



# Reducing Risk of Recurrence in HER2+ Early Breast Cancer



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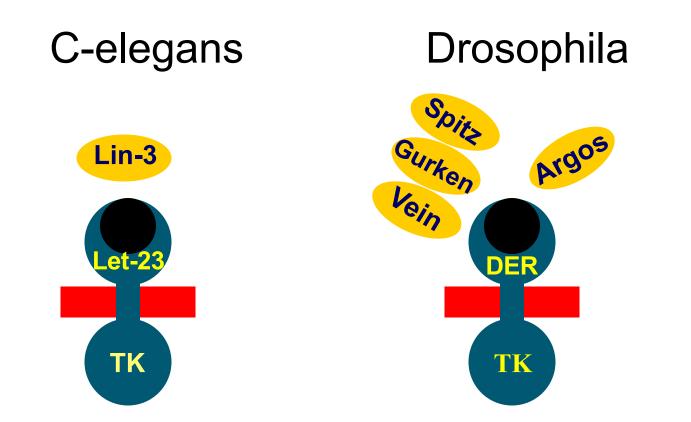


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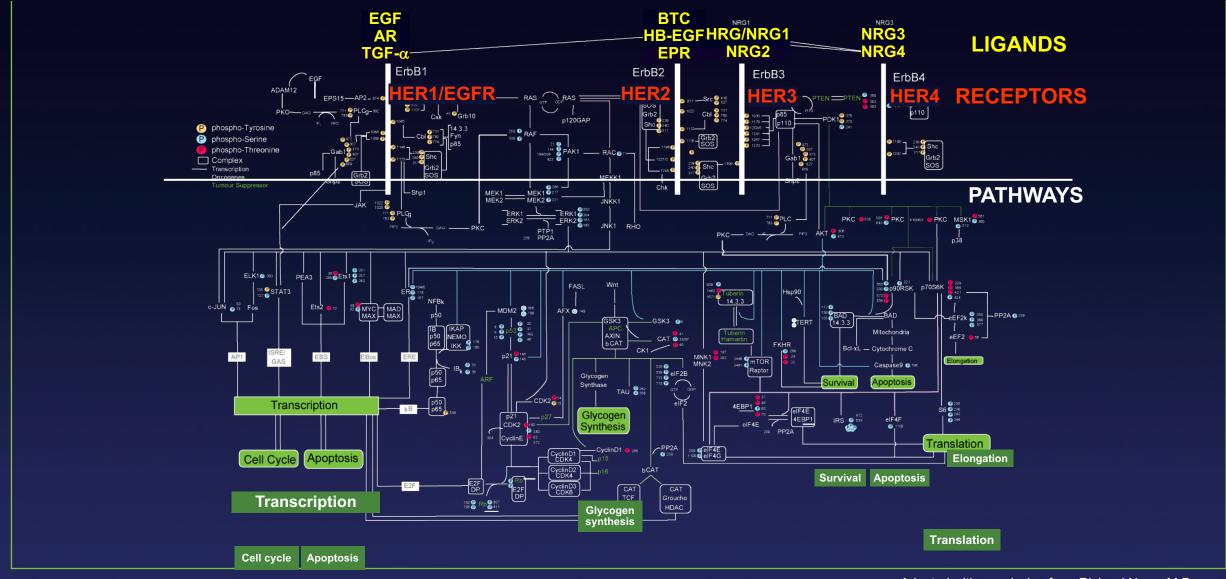


# Evolution of Epidermal Growth Factor Receptors From ~600M Years Ago



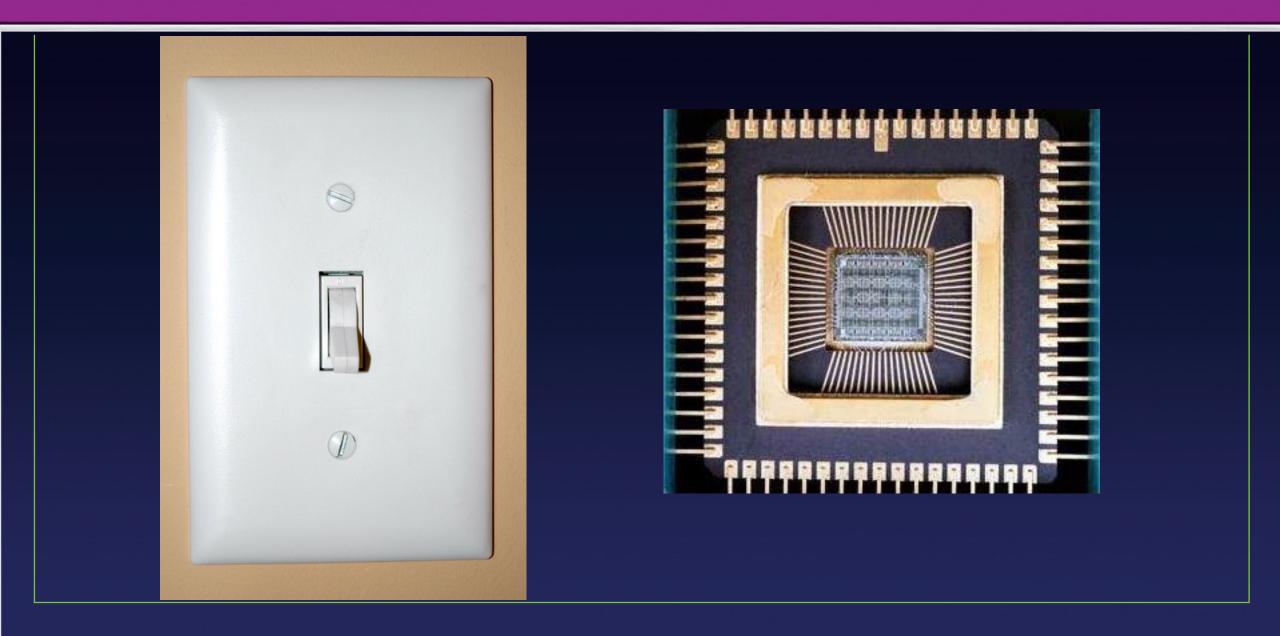
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## The Human Epidermal Growth Factor Receptor (HER) signaling network

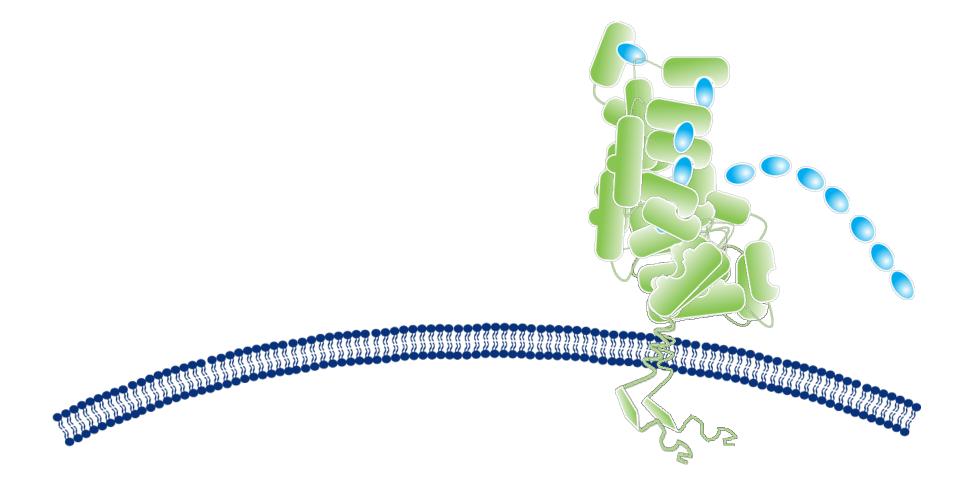


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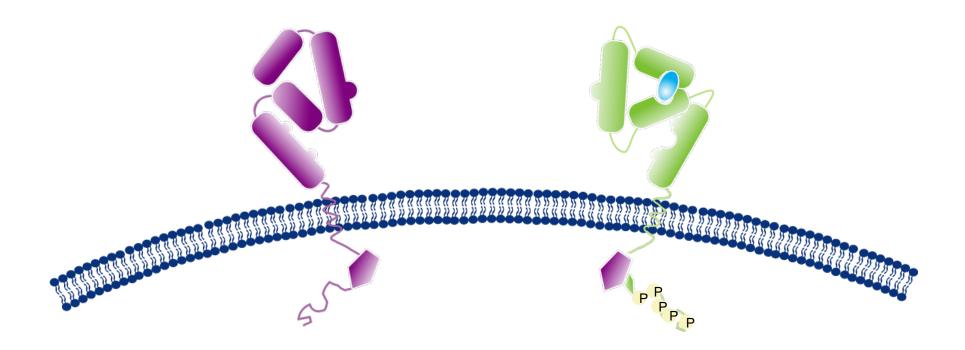
## Analogy to Signaling Networks in Biological Systems



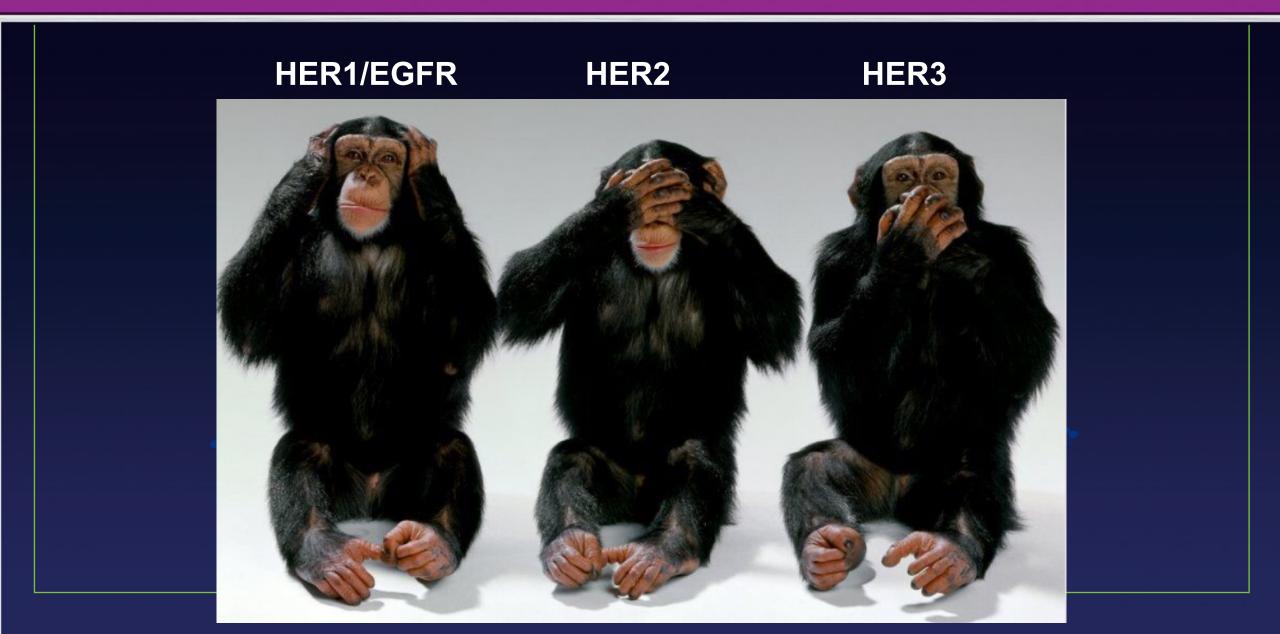
Ligand binding to HER receptors changes conformation from closed "tethered" to "open" form, exposing dimerization interface



# HER dimerization is key to signaling activity



## Human Epidermal Receptors: Structure/Function Relationships



# Ligand Activation of HER-Family Receptors

<u>Growth Factors</u> Diversity of GFs initiates HER combinatorial signaling and drug resistance

Receptors Signal Integrators

Signaling Proteins Diversity of Response

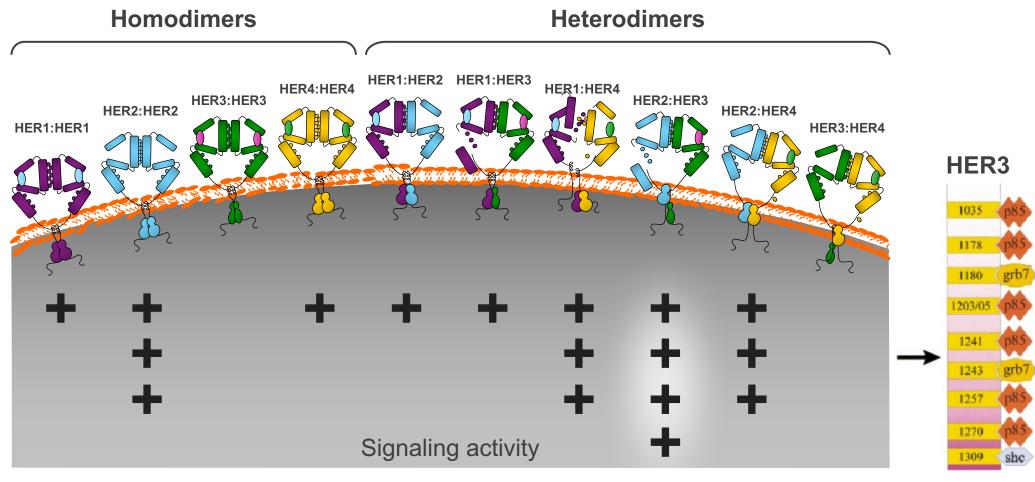
NRG-**IB-EGF** NRG NRG-2 HER3 HER1 HER2 HER4

**Signal Amplifier** 

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Cell Behavior (Malignancy)

## HER2:HER3 Dimers Initiate the Strongest Mitogenic Signaling

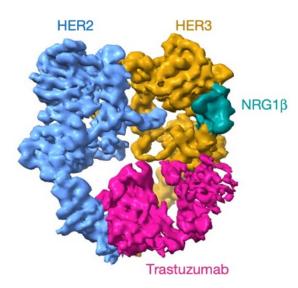


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Cytoplasmic Domain aa Sequence

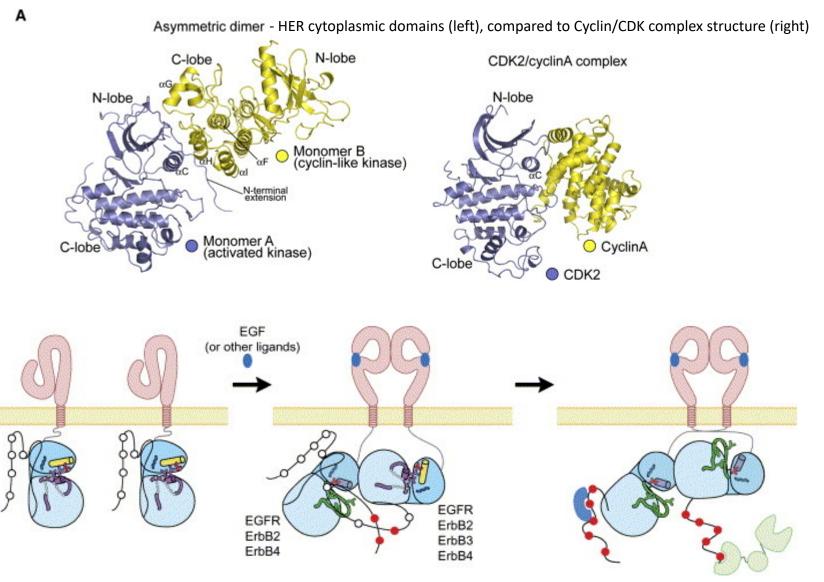
## **General Model for Activation of the EGFR Family**

The HER2–HER3–NRG1β cryo-EM structure accommodates trastuzumab binding



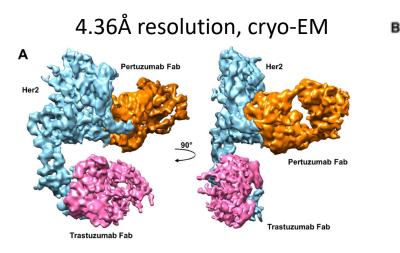
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Five-Ångstrom lowpassfiltered density of the HER2(S310F)–HER3–NRG1β heterocomplex bound to trastuzumab Fab

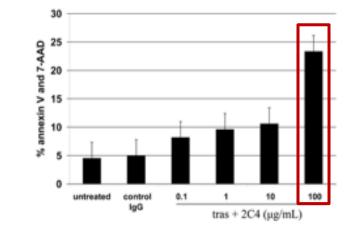


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Pertuzumab Binds Subdomain II and Disrupts Ligand-*Dependent* HER2:HER3 Interaction; Trastuzumab + Pertuzumab Induces Apoptosis

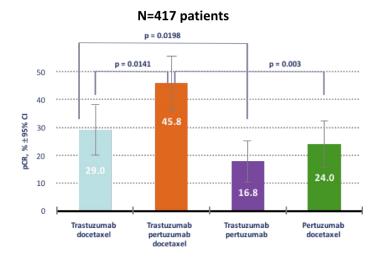


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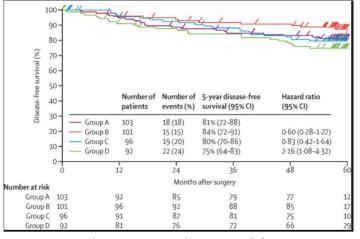


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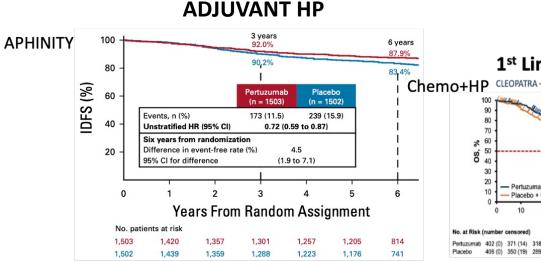




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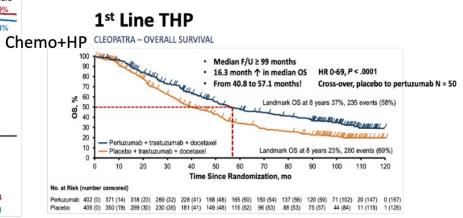


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### **1<sup>ST</sup>-LINE METASTATIC HP**

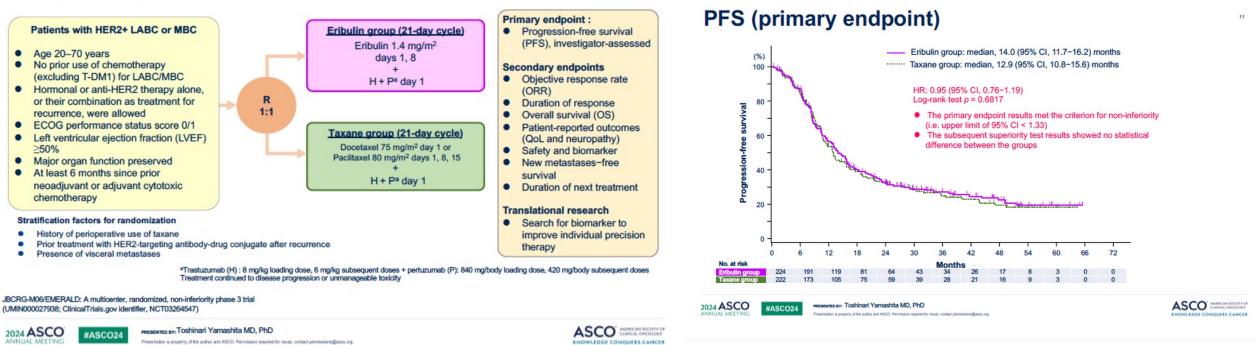


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## ASCO 2024 – HER2+ MBC

## **Optimal 1<sup>st</sup> L chemotherapy partner (#1007 - EMERALD)**

### Study design

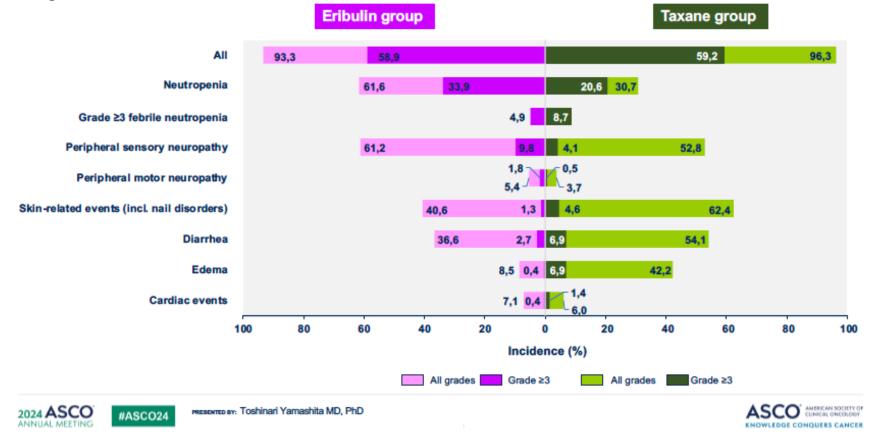


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### Drug-related treatment-emergent adverse events Special interest

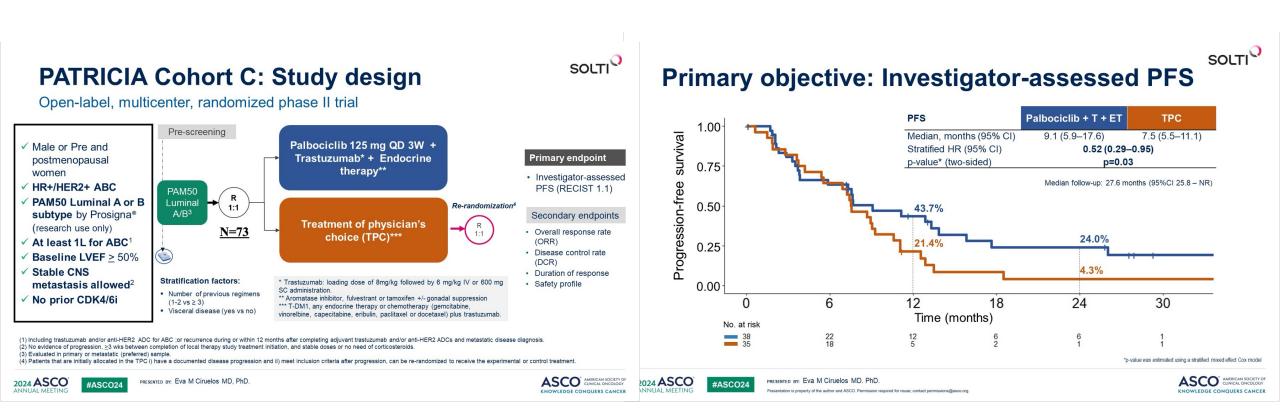


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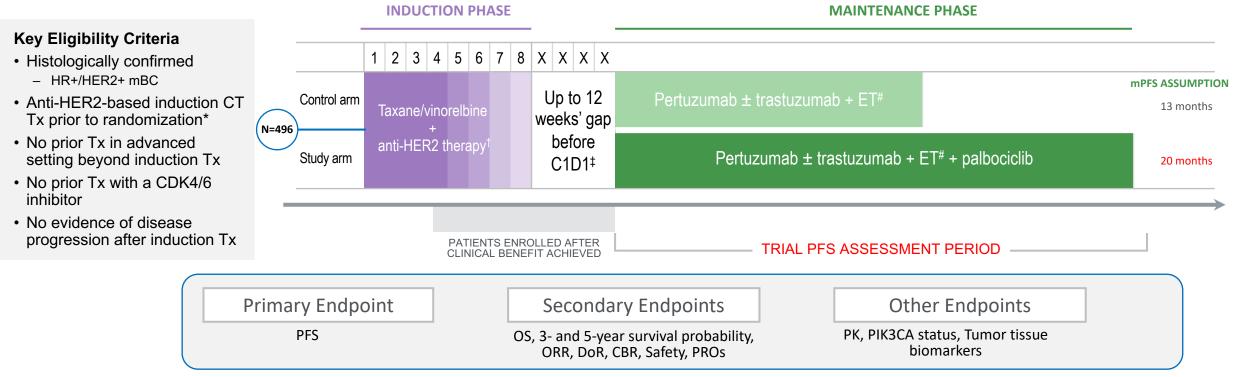
### CDK 4/6 inhibition + endocrine therapy + Tras Versus TPC (T-DM1, or Endocrine Rx + Tras, or Chemo\* + Tras)

\*GEM, NAV, CAPE, PAC, DOC or Eribulin



# PATINA: Palbociclib in 1<sup>st</sup>-line HR+/HER2+ mBC as Maintenance Treatment<sup>1,2</sup>

The PATINA trial is a randomized Phase III trial designed to demonstrate that the combination of palbociclib with anti-HER2 therapy + endocrine therapy is superior to anti-HER2-based therapy + endocrine therapy alone in improving the outcomes of subjects with HR+/HER2+ mBC



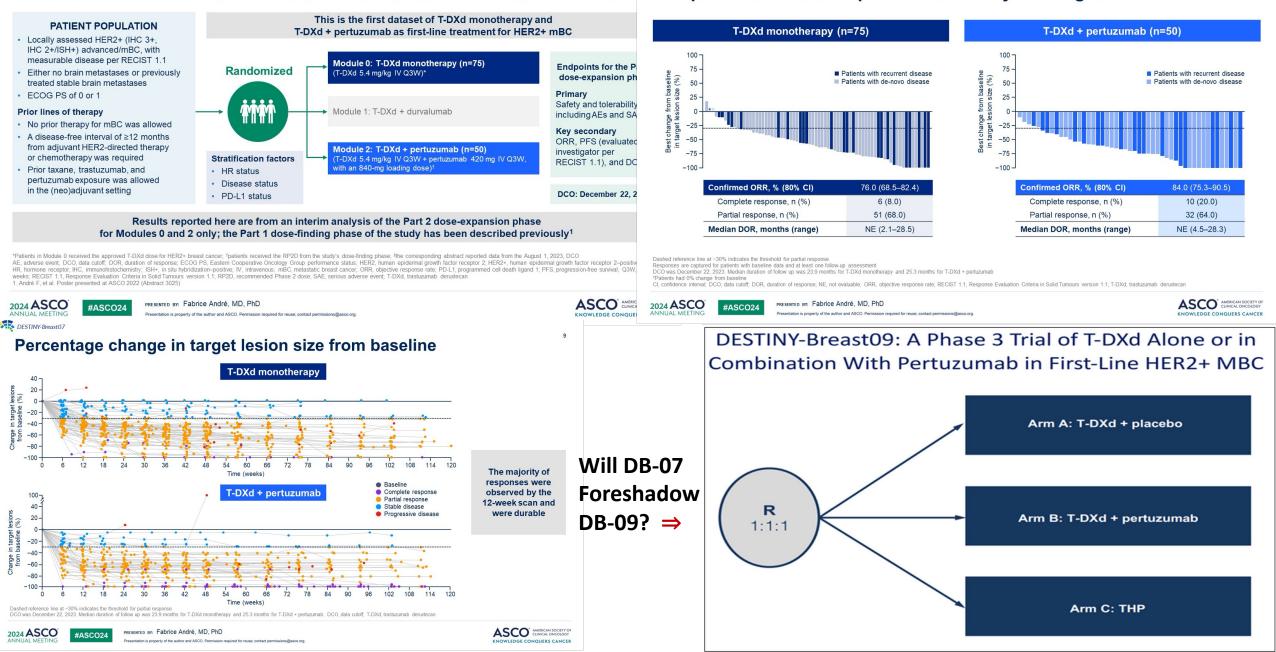
\*Patients received induction therapy for 4–8 cycles depending on tolerability. †Anti-HER2+ Therapy – Anti-HER2 treatment options are trastuzumab + pertuzumab or trastuzumab only (limited to 20% of study patients). The same anti-HER2-regimen should be used pre- and post- randomization. ‡Patients randomized immediately following completion of their induction therapy, or for those who have already completed induction, a gap of 12 weeks between their last infusion/dose of induction therapy and the C1D1 visit was permitted. Patients were eligible provided they were without evidence of disease progression by local assessment (i.e. CR, PR or SD). #Endocrine therapy options are either an aromatase Inhibitor or fulvestrant. Pre-menopausal women must receive ovarian suppression with a LHRH agonist if the patients have not documented ovarian ablation or bilateral oophorectomy before randomization or during the conduct of the study

C1D1 = cycle 1 day 1; CBR = clinical benefit rate; CDK = cyclin-dependent kinase; CR = complete response; CT = chemotherapy; DoR = duration of response; ET = endocrine therapy; HER2(+) = human epidermal growth factor receptor 2 (-positive); HR+ = hormone receptor-positive; LHRH = luteinizing hormone-releasing hormone; mBC = metastatic breast cancer; mPFS = median progression-free survival; ORR = objective response rate; OS = overall survival; PFS = progression-free survival; PIK3CA = phosphatidylinositol-4,5-bisphosphate 3-kinase catalytic subunit alpha; PK = pharmacokinetic; PR = partial response; PRO = patient-reported outcome; SD = stable disease; Tx = treatment.

1. ClinicalTrials.gov NCT02947685. https://www.clinicaltrials.gov/ct2/show/NCT02947685. 2. PATINA (ClinicalTrials.gov NCT02947685) Trial Protocol (data on file).

### Study design

DESTINY-Breast07: a Phase 1b/2, multicenter, open-label, two-part, modular study (NCT04538742)



DESTINY-Breast07

Response to treatment per RECIST 1.1 by investigator

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## Oral SERD + anti-HER2 therapy (#1027)

### Conclusions

Part C: ER+HER2+ ABC

- ≥ 2 prior HER2-directed regimens in any setting
- No prior CD4K/6 inhibitor, no prior fulvestrant

### Part E ER+HER2+ ABC (Maintenance)

- Received induction taxane chemotherapy (of any duration)
- Received trastuzumab + pertuzumab as 1L therapy for ABC
- No disease progression on trastuzumab + pertuzumab
- < 2 prior regimen for ABC</p>
- No prior ET for ABC
- No prior CD4K/6 inhibitor or fulvestrant

\*Patients stratified by prior directed therapies (\$3 vs > 3) for enrollment purposes only

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Imlunestrant (QD) + trastuzumab 6 mg/kg (Q21D)

Imlunestrant (QD) + trastuzumab 6 mg/kg (Q21D) + abemaciclib 150 mg (BID)

Imlunestrant (QD) + trastuzumab 6 mg/kg (Q21D) + pertuzumab 420 mg (Q21D) **Grade 3 TREAs:** Diarrhea 19% Neutropenia 24% Thrombocytopenia 14% Anorexia 5% \*Imlunestrant combined with trastuzumab +/- abemaciclib, or trastuzumab + pertuzumab:

- Was well tolerated, with AEs consistent with the known safety profiles of single-agents
- Demonstrated preliminary antitumor activity in patients with ER+, HER2+ ABC
- Showed no drug-drug interactions

\*The prevalence of ESR1-mutations in this ER+ HER2+ cohort was relatively high and likely reflects the heavily pre-treated nature of the trial population with previous AI exposure

\*Taken together, these findings highlight a potential for imlunestrant as a clinically meaningful addition to existing therapy for patients with ER+, HER2+ ABC

### Table 3. Efficacy

	Imlunestrant + trastuzumab n=18	Imlunestrant + trastuzumab + abemaciclib n=21	Imlunestrant + trastuzumab + pertuzumab n=6
ORR (CR+PR), n/N* (%)	1/14 (7)	5/20 (25)	1/3 (33)
CBR (CR+PR+SD≥24 weeks), n (%)	8 (44)	10 (48)	6 (100)
Disease Control Rate (CR+PR+SD), n (%)	11 (61)	13 (62)	6 (100)

\*ORR evaluable nonulation: natients who have measurable disease

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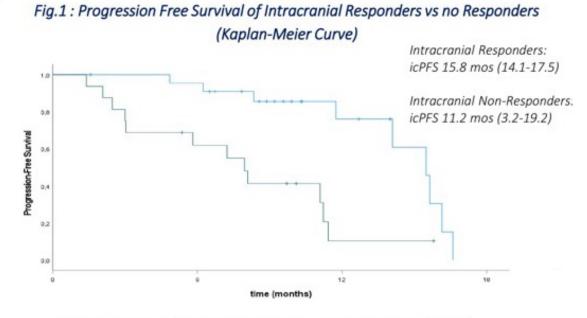
## T-DXd and brain mets (#1032)

### Tab.1 Intracranial Efficacy of T-Dxd

### Tab.2 Intracranial and Global best responses with T-DxD

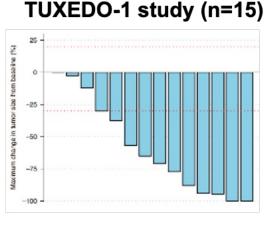
mPFS (months)	15.6	Resp
	(95% CI: 10.5-	
	20.8)	Co
Disease Control Rate (%)	94.9	
	(87.9-100.0)	Re
Duration of Response	11.9	
(months)	(10.1-13.7)	Resp
Clinical Benefit (%)		Stab
6 months	27 (69.2)	Dre
12 months	23 (59.0)	Pro
Overall Survival at 12	76.6	
months (%)		

Response to T- Dxd	Intracranial Best Response n. (%)	Global Best Response n. (%)
Complete Response	1(2.6)	0
Partial Response	22(56.4)	27(69.2)
Overall Response rate	23(59)	27(69.2)
Stable Disease	14(35.9)	10(25.6)
Progressive disease	2(5.1)	2(5.1)

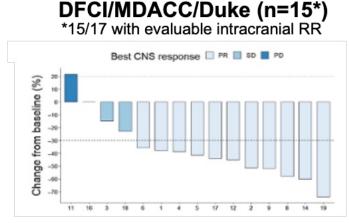


Responders : patients achieving intracranial complete or partial response (total 23). Non-Responders: patients with an intracranial stable disease or progression (total 16).

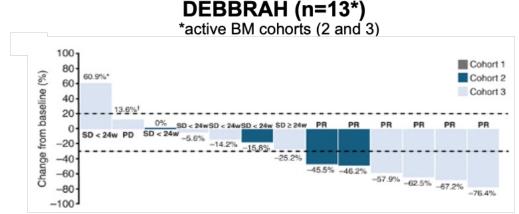
# Trastuzumab Deruxtecan in pts with active brain mets



Intracranial RR = 73.3%



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Overall intracranial RR = 46.2% (asymptomatic untreated + progressing BMs)

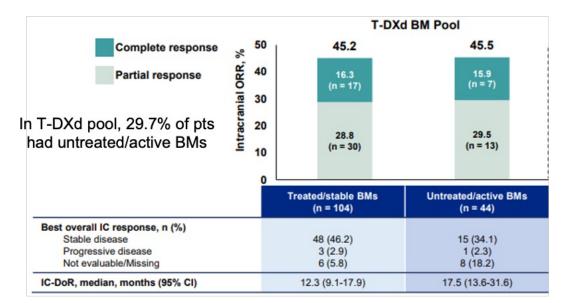


A Pooled Analysis of Trastuzumab Deruxtecan in Patients With HER2-Positive Metastatic Breast Cancer With Brain Metastases (BMs) from DESTINY-Breast01, -02, and -03

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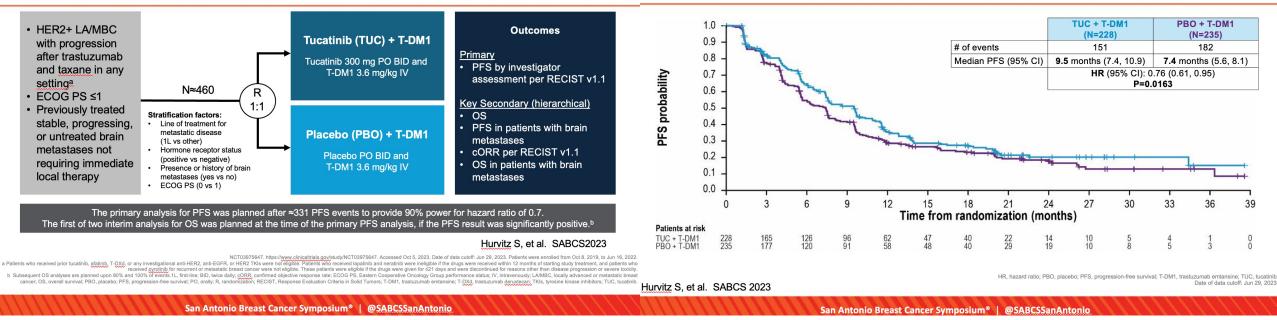
On behalf of the DESTINY-Breast01, -02, and -03 pooled investigators



Bartsch R et al, Nature Medicine 2022; Kabraji S et al, CCR 2023; Pérez-García JM et al, Neuro-Oncology 2023; Hurvitz S et al, ESMO 2023

### HER2CLIMB-02 Study Design

### **HER2CLIMB-02: Progression-Free Survival**

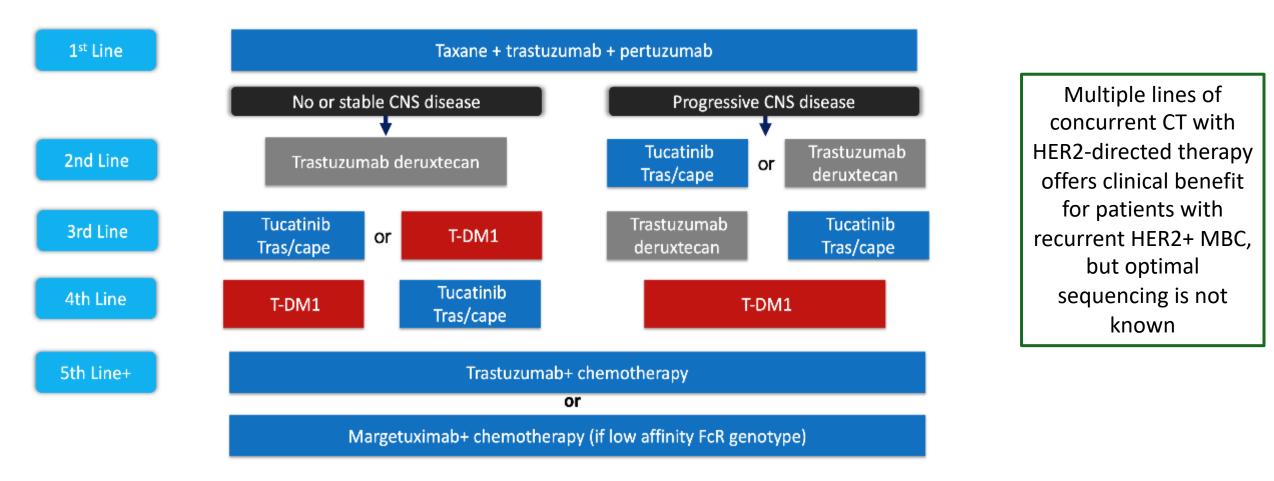


Groups were well-balanced for: age (53-55), world region, HR status (60%HR+), ECOG PS (60% = 0), brain mets (~44%), and de novo stage IV presentation (~42-45%)

### **Hepatic TEAEs:**

- Grade ≥3 hepatic TEAEs greater in TUC + T-DM1 arm (28.6% vs 7.3%), primarily due to AST/ALT elevations
- No Hy's law cases were identified

# **Approach to Therapy for Metastatic HER2+ disease 2024**



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## First Depiction of HER family Dimers Circa 3,000 B.C.E.

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