



L'immunoterapia  
nel mieloma multiplo  
ricaduto/refrattario:  
dagli anticorpi  
monoclonali  
alle cellule CAR-T

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## TERAPIA DEL PAZIENTE TRIPLO REFRATTARIO **SELINEXOR**

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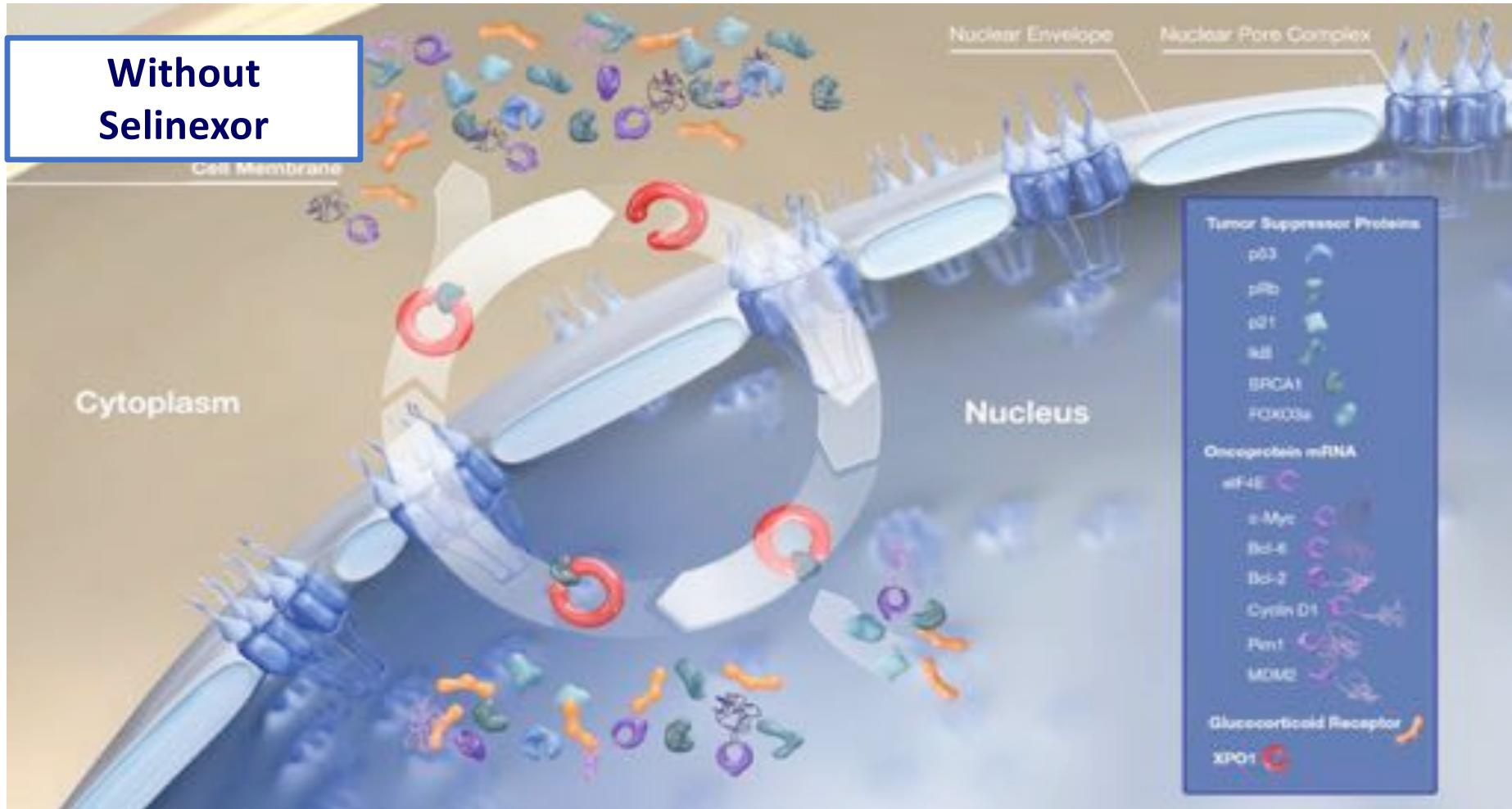


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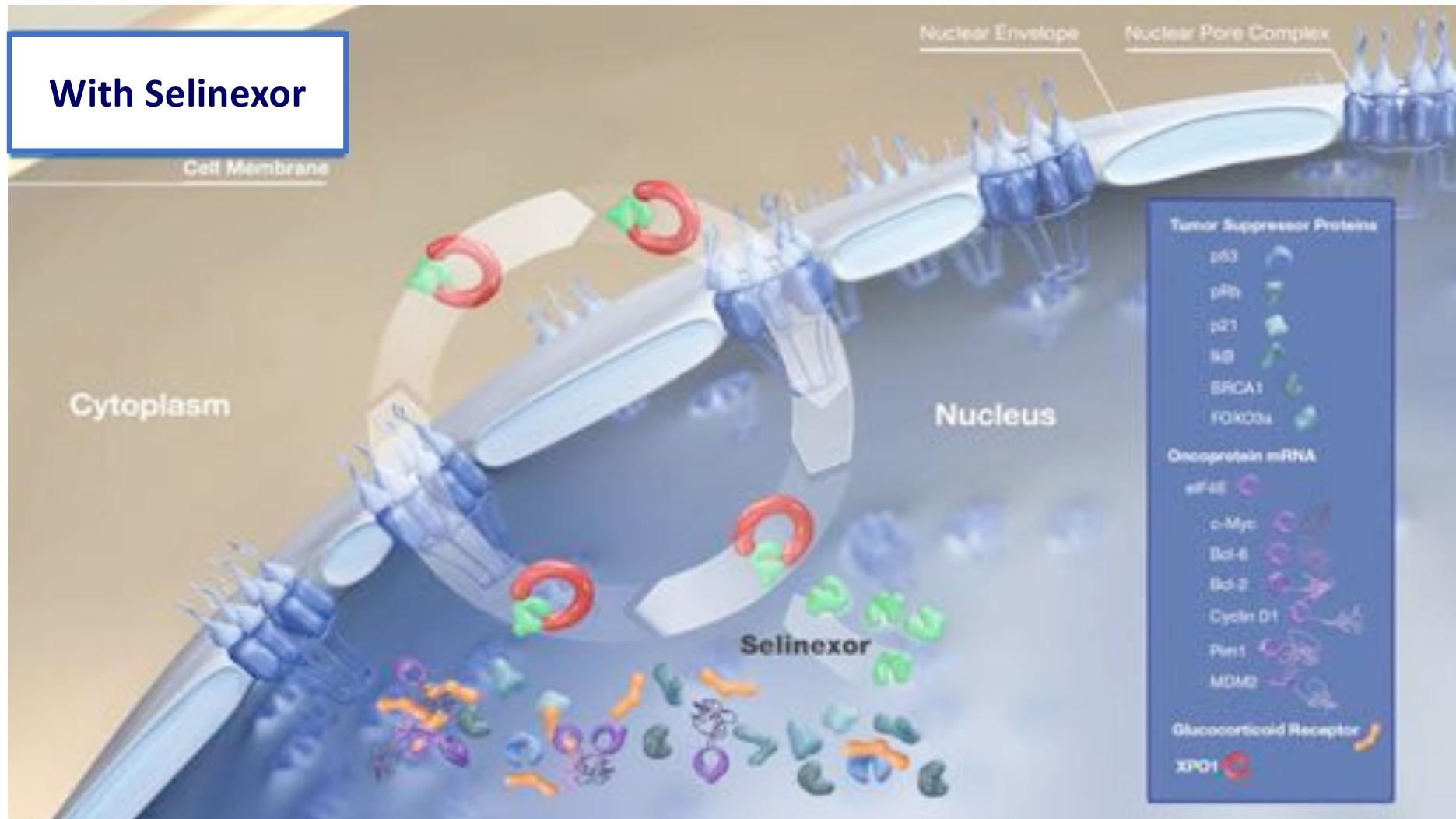
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Overexpression of XPO1 results in the mislocation of tumor suppressor proteins such as:

- TP53
- I $\kappa$ B $\alpha$
- Glucocorticoid receptor
- APC/ $\beta$ -catenin
- FOXO3
- BRCA 1/2
- Survivin
- DNA topoisomerases I and IIa.

Bortezomib-resistant MM cell lines have a 4-fold increase of XPO1

# **STORM STUDY**

## **Selinexor-Dex in penta-exposed, triple-refractory patients**

Patients previously received  $\geq 3$  anti-MM regimens including: an alkylating agent, lenalidomide, pomalidomide, bortezomib, carfilzomib, daratumumab, and a glucocorticoid.

## **TREATMENT**

Oral selinexor (80 mg) plus dexamethasone (20 mg) twice weekly.

# STORM STUDY

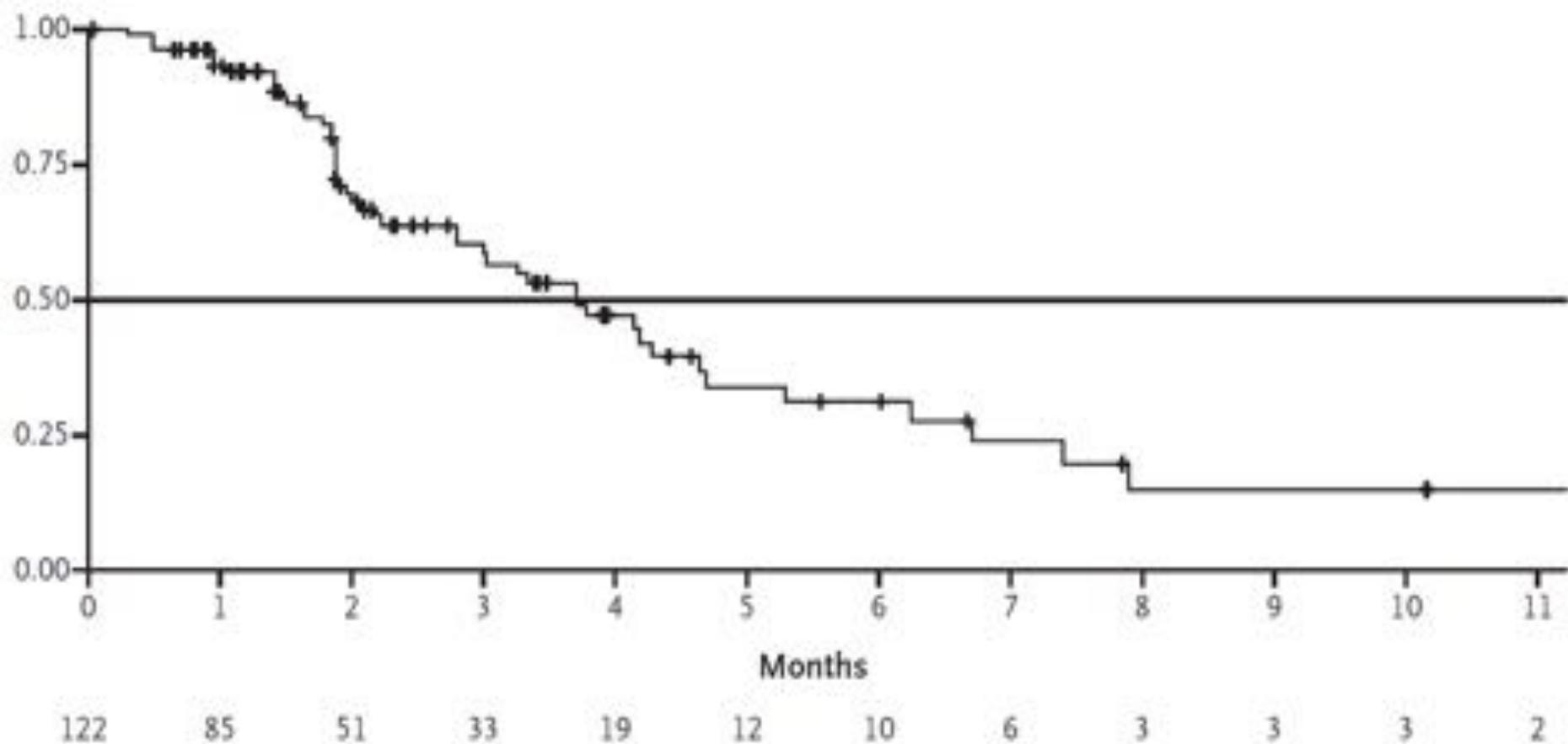
	N = 122
<b>Median age, years (range)</b>	65.2 (40-86)
18-50 years, n (%)	8 (7)
51-64 years, n (%)	52 (43)
65-75 years, n (%)	44 (36)
> 75 years, n (%)	18 (15)
<b>Median time from diagnosis, years (range)</b>	6.6 (1.1-23.4)
<b>Males, n (%)</b>	71 (58)
<b>Creatinine Clearance, n (%)</b>	
< 40 mL/min	14 (11)
< 60 mL/min	39 (32)
<b>High risk cytogenetics, n (%)</b>	65 (53)
Del(17p)	32 (26)
t(4;14)	17 (14)
t(14;16)	5 (4)
Amp 1q21 (> 2 copies)	40 (33)
<b>ECOG Performance Status, n (%)</b>	
0	36 (30)
1	71 (58)
2	11 (9)
Unknown	4 (3)

Chari et al. NEJM 2019

# STORM STUDY – Primary Endpoint: ORR

Variable	Patients Included in Analysis <i>number</i>	Patients with Partial Response or Better	Patients with Minimal Response or Better
		<i>number (percent)</i>	
Total	122	32 (26)	48 (39)
Previous therapies to which the disease was refractory			
Bortezomib, carfilzomib, lenalidomide, pomalidomide, and daratumumab	83	21 (25)	31 (37)
Carfilzomib, lenalidomide, pomalidomide, and daratumumab	101	26 (26)	37 (37)
Bortezomib, carfilzomib, pomalidomide, and daratumumab	94	25 (27)	36 (38)
Carfilzomib, pomalidomide, and daratumumab	117	31 (26)	45 (38)
R-ISS disease stage			
I	20	7 (35)	10 (50)
II	78	21 (27)	32 (41)
III	23	4 (17)	6 (26)
Measurable free light chains			
Yes	35	15 (43)	19 (54)
No	87	17 (20)	29 (33)
High-risk cytogenetic abnormality†	65	12 (18)	24 (37)

## STORM STUDY – PFS



# STORM STUDY – Safety

## Most common ( $\geq 20\%$ ) TEAEs

- Thrombocytopenia\* (74%)
- Fatigue<sup>†</sup> (73%)
- Nausea (72%)
- Anemia<sup>‡</sup> (59%)
- Decreased appetite (53%)
- Decreased weight (47%)
- Diarrhea (44%)
- Vomiting (41%)
- Hyponatremia (39%)
- Neutropenia<sup>§</sup> (34%)
- Leukopenia (28%)
- Constipation (25%)
- Dyspnea<sup>¶</sup> (24%)
- URTI<sup>#</sup> (21%)

**27% of patients permanently discontinued selinexor because of an AE**

**65% of patients had dose interruptions of selinexor due to AEs**

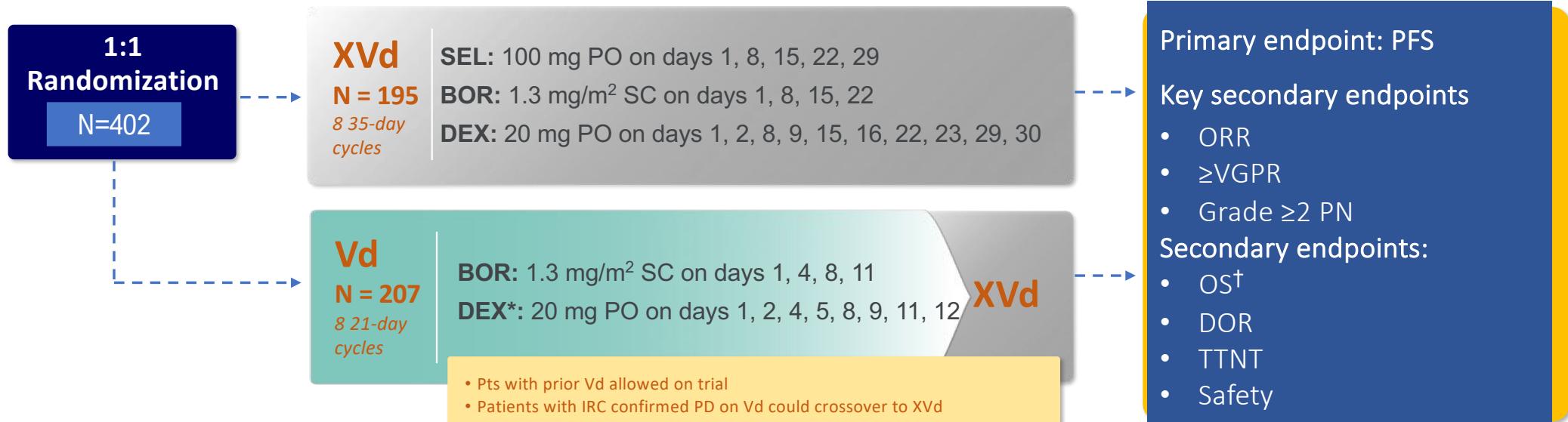
**53% of patients had dose reductions of selinexor due to AEs**

**58% of patients receiving selinexor experienced serious AEs**

**9% of patients experienced fatal AEs**

# BOSTON STUDY

## Selinexor-Vel-Dex vs Vel-Dex



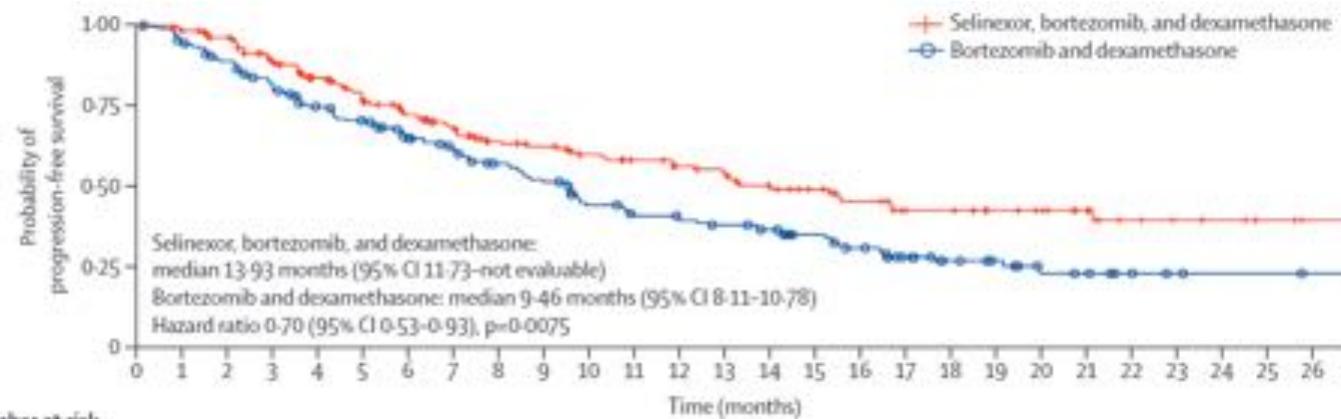
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Characteristic	XVd arm (n = 195)	Vd arm (n = 207)
<b>Median Age, years (range)<sup>1</sup></b>		
≥75 years, n (%)	66 (40, 87) 34 (17)	67 (38, 90) 47 (23)
<b>Creatinine Clearance, mL/min, n (%)<sup>1</sup></b>		
<30	3 (2)	10 (5)
30-60	53 (27)	60 (29)
<b>Time since initial diagnosis, years, (range)<sup>1</sup></b>	3.8 (0.4, 23.0)	3.6 (0.4, 22.0)
<b>High Risk Cytogenetics, [del (17p) or t (14;16) or t (4;14) or amp 1q21] n (%)<sup>1*</sup></b>	97 (50)	95 (46)
<b>R-ISS disease stage at screening, n (%)<sup>1</sup></b>		
I or II	173 (89)	177 (86)
III	12 (6)	16 (8)
Unknown	10 (5)	14 (7)
<b>Number of prior lines of therapy, n (%)<sup>1</sup></b>		
1	99 (51)	99 (48)
2	65 (33)	64 (31)
3	31 (16)	44 (21)
<b>Prior Therapies, n (%)</b>		
Bortezomib <sup>1</sup>	134 (68.7)	145 (70.0)
Carfilzomib <sup>1</sup>	20 (10.3)	21 (10.1)
Daratumumab <sup>1</sup>	11 (5.6)	6 (2.9)
Lenalidomide <sup>1</sup>	77 (39.5)	77 (37.2)
Thalidomide <sup>2</sup>	78 (40.0)	87 (42.0)
IMiD and PI <sup>3</sup>	60 (30.8)	64 (30.9)
Stem cell transplant <sup>1</sup>	76 (39.0)	63 (30.4)

# BOSTON STUDY

PFS

	XVd arm (n = 195)	Vd arm (n = 207)
Median PFS, months (95% CI)	<b>13.93</b> (11.73, NE)	<b>9.46</b> (8.11, 10.78)
HR=0.70 (95% CI: 0.53, 0.93); one-sided $P = .0075$		

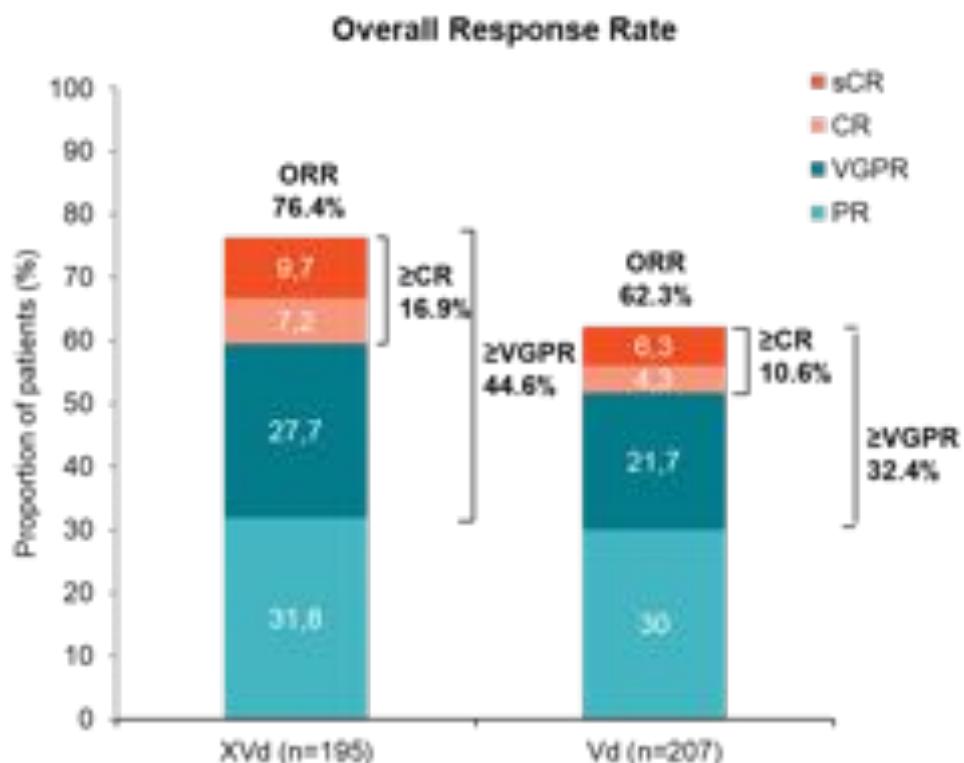


This data represents:

- An increase of **4.47 months** in median PFS
- A **30% reduction** in the risk of disease progression

# BOSTON STUDY

## ORR



- Key evidence of deep responses:
  - $\geq$ VGPR  $P = .0082^*$
  - 6% absolute difference in  $\geq$ CR
- Clinical benefit was evident in the XVd arm vs the Vd arm:
  - Proportion of patients with progressive disease: 0.5% in the XVd arm vs 5% in the Vd arm

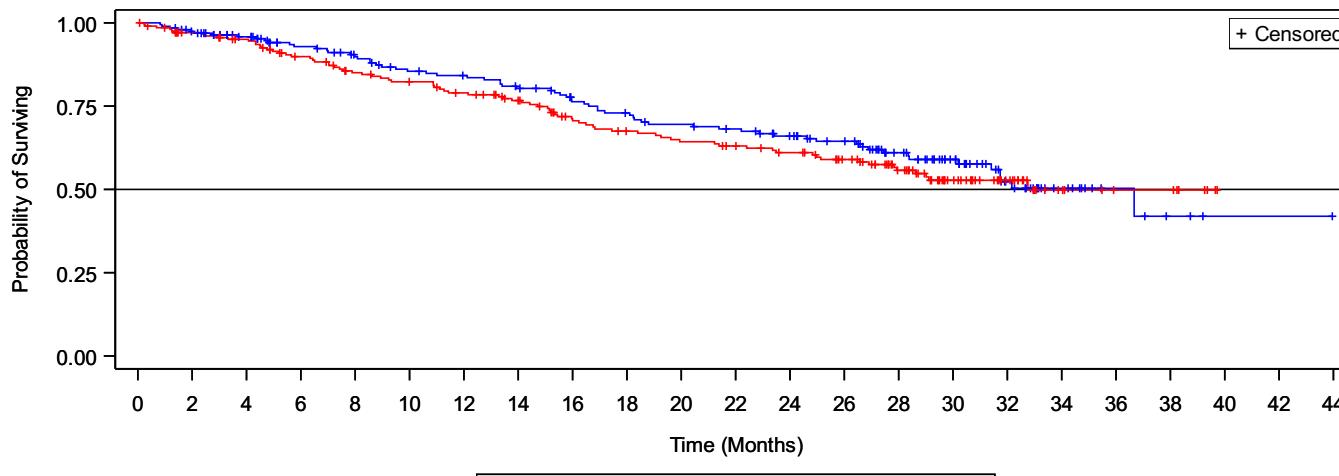
	XVd arm (n = 195)	Vd arm (n = 207)
Median Time to Response, months	1.1	1.4
Median Duration of Response, months	20.3	12.9
Median Time to Next Treatment, months	16.1	10.8

# BOSTON STUDY

OS

Survival data is immature [148 deaths (36.8%)] (As of Data cutoff: Feb 15, 2021)

	XVd arm (n = 195)	Vd arm (n = 207)
Death events, n (%)	68 (34.9)	80 (38.6)
Median OS, mo (95% CI)	36.67 (30.19, NE)	32.76 (27.83, NE)
HR=0.87 (95% CI: 0.63, 1.21); one-sided $P = .2152$		



SVd Arm	195	186	171	155	145	135	131	124	113	107	101	97	89	81	62	46	26	13	6	3	1	1	0
Vd Arm	207	193	185	169	156	149	141	130	114	106	101	97	91	81	63	41	26	11	7	7	0		

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# BOSTON STUDY

## SAFETY

Most Common TEAEs (In ≥10% in either group), n %	XVd arm (n = 195)		Vd arm (n = 204)*	
	Any Grade <sup>†</sup>	Grade 3/4	Any Grade <sup>‡</sup>	Grade 3/4
<b>Hematological adverse events</b>				
Thrombocytopenia	117 (60)	77 (39)	55 (27)	35 (17)
Anemia	71 (36)	31 (16)	47 (23)	20 (10)
Neutropenia	29 (15)	18 (9)	12 (6)	7 (3)

# BOSTON STUDY

**SAFETY**

Most Common TEAEs (In ≥10% in either group), n %	Xvd arm (n = 195)		Vd arm (n = 204)*	
	Any Grade <sup>†</sup>	Grade 3/4	Any Grade <sup>‡</sup>	Grade 3/4
<b>Non-hematological adverse events</b>				
Fatigue	82 (42)	26 (13)	37 (18)	2 (1)
Nausea	98 (50)	15 (8)	20 (10)	0
Diarrhea	63 (32)	12 (6)	51 (25)	1 (<1)
Peripheral neuropathy <sup>§</sup>	63 (32)	9 (5)	96 (47)	18 (9)
Decreased appetite	69 (35)	7 (4)	11 (5)	0
Weight loss	51 (26)	4 (2)	25 (12)	2 (1)
Asthenia	48 (25)	16 (8)	27 (13)	9 (4)
Constipation	33 (17)	0	35 (17)	3 (1)
Cough	35 (18)	1 (1)	30 (15)	0
Insomnia	31 (16)	2 (1)	32 (16)	4 (2)
Back pain	30 (15)	1 (1)	29 (14)	2 (1)
Pneumonia <sup>¶</sup>	35 (18)	24 (12)	34 (17)	21 (10)
Pyrexia	30 (15)	3 (2)	22 (11)	2 (1)
Cataract	42 (22)	17 (9)	13 (6)	3 (1)
Vomiting	40 (21)	8 (4)	9 (4)	0
Peripheral edema	23 (12)	1 (1)	26 (13)	0
Dyspnea	18 (9)	1 (1)	27 (13)	5 (2)
Bronchitis	24 (12)	3 (2)	20 (10)	1 (<1)
URTI	35 (18)	5 (3)	30 (15)	1 (<1)

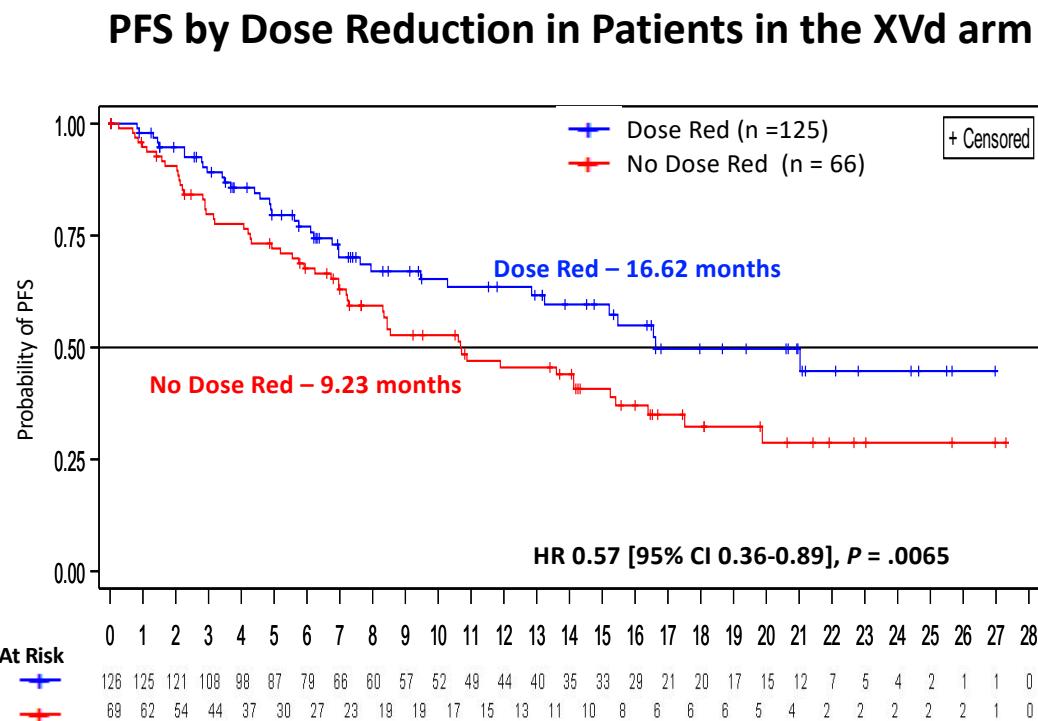
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## DISCONTINUATION DUE TO AEs

Event, %	XVd Arm (n = 195)	Vd Arm (n = 204)
Any TEAE	21.0	15.7
Peripheral Neuropathy	4.6	7.4
Fatigue/Asthenia	4.6	1.5
Nausea	3.1	0
Decreased appetite	2.1	0.5
Thrombocytopenia	2.1	0.5
Vomiting	2.1	0

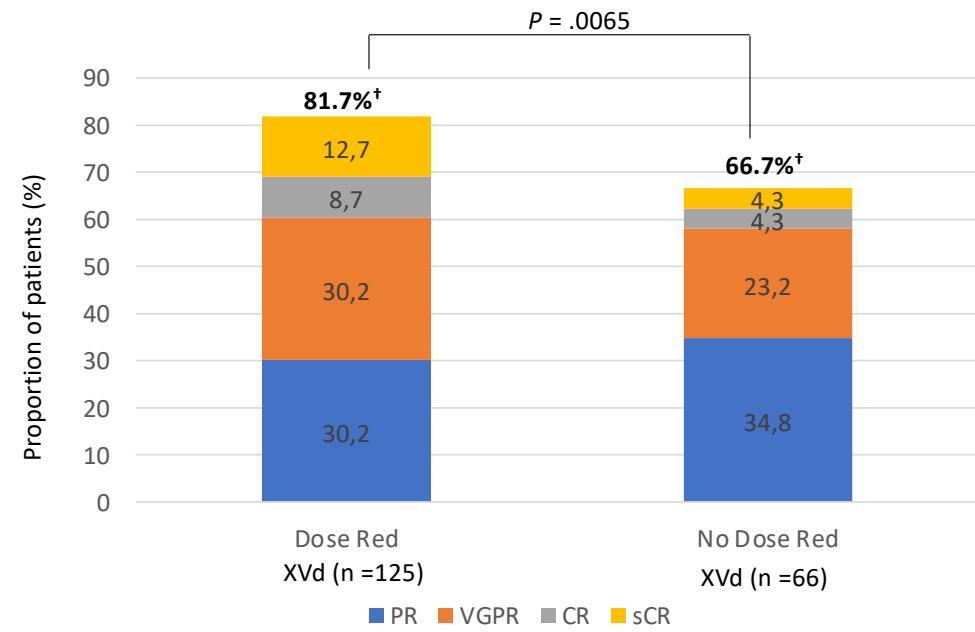
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## Dose Reductions due to AEs



XVd      Vd  
72.3%    51.0%

## ORR Rates by Dose Reduction of Selinexor in the XVd arm



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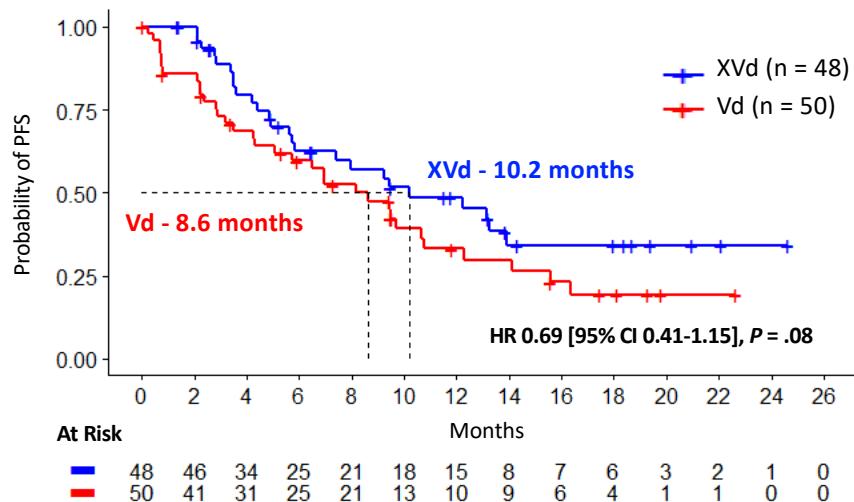
## High Risk Cytogenetics

Characteristic	XVd			
	High Risk (n = 70)	Standard Risk (n = 125)		
Median Age, years (range)	67 (45-84)	65 (40-87)	67 (49-90)	67 (38-84)
Years since diagnosis to enrollment, median (range)	3.5 (1.1-23.0)	4.1 (0.4 -21.5)	3.0 (0.6-22.0)	3.8 (0.4-18.4)
<b>High Risk Cytogenetics, n (%)</b>				
del(17p)	21 (10.8)		16 (7.7)	
t(14;16)	7 (3.6)		11 (5.3)	
t(4;14)	22 (11.3)	--	27 (13.0)	--
amp 1q21 ( $\geq$ 4 copies)	43 (22.1)		39 (18.8)	
del(17p) <b>or</b> t(14;16) <b>or</b> t(4;14) <b>or</b> amp 1q21	70 (35.9)		71 (34.3)	
<b>Number of prior lines of therapy, n (%)</b>				
1	35 (50.0)	64 (51.2)	32 (45.1)	67 (49.3)
2	22 (31.4)	43 (34.4)	20 (28.2)	44 (32.4)
3	13 (18.6)	18 (14.4)	19 (26.8)	25 (18.4)
<b>Prior ASCT, n (%)</b>	26 (37.1)	50 (40.0)	28 (39.4)	35 (25.7)

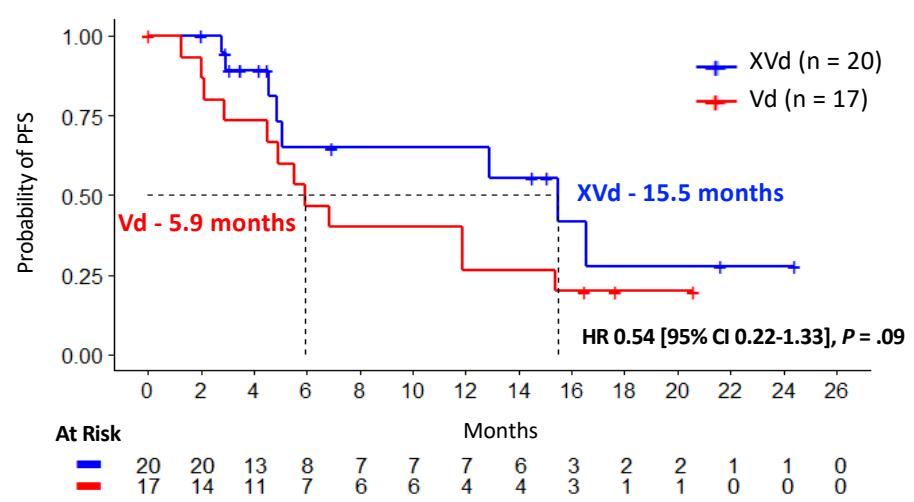
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## High Risk Cytogenetics

PFS in Patients With 1 Cytogenetic Abnormality

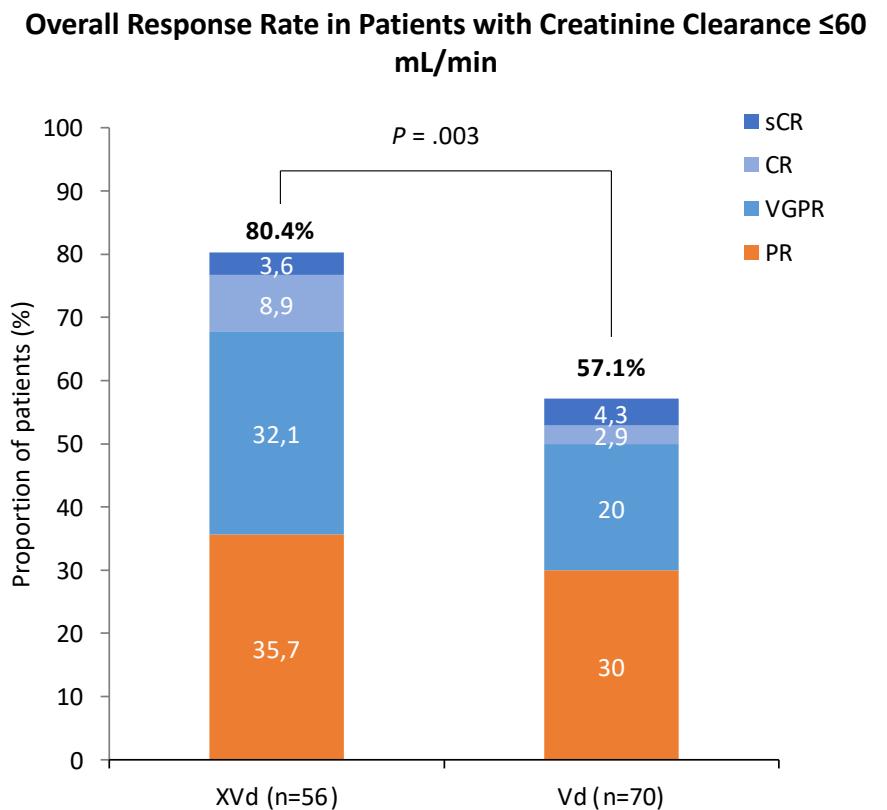
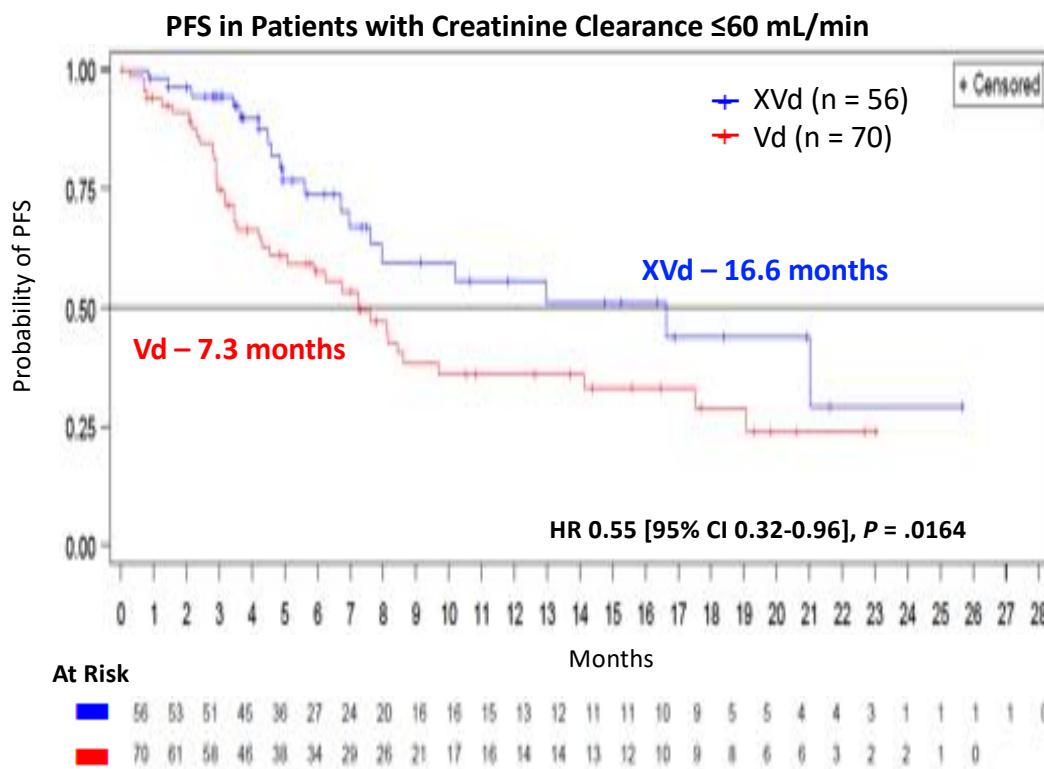


PFS in Patients With  $\geq 2$  Cytogenetic Abnormalities



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## Renal Impairment



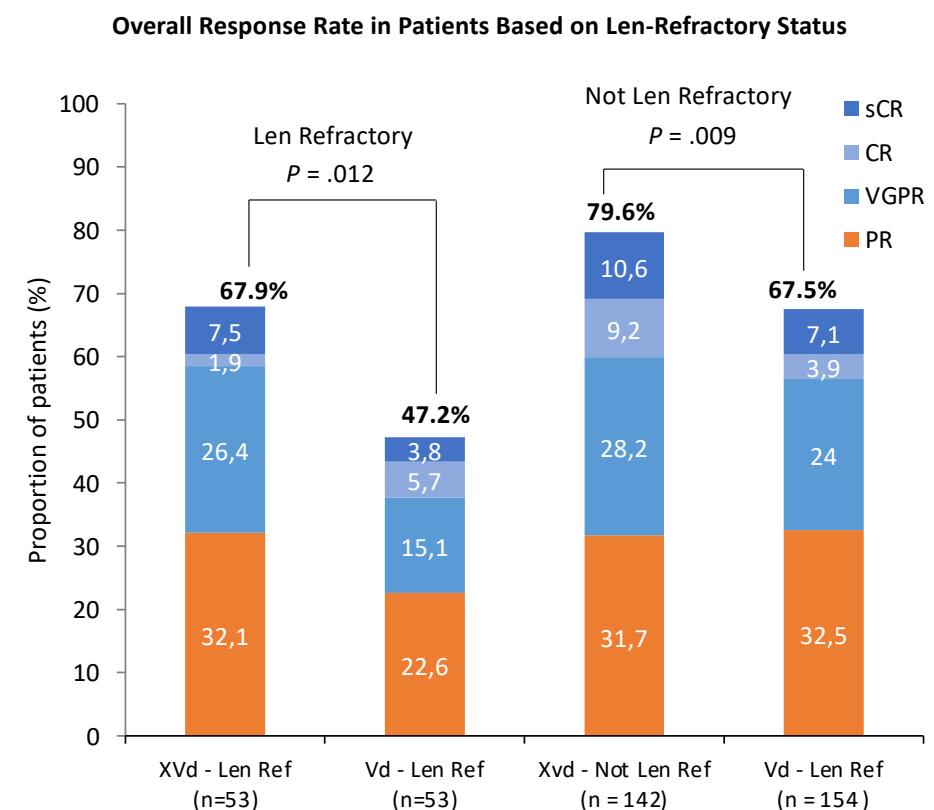
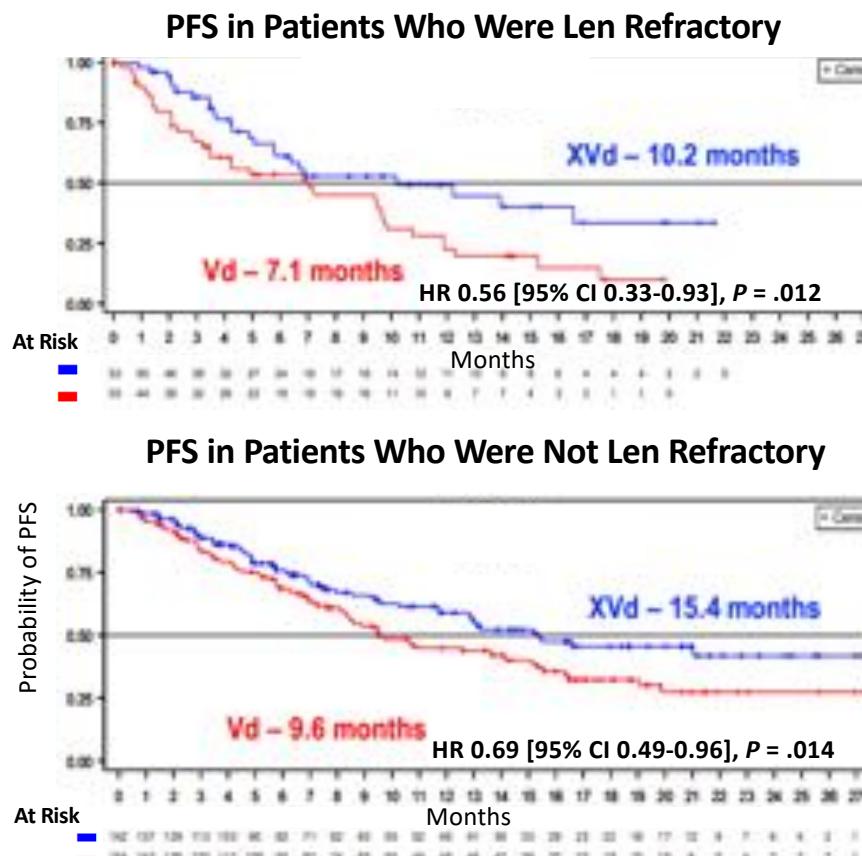
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## Lenalidomide refractory

Characteristic	XVd		Vd	
	Len Ref (n = 53)	Not Len Ref (n = 142)	Len Ref (n = 53)	Not Len Ref (n = 154)
Age, median (range)	65 (40-87)	66 (42-84)	66 (45-85)	67 (38-90)
Males, n (%)	37 (69.8)	78 (54.9)	29 (54.7)	86 (55.8)
Number of prior regimens, n (%)				
1	16 (30.2)	83 (58.5)	14 (26.4)	85 (55.2)
2	21 (39.6)	44 (31.0)	20 (37.7)	44 (28.6)
3	16 (30.2)	15 (10.6)	19 (35.8)	25 (16.2)

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## Lenalidomide refractory



# STOMP STUDY – Phase 1b-2 Trial

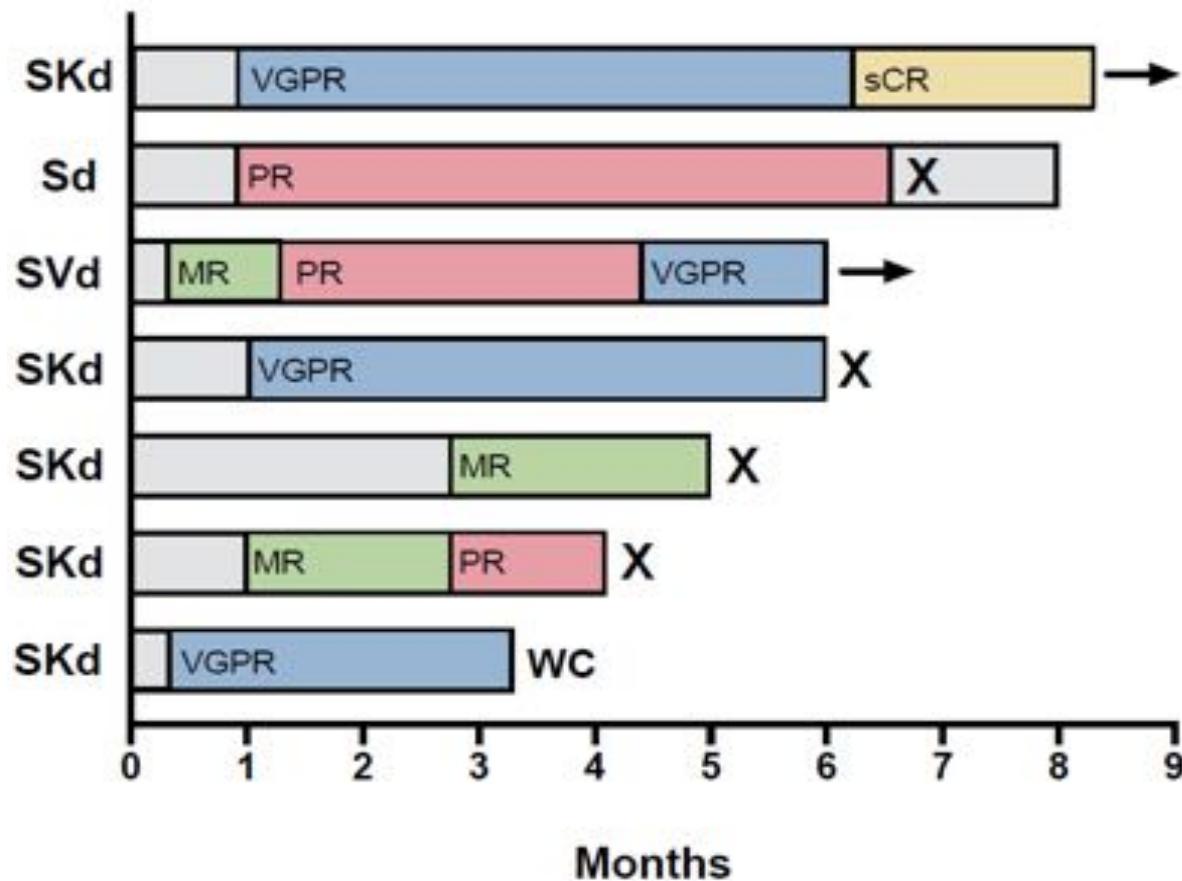
<b>ARM 1</b>	Selinexor	Dexamethasone	<b>Pomalidomide</b>	Relapsed/Refractory
<b>ARM 2</b>	Selinexor	Dexamethasone	<b>Bortezomib</b>	Relapsed/Refractory
<b>ARM 3</b>	Selinexor	Dexamethasone	<b>Lenalidomide</b>	Relapsed/Refractory
<b>ARM 4</b>	Selinexor	Dexamethasone	<b>Pomalidomide + Bortezomib</b>	Relapsed/Refractory
<b>ARM 5</b>	Selinexor	Dexamethasone	<b>Daratumumab</b>	Relapsed/Refractory
<b>ARM 6</b>	Selinexor	Dexamethasone	<b>Carfilzomib</b>	Relapsed/Refractory
<b>ARM 7</b>	Selinexor	Dexamethasone	<b>Lenalidomide</b>	Newly diagnosed
<b>ARM 8</b>	Selinexor	Dexamethasone	<b>Ixazomib</b>	Relapsed/Refractory
<b>ARM 9</b>	Selinexor	Dexamethasone	<b>Pomalidomide + Elotuzumab</b>	Relapsed/Refractory
<b>ARM 10</b>	Selinexor	Dexamethasone	<b>Belantamab Mafodotin</b>	Relapsed/Refractory
<b>ARM 11</b>	Selinexor	Dexamethasone	<b>Pomalidomide + Daratumumab</b>	Relapsed/Refractory

# Selinexor-containing regimens for patients relapsed after anti-BCMA CAR-T cells

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
<b>Age</b>	66	70	62	35	62	67	64
<b>Sex</b>	F	F	M	M	M	F	F
<b>Ethnic Origin</b>	White	White	White	White	White	White	White
<b>ECOG Performance Status</b>	1	0	1	1	1	1	1
<b>ISS Staging at Diagnosis</b>	III	II	I	II	I	II	Unknown
<b>Time from Initial Diagnosis (Years)</b>	6.3	15.9	9.8	8.9	10.0	4.8	8.0
<b>Cytogenetics</b>	t(14;16)	Gain (1q21), trisomy 3, 7, 9 plus IGH translocation	t(4; 14)	Hyperdiploidy with +1q and trisomy 9, 11, 15	t(4;14)	+1q, t(4;14), del 13	Complex hyperdiploid karyotype with del 1p
<b>Extramedullary Plasmacytomas ≥ 1</b>	No	Yes (2 sites)	No	Yes (2 sites)	Yes (2 sites)	Yes (3 sites)	Yes (1 site)
<b>LDH at Baseline (U/L)</b>	202	161	176	186	205	245	225
<b>Prior Therapeutic Regimens (N)</b>	10	15	7	5	11	6	12

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# Selinexor-containing regimens for patients relapsed after anti-BCMA CAR-T cells



## **CONCLUSIONS**

Selinexor has a new and interesting mechanism of action, potentially effective in multi-refractory MM patients.

Safety is an issue, however, treatment of less advanced patients can show a better tolerability.

Selienexor needs to be combined with other drugs.

The real potentiality of Selinexor is object of active study.