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ctDNA biomarkers to drive therapy

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SYSTEMIC THERAPY FOR ER- AND/OR PR-POSITIVE RECURRENT UNRESECTABLE (LOCAL OR REGIONAL) OR STAGE IV (M1) DISEASE^a

See BINV-P 1 of 3 for general considerations for therapy selection for	HR-positive, HER2-negative disease. Second- and/or Subsequent-Line Therapy			
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First-Line Therapy	Second- and/or Subsequent-Line Therapy			
Preferred Regimens Aromatase inhibitor + CDK4/6 inhibitor ^b Aromatase inhibitor + ribociclib (category 1) ^c Aromatase inhibitor + abemaciclib Aromatase inhibitor + palbociclib If disease progression on adjuvant endocrine therapy or relapse within 12 months of adjuvant endocrine therapy completion consider: Fulvestrant ^d + CDK4/6 inhibitor ^b Fulvestrant + ribociclib (category 1) ^e Fulvestrant + abemaciclib (category 1) ^e Fulvestrant + palbociclib	 Preferred Regimens Fulvestrant + CDK4/6 inhibitor (abemaciclib, palbociclib, or ribociclib) if CKD4/6 inhibitor not previously used (category 1)^{f,g} For HER2-negative tumors with <i>PIK3CA</i> or <i>AKT1</i> activating mutations or PTEN alterations, see BINV-Q (6)^h Everolimus + endocrine therapy (exemestane, fulvestrant, tamoxifen)^{i,j} Targeted therapy, see BINV-Q (6) and BINV-Q (7), and emerging biomarker options, see BINV-Q (8) 			
 Useful in Certain Circumstances For HER2-negative tumors with PIK3CA activating mutations and disease progression on adjuvant endocrine therapy or relapse within 12 months of adjuvant endocrine therapy completion, see BINV-Q (6) 	Useful in Certain Circumstances • Megestrol acetate • Estradiol • Abemaciclib ^l • Targeted therapy, see BINV-Q (6) and BINV-Q (7), and emerging biomarker options, see BINV-Q (8)			
Other Recommended Regimens for first and/or subsequent lines of therapy				

- For HER2-negative disease and ESR1 mutated tumors and after progression on one or two prior lines of endocrine therapy, including one line containing a CDK4/6 inhibitor, see BINV-Q (6)
- Fulvestrant) + aromatase inhibitor (anastrozole, letrozole) (category 1)^k
- Fulvestrant
- Anastrozole
- Letrozole
- Tamoxifen
- Exemestane

Footnotes on BINV-P 3 of 3

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ORIGINAL ARTICLE

Inavolisib-Based Therapy in PIK3CA-Mutated Advanced Breast Cancer

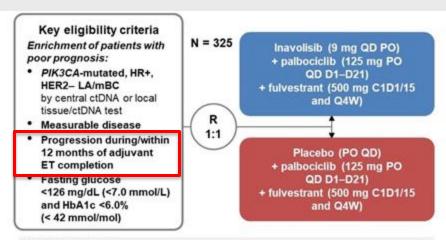
N.C. Turner, S.-A. Im, C. Saura, D. Juric, S. Loibl, K. Kalinsky, P. Schmid, S. Loi, P. Sunpaweravong, A. Musolino, H. Li, Q. Zhang, Z. Nowecki, R. Leung, E. Thanopoulou, N. Shankar, G. Lei, T.J. Stout, K.E. Hutchinson, J.L. Schutzman, C. Song, and K.L. Jhaveri

FDA approves inavolisib with palbociclib and fulvestrant for endocrine-resistant, PIK3CA-mutated, HR-positive, HER2-negative, advanced breast cancer

U.S. Food and Drug Administration Approves FoundationOne®Liquid CDx as a Companion Diagnostic for Itovebi™ (inavolisib) to Identify Patients with Hormone Receptor-Positive, HER2-Negative Breast Cancer with a PIK3CA Mutation



INAVO120: Trial Design



Statistical methods

 For efficacy endpoints and TTCD, hazard ratios were estimated using a Cox proportional hazard model with 95% CI and Kaplan–Meier methodology was used to estimate the medians with the Brookmeyer–Crowley method used for the 95% CI

Efficacy endpoints

- PFS by investigator
- · OS
- ORR, BOR, CBR, DOR
- Time from randomization to end or discontinuation of next-line treatment, or death from any cause (proxy for PFS2)
- Time from randomization to first subsequent chemotherapy after treatment discontinuation

Safety endpoints

Key selected AEs (hyperglycemia, diarrhea, rash, and stomatitis/mucosal inflammation)*

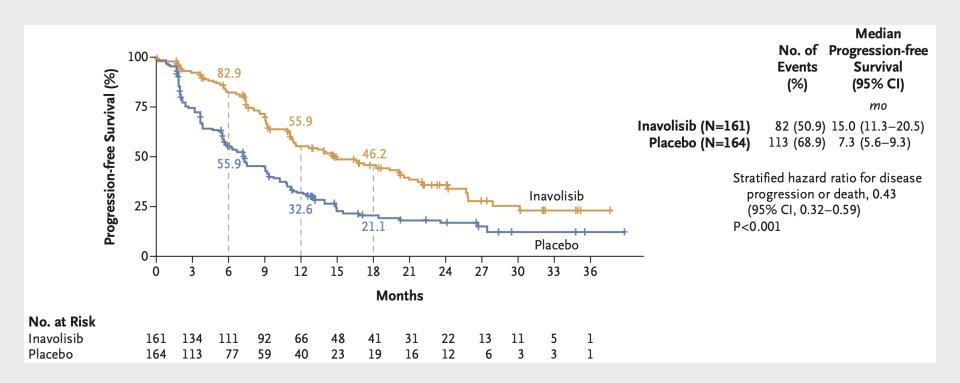
Patient-reported outcomes endpoints[†]

- BPI-SF: TTCD in worse pain^{1§}
- EORTC QLQ-C30: mean change from baseline in HRQoL, physical functioning, and role functioning^{||}
- PRO-CTCAE: presence, frequency of occurrence, severity, and/or degree of interference with daily function of selected symptomatic treatment toxicities
- An overall bother item: overall bother experienced due to side effects
 of treatment



Dejan Juric, ASCO 2024

INAVO120: Progression Free Survival





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TARGETED THERAPIES AND ASSOCIATED BIOMARKER TESTING FOR RECURRENT UNRESECTABLE (LOCAL OR REGIONAL) OR STAGE IV (M1) DISEASE

Breast Cancer Subtype	Biomarker	Detection ^t	FDA-Approved Agents	NCCN Category of Evidence	NCCN Category of Preference
HR-positive, HER2-negative	PIK3CA activating mutation	NGS, PCR	Inavolisib + palbociclib + fulvestrant ^u	Category 1	Useful in certain circumstances first-line therapy
HR-positive/ HER2-negative	PIK3CA activating mutation	NGS, PCR	Alpelisib + fulvestrant ^v	Category 1	Preferred second- or subsequent-line therapy
HR-positive/ HER2-negative	PIK3CA or AKT1 activating mutations or PTEN alterations	NGS, PCR	Capivasertib + fulvestrant ^w	Category 1	Preferred second- or subsequent-line therapy in select patients ^w
HR-positive/ HER2-negative ^x	ESR1 mutation ^x	NGS, PCR	Elacestrant	Category 2A	Other recommended regimen subsequent-line therapy



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Capivasertib in Hormone Receptor–Positive Advanced Breast Cancer

N.C. Turner, M. Oliveira, S.J. Howell, F. Dalenc, J. Cortes, H.L. Gomez Moreno, X. Hu, K. Jhaveri, P. Krivorotko, S. Loibl, S. Morales Murillo, M. Okera, Y.H. Park, J. Sohn, M. Toi, E. Tokunaga, S. Yousef, L. Zhukova, E.C. de Bruin, L. Grinsted, G. Schiavon, A. Foxley, and H.S. Rugo, for the CAPItello-291 Study Group*

FDA approves capivasertib with fulvestrant for breast cancer

On November 16, 2023, the Food and Drug Administration approved capivasertib with fulvestrant for adult patients with hormone receptor (HR)-positive, human epidermal growth factor receptor 2 (HER2)-negative locally advanced or metastatic breast cancer with one or more PIK3CA/AKT1/PTEN-alterations, as detected by an FDA-approved test, following progression on at least one endocrine-based regimen in the metastatic setting or recurrence on or within 12 months of completing adjuvant therapy.

FDA also approved the FoundationOne®CDx assay as a companion diagnostic device to identify patients with breast cancer for treatment with capivasertib with fulvestrant.



Post-CDK4/6: HR+ bone only oligometastatic disease

1st line treatment

- ☐ Fulvestrant 500 mg IM-Alpelisib 300 mg PO daily since May 2023
- Denosumab
- ☐ OFS with **leuprolide**

August 2023:

PET-CT: showed interval decrease in SUV in the left iliac lesion and no new concerning findings.

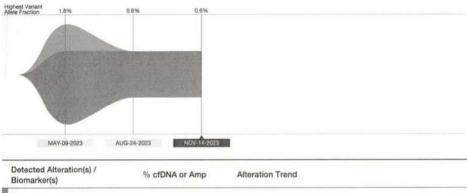
Guardant 360: 70% VAF reduction.

Good compliance to the treatment Still ongoing



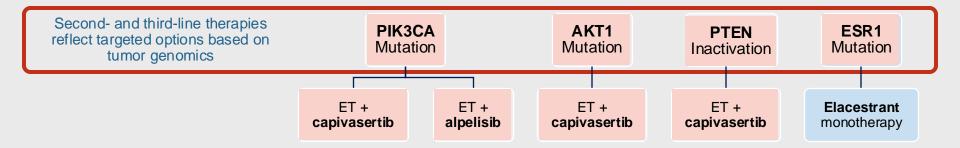
Guardant360 Tumor Response Map

The Guardant360 laboratory developed test (LDT) Turnor Response Magi illustrates the variant allele fraction (% cIDNA) of observed somatic variants at each sample submission. Amplifications are not jointed, and only the first and last five test dates are plotted. Please see the Physician Portal (portal.guardanthealth.com) for the Turnor Response Magi with all test dates.



The table above annotates the variant allele fraction (% cfDNA) detected in this sample, listed in descending order 6 See definitions section for more detail

Guidelines for Molecular Testing in HR+/HER2- mBC



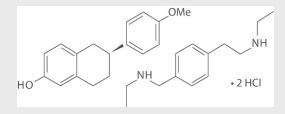
- To aid in treatment selection, providers should test for acquired ESR1 mutations at each recurrence or progression on ET (with or without CDK4/6i) in patients with ER+/HER2- MBC
- Testing should be performed on blood or tissue obtained at the time of progression because ESR1
 mutations develop in response to selection pressure during treatment and are typically undetectable in the
 primary tumor
- Blood-based ctDNA is preferred owing to greater sensitivity

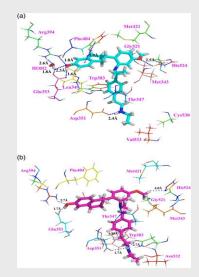
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Print On January 27, 2023, the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) approved elacestrant Content current as of: postmenopausal women or adult men with ER-01/27/2023 positive, HER2-negative, ESR1-mutated advanced or metastatic breast cancer with disease progression following at least one line of endocrine therapy. FDA also approved the Guardant360 CDx assay as a companion diagnostic device to





identify patients with breast cancer for treatment with elacestrant.

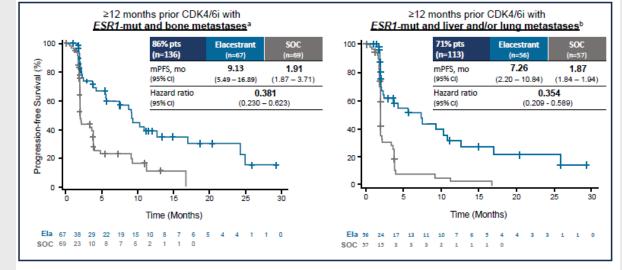
EMERALD: PFS – Subgroup Analysis

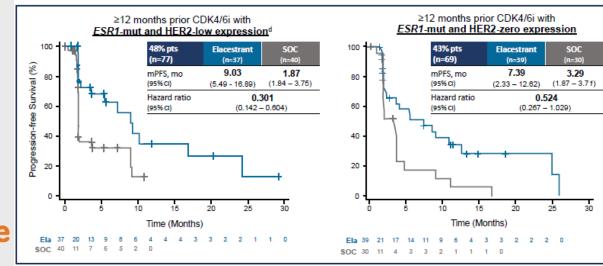
By Site of Metastases:

- Bone
- Liver and/or lung

By HER2 Status:

- HER2-low
- HER2-zero



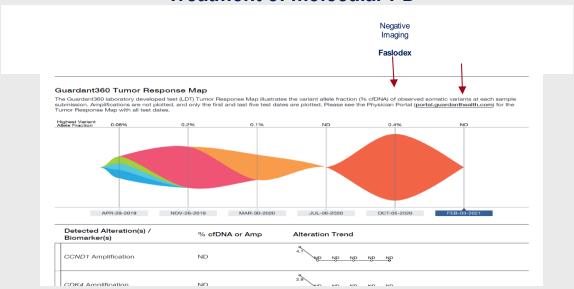


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Bardia A et al, SABCS 2023: Abstract PS17-02.

De-Novo stage IV ESR1-driven molecular progression

Treatment of molecular PD



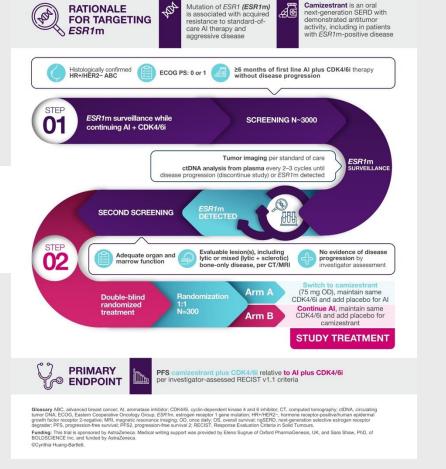
Serial ESR1 Mutation Testing – SERENA-6

Design of SERENA-6, a Phase 3 switch trial of camizestrant in *ESR1*-mutant breast cancer during first-line treatment

Phase III SERENA-6 study design

Authors: Nicholas Turner, Cynthia Huang-Bartlett, Kevin Kalinsky, Massimo Cristofanilli, Giampaolo Bianchini, Stephen Chia, Hiroji Iwata, Wolfgang Janni, Cynthia X Ma, Erica L. Mayer, Yeon Hee Park, Steven Fox, Xiaochun Liu, Sasha McClain & Francois-Clement Bidard.

Article URL https://www.futuremedicine.com/do/supq/10.2217/for-2022-11961 Trial registration number NCT04964934





Camizestrant demonstrated highly statistically significant and clinically meaningful improvement in progression-free survival in 1st-line advanced HR-positive breast cancer with an emergent *ESR1* tumor mutation in SERENA-6 Phase III trial

First and only next-generation oral SERD and complete ER antagonist to demonstrate 1st-line benefit in combination with widely approved CDK4/6 inhibitors



Conclusions

- Liquid biopsy is standard of care in MBC
- Actionable driver mutations in first and later lines of therapy (PI3KCA/Akt/PTEN)
 - Actionable acquired mutations (*ESR1* and *HER2*)
 - Future applications: TMB and Methylation
- Longitudinal monitoring of ctDNA
- Response to treatment (change in AF and tumor burden)

