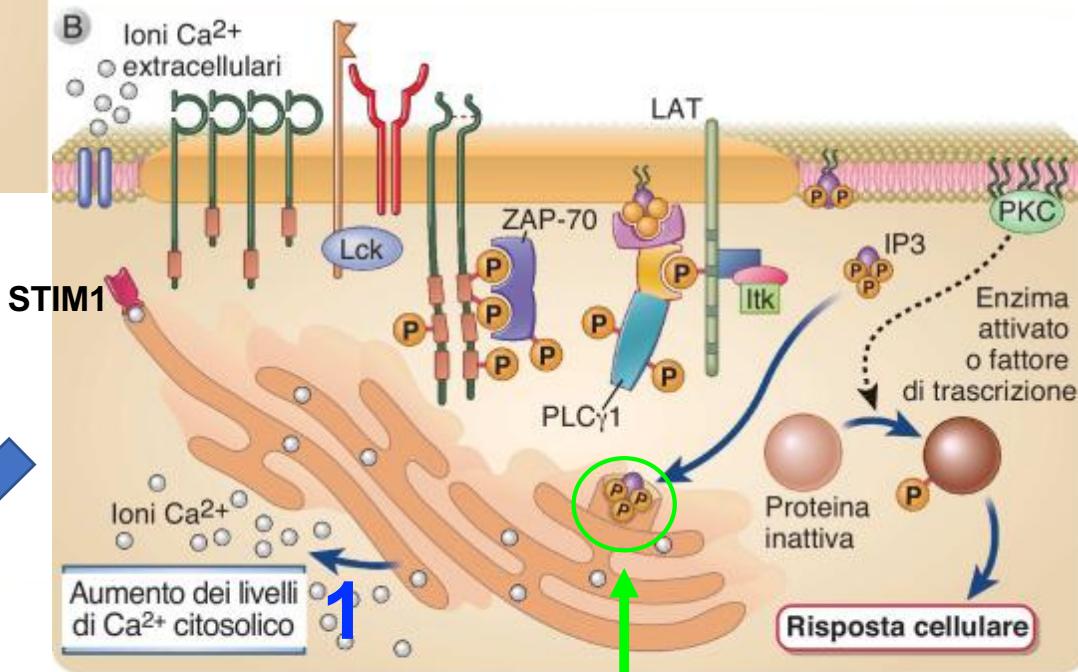
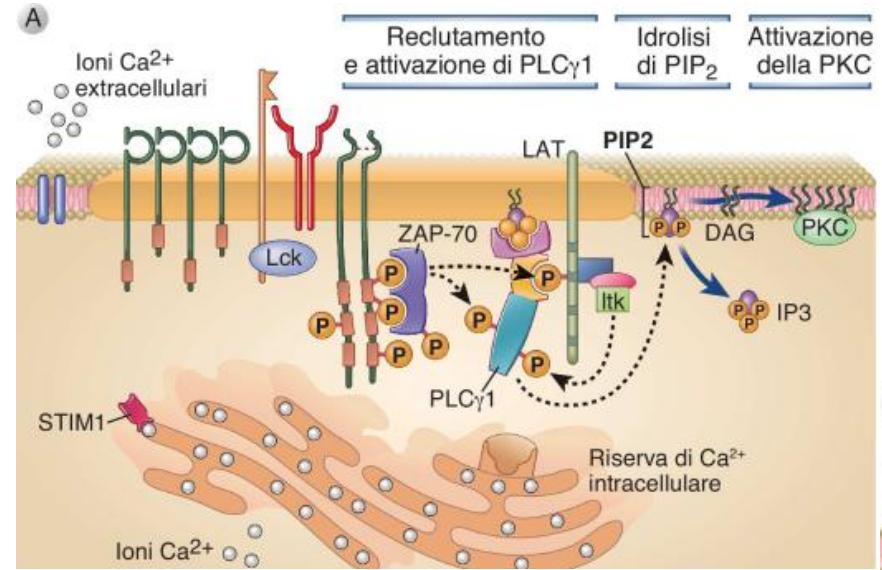


(Bottom) Together with Lck and Fyn, activated **ZAP-70** phosphorylates various downstream substrates, including membrane-bound **LAT** and **SLP-76**. The interaction of the N-SH2 domain of **PLC γ 1** with a phosphorylated tyrosine residue of **LAT** serves to position the unphosphorylated enzyme close to activated ZAP-70 and Lck or Fyn, resulting in the phosphorylation and activation of PLC γ 1 and in its localization in the vicinity of its substrate. Phosphorylated LAT also associates with **Gads**, which might in turn associate with Itk-bound **SLP-76**; the close proximity of **Itk** and PLC γ may result in the phosphorylation by Itk of PLC γ 1. Two LAT molecules are shown to avoid overcrowding; this does not imply that PLC γ 1 and Gads necessarily associate with separate LAT molecules. The EF-hand, SH3, and C2 domains of PLC γ 1 are not shown.

Reclutamento ed attivazione della PLC γ 1



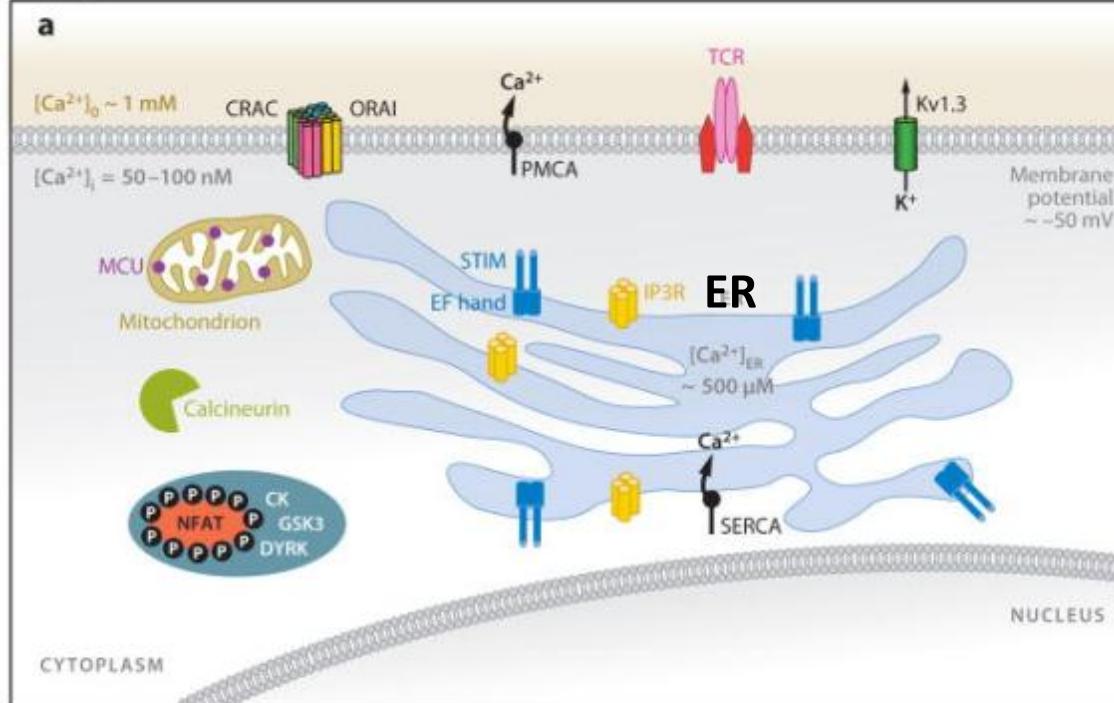
Eventi cellulari a valle della PLC γ 1 durante l'attivazione dei linfociti T



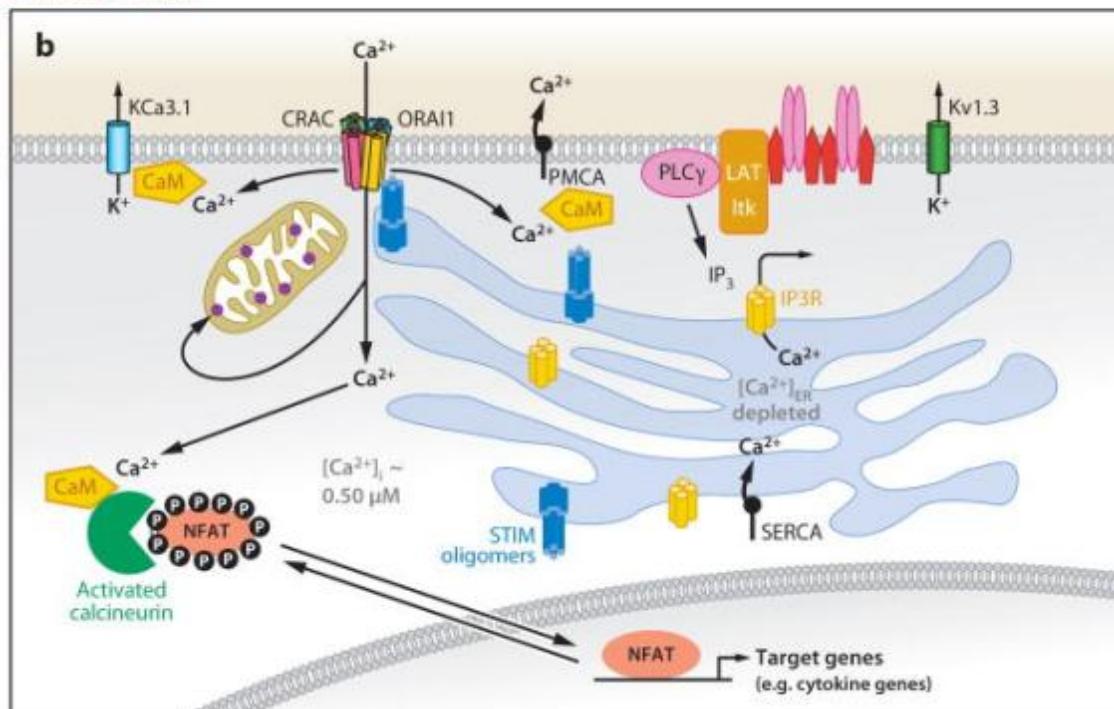
**Recettore IP3
(canale del calcio)**

CRAC = Ca²⁺ Release-activated Ca²⁺ Channel

Resting T cells



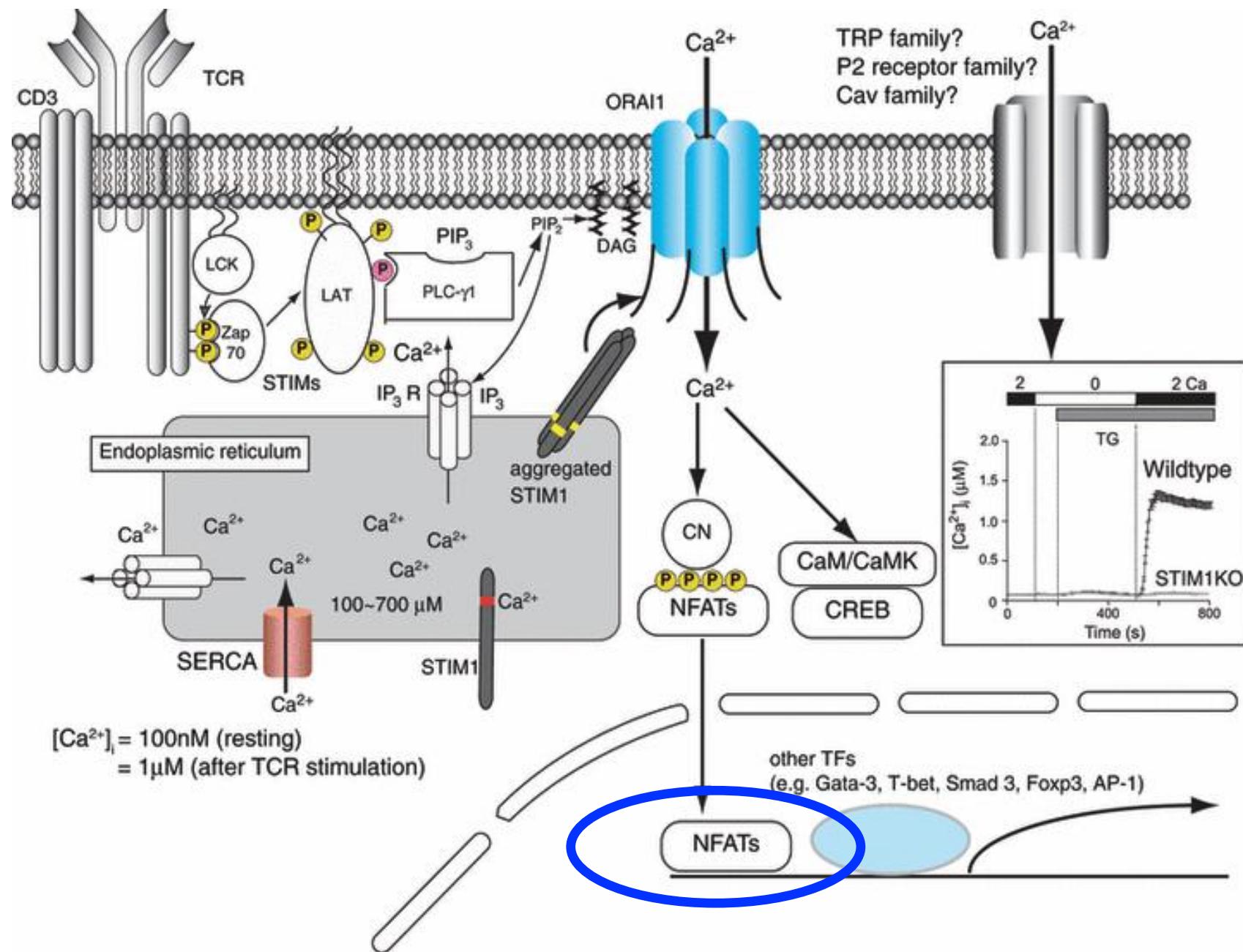
Activated T cells



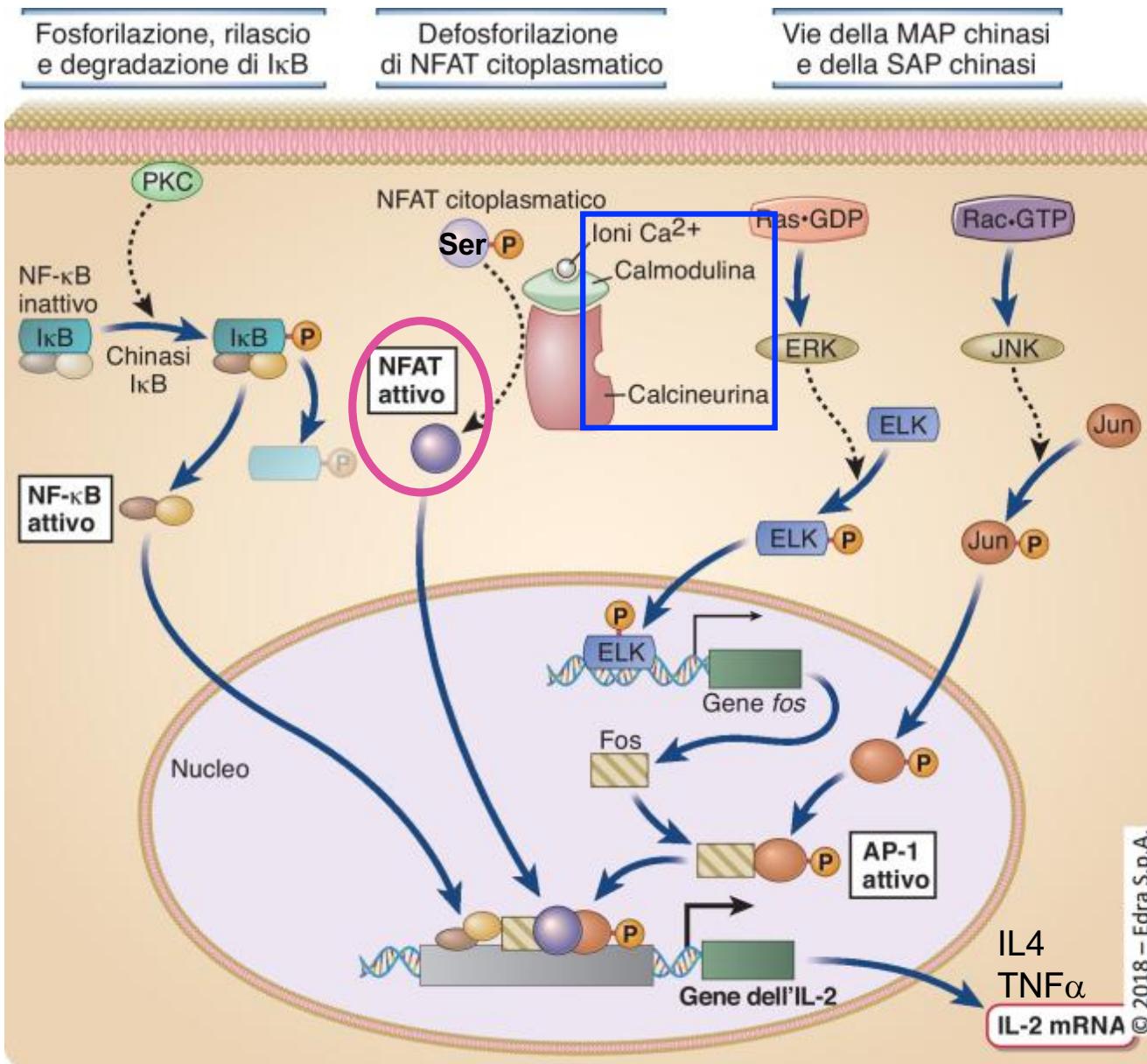
Ca²⁺ influx

1. Basal conditions **STIM1** (stromal interaction molecule 1) is **dimeric**.
 2. Following depletion of Ca²⁺ from **ER**, **STIM1** goes through a conformational change and then **oligomerizes**.
 3. Oligomerization of **STIM1** in the **ER** membrane is followed by relocalization to **ER-plasma membrane junctions**.
 4. **STIM1** oligomers then recruit **ORAI1** (structural component of the CRAC channel) by binding a C-terminal region of ORAI1.
 5. **STIM1** oligomers open **CRAC/ORAI1 channels** > high **Ca²⁺ influx**
-
- Inactive STIM1
- active STIM1
- Ca²⁺

IP₃, Ca²⁺ ed attivazione di NF-AT



Attivazione dei fattori di trascrizione nei linfociti T: esempio di NFAT



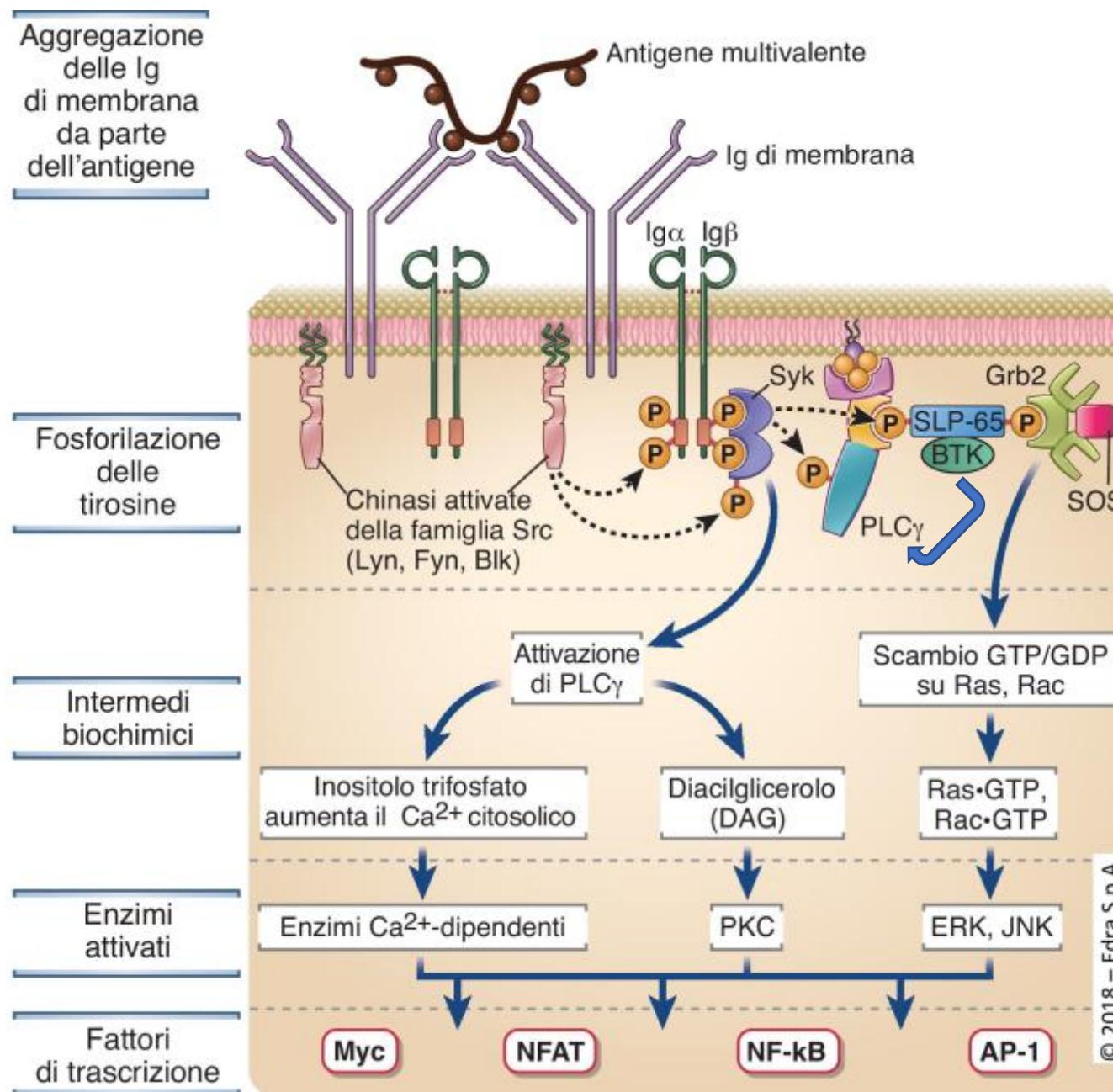
NFAT è presente nel citosol in forma inattiva fosforilata in Ser. È attivato dalla **calcineurina** (fosfatasi Ca⁺⁺/calmodulina-dipendente) che defosforila NFAT permettendone la traslocazione nucleare.

La **ciclosporina** (farmaco immunosoppressivo) interagendo con la ciclofilina A forma un complesso che inibisce la calcineurina impedendo la traslocazione nucleare di NFAT.

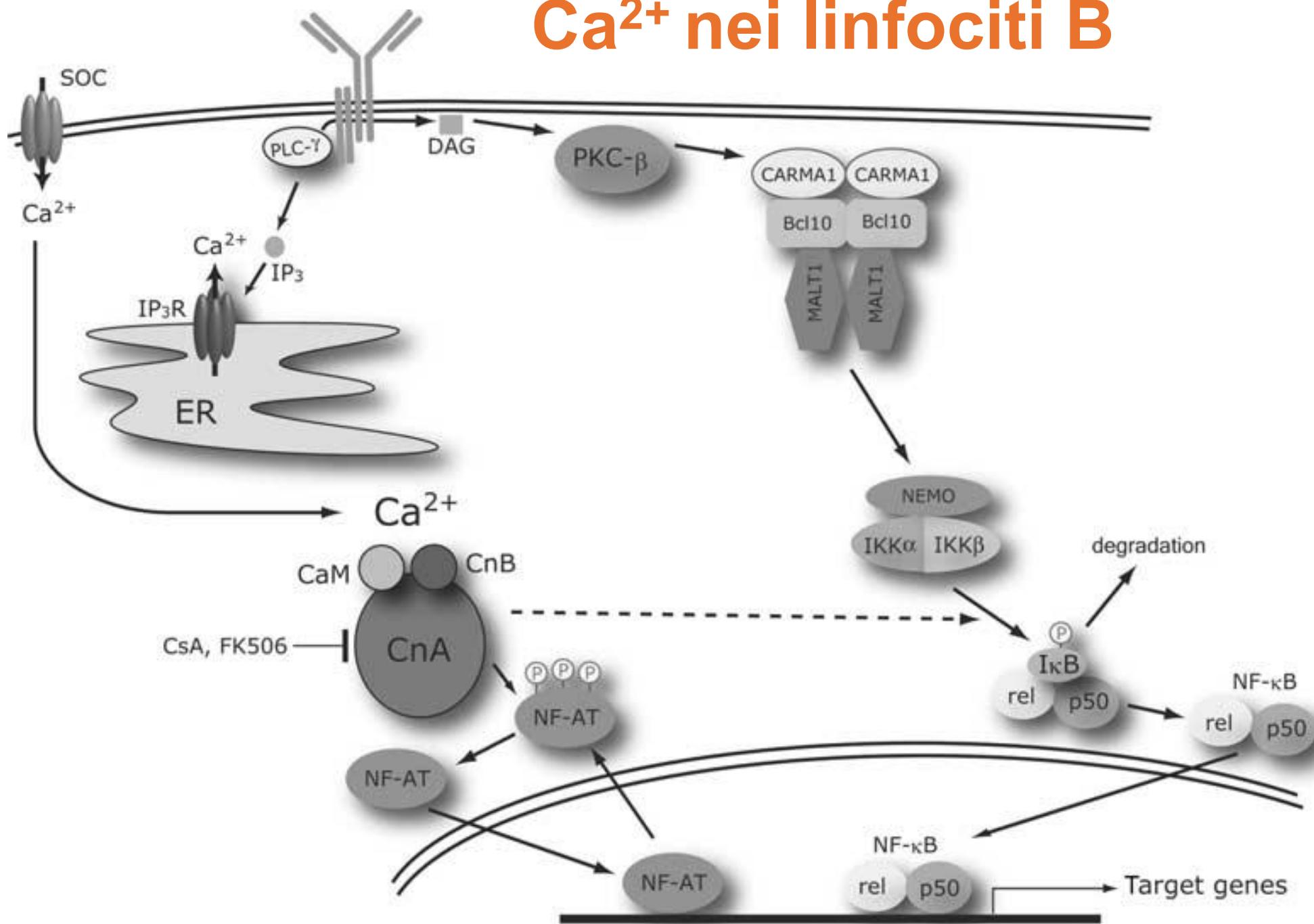
In modo analogo funziona il tacrolimus (**FK506**) che lega la FK506-binding protein.

L'effetto di questi farmaci è l'inibizione della trascrizione dei geni delle citochine nei linfociti T.

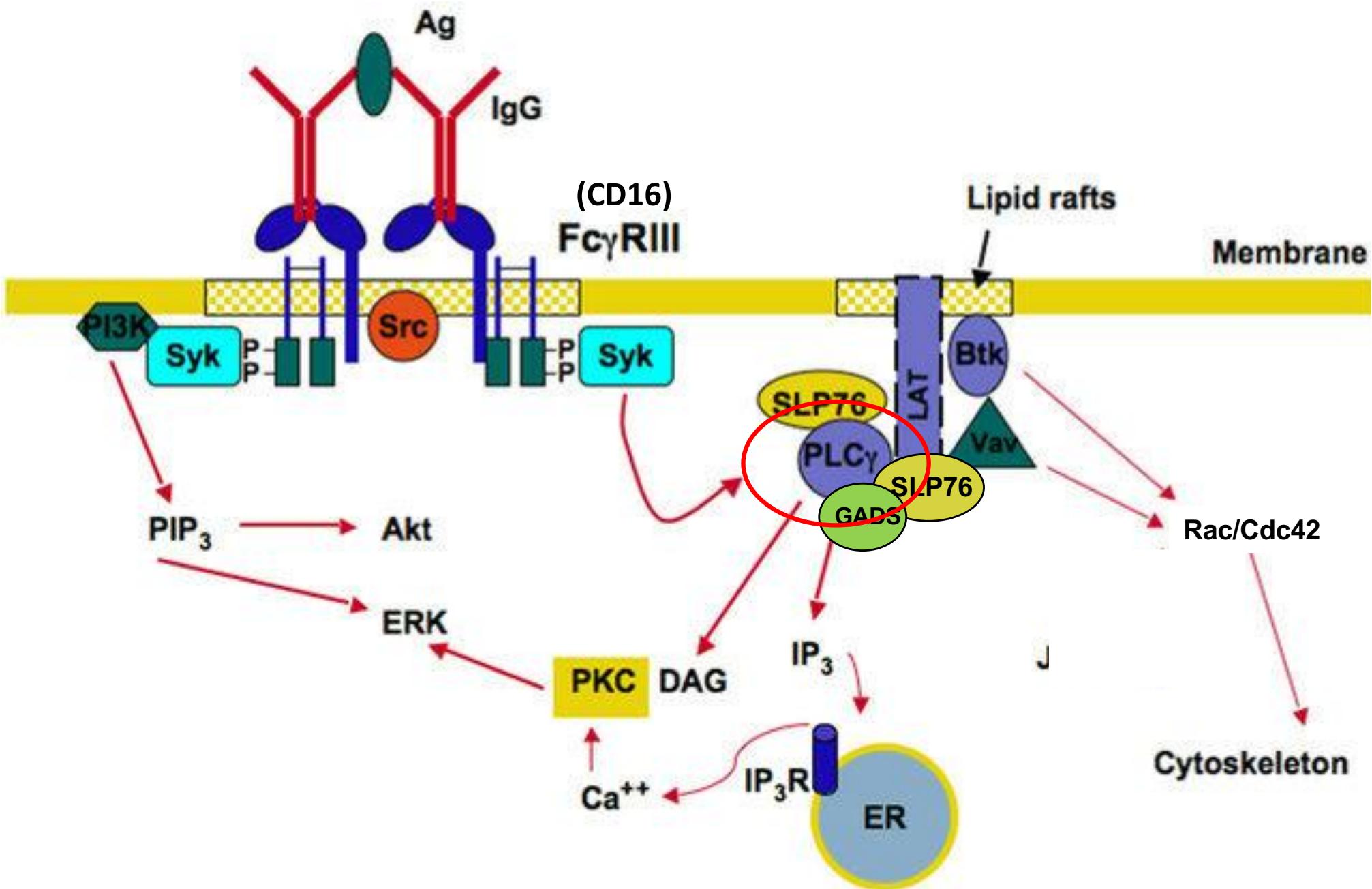
Attivazione della PLC γ 2 nei linfociti B in seguito alla trasduzione del segnale via BCR



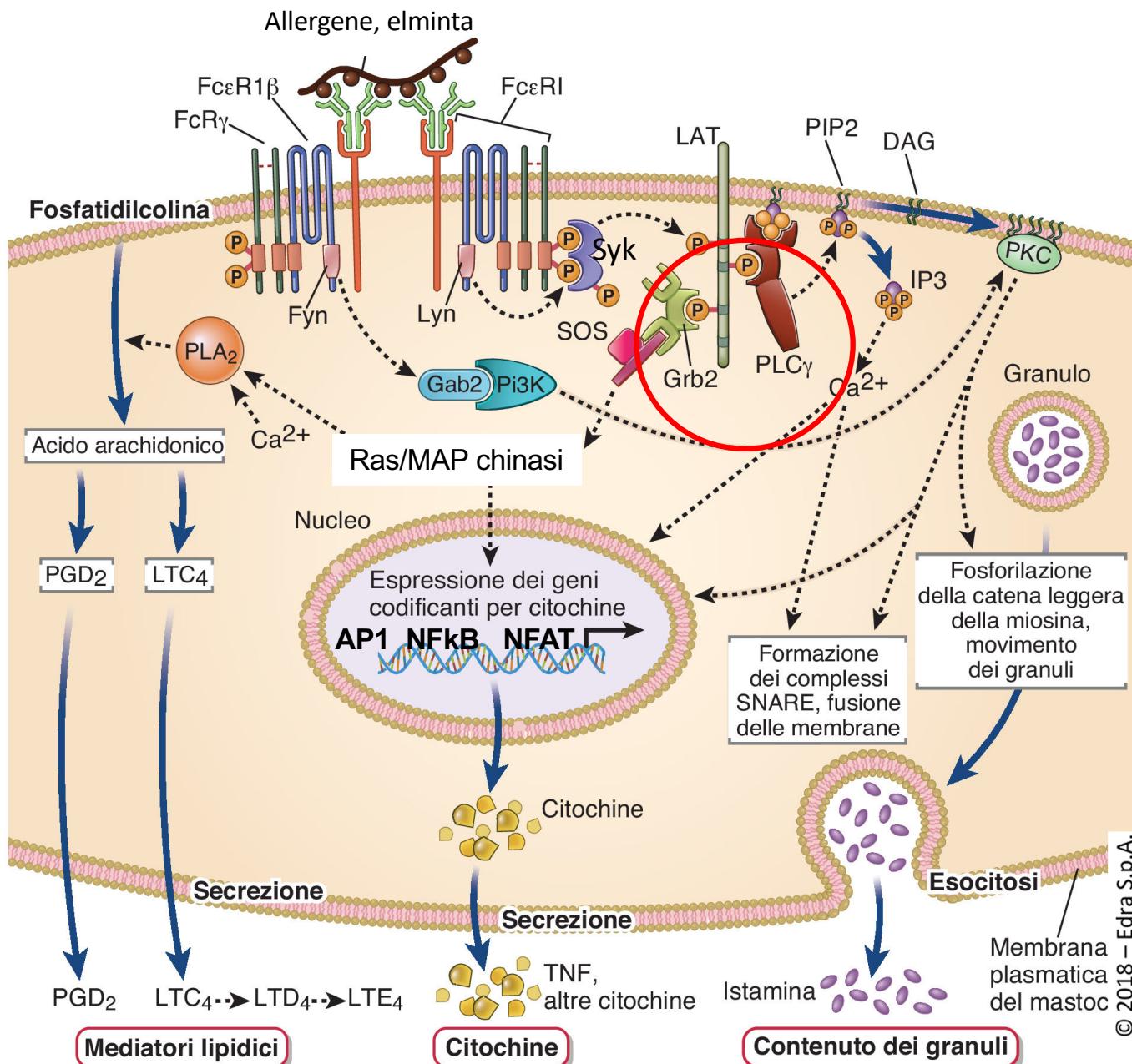
Ca^{2+} nei linfociti B



Fc γ RIII (CD16) e PLC γ nelle cellule NK



PLC γ e Fc ϵ RI nei mastociti



Mediatori contenuti nei granuli:

- Istamina, eparina e proteoglicani
- Proteasi neutre (triptasi, chimasi); idrolasi acide; catepsina G; carbossi-peptidasi

Mediatori de novo:

- Leucotrieni, PGD $_2$
- **Citochine:** TNF- α , IL-3, IL-4, IL-5, IL-6
- Fattori chemiotattici per eosinofili e neutrofili