

Castration Resistant Prostate Cancer: What is the optimal strategy?

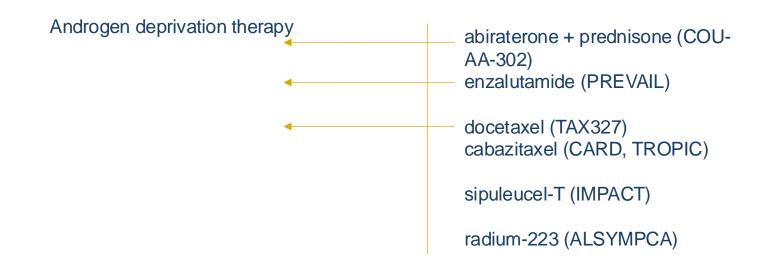
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CRPC therapeutic development: exists in the context of what came before

Castration Sensitive

Castration Resistant





CRPC therapies: the context in which our patients live

Androgen deprivation therapy (ADT)

Castration Sensitive

High volume

docetaxel + abiraterone + prednisone (PEACE-1)

docetaxel + darolutamide (ARASENS)

docetaxel (CHAARTED)

abiraterone + prednisone (STAMPEDE/LATITUDE)

enzalutamide (ENZAMET/ARCHES)

apalutamide (TITAN)

Castration Resistant

abiraterone + prednisone (COU-AA-302)

enzalutamide (PREVAIL)

docetaxel (TAX327) cabazitaxel (CARD, TROPIC)

sipuleucel-T (IMPACT)

radium-223 (ALSYMPCA)

HRR deficient:

olaparib +/- abiraterone niraparib + abiraterone

rucaparib

talazoparib + enzalutamide

taxane/ARPI refractory: Lu 177 vipivotide tetraxetan

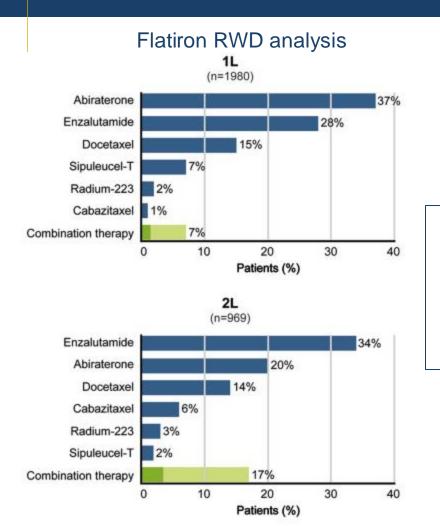
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How do we treat mCRPC given these new advances in mHSPC?

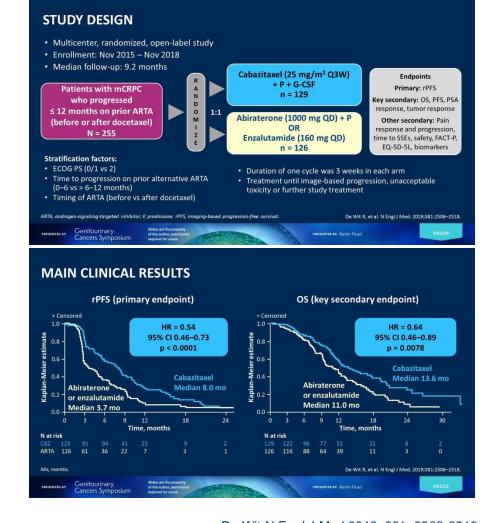
Still a lot of options but what is the optimal strategy and sequence?



Still some relevant data from prior CRPC era: CARD



Chemotherapy
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patients after
progression on an
ARPi



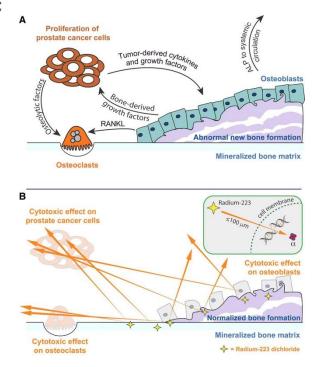
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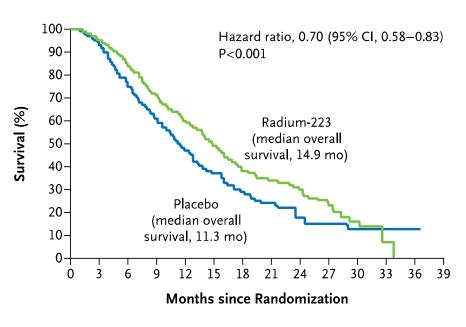




Radioligand therapies/Theranostics

- Phase III ALSYPMCA
 - patients with symptomatic skeletal mets, no bulky LAD/visceral disease
 - ~60% of patients with prior taxane
 - OS improvement, delays time to first symptomatic skeletal event (15.6 v 9.8 months, HR: 0.66 [0.52-0.3; p<0.001])
- Can other radioligand therapies can be employed?
 - [¹⁷⁷Lu]-Lu-PSMA-617

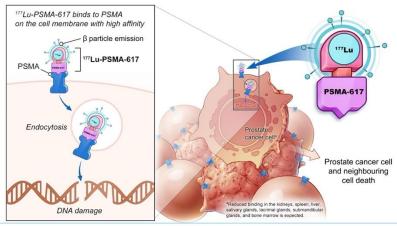






Phase III VISION study

¹⁷⁷Lu-PSMA-617 targeted radioligand therapy



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Open-label study of protocol-permitted standard of care ± ¹⁷⁷Lu-PSMA-617 in adults with PSMA-positive mCRPC

Eligible patients

- Previous treatment with <u>both</u>
 - ≥ 1 androgen receptor pathway inhibitor
 - 1 or 2 taxane regimens
- Protocol-permitted standard of care (SOC) planned before randomization
 - Excluding chemotherapy immunotherapy, radium-223, investigational drugs
- ECOG performance status 0–2
- Life expectancy > 6 months
- PSMA-positive mCRPC on PET/CT with ⁶⁸Ga-PSMA-11

4 cycles, increasable to 6

Protocol-permitted SOC
alone

Protocol-permitted SOC +

¹⁷⁷Lu-PSMA-617

7.4 GBq (200 mCi) every 6 weeks

- Randomization stratified by
- ECOG status (0–1 or 2)
- LDH (high or low)
- Liver metastases (yes or no)
- Androgen receptor pathway inhibitors in SOC (yes or no)
- CT/MRI/bone scans

Treatment

Every 8 weeks (treatment)Every 12 weeks (follow-up)

Follow-up

- Every 12 weeks (follow-up)
- Blinded independent central review

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Final analysis

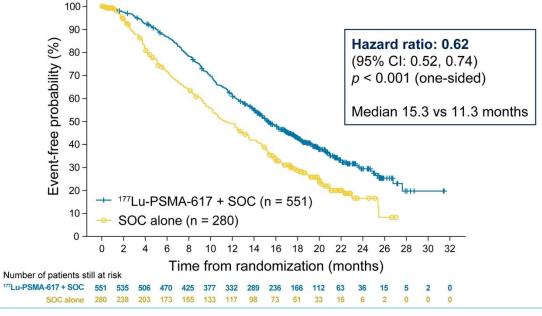


Overall survival in taxane-pretreated patients

Primary endpoints: 177Lu-PSMA-617 prolonged OS

Primary analysis

All randomized patients (N = 831)



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- patients went on to receive taxanes
- 25.2 v 32.1 % of patients went on to receive any further systemic therapy

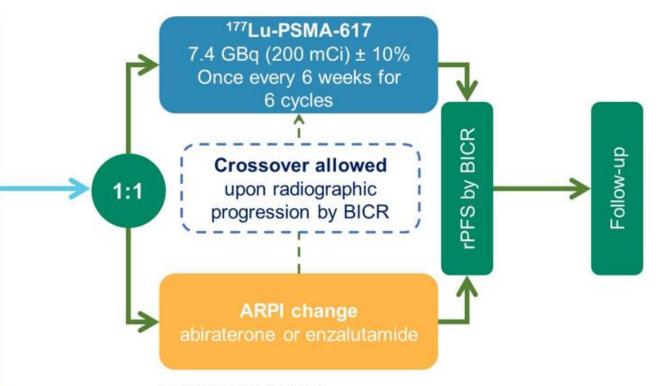


What about taxane-naïve patients?

PSMAfore Study

Eligible adults

- Confirmed progressive mCRPC
- ≥ 1 PSMA-positive metastatic lesion on [⁶⁸Ga]Ga-PSMA-11 PET/CT and no exclusionary PSMA-negative lesions
- Progressed once on previous second-generation ARPI
- Candidates for change in ARPI
- Taxane-naive (except [neo]adjuvant > 12 months ago)
- Not candidates for PARPi
- ECOG performance status 0–1

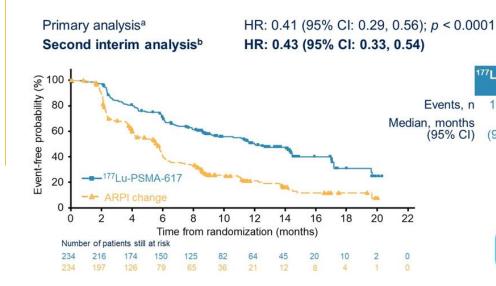


Stratification factors

- Prior ARPI setting (castration-resistant vs hormone-sensitive)
- BPI-SF worst pain intensity score (0–3 vs > 3)



Progression Free Survival in taxane-naïve mCRPC



¹⁷⁷Lu-PSMA-617 delayed cancer

deterioration with maintenance of QoL

lower pain scores in ¹⁷⁷Lu-PSMA-617

has not resulted in change to label as of

among responders, higher QoL and

No benefit in OS (57.3% cross-over rate)

- Second interimOS analysis
- Non-composite post hoc HRQoL and pain

Post hoc analysis:

168 (71.8%)

(4.17, 5.95)

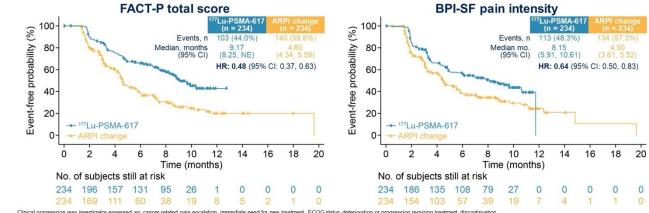
⁷⁷Lu-PSMA-617 (n = 234)

115 (49.1%)

12.02

(9.30, 14.42)

Non-composite time to worsening in FACT-P and BPI-SF excluding clinical progression and death



al progression was investigator-assessed as: cancer-related pain escalation, immediate need for new treatment, ECOG status deterioration or progression requiring treatment discontinuation
androgen receptor pathway inhibitor, BPLSF, Brief Pain Inventory — Short Form; Cl, confidence interval; FACT-P, Functional Assessment of Cancer Therapy-Prostate; HR, hazard ratio; HRQoL, health-related quality of life; NE, not estimable; PSMA
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Targeted approaches

- PARPi (+/- ARPi)
- PROTAC
- Tumor-informed analysis of TRANSFOMER



PARPi efficacy in mCRPC

higher ORR with ARPi combinations, **but** low rates of prior ARPi exposure, and additive toxicity (?)

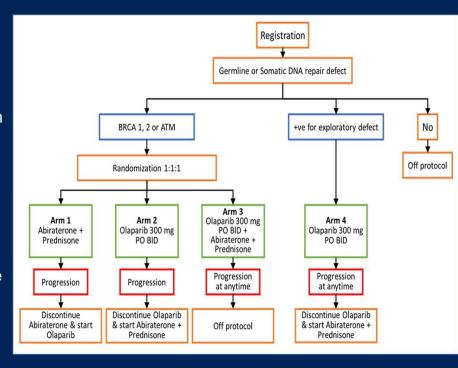
| Treatment | Mutations | ORR | Median PFS (months) | Median OS (months) |
|--|-----------|-------|---------------------|-----------------------|
| olaparib (PROfound) | BRCA, ATM | 33% | 7.4 | 19.1 |
| rucaparib (TRITON3) | BRCA | 45% | 11.2 | |
| | ATM | 0% | 8.1 | |
| abiraterone + olaparib (PROpel) | BRCAm | | NR | |
| | All | 58.4% | 24.8 | 42.1 |
| abiraterone + niraparib (MAGNITUDE) | BRCA1/2 | 51.8% | 16.6 | NR |
| enzalutamide + talazoparib (TALAPRO-2) | Overall | 62% | NR | NR |
| | HRRm | 79% | 27.9 | NR |



BRCAAway

Methods & Study Design

- Eligibility: mCRPC, no prior exposure to PARP-I, AR-I, or chemotherapy for mCRPC, washout of antiandrogen (for mHSPC), radiation, and other investigational agents.
- Eligible pts underwent tumor next-generation sequencing (NGS) & germline testing; pts with inactivating BRCA1/2 and/or ATM alterations were randomized 1:1:1 to:
 - Arm I: abiraterone (1000 mg qd) + prednisone (5mg bid),
 - Arm II: olaparib (300 mg bid)
 - Arm III: olaparib + abiraterone/prednisone
- Arm I and II pts could cross over at progression.



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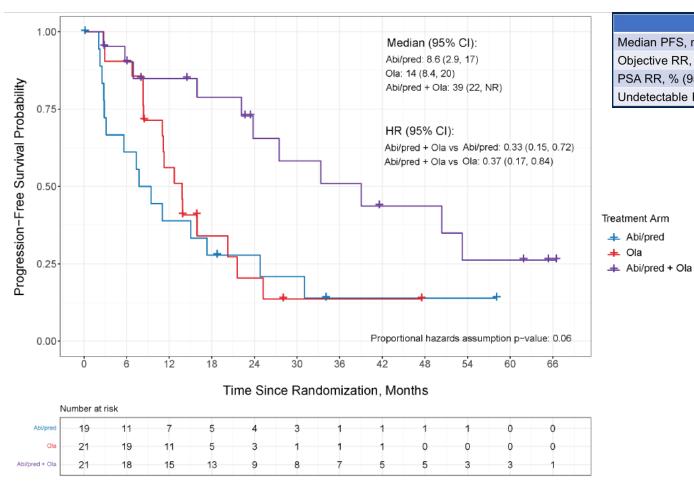


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Combination therapy leads to longer median PFS



| | Arm I (n = 19) | Arm II (n = 21) | Arm III (n = 21) |
|---------------------------------|---------------------|--------------------|---------------------|
| Median PFS, months (95% CI) | 8.4 (2.9, 17) | 14 (8.4, 20) | 39 (22, NR) |
| Objective RR, % (95% CI) | 22 (6.4, 48) | 14 (3, 36) | 33 (15, 57) |
| PSA RR, % (95% CI) | 61 (36, 83) | 67 (43, 85) | 95 (76, 100) |
| Undetectable PSA RR, % (95% CI) | 17 (3.6, 41) | 14 (3, 36) | 33 (15, 57) |

Grade 3 and higher AEs similar across groups (14-21%)

All grade:

- abi/pred: 58%

- olaparib: 90%

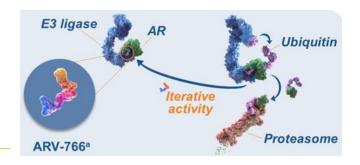
- abi/pred + olaparib: 95%

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ARV-766 PROTAC

- 20-25% of men with mCRPC develop mutations in AR LBDs
 - L720H, H875Y, and T878A common & associated with poor prognosis



Phase 1 dose escalation (part A)

Key eligibility criteria

- Progressive mCRPC
- Ongoing ADT
- ≥2 prior systemic therapies (including ≥1 ARPI)

Treatment

 Ascending doses of ARV-766 (20–500 mg orally QD)

Primary objective

 Safety and tolerability of ARV-766 to select RP2Ds

Phase 2 cohort expansion (part B)

Key eligibility criteria

- Progressive mCRPC
- Ongoing ADT
- 1–3 prior ARPIs
- · ≤2 prior chemotherapy regimens

Treatment

 ARV-766 100 mg or 300 mg orally QD (1:1 randomization)

Primary objective

 Evaluate the antitumor activity of ARV-766

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ARV-766 monotherapy: patient characteristics & safety

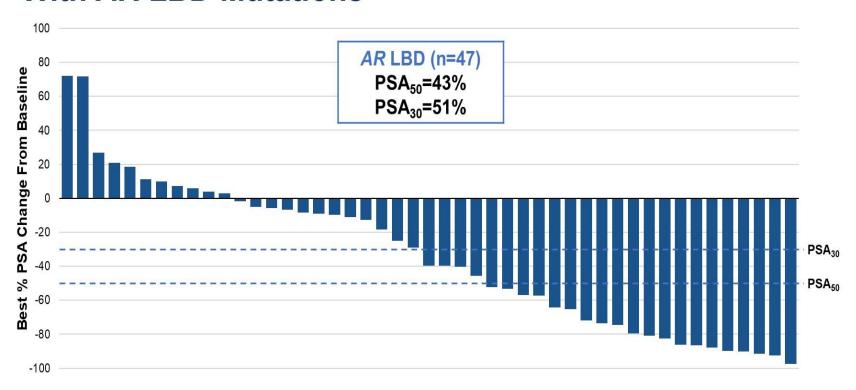
- n=123
 - AR LBD, n=53
- Median prior lines of therapy: 4
- In AR LBD cohort:
 - Prior abiraterone only- 36%
 - AR antagonist only- 9%
 - $\ge 2 \text{ ARPis-} 55\%$
 - prior taxane- 58%
- No DLTs observed, MTD not reached in Phase I/Part A

| | Total (N=123) | | | | |
|-------------------------------------|---------------|---------|---------|---------|--|
| TRAEs in ≥10% of patients, n (%) | Total | Grade 1 | Grade 2 | Grade 3 | |
| Fatigue | 41 (33) | 26 (21) | 12 (10) | 3 (2) | |
| Nausea | 25 (20) | 16 (13) | 8 (7) | 1 (1) | |
| Diarrhea | 19 (15) | 13 (11) | 5 (4) | 1 (1) | |
| Increased blood creatinine | 18 (15) | 14 (11) | 4 (3) | 0 | |
| Alopecia | 17 (14) | 14 (11) | 3 (2) | NA | |
| Decreased appetite | 13 (11) | 4 (3) | 9 (7) | 0 | |





ARV-766 Monotherapy: Best Declines in PSA in Patients With AR LBD Mutations^a

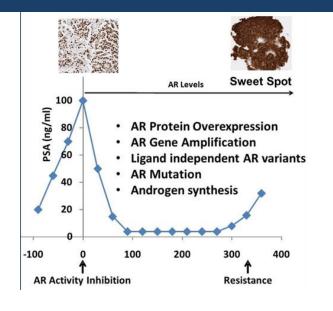


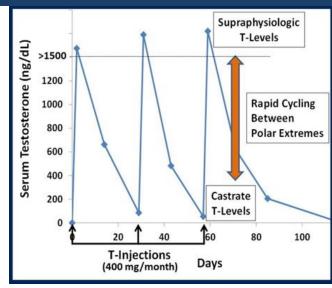
alncludes patients with ≥1 month of PSA follow-up.

AR=androgen receptor; LBD=ligand-binding domain; PSA=prostate-specific antigen; PSA₃₀=best PSA declines ≥30%; PSA₅₀=best PSA declines ≥50%.

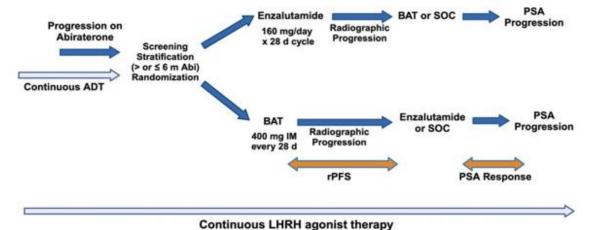


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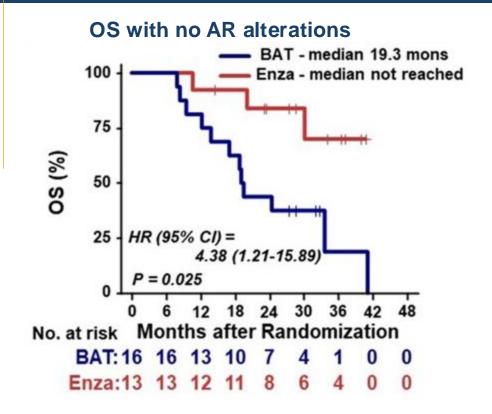


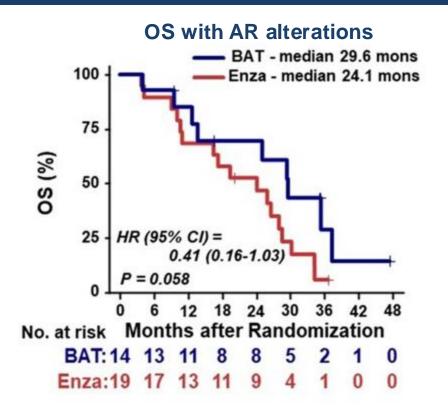
no significant differences in PFS, PSA₅₀, OR, OS in BAT versus enzalutamide

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Lack of AR alterations predicts worse outcomes with BAT





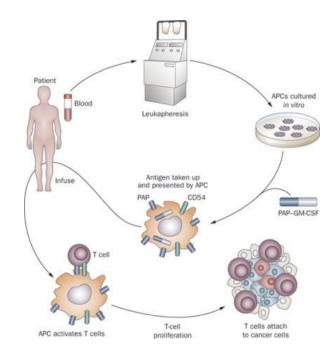
- Similar trends seen with PFS
- Further trials with BAT open and accruing: STEP-UP, APEX, BATRAD (+Radium-223), AcroBAT (oral testosterone)

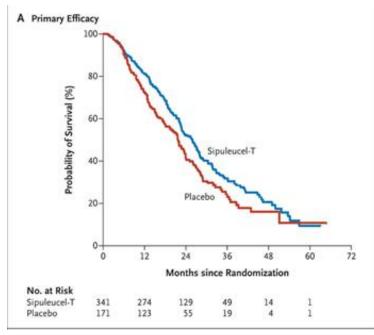
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Immunotherapy

- IMPACT Phase III
 - asymptomatic patients with mCRPC
 - prior to modern ARPi
 - ~15% prior taxane
 - OS benefit (25.8 v 21.7 months), no PFS or PSA response benefit
- Can we use immune-based approaches to optimize prostate cancer treatment?
 - BiTE therapies
 - CAR-T cells

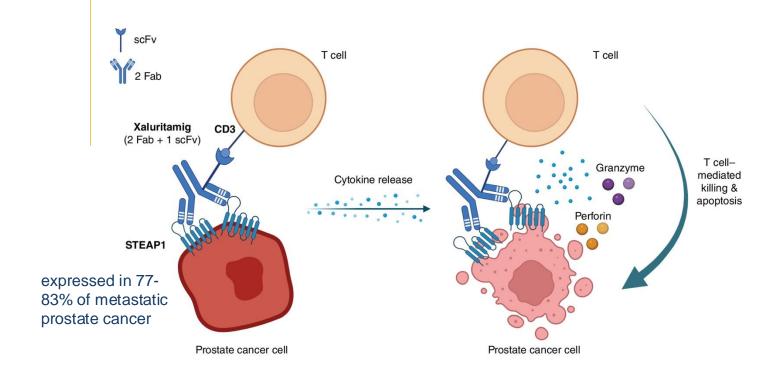




22% relative reduction in risk of death HR: 0.78; 95% CI 0.61-0.98; p=0.03



STEAP1 Bispecific T-cell Engager (BiTE)- Xaluritamig



Phase I monotherapy doseescalation study

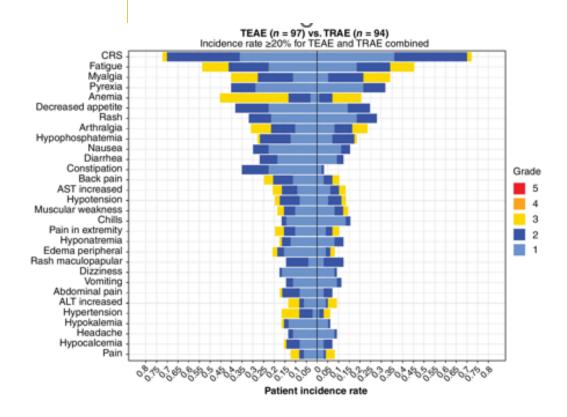
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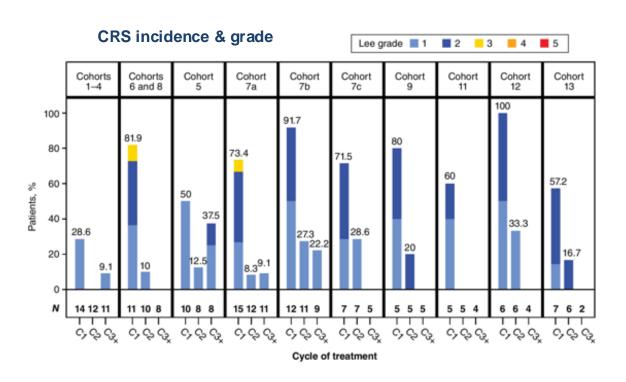
- 96% ECOG 0
- Most patients had at least 3 prior lines of therapy:
 - 3: 26%
 - 4: 26%
 - $\ge 5: 28\%$
- 15% with no prior taxane
- 4% with prior PSMAtargeting radioligand therapy
- 53% with visceral mets



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Xaluritamig safety

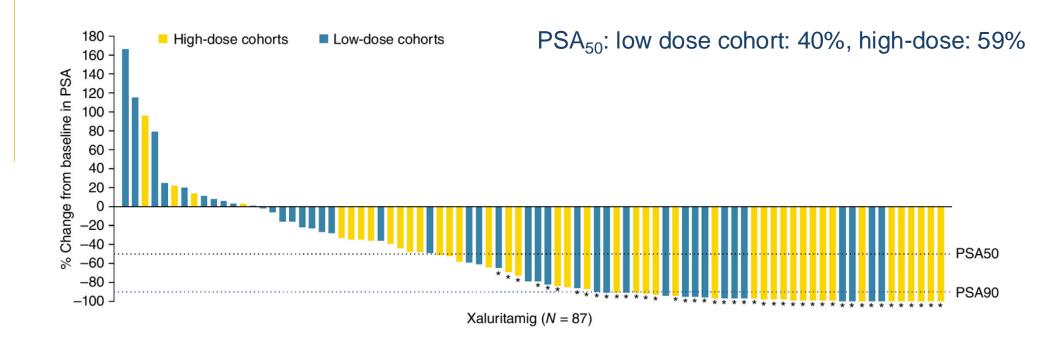




MTD: 1.5 mg IV weekly (3-step)- cohorts 11/12



Xaluritamig efficacy

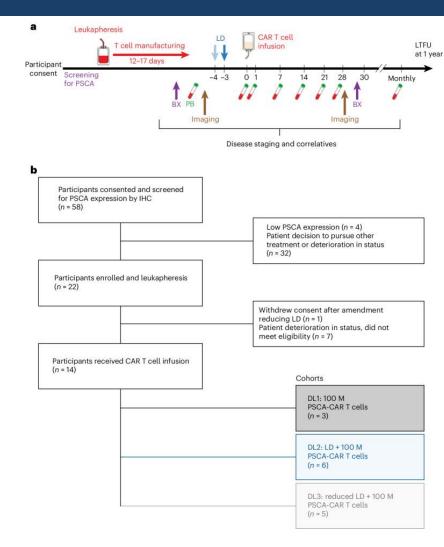


- DCR was 63% in low dose cohort and 79% in high dose cohort
 - PR: 3% in low dose cohort, 41% in high dose cohort



PSCA CAR-T cell therapy

- Prostate stem cell antigen (PSCA)- commonly and robustly expressed tumor associated antigen
- Phase I study at CoH to evaluate safety and DLTs associated with PSCA CART (primary endpoints)
- Secondary endpoints:
 - expansion & persistence of CART cells
 - disease response
 - Survival
- n=14
- Most patients had received prior enzalutamide or abiraterone (or bother), most patients had received a prior taxane.
- 20% had visceral disease, 20% had lymph node only disease

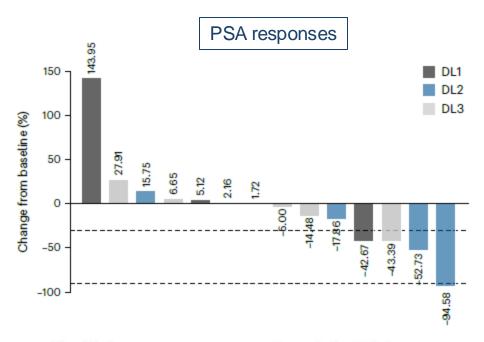


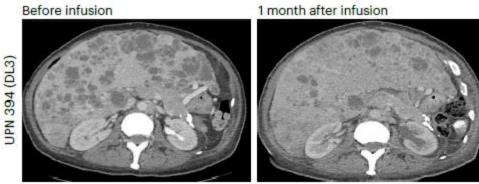
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PSCA CAR-T cell therapy Results

- Safety:
 - Maximum CRS was Grade 2
 - 2 DLTs of non-infectious cystitis at DL2 → led to amendment for reduced lymphodepletion dose
 - No DLTs at DL3 (n=5)
 - 50% CRS
 - 60% Grade 3+ neutropenia









The optimal strategy is **personalized**

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radium-223 (ALSYMPCA)

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niraparib + abiraterone
rucaparib
talazoparib + enzalutamide

taxane/ARPI refractory: Lu 177 vipivotide tetraxetan (VISION)

Considerations:

- therapy received in the hormonesensitive context
- HRRm status (and possibly others soon like AR LBD)
- taxane candidacy
- current cancer-related symptoms
- clinical trial candidacy
- quality of life
- financial toxicity



Thank you

