

Patients should be selected based on predictive biomarkers

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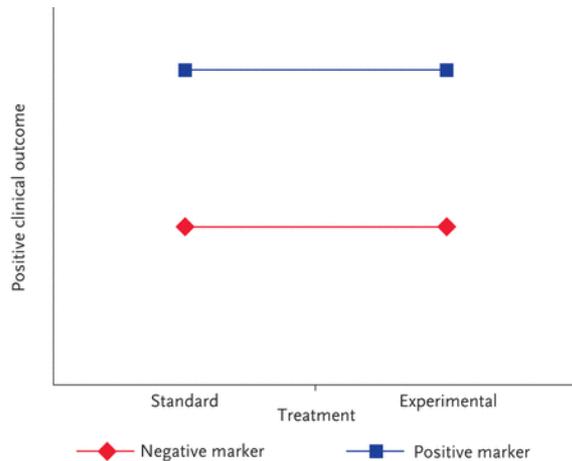
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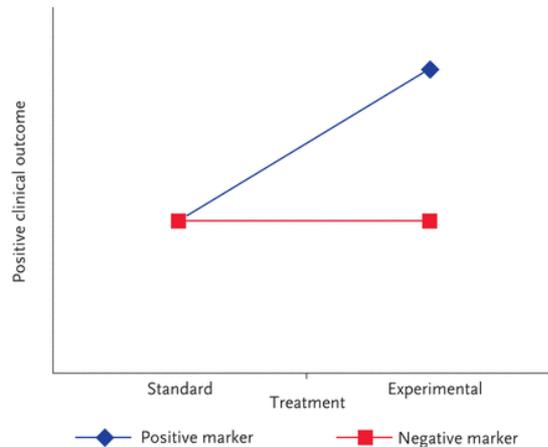
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Prognostic vs. predictive markers

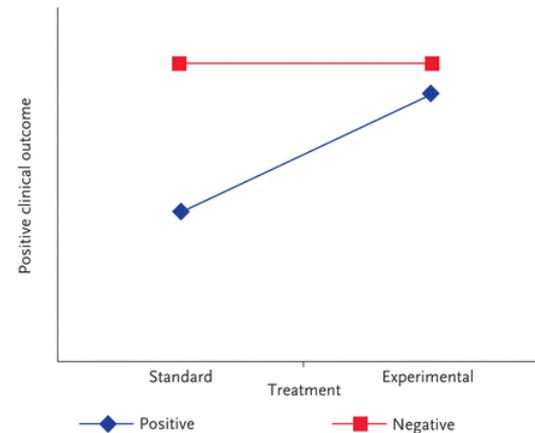
Prognostic



Predictive



Prognostic + Predictive



2004

The **NEW ENGLAND**
JOURNAL *of* **MEDICINE**

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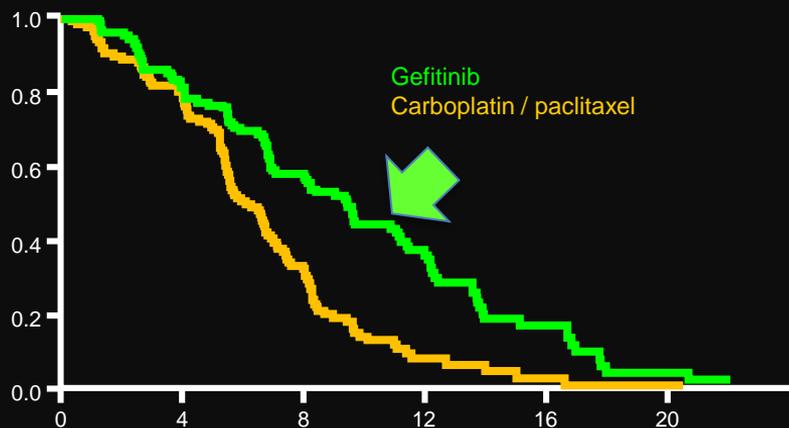
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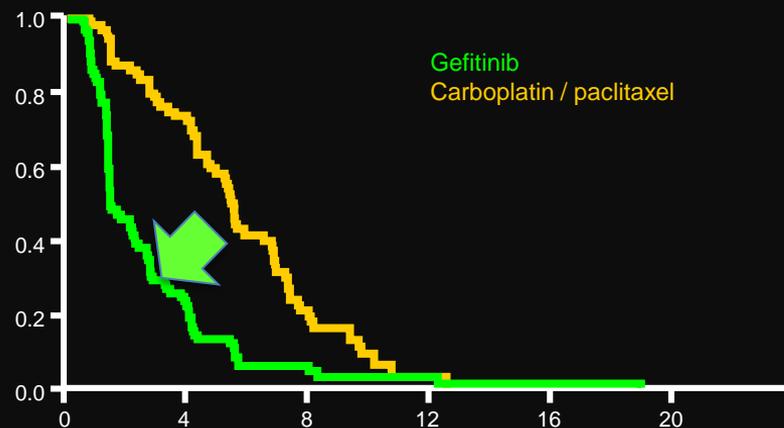
Activating Mutations in the Epidermal Growth Factor
Receptor Underlying Responsiveness of Non-Small-Cell
Lung Cancer to Gefitinib



EGFR+



EGFR-

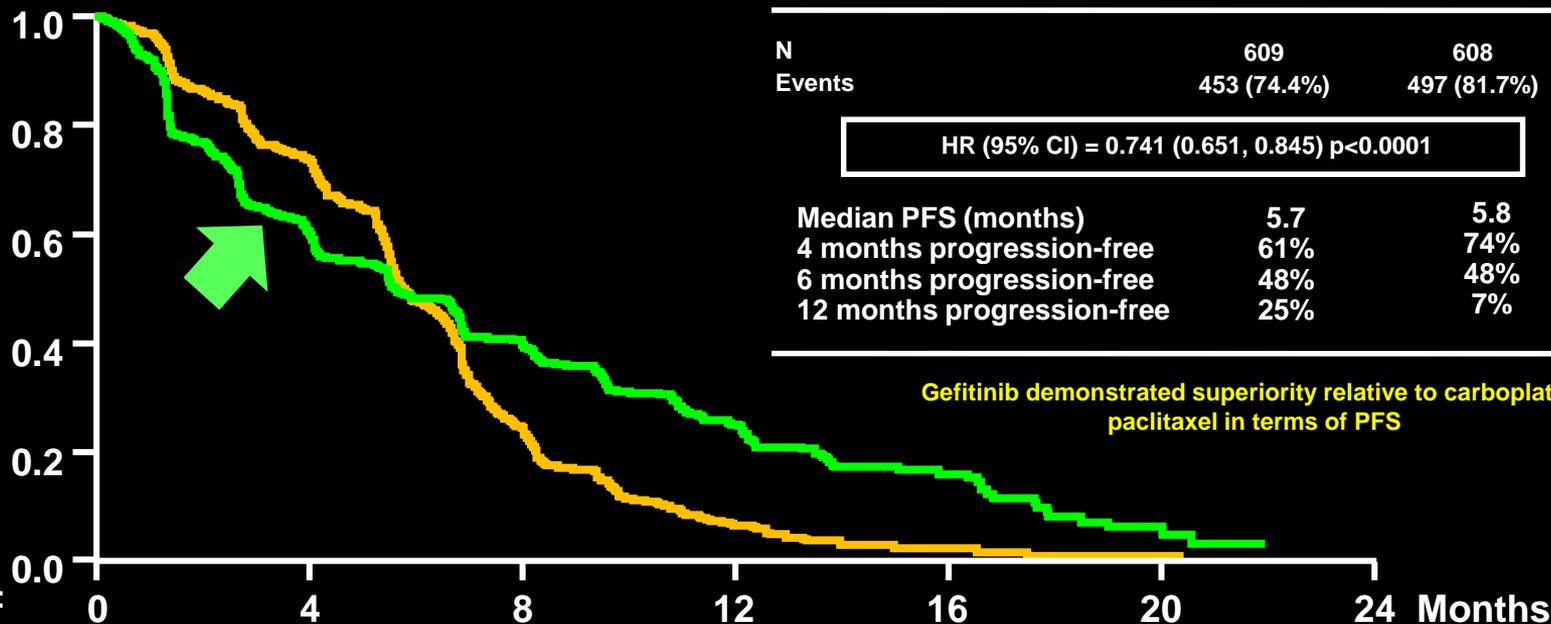


2008 (IPASS Trial; T.Mok et al, NEJM)

Treatment by subgroup interaction test, $p < 0.0001$

Progression-free survival

Probability of PFS



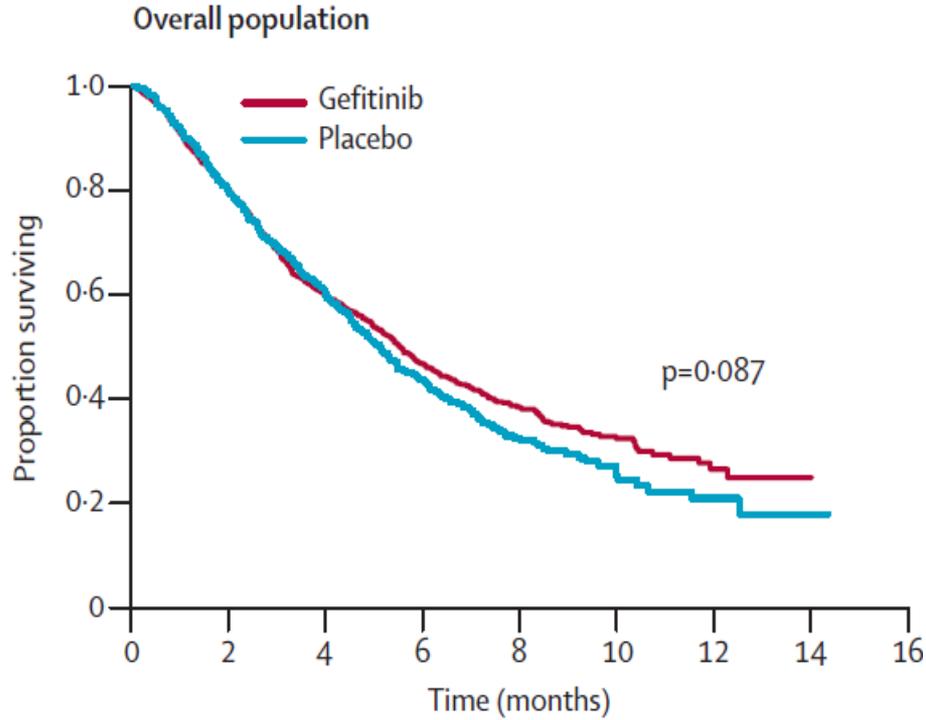
At risk :
 Gefitinib
 Carboplatin /
 paclitaxel

	0	4	8	12	16	20	24
Gefitinib	609	363	212	76	24	5	0
Carboplatin / paclitaxel	608	412	118	22	3	1	0

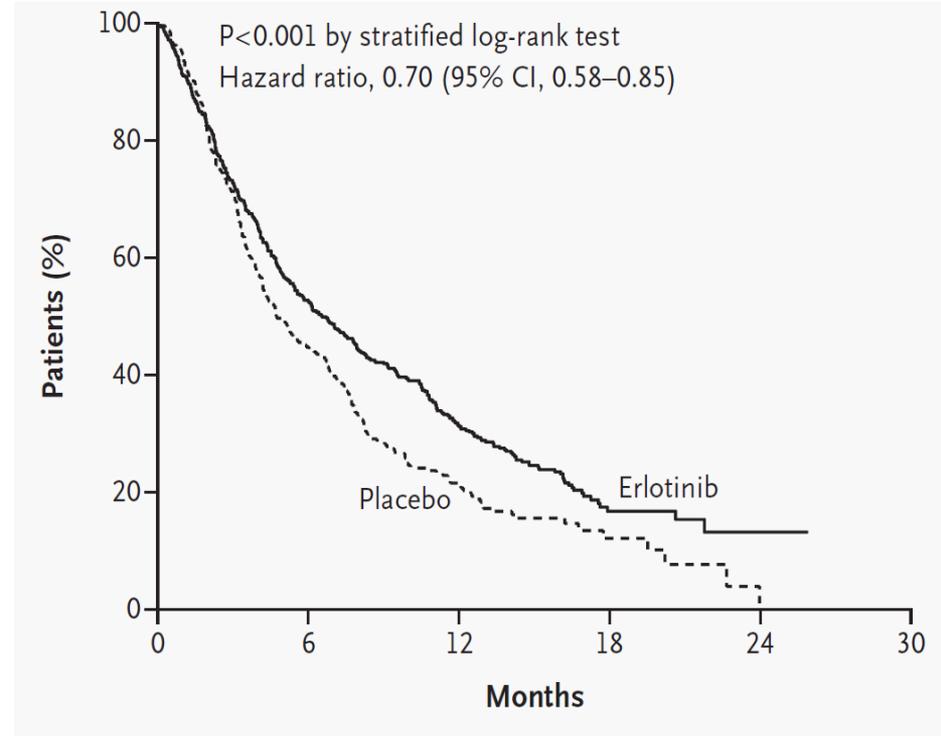
	Gefitinib	Carboplatin / paclitaxel
N	609	608
Events	453 (74.4%)	497 (81.7%)
HR (95% CI) = 0.741 (0.651, 0.845) p<0.0001		
Median PFS (months)	5.7	5.8
4 months progression-free	61%	74%
6 months progression-free	48%	48%
12 months progression-free	25%	7%

Gefitinib demonstrated superiority relative to carboplatin / paclitaxel in terms of PFS

ISEL Trial



BR.21 Trial

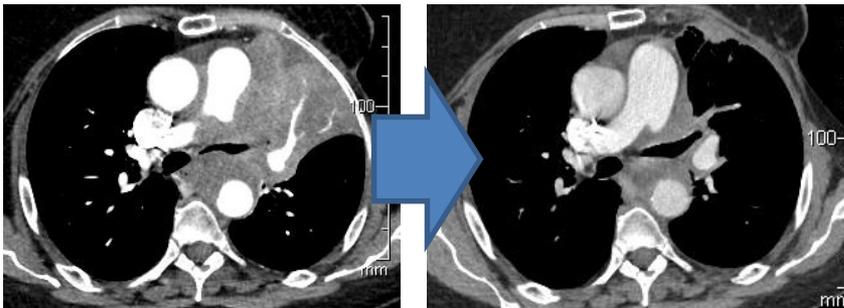


Why we need biomarkers?

BENEFIT

PROVIDE DRUGS ONLY TO PATIENTS WHO COULD BENEFIT FROM THEM

Efficacy with IO (PDL1 80%)

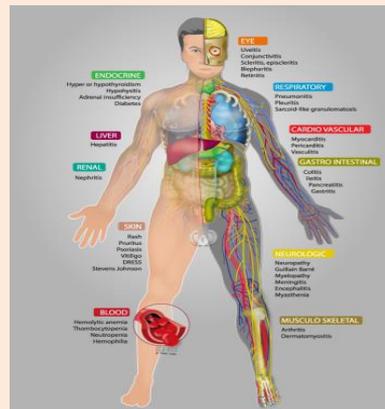


RISK

AVOID TO EXPOSE PATIENTS TO TOXICITY WHEN THERE ARE NO CHANCES OF EFFICACY

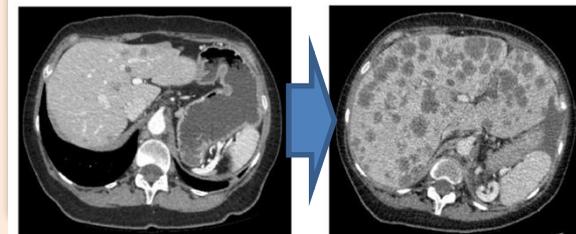


Toxicity



Hyperprogressive disease

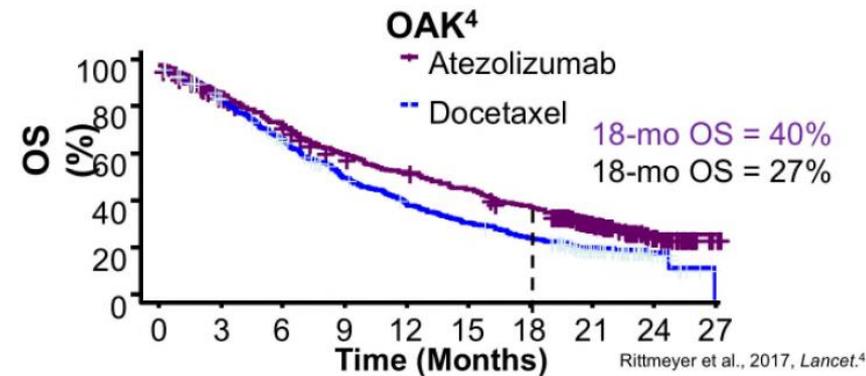
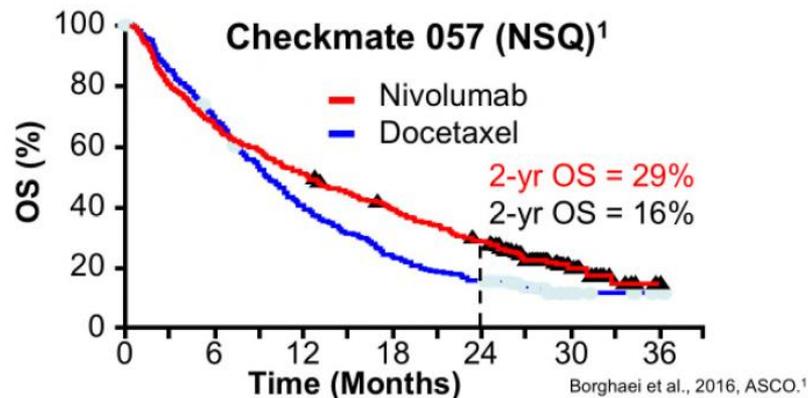
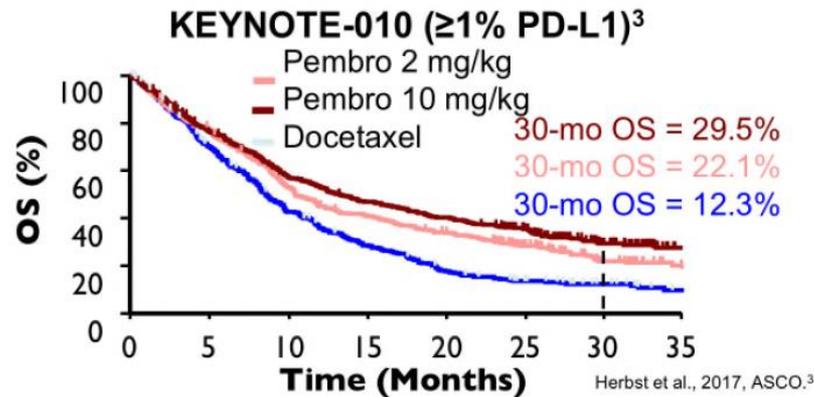
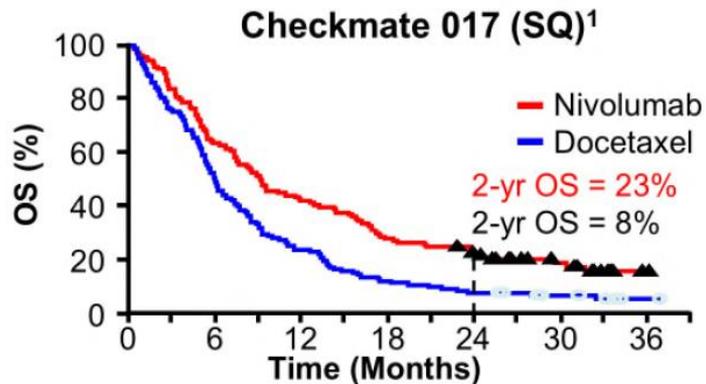
CT evaluations



Baseline

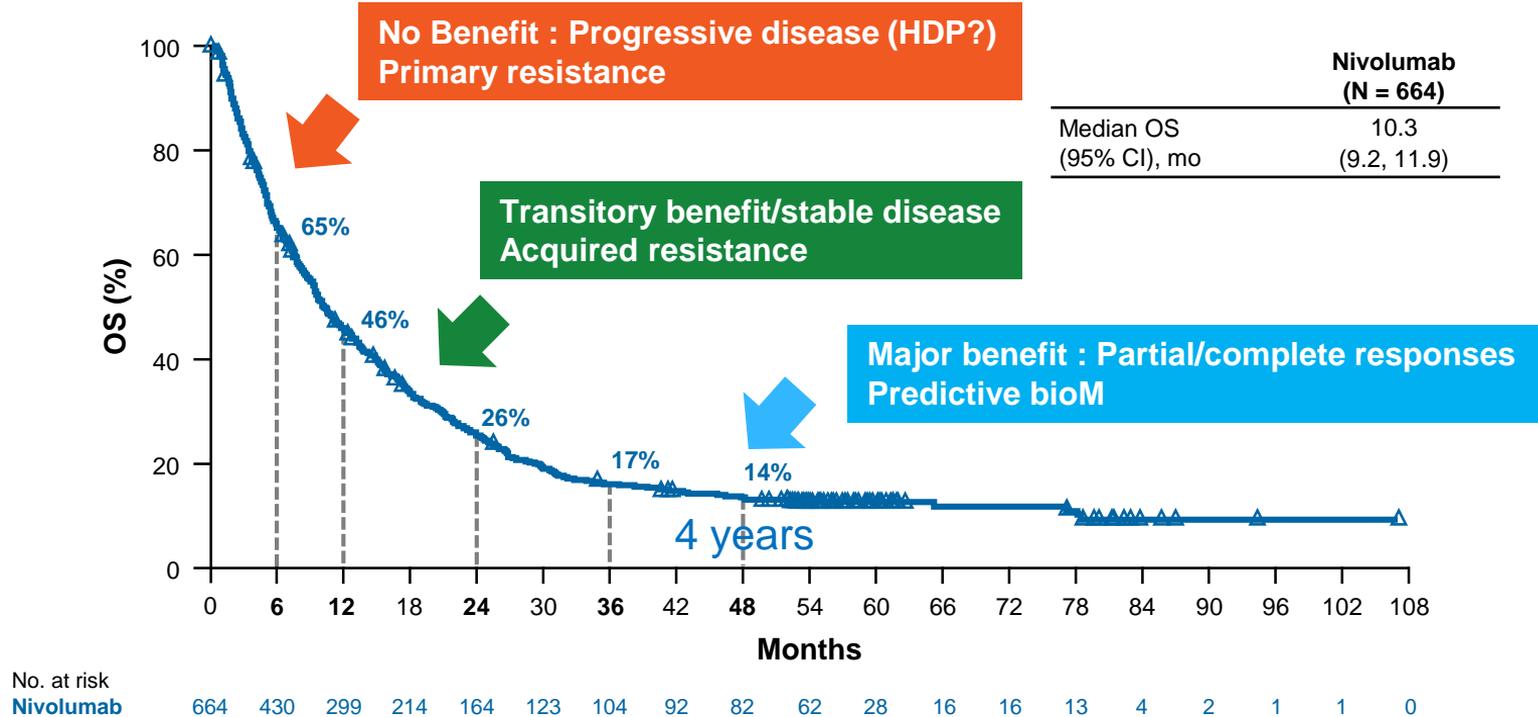
1st Evaluation
(+8 weeks)

A consistent but limited benefice in OS 2nd line



UNSELECTED PATIENTS

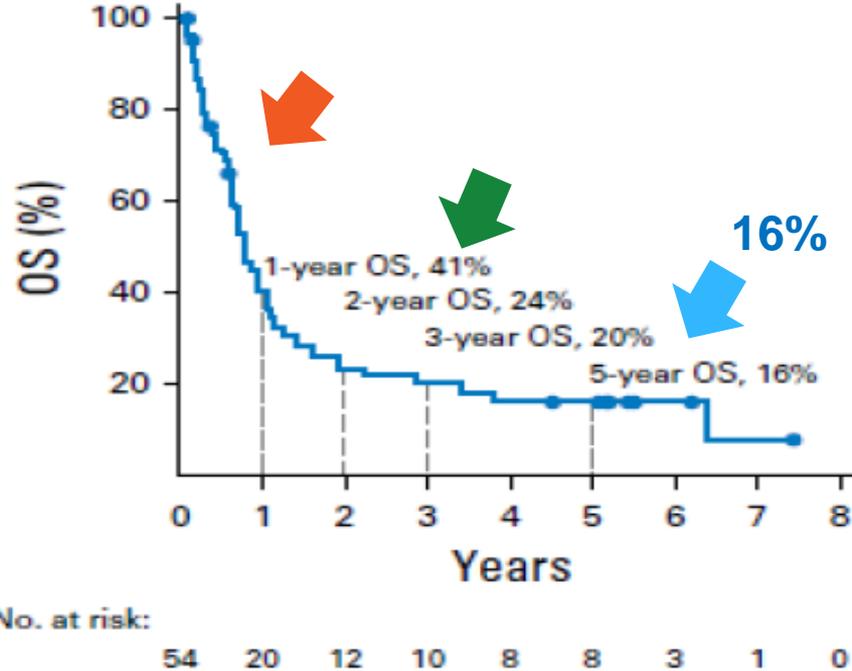
OS in all nivolumab-treated patients (CM 003, 063, 017 and 057 studies)



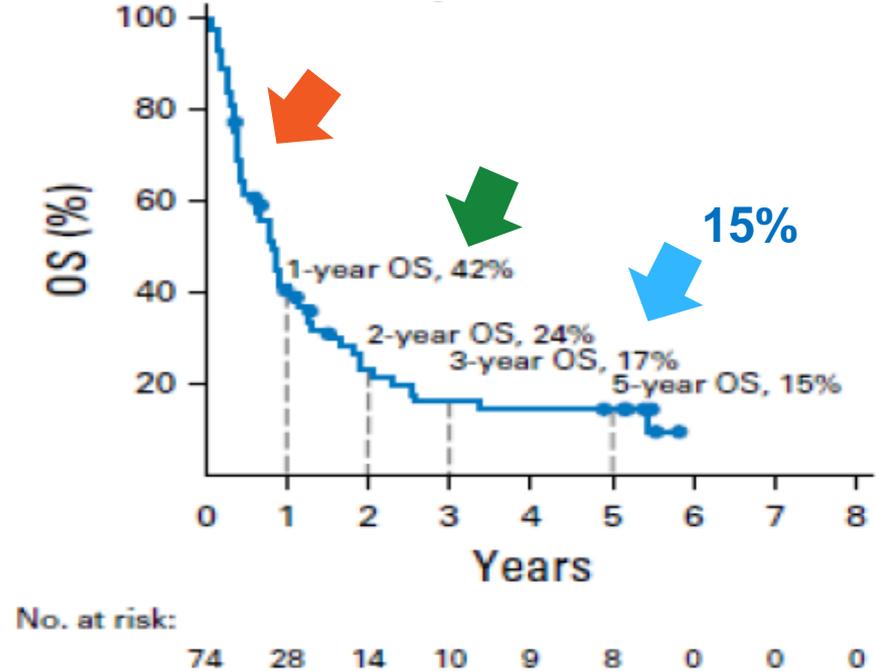
5-Year Estimates of OS

CA209-003 5-Year Update: Phase 1 Nivolumab in Advanced NSCLC

Squamous (n=54)



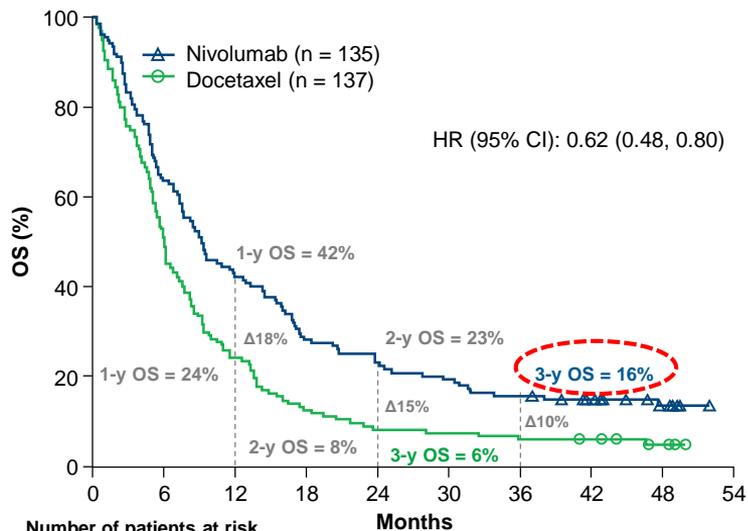
Nonsquamous (n=74)



Long Term Survival

OS (3 Years' Minimum Follow-up)

CheckMate 017 (SQ NSCLC)



Number of patients at risk

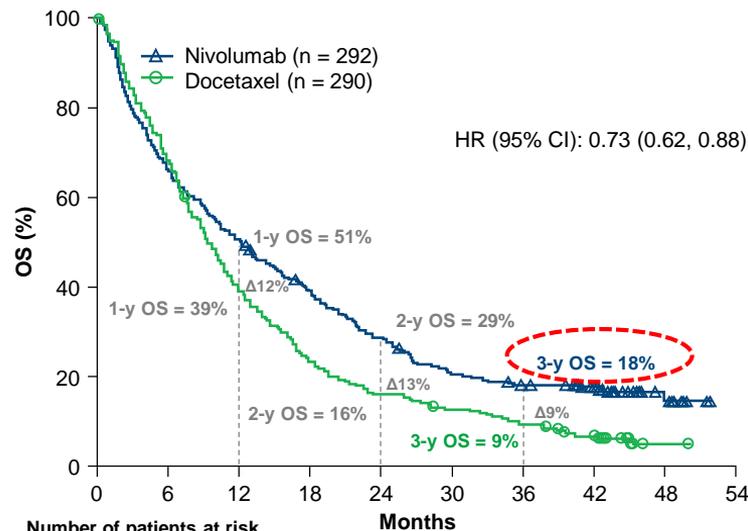
Nivolumab

135 86 57 38 31 26 21 16 8 0

Docetaxel

137 69 33 17 11 10 8 7 3 0

CheckMate 057 (non-SQ NSCLC)



Number of patients at risk

Nivolumab

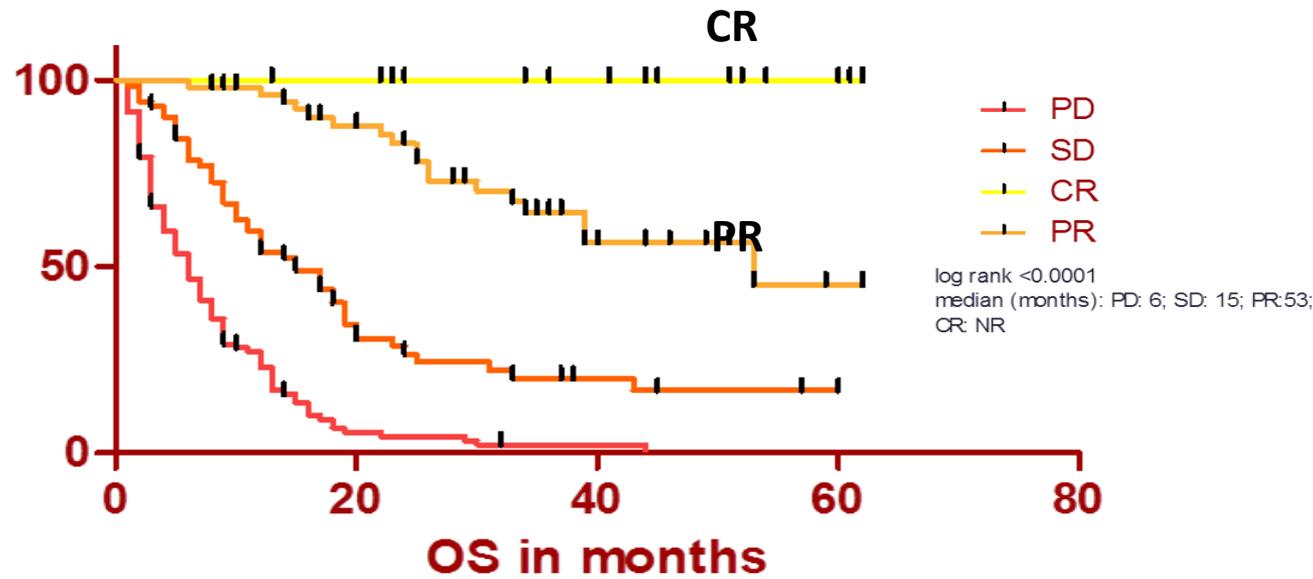
292 194 148 112 82 58 49 39 7 0

Docetaxel

290 195 112 67 46 35 26 16 1 0

NEED TO ENRICH PATIENTS WITH HIGH ORR

ANTI-PD(L)1 SURVIVAL BASED ON RESPONSE TYPE



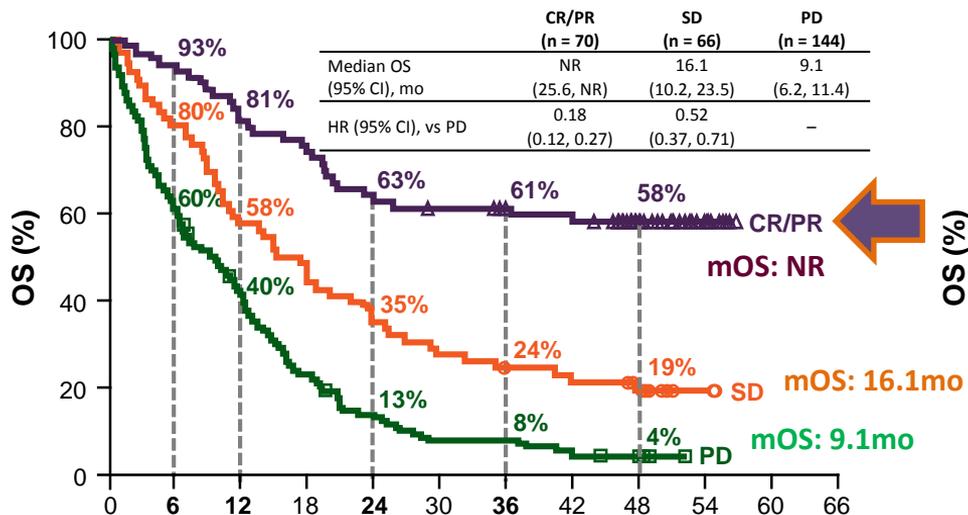
T0 at risk subjects: PD: 107; SD: 71; PR: 55; CR: 22

Data from patients treated with an anti-PD-(L)1 monotherapy in a phase I trial at Gustave Roussy were retrospectively analyzed over a period of 5 years.

➡ Impact on practice for PR/SD patients ?

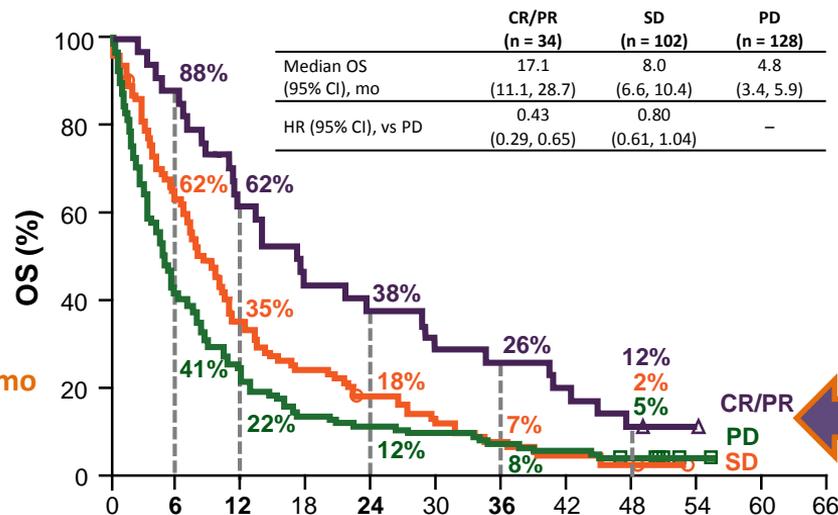
Landmark analysis of OS by response category status at 6 months (CM 017 and 057)^a

Nivolumab



No. at risk	Months from landmark analysis											
CR/PR	70	65	57	52	44	42	39	37	24	7	0	0
SD	66	53	38	29	23	18	15	13	10	2	0	0
PD	144	87	55	32	17	10	10	5	3	0	0	0

Docetaxel

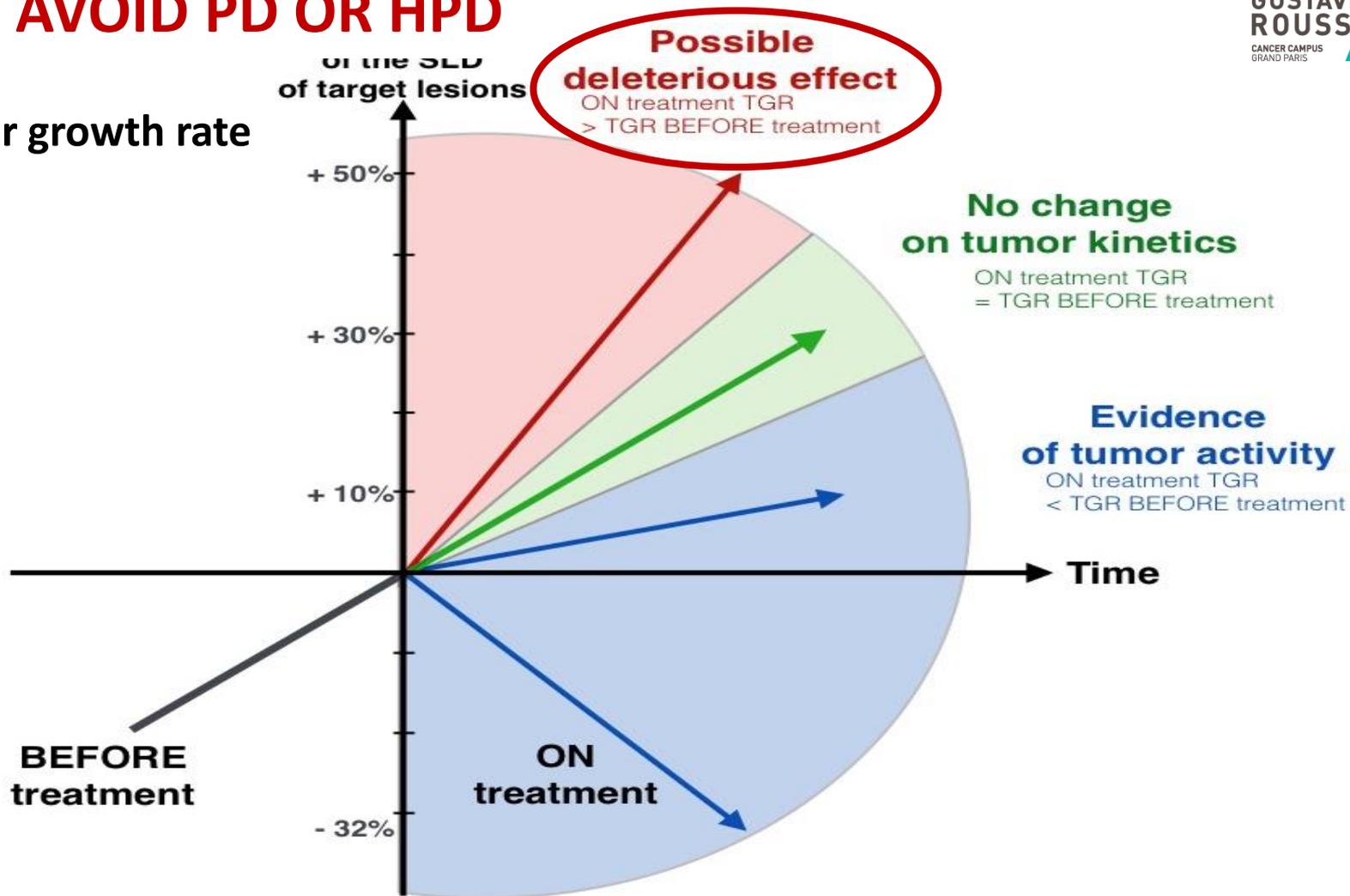


No. at risk	Months from landmark analysis											
CR/PR	34	30	21	15	13	10	9	7	4	0	0	0
SD	102	63	35	24	17	11	7	4	2	0	0	0
PD	128	52	28	18	15	13	10	8	5	1	0	0

^aIn all randomized patients from CheckMate 017 and 057 studies alive at the 6-month landmark; 65.6% and 61.8% patients in the nivolumab and docetaxel treatment arms, respectively, were included in this analysis.

NEED TO AVOID PD OR HPD

TGR: Tumour growth rate



HPD in NSCLC

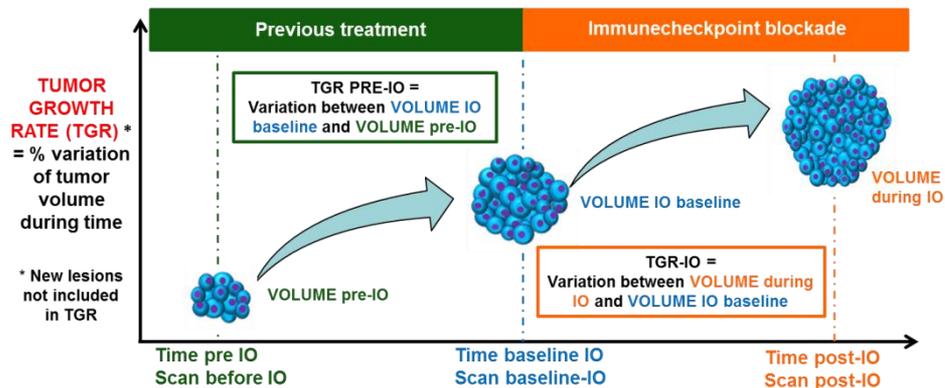
JAMA Oncology | Original Investigation

Hyperprogressive Disease in Patients With Advanced Non-Small Cell Lung Cancer Treated With PD-1/PD-L1 Inhibitors or With Single-Agent Chemotherapy

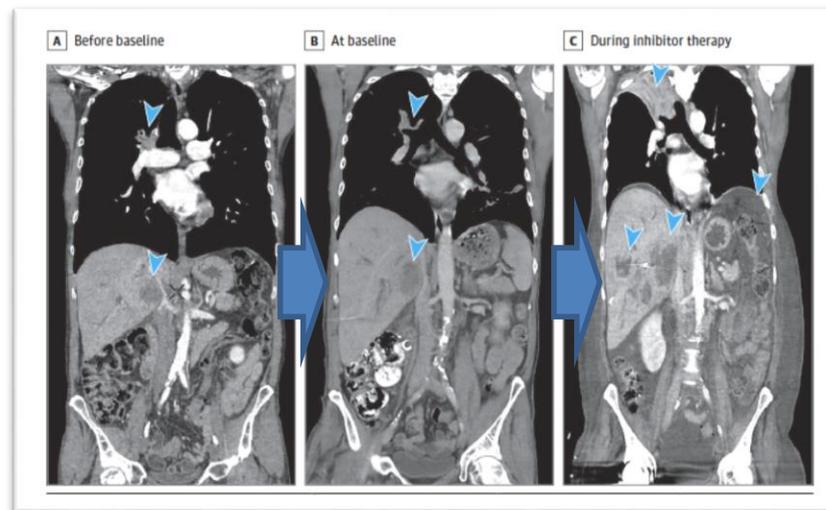
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- N = 406 advanced NSCLC patients, ICIs
- n= 59 patients in chemo cohort
- Only 5.1% in chemo cohort

13.8% of the patients



HPD = (TGR IO – TGR PRE IO) > 50% + PD RECIST AT 1st CT SCAN

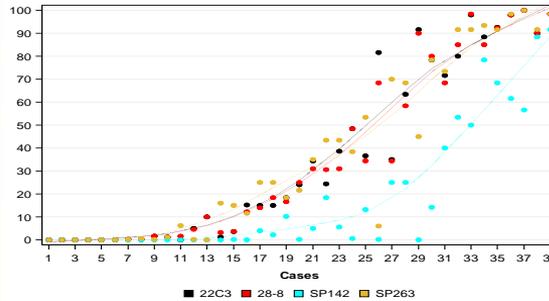


PD-L1 a good bioM ?

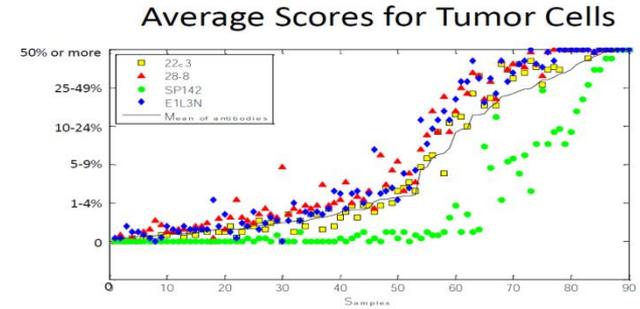
Comparison of PD-L1 assays in NSCLC

Immunotherapy (IO)	Nivolumab	Pembrolizumab	Durvalumab	Avelumab	Atezolizumab
Detection antibody	28-8	22C3	SP263	73-10	SP142
IHC platform	Dako	Dako	Ventana	Dako	Ventana
Cell types scored for NSCLC	TC	TC	TC	TC	TC & IC
Cut-off definitions for positivity (complementary vs companion)	>5%	First line: PD-L1+ ≥50% Late lines: PD-L1+ ≥1%	>25%	None	None

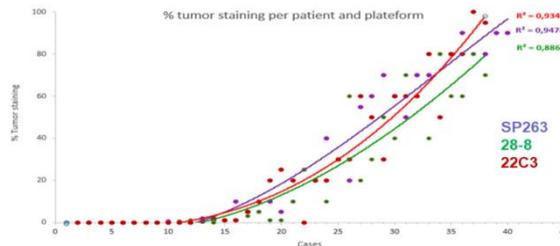
Blueprint phase 1¹



NCCN study²



French study³



AstraZeneca study⁴

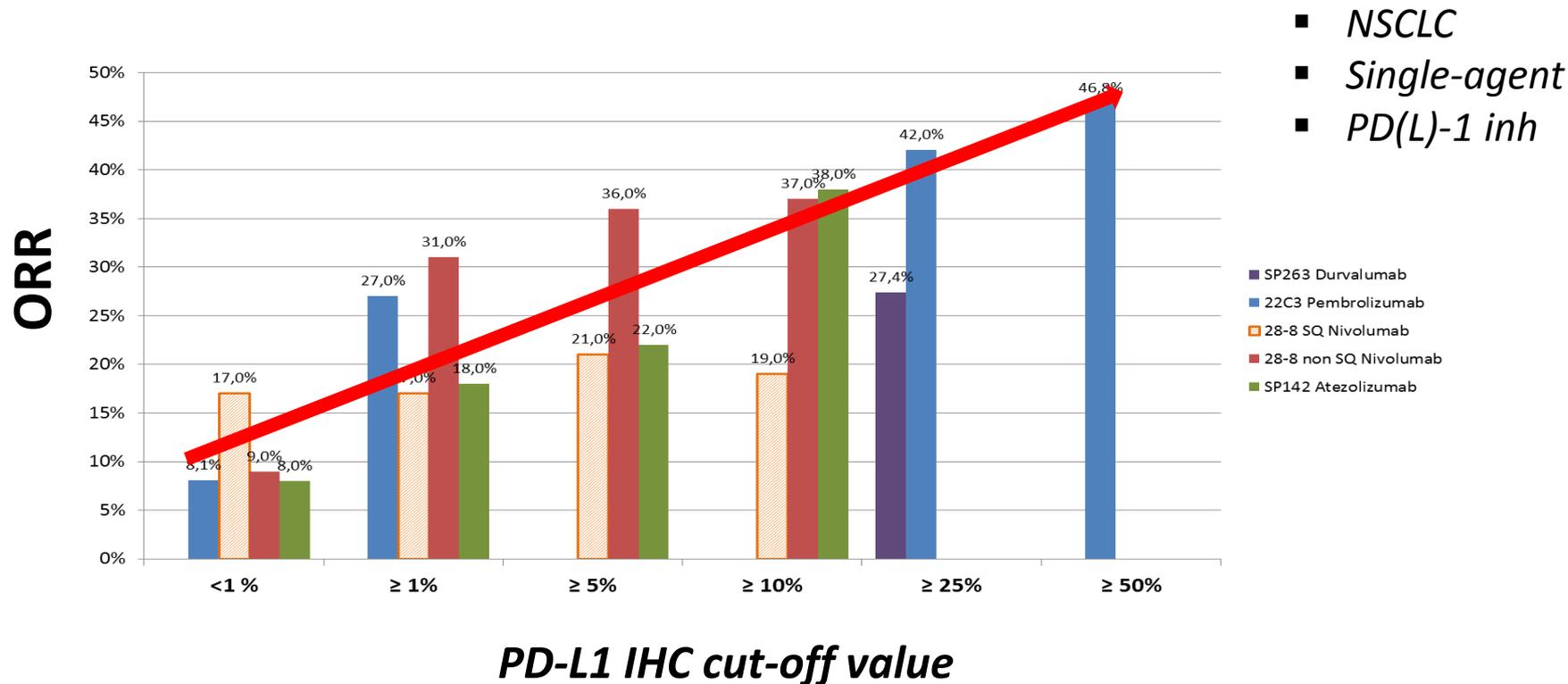
Figure 3. Overall Percentage Agreement (values >90% are shown in bold)

		Dako 22C3 (% staining)												
		1	5	10	20	30	40	50	60	70	80	90	100	
Ventana SP263 (% staining)	10	89.25%	90.67%	88.44%	84.58%	78.09%	74.85%	72.21%	68.76%	66.33%	62.88%	57.20%	52.94%	
	20	81.54%	88.24%	92.49%	93.10%	90.26%	87.42%	84.79%	81.34%	78.00%	75.46%	69.78%	65.52%	
	30	76.88%	83.98%	89.45%	92.90%	94.12%	91.68%	89.45%	86.41%	83.08%	80.53%	74.85%	70.59%	
	40	74.65%	81.74%	87.22%	91.48%	95.34%	93.91%	92.09%	89.05%	86.61%	83.16%	77.48%	73.23%	
	50	69.57%	77.08%	82.96%	88.03%	93.31%	93.31%	93.51%	92.49%	90.67%	87.83%	82.56%	78.30%	
	60	67.75%	75.25%	81.14%	86.61%	90.06%	95.33%	94.12%	93.10%	90.87%	88.84%	85.40%	79.72%	75.46%
	70	63.89%	71.40%	77.28%	83.16%	89.25%	91.68%	93.10%	94.52%	94.52%	91.89%	87.42%	83.57%	
	80	59.03%	66.53%	72.41%	78.70%	84.79%	87.03%	89.05%	92.49%	94.12%	94.73%	91.89%	88.44%	
	90	55.98%	63.49%	69.37%	75.66%	82.15%	84.99%	87.22%	90.67%	92.29%	94.12%	93.31%	91.48%	
	100	91.32%	98.82%	64.71%	70.99%	77.48%	80.73%	82.96%	86.41%	88.44%	91.89%	93.91%	94.93%	

✓ **Comparables:**
22C3, 28-8 and SP263

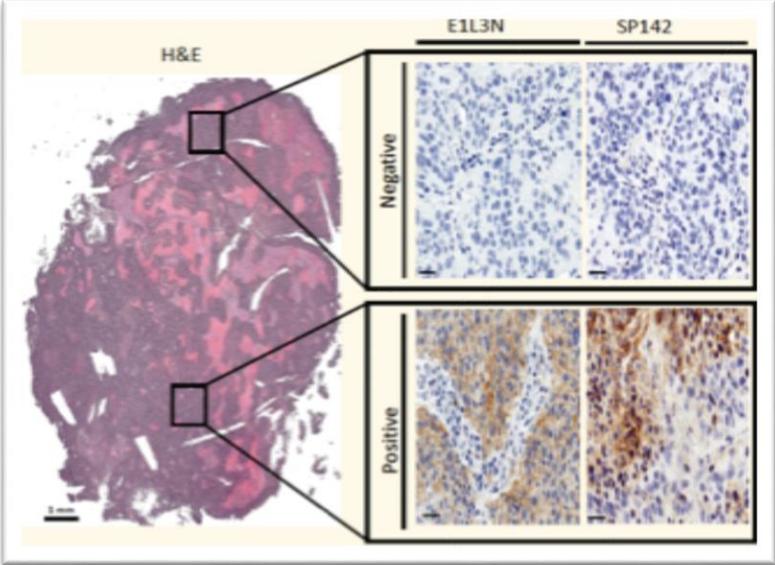
✓ **Weaker: SP142**
lower sensitivity

High PD-1 expression associated with higher responses and outcomes

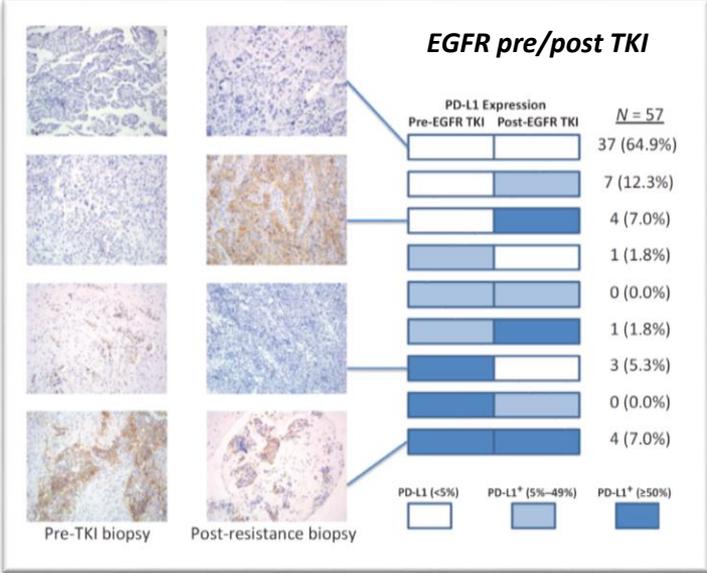


Limitations for PD-L1

.. is heterogeneous



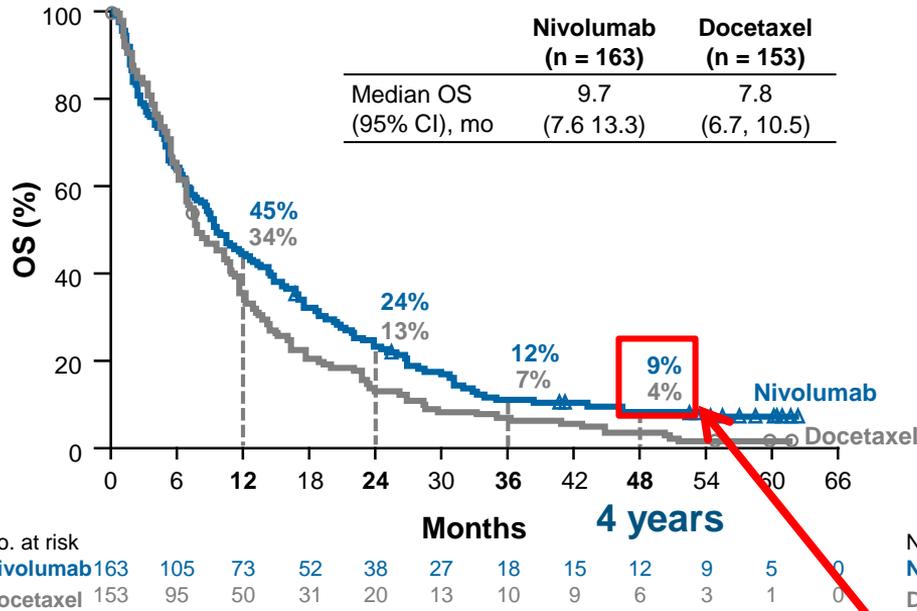
... is dynamic



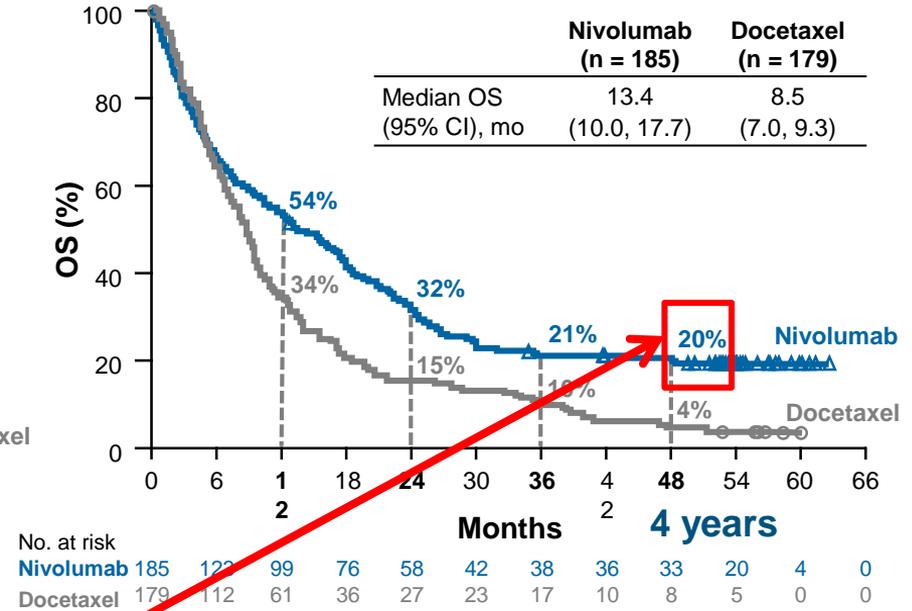
OS with nivolumab versus docetaxel by tumor PD-L1 expression in CM017 and 057

Should we exclude <1% tumours from anti-PD(L1) therapy ?

PD-L1 expression <1%



PD-L1 expression ≥1%



PD-L1 can predict long term survival

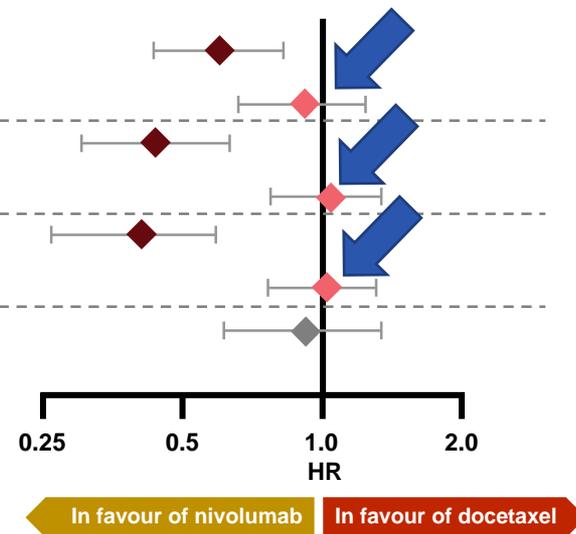
Patients with non-squamous histology and low/no PD-L1 expression did not derive benefit

CheckMate 057

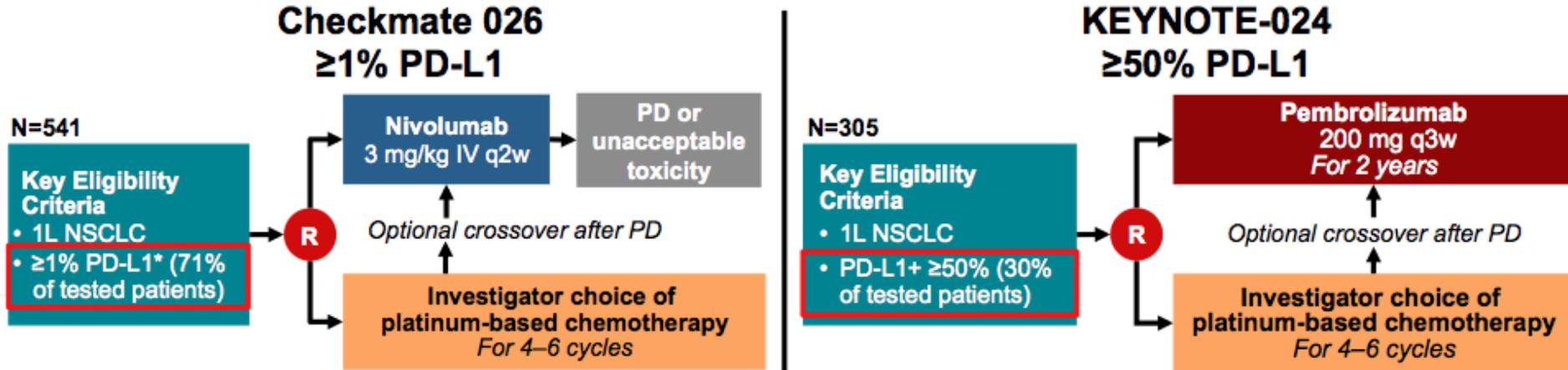
PD-L1 expression level Overall survival

PD-L1 expression level	Patients, n		Unstratified HR	Interaction p value
	Nivolumab	Docetaxel		
≥1%	123	123	0.59	0.06
<1%	108	101	0.90	
≥5%	95	86	0.43	<0.001
<5%	136	138	1.01	
≥10%	86	79	0.40	<0.001
<10%	145	145	1.00	
Not quantifiable at baseline	61	66	0.91	

- ◆ High PD-L1 expression
- ◆ Low/no PD-L1 expression
- ◆ PD-L1 not quantifiable at baseline



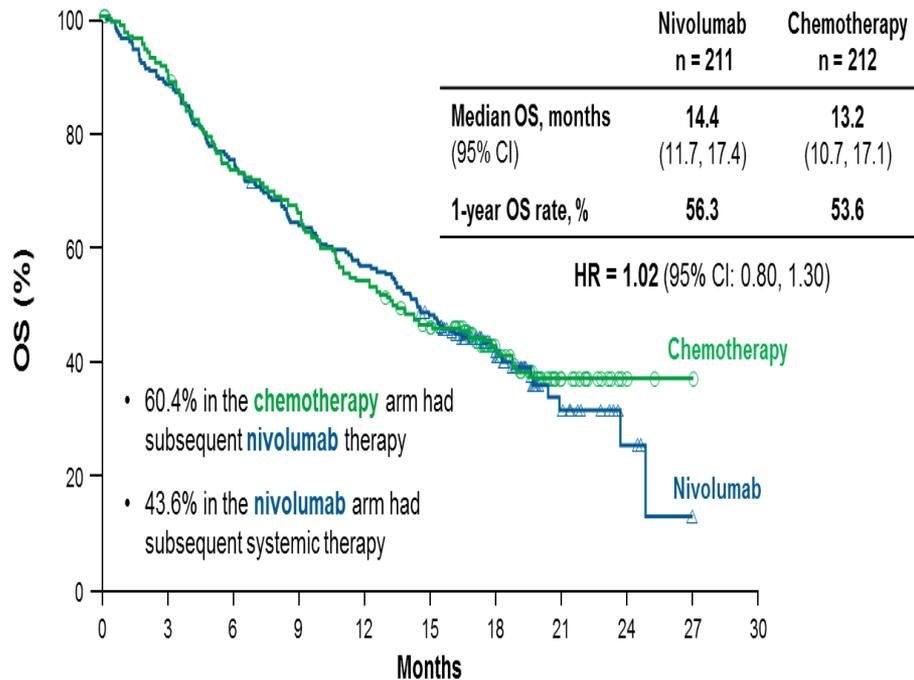
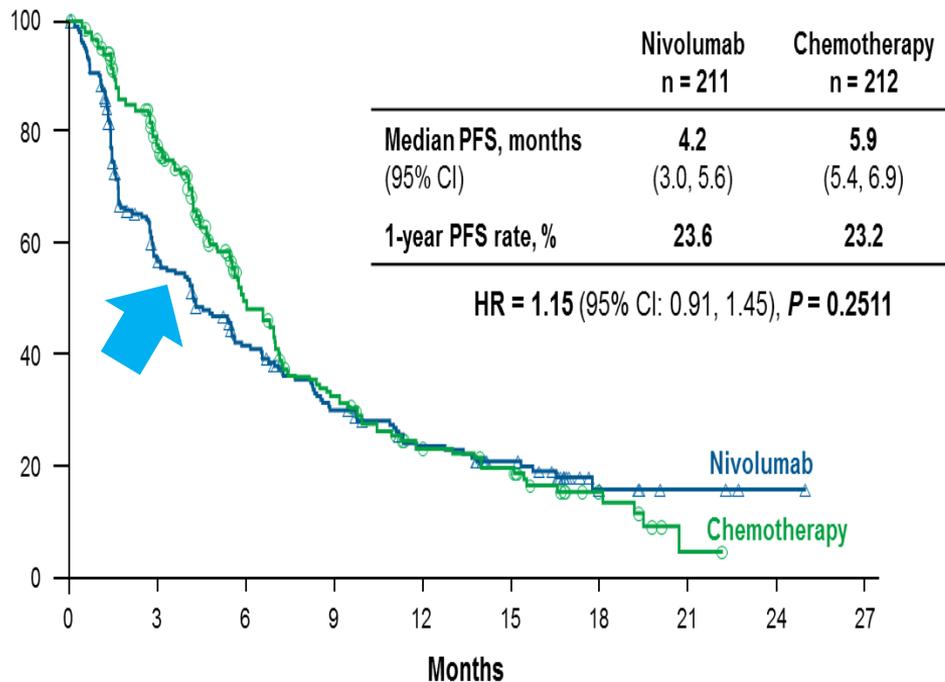
Two „similar“ trials..



...but completely different outcomes!

OS ($\geq 5\%$ PD-L1+)

CheckMate 026: Nivolumab vs Chemotherapy in First-line NSCLC

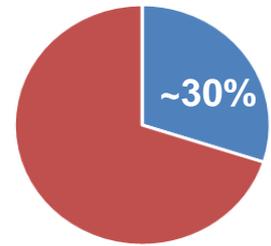


KN-024: Patients with advanced NSCLC and PD-L1 expression $\geq 50\%$

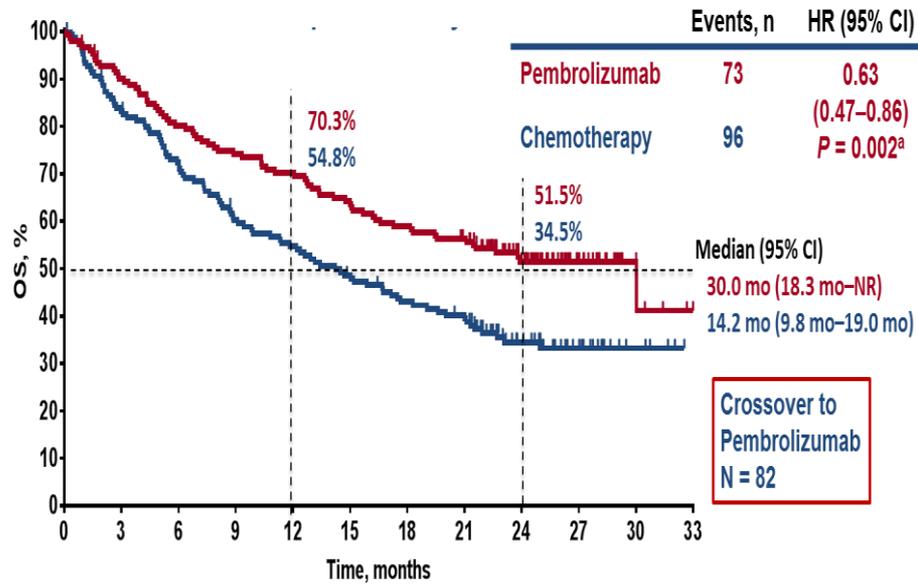
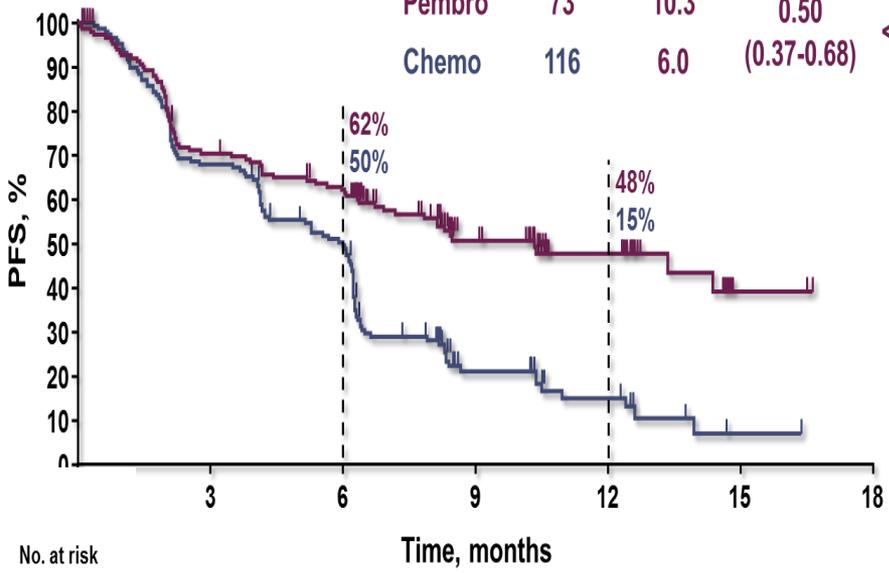
PFS

OS

PD-L1 $\geq 50\%$
EGFR/ALK WT



	Events, n	Median, mo	HR (95% CI)	P
Pembro	73	10.3	0.50	<0.001
Chemo	116	6.0	(0.37-0.68)	



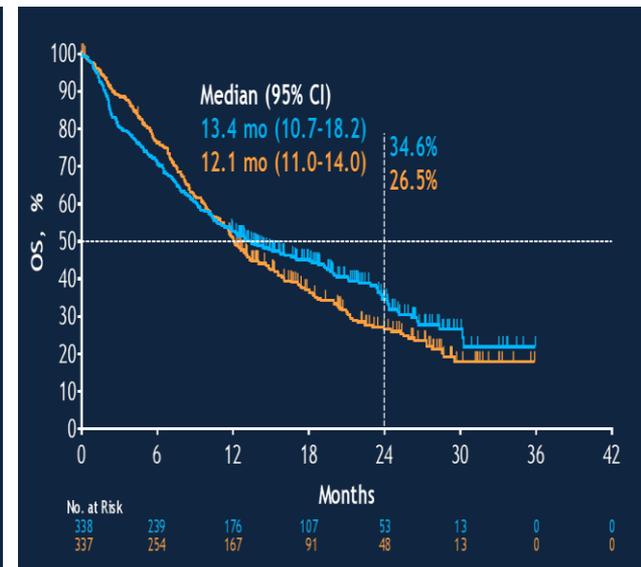
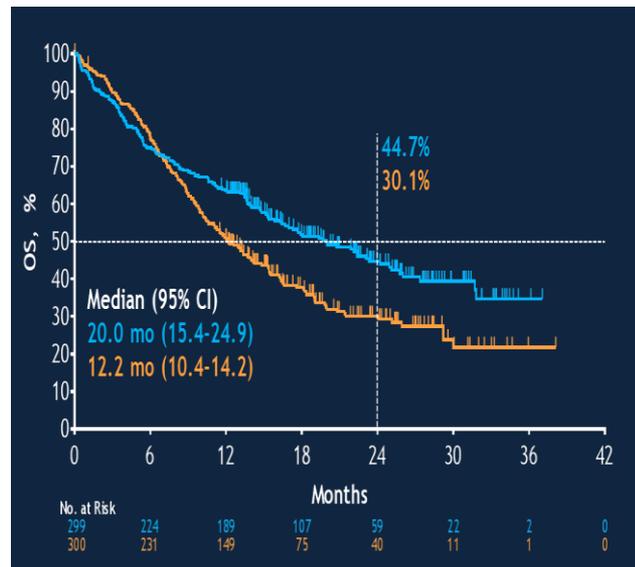
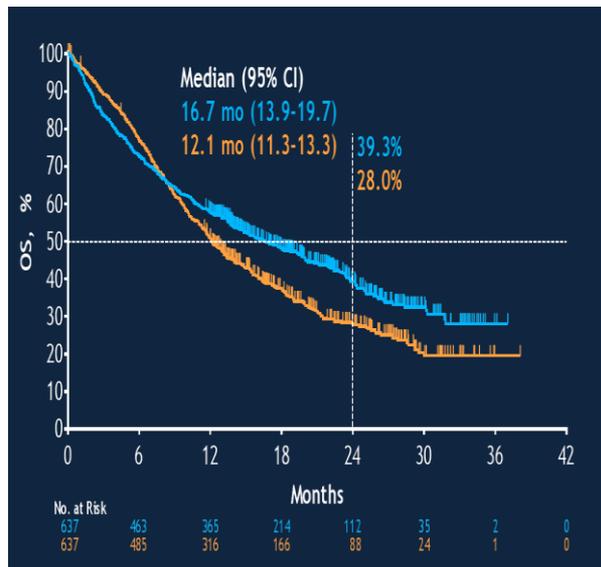
Overall Survival

TPS $\geq 1\%$

$\geq 50\%$

$\geq 1-49\%$

(Exploratory analysis)



	Events	HR (95% CI)	P
Pembro	371 (58.2%)	0.81 (0.71-0.93)	0.0018
Chemo	438 (68.8%)		

	Events	HR (95% CI)	P
Pembro	157 (52.5%)	0.69 (0.56-0.85)	0.0003
Chemo	199 (66.3%)		

	Events	HR (95% CI)
Pembro	214 (63.3%)	0.92 (0.77-1.11)
Chemo	239 (70.9%)	

The PD-L1 $\geq 50\%$ Subgroup Is the Main Driver of OS Benefit in PD-L1-Pos Cases

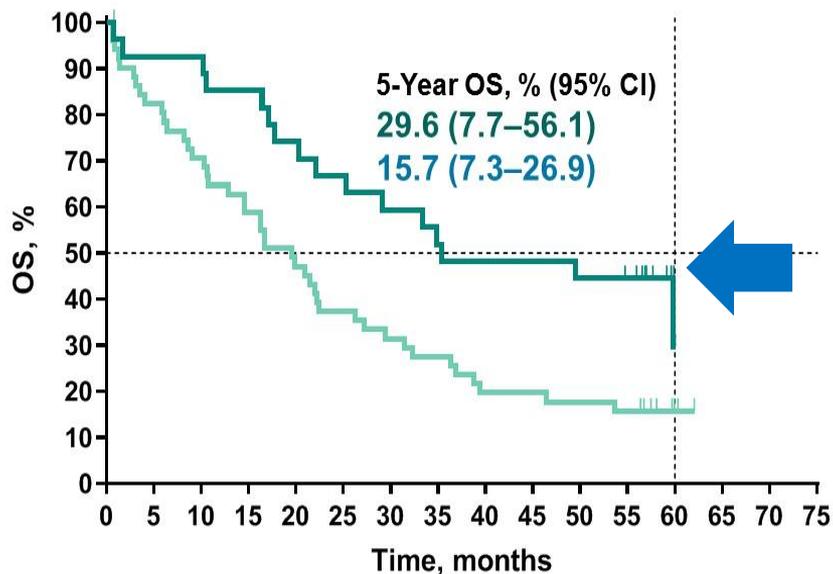
Small but important early death rate with Pembro

5-years long-term OS for patients with advances NSCLC treated with pembrolizumab

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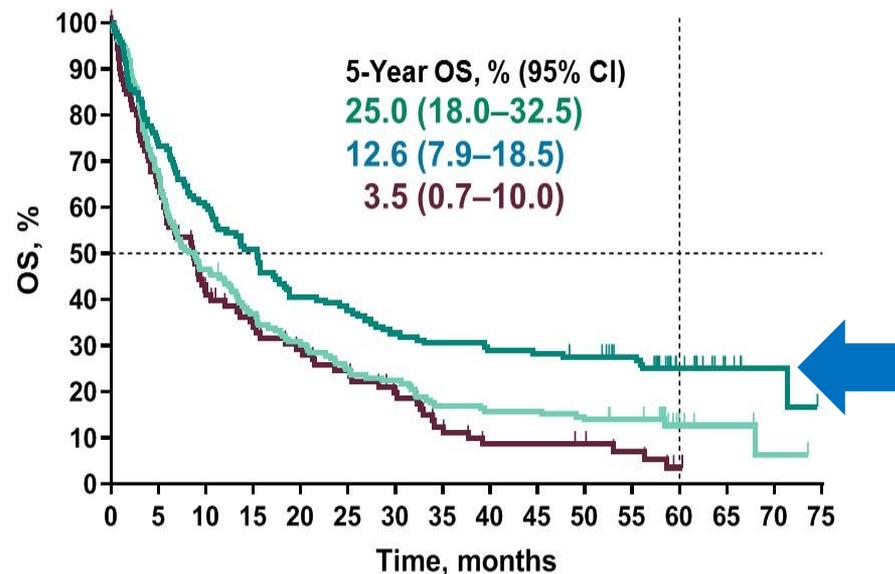
Treatment-Naive Patients

PD-L1 TPS	Events, n/N	Median (95% CI) OS, mo
TPS $\geq 50\%$	17/27	35.4 (20.3–63.5)
TPS 1%–49%	43/52	19.5 (10.7–26.3)



Previously Treated Patients

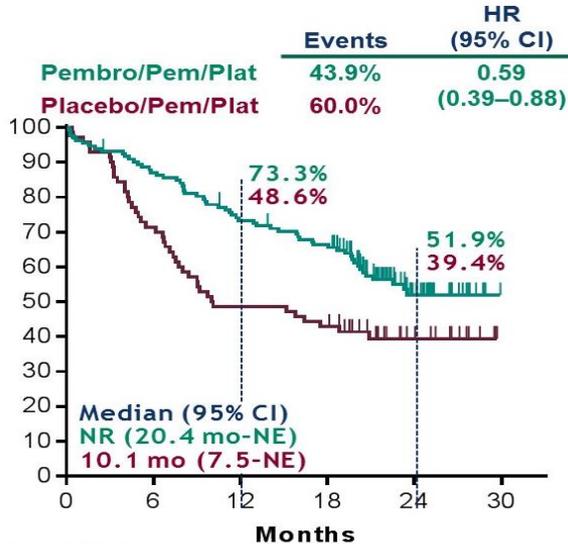
PD-L1 TPS	Events, n/N	Median (95% CI) OS, mo
TPS $\geq 50\%$	104/138	15.4 (10.6–18.8)
TPS 1%–49%	146/168	8.5 (6.0–12.6)
TPS $< 1\%$	83/90	8.6 (5.5–10.6)



Pembro alone remains a reasonable choice for PD-L1 \geq 50% patients

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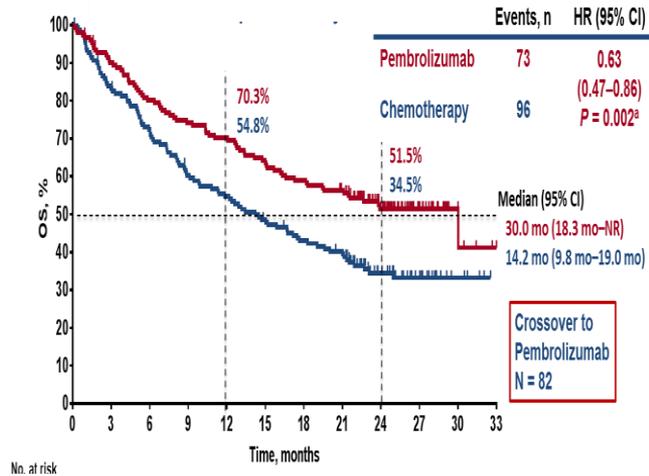
(up-date OS ASCO 19)



HR:0.59

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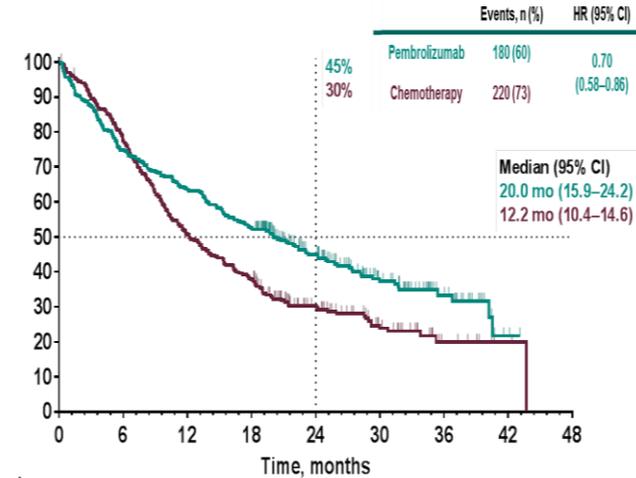
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HR:0.63

KN-042

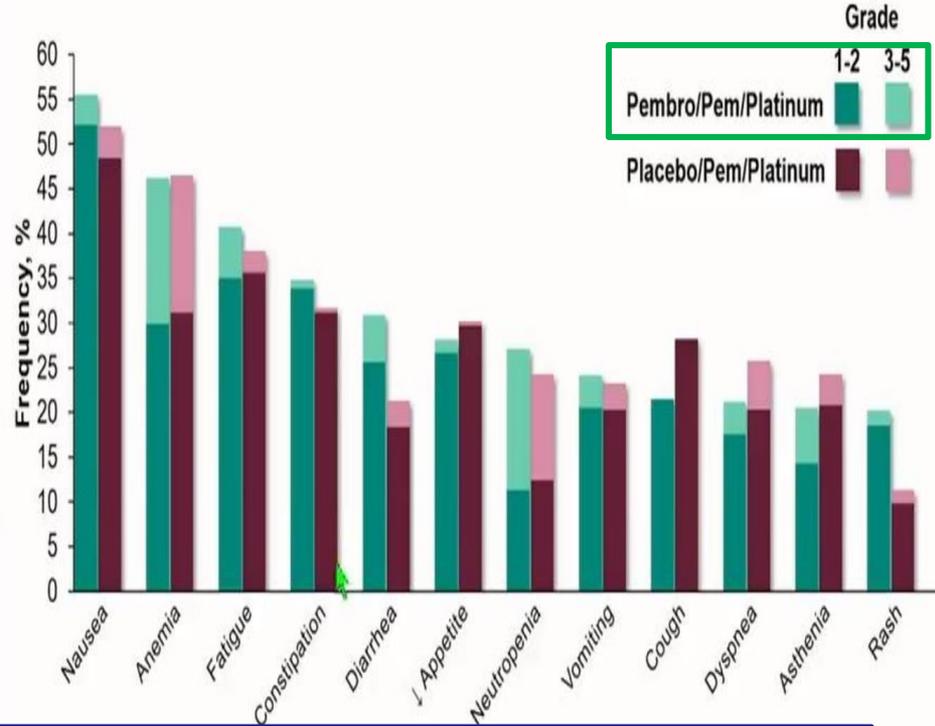
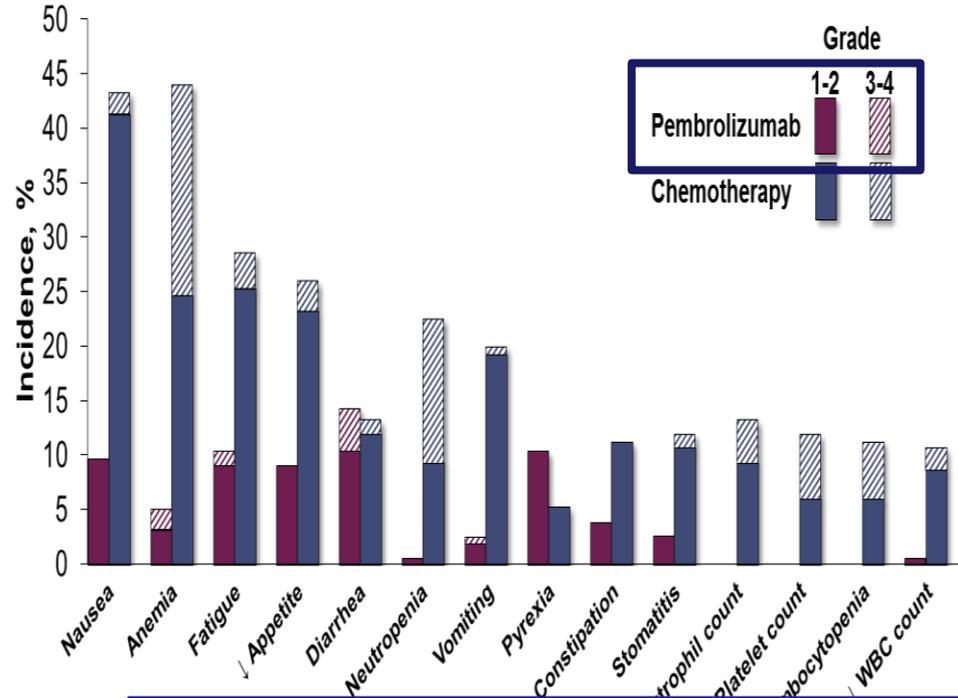
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HR:0.71

KN-024, chemo toxicities....

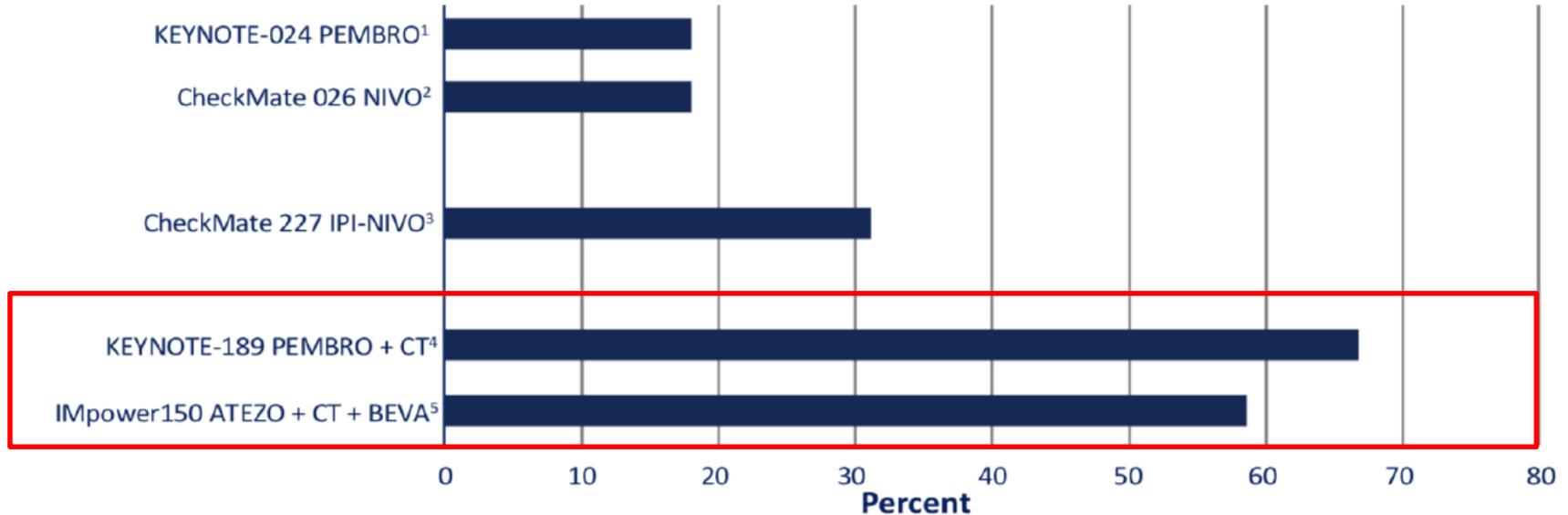
KN-189: chemoT toxicities....



PD-L1 IHC can be used to determine chemotherapy sparing

CT adds toxicity in combination with IO

Grade ≥ 3 treatment-related AEs

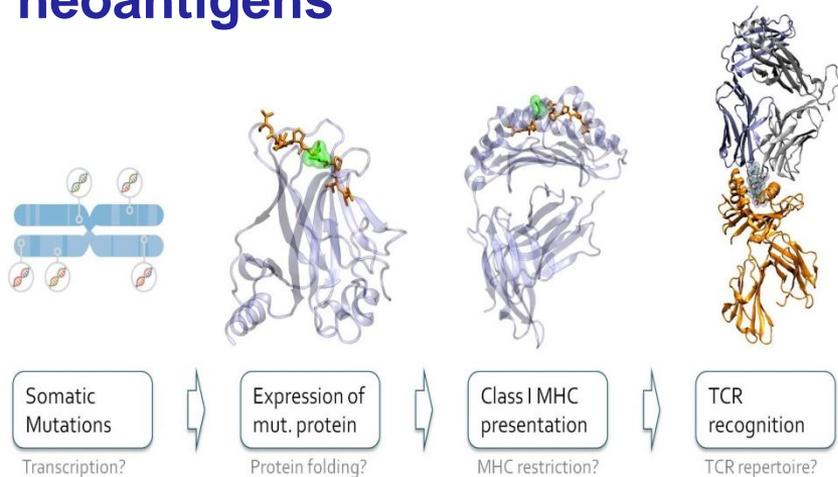


Reck NEJM 16, Carbone NEJM 17, Hellmann NEJM 18, Gandhi NEJM 18, Socinski NEJM 18

PD-L1 IHC determines who should have chemotherapy or not

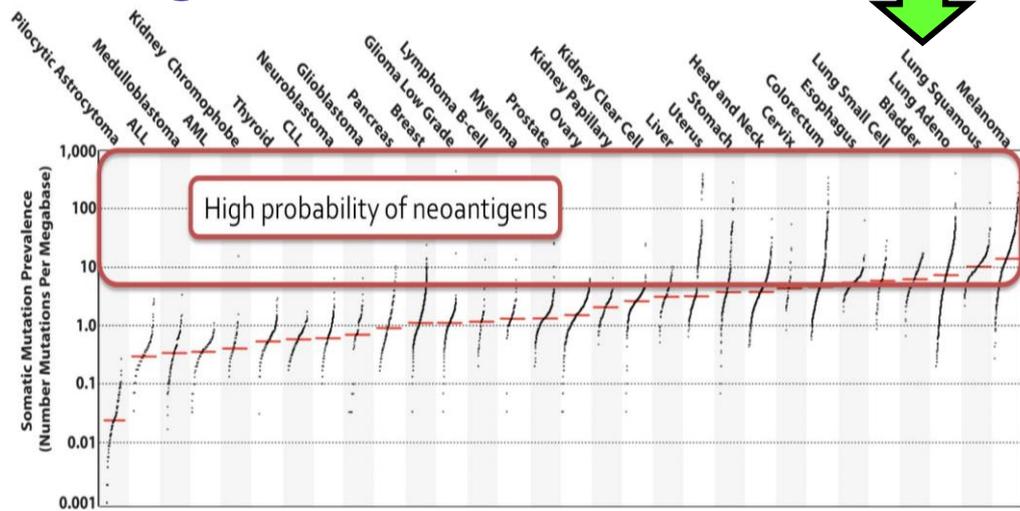
TMB ?

A minority of mutation produce neoantigens



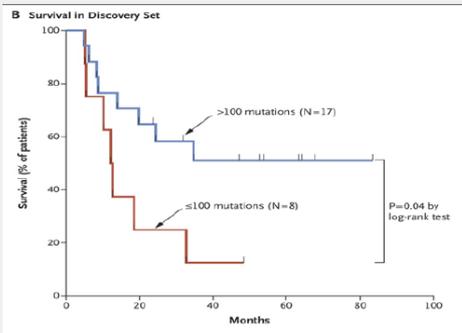
Accumulation of mutation increasing its likelihood to be recognized

NSCLC



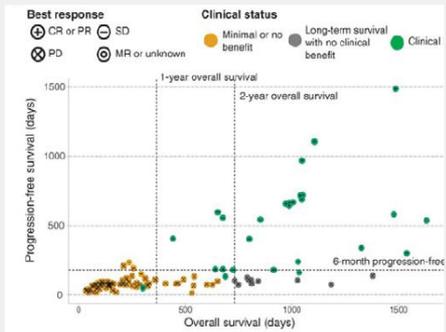
TMB correlates with tumor response in several tumor types

High TMB Melanoma



Snyder et al., NEJM, 2014

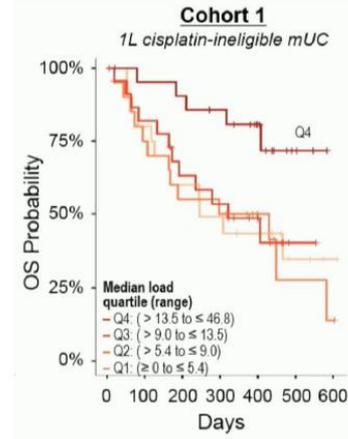
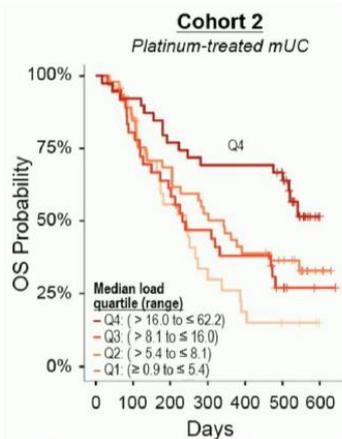
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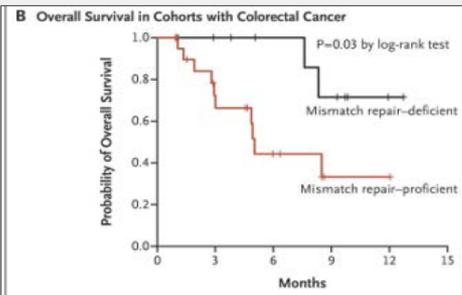
Van Allen et al., Science, 2015

Urothelial cancer

TMB and outcome

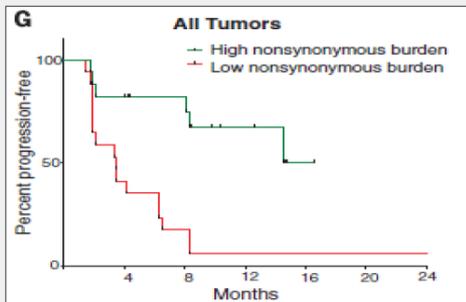


MSI-High Colorectal Cancer



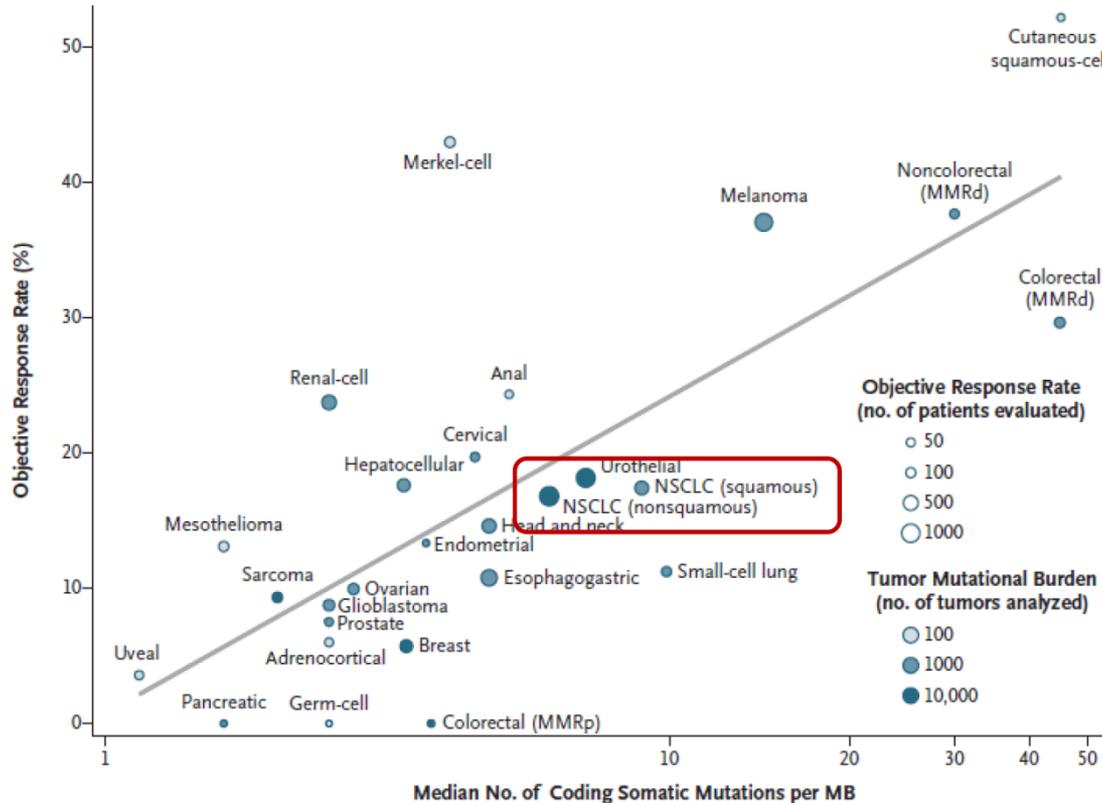
Le et al., NEJM, 2015

High TMB NSCLC



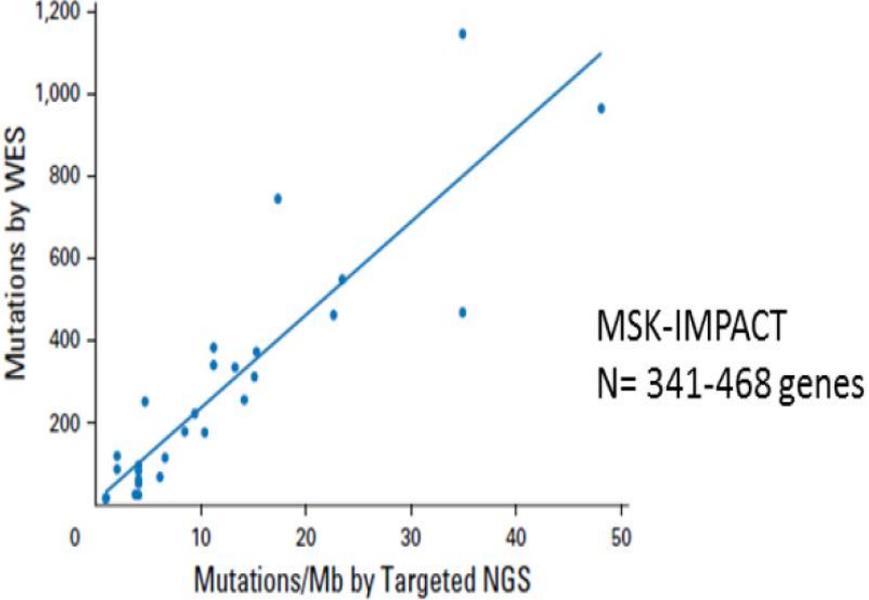
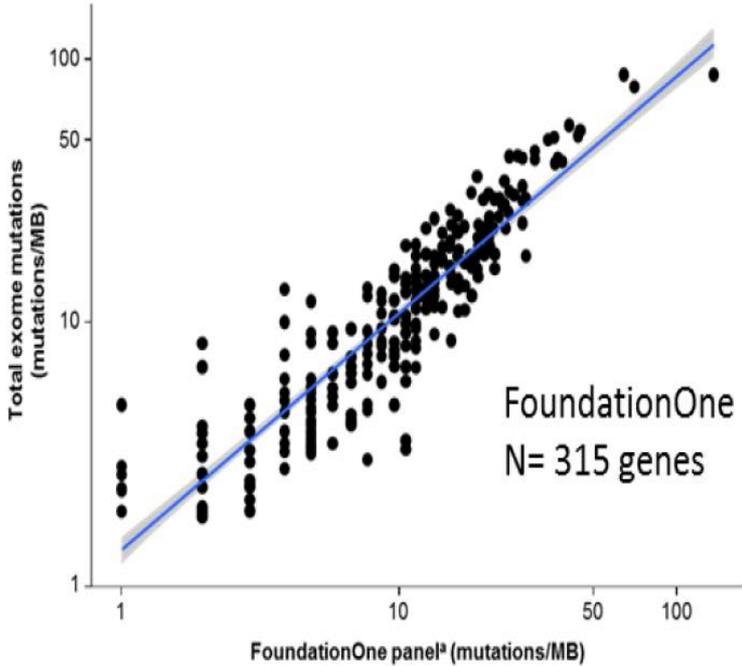
Rizvi et al., Science, 2015

Evidence for correlation of response to TMB across tumour types



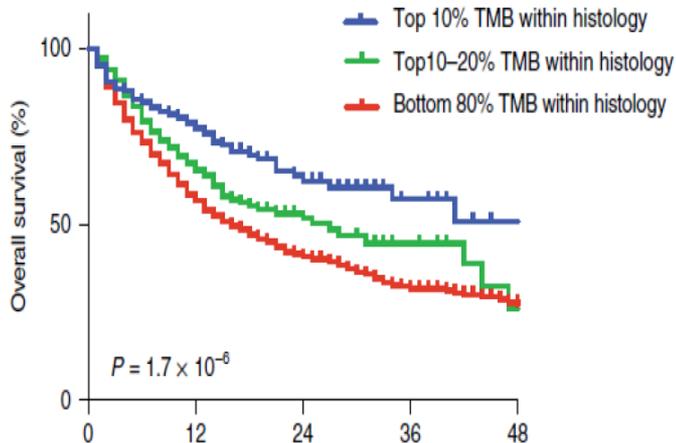
Correlation coefficient = 0.74, meaning that 55% of the differences in the ORR across cancer types may be explained by variations of TMB

Correlation of WES and targeted sequencing panels in NSCLC

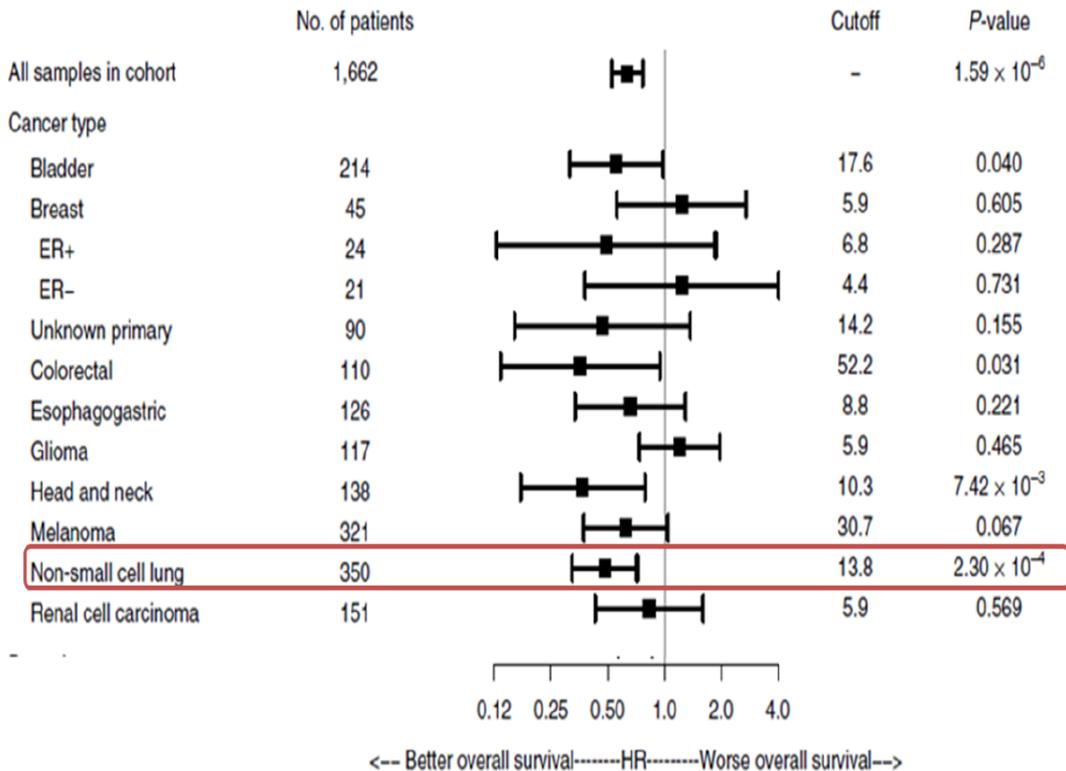


TMB is predictive of OS benefit across tumour types

Clinical and genomic (MSK-IMPACT) data of 1,622 advances pts treated with ICI

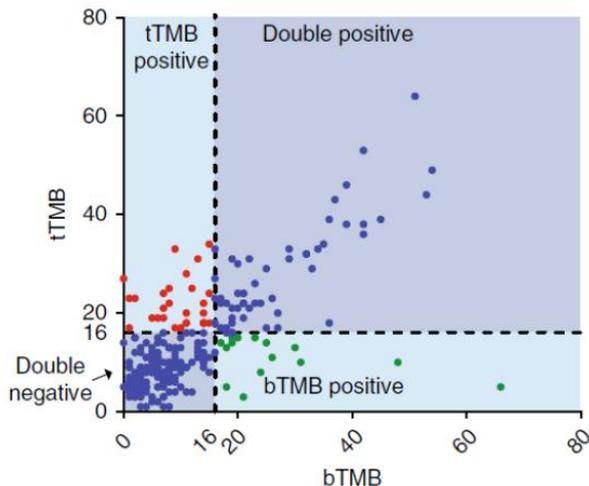


No. at risk	Time (m)				
	0	12	24	36	48
Bottom 80%	1,305	586	231	85	33
Top10–20%	184	100	39	16	5
Top10%	173	101	43	16	6



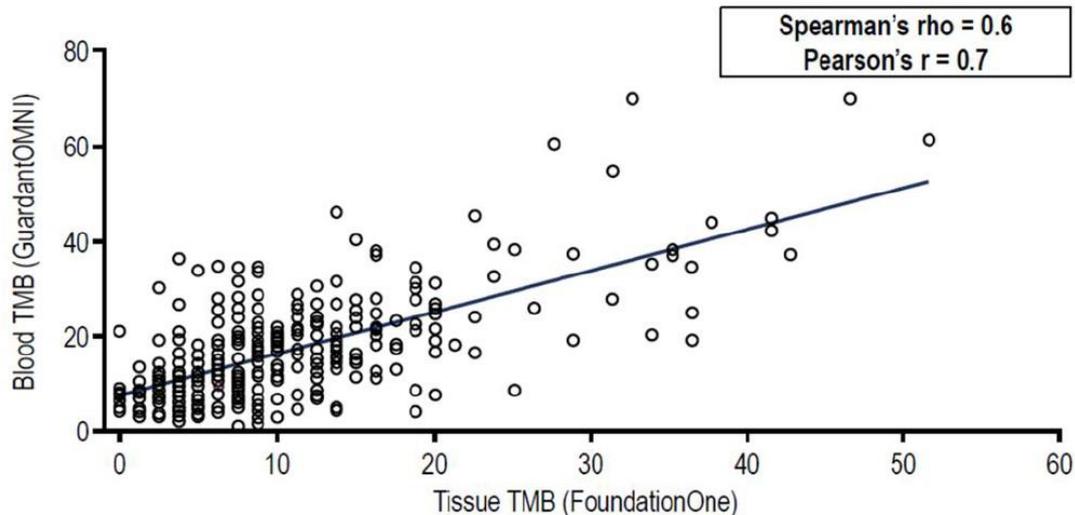
Correlation of Tissue and Blood Tumor Mutational Burden

- In 352 (31.5% of ITT) matched patient specimens, tTMB values positively correlated with bTMB values

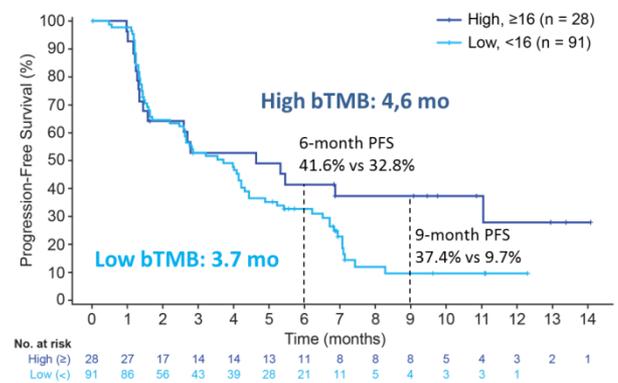
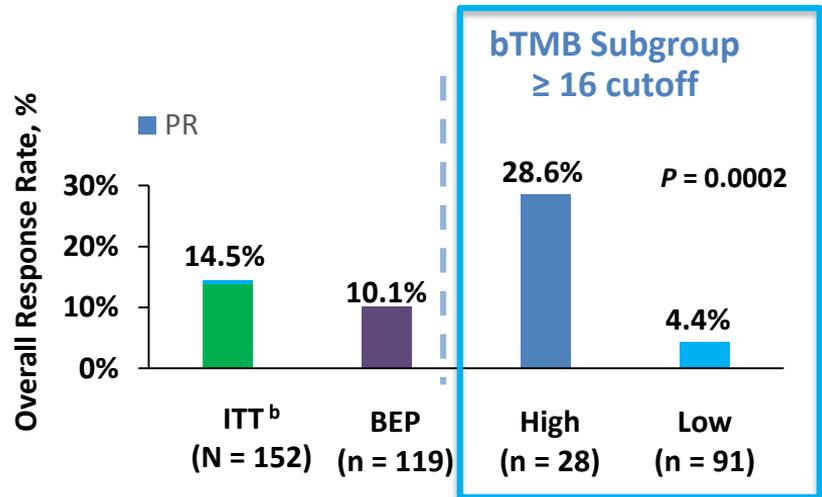
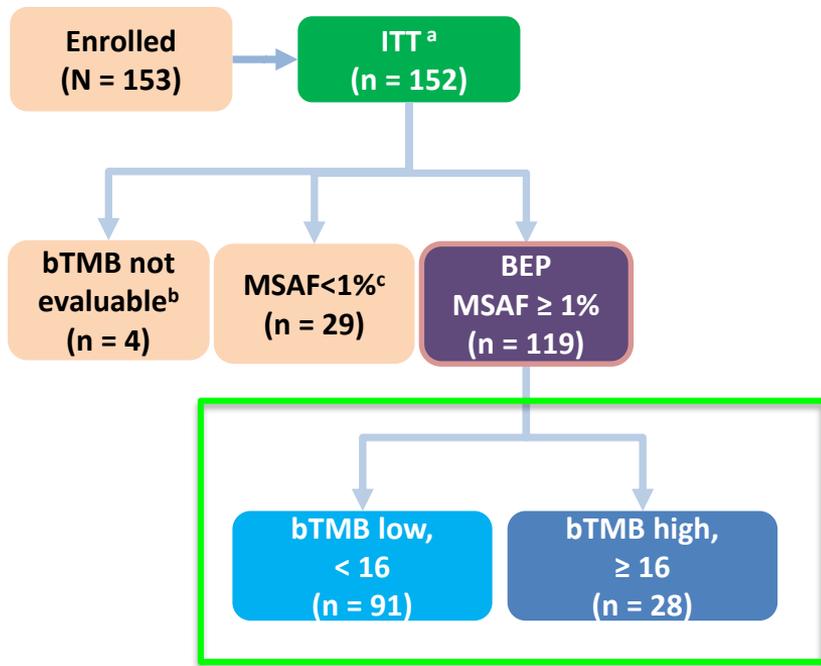


Spearman rank correlation = 0.64 (95% CI: 0.56–0.71)

Metric	Performance
PPA	64% (95% CI: 54–74%)
NPA	88% (95% CI: 83–92%)

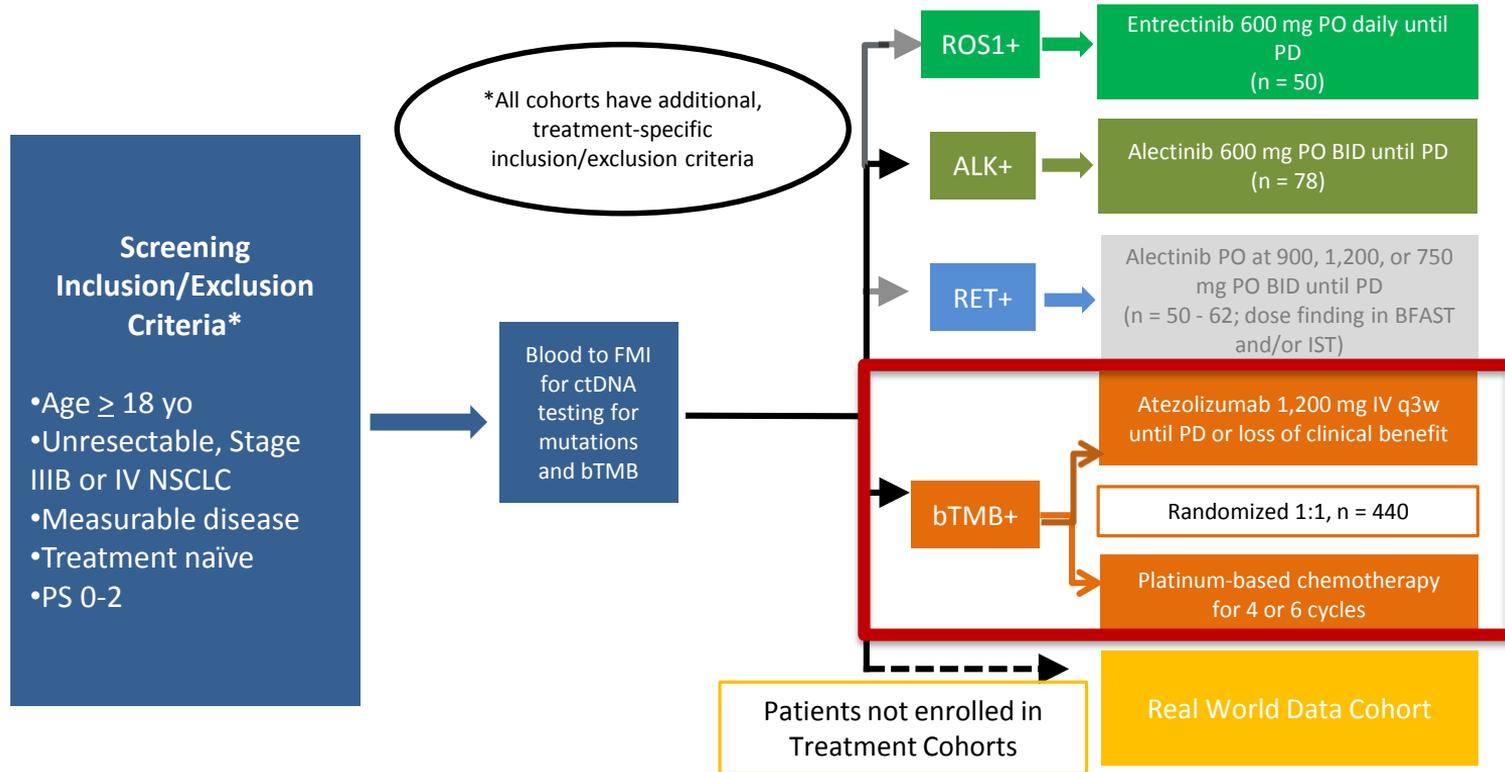


In 352 matched patient specimens, tTMB values positively correlated with bTMB values



^a Excludes one patient who was never treated.
^b Assay QC failures.
^c The MSAF < 1% population was considered as non-biomarker evaluable (non-BEP).

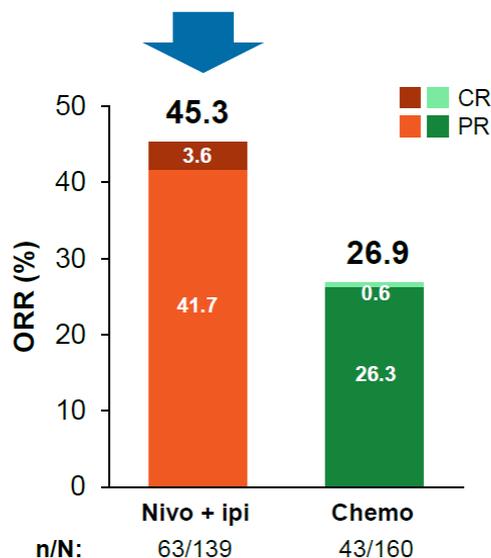
BFAST: Trial Schema



Correlation of TMB and ORR

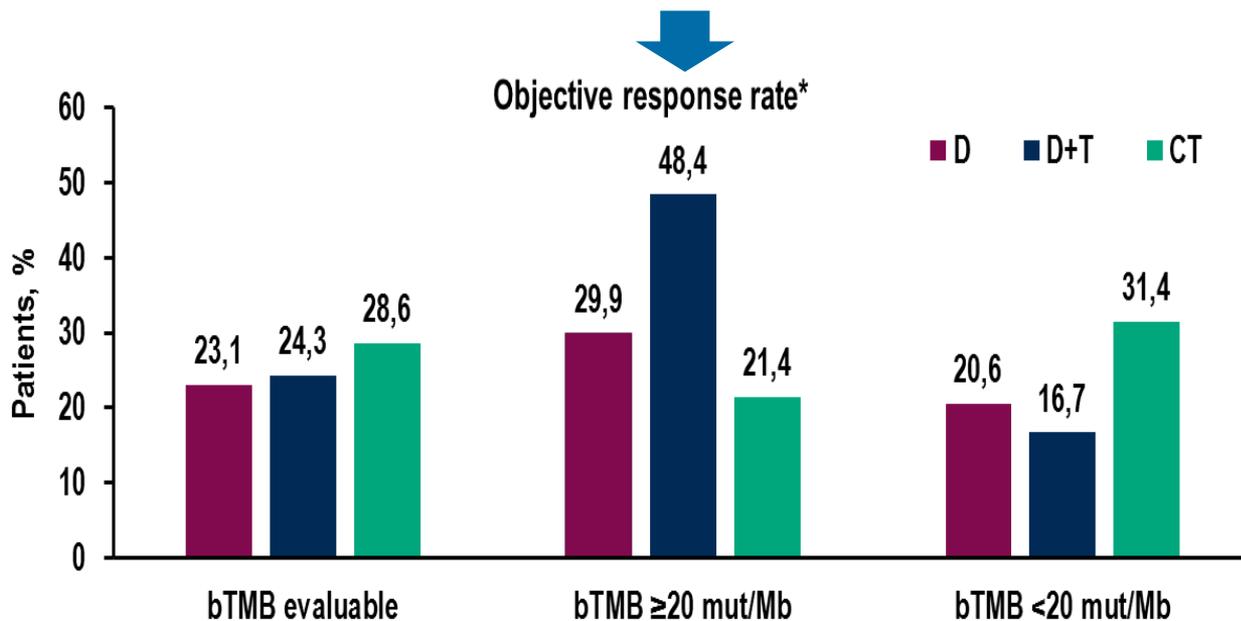
Nivo + Ipilimumab (CM-227)

ORR (TMB \geq 10 mut/Mb)^b



Durva+Tremelimumab (MYSTIC)

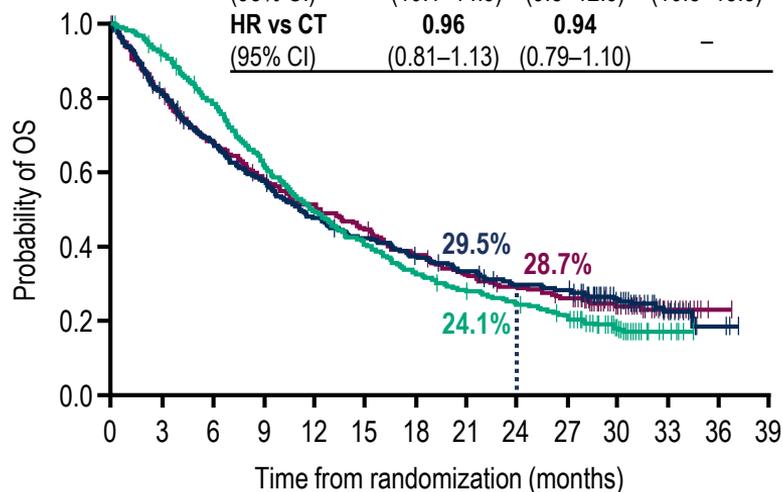
Objective response rate*



Overall Survival in ITT and Blood TMB Evaluable Populations (MYSTIC Trial)

ITT population

	D (n=374)	D+T (n=372)	CT (n=372)
mOS, months	12.3	11.2	11.8
(95% CI)	(10.1–14.9)	(9.5–12.9)	(10.5–13.3)
HR vs CT	0.96	0.94	–
(95% CI)	(0.81–1.13)	(0.79–1.10)	–

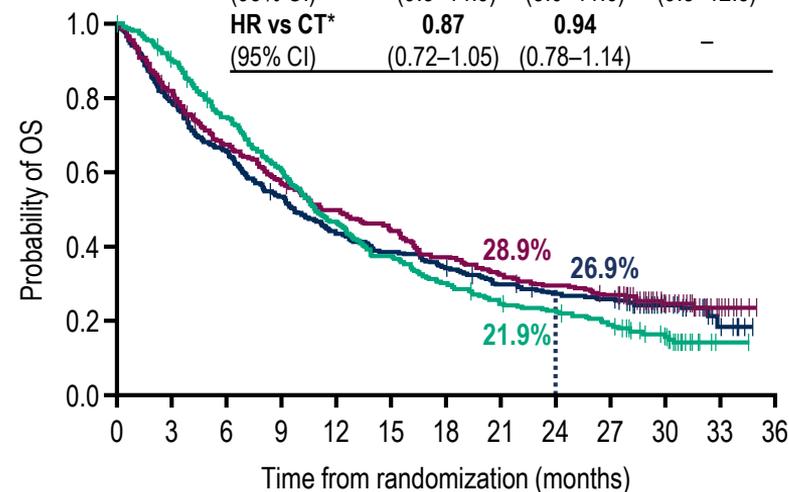


No. at risk

	0	3	6	9	12	15	18	21	24	27	30	33	36	39
D	374	303	249	212	185	161	136	115	103	92	41	14	1	0
D+T	372	303	253	212	175	154	136	119	104	98	55	16	3	0
CT	372	336	287	227	180	148	118	100	85	71	37	6	0	0

bTMB evaluable population

	D (n=286)	D+T (n=268)	CT (n=255)
mOS, months	11.1	9.7	10.8
(95% CI)	(9.3–14.9)	(8.0–11.6)	(9.5–12.5)
HR vs CT*	0.87	0.94	–
(95% CI)	(0.72–1.05)	(0.78–1.14)	–

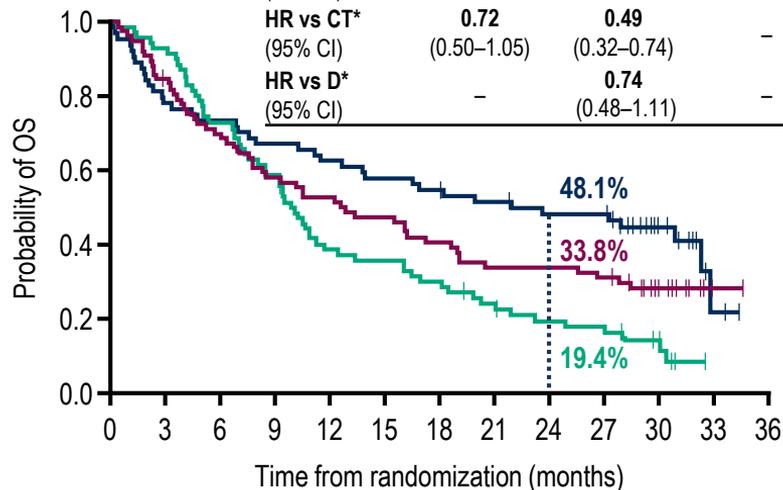


	0	3	6	9	12	15	18	21	24	27	30	33	36
D	286	231	187	158	137	121	102	88	80	72	31	9	0
D+T	268	211	176	141	115	102	90	77	68	64	32	6	0
CT	255	227	186	151	116	93	74	61	53	45	23	1	0

OS in Patients With Blood TMB ≥ 20 and < 20 mut/Mb (MYSTIC Trial)

bTMB ≥ 20 mut/Mb

	D (n=77)	D+T (n=64)	CT (n=70)
mOS, months	12.6	21.9	10.0
(95% CI)	(7.8–18.6)	(11.4–32.8)	(8.1–11.7)
HR vs CT*	0.72	0.49	–
(95% CI)	(0.50–1.05)	(0.32–0.74)	–
HR vs D*	–	0.74	–
(95% CI)	–	(0.48–1.11)	–

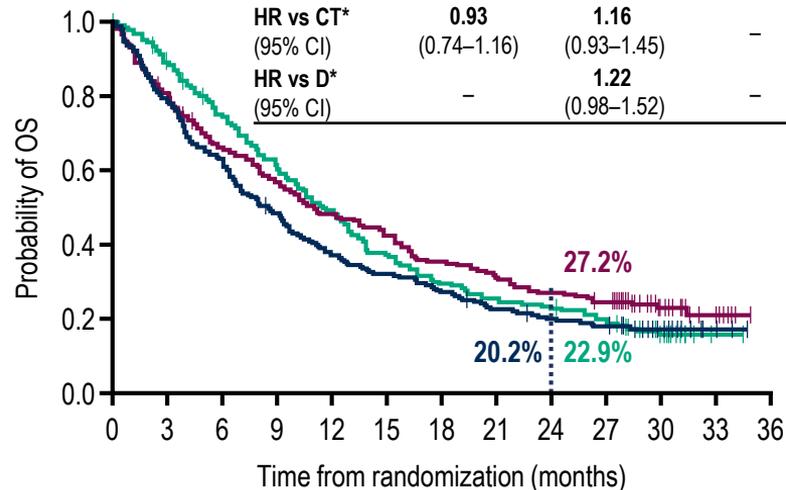


No. at risk

	D	D+T	CT
77	64	53	44
39	35	30	25
25	23	10	1
1	0	0	0

bTMB < 20 mut/Mb

	D (n=209)	D+T (n=204)	CT (n=185)
mOS, months	11.0	8.5	11.6
(95% CI)	(8.9–14.9)	(6.7–9.8)	(9.6–13.1)
HR vs CT*	0.93	1.16	–
(95% CI)	(0.74–1.16)	(0.93–1.45)	–
HR vs D*	–	1.22	–
(95% CI)	–	(0.98–1.52)	–

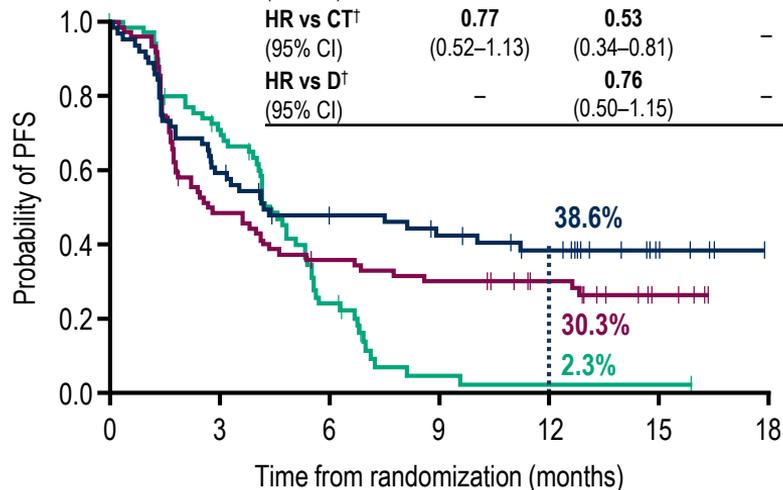


	D	D+T	CT
209	167	134	114
98	86	72	63
55	49	21	8
8	0	0	0

PFS in Patients With Blood TMB ≥ 20 and < 20 mut/Mb (MYSTIC Trial)

bTMB ≥ 20 mut/Mb

	D (n=77)	D+T (n=64)	CT (n=70)
mPFS,* months	2.7	4.2	4.4
(95% CI)	(1.8–4.4)	(2.8–NR)	(4.1–5.4)
HR vs CT†	0.77	0.53	–
(95% CI)	(0.52–1.13)	(0.34–0.81)	–
HR vs D†	–	0.76	–
(95% CI)	–	(0.50–1.15)	–

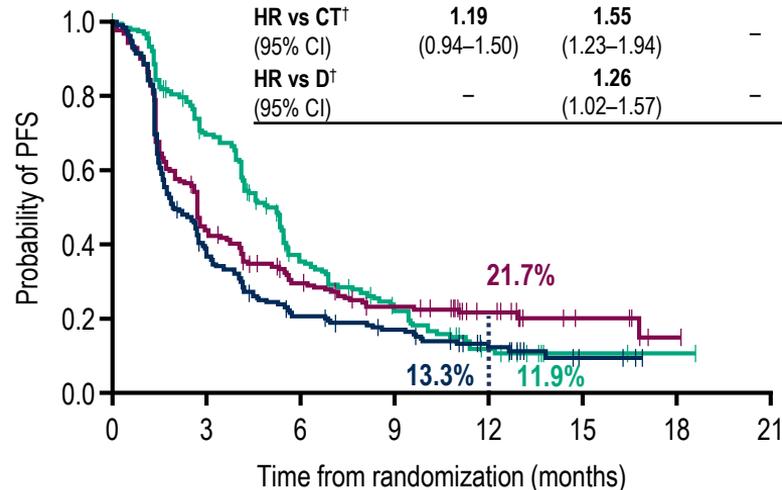


No. at risk

	D	77	35	25	21	16	4	0
D	77	35	25	21	16	4	0	
D+T	64	38	28	23	18	5	0	
CT	70	47	14	2	1	1	0	

bTMB < 20 mut/Mb

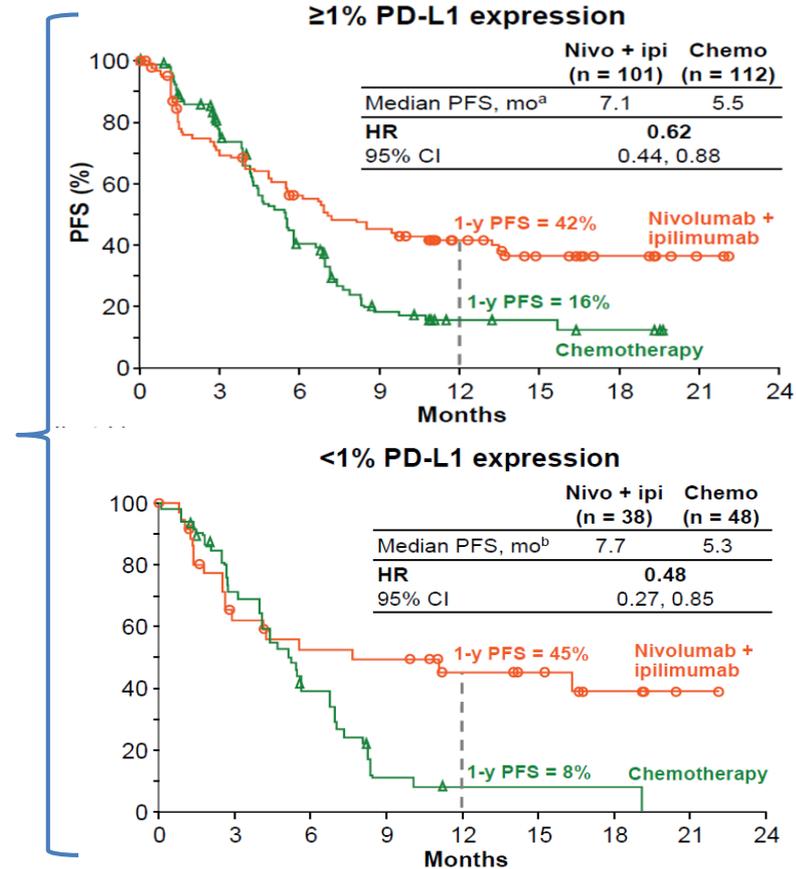
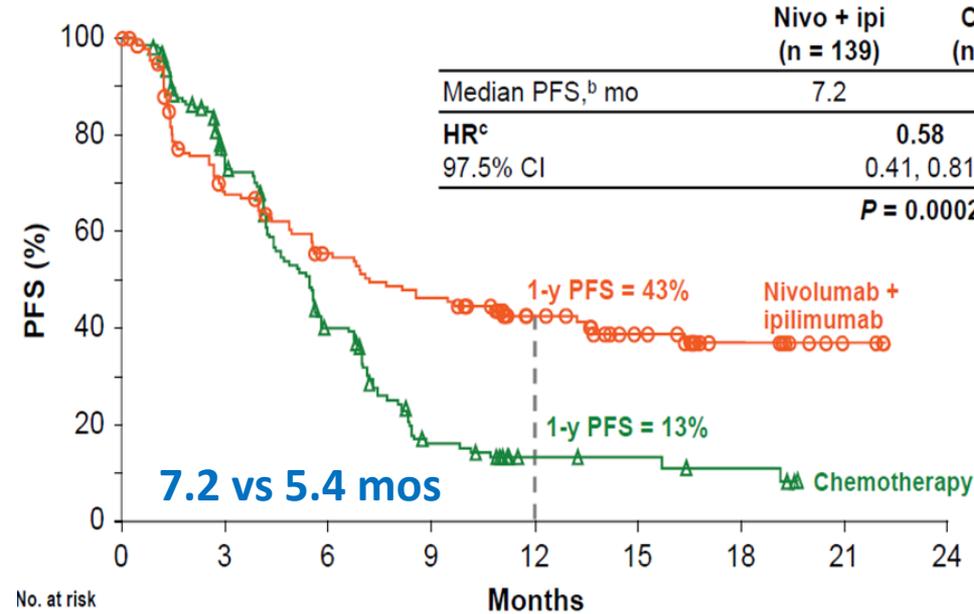
	D (n=209)	D+T (n=204)	CT (n=185)
mPFS,* months	2.8	2.0	5.0
(95% CI)	(2.2–3.1)	(1.7–2.8)	(4.2–5.5)
HR vs CT†	1.19	1.55	–
(95% CI)	(0.94–1.50)	(1.23–1.94)	–
HR vs D†	–	1.26	–
(95% CI)	–	(1.02–1.57)	–



	D	209	86	53	38	20	6	1	0
D	209	86	53	38	20	6	1	0	
D+T	204	77	37	28	14	3	0	0	
CT	185	116	52	30	10	2	1	0	

*Blinded independent central review per RECIST v1.1; †Unadjusted; data cut-off June 1, 2017
mPFS, median progression-free survival; NR, not reported; RECIST, Response Evaluation Criteria for Solid Tumors.

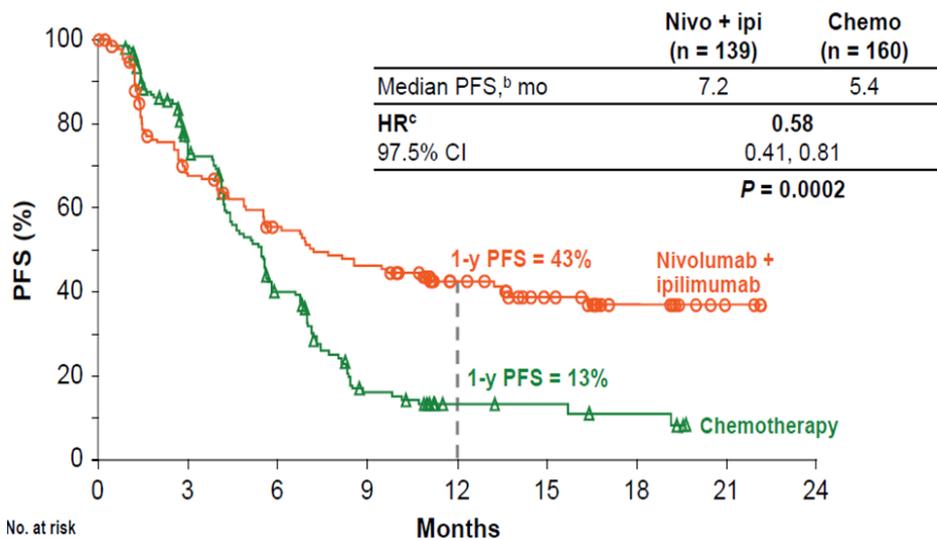
Co-primary endpoint (CM227): PFS with nivolumab+Ipilimumab vs chemotherapy with high TMB (≥ 10 mut/Mb)



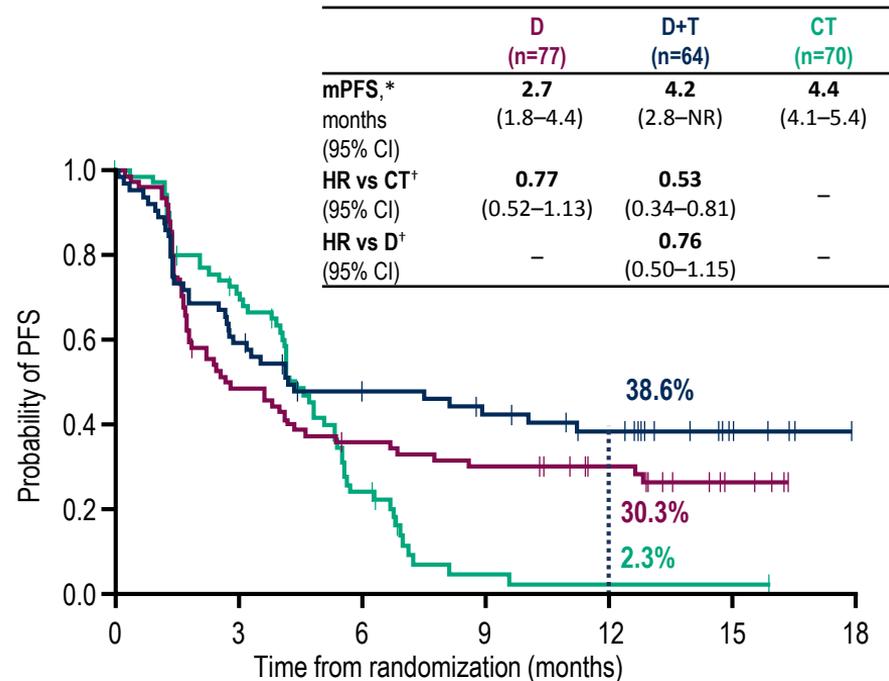
IO combo TMB (≥ 10 mut/Mb) or IO-ChemoT ?

CM227

TMB (≥ 10 mut/Mb)



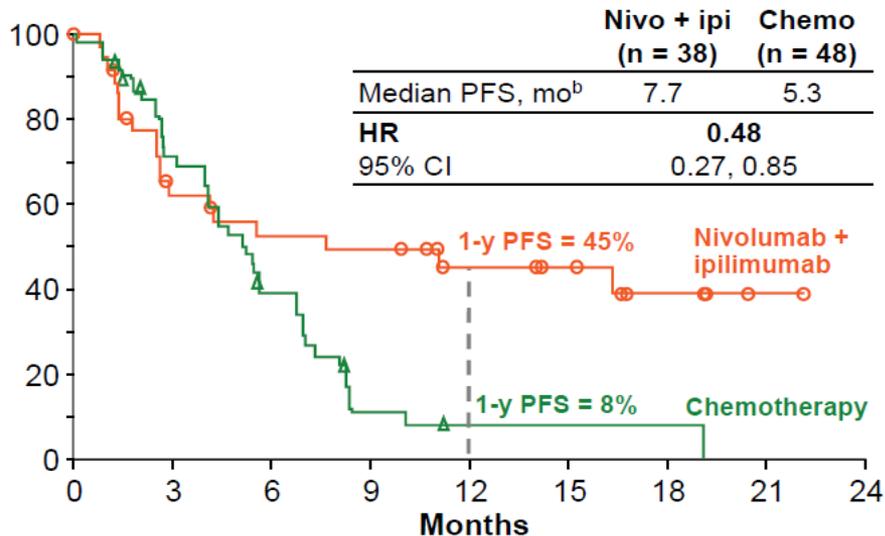
MYSITC
bTMB ≥ 20 mut/Mb



IO combo TMB (≥ 10 mut/Mb) or IO-ChemoT ?

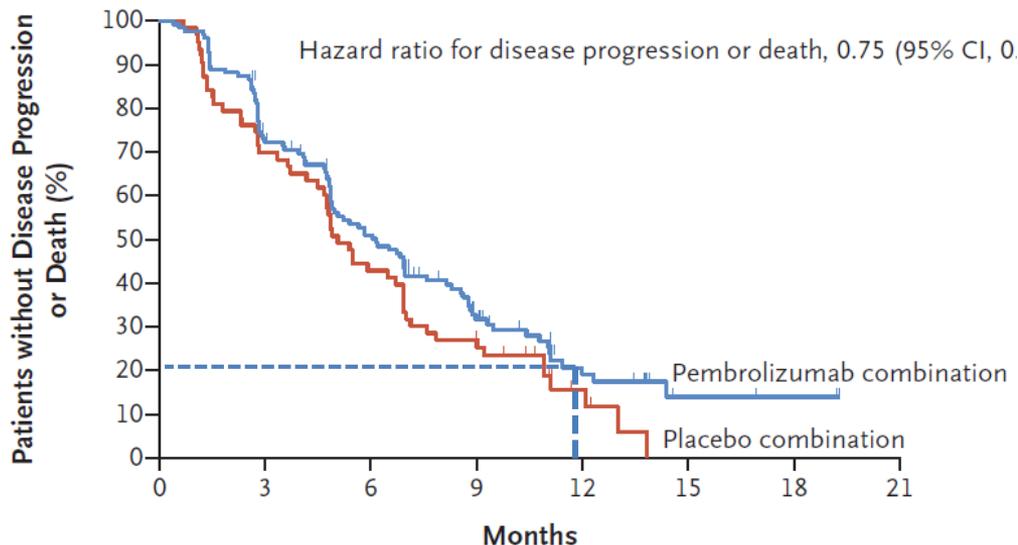
CM227

<1% PD-L1 expression



KN-189

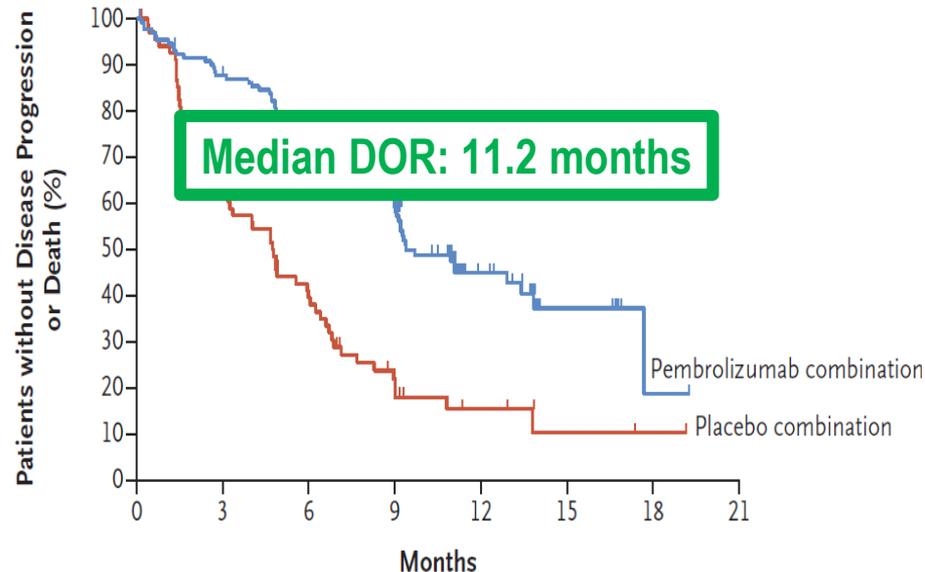
(PD-L1 low, TMB?)



Would consider use of nivolumab plus ipilimumab, particularly in pts PD-L1-negative with high TMB, durable outcomes may exceed chemotherapy plus pembrolizumab (1-year PFS: 45%...vs $\approx 20\%$)

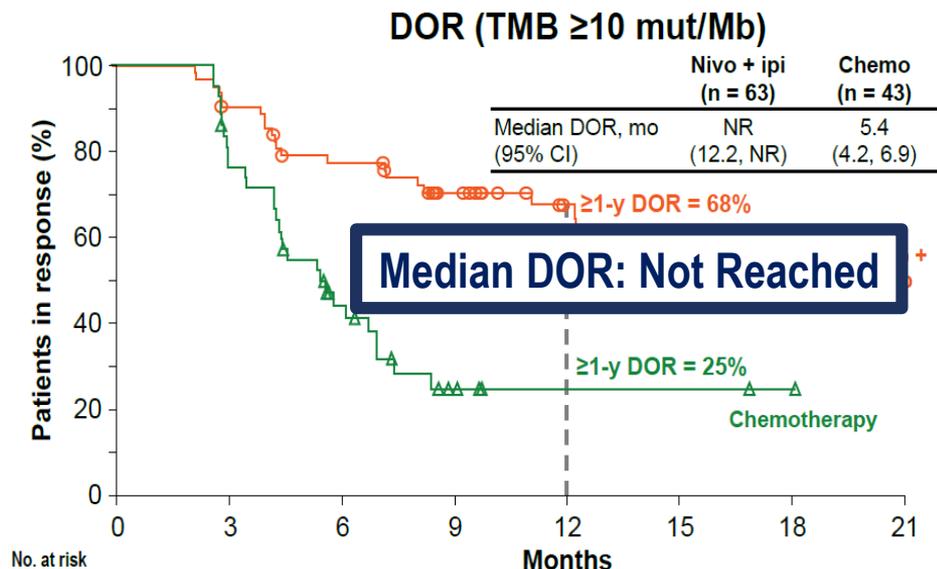
NSCLC ANTI-PD1 COMBINATIONS FOR IO NAIVE PATIENT

+CHEMO IN PDL1^{HIGH}



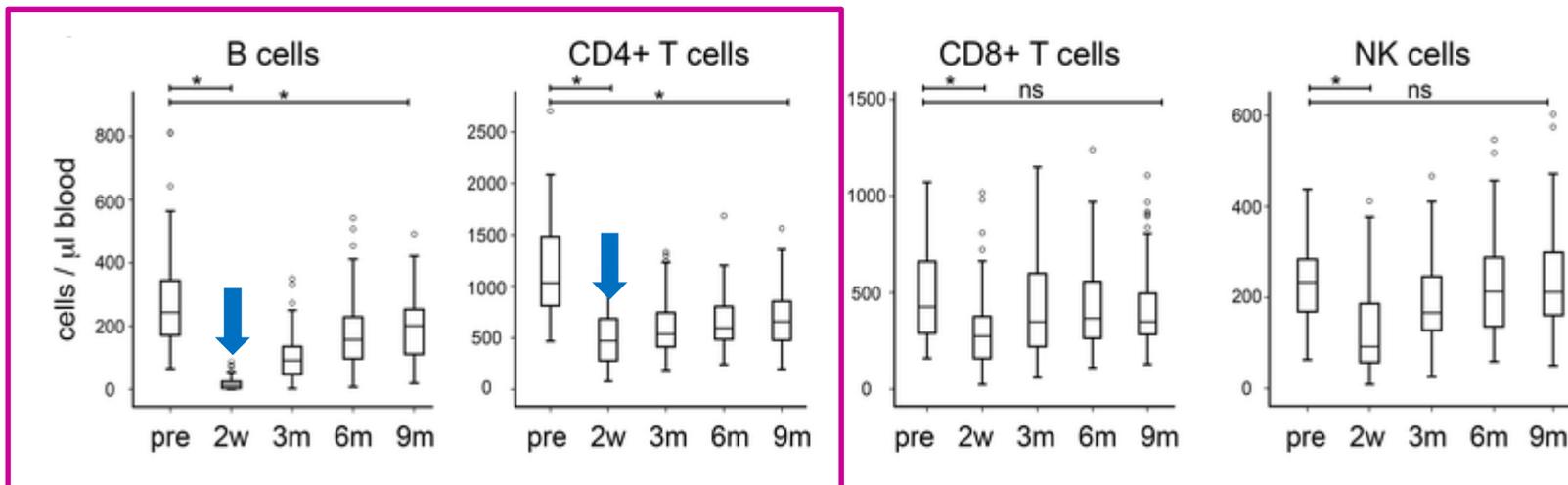
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+ANTI-CTLA-4 IN TMB^{HIGH}



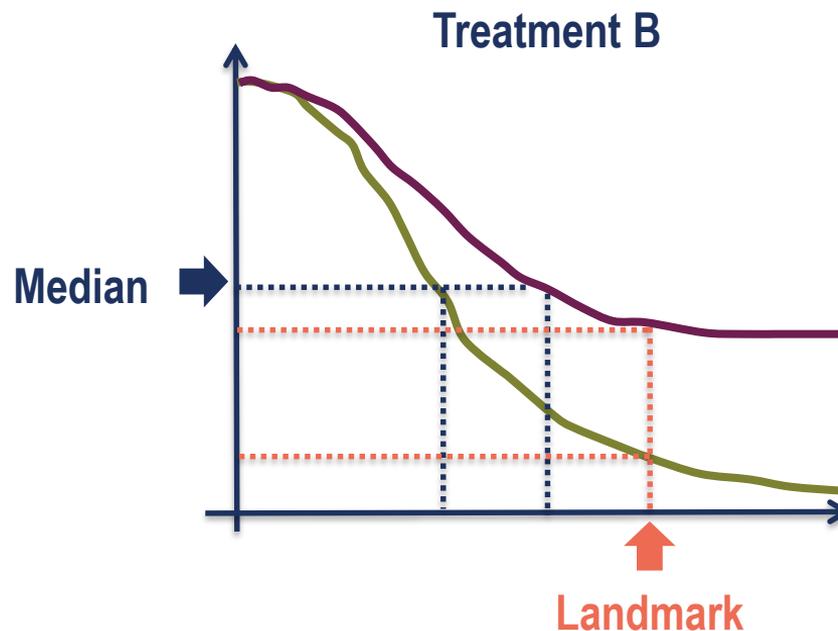
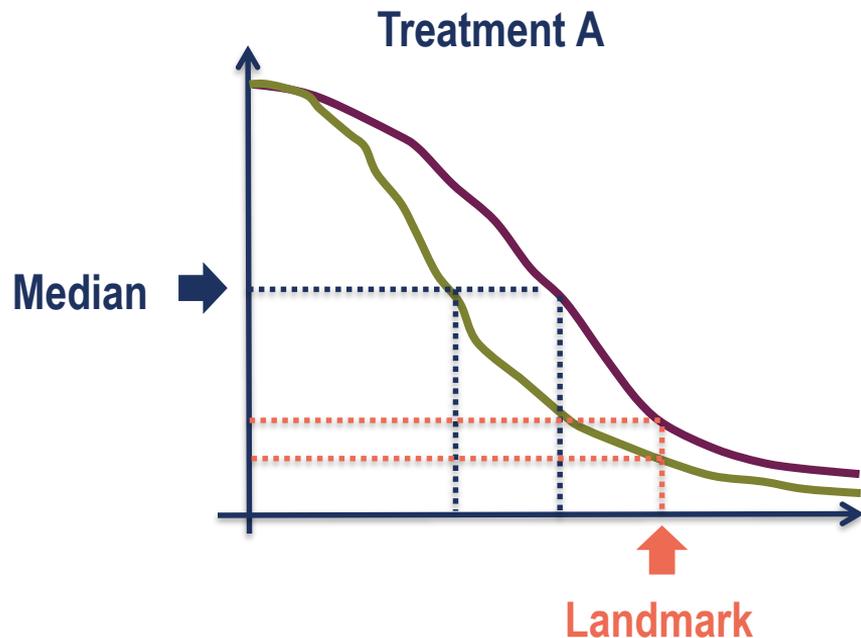
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Impact of chemo on lymphocytes



Lymphocyte depletion and repopulation after chemotherapy for primary breast cancer

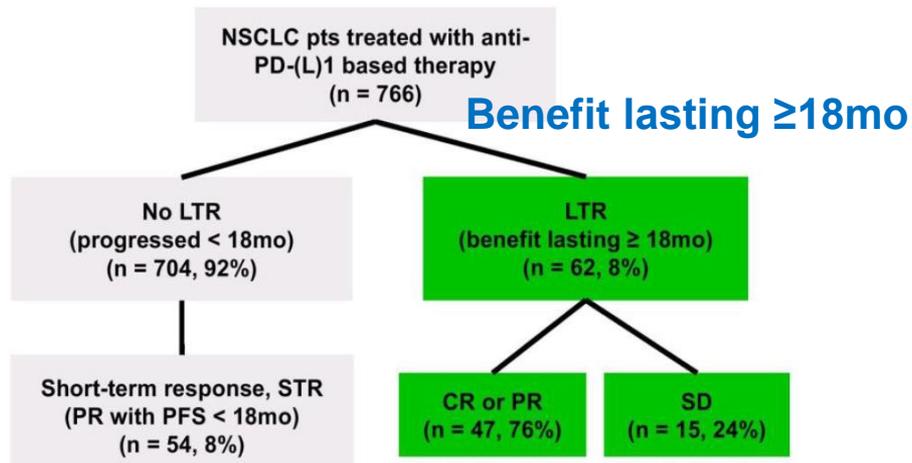
SURVIVAL PITFALLS



We need Follow Up+++

Duration of Response as a surrogate Endpoint for OS benefits

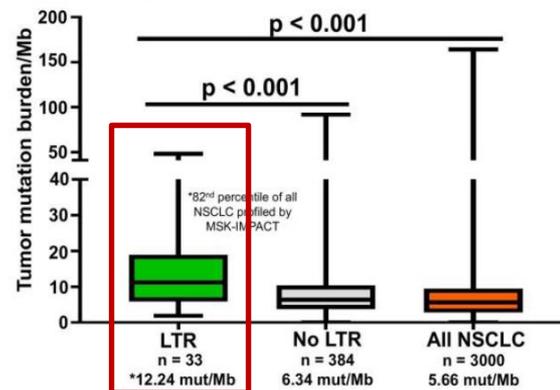
TMB but not PD-L1 expression is predictive of response duration and of long term benefit from anti-PD(L)-1 therapy



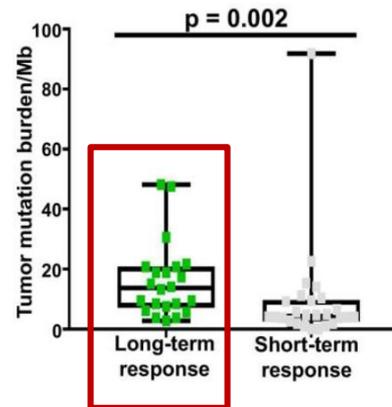
TMB assessed with MSK-IMPACT

76% (CR or PR) 24%(SD)

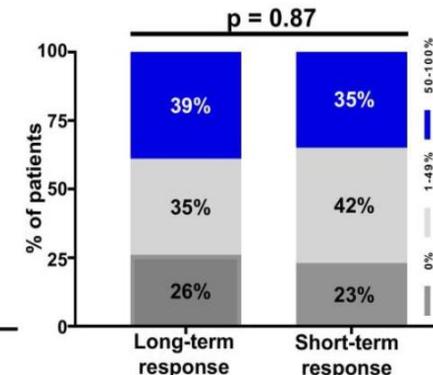
A) TMB is higher in those with LTR.



A) Tumor mutation burden

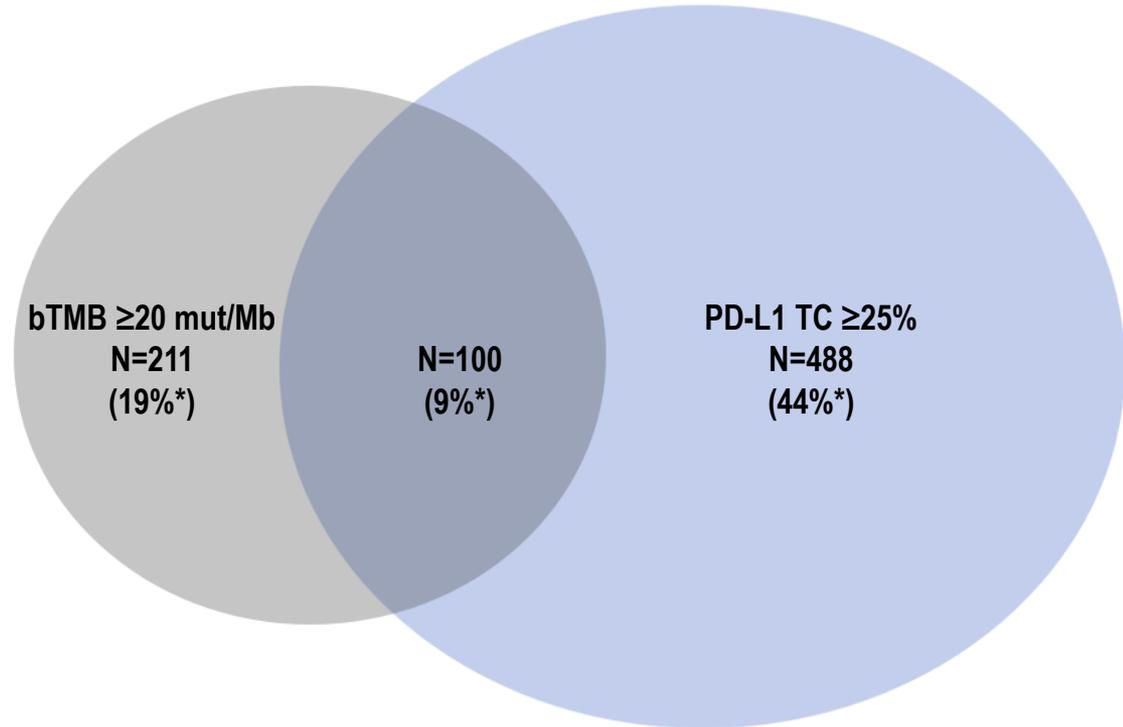
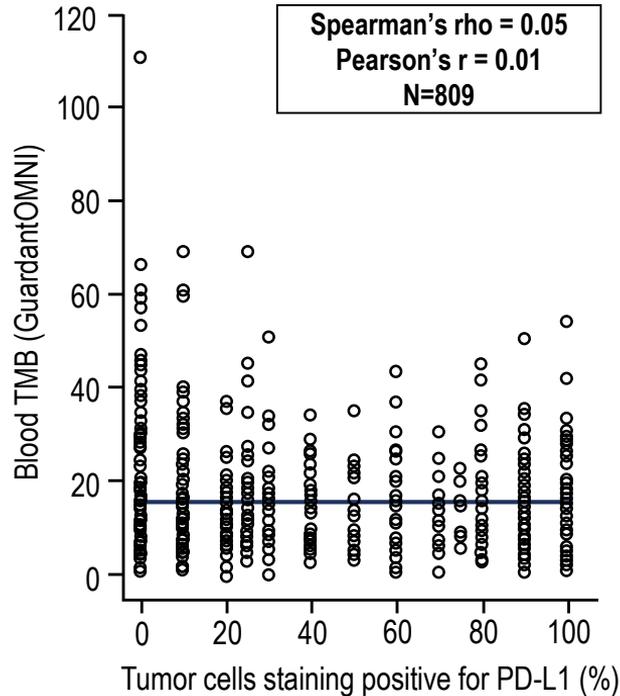


B) PD-L1 expression



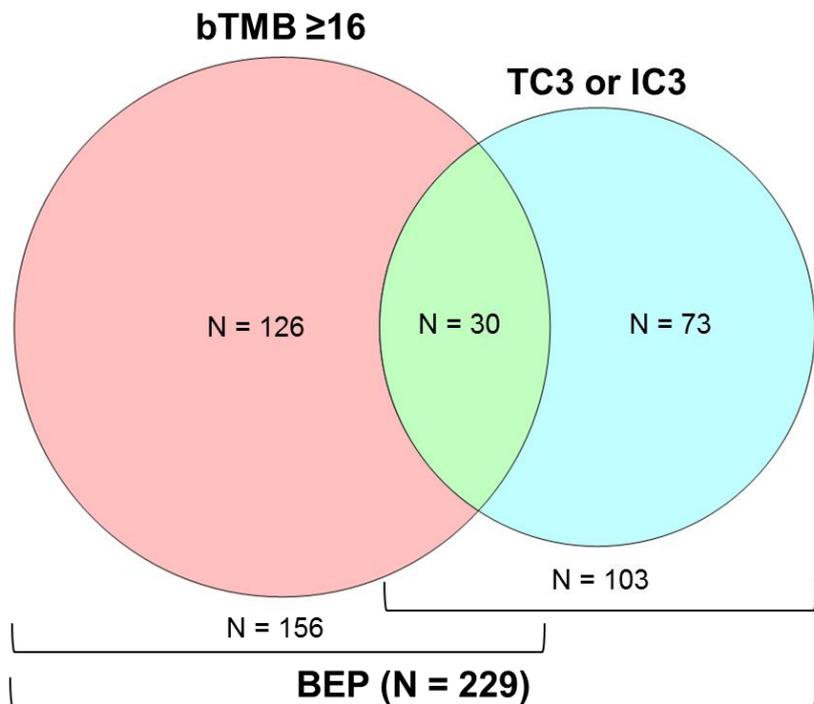
PD-L1 and Blood TMB are Independent Biomarkers (MYSTIC Trial)

- bTMB values did not correlate with PD-L1 expression levels



*Percentages are calculated from the ITT (n=1118)
Reference line in correlation plot is from linear regression

LIMITED OVERLAP BETWEEN bTMB ≥ 16 AND PD-L1 EXPRESSION^a (OAK BEP)



- Non-significant overlap between the bTMB ≥ 16 and TC3 or IC3 subgroups (Fisher exact test, $P = 0.62$)
 - **19.2%** of tumors with bTMB ≥ 16 were also TC3 or IC3
 - **29.1%** of tumors with TC3 or IC3 also had bTMB ≥ 16

	PFS HR (95% CI)	OS HR (95% CI)
bTMB ≥ 16	0.64 (0.46, 0.91)	0.64 (0.44, 0.93)
TC3 or IC3	0.62 (0.41, 0.93)	0.44 (0.27, 0.71)
bTMB ≥ 16 and TC3 or IC3	0.38 (0.17, 0.85)	0.23 (0.09, 0.58)

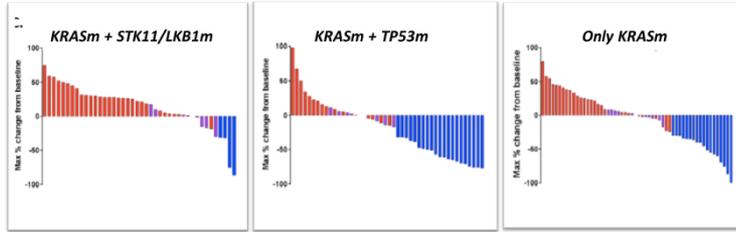
^a PD-L1 expression was evaluated by immunohistochemistry (IHC) using the VENTANA SP142 assay; TC3 or IC3, $\geq 50\%$ of TC or $\geq 10\%$ of IC express PD-L1. BEP, biomarker-evaluable population; IC, tumor-infiltrating immune cell; TC, tumor cell.

PD-L1 IHC determines who should have chemotherapy or not

TMB determines who should have IO-IO combination

Other IO BioM ?

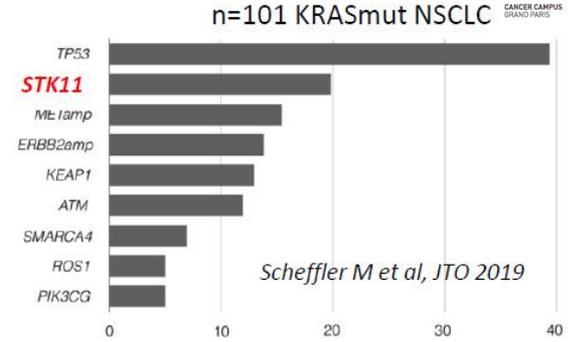
STK11/LKB1 mutations drive resistance to PD-1 inhibitors in KRAS mutant NSCLC



KRAS/STK11

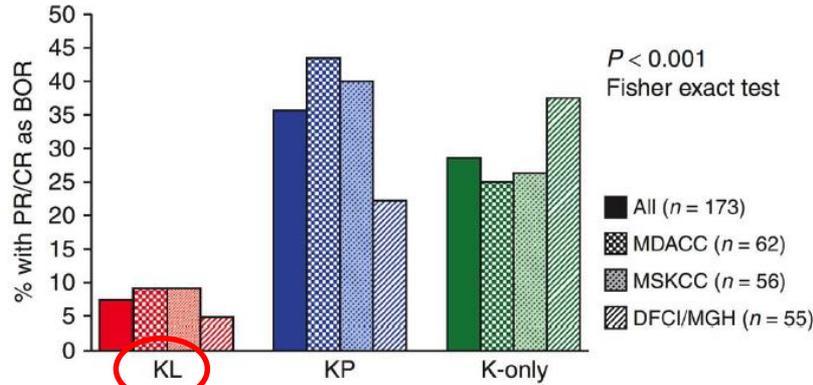
KRAS only

• i.e. Loss of LKB1 can drive production of G-CSF, CXCL7, and IL-6 by the tumor, which promotes neutrophil recruitment, which can block anti-tumoral cytotoxic T cells
 • i.e. Loss of p53 can modulate the immune microenvironment by regulating NF-κB signaling. This results in increased cytokine production by tumor cells and recruitment and activation of immune cells, such as macrophages

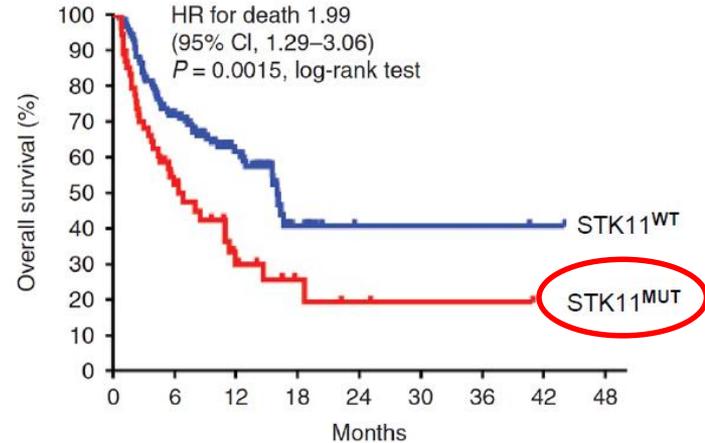


KRAS/TP53

KRAS mutated LUAC



Group	KL	KP	K-only
ORR	7.4% (4/54)	35.7% (20/56)	28.6% (18/63)



LIPI: Lung Immune Prognostic Index

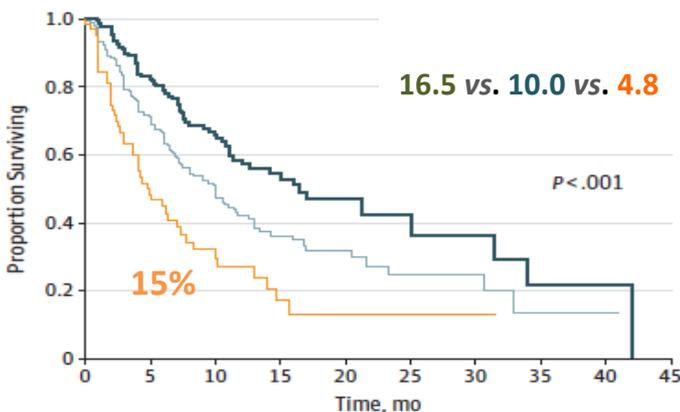
Neutrophil recruitment can block anti-tumoral cytotoxic T cells

Lung Immune Prognostic Index		
No factor	dNLR \leq 3 and LDH \leq ULN	Good
1 factor	dNLR >3 <u>or</u> LDH >ULN	Intermediate
2 factors	dNLR >3 <u>and</u> LDH >ULN	Poor

dNLR >3 [neutrophils/(leucocytes-neutrophils)]

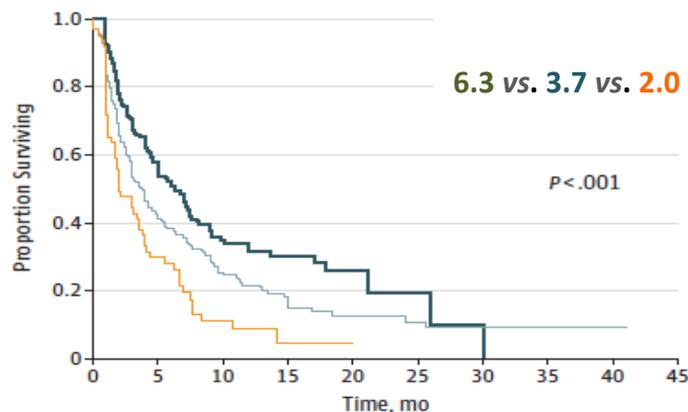
- **N=466 advanced NSCLC patients treated with PD(L)1 inh**
- **8 European centers**

A OS in the immunotherapy pooled cohort



No. at risk	0	5	10	15	20	25	30	35	40	45
Good LIPI	162	118	69	34	12	7	5	3	3	0
Intermediate LIPI	206	125	72	28	15	9	5	2	1	0
Poor LIPI	63	29	13	5	2	1	1	0	0	0

B PFS in the immunotherapy pooled cohort

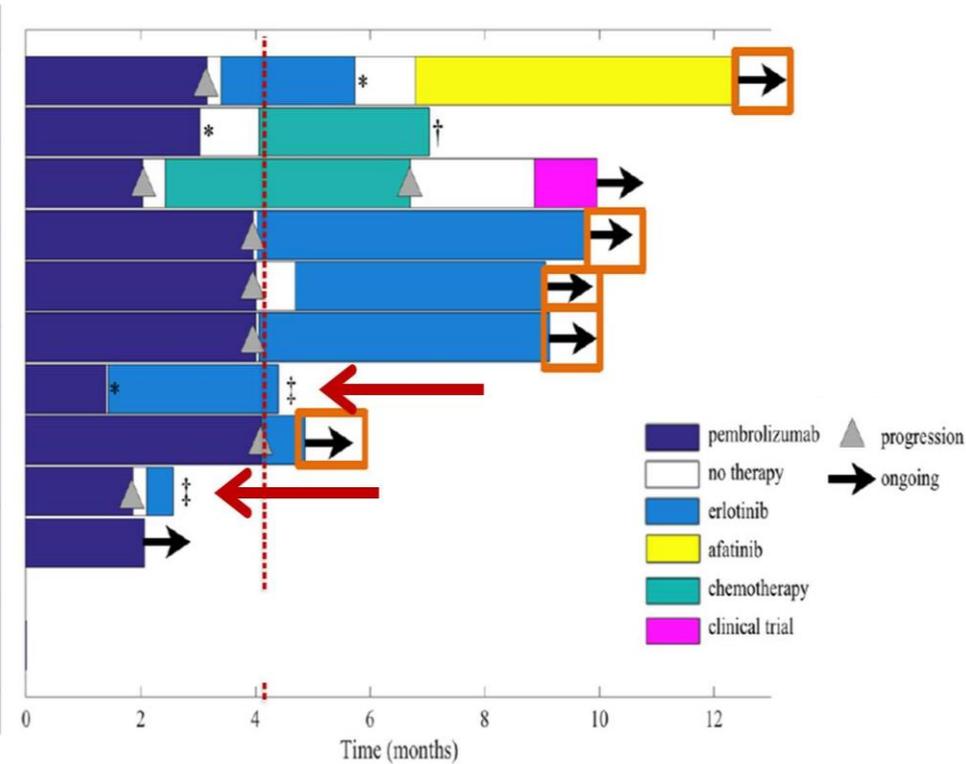
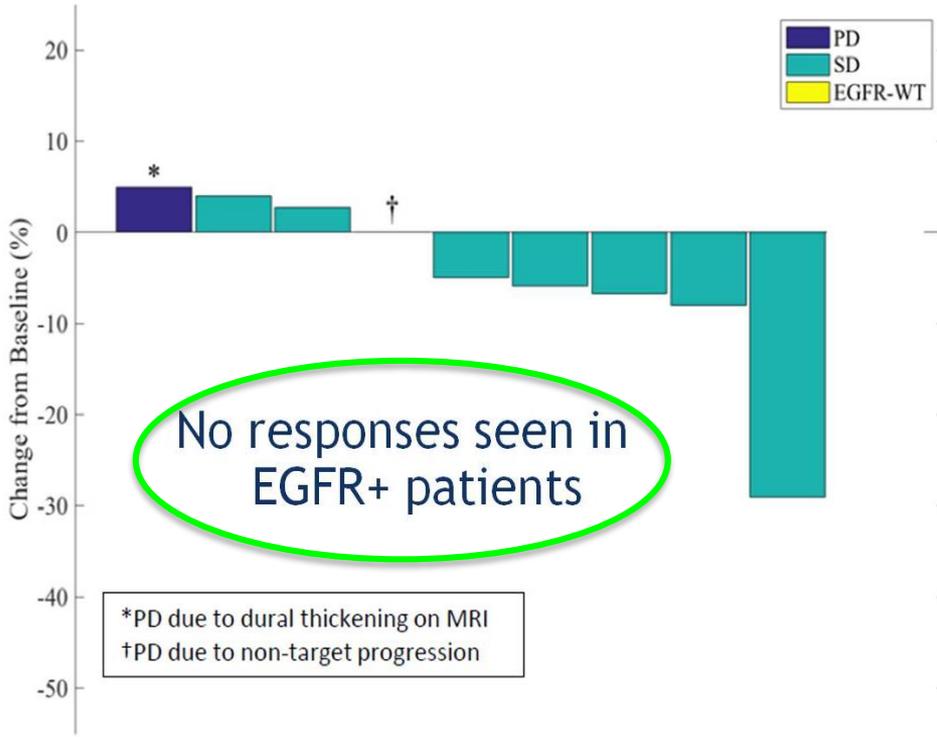


No. at risk	0	5	10	15	20	25	30	35	40	45
Good LIPI	162	84	36	20	6	2	1	0	0	0
Intermediate LIPI	206	75	38	18	8	6	2	2	1	0
Poor LIPI	63	18	5	1	1	0	0	0	0	0

Predictive for IO ! (not for chemotherapy)

Phase II Study of Pembrolizumab in EGFR-Mutant, PD-L1+, TKI Naïve Patients

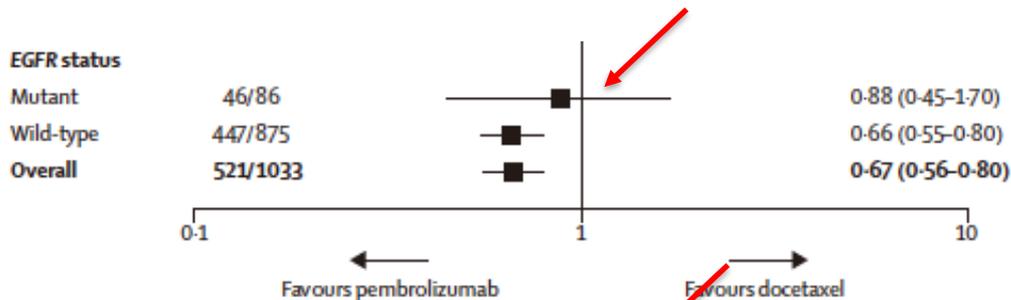
Best Response for Target Lesions by Patient While on Trial



Hazard ratios of OS by EGFR mutational status in 3 Phase III trials comparing ICI with docetaxel

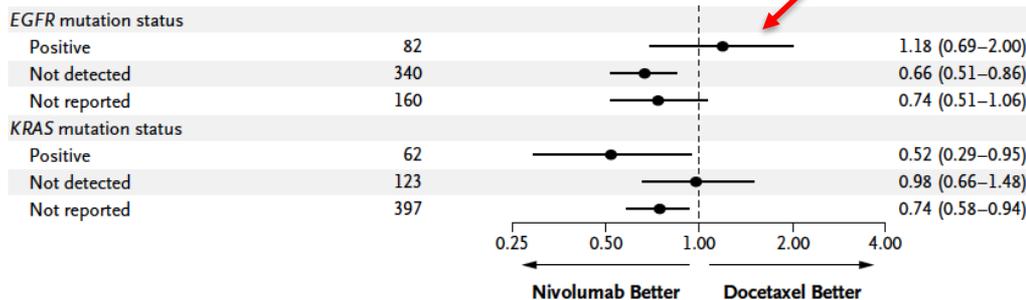
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Pembrolizumab



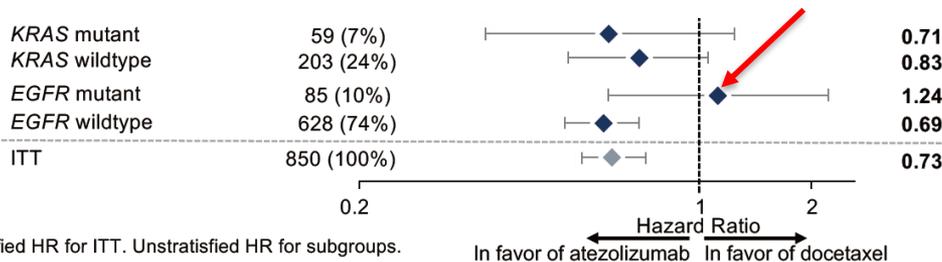
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Nivolumab



Oak

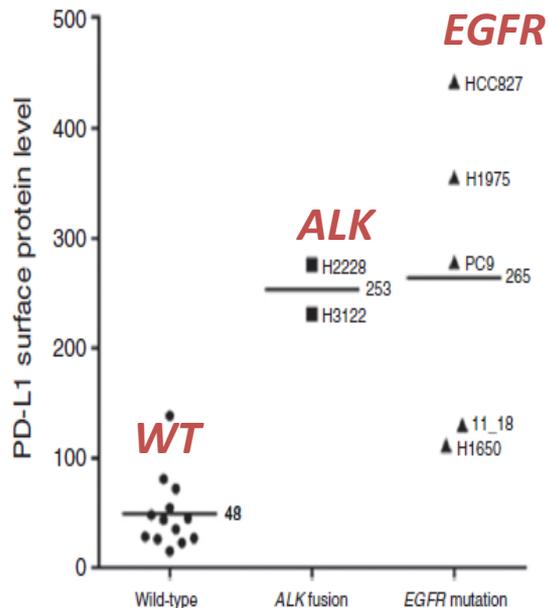
Atezolizumab



HR for ITT. Unstratified HR for subgroups.

DRIVER +: PD-L1, IMMUNE TME

Constitutive PD-L1 expression



Ota et al CCR 2015

Immunotarget, ≥1% PD-L1 expression

Driver	N	PD-L1 + (%)
KRAS	95	66.4%
EGFR	49	63.2%
BRAF	11	70.0%
MET	20	75.5%
HER2	15	53.3%
ALK	11	63.3%
RET	8	75.0%
ROS1	5	100%

Mazières, ASCO 2018

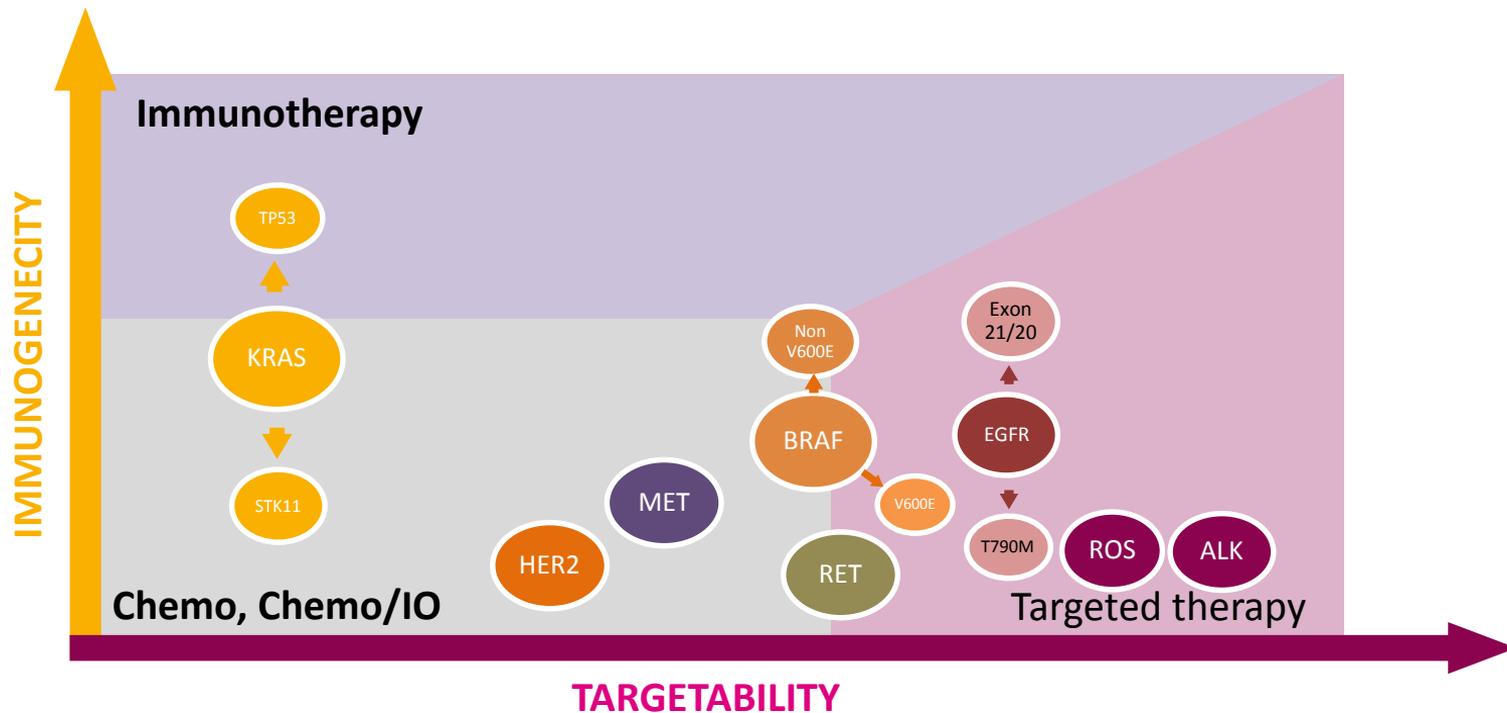
These subgroups have not routinely benefited from immunotherapy

Immunotarget Cohort

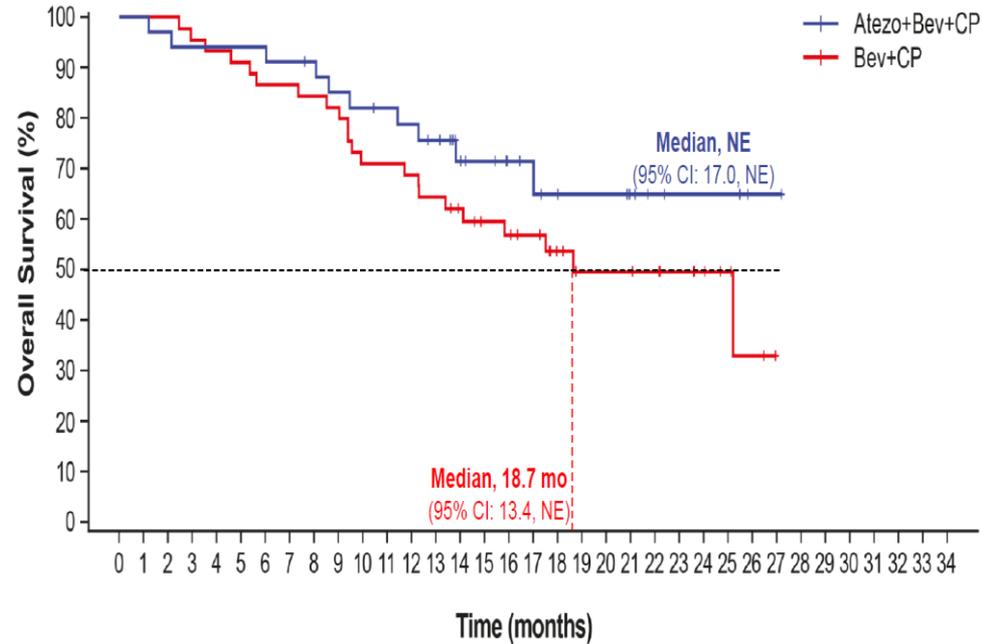
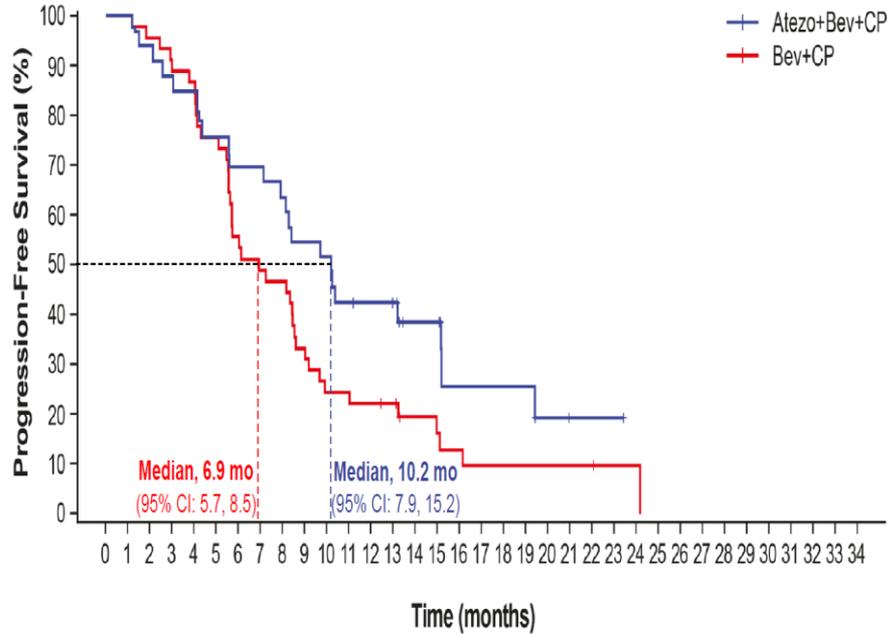
Low benefit of immunotherapy in case of molecular alteration...need for specific studies

Driver	n	RR	PFS	OS	Impact (+/X) on PFS of				Comments
					PDL1	Smoking	Nb line	Subtype	
Total		19%	2.8	13.3					Outcome consistent with registration trials for ICI
KRAS	271	26%	3.2	13.5	+	X	X	X	Clear benefit across all subgroups
EGFR	125	12%	2.1	10	+	X	X	X	Could be considered in PDL1 + after TKIs exhaustion
BRAF	43	24%	3.1	13.6	X	+	X	NA	Could be considered in smokers
MET	36	16%	3.4	18.4	NA	X	NA	X	Could be considered after conventional treatment
HER2	29	7%	2.5	20.3	NA	+	X	NA	
ALK	23	0	2.5	17	X	X	X	NA	Poor outcome. New biomarker needed.
RET	16	6%	2.1	21.3					
ROS1	7	17%	-	-					

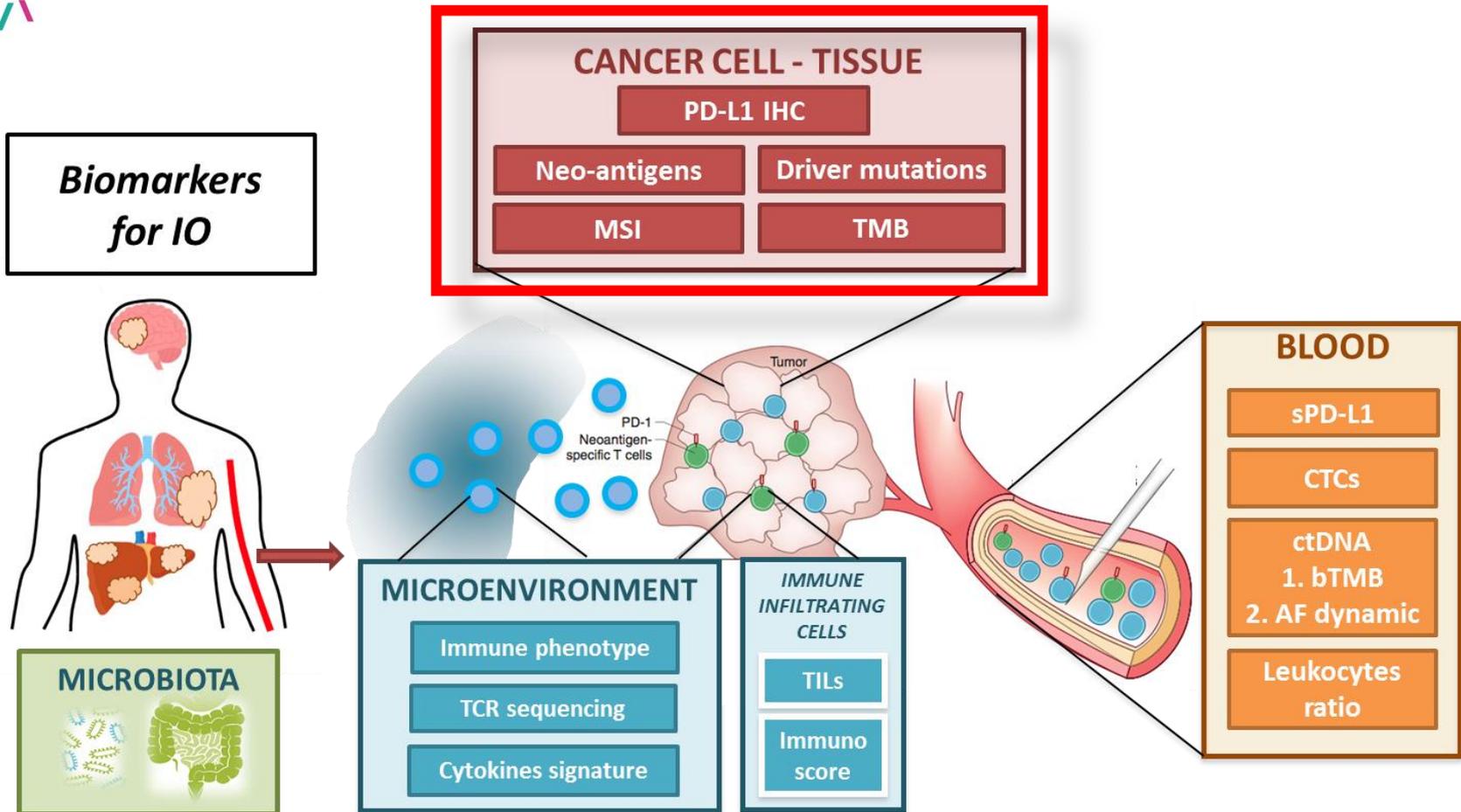
The best place for IO



Carbo+Pacli+Atezolizumab, potentiel new option in EGFR-mutant post TKIs (Impower 150)

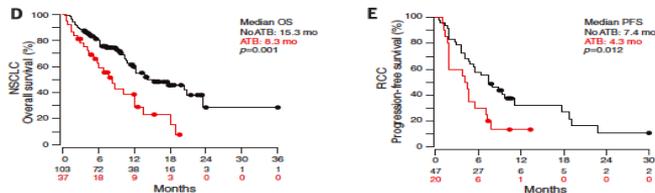
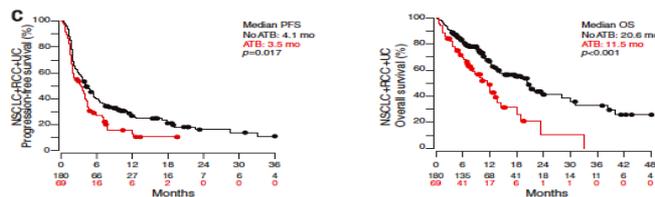
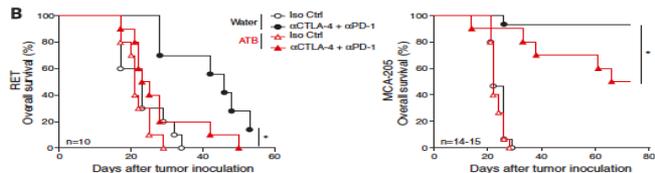
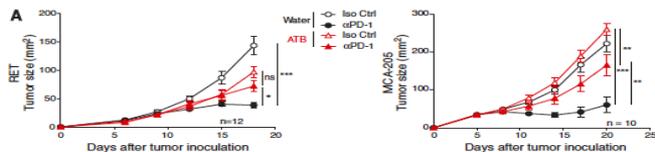


So IO alone or combo...need to take in account many factors



From forgotten to superorganism

Strong evidences that bacteria in the gut may influence responses to cancer immunotherapy



CANCER IMMUNOTHERAPY

91 Gut microbiome influences efficacy of PD-1-based immunotherapy against epithelial tumors

B. Routy et al.

97 Gut microbiome modulates response to anti-PD-1 immunotherapy in melanoma patients

V. Gopalakrishnan et al.

104 The commensal microbiome is associated with anti-PD-1 efficacy in metastatic melanoma patients

V. Matson et al.

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Precision medicine using microbiota

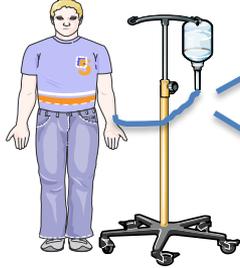
1. Cancer Screening



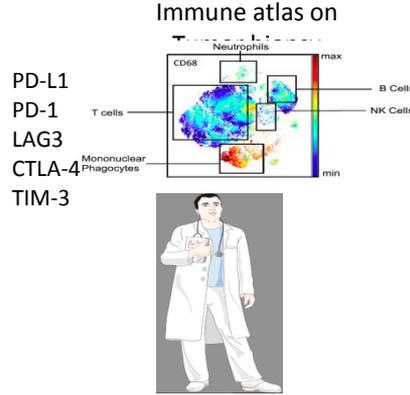
Microbiota specific medical history:

- Weight, Diet, Smoking
- ATB 30 days before
- PPI, Metformin
- Apendectomy

2. Cancer Diagnosis



3. Investigations



4. Immunotherapy + oncomicrobiotherapy

Selection of ICB monotherapy vs combination



Favorable feces



Proceed to immunotherapy alone

Unfavorable feces



IO combo

Immune adverse effect feces



- Specific antibiotics
- Diet
- Fecal transplant from healthy volunteer vs patients in complete response
- Oncomicrobiotics: Consortium of bacteria
- Metabolites

Diagnostic kit:
Cancer signature

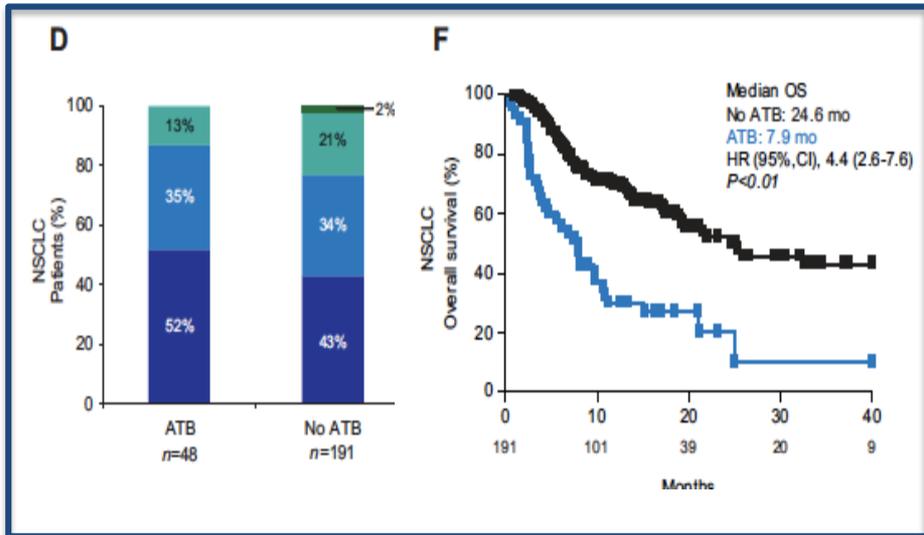
No Yes

Continue healthy
microbiota lifestyle

Perform adequate testing:
CT scan
Mammography
PSA, CEA, LDH

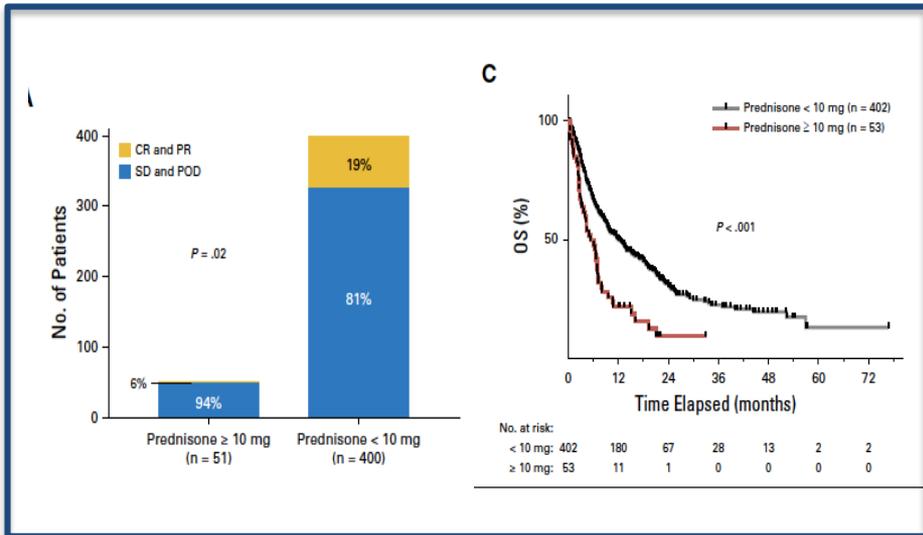
Concomitant medications at baseline to IO

Antibiotics



Derosa, Annals of Oncol 2018

Steroids



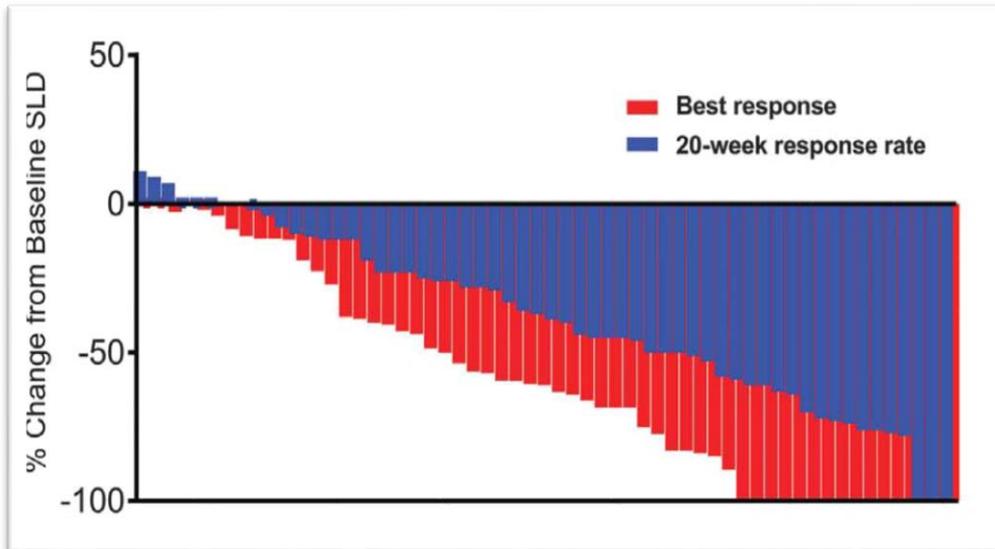
Arbour & Mezquita, J Clin Oncol 2018

Retrospective cohorts & probably comorbidities associated

Mismatch repair deficiency

Science

Mismatch-repair deficiency predicts response of solid tumors to PD-1 blockade



- **N=86 MMRD patients**
- 12 different solid tumors (no lung)
- **Pembrolizumab \geq 2nd line**
 - ✓ ORR 53% (21% CR)
- **Median OS NR**
 - ✓ 1y-OS 76%; 2y-OS 64%



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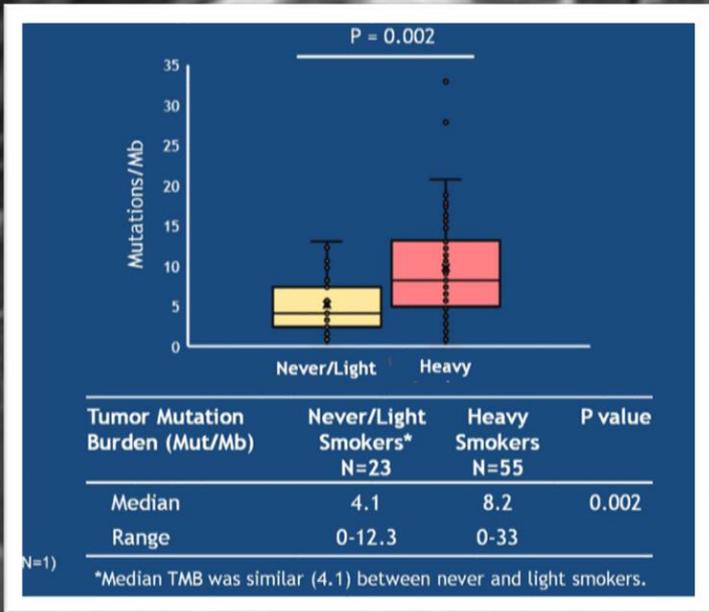
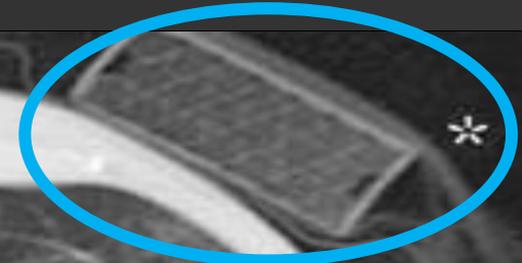
FDA grants accelerated approval to pembrolizumab for first tissue/site agnostic indication

[Listen to the FDA D.I.S.C.O. podcast about this approval \(/Drugs/InformationOnDrugs/ApprovedDrugs/ucm558268.htm\)](#)

On May 23, 2017, the U.S. Food and Drug Administration granted accelerated approval to pembrolizumab (KEYTRUDA, Merck & Co.) for adult and pediatric patients with unresectable or metastatic, microsatellite instability-high (MSI-H) or mismatch repair deficient (dMMR) solid tumors that have progressed following prior treatment and who have no satisfactory alternative treatment options or with MSI-H or dMMR colorectal cancer that has progressed following treatment with a fluoropyrimidine, oxaliplatin, and irinotecan.

This is the FDA's first tissue/site-agnostic approval.

4 US centers, n=78 (23 non-smokers)





PD-L1 IHC

Is still the king

-Several new biomarkers under development: microbiome, genomic markers, epigenetic markers

-still a lot of work to be done

- **Growing evidence that TMB is predictive of immunotherapy efficacy in NSCLC**
- **Relevant challenges:**
 - methodology standardization
 - Definition of high/low TMB
 - Turn-around time
 - Clinical validation
 - Reimbursement/cost

Biomarker selection for 1st line

TMB high

PD-L1 high

Pembrolizumab
Nivolumab+Ipilimumab
Durvalumab+Tremelimumab

PD-L1 Low

Nivolumab+Ipilimumab
Durvalumab+Tremelimumab

TMB Low

PD-L1 high

Pembrolizumab
Chemotherapy

PD-L1 Low

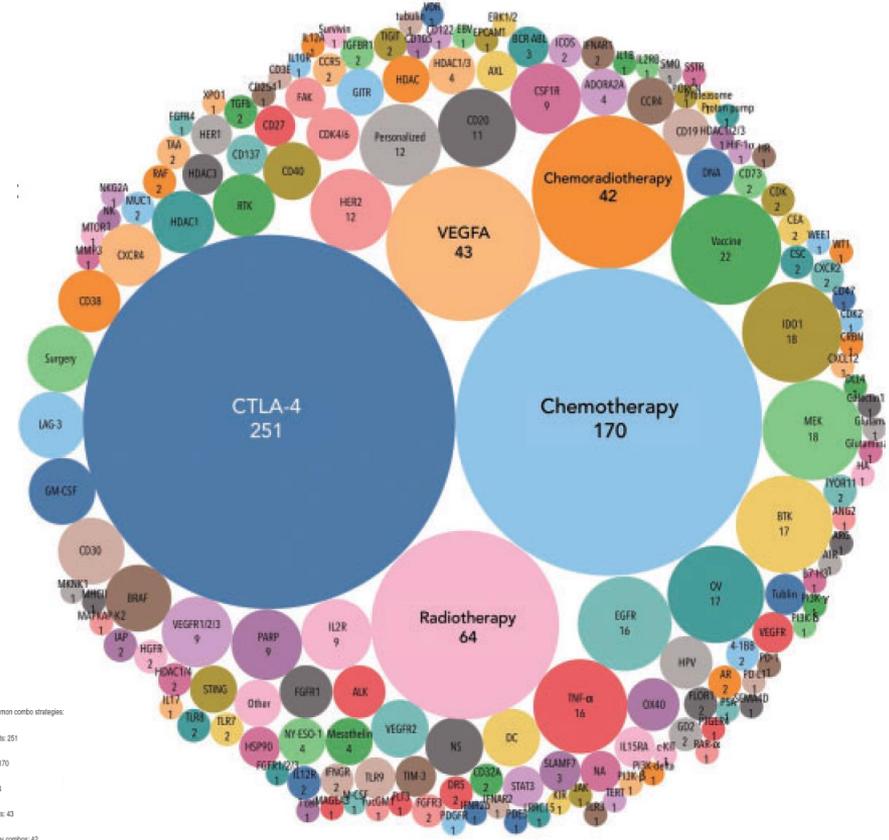
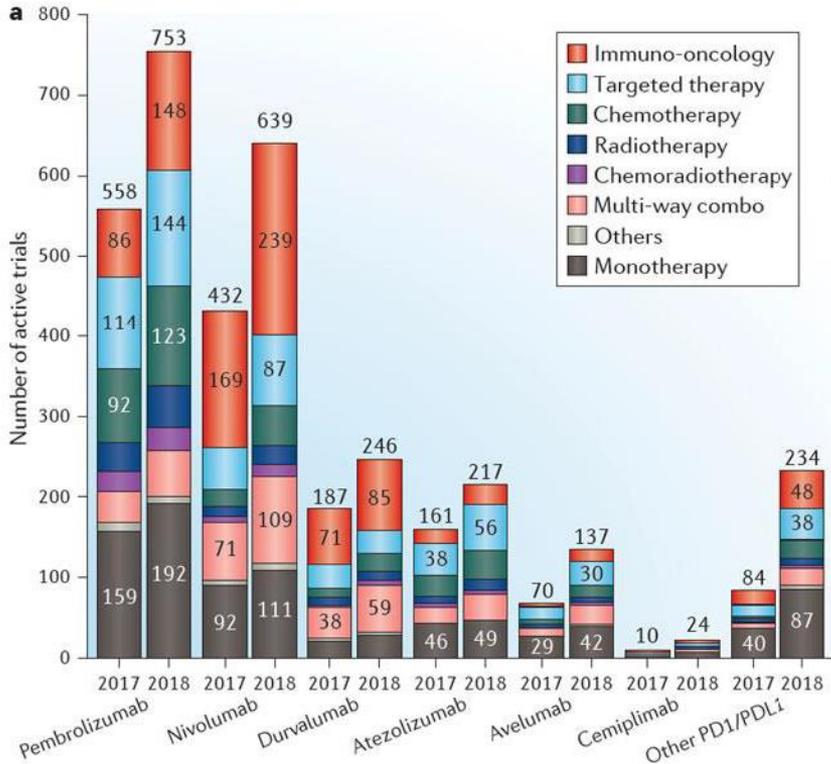
Chemotherapy

IO+chemotherapy

Need TMB data



IO combo tomorrow... we need bioM !!!



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