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Linfoma mantellare: dalla definizione del rischio al trattamento

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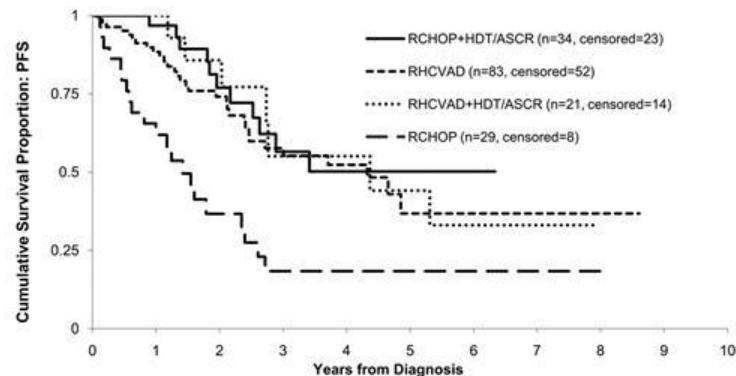
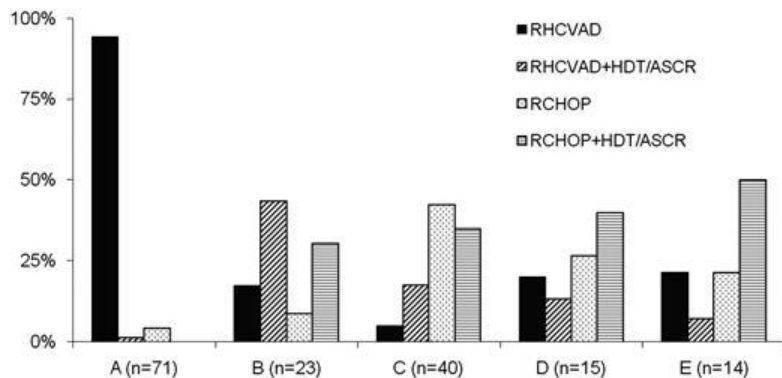
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RCHOP	29	17	8	3	3	1	1	1	1
RCHOP+HDT/ASCR	34	28	18	9	3	2	1	0	0
RHCVD	83	59	40	24	17	5	1	1	1
RHCVD+HDT/ASCR	21	19	11	5	5	4	3	2	0



- **HIGH-RISK MCL PATIENT**
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- **HOW I TREAT MCL PATIENTS (R/R)?**



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NOW.. CAN I PREDICT HIGH RISK DISEASE?

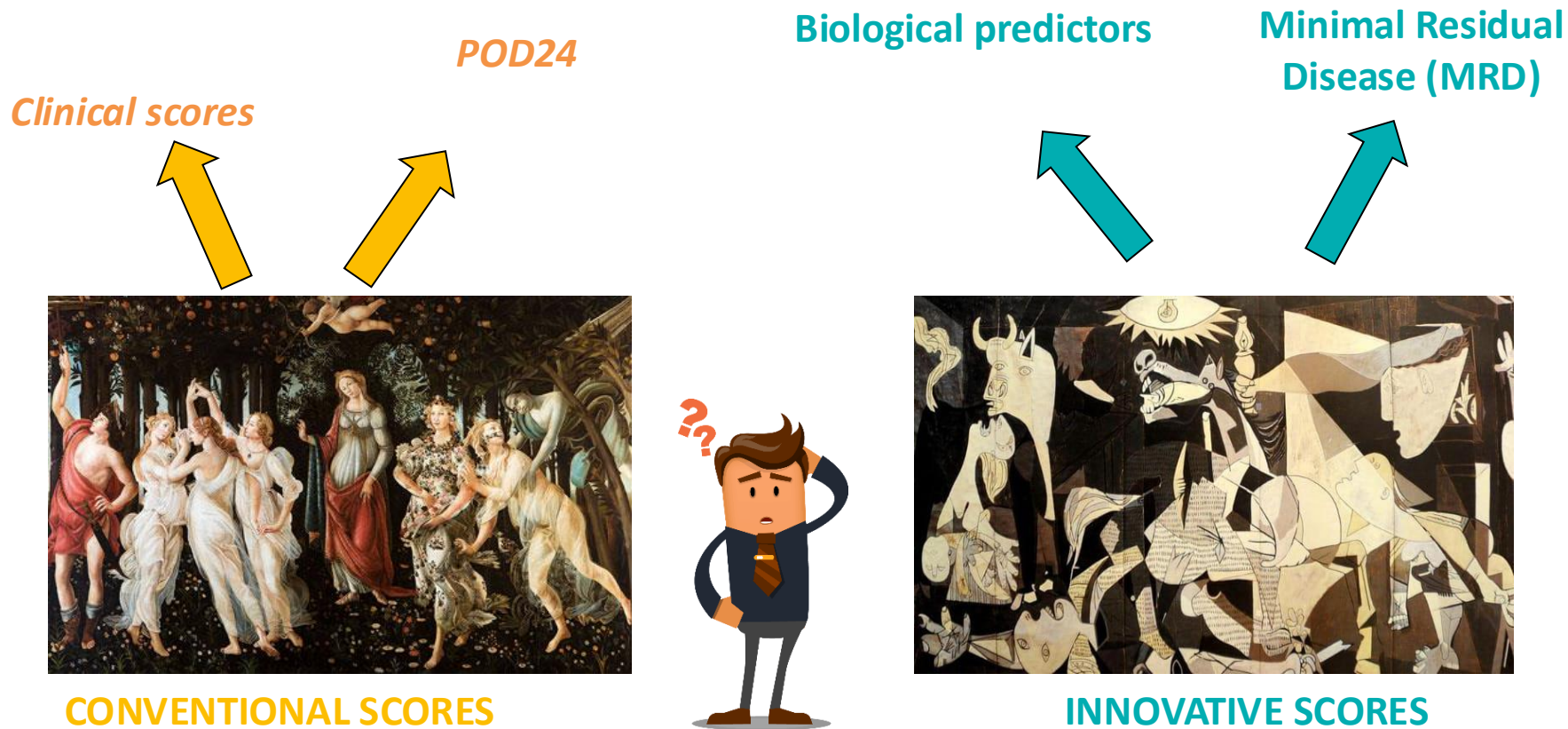


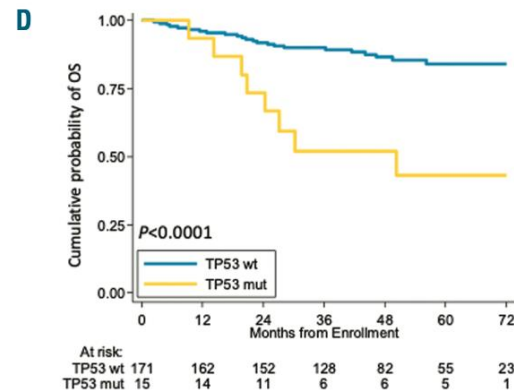
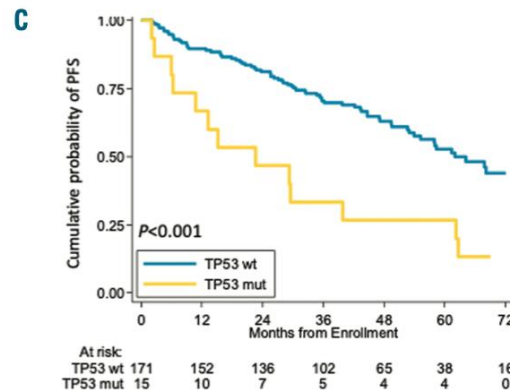
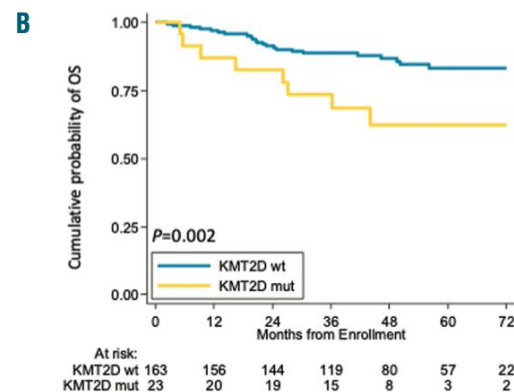
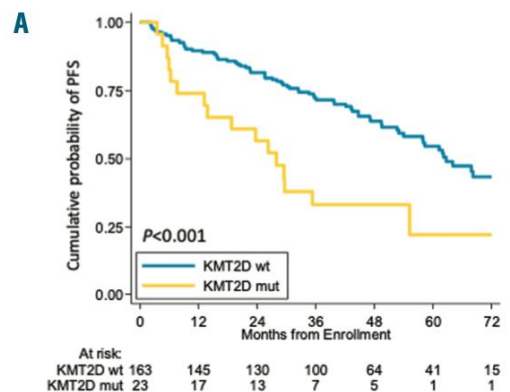
TABLE 1. Prognostic Risk Scores of Patients With Treated Frontline Mantle Cell Lymphoma^{1-3,84}

Scoring System	Components	Calculation	Risk Group	Survival
MIPI	Age, ECOG PS, LDH, WCC	$0.03535 \times \text{age (years)} + 0.6978 \text{ (if ECOG PS} > 1) + 1.367 \times \log_{10}(\text{LDH/ULN}) + 0.9393 \times \log_{10}(\text{WCC per } 10^{-6})$	LR < 5.70 IR ≥ 5.70 HR ≥ 6.20	Initial data: LR 5-year OS 60% IR median 51 months HR median 29 months Validation: 5-year OS: LR 83%, IR 63%, HR 34% (p < .001) 5-year TTF: LR 59%, IR 37%, HR 22% (p < .001)
MIPI-c	Age, ECOG PS, LDH, WCC, Ki67%	- Initial MIPI calculation as above - Ki67% (< 30% or ≥ 30%)	LR: LR MIPI + Ki67 < 30% LI: either LR MIPI + Ki67 ≥ 30% or IR MIPI + Ki67 < 30% HI: either IR MIPI + Ki67 ≥ 30% or HR MIPI + Ki67 < 30% HR: HR MIPI and Ki67 ≥ 30%	5-year OS: LR 85%, LI 72%, HI 43%, and HR 17% (p < .001)
MIPI-b	Age, ECOG PS, LDH, WCC, Ki67%	CBS: $0.03535 \times \text{age (years)} + 0.6978 \text{ (if ECOG} > 1) + 1.367 \times \log_{10}(\text{LDH/ULN}) + 0.9393 \times \log_{10}(\text{WCC}) + 0.02142 \times \text{Ki67\%}$.	LR: CBS < 5.7 IR: CBS 5.7–6.5 HR: CBS ≥ 6.5	Median OS: LR not reached IR 58 months HR 37 months
s-MIPI	Age, ECOG PS, LDH, WCC	- Age: 1 point for 50–59, 2 for 60–69, 3 for ≥ 70 years - ECOG: 2 points for ECOG 2–4 - LDH/ULN ratio: 1 point for 0.67–0.99, 2 points for 1.0–1.49, 3 points for ≥ 1.50 - WCC 10 ⁹ /L: 1 point 6.7–9.99, 2 points 1.00–14.99, 3 points ≥ 15.0	LR: 0–3 IR: 4–5 HR: 6–11	5-year OS: HR 38%

Abbreviations: CBS, combined biologic score; ECOG PS, ECOG Performance Status; HI, high intermediate; HR, high risk; IR, intermediate risk; LDH, lactate dehydrogenase; LI, low intermediate; LR, low risk; MIPI, Mantle Cell Lymphoma International Prognostic Index; MIPI-c, combined MIPI; MIPI-b, biologic MIPI; s-MIPI, simplified MIPI; OS, overall survival; TTF, time-to-treatment failure; ULN, upper limit of normal; WCC, white cell count.

KMT2D mutations and TP53 disruptions are poor prognostic biomarkers in mantle cell lymphoma receiving high-dose therapy: a FIL study

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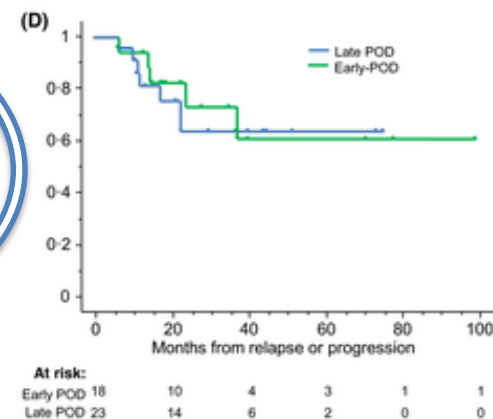
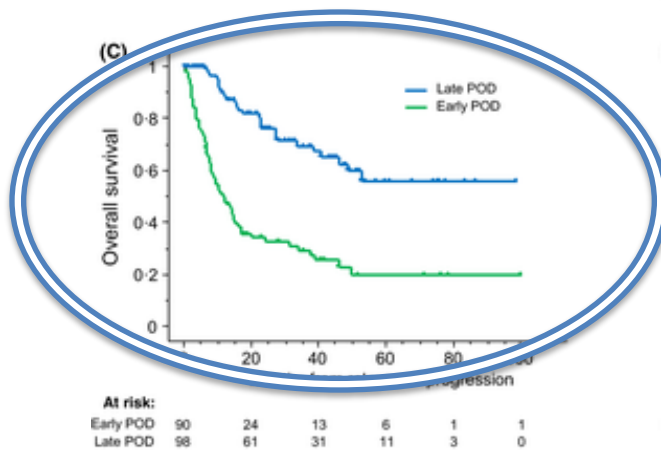
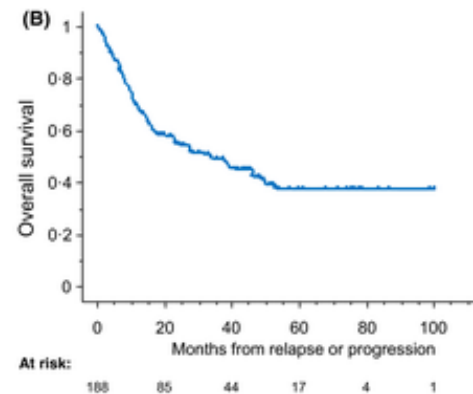
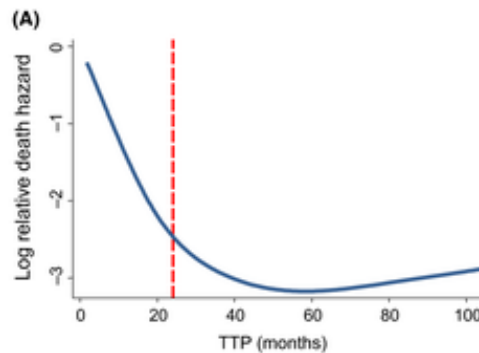
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Time to progression of mantle cell lymphoma after high-dose cytarabine-based regimens defines patients risk for death

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IS THE PROGNOSTIC VALUE OF MRD DETECTION IN MCL STILL AN ISSUE?

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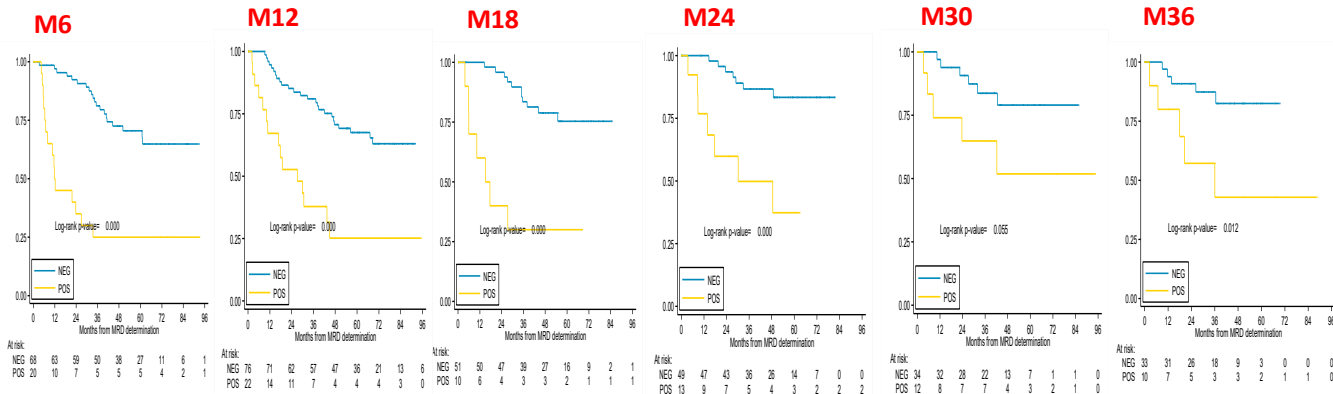
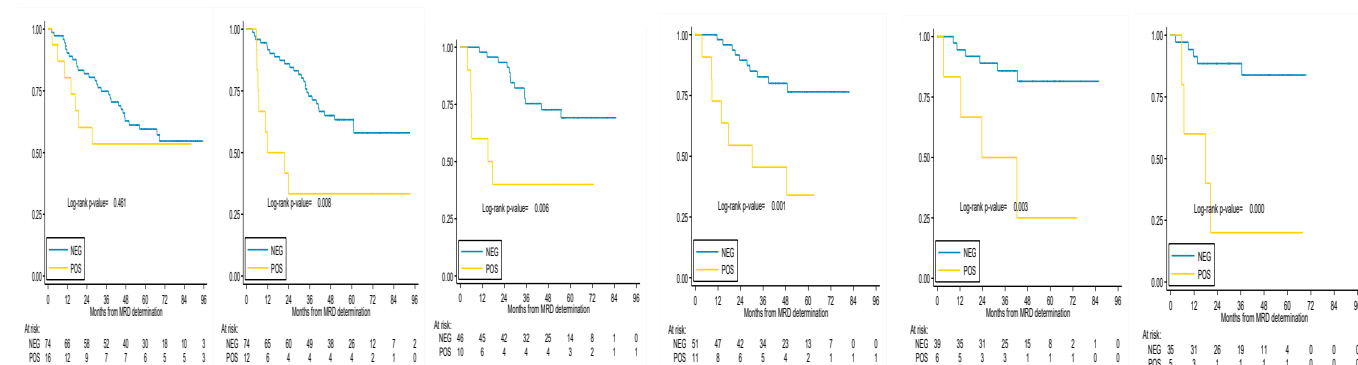
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NEGATIVE STUDIES

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MRD IMPACT ON TTP, MEASURED BY RQ-PCR

BM**PB**

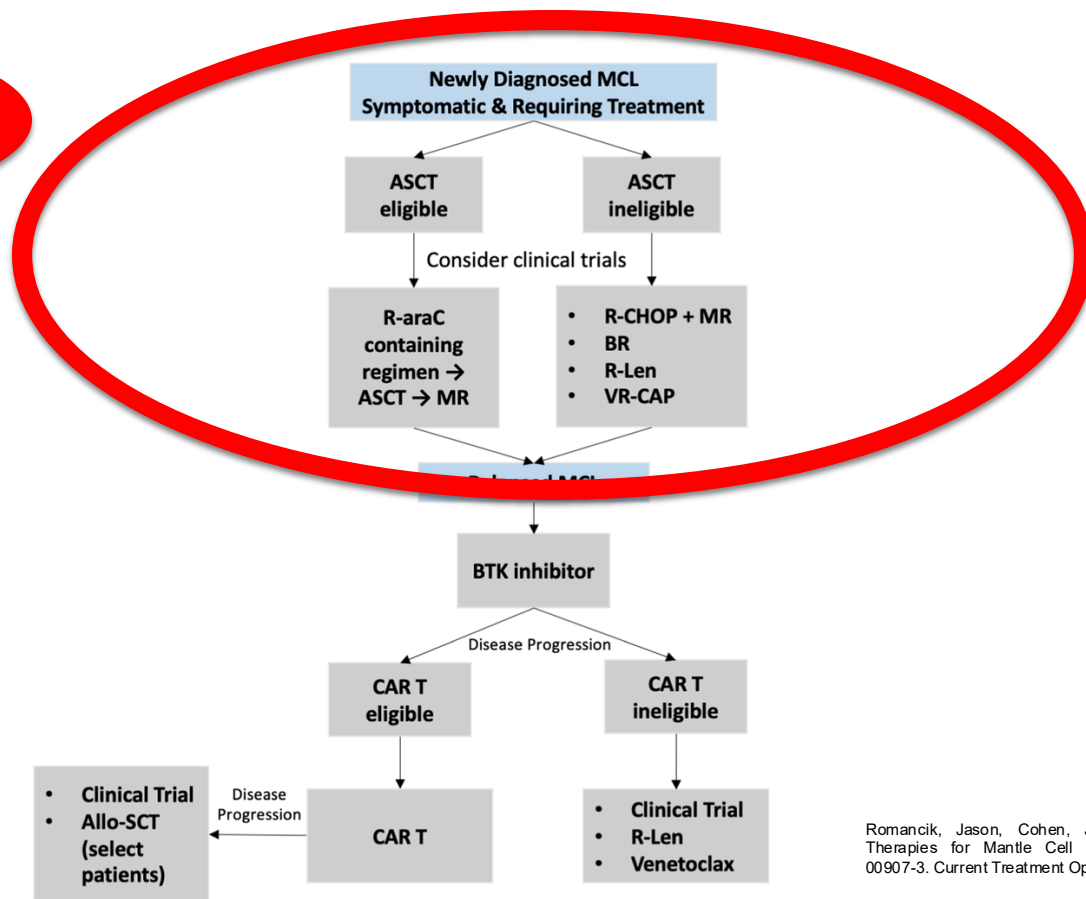
OS ANALYSIS ACCORDING TO CUMULATIVE NEGATIVITY RESULTS

TTP	BM			PB		
	HR	95%CI	p	HR	95%CI	p
Positive (ref)	1	-	-	1	-	-
1 cumulative negativity	1.13	0.51,2.50	0.766	0.74	0.31,1.76	0.493
2 cumulative negativities	0.47	0.17,1.25	0.129	0.96	0.45,2.02	0.909
3 or more negativities	0.35	0.16,0.73	0.005	0.42	0.19,0.90	0.025

**BM, PB
RQ-PCR**



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**PRE-TRIANGLE
ERA**

Romancik, Jason, Cohen, Jonathon, Sequencing of Novel Therapies for Mantle Cell Lymphoma- 10.1007/s11864-021-00907-3. Current Treatment Options in Oncology



TRIANGLE: Trial Design

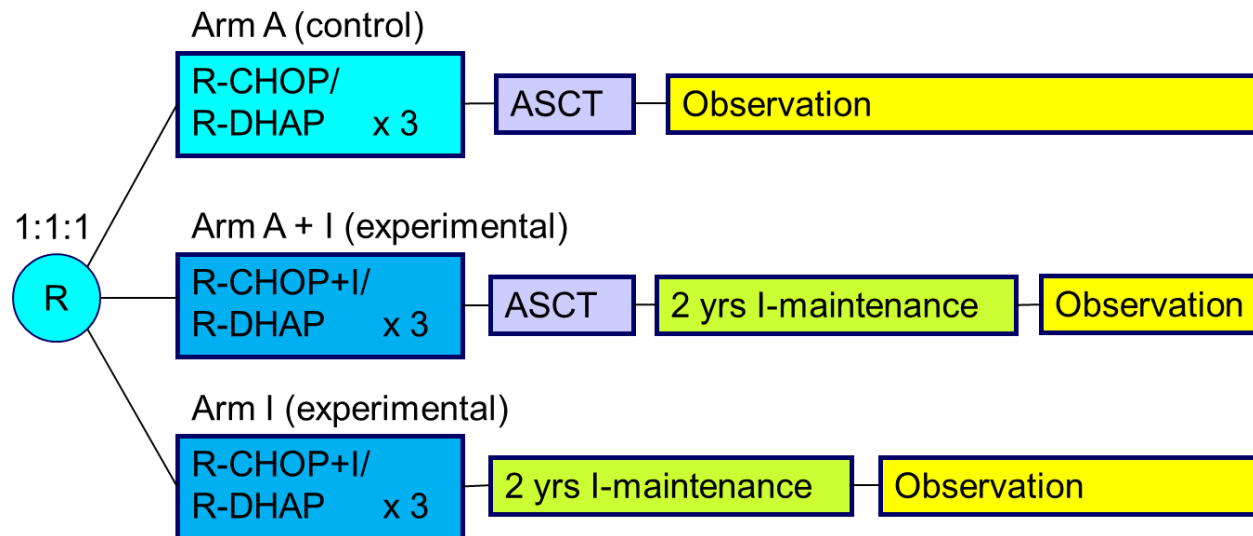
MCL patients

- previously untreated
- stage II-IV
- younger than 66 years
- suitable for HD-AraC and ASCT
- ECOG 0-2

Primary outcome: FFS

Secondary outcomes:

- Response rates
- PFS, RD
- OS
- Safety



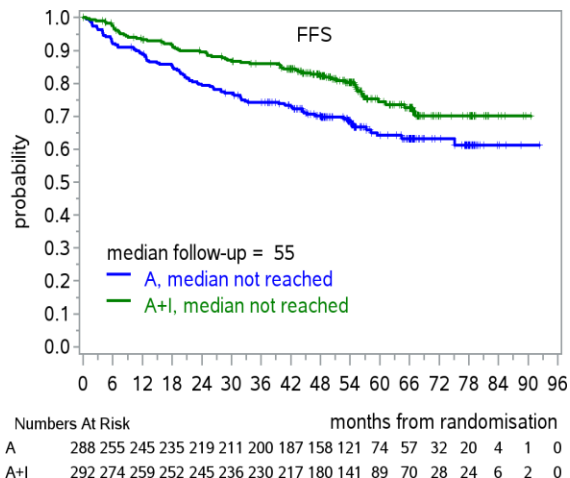
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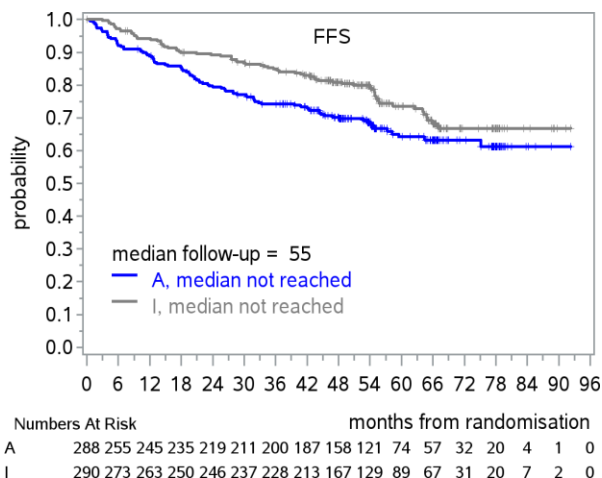
RANDOMIZED POPULATION

FFS FROM RANDOMIZATION (ITT ANALYSIS)

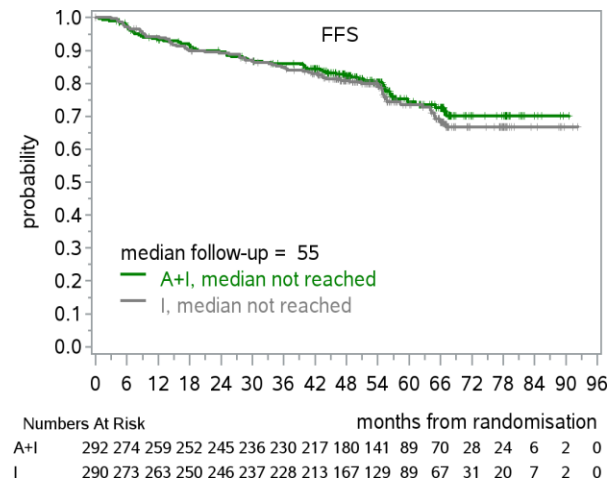
FFS Superiority of A+I vs. A



FFS Superiority of A vs. I

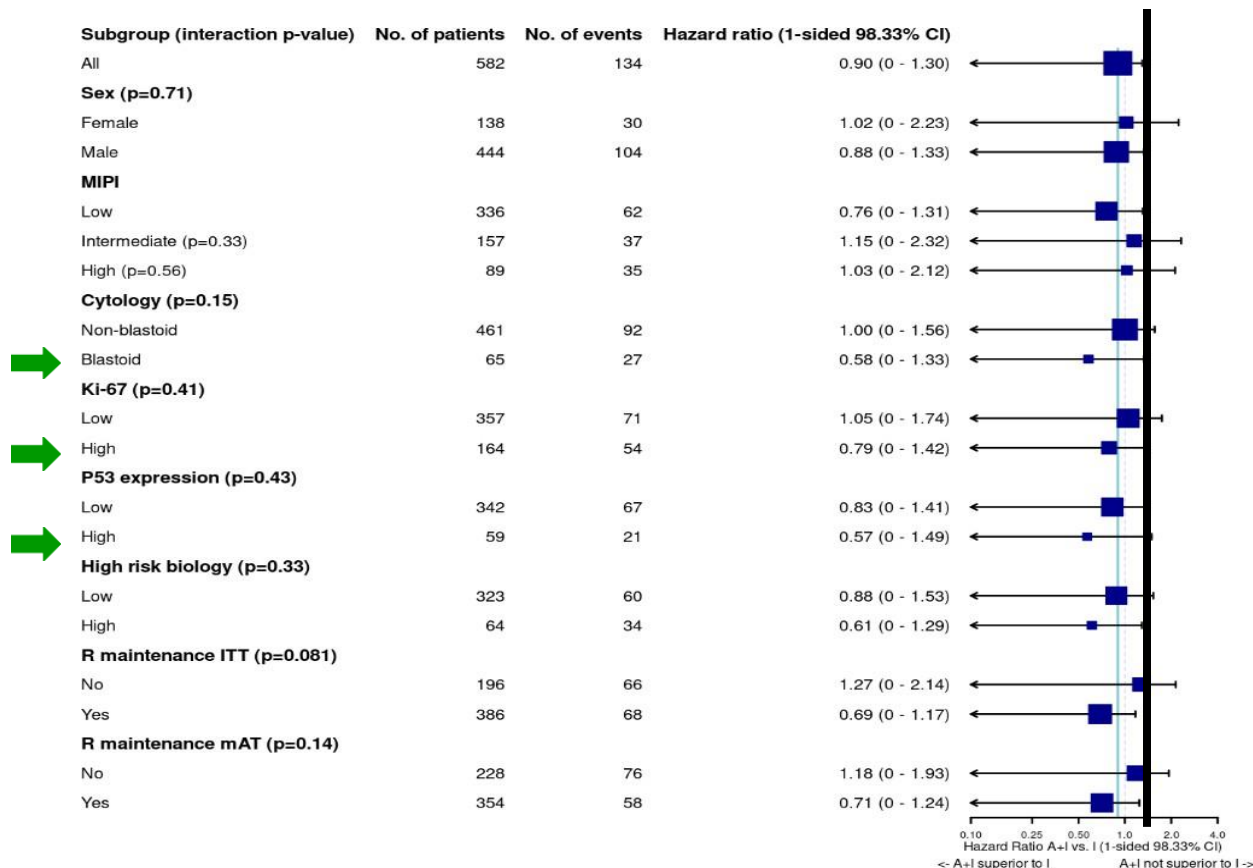


FFS Superiority of A+I vs. I





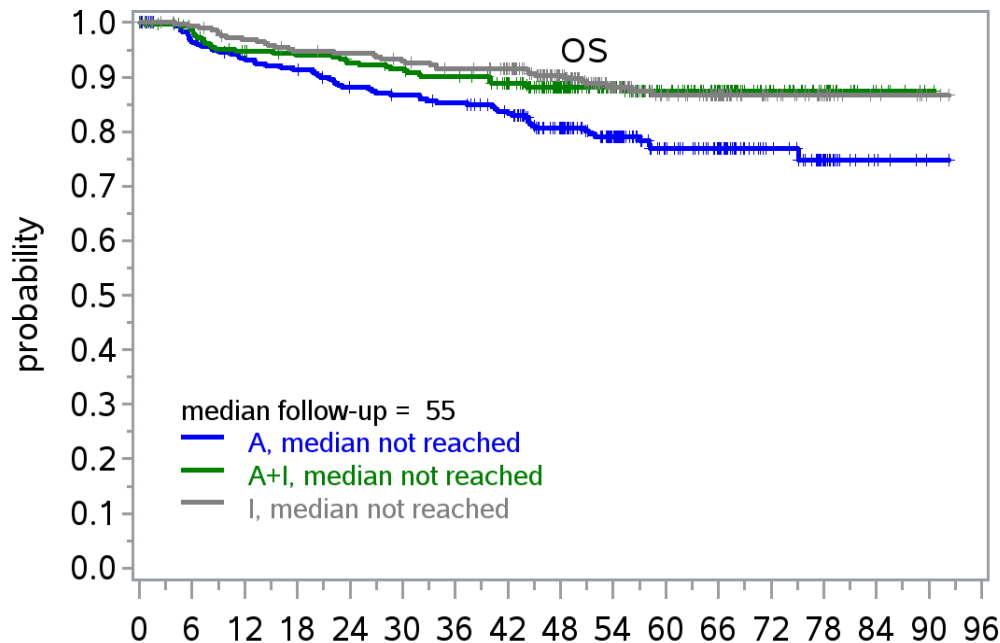
TRIANGLE: No FFS Superiority of A+I vs. I



- trend towards superiority of A+I over I in patients in high risk patients:
 - Ki-67 >30%
 - blastoid cytology or
 - high p53 expression



TRIANGLE: Overall survival

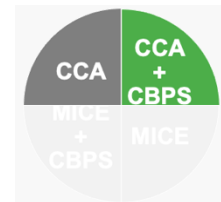


Numbers At Risk		months from randomisation														
A	288	270	260	255	243	238	233	222	186	145	92	73	41	23	5	1
A+I	292	281	267	262	257	253	248	235	201	160	107	83	39	26	8	2
I	290	282	273	266	264	259	253	243	194	147	101	78	41	21	7	2

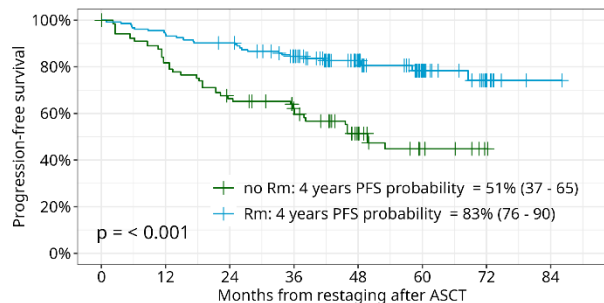
- 4-year OS:
 - A: 81%
(MCL Younger exp.: 80%)
 - A+I: 88%
 - I: 90%
- two-sided test, ($\alpha = 5\%$):
 - A vs. I: $p=0.0019$, HR: 0.565
 - A vs. A+I: $p=0.0036$, HR I: 0.587
 - A+I vs. I: ongoing



WHAT DO WE KNOW ABOUT RITUXIMAB MAINTENANCE (Rm) IMPACT ON SURVIVAL?

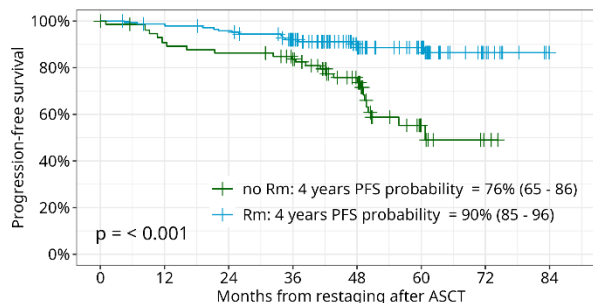


Arm A: PFS



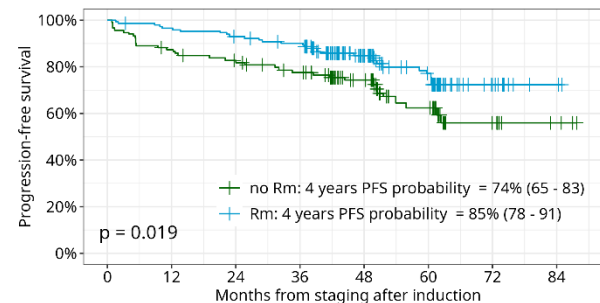
noRm group								
At risk	76.5	66.8	52.2	41	23.8	12.9	2.6	0
Event	0	8.5	21.9	26.2	31.8	33.4	33.4	33.4
Rm group								
At risk	156.8	145.9	140	122.7	86	49.5	16.1	1.7
Event	0	10.9	15.8	24.6	26.9	28.5	30	30

Arm A+I: PFS



noRm group								
At risk	85.3	75.1	71.6	63.8	41	12.9	6	0
Event	0	8.1	11.5	13.5	19.5	28.7	29.7	29.7
Rm group								
At risk	151.8	146.9	142.1	125.8	85.7	63	24.5	0
Event	0	3.1	6.9	12.8	14.6	15.5	16.6	16.6

Arm I: PFS



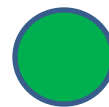
noRm group								
At risk	116.7	100.7	92.5	82.6	59.8	38.2	19.3	6
Event	0	14.1	20.2	26.2	29.2	35.8	37.7	37.7
Rm group								
At risk	157.2	148.3	141.5	135.3	87.3	57.9	23	3.9
Event	0	7	12.8	16.9	22.8	28.7	30.6	30.6

➤ Rm does not significantly extend OS

MCL Treatment: The Horizon for MCL

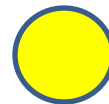
Trials of relevance for an elderly population

- ❖ SHINE trial: BR + ibrutinib until PD
- ❖ ECHO: BR + acalabrutinib until PD
- ❖ ENRICH: Ibrutinib-R vs. BR/R-CHOP
- ❖ VR-BAC: venetoclax consolidation after R-BAC



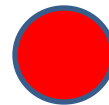
PUBLISHED RESULTS

- ❖ MANGROVE: Zanubrutinib-R vs. BR



PENDING RESULTS

- ❖ VIRAL: VR+ibrutinib vs V+R-benda+ibrutinib

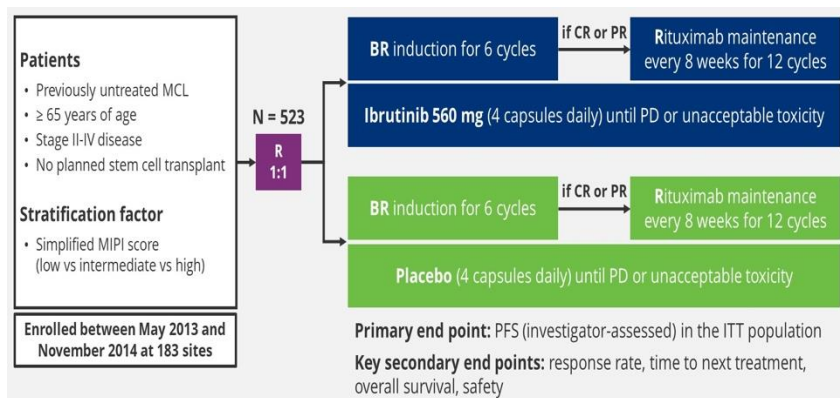


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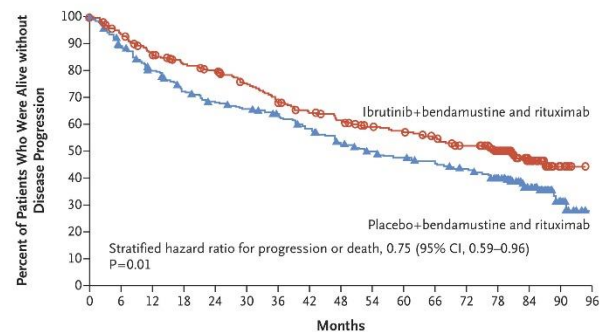
ORIGINAL ARTICLE

Ibrutinib plus Bendamustine and Rituximab in Untreated Mantle-Cell Lymphoma

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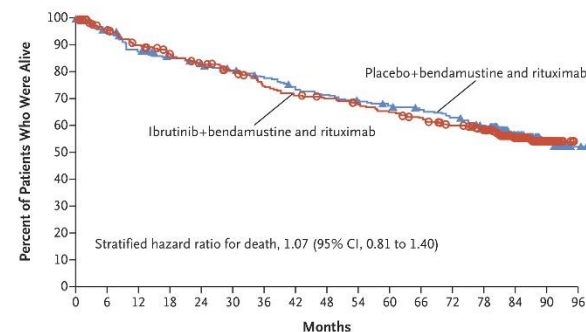
A Progression-free Survival



No. at Risk

Ibrutinib+bendamustine and rituximab	261	228	207	191	182	167	152	139	130	120	115	106	95	78	39	11	0
Placebo+bendamustine and rituximab	262	226	199	177	166	158	148	135	119	109	103	98	90	78	41	11	0

B Overall Survival



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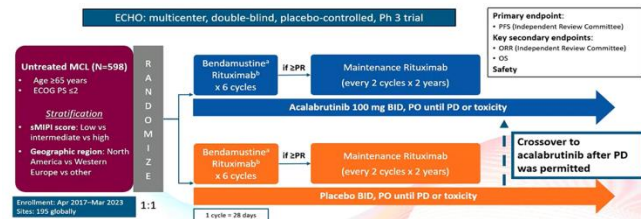
Acalabrutinib Plus Bendamustine-Rituximab in Untreated Mantle Cell Lymphoma

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Study Design



^aBendamustine 90 mg/m² on days 1 and 2. ^bRituximab 375 mg/m² on day 1.
BID, twice daily; ECOG PS, Eastern Cooperative Oncology Group performance status; MCL, mantle cell lymphoma; sMIPi, simplified Mantle Cell Lymphoma International Prognostic Index; CR, overall response rate; OS, overall survival; PD, progressive disease; PFS, progression-free survival; PO, orally; PS, partial response.

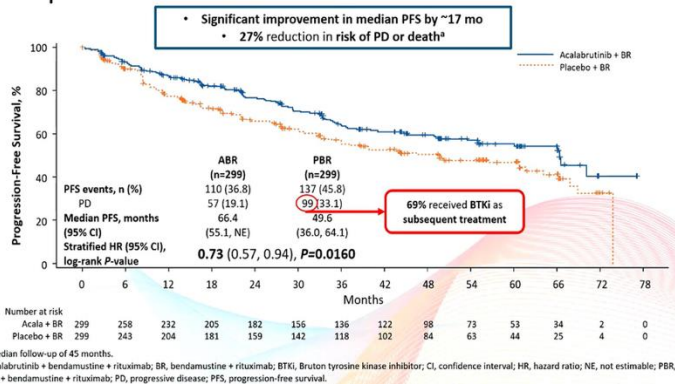
Demographics and Baseline Characteristics

	Acalabrutinib + BR (n=299)	Placebo + BR (n=299)
Age, median (range), y	71 (65–85)	71 (65–86)
≥75 y, n (%)	84 (28.1)	77 (25.8)
Male, n (%)	214 (71.6)	209 (69.9)
ECOG PS, n (%)		
1	129 (43.1)	132 (44.1)
2	12 (4.0)	23 (7.7)
Tumor bulk ≥5 cm, n (%)	112 (37.5)	113 (37.8)
Blastoid/pleomorphic histology, n (%)	41 (13.7)	38 (12.7)
Simplified MIPi score, n (%)		
Low risk	99 (33.1)	101 (33.8)
Intermediate risk	128 (42.8)	125 (41.8)
High risk	72 (24.1)	73 (24.4)
Extrnodal disease, n (%)	264 (88.3)	277 (92.6)
TP53 status, n (%) ^a		
Mutated	22 (7.4)	29 (9.7)
Unmutated	97 (32.4)	83 (27.8)
Ki-67, n (%)		
<30%	133 (44.5)	126 (42.1)
≥30%	139 (46.5)	147 (49.2)

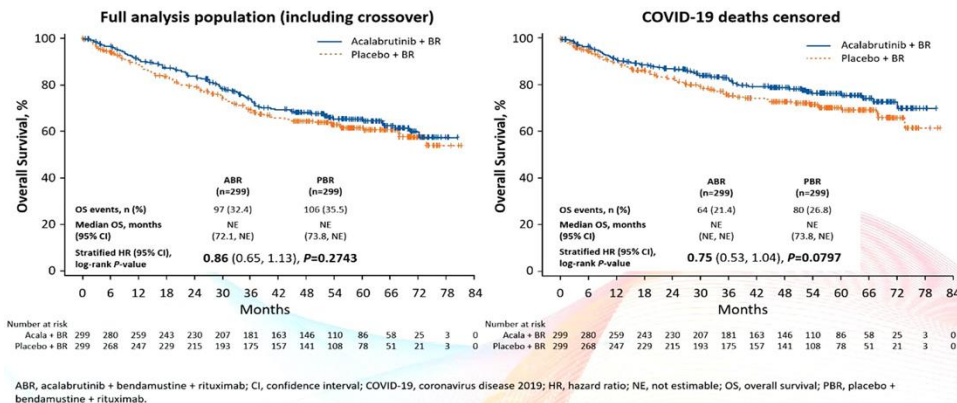
^aAll other patients in the acalabrutinib (n=180) and placebo (n=187) groups had unknown TP53 mutation status.

BR, bendamustine + rituximab; ECOG PS, Eastern Cooperative Oncology Group performance status; MIPi, Mantle Cell Lymphoma International Prognostic Index.

PFS (primary endpoint) Was Significantly Improved With Acalabrutinib + BR



OS With and Without COVID-19 Deaths: Prespecified Sensitivity Analysis

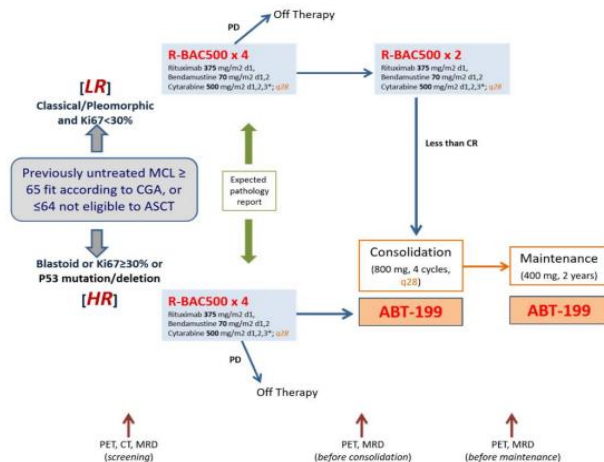


HIGH-RISK PERSPECTIVES

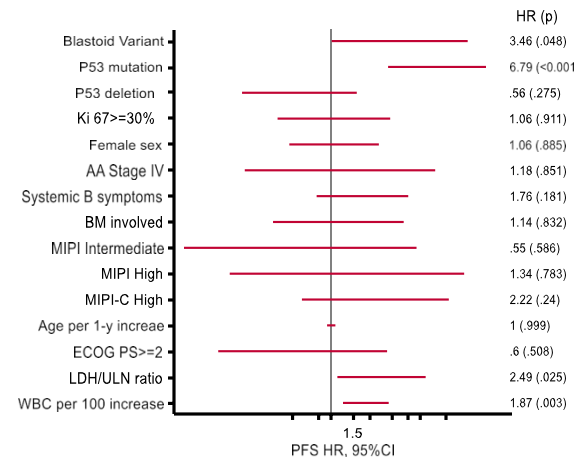
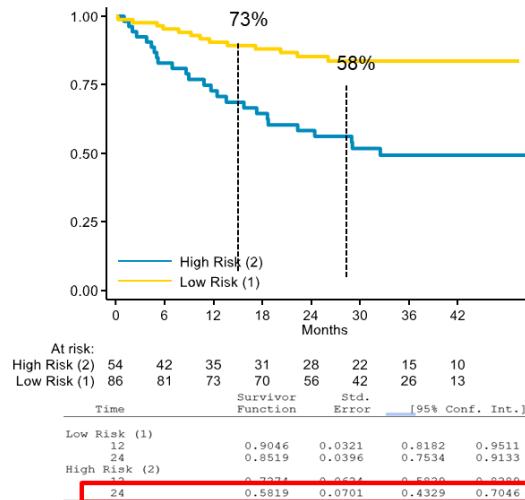


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V-RBAC



		Low Risk	High Risk	p-value
N		86 (61%)	54 (39%)	
Sex	Male	67 (78%)	40 (74%)	0.60
Age, median (IQR)		72 (69, 74)	73 (69, 76)	0.12
Systemic B symptoms	Present	16 (19%)	10 (19%)	0.98
Ann Arbor Stage	III-IV	82 (96%)	50 (94%)	0.53
ECOG Performance Status	0-1	83 (98%)	50 (92%)	0.35
	2	3 (3%)	4 (8%)	
Bone marrow involvement	Positive	60 (71%)	40 (74%)	0.51
LDH abnormal	Yes	18 (22%)	24 (46%)	0.003
MIPI score	Low (0-3)	9 (10.8%)	1 (1.9%)	0.017
	Intermediate (4-5)	43 (51.8%)	20 (38.5%)	
	High (6-11)	31 (37.3%)	31 (59.6%)	
SUV max of lesion	Median (IQR)	8.8 (6.9, 12.2)	10.9 (8.8, 15.6)	0.051



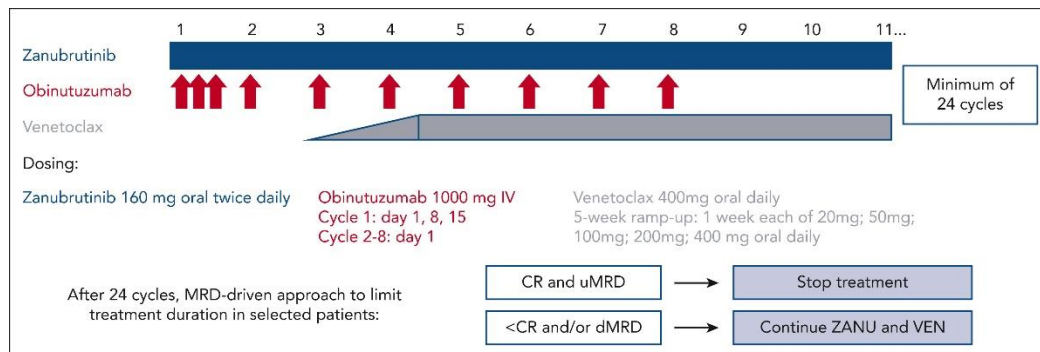
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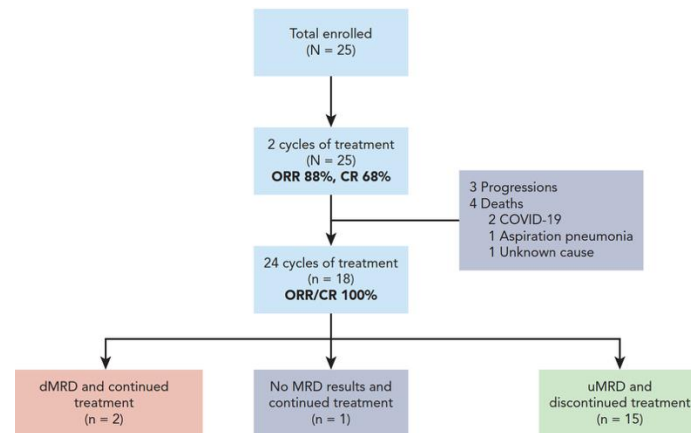
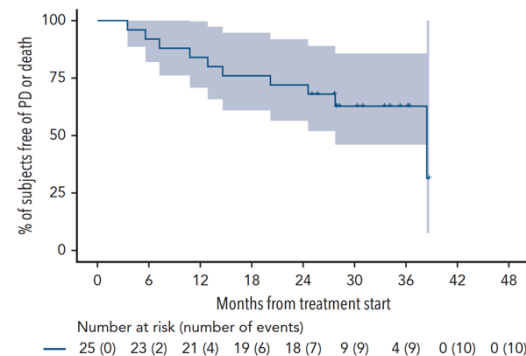
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- Median age was 68 (29-82) years
- 2-year progression-free 72%
- 2-year overall survival 76%
- Common Aes low grade and included diarrhea (64%), neutropenia (32%), and infusion-related reactions (24%).

Median follow-up of 28.2 months





Clinical Protocol CARMAN

Early treatment intensification in patients with high-risk Mantle Cell Lymphoma using CAR-T-cell treatment after an abbreviated induction therapy with Rituximab and Ibrutinib and 6 months Ibrutinib maintenance (Arm A) as compared to standard of care induction and maintenance (Arm B)

Trial Short Title:

CAR-T-cell treatment for untreated high risk MANTle Cell Lymphoma

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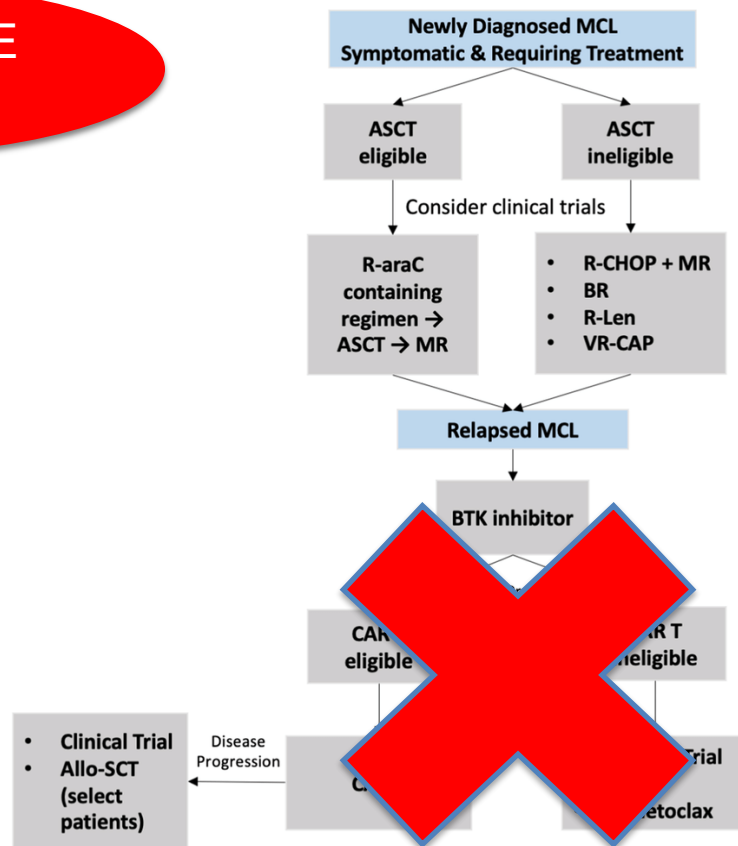
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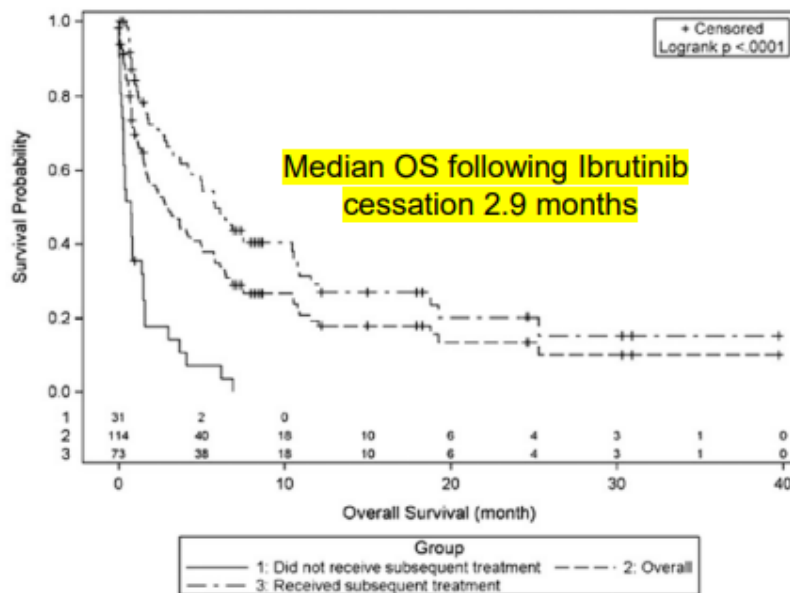
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PRE-TRIANGLE
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Poor outcome after BTKi failure



Characteristics	Number	Range, %, or 95% CI
All	114	
Median Age	68 y	46-85
Median prior systemic therapies	3	0-10

Response rates 29-32%

Few patients surviving beyond one year

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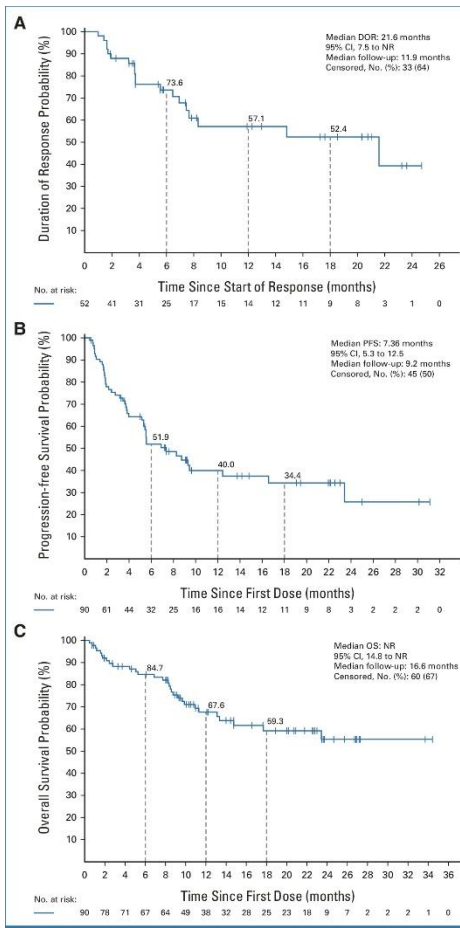
TABLE 2. Efficacy of Pirtobrutinib in Patients With cBTKi Pre-treat and cBTKi-Naïve MCL

Response	cBTKi Pretreated MCL (n = 90)	cBTKi-Naïve MCL (n = 14)
Overall response rate, % (95% CI)	57.8 (46.9 to 68.1)	85.7 (57.2 to 98)
Best overall response, No. (%)		
Complete response	18 (20.0)	5 (35.7)
Partial response	34 (37.8)	7 (50)
Stable disease	14 (15.6)	0
Progressive disease	15 (16.7)	1 (7.1)
Not evaluable ^a	9 (10.0)	1 (7.1)
DOR		
Patients with a response, No.	52	12
Patients with censored data, No. (%)	33 (63.5)	12 (100)
DOR, months, median (95% CI)	21.6 (7.5 to NR)	NR (NR to NR)
Median follow-up, months	11.9	7.1
PFS		
Patients with censored data, No. (%)	45 (50.0)	13 (92.9)
PFS, months, median (95% CI)	7.4 (5.3 to 12.5)	NR (NR to NR)
Median follow-up, months	9.2	8.6
OS		
Patients with censored data, No. (%)	60 (66.7)	13 (92.9)
OS, months, median (95% CI)	NR (14.8 to NR)	NR (NR to NR)
Median follow-up, months	16.6	9.4

NOTE. Overall response and best response were determined according to the 2014 Lugano criteria²⁰ and on the basis of independent review committee assessment.

Abbreviations: cBTKi, covalent Bruton tyrosine kinase inhibitor; DC, duration of response; MCL, mantle cell lymphoma; NR, not reached; overall survival; PFS, progression-free survival.

^aPatients without postbaseline disease assessment were not



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Pirtobrutinib in Covalent Bruton Tyrosine Kinase Inhibitor Pretreated Mantle-Cell Lymphoma

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TABLE 3. Adverse Events in At Least 10% of All Patients With MCL

Adverse Event	MCL Safety Population (n = 164)			
	TEAE (≥10%), No. (%)		TRAЕ, No. (%)	
	Any Grade	Grade ≥3	Any Grade	Grade
Fatigue	49 (29.9)	4 (2.4)	34 (20.7)	4 (2.4)
Diarrhea	35 (21.3)	0	20 (12.2)	0
Dyspnea	27 (16.5)	3 (1.8)	15 (9.1)	1 (0.6)
Contusion	24 (14.6)	0	16 (9.8)	0
Anemia	21 (12.8)	8 (4.9)	10 (6.1)	4 (2.4)
Back pain	21 (12.8)	2 (1.2)	2 (1.2)	0
Cough	20 (12.2)	0	10 (6.1)	0
Pyrexia	19 (11.6)	0	6 (3.7)	0
Constipation	18 (11.0)	0	3 (1.8)	0
Nausea	18 (11.0)	0	7 (4.3)	0
Pneumonia	17 (10.4)	14 (8.5)	5 (3.0)	4 (2.4)
Myalgia	17 (10.4)	0	14 (8.5)	0
Adverse event of special interest ^a				
Infections	59 (36.0)	28 (17.1)	24 (14.0)	5 (3.0)
Bleeding	45 (27.4)	6 (3.7)	26 (15.9)	1 (0.6)
Thrombocytopenia	24 (14.6)	11 (6.7)	2 (1.2)	0
Neutropenia ^b	23 (14.0)	22 (13.4)	15 (9.1)	14 (8.5)
Bruising ^c	27 (16.5)	0	19 (11.6)	0 (0.0)
Hemorrhage	25 (15.2)	6 (3.7)	11 (6.7)	1 (0.6)
Atrial fibrillation/atrial flutter ^d	6 (3.7)	2 (1.2)	1 (0.6)	0 (0.0)

NOTE. There were 11 grade 5 adverse events, none of which were considered treatment-related (two respiratory failure and one each of pneumo COVID-19 pneumonia, multiple organ dysfunction syndrome, cardiac arrest, hemorrhage, malignant pleural effusion, mucormycosis, streptococcal infection, and sudden death).

Abbreviations: cBTKi, covalent Bruton tyrosine kinase inhibitor; MCL, mantle cell lymphoma; TEAE, treatment-emergent adverse event; TRA, treatment-related adverse event.

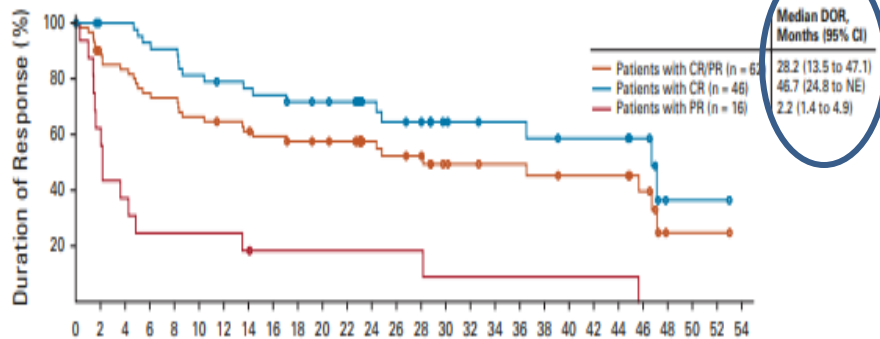
^aAdverse events of special interest are those that were previously associated with cBTKi and are all composite terms.

^bCombines neutrophil count decreased, neutropenia, febrile neutropenia, and neutropenic sepsis.

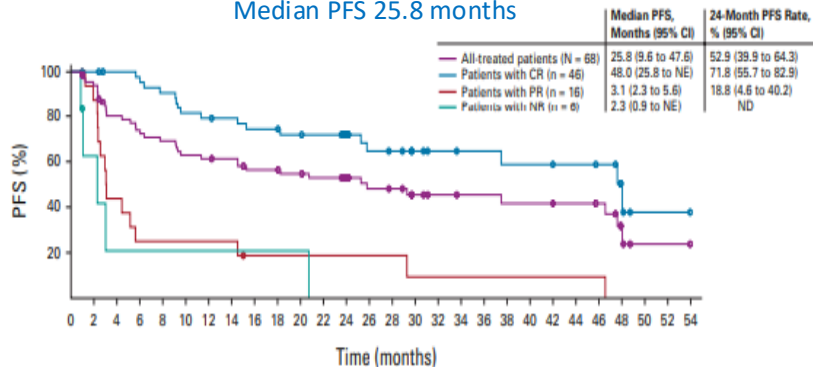
^cBruising includes contusion, petechia, ecchymosis, and increased tendency to bruise.

CAR-T cells therapy: KTE-X19 – ZUMA 2 trial

A Median DOR 28.2 months

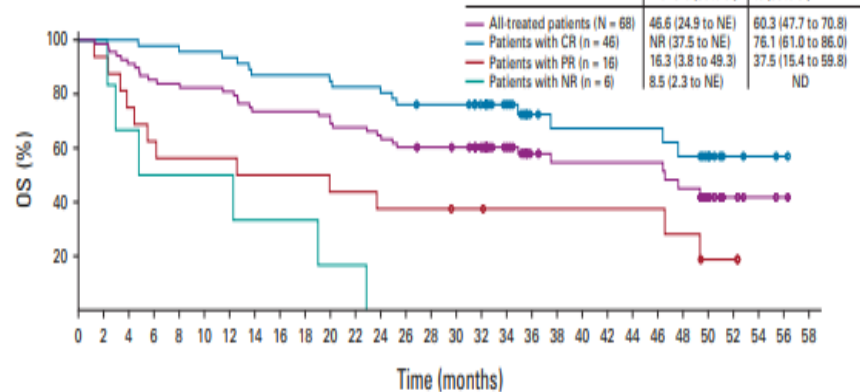


B Median PFS 25.8 months



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Median OS 46.6 months

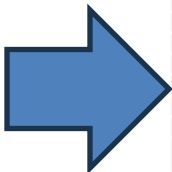


Associations with long-term benefits of KTE-X19:

- ✓ high-peak CAR T-cell expansion in responders
- ✓ predictive value of minimal residual disease for relapse

Table 5. Brexucel real-world studies in r/r MCL.

	UK [82]	DESCAR-T [87]	SIE [83]	DRST/GLA/ SAKK [98]	US CART consortium [26]
Study type	Registry retrospective	Registry retrospective	Registry retrospective	Registry retrospective	Registry retrospective
Eligibility	≥2L incl. BTKi; PS 0-1; no CNS disease	EMA label	≥2L; r/r to BTKi; ZUMA-2 eligible	EMA label	FDA label
N					
# intended	119	178	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
# apheresed (%)	104 (87%)	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	189
# infused (%)	83 (70%)	152 (85%)	106	111	168 (89%)
Period	2021–2023	2019–2023	2019–2024	2021–2023	2020–2021
Age (years; median (range))	68 (41–80)	68 (39–83)	63 (42–79)	68 (50–84)	67 (34–89)
PS > 1 (ECOG)	0	12%	0	7%	14%
High-risk features					
Ki-67 ≥ 30%	78%	79%	54%	79%	78%
Blastoid/pleomorph.	42%	31%	30%	33%	40%
TP53abn	53%	30%	29%	27%	48%
POD24	57%	n.a.	42%	n.a.	51%
Prior lines/median (range)	2 (2–7)	3 (1–9)	3 (2–5)	3 (1–8)	3 (1–10)
Prior autoHCT	34%	40%	58%	55%	28%
Prior alloHCT	13%	6%	-	8%	3%
BTKi refractory	30%	n.a.	35%	58%	76%
Holding/Bridging	90%	83%	79%	74%	68%
CIT	50%	n.a.	31%	35%	34%
BTKi ± CD20.	17%	n.a.	45%	28%	24%
Venetoclax ± x	10%	n.a.	13%	20%	27%
Response to Bridging	41% (37/91)	41% (51/125)	18% (15/83)	65% (42/65)	33% (32/95)
Toxicity					
Neurotox ≥ G3 (any)	22% (55%)	15% (55%)	18% (48%)	28% (54%)	32% (61%)
Late ICAHT ≥ G2	59%	9% (≥G3)	4.4% (≥G3)	n.a.	>18%
Severe infection	>30%	>25%	n.a.	31%	>21%
ICU admission	27%	34%	18%	22%	20%
T cell recovery 6mo	na	na	na	23%	na
Non-relapse mortality (12mo)	18% ^d	18% ^a	7.3%	10% ^a	7.1% 10.7% ^d
Best ORR/CR	87%/81%	85%/72%	88%/75%	88%/64%	90%/82%
PFS from infusion (12mo)	62%	46%	62%	69%	69%
OS from infusion (12mo)	74%	70% ^e	82%	74%	82%
Median follow-up (months)	13	12	12	12	14



CAR-T cells therapy: Real World data

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FUTURE PERSPECTIVES



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Ibrutinib plus venetoclax in relapsed or refractory mantle cell lymphoma (SYMPATICO): a multicentre, randomised, double-blind, placebo-controlled, phase 3 study

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SYMPATICO Study Design

• SYMPATICO (NCT03112174) is multinational, randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled, phase 3 study

SYMPATICO (N=267)

- Age ≥18 years
- R/R MCL
- 1–5 prior therapies for MCL
- ≥1 prior rituximab/anti-CD20-containing regimen
- ECOG PS 0–2

Randomized 1:1

Ibrutinib + venetoclax (n=134)
Ibrutinib 560 mg once daily + venetoclax 5-week ramp-up to 400 mg once daily for 24 months

Ibrutinib + placebo (n=133)
Ibrutinib 560 mg once daily + placebo once daily for 24 months

Single-agent ibrutinib 560 mg once daily until PD or unacceptable toxicity

Stratification: ECOG PS, prior lines of therapy, TLS risk^a

• Primary endpoint:

- PFS by investigator assessment using Lugano criteria

• Secondary endpoints (tested hierarchically in the following order):

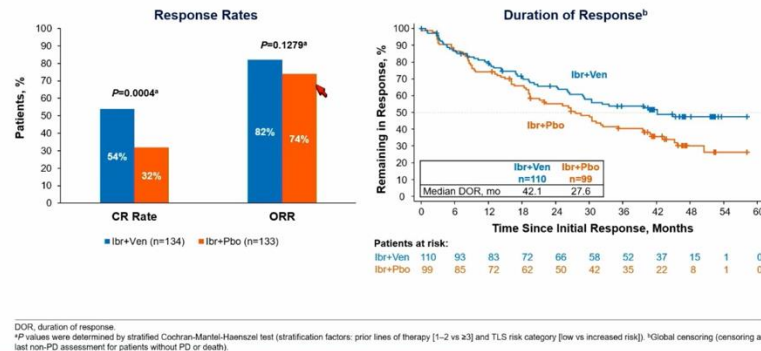
- CR rate by investigator assessment
- TTNT^b
- OS (interim analysis)
- ORR by investigator assessment

CR, complete response; ECOG PS, Eastern Cooperative Oncology Group performance status; PD, progressive disease; PFS, progression-free survival; ORR, overall response rate; OS, overall survival; TLS, tumor lysis syndrome; TTNT, time to next treatment.
^aIncreased TLS risk was defined as at least 1 lesion >10 cm, or at least 1 lesion >5 cm with circulating lymphocytes >25,000 cells/mm³, and/or creatinine clearance <60 mL/min. ^bFor hierarchical testing per US FDA censoring, TTNT was tested after OS.

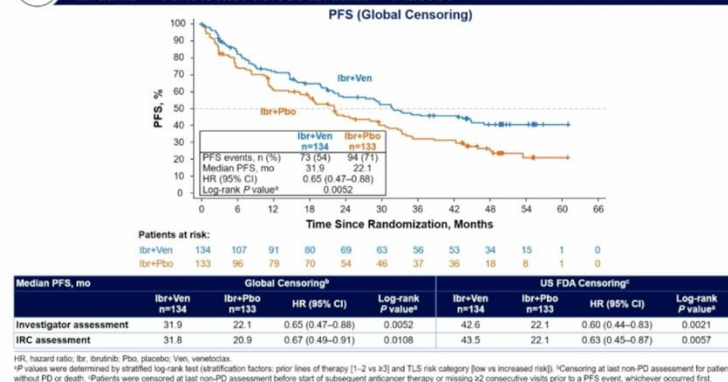
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CR Rate Was Significantly Improved With Ibrutinib + Venetoclax

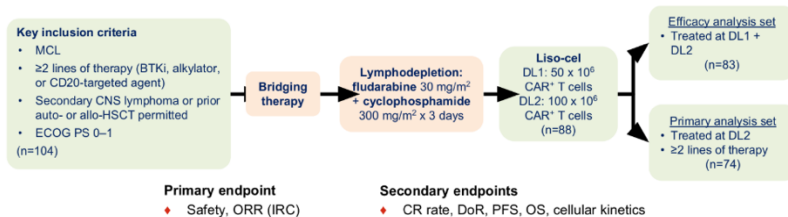


Primary Endpoint: Investigator-Assessed PFS Was Significantly Improved With Ibrutinib + Venetoclax Versus Ibrutinib + Placebo

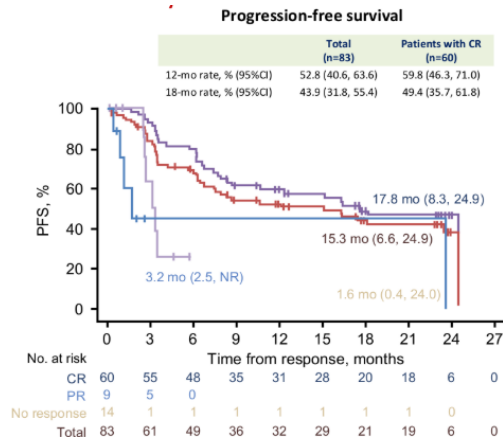
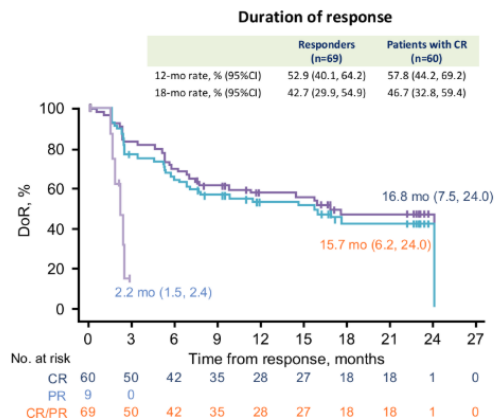


Lisocabtagene maraleucel in R/R MCL: primary results from the MCL cohort of the TRANSCEND NHL 001 study

- To evaluate the safety and efficacy of lisocabtagene maraleucel (liso-cel, a CD19-directed CAR T cell therapy) in patients with R/R MCL in the TRANSCEND NHL 001 study



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Glofitamab in Relapsed/Refractory Mantle Cell Lymphoma: Results From a Phase I/II Study

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TABLE 1. Baseline Characteristics in the Overall Populations and in Patients With and Without Previous BTKi Treatment

Characteristic	Previous BTKi (n = 31)	No Previous BTKi (n = 29)	All Patients (N = 60)
Age, years, median (range)	70.0 (41-84)	72.0 (52-86)	72.0 (41-86)
Male sex, No. (%)	23 (74.2)	21 (72.4)	44 (73.3)
ECOG PS, No. (%)			
0	14 (45.2)	14 (48.3)	28 (46.7)
1	17 (54.8)	15 (51.7)	32 (53.3)
Ann Arbor stage at study entry, No. (%)			
I	1 (3.2)	2 (6.9)	3 (5.0)
II	2 (6.5)	3 (10.3)	5 (8.3)
III	5 (16.1)	6 (20.7)	11 (18.3)
IV	23 (74.2)	18 (62.1)	41 (68.3)
MCL IPI score ≥6, No. (%)	7 (22.6)	8 (27.6)	15 (25.0)
Extranodal disease present, No. (%)	20 (64.5)	19 (65.5)	39 (65.0)
Bulky disease, cm, No. (%)			
≥6	7 (22.6)	6 (20.7)	13 (21.7)
>10	2 (6.5)	3 (10.3)	5 (8.3)
Time since last previous therapy to first study treatment, months, median (range)	1.3 (0.1-53.2)	7.4 (1.1-132.5)	2.4 (0.1-132.5)
Time since last anti-CD20 therapy to first study treatment, months, median (range)	15.1 (0.7-159.0)	25.1 (1.4-132.5)	16.3 (0.7-159.0)
No. of previous lines of therapy, median (range)	3.0 (1-5)	2.0 (1-4)	2.0 (1-5)
Previous therapy for lymphoma, No. (%)			
CAR T-cell therapy	1 (3.2)	1 (3.4)	2 (3.3)
ASCT	7 (22.6)	9 (31.0)	16 (26.7)
Refractory status, No. (%)			
Any previous therapy	30 (96.8)	20 (69.0)	50 (83.3)
First-line therapy	17 (54.8)	14 (48.3)	31 (51.7)
Last previous therapy	27 (87.1)	17 (58.6)	44 (73.3)
Progress or relapse <24 months after first-line treatment start, No. (%)	17 (54.8)	14 (48.3)	31 (51.7)

TABLE 2. Efficacy in the Overall Population (efficacy-evaluable population), and in Patients With and Without Previous BTKi Treatment

Efficacy (INV-assessed)	Glofitamab SUD		All Patients		
	1,000 mg Gpt Cohort (n = 16)	2,000 mg Gpt Cohort (n = 44)	Previous BTKi (n = 31)	No Previous BTKi (n = 29)	All Patients (N = 60)
Complete response rate					
No. (%)	11 (68.8)	36 (81.8)	22 (71.0)	25 (86.2)	47 (78.3)
95% CI	41.3 to 89.0	67.3 to 91.8	52.0 to 85.8	68.3 to 96.1	65.8 to 87.9
Partial response rate					
No. (%)	1 (6.3)	3 (6.8)	1 (3.2)	3 (10.3)	4 (6.7)
95% CI	0.2 to 30.2	1.4 to 18.7	0.1 to 16.7	2.2 to 27.4	1.9 to 16.2
Overall response rate					
No. (%)	12 (75.0)	39 (88.6)	23 (74.2)	28 (96.6)	51 (85.0)
95% CI	47.6 to 92.7	75.4 to 96.2	55.4 to 88.1	82.2 to 99.9	73.4 to 92.9

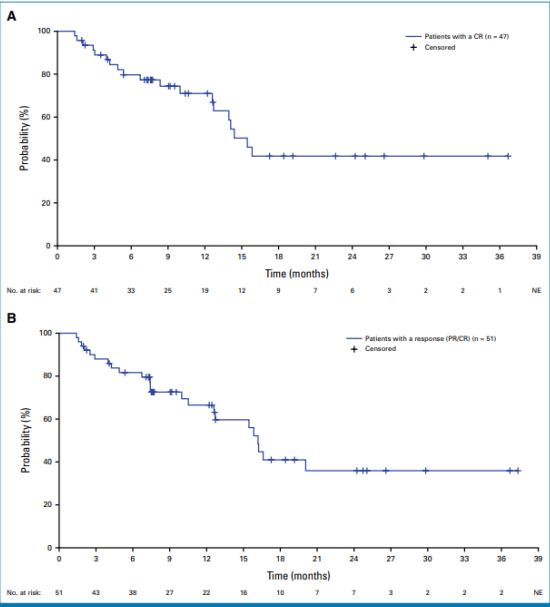


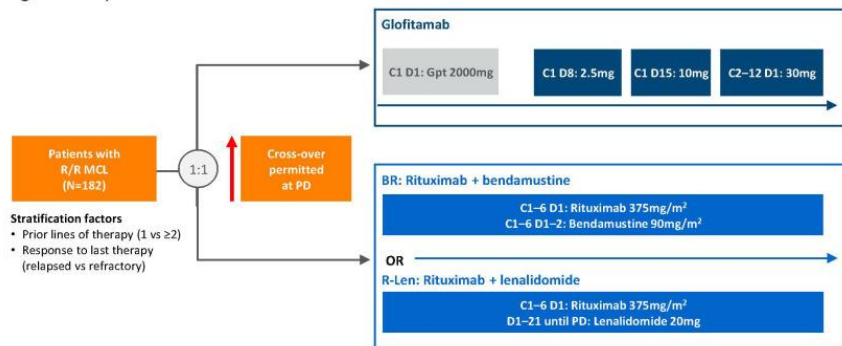
FIG 2. (A) Duration of CR, (B) duration of response, and (C) time on treatment. CR, complete response; CT, computed tomography; NE, not estimable; PD, progressive disease; PR, partial response. (continued on following page)

**GLOBRYTE: A Phase III, Open-Label, Multicenter,
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Figure. Study schema



B, bendamustine; C, cycle; D, day; Gpt, obinutuzumab pretreatment; Len, lenalidomide; MCL, mantle cell lymphoma; PD, progressive disease; R/R, relapsed/refractory; R, rituximab. Relapsed disease is defined as disease progression after the last regimen; refractory disease is defined as failure to achieve a partial response or complete response to the last regimen.

Clinical Protocol

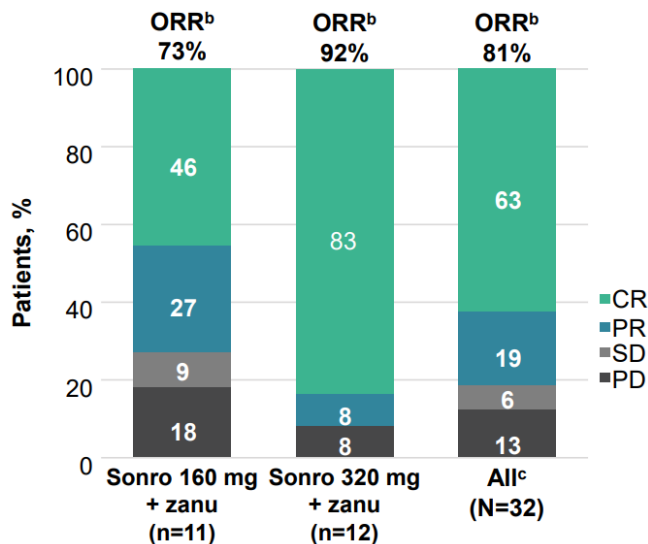
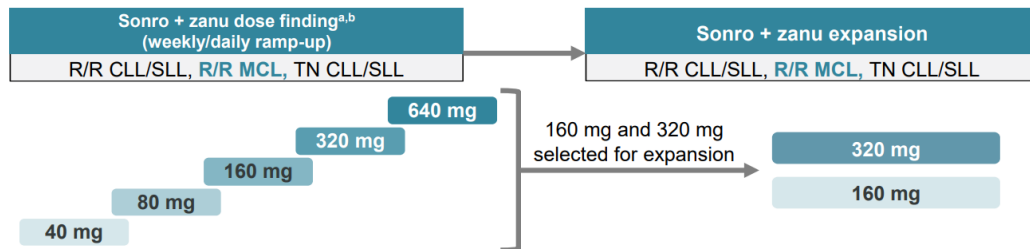
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**A phase II, multicenter study of Glofitamab in patients
with mantle cell Lymphoma and inaDequate response
or relapse following CAR T-cell therapy
(GOLD)**



Sonrotoclax (BGB-11417) and Zanubrutinib

Ongoing
Phase 3



	Sonro 80 mg + zanu (n=6)	Sonro 160 mg + zanu (n=13)	Sonro 320 mg + zanu (n=16)	Sonro 640 mg + zanu (n=5)	All (N=40)
Patients, n (%)					
Any TEAE	4 (67)	13 (100)	15 (94)	5 (100)	37 (93)
Grade ≥3	4 (67)	6 (46)	7 (44)	1 (20)	18 (45)
Serious TEAEs	3 (50)	4 (31)	2 (13)	0	9 (23)
Leading to death	1 (17)	1 (8)	1 (6)	0	3 (8) ^a
Leading to zanu discontinuation	1 (17)	3 (23)	2 (13)	0	6 (15) ^b
Leading to zanu dose reduction	1 (17)	1 (8)	0	0	2 (5) ^c
Treated with sonro, n (%)	6 (100)	11 (85)	13 (81)	5 (100)	35 (88)
Leading to sonro discontinuation	0	3 (23)	2 (13)	0	5 (13) ^d
Leading to sonro dose reduction	0	0	0	0	0
Leading to death	0	1 (8)	0	0	1 (3) ^e

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Clinical Protocol

Consolidation with ADCT-402 (loncastuximab tesirine) after a short course of immunochemotherapy: a phase II study in BTKi-treated (or BTKi intolerant) Relapsed/Refractory (R/R) Mantle Cell Lymphoma (MCL) patients

ID Study: FIL_COLUMN

EudraCT number: 2021-000715-23

Screening phase (28 days)

MRD-0

- Histologically confirmed diagnosis of MCL according to WHO 2017 classification;
- Previous treatment with BTKi monotherapy or BTKi containing regimens with R/R disease; and/or
- patients who discontinued BTKi monotherapy or BTKi containing regimens for AEs and have active disease necessitating treatment
- Age ≥ 18 and < 85 years

STANDARD INDUCTION PHASE

R-BAC Cycles 1-2 (Q28)

- Rituximab: 375 mg/m² IV day 1
- Bendamustine: 70 mg/m² IV day 2 and 3
- Ara-C: 500 mg/m² IV day 2, 3 and 4

REDUCED INDUCTION PHASE (Frail & Unfit)

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- Rituximab: 375 mg/m² IV day 1
- Bendamustine: 70 mg/m² IV day 2 and 3
- Ara-C: 500 mg/m² IV day 2 and 3
- or
- Rituximab: 375 mg/m² IV day 1
- Bendamustine: 100 mg IV day 2 and 3
- Ara-C: 500 mg IV day 2 and 3

END OF INDUCTION ASSESSMENT

CR,PR,SD

MRD-1

CONSOLIDATION PHASE

ADCT-402 Cycles 1-4 (Q21)

- Loncastuximab tesirine: 150 µg/kg IV Cycle 1 and 2
- Loncastuximab tesirine: 75 µg/kg IV Cycle 3 and 4

END OF TREATMENT ASSESSMENT

CR,PR,SD

MRD-2

Follow up

Every 4-8 weeks (1st year)
Every 8-12 weeks (2nd and 3rd year)

MRD-3

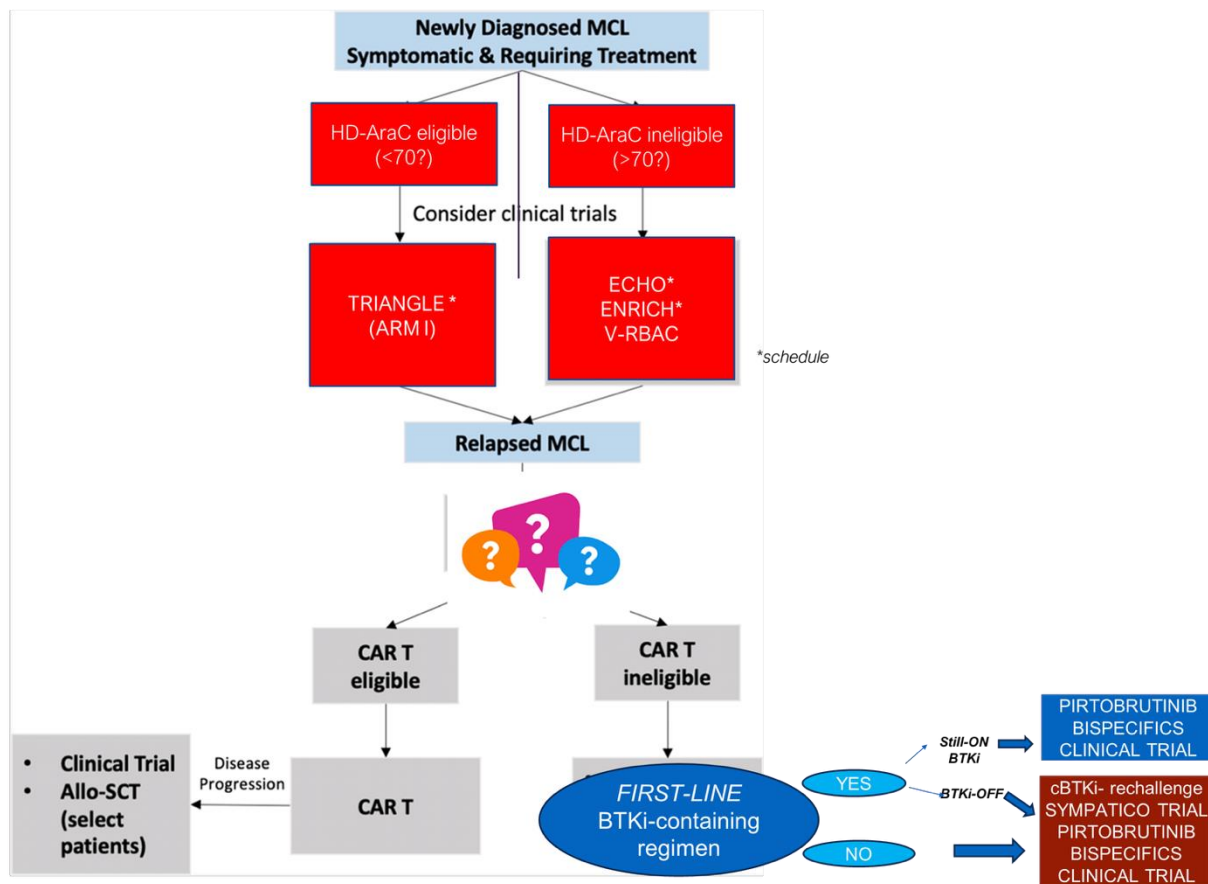
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CONCLUSION

- MCL is a B-cell lymphomas harboring unique pathological characteristics.
- From optimizing traditional therapies to the advent of novel approaches, including the advance of CAR-T cell therapy, the field of MCL therapy has expanded into a wide variety of novel therapeutics.
- Relapse/Refractory (R/R) MCL is still an unmet clinical need, particularly if already exposed to BTK inhibitors.
- As BTKi are moving to first line, R/R patient's management will be a critical issue.
- CAR-T cells are the most effective approach, after BTKi failure.
- These new therapies show promising efficacy, even among high-risk patients, and will likely translate to improvements in survival outcomes.

