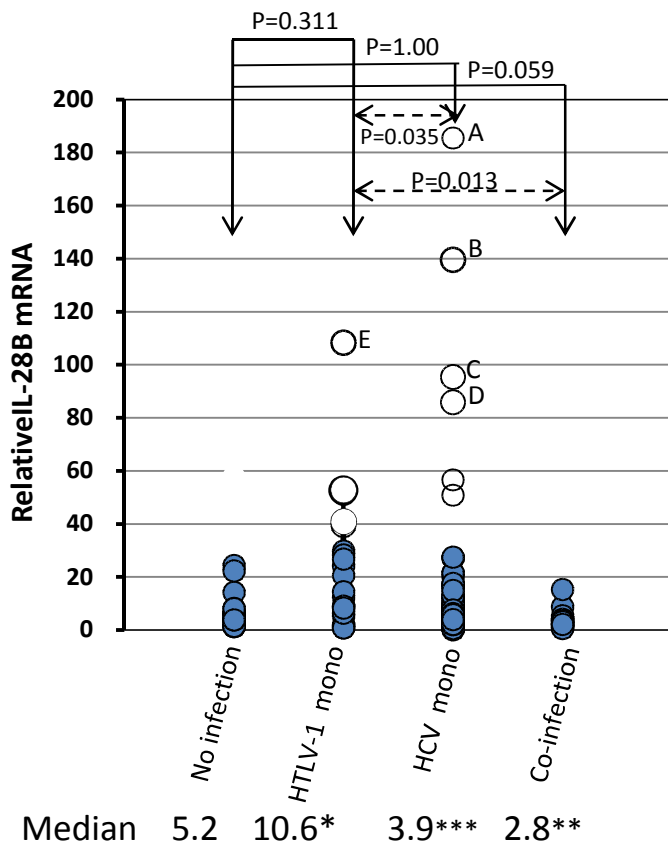
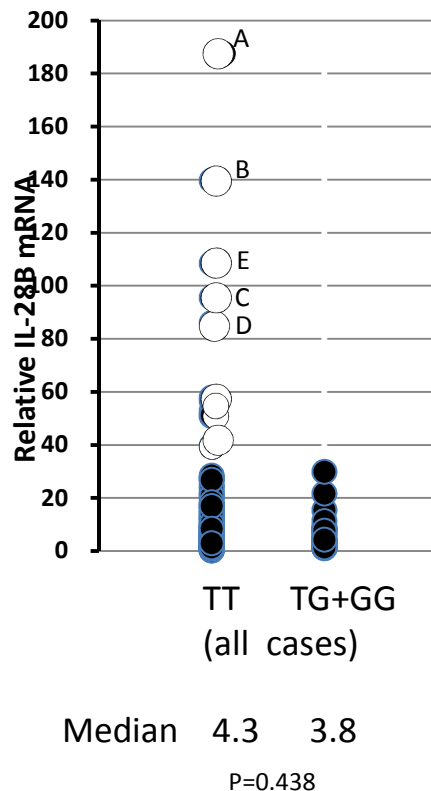


**(A) Sero-status and
IL-28B mRNA expression**



**(B) IL-28B genotype and
IL-28B mRNA expression**



Open circle; samples with 40 or more of the relative expression
 Closed circle; samples with less than 40 of the relative expression
 A ~D: the same samples between panel (A) and (B)