



The Immuno-Oncology Revolution in Melanoma and the Development of Combination Therapies

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IMMUNOGENIC CELL DEATH

and

involvement of immune system in any durable response

- **Chemotherapy**
- **Targeted therapy**
- **Radiotherapy**

IMMUNOGENIC CELL DEATH

Release of DAMPs → Induces Adaptive Immune Response
(Danger Associated Molecular Products)

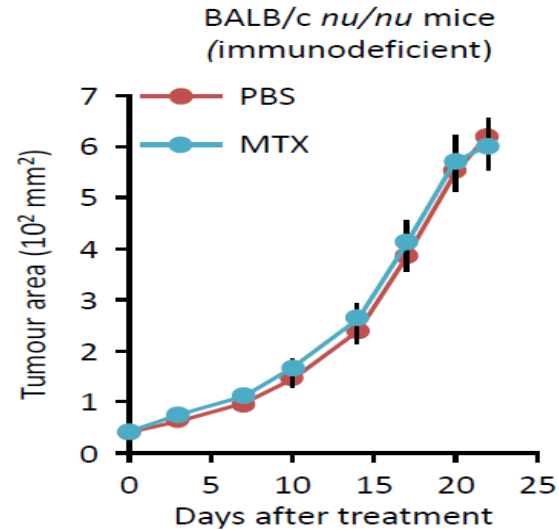
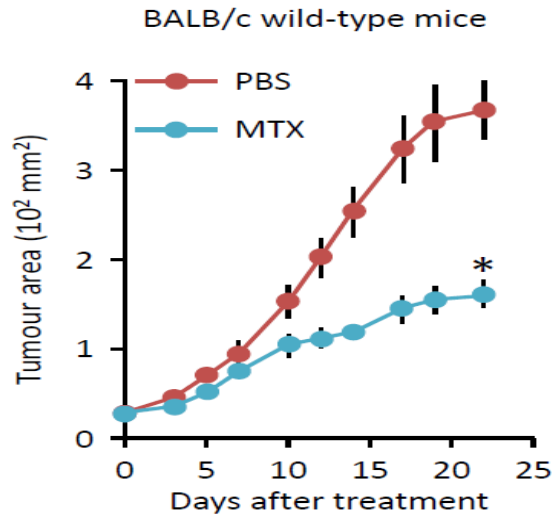
- Calreticulin
- HMGB1
- IL-1 β
- ATP

Laurence Zitvogel & Guido Kroemer (Science 2011, Immunity 2016, Cell 2017)

IMMUNOGENIC CELL DEATH

Zitvogel & Kroemer

Chemotherapy Efficacy & the Immune System



* $P < 0.05$; $n = 10$ mice per group; means $\pm$ SEM are shown.
MTX, mitoxantrone; PBS, phosphate-buffered saline (control).

Michaud M, et al. Science 2011;334:1573–7.

FS MCA205

Cisplatin: NO
Doxorubicin: YES

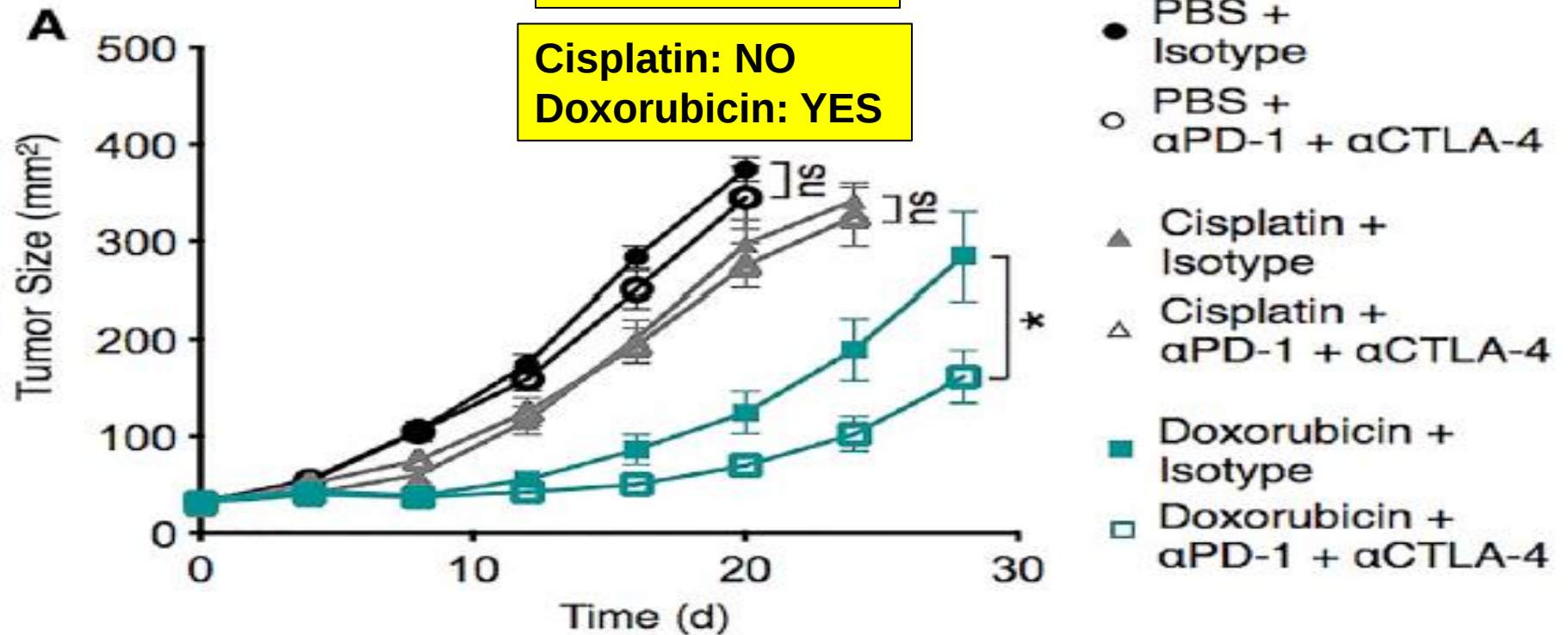
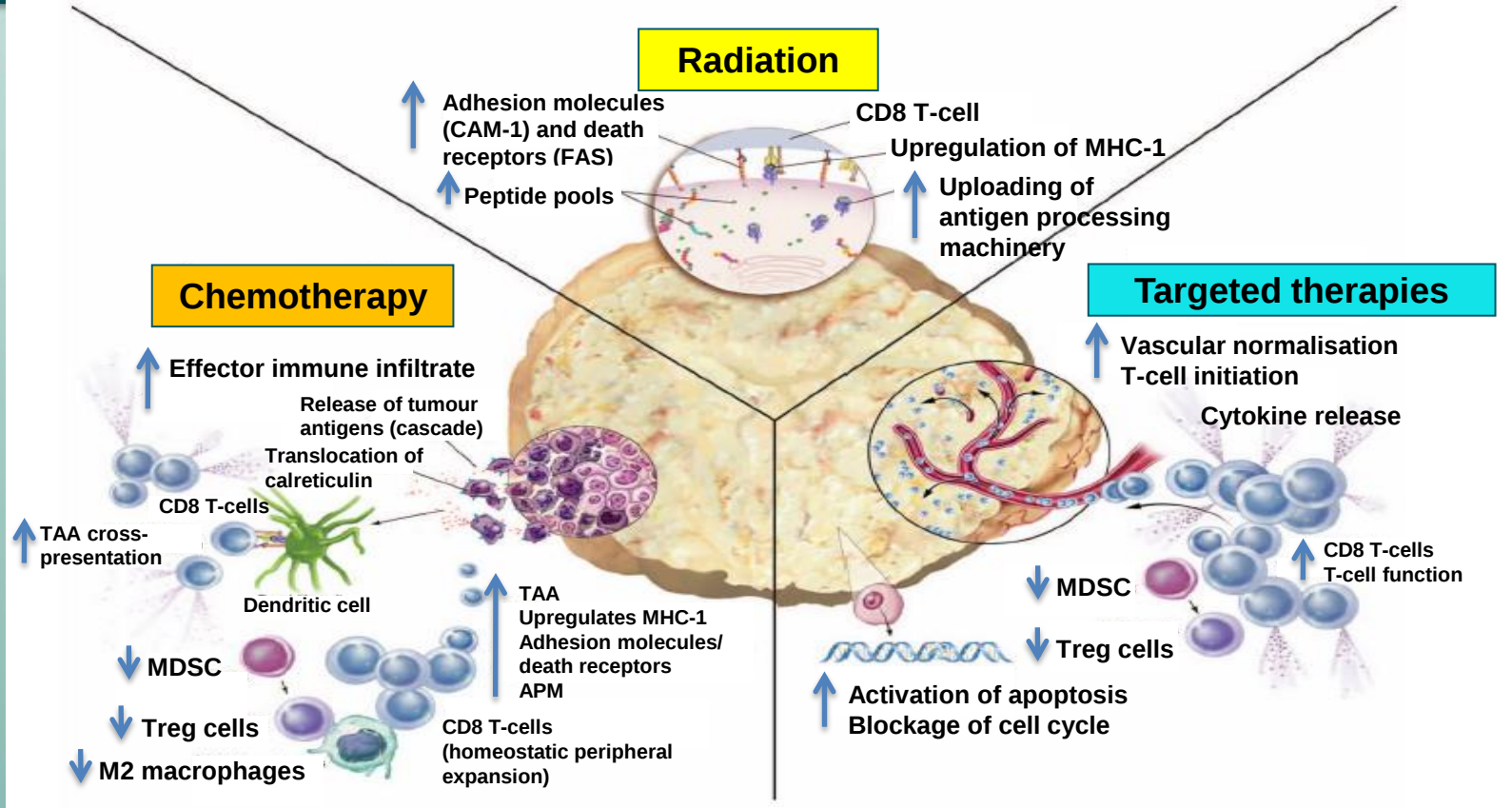


Figure 7. Immunogenic Chemotherapeutics Improve Immune Checkpoint Blockade Treatment against MCA205 Fibrosarcoma and CT26 Colon Carcinoma

Immunotherapy + Other Modalities

Guidance by Immunogenic Cell Death

Zitvogel & Kroemer

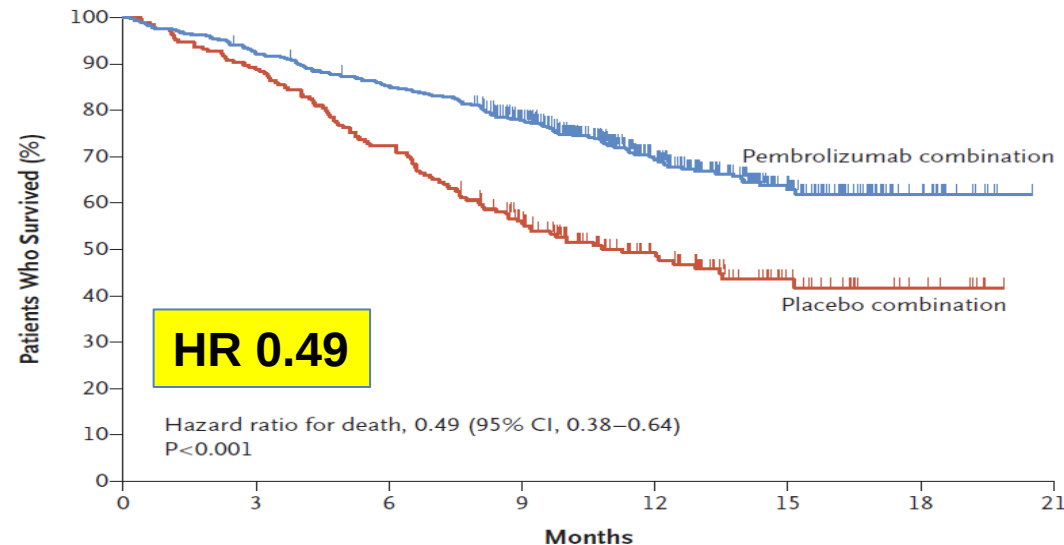


ORIGINAL ARTICLE

Pembrolizumab plus Chemotherapy in Metastatic Non–Small-Cell Lung Cancer

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A Overall Survival



No. at Risk

Pembrolizumab combination	410	377	347	278	163	71	18	0
Placebo combination	206	183	149	104	59	25	8	0

THE MELANOMA PARADIGM

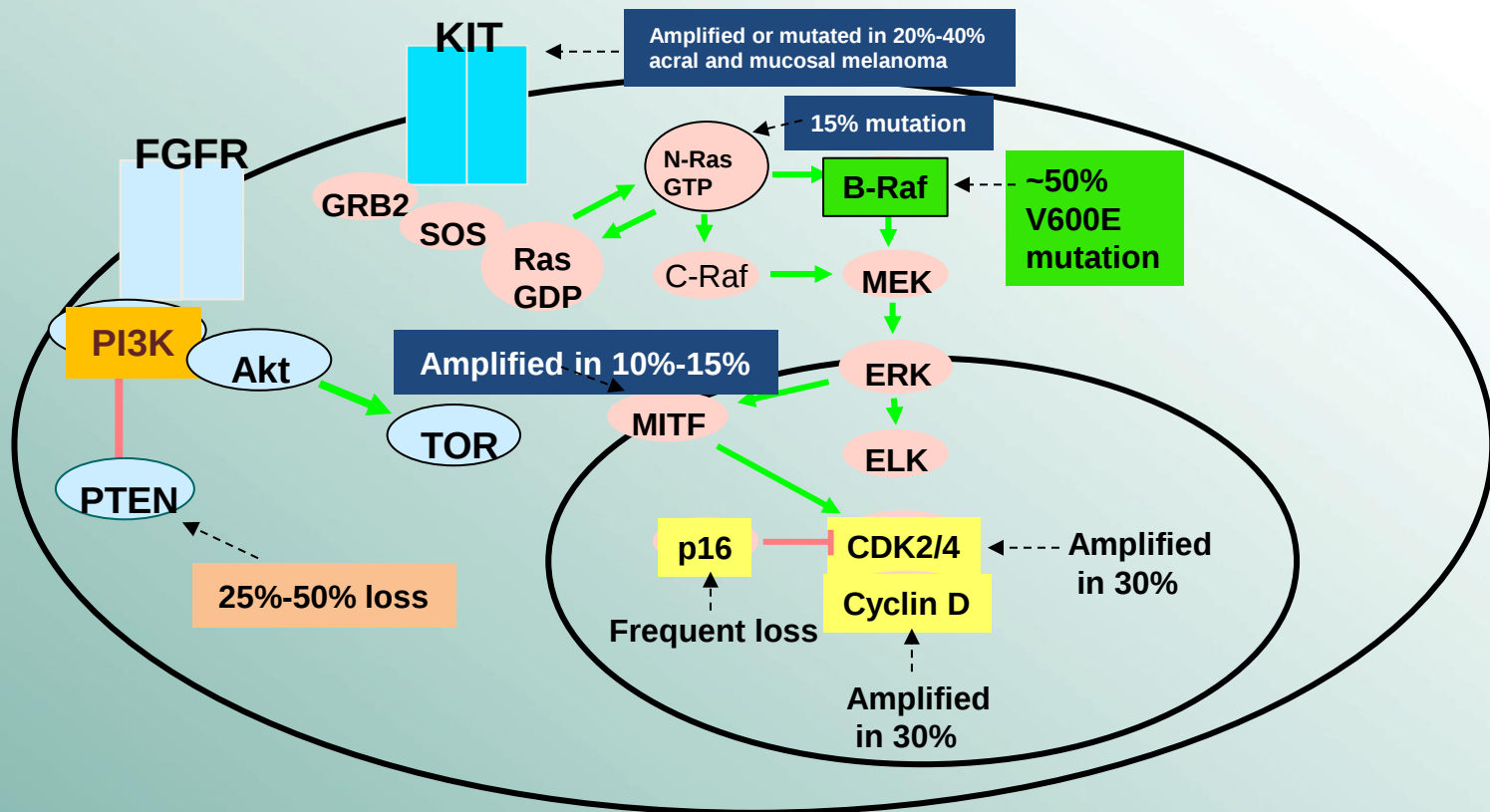
MUTATION DRIVEN DRUG DEVELOPMENT

INNOVATIVE IMMUNOMODULATION



Molecular Alterations in Melanoma

BRAF inhibition



Safety and efficacy of vemurafenib in BRAF^{V600E} and BRAF^{V600K} mutation-positive melanoma (BRIM-3): extended follow-up of a phase 3, randomised, open

www.thelancet.com/oncology Vol 15 March 2014

Grant A McArthur, Paul B Chapman, Caroline Robert, James Larkin, John B Haanen, Reinhard Dummer, Antoni Ribas, David Hogg, Omid Hamid, Paolo A Ascierto, Claus Garbe, Alessandro Testori, Michele Maio, Paul Lorigan, Celeste Lebbe, Thomas Jouary, Dirk Schadendorf, Stephen J O'Day, John M. Kirkwood, Alexander M Eggermont, Brigitte Dréno, Jeffrey A Sosman, Keith T Flaherty, Ming Yin, Ivor Caro.

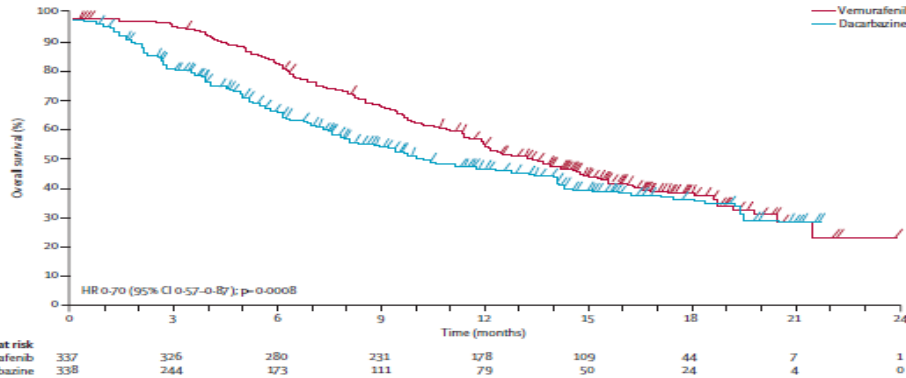


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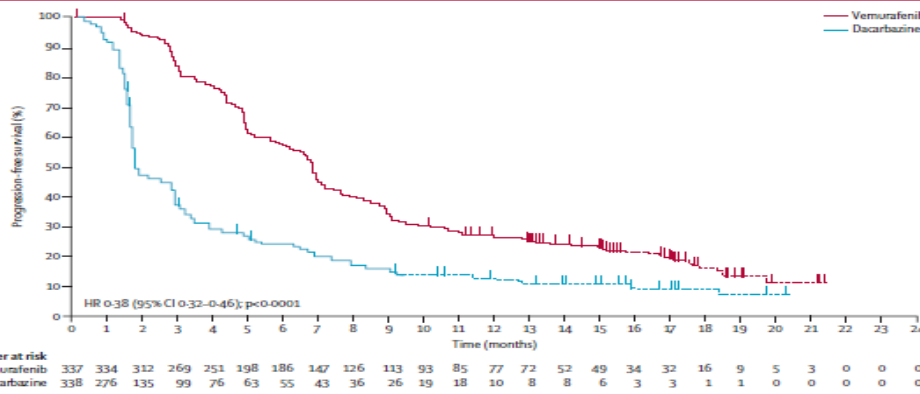
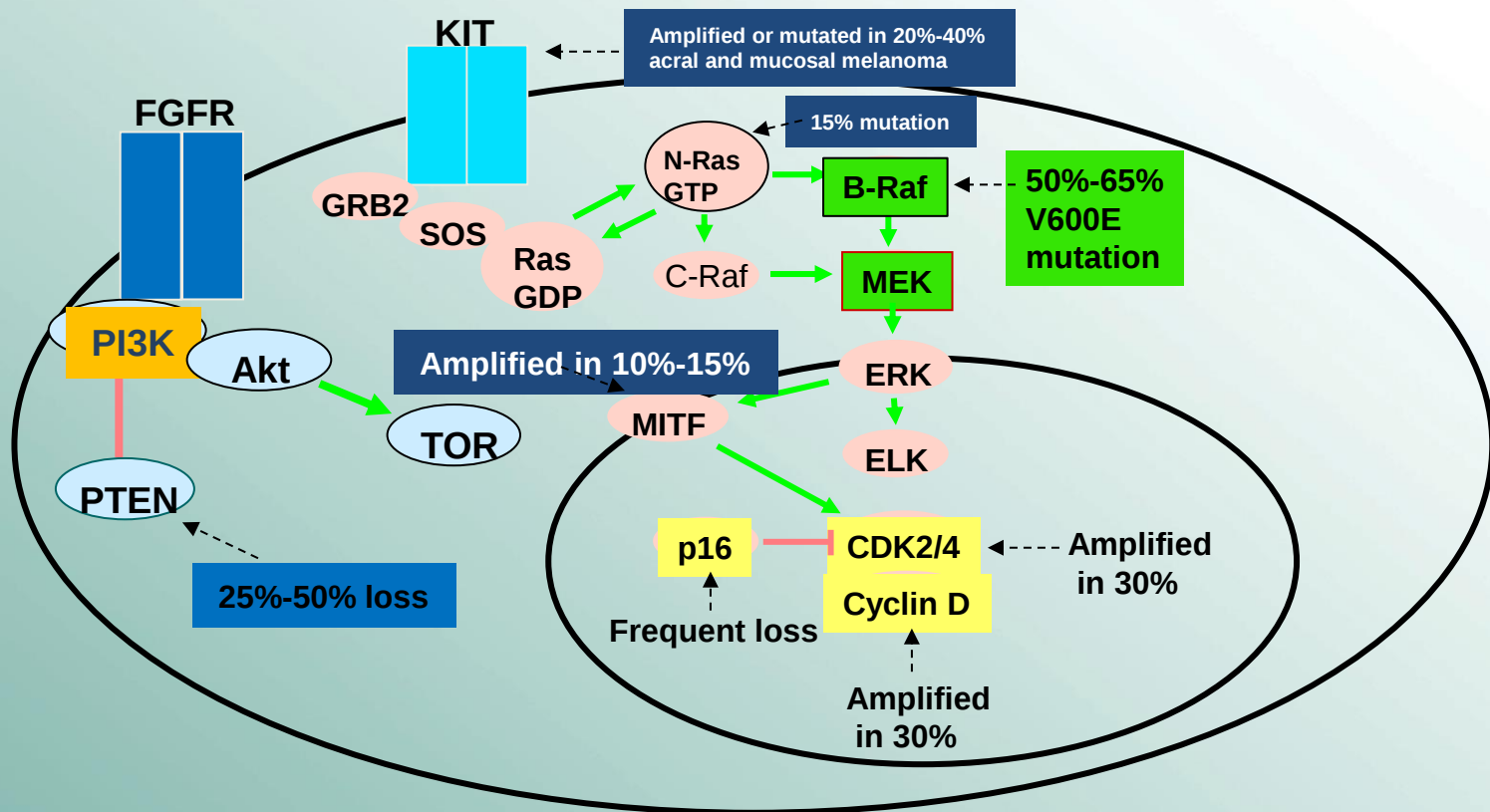


Figure 3: Progression-free survival (randomised population; censored at crossover) for patients randomly assigned to vemurafenib or to dacarbazine (cutoff Feb 1, 2012)

OS 9.7-13.6 mts
Gain: 3.9 mts
HR 0.70
BRAFi Monotherapy
SUCCESS and FAILURE

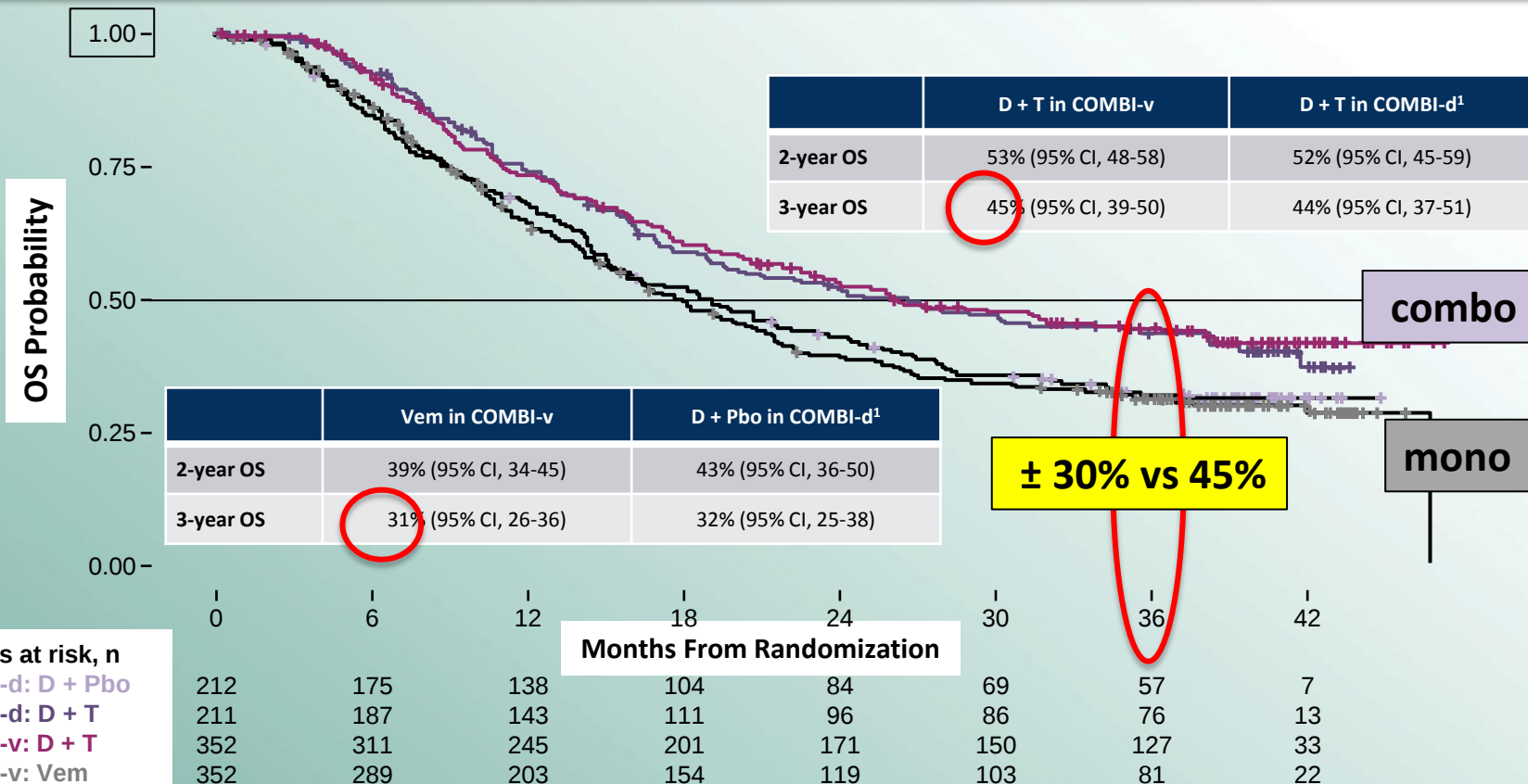


BRAF + MEK Inhibitors Combo



Dabrafenib (D) + Trametinib (T) vs monotherapy

Overall Survival @ 3yrs : $\pm 30\%$ vs 45%





Genomic Features of Complete Responders versus Fast Progressors in Patients with *BRAF*^{V600}-Mutated Metastatic Melanoma Treated with Cobimetinib[▼] Combined with Vemurafenib Or Vemurafenib Alone

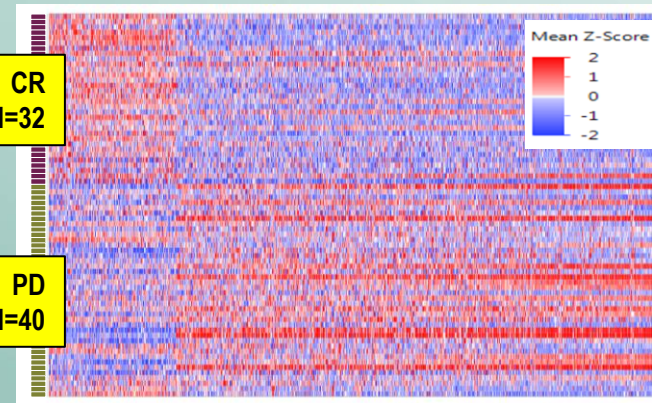
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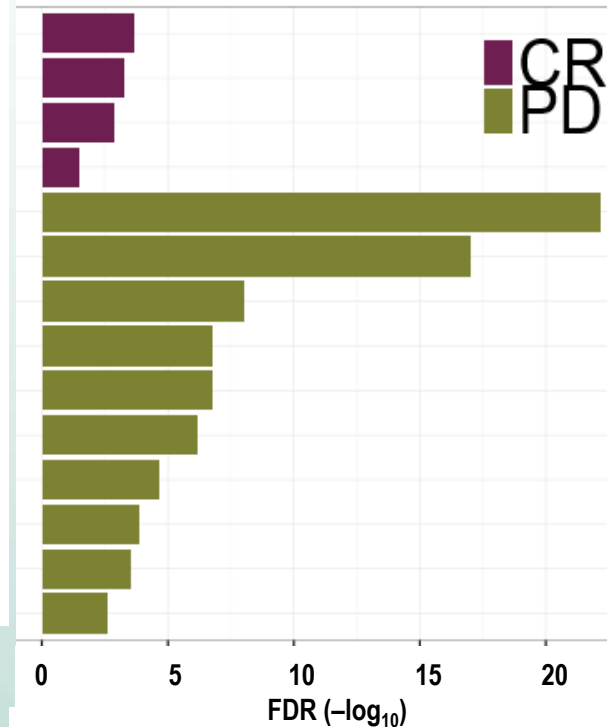
Differential Gene Expression by RNA-Seq Distinguishes Patients with CR vs PD



- ◆ The enriched gene expression was associated with:
 - ◆ Immune response processes in patients with CR
 - ◆ Keratinization in patients with PD

Adaptive immune response
Lymphocyte-mediated immunity
NK cell-mediated toxicity
Innate immune response

Keratinization
Peptide cross-linking
Xenobiotic glucuronidation
Neg. regulation of cellular glucuronidation
Negative regulation of GT activity
Flavonoid glucuronidation
Drug metabolic process
Flavonoid biosynthetic process
Neg. regulation of FA metabolic process
Flavone metabolic process



THE MELANOMA PARADIGM

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The Cancer-Immunity Cycle

Priming and activation

Anti-CTLA4
Anti-CD137 (agonist)
Anti-OX40 (agonist)
Anti-CD27 (agonist)
IL-2
IL-12

Cancer antigen presentation

Vaccines
IFN- α
GM-CSF
Anti-CD40 (agonist)
TLR agonists

Release of cancer cell antigens

Chemotherapy
Radiation therapy
Targeted therapy

④ Trafficking of T cells to tumors

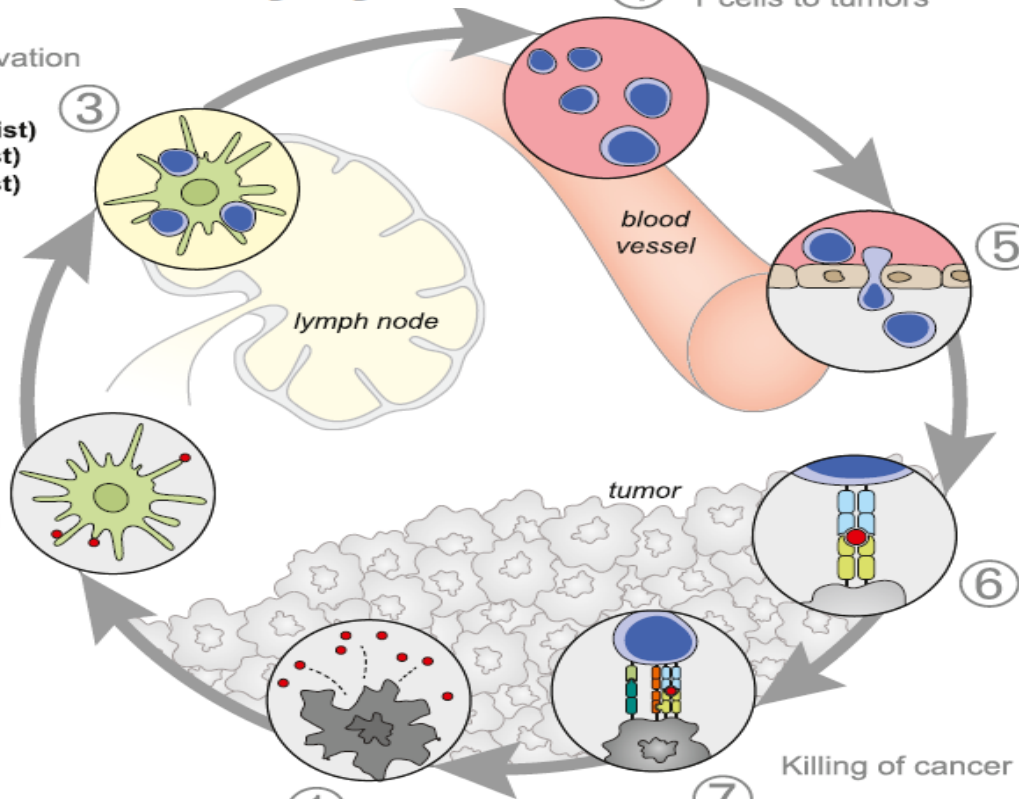
⑤ Infiltration of T cells into tumors
Anti-VEGF

⑥ Recognition of cancer cells by T cells
CARs

⑦ Killing of cancer cells
Anti-PD-L1
Anti-PD-1
IDO inhibitors

7 STEPS: MULTIPLE
COMBINATION THERAPIES

Immunity
Review



IMMUNE SYSTEM BLOCKED AT MULTIPLE LEVELS

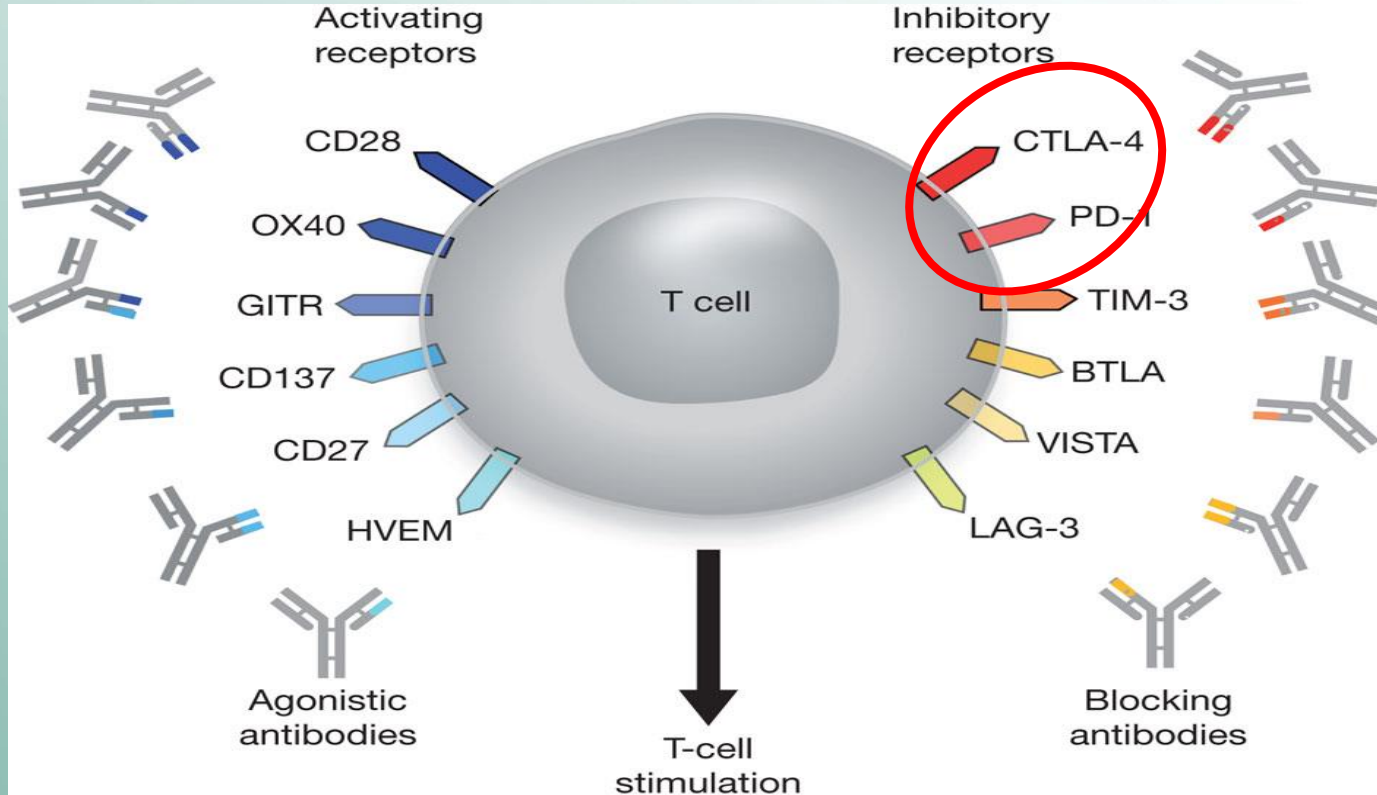
- **1) CTL PROGRAMMING**
 - e.g. CTLA4 Unblock with anti-CTLA4
- **2) CTL execution function**
 - e.g. PD-1 / PDL-1..... Unblock with anti-PD1/PDL1
- **3) CTL tumor infiltration**
 - e.g. M2 (macrophages) Unblock: M2-M1 repolarization agents
- **4) Immune escape mechanisms**
 - e.g.:
 - JAK1/2 mutations and loss Gamma-IFN pathways
 - B2M mutations
 - B-actenin pathway activation : immune exclusion

BREAKING TOLERANCE

Unblock a blocked Immune Response

INHIBIT THE INHIBITOR
VS
ACTIVATE THE ACTIVATOR

2 KEY Regulators



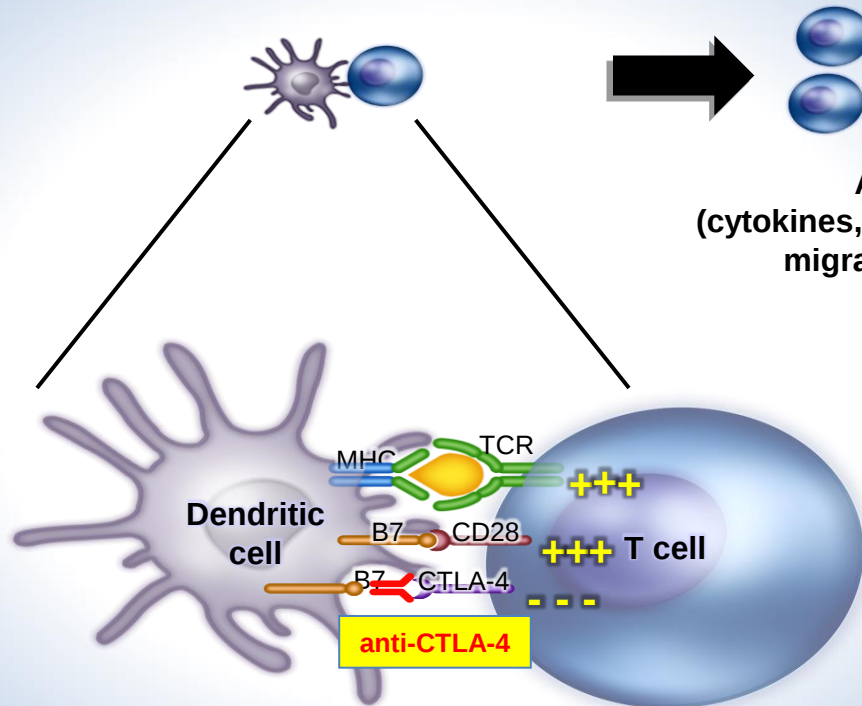
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AVOID: PD1-PDL1

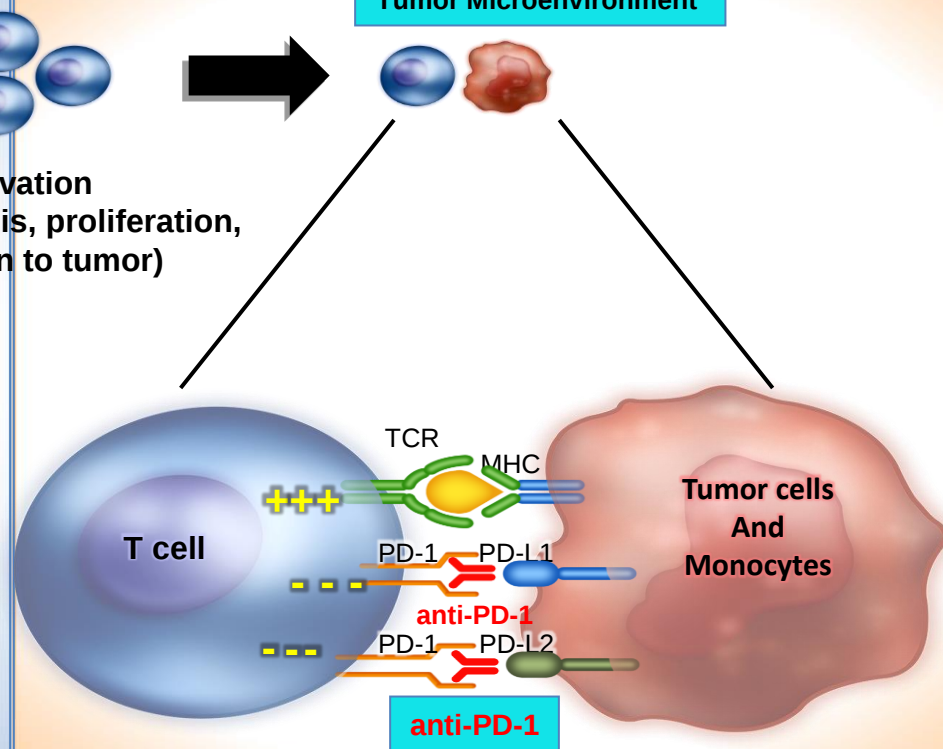
PRIMING CTL
Mostly CENTRAL in LNN

EXECUTING CTL
Mostly PERIPHERAL
Tumor Microenvironment

Activation
(cytokines, lysis, proliferation,
migration to tumor)



CTLA-4 Blockade (ipilimumab tremelimumab)



PD-1 Blockade (nivolumab, pembrolizumab)

ANTI-CTLA4
Ipilimumab
Tremelimumab

Pooled Analysis of Long-Term Survival Data From Phase II and Phase III Trials of Ipilimumab in Unresectable or Metastatic Melanoma

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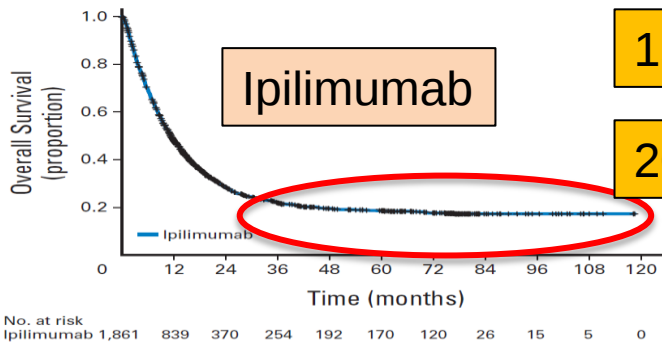
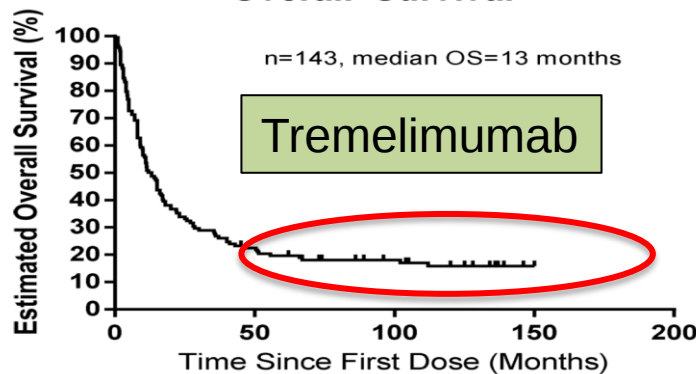


Fig 1. Primary analysis of pooled overall survival (OS) data. Individual patient data were pooled from 10 prospective trials and two retrospective, observational

Overall Survival

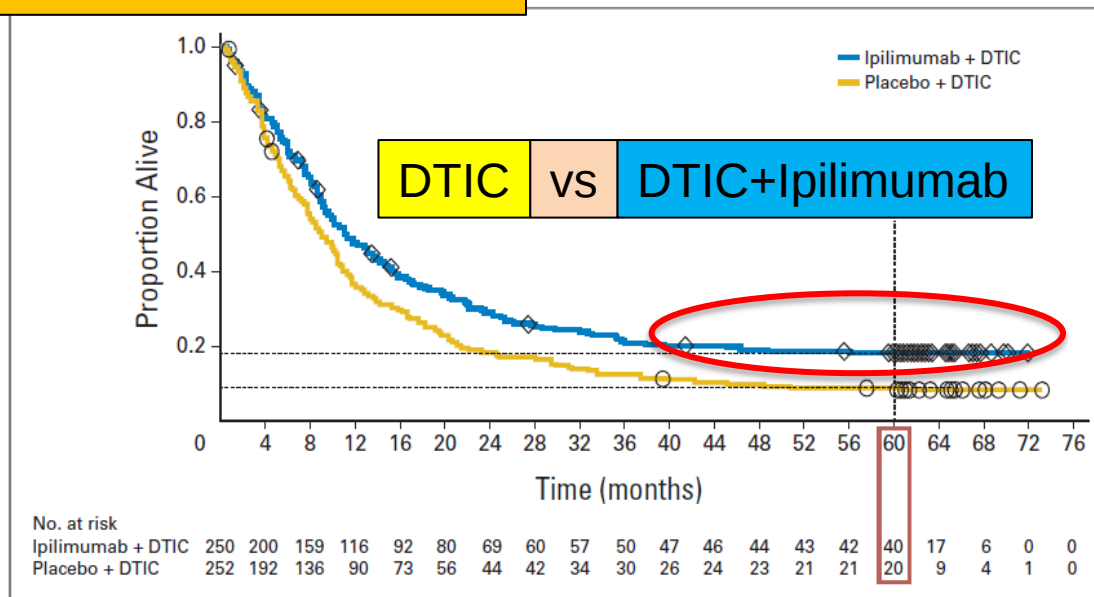
n=143, median OS=13 months

Tremelimumab



Five-Year Survival Rates for Treatment-Naïve Patients With Advanced Melanoma Who Received Ipilimumab Plus Dacarbazine in a Phase III Trial

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New Types of Toxicities in Oncology

unexpected toxicities in combinations !!

DERMATITIS



COLITIS



PNEUMONITIS

MYOCARDITIS

HEPATITIS

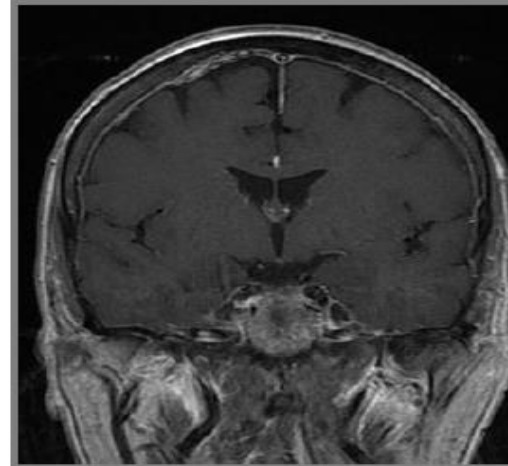
Pancreatitis

Nephritis

NEURITIS

ENDOCRINE

- thyroiditis
- hypophysitis
- adrenalitis
- diabetes



NEW TYPES OF RESPONSES: “pseudoprogression”



Screening

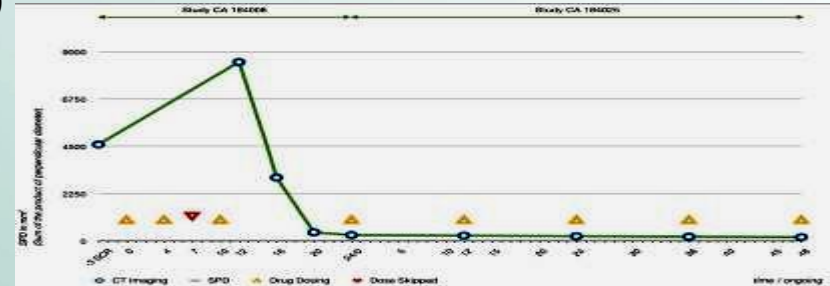


Week 12
Initial increase in
total tumour burden
(mWHO PD)



Week 16
Responding

Week 96
Durable & ongoing response
without signs of IRAEs



Courtesy of K. Harmankaya, Vienna

Combos with ipilimumab

But all have been replaced by Anti-PD(L)1

- | | |
|---------------------------|----------------------------|
| • Fotemustine | Some effect on brain mets? |
| • Carbotaxol | RR 27% |
| • IL2 | (NCI) higher CR rate (17%) |
| • IFN-alpha | RR 32% but tox |
| • Bevacizumab | Improved DCR (67%)? |
| • Laherparvec (T-vec) | Marginal improvement RR |
| • Vemurafenib | Stopped for toxicity |
| • Dabrafenib + Trametenib | Stopped for toxicity |

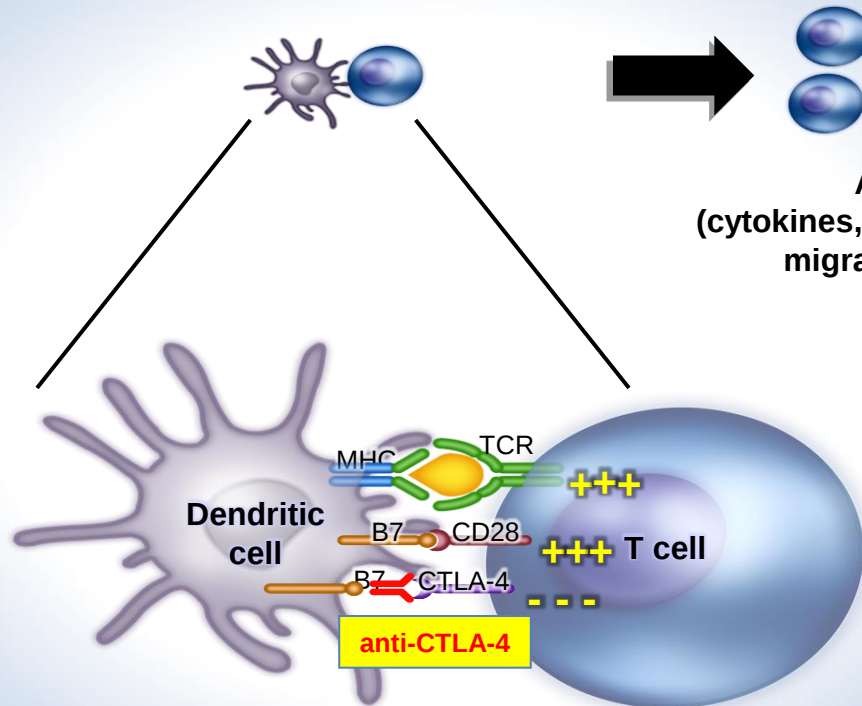
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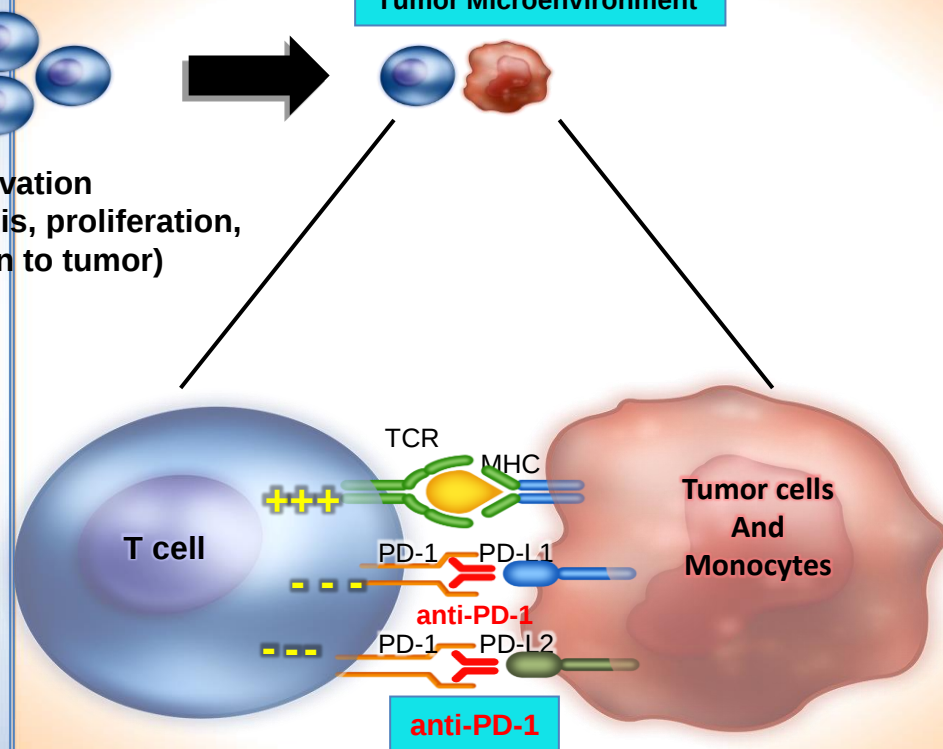
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**Anti-PD1
Nivolumab
Pembrolizumab
Data**

Pembrolizumab Monotherapy in Advanced Melanoma

JAMA 2016;315:1600-1609

Research

Original Investigation

Association of Pembrolizumab With Tumor Response and Survival Among Patients With Advanced Melanoma

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40-50% ORR

Figure 3. Duration of Response to Pembrolizumab Among Responders

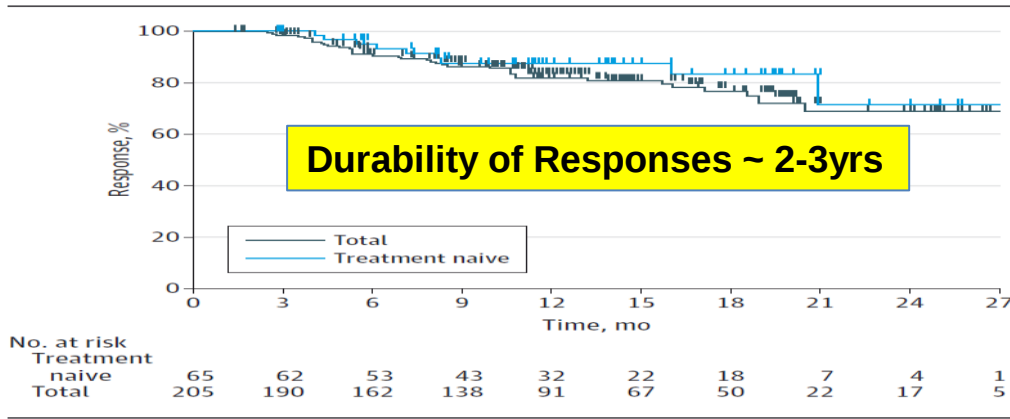
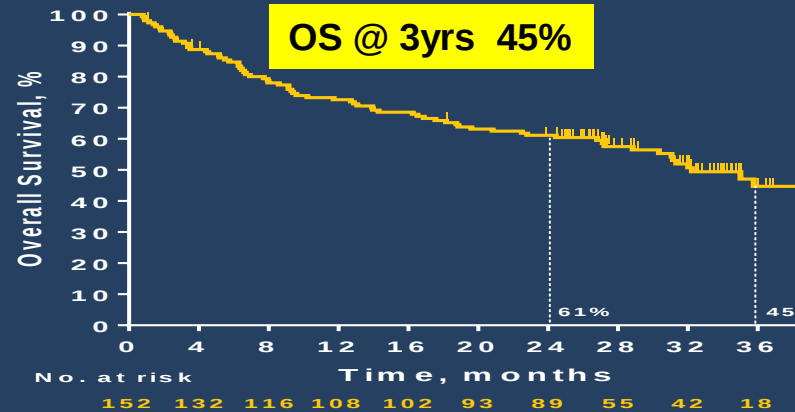
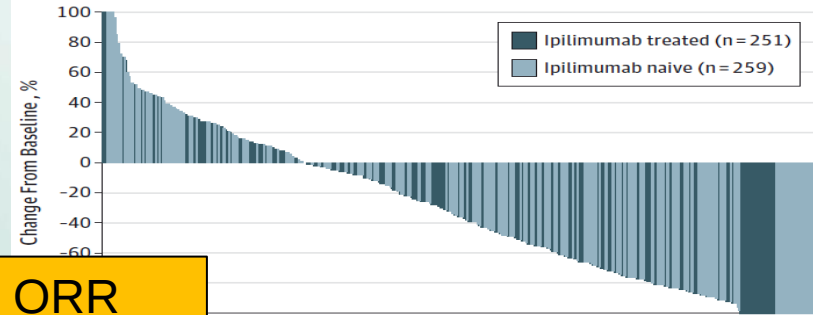
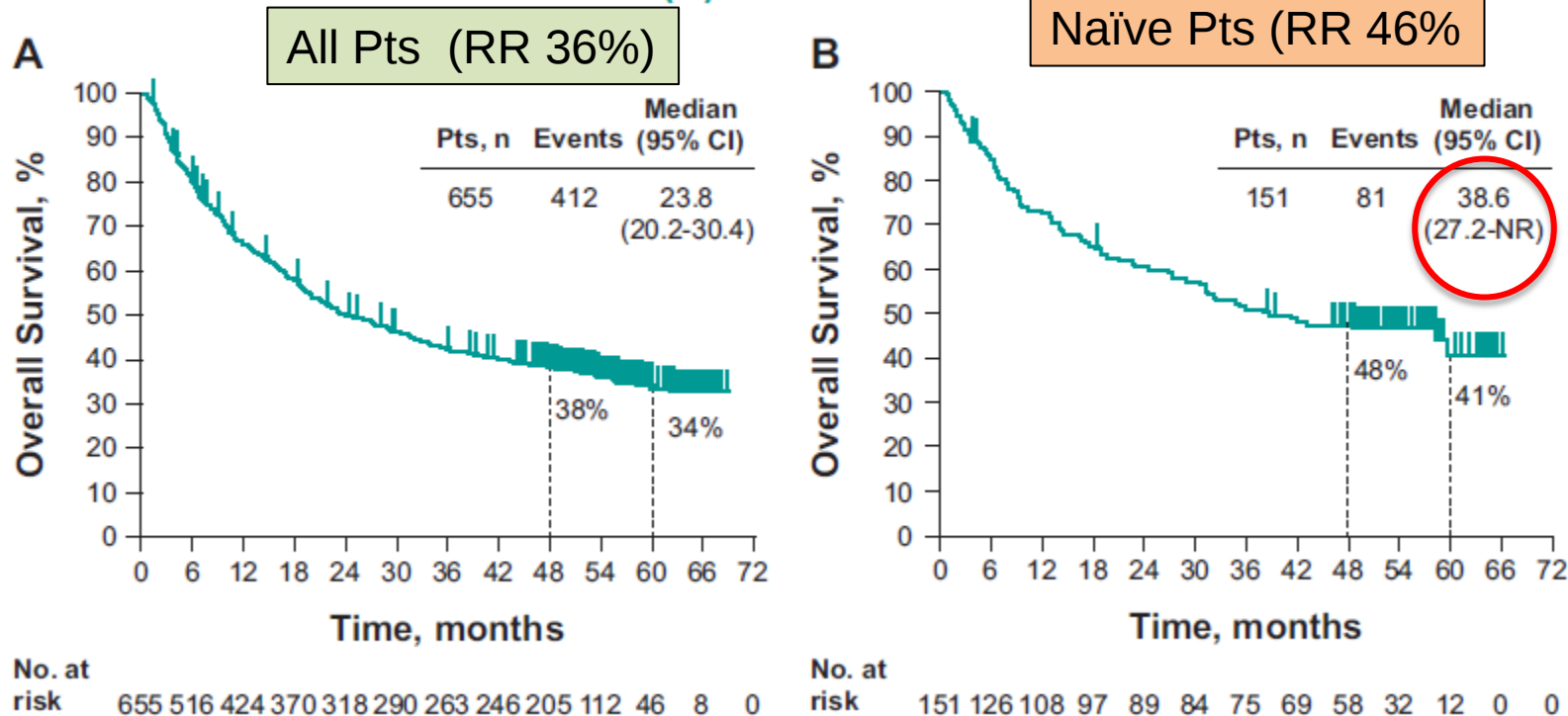


Figure 4. Maximum Percentage of Change From Baseline in Sum of the Longest Diameter of Each Target Lesion in the Full Analysis Set



Phase I Keynote-001 : 5 year survival Pembrolizumab in advanced melanoma (Hamid, ASCO 2018)

Figure 1. Kaplan-Meier Estimate of Overall Survival^a in the Total Population (A) and in Treatment-Naïve Patients (B)



BRAFi monotherapy

Anti-PD1 Monotherapy

DEMURAFENIB

DACARBAZINE

NIVOLUMAB

DACARBAZINE

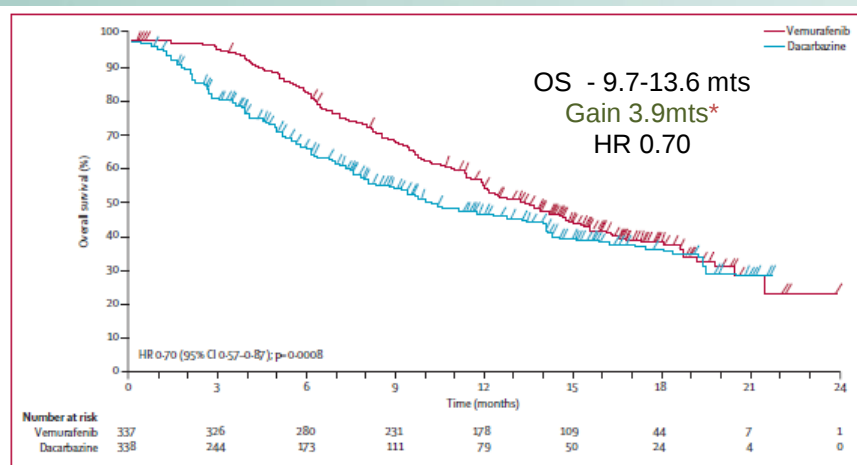
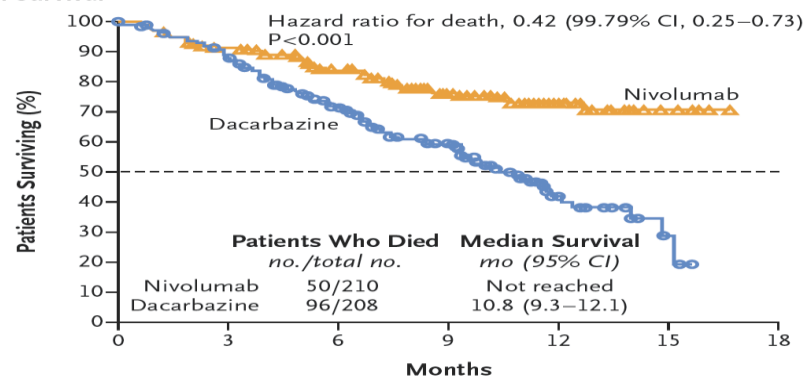


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A Overall Survival



No. at Risk

Nivolumab
Dacarbazine

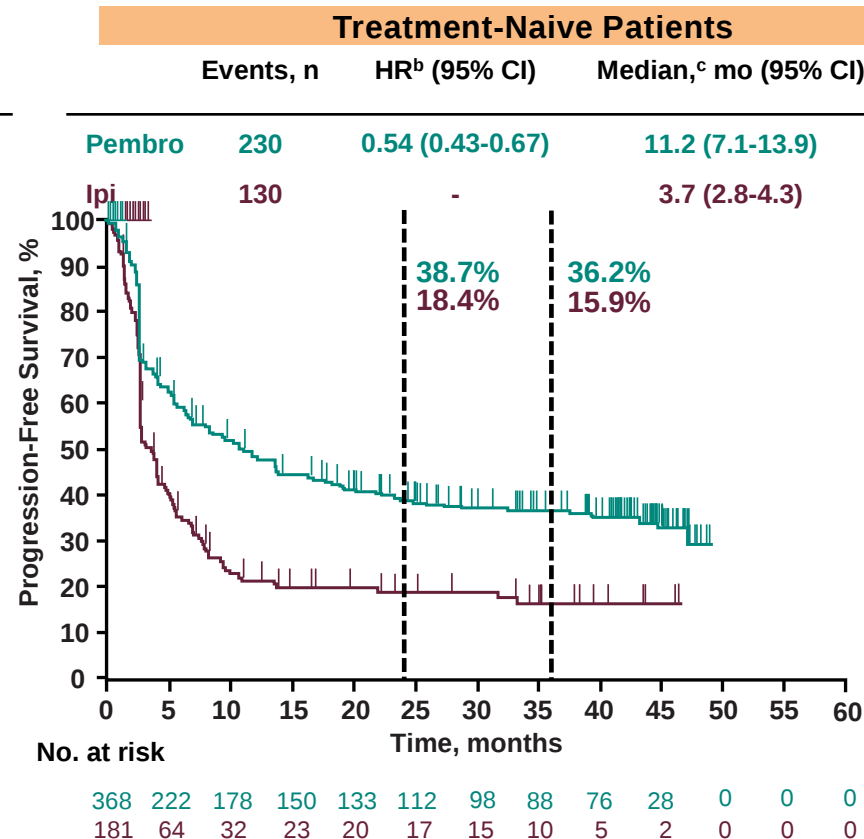
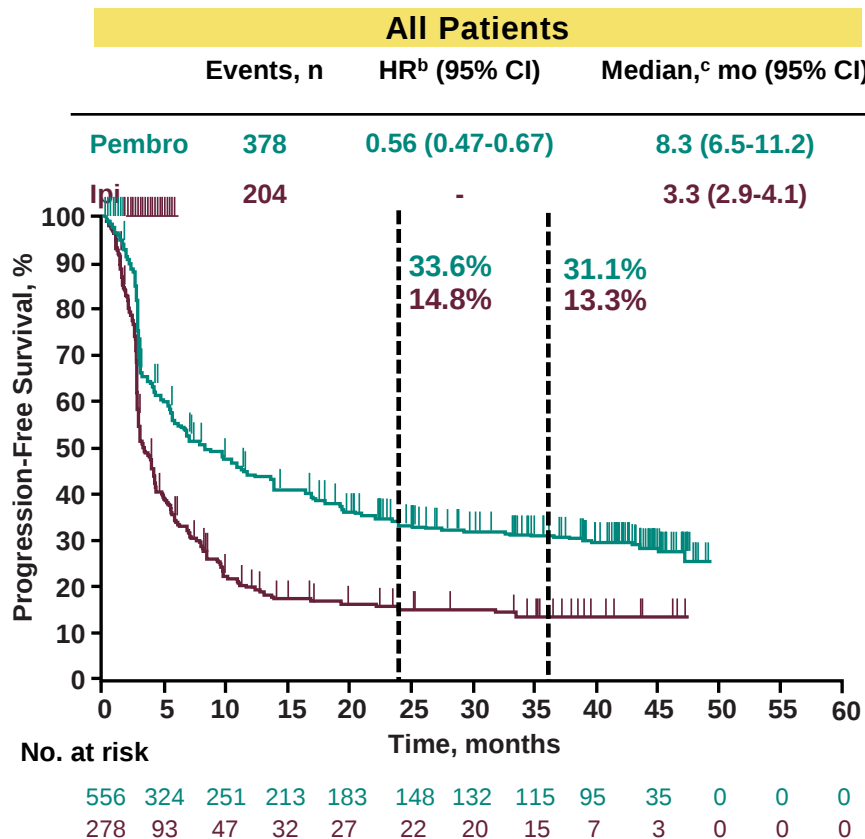
210	185	150	105	45	8	0
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Progression-Free Survival^a

Median Follow-Up 45.9 (0.3-50.0) Months

PEMBRO vs IPI

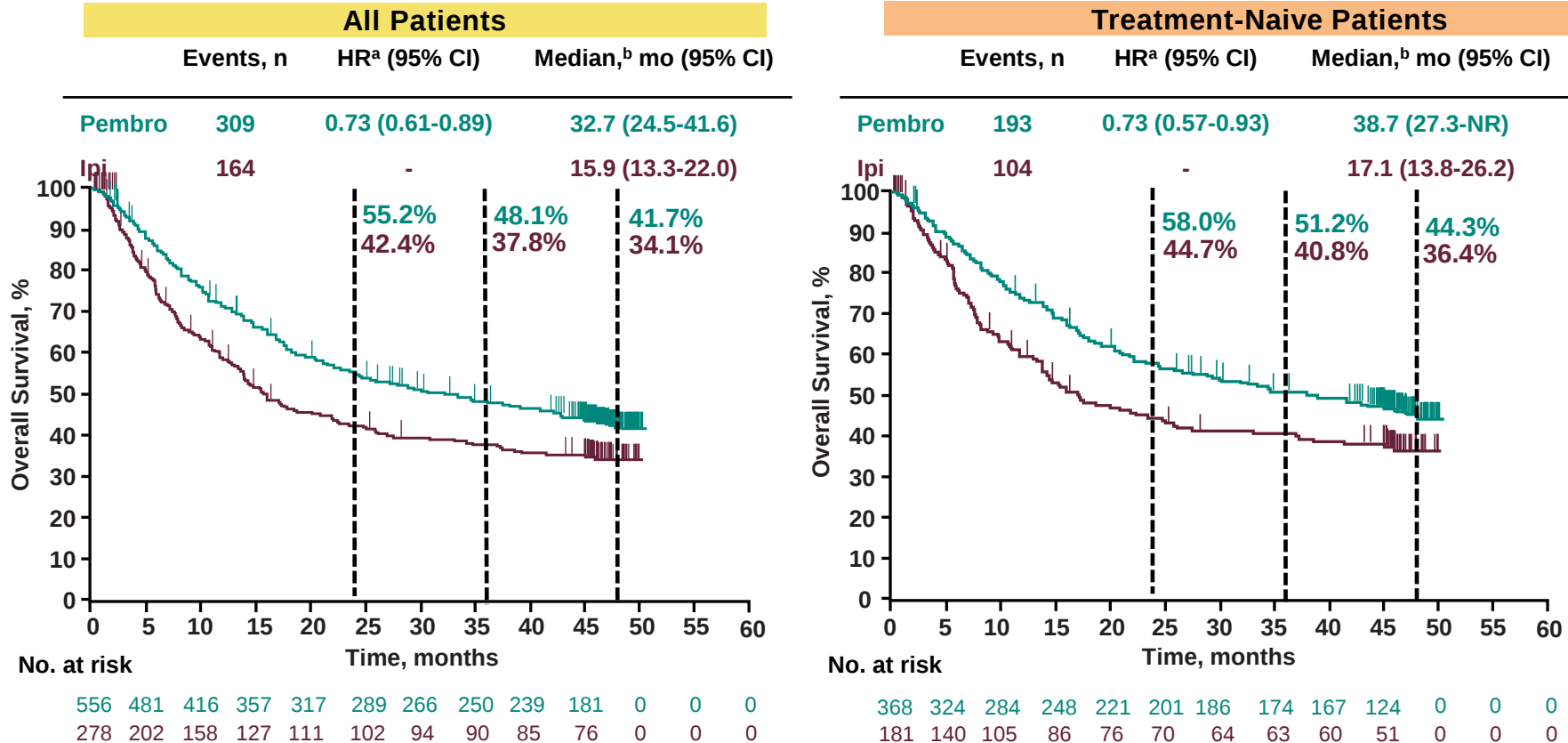
ASCO 2018



^aPer immune-related response criteria by investigator review. ^bBased on Cox regression model with treatment as covariate stratified by line of therapy (1st vs 2nd), PD-L1 status (positive vs negative), and ECOG (0 vs 1); if no patients are in one of the treatment groups involved in a comparison for a particular stratum, then that stratum was excluded from treatment comparison. ^cDerived by the product-limit (Kaplan-Meier) method for censored data. Data cutoff: Dec 4, 2017.

Overall Survival : Pembrolizumab vs Ipilimumab

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Transversal Antitumor Effects

Anti-PD1

Nivolumab

Pembrolizumab

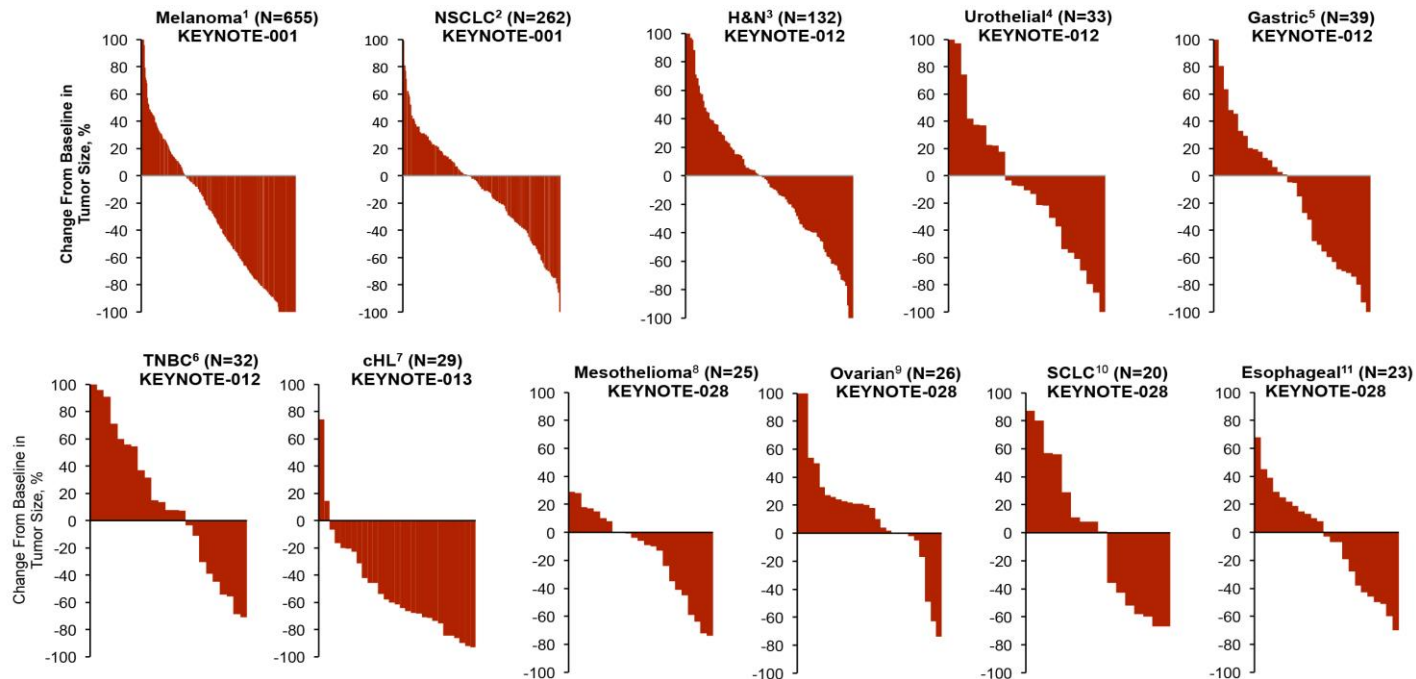
Anti-PDL1

Atezolizumab

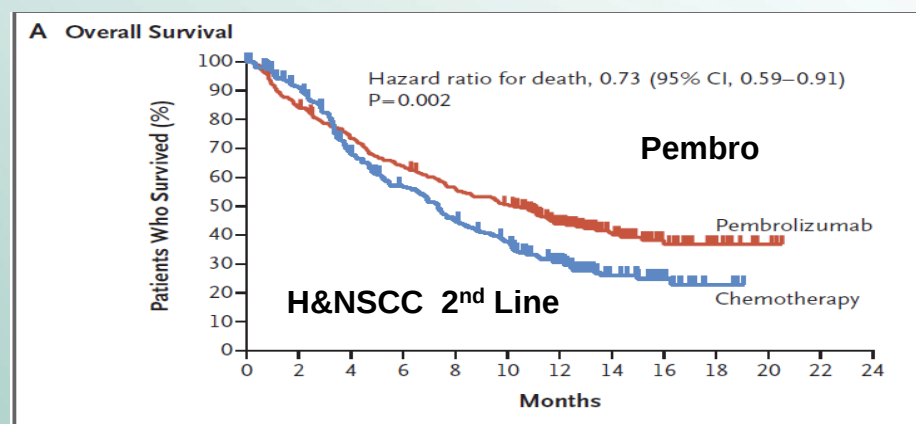
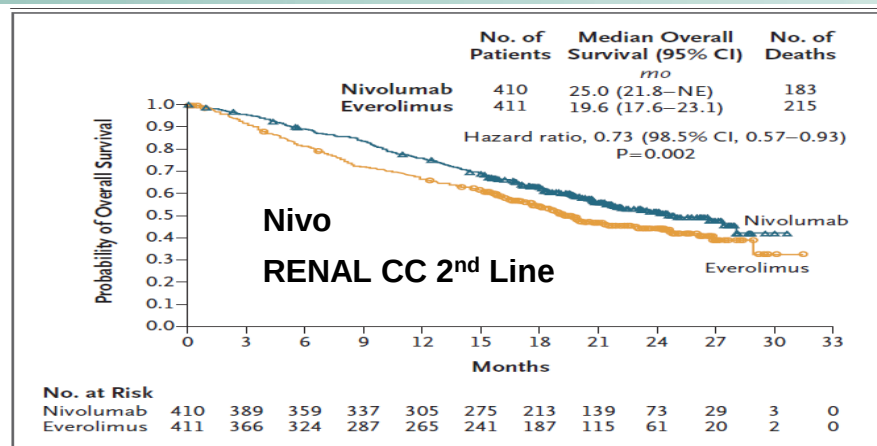
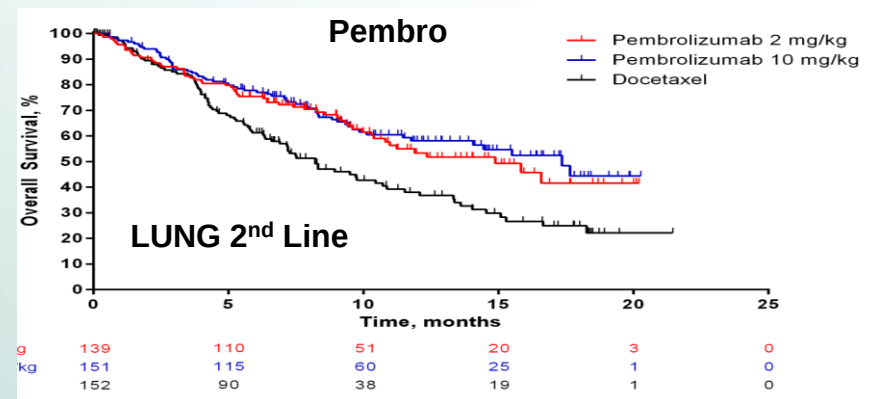
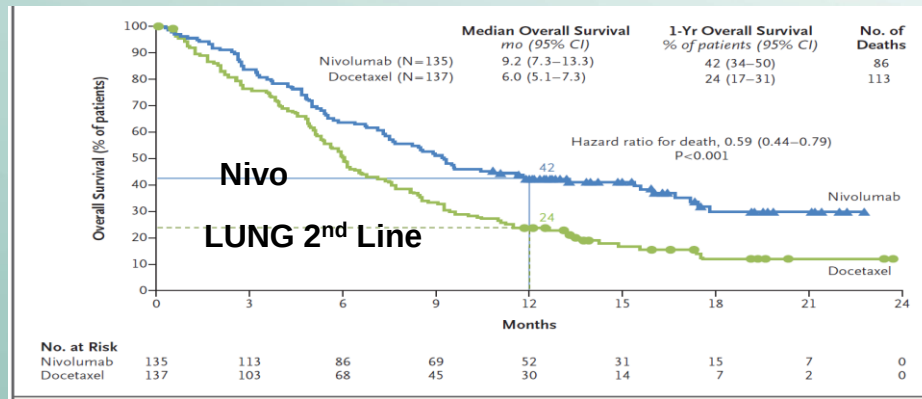
Avelumab

Durvalumab

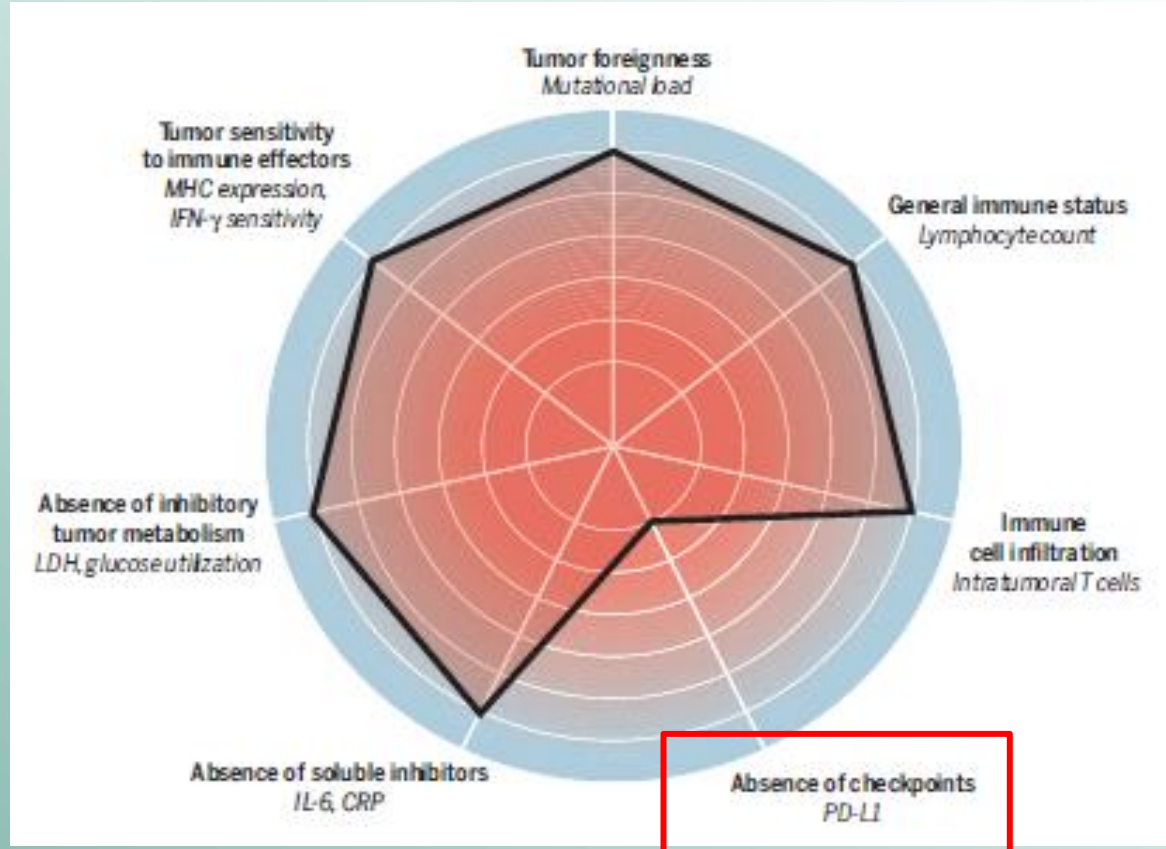
Pembrolizumab demonstrates broad antitumor activity



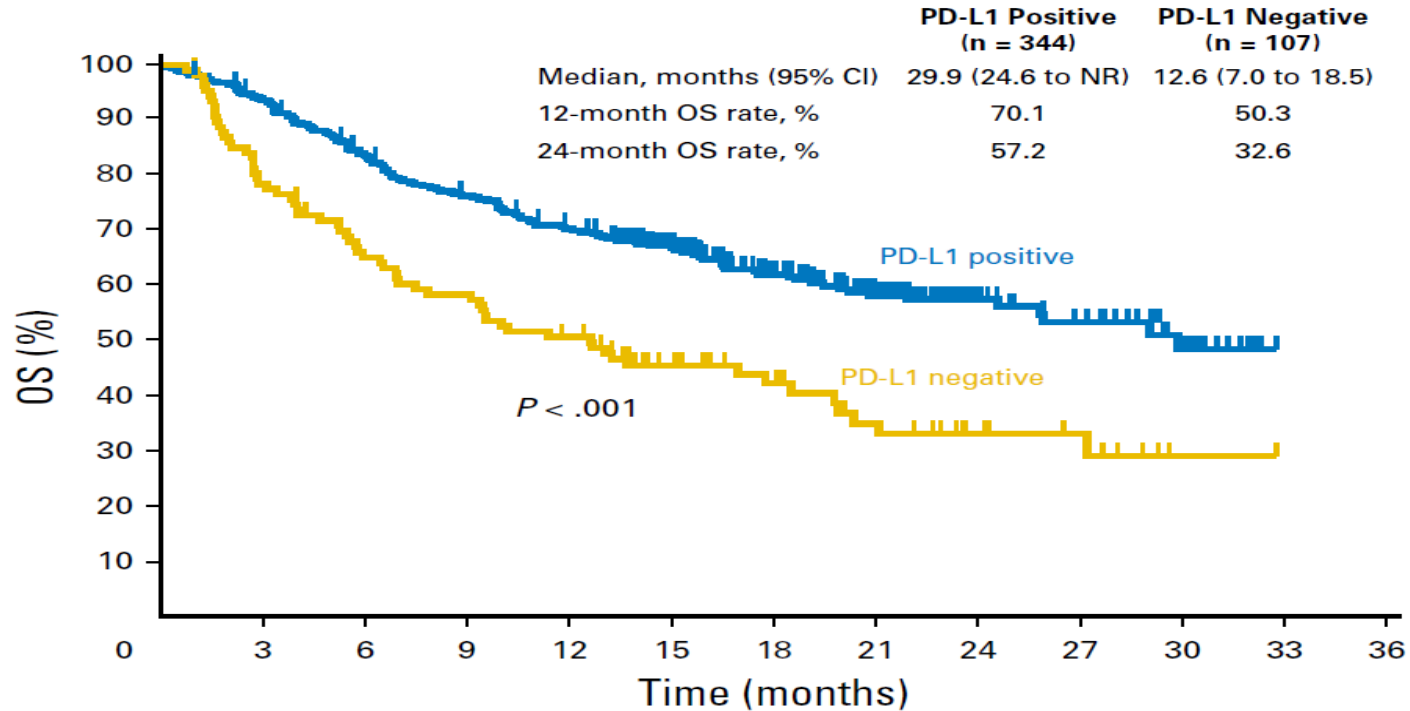
LUNG, H&N, RENAL, BLADDER, GASTRIC, ESOPHAGEAL, HCC, MERKEL, SCC, ETC



The “cancer immunogram”



PD-L1 expression and OS in advanced Melanoma



No. at risk

PD-L1 positive	344	320	283	254	231	175	125	93	46	34	17	0	0
PD-L1 negative	107	83	67	60	51	35	23	18	11	8	1	0	0

Prognostic Factors at Baseline

Good prognostic factors

LOW

- Low LDH, ECOG 0-1, Age, # Metastatic Sites,
- Low NLR: neutrophil/lymphocyte ratio
- Low CD4/CD8 ratio
- Low Tregs. Low MDSC in blood
- Low CRP

HIGH

- High ALC
- High eosinophiles

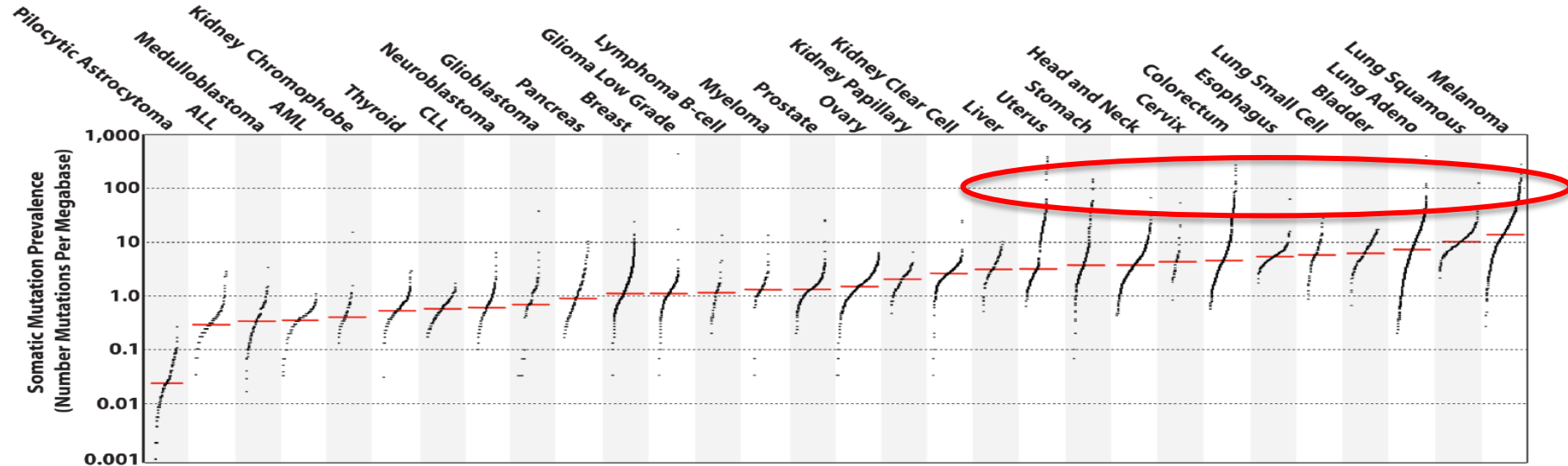
Likelihood of response to ICB

- **TILs** **Tumor Infiltrating Lymphocytes**
- **MTB** **Mutational Tumor Burden**
- **NTB** **Neoantigen Tumor Burden**
- **TCR** **T Cell Receptor:**
 - clonal diversity and amplitude
- **MSI** **Microsatellite Satellite Instability**
- **IFN γ** **Interferon- γ signature**

Mutational Load - Sensitivity to anti-CTLA4/PD1

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MSI tumors (CRC and others): > 60% response rate (ASCO 2015/16)

CRC MSI: RR 62% ; CRC RR 0%; Others MSI RR > 60% !!

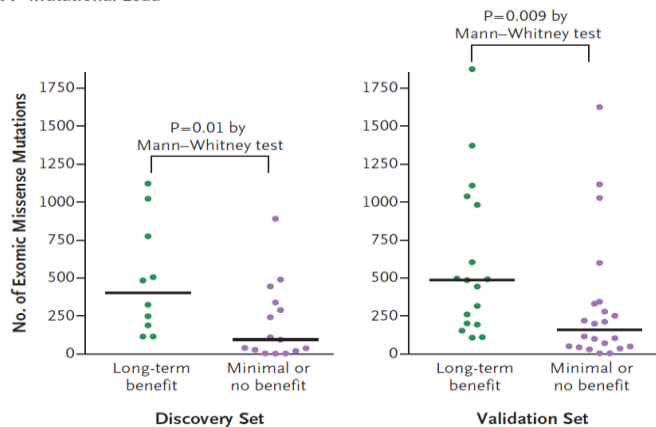
Tumor neoantigens and response to Ab CTLA-4

ORIGINAL ARTICLE

Genetic Basis for Clinical Response to CTLA-4 Blockade in Melanoma

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A Mutational Load



B Survival in Discovery Set

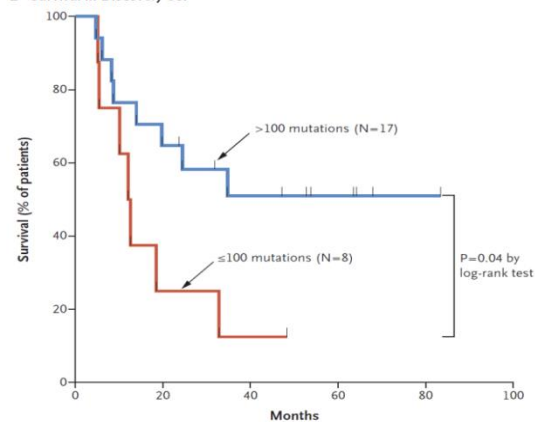
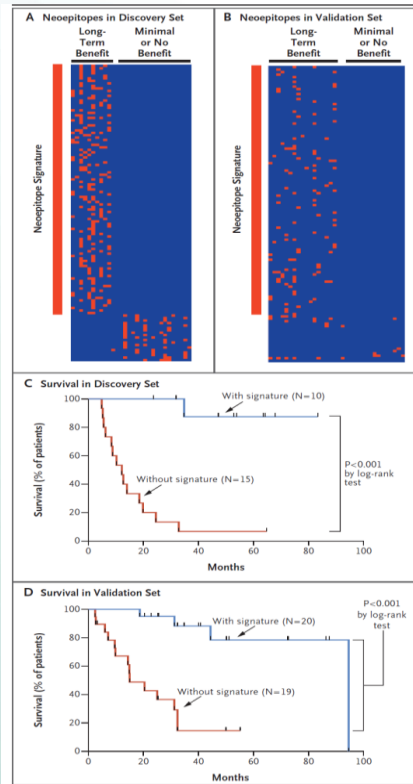


Figure 2. Mutational Landscape of Tumors According to Clinical Benefit from Ipilimumab Treatment.



Mutational landscape determines sensitivity to PD-1 blockade in non-small cell lung cancer

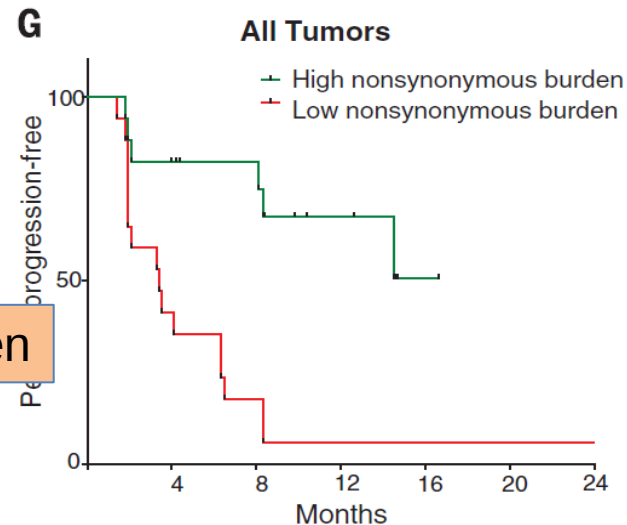
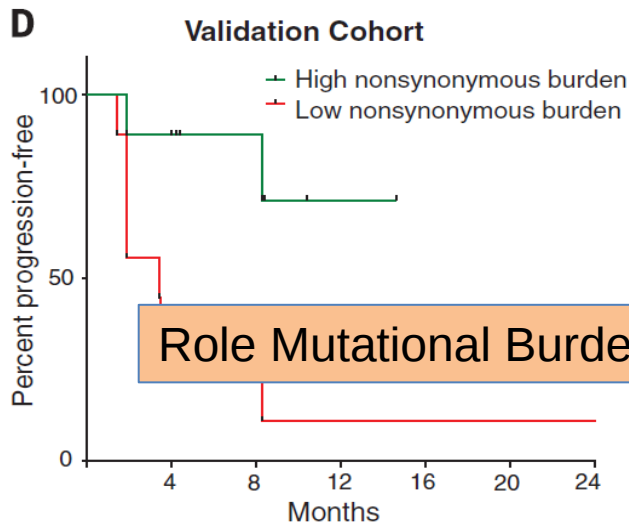
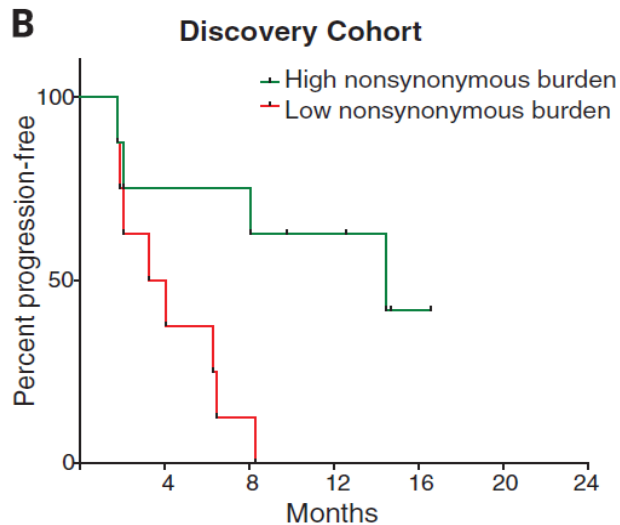
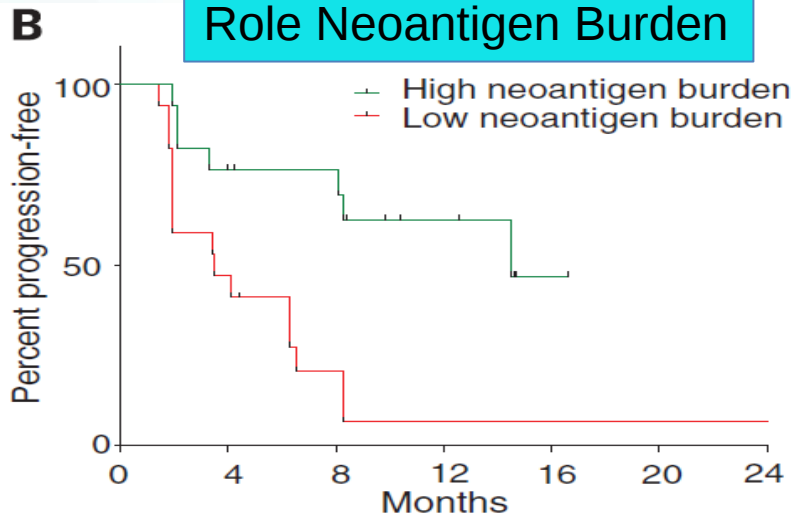
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Science **348** (6230), 124-128. [doi: 10.1126/science.aaa1348]
originally published online March 12, 2015

Editor's Summary

More mutations predict better efficacy

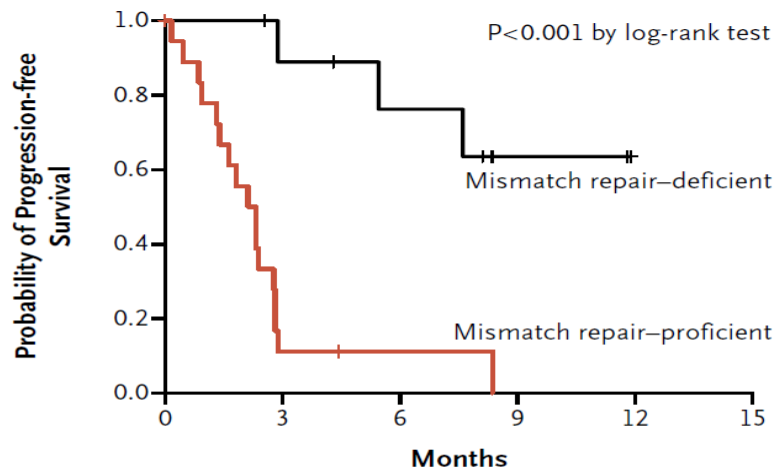
Despite the remarkable success of cancer immunotherapies, many patients do not respond to treatment. Rizvi *et al.* studied the tumors of patients with non-small-cell lung cancer undergoing immunotherapy. In two independent cohorts, treatment efficacy was associated with a higher number of mutations in the tumors. In one patient, a tumor-specific T cell response paralleled tumor regression.

Science, this issue p. 124



Pembrolizumab in Mismatched Repair Deficient Tumors

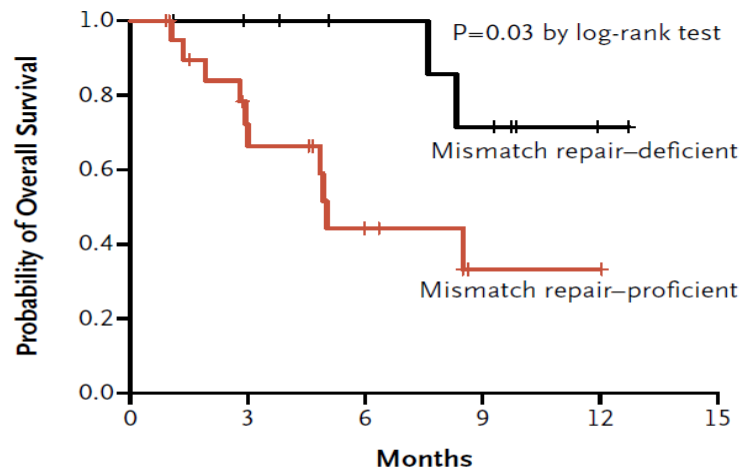
A Progression-free Survival in Cohorts with Colorectal Cancer



No. at Risk

Mismatch repair-deficient	11	8	6	2	0	0
Mismatch repair-proficient	21	2	1	0	0	0

B Overall Survival in Cohorts with Colorectal Cancer



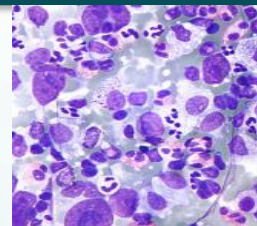
No. at Risk

Mismatch repair-deficient	11	9	7	5	1	0
Mismatch repair-proficient	21	12	5	1	1	0

Pembrolizumab in Hodgkin Lymphoma

Hodgkin's lymphoma may represent a uniquely vulnerable target for PD-1 blockade.

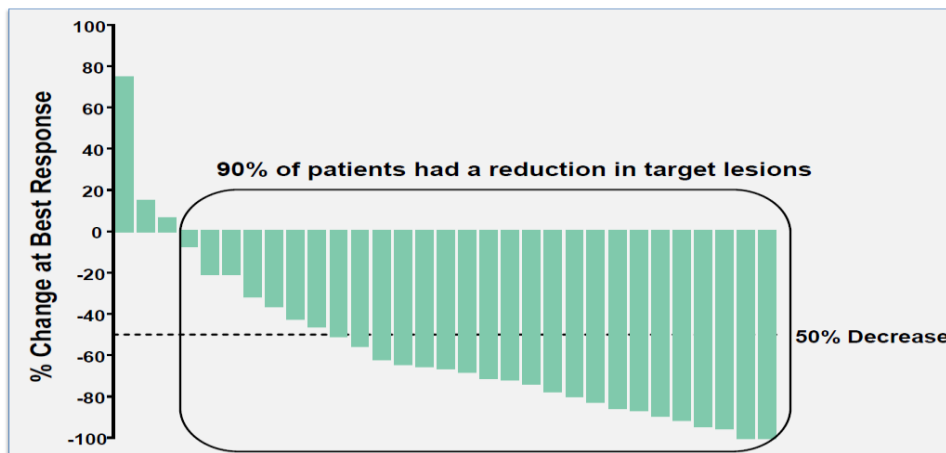
Specifically, **amplification of 9p24.1** is frequent in the disease and results in the overexpression of PD-L1 and PD-L2.



ORR	86%
CR	21%
PR	45 %
SD	21%

DURABILITY

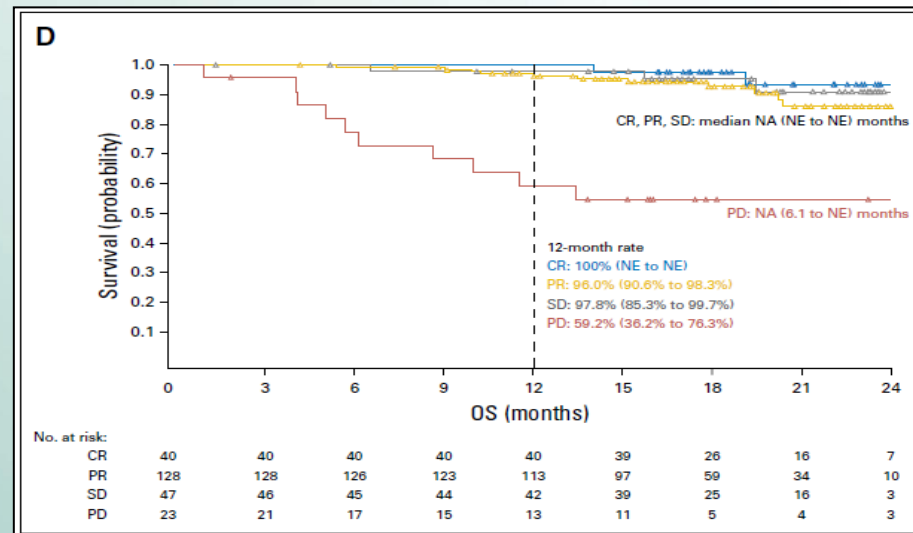
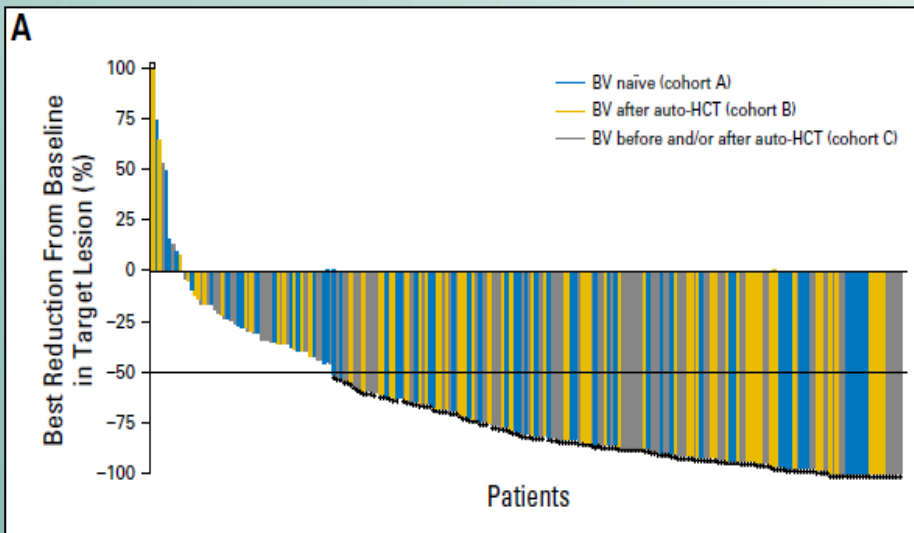
Hodgkin: Highest Efficacy of anti-PD1...



Armand P. PD-1 Blockade With Pembrolizumab in Patients With Classical Hodgkin Lymphoma After Brentuximab Vedotin Failure: Safety, Efficacy, and Biomarker Assessment. P-013. ASH 2015.

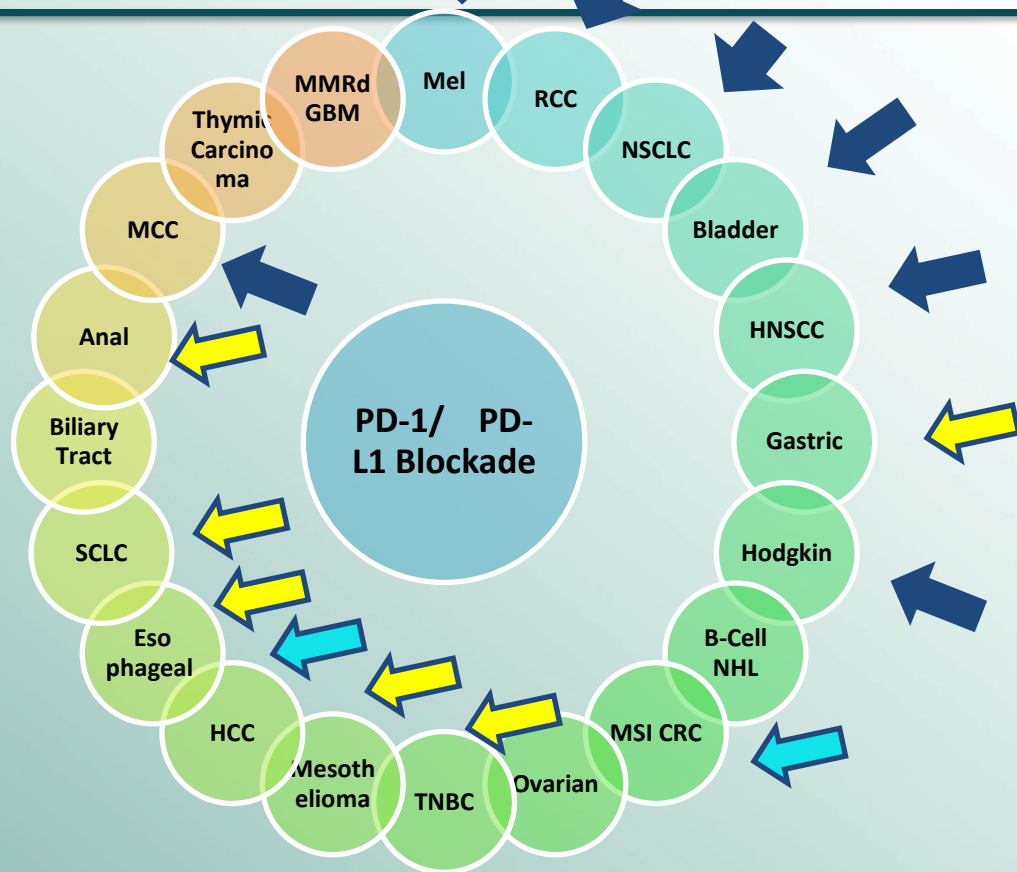
Nivolumab for Relapsed/Refractory Classic Hodgkin Lymphoma After Failure of Autologous Hematopoietic Cell Transplantation: Extended Follow-Up of the Multicohort Single-Arm Phase II CheckMate 205 Trial

Philippe Armand, Andreas Engert, Anas Younes, Michelle Fanale, Armando Santoro, Pier Luigi Zinzani, John M. Timmerman, Graham P. Collins, Radhakrishnan Ramchandren, Jonathon B. Cohen, Jan Paul De Boer, John Kuruvilla, Kerry J. Savage, Marek Trnieny, Margaret A. Shipp, Kazunobu Kato, Anne Sumbul, Benedetto Farsaci, and Stephen M. Ansell



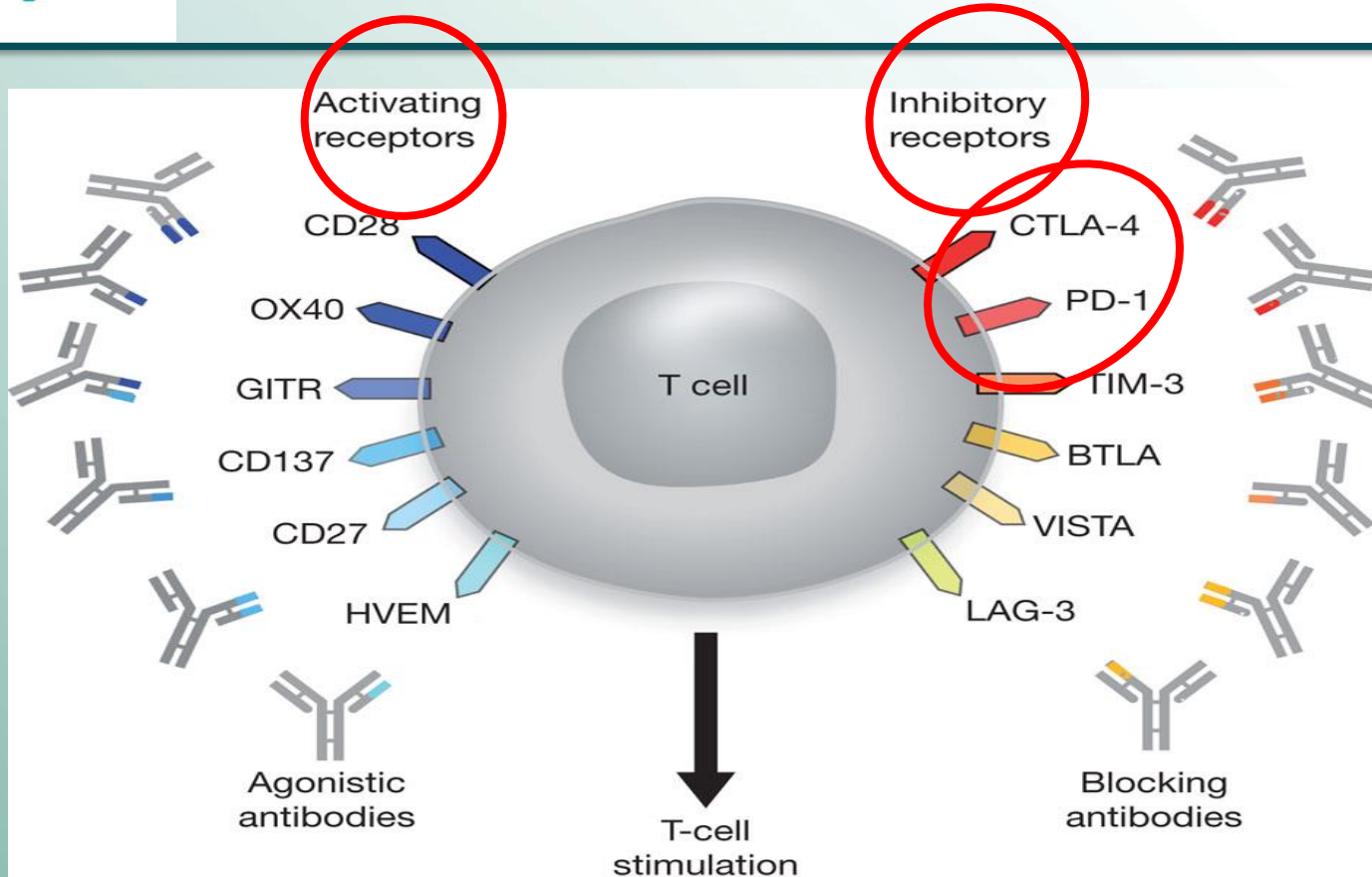
FDA approvals 2014-16

2017-18



IMMUNO - COMBOS

2 KEY Regulators



INHIBITOR COMBOS

Anti-CTLA4 + Anti-PD1

CheckMate067: Overall Survival

Randomized, double-blind,
phase III study to compare NIVO+IPI
or NIVO alone to IPI alone*

Unresectable or
Metastatic Melanoma

- Previously untreated
- 945 patients

Randomize
1:1:1

Stratify by:

- *BRAF* status
- AJCC M stage
- Tumor PD-L1 expression <5% vs ≥5%*

N=314

NIVO 1 mg/kg +
IPI 3 mg/kg Q3W for
4 doses then NIVO
3 mg/kg Q2W

N=316

NIVO 3 mg/kg Q2W +
IPI-matched placebo

N=315

IPI 3 mg/kg Q3W
for 4 doses +
NIVO-matched placebo

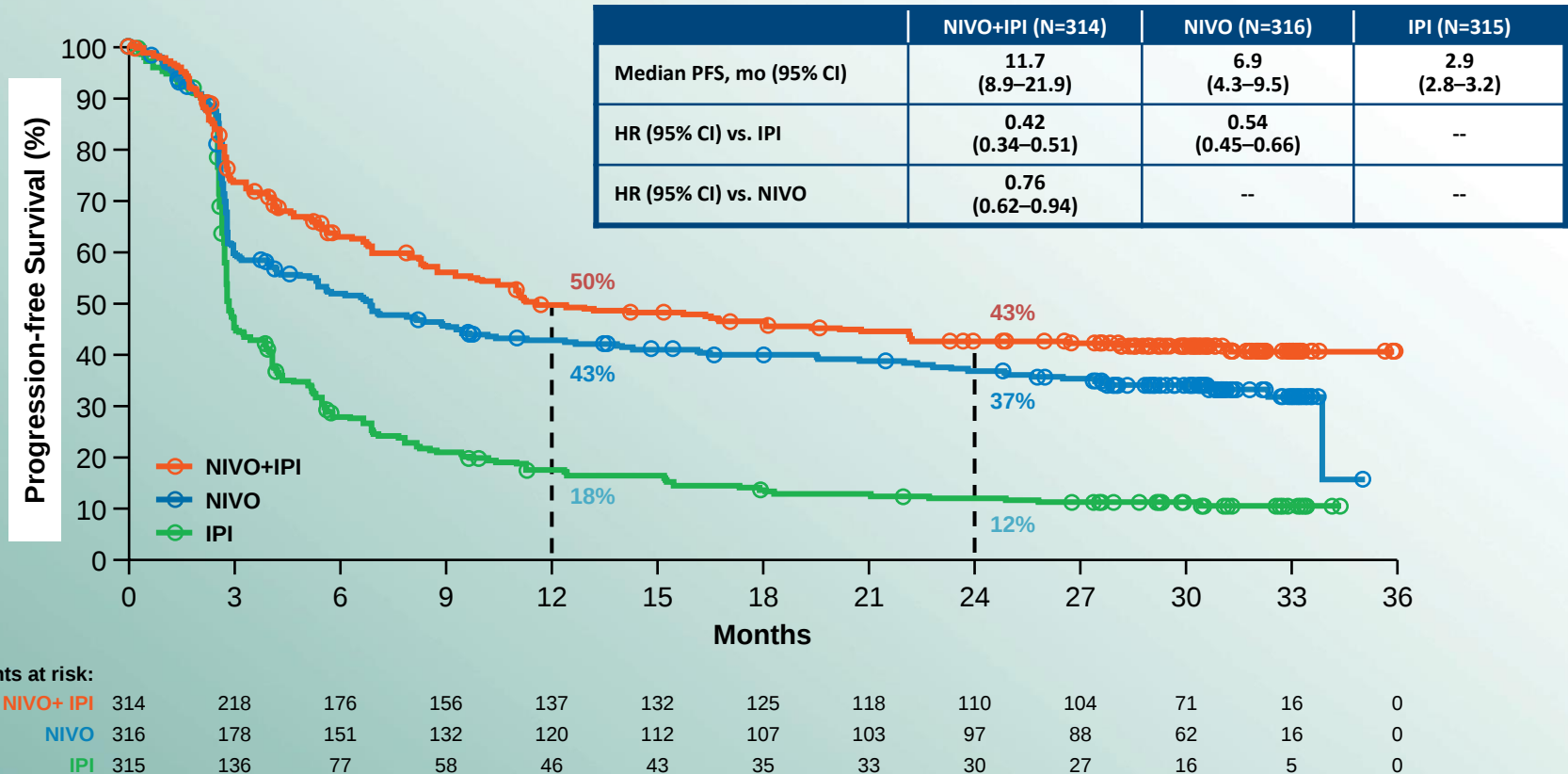
*Treat until
progression or
unacceptable
toxicity*

Database lock: Sept 13, 2016 (median follow-up
~30 months in both NIVO-containing arms)

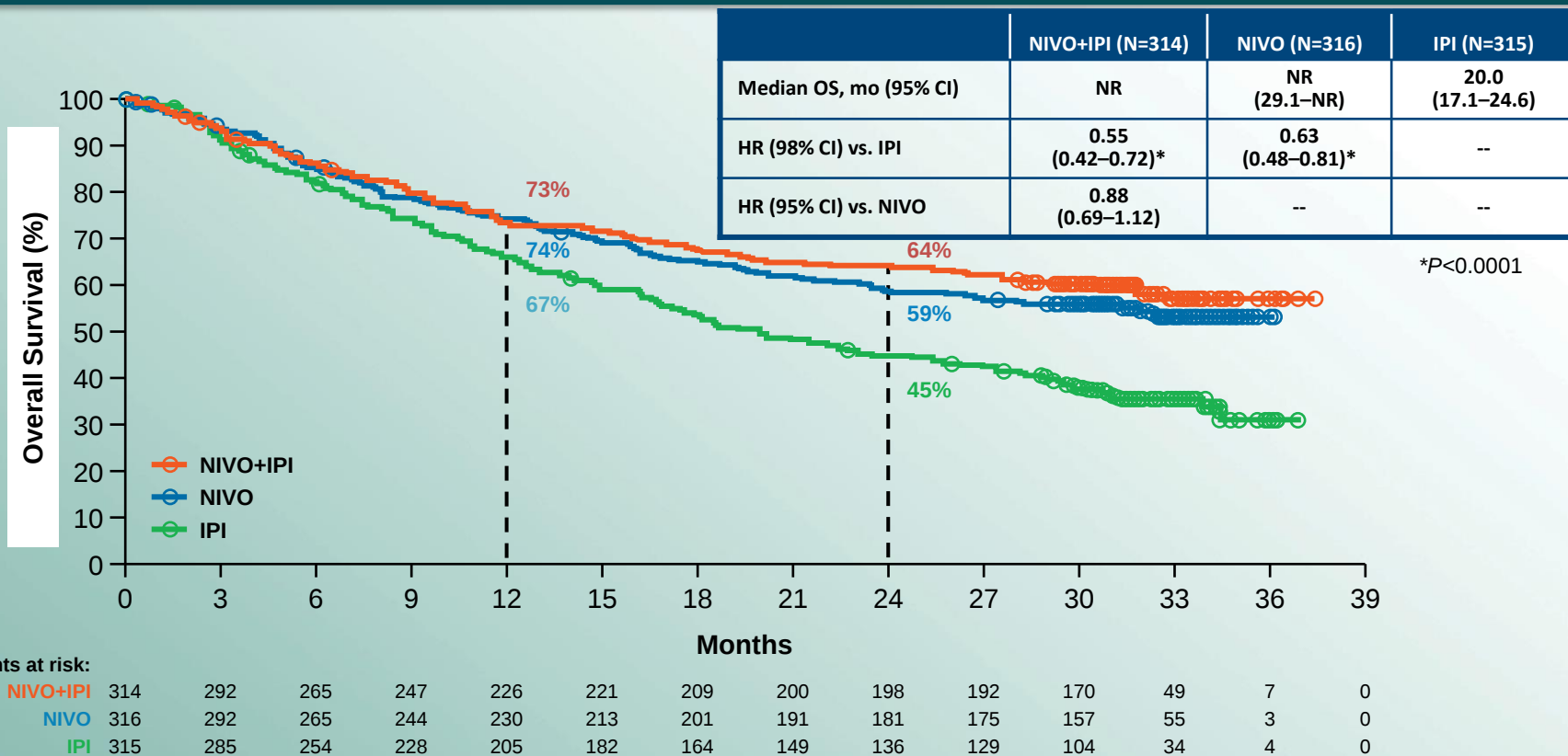
***The study was NOT powered for a comparison between
NIVO and NIVO+IPI**

J.Larkin et al. AACR 2017

Updated Progression-Free Survival



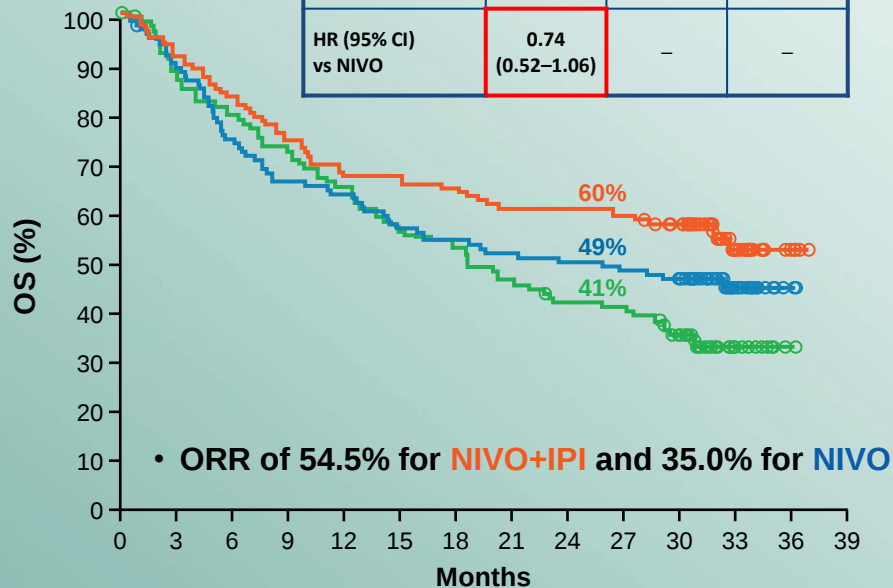
Overall Survival



Similar Outcomes Were Observed at a $\geq 1\%$ Cutoff

PD-L1 Expression Level $<1\%$

$<1\%$ PD-L1	NIVO+IPI	NIVO	IPI
Median OS, mo (95% CI)	NR (26.5–NR)	23.5 (13.0–NR)	18.6 (13.7–23.2)
HR (95% CI) vs NIVO	0.74 (0.52–1.06)	–	–

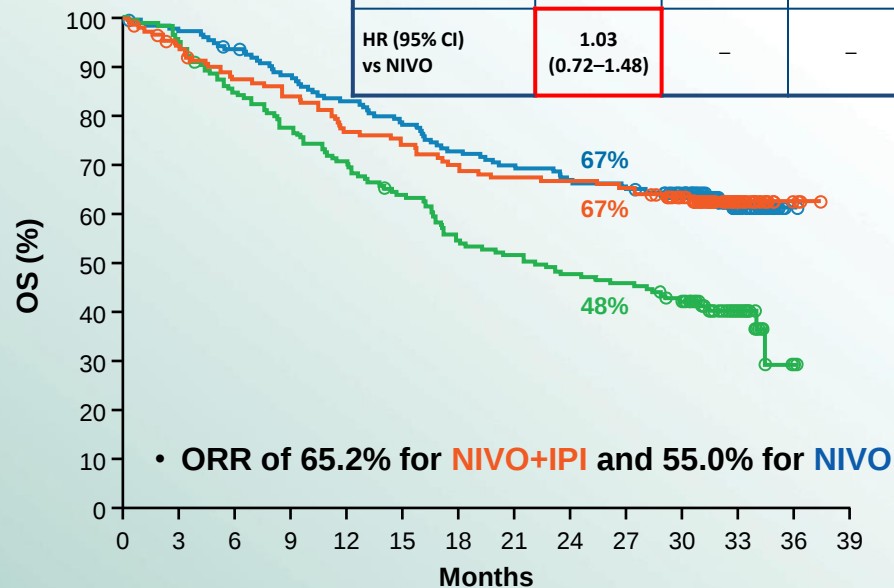


Patients at risk:

NIVO+IPI	123	113	102	91	82	82	79	74	74	72	66	18	4	0
NIVO	117	103	86	76	73	65	62	59	57	55	50	16	2	0
IPI	113	96	87	79	71	61	57	50	44	43	32	10	1	0

PD-L1 Expression Level $\geq 1\%$

$\geq 1\%$ PD-L1	NIVO+IPI	NIVO	IPI
Median OS, mo (95% CI)	NR	NR	22.1 (17.1–29.7)
HR (95% CI) vs NIVO	1.03 (0.72–1.48)	–	–



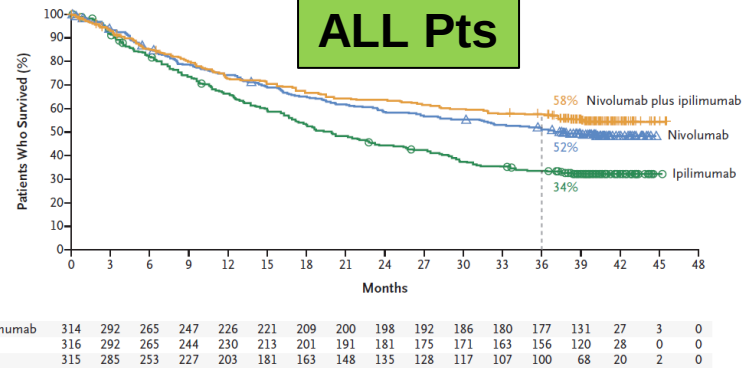
Patients at risk:

NIVO+IPI	155	144	132	127	116	112	105	102	101	99	85	27	3	0
NIVO	171	165	158	148	139	131	122	117	112	109	98	36	1	0
IPI	164	155	138	126	115	102	89	83	77	74	64	21	2	0

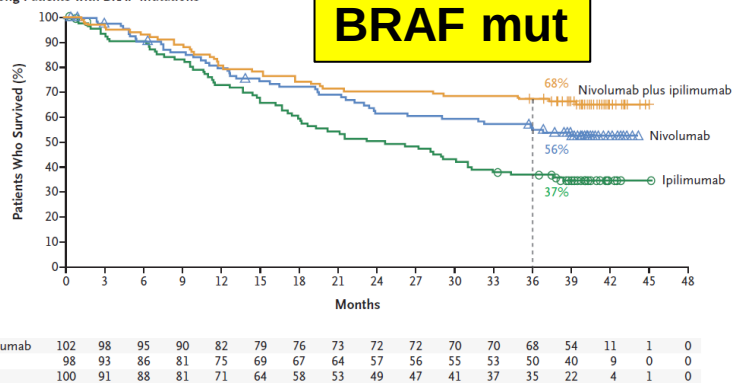
Nivo 1mg + Ipi 3mg OS update NEJM 9/10/17 Wolchok J et al

IO-perspectives in BRAF mut population

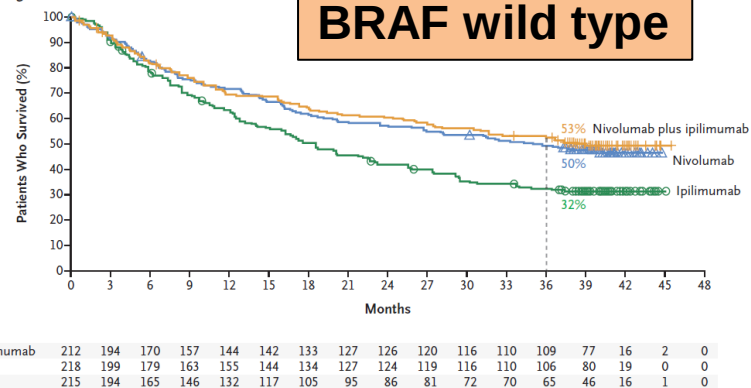
B Overall Survival



A Overall Survival among Patients with BRAF Mutations



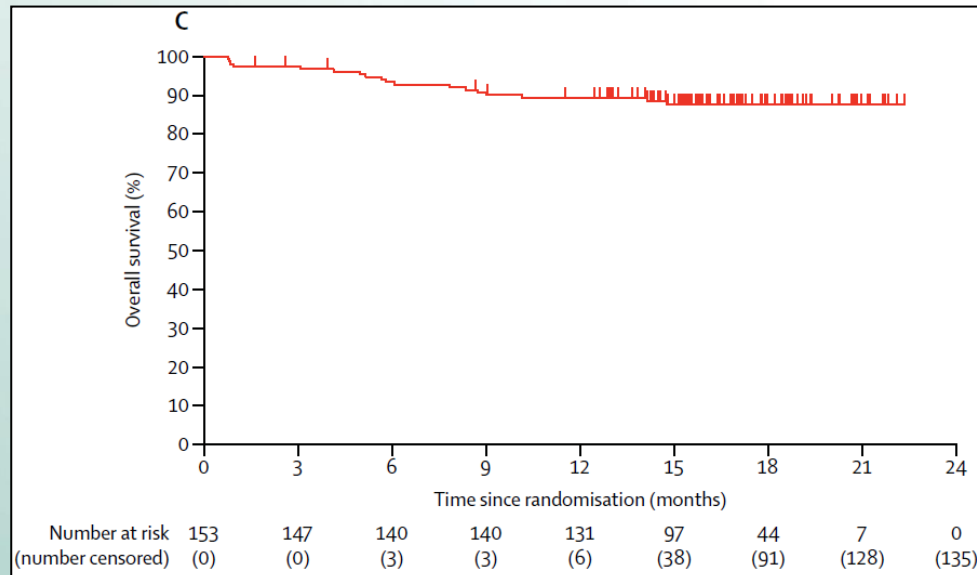
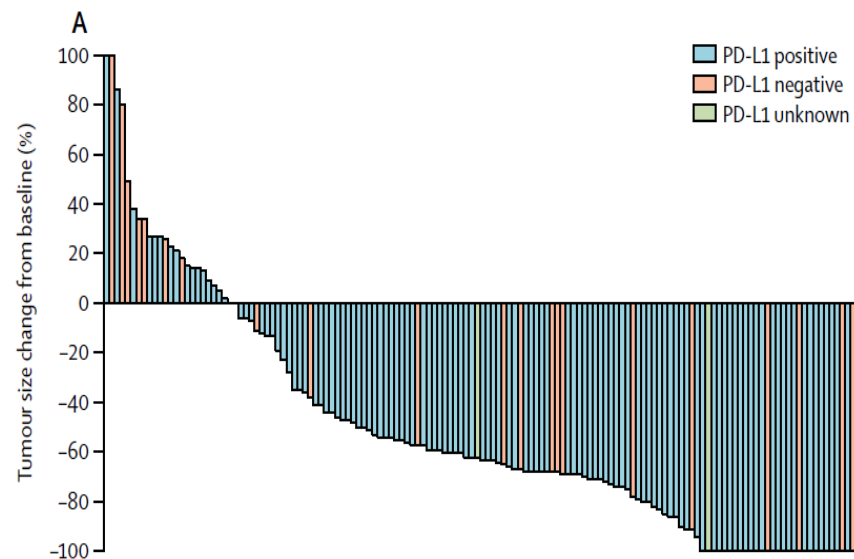
B Overall Survival among Patients without BRAF Mutations



Standard-dose pembrolizumab in combination with reduced-dose ipilimumab for patients with advanced melanoma (KEYNOTE-029): an open-label, phase 1b trial

Georgina V Long, Victoria Atkinson, Jonathan S Cebon, Michael B Jameson, Bernie M Fitzharris, Catriona M McNeil, Andrew G Hill, Antoni Ribas, Michael B Atkins, John A Thompson, Wen-Jen Hwu, F Stephen Hodi, Alexander M Menzies, Alexander D Guminski, Richard Kefford, Benjamin Y Kong, Babak Tamjid, Archana Srivastava, Anna J Lomax, Mohammed Islam, Xinxin Shu, Scot Ebbinghaus, Nageatte Ibrahim, Matteo S Carlino

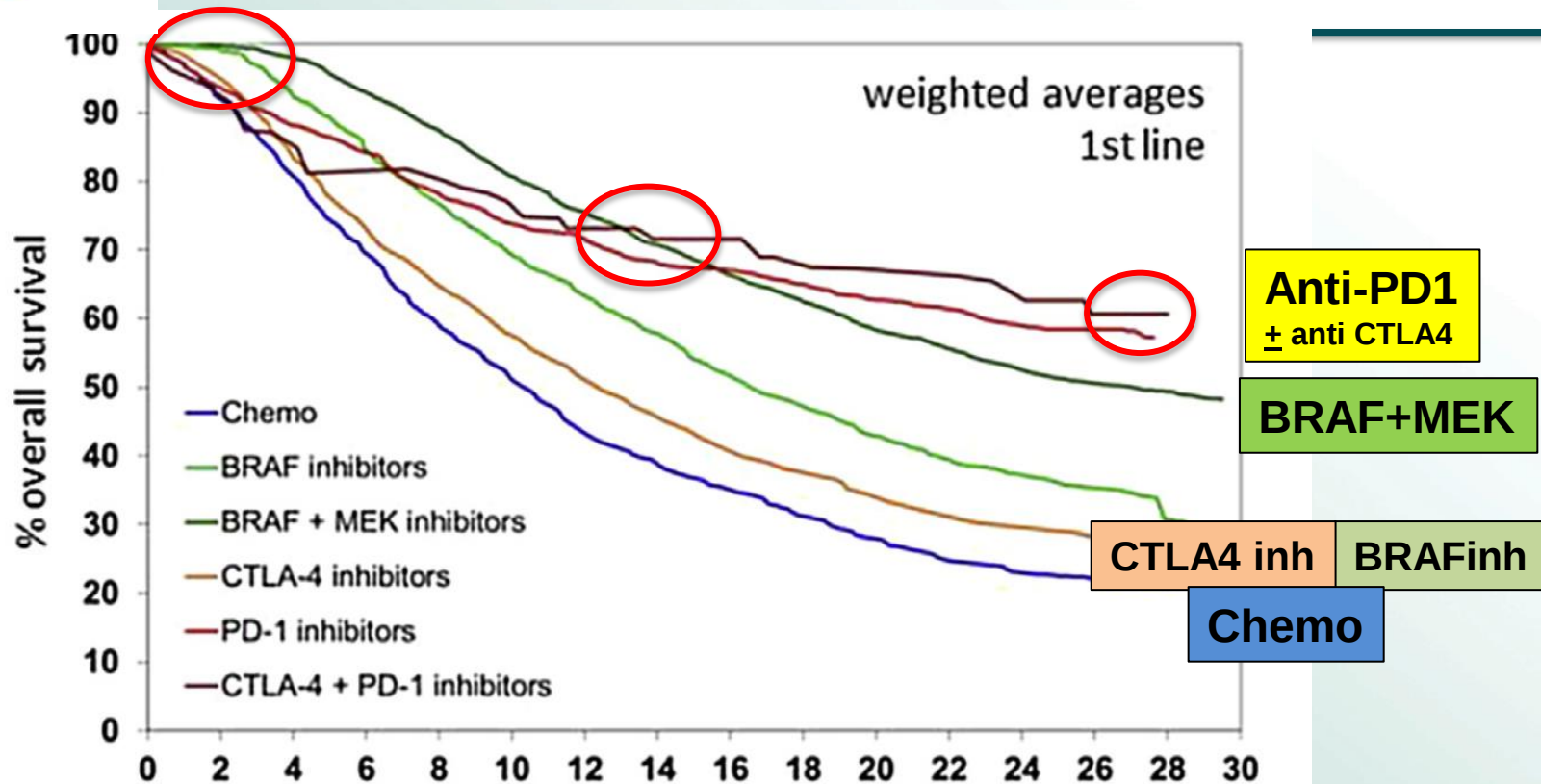
pembrolizumab 2mg/kg q3wk
ipilimumab 1mg/kg
prmbro maintenance 2 yrs



Translation Results in Advanced Disease

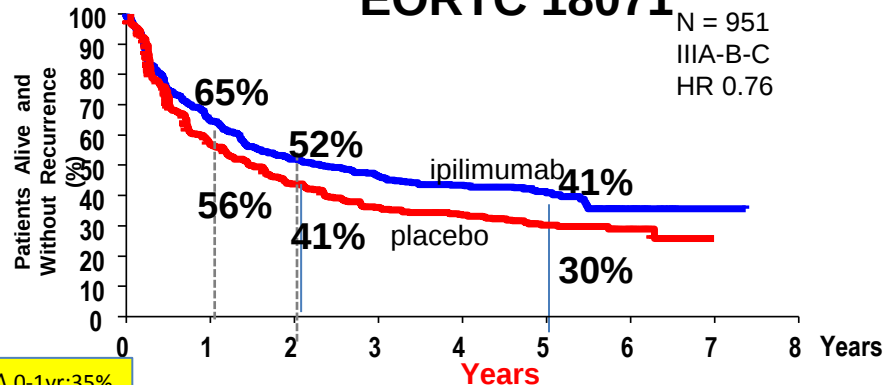
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Effective Drugs in Advanced Melanoma



Improvement in RFS in high risk melanoma

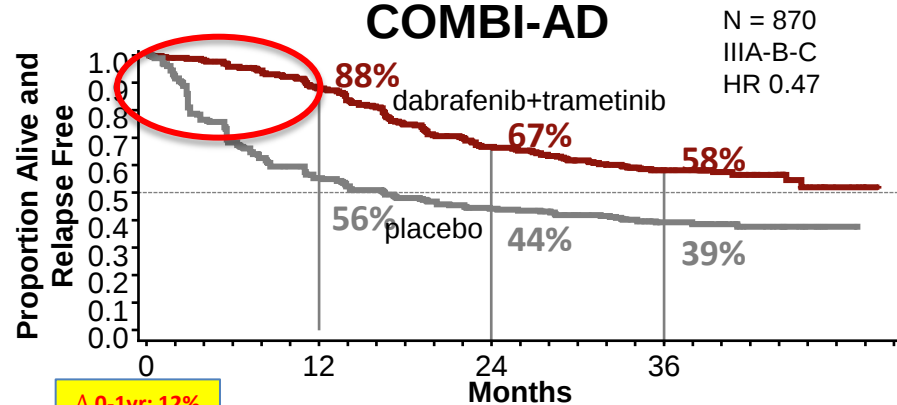
EORTC 18071



Eggermont *et al.* NEJM 2016

Δ 0-1yr: 35%
Δ 1-2yr: 13%

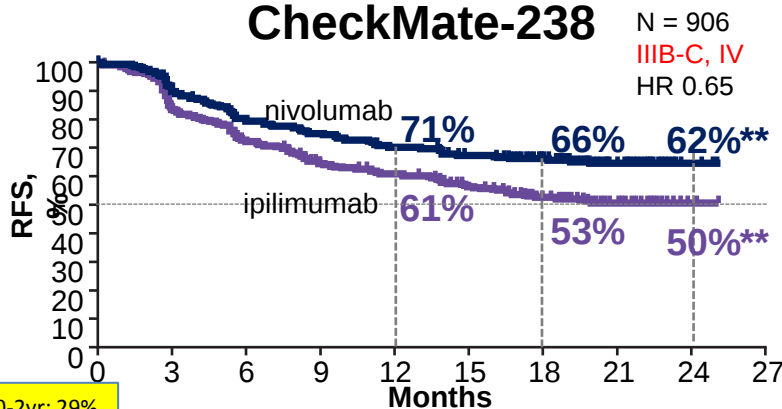
COMBI-AD



Long *et al.* NEJM 2017

Δ 0-1yr: 12%
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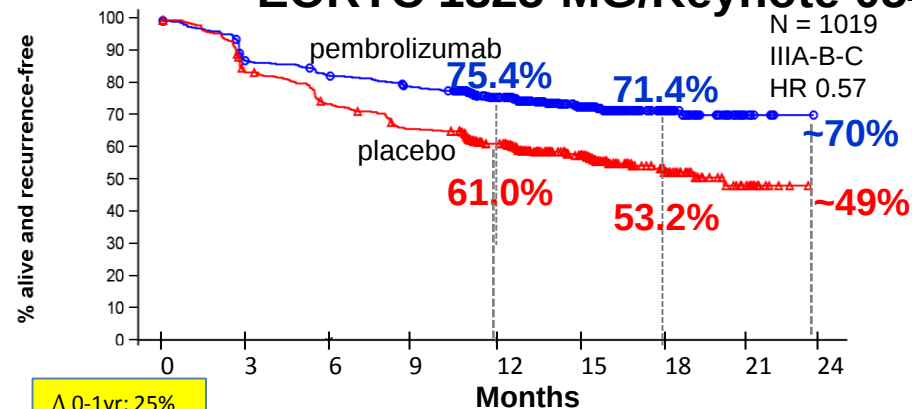
CheckMate-238



Weber *et al.* NEJM 2017

Δ 0-2yr: 29%
Δ 1-2yr: 9%

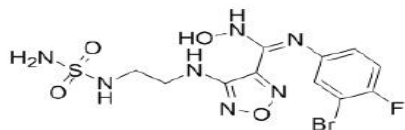
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Eggermont *et al.* NEJM 2018

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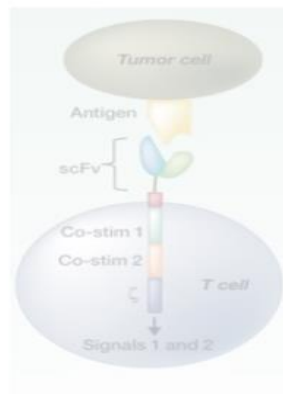
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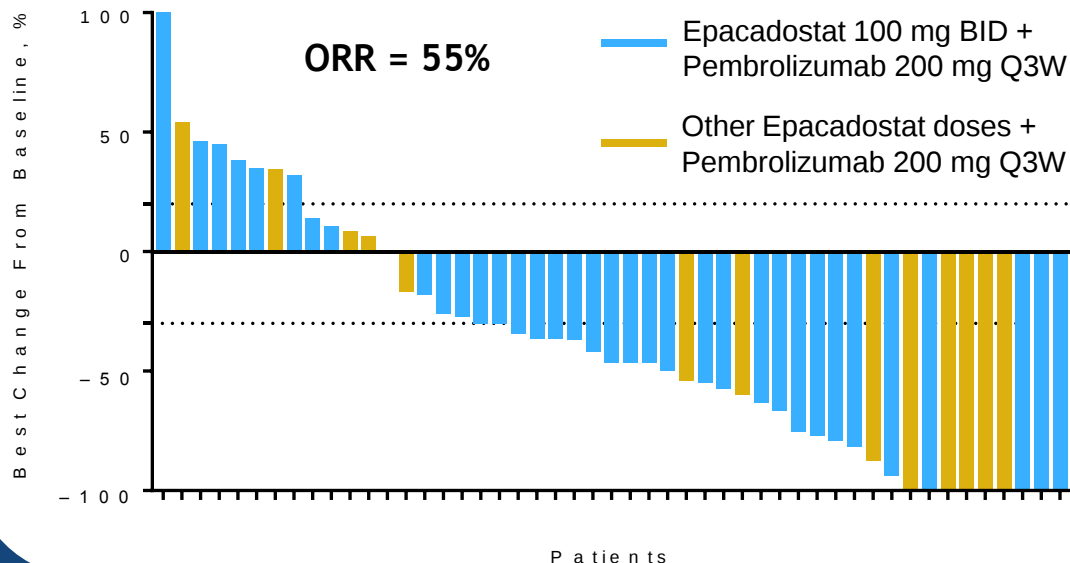
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Background: Rationale for Combination and Dosing

Treatment-Naive Melanoma Phase 1/2 (n=54)

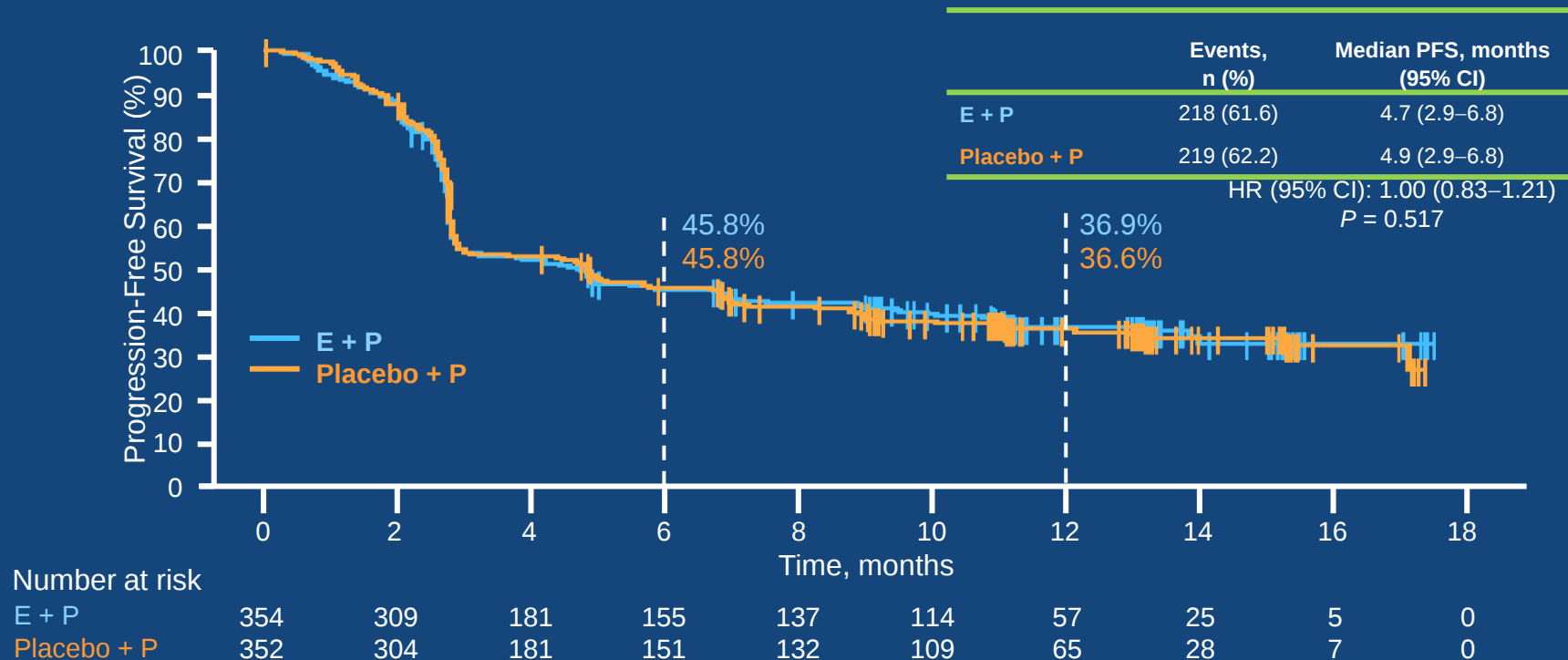


ECHO-202 / KEYNOTE-037

- Phase 1: Epacadostat 50, 100, or 300 mg PO BID + Pembrolizumab 200 mg IV Q3W
- MTD of epacadostat not reached
- Phase 2: Epacadostat 100 mg PO BID
- Phase 1/2 efficacy in treatment-naïve melanoma:
 - ORR = 55%
 - Median PFS = 22.8 mo (12.4 mo all melanoma)

BID, twice daily; MTD, maximally tolerated dose; PD-L1, programmed death ligand-1; Q3W, every 3 weeks.
Hamid O, et al. *Ann Oncol.* 2017;28(suppl 5):1214O.

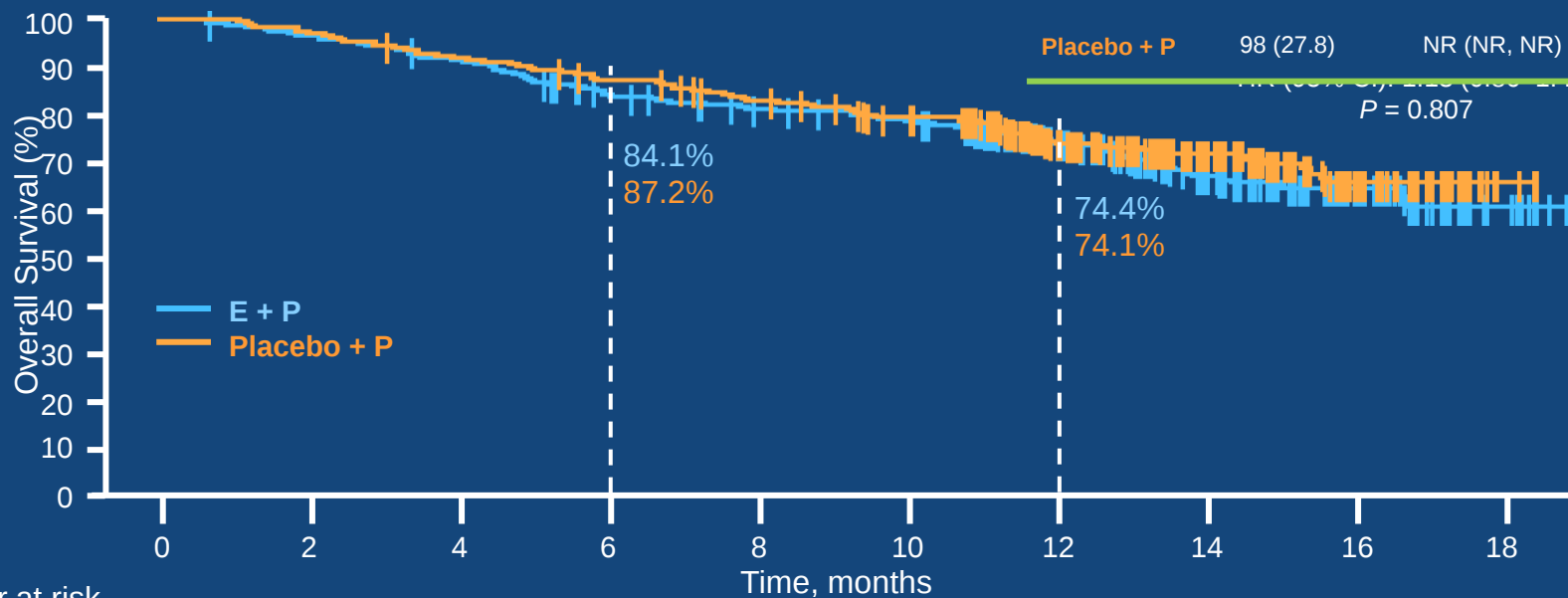
PFS: Pembro vs Pembro+Epacadostat



BICR, blinded independent central review; CI, confidence interval; E, epacadostat; HR, hazard ratio; P, pembrolizumab; PFS, progression-free survival; RECIST, Response Evaluation Criteria In Solid Tumors.

PFS defined as time from randomization to disease progression or death, whichever occurred first.

Overall Survival: P vs P+E

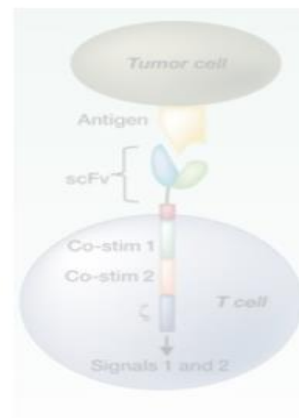
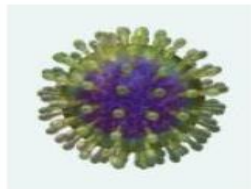
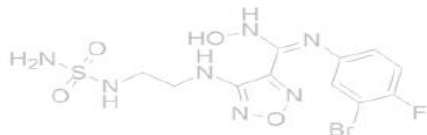


Number at risk

E + P	354	340	322	290	274	263	183	96	42	5
Placebo + P	352	342	323	304	285	263	186	115	43	2

	Events, n (%)	Median OS, months (95% CI)
E + P	106 (29.9)	NR (NR, NR)
Placebo + P	98 (27.8)	NR (NR, NR)
	P = 0.807	

CI, confidence interval; E, epacadostat; HR, hazard ratio; NR, not reached; OS, overall survival; P, pembrolizumab.



IDO inhibitors

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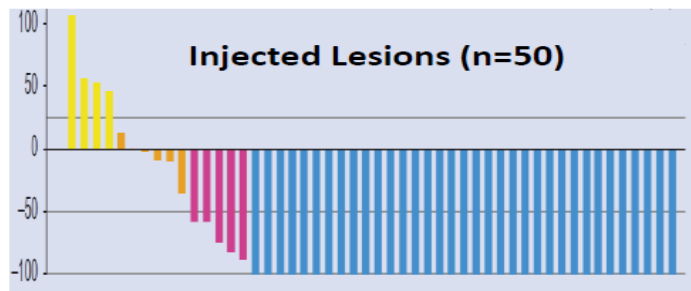
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**T-VEC EMA approval
Q4 2015**

IT T-VEC + pembrolizumab in Melanoma



ORR = 57% (irRC)

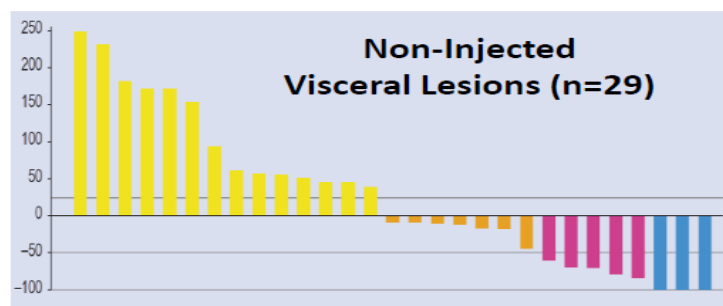
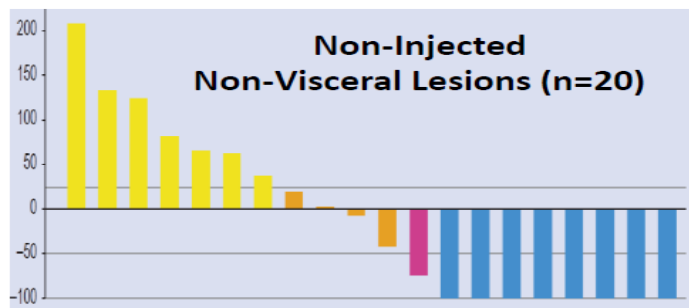
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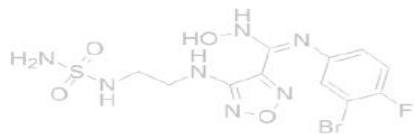
CR rate = 24% (irRC)

CR rate pembro alone ~ 6% (RECIST)

PFS at 9 month = 71%

PFS at 9 months pembro alone ~40%

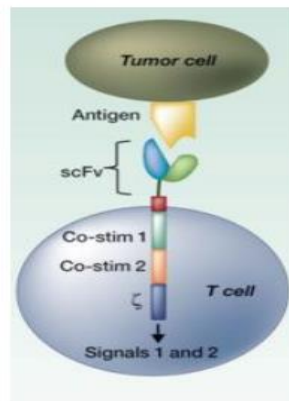




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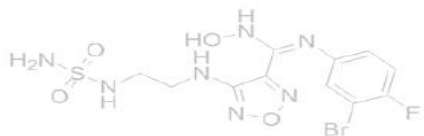
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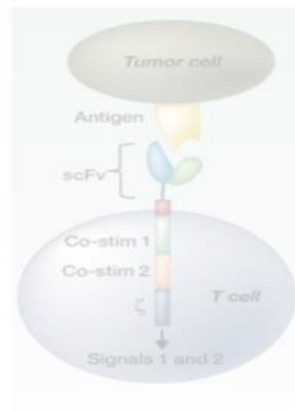
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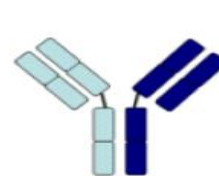
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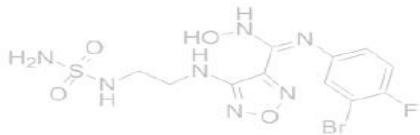


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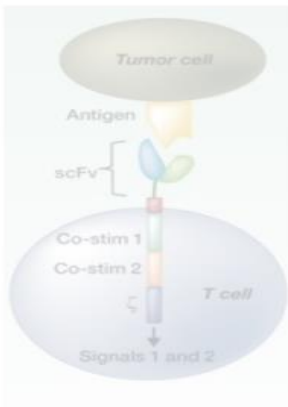
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PREDICTIONS

IMMUNOTHERAPY REVOLUTION

- **Breaking Tolerance: Nobel Price**
- PD-1/PDL-1 antibodies **central** molecule in combination strategies
- **PD-1 ceiling** will be broken by SMART (**additional mechanism**) Combo's
 - M2-M1 repolarizing agents (e.g. CCR5, CXCR2/CXCR5)
 - Long peptides and personalized vaccines
 - Oncolytic vaccines
 - Chemokine modulators : CCR5, CCR2/5
 - IT TLR other IT approaches
 - Anti-TGFbeta?
 - CAR T cells / cellular therapies
- Hodgkin will approach 100 % cure rates
- Melanoma will be the new Hodgkin
- One by one others will follow

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