

Lymphome B à grandes cellules

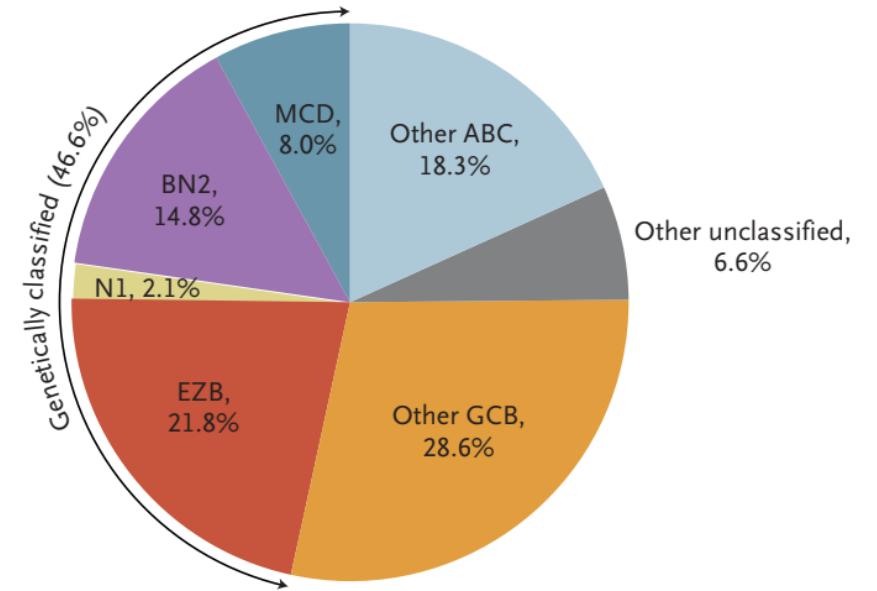
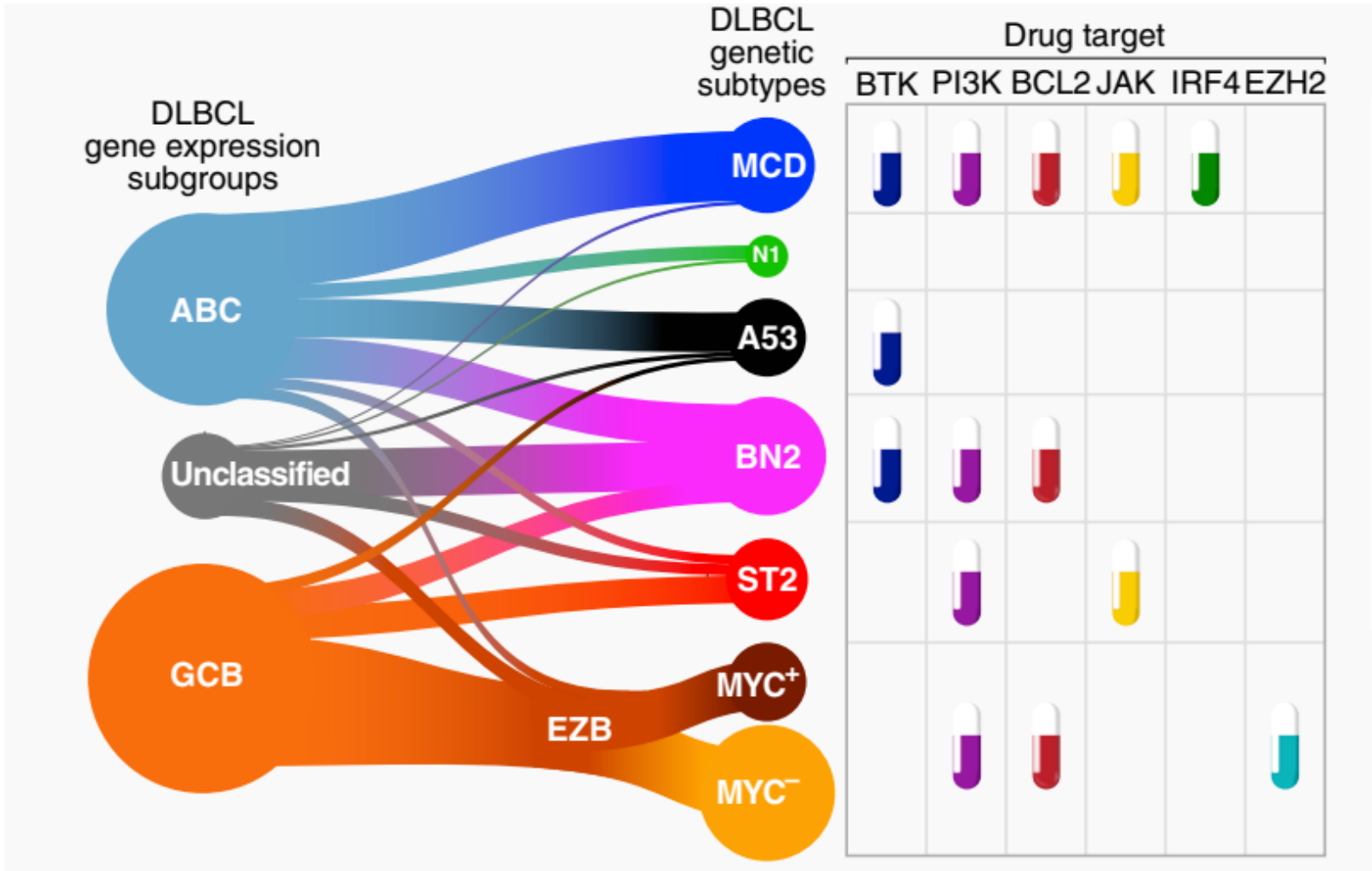
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Liens d'intérêt

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- Research funding: Roche, Gilead

WHO 2022

		WHO Classification, 5 th edition	WHO Classification, revised 4 th edition
		Large B-cell lymphomas	
DLBCL	→	Diffuse large B-cell lymphoma, NOS	(Same)
	→	T-cell/histiocyte-rich large B-cell lymphoma	(Same)
	→	Diffuse large B-cell lymphoma/ high grade B-cell lymphoma with <i>MYC</i> and <i>BCL2</i> rearrangements	High-grade B-cell lymphoma with <i>MYC</i> and <i>BCL2</i> and/or <i>BCL6</i> rearrangements
	→	ALK-positive large B-cell lymphoma	(Same)
	→	Large B-cell lymphoma with <i>IRF4</i> rearrangement	(Same)
	→	High-grade B-cell lymphoma with 11q aberrations	Burkitt-like lymphoma with 11q aberration
	→	Lymphomatoid granulomatosis	(Same)
	→	EBV-positive diffuse large B-cell lymphoma	EBV-positive diffuse large B-cell lymphoma, NOS
	→	Diffuse large B-cell lymphoma associated with chronic inflammation	(Same)
	→	Fibrin-associated large B-cell lymphoma	<i>Not previously included</i> (Previously considered a subtype of diffuse large B-cell lymphoma associated with chronic inflammation)
PMBL	→	Fluid overload-associated large B-cell lymphoma	<i>Not previously included</i>
	→	Plasmablastic lymphoma	(Same)
	→	Primary large B-cell lymphoma of immune-privileged sites	<i>Not previously included</i> , encompassing primary diffuse large B-cell lymphoma of the CNS in revised 4 th edition (<i>plus primary large B-cell lymphoma of the vitreoretina and primary large B-cell lymphoma of the testis</i>)
	→	Primary cutaneous diffuse large B-cell lymphoma, leg type	(Same)
DLBCL	→	Intravascular large B-cell lymphoma	(Same)
	→	Primary mediastinal large B-cell lymphoma	(Same)
	→	Mediastinal grey zone lymphoma	B-cell lymphoma, unclassifiable, with features intermediate between DLBCL and classic Hodgkin lymphoma
	→	High-grade B-cell lymphoma, NOS	(Same)

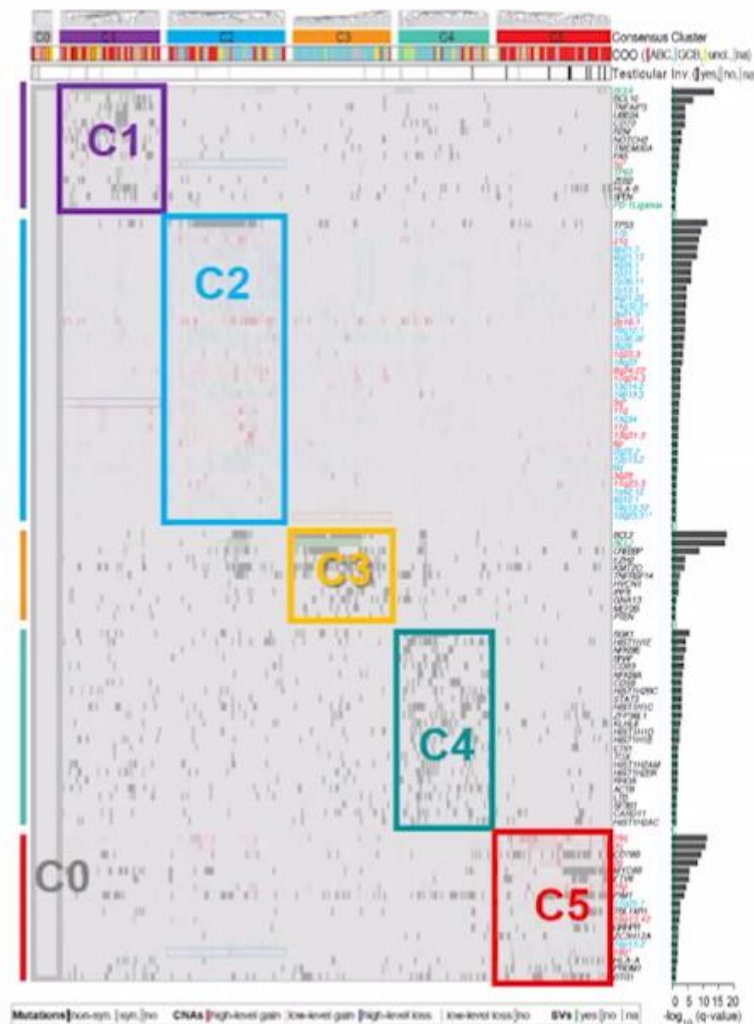


Whole Exome + Transcriptome Sequencing

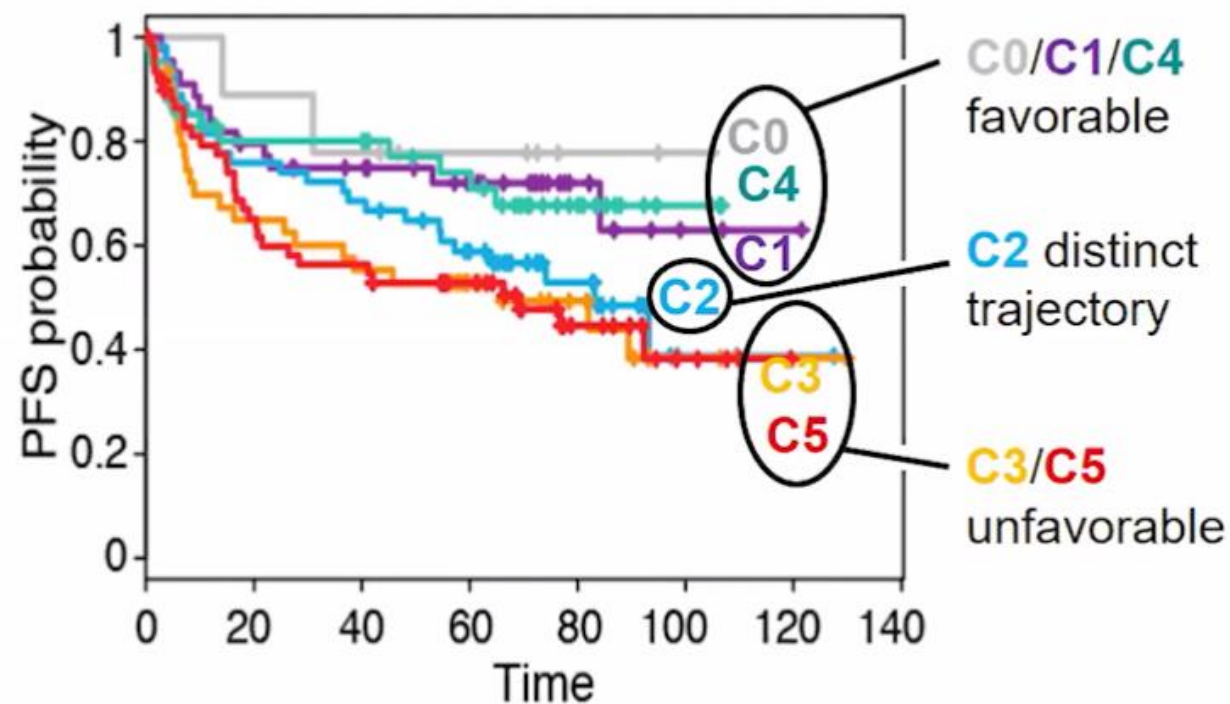
Wright GW al , Cancer Cell 2020
Schmitz R al, NEJM 2018

Genetically-distinct DLBCL Subsets are Predictive for Outcome

Genetically-distinct DLBCLs



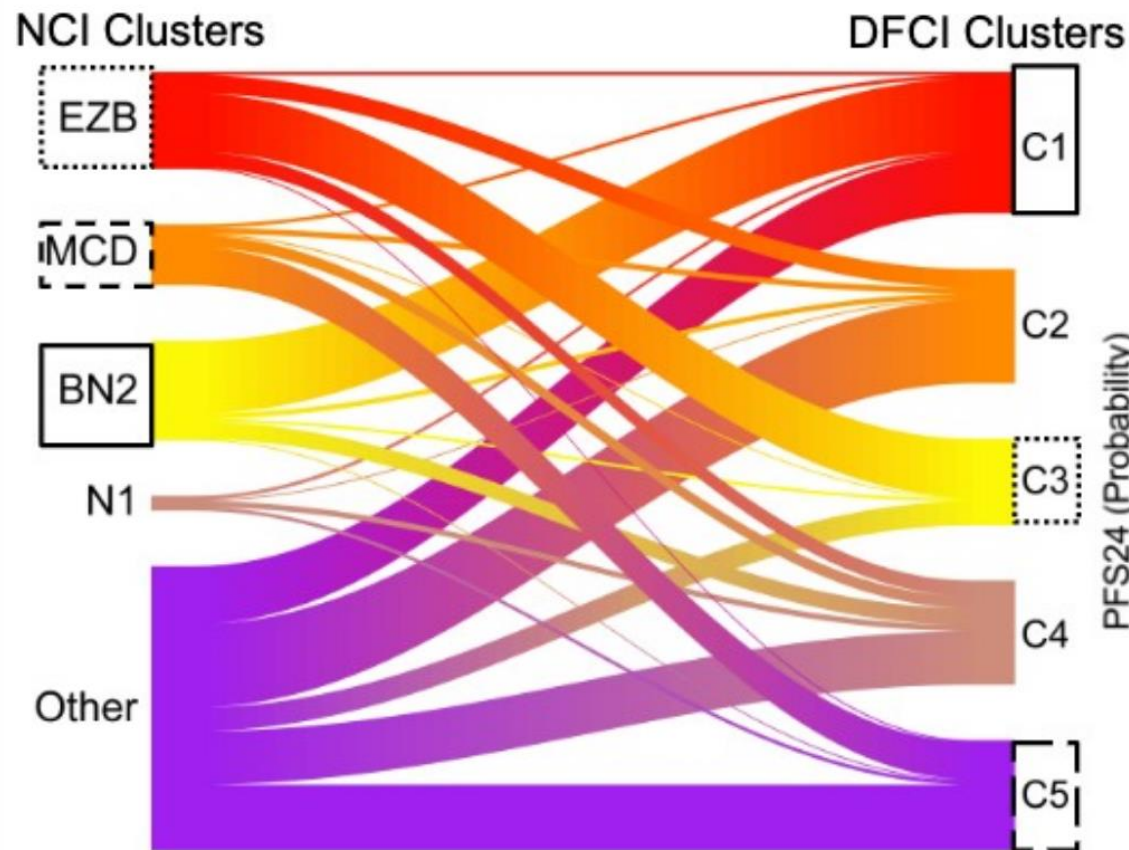
Predictive for Outcome



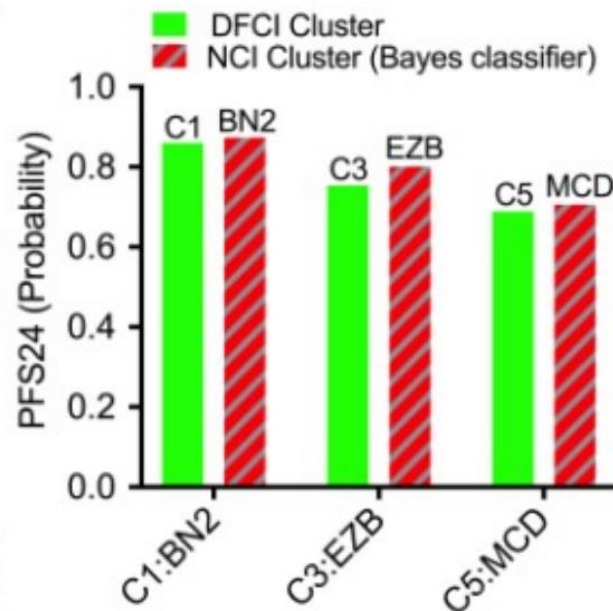
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Whole Exome Sequencing

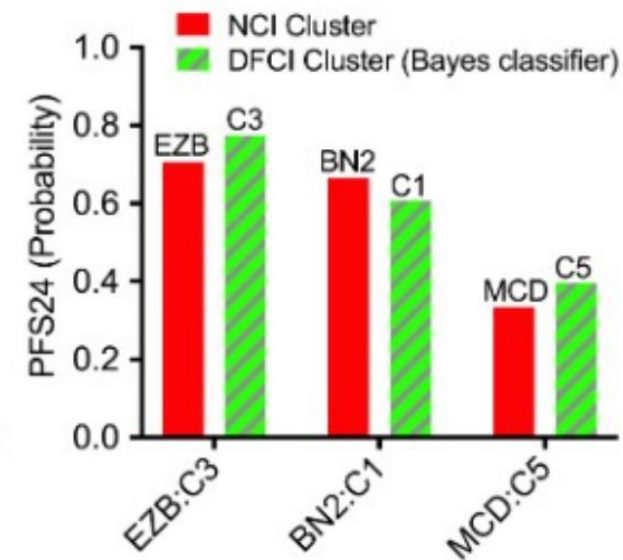
Clusters Largely Overlap



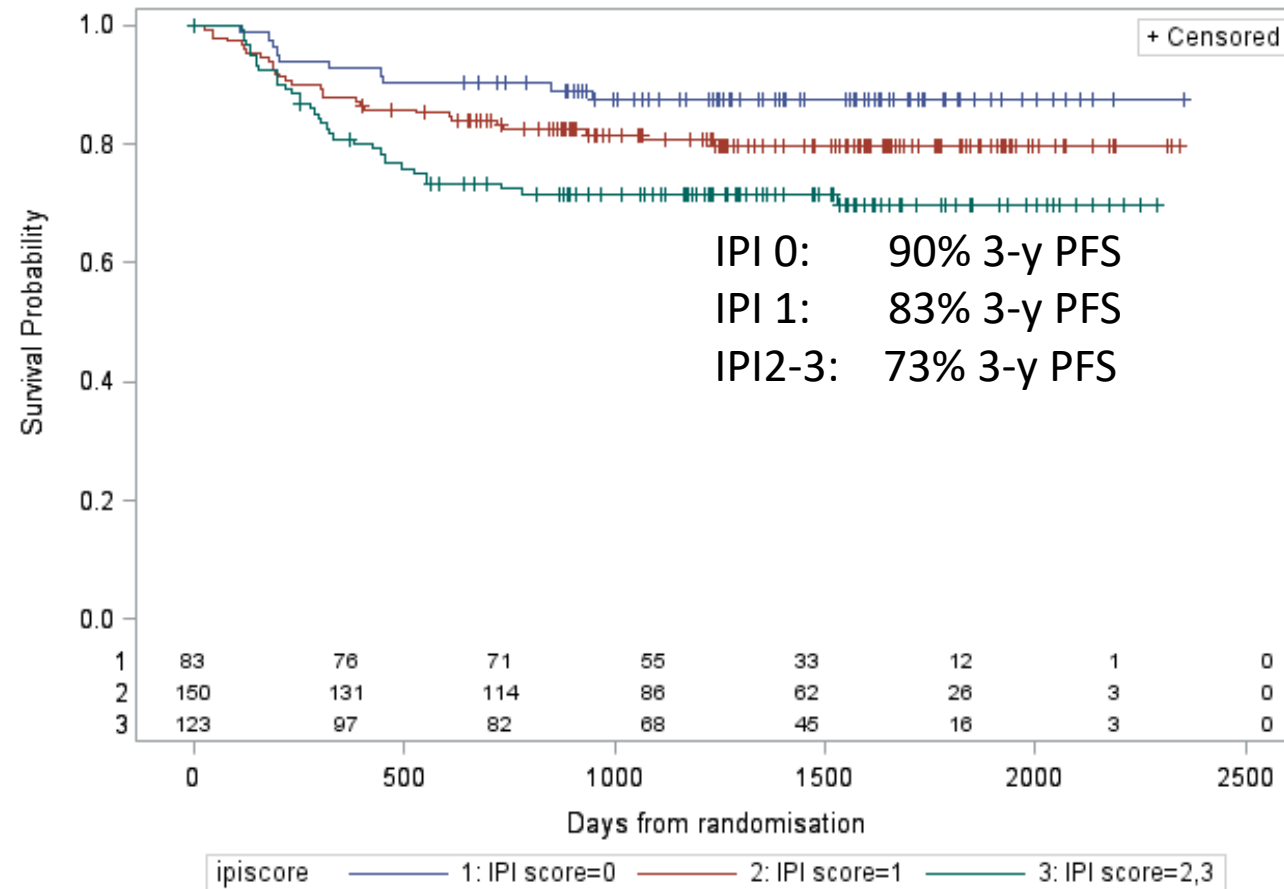
DFCI cohort
(Chapuy et al.)



NCI cohort
(Schmitz et al.)



PFS by aalPI group for DLBCL<60years



< 60 ans aalPI 1-3

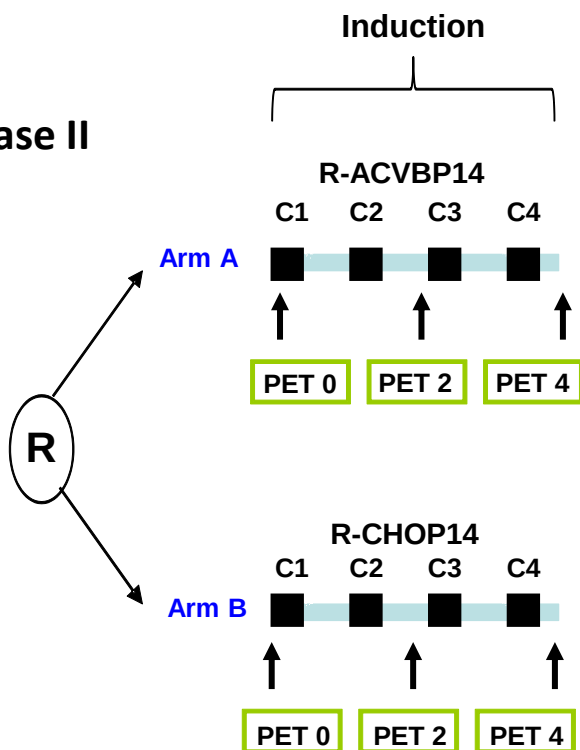
Prognosis value of Interim PET in DLBCL

Study	n	PET after...	2y-outcome PET-	2y-outcome PET+
Jerusalem 2000	28	median : 3 cycles	62 % (PFS)	0% (PFS)
Spaepen 2002	70	median : 3 cycles	85 % (PFS)	4% (PFS)
Kostakoglu 2002	30	1 cycle	85% (PFS)	< 15 % (PFS)
Haoun 2005	90	2 cycles	82 % (EFS)	43 % (EFS)
Mickaeel 2005	121	median : 2 cycles	87 % (PFS)	34 % (PFS)



LNH 2007-3B

Randomized phase II
DLBCL: 18-60y
aaIPI=2-3

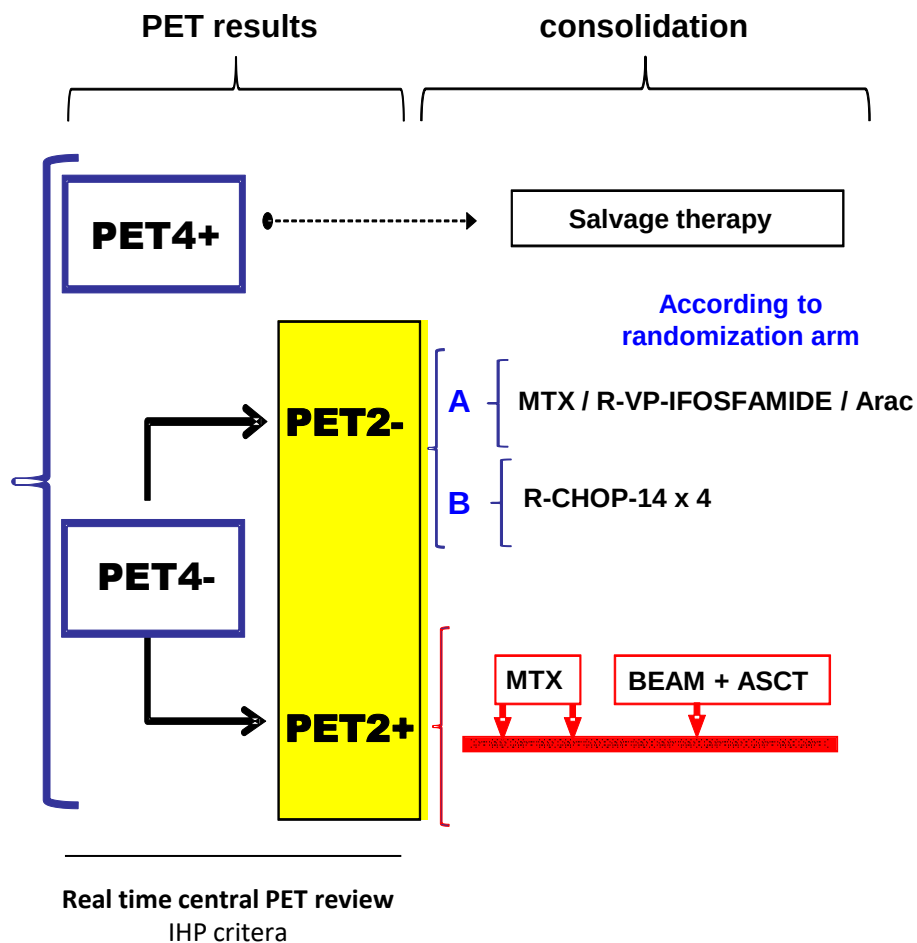


CLINICAL TRIALS AND OBSERVATIONS

FDG-PET-driven consolidation strategy in diffuse large B-cell lymphoma: final results of a randomized phase 2 study

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ASCT avoided
in 26% of pts

PET2/4 neg: 85% 4y PFS



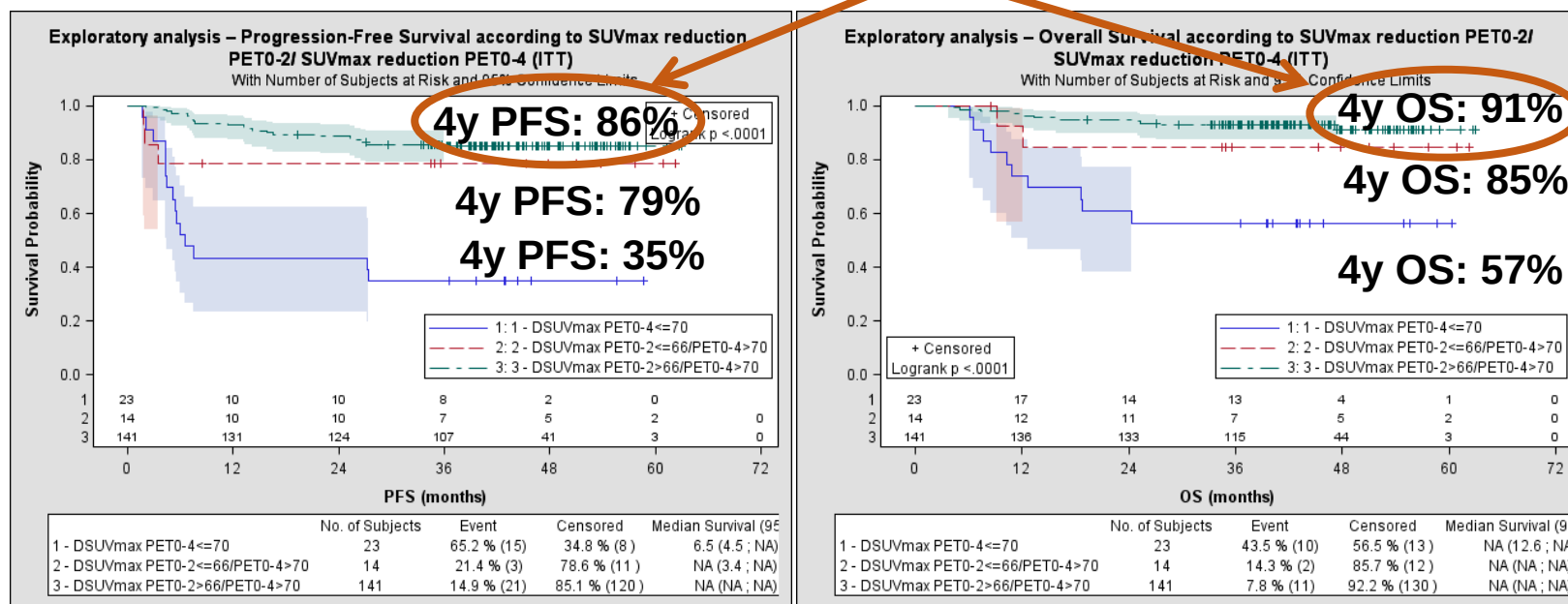
SUVmax reduction improves early prognosis value of interim positron emission tomography scans in diffuse large B-cell lymphoma

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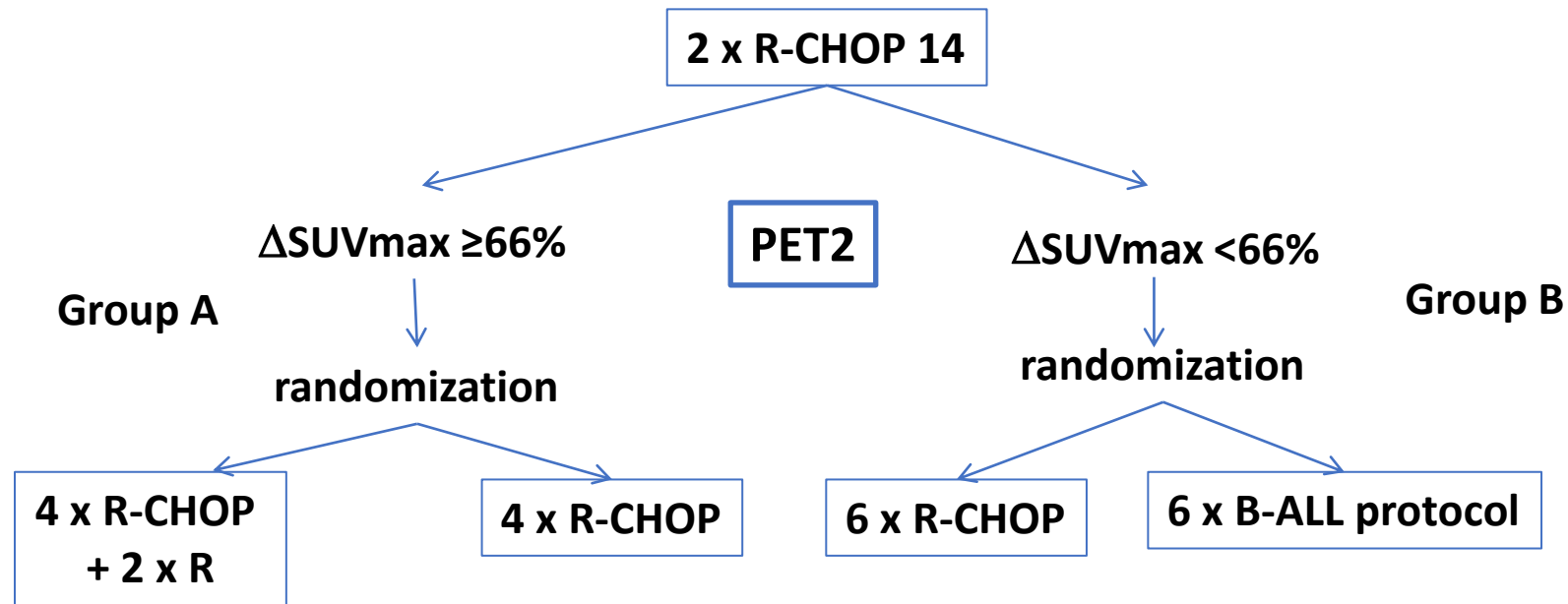
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80% of the whole population



PET Guided Therapy of Aggressive Lymphomas – (PETAL Trial)



1072 pts 18-80 y with aggressive lymphoma

853 pts evaluable (83 (10%) T-NHL)

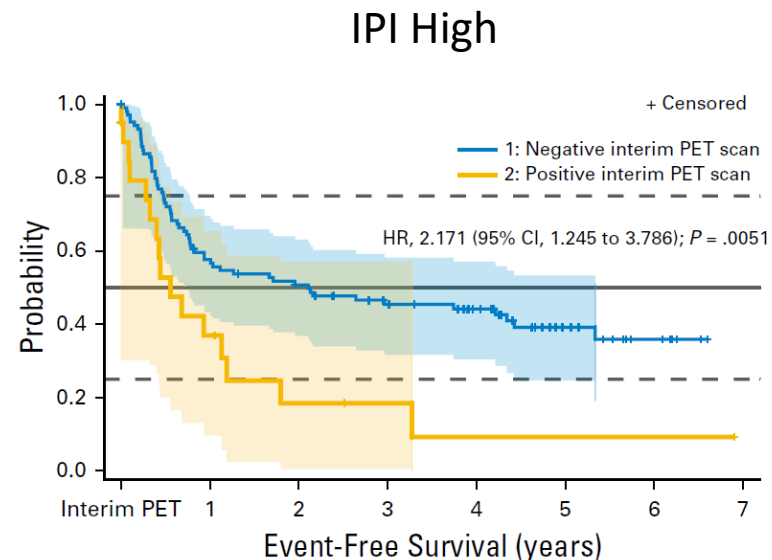
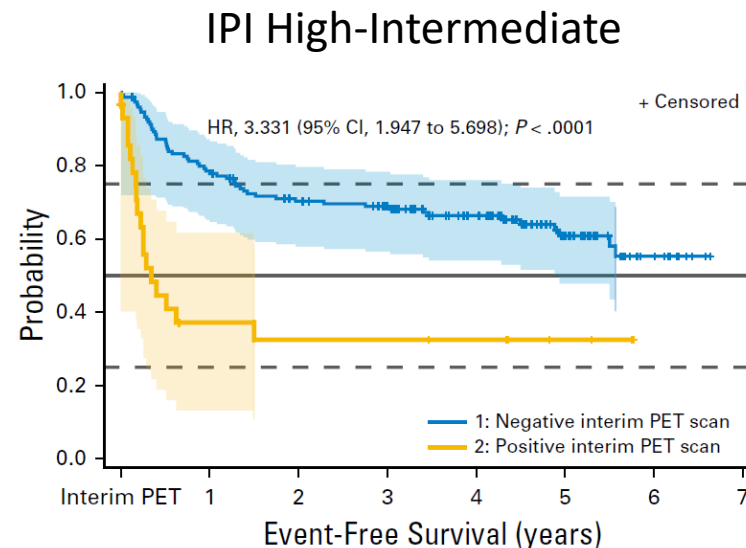
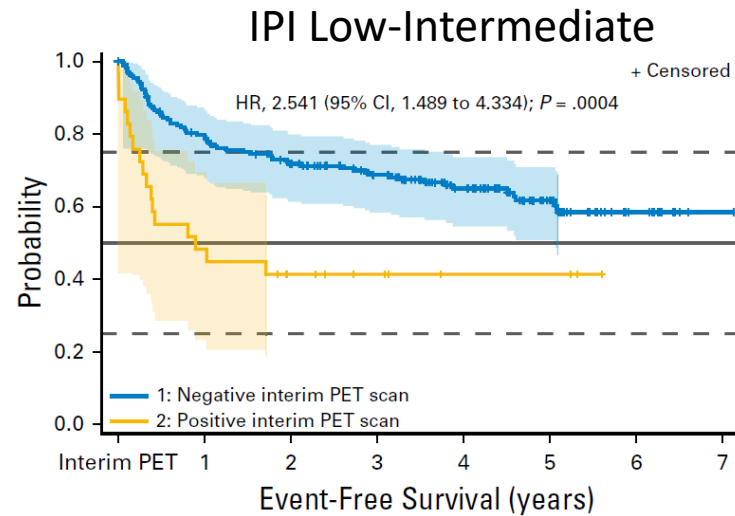
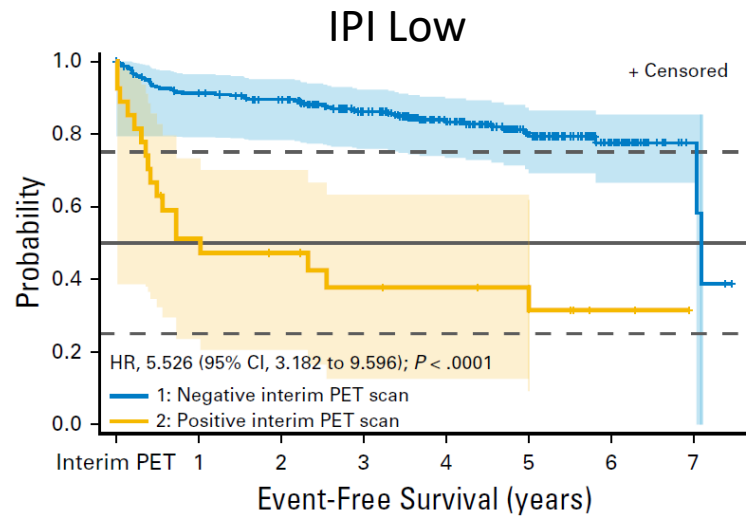
83% of B lymphoma = DLBCL

Follow Up 33 months

Main objective: increase 2y-TTF

- Group A: from 80% to 90%
- Group B: from 30% to 40%

PETAL: EFS by IPI according to PET2 result



Δ SUVmax cutoff 66%
12.5% positive PET2

Median FU = 44 months

Interim PET-driven strategy in de novo diffuse large B-cell lymphoma: do we trust the driver?

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GAINED: Study design

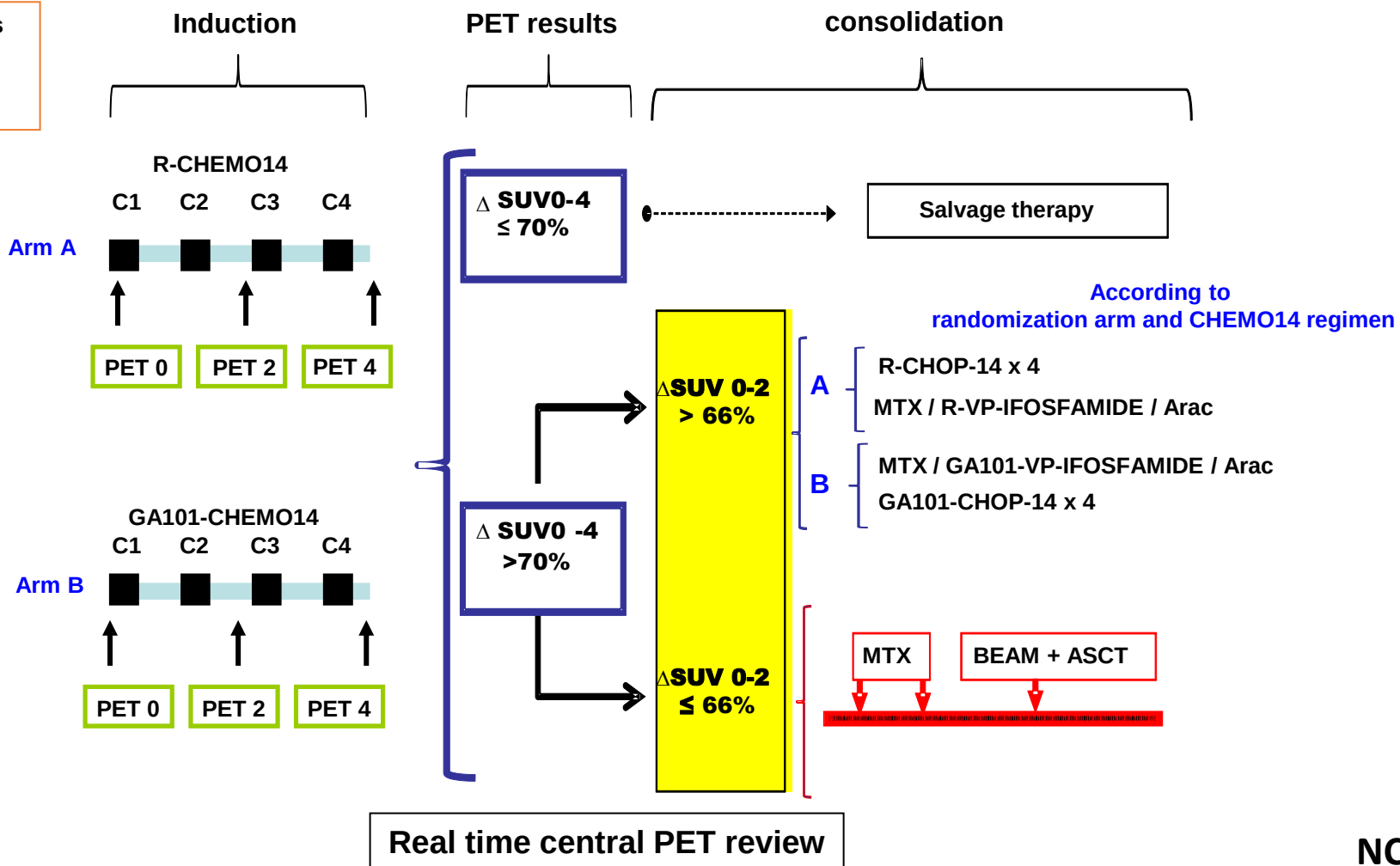
Previously untreated DLBCL: - Age: 18-60y
- aalPI = 1-3
- Baseline PET

CHEMO pre-planned for all pts according to center decision:
- ACVBP14
- CHOP14

Randomization 1:1 stratified according to aalPI 1 vs 2-3 and Chemo regimen

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GA101: 1000mg by injection
D1-D8 cycles 1-2

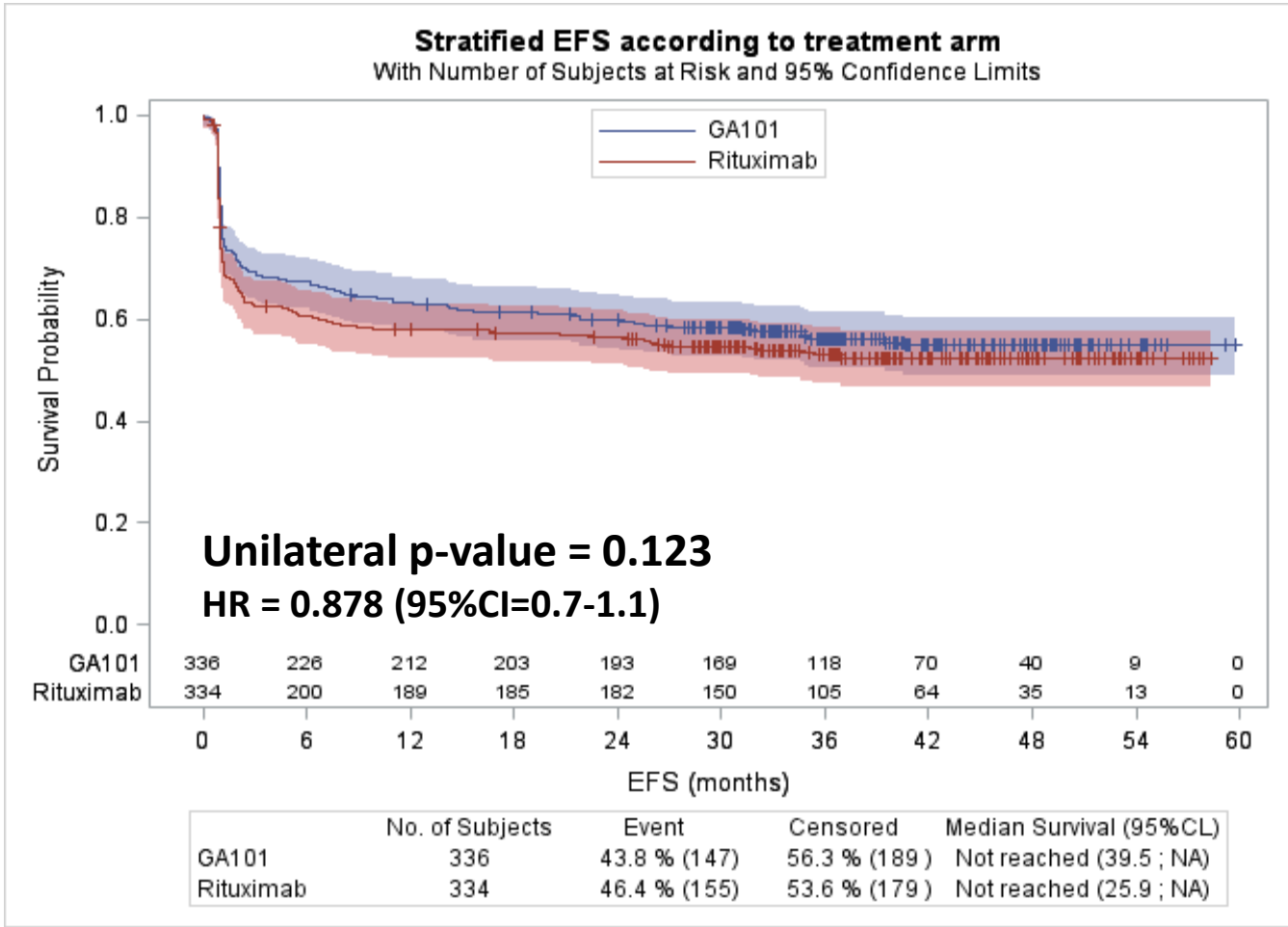


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Concordance between planned and actually received consolidation treatment

			G-Chemo n = 292		R-Chemo n = 289	
			N	% of agreement	N	% of agreement
PET2-/PET4- n=401 (69%)	All		215		186	
	Chemotherapy		213	99	185	99
	High dose therapy + ASCT		1		0	
	Salvage therapy		1		1	
PET2+/PET4- n=77 (15%)	All		40		47	
	High dose therapy + ASCT		34	85	40	85
	Chemotherapy		4		4	
	Salvage therapy		2		3	
PET4+ n=93 (16%)	All		37		56	
	Salvage therapy		35	95	56	100
	High dose therapy + ASCT		0		0	
	Chemotherapy		2		0	

GAINED: EFS (Primary endpoint)



R-chemo: 2y-EFS = 56.6%; 4y-EFS = 52.4%

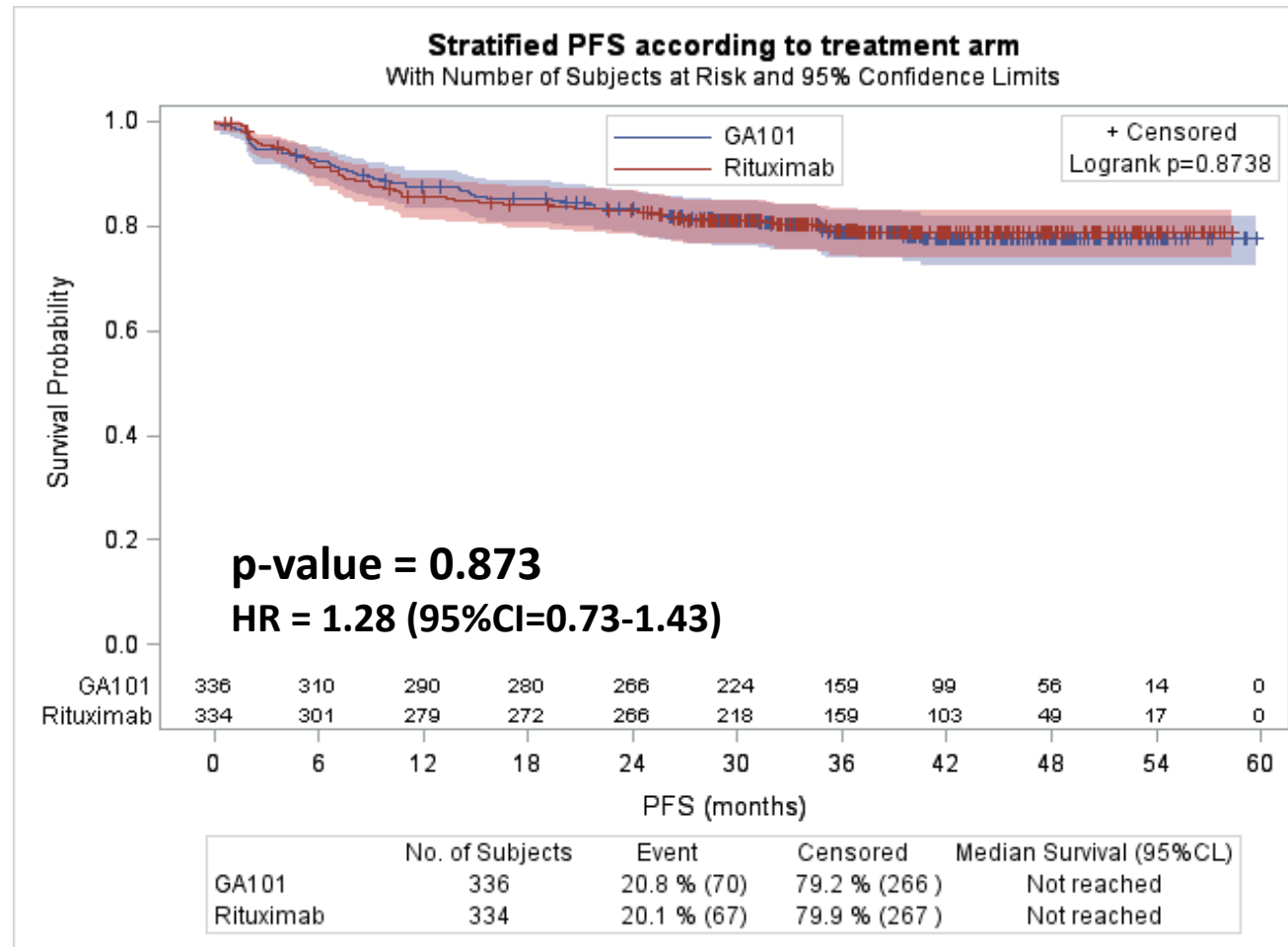
G-chemo: 2y-EFS = 59.8%; 4y-EFS = 54.8%

Median follow up = 36.7 months

Stopping date december 31 2017

*Testing the superiority of the experimental arm

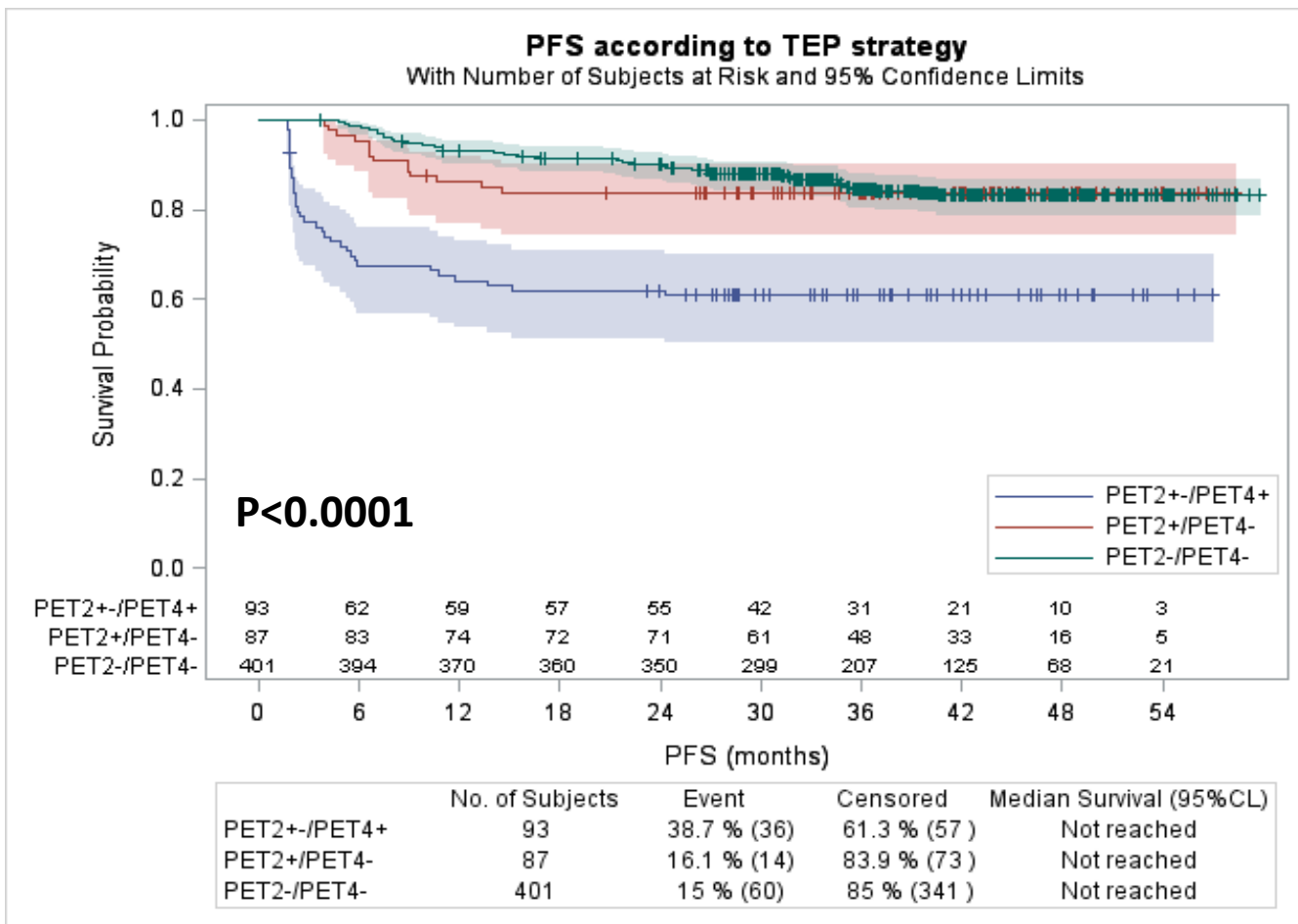
GAINED: PFS according to the randomization arm



R-chemo: 2y-PFS = 83%; 4y-PFS = 78.8%

G-chemo: 2y-PFS = 83.2%; 4y-PFS = 77.5%

PFS according to the PET driven strategy



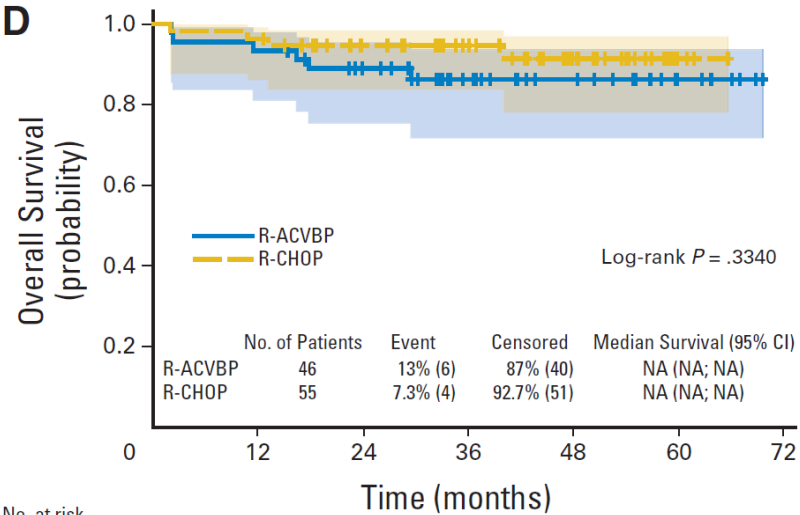
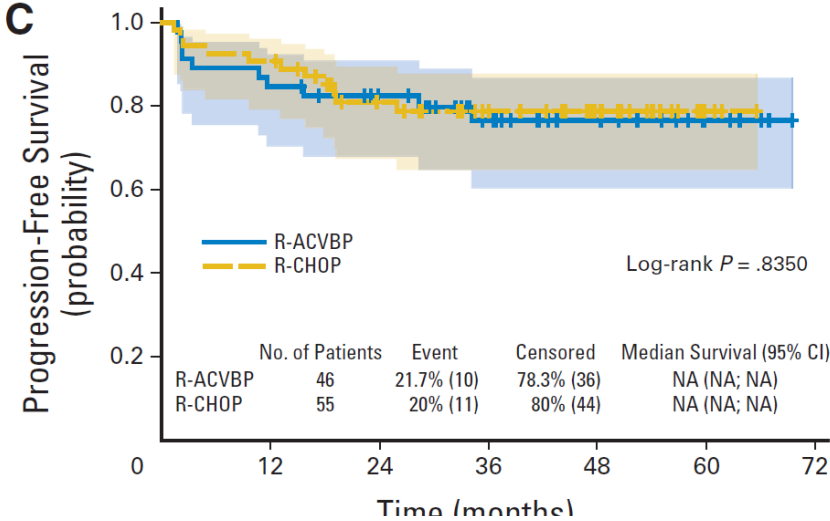
Compared to **PET2-/PET4-** pts (**3y-PFS = 84.6%**):

- **PET2+/-/PET4-** pts: **3y-PFS = 83.9%**; HR = 1.11; p <0.71

- **PET4+** pts: **3y-PFS = 60.9%**; HR = 3.56; p <0.0001

LNH03-2B: R-CHOP / R-ACVBP

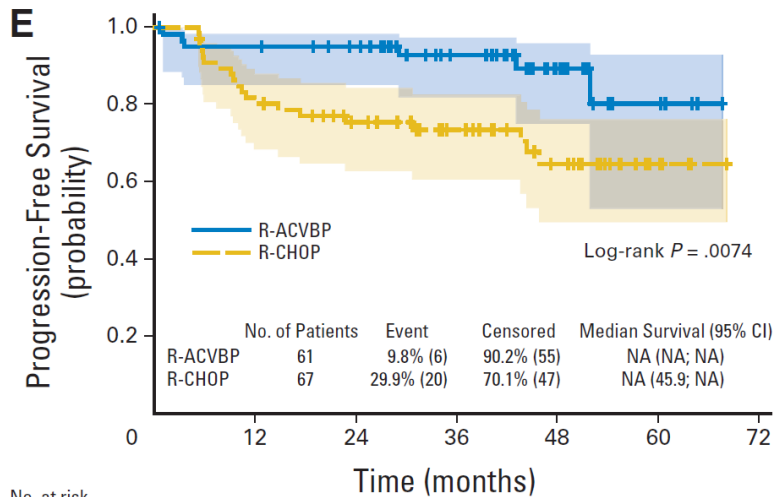
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No. at risk

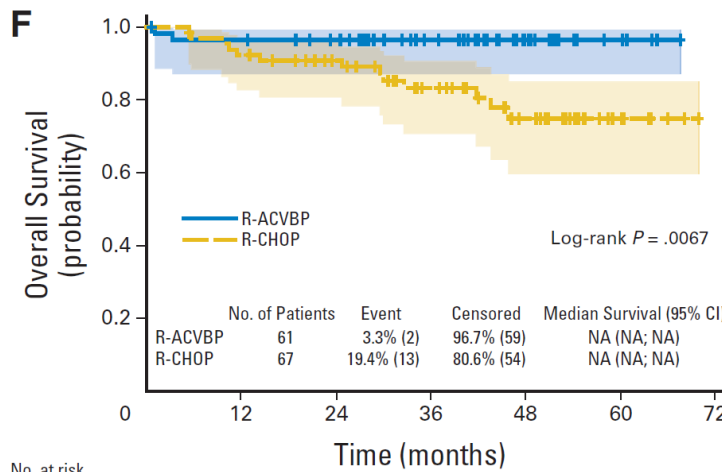
	0	12	24	36	48	60	72
R-ACVBP	43	36	24	16	7	0	
R-CHOP	53	42	34	21	3	0	

Non GC



No. at risk

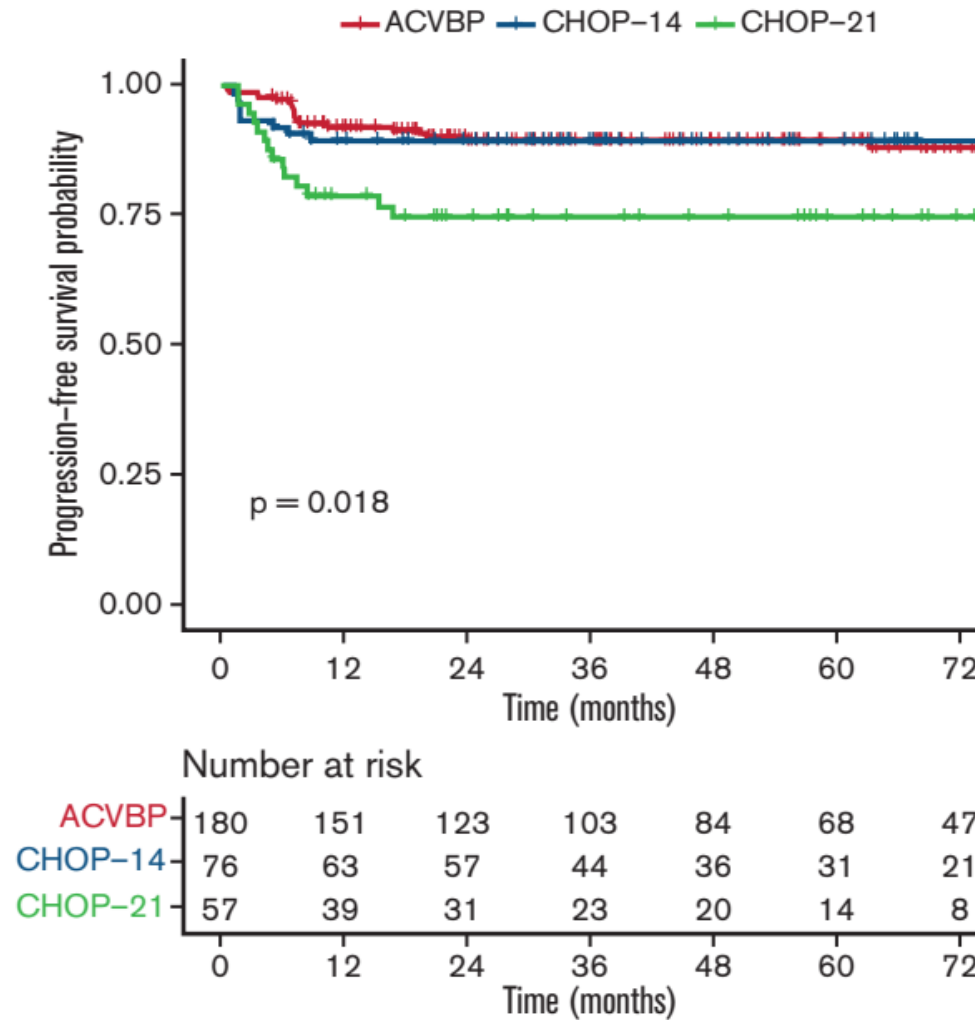
	0	12	24	36	48	60	72
R-ACVBP	57	53	38	17	6	0	
R-CHOP	53	43	32	20	5	0	



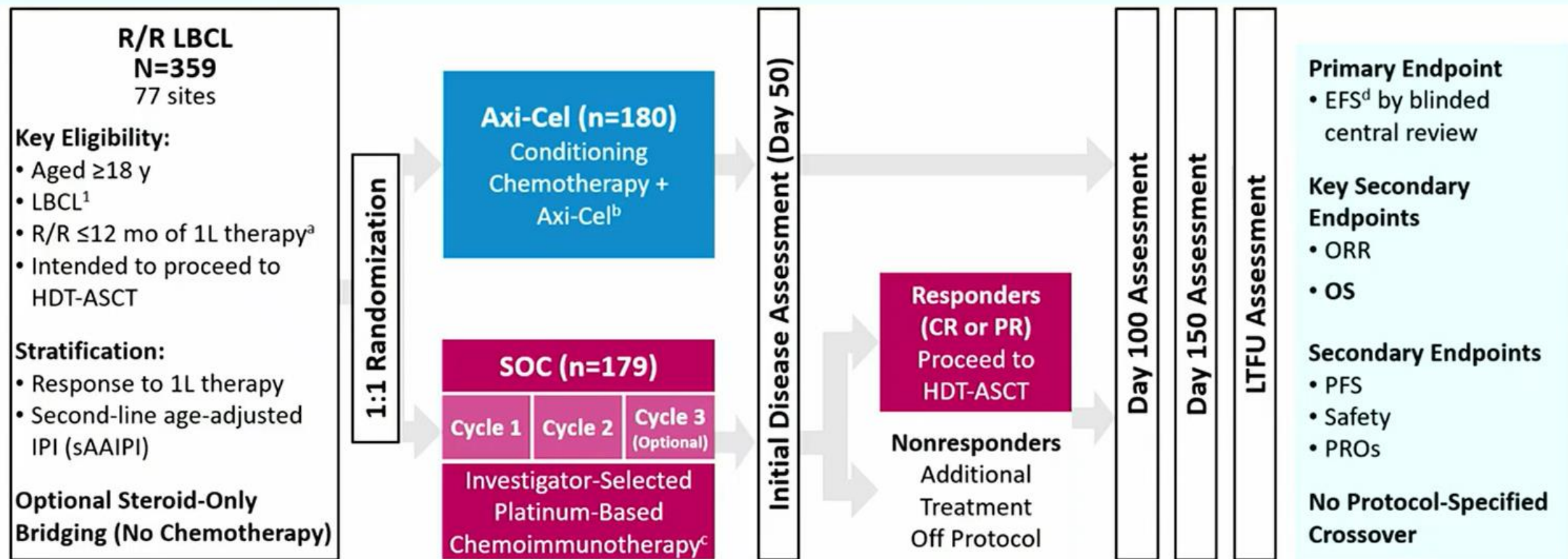
No. at risk

	0	12	24	36	48	60	72
R-ACVBP	58	54	40	18	6	0	
R-CHOP	61	52	37	23	7	0	

PMBL: Chemotherapy



ZUMA-7 Study Schema and Endpoints



^a Refractory disease was defined as no complete response to 1L therapy; relapsed disease was defined as complete response followed by biopsy-proven disease relapse ≤ 12 months from completion of 1L therapy. ^b Axi-cel patients underwent leukapheresis followed by conditioning chemotherapy with cyclophosphamide (500 mg/m²/day) and fludarabine (30 mg/m²/day) 5, 4, and 3 days before receiving a single axi-cel infusion (target intravenous dose, 2×10^6 CAR T cells/kg). ^c Protocol-defined SOC regimens included R-GDP, R-DHAP, R-ICE, or R-ESHAP. ^d EFS was defined as time from randomization to the earliest date of disease progression per Lugano Classification,² commencement of new lymphoma therapy, or death from any cause.

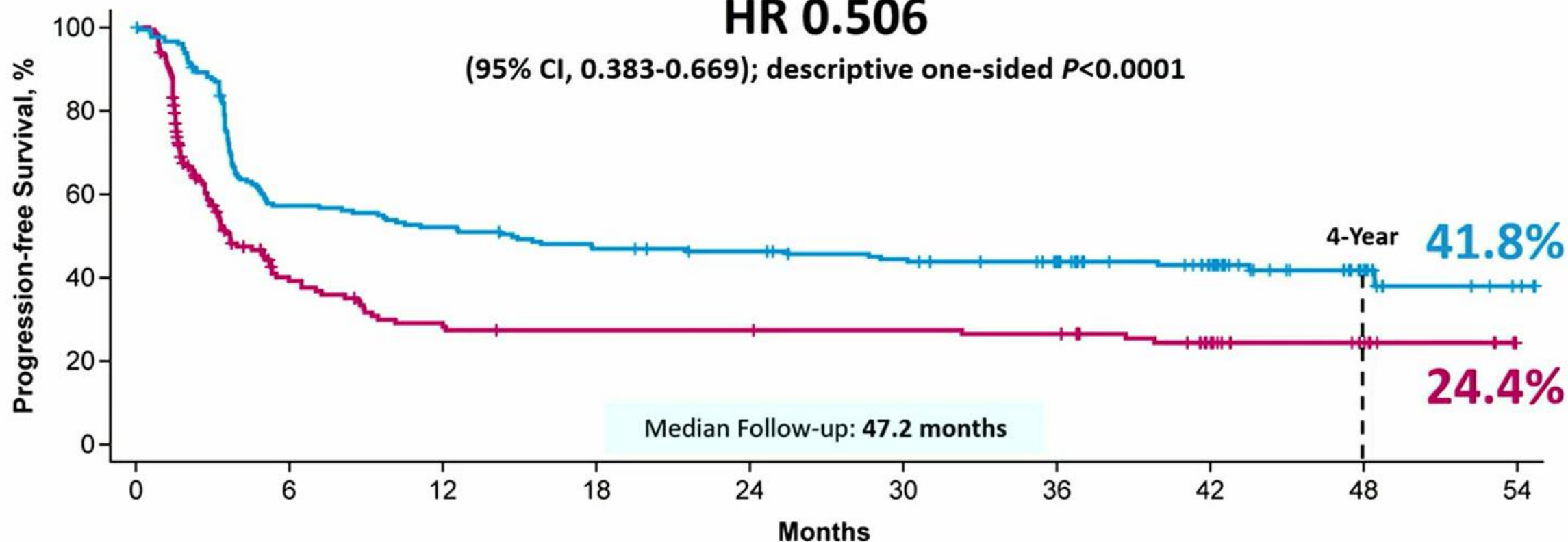
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1L, first line; axi-cel, axicabtagene ciloleucel; CAR, chimeric antigen receptor; CR, complete response; EFS, event-free survival; HDT-ASCT, high-dose therapy with autologous stem cell transplantation; IPI, International Prognostic Index; LBCL, large B-cell lymphoma; LTFU, long-term follow-up; ORR, objective response rate; OS, overall survival; PFS, progression-free survival; PR, partial response; PRO, patient-reported outcome; R/R, relapsed/refractory; SOC, standard of care.

PFS By Investigator Confirmed Benefit of Axi-Cel Over SOC

HR 0.506

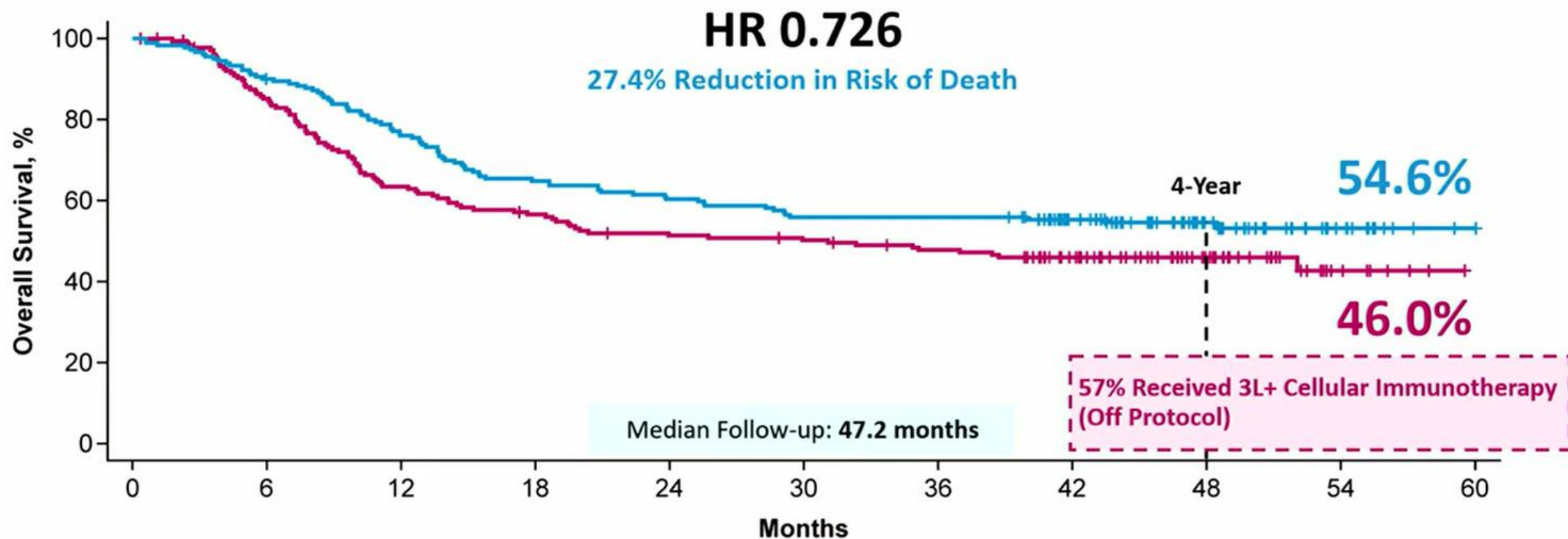
(95% CI, 0.383-0.669); descriptive one-sided $P < 0.0001$



No. at Risk										
Axi-Cel	180	100	91	81	77	71	63	45	22	3
SOC	179	47	33	31	31	30	29	18	8	0

Axi-cel, axicabtagene ciloleucel; HR, hazard ratio; PFS, progression-free survival; SOC, standard of care.

Axi-Cel Improved Overall Survival Versus Standard of Care



- 57% (n=102/179) of SOC patients received subsequent cellular immunotherapy (off protocol)
- Despite the increased survival in the SOC arm versus historical studies, axi-cel increased survival over SOC^{a,b}

^a Approximately 30% for early R/R LBCL in ORCHARRD (van Imhoff GW, et al. *J Clin Oncol.* 2017;35:544-551). ^b <40% for those with prior rituximab and early R/R LBCL in CORAL (Gisselbrecht C, et al. *J Clin Oncol.* 2010;28:4184-4190). 3L, third line; axi-cel, axicabtagene ciloleucel; HR, hazard ratio; LBCL, large B-cell lymphoma; R/R, relapsed/refractory; SOC, standard of care.

Key Safety Data At Primary Overall Survival Analysis

AEs of Interest, %	Axi-Cel n=170		SOC n=168	
	Any Grade	Grade ≥3	Any Grade	Grade ≥3
CRS	92%	6%	—	—
Neurologic event	61%	21%	20%	1%
Hypogammaglobulinemia	11%	0%	1%	0%
Cytopenia	80%	75%	80%	75%
Infections	45%	16%	32%	12%

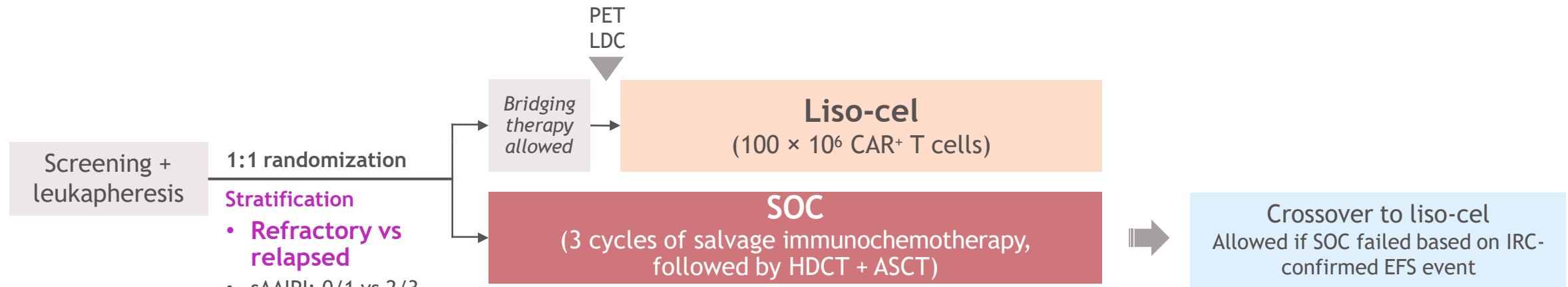
- No changes in cumulative treatment-related serious or fatal AEs occurred since the primary EFS analysis

Reason for Death	Axi-Cel n=170	SOC n=168
Progressive disease, n (%)	51 (30)	71 (42)
Grade 5 AE during protocol-specific reporting period, n (%)	8 (5) ^a	2 (1) ^b
New or secondary malignancy, n (%)	2 (1) ^c	0
Other reason for death, ^d n (%)	13 (8)	18 (11)
Definitive therapy-related mortality, ^e n/N (%)	1/170 (1) ^f	2/64 (3) ^g

Data here are presented for the safety analysis set. Fewer SOC patients remained in the AE reporting period post-progression or start of new lymphoma therapy; thus, cross-arm comparisons of AE rates warrant cautious interpretation. ^a COVID-19 (n=2), sepsis (n=2), hepatitis B reactivation, myocardial infarction, pneumonia, and progressive multifocal leukoencephalopathy (n=1 each). ^b Acute respiratory distress syndrome and cardiac arrest (n=1 each). ^c One patient died of acute myeloid leukemia and one died of lung adenocarcinoma, both deemed unrelated to study treatment per investigator assessment. ^d Includes fatal AEs that occurred outside of the protocol-specified AE reporting window. COVID-19 (n=4), other infection/inflammation (n=3), neurologic organ failure (n=2), respiratory organ failure, cardiac organ failure, progressive disease, and unknown (n=1 each) in the axi-cel arm. Other infection/inflammation (n=7), unknown (n=5), COVID-19 (n=4), respiratory organ failure, and cardiopulmonary/neurologic organ failure (n=1 each) in the SOC arm. ^e Related to axi-cel or high-dose therapy with autologous stem cell transplantation. ^f Hepatitis B reactivation. ^g Cardiac arrest and acute respiratory distress syndrome (n=1 each).

AE, adverse event; axi-cel, axicabtagene ciloleucel; CRS, cytokine release syndrome; EFS, event-free survival; SOC, standard of care.

TRANSFORM: study design



Key patient eligibility criteria

- Age 18–75 years
- Aggressive NHL
 - DLBCL NOS, DLBCL transformed from indolent NHL, HGBCL with *MYC* and *BCL2* and/or *BCL6* rearrangements with DLBCL histology (double/triple hit), FL3B, PMBCL, and THRBCL
- Refractory or relapsed^a ≤ 12 months after 1L treatment containing an anthracycline and a CD20-targeted agent
- ECOG performance status ≤ 1
- Eligible for ASCT
- Secondary CNS lymphoma allowed
- LVEF > 40% for inclusion
- No minimum absolute lymphocyte count



Primary endpoint

- EFS (per IRC)

Key secondary endpoints

- CR rate (per IRC), PFS (per IRC), OS

Other secondary endpoints

- Duration of response (per IRC), ORR (per IRC), PFS on next line of treatment
- Safety, patient-reported outcomes

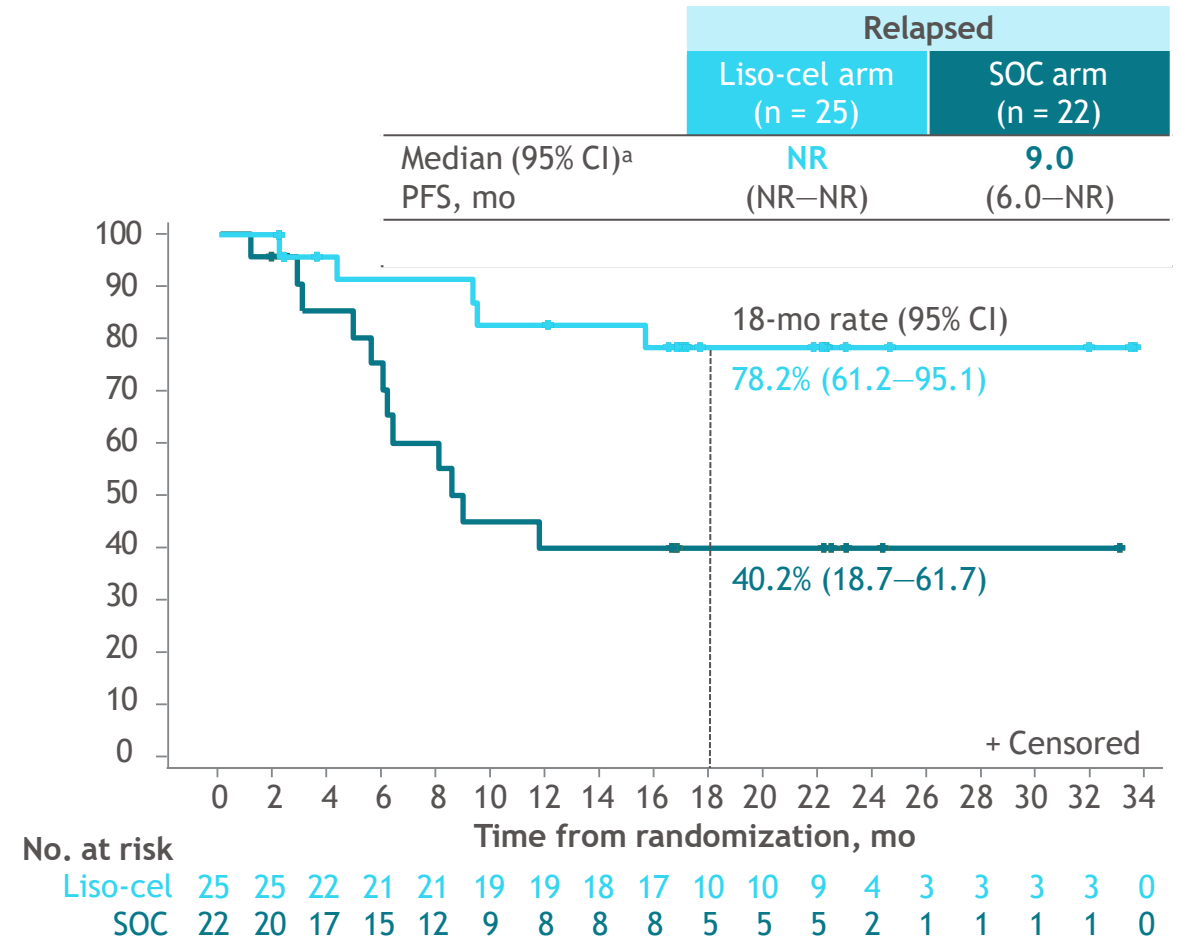
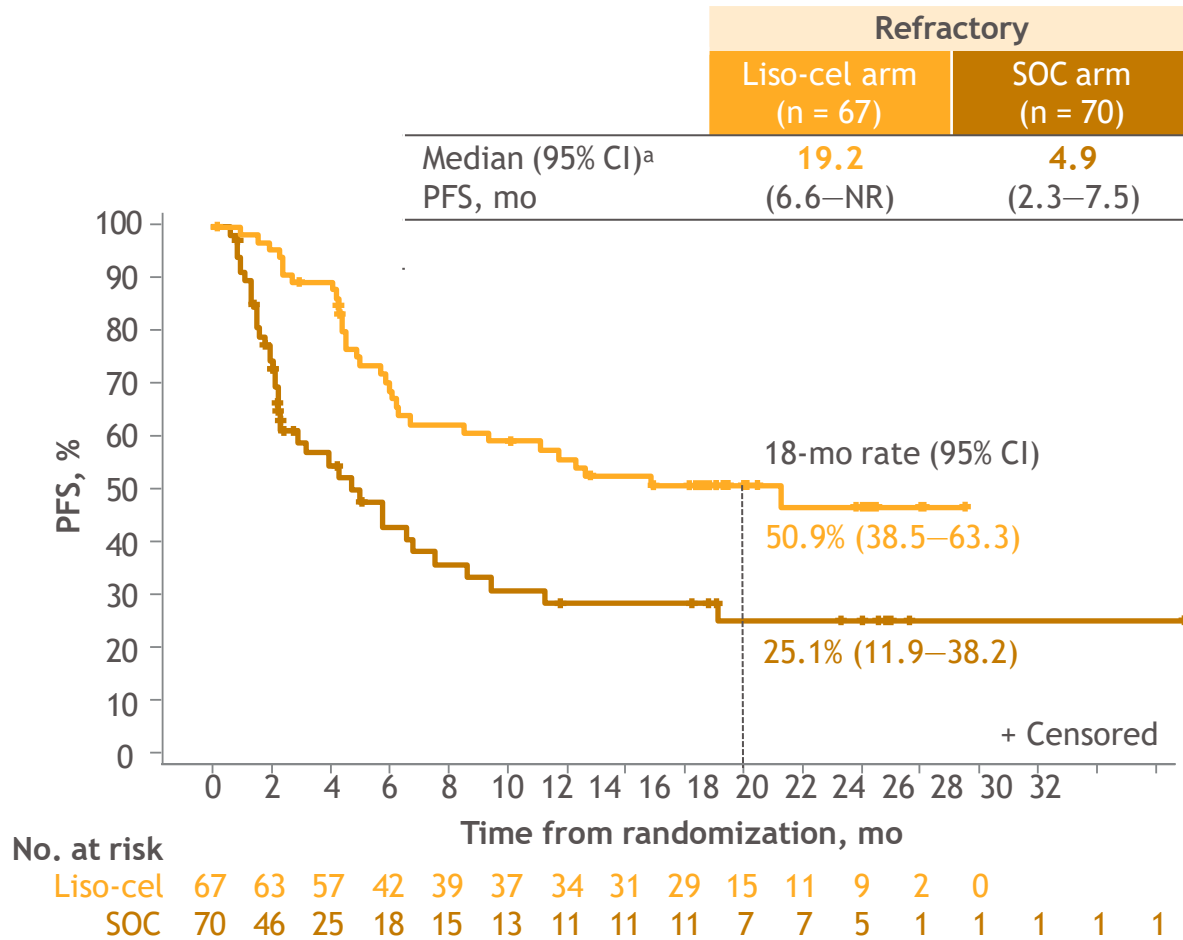
Exploratory endpoints

- Cellular kinetics
- B-cell aplasia

^aTime of relapse was calculated from the date of first disease assessment confirming CR with 1L therapy to the date of first assessment demonstrating relapse.

ASCT, autologous stem cell transplantation; EFS, event-free survival; FL3B, follicular lymphoma grade 3B; HDCT, high-dose chemotherapy; HGBCL, high-grade B-cell lymphoma; IRC, independent review committee; LDC, lymphodepleting chemotherapy; NOS, not otherwise specified; PMBCL, primary mediastinal B-cell lymphoma; R-DHAP, rituximab plus dexamethasone, cytarabine, and cisplatin; R-GDP, rituximab plus gemcitabine, dexamethasone, and cisplatin; R-ICE, rituximab plus ifosfamide, carboplatin, and etoposide; sAAPI, secondary age-adjusted International Prognostic Index; THRBCL, T-cell/histiocyte-rich large B-cell lymphoma.

PFS per IRC by prior response status (ITT set)



- PFS in the overall study population: NR (95% CI, 12.6–NR) versus 6.2 months (95% CI, 4.3–8.6); HR, 0.400; 95% CI, 0.261–0.615; $P < 0.0001$ ¹

^aMedian estimates of time to event are Kaplan-Meier product-limit estimates; ^bBased on a stratified Cox proportional hazards model.

1. Abramson JS, et al. *Blood* 2023;141:1675–1684.

OS by prior response status (ITT set)

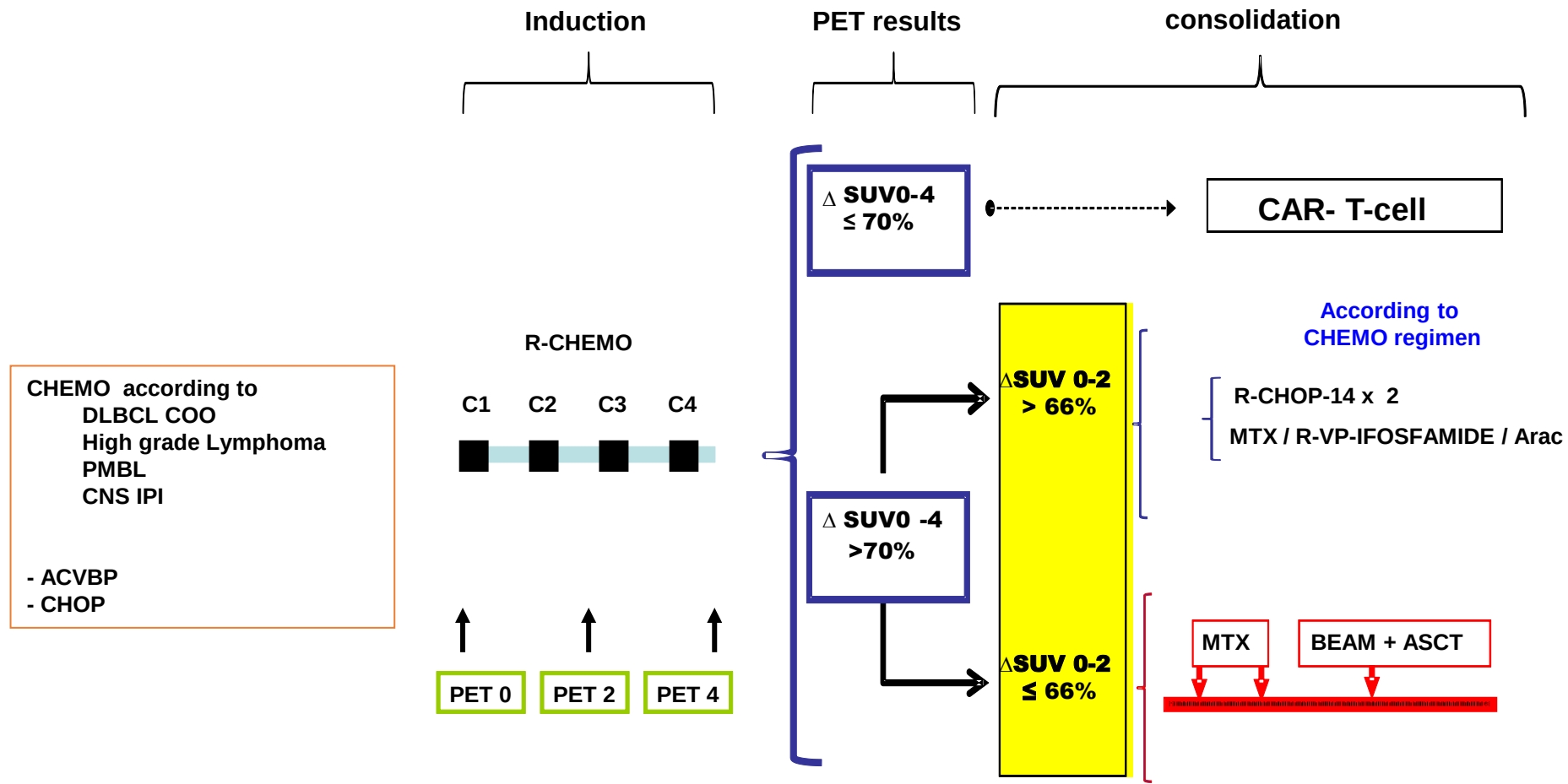
	Refractory		Relapsed	
	Liso-cel arm (n = 67)	SOC arm (n = 70)	Liso-cel arm (n = 25)	SOC arm (n = 22)
Median OS (95% CI), months ^b	29.5 (22.2–NR)	20.9 (15.1–NR)	NR (NR–NR)	NR (17.9–NR)
12-month OS rate, % (95% CI) ^a	80.4 (70.8–89.9)	67.3 (56.0–78.5)	91.7 (80.6–100.0)	86.4 (72.0–100.0)
18-month OS rate, % (95% CI) ^a	68.0 (56.7–79.3)	55.8 (43.6–67.9)	87.3 (73.9–100.0)	75.2 (56.1–94.3)

- Similar to EFS and PFS, OS subgroup analyses were consistent with results from the overall study population (NR [95% CI, 29.5–NR]) for liso-cel versus 29.9 months (95% CI, 17.9–NR) for SOC (HR, 0.724; 95% CI, 0.443–1.183; $P = 0.0987$)¹

^aGreenwood's formula; ^bMedian estimates of time to event are Kaplan-Meier product-limit estimates.

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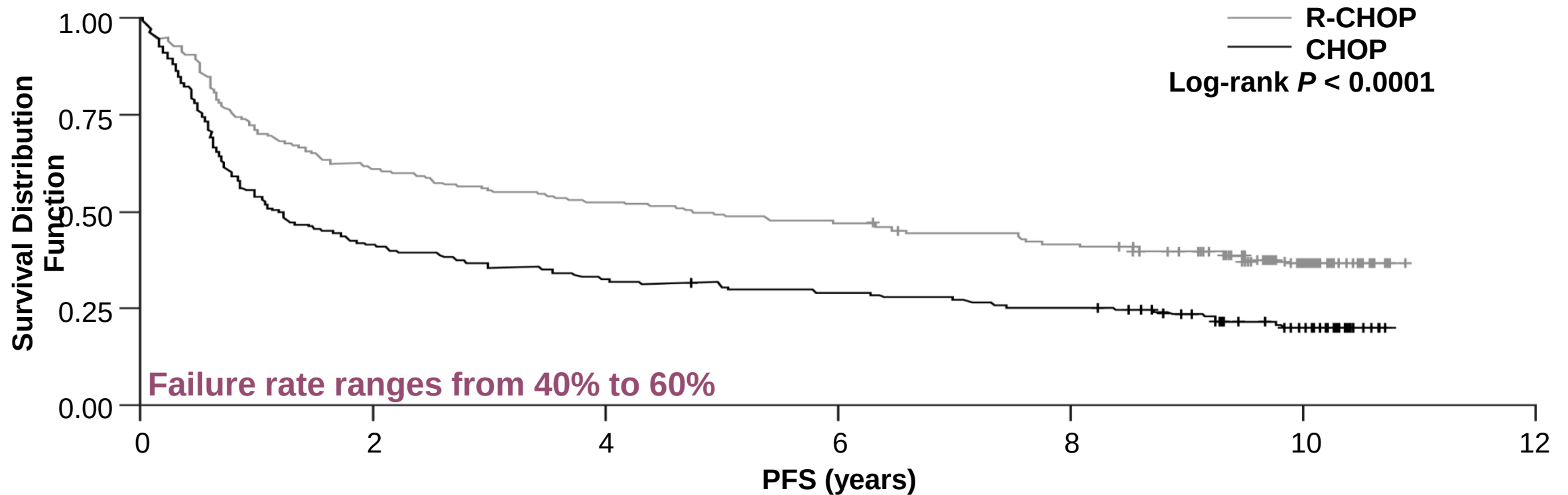
Modified « GAINED » strategy in aalPI 1-3 DLBCL



60 - 80 ans aalPI 1-3

LNH-98.5 Study

median follow-up of 10 years
Progression-Free Survival



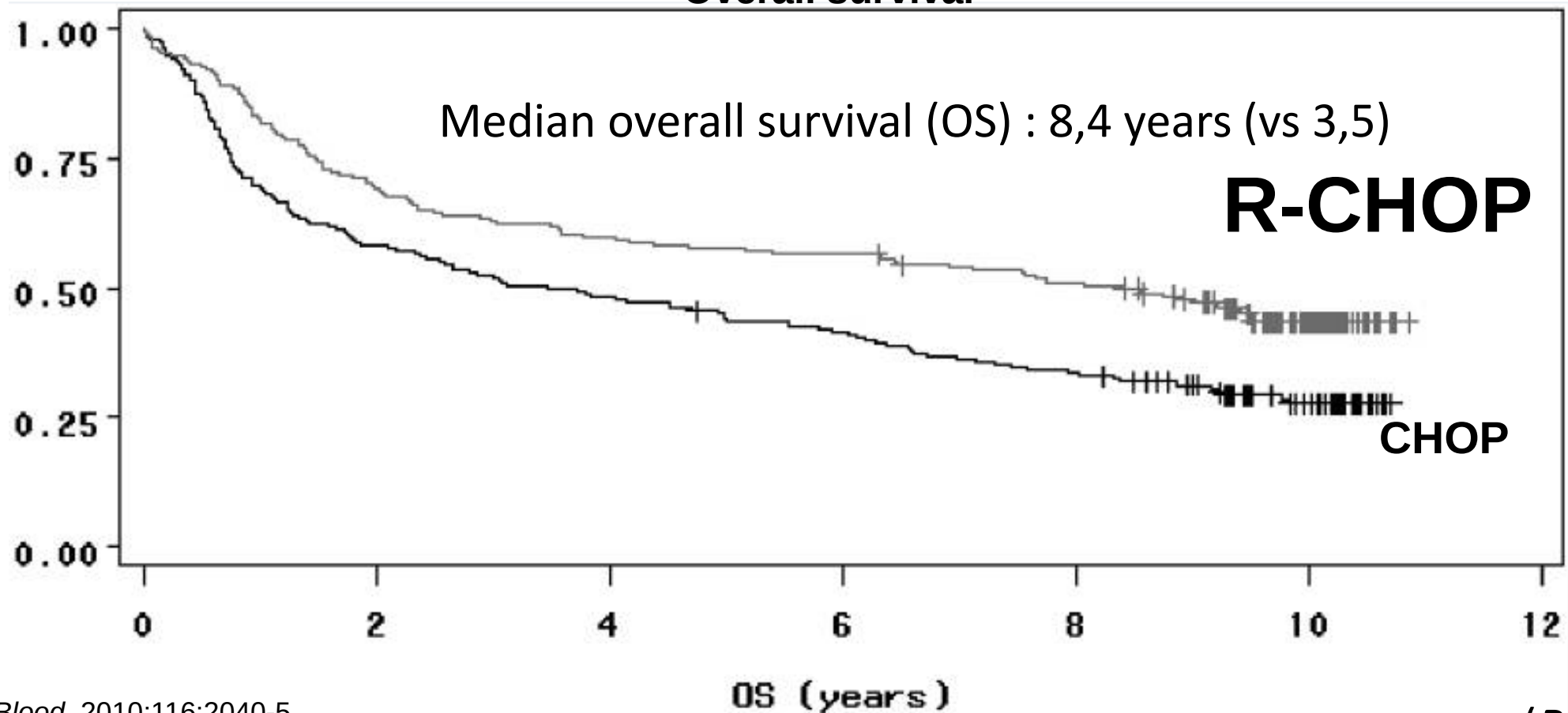
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LNH-98.5 Study

Median follow-up of 10 years

Overall survival

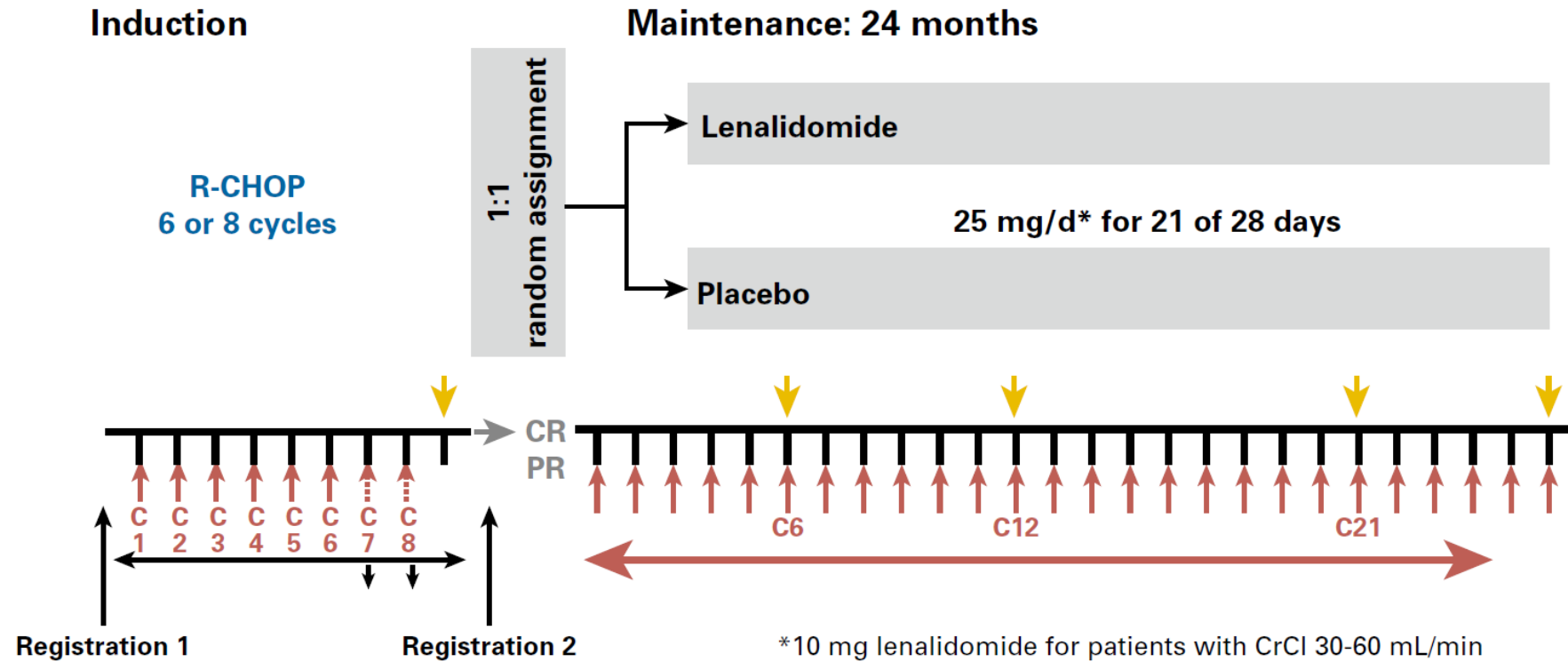


($P < .0001$)

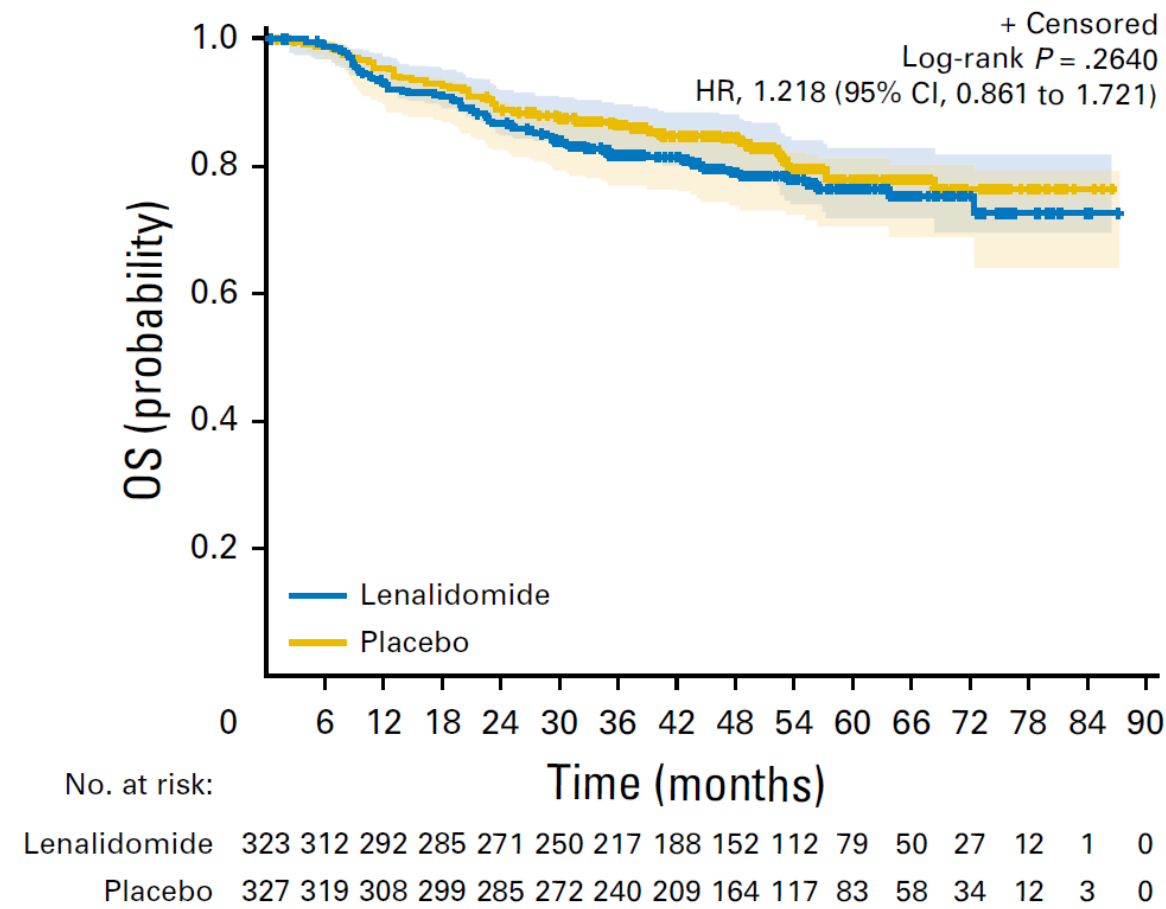
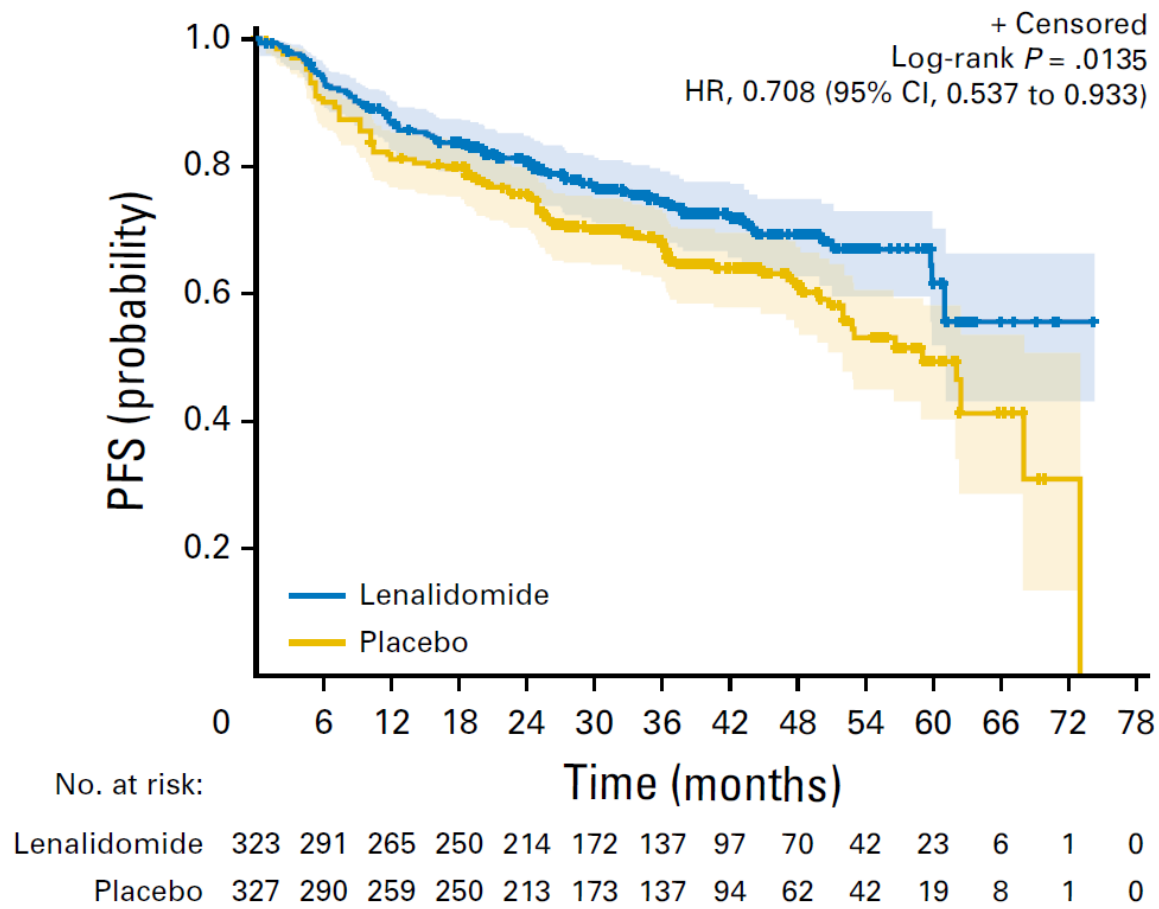
Coiffier et al. *Blood*. 2010;116:2040-5.

CHOP, cyclophosphamide, doxorubicin, vincristine, prednisone; R-CHOP, CHOP and rituximab.

REMARC



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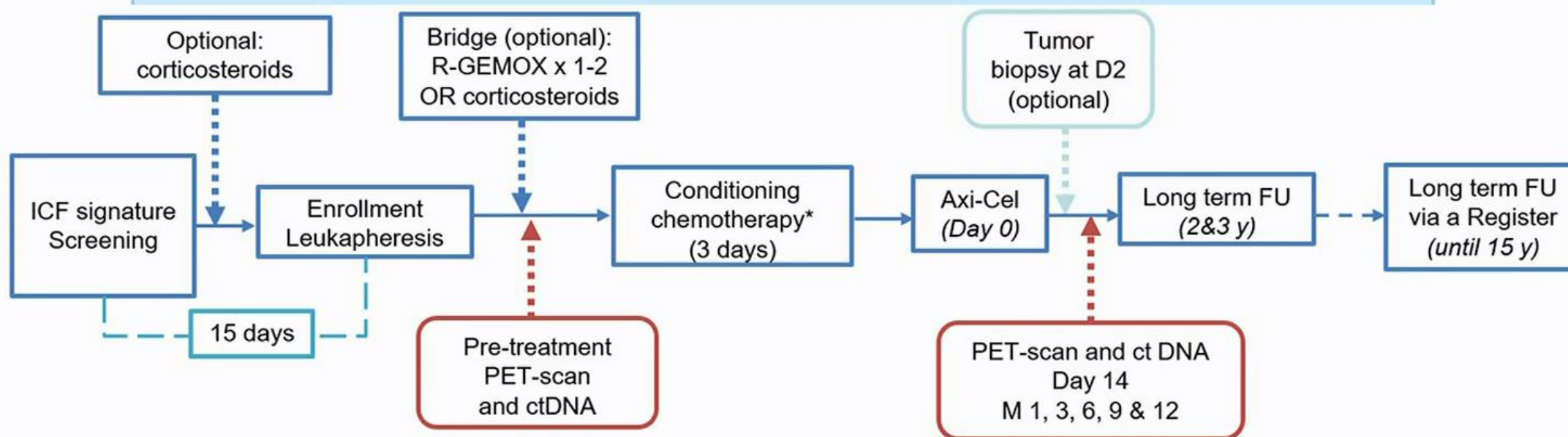


ALYCANTE

Study design



- Phase II, single arm, open label, prospective, multicenter study
- 20 centers in France
- N = 62 patients infused between April 26th, 2021, and June 15th, 2022
- Data cutoff = January 19th, 2023



*Fludarabine 30 mg/m²/day + cyclophosphamide 500 mg/m²/day
For patients with creatinin clearance between 40 and 60 mL/min: fludarabine will be reduced to 25 mg/m²/day (cyclophosphamide will remain unchanged at 500 mg/m²/day)

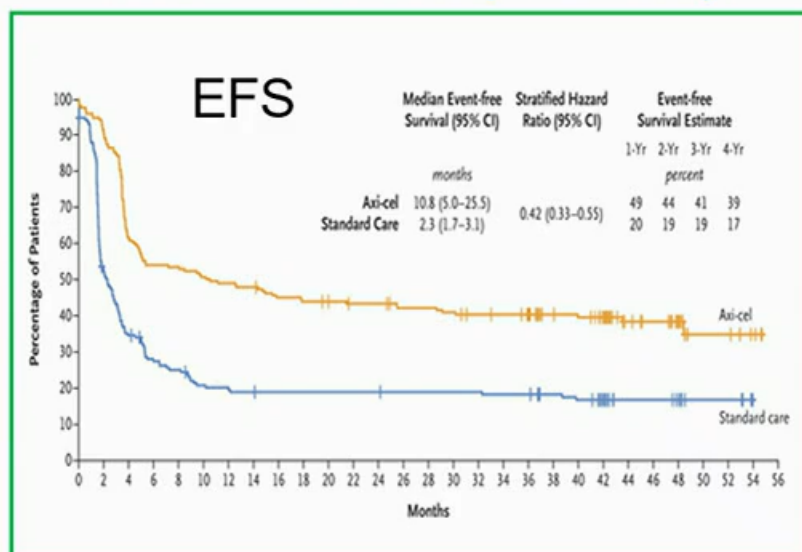
Rationale



Outcome of R/R LBCL patients in 2nd line therapy

ASCT-eligible

Axi-cel vs SOC (ZUMA-7)



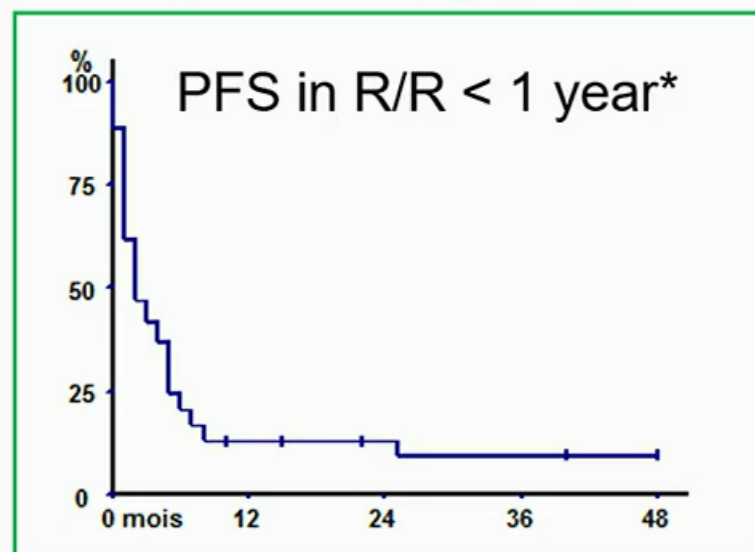
N = 359

Median FU = 47 months

Westin et al, NEJM 2023

ASCT-ineligible

R-GEMOX (SOC)



N = 60

Median FU = 22 months

*Adapted from Cazelles et al, Leukemia & Lymphoma 2021

Axi-cel (ALYCANTE)

Hypothesis:

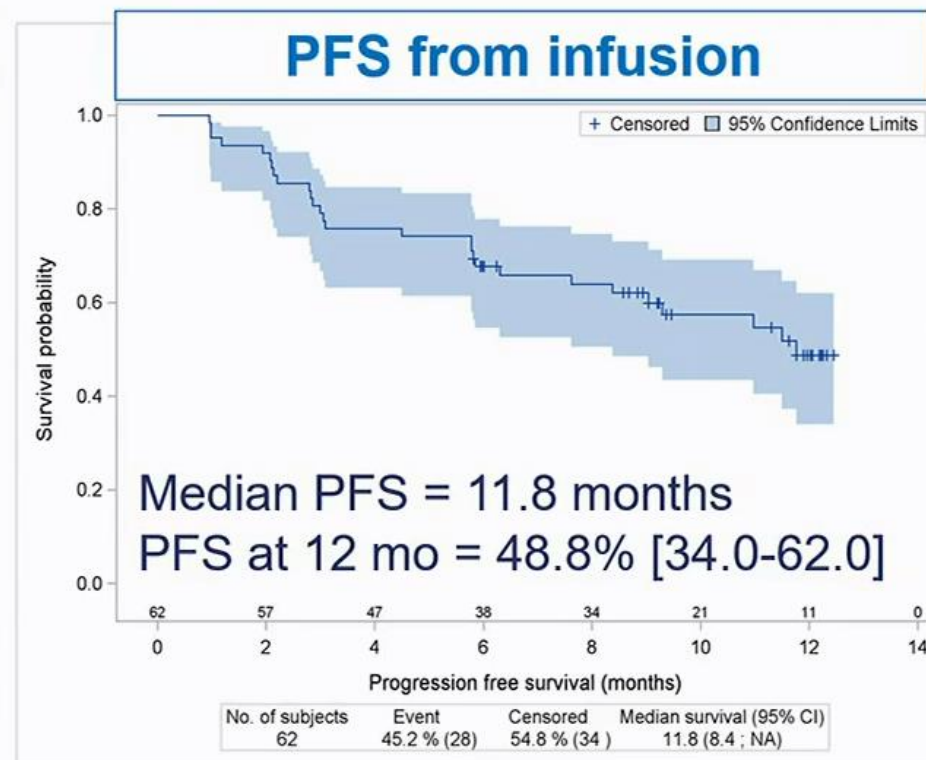
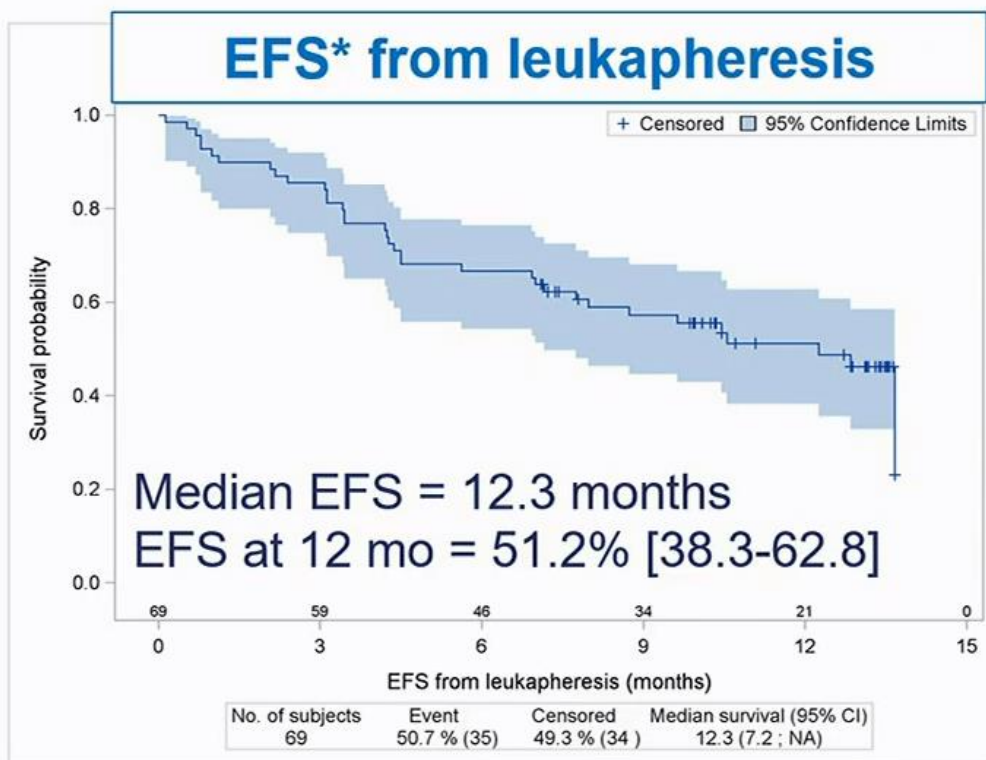
↑ CR at 3 months
from 12% with SOC*
to 34% with Axi-Cel

Power : 96%
 α (one-sided) : 5%

N = 40+22= 62

Median FU = 12 months

Survival : EFS and PFS



Median (range) on-study follow-up at time of analysis : 12 months [2.1-17.9]**

*EFS = time between leukapheresis and any event preventing Axi-cel infusion if Axi-cel is never infused; or death, disease progression, or instauration of a new lymphoma therapy for lymphoma progression after Axi-cel infusion

Patients without documented event at the time of analysis have been censored at the time of last visit with adequate assessment.

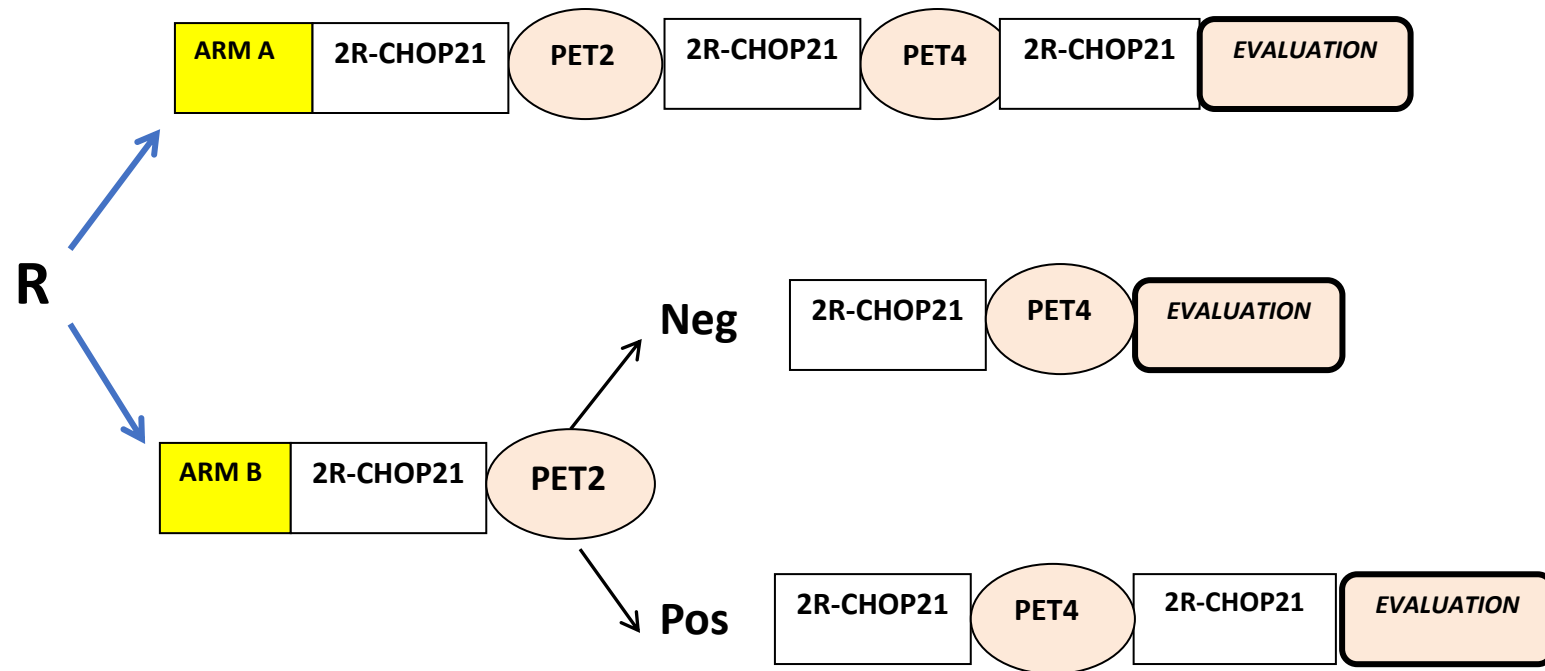
**from Axi-cel infusion

3 months CMR = 71%

18 - 80 ans aalPI 0

LNH 2009-1B

DLBCL: 18-80 y, aaPI=0

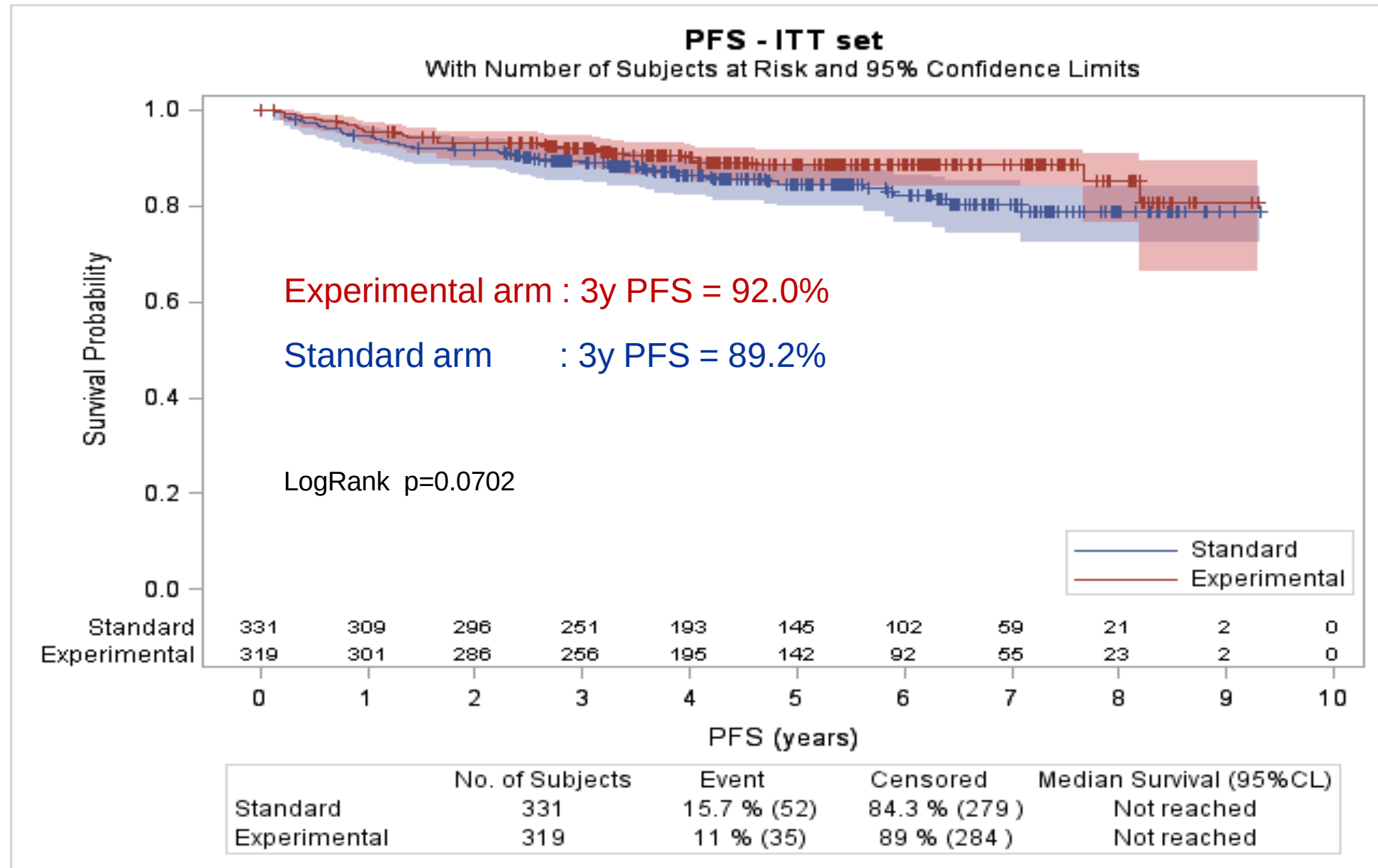


Central decisional PET interpretation: 5PS criteria (1,2,3, vs 4,5)

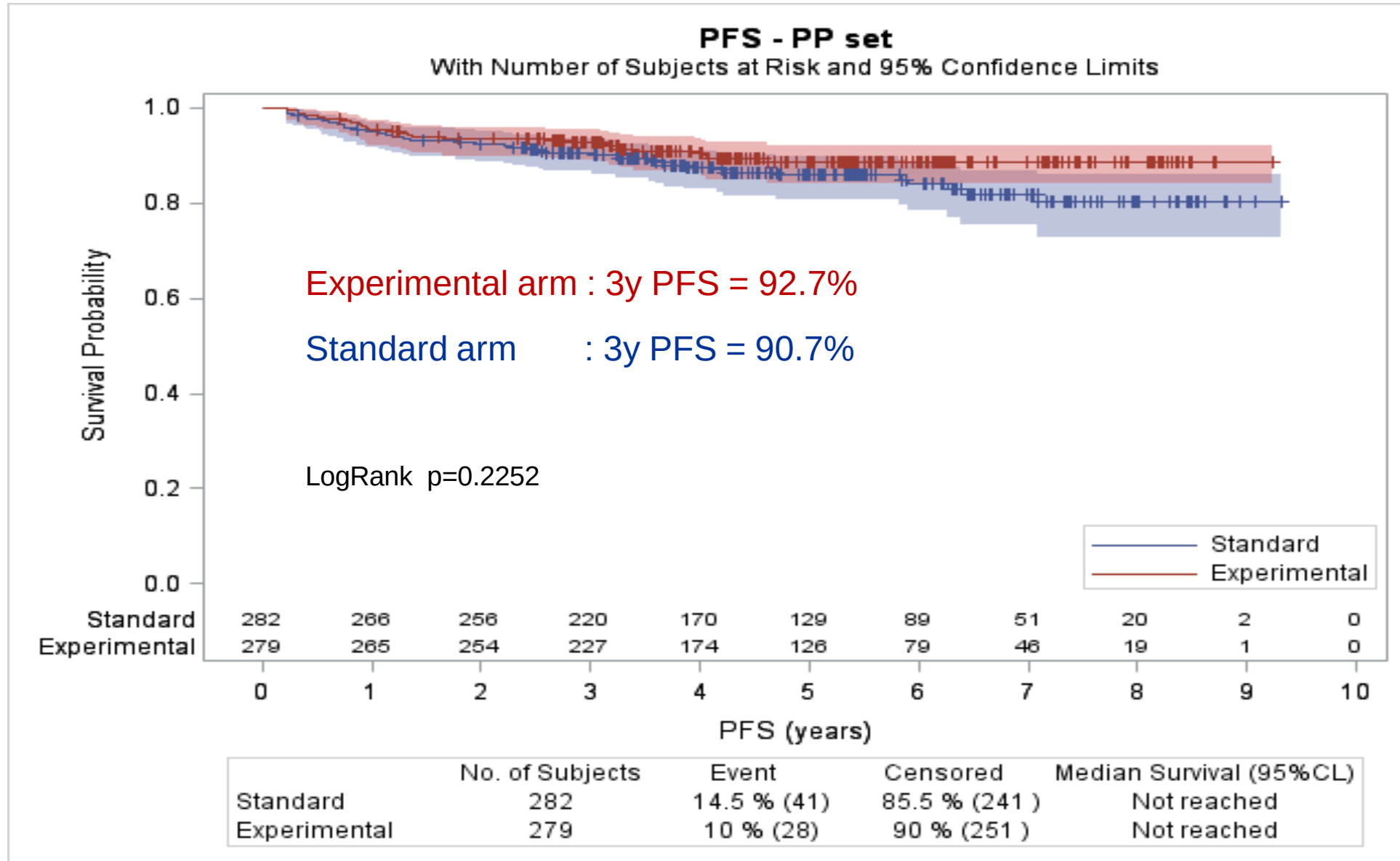
Non inferiority of the experimental arm

Standard arm : 80% 3y-PFS ; Experimental arm: 3y-PFS >70% (HR=1.6)

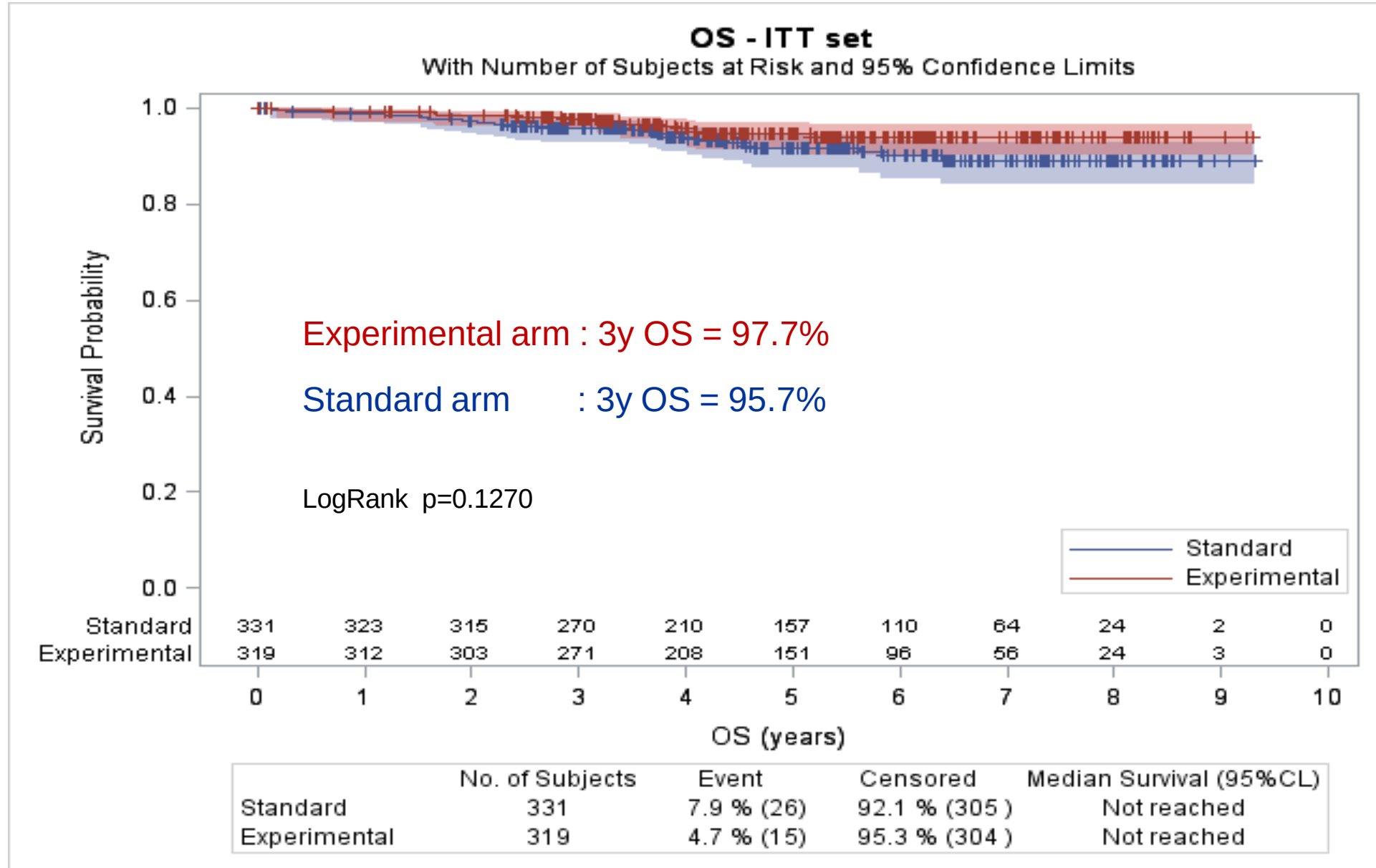
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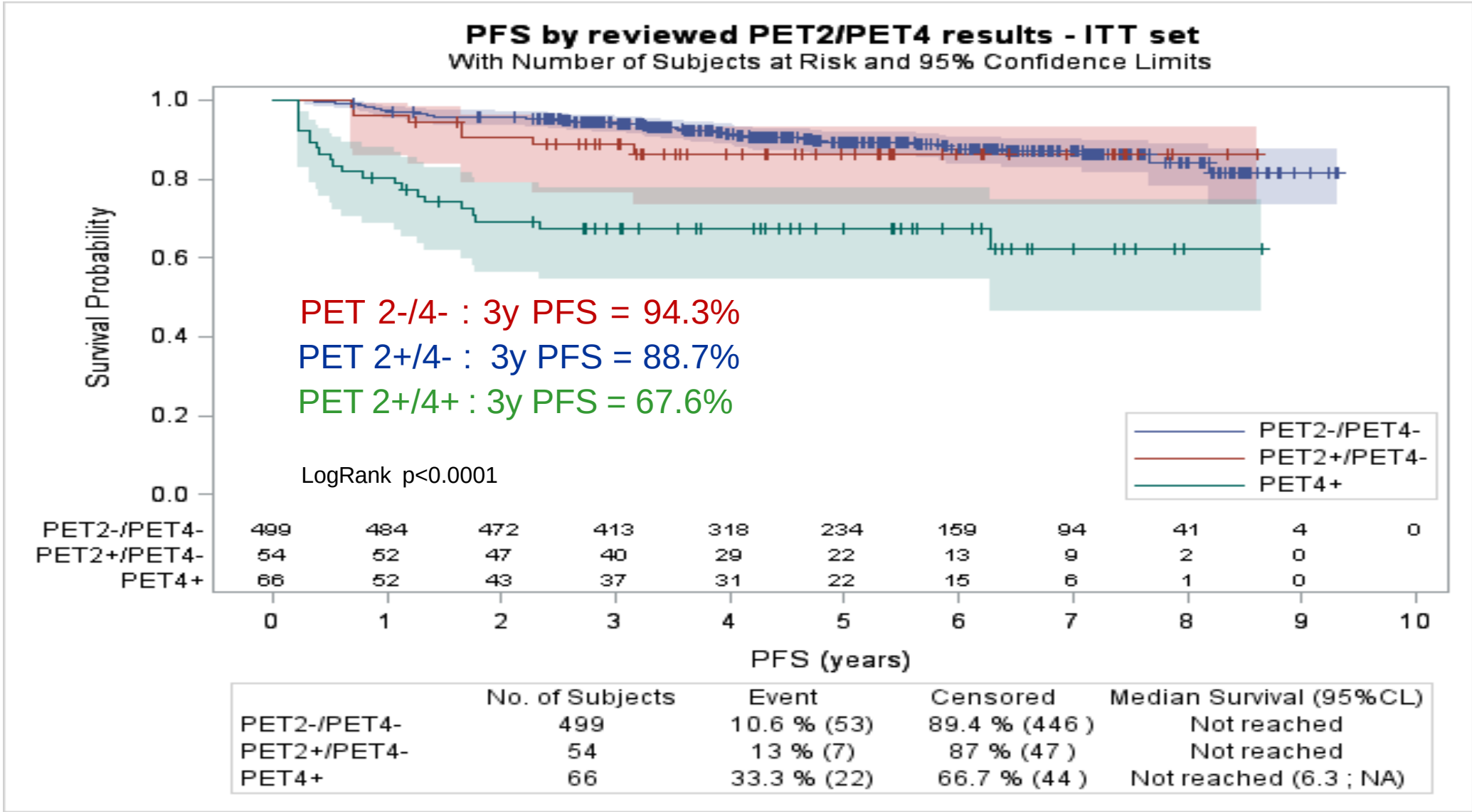
PFS – PP set



OS – ITT set

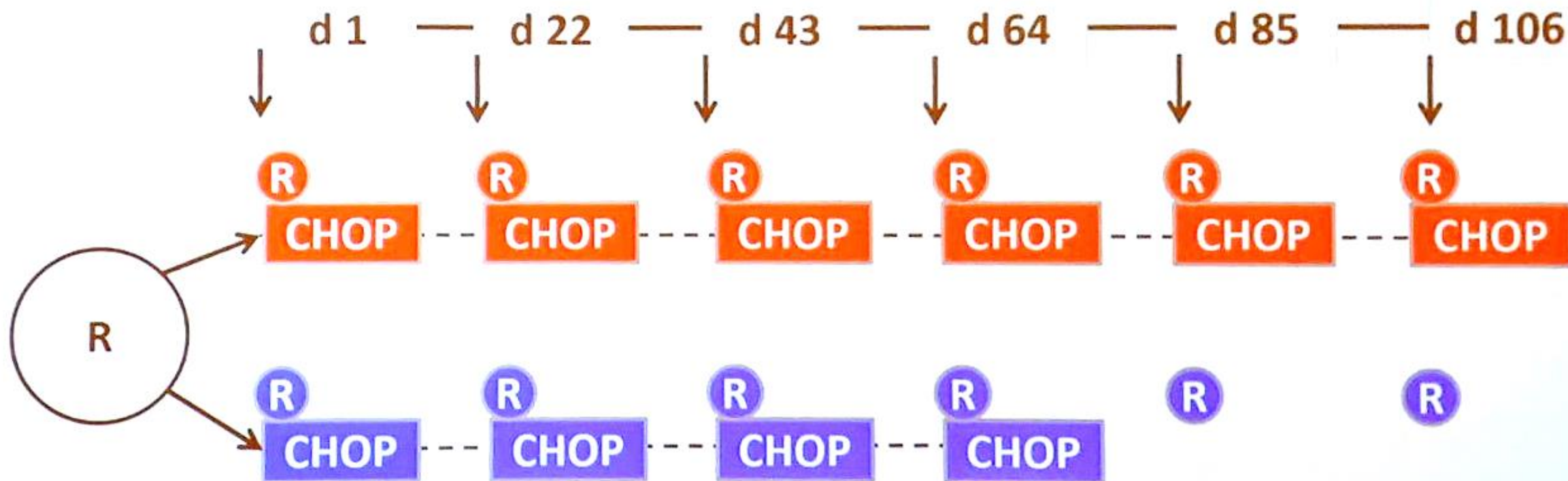


PFS by PET results in whole population

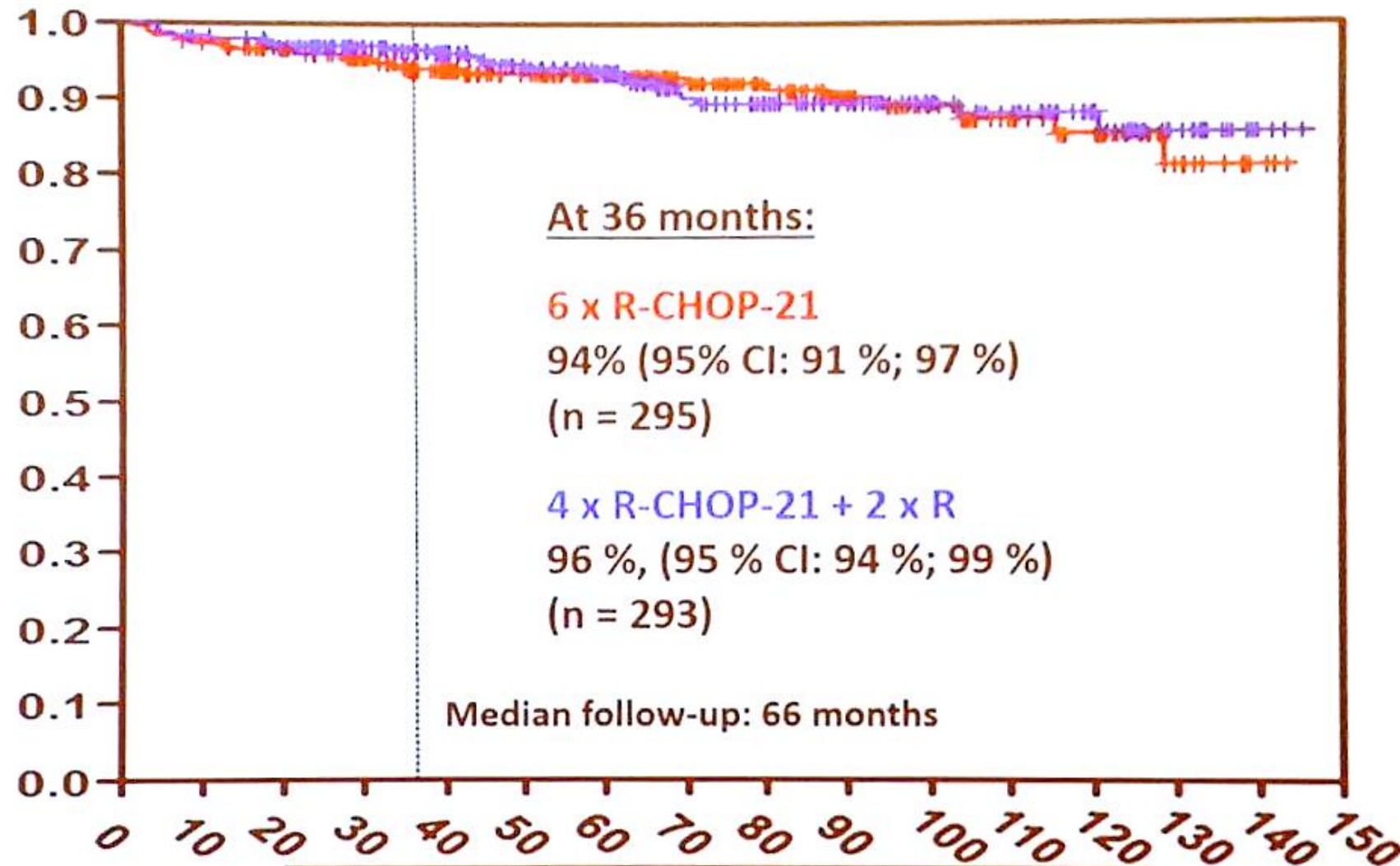


FLYER: Study Design

- Front-line treatment of aggressive B-cell lymphoma
- 18-60 years, stage I/II, aaIPI = 0, no bulk (max. diameter < 7.5 cm)



Primary Endpoint: PFS

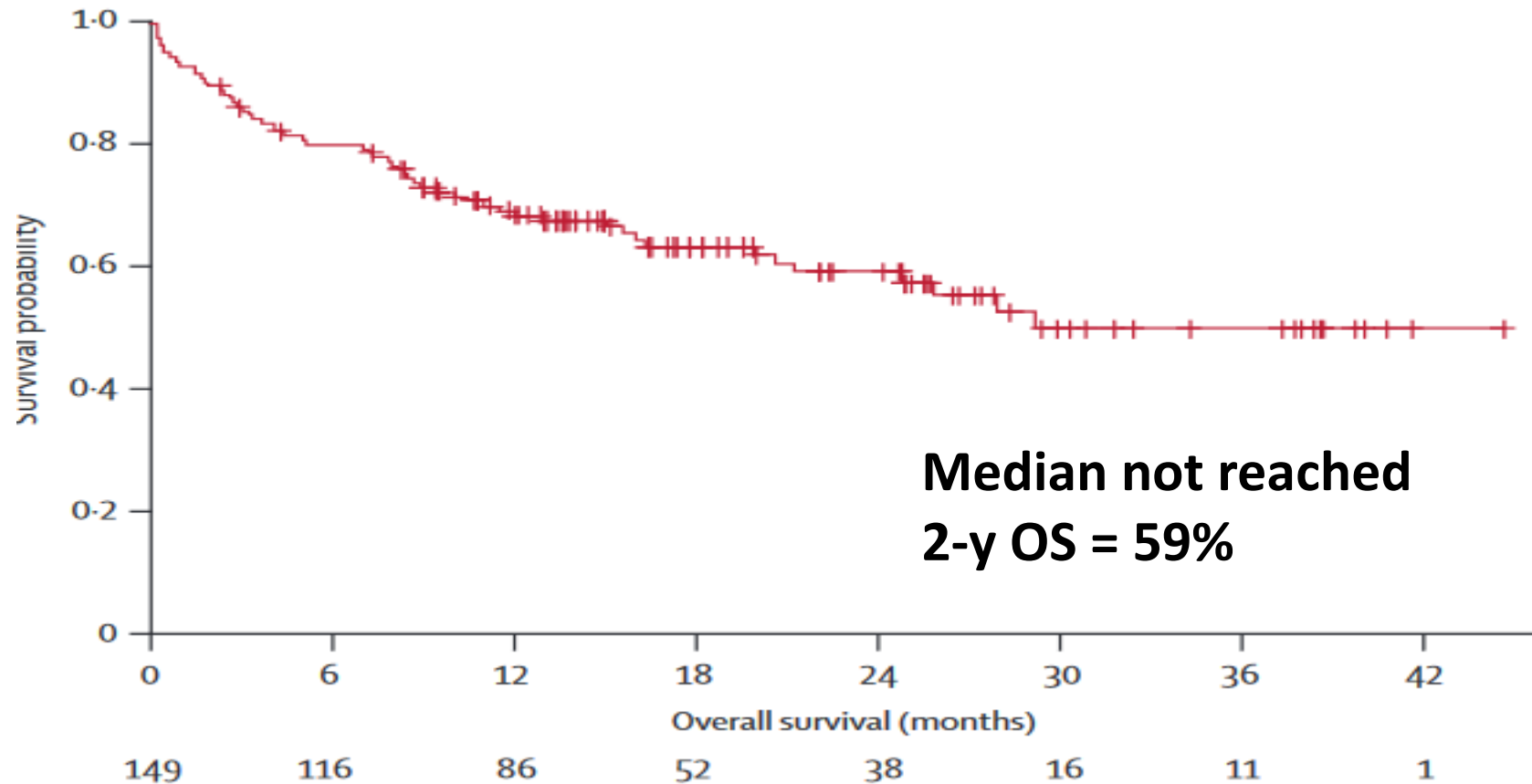


80 ans et plus

LNH 03-7B

Patients **over 80 years** – 2006 -2009, median age 83y (80-95)

Multicentre, single arm, phase II trial : R-miniCHOP - LYSA

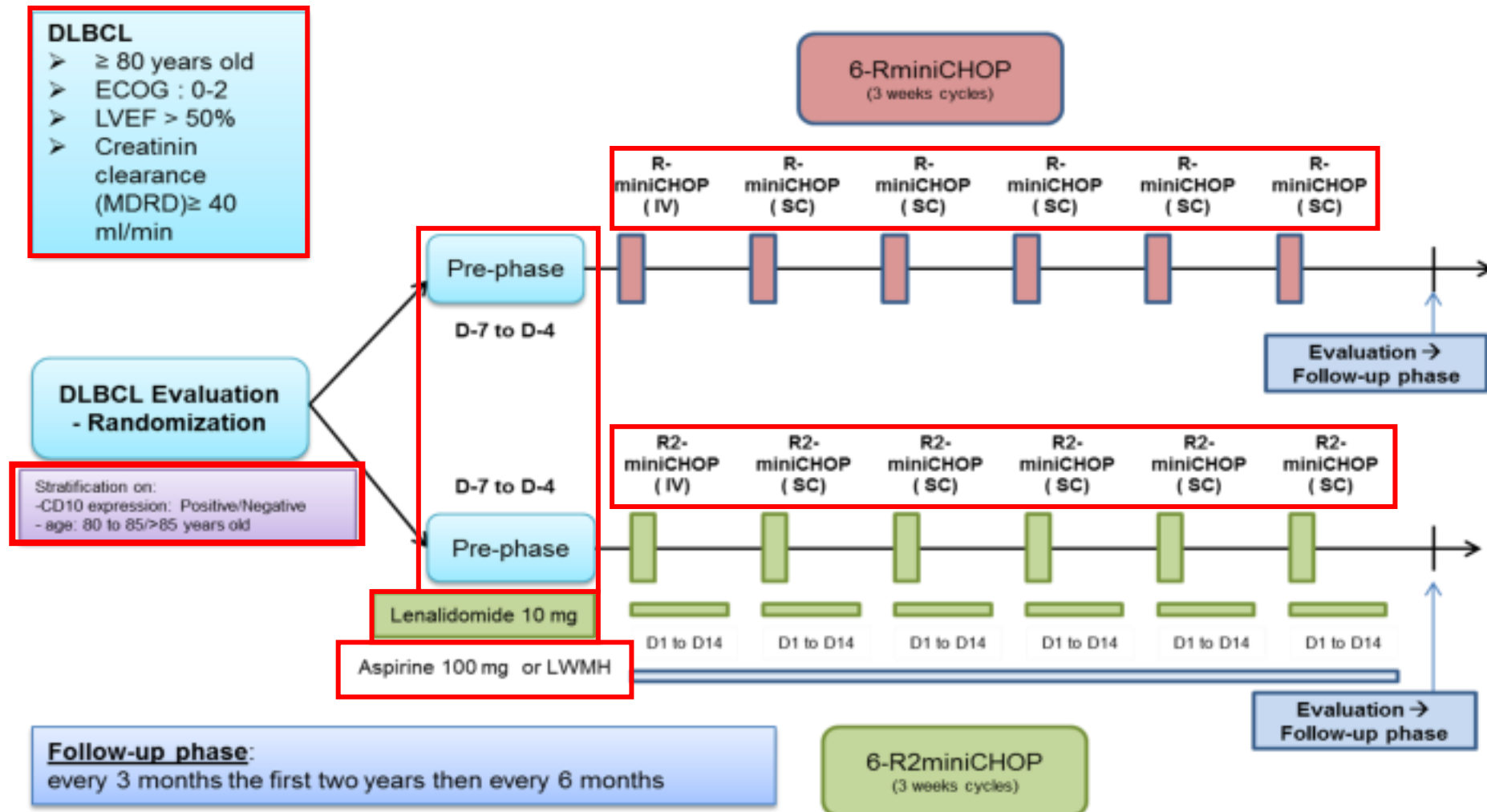


Neutropenia : 39%

Febrile neutropenia : 7%

Peyrade et al. Lancet oncol 2011

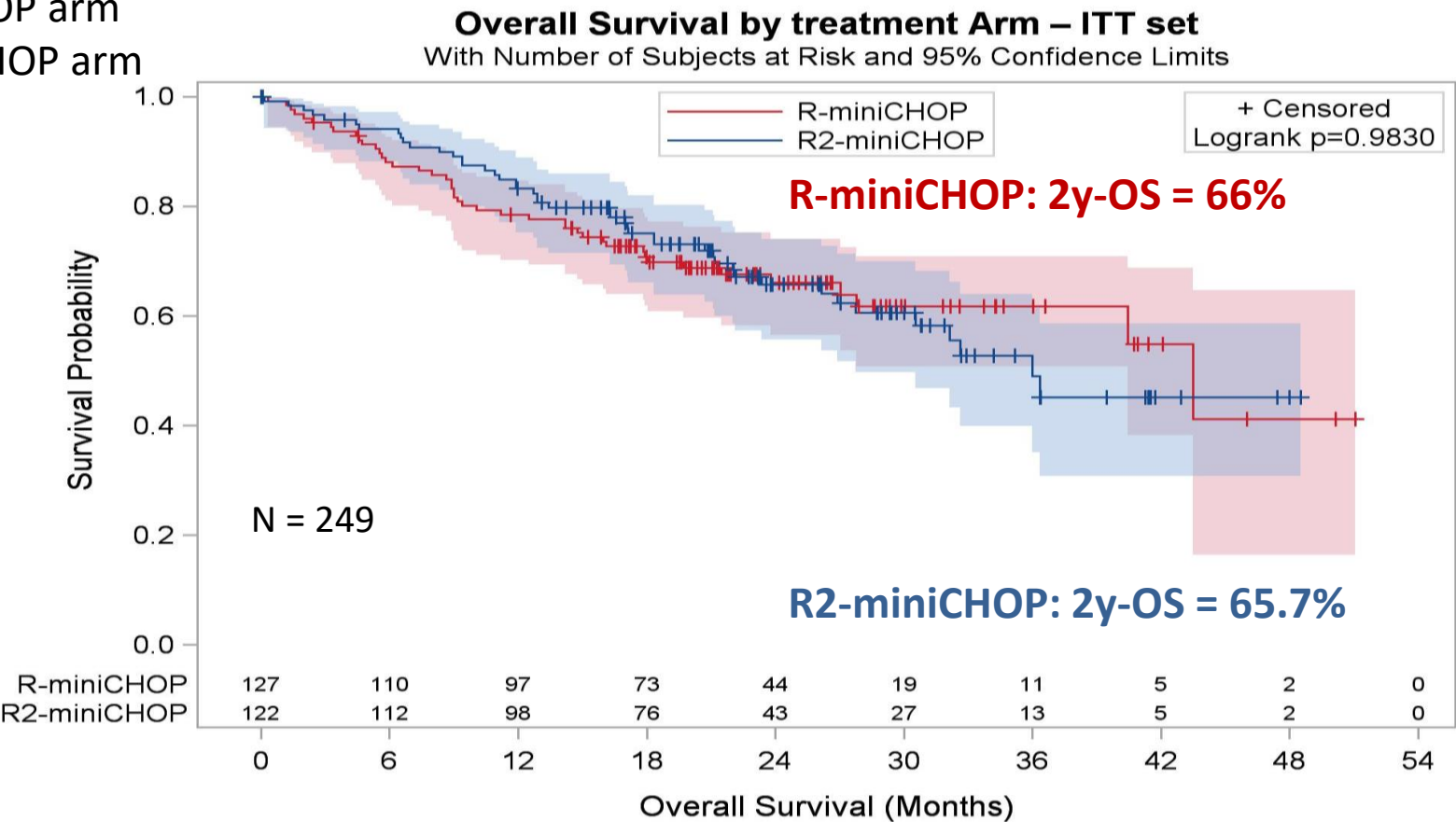
SENIOR : Study Design



SENIOR: Overall Survival (primary endpoint)

81 % of pts completed treatment

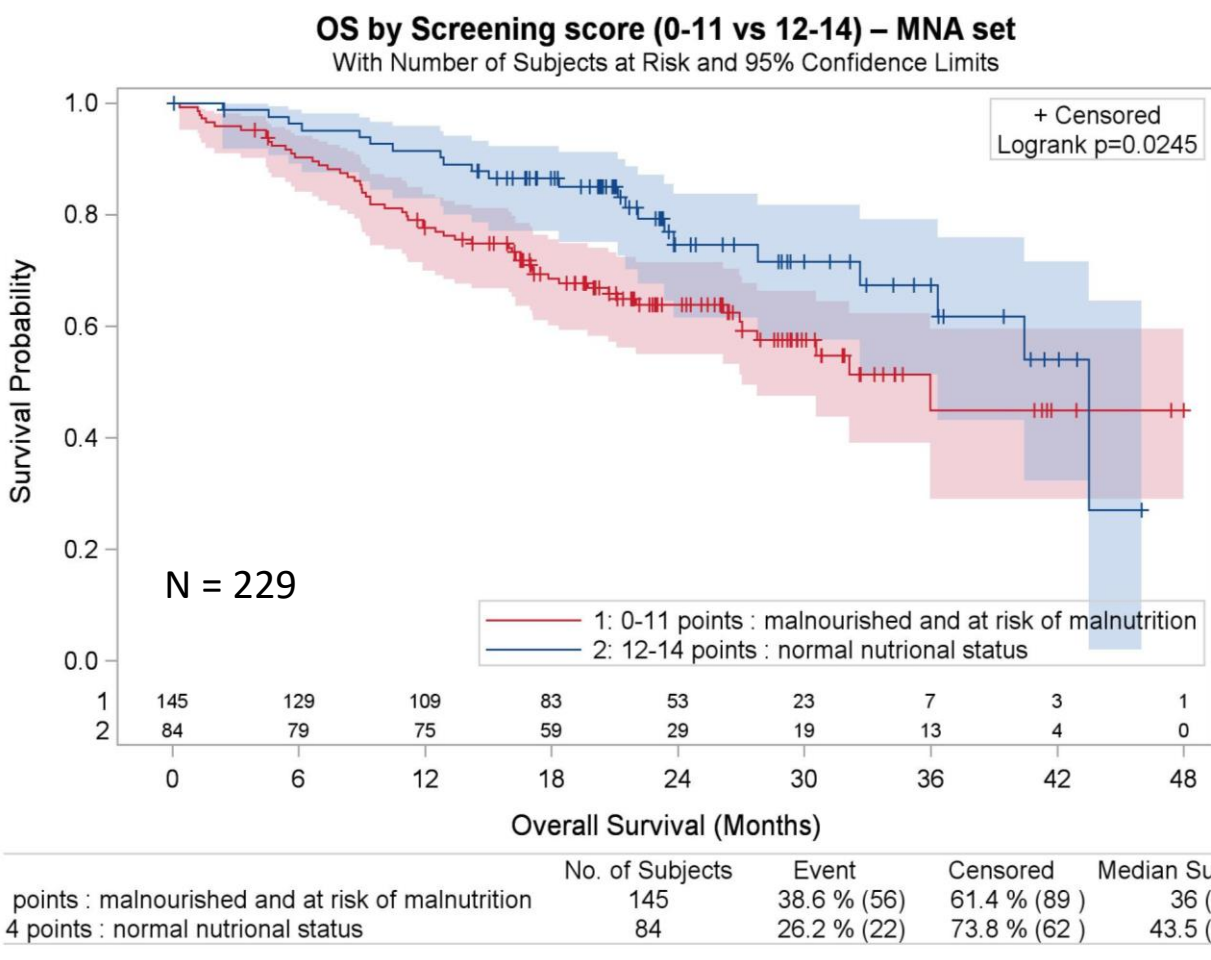
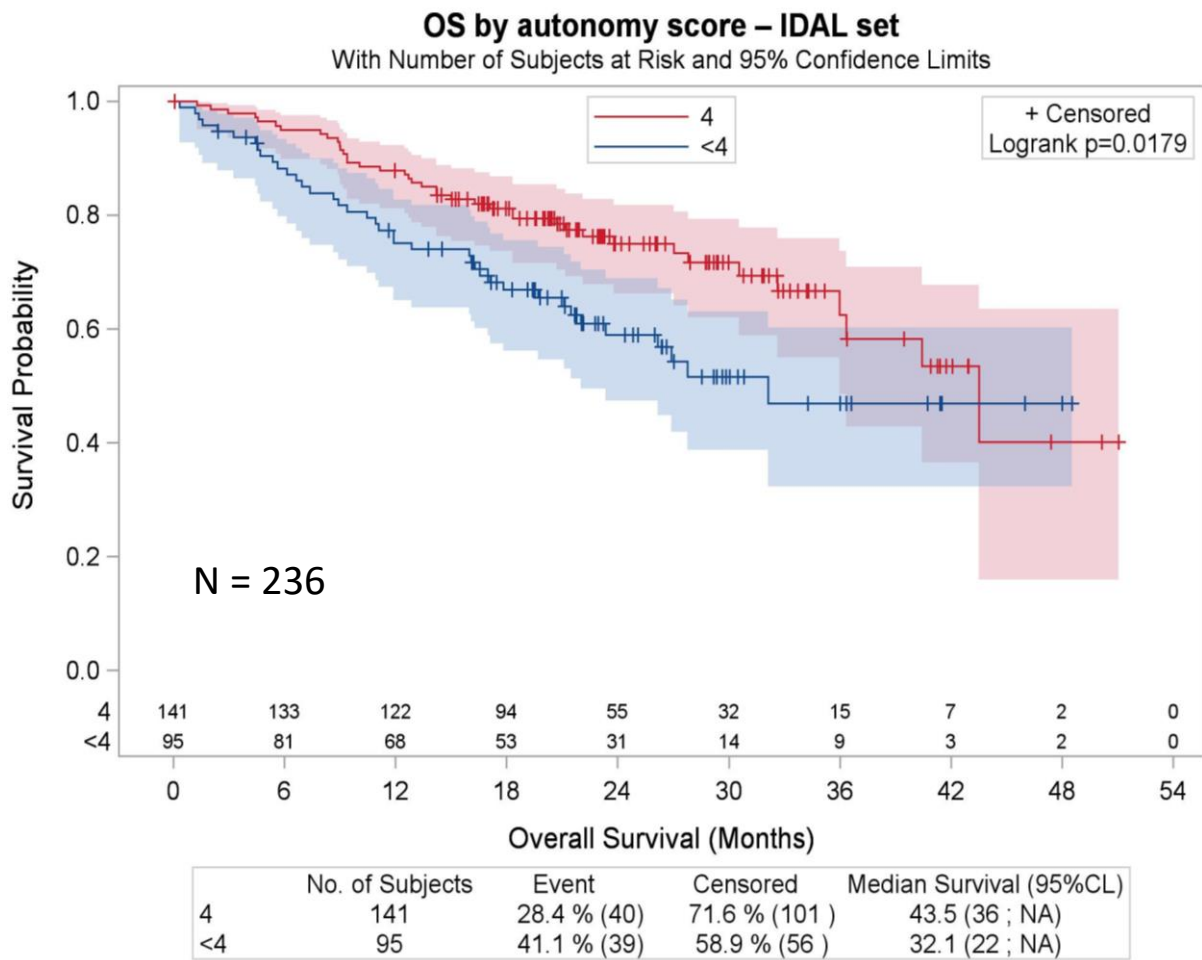
- 79% in R-miniCHOP arm
- 83% in R2-miniCHOP arm



Median follow up
25.1 months

	No. of Subjects	Event	Censored	Median Survival (95%CL)
R-miniCHOP	127	34.6 % (44)	65.4 % (83)	43.5 (40.4 ; NA)
R2-miniCHOP	122	36.9 % (45)	63.1 % (77)	36 (27.8 ; NA)

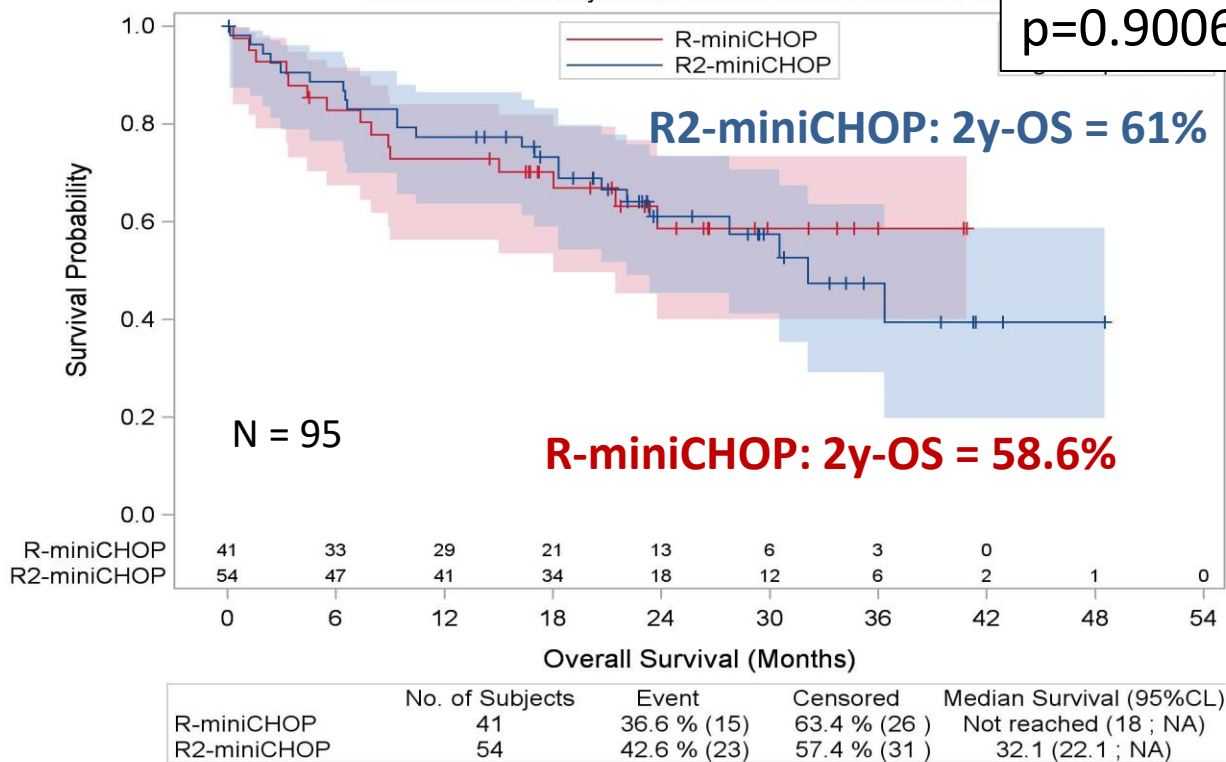
Geriatric scales: IADL (Instrumental Activities of Daily Living) and MNA (Mini Nutritional Assessment)



SENIOR: OS according to Hans classification

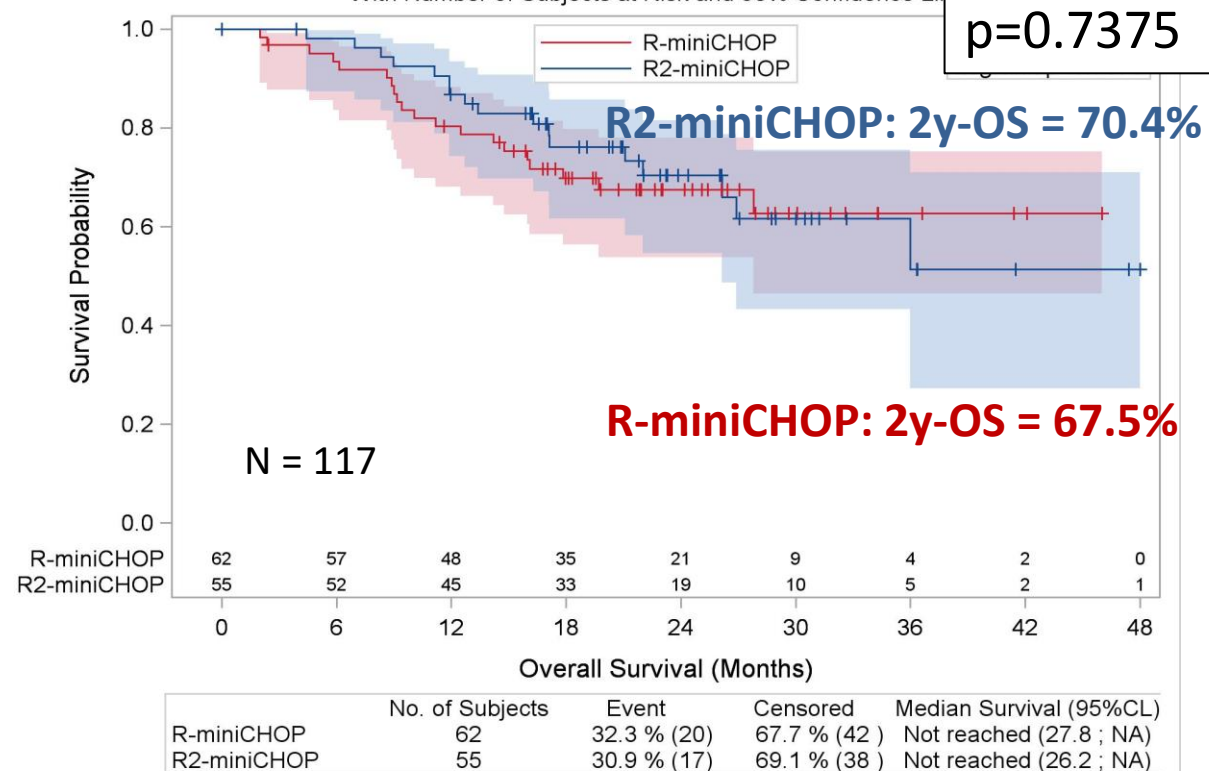
GCB

Overall Survival by Arm - GC (Hans)
With Number of Subjects at Risk and 95% Confidence Limits

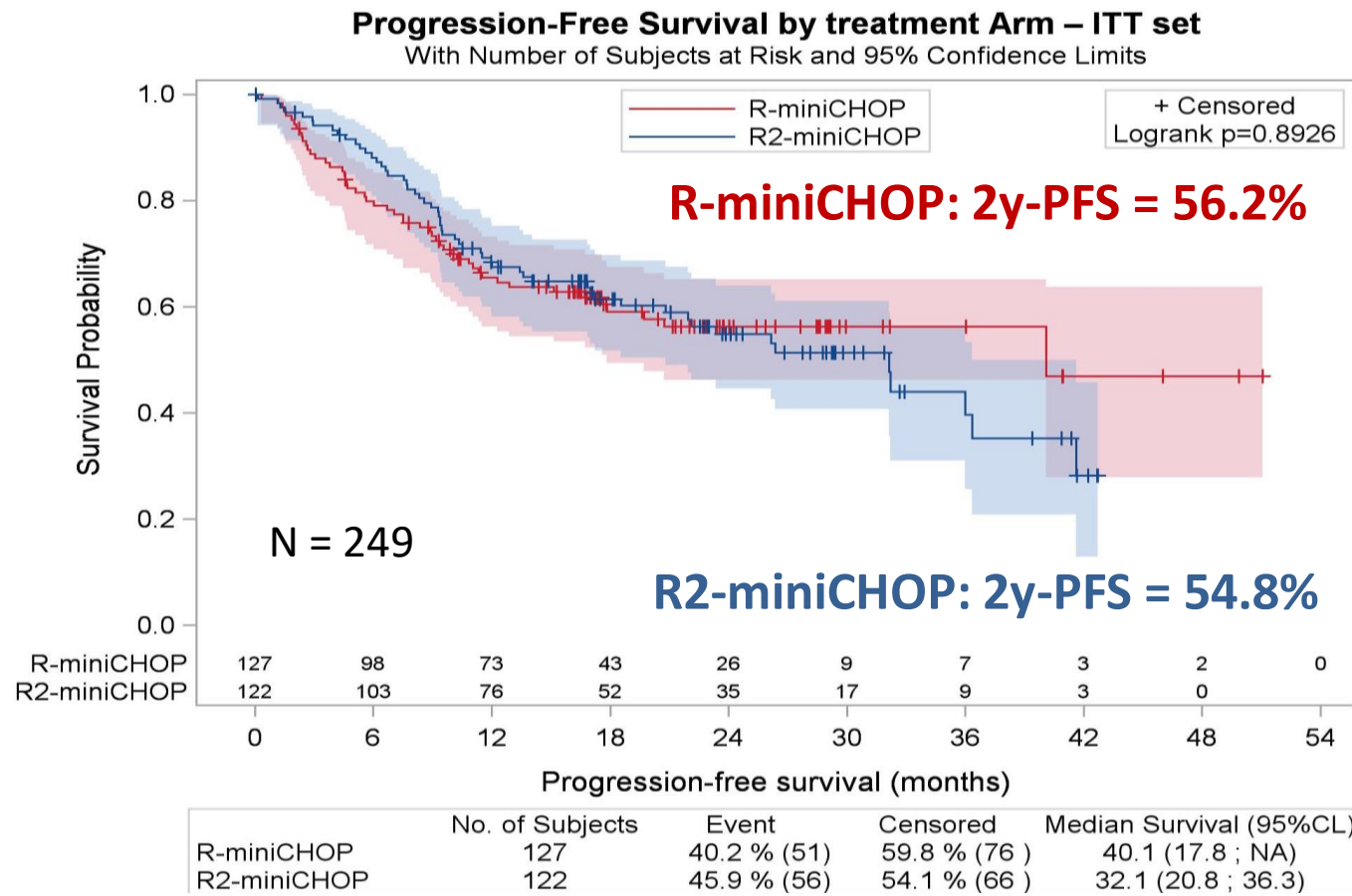


Non-GCB

Overall Survival by Arm - Non GC (Hans)
With Number of Subjects at Risk and 95% Confidence Limits



SENIOR: PFS according to treatment arm

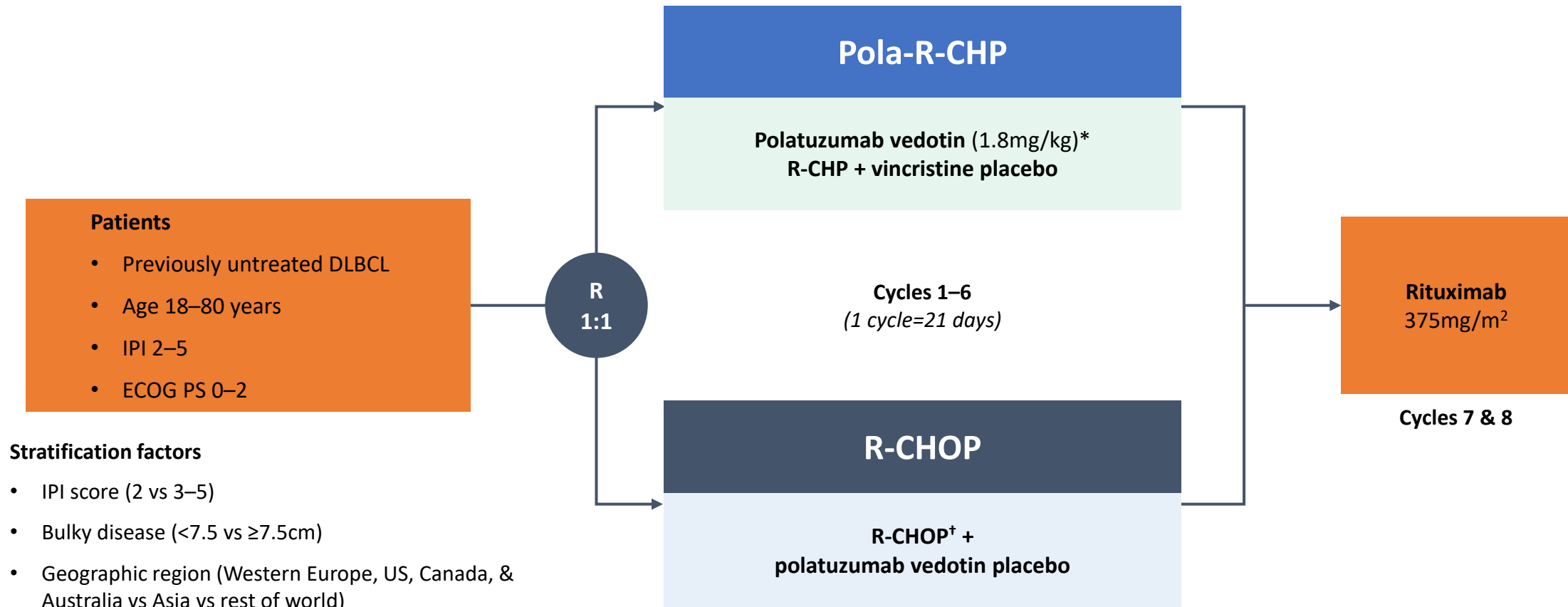


R-CHOP + X

R-CHOP + X: randomized studies

X	Study		n	Primary endpoint		Sub pop of interest
Ibrutinib	PHOENIX	Non GCB	838	PFS	Not reached	Age < 60y
Bortezomib	REMoDL-B	Stage I-IV	1076	PFS	Not reached	ABC & High Grade (GEP)
	PYRAMID	Non GCB	206	PFS	Not reached	
Bevacizumab	MAIN	>18y	787	PFS	Not reached / Toxicity	No
Obinutuzumab	GOYA	IPI≥1	1414	PFS	Not reached	No
	GAINED	aaIPI1-3	670	EFS	Not reached	No
Lenalidomide	ROBUST	ABC	570	PFS	Not reached	No
	SENIOR	>80y	249	OS	Not reached (OS, PFS)	
Polatuzumab	POLARIX	IPI 2-5	879	PFS	Improved 2y-PFS (76.7% v 70.2%) not OS	ABC?

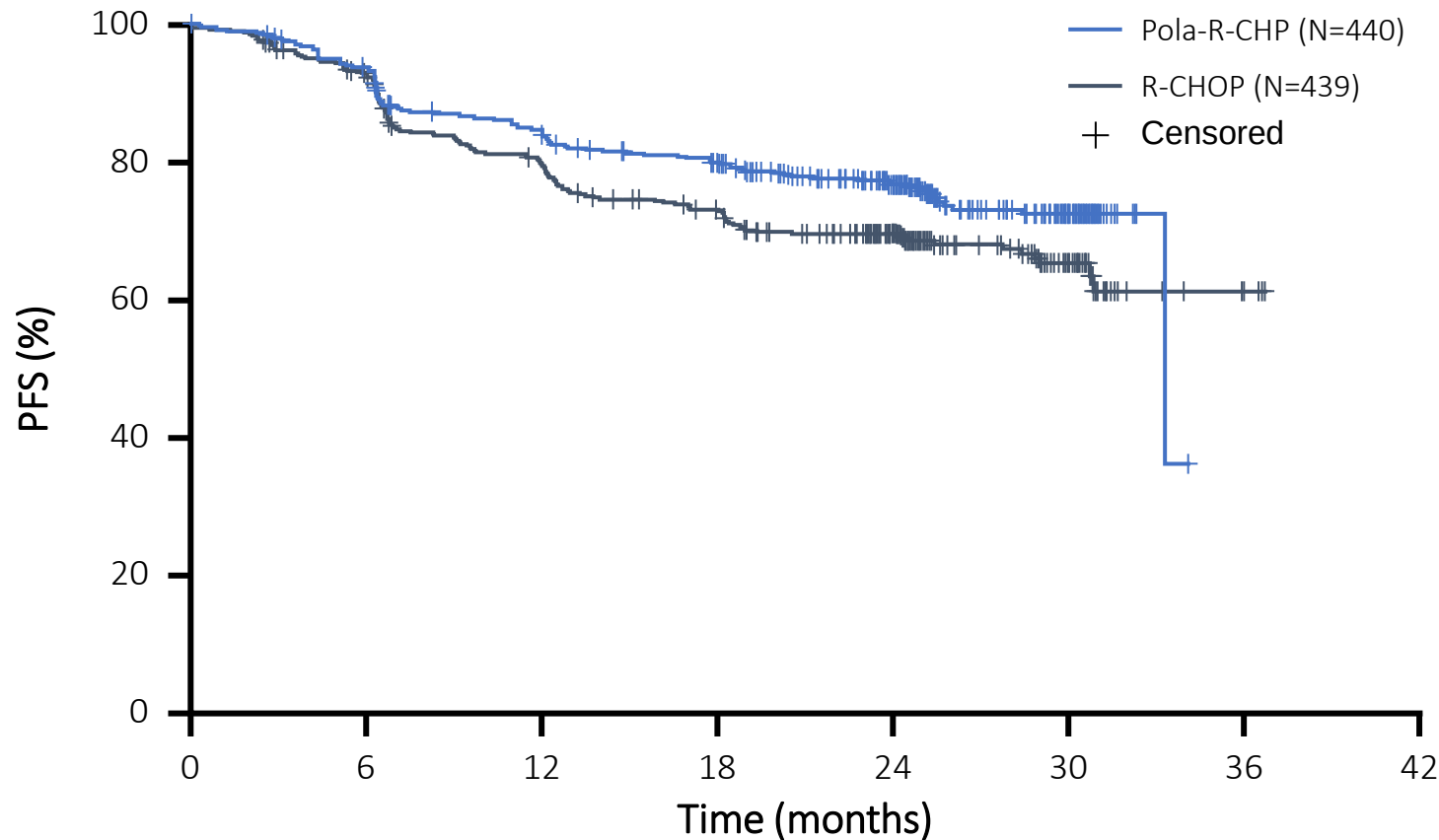
POLARIX: A randomized double-blinded study



*IV on Day 1; [†]R-CHOP: IV rituximab 375mg/m², cyclophosphamide 750mg/m², doxorubicin 50mg/m², and vincristine 1.4mg/m² (max. 2mg) on Day 1, plus oral prednisone 100mg once daily on Days 1–5.
IPI, International prognostic index; ECOG PS, Eastern Cooperative Oncology Group performance status; R, randomized.

Primary endpoint: Progression-free survival

Pola-R-CHP significantly improved PFS versus R-CHOP



HR 0.73 ($P < 0.02$)

95% CI: 0.57, 0.95

- Pola-R-CHP demonstrated a **27% reduction in the relative risk of disease progression, relapse, or death** versus R-CHOP
- **24-month PFS:**
76.7% with Pola-R-CHP versus 70.2% with R-CHOP ($\Delta = 6.5\%$)

No. of patients at risk

Pola-R-CHP	440	404	353	327	246	78	NE	NE
R-CHOP	439	389	330	296	220	78	3	NE

ITT population. Data cut-off: June 28, 2021; median 28.2 months' follow-up.
NE, not evaluable.

Safety summary

Safety profiles were similar with Pola-R-CHP and R-CHOP

n (%)	Pola-R-CHP (N=435)	R-CHOP (N=438)
Any-grade adverse events	426 (97.9)	431 (98.4)
Grade 3–4	251 (57.7)	252 (57.5)
Grade 5	13 (3.0)	10 (2.3)
Serious adverse events	148 (34.0)	134 (30.6)
Adverse events leading to:		
Discontinuation of any study drug	27 (6.2)	29 (6.6)
Polatuzumab vedotin / vincristine	19 (4.4)	22 (5.0)
Dose reduction of any study drug	40 (9.2)	57 (13.0)

R-CHOP + CD20xCD3

- R-CHOP – Glofitamab:
 - Phase I B : N = 56; ORR 93.5%; CR 76%
- R-CHOP – Epcoritamab
- R-CHOP - Odronextamab

Study Design: EPCORE™ NHL-2 Arm 1

A phase 1b/2, open-label trial evaluating the safety and antitumor activity of epcoritamab + R-CHOP in adults with previously untreated DLBCL^a

Key inclusion criteria

- Newly diagnosed CD20⁺ DLBCL^b
 - DLBCL, NOS
 - T-cell/histiocyte-rich DLBCL
 - Double-hit or triple-hit DLBCL^c
 - FL grade 3B
- IPI score ≥ 3
- ECOG PS 0–2
- Measurable disease by CT or MRI
- Adequate organ function

Data cutoff: January 31, 2023

Median follow-up: 14.2 mo

ClinicalTrials.gov: NCT04663347

Treatment regimen: Concomitant epcoritamab SC 48 mg + R-CHOP

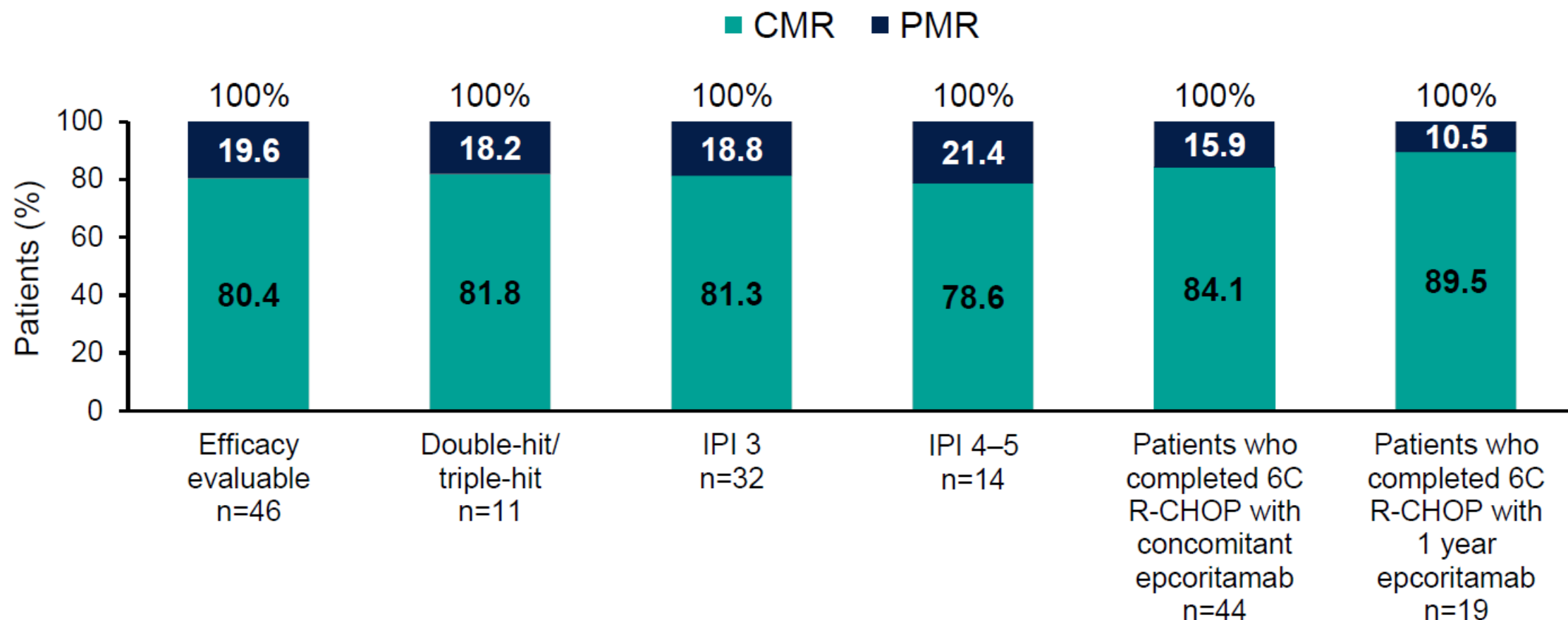
Agent	C1–C4	C5–C6	C7+
Epcoritamab SC 48 mg	QW	Q3W	Q4W Up to 1 year
Rituximab IV 375 mg/m ²	Q3W		
Cyclophosphamide IV 750 mg/m ²			
Doxorubicin IV 50 mg/m ²			
Vincristine ^d IV 1.4 mg/m ²			
Prednisone IV or oral 100 mg/d	D1–5 of each cycle		

R-CHOP

Primary objective: Antitumor activity^e

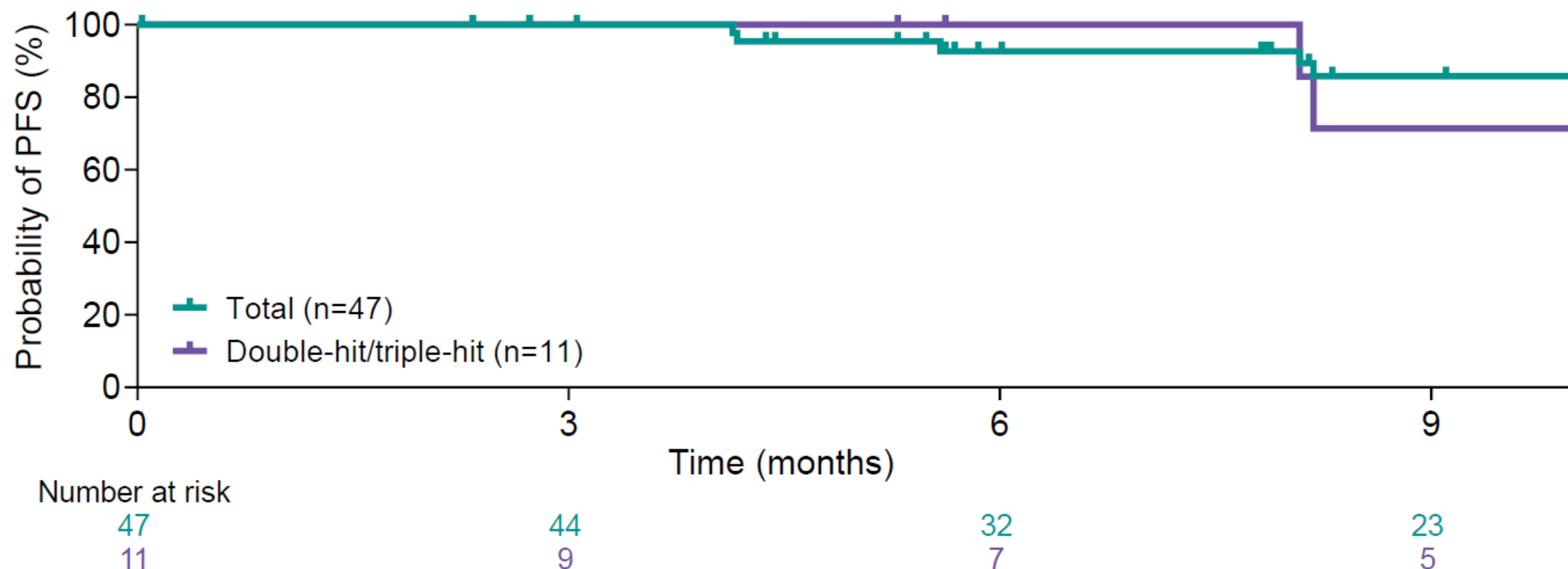
^aPatients received SC epcoritamab with 2 step-up doses (SUD) before the first full dose and corticosteroid prophylaxis to mitigate CRS. R-CHOP was given in 21-d cycles. Subsequent cycles of epcoritamab were 28 d. ^bDe novo or histologically transformed from FL or nodal marginal zone lymphoma. ^cClassified as HGBCL, with *MYC* and *BCL2* and/or *BCL6* translocations. ^dRecommended maximum 2 mg. ^eTumor response was evaluated by PET-CT obtained at 6, 12, 18, 24, 36, and 48 wk, and every 24 wk thereafter, until disease progression.

High Rates of Complete Response Across Subgroups



Data cutoff: January 31, 2023. Best response was based on modified response-evaluable population, defined as patients with ≥ 1 target lesion at baseline and ≥ 1 postbaseline response evaluation and patients who died within 60 d of first trial treatment prior to first assessment. One patient was not considered response evaluable because this patient withdrew consent from the trial without receiving a response evaluation.

Progression-Free Survival



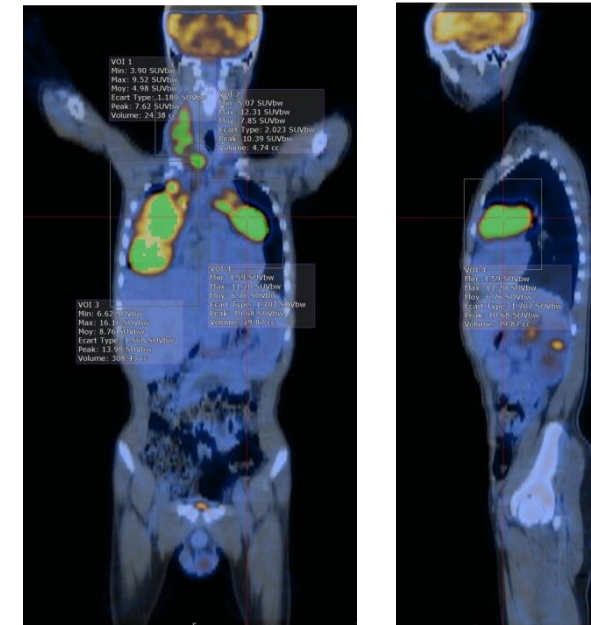
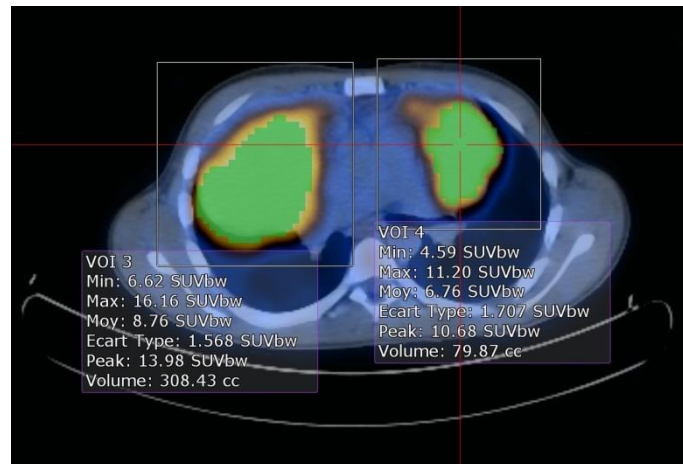
Median PFS was not reached in the overall population

Kaplan-Meier estimated probability of progression-free survival.

Nouvelles modalités d'évaluation

Baseline total metabolic volume (TMTV)

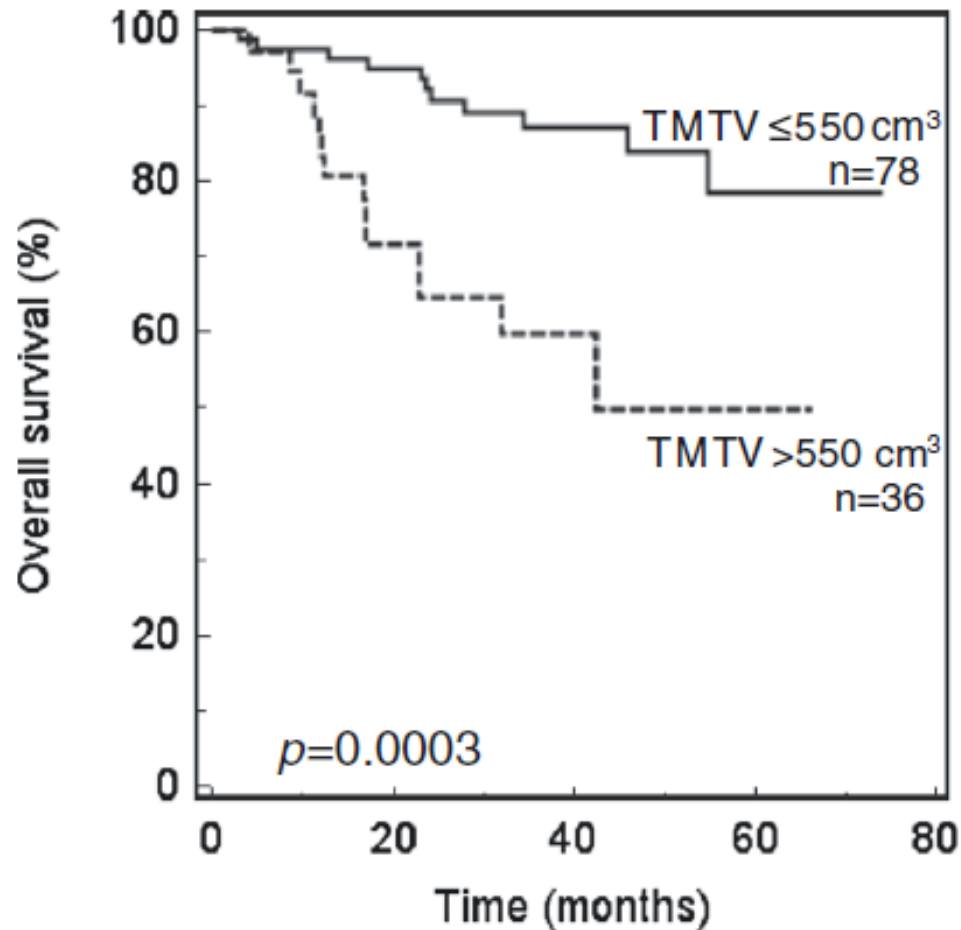
- A region of interest (ROI) is drawn around each foci FDG uptake
- In each ROI, hypermetabolic voxels are selected. Several methods have been published:
 - **Fixed SUV cut-off** : voxels with a $SUV \geq 2.5$ are incorporated in the volume
 - Based on the SUVmax of each ROI: voxels presenting a $SUV > 41\% SUV_{max}$ of the ROI are incorporated in the volume*
- All individual tumors volume are added to compute the TMTV



*Boellaard R et al. *EJNM*. 2010; 37: 181
Meignan M et al. *EJNM* 2014; 41: 1113

TMTV impacts the outcome of DLBCL pts

114 DLBCL pts, 31% >60y, aalPI>1 = 65%, median FU = 39 months



Method: 41% SUVmax thresholding
Median TMTV = 315 ml
Cut-off = 550 ml

Multivariate analysis

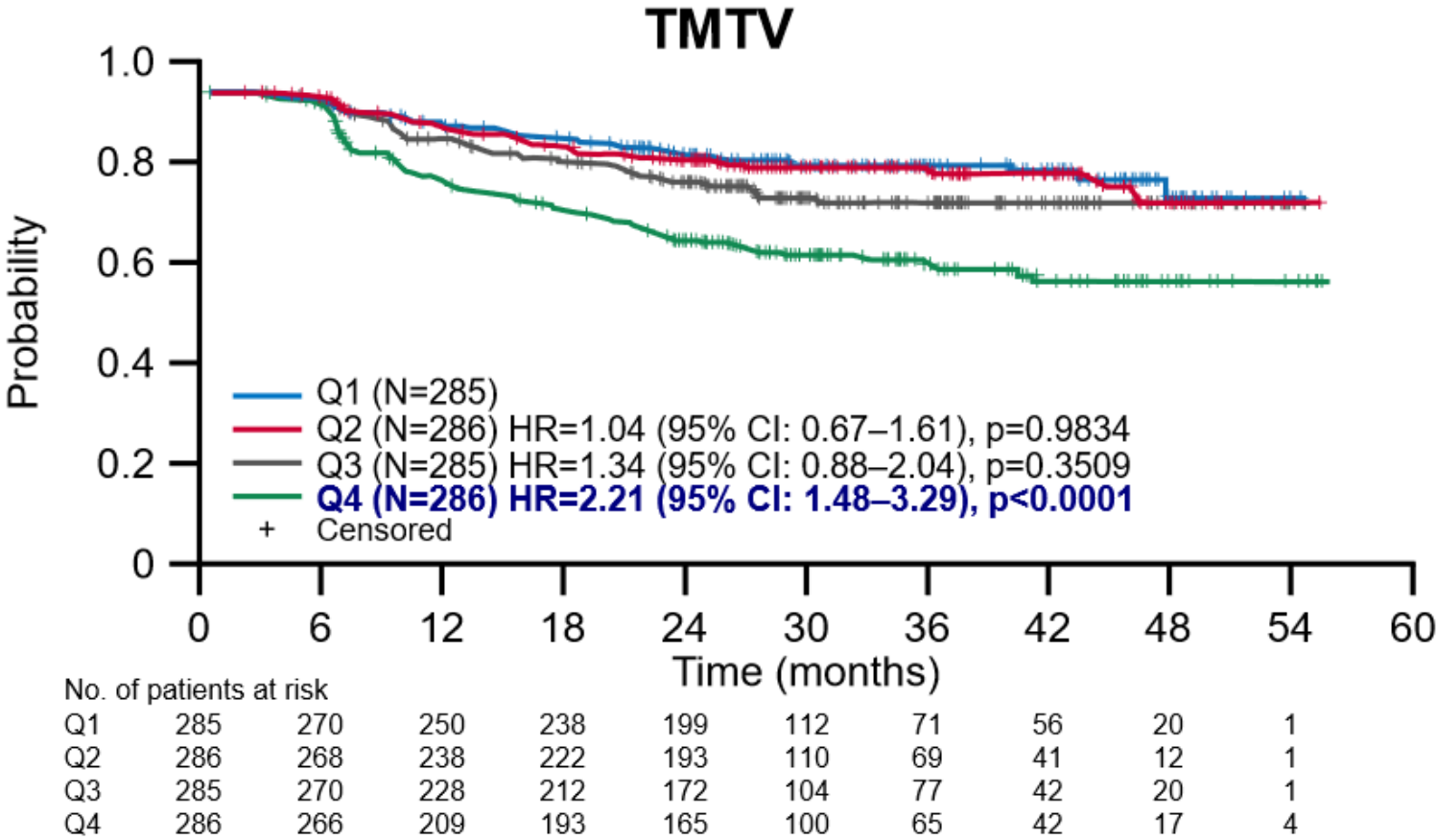
	PFS			OS	
	RR	P		RR	P
aalPI 0-1/2-3	0.86	0.72		1.77	0.28
Bulk ≥ 10cm	0.68	0.35		0.61	0.28
TMTV > 550ml	2.65	0.03		4.11	0.002

Prognostic value of baseline TMTV for PFS

(TMTV split in quartiles , GOYA study)

1418 DLBCL ≥18 y, IPI≥2, IPI=0 if Bulk≥7.5, IPI 1 (not age)

Method: 1.5 x liver SUVmean
Median TMTV = 336 cm3



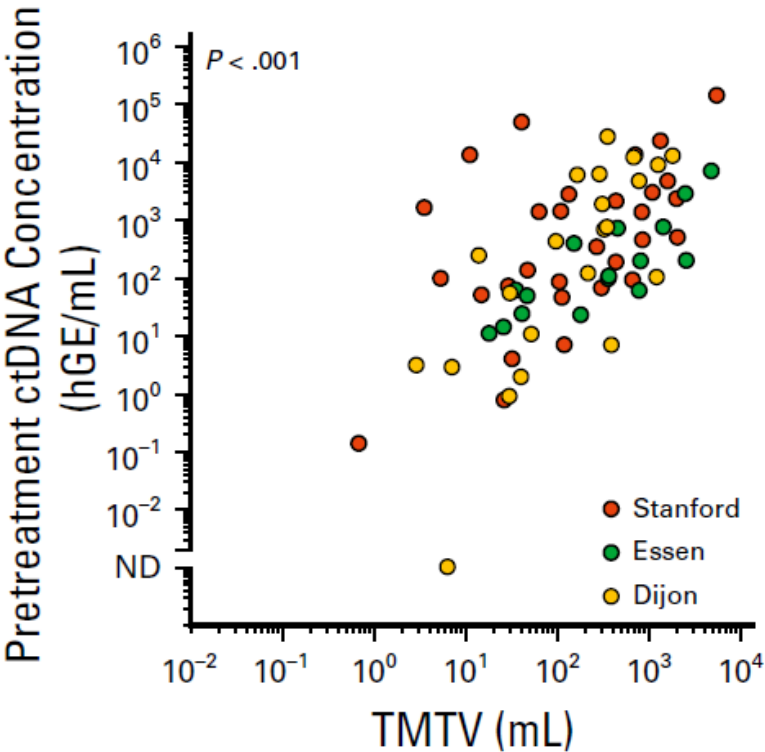
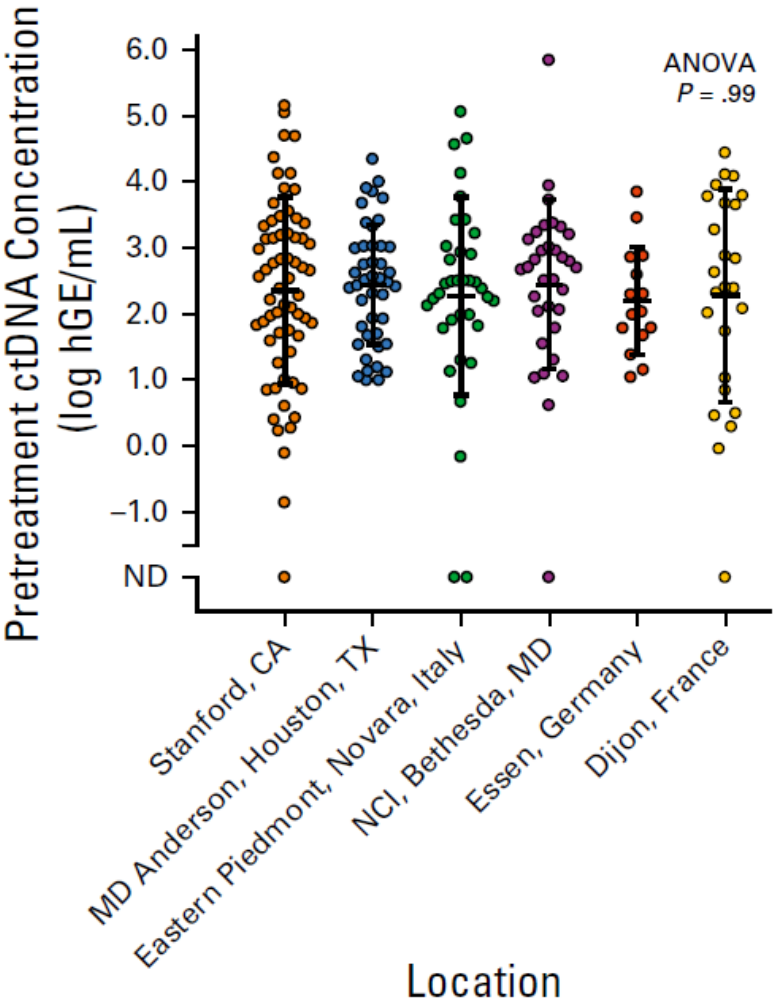
Factor*	HR	Wald 95% CI	P-value
TMTV Q4 vs Q1	1.91	1.10–3.30	0.0211
COO ABC vs GCB	2.09	1.44–3.03	0.0001
IPI High vs low-intermediate	1.86	1.17–2.96	0.0088
Geographic region Western Europe vs Asia	0.61	0.41–0.92	0.0192
Time from initial diagnosis to randomization	0.66	0.46–0.95	0.0232

DLBCL: Baseline TMTV and ctDNA concentration

CAPP-seq genotyping

Feature	
Total size	314 kb
# genes	334
Fusions	<i>BCL2</i> <i>BCL6</i> <i>MYC</i>
SNVs / pt	134
Depth	~2000x

ctDNA detectable in 98% of patients at baseline



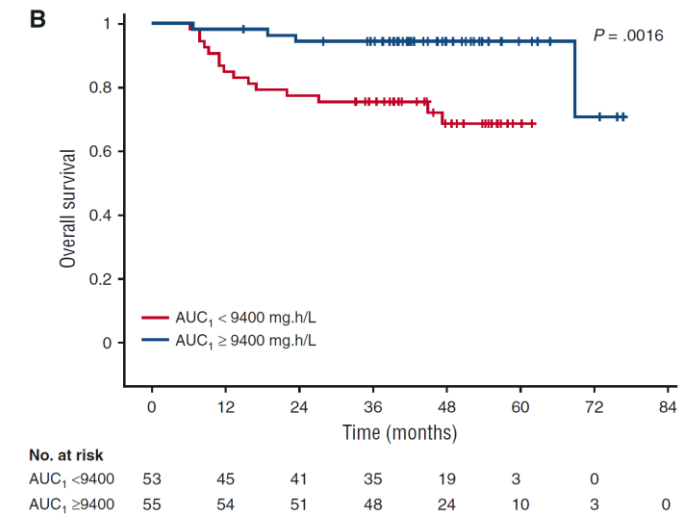
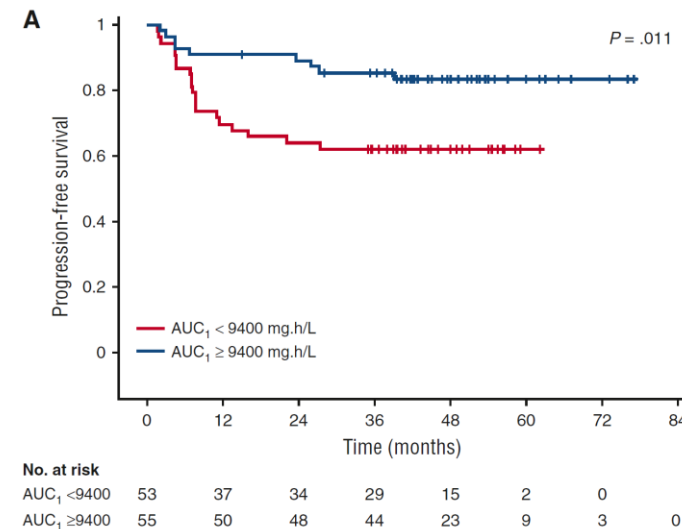
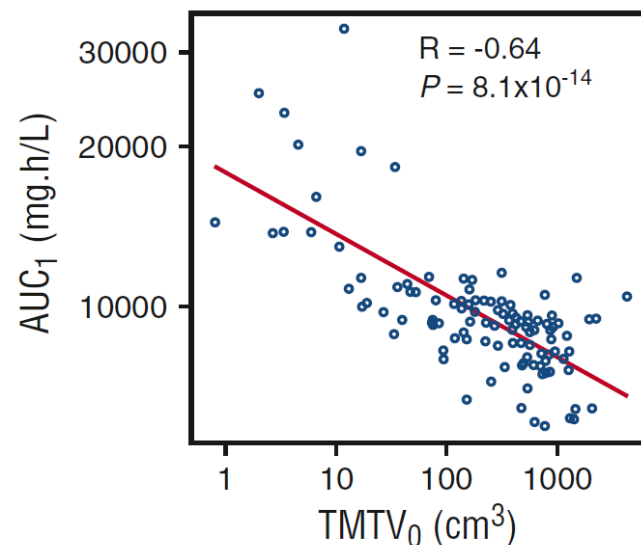
CLINICAL TRIALS AND OBSERVATIONS

Rituximab exposure is influenced by baseline metabolic tumor volume and predicts outcome of DLBCL patients: a Lymphoma Study Association report

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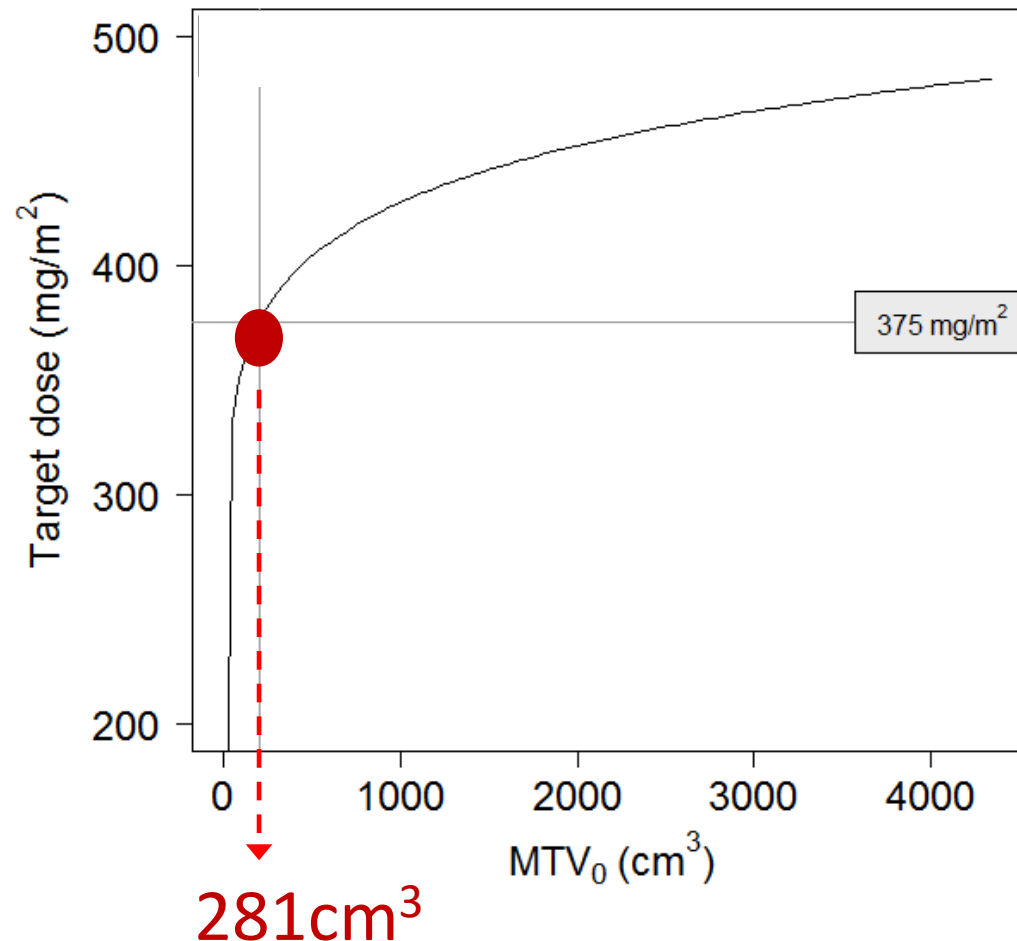
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Target dose of Rituximab according to TMTV



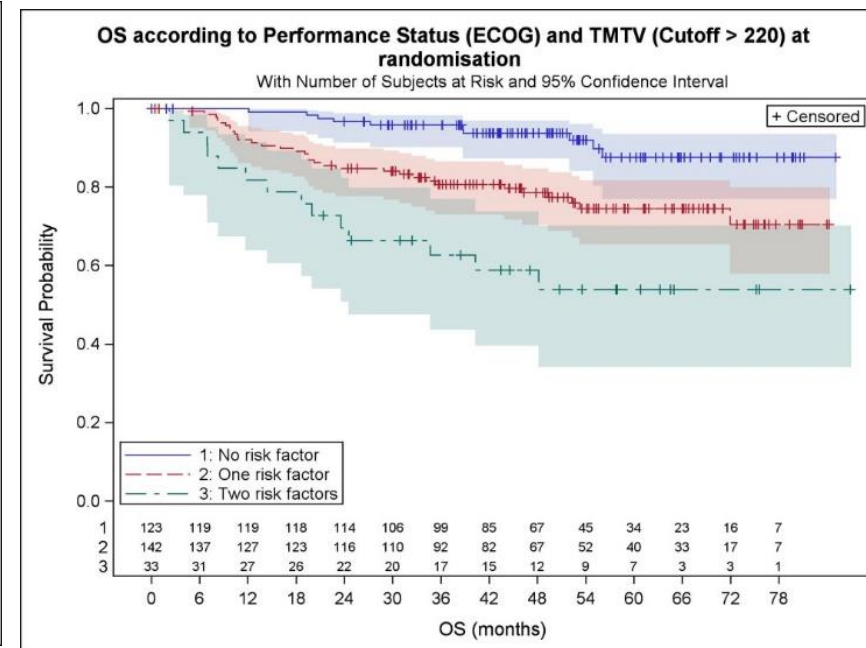
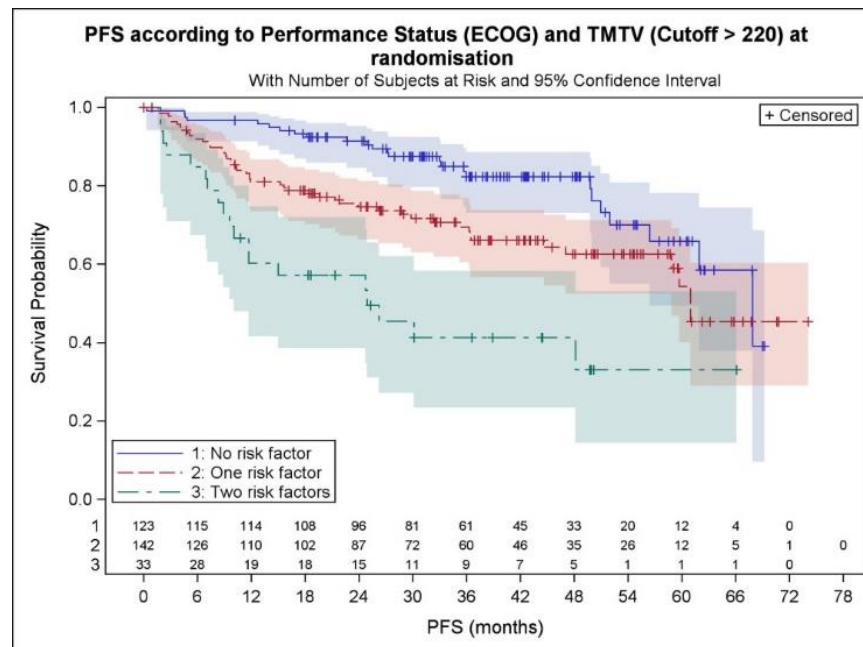
$$\text{Target dose (mg/m}^2\text{)} = 237.59 \times (\text{TMTV})^{0.081}$$



Standard dose of 375 mg/m² is suitable if TMTV <281 cm³



REMARC: Baseline TMTV and PS combination



4 y PFS

4 y OS

No risk factor

82%

94%

1 risk factor

63% (HR:1.9 CI:1.2-3.0)

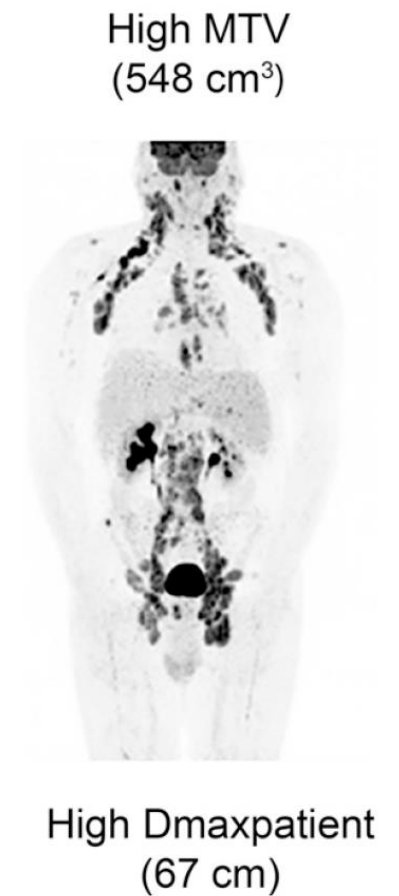
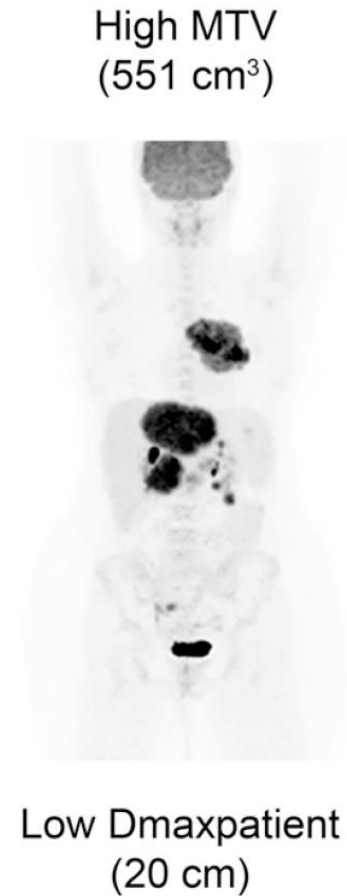
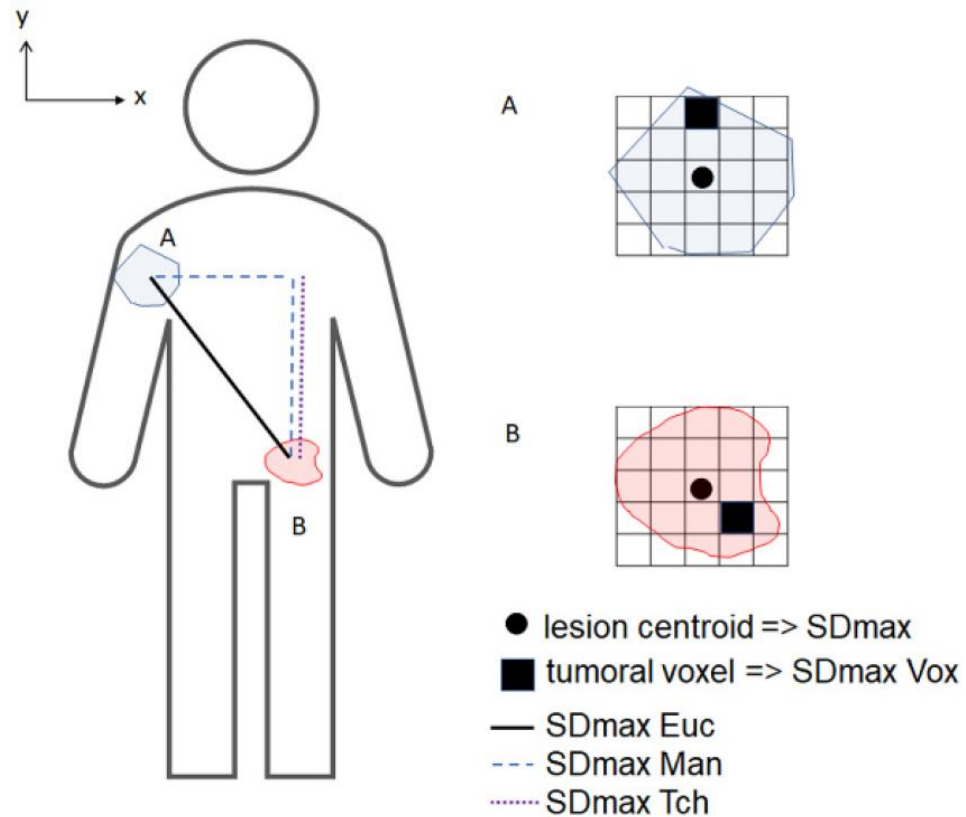
79% (HR=3.0 CI:1.5-6.2)

2 risk factors

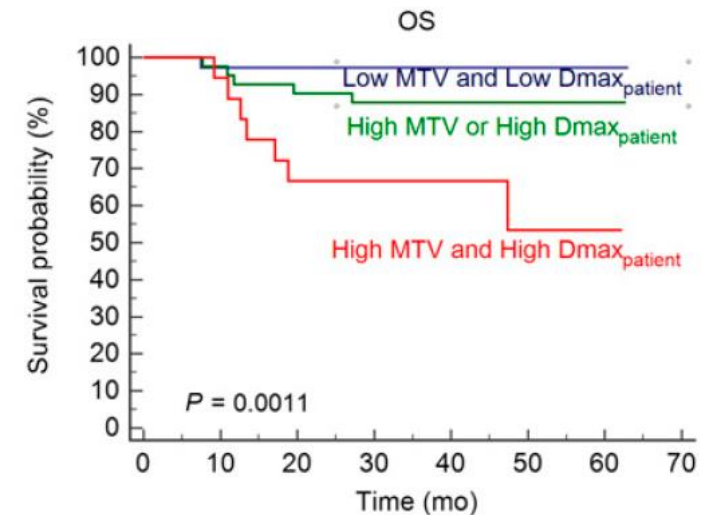
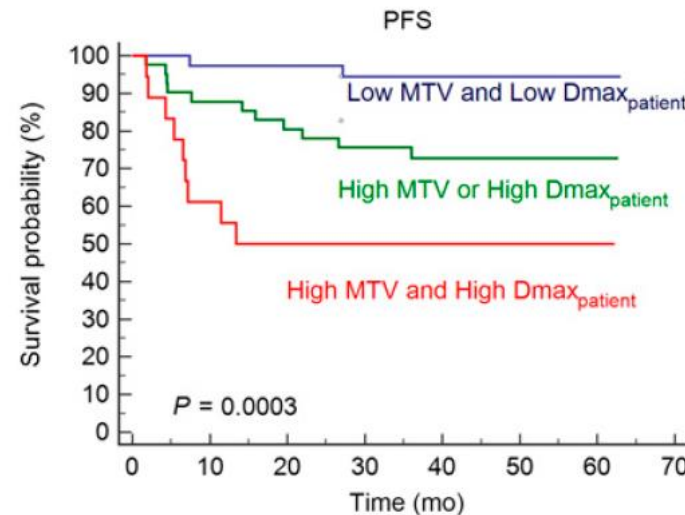
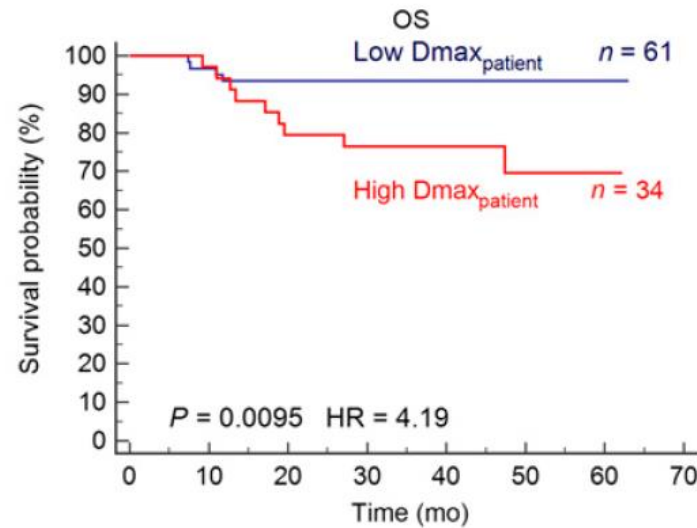
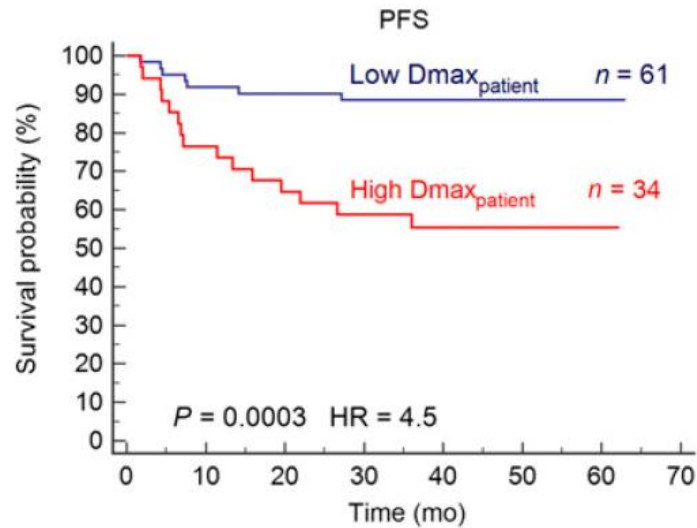
41% (HR=4.4 CI:2.4-8.1)

59% (HR=6.6 CI:2.9-14.9)

Dissemination features in DLBCL

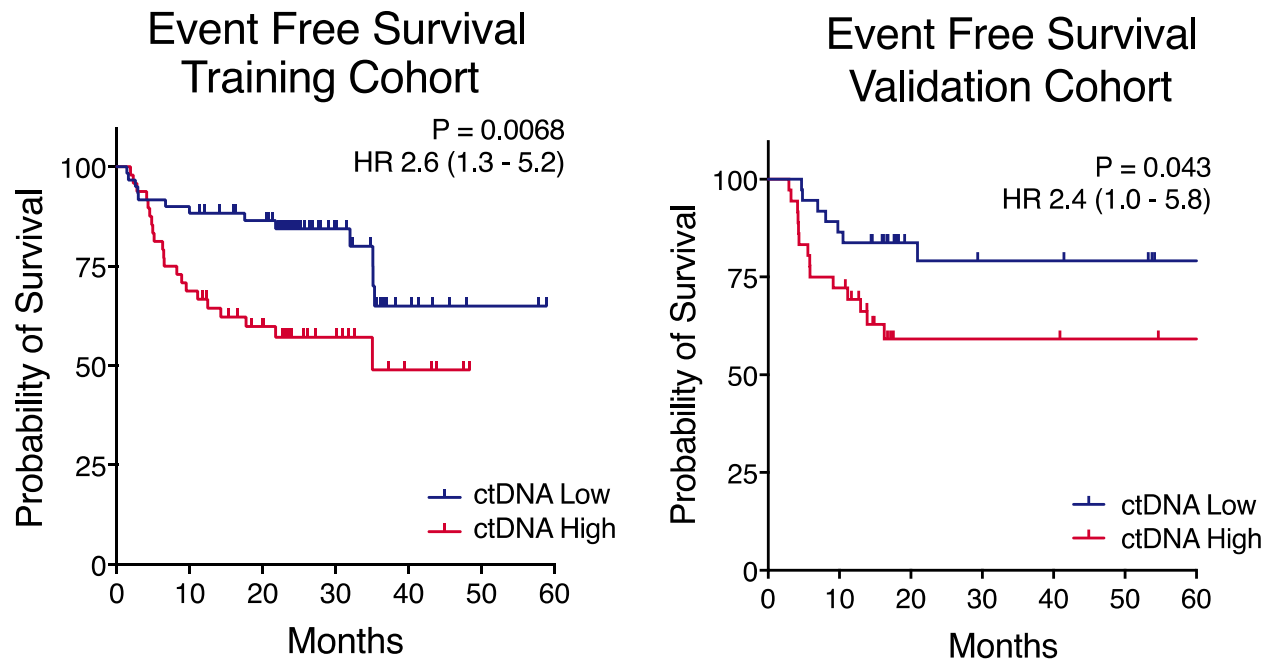


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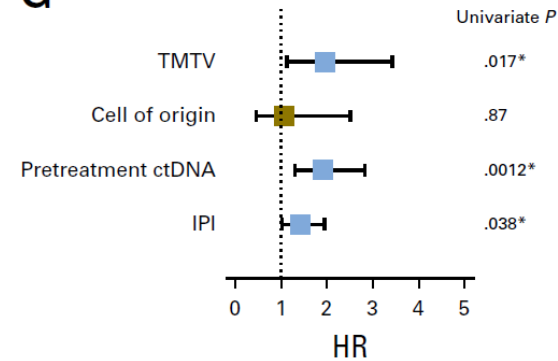


Prognosis value of pretreatment ctDNA concentration

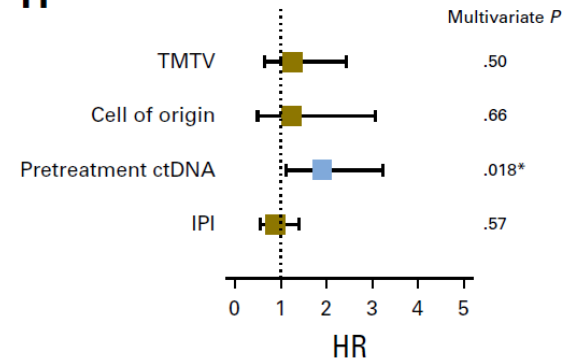
181 patients with large B cell lymphomas receiving frontline therapy
ctDNA quantified prior to first 3 cycles of therapy by targeted sequencing (CAPP-Seq)



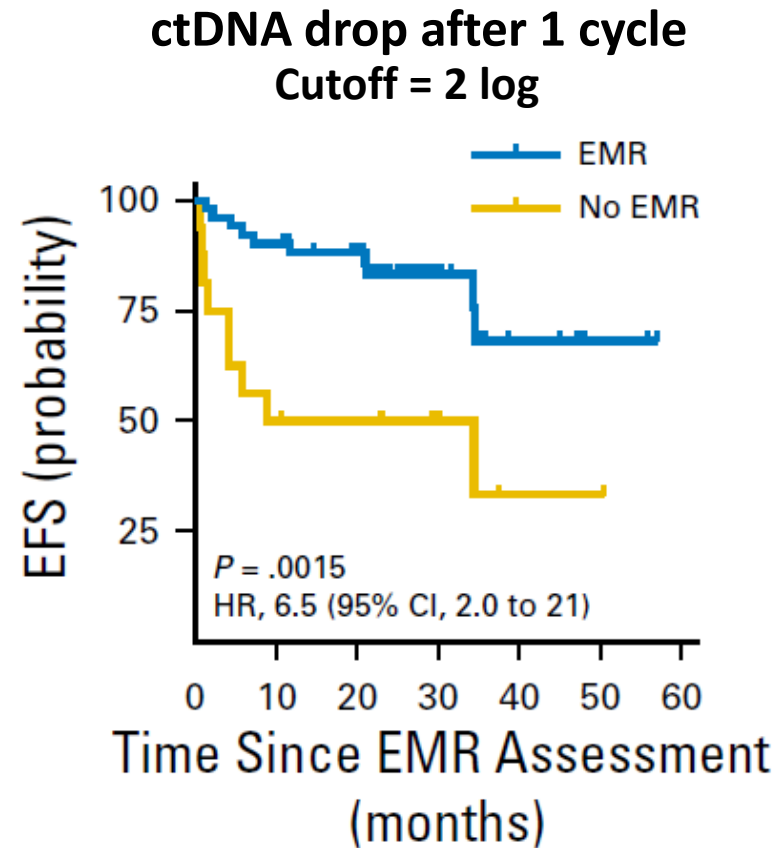
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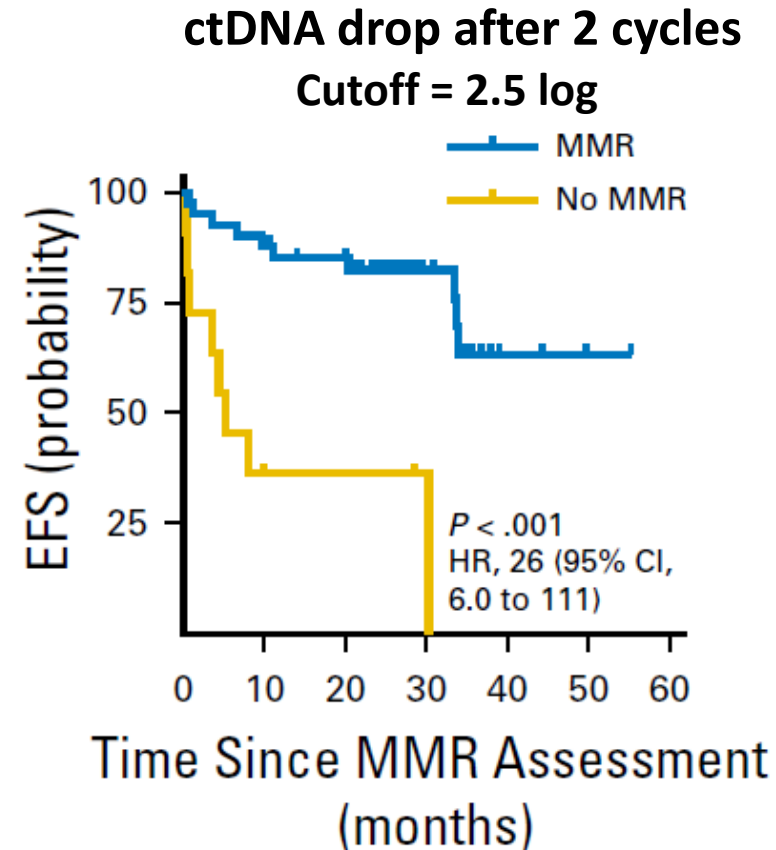
ctDNA concentration reduction and outcome



No. at risk:

EMR	51	46	38	15	5	2	0
No EMR	16	8	7	4	1	1	0

24% of pts did not achieved EMR

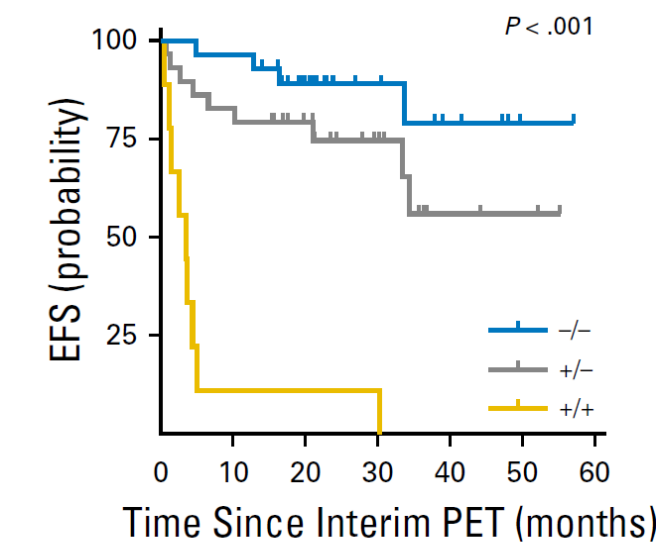


No. at risk:

MMR	41	36	31	14	3	1	0
No MMR	11	4	3	1	0	0	0

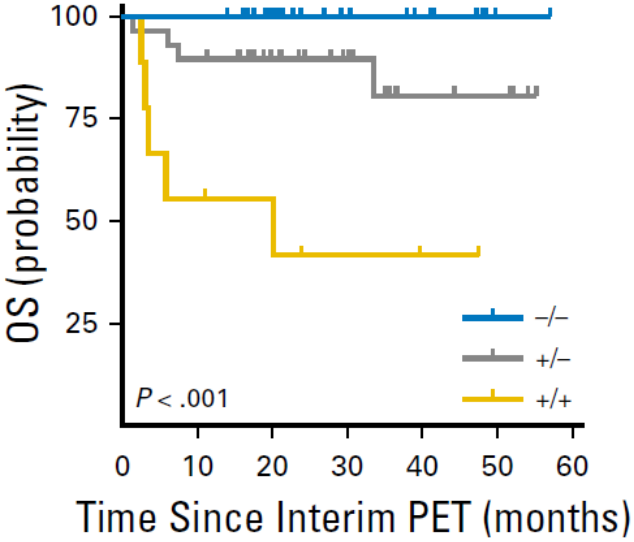
21% of pts did not achieved MMR

Combining interim PET and molecular response better predicts patients outcome



No. at risk:

-/-	28	27	18	10	6	1	0
+/-	29	24	18	10	3	2	0
+/+	9	1	1	1	0	0	0



No. at risk:

-/-	28	28	21	12	9	1	0
+/-	29	26	19	12	5	4	0
+/+	9	5	4	2	1	0	0

Parameter	Univariable		Multivariable	
	HR (95% CI)	P	HR (95% CI)	P
EFS				
IPI (0 to 5)	1.21 (0.87 to 1.69)	.25	0.93 (0.63 to 1.37)	.71
Pretreatment ctDNA (low v high)	2.77 (1.08 to 7.13)	.034*	2.97 (0.92 to 9.62)	.070
Molecular response†	5.93 (2.52 to 13.95)	< .001*	8.58 (3.3 to 22.32)	< .001*
Interim PET (positive v negative)	3.74 (1.46 to 9.57)	.006*	3.45 (1.27 to 9.34)	.015*
OS				
IPI (0 to 5)	1.36 (0.82 to 2.23)	.23	1.14 (0.63 to 2.25)	.670
Pretreatment ctDNA (low v high)	3.12 (0.65 to 15.05)	.16	1.13 (0.16 to 8.21)	.888
Molecular response†	5.27 (1.41 to 19.78)	.014*	4.15 (1.17 to 15.57)	.029*
Interim PET (positive v negative)	22.35 (2.83 to 2868)	< .001*	16.87 (1.96 to 2214)	.005*

Conclusions

- aalPI=0 < 80 ans
 - <60 ans no bulk : 4 x R-CHOP
 - Résultats LNH09-1B: 4 x R-CHOP pour les TEP2-
- aalPI=1-3 <60 ans
 - Stratégie GAINED « modifiée »
 - Interim PET = Δ SUVmax
 - Choix de la chimio: ACVBP pour non GC, CNS IPI élevé, PMBL bulky
- aalPI=1-3 60 – 80 ans
 - 6 x R-CHOP (TEP4-)
 - 4 x R-CHOP + CAR T (TEP4+)
- > 80 ans
 - 6 x R-miniCHOP
- Importance des nouvelles modalités d'évaluation à la baseline et de monitoring de la maladie sous et après traitement