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Treatment Conundrums in Myeloma What's new in 2022?

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Agenda

- The standard patient
 - When to treat?
 - High risk smoldering
- Induction
- Role of Consolidation
- Special populations
 - Transplant ineligible
 - Renal failure
- Young patient with high-risk disease
- Approach to the relapsing patient
- Managing most common toxicities



Clinical Case

- MJ is a 42 year old female who is found on a routine physical to have the following lab values

CBC values

- WBC count 3,300/ μ L
- Hemoglobin 10.3 g/dL
- Platelet count 158,000/ μ L

Chemistry Values

- Creatinine 1.0 g/dL
- Calcium 10.2 mg/dL
- Albumin 3.2 g/dL
- Total protein 10.9 g/dL



MJ

- Referred to a hematologist
- Ferritin low
- SPEP Ig G kappa 4.2 grms monoclonal peak
- 24-hour urine was normal < 0.16 g/24 hours
- β_2 -microglobulin normal 2.6 mg/L
- BMA 60% plasma cells ; FISH no abnormalities
- Low iron stores
- *Bone Survey – Osteopenia*



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INITIAL DIAGNOSTIC WORKUP

- History and physical exam
- CBC, differential, platelet count
- Exam of peripheral blood smear
- Serum BUN/creatinine, electrolytes, albumin, and calcium
- Creatinine clearance (calculated or measured directly)
- Serum uric acid
- Serum LDH and beta-2 microglobulin
- Serum quantitative immunoglobulins, serum protein electrophoresis (SPEP), serum immunofixation electrophoresis (SIFE)
- 24-h urine for total protein, urine protein electrophoresis (UPEP), urine immunofixation electrophoresis (UIFE)
- Serum free light chain (FLC) assay
- Skeletal survey or whole body low-dose CT scan
- Unilateral bone marrow aspirate + biopsy, including bone marrow immunohistochemistry and/or bone marrow flow cytometry
- Metaphase cytogenetics on bone marrow
- Plasma cell FISH [del 13, del 17p13, t(4;14), t(11;14), t(14;16), t(14;20), 1q21 amplification], 1p abnormality

Useful in Certain Circumstances

- Whole body or skeletal MRI or whole body PET/CT scan^a
 - Tissue biopsy to diagnose a solitary osseous or extraosseous plasmacytoma
 - Plasma cell proliferation
 - Serum viscosity
 - HLA typing
 - Echocardiogram
 - Evaluate for light chain amyloidosis, if appropriate
- [See NCCN Guidelines for Systemic Light Chain Amyloidosis](#)

CLINICAL PRESENTATION

Solitary plasmacytoma^b

Smoldering (asymptomatic)^{b,c}

Active (symptomatic)^b

[See Solitary Osseous: Primary Treatment \(MYEL-2\)](#)

[See Solitary Extraosseous: Primary Treatment \(MYEL-2\)](#)

[See Primary Treatment \(MYEL-3\)](#)

[See Primary Treatment \(MYEL-4\)](#)

^aAdditional testing (whole body or skeletal MRI or whole body PET/CT scan) is recommended to discern active from smoldering myeloma, if skeletal survey is negative. Recommendations for MRI are with contrast.

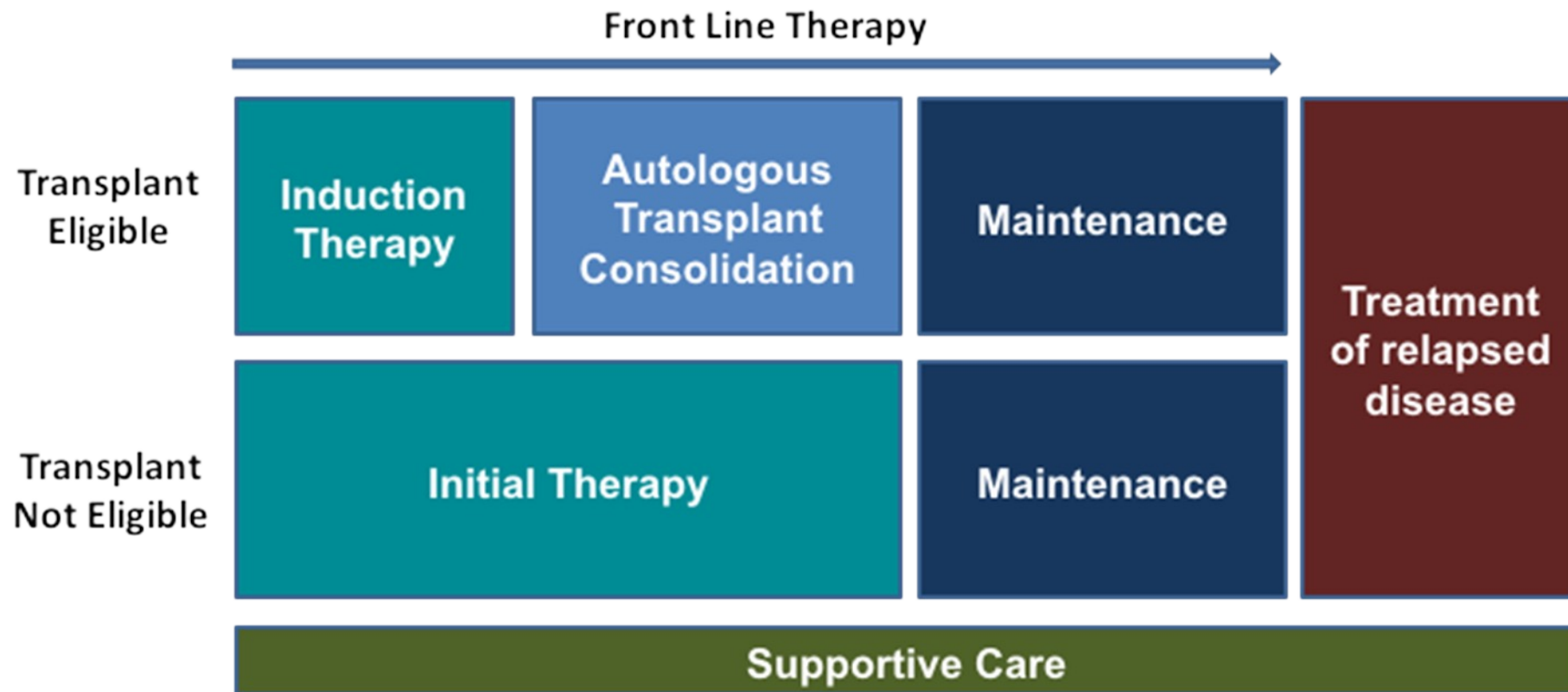
^b[See Staging Systems for Multiple Myeloma \(MYEL-B\)](#).

^c[See Definition of Multiple Myeloma \(Smoldering and Active\) \(MYEL-A\)](#).

Note: All recommendations are category 2A unless otherwise indicated.

Clinical Trials: NCCN believes that the best management of any patient with cancer is in a clinical trial. Participation in clinical trials is especially encouraged.

Treatment Paradigm For Newly Diagnosed Multiple Myeloma



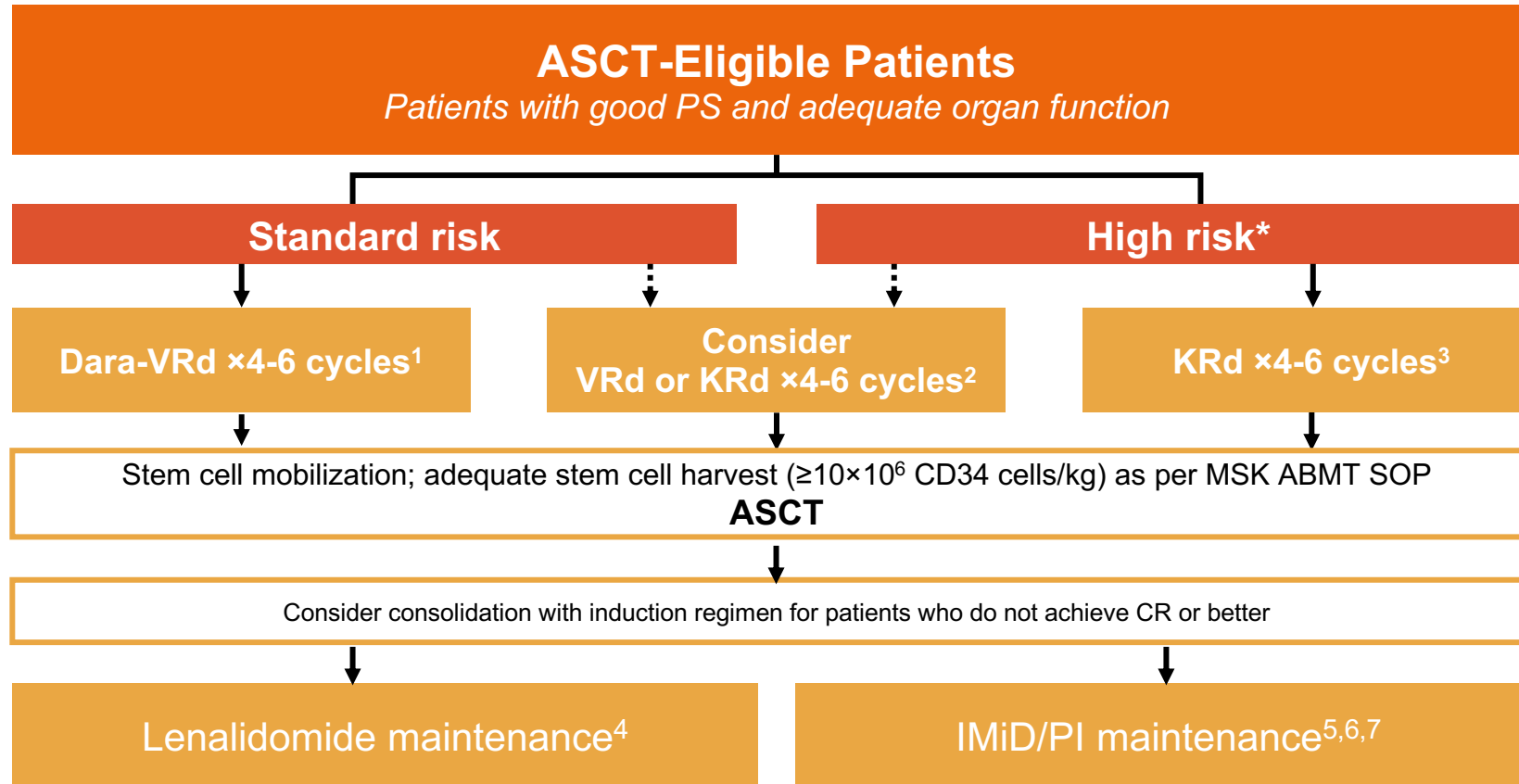
Staging and Cytogenetic Risk-Assessment

Stage ¹	R-ISS ¹
I	Serum albumin ≥ 3.5 g/dL ⁻¹ Serum $\beta 2M < 3.5$ mg/L ⁻¹ No high-risk cytogenetics Normal LDH level
II	Not stage I or III
III	Serum $\beta 2M > 5.5$ mg/L ⁻¹ High-risk cytogenetics: t(4;14), t(4;16), or del(17p) or elevated LDH

Risk ²	Features
Standard	Trisomies t(11;14) t(6;14)
High	t(4;14) t(14;16) t(14;20) Del(17p) p53 mutation Gain/Amp 1q High plasma cell S-phase GEP high-risk signatures Circulating Plasma Cells



Approach to Transplant Eligible NDMM



- ASCT, autologous stem cell transplant; CR, complete response; DVRd, daratumumab, bortezomib, lenalidomide, and dexamethasone; IMiD, immunomodulatory drug; PI, proteasome inhibitor; PS, performance status; Tx, treatment.
- *By R-ISS staging (R-ISS II/III) and/or cytogenetics (t[4;14], t[14;16], or del[17p]), elevated LDH, primary plasma cell leukemia
- 1. Attal. *NEJM*. 2017;376:1311. 2. Voorhees PM. *Blood* 2020. Gay. *ASH* 2020. Abstr 294. 4. McCarthy. *J Clin Oncol*. 2017;35:3279. 5. Nooka. *Leukemia*. 2014;28:690. 6. Dimopoulos. *ASH* 2018. Abstr 301. 7. Usmani. *Lancet Haematol*. 2021 Jan;8(1):e45-e54.



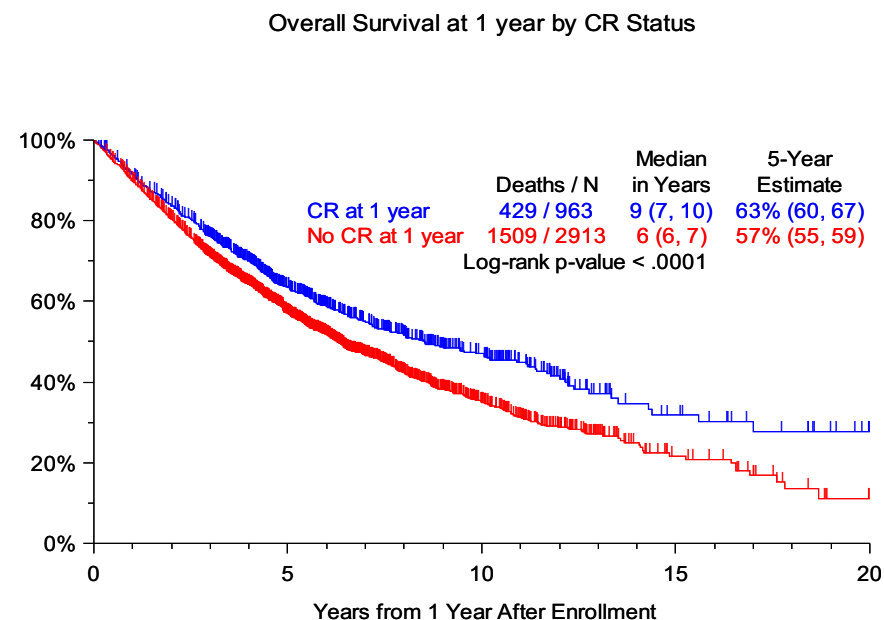


INDUCTION

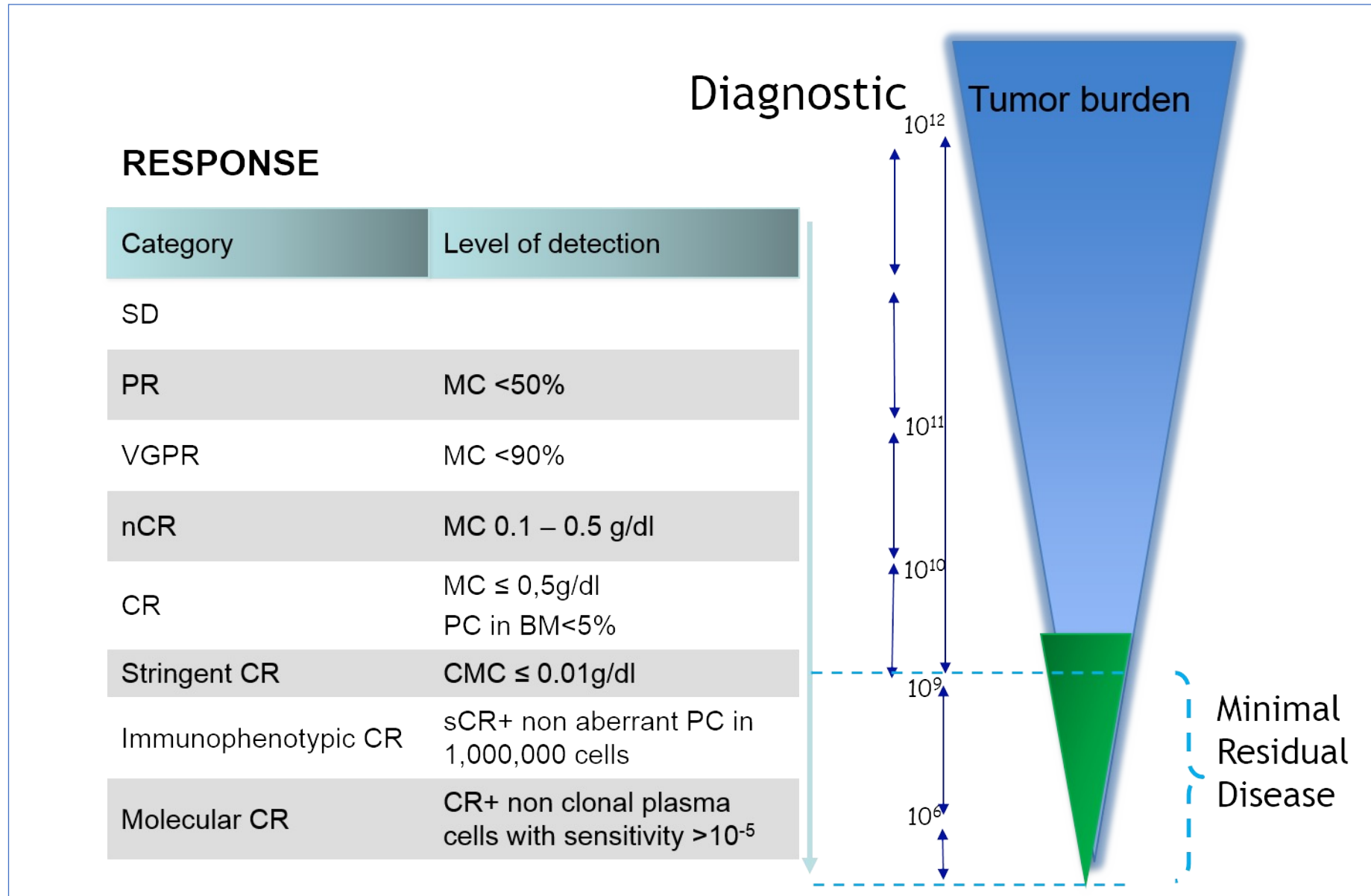
- She opts for iron supplementation and observation despite recommendation to start treatment.
- 12 months later she complains of increasing fatigue
 - M peak 6.2 g/L
 - Hemoglobin 9.3 g/L
- PET – CT new FDG avid lesion in femur and pelvis
- What is the best induction ?
 - 2 agents vs 3 agents vs 4 agents
 - What class of drugs ?
- Goals of treatment “ Longest life with the best quality of life with the least amount of treatment necessary”

Long-term Survivors Achieve CR Within 1 Year of Diagnosis

- Analysis of prospectively collected datasets with patients >10 years survival.
- 7,291 patients with survival data were considered for the analysis, age limit up to 75 years.
- Global study: Czech Republic, France, Germany, Italy, South Korea, Spain, the Nordic Myeloma Study Group (Sweden, Denmark, Norway) and the United States.
- Over 90% of the patients in the dataset were from the pre-novel therapy induction era and ~ 10% did received thalidomide as part of their upfront therapy (Total Therapy 2 thalidomide arm, GMMG-HD3 thalidomide arm and BO2002).

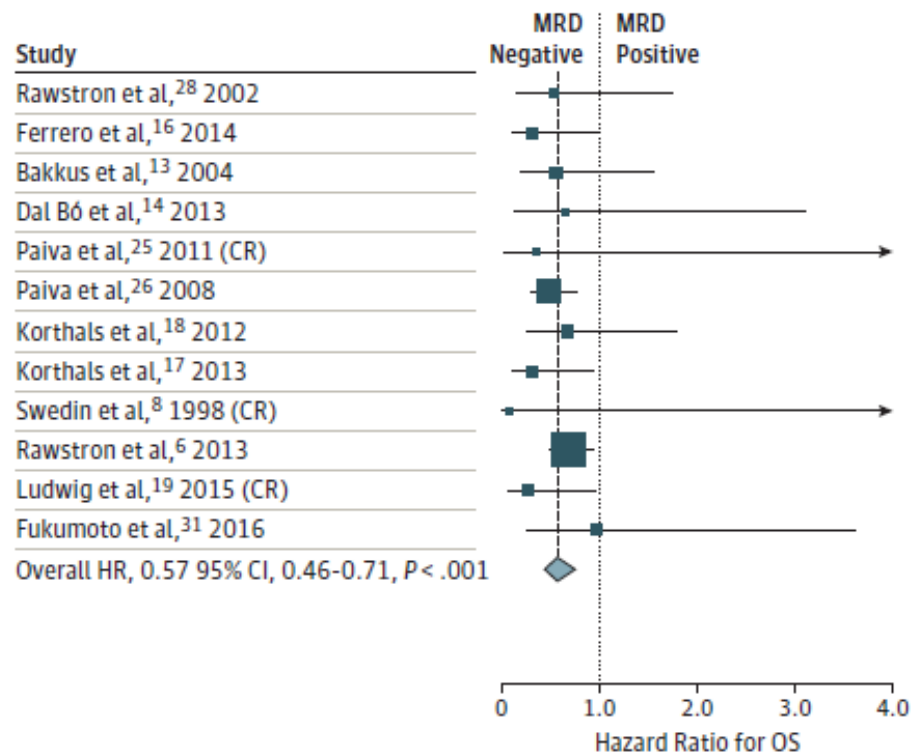


Measurable Residual Disease MRD

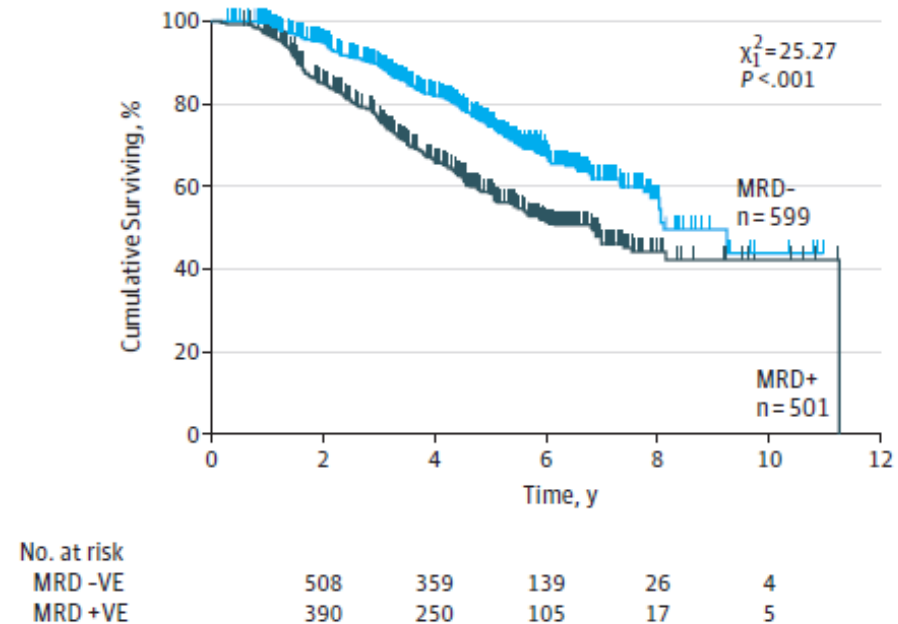


MRD Negativity As Surrogate for OS

B Overall PFS hazard ratio forest plot

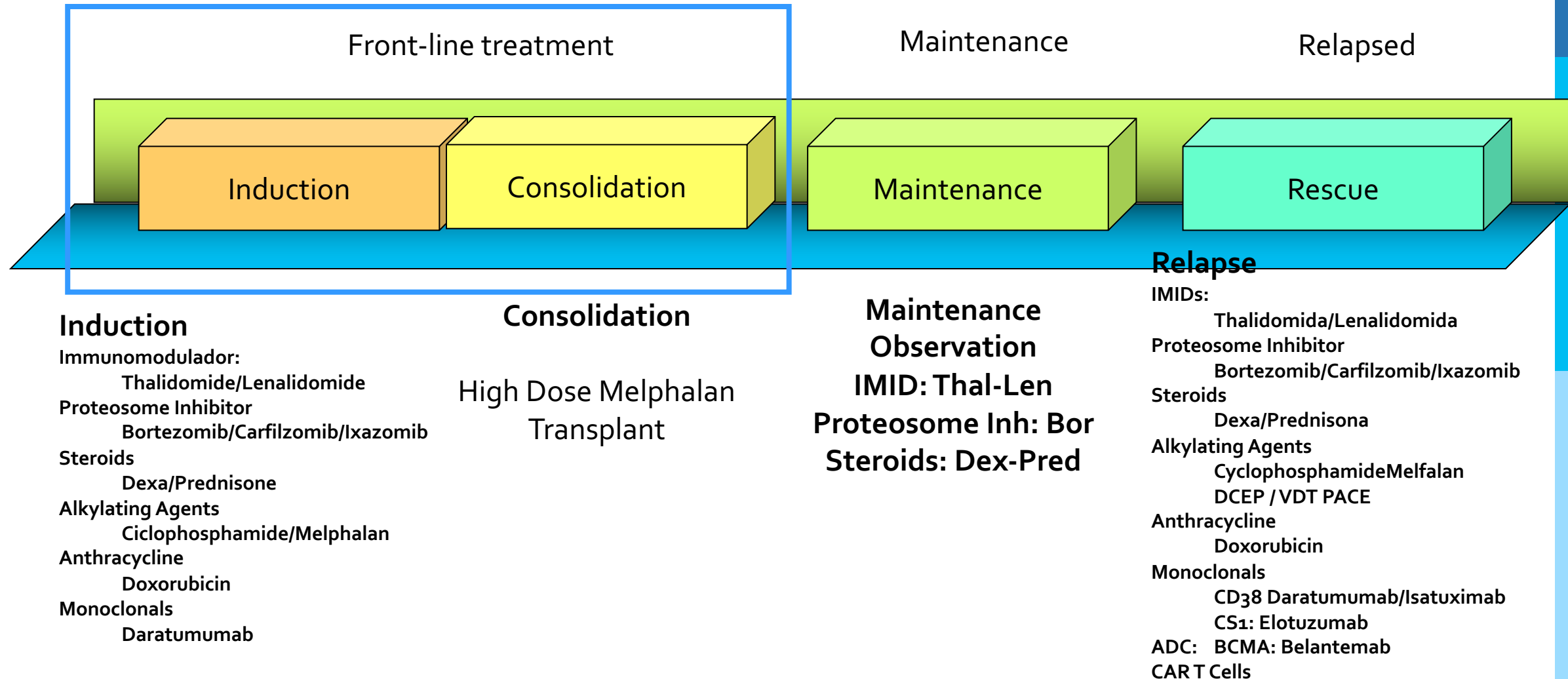


D Overall OS by MRD status





TREATMENT STRATEGIES FOR MYELOMA





Factors to Consider when Planning Induction Therapy for MM

- Basic Principles
 - Effective
 - Tolerable
 - Preserve Stem Cells
 - Available
- Clinical Factors
 - Renal Function
 - CyBORD as first cycle
 - Older Patient or Diabetic
 - Lower Steroid dose (20)
 - Bleeding or Clotting Disorder
 - IMiD use
 - Neuropathy
 - bortezomib
- High Risk Features
 - Carfilzomib/Dara



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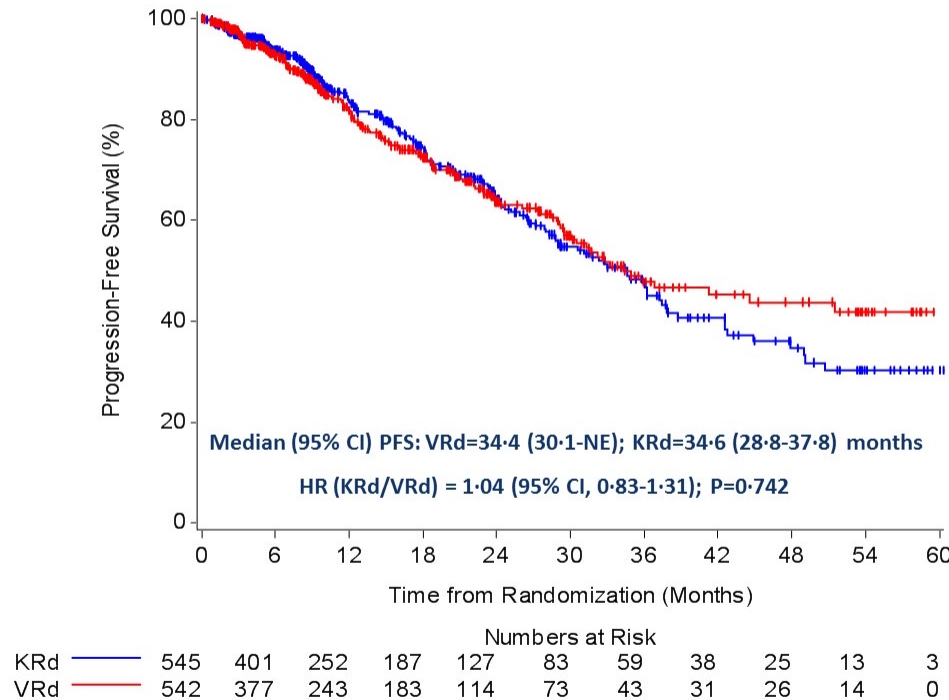
What do the randomized trials tell us?

Carfilzomib, lenalidomide, and dexamethasone (KRd) versus bortezomib, lenalidomide, and dexamethasone (VRd) for initial therapy of newly diagnosed multiple myeloma: results of ENDURANCE (E1A11) phase 3 trial

Shaji K. Kumar, Susanna J. Jacobus, Adam D. Cohen, Matthias Weiss, Natalie Scott Callander, Avina A. Singh, Terri L. Parker, Alexander Menter, Alex Yang, Benjamin Marshall Parsons, Pankaj Kumar, Prashant Kapoor, Aaron Seth Rosenberg, Jeffrey A. Zonder, Edward Anthony Faber, Sagar Lonial, Paul G. Richardson, Robert Z. Orlowski, Lynne I. Wagner, S. Vincent Rajkumar



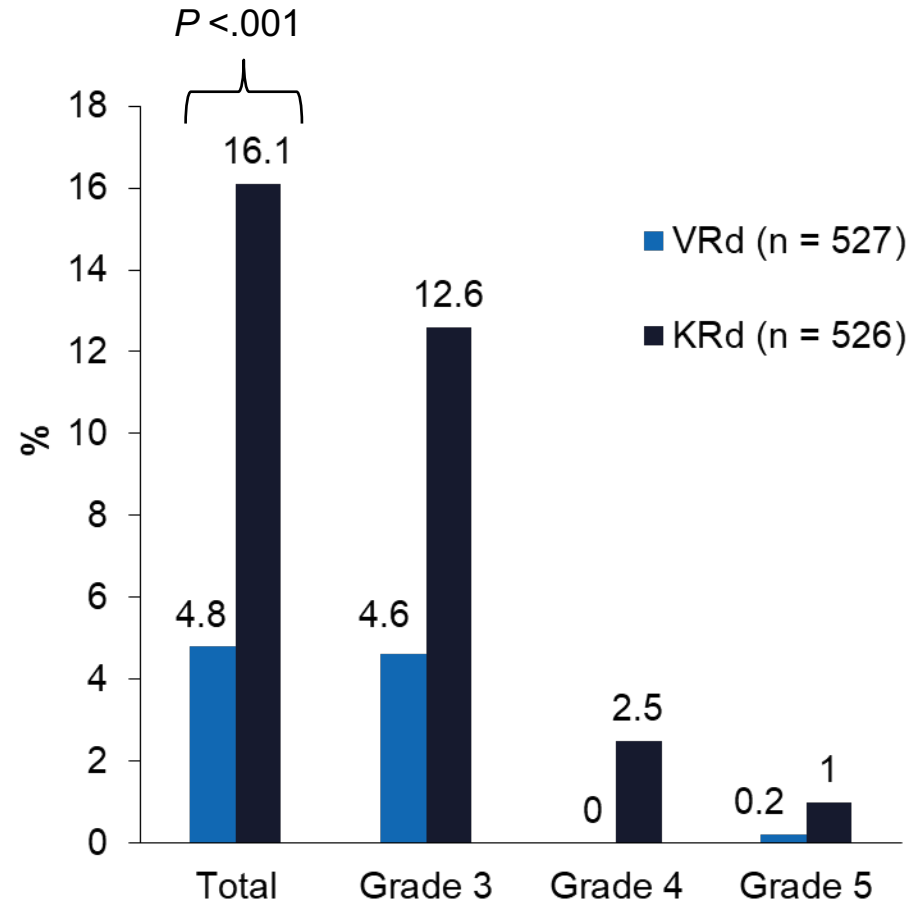
Progression Free Survival from Induction Randomization



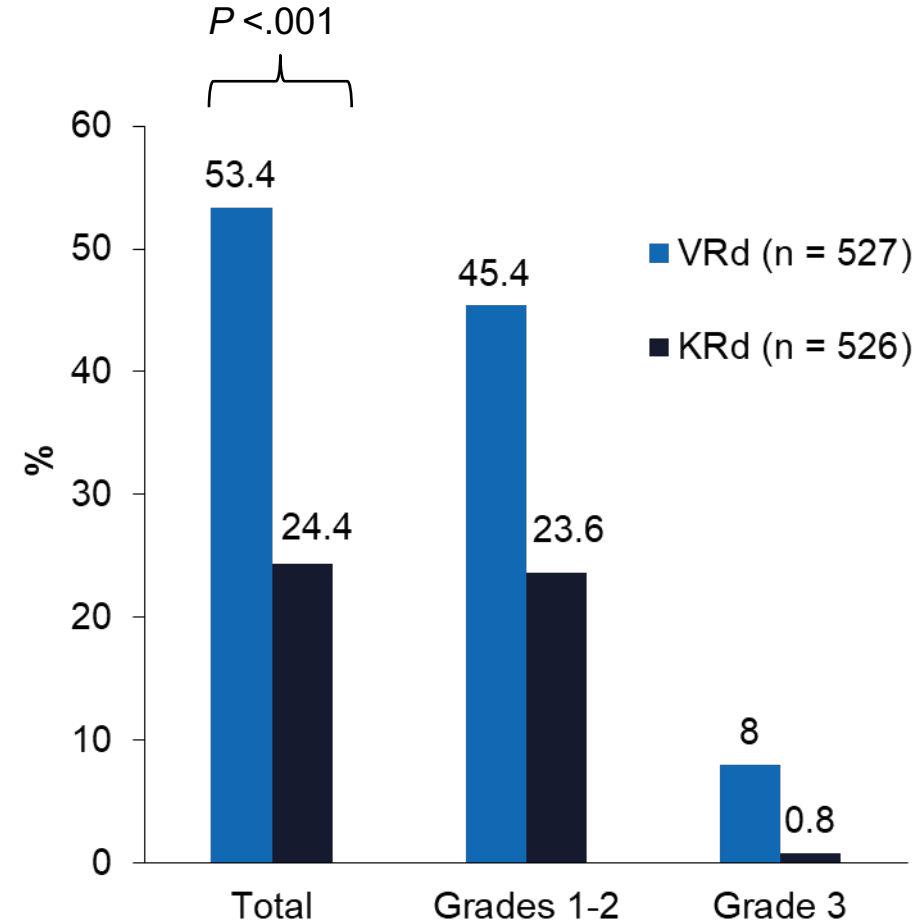
- 2nd interim analysis of PFS (Jan 2020): 298 PFS events (75% of 399 planned)
- Median (95% CI) estimated follow up of 15 (13-18) months
- For patients ≥ 70 years, median PFS(95% CI) for VRd = 37 (29-NE) and KRd = 28 (24-36) months
- With censoring at SCT or alternative therapy: Median PFS (95% CI) for VRd = 31.7 (28.5-44.6) and KRd = 32.8 (27.2-37.5) months

ENDURANCE: Adverse Events of Interest

Cardiac, Pulmonary, and Renal



Peripheral Neuropathy



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Survival Analysis of Newly Diagnosed Transplant-Eligible Multiple Myeloma Patients in the Randomized FORTE Trial

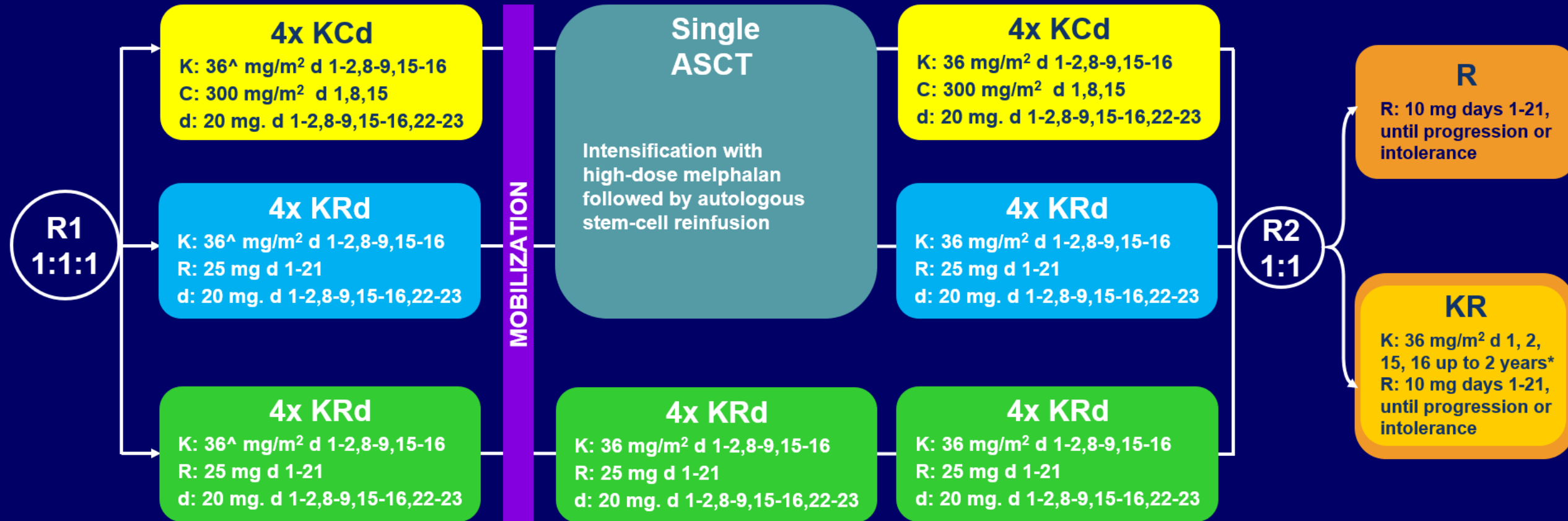
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Trial design

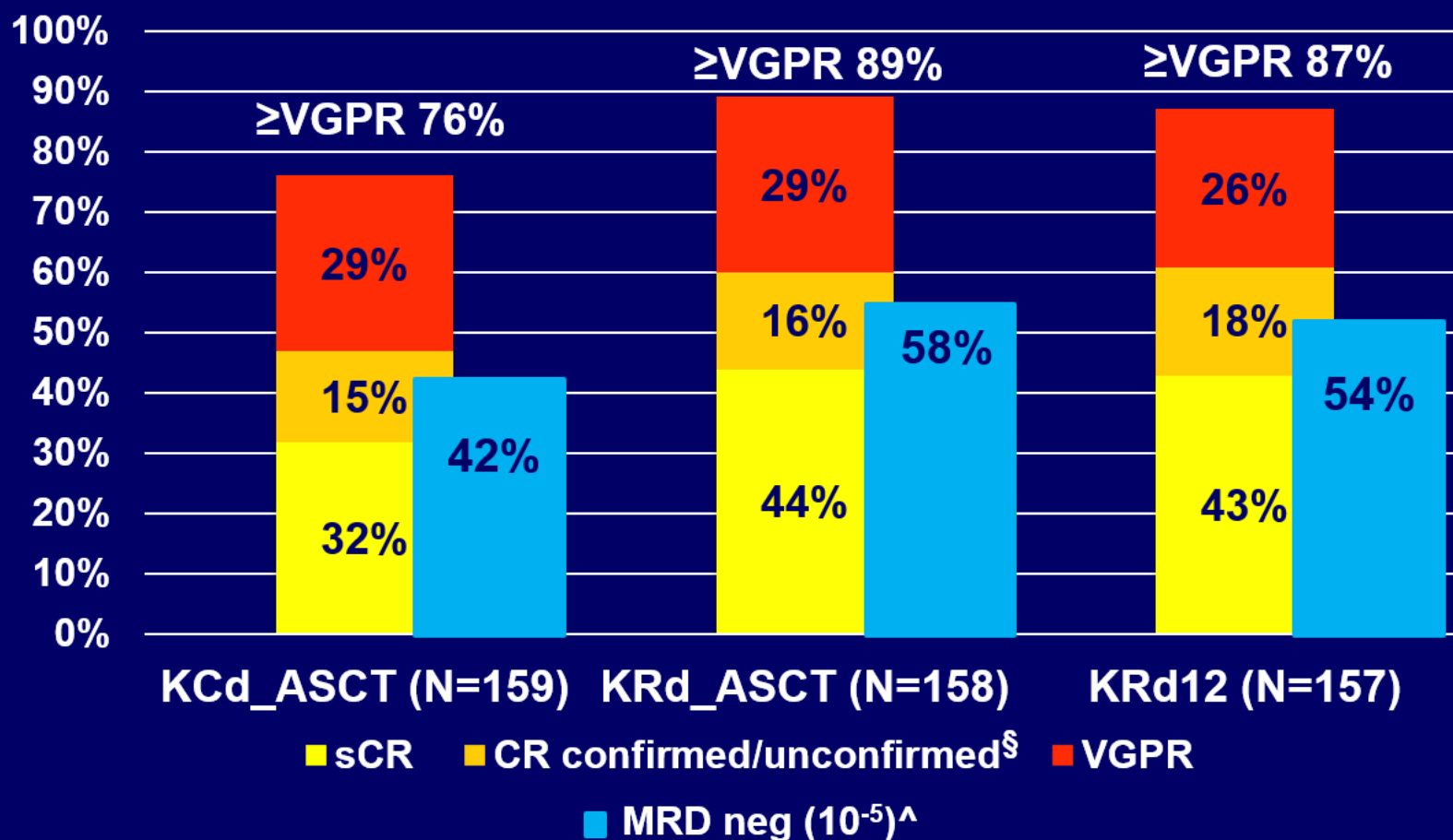
474 NDMM patients, transplant-eligible and younger than 65 years



[^]20 mg/m² on days 1-2, cycle 1 only. *Carfilzomib 70 mg/m² days 1, 15 every 28 days up to 2 years for patients that have started the maintenance treatment from 6 months before the approval of Amendment 5.0 onwards.
NDMM, newly diagnosed multiple myeloma, R1, first randomization (induction/consolidation treatment); R2, second randomization (maintenance treatment); IQR, interquartile range K, carfilzomib; C, cyclophosphamide; R, lenalidomide; d, dexamethasone; d, days; ASCT, autologous stem-cell transplantation.

KRd_ASCT vs. KRd12 vs. KCd_ASCT: Efficacy

Pre-maintenance response rate and MRD negativity ITT analysis



	OR	p-value*
≥VGPR		
KRd_ASCT vs KCd_ASCT	2.53	0.004
KRd12 vs KCd_ASCT	2.11	0.015
sCR		
KRd_ASCT vs KCd_ASCT	1.65	0.035
KRd12 vs KCd_ASCT	1.60	0.048

MRD neg (10 ⁻⁵)	OR	p-value*
KRd_ASCT vs KCd_ASCT	2.02	0.009
KRd12 vs KCd_ASCT	1.73	0.042

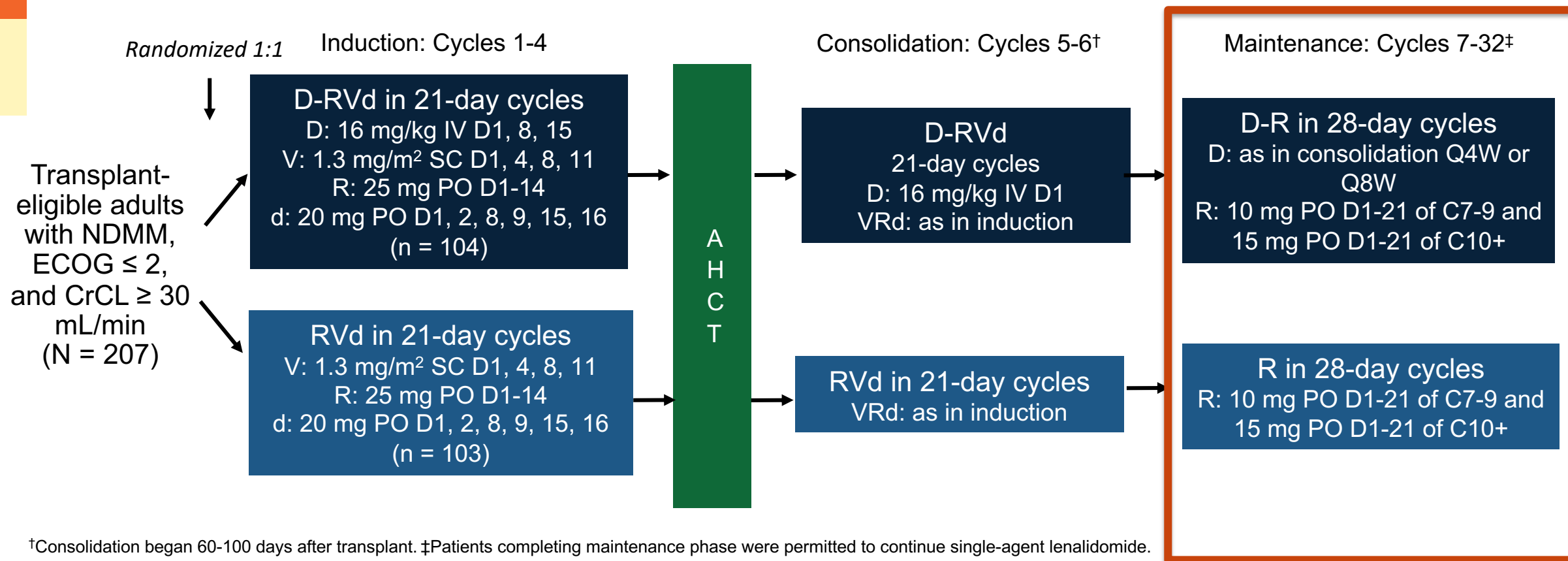
[^]Patients whose samples were not available (~10%) were considered as positive. *Adjusted for ISS, Age, FISH, LDH.

[§] Unconfirmed CR/sCR: patients missing immunofixation/sFLC analysis needed to confirm CR/sCR (6% in KCd_ASCT_KCd; 8% in KRd_ASCT_KRd; 6% KRd_12).

ASCT, autologous stem-cell transplantation; K, carfilzomib; R, lenalidomide; C, cyclophosphamide; d, dexamethasone; KCd_ASCT, KCd induction-ASCT-KCd consolidation; KRd_ASCT, KRd induction-ASCT-KRd consolidation; KRd12, 12 cycles of KRd; MRD, minimal residual disease; neg, negativity; ITT, intention to treat; sCR, stringent complete response; CR: complete response; VGPR: very good partial response; OR: odds ratio; FISH, fluorescence in situ hybridization; LDH, lactate dehydrogenase; FLC, free light chain, ISS, International Staging System.

Gay F et al. Blood. 2018;132(Supplement 1):Abstract #121 [ASH 2018 60th Meeting]. doi:10.1182/blood-2018-99-112093.

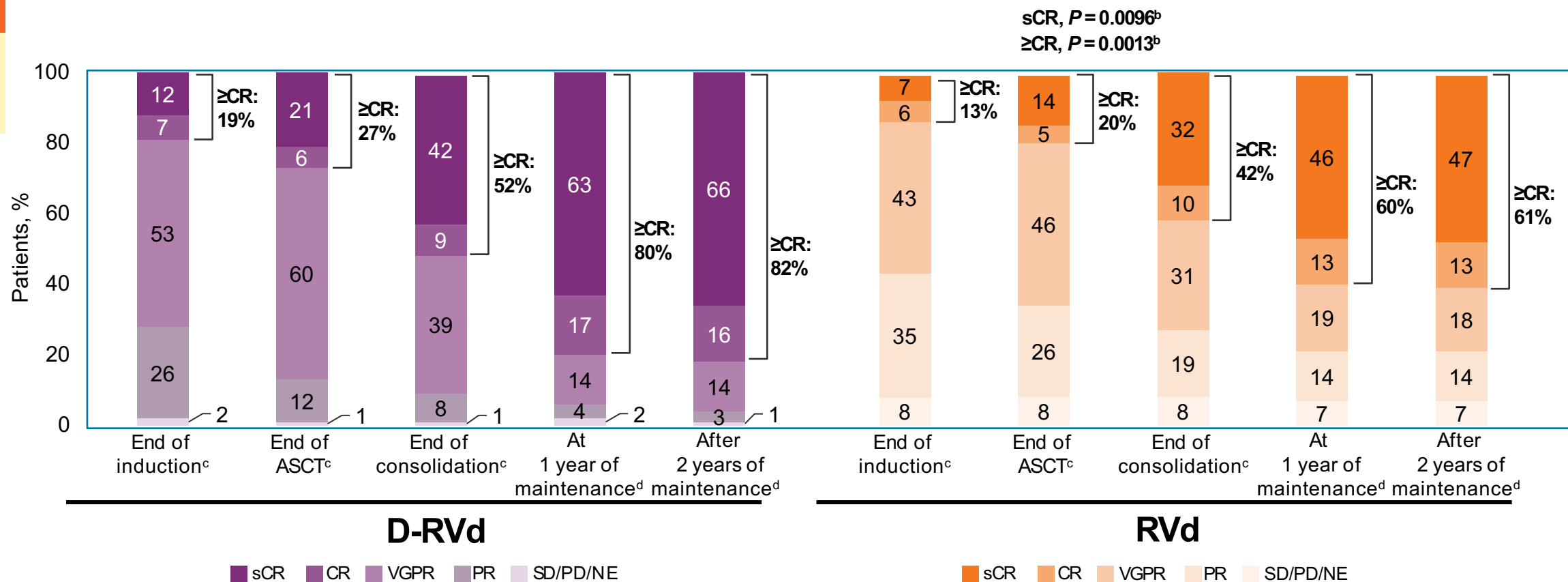
GRIFFIN 2-yr Maintenance Update



Primary endpoint: sCR by end of consolidation with 1-sided $\alpha = 0.1$

Key secondary endpoints: rates of MRD negativity, ORR, ≥VGPR, CR, PFS, OS

GRIFFIN: Responses Deepened Over Time



Response rates of sCR and $\geq$ CR were greater for D-RVd versus RVd all time points, with the deepest responses occurring after 2 years of maintenance therapy

PR, partial response; SD/PD/NE, stable disease/progressive disease/not evaluable. ^cData are shown for the response-evaluable population. ^bP values (2-sided) were calculated using the Cochran chi-square test. ^dResponse rates are from the primary analysis cutoff (median follow-up: 13.5 mo), and the response-evaluable population included 196 patients (D-RVd, n = 99; RVd, n = 97). ^eResponse rates for the maintenance phase have longer follow-up (median: 33.6 mo), and the response-evaluable population included 197 patients (D-RVd, n = 100; RVd, n = 97). Percentages may not add up to 100% due to rounding. Laubach. ASH 2021. Abstr 79.

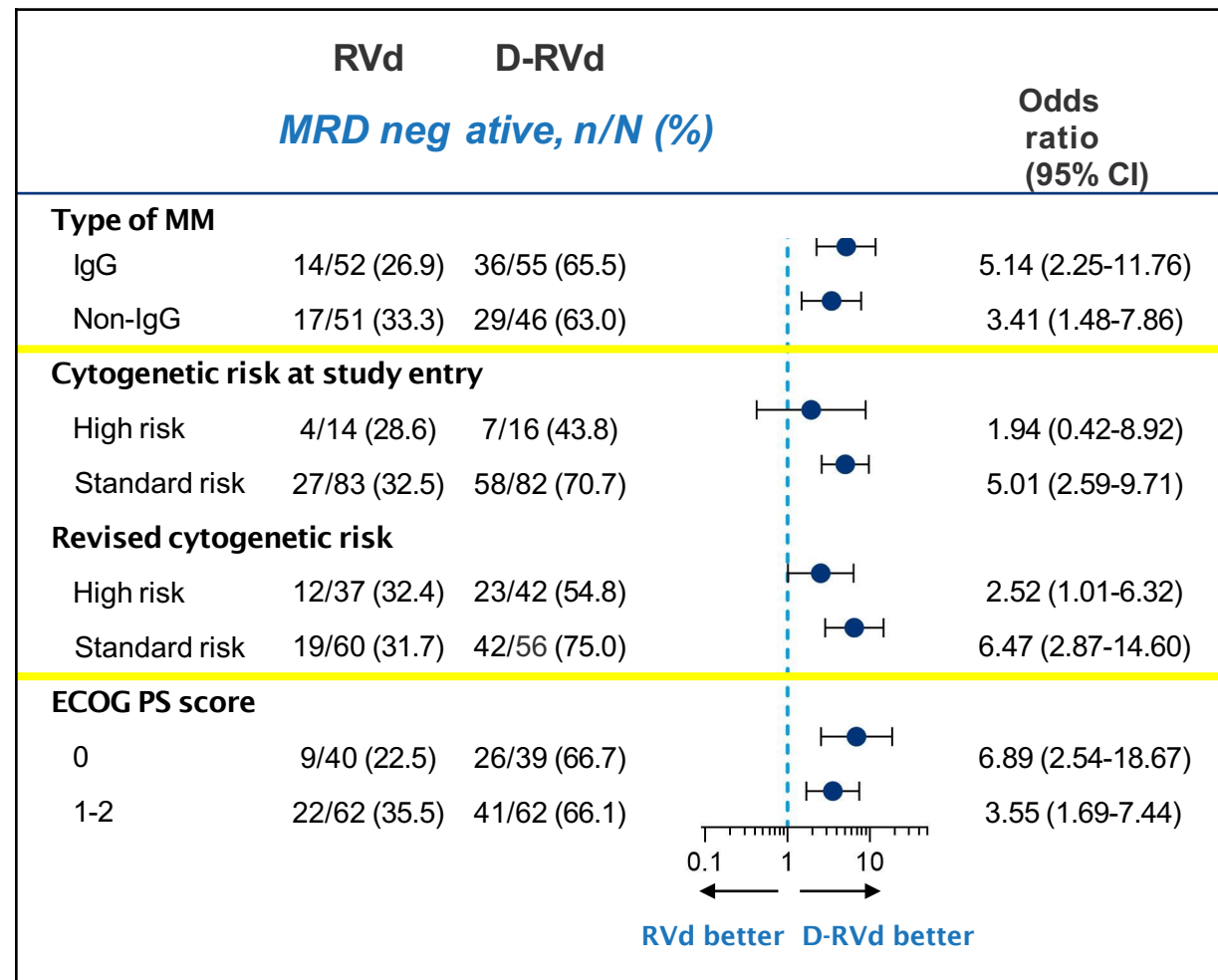
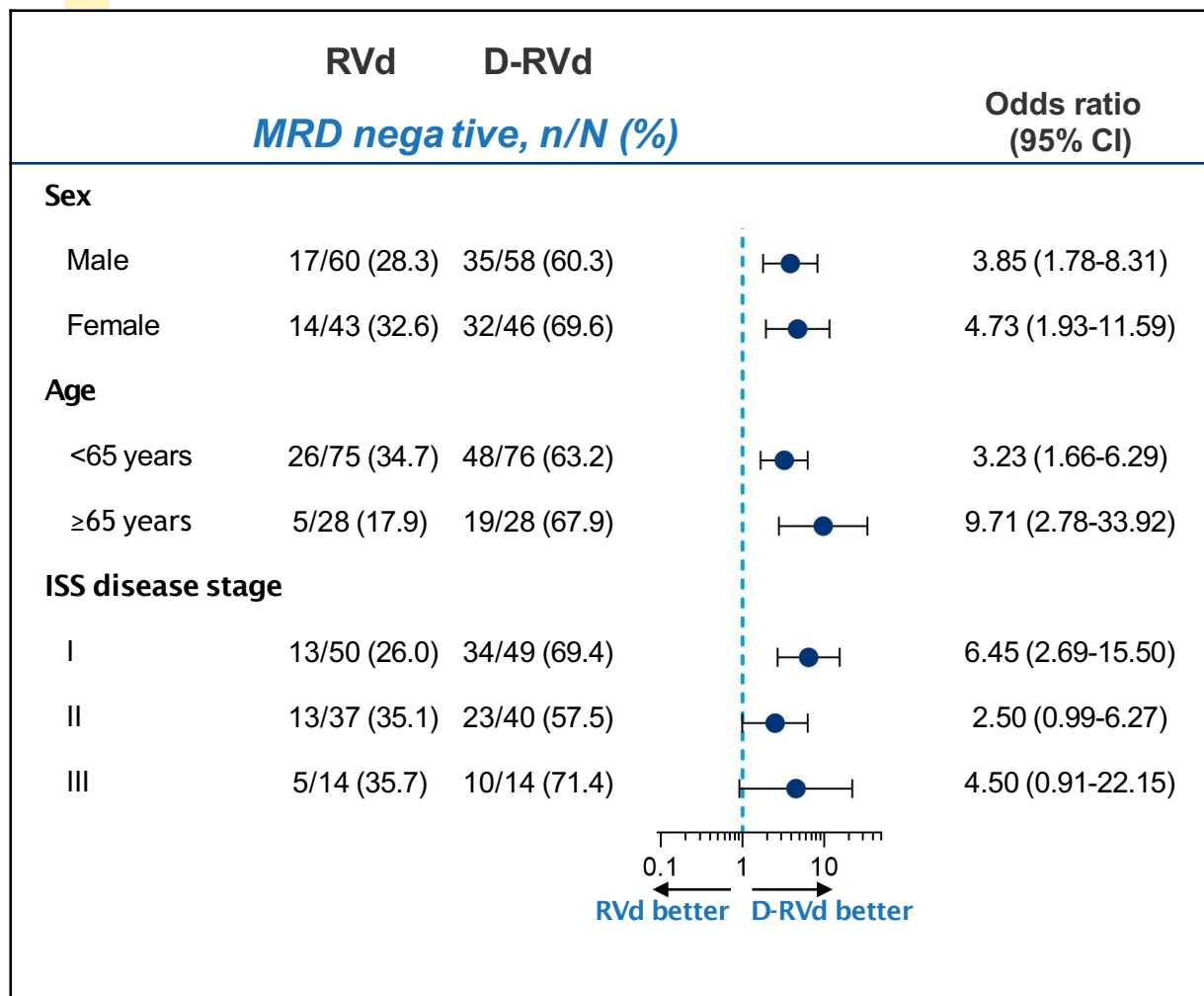


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GRIFFIN 2-yr Maintenance Update

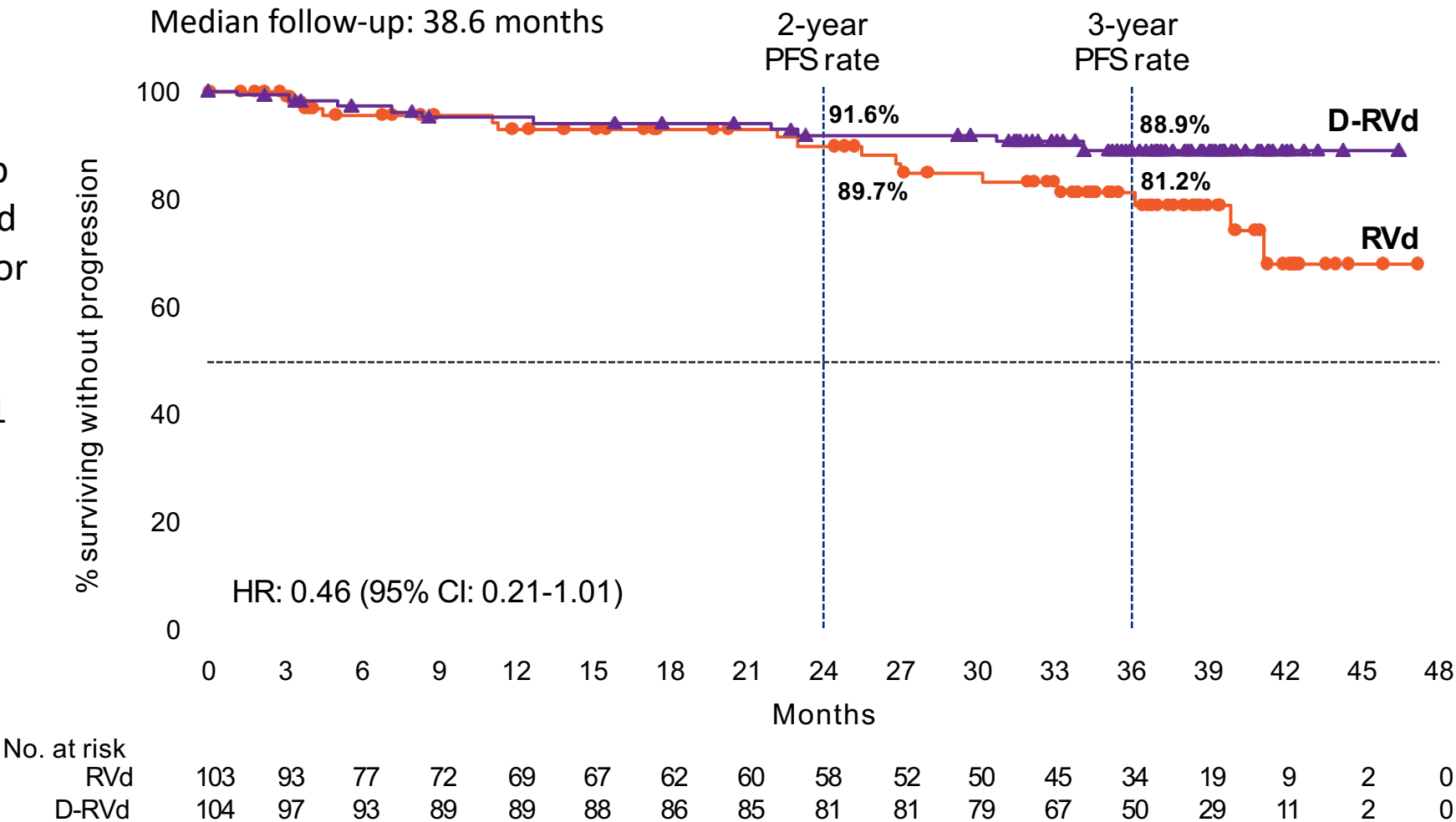
MRD Negativity After 24-Mo Maintenance, %	D-VRd (n = 104)	VRd (n = 103)	P Value
MRD at 10^{-5} threshold, % - ITT population ≥CR	64 78	30 47	<.0001 .0003
MRD at 10^{-6} threshold, % - ITT population ≥CR	36 43	15 22	.0007 .0121
Sustained MRD negativity lasting ≥12 mo, %	44.2	12.6	<.0001

GRIFFIN Update: Subgroup Analysis of MRD negativity



GRIFFIN 2-yr Maintenance Update: PFS in ITT Population

- Median PFS was not reached in either group
- There is a positive trend toward improved PFS for D-RVd/DR vs RVd/R
- Separation of the PFS curves begins beyond 1 yr of maintenance and suggests a benefit of prolonged DR therapy





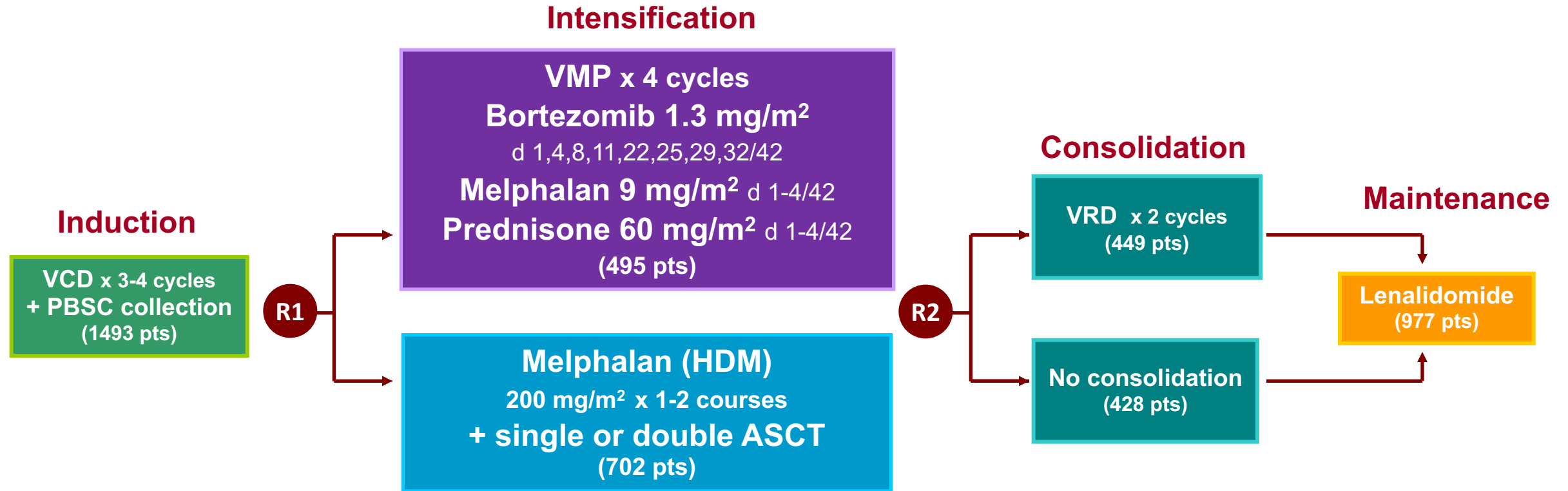
MJ

- She receives 4 cycles of RVD and has stem cells collected
- She has doubts about proceeding to high dose melphalan and autologous stem cell transplant



What is the role of high dose melphalan?

EMN02/HO95 MM study design



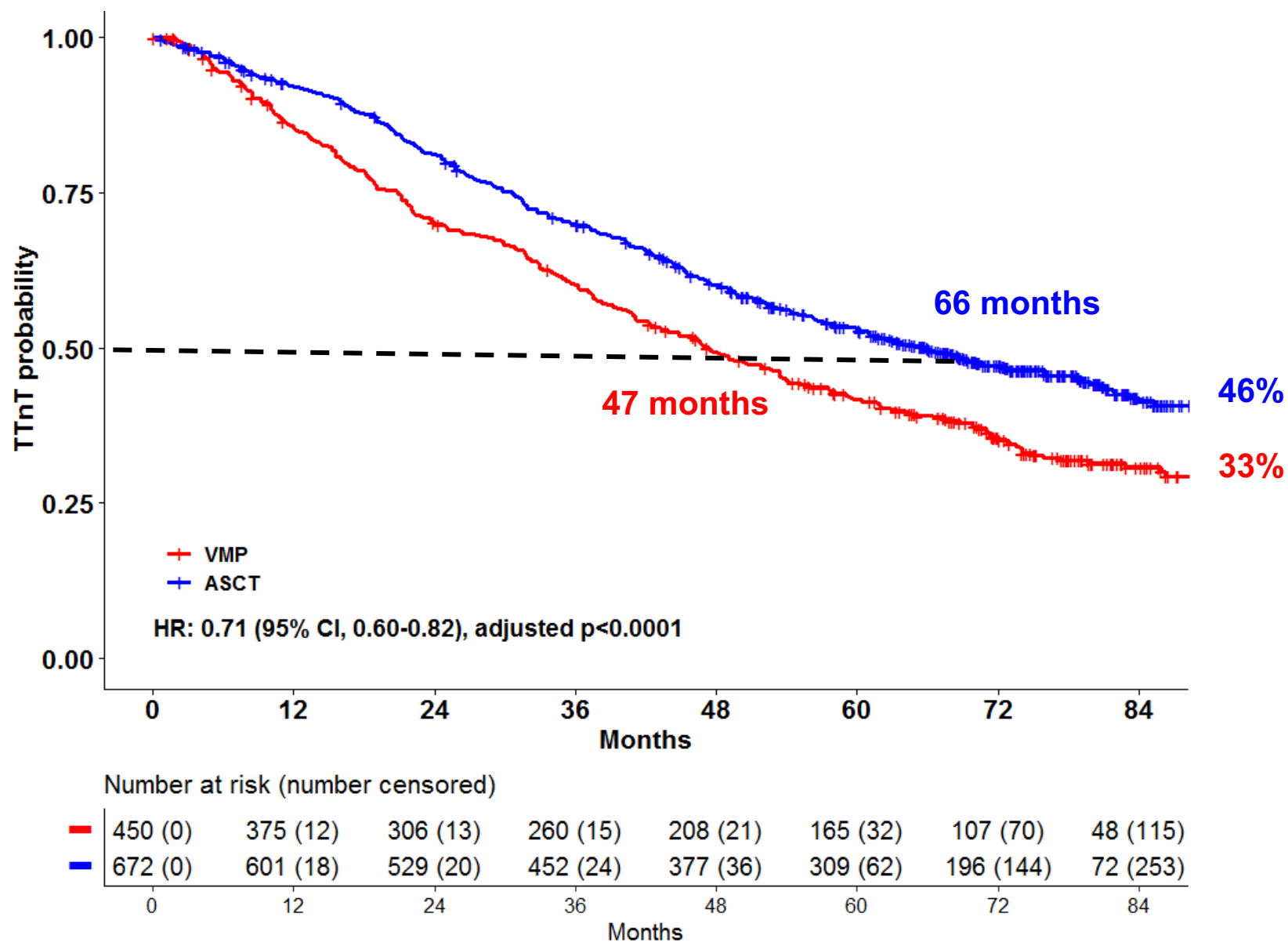
Primary endpoints:

- PFS from R1: ASCT vs VMP
- PFS from R2: VRD consolidation vs no consolidation

Secondary endpoints:

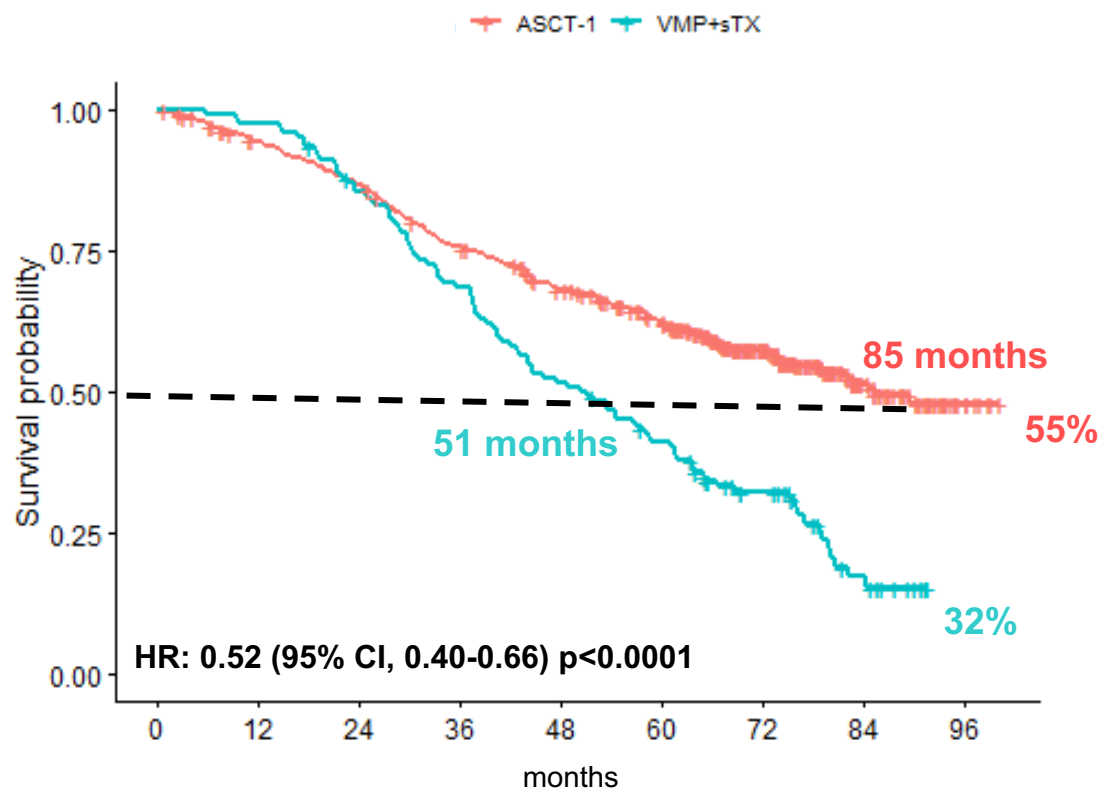
- PFS from R1: HDM-1 vs HDM-2
- Rates of response to ASCT or VMP
- OS from R1: ASCT vs VMP
- Toxicities with ASCT and VMP

Time to next treatment



Clinical outcomes with upfront vs delayed ASCT

PFS2

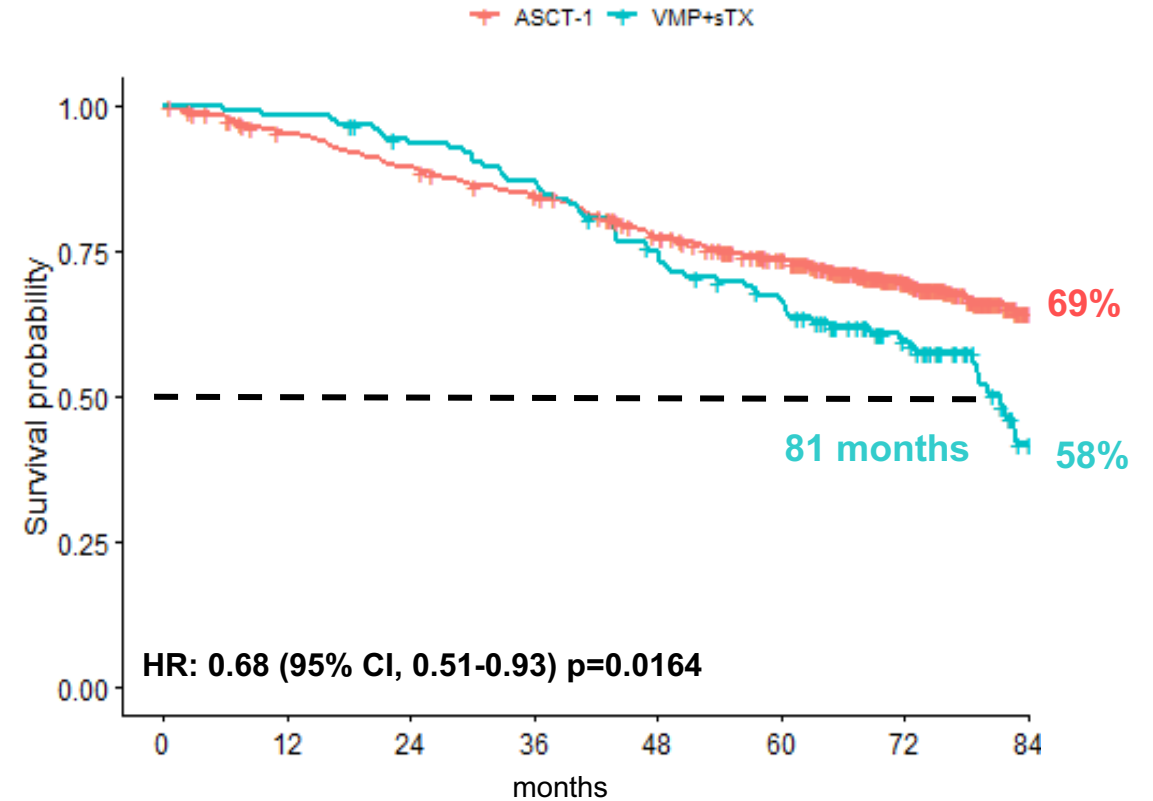


Number at risk

ASCT-1	478	438	403	349	304	260	162	53	7
VMP+sTX	126	123	106	85	64	49	30	10	0
	0	12	24	36	48	60	72	84	96

months

OS



Number at risk

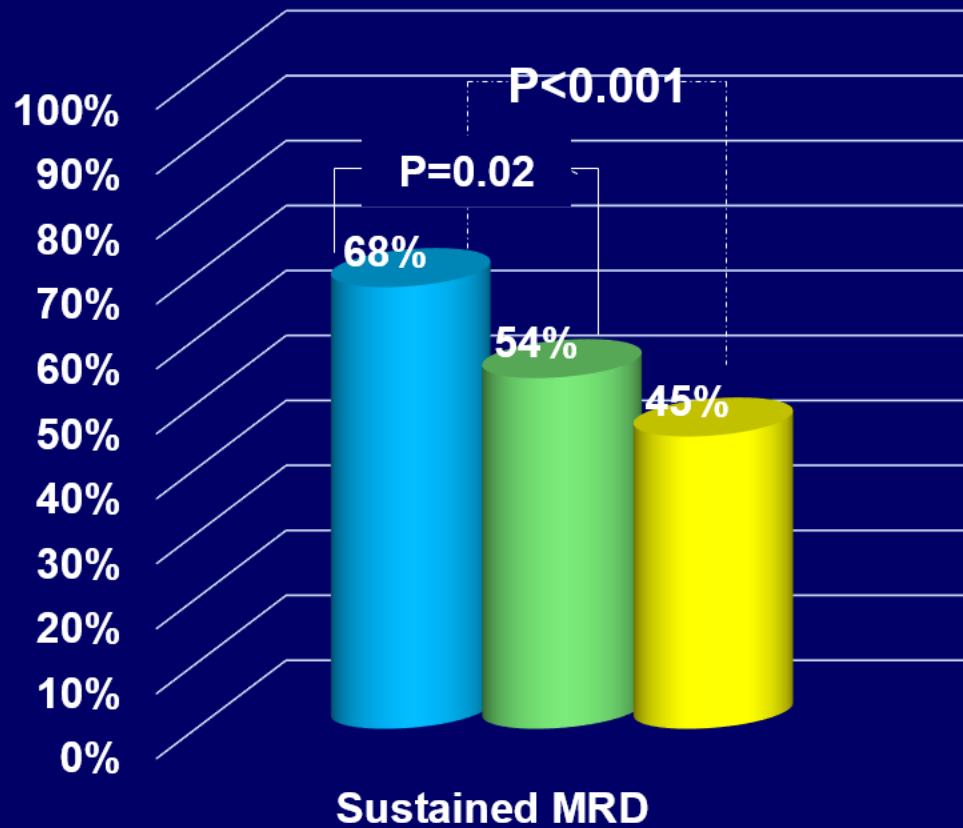
ASCT-1	478	445	418	392	347	302	194	5
VMP+sTX	126	124	115	107	90	77	52	1
	0	12	24	36	48	60	72	84

months

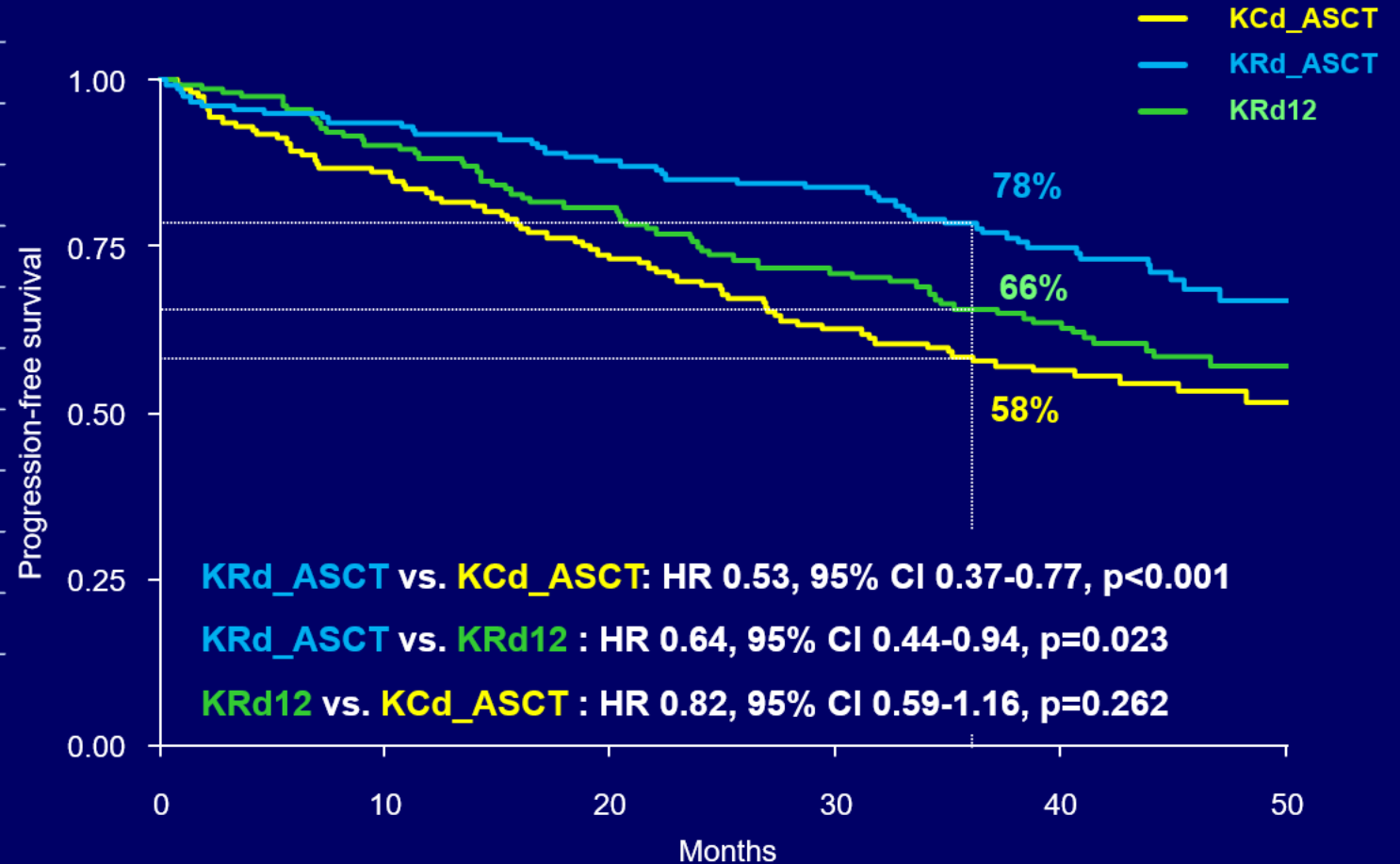
Progression-free survival: Random 1

Median follow-up from Random 1: 45 months (40-49 months)

Rate of sustained MRD MCF 10^{-5}



Progression-free survival



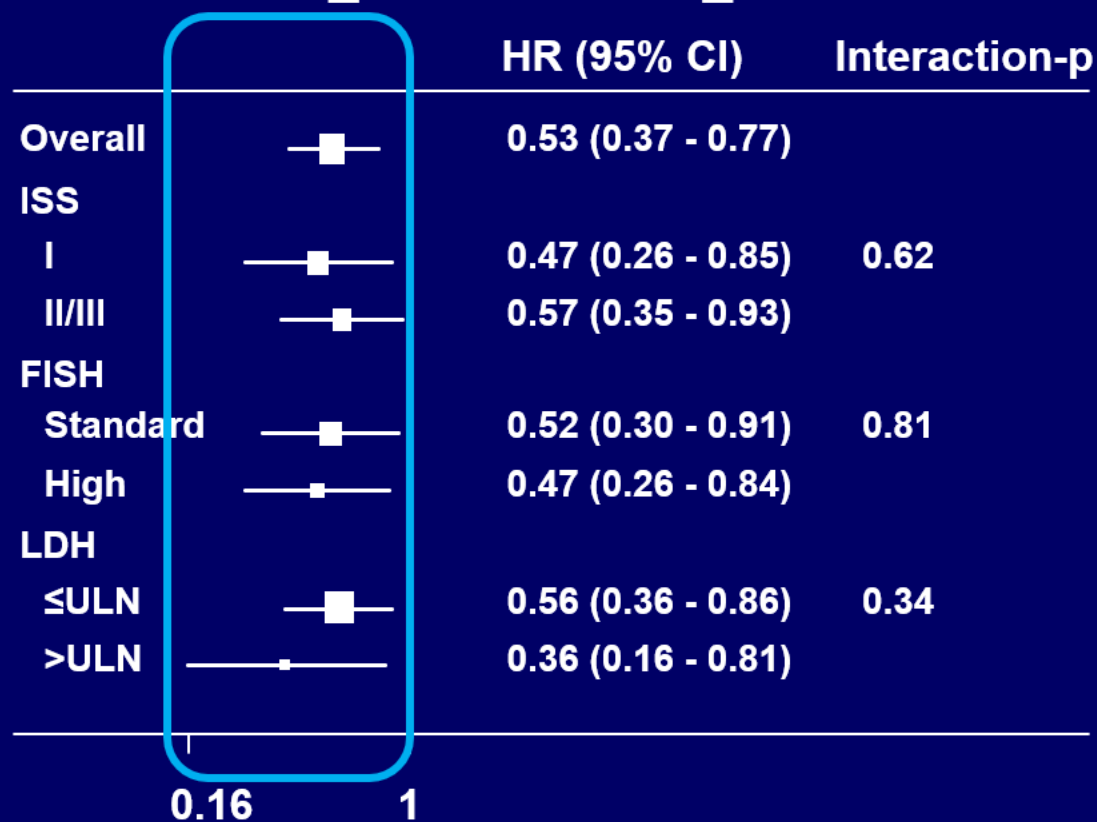
■ KRd_ASCT ■ KRd12 ■ KCd_ASCT

Random 1, first randomization (induction/consolidation treatment); ASCT, autologous stem-cell transplantation; K, carfilzomib; R, lenalidomide; C, cyclophosphamide; d, dexamethasone; KCd_ASCT, KCd induction-ASCT-KCd consolidation; KRd_ASCT, KRd induction-ASCT-KRd consolidation; KRd12, 12 cycles of KRd; p, p-value; HR, hazard ratio; CI, confidence interval; MRD, minimal residual disease; MFC, multiparameter flow cytometry; 3-year PFS reported in the figure.

Progression-free survival: Random 1

Subgroup Analyses

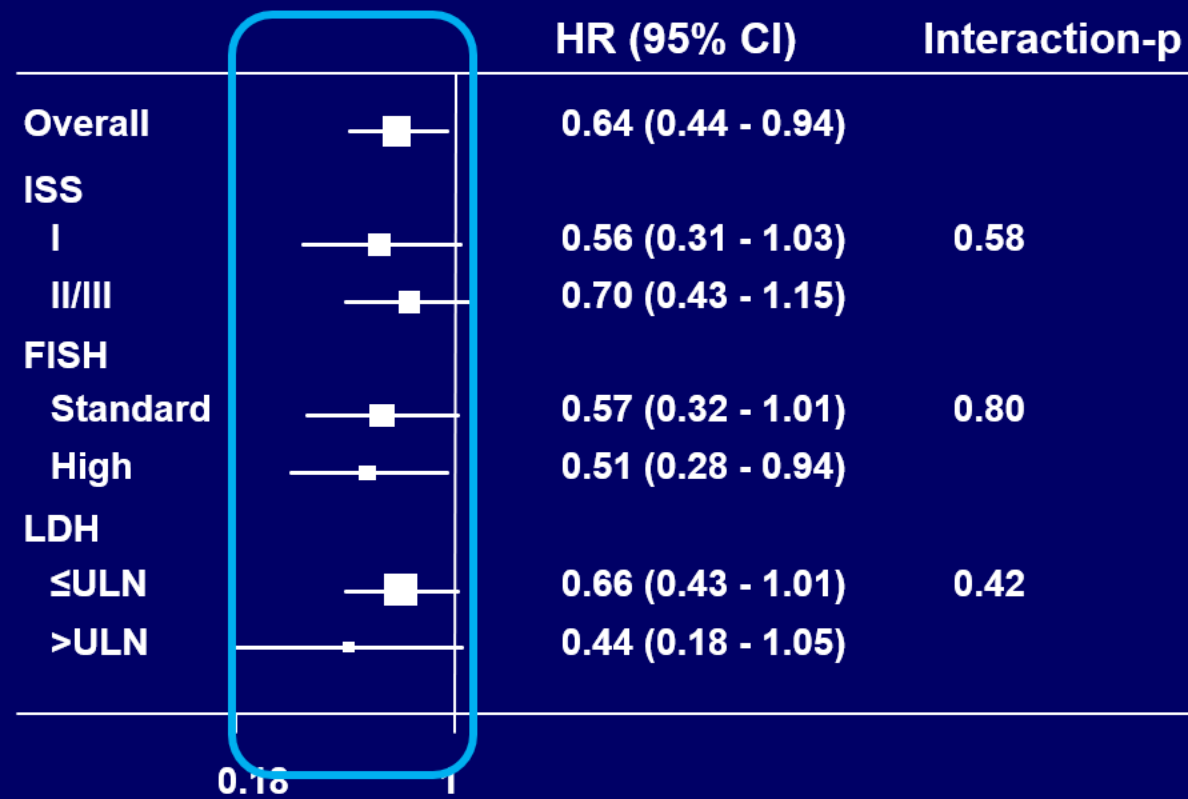
KRd_ASCT vs KCd_ASCT



Favors KRd_ASCT

Favors KCd_ASCT

KRd_ASCT vs KRd12



Favors KRd_ASCT

Favors KRd12

SIMILAR HR IN STANDARD AND HIGH RISK PATIENTS TREATED WITH KRd_ASCT



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What if the patient is MRD negative?

IFM 2009 Study design

700 patients randomized stratified on ISS and FISH

Arm A – RVD alone

3 RVD

PBSC collection (cyclophosphamide 3g/m² and GCSF 10 µg/kg/d)

5 RVD

Lenalidomide maintenance 13 cycles (10-15 mg/d)

Arm B - Transplantation

3 RVD

**HD Melphalan 200 mg/m² +
ASCT**

2 RVD

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RVD 21d cycles

- . Lenalidomide 25 mg/d: D1-D14
- . Bortezomib 1.3 mg/m² D1, D4, D8, D11
- . Dexamethasone 20 mg/d: D1, D2, D4, D5, D8, D9, D11, D12

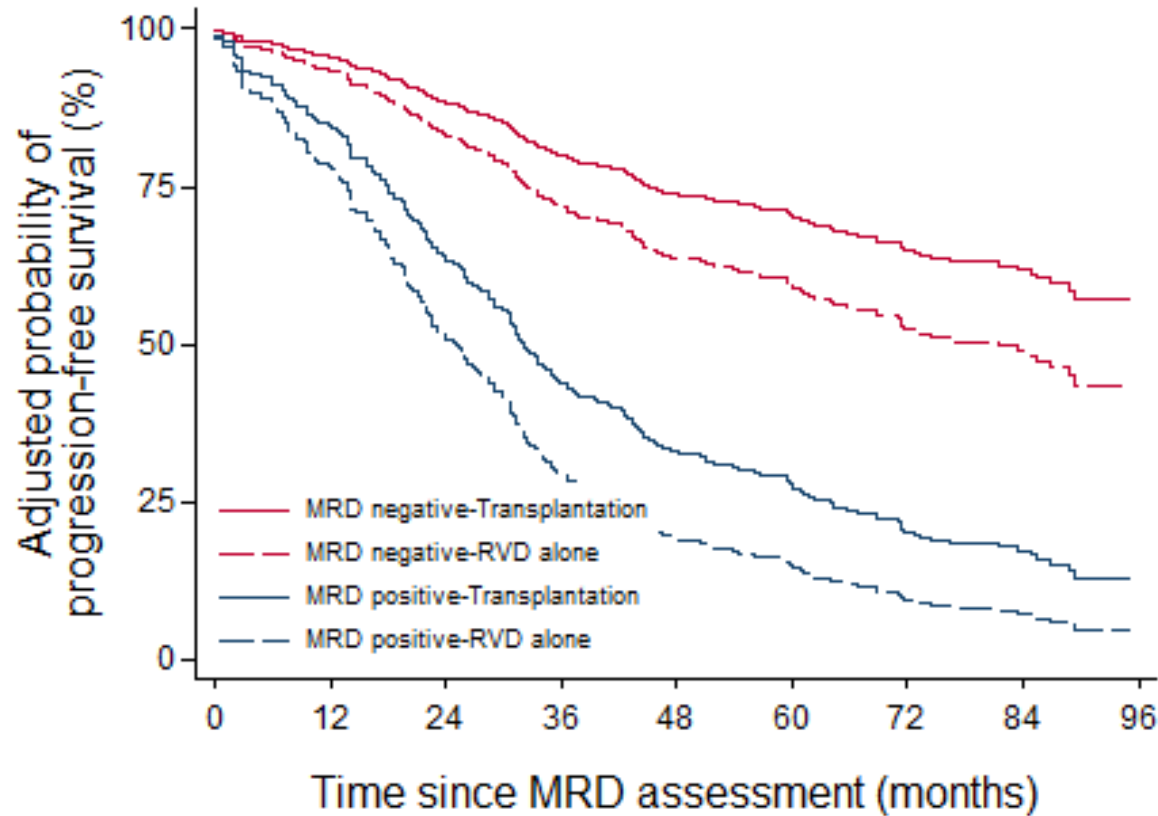
Primary endpoint = PFS

Secondary endpoints

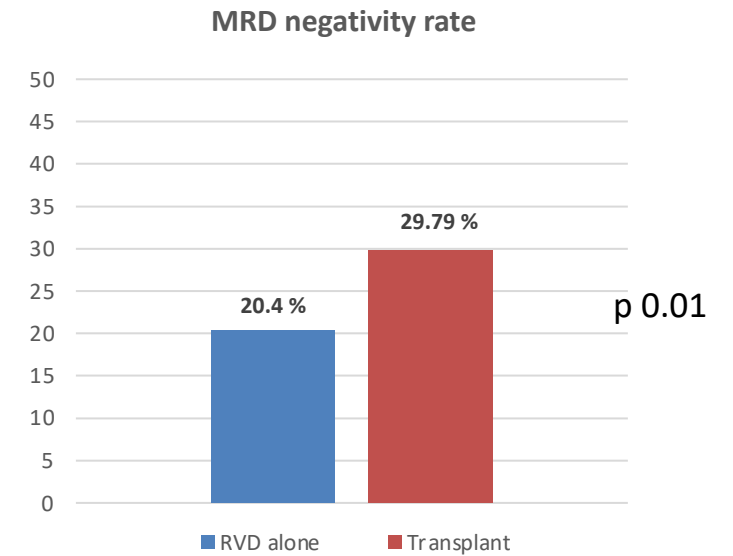
- . ORR, MRD
- . TTP
- . OS
- . Toxicity

Subgroup analyses

Median follow up 89.8 months



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Transplant is superior to VRD alone, even in patients who achieved undetectable MRD at 10^{-6}

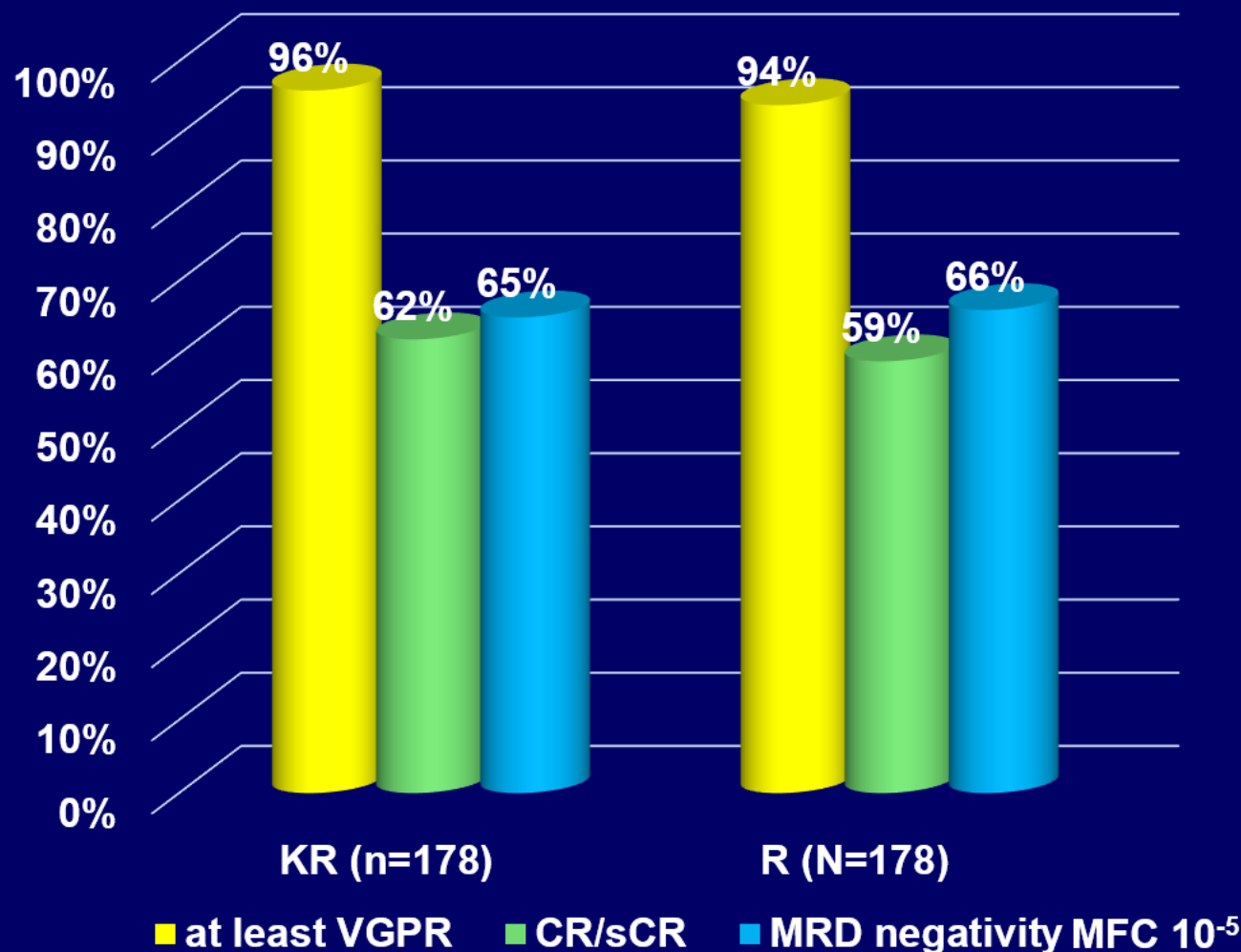


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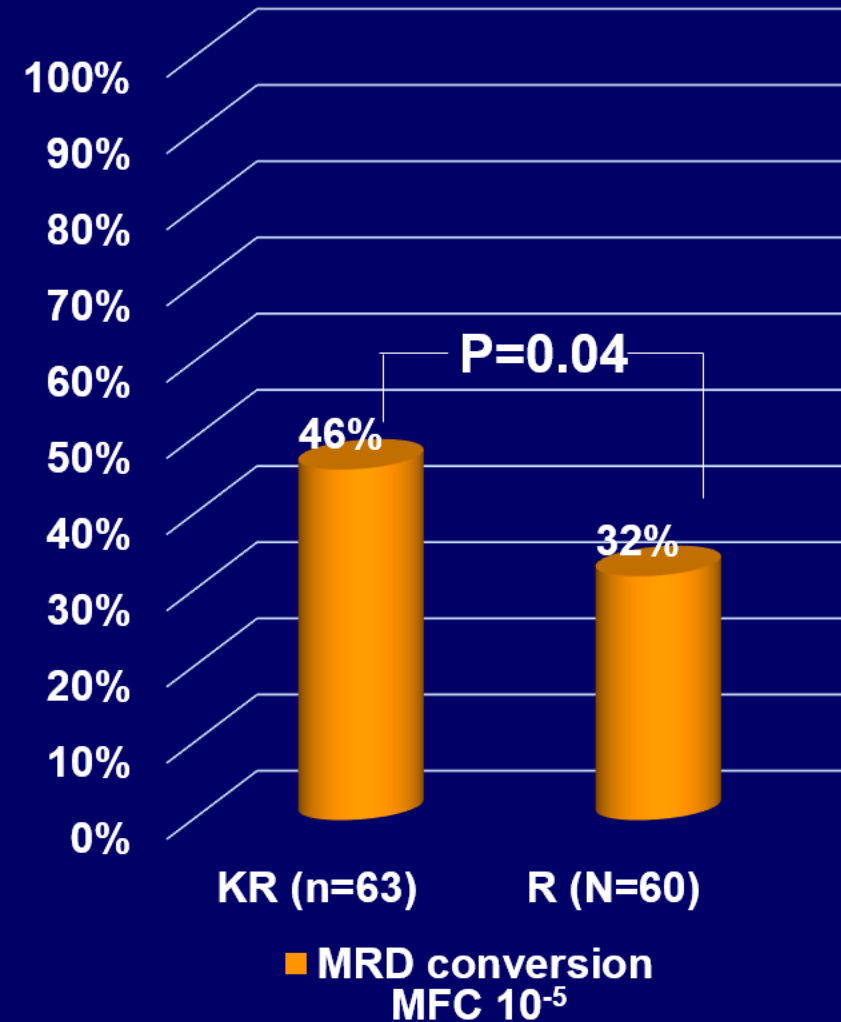
Should len maintenance be standard?

Response rate and MRD negativity: Random 2

Pre-maintenance response rate

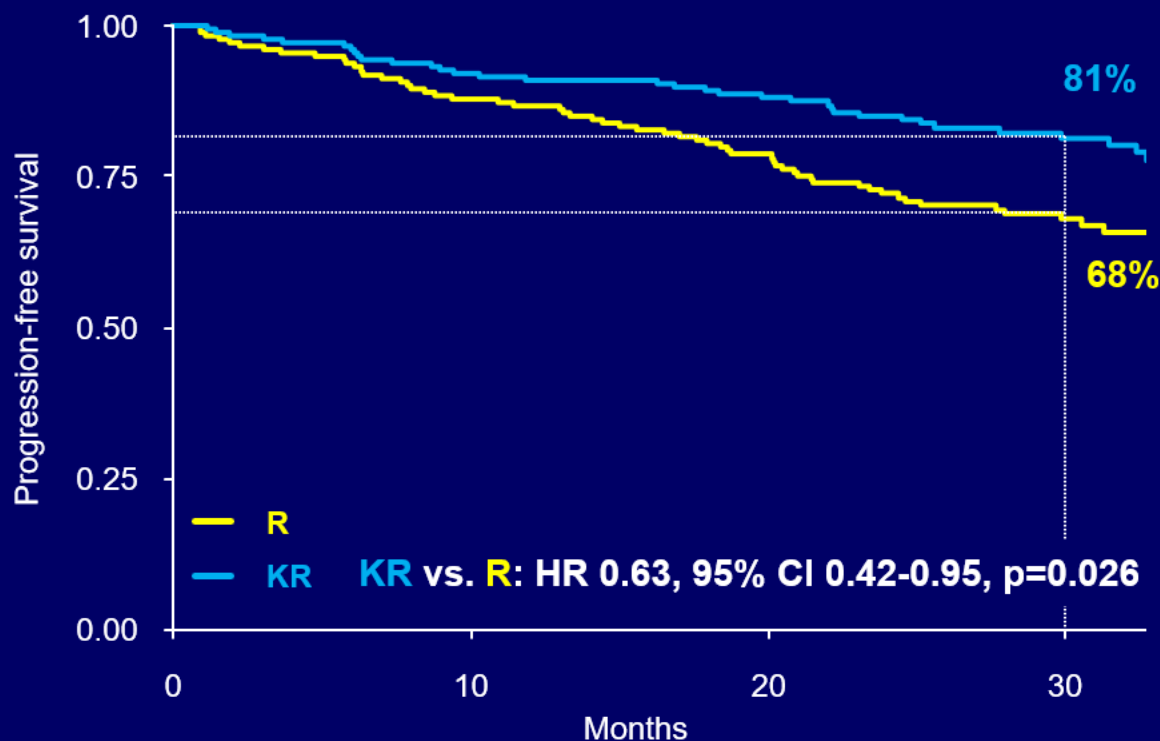


Rate of MRD conversion MRD positive → MRD negative

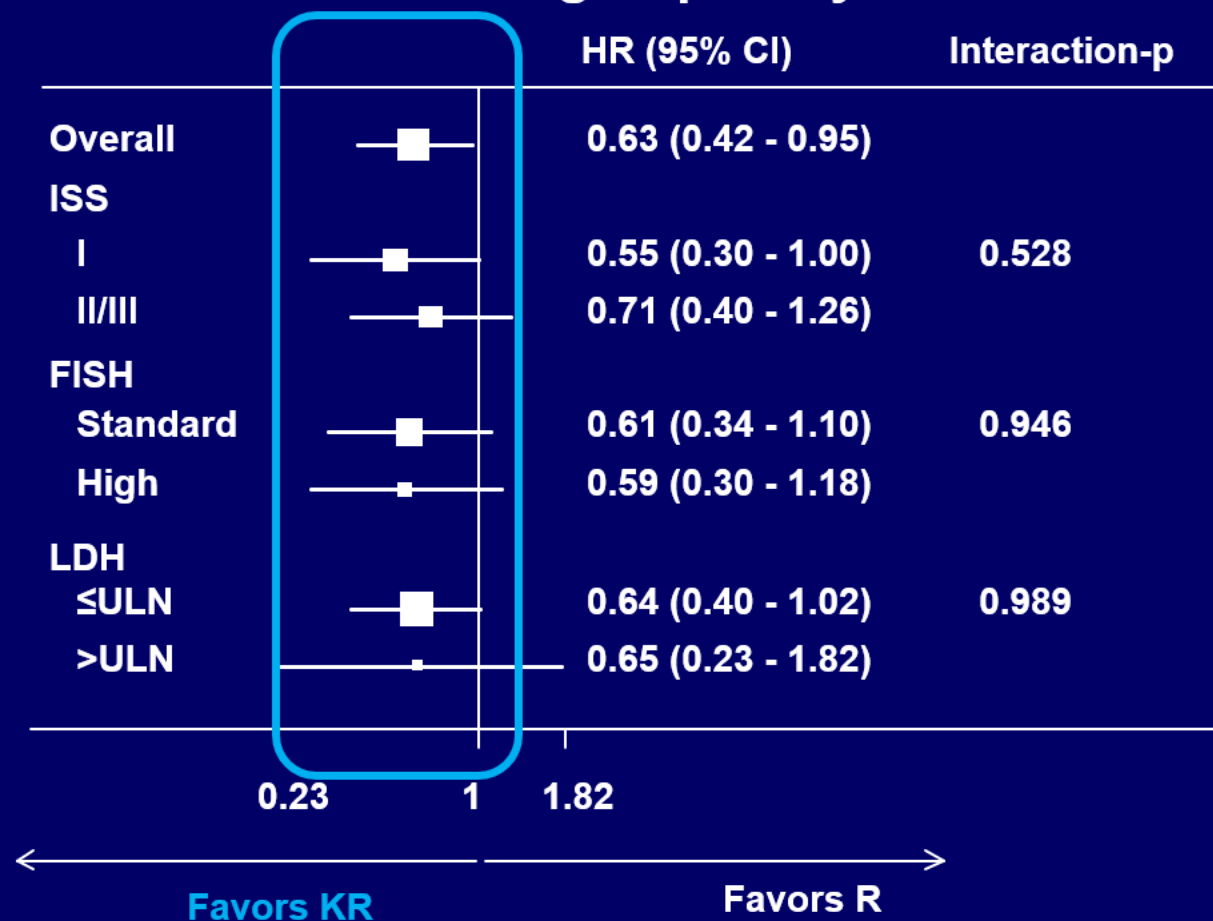


Progression-Free Survival: Random 2

Median follow-up from random 2: 31 months (26-36 months)



KR vs. R subgroup analyses



SIMILAR HR IN STANDARD-RISK AND HIGH-RISK PATIENTS TREATED WITH KR vs. R



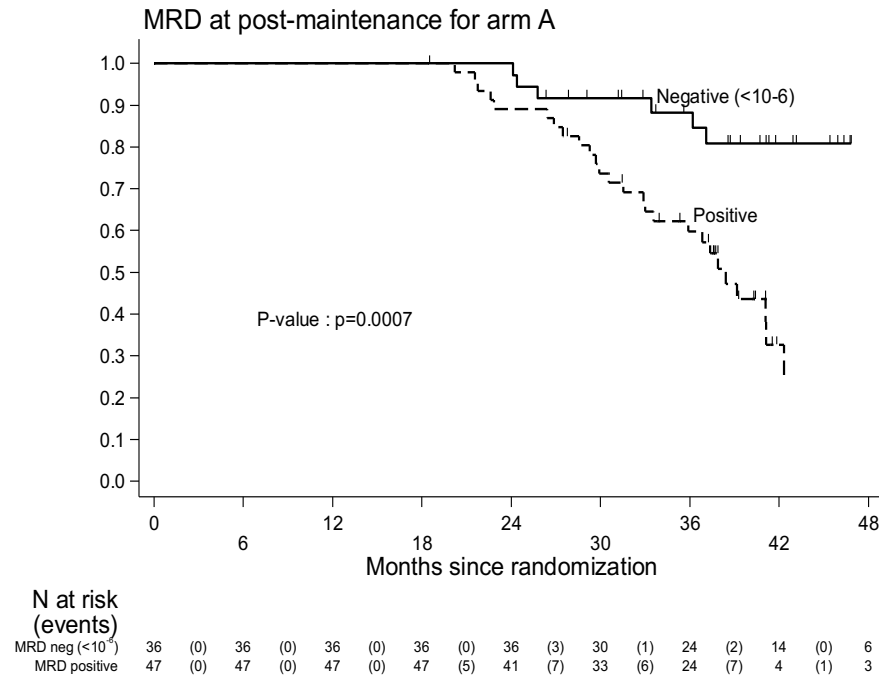
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Role of Measurable Residual Disease

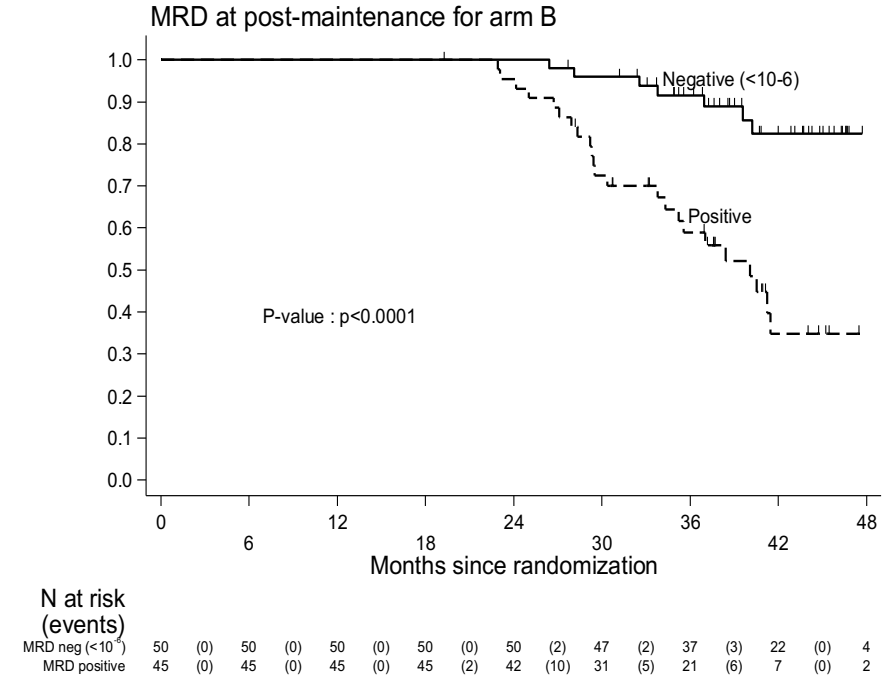


IFM/DFCI 2009 ~ PFS according to MRD Post Maintenance

RVD Arm



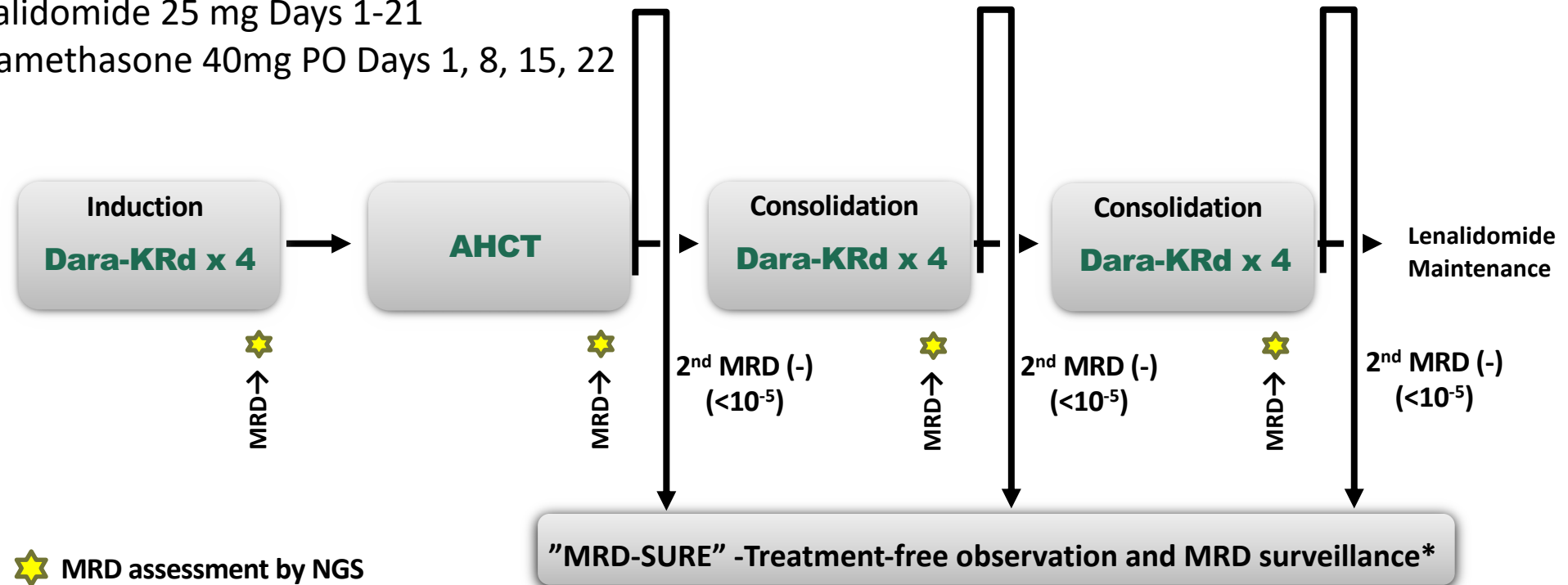
Transplant Arm





Dara-KRd

- Daratumumab 16 mg/m² days 1, 8, 15, 22 (days 1,15 C 3-6; day 1 C >6)
- Carfilzomib (20) 56 mg/m² Days 1, 8, 15
- Lenalidomide 25 mg Days 1-21
- Dexamethasone 40mg PO Days 1, 8, 15, 22



*24 and 72 weeks after completion of therapy



MASTER trial: Conclusions

- **NGS-MRD response-adapted therapy is feasible in ~96% of patients in multi center setting – 72% reaching MRD-SURE.**
- **Patients with standard and high-risk NDMM have similar depth of response and low risk of MRD resurgence or progression when treated with Dara-KRd/AHCT and MRD-adapted treatment cessation.**
- **Quadruplet therapy and achievement of confirmed MRD (-) responses enables the exploration of treatment cessation and “MRD-SURE” as alternative to continuous therapy.**

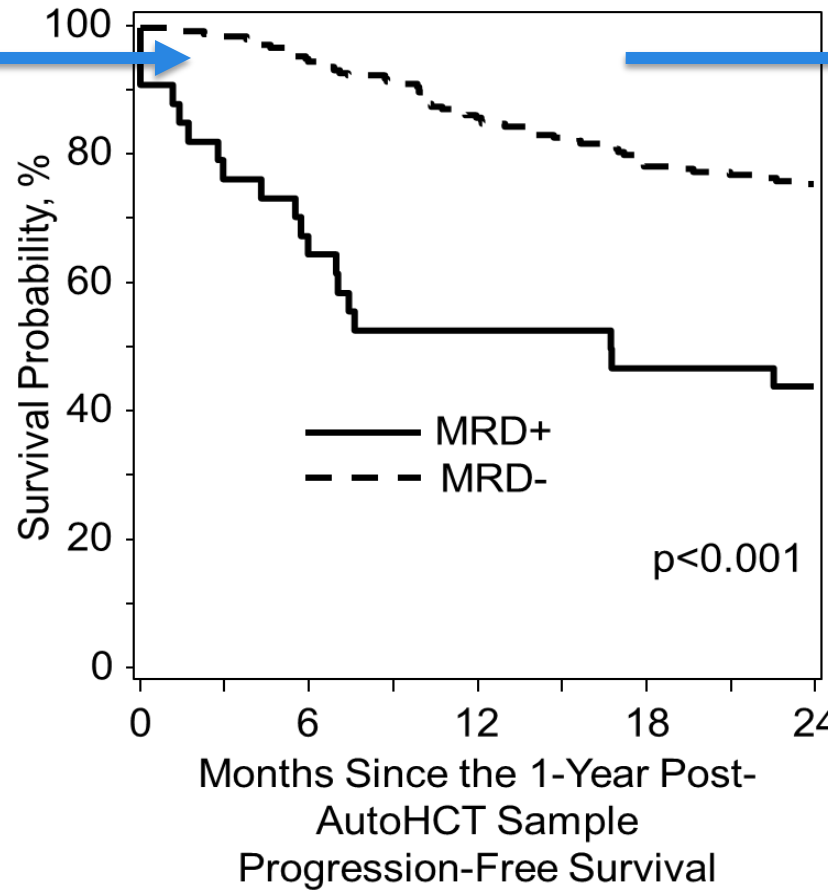
Effective novel consolidative strategies should be explored to clear MRD and improve outcomes in patients with ultra-high-risk MM



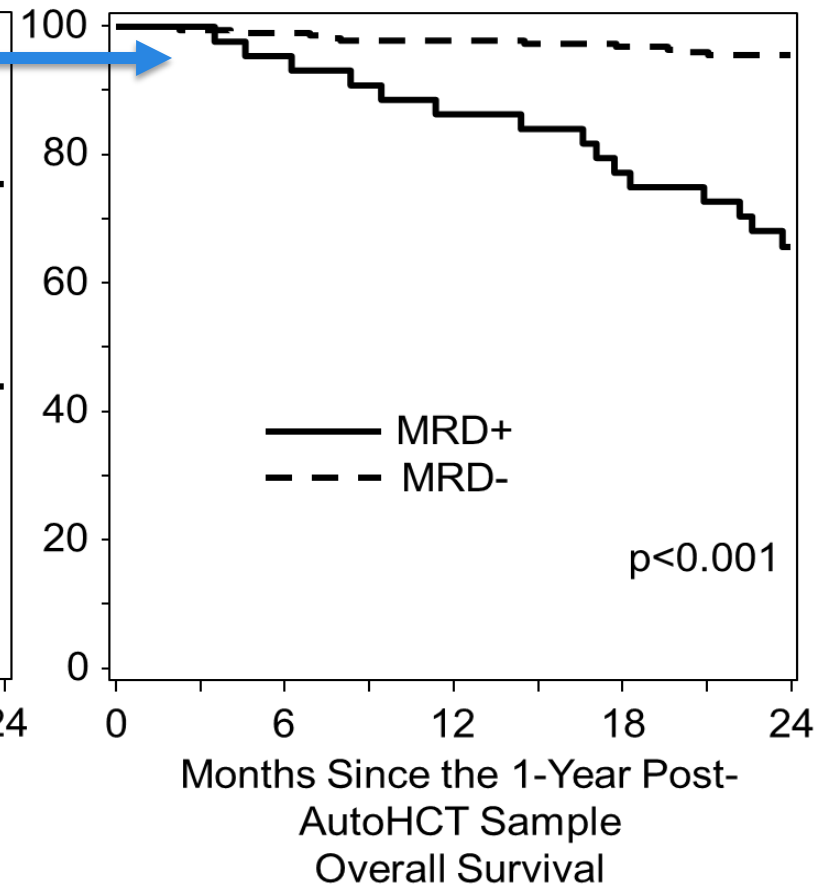
PRIMeR Results: PFS (Left) and OS (Right) by MRD Status at 1-Year

PFS

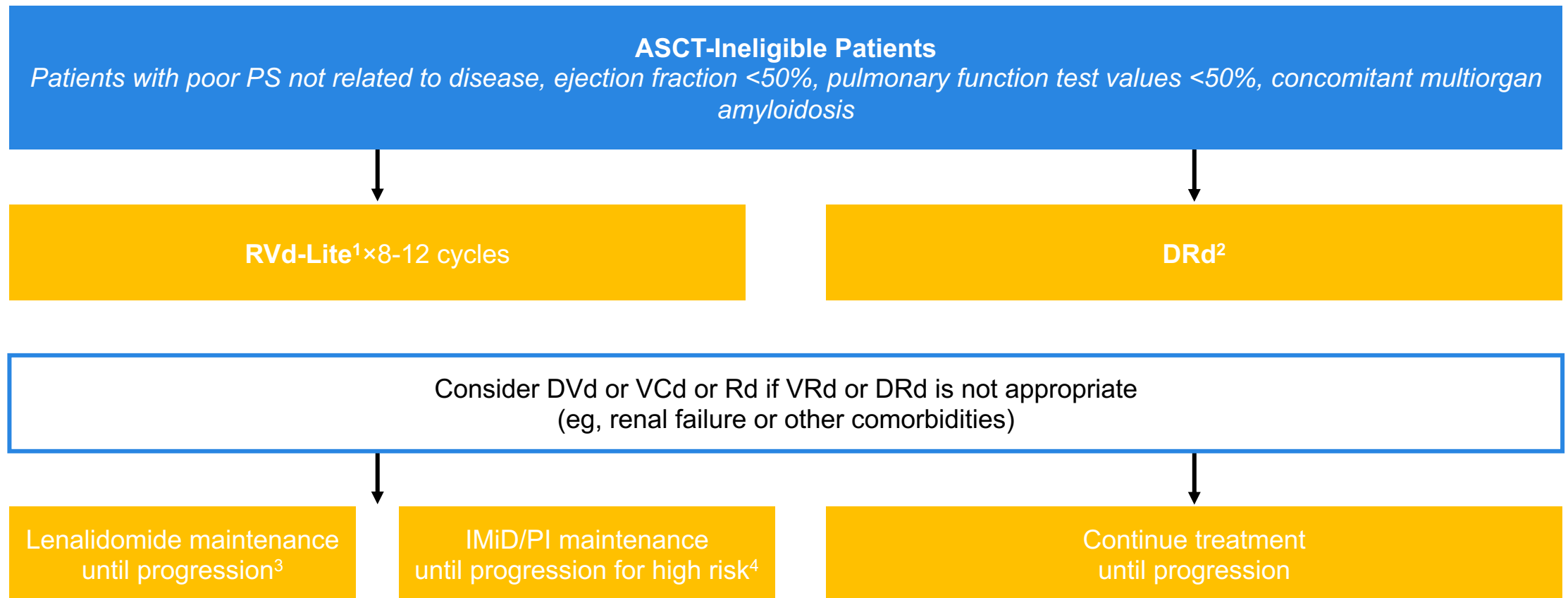
Can pre-emptive intervention make a difference?



OS



Approach to Transplant Ineligible NDMM

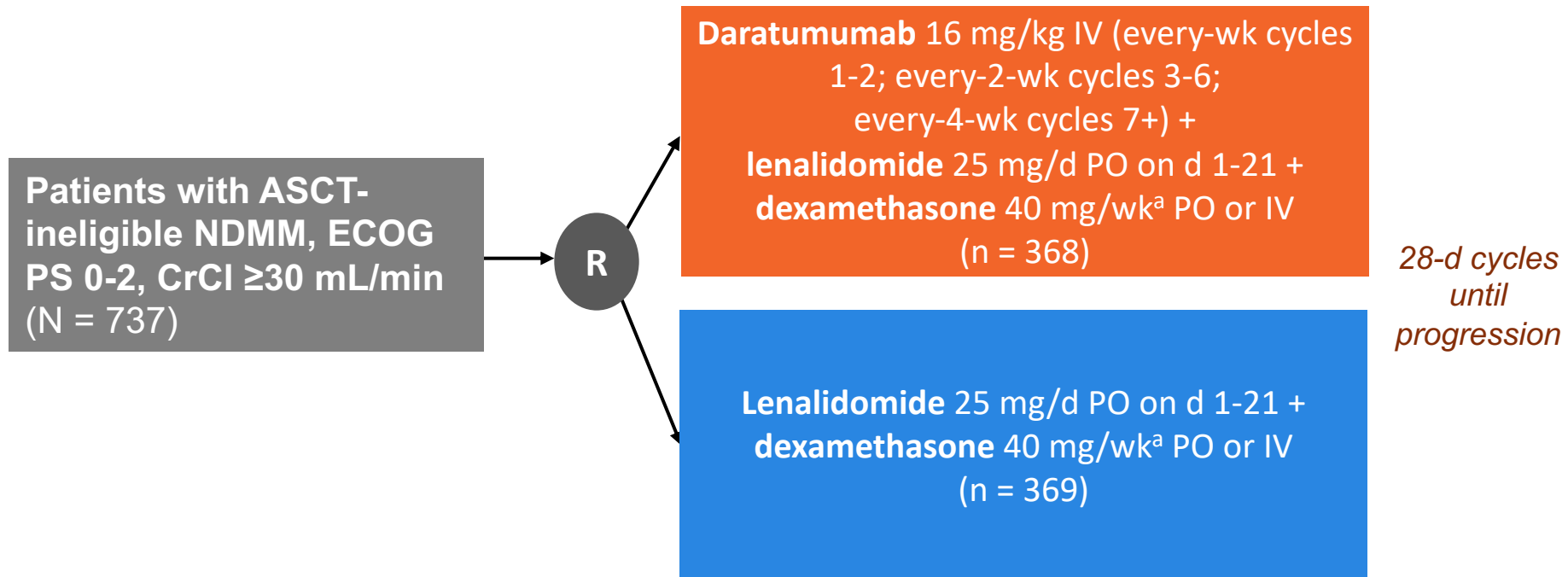


- DRd, daratumumab, lenalidomide, and dexamethasone; DVd, daratumumab, bortezomib, and dexamethasone; VRd-Lite, modified VRd regimen.
- Adjust dosing of lenalidomide based on renal function. Consider empiric age-adjusted dose reductions for all regimens, as needed.⁴
- 1. O'Donnell. Br J Haematol. 2018;182:222. 2. Facon. ASH 2018. Abstr LBA-2. 3. Larocca. ASH 2018. Abstr 305. 4. Usmani. *Lancet Haematol*. 2021 Jan;8(1):e45-e54.



Phase 3 MAIA Study: Daratumumab Plus Rd in NDMM

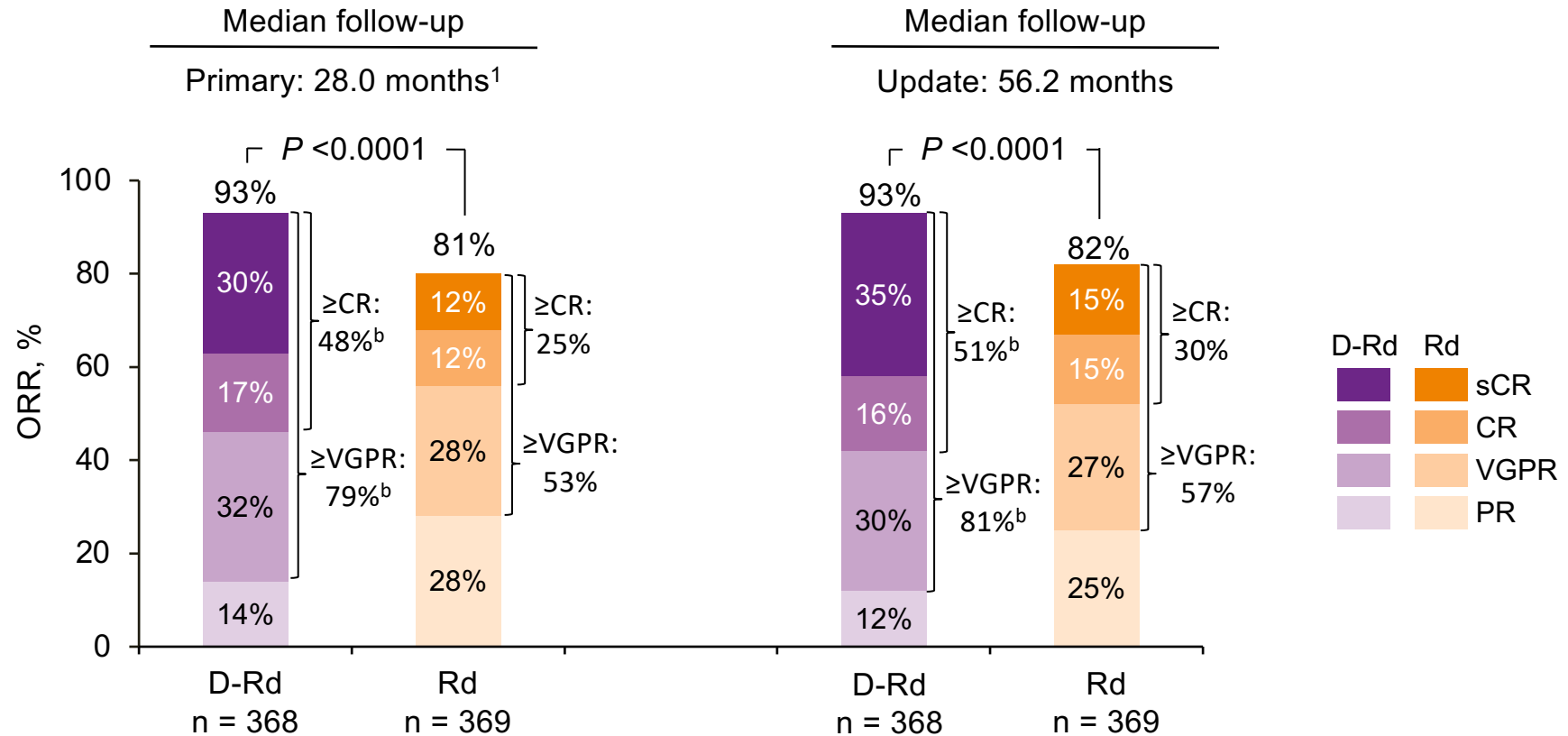
- Stratified by ISS (I vs II vs III), region (North America vs other), and age (<75 vs ≥75 y)
- **Primary endpoint:** PFS
- **Secondary endpoints:** ≥ CR rate, ≥ VGPR rate, MRD negativity, ORR, OS, and safety



^a Reduced to 20 mg/wk if aged >75 y or BMI <18.5.
Facon T et al. *N Engl J Med*. 2019;380:2104-2115.



MAIA Phase III ORR^a



- D-Rd induced deeper responses, with significantly higher rates of ≥CR and ≥VGPR, compared with Rd
- With >28 months of additional follow-up, responses deepened with continued daratumumab therapy

VGPR, very good partial response; PR, partial response; OR, odds ratio.

^aITT population. ^b $P < 0.0001$; P values were calculated from the Cochran-Mantel-Haenszel Chi-Squared test.

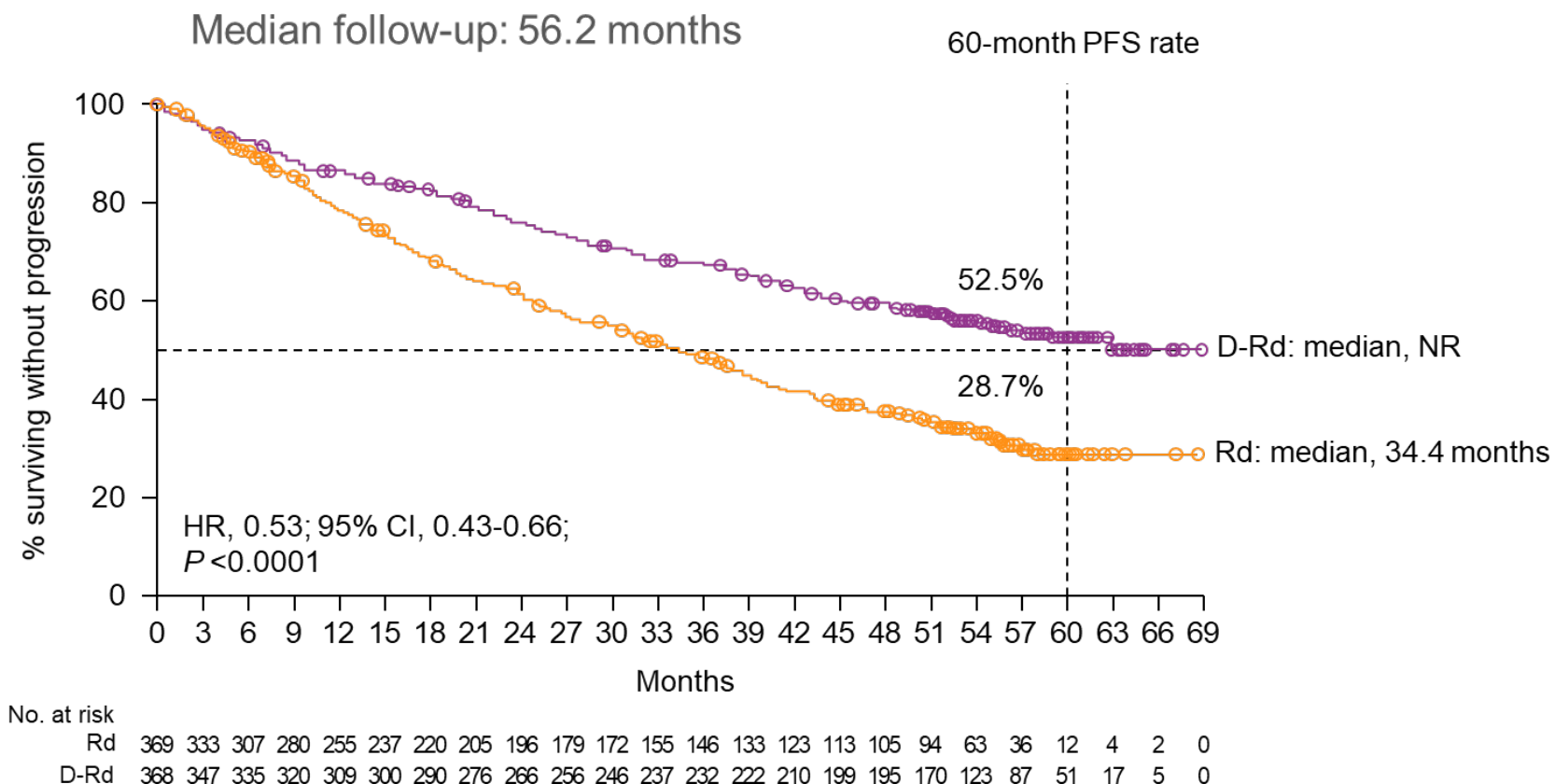
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Note: percentages may not add up to the total due to rounding.



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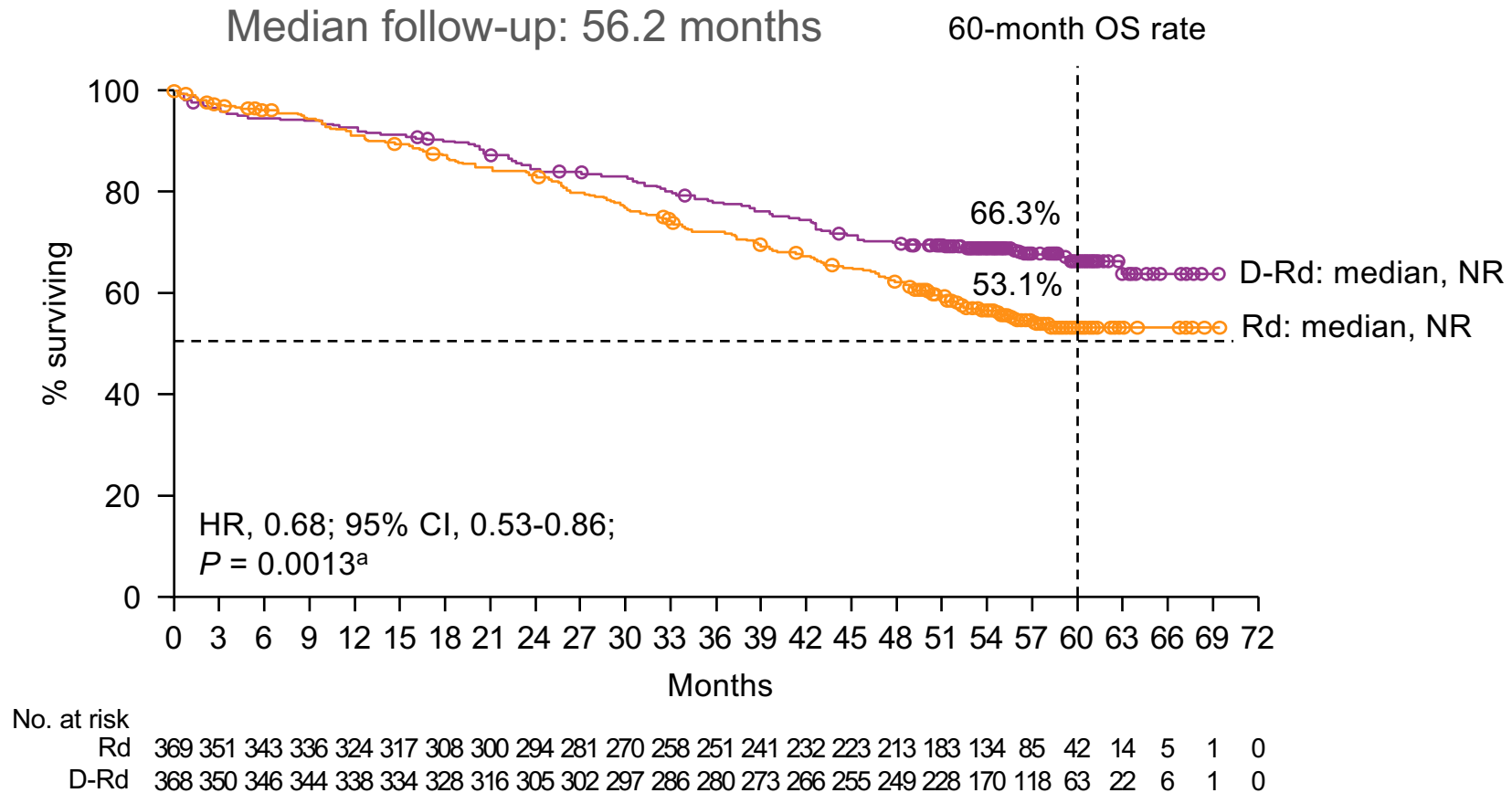
MAIA Phase III Updated PFS



- D-Rd continued to demonstrate a significant PFS benefit, with median PFS not reached with D-Rd
- These data provide a new PFS benchmark in patients with NDMM who are transplant ineligible



MAIA Phase III OS

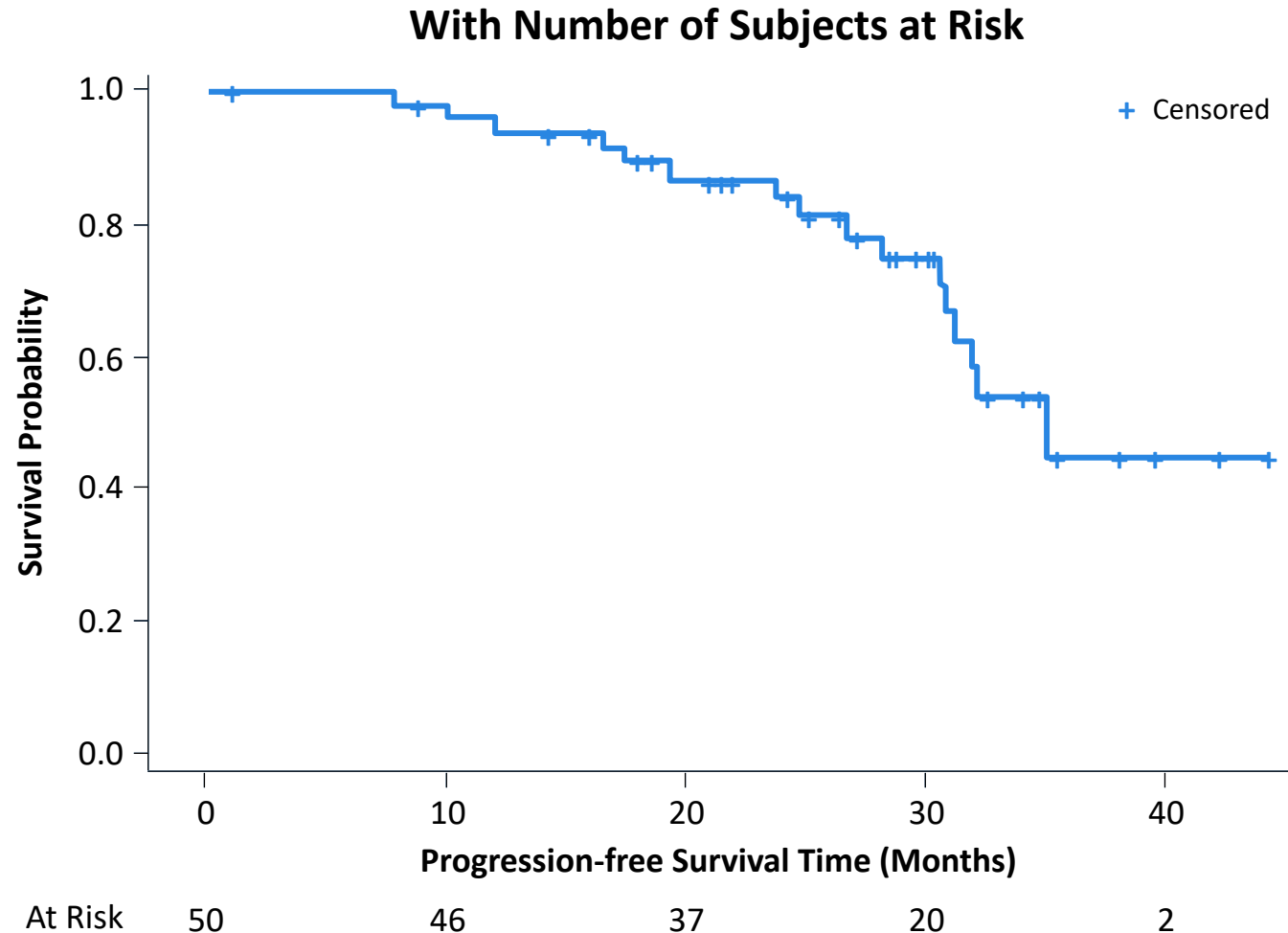


D-Rd demonstrated a significant benefit in OS, with a 32% reduction in the risk of death, in patients with NDMM who are transplant ineligible

^a $P = 0.0013$ is statistically significant, crossing the prespecified stopping boundary of $P = 0.0414$.

RVd-Lite

- Regimen (N=53)
 - Lenalidomide: 15 mg po days 1 to 21
 - Bortezomib: 1.3 mg/m² SC 1 × weekly on days 1, 8, 15, 22
 - Dexamethasone
 - If ≤75 years, 20 mg 2 × weekly
 - If >75 years, 20 mg 1 × weekly
- Results
 - 86% ORR
 - 66% ≥VGPR
 - Median PFS: 35.1 months
 - Median OS: NR
 - Median follow-up: 30 months
 - Median age: 73 years (range: 65-91)
 - PN: 62%
 - Only 1 patient had grade 3 symptoms



Clinical Take-Homes: Induction and Maintenance

ASCT-Eligible Patients

Induction/Consolidation

- **Currently:** RVd +/- Dara, KRd
- **Other options:** CyBorD, VTd +/- Dara
- **Short-term future:** Add daratumumab to all vs risk or response adapted?
- **Long-term future:** Molecularly adapted regimens for fewer cycles?

Maintenance

- **Currently:** R for standard risk; VR $\pm$ d for high risk
- **Short-term future:** Add daratumumab in MRD-driven manner—SWOG S1803
- **Long-term future:** Post-ASCT BiTE to replace maintenance $\pm$ substitution of CAR T cells for ASCT, especially in high-risk disease?



Clinical Take-Homes: Induction Therapy

Transplant-Ineligible Patients

- VRD-lite and DRd are standards of care
- Daratumumab-based combinations are FDA approved and incorporated into treatment guidelines on the basis of phase III evidence
- **Future:** RVd-Dara (CEPHEUS Phase III), Rd-Belamaf, RVd-Belamaf
- **Long-term future:** Molecularly adapted regimens for fewer cycles?





Case: MJ

What happens if she relapses?



Basic Principles When Approaching the Relapsed Patient

Assessment

- Patients age and performance status
- Type of relapse (chemical vs clinical)
- Myeloma biology (high or standard risk)
- Prior history (transplant naïve or not) – Stem cells available
- Initial remission duration >12 months or <12 months

Treatment Goals

- Minimize toxicity or Maximize efficacy?
- Eligibility for clinical trials?
- Life expectancy

Guidelines

- Depth of response is important (MRD negative CRs do better)
- Response to prior agents generally good if more than 12 months from prior exposure
- Better to change class of drugs if possible (particularly true for patients on Len maintenance)
- Combinations work better 3 drugs better than 2 drugs and likely 4 drugs better than 3
- Role of 2nd auto or allo consolidation being explored

DREAMM-6: Safety and Tolerability of Belantamab Mafodotin in Combination with Bortezomib/Dexamethasone in Relapsed/Refractory Multiple Myeloma (RRMM)

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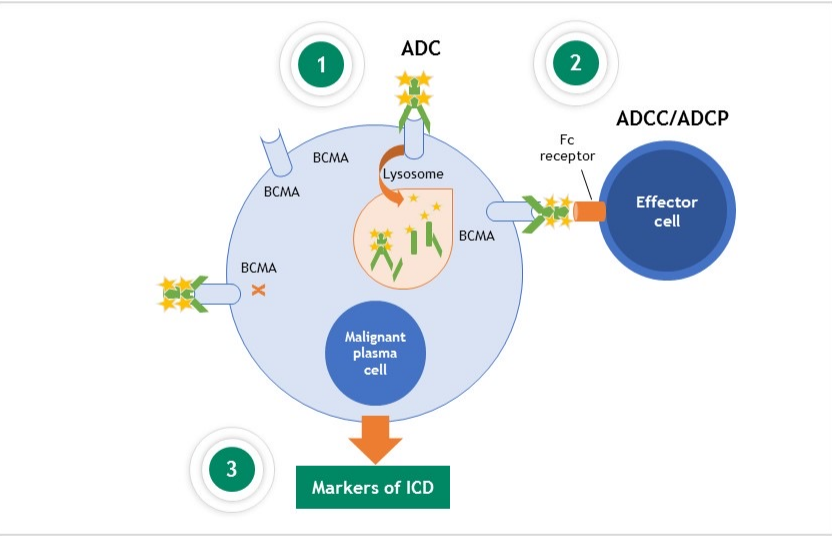
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Belamaf Is An Ideal Candidate For Use In Combination With Other Treatments

Belantamab Mafodotin (belamaf; GSK2857916) is a first-in-class anti-BCMA antibody-drug conjugate with a multimodal MoA^{1,2}

In the Phase II DREAMM-2 study, **single-agent belamaf demonstrated deep and durable responses** in patients with heavily pre-treated RRMM^{3,4*}



Outcome at 13-month follow-up	Belamaf 2.5 mg/kg (n=97)	Belamaf 3.4 mg/kg (n=99)
ORR [†] , n (%) (97.5% CI)	31 (32) (21.7-43.6)	35 (35) (24.8-47.0)
Median DoR, months (95% CI)	11.0 (4.2-NR)	6.2 (4.8-NR)
Median PFS, months (95% CI)	2.8 (1.6-3.6)	3.9 (2.0-5.8)
Median OS, months (95% CI)	14.9 (9.9-NR)	14.0 (10.0-NR)

In DREAMM-2, belamaf showed an **acceptable safety profile**^{3,4}

*Refractory to an immunomodulatory agent, a proteasome inhibitor, and refractory and/or intolerant to an anti-CD38 monoclonal antibody †Defined as partial response or better.
ADC, antibody-drug conjugate; ADCC/P, antibody-dependent cellular cytotoxicity/phagocytosis; BCMA, B-cell maturation antigen; Belamaf, belantamab mafodotin; CI, confidence interval; DoR, duration of response; DREAMM, DRIVING Excellence in Approaches to Multiple Myeloma; ICD, immunogenic cell death; MoA, mode of action; NR, not reached; ORR, overall response rate; OS, overall survival; PFS, progression free survival; RRMM, relapsed or refractory multiple myeloma
1. Tai YT et al. Blood. 2014;123:3128-38; 2. Tai YT & Anderson KC. Immunotherapy 2015; 7:1187-99; 3. Lonial S et al. Lancet Oncol 2020;21:207-21; 4. Lonial S et al. ASCO 2020 poster 436.

Bispecific Antibodies Summary (BCMA)

	Teclistamab ¹	Elranatamab ²	ABBV-383 ³	REGN5458 ⁴
Schedule	Weekly SC	Weekly SC or Q2W SC	IV q3W	Weekly IV
Patients, N	165	55	118	73
Median prior lines	5	6	5	5
Triple Class and Penta Refractory	78% and 30%	91% and NA	61% and NA	89% and 38%
Prior BCMA	No	22%	No	No
CRS, All (Gr 3/4)	72% (0.6%)	87% (0%)	54% (3%)	38% (0%)
ICANS, All (Gr 3/4)	3% (0%)	NA	2% (NA)	4% (0%)
ORR at higher doses	62%	69% 70% in prior BCMA	60%	75%
CR at higher doses	29%	Not reported	20%	16%

1. Moreau et al. Abstract #896; 2. Sebag et al. Abstract#895; 3. Kumar et al. Abstract #900; 4. Zonder et al. Abstract #160 (ASH 2021)



Bispecific Antibodies Summary (non-BCMA)

	Talquetamab ¹	Cevostamab ²
Target	GPRC5D	FcRH5
Schedule	Weekly & Q2W SC	Q3 week IV
Patients	55	161
Median prior lines	5-6	6
Prior BCMA	22%	34%
Triple Class and Penta Refractory	76% and 21%	85% and 68%
CRS, All (Gr 3/4)	75% (2%)	81% (1%)
ICANS, All (Gr 3/4)	NA	14% (0.6%)
ORR at higher doses	69%	57%
CR at higher doses	16%	8%
Other notable AEs	Skin, nail, taste changes	

1. Krishnan et al. Abstract # 158; 2. Trudel et al. Abstract #157 (ASH 2021)



Bispecific Antibodies Summary (Combinations)

	Talquetamab+ Daratumumab ¹	Teclistamab + Daratumumab ²
Target	GPRC5D + CD38	BCMA + CD38
Schedule	Weekly & Q2W SC	Weekly & Q2W SC
Patients	29	37
Median prior lines	6	5
Prior BCMA	55%	19%
CD38 refractory	66%	60%
Triple Class and Penta Refractory	52% and 31%	54% and 19%
CRS, All (Gr 3/4)	55% (0%)	65% (0%)
ICANS, All (Gr 3/4)	3% (3%)	3% (0%)
ORR	81%	82%
CR	19%	27%

1. Chari et al. Abstract #161; 2. Rodriguez-Otero et al. Abstract #1647.



BCMA CAR T: Summary

	CARTITUDE-1 ¹ Cilta-cel Phase 1/2	CRB-401 ² Ide-cel Phase 1	KarMMa ³ Ide-cel Phase 2	LUMMICAR-2 ⁴ Zivo-Cel Phase 1b	PRIME ⁵ P-BCMA-101 Phase 1/2	GC012F ⁶ Dual CAR-T BCMA+CD19
Patients	97	62	128	20	55	19
Median prior regimens	6	6	6	5	8	5
Triple refractory, %	87.6%	69.4%	84.0%	85%	60%	95%
CAR-T dose	0.71×10 ⁶ (range 0.5– 0.95×10 ⁶)	50, 150, 450 and 800 x 10 ⁶	150, 300, 450 x10 ⁶	1.5-1.8/2.5-3.0 x10 ⁸	0.75-15 x10 ⁶	1.0-3.0 x10 ⁵
ORR	97.9%	75.8%	50%/69%/82.0%	94.0%	67% ^b	94.7%
CR/sCR	82.5%	38.7%	25%/29%/39%	28%	NR	84.2%
PFS	61% at 2 yrs Median PFS NR	Median PFS 8.8m	12m @450mil			
CRS, all grades	94.8%	75.8%	50%/76%/96%	77%/83% ^a	17%	95%
CRS, grade 3/4	4%	6.5%	0/7%/6%	0%	0%	11%
Neurotoxicity, all grades	20.6%	35.5%	0/17%/20%	15%/17% ^a	3.8%	0%
Neurotoxicity, grade 3/4	10.3%	1.6%	0/1%/6%	8%/0 ^a	3.8%	0%

1. Martin et al., ASH 2021: Abstract 549; 2. Lin et al., ASH 2020: Abstract 131;
3. Anderson et al., ASCO 2021: Abstract 130; 4. Kumar et al., ASH 2020: Abstract 133;
5. Costello et al., ASH 2020: Abstract 134; 6. Jiang et al., ASCO 2021: Abstract 8014



BCMA CAR T: Summary

	ALLO-715 ¹	BB21217 ²	Fred-Hutch ³
Key feature	Allogeneic CAR-T	Co-culture with PI3 Kinase inhibitor	BCMA CAR-T + Gamma Secretase Inhibitor
Patients	43	72	18
Median prior lines	5	6	10
CRS, All (Gr 3/4/5)	56% (2%)	75% (4%)	94% (28%)
ICANS, All (Gr 3/4)	14% (0%)	15% (4%)	Not reported
ORR at higher doses	71%	74%	89%
CR at higher doses	25%	39%	44%
PFS	Not reported, DoR: 8.3 m	Not reported, DoR: 23.8m	11 months (2 m with prior BCMA)

1. Mailankody et al. Abstract #651; 2. Raje et al. Abstract #548; 3. Cowan et al. Abstract #551 (ASH 2021)

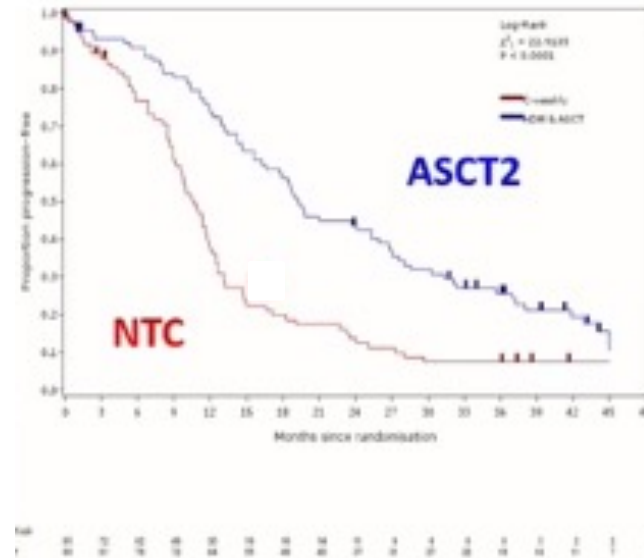
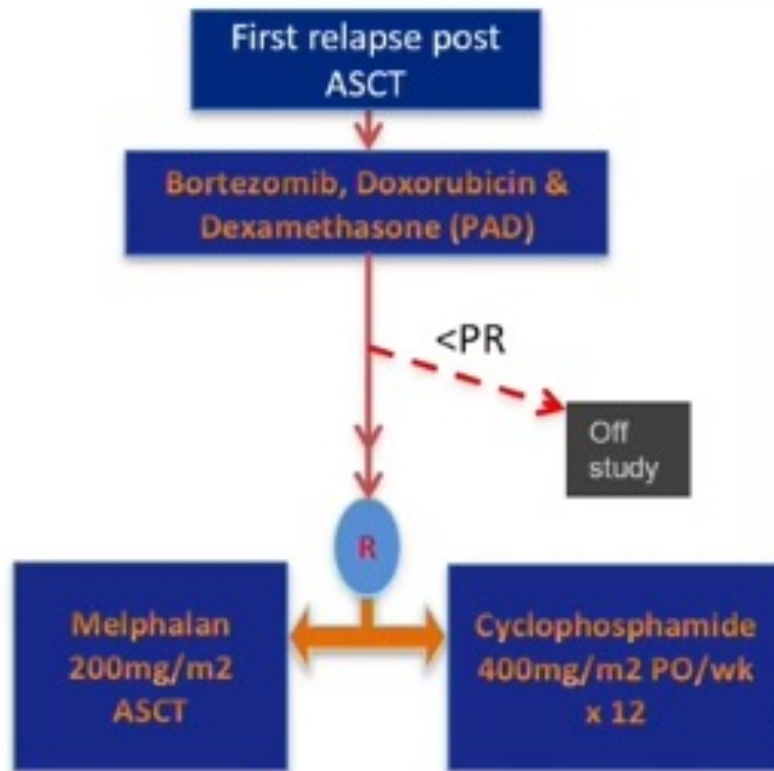




Role of Salvage Auto and Allo HCT in Myeloma

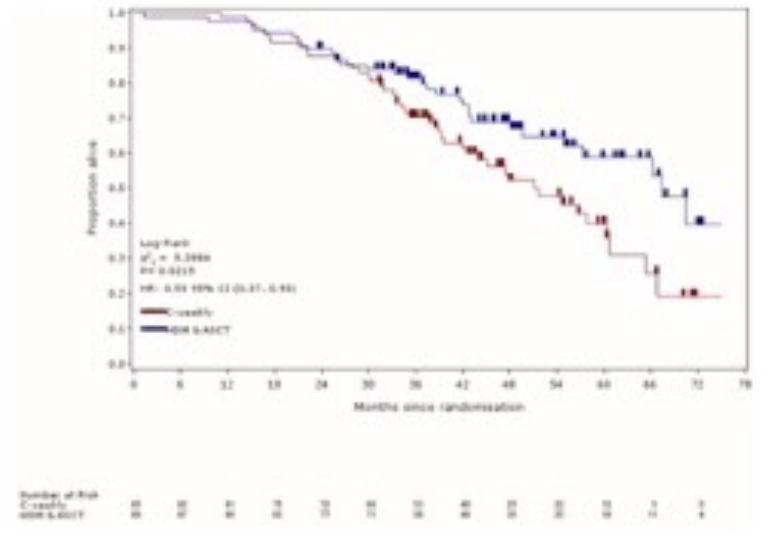


Salvage ASCT for first relapse: Myeloma X



Median TTP:

ASCT2 19 months [95% CI 16,26] NTC 11 months [95% CI 9,12]

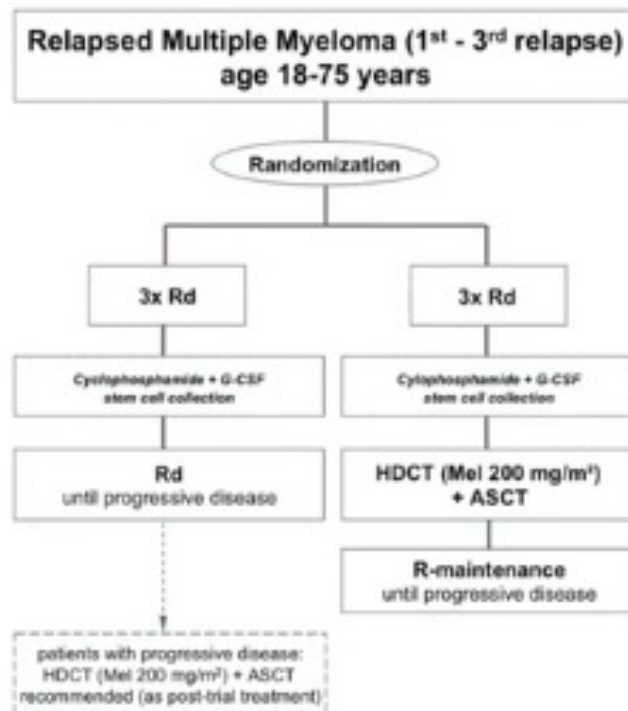


Median overall survival:

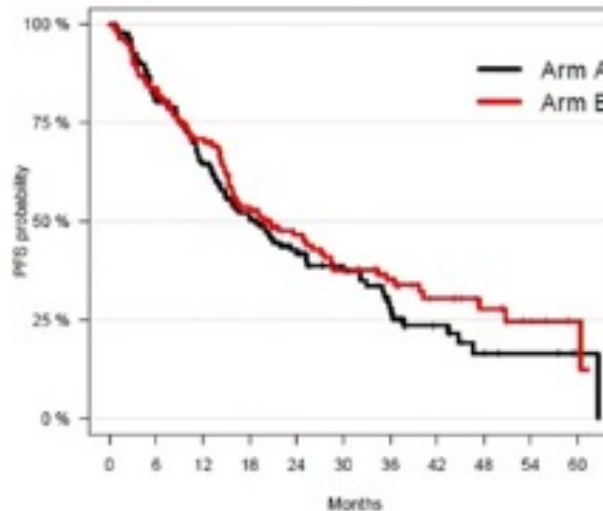
ASCT2 67 months (95% CI 55, ∞) NTC 52 months (95% CI 42,60)

Salvage ASCT for relapse: GMMG study

GMMG ReLapsE study



PFS



PFS (183 events)

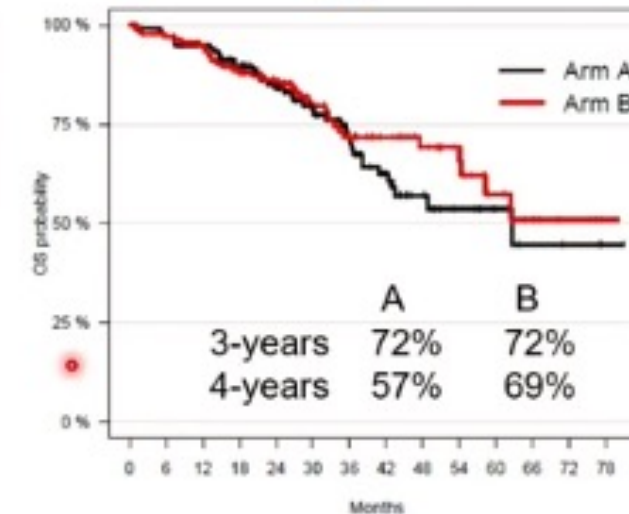
Median (months)

Arm A 18.8

Arm B 20.7

HR=0.87
p=0.34

OS



OS (76 events)

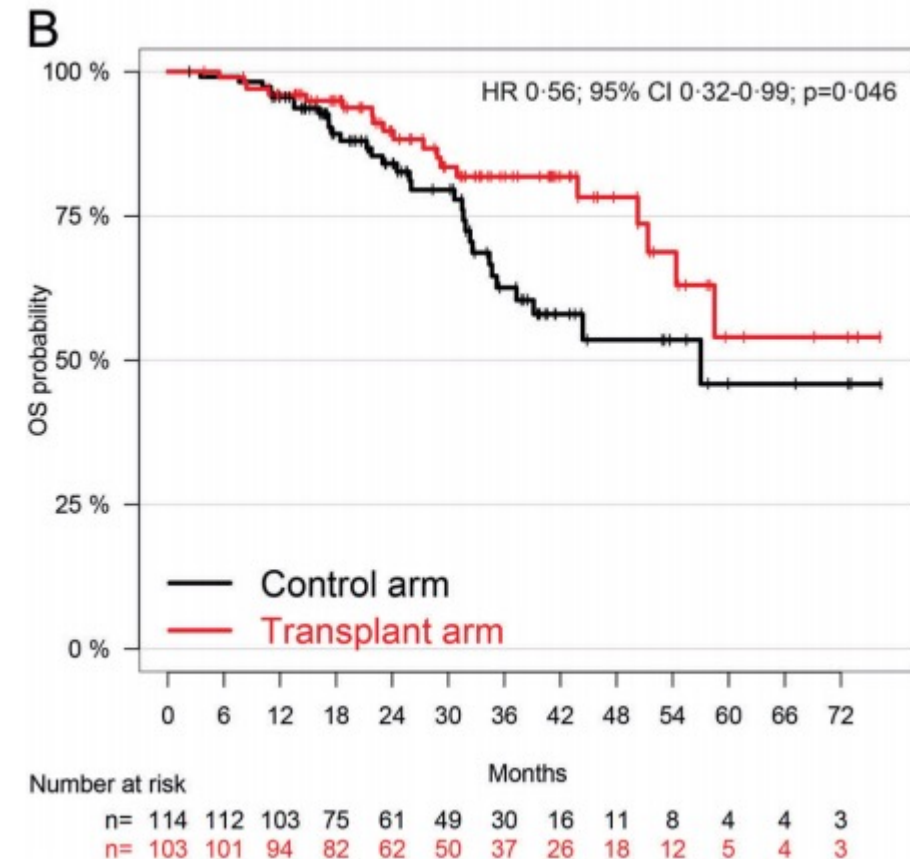
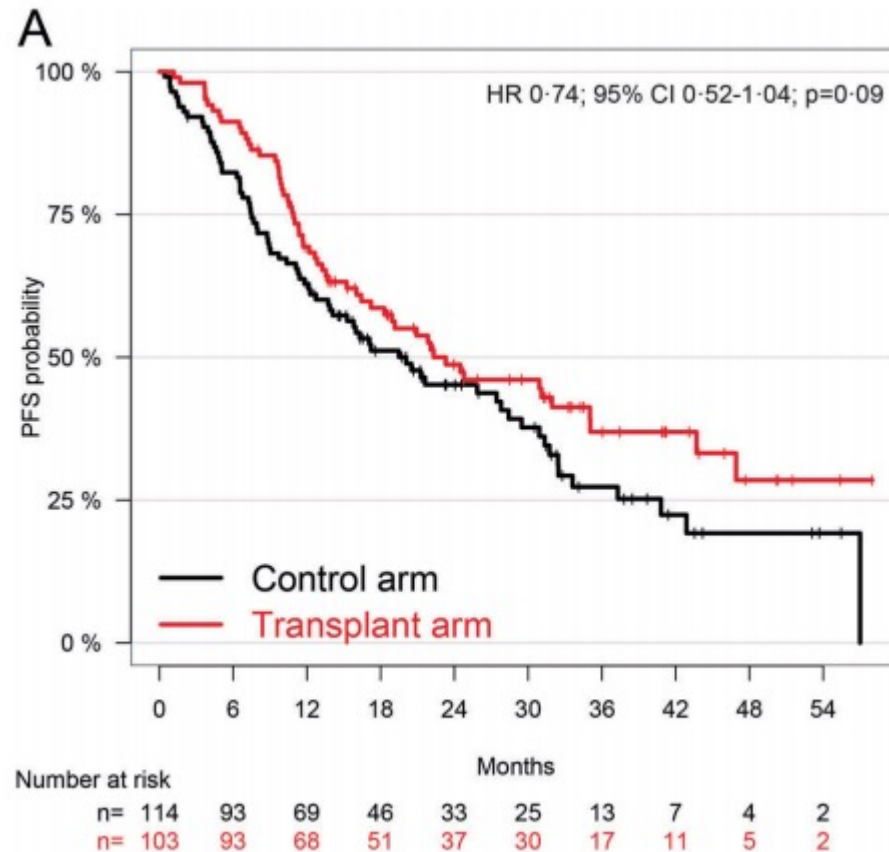
Median (months)

Arm A 62.65

Arm B not reached

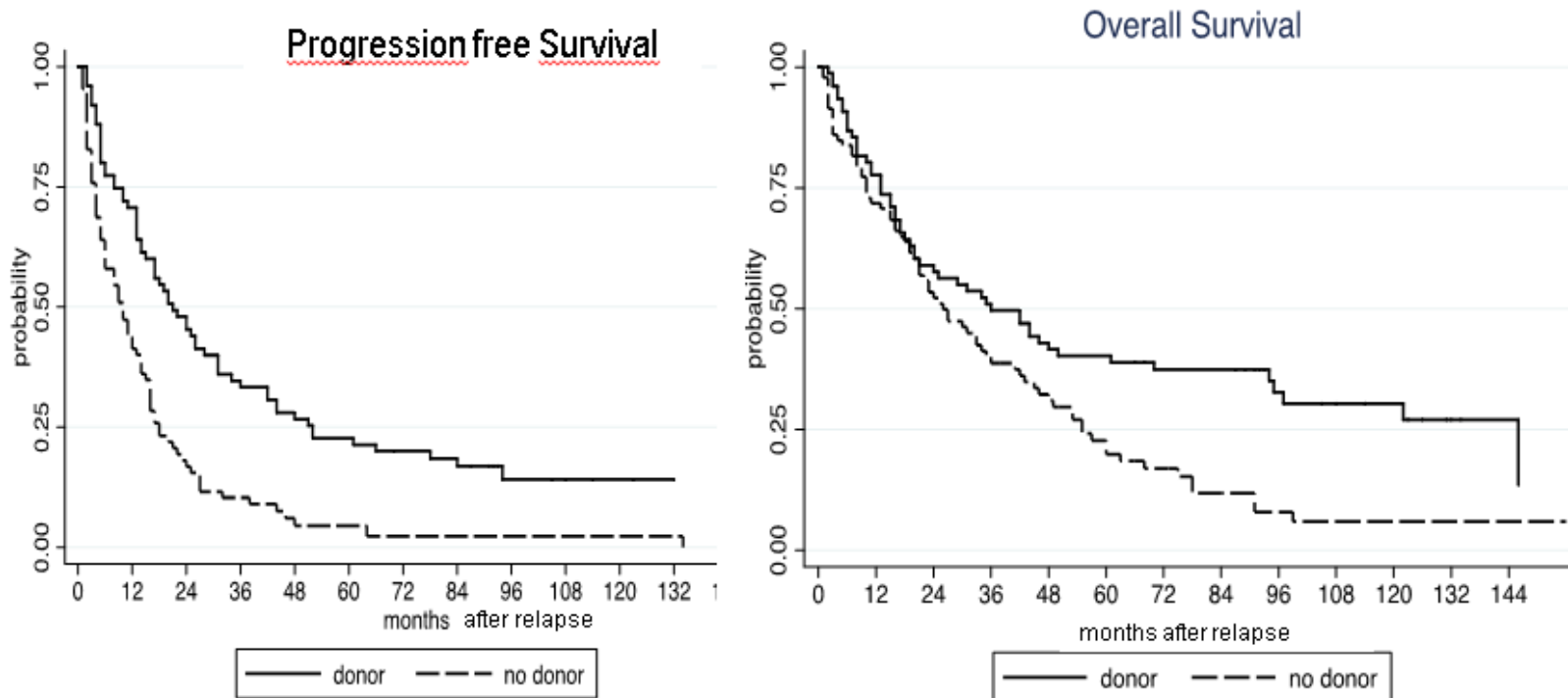
HR=0.81
p=0.37

Progression-free (PFS) and overall survival (OS) landmark analysis from high-dose chemotherapy (HDCT; transplant arm) and Rd cycle 5 (control arm)



Kaplan–Meier curves are shown for a PFS (log-rank $p = 0.09$) and b OS (log-rank $p = 0.046$)

LONG TERM FOLLOW-UP OF A DONOR VERSUS NO DONOR COMPARISON IN MULTIPLE MYELOMA PATIENTS AT FIRST RELAPSE AFTER PREVIOUS AUTOTRANSPLANT



Patriarca F. et al,
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Myeloma Spaces and Therapeutic Options

Newly Diagnosed

**Non Transplant
Eligible Frail**

Dara based (DVd; DRd)
RVD lite
Goal Disease Control
with minimum toxicity

**Transplant
Eligible
Standard Risk**

Dara based (DVd; DRd)
RVD/KRD
CyBOR D if CKI
Dara KRD / Dara RVD

**Transplant
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Major response
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2nd Auto
Allo in younger
patients with short
remissions
Clinical Trials

Triple Refractory Penta Exposed

Clinical Trials
BCMA Targeted
Therapy
Belantemab
CART cells
IdeCel / Siltacel

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Conclusions

- The diagnosis, work up and treatment of myeloma has changed dramatically over the last 10 years.
- The therapeutic goal is to obtain deep remissions that translate into improved PFS and OS
- With combination therapy of IMiDS, PIs, MoAbs, BITEs, autologous and allogeneic HCT as well as CAR T cells long term disease control and cures will be achievable in a substantial proportion of patients with MM.



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