

Systemic treatment of metastatic NSCLC

Non-oncogenic addicted NSCLC patients: What is the best approach?

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2nd ESMO Consensus Conference on Lung Cancer: non-small-cell lung cancer first-line/second and further lines of treatment in advanced disease

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Level of Evidence (LOE) scale

I	Evidence from at least one large randomized control trial of good methodological quality (low potential for bias) or meta-analyses of well-conducted randomized trials without heterogeneity
II	Small randomized trials or large randomized trials with a suspicion of bias (lower methodological quality) or meta-analyses of such trials or of trials demonstrated heterogeneity
III	Prospective cohort studies
IV	Retrospective cohort studies or case-control studies
V	Studies without control group, case reports, experts opinions

Strength of recommendation (SOR) scale

A	Strong evidence for efficacy with a substantial clinical benefit, strongly recommended
B	Strong or moderate evidence for efficacy but with a limited clinical benefit, generally recommended
C	Insufficient evidence for efficacy or benefit does not outweigh the risk or the disadvantages (adverse events, costs,..), optional
D	Moderate evidence against efficacy or for adverse outcome, generally not recommended
E	Strong evidence against efficacy or for adverse outcome, never recommended

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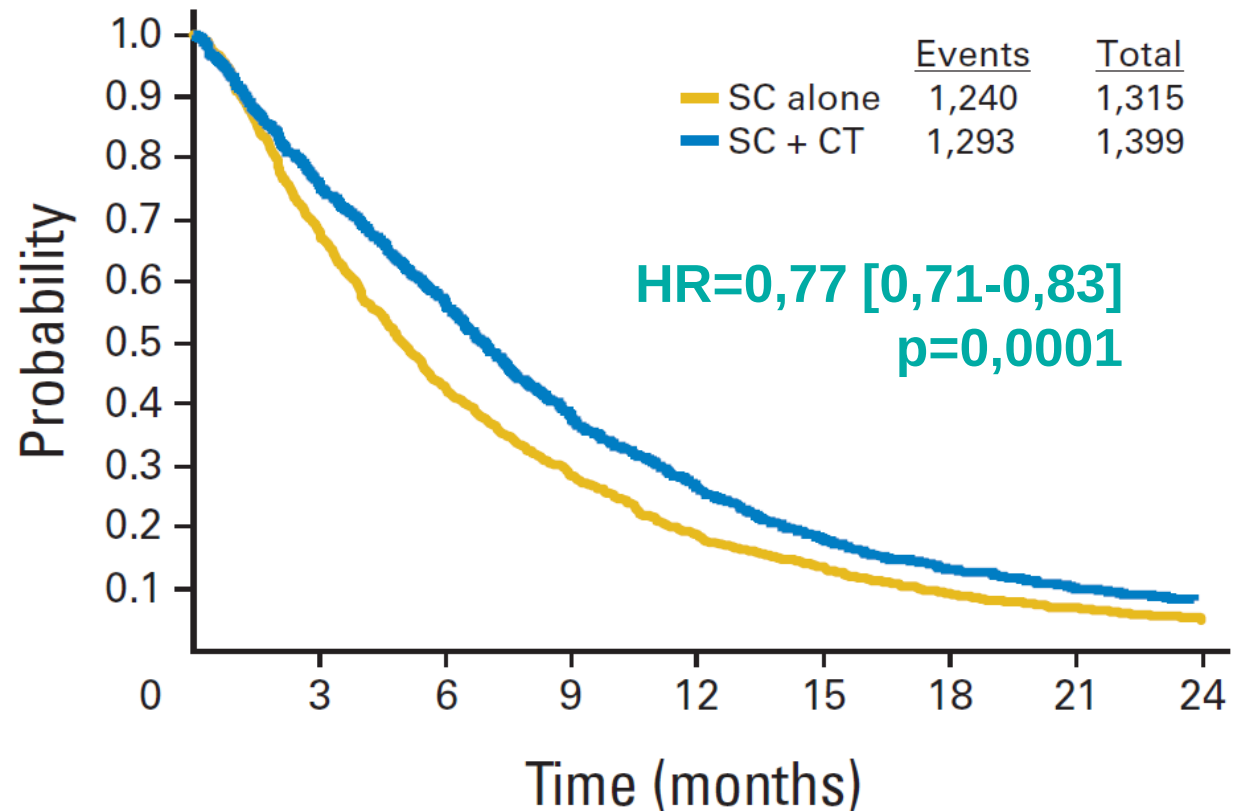
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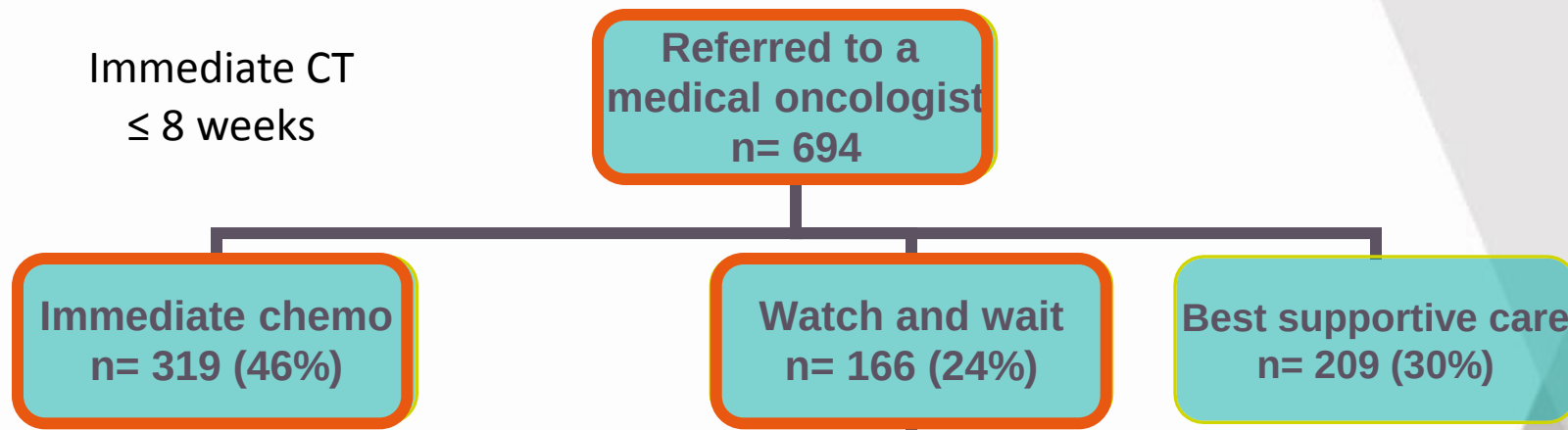
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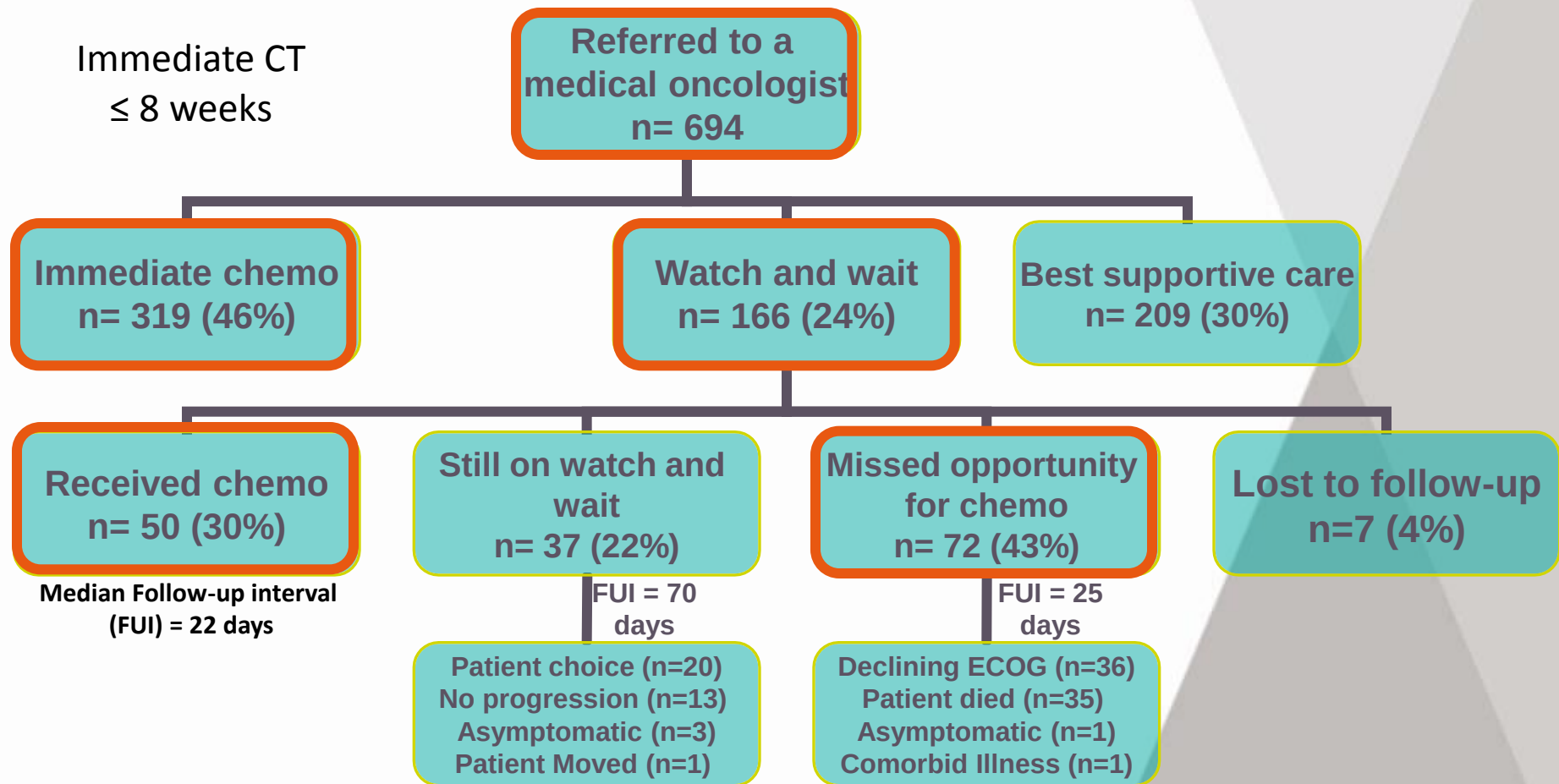
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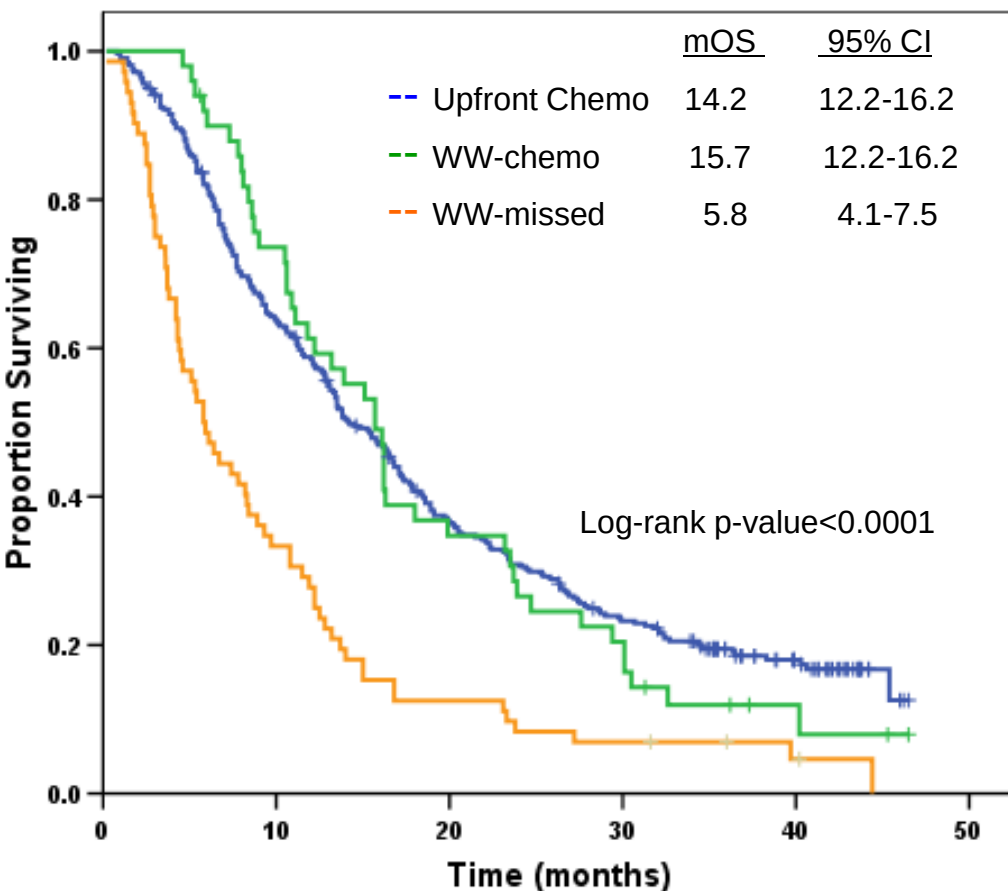
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Overall Survival of Upfront CT versus WW Populations



CPH Model Covariates:	Hazard Ratio for death (95% CI)	p-value
Sex (%)		
Male	1.00	
Female	0.86 (0.70-1.06)	0.16
Age	0.99 (0.98-1.00)	0.24
ECOG PS		
0-1	1.00	
2-4	1.40 (1.13-1.74)	0.002
Treatment		
Upfront CT	1.00	
WW-chemo	1.02 (0.74-1.40)	0.93
WW-missed	2.23 (1.69-2.94)	<0.0001

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Recommendation:

The administration of first-line chemotherapy should be offered at diagnosis to asymptomatic patients with metastatic NSCLC. (B, III)

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Cisplatin or carboplatin ?

CISCA

Response

CIS 30 %

CARBO 24%

OR = 1.37

IC 95% = 1.16-1.61

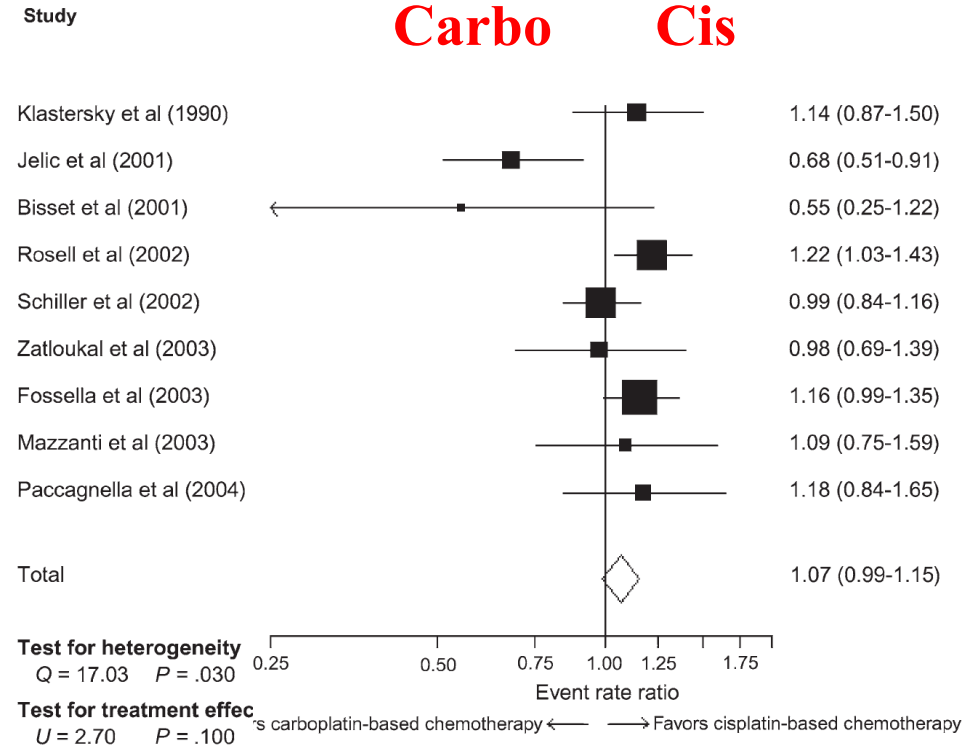
P <.001

Survival

HR = 1.07

IC 95% = 0.99 to 1.15

P = .100



Survival benefit for 3rd generation combo

Cisplatin: dose

Regimen Dose (mg/m²) and Administration Schedule [Reference]

Cisplatin/Vinorelbine 100 day 1/25 days 1, 8, 15, 22 every 4 weeks [Fossella 2003 (28)]

Cisplatin/Vinorelbine 80 day 8/30 days 1 and 8 [Georgoulis 2005 (79)]

Cisplatin/Paclitaxel 75 day 2/135 (24 hour) day 1 every 3 weeks [Schiller 2002 (55)]

Cisplatin/Docetaxel 75 day 1/75 day 1 every 3 weeks [Fossella 2003 (28)]

Cisplatin/Docetaxel 75 day 1/75 day 1 every 3 weeks [Schiller 2002 (55)]

Cisplatin/Gemcitabine 100 day 1/1000 days 1, 8, 15 every 4 weeks [Schiller 2002 (55)]

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Recommendations:

- A best dose
 - How many cycles
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 - Antiangiogenic
- Cisplatin should be used in fit patients with PS 0–1 who have adequate organ function. (B, I)
 - Cisplatin at $\geq 75 \text{ mg/m}^2$ q3wks should be used with 3rd-generation drugs. (B, V)

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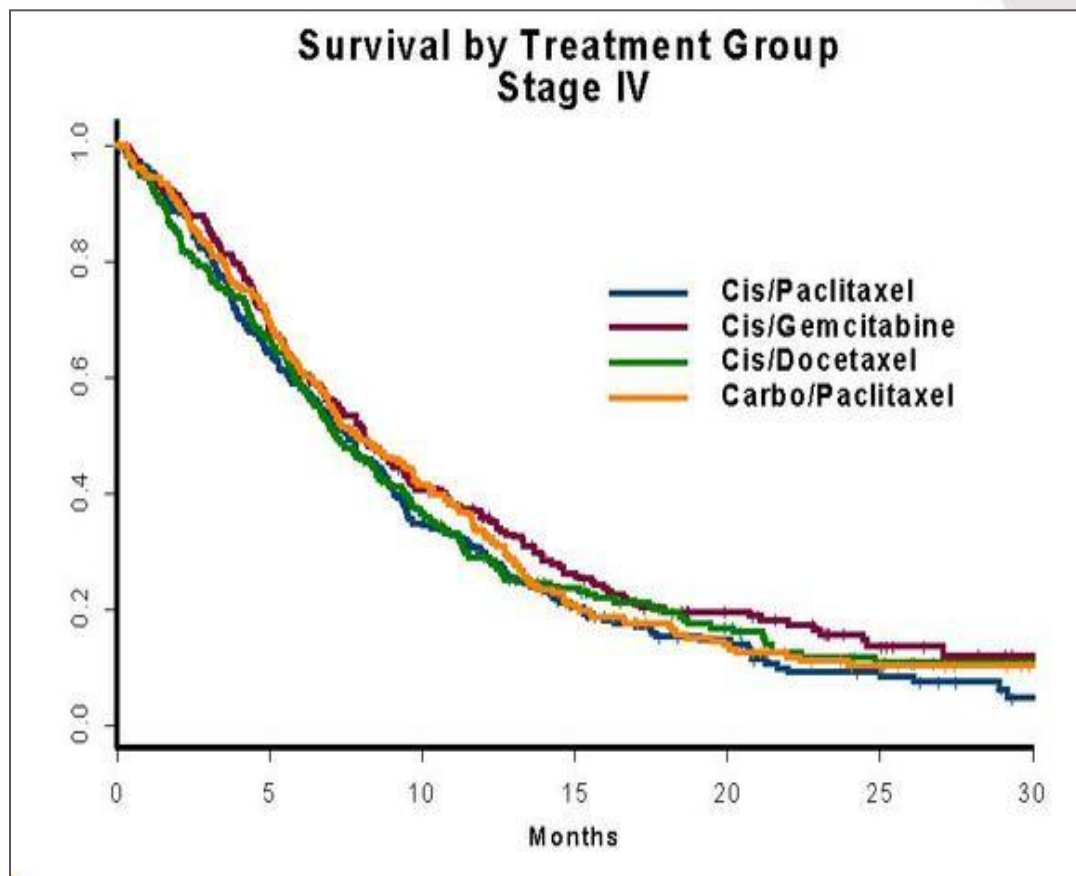
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North American Experience (SWOG + ECOG)

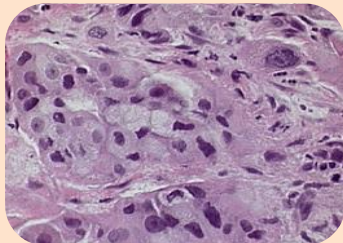
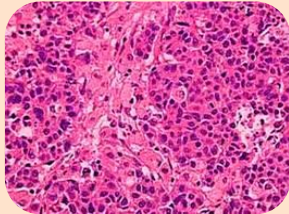
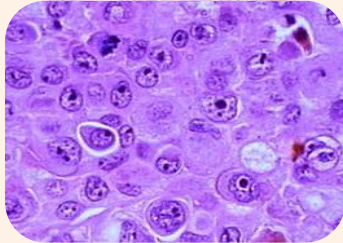
	n	RO	MS (m)	S 1 an
SWOG				
Cisplatine + Vinorelbine	207	27%	8	33%
Paclitaxel + Carboplatine	201	27%	8	36%
ECOG				
Paclitaxel + Carboplatine	299	15%	8	34%
Gemcitabine + Cisplatine	301	21%	8	36%
Paclitaxel + Cisplatine	303	21%	8	31%
Docetaxel + Cisplatine	304	17%	7.5	31%

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Histological classification of NSCLC

Classification		Characteristics ¹
Non-squamous [‡]	Adenocarcinoma (AC) 30–50%* 	• Malignant epithelial tumors with glandular differentiation • IASLC classification of invasive AC:² • Lepidic, acinar, papillary, micropapillary, or solid pattern predominant • Variants: invasive mucinous AC, colloid, fetal, and enteric
	Large cell carcinoma 10%* 	• Involves large cells (subtypes are giant cell, clear cell) with large nuclei • No evidence of squamous or glandular differentiation
Squamous	Squamous cell carcinoma 30%† 	• Involves cells of the squamous epithelium • Two variants of clinicopathologic significance³ • Papillary variant • Basaloid variant

*Image from www.surgical-pathology.com; †Image from <http://www.lmp.ualberta.ca/resources/pathoimages/PC-S.htm>;

‡Other less common subtypes of non-squamous NSCLC include adenosquamous carcinoma and sarcomatoid carcinoma.³

Pemetrexed vs gemcitabine (+CDDP)

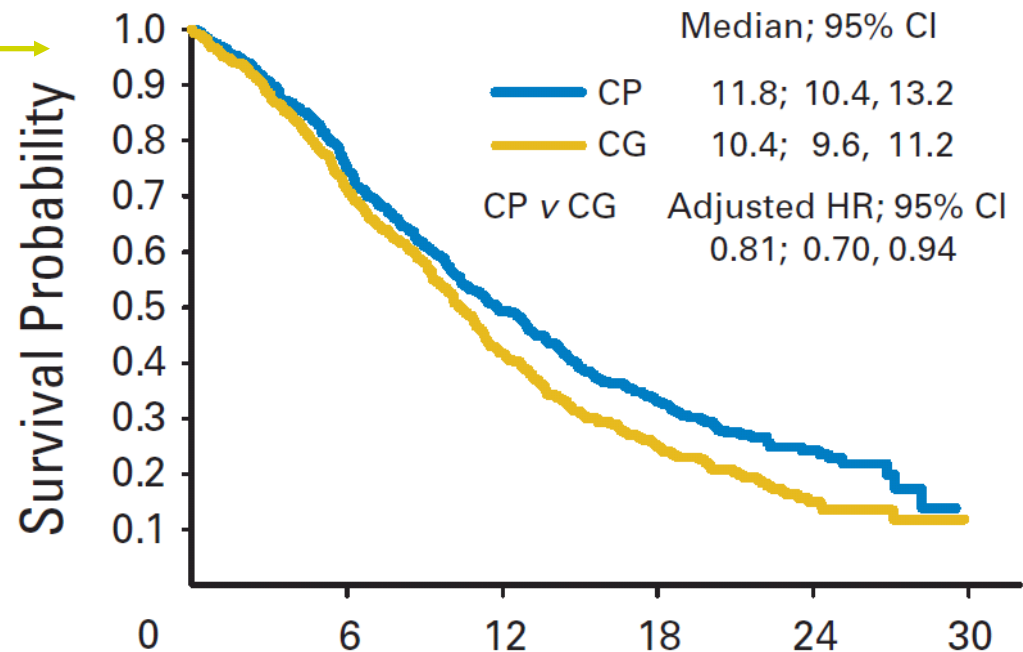
- Pemetrexed 500 mg/m²
- Cisplatin 75 mg/m²

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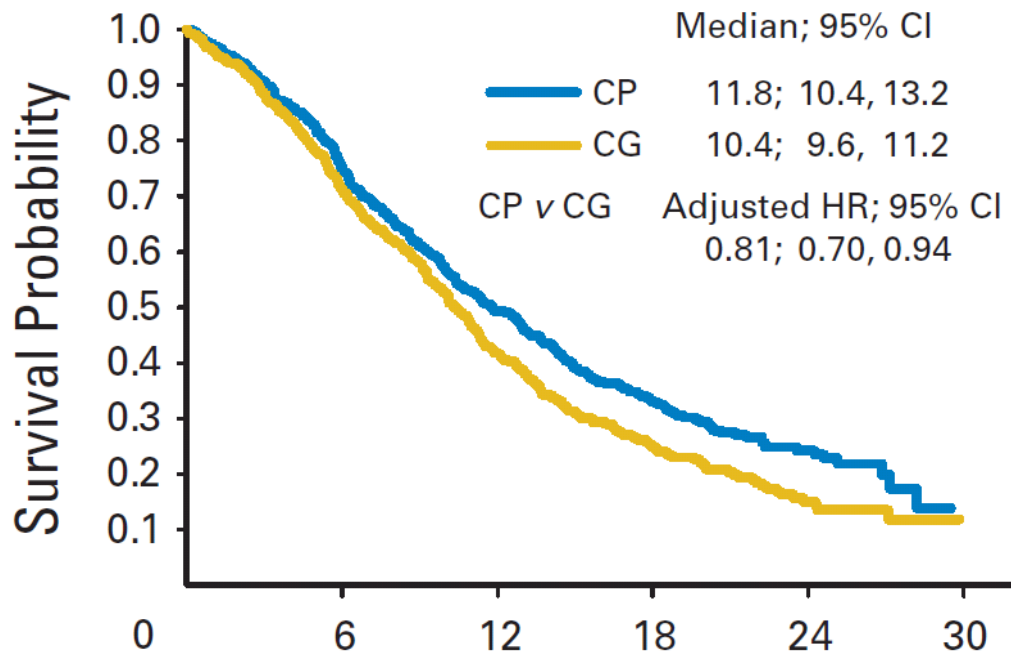
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- Adenocarcinoma + LCC
→ pemetrexed better

- SCC
→ Gemcitabine better



Pemetrexed vs gemcitabine (+CDDP)



Only 13.4% pts crossed over to pemetrexed!

- Post-treatment
- 56.1% of gem/cis
 - Pem 13.4%
 - Gem 8.6%
 - Docetaxel 27.6%
 - EGFR TKI 22.5%
- 52.6% of pem/cis
 - Pem 3.5%
 - Gem 16.7%
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 - EGFR TKI 24.9%

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Recommendation:

There is no single platinum-based doublet standard chemotherapy. Pemetrexed-based doublets are restricted to non-squamous NSCLC. (A, I)

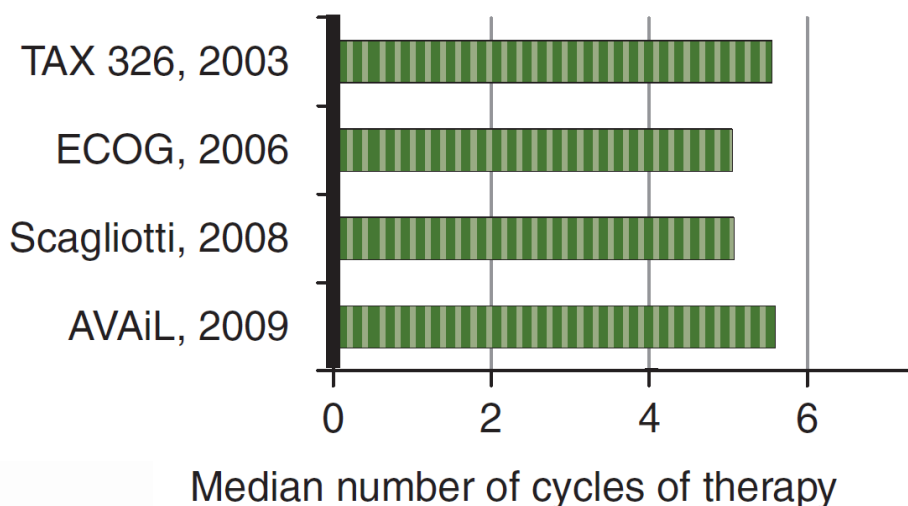
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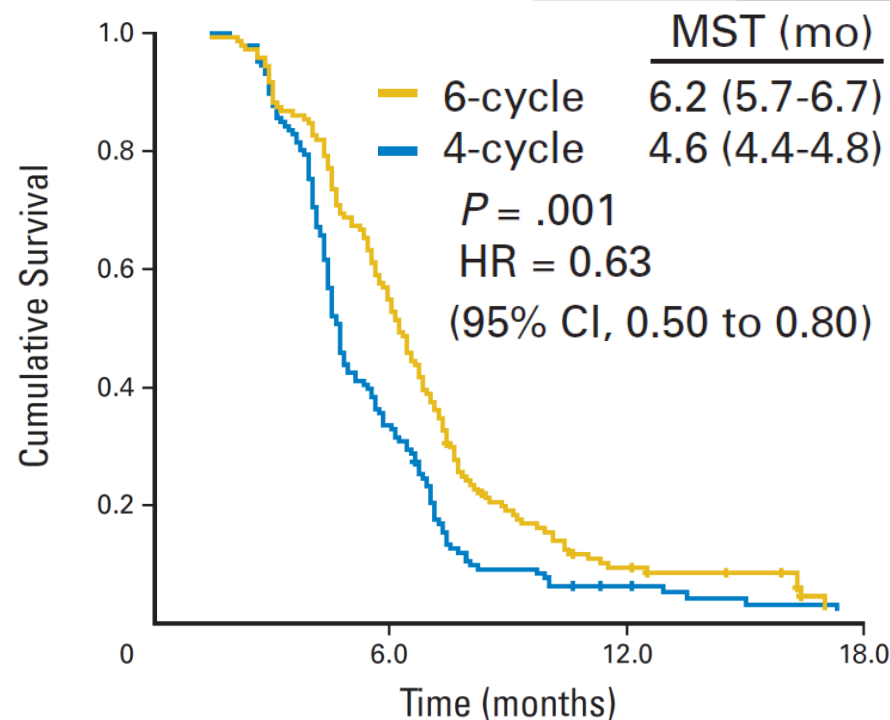
Optimal duration of chemotherapy

First line registration trials



Docetaxel ; TAX 326
Bevacizumab ; ECOG, AVAIL
Pemetrexed ; Scagliotti

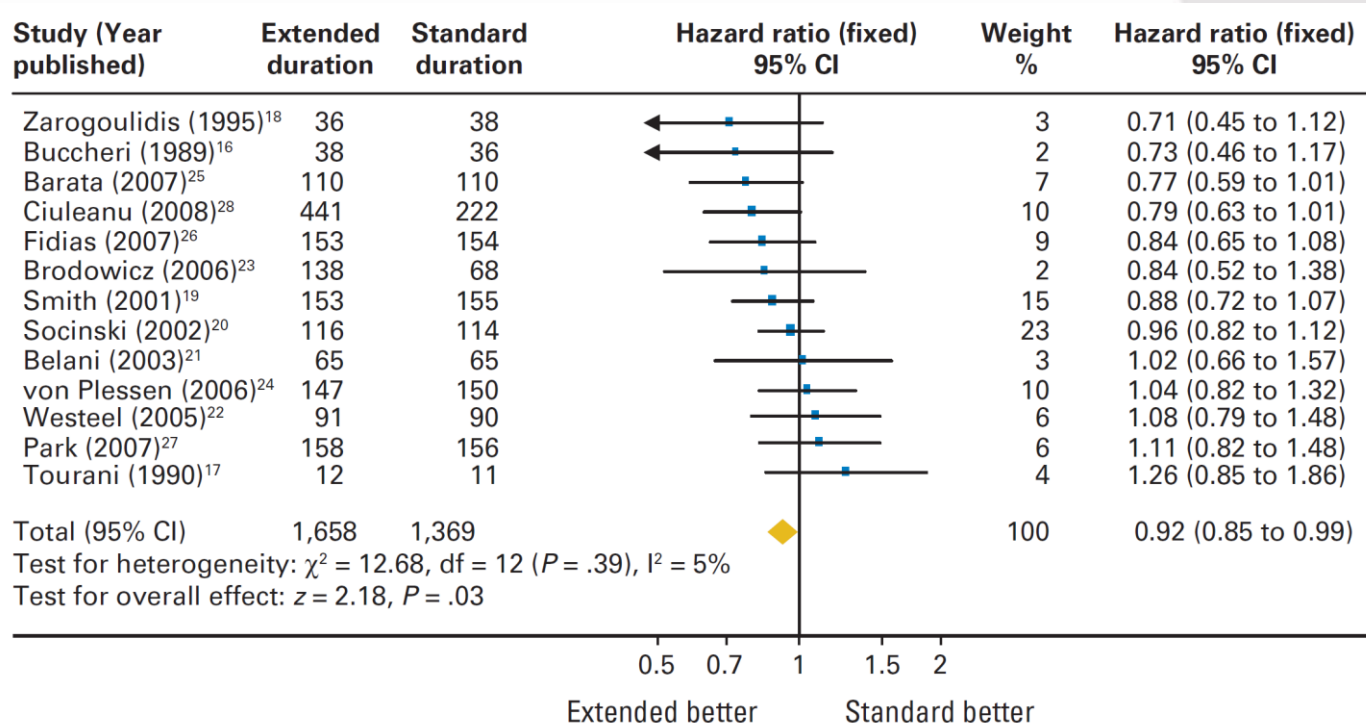
PFS: 4 vs 6 cycles of cisplatin-based CT



Non progressive Patients after 2 cycles

3-4 cycles vs. More

Overall survival



PFS; HR = 0.75; 95% CI, 0.69 to 0.81; $P = 0.00001$

OS ; HR = 0.92; 95% CI, 0.86 to 0.99; $P = 0.03$).

OS 3r generation vs old; (HR=0.70 interaction v 0.92 interaction; $P = 0.003$).

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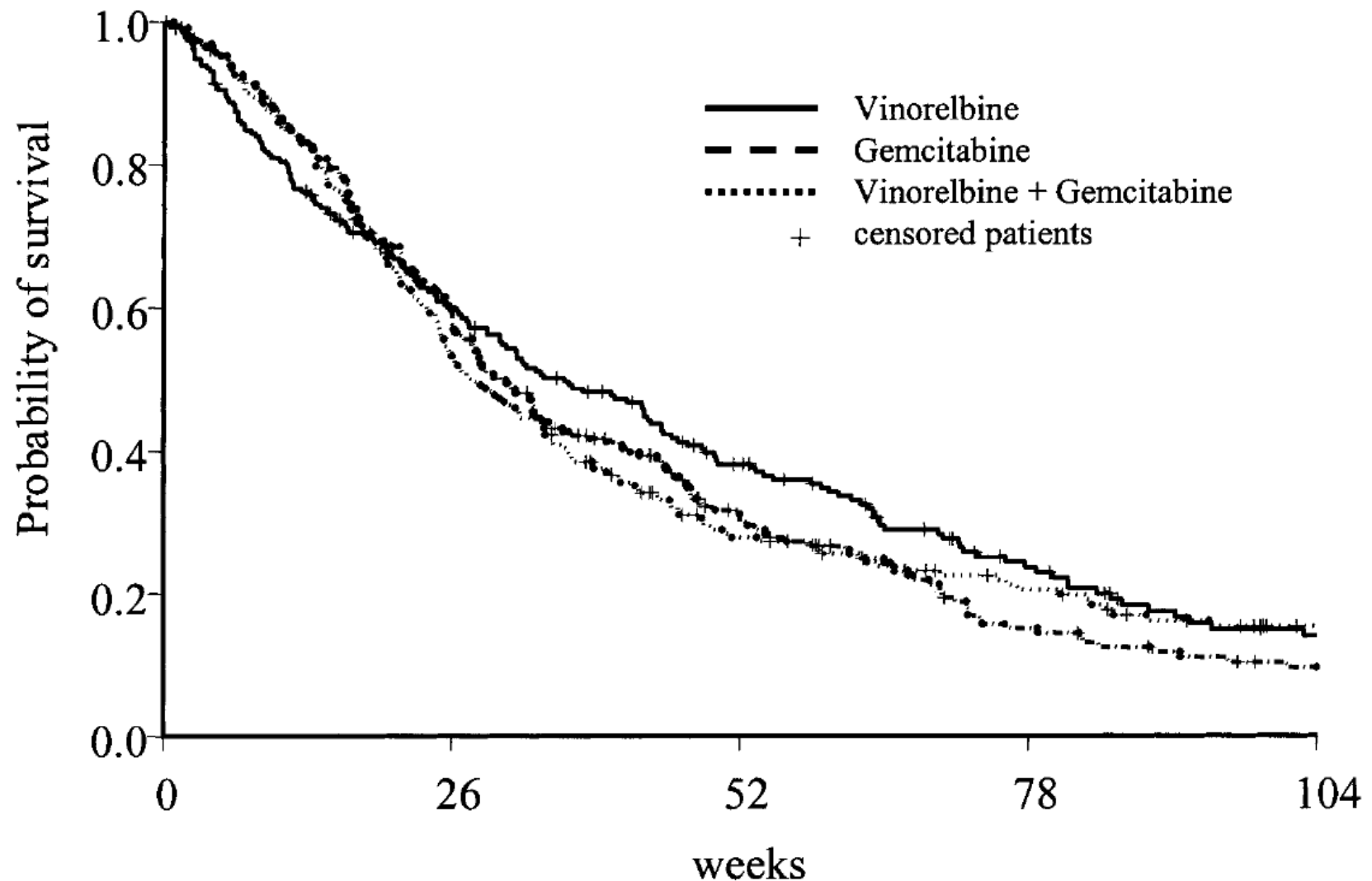
- 4 cycles of chemotherapy is standard. (A, I)
- Continuation of a doublet regimen beyond 4 cycles may be considered in selected, non progressing pts (C, I)

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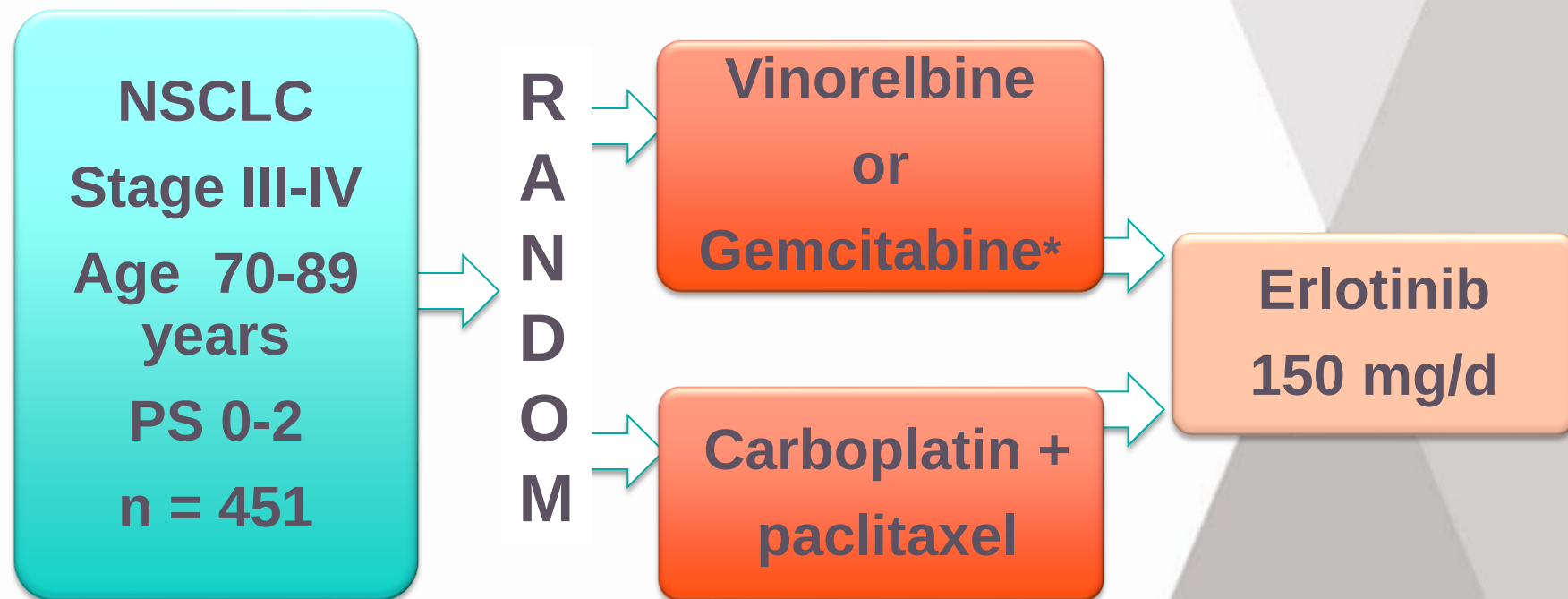
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Miles Study: Results





Weekly paclitaxel combined with monthly carboplatin versus single agent therapy in patients aged 70 to 89 : IFCT-0501



Phase III study

Stratification by centre, PS 0-1 vs. 2, age ≤80 vs. >80 and stage III vs. IV

First-line Treatment

ARM A	V	V		V	V		V	V		V	V		V	V				
	G	G		G	G		G	G		G	G		G	G				
WEEKS	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
ARM B	C P	P	P		C P	P	P		C P	P	P		C P	P	P			
EVALUATION																		

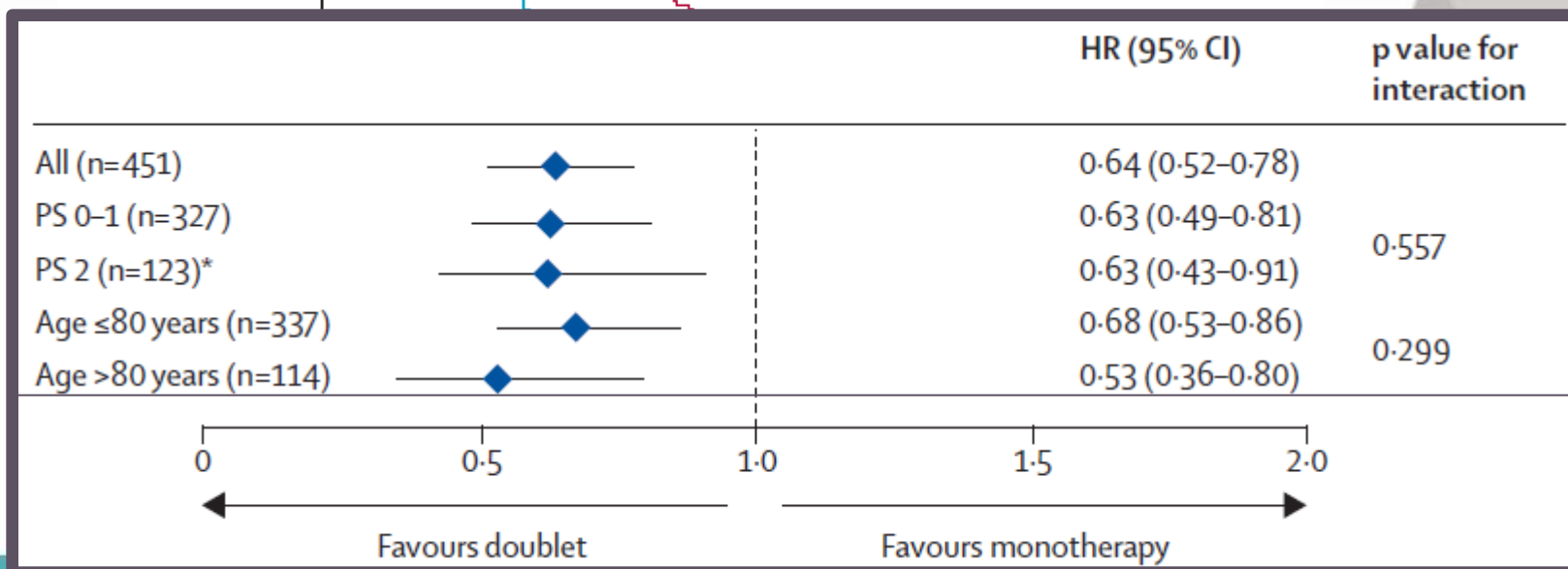
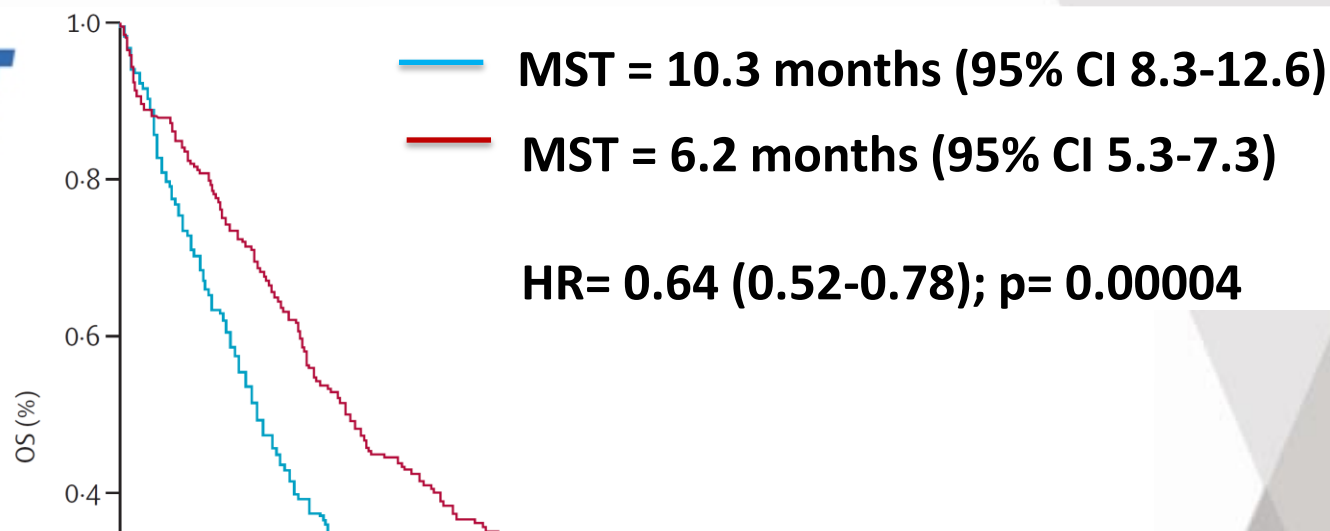


V : Vinorelbine : 30 mg/m²
G : Gemcitabine : 1150 mg/m²
C : Carboplatin : AUC 6
P : Paclitaxel : 90 mg/m²



Choice of the center

Overall survival (Primary Objective)



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Recommendation:

- Platinum-based chemotherapy is preferred in fit elderly patients with PS 0–1 and adequate organ function.
- Single-agent third-generation drugs are preferred in unfit elderly patients. (B, I)

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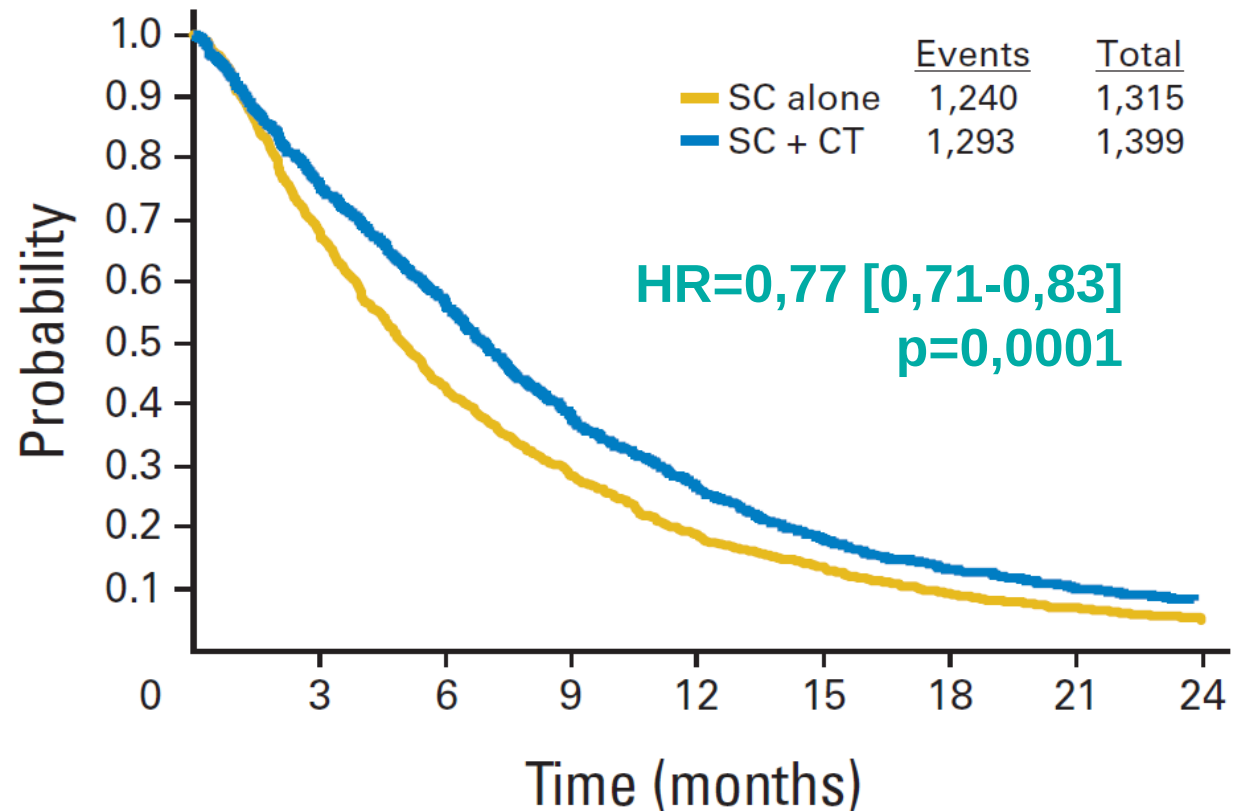
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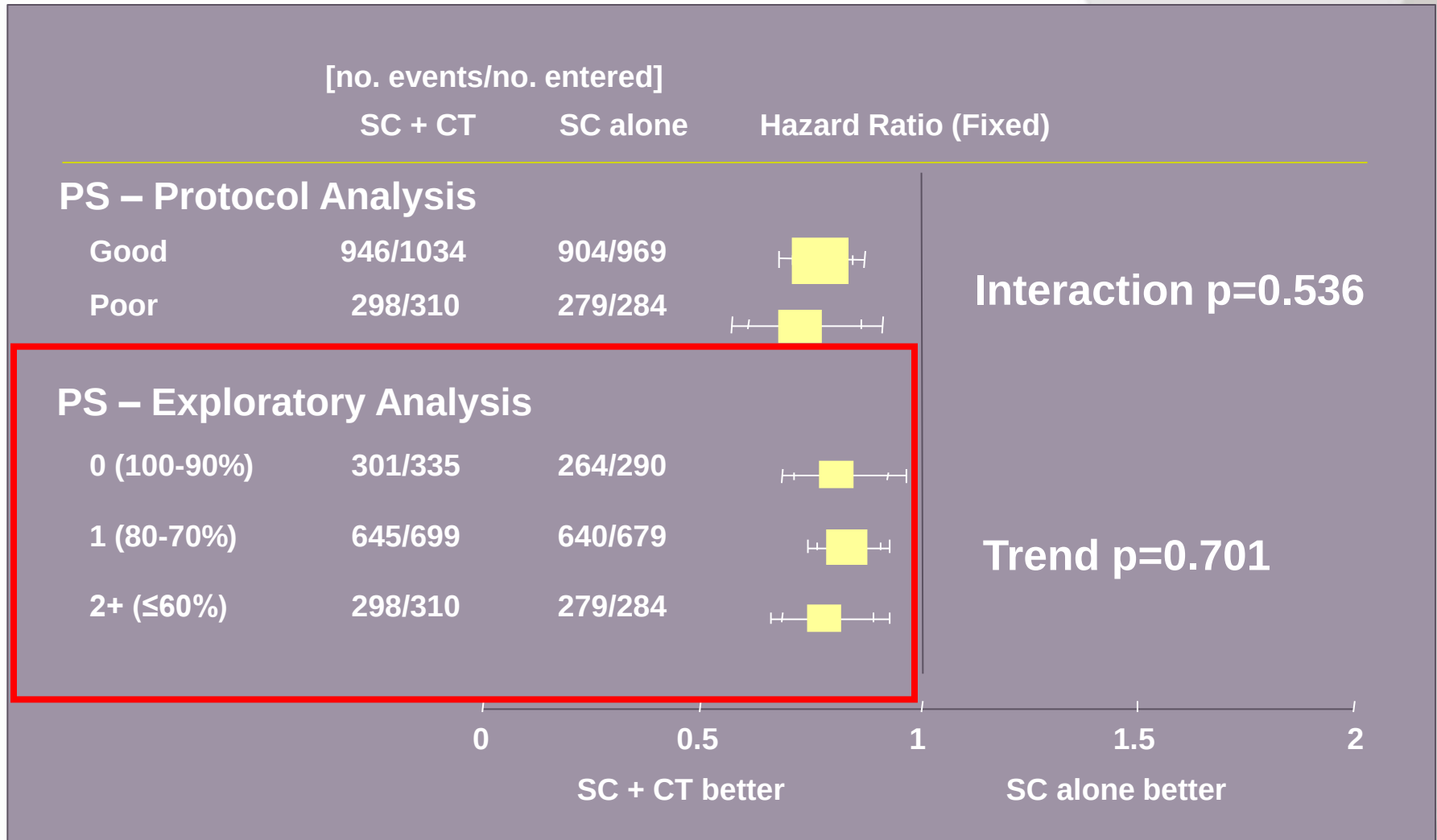
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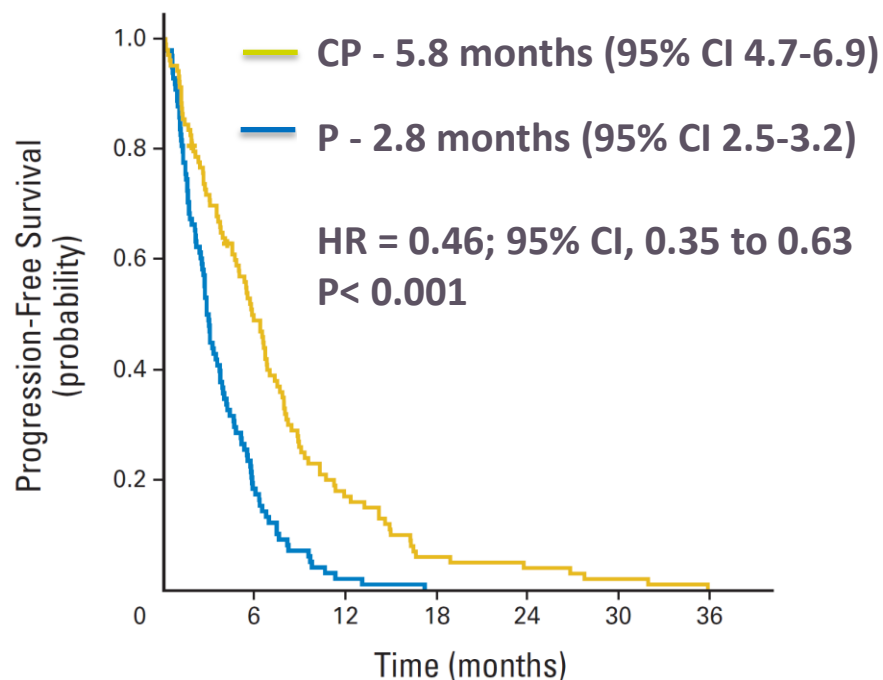
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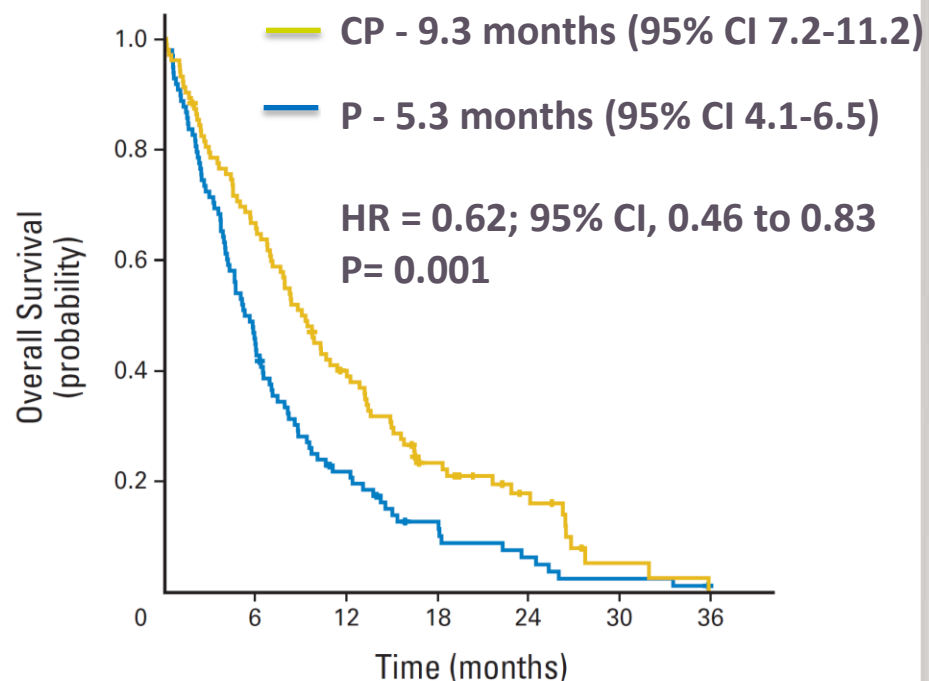


Pemetrexed vs. Pemetrexed-carboplatin in PS2 pts

PFS



OS (Primary endpoint)



4 cycles, n=201

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Recommendation:
Platin-based combinations are preferred over single-agent chemotherapy. (B, I)

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Bevacizumab

Pooled Analysis for PFS

Category	No. of events / No. entered		O-E	Variance	Hazard ratio	HR [95% CI]
	Bevacizumab	Control				
Dose 7.5 mg/kg						
AVF-0757g 7.5						
AVAiL 7.5						
Subtotal						
Dose 15 mg/kg						
AVF-0757g 15						
ECOG 4599						
AVAiL 15						
JO19907						
Subtotal						

- Non SCC NSCLC (toxic in SCC)
- 7.5 or 15 mg/kg q3w
- CT + bevacizumab then bevacizumab maintenance

Total	1128/1313	1099/1260	-150.1	435.6	0.72 [0.66; 0.79]	P<0.001
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Test for heterogeneity: $\chi^2_5 = 7.82$ $P = 0.17$ $I^2 = 36\%$

Test for interaction: $\chi^2_1 = 0.36$ $P = 0.55$

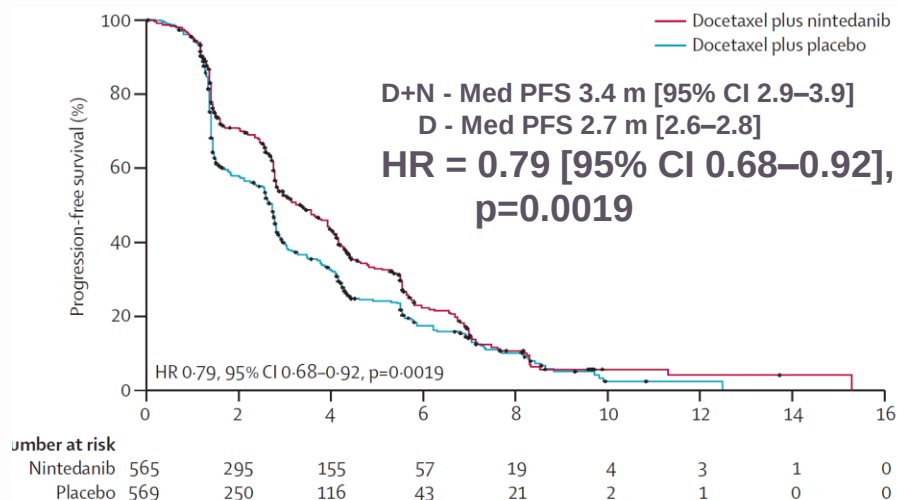
0.0 0.5 1.0 1.5 2.0 2.5 3.0
Bevacizumab better | Control better

Negative phase III trials in NSCLC with anti-angiogenic agents (2000-2012)

Compound	Mechanism of action	N° trials	N	End Point
Thalidomide	Anti-angiogenic	2	1267	OS
Cediranib	VEGFR TKI	2	602	OS
Vandetanib	Multikinase TKI	3	2698	PFS/OS
AE-941	Anti-angiogenic	1	379	OS
Sorafenib	Multikinase TKI	2	1830	OS
Motesanib	Multikinase TKI	1	1090	OS
Sunitinib	Multikinase TKI	1	960	OS
Aflibercept	VEGF/PIGF	1	913	OS
Total		11	9739	

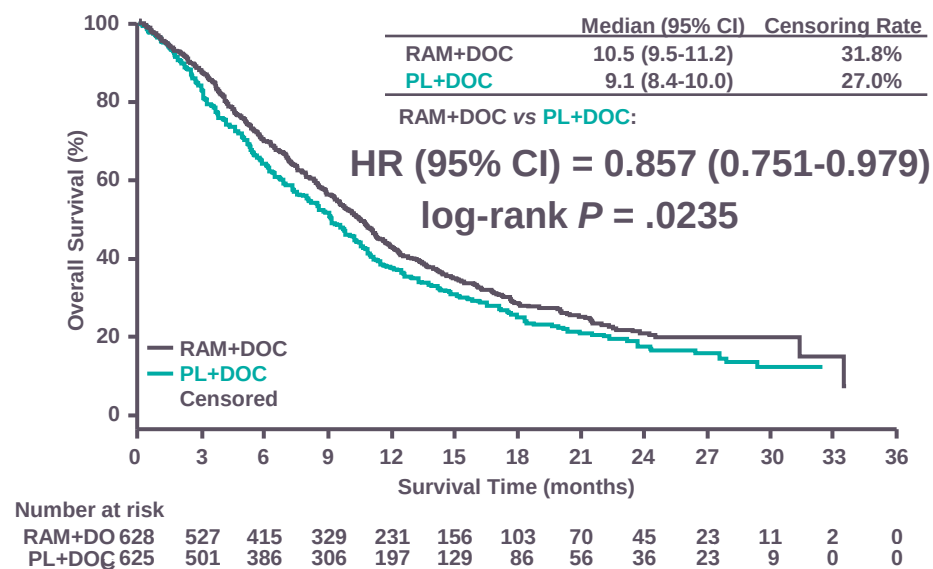
Anti-angiogenic agents in 2nd line?

PFS - Docetaxel +/- nintedanib (VEGFR TKI)



OS benefit in adenocarcinoma
PFS benefit in refractory pts
(HR= 0.67 (0.43-1.04,p=0.0725).

OS - Docetaxel +/- ramucirumab (VEGFR2 Ab)



OS benefit in SCC and non SCC

1st line metastatic NSCLC

Treatment options

Gemcitabine	1250 mg/m ²	d 1, 8	q3w
Cisplatin	80 mg/m ²	d 1	
<i>All histologies</i>			
Vinorelbine	25 mg/m ²	d 1, 8, 15, 22	
Cisplatin	100 mg/m ²	d 1	d1=d28
<i>Historical design, all histologies</i>			
Pemetrexed	500 mg/m ²	d1	
Cisplatin	75 mg/m ²	d1	d1=d21

Non squamous NSCLC

+/- bevacizumab if non SCC.

7,5 mg/kg or 15 mg/kg d1=d21

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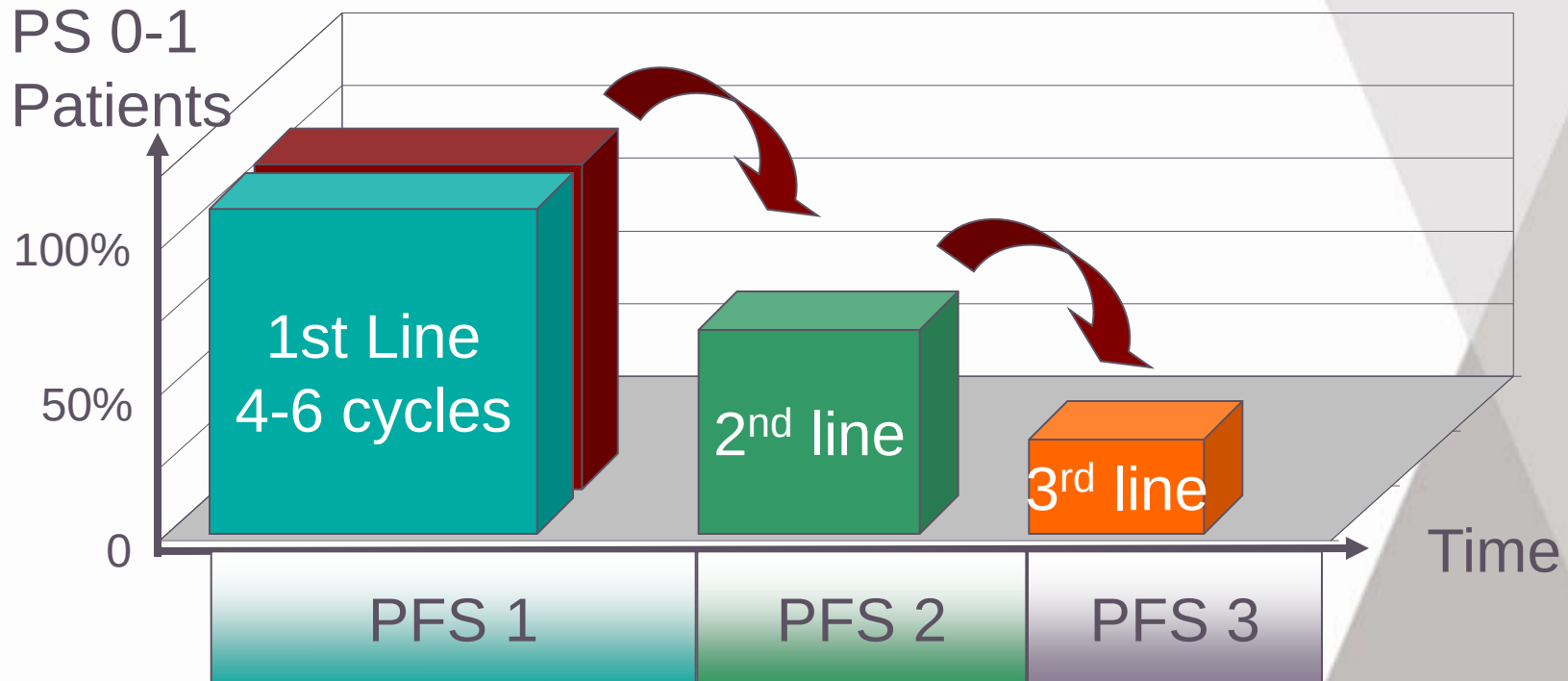
Treatment options

Docetaxel	75 mg/m ²	d 1	d1=d21
Cisplatin	75 mg/m ²	d 1	
Paclitaxel	135 mg/m ² (24 h)	d 1	d1=d21
Cisplatin	75 mg/m ²	d 2	
Paclitaxel	225 mg/m ² (3 h)	d 1	d1=d21
Carboplatin	AUC 6	d 1	

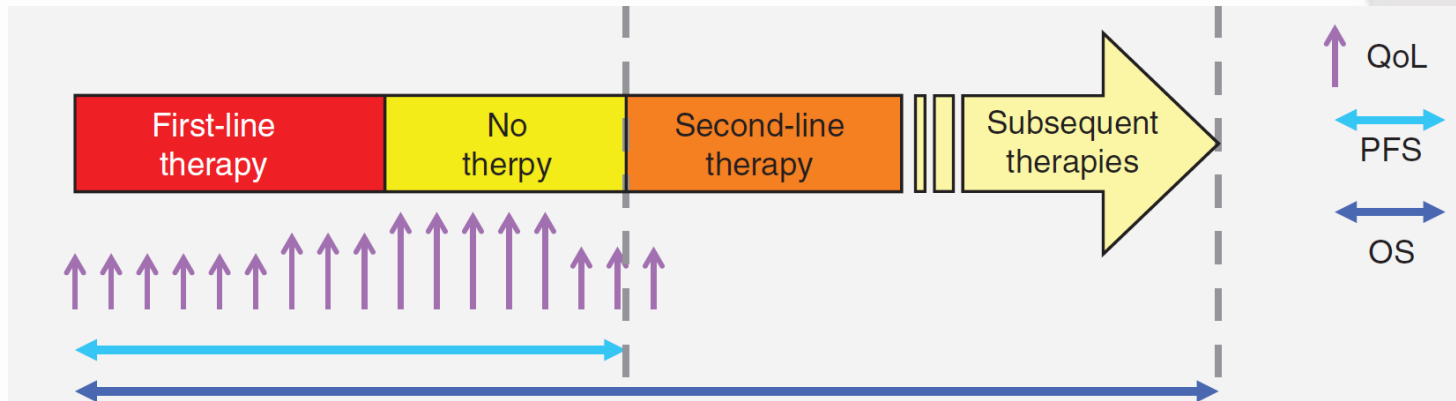
All histologies, induce alopecia

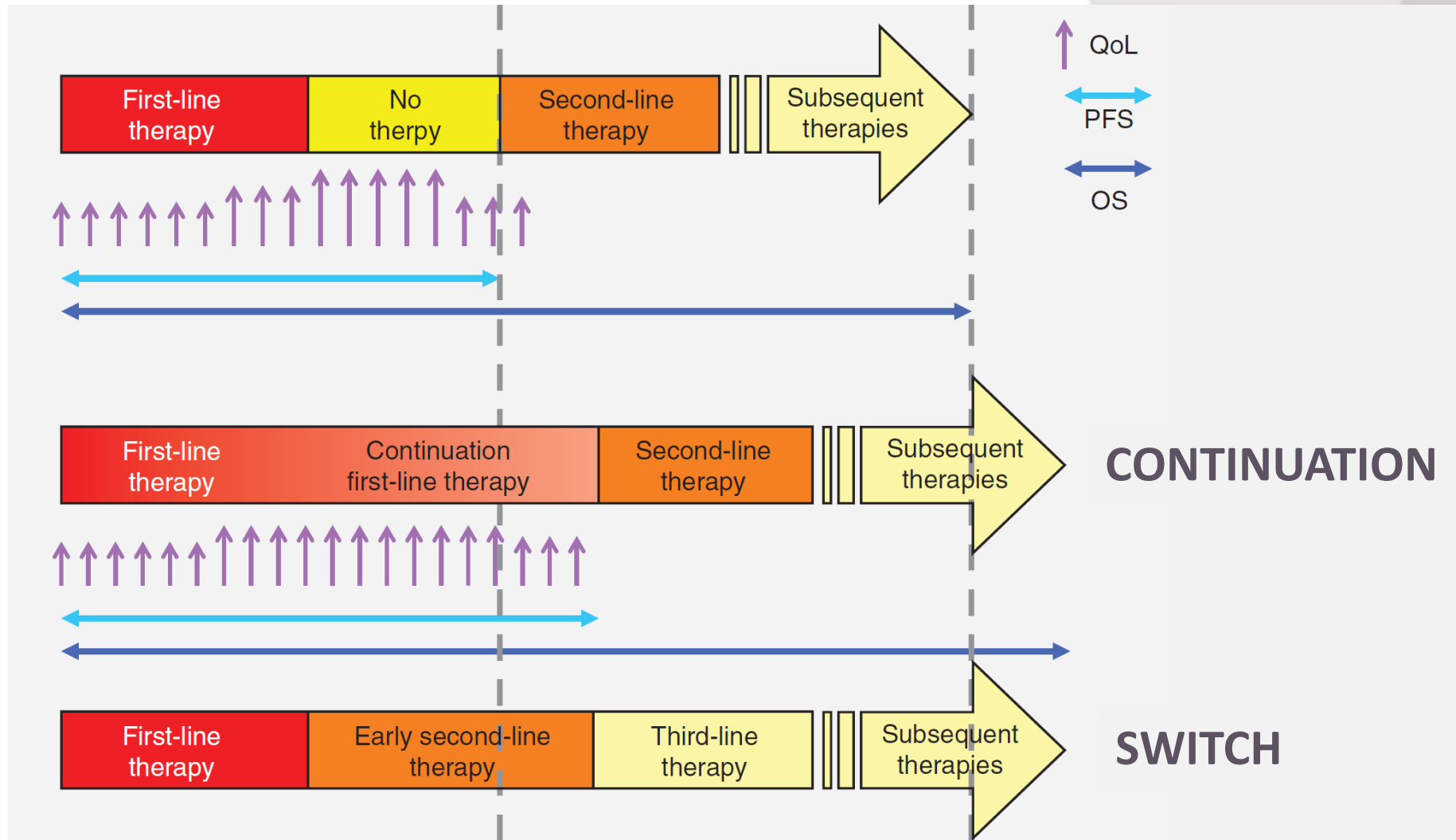
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The historical management



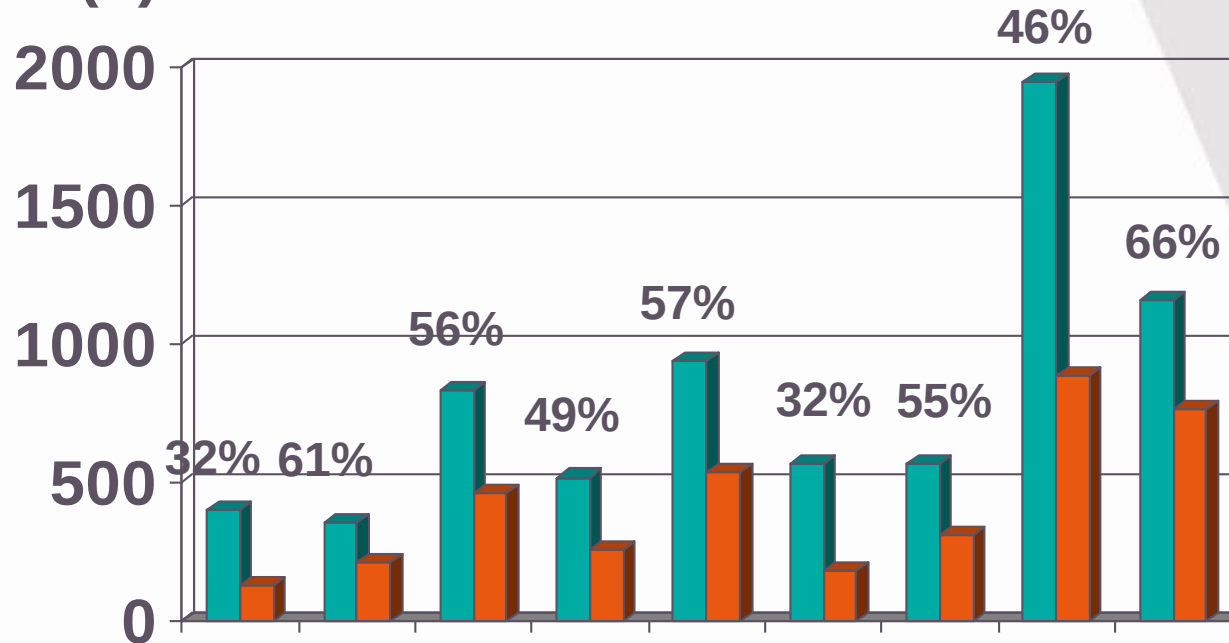
Each new line : 30% patients lost





100% of the pts get maintenance ?

Patients (n)



- Only 4 cycles with a platinum compound
- Only non progressive patients (50%) get maintenance

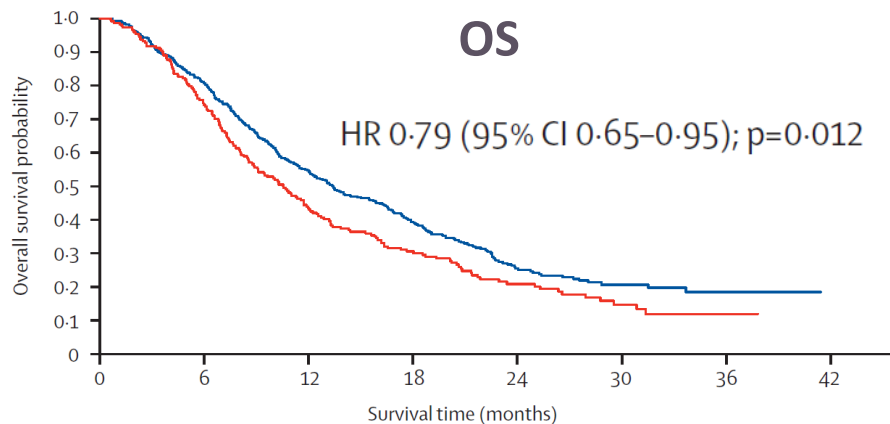
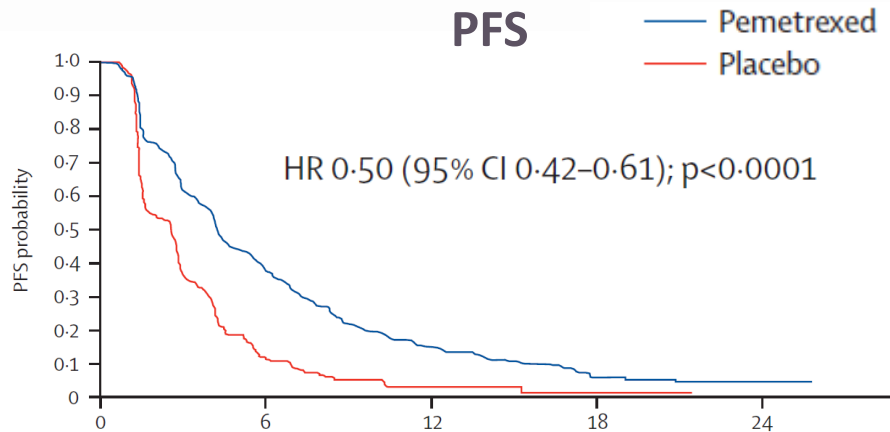
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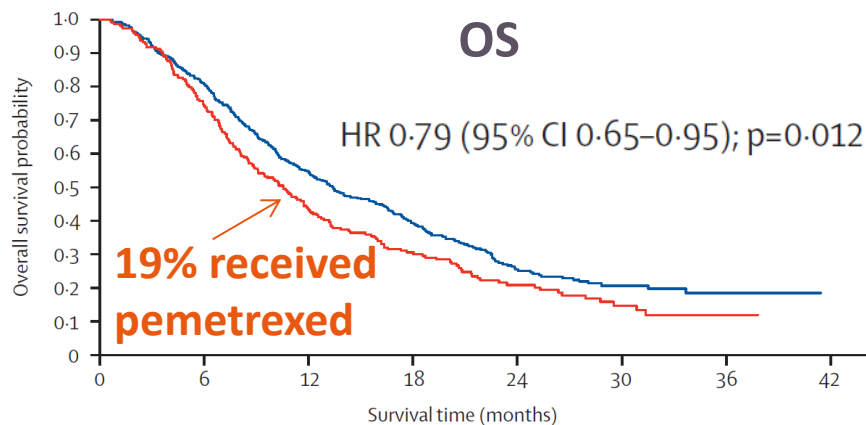
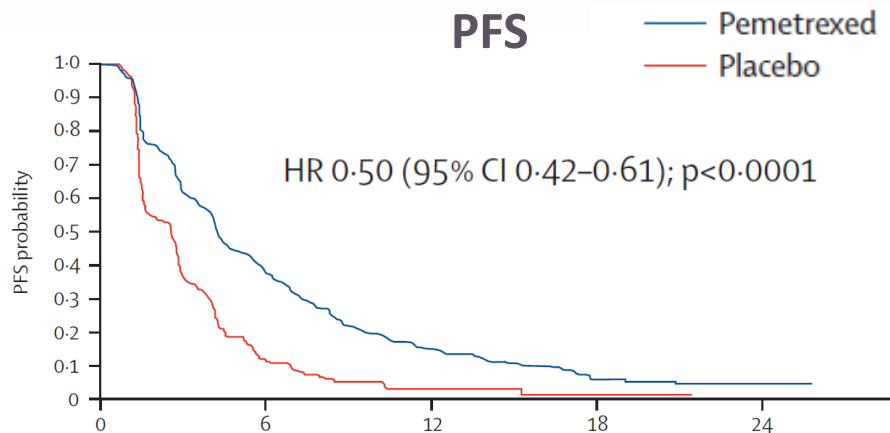
Switch Maintenance

Pemetrexed vs placebo Induction CT without pemetrexed

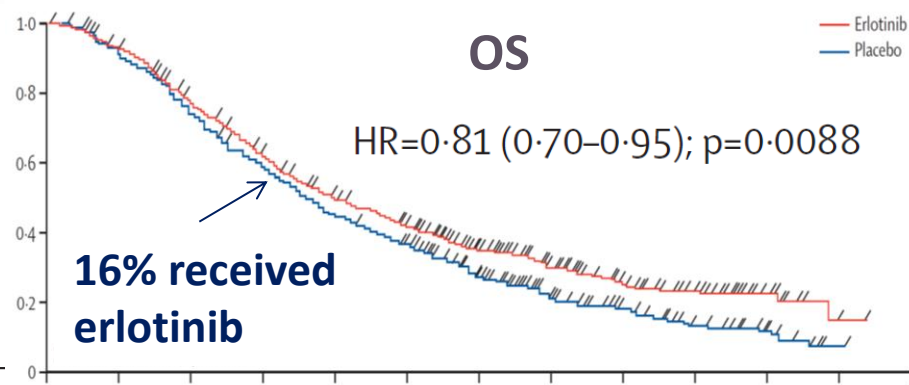
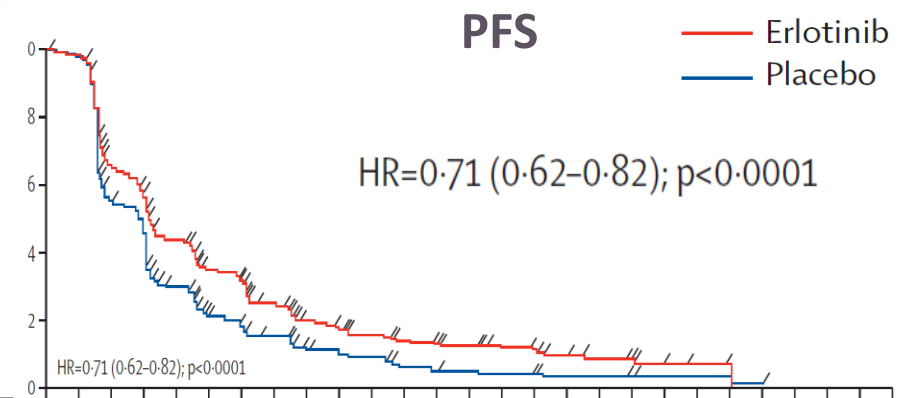


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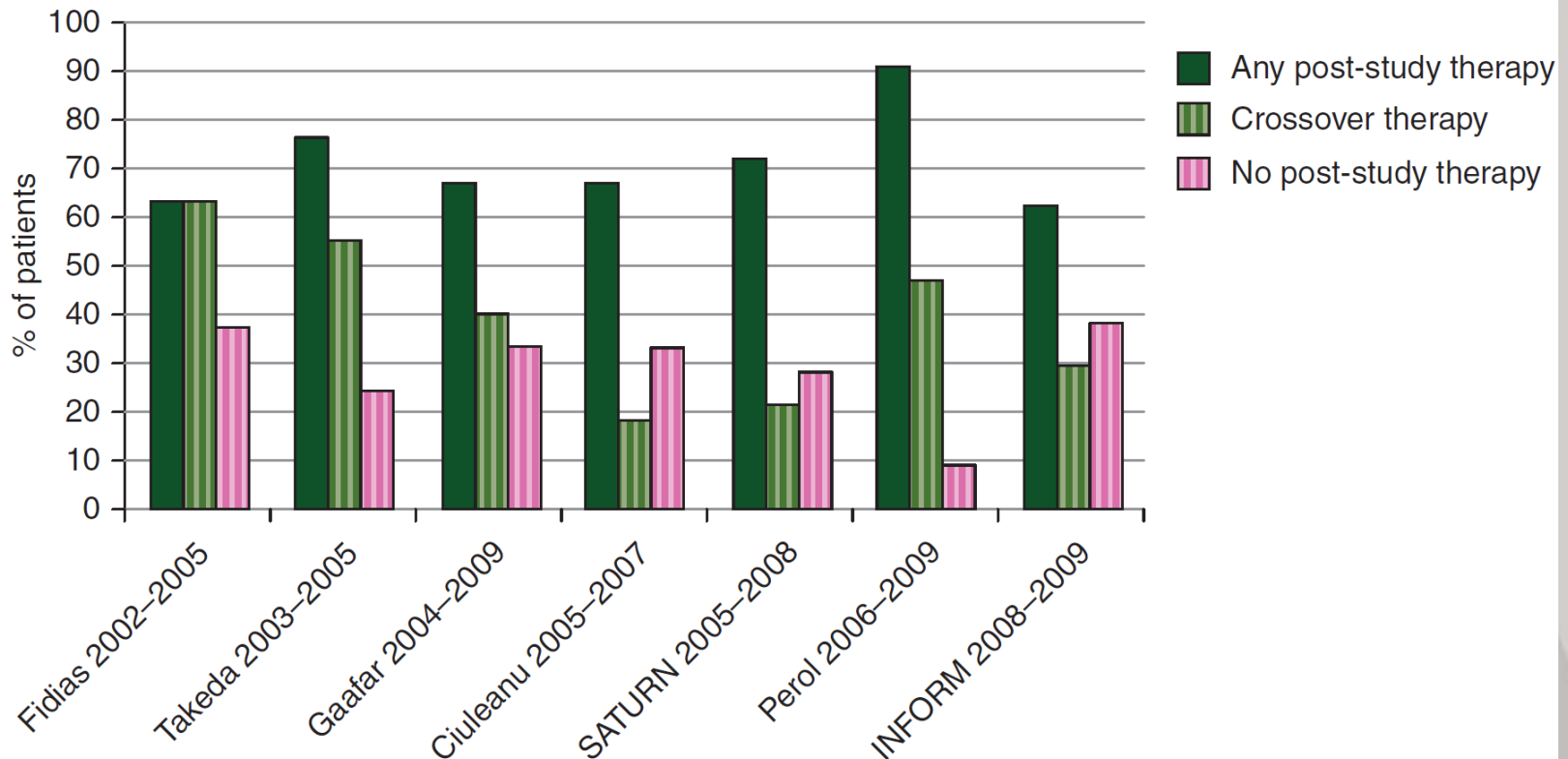
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Erlotinib vs placebo

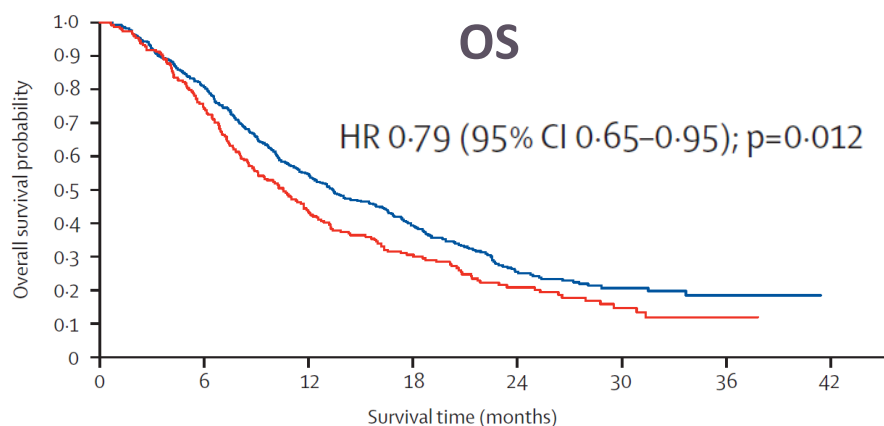


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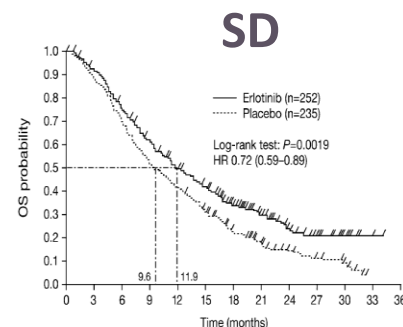
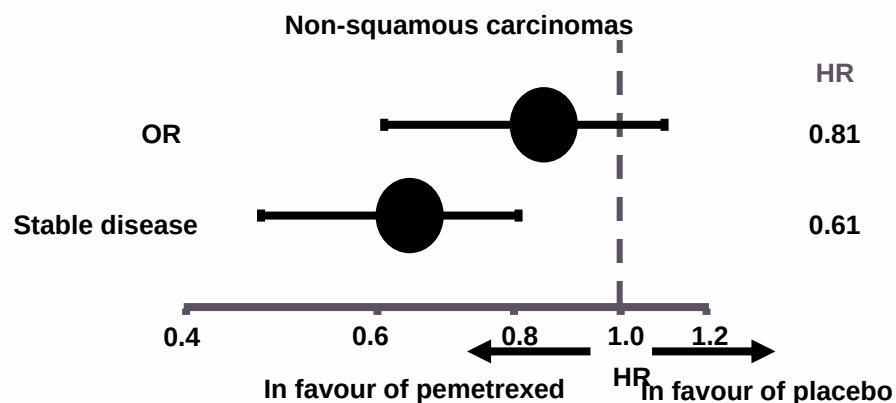
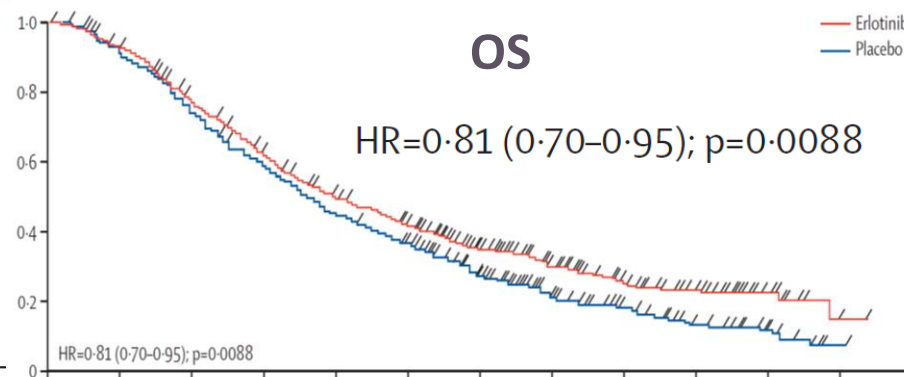


Switch Maintenance vs response to 1st line chemotherapy

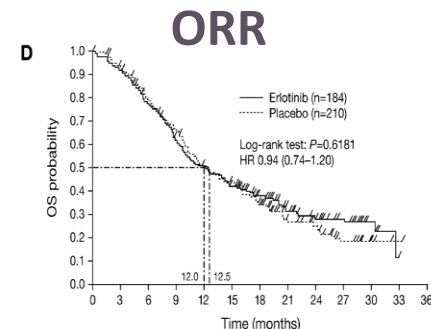
Pemetrexed vs placebo
Induction CT without pemetrexed



Erlotinib vs placebo



HR=0.72 (0.59–0.89)



HR=0.94 (0.74–1.20)

OUTLINE -2

beyond 1st line

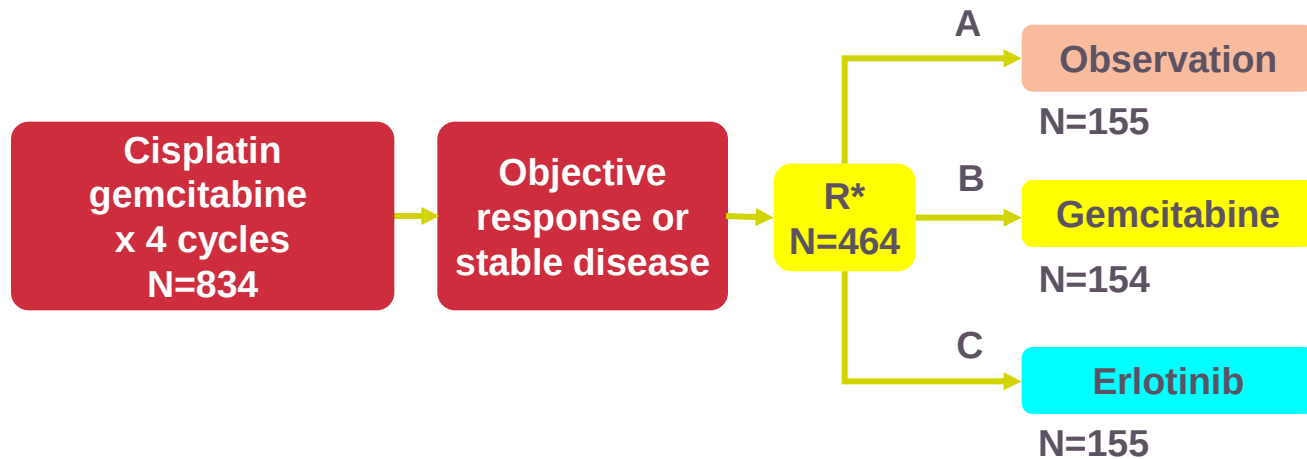
- Switch maintenance

Recommendations:

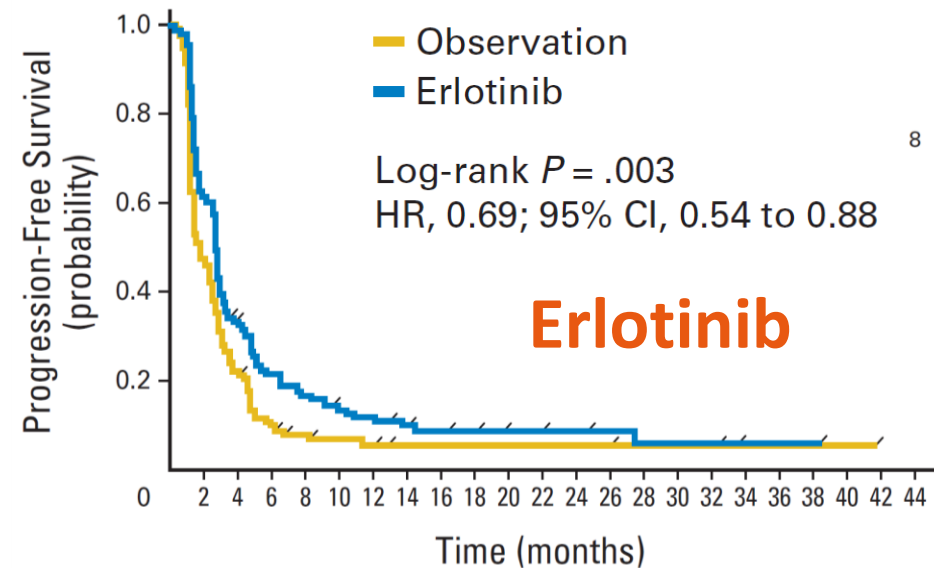
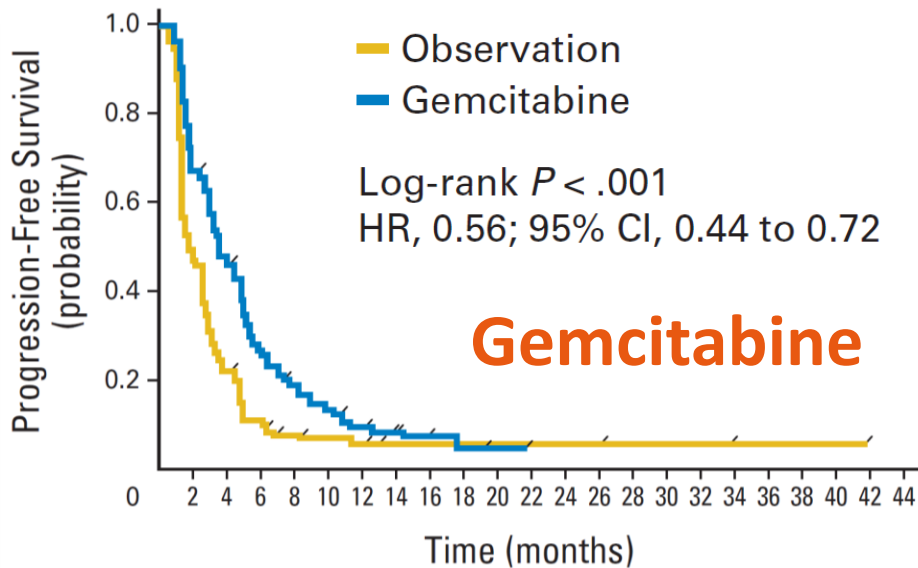
Switch maintenance with pemetrexed may be offered to patients with advanced non-squamous carcinoma who are not treated with pemetrexed first-line treatment. (B,II)

Switch maintenance with erlotinib is a treatment option for patients with advanced NSCLC who have stable disease after first-line platin-based chemotherapy. (B,IV)

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Primary endpoint: PFS



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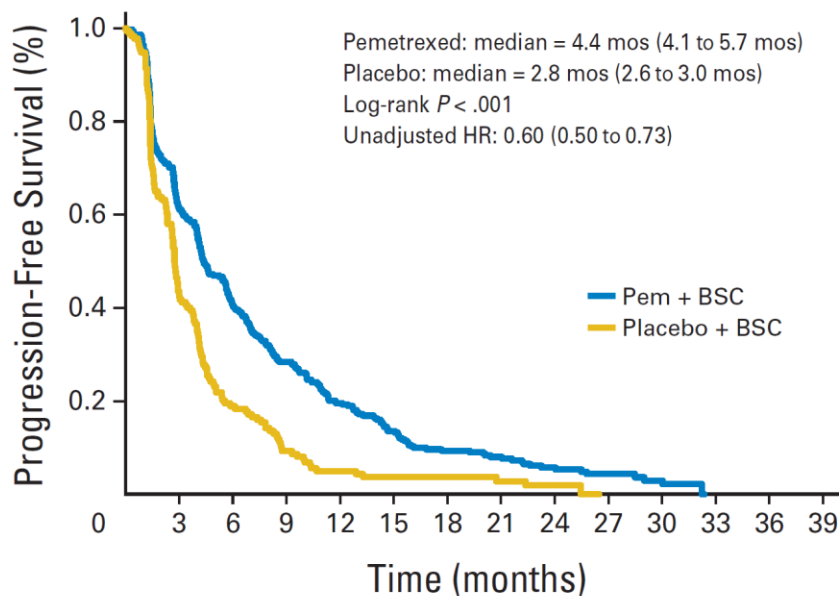
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beyond 1st line

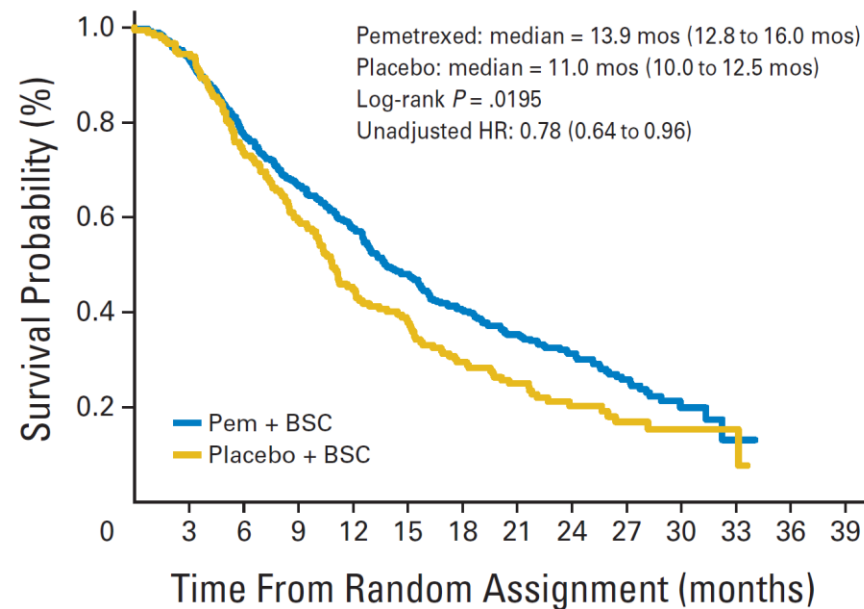
- Switch maintenance
- **Continuation maintenance**
- Which pts for 2nd/3rd line?
- Best 2nd/3rd line?
- Beyond second line?
- Re-challenge platinum?

Pemetrexed vs placebo after 4 cycles pemetrexed/cisplatin

PFS

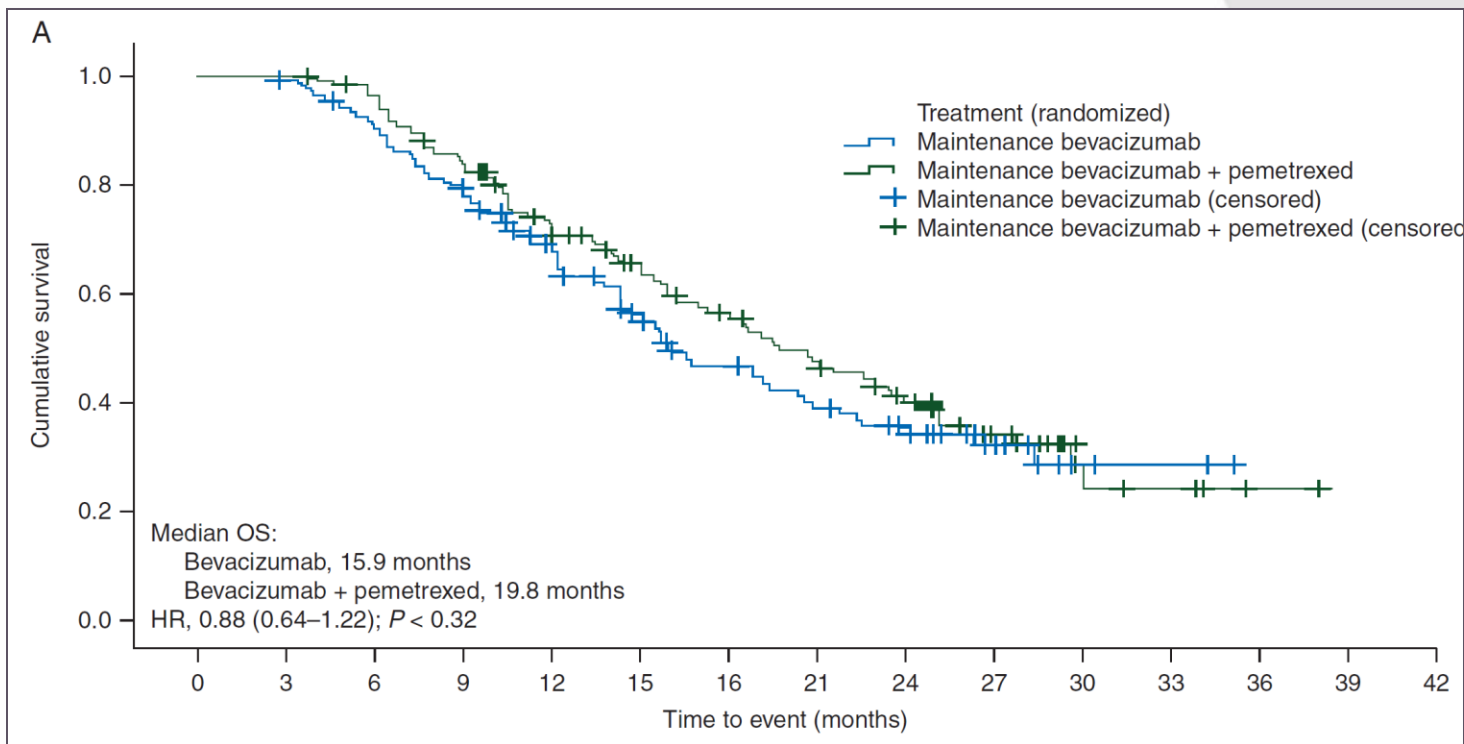


OS



OS maintenance pemetrexed: 13.9 months

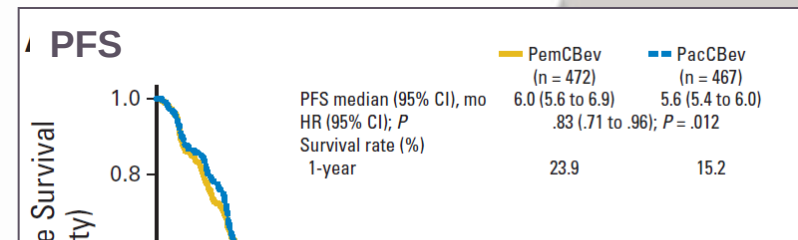
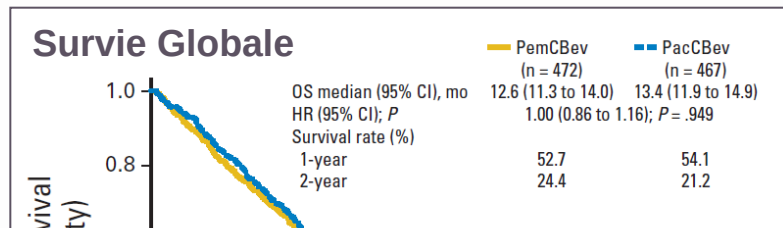
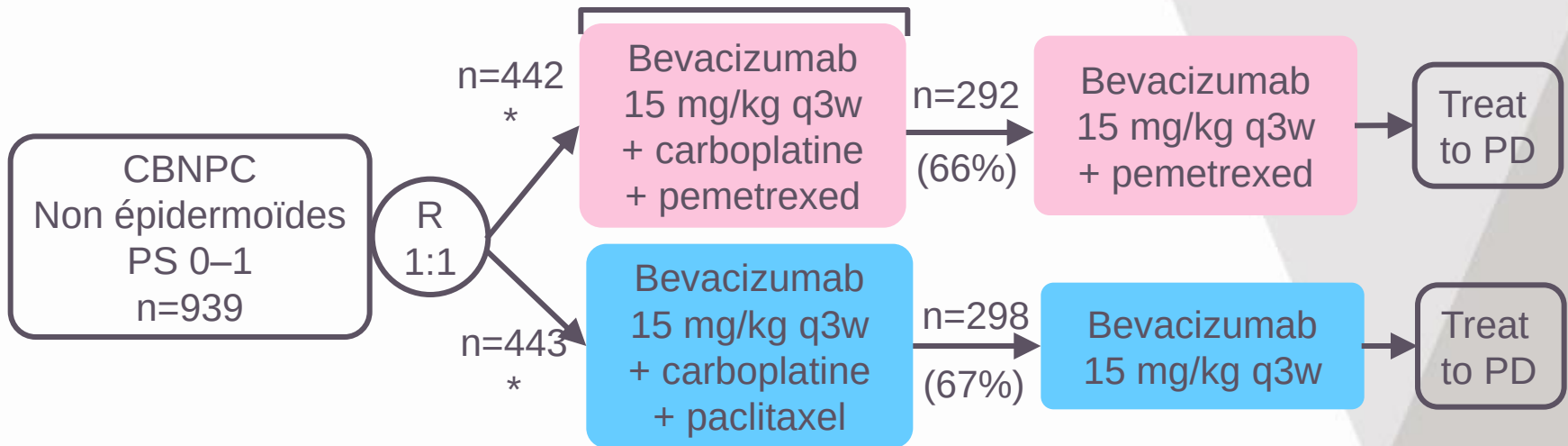
Pemetrexed + bevacizumab vs bevacizumab after 4 cycles pemetrexed/cisplatin/bevacizumab



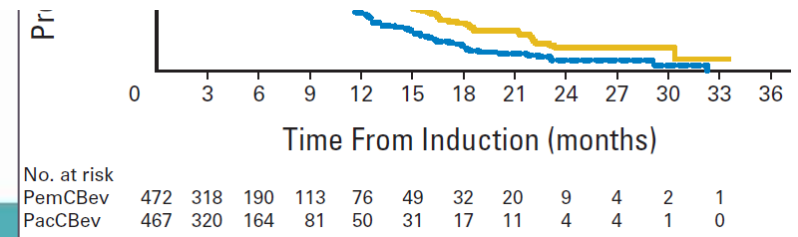
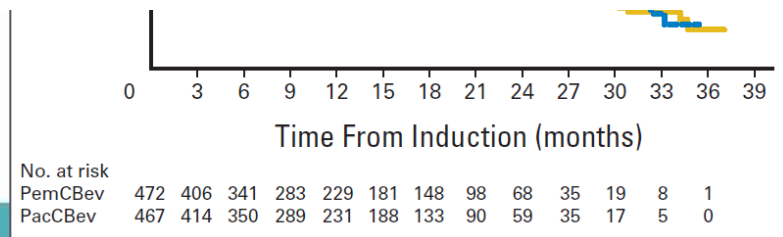
AVAPERL

OS maintenance pemetrexed/bevacizumab: 19.8 months

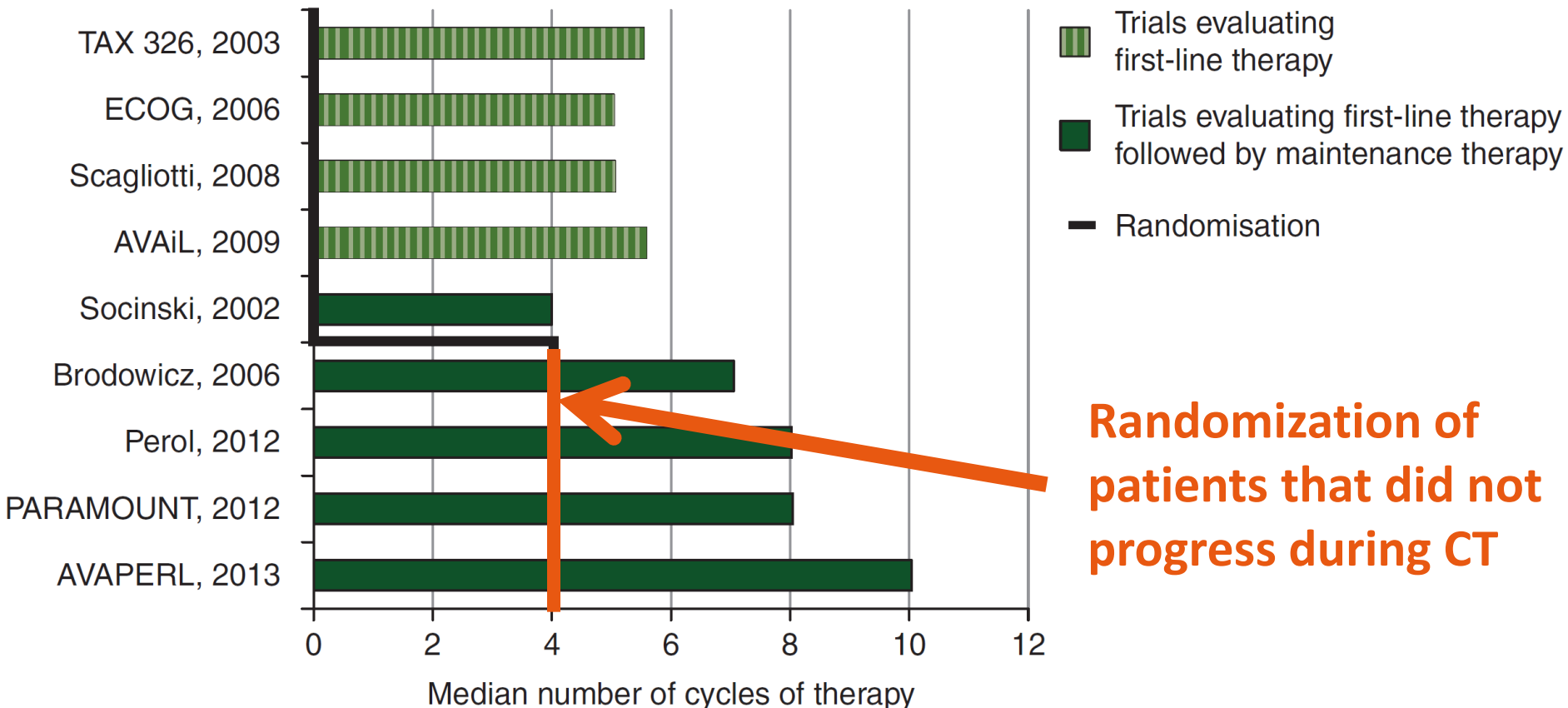
Maintenance pemetrexed + bevacizumab?



**OS maintenance pemetrexed/bevacizumab: 12.6 months
Vs 19.8 months in AVAPERL**



Mind the randomization!



OUTLINE -2

beyond 1st line

- Switch maintenance
- Continuation maintenance

- Which pts for
- Best 2nd/3rd
- Beyond sec
- Re-challeng

Recommendation:

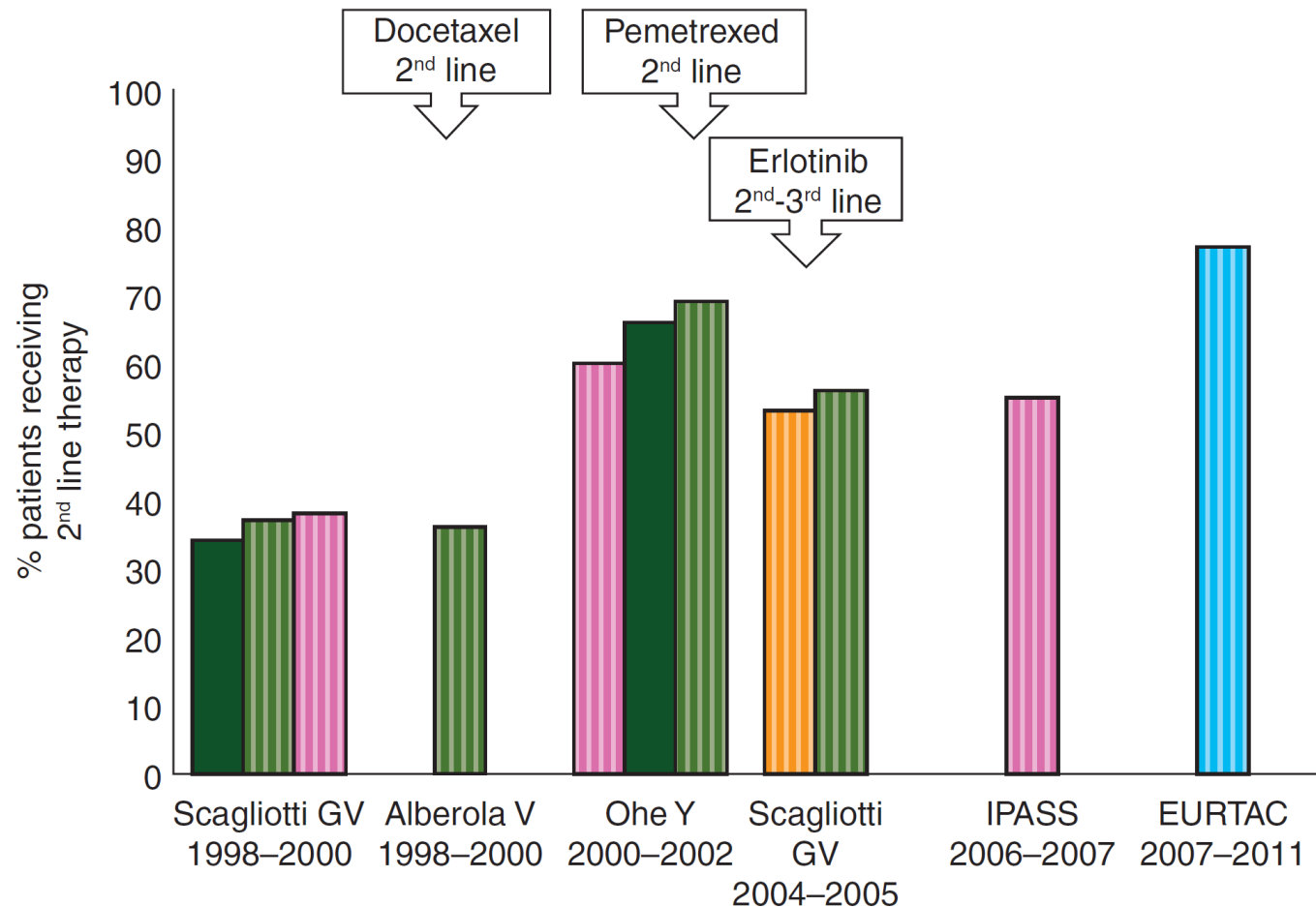
Continuation maintenance treatment with pemetrexed may be offered to patients with advanced non-squamous NSCLC not progressing after first-line pemetrexed- cisplatin therapy. (A,I)

OUTLINE -2

beyond 1st line

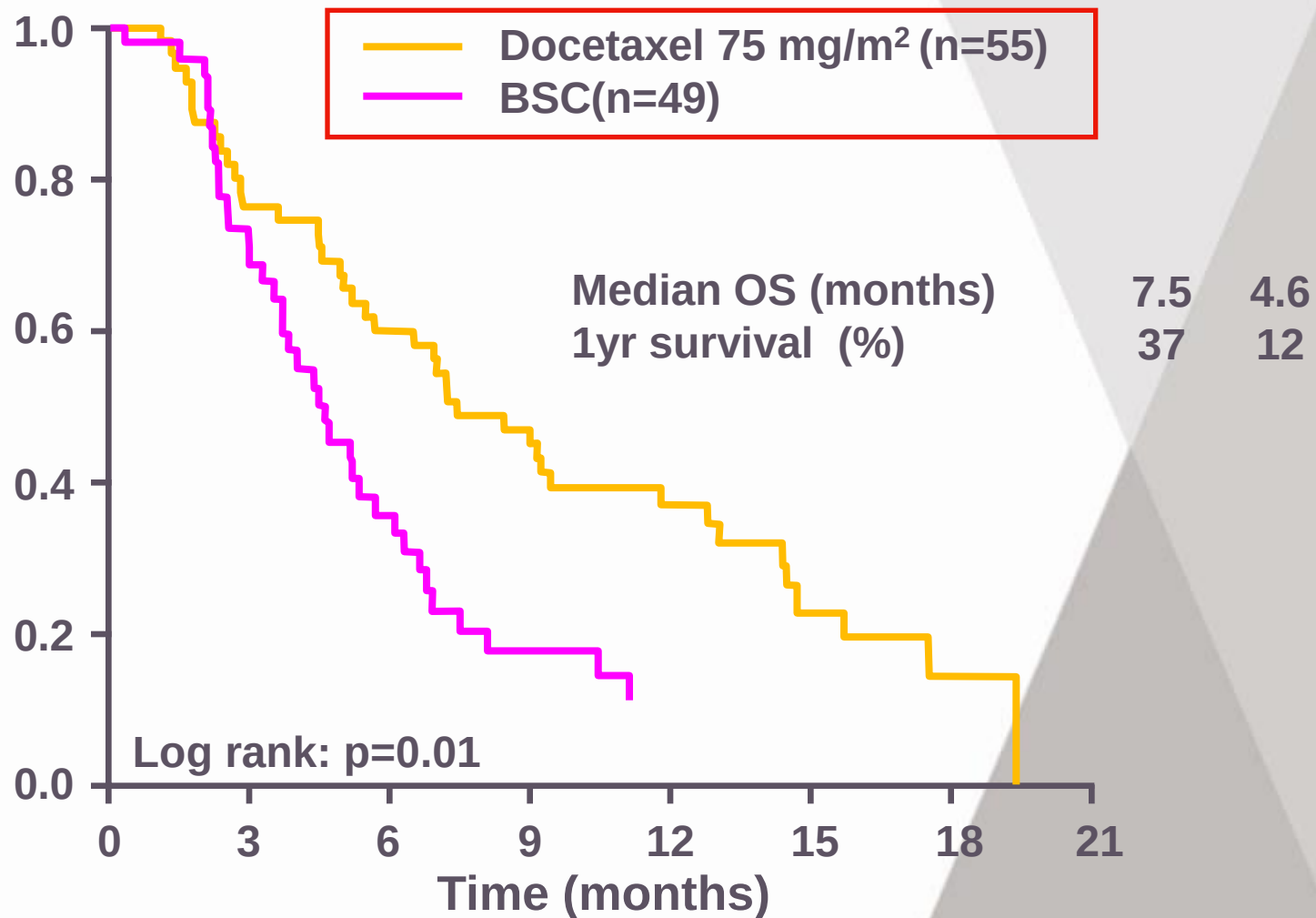
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- **Which pts for 2nd/3rd line?**
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Second line uptake

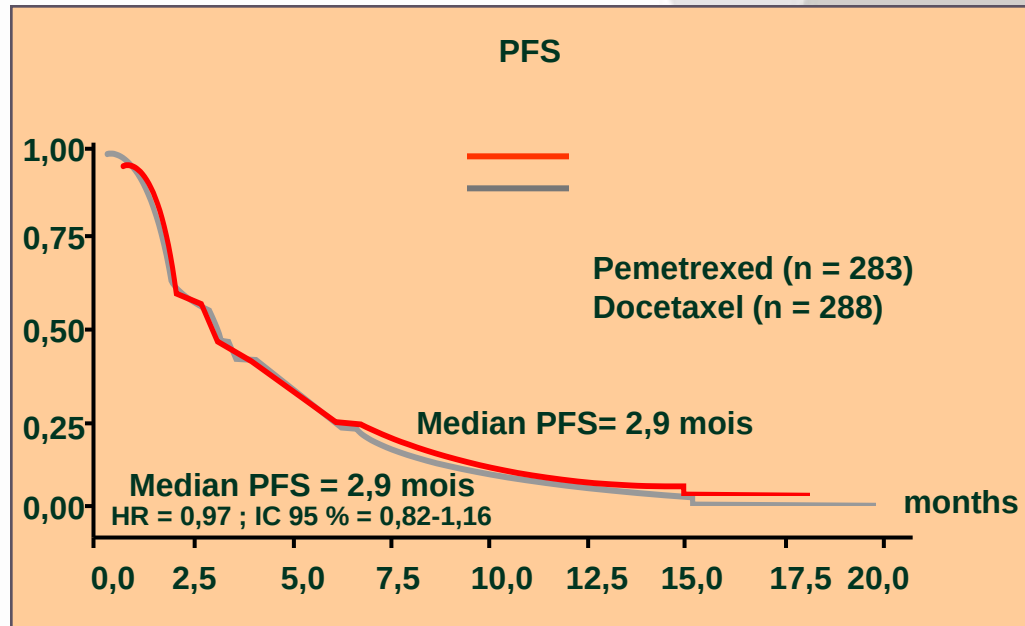
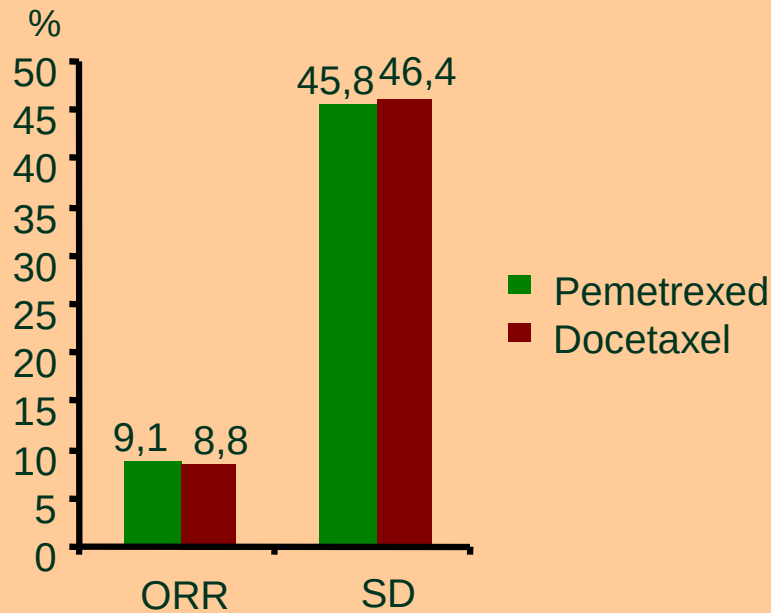
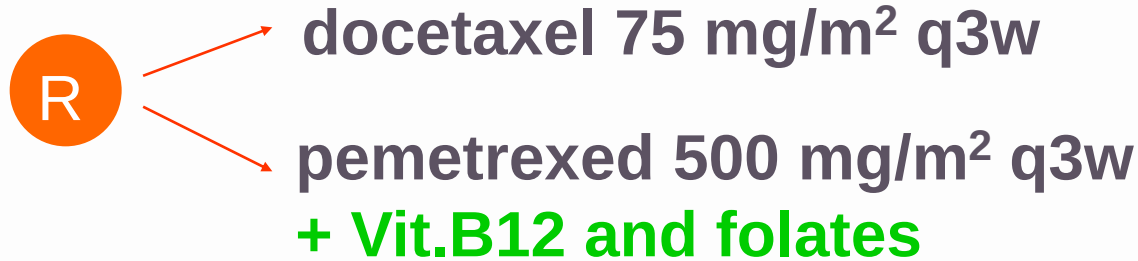


Docetaxel – 2000

Survival
probability



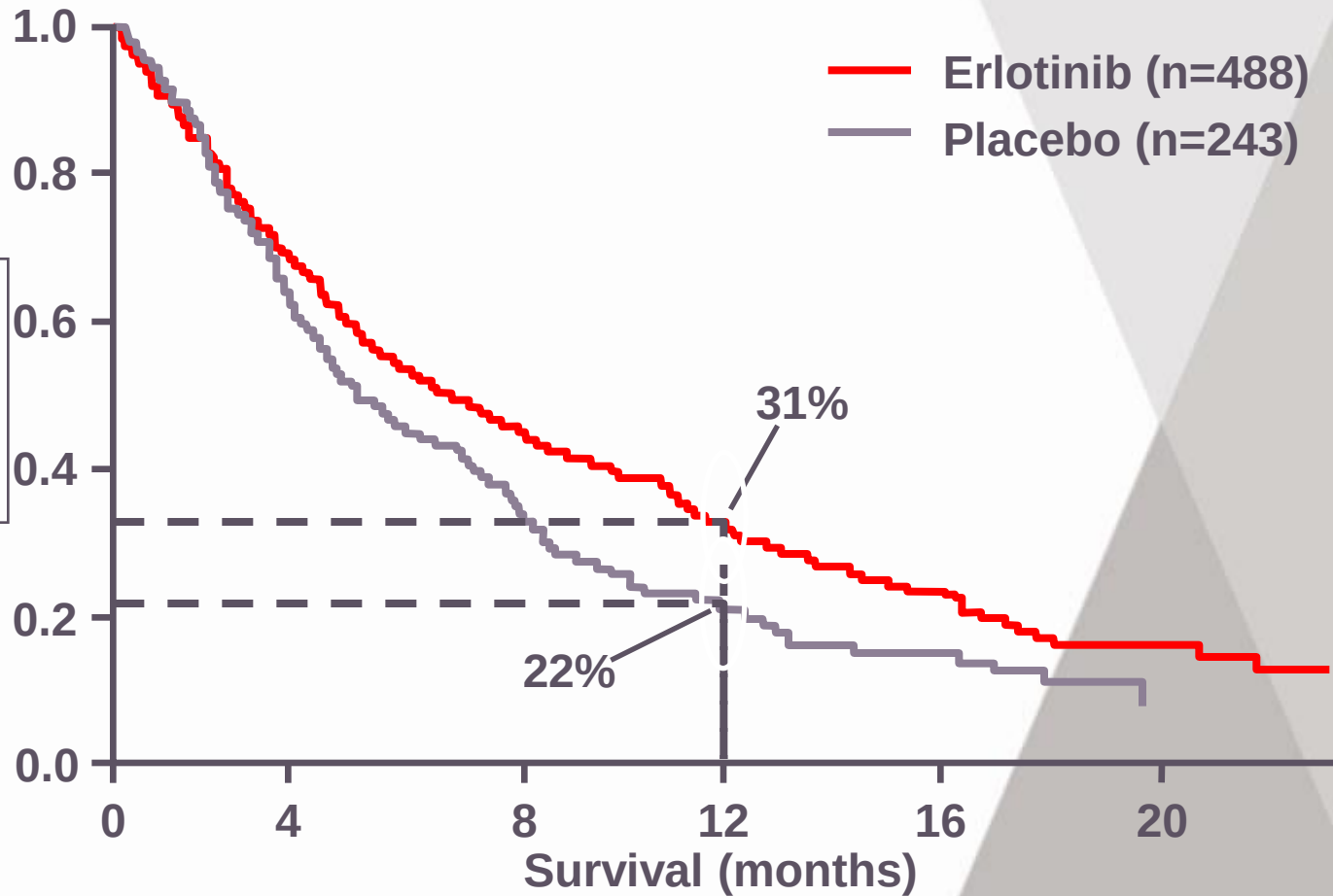
Pemetrexed – A.M.M. 2003



Erlotinib –2005

Survival probability

No selection on EGFR!



OUTLINE -2

beyond 1st line

- Switch maintenance
- Continuation maintenance
- Which pts for 2nd/3rd line?
- Best 2nd/3rd line?
- Beyond second line?
- Re-challenge platinum?

Recommendation:
2nd or 3rd-line therapy should be offered to patients with PS 0–1 who present with signs of disease progression (radiological and/or clinical) after 1st- or 2nd-line therapy.

OUTLINE -2

beyond 1st line

- Switch maintenance
- Continuation maintenance
- Which pts for 2nd/3rd line?
- **Best 2nd/3rd line?**
- Beyond second line?
- Re-challenge platinum?

2nd line for advanced NSCLC

A best choice ?

Docetaxel : 75 mg/m² - d1 = d21

ORR : 9% - PFS : 2,9 m

Pemetrexed : 500 mg/m² - d1 = d21

ORR : 9% - PFS : 2,9 m

Erlotinib : 150 mg/d

ORR : 9% - PFS : 2,2 m

But if paclitaxel is
given first line ?

Non SCC only

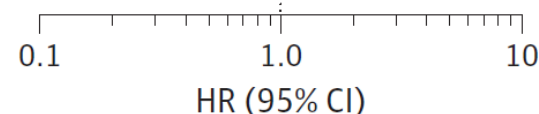
All histology

EGFR wt tumors

Chemotherapy vs EGFR TKI

Progression Free Survival

Source	No. of Patients With WT <i>EGFR</i>		Progression-Free Survival, HR (95% CI)	Favors TKI	Favors Chemotherapy	Weight, %
	TKI	Chemotherapy				
INTEREST, ^{12,27} 2008 and 2010	106	123	1.24 (0.94-1.64)			11.57
IPASS, ^{5,28} 2009 and 2011	91	85	2.85 (2.05-3.98)			10.90
ML20322, ²⁹ 2012	21	15	0.50 (0.25-0.97)			6.81
TITAN, ¹³ 2012	75	74	1.25 (0.88-1.78)			10.64
First-SIGNAL, ³⁰ 2012	27	27	1.42 (0.82-2.47)			8.12
TORCH, ¹⁴ 2012	119	117	2.07 (1.58-2.71)			11.67
KCSG-LU08-01, ³¹ 2012	18	20	0.56 (0.28-1.13)			6.56
TAILOR, ¹⁵ 2013	109	110	1.39 (1.06-1.82)			11.66
DELTA, ³³ 2013	109	90	1.45 (1.09-1.94)			11.45
CTONG-0806, ³⁴ 2013	81	76	1.96 (1.37-2.78)			10.62
Overall: $I^2 = 79.1\%$; $P < .001$	756	737	1.41 (1.10-1.81)			100

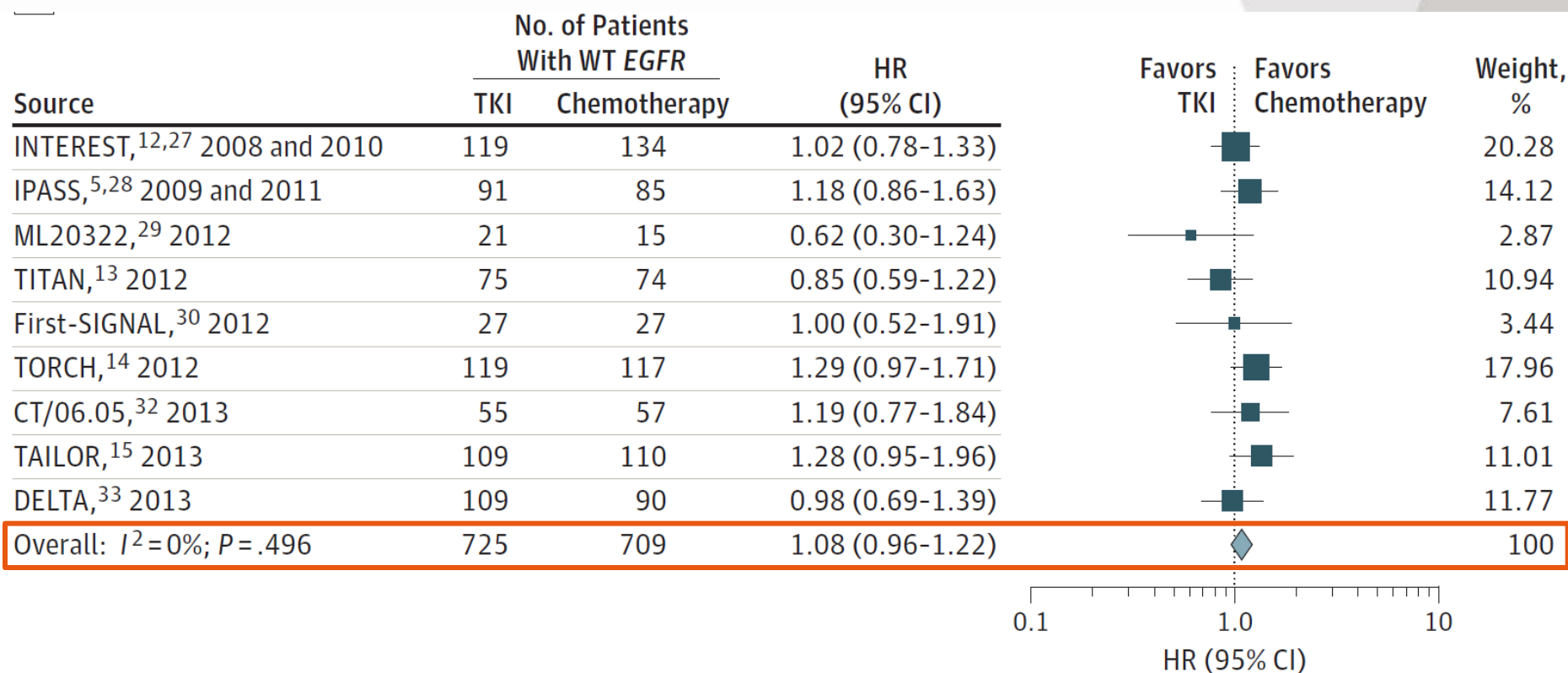


Not on Individual patient's data

EGFR wt tumors

Chemotherapy vs EGFR TKI

Overall Survival



Not on Individual patient's data

OUTLINE -2

beyond 1st line

- Switch maintenance
- Continuation maint
- Which pts for 2nd/3rd
- **Best 2nd/3rd line?**
- Beyond second line
- Re-challenge platin

Recommendation:

Chemotherapy can be offered to patients who have a PS 0–1. Regardless of the EGFR status of the tumour a choice between docetaxel, pemetrexed or erlotinib can be made. For fit patients, chemotherapy may be more effective than erlotinib. (B,I)

OUTLINE -2

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Long survivor?

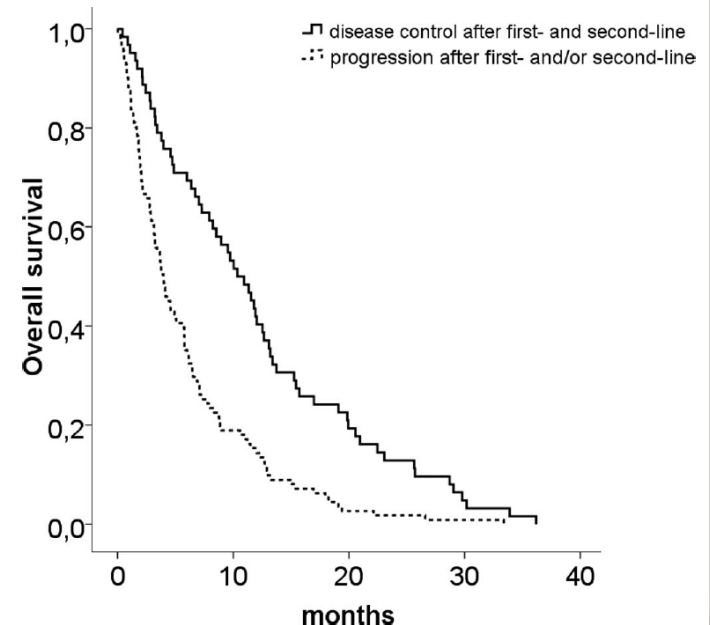
Literature series on long-term survivors with advanced NSCLC.

Study (year)	LTS	$N_{LTS\text{patients}}$	Stage	Predictive factors	Remarks
Okamoto et al. [3]	>2 years	17 of 222	IV	PS, adenocarcinoma, surgery, lower N -stage	19 patients surgery
Satoh et al. [4]	>2 years	14 of 109	Advanced	PS, EGFR-TKI	
Kaira et al. [5]	>5 year	10 of 124	Advanced	PS, adenocarcinoma, EGFR-TKI	2 resections of solitary brain mets
Dujon et al. [6]	>2 years	23 of 169	Advanced	PS, comorbidity, response, EGFR-TKI	
Giroux Leprieur et al. [7]	>2 years	39 of 245	Advanced	PS, response, surgery, N of lines, treatment-free interval	Resectable patients
This series	>2 years	31 vs. 34	Advanced	(PS), (gender), response, N of lines, treatment-free interval	

LTS: definition of long-term survival; $N_{LTS\text{patients}}$: number of long-term survivors; N -stage: lymph node stage; PS: performance status; EGFR-TKI: epidermal growth factor tyrosine kinase inhibitor; mets: metastases; N of lines: number of metastatic treatment lines.

French retrospective study

173/1292 pts received a 3rd line
Disease control after 2 lines matters
OS = 10.3 m vs 4.0 m
HR=0.45 (0.32-0.62)



OUTLINE -2

beyond 1st line

- Switch maintenance
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- Best 2nd/3rd line?
- **Beyond second line?**
- Re-challenge platinum?

Recommendation:
Selected patients
may benefit from
third line or
fourth-line
systemic
treatment. (C,II)

OUTLINE -2

beyond 1st line

- Switch maintenance
- Continuation maintenance
- Which pts for 2nd/3rd line?
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- Beyond second line?
- **Re-challenge platinum?**

Platinum again in second line?

- Pemetrexed vs. pemetrexed-carboplatin

- N=240

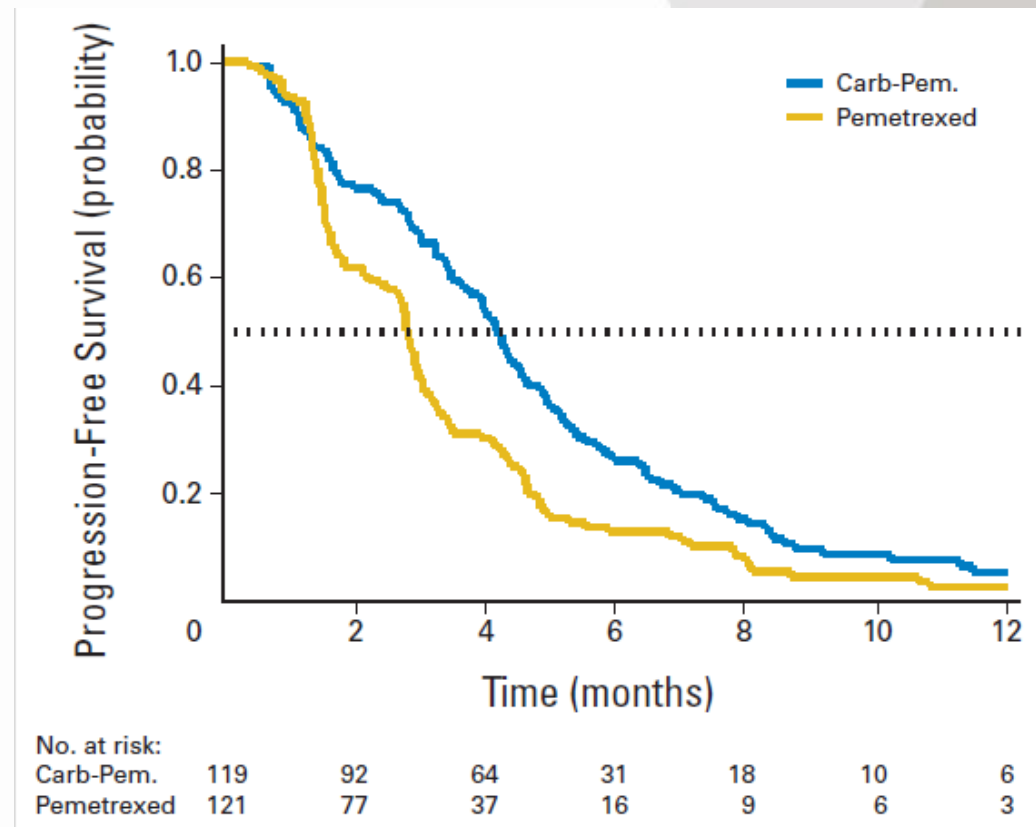
- ORR : 7 vs 17%

- PFS med :
2,8 vs 4,6 m

ADK : 2,9 vs 4,3 m

SCC : 2,6 vs 3,5 m

- OS med
7,6 vs 8 m
HR=0,85 [0,63- 1,2]

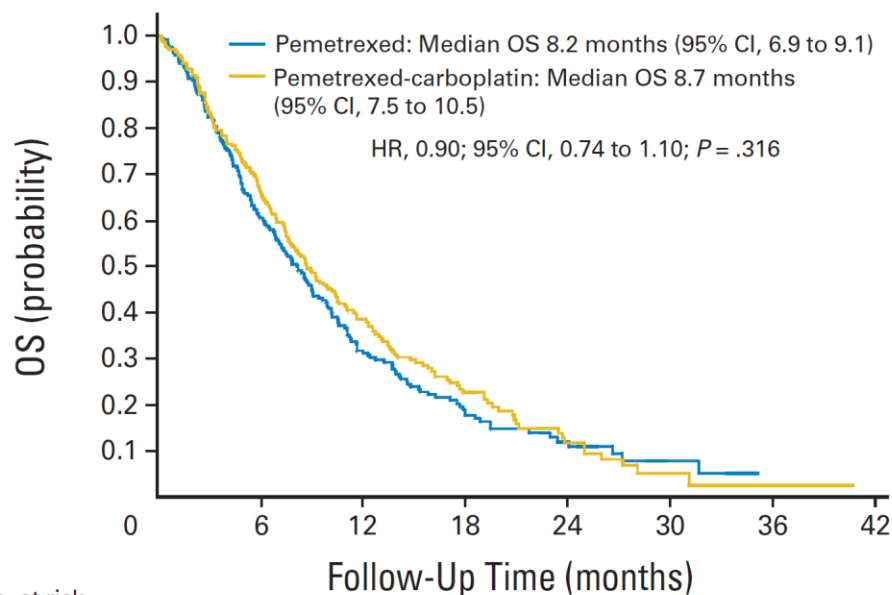


25% SCC – better OS if free interval > 6 months

Pem. vs Pem. + carbo

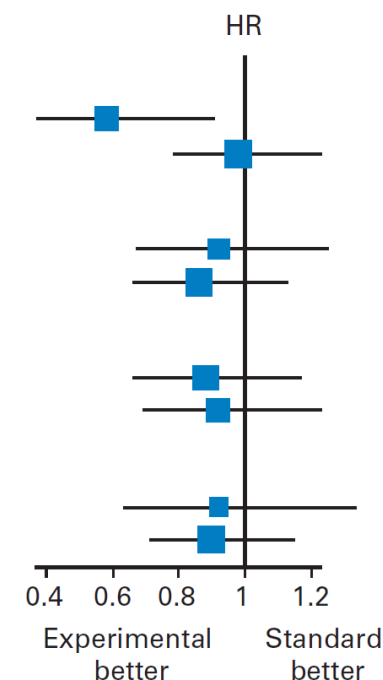
Pooled analysis - OS

GOIRC 02-2006 & NVALT 7



No. at risk								
Pemetrexed	241	137	63	26	11	2	0	0
Pemetrexed-carboplatin	238	155	75	32	9	1	1	0

Factor	n	HR	P
Histology			
Squamous	89	0.58	.039
Other	390	0.98	
ECOG PS			
0	218	0.92	.771
1 or 2	261	0.86	
Response to platinum			
CR + PR	238	0.88	.826
Other	241	0.92	
Treatment-free interval			
< 3 months	132	0.92	.934
≥ 3 months	347	0.90	



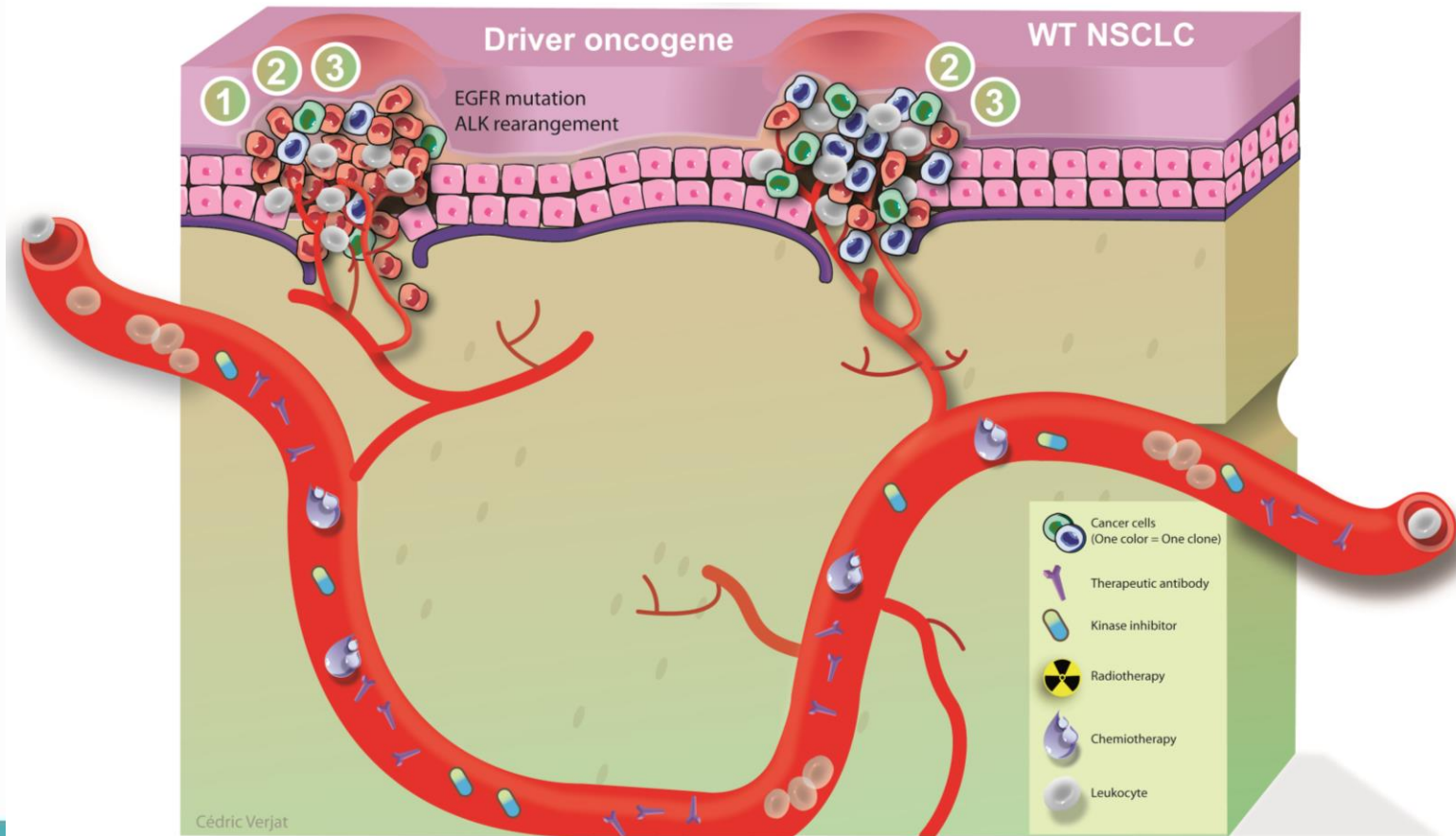
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beyond 1st line

- Switch maintenance
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- Beyond second line?
- Re-challenge platinum? —

Recommendation:
In advanced NSCLC patients treated with first-line cisplatin-doublet chemotherapy, there is no proven role for re-challenge with platinum compounds. (D,II)





NSCLC stage IV, PS 0 or 1

P2/old

Non Squamous cell carc.

SCC

EGFR and ALK wt

Fit?

**Eligible for
bevacizumab**

**Non eligibles for
bevacizumab**

Yes
No

CDDP (carboP if CI)
**+ Gemcitabine, taxanes ou vinorelbine
or pemetrexed if non-SCC
+/- bevacizumab in non-SCC**

**Single
agent**

Docetaxel ou erlotinib

Pemetrexed