

# Updates in Cancer Therapies: An ASCO | ESMO Review

# Updates on Targeting ALK, ROS1, and RET in NSCLC

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***ALK FUSION+ LUNG CANCER***

# ALK: Multiple Globally Approved ALK-Targeted TKIs

**1G**

**Crizotinib**

**2G**

**Ceritinib**  
**Alectinib**  
**Brigatinib**  
**Ensartinib**

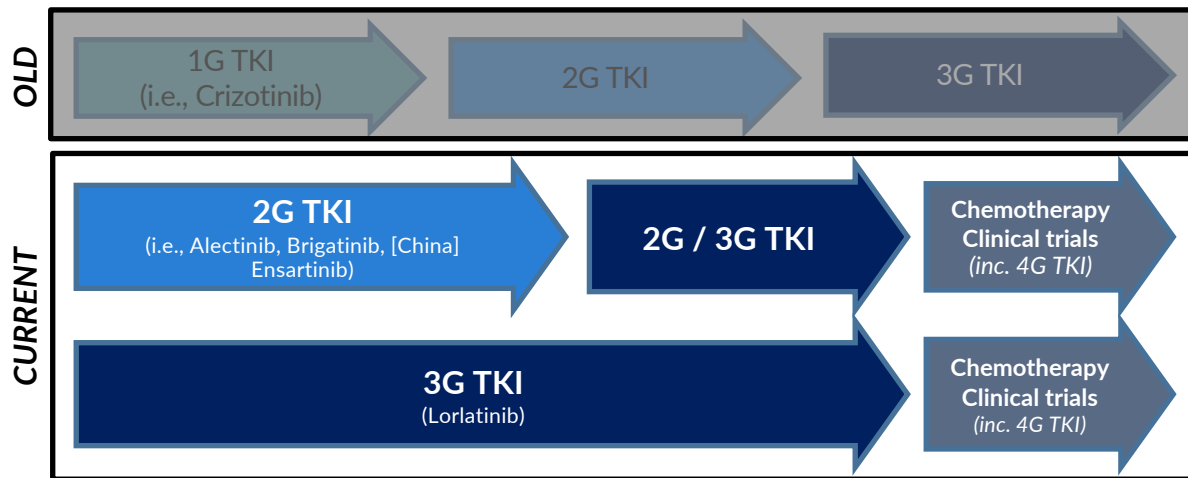
**3G**

**Lorlatinib**

**Increased potency against ALK**  
**Increased CNS penetration & activity**  
**Broader coverage of ALK resistance mutations**

# ALK: Evolving 1L Targeted Therapy Landscape

Current standard 1L therapy for advanced ALK+ NSCLC:  
*Next-generation (2G or 3G) ALK TKI*



NOT drawn to scale or to reflect relative median PFS on each treatment option

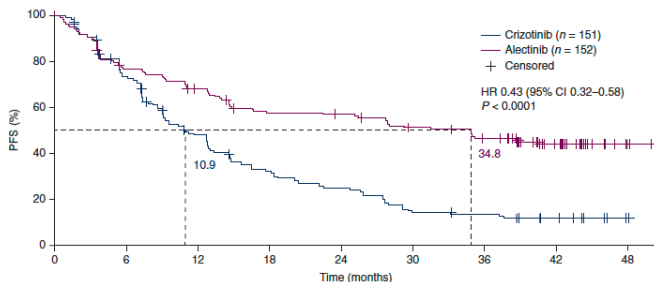
- **2G ALK TKIs** have clearly supplanted crizotinib as preferred 1L agent
- Is it time for a **3G ALK TKI** to supplant 2G ALK TKIs as preferred initial therapy?



# Cross-Trial Comparisons of PFS Data for Selected 3 Next-Generation ALK TKIs in the 1L Setting

## Global ALEX<sup>1,2</sup>

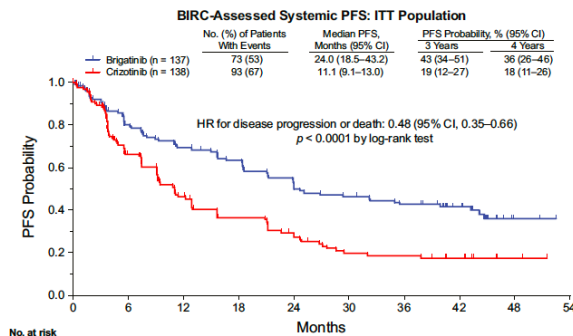
### 1L Alectinib vs Crizotinib



Median PFS per BIRC: 25.7 months  
3-year PFS rate per investigator:  
46.4%  
5-year OS rate: 62.5%

## ALTA-1L<sup>3,4</sup>

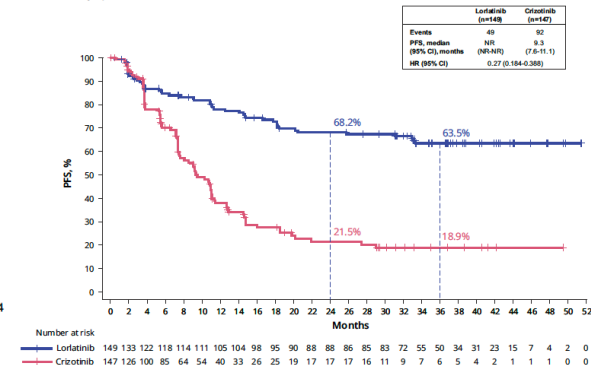
### 1L Brigatinib vs Crizotinib



Median PFS per BIRC: 24.0 months  
3-year PFS rate per BIRC:  
43%  
4-year OS rate: 66%

## CROWN<sup>5,6</sup>

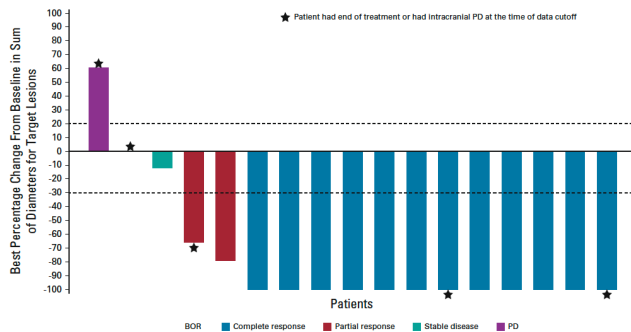
### 1L Lorlatinib vs Crizotinib



Median PFS per BIRC: NR at  
3-year follow-up analysis  
3-year PFS rate per BIRC:  
63.5%

# ALK: Optimizing the CNS Efficacy & CNS Protective Effect of 1L Therapy

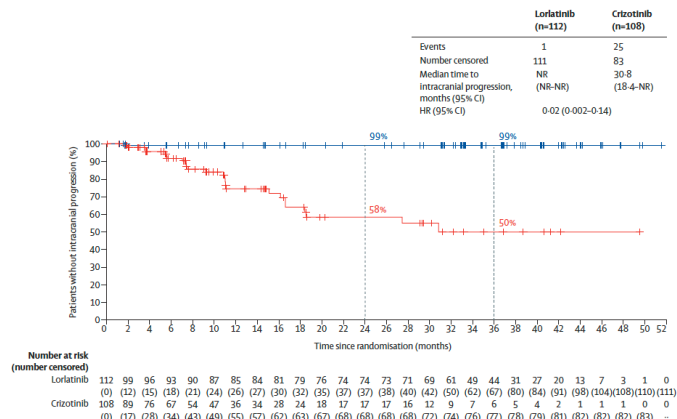
Intracranial responses in patients with baseline measurable brain metastases on 1L lorlatinib<sup>1</sup>



Measurable CNS lesions	Confirmed IC-ORR	Confirmed IC-CR rate	Median IC-DOR
Lorlatinib (CROWN) <sup>1</sup>	83% (15/18)	72% (13/18)	NR (NR-NR)
Alectinib (ALEX) <sup>2</sup>	81% (17/21)	38% (8/21)	17.3 mos (14.8-NE)
Brigatinib (ALTA-1L) <sup>3</sup>	78% (14/18)	28% (5/18)	27.9 mos (5.7-NE)
Ensartinib (eXalt3) <sup>4</sup>	64% (7/11)	27% (3/11)	Not reported

Time to intracranial progression by BICR per modified RECIST v1.1<sup>1</sup>

Patients without baseline brain metastases



HR 0.02 (0.002-0.14)

1 event of intracranial progression in 112 patients without baseline brain met treated with 1L lorlatinib after 3 years  
3-year IC-PFS rate of 99% (95% CI, 94-100)

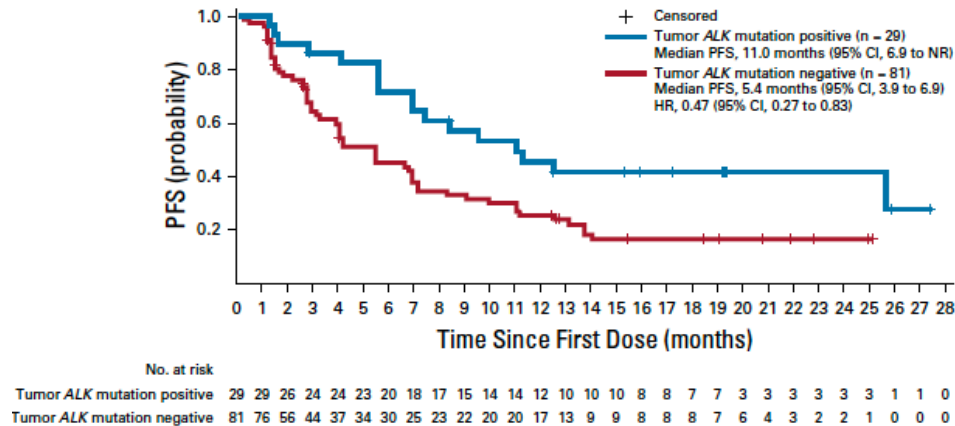
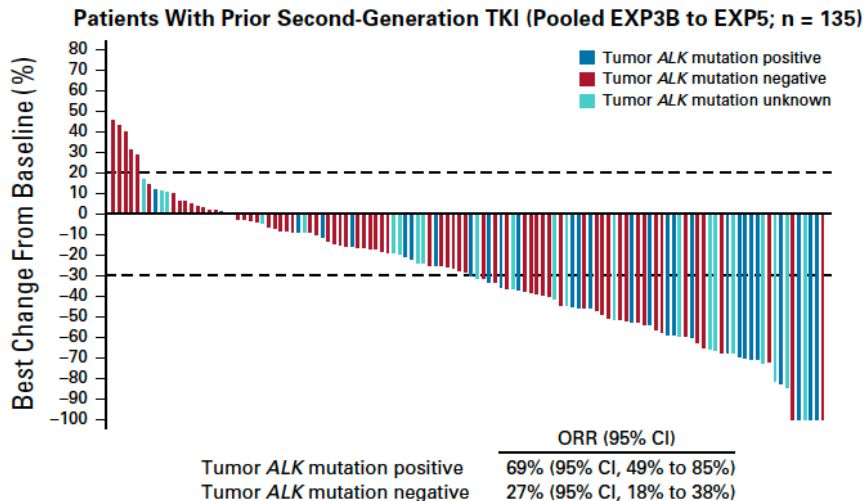
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# Efficacy of Lorlatinib (3G ALK TKI) After 2G ALK TKIs

## Phase II study efficacy data

ORR s/p 2G ALK TKI(s) (n=139): **39.6%** (31.4-48.2)  
 Median DOR: 9.6 months (95% CI, 5.6-16.7)  
 Median PFS: 6.6 months (95% CI, 5.4-7.4)  
 IC-ORR: 56.1% (42.4-69.3)

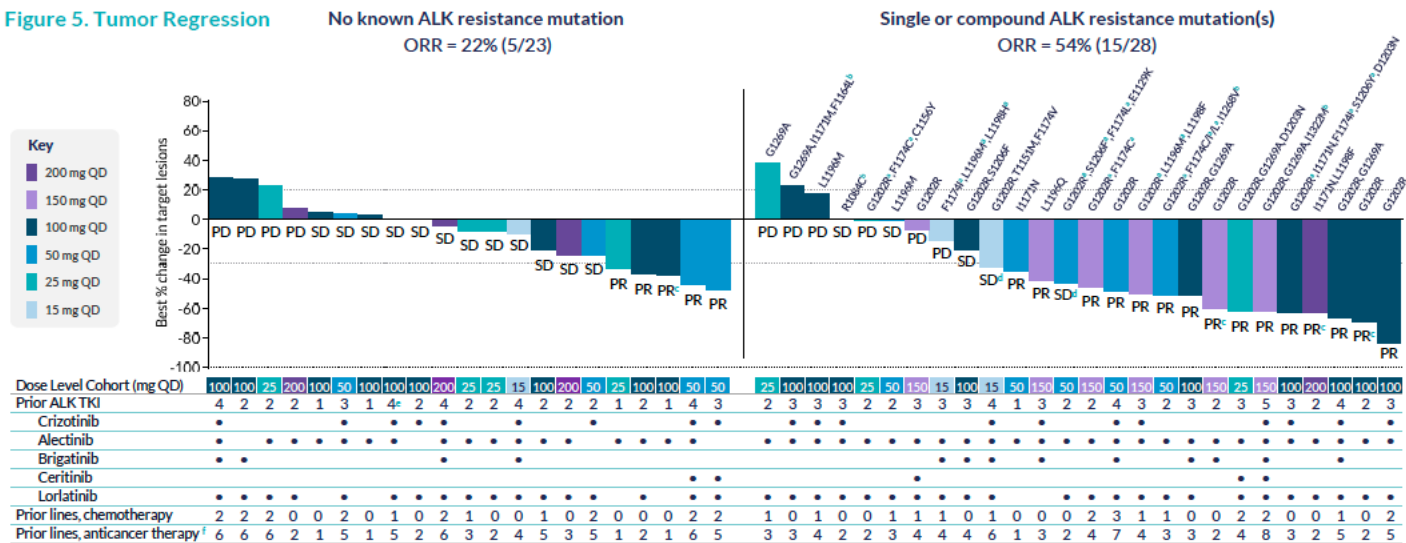
**Lorlatinib is recommended as a subsequent treatment option after progression on prior ALK TKIs in the NCCN Guidelines**



# NVL-655, ALK-Selective & CNS-Penetrant 4<sup>th</sup>-Generation ALK TKI: Preliminary Efficacy from Phase I Study (ALKOVE-1)

- Coverage of single and compound ALK mutations demonstrated clinically
- Activity in heavily pre-treated patients including those with and without compound ALK resistance mutations [ORR 56% (9/16) with compound mutations], those who have received prior lorlatinib [ORR 40% (10/25)], and those with history of brain metastases [ORR 52% (15/29)]

Figure 5. Tumor Regression



Response-evaluable patients with NSCLC. Four response-evaluable patients (2 with no known ALK mutations and 2 with single or compound ALK mutations) not shown due to incomplete or missing post-baseline tumor assessments in the setting of PD or symptomatic deterioration. ALK mutation as per any prior local testing or central baseline ctDNA analyses. \*ALK mutations with evidence of cis-allelic configuration. †ALK mutation variant of unknown significance. ‡Ongoing partial responses pending confirmation. ‡Single-timepoint PR not confirmed. ‡Additional ALK TKI was TPX-Q131. ‡Including immunotherapy, bevacizumab, and investigational therapy.

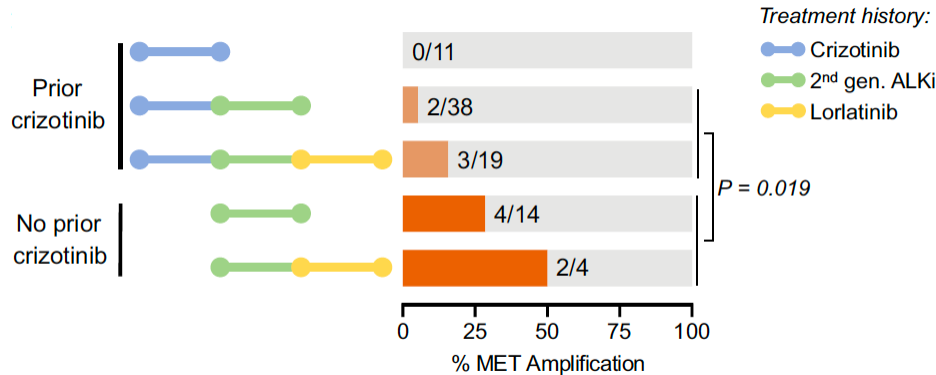
# ALK: Addressing Resistance with Combinations

## Example of ALKi + METi Targeting *MET* Amplification

**MET amplification** identified in<sup>1</sup>:

12% of patients progressing on 2G ALK TKI

22% of patients progressing on 3G ALK TKI (lorlatinib)



Case series<sup>2</sup>, n=12

**ALK/MET co-targeting strategies, ORR 42% (5/12)**

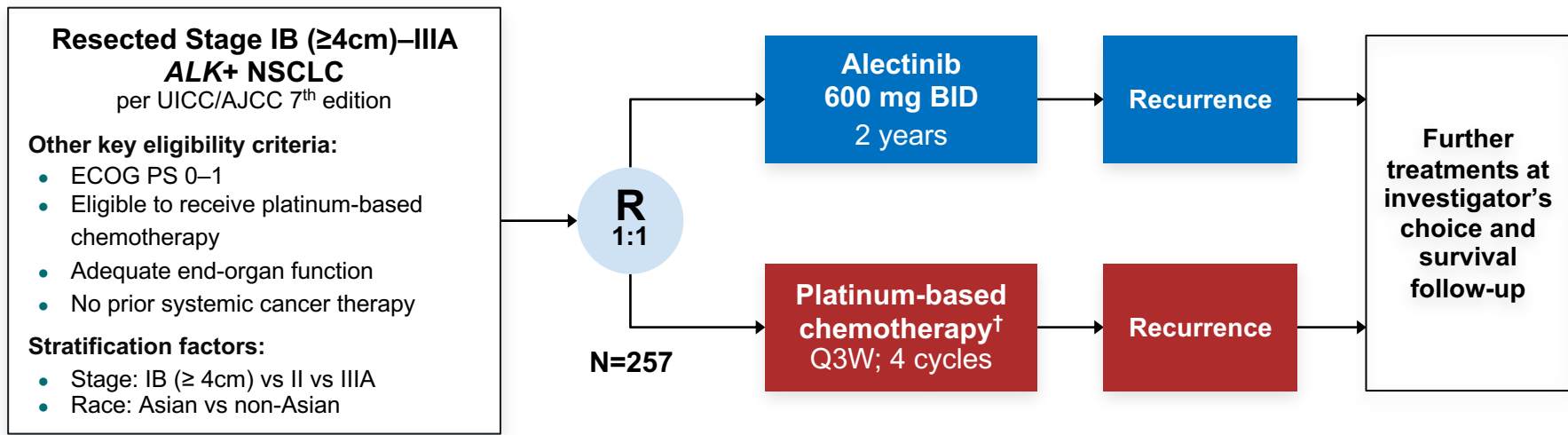
Patient	ALK/MET Therapy	Best Response Time on Treatment	Pre-ALK/MET Targeted Therapy Biopsy Findings
1	Crizotinib 250 mg BID	PD <1 month	<b>MET/CEP7 ≥ 25</b> , <i>TP53</i> R273C, <i>TP53</i> Q192*, <i>SETD2</i> V2280fs*89
2	Crizotinib 250 mg BID	PR (-38%) 3.5 months	<b>MET/CEP7 ≥ 25</b> , <i>TSC2</i> D1612N, <i>TP53</i> A161T
3	Lorlatinib 75 mg QD# + Crizotinib 250 mg BID	PR (-30%) 3 months	<b>MET/CEP7 5.7</b> , <i>ATM</i> S378G, <i>MDM4</i> splice region variant, <i>ARID1A</i> D1193N, <i>PIK3CA</i> E453K
4	Lorlatinib 50 mg QD+ Crizotinib 250 mg BID	PD <1 month	<b>MET/CEP7 2.4</b> , <i>NF1</i> G2379R, <i>TP53</i> V274G, <i>MYC</i> gain
5	Lorlatinib 50 mg QD# + Crizotinib 250 mg BID	PR (-60%) 11 months**	<b>MET/CEP7 ≥ 25</b> , <i>APC</i> Y1642_V1644del
6	Lorlatinib 50 mg QD+ Crizotinib 250 mg BID	PD <1 month	<b>MET/CEP7 5.5</b> , <i>TP53</i> R273C
7	Lorlatinib 50 mg QD + Crizotinib 250 mg BID	PR (-51%) 6 months	<b>MET amplification (2.5)</b> , <i>TP53</i> E346*, <i>MYC</i> amplification (3.8) by plasma
8	Lorlatinib 50 mg QD + Crizotinib 250 mg BID	PD <1 month	<b>MET amplification (5.4)</b> , <i>TP53</i> C135F (4.6), <i>BRCA2</i> D3188fs (2.4), <i>APC</i> M314T (0.6), <i>STK11</i> A43V (0.3)
9	Alectinib 600 mg BID# + Capmatinib 400 mg BID	SD (Non-CR/Non-PD) 9 months	<b>MET/CEP7 ≥ 25</b> , <i>SMARCA4</i> P47T, <i>EGFR</i> P596L
10	Alectinib 600 mg BID + Capmatinib 400 mg BID#	SD (-8%) 10 months	<b>MET/CEP7 ≥ 25</b> , <i>TP53</i> E180*, <i>APC</i> E1156K
11	Alectinib 600 mg BID + Capmatinib 300 mg BID	PR (-70%) 7 months	<b>MET/CEP7 7.7</b> , <i>TP53</i> N131Y, <i>SMARCA4</i> D1183N
12	Alectinib 600 mg BID+ Crizotinib 200 mg BID	SD (-26%) 6 months	<b>MET amplification</b> by NGS, <i>TP53</i> E285K

1. Dagogo-Jack I et al. *Clin Cancer Res*. 2020;26(11):2535-2545

2. Dagogo-Jack I et al. *JTO Clin Res Rep*. 2023;8(4):100534

# Assessing ALK TKIs in Earlier-Stage ALK+ NSCLC

## Adjuvant ALK TKI Alectinib: ALINA Study Design



### Primary endpoint

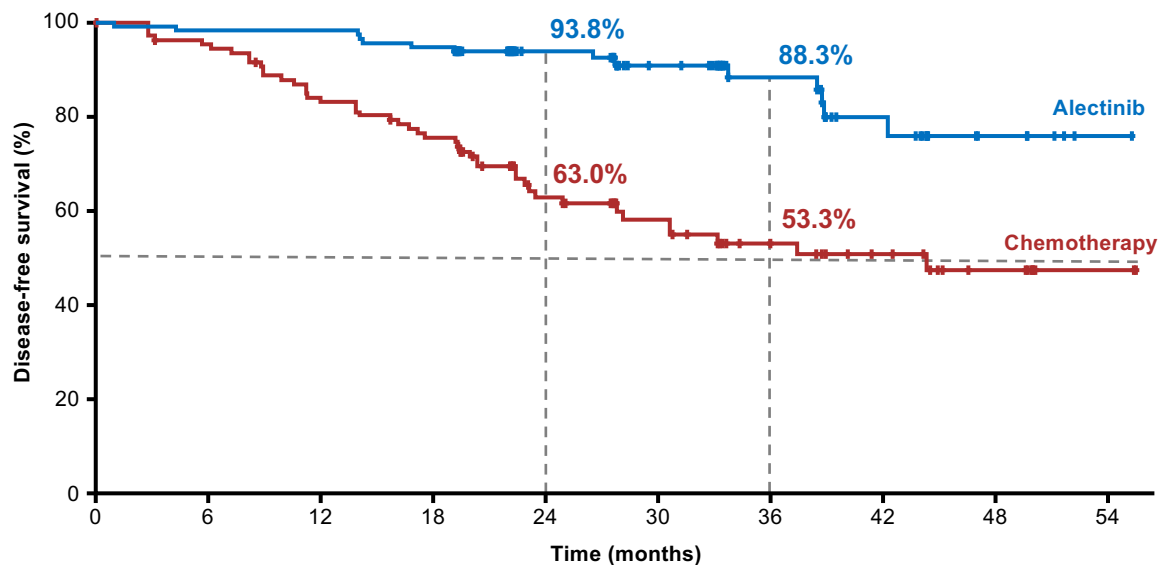
- DFS per investigator,‡ tested hierarchically:
  - Stage II–IIIA → ITT (Stage IB–IIIA)

### Other endpoints

- CNS disease-free survival
- OS
- Safety

*Disease assessments (including brain MRI)§ were conducted: at baseline, every 12 weeks for year 1–2, every 24 weeks for year 3–5, then annually*

# Disease-free survival: stage II–III A\*



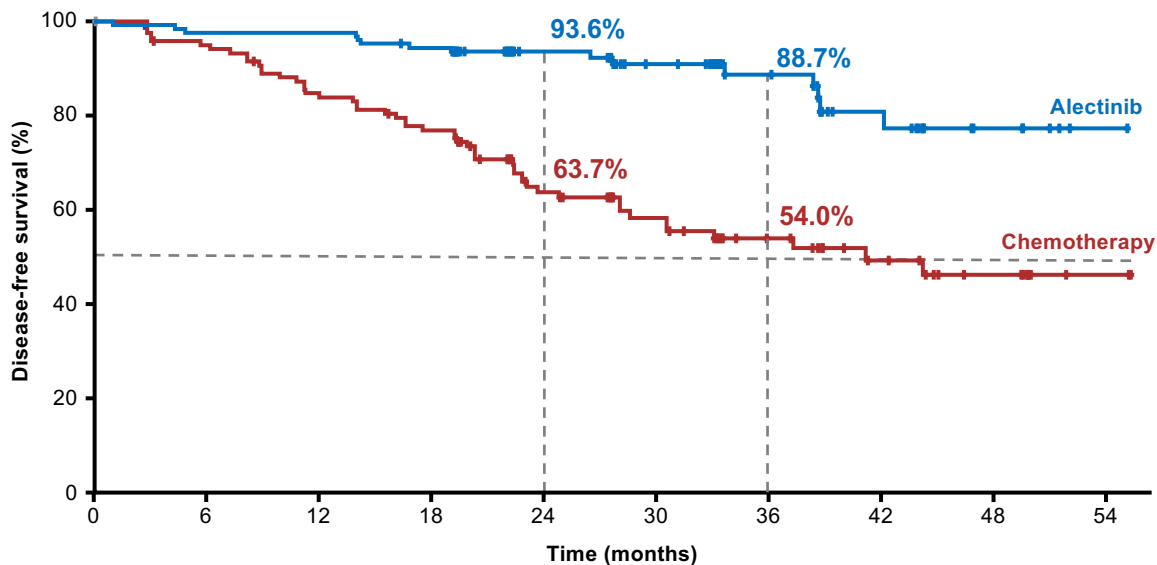
	Alectinib (N=116)	Chemotherapy (N=115)
Patients with event	14 (12%)	45 (39%)
Death	0	1
Recurrence	14	44
Median DFS, months (95% CI)	Not reached	44.4 (27.8, NE)
DFS HR (95% CI)	<b>0.24</b> (0.13, 0.45) p <sup>†</sup> <0.0001	

## No. at risk

	0	6	12	18	24	30	36	42	48	54
Alectinib	116	111	111	107	67	49	35	21	10	3
Chemo	115	102	88	79	48	35	23	17	10	2

Median survival follow up: alectinib, 27.9 months; chemotherapy, 27.8 months

# Disease-free survival: ITT (stage IB–IIIA)\*



No. at risk

	0	6	12	18	24	30	36	42	48	54
Alectinib	130	123	123	118	74	55	39	22	10	3
Chemo	127	112	98	89	55	41	27	18	11	2

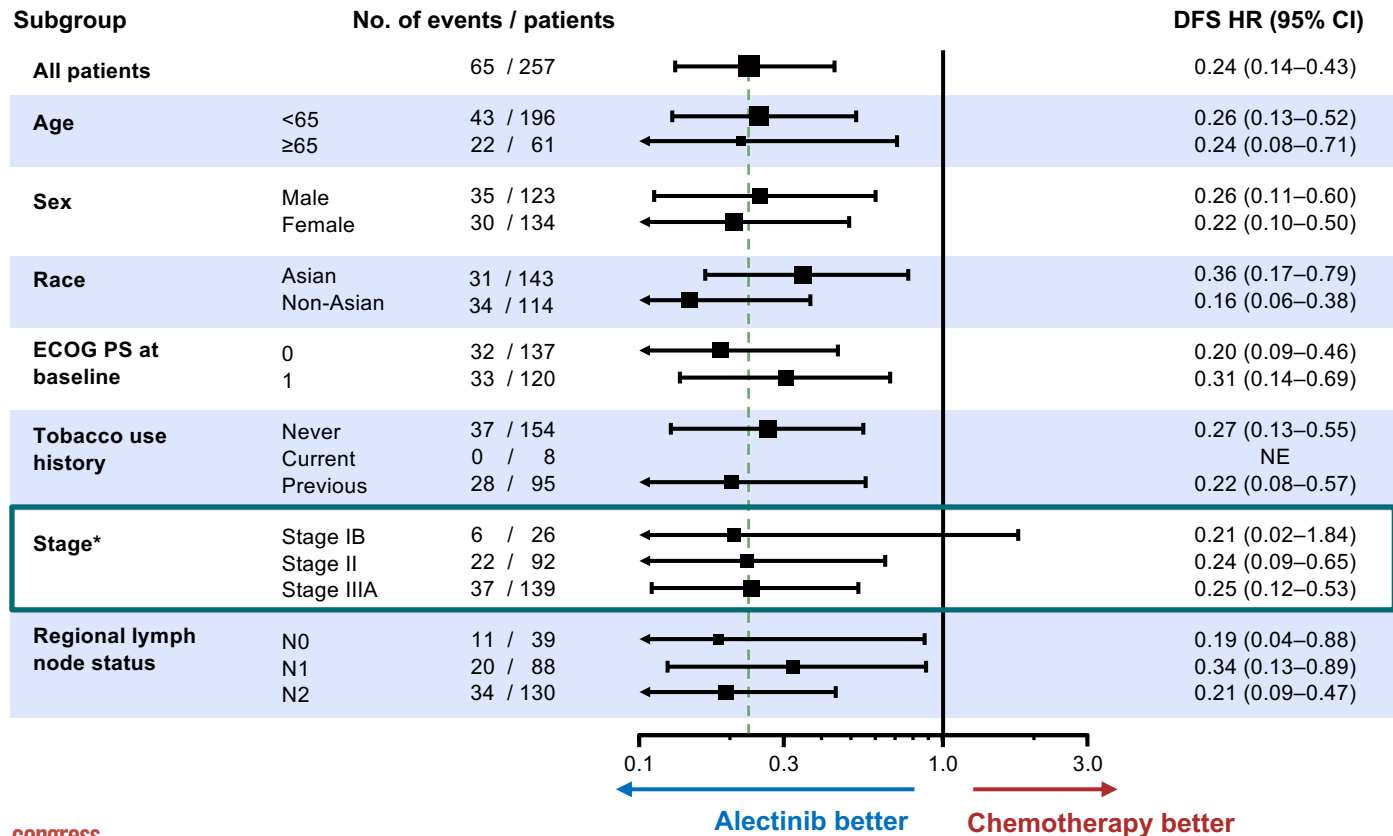
	Alectinib (N=130)	Chemotherapy (N=127)
Patients with event	15 (12%)	50 (39%)
Death	0	1
Recurrence	15	49
Median DFS, months (95% CI)	Not reached	41.3 (28.5, NE)
DFS HR (95% CI)	<b>0.24</b> (0.13, 0.43) p <sup>†</sup> <0.0001	

At the data cutoff date, **OS data were immature** with only 6 (2.3%) OS events reported<sup>‡</sup>

Median survival follow up: alectinib, 27.8 months; chemotherapy, 28.4 months



# Disease-free survival subgroup analysis (ITT)



# Post-recurrence subsequent therapy

Number of patients with disease recurrence, n (%)	Alectinib (n=15)	Chemotherapy (n=49)
<b>Patients with any subsequent therapy</b>	13 (87)	43 (88)
<b>Systemic therapy</b>	13 (87)	38 (78)
ALK TKI	7 (47)	37 (76)
Alectinib	4 (27)	29 (59)
Brigatinib	4 (27)	4 (8)
Crizotinib	0	4 (8)
Lorlatinib	0	2 (4)
Ceritinib	0	1 (2)
Chemotherapy	6 (40)	2 (4)
Immunotherapy	1 (7)	1 (2)
Other anti-cancer therapy	1 (7)	1 (2)
<b>Radiotherapy</b>	5 (33)	9 (18)
<b>Surgery</b>	1 (7)	3 (6)

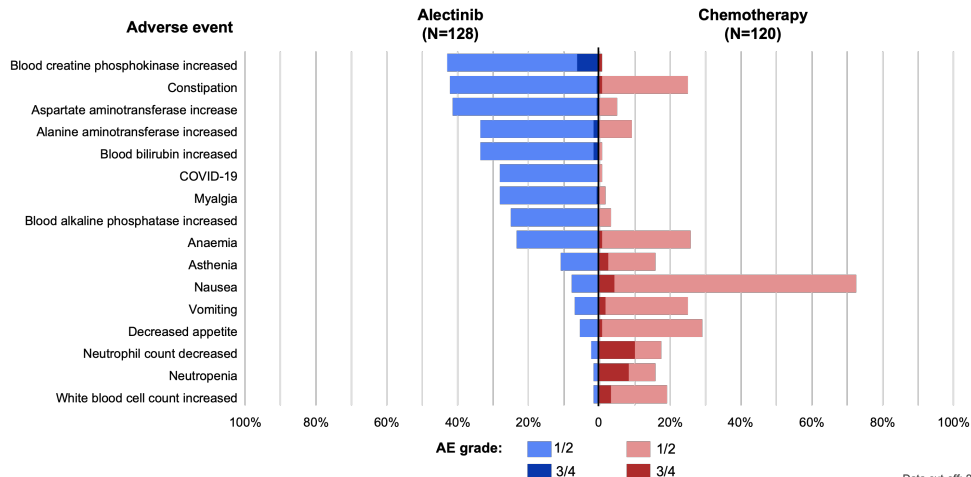
Data cut-off: 26 June 2023

Includes any subsequent therapy reported on or after date of earliest contributing event to disease recurrence;  
Patients may have received more than one subsequent anticancer therapy

# Safety summary

# AEs occurring in ≥15% of patients

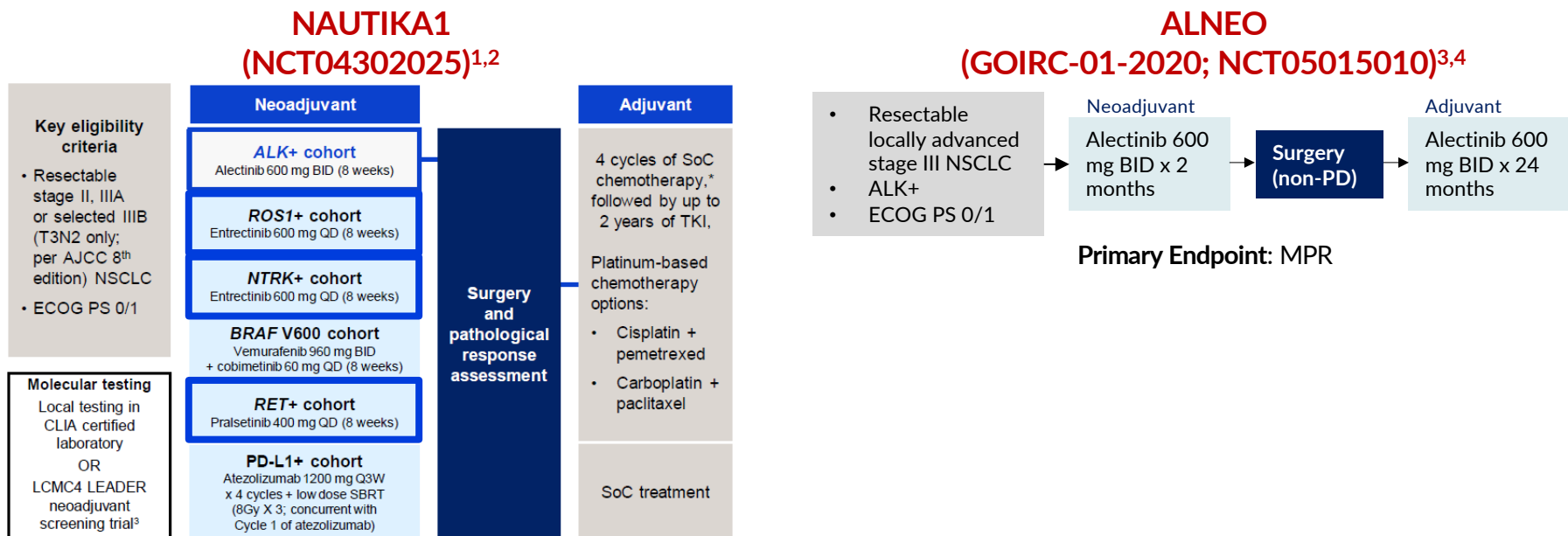
	Alectinib (n=128)	Chemotherapy (n=120)
Median treatment duration	23.9 months	2.1 months
Patients with any AEs, %	98	93
Grade 3/4 AEs	30	31
Grade 5 AEs	0	0
Serious AEs	13	8
Treatment-related serious AEs	2	7
AEs leading to dose reduction	26	10
AEs leading to dose interruption	27	18
AEs leading to treatment withdrawal	5	13



Data cut-off: 26 June 2023  
 Median treatment duration was 23.9 months in the alectinib arm and 2.1 months in the chemotherapy arm. No grade 5 events were observed

At data cut off, **20.3%** in the alectinib arm ongoing treatment

# Assessing ALK TKIs in Earlier-Stage ALK+ NSCLC: Neoadjuvant ALK TKI Trials



<sup>1</sup>Lee JM et al., WCLC 2022; <sup>2</sup>Clinicaltrials.gov, <https://classic.clinicaltrials.gov/ct2/show/NCT04302025> (accessed 16 Jul 2023)

<sup>3</sup>Leonetti A et al., Clin Lung Cancer 2021;22(5):473-7; <sup>4</sup>Clinicaltrials.gov, <https://classic.clinicaltrials.gov/ct2/show/NCT05015010> (accessed 16 Jul 2023)

# Assessing ALK TKIs in Earlier-Stage ALK+ NSCLC: Neoadjuvant ALK TKI Trials: *Emerging Data*

	Study	Stage	Size	Neoadjuvant	Adjuvant	Imaging Response	Surgery Rate	RO Resection Rate	MPR Rate	PCR Rate
ALK	NeoALK <sup>1</sup> (Chinese Retrospective RWD)	IIIA-IIIB	40 Alectinib, 21 Crizotinib, 19	Alectinib or crizotinib	Local RT / TKI	Alectinib: 71% (15/21) Crizotinib: 74% (14/19)	Alectinib: 81% (17/21) Crizotinib: 68% (13/19)	100% (30/30)	Alectinib: 65% (11/17) Crizotinib: 46% (6/13)	Alectinib: 35% (6/17) Crizotinib: 15% (2/13)
	ALNEO <sup>2</sup> (Phase 2)	III	33	Alectinib x 8 weeks	Alectinib x 2 years	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
	NAUTIKA1 <sup>3</sup> (Phase 2)	II-IIIB	25	Alectinib x 8 weeks	Chemo -> Alectinib x 2 years	44% (4/9)	100% (9/9)	89% (8/9)	67% (6/9)	33% (3/9)
EGFR	NEOS <sup>4</sup> (Phase 2b)	IIA-IIIB	40	Osimertinib x 6 weeks	Chemo -> Osi x 3 years	68% (27/40)	80% (32/40)	94% (30/32)	11% (3/28)	4% (1/28)
	NCT03433469 <sup>5</sup> (Phase 2)	I-IIIA	27	Osimertinib x 1-2 months	?	48%	89% (24/27)	100% (24/24)	15% (4/27)	0% (0/27)
	NeoADAURA <sup>6</sup> (Phase 3)	II-IIIB	351	Osimertinib x 9 weeks vs Chemo +/- Osi x 3 cycles	Investigator's choice SOC, Osi x 3 years	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD

<sup>1</sup>Zhang C et al., AATS 2023; <sup>2</sup>Leonetti A et al., Clin Lung Cancer 2021;22(5):473-7; <sup>3</sup>Lee JM et al., WCLC 2023  
<sup>4</sup>Lv C et al., Lung Cancer 2023;178:151-6; <sup>5</sup>Aredo JV et al., ASCO 2023; <sup>6</sup>Tsuboi M et al., Future Oncol 2021;17(31):4045-55

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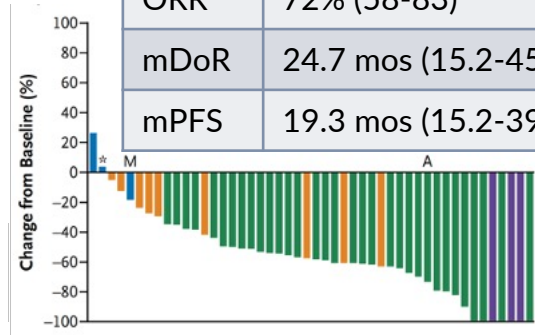
***ROS1* FUSION+ LUNG CANCER**

# Standard 1L ROS1 TKIs...as of early Nov 2023

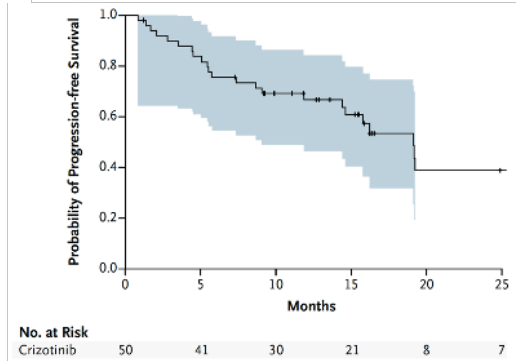
## Crizotinib and Entrectinib: Systemic Efficacy

### Crizotinib

ORR	72% (58-83)
mDoR	24.7 mos (15.2-45.3)
mPFS	19.3 mos (15.2-39.1)

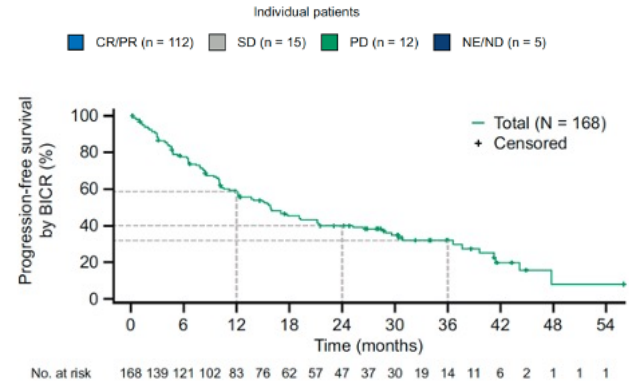
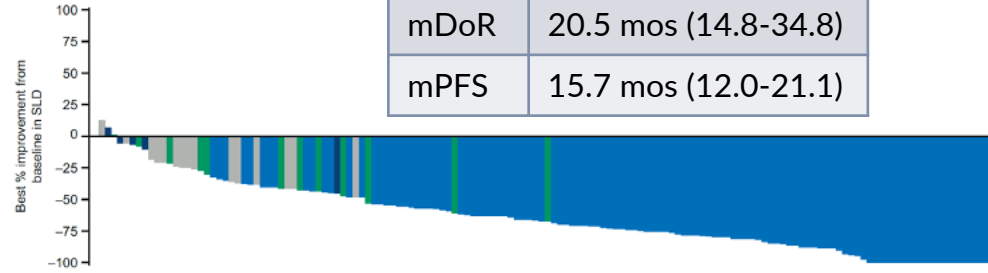


- Disease progression
- Stable disease
- Partial response
- Complete response



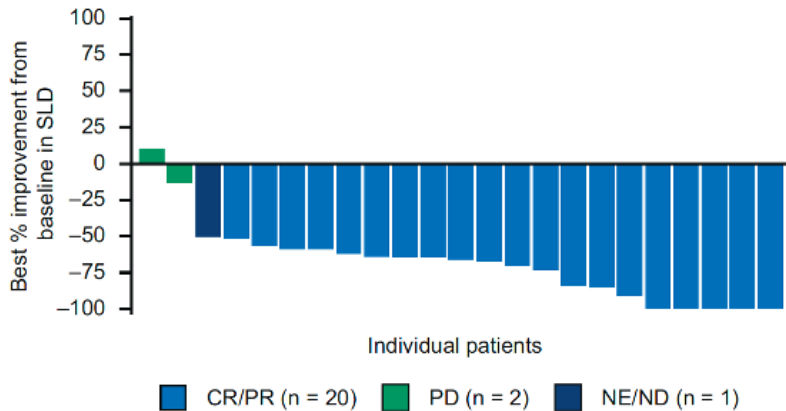
### Entrectinib

ORR	68% (60-75)
mDoR	20.5 mos (14.8-34.8)
mPFS	15.7 mos (12.0-21.1)

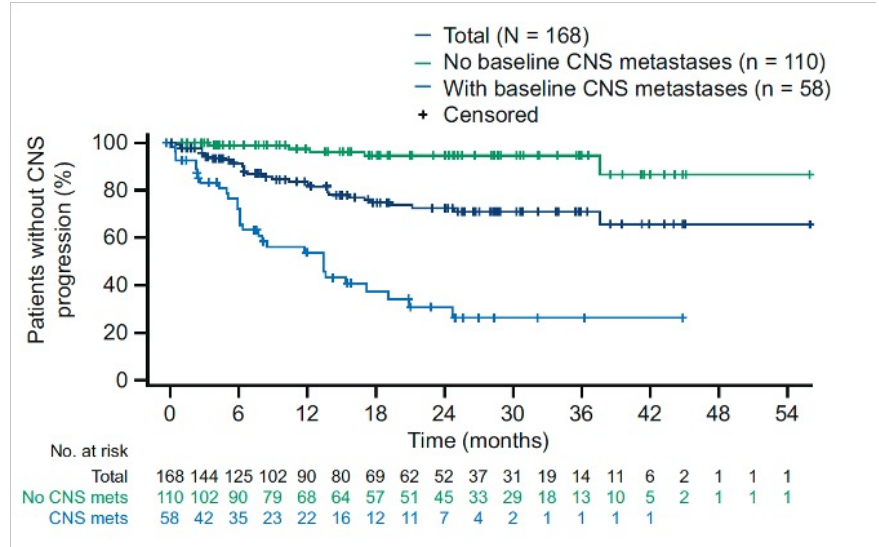


# Entrectinib: CNS Efficacy

## Best intracranial responses, patients with baseline measurable CNS metastases



## Time to CNS progression



- **Intracranial ORR:** 80% (59.3-93.2) among 25 patients with measurable baseline CNS metastases
- **Median intracranial PFS:** 8.4 months (6.4-13.8)
- **Time to CNS progression:** not estimable overall; 13.6 months (6.7-19.3) in patients with baseline CNS metastases



# ROS1: Advances in Optimizing 1L Targeted Therapy

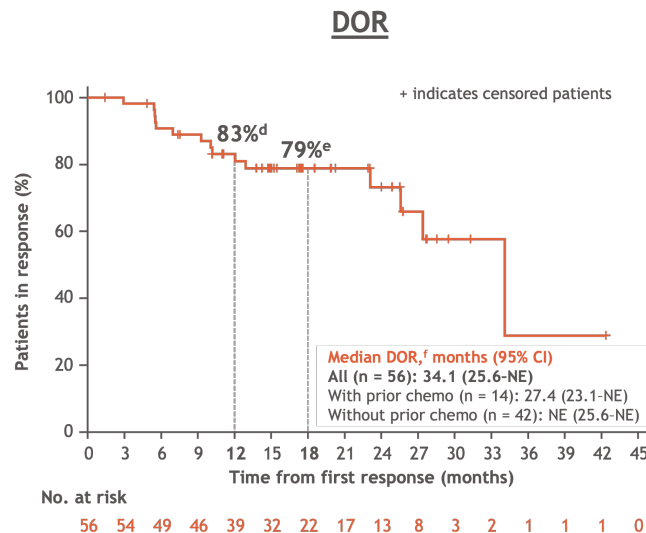
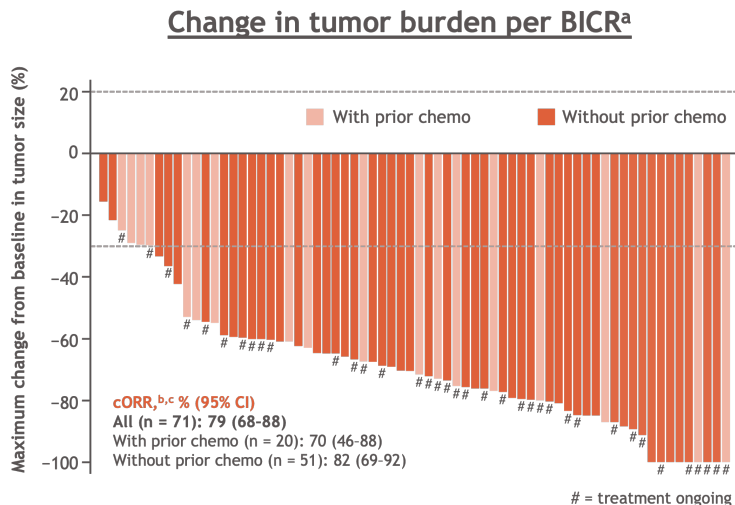
	<b>Crizotinib*</b> (PROFILE 1001)	<b>Entrectinib*</b> (ALKA-372-001, STARTRK-1, STARTRK-2)	<b>Ceritinib</b> (Korean Phase 2)	<b>Brigatinib</b> (BAROSSA phase II)	<b>Lorlatinib</b> (Phase 1/2)	<b>Unecritinib</b> (Chinese phase 2)	<b>Taletrectinib<sup>#</sup></b> (TRUST-I Chinese Phase 1/2)	<b>Repotrectinib*</b> (TRIDENT-1 Phase 1/2)
<b>N</b>	53	168	20	28	21	111 (59% 1L)	67 (phase II)	71
<b>ORR</b>	<b>72%</b>	<b>68%</b>	<b>67%</b>	<b>67.9%</b>	<b>62%</b>	<b>78.4%</b>	<b>93%</b>	<b>79%</b>
<b>Median PFS</b>	<b>19.3 months</b>	<b>15.7 months</b>	<b>19.3 months</b>	<b>Not mature</b>	<b>21.0 months</b>	<b>15.6 months</b>	<b>33.2 months</b> (pooled)	<b>35.7 months</b>
<b>CNS activity</b>	N/A	25/48 (52%) patients with measurable or nonmeasurable intracranial disease	2/5 (40%) patients with measurable or nonmeasurable intracranial disease	N/A	7/11 (64%) patients with measurable or nonmeasurable intracranial disease	N/A	11/12 (92%) patients with baseline measurable CNS metastases	8/9 (89%) patients with measurable intracranial disease
<b>Ref</b>	Shaw AT et al. <i>Ann Oncol.</i> 2019.	Drilon A et al. <i>JTO Clin Res Rep.</i> 2022.	Lim SM et al. <i>J Clin Oncol.</i> 2017.	Toyozawa R et al. <i>ESMO</i> 2022.	Shaw AT et al. <i>Lancet Oncol.</i> 2019.	Lu S et al. <i>ELCC</i> 2022.	Li W et al. <i>ELCC</i> 2023.	Cho B et al. <i>WCLC</i> 2023.

\*Received FDA approval

<sup>#</sup>Received FDA breakthrough therapy designation

# Repotrectinib in TKI-Naïve *ROS1* Fusion+ NSCLC (TRIDENT-1)

## Tumor response per BICR in TKI-naïve patients with *ROS1*+ advanced NSCLC



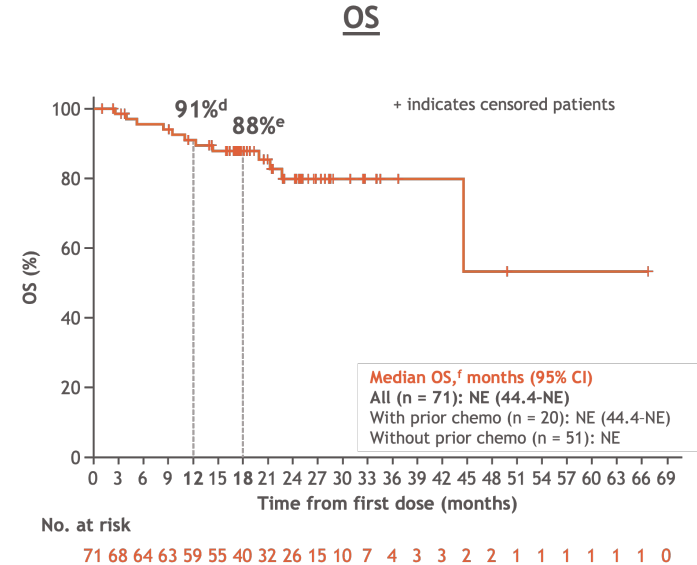
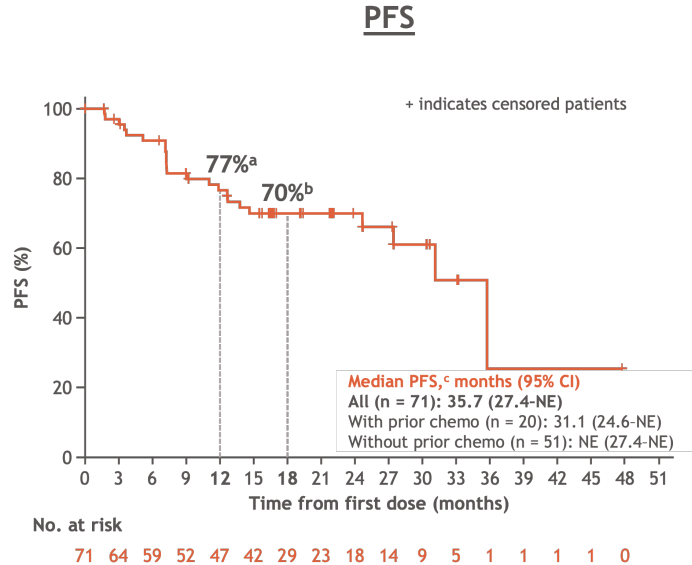
- Of patients in the *ROS1* TKI-naïve cohort treated at the RP2D (n = 63), cORR was 78% (95% CI, 66-87) and median DOR was NE (95% CI, 25.6-NE)<sup>g</sup>

**Median follow-up: 24.0 months (range, 14.2-66.6).**

<sup>a</sup>Three patients did not have post-baseline tumor size measurement. <sup>b</sup>By RECIST v1.1. <sup>c</sup>10% (n = 7) and 69% (n = 49) of patients had CR and PR, respectively. <sup>d</sup>95% CI, 73-93. <sup>e</sup>95% CI, 68-90. <sup>f</sup>Number of events = 15; number of patients censored (%) = 41 (73). <sup>g</sup>12- and 18-month DOR rates (95% CI) were 85% (75-95) and 80% (69-92), respectively.

# Repotrectinib in TKI-Naïve *ROS1* Fusion+ NSCLC (TRIDENT-1)

## PFS and OS in TKI-naïve patients with *ROS1*+ advanced NSCLC



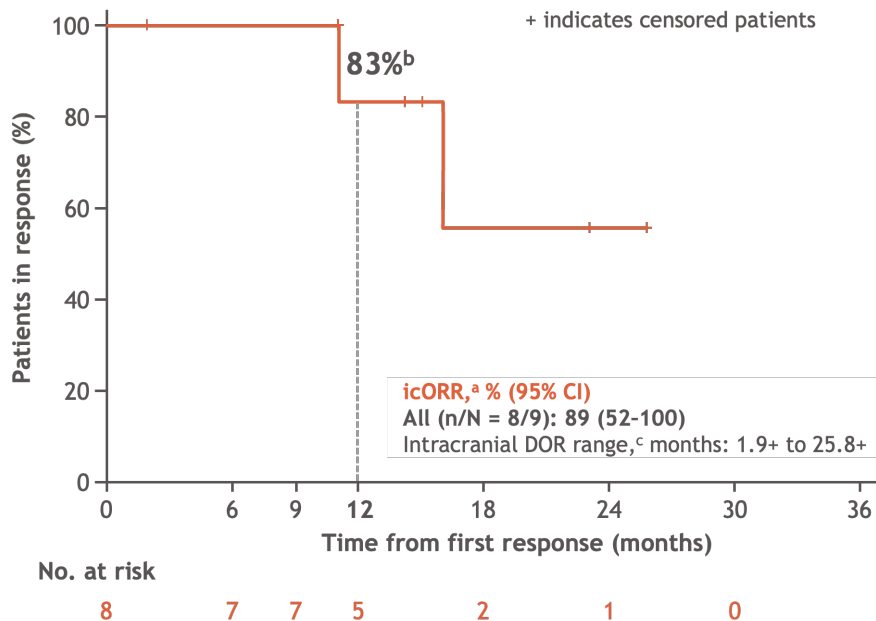
- Of patients in the *ROS1* TKI-naïve cohort treated at the RP2D (n = 63), median PFS was NE months (95% CI, 27.4-NE)<sup>g</sup> and median OS was NE<sup>h</sup>

Median follow-up: 24.0 months (range, 14.2-66.6).

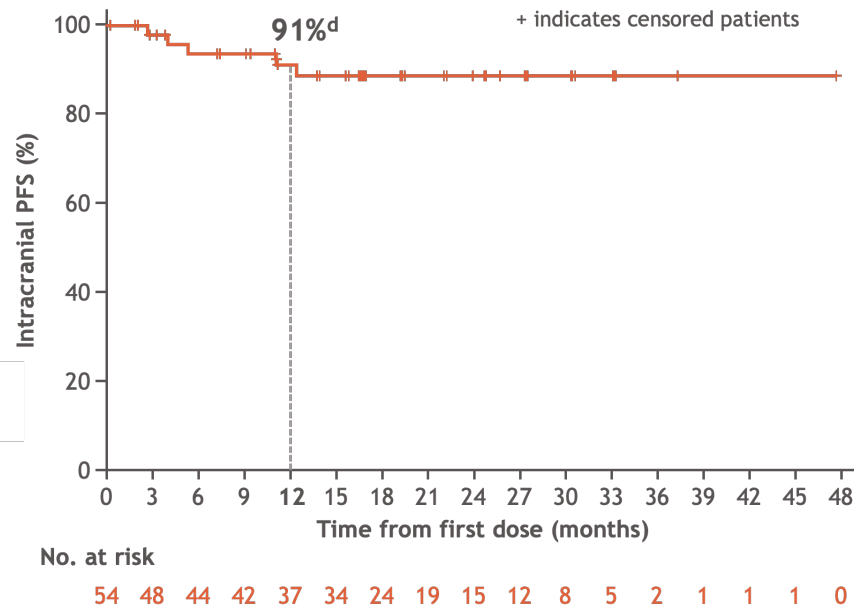
<sup>a</sup>95% CI, 66-87. <sup>b</sup>95% CI, 59-81. <sup>c</sup>Number of events = 23; number of patients censored (%) = 48 (68). <sup>d</sup>95% CI, 84-98. <sup>e</sup>95% CI, 80-96. <sup>f</sup>Number of events = 12; number of patients censored (%) = 59 (83). <sup>g</sup>12- and 18-month PFS rates (95% CI) were 76% (64-87) and 70% (58-82), respectively. <sup>h</sup>12- and 18-month OS rates (95% CI) were 92% (85-99) and 88% (80-96), respectively.

# Repotrectinib in TKI-Naïve *ROS1* Fusion+ NSCLC (TRIDENT-1): Intracranial Efficacy

Intracranial DOR in patients with measurable baseline brain metastasis



Intracranial PFS in patients without baseline brain metastasis



# ROS1: Emerging Data on the Efficacy of Next-Gen ROS1 TKIs in the 1L Setting

## FDA Approves Repotrectinib for Locally Advanced or Metastatic ROS1+ NSCLC

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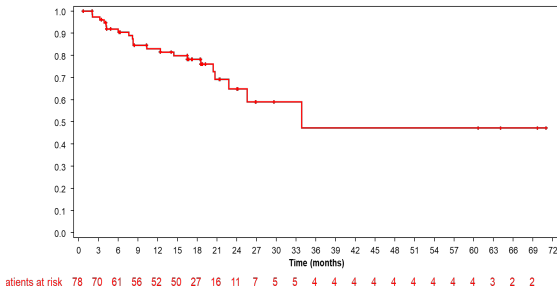
The regulatory decision is based on findings from the phase 1/2 TRIDENT-1 study (NCT03093116). In TKI-naïve patients (n = 71), repotrectinib elicited a confirmed objective response rate (ORR) of 79% (95% CI, 68%-88%), which included a complete response (CR) rate of 6% and a partial response (PR) rate of 73%. The median duration

of response (DOR) was 34.1 months (95% CI, 25.6-not evaluable [NE]). Seventy percent of patients experienced a response that lasted for at least 12 months.

In those who were pretreated with 1 prior ROS1 TKI and who did not receive prior chemotherapy or immunotherapy (n = 56), the confirmed ORR was 38% (95% CI, 25%-52%), which was comprised of a 5% CR rate and a 32% PR rate. In this group, the median DOR was 14.8 months (95% CI, 7.6-NE) with 48% of patients experiencing a response that persisted for 12 months or longer.

***Taletrectinib (phase 1+2 pooled data, China TRUST)<sup>2</sup>***  
**Median PFS 33.2 months (22.1-NR)**  
**18-month DOR rate 81.3%**  
**Median follow-up 18.0 months**

PFS



IC-ORR\*

Efficacy (N=12)	
IC-ORR, % (n/N) [95% CI]	91.7 (11/12) [61.5% – 99.8%]
IC-DCR, % (n/N) [95% CI]	100 (12/12) [73.5% – 100.0%]

*\*includes both TKI-naïve and -pretreated*

1. Cho BC et al. WCLC 2023. Abstract 3255.  
2. Li W et al. ELCC 2023. Abstract 14MO.

# ROS1: Advances in Addressing Resistance with Next-Generation TKIs

	Lorlatinib (Phase 1/2)	Repotrectinib (TRIDENT-1 Phase 1/2)	Taletrectinib (TRUST-II Global Phase 2 <sup>1</sup> )	NVL-520 (ARROS-1 Phase 1)
Patients	N=40	N=56	N=21	N=21
ORR	35% <b>(prior crizotinib)</b>	38% <b>(only 1 prior ROS1 TKI and no prior chemo)*</b> *FDA breakthrough therapy designation	57.1% <b>(1 prior ROS1 TKI and ≤1 prior chemo)*</b> *FDA breakthrough therapy designation	48% • 53% (9/17) with ≥2 prior ROS1 TKI, ≥1 chemo • 50% (9/18) with prior lorlatinib or repotrectinib
Median PFS	8.5 months	9.0 months	11.7 months	Not reported
CNS activity	12/24 (50%) with measurable or nonmeasurable CNS disease	5/13 (38%) with measurable CNS metastases	5/8 (62.5%) with measurable CNS metastases	CNS responses reported
Clinical ROS1 G2032R activity	Response in 0/6 (0%) patients with a baseline ROS1 G2032R in plasma	Responses in 10/17 (59%) patients with a baseline ROS1 G2032R	Responses in 4/5 (80%) patients with a baseline ROS1 G2032R <sup>2</sup>	Responses in 7/9 (78%) patients with a baseline ROS1 G2032R
Most common TRAEs or TEAEs (all grades)	Hypercholesterolemia, hypertriglyceridemia, edema, peripheral neuropathy, cognitive/mood effects, weight increased	Dizziness, dysgeusia, constipation, paresthesia, dyspnea, anemia, fatigue, nausea, muscular weakness, ataxia	Diarrhea, nausea, vomiting, ALT increase, AST increase, anemia, neutrophil count decrease	No DLTs or treatment-related SAEs or dizziness reported
Reference	Shaw AT et al. <i>Lancet Oncol.</i> 2019.	Cho BC et al. WCLC 2023.	1. Pérol M et al. ESMO 2023 2. Li W et al. ELCC 2023.	Drilon A et al. EORTC-NCI-AACR 2022.

TARGETED THERAPY

***RET* FUSION+ LUNG CANCER**

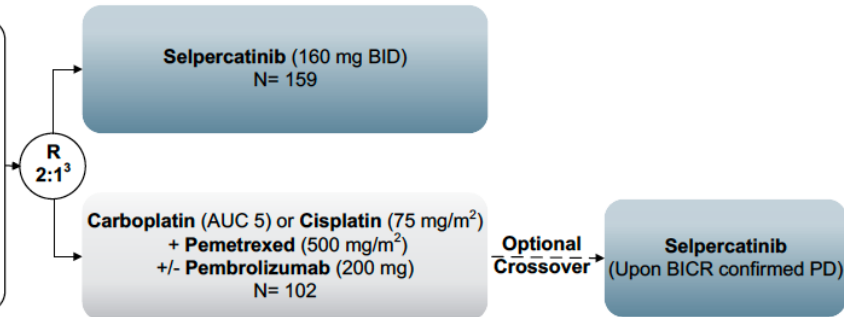
# Selective RET TKIs (Selpercatinib and Pralsetinib) in *RET* Fusion+ NSCLC

	Platinum-Pretreated		Treatment-Naïve	
	Selpercatinib (LIBRETTO-001)	Pralsetinib (ARROW)	Selpercatinib (LIBRETTO-001)	Pralsetinib (ARROW)
<b>Patients</b>	N=247	N=136	N=69	N=75
<b>ORR (95% CI)</b>	61% (55-67)	59% (50-67)	84% (73-92)	72% (60-82)
<b>Median PFS (95% CI)</b>	24.9 months (19.3-NE)	16.5 months (10.5-24.1)	22.0 months (13.8 months-NE)	13.0 months (9.1-NR)
<b>Median duration follow-up</b>	24.7 months	18.4 months (13.2-19.8)	21.9 months	9.2 months (8.6-11.0)
<b>Median DOR (95% CI)</b>	28.6 months (20.4-NE)	22.3 months (15.1-NR)	20.2 months (13.0-NE)	NR (9.0 months-NR)
<b>Median duration follow-up</b>	21.2 months	16.7 months (12.9-18.5)	20.3 months	7.4 months (6.4-9.5)
<b>Intracranial ORR (95% CI)</b>	85% (65-96) (n=26 – pretreated + treatment-naïve)	70% (35-93) (n=10; 1/10 received prior non-platinum therapy)		
<b>Reference</b>	Drilon A et al. <i>J Clin Oncol.</i> 2022.	Griesinger F et al. <i>Ann Oncol.</i> 2022.	Drilon A et al. <i>J Clin Oncol.</i> 2023.	Griesinger F et al. <i>Ann Oncol.</i> 2022.



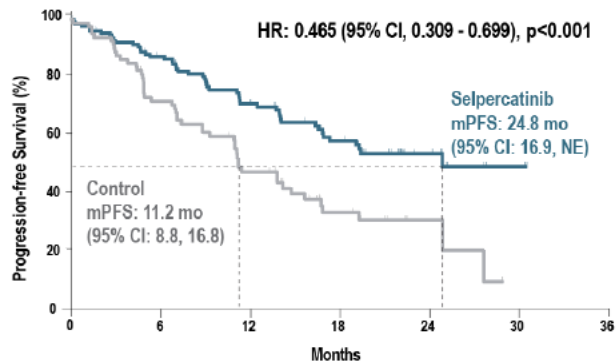
# LIBRETTO-431: 1L Selpercatinib Superior to Platinum/Pemetrexed +/- Pembrolizumab

- Key Eligibility Criteria**
- ☐ Stage IIIB-IIIC<sup>1</sup>, IV non-squamous NSCLC
  - ☐ No prior systemic therapy for metastatic disease
  - ☐ RET fusion identified via NGS or PCR
  - ☐ ECOG PS 0-2
  - ☐ Symptomatic CNS metastases excluded
- Stratification factors:**
- ☐ Geography (East Asian vs. non-East Asian)
  - ☐ Brain metastases (present vs. absent/unknown)<sup>2</sup>
  - ☐ Investigator's choice of treatment with pembrolizumab



## ITT-Pembrolizumab Population

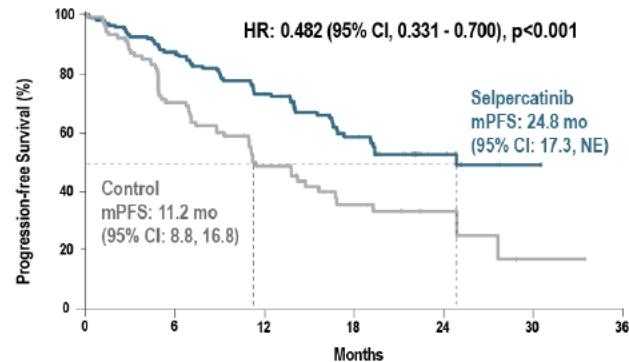
(Median follow-up of ~19 mo)



No. at Risk	0	6	12	18	24	30	36
Selpercatinib	129	105	72	44	16	2	0
Control	83	55	29	15	6	0	0

## ITT Population

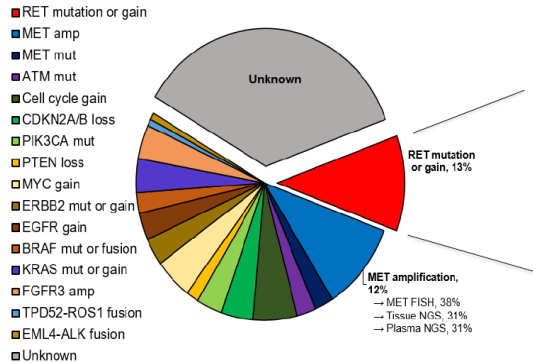
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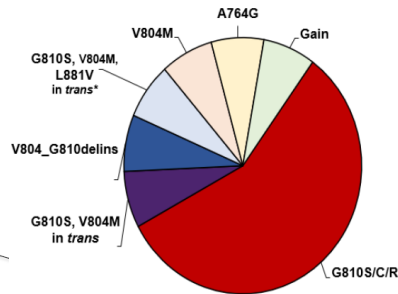
No. at Risk	0	6	12	18	24	30	36
Selpercatinib	159	130	90	52	18	3	0
Control	102	63	33	16	7	1	0

# RET: Resistance to Selective RET Inhibitors

## Global RETgistry consortium, initial data



**Fig. 2.** Putative on- and off-target resistance mechanisms detected in post-RET TKI biopsies. The diagnostic method used for *MET* amplification detection is listed.



**Fig. 3.** On-target (*RET*) resistance alterations detected in post-RET TKI biopsies. \*G810 and V804M mutations known to be in *trans*.

- Retrospective multi-institutional study
- 105 biopsies from 89 patients progressing on selective RET TKI
- **Acquired *RET* mutations in 13%**
- **The most common *RET* resistance mutation is G810X**
  - **Solvent front mutation analogous to ALK G1202R and ROS1 G2032R**
  - **Detected in 10%**

# RET: Advances in Addressing Resistance with Next-Generation RET TKIs

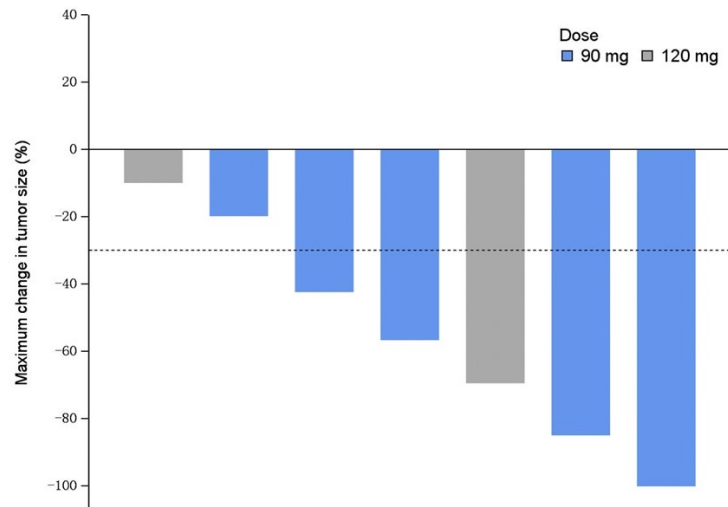
Compound	RET Substitution Coverage			VEGFR2	Other Non-RET Kinases	CNS?	Status
	V804X Gatekeeper	G810X Solvent Front	Other RET Mutation				
TPX-0046 <sup>1</sup>	Less potent	✓	Y806N (hinge)	-	TRKA-C, SRC, FGFR1-2, FLT3, JAK2	?	Phase I/II (NCT04161391)
LOXO-260 <sup>2</sup>	✓	✓	G810S+V804M	-	TRKC (40x selectivity)	?	Phase I/II (NCT05241834)
Vepafestinib <sup>3,4</sup> (TAS0953/HM06)	✓	✓	Y806C/N	-		✓	Phase I/II (NCT04683250)
EP0031 <sup>5</sup> (A400/KL590586)	✓	✓		-	JAK1/2 (10-22x selectivity)	✓	Phase I/II (NCT05443126)
APS03118 <sup>6</sup>	✓	✓	Y806H	-		✓	Phase I/II (NCT05653869)

Data based on publicly-available preclinical data; grey = unknown

1. Drilon A et al. ESMO 2019. Abstract 4307. 2. Kolakowski GR et al. AACR 2021. Poster 1464. 3. Miyazaki I et al. AACR-NCI-EORTC 2021. Abstract P06-02. 4. Odintsov I et al. AACR-NCI-EORTC 2021. Abstract P233. 5. Zhou Q et al. ASCO 2023. Abstract 3007. 6. Drilon A et al. AACR 2022. Abstract 5363.

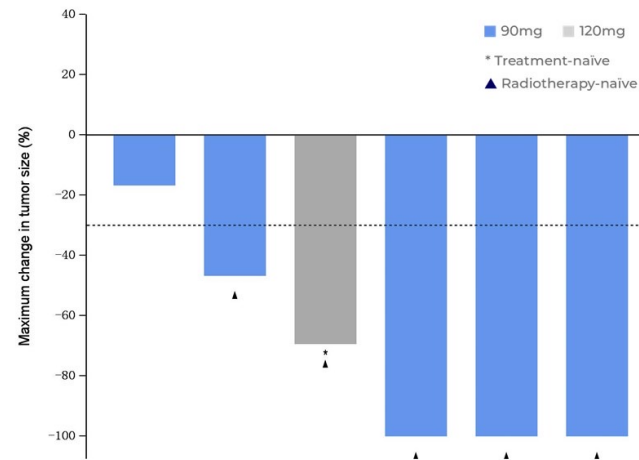
# RET: Early Efficacy Data of EP0031, Next-Generation Selective RET TKI From China Phase I Study (KL400-I/II-01, NCT05265091)

TARGET LESION RESPONSE IN NSCLC PATIENTS WITH PRIOR 1ST GEN SRI TREATMENT



INTRACRANIAL RESPONSE IN NSCLC

- 5/6 patients with intracranial target lesions at baseline had intracranial responses
- 100% shrinkage observed in 3 patients



Data cut-off date: 20 Apr 2023.

# Response of *RET*-Amplified NSCLC to Selpercatinib

## Case: response to selpercatinib in *RET*-amplified NSCLC

### CASE SCENARIO:

- 69-year-old man with stage III NSCLC (favor adenocarcinoma) treated with chemoradiation + durvalumab, with metastatic disease recurrence in the right axillary lymph node and CNS (frontal lobe lesion)
- SRS to brain metastasis deferred given lesion's proximity to optic nerve.

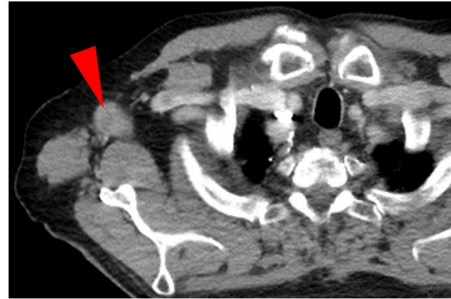
### GENOMICS:

- Focal *RET* amplification (22 and 28 copies on initial and recurrent biopsy specimens, respectively) without *RET* fusion or other drivers.

### TREATMENT OUTCOMES:

- Initiated on selpercatinib 160 mg BID.
- Experienced a systemic and intracranial response (complete response in right axillary lymph node, -53% reduction in brain lesion). Response ongoing at ~5 months.
- Treatment has been well-tolerated.

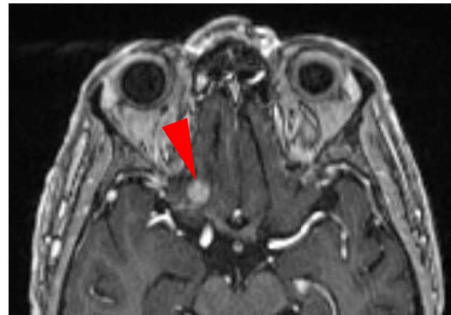
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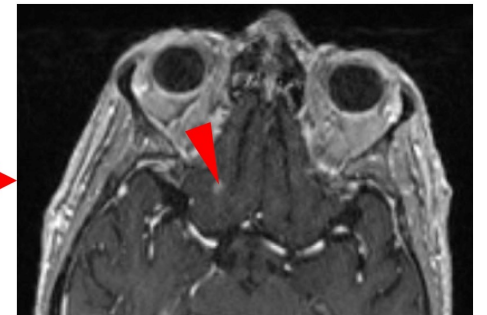
~5 months after selpercatinib initiation



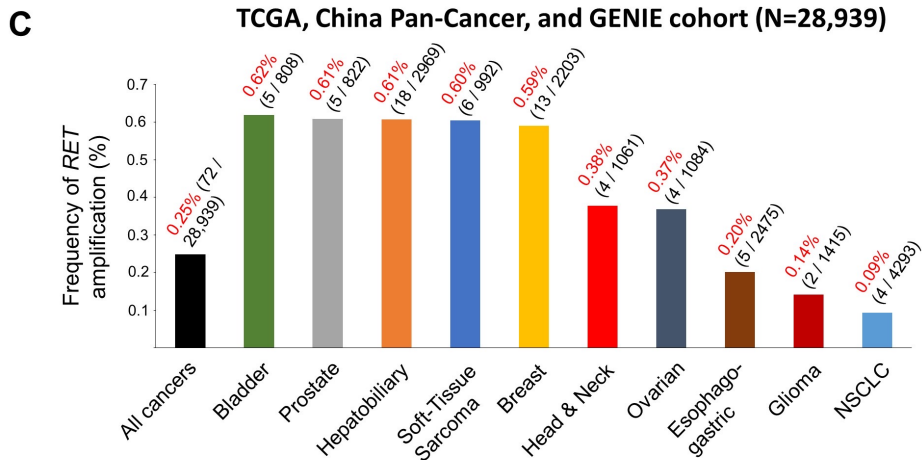
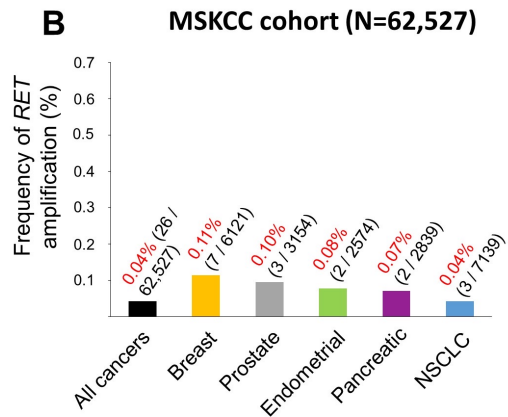
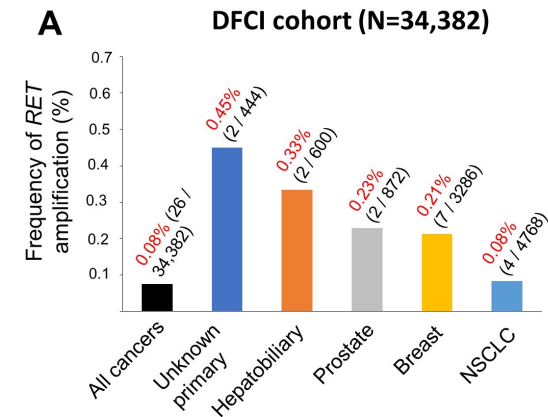
Before selpercatinib



~3 months after selpercatinib initiation

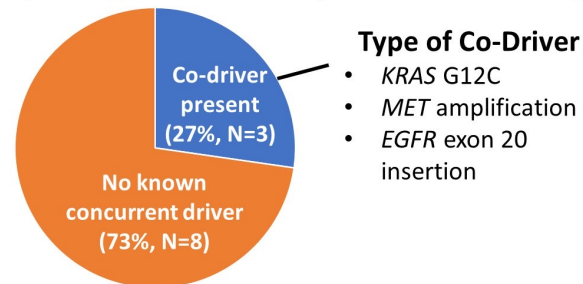


# RET Amplification Across Cancers



- Frequency 0.04-0.25% among all cancers and 0.04-0.09% in NSCLC
- Occurs without a concurrent driver in a subset of NSCLC

**D** Concurrent Driver Alterations (among N=11 RET-amplified NSCLC cases)

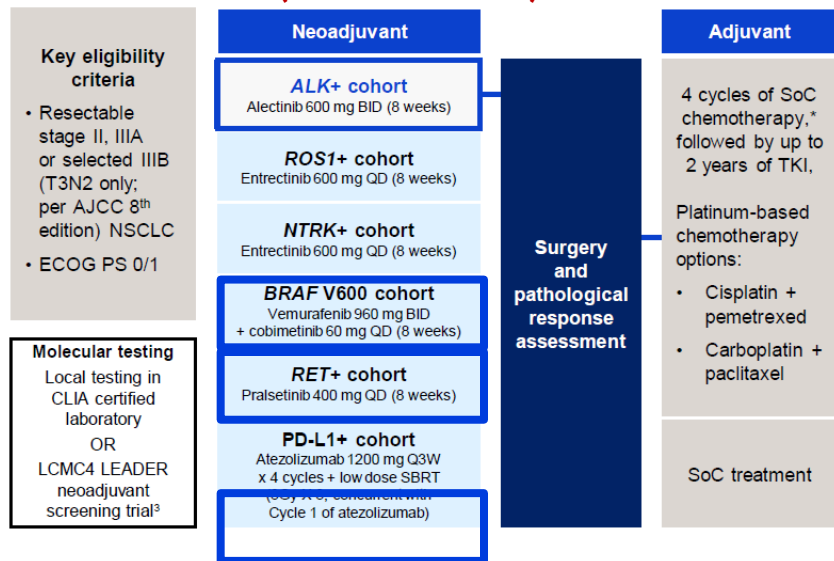


**Type of Co-Driver**

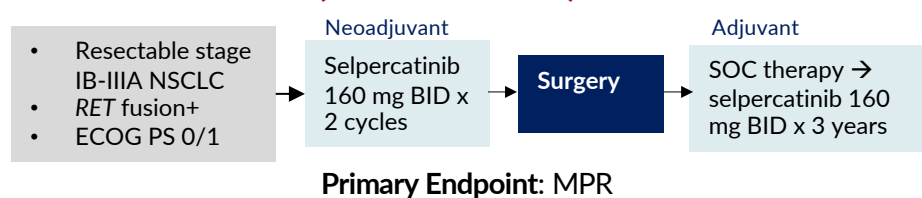
- KRAS G12C
- MET amplification
- EGFR exon 20 insertion

# Assessing RET TKIs in Earlier-Stage *RET* Fusion-Driven NSCLC: Adjuvant and Neoadjuvant RET TKI Trials

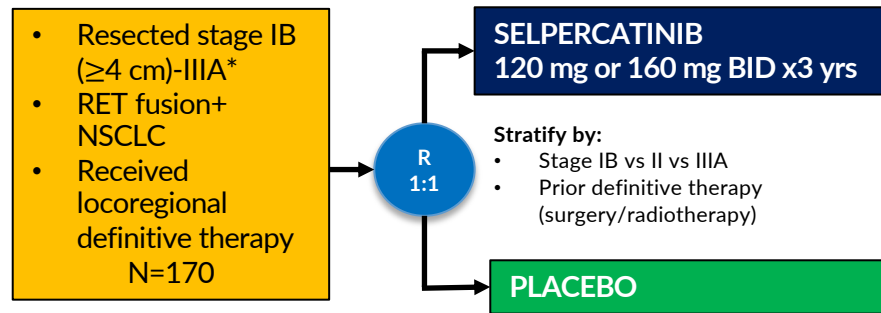
## NAUTIKA1 (NCT04302025)<sup>1,2</sup>



## LIBRETTO-001, cohort 7 (NCT03157128)<sup>3,4</sup>



## LIBRETTO-432 (NCT04819100)<sup>5</sup>



<sup>1</sup>Lee JM et al., WCLC 2022; <sup>2</sup>Clinicaltrials.gov, <https://classic.clinicaltrials.gov/ct2/show/NCT04302025> (accessed 16 Jul 2023)

<sup>3</sup>Rajaram R et al., ASCO 2022; <sup>4</sup>Clinicaltrials.gov, <https://classic.clinicaltrials.gov/ct2/show/NCT03157128> (accessed 16 Jul 2023)

<sup>5</sup>Clinicaltrials.gov, <https://classic.clinicaltrials.gov/ct2/show/NCT04819100> (accessed 16 Jul 2023)

# IO in *ALK/ROS1/RET* Fusion+ NSCLC: Minimal Benefit from ICI Monotherapy

Driver	n	RR	PFS	OS	Impact (+/-) on PFS of				Comments
					PDL1	Smoking	Nb line	Subtype	
Total		19%	2.8	13.3					Outcome consistent with registration trials for ICI
KRAS	271	26%	3.2	13.5	+	X	X	X	Clear benefit across all subgroups
EGFR	125	12%	2.1	10	+	X	X	+/- <sub>(1)</sub>	Could be considered in PDL1 + after TKIs exhaustion
BRAF	43	24%	3.1	13.6	NA	+	X	X	Could be considered in smokers
MET	36	16%	3.4	18.4	NA	X	NA	X	Could be considered after conventional treatment
HER2	29	7%	2.5	20.3	NA	+	X	NA	
ALK	23	0	2.5	17	NA	-	X	NA	Poor outcome. New biomarker needed.
RET	16	6%	2.1	21.3					
ROS1	7	17%	-	-					

+ : positive impact on PFS

X : non-significant impact on PFS

- : negative impact on PFS



# Limited Evidence Regarding Role for Chemo + Anti-PD(L)1 +/- Anti-VEGF – Borrowing Data Mostly from EGFRmut NSCLC

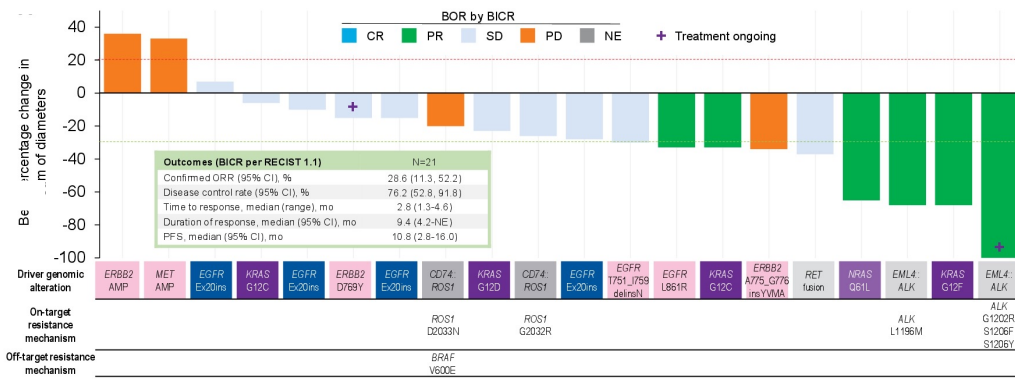
Trial	Treatment	Genotype	N	ORR	PFS	OS
KEYNOTE-789 <sup>1</sup>	Pembrolizumab + platinum/pem vs platinum/pem	EGFR	245 vs 247	29.0% vs 27.1%	HR 0.80 (0.65-0.97) 5.6 mo vs 5.5 mo	HR 0.84 (0.69-1.02) 15.9 mo vs 14.7 mo
CheckMate-722 <sup>2</sup>	Nivolumab + platinum/pem vs platinum/pem	EGFR	144 vs 150	31% vs 27%	HR 0.75 (0.56-1.00) 5.6 mo vs 5.4 mo	HR 0.82 (0.61-1.10) 19.4 mo vs 15.9 mo
ORIENT-31 <sup>3</sup>	Sintilimab + IBI305 + cis/pem (arm A) vs sintilimab + cis/pem (arm B) vs cis/pem (arm C)	EGFR	158 vs 158 vs 160	48.1% vs 34.8% vs 29.4%	Arm A vs C: HR 0.51 (0.39-0.67) Arm B vs C: HR 0.72 (0.55-0.94) 7.2 mo vs 5.5 mo vs 4.3 mo	Arm A vs C: HR 0.98 (0.72-1.34) Arm B vs C: HR 0.97 (0.71-1.32) 21.1 mo vs 20.5 mo vs 19.2 mo
IMpower150 <sup>4,5</sup>	Atezolizumab + bev + carbo/pac vs atezolizumab + carbo/pac vs bev + carbo/pac	EGFR subgroup	34 vs 45 vs 44	70.6% vs 35.6% vs 41.9%	ABCP vs BCP HR 0.61 (0.36-1.03) ACP vs BCP HR 1.14 (0.73-1.78) 10.2 mo vs 6.9 mo vs 6.9 mo	ABCP vs BCP HR 0.91 (0.53-1.59) ACP vs BCP HR 1.16 (0.71-1.89) 26.1 mo vs 21.4 mo vs 20.3 mo
IMpower151 <sup>6</sup>	Atezolizumab + bev + carbo + pem/pac vs bev + carbo + pem/pac	EGFR/ALK subgroup	81 vs 82	-----	HR 0.86 (0.61, 1.21) 8.5 mo vs 8.3 mo	-----
ATLAS, KCSG-LU19-04 <sup>7</sup>	Atezolizumab + bev + carbo/pac vs PT/pem	EGFR/ALK	154 vs 74	69.5% vs 41.9%	HR 0.62 (0.45-0.86) 8.48 mo vs 5.62 mo	HR 1.01 (0.69-1.46) 20.63 mo vs 20.27 mo

<sup>1</sup>Yang J et al., ASCO 2023; <sup>2</sup>Mok T et al., ESMO Asia 2022; <sup>3</sup>Lu S et al., Lancet Respir Med 2023;11(7):624-36; <sup>4</sup>Reck M et al., Lancet Respir Med 2019;7(5):387-401;

<sup>5</sup>Nogami N et al., J Thorac Oncol 2022;17(2):309-23; <sup>6</sup>Zhou C et al., WCLC 2023; <sup>7</sup>Ahn MJ et al., ESMO 2023

# Exploring resistance mechanism-agnostic approach ADCs in TKI-Resistant Fusion-Driven NSCLC

## Activity of **patritumab deruxtecan** in NSCLC with non-classical EGFRmut AGAs<sup>1</sup>



- **Patritumab deruxtecan** (anti-HER3 ADC)<sup>1</sup> & **datopotamab deruxtecan** (anti-TROP2 ADC)<sup>2</sup> have shown signals of activity in patients with fusion-driven NSCLC (small n's)

- In early data, clinical activity of ADCs across AGA subsets appears **irrespective of the spectrum of known or unknown resistance mechanisms**<sup>1-3</sup>

## Activity of **datopotamab deruxtecan** in NSCLC with AGAs<sup>2</sup> including EGFR and ALK

Response per BICR	All treated patients (N=137)	Patients with EGFR mutations (N=78)	Patients with ALK rearrangement (N=34)
<b>ORR confirmed, n (%) [95% CI]<sup>a</sup></b>	49 (35.8) [27.8-44.4]	34 (43.6) [32.4-55.3]	8 (23.5) [10.7-41.2]
<b>Median DOR (95% CI), months</b>	7.0 (4.2-9.8)	7.0 (4.2-10.2)	7.0 (2.8-8.4)
<b>DCR confirmed, n (%) [95% CI]<sup>a</sup></b>	108 (78.8) [71.0-85.3]	64 (82.1) [71.7-89.8]	25 (73.5) [55.6-87.1]
<b>Median PFS, (95% CI), months<sup>b</sup></b>	5.4 (4.7-7.0)	5.8 (5.4-8.3)	4.3 (2.6-6.9)

<sup>1</sup>Steuer C et al., ASCO 2022; <sup>2</sup>Paz Ares L et al., ESMO 2023  
<sup>3</sup>HA et al., WCLC 2023; doi: 10.1200/JCO.23.01476

# Highlights from ASCO, WCLC, ESMO 2023 on *ALK/ROS1/RET* Fusion-Driven NSCLC

- ✓ Adjuvant alectinib represents a new standard treatment strategy for patients with surgically resected, stage IB-IIIa, ALK+ NSCLC
- ✓ Across fusion-driven lung cancers, targeted therapy represents the standard-of-care 1L treatment in the advanced/metastatic setting
- ✓ Next-generation TKIs can be accessed through clinical trials after disease relapse on 1L targeted therapies and have shown promising results across *ALK*, *ROS1*, *RET* fusion+ NSCLC
- ✓ Anti-PD(L)1 immune checkpoint inhibitors are generally not effective in fusion-driven lung cancers, and we have not seen conclusive data to support the chemo + anti-PD(L)1 + anti-angiogenic strategy post-TKIs
- ✓ ADCs have shown encouraging activity in TKI-refractory, fusion-driven lung cancers