

# **Magnitude of benefit**

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# Clinical benefit

EFFICACY

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Setting

- curative vs palliative
- prognosis within palliative

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Size

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In control

Increase in median values as a function of HR

0.9      0.8      0.7      0.6      0.5      0.4

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1.5

2

4

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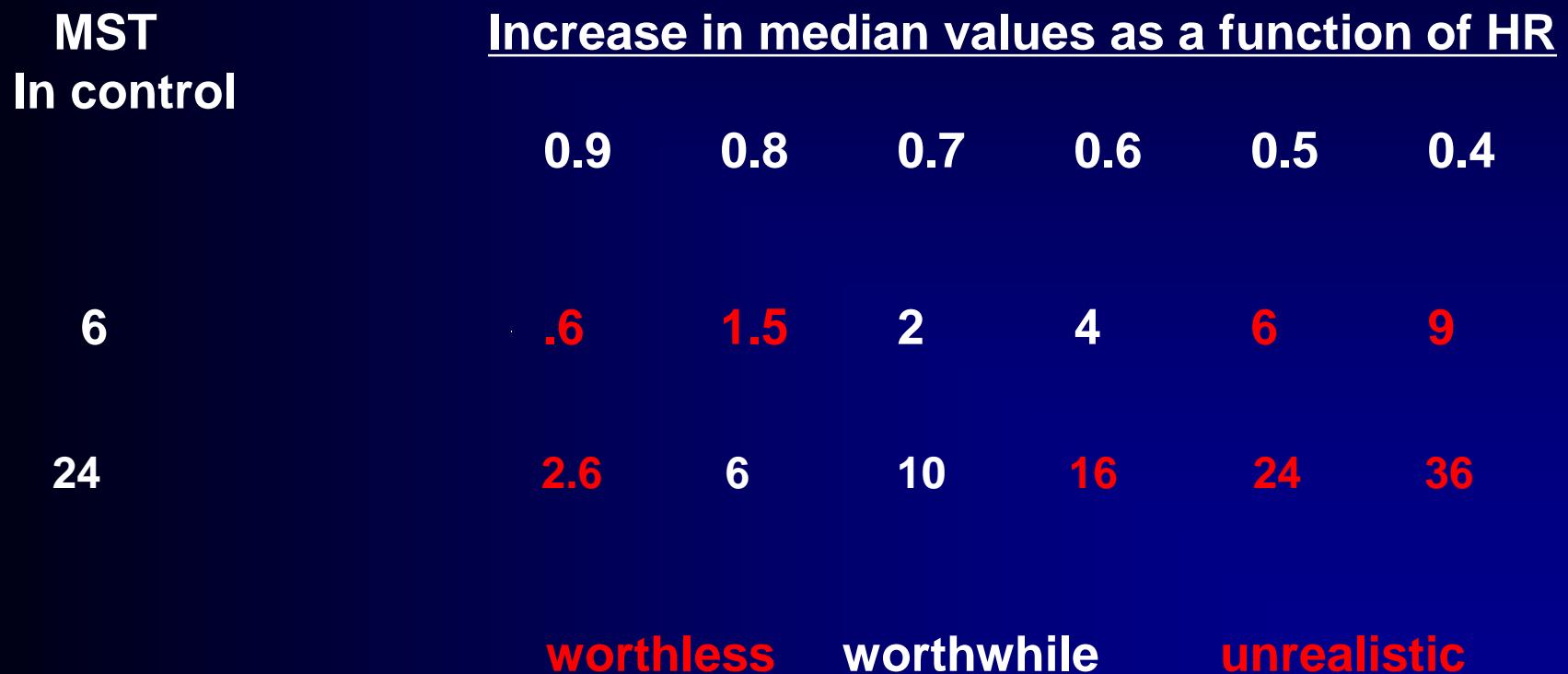
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worthless

worthwhile

unrealistic

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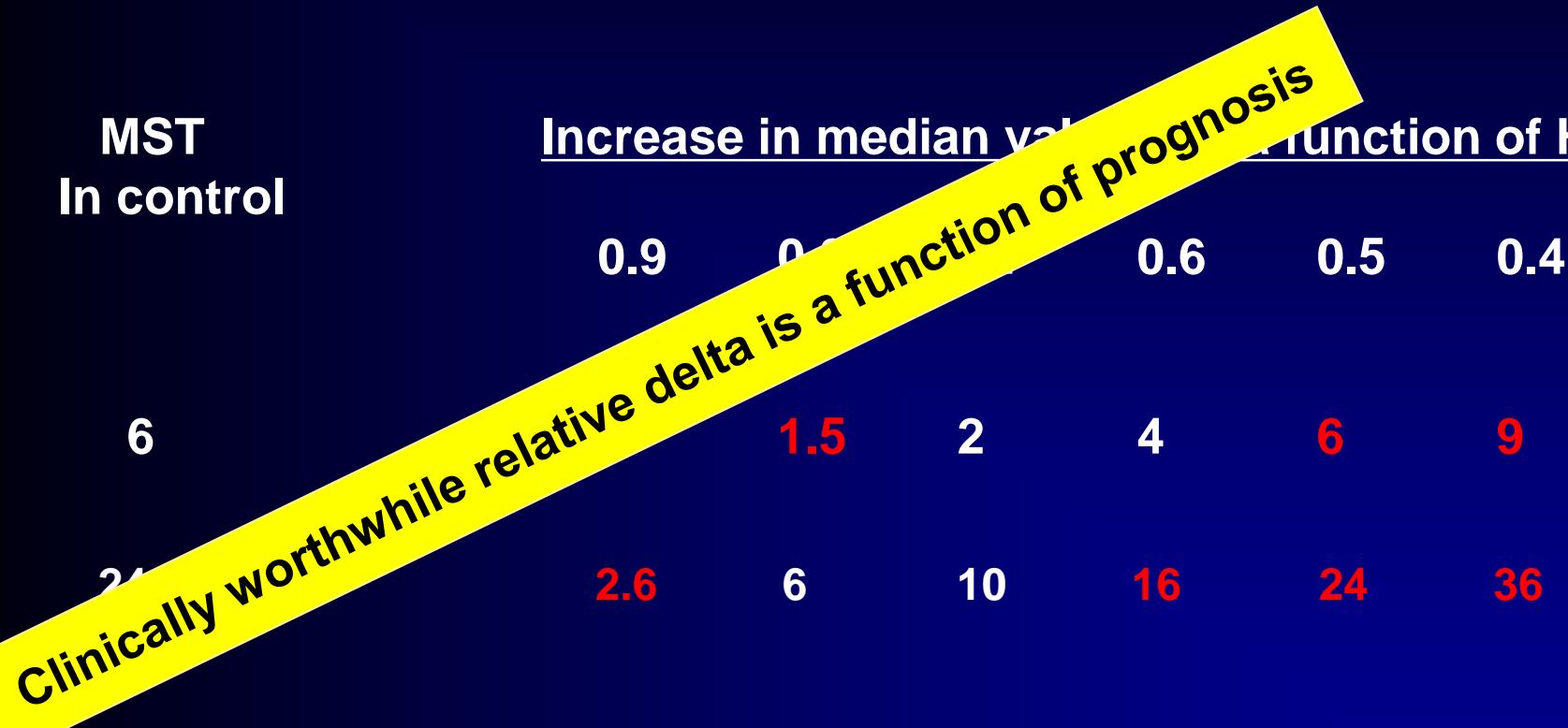
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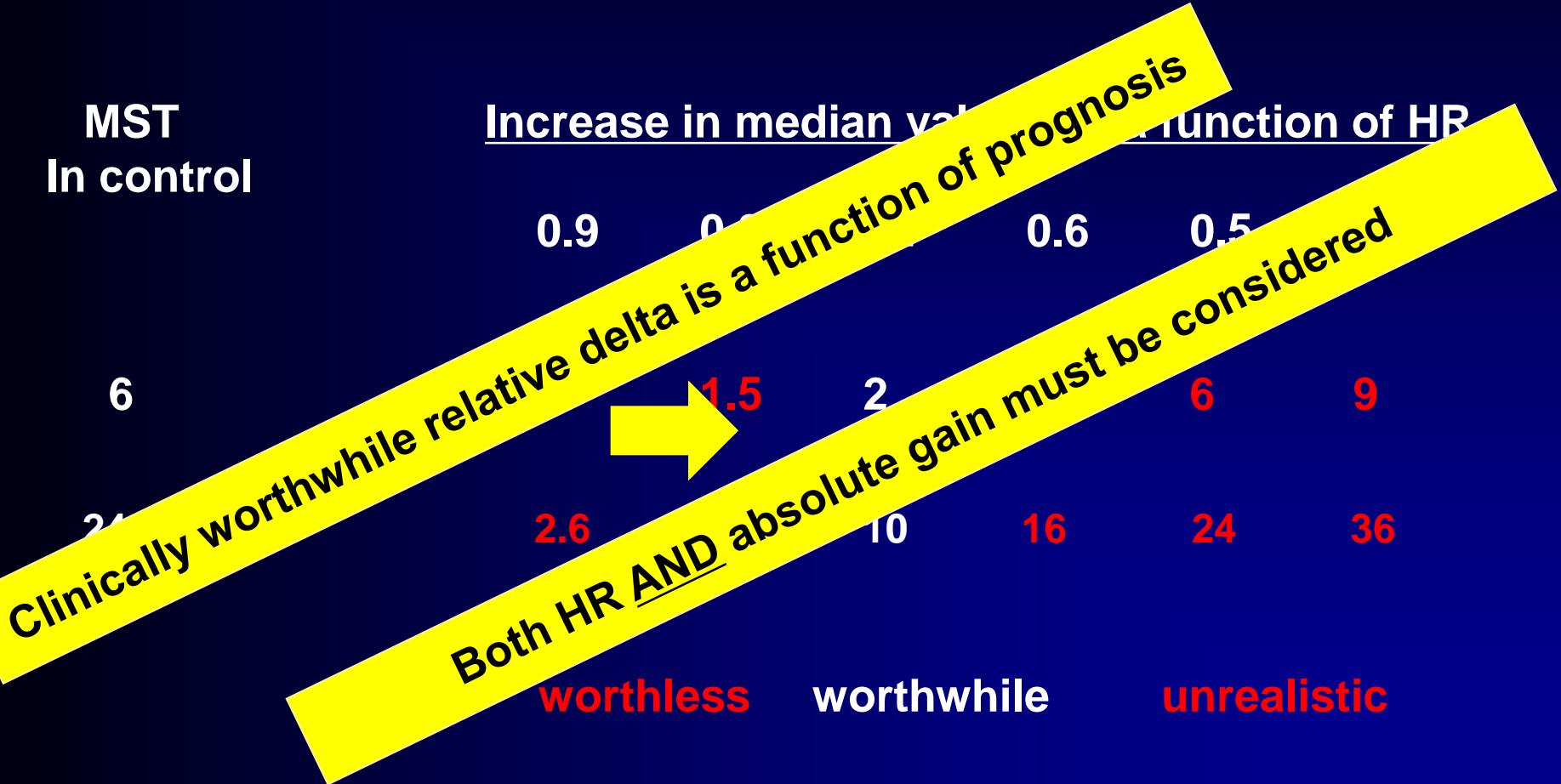
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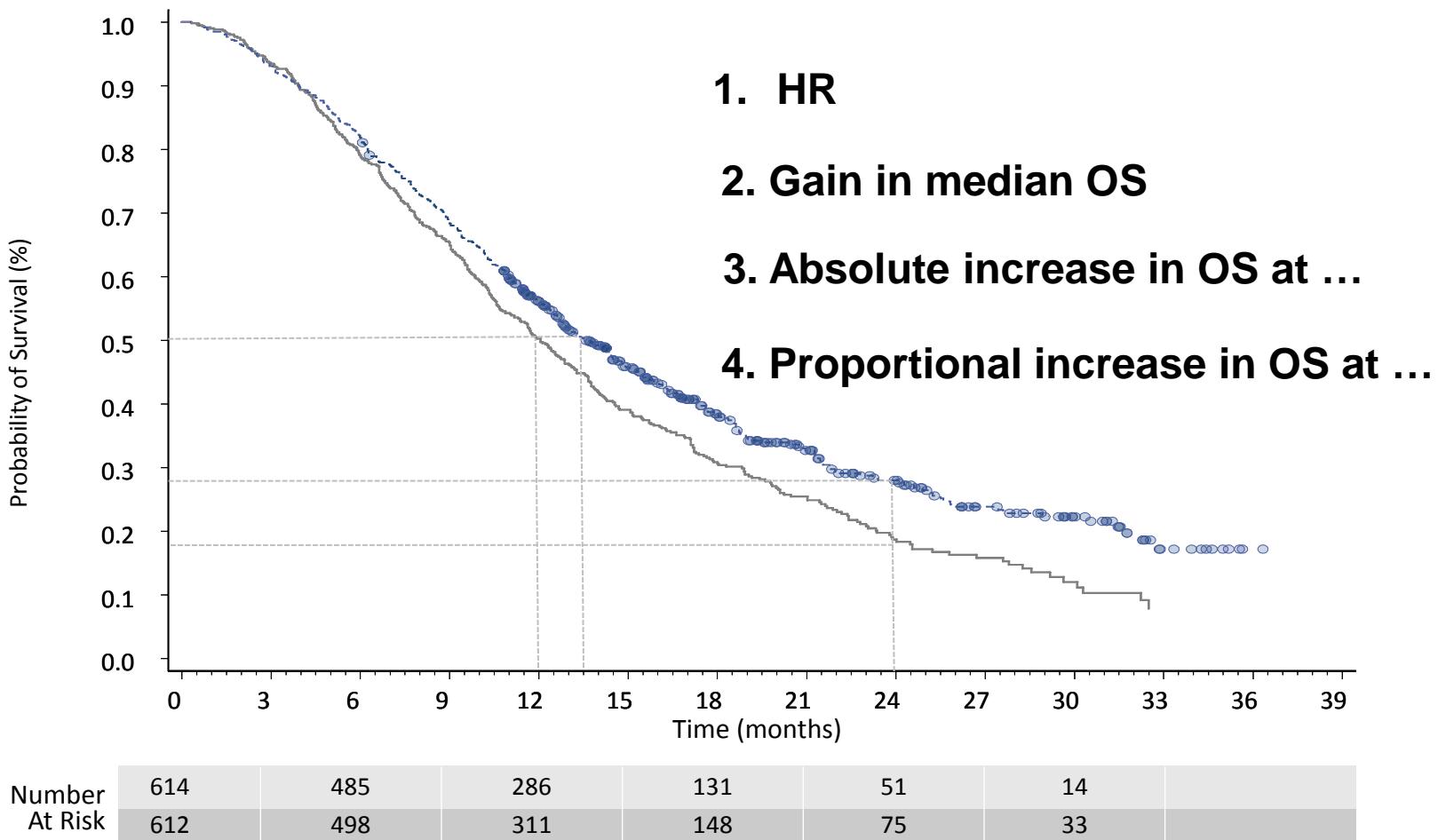
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# The 4 ways to interpret OS curves



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- extent of efficacy → magnitude of ‘benefit’

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12-18 mo	9						
>18 mo	17						
TOT	43						

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9-12 mo	8	0,75	2,5 mo	5	4	5	4
12-18 mo	9	0,75	3 mo	4	5	6	3
>18 mo	17	0,80	3,5 mo	4	7	7	4
TOT	43			17	21	23	15

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Prognosis in control	N of trials	CRITERIA		NUMBER OF POSITIVE TRIALS			
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< 9 mo	9	0,60	3 mo				
9-12 mo	8	0,65	4 mo				
12-18 mo	9	0,65	5 mo				
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TOT	43						

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9-12 mo	8	0,65	4 mo	0	1	1	0
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Tensirolimus-kidney vs IFN

Ipilimumab-melanoma

Cetuximab-colon vs BSC

Abiraterone-prostate vs pred

Enzalutamide-prostate vs BSC

Tdm1-breast vs cape lapatinib

Cetuximab-head and neck vs RT

Bevacizumab-ovarian vs carboplatin

Cetuximab-colon  
Bevacizumab-ovarian

# Conclusions

1. Tox and convenience hard to rank
2. Complexity of summarizing efficacy
3. Relevance of prognosis on magnitude of benefit
4. Too few data on long term OS
5. Effects of raising the bar