

Updates in Chronic Lymphocytic Leukemia



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Sequencing Targeted CLL Therapies

cBTki----- Alternative cBTki if intolerance						BCL2i+CD20				ncBTki				
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BCL2i+CD20						BCL2i+CD20					cBTki			
BCL2i+CD20						cBTki					ncBTki			
Years	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
BCL2i+cBTki						cBTki						ncBTki		
BCL2i+cBTki						BCL2i+cBTk						ncBTki		

cBTKi = covalent BTKi
ncBTKi = non-covalent

Double exposed vs double refractory

- Exposed ≠ refractory
- Refractory= progression on treatment

Faculty's opinion.

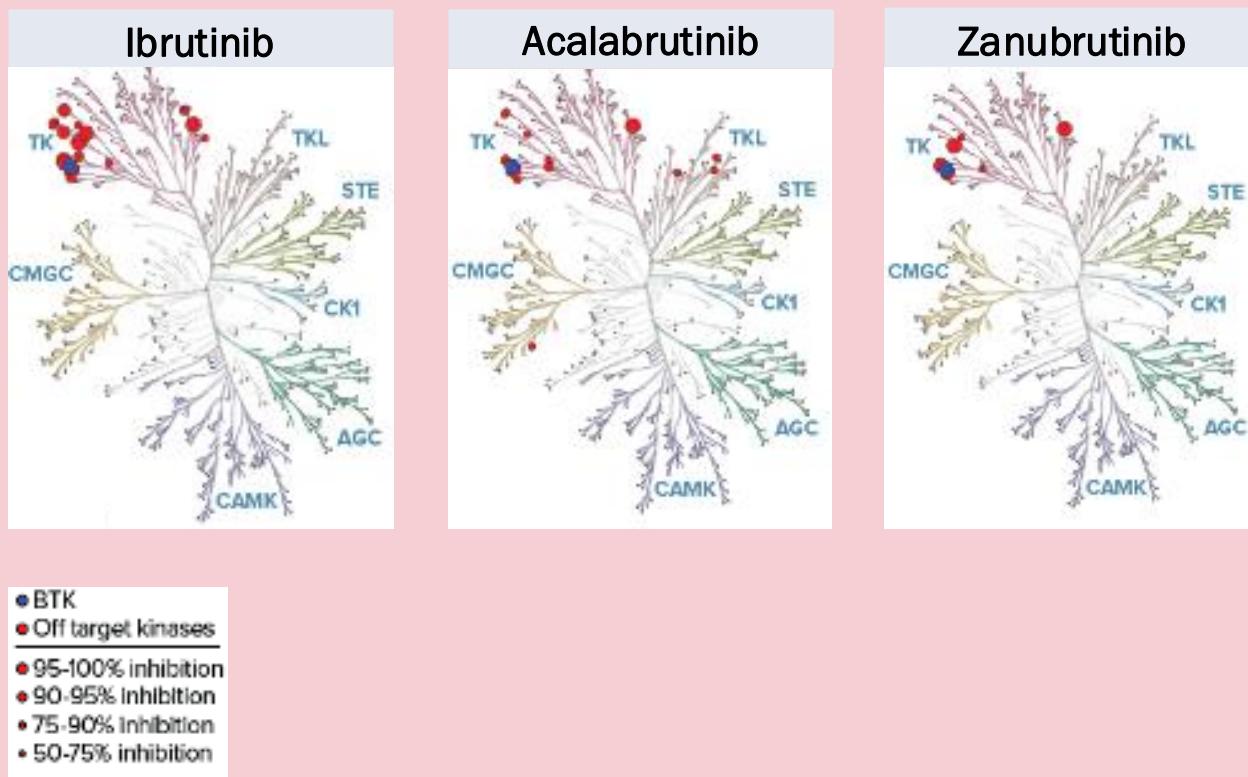
Continuous Therapy vs Fixed Duration



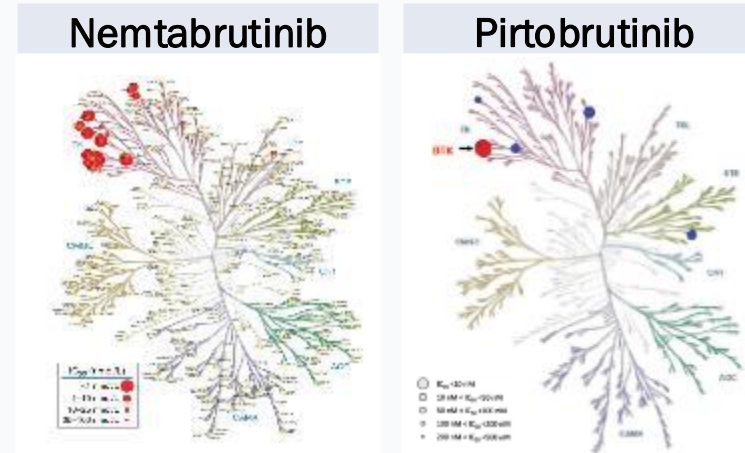
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Several Covalent BTKi to Consider with Differences in BTKi Specificity, MOA, and Potential for Off-Target Effects

Covalent



Noncovalent

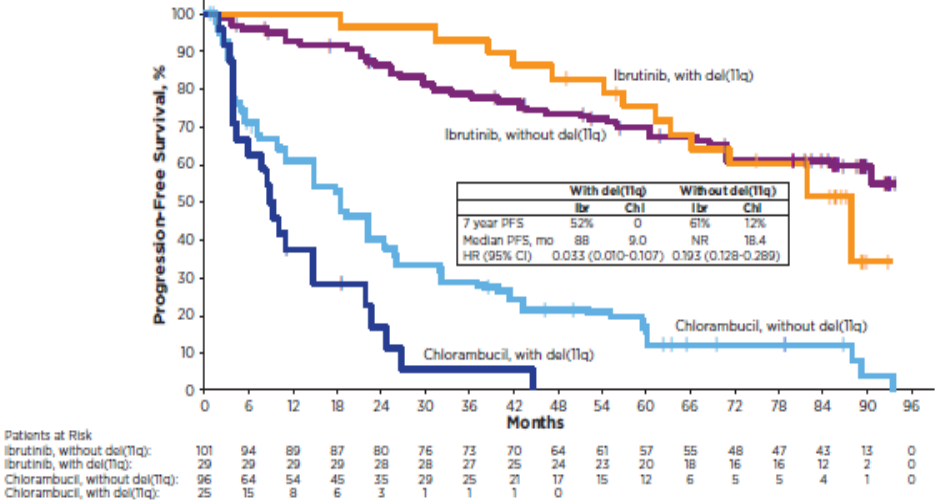
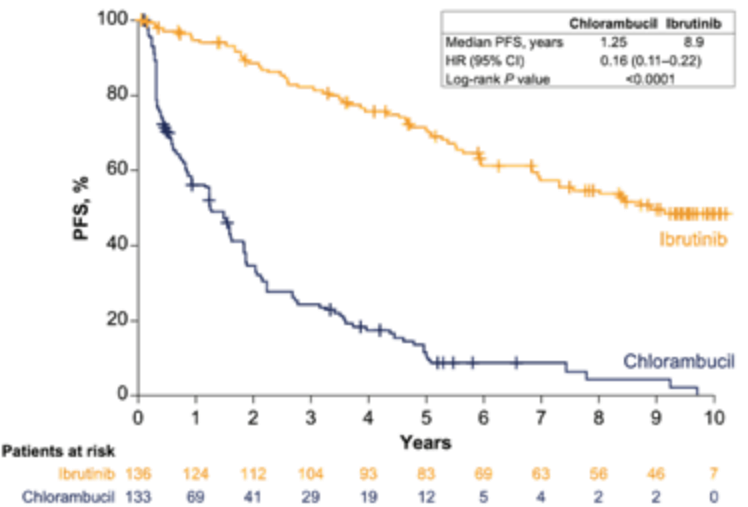


MOA = mechanism of action.

Shadman M, et al. *Lancet Haematol.* 2023;10(1):e35-e45. Reiff SD, et al. *Cancer Discov.* 2018;8(10):1300-1315. Brandhuber B, et al.

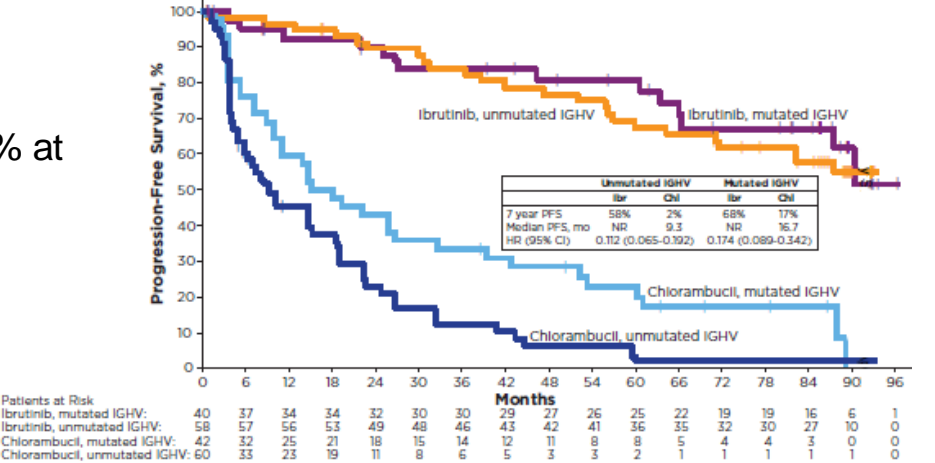
Presented at: Society of Hematologic Oncology (SOHO) Sixth Annual Meeting; Sep 12-25, 2018; Houston, TX. CLL-200.

RESONATE-2: Median PFS Reached at 8.9 Years



	Ibrutinib n=136
Median duration of ibrutinib treatment, years	6.2
Continuing ibrutinib on study, n (%)	57 (42)
Discontinued ibrutinib, n (%)	
AE	32 (24)
PD	18 (13)
Death	12 (9)
Withdrawal by patient	9 (7)
Investigator decision	7 (5)

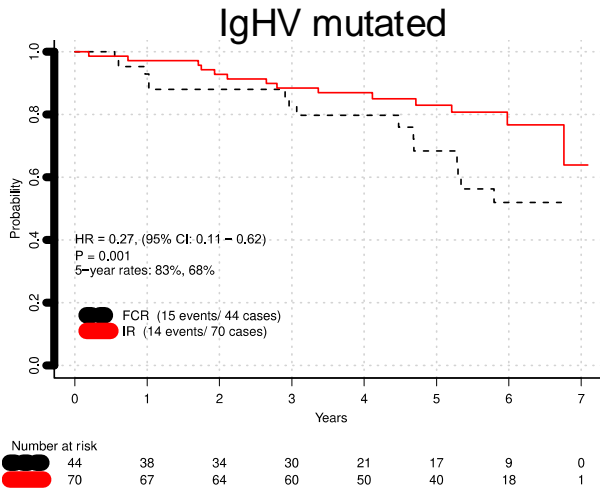
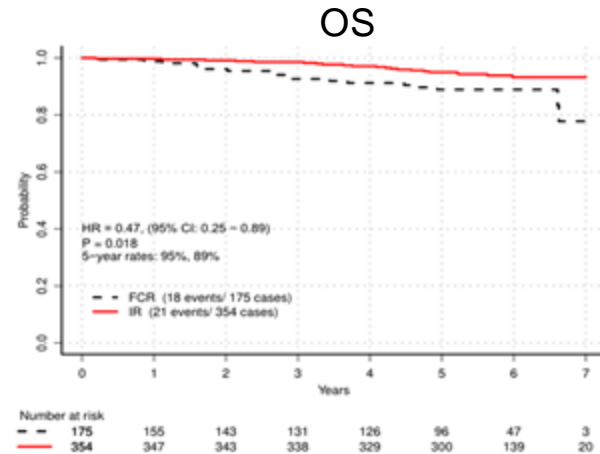
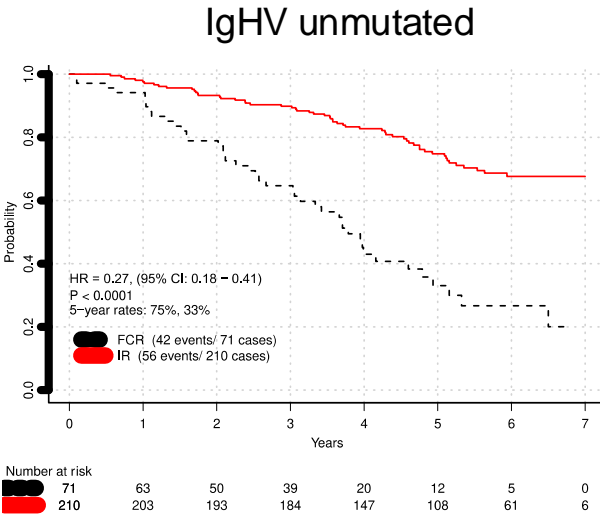
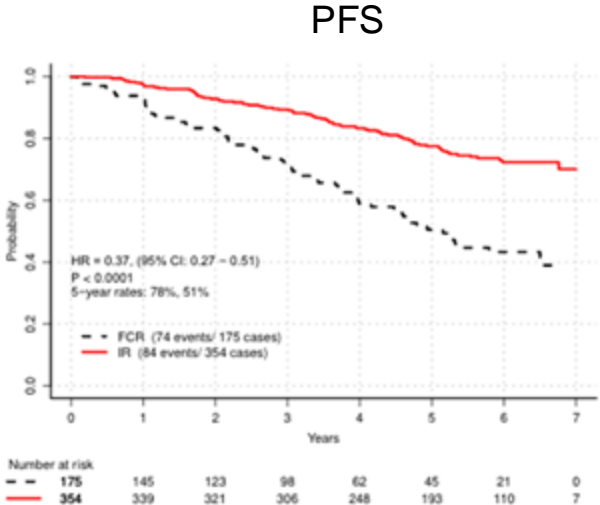
PFS with ibrutinib: 59% at 84 mo



PFS = progression free survival; AE = adverse event; PD = progressive disease.
Barr PM, et al. *Blood Adv.* 2022;6(11):3440-3450. Burger J, et al. Presented at: European Hematology Association (EHA); June 13, 2024; Madrid, Spain. P1841.

E1912: 5 Years Updated PFS, OS by IGHV Status

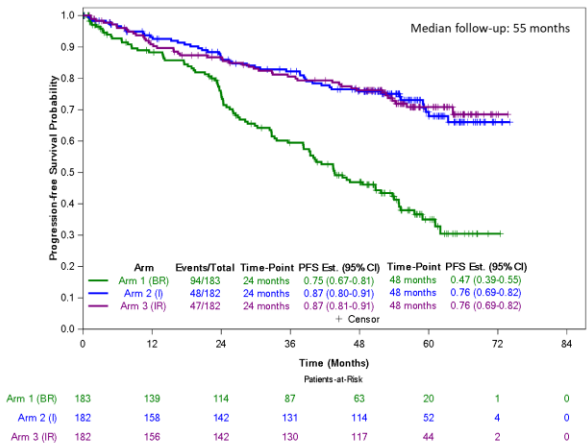
Reason for Discontinuation	All Patients Who Started IR N=352
Progression or death	37 (10.5%)
Adverse event or complication	77 (21.9%)
Other reason*	24 (6.8%)



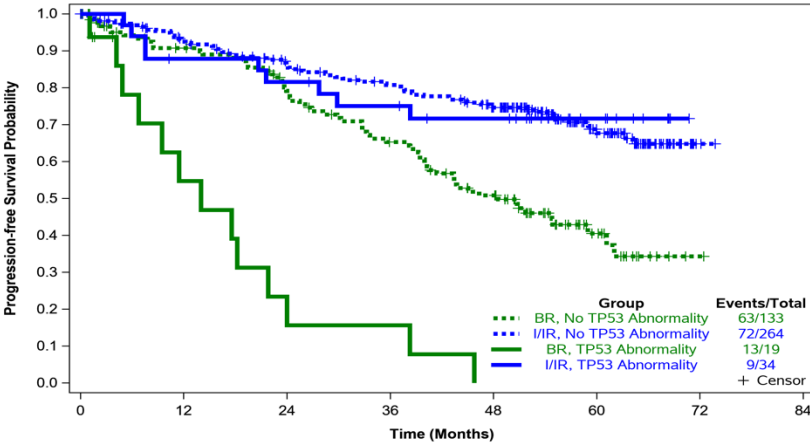
OS = overall survival; FCR = fludarabine, cyclophosphamide, rituximab; IR = ibrutinib, rituximab.
Shanafelt TD, et al. *Blood*. 2022;140(2):112-120.

A041202: First-Line Ibrutinib ± Rituximab vs Bendamustine + Rituximab in Older Patients with CLL/SLL

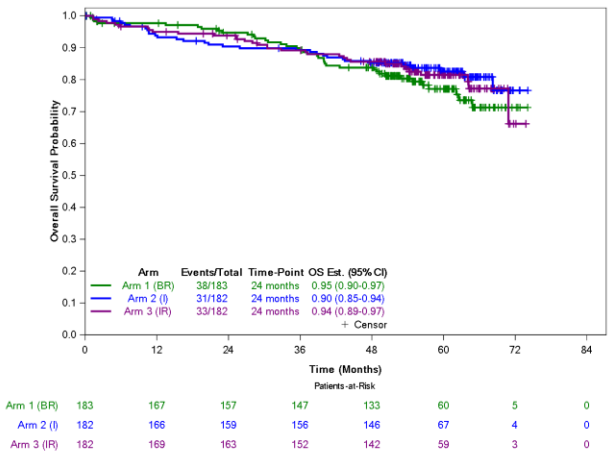
PFS



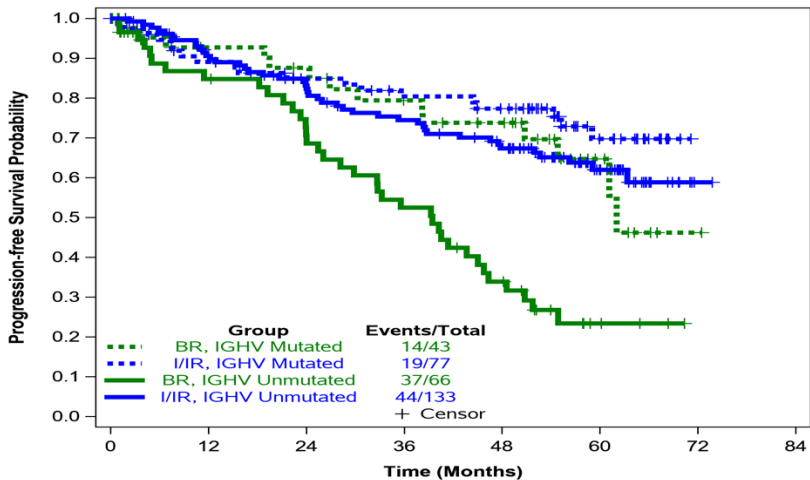
TP53



OS

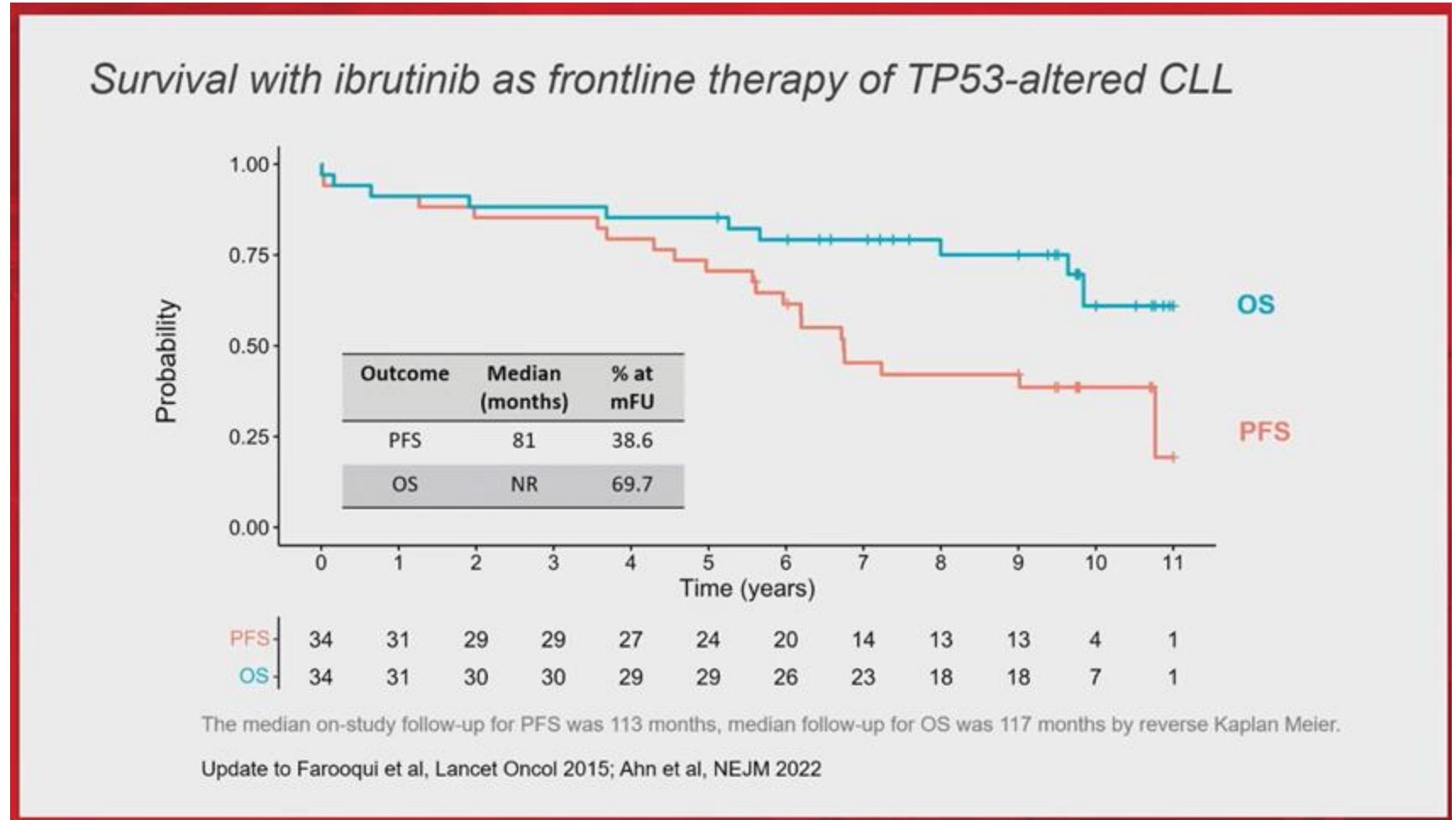


IGHV

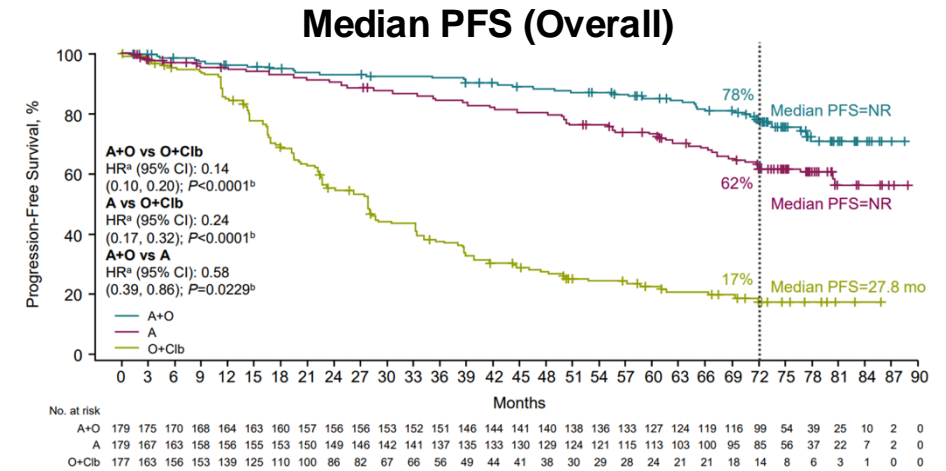
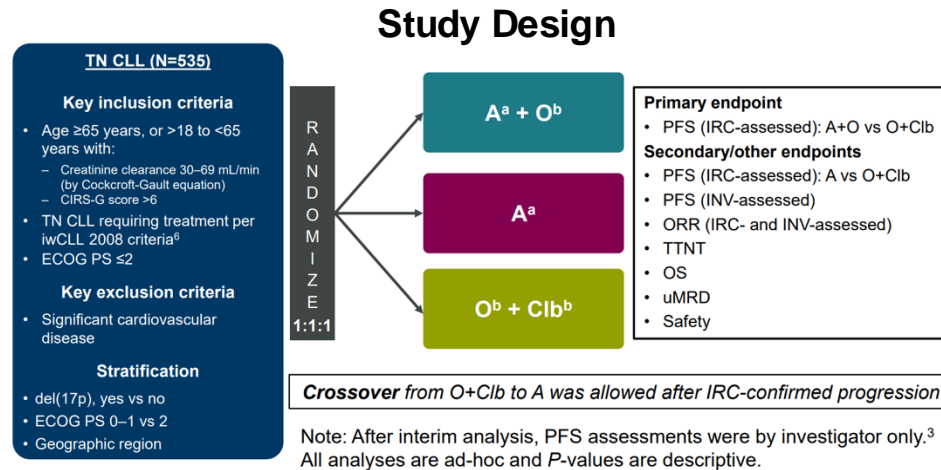


PFS and OS in TP53 Altered, Treatment-Naïve CLL

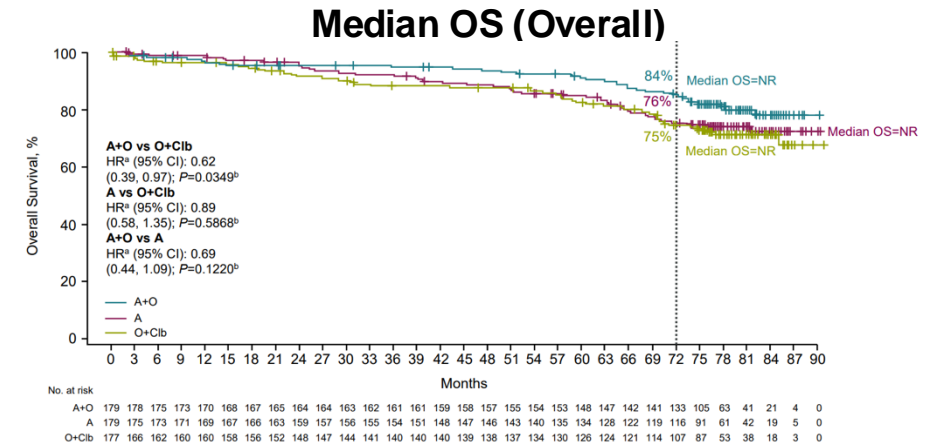
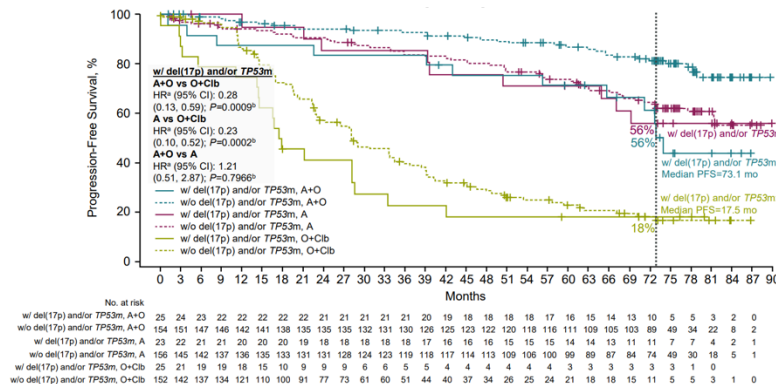
- OS at 117 months (~10 years) was 69.7%
- mPFS was 81 months (~7 years)



ELEVATE-TN: 6-Year Follow-Up Results



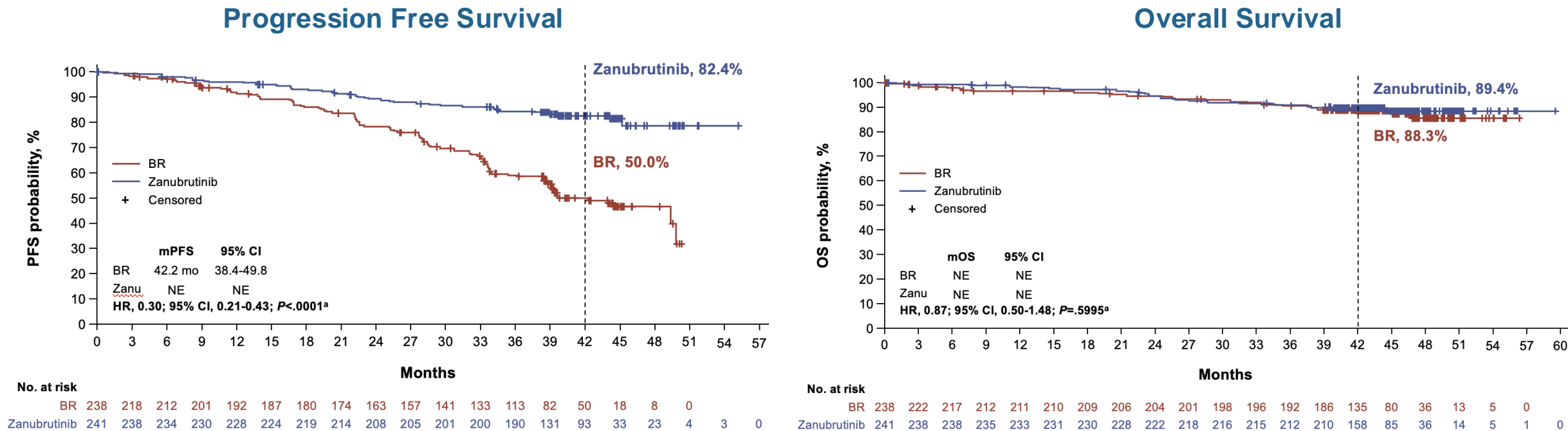
Median PFS (del[17p] and/or TP53 Mutation)



ECOG = Eastern Cooperative Oncology Group; IRC = independent review committee; INV = investigator; ORR = objective response rate; TTNT = time to next treatment; uMRD = undetectable minimal residual disease.

Sharman JP, et al. Presented at: ASH; December 10, 2023; San Diego, CA. 636. Itsara A, et al. Presented at ASH; December 9, 2023; San Diego, CA. 201.

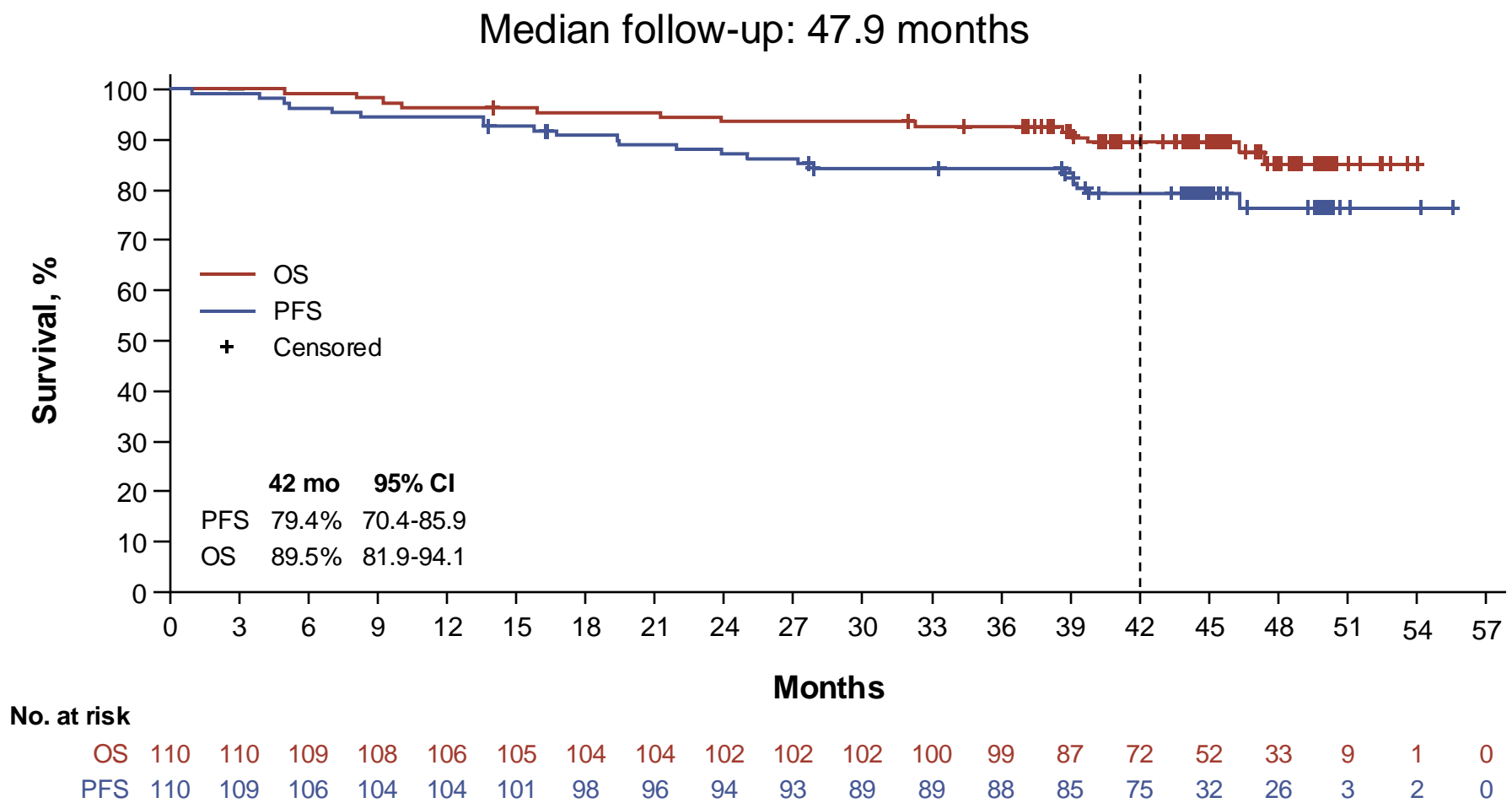
SEQUOIA Cohort 1: PFS and OS in Patients without del(17p)



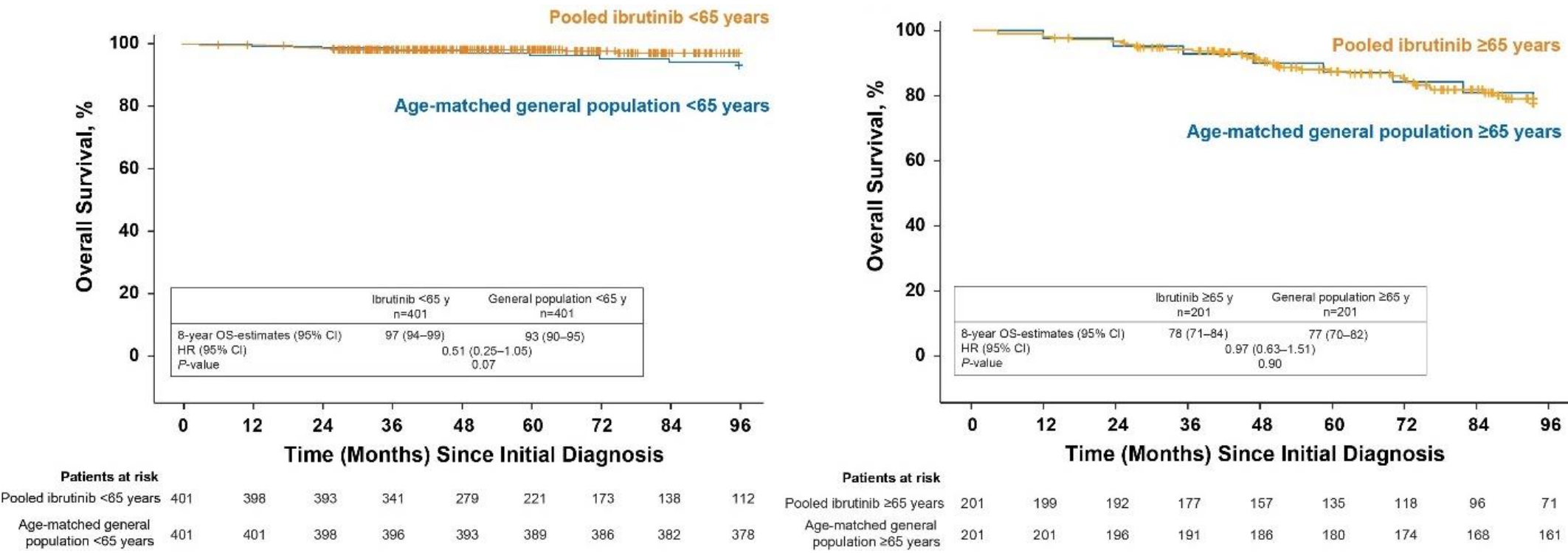
Median follow-up: 43.7 months

BR = bendamustine, rituximab; NE = not evaluated.
Shadman JP, et al. Presented at: 17th International Conference on Malignant Lymphoma (ICML); June 13-17, 2023; Lugano, Switzerland. 154.

SEQUOIA Cohort 1: PFS and OS in Patients with del(17p)

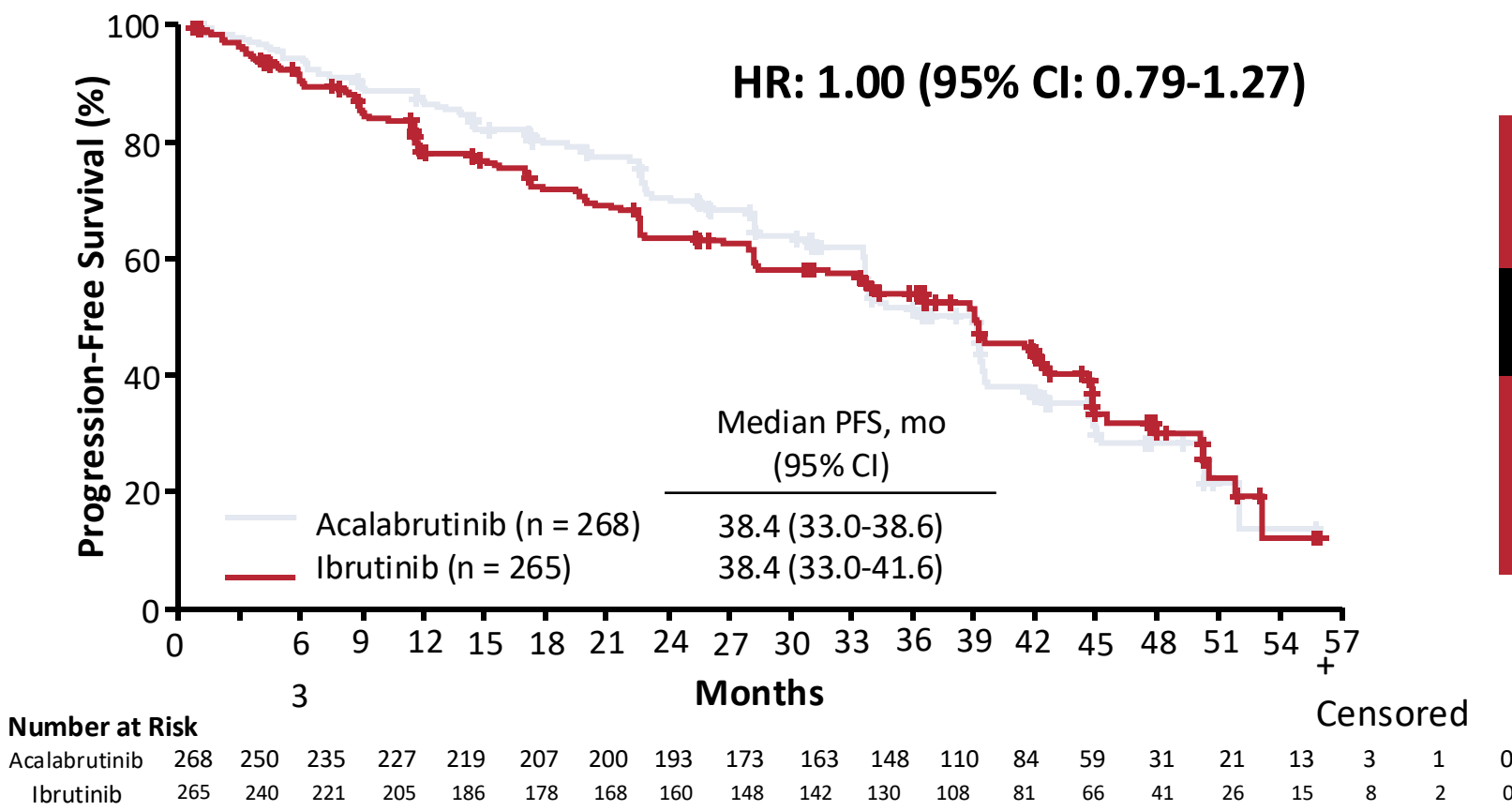


Patients with CLL Treated with Continuous BTKi Are Living Longer, therefore QoL Becomes Paramount when Selecting Treatment



ELEVATE-RR: Noninferiority Met on IRC-Assessed PFS

- Noninferiority met on IRC-assessed PFS



Median follow-up: 41 months

	Acalabrutinib (n = 268)	Ibrutinib (n = 265)
Events, n (%)	143 (53.4)	136 (51.3)
Death	22 (8.2)	28 (10.6)
PD	121 (45.1)	108 (40.8)
Censored, n (%)	125 (46.6)	129 (48.7)
PFS (95% CI), %		
12 months	86.7 (81.8-90.3)	78.8 (73.1-83.4)
24 months	70.9 (64.8-76.1)	64.5 (58.1-70.2)
36 months	51.4 (44.7-57.8)	53.8 (47.0-60.1)

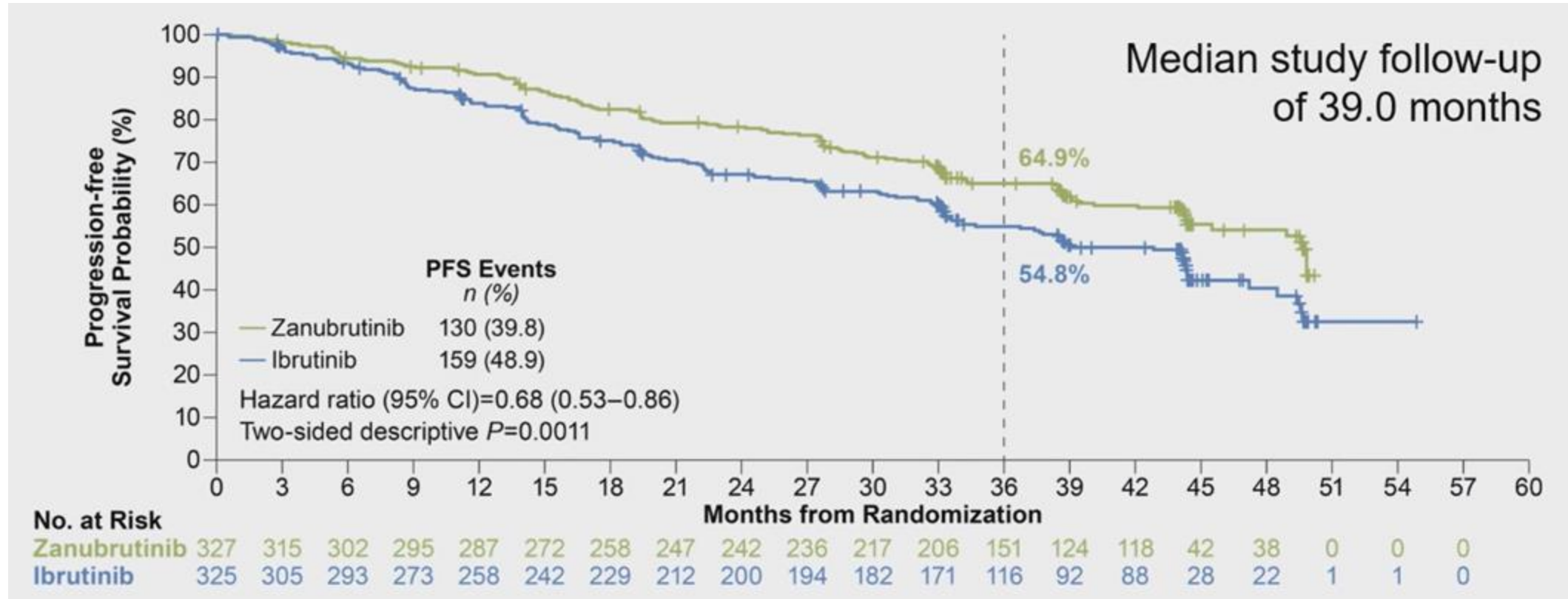
Noninferiority achieved if upper bound of the 95% CI of HR is less than the prespecified NI margin of 1.429

NI = noninferiority.
Byrd JC, et al. *J Clin Oncol.* 2021;39(31):3441-3452.

ELEVATE-RR: AEs of Clinical Interest

AE, n (%)	Acalabrutinib (n = 266)		Ibrutinib (n = 263)	
	Any Grade	Grade ≥3	Any Grade	Grade ≥3
Cardiac events	64 (24.1)	23 (8.6)	79 (30.0)	25 (9.5)
▪ Atrial fibrillation/flutter	25 (9.4)	13 (4.9)	42 (16.0)	10 (3.8)
▪ Ventricular arrhythmias	0	0	3 (1.1)	1 (0.4)
Bleeding events	101 (38.0)	10 (3.8)	135 (51.3)	12 (4.6)
▪ Major bleeding events	12 (4.5)	10 (3.8)	14 (5.3)	12 (4.6)
Hypertension	25 (9.4)	11 (4.1)	61 (23.2)	24 (9.1)
Infections	208 (78.2)	82 (30.8)	214 (81.4)	79 (30.0)
ILD/pneumonitis	7 (2.6)	1 (0.4)	17 (6.5)	2 (0.8)
SPMs, excluding NMSC	24 (9.0)	16 (6.0)	20 (7.6)	14 (5.3)

ALPINE: Zanubrutinib Sustains PFS Benefit at 36 Mo



AEs of Special Interest Occurring in ≥ 2 Patients

	Zanubrutinib (n=324)		Ibrutinib (n=324)	
	Any Grade	Grade ≥ 3	Any Grade	Grade ≥ 3
Infection	264 (81.5)	115 (35.5)	260 (80.2)	111 (34.3)
<i>Opportunistic Infections</i>	8 (2.5)	6 (1.9)	13 (4.0)	5 (1.5)
COVID-19 Related^b	145 (44.8)	56 (17.3)	105 (32.4)	38 (11.7)
Bleeding	142 (43.8)	12 (3.7)	144 (44.4)	13 (4.0)
<i>Major Hemorrhage</i>	13 (4.0)	12 (3.7)	16 (4.9)	13 (4.0)
Hypertension	86 (26.5)	53 (16.4)	80 (24.7)	47 (14.5)
Atrial fibrillation/flutter	22 (6.8)	10 (3.1)	53 (16.4)	16 (4.9)
Anemia	53 (16.4)	7 (2.2)	59 (18.2)	11 (3.4)
Neutropenia	100 (30.9)	72 (22.2)	94 (29.0)	72 (22.2)
Thrombocytopenia	43 (13.3)	12 (3.7)	53 (16.4)	19 (5.9)
Second primary malignancies	46 (14.2)	26 (8.0)	52 (16.0)	19 (5.9)

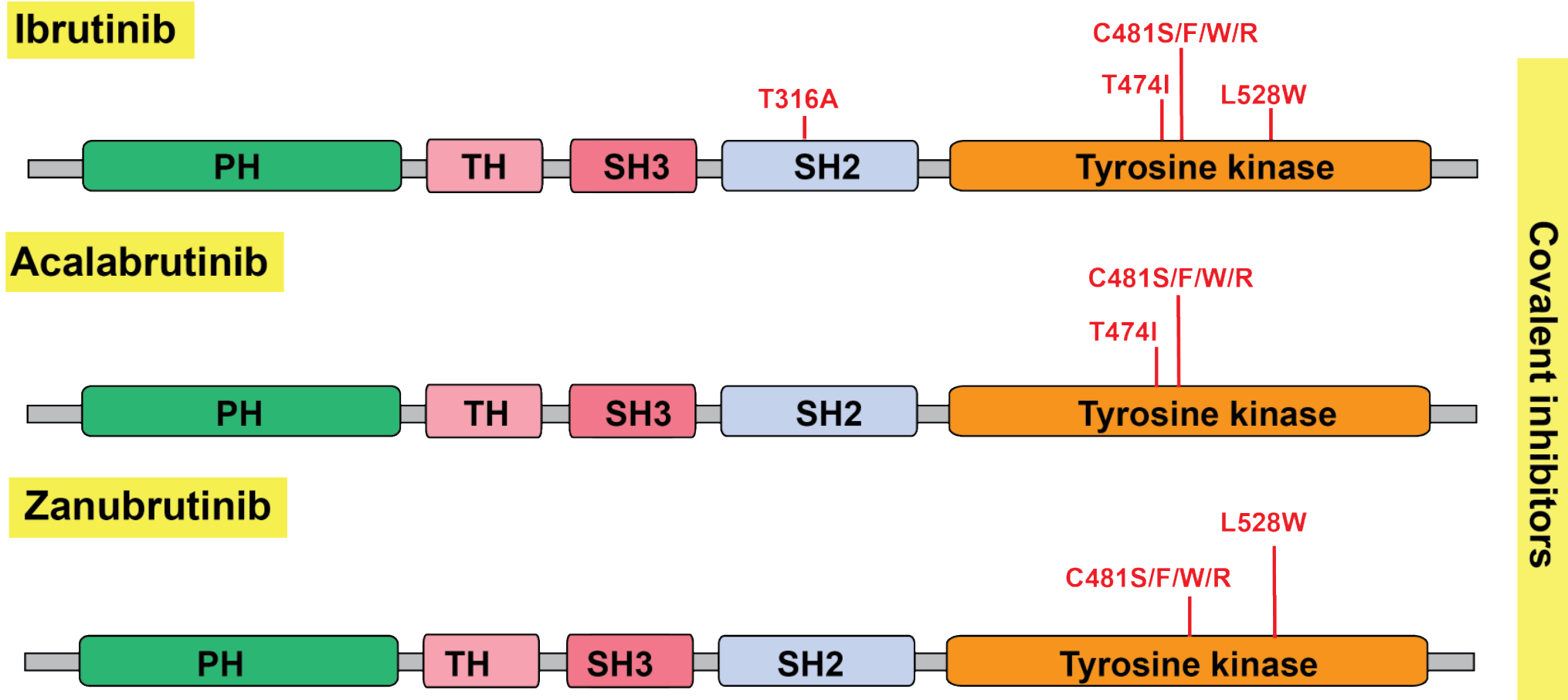
^aPooled MedDRA preferred terms.

^bIncludes preferred terms of COVID-19, COVID-19 pneumonia, and suspected COVID-19.

The rate of any grade atrial fibrillation/flutter was significantly lower with zanubrutinib vs ibrutinib (6.8% vs 16.4%, $p<0.0001$).

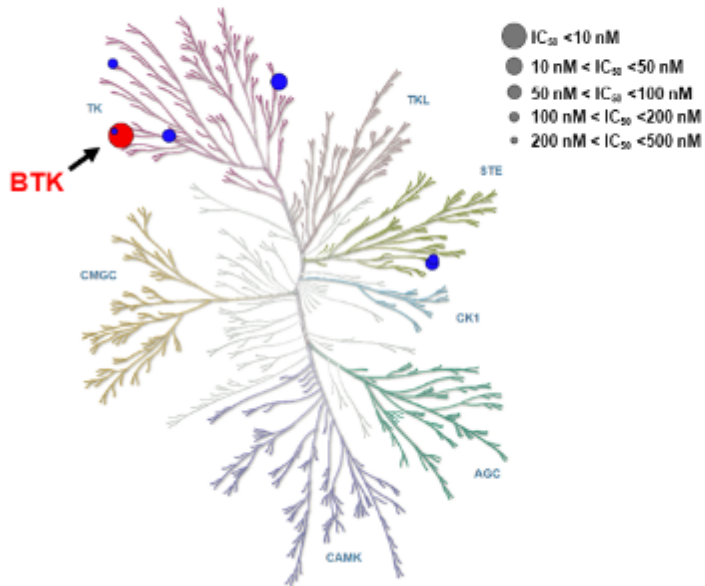
Brown JR, et al. Presented at: ASH 2023; December 9, 2023; San Diego, CA. 202.

Diverse BTK mutations cause resistance to covalent BTK inhibitors

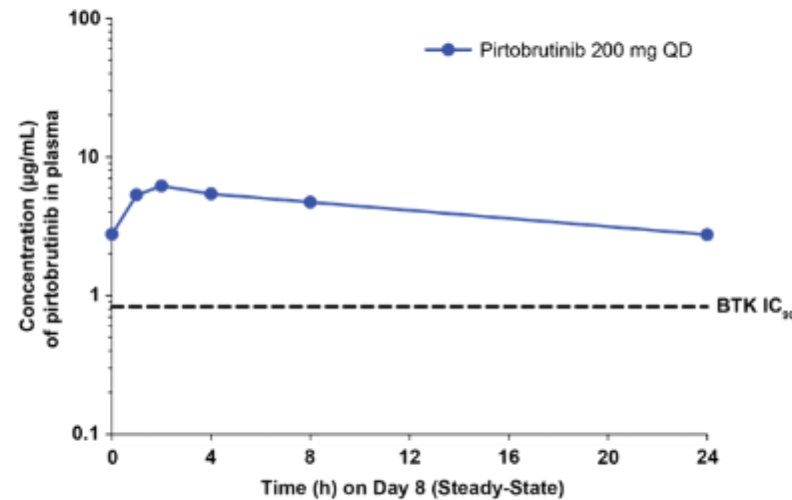


Pirtobrutinib Is a Highly Selective, Non-Covalent (Reversible) BTK Inhibitor

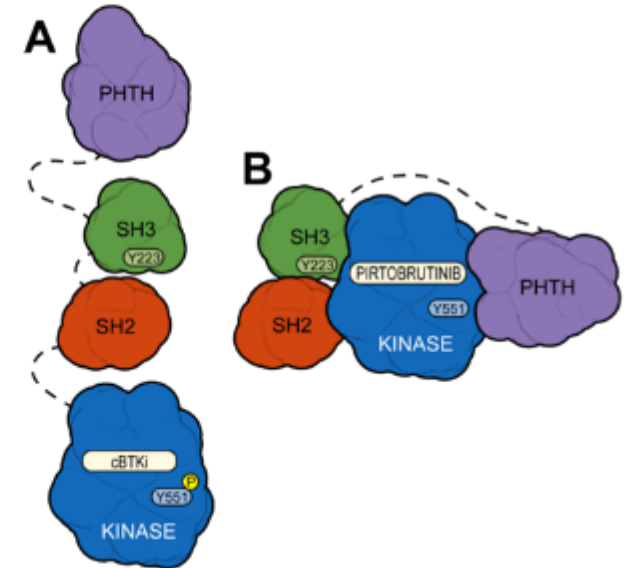
Highly selective for BTK^{5,6}



Plasma exposures exceeded BTK IC₉₀ throughout dosing interval

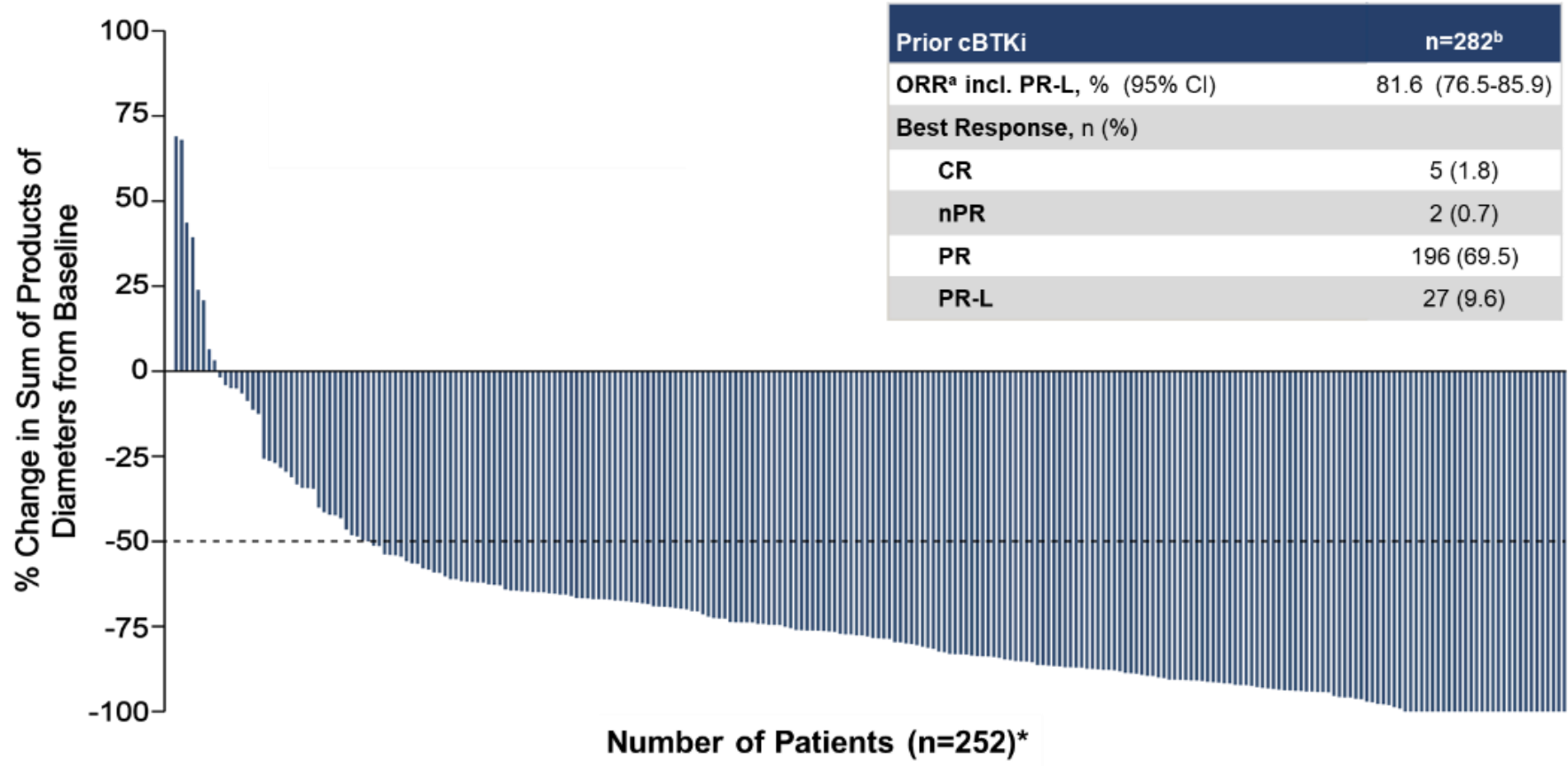


Pirtobrutinib may stabilize/maintain BTK in a closed inactive conformation⁷



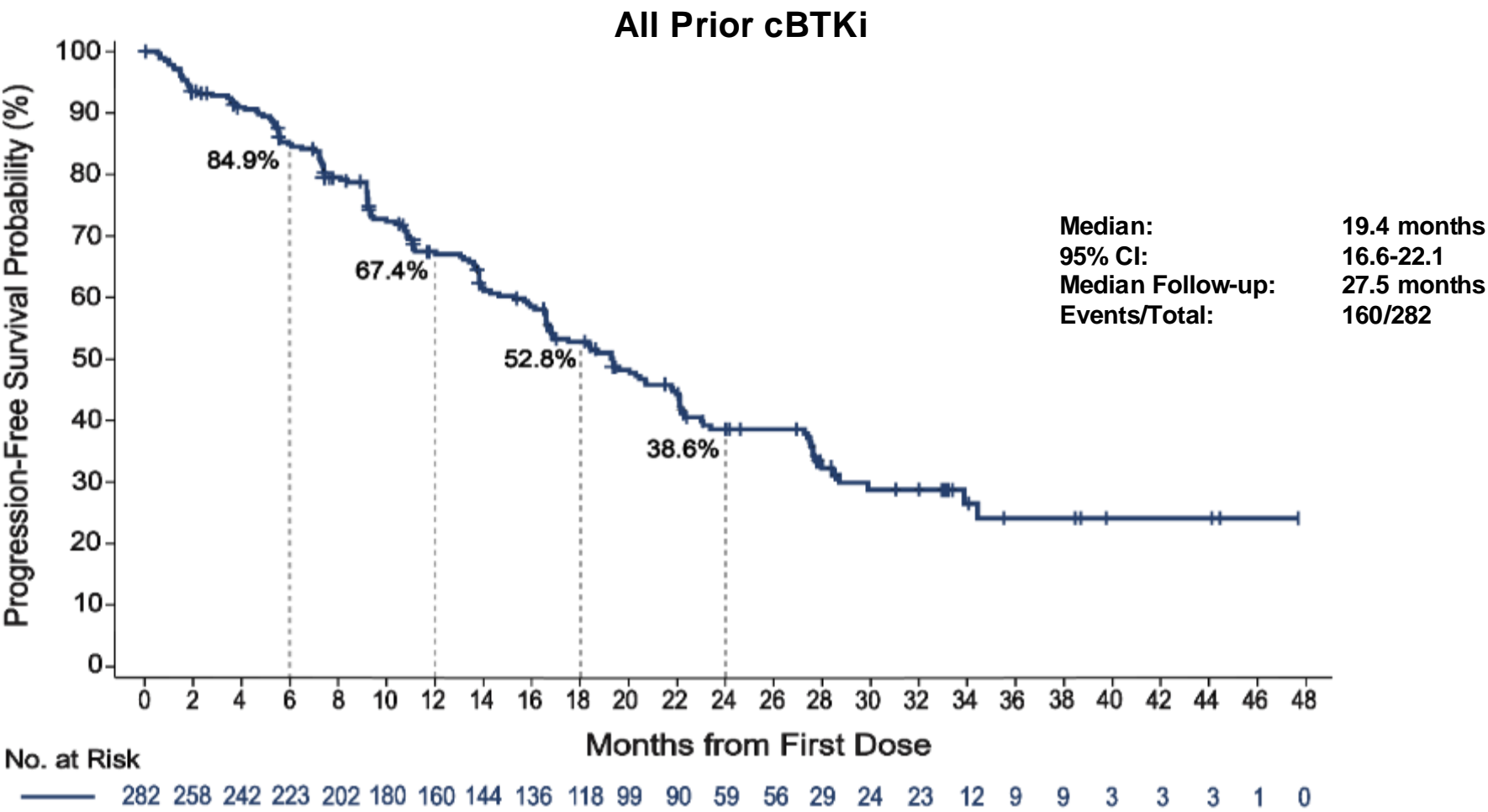
- Inhibits both WT and C481-mutant BTK with equal low nM potency
- Steady state plasma exposure corresponding to 96% BTK target inhibition and a half-life of about 20 hours
- In contrast to cBTKi (A), pirtobrutinib (B) appears to stabilize BTK in a closed, inactive conformation, blocking access to upstream kinases and phosphorylation of Y551, thus inhibiting scaffolding interactions that support kinase-independent BTK signaling

Pirtobrutinib Efficacy in All Patients with CLL/SLL Who Received Prior cBTKi

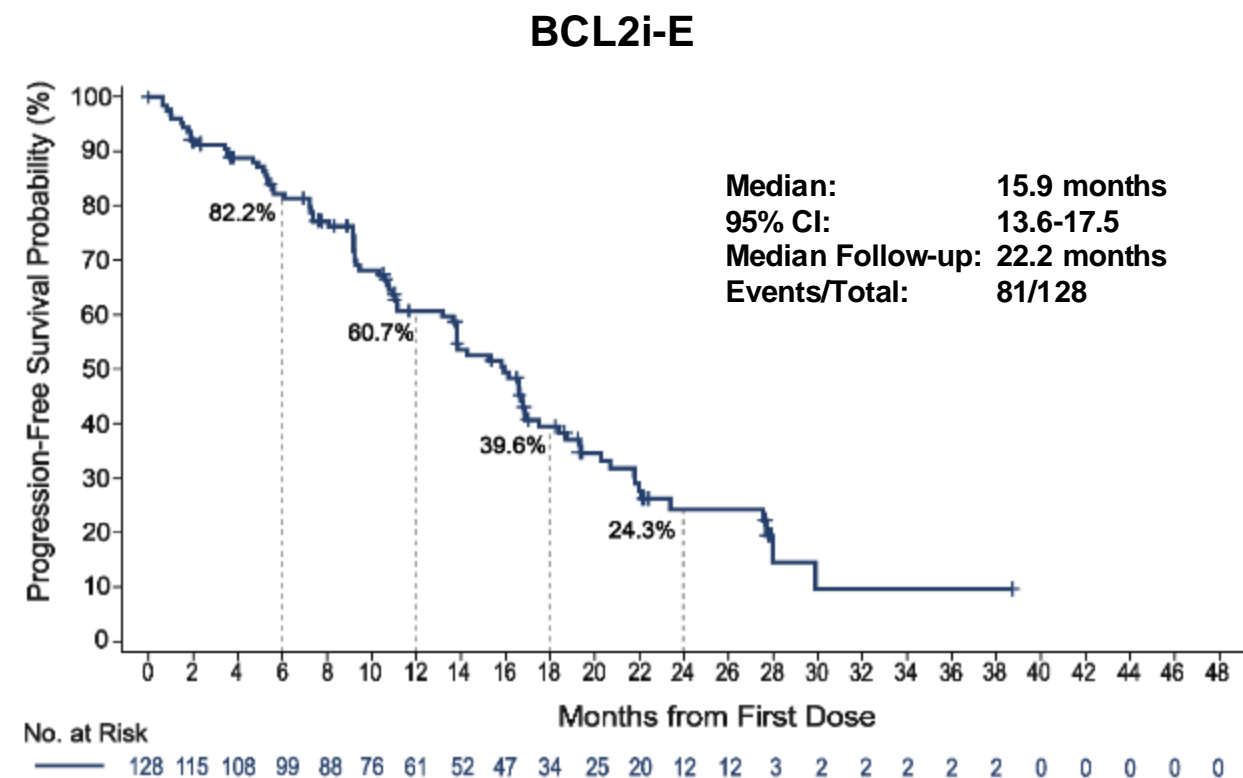
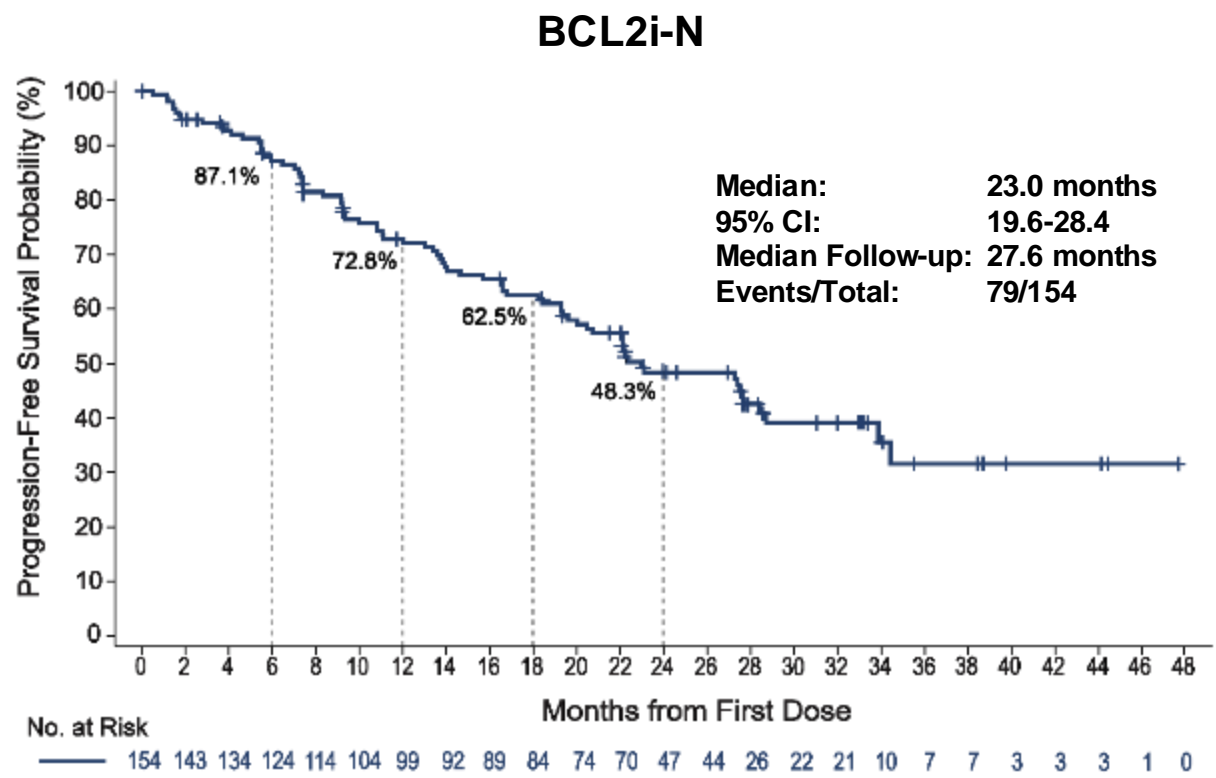


Data of patients with baseline and at least one evaluable post baseline tumor measurement. *Data for 30/282 patients are not shown in the waterfall plot due to no measurable target lesions identified by CT at baseline, discontinuation prior to first response assessment, or lack of adequate imaging in follow-up. ^aORR including PR-L is the number of patients with best response of PR-L or better divided by the total number of patients; 14 patients with a best response of not evaluable (NE) are included in the denominator. ^bPost-cBTKi patients included a subgroup of 19 patients with one prior line of cBTKi-containing therapy and second line therapy of pirtobrutinib, who had an ORR including PR-L of 89.5% (95% CI: 66.9-98.7). Response status per iwCLL 2018 based on IRC assessment. Woyach JA, et al. Presented at: ASH 2023; December 9, 2023; San Diego, CA. 325.

Pirtobrutinib PFS in Patients with Prior cBTKi



Pirtobrutinib PFS with Prior cBTKi, with or without Prior BCL2i



Pirtobrutinib Safety Profile of Patients Who Received Prior cBTKi

Treatment-Emergent AEs in Patients with CLL/SLL (n=282)				
Adverse Event	All Cause AEs, (≥20%), %		Treatment-Related AEs, %	
	Any Grade	Grade ≥3	Any Grade	Grade ≥3
Fatigue	36.9	1.8	3.5	0.0
Neutropenia ^{b,c}	34.4	28.4	19.5	15.2
Diarrhea	28.4	0.4	7.8	0.0
Cough	27.3	0.0	1.8	0.0
Contusion	26.2	0.0	17.4	0.0
Covid-19	25.9	4.6	0.7	0.0
Dyspnea	22.3	2.1	0.7	0.4
Nausea	22.0	0.0	3.5	0.0
Abdominal pain	21.3	1.8	2.1	0.4
AEs of Interest ^a	Any Grade	Grade ≥3	Any Grade	Grade ≥3
Infections ^d	74.1	30.9	12.8	4.3
Bruising ^e	30.1	0.0	19.1	0.0
Rash ^f	24.5	1.1	5.7	0.4
Arthralgia	22.7	1.4	4.3	0.0
Hemorrhage ^g	13.5	2.1	4.6	1.1
Hypertension	14.2	4.3	3.5	0.4
Atrial Fibrillation/Flutter ^{h,i}	4.6	1.8	1.4	0.7

Median time on treatment was 18.7 months (prior cBTKi), 24.3 months (BCL2i-N) and 15.3 months (BCL2i-E)

11 (3.9%; 9 BCL2i-N, 2 BCL2i-E) patients had treatment-related AEs leading to pirtobrutinib dose reduction

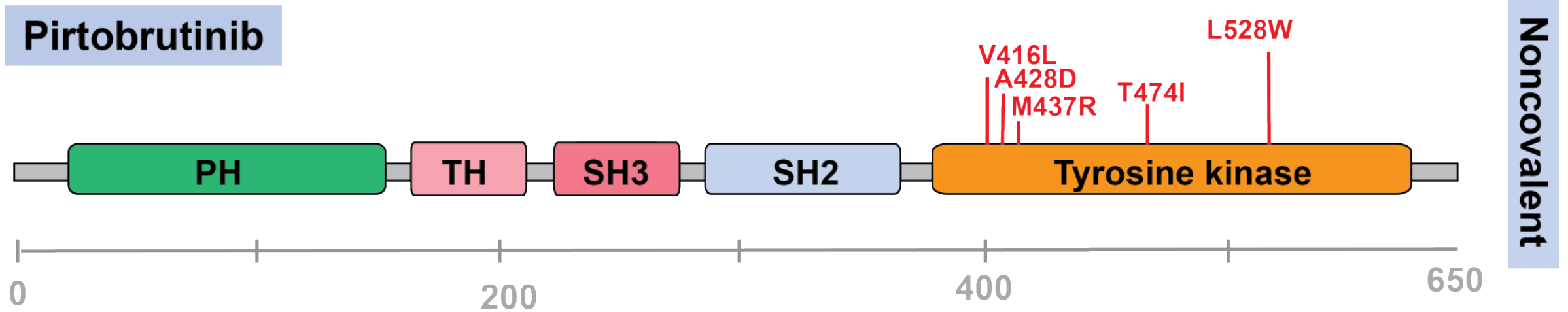
7 (2.5%; 4 BCL2i-N, 3 BCL2i-E) patients had treatment-related AEs leading to pirtobrutinib discontinuation

Safety profiles of BCL2i-N and BCL2i-E subgroups were similar

^aAEs of interest are those that were previously associated with covalent BTK inhibitors; ^bNeutropenia at baseline for prior BTKi (n=282) was 18.4, BCL2i-N (n=154) was 11.0 and BCL2i-E (n=128) was 27.3; ^cAggregate of neutropenia and neutrophil count decreased; ^dAggregate of all preferred terms including infection and COVID-19; ^eAggregate of contusion, ecchymosis, increased tendency to bruise and oral contusion; ^fAggregate of all preferred terms including rash; ^gAggregate of all preferred terms including hemorrhage or hematoma; ^hAggregate of atrial fibrillation and atrial flutter; ⁱOf the 13 total afib/aflutter TEAEs in the prior BTKi safety population (n=282), 6 occurred in patients with a prior medical history of atrial fibrillation.

Woyach JA, et al. Presented at: ASH 2023; December 9, 2023; San Diego, CA. 325.

Diverse BTK mutations cause resistance to non-covalent BTKi



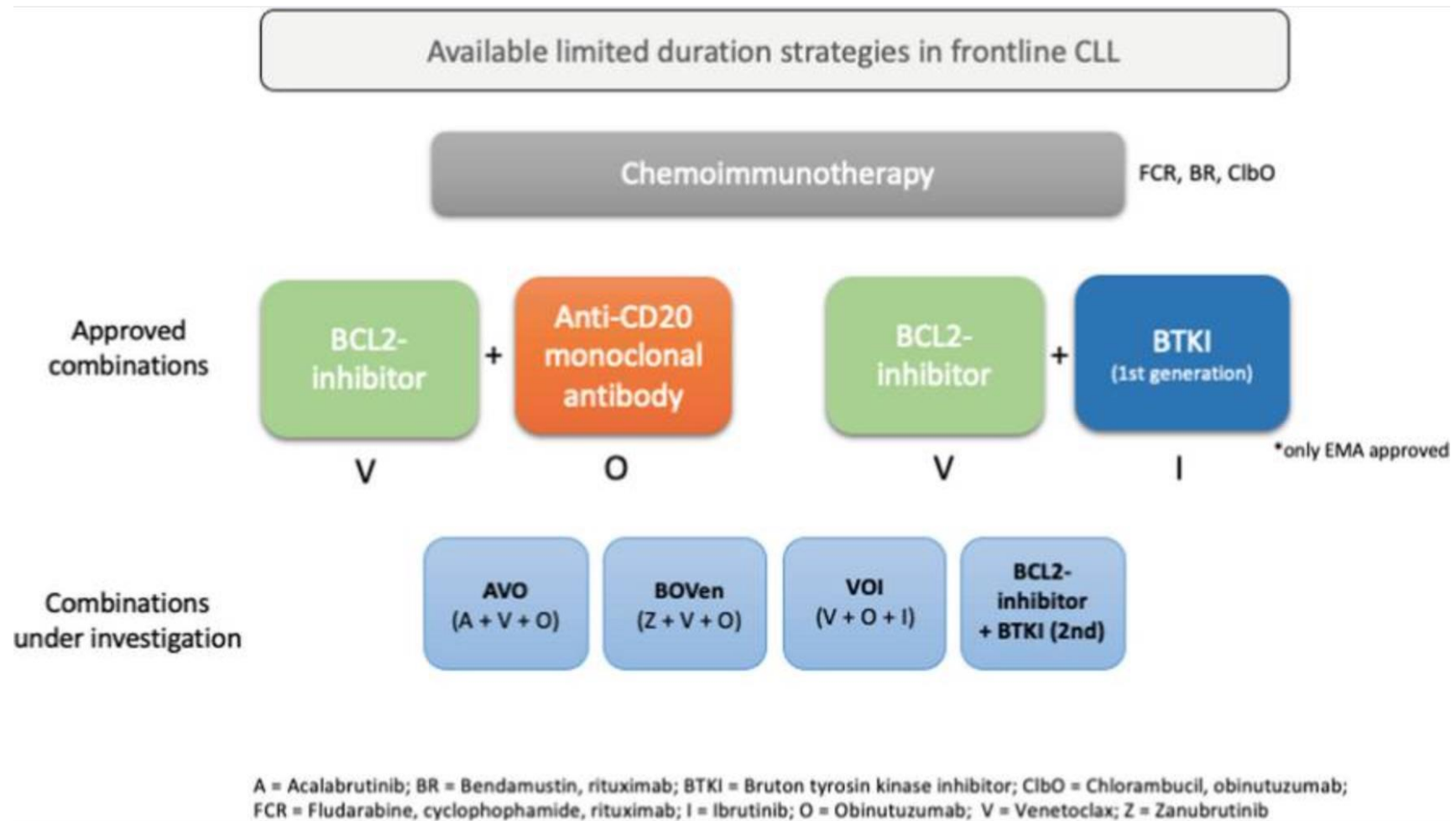
Long term treatment: Key Points

- BTKi treatment is superior to any form of CIT
- Very long-term efficacy data up to 10 years even in high risk
 - For patients treated with ibrutinib, mPFS at 7 years with OS of 70% at 10 years
- Most discontinuations are secondary to intolerance
- Low rates of progression even in high-risk disease in front line
- BTKi has a class effect AEs but second generation are better tolerated
- Cardiovascular toxicities should be taken into consideration in high-risk patients
- Non-covalent inhibitors can keep patients on BTKi after covalent failures

Continuous Therapy vs Fixed Duration



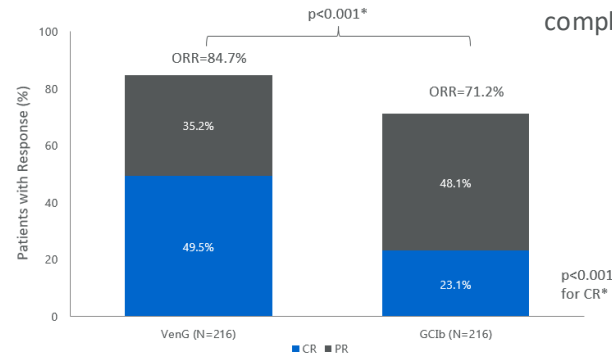
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CLL14: Venetoclax + Obinutuzumab in TN CLL

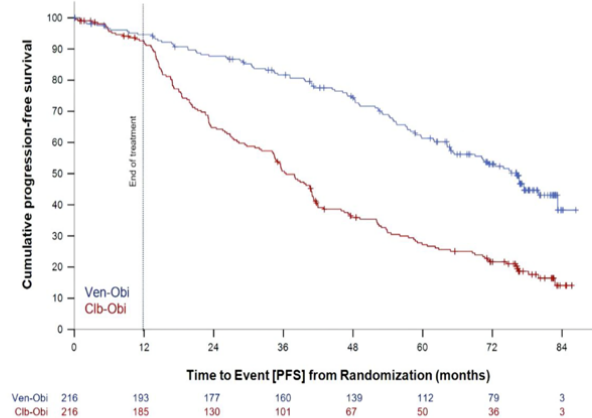
OVERALL AND COMPLETE RESPONSE RATES AT EOT+3

*EOT+3, 3 months after treatment completion.



6 Year F/U CLL14: PFS (Obinutuzumab + Venetoclax vs Obinutuzumab + Chlorambucil)

Median observation time 76.4 months



Median PFS

Ven-Obi: 76.2 months

Clb-Obi: 36.4 months

6-year PFS rate

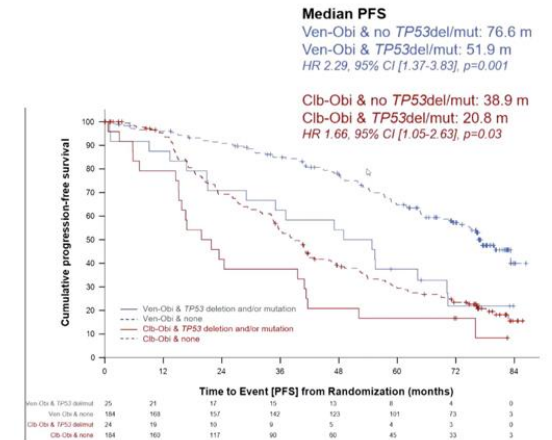
Ven-Obi: 53.1%

Clb-Obi: 21.7%

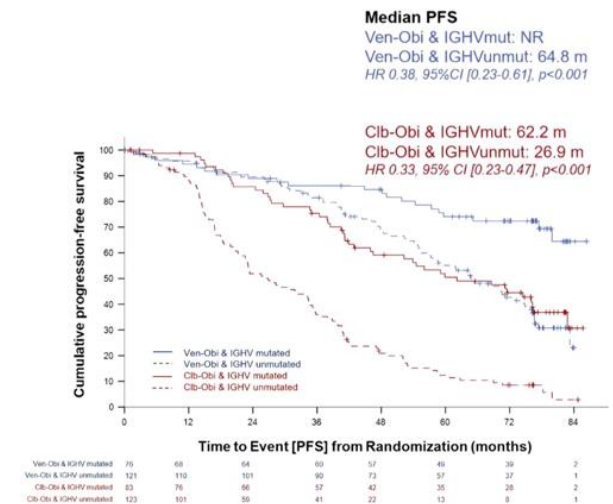
HR 0.40, 95% CI [0.31-0.52]
P<0.0001

Key Takeaway: Obinutuzumab + Venetoclax improved PFS over Obinutuzumab + Chlorambucil
[53% of patients are still in remission 5 years after completing fixed-duration therapy]

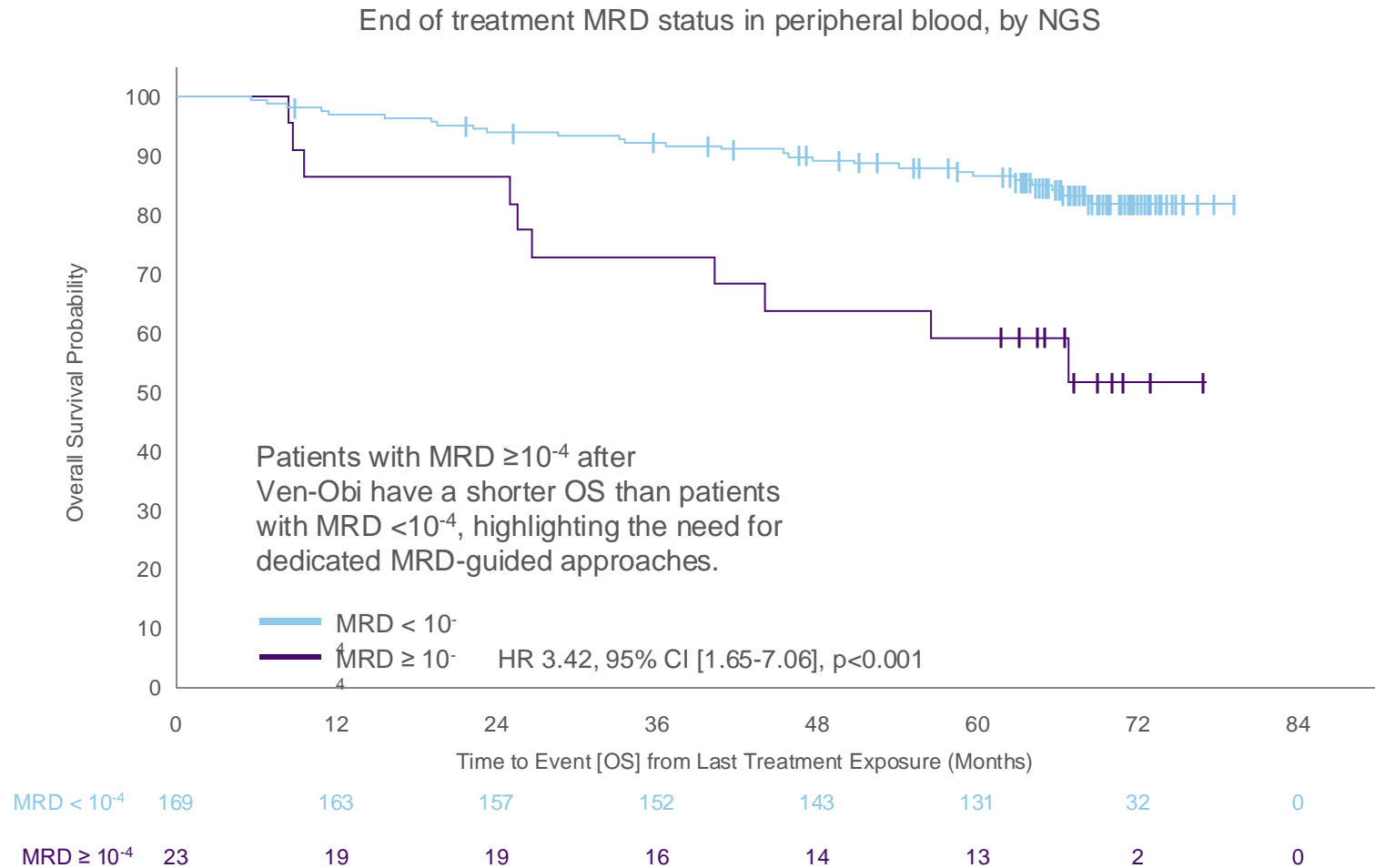
PFS by TP53



PFS by IGHV

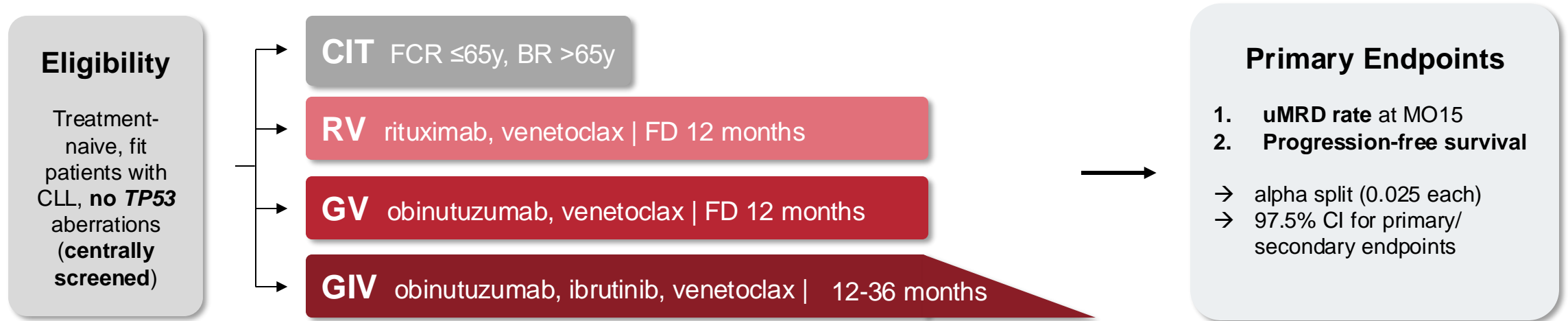


Landmark OS after Ven-Obi According to MRD Status



- 53.1% treated with ven+obi remain without PFS event five years after tx
- Over 60% have not required a second-line treatment
- EOT MRD status significantly correlates with PFS and OS
- Benefit observed across all subgroups, including TP53del/mut and uIGHV
- No new safety signals or 2ry malignancies

4-Year Follow-Up from the Phase 3 GAIA/CLL13 Trial



Key patient characteristics

Randomized patients (=ITT population): **n= 926**

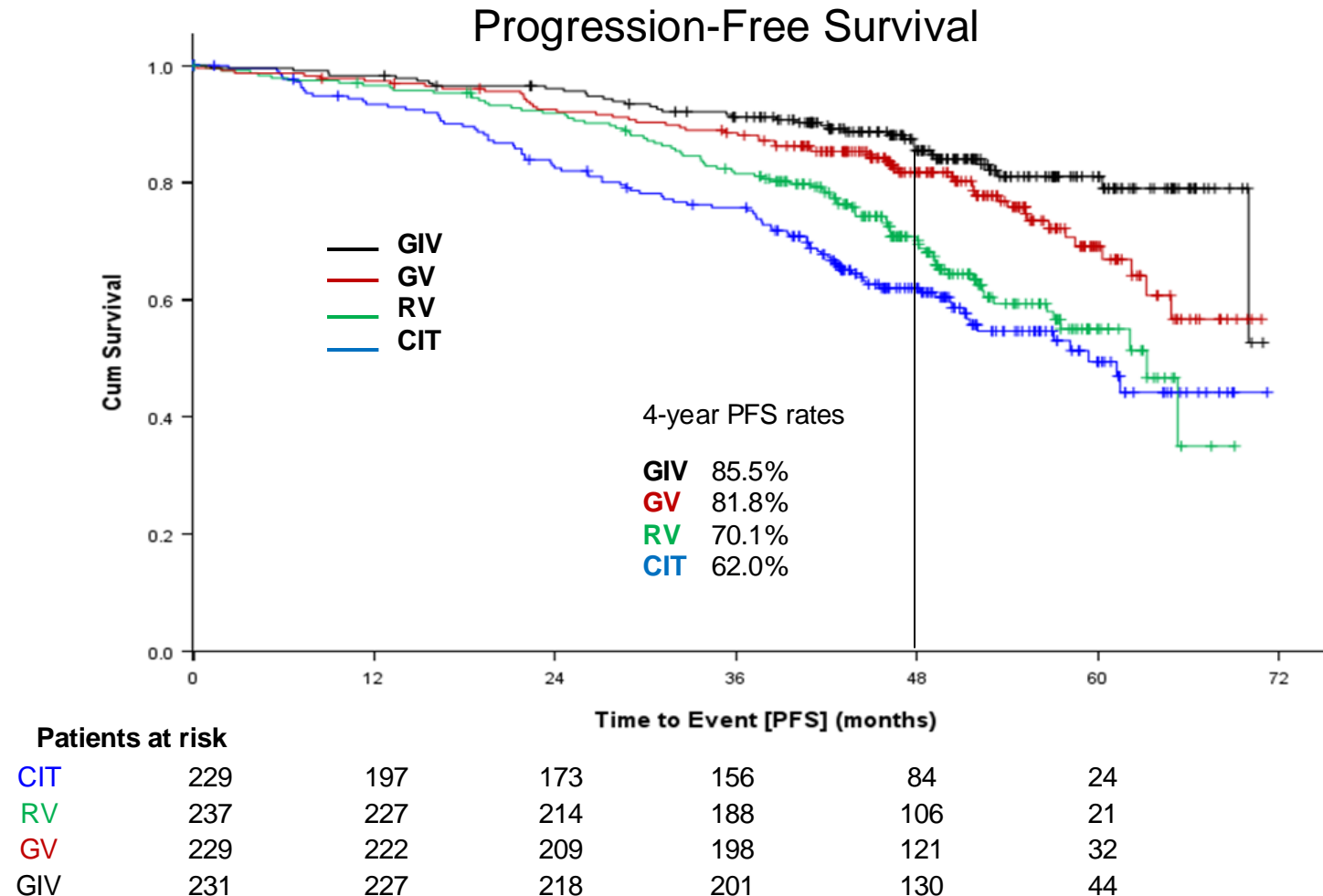
Median age: **61 years** (range: 27-84)
Median CIRS score: **2** (range: 0-7)
Unmutated IGHV: **56%** of all patients
Complex karyotype: **17%** of all patients

Follow-up analysis (data cut-off: 01/2023)

Median observation time
50.7 months (IQR: 44.6-57.9)

Median observation time after end of treatment
40.7 months (IQR: 34.5-47.9)

Efficacy: PFS



PFS comparisons

GIV vs CIT: HR 0.30, 97.5%CI: 0.19-0.47, $p < 0.001$

GIV vs RV: HR 0.38, 97.5%CI: 0.24-0.59, $p < 0.001$

GIV vs GV: HR 0.63, 97.5%CI: 0.39-1.02, $p = 0.03$

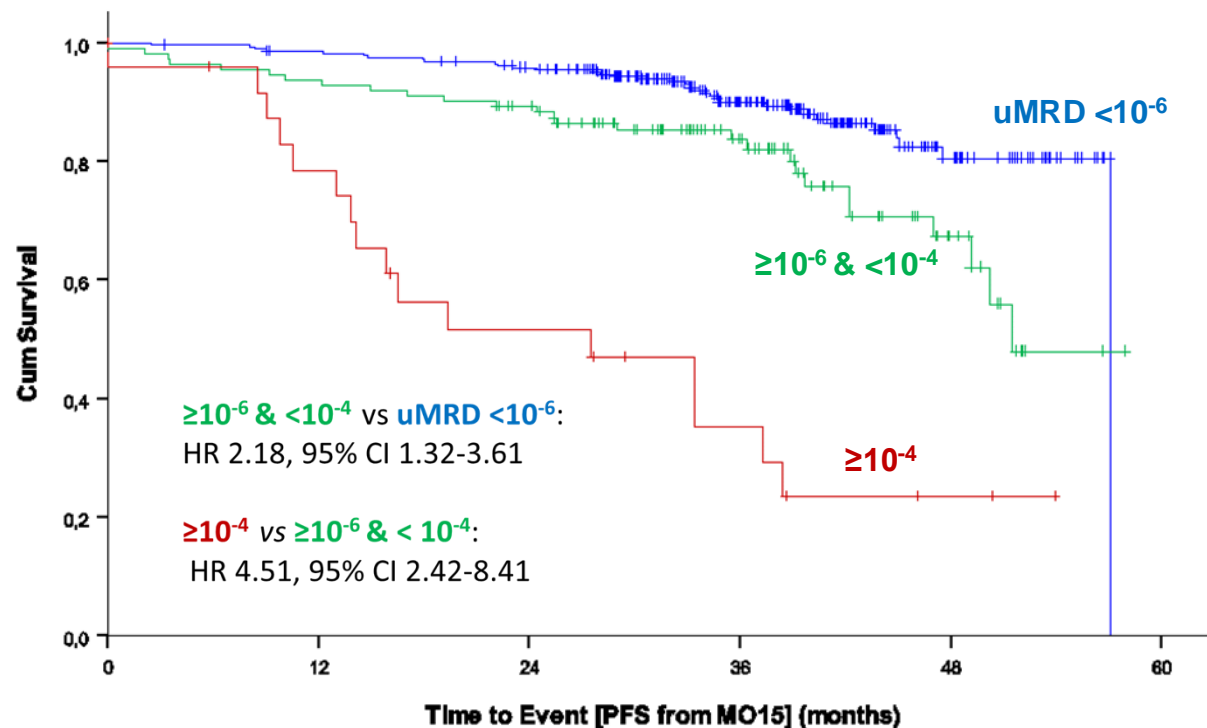
GV vs CIT: HR 0.47, 97.5%CI: 0.32-0.69, $p < 0.001$

GV vs RV: HR 0.57, 97.5%CI: 0.38-0.84, $p = 0.001$

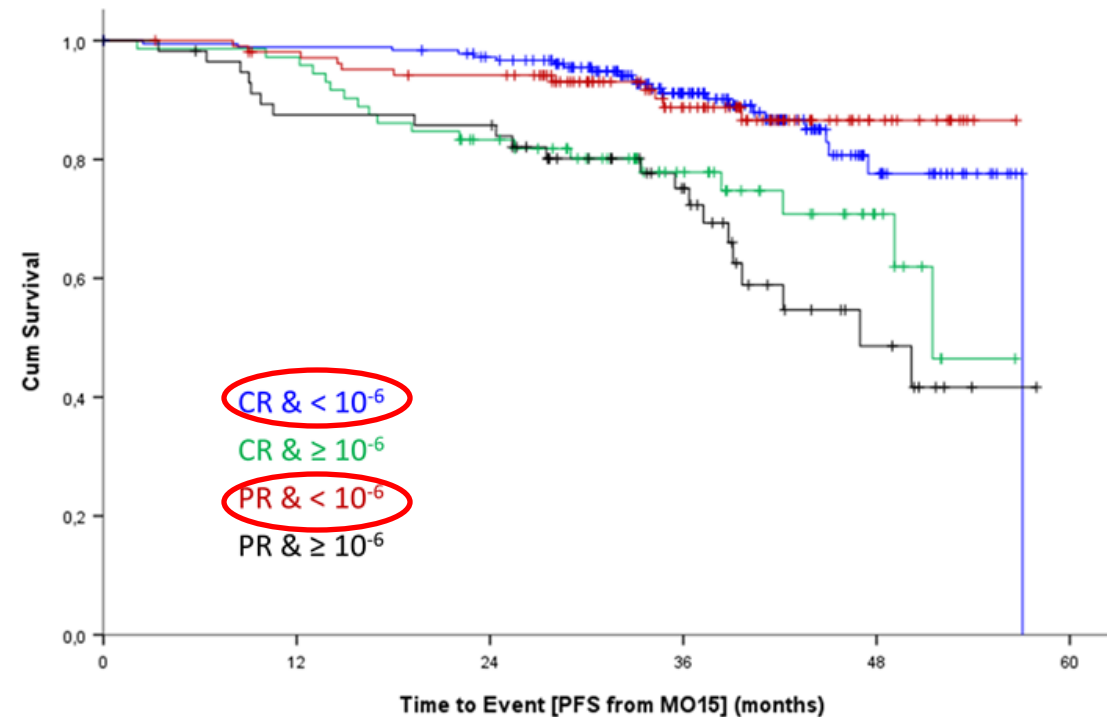
RV vs CIT: HR 0.78, 97.5%CI: 0.55-1.10, $p = 0.1$

Correlation PB MRD/PFS

PFS by MRD level at MO15, GV/GIV



PFS by MRD level & response at MO15, GV/GIV

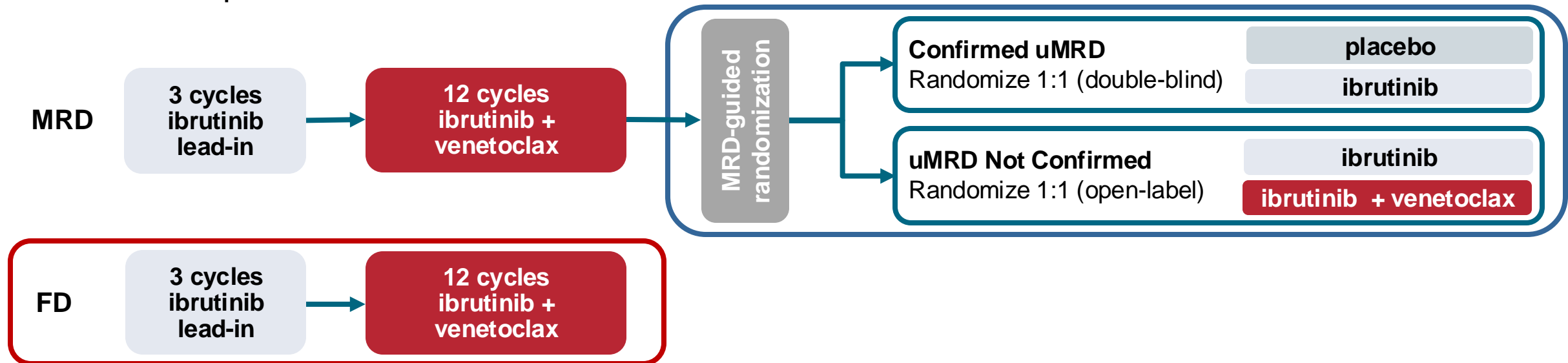


Pts at risk

$CR \& < 10^{-6}$	183	180	172	105	25
$CR \& \geq 10^{-6}$	72	70	56	29	9
$PR \& < 10^{-6}$	105	100	95	56	13
$PR \& \geq 10^{-6}$	58	49	48	28	8

Phase 2 CAPTIVATE Study

- CAPTIVATE (PCYC-1142) is an international, multicenter phase 2 study evaluating first-line treatment with 3 cycles of ibrutinib followed by 12 cycles of combined ibrutinib + venetoclax that comprises 2 cohorts: MRD and FD

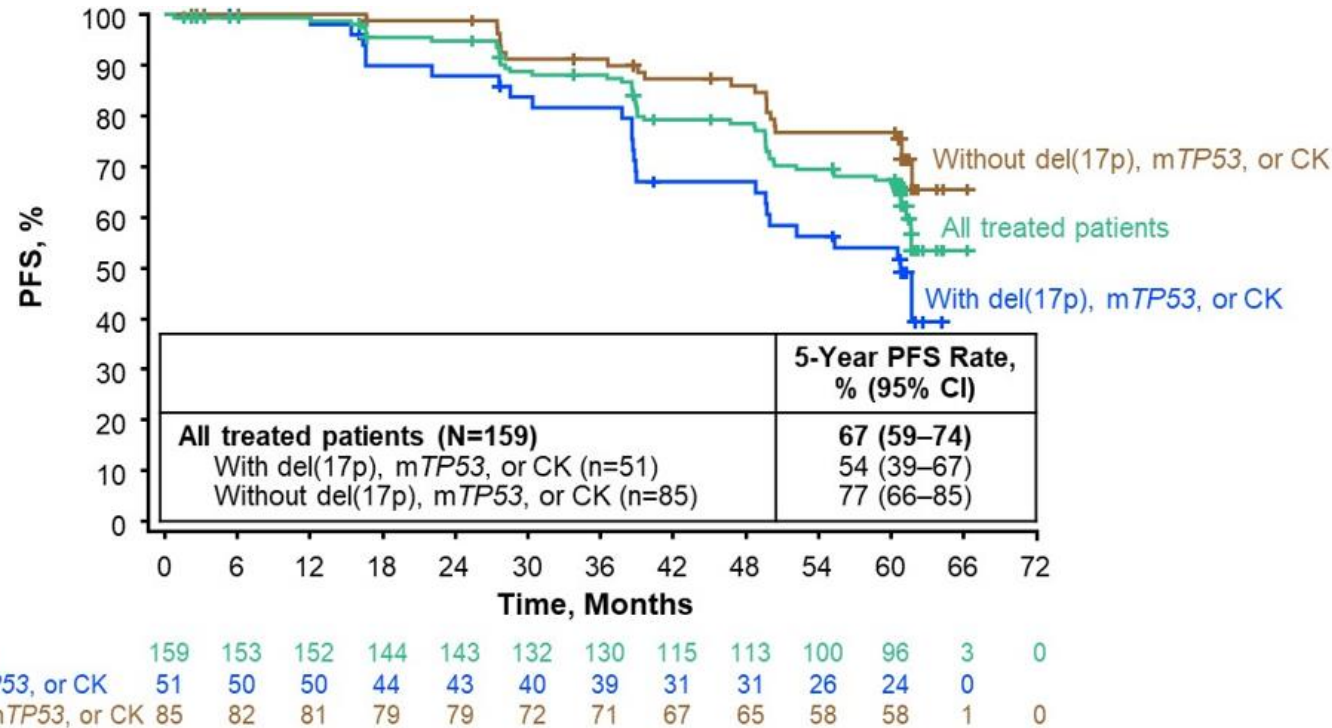


- Results from the MRD cohort demonstrated uMRD in more than two-thirds of patients treated with 12 cycles of ibrutinib + venetoclax (PB, 75%; BM, 68%), and 30-month PFS rates of $\geq 95\%$ irrespective of subsequent MRD-guided randomized treatment

PFS in the FD Cohort

PFS in All Treated Patients and by del(17p), mTP53, or CK

Median time on study: 61.2 months (range, 0.8-66.3)



High-risk feature	n	5-year PFS rate, % (95% CI)
With del(17p)/mTP53	27	41 (21-59)
Without del(17p)/mTP53	129	73 (64-80)
With CK ^a	31	57 (37-72)
Without CK ^a	102	72 (61-80)
With del(11q) ^b	11	64 (30-85)
Without del(11q) ^b	74	79 (67-87)

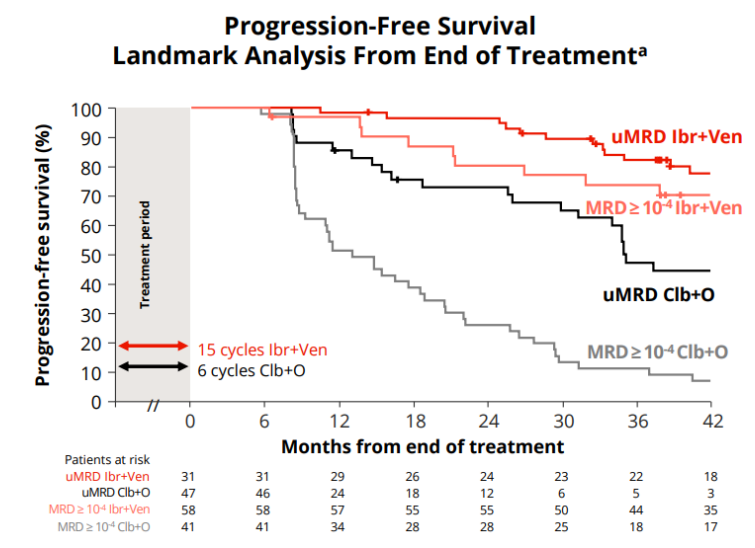
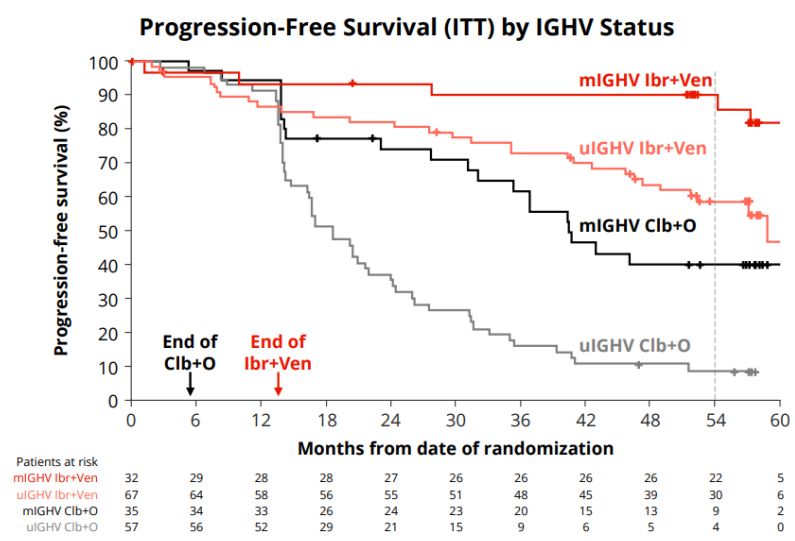
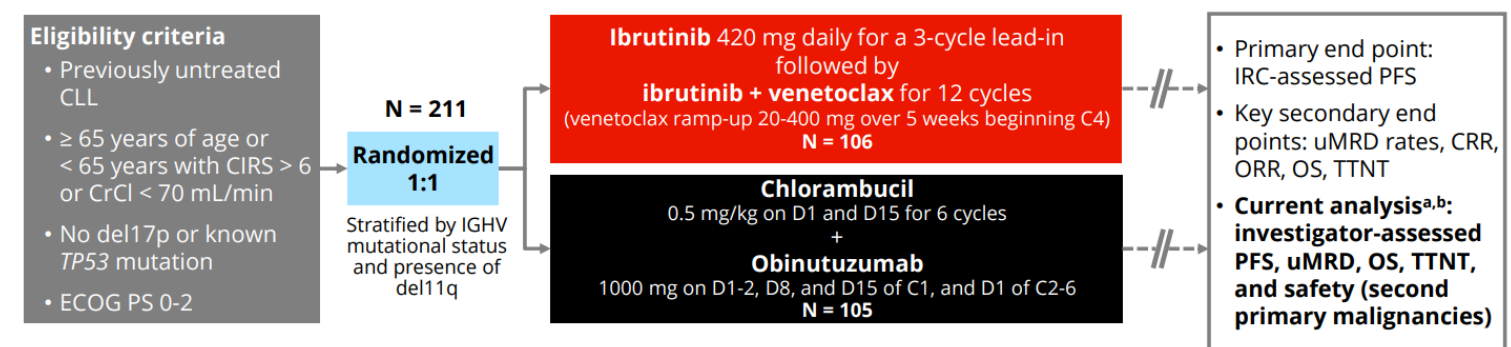
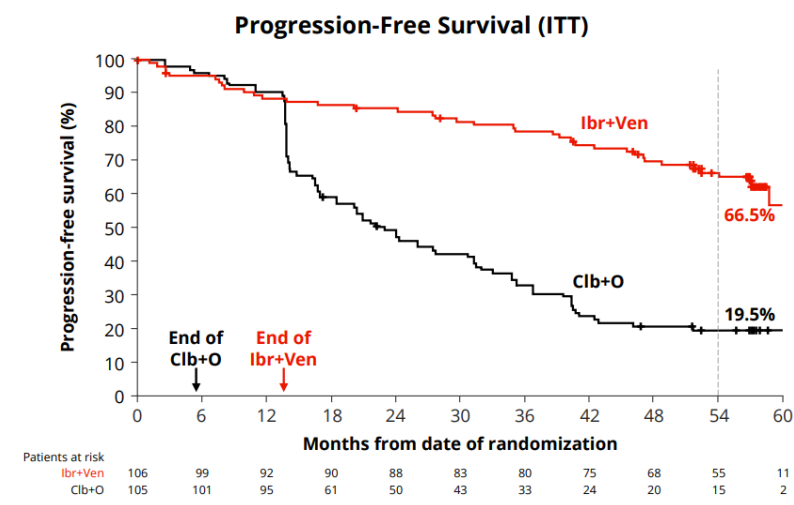
- Overall median PFS was not reached with up to 5.5 years of follow-up

^aDefined as ≥ 3 chromosomal abnormalities by conventional CpG-stimulated cytogenetic; ^bExcluding patients with del(17p)/mTP53 or CK.

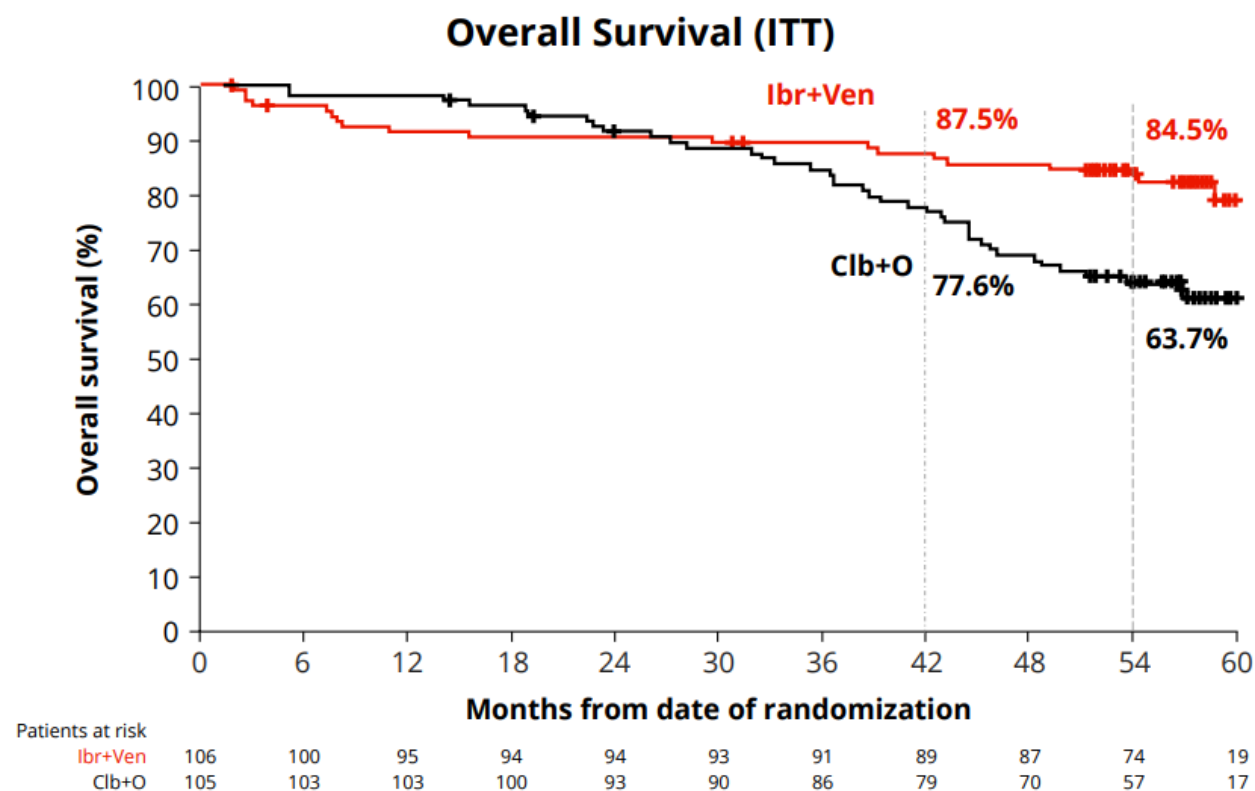
CK = complex karyotype.

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Phase III GLOW Ibrutinib+Venetoclax: Median PFS Was Not Reached with up to 57mo of Follow-Up

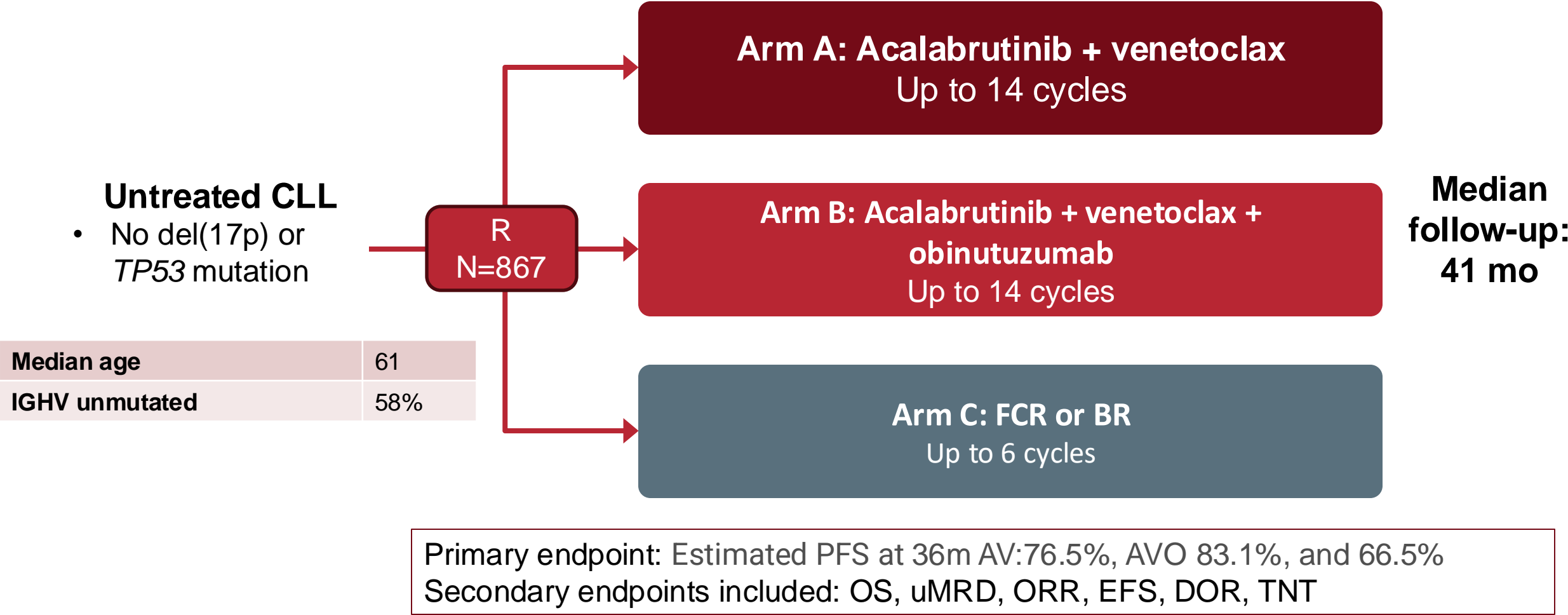


Phase III GLOW Ibr +Ven Remained Associated with Improved OS at 57 Months of Study Follow-Up



- Ibr+Ven reduced the risk of death by 55% versus Clb+O
 - HR 0.453 (95% CI, 0.261-0.785);
 $p = 0.0038$
- Estimated 54-month OS rates:
 - **84.5%** for patients treated with Ibr+Ven
 - **63.7%** for patients treated with Clb+O

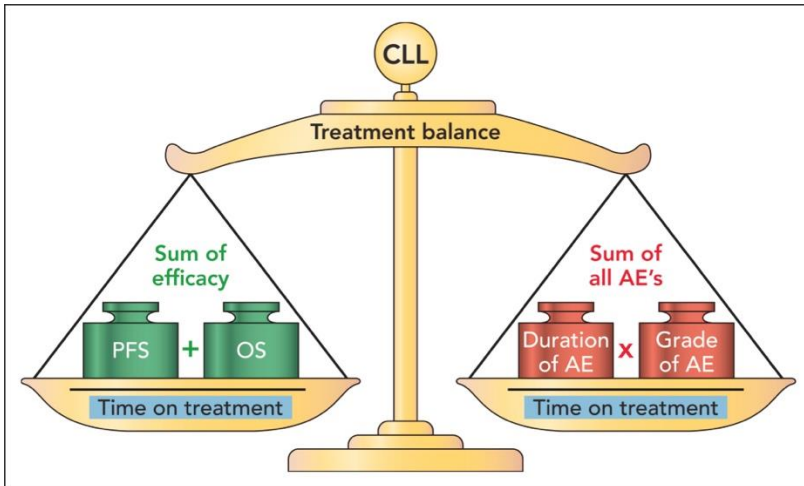
AMPLIFY Trial: Fixed-Duration Acalabrutinib + Venetoclax ± Obinutuzumab



Fixed duration treatment: Key Points

- Fixed duration with venetoclax and obinutuzumab results in high levels of MRD- that translate in better PFS and OS compare with MRD+
 - CLL14 trial shows long-term PFS benefits for patients with high-risk CLL
- Double oral combination will offer another convenience fix duration strategy
 - In Phase 3 GLOW trial, ibrutinib + venetoclax showed a 57-month PFS of 66.5% in first-line treatment in older or unfit patients
 - Phase 3 Amplify release at ASH 2024
- Fixed duration combinations may lead to lower rates of cumulative toxicity/ongoing risks as well as less financial toxicity

Summary



Modern therapy is very effective but can achieve different goals

Be prepared to review goals of care with patients and empower their decision-making

Continuous Therapy

- BTK inhibitors

Goals of Therapy

- Disease control
- Prolonged PFS
- Independent from response, MRD

Fixed Duration

- Venetoclax + obinutuzumab

Goals of Therapy

- Disease eradication
- Prolonged PFS
- Undetectable MRD