



# MOVING THE NEEDLE FORWARD IN LUNG CANCER WITH RADIATION: COMBINATIONS WITH TARGETED THERAPIES

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#### Outline

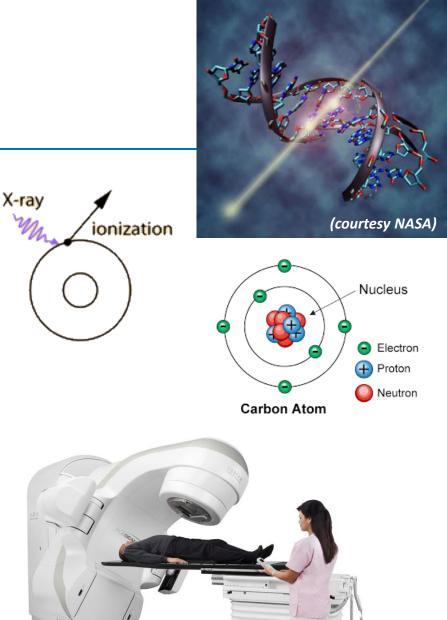


- 1. Radiation Therapy and the Therapeutic Index
- 2. Locally-advanced NSCLC
- 3. Early-stage NSCLC
- 4. Stage IV NSCLC (oligometastatic)

5. SCLC

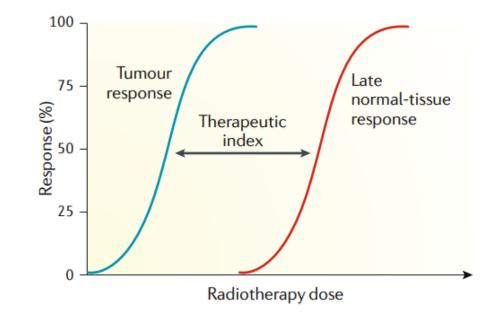


- The most common prescribed single therapeutic agent for cancer treatment (~50-60% of cancer patients receive it at one point)
- Ionizing photons or charged particles
- 100-1,000x more energy than radiation used in Xrays or CT scans
- Target is typically DNA in cells (e.g. double-strand breaks)
- Most commonly delivered as external beam radiation
- Curative as a single modality modality or in combination with surgery or systemic therapies (e.g. chemotherapy, immunotherapy, etc.)



#### **Therapeutic Index of Radiotherapy**

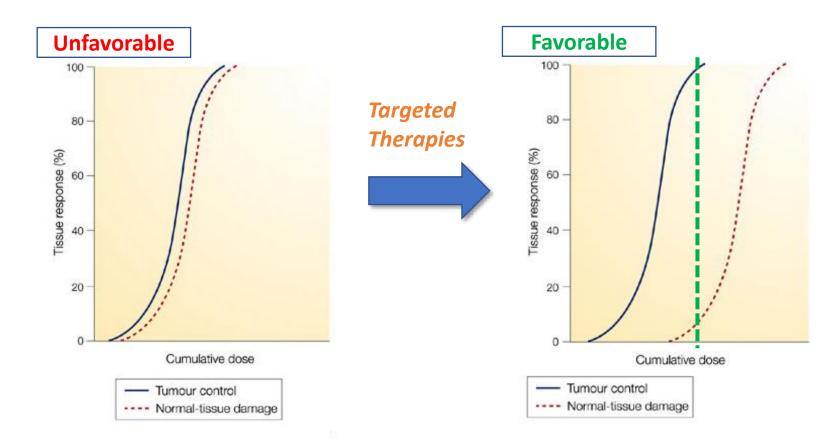
- Ratio between the effects on tumor tissue versus the effects on normal tissues (organs at risk)
- Index is favorable if response of tumor tissue is greater than the surrounding normal tissue
- Therapeutic index can be increased by biological or physical methods
  - **Physical**: improved tumor targeting
  - Biological: fractionation, radioprotectors, biomarkers to select dose escalation/de-escalation, <u>tumor-</u> <u>specific radiosensitizers or modifiers</u>



De Ruysscher et al., Nature Reviews, 2019, 5:13.

## Enhancing Radiation Therapeutic Index with Tumor-Targeted Therapies

 Identify therapeutic agents which widen the therapeutic index with radiation, by selectively killing tumor cells while minimizing normal tissue toxicity.



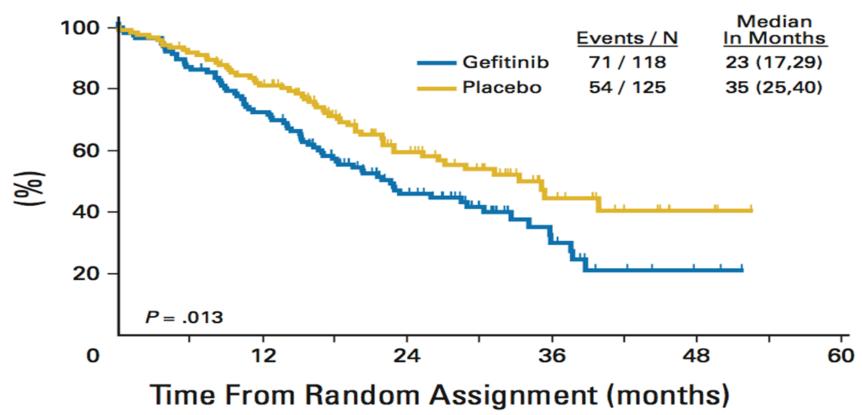


# LOCALLY-ADVANCED NSCLC



#### **Failures of Targeted Therapies – Example 1 (Gefitinib)**

(Maintenance gefitinib in unselected patients)



SWOG 0023 - EGFR TKI after chemo/RT

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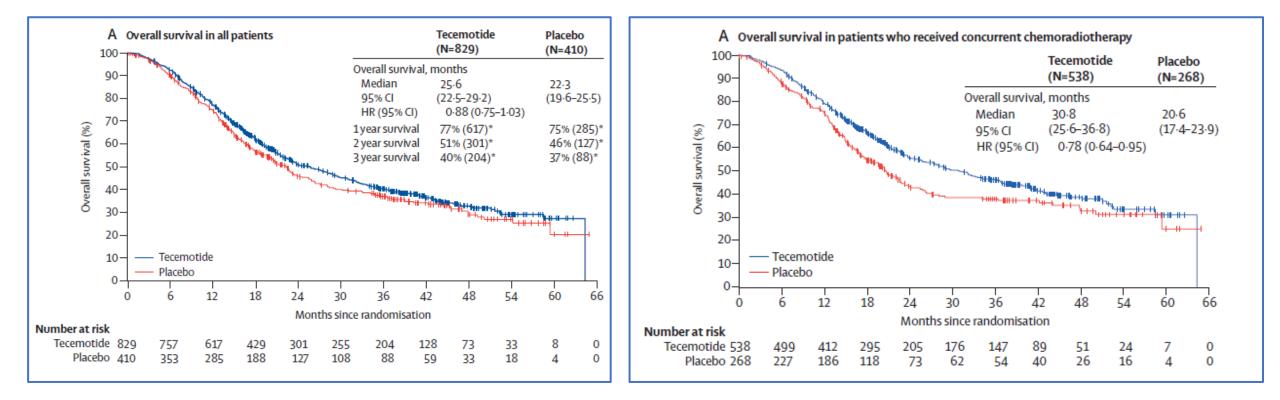
K Kelly, et al., JCO, 2008

#### **Failures of Targeted Therapies – Example 2 (Bevacizumab)**

<b>Trial/Institution</b>	Regimen	Status
Ca Consortium (IIIB/IV)	$RT \rightarrow CP/Bev$	Closed - 1 gr 5 hemorrhage
Northwestern (IIIB/IV)	$RT \rightarrow CP/Bev$	Never Opened
Dana Farber	CP wkly + Bev q3 wk + RT $\rightarrow$ CP/Bev q3 wk $\rightarrow$ Bev x 1 yr	Closed 4 pt – 1 gr 5 hemorrhage, 1 PE
NCI 7213 (Vokes)	C/P/Bev/RT	Closed; 1 pt accrued
Sarah Cannon (Spigel)	Carbo/Pem/ <mark>Bev</mark> /RT → Carbo/Pem/ <mark>Bev</mark> → Bev	Closed – 5 pt – 2 TE fistulas
UNC (Socinski)	$\frac{CP/Bev \rightarrow CP/Bev/RT \rightarrow}{Bev/Erlotinib}$	After 21 pt – 1 gr 5 and 1 gr <b>3 hemorrhage</b>

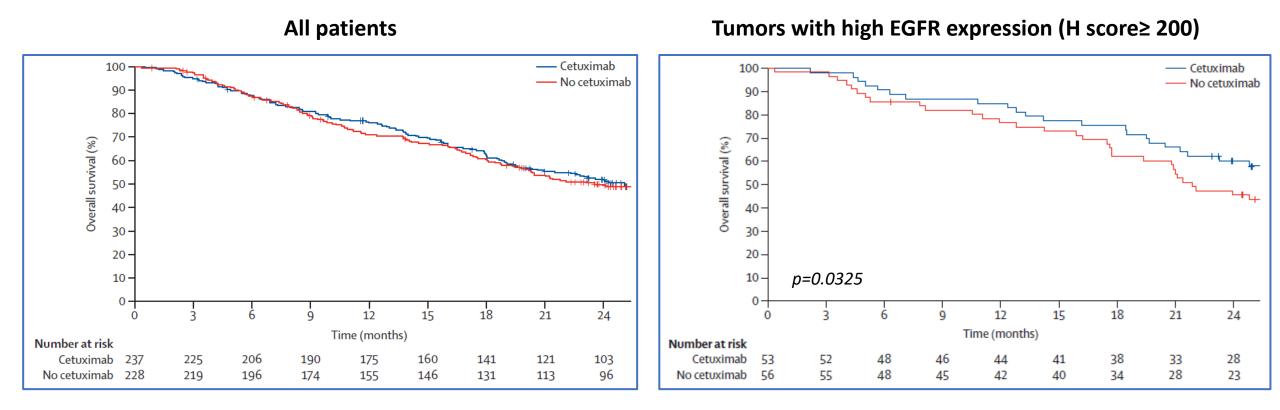
#### **Failures of Targeted Therapies – Example 3 (Tecemotide)**

#### START trial: Maintenance Tecemotide/L-BLP25 (MUC1-targeted liposomal peptide vaccine)



#### **Failures of Targeted Therapies- Example 4 (Cetuximab)**

#### RTOG 0617: Cetuximab vs. no Cetuximab



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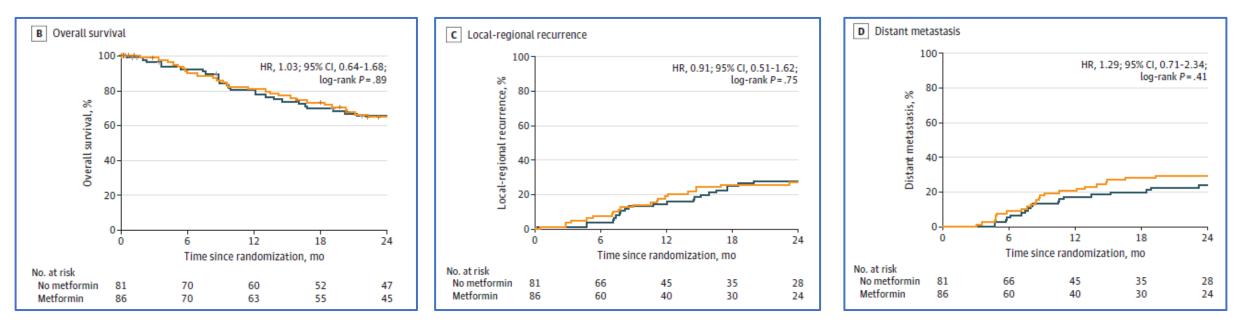
J Bradley, et al., Lancet Oncol, 2015

#### **Failures of Targeted Therapies – Example 5 (Metformin)**

#### JAMA Oncology | Original Investigation

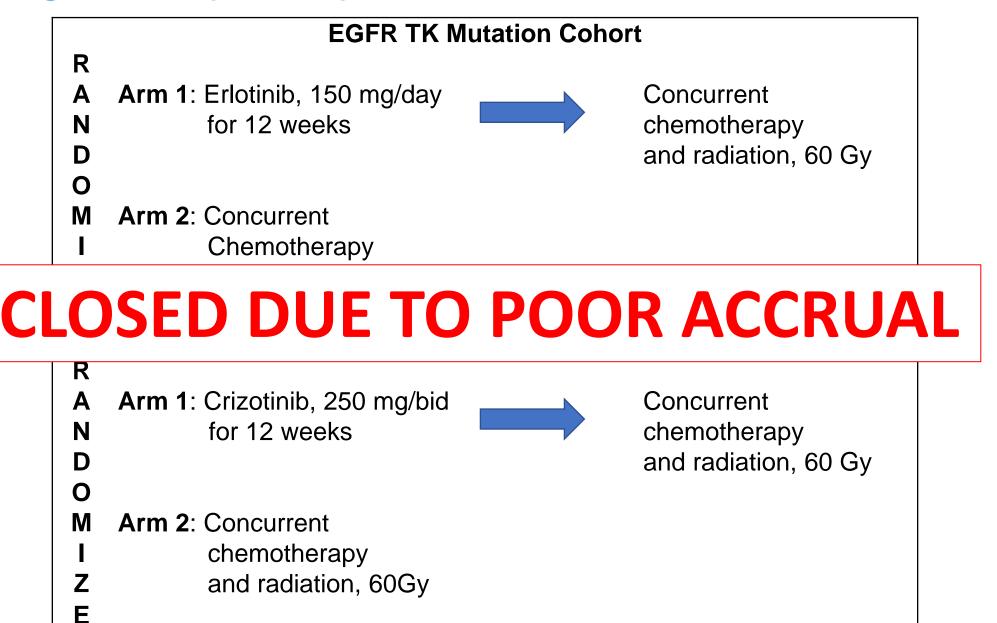
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#### Addition of Metformin to Concurrent Chemoradiation in Patients With Locally Advanced Non-Small Cell Lung Cancer The NRG-LUOO1 Phase 2 Randomized Clinical Trial



H Skinner, et al., JAMA Onc, 2021

#### Individualized Combined Modality Therapy for Stage III Non-small Cell Lung Cancer (NSCLC) - RTOG 1306/Alliance 31101

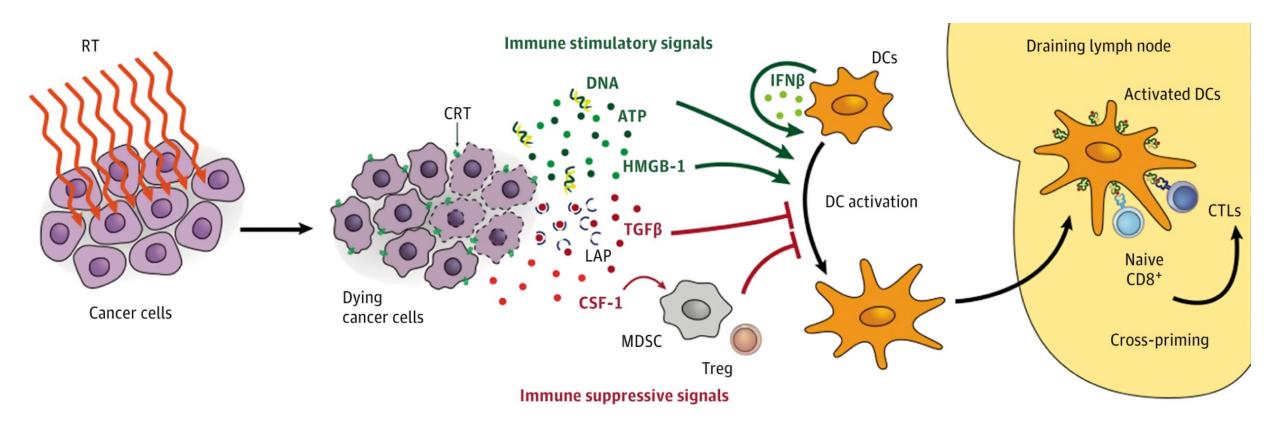


# THEN CAME IMMUNOTHERAPY....



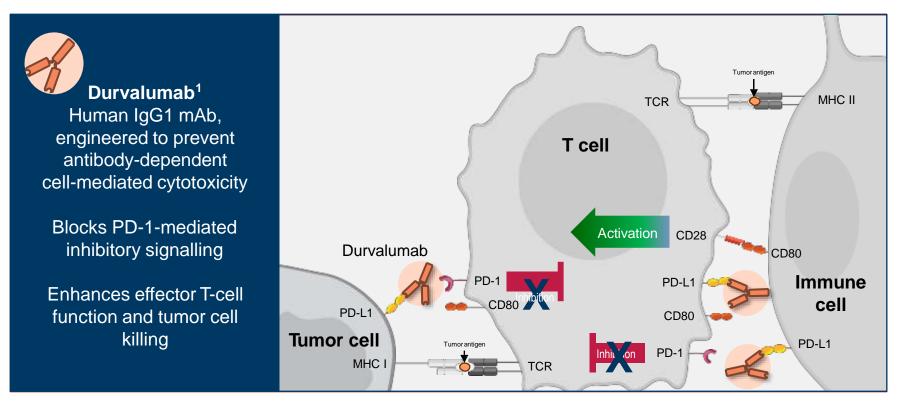


### **Role of Local Radiation Therapy in Cancer Immunotherapy**



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#### **Durvalumab Blocks PD-L1 Binding to PD-1**



mAb, monoclonal antibody; MHC, major histocompatibility complex; PD-1, programmed cell dealth-1; PD-L1, programmed cell death ligand-1; TCR, T-cell receptor Stewart R, et al. Cancer Immunol Res 2015;3:1052-62

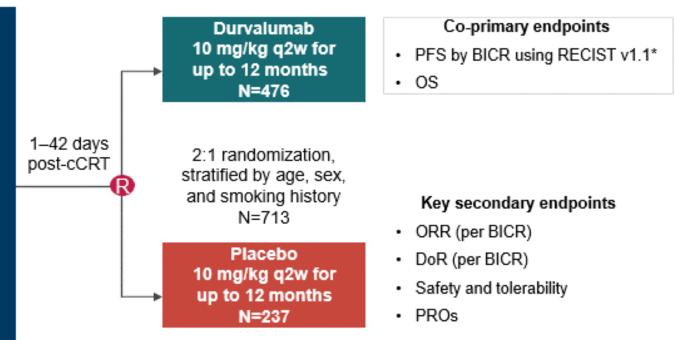
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# **PACIFIC: Study Design**

Phase III, Randomized, Double-blind, Placebo-controlled, Multicenter, International Study

- Patients with stage III, locally advanced, unresectable NSCLC who have not progressed following definitive platinum-based cCRT (≥2 cycles)
- · 18 years or older
- WHO PS score 0 or 1
- Estimated life expectancy of ≥12 weeks
- Archived tissue was collected

All-comers population



#### **Durvalumab Blocks PD-L1 Binding to PD-1**

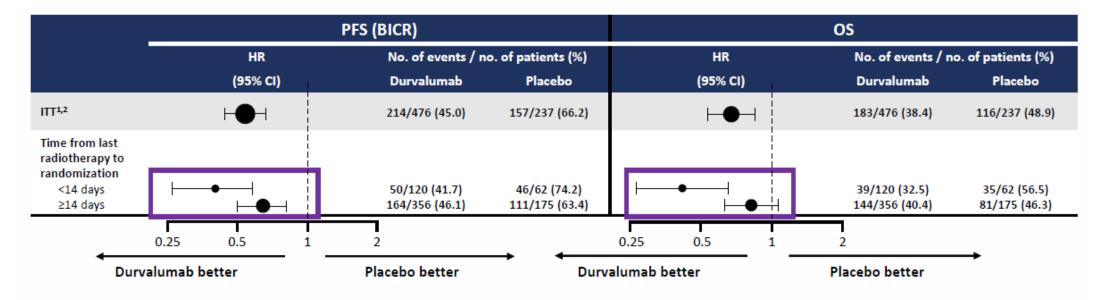
OS\* PFS (BICR) Median OS (95% CI) Median PFS (95% CI) months months 1.0 -1.0 **Durvalumab** 16.8 (13.0-18.1) **Durvalumab** NR (34.7–NR) 83.1% 0.9 0.9 Placebo 5.6 (4.6-7.8) Placebo 28.7 (22.9-NR) 0.8 0.8-66.3% 0.7 0.7 **Probability of PFS Probability of OS** 75.3% 55.9% 0.6 0.6-14.2% 0.5 -0.5-55.6% 0.4 0.4-.0% 0.3 -0.3-PFS HR = 0.52 OS HR = 0.68 0.2 -0.2 99.73% CI, 0.469-0.997<sup>+</sup> 95% CI, 0.42-0.65 0.1 -0.1-P<0.001 P=0.0025 0.0-0.0 0 15 18 21 24 27 3 12 12 15 18 21 24 27 30 33 36 39 42 45 6 q 0 9 Time from randomization (months) Time from Randomization (months) No. at risk No. at Risk 464 431 415 385 364 343 319 274 210 115 Durvalumab Durvalumab 57 0 0 476 377 220 198 178 170 155 141 130 117 78 42 Placebo 237 Placebo 0 163 237 21 106

> \*Median duration of follow-up was 25.2 months (range 0.2–43.1); †Adjusted for interim analysis; NR, not reached. Note: PFS data based on data cutoff of Feb 13, 2017, and OS data based on data cutoff of Mar 22, 2018.

1. Antonia SJ, et al. N Engl J Med 2017;377:1919–29; 2. Antonia SJ, et al. N Engl J Med 2018; Epub Sep 25.

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#### Impact of Time from Prior RT to Randomization



	_	TTDM (BICR)		ORR (BICR)	
	HR	No. of events / no. of patients (%)		%	
	(95% CI)	Durvalumab	Placebo	Durvalumab	Placebo
ITT <sup>1</sup>	0.52 (0.39, 0.69)	131/476 (27.5)	98/237 (41.4)	28.4	16.0
Time from last radiotherap to randomization	у	-			
<14 days ≥14 days	0.33 (0.20–0.55) 0.70 (0.51–0.95)	30/120 (25.0) 101/356 (28.4)	34/62 (54.8) 64/175 (36.6)	34.2 26.5	16.4 15.8

\*Not calculated if subgroup has <20 events; NA, not available.

Note: PFS, TTDM, and ORR data based on data cutoff of Feb 13, 2017, and OS data based on data cutoff of Mar 22, 2018

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### Similar Toxicity Profiles Regardless of Time from Prior RT to Randomization

	<14 days		≥14 days	
	Durvalumab (N=120)	Placebo (N=60)	Durvalumab (N=355)	Placebo (N=174)
Any-grade all-causality AEs, n (%)	118 (98.3)	57 (95.0)	342 (96.3)	165 (94.8)
Grade 3/4	37 <mark>(</mark> 30.8)	18 (30.0)	108 (30.4)	43 (24.7)
Outcome of death	<mark>6 (</mark> 5.0)	7 (11.7)	15 (4.2)	8 (4.6)
Leading to discontinuation	16 <mark>(</mark> 13.3)	9 (15.0)	57 (16.1)	14 (8.0)
Serious AEs, n (%)	36 <b>(</b> 30.0)	20 (33.3)	102 (28.7)	34 (19.5)
Any-grade pneumonitis/radiation pneumonitis, n (%)	47 <mark>(</mark> 39.2)	10 (16.7)	114 (32.1)	48 (27.6)
Grade 3/4	5 (4.2)	1 (1.7)	12 (3.4)	5 (2.9)
Outcome of death	0	2 (3.3)	5 (1.4)	3 (1.7)

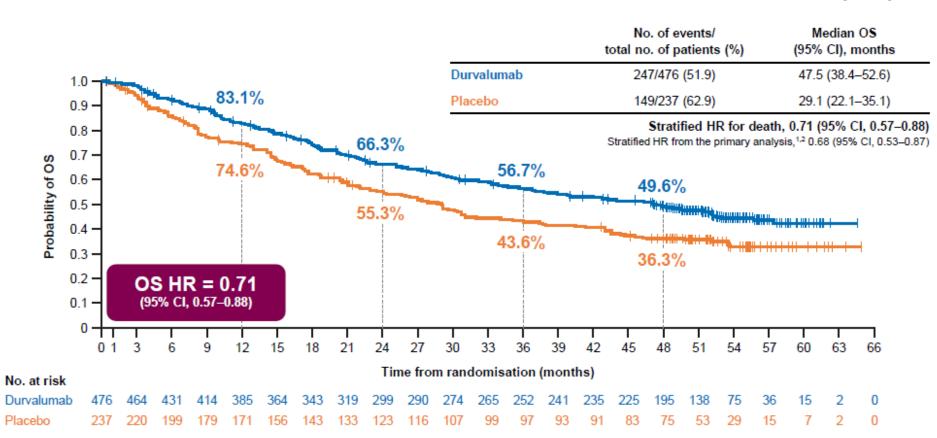
Note: Data based on data cutoff of Mar 22, 2018.

Patients with multiple AEs are counted once at the maximum reported CTCAE grade.

#### **PACIFIC: 4 yr Survival Update**

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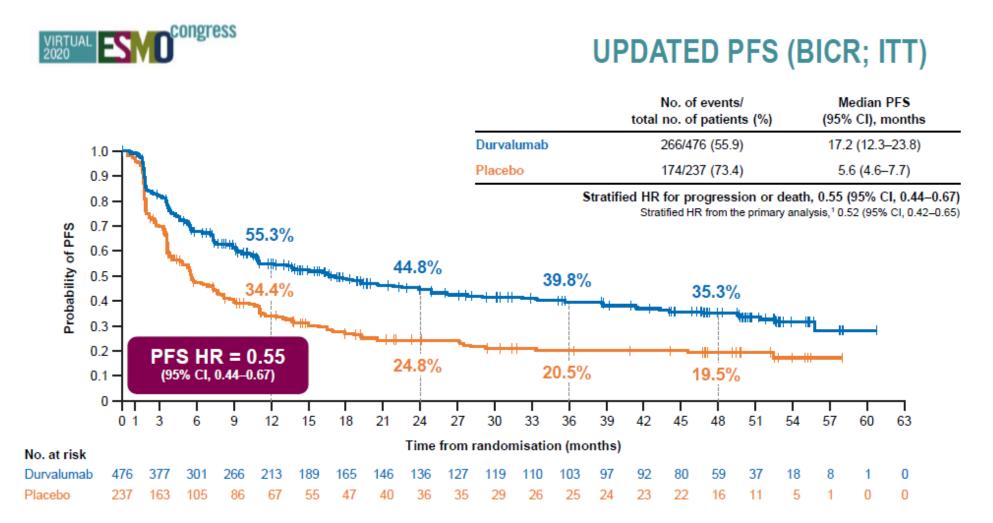
**UPDATED OS (ITT)** 



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C Faivre-Finn, et al., ESMO and JTO, 2020

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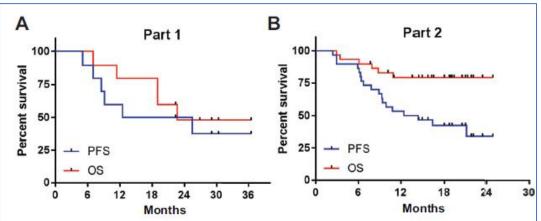


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# **DETERRED:** Phase II Concurrent Atezolizumab with Chemoradiation for Unresectable NSCLC

- Part 1 (n=10): CRT followed by consolidation chemo and maintenance atezolizumab (median f/u 22.5 mo)
- Part 2 (n=30): concurrent CRT with atezolizumab followed by same consolidation chemo and maintenance atezolizumab (median f/u 15.1 mo)
- Median PFS:
  - Part 1= 18.6 months Part 2= 13.2 months
- Median OS:
  - Part 1= 22.8 months Part 2= not reached



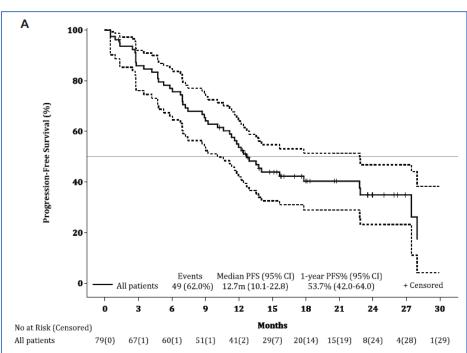
- Toxicity: 80% of patients experienced at least 1 grade 3+ adverse event
  - Part 2= 20% grade 3+ immune-related toxicity; 20% treatment discontinuation
  - $\circ~$  No immune-related grade 5 toxicities

#### NICOLAS Trial: Phase II Concurrent Nivolumab with Chemoradiation for Unresectable NSCLC

- 79 patients with concurrent cisplatin-based chemoradiation with concurrent nivolumab, followed by nivolumab maintenance
- Median PFS (median f/u 21.0 mos)= 12.7 months
- Median OS (median f/u 32.6 mos)= 38.8 months

Table 2. Treatment-Related AEs (Safety Cohort; $N = 77$ )			
Information on Treatment-Related AEs	Radiotherapy	Nivolumab	
Safety cohort: number of patients	77	76	
Any AE (SAE)	780 (	61)	
Treatment-related AEs (SAEs)	168 (14)	249 (26)	
Treatment-related AEs (SAEs) grade 3-5	32 (9)	44 (18)	
Treatment-related AEs (SAEs) leading to death	2 (1)	7 (6)	
Treatment-related AEs (SAEs) leading to permanent discontinuation of treatment	6 (-)	16 (-)	

AE, adverse event; SAE, severe adverse event.

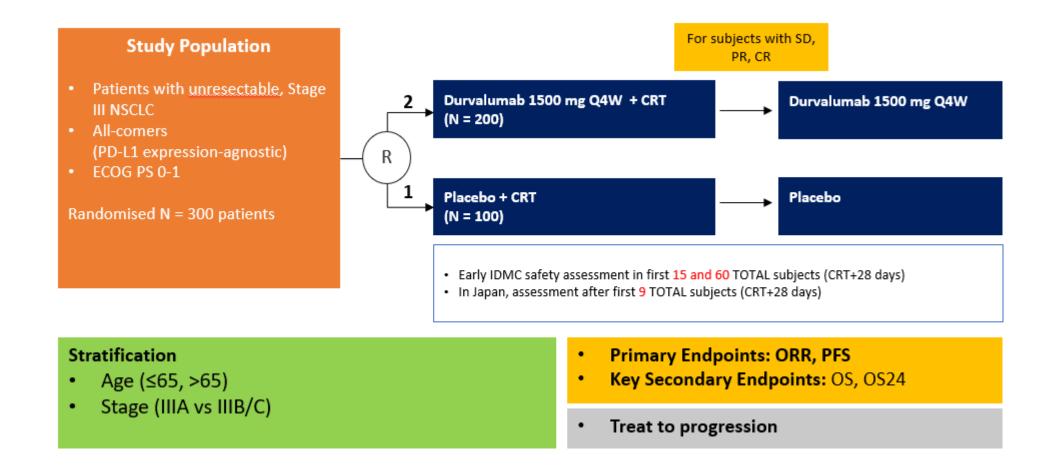


#### **KEYNOTE-799: Phase II Concurrent Nivolumab with Chemoradiation for Unresectable NSCLC**

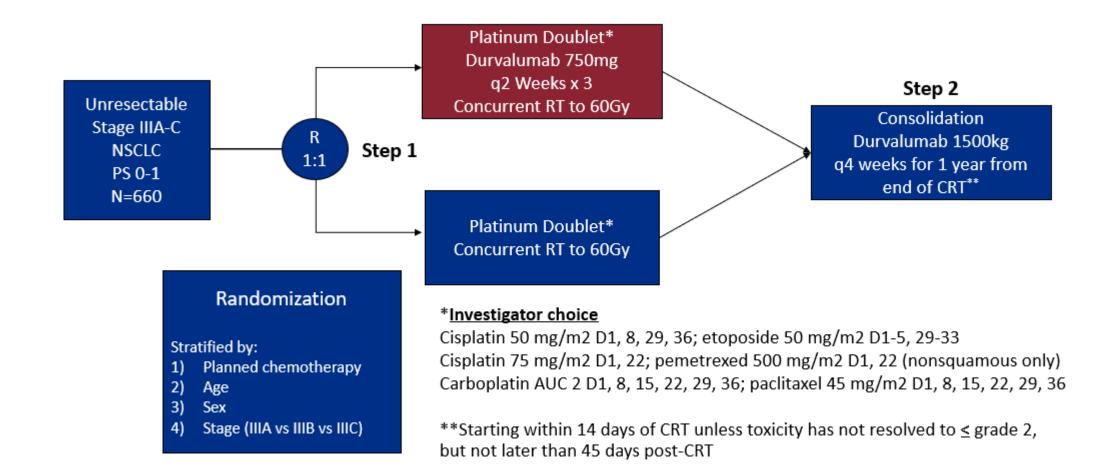
- Cohort A: 1 cycle of induction chemo + pembro → CRT +pembro; chemo was carboplatin/paclitaxel
- Cohort B: 1 cycle of inuction chemo + pembro → CRT + pembro; chemo was cisplatin/pemetrexed
- 112 patients cohort A, 102 patients in cohort B
- ORR: ~70% in both cohorts
- Gr3-5 treatment-related AEs occurred in 50-64%
- Gr3+ pneumonitis 7-8%
- Conclusions: promising activity and manageable toxicity

- PACIFIC-2: Durvalumab + CRT → Durva vs. CRT
- EA 5181: Durvalumab + CRT→ Durva vs. PACIFIC regimen
- Checkmate 73L: Nivo + CRT→ Nivo + Ipi (or Nivo + CRT→ Nivo) vs. PACIFIC regimen
- LAURA: Osimertinib Maintenance (or placebo) After Definitive Chemoradiation in Patients with Unresectable EGFRm-Positive Stage III NSCLC

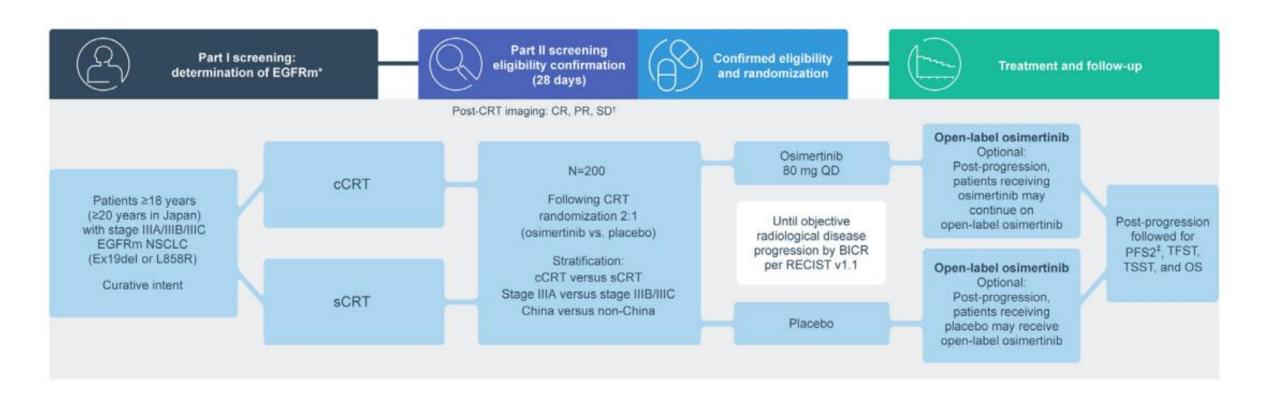
#### **Ongoing Phase III Studies: PACIFIC-2**



#### **Ongoing Phase III Studies: EA 5181**



#### **Ongoing Phase III Studies: LAURA**



S Lu, et al., Clin Lung Cancer, 2021

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# EARLY STAGE NSCLC

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# SURGERY VERSUS SBRT



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# Randomized Trials Comparing SBRT versus Surgery for Early Stage, Operable NSCLC

#### ROSEL (Netherlands/EORTC)

- Stage IA
- Randomized to Lobectomy versus 3-5 fraction SBRT (20 Gy x 3 or 12 Gy x 5)
- o Closed due to poor accrual

#### STARS Trial (US multi-institutional, MD Anderson)

- Randomized to surgery versus Cyberknife (60 Gy in 3-4 fx)
- $\circ~$  Closed due to poor accrual

#### RTOG 1021/ACOSOG Z4099 (U.S.)

- Phase III Study of Sublobar Resection (+/- Brachytherapy) versus Stereotactic Body Radiation Therapy in High Risk Patients with Stage I Non-Small Cell Lung Cancer (NSCLC)
- Accrual goal 400 patients
- Closed due to poor accrual
- Many retrospective studies supporting equipoise between SBRT and Surgery (especially wedge or sublobar resection)...

# High-risk operable patients have similar 3 yr survival rates whether receiving surgery or SBRT

SAbR Data	Stage	3-Year Survival	
SAbR- Dutch [7]	T1-T2N0	85%	Lagerwaard et al., IJROBP, 83(1), 348-35. (2012)
SAbR-Japan(JCOG 0403) [8]	T1N0	76%	Nagata et al., IJROBP, 78(3), S27-28 (2010)
SAbR-Japan [9]	T1-T2N0	86%	Uematsu et al., IJROBP, 51(3), 666-670 (2001)
SAbR-Japan [10]	T1-T2N0	80%	Onishi et al., IJROBP, 81(5), 1352-1358 (2011)
SAbR-Dutch [6]	T1-T2N0	80%	Verstegen et al., Annals of Onc, 24(6),
RTOG 0618	T1-T3N0	77%	1543-48 (2013)
Randomized Sublobar Data			
ACOSOG -Z4032 [4]	T1N0	71%	<i>Fernando et al., JCO, 32(23), 2456-62</i> (2014)
			Birdas et al., Ann of Thor Surg, 81(2), 434-38 (2006)
Non-Randomized Sublobar Data [11-13]	T1-T2N0	60-80%	Fernando et al., J Thor & CV Surg, 129(2), 261-67 (2005)
Timmerman Fernando et al Stabl	'amata's protos		Santos et al., Surgery, 134(4), 691-97 (2003)

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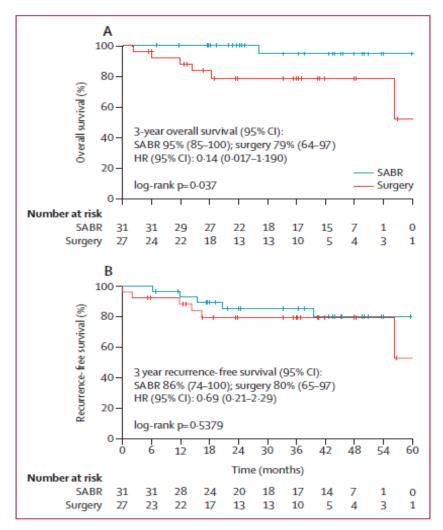
### Stereotactic ablative radiotherapy versus lobectomy for operable stage I non-small-cell lung cancer: a pooled analysis of two randomised trials

Joe Y Chang\*, Suresh Senan\*, Marinus A Paul, Reza J Mehran, Alexander V Louie, Peter Balter, Harry J M Groen, Stephen E McRae, Joachim Widder, Lei Feng, Ben E E M van den Borne, Mark F Munsell, Coen Hurkmans, Donald A Berry, Erik van Werkhoven, John J Kresl, Anne-Marie Dingemans, Omar Dawood, Cornelis J A Haasbeek, Larry S Carpenter, Katrien De Jaeger, Ritsuko Komaki, Ben J Slotman, Egbert F Smit†, Jack A Roth†

- Pooled analysis of STARS and ROSEL trials
- cT1-2a (<4 cm)N0M0 NSCLC, operable
- Randomized 1:1 to SABR vs lobectomy + mediastinal LND
- 58 patients (31 SABR, 27 surgery)
- Median follow-up: 40.2 months (SABR) and 35.4 months (surgery)

#### **Results (STARS and ROSEL pooled analysis)**

- 3 yr overall survival (estimated): 95%
  SABR vs. 79% surgery (p=0.037)
- 3 yr RFS : 86% SABR vs. 80% surgery (p = NS)
- Toxicity
  - SABR: grade 3= 10%, grade 4= 0%, grade 5= 0%
  - Surgery: grade 3-4= <u>44%</u>, grade 5= <u>4%</u>



Chang, Senan et al., Lancet Oncol 2015

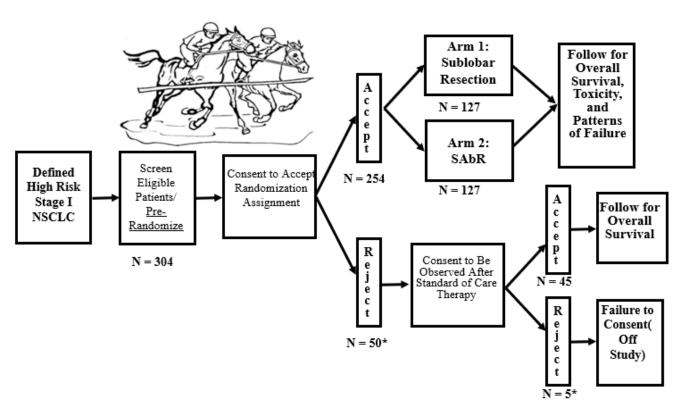
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#### The **STABLEMATES** Trial

#### (formerly RTOG 1021/ACOSOG Z4099)

A Randomized Phase III Study of <u>Sublobar Resection (SR) versus</u> <u>Stereotactic Ablative Radiotherapy (SAbR) in High Risk Patients</u> with Stage I Non-Small Cell Lung Cancer (NSCLC)

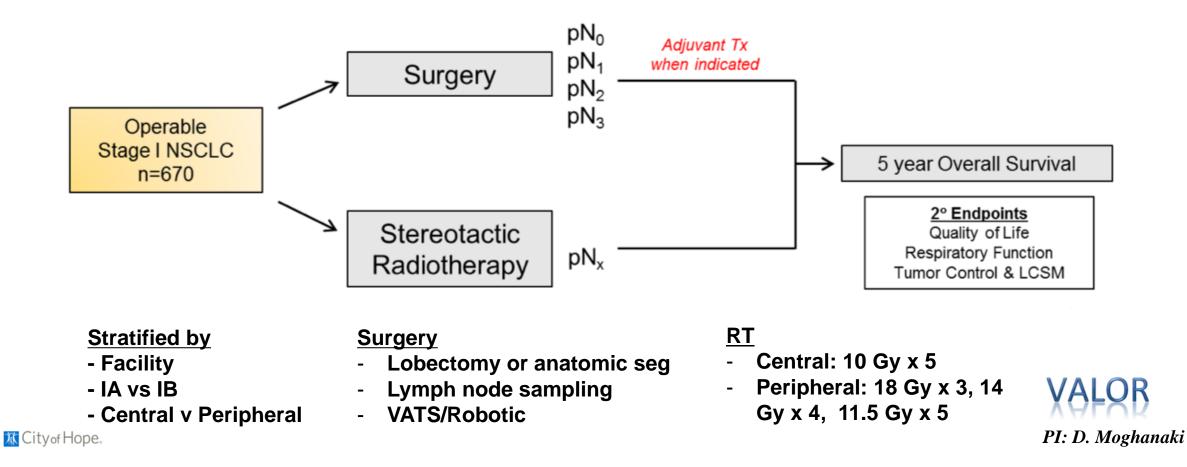




# **VALOR Trial**

Veterans Administration Lung cancer surgery Or stereotactic Radiotherapy Trial

A Department of Veterans Affairs Cooperative Study - CSP #2005

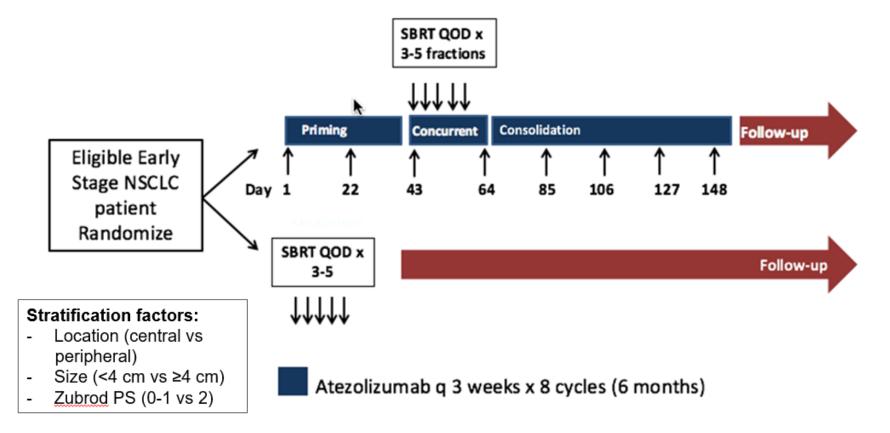






## **Ongoing Phase 3 Trials**

- PACIFIC-4: SBRT vs durvalumab after SBRT (1500 mg durva q4 wks)
- NRG/SWOG S1914: SBRT vs atezolizumab before/during/after SBRT







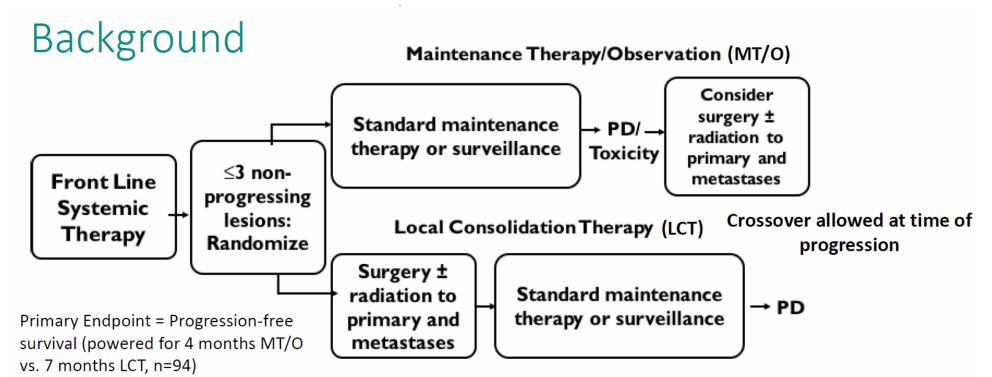
# **STAGE IV NSCLC**

#### ROLE OF RADIATION BECOMING INCREASINGLY IMPORTANT IN STAGE IV DISEASE



### Local Consolidative Therapy for Oligometastatic NSCLC

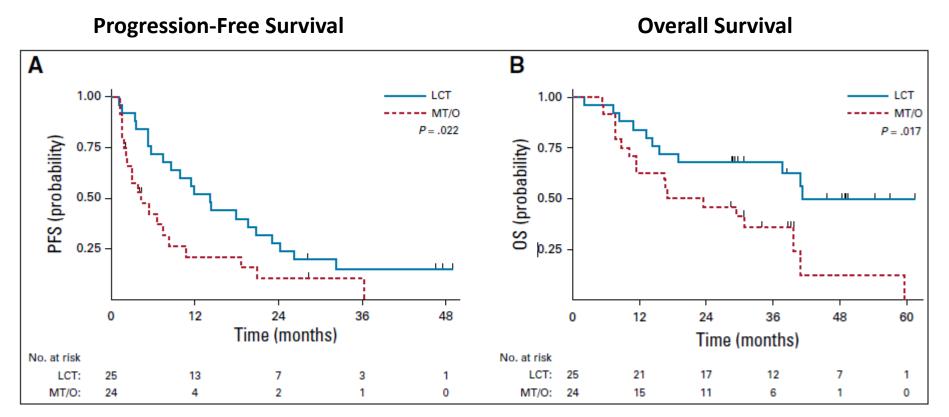
Randomized phase II trial



Secondary Endpoints: Overall survival, safety/toxicity, time to appearance of new lesions Balanced randomization: 1) Number of metastases (0-1 vs. 2-3), 2) Response to first-line systemic therapy (stable disease vs. partial response), 3) N0-N1 vs. N2-N3, 4) CNS vs. no CNS metastases, 5) EGFR/ALK alteration vs. wild type

## **Oligometastatic NSCLC**

#### DSMB recommended early closure after 49 patients



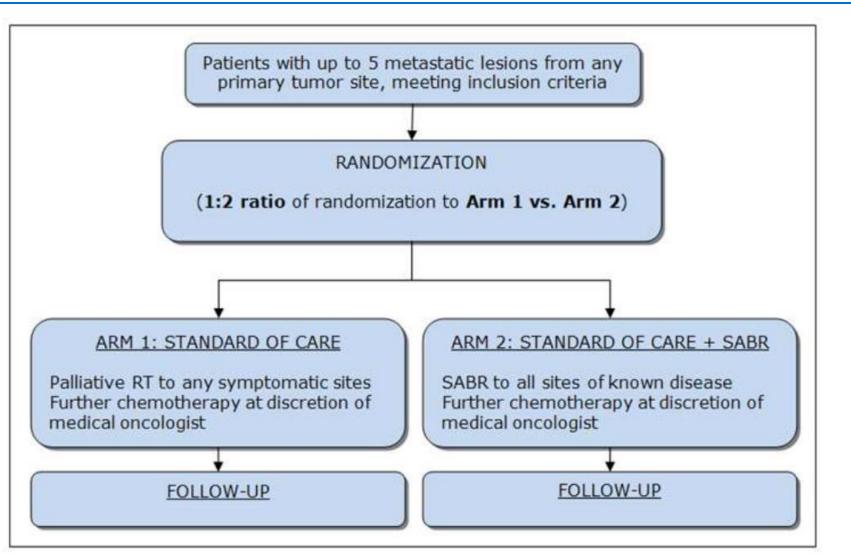
Median PFS 4.4 months vs 14.2 months

Median OS 17.0 months vs 41.2 months

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D Gomez, JCO, 2019

#### **SABR-COMET**



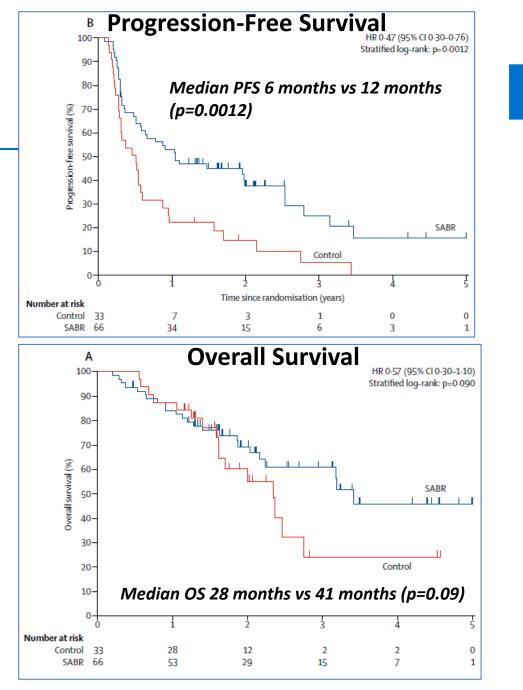
D Palma, ASTRO, 2018

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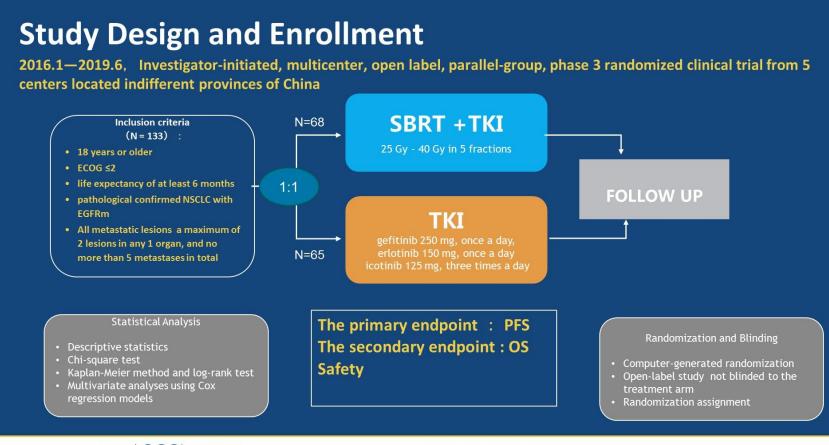
	Control group (n=33)	SABR group (n=66)
Age	69 (64-75)	67 (59-74)
Sex		
Men	19 (58%)	40 (61%)
Women	14 (42%)	26 (39%)
Site of original primary tu	mour	
Breast	5 (15%)	13 (20%)
Colorectal	9 (27%)	9 (14%)
Lung	6 (18%)	12 (18%)
Prostate	2 (6 %)	14 (21%)
Other	11 (33%)	18 (27%)
Time from diagnosis of primary tumour to randomisation (years)	2·3 (1·3-4·5)	2·4 (1·6-5·3)
Number of metastases		
1	12 (36 %)	30 (46%)
2	13 (40%)	19 (29%)
3	6 (18%)	12 (18%)
4	2 (6%)	2 (3%)
5	0 (0%)	3 (5%)
Location of metastases		
Adrenal	2/64 (3%)	7/127 (6%)
Bone	20/64 (31%)	45/127 (35%)
Liver	3/64 (5%)	16/127 (13%)
Lung	34/64 (53%)	55/127 (43%)
Other*	5/64 (8%)	4/127 (3%)



D Palma, Lancet, 2019

## SINDAS trial (ASCO 2020)

 First-Line TKI With or Without Aggressive Upfront Local Radiation Therapy in Patients with EGFRm Oligometastatic NSCLC



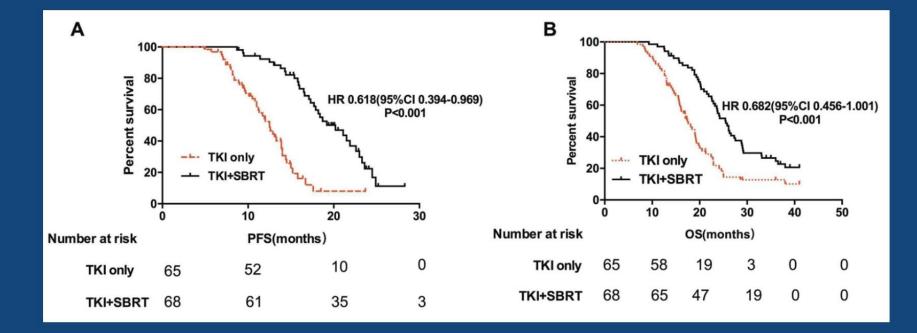


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#### **SINDAS Trial: Outcomes**

#### Kaplan-Meier plot of PFS (A) and OS (B)



SBRT=stereotactic body radiotherapy. HR=hazard ratio. (A) PFS and (B) OS. PFS,=progression-free survival; OS,=overall survival; C= confidence interval





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#### **SINDAS Trial: Toxicity**

## **Toxicity** (Grade 3 adverse events)

	TKI and SBRT arm (20 incidences)	TKI arm (13 incidences)	Р
grade skin rash	10 (50%)	8 (62%)	0.423
severe liver injury	0	1 (8%)	0.208
pneumonitis	6 (30%)	2 (15%)	0.338
Esophagitis	3 (15%)	2 (15%)	0.976
Pathological rib fracture	1 (5%)	0	0.413

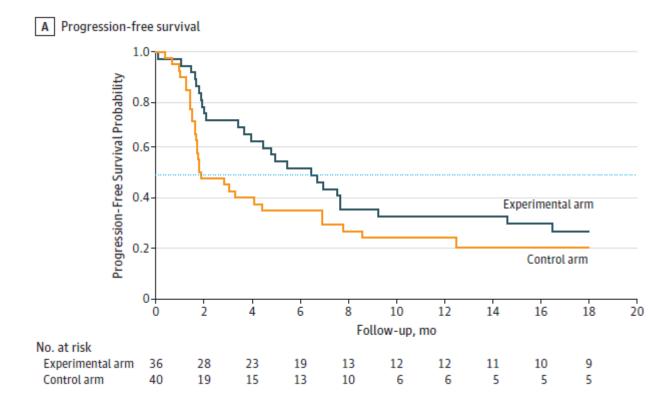


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- Randomized phase 2 study of 76 patients with advanced NSCLC
- Pembro vs RT followed by pembro (8 Gy x 3; single tumor site)
- ORR (12 weeks)= 18% pembro vs. 36% pembro+RT (p=0.07)
- DCR (12 weeks)= 40% pembro vs. 64% pembro+RT (p=0.04)
- Median PFS= 1.9 mos pembro vs. 6.6 mos pembro+RT (p=0.19)
- Median OS= 17.6 mos pembro vs. 15.9 mos pembro+RT (p=0.16)
- Subgroup: largest benefit to PD-L1 negative tumors
  - $\circ~$  HR for PFS 0.49, p=0.03
  - $\circ~$  HR for OS 0.48, p=0.046

## **PEMBRO-RT**

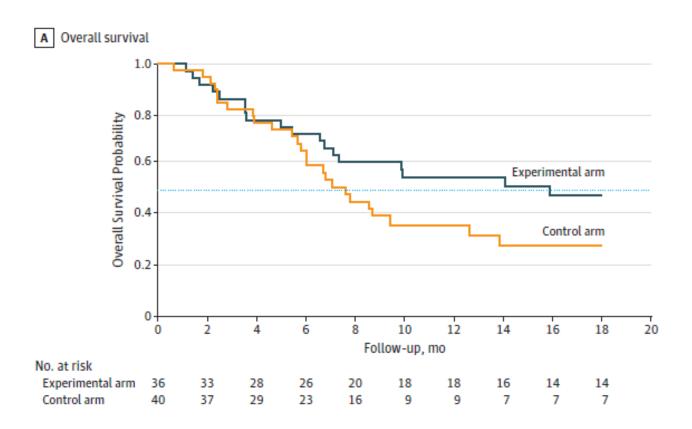


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Subgroup	Control Events, No./ Total No.	Experimental Events, No./ Total No.	Hazard Ratio (95% CI)	Control Better	Experimental Better	P Value fo
Sex						.03
Male	20/23	14/20	2.31 (1.15-4.62)			
Female	10/17	15/16	0.78 (0.35-1.74)			
ECOG performan	ce score					.57
0	18/22	13/16	1.61 (0.78-3.32)	_		
1	11/17	15/19	1.18 (0.54-2.57)			
PD-L1, %						.15
0	22/25	17/18	2.11 (1.08-4.11)			
1-49	5/8	6/8	0.95 (0.28-3.14)			
≥50	2/5	6/10	0.58 (0.12-2.91)			
Smoking, pack-ye	ears					.12
<10	5/8	7/7	0.76 (0.24-2.41)			
≥10	25/32	22/29	1.73 (0.97-3.09)			
Histology						.72
Nonsquamous	27/36	26/31	1.45 (0.84-2.51)	_		
Squamous	3/4	3/5	0.82 (0.16-4.16)			
Lines of previous	chemotherapy					.24
1	22/31	20/26	1.22 (0.66-2.24)			
≥2	8/9	9/10	2.35 (0.88-6.24)	-		
Age at randomiza	ition, y					.24
<65	14/22	17/21	1.06 (0.52-2.15)			
≥65	16/18	12/15	2.24 (1.03-4.86)			
Total	30/40	29/36	1.41 (0.85-2.36)	~	$\sim$	
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### **PEMBRO-RT**



Subgroup	Control Events, No./ Total No.	Experimental Events, No./ Total No.	Hazard Ratio (95% CI)		Experimental Better	P Value Interac
Sex						.08
Male	17/23	9/20	2.37 (1.04-5.40)			
Female	9/17	12/16	0.90 (0.38-2.16)		<u> </u>	
ECOG performan	ce score					.36
0	15/22	9/16	1.85 (0.80-4.30)	_		
1	10/17	12/19	1.09 (0.47-2.53)			
PD-L1, %						.13
0	21/25	13/18	2.06 (1.00-4.23)			
1-49	3/8	5/8	0.65 (0.15-2.77)			
≥50	1/5	3/10	0.74 (0.08-7.09)			
Smoking, pack-ye	ears					.02
<10	4/8	6/7	0.40 (0.11-1.44)			
≥10	22/32	15/29	2.09 (1.07-4.08)			
Histology						.47
Nonsquamous	24/36	18/31	1.61 (0.86-2.99)	_		
Squamous	2/4	3/5	0.40 (0.04-4.06)			
Lines of previous	chemotherapy					.24
1	19/31	16/26	1.21 (0.62-2.37)			
≥2	7/9	5/10	2.77 (0.83-9.27)	_		
Age at randomiza	ation, y					.58
<65	13/22	12/21	1.31 (0.59-2.90)			
≥65	13/18	9/15	1.81 (0.77-4.30)	_		
Total	26/40	21/36	1.52 (0.85-2.72)	4	$\sim$	

Hazard Ratio (95% CI)

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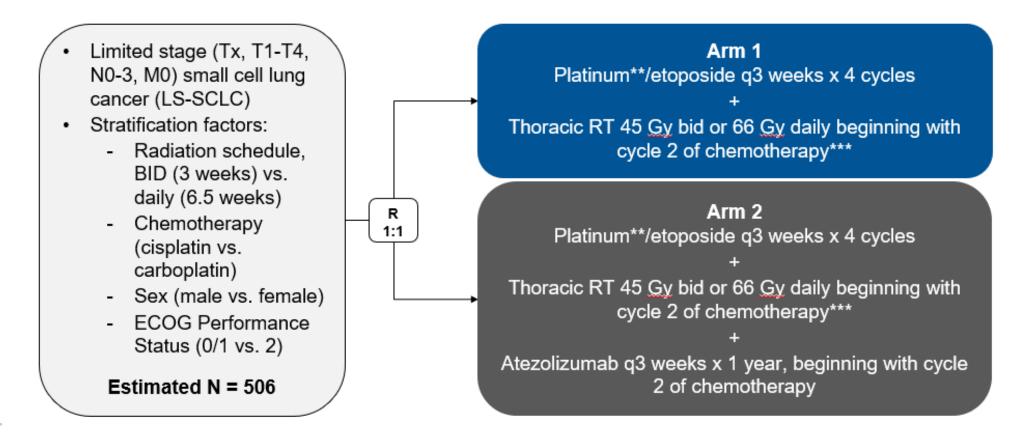


# SMALL CELL LUNG CANCER





 Multiple trials in extensive-stage SCLC show benefit with adding anti-PD-L1 drugs to chemotherapy (e.g. CASPIAN-durvalumab, IMpower133- atezolizumab)





- A potential strategy to improve outcomes in lung cancer with radiation is through the use of targeted therapies, including checkpoint inhibitor (CPI) immunotherapy
- Many trials combining targeted agents with radiation or chemoradiation have failed
- The PACIFIC trial established that maintenance durvalumab after chemoradiation for Stage III locally-advanced NSCLC dramatically improved PFS and OS (a breakthrough)
- Initial results of phase I & II clinical trials demonstrate the relative feasibility and safety of combining immunotherapy with chemoradiation for Stage III NSCLC
- Radiation has an emerging role in the management of oligometastatic lung cancer
- Future trials in locally-advanced, early-stage, and oligometastatic NSCLC (and limited-stage SCLC) will further solidify potential roles for targeted therapies, including CPI, in combination with radiation or chemoradiation

#### THANK YOU!!

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