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# ASCO Updates 2023

- Esophageal/Gastric Adenocarcinoma  
Pancreatic Adenocarcinoma  
Cholangiocarcinoma

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# Outline

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# **NORPACT-1: Short-course neoadjuvant FOLFIRINOX vs. upfront surgery for resectable pancreatic head cancer.**

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# NORPACT-1: Background & Aim

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- In resectable pancreatic cancer, upfront surgery followed by adjuvant chemotherapy is standard of care.
- In fit patients, FOLFIRINOX is the preferred adjuvant regimen.
- **Aim:** Compare the efficacy of neoadjuvant FOLFIRINOX to upfront surgery in patients with resectable pancreatic head cancer.

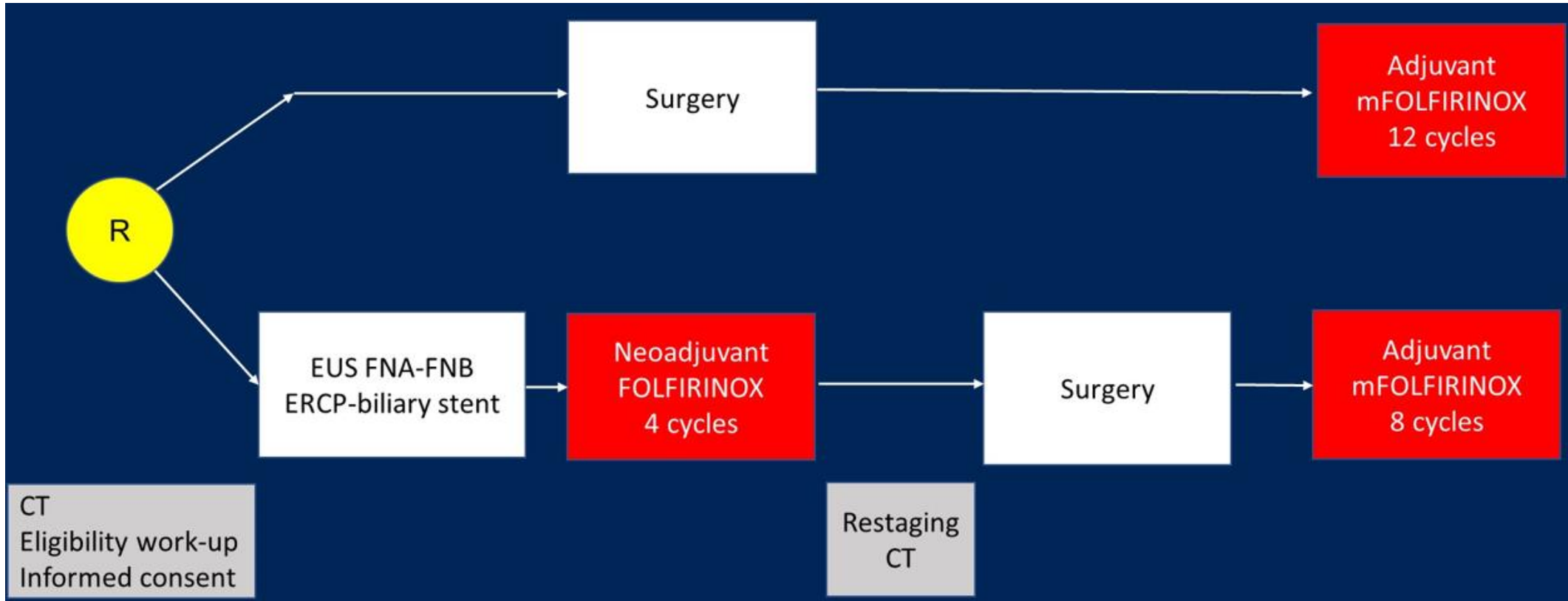
# NORPACT-1: Eligibility

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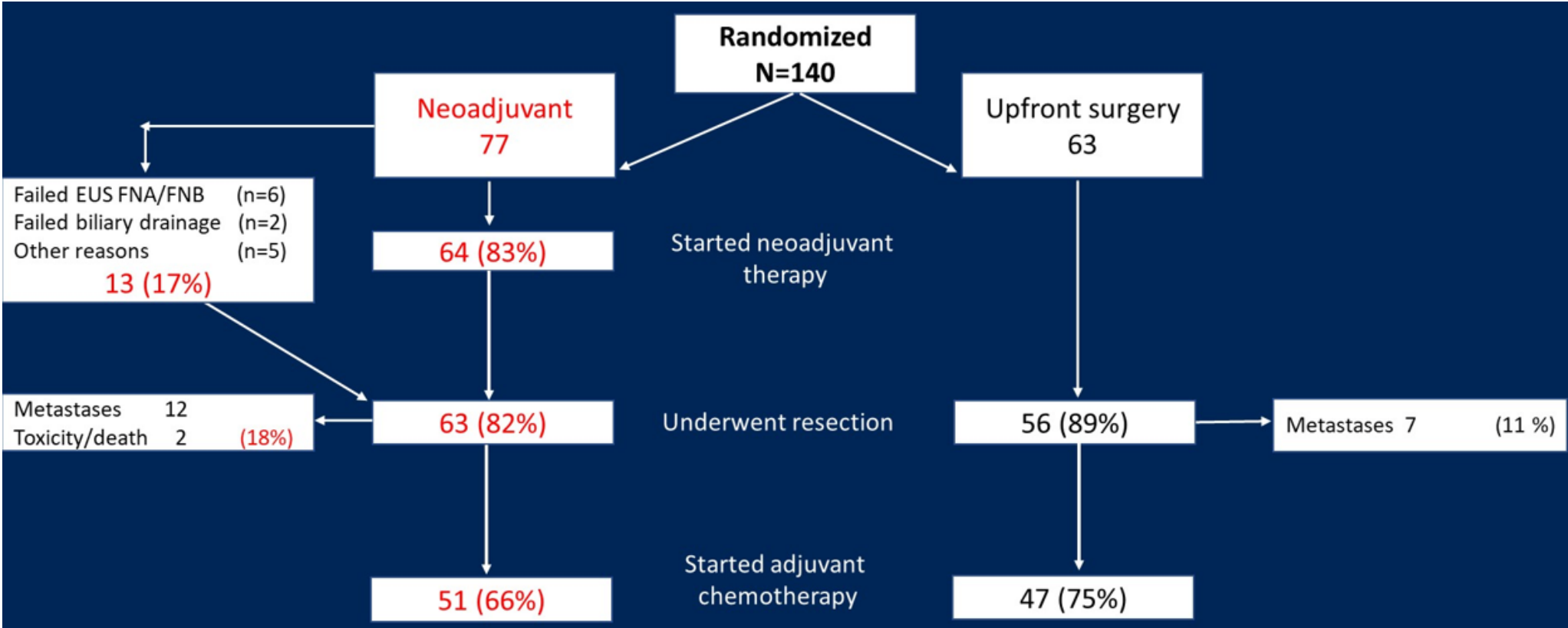
- Radiologically (CT) resectable pancreatic head cancer (NCCN criteria)
  - No arterial involvement
  - <180° interface with portal/superior mesenteric vein, no contour irregularity
  - No distant metastases
- Age >18 yr and considered fit for major surgery
- ECOG 0 or 1
- Adequate bone marrow, hepatic and renal function

# NORPACT-1: Trial Design

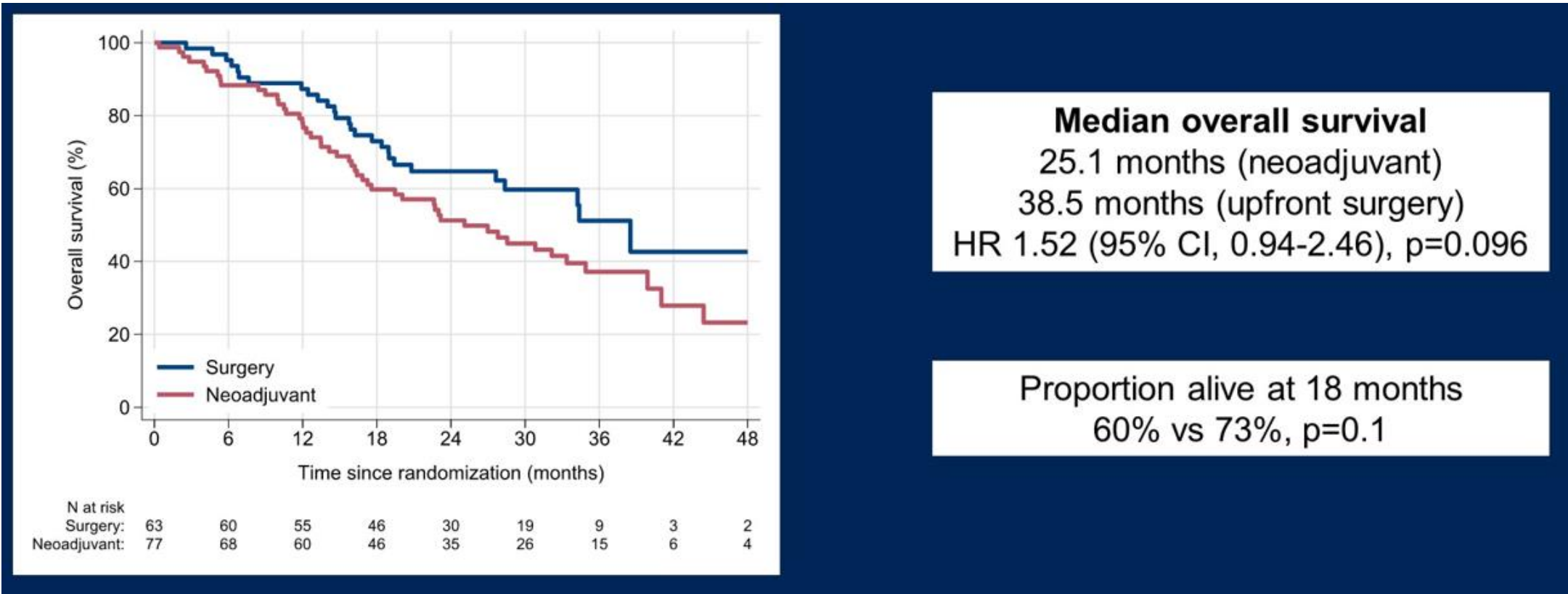
- Randomized, unblinded, phase-2 trial. Sample size 140.
- Primary Endpoint: OS



# NORPACT-1: Flow Chart

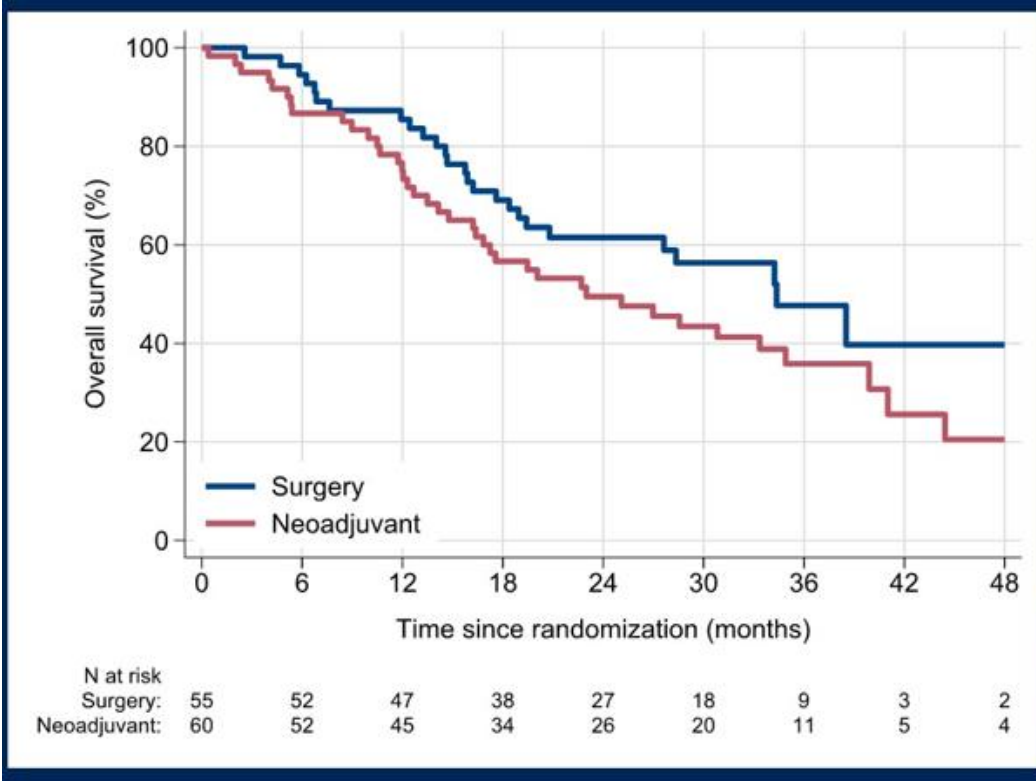


# NORPACT-1: OS Intention to Treat





# NORPACT-1: OS Per Protocol Analysis



**Median overall survival**  
 23.0 months (neoadjuvant)  
 34.4 months (upfront surgery)  
 HR 1.46 (95% CI, 0.89-2.41), p=0.158

\*Patients with pancreatic ductal adenocarcinoma:  
 Receiving surgical exploration in the upfront surgery group  
 Receiving at least one cycle neoadjuvant FOLFIRINOX



# NORPACT-1: Histopathologic Results

- The Neoadjuvant group had improved R0 and N0 rates in both intent to treat and per protocol analysis

	Neoadjuvant group (n=63)	Upfront surgery (n=56)	p-value
Intention-to-treat			
R0	56%	39%	0.076
N0	29%	14%	0.060
Per-protocol	(n=46)	(n=49)	
R0	59%	33%	0.011
N0	37%	10%	0.002



# NORPACT-1: Conclusions

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- Neoadjuvant FOLFIRINOX did not improve OS compared to upfront surgery
- Neoadjuvant FOLFIRINOX resulted in improvement in R0 and N0 rates – additional follow-up may determine long term effects
- Considerations:
  - Neoadjuvant chemo group required biliary drainage and tissue biopsy, did this lead to delay in initiation of therapy?
  - Population limited to 12 Nordic centers (Norway, Sweden, Denmark, Finland)
  - Eagerly await results of ALLIANCE

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# **NAPOLI-3: NALIRIFOX vs. Gemcitabine/Nab-paclitaxel in 1L mPDAC**

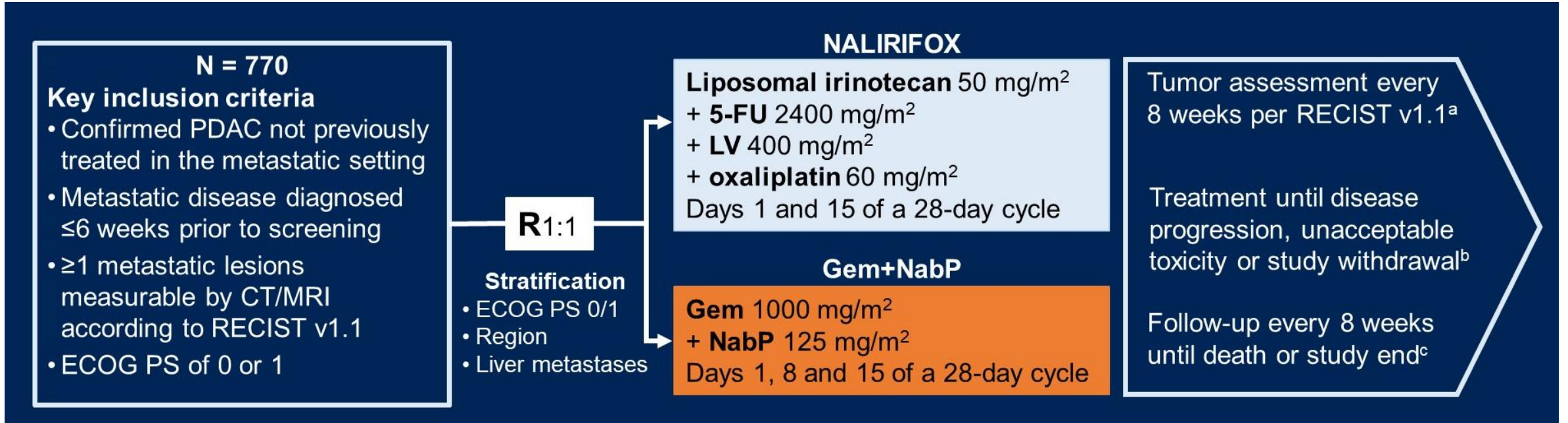
Eileen Mary O'Reilly, Davide Melisi, Teresa Macarulla, Roberto A. Pazo Cid, Sreenivasa R Chandana, Christelle De La Fouchardiere, Andrew Peter Dean, Igor Kiss, Woo Jin Lee, Thorsten Oliver Goetze, Eric Van Cutsem, Scott Paulson, Tanios S. Bekaii-Saab, Shubham Pant, Richard Hubner, Zhimin Xiao, Huanyu Chen, Fawzi Benzaghrou, Zev A. Wainberg

# NAPOLI-3: Background & Aim

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- NAPOLI-1: Liposomal irinotecan + 5FU/LV in mPDAC following progression with gemcitabine based therapy.
- NCT02441991: Phase 1/2 study demonstrated efficacy of liposomal irinotecan 50mg/m<sup>2</sup> + 5FU 2400mg/m<sup>2</sup> + LV 400mg/m<sup>2</sup> + oxaliplatin 60mg/m<sup>2</sup> (NALIRIFOX) in 1L mPDAC
- **Aim**: Efficacy & safety of NALIRIFOX vs. Gem/Abraxane in 1L mPDAC

# NAPOLI-3: Study Design

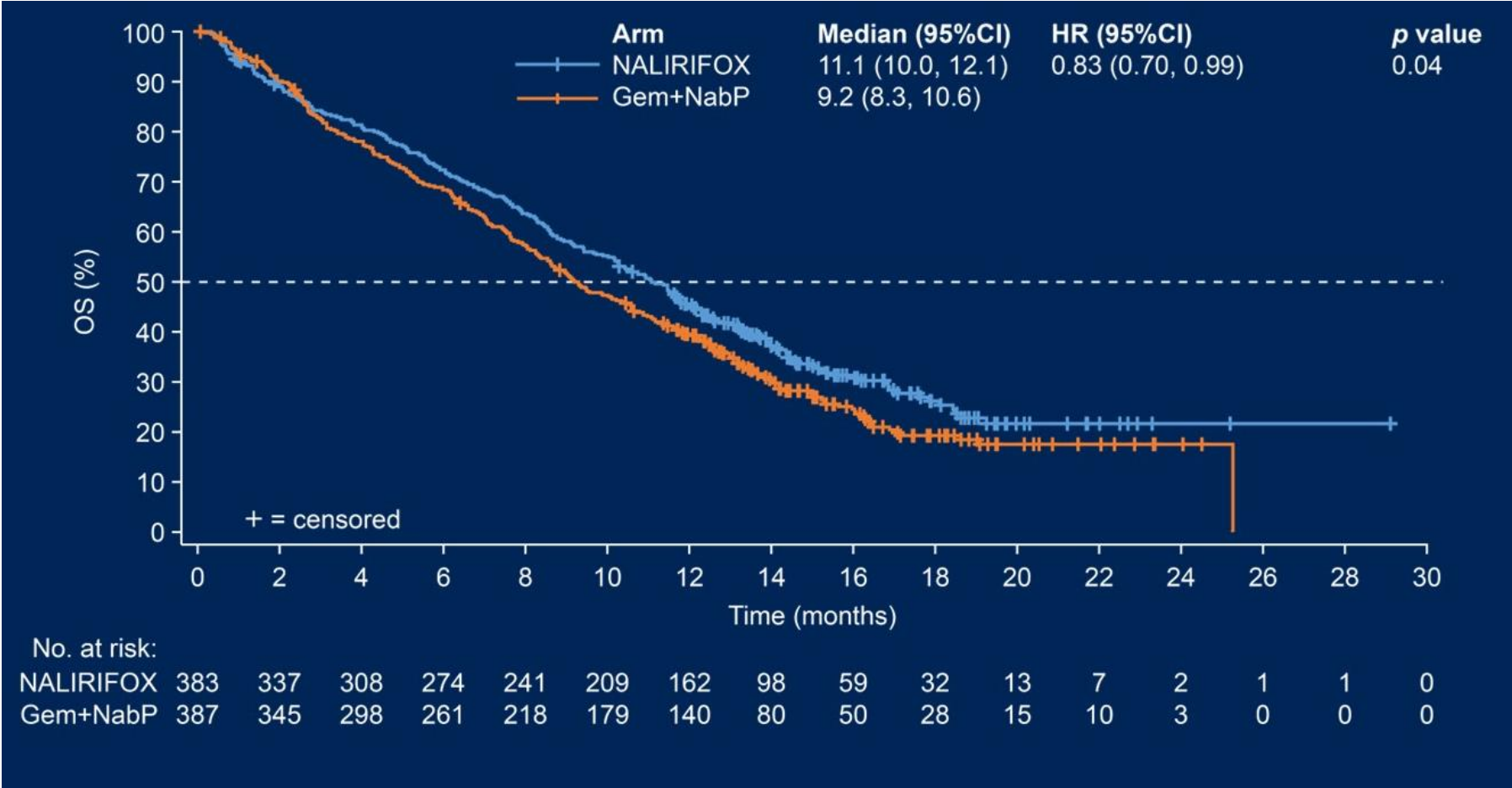


- Primary Endpoint: OS
- Secondary Endpoint: PFS and ORR
- Overall median follow-up: 16 months

# NAPOLI-3: Baseline Characteristics

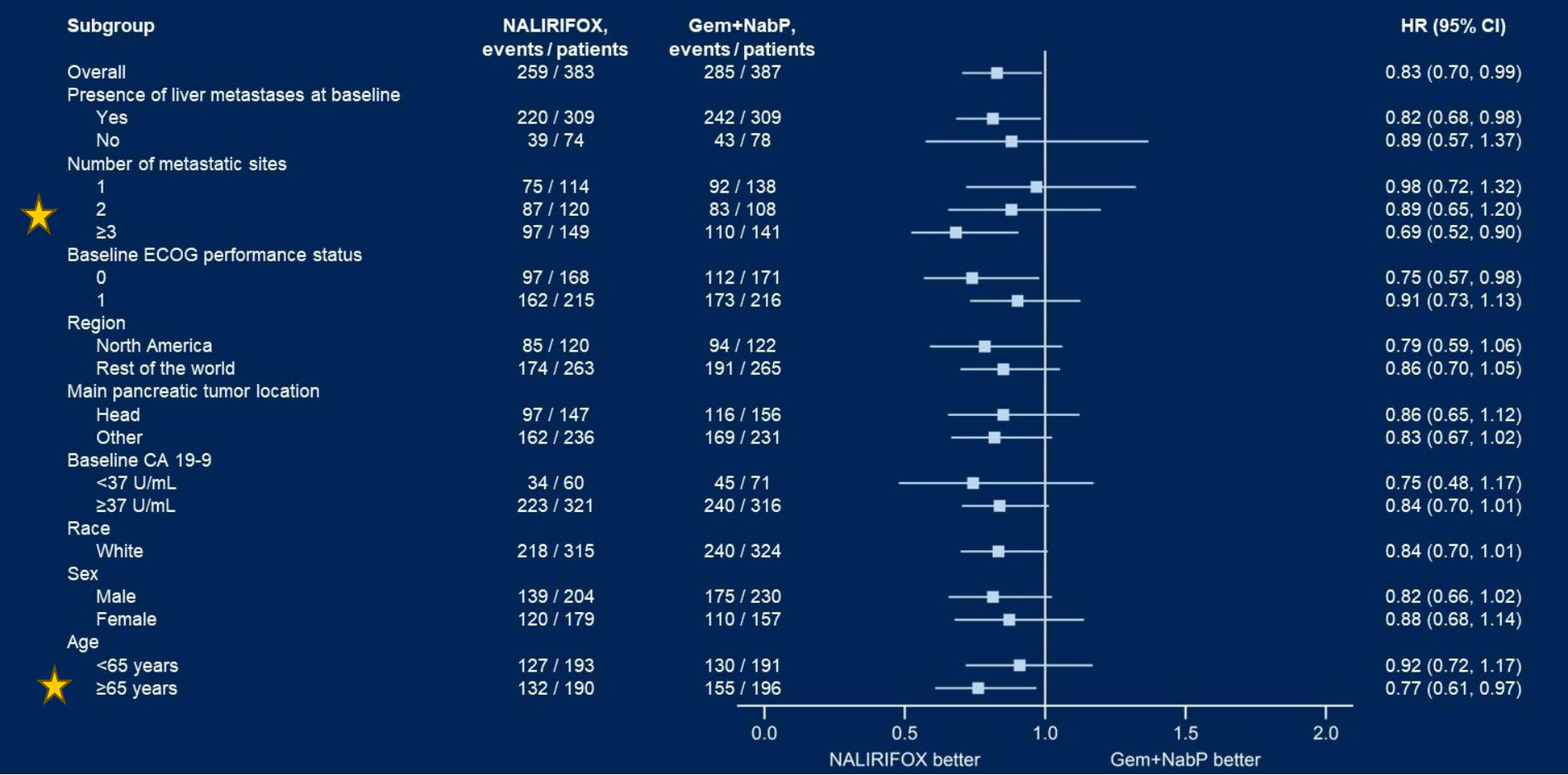
Characteristic	NALIRIFOX (N = 383)	Gem+NabP (N = 387)
Median (range) age, years	64.0 (20.0–85.0)	65.0 (36.0–82.0)
Men, %	53.3	59.4
White, %	82.2	83.7
ECOG performance status score, %		
0	41.8	43.4
1 <sup>a</sup>	58.0	56.6
★ Number of metastatic sites, %		
1 / 2 / ≥3	29.8 / 31.3 / 38.9	35.7 / 27.9 / 36.4
Liver metastases, %	80.2	80.4
Geographic region, %		
North America	31.3	31.5
East Asia	2.9	2.8
Rest of the world	65.8	65.6
★ Main pancreatic tumor location		
Head	38.4	40.3
Other <sup>b</sup>	61.6	59.7
★ Baseline CA 19-9, % <sup>c</sup>		
<37 U/mL	15.7	18.3
≥37 U/mL	83.8	81.7
Median (range) time from metastatic diagnosis at study entry until randomization, weeks	3.00 (0.6–9.1)	3.57 (0.4–10.9)

# NAPOLI-3: mOS (ITT population)





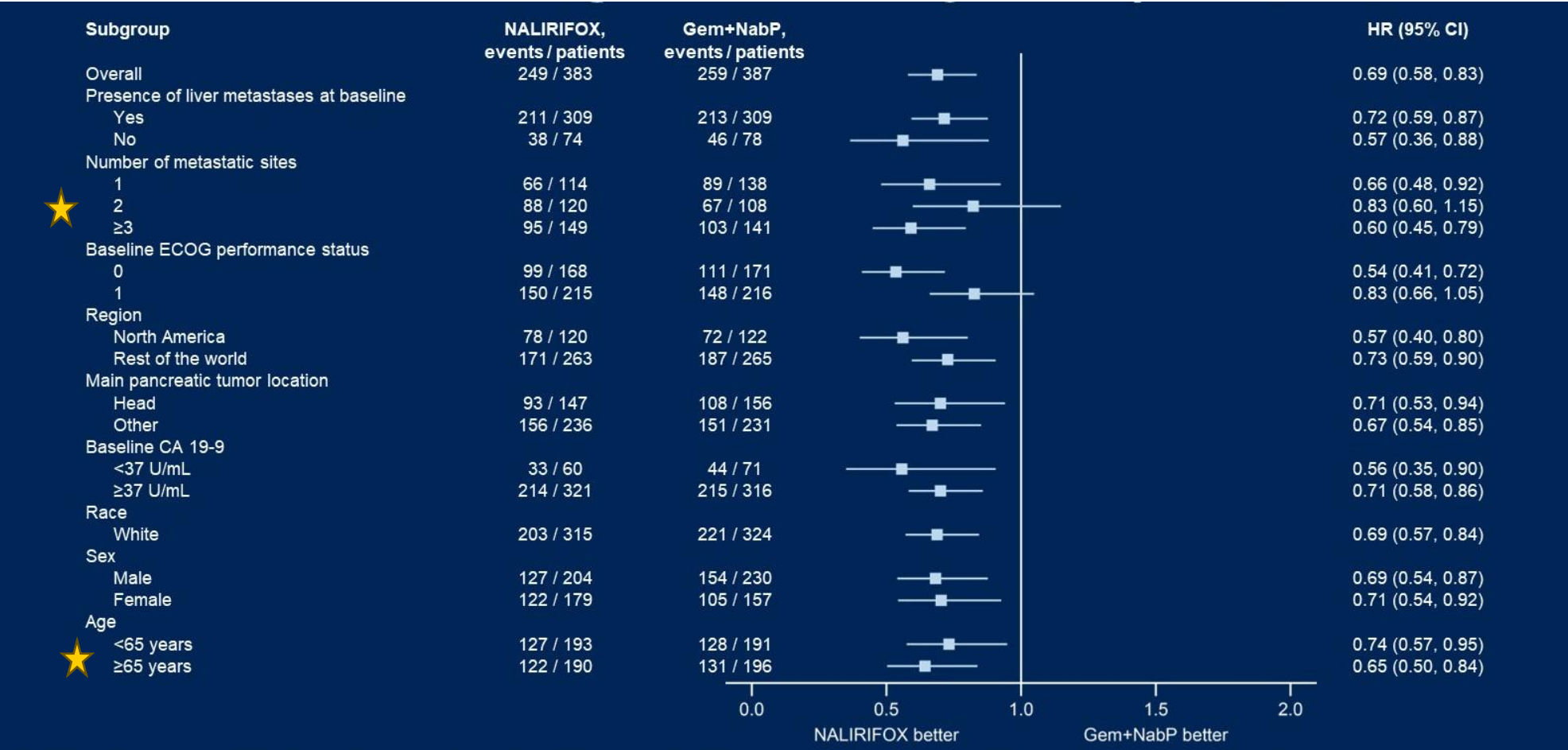
# NAPOLI-3: OS subgroup analyses (ITT population)



# NAPOLI-3: mPFS (ITT population)



# NAPOLI-3: mPFS subgroup analyses (ITT population)



# NAPOLI-3: Treatment Associated Adverse Events

	NALIRIFOX (N = 370)		Gem+NabP (N = 379)	
	Any grade	Grade 3–4	Any Grade	Grade 3–4
Any-cause TEAEs in ≥10% of patients, % <sup>a</sup>				
<b>Hematologic</b>				
Neutropenia / neutrophil count decreased / febrile neutropenia	29.5 / 20.5 / 2.4	14.1 / 9.7 / 2.4	31.9 / 18.7 / 2.6	24.5 / 13.5 / 2.4
Anemia	26.2	10.5	40.4	17.4
Thrombocytopenia / platelet count decreased	13.5 / 10.5	0.8 / 0.8	22.7 / 17.9	3.7 / 2.4
<b>Non-hematologic</b>				
Diarrhea	70.5	20.3	36.7	4.5
Nausea	59.5	11.9	42.7	2.6
Vomiting	39.7	7.0	26.4	2.1
Hypokalemia	31.6	15.1	12.9	4.0
Peripheral neuropathy	17.8	3.2	17.4	5.8
Peripheral sensory neuropathy	15.1	3.5	13.5	2.9
Paresthesia	11.9	0.3	8.7	0.5
Pyrexia	10.5	0.8	23.0	1.6



# NAPOLI-3: Conclusions

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- NALIRIFOX demonstrated significant improvement in OS and PFS compared with Gem/NabP in 1L mPDAC
- This contrasts with SWOG S1505 data suggesting mFOLFIRINOX vs. Gem/NabP in the resectable setting had similar outcomes
- High rates of toxicity were seen in both arms of NAPOLI3.

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# Esophageal / GEJ / Gastric Adenocarcinoma

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**SPOTLIGHT: Zolbetuximab + mFOLFOX6 in CLDN18.2+,  
HER2-, untreated, locally advanced unresectable/metastatic  
Gastric / GEJ Adenocarcinoma.**

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# SPOTLIGHT: Introduction

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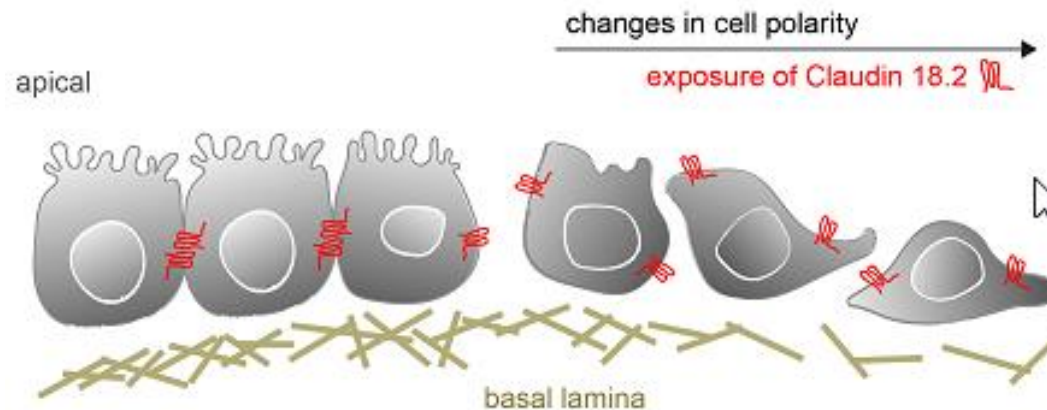
- For Advanced Unresectable / Metastatic Gastric/GEJ, chemotherapy is the standard with mOS ~1yr<sup>1-4</sup>.
- The addition of targeted therapy to Chemotherapy has improved survival in select patient populations<sup>5-9</sup>.
  - HER2 positive: Trastuzumab
  - PD-L1 CPS>5: Nivolumab
- Claudin 18.2 offers a new target

1. Van Cutsem et al. *Lancet*. 2016; 388(10060):2654-2664; 2. Lordick F et al. *Ann Oncol*. 2022; 33(10):1005-1020; 3. Obermannová R et al. *Ann Oncol*. 2022; 33(10):992-1004; 4. JGCA. *Gastric Cancer* 2021; 24(1):1-21; 5. Kelly RJ et al. *NEJM*. 2021; 384(13):1191-1203; 6. NHCPRC. *Chin J Cancer Res*. 2022; 34(3):207-237; 7. Bang Y-J et al. *Lancet*. 2010; 376(9742):687-97; 8. Janjigian YY et al. *Lancet*. 2021; 398(10294):27-40; 9. Shitara K et al. *Nature*. 2022; 603(7903):942-948.



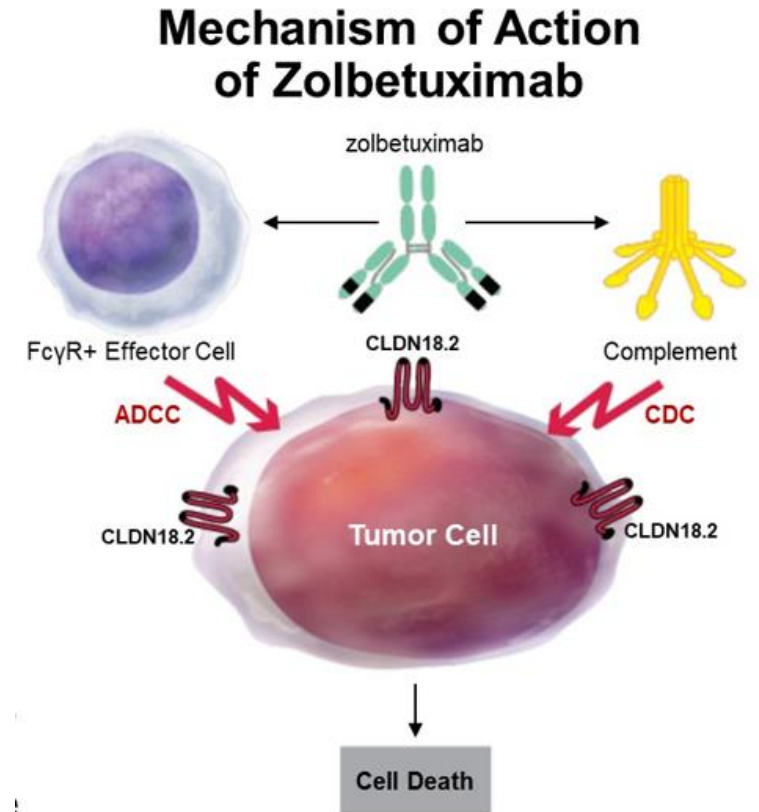
# SPOTLIGHT: Claudin 18.2

- Claudins are major components of tight junctions.
- In normal tissues, Claudin-18.2 is expressed in differentiated gastric epithelial cells
- In malignancy, Claudin-18.2 is overexpressed in primary gastric cancers and their metastases.
  - The expression rate of claudin-18.2 in gastric cancer varies from 53.0–87.0%.
- Malignant transformation results in CLDN18.2 expression on the surface of gastric and GEJ adenocarcinoma cells, which might render CLDN18.2 more accessible to antibodies.



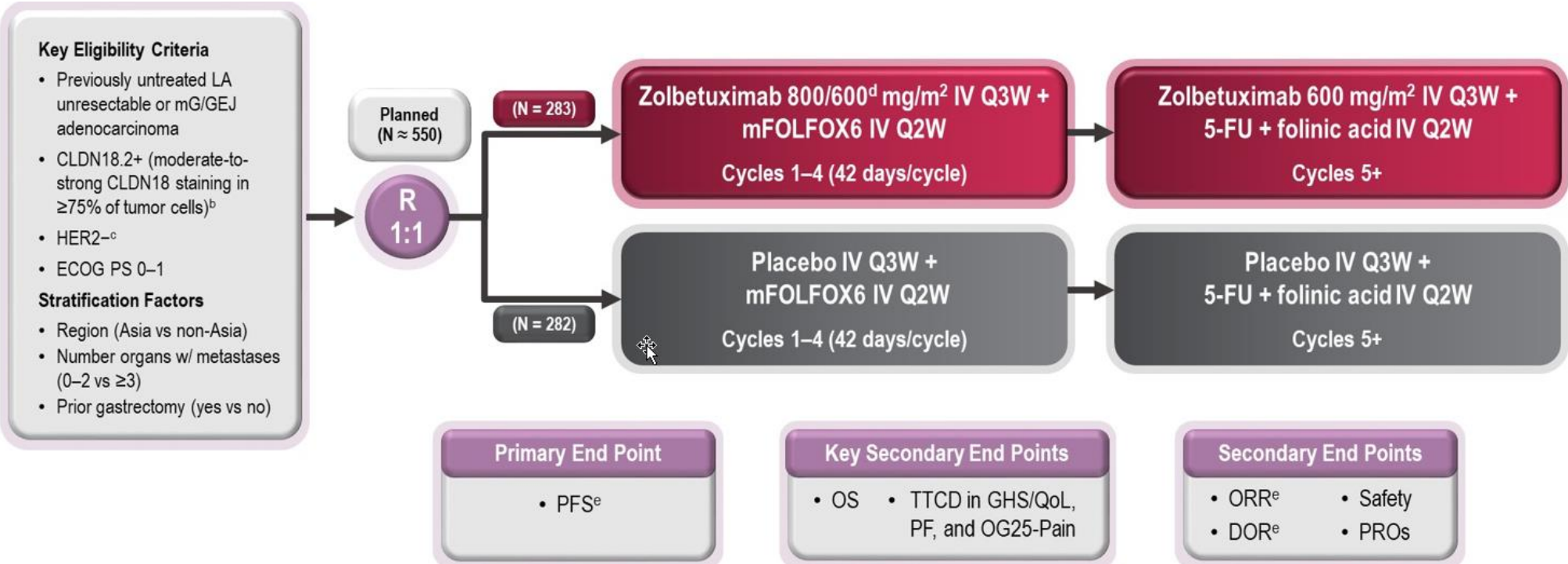
# SPOTLIGHT: Zolbetuximab

- Zolbetuximab is a first-in-class chimeric IgG1 monoclonal antibody that targets CLDN18.2
- Zolbetuximab may induce tumor cell death via complement and cytotoxic immune effector cells.
- In Phase IIb FAST study, EOX +/- Zolbetuximab resulted in improved OS for patients with higher expression of CLDN 18.2
  - Mos 16.5 vs 8.9 months for Zolbetuximab + EOX vs. EOX alone



# SPOTLIGHT: Study Design

- Global, randomized, double-blinded, placebo-controlled Phase 3

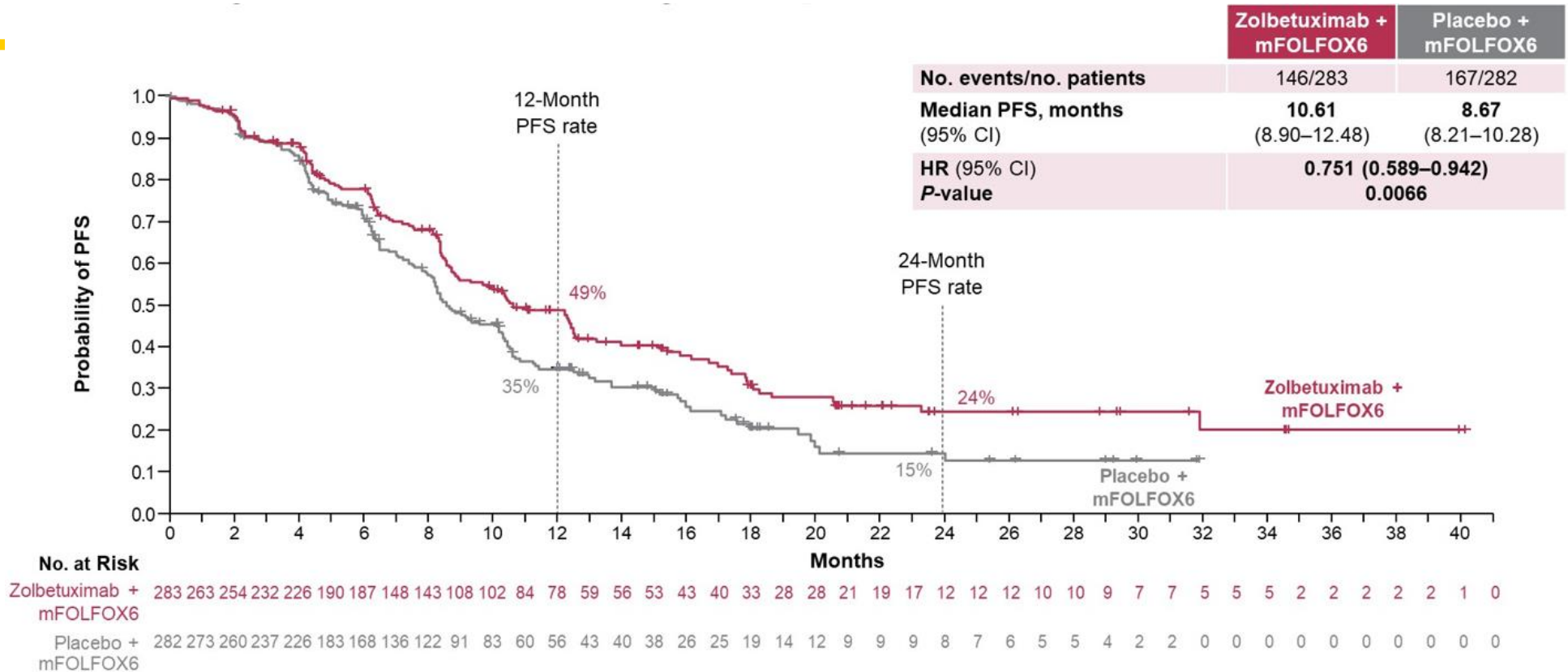


# SPOTLIGHT: Baseline Characteristics

		Zolbetuximab + mFOLFOX6 (N = 283)	Placebo + mFOLFOX6 (N = 282)
<b>Age, years (range)</b>	Median	62.0 (27–83)	60.0 (20–86)
<b>Sex, n (%)</b>	Male	176 (62.2)	175 (62.1)
<b>Region, n (%)</b>	Asia	88 (31.1)	89 (31.6)
	Non-Asia	195 (68.9)	193 (68.4)
<b>Organs with metastases, n (%)</b>	0–2	219 (77.4)	219 (77.7)
	≥3	64 (22.6)	63 (22.3)
★ <b>Prior gastrectomy, n (%)</b>	Yes	84 (29.7)	82 (29.1)
	No	199 (70.3)	200 (70.9)
★ <b>Primary site, n (%)</b>	Stomach	219 (77.4)	210 (74.5)
	GEJ	64 (22.6)	72 (25.5)
<b>Lauren classification, n (%)</b>	Diffuse	82 (29.1)	117 (42.1)
	Intestinal	70 (24.8)	66 (23.7)
	Mixed/others <sup>a</sup>	130 (45.9)	95 (33.7)
<b>ECOG PS<sup>b,c</sup>, n (%)</b>	0	125 (44.8)	115 (41.4)
	1	153 (54.8)	163 (58.6)

- As an ad hoc analysis, 41/311 (13.2%) of assessable patients had tumors with PD-L1 CPS ≥5<sup>d</sup>
- Subsequent anticancer therapies were administered to 48% of patients in the zolbetuximab arm and 53% in the placebo arm

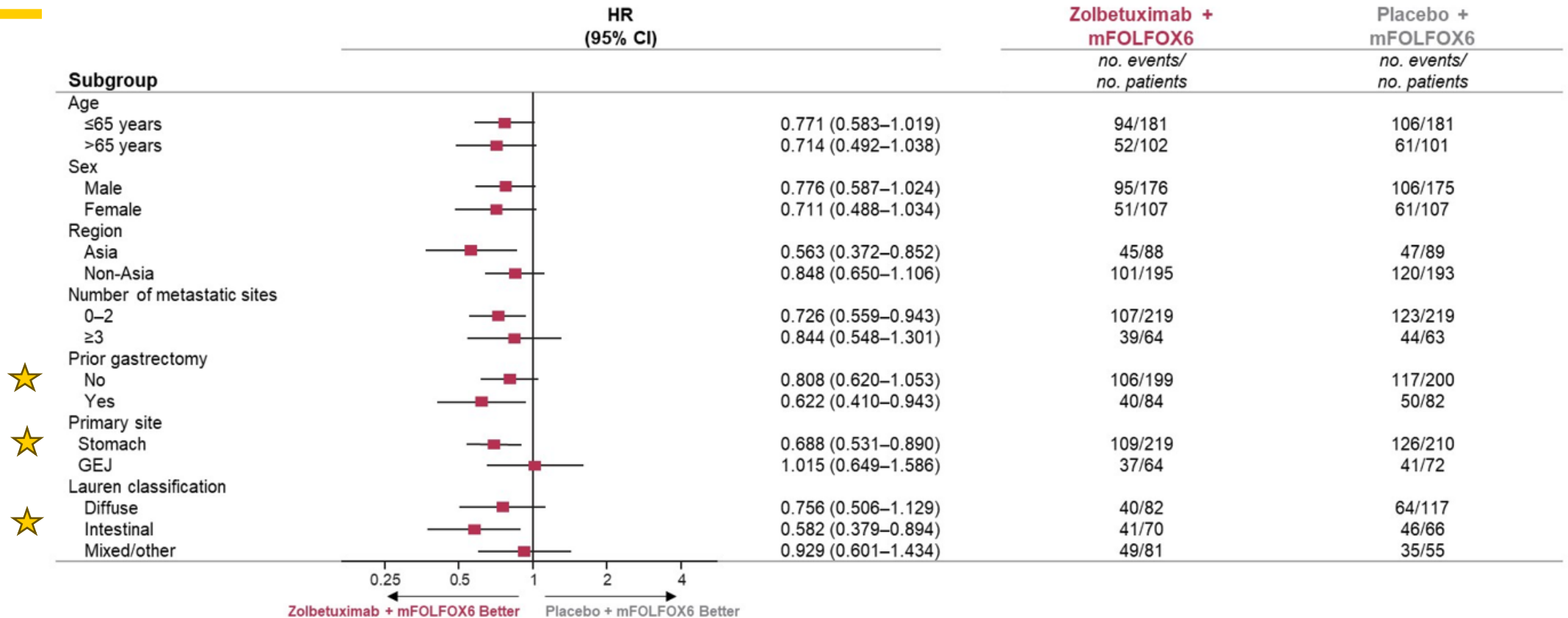
# SPOTLIGHT: PFS



- PFS was significantly longer in patients treated with zolbetuximab + mFOLFOX6 vs placebo + mFOLFOX6

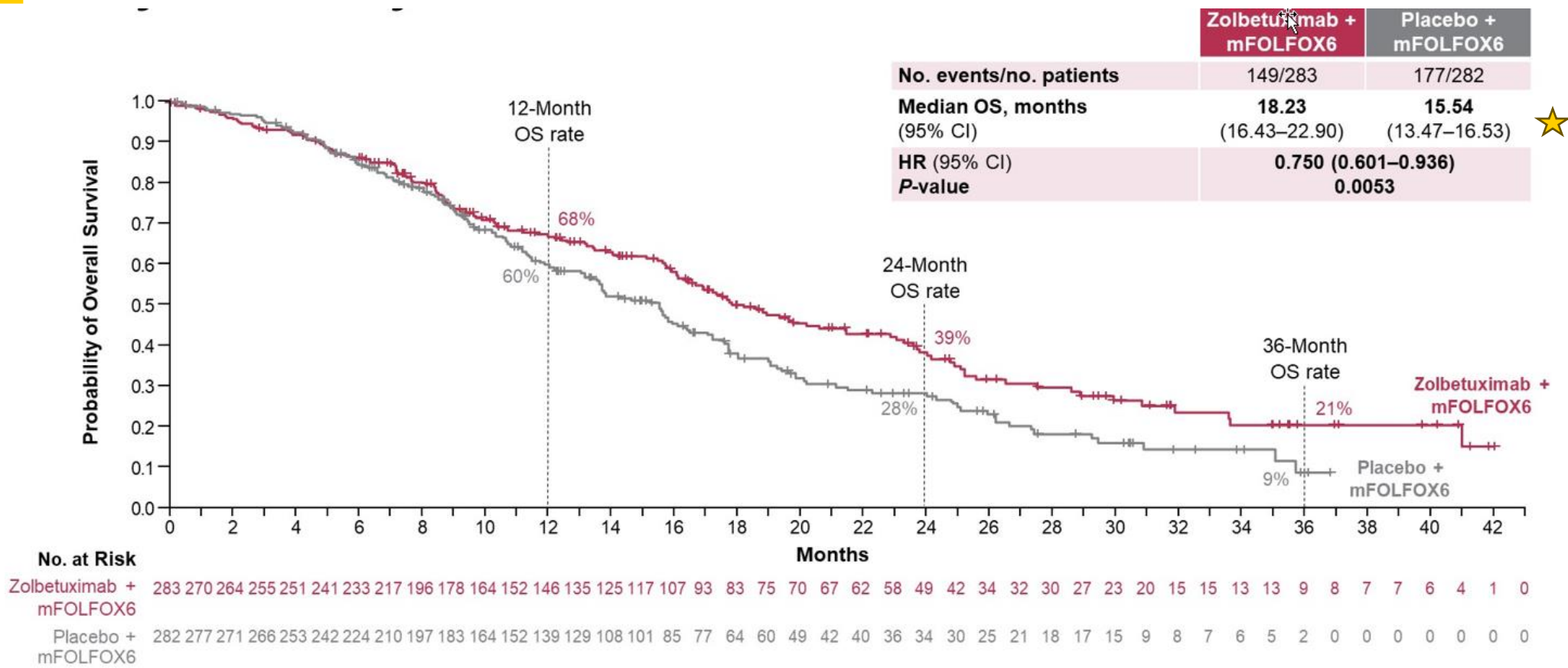
Data cutoff: September 9, 2022; Median follow-up = 12.94 months (zolbetuximab + mFOLFOX6) vs 12.65 months (placebo + mFOLFOX6).  
\*Per RECIST version 1.1.

# SPOTLIGHT: PFS Subgroup Analysis



- PFS was significantly longer in patients treated with zolbetuximab + mFOLFOX6 across most subgroups

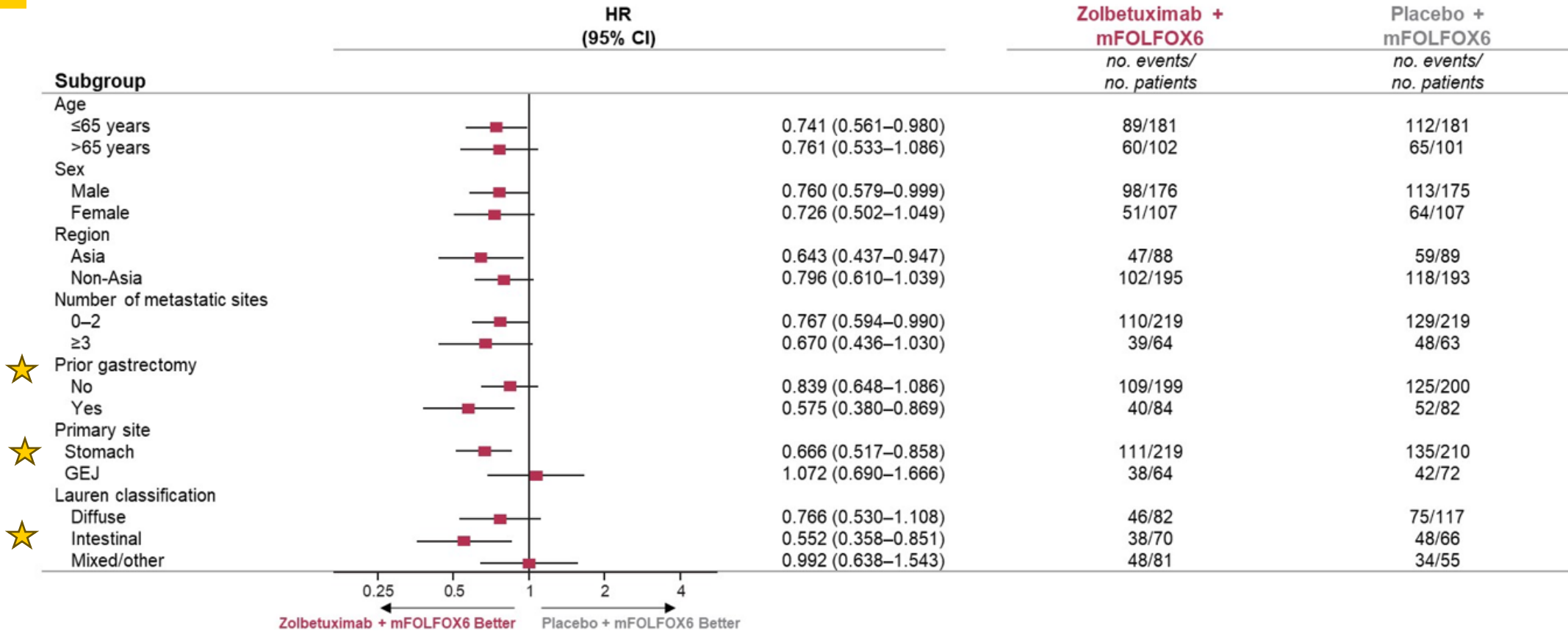
# SPOTLIGHT: OS



- OS was significantly longer in patients treated with zolbetuximab + mFOLFOX6 vs placebo + mFOLFOX6



# SPOTLIGHT: OS Subgroup Analysis

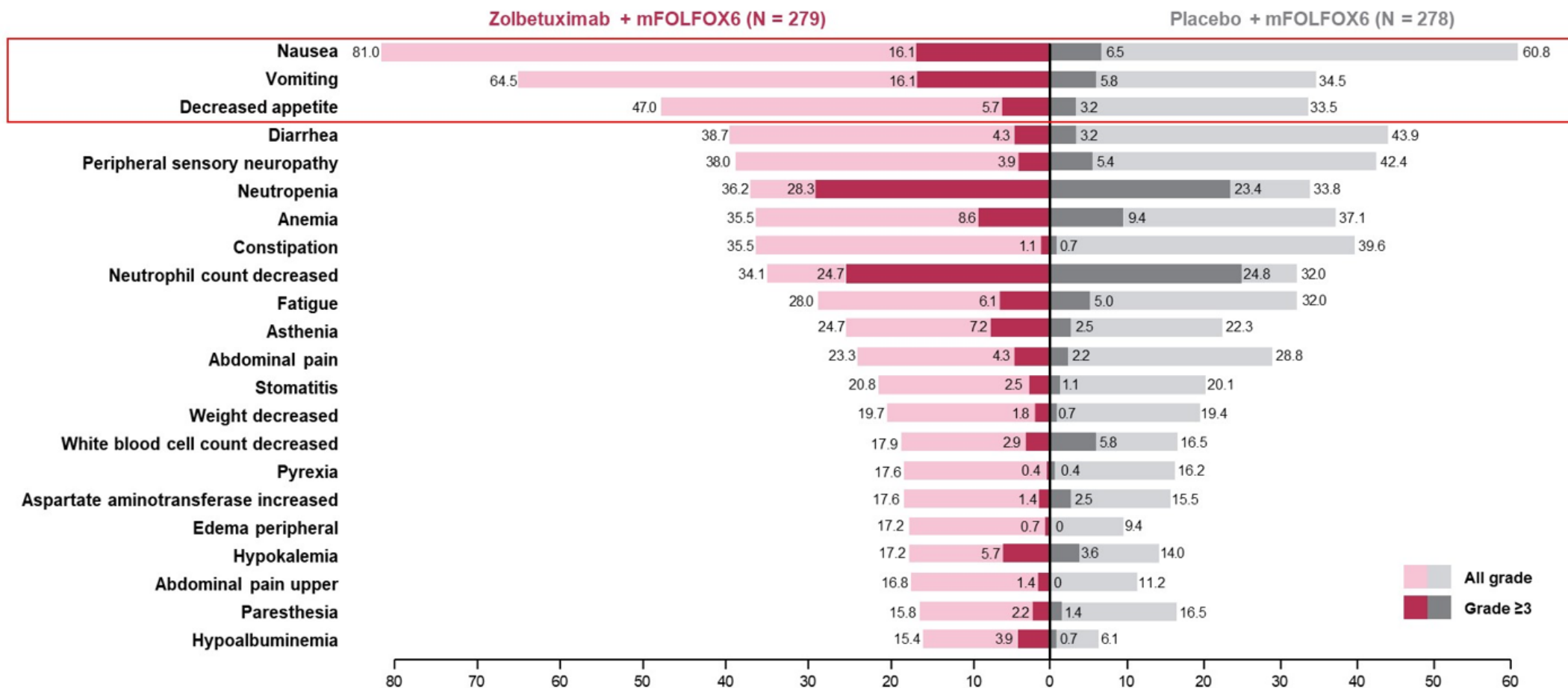


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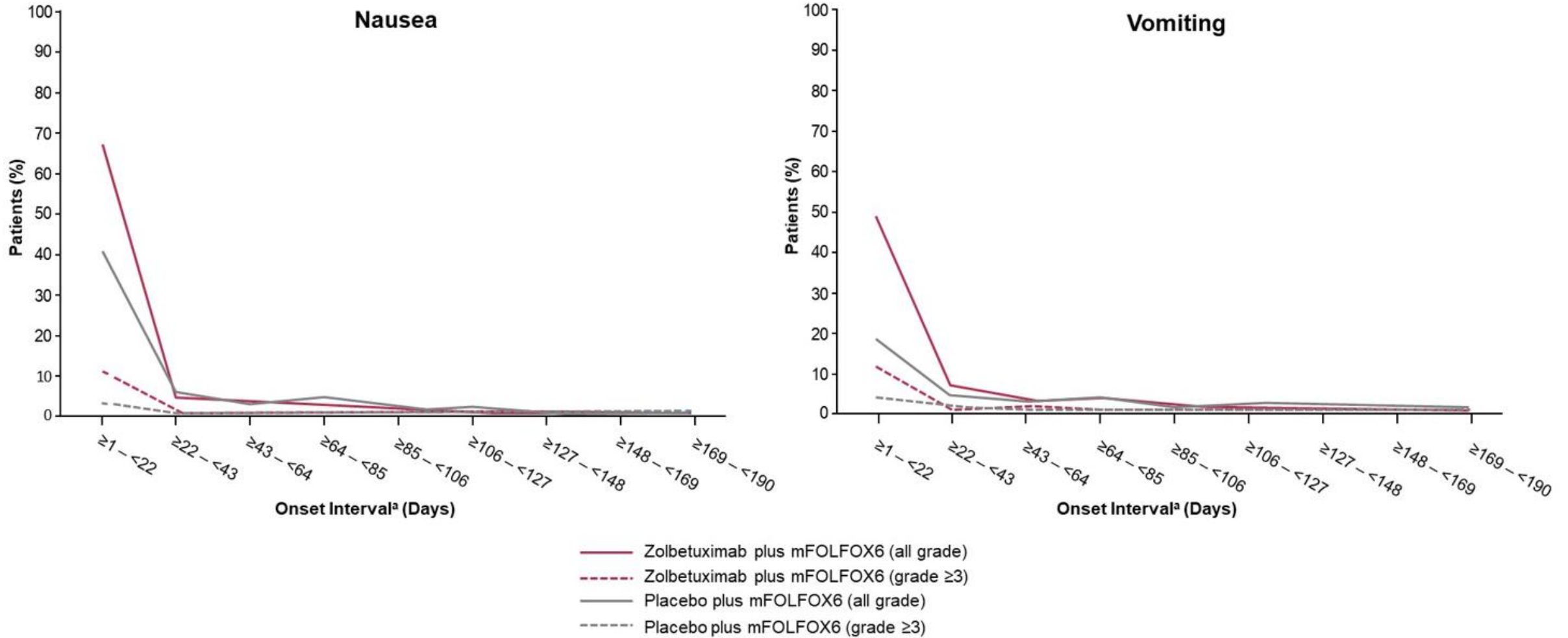


# TEAEs<sup>a</sup> Occurring in $\geq 15\%$ of All Treated Patients



- The most common TEAEs with zolbetuximab + mFOLFOX6 were nausea and vomiting as on-target effects

# First Occurrence of Nausea and Vomiting



# SPOTLIGHT: Conclusions

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- Zolbetuximab + mFOLFOX6 showed significant improvement in PFS and OS
- Zolbetuximab + mFOLFOX6 demonstrated a manageable safety profile
- Of Note: The control arm performed well (mOS 15m vs. 12m)
  - Potentially claudin 18 positivity characterizes a better prognostic subset of diffuse GC?
  - 3/4 patients had limited metastases
  - 1/3 patients had prior gastrectomy – potentially diagnosed earlier under surveillance

# SPOTLIGHT: Next Steps

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- Standardization of CLDN 18.2 IHC
- Nivolumab vs. Zolbetuximab with chemotherapy in 1L?
- Current studies underway investigating combination of Zolbetuximab with Immunotherapy

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# **INTEGRATE IIa: A randomized, double-blind, phase III study of regorafenib versus placebo in refractory advanced gastro-esophageal cancer**

Nick Pavlakis, Kohei Shitara, Katrin Marie Sjoquist, Andrew James Martin, Anthony Jaworski, Sonia Yip, Yung-Jue Bang, Thierry Alcindor, Christopher J. O'Callaghan, Niall C. Tebbutt, Andrew Strickland, Sun Young Rha, Keun-Wook Lee, John Raymond Zalcborg, Timothy Jay Price, John Simes, David Goldstein

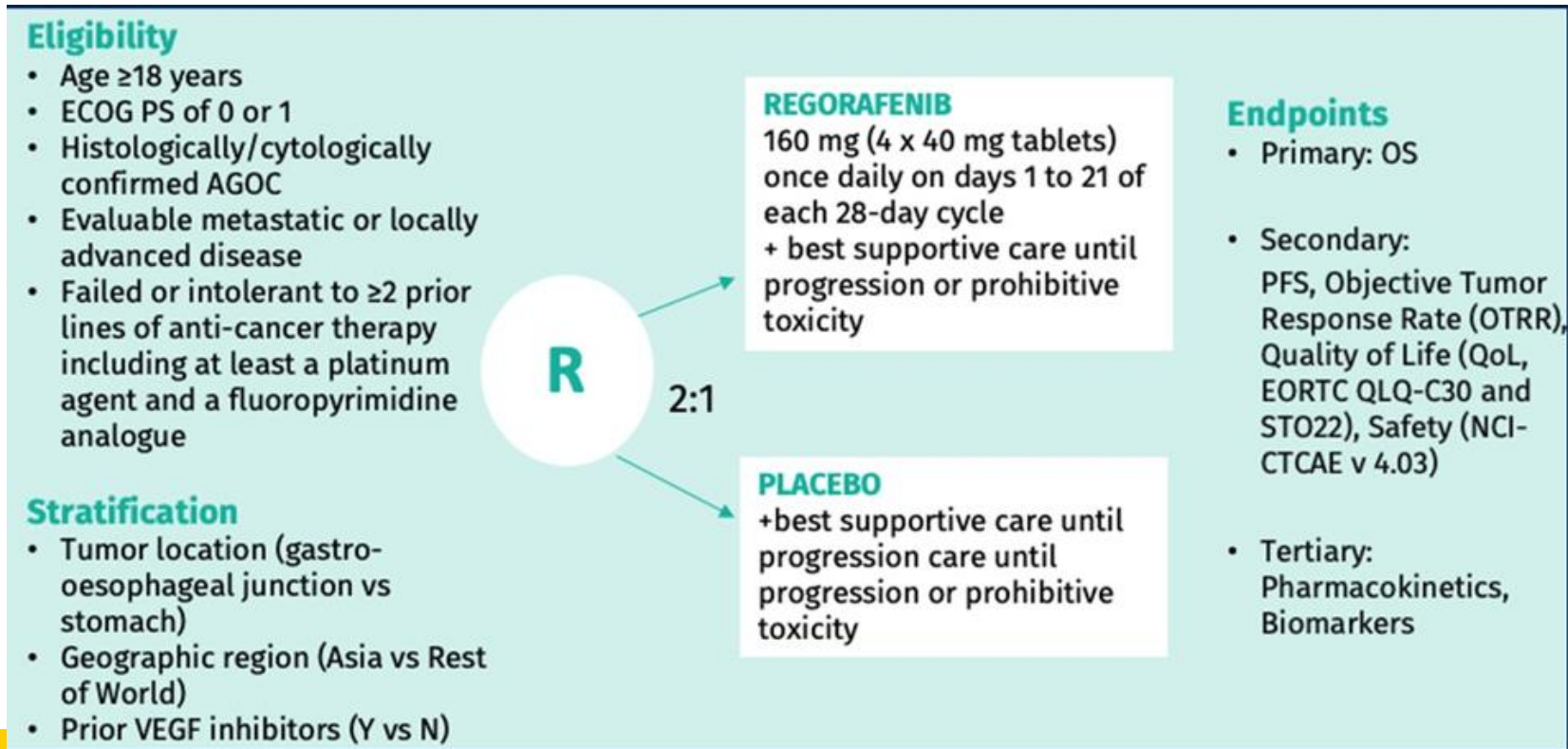
# Integrate IIa: Background & Introduction

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- Integrate: Phase II: Regorafenib vs. placebo in advanced gastric adenocarcinoma improved PFS (2.6m vs. 0.9m). A survival trend was noted 5.8m vs. 4.5m.
- Integrate II: Phase III trial to examine if regorafenib improves overall survival after failure of at least 2 lines of treatment.

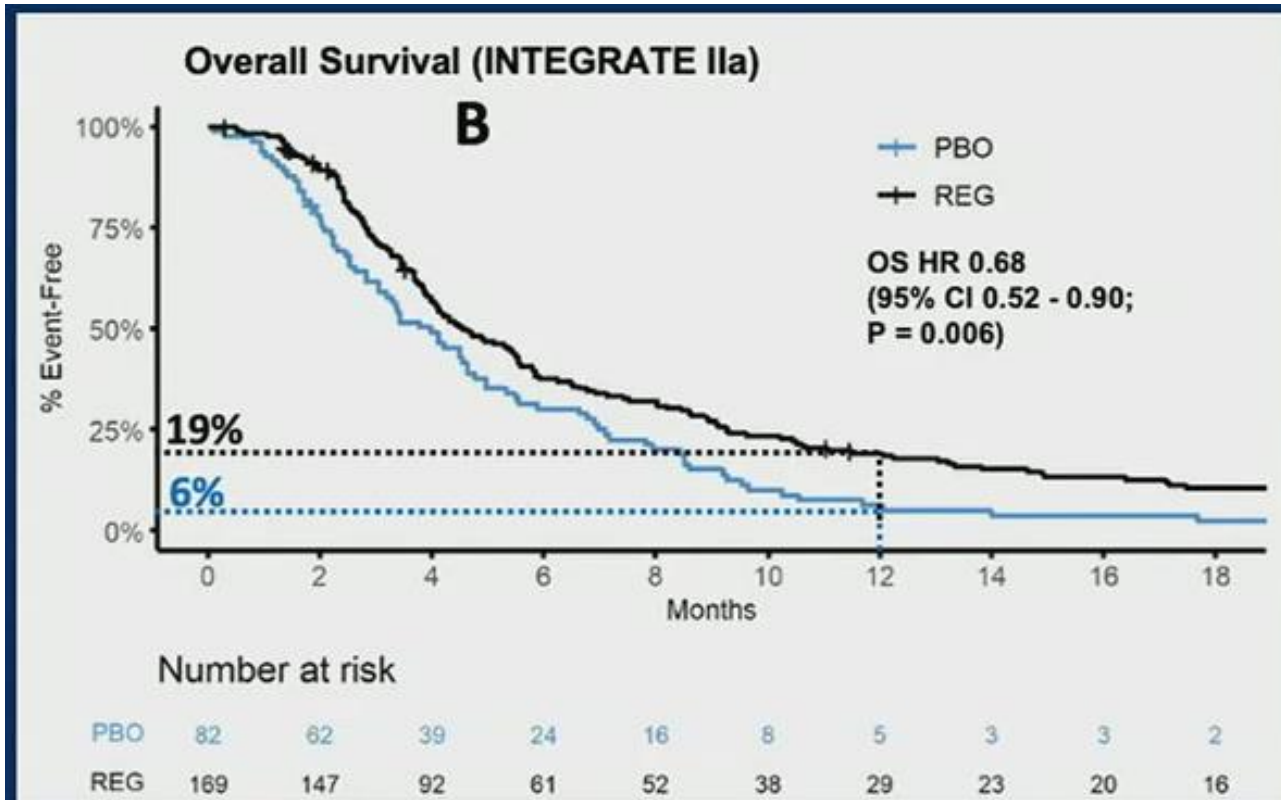
# INTEGRATE IIa: Study design

- Phase III International, multi-center, randomized controlled clinical trial: Regorafenib vs. Placebo



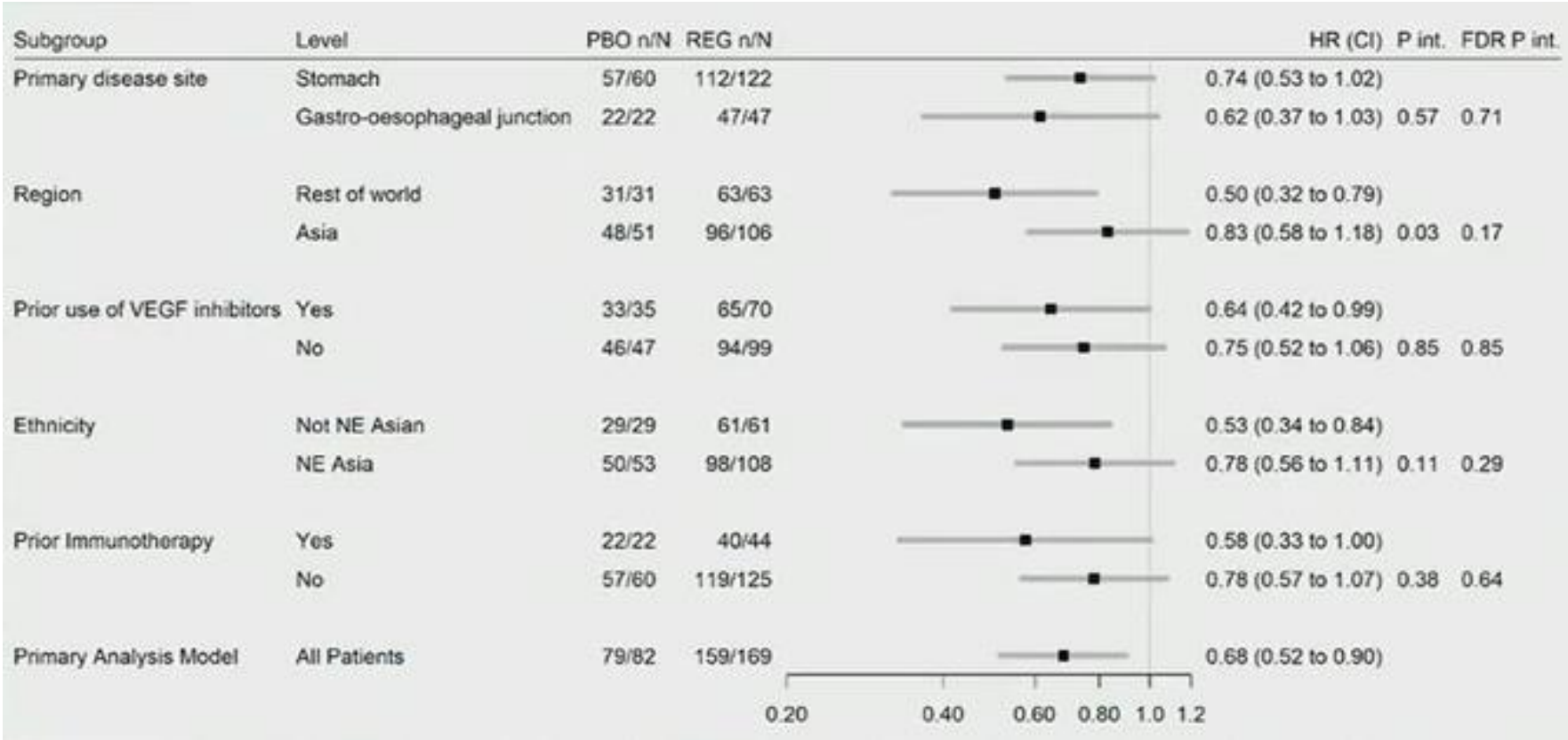
# INTEGRATE IIA: OS

- Regorafenib improves OS: At 12 months, regorafenib improved survival over placebo (19% vs 6%)





# INTEGRATE IIA: Subgroup Analyses



# INTEGRATE IIA: QoL

- Regorafenib delays deterioration in global QoL compared to placebo (p=0.0043)



# INTEGRATE IIA: Toxicities

- Regorafenib toxicity profile was similar to that seen in previous reports

	Regorafenib (N= 166)				Placebo (N= 79)			
	Gr 1-2	Gr 3	Gr 4	Gr 5	Gr 1-2	Gr 3	Gr 4	Gr 5
Any adverse event	52 (31)	92 (55)	12 (7)	3 (2) <sup>#</sup>	37 (47)	29 (37)	3 (4)	0
Fatigue	40 (24)	15 (9)	0	0	18 (23)	5 (6)	0	0
★ Palmar-plantar erythrodysesthesia syndrome*	52 (31)	15 (9)	0	0	4 (5)	0	0	0
Abdominal pain	30 (18)	6 (4)	0	0	14 (18)	4 (5)	0	0
Anorexia	30 (18)	7 (4)	0	0	16 (20)	0	0	0
★ Oral mucositis*	34 (20)	1 (1)	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nausea	24 (14)	2 (1)	0	0	17 (22)	3 (4)	0	0
Vomiting	15 (9)	3 (2)	0	0	8 (10)	3 (4)	0	0
Diarrhea*	30 (18)	6 (4)	0	0	4 (5)	1 (1)	0	0
Constipation*	20 (12)	1 (1)	0	0	4 (5)	1 (1)	0	0
ALT increase*	20 (12)	9 (5)	0	0	3 (4)	1 (1)	0	0
AST increase*	23 (16)	7 (4)	2 (1)	0	3 (4)	2 (3)	0	0
Anemia	6 (4)	9 (5)	0	0	4 (5)	6 (8)	0	0
Hypertension*	23 (16)	13 (8)	0	0	2 (3)	0	0	0

\* Toxicities more common with regorafenib; <sup>#</sup>One death was due to hepatic failure, and two were due to sepsis.

# INTEGRATE IIA: Conclusions

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- Regorafenib significantly improves survival in patients with refractory advanced gastric/esophageal cancer compared to placebo.
- Regorafenib delays deterioration in global QoL compared to placebo
- Toxicity profile similar to prior studies
- Integrate lib is ongoing international Phase III RCT in pre-treated patients with advanced gastric/esophageal cancer comparing Regorafenib + Nivolumab to standard chemotherapy.

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# **NEOAEGIS: Neoadjuvant Trial in Adenocarcinoma of the Esophagus and Esophago-Gastric Junction International Study**

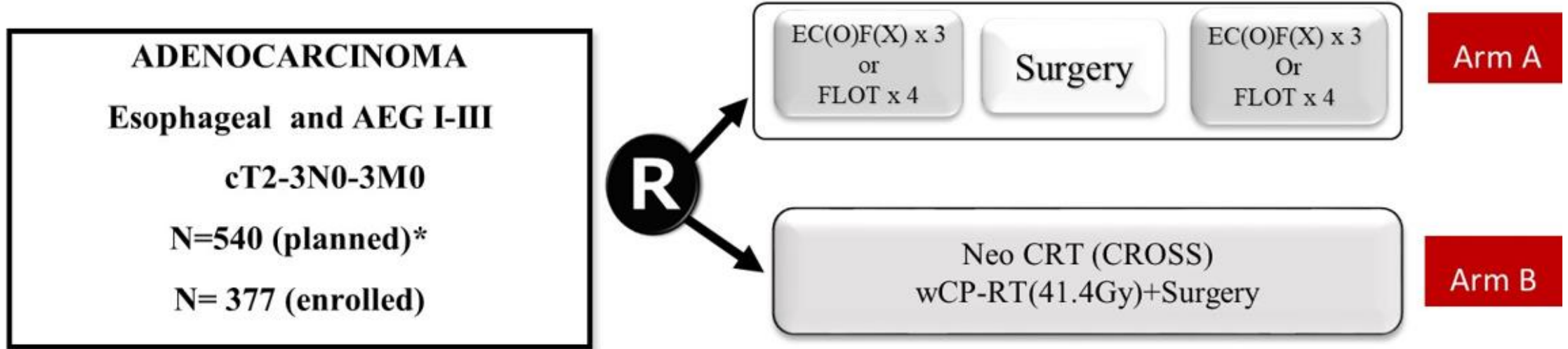
## **Final primary outcome analysis**

# NEOAEGIS: Background

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- What is the optimal curative approach in locally advanced Esophageal & Gastroesophageal Junction Adenocarcinoma?
  - Preoperative Chemoradiotherapy:
    - CROSS: carboplatin or paclitaxel plus 41.4 Gy of radiation therapy
  - Perioperative Chemotherapy:
    - MAGIC: epirubicin, cisplatin or oxaliplatin, and fluorouracil or capecitabine.
    - FLOT: fluorouracil, leucovorin, oxaliplatin, and docetaxel.
- Locally Advanced:  $cT_{2-3}N_{0-3}M_0$  - stage 2 or 3 disease, tumors up to 8 cm, and any nodal involvement

# NEOAEGIS: Study Design



\*non-inferiority : powered as per first futility analysis (n=71 deaths)

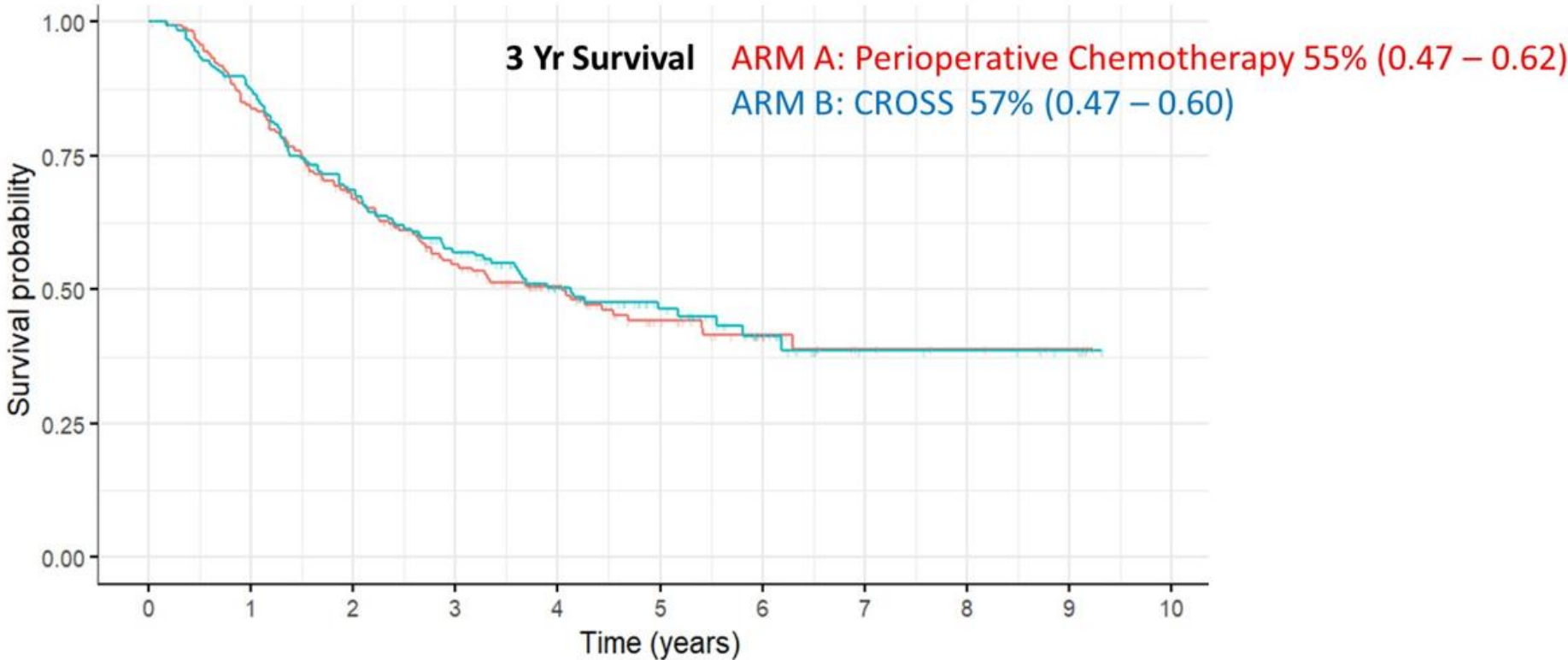
- Primary Endpoint: Overall Survival
- Secondary Endpoints: Disease free Survival, time to treatment failure, Toxicity, Tumor regression grade, R0 resection, Post-op complications, Quality of Life

# NEOAEGIS: Patient Characteristics

	ARM A (Chemo) N = 184	ARM B (CROSS) N = 178
Median (range) age	64 (35-83)	64 (45-81)
Male	91.8%	88.8%
MAGIC/FLOT	157 (85%)/27 (15%)	-
cT3	84%	84%
cN 1-3	60.3%	56.6%
<i>Radical en bloc</i> Transthoracic Esophagectomy	75%	80.6%
Transhiatal	1.2%	4.3%



# NEOAEGIS: Overall Survival



**HR (95% CI) 1.03 (0.77- 1.38)**

**Median follow-up of 34.2 (0.43-111.8) mo**



# NEOAEGIS: Pathological Response

**TABLE 1:** Oncologic Outcomes for Two Approaches to Treating Locally Advanced Esophageal or Gastroesophageal Junction Cancer

Endpoint	Neo-AEGIS Regimen (Perioperative Chemotherapy/Surgery)	CROSS Regimen (Chemoradiation/Surgery)	P Value
3-Year overall survival rate	55%	57%	HR = 1.03 (95% CI = 0.77-1.38)
Nodal downstaging to ypNO rate	44%	60%	.004
RO resection	82%	95%	< .001
Pathologic complete response rate	5%	17%	.001
Major pathologic response rate	12%	42%	< .001

CI = confidence interval; HR = hazard ratio.



# NEOAEGIS: Toxicity

	ARM A (Chemo)	ARM B (CROSS)	p	P value
Toxic deaths	1.6%	3%		0.497
★ Neutropenia	14.1%	2.8%		< 0.001
★ Diarrhea	10.9%	0%		< 0.001
Neutropenic Sepsis	2.2%	0.6%		0.215
★ Vomiting	7.6%	2.8%		0.035
Pulmonary embolism	5.4%	5.1%		0.872

# NEOAEGIS: Operative Complications

	ARM A (Chemo) N = 162	ARM B (CROSS) N = 167
In hospital mortality	1.6%	2.8% p = 0.723
Anastomotic Leaks	11.1%	11.4%
Pneumonia	19.8%	15.6%
ARDS	0.6%	4.2%
Respiratory Failure	7.6%	8%
Venous Thromboembolism	3.8%	3%
Atrial Fibrillation	11.1%	11.4%
Clavien-Dindo $\geq 3 < V$ severity	23.5%	22.8%



# NEOAEGIS: Summary

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- Perioperative chemotherapy is non-inferior to multimodal therapy in the primary outcome of 3 yr overall survival (55% and 57% respectively)
- Markers of local tumor response (pCR, R0, Nodal downstaging) are significantly better in the CROSS arm.
- Toxicity and grade 3 or 4 adverse events occurred more often with the Neo-AEGIS regimen (primarily neutropenia, diarrhea, and vomiting).
- No significant difference in severity of complications or postoperative mortality - hence, no negative effect of radiotherapy.

# NEOAEGIS: Considerations

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- Pattern of recurrence data may inform how markers of local disease response in the CROSS arm did not translate into a survival advantage
- Peri-operative Chemotherapy arm:
  - Only 15% of patients in NEOAEGIS received FLOT
  - Only 40% of patients completed adjuvant therapy
- Preoperative chemoRT arm:
  - Checkmate 577 data: adjuvant Nivolumab after CROSS for yp T/N positive
- In the setting of clinical equipoise, how do you choose which way to go?
  - Consider the nodal burden, signet ring / diffuse subtype, Siewert Type I/III



# Cholangiocarcinoma

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# **SWOG 1815: A phase III randomized trial of Gemcitabine, cisplatin and nab-paclitaxel vs. Gemcitabine and cisplatin in 1L advanced biliary tract cancers**

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# SWOG 1815: Background

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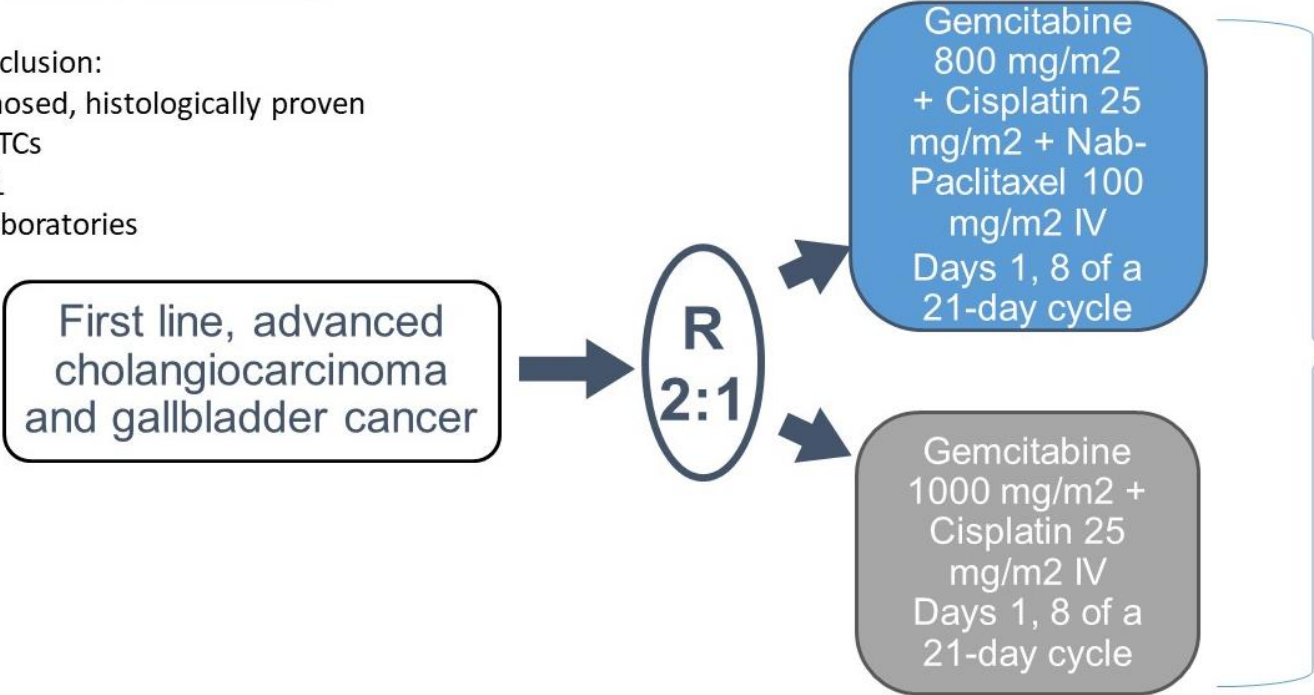
- In advanced biliary tract cancers, mOS remains ~12m with gemcitabine based regimens
- In Phase II trial, Gemcitabine /Cisplatin /Nab-paclitaxel had a promising mOS of 19.2 m
- This prompted SWOG 1815 to evaluate Gem/Cis/Nab-paclitaxel vs. Gem/Cisplatin in 1L of advanced biliary tract cancers

# SWOG 1815: Study Design

Prespecified stratifications factors: tumor type, PS, locally-advanced vs. metastatic

Key Inclusion/Exclusion:

- Newly diagnosed, histologically proven untreated BTCs
- ECOG PS 0-1
- Adequate laboratories



N = 441

FIRST PATIENT IN:  
2/2019

CLOSED TO ACCRUAL  
2/15/2021

Restage every 3 cycles  
until progression

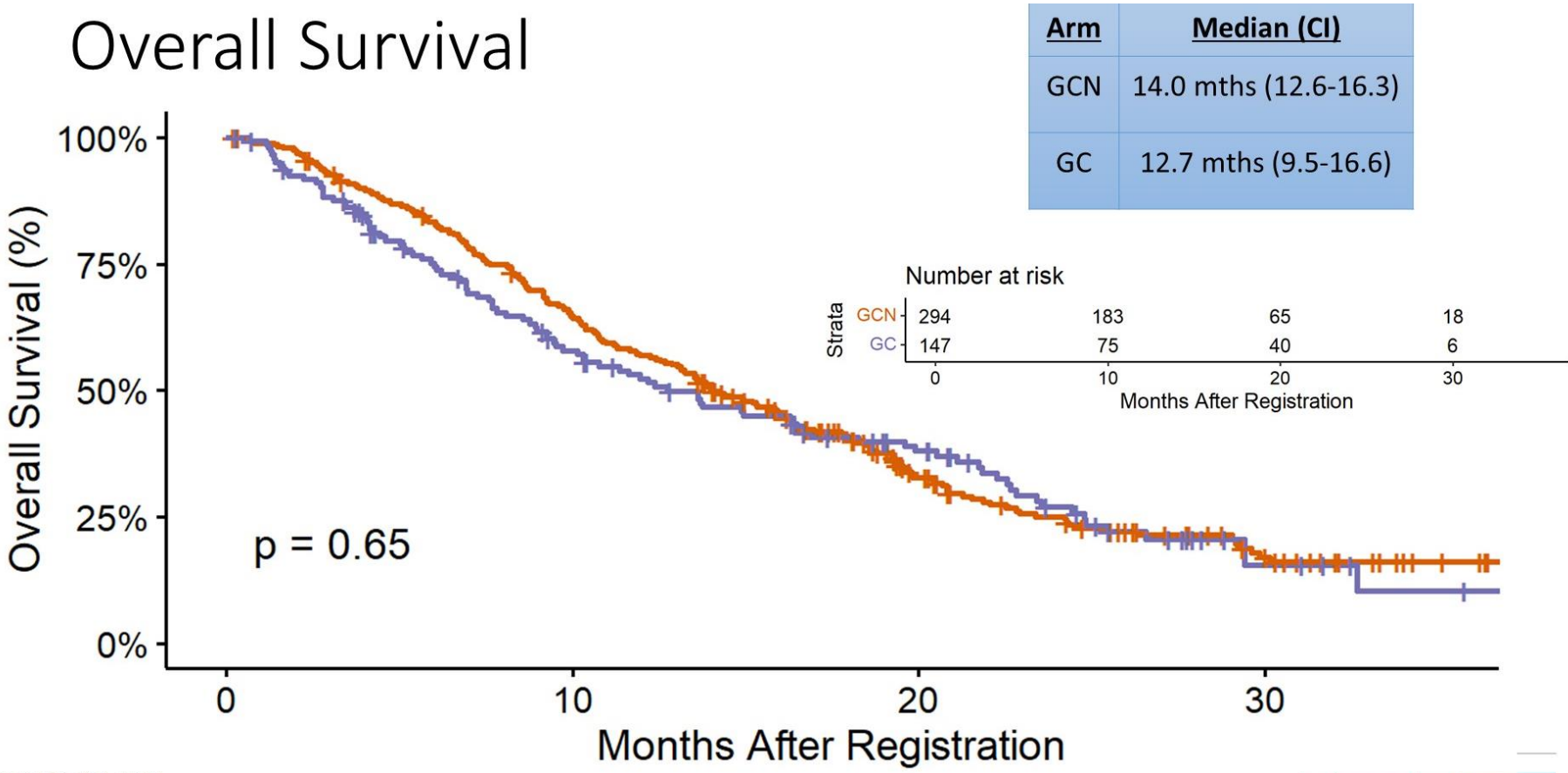
Primary EP: OS; **Target HR 0.7**  
Secondary: ORR, PFS, DCR, safety, CA 19-9 changes

Archival blood and tissue  
specimens to be banked



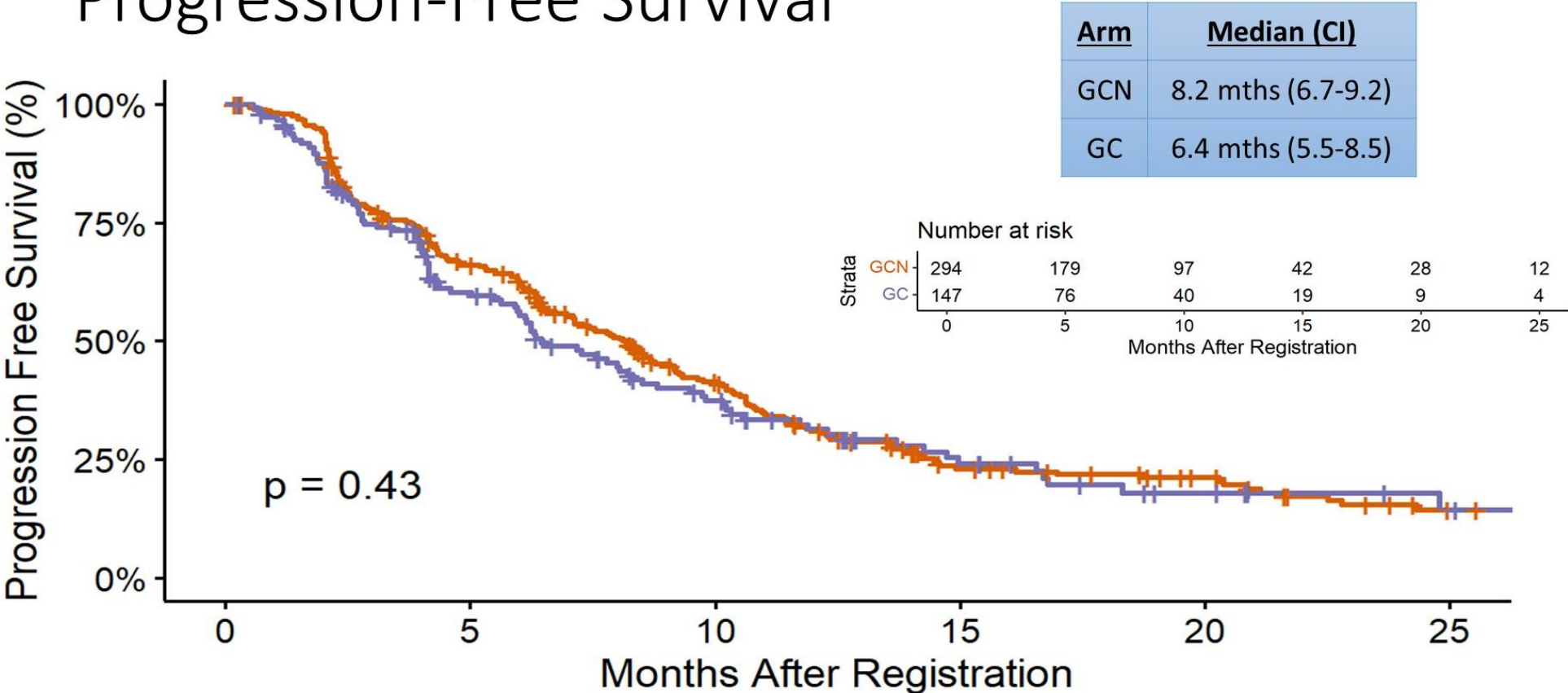
# SWOG 1815:

## Overall Survival



# SWOG 1815:

## Progression-Free Survival



# SWOG 1815: Survival by Disease site

**Overall Survival (months)**

Disease Site	GCN (CI)	GC (CI)
Intrahepatic CCA	13.6 (11.7-16.1)	13.6 (9.5-19.6)
Extrahepatic CCA	15.8 (9.2-18.5)	16.3 (5.1-29.4)
★ Gallbladder Adenocarcinoma	17.0 (11.3-20.7)	9.3 (7.0-22.2)

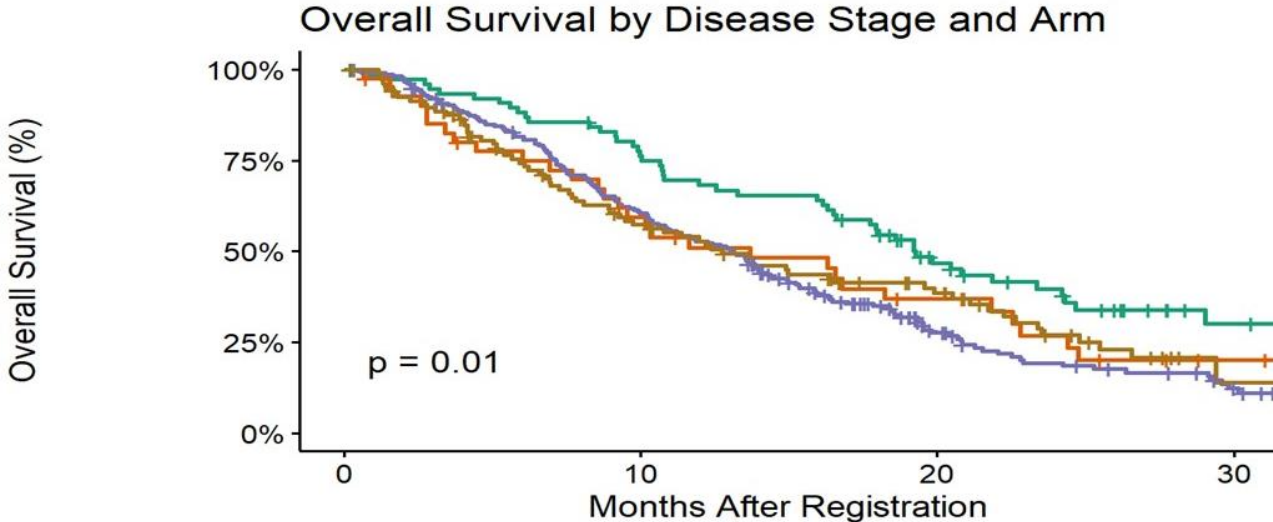
**Progression Free Survival (months)**

Disease Site	GCN (CI)	GC (CI)
Intrahepatic CCA	8.1 (6.4-9.3)	7.3 (5.9-9.7)
Extrahepatic CCA	7.1 (4.2-10.4)	7.8 (4.0-16.8)
★ Gallbladder Adenocarcinoma	9.6 (6.2- 14.6)	5.6 (3.9-8.8)

No significant differences between GCN and GC by disease site

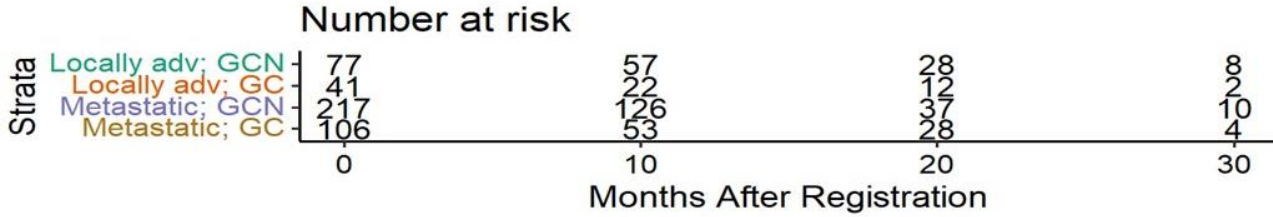
Trends towards better survival with GCN in gallbladder cancer, but numbers are small

# SWOG 1815: Survival by Disease stage



Median Overall Survival

Disease Stage	GCN (mths)	GC (mths)
Locally-Advanced	19.2	13.7
Metastatic	13.1	12.7



# SWOG 1815: Gr 3-4 Treatment Related Adverse Events

Treatment-Related Adverse Event	GCN Grade 3-4 N (%)	GC Grade 3-4 N (%)
Anemia	95 (33%)	30 (22%)
Neutropenia	105 (37%)	37 (28%)
Thrombocytopenia	56 (20%)	20 (15%)
Leukopenia	72 (25%)	14 (10%)
Diarrhea	13 (5%)	1 (0.7%)
Fatigue	26 (9%)	8 (6%)
Sepsis	12 (4%)	3 (2%)
Peripheral Sensory Neuropathy	10 (4%)	1 (0.7%)

\*Included if incidence  $\geq$ 5% of patients.

Additional all grade AE's seen in  $\geq$ 25% of patients:

Alopecia, ALT increase, Anorexia, Constipation, Edema, Hypomagnesemia, Nausea, Vomiting

Gr 5 events on GCN (N): Cardiac Arrest (1), Sepsis (3), SVC Syndrome (1), Thromboembolic Event (1), Upper GI Hemorrhage (1)

# SWOG 1815: Conclusions

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- The addition of nab-paclitaxel to gemcitabine and cisplatin did not improve OS in newly diagnosed advanced biliary tract cancer
- The GCN regimen had significantly more grade 3-5 hematologic toxicities, though treatment discontinuation rate did not significantly vary between treatment arms.
- Exploratory analysis suggest improved OS in patients with locally advanced disease or gall bladder cancer
- Consider biomarker analyses may identify subsets of patients who could benefit from GCN



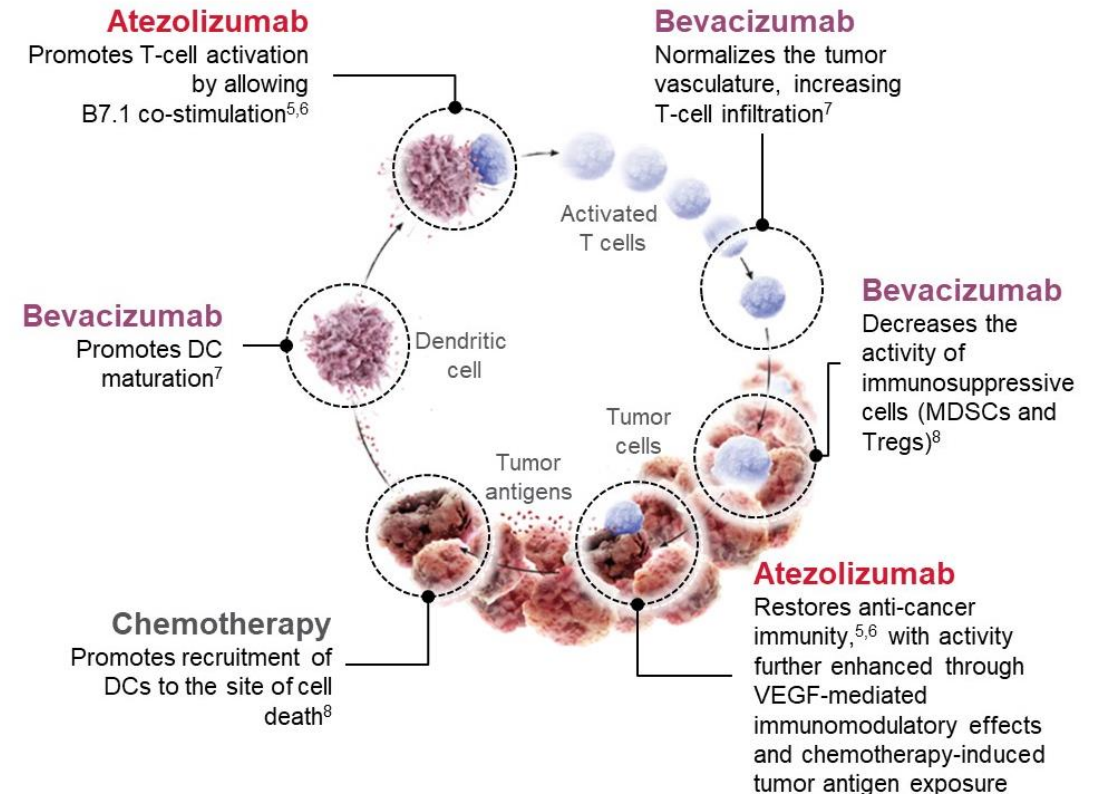
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# **Imbrave 151: A Phase 2 randomized, double-blind, placebo-Controlled study of Bevacizumab in combination with atezolizumab and Gem/Cisplatin in Patients with advanced biliary tract cancer**

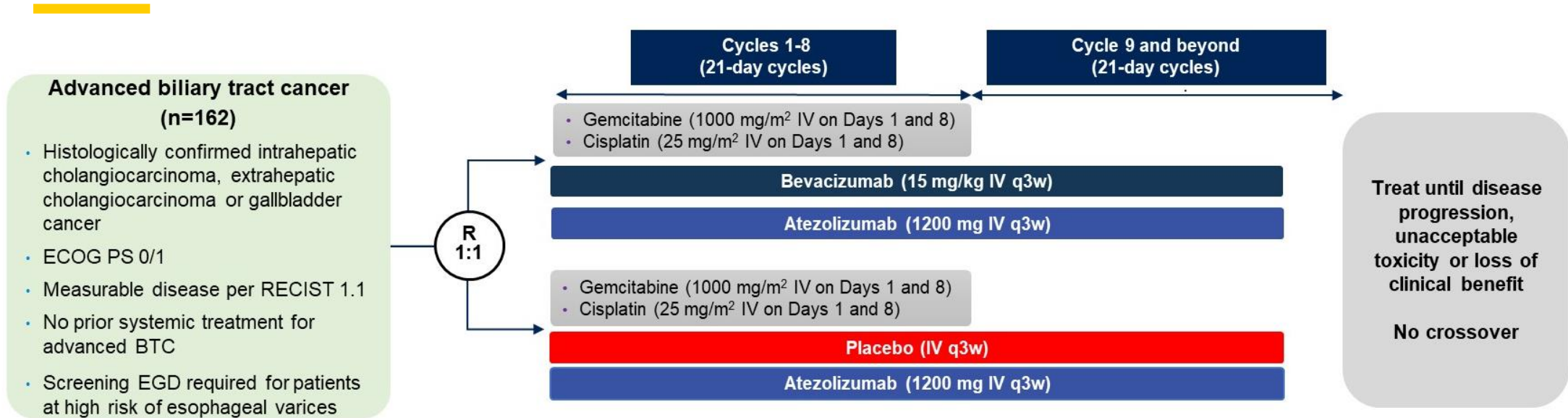
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# Imbrave 151: Background

- Gemcitabine + Cisplatin +/- Durvalumab is the standard first line treatment for advanced biliary tract cancer (TOPAZ-1)
- VEGF blockade coupled with cytotoxic chemotherapy can augment responses to PD-L1 inhibition (promote an immune permissive tumor microenvironment).



# Imbrave 151: Study Design



## Stratification factors

- Anatomical location of primary tumor (iCCA, eCCA or GBC)
- Metastatic disease (yes or no)
- Geographic region (Asia vs rest of world)

## Key endpoints

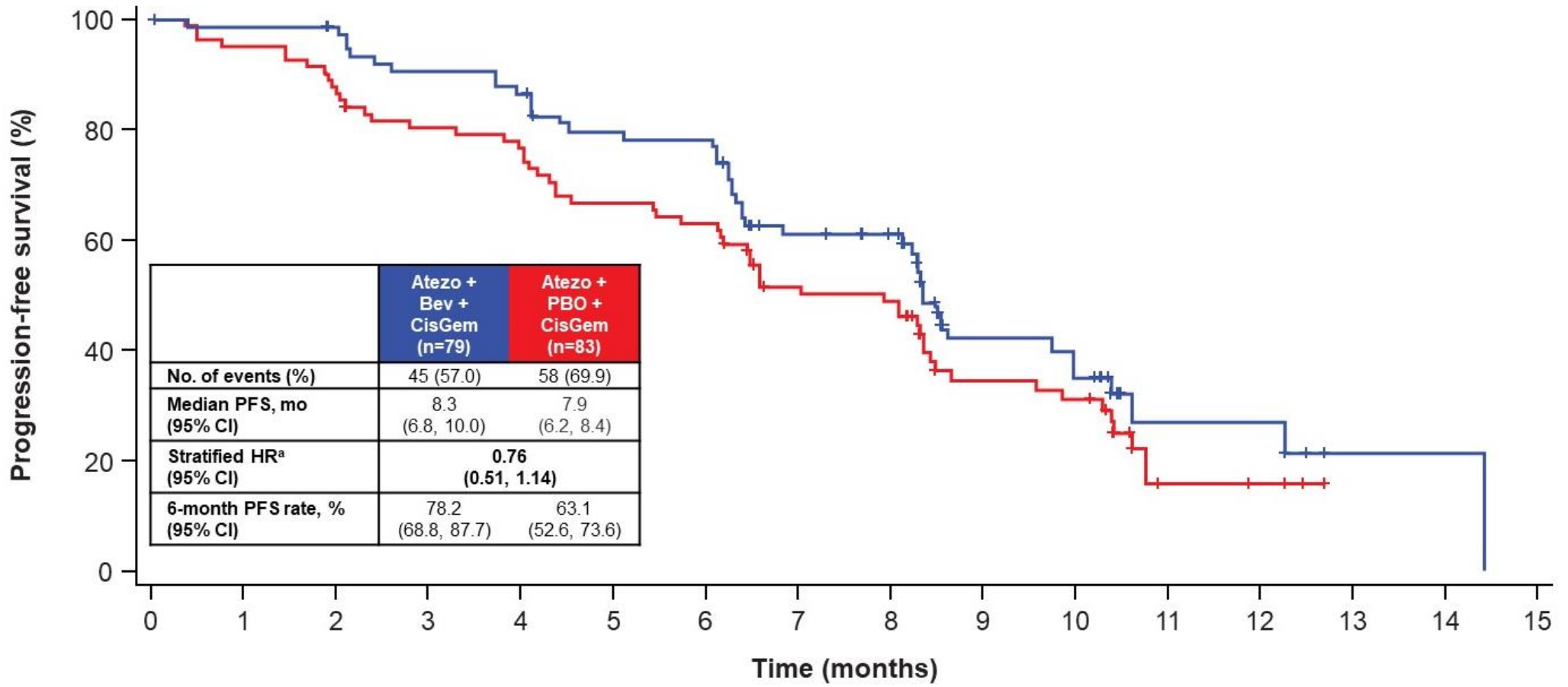
- **Primary endpoint:** PFS<sup>a</sup>
- **Key secondary endpoints:** ORR,<sup>a</sup> duration of response,<sup>a</sup> DCR,<sup>a</sup> OS, safety, PRO/QOL
- **Exploratory endpoints:** 6-month PFS and OS rates, biomarkers, PRO-CTCAE

# Imbrave 151: Baseline Characteristics

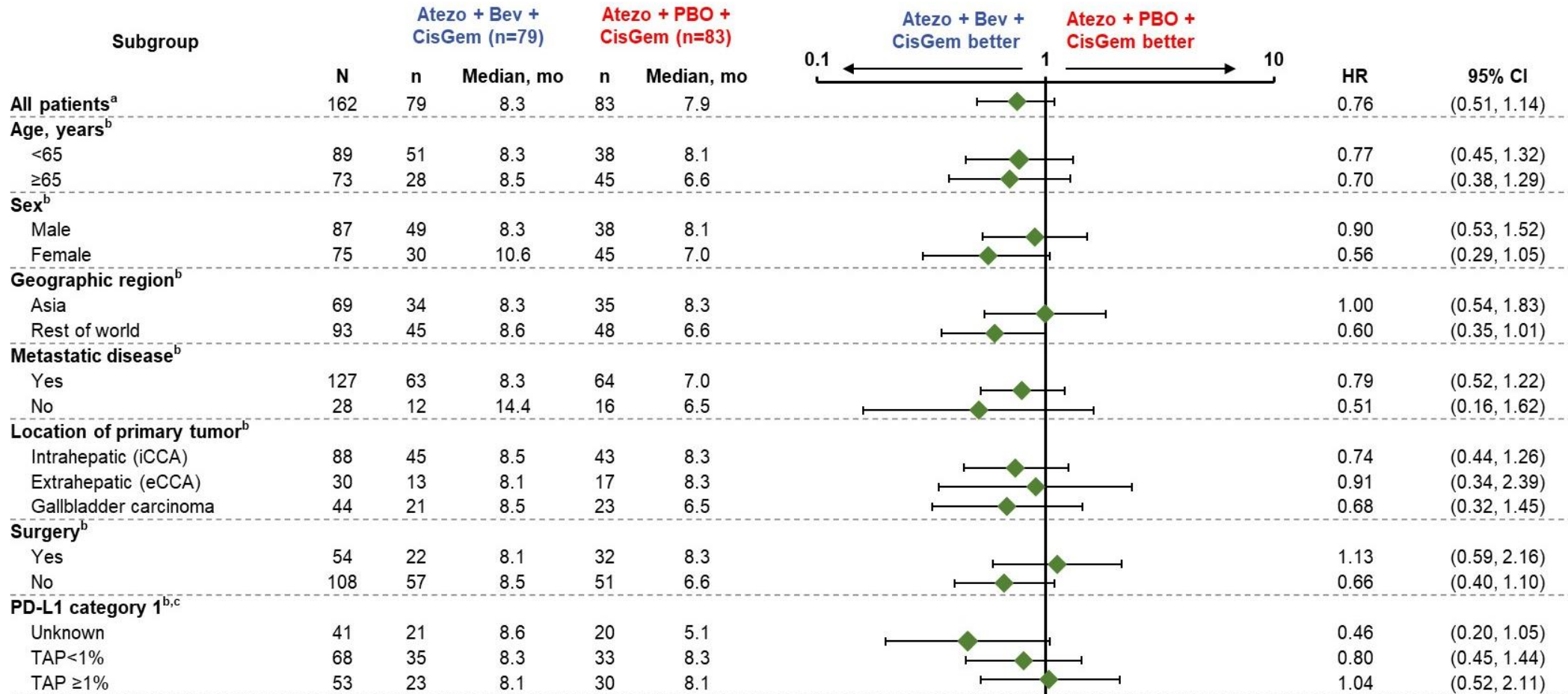
	Atezo + Bev + CisGem (n=79)	Atezo + PBO + CisGem (n=83)	All patients (n=162)
<b>Median age (range), years</b>	61.0 (36-79)	65.0 (37-79)	63.0 (36-79)
<b>Age &lt; 65 years, n (%)</b>	51 (64.6)	38 (45.8)	89 (54.9)
<b>Male, n (%)</b>	49 (62.0)	38 (45.8)	87 (53.7)
<b>Race, n (%)</b>			
White	41 (51.9)	46 (55.4)	87 (53.7)
Asian	37 (46.8)	35 (42.2)	72 (44.4)
<b>Region,<sup>a</sup> n (%)</b>			
Asia	34 (43.0)	35 (42.2)	69 (42.6)
Rest of world	45 (57.0)	48 (57.8)	93 (57.4)
<b>Baseline ECOG PS, n (%)</b>			
0	42 (53.2)	43 (51.8)	85 (52.5)
1	37 (46.8)	40 (48.2)	77 (47.5)
<b>PD-L1 (TAP)<sup>a</sup> status at baseline, n (%)</b>	n=58	n=63	n=121
< 1%	35 (60.3)	33 (52.4)	68 (56.2)
≥ 1%	23 (39.7)	30 (47.6)	53 (43.8)
<b>Metastatic disease,<sup>a</sup> n (%)</b>	n=75	n=80	n=155
Yes	63 (84.0)	64 (80.0)	127 (81.9)
No	12 (16.0)	16 (20.0)	28 (18.1)
<b>Anatomical location of primary tumor,<sup>b</sup> n (%)</b>			
iCCA	45 (57.0)	43 (51.8)	88 (54.3)
eCCA	13 (16.5)	17 (20.5)	30 (18.5)
GBC	21 (26.6)	23 (27.7)	44 (27.2)
<b>Median CA19.9 at baseline (range), kU/L</b>	46.3 (0-199970.0)	66.9 (0-335091.0)	57.2 (0-335091.0)
<b>Prior BTC surgery, n (%)</b>	22 (27.8)	32 (38.6)	54 (33.3)

Atezo, atezolizumab; Bev, bevacizumab; BMI, body mass index; CisGem, gemcitabine plus cisplatin; ECOG PS, Eastern Cooperative Oncology Group performance status; PBO, placebo; PD-L1, programmed cell death ligand 1; TAP, tumor area positive score. <sup>a</sup>Per VENTANA SP-263 PD-L1 assay. <sup>b</sup>Per electronic case report form.

# Imbrave 151: PFS

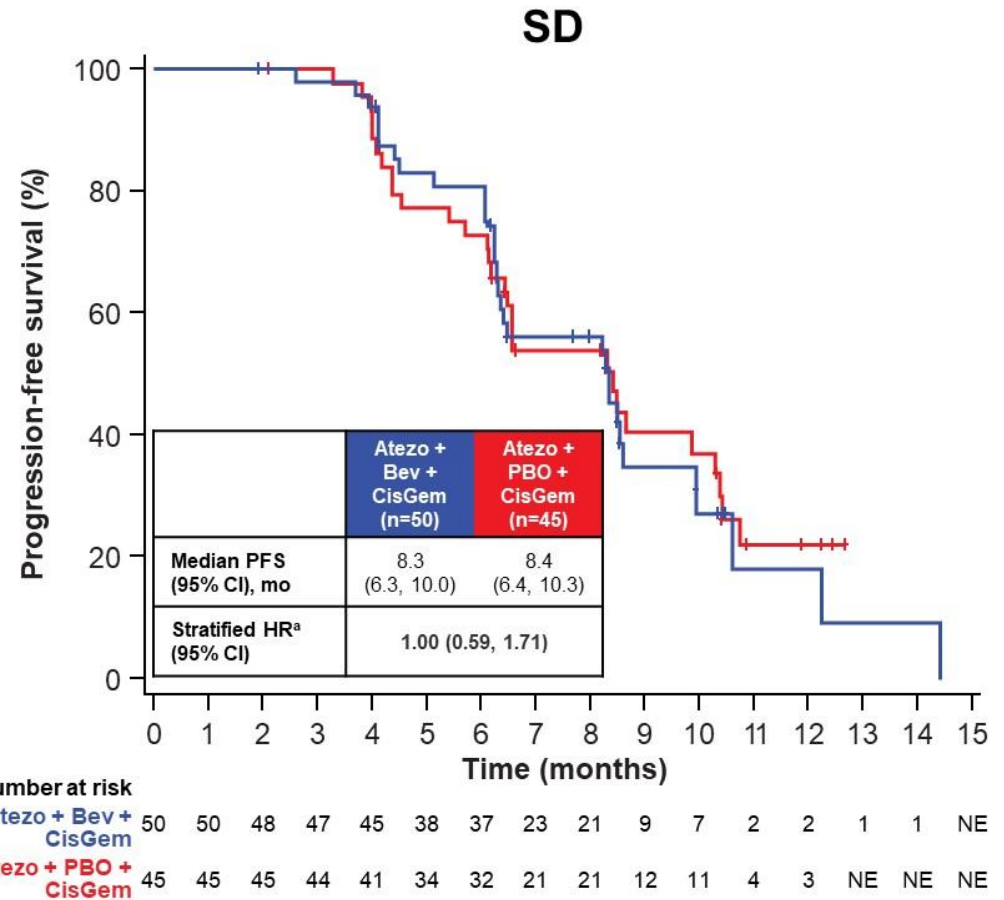
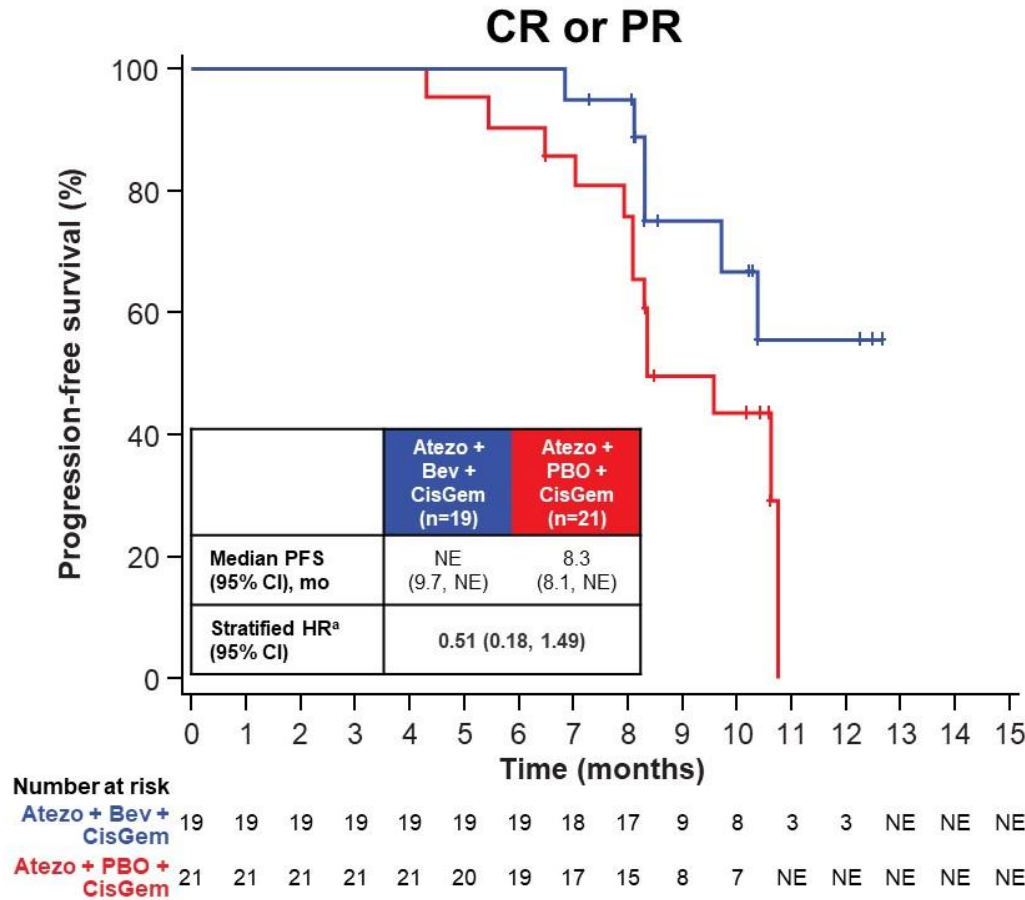


# Imbrave 151: PFS subgroup analysis



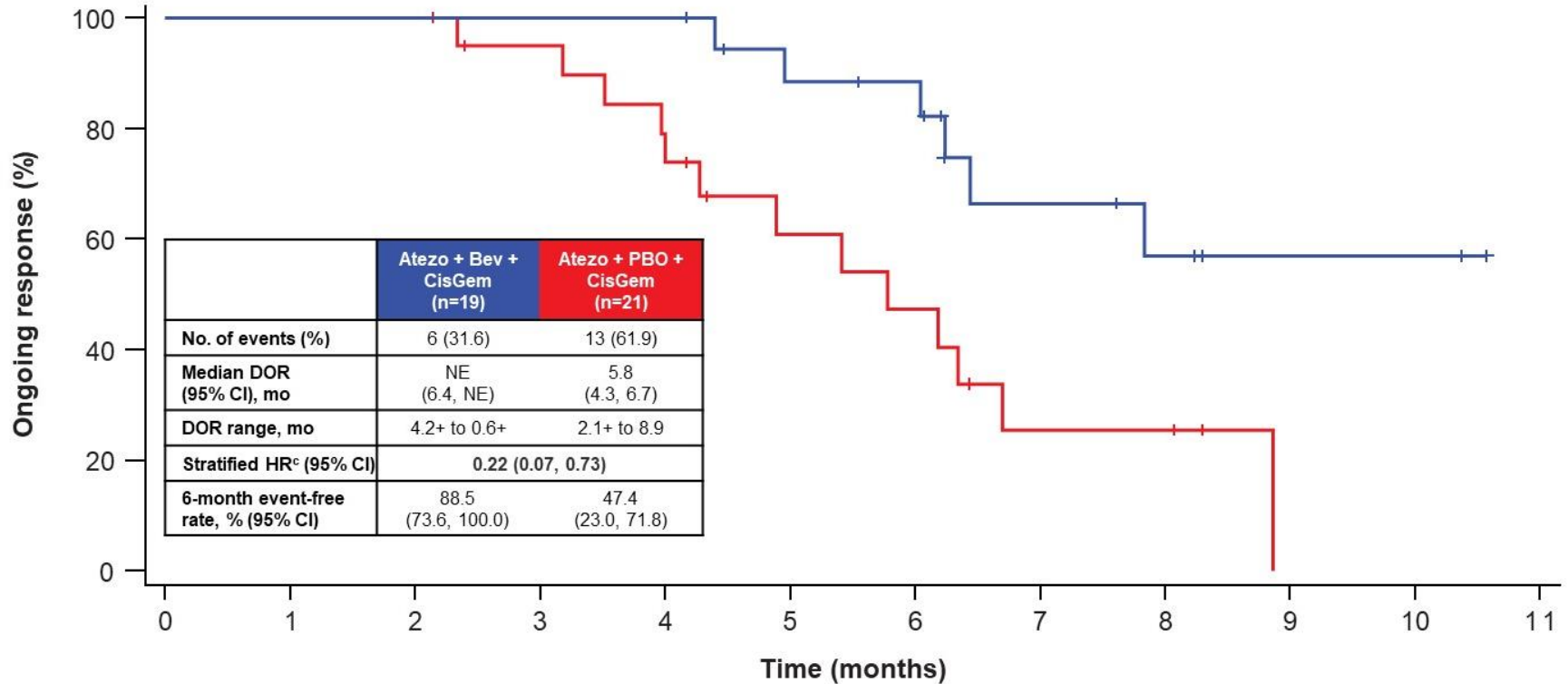
Median follow-up duration: 10.8 months. CCOD: May 16, 2022. Atezo, atezolizumab; Bev, bevacizumab; CCOD, clinical cutoff date; CI, confidence interval; CisGem, gemcitabine plus cisplatin; eCCA, extrahepatic cholangiocarcinoma; GBC, gall bladder carcinoma; HR, hazard ratio; iCCA, intrahepatic cholangiocarcinoma; PBO, placebo; PD-L1, programmed cell death ligand 1; PFS, progression-free survival; TAP, tumor area positive score.  
<sup>a</sup>Stratified analysis. <sup>b</sup>Unstratified Cox regression analysis. <sup>c</sup>Per VENTANA SP-263 PD-L1 assay.

# Exploratory post hoc analysis: PFS in patients with CR or PR, or with SD



Median follow-up duration: 10.8 months. CCOD: May 16, 2022. Atezo, atezolizumab; Bev, bevacizumab; CCOD, clinical cutoff date; CI, confidence interval; CisGem, gemcitabine plus cisplatin; CR, complete response; eCCA, extrahepatic cholangiocarcinoma; GBC, gall bladder carcinoma; HR, hazard ratio; iCCA, intrahepatic cholangiocarcinoma; NE, not estimable; PBO, placebo; PFS, progression-free survival; PR, partial response; SD, stable disease. <sup>a</sup>Stratified analysis. Stratification factors are location of primary tumor (iCCA vs eCCA vs GBC) and geographic region (Asia vs rest of world).

# Imbrave 151: DOR

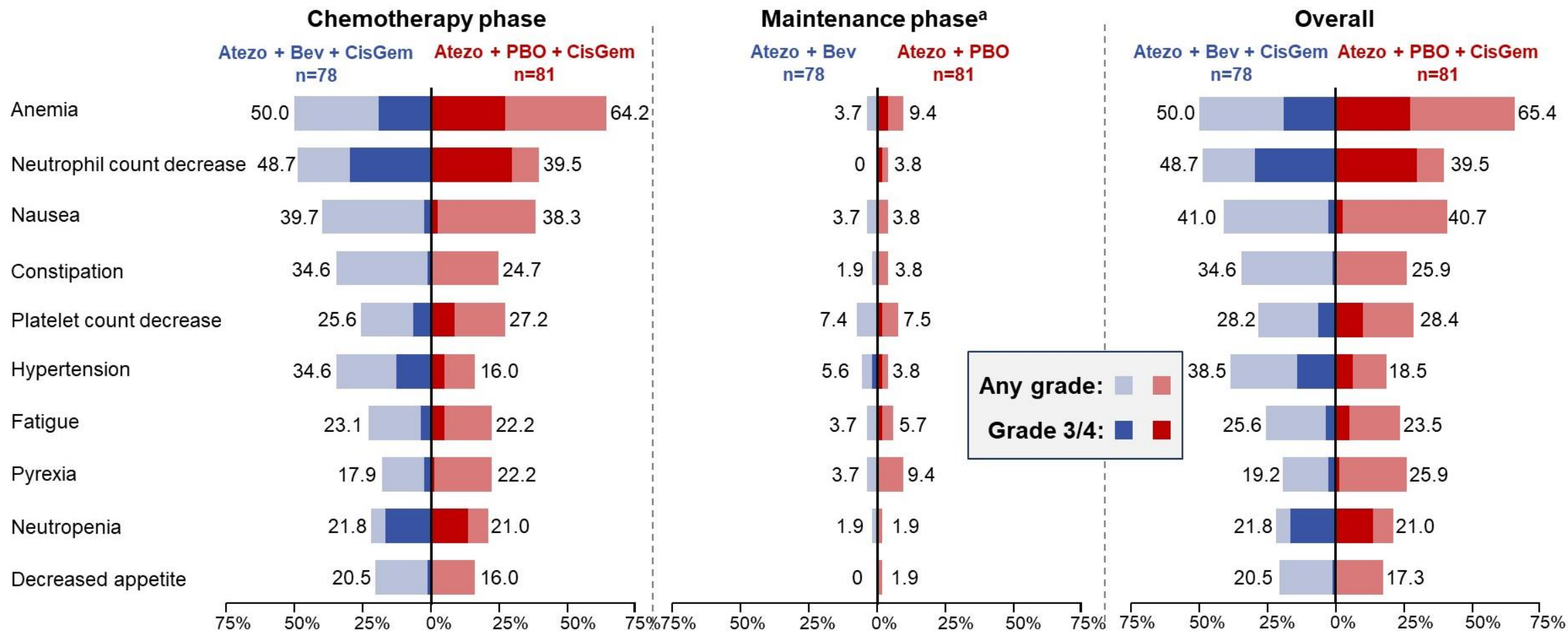


	Number at risk											
	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
Atezo + Bev + CisGem	19	19	19	19	19	15	14	8	6	3	3	NE
Atezo + PBO + CisGem	21	21	21	18	15	9	7	3	3	NE	NE	NE

w-up duration: 10.8 months. CCOD: May 16, 2022. Atezo, atezolizumab; Bev, bevacizumab; CCOD, clinical cutoff date; CI, confidence interval; CisGem, gemcitabine plus cisplatin; DOR, duration of response; eCCA, cholangiocarcinoma; GBC, gall bladder carcinoma; HR, hazard ratio; iCCA, intrahepatic cholangiocarcinoma; NE, not estimable; PBO, placebo. <sup>a</sup>Stratified analysis. Stratification factors are location of primary tumor (CA vs GBC) and geographic region (Asia vs rest of world).



# AEs with ≥20% incidence by treatment phase



Median follow-up duration: 10.8 months. CCOD: May 16, 2022. AE, adverse event; Atezo, atezolizumab; Bev, bevacizumab; CCOD, clinical cutoff date; CisGem, gemcitabine plus cisplatin; PBO, placebo. <sup>a</sup>Maintenance phase started at Cycle 9 after the completion of 8 cycles of combination chemotherapy treatment administered on a 21-day cycle.

# Imbrave 151: Conclusions

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- The addition of bevacizumab to atezolizumab + GemCis resulted in modestly improved PFS (HR = 0.76)
  - The median PFS was similar in both arms (8.3 vs 7.9m)
  - 6-mth PFS rate was higher in the bevacizumab arm (78.2% vs 63.1%)
- Longer median duration of response at 6 months for the bevacizumab arm
- Potential subset of patient that derives benefit from this regimen
- OS results are pending