

***Il ruolo del brentuximab vedotin nel
linfoma di Hodgkin in prima linea
e nel paziente ricaduto/refrattario***

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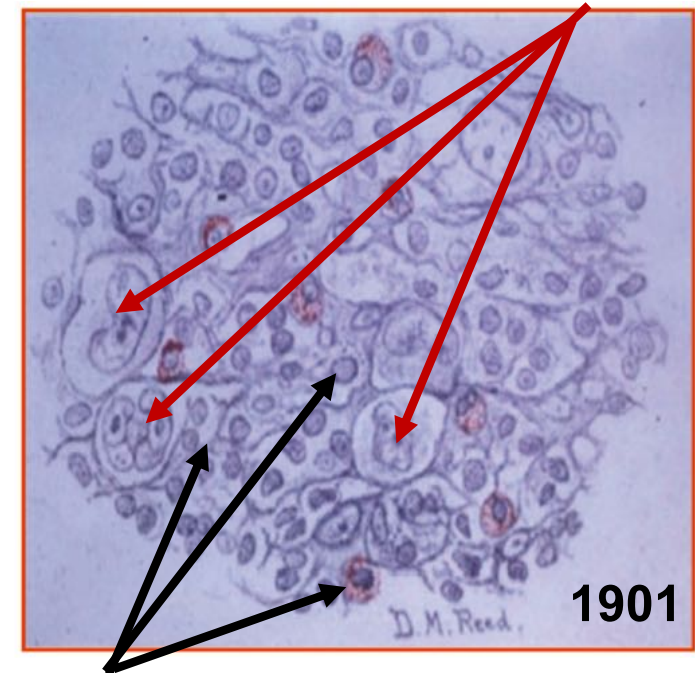
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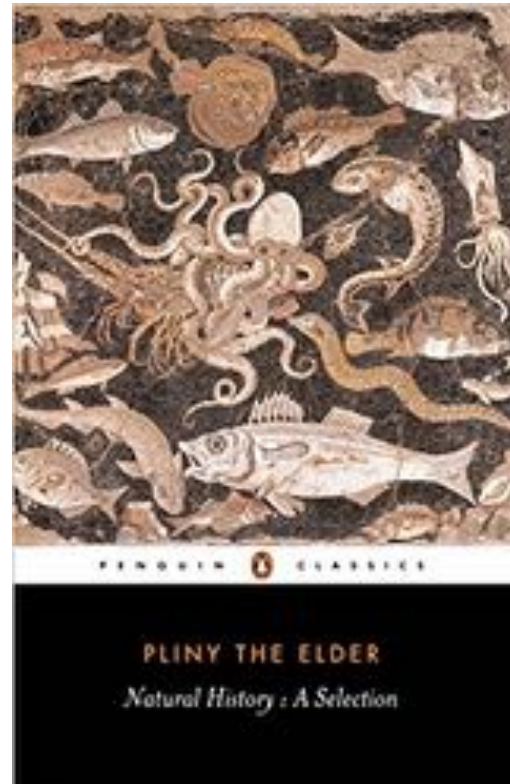
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Antibody drug conjugates: ...how the story began...



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*Aquatilium secuntur in
medicina beneficia, opifice
natura ne in illis quidem
cessante et per undas
fluctusque...*

*Seguono i benefici nella
medicina degli esseri
acquatici, con la natura
artefice... e che esercita le
instancabili forze attraverso
onde e flutti*

Brentuximab Vedotin: ...CD30...HL...and beyond...

The great Roman natural scientist Gaius Plinius Secundus (Pliny the Elder) in his comprehensive study (4) of about 60 A.D. first described a most potent Indian Ocean sea hare² of the genus *Dolabella*. Extracts from this animal and two related *Aplysia* species from the Mediterranean were well known for their toxic properties during the reign of Nero (4, 5). By 150 A.D. Nicander (5) recognized the possibility of using such extracts for treatment of certain diseases. However, the potential of the Indian Ocean *Dolabella* with respect to modern medical problems was not recognized until we uncovered evidence for extremely active anticancer constituents in the Indian Ocean *Dolabella auricularia*³ (3c).

We have now completed the isolation and preliminary characterization of an exceptionally promising series of cancer chemotherapeutic agents designated dolastatins 1-9 from *D. auricularia*. The dolastatins most probably correspond to the potent *D. auricularia* constituents recognized from ancient to fairly recent (7) times. Since dolastatin 1 has been shown (by the U.S. National Cancer

¹The present contribution is part 72 in the series Antineoplastic Agents. For part 71 refer to (3).

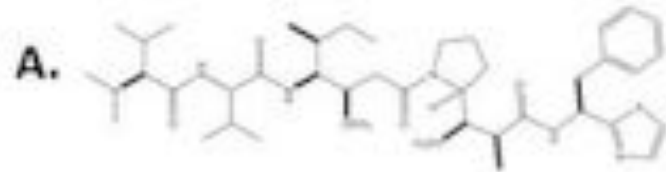
²The Romans first designated Mollusca of the family Aplysiidae in this fashion due to a similarity between the ears of a hare and the auriculate tentacles of these gastropods, consult (5).

³The *D. auricularia* was probably that first described by Pliny and the minor variations recorded in subsequent literature as, e.g., *D. andersoni*, *D. californica*, *D. scandata*, and *D. arapaho* are actually one species, namely *D. auricularia*, see (6).

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Auristatins
(Tubulin polymerase inhibitor)

The Auristatins

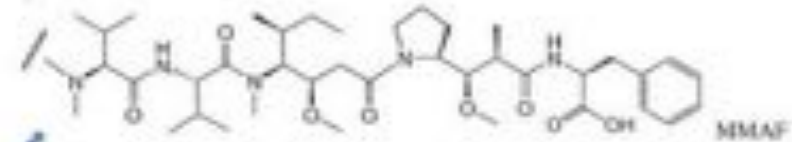
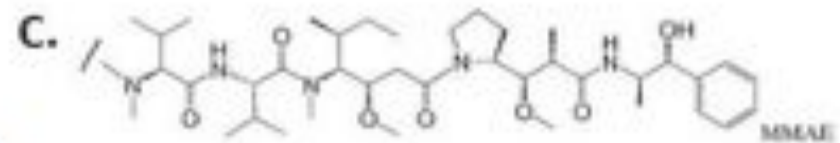


Dolastatin 10



Monomethyl auristatin E (MMAE)

- Warhead of Brentuximab Vedotin
- Up to 1000x more potent than doxorubicin

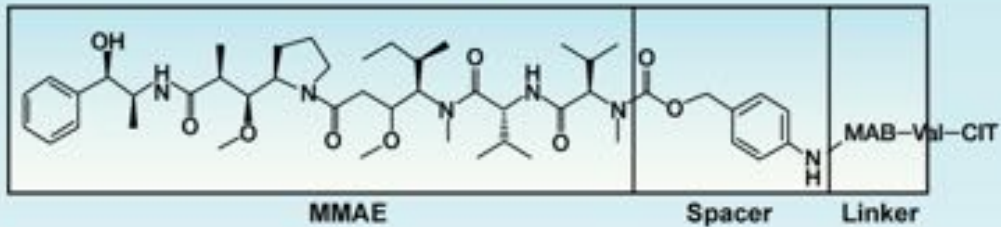
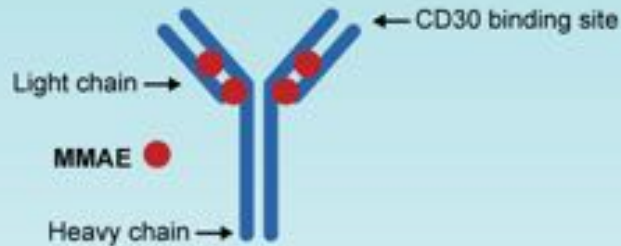


Tubulin Inhibitors

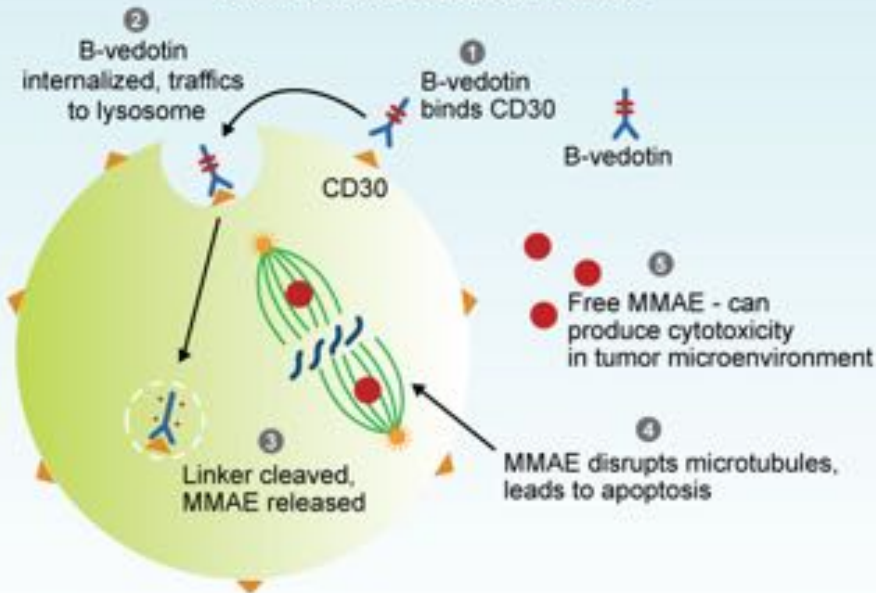
- A. The parent antitubulin agent Dolastatin 10 isolated from the Indian ocean sea hare *Dolabella ariculara* (shown in B)
- C. The synthetic Dolastatin 10 analogues monomethylauristatin E (MMAE) and monomethylauristatin F (MMAF) are used as payloads for ADCs.

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Structure of Brentuximab Vedotin (B-Vedotin)

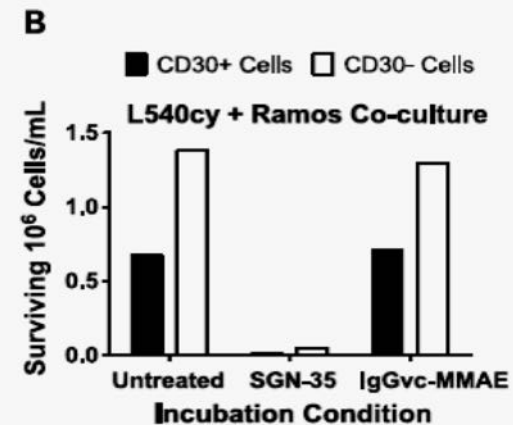


ADC Internalization Process



In addition to BV's primary MOA non-clinical studies highlight other contributory mechanisms of action, including :

- Antibody dependent phagocytosis (ADCP)
- Bystander effects on nearby cells in the tumor microenvironment due to released MMAE
- Immunogenic cell death (ICD) due to endoplasmic reticulum (ER) stress that drives exposure of immune-activating molecules



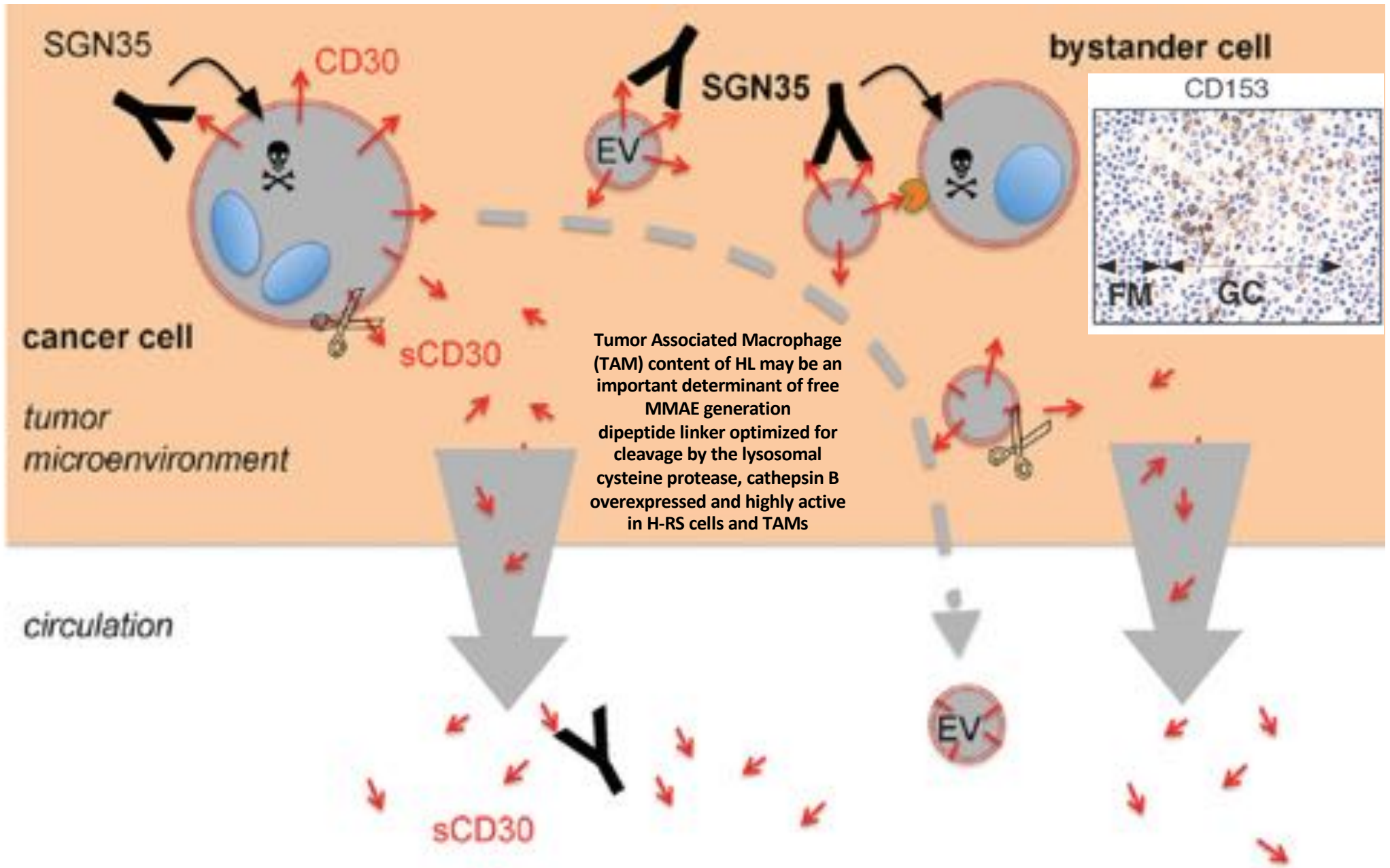
Cancer Therapy: Preclinical

Intracellular Activation of SGN-35, a Potent Anti-CD30 Antibody-Drug Conjugate

Nicole M. Okeley, Jamie B. Miyamoto, Xinqun Zhang, Russell J. Sanderson, Dennis R. Benjamin, Eric L. Sievers, Peter D. Senter, and Stephen C. Alley

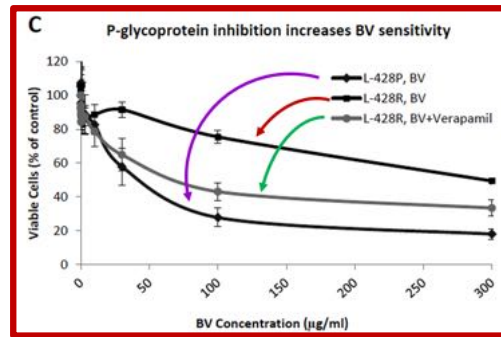
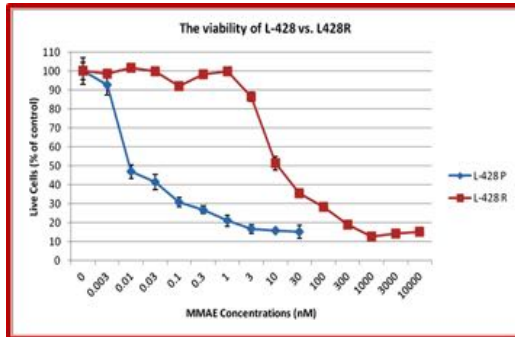
Clinical
Cancer
Research

Brentuximab Vedotin: ...killing Of CD30-negative targets



...Novel Agents for cHL: Brentuximab VEDOTIN

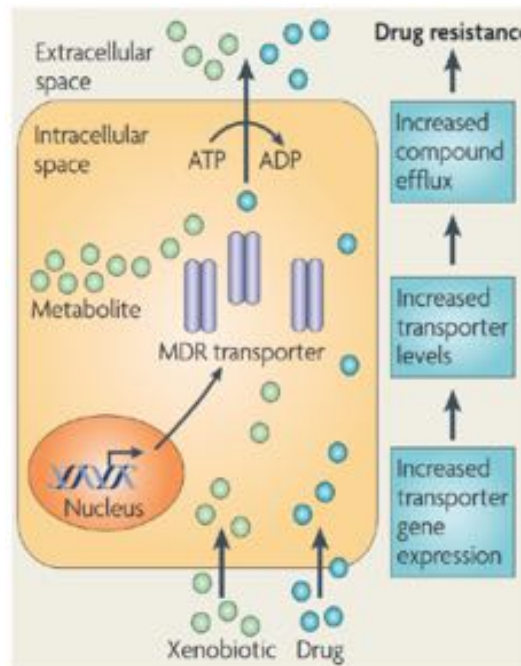
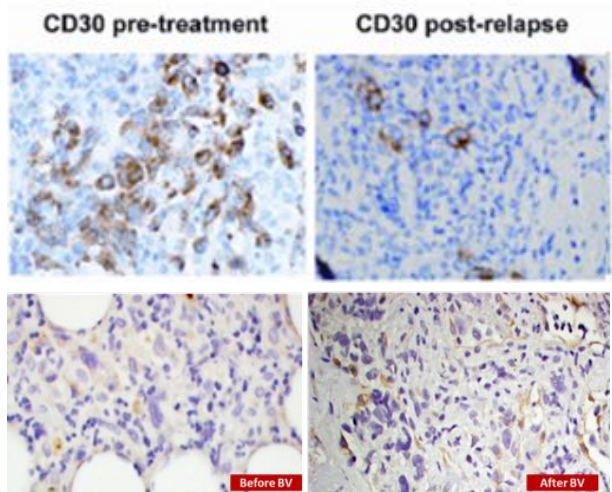
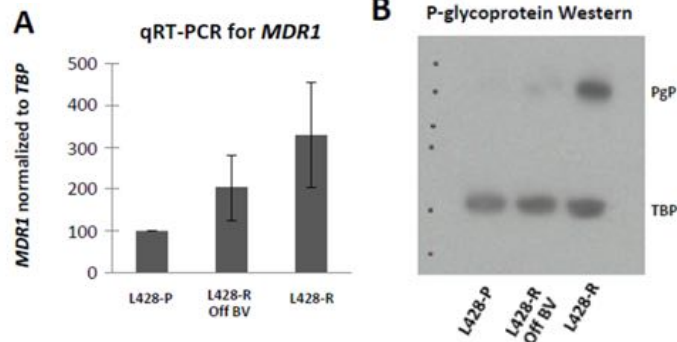
The MMAE payload is extruded via MDR proteins



Phase 1 trial of
BV+cyclosporine
in BV-refractory HL

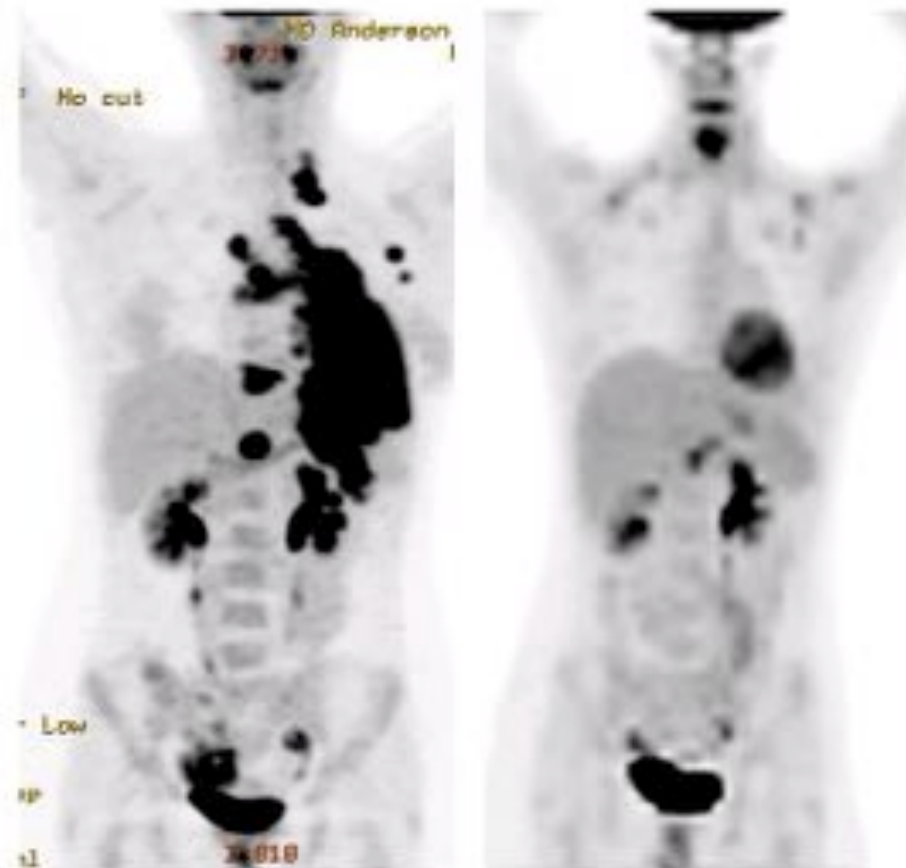
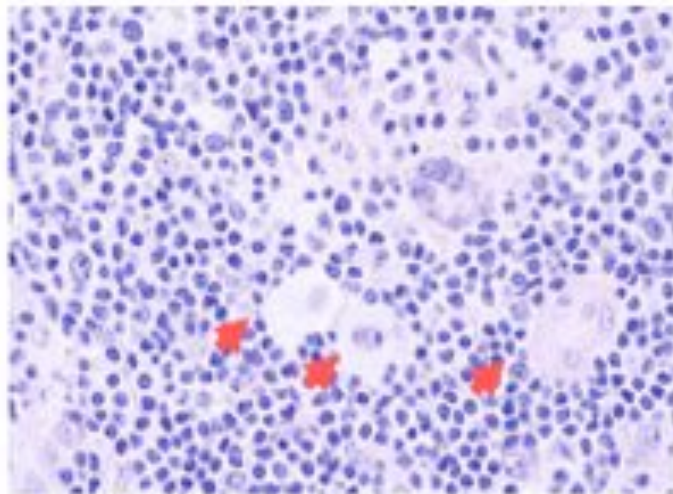
N = 14
ORR 75%
CR 42%

Moderate ↑ in
toxicity compared to
BV alone



Phase I Brentuximab Vedotin in Relapsed HL

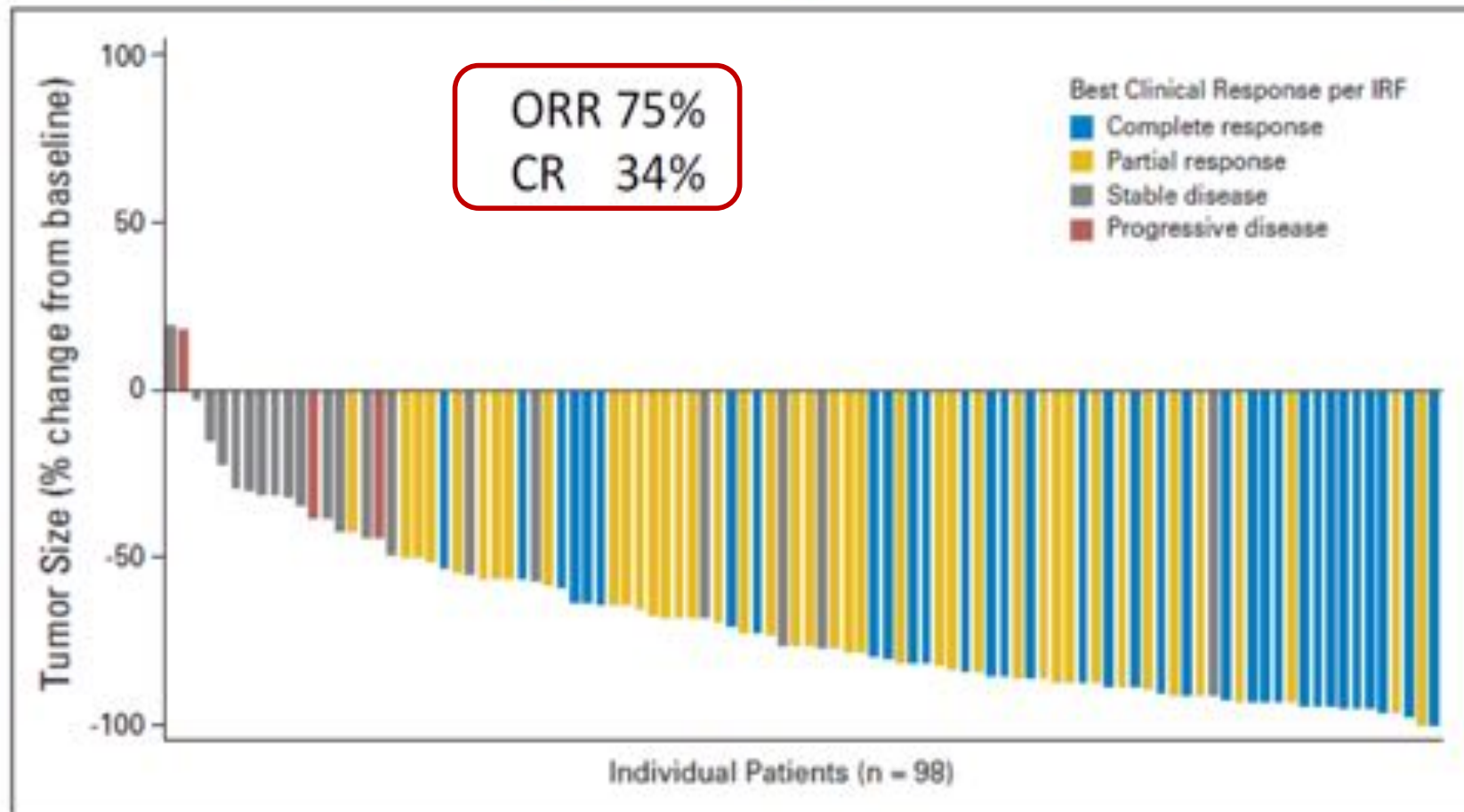
- 21-year-old female
- HL diagnosed 2003
 - ABVD + XRT to mediastinum
 - ICE
 - BEAM→ASCT
 - HDAC-inhibitor
- SGN-35 2.7 mg/kg x 8 cycles
 - Best clinical response: CR
 - CT 93% reduction, PET-
 - PET negative



- **Single agent after ASCT failure**
 - Registration studies
 - Post-Registration (real-life) studies
- **Sequential single agent BV and chemotherapy**
(...*on demand strategy*...) **ASCT-eligible/ineligible**
 - BV alone (about 30-35% of pts. achieve a metabolic CR)
 - BV <mCR: ICE, DICE, IGEV, GVD, GDP
 - BV and Bendamustine or Bendamustine and BV
- **Incorporate BV into salvage**
 - Bendamustine BV (BBV)
 - Gemcitabine BV
 - BV-DHAP (Brave)
 - BV-ESHAP (BrESHAP)
 - BV-ICE
- **BV for ‘chemo-free’ salvage**
 - BV+CPIs

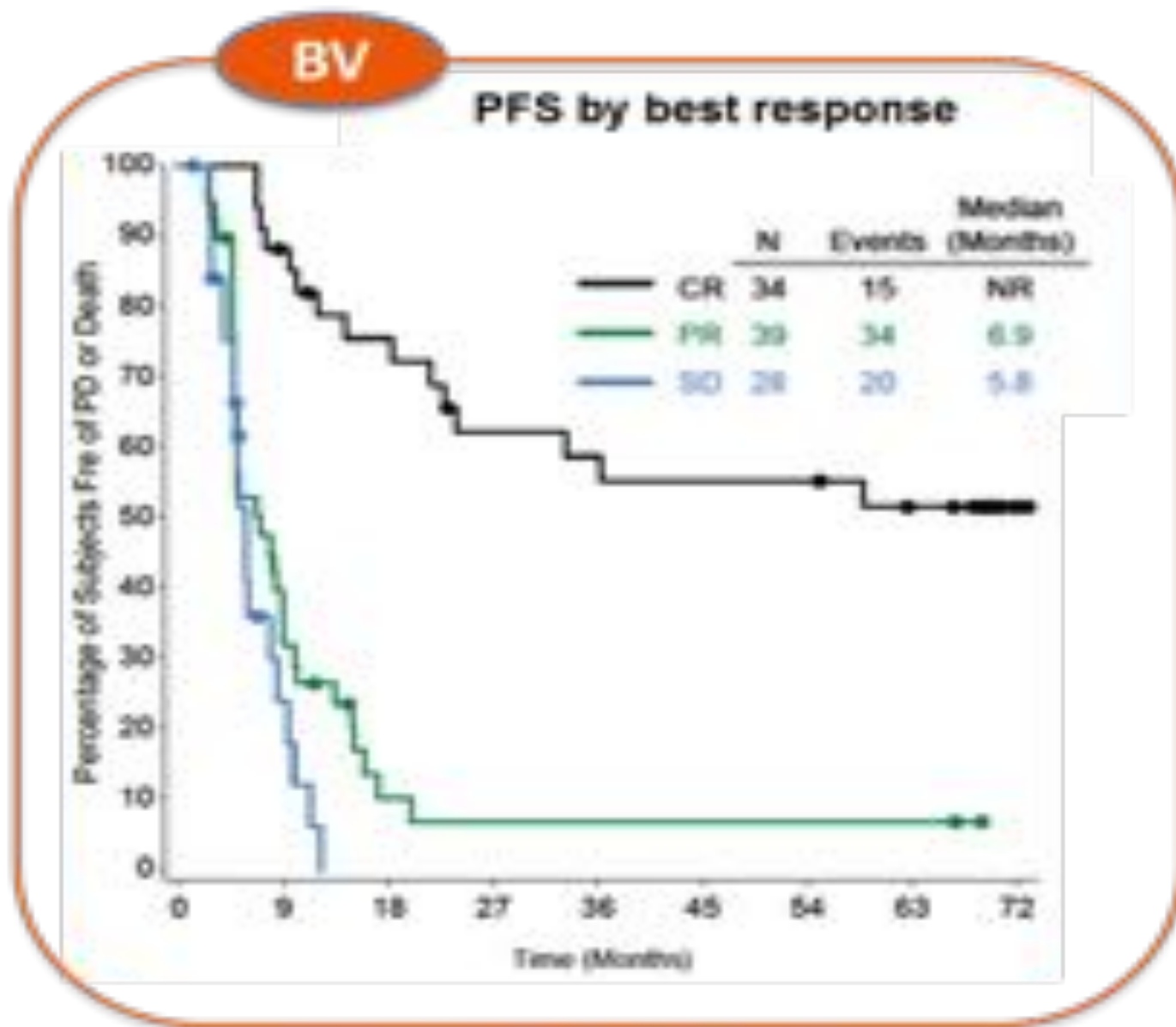
Brentuximab Vedotin in the Overall Treatment Strategy for HL

Phase II pivotal study of brentuximab vedotin in relapsed HL post ASCT



94% patients achieved tumour reduction

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Chen et al., Blood 2016

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Oncotarget, 2017, Vol. 8, (No. 53), pp: 91703-91710

Clinical Research Paper

Italian real life experience with brentuximab vedotin: results of a large observational study on 234 relapsed/refractory Hodgkin's lymphoma

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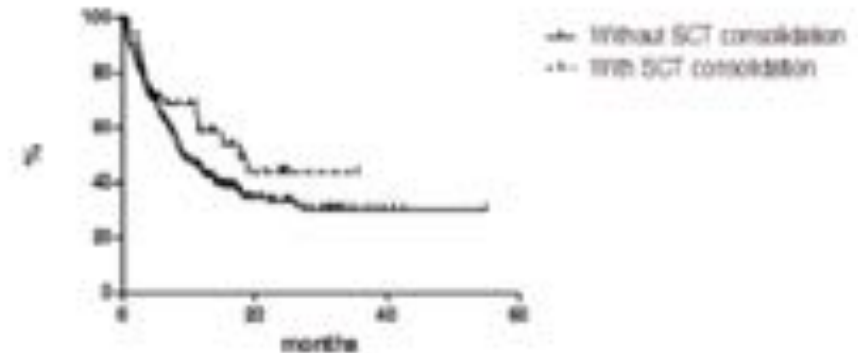


Figure 4: Progression free survival in patients with and without stem cell transplant (SCT) consolidation.

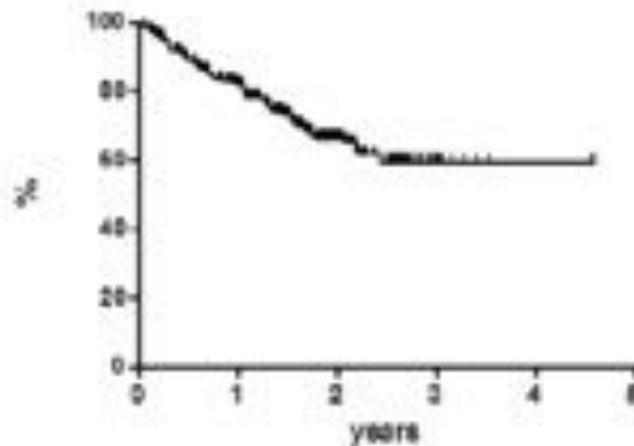


Figure 1: Overall survival.

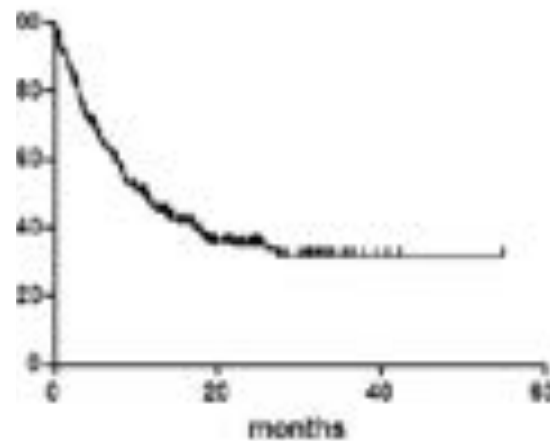


Figure 2: Progression free survival.

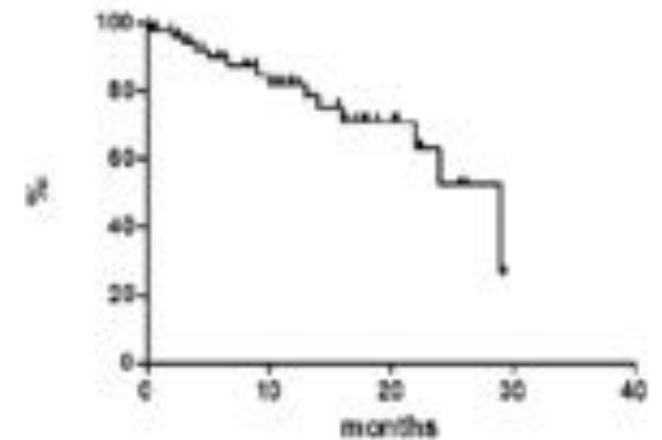
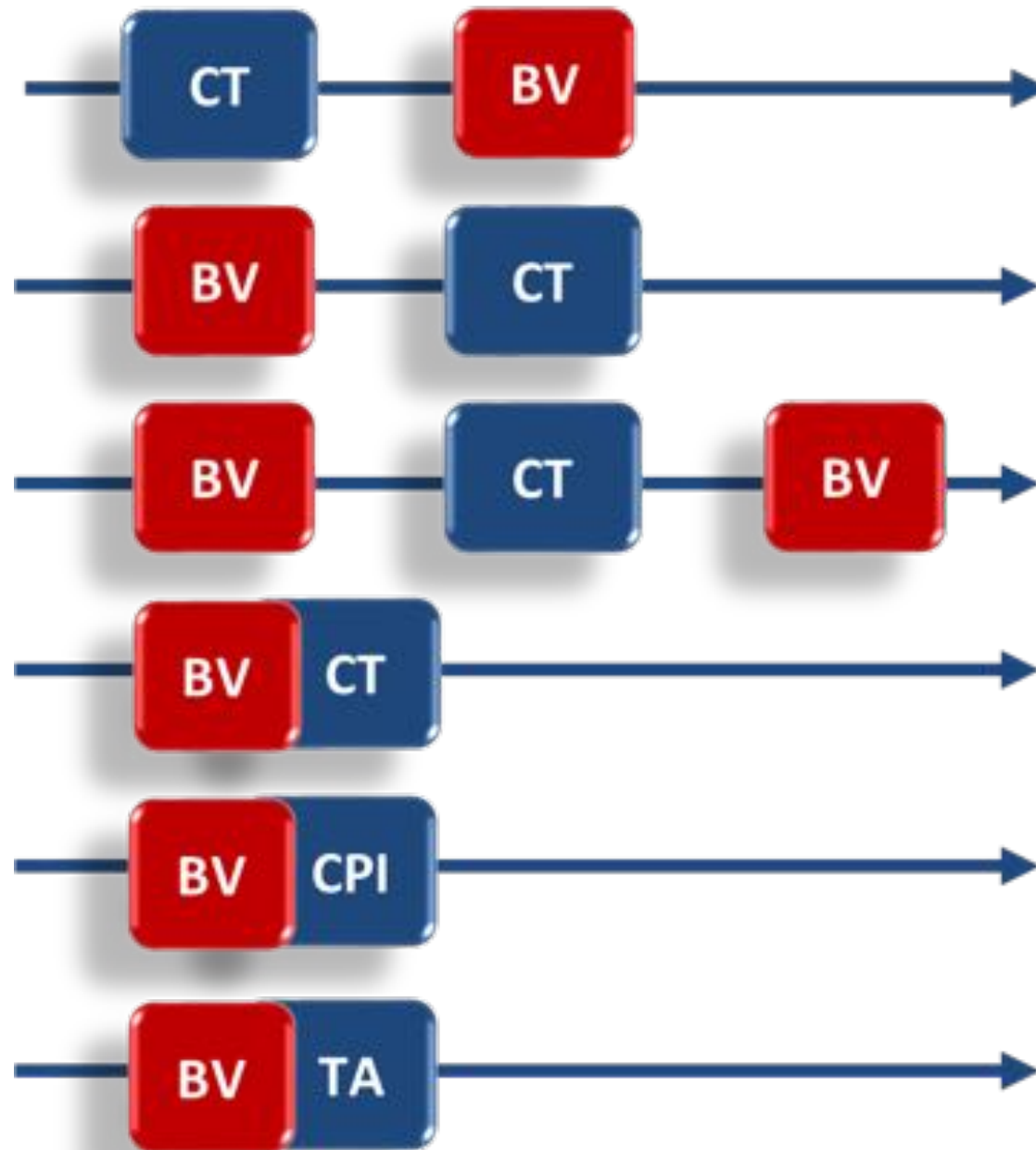


Figure 3: Disease free survival.

...Novel Agents for cHL: Operating Instructions



Brentuximab vedotin for RR-HL: one, no one, one-hundred-thousand

Table 1. Patients' demographics and disease characteristics (n = 30)

| Characteristic | Data |
|---|---------------------|
| Age, years, mean \pm SD, median | 30.9 \pm 12.8, 27 |
| Sex, male/female, n | 13/17 |
| Stage, n (%) | |
| II | 13 (43.3) |
| III-IV | 17 (56.7) |
| Primary refractory disease, n (%) | 21 (70.0) |
| Regimens prior to BV, median no. | 3 (range, 2-11) |
| First salvage treatment, n | |
| Ifosfamide-containing regimen | 17 |
| Cytarabine- and platinum-containing regimen | 9 |
| BEACOPP regimen | 4 |
| BV cycles, median no. | 4 (range, 2-8) |

The Oncologist

Hematologic Malignancies

Brentuximab Vedotin in Transplant-Naïve Relapsed/Refractory Hodgkin Lymphoma: Experience in 30 Patients

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| | Outcomes |
|-----------------------------|--|
| BV | 4 (r 2-8) |
| ORR | 12/30 (40%) |
| CR @ PET4 (5PDS : \leq 2) | 9 (30%) |
| PR @ PET4 | 3 (10%) |
| ASCT | 9 (CR) + 5 (PR/NR) |
| ASCT outcome @ 18 mo.s | Post-BV CR 8/9 \rightarrow cCR Post-BV NR 1/5 \rightarrow cCR |

The Oncologist 2015;20:1-4

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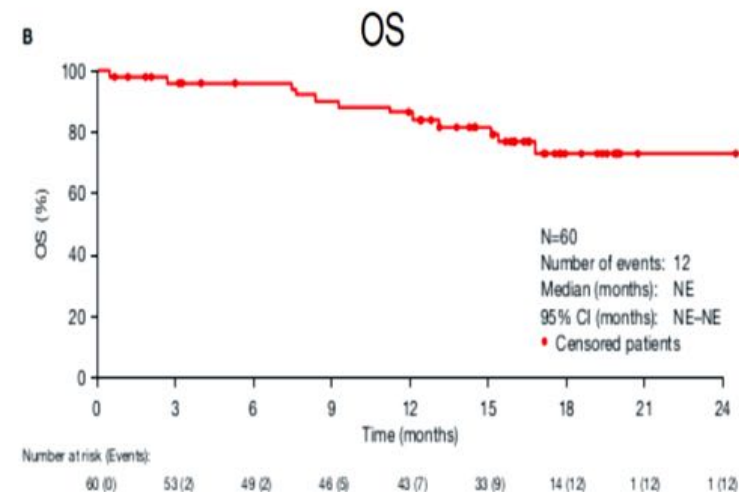
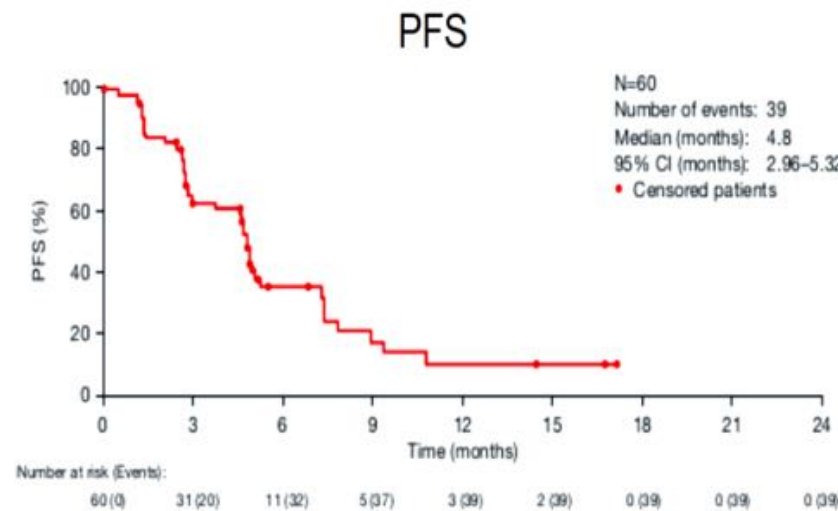
Phase IV study: Brentuximab vedotin in patients with R/R HL ineligible for SCT or multi-agent chemotherapy (NCT01990534)

Walewski J, et al. ISHL 2016, Poster presentation #P104

Response:

| | ITT population (N=60) | |
|--|-----------------------|-----------------|
| | Per IRF | Per INV |
| ORR (CR+PR), n (%) [95% CI] | 30 (50) [37-63] | 29 (48) [35-62] |
| Best clinical response, n (%) [95% CI] | | |
| CR | 7 (12) [5-23] | 9 (15) [7-27] |
| PR | 23 (38) [26-52] | 20 (33) [22-47] |
| Median time to response, weeks (range) | | |
| Time to response (CR+PR) | 6.0 (5-39) | 6.1 (5-53) |
| Time to best response | 11.2 (5-60) | 11.8 (5-53) |
| Time to CR | 12.0 (6-60) | 12.1 (11-29) |
| Time to PR | 6.0 (5-39) | 9.1 (5-53) |

Median PFS (per IRF) 4.8 mos (95% CI: 2.96-5.32); median OS NE



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Brentuximab vedotin in the treatment of elderly Hodgkin lymphoma patients at first relapse or with primary refractory disease: a phase 2 study of FIL ONLUS

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Patients' characteristics (N = 18).

| | |
|---|-----------------------|
| Age | |
| Median (range), years | 73 (61.2-85.7) |
| Sex, N | |
| Male | 9 |
| Female | 9 |
| Stage (Ann Arbor), N | |
| At diagnosis: | |
| I | 2 |
| II | 0 |
| III | 7 |
| IV | 9 |
| At time of BV treatment: | |
| I | 1 |
| II | 2 |
| III | 8 |
| IV | 7 |
| Performance status at BV treatment (ECOG), N | |
| 0 | 11 |
| 1 | 7 |
| Time I diagnosis-BV, median (range) | 1 year [2 mos-21 yrs] |
| Time last treatment-BV, median (range) | 6 mos [1 mo-20 yrs] |
| Last treatment, N | |
| ABVD/MBVD | 13 (2 plus RT) |
| VBM | 2 |
| COPP | 2 |
| gemcitabine | 1 |
| Outcome, N | |

Refractory

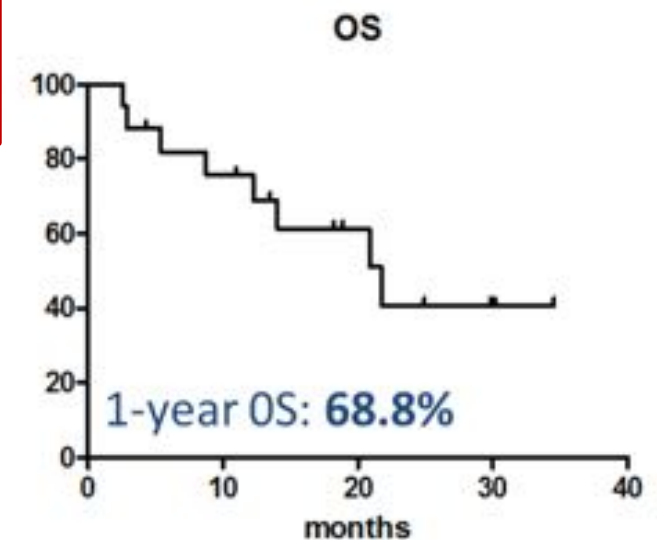
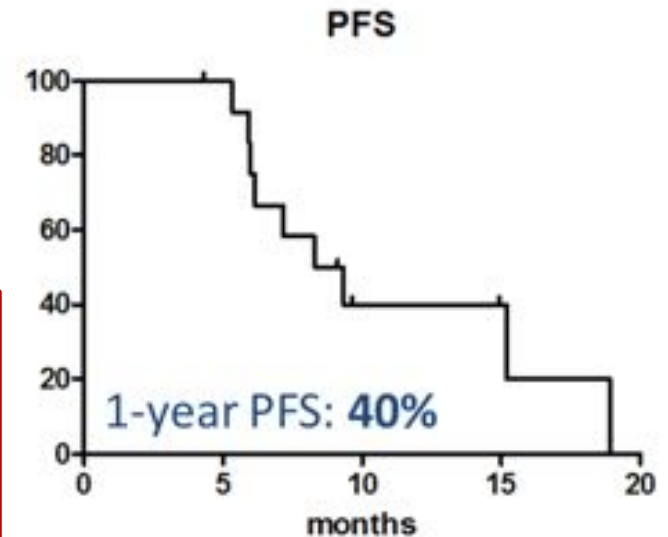
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Relapsed

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- **ORR: 52.9 % (9/17)**
- **CR: 23.5% (4/17)**
- **PR: 9/17**
- **Early discontinuation:**
7 pts. (G2/G3 neuropathy)
7 pts. (no response/pro)
- **median PFS: 8.8 mo.s**
- **median OS: 21.7 mo.s**

Median DFS: 3.9 mo.s
Time to relapse for CRs:
2.8, 3.4, 4.4, 16.4+ months

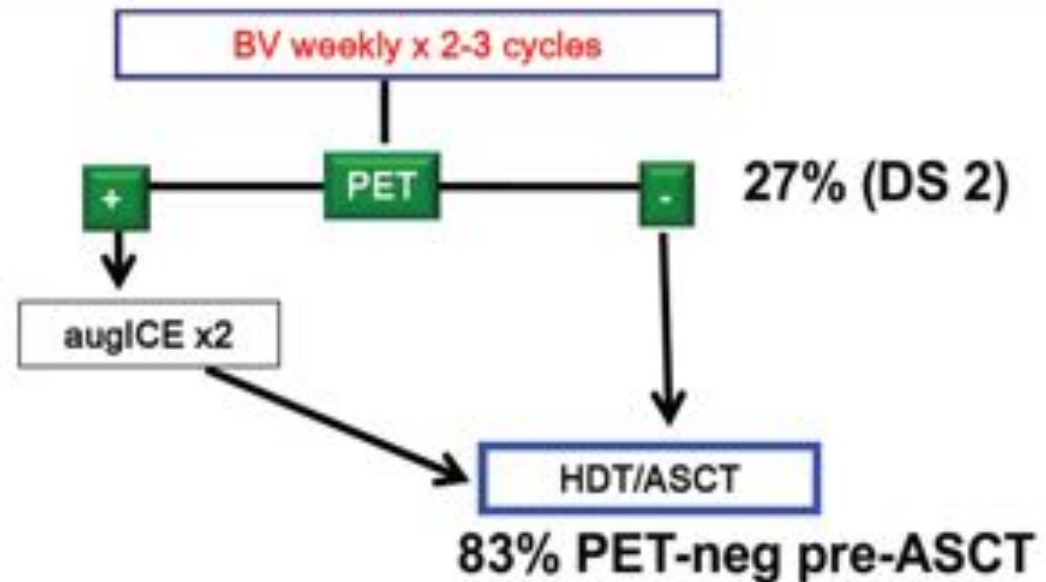


Median FU 24.9 mo.s

PET-adapted sequential salvage: BV as initial salvage

MSKCC study

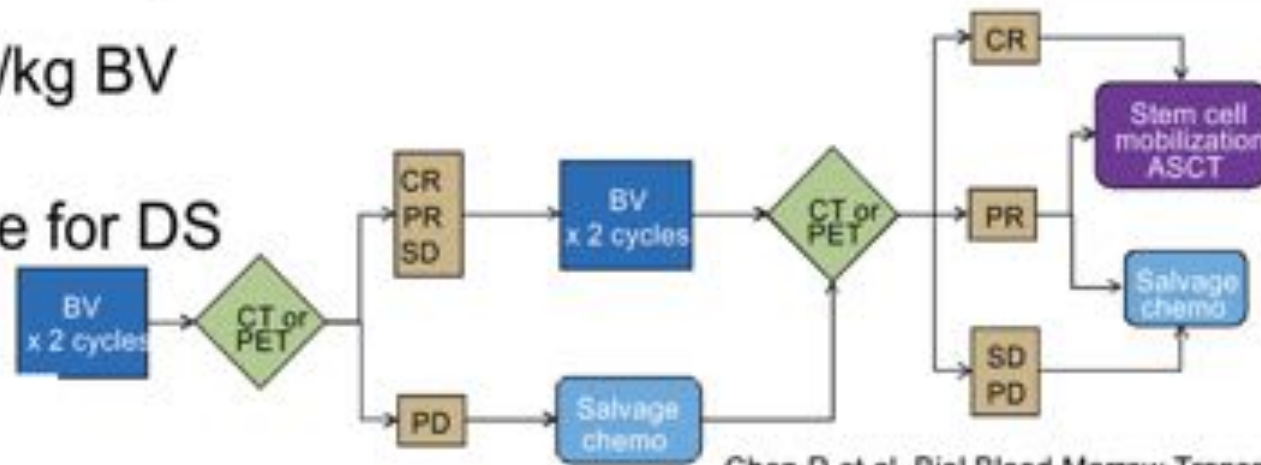
- Weekly 1.2mg/kg BV
- D1,8,15 of 28d cycles
- Augmented ICE for DS 3-5



Moskowitz A et al Lancet Oncology 2015

COH study

- Q3W 1.8mg/kg BV
- 21d cycles
- SOC salvage for DS 4-5

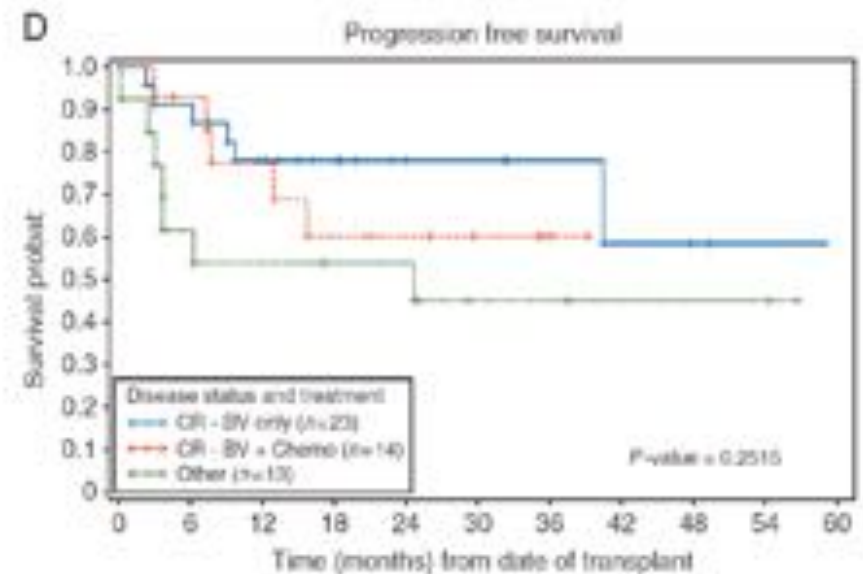
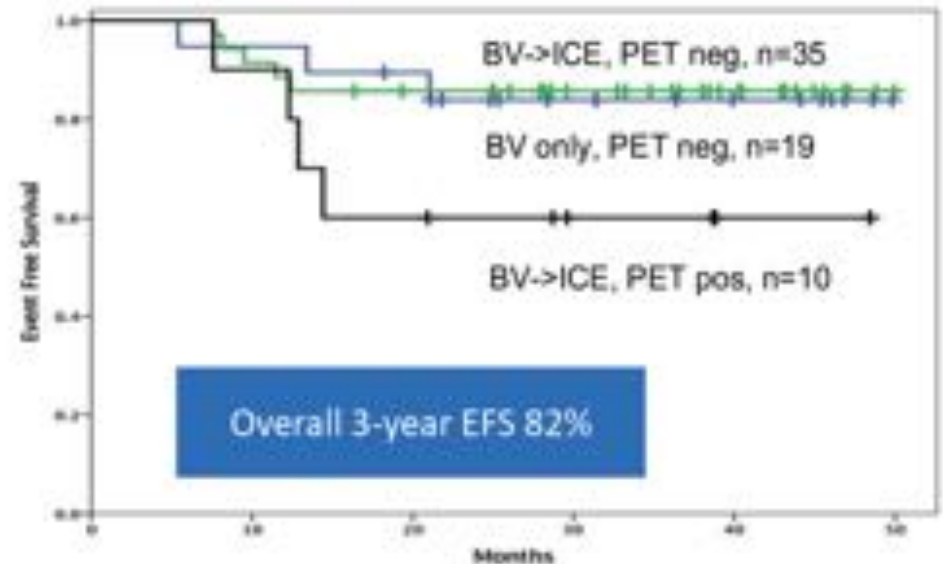


Chen R et al. Biol Blood Marrow Transplant, 2015

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BV is an effective bridge to ASCT, some pts can avoid chemo

- MSKCC study (n = 65)
 - 28% DS 1-2 direct to ASCT
 - 75% DS 1-2 after BV +/- ICE
 - 64/65 proceeded to ASCT
- COH study (n = 56)
 - 50% direct to ASCT after BV
 - 50/56 proceeded to ASCT
 - 2y PFS 67% overall
 - 2y PFS 77% after BV alone

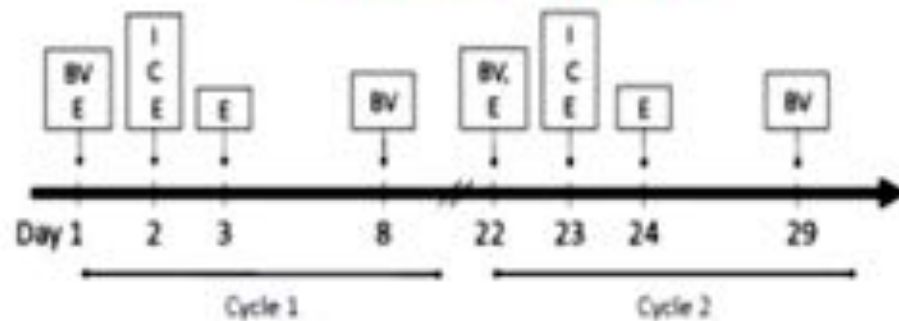


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BV + ICE

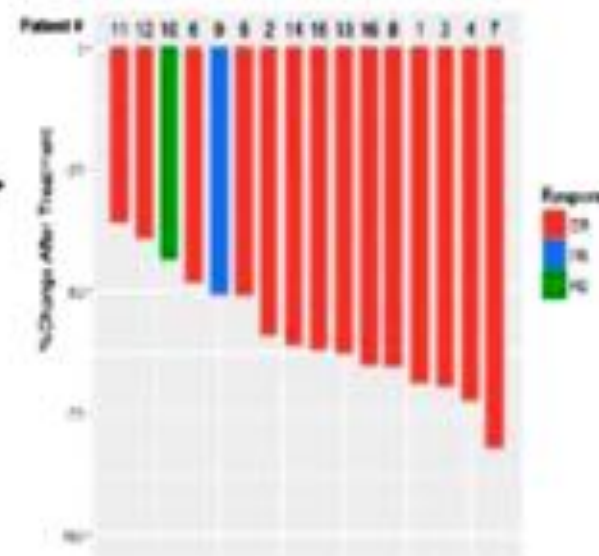
N=16

BV+ ICE chemotherapy Treatment Schema



- Brentuximab vedotin:
 - Dose Level 1: 1.8 mg/m² IV on Day 1 only
 - Dose Level 1: 1.2 mg/m² IV on Days 1 and 8
 - Dose Level 2: 1.5 mg/m² IV on Days 1 and 8
- Ifosfamide (with mesna): 5 g/m² IV over 24 hours starting on Day 2
- Carboplatin: AUC 5 (capped at 800 mg) IV on Day 2
- Etoposide: 100 mg/m² IV on Days 1, 2, and 3

Response Assessment After BV-ICE



- Investigator-defined response:

- CR rate = 88%
- Overall response rate = 94%

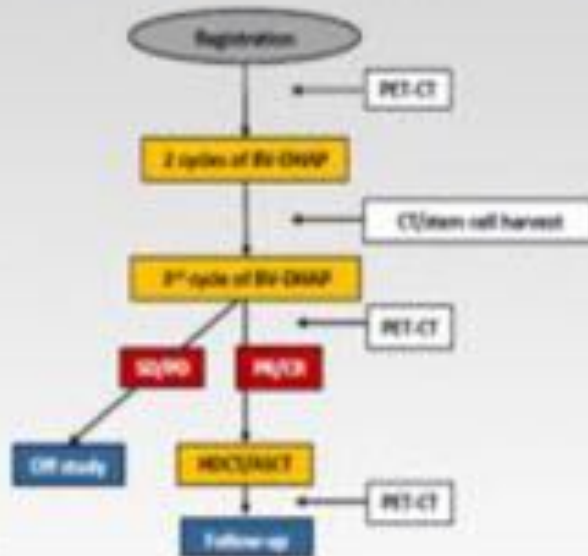
- Relapse rate = 19%
- All subjects still alive
- Median follow-up: 10.5 mo

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BV + DHAP (BRaVE study)

Outline of the European Transplant BRaVE Study

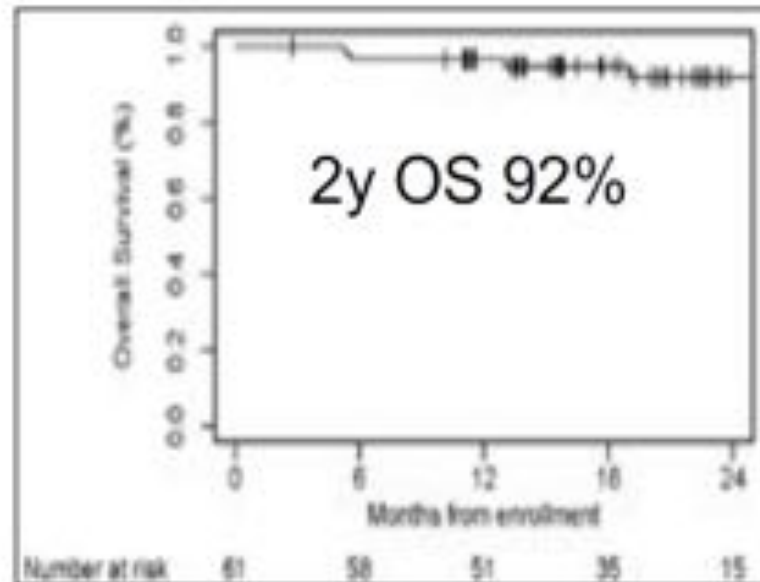
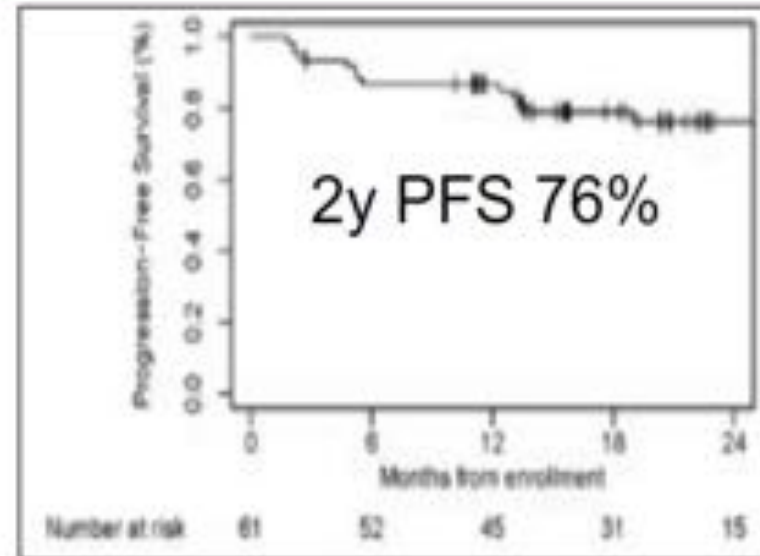
Refractory to first-line chemotherapy or at first relapse



N=61, 37% primary refractory
ORR 87%, CR: 79%

Gr 3-4 Toxicities
63% neutropenia, 30% F&N
81% thrombocytopenia

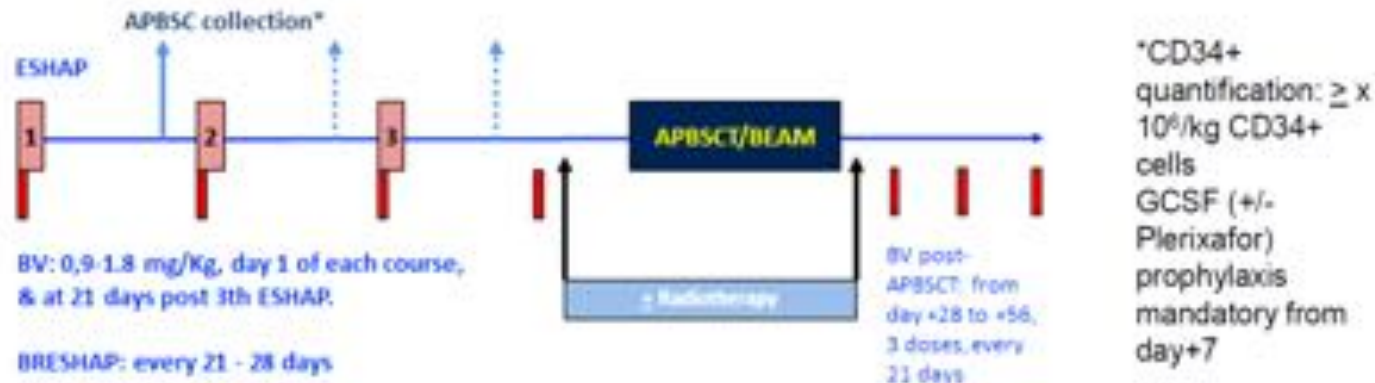
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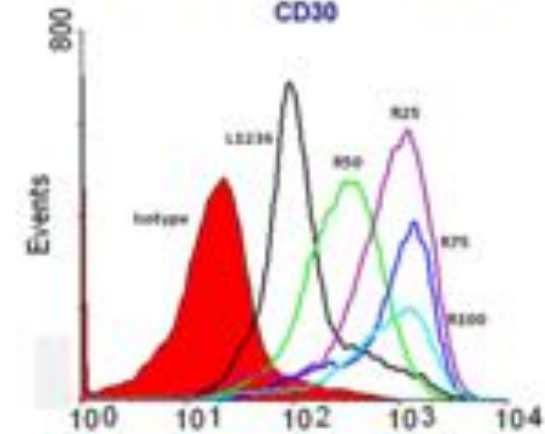
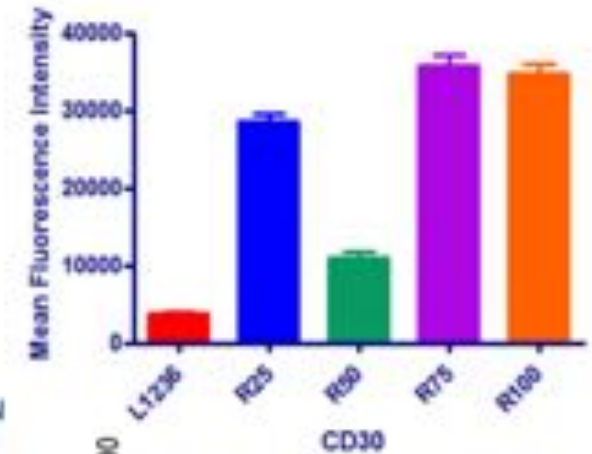
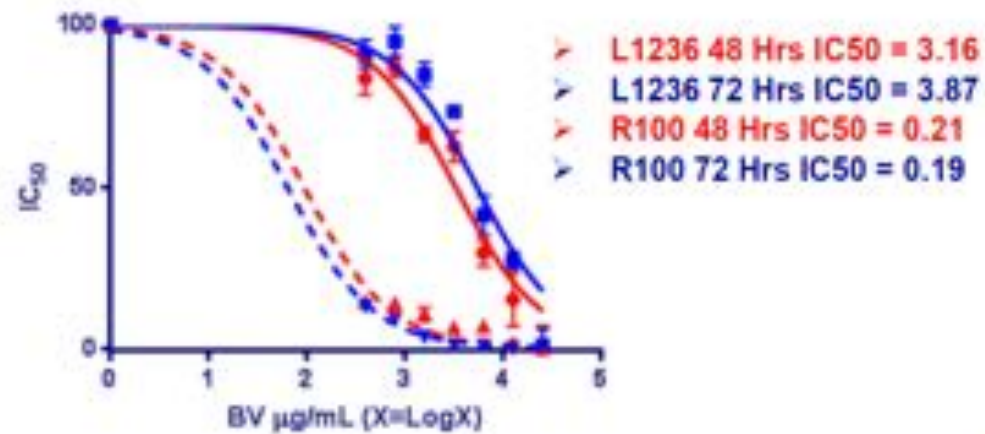
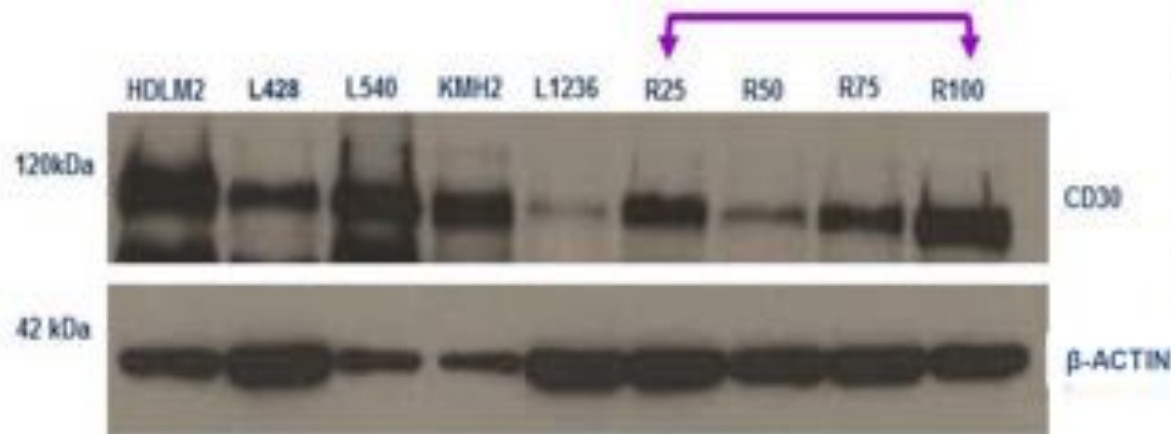
Extended follow up from BrESHAP first salvage study demonstrates most patients still in remission at 3 years

- Combination of BV and ESHAP chemotherapy [BRESHAP] as 2nd line therapy for RRHL prior to ASCT
- All but two pts (64/66) underwent stem cell mobilization
- 61 pts were transplanted directly after BRESHAP salvage
- 50 patients received BV consolidation after transplant



| N=65 evaluable pts | BrESHAP |
|----------------------------------|---|
| Pre-transplant response | 95% (71% CR, 25%PR) ← |
| Post-transplant response | 92% (82% CR, 10% PR) |
| 3 year time to treatment failure | 74% |
| 3 year PFS | 71% ← |
| 3 year OS | 91% |
| AE Summary | N=23 SAEs (22 resolved, 1 death), 2 discontinuations after C3 |

Immunotherapy for Malignant Lymphoma: 2019



Extended exposure and resistance to Bendamustine in HL cells is associated to a stable upregulation of CD30 and increased sensitivity to Brentuximab Vedotin

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Brentuximab vedotin plus bendamustine in relapsed or refractory Hodgkin's lymphoma: an international, multicentre, single-arm, phase 1-2 trial



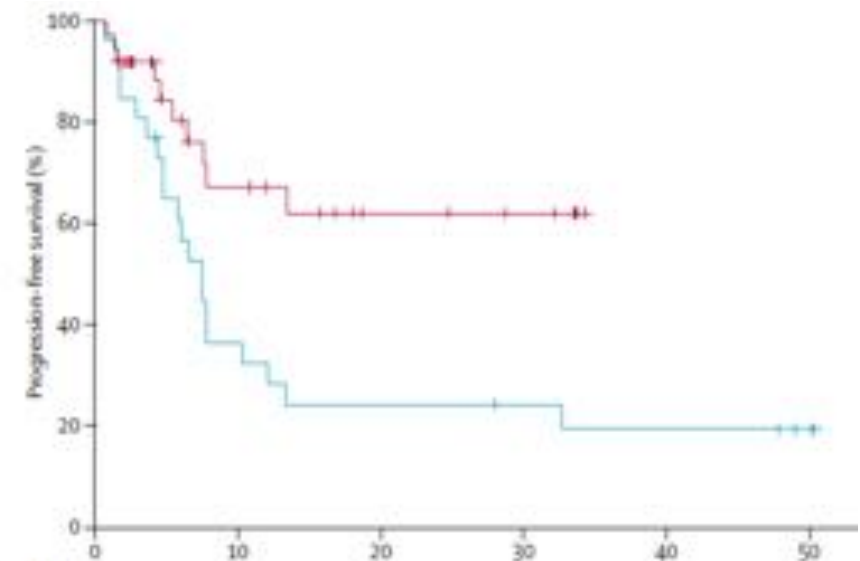
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| | Phase 1 (n=28) | Phase 2 (n=37) | Total (n=65) |
|------------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|
| Overall response | 17 (61% [41-79]) | 29 (78% [62-91]) | 46 (71% [58-81]) |
| Complete response | 5 (18%) | 16 (43%) | 21 (32%) |
| Partial response* | 12 (43%) | 13 (35%) | 25 (38%) |
| Stable disease | 4 (14%) | 5 (14%) | 9 (14%) |
| Not assessable | 1 (4%) | 0 | 1 (2%) |
| Progression of disease | 6 (21%) | 3 (8%) | 9 (14%) |

Data are n (% [95% CI]) or n (%). *The patient with anaplastic large-T-cell lymphoma had a partial response in phase 1.

Table 2: Treatment response by study phase to brentuximab vedotin plus bendamustine



Median PFS: 7.5 months (95% CI 4.8–12.1)

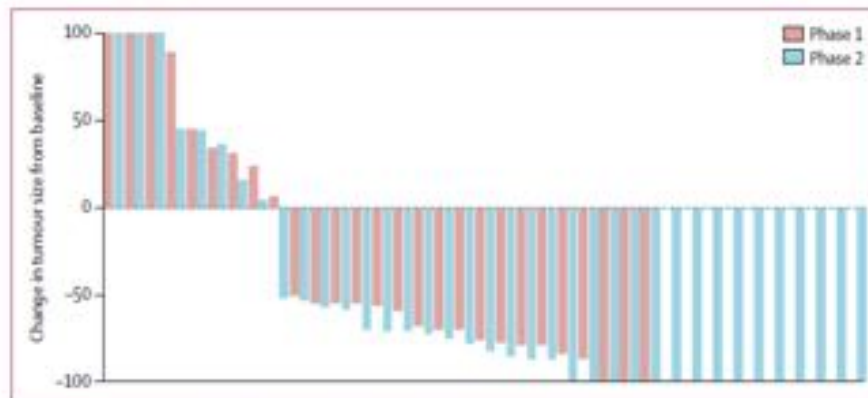


Figure 2: Responses to brentuximab vedotin plus bendamustine by study phase
All complete remissions are defined by functional imaging as PET negative. One patient in phase 1 was not assessed radiologically because of a protocol violation in cycle 1.

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Brentuximab vedotin plus bendamustine: a highly active first salvage regimen for relapsed or refractory Hodgkin lymphoma

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Table 2. Best response on combination therapy

| Population | Best clinical response, n (%) [95% CI] | | | | |
|--------------------------------------|--|-----------|----------|---------|---------------------------|
| | CR | PR | SD | PD | ORR* |
| Overall, N = 53 | 29 (54.6) [39.7, 64.7] | 10 (18.9) | 3 (5.7) | 1 (1.9) | 49 (92.5) [81.8, 97.9] |
| Response to frontline therapy | | | | | |
| Primary refractory, n = 28 | 18 (64.3) [44.1, 81.4] | 6 (21.4) | 3 (10.7) | 1 (3.6) | 24 (85.7) [67.3, 96.0] |
| Relapsed, n = 25 | 21 (84.0) [63.9, 95.5] | 4 (16.0) | 0 (0.0) | 0 (0.0) | 25 (100) [86.3, 100] |
| ASCT | | | | | |
| Yes, n = 40 | 34 (85.0) [70.2, 94.3] | 4 (10.0) | 2 (5.0) | 0 (0.0) | 38 (95.0) [83.1, 99.4] |
| No, n = 13 | 5 (38.5) [13.9, 68.4] | 6 (46.2) | 1 (7.7) | 1 (7.7) | 11 (84.6) [54.6, 98.1] |

- 97% 1st stem cell mobilization attempt success

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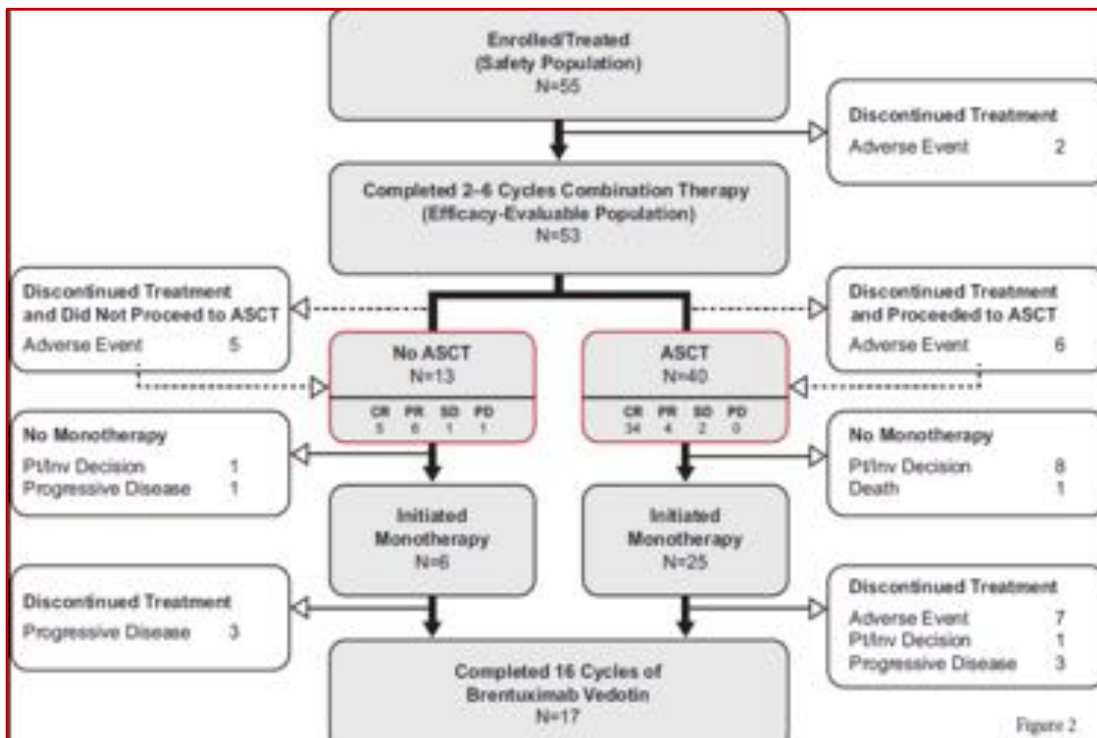


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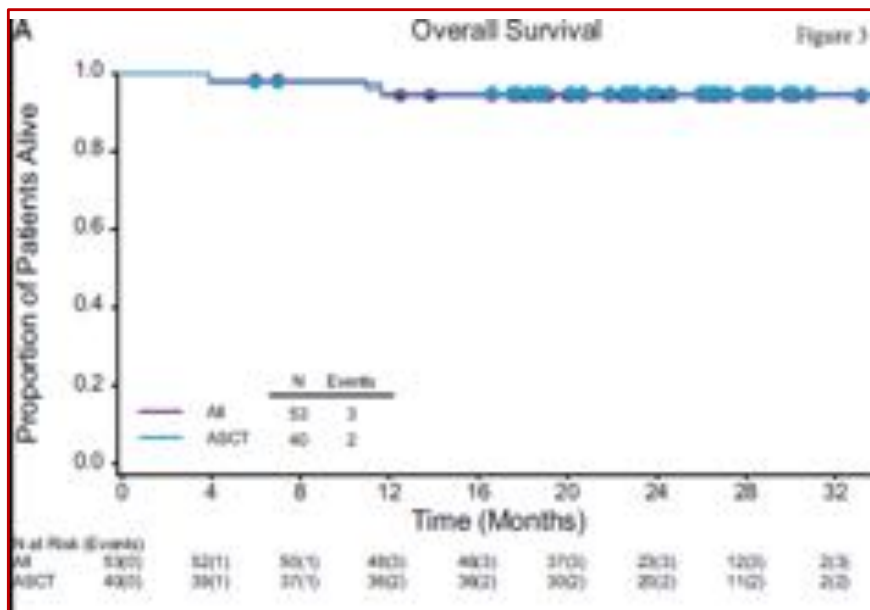
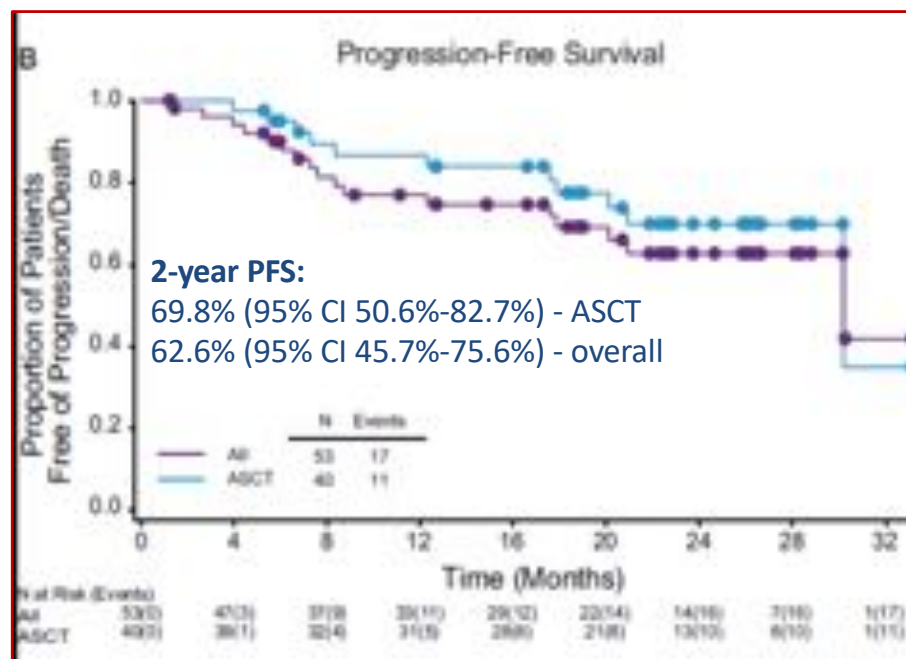
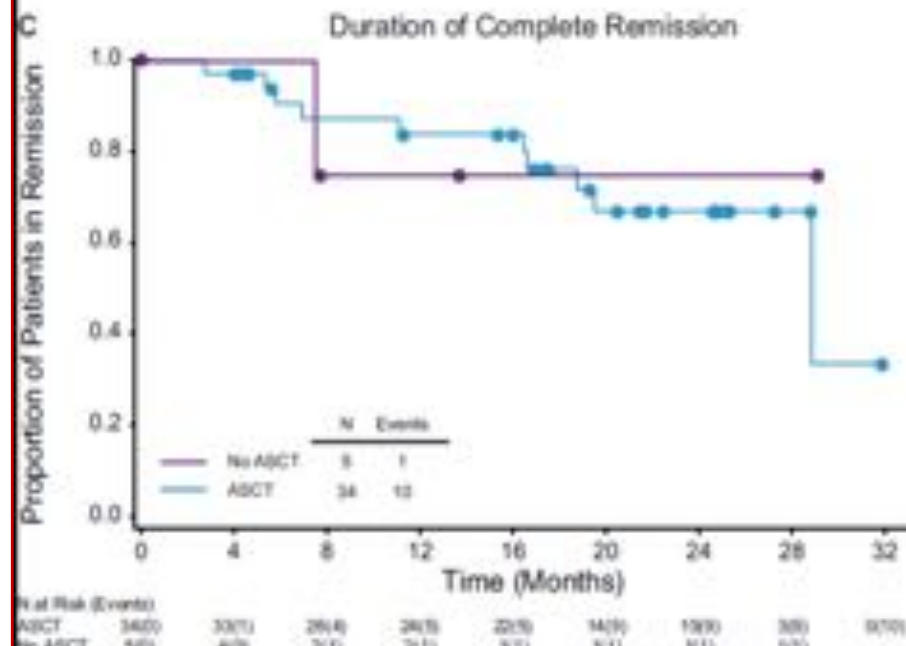


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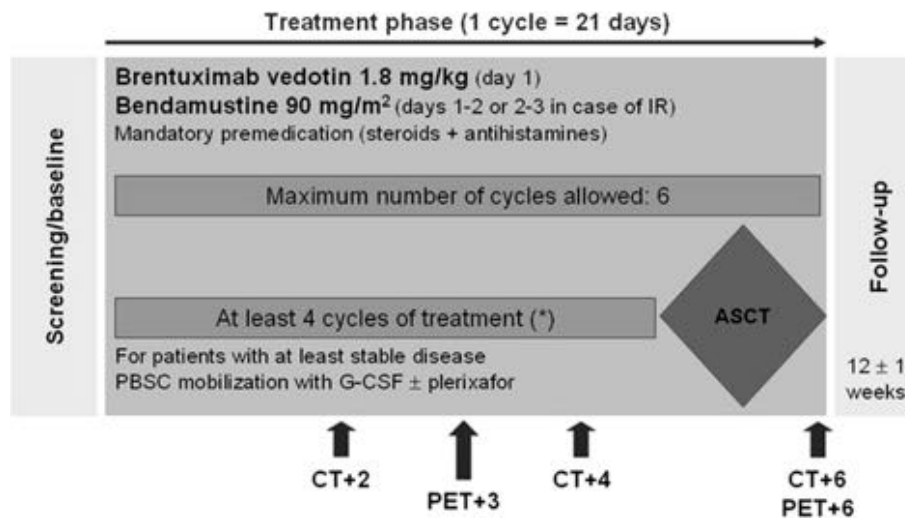
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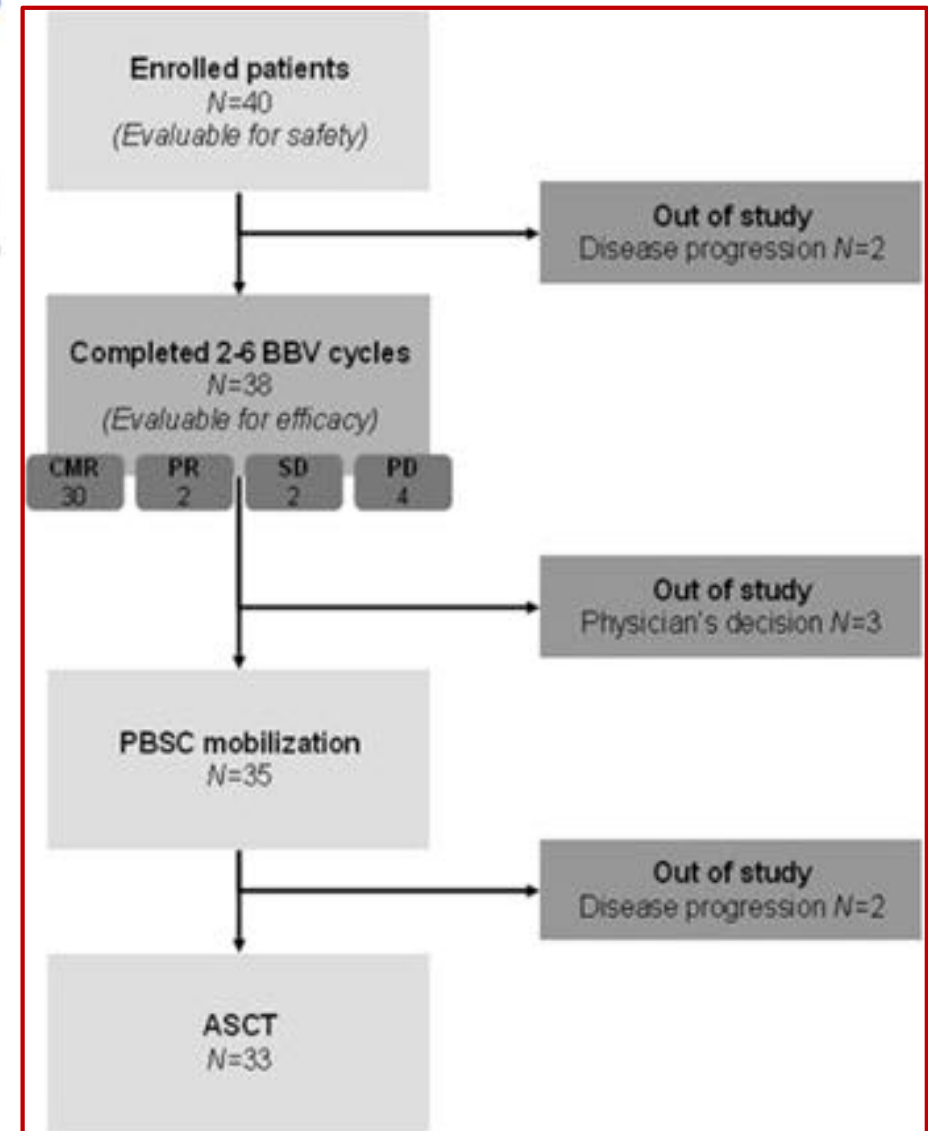
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First salvage treatment with bendamustine and brentuximab vedotin in Hodgkin lymphoma: a phase 2 study of the Fondazione Italiana Linfomi

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- ORR: 84.2%
- CMR: 78.9%
- PR: 5.3%
- **Primary refractory: ORR 75.0%**
- **Relapsed: ORR 94.4%**
- 35 pts. successful mobilization
- 33 underwent ASCT



Median FU 23 mo.s

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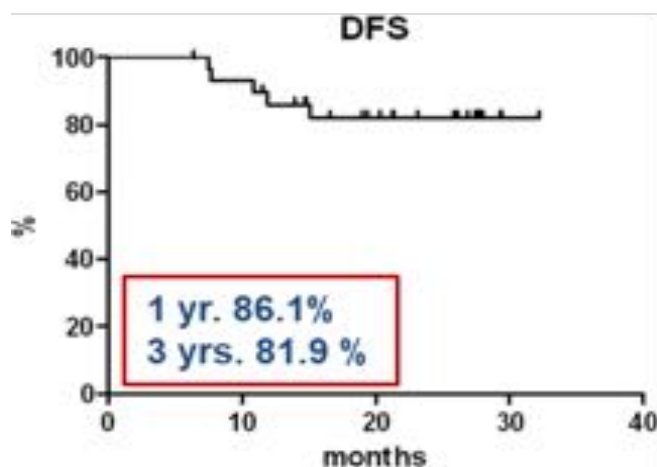
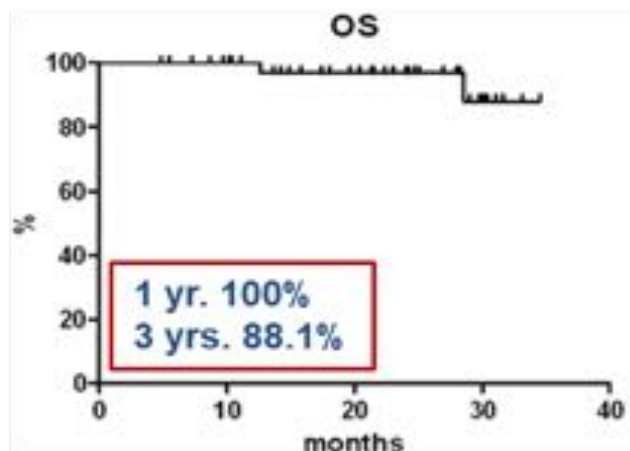
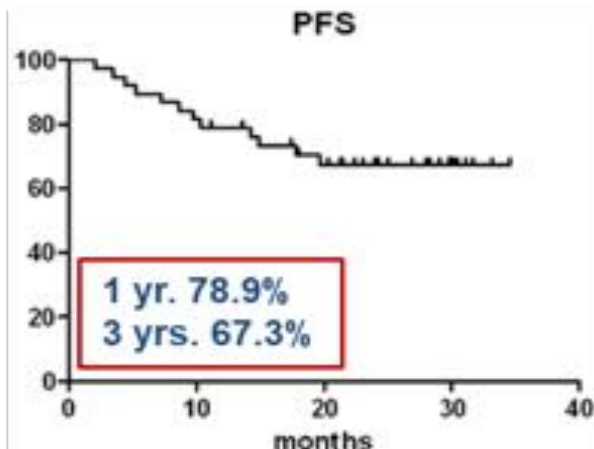
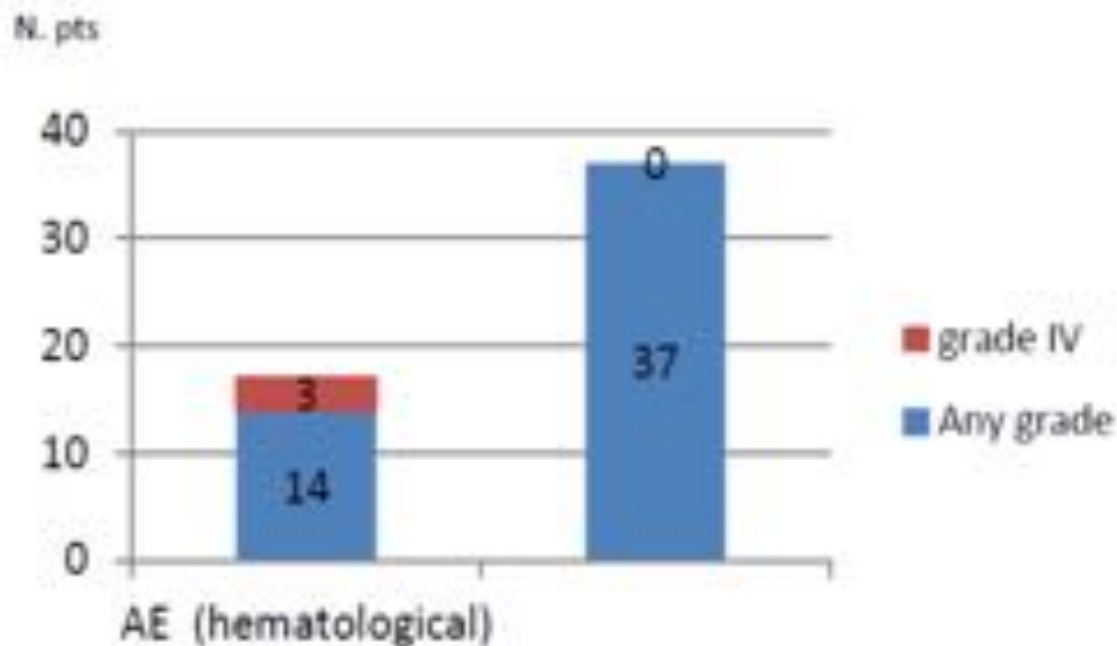


Table 2 AEs of any grade.

| Toxicity | Patients involved, N | Events, N | Overall frequency (%) | Grade 1, N | Grade 2, N | Grade 3, N | Grade 4, N |
|---------------------------|----------------------|-----------|-----------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| Hematological toxicity | 14 | 41 | 100 | 16 | 7 | 15 | 3 |
| Neutropenia | 8 | 13 | 31.7 | | 2 | 8 | 3 |
| Leukopenia | 6 | 12 | 29.3 | 2 | 4 | 6 | |
| Anemia | 8 | 8 | 19.5 | 7 | 1 | | |
| Thrombocytopenia | 5 | 7 | 17.1 | 7 | | | |
| Febrile neutropenia | 1 | 1 | 2.4 | | | 1 | |
| Retromatological toxicity | 37 | 166 | 100 | 87 | 69 | 10 | 0 |
| Skin reaction | 26 | 46 | 27.7 | 19 | 21 | 6 | |
| Fever | 17 | 26 | 15.7 | 18 | 7 | 1 | |

| Hematologic Toxicity Grade | N; type | Non-hematologic Toxicity Grade | N; type |
|----------------------------|-----------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------|
| Gr 1-2 | 21 | Gr 1-2 | 133 |
| Gr 3 | 15; neutropenia | Gr 3 | 9; 5 skin reaction, 1 IRR |
| Gr 4 | 3; neutropenia | Gr 4 | 0 |

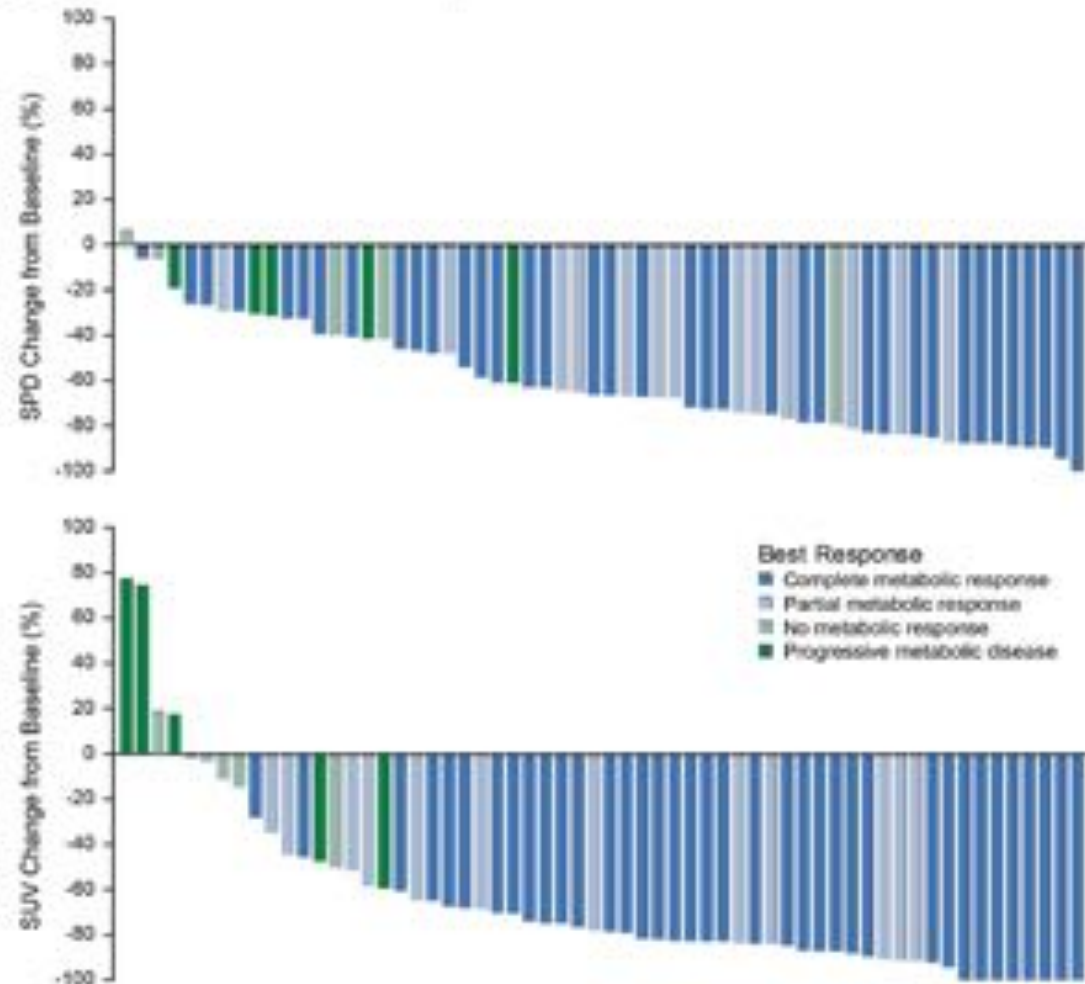


CMV cytomegalovirus, ALT alanine transaminase, AST aspartic transaminase, gamma-GT gamma glutamyl transpeptidase

BV + Nivolumab is an effective 2nd line therapy and bridge to transplant

87% ORR, 68% CR among efficacy evaluable patients (n=90)

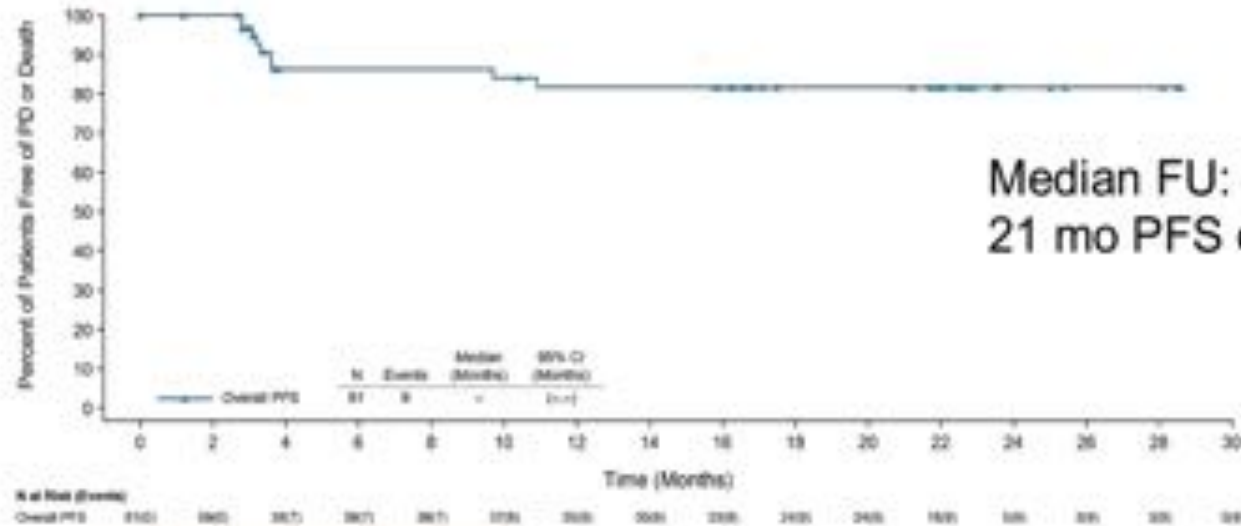
(85% ORR, 66% CR among all treated patients, n=91)



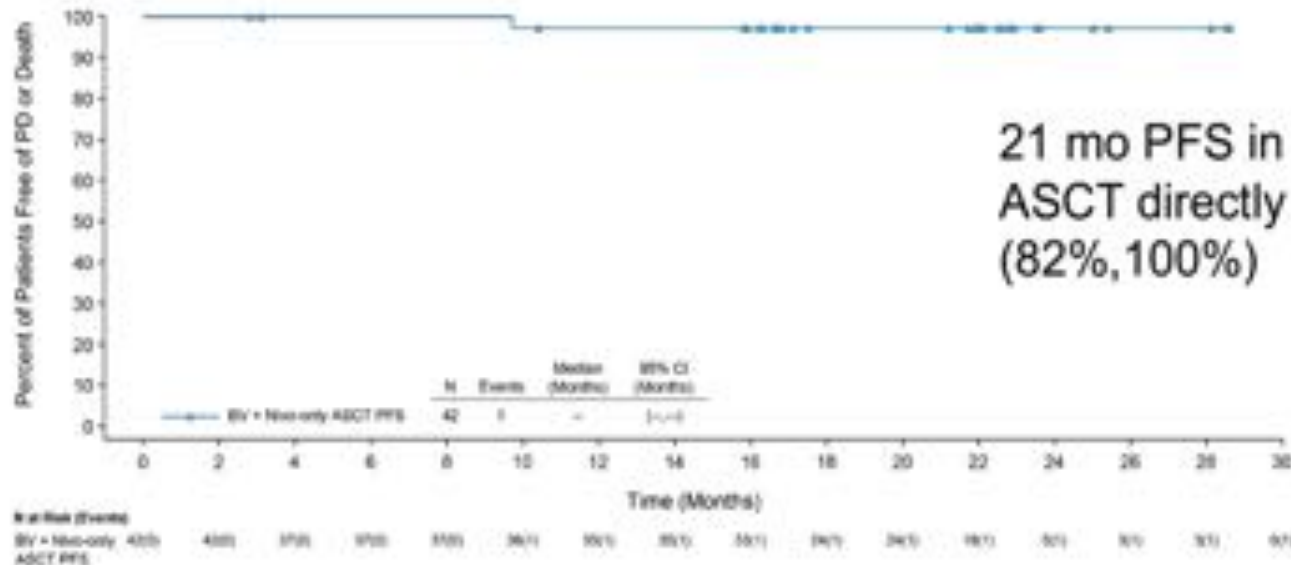
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PFS after BV+Nivo as 1st salvage therapy for HL

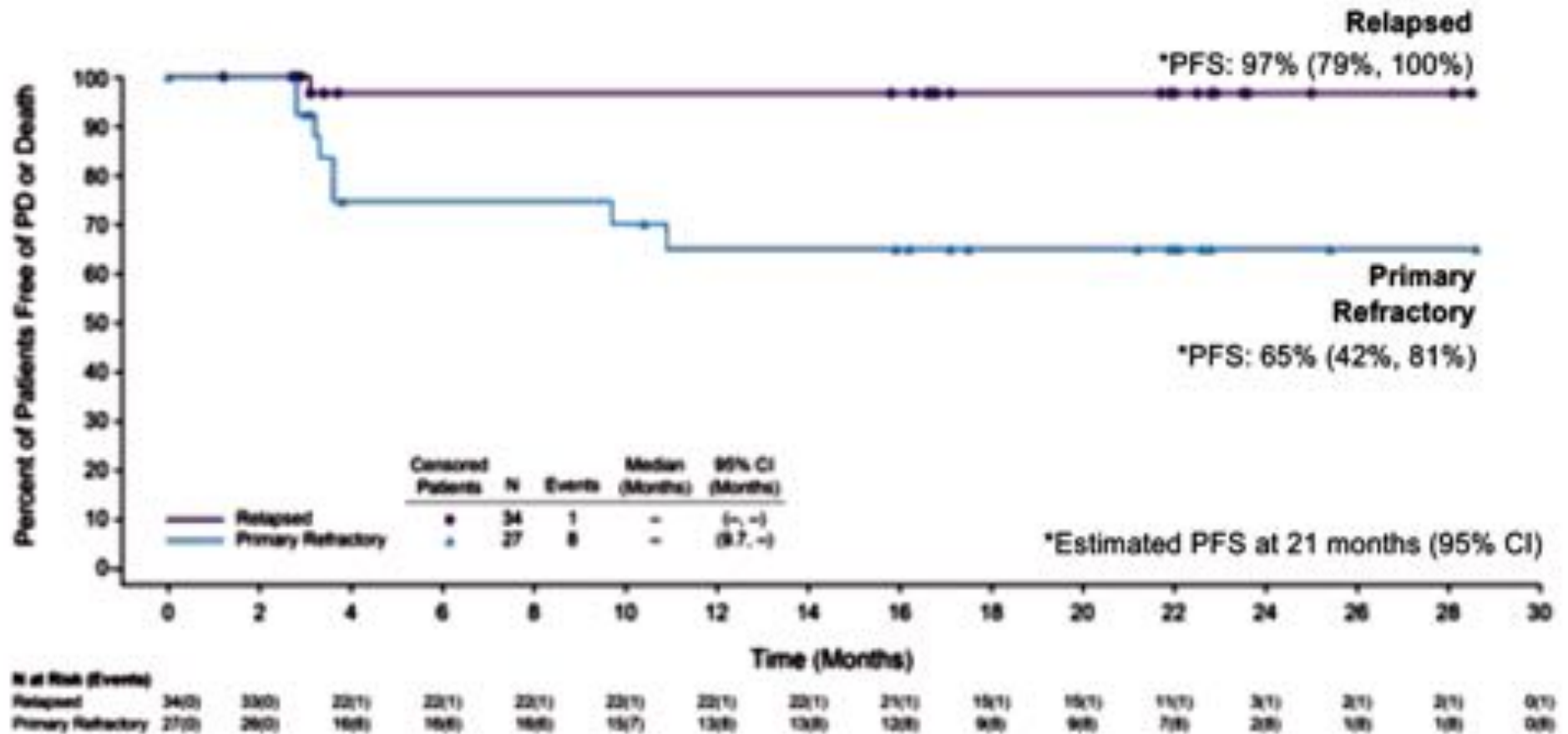


Median FU: 21.8 months
21 mo PFS overall: 82% (67%, 90%)

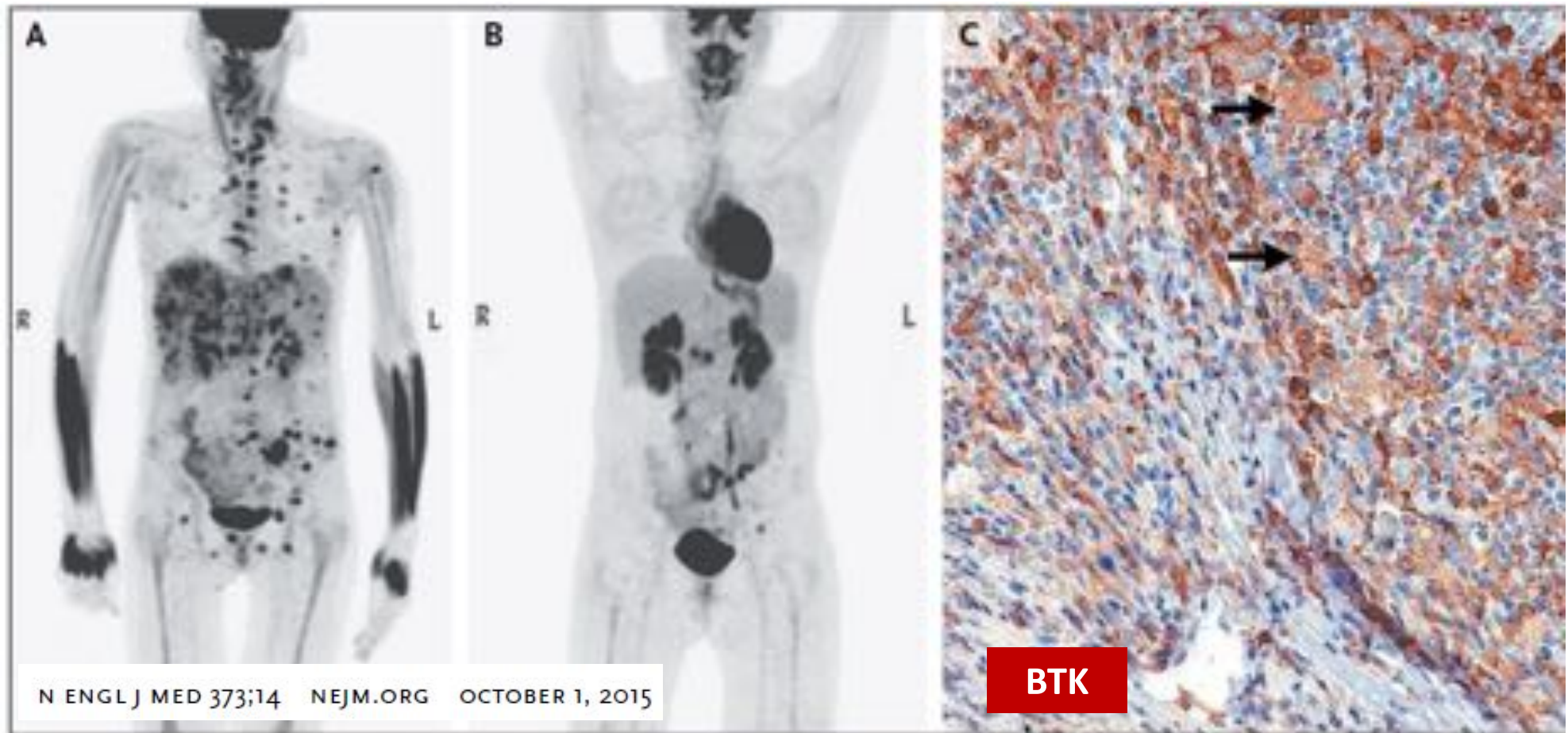


21 mo PFS in pts who proceeded to ASCT directly after BV+Nivo: 97% (82%, 100%)

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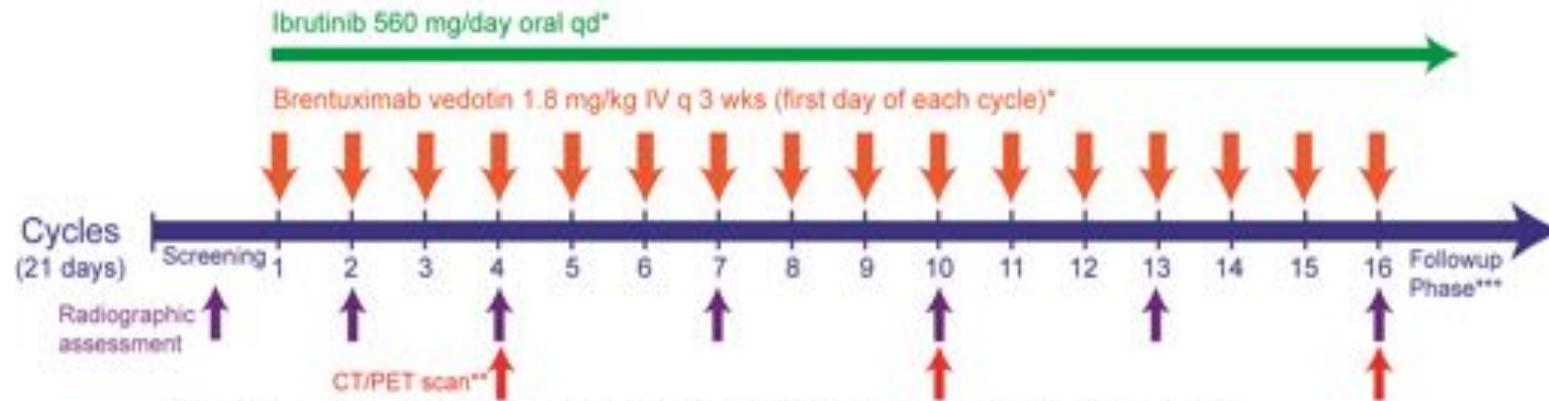


Ibrutinib in Refractory Classic Hodgkin's Lymphoma



**Phase II Study of Brentuximab Vedotin
Plus Ibrutinib for Patients With
Relapsed/Refractory Hodgkin Lymphoma**

Brentuximab Vedotin in the Overall Treatment Strategy for HL



*Patients will be treated until disease progression, unacceptable toxicity, or moving onto auto- or allo-HCT

**Once PET portion is negative, it does not need to be performed again.

***Subjects will be followed for up to two years with q3 month interval visits or telephone calls.

| Characteristic, n (%) | Phase II Patients [n = 13] 560 mg Ibrutinib |
|-----------------------------------|--|
| Gender | |
| Female | 5 (38) |
| Male | 8 (62) |
| Age | 33 (17-69) |
| Stage at Diagnosis | |
| I-II | 7 (54) |
| III-IV | 6 (46) |
| B symptoms (at diagnosis) | 6 (46) |
| Prior Therapy | |
| ABVD | 12 (92) |
| BEACOPP | 3 (23) |
| R-CHOP | 1 (8) |
| IGEV | 1 (8) |
| BV | 1 (8) |
| ICE | 0 |
| Clinical Trials | 0 |
| PD1 inhibitors | 0 |
| Prior Radiation | 3 (23) |
| Status Prior to Treatment | |
| Progressive Disease | 7 (54) |
| Relapsed Disease | 6 (46) |
| Stable Disease | 0 |
| Best Response to Induction | |
| Refractory | 5 (38) |
| Relapsed | 8 (62) |

| Characteristic, n (%) | Phase II Patients [n = 13] 560 mg Ibrutinib |
|--------------------------------|--|
| Median Number of Cycles | 5 (2-9) |
| Best Response | |
| CR | 6 (46) |
| PR | 5 (39) |
| SD | 2 (15) |
| PD | 0 |
| Response Rate (PR/CR) | 84.6% |

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TABLE 1. Newer Salvage Regimens for Relapsed or Refractory Hodgkin Lymphoma

| Regimen | n | % PET Negative | ASCT, n (%) | PFS/EFS (ITT) | PFS/EFS (Transplanted Patients) |
|---|----|-------------------|--|------------------|--|
| BV-augICE (PET-adapted, sequential) ^{17,18} | 65 | 83; 27 (BV alone) | 64 (98) | 82% at 3 years | NR |
| BV-ICE and others (PET-adapted, sequential) ¹⁹ | 56 | 66; 43 (BV alone) | 50 (89) | NR | 67% at 2 years |
| BV plus bendamustine ²⁰ | 55 | 74 | 40 (72) | 62.6% at 2 years | 69.8% at 2 years |
| BeGEV ²¹ | 59 | 73 | 43 (73) | 62.2% at 2 years | 80.8% at 2 years |
| BV plus gemcitabine ²⁵ | 42 | 67 | 34 (76) | NR | NR |
| BV plus ICE ²³ | 24 | 87 | 19 (79) | NR | NR |
| BV plus DHAP ²² | 61 | 79 | 53 (87) | 76% at 2 years | NR |
| BV plus ESHAP ²⁴ | 66 | 70 | 60 (91) | 71% at 30 months | NR |
| BV-nivolumab ²⁷ | 62 | 61 | 42 (68) after only BV-nivolumab; 14 (23) after additional salvage | 82% at 21 months | 97% at 21 months for patients transplanted after only BV-nivolumab |

- **Elderly**

- Single agent BV
- Sequential BV and AVD
- BV plus DTIC (Bendamustine ?)
- BV plus Bendamustine (HALO)
- BV plus Lenalidomide
- BV plus combination CT (CAP: CTX, Doxo, Pred)

- **Young**

- A2VD (ECHELON-1)
- A-A2VD Nonbulky stage I/II HL
- BrECADD

BV-based combinations for upfront treatment of HL

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Frontline brentuximab vedotin in combination with dacarbazine or bendamustine in patients aged ≥ 60 years with HL

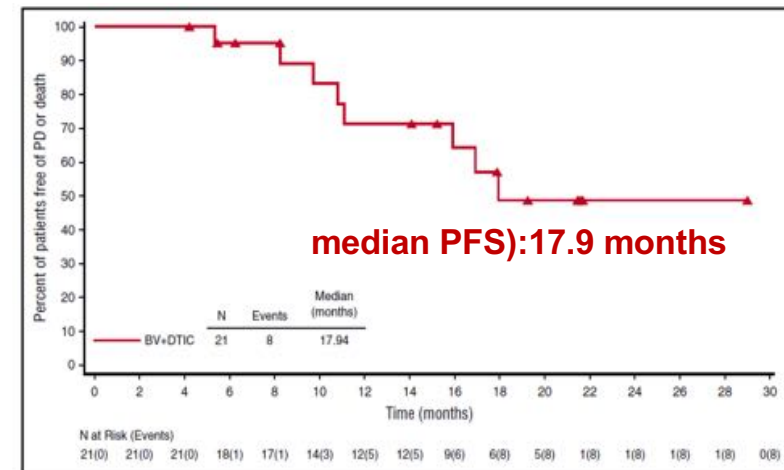
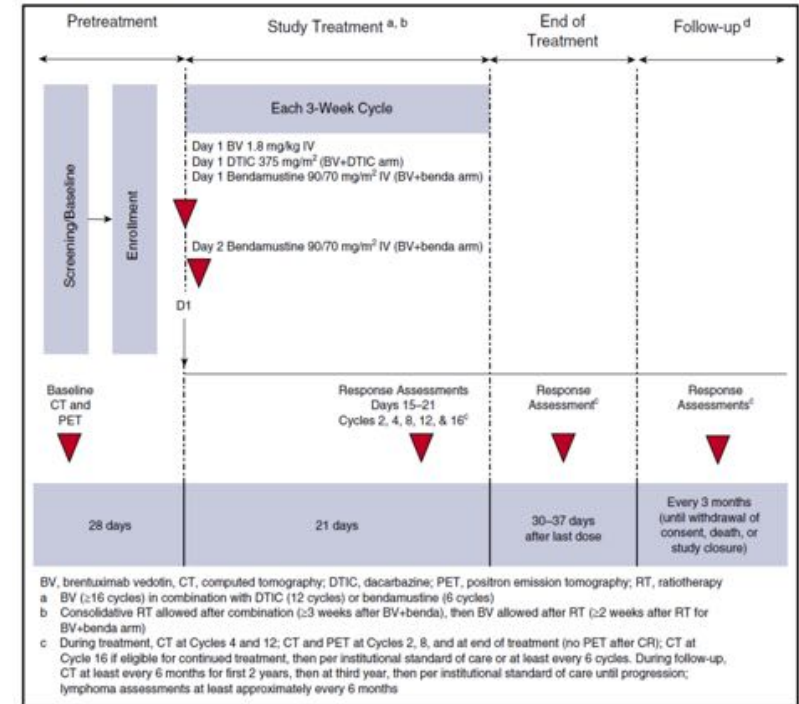
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Table 3. Summary of best clinical response

| | BV+DTIC (n = 21) | BV+bendamustine (n = 17) |
|-------------------------------|------------------|--------------------------|
| ORR* | 21 (100) | 17 (100) |
| 95% CI† | 83.9, 100 | 80.5, 100 |
| Best clinical response | | |
| CR | 13 (62) | 15 (88) |
| PR | 8 (38) | 2 (12) |
| 95% CI† for CR rate | 38.4, 81.9 | 63.6, 98.5 |

Table 4. Summary of AEs

| | BV+DTIC (n = 22) | BV+bendamustine (n = 20) |
|--|------------------|--------------------------|
| Any TEAE* | 22 (100) | 20 (100) |
| Treatment-related AEs | 22 (100) | 19 (95) |
| Grade ≥ 3 AEs | 10 (45) | 18 (90) |
| SAEs | 4 (18) | 13 (65) |
| AEs leading to treatment discontinuation | 12 (55) | 12 (60) |
| Deaths within 30 d of last dose | 0 | 2 (10)† |

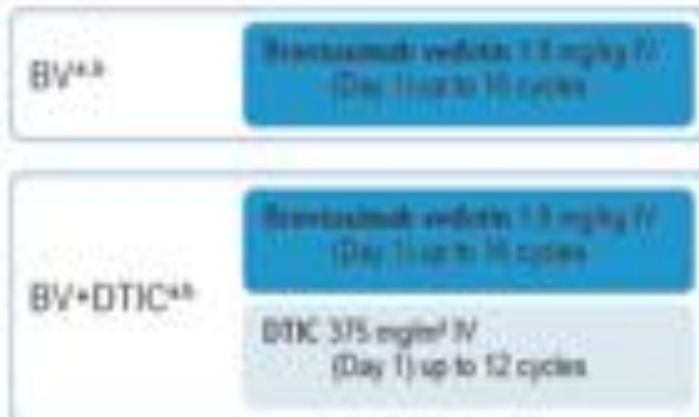


Brentuximab vedotin for newly diagnosed advanced HL

BV Alone or in Combination (DTIC) for Elderly Patients with untreated HL

- Long-term follow-up of brentuximab vedotin +/- dacarbazine as first line therapy in elderly patients with HL has shown to induce long-term remissions for a subset of patients
- BV + dacarbazine may be an induction option for frail, elderly patients ineligible for standard treatment with durable responses leading to a 3-year overall survival rate of 90% with combination therapy.
- Median observation time from first dose (time to death or last contact)
 - BV: 42.6 months (range, 4.6–56.3)
 - BV+DTIC: 37.8 months (range, 14.8–44.8)

Sequential Cohorts

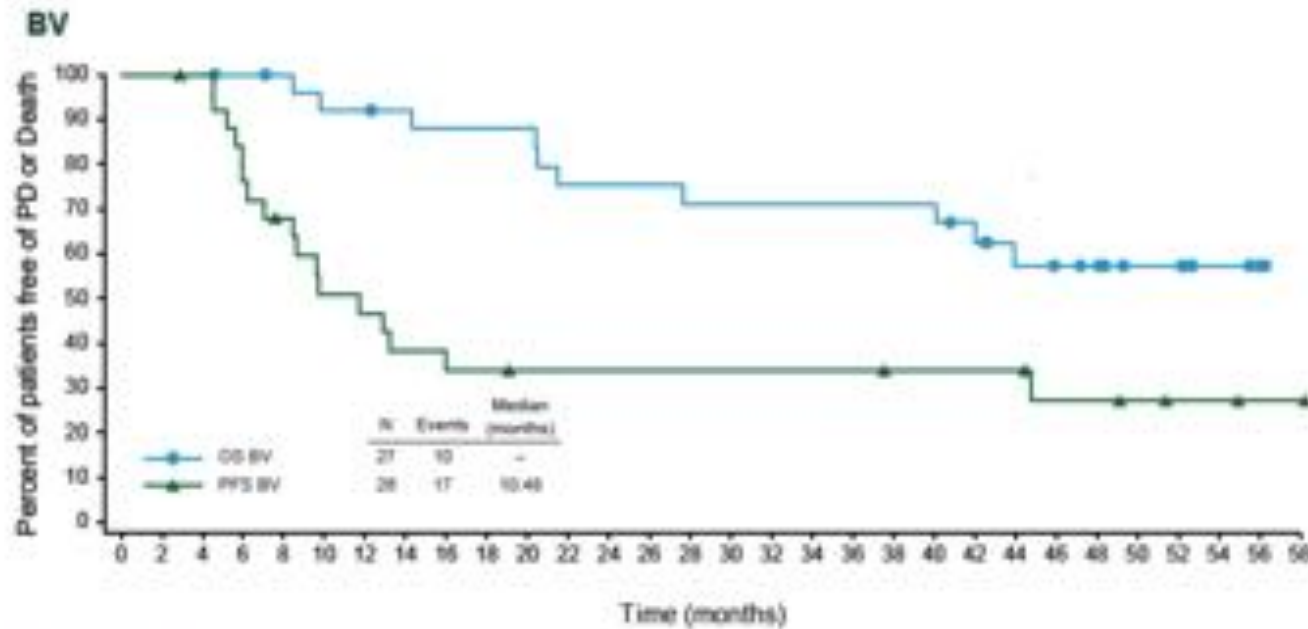


| | BV (N = 27) | BV+DTIC (N = 22) |
|--------------------------------------|----------------|------------------|
| 3-yr PFS rate (95% CI) | 34% (16%, 53%) | 52% (26%, 73%) |
| 3-yr OS rate (95% CI) | 71% (49%, 85%) | 90% (65%, 97%) |
| Tx-emergent PN, n (%) | 24 (89%) | 19 (86%) |
| Complete resolution, n/N (%) | 9/24 (38%) | 5/19 (26%) |
| Some resolution/improvement, n/N (%) | 9/24 (38%) | 8/19 (42%) |

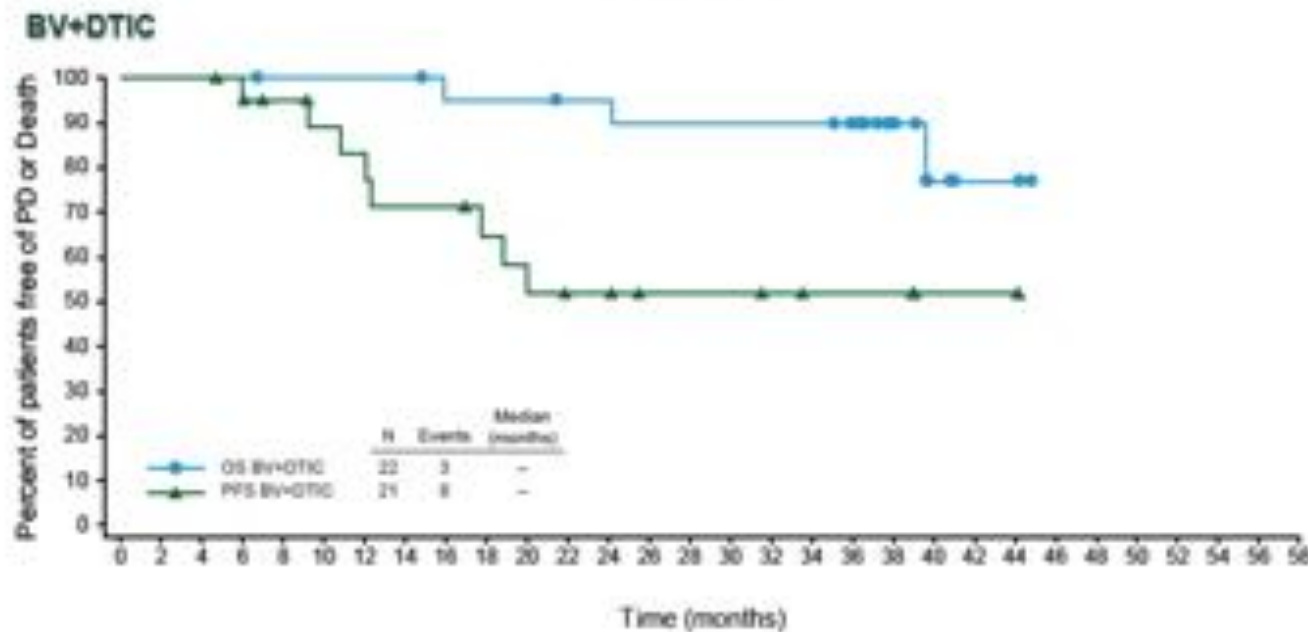
^a 3-week cycles

^b If a patient had clinical benefit per the investigator, continued BV treatment beyond 16 cycles was allowed until disease progression or toxicity

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Adding DTIC to BV monotherapy may increase durability of response and survival in the elderly population

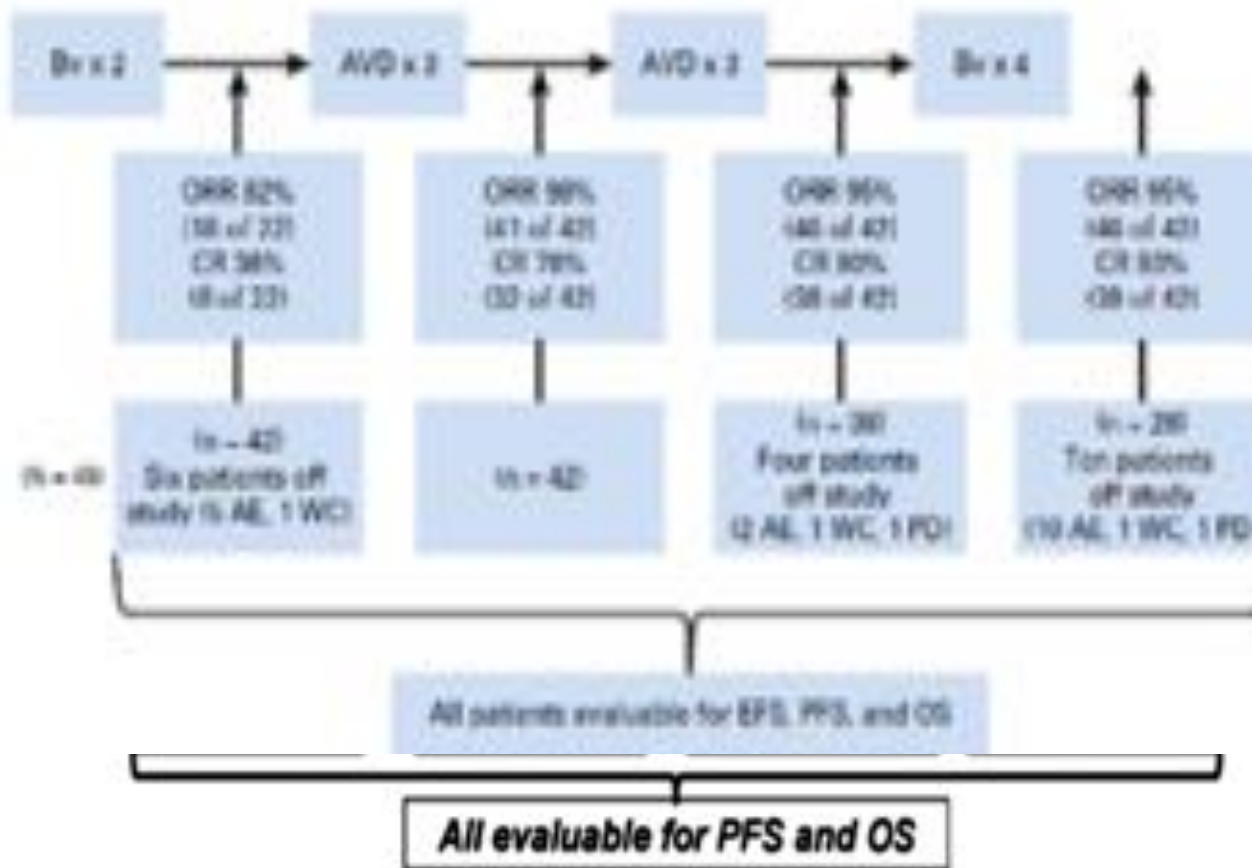


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- Phase 2 study of untreated older HL patients received 2 doses of BV followed by 6 cycles of AVD: responding pts received 4 BV consolidation doses.

ITT median follow-up
23 mos

- 2 yr PFS 84%
- 2yr OS 95%



In this elderly population, the following prognostic factors were associated with significantly inferior PFS

- High Cumulative Illness Rating Scale-Geriatric (CIRS-G) co-morbidity score (p<0.0001)
- loss of instrumental activities of daily living (iADL) (p<0.0001)

Brentuximab vedotin for newly diagnosed advanced HL

HALO STUDY: Phase 1/2 Trial of BV + Bendamustine in Elderly Pts. (n= 51) With Advanced HL

Objective: Phase I: Tolerability and toxicity (n=12); Phase II: Response rate after completion of treatment (n=48)

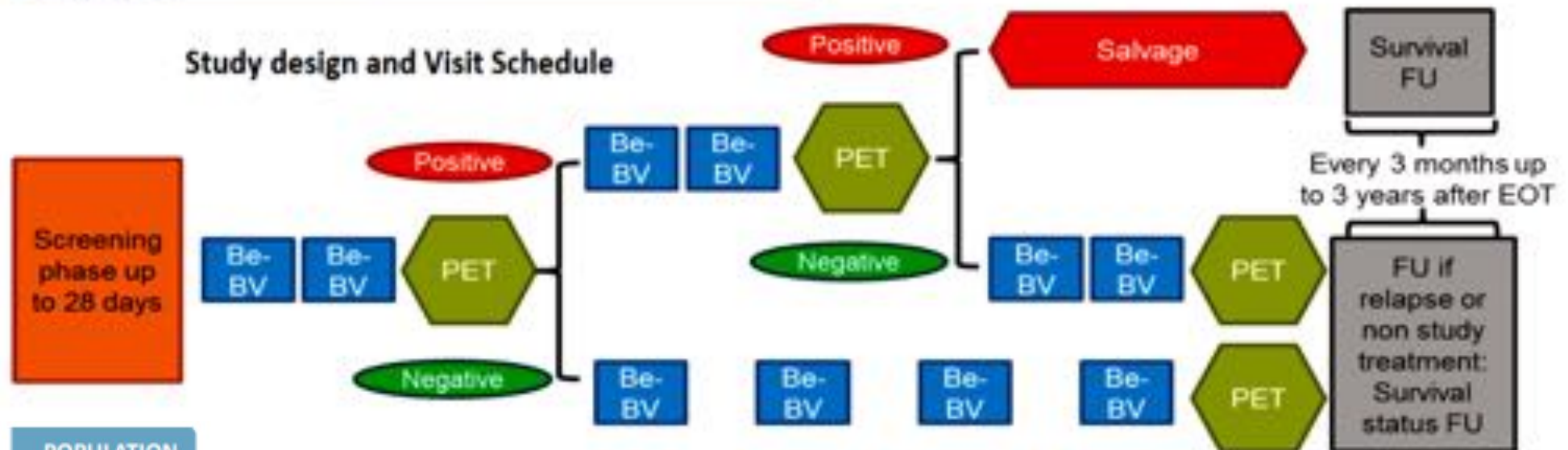
Patients: elderly pts with advanced classical HL

Dose and schedule: Brentuximab vedotin 1.2 mg/kg IV over 30 minutes on days 1 plus bendamustine 90 mg/m² IV over 30–60 minutes on days 1 and 2, Q3wk



Schedule of the BV-Be regimen

Study design and Visit Schedule



| POPULATION | |
|-------------------------|--------------|
| Study population (n=51) | |
| Age mean (range) | 70.4 (62-79) |

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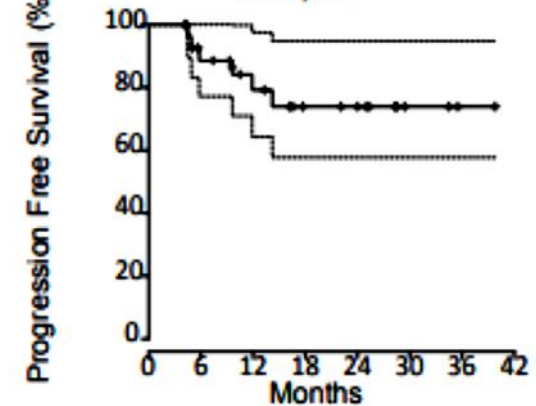
| RESPONSES | | | |
|---------------------------|----------------|--------------------|-------------------|
| Evaluated treatment cycle | | | |
| Deauville score | Cycle 2 (n=51) | Treatment Response | End of TRT (n=51) |
| 1-3 | 40 (78%) | CR (score 1-3) | 32 (63%) |
| 4 | 6 (12%) | PR (score 4) | 2 (4%) |
| 5 | 2 (4%) | NR/Pro | 10 (19%) |
| NE | 3* (6%) | NE | 7** (14%) |

| Toxicities grade ≥ 3 (n=100) | |
|---|------------|
| Lymphopenia | 91 (58.5%) |
| WBC decreased | 33 (21%) |
| Rash/infusion reaction/device infection | 5 (3%) |
| CMV reactivation | 5 (3%) |
| Febrile neutropenia | 3 (2%) |
| Stomatitis | 2 (1.5%) |
| Thrombocytopenia | 1 (0.5%) |
| Other (ALAT increased, GGT increased, Hypersensitivity, Pyrexia, Rash maculo-papular) | 16 (10.5%) |

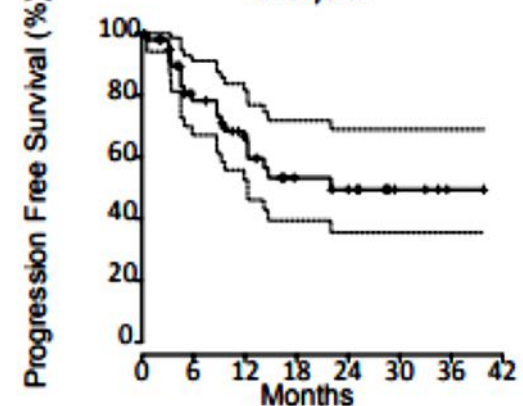
Safety :

- Toxicities grade 3-4 : No platelet or erythrocyte cells transfusion were required during treatment
- No neuropathy recorded ≥ grade 3

Progression Free Survival: Per protocol analysis



Progression Free Survival: Intention to treat analysis.



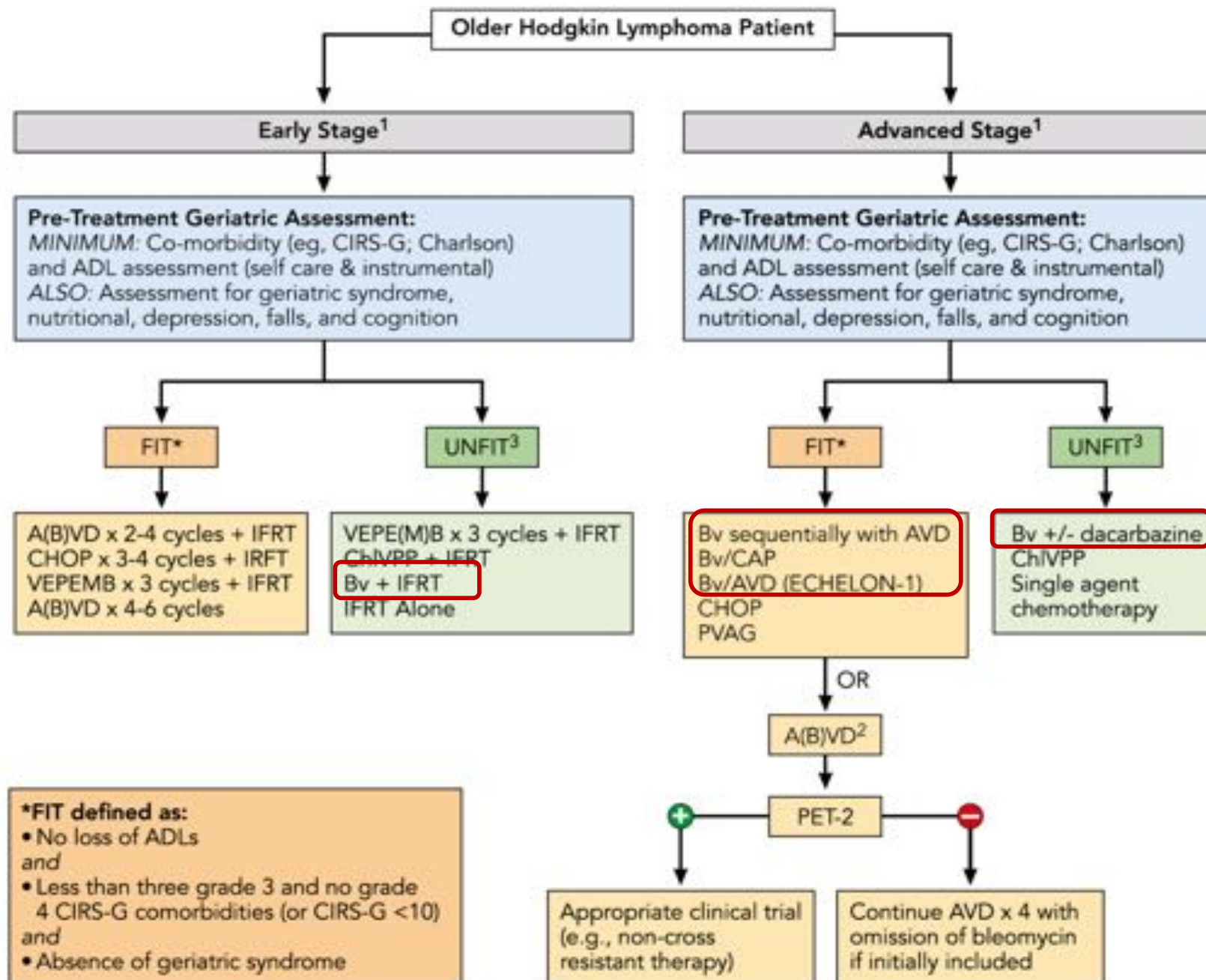
- 6/51 (10%) pts died: recurrent HL (3), CMV reactivation (2), 2nd neoplasm (1)
- Median follow-up of 22 (0-30) months: 31/51 (63%) pts in continuous CR in PP analysis

Conclusions

The present analysis, though conducted in 85% of enrolled patients, showed that Be-BV is an effective regimen in the real life of elderly HL, when delivered according to the schedule.

The toxicity of this treatment could be improved by a more strict prophylaxis of CMV infections,

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CLINICAL TRIALS AND OBSERVATIONS

Brentuximab vedotin, doxorubicin, vinblastine, and dacarbazine for nonbulky limited-stage classical Hodgkin lymphoma

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Table 1. Patient characteristics (N = 34)

| Characteristic | n |
|--|------------------|
| Age, median (range), y | 36 (20-75) |
| Female/male | 17/17 |
| Stage | |
| IA | 6 (18%) |
| IIA | 24 (71%) |
| IIB | 4 (12%) |
| Size of largest lesion, median (range), cm | 3.34 (1.51-8.33) |
| Risk | |
| Early favorable | 21 (62%) |
| Early unfavorable | 13 (38%) |
| Histology | |
| Nodular sclerosis | 18 (53%) |
| Mixed cellularity | 4 (12%) |
| Lymphocyte-rich | 4 (12%) |
| Classical not otherwise specified | 8 (24%) |

- Dose reductions: 38% of pts. (periph. sens. neuropathy)
- All grade neuropathy: 79%
- Grade 3/4 toxicities:
 - Neutropenia (62%)
 - Febr. neutropenia (35%)
 - Neuropathy (24%)
- 1 Neutropenic death (1° course)

KEY POINTS

- Brentuximab vedotin plus AVD without consolidative radiation is an effective therapy for nonbulky limited-stage HL.
- Peripheral neuropathy and neutropenic fever appear increased with brentuximab-AVD compared with the expected toxicities of ABVD alone.

Table 2. Response (N = 34)

| Time point | Overall response | CR | Partial response | Progressive disease | Not evaluable* |
|---------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|---------------------|-------------------|
| Monotherapy lead-in | 34 (100; 89.7-100) | 18 (52.9; 35.1-70.2) | 16 (47.1; 29.8-64.9) | 0 (0; 0-10.3) | 0 (0; 0-10.3) |
| Cycle 2 | 33 (97.1; 84.7-99.9) | 33 (97.1; 84.7-99.9) | 0 (0; 0-10.3) | 0 (0; 0-10.3) | 1 (2.9; 0.1-15.3) |
| End of treatment | 31 (91.2; 76.3-98.1) | 31 (91.2; 76.3-98.1) | 0 (0; 0-10.3) | 1 (2.9; 0.1-15.3) | 2 (5.9; 0.7-19.7) |

Brentuximab Vedotin: upfront treatment of HL

Five-year follow-up of brentuximab vedotin combined with ABVD or AVD for advanced-stage classical Hodgkin lymphoma

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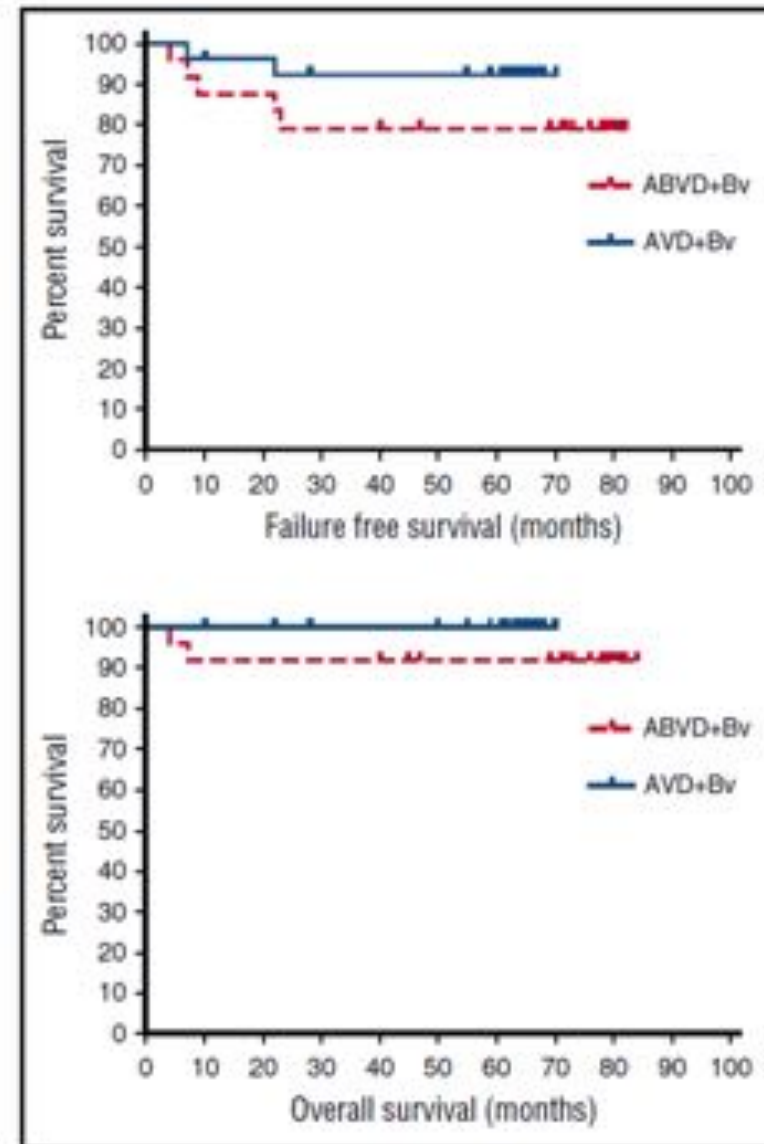
Table 1. Patient characteristics

| | ABVD + brentuximab vedotin | AVD + brentuximab vedotin |
|---------------------------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| n | 25 | 26 |
| Age, y, median (range) | 35 (19-59) | 33 (18-58) |
| Male sex, n (%) | 20 (80) | 17 (65) |
| Performance status,* n (%) | | |
| 0 | 13 (52) | 11 (42) |
| 1 | 12 (48) | 15 (58) |
| Stage, n (%) | | |
| IIA bulky† | 0 | 3 (12) |
| IIB | 4 (16) | 4 (15) |
| IIIA | 5 (20) | 3 (12) |
| IVA | 4 (16) | 5 (19) |
| IVB | 12 (48) | 11 (42) |
| International Prognostic Score, n (%) | | |
| 0-3 | 5 (20) | 12 (46) |
| 4-7 | 20 (80) | 14 (54) |

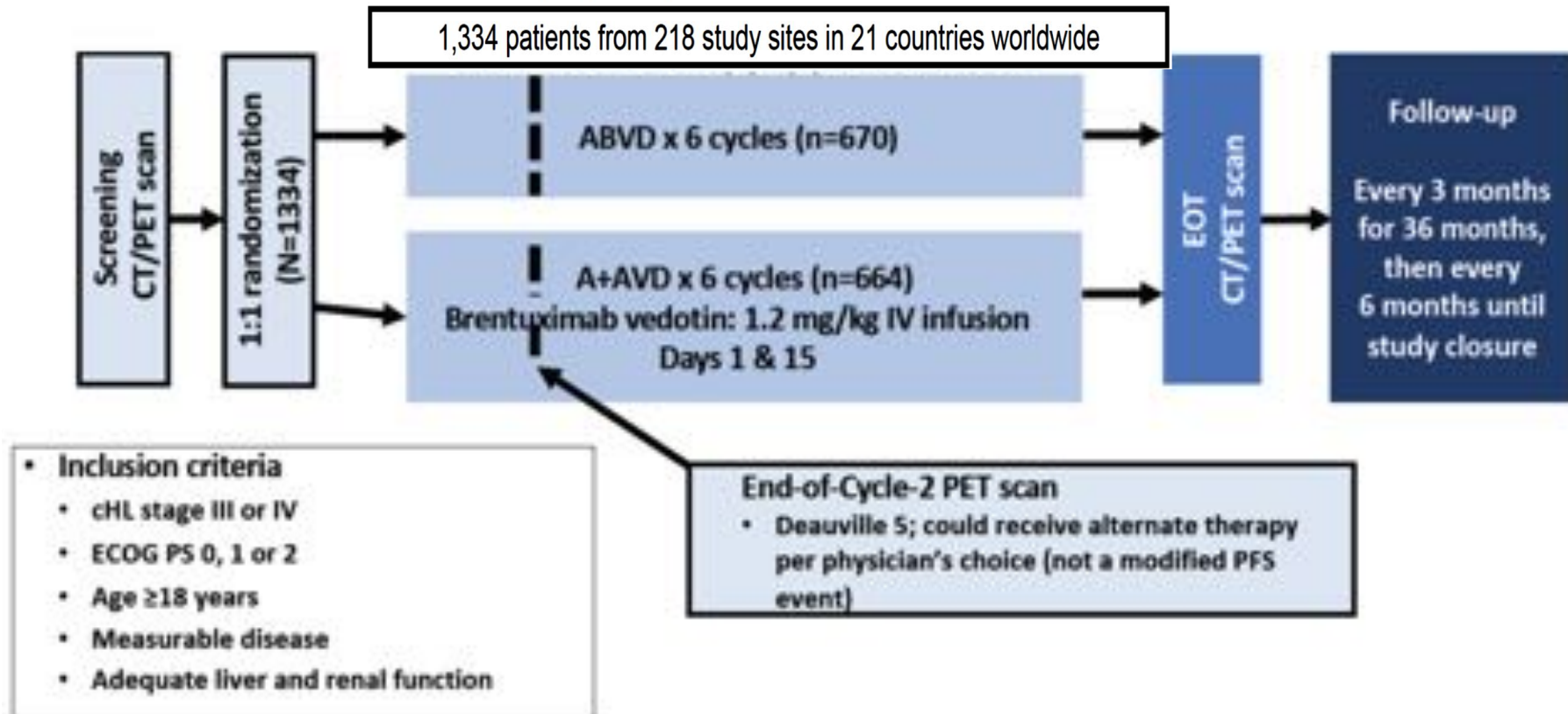
*Eastern Cooperative Oncology Group scale.

†Bulky = any mass ≥ 10 cm.

CR: 96%
5-year FFS: 92%
5-year OS: 100%



ECHELON-1: A+AVD versus ABVD in advanced stage HL

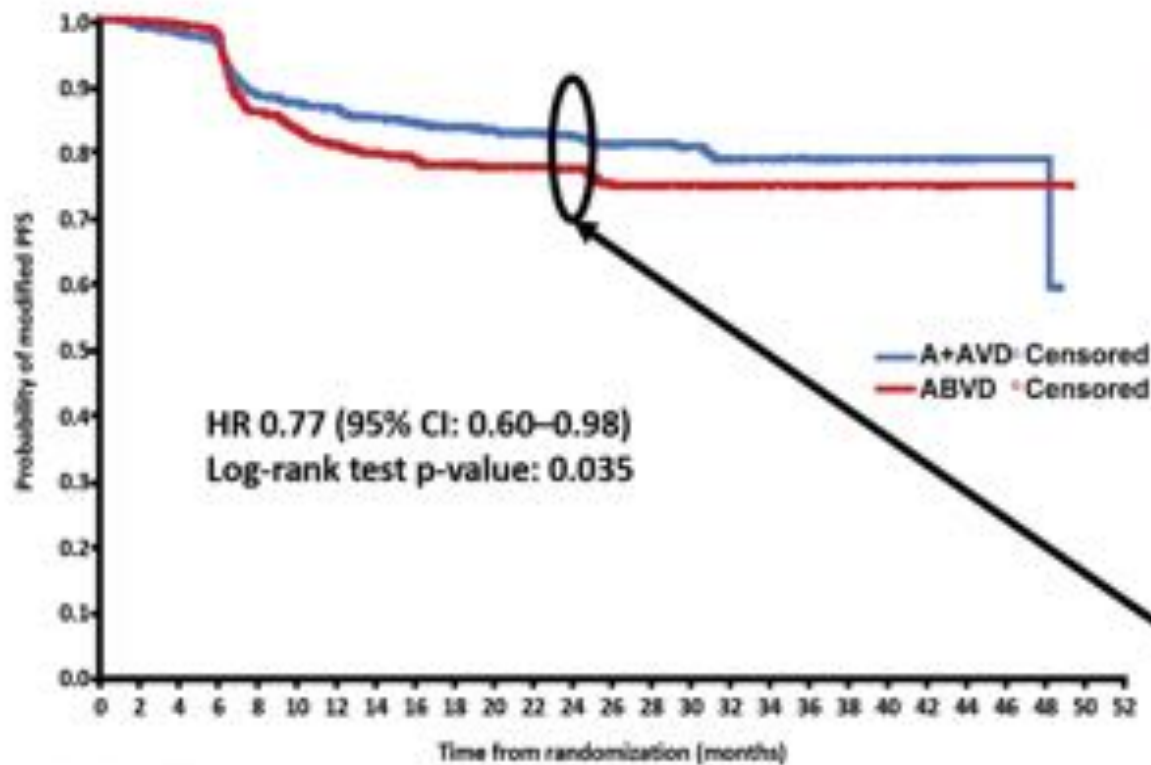


Primary endpoint: modified PFS per IRF, with an event defined by the first evidence of:

- Disease progression, or
- Death, or
- Evidence of non-complete response (PET scan Deauville score 3–5) after completion of frontline therapy, followed by subsequent anticancer therapy.

. Connors JM, et al. N Engl J Med 2018;378:331–44.

Echelon-1: BV improves modified PFS



No. of patients at risk:

| Time (months) | 0 | 2 | 4 | 6 | 8 | 10 | 12 | 14 | 16 | 18 | 20 | 22 | 24 | 26 | 28 | 30 | 32 | 34 | 36 | 38 | 40 | 42 | 44 | 46 | 48 | 50 | 52 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|----|----|----|----|----|----|---|---|
| A+AVD | 666 | 640 | 623 | 606 | 588 | 570 | 553 | 536 | 519 | 502 | 485 | 468 | 451 | 434 | 417 | 400 | 383 | 366 | 349 | 332 | 315 | 298 | 281 | 264 | 247 | 230 | 213 | 196 | 179 | 162 | 145 | 128 | 111 | 94 | 77 | 60 | 43 | 26 | 9 | 2 | 0 | 0 | | | | |
| ABVD | 670 | 644 | 626 | 611 | 596 | 581 | 566 | 551 | 536 | 521 | 506 | 491 | 476 | 461 | 446 | 431 | 416 | 401 | 386 | 371 | 356 | 341 | 326 | 311 | 296 | 281 | 266 | 251 | 236 | 221 | 206 | 191 | 176 | 161 | 146 | 131 | 116 | 101 | 86 | 71 | 56 | 41 | 26 | 11 | 0 | 0 |

Number of events

| Category | A+AVD N=117 | ABVD N=146 |
|----------------------|----------------|---------------|
| Progression | 90 | 102 |
| Death | 18 | 22 |
| Modified progression | 9 | 22 |
| Chemotherapy | 7 | 15 |
| Radiotherapy | 2 | 7 |

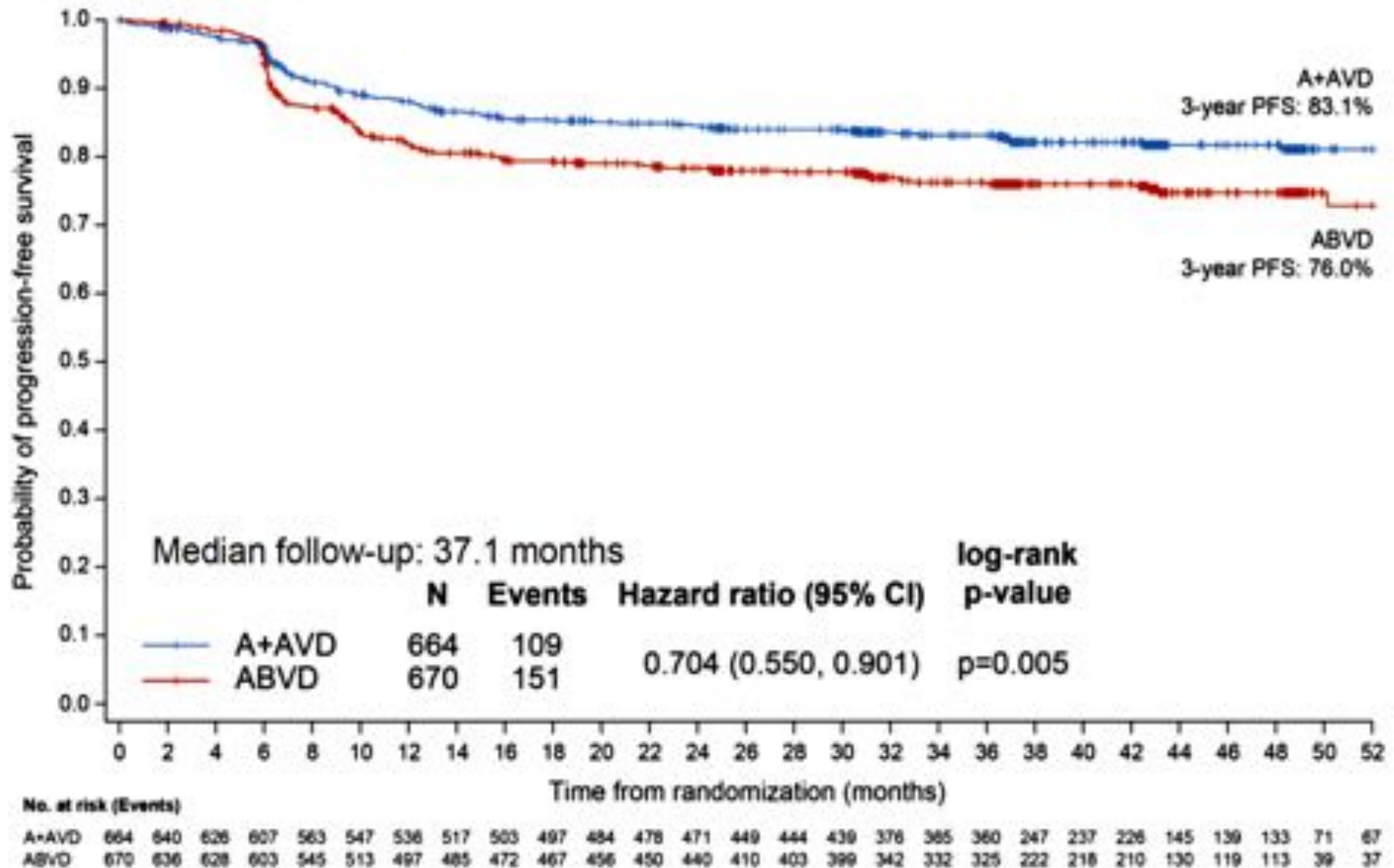
Modified PFS estimates

| Time | A+AVD (95% CI) | ABVD (95% CI) |
|--------|---------------------|---------------------|
| 2-year | 82.1 (78.7–85.0) | 77.2 (73.7–80.4) |

Median follow-up (range): 24.9 months (0.0–49.3)

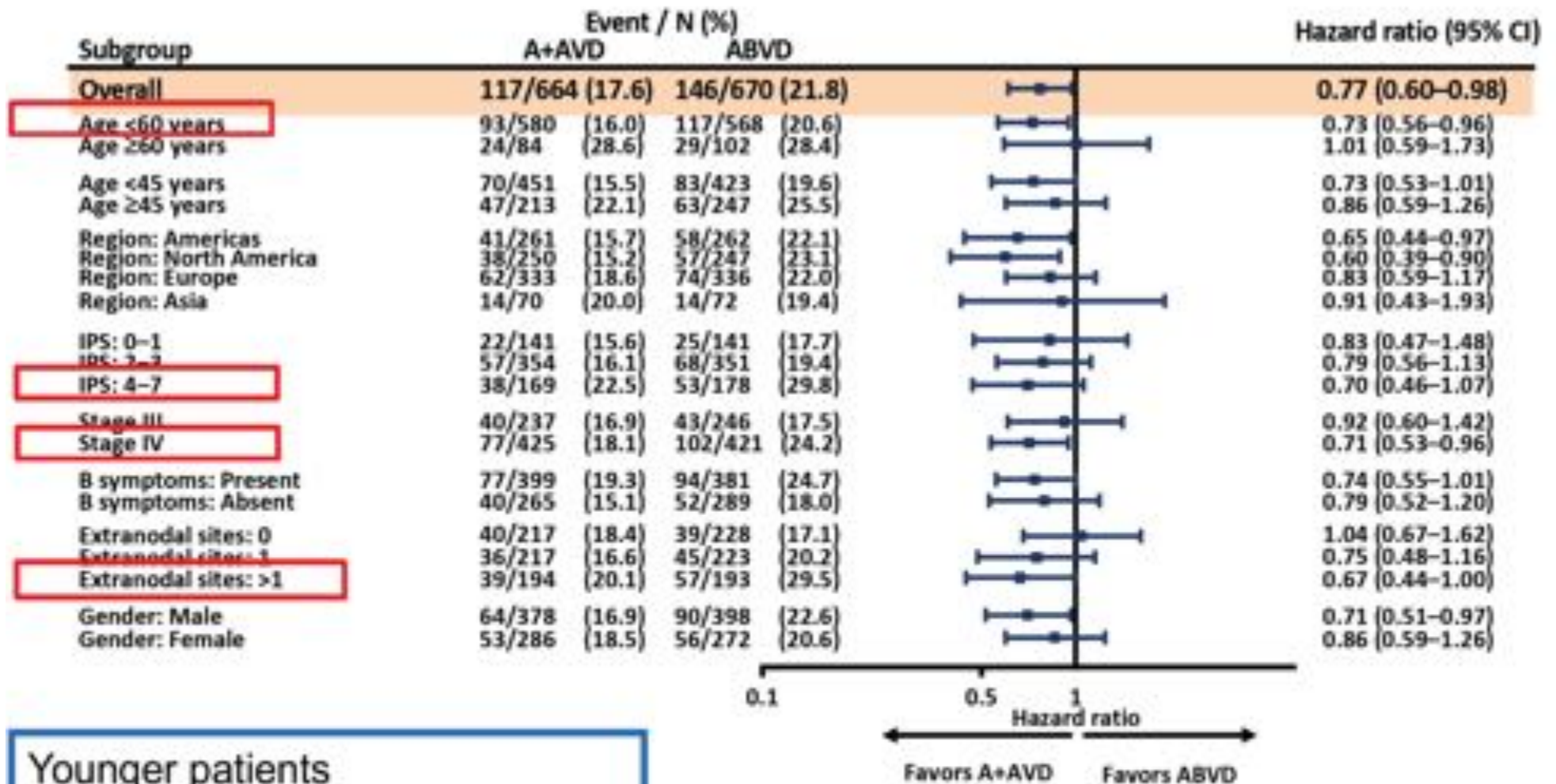
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- A+AVD vs ABVD resulted in a 30% reduction in the risk of progression or death at 3 years



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Echelon-1: Who benefits from addition of BV?



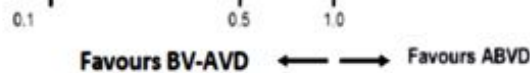
Younger patients
North American pts
Extranodal sites > 1
Stage IV

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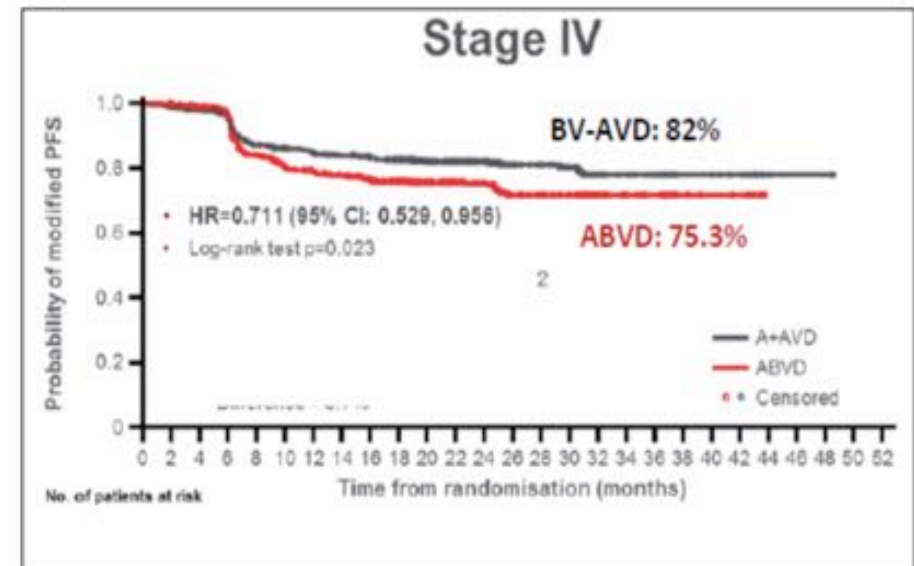
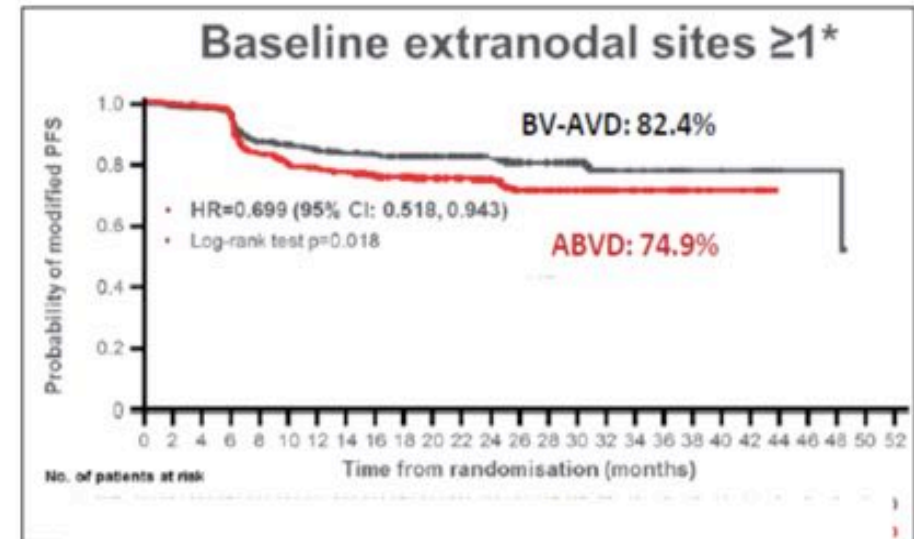
Echelon-1: 1+ extranodal sites or stage IV disease

Summary of mPFS per IRF: High-risk sub-groups

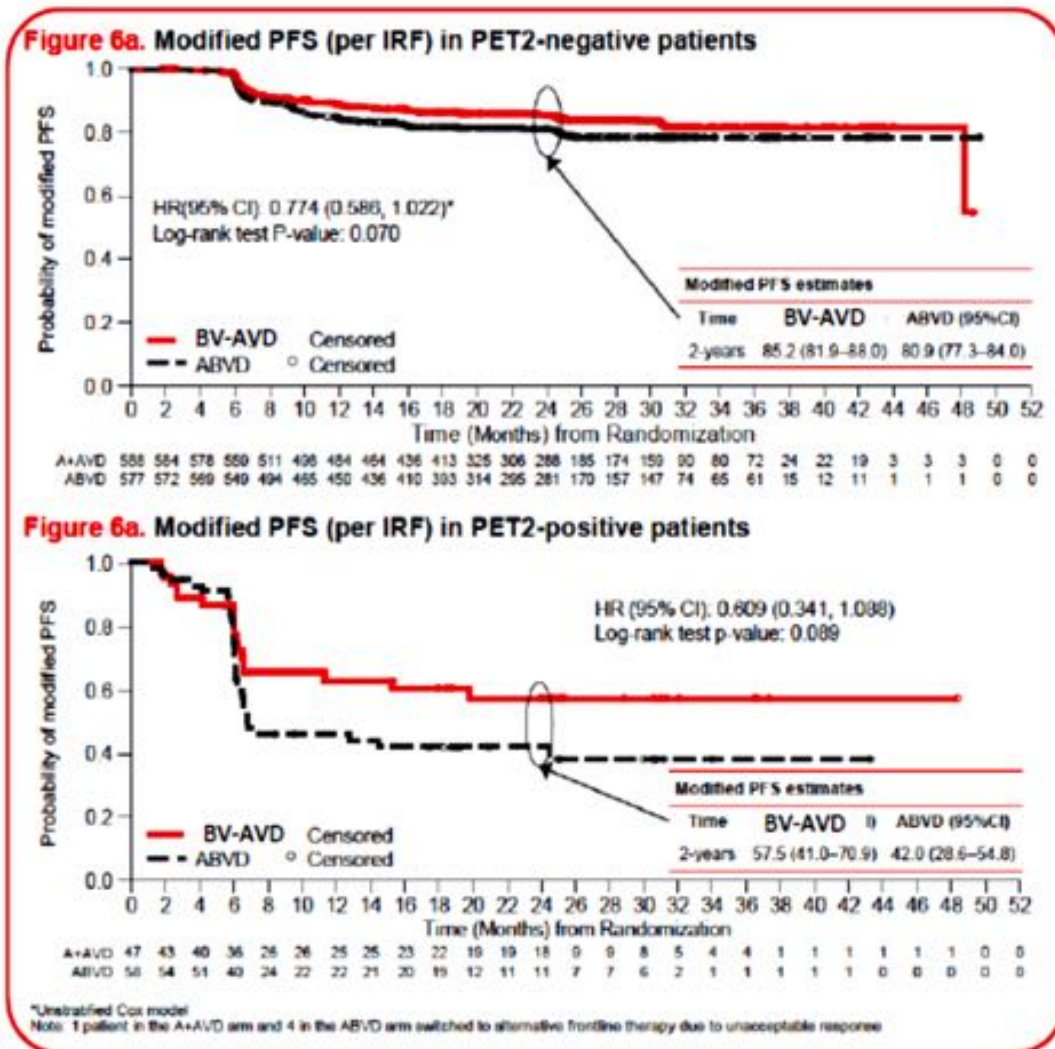
| Sub-group | BV-AVD no. of events/total no. (%) | ABVD no. of events/total no. (%) | HR (95% CI) | p-value |
|---------------------------|---------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------|---------------|
| Overall | 117/664 (17.6) | 146/670 (21.8) | 0.77 (0.60-0.98) | p=0.04 |
| Baseline Ann Arbor stage | | | | |
| Stage III | 40/237 (16.9) | 43/246 (17.5) | 0.92 (0.60-1.42) | p=0.712 |
| Stage IV | 77/425 (18.1) | 102/421 (24.2) | 0.71 (0.53-0.96) | p=0.023 |
| Baseline extranodal sites | | | | |
| 0 | 40/217 (18.4) | 39/228 (17.1) | 1.04 (0.67-1.62) | p=0.856 |
| 1 | 36/217 (16.6) | 45/223 (20.2) | 0.75 (0.48-1.16) | p=0.191 |
| >1 | 39/194 (20.1) | 57/193 (29.5) | 0.67 (0.44-1.00) | p=0.049 |
| ≥1* | 75/411 (18.2) | 102/416 (24.5) | 0.70 (0.53-0.94) | p=0.018 |



*Ad hoc analysis.
HR, hazard ratio; IRF, independent review facility



Echelon-1: Favorable outcomes after PET2+ with BV-AVD



| PET2 neg 2-y mPFS | |
|-------------------|------|
| BV-AVD | 85 % |
| ABVD | 82 % |

Impact of BV-AVD most notable in PET2+ pts

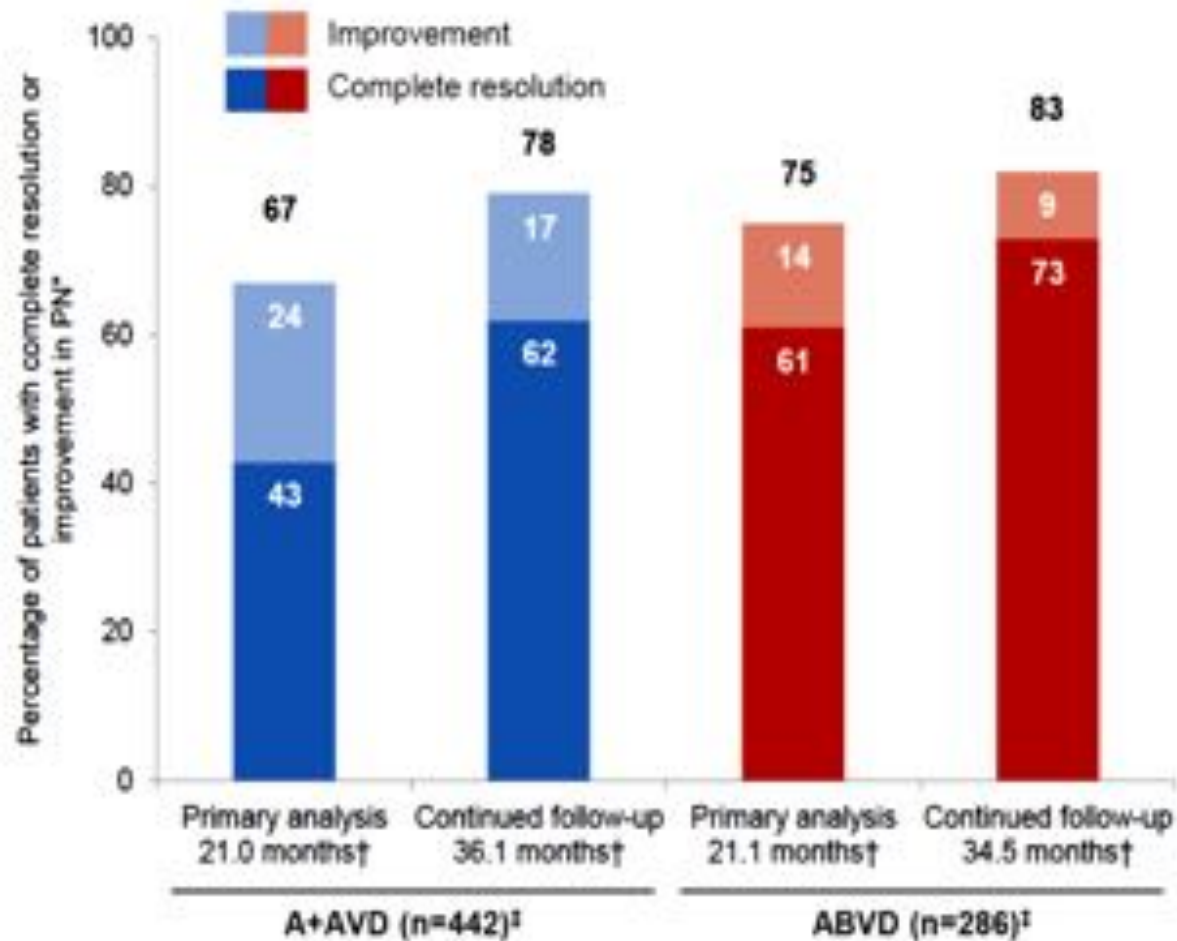
| PET2 pos 2-y mPFS | |
|-------------------|------|
| BV-AVD | 58 % |
| ABVD | 42 % |

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A2VD is more toxic than ABVD and requires G-CSF support

| | BV+AVD | ABVD |
|---|---|--|
| Grade ≥ 3 AE | 549 (83%) | 343 (66%) |
| SAE | 284 (43%) | 178 (27%) |
| PN all grades | 55% | 30% |
| PN grade ≥ 3 | 9% | 1% |
| SAE of febrile neutropenia, sepsis, infection, neutropenia | 33% no G-CSF ppx 24% G-CSF ppx | 17% no G-CSF ppx 9% G-CSF ppx |

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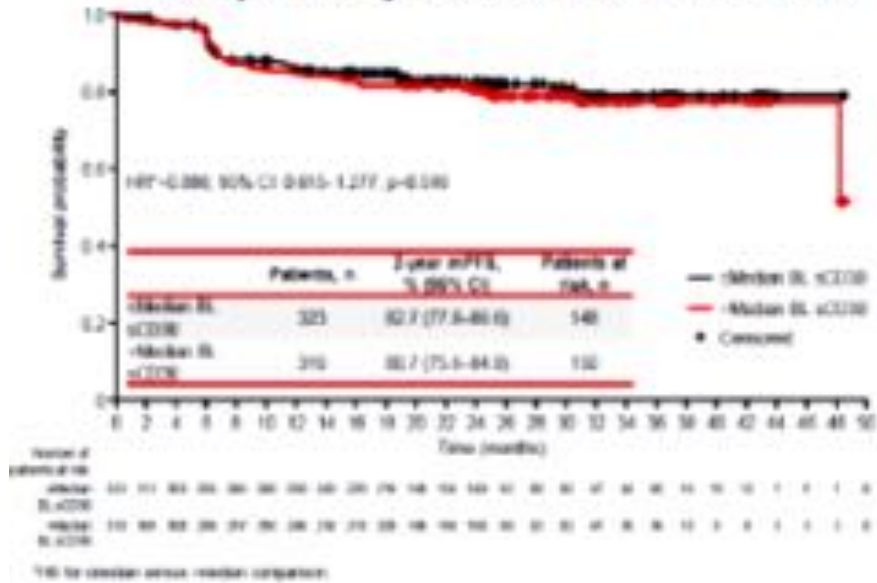


| | A+AVD (n=442) | ABVD (n=286) |
|--|---------------|--------------|
| Ongoing PN, n(%) | 170 (38) | 77 (27) |
| Grade 1/2, n(%) | 159 (36) | 73 (26) |
| Median time to complete resolution,* weeks (range) | 28 (0–167) | 14 (0–188) |
| Median time to improvement,* weeks (range) | 40 (8–129) | 32 (2–70) |

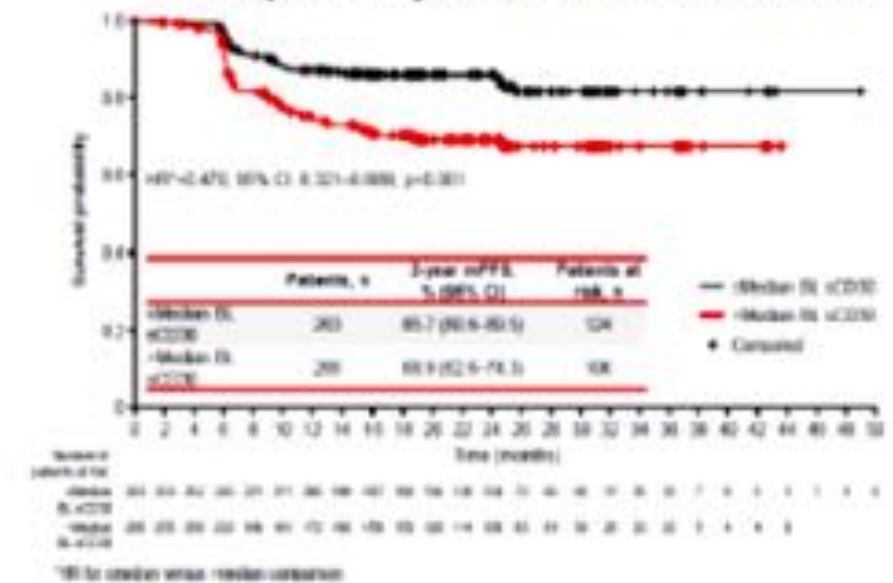
- PN continues to resolve and improve over time, with the majority of patients experiencing complete resolution

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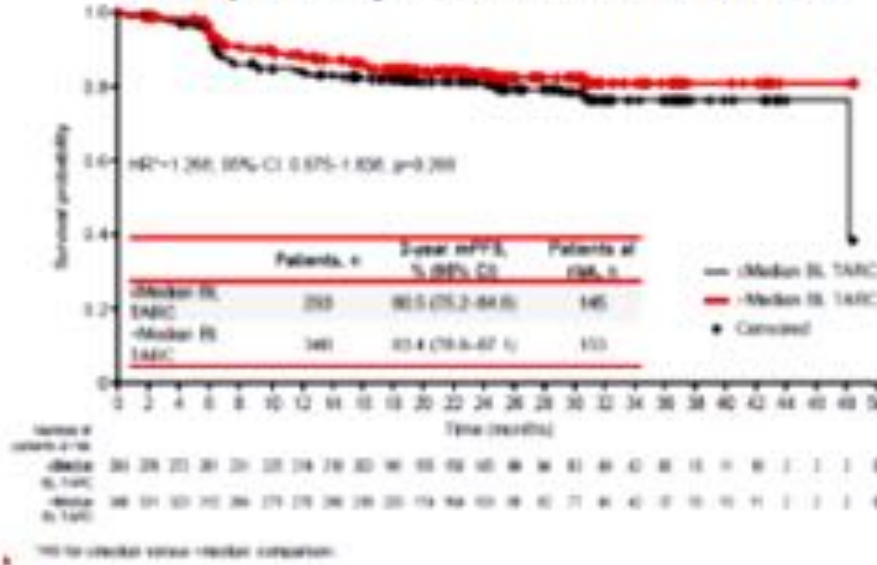
mPFS per IRF by baseline sCD30: A+AVD arm



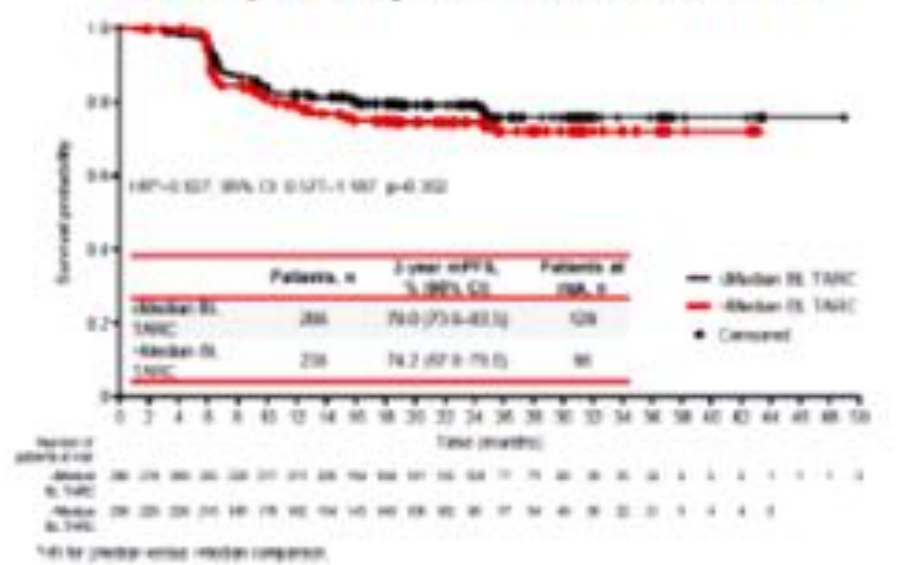
mPFS per IRF by baseline sCD30: ABVD arm



mPFS per IRF by baseline TARC: A+AVD arm




mPFS per IRF by baseline TARC: ABVD arm



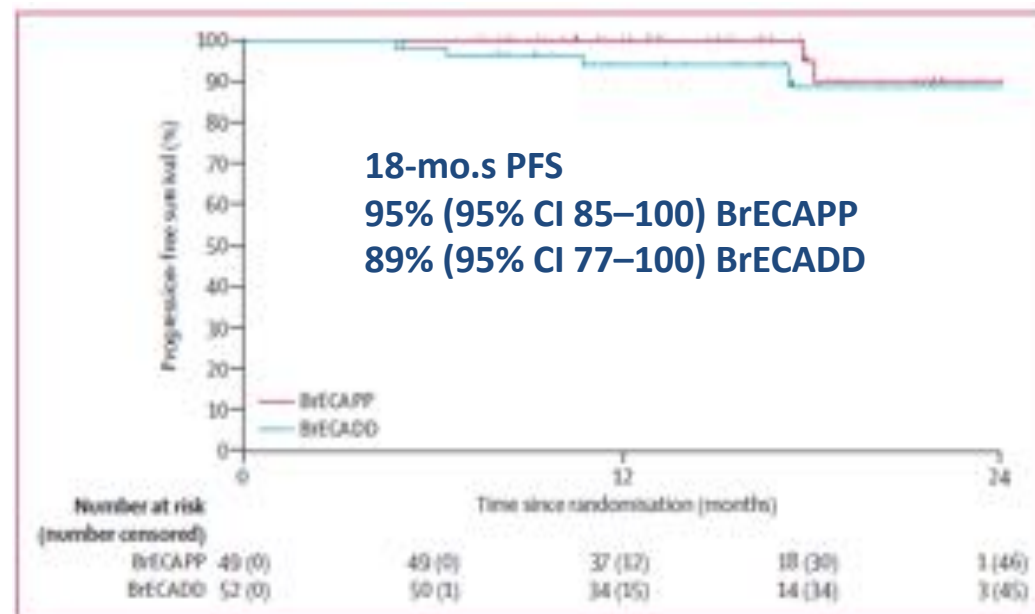
Brentuximab Vedotin in the Overall Treatment Strategy for HL

| | BrECAPP | BrECADD |
|--|-------------|-------------|
| Restaging after two cycles* | | |
| CR | 2/50 (4%) | 0/52 |
| CRu | 4/50 (8%) | 6/52 (12%) |
| PR | 40/50 (80%) | 45/52 (87%) |
| NC | 4/50 (8%) | 1/52 (2%) |
| PET after two cycles (Deauville score) | | |
| 1 | 13/49 (27%) | 9/52 (17%) |
| 2 | 7/49 (14%) | 14/52 (27%) |
| 3 | 18/49 (37%) | 18/52 (35%) |
| 4-5 | 11/49 (22%) | 11/52 (21%) |
| Restaging after six cycles† | | |
| CR | 4/48 (8%) | 3/52 (6%) |
| CRu | 3/48 (6%) | 7/52 (13%) |
| PR | 1/48 (2%) | 2/52 (4%) |
| PR (residual ≥2.5 cm) | 40/48 (83%) | 39/52 (75%) |
| PD (residual ≥2.5cm) | 0/48 | 1/52 (2%) |
| PET after chemotherapy (Deauville score)‡ | | |
| 1 | 10/40 (25%) | 13/40 (33%) |
| 2 | 9/40 (23%) | 13/40 (33%) |
| 3 | 14/40 (35%) | 8/40 (20%) |
| 4-5 | 7/40 (18%) | 6/40 (15%) |
| Complete response to chemotherapy | | |
| No (further treatment recommended by CREP) | 7/49 (14%) | 6/52 (12%) |
| Yes [CR or PR <2.5 cm (local investigator or no indication for further treatment (CREP)] | 42/49 (86%) | 46/52 (88%) |

Remodeling BEACOPPesc with Brentuximab Vedotin

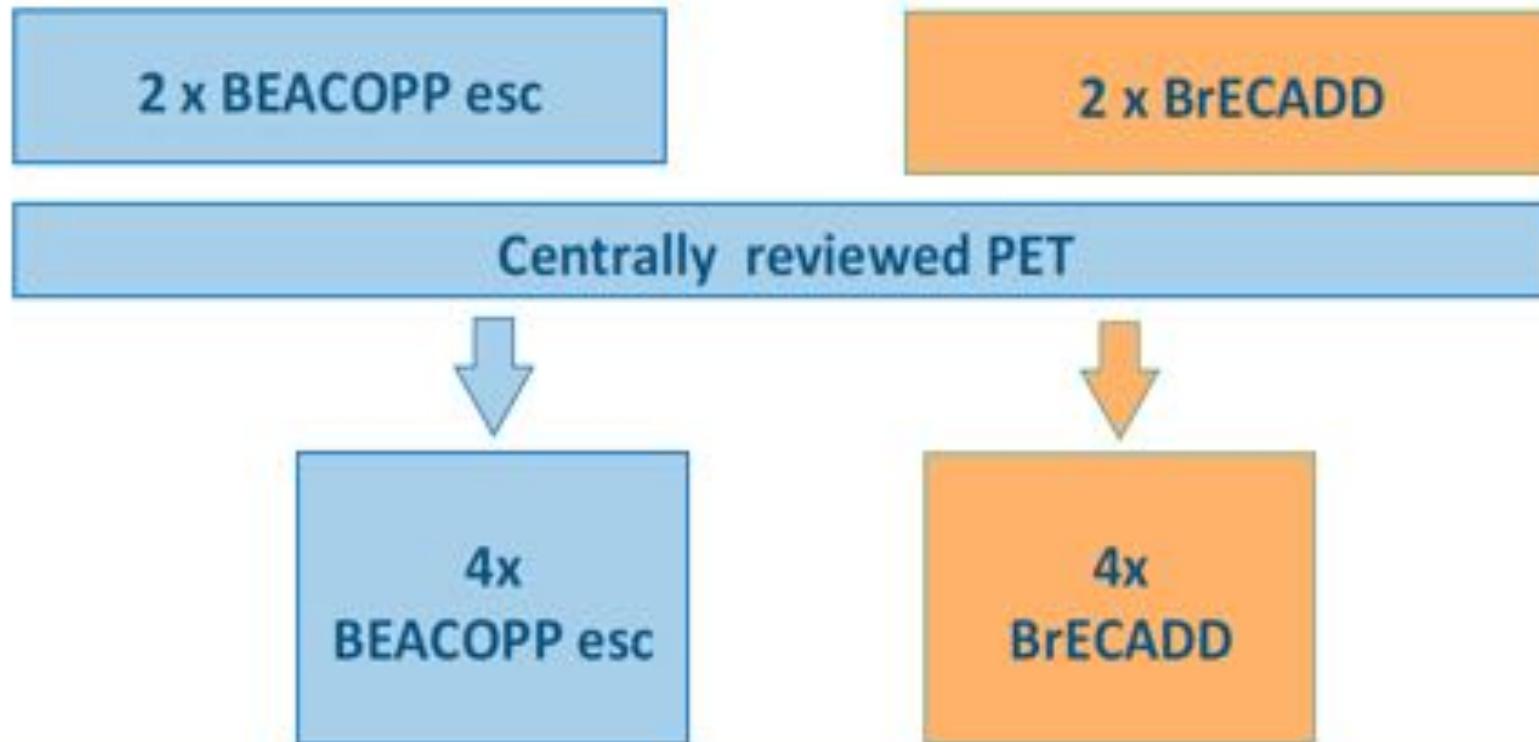


| Drug | Day | 6x BEACOPP | 6x BrECADD | 6x BrECAPP |
|---------------------|------|------------|------------|------------|
| Bleomycin | 8 | 10 | | |
| Etoposide | 1-3 | 200 | 150 | 200 |
| [Redacted] | 1 | 35 | 40 | 35 |
| Cyclophosphamide | 2 | 1250 | 1250 | 1250 |
| Vincristine | 8 | 1.4 | | |
| Brentuximab vedotin | 1 | | 1.8 | 1.8 |
| Procarbazine | 1-7 | 100 | | 100 |
| Prednisone | 1-14 | 40 | | 40 |
| Dacarbazine | 2-3 | | 250 | |
| Dexamethasone | 1-4 | | 40 | |



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The GHSG perspective HD21: BV in advanced stage HL



End of therapy and residual nodes > 2.5 cm:

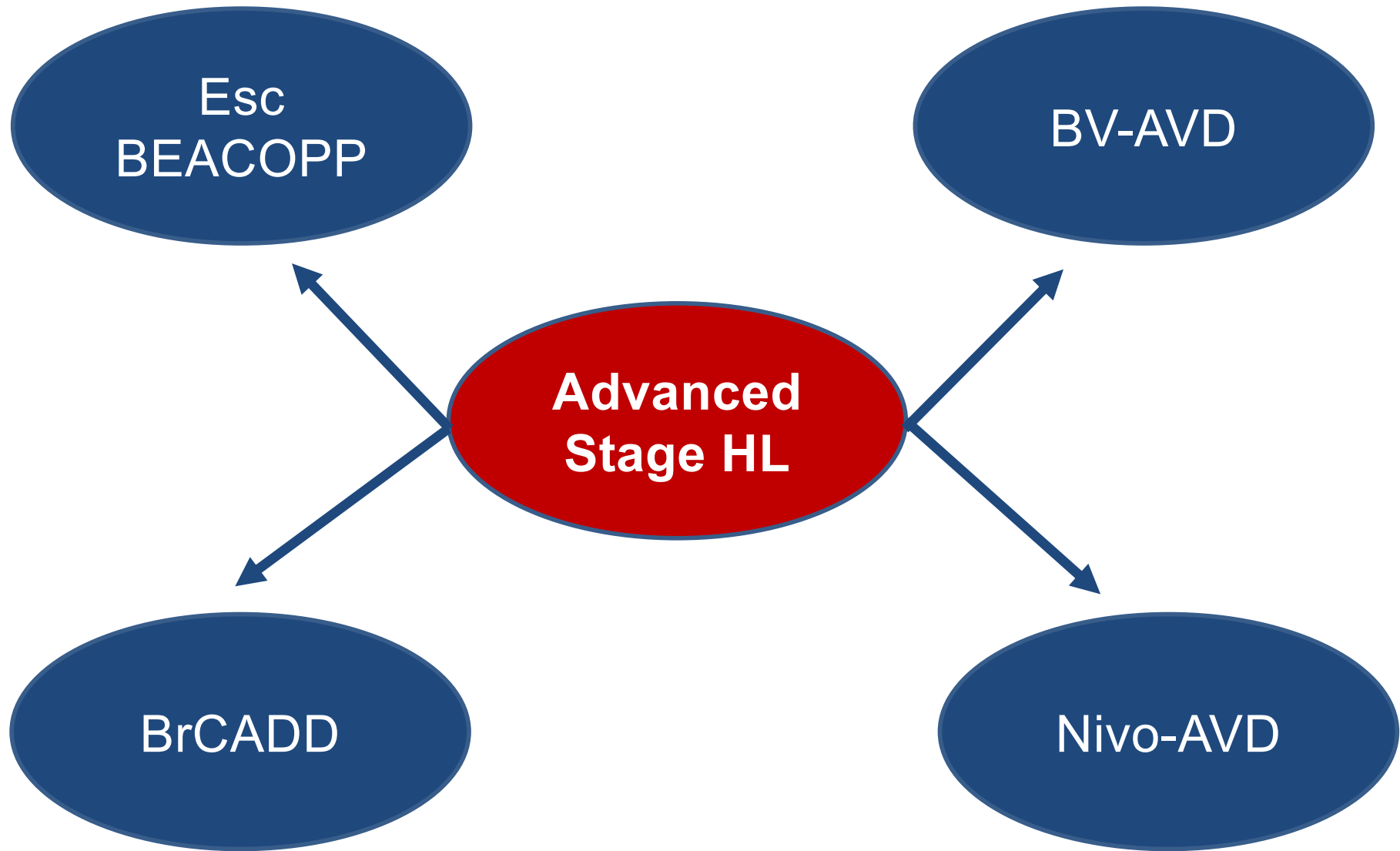
PET positiv:

Rx

PET negativ:

Follow up

Brentuximab vedotin for newly diagnosed advanced HL



...Novel Agents for cHL: Operating Instructions

S1826: A Phase III Randomized Trial of Nivolumab [redacted] Plus AVD or Brentuximab Vedotin [redacted] Plus AVD in Patients (Age ≥ 12 Years) With Newly Diagnosed Advanced Stage Classical Hodgkin Lymphoma



Newly diagnosed Stage III-IV Hodgkin lymphoma

Stratification:
• Age
• IPS
• ISRT eligible

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1:1

**Nivolumab + AVD
6 cycles**

Nivolumab 240mg days 1,15
Doxorubicin 25mg/m² days 1,15
Vinblastine 6mg/m² days 1,15
Dacarbazine 375mg/m² days 1,15

470 pts

**Brentuximab vedotin +
AVD
6 cycles**

BV 1.2mg/kg days 1,15
Doxorubicin 25mg/m² days 1,15
Vinblastine 6mg/m² days 1,15
Dacarbazine 375mg/m² days 1,15

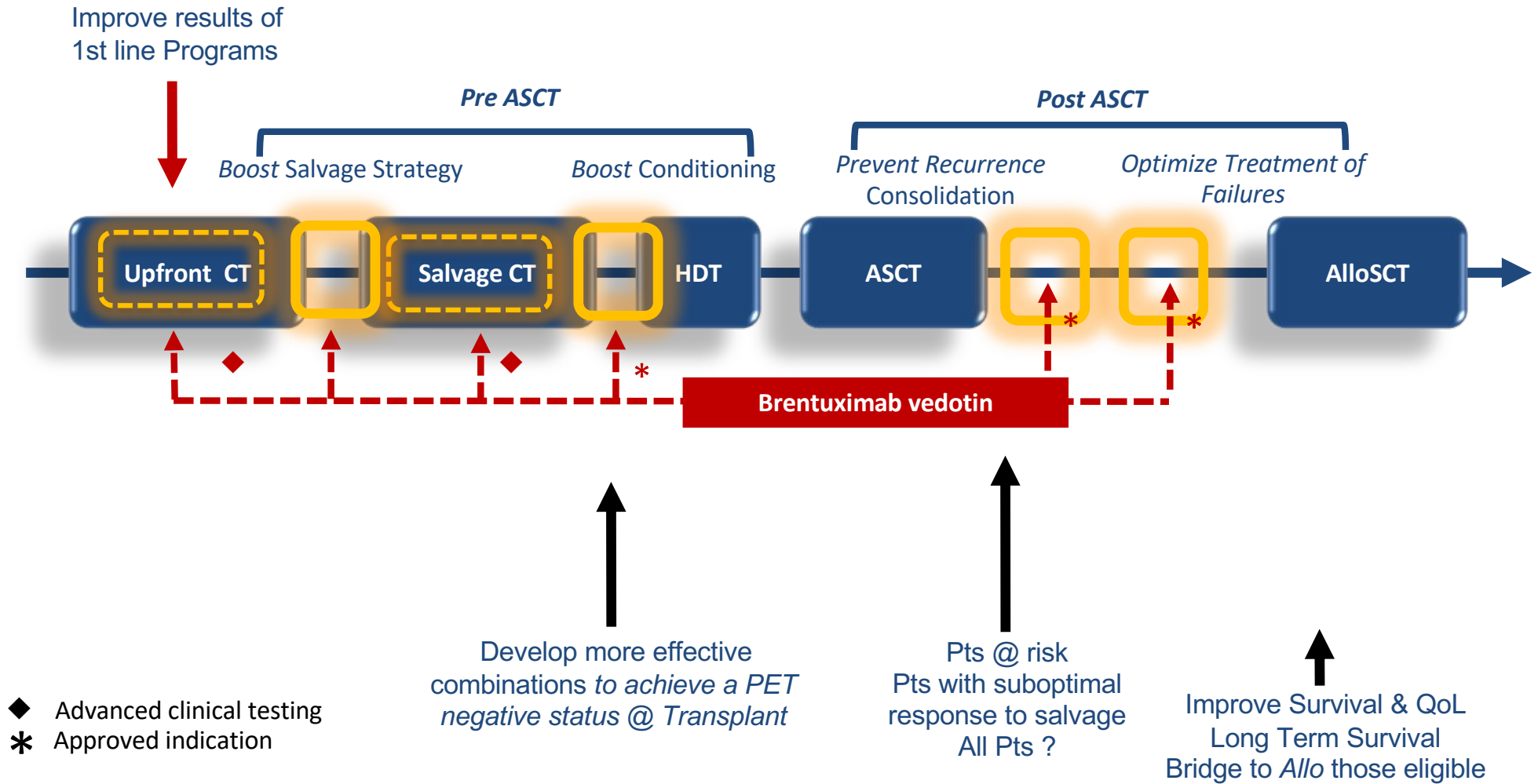
470 pts

- Primary endpoint: PFS
- Secondary endpoints: EFS, OS, CR

Post-Tx ISRT allowed for pts declared ISRT-eligible prior to randomization with EOT:
•DS 4-5
• $\geq 30\%$ reduction in max transverse diameter
AND
•Residual LN ≥ 2.5 cm
OR
•Residual extranodal lesion > 1 cm



Brentuximab Vedotin in the Overall Treatment Strategy for HL



...Novel Agents for cHL: Checkpoint Inhibitors

3. CPIs are effective (ORR) regardless of disease chemorefractoriness

- CheckMate 205: Response According to Refractory Status

| | Primary refractory n = 142 | Refractory to last line n = 114 | Refractory to BV after auto-HSCT n = 70 |
|--|-------------------------------|------------------------------------|--|
| Objective response, % | 73 | 68 | 69 |
| Best overall response, % | | | |
| Complete remission | 18 | 13 | 6 |
| Partial remission | 55 | 54 | 63 |
| Median DOR in patients with PR, months (95% CI) | 13 (9, 18) | 17 (9, NE) | 17 (8, NE) ^a |

ORR to Pembrolizumab by Blinded C Review: Subgroup Analyses

| | Primary Refractory Disease (n = 73) | | Relapsed After ≥3 Lines of Therapy (n = 146) | |
|----------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------|--|---------------------|
| | n (%) | 95% CI [†] | n (%) | 95% CI [†] |
| ORR | 58 (79.5) | 68.4-88.0 | 99 (67.8) | 59.6-75.3 |
| Complete remission | 17 (23.3) | 14.2-34.6 | 31 (21.2) | 14.9-28.8 |
| Partial remission | 41 (56.2) | 44.1-67.8 | 68 (46.6) | 38.3-55.0 |
| Stable disease | 4 (5.5) | 1.5-13.4 | 24 (16.4) | 10.8-23.5 |
| Progressive disease | 8 (11.0) | 4.9-20.5 | 20 (13.7) | 8.6-20.4 |
| Unable to determine | 3 (4.1) | 0.9-11.5 | 3 (2.1) | 0.4-5.9 |

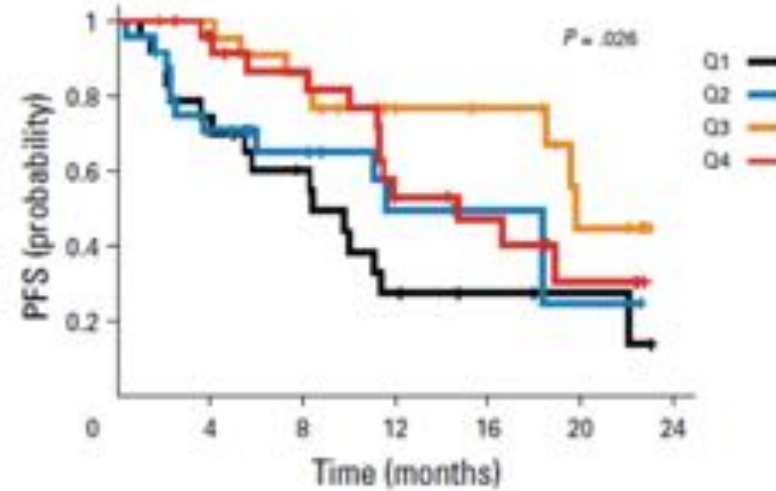
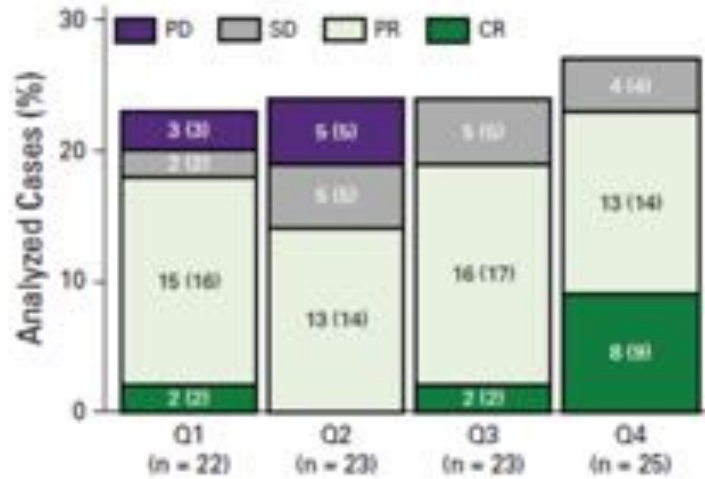
[†]These subgroups are not mutually exclusive
[†]Based on binomial exact confidence interval method

Zinzani, 14-ICML

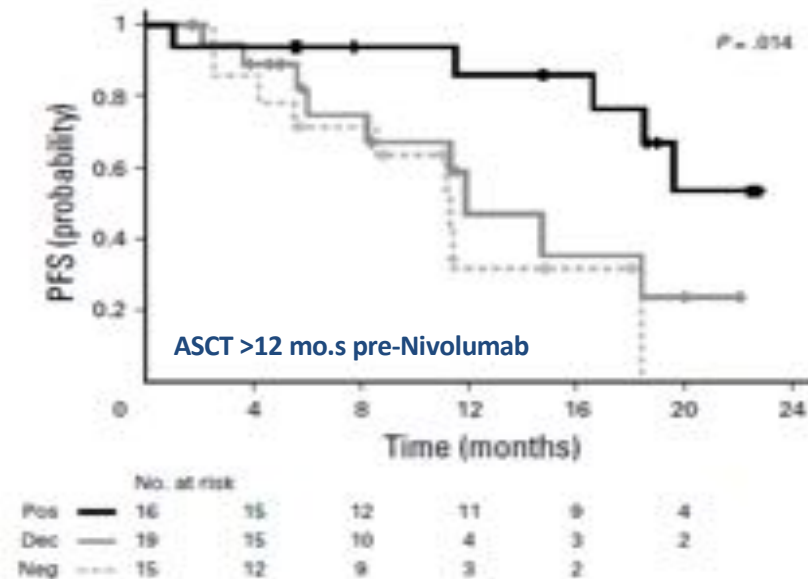
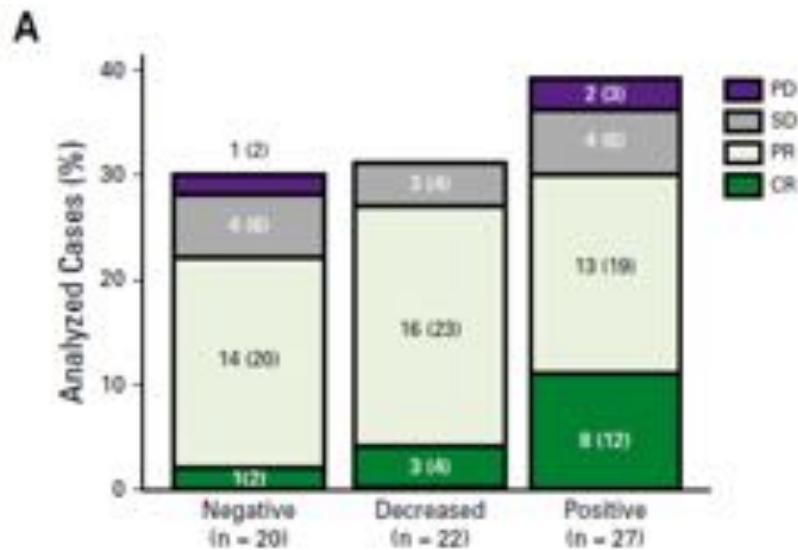
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Putative Mechanism of Resistance: not known

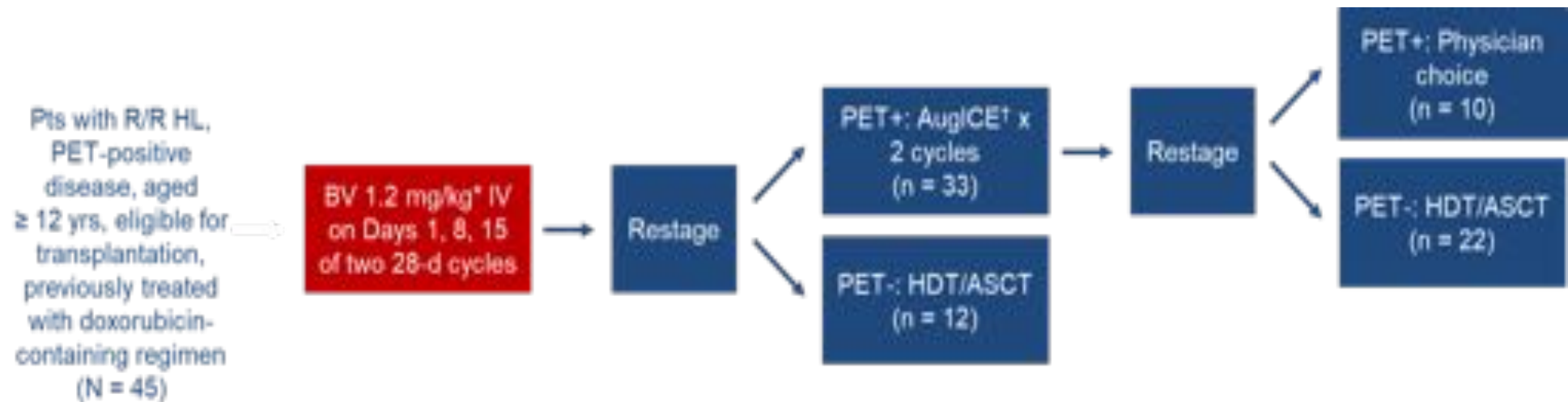
1. More CR and longer PFS observed with higher degrees of PD-L1 expression



2. More CR and longer PFS observed with higher degrees of HLA-DR expression



BV ± PET-Adapted Sequential AugICE Prior to ASCT for R/R HL



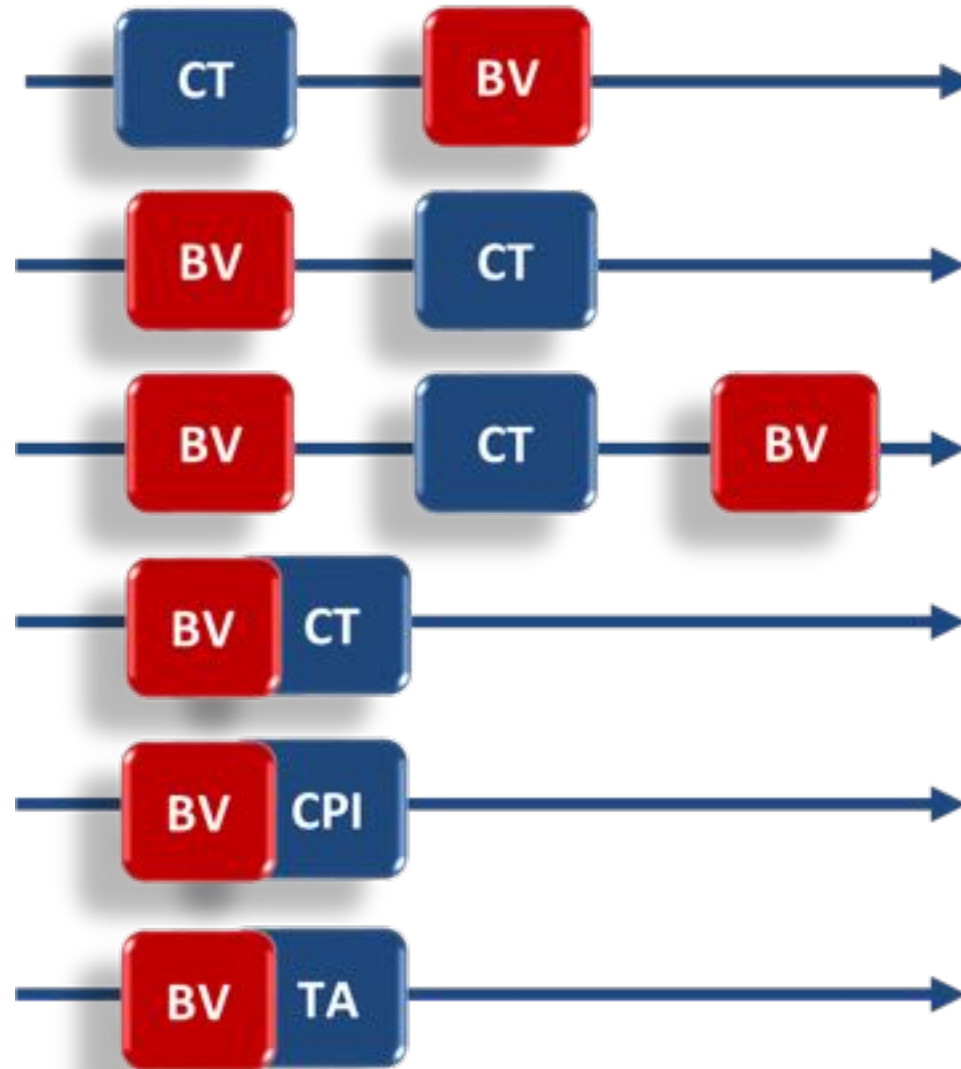
*For pts with weight > 100 kg, dosing calculated with upper limit of 100 kg. In pts with grade 2 neuropathy, BV dose reduced to 0.8 mg/kg; with grade 3 neuropathy, BV discontinued. †AugICE consisted of 2 doses ifosfamide 5000 mg/m² + unprotective agent mesna 5000 mg/m² IV on Days 1-2; 3 doses of etoposide 200 mg/m² IV Q12H beginning on Day 1; carboplatin at AUC of 5 (max. 800 mg) on Day 3.

- Overall 76% achieved PET- status and proceeded to HDT/ASCT

Strategies to achieve a PET neg.ve status @ transplant:

- **Sequential single agent BV and chemotherapy**
(...on demand...)
 - BV alone (about 30-35% of pts. achieve a metabolic CR)
 - BV <mCR: ICE, DICE, IGEV, GVD, GDP
 - BV and Bendamustine or Bendamustine and BV
- **Incorporate BV into salvage**
 - Bendamustine BV (BBV)
 - BV-DHAP (Brave)
 - BV-ESHAP (BrESHAP)
 - BV-ICE
- **Change ‘conventional’ salvage platform**
 - BeGEV
 - Test a ‘chemo-free’ strategy (BV+CPI)

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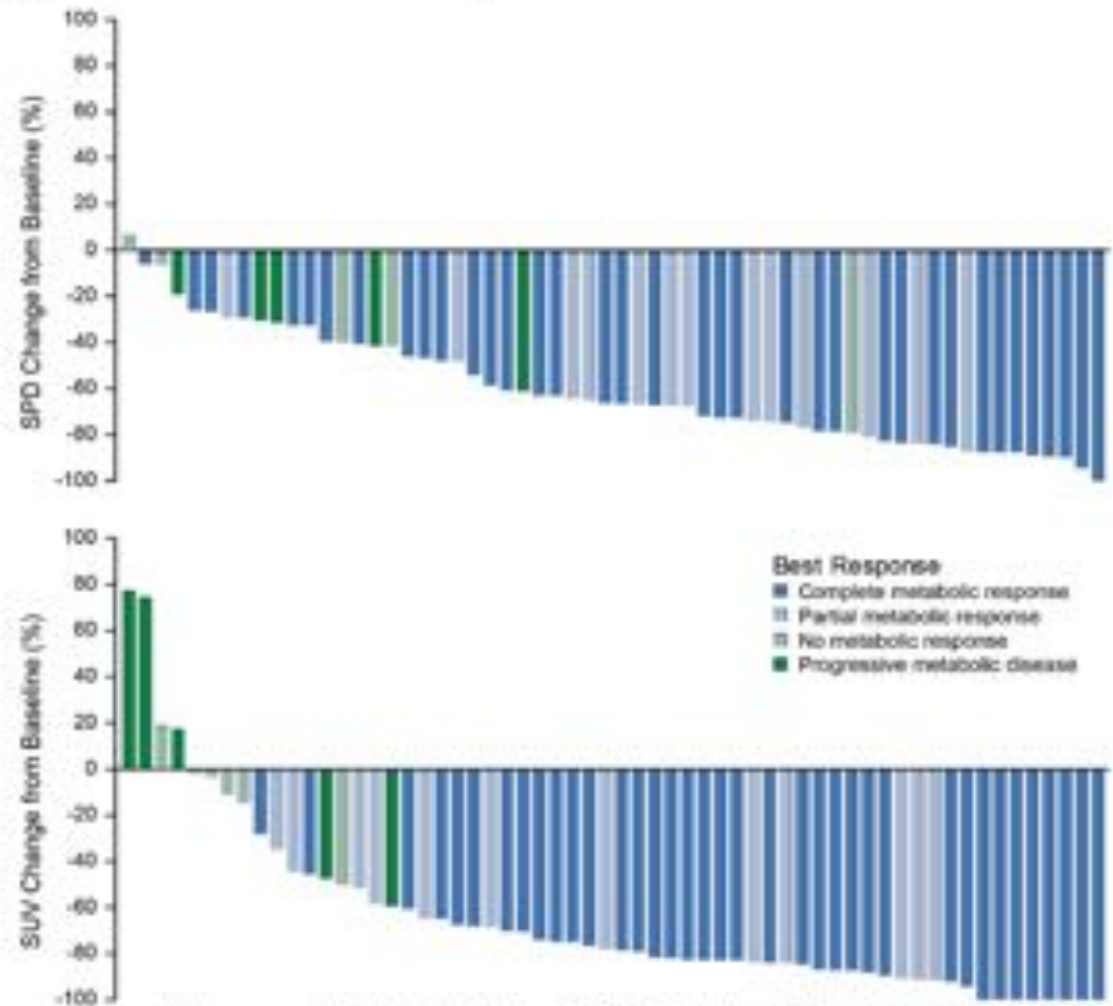


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BV + Nivolumab is an effective 2nd line therapy and bridge to transplant

87% ORR, 68% CR among efficacy evaluable patients (n=90)

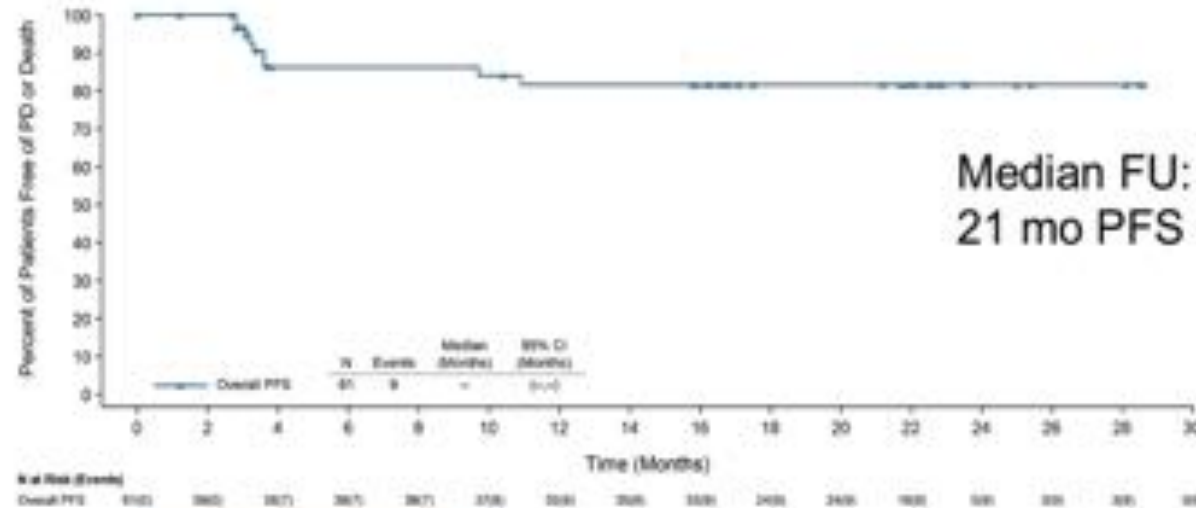
(85% ORR, 66% CR among all treated patients, n=91)



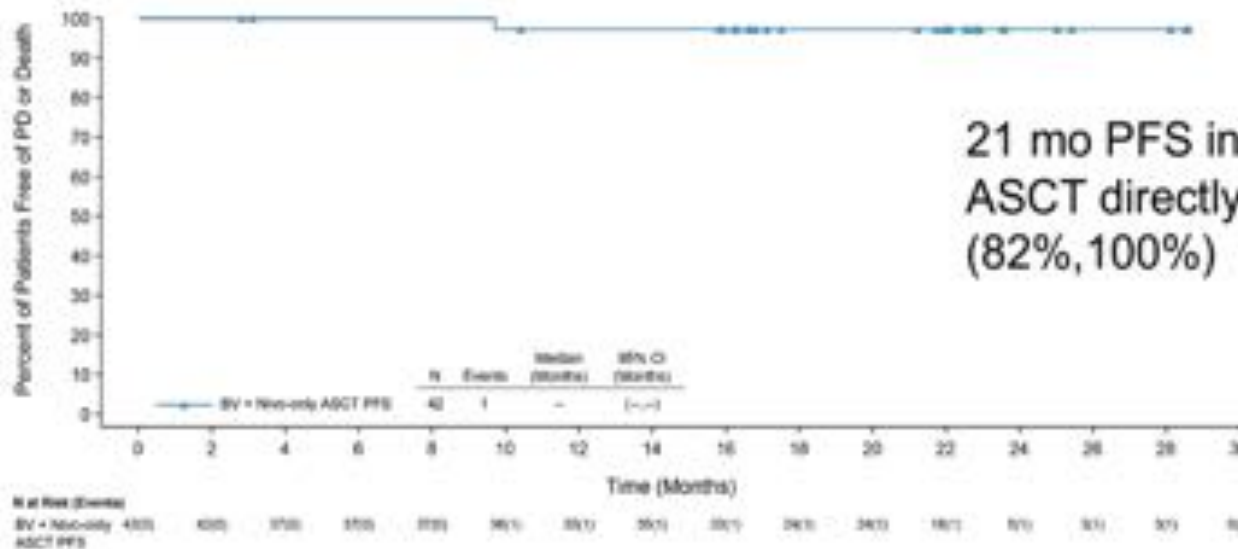
Herrera AF, et al. Blood 2018; Advani R et al. ASH 2018

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PFS after BV+Nivo as 1st salvage therapy for HL



Median FU: 21.8 months
 21 mo PFS overall: 82% (67%, 90%)



21 mo PFS in pts who proceeded to ASCT directly after BV+Nivo: 97% (82%, 100%)

Immunotherapy Lymphoma 2019



Dolabella auricularia, la miglior soluzione contro qualsiasi tipo di alga, anche quelle più ostili come l'alga briopsis. Instancabile divoratrice di qualsiasi alga infestante possiate trovarvi in acquario.

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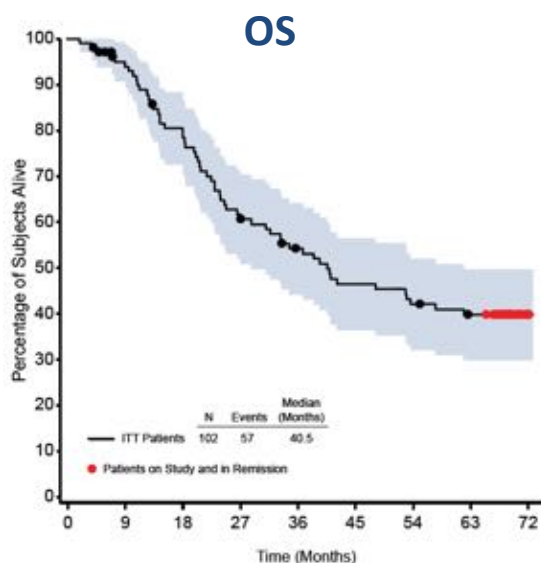


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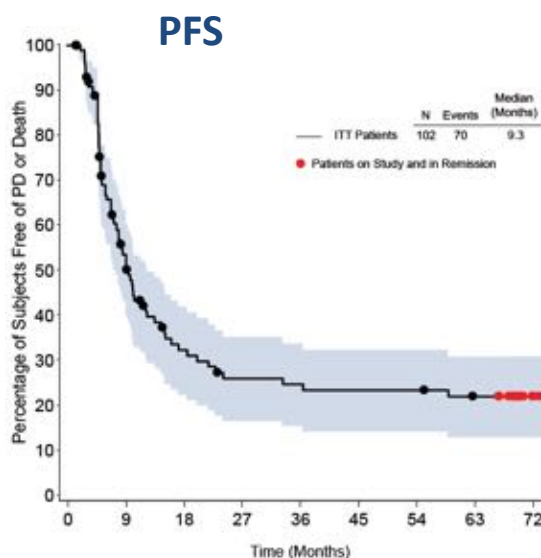
CLINICAL TRIALS AND OBSERVATIONS

Five-year survival and durability results of brentuximab vedotin in patients with relapsed or refractory Hodgkin lymphoma

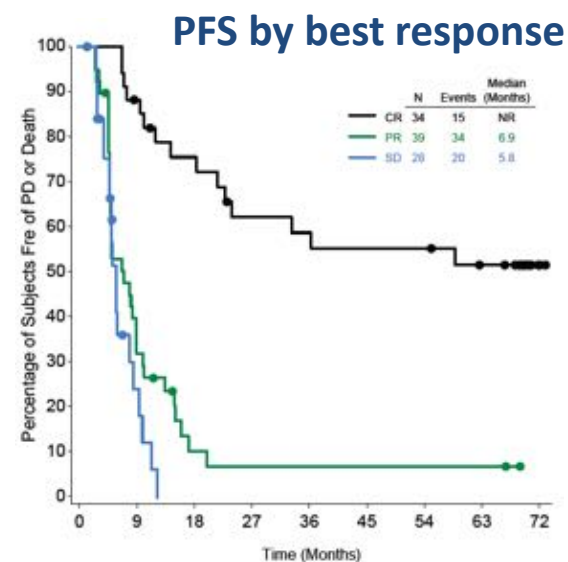
Robert Chen,^{1,*} Ajay K. Gopal,^{2,*} Scott E. Smith,³ Stephen M. Ansell,⁴ Joseph D. Rosenblatt,⁵ Kerry J. Savage,⁶ Joseph M. Connors,⁶ Andreas Engert,⁷ Emily K. Larsen,⁸ Dirk Huebner,⁹ Abraham Fong,⁸ and Anas Younes¹⁰



Median OS: 40.5 mos
 (95% CI: 28.7, 61.9 [1.8–72.9+])
5-yr OS: 41%
 (95% CI: 31-51)



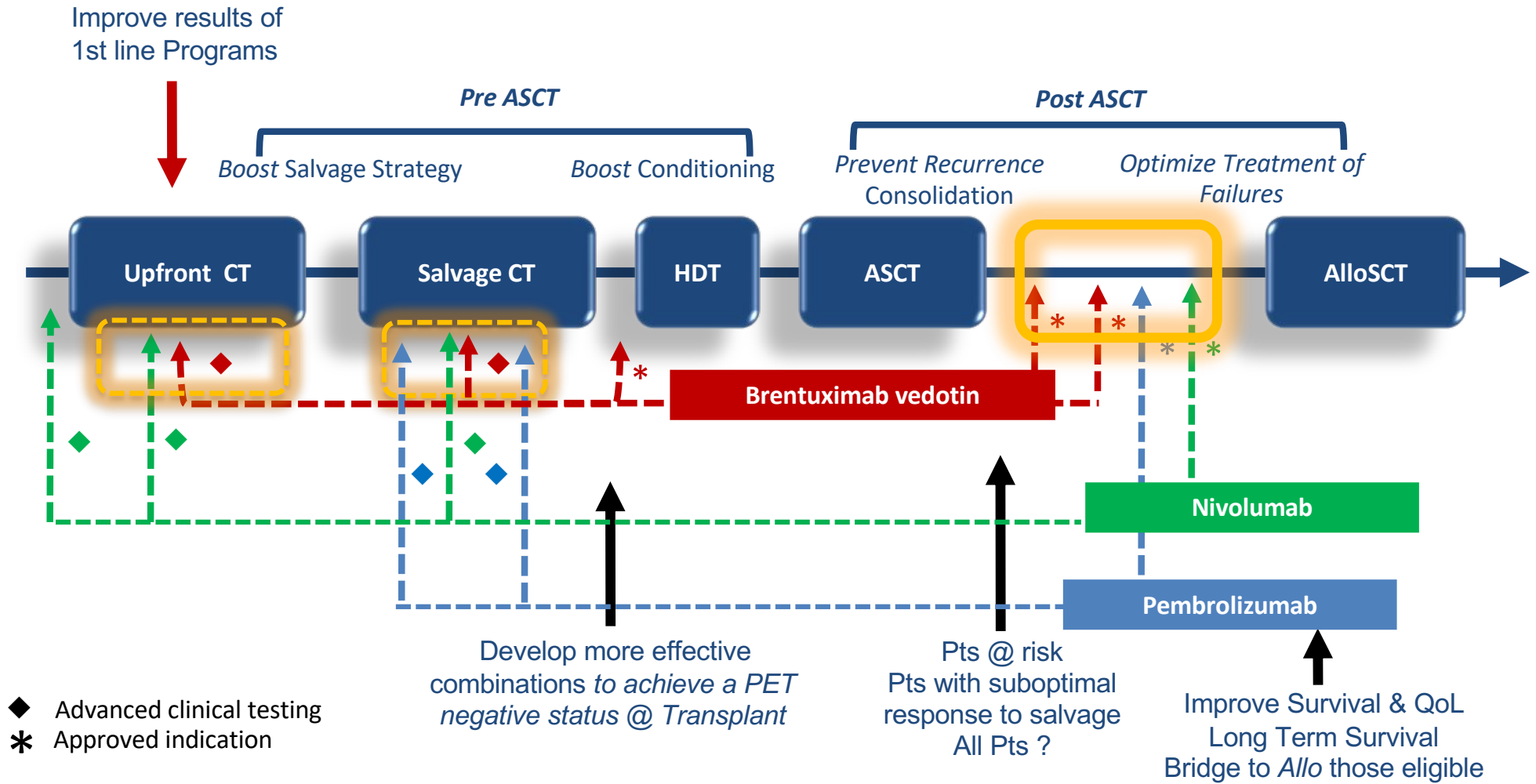
Median PFS: 9.3 mos
 (95% CI: 7.1, 12.2)
5-ys PFS: 22%
 (95% CI: 13-31)



Median OS & PFS
 not reached in pts with CR

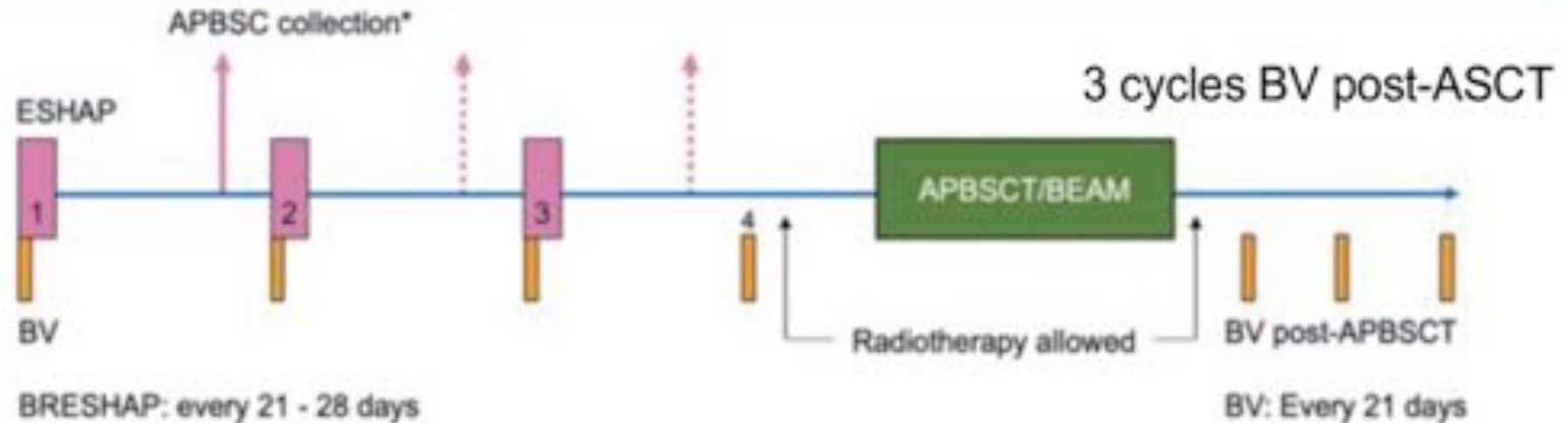
For patients in CR, the estimated 5-years OS rate was 64% and PFS was 52%

Overall Treatment Strategy for (adv. HL): a moving target



Brentuximab vedotin for RR-HL: one, no one, one-hundred-thousand

BV + ESHAP (BRESHAP)



N = 66, 61% 1° refractory

Pre-ASCT responses

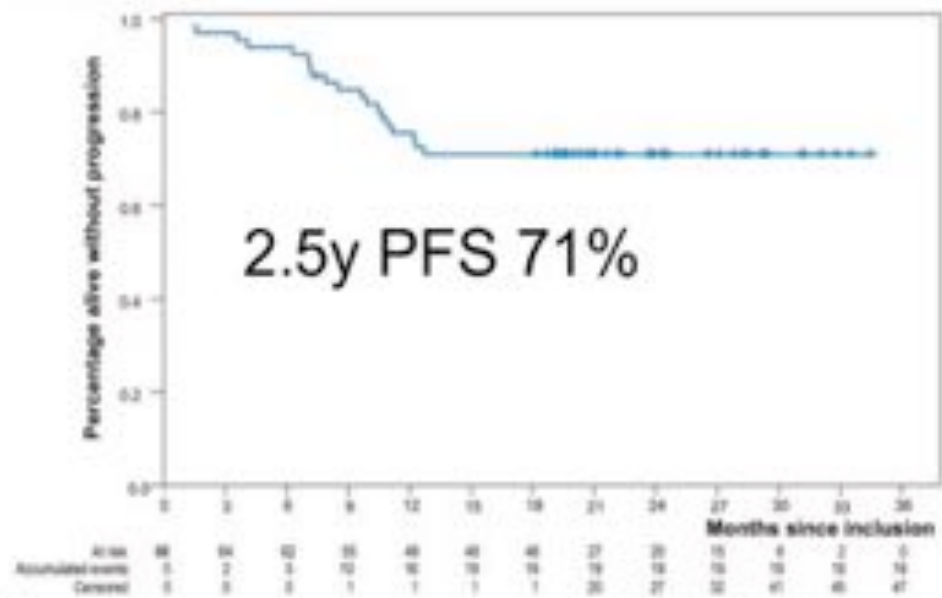
Overall response 91%

Complete response 70%

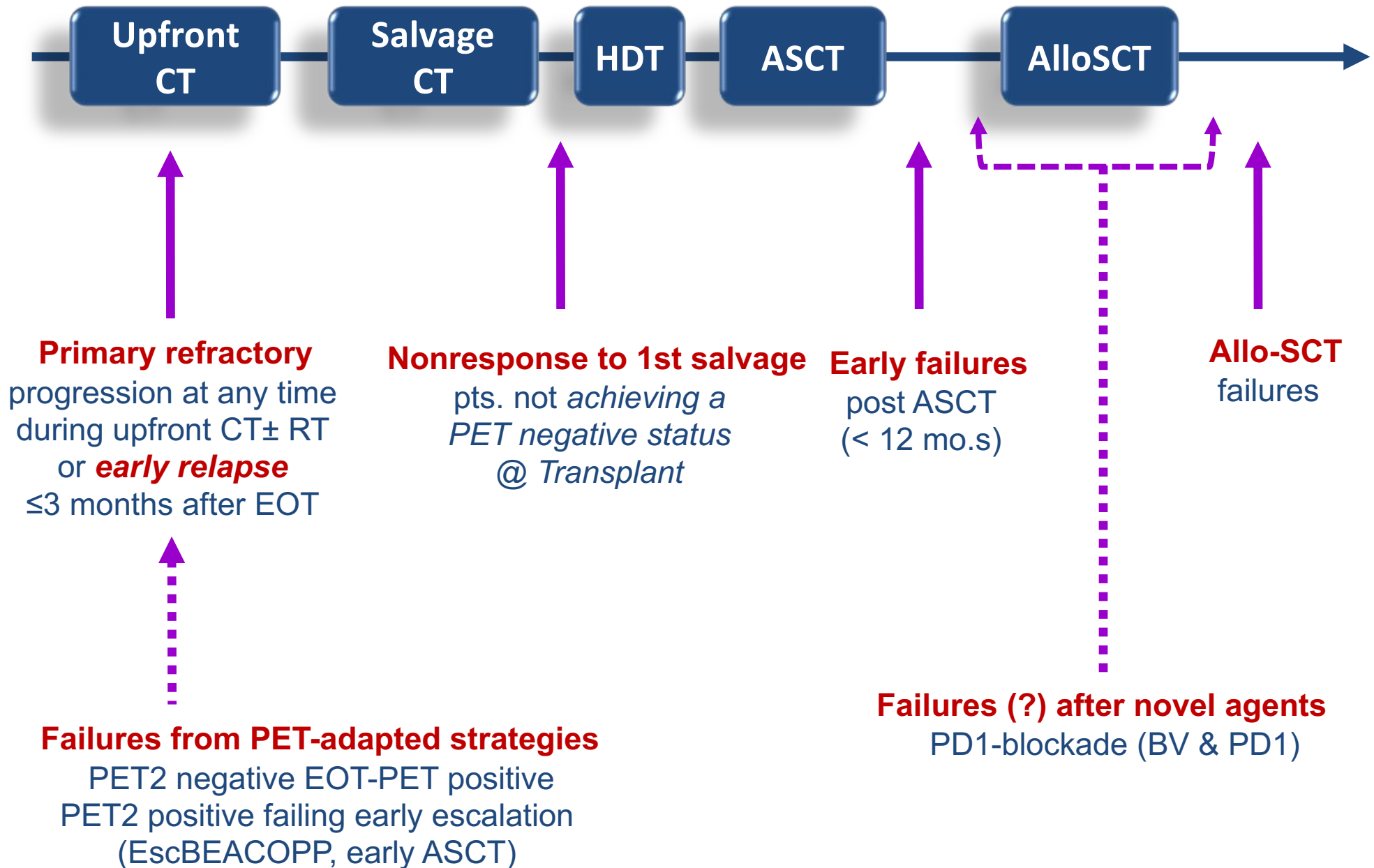
Gr 3-4 toxicities

47% thrombocytopenia

50% neutropenia

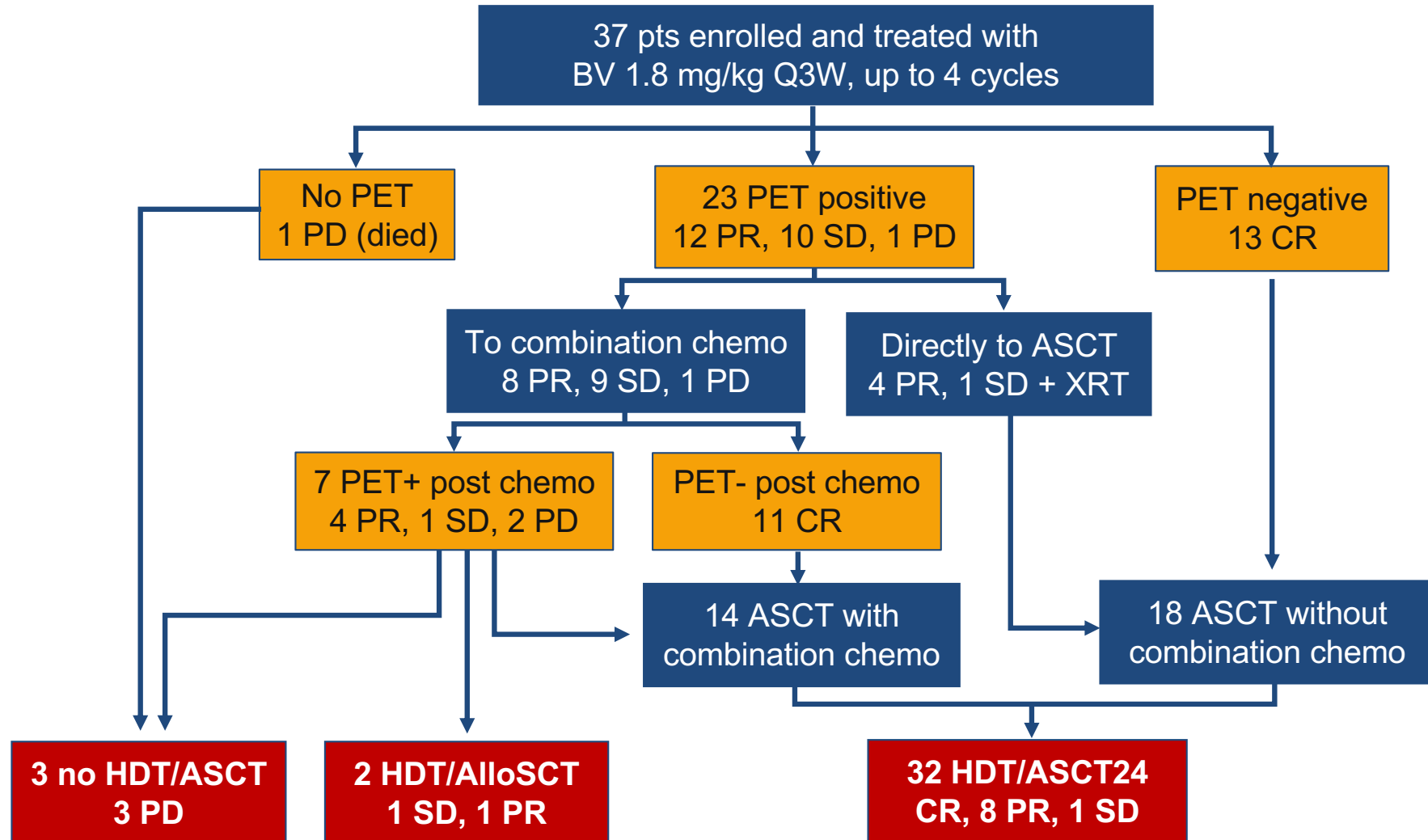


Hodgkin Lymphoma: defining Hi-Risk Patients



Failure of primary chemotherapy for advanced HL

Salvage BV ± PET-Adapted Physician's Choice of CT Prior to ASCT



RR-HL: Effect of Pre-Transplant (ASCT) PET assessment

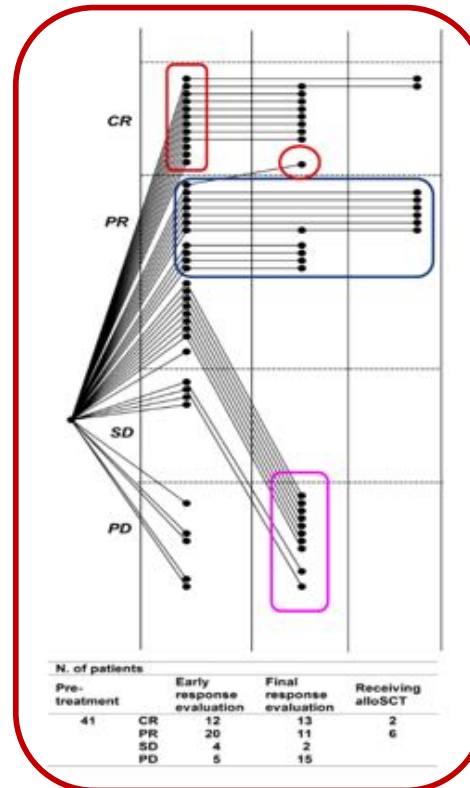
1. Works

| Parameter | No. | CR (%) | PR (%) | ORR (%) |
|---------------------|-----|--------|--------|---------|
| Response (all pts) | 36 | 12(33) | 7 (19) | 19 (53) |
| Response to last Rx | | | | |
| Sensitive | 16 | 9 (56) | 2 (13) | 11 (69) |
| Resistant | 18 | 3 (17) | 5 (28) | 8 (45) |

| Reference | n | Dose | ORR | CR | Prior Rx |
|-------------|----|--|-----|-----|---|
| Corazzelli | 41 | 90-120 mg/m ² , days 1 & 2, every 3-4 wks | 58% | 31% | |
| Ghesquieres | 28 | 90-120 mg/m ² , days 1 & 2, every 4 wks | 50% | 29% | |
| Anastasia | 67 | 90-120 mg/m ² , days 1 & 2, every 4 wks | 57% | 25% | 67% failed auto SCT 33% failed allo SCT |
| Zinzani | 27 | 90 mg/m ² , days 1 & 2, every 4 wks | 56% | 37% | All received prior BV 56% refractory to BV |

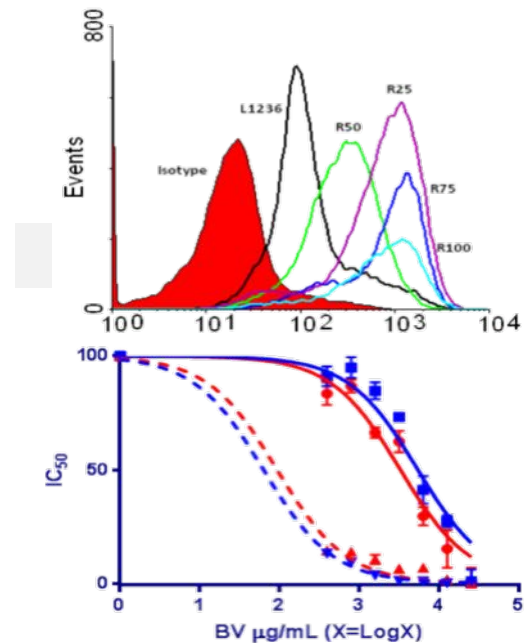
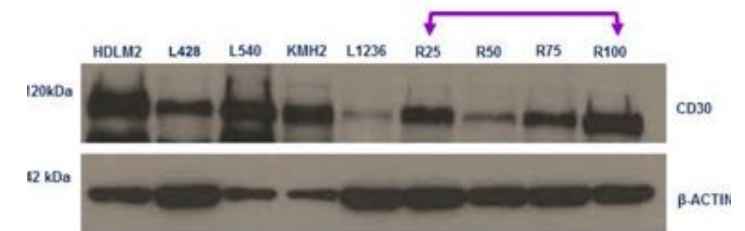
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2. Works rapidly



2-4 courses to best resp.

3. Synergizes with BV



Brentuximab Vedotin-based combinations for RR-HL

CLINICAL TRIALS AND OBSERVATIONS

Interim results of brentuximab vedotin in combination with nivolumab in patients with relapsed or refractory Hodgkin lymphoma

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Methods

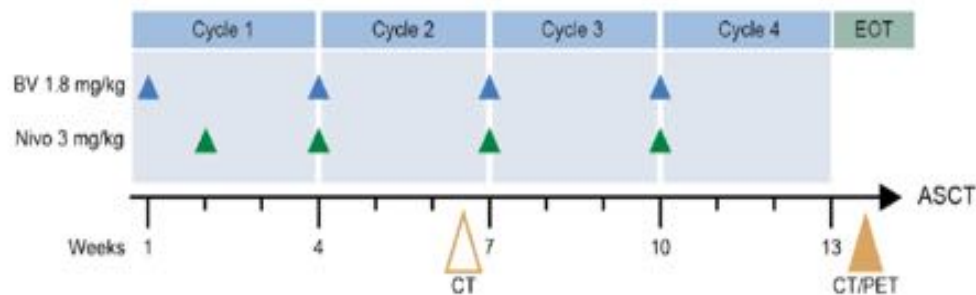
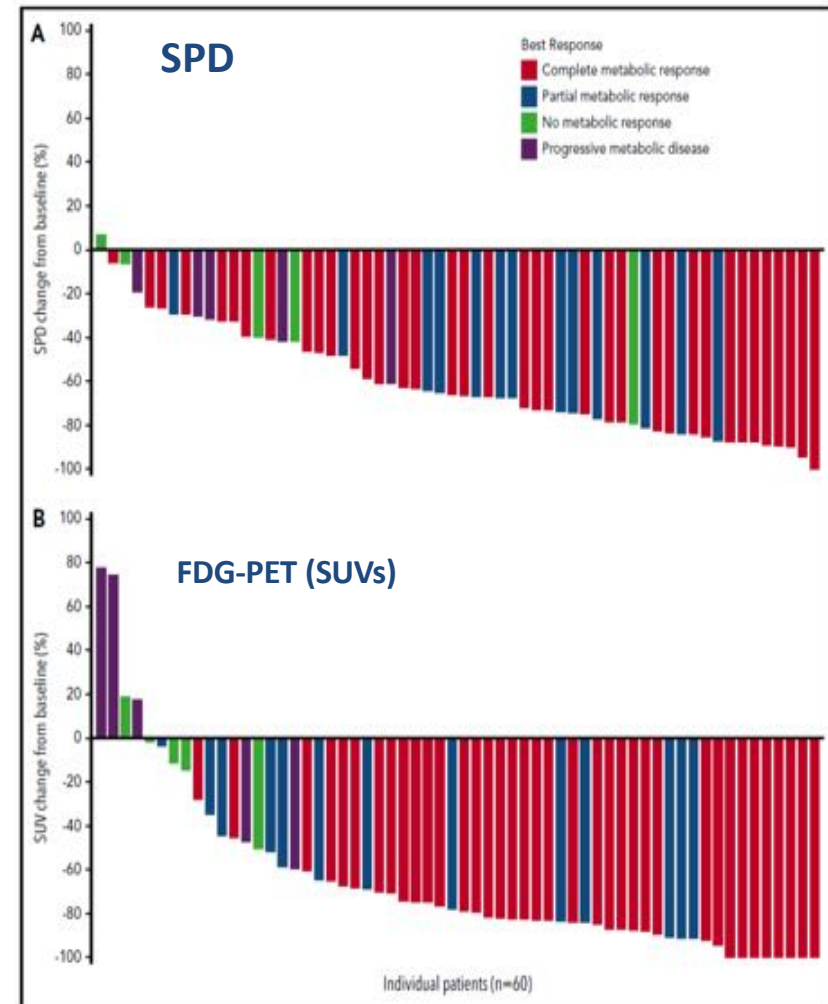


Table 1. Baseline demographics and disease characteristics

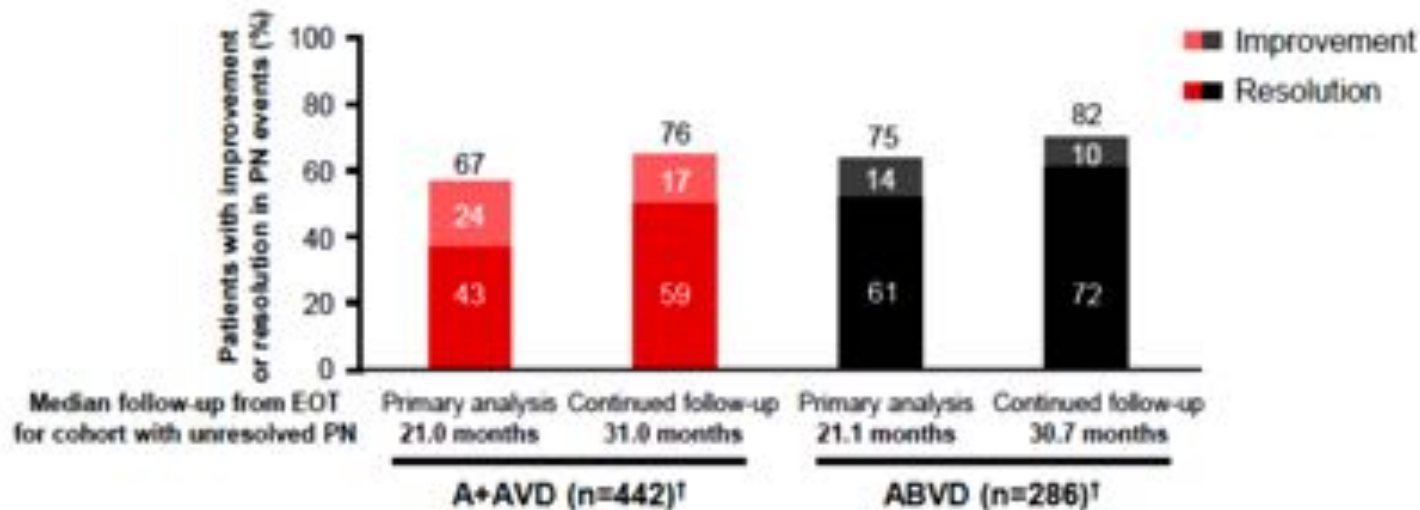
| | n = 62 |
|--|---------------|
| Age (y), median (range) | 36 (18–69) |
| Sex, n (%) | |
| Male | 30 (48) |
| Female | 32 (52) |
| Disease stage at initial diagnosis, n (%) | |
| I/II | 37 (60) |
| III/IV | 24 (39) |
| Unknown | 1 (2) |



**CR rate: 61%,
ORR: 82%
6-mo.s PFS: 86%**

Brentuximab vedotin for newly diagnosed advanced HL

Resolution or improvement* in PN events with continued follow-up



*Resolution is defined as event outcome of 'resolved' or 'resolved with sequelae'. Improvement was defined as 'improved by ≥ 1 grade from worst grade as of the latest assessment'.

†Total patients with PN.

Ongoing PN events at primary analysis and after 10 months additional follow-up*

| | A+AVD | | ABVD | |
|---------------------------------|------------------|---------------------|------------------|---------------------|
| | Primary analysis | Continued follow-up | Primary analysis | Continued follow-up |
| Patients with ongoing PN, n | 251 | 182 | 112 | 81 |
| Maximum severity grade 1, n (%) | 160 (64) | 106 (58) | 80 (71) | 53 (65) |
| Maximum severity grade 2, n (%) | 72 (29) | 58 (32) | 28 (25) | 24 (30) |
| Maximum severity grade 3, n (%) | 18 (7) | 17 (9) | 4 (4) | 4 (5) |
| Maximum severity grade 4, n (%) | 1 (<1) | 1 (<1) | 0 | 0 |

*Beyond 36 months follow-up was every 6 months.