

# Optimizing Treatment for Patients with Relapsed/Refractory Chronic Lymphocytic Leukemia

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# Targeted Therapy Sequencing for CLL

cBTKi

BCL2i  
+CD20

cBTKi + BCL2i not included here

## Factors affecting timelines:

- Age
- Del(17p) / *TP53*-m
- IGHV-MS / Del(11q)
- Complex karyotype

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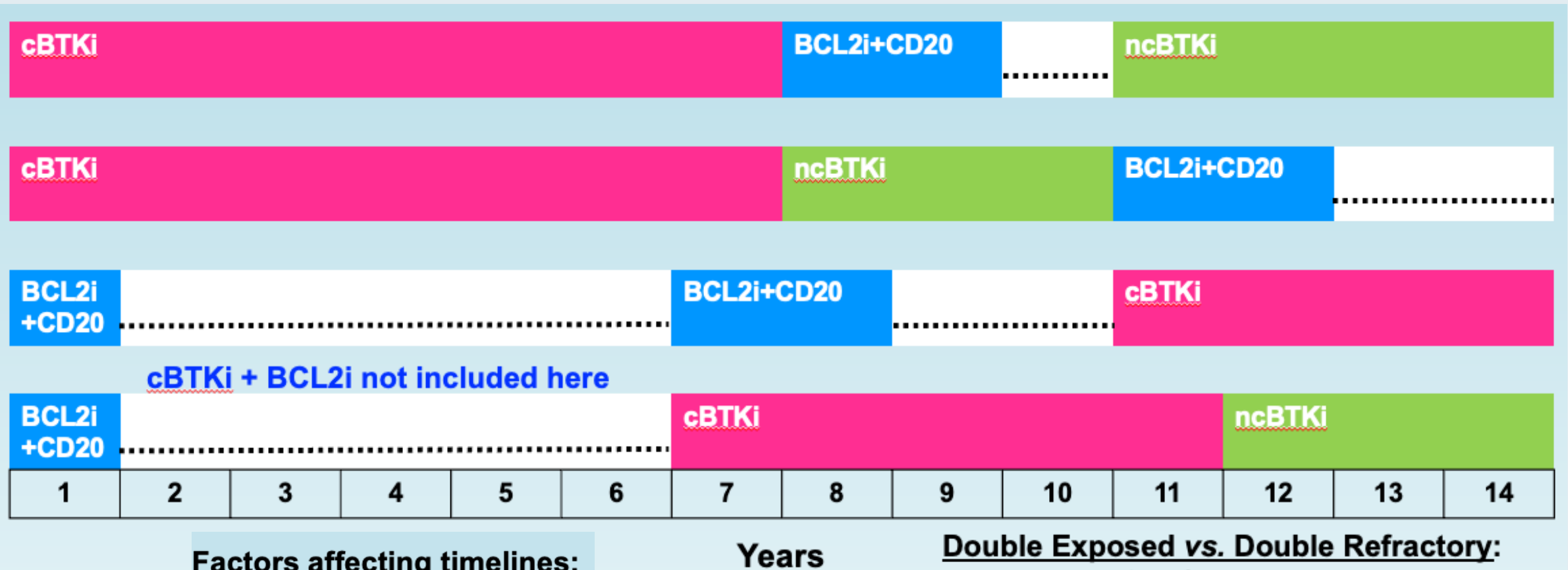
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## Double Exposed vs. Double Refractory:

- Exposed ≠ Refractory
- Refractory=progression on treatment

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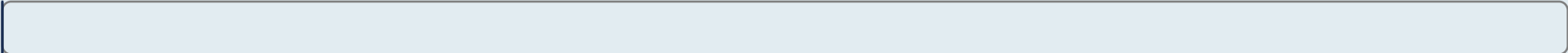


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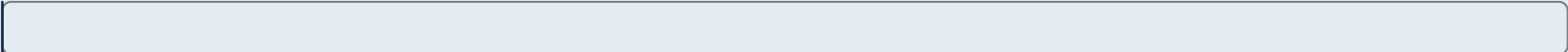
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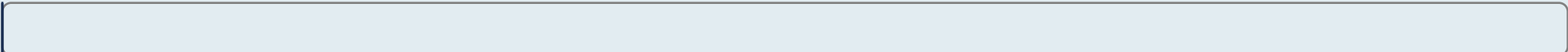
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 <b>Dr Coombs</b>	<b>12 months</b>
 <b>Dr Davids</b>	<b>12 months</b>
 <b>Dr Fakhri</b>	<b>24 months</b>
 <b>Dr Lamanna</b>	<b>&gt;24 months</b>
 <b>Dr Sharman</b>	<b>24-36 months</b>
 <b>Dr Woyach</b>	<b>36 months</b>

75-year-old patient with relapsed CLL, no del(17p) or TP53 mutation:  
Covalent BTKi 6 years → PD → venetoclax/anti-CD20 antibody 2 years →  
3 years observation → PD. What would be your preferred next treatment?

- a. Alternative covalent BTK inhibitor
- b. Venetoclax/anti-CD20 antibody
- c. Pirtobrutinib
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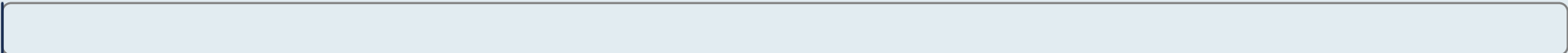
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b. Venetoclax/anti-CD20 antibody



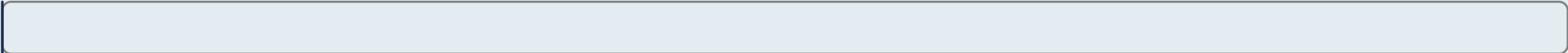
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c. Pirtobrutinib



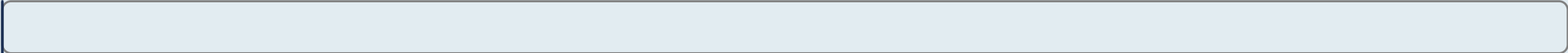
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**Dr Coombs**

**Venetoclax/anti-CD20 antibody**



**Dr Davids**

**Venetoclax/anti-CD20 antibody**



**Dr Fakhri**

**Pirtobrutinib**



**Dr Lamanna**

**Venetoclax/anti-CD20 antibody**



**Dr Sharman**

**Pirtobrutinib bridge to CAR-T**



**Dr Woyach**

**Venetoclax/anti-CD20 antibody**

75-year-old patient with relapsed CLL, no del(17p) or TP53 mutation:  
Covalent BTKi 6 years → PD → venetoclax/anti-CD20 antibody 2 years →  
1 year observation → PD



**Dr Coombs**

**Pirtobrutinib**



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**Pirtobrutinib**



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**Pirtobrutinib**

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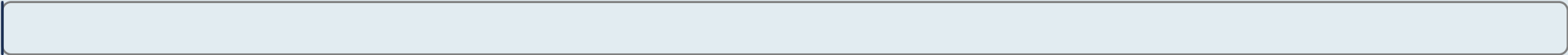
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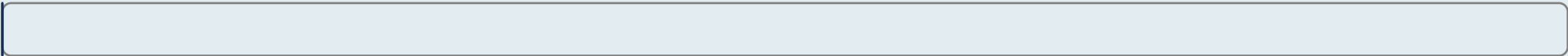
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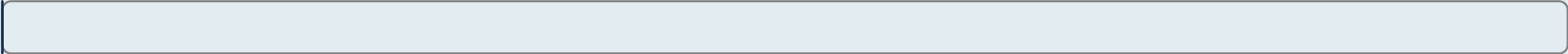
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**Pirtobrutinib**



**Dr Davids**

**Venetoclax/anti-CD20 antibody**



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**Pirtobrutinib or rechallenge with venetoclax**



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**Venetoclax/anti-CD20 antibody**



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**Dr Coombs**

**Pirtobrutinib**



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**CAR T-cell therapy or epcoritamab on clinical trial**



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**Alternative covalent BTKi**



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# Key Differences Between Available Covalent and Reversible Bruton Tyrosine Kinase (BTK) Inhibitors

	Ibrutinib	Acalabrutinib	Zanubrutinib	Pirtobrutinib
BTK binding	Covalent C481	Covalent C481	Covalent C481	Reversible ATP pocket Distant from C481
Half-life	6 hours	1 hour	4 hours	20 hours >90% BTK inhibition
BTK Y223 autophosphorylation	Inhibited	Inhibited	Inhibited	Inhibited
BTK Y551 phosphorylation	No effect	No effect	No effect	Inhibited (maintenance of closed conformation)
BTK C481S mutation	Common	Reported	Reported	Not described Effective against C481S
Kinase-dead mutations	Uncommon and restricted to C481* (active against HCK)	Not reported to date	Reported: L528W > C481Y	Reported: L528W > V416L, A428D, C481R, M477I, and M437R
T474I/T474L gatekeeper mutation	Uncommon*; active against T474I and T474L	Reported	Not reported to date	Reported
Off-target hits†	BLK BMX BRK EGFR HER2 HER4 ITK JAK3 RLK TEC	HER4	BLK BMX BRK EGFR HER4 RLK	HER4 BRK

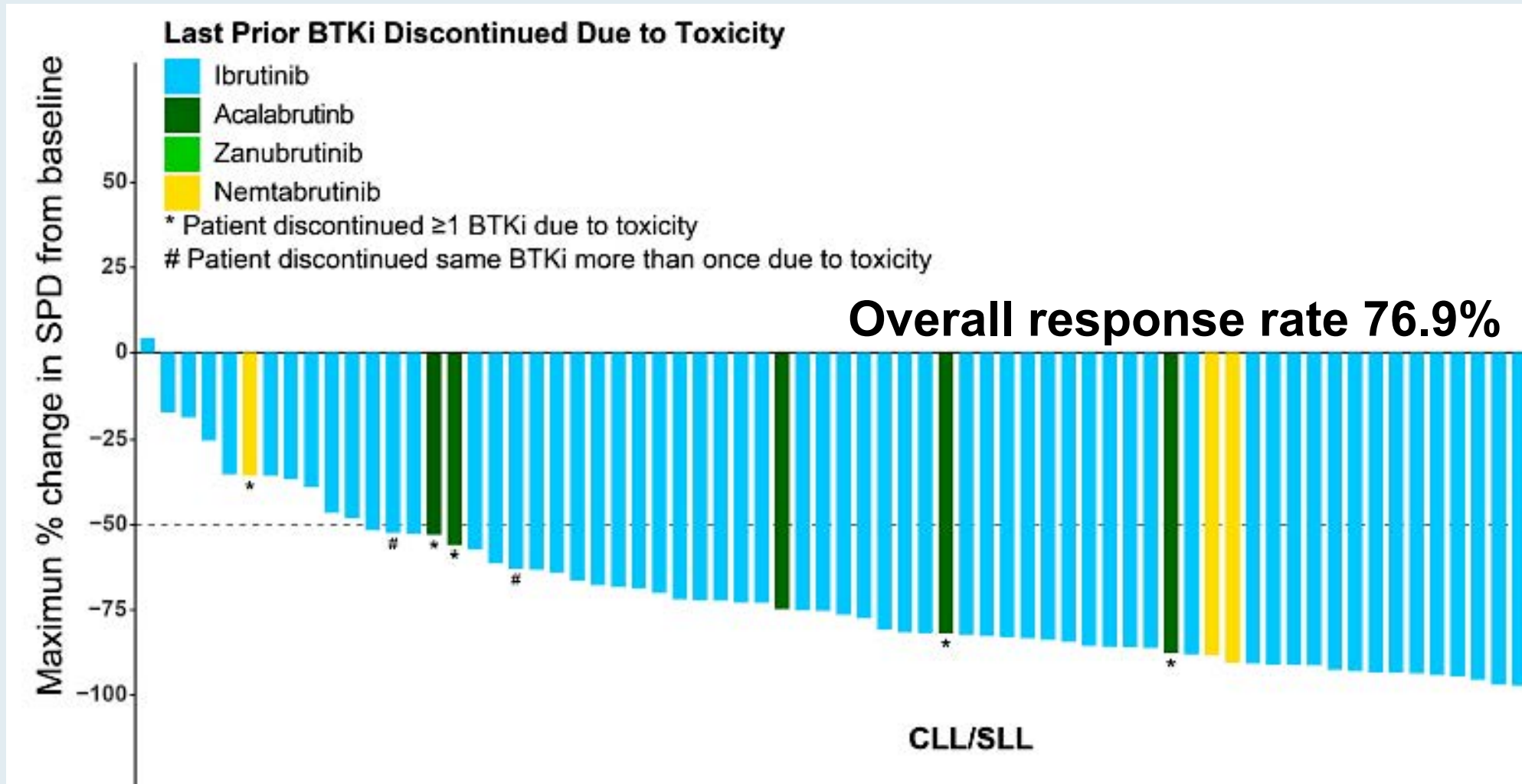


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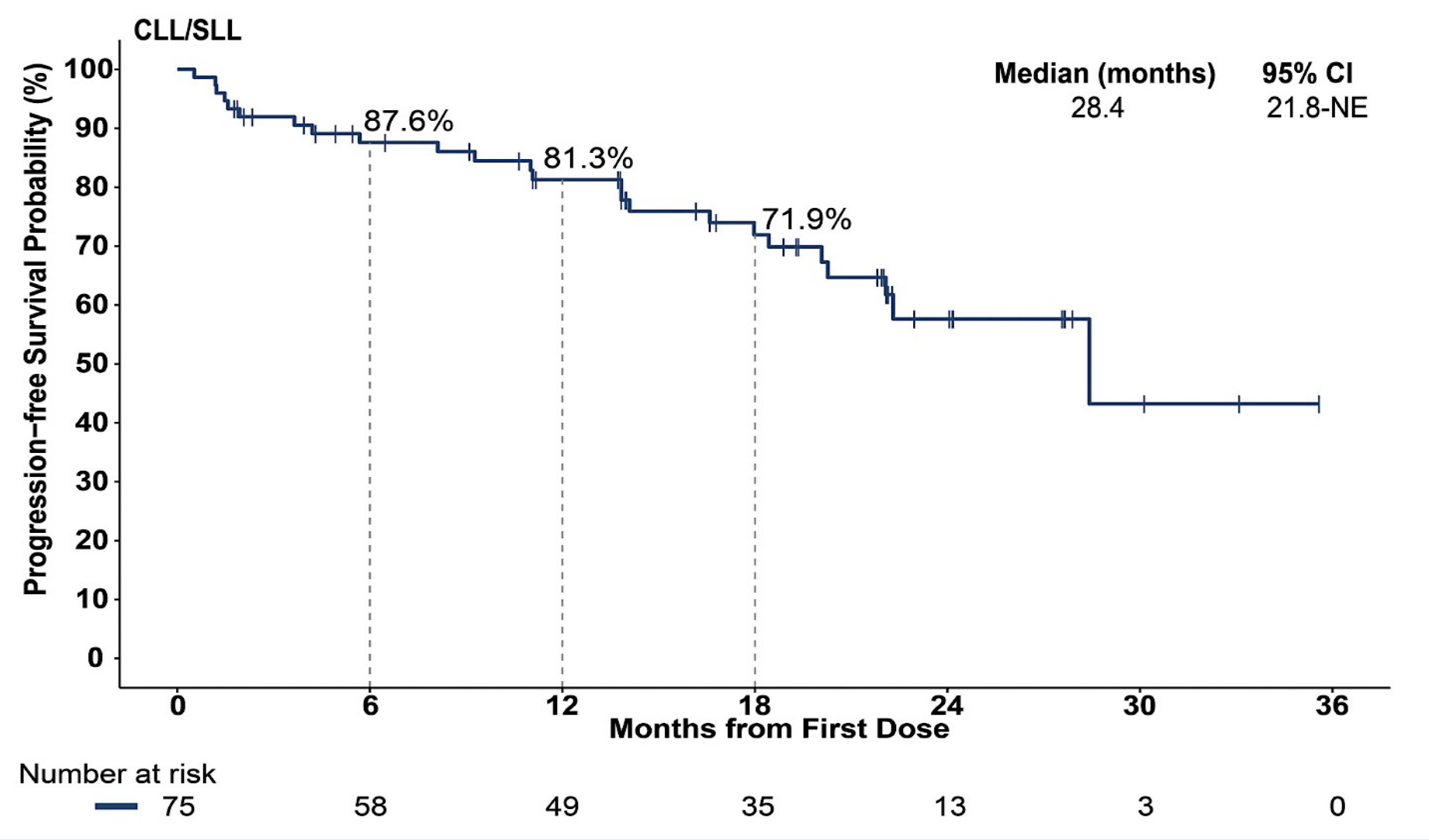
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# BRUIN: Pirtobrutinib Efficacy in Patients with CLL or SLL Who Received Prior BTK Inhibitor (BTKi) Treatment



SPD = sum of product diameters

# BRUIN: Median Progression-Free Survival for Patients with CLL/SLL



# BRUIN: Pirtobrutinib Safety Profile in the Overall Population

AE	BTKi-intolerant (n=127)			
	All cause AEs, %		Treatment-related AEs, %	
	Any Grade	Grade ≥3	Any Grade	Grade ≥3
Fatigue	39.4	3.9	9.4	1.6
Neutropenia <sup>a</sup>	37.0	31.5	21.3	17.3
Diarrhea	29.9	1.6	12.6	0.8
Contusion	29.1	0.0	22.0	0.0
Cough	26.8	0.0	4.7	0.0
Headache	25.2	0.8	7.1	0.8
COVID-19	22.8	4.7	0.0	0.0
Abdominal pain	22.0	2.4	4.7	0.8
Dyspnea	22.0	2.4	5.5	0.0
Nausea	20.5	0.0	4.7	0.0
<b>AEs of Interest<sup>b</sup></b>	<b>Any Grade</b>	<b>Grade ≥3</b>	<b>Any Grade</b>	<b>Grade ≥3</b>
Infections <sup>c</sup>	68.5	24.4	14.2	5.5
Infections (excluding COVID-19)	59.8	17.3	14.2	5.5
Bruising <sup>d</sup>	36.2	0.0	26.8	0.0
Rash <sup>e</sup>	22.8	0.8	8.7	0.8
Arthralgia	21.3	0.8	4.7	0.0
Hemorrhage/hematoma <sup>f</sup>	14.2	3.1	4.7	0.8
Hypertension	7.9	0.8	3.1	0.0
Atrial fibrillation/flutter <sup>g</sup>	4.7	1.6	0.8	0.0

# FDA Grants Traditional Approval to Pirtobrutinib for Chronic Lymphocytic Leukemia and Small Lymphocytic Lymphoma

## Press Release: December 3, 2025

“... the Food and Drug Administration granted traditional approval to pirtobrutinib for adults with relapsed or refractory chronic lymphocytic leukemia or small lymphocytic lymphoma (CLL/SLL) who have previously been treated with a covalent BTK inhibitor.

Efficacy was evaluated in BRUIN-CLL-321 (NCT 04666038), a randomized, open-label, active-controlled trial. The trial randomized 238 patients who were previously treated for CLL/SLL, including a covalent BTK inhibitor. Patients previously treated with a non-covalent BTK inhibitor were not permitted. Patients were randomized (1:1) to receive either pirtobrutinib or investigator’s choice of idelalisib plus a rituximab product (IR) or bendamustine plus a rituximab product (BR).

Median PFS was 11.2 months (95% CI: 9.5, 11.4) in the pirtobrutinib arm and 8.7 months (95% CI: 7.2, 10.2) in the investigator’s choice of IR/BR arm (Hazard ratio 0.58 [95% CI: 0.38, 0.89]; p-value 0.0105). Of the 119 patients in the investigator’s choice arm, 50 crossed over to receive pirtobrutinib therapy. At an updated analysis with a median follow-up time of 19.8 months, the HR for overall survival (OS) was 1.09 (95% CI: 0.68, 1.75).”

# Phase III Trial of Pirtobrutinib Versus Idelalisib/Rituximab or Bendamustine/Rituximab in Covalent Bruton Tyrosine Kinase Inhibitor–Pretreated Chronic Lymphocytic Leukemia/Small Lymphocytic Lymphoma (BRUIN CLL-321)

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**Which of the following best describes the major progression-free survival (PFS) findings from the Phase III BRUIN CLL-321 study of pirtobrutinib monotherapy versus idelalisib/rituximab or bendamustine/rituximab for relapsed/refractory CLL?**

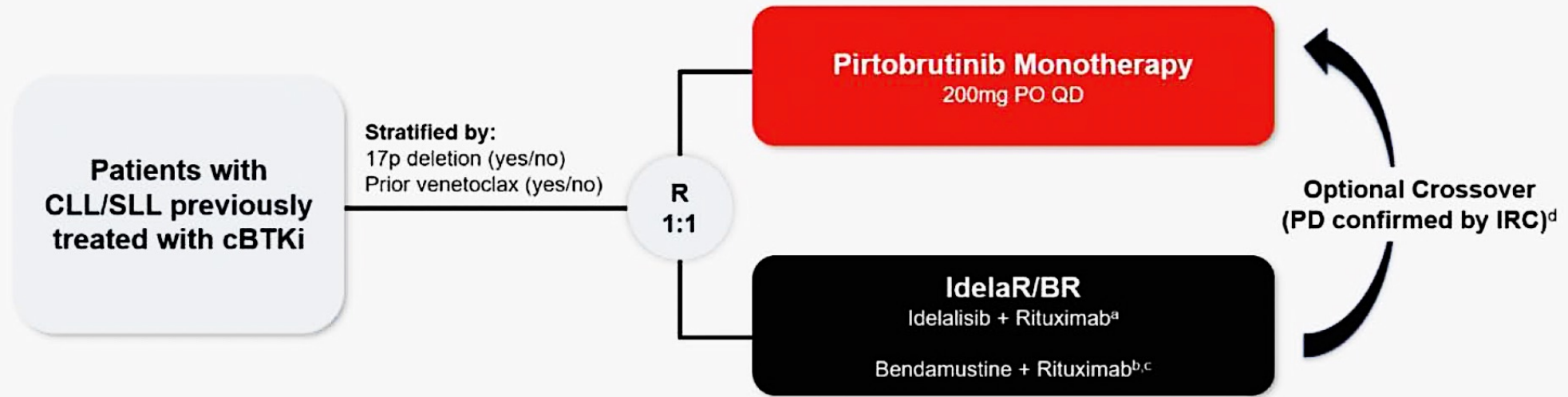
- a. Inferior PFS outcomes with pirtobrutinib monotherapy**
- b. A numerical but nonsignificant improvement in PFS with pirtobrutinib monotherapy**
- c. A statistically significant improvement in PFS with pirtobrutinib monotherapy**
- d. I'm not sure**



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# BRUIN CLL-321: A Phase III Trial of Pirtobrutinib Monotherapy for Relapsed/Refractory CLL

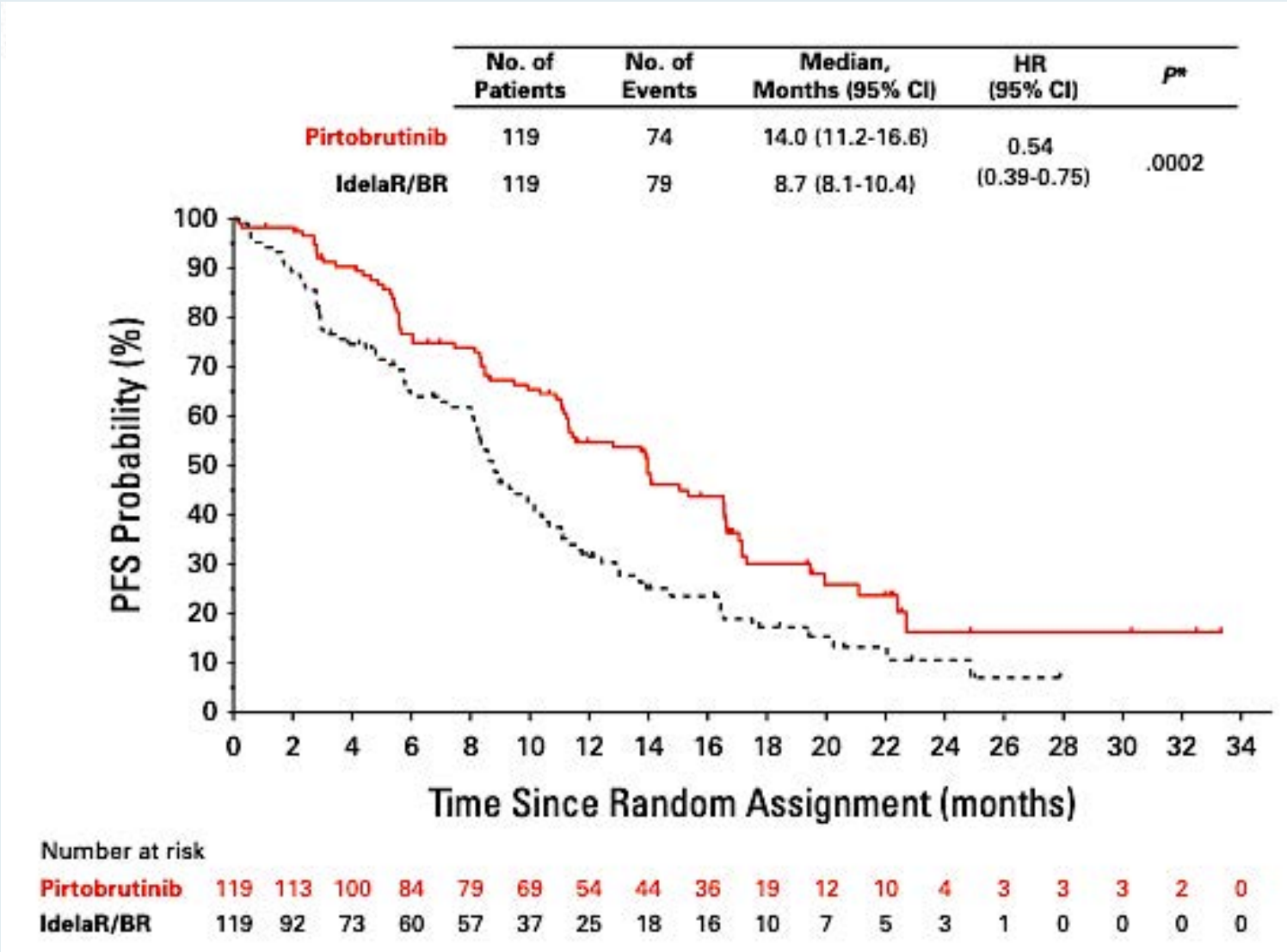


- Key Eligibility**
- Age ≥18
  - ECOG PS 0-2
  - Confirmed CLL/SLL requiring treatment per iwCLL 2018
  - **Prior cBTKi required**
  - **No limit on prior lines of therapy**
  - **Prior history of atrial fibrillation allowed**

- Key Endpoints**
- **Primary Endpoint: PFS assessed by IRC**
  - PFS assessed by investigator
  - Event-Free Survival
  - Time to Next Treatment
  - Overall survival
  - Safety

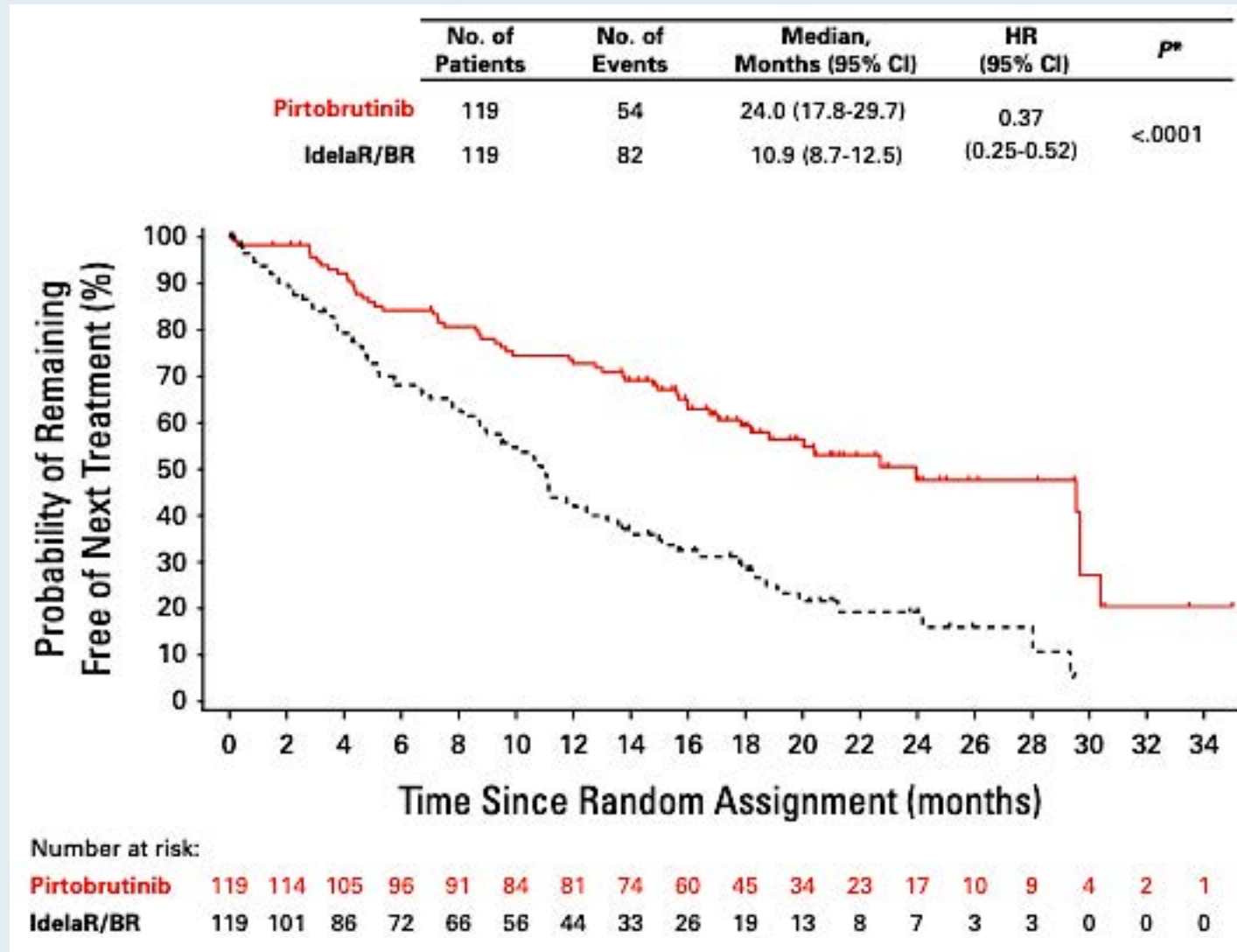
Treatment was given in 28-day cycles. PFS assessed based on iwCLL2018. <sup>a</sup>Idelalisib dosed at 150mg PO BID. Day 1 of cycle 1, first dose of rituximab at 375 mg/m<sup>2</sup>, next 4 infusions at 500 mg/m<sup>2</sup> every 2 weeks, next 3 infusions at 500 mg/m<sup>2</sup> every 4 weeks. <sup>b</sup>Bendamustine (70 mg/m<sup>2</sup>) administered IV D1, D2 of cycles 1-6. <sup>c</sup>Day 1 of cycle 1, first dose of rituximab at 375 mg/m<sup>2</sup>, next 5 infusions day 1 of cycle 2 through cycle 6 at 500 mg/m<sup>2</sup>. <sup>d</sup>Eligible patients receiving investigator's choice of IdelaR/BR could crossover to receive pirtobrutinib monotherapy upon confirmation of PD by IRC per protocol. Abbreviations: BID, twice daily; BR, bendamustine + rituximab; cBTKi, covalent Bruton tyrosine kinase inhibitor; CLL, chronic lymphocytic leukemia; ECOG PS, Eastern Cooperative Oncology Group Performance Status; IdelaR, idelalisib + rituximab; IRC, Independent Review Committee; iwCLL, international workshop on chronic lymphocytic leukemia; mg, milligram; PD, progressive disease; PFS, progression-free survival; PO, by mouth; QD, once daily; R, randomized; SLL, small lymphocytic lymphoma.

# BRUIN CLL-321: IRC-Assessed Progression-Free Survival (PFS)

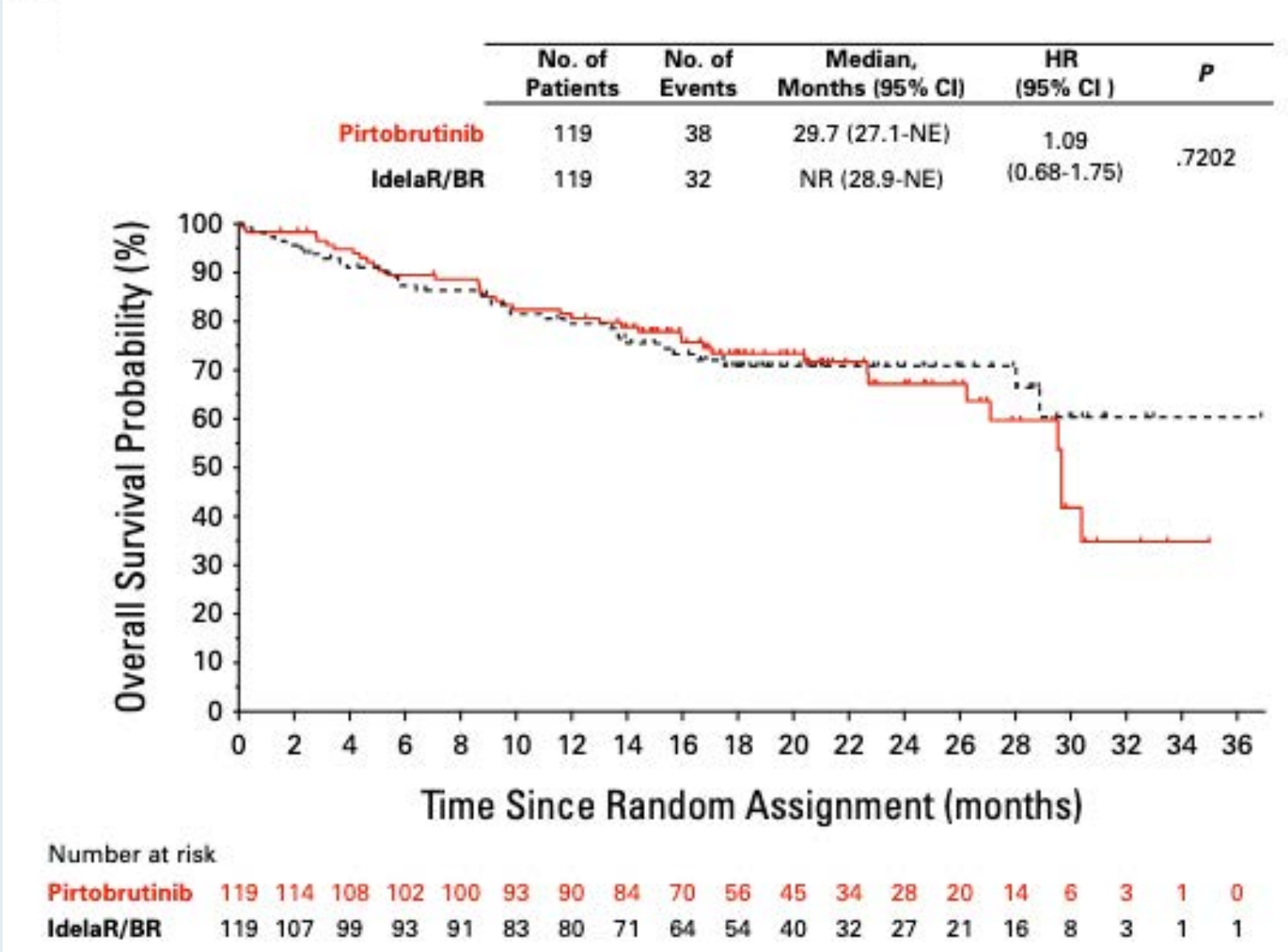


IRC = independent review committee

# BRUIN CLL-321: Time to Next Treatment



# BRUIN CLL-321: Overall Survival



**Which of the following  $\geq$ Grade 3 adverse events was most commonly reported in patients receiving pirtobrutinib for previously treated CLL in the Phase III BRUIN CLL-321 trial?**

**a. Atrial fibrillation**

**b. Infections**

**c. Keratitis**

**d. Hemorrhage**

**e. I'm not sure**



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# BRUIN CLL-321: Safety Profile

TEAE	Pirtobrutinib (n = 116), IR <sup>a</sup>	IdelaR or BR (n = 109), IR <sup>a</sup>	IRR (95% CI) <sup>b</sup>	P <sup>c</sup>
Infections <sup>d</sup>	94.5	125.5	0.75 (0.53 to 1.07)	.11
Pneumonia <sup>e</sup>	20.4	19.5	1.04 (0.54 to 2.03)	.90
COVID-19	11.1	33.4	0.33 (0.17 to 0.65)	.001
Anemia	18.5	30.3	0.61 (0.33 to 1.12)	.11
Neutropenia <sup>f</sup>	26.4	66.5	0.40 (0.25 to 0.64)	<.001
Cough	14.3	30.8	0.47 (0.25 to 0.88)	.02
Diarrhea	15.3	63.7	0.24 (0.14 to 0.42)	<.001
Pyrexia	11.1	52.4	0.21 (0.11 to 0.40)	<.001
Fatigue	9.5	34.2	0.28 (0.14 to 0.55)	<.001
Nausea	9.8	38.3	0.26 (0.13 to 0.51)	<.001
Vomiting	5.8	29.6	0.19 (0.08 to 0.44)	<.001
ALT increased	2.8	33.6	0.08 (0.03 to 0.25)	<.001
Weight decreased	2.8	28.5	0.10 (0.03 to 0.29)	<.001

TEAE = treatment-emergent adverse event; IR = incidence rate; IRR = IR ratio

# Incidence and Management Recommendations for Select BTK Inhibitor-Associated Cardiologic Adverse Events and Bleeding

Adverse event	BTK inhibitor	Incidence Any grade, Grade ≥3 %	Management
Atrial fibrillation	Ibrutinib	16, 2-5	<b>Avoid stroke; anticoagulation</b> <b>Better symptom control: rate vs rhythm</b> <b>Cardiovascular and other comorbidity management</b>
	Acalabrutinib	6-9, 1-5	
	Zanubrutinib	3-6, ≤1	
	Pirtobrutinib	2.8, 1.2	
Hypertension	Ibrutinib	16-23, 8-12	<b>Correct predisposing factors</b> <b>Antihypertensive therapy</b>
	Acalabrutinib	7-9, 3-4	
	Zanubrutinib	14-17, 6-15	
	Pirtobrutinib	9.2, 2.3	
Bleeding	Ibrutinib	36-51, 3-4	<b>Minor bleeding: no intervention</b> <b>Major bleeding:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Consider treatment discontinuation</li> <li>• Platelet transfusions regardless of platelet counts</li> </ul>
	Acalabrutinib	36-51, 3	
	Zanubrutinib	36-45, 3	
	Pirtobrutinib	—	

# Incidence and Management Recommendations for Select BTK Inhibitor-Associated Noncardiovascular Adverse Events

Adverse event	BTK inhibitor	Incidence Any grade, Grade $\geq 3$ %	Management
Neutropenia	Ibrutinib	25-39, 13-31	Growth factor support
	Acalabrutinib	21-23, 13-19	
	Zanubrutinib	37-34, 15-19	
	Pirtobrutinib	25, 20.3	
Diarrhea	Ibrutinib	22-59, <1-4	Symptomatic treatments and dose adjustments Dietary modifications, hydration, anti-diarrheal medications Probiotics
	Acalabrutinib	18-39, 1-5	
	Zanubrutinib	14-18, <1-2	
	Pirtobrutinib	24.2, 0-9	
Headache	Ibrutinib	14-18, 1-2	Moderate dose of caffeine or acetaminophen
	Acalabrutinib	22-39, <1	
	Zanubrutinib	11-12, 0-1	
	Pirtobrutinib	13.1, 0.5	

# BRUIN CLL-322: An Ongoing Phase III Trial of Pirtobrutinib and Venetoclax/Rituximab for Relapsed/Refractory CLL

## Key Inclusion Criteria

- Confirmed CLL/SLL per iwCLL 2018<sup>3</sup>
- Previously treated CLL/SLL (including a covalent BTKi or covalent BTKi naïve [limited to 20% of total enrollment])
- Known 17p status
  - If 17p status is unknown, local or central FISH test results during screening can be used
- No prior venetoclax
- ≥18 years of age and ECOG 0-2

N=600

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Randomization

**Arm A (PVR)**  
Pirtobrutinib  
+ Venetoclax  
+ Rituximab

Pirtobrutinib, 200 mg oral, once daily from C1D1 - C28

Rituximab, IV, 375 mg/m<sup>2</sup> on C1D1  
500 mg/m<sup>2</sup> on D1 of C2-C6

Venetoclax, oral, daily from C5 - C28: 400 mg  
• Dose Ramp (5 weeks) from C4D1: 20-400 mg

**Arm B (VR)**  
Venetoclax  
+ Rituximab

Rituximab, IV, 375 mg/m<sup>2</sup> on C2D1  
500 mg/m<sup>2</sup> on D1 of C3-C7

Venetoclax, oral, daily from C2 - C25: 400 mg  
• Dose Ramp (5 weeks) from C1D1: 20-400 mg

## Stratification factors

- 17p status (deleted/wildtype)
- Prior experience of BTKi (discontinuation due to PD or other vs no prior BTKi)

Each cycle is 28 days; C1 of Arm B is 35 days

**Primary endpoint:** Progression-free survival per iwCLL 2018 by IRC

## Which of the following descriptions best characterizes the study design of the BRUIN CLL-314 trial?

- a. A Phase II study evaluating time-limited pirtobrutinib for patients with CLL that was pretreated with prior BTK inhibitor and Bcl-2 inhibitor therapy
- b. A Phase III superiority study evaluating pirtobrutinib versus ibrutinib for relapsed/refractory CLL
- c. A Phase III noninferiority study evaluating pirtobrutinib versus ibrutinib for patients with CLL that was treatment-naïve or pretreated with non-BTK inhibitor therapy
- d. I'm not sure



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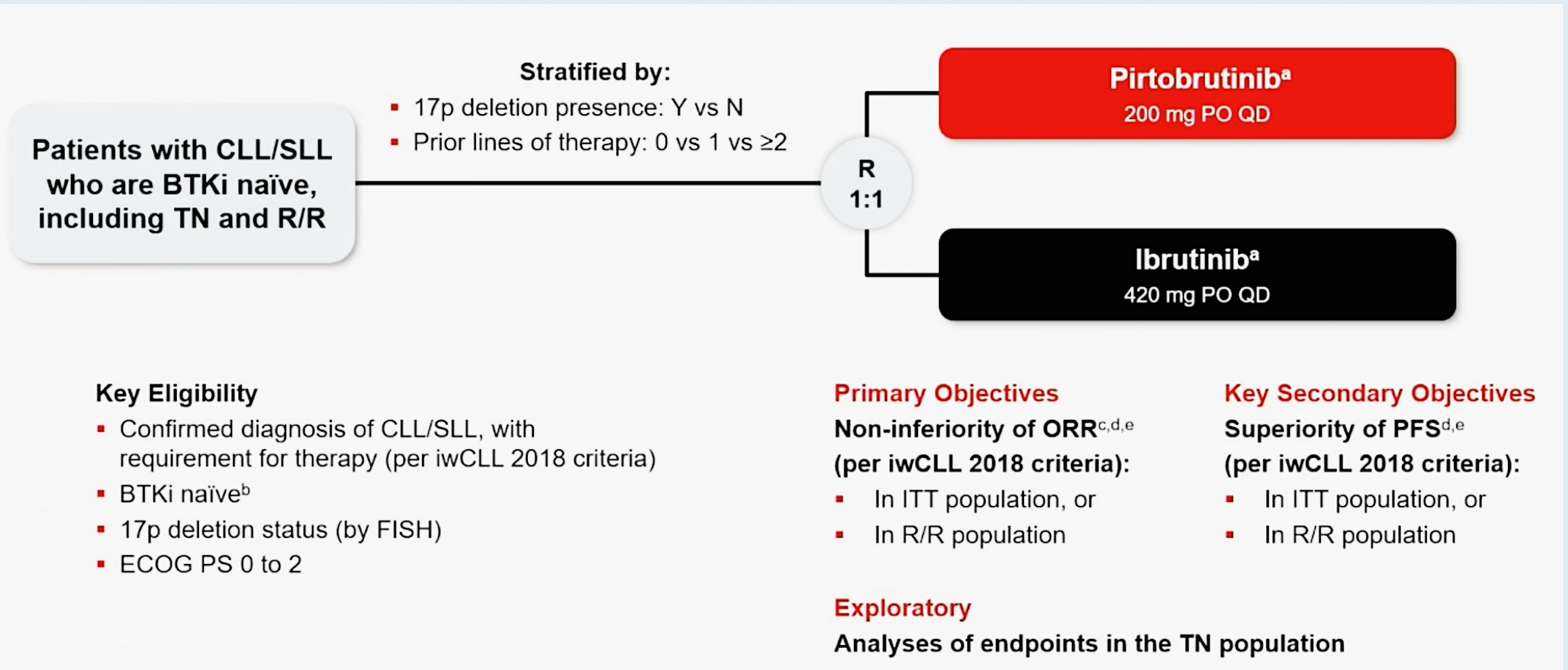


# **Pirtobrutinib vs Ibrutinib in Treatment-Naïve and Relapsed/Refractory CLL/SLL: Results From the First Randomized Phase III Study Comparing a Non-covalent and Covalent BTK Inhibitor**

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# BRUIN CLL-314 Study Design



TN = treatment naïve

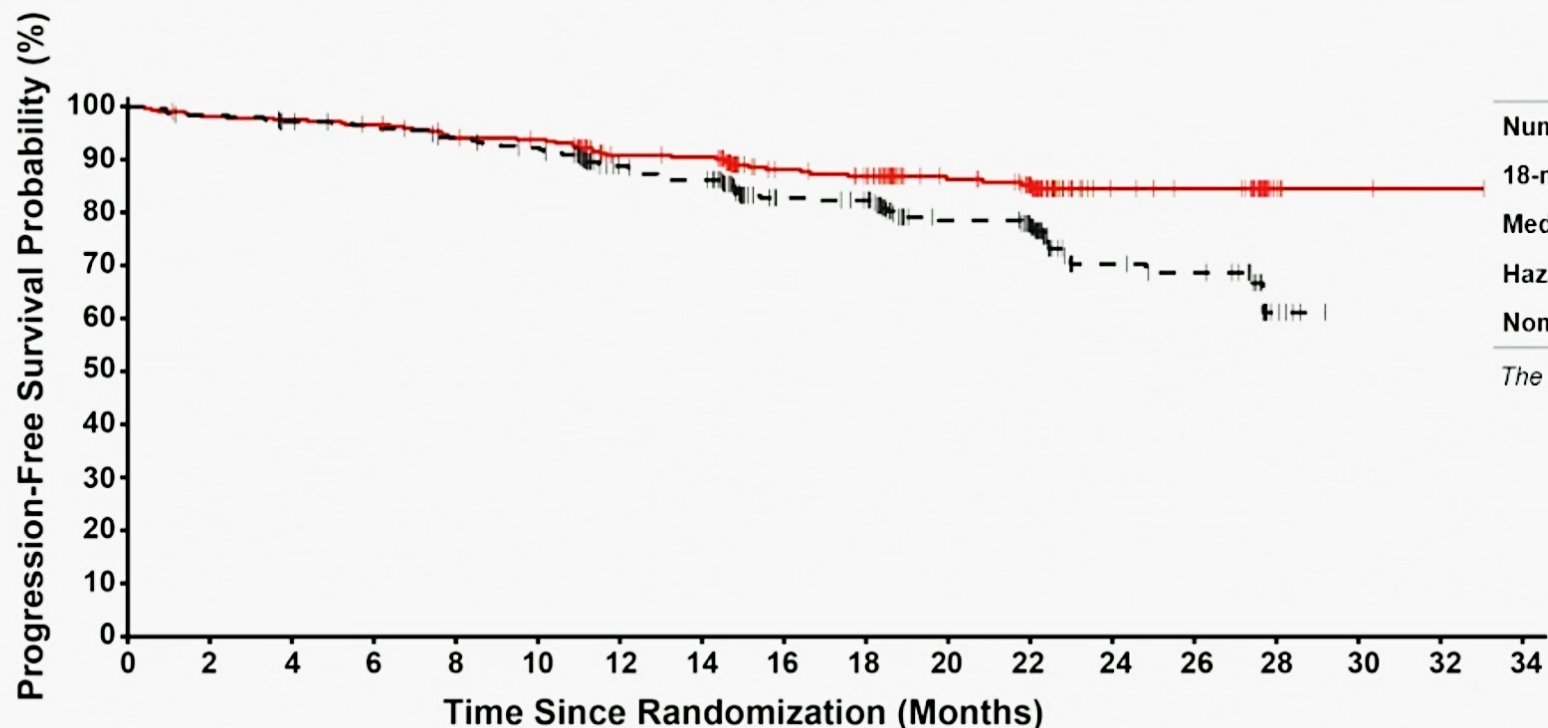
# BRUIN CLL-314: Response Data

	ITT Population		TN Population		R/R Population	
	Pirtobrutinib n=331	Ibrutinib n=331	Pirtobrutinib n=112	Ibrutinib n=113	Pirtobrutinib n=219	Ibrutinib n=218
<b>ORR<sup>a</sup> (PR or better)</b>						
%	87.0	78.5	92.9	85.8	84.0	74.8
95% CI <sup>b</sup>	82.90, 90.44	73.73, 82.85	86.41, 96.87	78.03, 91.68	78.48, 88.61	68.46, 80.39
Nominal p-value <sup>c</sup>	0.0035		0.0886		0.0175	
<b>ORR<sup>a</sup> ratio</b>						
ORR ratio (95% CI)	1.1080 (1.034, 1.187)		1.0797 (0.989, 1.179)		1.1233 (1.020, 1.237)	
p-value for NI <sup>d</sup>	<0.0001		-		<0.0001	
<b>Best Overall Response<sup>e</sup>, %</b>						
CR or CRi	4.8	2.4	7.1	3.5	3.7	1.8
PR or nPR	82.2	76.1	85.7	82.3	80.4	72.9
PR-L	2.4	3.9	0.9	2.7	3.2	4.6
SD	5.4	10.9	2.7	4.4	6.8	14.2
PD	1.5	1.2	0	0	2.3	1.8
<b>ORR including PR-L</b>						
%	89.4	82.5	93.8	88.5	87.2	79.4
95% CI <sup>b</sup>	85.60, 92.52	77.95, 86.42	87.55, 97.45	81.13, 93.73	82.05, 91.33	73.37, 84.53
Nominal p-value <sup>c</sup>	0.0093		0.1692		0.0286	

ORR results presented are IRC-assessed

ORR = overall response rate; NI = noninferiority; PR-L = partial remission with lymphocytosis

# BRUIN CLL-314: PFS in ITT Population



	Pirtobrutinib (n=331)	Ibrutinib (n=331)
Number of events, n (%)	43 (13.0)	69 (20.8)
18-month PFS rate (95% CI)	86.9 (82.4, 90.3)	82.3 (77.3, 86.3)
Median follow-up, mo	22.0	19.7
Hazard ratio (95% CI)	0.569 (0.388, 0.834)	
Nominal p-value <sup>a</sup>	0.0034	

*The PFS results presented are INV-assessed*

Number at risk

	0	2	4	6	8	10	12	14	16	18	20	22	24	26	28	30	32	34
Pirtobrutinib	331	319	315	311	301	298	257	255	205	198	154	140	48	45	7	3	1	0
Ibrutinib	331	310	303	297	288	280	235	227	177	173	129	118	44	41	6	0	0	0

**Pirtobrutinib reduced the risk of progression or death by 43%, with ibrutinib outcomes consistent with historical data**

ITT = intent to treat

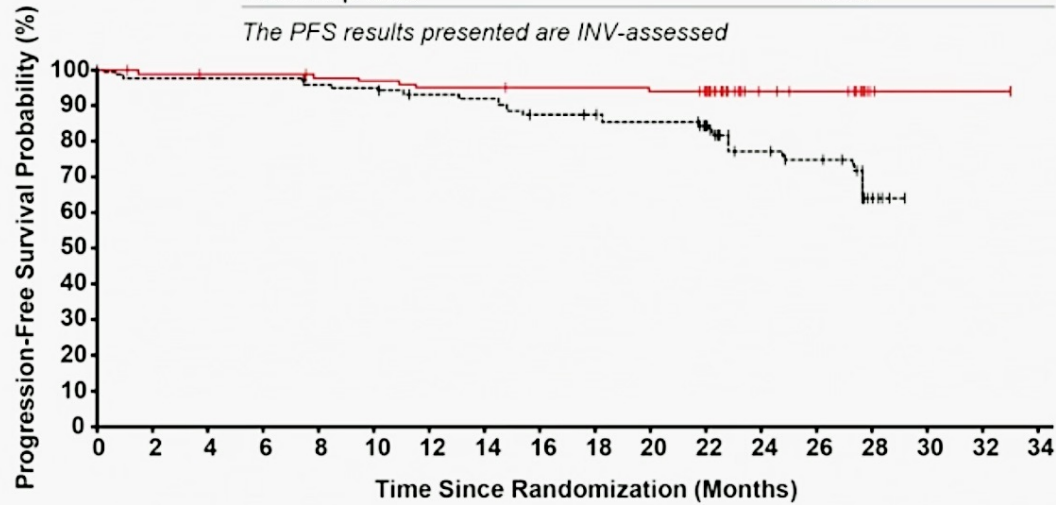


# BRUIN CLL-314: PFS by Prior Treatment Status

## TN population

	Pirtobrutinib (n=112)	Ibrutinib (n=113)
Number of events, n (%)	6 (5.4)	24 (21.2)
18-month PFS rates (95% CI)	95.3 (89.1, 98.0)	87.6 (79.7, 92.6)
Median follow-up, mo	22.5	22.4
Hazard ratio (95% CI)	0.239 (0.098, 0.586)	
Nominal p-value <sup>a</sup>	0.0007	

The PFS results presented are INV-assessed



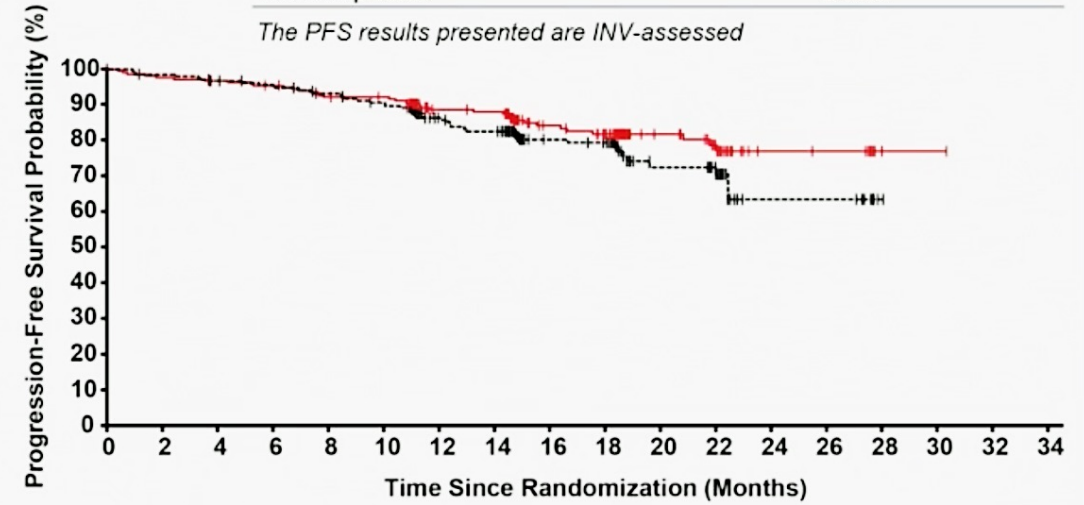
Number at risk

Pirtobrutinib	112	107	106	106	104	103	100	100	99	99	98	94	35	33	4	1	1	0
Ibrutinib	113	105	105	105	102	101	97	96	90	89	86	81	32	29	5	0	0	0

## R/R population

	Pirtobrutinib (n=219)	Ibrutinib (n=218)
Number of events, n (%)	37 (16.9)	45 (20.6)
18-month PFS rate (95% CI)	81.7 (75.1, 86.7)	79.2 (72.3, 84.6)
Median follow-up, mo	18.4	15.8
Hazard ratio (95% CI)	0.729 (0.471, 1.128)	
Nominal p-value <sup>a</sup>	0.1563	

The PFS results presented are INV-assessed



Number at risk

Pirtobrutinib	219	212	209	205	197	195	157	155	106	99	56	46	13	12	3	2	0	0
Ibrutinib	218	205	198	192	186	179	138	131	87	84	43	37	12	12	1	0	0	0

**Pirtobrutinib reduced the risk of progression or death by 76% in the TN population, the subgroup with the longest follow-up**

# BRUIN CLL-314: Safety Profile

Preferred Term ≥10% of Participants in Either Arm	Pirtobrutinib n=330		Ibrutinib n=325	
	Any Grade n (%)	Grade ≥3 n (%)	Any Grade n (%)	Grade ≥3 n (%)
<b>Subjects with ≥1 TEAE</b>	320 (97.0)	181 (54.8)	318 (97.8)	174 (53.5)
Neutropenia	75 (22.7)	57 (17.3)	58 (17.8)	43 (13.2)
Upper respiratory tract infection	59 (17.9)	2 (0.6)	63 (19.4)	0 (0)
Anemia	50 (15.2)	19 (5.8)	46 (14.2)	12 (3.7)
Pneumonia	45 (13.6)	21 (6.4)	49 (15.1)	28 (8.6)
Diarrhea	44 (13.3)	1 (0.3)	62 (19.1)	4 (1.2)
COVID-19	40 (12.1)	4 (1.2)	33 (10.2)	5 (1.5)
Hypertension	35 (10.6)	11 (3.3)	49 (15.1)	16 (4.9)
Contusion	33 (10.0)	0 (0)	30 (9.2)	0 (0)
Arthralgia	26 (7.9)	0 (0)	41 (12.6)	0 (0)
Thrombocytopenia	26 (7.9)	9 (2.7)	37 (11.4)	10 (3.1)
Urinary tract infection	26 (7.9)	3 (0.9)	40 (12.3)	3 (0.9)
Atrial fibrillation	8 (2.4)	3 (0.9)	41 (12.6)	12 (3.7)
<b>Dose modifications due to TEAEs</b>				
Reductions		26 (7.9)		59 (18.2)
Discontinuations		31 (9.4)		35 (10.8)

Median time on treatment was 20.5 months with pirtobrutinib and 19.3 months with ibrutinib;  
1 patient developed Richter Transformation (RT) on pirtobrutinib; 4 patients developed RT on ibrutinib

**Pirtobrutinib was well-tolerated with fewer dose reductions and discontinuations due to TEAEs than ibrutinib**

# BRUIN CLL-314: Adverse Events of Special Interest (AESI)

≥10% of Participants in Either Arm	Pirtobrutinib n=330		Ibrutinib n=325	
	Any Grade n (%)	Grade ≥3 n (%)	Any Grade n (%)	Grade ≥3 n (%)
<b>Subjects with ≥1 AESI</b>	288 (87.3)	127 (38.5)	288 (88.6)	117 (36.0)
<b>Infections<sup>a</sup></b>	226 (68.5)	56 (17.0)	241 (74.2)	54 (16.6)
Infection without COVID-19	214 (64.8)	53 (16.1)	234 (72.0)	49 (15.1)
<b>Bleeding</b>	115 (34.8)	11 (3.3)	118 (36.3)	9 (2.8)
Hemorrhage <sup>b</sup>	78 (23.6)	11 (3.3)	81 (24.9)	9 (2.8)
Bruising <sup>c</sup>	45 (13.6)	0 (0)	39 (12.0)	0 (0)
Petechiae and purpura	17 (5.2)	0 (0)	25 (7.7)	0 (0)
<b>Neutropenia<sup>d</sup></b>	103 (31.2)	83 (25.2)	76 (23.4)	57 (17.5)
<b>Anemia<sup>e</sup></b>	51 (15.5)	20 (6.1)	51 (15.7)	12 (3.7)
<b>Thrombocytopenia<sup>f</sup></b>	39 (11.8)	12 (3.6)	57 (17.5)	13 (4.0)
<b>Atrial fibrillation and atrial flutter</b>	8 (2.4)	3 (0.9)	44 (13.5)	13 (4.0)
≥75 years old <sup>g</sup>	3 (4.5)	1 (1.5)	15 (21.4)	5 (7.1)

**AEs were mostly low-grade and consistent with prior pirtobrutinib studies**

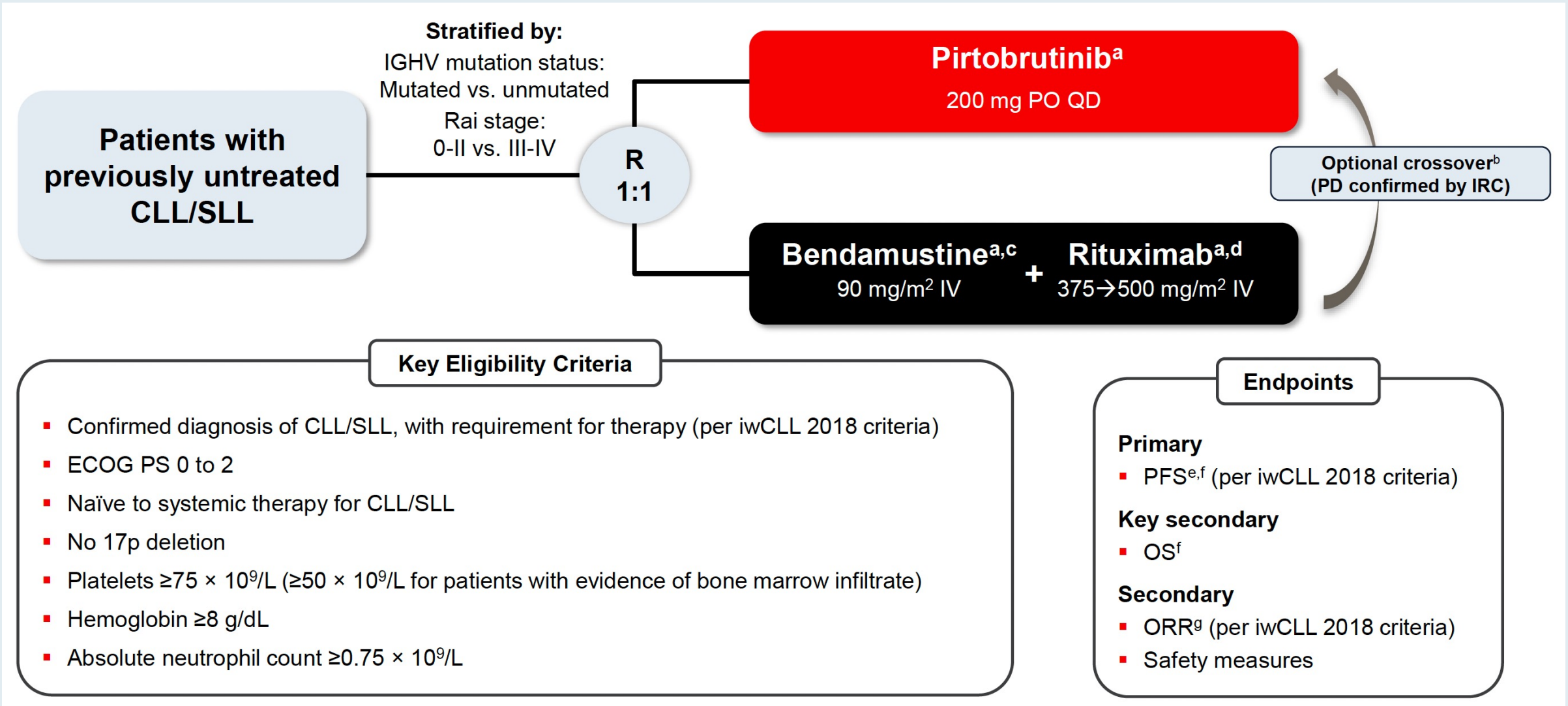
**Incidence of atrial fibrillation/flutter was substantially lower with pirtobrutinib vs ibrutinib, particularly among older patients**

# **Pirtobrutinib vs Bendamustine Plus Rituximab (BendaR) in Patients With CLL/SLL: First Results From a Randomized Phase III Study Examining a Non-Covalent BTK Inhibitor in Untreated Patients**

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# BRUIN CLL-313 Study Design



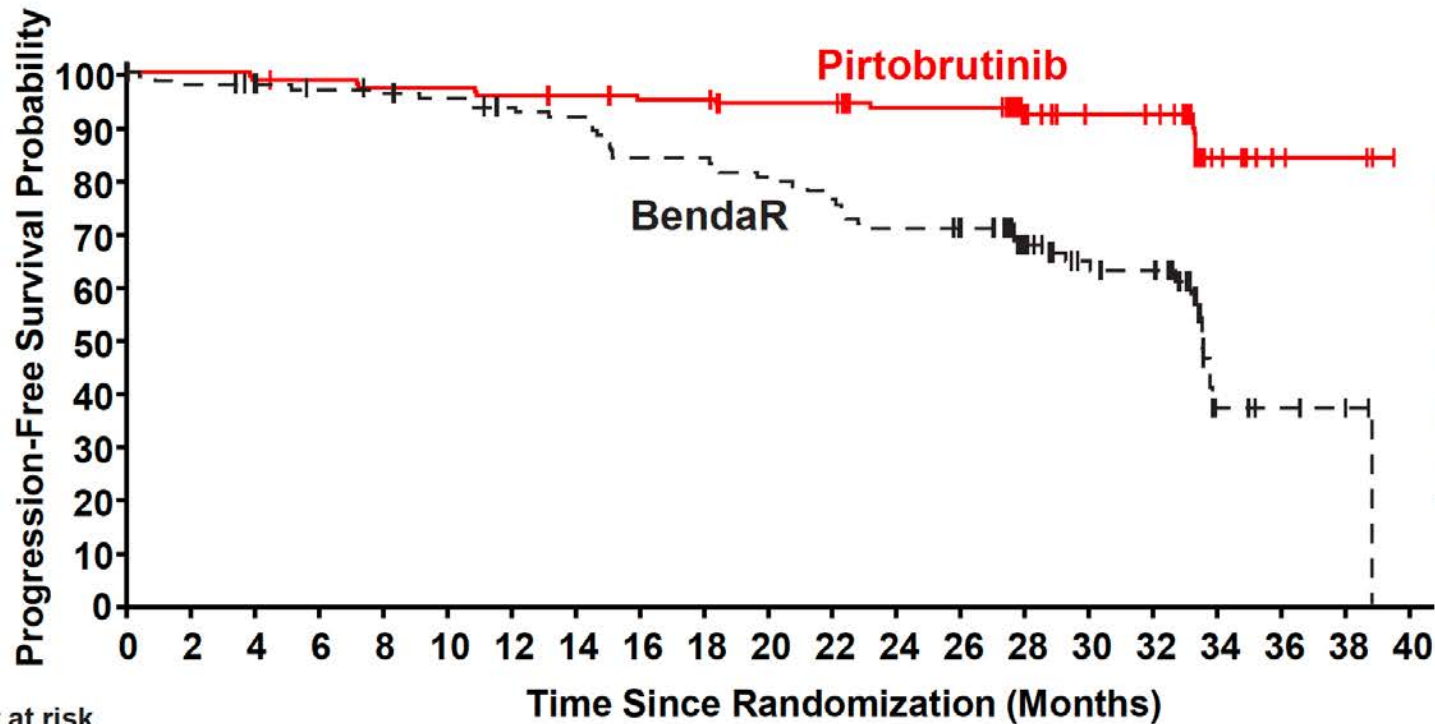
# BRUIN CLL-313: Response Data

	IRC-Assessed ORR		INV-Assessed ORR	
	Pirtobrutinib (n=141)	BendaR (n=141)	Pirtobrutinib (n=141)	BendaR (n=141)
<b>ORR<sup>a</sup> (PR or better)</b>				
n (%)	133 (94.3)	114 (80.9)	133 (94.3)	116 (82.3)
95% CI <sup>b</sup>	89.1, 97.5	73.4, 87.0	89.1, 97.5	75.0, 88.2
<b>Best overall response<sup>c</sup>, n (%)</b>				
CR or CRi	19 (13.5)	29 (20.6)	8 (5.7)	29 (20.6)
PR or nPR	114 (80.9)	85 (60.3)	125 (88.7)	87 (61.7)
PR-L	0	0	2 (1.4)	0
SD	3 (2.1)	10 (7.1)	1 (0.7)	6 (4.3)
PD	2 (1.4)	1 (0.7)	2 (1.4)	3 (2.1)
Unknown/not applicable <sup>d</sup>	3 (2.1)	16 (11.3)	3 (2.1)	16 (11.3)

**ORR with pirtobrutinib was >90% by both IRC and INV, and higher than with BendaR**

ORR = overall response rate; PR = partial response

# BRUIN CLL-313: PFS Outcomes



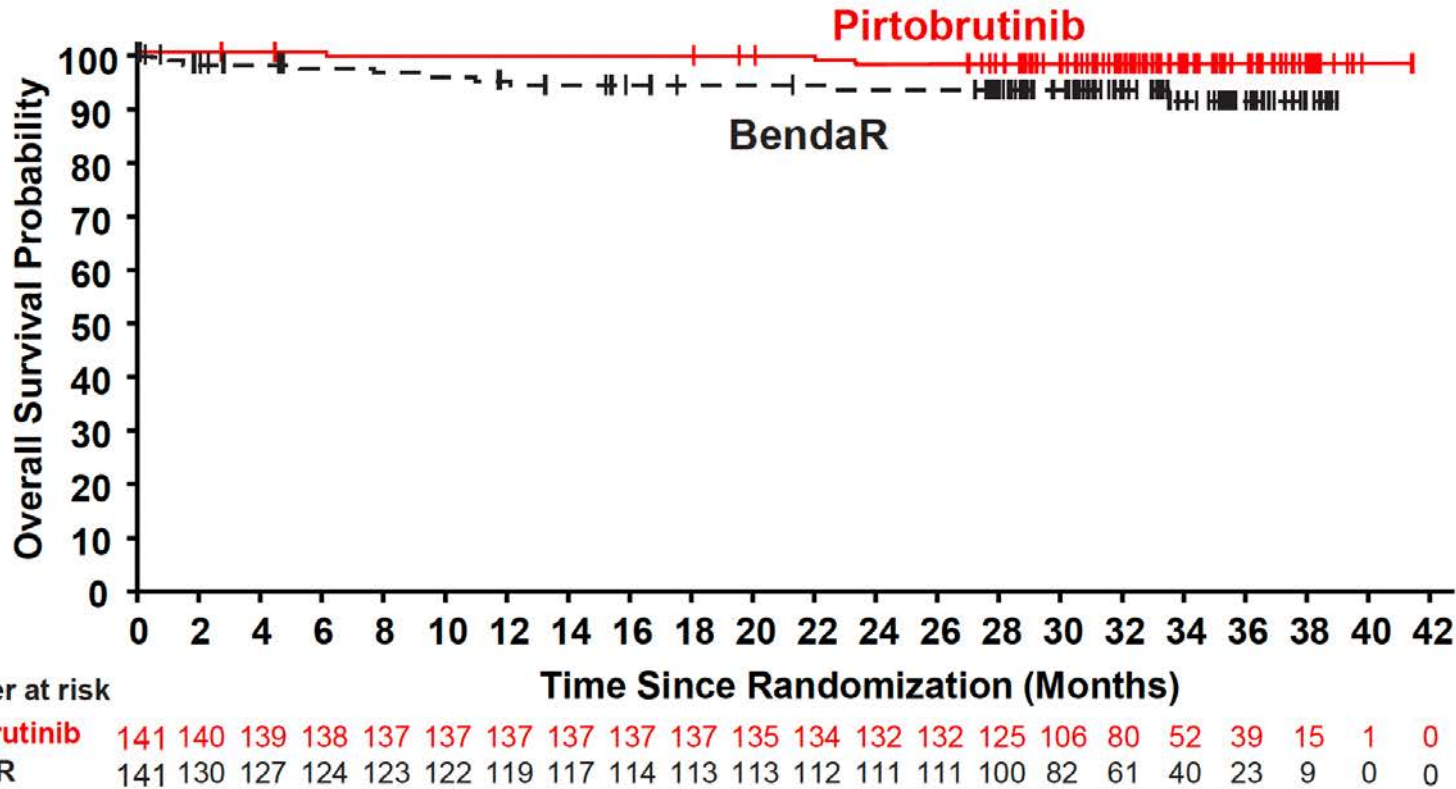
	Pirtobrutinib (n=141)	BendaR (n=141)
Number of events, n (%)	13 (9.2)	48 (34.0)
24-month PFS rate, (95% CI)	<b>93.4</b> (87.6, 96.5)	<b>70.7</b> (61.5, 78.1)
Median follow-up, months	28.1	28.3
Hazard ratio (95% CI)	<b>0.20 (0.11, 0.37)</b>	
p-value <sup>a</sup>	<b>&lt;0.0001<sup>a</sup></b>	

*The PFS results presented are IRC assessed*

Number at risk	0	2	4	6	8	10	12	14	16	18	20	22	24	26	28	30	32	34	36	38	40
Pirtobrutinib	141	138	136	135	133	133	131	130	128	128	124	124	119	119	67	56	55	11	5	4	0
BendaR	141	122	120	116	114	111	107	105	96	96	92	87	81	77	50	38	36	6	4	3	0

**Pirtobrutinib demonstrated a statistically significant and clinically meaningful PFS improvement, with an 80% reduction in risk of PD or death compared with BendaR**

# BRUIN CLL-313: OS Outcomes



	<b>Pirtobrutinib n=141</b>	<b>BendaR n=141</b>
Number of events, n (%)	3 (2.1)	10 (7.1)
24-month OS rate, (95% CI)	<b>97.8</b> (93.3, 99.3)	<b>93.0</b> (87.0, 96.3)
Median follow-up, months	32.7	31.7
Hazard ratio (95% CI)	<b>0.26 (0.07, 0.93)</b>	
p-value	0.0261 <sup>a</sup>	

Effective crossover rate<sup>b</sup>:  
**52.9% (18/34)**

**OS data were immature, but trended in favor of pirtobrutinib, despite a high effective crossover rate**

# BRUIN CLL-313: Safety Profile

Preferred Term ≥15% of Participants in Either Arm	Pirtobrutinib (n=140)		BendaR (n=132)		EAIR per 100 Person-Years		
	Any Grade n (%)	Grade ≥3 n (%)	Any Grade n (%)	Grade ≥3 n (%)	Pirtobrutinib Any Grade EAIR <sup>a</sup>	BendaR Any Grade EAIR <sup>a</sup>	EAIR Ratio (95% CI) <sup>b</sup>
	<b>Patients with ≥1 TEAE</b>	131 (93.6)	56 (40.0)	117 (88.6)	89 (67.4)	196.7	844.6
Neutropenia	17 (12.1)	10 (7.1)	51 (38.6)	46 (34.8)	5.2	110.0	0.05 (0.03, 0.08)
COVID-19	30 (21.4)	1 (0.7)	12 (9.1)	2 (1.5)	9.9	20.9	0.47 (0.24, 0.92)
Pyrexia	12 (8.6)	0	25 (18.9)	0	3.5	49.1	0.07 (0.04, 0.14)
Upper respiratory tract infection	25 (17.9)	1 (0.7)	9 (6.8)	0	7.7	15.7	0.49 (0.23, 1.05)
Anemia	13 (9.3)	6 (4.3)	21 (15.9)	10 (7.6)	3.8	37.7	0.10 (0.05, 0.20)
Nausea	3 (2.1)	0	31 (23.5)	1 (0.8)	0.8	65.1	0.01 (0.00, 0.04)
Infusion-related reaction	0	0	20 (15.2)	4 (3.0)	0	39.0	NA

**Median time on pirtobrutinib treatment was 32.3 months and on BendaR treatment was 5.6 months**

**Richter's transformation occurred in 1 patient treated with BendaR**

**Exposure adjusted TEAEs were lower with pirtobrutinib**

**Discontinuation due to TEAE, including deaths, occurred less frequently with pirtobrutinib (4.3%) vs. BendaR (15.4%)**

**Dose reduction due to TEAE also occurred less frequently with pirtobrutinib than BendaR (3.6% vs. 31.1%)**

EAIR = exposure-adjusted incidence rate

# BRUIN CLL-313: AEs of Special Interest

	Pirtobrutinib (n=140)		BendaR (n=132)		EAIR per 100 Person-Years		
	Any Grade n (%)	Grade ≥3 n (%)	Any Grade n (%)	Grade ≥3 n (%)	Pirtobrutinib Any Grade EAIR <sup>g</sup>	BendaR Any Grade EAIR <sup>g</sup>	EAIR Ratio (95% CI) <sup>h</sup>
	<b>Infection<sup>a</sup></b>	80 (57.1)	19 (13.6)	44 (33.3)	11 (8.3)	38.3	89.7
Infection without COVID-19	72 (51.4)	19 (13.6)	38 (28.8)	9 (6.8)	30.9	74.9	0.41 (0.28, 0.61)
<b>Bleeding<sup>b</sup></b>	36 (25.7)	1 (0.7)	2 (1.5)	0 (0)	12.5	3.3	3.73 (0.90, 15.50)
Hemorrhage	17 (12.1)	1 (0.7)	2 (1.5)	0 (0)	5.2	3.3	1.55 (0.36, 6.69)
Bruising	16 (11.4)	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)	4.8	0	NE
Petechiae and purpura	8 (5.7)	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)	2.3	0	NE
<b>Neutropenia<sup>c</sup></b>	21 (15.0)	13 (9.3)	68 (51.5)	60 (45.5)	6.5	169.5	0.04 (0.02, 0.06)
<b>Anemia<sup>d</sup></b>	14 (10.0)	6 (4.3)	21 (15.9)	10 (7.6)	4.1	37.7	0.11 (0.06, 0.21)
<b>Thrombocytopenia<sup>e</sup></b>	12 (8.6)	4 (2.9)	23 (17.4)	9 (6.8)	3.5	43.1	0.08 (0.04, 0.16)
<b>Atrial fibrillation and atrial flutter</b>	2 (1.4)	1 (0.7)	2 (1.5)	1 (0.8)	0.5	3.3	0.17 (0.02, 1.17)
≥75 years old <sup>f</sup>	1 (5.0)	0	1 (4.3)	0	2.2	10.0	0.22 (0.01, 3.46)
<b>Hypertension</b>	11 (7.9)	4 (2.9)	6 (4.5)	4 (3.0)	3.2	10.2	0.31 (0.11, 0.84)

**Incidence of atrial fibrillation/flutter remains low in older patients aged ≥75 years (5.0% with pirtobrutinib and 4.3% with BendaR)**

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**Based on current clinical trial data and your personal experience, how would you compare the global tolerability/toxicity of pirtobrutinib to that of ibrutinib, acalabrutinib and zanubrutinib for patients with relapsed/refractory CLL?**

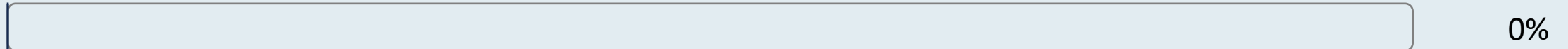
- a. About the same**
- b. Ibrutinib has the least toxicity**
- c. Acalabrutinib has the least toxicity**
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- e. Pirtobrutinib has the least toxicity**
- f. I'm not sure**



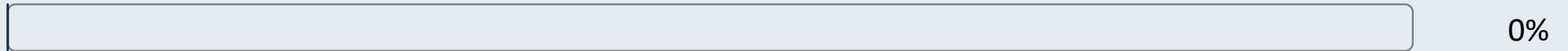
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a. About the same



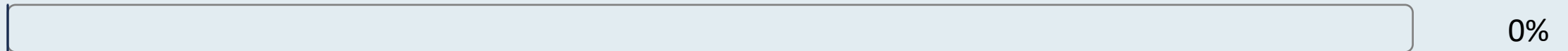
b. Ibrutinib has the least toxicity



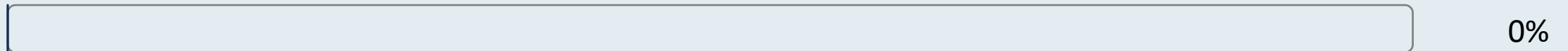
c. Acalabrutinib has the least toxicity



d. Zanubrutinib has the least toxicity



e. Pirtobrutinib has the least toxicity









f. I'm not sure



RESULTS SLIDE

Based on current clinical trial data and your personal experience, how would you compare the global efficacy and tolerability/toxicity of pirtobrutinib to that of ibrutinib, acalabrutinib and zanubrutinib for patients with relapsed/refractory CLL?

	Efficacy	Tolerability/toxicity
 <b>Dr Coombs</b>	There are not enough available data at this time	Pirtobrutinib has the least toxicity
 <b>Dr Davids</b>	About the same	Pirtobrutinib has the least toxicity
 <b>Dr Fakhri</b>	There are not enough available data at this time	Pirtobrutinib has the least toxicity
 <b>Dr Lamanna</b>	About the same	Pirtobrutinib has the least toxicity
 <b>Dr Sharman</b>	There are not enough available data at this time	Pirtobrutinib has the least toxicity
 <b>Dr Woyach</b>	There are not enough available data at this time	Pirtobrutinib has the least toxicity

**An older patient with newly diagnosed CLL and a significant history of atrial fibrillation has come to you for a second opinion following the recommendation of first-line treatment with pirtobrutinib. How would you respond?**

- a. I agree with this recommendation**
- b. I do not agree with the recommendation, but it is a valid option**
- c. I do not agree with this recommendation**



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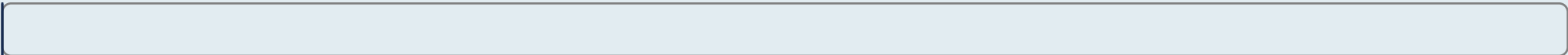
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a. I agree with this recommendation



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b. I do not agree with the recommendation, but it is a valid option



0%

c. I do not agree with this recommendation



100%

# RESULTS SLIDE

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**Dr Coombs**

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# Key Datasets

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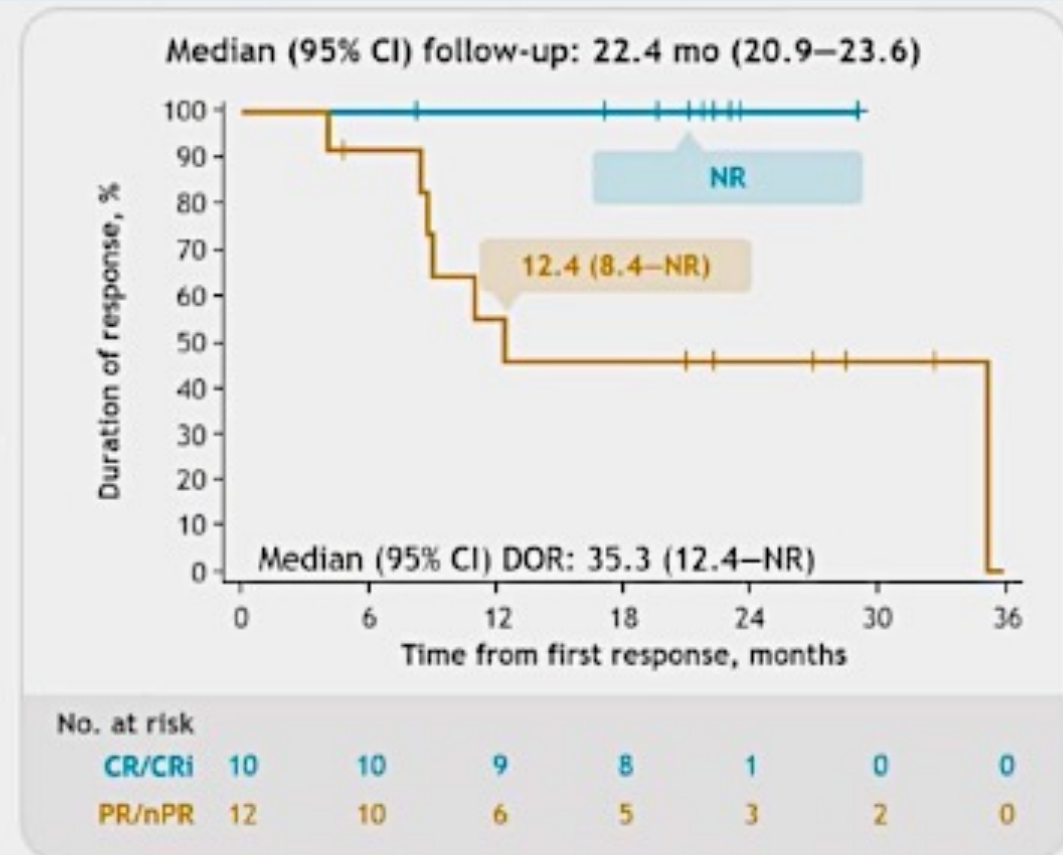
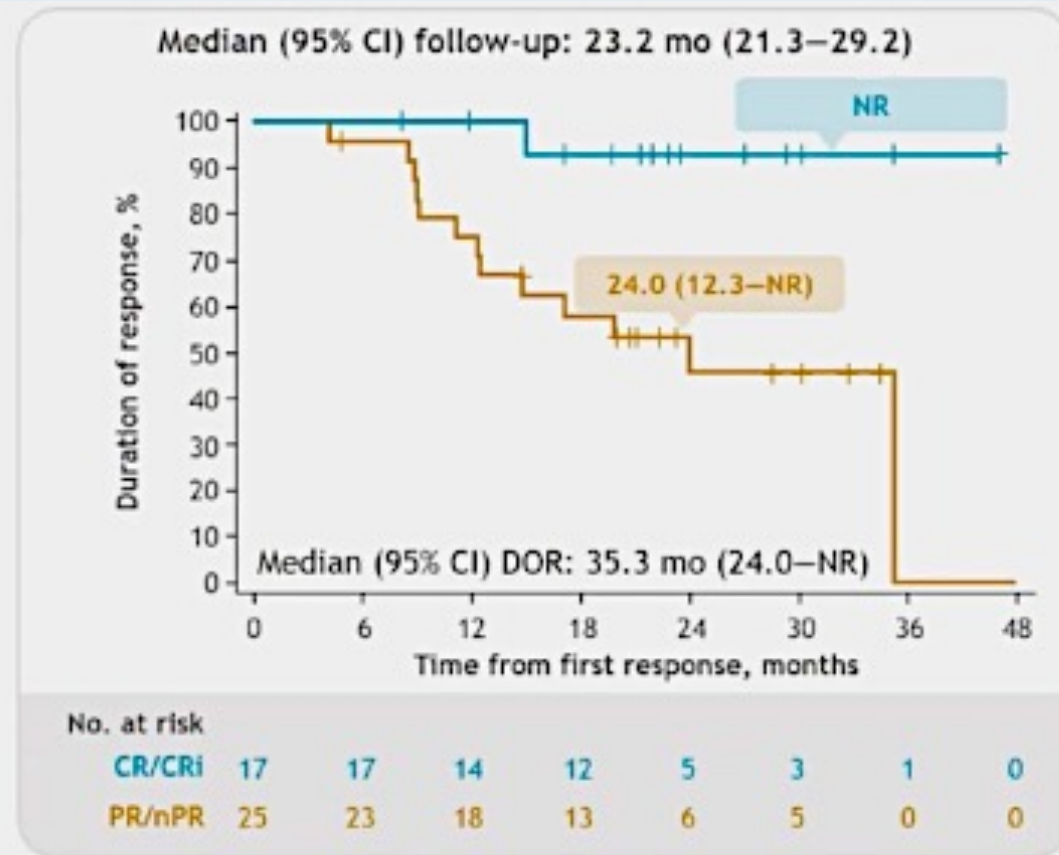
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# TRANSCEND CLL 004: Duration of Response by Best Overall Response

Full Study Population at DL2 (n = 88)

PEAS (BTKi progression/venetoclax failure subset) at DL2 (n = 50)



Data on KM curves are expressed as median (95% CI, if available). DOR, duration of response; NR, not reached.

# FDA Grants Accelerated Approval to Lisocabtagene Maraleucel for Relapsed/Refractory (R/R) CLL or SLL

Press Release: March 14, 2024

“... the US Food and Drug Administration (FDA) has granted accelerated approval of lisocabtagene maraleucel (liso-cel), a CD19-directed chimeric antigen receptor (CAR) T cell therapy, for the treatment of adult patients with relapsed or refractory chronic lymphocytic leukemia (CLL) or small lymphocytic lymphoma (SLL) who have received at least two prior lines of therapy, including a Bruton tyrosine kinase (BTK) inhibitor and a B-cell lymphoma 2 (BCL-2) inhibitor. This indication is approved under accelerated approval based on response rate and duration of response. Continued approval for this indication may be contingent upon verification and description of clinical benefit in confirmatory trial(s). In R/R CLL or SLL, liso-cel is delivered through a treatment process which culminates in a one-time infusion with a single dose containing 90 to 110 x 10<sup>6</sup> CAR-positive viable T cells.”

Accelerated approval was based on results from the Phase I/II open-label, single-arm TRANSCEND CLL 004 study for patients with R/R CLL or SLL.

# Lisocabtagene Maraleucel Combined with Ibrutinib for Patients with Relapsed or Refractory Chronic Lymphocytic Leukemia/Small Lymphocytic Lymphoma: Primary Results from the Open-label, Phase 1/2 TRANSCEND CLL 004 Study

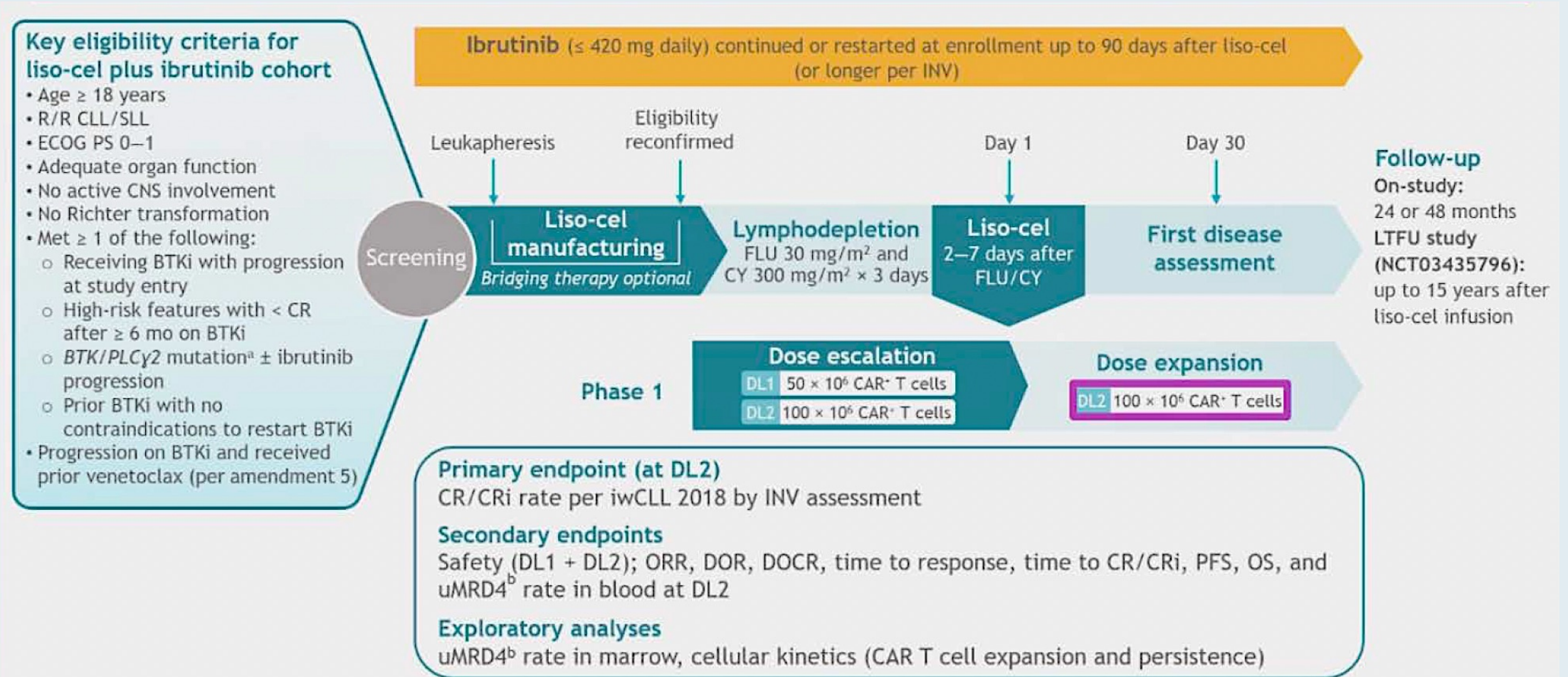
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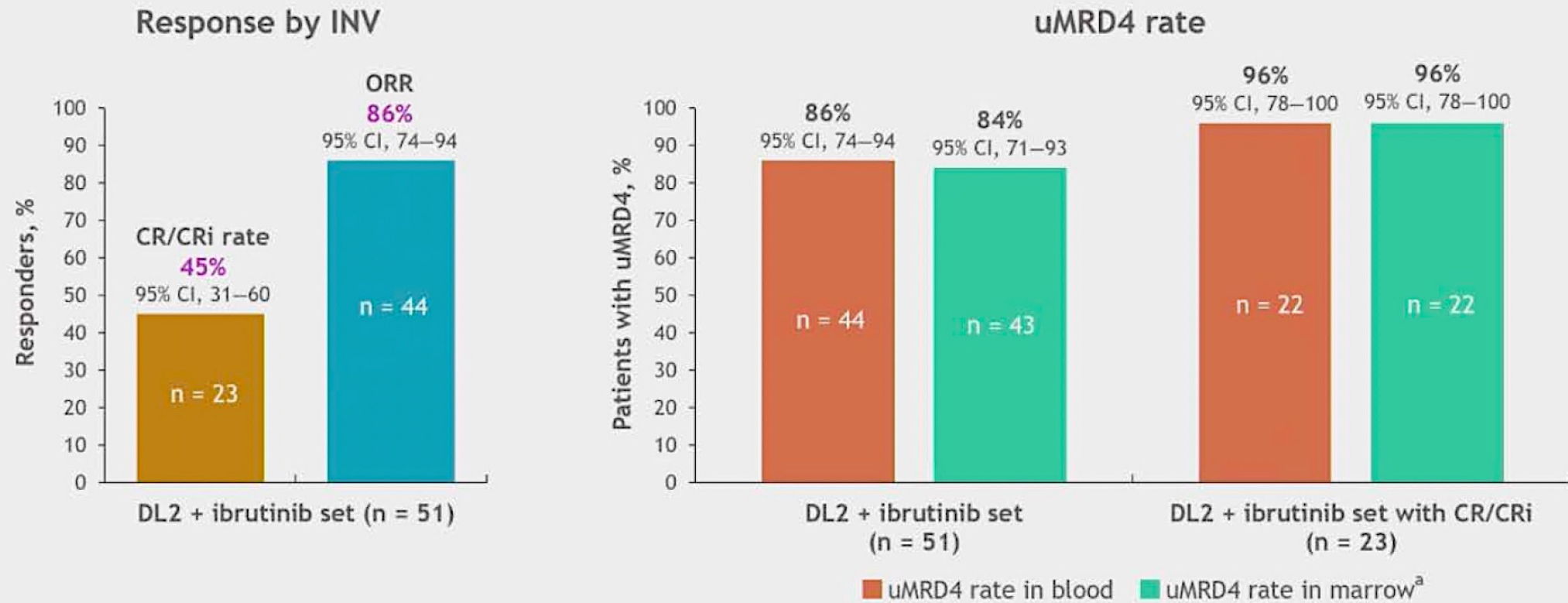
# TRANSCEND CLL 004: Lisocabtagene Maraleucel (Liso-cel) and Ibrutinib Combination Cohort



<sup>a</sup>Per local laboratory assessment; <sup>b</sup>MRD was assessed by next-generation sequencing using a clonoSEQ assay. Undetectable MRD was defined as < 1 CLL cell per 10,000 leukocytes at ≥ 1 time point after infusion (uMRD<sup>b</sup>). CY, cyclophosphamide; DOR, duration of response; DOCR, duration of continued CR after initial CR; FLU, fludarabine; INV, investigator; iwCLL, International Workshop on Chronic Lymphocytic Leukemia; LTFU, long-term follow-up; uMRD<sup>b</sup>, undetectable minimal residual disease at < 1 in 10<sup>-4</sup> leukocytes.

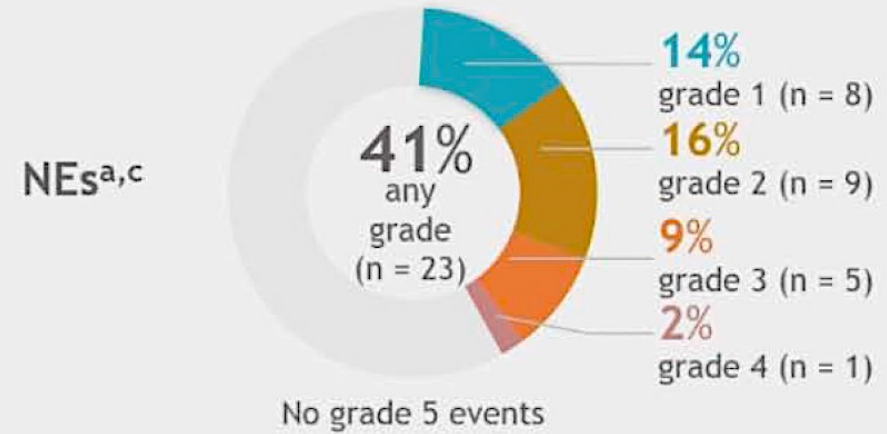
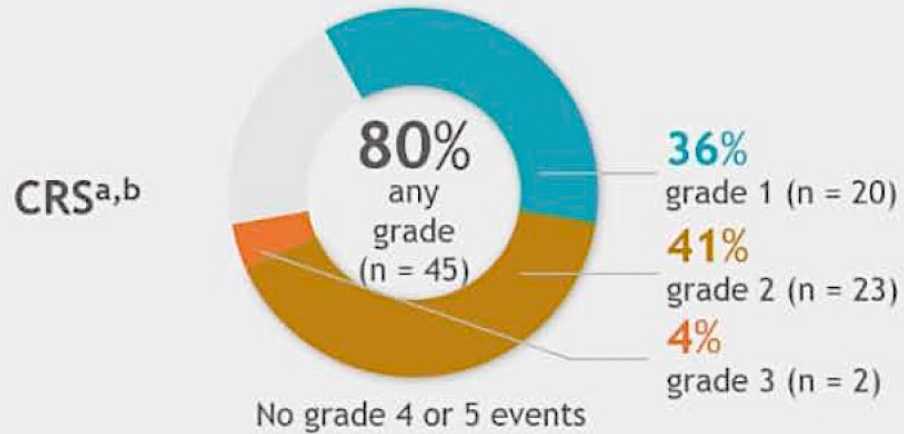
# TRANSCEND CLL 004: Efficacy Outcomes with Liso-cel and Ibrutinib

- Median (IQR) on-study follow-up (including LTFU): 24.8 months (14.2–34.6)
- Median (range) time to first response: 1 month (0.9–6.0)
- Median (range) time to first CR/CRi: 3 months (0.9–12.1)



CR = complete response; CRi = CR with incomplete marrow recovery; ORR = overall response rate

# TRANSCEND CLL 004: Incidence of Cytokine Release Syndrome (CRS) and Neurological Adverse Events (NEs) with Liso-cel and Ibrutinib



	Total combination-treated set (n = 56)		Total combination-treated set (n = 56)
Median (range) days to CRS onset	7 (1–14)	Median (range) days to NE onset	8 (1–15)
Median (range) days to CRS resolution	5 (2–18)	Median (range) days to NE resolution	8 (1–362)
Received tocilizumab and/or corticosteroids for CRS and/or NE, n (%)	33 (59)	Received tocilizumab and/or corticosteroids for CRS and/or NE, n (%)	33 (59)

<sup>a</sup>Summed percentages for grouped grades within each graph may not equal the any-grade percentage due to rounding; <sup>b</sup>CRS was graded based on Lee 2014 criteria; <sup>c</sup>NEs were defined as -INV-identified neurological AEs related to liso-cel.

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**At what point in the treatment course are you referring patients with multiregimen-relapsed CLL for consultation regarding chimeric antigen receptor (CAR) T-cell therapy?**

- a. At first relapse**
- b. At second relapse**
- c. At third relapse**
- d. After third relapse**
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- f. I'm not sure**

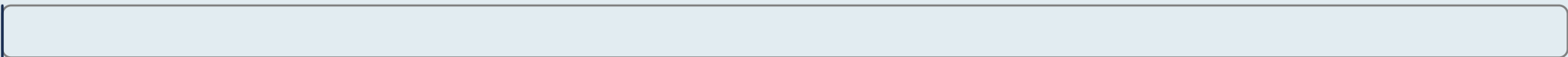


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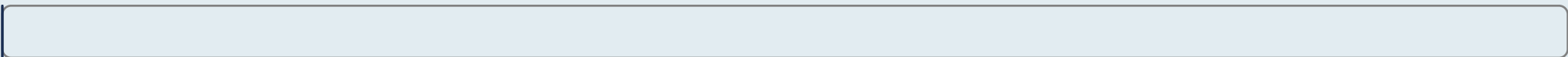
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# RESULTS SLIDE

# At what point in the treatment course are you referring patients with multiregimen-relapsed CLL for consultation regarding chimeric antigen receptor (CAR) T-cell therapy?



**Dr Coombs**

**After third relapse**



**Dr Davids**

**After third relapse**



**Dr Fakhri**

**At third relapse**



**Dr Lamanna**

**After third relapse**



**Dr Sharman**







**At second relapse**



**Dr Woyach**

**At second relapse**

# Approximately how many patients with CLL in your practice have received CAR T-cell therapy on or off protocol?

 <b>Dr Coombs</b>	<b>0 patients</b>
 <b>Dr Davids</b>	<b>10 patients</b>
 <b>Dr Fakhri</b>	<b>20 patients</b>
 <b>Dr Lamanna</b>	<b>5 patients</b>
 <b>Dr Sharman</b>	<b>4 patients</b>
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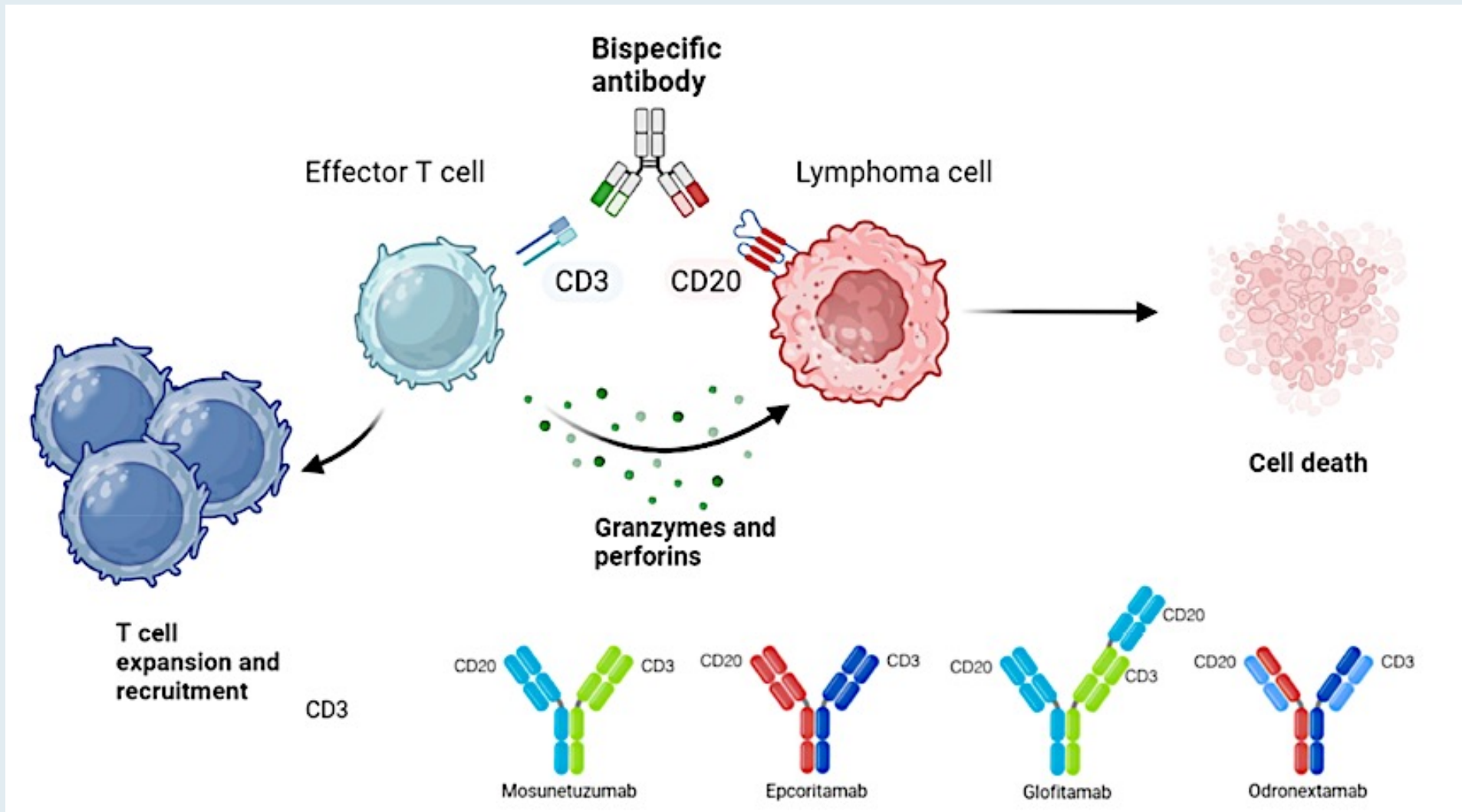
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# Mechanism of Action of CD20 x CD3 Bispecific Antibodies



# Epcoritamab Monotherapy in Patients (Pts) with Relapsed or Refractory (R/R) Chronic Lymphocytic Leukemia (CLL): Results from CLL Expansion and Optimization Cohorts of EPCORE CLL-1

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# EPCORE CLL-1 Trial Expansion and Cycle 1 Optimization

## Key inclusion criteria

- CD20+ R/R CLL
- ≥2 prior lines of systemic therapy
- ECOG PS 0–2
- Measurable disease with  $\geq 5 \times 10^9/L$  B lymphocytes (expansion only)
- No prior allogeneic HSCT

## Expansion (EXP; N=23)

CRS prophylaxis  
• Prednisone

Step-up dose 1  
(C1D1): 0.16 mg

Step-up dose 2  
(C1D8): 0.8 mg

First full dose  
(C1D15):  
48 mg

Data cutoff: May 28, 2024  
Median follow-up: 22.8 months

## Cycle 1 Optimization (C1 OPT; N=17)

CRS prophylaxis  
• Dexamethasone  
• Adequate hydration

Step-up dose 1  
(C1D1): 0.16 mg

Step-up dose 2  
(C1D8): 0.8 mg

Step-up dose 3  
(C1D15): 3 mg

First full dose  
(C1D22):  
48 mg

Data cutoff: May 28, 2024  
Median follow-up: 2.9 months

- **Primary endpoint (EXP):** Overall response rate
- **Primary endpoint (C1 OPT):** Incidence and severity of CRS, ICANS, and clinical TLS
- **Key secondary endpoints (EXP):** CR rate, time to response, MRD (PBMCs using the clonoSEQ<sup>®</sup> assay), and safety/tolerability

- To ensure patient safety and better characterize CRS, inpatient monitoring was required for at least 24 hours after each epcoritamab dose in C1

ClinicalTrials.gov: NCT04623541; EudraCT: 2023-504828-25.

ICANS = immune effector cell-associated neurotoxicity syndrome; TLS = tumor lysis syndrome; PMBC = peripheral blood mononuclear cell

# EPCORE CLL-1: Response Across Subgroups

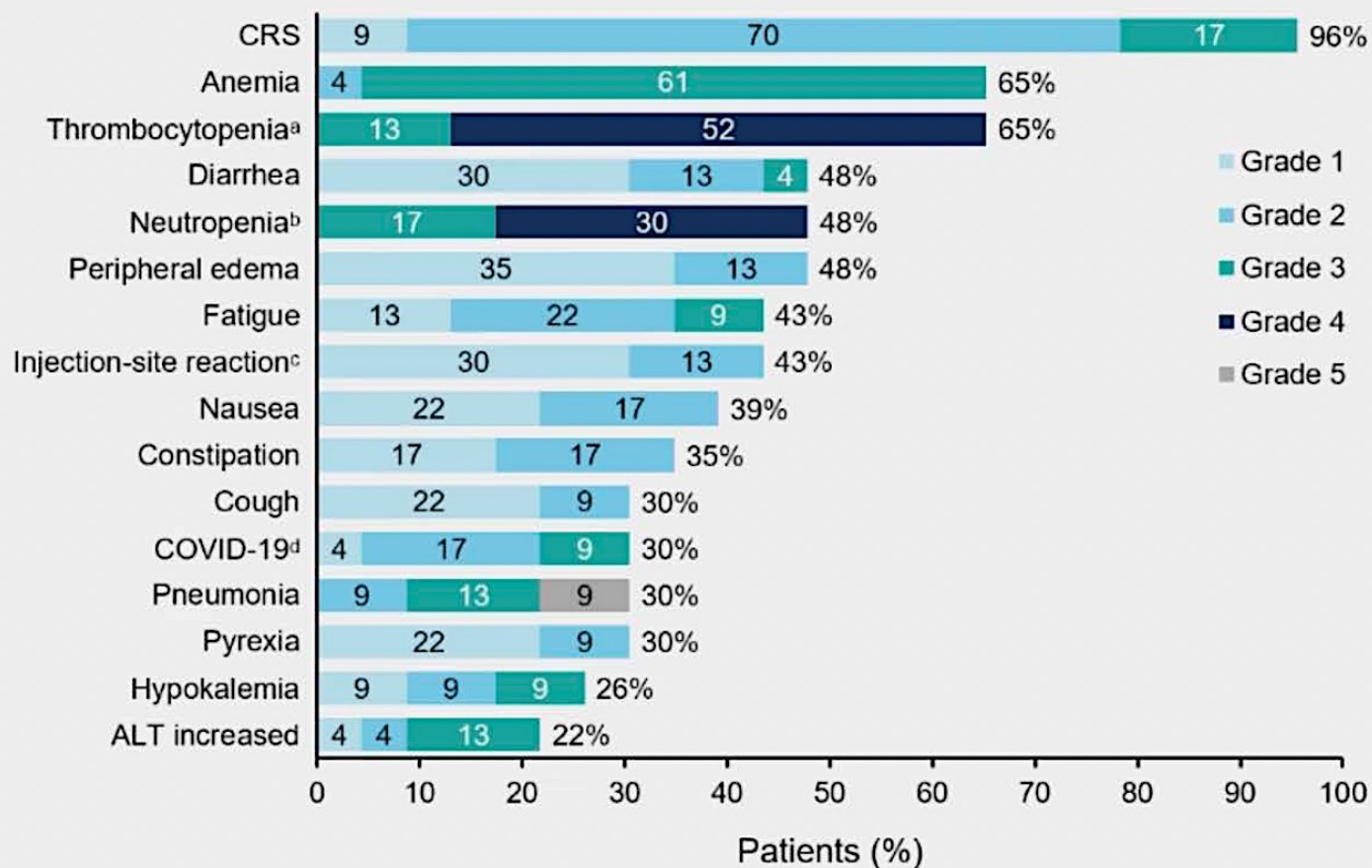
Response, n (%)	EXP mFU: 22.8 months					C1 OPT mFU: 2.9 months
	Full Analysis Set N=23	Response Evaluable n=21	<i>TP53</i> Aberration n=15	<i>IGHV</i> Unmutated n=16	Double Exposed <sup>a</sup> n=19	Response Evaluable n=10
<b>Overall response<sup>b</sup></b>	<b>14 (61)</b>	<b>14 (67)</b>	<b>10 (67)</b>	<b>10 (63)</b>	<b>10 (53)</b>	<b>6 (60)</b>
Complete response	9 (39)	9 (43)	5 (33)	7 (44)	7 (37)	1 (10)
Partial response	5 (22)	5 (24)	5 (33)	3 (19)	3 (16)	5 (50)
Stable disease	4 (17)	4 (19)	2 (13)	3 (19)	4 (21)	2 (20)
Progressive disease	1 (4)	1 (5)	1 (7)	0	1 (5)	1 (10)

- With limited follow-up, the C1 OPT regimen does not appear to affect epcoritamab efficacy
- uMRD4 in PBMCs was observed in most responders, including all patients with CR who were tested for MRD

EXP MRD Negativity, n/n (%) <sup>c</sup>	uMRD4	uMRD6 <sup>d</sup>
Overall response <sup>b</sup>	9/12 (75)	8/12 (67)
Complete response	7/7 (100)	6/7 (86)
Partial response	2/5 (40)	2/5 (40)
Full analysis set	9/23 (39)	8/23 (35)

Four patients (*TP53* aberration, n=2; *IGHV* unmutated, n=3; double exposed, n=4) in EXP and 1 in C1 OPT shown above were not evaluable or had no assessment, including 3 in EXP (*TP53* aberration, n=2; *IGHV* unmutated, n=2; double exposed, n=3) and 1 in C1 OPT who died without postbaseline assessment. <sup>a</sup>Patients previously treated with both a BTK inhibitor and a BCL-2 inhibitor. <sup>b</sup>Response assessment according to iwCLL criteria. <sup>c</sup>Patients evaluated for MRD had at least 1 on-treatment MRD result and were not MRD negative at baseline. MRD was only evaluated in patients with CR or PR. <sup>d</sup>Two of 3 evaluated patients had uMRD6 in bone marrow at or shortly after the first CR assessment. mFU, median follow-up.

# EPCORE CLL-1: Treatment-Emergent Adverse Events (TEAEs)



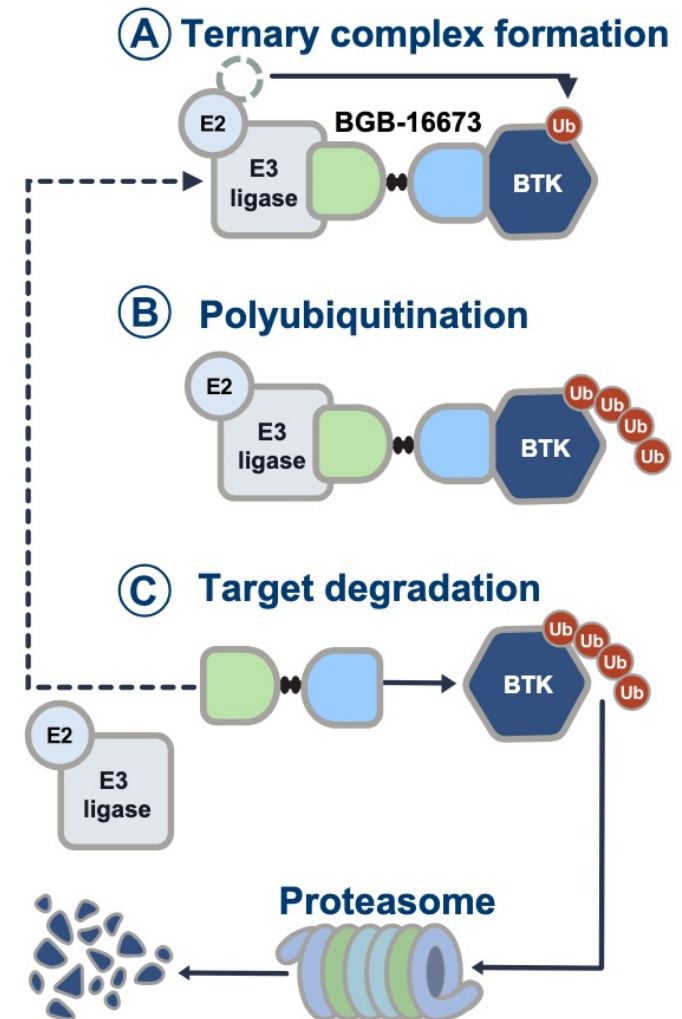
Patients With ≥1 Event, n (%)	EXP N=23
<b>Anemia</b>	15 (65)
At study entry	14 (61)
In first 8 weeks	15 (65)
<b>Thrombocytopenia</b>	15 (65)
At study entry	14 (61)
In first 8 weeks <sup>a</sup>	14 (61)
<b>Neutropenia</b>	11 (48)
At study entry	1 (4)
In first 8 weeks <sup>b</sup>	11 (48)

- TEAEs were primarily low grade (G1–2)
- TEAEs led to treatment discontinuation in 5 patients from EXP and 1 patient from C1 OPT
- 4 fatal TEAEs<sup>e</sup> occurred in EXP; none occurred in C1 OPT

<sup>a</sup>Combined term includes thrombocytopenia and decreased platelet count. <sup>b</sup>Combined term includes neutropenia, decreased neutrophil count, and febrile neutropenia. Three patients had febrile neutropenia (EXP, n=2 [grades 1 and 3]; C1 OPT, n=1 [grade 3]). <sup>c</sup>Combined term includes injection-site reaction, bruising, erythema, rash, and swelling. <sup>d</sup>Combined term includes COVID-19 and COVID-19 pneumonia. <sup>e</sup>Fatal TEAEs were pneumonia (n=2), sepsis (n=1), and squamous cell carcinoma of the skin (n=1); 1 case of pneumonia was considered related to epcoritamab.

# BGB-16673: A Chimeric Degradation Activating Compound

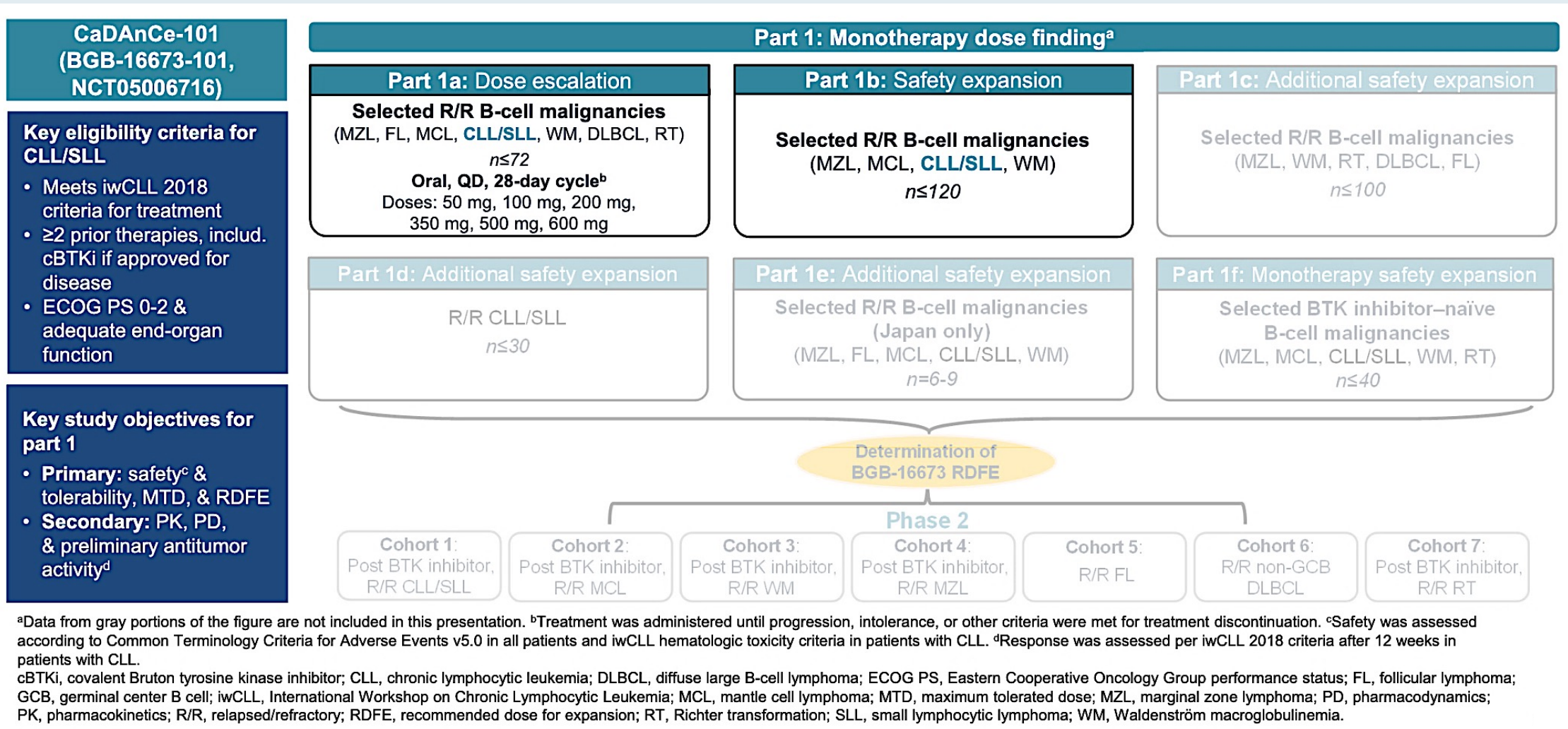
BGB-16673 is an orally available protein degrader that blocks BTK signaling by tagging BTK for degradation through the cell's proteasome pathway, leading to tumor regression



BTK, Bruton tyrosine kinase; cBTK, covalent Bruton tyrosine kinase; CLL/SLL, chronic lymphocytic leukemia/small lymphocytic lymphoma; CNS, central nervous system; ncBTK, noncovalent Bruton tyrosine kinase; R/R, relapsed/refractory; ub, ubiquitin.

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# CaDAnCe-101: A Phase I/II Dose-Escalation/Expansion Study of BGB-16673 for R/R B-Cell Cancers



## CaDAnCe-101: Response Data

	50 mg (n=1)	100 mg (n=22)	200 mg (n=18)	350 mg (n=15)	500 mg (n=12)	Total (N=68)
<b>Best overall response, n (%)</b>						
CR/CRI	0	1 (4.5)	1 (5.6)	0	0	2 (2.9)
PR <sup>a</sup>	1 (100)	14 (63.6)	12 (66.7)	11 (73.3)	11 (91.7)	49 (72.1)
PR-L	0	2 (9.1)	4 (22.2)	0	1 (8.3)	7 (10.3)
SD	0	5 (22.7)	0	0	0	5 (7.4)
PD	0	0	1 (5.6)	1 (6.7)	0	2 (2.9)
Discontinued prior to first assessment	0	0	0	3 (20.0)	0	3 (4.4)
<b>ORR, n (%)<sup>b</sup></b>	1 (100)	17 (77.3)	17 (94.4)	11 (73.3)	12 (100)	58 (85.3)
<b>Time to first response, median (range), months<sup>c</sup></b>	2.9 (2.9-2.9)	2.8 (2.0-6.2)	2.9 (2.6-8.3)	2.9 (2.6-19.4)	2.8 (2.7-13.8)	2.8 (2.0-19.4)
<b>Time to best response, median (range), months</b>	2.9 (2.9-2.9)	2.9 (2.0-11.1)	3.0 (2.6-13.8)	5.6 (2.6-19.4)	8.4 (2.7-13.8)	4.2 (2.0-19.4)
<b>Duration of exposure, median (range), months</b>	29.6 (29.6-29.6)	12.3 (3.4-25.4)	14.4 (2.9-30.3)	19.8 (0.2-28.5)	20.4 (6.8-27.1)	13.6 (0.2-30.3)

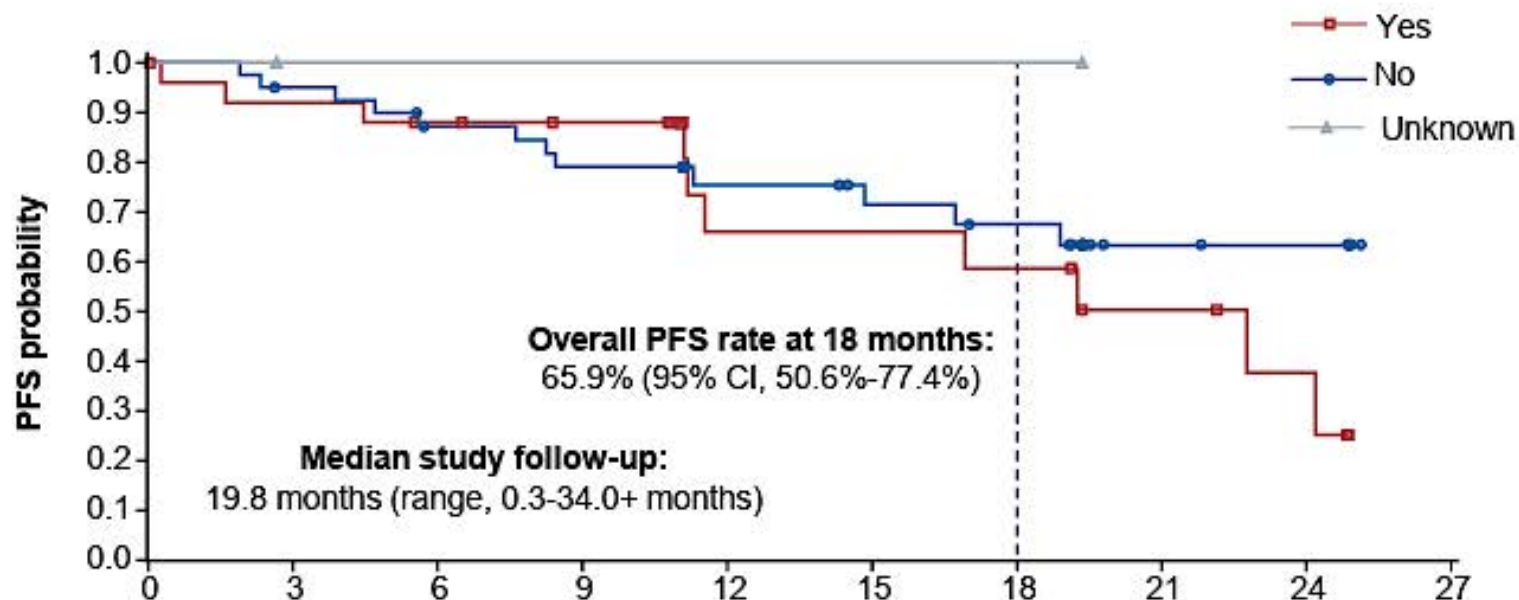
# CaDAnCe-101: Overall Response Rate in High-Risk Subgroups

Characteristic, n/N with known status (%)	ORR
Prior cBTKi + BCL2i	41/44 (93.2)
Prior cBTKi + BCL2i + ncBTKi	9/12 (75.0)
6 or more prior lines of therapy	13/16 (81.3)
del(17p) and/or <i>TP53</i> mutation	37/46 (80.4)
Complex karyotype ( $\geq 3$ abnormalities)	16/22 (72.7)
<i>BTK</i> mutations	20/26 (76.9)
<i>PLCG2</i> mutations	9/10 (90.0)

cBTKi = covalent BTK inhibitor; BCL2i = Bcl-2 inhibitor; ncBTKi = noncovalent BTK inhibitor

# CaDAnCe-101: PFS Outcomes

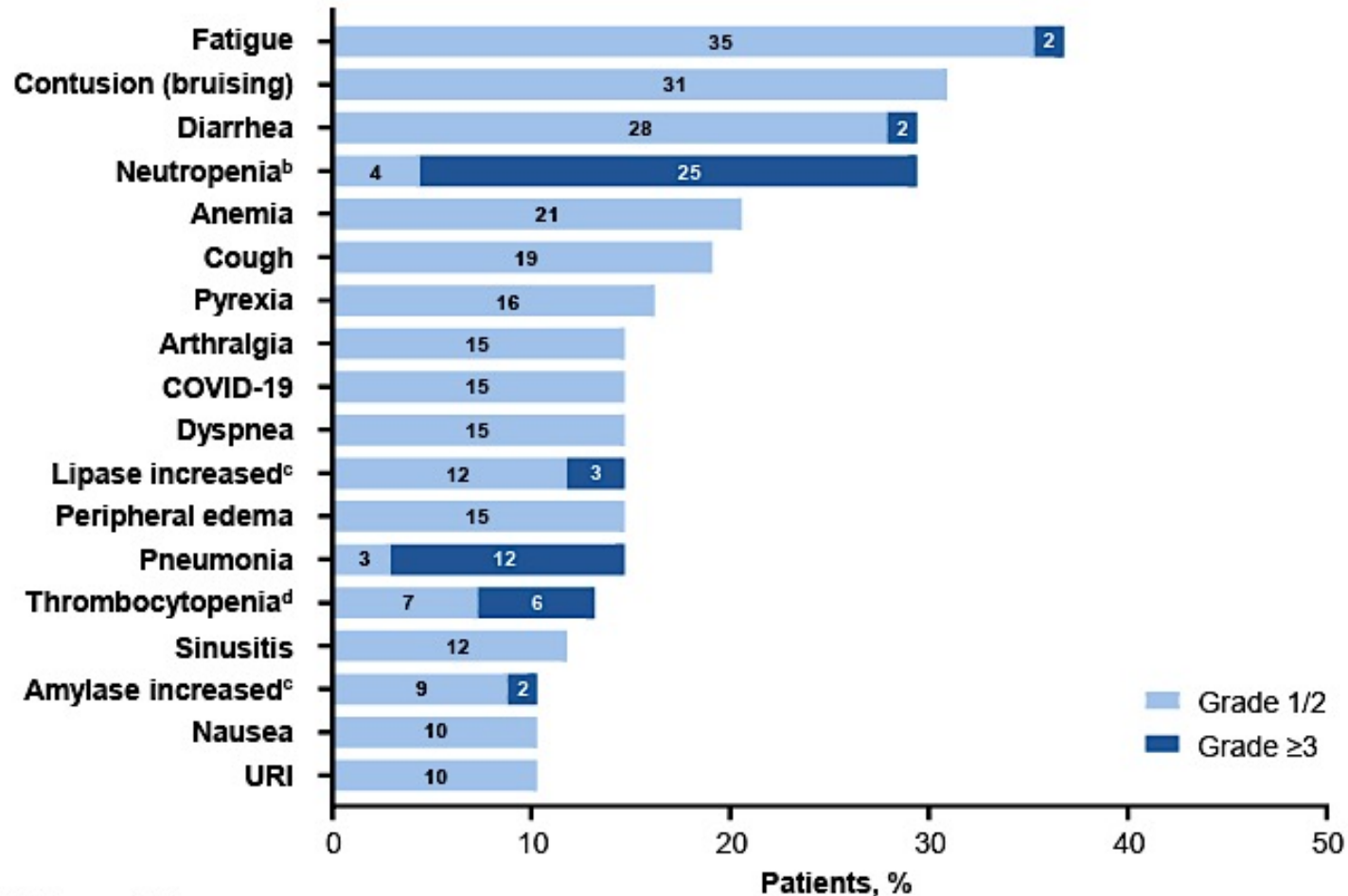
<b>BTK mutation status</b>	<b>18-month PFS rate, % (95% CI)</b>
Yes	58.7 (30.6-78.7)
No	67.5 (48.2-80.9)
Unknown	100 (100-100)



No. at risk	Months									
	0	3	6	9	12	15	18	21	24	27
Yes	26	23	21	19	9	9	8	5	3	0
No	40	37	32	29	21	18	16	5	4	0
Unknown	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0

# CaDAnCe-101: Safety Profile

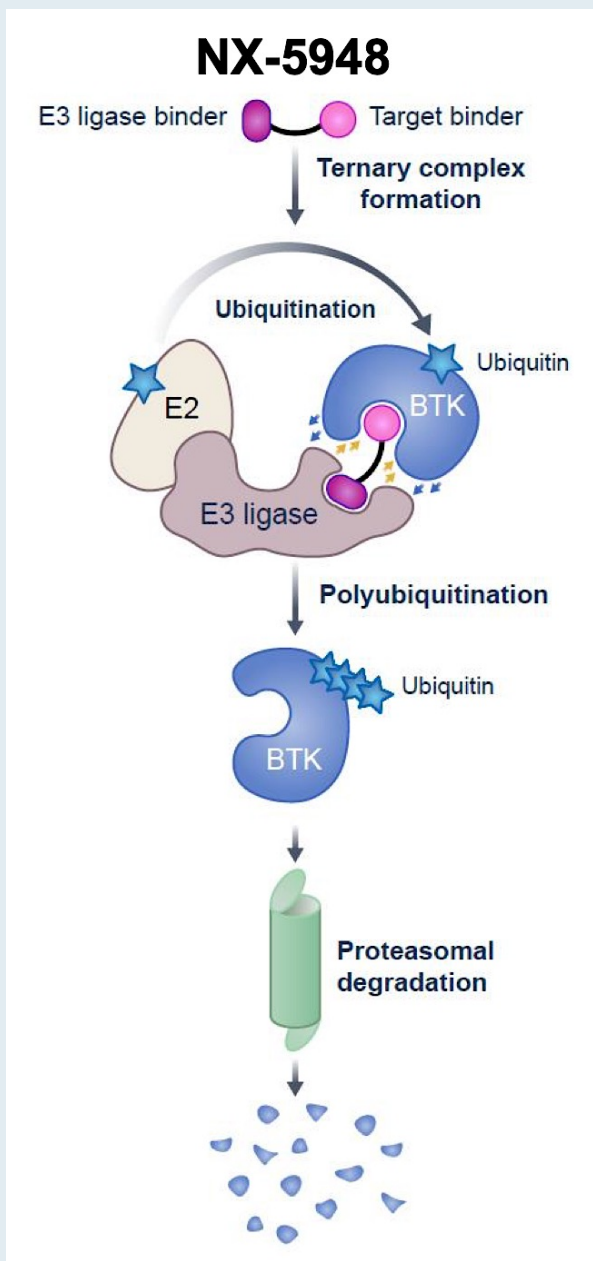
- The most common TEAEs were fatigue (36.8%) and contusion (bruising; 30.9%)
- Grade  $\geq 3$  neutropenia: n=17 (25.0%); 16 patients (23.5%) had grade  $\geq 2$  neutropenia at baseline
  - Neutropenic fever: n=1
- Atrial fibrillation: n=3 (grade 1, n=1; grade 2, n=2; all transient (2 of them lasting 1 day) in the context of infection and PD, assessed as unrelated to treatment)
- Treatment-related major hemorrhage<sup>a</sup>: n=2 (one grade 3 subdural hemorrhage and one grade 3 post-procedural hematuria)



Median follow-up in safety-evaluable patients: 19.8 months (range, 0.3-34.0+ months).

<sup>a</sup>Grade  $\geq 3$ , serious, or any central nervous system bleeding. <sup>b</sup>Neutropenia combines preferred terms *neutrophil count decreased* and *neutropenia*. <sup>c</sup>All events were laboratory findings and were transient, mostly occurring during the first 1-3 cycles of treatment, with no clinical pancreatitis. <sup>d</sup>Thrombocytopenia combines preferred terms *platelet count decreased* and *thrombocytopenia*. PD, progressive disease; TEAE, treatment-emergent adverse event; URI, upper respiratory tract infection.

# NX-5948: A Novel BTK Degradator



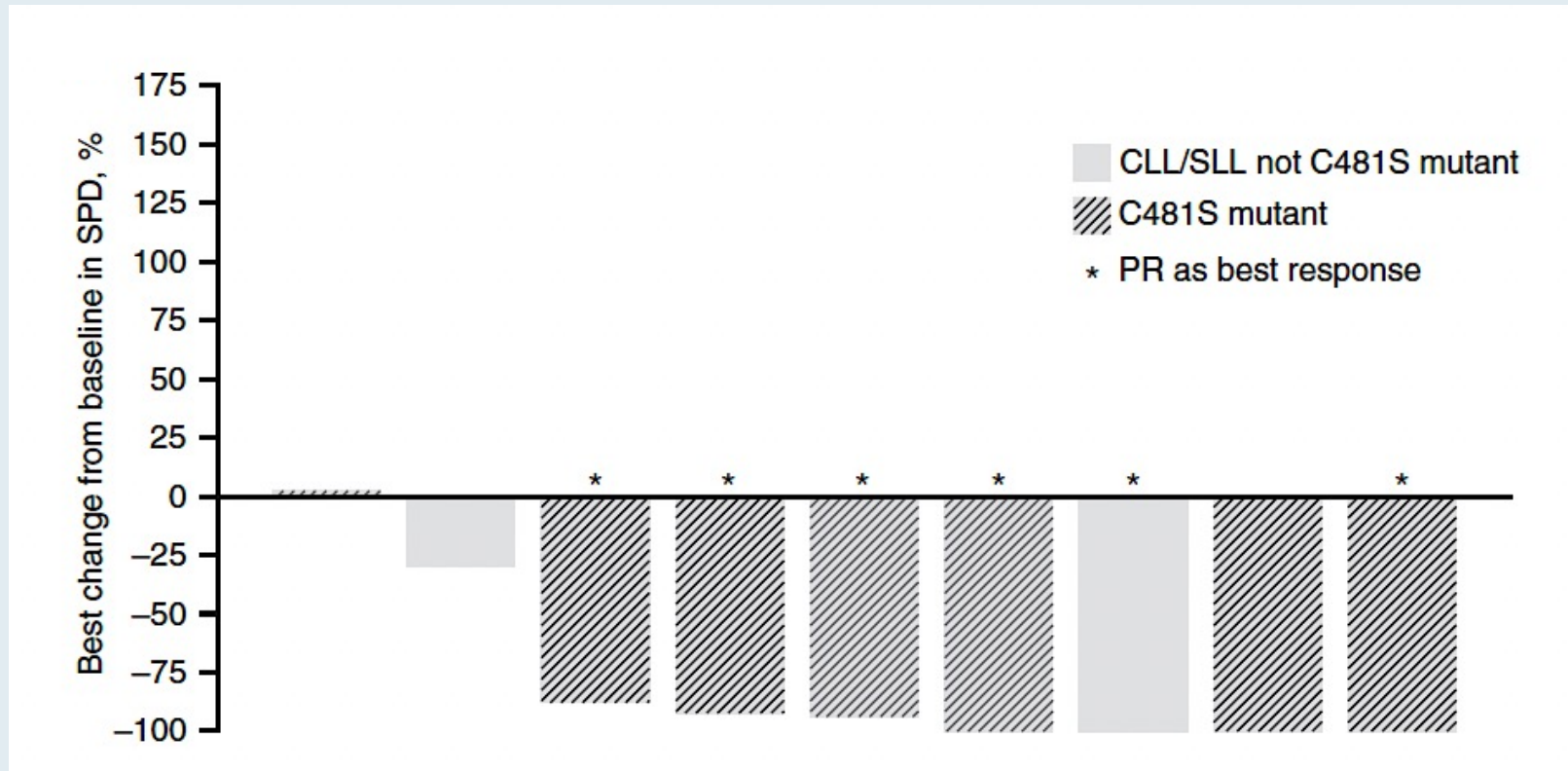
CLL response-evaluable patients	Primary ORR analysis ≥1 response assessment(s) at 8 weeks (n=49)
<b>Objective response rate (ORR), % (95% CI)</b>	75.5 (61.1–86.7)
<b>Best response, n (%)</b>	
CR	0 (0.0)
PR	36 (73.5)
PR-L	1 (2.0)
SD	10 (20.4)
PD	2 (4.1)

# NX-5948: A Novel BTK Degradator – Safety Profile

TEAEs, n (%)	Patients with CLL/SLL (n=60)		
	Any grade	Grade ≥3	SAEs
Purpura/contusion <sup>a</sup>	22 (36.7)	–	–
Fatigue <sup>b</sup>	16 (26.7)	–	–
Petechiae	16 (26.7)	–	–
Thrombocytopenia <sup>c</sup>	10 (16.7)	1 (1.7)	–
Rash <sup>d</sup>	14 (23.3)	1 (1.7)	1 (1.7)
Neutropenia <sup>e</sup>	14 (23.3)	11 (18.3)	–
Anemia	11 (18.3)	4 (6.7)	–
Headache	10 (16.7)	–	–
COVID-19 <sup>f</sup>	10 (16.7)	–	–
Diarrhea	12 (20.0)	1 (1.7)	–
Cough	9 (15.0)	–	–
Pneumonia <sup>g</sup>	4 (6.7)	2 (3.3)	2 (3.3)
Lower respiratory tract infection	3 (5.0)	1 (1.7)	1 (1.7)
Fall	1 (1.7)	1 (1.7)	1 (1.7)
Hypertension	2 (3.3)	1 (1.7)	–
Hyponatremia	–	–	–
Pulmonary embolism	1 (1.7)	1 (1.7)	1 (1.7)
Subdural hematoma	1 (1.7)	–	1 (1.7)

TEAE = treatment-emergent adverse event; SAE = serious adverse event

# Nemtabrutinib: A Novel Reversible BTK Inhibitor



In a Phase I study, among the 22 patients with CLL, 8 (36.4%) achieved at least a partial remission with lymphocytosis as best response.

Among the 47 patients with CLL or NHL in the safety analysis, atrial fibrillation was reported in 1 patient (Grade 3), and no ventricular arrhythmias or unexplained deaths were reported. Hypertension was reported in 32% of patients (Grade 2 in 17%, Grade 3 in 15%).

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