ISBT WORKING PARTY ON RARE DONORS

United Kingdom (Joyce Poole IBGRL)

- National Panel
  - Rare definition? All IRDP categories plus
    - K+k- if R₁R₁, rr or R₂R₂
    - r’r’ & r”r” if K-
  - Total on database: @9000

- Frozen Panel
  - Current number of units: 606

- How are donors found?
  - Serological screening (NHSBT Tooting)
  - Molecular typing in its infancy (IBGRL)*
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United Kingdom
National Frozen Blood Bank

2010
Thawed: 92
Frozen: 123
7% overseas*

2011
Thawed: 93
Frozen: 111
6% overseas*

*More information in my talk on Wednesday
• Fresh donations 2011/12
  – O Lu(b-) Jk(b-)
  – Lu(b-)
  – U- [x3]
  – Yt(a-)Jk(a-)
  – Jk(a-b-)
  – Jk(a-b-)
  – O R₁R₁/R₂R₂ Fy(a-b-)
  – Orr S-K-Fy(a-b-) Jk(b-) HbS-