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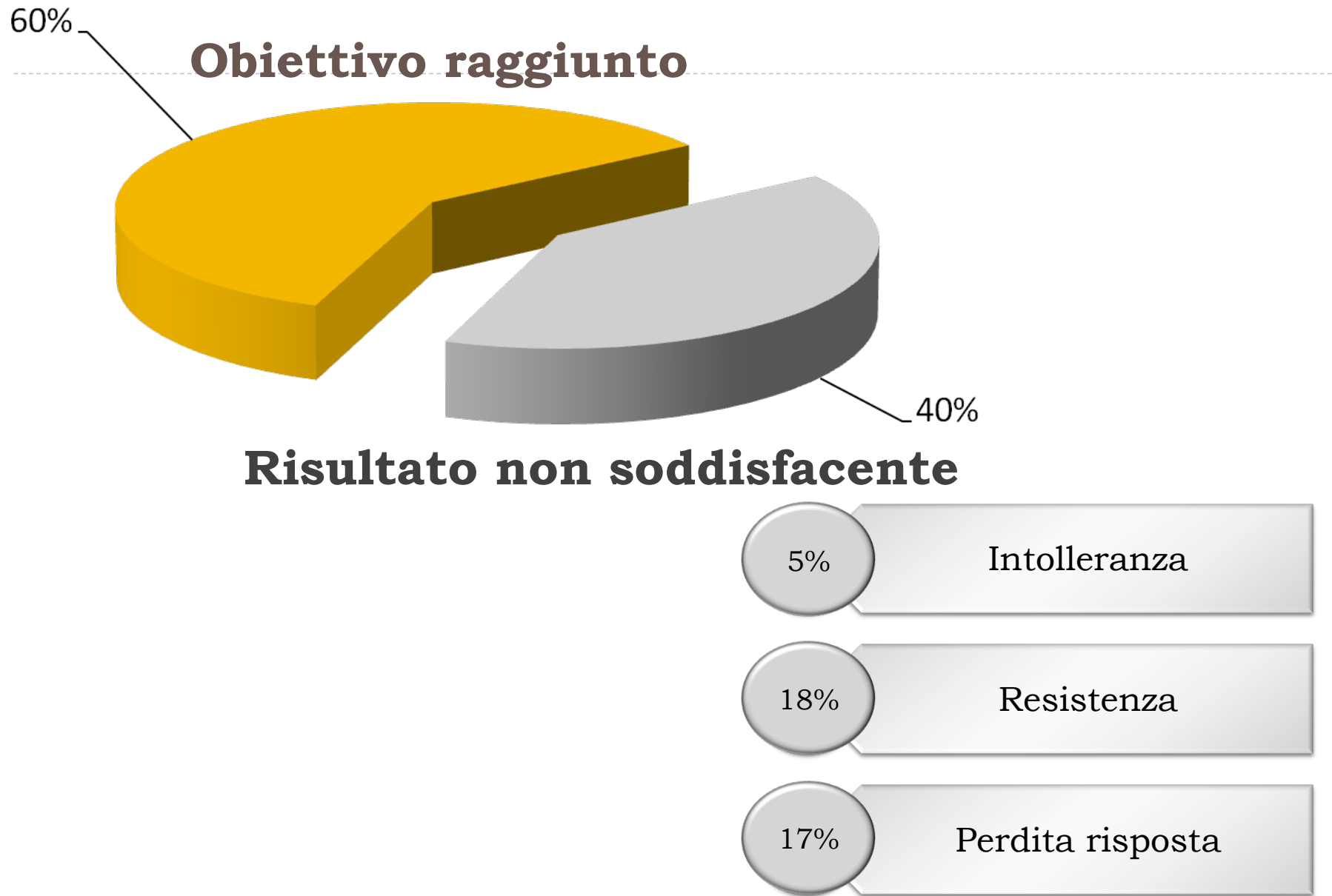
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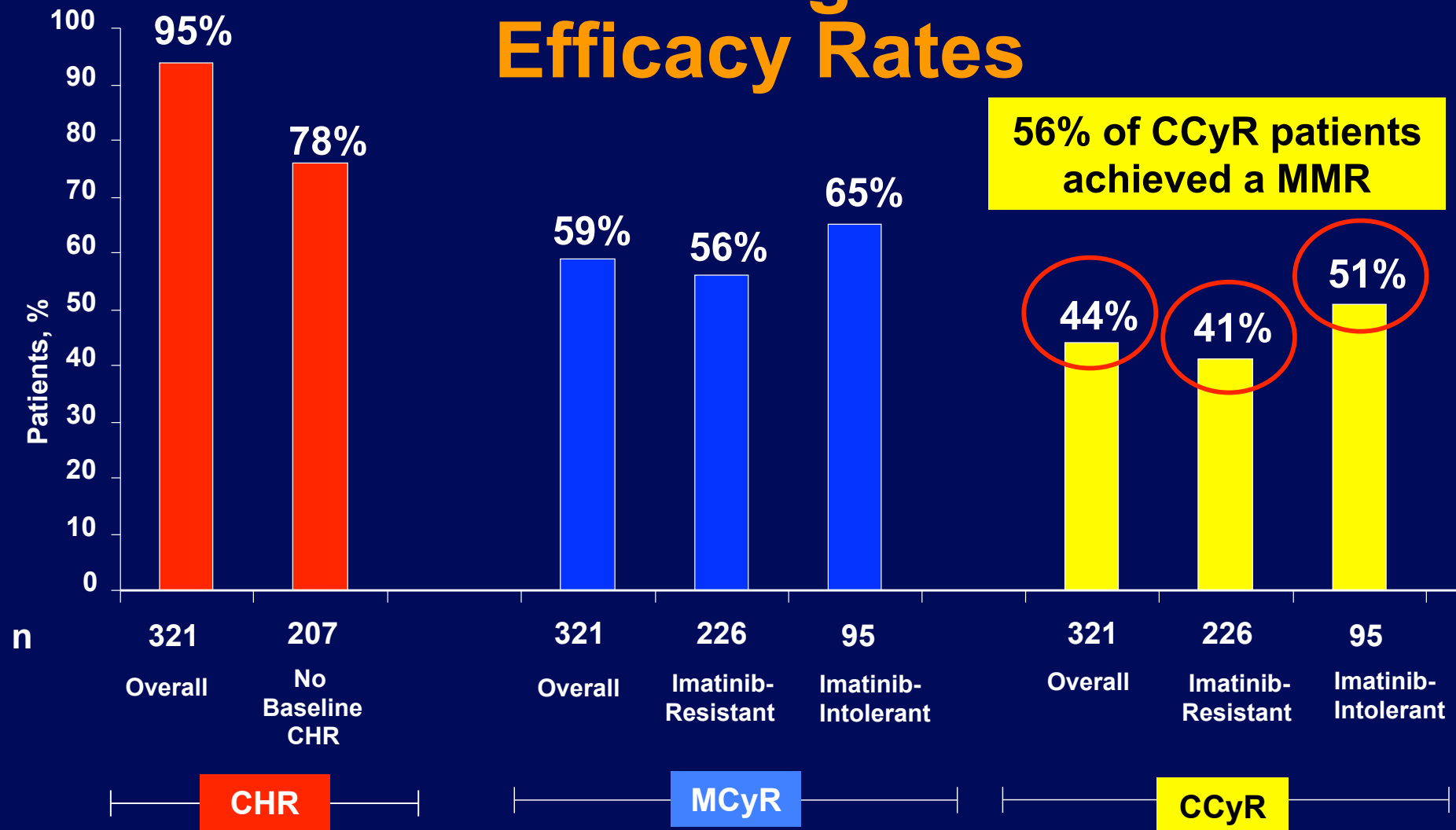
Appunti di terapia

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Imatinib front-line... va bene per tutti?

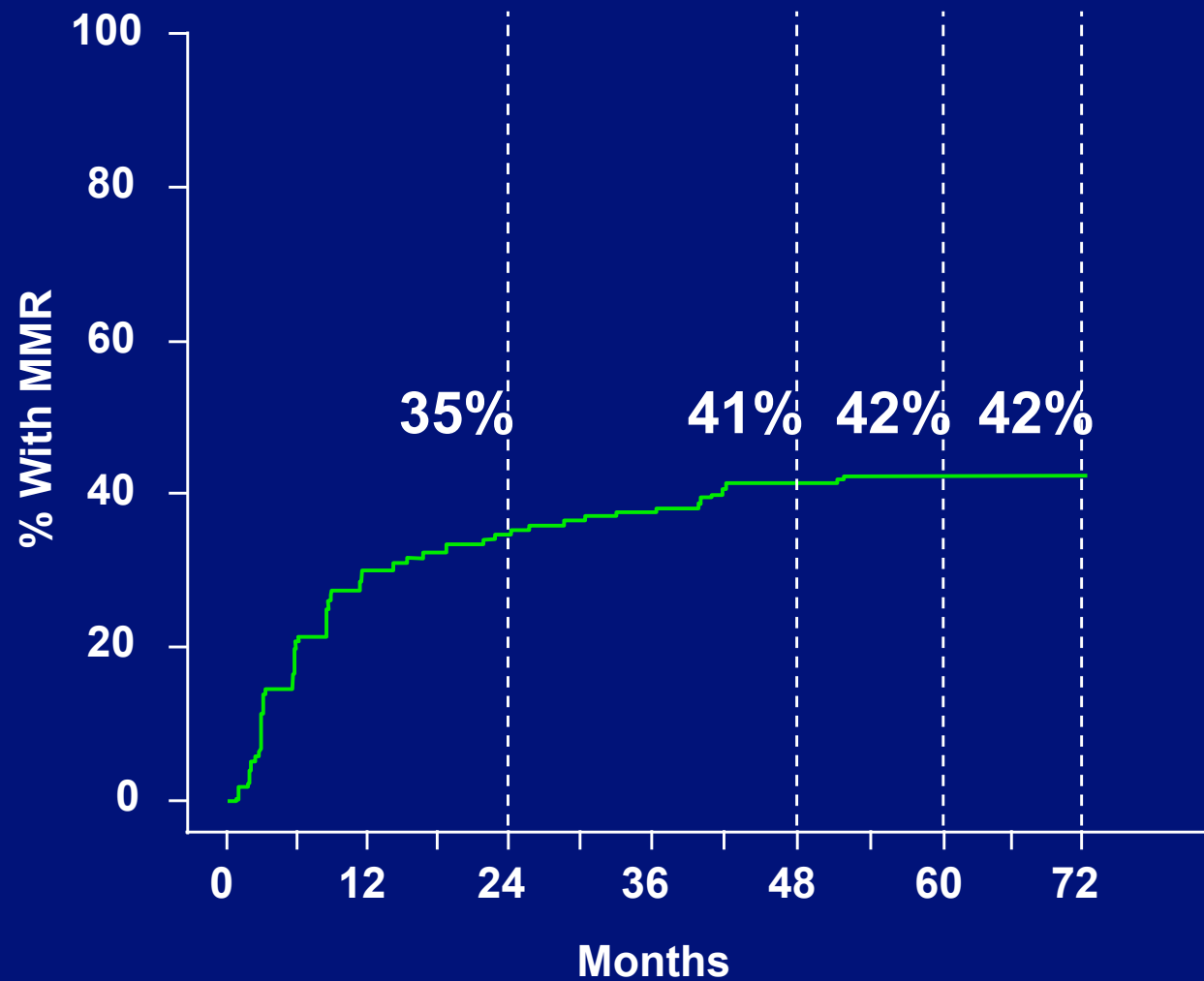


Nilotinib 400 mg in CML-CP Efficacy Rates



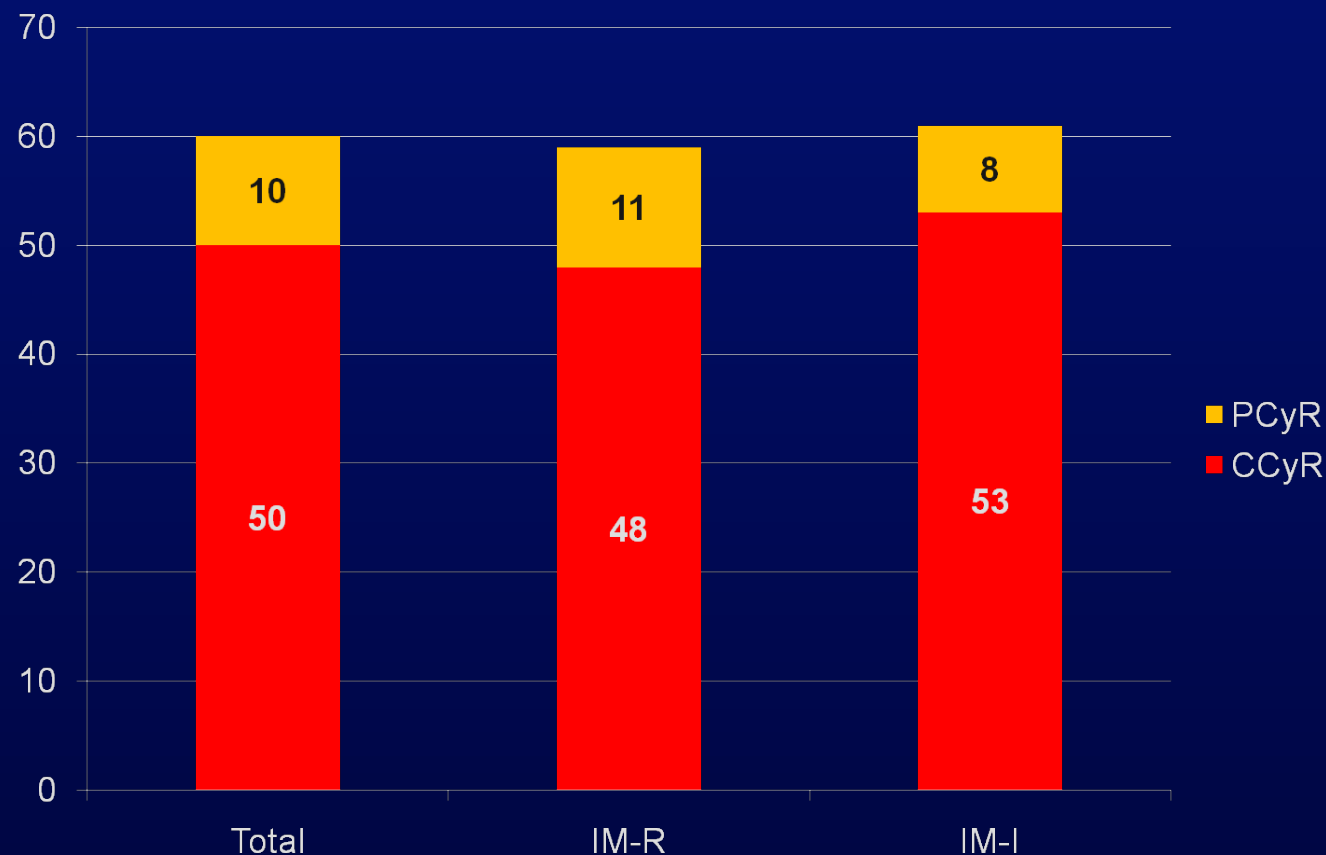
Patients with a minimum follow-up of 24 months

Major Molecular Response (dasatinib 100 mg QD)



Bosutinib 2nd Line – Efficacy **N = 262**

262/284 patients were evaluable for cytogenetic response by 5 years



Responders: improvement from the baseline assessment or stable response
Evaluable patients: ≥ 1 bosutinib dose and valid baseline cytogenetic assessment

Inibitori di seconda e terza generazione dopo intolleranza/resistenza a imatinib: efficacia

	DASATINIB	NILOTINIB	BOSUTINIB	PONATINIB*
CCyR	50%	44%	48%	46%
MMR	37%	28%	35%	34%
MR ⁴ / CMR	n.a.	n.a.	28%	15%
EFS a 2 anni	n.r.	53%	n.r.	n.r.
PFS a 2 anni	80%	64%	81%	80% (@ 1 anno)
OS a 2 anni	94%	87%	91%	94% (@ 1 anno)

*** pazienti con resistenza/intolleranza a più TKIs**

▶ *Shah N. et al, Haematologica 2010;95:232-240. Kantarjian H. et al, Blood 2011;117:1141-1145.
Cortes J.E. et al, Blood 2011;118:4567-4576. Cortes J.E. et al, N Engl J Med 2013;369:1785-1796.*

Quanti pazienti rimangono in trattamento con TKI di seconda generazione?

Dasatinib IIa linea, F-U 72 mesi

Table 1. Patient disposition		
	100 mg once daily (n = 165)	
	No.	%
On treatment	51	31
Reason for discontinuation		
Disease progression*	34	21
Study drug toxicity	34	21
Patient or investigator request	24	15
Adverse event unrelated to drug	7	4
Other†	15	9

≈30%

Nilotinib IIa linea, F-U 48 mesi

Table 1. Patient disposition	
Disposition	No. of Patients (%) (N = 321)
Discontinued study	224 (69.8)
Disease progression	96 (29.9)
Adverse events	66 (20.6)
Drug-related	53 (16.5)
Subjects who withdrew consent	26 (8.1)
Abnormal test results	4 (1.2)
Death	4 (1.2)
Abnormal laboratory values	3 (0.93)
Lost to follow-up	3 (0.93)
Other ^a	22 (6.9)

^aIncludes administrative issues, protocol violations and not stated.

≈30%

REAL LIFE COMPARISON OF DASATINIB AND NILOTINIB AS SECOND-LINE THERAPY AFTER IMATINIB FAILURE IN CHRONIC PHASE CML

Table 1. Patients' characteristics at diagnosis and at start of 2G-TKI			
	DAS (n = 95)	NIL (n = 68)	p
Age median, yrs (range)	58 (18-88)	54 (20-80)	0.43
Sex, M/F ratio	56 / 39	44 / 24	0.56
BCR-ABL: b ₂ a ₂	38 (40%)	30 (44%)	0.72
b ₃ a ₂	35 (37%)	19 (28%)	0.31
both	16 (17%)	7 (10%)	0.23
other/unknown	6 (6%)	12 (18%)	0.04
Sokal: Low	32 (34%)	31 (46%)	0.17
Intermediate	42 (44%)	27 (40%)	0.68
High	19 (20%)	9 (13%)	0.36
Unknown	2 (2%)	1 (1%)	1.00
EUTOS: Low	81 (85%)	59 (87%)	0.97
High	8 (9%)	4 (6%)	0.76
Unknown	6 (6%)	5 (7%)	1.00
IM therapy median, mo (range)	19 (1-113)	14 (1-149)	0.18
IM dose escalation	27 (28%)	9 (13%)	0.03
Hammersmith score (low/eval.)	57/83* (69%)	42/57* (74%)	0.65
Reason for 2G-TKI: 1 st resistance	47 (50%)	28 (41%)	0.37
2 nd resistance	26 (27%)	7 (10%)	0.01
intolerance	21 (22%)	31 (46%)	0.003
other	1 (%)	2 (3%)	0.78

Results

Figure 1a (TTF)

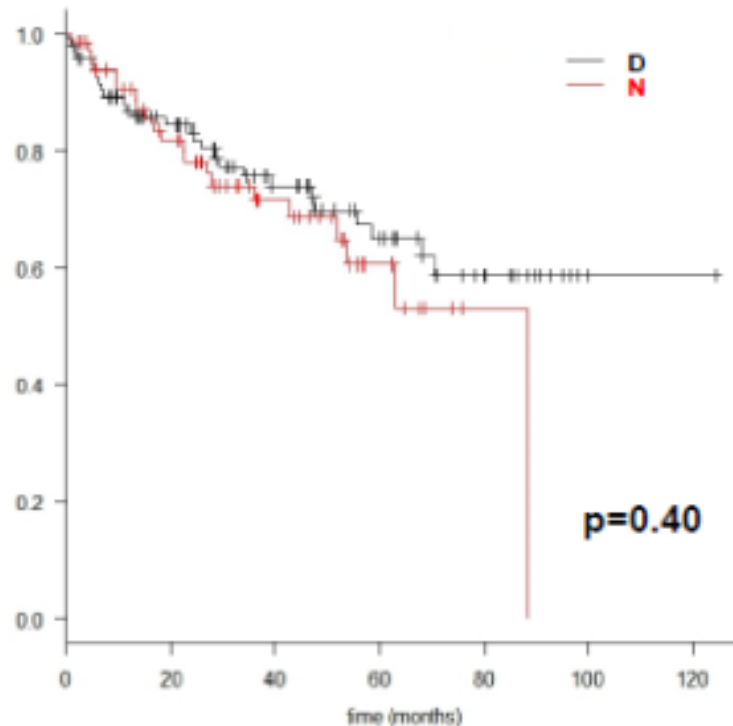
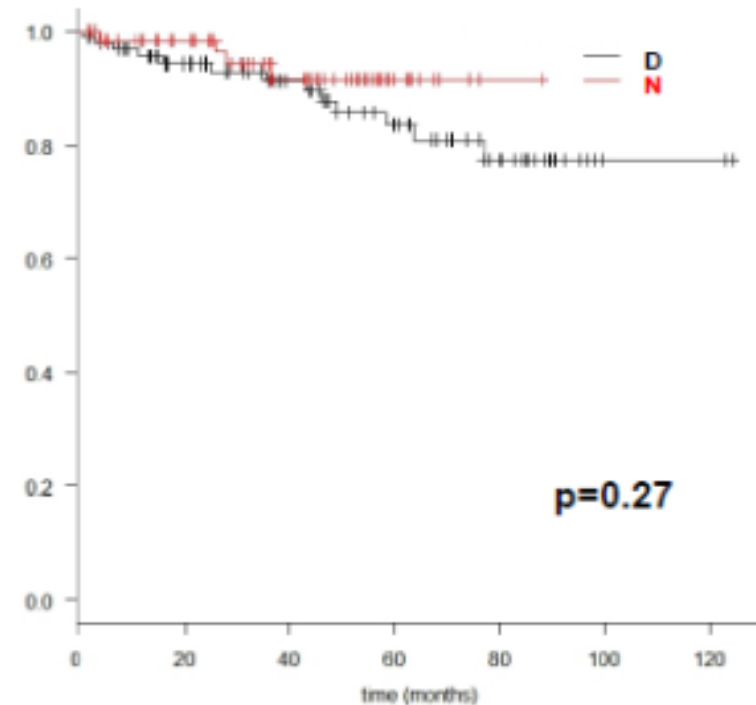


Figure 1b (PFS)



With the limits of a retrospective analysis, our data suggest similar efficacy of DAS and NIL after IM failure in CP-CML, with high rates of cytogenetic and molecular responses and excellent long-term survival.

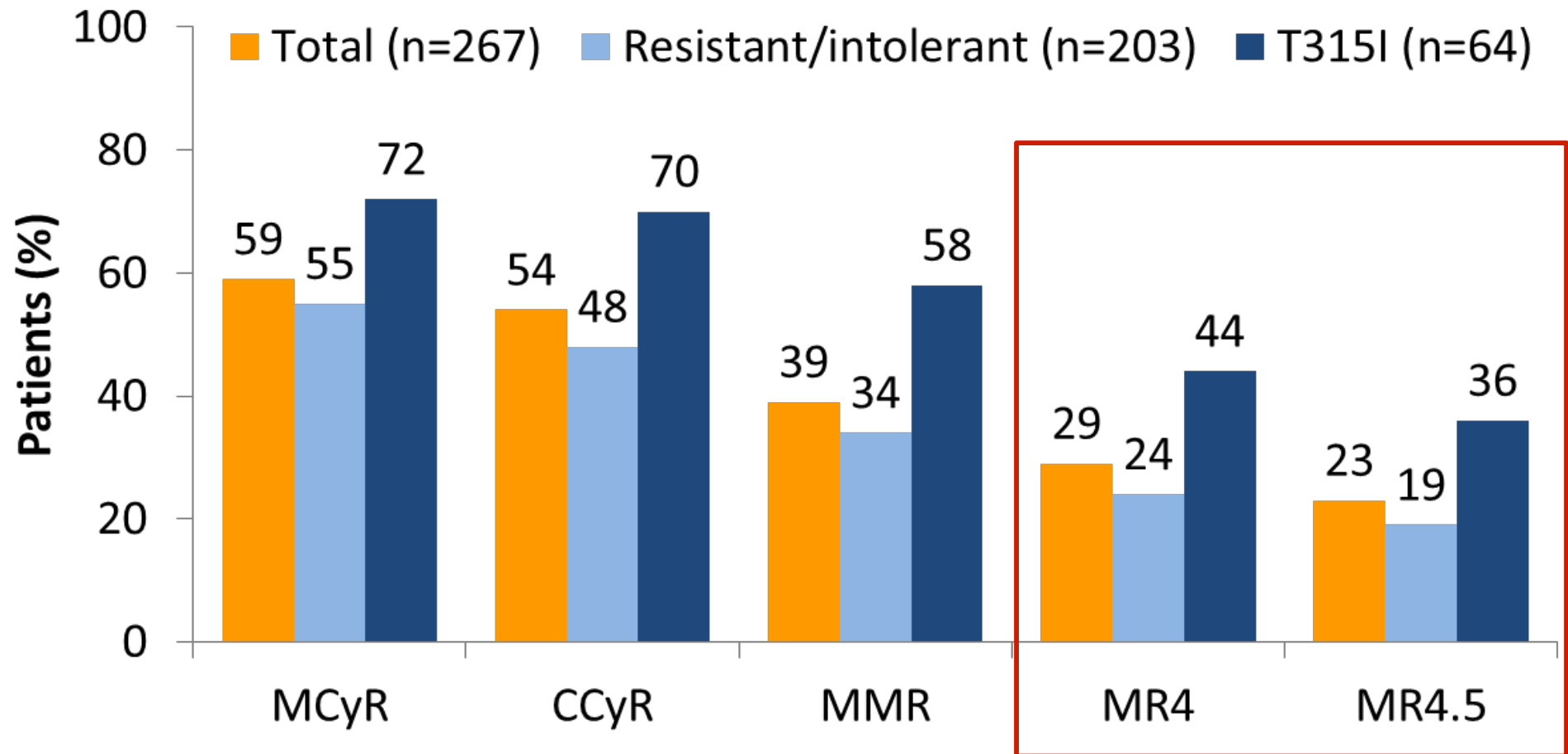
TKIs for CML Therapy

Parameter	Imatinib	Dasatinib	Nilotinib	Bosutinib	Ponatinib
Target	Abl	Src & Abl	Abl	Src & Abl	Src & Abl
Standard dose	400 mg QD	100 mg QD	400 mg BID	500 mg QD	45 mg QD
IC50, Bcr-Abl1	260-679	0.8-1.8	10-25	42	0.5
IC50, c-Kit	99	18	209	10000	12
IC50, PDGFR	72	2.9	75	3.0	1.1
IC50, Src	>1000	0.1	>1000	3.0	5.4
IC50, VEGFR2	10000	NA	3720	NA	1.5
IC50, BTK	>5000	1.1	NA	2.5	849

PACE trial - Patient characteristics

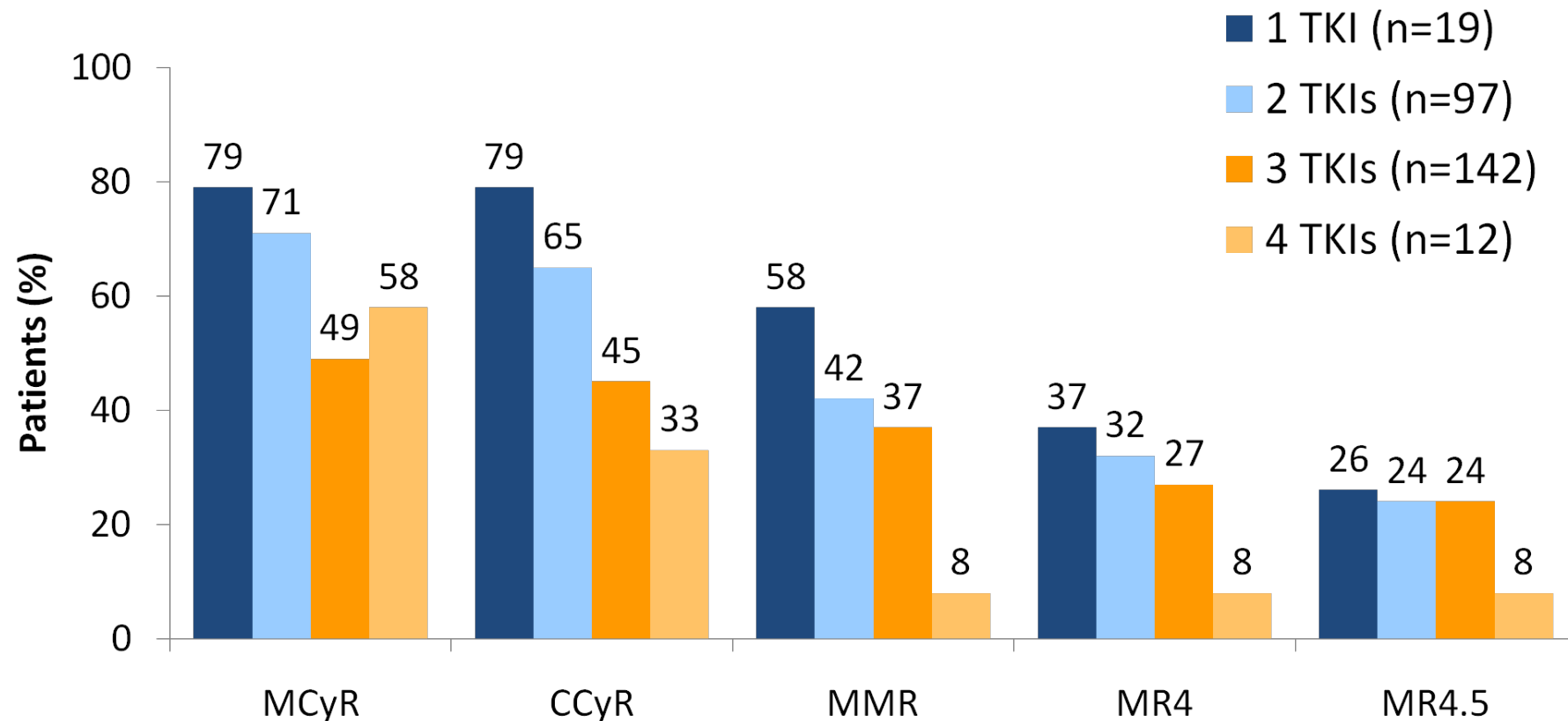
	CP-CML (n=270)	All (n=449)
Median age, years (range)	60 (18–94)	59 (18–94)
Prior TKI therapy, ^a n (%)		
1 TKI	18 (7)	31 (7)
2 TKIs	90 (33)	155 (35)
≥3 TKIs	162 (60)	263 (59)
R/I to dasatinib or nilotinib, n (%)		
Resistant	215 (80)	375 (84)
Intolerant only	39 (14)	49 (11)
Both resistant and intolerant	52 (19)	81 (18)
Mutation status, n (%)		
No mutation detected	138 (51)	198 (44)
T3151 mutation	64 (24)	128 (29)
Median follow-up, months (range)	48.2 (0.1–58.5)	37.3 (0.1–58.5)

Response to Ponatinib at Any Time CP (N=270)



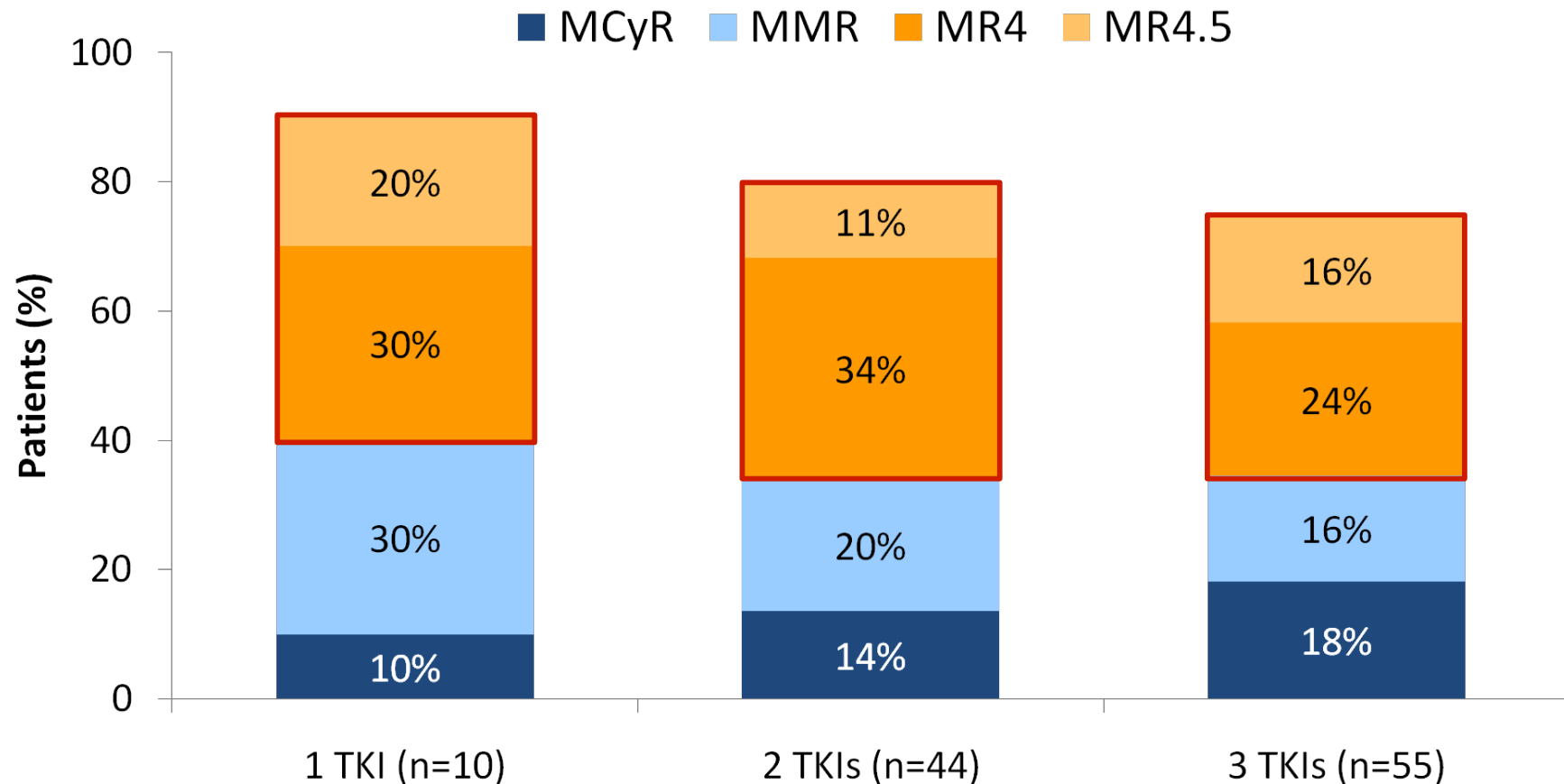
MR4 = 4-log molecular response ($\leq 0.01\%$ BCR-ABL^{IS}), MR4.5 = 4.5-log molecular response ($\leq 0.0032\%$ BCR-ABL^{IS})

Response to Ponatinib in CP-CML (N=270) by Number of Prior TKIs: Response at Any Time



MCyR, 0%–35% Ph+ metaphases; CCyR, 0% Ph+ metaphases; MMR, $\leq 0.1\%$ BCR-ABL^{IS}; MR4, $\leq 0.01\%$ BCR-ABL^{IS} or undetectable disease in cDNA with $\geq 10,000$ ABL transcripts; MR4.5, $\leq 0.0032\%$ BCR-ABL^{IS} or undetectable disease in cDNA with $\geq 32,000$ ABL transcripts

Current Response to Ponatinib in CP-CML by Number of Prior TKIs (Ongoing Patients=110)



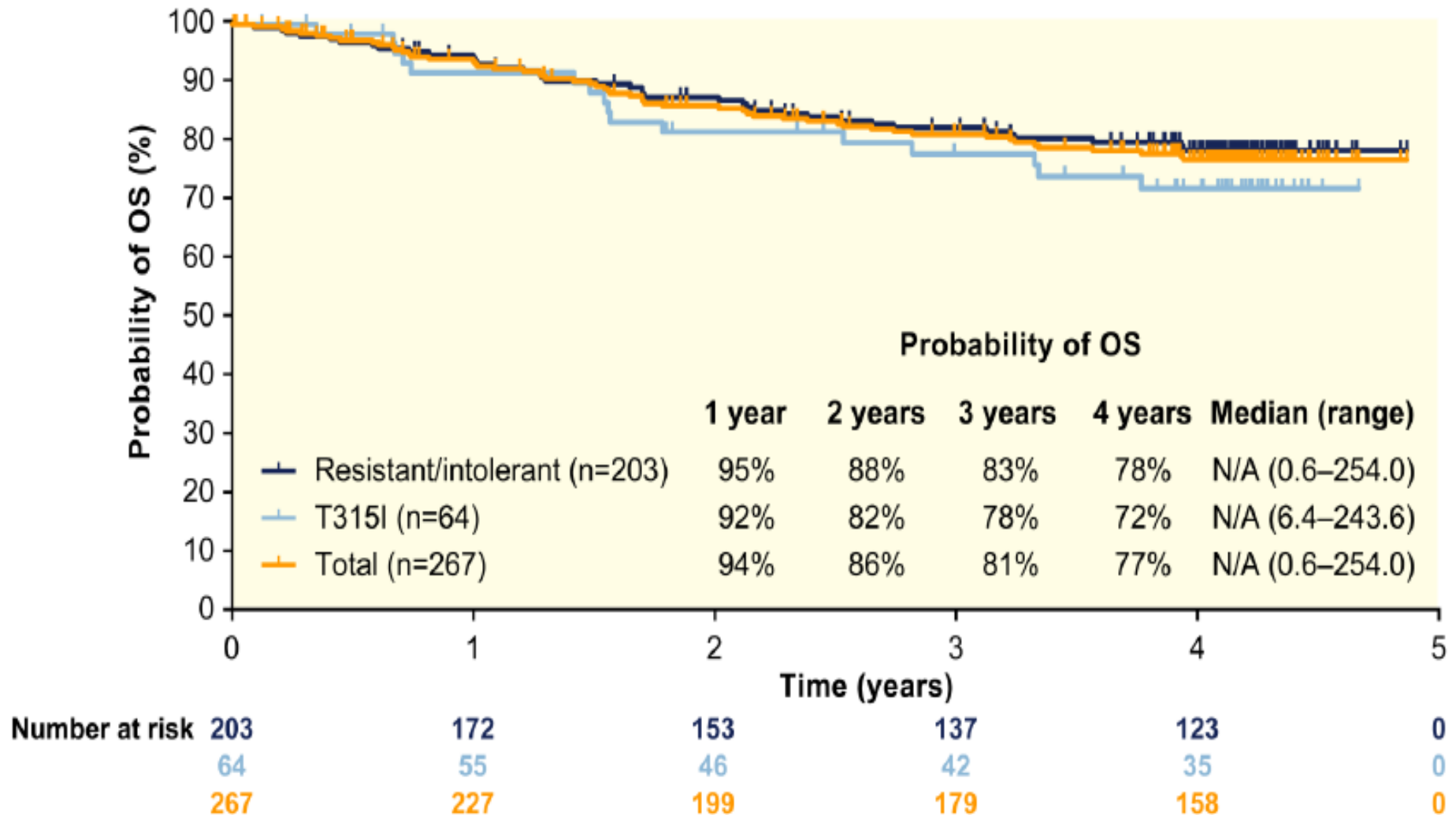
High response rates, regardless of mutation status

MUTATION STATUS AT ENTRY	PACE RESPONSE RATES: % (n/N)		
	MCyR	CCyR	MMR
No mutation detected	49 (66/136)	38 (52/136)	29 (40/136)
Any mutation	63 (83/131)	55 (72/131)	47 (62/131)
T315I only	74 (37/50)	68 (34/50)	60 (30/50)
Mutations other than T315I	57 (38/67)	45 (30/67)	37 (25/67)
Mutations in addition to T315I	57 (8/14)	57 (8/14)	50 (7/14)

- In preclinical and clinical studies, no single mutation has been identified that conferred resistance to ponatinib
- In post hoc analysis, T315I patients were younger, more recently diagnosed, had fewer prior TKIs, and a higher dose intensity of ponatinib compared with otherwise resistant/intolerant patients²
- Notable: In patients with no mutations, where mechanism of resistance is assumed to be non-BCR-ABL dependent, ponatinib has substantial activity

Estimated OS at 4 years

CP (N=270)



PACE trial

Most Common Treatment-Emergent AEs

- **The most common treatment-emergent AEs were:**
 - Skin-related AEs (including rash and dry skin)
 - Constitutional symptoms (including headache, fatigue, pyrexia, nausea, vomiting, and diarrhea)
 - Vascular (hypertension)
 - Pancreatic (increased lipase)
 - Myelosuppression (thrombocytopenia, neutropenia, and anemia)
- **The most common ($\geq 10\%$) grade 3/4 AEs were:**
 - Thrombocytopenia, Neutropenia, Anemia
 - Increased lipase
 - Hypertension

Arterial and Venous Thrombotic Events

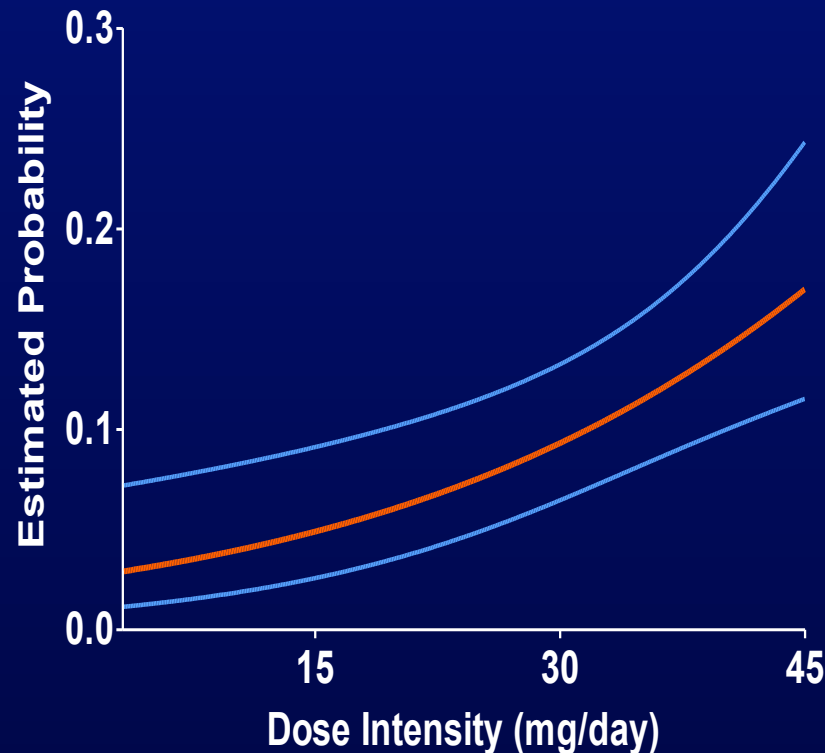
	Total (N = 449)		CP-CML (n = 270)	
	AE	SAE	AE	SAE
Cumulative exposure, patient-years	778.9		577.4	
ATEs, n (%)	99 (22)	78 (17)	74 (27)	60 (22)
Cardiovascular	52 (12)	37 (8)	36 (13)	28 (10)
Cerebrovascular	37 (8)	28 (6)	31 (11)	23 (9)
Peripheral vascular	37 (8)	27 (6)	28 (10)	20 (7)
Exposure-adjusted ATEs, number of patients w/events per 100 pt-yrs	12.7	10.0	12.8	10.4
VTEs, n (%)	24 (5)	20 (4)	12 (4)	10 (4)
Exposure-adjusted VTEs, number of patients with events per 100 pt-yrs	3.1	2.6	2.1	1.7

Median time to onset for ATEs: 13.8 (0.3–44.0) months

Median time to onset for VTEs: 21.0 (2.0–31.4) months

Is risk-assessment feasible?

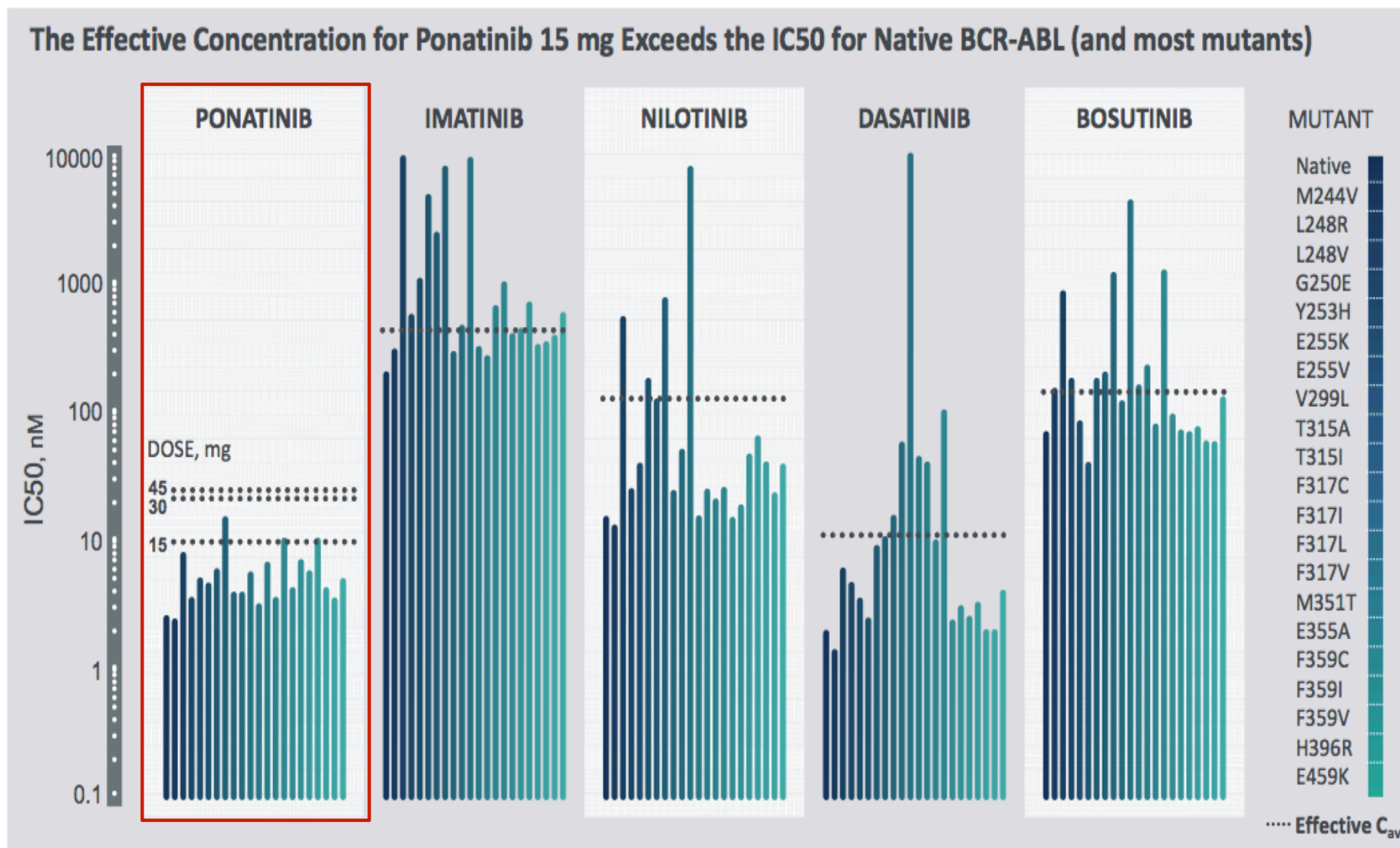
YES, identifiable risk factors



- Risk factors significantly associated with arterial thrombotic AEs:
 - Older age ($p < 0.0001$)
 - History of diabetes ($p = 0.0003$)
 - Higher dose intensity to time of first event ($p = 0.0009$)
 - History of ischemia ($p = 0.0087$)
 - Longer time since diagnosis ($p = 0.0228$)
 - Higher baseline neutrophils ($p = 0.0276$)
 - Higher baseline platelets ($p = 0.0466$)

- **CV toxicity is dose-dependent:** each 15 mg/day reduction in dose intensity results in a predicted reduction of ~40% in the risk of an arterial thrombotic event
- Other AEs with strong association with dose intensity: pancreatitis and skin rash

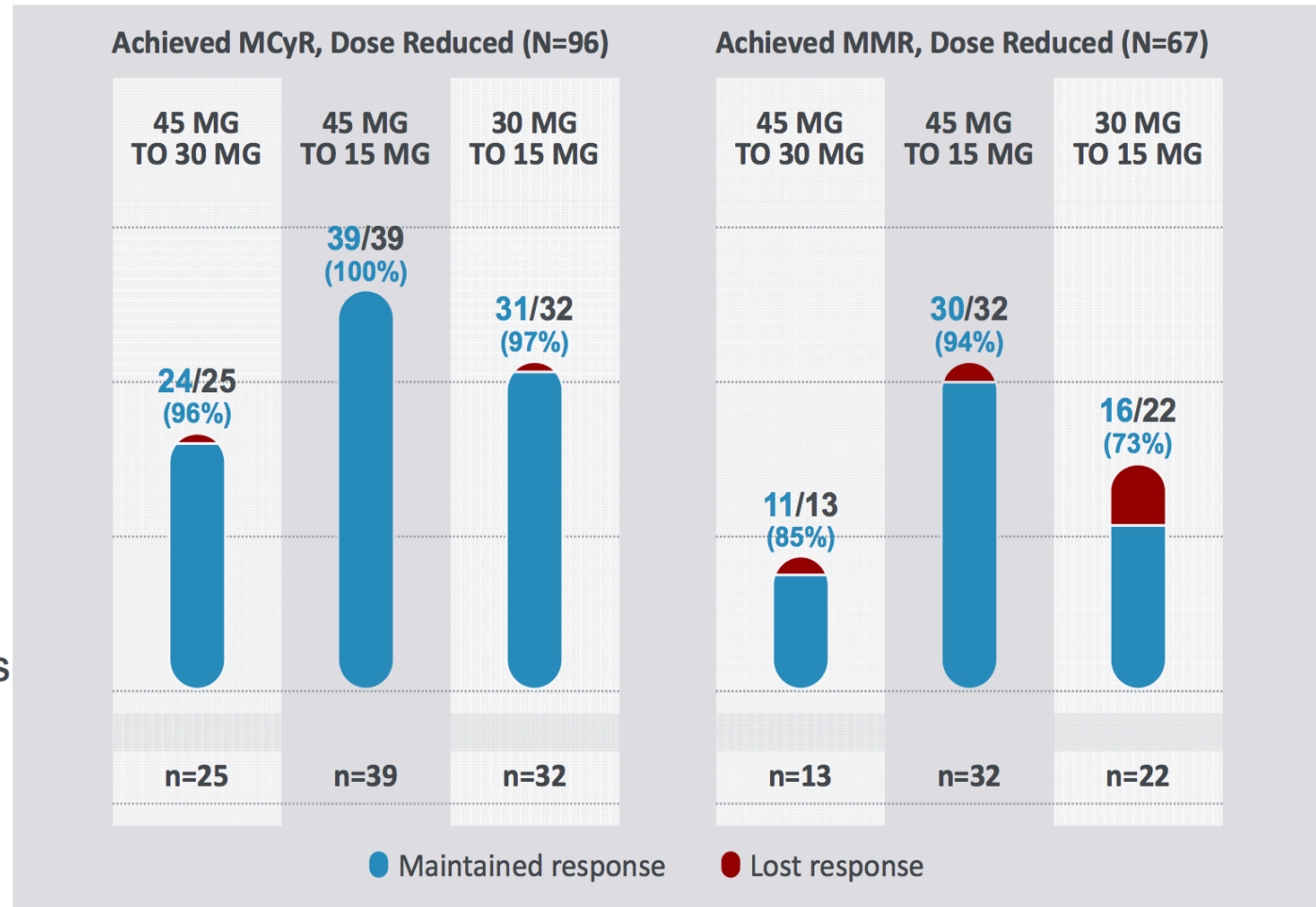
Actionability? YES



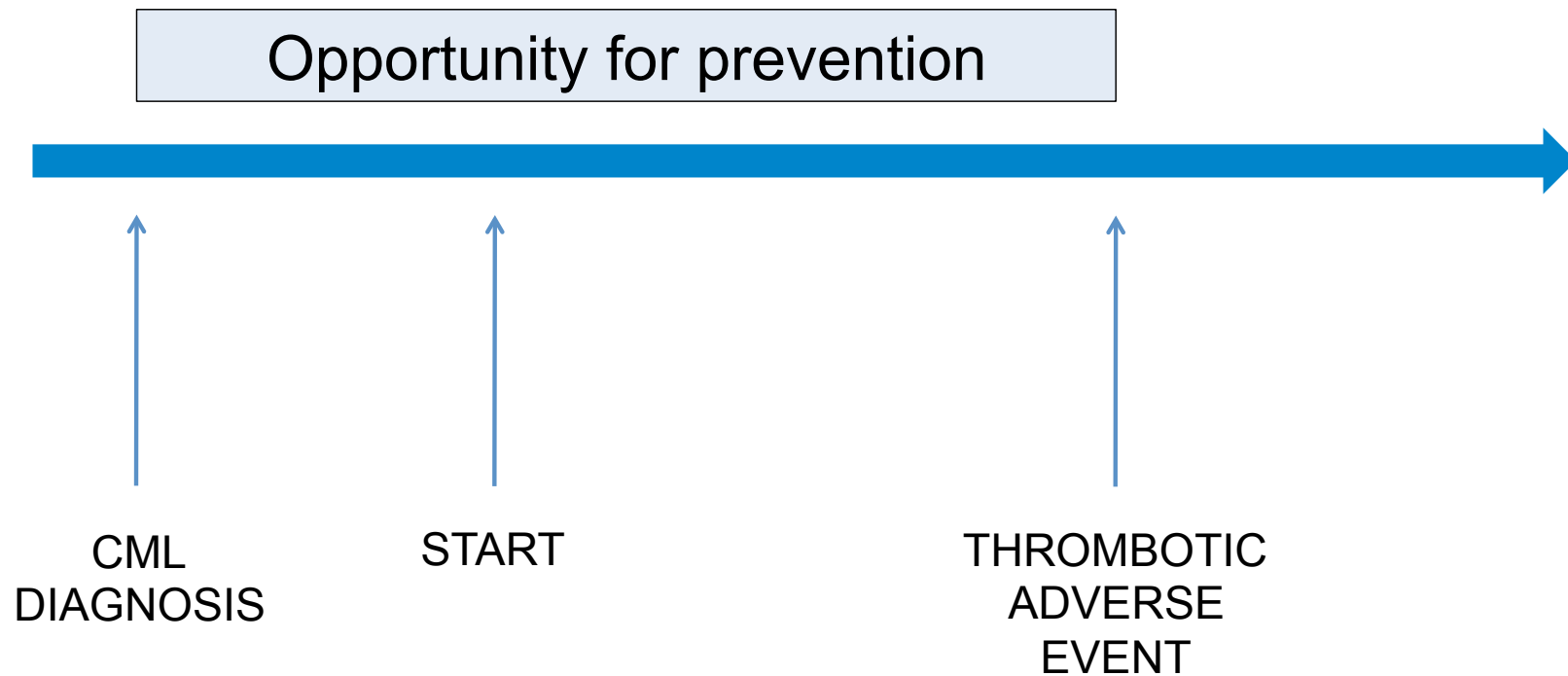
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PACE: Stability of Responses after dose reduction

- The total number of CP-CML patients achieving MCyR was 149 (59%) and MMR was 103 (39%)
- Reductions to 15 mg were frequent and were effective in maintaining responses



Time is a key factor



REVIEW ARTICLE

Identification, prevention and management of cardiovascular risk in chronic myeloid leukaemia patients candidate to ponatinib: an expert opinion

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Clinical and anamnestical evaluation at baseline

Laboratory and imaging tests (ECG, ABI, echocardiogram, other)

Prophylaxis (aspirin or clopidogrel, but there is no level of evidence)

Therapeutic targets (Blood pressure, Cholesterol, Diabetes, Lifestyle)

Monitoring (6 - 12 months)

**Consider reducing the dose of Iclusig[®] to 15 mg for
CP-CML patients who have achieved MCyR**

Working Party on Chronic Myeloid Leukemia

OPUS Study - **O**ptimizing **P**onatinib **U**Se

A GIMEMA phase 2 study of the efficacy and risk profile of ponatinib, 30 mg once daily, in CP CML resistant to imatinib.

Study design: dose optimization

Phase II, single arm, open-label, multicentre

- ✓ **The initial dose of ponatinib is 30 mg once daily**
- ✓ The MR is evaluated every 4 weeks
- ✓ **At confirmed MMR, dose reduced to 15 mg once daily**
- ✓ Than, QPCR every 12 weeks
- ✓ **If BCR-ABL > 1%, dose back to 30 mg once daily**



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Thank you for attention!



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