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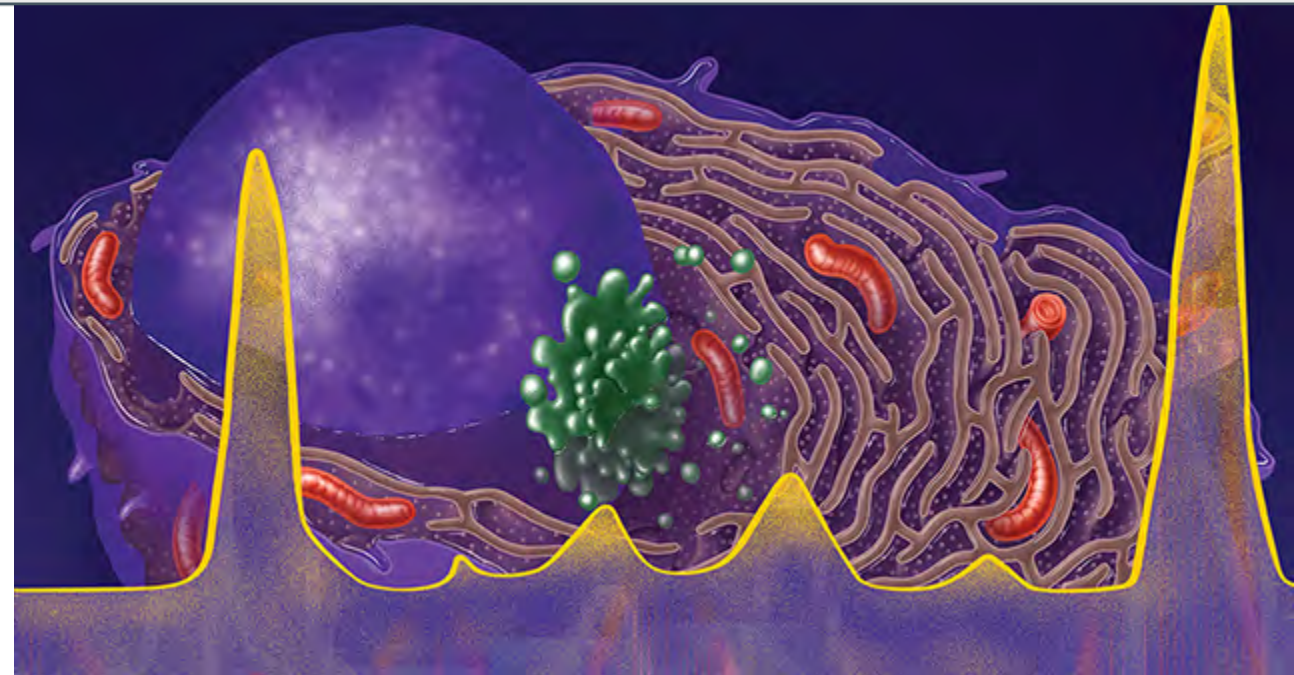
New Strategies for Multiple Myeloma Care: Next Steps for the Future

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Symposium Format

Each topic discussion will include the following:

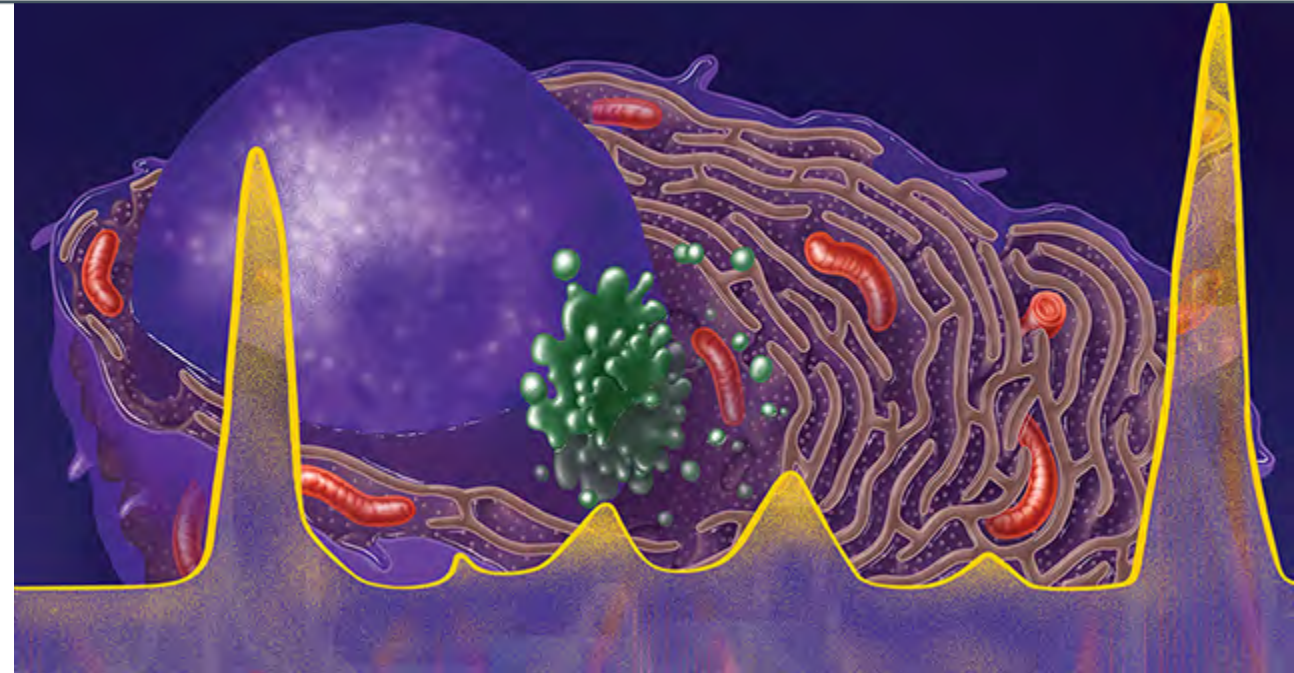
- Case presentation with interactive polling question(s) for the audience
- Presentation by faculty
- Panel discussion with expert recommendations
- Audience question and answer session
- Second audience vote on case question(s)

Agenda

- Risk stratification of plasma cell disorders
 - Are we ready for personalized therapy in newly diagnosed MM?
 - Considering the recent data on transplantation, consolidation, and maintenance after induction therapy
 - Advances in the optimal choice of therapeutic strategies for patients with relapsed/refractory disease
 - Proposed 2019 treatment algorithms for MM
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Risk Stratification of Plasma Cell Disorders

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Risk Stratification of Plasma Cell Disorders

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Patient Case Example

- A 54-year-old patient was found to have elevated monoclonal protein during work up for unexplained arthritis of 2 weeks' duration
 - Arthritis has since resolved
 - M spike is 1.9 g/dL, IgG kappa
- Additional workup shows:
 - Serum free kappa is 5.0 mg/dL, serum free lambda is 1.0 mg/dL
 - CBC, calcium, creatinine are normal
- He has no additional symptoms

What would you recommend next for this patient?

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Jesús F. San-Miguel, MD, PhD	Bone marrow biopsy and bone imaging

Patient Case Example, Continued

- The patient undergoes bone marrow biopsy, which shows 8% plasma cells in bone marrow
- Bone imaging is negative
- He is watched annually for 3 years
- He now presents with an increase in M protein to 2.5 g/dL but has no symptoms
 - CBC, calcium, creatinine are normal
 - However, repeat bone marrow biopsy shows 25% plasma cells

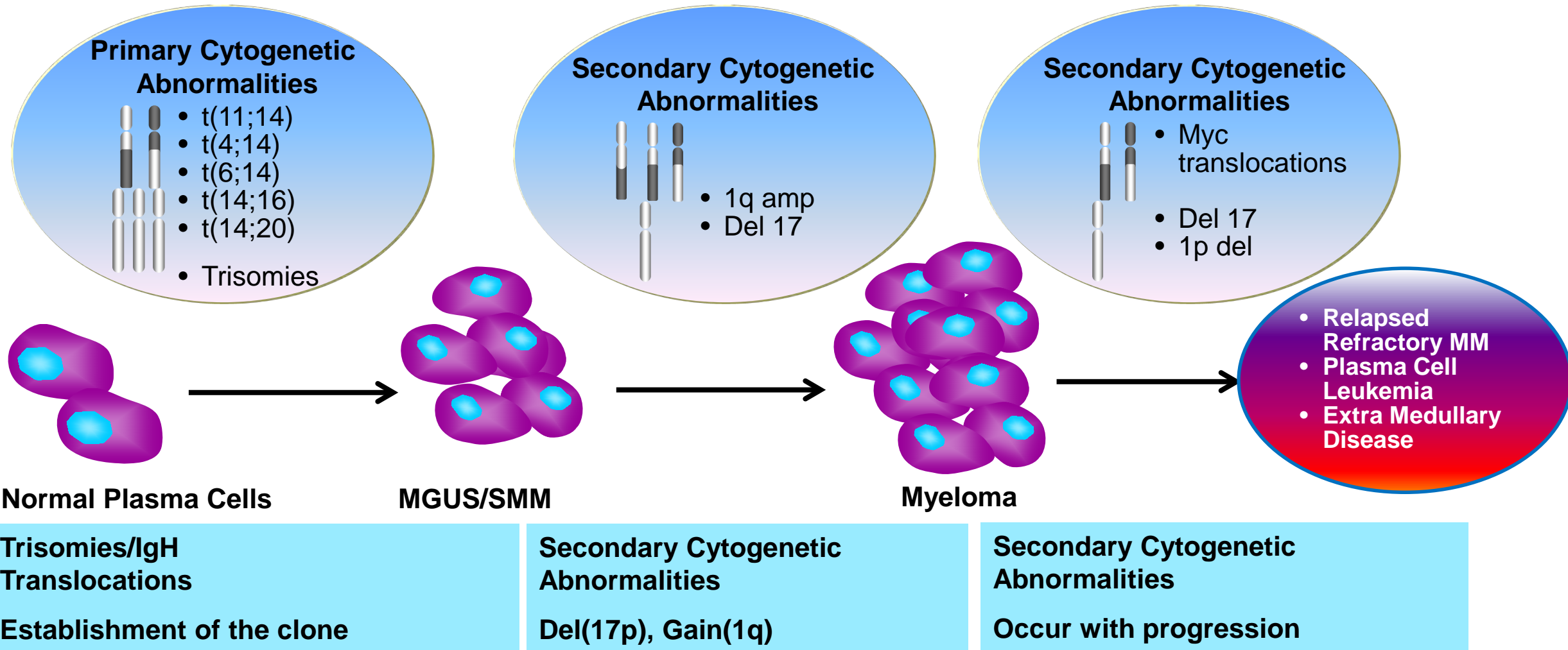
Which of the following are NOT consistent with high-risk smoldering myeloma?

Faculty	Recommendation
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In a newly diagnosed patient with myeloma, which of the following indicates standard-risk disease?

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Progression of MGUS to Myeloma





News

News from the ASTRO and ESMO meetings
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NELSON: optimal cutoffs, test performance, and interval cancers in lung cancer screening
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Review

Updated diagnostic criteria for multiple myeloma from the International Myeloma Working Group
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International Myeloma Working Group updated criteria for the diagnosis of multiple myeloma



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This International Myeloma Working Group consensus updates the disease definition of multiple myeloma to include validated biomarkers in addition to existing requirements of attributable CRAB features (hypercalcaemia, renal failure, anaemia, and bone lesions). These changes are based on the identification of biomarkers associated with near inevitable development of CRAB features in patients who would otherwise be regarded as having smouldering multiple myeloma. A delay in application of the label of multiple myeloma and postponement of therapy could be

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See Online for a podcast
Interview with
S Vincent Rajkumar

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Revised IMWG Criteria for Myeloma

MGUS	SMM	MM
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • < 10% BMPC <u>AND</u> • < 3 g/dL M protein • No MDE 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 10-60% BMPC <u>OR</u> • ≥ 3 g/dL M protein • No MDE 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Clonal plasma cell disorder <u>AND</u> • 1 or more MDE <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CRAB • ≥ 60% BMPC • ≥ 100 FLC ratio • > 1 MRI focal lesion
No MDE		MDE

MDE= Myeloma Defining Events

CRAB= Hypercalcemia, renal failure, anemia, or lytic bone lesions attributable to a clonal plasma cell disorder

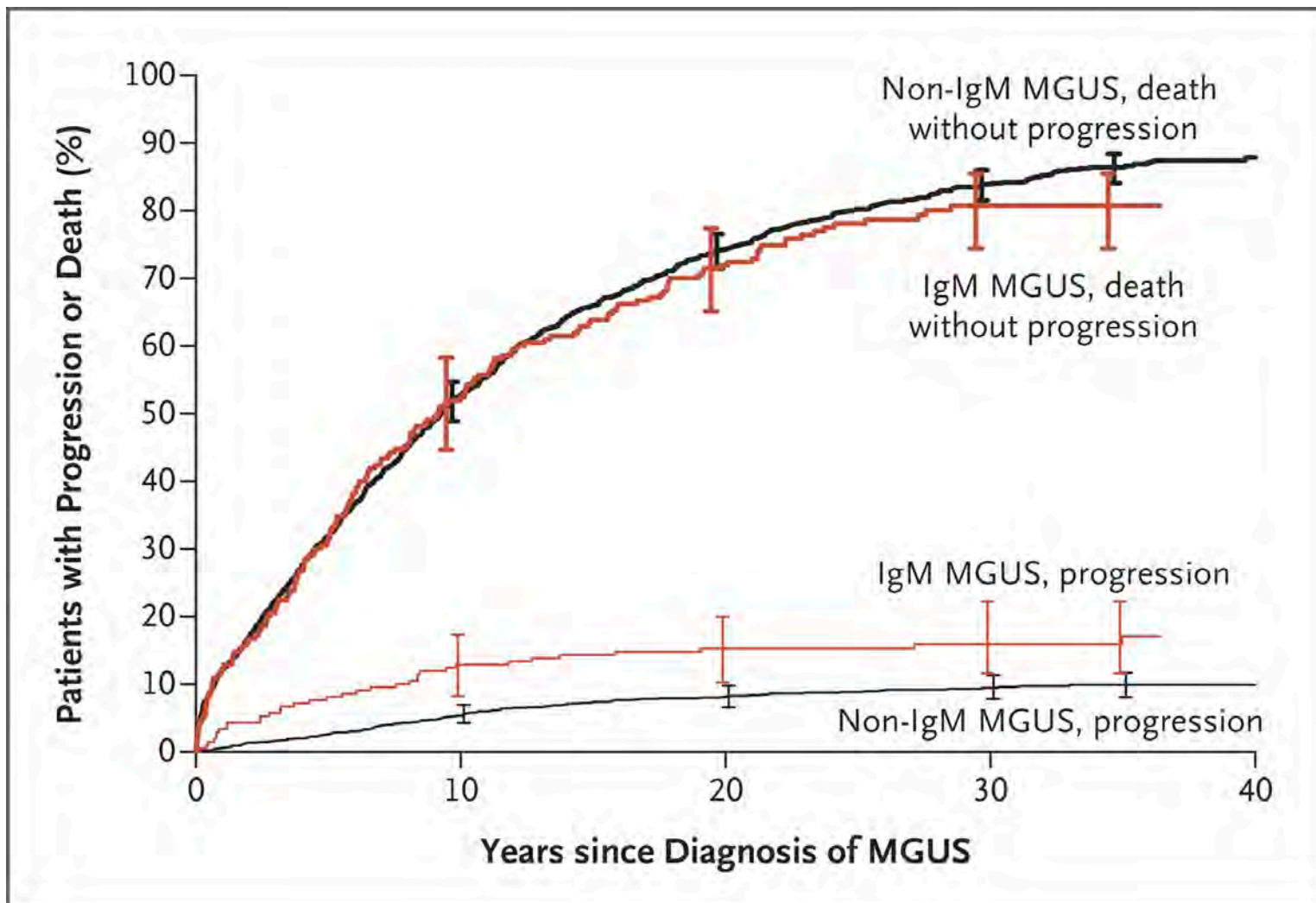
MGUS

Classification of MGUS

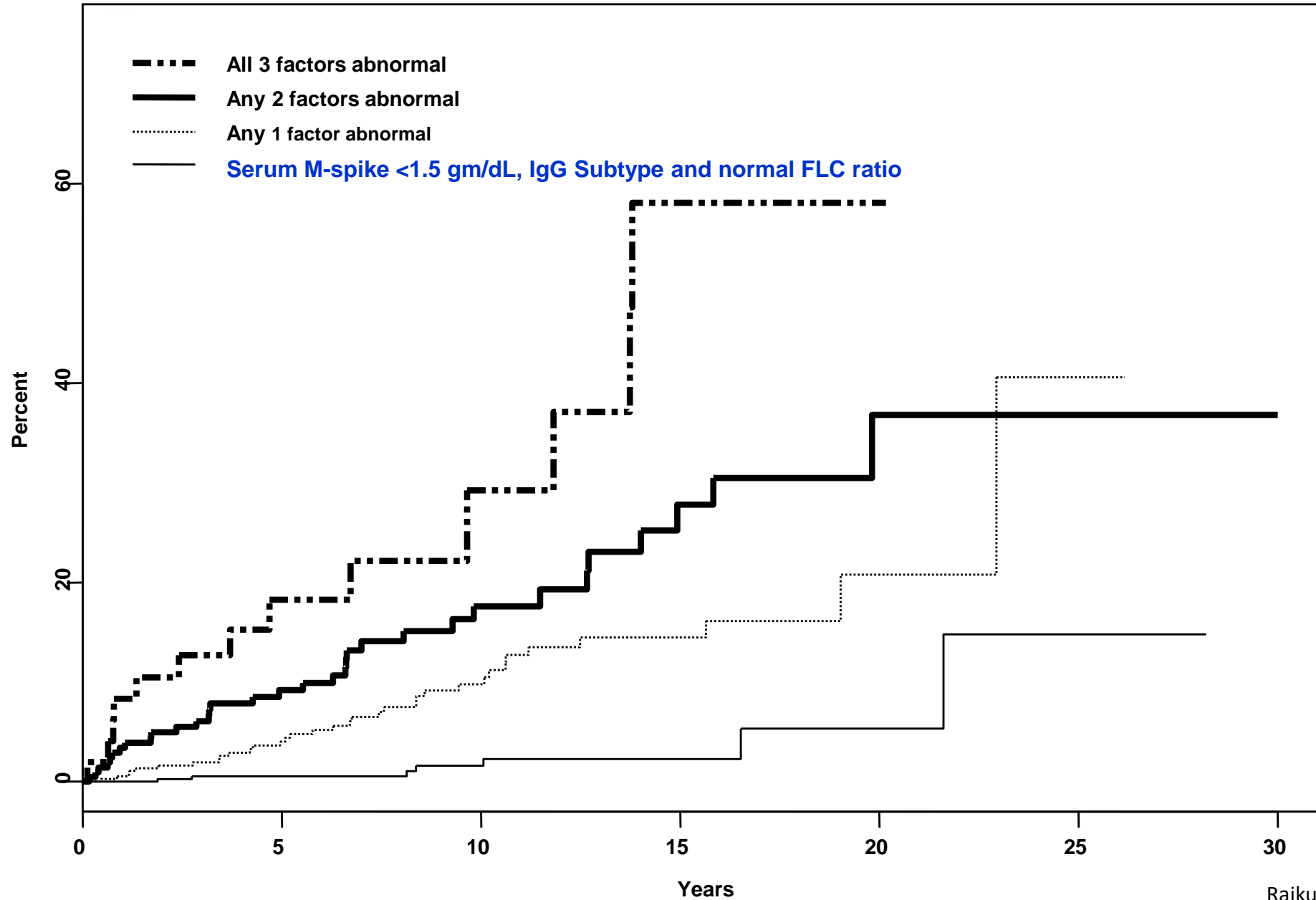
Type of MGUS	Type of Progression	Risk of Progression
Non IgM MGUS (IgG, IgA)	Myeloma, Plasmacytoma	1% per year
IgM MGUS	Waldenstrom Macroglobulinemia	1.5% per year
LC-MGUS	Light Chain Myeloma	Not known

All can progress to AL amyloidosis

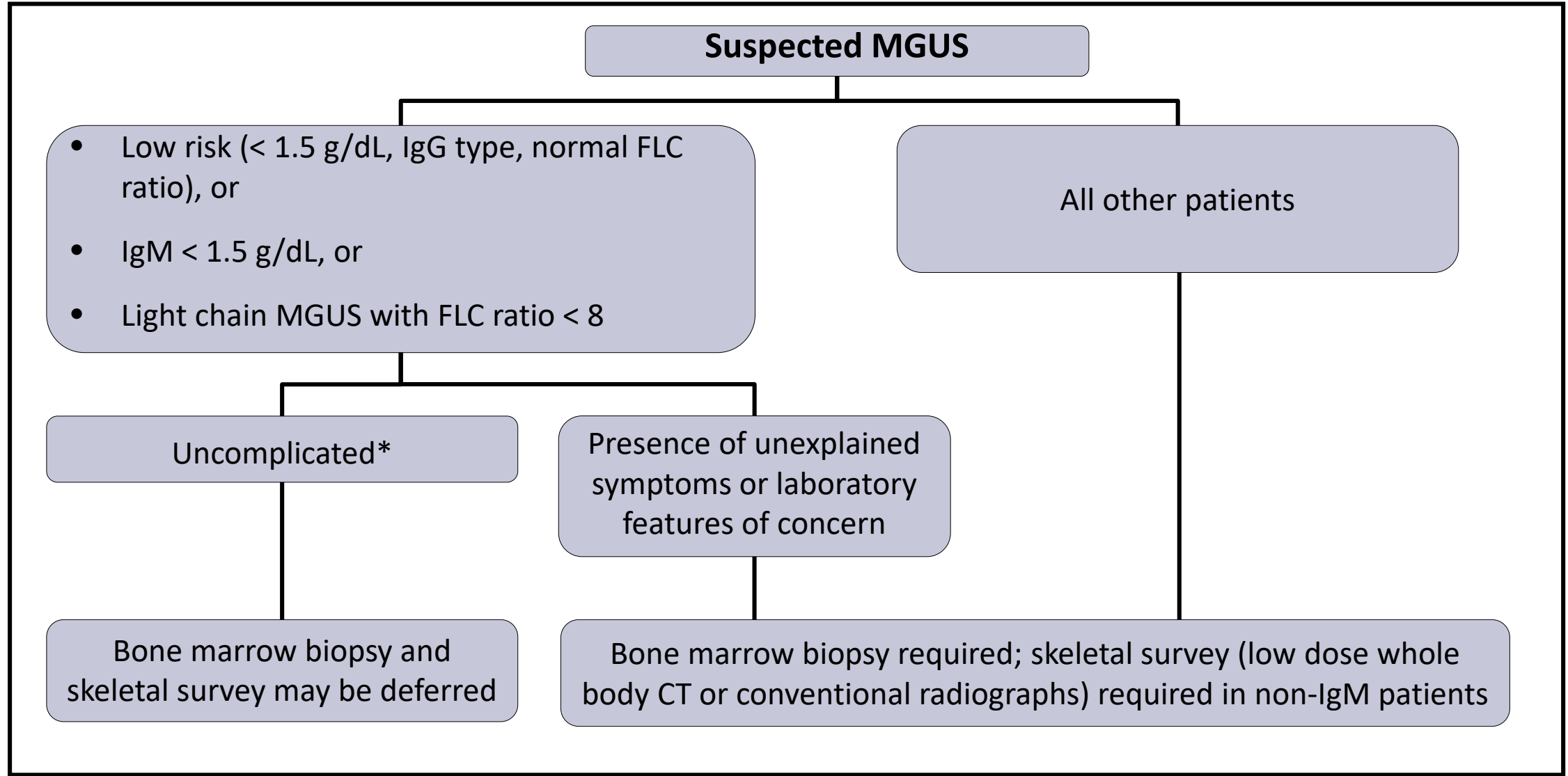
Risk of Progression of MGUS



MGUS Risk Stratification: M spike size, M spike type, and FLC ratio

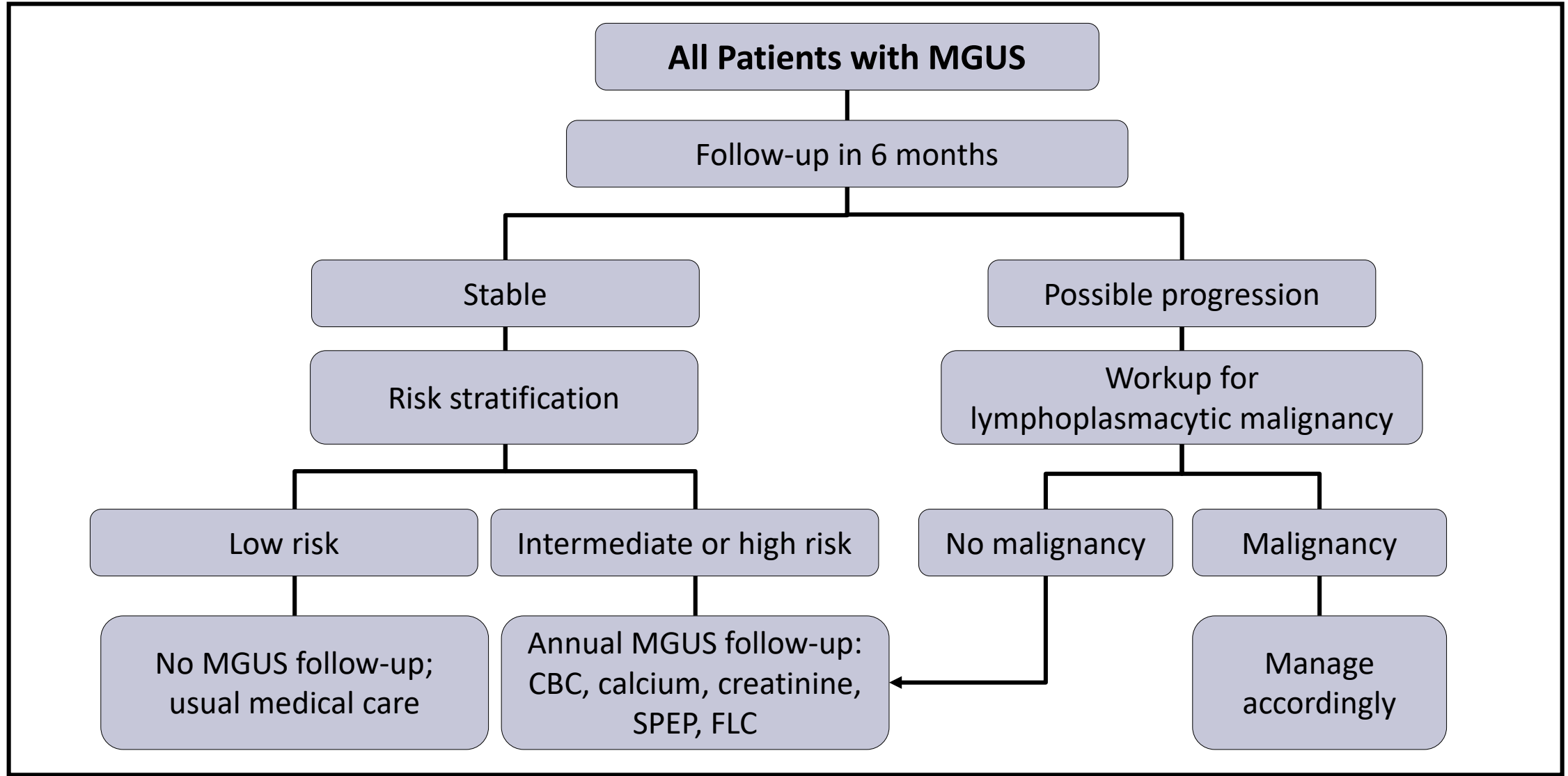


Workup of Suspected MGUS



*No unexplained symptoms or laboratory features concerning for serious plasma cell disorder.

Management of MGUS





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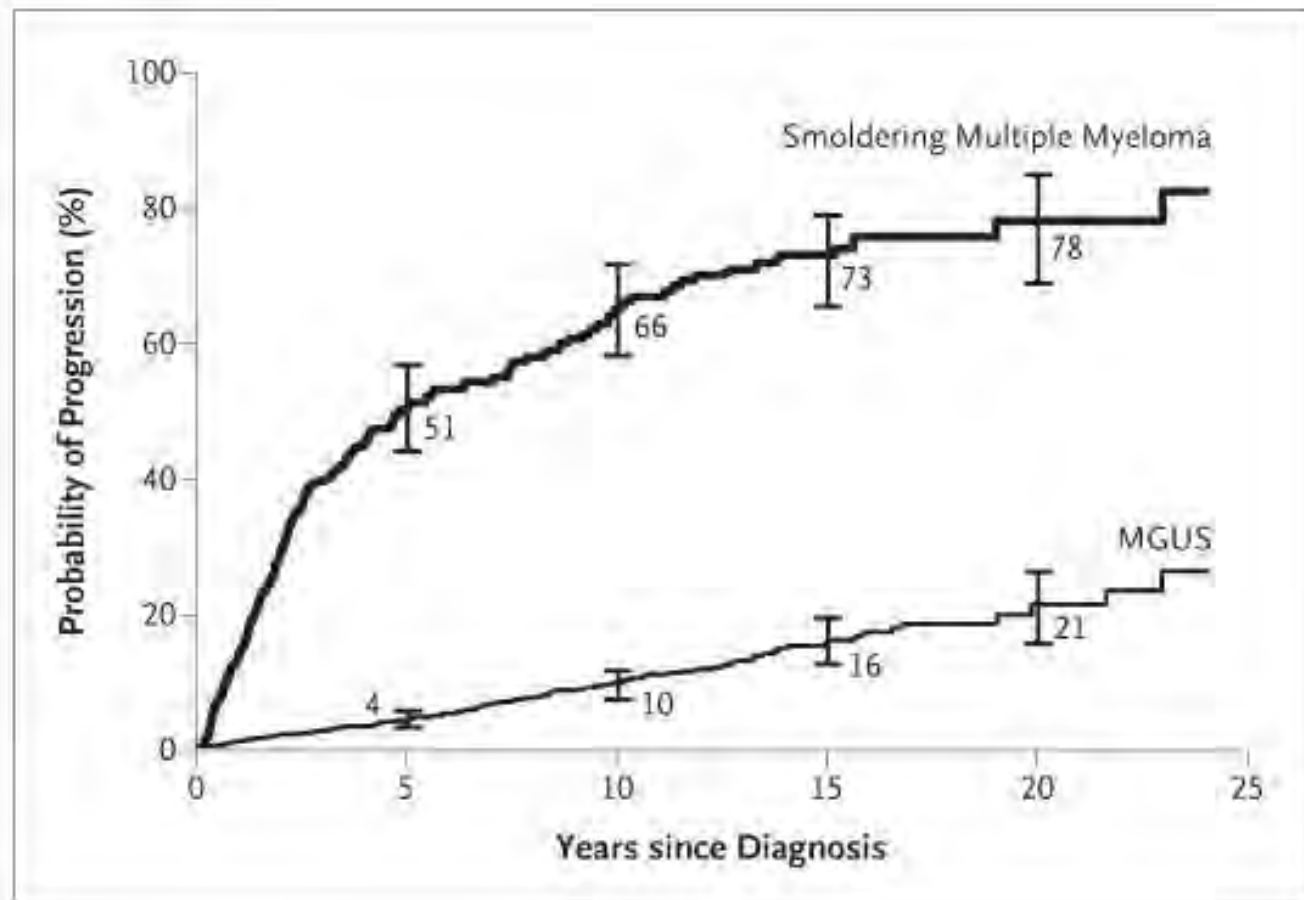
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Smoldering Multiple Myeloma

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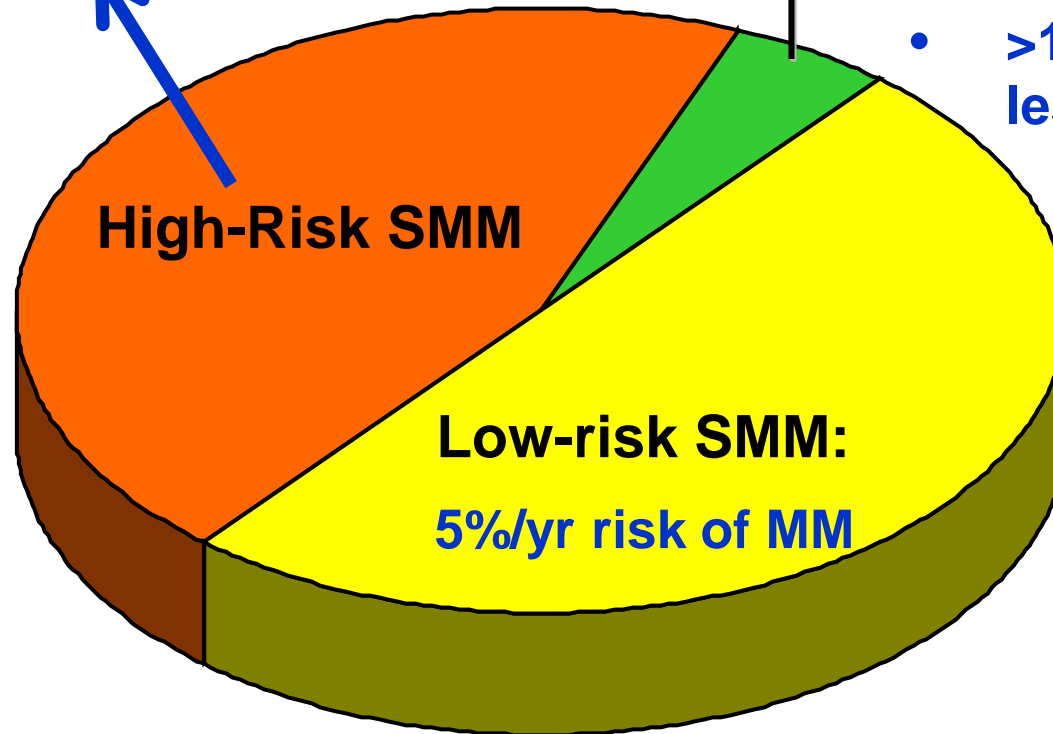
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SMM vs MGUS



Smoldering Multiple Myeloma

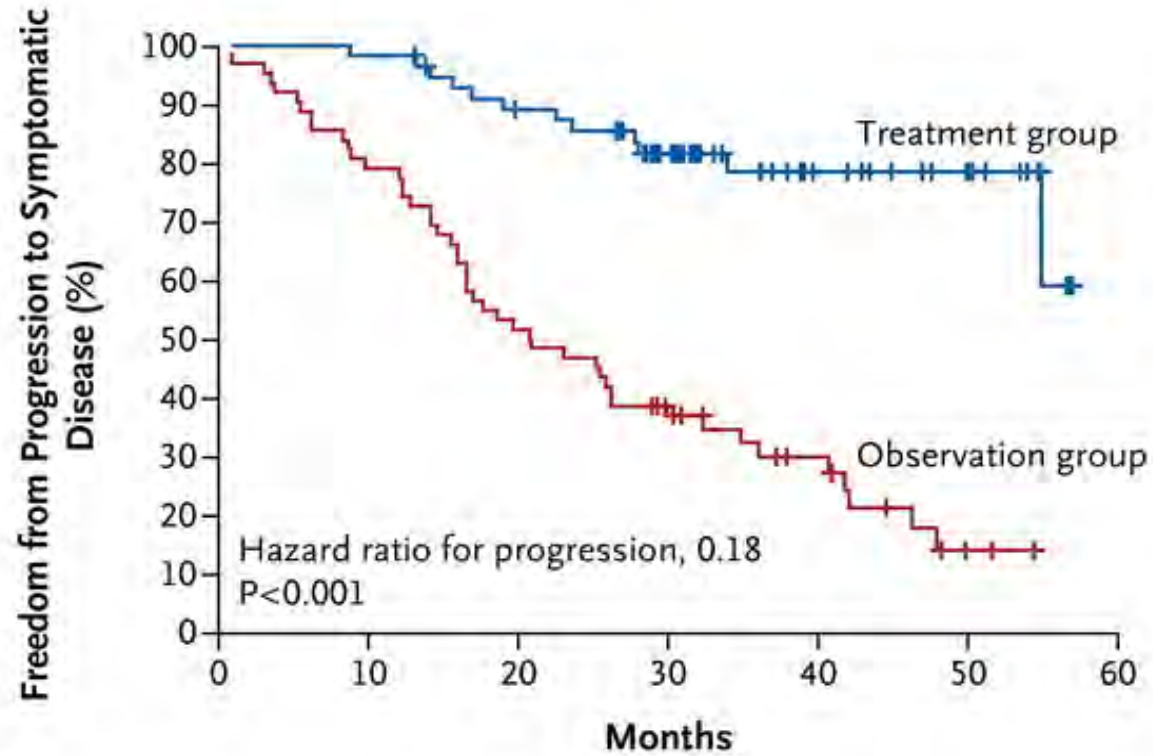
*25% per year
risk of MM*



MM

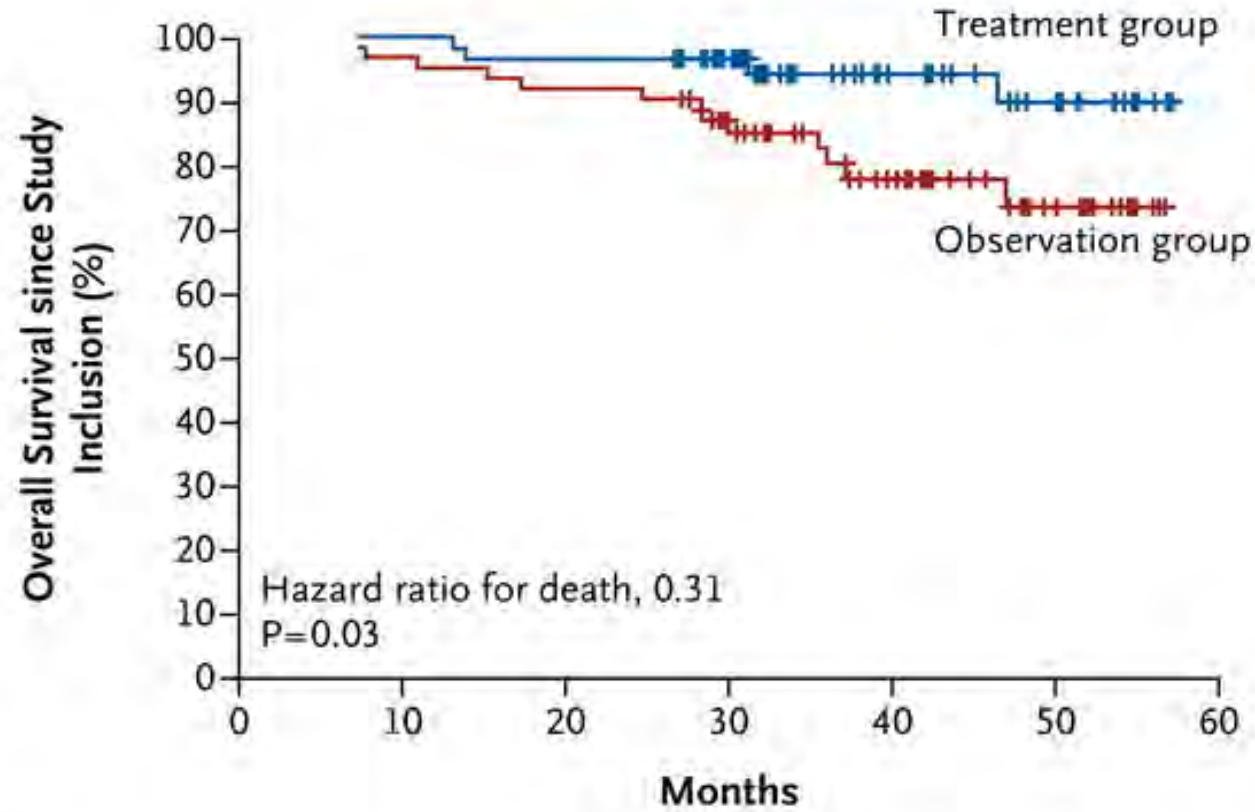
- $\geq 60\%$ BMPC
- FLCr ≥ 100
- >1 MRI focal lesions

Len/Dex versus Observation in High Risk SMM: TTP



No. at Risk	0	10	20	30	40	50	60
Treatment group	57	57	48	38	20	14	0
Observation group	62	49	32	21	11	3	0

Len/Dex vs Observation in High-Risk SMM: OS



No. at Risk		0	10	20	30	40	50	60
Treatment group	57	57	55	48	26	17	0	
Observation group	62	60	57	46	27	17	0	

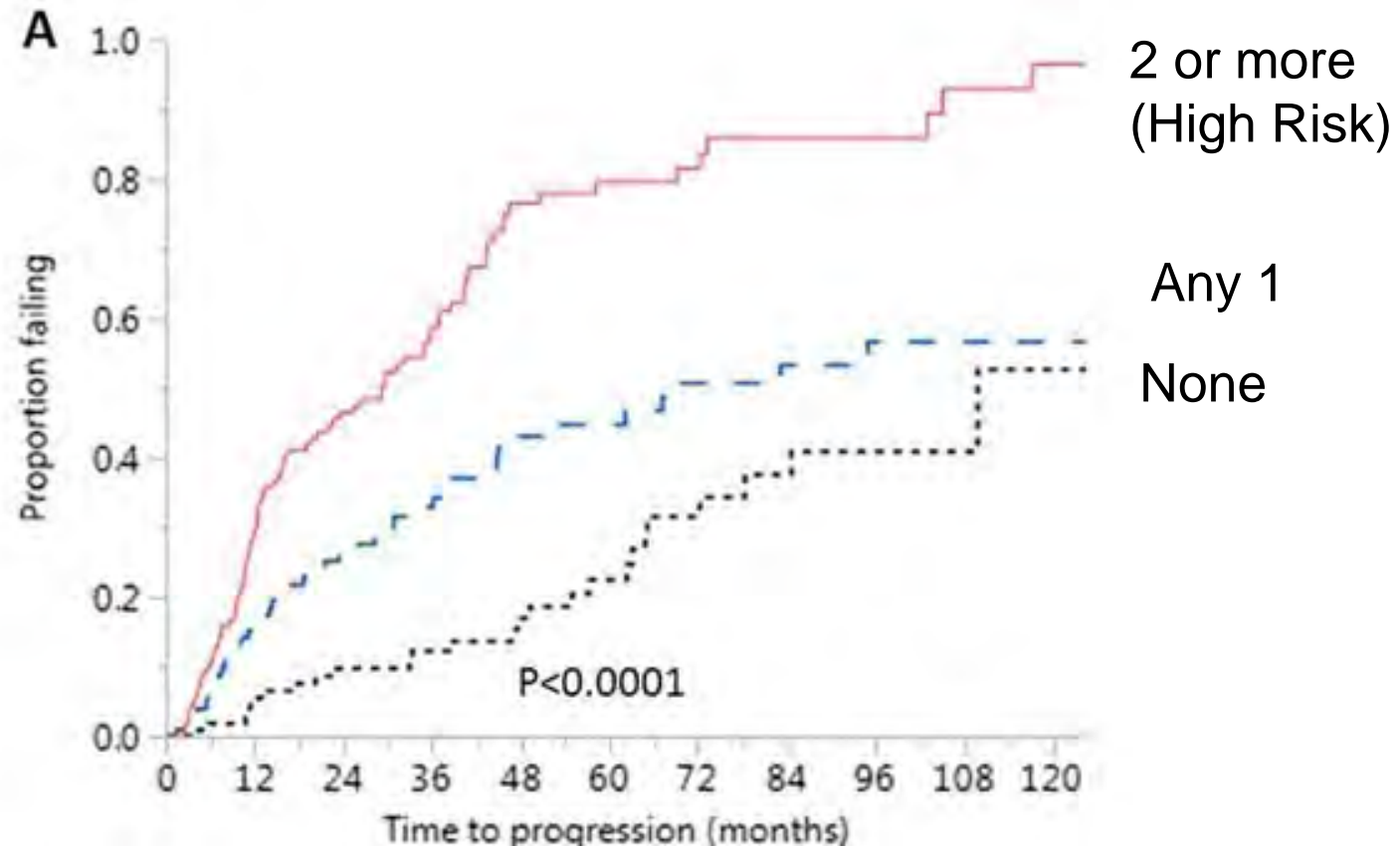
High-Risk SMM: Median TTP ~ 2 Years

≥ 10% PCs plus:

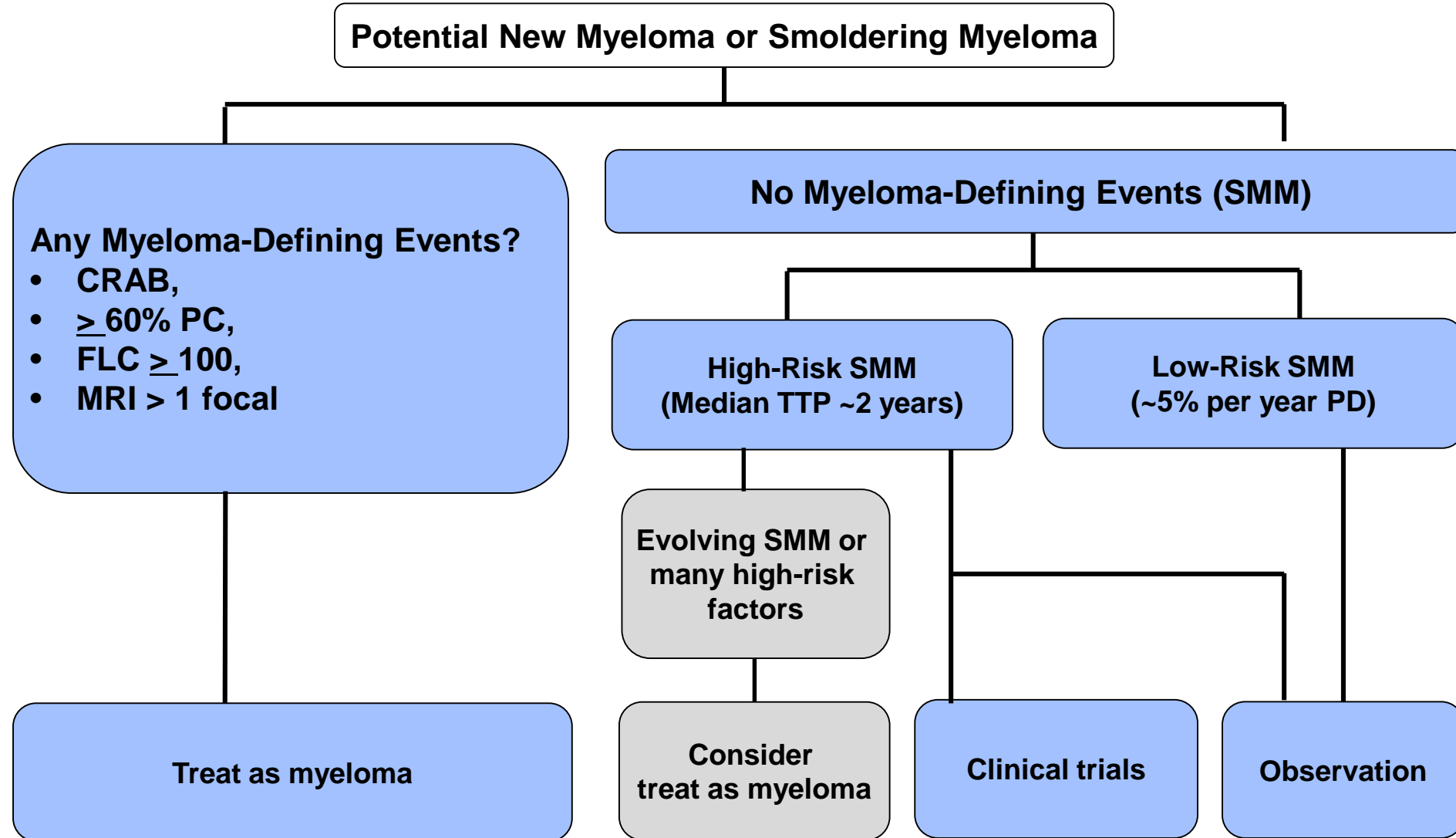
- **SMM with M protein ≥ 3 g/dL**
- **Absence (< 5%) of normal PCs by immunophenotyping plus Immunoparesis**
- **Abnormal FLC ratio 8-100**
- **Del(17p), t(4;14), gain(1q21)**
- **IgA SMM**
- **Evolving pattern**
- **Increased circulating plasma cells**

Mayo 20-2-20 Risk Stratification of SMM

BMPC > 20%, M protein > 2 g/dL, and FLC ratio (FLCr) > 20



Management of SMM



SMM Trial Strategy

Conceptual/ Regulatory

- Len v Obs
- Rd vs Obs
- Dara vs Obs

- Necessary trials

Strategic: Delay Progression

- DRd vs Rd
- KRd

- Survival benefit with early therapy

Strategic: ? Cure

- CESAR
- ASCENT

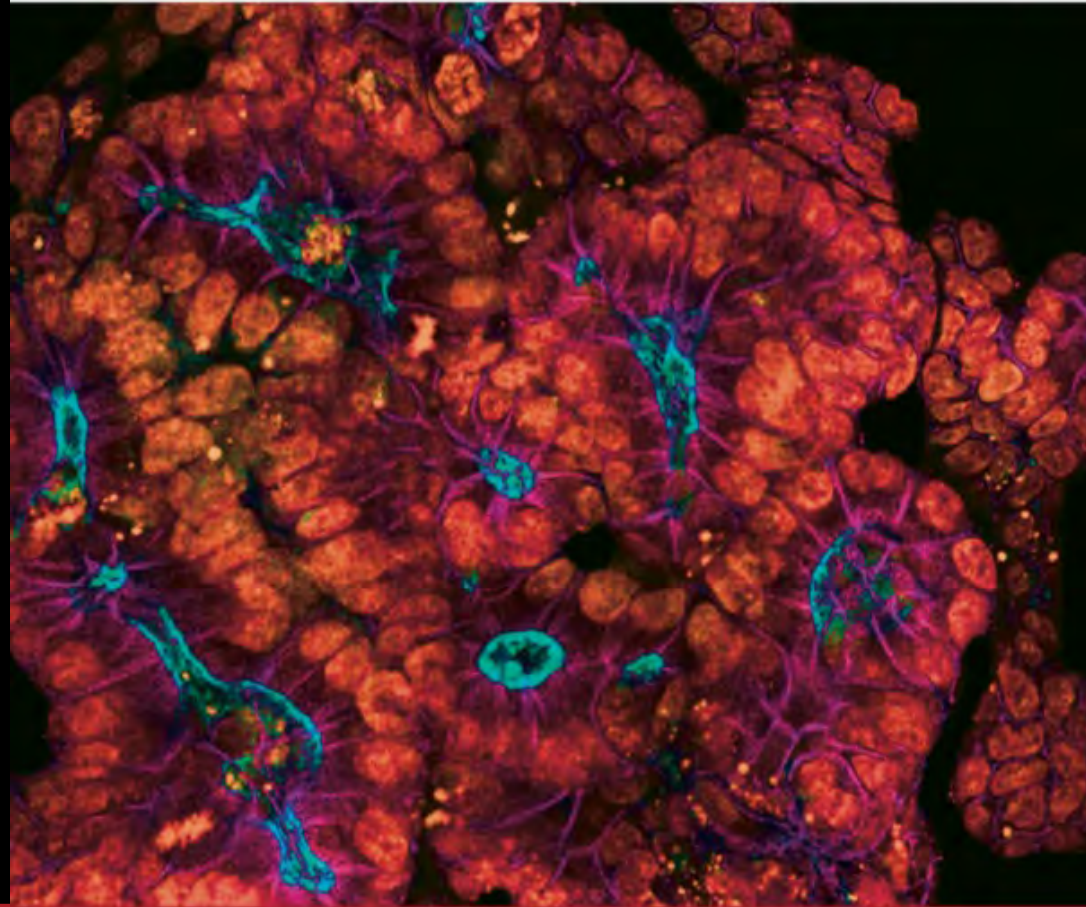
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Multiple Myeloma

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THE MULTIPLE MYELOMAS

Cytogenetic-based classification to guide therapy

Effective and sustainable drug development

Can high drug prices be tackled?

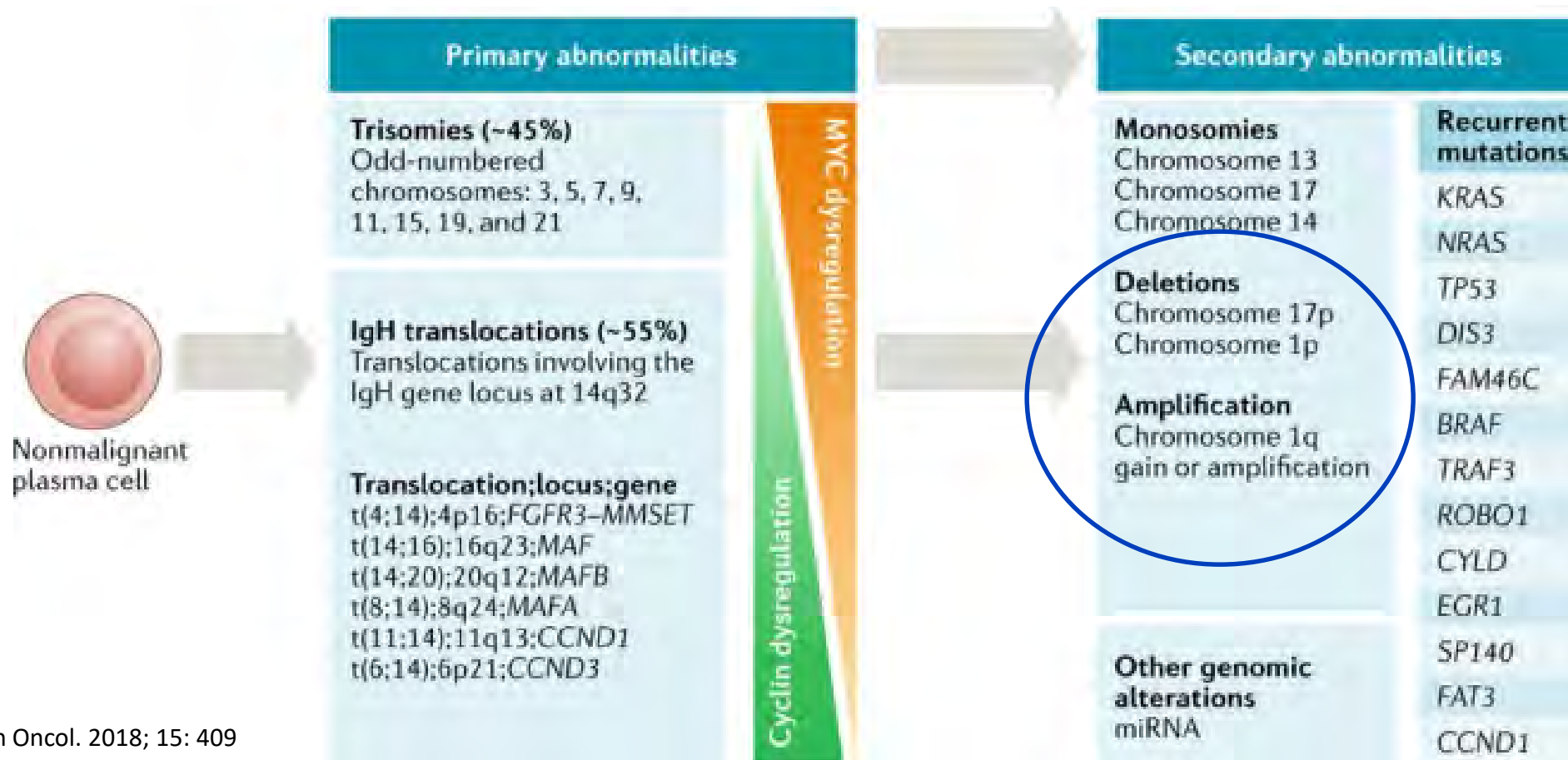
Molecular Classification of Myeloma

Trisomic MM	IgH Translocations	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">■ Trisomies*	<ul style="list-style-type: none">■ t(11;14) (CCND1)■ t(6;14) (CCND3)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">■ t(4;14) (FGFR3, MMSET)■ t(14;16) (C-MAF)■ t(14;20) (MAF-B)

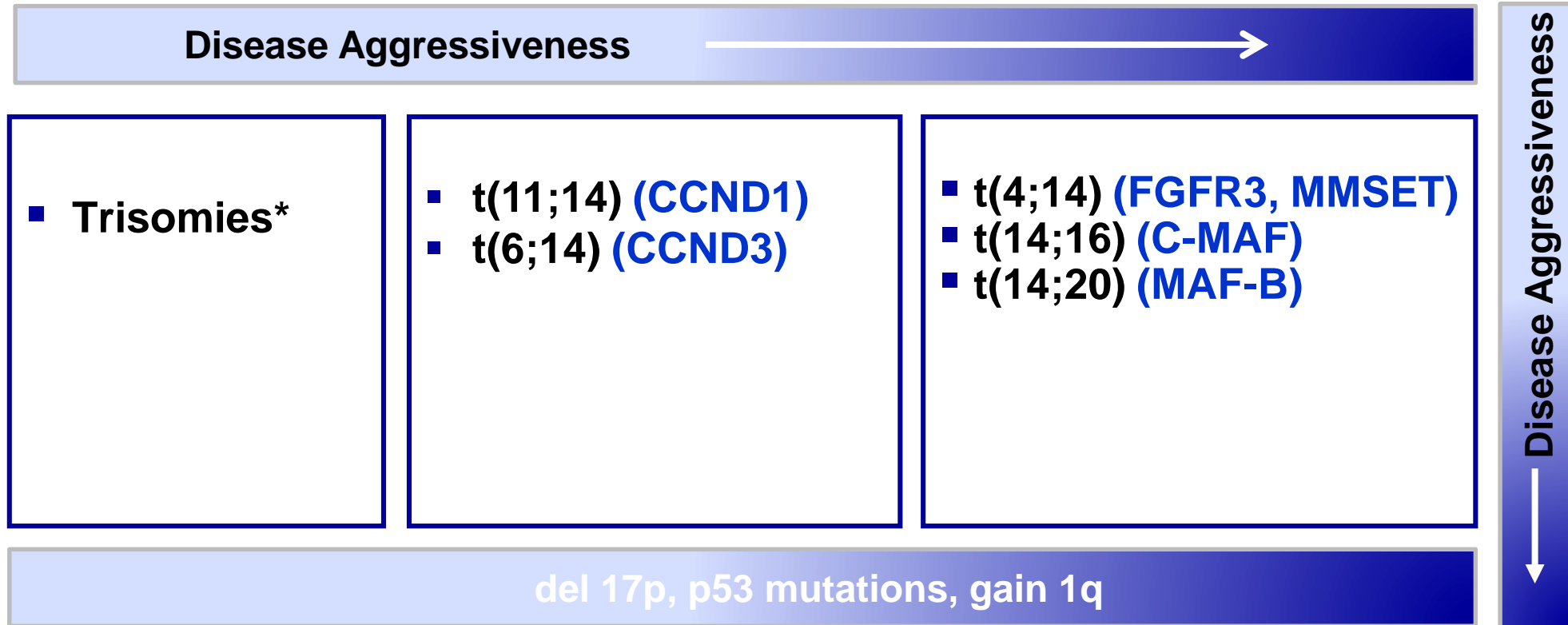
***~10% have both trisomies and IgH translocations**

The multiple myelomas – current concepts in cytogenetic classification and therapy

Shaji K. Kumar ✉ & S. Vincent Rajkumar



Cytogenetic Risk Stratification of Myeloma



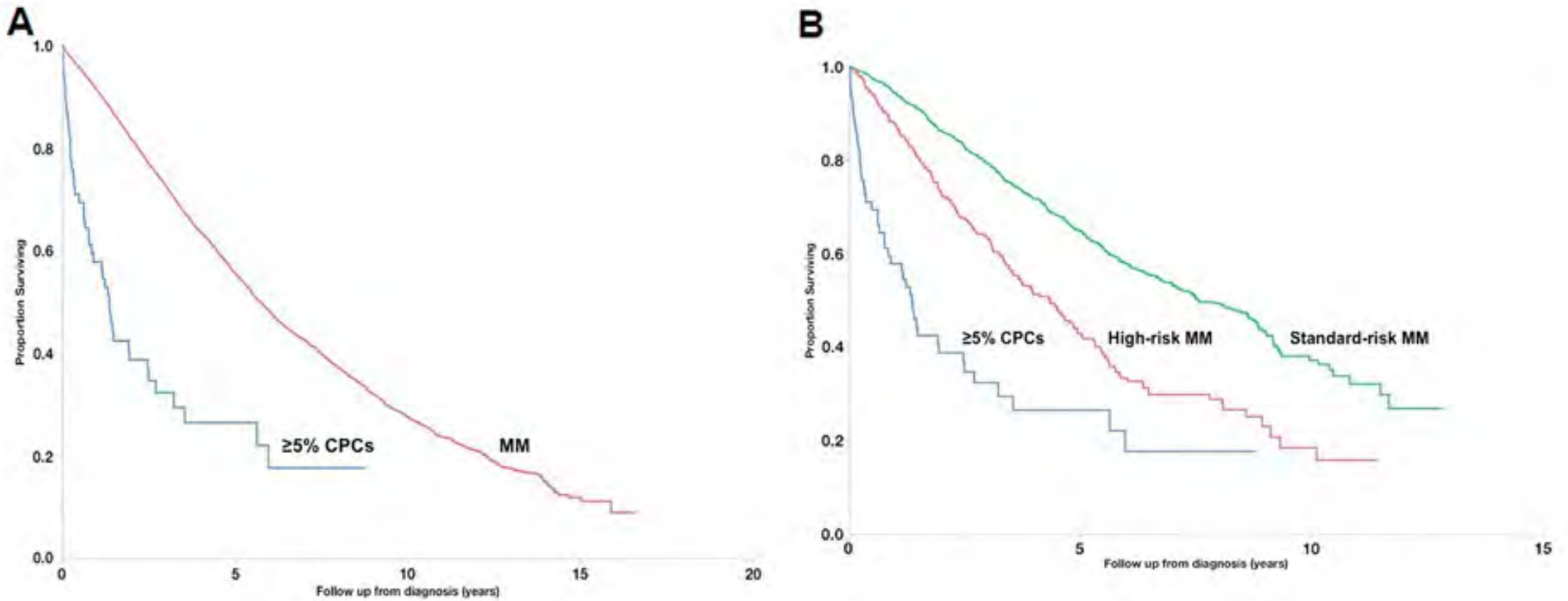
- Double-Hit Myeloma = Any 2 high risk abnormalities
- Triple-Hit Myeloma = 3 or more high risk abnormalities

Revised International Staging System

Stage	Frequency (% of patients)	5-year survival rate (%)
Stage I <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Serum albumin >3.5 • Serum beta-2-microglobulin <3.5 • No high risk cytogenetics • Normal LDH 	28%	82%
Stage II <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Neither stage I or III 	62%	62%
Stage III <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Serum beta-2-microglobulin >5.5 <u>and</u> • High-risk cytogenetics [t(4;14), t(14;16), or del(17p)] <i>or</i> elevated LDH 	10%	40%

Plasma Cell Leukemia

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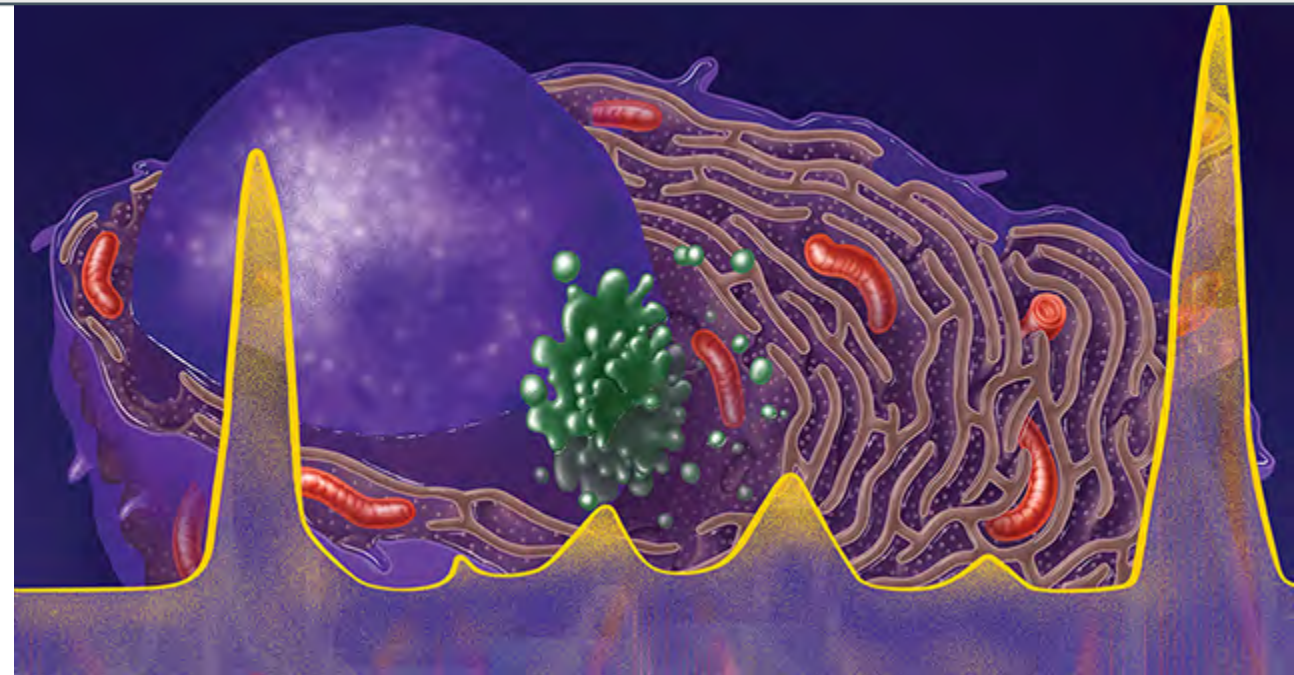


PCL: $\geq 5\%$ or more PCs on regular WBC differential

Summary

- **New diagnostic criteria**
- **Molecular classification of MM**
- **Risk stratification systems for MGUS, SMM, MM are different**
- **New staging system for MM**

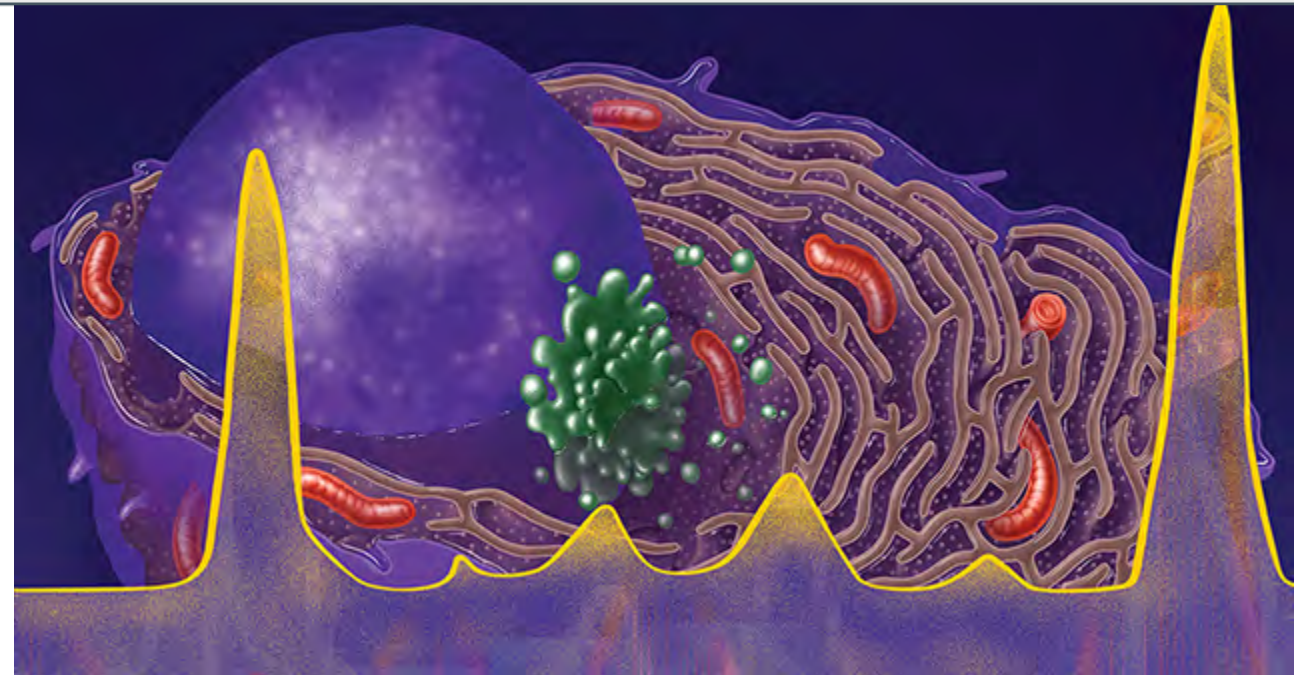
Panel Discussion and Audience Q&A



Are We Ready for Personalized Therapy in Newly Diagnosed MM?

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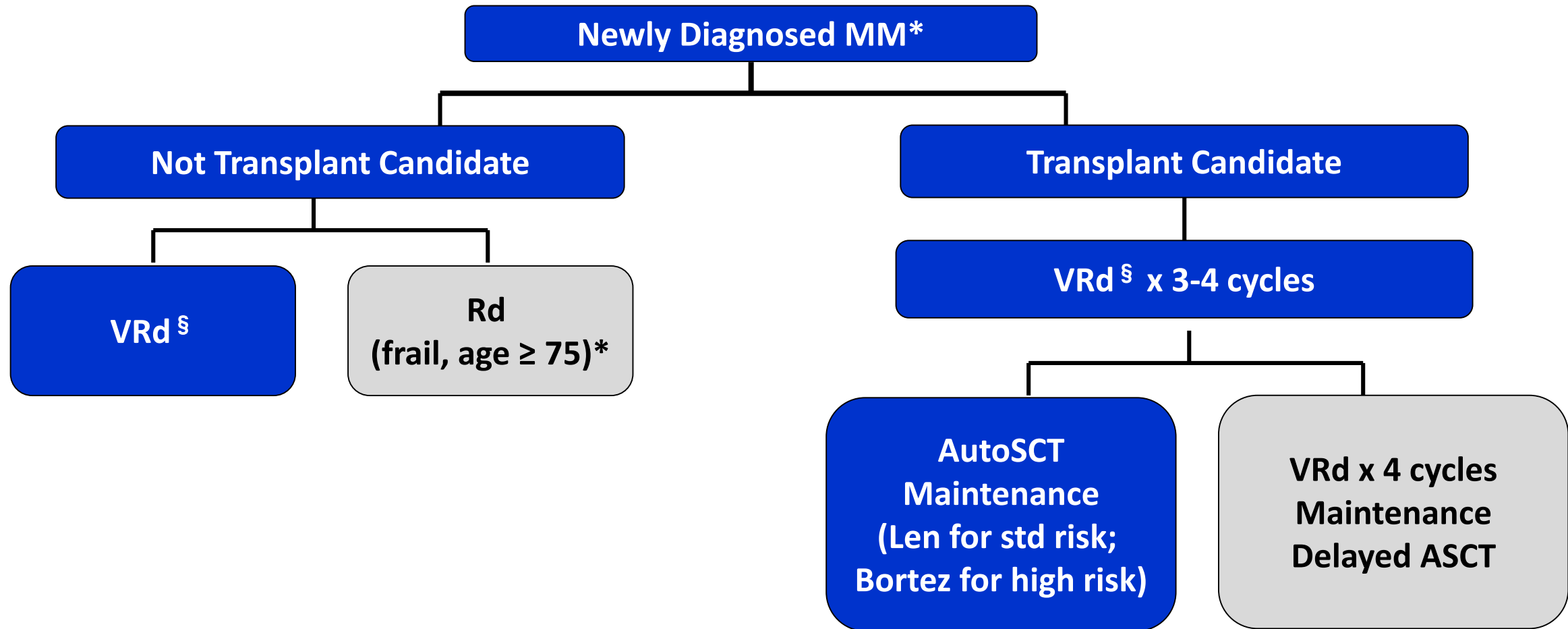
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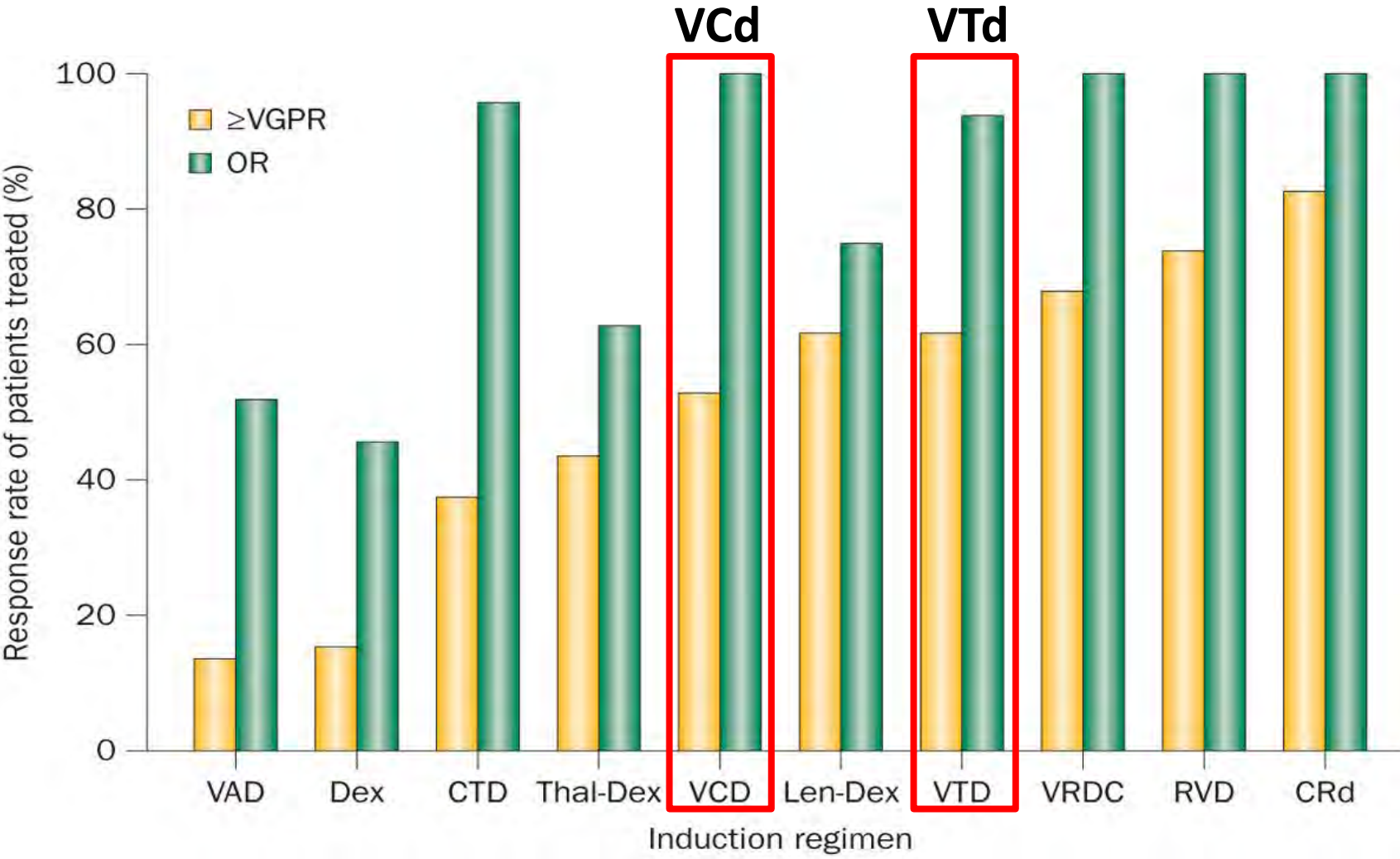
Frontline Treatment of Myeloma



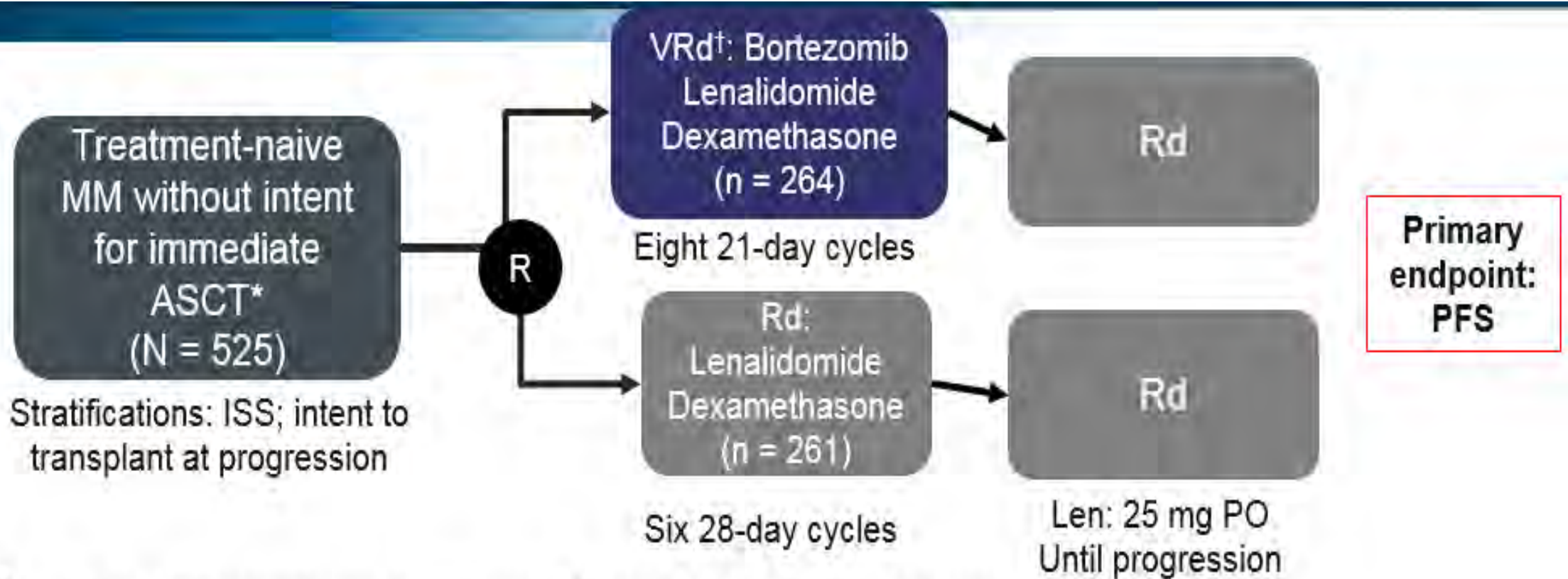
*Based on CALGB 100104, S0777, IFM-DFCI, CTN 0702 HOVON

§ VTd/VCd if VRd not available

Induction Regimens for Patients Eligible for ASCT



SWOG 0777 Trial



- *All patients received aspirin (325 mg/d). [†]Patients received HSV prophylaxis.
- [‡]High-risk cytogenetics included: t(4;14), t(14;16), or del(17p); preliminary data from 316 patients.

SWOG 0777 Trial

Updated Response Results*

	VRd (n = 215)	Rd (n = 207)
Complete response (CR)	24.2% (52)	12.1% (25)
Very good partial response (VGPR)	50.7% (109)	41.1% (85)
VGPR or better	74.9%	53.2%
Partial response (PR)	15.3% (33)	25.6% (53)
Overall Response Rate (ORR)	90.2% (194)	78.8% (163)
Stable disease (SD)	7.0% (15)	16.4% (34)
PD or death	2.8% (6)	4.8% (10)

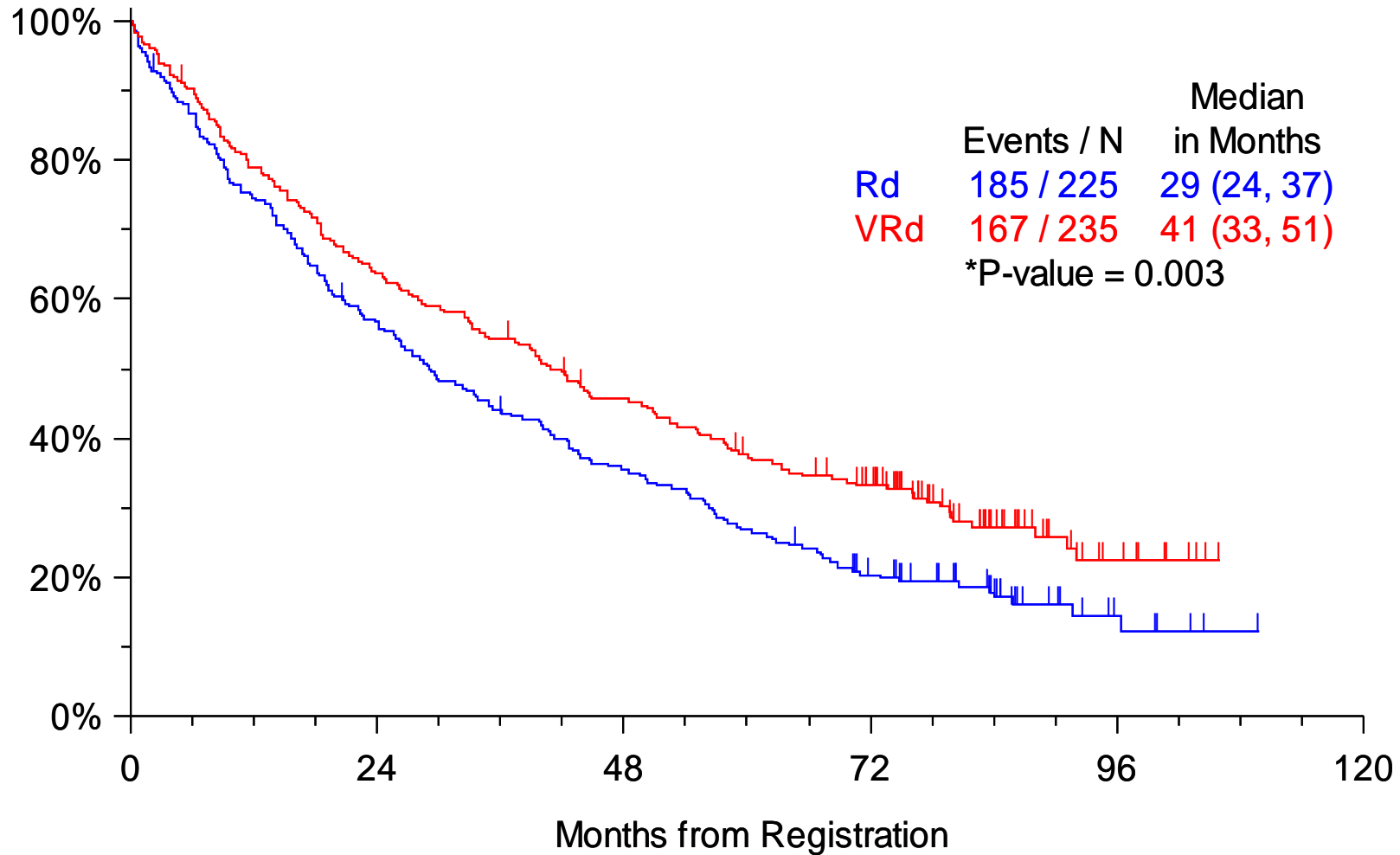
*Both SWOG and IRC stratified Cochran-Mantel-Haenszel analyses indicated improved responses with RVd (odds ratio: 0.528, $P = .006$ [ITT]; odds ratio: 0.38, $P = .001$ [sensitivity analysis])

**Both SWOG and IRC assessments

SWOG 0777: Progression-Free Survival

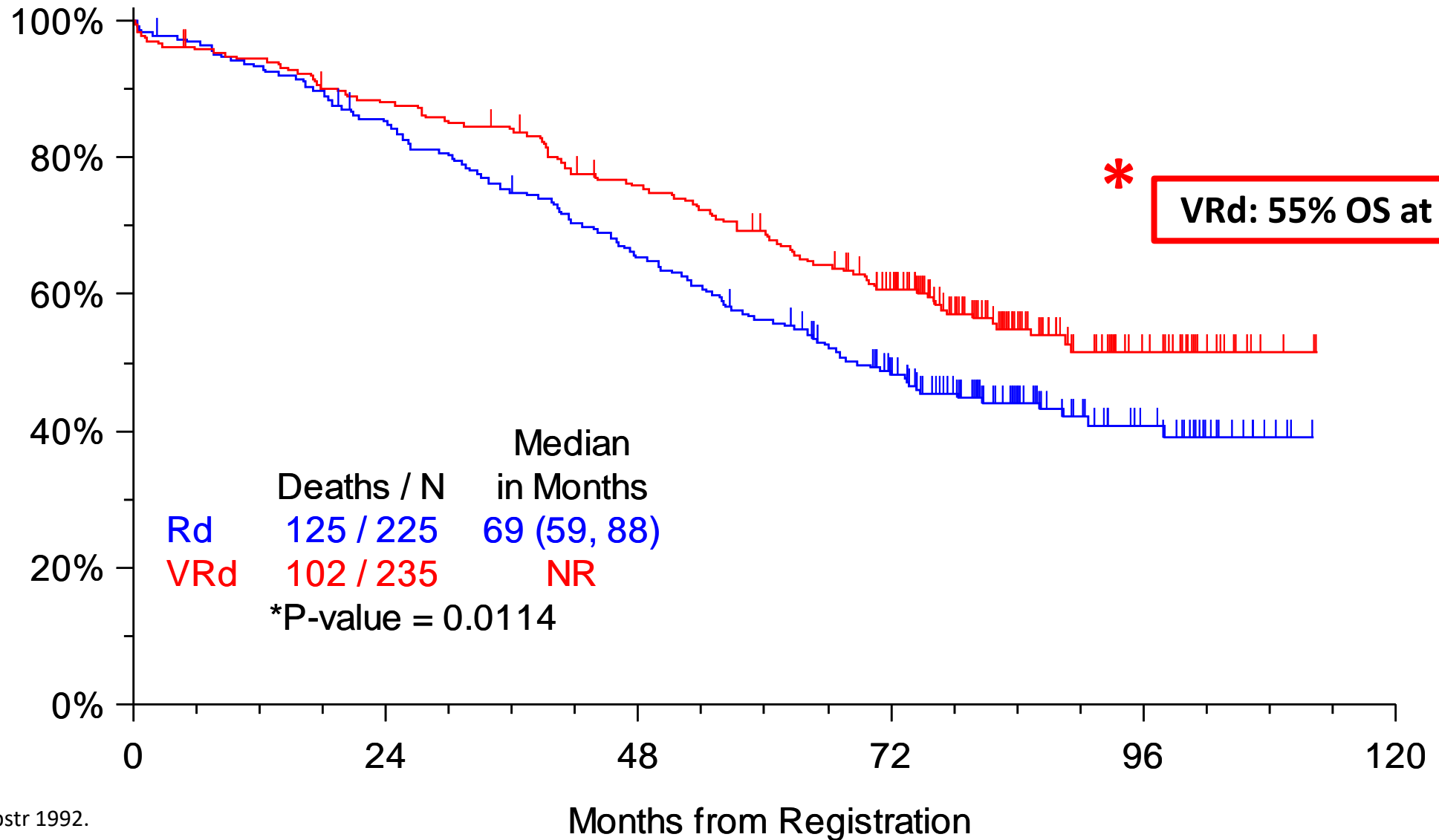
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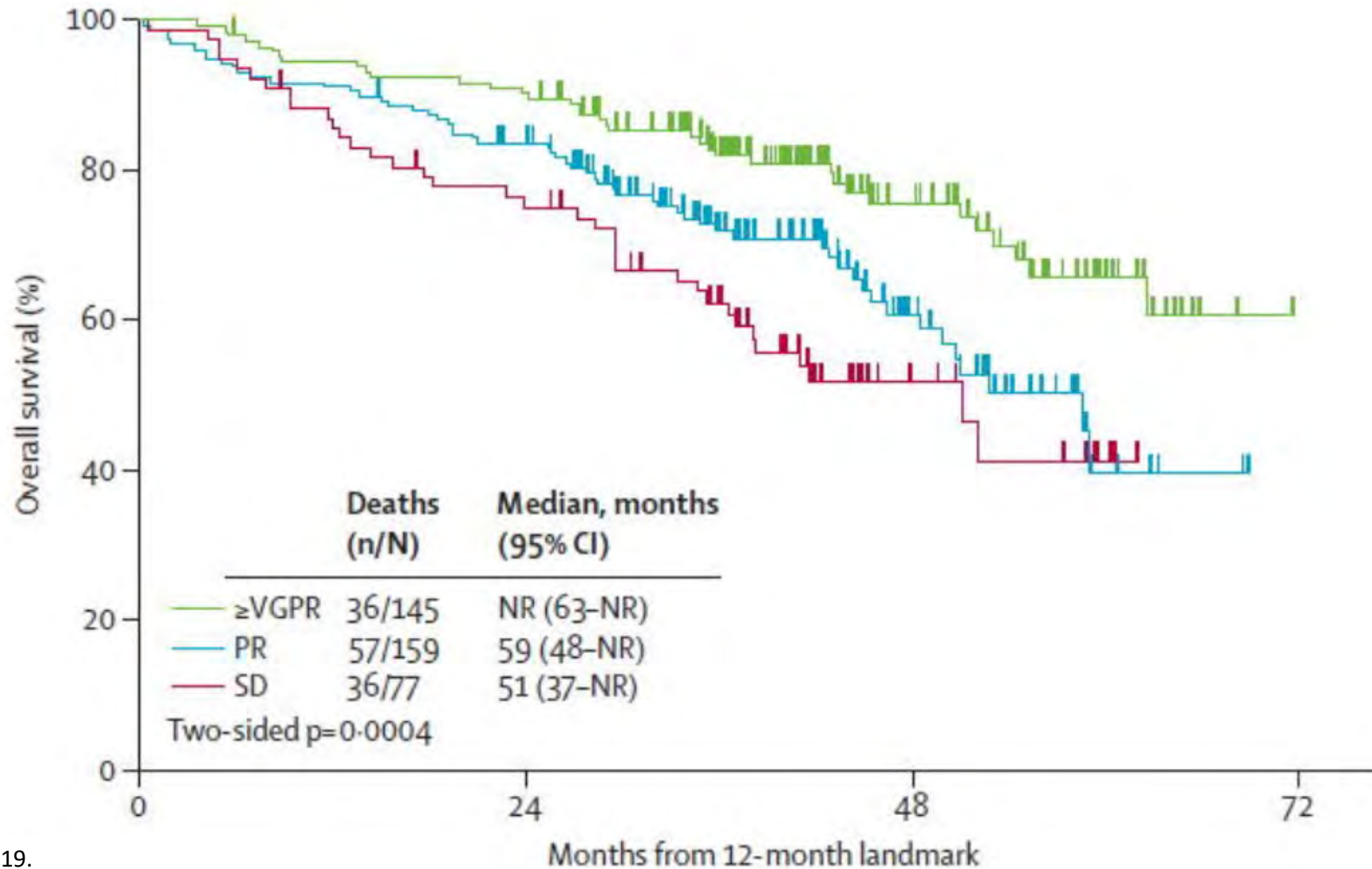


SWOG 0777: Overall Survival

CURRENT ELIGIBILITY (N = 460) – CURRENT DATA



SWOG 0777: OS Landmarked at 12 Months (N = 357)



Multivariate COX Proportional Hazards Model

VRd Irrespective of Age

			PFS		OS	
	Variable	n/N (%)	HR (95% CI)	P-value	HR (95% CI)	P-value
Multivariate	RVd arm	235/460 (51%)	0.77 (0.62, 0.95)	0.013	0.75 (0.58, 0.98)	0.033
	ISS Stage III	155/460 (34%)	1.34 (1.01, 1.77)	0.041	1.98 (1.38, 2.86)	<.001
	ISS Stage II	179/460 (39%)	1.12 (0.86, 1.47)	0.398	1.36 (0.95, 1.97)	0.096
	Intent to Transplant	315/460 (68%)	0.95 (0.74, 1.23)	0.714	0.73 (0.54, 0.99)	0.043
	Age \geq 65 yr	197/460 (43%)	1.27 (1.00, 1.61)	0.048	1.63 (1.21, 2.19)	0.001

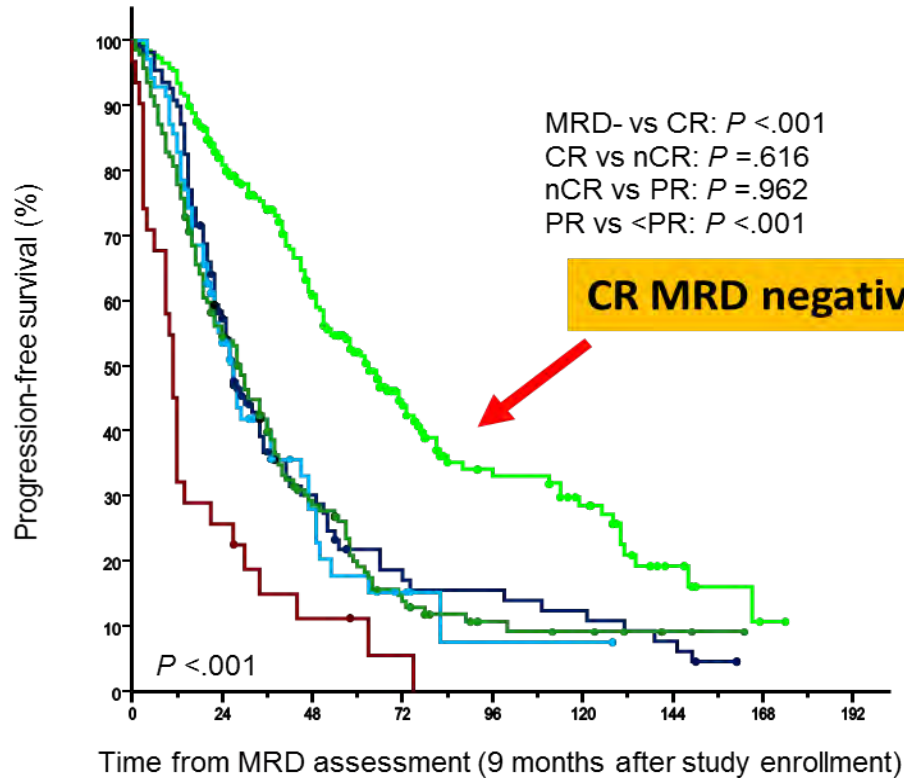
HR- Hazard Ratio, 95% CI- 95% Confidence Interval, P-value from Score Chi-Square Test in Cox Regression

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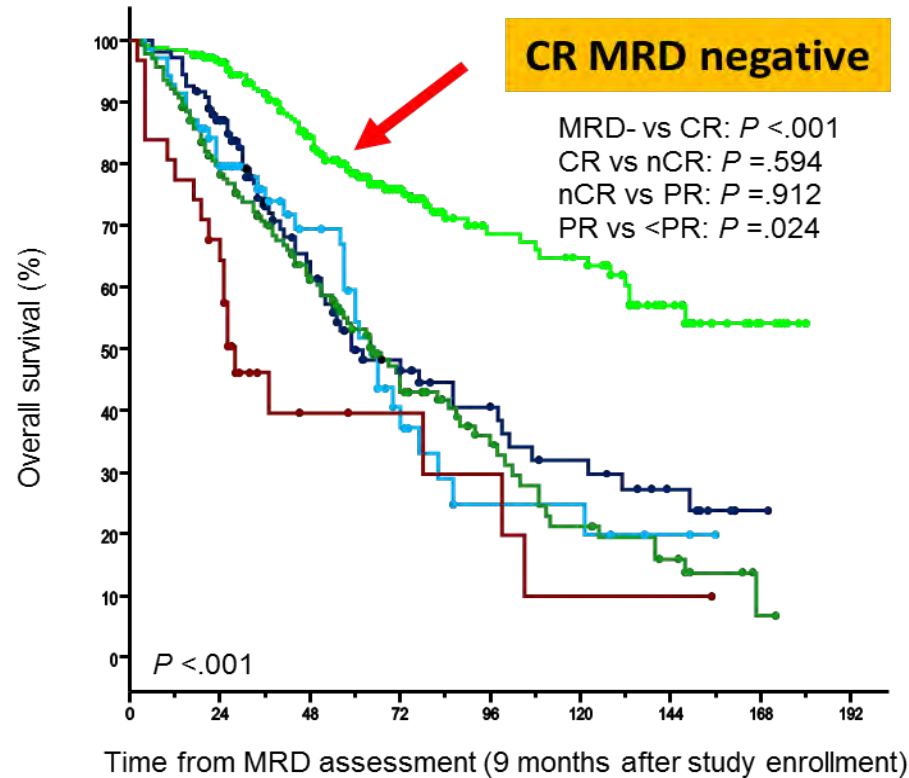
Achievement of MRD undetected status at 10^{-6} is the goal of therapy.

Concept to Influence Decisions

True value of CR comes from the MRD status



— MRD-, median PFS: 63 months
— CR, median PFS: 27 months
— nCR, median PFS: 27 months
— PR, median PFS: 29 months
— <PR, median PFS: 11 months



— MRD-, median OS: Not reached
— CR, median OS: 59 months
— nCR, median OS: 64 months
— PR, median OS: 65 months
— <PR, median OS: 28 months



MRD approved by FDA and EMA as surrogate endpoint for myeloma

Trials included:

- IFM 2009
- EMN/Hovon
- MM05 [Heidelberg]
- STAMINA
- MRC
- Clarion
- CASTOR/POLLUX
- C16010
- IXA maintenance: C16019



FDA meeting December 11th, 2018

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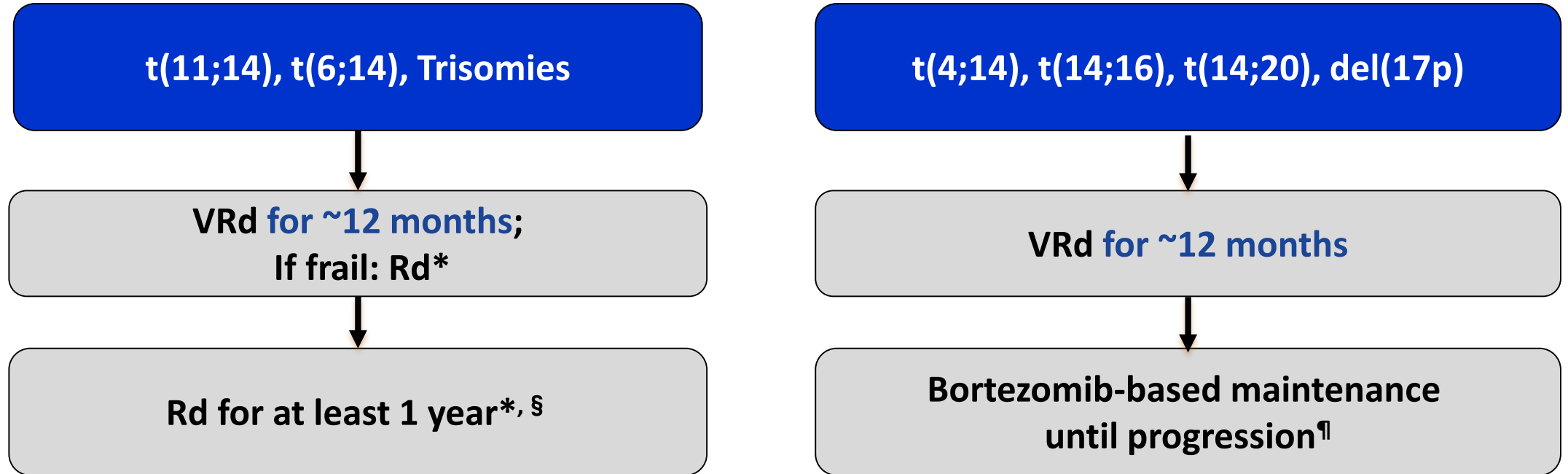
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Frontline Treatment of Myeloma

Non-Transplant Candidate: Off-Study

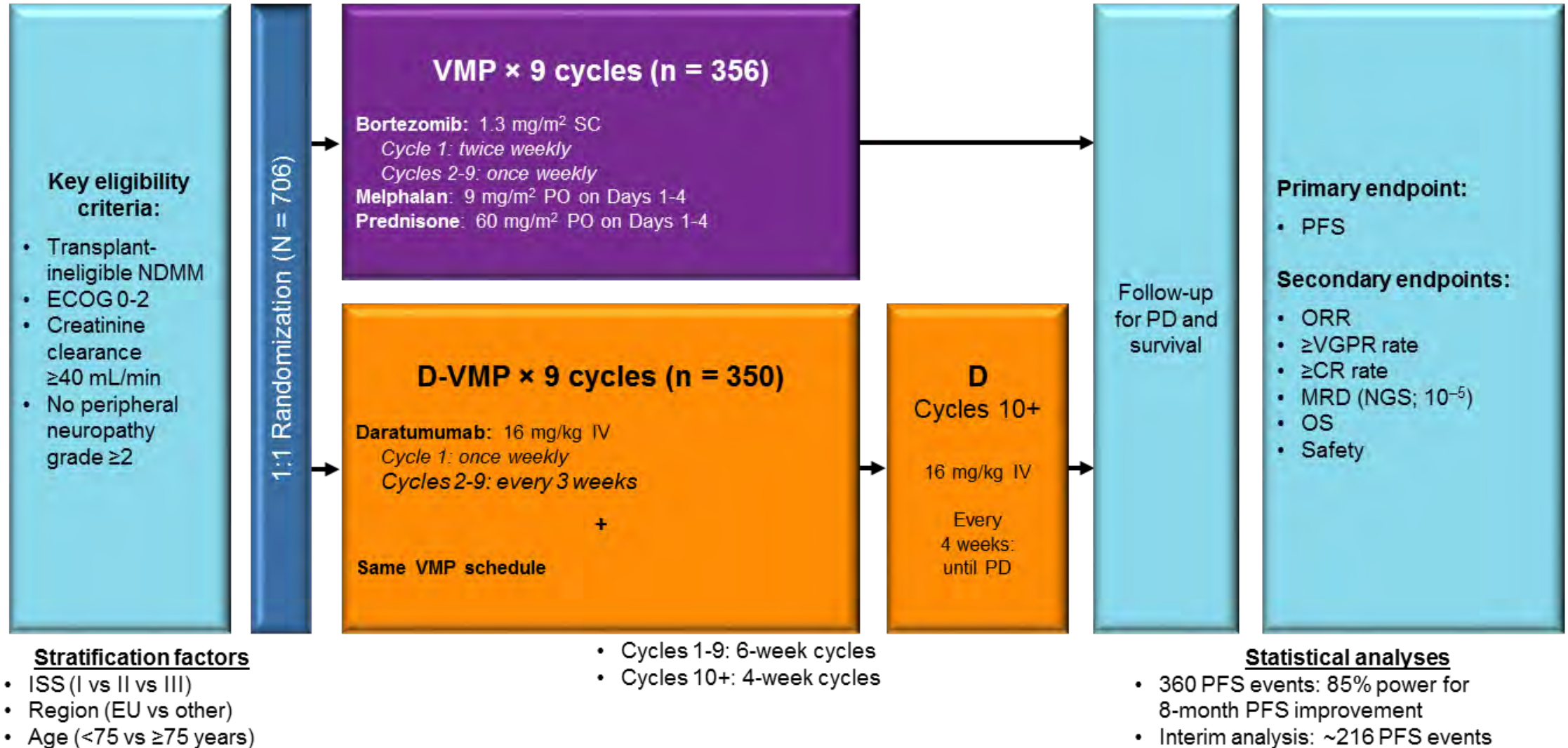


*In patients treated initially with Rd, continuing treatment until progression is an options for patients responding well with low toxicities

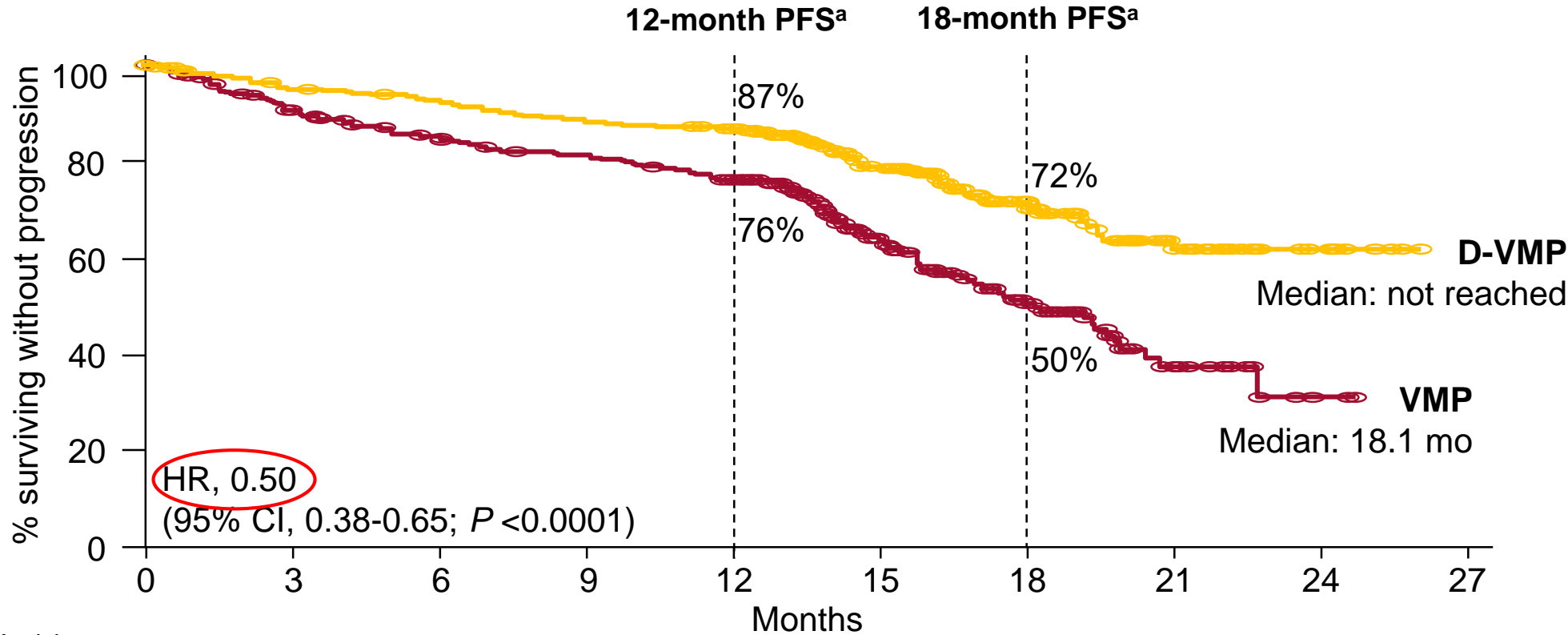
§ Dex is usually discontinued after first year

¶Duration based on tolerance; consider risks and benefits for treatment beyond 3 years

ALCYONE Study Design



Efficacy: PFS

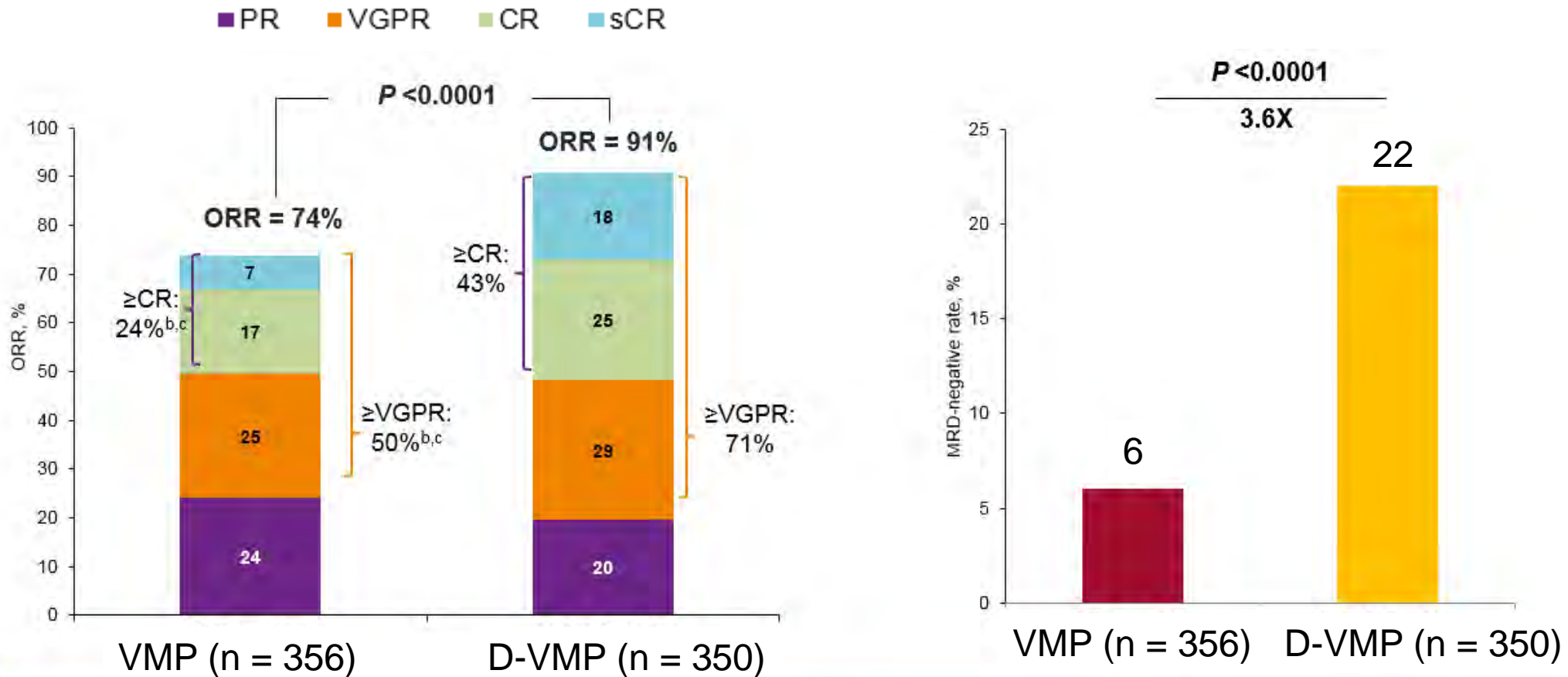


- **Median follow-up: 16.5 months (range: 0.1-28.1)**
- **Consistent PFS treatment benefit across subgroups**

At risk, n	0	3	6	9	12	15	18	21	24	27
VMP	356	303	276	261	231	127	61	18	2	0
D-VMP	350	322	312	298	285	179	93	35	10	0

50% reduction in the risk of progression or death in patients receiving D-VMP

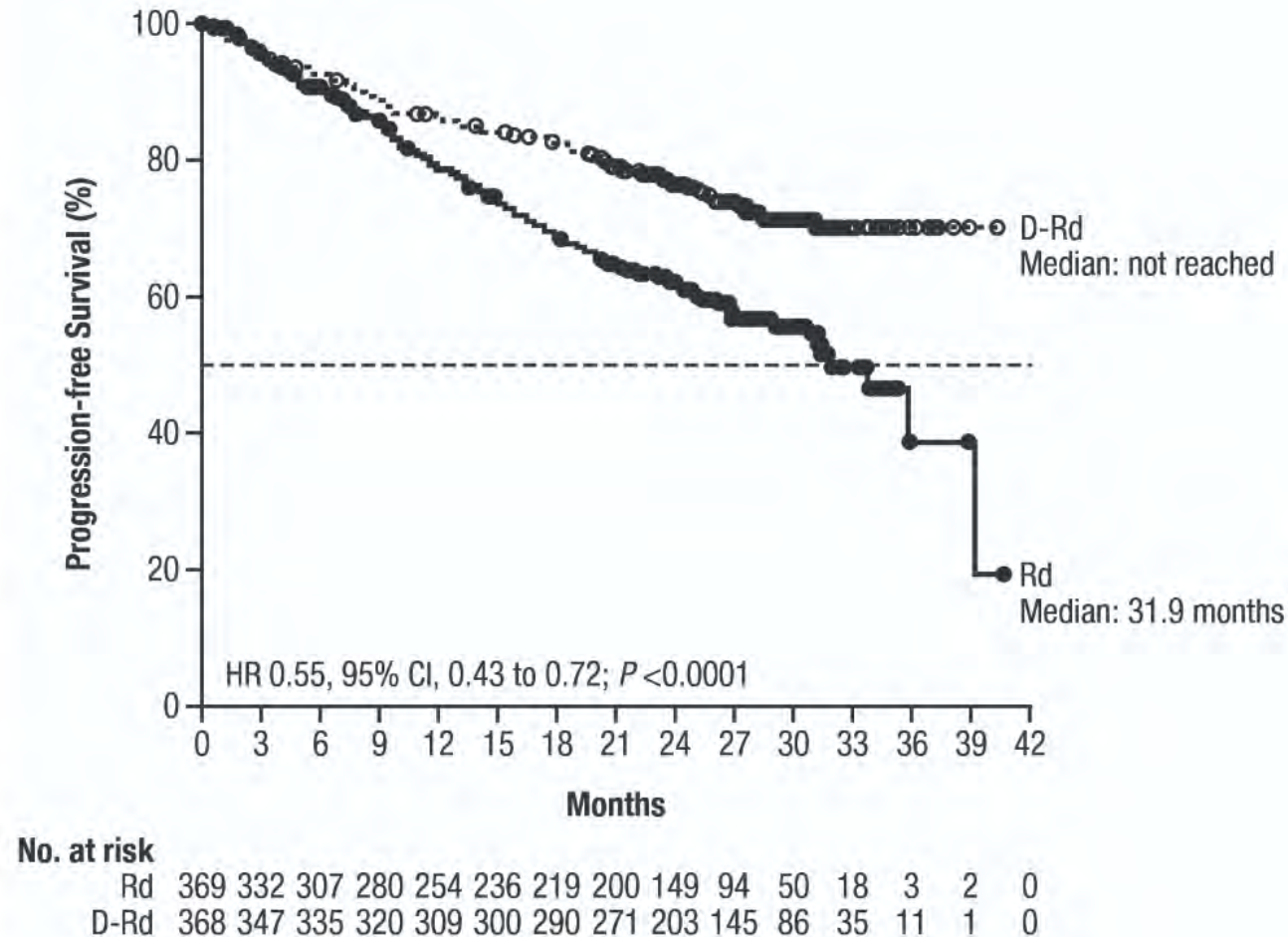
Efficacy: ORR and MRD (NGS; 10^{-5} Threshold)



Significantly higher ORR, \geq VGPR, and \geq CR with D-VMP
 >3-fold higher MRD-negativity rate with D-VMP

Updates at ASH 2018

- LBA-2 Phase 3 dara/len/dex (dara Rd) versus len/dex (Rd)
 - NDMM not eligible for transplant



Patient Case Example

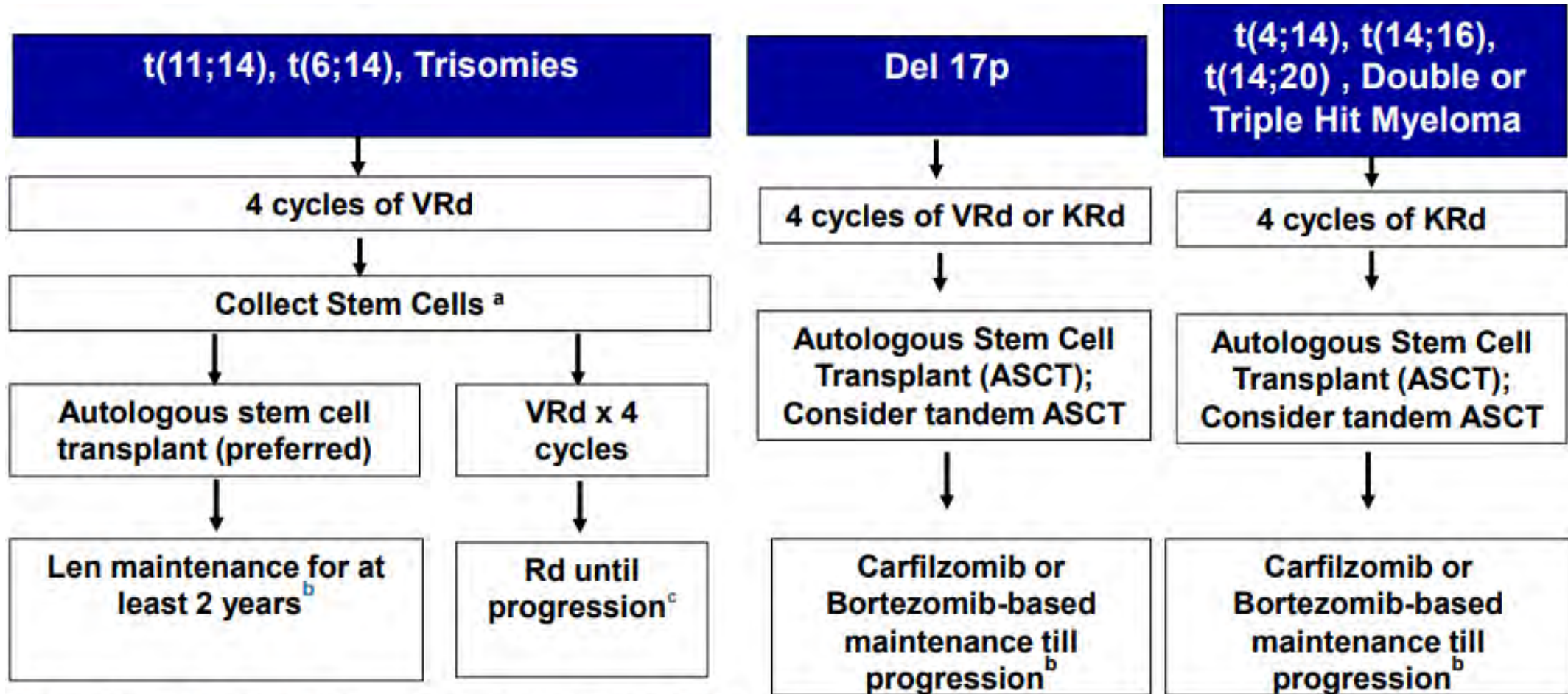
- A 55-year-old woman presented with bone pain and a whole-body low-dose CT scan showed multiple lytic lesions
- Additional testing revealed:
 - SPEP plus IFE revealed IgAk: 4.6 g/dL
 - Hemoglobin: 10.4 g/dL; WBC and platelets normal
 - Calcium and creatinine normal
 - Bone marrow shows 41% plasma cells
 - **FISH testing 1q+, 17p- and t(14;16)**
 - Serum free light chain ratio (SFLC: involved/uninvolved) is 157

What treatment would you recommend for this patient?

Faculty	Recommendation
Brian G.M. Durie, MD	Carfilzomib/lenalidomide/dexamethasone (KRd)
Shaji Kumar, MD	Carfilzomib/lenalidomide/dexamethasone (KRd)
Philippe Moreau, MD	Bortezomib/lenalidomide/dexamethasone (VRd)
S. Vincent Rajkumar, MD	Carfilzomib/lenalidomide/dexamethasone (KRd)
Jesús F. San-Miguel, MD, PhD	Carfilzomib/lenalidomide/dexamethasone (KRd)

Initial Treatment of Myeloma

Transplant Candidate: Off-Study



^a If age >65 or > 4 cycles of VRd, consider mobilization with G-CSF plus cytoxan or plerixafor

^b Duration based on tolerance; consider risks and benefits for treatment beyond 3 years

^c Continuing Rd for patients responding to Rd and with low toxicities

Controversies in 2018/2019

Triplets:

- KRd/KCd/KTd
- Dara-Rd or Vd or Cyd or Td
- IxaRd/IxaCyD/IxaTd (also combos with elotuzumab or pomalidomide if feasible)

Four-drug combos:

- Dara Rd + K or Ixa triplets
- Globally, Dara + VRd/VTd/VCd or VMP

Only 6/225 (3%) Relapses With VRd + ASCT (Spanish)

Patient	359	454	502	635	751	767
Diagnosis						
ISS	III	III	I	III	I	I
FISH	1q+(59%)	del17p(22%)	1q+(50%) & 1p-(61%)	1q+(85%) & 1p-(89%)	NE	-
Bone-related plasmacytomas	+	+	+	+	NE	+
Relapse						
M-protein	-	-	+	-	-	+
BMPCs (%)	4	3	46	1	58	4
Clonal PCs (%)	0	0	100	0	100	0
Bone-related plasmacytomas	+	+	+	+	NE	+

NE: not evaluated

Note: "Double hit" myeloma

- Double loss/mutation of p53 [17p-]
- ≥ 4 copies Iq21 [CKS1B]

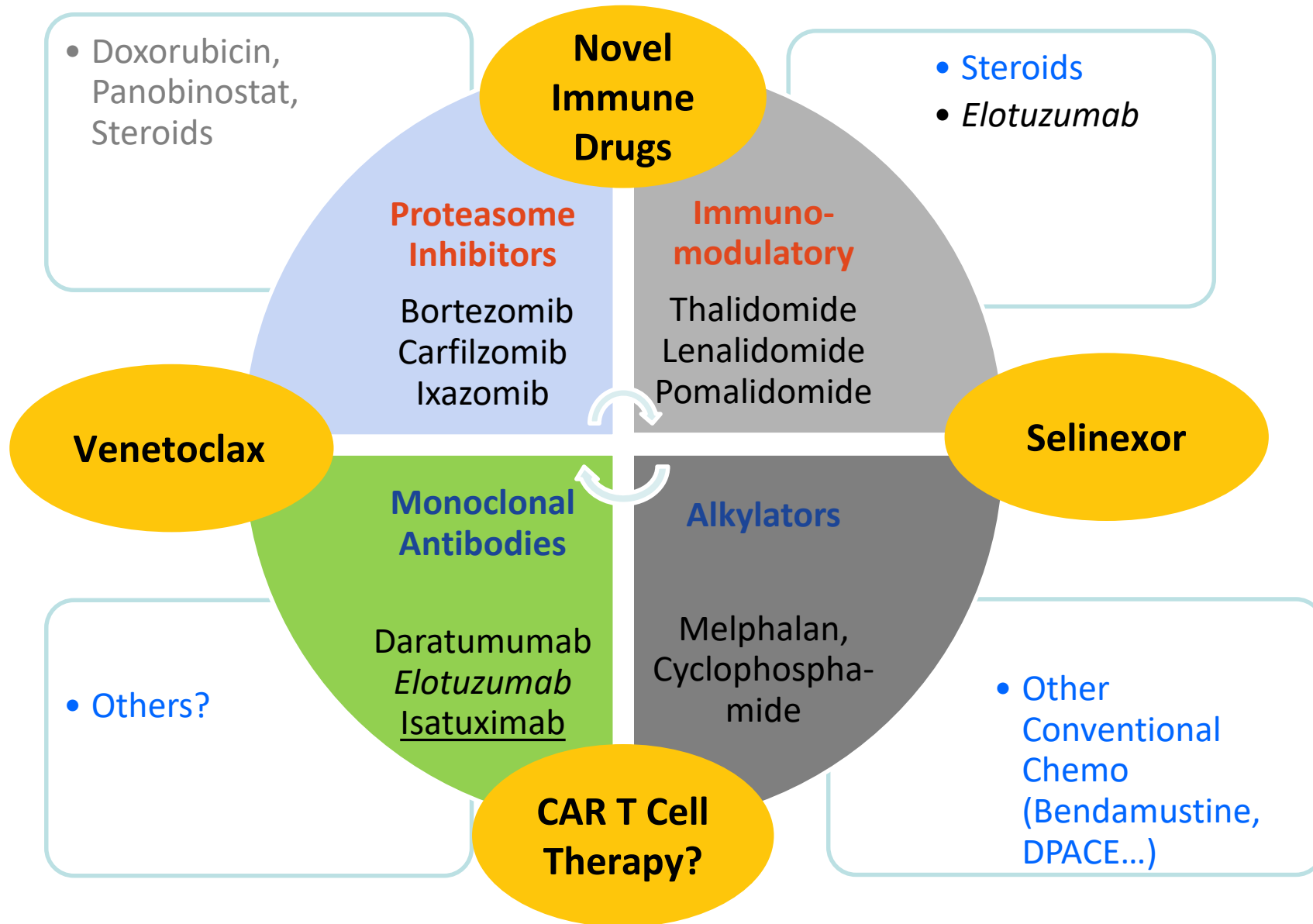
Subclonal Mutational Patterns for 1q+

Single-cell exomes in an index case of amp1q21 multiple myeloma reveal more diverse mutanomes than the whole population

- RAS genes most frequently “co-mutated”
 - NRAS 19%
 - KRAS 16%
- 21 variant subclones ←
- 5 driver genes
 - ANK 3: ANKRIN membrane protein
 - AXIN 1: Wnt/ β catenin signaling
 - BRCA2: DNA repair
 - MAP4K3: cell signaling/c Jun
 - Tripio: stat3 interacting

Increasing subclonal heterogeneity strongly supports early intervention

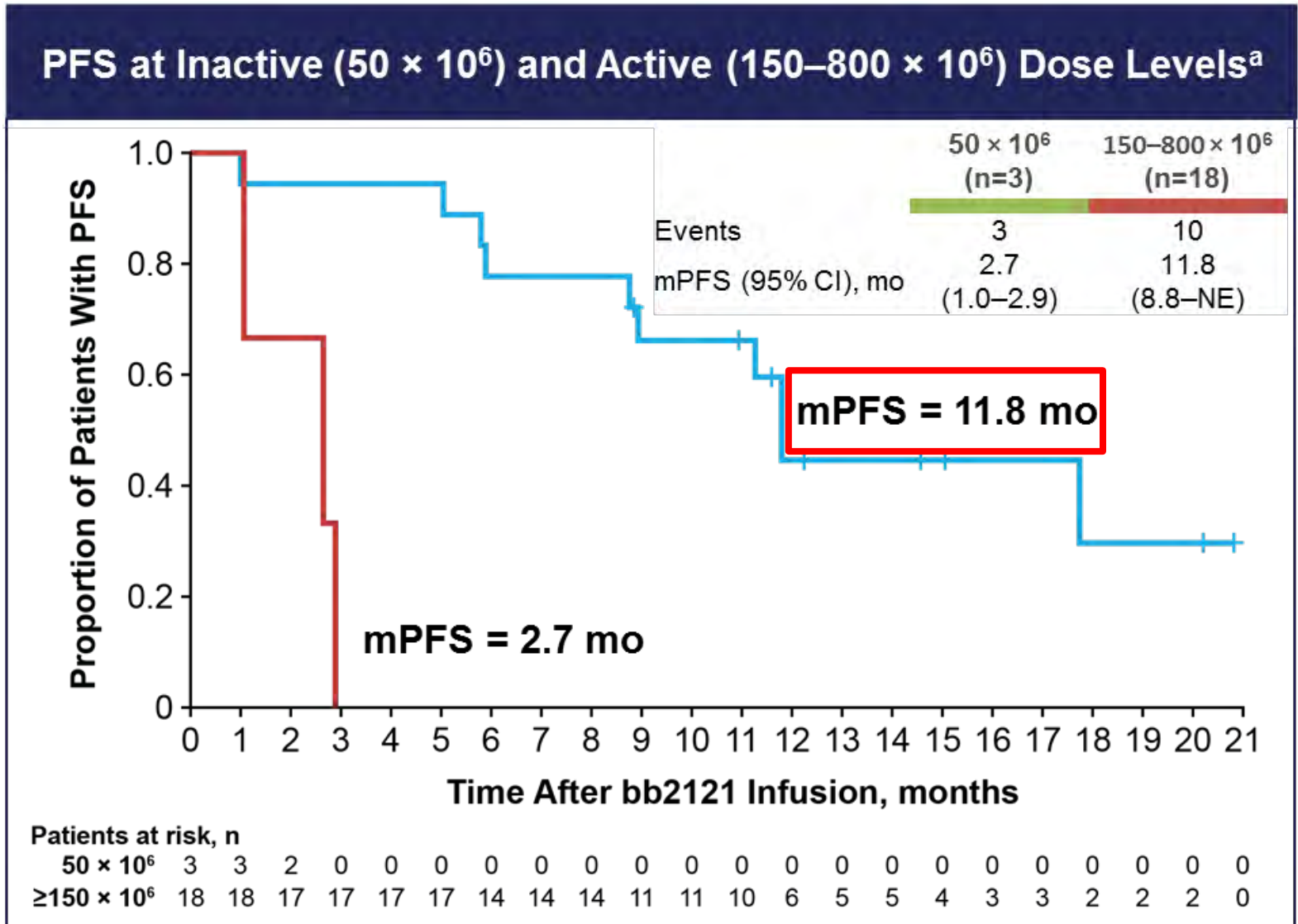
Pillars of Myeloma Therapy



New Agents in Frontline Setting

- **Daratumumab (or isatuximab): Add to create 4-drug combo?**
- **Venetoclax (or Mcl-1 inhibitions): Add if t(11;14) present?**
- **CAR T or BiTEs: Consider adding early in high risk and/or with suboptimal response?**

PFS With BCMA (bb2121) CAR T



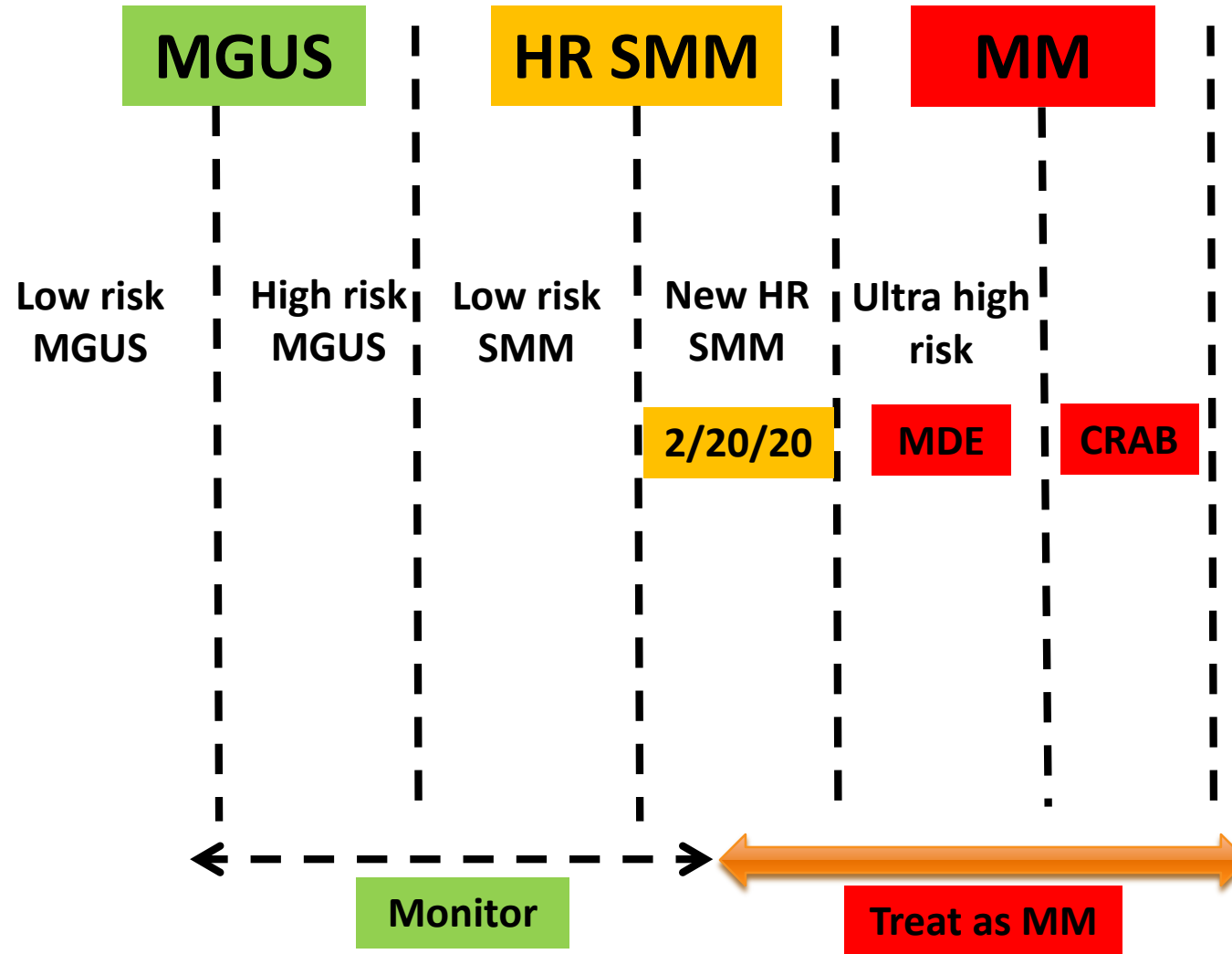
Can CAR T Therapy Be Introduced Early?

- **Can consider harvesting T-cells early!**
- **Potential of great efficiency BUT concerns about both short term and long-term toxicities.**

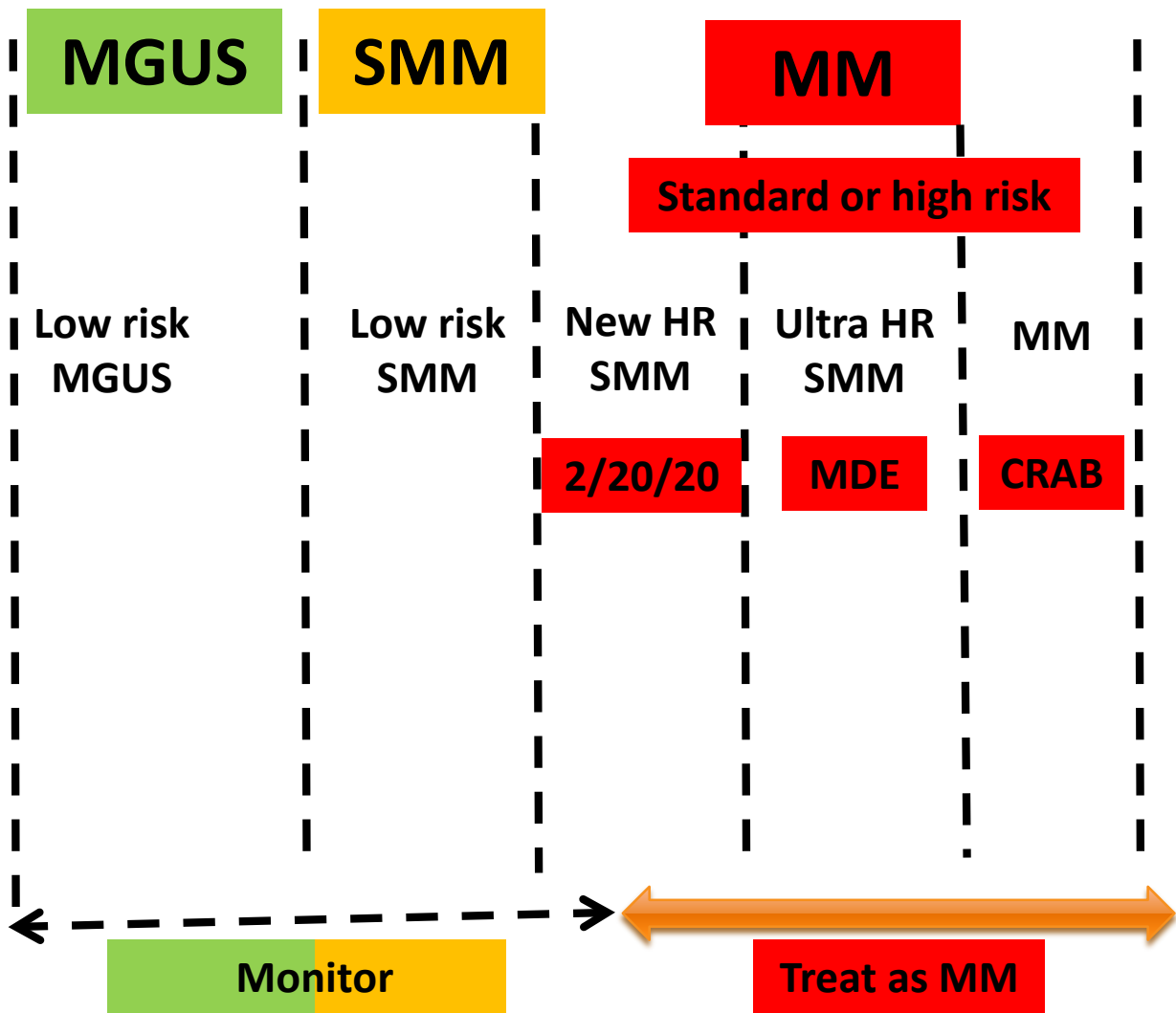
Need New Response Criteria to Encompass Very Rapid Responses

- **MRD assessment at 1, 3, 6 and 12 months**
- **Consider adding mass spec for M-component monitoring**
- **Define “sustained response” as endpoint**

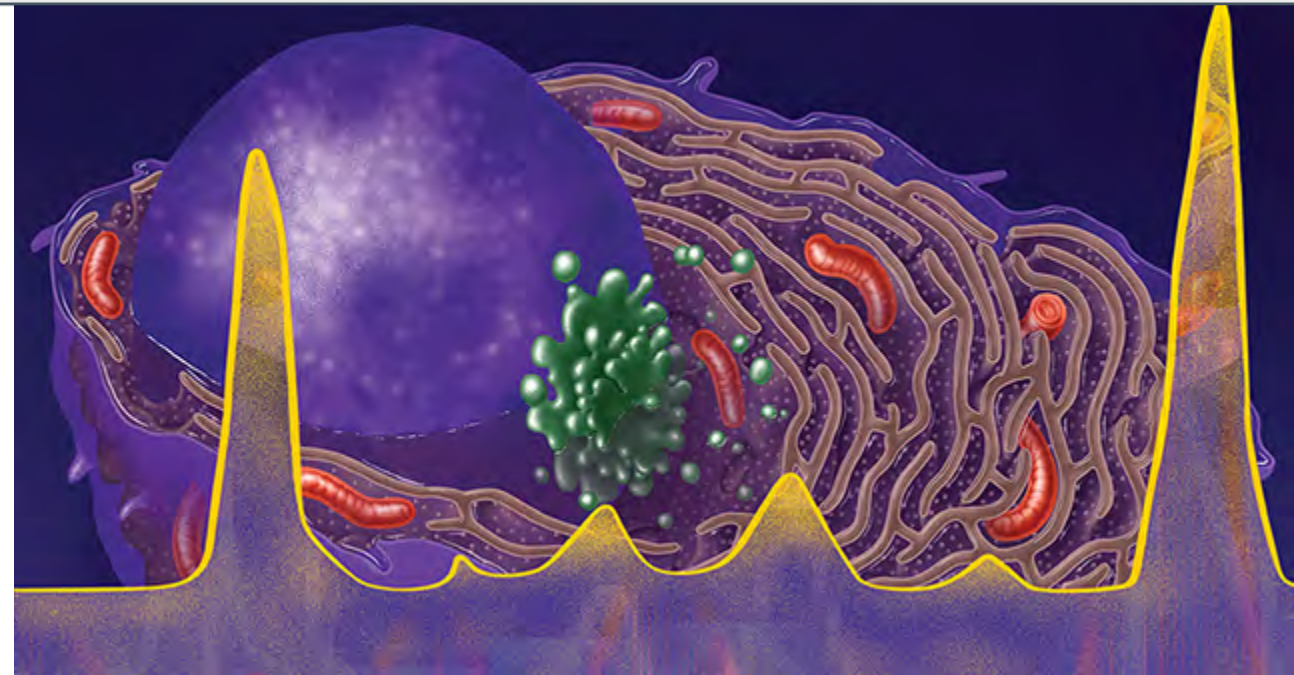
The Future of Myeloma Therapy



Future of Myeloma Therapy in 2019 and Beyond



Panel Discussion and Audience Q&A

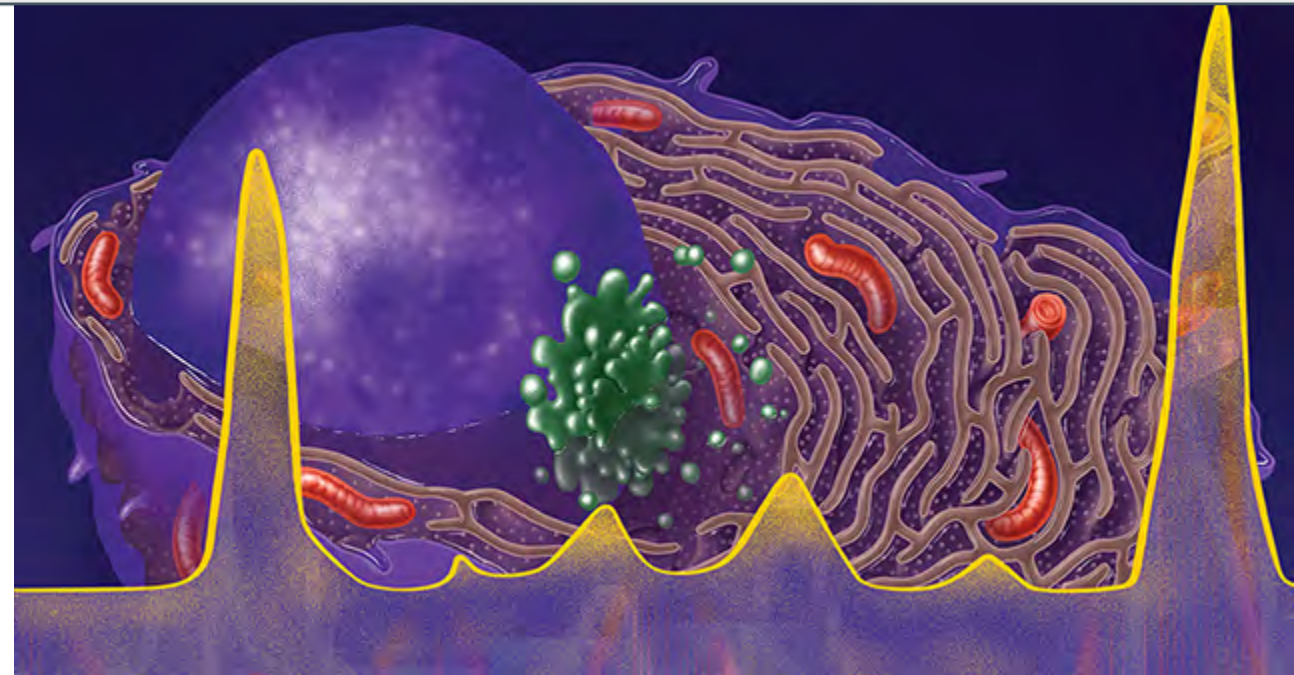


Considering the Recent Data on Transplantation, Consolidation, and Maintenance After Induction

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What's next after induction?

The US Perspective

Patient Case Example

- A 53-year-old woman with no other health problems was diagnosed with myeloma when she presented with back pain and increasing fatigue

Lab Test	Result
Hemoglobin	10.8 g/dL
Serum Ca ²⁺	Normal
Serum creatinine	Normal
Serum LDH	Normal
Serum β_2 microglobulin	2.8 mg/dL
Serum albumin	4.1 g/dL

- Serum protein electrophoresis: IgGK monoclonal protein of 3.2 g/dL
- 24-hour urine protein electrophoresis: 210 mg monoclonal protein, kappa light chain

Patient Case Example

- Whole-body low-dose CT showed multiple lytic lesions
- Bone marrow biopsy showed 40% plasma cell involvement, FISH showed no abnormality
- She was started on treatment with a combination of bortezomib, lenalidomide, and dexamethasone
- At the completion of 4 cycles of therapy:
 - Repeat bone marrow biopsy shows no MRD
 - Serum and urine immunofixation were both negative

What would you do next for this patient?

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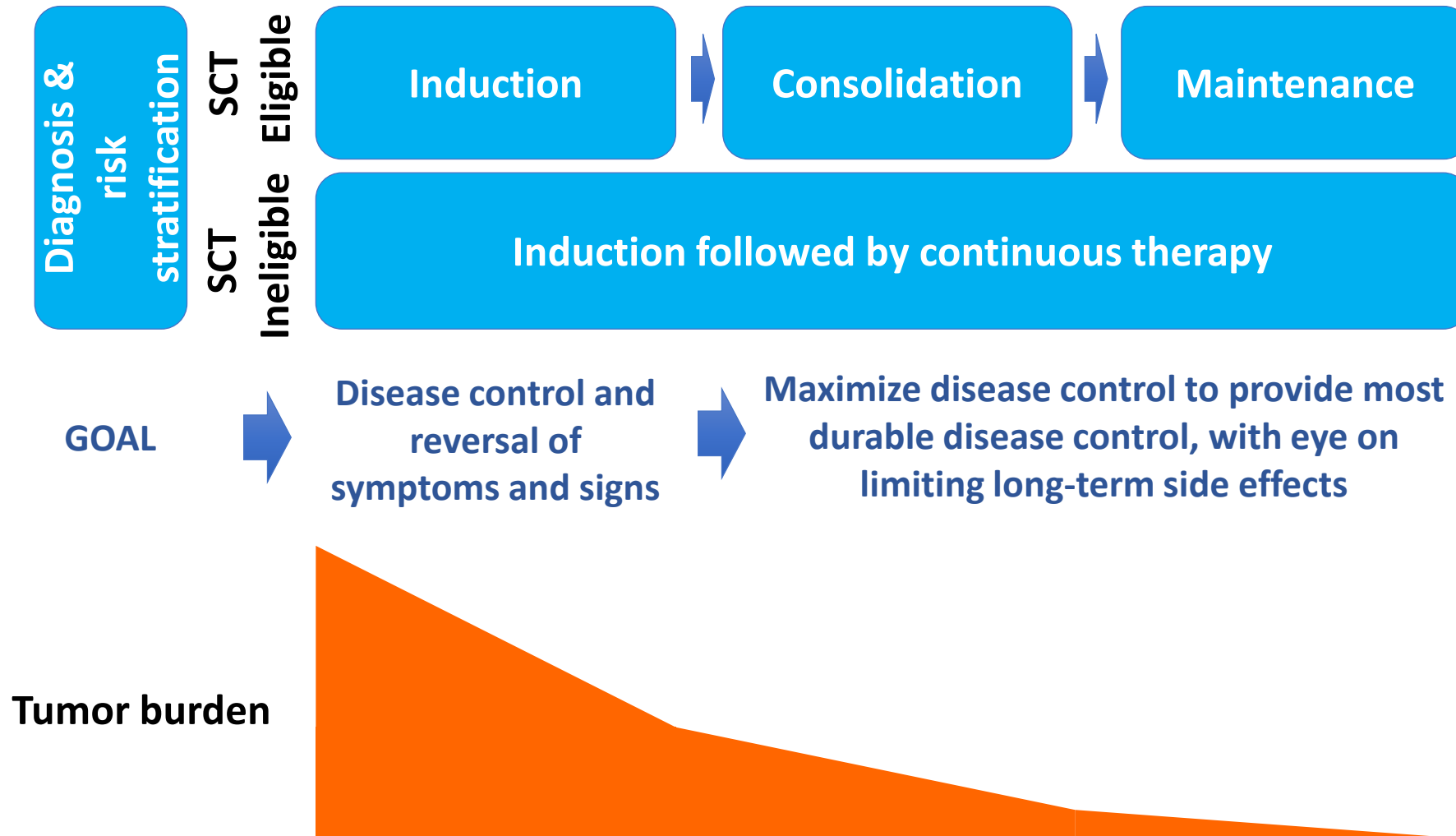
Patient Case Example

- Whole-body low-dose CT showed multiple lytic lesions
- Bone marrow biopsy showed 40% plasma cell involvement, **FISH showed 17p deletion in > 50% of tumor cells**
- She was started on treatment with a combination of bortezomib, lenalidomide and dexamethasone
- At the completion of 4 cycles of therapy:
 - Repeat bone marrow biopsy shows no MRD
 - Serum and urine immunofixation were both negative

Now, what would you do next for this patient?

Faculty	Recommendation
Brian G.M. Durie, MD	ASCT followed by RVD consolidation and PI-based maintenance
Shaji Kumar, MD	ASCT followed by PI-based maintenance
Philippe Moreau, MD	Tandem ASCT followed by RVD consolidation and PI-based maintenance
S. Vincent Rajkumar, MD	ASCT followed by PI-based maintenance
Jesús F. San-Miguel, MD, PhD	Tandem ASCT followed by RVD consolidation and lenalidomide maintenance

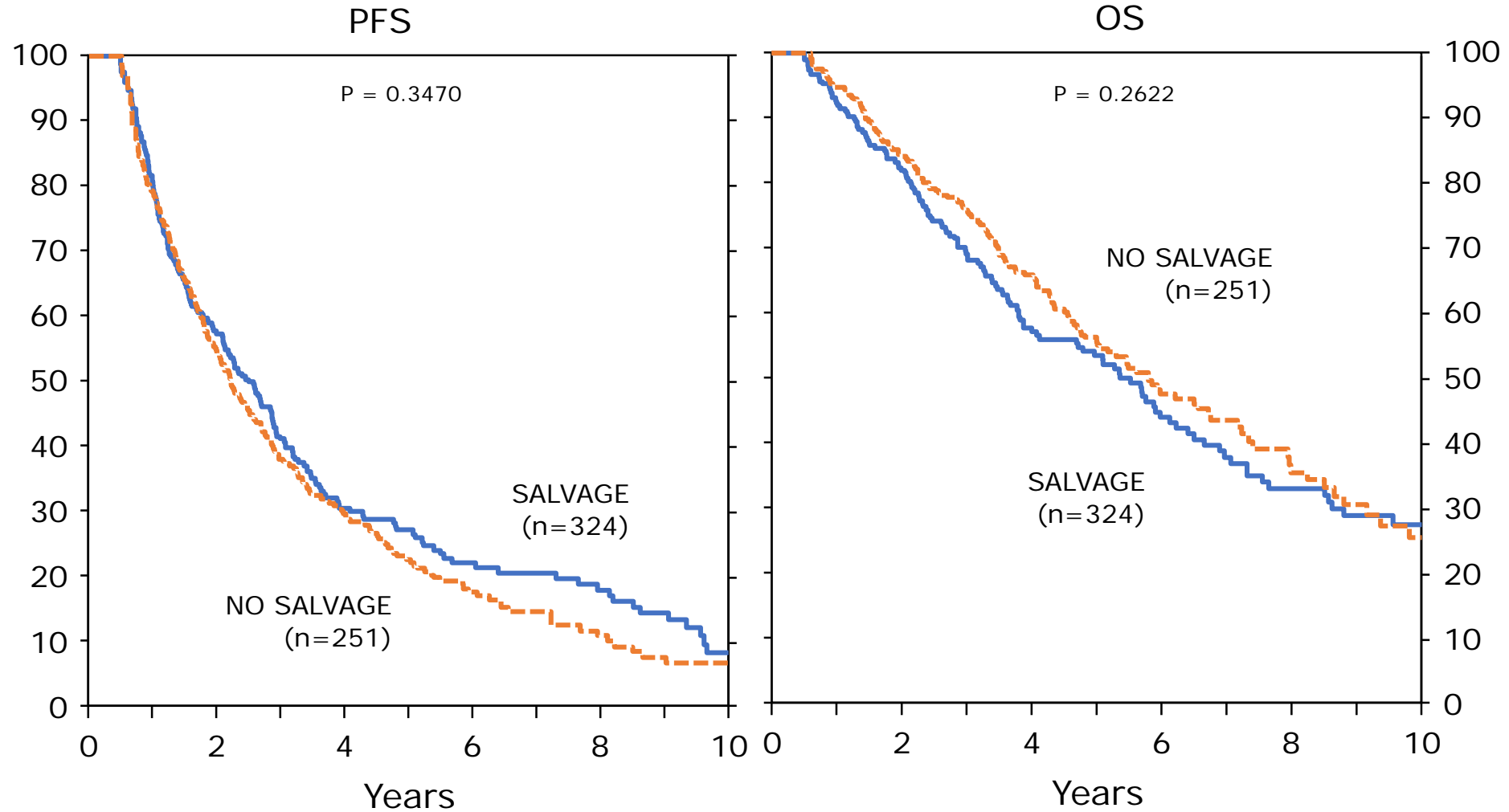
Myeloma Treatment Paradigm



Consolidation and Maintenance

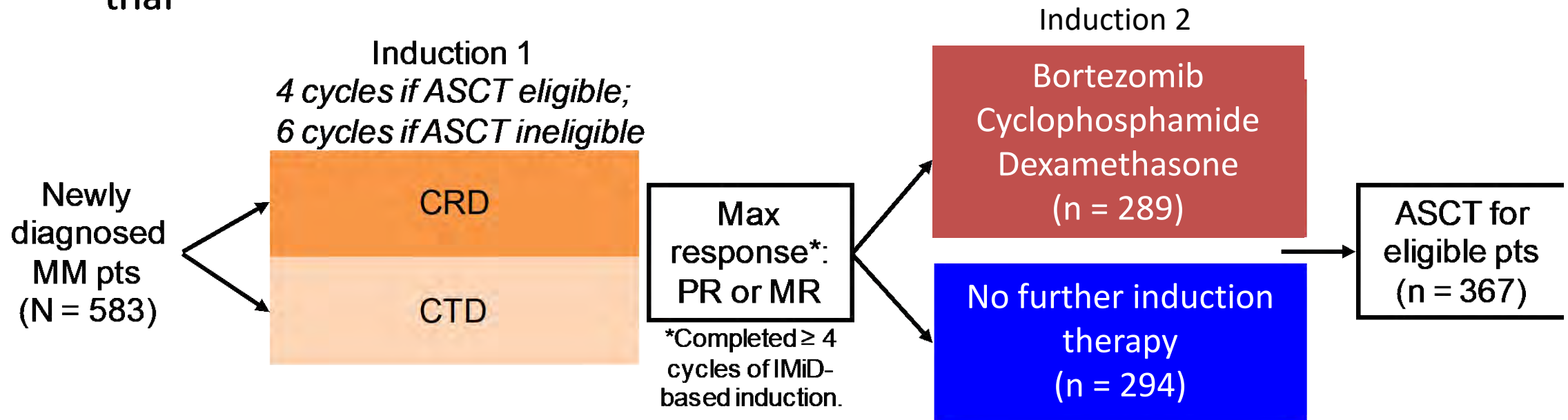
- Stem cell transplantation (SCT): one or two?
- Post-transplantation consolidation?
- Post-transplantation maintenance?

When Do You Stop Induction Therapy?



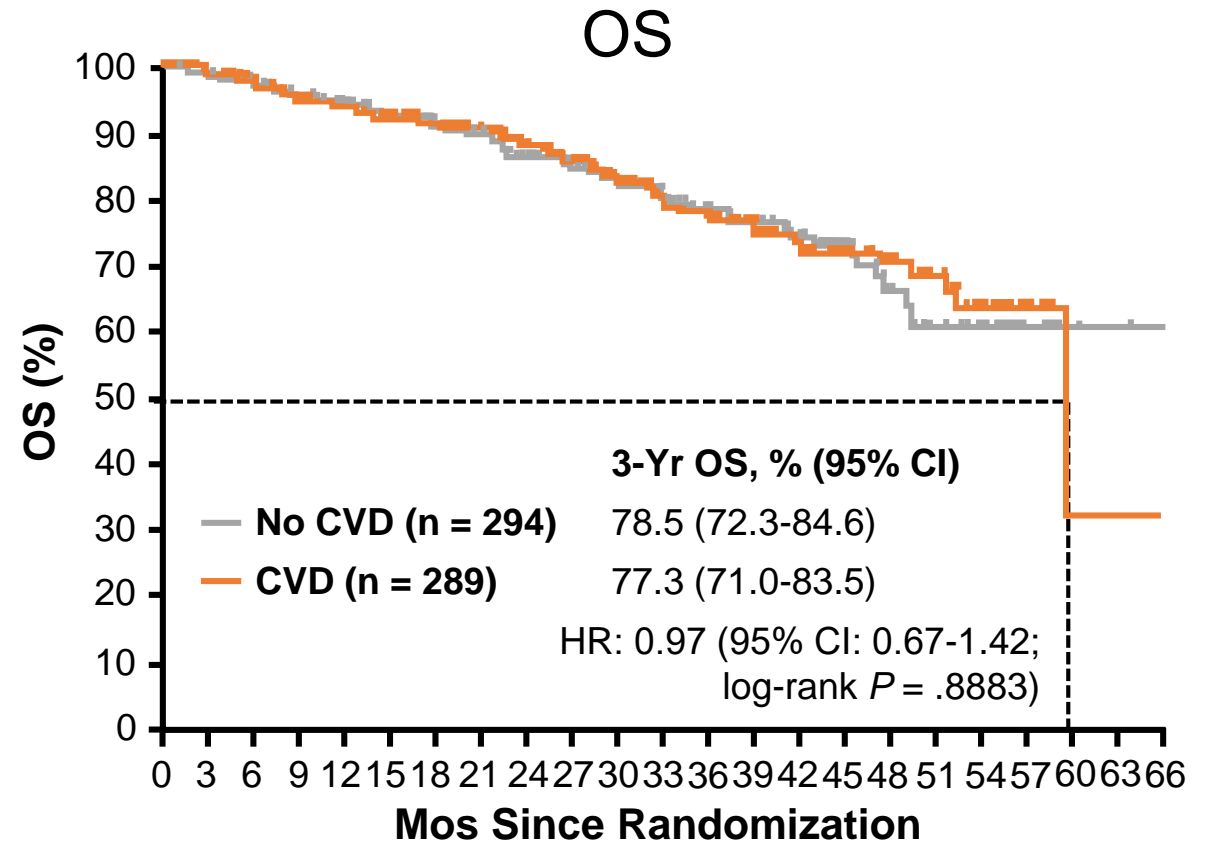
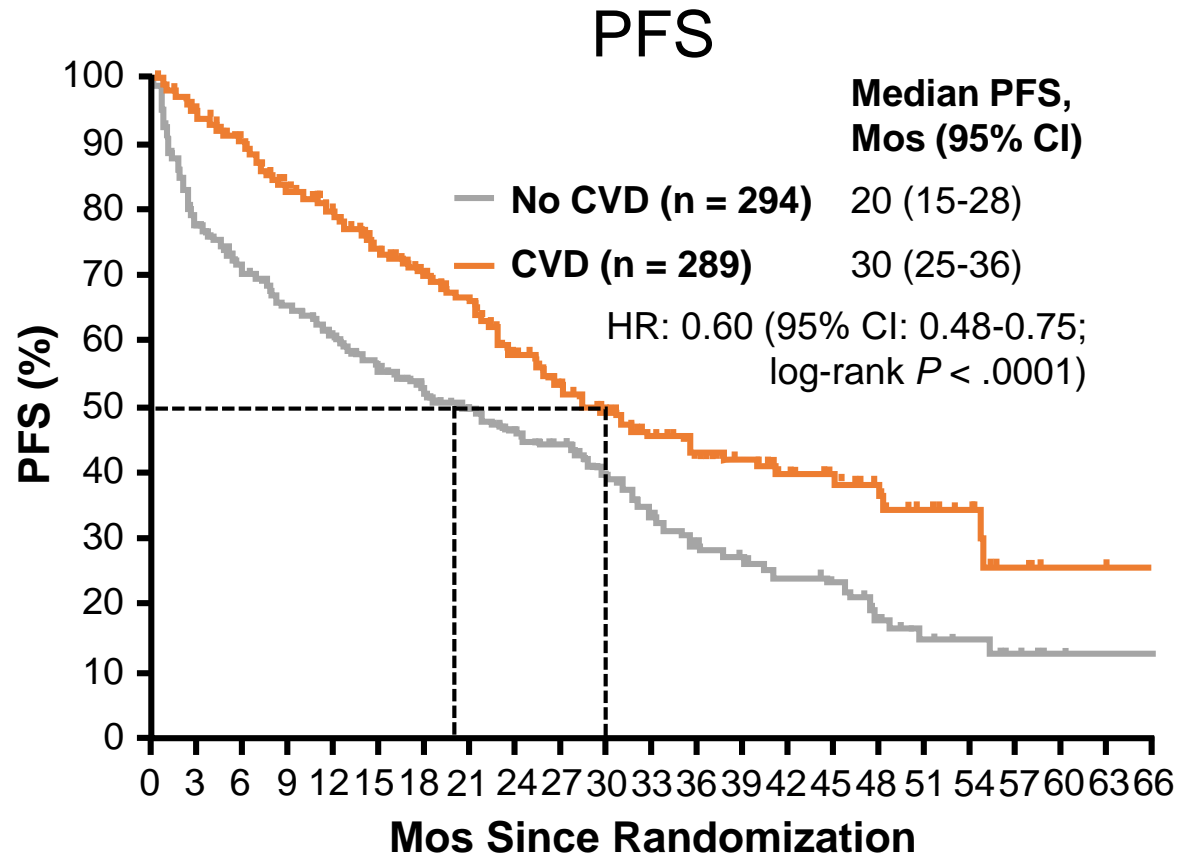
Ideal Duration of Induction Prior to SCT?

- UK-based multicenter, open-label, parallel group, randomized controlled phase III trial



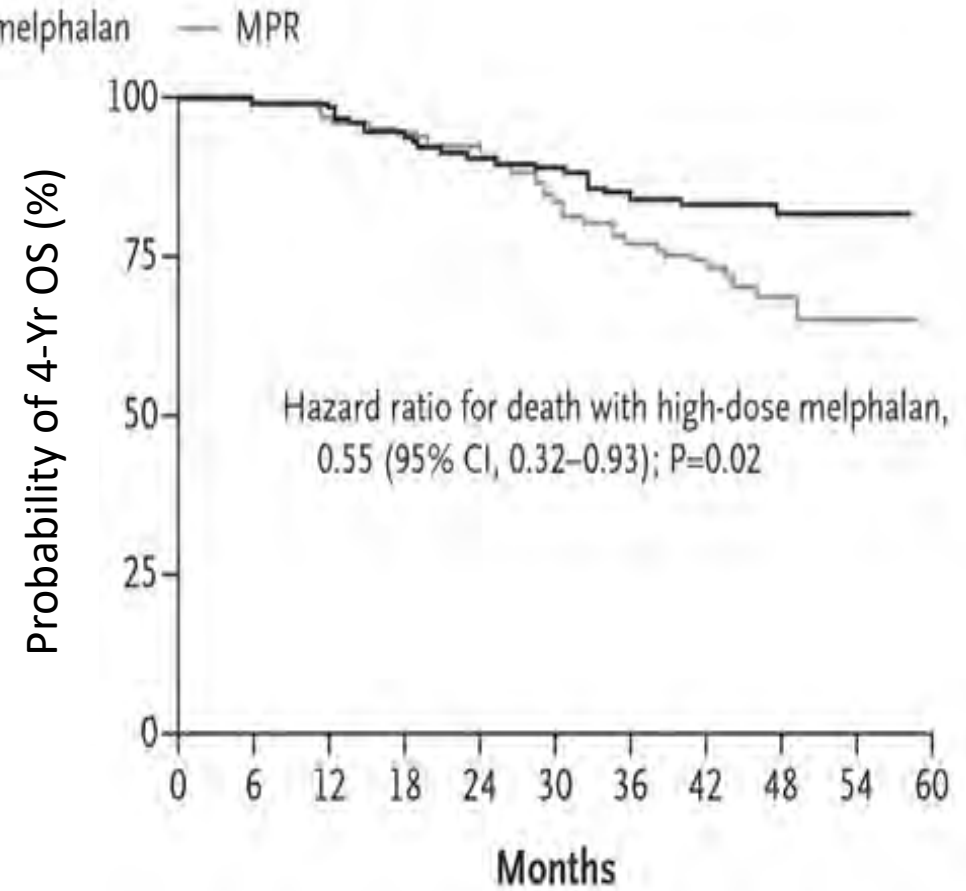
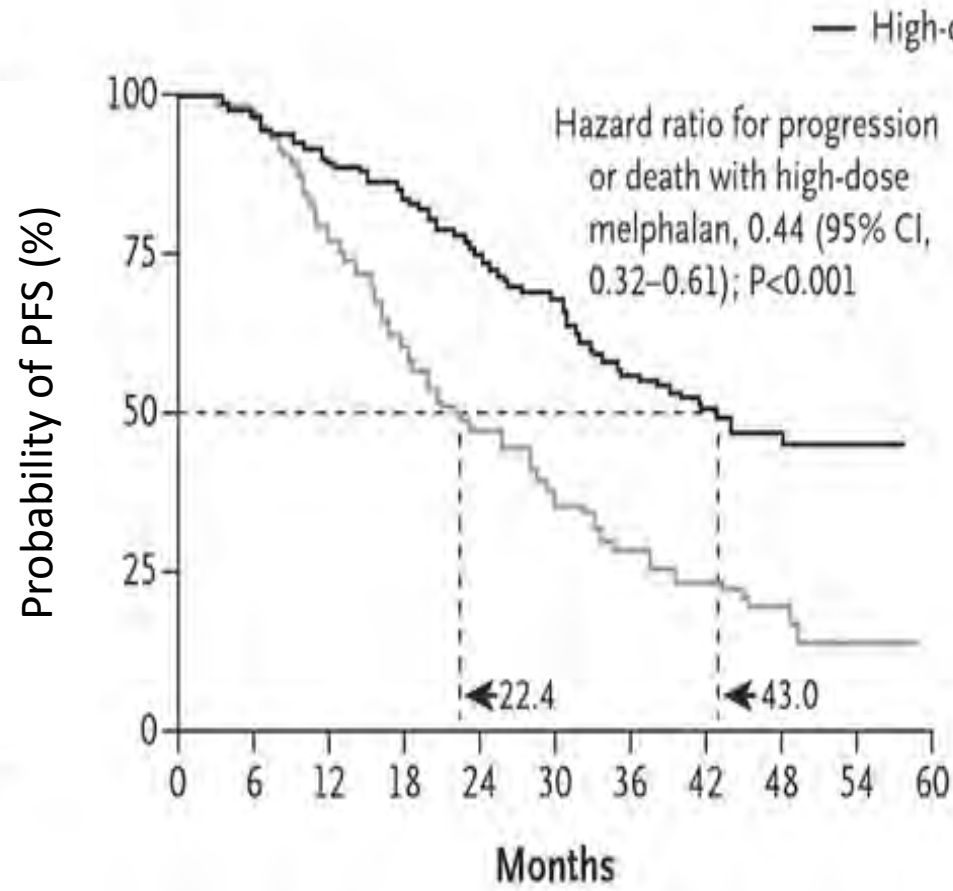
- Primary endpoints: PFS, OS
- Secondary endpoints: Improved response vs baseline, PI effect in high-risk pt group

Myeloma XI: Results

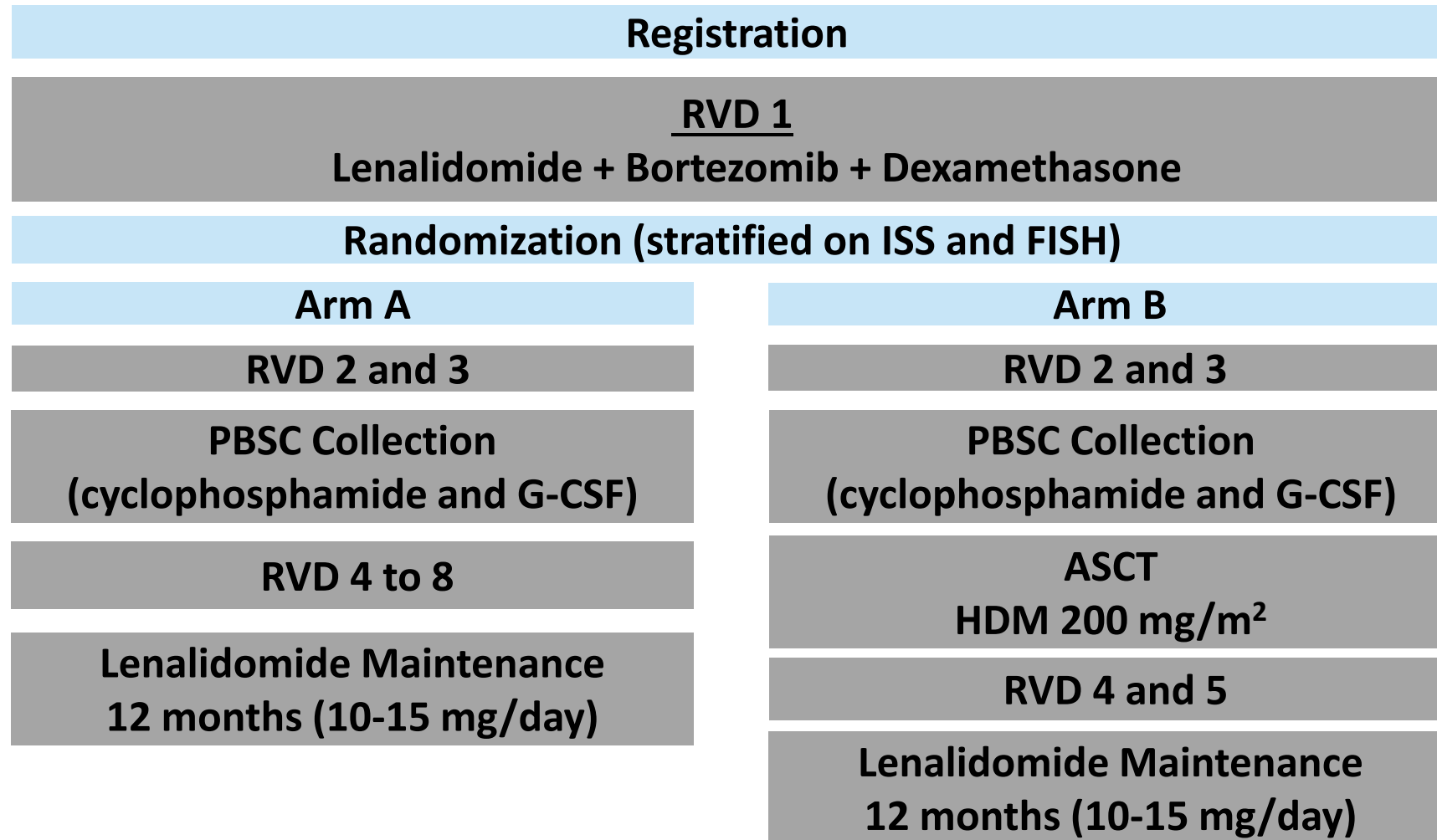


Recommendation: 4-6 cycles of induction and then transplant

Do We Still Need ASCT with Novel Drugs?



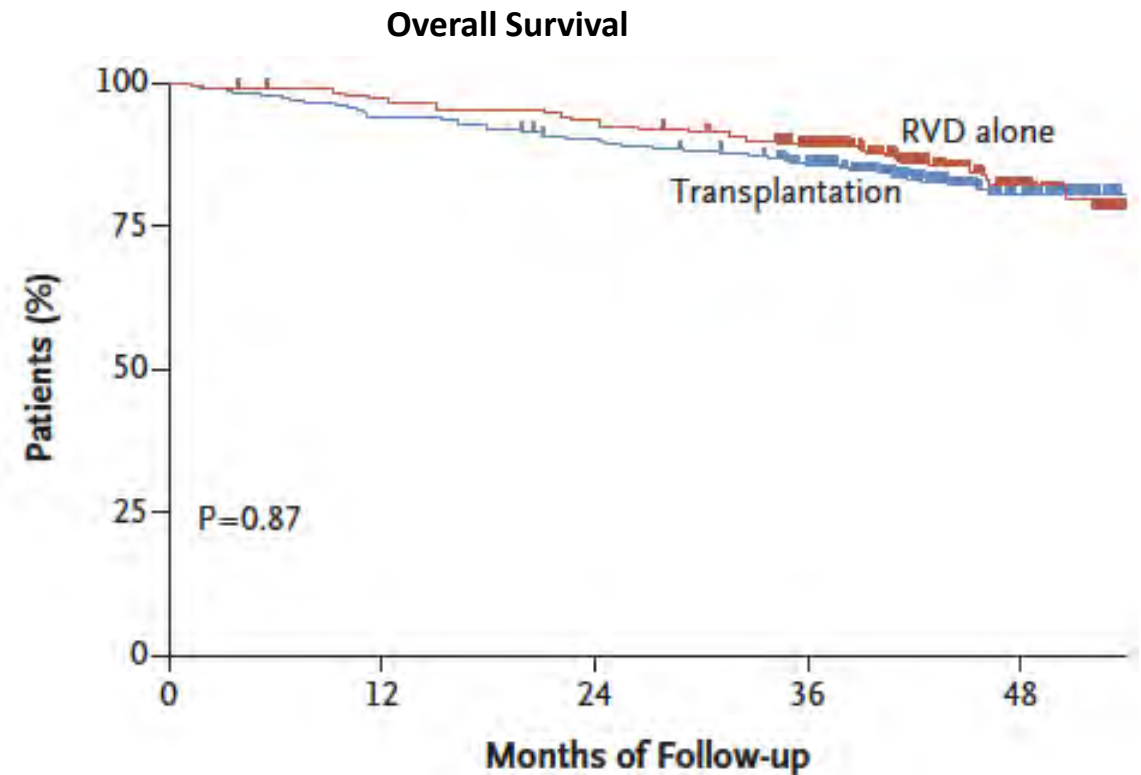
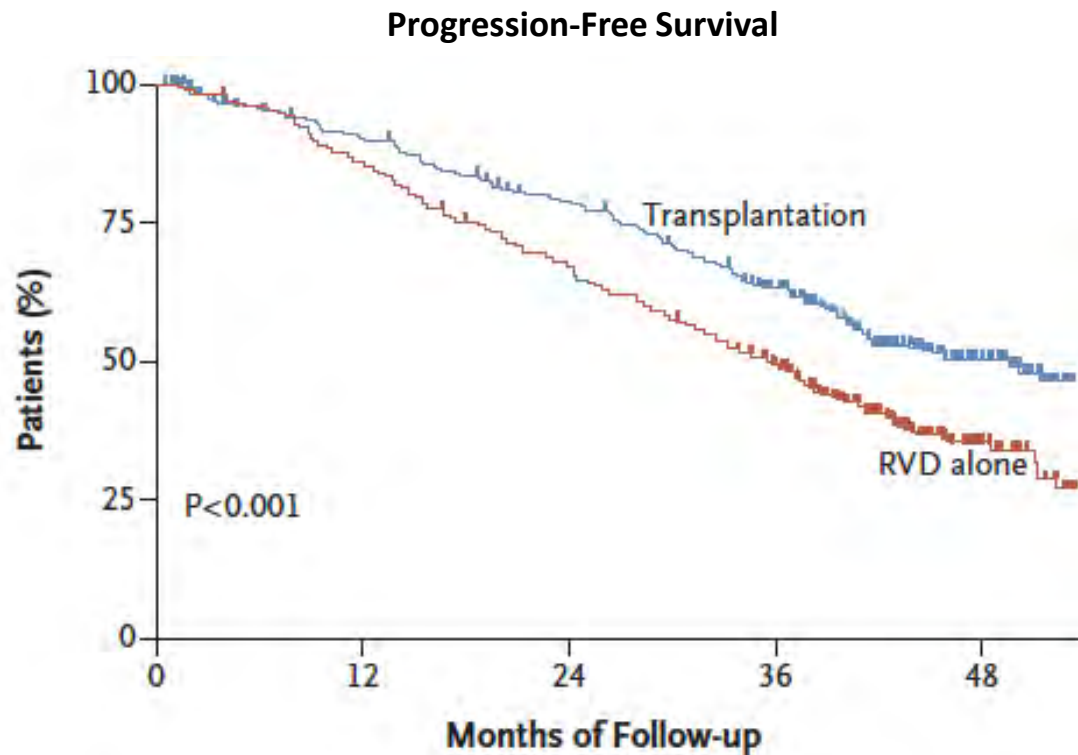
Do We Still Need ASCT? IFM 2009



Deeper Responses With SCT

Outcome	RVD-Alone Group (N = 350)	Transplantation Group (N = 350)
Best response during the study , n (%)		
Complete response	169 (48)	205 (59)
Very good partial response	101 (29)	102 (29)
Partial response	70 (20)	37 (11)
Stable disease	10 (3)	6 (2)
Complete response, n (%)	169 (48)	205 (59)
Complete response or very good partial response, n (%)	270 (77)	307 (88)
Minimal residual disease not detected during study, n/ total n with complete or very good partial response (%)	171/265 (65)	220/278 (79)

Better PFS; Comparable OS



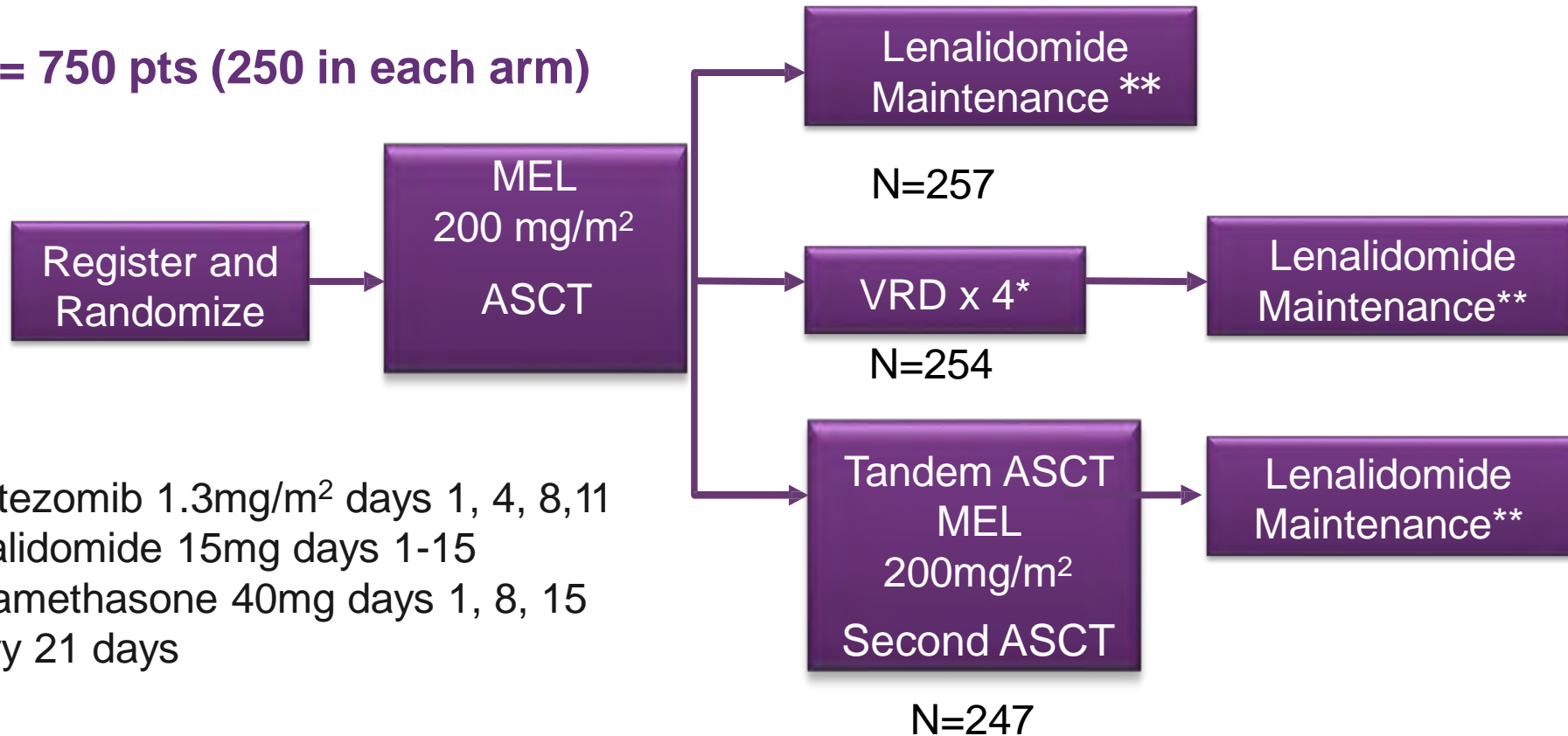
Recommendation: upfront SCT recommended, but a delayed approach is acceptable

What Should Be Done Post ASCT?

- Consolidation with tandem ASCT?
- Non-transplant consolidation?
- Maintenance?

STaMINA Trial: BMT CTN 0702

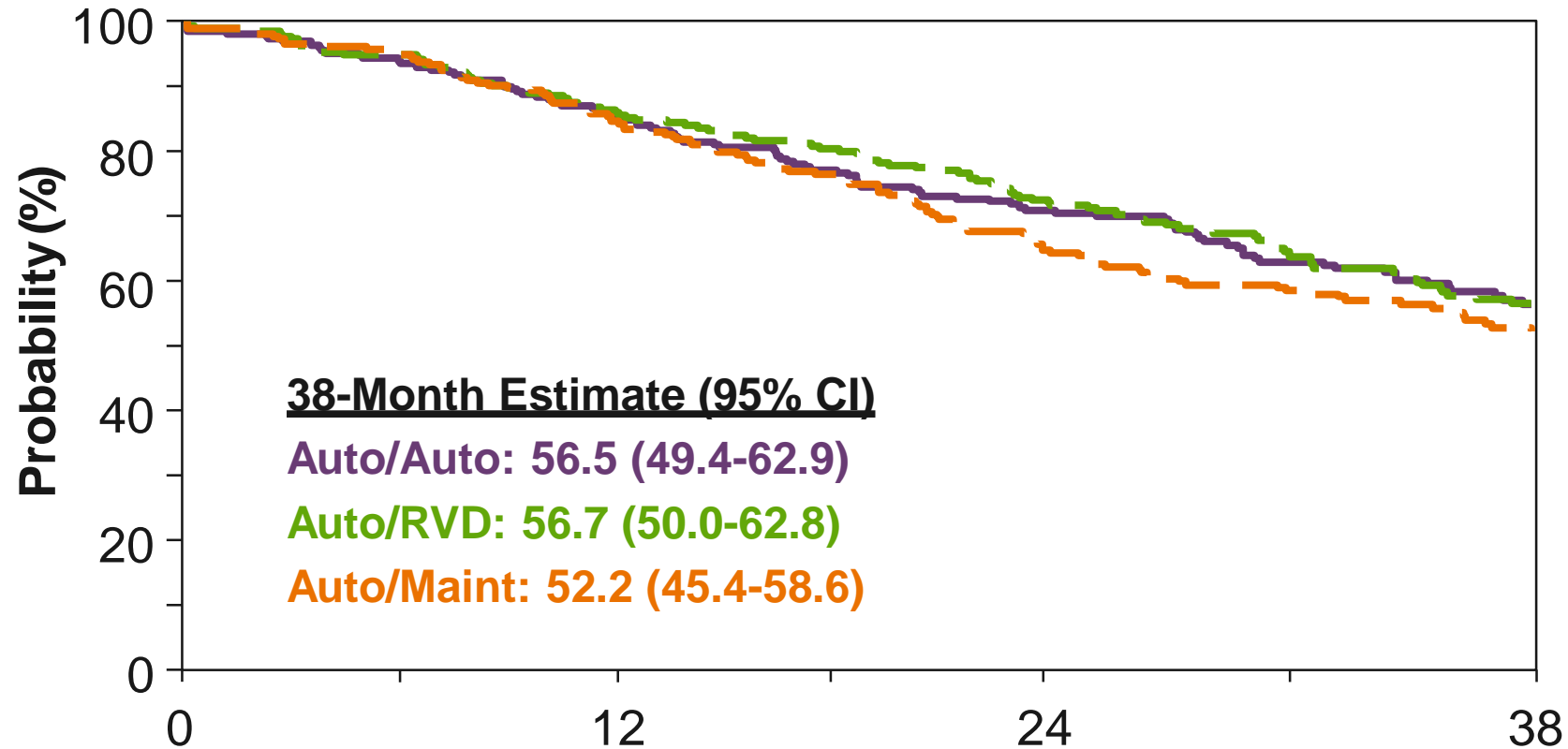
N = 750 pts (250 in each arm)



*Bortezomib 1.3mg/m² days 1, 4, 8,11
Lenalidomide 15mg days 1-15
Dexamethasone 40mg days 1, 8, 15
Every 21 days

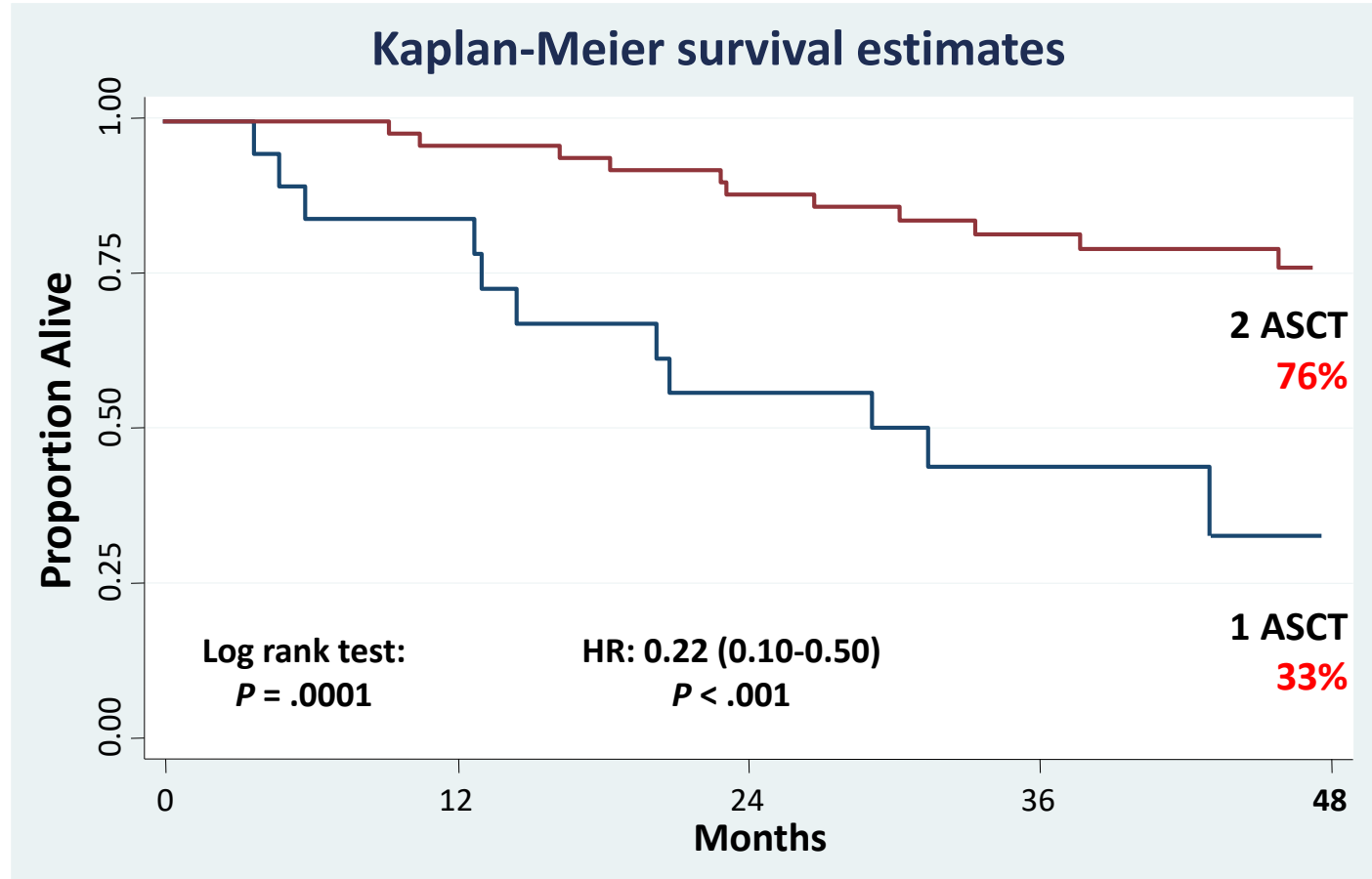
**Lenalidomide x 3 years :
10 mg/d for 3 cycles , then 15 mg/d
Amendment in 2014 changed: lenalidomide maintenance until disease progression after report of CALGB 100104.

STaMINA Trial: Primary Endpoint—PFS

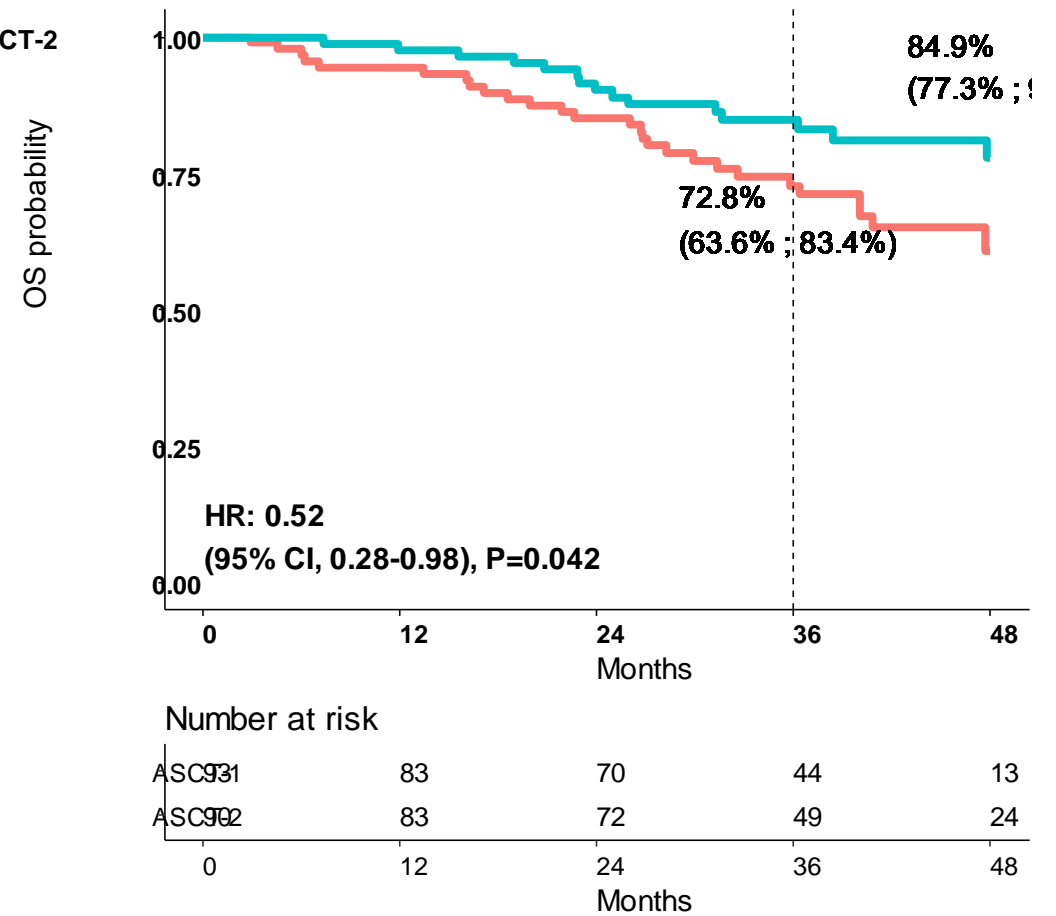
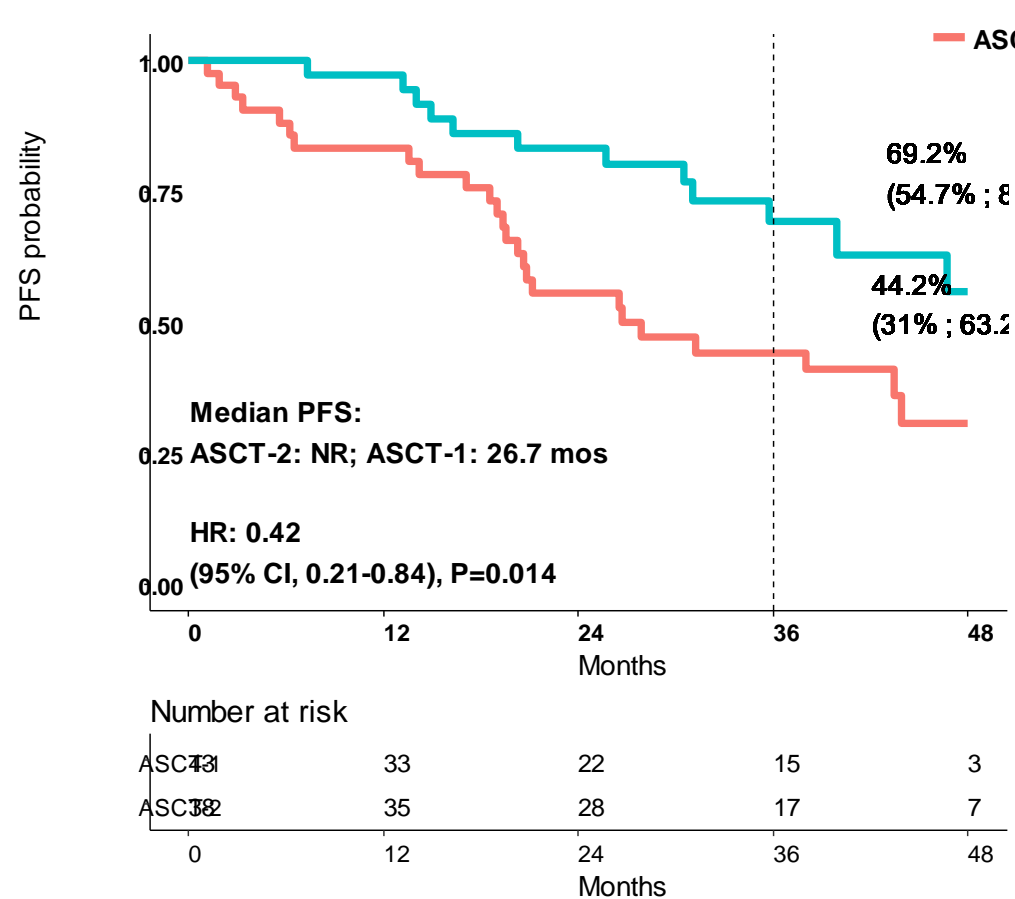


Recommendation: with VRd induction, no role for additional VRd consolidation

Tandem ASCT: del(17p) ± t(4;14)

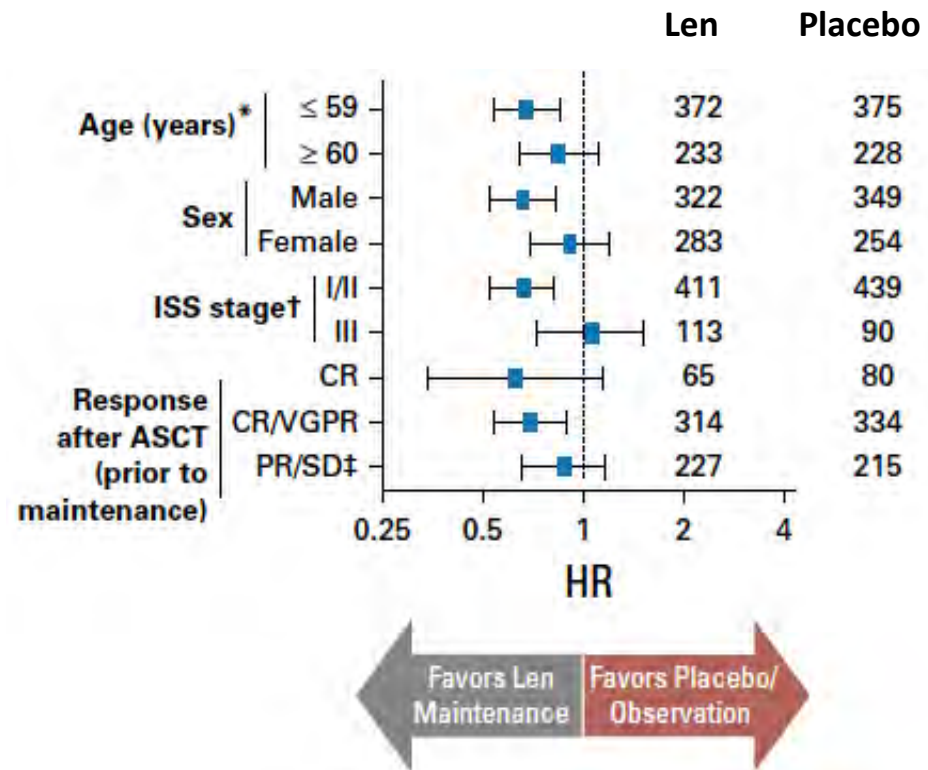
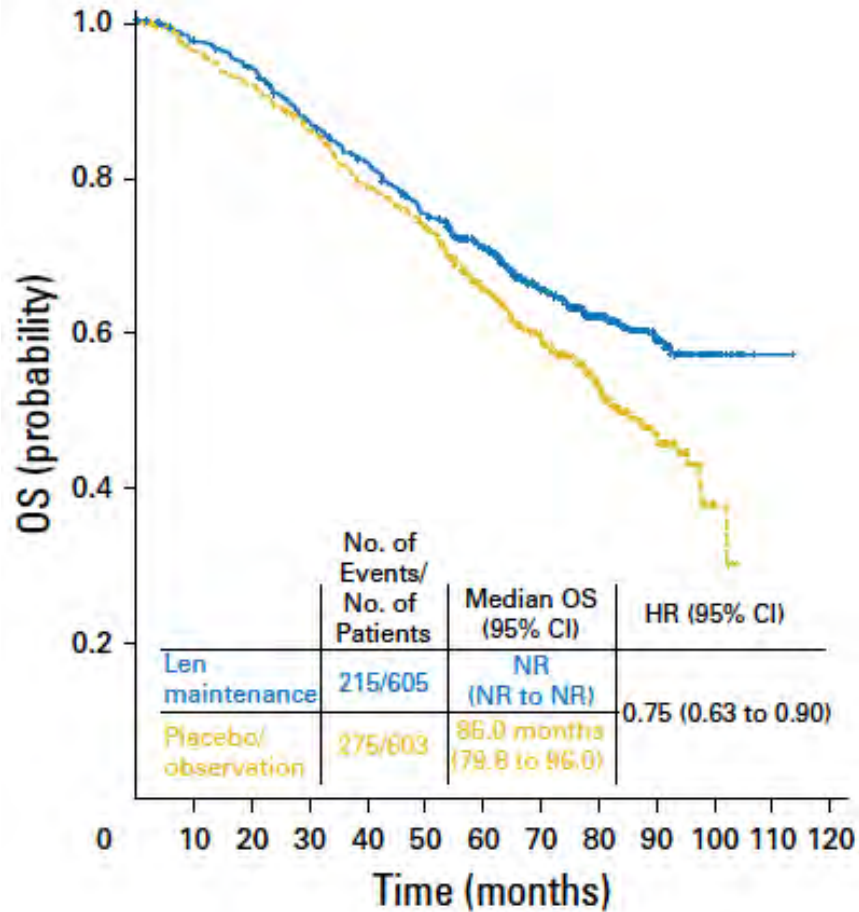


EMN02: Single vs Tandem: High Risk Genetics

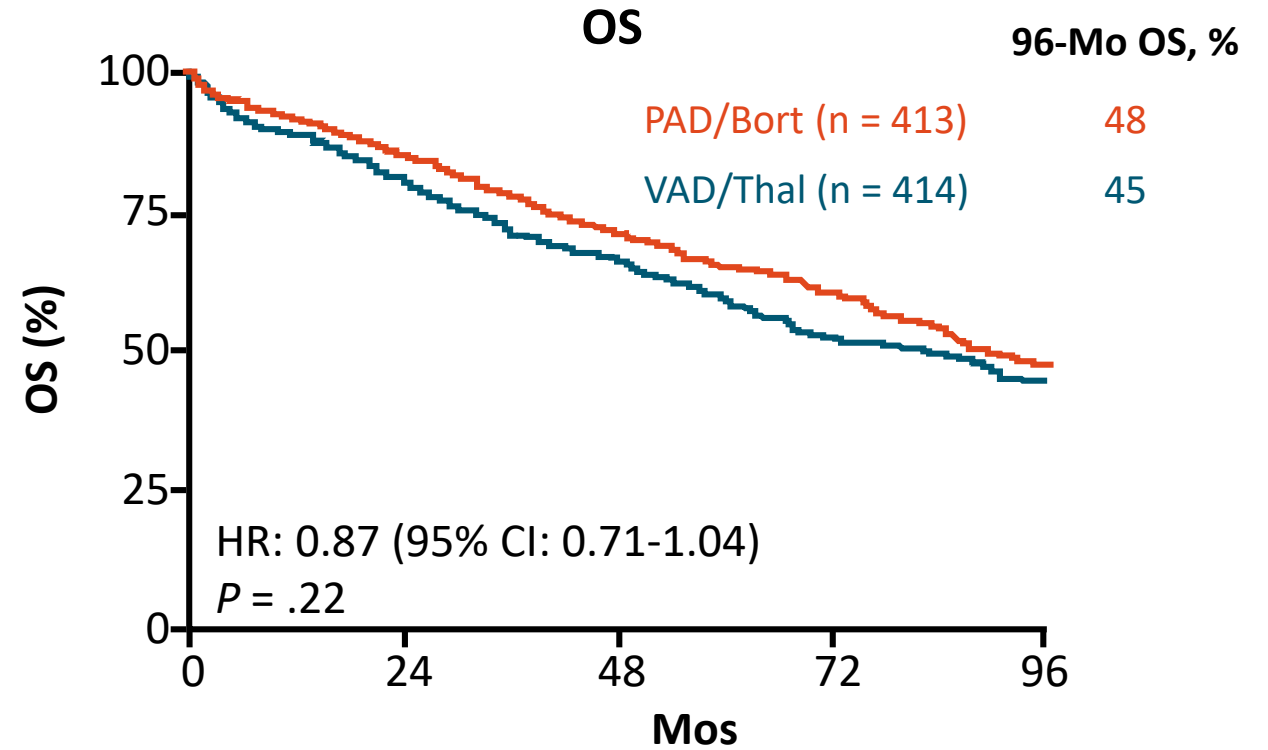
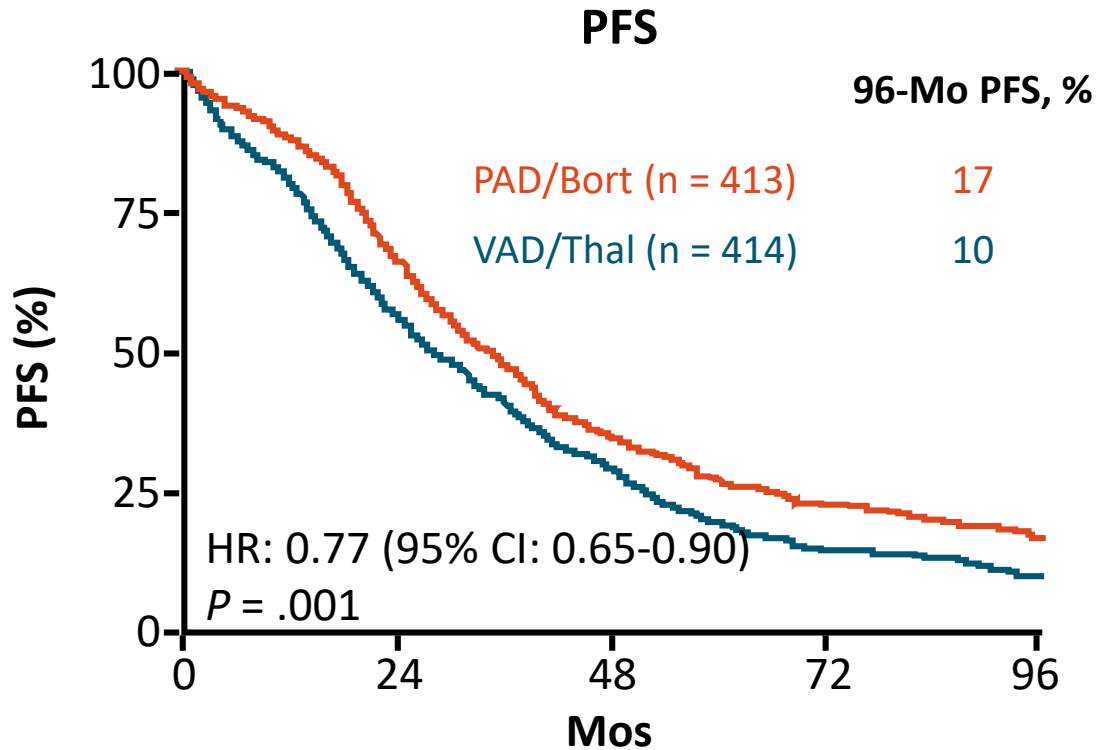


Recommendation: in high-risk patients, a discussion regarding tandem SCT is warranted

Lenalidomide Maintenance



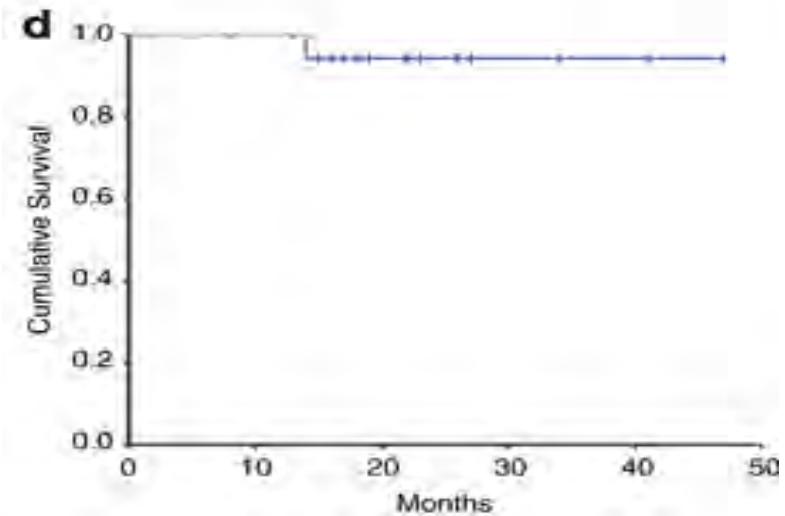
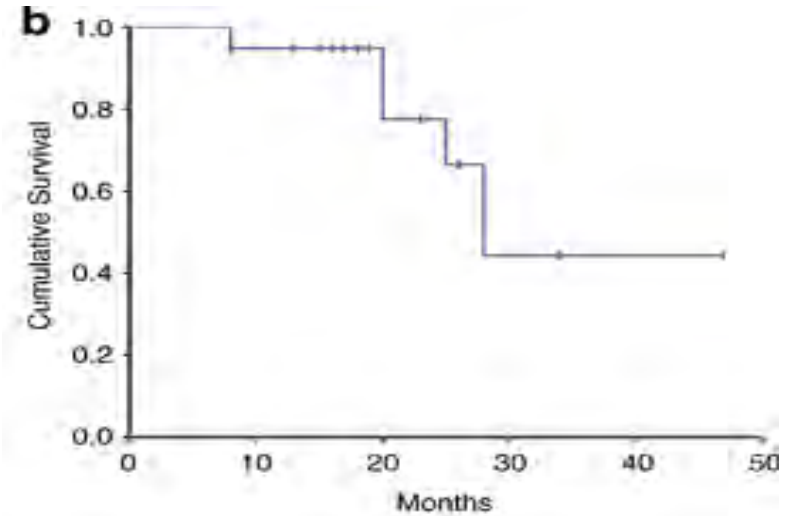
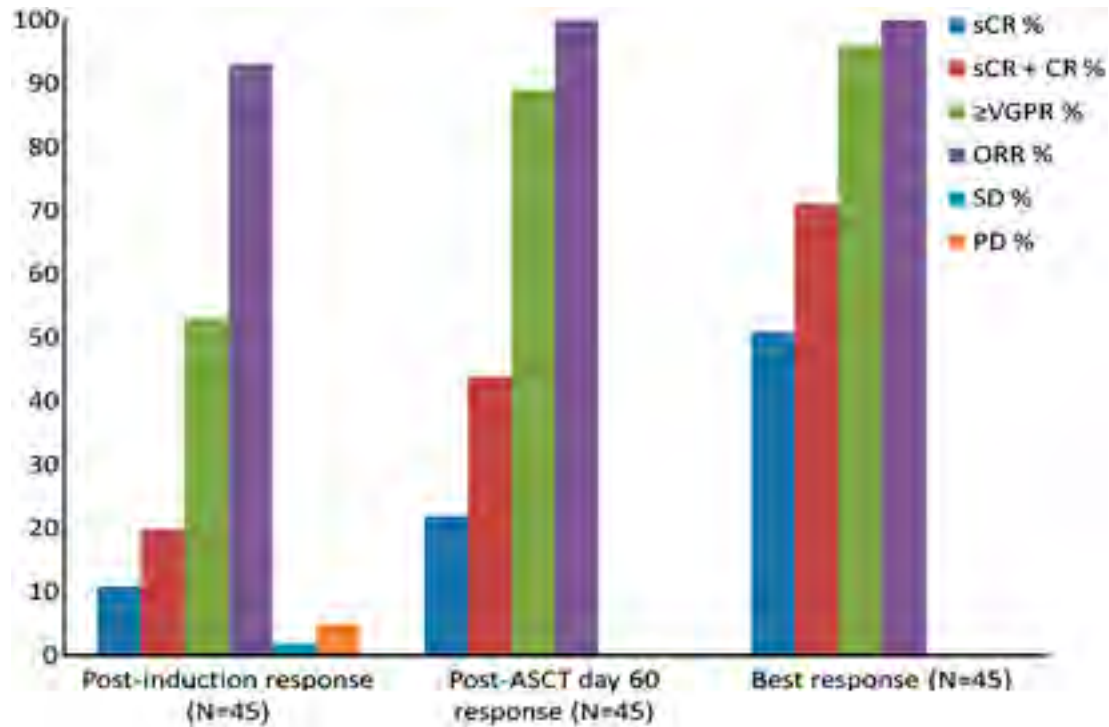
Phase III HOVON-65/GMMG-HD4 Trial: Bortezomib Maintenance



Recommendation: Lenalidomide maintenance should be considered for standard risk and bortezomib maintenance for high risk

Outcome, %	PAD/Bort	VAD/Thal
CR/nCR	50	35
≥ VGPR	75	56
ORR	91	83

Different strategy for HR? VRD Maintenance



Take Home Points

- In transplant-eligible patients: upfront transplant after 4-6 cycles of induction regardless of the depth of response is standard
 - Delayed SCT at first relapse is acceptable
- If VRd induction is used, additional consolidation with VRd is not recommended
- Tandem transplant is not standard approach
 - In high-risk MM, possibility of benefit should be discussed
- Lenalidomide maintenance recommended for all standard-risk MM and bortezomib based maintenance for high risk
 - del17p: VRd maintenance could be considered



Thank you

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What's Next After Induction in Patients Eligible for ASCT ?

The European Perspective

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Eligibility for ASCT

Yes

Induction: 3-drug regimens

VTD

VCD

RVD

PAD



200 mg/m² Melphalan followed by ASCT



Maintenance
Lenalidomide

No

First option: VMP, Rd, VRD

Second option: VCD, MPT

Other options : BP, CTD, MP

FRONTLINE THERAPY

ESMO guidelines

Moreau et al, Ann Oncol 2017

No Consolidation!

Single ASCT!

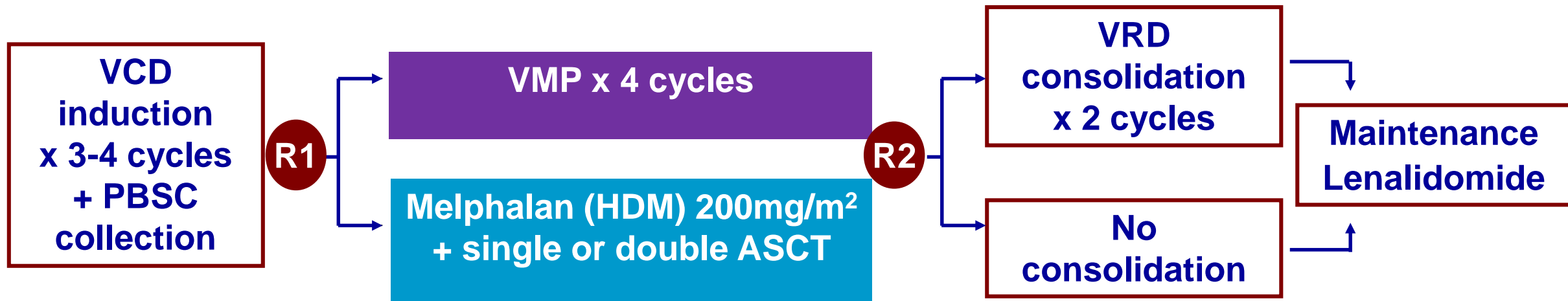
No Delayed ASCT!

**≤ 65 Years or
Fit Patients ≤ 70 Years in Good Clinical Condition**

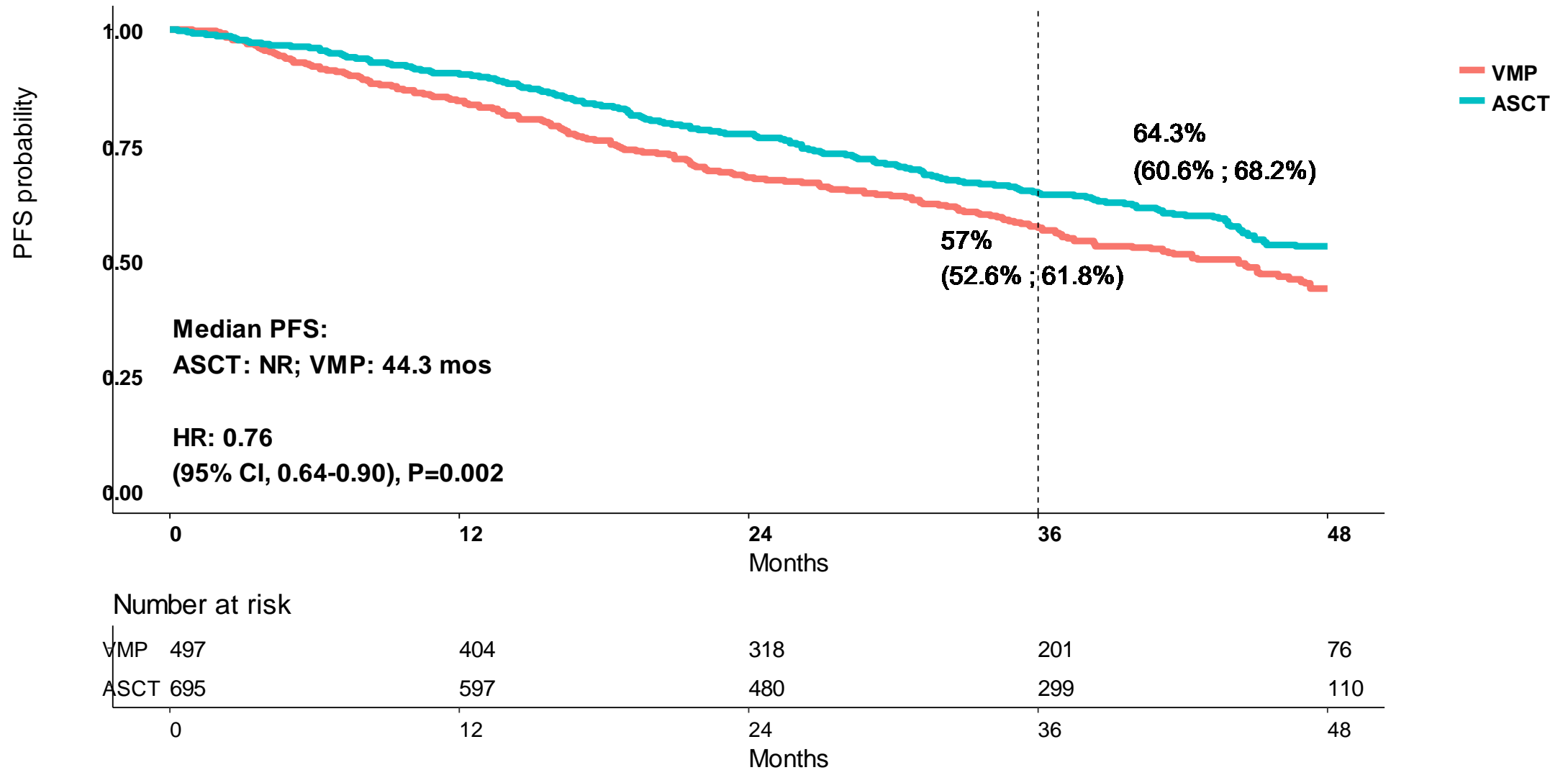
**In the context of novel-agent based therapy,
frontline ASCT is the standard of care !**

**IFM 2009
EMN02**

EMN02/HO95 MM Trial: Study Design

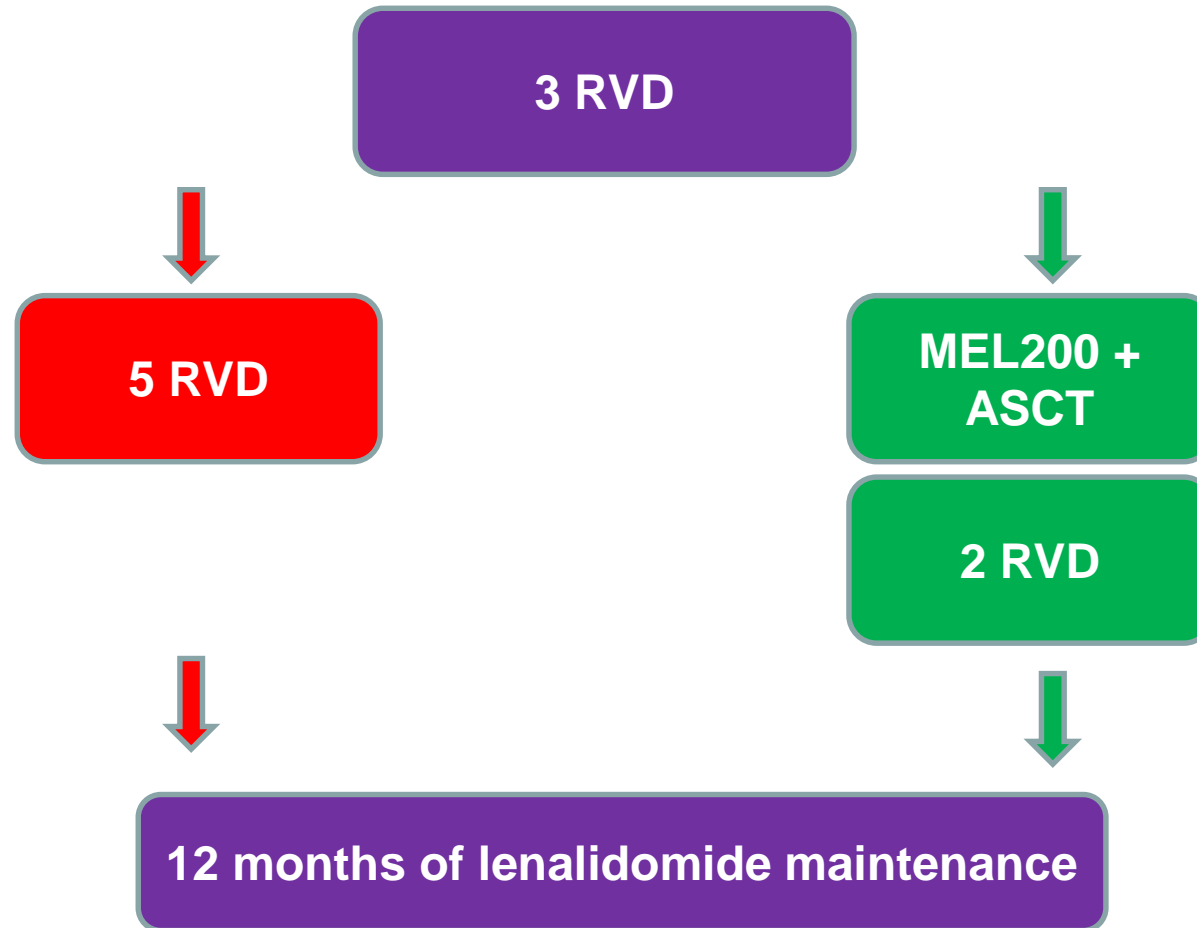


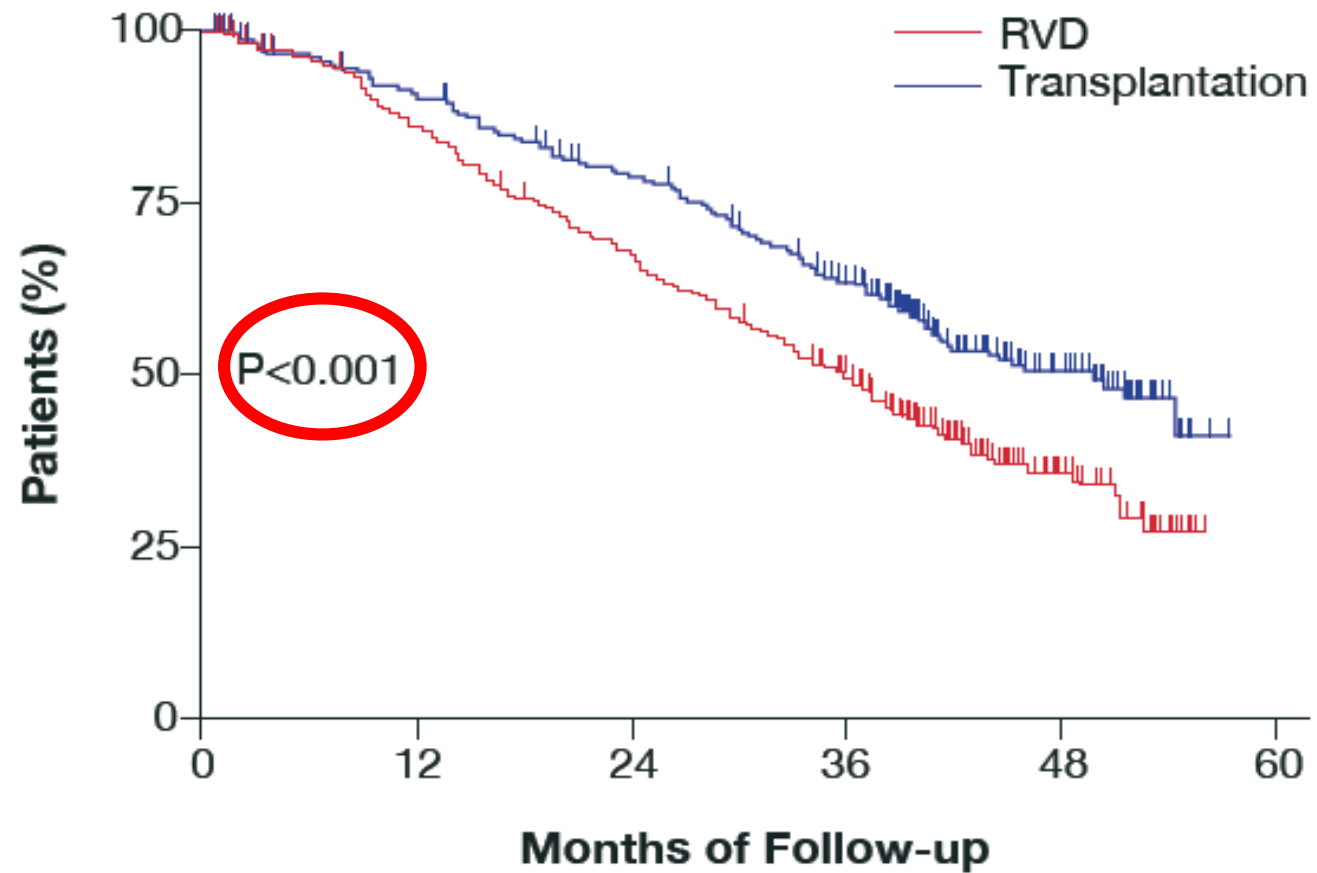
PFS by randomization (VMP vs ASCT)





IFM DFCI 2009 Trial
700 patients < 66y,
Newly diagnosed symptomatic MM





No. at Risk							
RVD	350	294	228	157	32	0	
Transplantation	350	308	264	196	50	0	

PROGRESSION-FREE SURVIVAL

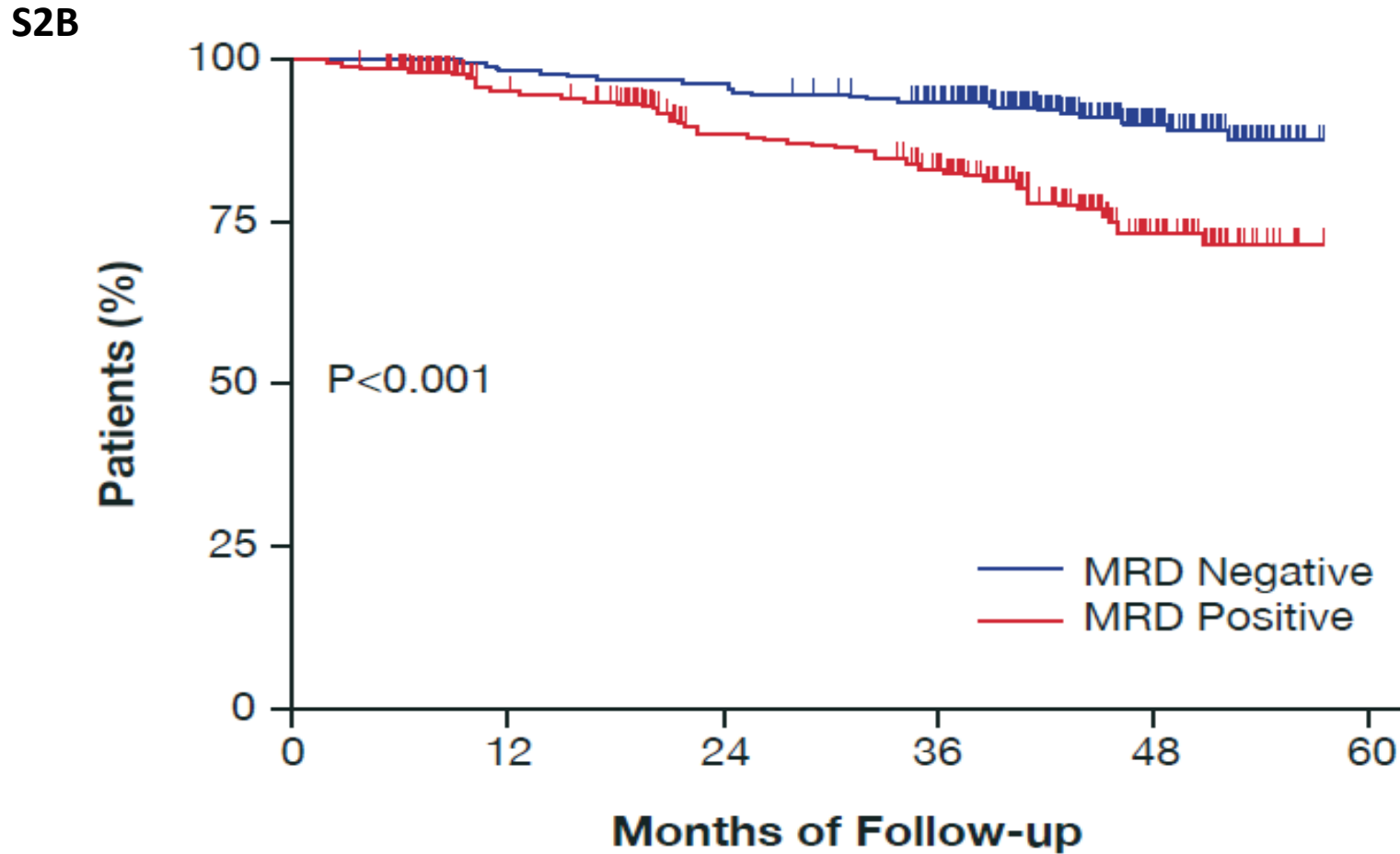
IFM 2009: PFS, Prognostic Factors

	Multivariate Analysis aHR	P Value
Treatment arm (B/A)	0.80	0.02
ISS II vs I	1.33	0.02
III vs I	1.45	0.01
FISH (high risk/standard)	2.22	< 0.001
CR	0.58	< 0.001
MRD (FCM)	0.39	< 0.001

IFM 2009: Best Response.

	RVD group N=350	Transplant group N=350	p-value
CR	48%	59%	} 0.004
VGPR	29%	29%	
PR	20%	11%	
<PR	3%	2%	
At least VGPR	77%	88%	<0.001
MRD neg by FCM , n (%)	171/265 (65%)	220/278 (80%)	<0.001

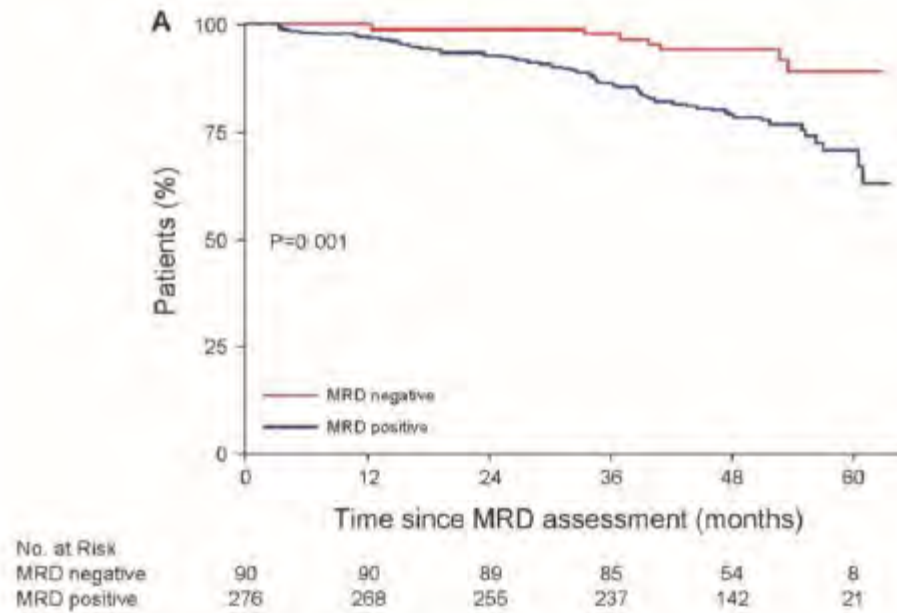
IFM/DFCI 2009: OS According to MRD (FCM) (9/2015)



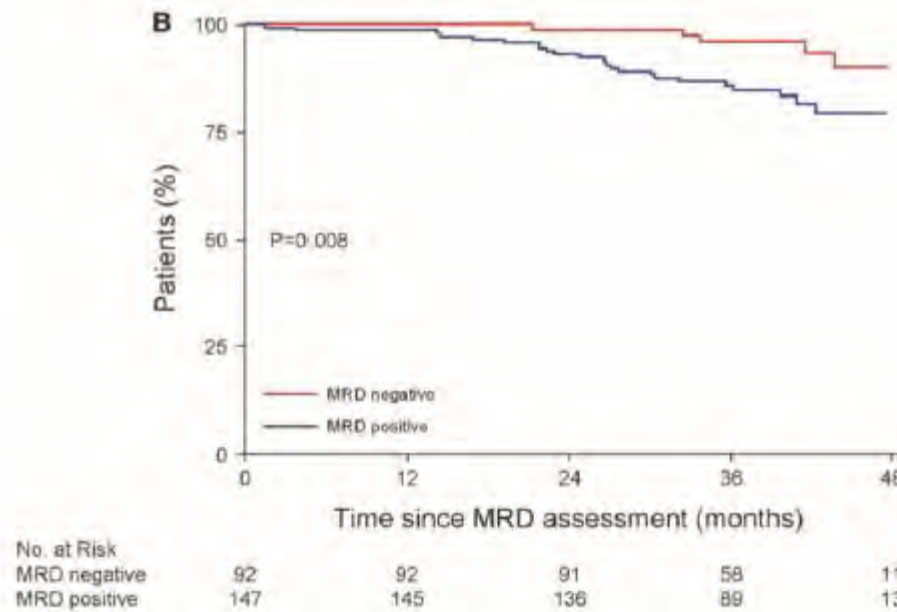
No. at Risk

MRD Negative	0	311	379	347	119	0
MRD Positive	700	358	259	227	65	0

**Overall survival
at the start of maintenance
NGS, 10^{-6}**



**Overall survival
after 12 months of maintenance
NGS, 10^{-6}**



Role of Induction

- **Fast control of the disease**
- **Achieve high response rates (MRD neg?)**
- **Minimal toxicity**
- **Allow adequate stem cell harvest**

VTD and VCD are widely used in Europe

VRD in US, less toxic, as effective : future in
Europe following approval of Len ?
→ easily up to 6 cycles

Superiority of bortezomib, thalidomide, and dexamethasone (VTD) as induction pretransplantation therapy in multiple myeloma: a randomized phase 3 PETHEMA/GEM study

Laura Rosiñol, Albert Oriol, Ana Isabel Teruel, Dolores Hernández, Javier López-Jiménez, Javier de la Rubia, Miquel Granell, Joan Besalduch, Luis Palomera, Yolanda González, M^a Asunción Etxebeste, Joaquín Díaz-Mediavilla, Miguel T. Hernández, Felipe de Arriba, Norma C. Gutiérrez, M^a Luisa Martín-Ramos, M^a Teresa Cibeira, M^a Victoria Mateos, Joaquín Martínez, Adrián Alegre, Juan José Lahuerta, Jesús San Miguel and Joan Bladé

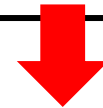
Table 2. Response rate to induction therapy according to treatment arm

6 cycles of VTD

	QT + V, n = 129	TD, n = 127	VTD, n = 130
CR, %	21*	12*	35*
VGPR, %	15	15	25
PR, %	39	33	25
SD, %	12	12	6
PD, %	12†	23	7‡
Early deaths, %	1	1	2

} 60%

*VTD vs QT + V, $P = .01$; VTD vs TD, $P = .0001$. †QT + V vs TD, $P = .02$. ‡VTD vs TD, $P = .0004$.



Median number of CD34+ cells : $3.8 \times 10^6/\text{kg}$

Pethema/GEM Phase 3 Study: VRD-GEM Induction 6 Cycles (N=455 Patients)

Response, n (%)	Overall 455 (100%)
Complete response (CR + sCR)	176 (39)
VGPR	133 (29)
	} 68%
MRD negative, NGF, 3×10^{-6}, n = 320	35%
PR	77 (17)
Stable disease	30 (6)
Progressive disease	30 (6)
Non-evaluable	12 (3)
Early death	7 (1.5)
Overall response rate	386 (85)

Median number of CD34+ cells (3 cycles) : $4.66 \times 10^6/\text{kg}$

Toxicity

	VTD, n = 130 Grade 3-4 %	VRD, n= 455 Grade 3-4 %
Neutropenia	10	11
Thrombocytopenia	8	6
Peripheral neuropathy		
Grade 2	46	13
Grade 3	12	1
Grade 4	2	0
Discontinuation during induction		
Toxicity	7	2
Disease progression	7	6
Death	2	1.5

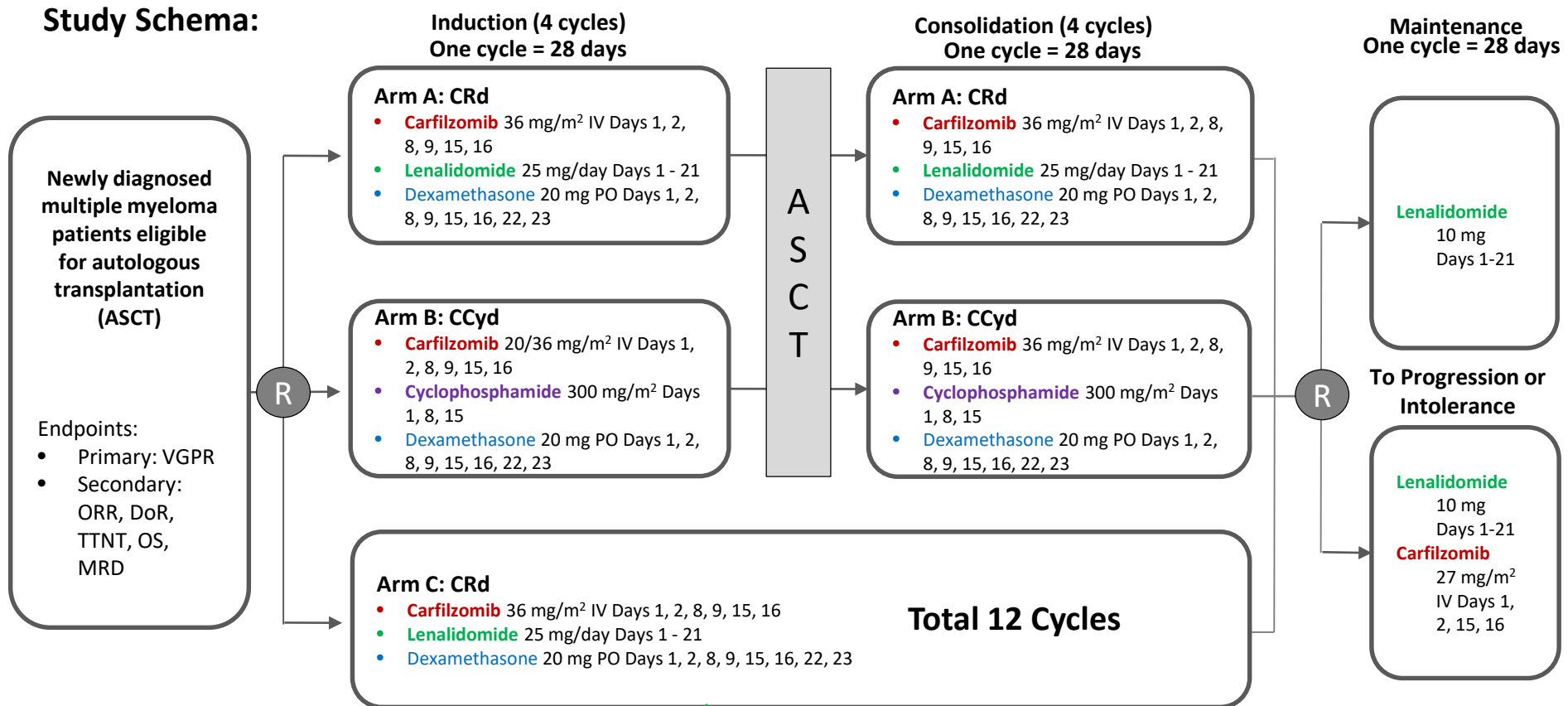
Kinetics of Response According to MRD, NGF/Euroflow (n=320), 10⁻⁶

	Induction (VRDx6)	HDT/ASCT	Consolidation (VRDx2)
MRD negative	35%	54%	58%
MRD positive	65%	46%	42%

How to improve ?

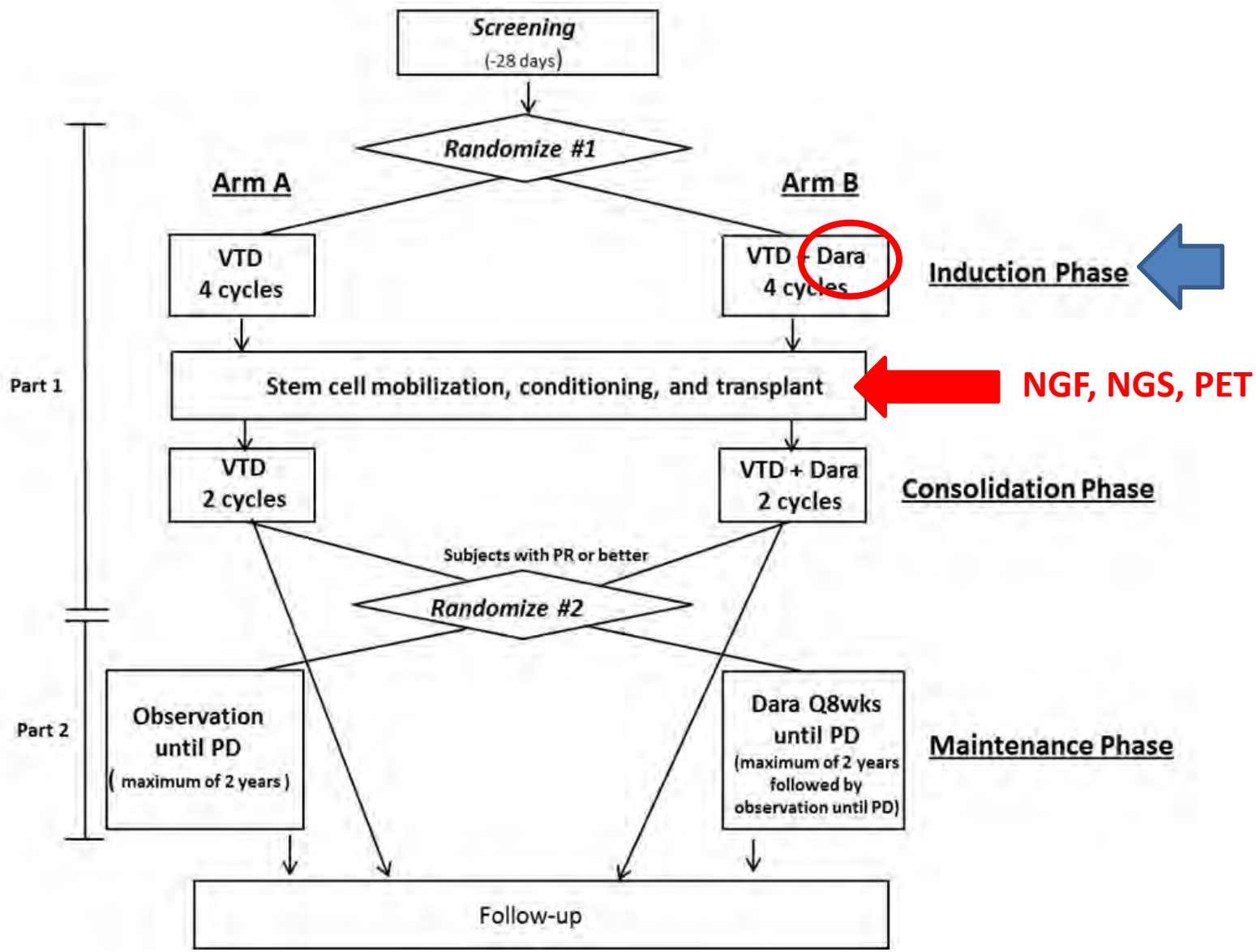
Future ...

Forte: KRd Study Design (Gimema)

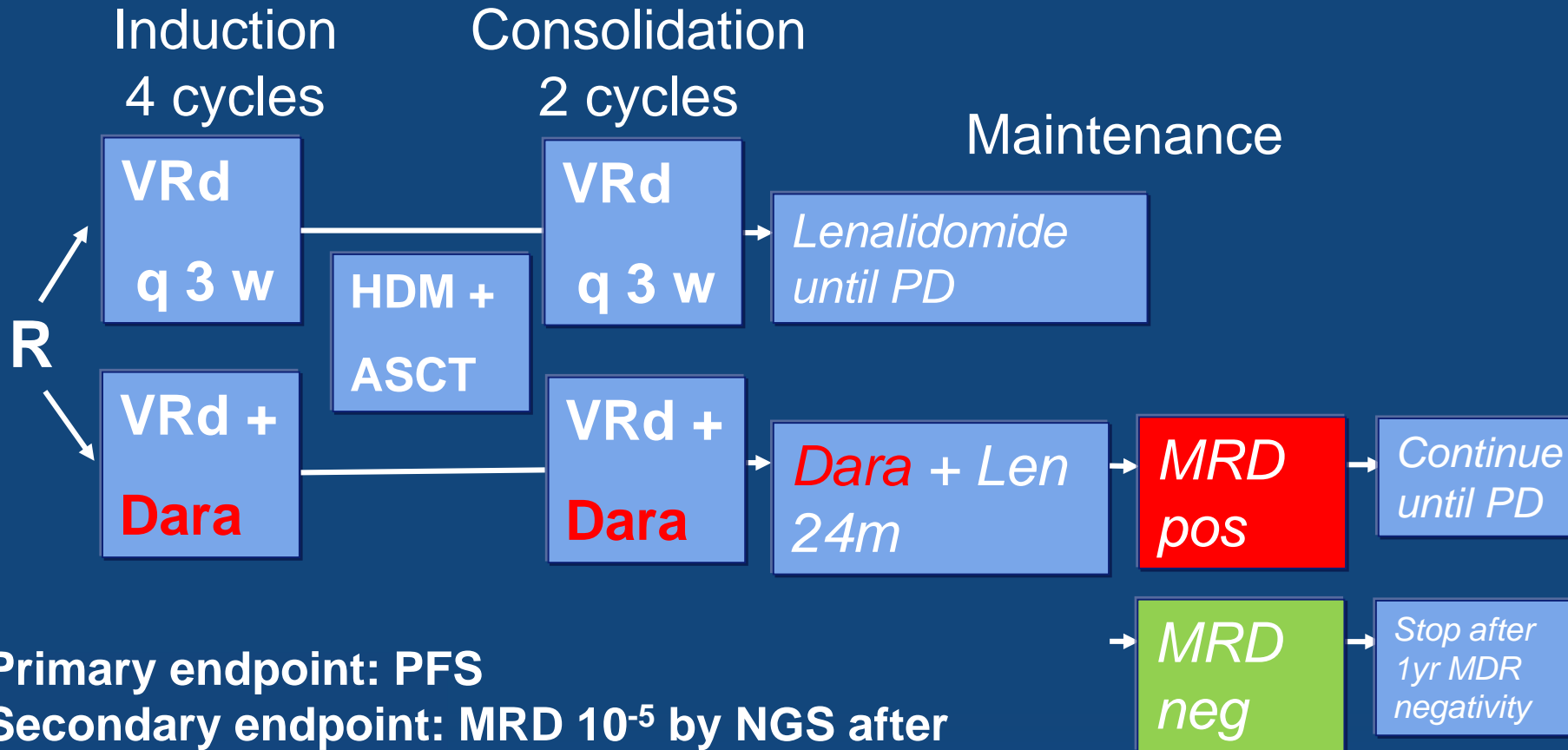


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Daratumumab-VRd Trial in Transplant-Eligible NDMM EMN017/HOVON158/MMY3014 Registration Trial



Role of Consolidation

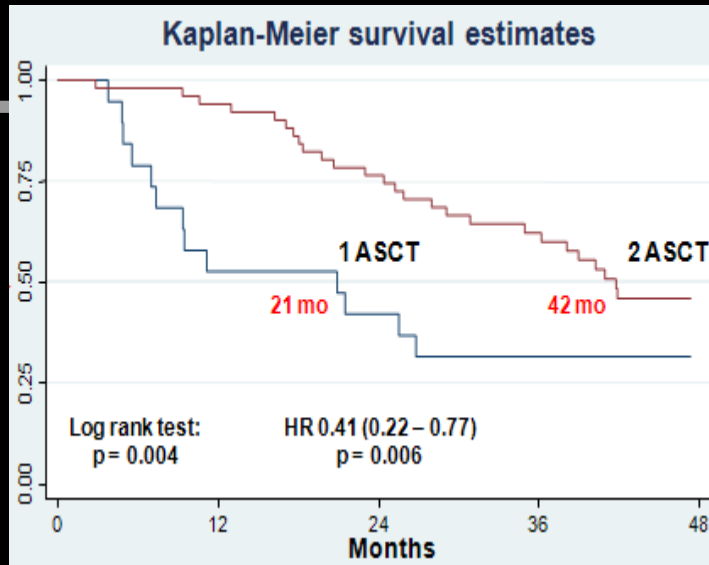
- **Short duration after ASCT**
- **Increased the depth of response (MRD neg)**
- **Reduced toxicity allowing maintenance**

Tools and Issues

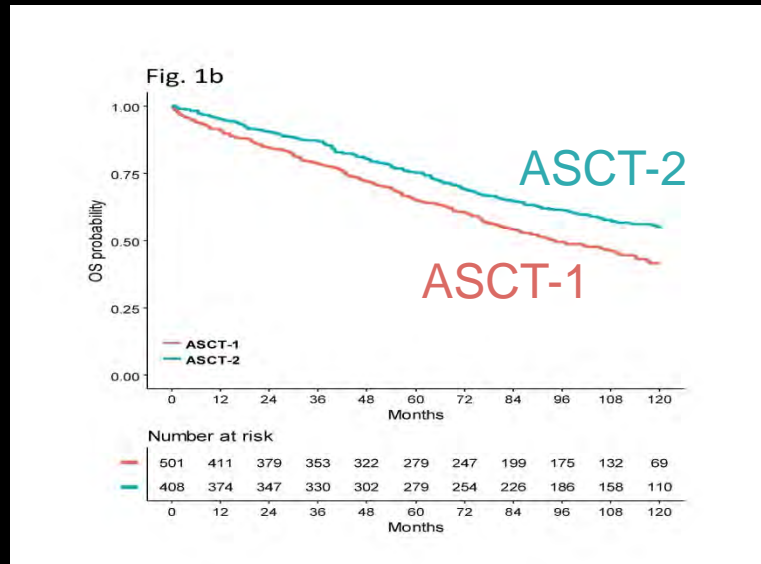
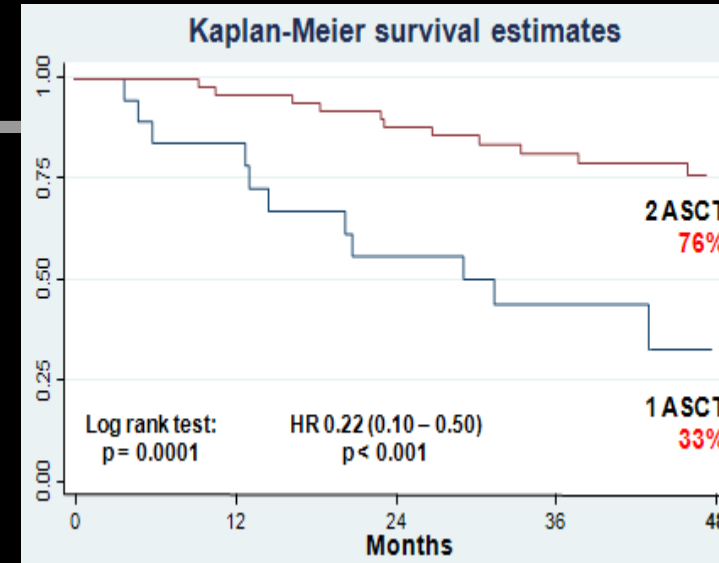
- **Novel-agent based**
- **Second (tandem) ASCT**

- **Necessary?**
- **Best one?**
- **Optimal duration?**

Double vs Single ASCT After Bortezomib-Based Induction



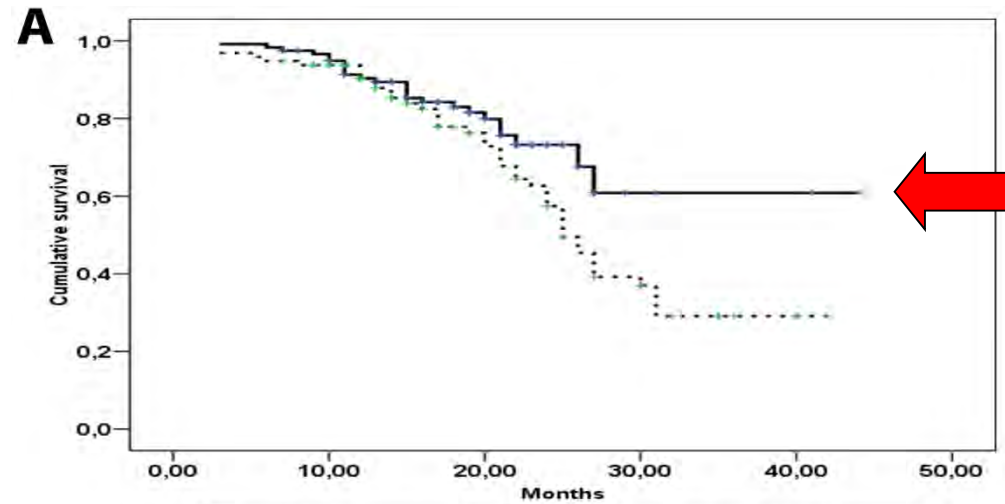
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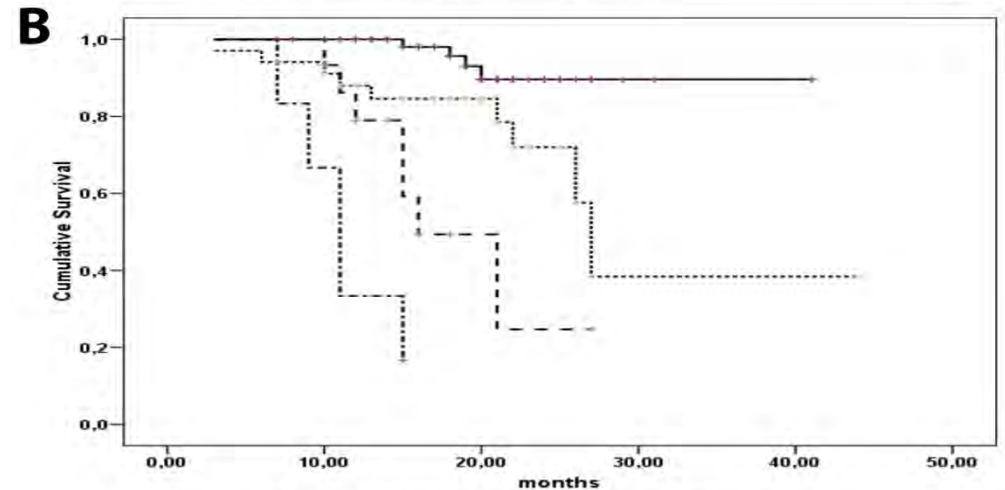
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Retrospective trial 217 patients

VTD – auto
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VTD – auto - VTD

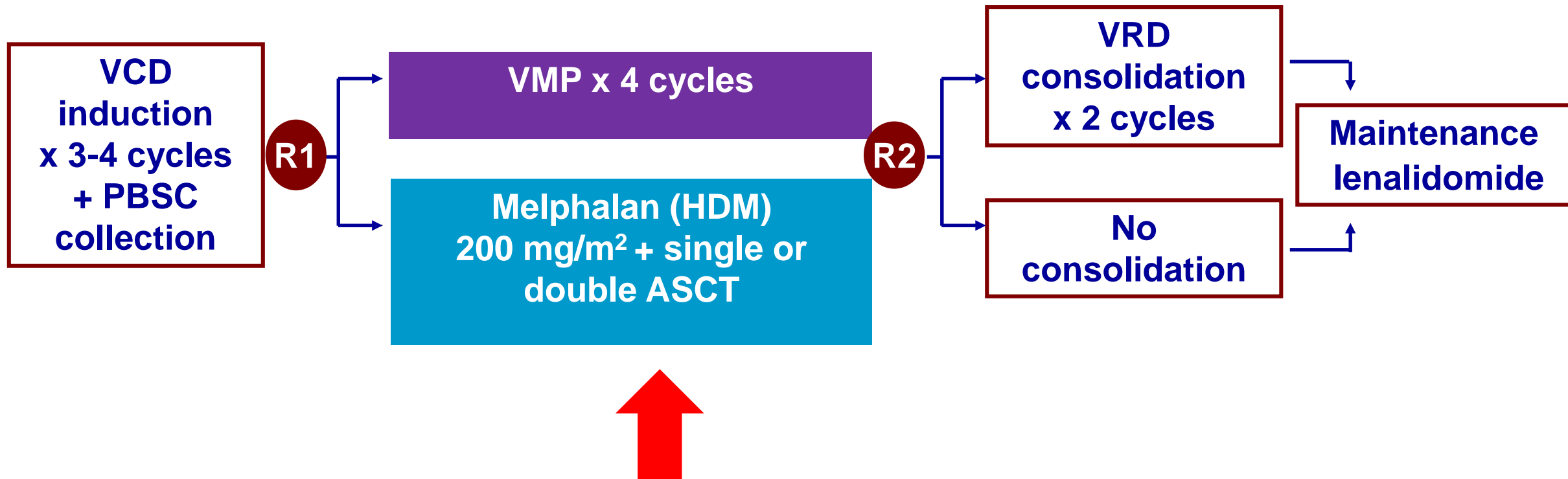


Groups (IMWG)	O/N	Median (95%CI)	HR (95%CI)	p
— VTD-auto-VTd	25/121	NR (-;-)	0.6 (0.3;1.0)	<0.001
····· VTd-auto	43/96	25 (22;28)		

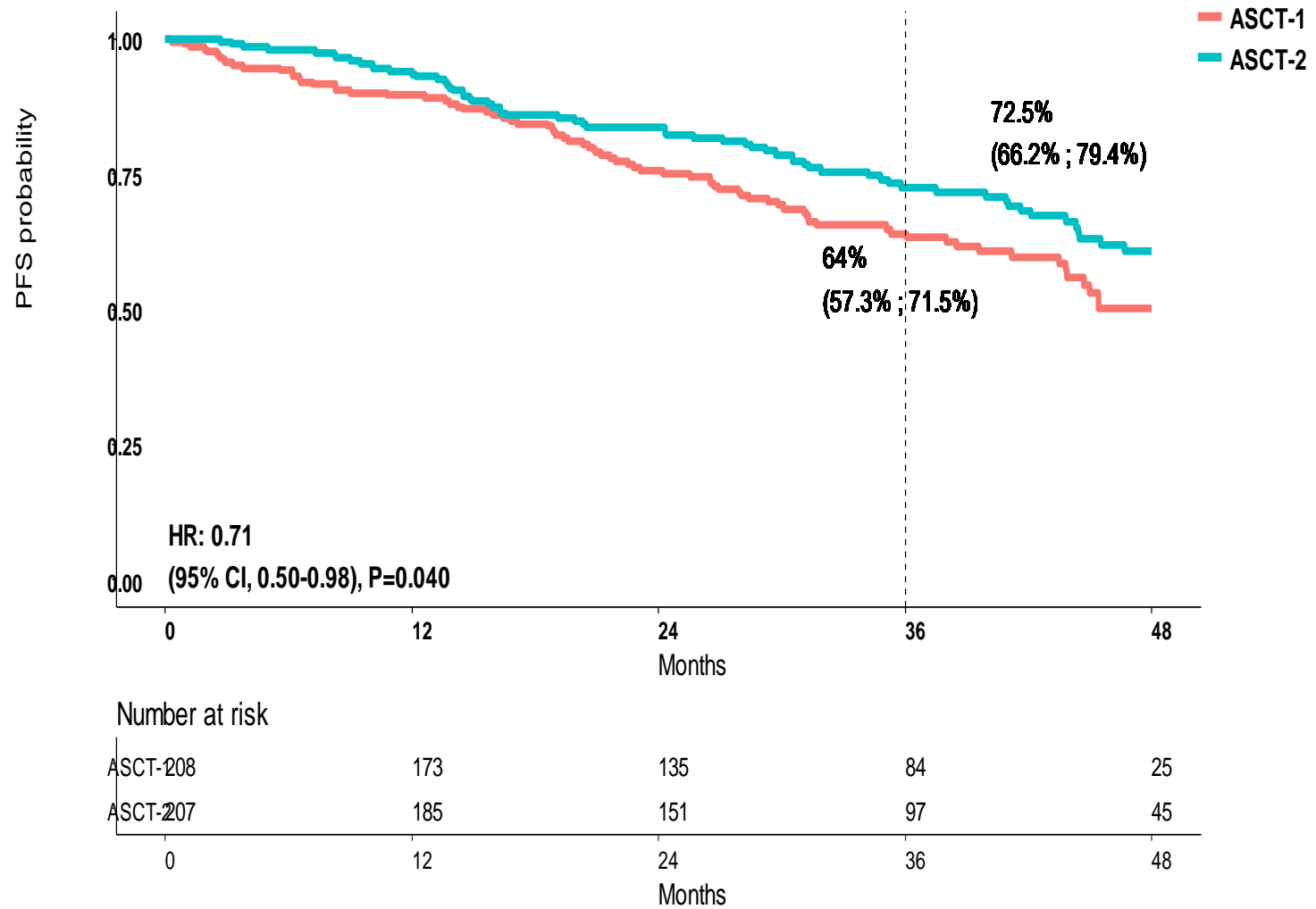


Groups (IMWG)	O/N	Median (95%CI)	HR (95%CI)	p
— CR	4/62	NR (-;-)	2.1 (1;4)	<0.0001
····· VGPR	9/34	27 (25;29)	1.7 (0.9;3)	
- - - PR	7/15	16 (11;21)	0.7 (0.4;1.4)	
- · - · SD and refractory	5/6	11 (9;13)		

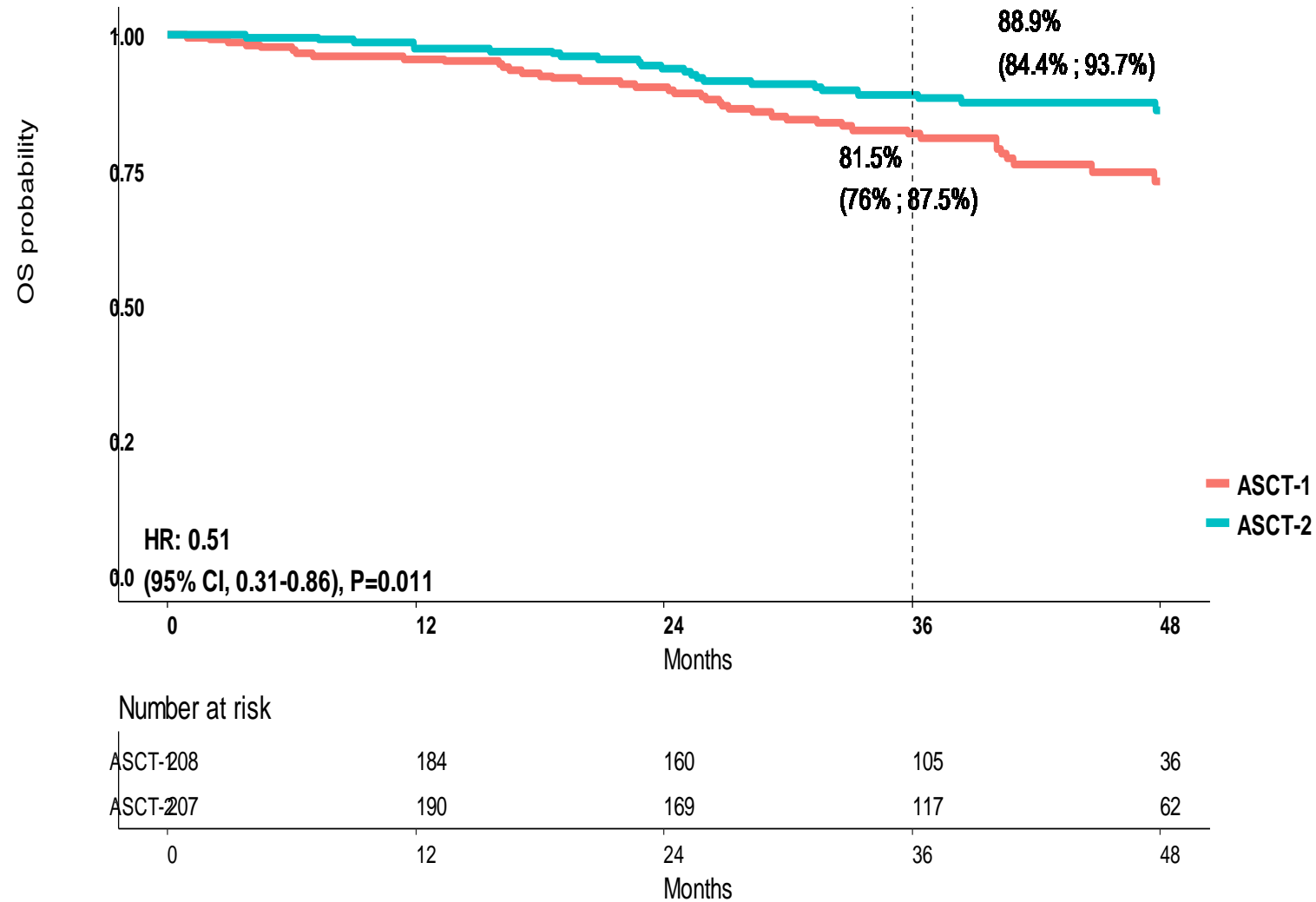
EMN02/HO95 MM Trial: Study Design



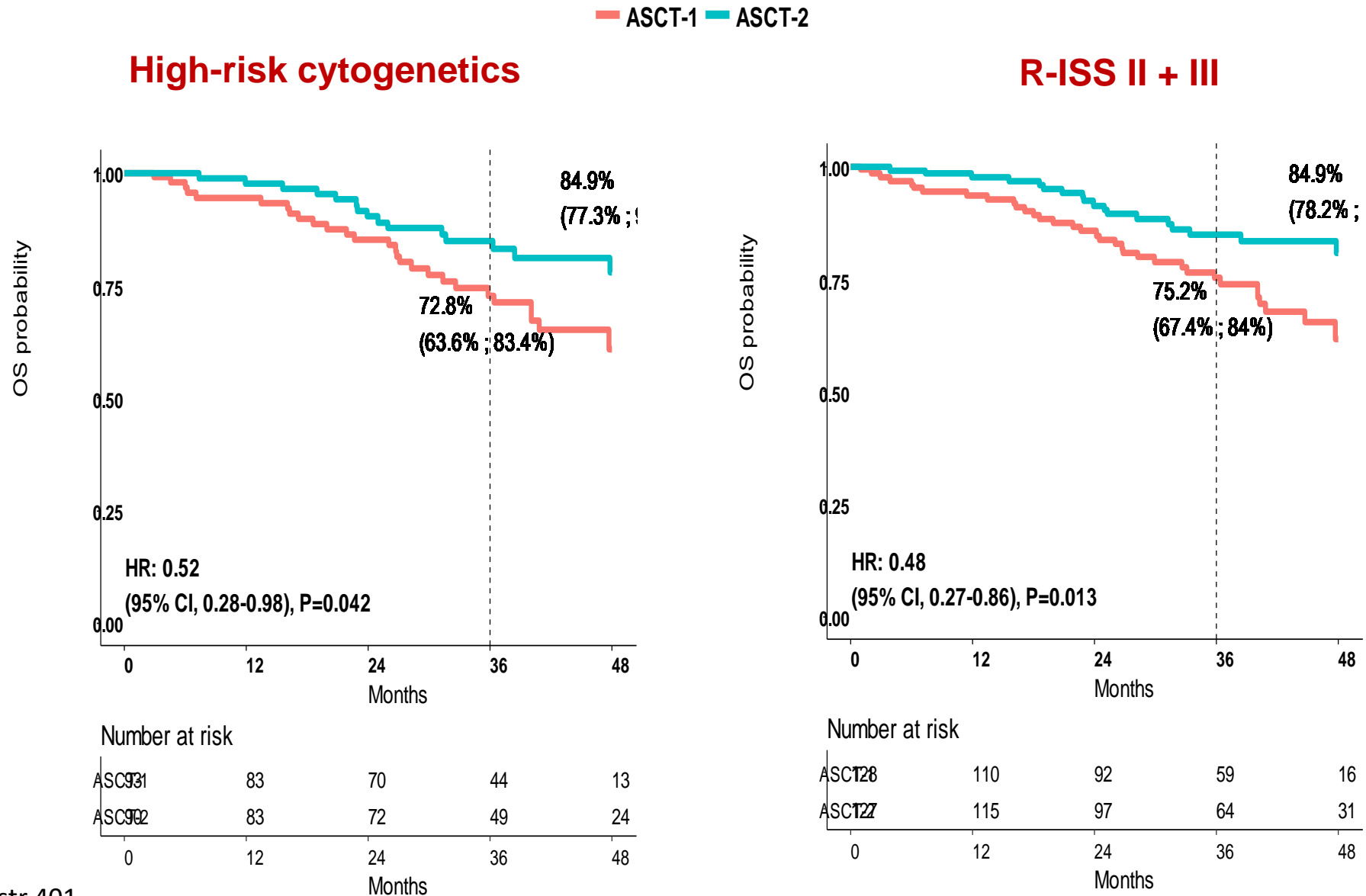
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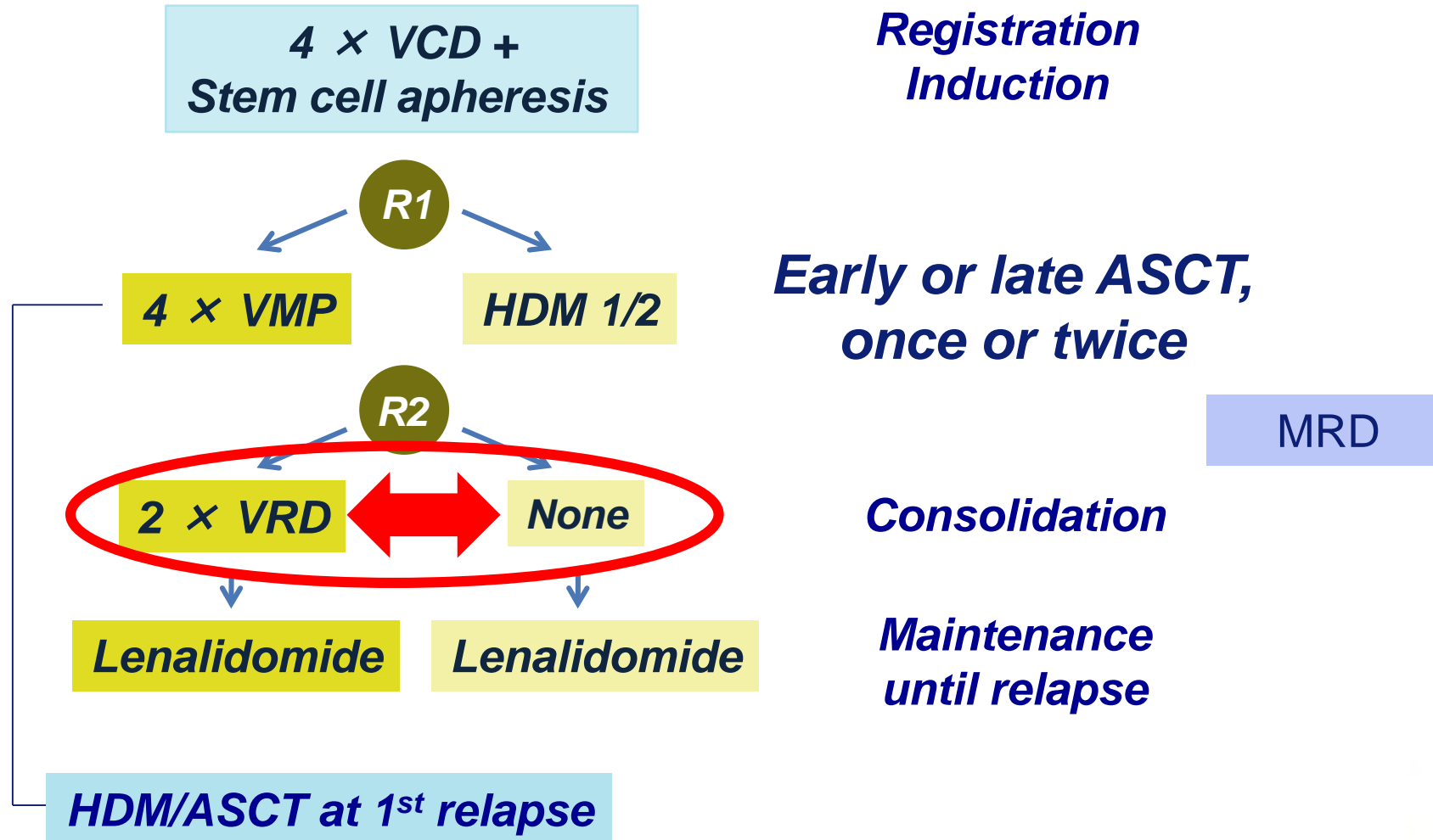
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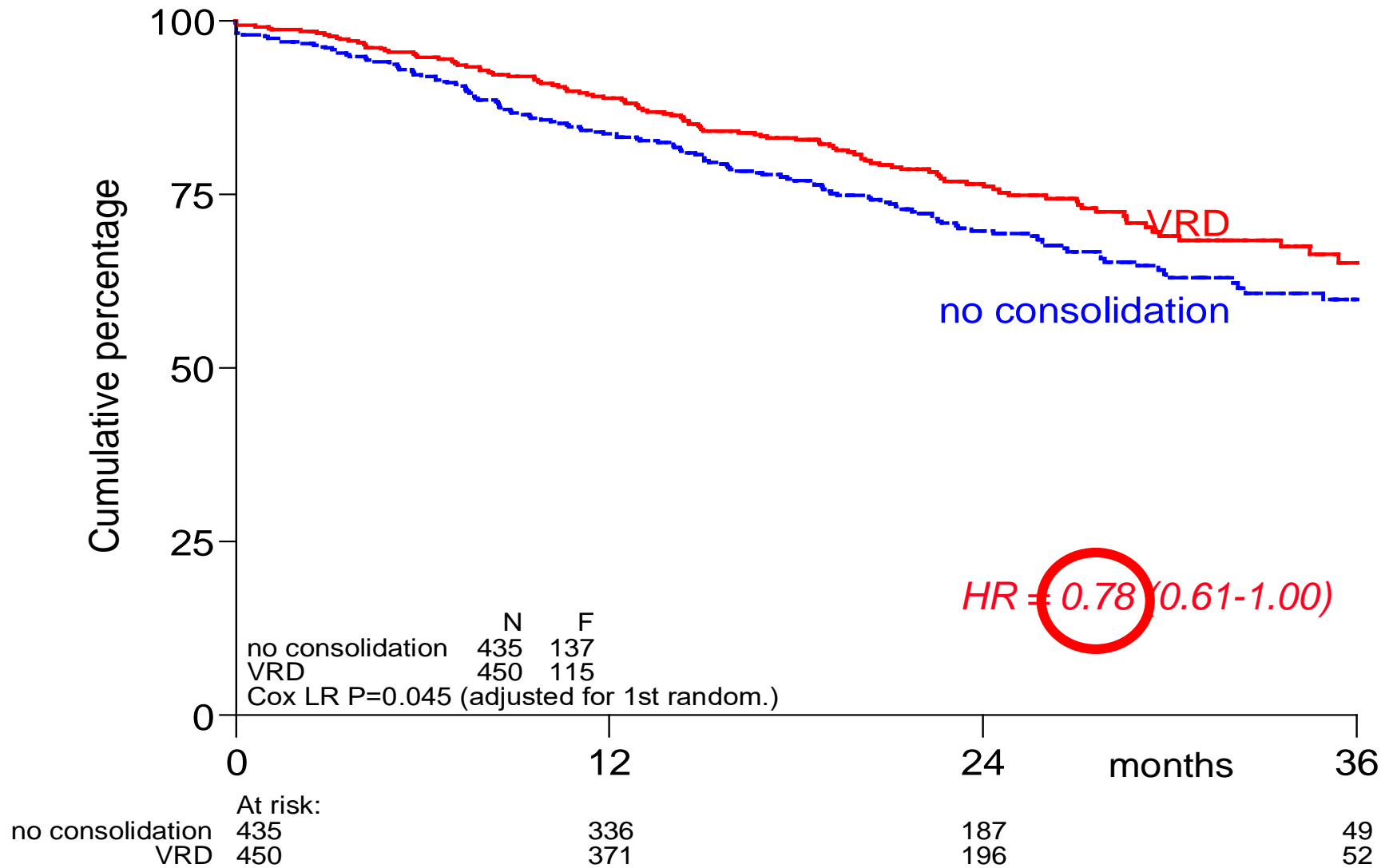
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Design of EMN02 Trial



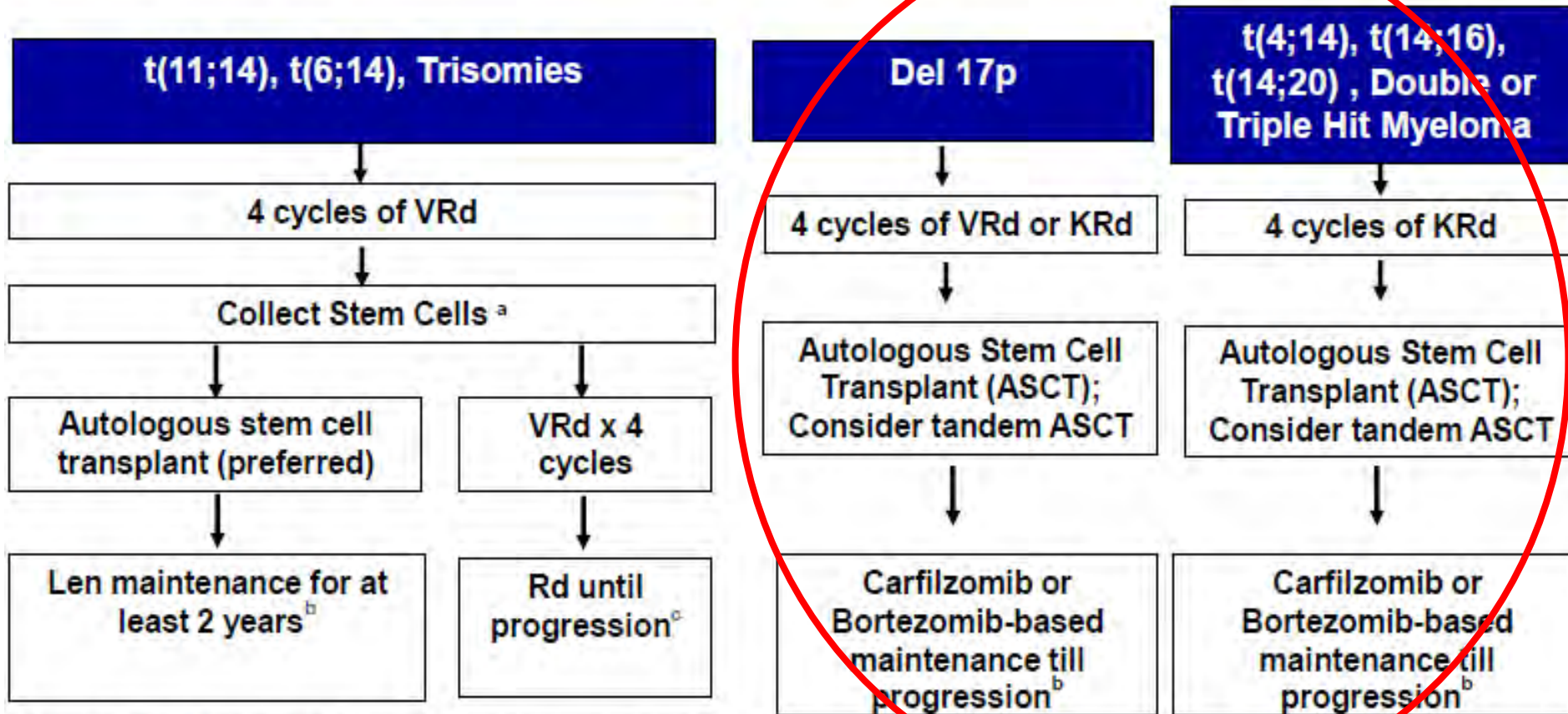
Progression-Free Survival



Kinetics of Response According to MRD, NGF/Euroflow (n=320), 10⁻⁶

	Induction (VRDx6)	HDT/ASCT	Consolidation (VRDx2)
MRD negative	35%	54%	58%
MRD positive	65%	46%	42%

mSMART – Off-Study Transplant Eligible

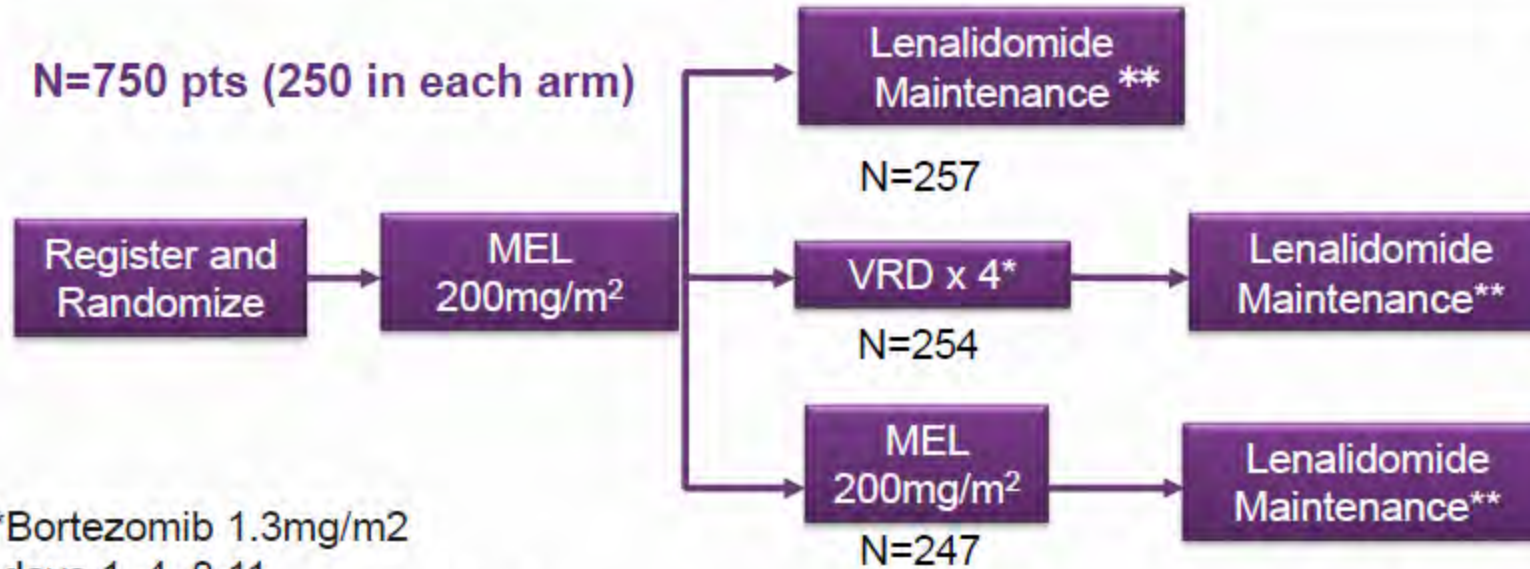


^a If age >65 or > 4 cycles of VRd, consider mobilization with G-CSF plus cytoxan or plerixafor

^b Duration based on tolerance; consider risks and benefits for treatment beyond 3 years

^c Continuing Rd for patients responding to Rd and with low toxicities

BMT CTN 0702 Stem Cell Transplantation for Multiple Myeloma Incorporating Novel Agents: SCHEMA



*Bortezomib 1.3mg/m²
days 1, 4, 8, 11
Lenalidomide 15mg days 1-15
Dexamethasone 40mg
days 1, 8, 15
Every 21 days

****Lenalidomide x 3years :
10mg/d for 3 cycles , then 15 mg/d
Amendment in 2014 changed Lenalidomide
maintenance until disease progression after
report of CALGB 100104.**

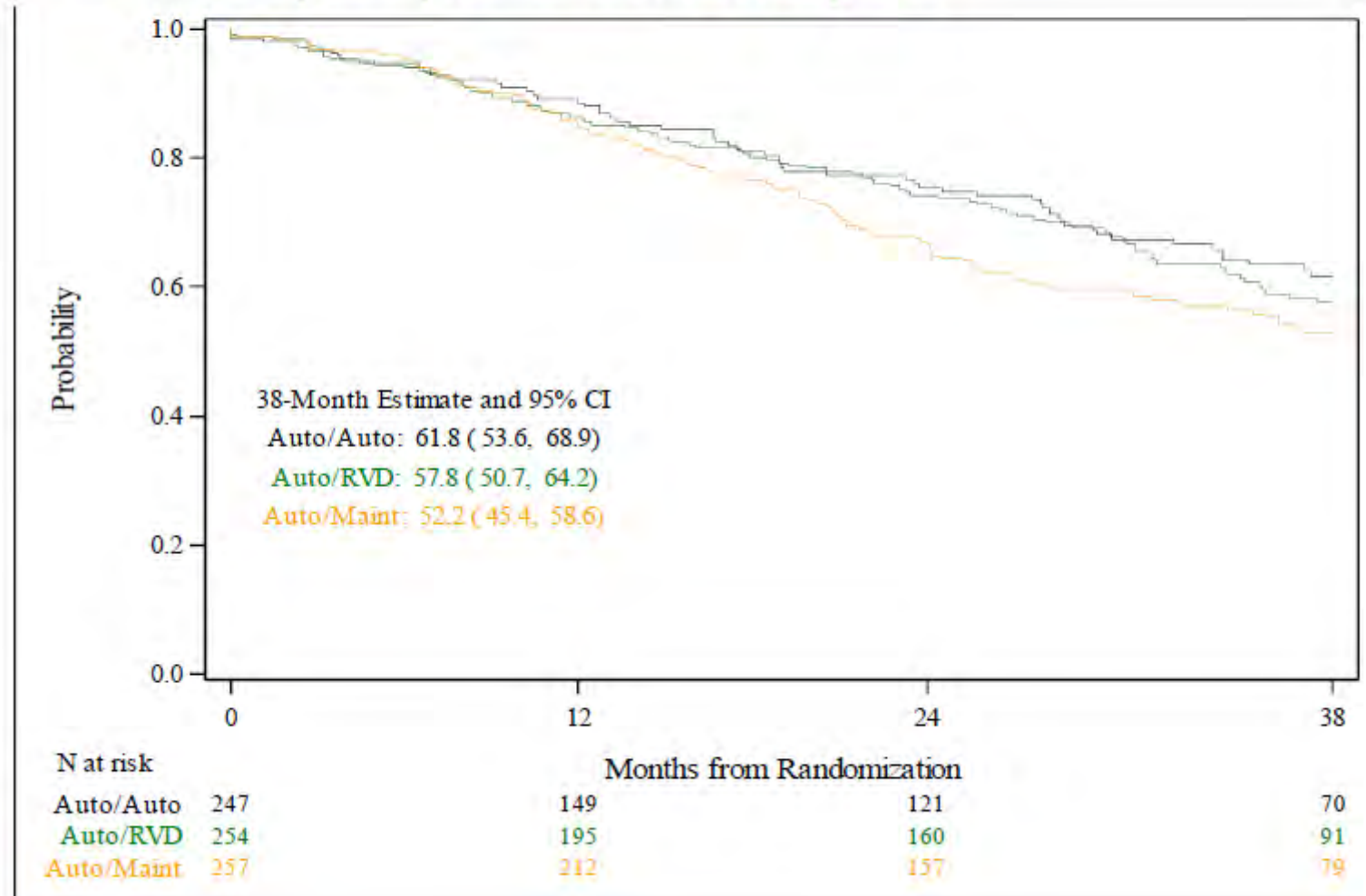




Compliance with each intervention

	Auto/Auto (N=247)		Auto/RVD (N=254)		Auto/Maint (N=257)	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Received 2 nd Intervention						
No	79	32.0	30	11.8	-	-
Yes	168	68.0	224	88.2	-	-
Started maintenance						
No	41	16.6	43	16.9	14	5.4
Yes	206	83.4	211	83.1	243	94.6

Progression-Free Survival – as treated/per protocol Analysis

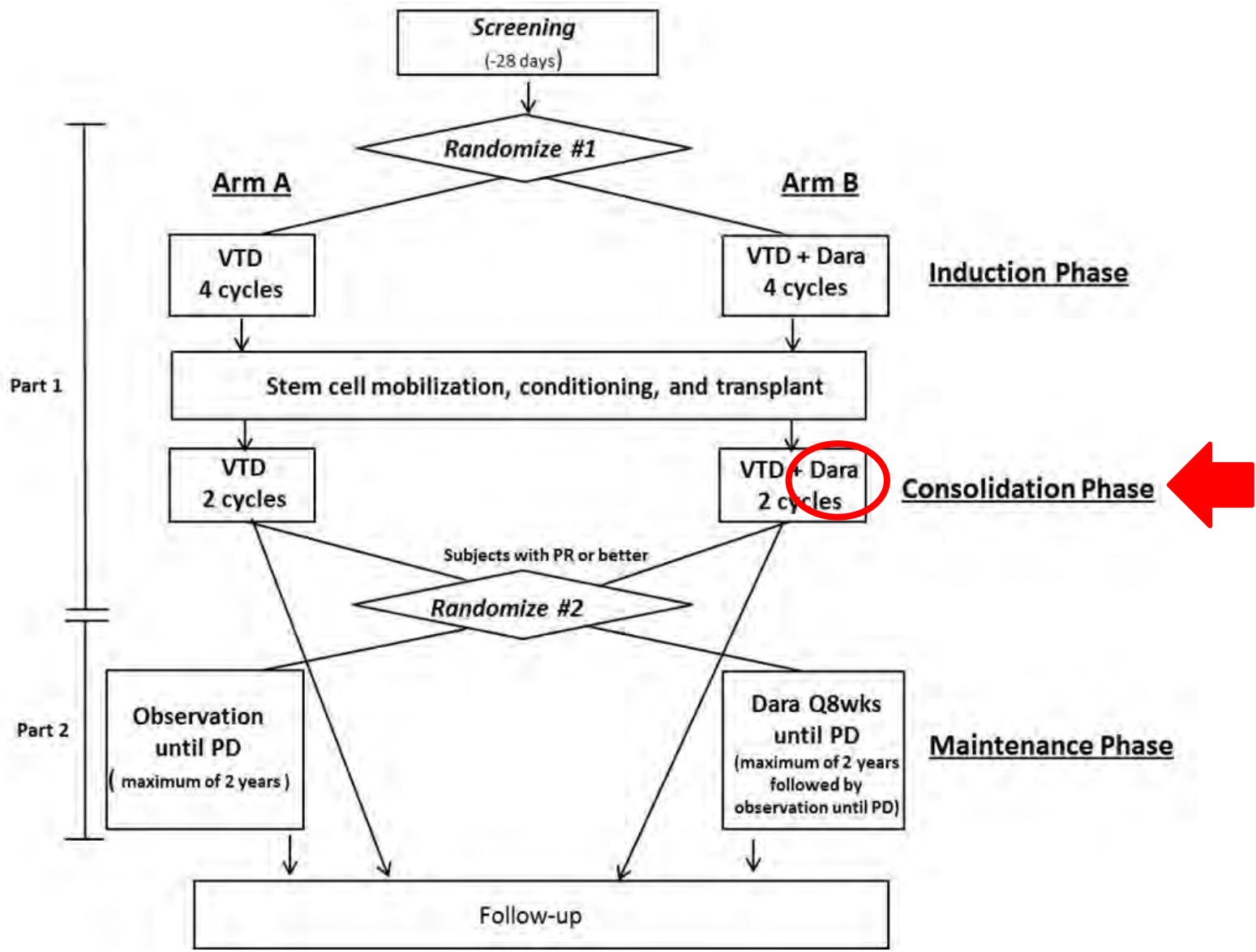


Consolidation

- **Necessary?**
- **Best one?**
- **Optimal duration?**

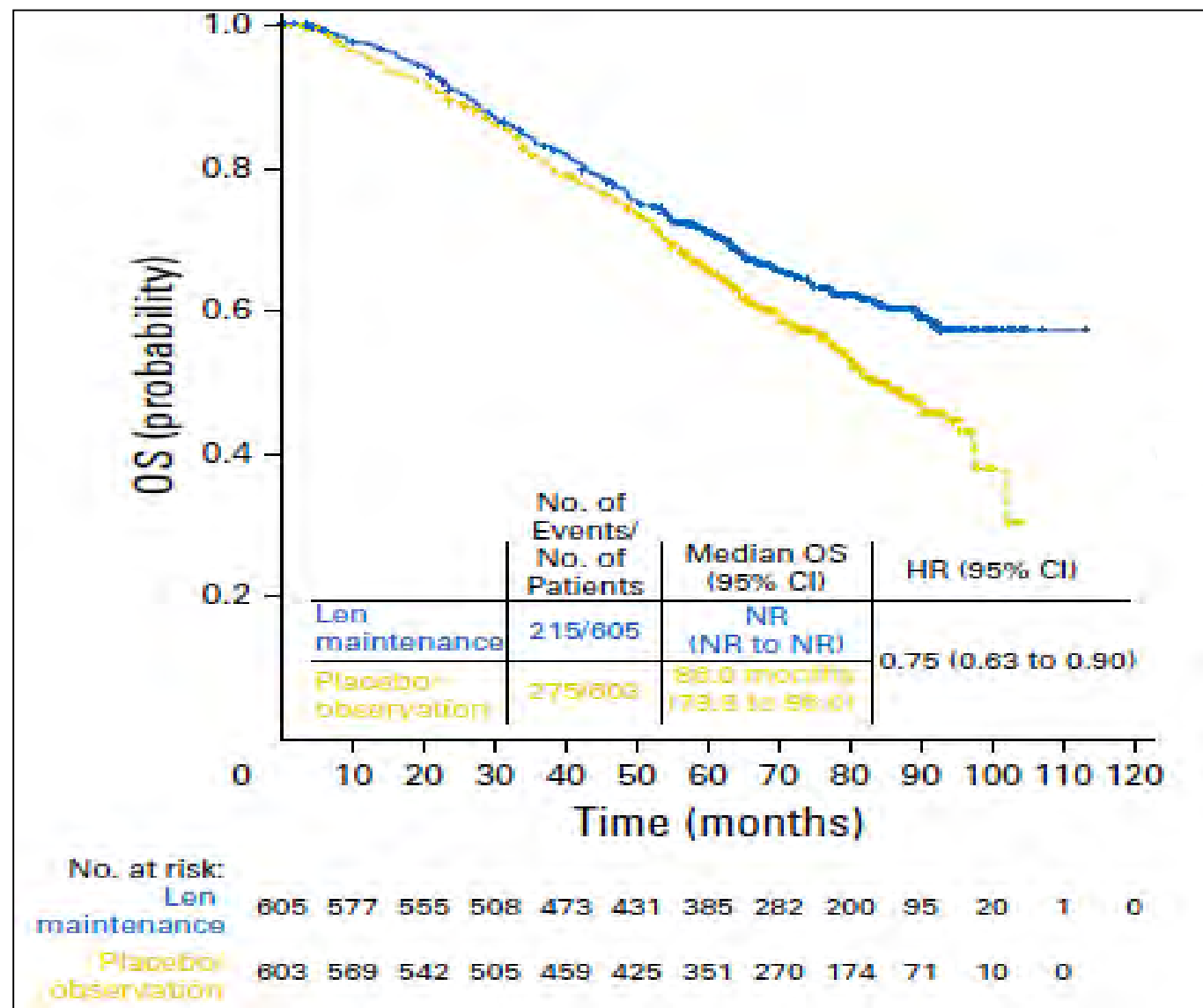
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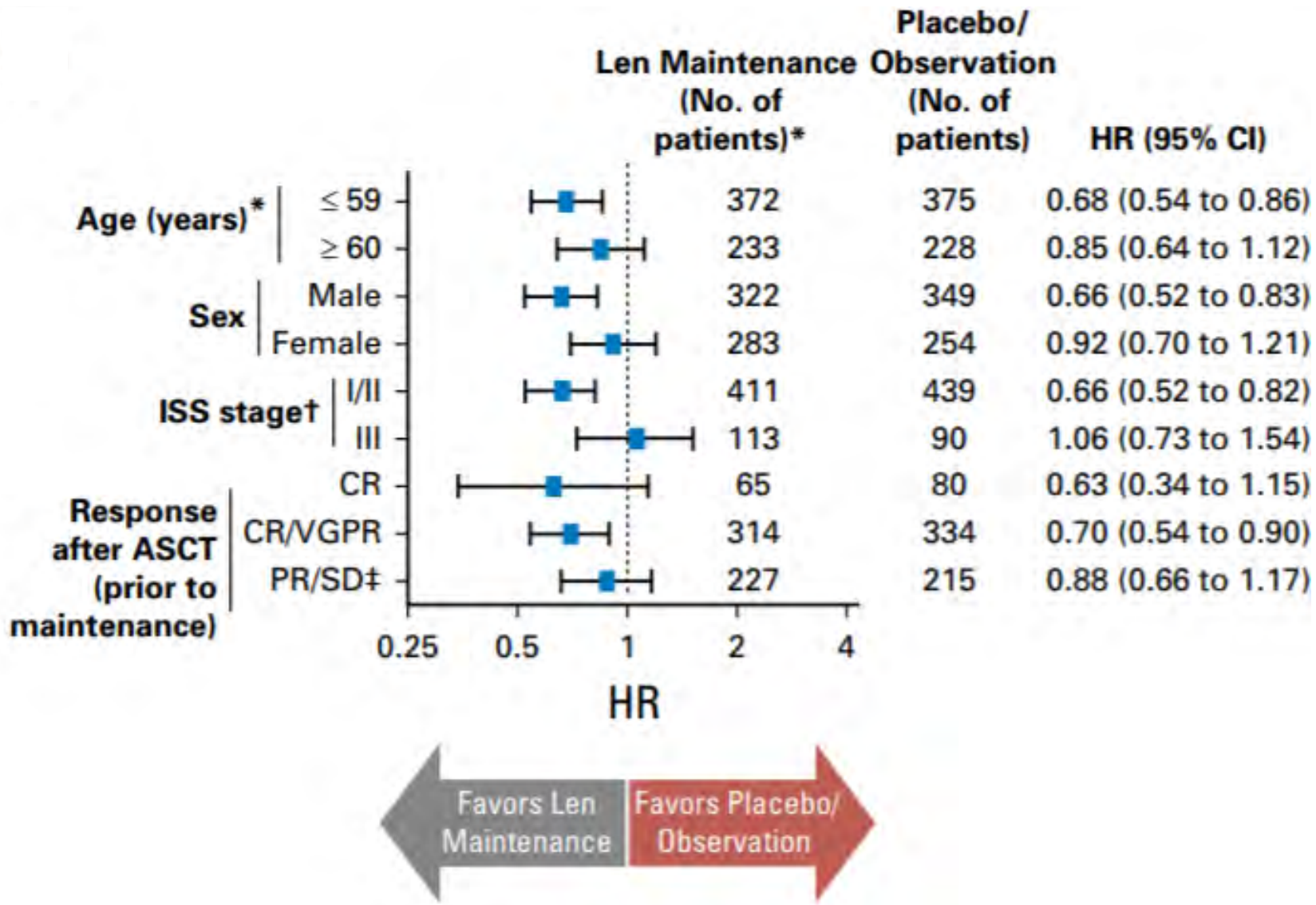
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**Sustained responses following ASCT are
needed:**

Impact of maintenance



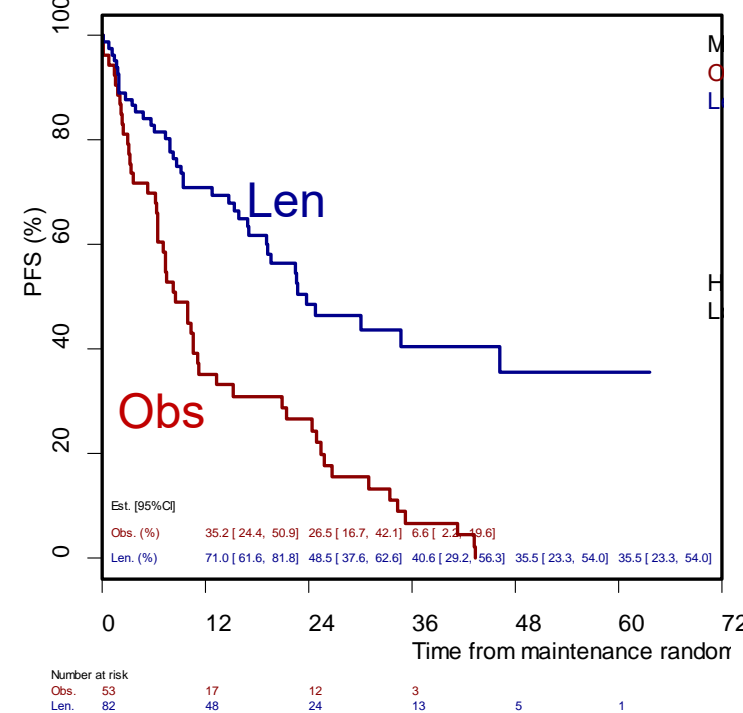
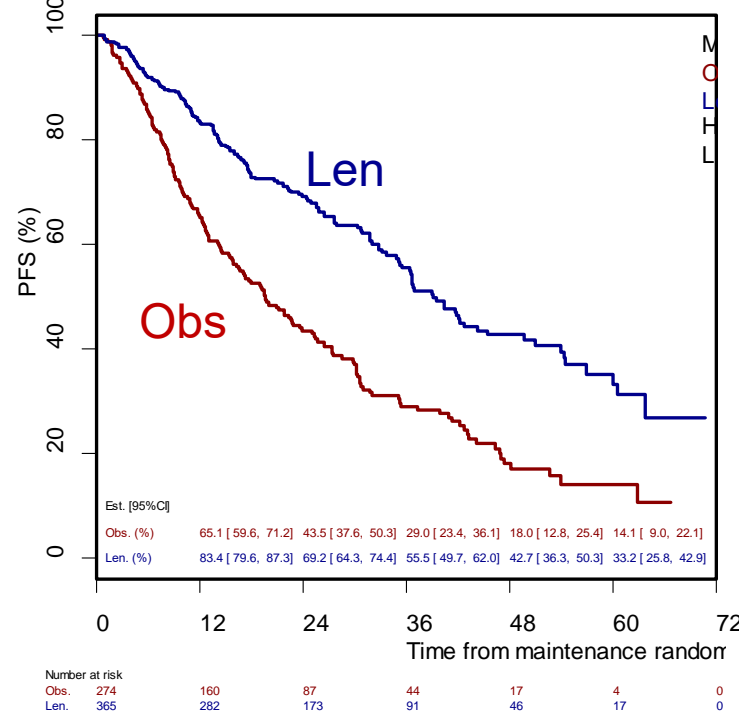


Cytogenetic risk groups

Lenalidomide improved PFS regardless of cytogenetic risk

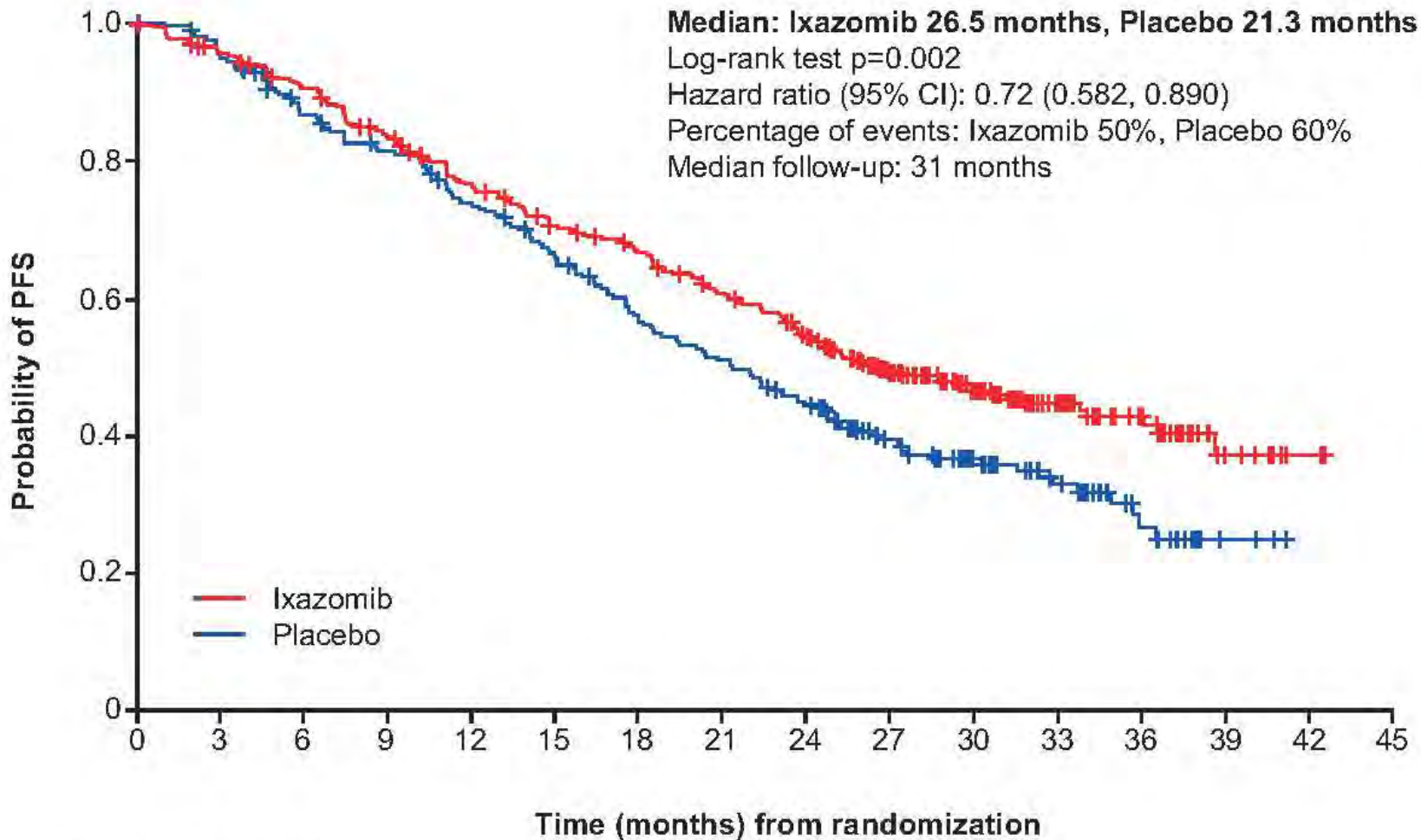
t(4;14) and/or del(17p) absent: HR 0.50

t(4;14) and/or del(17p) present: HR 0.36



TOURMALINE MM-3

- Ixazomib vs placebo, phase 3
- In patients responding to ASCT
- Randomization 3:2
- 656 patients
- D1,8,15 in 28-day cycles
- Primary endpoint: PFS

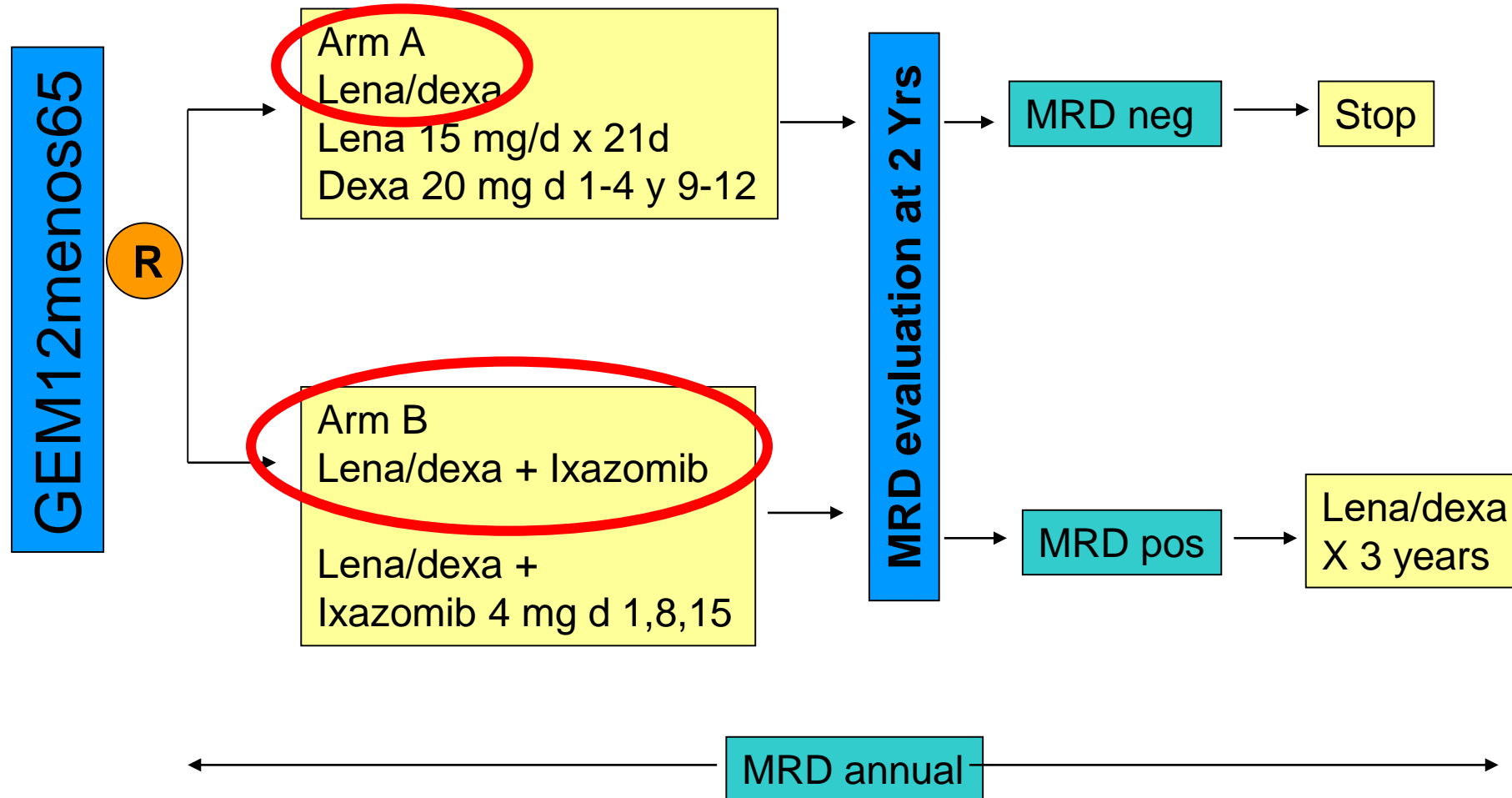


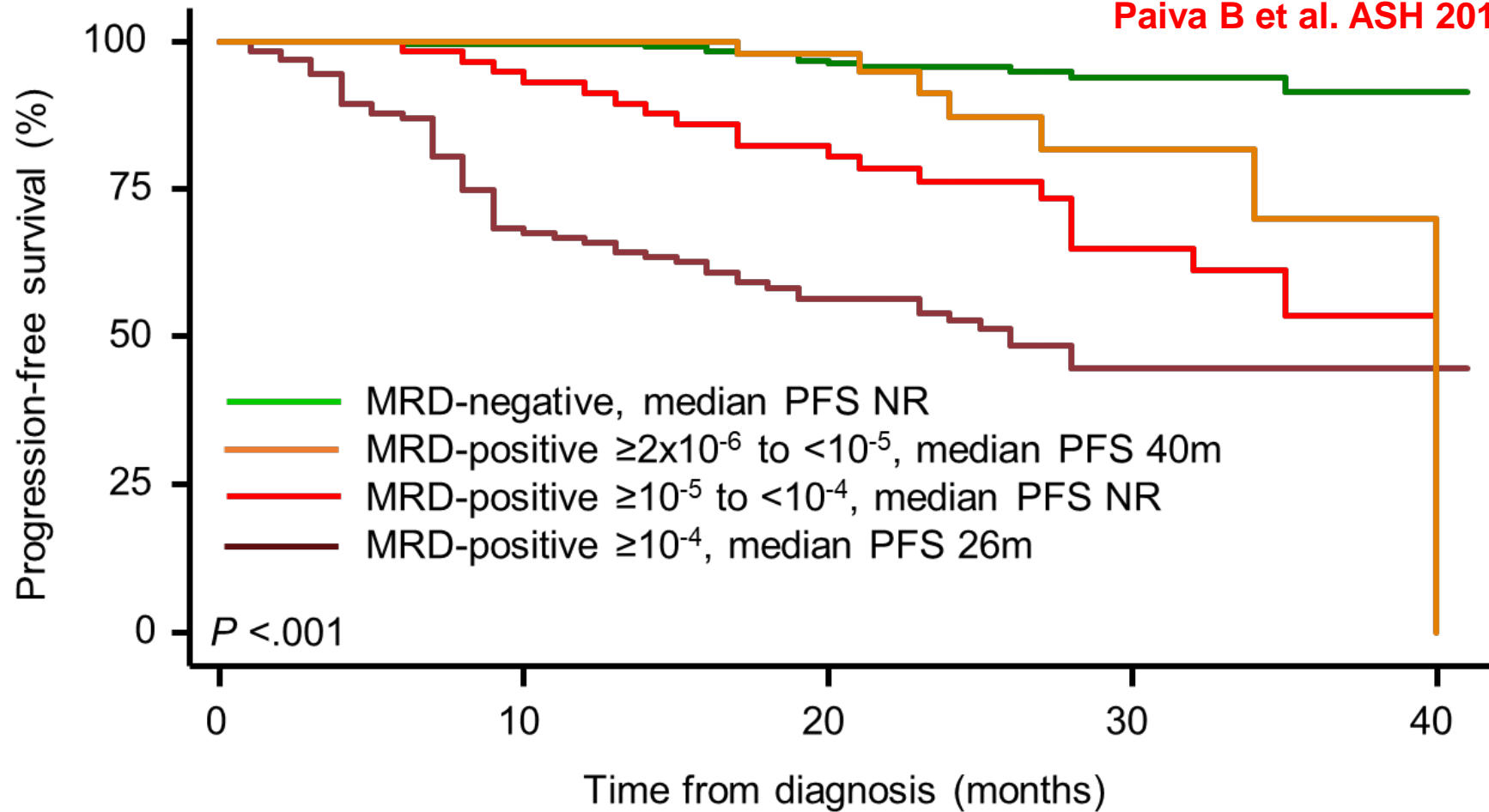
Number of patients at risk

Ixazomib	395	363	340	311	279	255	238	213	187	135	93	56	35	9	3	0
Placebo	261	238	210	195	174	153	130	117	100	69	46	32	15	3	0	0

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Second trial as continuation of the previous one

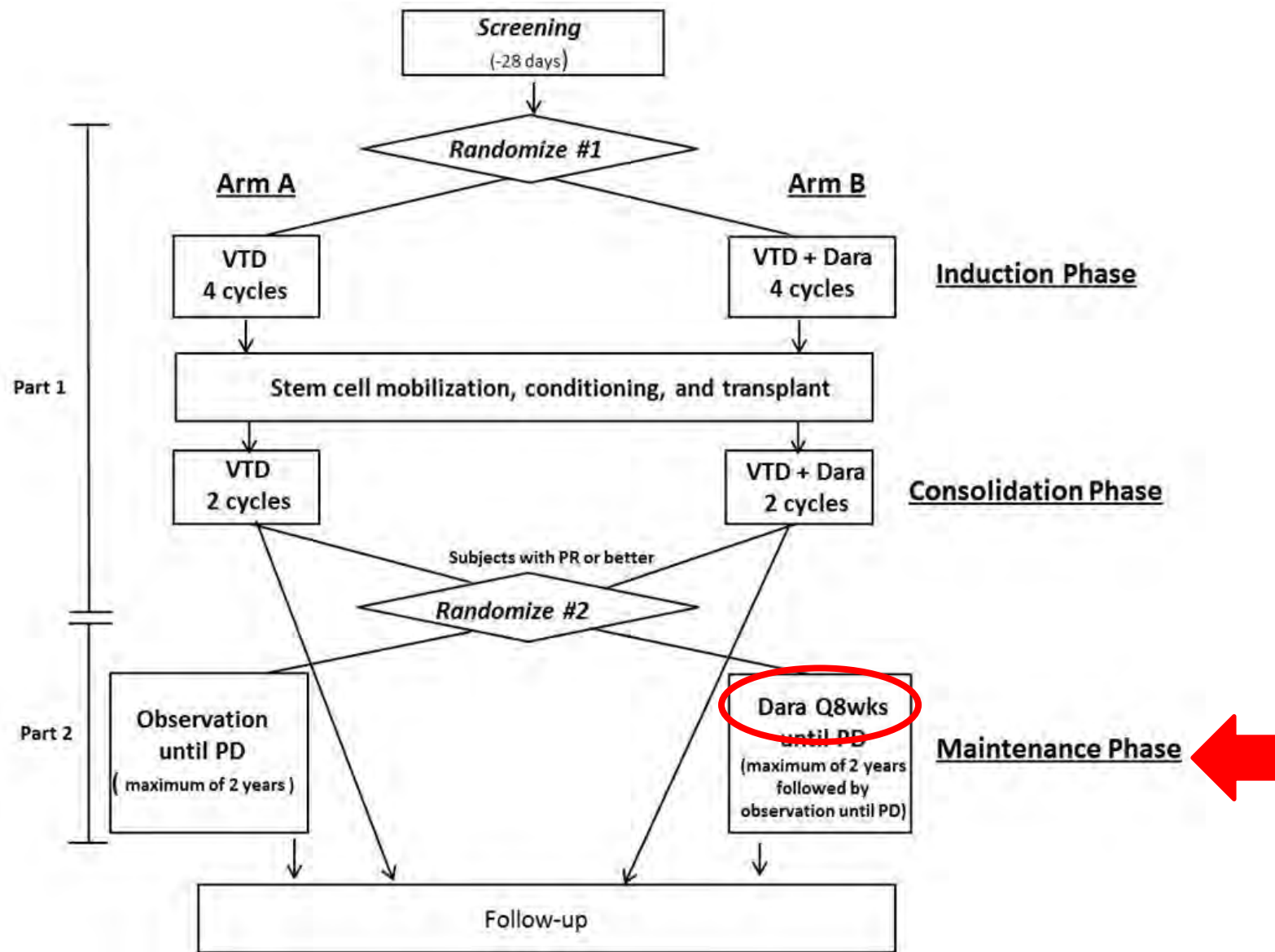




Number at risk

MRD-neg	225	224	177	86	4
MRD $\geq 2 \times 10^{-6}$ to $< 10^{-5}$	49	49	36	10	1
MRD $\geq 10^{-5}$ to $< 10^{-4}$	57	54	43	20	1
MRD $\geq 10^{-4}$	127	84	57	20	2

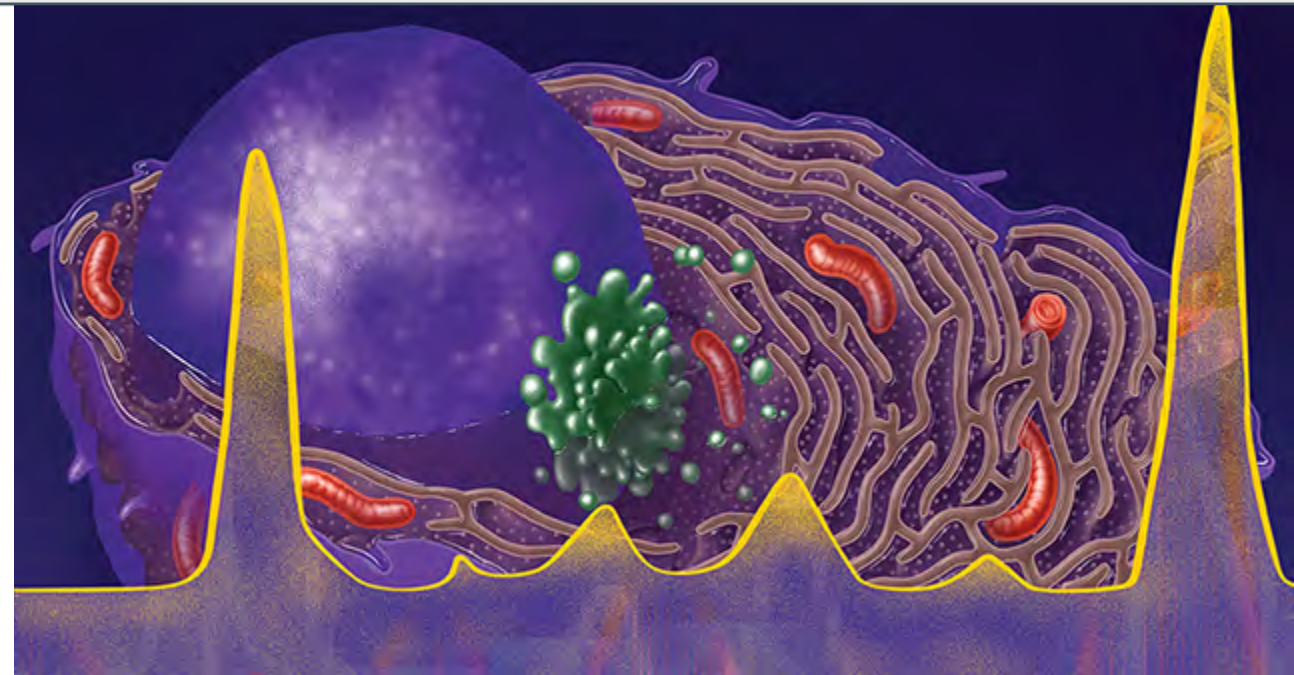
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Conclusions: European Perspectives

- **Frontline ASCT: standard of care**
- **VTD / VRD: best induction regimens prior to ASCT**
- **Optimal consolidation has to be defined (tandem in high risk)**
- **Consider the global strategy: induction/ ASCT / consolidation / maintenance**

Panel Discussion and Audience Q&A



Patient Case Example, Repeat

- A 53-year-old woman with no other health problems was diagnosed with myeloma when she presented with back pain and increasing fatigue

Lab Test	Result
Hemoglobin	10.8 g/dL
Serum Ca ²⁺	Normal
Serum creatinine	Normal
Serum LDH	Above ULN
Serum β_2 microglobulin	7.1 mg/dL
Serum albumin	4.1 g/dL

- Serum protein electrophoresis: IgGK monoclonal protein of 3.2 g/dL
- 24 hour urine protein electrophoresis: 210 mg monoclonal protein, kappa light chain

Patient Case Example, Continued

- Whole-body low-dose CT showed multiple lytic lesions
- Bone marrow biopsy showed 40% plasma cell involvement, **FISH showed 17p deletion in > 50% of tumor cells**
- She was started on treatment with a combination of bortezomib, lenalidomide, and dexamethasone
- At the completion of 4 cycles of therapy:
 - Repeat bone marrow biopsy shows no MRD
 - Serum and urine immunofixation were both negative

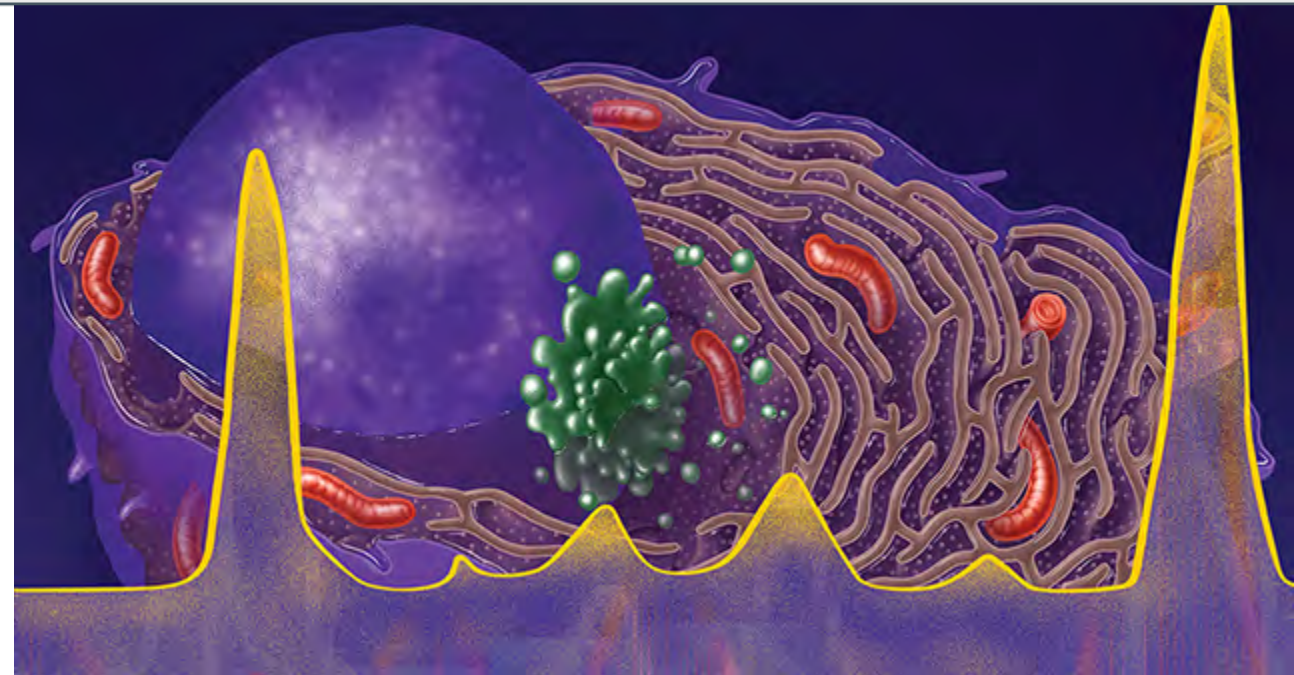
Now, what would you do next for this patient?

1. ASCT followed by RVD consolidation and lenalidomide maintenance
2. ASCT followed by RVD consolidation and PI-based maintenance
3. ASCT followed by lenalidomide maintenance
4. ASCT followed by PI-based maintenance
5. Tandem ASCT followed by RVD consolidation and lenalidomide maintenance
6. Tandem ASCT followed by RVD consolidation and PI-based maintenance
7. Uncertain

Advances in the Optimal Choice of Therapeutic Strategies for Patients With R/R Myeloma

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Patient Case Example

- A 66-year-old woman was diagnosed with IgG lambda **R-ISS stage II** myeloma
 - BM showed 60% PC with **1q gain plus t(4;14)**
 - MC: 43 g/L; **Hb: 10.3 g/dL**, creatinine: 1.2 mg/dL; calcium: 9.2 mg/dL
 - She had extensive **bony disease**
- She was treated **VTD + ASCT + lenalidomide for 2 years** and achieved **sCR**
- **After 4 years**, she relapsed

How would you treat this patient?

Faculty	Recommendation
Brian G.M. Durie, MD	Daratumumab/bortezomib/dexamethasone
Shaji Kumar, MD	Daratumumab/lenalidomide/dexamethasone
Philippe Moreau, MD	Daratumumab/lenalidomide/dexamethasone
S. Vincent Rajkumar, MD	Daratumumab/lenalidomide/dexamethasone
Jesús F. San-Miguel, MD, PhD	Rescue treatment followed by second ASCT

66-Year-Old Man Relapsing After VTD + ASCT + Len x 2-Yrs: How to Make the RIGHT CHOICE?

Decisions based on the **duration of the previous response**

Late relapse (> 3-4 years post ASCT)

- *Aggressive relapse:* Reinduction (VRD/KRD +/- Dara) + 2nd ASCT
- *Biochemical relapse:* Repeat the initial approach or same as above

Early relapse (< 1 year post ASCT)

“Overcome drug resistance”

Combination of non cross-resistant agents
VRD (KRD)-PACE + Dara → RIC-Allo/CAR-T

Intermediate relapse (1-3 years post ASCT)

“Prolong survival until curative treatments are developed”

Sequential novel agent combinations: Dara + PomDex.....KRD...

Patient Case Example, Continued

- A 66-year-old woman was diagnosed with IgG lambda R-ISS stage II MM
 - BM showed **1q gain plus t(4;14)** with extensive **bony disease**
 - She was treated VTD + ASCT + lenalidomide for 2 years and achieved sCR
 - After 4 years, she relapsed
- She refused 2nd ASCT (70 years, with hypertension) and was treated with **VCD x 8 cycles** and **achieved CR**
- **She relapsed 10 months later**

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Lenalidomide-Based Regimens: Efficacy

	POLLUX (n=569)	ASPIRE (n=792)	ELOQUENT-2 (n=646)	TOURMALINE-MM1 (n=722)
Efficacy	DaraRd vs Rd ¹⁻³	KRd vs Rd ^{4,5}	ERd vs Rd ⁶	IRd vs Rd ⁷
PFS HR (▲ m)	0.44 (▲ 27) 44.5 vs 17.5 m	0.67(▲ 8.7 m) 26.3 vs 17.6 m	0.71 (▲ 4.5 m) 19.4 vs 14.9 m	0.74(▲ 5.9 m) 20.6 vs 14.7 m
ORR, %	93	87	79	78
≥ CR, %	51	32	5	14
OS HR (95% CI)	0.63	0.79 (▲ 8 m) 48 vs 40 m	0.78 (▲ 4.1 m) 43.7 vs 39.6 m	NE
High Risk: m (HR)	22.6 (0.64)	23 (0.70)	19 (0.60)	21 (0.54)

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- She relapsed 10 months later
- She began tx with **lenalidomide/dexamethasone** until progression
 - On cycle 5, she was already in VGPR and maintained her response for 15 months before relapse

How would you treat this patient?

Faculty	Recommendation
Brian G.M. Durie, MD	Elotuzumab/pomalidomide/dexamethasone
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70-Yr-Old Woman 1st Relapse Following Continuous Lenalidomide-Dex

Proteasome Inhibitors-Based Regimens: Efficacy

Efficacy	ENDEAVOR (n=929)	CASTOR (n=499)	OPTIMISMM (n=559)	PANORAMA-1 (n=768)
	Kd vs Vd ³	DaraVd vs Vd ¹⁻²	PVd vs Vd ⁴	PanoVd vs Vd ⁵
PFS HR	0.53 (▲ 9.3 m) 18.7 vs 9.4 m	0.32 (▲ 9.6 m) 16.7 vs 7.1 m	0.61 (▲ 4.1 m) * 11.2 vs 7.1 m	0.63 (▲ 4 m) * 12 vs 8 m
ORR, %	77	85	82.2	60.7
≥ CR, %	13	30	15.7	27.6
OS HR (95% CI)	0.79 (▲ 7.6 m) 47.6 vs 40 m	--	--	--
Len Refract	24% (8.6m)	18% (9.3m)	71% (9.5m)	<10%
High Risk: m (HR)	8.8 (0.73)	11.2 (0.45)	8.4 (0.56)	NA

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 - She relapsed 10 months later
- She began tx with lenalidomide/dexamethasone until progression
 - She achieved VGPR but relapsed 15 months later
- **She received Dara-Vd and achieved PR on C2 but progressed with extramedullary disease on C8**

How would you treat this patient now?

Faculty	Recommendation
Brian G.M. Durie, MD	Carfilzomib/pomalidomide/dexamethasone
Shaji Kumar, MD	Elotuzumab/pomalidomide/dexamethasone
Philippe Moreau, MD	Clinical trial with BCMA CAR T-cell therapy
S. Vincent Rajkumar, MD	Carfilzomib/pomalidomide/dexamethasone
Jesús F. San-Miguel, MD, PhD	Elotuzumab/pomalidomide/dexamethasone

Treatment at 3rd/subsequent relapses

Poma – Dexa¹ (*backbone*)

ORR: 31%; PFS 4 m; OS: 13.1 m

PCyDex (ORR 65%; PFS 9.5m)²

EloPom Dex (ORR:53%, PFS 10.2m)³

DaraPomDex (ORR 60%, PFS 8.8m)

IxaPomDex (ORR 55%)⁴

Daratumumab⁵

ORR: 31%; PFS 4m; OS 20.1 m

DaraCfzDex *

***DaraCfzDex n=85 (60% Len Ref)⁶**

• **ORR: 86% (81%)**

• **PFS: 71% at 12m (14.1m)**

CfzPomDex n=(60) EMN011⁷

• **ORR: 87% (31%CR)**

• **PFS: 18m**

Elotuzumab-Poma-Dexa vs Poma-Dex in RRMM: Phase 2 Randomized ELOQUENT-3 Trial – Efficacy (N = 117)

KEY INCLUSION

- ≥ 2 prior regimens
- Prior IMiD and PI treatment
- Refractory to last line
- Refractory to Len and a PI

POM: 4 mg days 1-21 ; 40 mg (20 of >75y) weekly

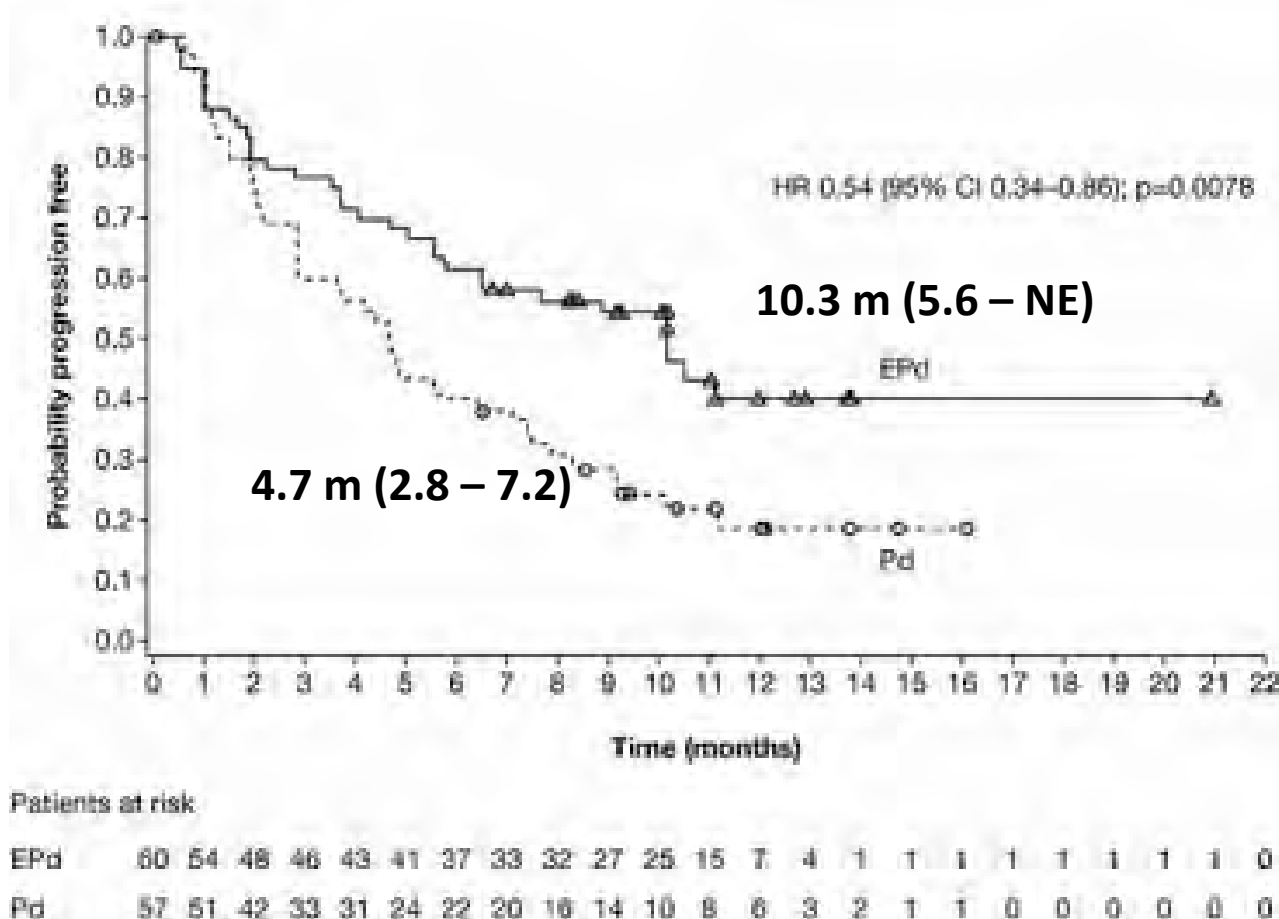
ELO: 10 mg/kg/w C1&C2; >C3: 20mg/kg/ 4 w

•Median number of prior lines: 3 (2 – 8)

- Prior exposure to: BORT (100%), CFZ (21%), LEN (99%)
- Refractory to: PI 80%, LEN 87%, **double refractory (70%)**

EPd vs Pd: ORR 53% vs 26%

VGPR: 20% vs 9%

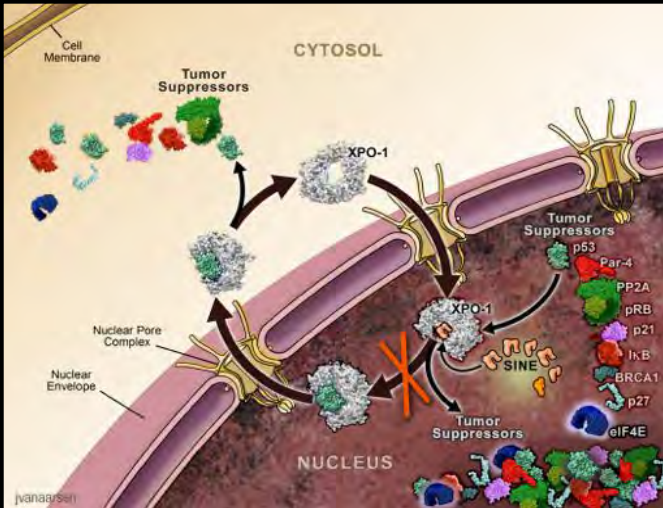


Safety Epd vs Pd : Grade 3-4 neutropenia: 13% vs 27% // Anemia: 10% vs 20% // Infections any grade: 65% vs 65%.

Safety was consistent with prior reports of ELO and POM

XPO1-Inhibitor Selinexor in RRMM. Summary of Phase I data

First-in-class, oral Selective Inhibitor of Nuclear Export (SINE) that inhibits XPO1 and activates tumor suppressor proteins & reduces oncoproteins



- Cancer cells (and MM) overexpress XPO1, causing increased export of tumor suppressors and growth regulatory proteins from the nucleus
- Selinexor inhibit XPO1 mediated nuclear-cytoplasmic transport by transiently binding to XPO1 cargo binding site.
- Accumulation of Tumor suppressors in the nucleus amplifies the natural apoptotic function in cancer cells with damaged DNA.

Tai et al. Leukemia 2014

PHASE I OF SELINEXOR PLUS/MINUS DEX IN RRMM →

- **Single agent** (oral:3-45 mg twice/ w).... **17% MR**, *Chen et al. ASH 2014*

Main AEs: Anorexia, nausea/vomiting, fatigue, thrombocytopenia.

- **+Dex** (n=122) (**STORM**).....**26% ORR** (Pent a-Refrct) PFS: **3,7m** *Vogl et al. JCO 2018; Chari ASH 2018 (Abs 598)*

AEs: nausea 73%, vomiting 49%, anorexia 49%, thrombocytopenia 73% /59% gr 3-4)

- **+ Bortz/dex** (n=42)..... 63% (**43%** in Btz Rfct) (PFS: 9 (6,1)m) *Bahlis NJ, Blood 2018, (PH III BOSTON trial ongoing)*

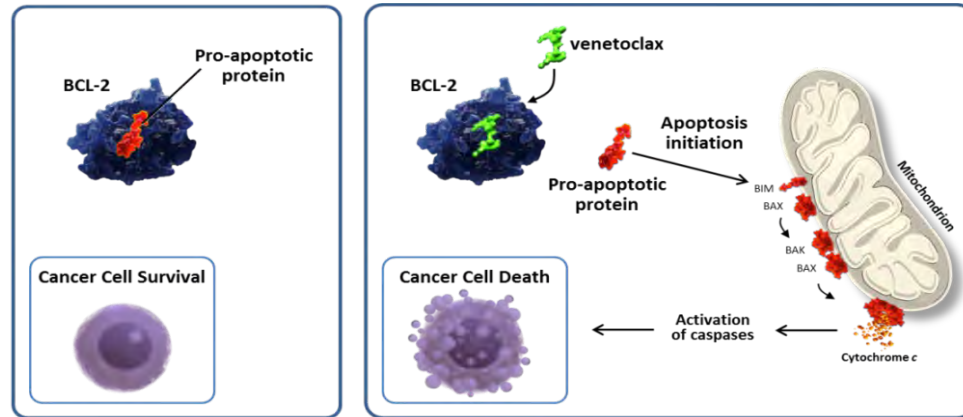
AEs: anorexia 33%, nausea 67%, Thrombocytopenia 17%

- **+ Pom/dex** (n=24)..... 65% % in Pom Naive/Len R (**29%** in Pom/Len Rft). *Chen et al, ASH 2017)*

- **+ Dara/dex** (n=25)..... **74%** % in double Rft. *Gasparetto et al, ASH 2018, Abs 599)*

Venetoclax (bcl-2 inhibitor) in RRMM. Summary of Ph1 data

- Venetoclax is a selective, orally available **small molecule BCL-2 inhibitor**¹, induces cell death in multiple myeloma (MM) cell lines and primary samples, particularly those positive for the translocation **t(11;14)**, which correlates with **higher ratios** of *BCL2* to *MCL1* and *BCL2* to *BCL2L1* (*BCL-X_L*) mRNA¹,



BCL-2 overexpression allows cancer cells to evade apoptosis by sequestering pro-apoptotic proteins.¹⁻³

Venetoclax binds selectively to BCL-2, freeing pro-apoptotic proteins that initiate programmed cell death (apoptosis).⁴⁻⁶



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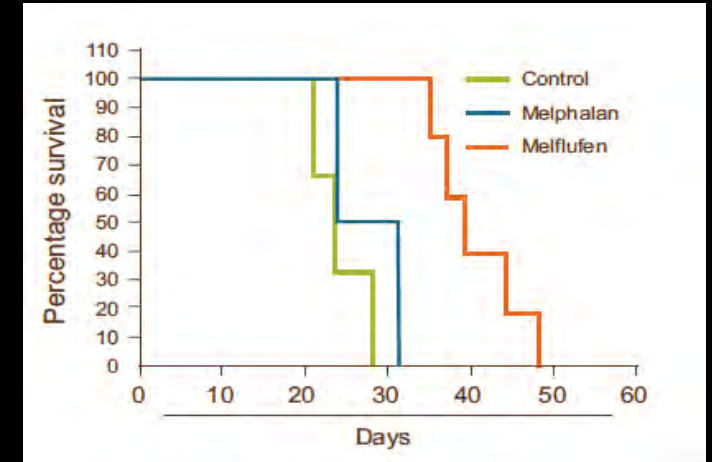
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- **Monotherapy (n=66)** (61% double Ref) **ORR 21% (40% in t(11;14) DOR: 9.7m**
G 3-4 AEs: thrombocytopenia (26%) & neutropenia (21%)
- **+Btz/Dex (n=66)** **ORR 67% (90% in BTz sensitive & 94% in BCL2 high)**
G3-4 AEs: Thrombocytopenia (29%), anemia (15%), neutropenia (14%),
- **+Cfz/Dex (n=42)** (33% double Ref).....**ORR 78% (PFS: 5,7m. The VGPR in t(11,14): 88%)**

Melflufen

- Melflufen is a highly lipophilic alkylator, belonging to the **novel class of Peptidase Enhanced Compounds**, consisting of melphalan + 4-fluoro-L-phenylalanine.
- **Intracellular amino-peptidases** that are overexpressed in most malignant cells, will rapidly **cleave melflufen releasing the hydrophilic, active metabolite melphalan**.
- In vitro, equimolar treatment of tumor cells with melphalan and melflufen, results in a 20-50 fold higher intracellular concentration.

Melflufen 40 mg iv every 28 days + Dex 40 mg weekly



Chauhan Clin Cancer Res 2013 & Wickström Invest New Drugs 2008

Phase II O-12-M1 trial

RRMM pts \geq 2 lines and refr. to last line.

n = 45; 4 (2-14) lines; 64% double refr.; 53% Alkylator refr.

ORR 31% 5 VGPR & 9 PR 36% in Alkylator refr.

PFS: 5,7m ; OS: 20M

G3/4 AEs: Thromboc. (58%), Neutrop(51%), Anemia: 42%

Blood 2017, 130: 3150

Phase II Horizon trial

RRMM pts \geq 2 lines and 89% double Ref

n = 62 6 (3-11) lines; Alkylator refr. 58%; Pom & Dara Refr: 56%

ORR 32% PFS: 5,7M; OS: 20,7M

G3/4 rel. TEAEs: Thromboc. (45%), Neutropenia (39%), Anemia: 21%

Richardson P. ASH 2018 (Abst 600)

Four Major Targets for Cancer Immunotherapy

**Direct targeting of
surface tumor
antigens:**

Monoclonal antibodies

**Overcoming inhibitory
immune suppression:**

**Immunomodulators:
IMiDs, checkpoint
inhibitors**

**Boosting immune
effectors:**

Adoptive cell therapy

**Activating tumor
specific immunity:**

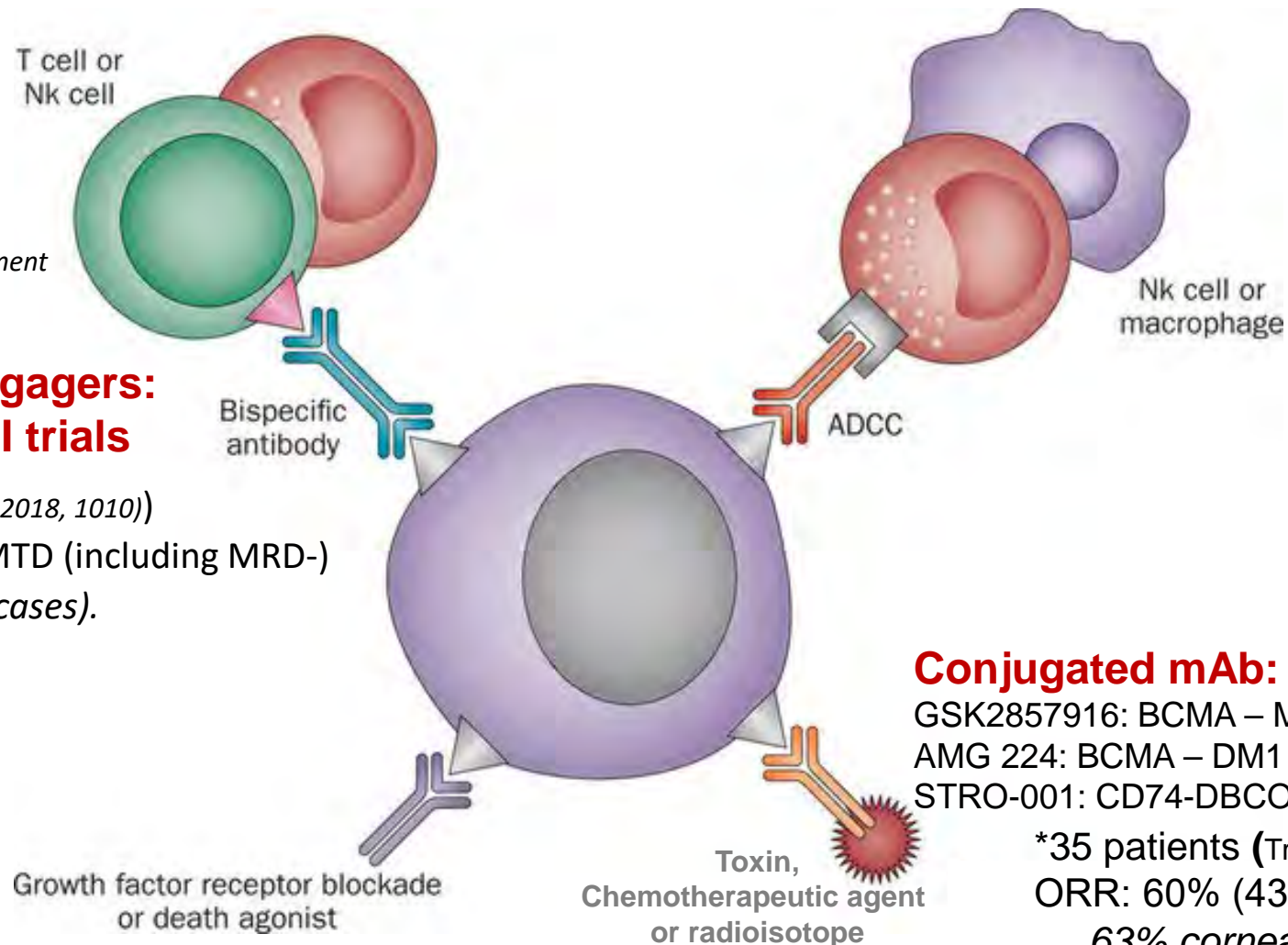
Vaccines

Monoclonal Antibodies: Futures Perspectives

To overcome the limitations of an immunosuppressive tumor microenvironment by linking CTLs with the tumor cell.

Bispecific T-cell engagers: BCMA-CD3 Phase I trials

AMG 420: 35 pts: (Topp et al ASH 2018, 1010)
28% ORR (6CR). 83% ORR at MTD (including MRD-)
SAE: 49% (infections); CRS (3 cases).



Conjugated mAb:

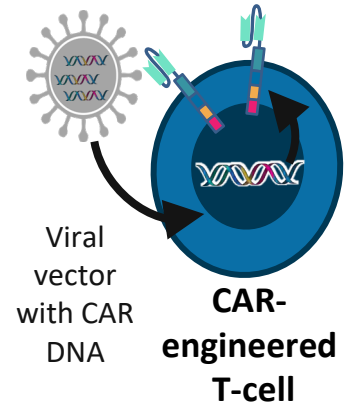
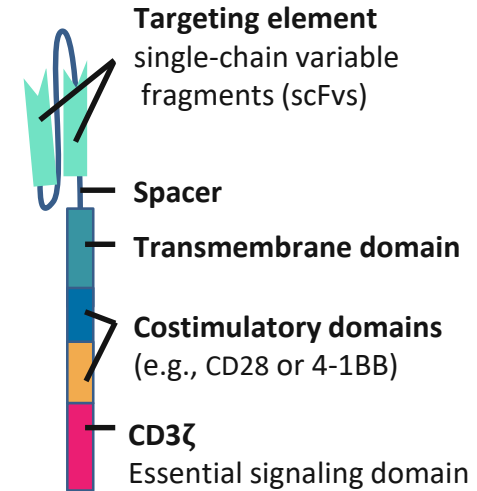
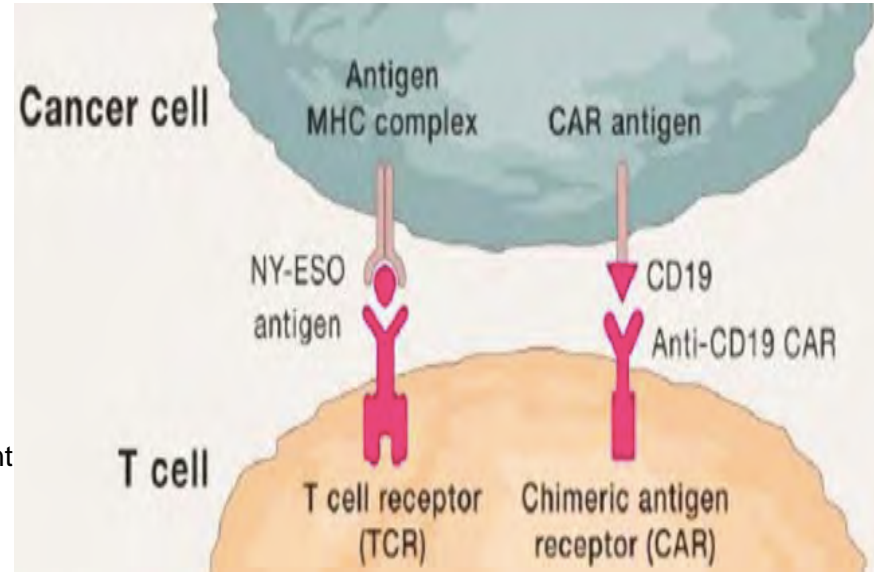
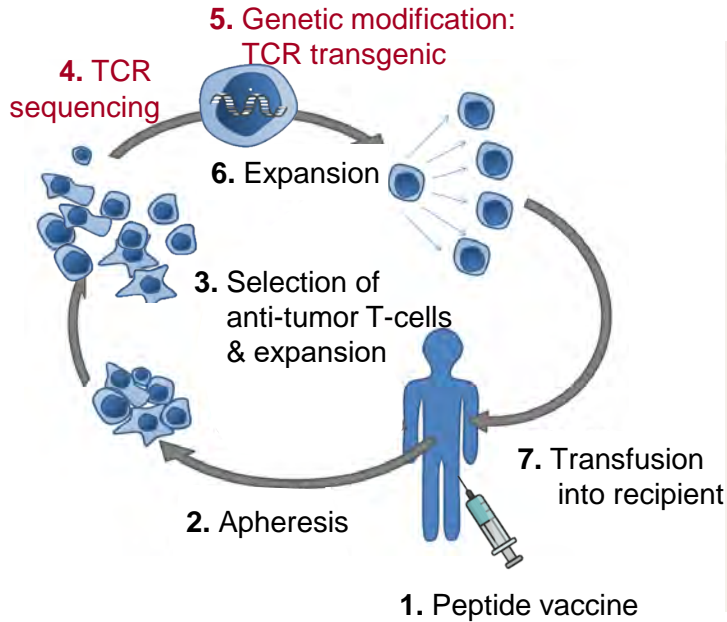
GSK2857916: BCMA – MMAF*
AMG 224: BCMA – DM1
STRO-001: CD74-DBCO

*35 patients (Trudel S, et al. Blood 2017;130:741)
ORR: 60% (43% previous dara) PFS: 7.9m
63% corneal events most G1-2

* Mackall CL, et al. Nat Rev Clin Oncol 2014;11:693-703.

MMAF, monomethyl auristatin F; DM1, maytansinoid N(2')- deacetyl-N(2')-(3-mercaptopropyl)-maytansine.

Adoptive Cell Therapy: Genetically Modified T-Cell Therapy



This construct is then transfected or transduced into patients' autologous T-cells

TCR engineered T-cells	CAR T-cells
HLA - restricted	Antigen recognition is independent of MHC molecule
Potential recognition of intracellular antigens	Only extracellular proteins can be recognized (like mAb)
TCR-mediated activation	Possibility to insert other genes

BCMA CAR T-Cells in MM

Trial site	ScFv	Co-s domain	Gene transfer	Conditioning therapy	T-cell dose CAR+ T-cells/kg
NCI	11D5-3	CD28	Y- retroviral	Cy 300 mg/m ² x3 + Flu 30 mg/m ² x3	0.3–9.0 x 10 ⁶
Bluebird Celgene	NR, murine	4-1BB	Lentiviral	Cy 300 mg/m ² x3 + Flu 30 mg/m ² x3	50, 150, 450 and 800 x 10 ⁶
University of Pennsylvania	NR, human	4-1BB	Lentiviral	None or Cy 1.5 g/m ²	10–50 x 10 ⁶ or 100–500 x 10 ⁶
Nanjing Legend Biotech	NR	NR	Lentiviral	Cy 300 mg/m ² x3	1.5–7.0 x 10 ⁶
Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center	NR, human	4-1BB	Y- retroviral	Cy 3000 mg/m ² or Cy 300 mg/m ² x 3 + Flu 30 mg/m ² x3	1x10 ⁶ 150, 450 and 800 x 10 ⁶

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ScFv, single-chain fragment variable.

BCMA CAR T-cell Therapies for MM

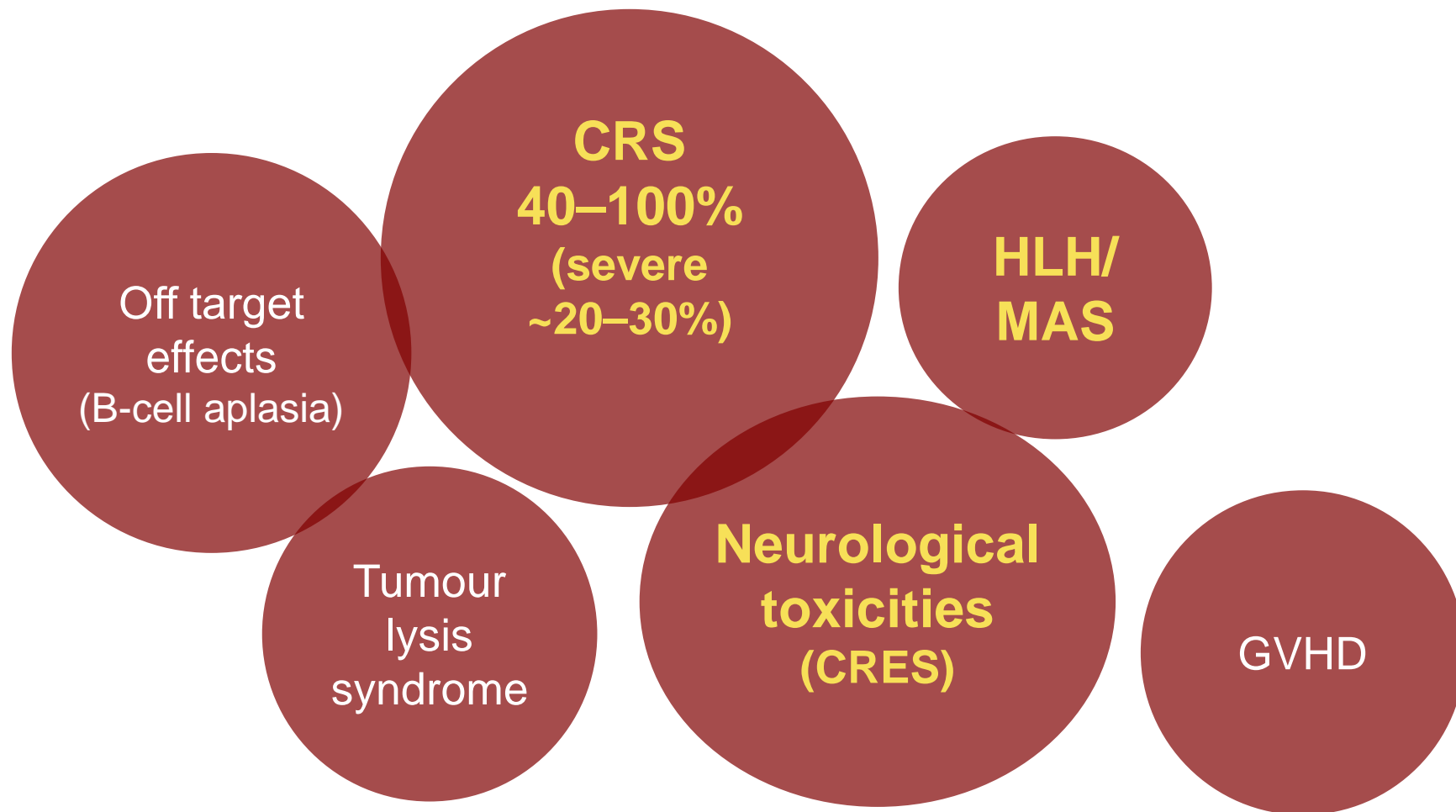
	Anti-BCMA CAR ¹ NCT02215967	Bb2121 ² NCT02658929	CART-BCMA ³ NCT02546167	LCAR-B38M ⁴ NCT03090659
Group/company	<i>NIH</i>	<i>Bluebird/Celgene</i>	<i>University of Pennsylvania/ Novartis</i>	<i>Nanjing Legend Biotech</i>
Patients	16 patients at 9x10 ⁶ /kg dose level	22 (>150 x 10 ⁶ cells)	21 (3 cohorts): 9 (10-500 x 10 ⁶ , No Cyt) 5 (10-50 x 10 ⁶ , Cyt) 7 (5 (100-500 x 10 ⁶ , Cyt)	57
BCMA expression required?	Yes	Yes; ≥ 50% BCMA expression	No	Yes
Median prior lines of therapy	7	7	7 (3-11)	3
Reported efficacy	ORR 14/16 (81%) 11/14 (79%) MRD- EFS: 7.2 months	86.4% ≥VGPR (50% sCR/CR) PFS: 11.8 months	#1: 67% (1 sCR, 1VGPR) #2: (40%) 1 PR, 1 MR both PD #3: (83%) 1 CR, 3 PR, 1 MR	ORR: 88% CR: 74% MRD-: 93% of CR PFS: 15m
Safety data	CRS all grades: 100%, 37%G3-4	CRS all grades: 63% 2 events of CRS grade ≥3 resolved within 24 hours	CRS: 17 pts (grade 3: 32%) Neurotoxicity: 3 (2 grade 4) 1 death – PD candidaemia	Transient CRS (5,7% G3) No neurotoxicity

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BCMA, B-cell maturation antigen; C
partial response

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Safety Concerns Regarding CAR T-Cell Therapy

CRS is the most common toxicity triggered by the activation of T-cells and bystander immune cells
→ release of cytokines and chemokines: IFN- γ , soluble IL-2R, IL-6, etc



Improvements of CAR T-Cell Therapies

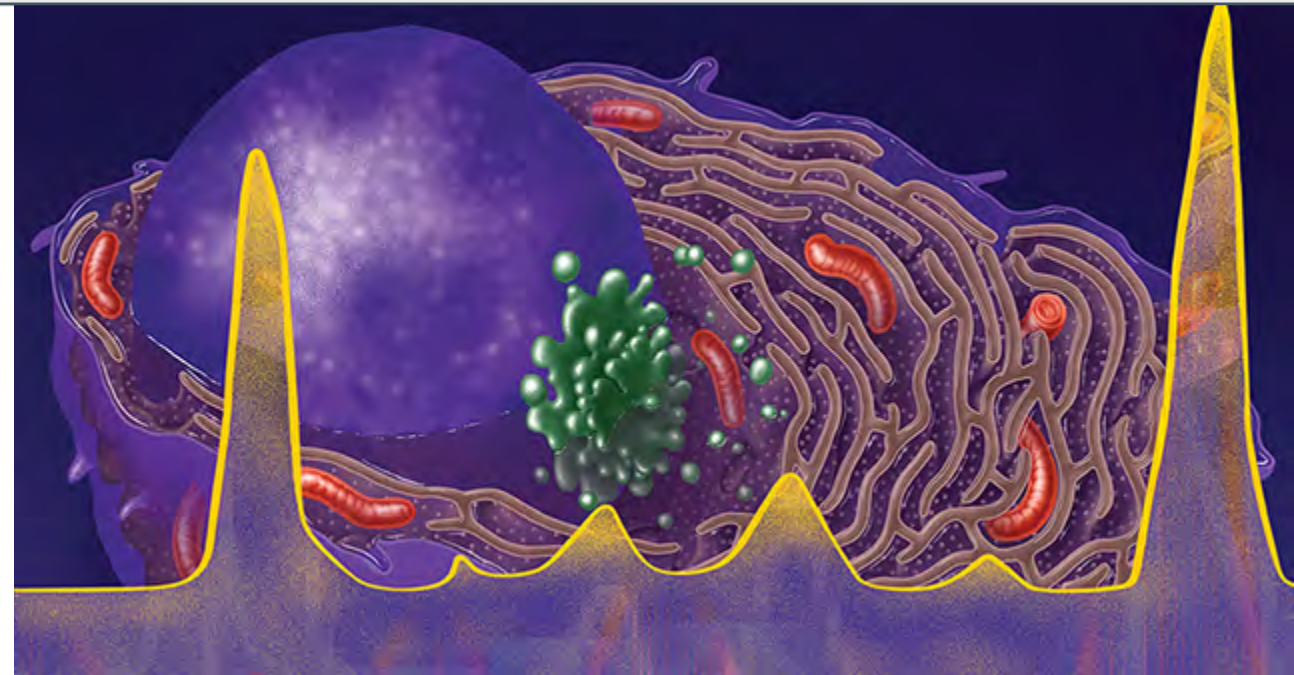
Limitation	Potential Improvements
Immunological rejection & safety	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Humanised CARs to reduce immunogenicity• Allogeneic CAR T: Gene editing (CRISPR/Cas9) of normal donor T-cells to remove naive TCR (to avoid GVHD) and transfection with a CAR with post-conditioning vaccination to improve memory• Safety marker gene to extinguish the CAR-T activity.
Immune system limitations	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Rational combination strategies : Checkpoint inhibitors, IMiDs, BTK inhibitors
Efficacy & antigen escape	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Bi-specific CAR (e.g. CD19, CD123, BCMA, SLAMF7)• Use of specific T-cell subpopulations (from naive to central memory and to terminal effector T-cells)• APRIL as the natural BCMA/TACI ligand instead of the Ab (anti-BCMA)• Antibody-Coupled T-Cell Receptor (ACTR): engages antibody to direct T-cell attack against many different Ags• Armored CAR (<i>2nd gene that generate a cytokine: i.e. IL12</i>)

Conclusions

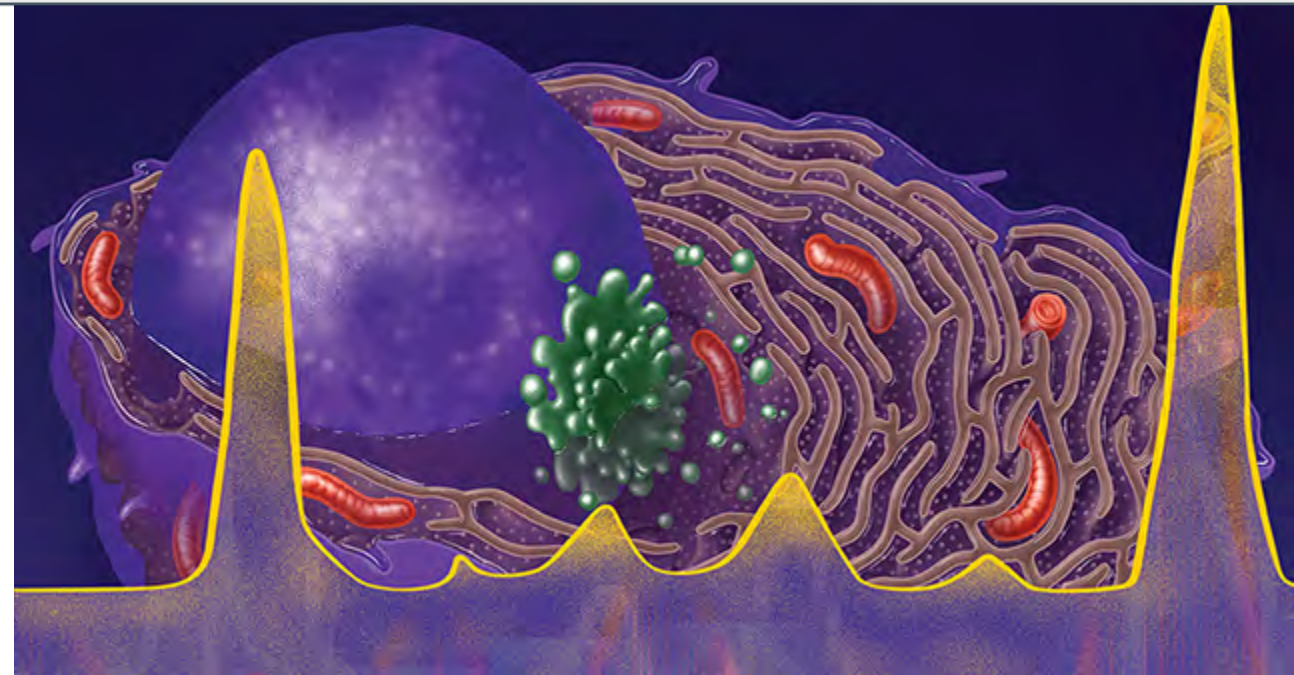
- The discovery and development of **new therapies** addressing a variety of therapeutic targets is already **changing the natural history of MM**
- The **understanding of the mechanisms of progression and immune-surveillance escape** as well as the **manipulation of autologous immune cells** and **gene editing** are opening new frontiers in the treatment of advanced or difficult-to-treat MM
- The combination of **different class of drugs with complementary immunological strategies and earlier** in the natural history of the disease may offer the future possibility of long-term control or even disease eradication in some subsets of patients



Panel Discussion and Audience Q&A



Proposed 2019 Treatment Algorithm for MM



Myeloma: 2019 Algorithms

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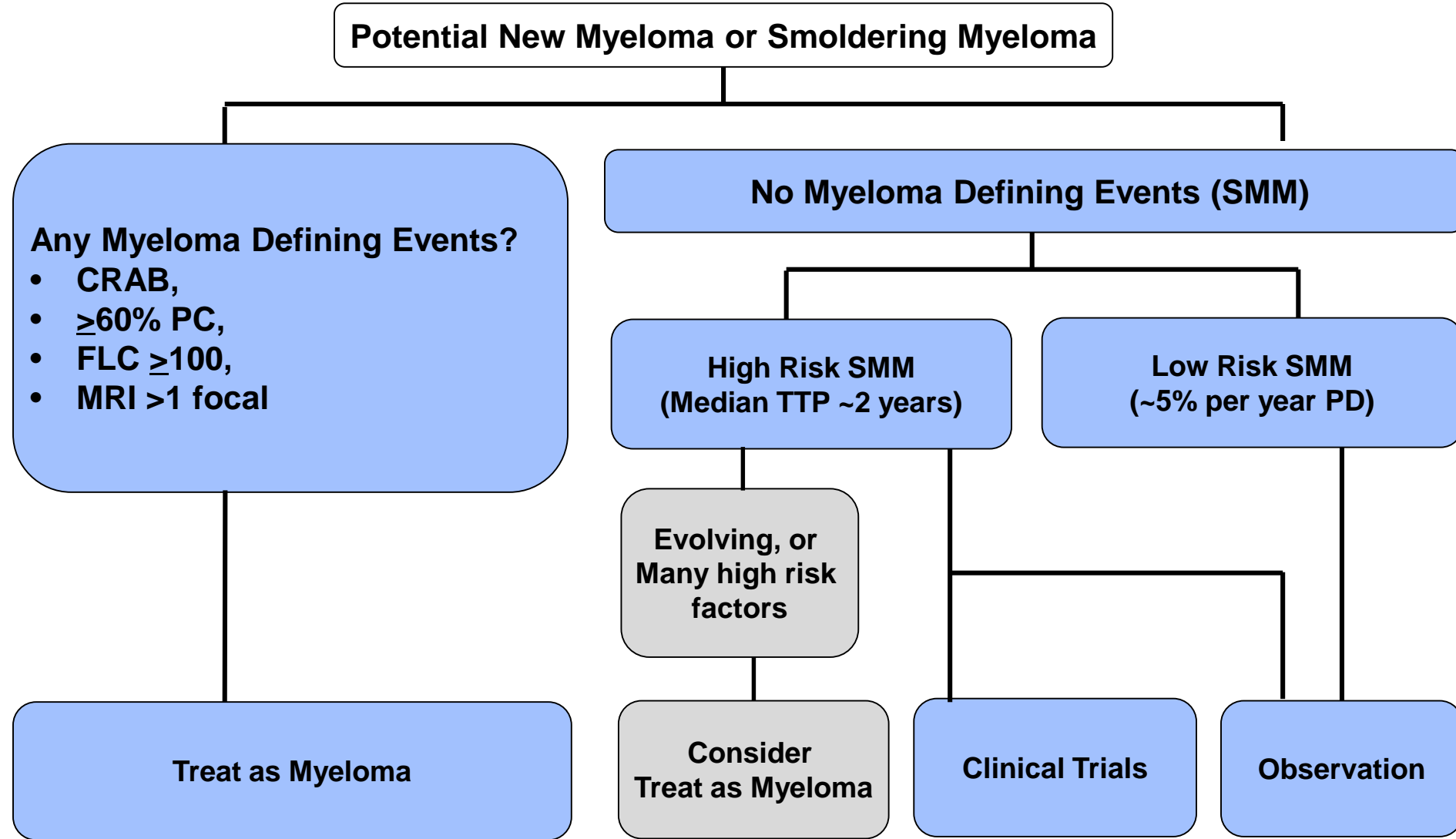


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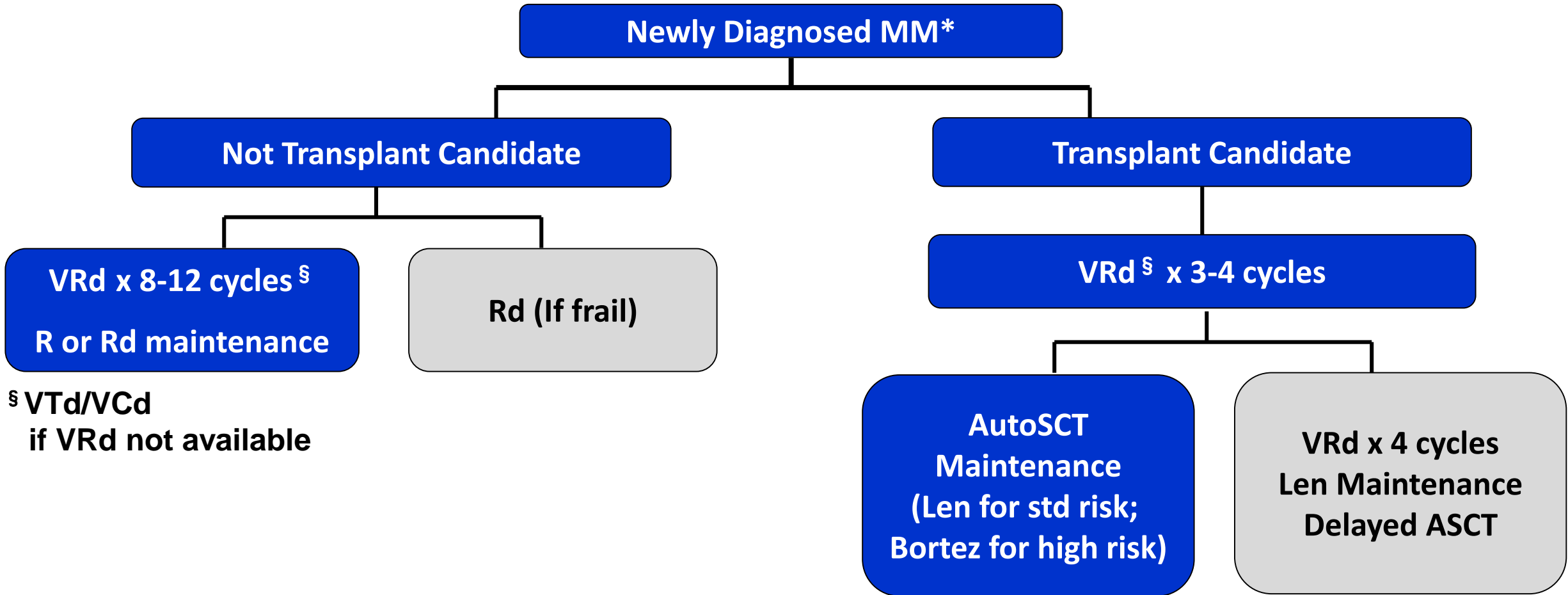
2019 Algorithms

- **Clinical Trials preferred**
- **Only commercially available options**
- **Assumes all drugs available**

When Should Treatment Be Initiated?

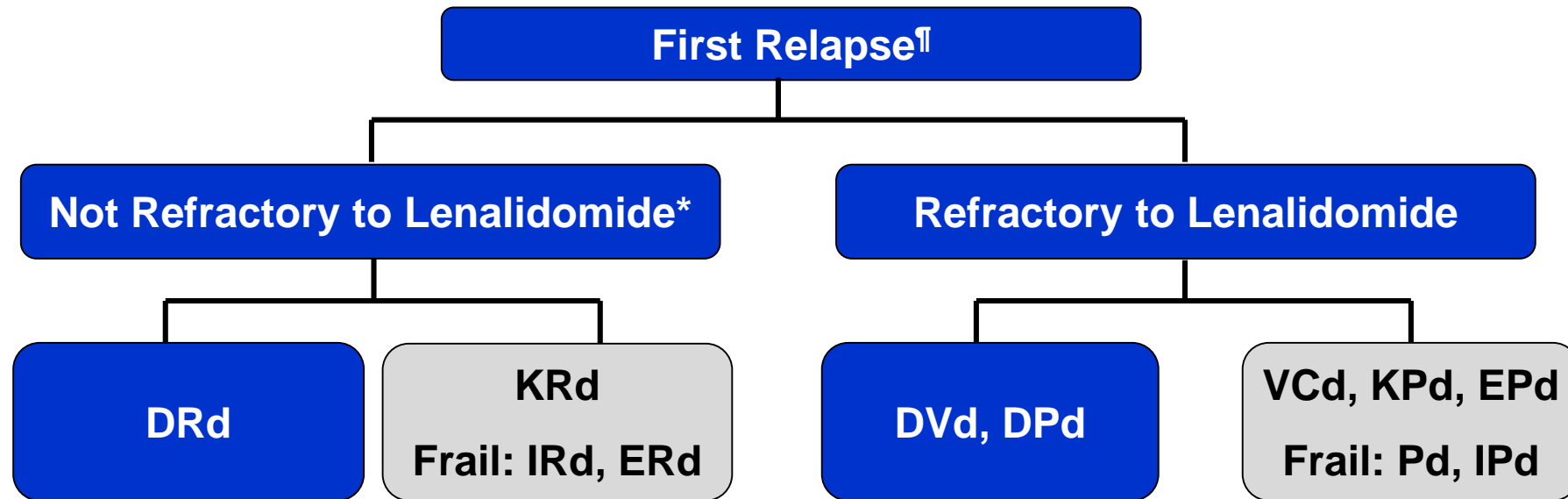


Myeloma: Frontline Treatment



*Based on CALGB 100104, S0777, IFM-DFCI, CTN 0702 HOVON

Myeloma: First Relapse[†]



*Relapse occurring while off all therapy, or while on small doses of single-agent lenalidomide, or on bortezomib maintenance

[†] Consider salvage auto transplant in eligible patients

Myeloma: Second or Higher Relapse

First-Relapse Options



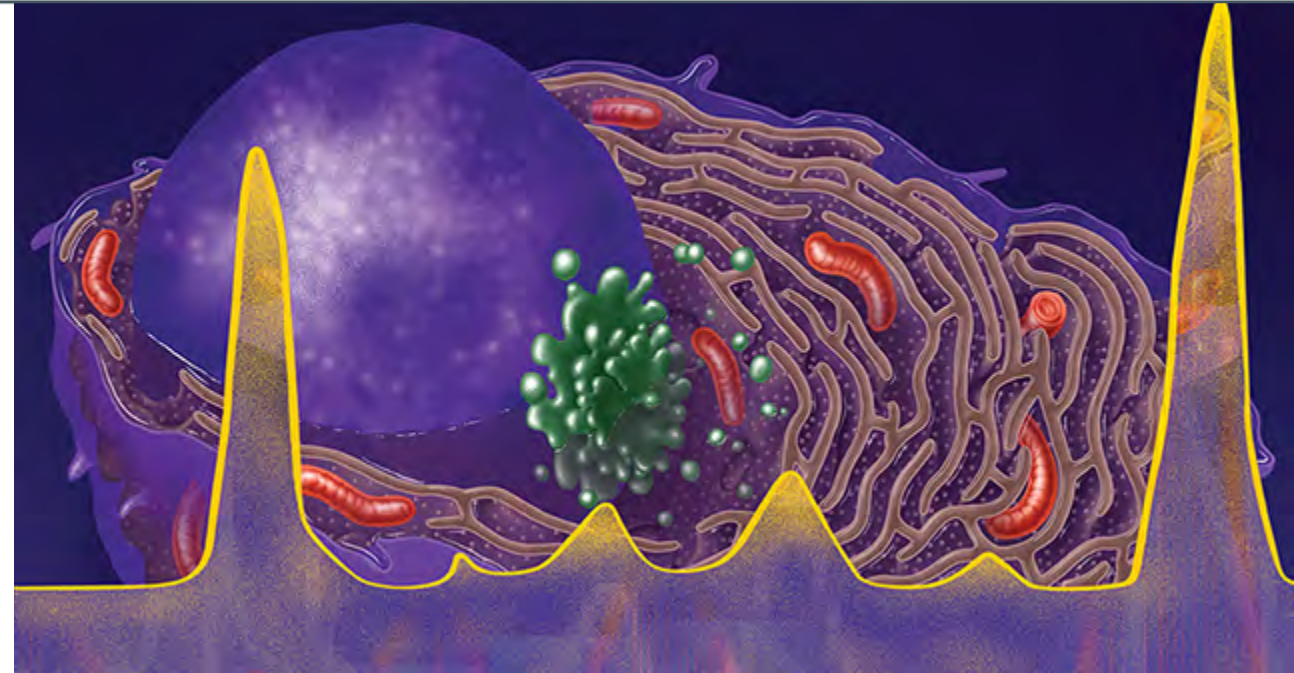
- **Any first relapse options that have not been tried**
(2 new drugs; triplet preferred)

Additional Options



- **VDT-PACE like regimens**
- **Melphalan**
- **Venetoclax (t11;14)**
- **Bendamustine-based regimens**
- **Adding Panobinostat**
- **Quadruplet regimens**

Final Thoughts and Audience Questions





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