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**Radioterapia locale e sistemica nel trattamento  
delle metastasi ossee.**

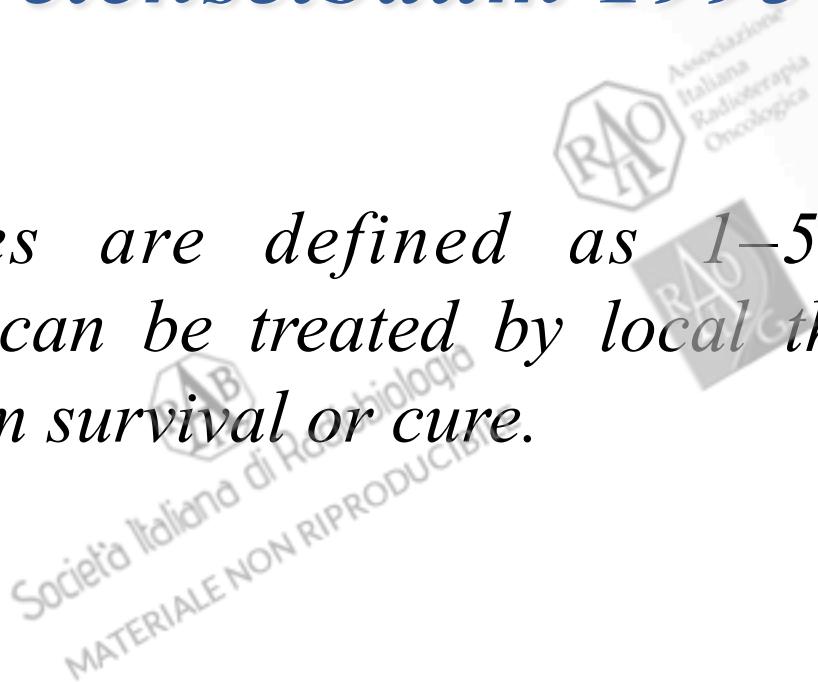
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# *R. R. Weichselbaum 1995*

- *Oligometastases are defined as 1–5 distant metastases that can be treated by local therapy to achieve long-term survival or cure.*



# *Rubin P, 2006: Restaging stage IV cancer.*

## Rubin's TNM staging system

- **M:** → “M1” Solitary metastasis.  
“M2” Oligometastases .  
“M3” Multiple metastases.
- **S** → Presence and levels of any serological markers.
- **H** → Karnofsky scale (*condition of the patient*).
- **A or B** → Patient is symptomatic or not.

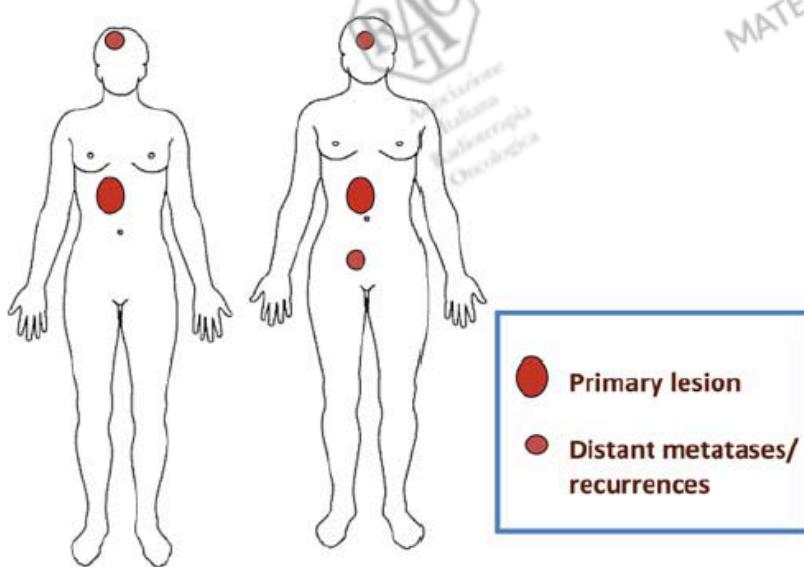
## Review Article

# Oligometastases and Oligo-recurrence: The New Era of Cancer Therapy

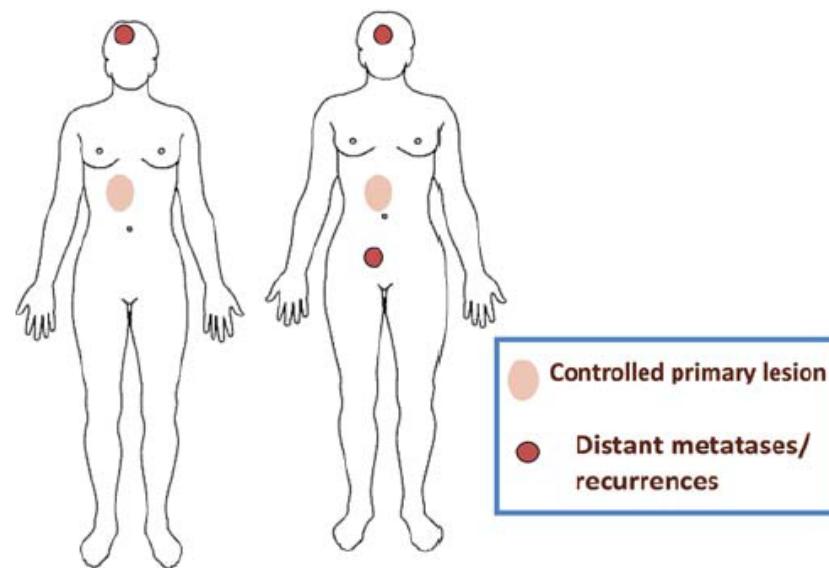
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Schema of oligometastases

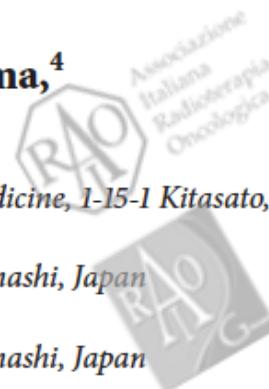


Schema of oligo-recurrence



# Oligometastases/Oligo-Recurrence of Lung Cancer

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Favorable	Intermediate	Unfavorable	
	Relatively favorable	Relatively unfavorable	
<i>Oligorecurrence</i> Site no. 1-2 NSCLC (brain and adrenal gland) Colon and rectum cancer (lung and liver) Renal cell cancer	<i>oligo-recurrence</i> site no. 1-2 breast cancer (bone, lung, and liver) SCLC (brain) site no. 3-5 NSCLC (brain and adrenal gland) colon and rectum cancer (lung and liver) renal cell cancer	<i>oligo-recurrence</i> site no. 3-5 breast cancer (bone, lung, and liver) SCLC (brain)	<i>Oligometastases and oligo-recurrence</i> pancreatic cancer (any site) melanoma (any site) sarcoma (any site)
	<i>sync-oligometastases</i> site no. 1-2 NSCLC (brain and adrenal gland) colon and rectum cancer (lung and liver) renal cell cancer	<i>sync-oligometastases</i> site no. 3-5 NSCLC (brain and adrenal gland) colon and rectum cancer (lung and liver) breast cancer (bone, lung, and liver)	<i>polymetastases</i>

# Niibe-Onishi-Chang classification 2013

- Oligometastases and oligo-recurrence are cancer and organ-specific.
- Sync-oligometastases and oligo-recurrences. Sync-oligometastasis indicates a state of oligometastases with active but controllable primary lesions.
- Polymetastases: worse prognosis.
- Oligorecurrence of breast cancer, patients are reported to achieve relatively favorable survival; patients with bone-only oligorecurrence were still alive at the last followup (median followup, 40 months).

# Niibe I, Hayakawa K. 2010

Patients with Stage IV of Cancer:

- Oligometastatic disease at diagnosis.
- Oligopressive disease after cytoreductive therapy.
- Oligorecurrent disease after curative locoregional therapy.

# Radiotherapy and Bone Metastases



## Prognosis

Favorable  
Intermediate  
Unfavorable



## Site

Appendicular  
Spinal  
Pelvis



## Type

Osteolytic  
Osteoblastic  
Mixed



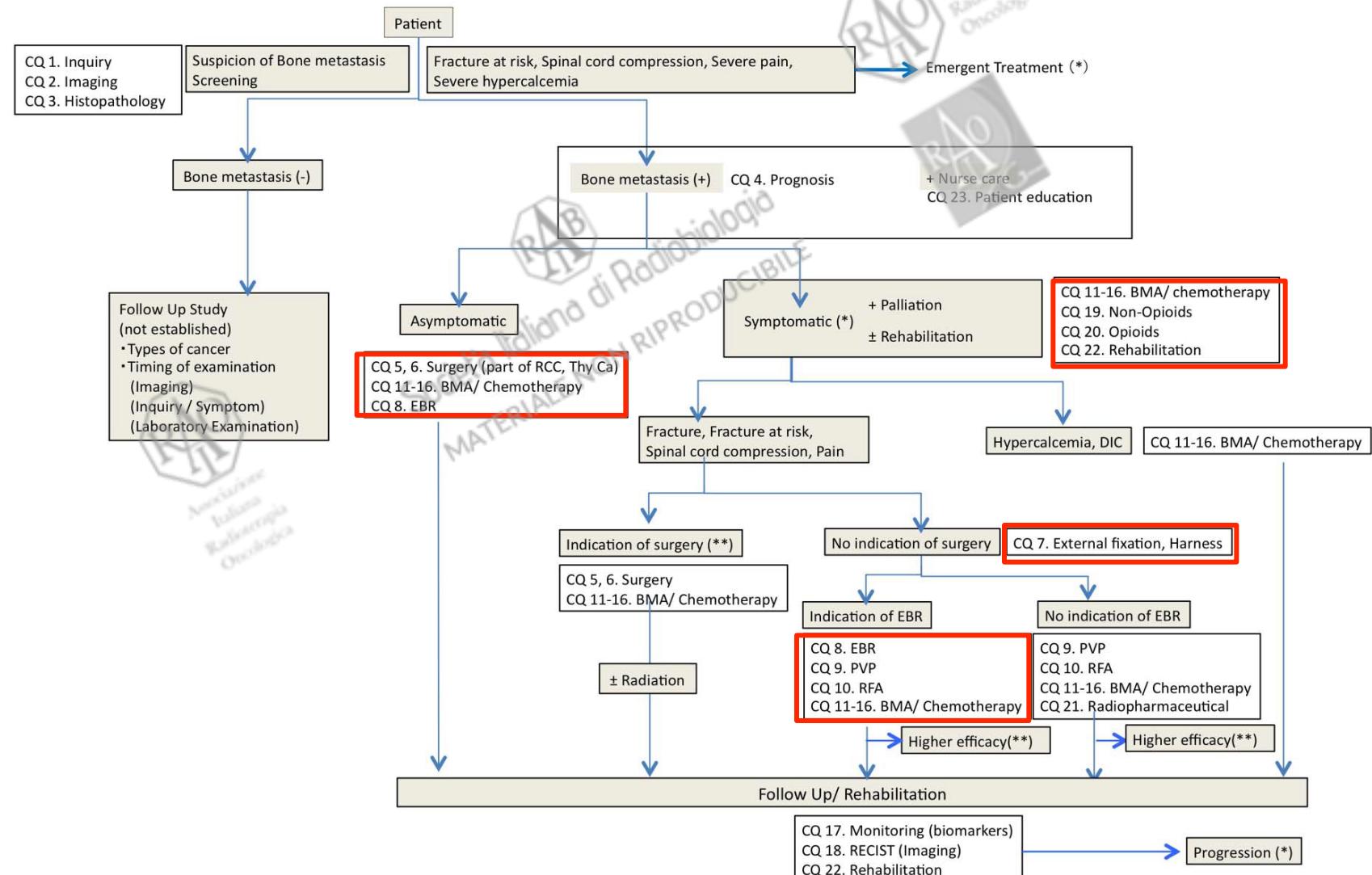
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# Bone metastases

- “*Uncomplicated*”: bone metastases can be defined as: presence of painful bone metastases unassociated with impending or existing pathologic fracture or existing spinal cord or cauda equina compression.
- “*Complicated*”: Approximately one-third of bone metastases.

**Tiwana MS, Barnes M, Yurkowski E, Roden K, Olson RA.** Incidence and treatment patterns of complicated bone metastases in a population-based radiotherapy program. **Radiother Oncol** 2016 Mar;118(3):552-556.

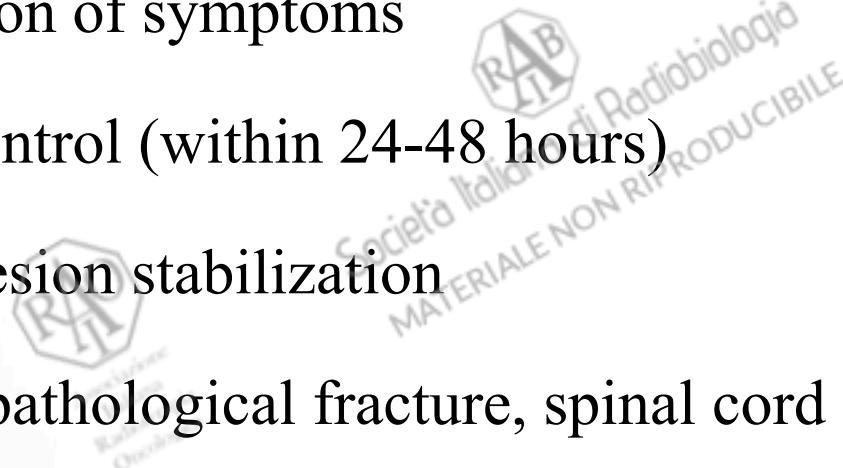
# Diagnosis and treatment of bone metastasis: comprehensive guideline of the Japanese Society of Medical Oncology, Japanese Orthopedic Association, Japanese Urological Association, and Japanese Society for Radiation Oncology



# Radiotherapy and Bone Metastases

- **Objectives:**

- ✓ Palliation of symptoms
- ✓ Pain control (within 24-48 hours)
- ✓ Bone lesion stabilization
- ✓ Delay pathological fracture, spinal cord compression



# Patients with Bone Metastases



**Prognosis**

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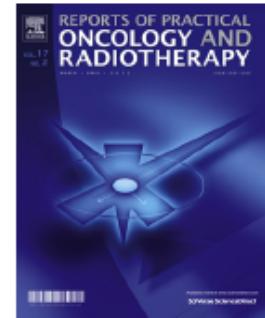


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# Dose Fractionation Schedule

**8Gy in one fraction** is recommended for the treatment of uncomplicated bone metastases. Numerous randomized controlled trials have consistently demonstrated the equivalence of single and multiple fraction schedules for the palliation of pain. Meta-analyses of these trials have repeatedly shown no significant differences between single fraction and multi-fraction RT regimens with regards to rates of pathological fractures, spinal cord compression, QOL, acute toxicity, time to first improvement in pain, time to complete pain relief, time to pain progression, or opioid use. There is insufficient evidence to recommend a specific dose fractionation schedule for oligometastatic disease although effectiveness of single fraction EBRT in patients with a life expectancy of >12 months has been established.

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## Original research article

# Radiation therapy for the management of painful bone metastases: Results from a randomized trial



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**Table 2 – Pathological fractures and re-irradiations according to primary treatment regimen (n = 90).**

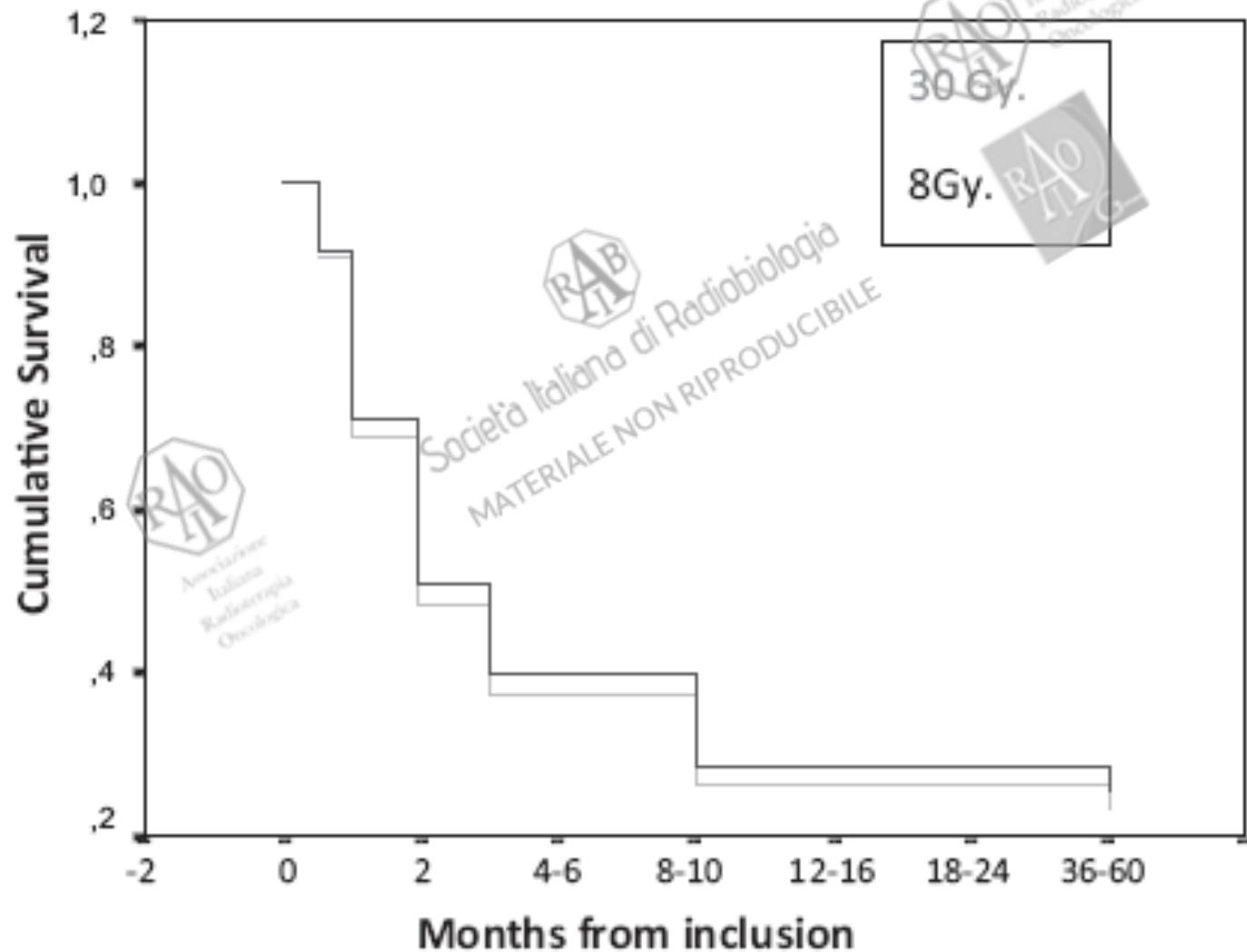
	8 Gy	30 Gy	p-value	Total
Pathological fracture	7.8% <sup>a</sup> )	2 (4.4%)	0.099	9 (10% <sup>b</sup> )
Re-irradiation	6 (13.3%)	4 (8.8%)	0.043	12 (13.3%)
Skeletal-related events <sup>c</sup>	13 (28.8%)	6 (13.3%)		21 (23.3%)
Total	45 (100%)	45 (100%)		90 (100%)

<sup>a</sup> Percent within treatment arms.

<sup>b</sup> Percent within the total number of patients.

<sup>c</sup> Includes at least one event of re-irradiation or pathological fracture following irradiation for bone metastases.

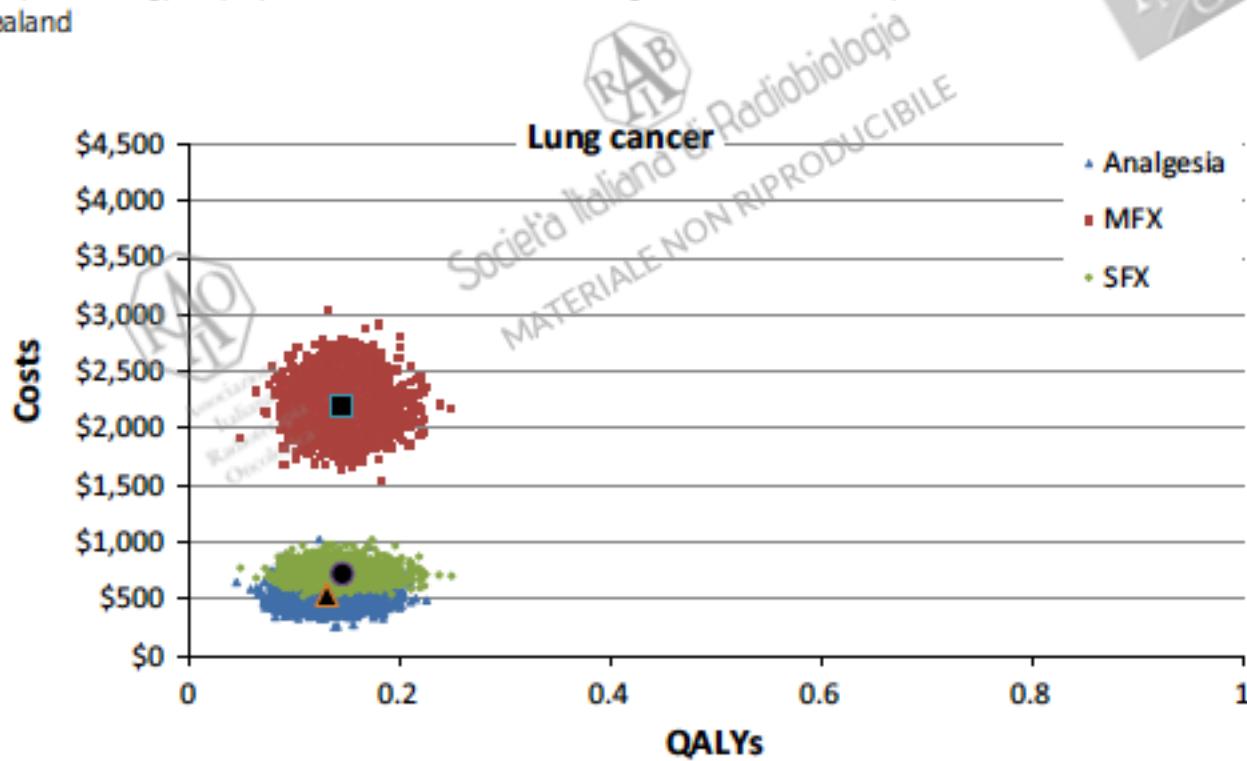
# Survival functions and total reduction of analgesic treatment.



# Economic evaluation of single-fraction versus multiple-fraction palliative radiotherapy for painful bone metastases in breast, lung and prostate cancer

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### Effectiveness of Repeat Radiotherapy for Painful Bone Metastases in Clinical Practice: A 10 Year Historical Cohort Study

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M. van Vulpen ‡

Multivariate analysis results for pain response

Variables	No. responders/No. total	Odds ratio (95% confidence interval)	P value
Localisation			
No limb	80/119	Reference	
Limb	27/43	0.82 (0.38–1.77)	0.613
Tumour type			
Other	78/117	Reference	
Breast	29/45	1.10 (0.56–1.02)	0.597
Performance status			
WHO ≤ 1	57/80	Reference	
WHO > 2	41/68	0.59 (0.29–0.89)	0.152
Response to initial radiation*			
No/insufficient response	20/38	Reference	
Response	86/123	2.16 (1.01–4.63)	0.049
Systemic therapy*			
No	31/39	Reference	
Yes	76/123	0.39 (0.16–0.94)	0.037



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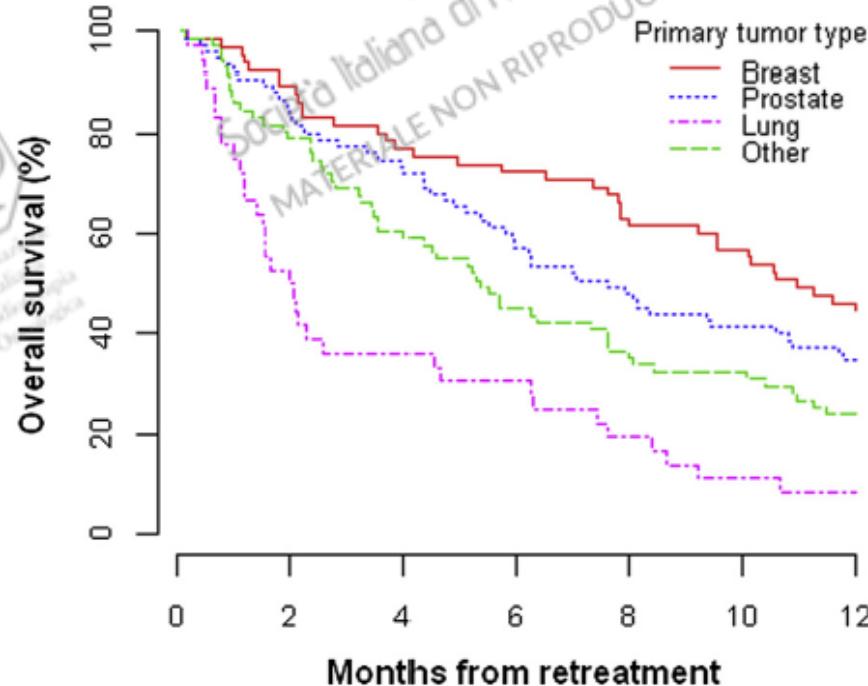
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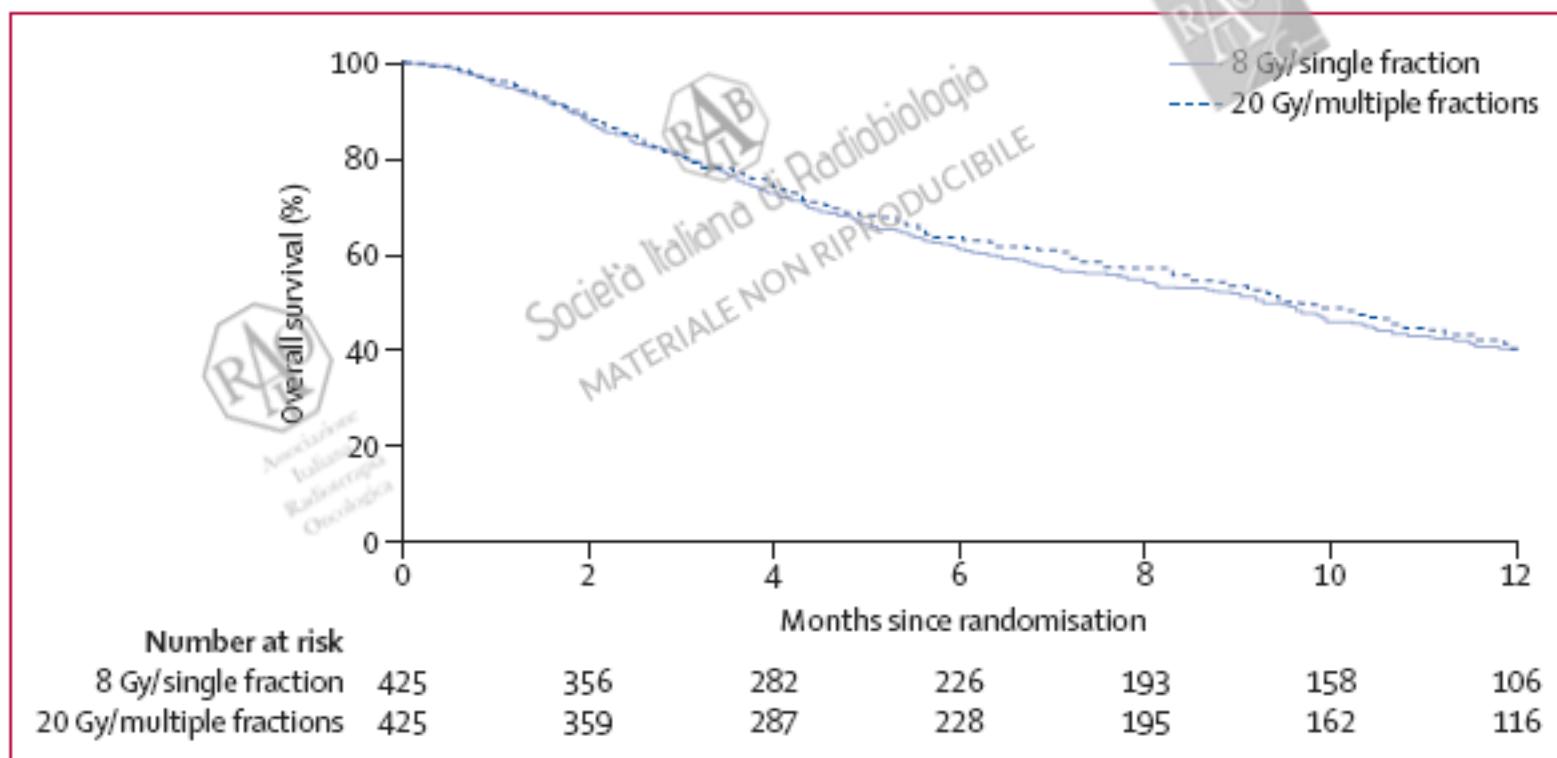
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# Single versus multiple fractions of repeat radiation for painful bone metastases: a randomised, controlled, non-inferiority trial

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Kaplan-Meier curves of overall survival in the intention-to-treat population

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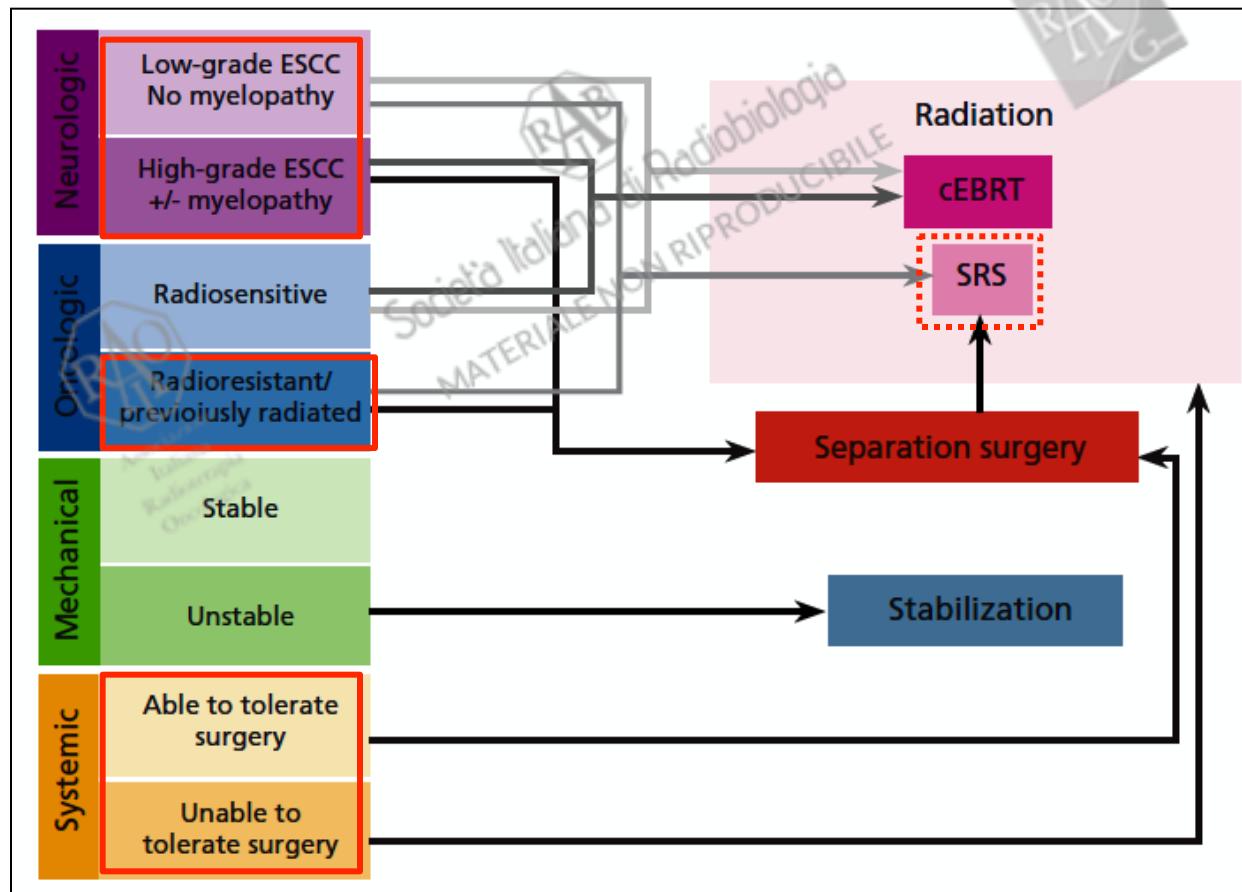
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# Spine Radiosurgery in the Management of Renal Cell Carcinoma Metastases

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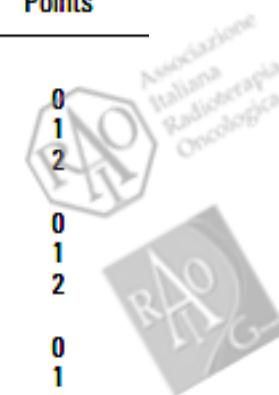


# The Tokuhashi Score:

Parameters	Scoring Points
General conditions (performance status)*	
Poor (PS 10%–40%)	0
Moderate (PS 50%–70%)	1
Good (PS 80%–100%)	2
No. extraspinal bone metastases foci	
≥3	0
1–2	1
0	2
No. metastases in the vertebral bodies	
≥3	0
2	1
1	2
Metastases to the major internal organs	
Unremovable	0
Removable	1
No metastases	2
Primary site of the cancer†	
Lung, stomach	0
Kidney, liver, uterus, unidentified, other	1
Thyroid, prostate, <u>breast</u> , rectum	2
Primary site of the cancer‡	
Pancreas, esophagus, stomach, bladder, osteosarcoma, lung	0
Liver, gallbladder, unidentified	1
Others	2
Uterus, kidney	3
Rectum	4
Thyroid, prostate, <u>breast</u>	5
Spinal cord palsy	
Complete	0
Incomplete	1
None	2



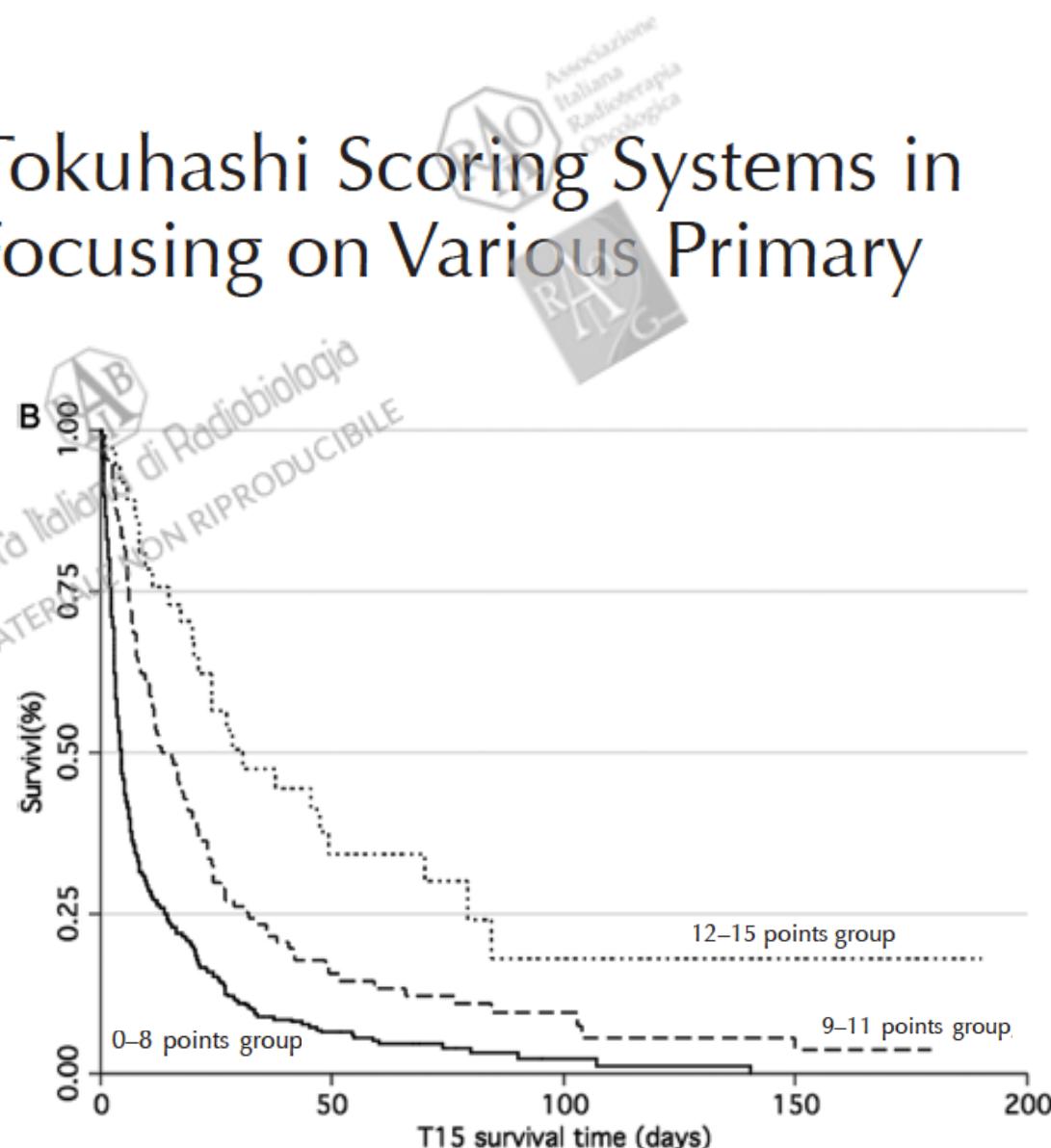
Tokuhashi Y, Matsuzaki H, Toriyama S, et al. Scoring system for the preoperative evaluation of metastatic spine tumor prognosis. Spine 1990;15: 1110–3.



## CLINICAL CASE SERIES

# Predictive Value of Tokuhashi Scoring Systems in Spinal Metastases, Focusing on Various Primary Tumor Groups

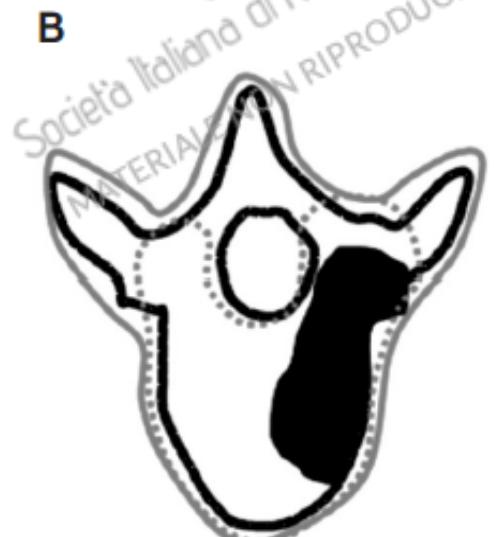
Aarhus Algorithm		
Tokuhashi	Tomita	Surgical Treatment Strategy
0–4		Postdecompression
5–8	1–6	Postdecompression + instrumentation with pedicle screw system
9–11	7	Postdecompression and posterior reconstruction
12–15	1–3	En bloc resection with total vertebrectomy
	4–6	Intralesional total vertebrectomy + reconstruction
	7	Postdecompression, reconstruction with titanium PSS, alt. spacer from behind

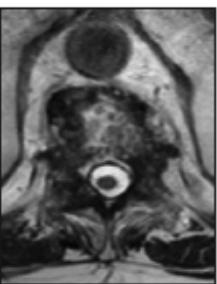


## Contemporary treatment with radiosurgery for spine metastasis and spinal cord compression in 2015

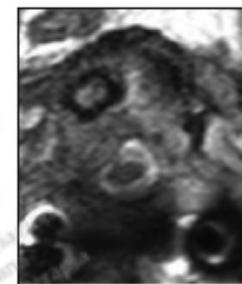
Samuel Ryu, MD<sup>1,2</sup>, Hannah Yoon, MD<sup>1</sup>, Alexander Stessin, MD, PhD<sup>1</sup>,  
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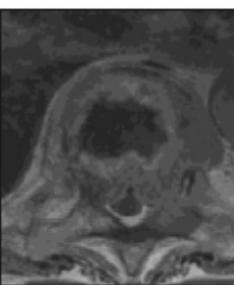




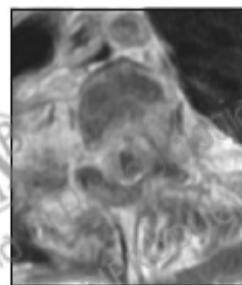
Grade 0  
Bone involvement only  
No canal compromise



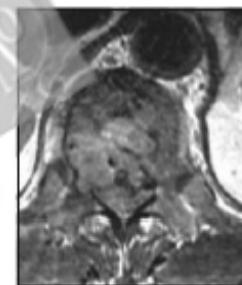
Grade II  
Impingement of thecal sac



Grade III  
Impingement of spinal cord



Grade IV  
Compression and/or  
displacement of spinal cord  
Partial block of CSF

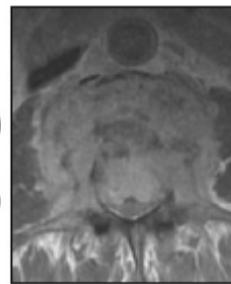


Grade V  
Spinal cord compression and  
Complete block of CSF

#### At cauda level

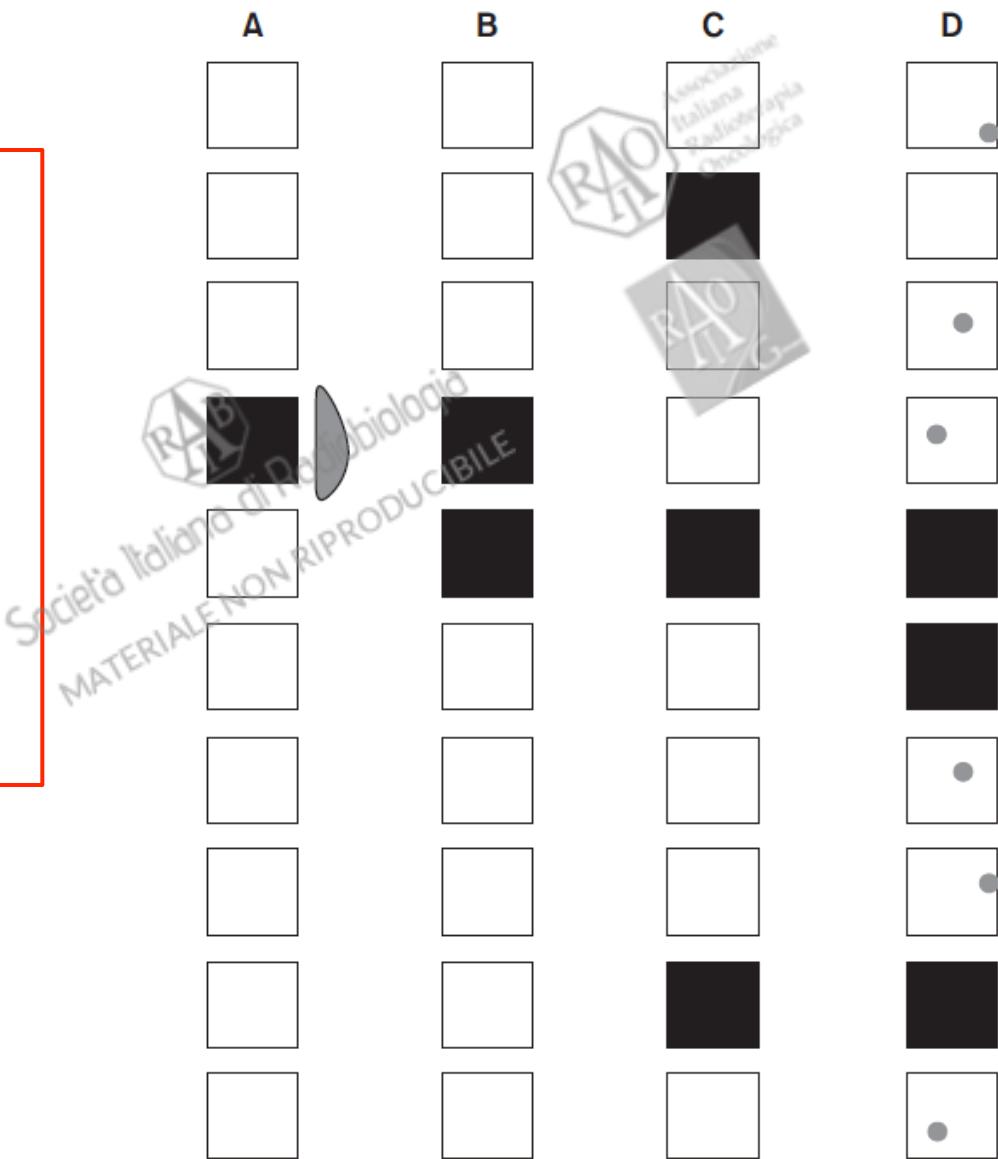
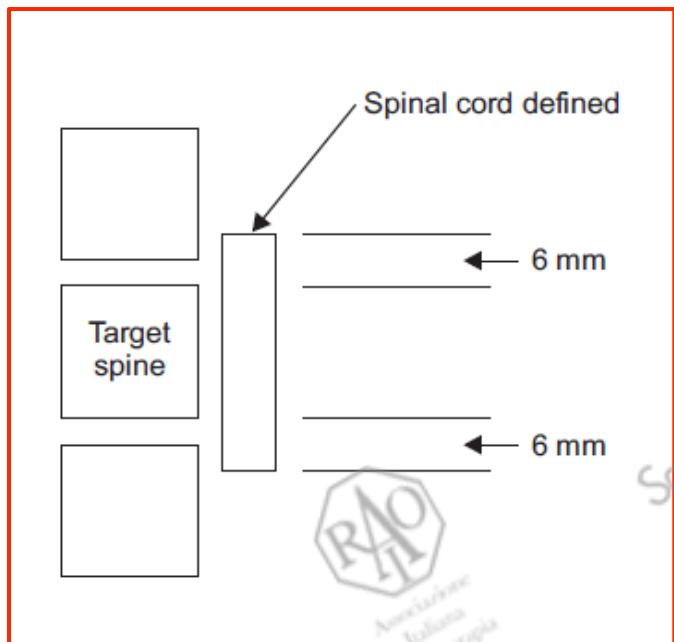


Grade II  
≤50% canal



Grade IV  
>50% canal compromise

# Algorithm of radiosurgery for spine metastasis

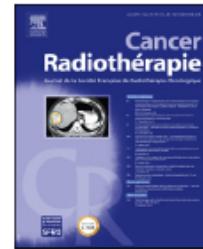




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## Mise au point

## Radiothérapie stéréotaxique des métastases osseuses vertébrales

*Stereotactic body radiation therapy for spinal metastases*

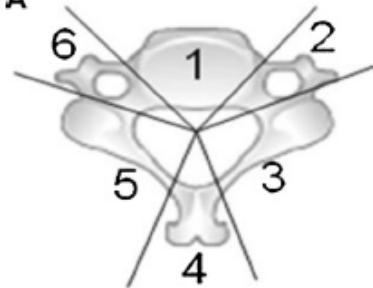
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Recommandations de l'International Spine Radiosurgery Consortium pour la délinéation du volume cible anatomoclinique en radiothérapie stéréotaxique vertébrale.

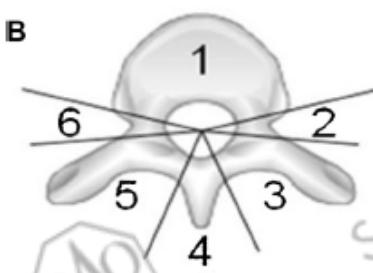
Description du volume tumoral macroscopique	Site du volume tumoral macroscopique	Recommandations de délinéation du volume cible anatomoclinique	Description du volume cible anatomoclinique
Atteinte partielle du corps vertébral	1	1	Corps vertébral dans son ensemble
Atteinte latéralisée au sein du corps vertébral	1	1,2	Corps vertébral dans son ensemble, pédicule homolatéral $\pm$ apophyse transverse
Atteinte de l'ensemble du corps vertébral	1	1,2,6	Corps vertébral dans son ensemble, pédicules bilatéraux $\pm$ apophyses transverses
Corps vertébral et pédicule	1,2	1,2,3	Corps vertébral dans son ensemble, pédicule, apophyse transverse et lame homolatérale
Corps vertébral, pédicules bilatéraux ou apophyses transverses	1,2,6	1,2,3,5,6	Corps vertébral dans son ensemble, pédicules, apophyses transverses et lames bilatérales
Pédicule unilatéral	2	2,3 $\pm$ 1	Pédicule, apophyse transverse et lame homolatérale $\pm$ corps vertébral
Lame vertébrale	3	2,3,4	Lame, pédicule et apophyse transverse homolatéraux, apophyse épineuse
Apophyse épineuse	4	3,4,5	Apophyse épineuse et lames bilatérales

- Sector 1 : vertebral body;
- Sectors 2 and 6: pedicle;
- Sectors 3 and 5: transverse processes and vertebral lamina;
- Sector 4 : spinous process.

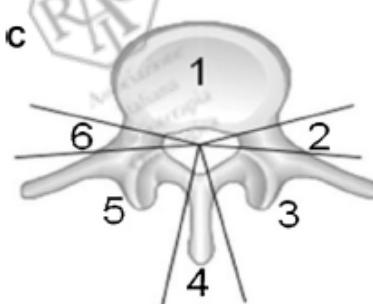
### Cervical vertebra A



### Thoracic vertebra B



### Lumbar vertebra C

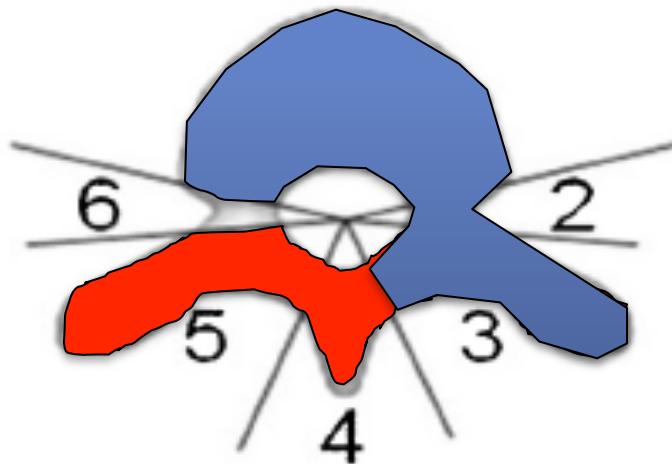


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Contraintes aux organes à risque pour une radiothérapie stéréotaxique vertébrale non- ou hypofractionnée.

	Une séance	Trois fractions	Cinq fractions
Moelle épinière	Dose maximale 14 Gy $V10 < 0,25 \text{ cm}^3$ $V7 < 1,2 \text{ cm}^3$	Dose maximale 22 Gy $V18 < 0,25 \text{ cm}^3$ $V11 < 1,2 \text{ cm}^3$	Dose maximale 30 Gy $V22,5 < 0,25 \text{ cm}^3$ $V13,5 < 1,2 \text{ cm}^3$
Queue de cheval	Dose maximale 16 Gy $V14 < 5 \text{ cm}^3$	Dose maximale 24 Gy $V22 < 5 \text{ cm}^3$	Dose maximale 34 Gy $V30 < 5 \text{ cm}^3$
Plexus sacré	Dose maximale 16 Gy $V14 < 5 \text{ cm}^3$	Dose maximale 24 Gy $V22 < 5 \text{ cm}^3$	Dose maximale 34 Gy $V30 < 5 \text{ cm}^3$
Cœur	Dose maximale 22 Gy $V16 < 15 \text{ cm}^3$	Dose maximale 30 Gy $V24 < 15 \text{ cm}^3$	Dose maximale 38 Gy $V32 < 15 \text{ cm}^3$
Œsophage	Dose maximale 19 Gy $V14,5 < 5 \text{ cm}^3$	Dose maximale 25 Gy $V21 < 5 \text{ cm}^3$	Dose maximale 35 Gy $V27,5 < 5 \text{ cm}^3$
Estomac	Dose maximale 16 Gy	Dose maximale 24 Gy	Dose maximale 32 Gy
Poumons (droit + gauche - volume cible prévisionnel)	$V13 < 10 \text{ cm}^3$ $V5 < 50 \%$ $V7 < 1500 \text{ cm}^3$	$V21 < 5 \text{ cm}^3$ $V10 < 30 \%$ $V5 < 50 \%$	$V28 < 10 \text{ cm}^3$ $V12,5 < 1500 \text{ cm}^3$ $V13,5 < 1000 \text{ cm}^3$
Trachée	Dose maximale 22 Gy $V10 < 4 \text{ cm}^3$	Dose maximale 30 Gy $V20 < 1 \text{ cm}^3$ $V15 < 4 \text{ cm}^3$	Dose maximale 38 Gy $V18 < 4 \text{ cm}^3$
Peau	Dose maximale 16 Gy $V14 < 10 \text{ cm}^3$	Dose maximale 24 Gy $V22 < 10 \text{ cm}^3$	Dose maximale 32 Gy $V30 < 10 \text{ cm}^3$
Intestin grêle	Dose maximale 19 Gy $V10 < 5 \text{ cm}^3$	Dose maximale 27 Gy $V16 < 5 \text{ cm}^3$	Dose maximale 35 Gy $V19,5 < 5 \text{ cm}^3$
Rectum	Dose maximale 22 Gy $V11 < 20 \text{ cm}^3$	Dose maximale 30 Gy $V20 < 20 \text{ cm}^3$	Dose maximale 38 Gy $V25 < 20 \text{ cm}^3$
Reins bilatéraux	$V8 < 200 \text{ cm}^3$	$V10 < 50 \%$ $V15 < 200 \text{ cm}^3$	$V17,5 < 200 \text{ cm}^3$

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Description du volume tumoral macroscopique	Site du volume tumoral macroscopique	Recommandations de délinéation du volume cible anatomoclinique
Atteinte partielle du corps vertébral	1	1
Atteinte latéralisée au sein du corps vertébral	1	1,2
Atteinte de l'ensemble du corps vertébral	1	1,2,6
Corps vertébral et pédicule	1,2	1,2,3
Corps vertébral, pédicules bilatéraux ou apophyses transverses	1,2,6	1,2,3,5,6
Pédicule unilatéral	2	2,3 ± 1
Lame vertébrale	3	2,3,4
Apophyse épineuse	4	3,4,5

Principales études de radiothérapie stéréotaxique prospectives (plus de 50 patients) et rétrospectives (plus de 100 patients) pour la prise en charge de métastases vertébrales.

Étude	Type d'étude	Nombre de patients	Nombre de lésions traitées	Irradiation de novo/ Réirradiation (nombre de patients)	Schéma	Suivi médian (mois)	Contrôle local	Contrôle de la douleur	Survie globale médiane	Toxicité (nombre de patients)
Chang et al. [29]	Phase I/II	63	74 51 opérées	53/10	27 Gy/3 fractions 30 Gy/5 fractions	21,3	84 % à 1 an	NR	NR	Toxicité aiguë de grade 3 : nausées – vomissements : 2 ; diarrhée : 1 ; dysphagie : 1 ; douleur thoracique : 1 Pas de toxicité tardive de grade 3-4
Klish et al. [30] Garg et al. [31]	Phase I/II	58 61	65 63 18 opérées	58/0 24 Gy/1 séance Autre : 18 Gy/1 séance	18 Gy/1 séance Primitif rénal : 24 Gy/1 séance Autre : 18 Gy/1 séance	18 (6-66) 20	86,2 % 88 % à 18 mois	NR NR	30 mois 30 mois	NR Aucune toxicité aiguë de grade 3-4 Toxicités tardives neurologiques : 2 (1 de grade 3, 1 de grade 4)
Wang et al. [32]	Phase I/II	149	166	70/79	27-30 Gy 3 fractions	15,9 (9,5-30,3)	80,5 % à 1 an 72,4 % à 2 ans	72,2 % à 6 mois	23 mois	Toxicités aiguës de grade 3 : nausées – vomissements : 2 ; diarrhée : 1 ; dysphagie : 1 ; douleur thoracique : 1 ; douleur cervicale : 1 ; asthénie : 1 ; pas de toxicité tardive de grade 3-4
Yamada et al. [33] Gagnon et al. [34] Gerszten et al. [35]	Prospective	93	103	93/0	18-24 Gy 1 séance	15 (2-45)	90 % à 15 mois	NR	NR	Aucune toxicité de grade 3-4
Guckenberger et al. [36] Heron et al. [37]	Rétrospective multicentrique Rétrospective	301 228	387 348	301/0 156/344 16,3 Gy/1 séance 20,6 Gy/3 fractions 23,8 Gy/4 fractions 24,5 Gy/5 fractions	21-37,5 Gy 3-5 fractions 12,5-25 Gy 1 séance 10-60 Gy 1-20 fractions 16,3 Gy/1 séance 20,6 Gy/3 fractions 23,8 Gy/4 fractions 24,5 Gy/5 fractions	12 (1-51) 21 (3-53)	NR 88 % 89,9 % à 1 an 83,9 % à 2 ans 96 % à 2 ans si hypofractionné 70 % à 2 ans si non fractionné	Amélioration du score moyen 86 %	NR NR	Aucune toxicité de grade 3-4 NR
Chang et al. [38]	Rétrospective	142	185	131/54	24 Gy/1 séance 24-30 Gy 3 fractions 18-30 Gy 5-6 fractions	21,8	Global : 87,9 % à 1 an 96 % à 6 mois réirradiation 95 % à 6 mois irradiation de novo 79 % à 2 ans réirradiation 90 % à 2 ans irradiation de novo 81 % à 1 an réirradiation 89 % à 1 an irradiation de novo 86 % à 2 ans réirradiation 90 % à 2 ans irradiation de novo	86 % à 6 mois réirradiation 93 % à 6 mois irradiation de novo 81 % à 1 an réirradiation 89 % à 1 an irradiation de novo 86 % à 2 ans réirradiation 90 % à 2 ans irradiation de novo	Globale : 29,6 20,7 si réirradiation 32,4 si irradiation de novo	Aucune toxicité de grade 3-4
Chang et al. [39]	Rétrospective	129	167	76/53	16-39 Gy 1-5 fractions 8 Gy/1 séance	6	90,3 %	91 %	NR	Aucune toxicité de grade 3-4
Schipani et al. [40] Zelefsky et al. [41]	Rétrospective	124	165	165/0	18-24 Gy 1 séance	7	92 %	92 %	8	Aucune toxicité de grade 3-4
		105 (primitif rénal)	105	105/0		12	44 % à 3 ans 88 % si D > 24 Gy 21 % si D < 24 Gy	NR	48,9 % à 1 an	Toxicité aiguë Nausées – vomissements de grade 3 : 1 Érythème de grade 4 : 1

NR : non rapporté.

Principales études de radiothérapie stéréotaxique postopératoires prospectives et rétrospectives (plus de 20 patients) pour la prise en charge de métastases vertébrales.

Auteurs	Type d'étude	Nombre de patients	Schéma (extrêmes) (Gy)	Fractions	Suivi médian (mois)	Contrôle de la douleur à long terme	Contrôle local	Taux de patients ambulatoire	Toxicité (nombre de patients)
Tao et al. [48] issue des études [29] et [31]	Phase I/II (issue de 2 phases I/II)	66 dont 35 tumeurs rénales, 33 patients ayant reçu une radiothérapie préalable	16–24 Gy 27 Gy 30 Gy	1 séance 3 fractions 5 fractions	30 mois (1–145)	NR	85 % à 1 an 79 % à 2 ans 74 % à 3 ans	NR	Aucune
Al-Omair et al. [49]	Prospective	80	18–40	1–5	8,3	NR	74 %	NR	Aucune
Gerszten et al. [50]	Prospective	26	16–20 Gy	1 séance	16 (11–24)	92 %	92 %	100 %	Aucune
Harel et al. [51]	Prospective	22	14,58 (12–16)	1 séance	12,59 (3–36)	NR	88,3 %	NR	Aucune
Laufer et al. [52]	Rétrospective	186	24 Gy	1 séance	7,6 (1–66)	NR	81 %	NR	Aucune
Bate et al. [53]	Rétrospective	21	24–30 Gy 18–36 Gy 16 (16–22)	3 fractions 5–6 fractions 1 (1–5)	21,3	100 %	87 %	82,5 %	Toxicité aiguë de grade 3 : douleur thoracique : 1 ; nausées-vomissements : 1 ; dysphagie : 1

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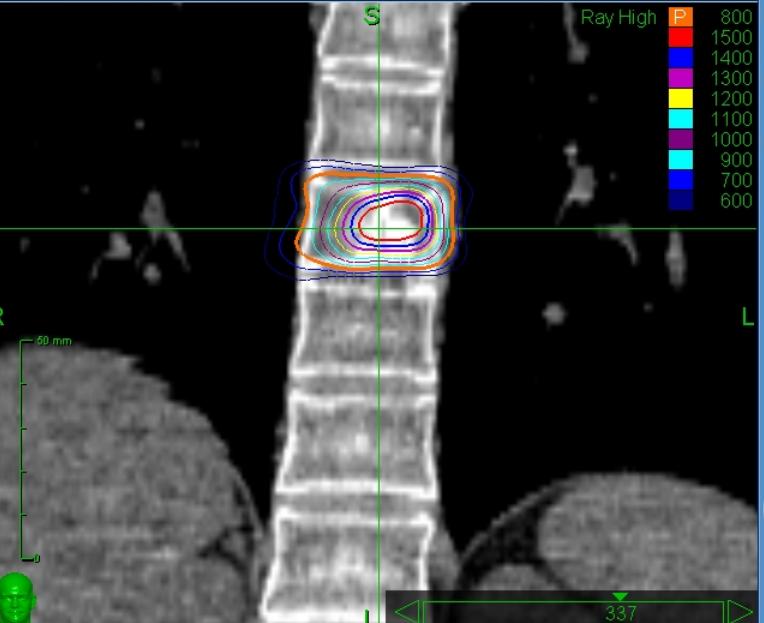
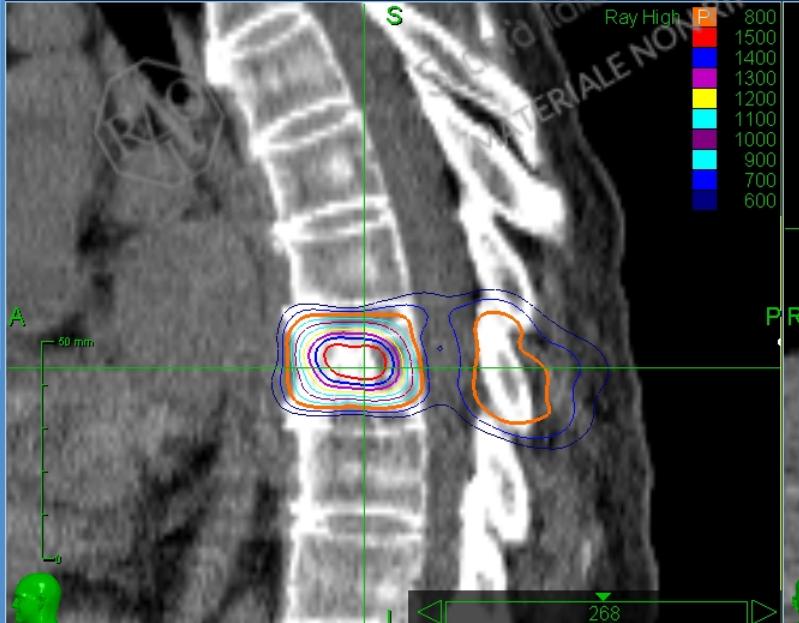
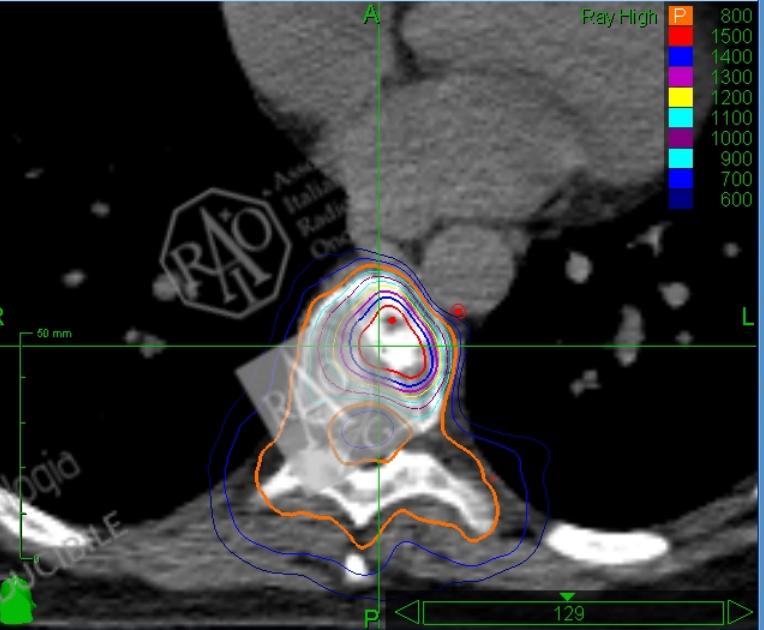
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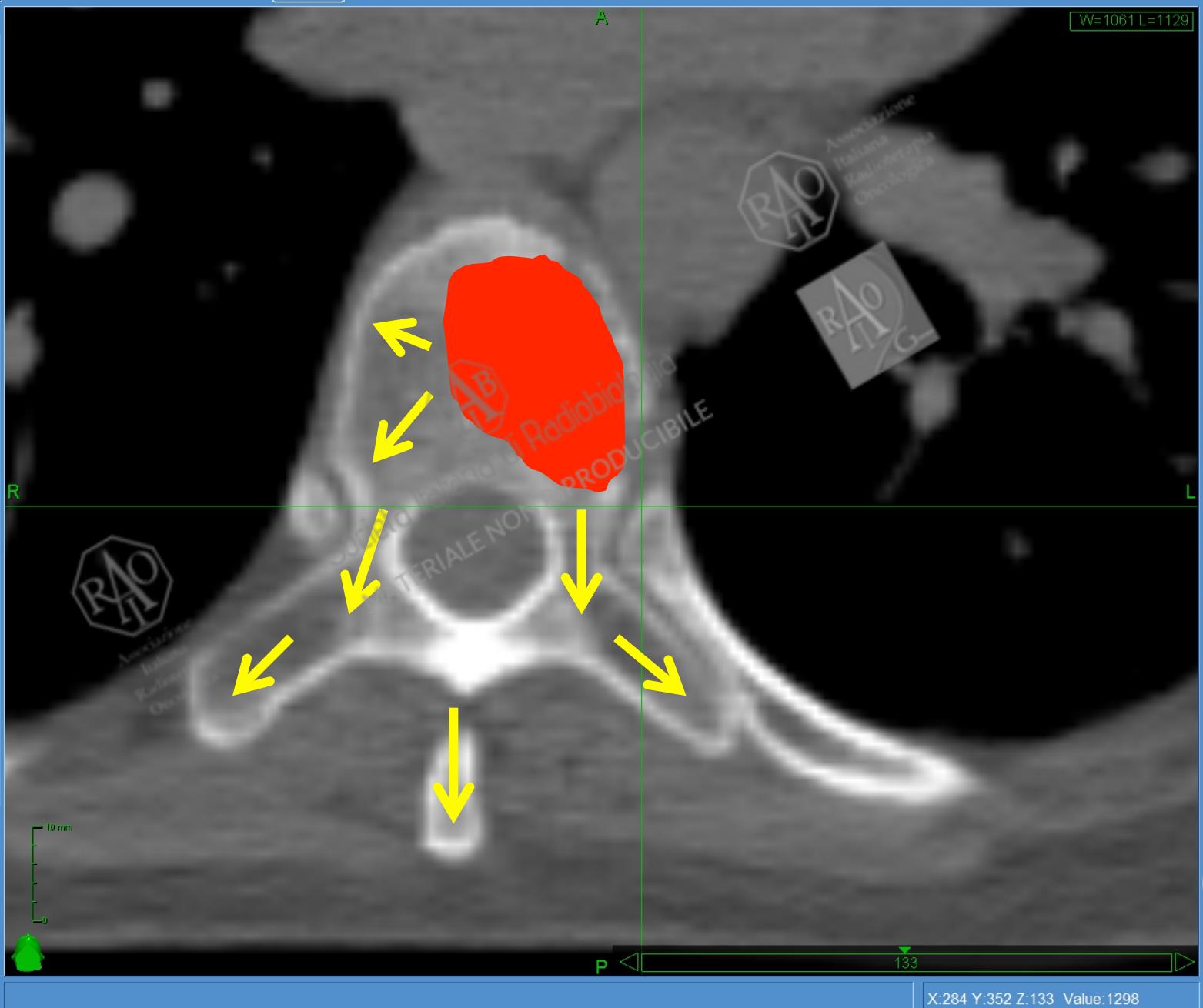
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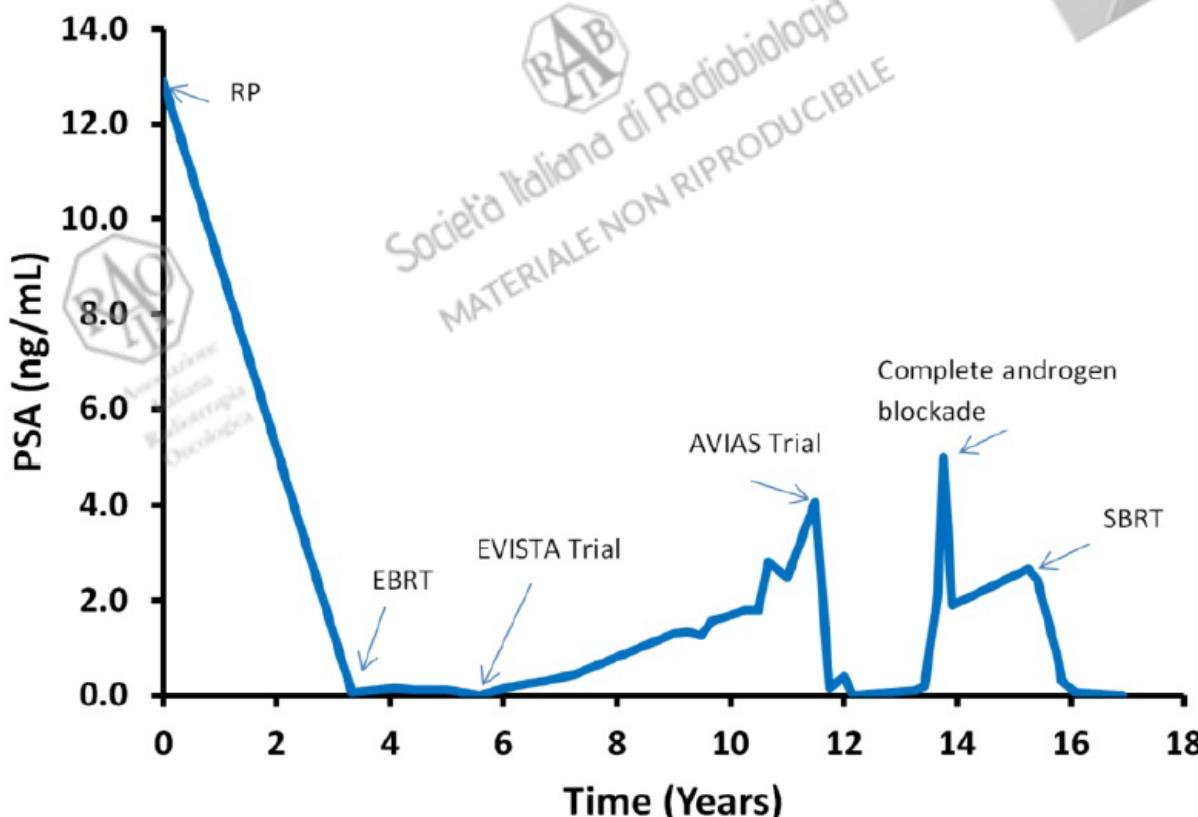
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# Complete PSA Response Following Stereotactic Ablative Radiotherapy for a Bony Metastasis in the Setting of Castrate-Resistant Prostate Cancer

Jelena Lukovic <sup>1</sup>, George Rodrigues <sup>2</sup>



# Radiotherapy and Bone Metastases



## Prognosis

Favorable  
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## Site

Appendicular  
**Spinal**  
Pelvis



## Type

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**Mixed**



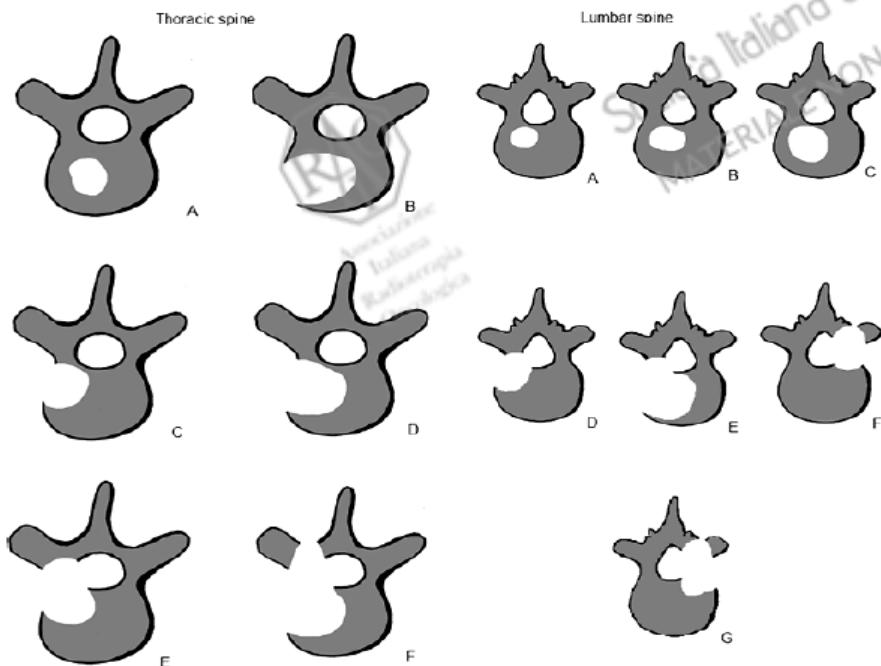
# Stability of spinal bone metastases and survival analysis in renal cancer after radiotherapy

Ingmar Schlampp<sup>1</sup>, Helge Lang<sup>1</sup>, Robert Förster<sup>1</sup>, Robert Wolf<sup>1</sup>, Tilman Bostel<sup>1</sup>, Thomas Bruckner<sup>2</sup>, Jürgen Debus<sup>1</sup>, Harald Rief<sup>1</sup>

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## Taneichi Score



Radiotherapy	n	%
10 x 3 Gy	75	49
14 x 2.5 Gy	22	14
20 x 2 Gy	50	32
Others	8	5
<b>Irradiated vertebral bodies</b>		
3	72	47
4-6	59	38
>6	24	15
<b>Therapy after RT</b>		
Chemotherapy	55	35
Bisphosphonates	12	8
<b>Stability (of 28 evaluable patients)</b>		
Stable prior to RT	14	50
Stable 3 months after RT	14	50
Stable 6 months after RT	14	50
<b>Location</b>		
Thoracic	89	57
Lumbar	66	43
<b>Patients with fractured vertebral bodies prior to RT</b>		
Patients with fractures	30	19

Bowker test		6 months after RT						
Prior to RT		A	B	C	D	E	F	G
	A	8	1	0	0	0	0	0
	B	0	4	0	0	0	0	0
	C	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
	D	0	0	0	5	0	0	0
	E	0	0	0	1	5	0	0
	F	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
	G	0	0	0	0	0	0	1

Results of Taneichi score evaluation.

RT = radiotherapy.

**Conclusion:** The evaluated patients showed unchanged stability of involved vertebral bodies after 6 months. RT seems to be effective in terms of pain reduction and improvement of neurological deficits. Regarding the short survival after bone metastases, shortened fractionation schedules may be preferred in patients with exhausted systemic therapy options.

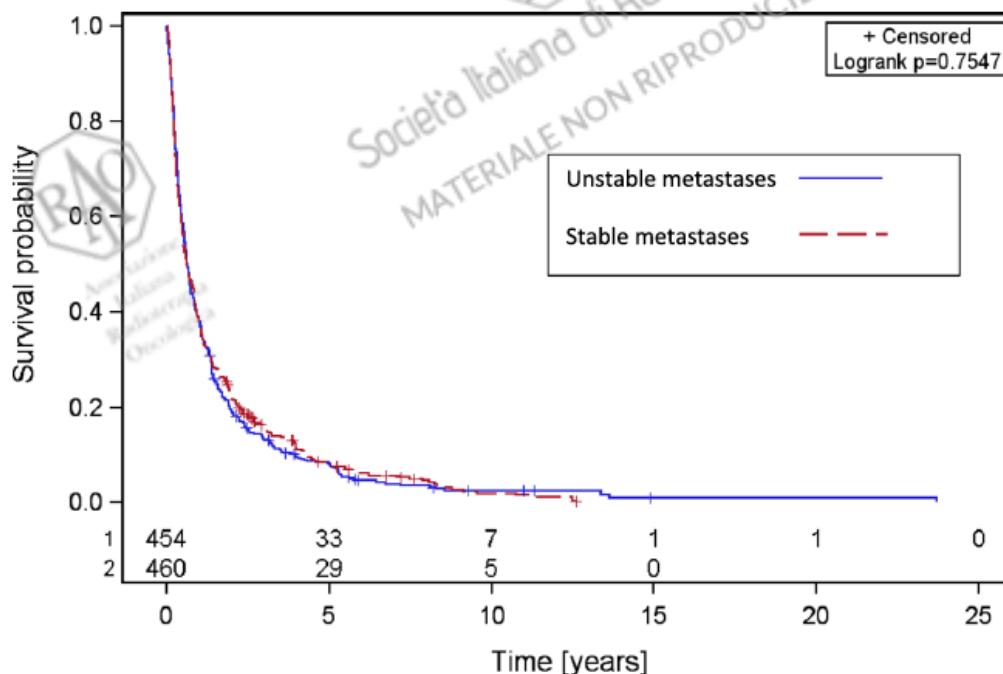
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# Survival and prognostic factors in patients with stable and unstable spinal bone metastases from solid tumors: a retrospective analysis of 915 cases

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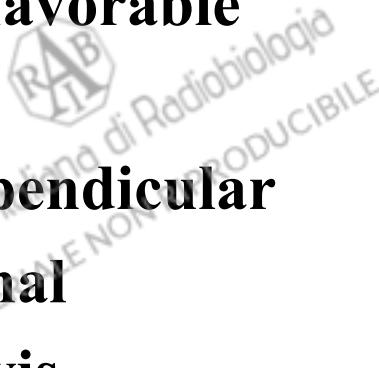
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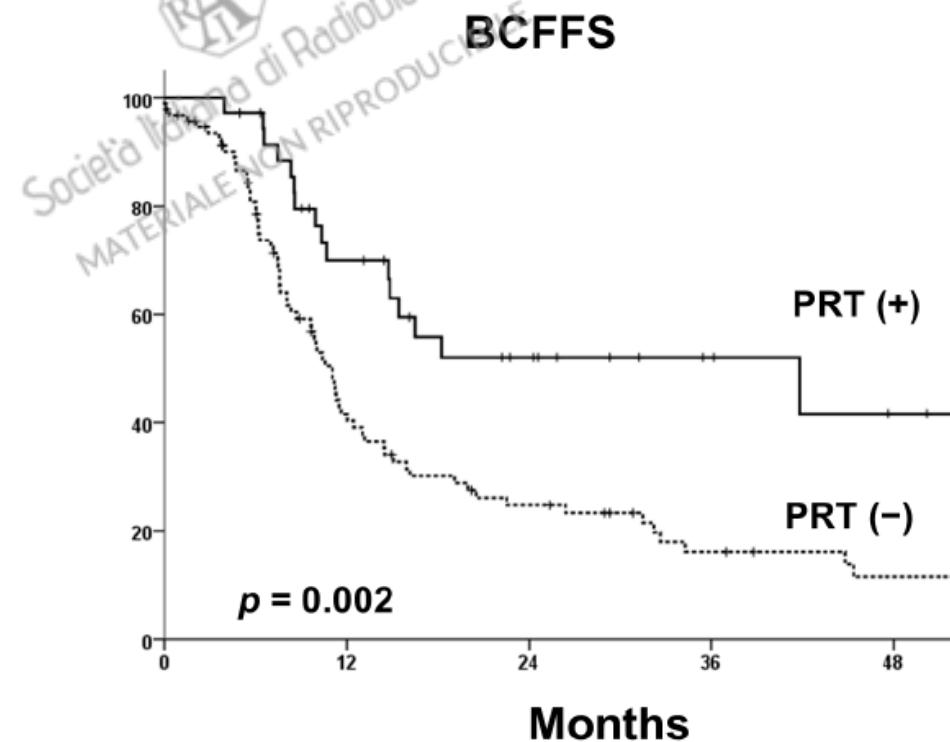
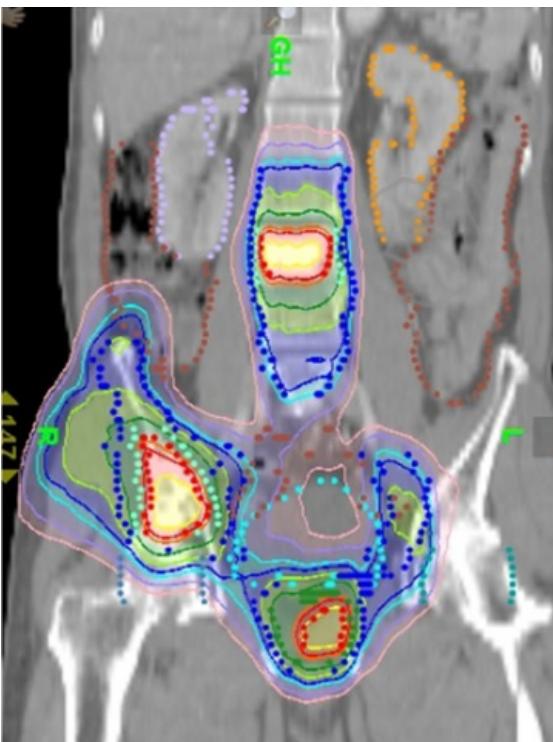


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# Does Radiotherapy for the Primary Tumor Benefit Prostate Cancer Patients with Distant Metastasis at Initial Diagnosis?

Yeona Cho<sup>1</sup>, Jee Suk Chang<sup>1</sup>, Koon Ho Rha<sup>2</sup>, Sung Joon Hong<sup>2</sup>, Young Deuk Choi<sup>2</sup>, Won Sik Ham<sup>2</sup>, Jun Won Kim<sup>1</sup>, Jaeho Cho<sup>1\*</sup>

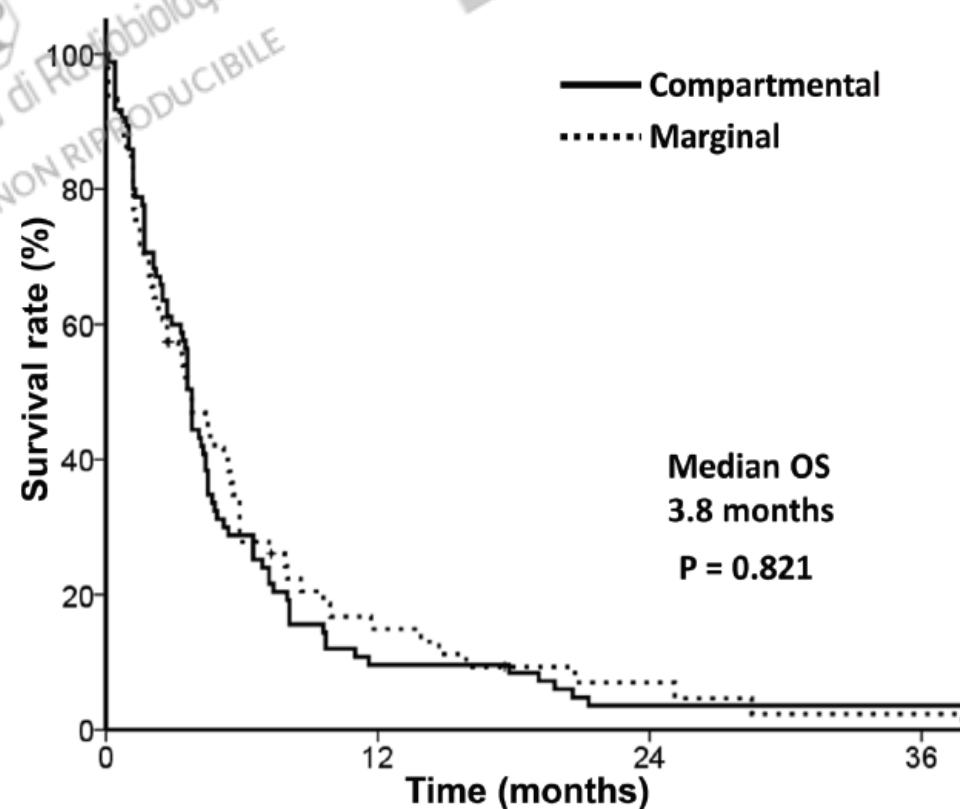
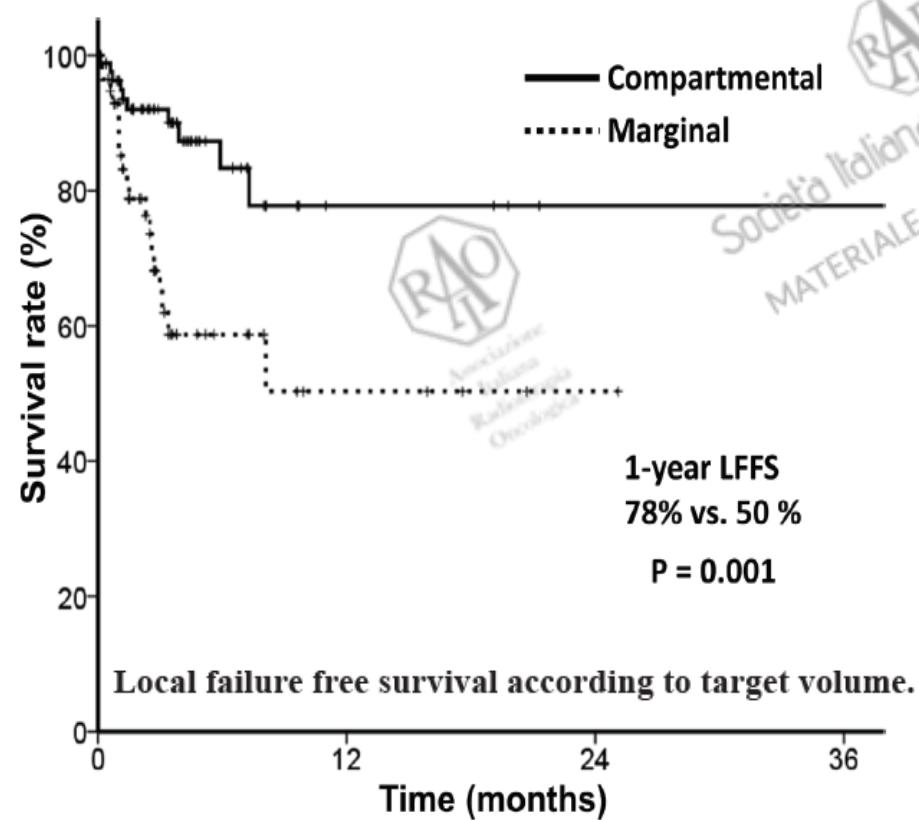


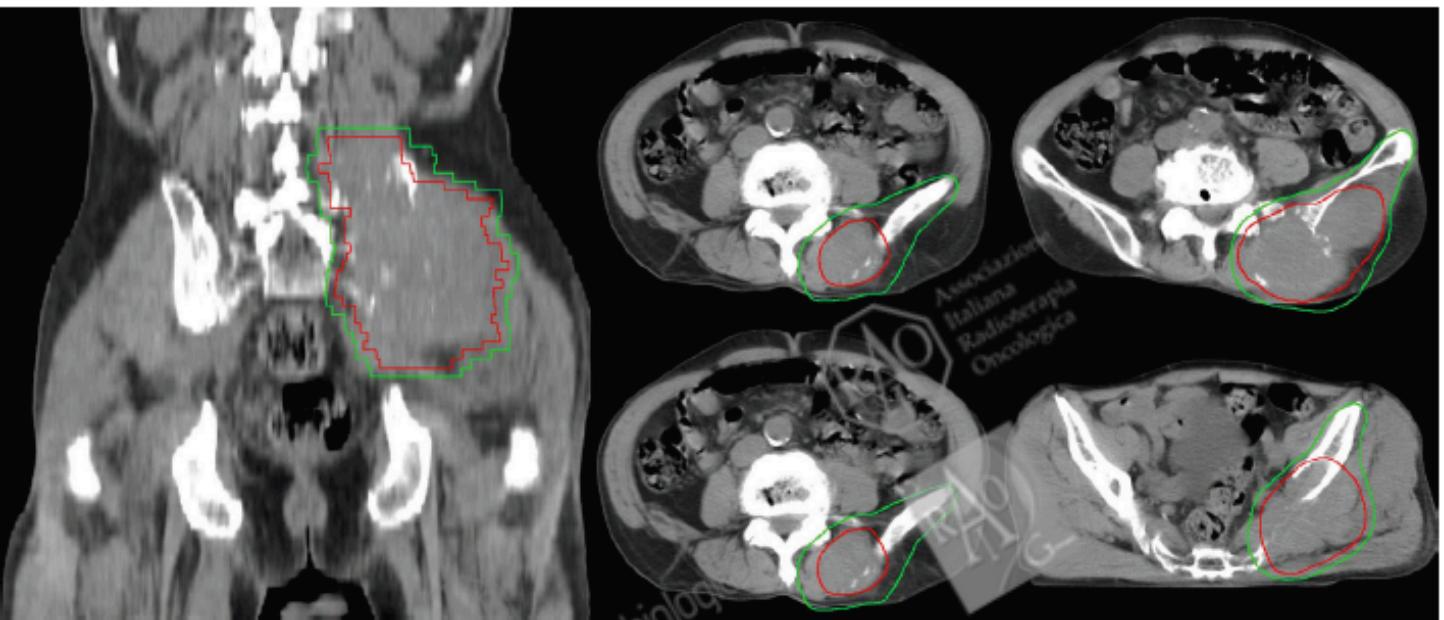
# High dose and compartmental target volume may improve patient outcome after radiotherapy for pelvic bone metastases from hepatocellular carcinoma

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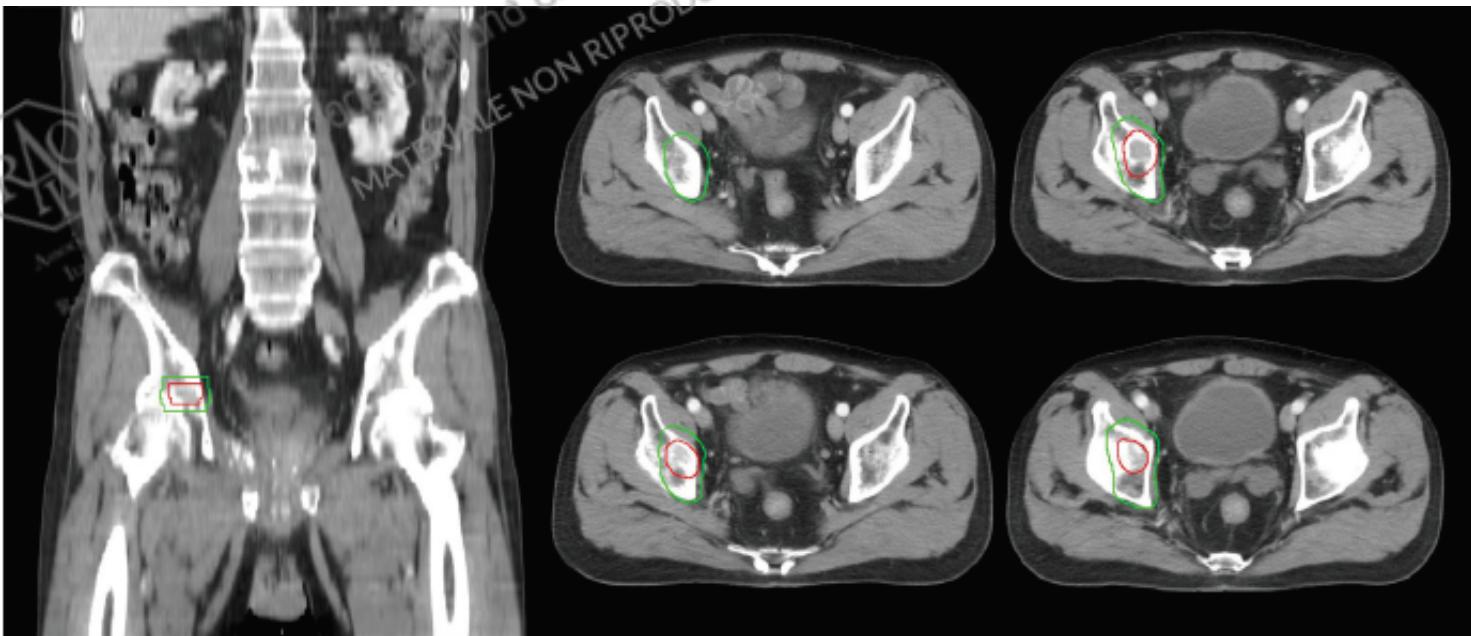
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Compartmental target volume



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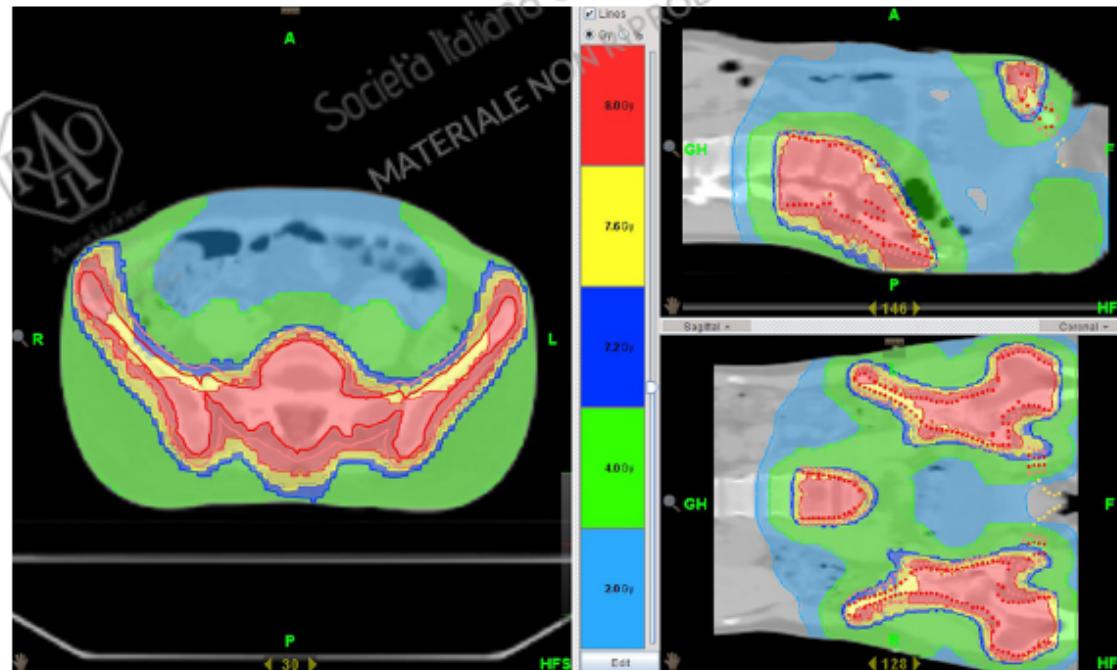
## Brief Report

# Half-Body Irradiation With Tomotherapy for Pain Palliation in Metastatic Breast Cancer

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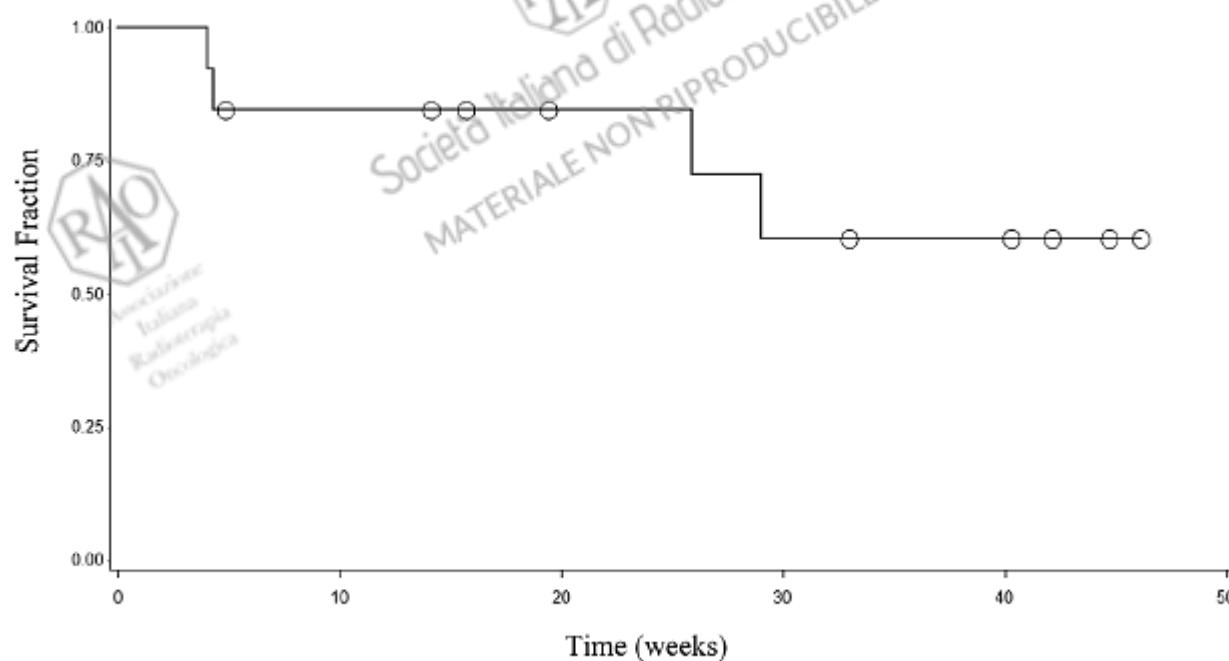
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## Toxicity After HBI

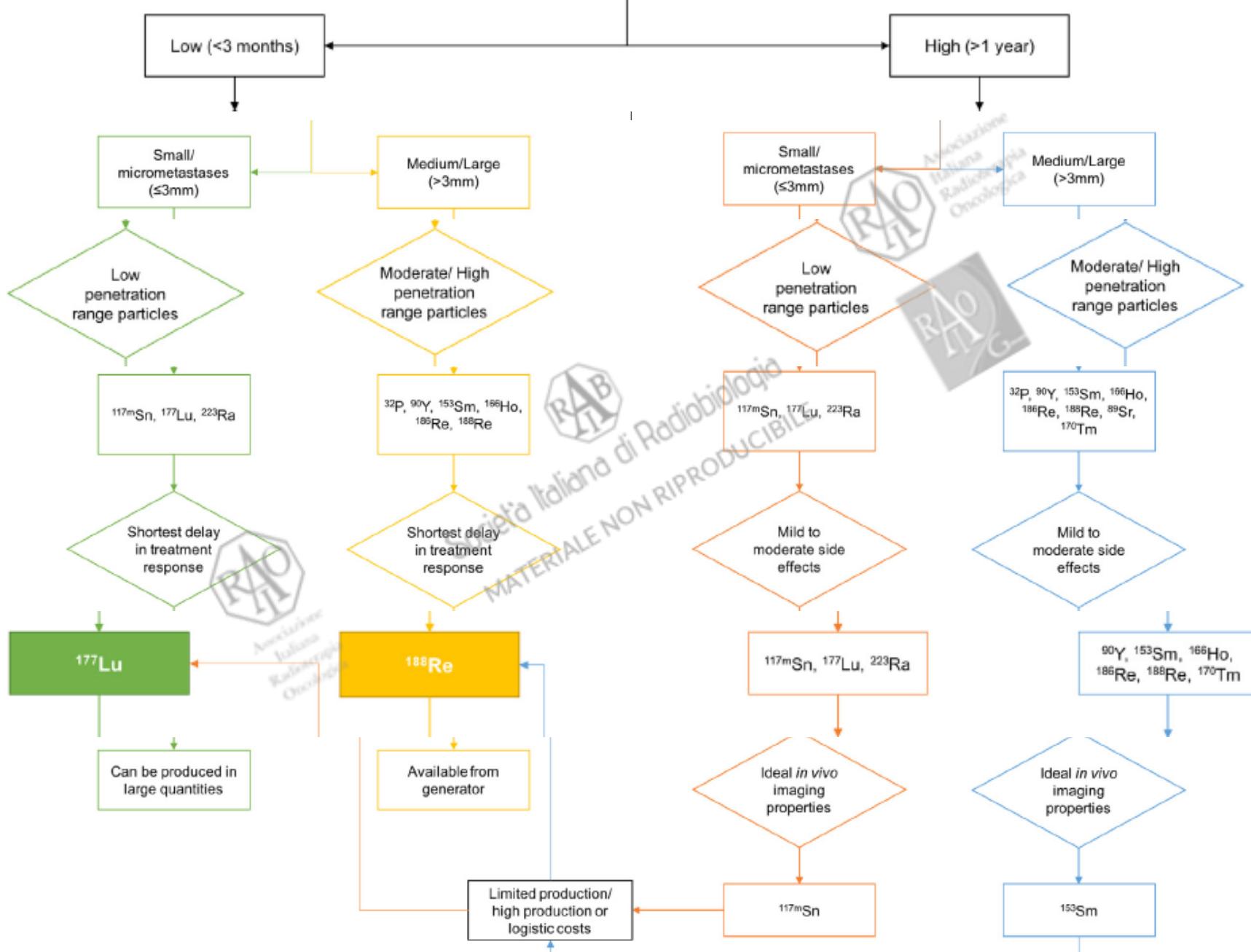
Toxicity	Grade			<i>n</i> (%) of Cases
	1	2	3	
Fatigue <sup>a</sup>	0	2	0	2 (15)
Nausea and/or vomiting <sup>a</sup>	2	1	0	3 (23)
Fever <sup>a</sup>	2	1	0	3 (23)
Diarrhea <sup>a</sup>	0	1	0	1 (7)
Leukopenia <sup>a</sup>	3	3	1	7 (53)
Anemia <sup>a</sup>	3	4	2	9 (69)
Thrombocytopenia	0	0	1	1 (7)



Pain-free survival with half-body irradiation for entire series (13 patients).

Radionuclide	Emission type	$E_{\text{mean}}$ (MeV) (%)	$E_{\gamma}$ (keV) (%)	$T_{1/2}$ (days)	Tissue penetration max. (mm)	Main production mode (impurities)	Production and logistics cost	References
$^{32}\text{P}$	$\beta^-$	0.6955 (100)	–	14.3	8.0	$^{31}\text{P}(\text{n},\gamma) ^{32}\text{P}$ (None) $^{32}\text{S}(\text{n},\text{p}) ^{32}\text{P}$ ( $^{33}\text{P}$ , $^{35}\text{S}$ ) $^{34}\text{S}(\text{d},\alpha) ^{32}\text{P}$ (None)	High Cost-effective High	Bé et al. (2008), Lewington (2005), Vimalnath et al. (2013) and Volkert and Hoffman (1999)
$^{89}\text{Sr}$	$\beta^-$	0.5846 (99.99)	909 (0.1)	50.5	6.7	$^{88}\text{Sr}(\text{n},\gamma) ^{89}\text{Sr}$ ( $^{85}\text{Sr}$ , $^{90}\text{Sr}$ ) Fission Product ( $^{90}\text{Sr}$ ) $^{87}\text{Sr}(\text{t},\text{p}) ^{89}\text{Sr}$ (None) $^{86}\text{Kr}(\alpha,\text{ny}) ^{89}\text{Sr}$ (None)	High High High High	Bé et al. (2008), Lewington (2005) and Volkert and Hoffman (1999)
$^{90}\text{Y}$	$\beta^-$	0.927 (99.98)	–	2.67	11	$^{90}\text{Sr}(\beta) ^{90}\text{Y}$ (None) $^{89}\text{Y}(\text{n},\gamma) ^{90}\text{Y}$ ( $^{91}\text{Y}$ )	High Cost-effective	Bé et al. (2008) and Volkert and Hoffman (1999)
$^{117m}\text{Sn}$	Auger	0.1268 (64.8)	159 (86)	13.6	0.3	$^{116}\text{Sn}(\text{n},\gamma) ^{117m}\text{Sn}$ (None) $^{117}\text{Sn}(\text{n},\text{n}') ^{117m}\text{Sn}$ (None)	High High	Bé et al. (2008), Lewington (2005), Maslov et al. (2011) and Volkert and Hoffman (1999)
$^{153}\text{Sm}$	$\beta^-$	0.2253 (48.2)	103 (28)	1.93	3.4	$^{152}\text{Sm}(\text{n},\gamma) ^{152}\text{Sm}$ (None) $^{150}\text{Nd}(\text{n},\alpha) ^{153}\text{Sm}$ (None)	High High	Bé et al. (2008), Lewington (2005) and Volkert and Hoffman (1999)
$^{166}\text{Ho}$	$\beta^-$	0.6511 (50.5)	81 (6.4)	1.12	8.6	$^{165}\text{Ho}(\text{d},\text{p}) ^{166}\text{Ho}$ ( $^{166m}\text{Ho}$ ) $^{165}\text{Ho}(\text{n},\gamma)$ (E=thermal) $^{166}\text{Ho}$ (None) $^{166}\text{Dy}$ - decay chain (None)	High Cost-effective High	Bé et al. (2008), Knapp (2001) and Volkert and Hoffman (1999)
$^{170}\text{Tm}$	$\beta^-$	0.3231 (81.6)	84 (3.3)	128.4	5	$^{169}\text{Tm}(\text{n},\gamma) ^{170}\text{Tm}$ (None)	Cost-effective	Bé et al. (2008) and Das et al. (2009)
$^{177}\text{Lu}$	$\beta^-$	0.1494 (79.3)	208 (10.4)	6.2	1.8	$^{170}\text{Er}(\text{p},\text{n}) ^{170}\text{Tm}$ ( $^{168}\text{Tm}$ ) $^{176}\text{Lu}(\text{n},\gamma) ^{177}\text{Lu}$ ( $^{176m}\text{Lu}$ ) $^{176}\text{Yb}(\text{n},\gamma) ^{177}\text{Yb} \rightarrow ^{177}\text{Lu}$	High High Cost-effective	Bé et al. (2008), Knapp (2001), Pillai et al. (2003) and Volkert and Hoffman (1999)
$^{186}\text{Re}$	$\beta^-$	0.3596 (70.9)	137 (9)	3.8	4.7	$^{185}\text{Re}(\text{n},\gamma) ^{186}\text{Re}$ ( $^{186m}\text{Re}$ , $^{188}\text{Re}$ ) $^{186}\text{W}(\text{n},\text{p}) ^{186}\text{Re}$ (None)	Cost-effective	Bé et al. (2008), Lewington (2005) and Volkert and Hoffman (1999)
$^{188}\text{Re}$	$\beta^-$	0.7304 (71.1)	155 (15)	0.7	10.4	$^{188}\text{We}(\text{n},\text{n}) ^{188}\text{Re}$ (None)	Cost-effective	Argyrou et al. (2013a, 2013b), Bé et al. (2008) and Lewington (2005)
$^{223}\text{Ra}$	$\alpha$	5.71581 (45.6)	154 (5.6)	11.4	0.1	$^{235}\text{U}$ - decay chain (None) $^{227}\text{Ac}/^{227}\text{Th}$ Generator (None)	High Cost-effective	Bé et al. (2008), Henriksen et al. (2003) and Lewington (2005)

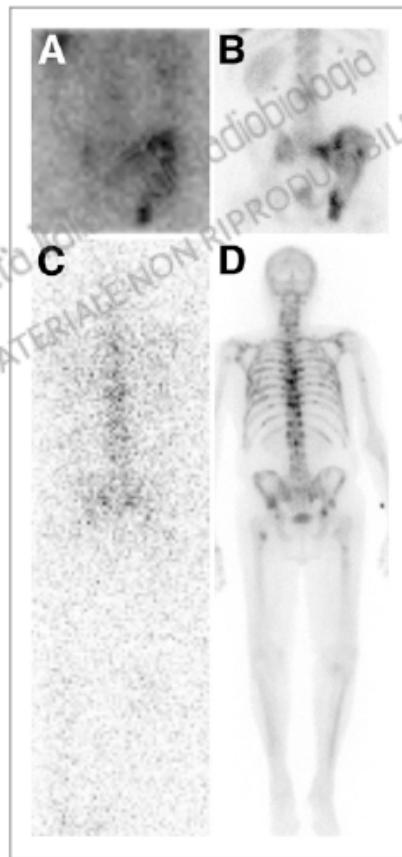
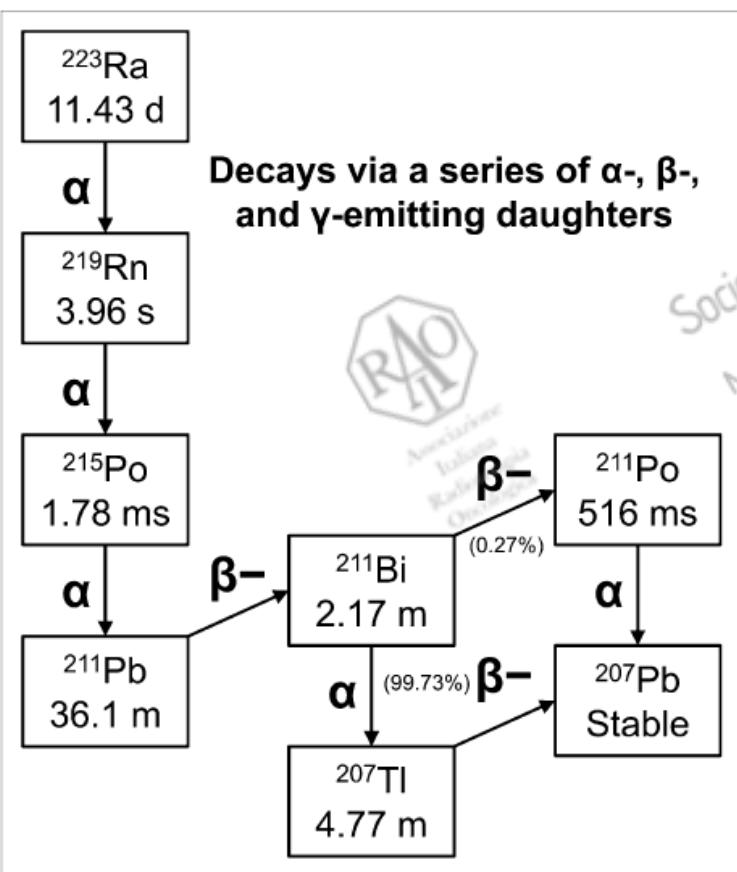
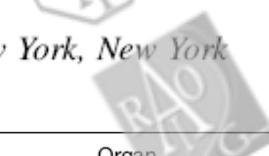
Legend:  $T_{1/2}$  (days) – radioisotope half-life in days;  $E$  (MeV) (%) – particle energy and respective decay abundance shown in parentheses;  $E_{\gamma}$  (keV) (%) – gamma ray energy and respective abundance in total energy emission shown in parentheses; Tissue penetration range (mm) – maximum tissue penetration in soft tissue shown in millimeters.



# Bone-Seeking Radiopharmaceuticals for Treatment of Osseous Metastases, Part 1: $\alpha$ Therapy with $^{223}\text{Ra}$ -Dichloride

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Organ	cGy/37 MBq
Bone surface	4,262.60
Red bone marrow	513.51
Lower bowel wall	171.88
Urinary bladder wall	14.9
Testes	0.31
Ovaries	1.8
Uterine wall	0.94
Kidney	11.86

Radium is very similar to calcium. And like calcium, active bone cells take up the radium. This makes it a good way of specifically targeting bone cancer cells. Cancer cells are more active than normal bone cells and so are more likely to pick up the radium 223.

Category	Description
Indications	Skeletal metastasis in castration-resistant prostate cancer, symptomatic bone metastases, and no known visceral metastatic disease
Contraindications	Pregnancy, breast-feeding, and women of child-bearing age
Prerequisites	
First dose	ANC $\geq 1.5 \times 10^9/L$ , platelet count $\geq 100 \times 10^9/L$ , and hemoglobin $\geq 10\text{ g/dL}$
Subsequent doses	ANC $\geq 1 \times 10^9/L$ and platelet count $\geq 50 \times 10^9/L$ (discontinue if hematologic values do not recover within 6–8 wk after last administration despite supportive care)

ANC = absolute neutrophil count.

### Dosage and Administration of $^{223}\text{Ra}$ -Dichloride

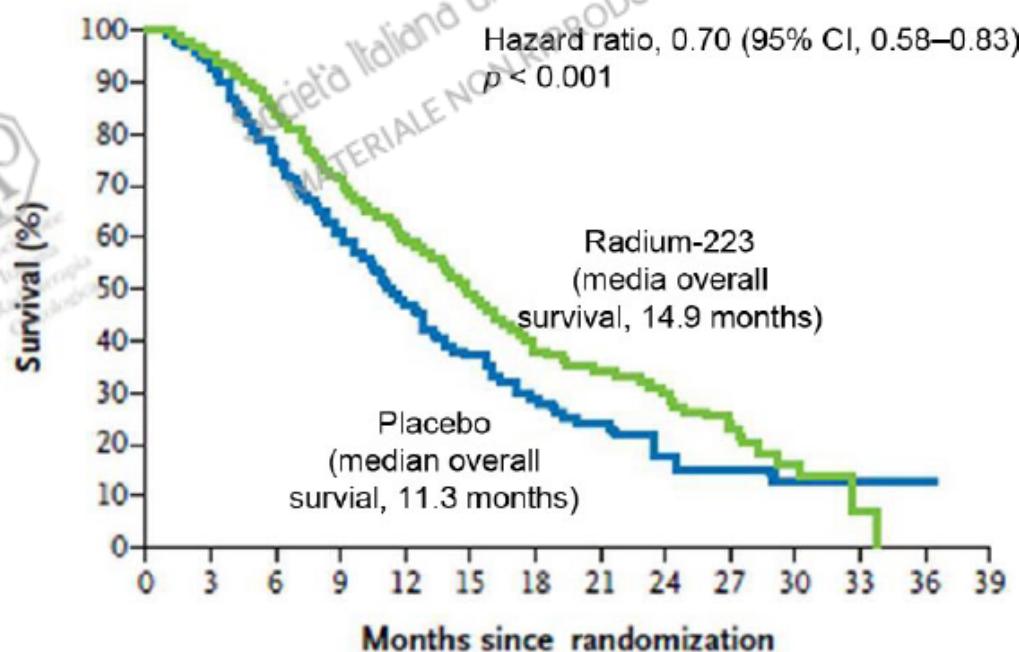
Amount of dose	Route	No of doses	Dose calculation*
50 kBq/kg, or 1.3514 $\mu\text{Ci}/\text{kg}$	Intravenous slow injection	6 doses every 4 wk	Volume to be administered(mL) = $\frac{\text{Body weight in kg} \times 50 \text{ kBq/kg}}{\text{Decay factor} \times 1,000 \text{ kBq/mL}}$

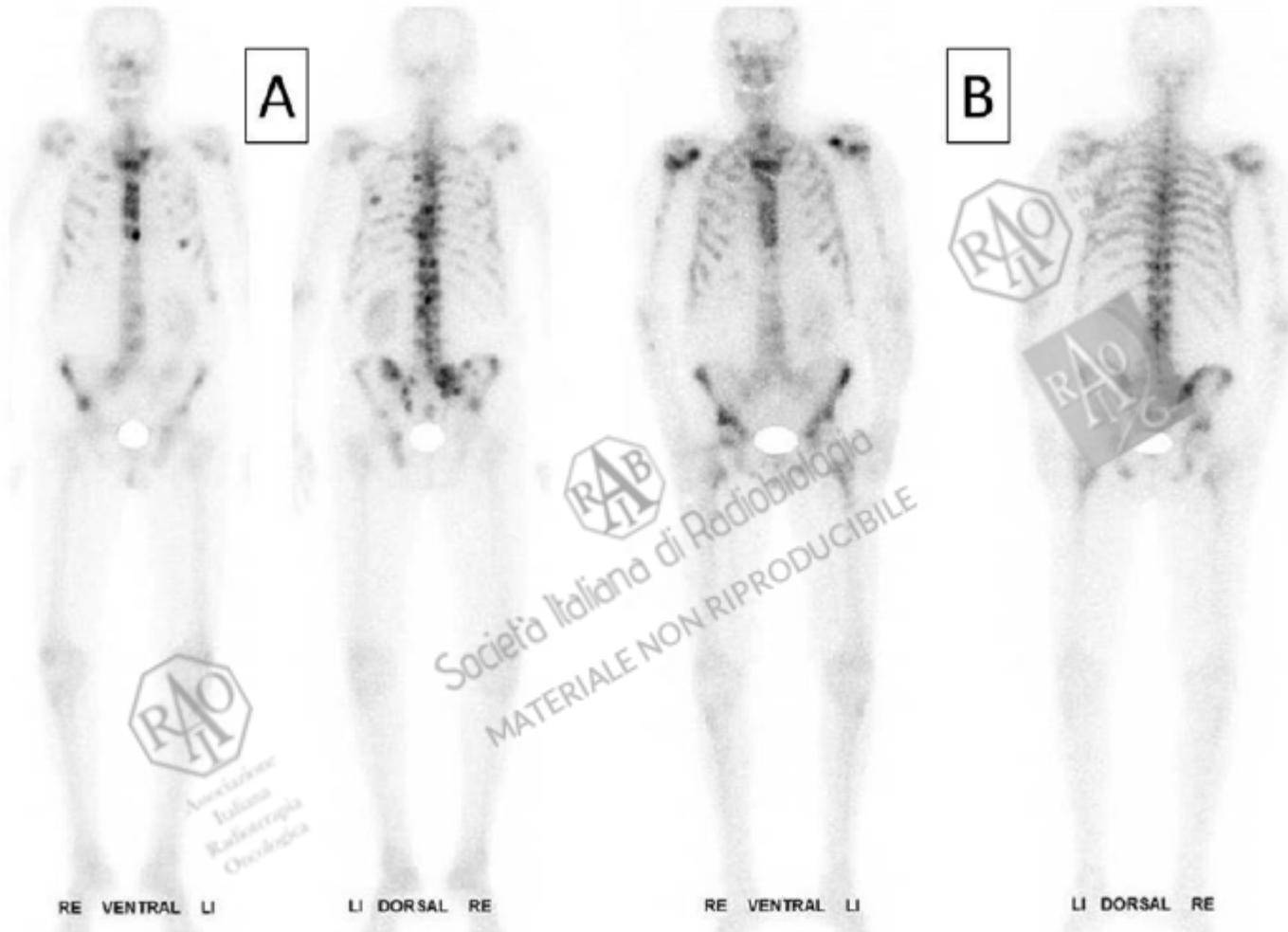
\*Decay table can be found in Xofigo product information (29).



# From palliative therapy to prolongation of survival: $^{223}\text{RaCl}_2$ in the treatment of bone metastases

Overall survival





(A) Pretherapeutic

(B) 3 months after four times 223Ra

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## Platinum Priority – Review – Prostate Cancer

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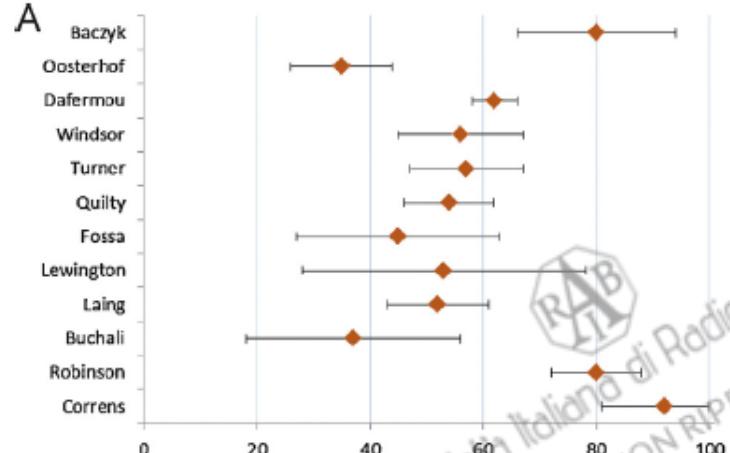
# Radiopharmaceuticals for Palliation of Bone Pain in Patients with Castration-resistant Prostate Cancer Metastatic to Bone: A Systematic Review

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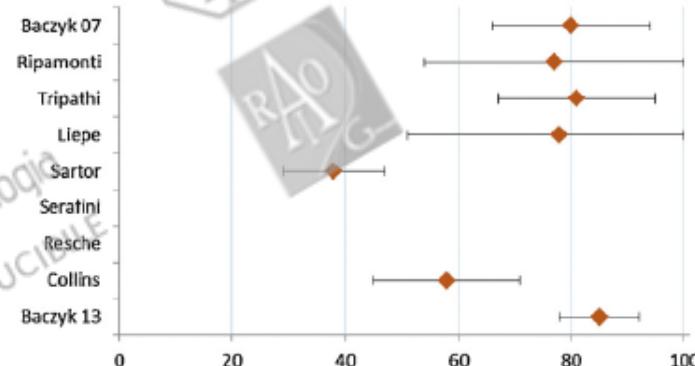
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Radio-pharmaceutical	Half-life (d)	Type of radiation	Maximum energy (MeV)	$\gamma$ -emission MeV (%)	Maximum range (mm)
$^{89}\text{Sr}$	50.5	$\beta$	1.46	Nihil (0.01%)	7
$^{153}\text{Sm}$	1.9	$\beta$	0.81	0.103 (29%)	2.5
$^{186}\text{Re}$	3.7	$\beta$	1.07	0.137 (9%)	5
$^{188}\text{Re}$	0.7	$\beta$	2.12	0.155 (15%)	10
$^{223}\text{Ra}$	11.4	$\alpha$	5.78 average	0.154 (1.1%)	<0.01

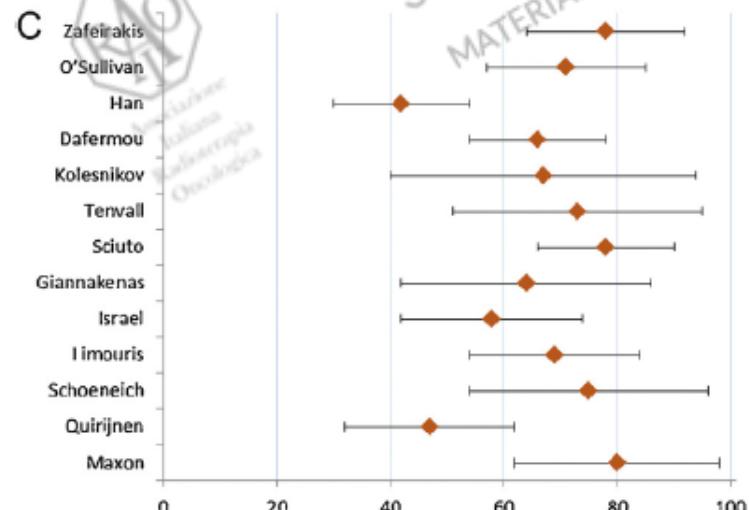
### Strontium-89-chloride



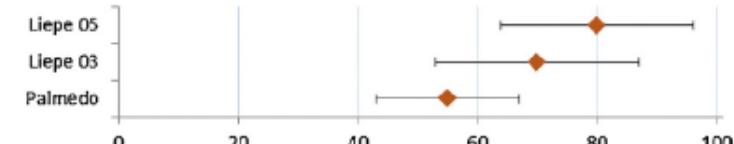
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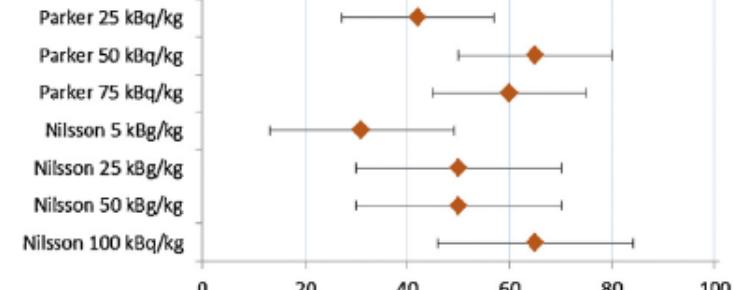
### Rhenium-186-HEDP



### Rhenium-188-HEDP



### Radium-223-chloride



# Conclusions

*“The new restaging of disease, in cancer patients with stage IV, has allowed to improve the quality of life and, in some cases the survival, through a local and systemic radiotherapy applied respecting the characteristics of the disease.”*



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