

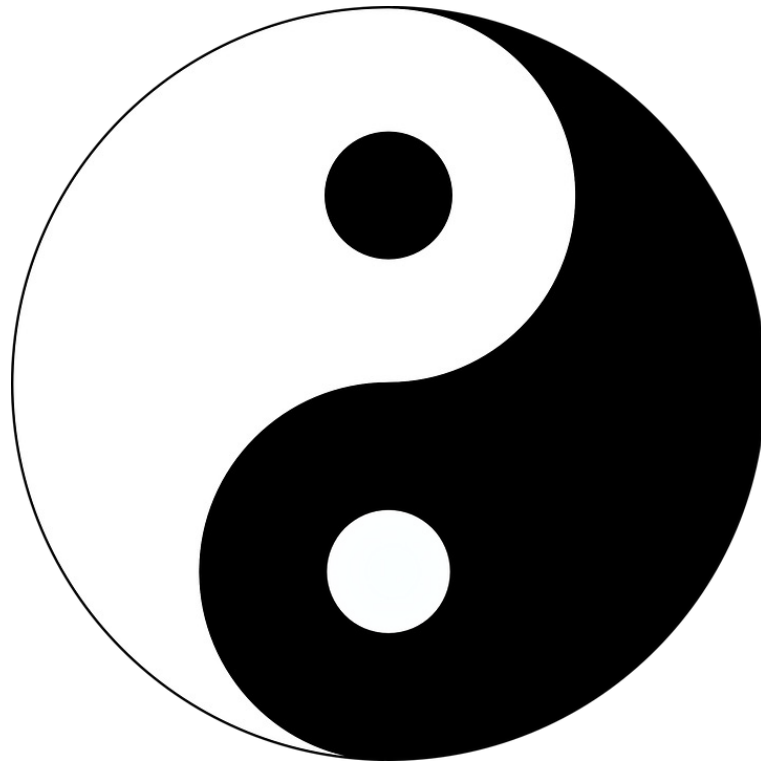
The art of medicine in treating CLL



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The dilemma continue between
long term therapy vs fixed duration



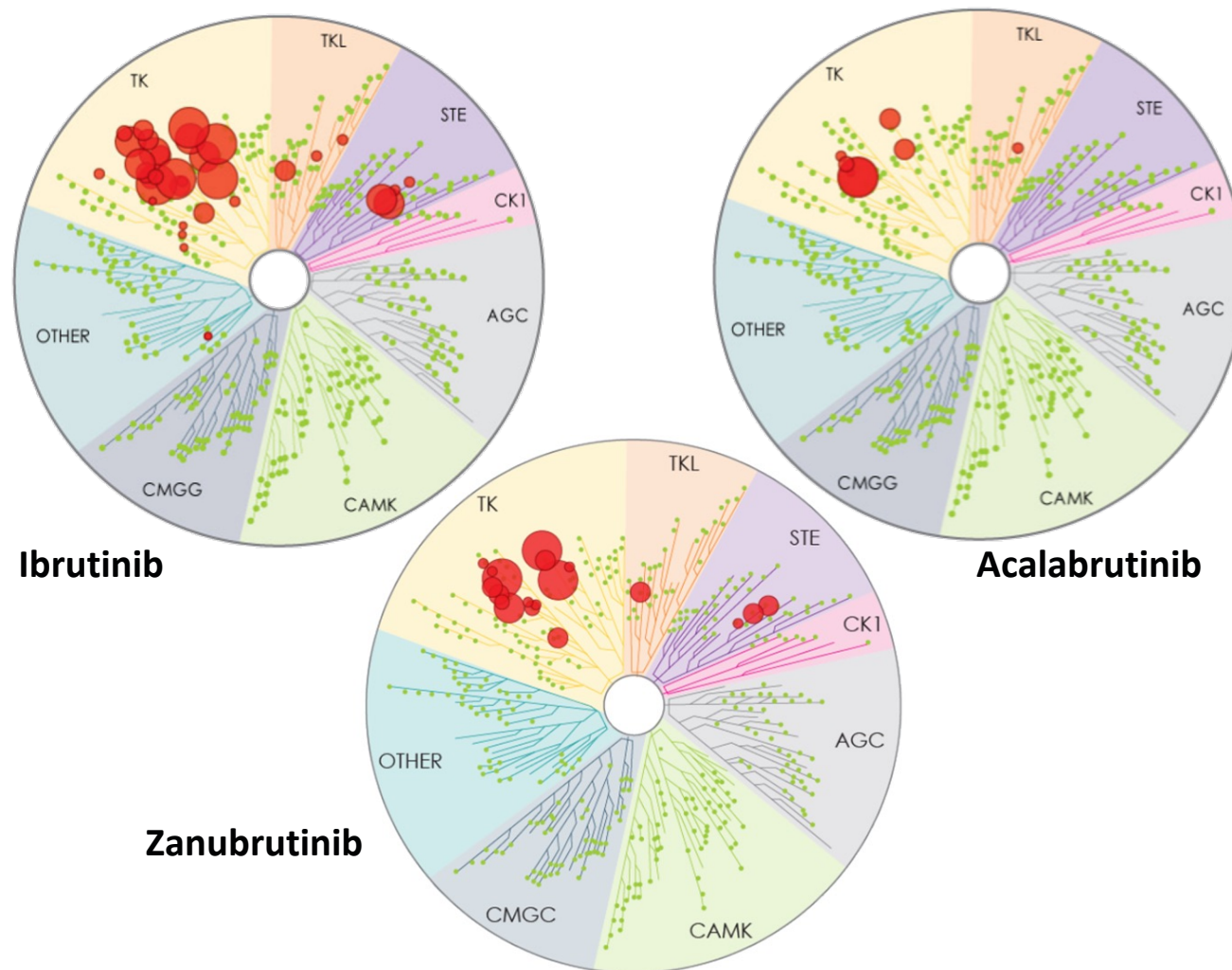
The new era of BTK Inhibitors in CLL

IC₅₀/EC₅₀ (nM)

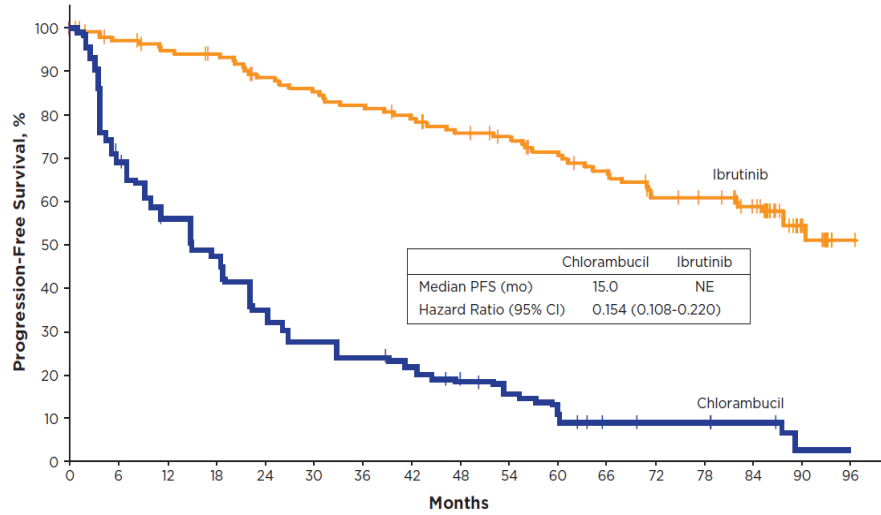
Kinase	Acalabrutinib		
	Ibrutinib	b	Zanubrutinib
BTK	1.5	5.1	0.5
TEC	10	126	44
ITK	4.9	> 1000	50
BMX	0.8	46	1.4
EGFR	5.3	> 1000	21
ERBB4	3.4	16	6.9
JAK3	32	> 1000	1377
BLK	0.1	> 1000	2.5

Kinase Selectivity Profiling at 1 μmol/L (in vitro)

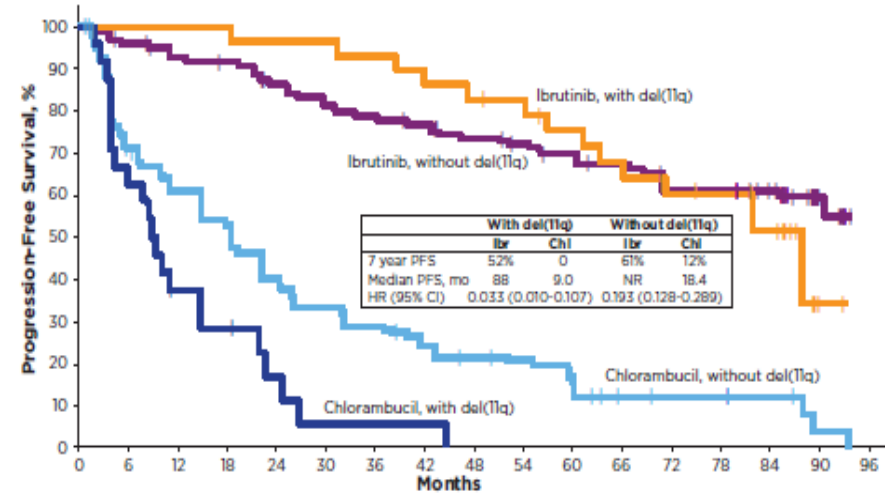
Larger red circles represent stronger inhibition



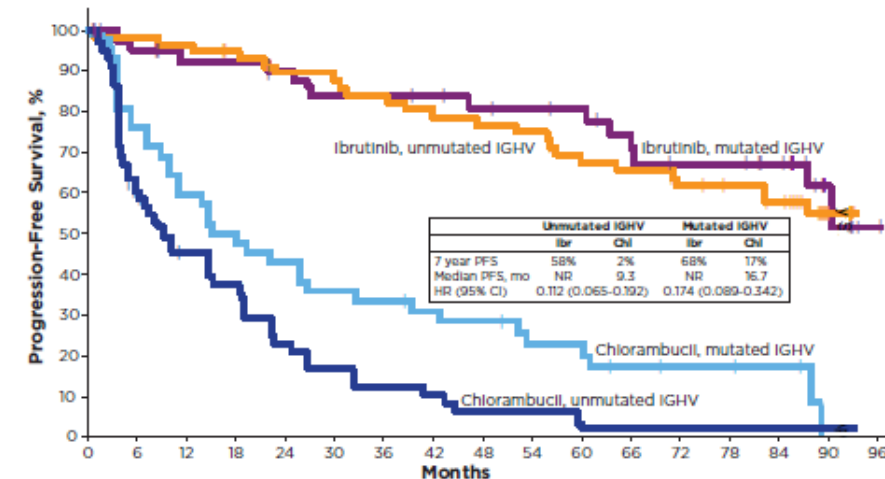
RESONATE-2: 8-Year Follow-Up - PFS



Patients at Risk	0	6	12	18	24	30	36	42	48	54	60	66	72	78	84	90	96
Ibrutinib:	136	129	124	121	112	108	104	99	92	88	81	76	67	65	57	17	1
Chlorambucil:	133	88	69	57	41	33	30	25	19	16	12	6	5	5	4	1	0



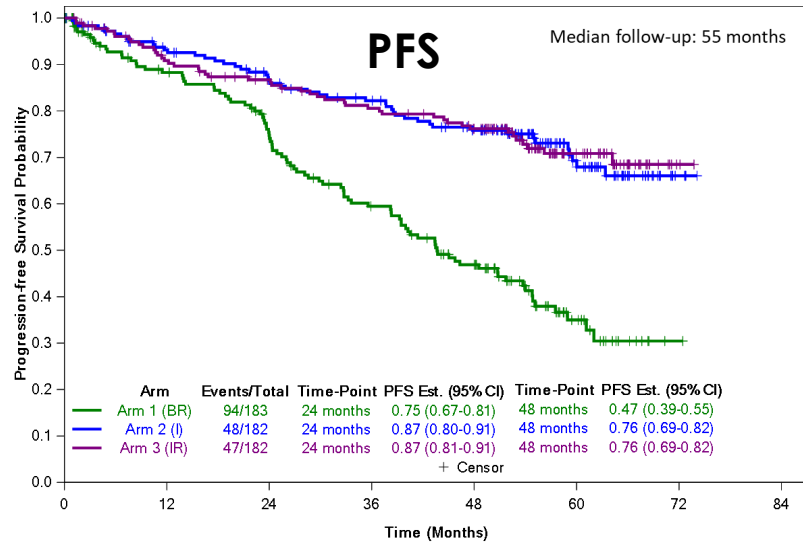
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Ibrutinib, without del(11q):	101	94	89	87	80	76	73	70	64	61	57	55	48	47	43	13	0
Ibrutinib, with del(11q):	29	29	29	29	28	28	27	25	24	23	20	18	16	16	12	2	0
Chlorambucil, without del(11q):	96	64	54	45	35	29	25	21	17	15	12	6	5	5	4	1	0
Chlorambucil, with del(11q):	25	15	8	6	3	1	1	1	0								0



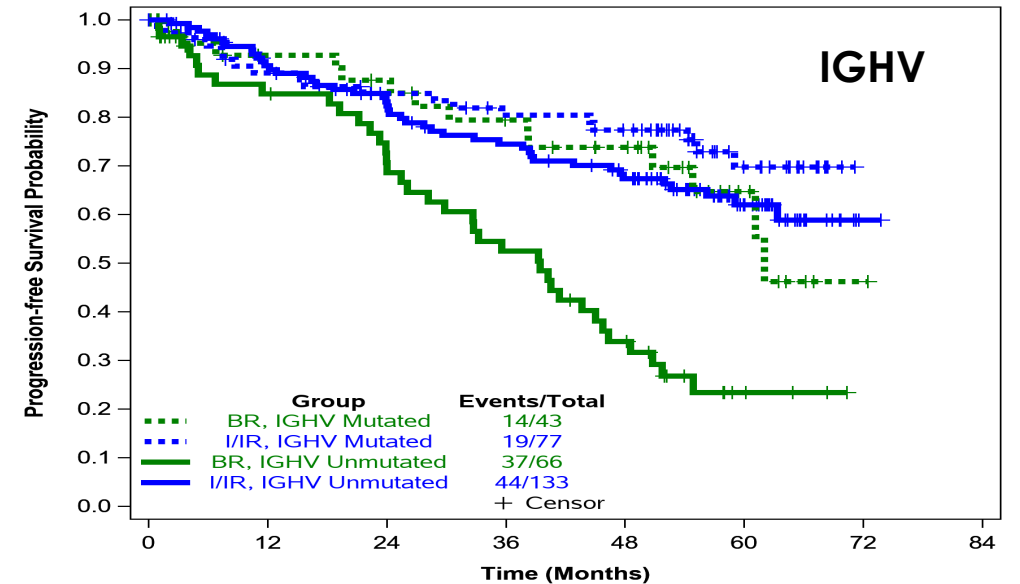
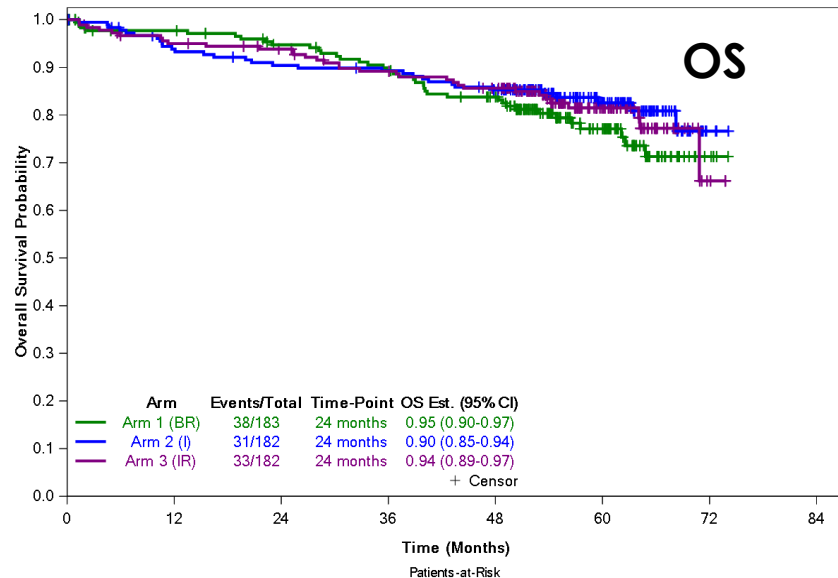
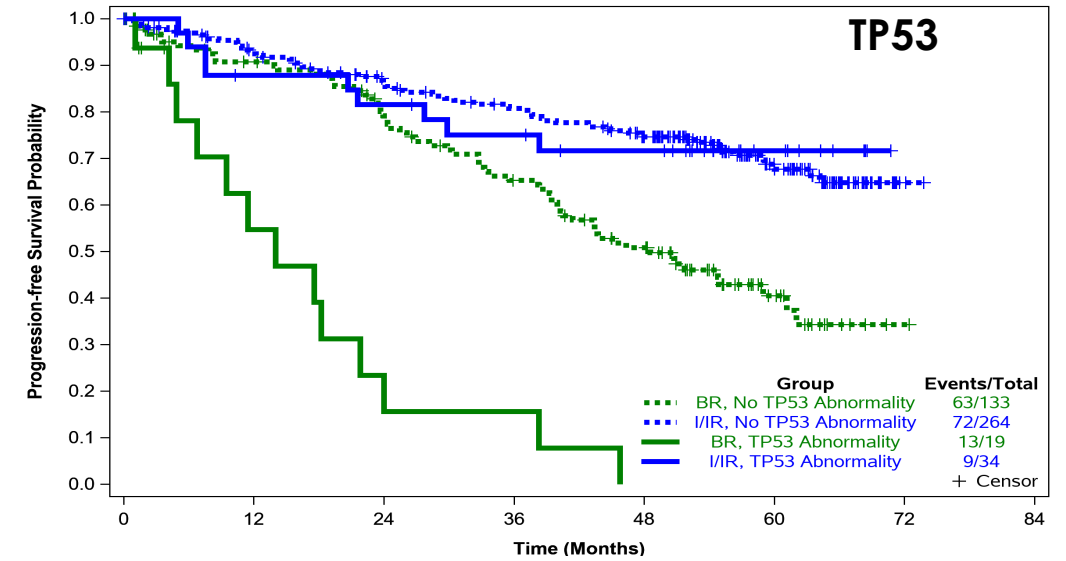
Patients at Risk	0	6	12	18	24	30	36	42	48	54	60	66	72	78	84	90	96
Ibrutinib, mutated IGHV:	40	37	34	34	32	30	30	29	27	26	25	22	19	19	16	6	1
Ibrutinib, unmutated IGHV:	58	57	56	53	49	48	46	43	42	41	36	35	32	30	27	10	0
Chlorambucil, mutated IGHV:	42	32	25	21	18	15	14	12	11	8	8	5	4	4	3	0	0
Chlorambucil, unmutated IGHV:	60	33	23	19	11	8	6	5	3	3	2	1	1	1	1	1	0

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

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



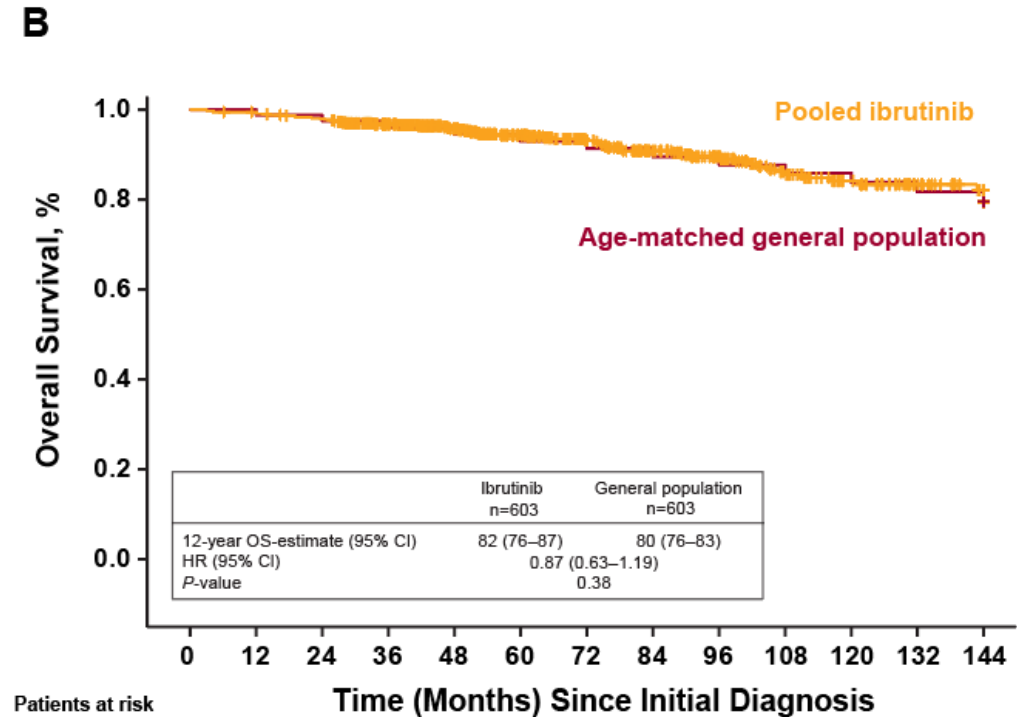
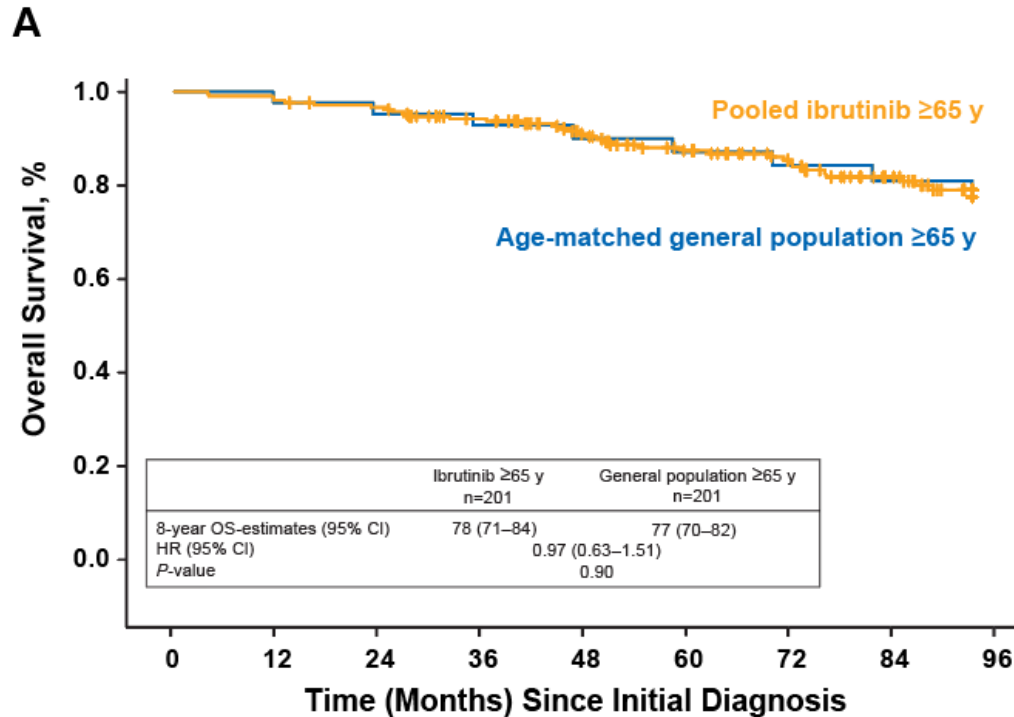
	0	12	24	36	48	60	72	84
Arm 1 (BR)	183	139	114	87	63	20	1	0
Arm 2 (I)	182	158	142	131	114	52	4	0
Arm 3 (IR)	182	156	142	130	117	44	2	0



Woyach. ASH 2021.

Initiating 1L Ibrutinib in Patients with CLL Improves Overall Survival Outcomes to Rates Approximating an Age-Matched Population of ≥ 65

Similar OS for Pooled Ibrutinib-Treated Patients ≥ 65 years^a and (A) All Pooled Ibrutinib-Treated Patients^b, (B) Age-Matched General US Population



Patients at risk

	0	12	24	36	48	60	72	84	96
Pooled ibrutinib ≥ 65 y	201	199	192	177	157	135	118	96	71
Age-matched general population ≥ 65 y	201	201	196	191	186	180	174	168	161

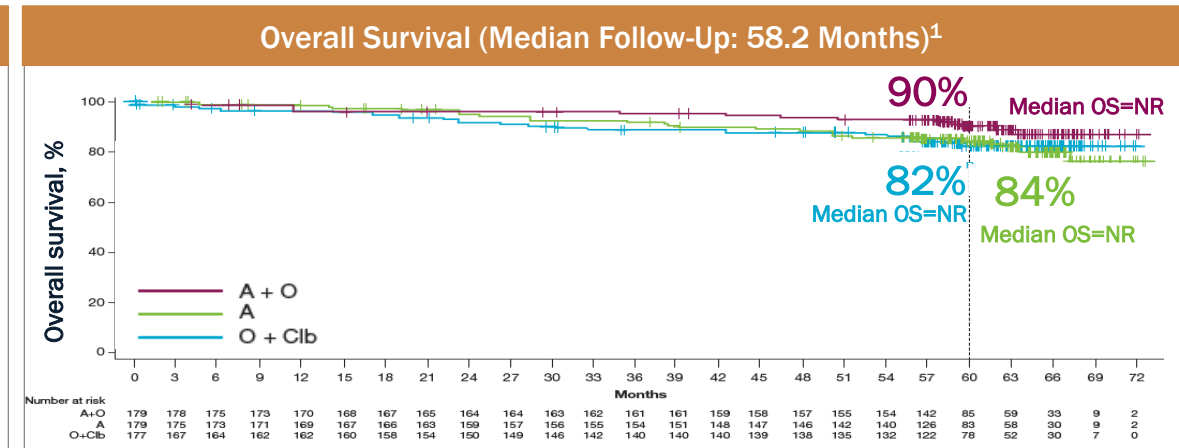
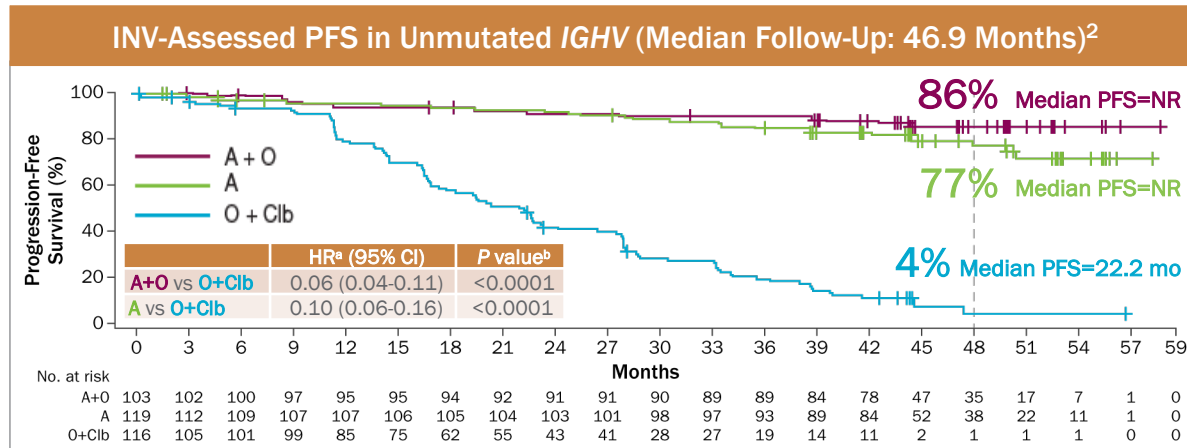
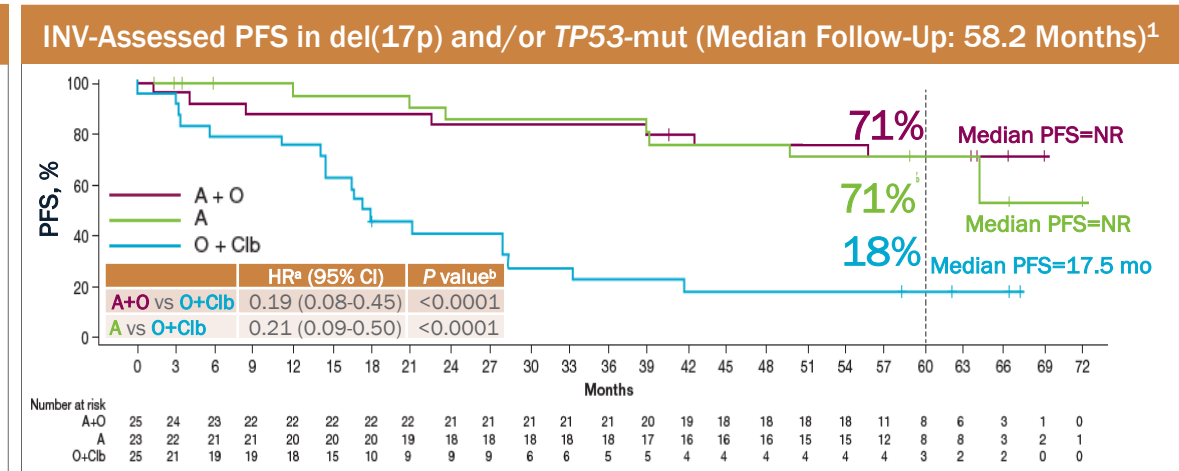
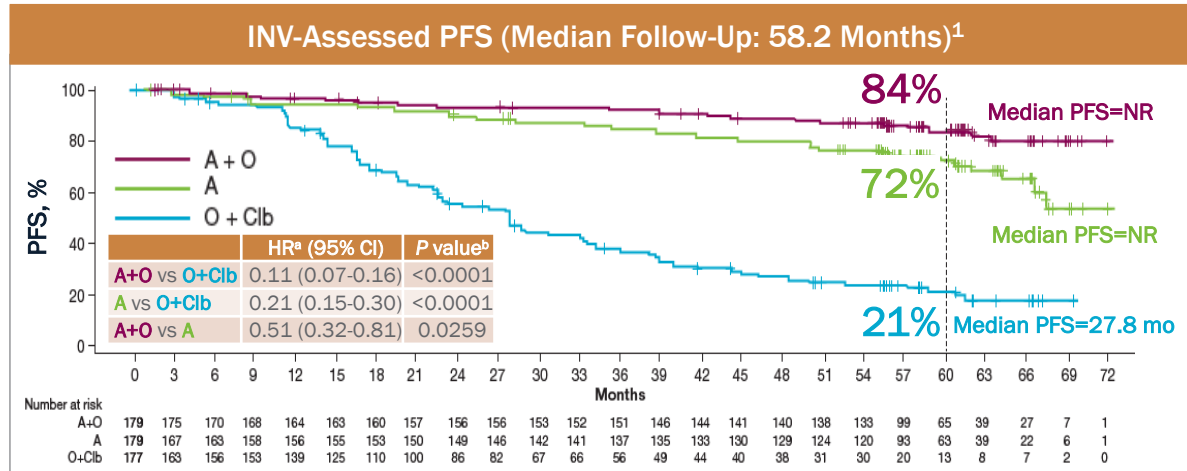
Patients at risk

	0	12	24	36	48	60	72	84	96	108	120	132	144
Pooled ibrutinib	603	598	586	519	436	356	291	234	183	136	111	84	63
Age-matched general population	603	603	596	588	579	570	561	551	540	529	518	506	493

^aData after 96 months is not represented in the KM curve; ^bData after 144 months is not represented in the KM curve

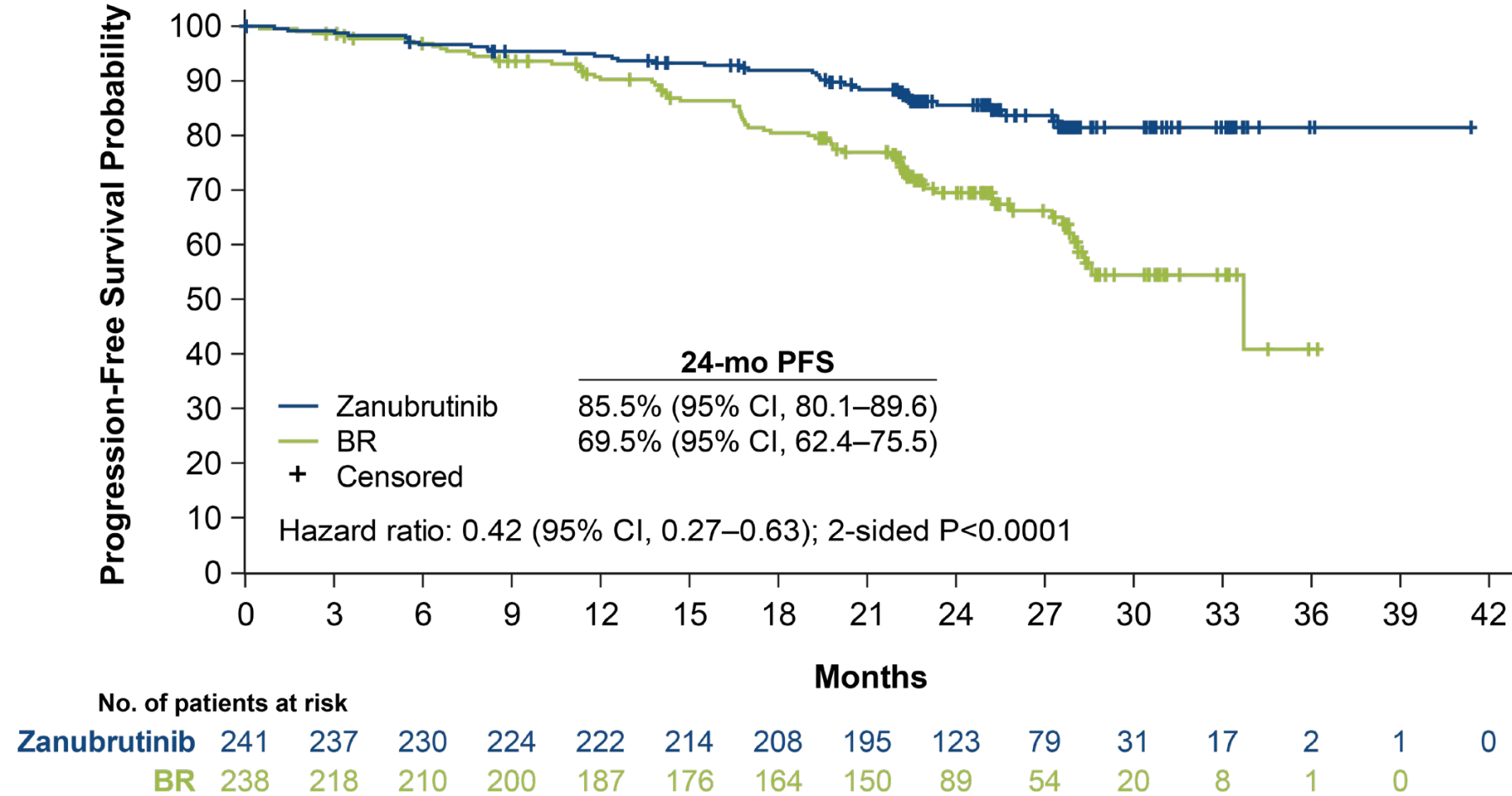
Paolo Ghia et al.,
Presented at ASH 2022; No. #1809

5-Year Follow-Up of ELEVATE-TN: Acalabrutinib ± Obinutuzumab vs Obinutuzumab + Chlorambucil in TN CLL – PFS and OS^{1,2}

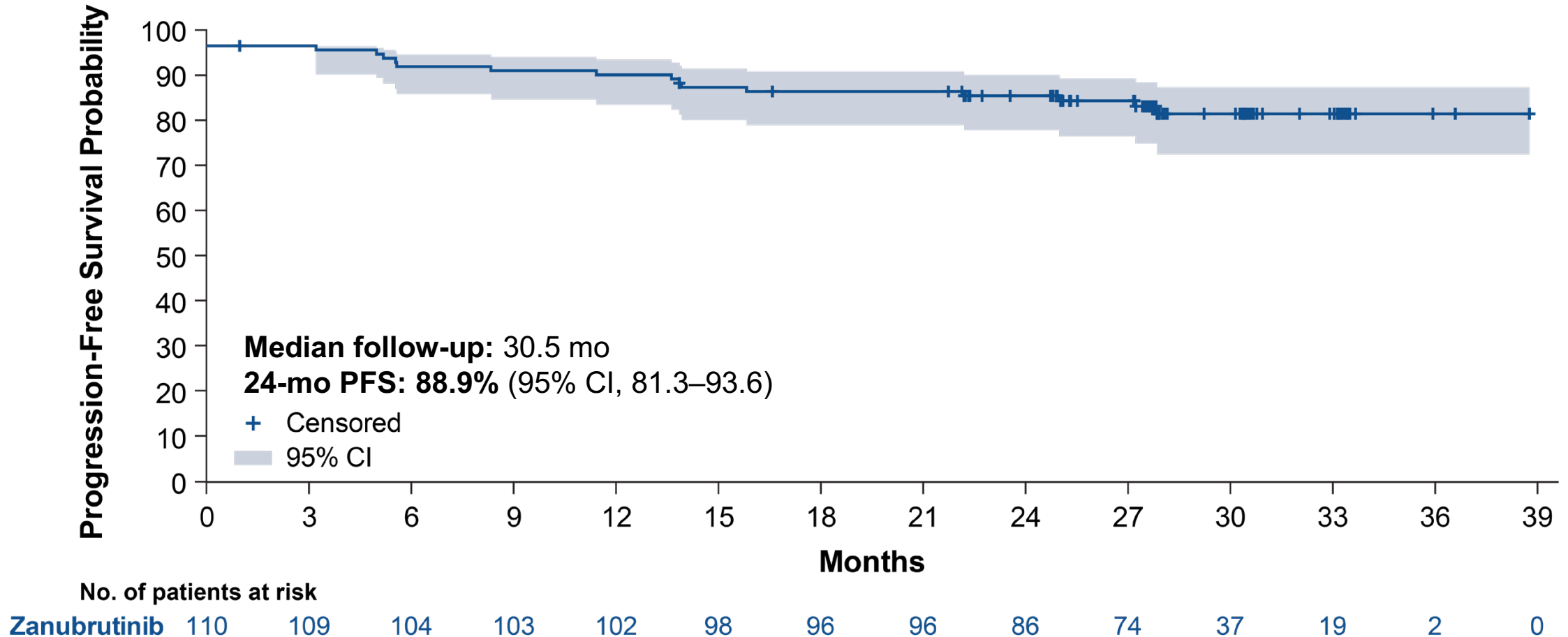


- At a median follow-up of 58.2 months (range, 0.0-72.0), OS data were immature, and medians were not reached in any treatment arm
- Relative risk for death was lower in the A+O vs O+Clb arm (HR=0.55, 95% CI: 0.30-0.99)
 - Crossover from O+Clb to A occurred after disease progression in 72 patients (41%)
- All analyses are based on descriptive statistics

SEQUOIA Cohort 1: PFS per IRC Assessment

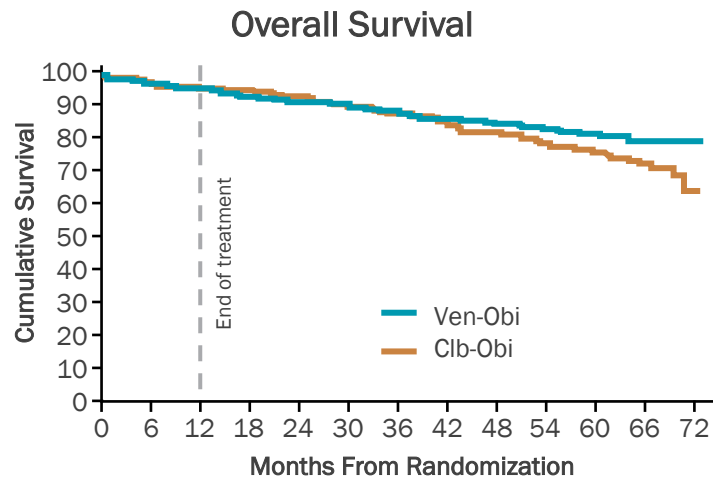
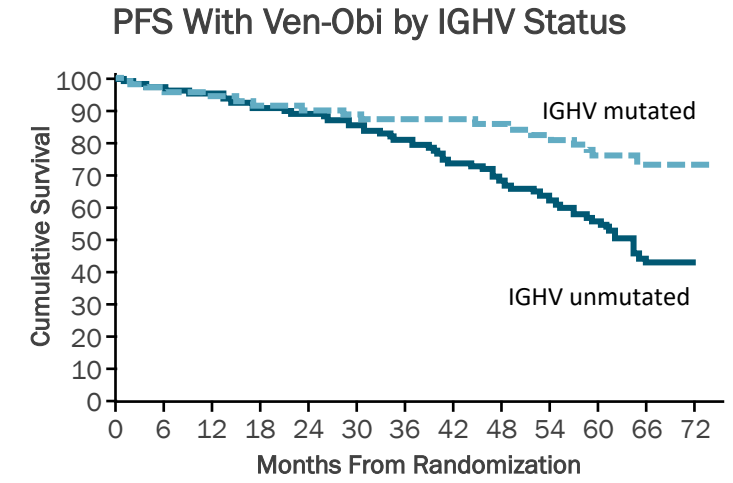
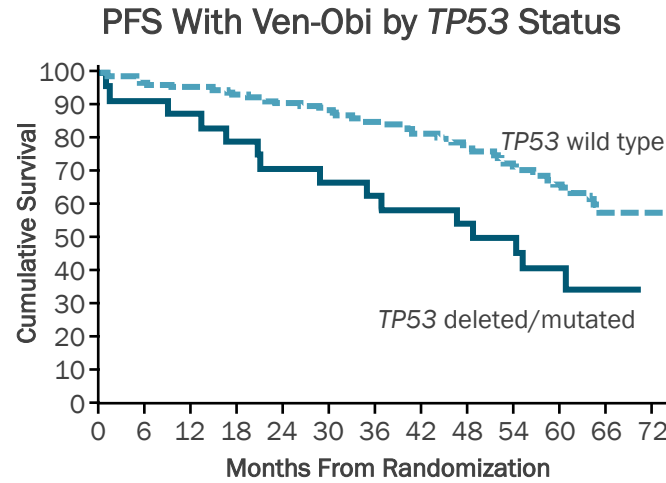
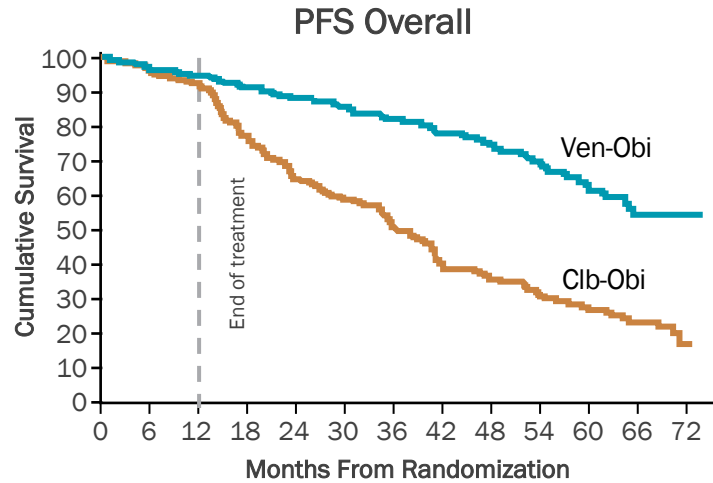


Cohort 2: PFS Per IRC Assessment in Patients With Del(17p)



CLL14: Phase 3 Study of Venetoclax-Obinutuzumab vs Chlorambucil-Obinutuzumab in Unfit Patients

5-Year Progression-Free and Overall Survival

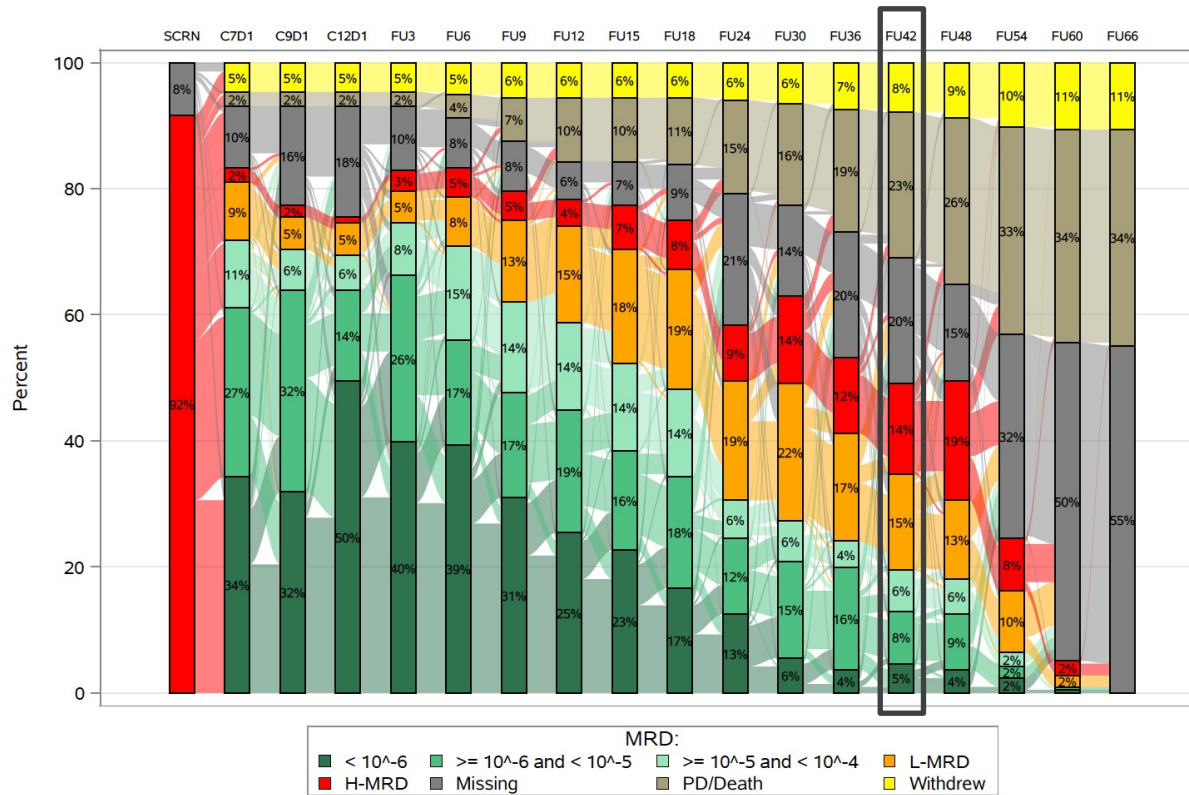


PFS by Subgroup		Ven-Obi (n=216)	Clb-Obi (n=216)
All patients	Median, months	NR	36.4
	5-year rate, %	62.6	27.0
	HR (95% CI); P value	0.35 (0.26-0.46); <0.0001	
Median PFS, months			
TP53 del/mut	No	NR (n=184)	38.9 (n=184)
	Yes	49.0 (n=25)	19.8 (n=24)
IGHV status	Mutated	NR (n=76)	59.9 (n=83)
	Unmutated	64.2 (n=121)	26.9 (n=123)

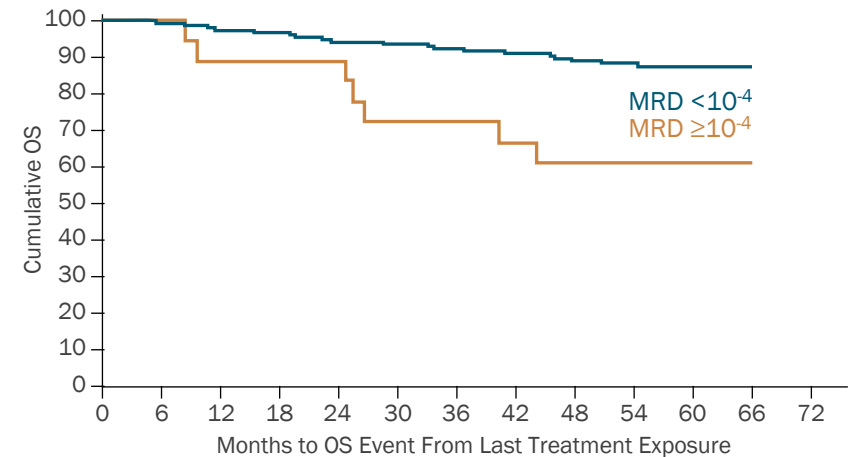
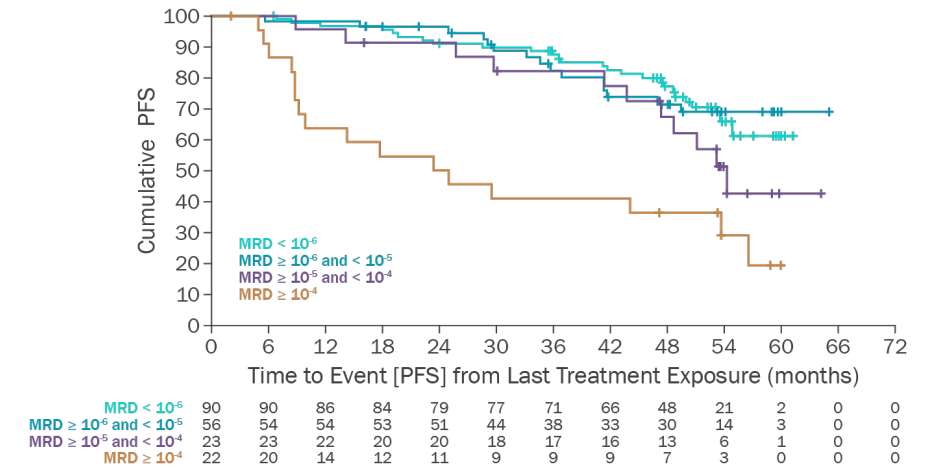
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MRD Assessments

Longitudinal MRD Assessment by NGS in PB: Ven-Obi



PFS and OS After Ven-Obi According to MRD Status



- 4 years after Ven-Obi, 39 patients (18.1%) had sustained MRD <math>< 10^{-4}</math>

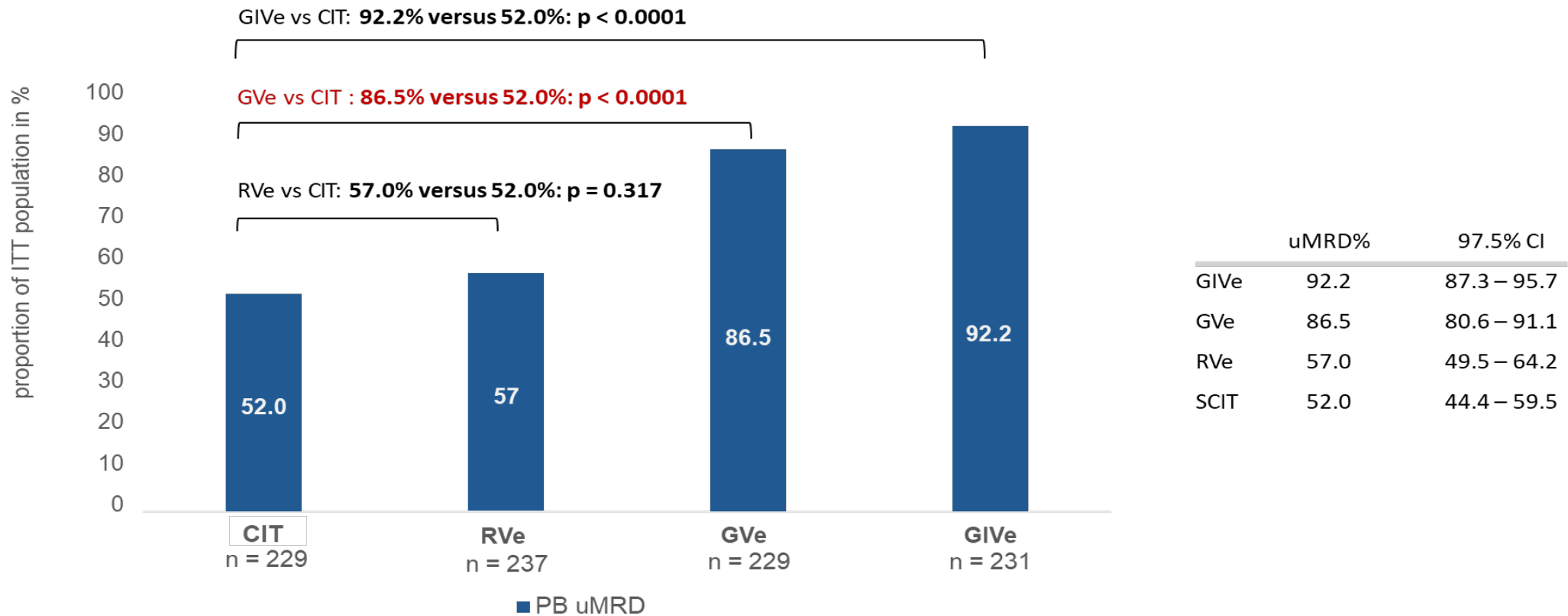
End of treatment MRD status in peripheral blood by next-generation sequencing.

Al-Sawaf O, et al. EHA 2022. Abstract S148.

GAIA (CLL13) trial

uMRD ($< 10^{-4}$) at Mo15 in PB by 4-colour-flow

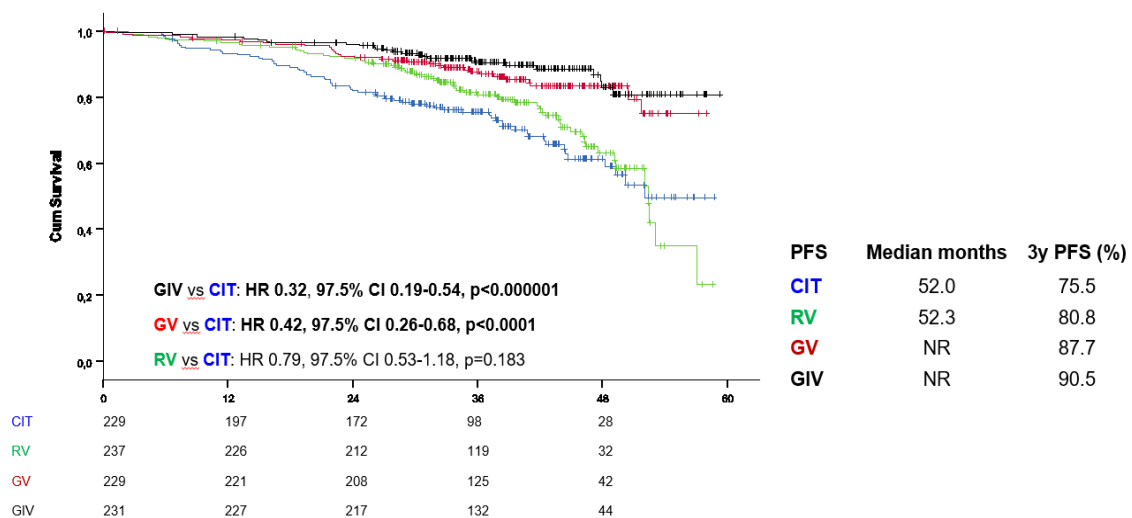
ITT analysis: 63 pts (34 CIT, 15 RVe, 10 GVe, 4 GIVe) with missing samples (6.8%) were counted as MRD positive



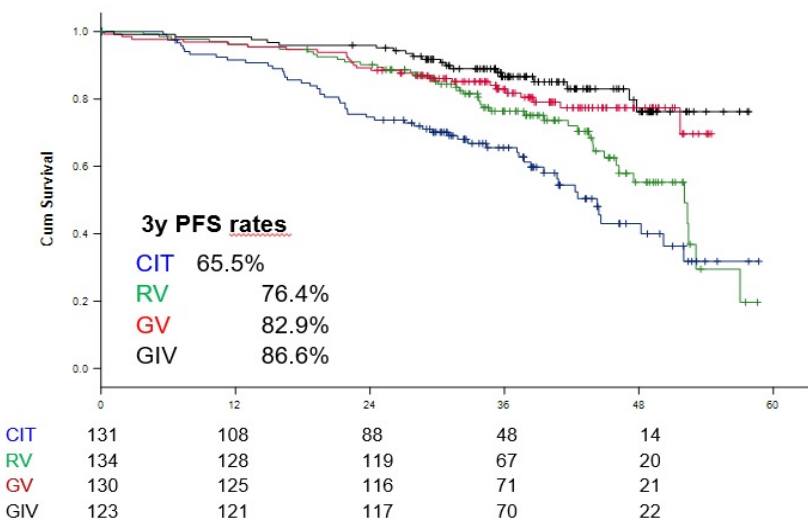
GAIA (CLL13) trial PFS and PFS by IgHV

Results of the coprimary endpoint progression-free survival (PFS)

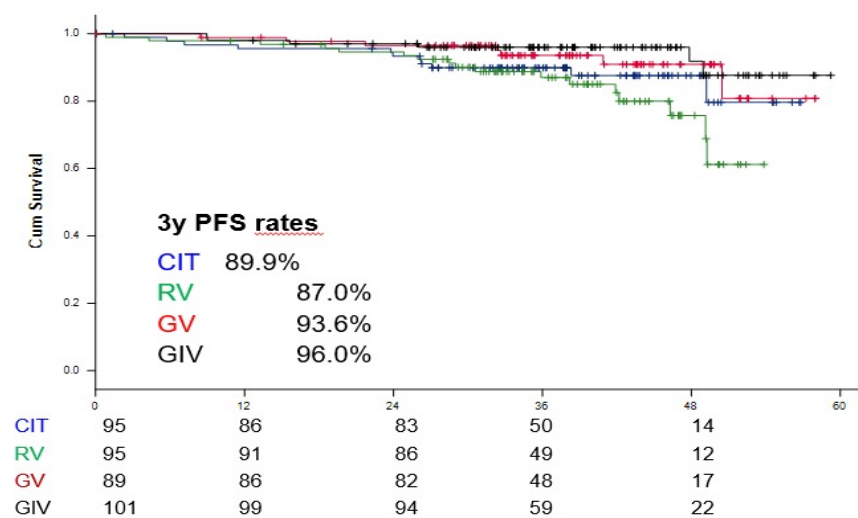
Median FU 38.8 months (range: 0.0 – 59.2)



Unmutated IGHV

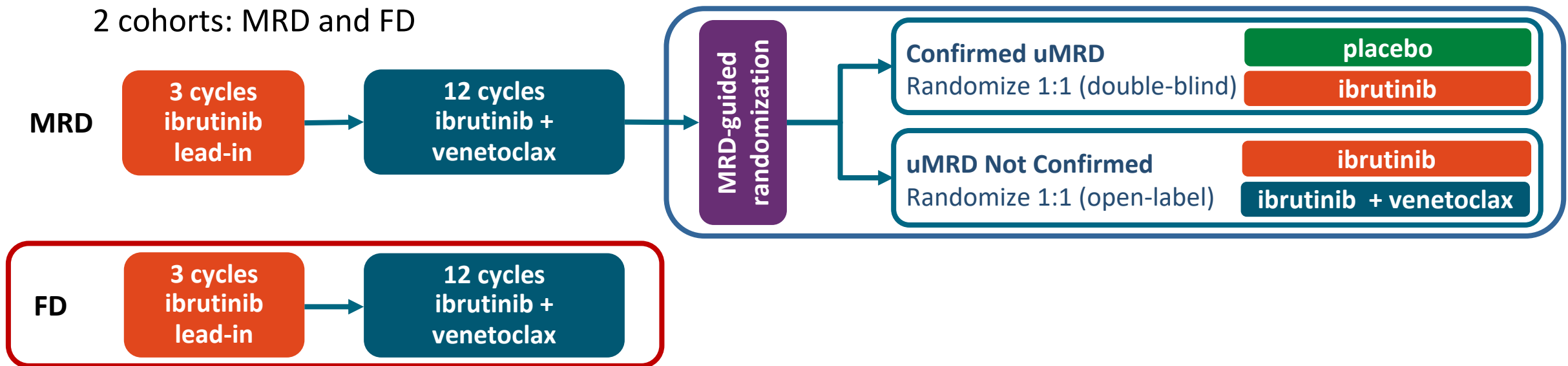


Mutated IGHV



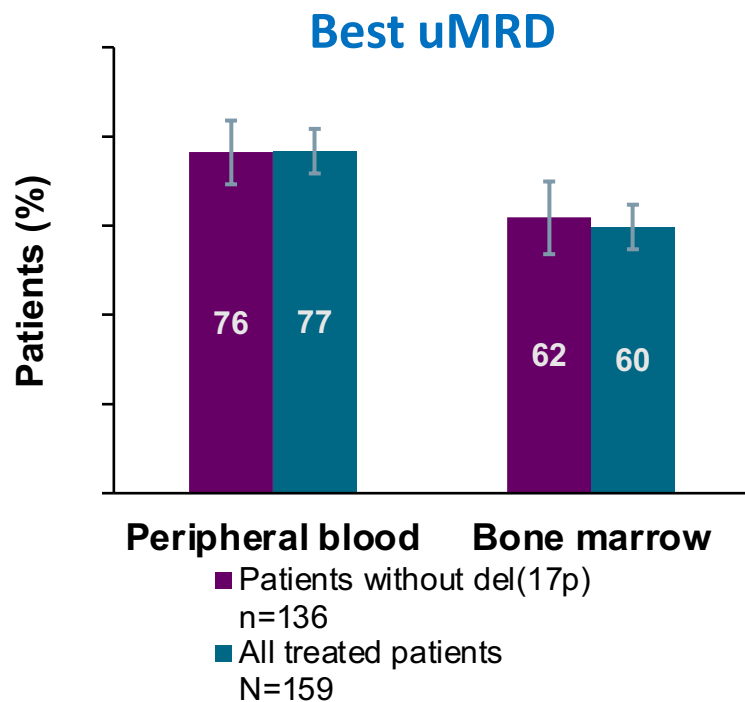
Phase 2 CAPTIVATE Study

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



- Results from the MRD cohort demonstrated uMRD in more than two-thirds of patients treated with 12 cycles of ibrutinib + venetoclox (PB, 75%; BM, 68%), and 30-month PFS rates of $\geq 95\%$ irrespective of subsequent MRD-guided randomized treatment¹

CAPTIVATE Fixed-Dose Cohort: MRD

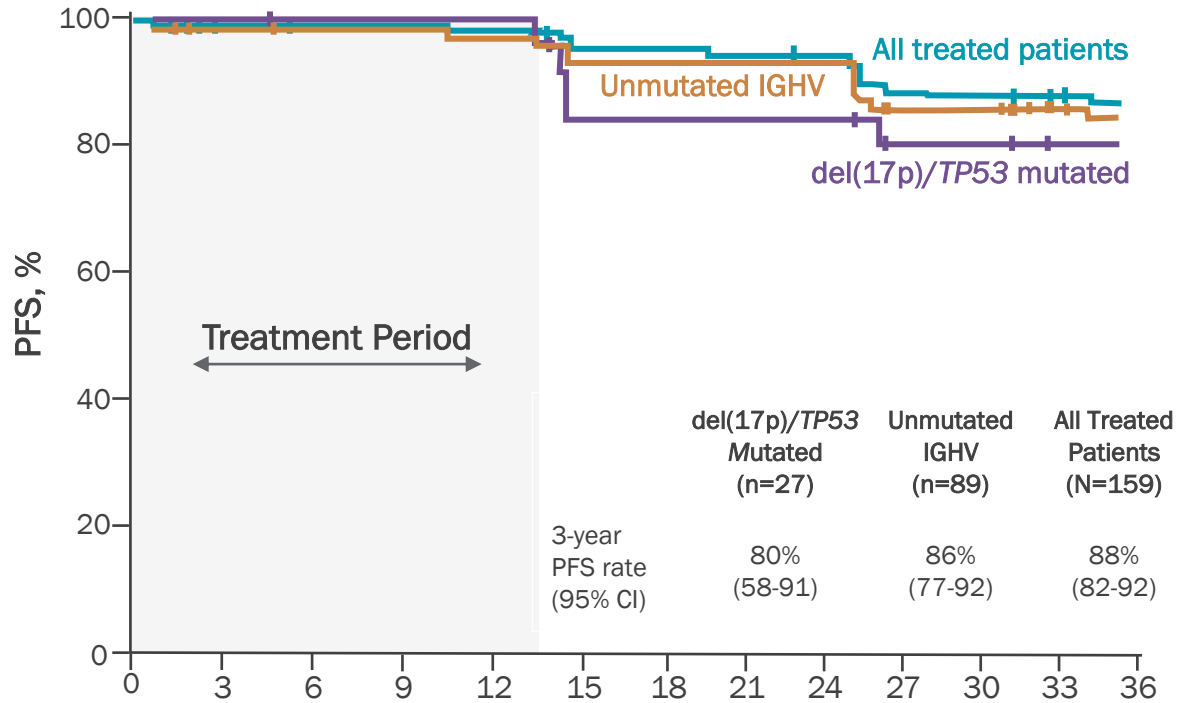


uMRD rate	PB	BM
Bulky Disease		
Yes	77%	63%
No	77%	59%
IGHV status		
uIGHV	84%	64%
mIGHV	67%	53%

CAPTIVATE FD Cohort: Phase 2 Study of Ibrutinib-Venetoclax

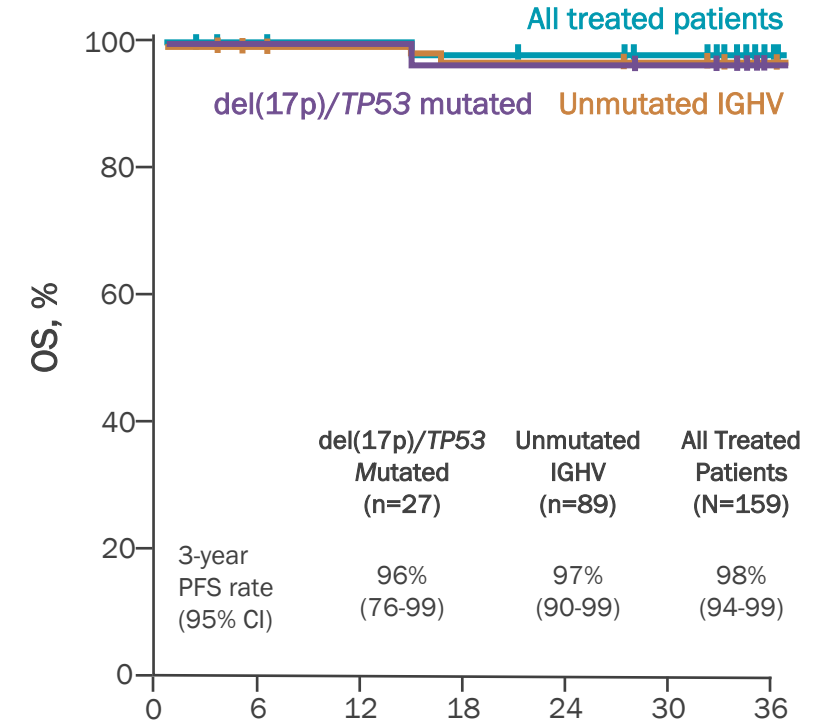
Progression-Free and Overall Survival^{1,2}

Progression-Free Survival^a



Pts at Risk, n	Months												
	0	3	6	9	12	15	18	21	24	27	30	33	36
All treated	159	155	153	152	152	151	144	144	143	142	131	130	117
Unmut IGHV	89	86	85	85	85	84	79	79	79	79	72	72	63
del(17p)/TP53 mut	27	27	26	26	26	26	21	21	21	21	18	18	15

Overall Survival^a

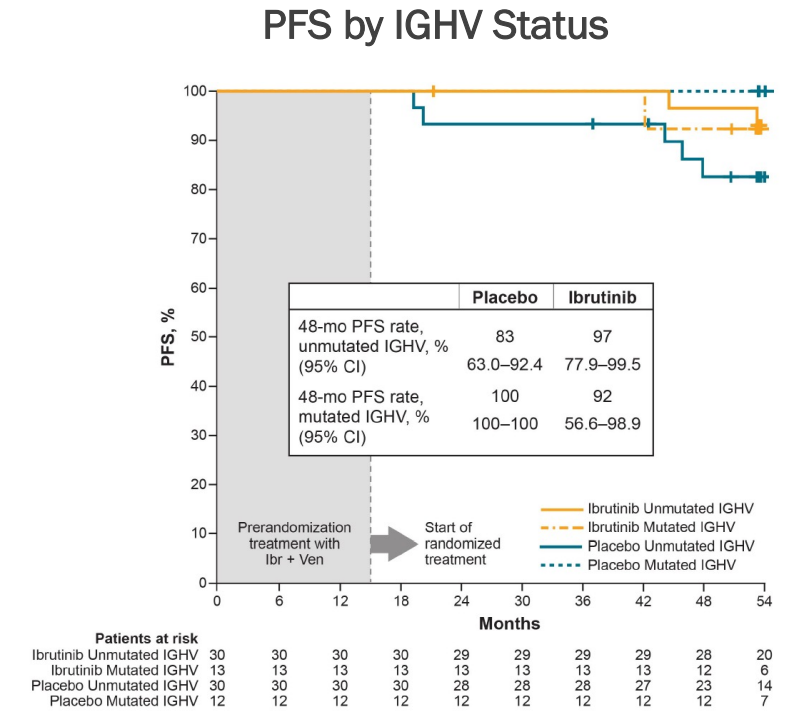
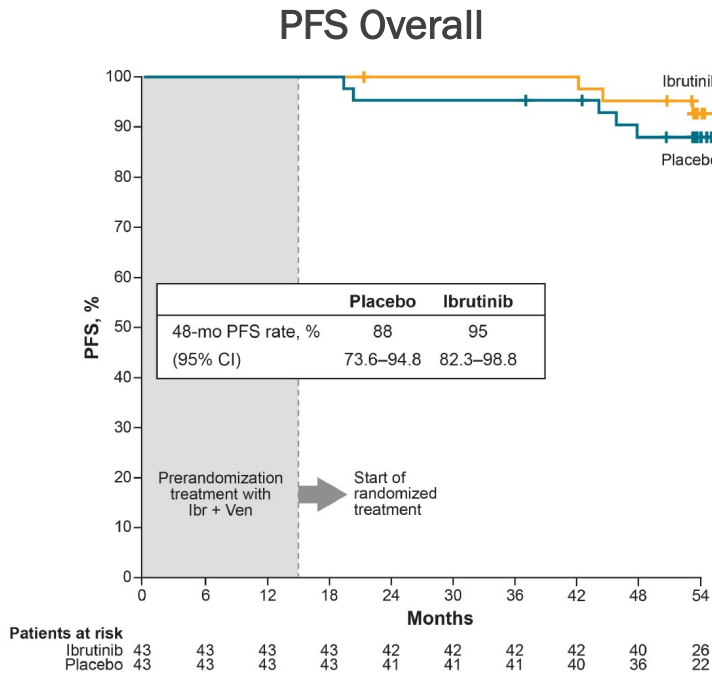
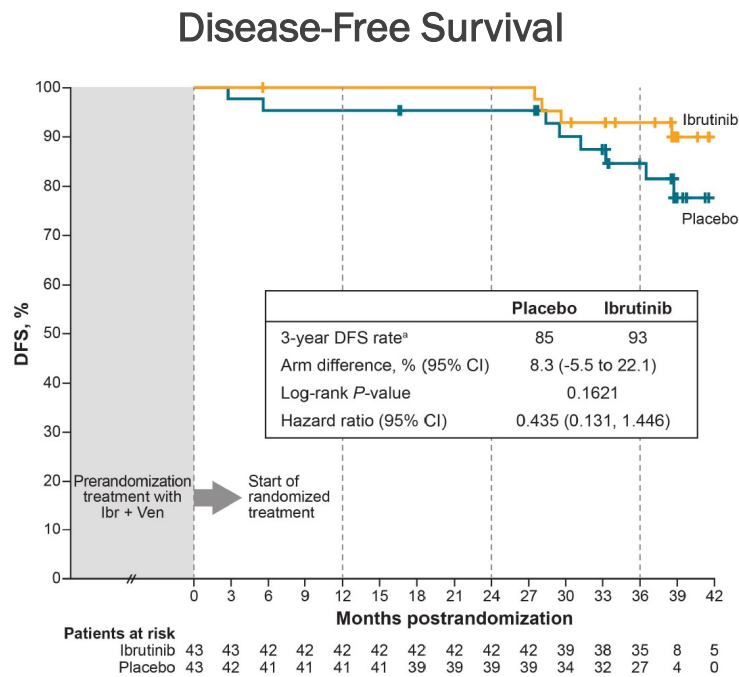


Pts at Risk, n	Months												
	0	6	12	18	24	30	36						
All treated	159	155	154	151	150	148	139						
Unmut IGHV	89	86	85	84	84	82	75						
del(17p)/TP53 mut	27	26	26	25	25	24	20						

^a Due to rapid enrollment in the study, the number of patients at risk drops substantially between 36 and 39 months. The Kaplan-Meier curves have therefore been truncated at 38 months due to instability of the curves.
 1. Moreno C, et al. EHA 2022. Abstract P669. 2. Weirda WG, et al. ASCO 2022. Abstract 7519.

CAPTIVATE MRD Cohort: Phase 2 Study of Ibrutinib-Venetoclax

Disease-Free and Progression-Free Survival



- Median time on study (patients with confirmed uMRD): 56 months
- Median follow-up postrandomization: 41.2 months in placebo arm; 41.5 months in ibrutinib arm
- 4-year overall survival rate: 100% in placebo arm; 98% in ibrutinib arm

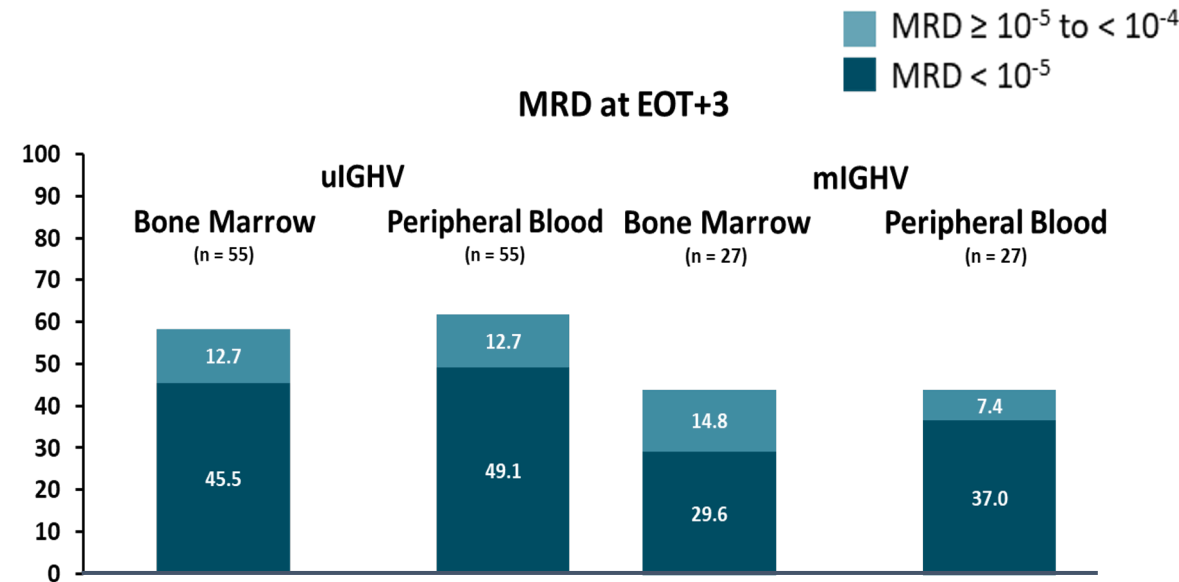
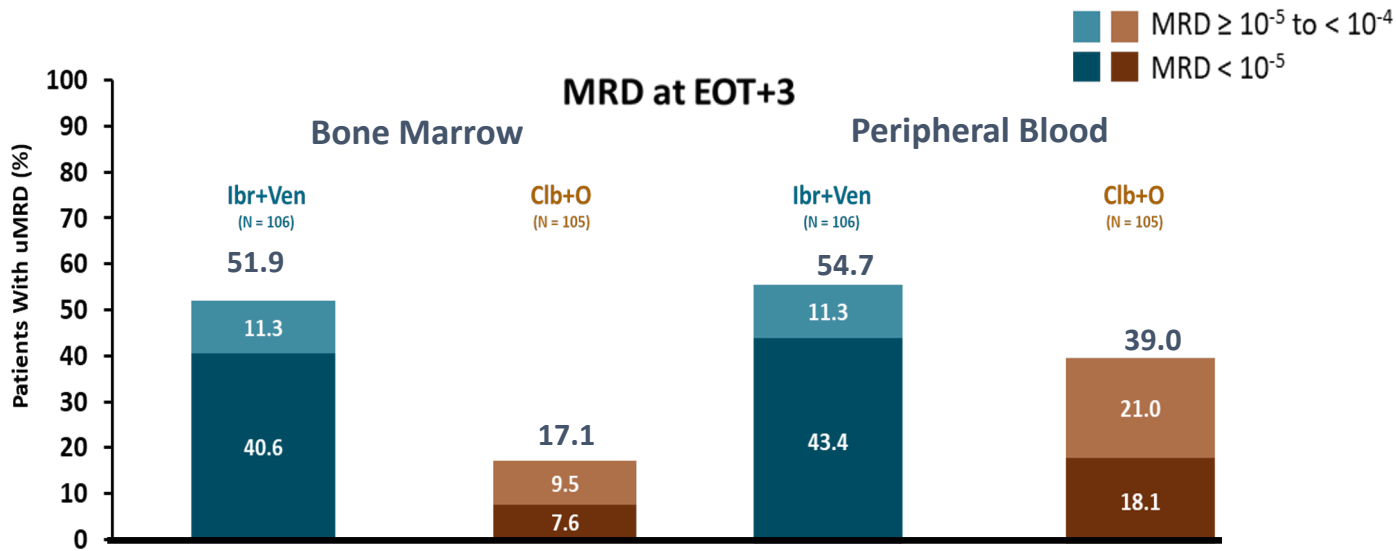
Retreatment Data From CAPTIVATE: 3-yr Update

Patient	Baseline High-Risk Features ^a				Response to FD Ibr + Ven ^a		Response to Retreatment with Ibr as of April 2022
	del(17p)	TP53 mutated	uIGHV	Complex karotype	PFS (months)	Best response	
1	No	No	Yes	No	36.5	CR	PR
2	No	No	Yes	Yes	27.6	CR	PR
3	Yes	No	No	No	28.5	CRi	PR
4	No	No	No	Yes	30.4	PR	PR
5	No	No	No	No	27.4	PR	PR
6	No	No	No	Yes	22.0	PR	PR
7	No	No	Yes	Yes	38.6	CR	PR-L
8	No	No	Yes	Yes	38.6	PR	PR
9	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	16.6	PR	PR
10	No	No	Yes	No	39.6	PR	SD
11	No	No	Yes	Unknown	38.6	CR	PR
12	No	No	Yes	Yes	38.6	CR	Unavailable

^aData per 04 Aug 2021 data cut.

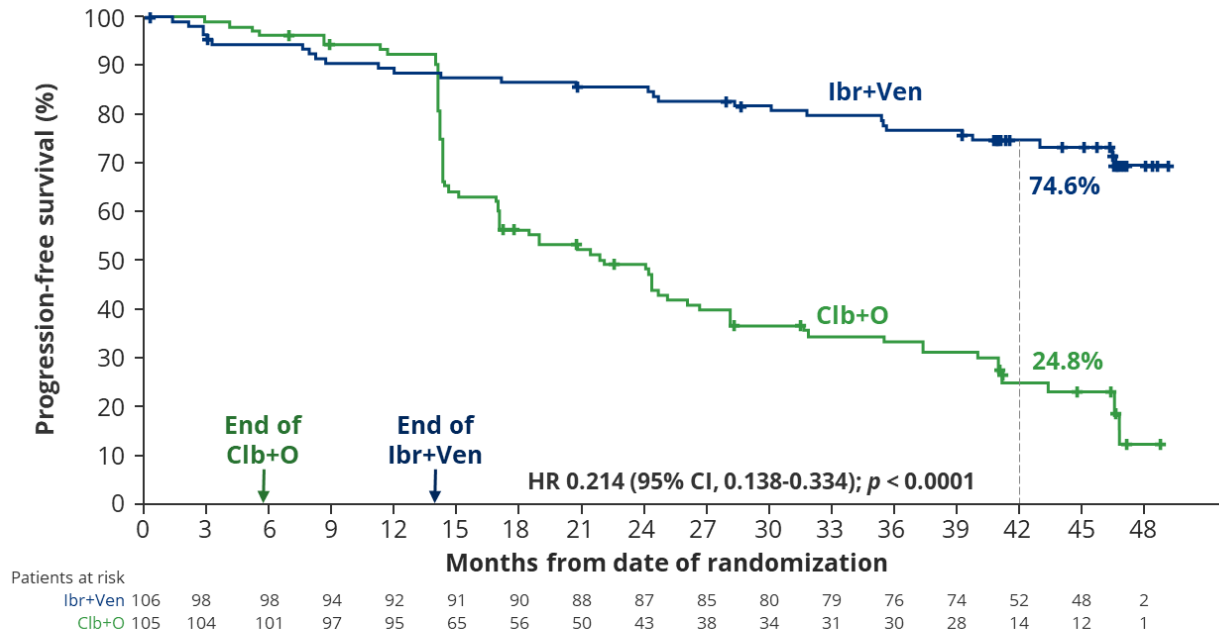
- As of April 2022, 12 patients with PD after FD ibrutinib + venetoclax were retreated with ibrutinib monotherapy
 - Best response to FD ibrutinib + venetoclax ranged from PR to CR
 - Duration of single-agent ibrutinib retreatment ranged from 6 to 32 mo
 - 11 of 12 patients were evaluable for response
 - PR (n = 9);
 - PR-L (n = 1);
 - SD (n = 1)

GLOW: MRD at EOT+3 by IgHV status



GLOW: I+V vs Clb+O in Elderly or Unfit 1L CLL: 4-year Update

Progression-Free Survival (IRC)

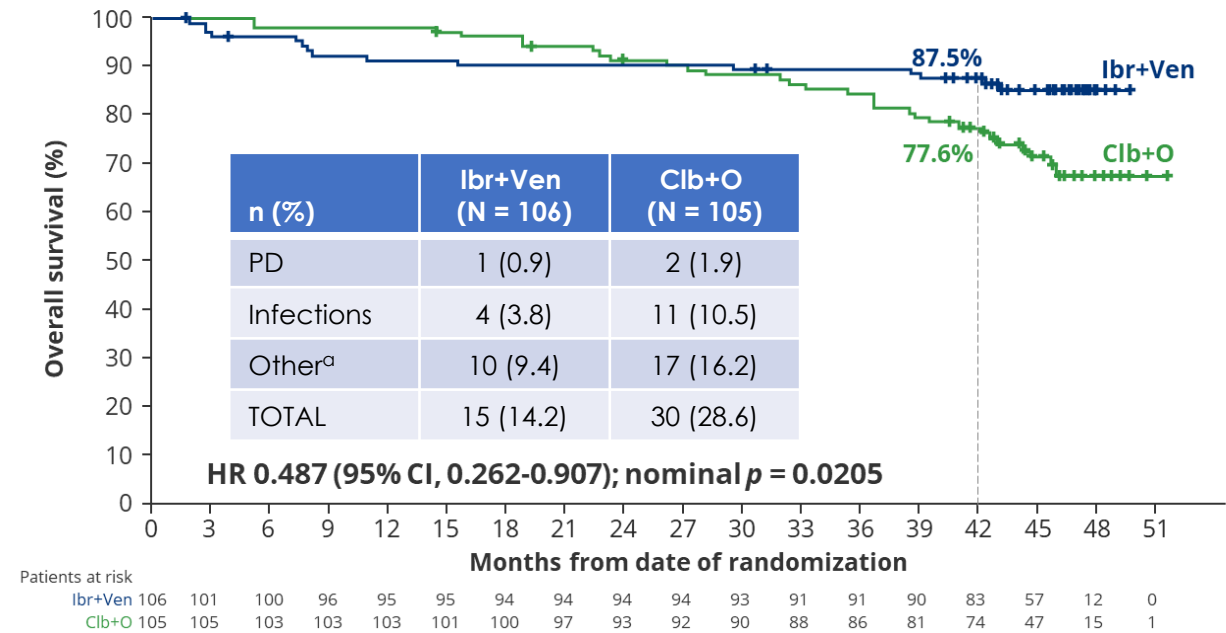


Median study follow-up: 46 months

Progression free survival:

- Ibr + Ven reduced risk of progression or death by 79%
- Estimated 3.5 year PFS:
74.6% for Ibr+Ven
24.8% for Clb + O

Overall Survival (ITT)



Median study follow-up: 46 months

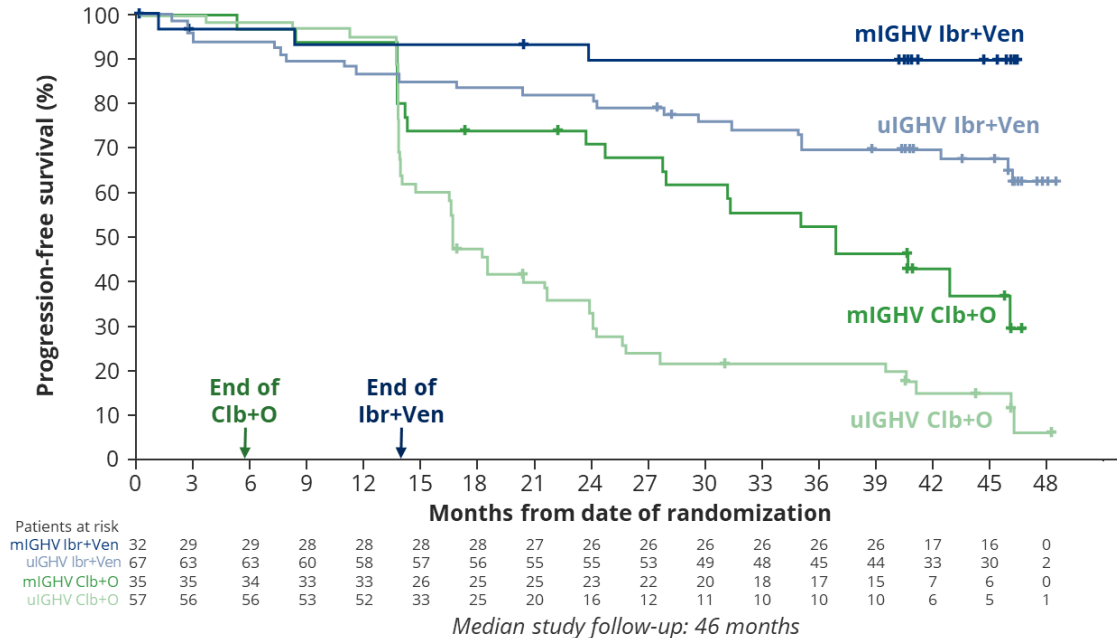
Overall Survival:

- In the Clb+O arm, 39/41 patients requiring subsequent treatment received a BTKi or venetoclax
- The majority of deaths in the Clb+O arm occurred while off any treatment
- More infection-related deaths were seen in the Clb+O arm

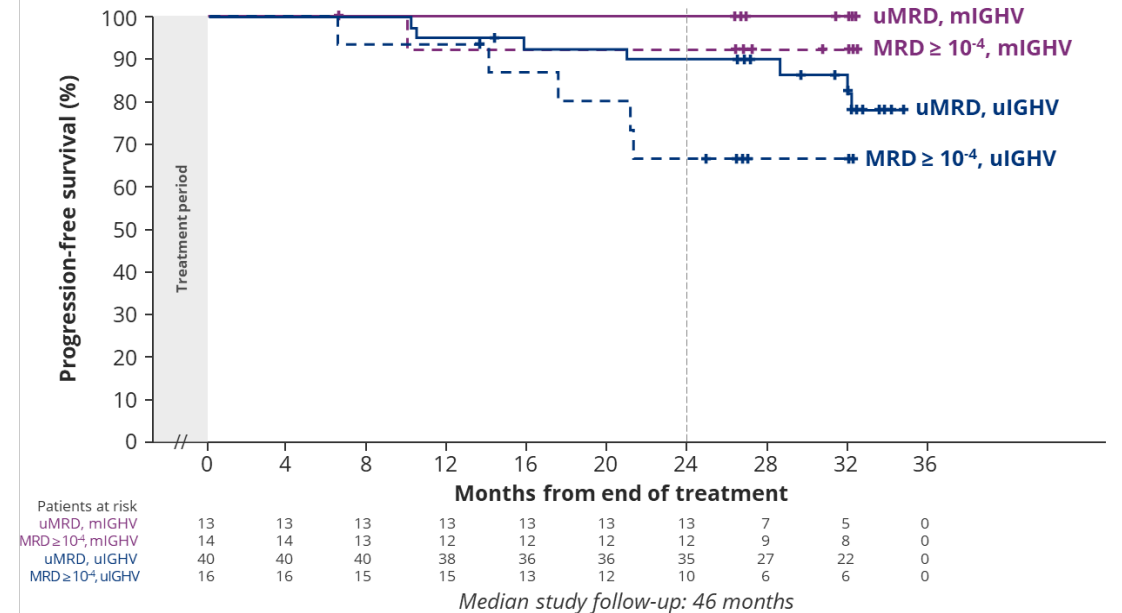
GLOW: PFS by IGHV Mutational Status/MRD

(Elderly/Unfit, 12-mo Fixed Duration)

Progression-Free Survival (IRC) by IGHV Status



Ibr+Ven Progression-Free Survival (IRC) From End of Treatment

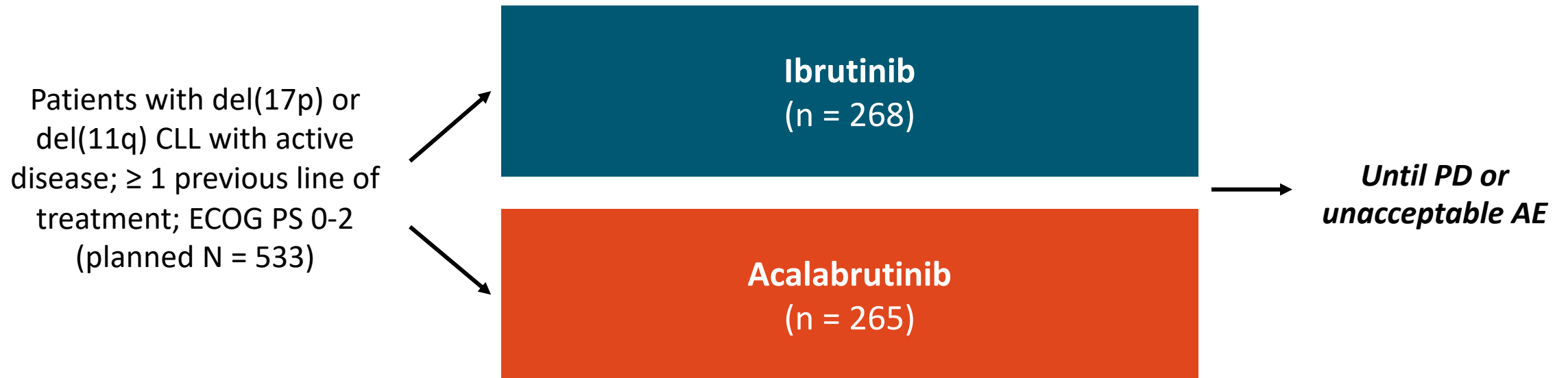


- Impact of IGHV status on PFS was more pronounced with Clb+O
- > 90% of patients in the I+V arm did not require subsequent treatment at 3.5 years:
 - 91.5% for uIGHV
 - 93.5% for mIGHV

- Estimated PFS at 2 years post-treatment for **uIGHV** CLL:
 - 90% for uMRD at EOT+3 vs 67% for MRD $\ge 10^{-4}$
- Estimated PFS at 2 years post-treatment for **mIGHV** CLL:
 - > 90% regardless of MRD status at EOT+3

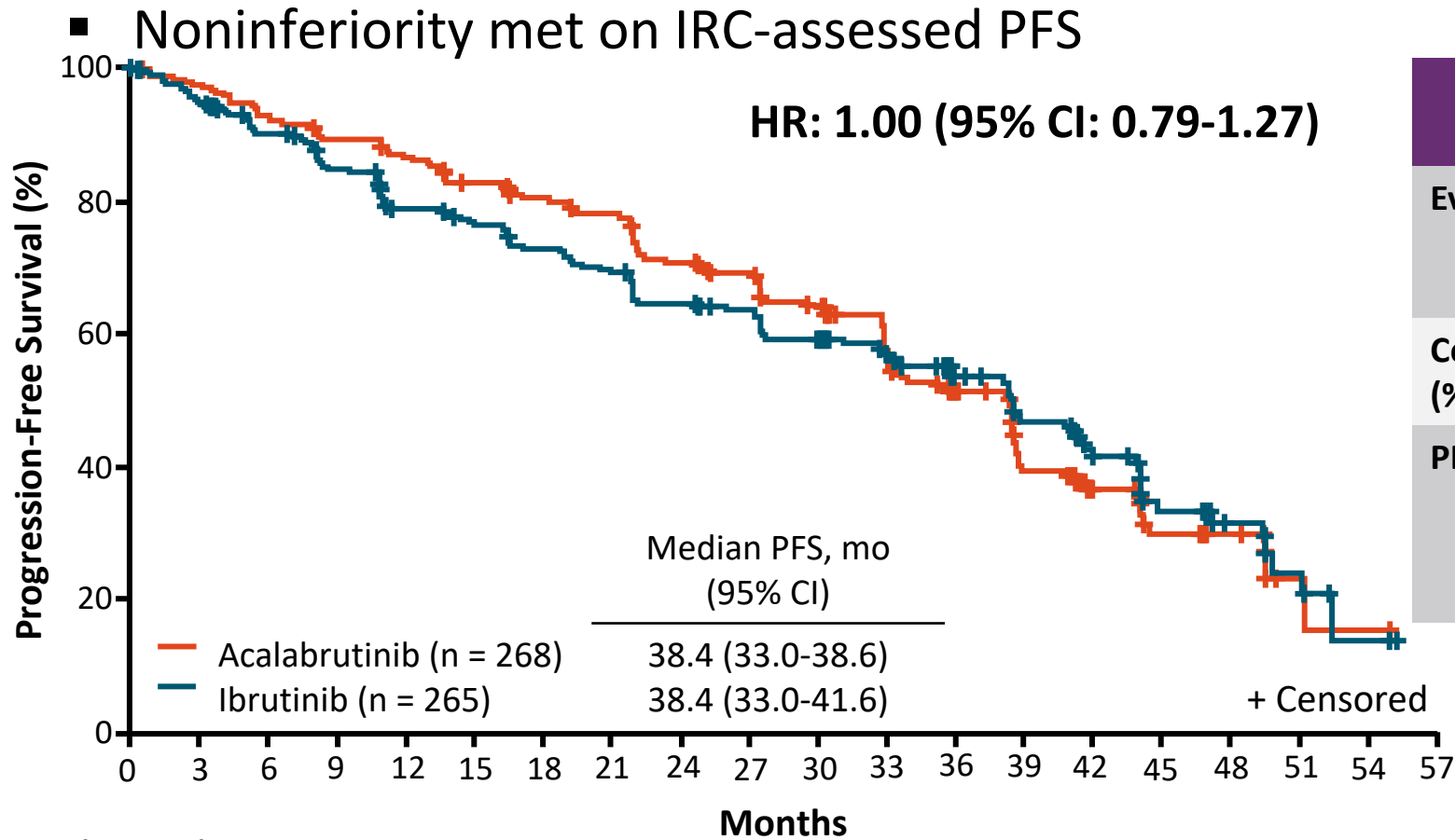
ELEVATE-RR: Ibrutinib vs Acalabrutinib in Patients With High-Risk Relapsed/Refractory CLL

- Final analysis of randomized, multicenter, open-label, noninferiority phase III trial



- Primary endpoint: PFS
- Secondary endpoints: OS; incidence of treatment-emergent AEs, atrial fibrillation; Richter's transformation; grade ≥ 3 infections
- FPI October 2015 – LPI November 2017 (25 mo)
- Final analysis: 279 IRC PFS events, data cutoff 9/2020

ELEVATE-RR: Noninferiority Met on IRC-Assessed PFS



Median follow-up: 41 months

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

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

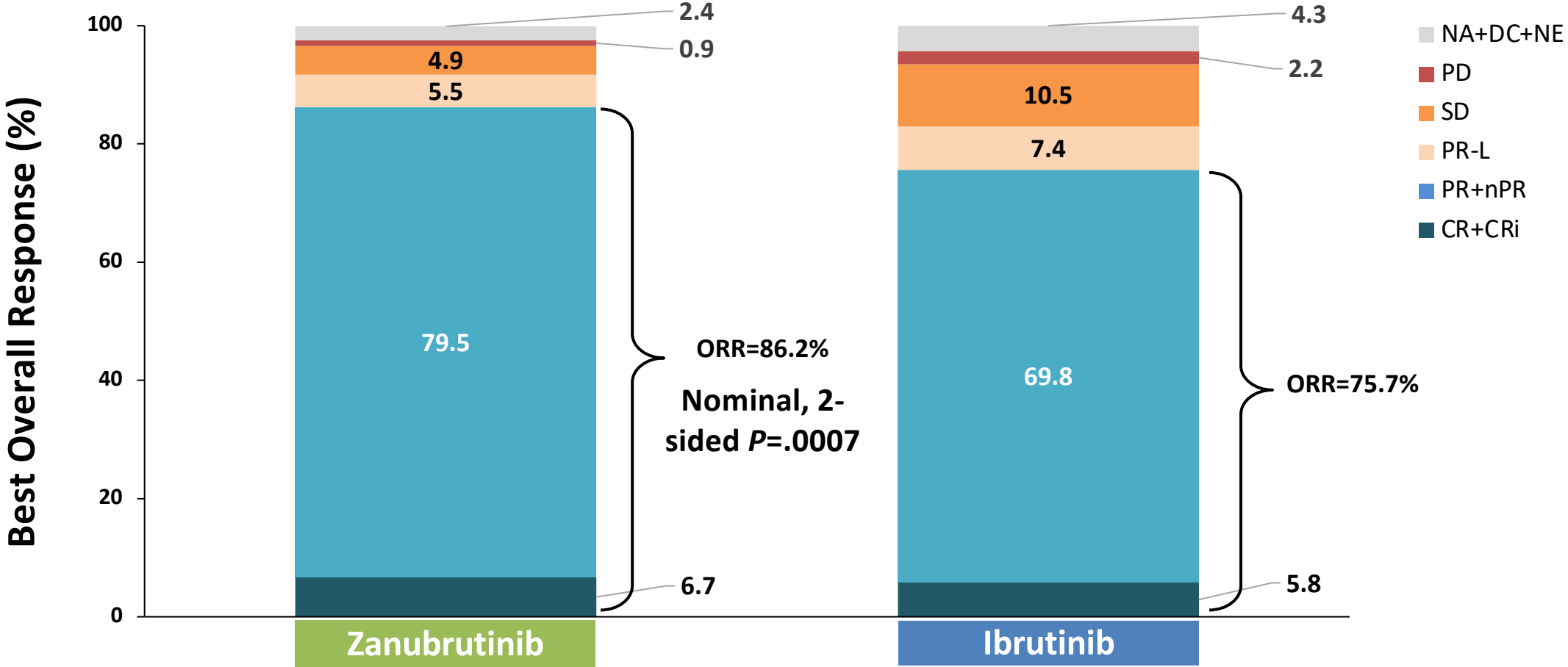
Number at Risk

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Ibrutinib	265	240	221	205	186	178	168	160	148	142	130	108	81	66	41	26	15	8	2	0

ELEVATE-RR: AEs of clinical interest

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

Zanubrutinib Showed Higher ORR Assessed by IRC

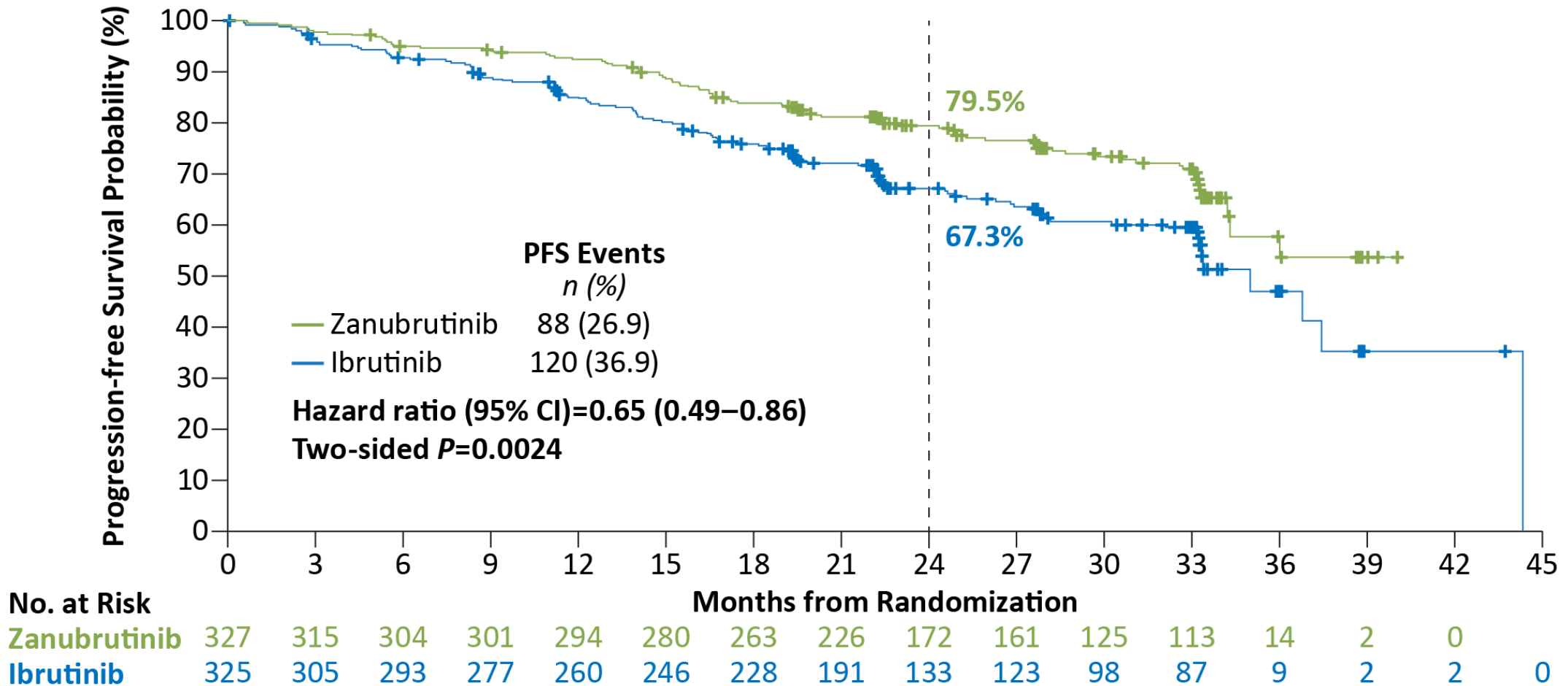


CR, complete response; CRi, complete response with incomplete bone marrow recovery; nPR, nodular partial response; PR, partial response; PR-L, partial response with lymphocytosis; SD, stable response; PD, progressive disease; NA, not assessed; DC, discontinued prior to first assessment; NE, not evaluable.

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Zanubrutinib PFS by IRC Significantly Superior to Ibrutinib

Median study follow-up of 29.6 months

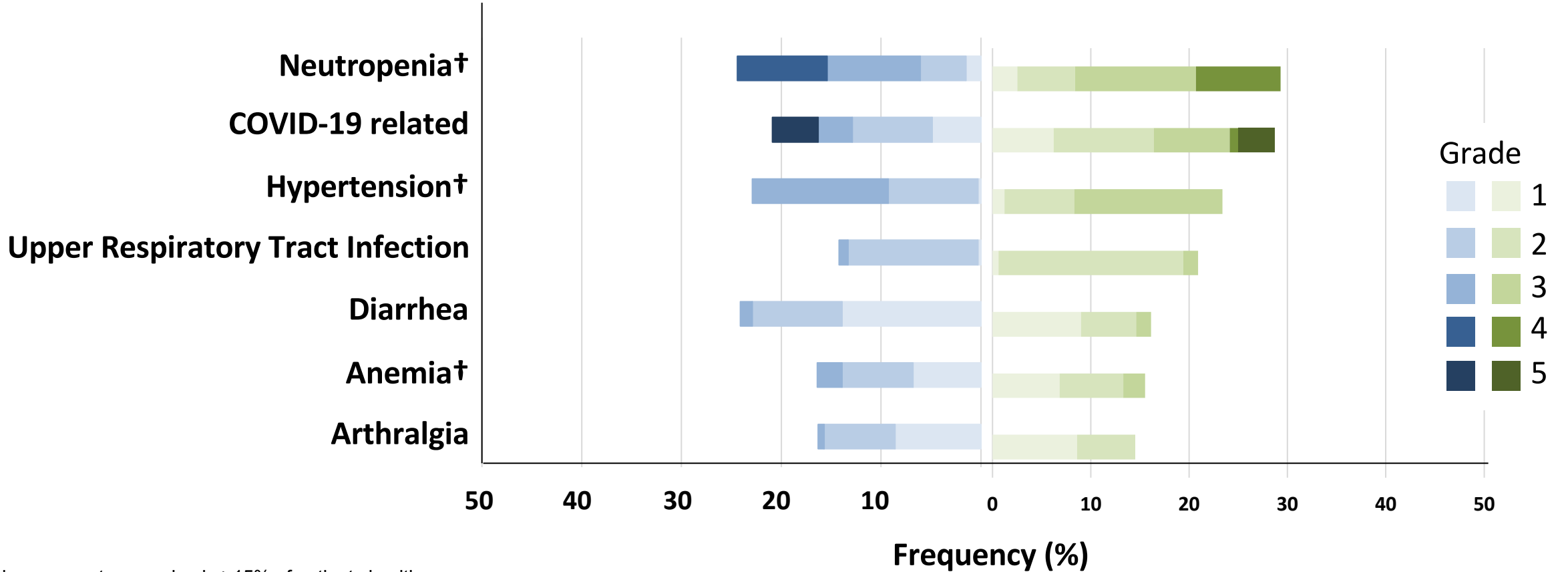


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Most Common Adverse Events*

Ibrutinib

Zanubrutinib



*Adverse events occurring in $\geq 15\%$ of patients in either arm.

†Pooled terms.

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Zanubrutinib: Cardiac Profile

Lower rate of cardiac events, serious cardiac events, treatment discontinuation, and deaths

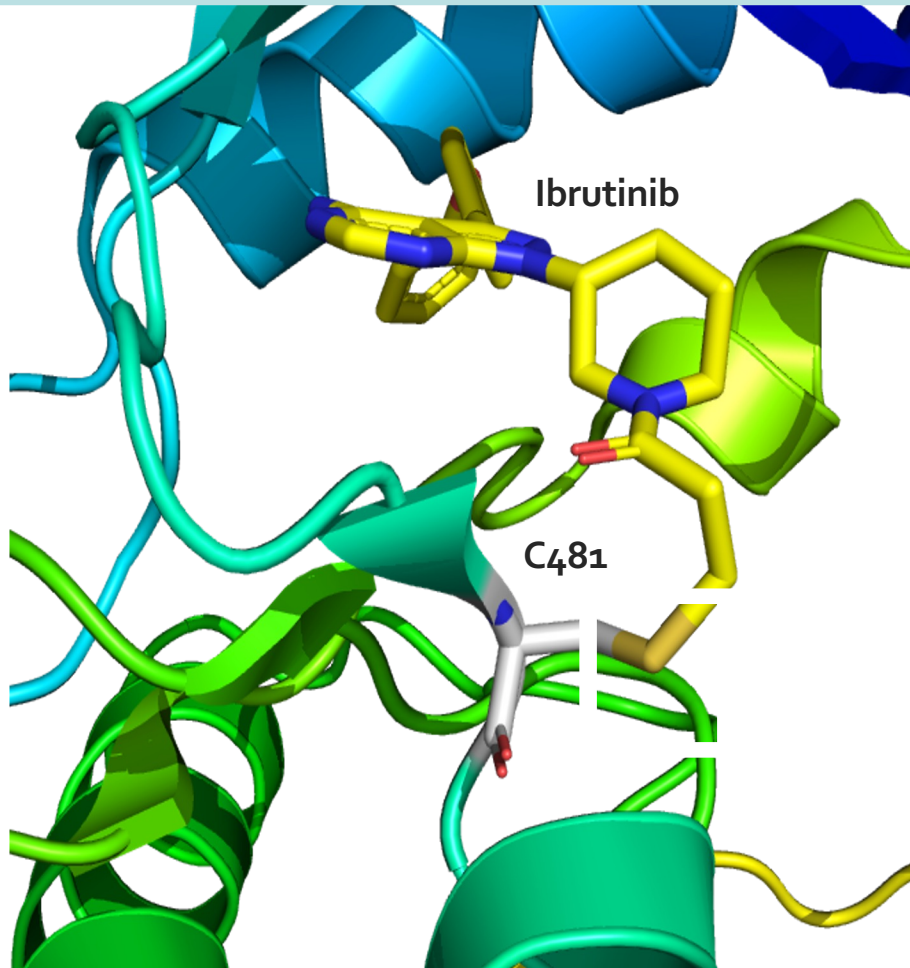
- Lower rate of serious cardiac adverse events reported with zanubrutinib
 - A fib/flutter (n=2)
 - MI/ACS (n=2)
 - CHF (n=2)
- **Fatal cardiac events:**
 - **Zanubrutinib, n=0 (0%)**
 - **Ibrutinib, n=6 (1.9%)**

	Zanubrutinib (n=324)	Ibrutinib (n=324)
Cardiac adverse events	69 (21.3%)	96 (29.6%)
Serious cardiac adverse events	6 (1.9%)	25 (7.7%)
Cardiac adverse events leading to treatment discontinuation	1 (0.3)	14 (4.3)
Ventricular extrasystoles	1 (0.3)	0
Atrial fibrillation	0	5 (1.5)
Cardiac arrest	0	2 (0.6)*
Cardiac failure	0	2 (0.6)
Cardiac failure acute	0	1 (0.3)*
Congestive cardiomyopathy	0	1 (0.3)*
Myocardial infarction	0	1 (0.3)*
Palpitations	0	1 (0.3)
Ventricular fibrillation	0	1 (0.3)

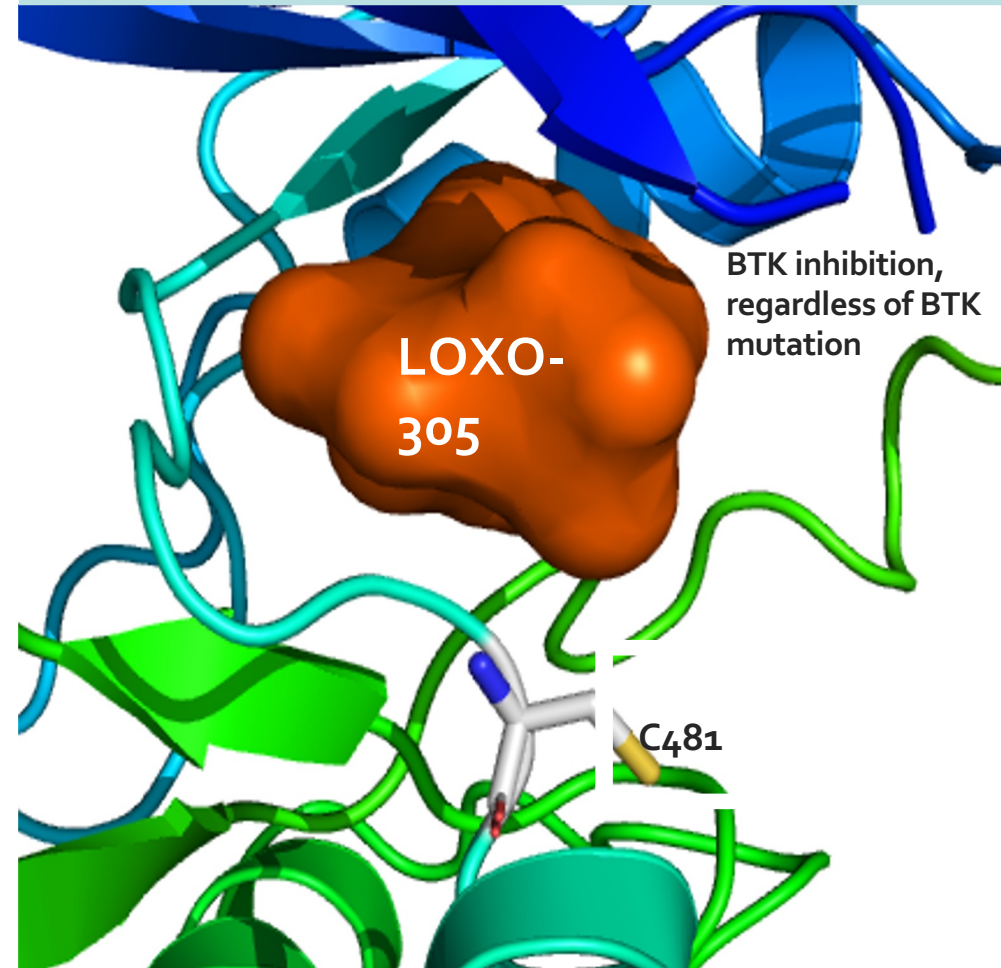
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*Cardiac deaths. One death not listed due to myocardial infarction with ibrutinib discontinuation due to diarrhea 14 days prior to the fatal event.

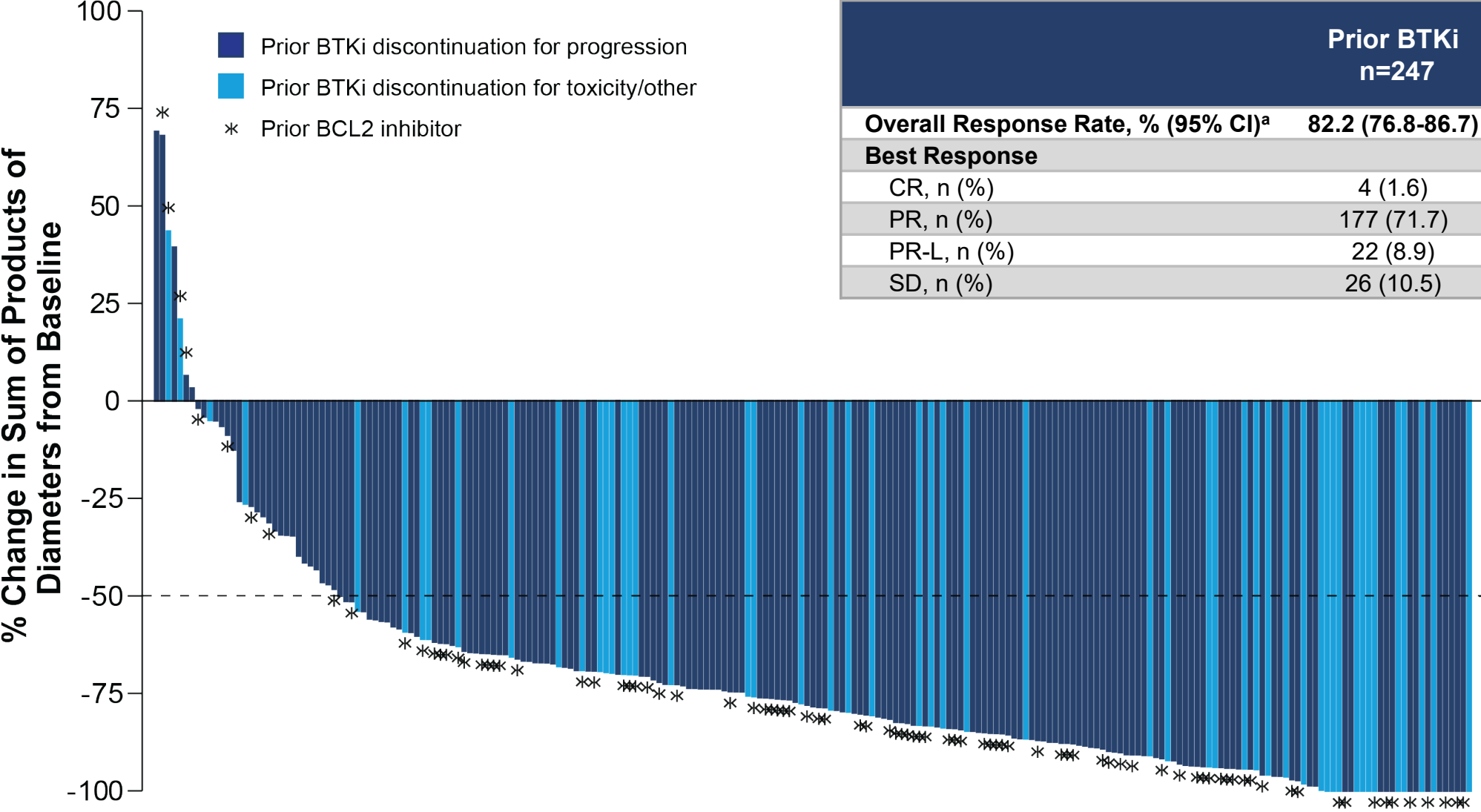
Covalent BTK inhibitors (ibrutinib, acalabrutinib, zanubrutinib) require WT BTK for activity



LOXO-305 is a non-covalent BTK inhibitor that is potent against both WT and C481-mutant BTK



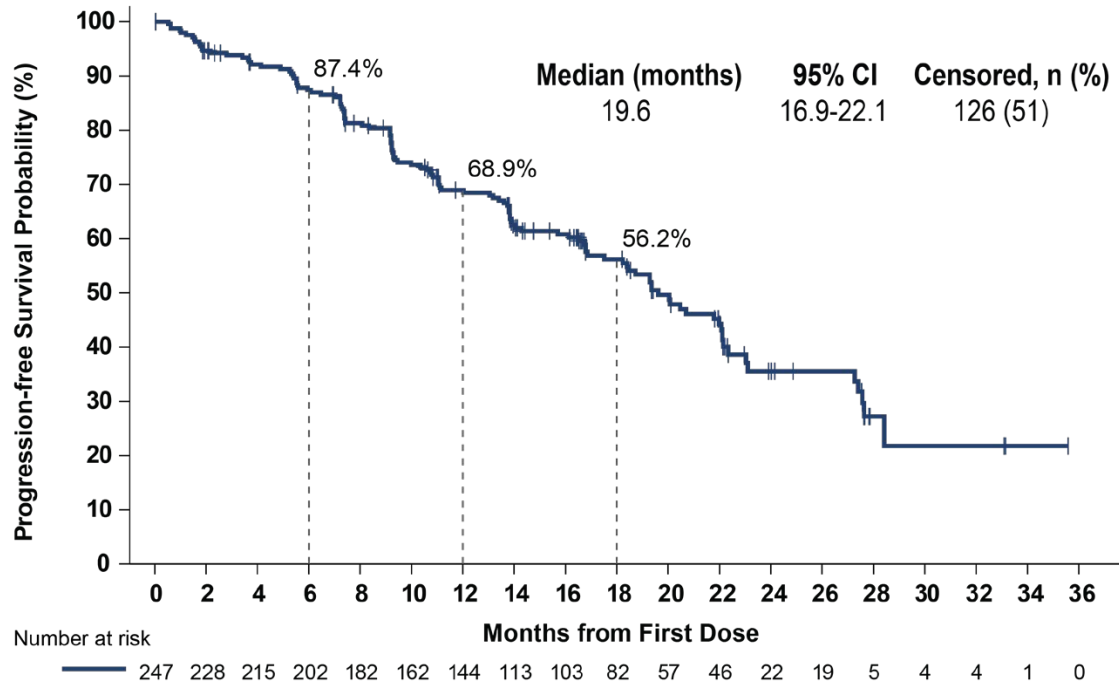
Pirtobrutinib Efficacy in CLL/SLL Patients who Received Prior BTKi Treatment



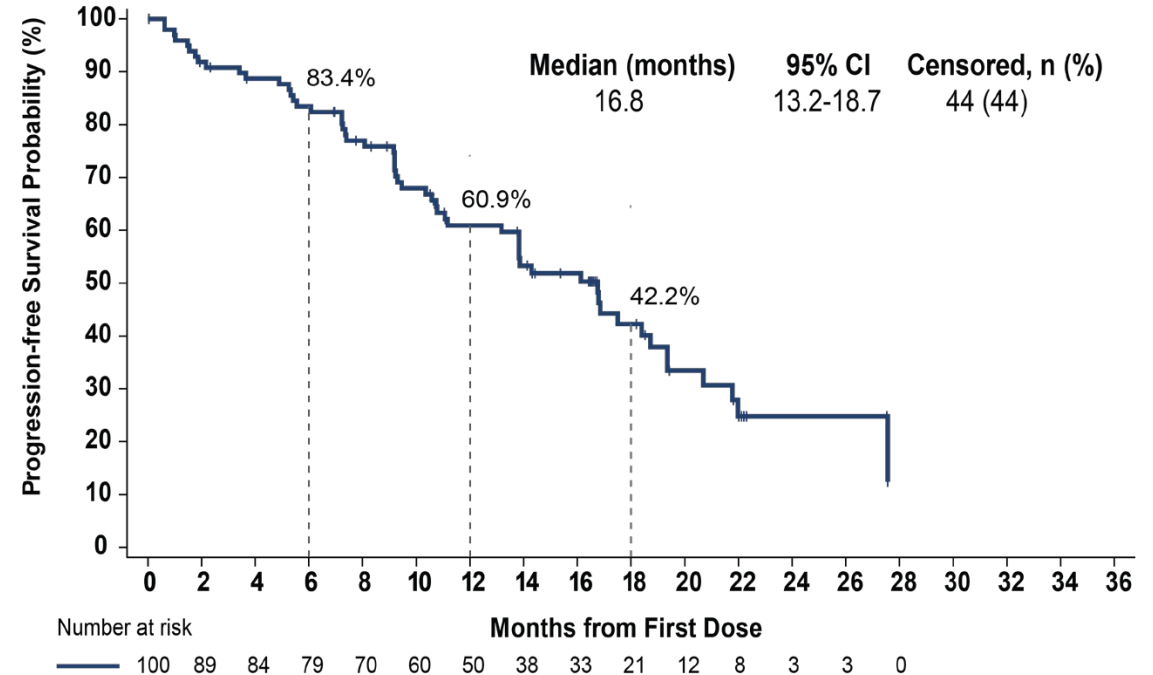
	Prior BTKi n=247	Prior BTKi+BCL2i n=100
Overall Response Rate, % (95% CI)^a	82.2 (76.8-86.7)	79.0 (69.7-86.5)
Best Response		
CR, n (%)	4 (1.6)	0 (0.0)
PR, n (%)	177 (71.7)	70 (70.0)
PR-L, n (%)	22 (8.9)	9 (9.0)
SD, n (%)	26 (10.5)	11 (11.0)

Progression-Free Survival in CLL/SLL Patients who Received Prior BTKi Treatment

All prior BTKi patients
Median prior lines = 3



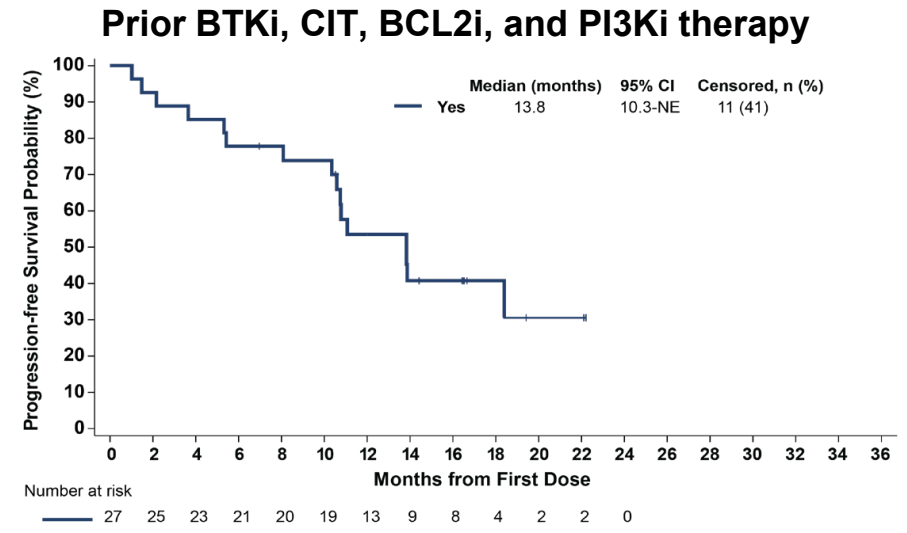
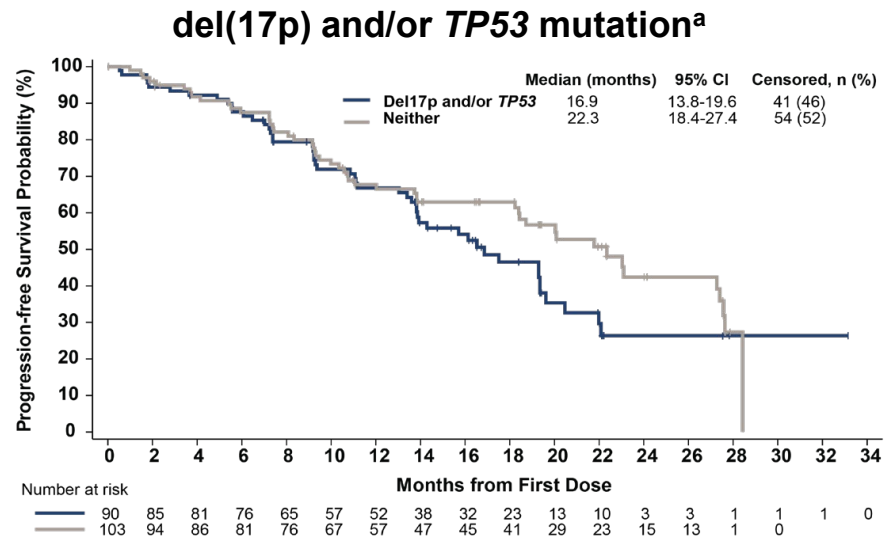
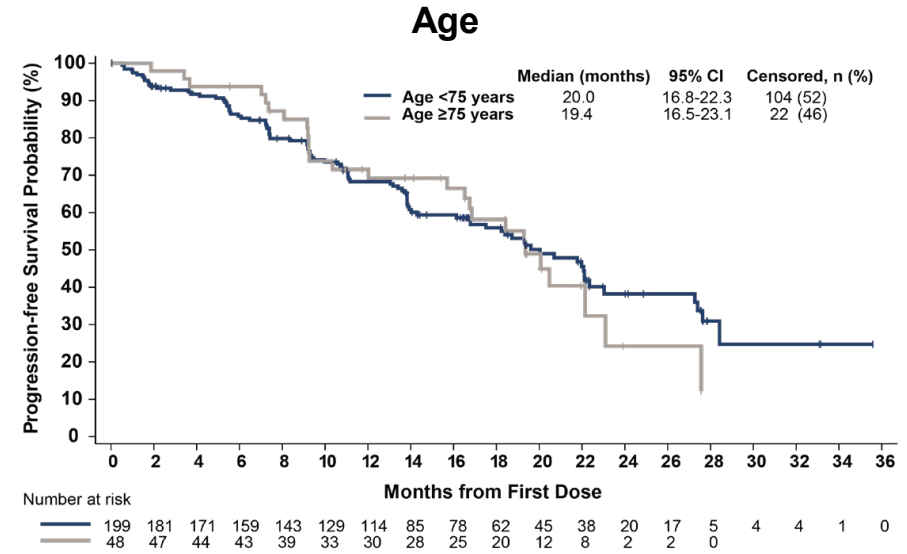
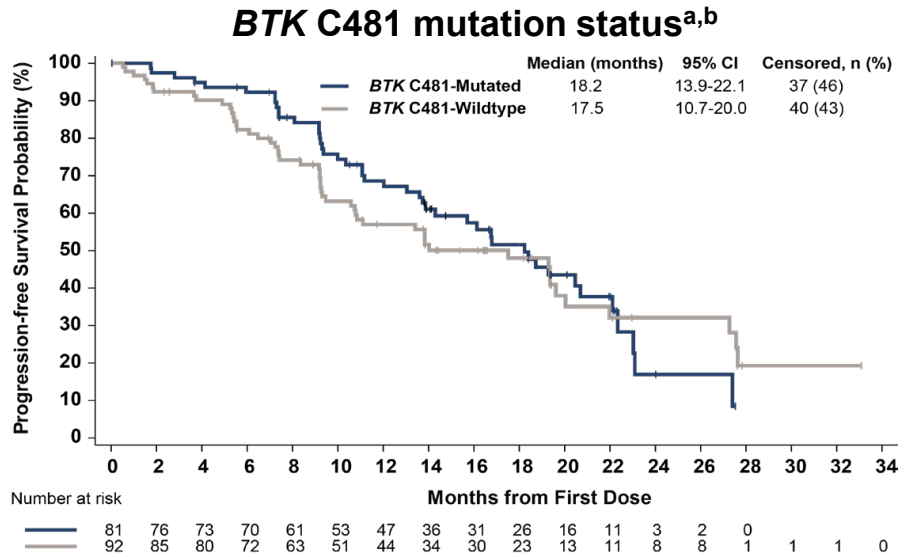
Prior BTKi and BCL2i patients
Median prior lines = 5



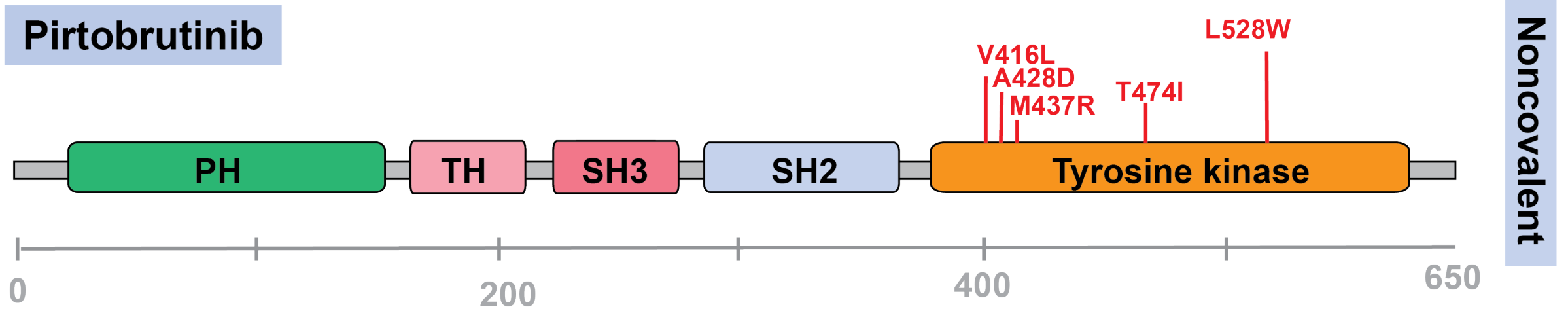
- Median follow-up of 19.4 months for patients who received prior BTKi

- Median follow-up of 18.2 months for patients who received prior BTKi and BCL2i

Progression-Free Survival in CLL/SLL Subgroups



Diverse BTK mutations cause resistance to non-covalent BTKi



BTK Leu528Trp Mutations in Patients with CLL on Zanubrutinib

- Consecutive samples at Peter MacCallum (AUS); N=37
- BTK Leu528Trp mutations were significantly enriched at time of PD for zanubrutinib versus ibrutinib:
 - **54%** [7/13] vs **4%** [1/24] ($p=0.001$)
- Other studies have shown that Leu528Trp mutations are rarely seen with ibrutinib

BTKi mutations detected in a cohort of patients with disease progression during BTKi treatment

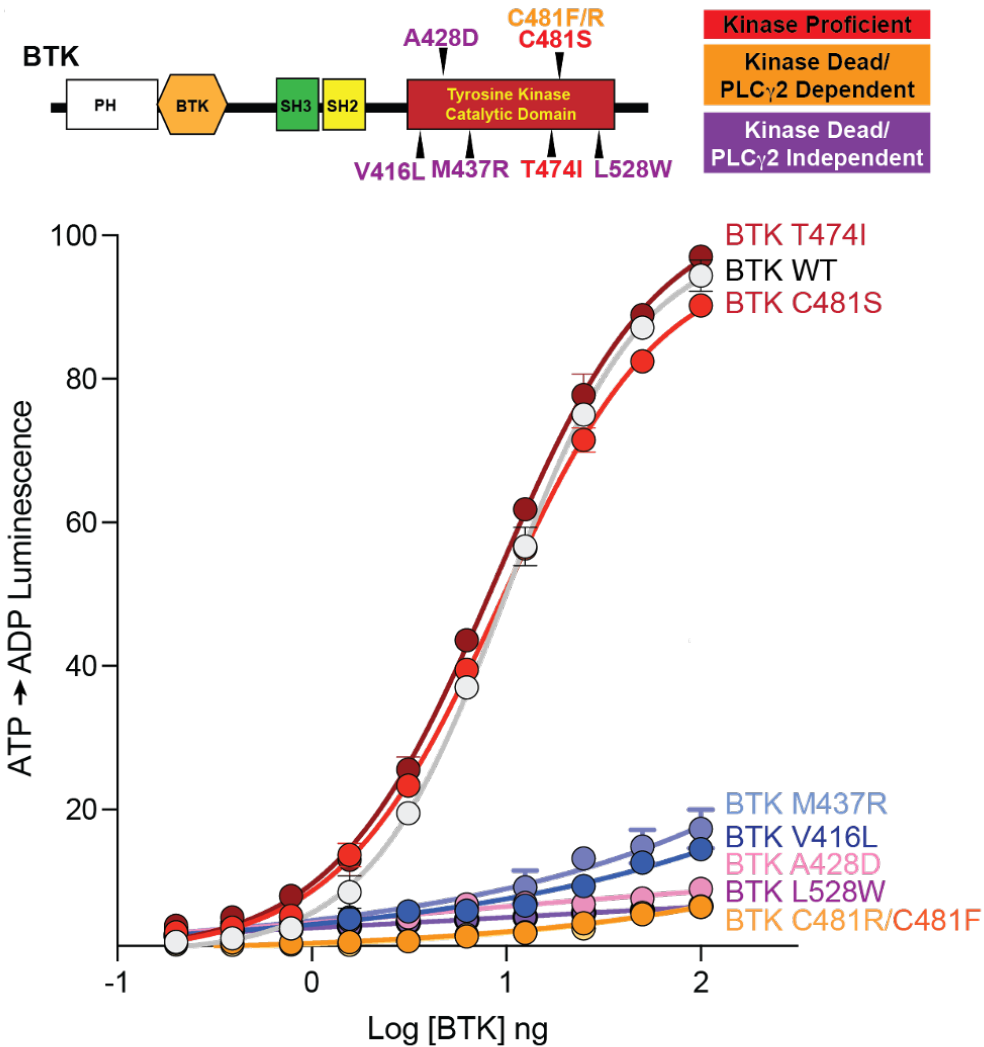
	Number of patients carrying the mutations			P
	Ibrutinib-treated patients (n = 24)	Zanubrutinib-treated patients (n =13)	Total	
Cys481 codon mutations	24	10	34	.03
Leu528Trp	1	7	8	.001

Both patients with Leu528Trp mutations treated with pirtobrutinib had poor responses

Kinase-dead BTK Leu528Trp mutation is enriched in patients with CLL progressing on zanubrutinib versus ibrutinib, which has potential implications for choice of BTK inhibitor and subsequent therapies, like pirtobrutinib, where this mutation is suspected to confer resistance

Piers Blombery, Ella R. Thompson, Thomas E. Lew, Ing Soo Tiong, Rory Bennett, Chan Y. Cheah, Katharine Louise Lewis, Sasanka M. Handunnetti, Chloe Pek Sang Tang, Andrew Roberts, John F. Seymour, Constantine S. Tam; Enrichment of BTK Leu528Trp mutations in patients with CLL on zanubrutinib: potential for pirtobrutinib cross-resistance. *Blood Adv* 2022; 6 (20): 5589–5592.

Not All BTK Mutations Are Equal: Concept of Kinase-Dead Mutations



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- C481S mutations retain the kinase activity of BTK and can be successfully targeted with non-covalent BTK inhibitors like pirtobrutinib
- On the other hand, mutations such as L528W will lead to a kinase dead (or PLC γ 2 independent) BTK that acts as a scaffold protein for other components of the BCR pathway.
- Both covalent and non-covalent BTKi that target the kinase domain will be ineffective in this setting.

A First-in-Human Trial of NX-2127, a BTK Degradator, in R/R CLL and B-Cell Malignancies

R/R CLL (N=17)
 ≥ 2 prior line of therapy (median 6),
 100% post BTKi, 77% post Ven

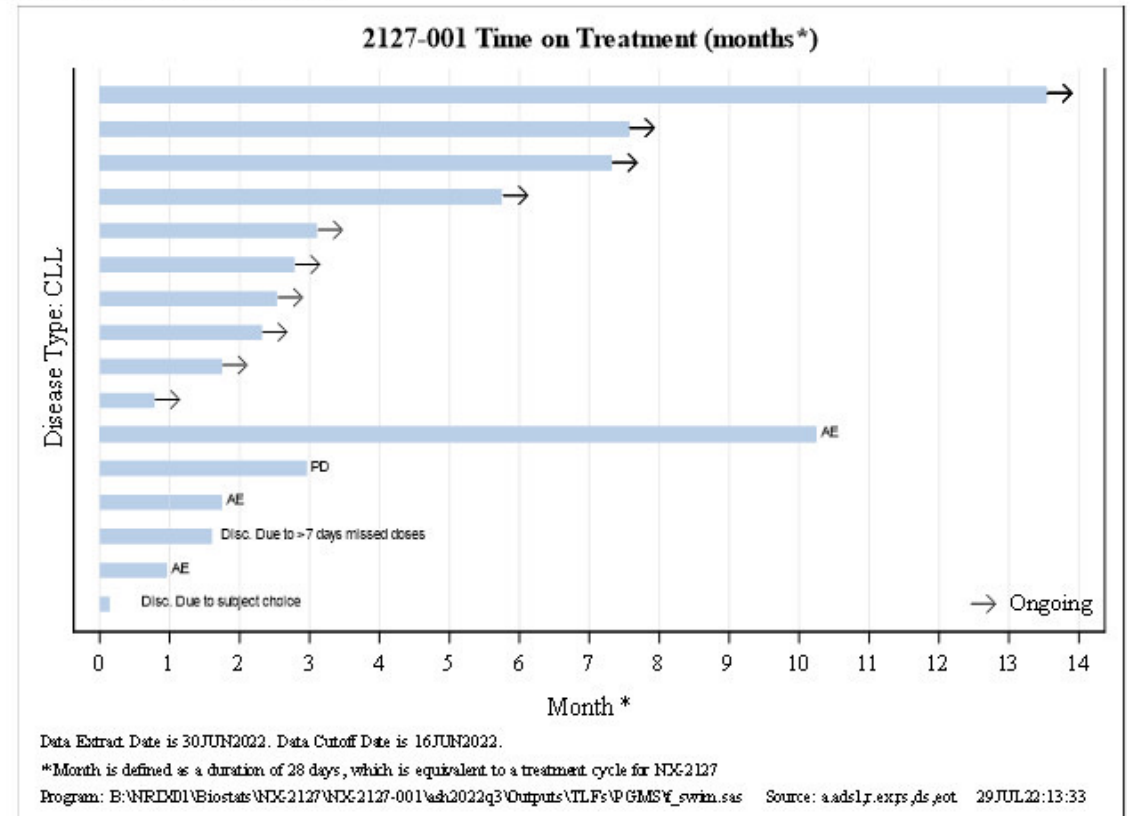
NX-2127
 Dose escalation: 100, 200, 300 mg orally daily

**Tolerability, Safety,
 Preliminary Efficacy**

Table 1. Summary of treatment-emergent adverse events (TEAEs) occurring in >15% of all patients (including patients with CLL and NHL)

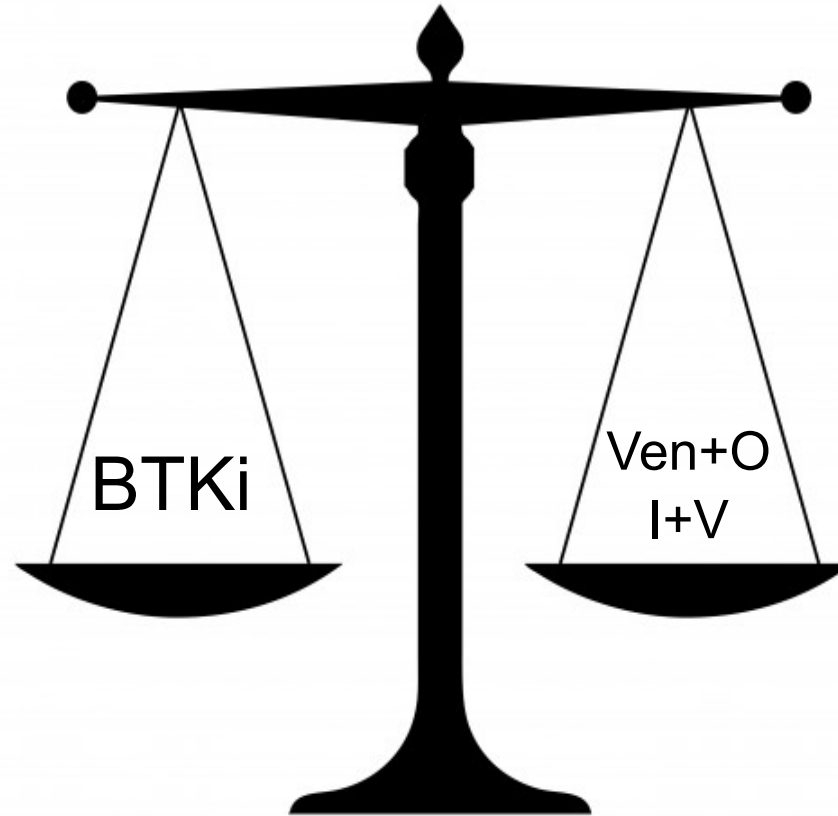
Preferred Term	All Grades (N=26)	Grade ≥ 3 (N=26)	Grade ≥ 3 Related (N=26)
Any AE	25 (96%)	15 (58%)	12 (46%)
Fatigue	16 (62%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)
Neutrophil Count Decrease	10 (39%)	9 (35%)	9 (35%)
Anemia	7 (27%)	4 (15%)	2 (8%)
Contusion	7 (27%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)
Hypertension	7 (27%)	1 (4%)	1 (4%)
Dyspnoea	5 (19%)	1 (4%)	0 (0%)
Pruritis	5 (19%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)
Rash maculo-papular	5 (19%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)
Blood creatinine increased	4 (15%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)
COVID-19	4 (15%)	1 (4%)	0 (0%)
Diarrhea	4 (15%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)
Petechiae	4 (15%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)
Platelet count decreased	4 (15%)	1 (4%)	0 (0%)

Figure 1. CLL patient disposition



The alternatives Treatment Paradigm in CLL: Factors to Consider

- Convenience (no infusions, TLS monitoring)
- Long-term efficacy data
- Multiple Phase 3 data
- Data for efficacy of venetoclax at time of ibrutinib progression
- Low progression while on continue therapy.
- Older age.
- Good data on High risk factors.
- LN based disease.
- High financial toxicity
- **Prolong PFS while on therapy**



Author's opinion.

- Potential for time-limited therapy
- Less concern with long-term adherence
- Potential for cost-savings if 1 year of therapy is durable
- Less financial toxicity
- Low risk dx/high risk
- BM and LN based disease: cytopenias.
- Younger age
- Possibility of retreatment
- **Prolong PFS after MRD negative**

Conclusions

- Patients preferences and Individualized therapy should be take into consideration.
- Great options for front line CLL: **Long term therapy**
 - First generation **ibrutinib** show great long term efficacy supported by multiple Phase III trials as well data for del17p/TP53 more discontinuation for AEs.
 - Second gen BTKi, **acalabrutinib** also showing excellent data with better tolerability.
 - **Zanubrutinib** now approved with great data in front line and good tolerability.
 - **Pirtobrutinib** soon to be an alternative for BTK resistance (approved in MCL).
- Great options for front line CLL: **Fixed duration**
 - **Obinutuzumab+venetoclax**: great efficacy with deep MRD responses.
 - **Ibrutinib+venetoclax**: approved in EU.
 - Triple therapies trials ongoing but unclear benefits.