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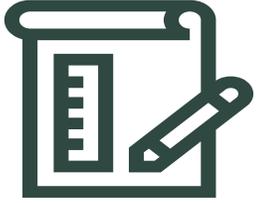


**Great Advances
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Early Stage

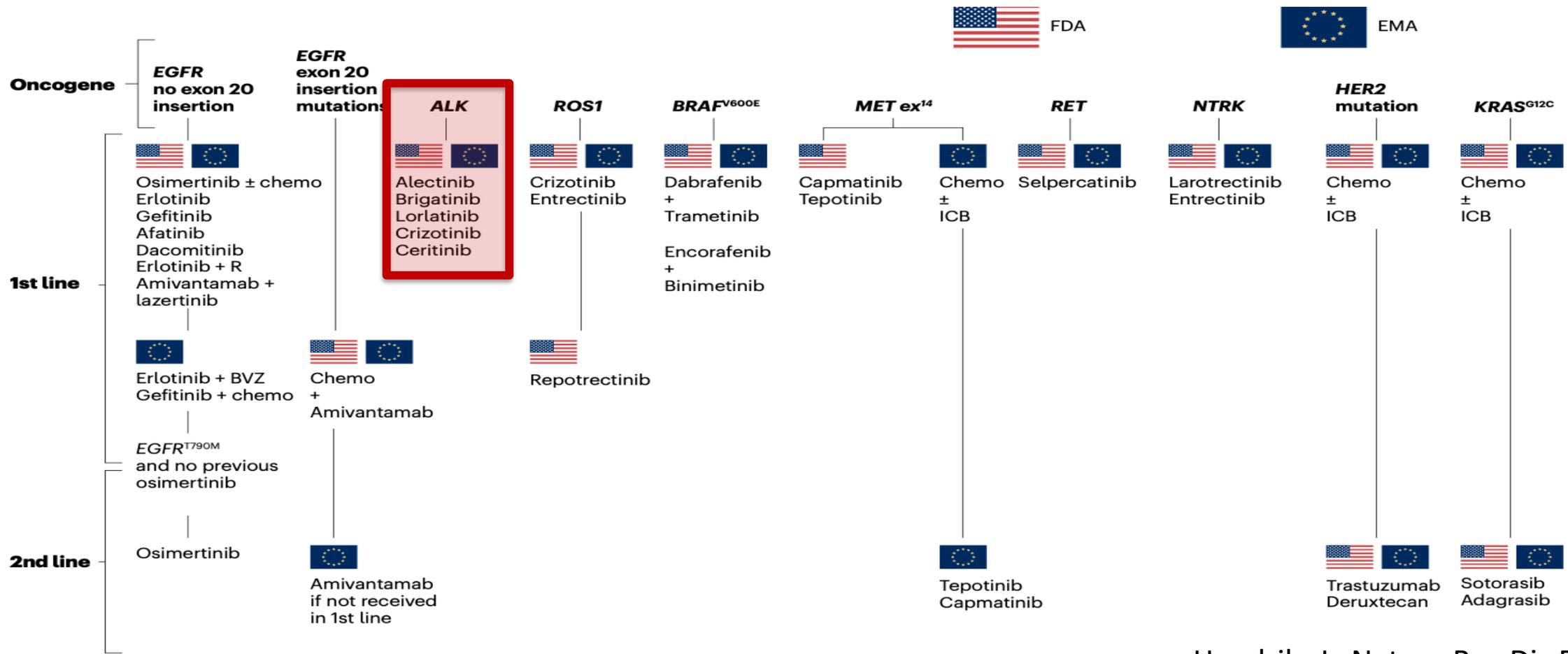
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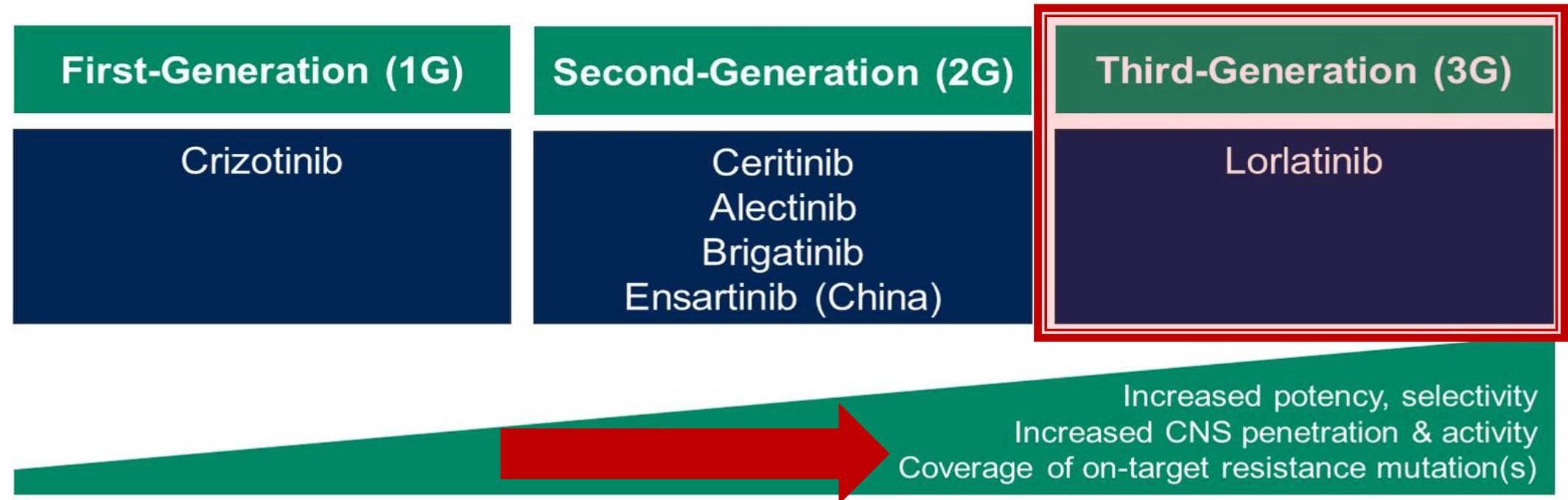
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Advanced Disease

Treatment recommendations for Oncogene-driven mNSCLC

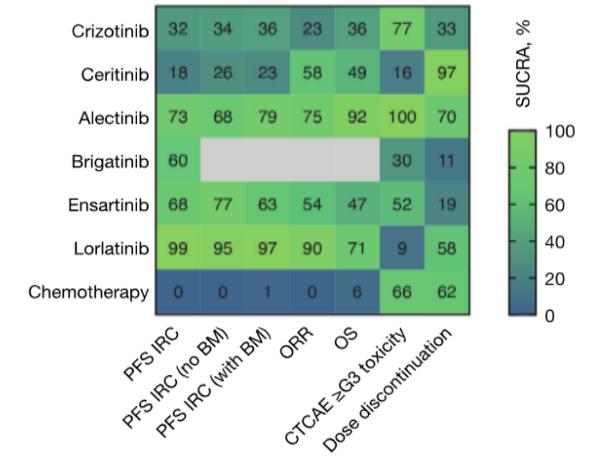
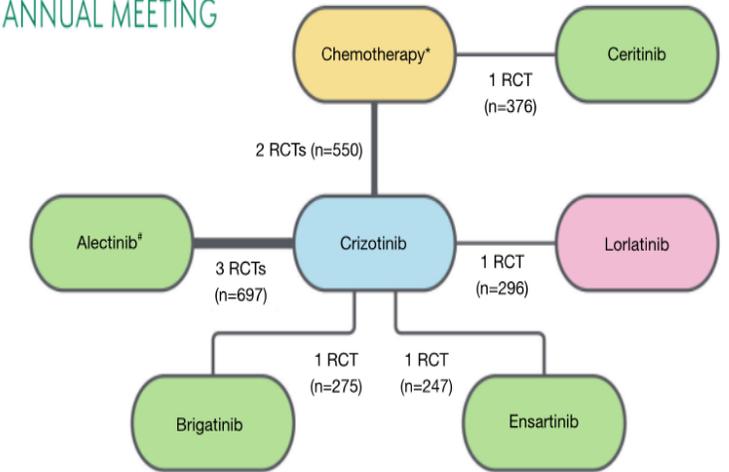


Evolution of First- and Next-Generation ALK Inhibitors for ALK+ NSCLC



	ALEX <i>Alectinib vs Crizotinib</i>	ALTA1L <i>Brigatinib vs Crizotinib</i>	CROWN <i>Lorlatinib vs Crizotinib</i>
Trial Design			
✓ N	303	275	296
✓ Primary Objective	PFS (INV)	PFS (BIRC)	PFS (BIRC)
✓ Cross-over	No	Yes	No
ORR (%)	82	74	77
icORR (%)	81	78	83
icRC (%)	38	28	72
PFS (m)	34.8 (HR=0.43)	24 (HR=0.48)	NR (HR=0.27)
3y PFS (%)	46.4	43	63.5
OS (%)	62,5 (5y)	66 (4y)	NR
Toxicity			
Treatment after PD	Lorlatinib	Lorlatinib	CT +/- IO

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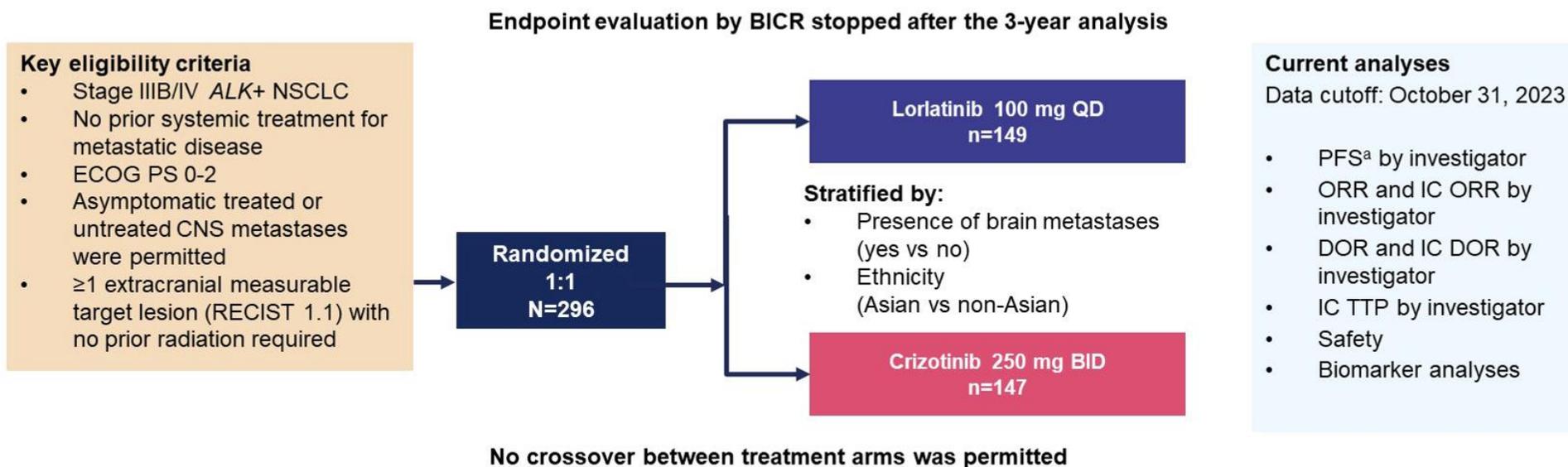


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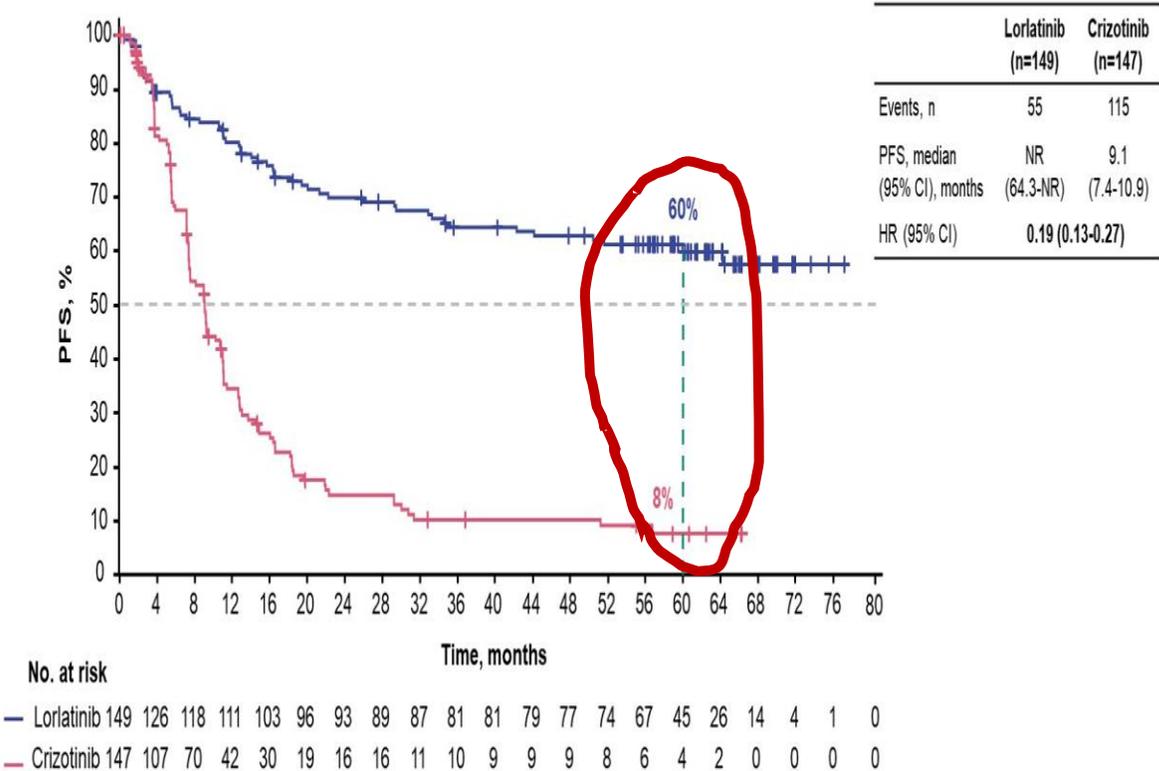
Lorlatinib vs Crizotinib in Treatment-Naive Patients With Advanced *ALK*+ Non-Small Cell Lung Cancer: 5-Year Progression-Free Survival and Safety From the CROWN Study

Benjamin J. Solomon,¹ Geoffrey Liu,² Enriqueta Felip,³ Tony S. K. Mok,⁴ Ross A. Soo,⁵ Julien Mazieres,⁶ Alice T. Shaw,⁷

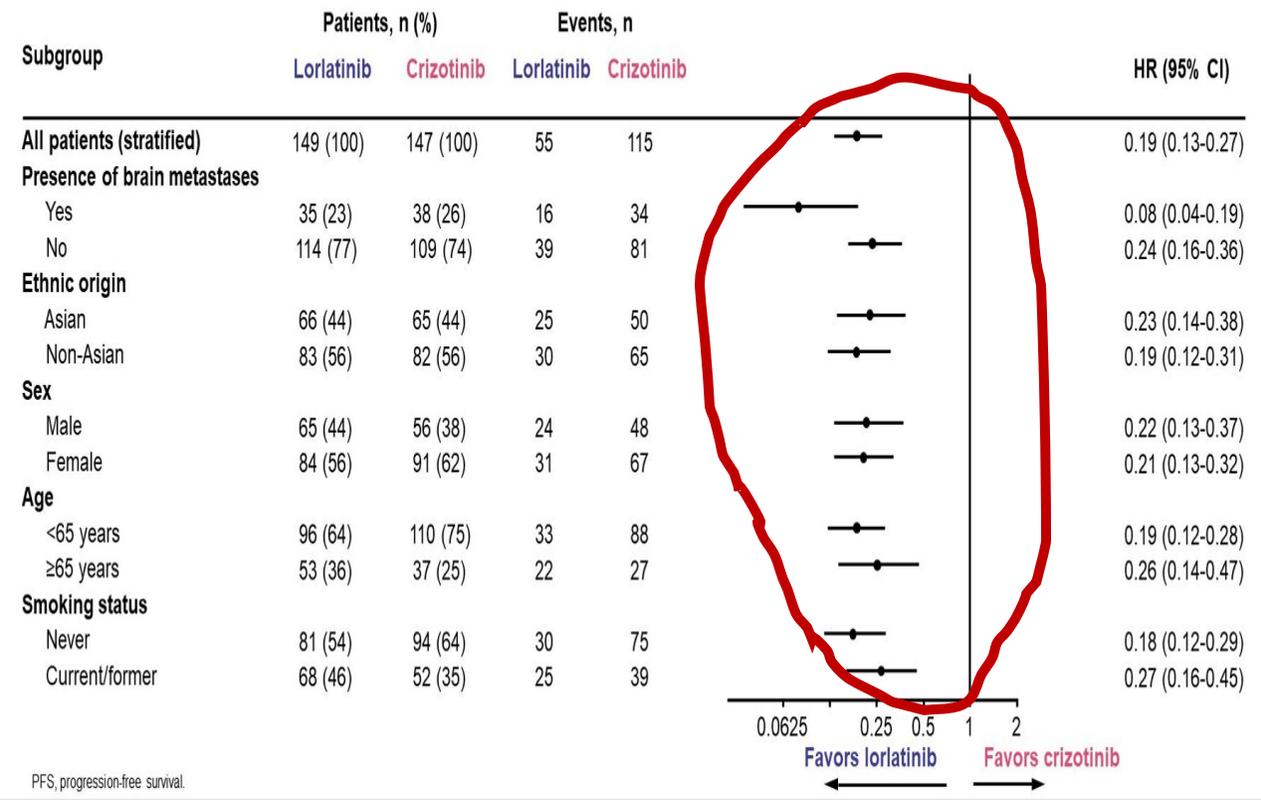
Current Post Hoc Analyses at 5 Years



At 60.2 Months of Median Follow-Up, Median PFS by Investigator Was Still Not Reached With Lorlatinib



PFS Benefit With Lorlatinib Was Observed Across Patient Subgroups

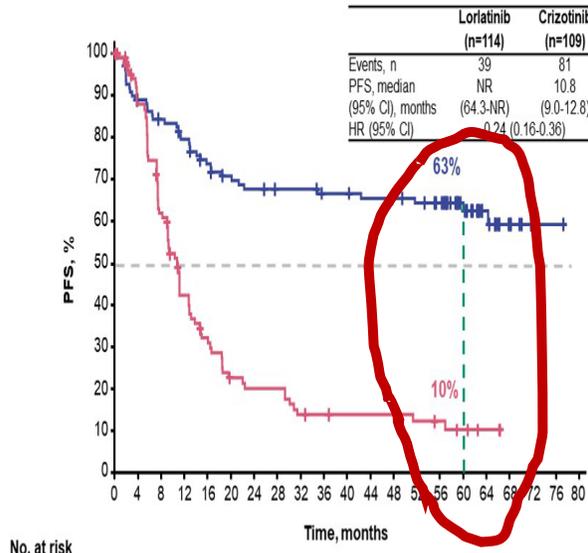
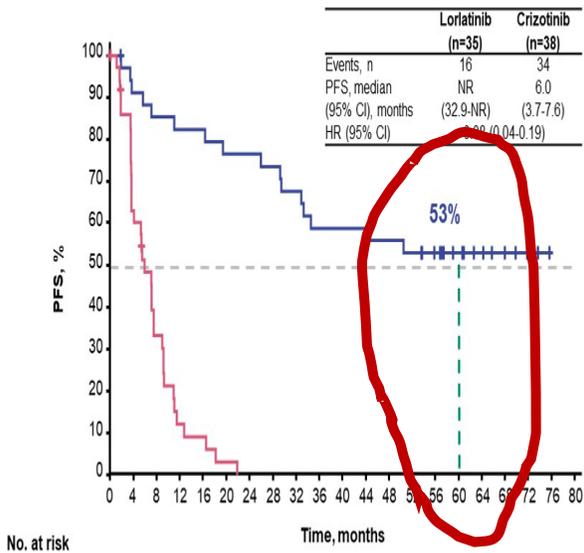


Lorlatinib Showed Superior PFS Benefit Irrespective of Presence or Absence of **Baseline Brain Metastases**

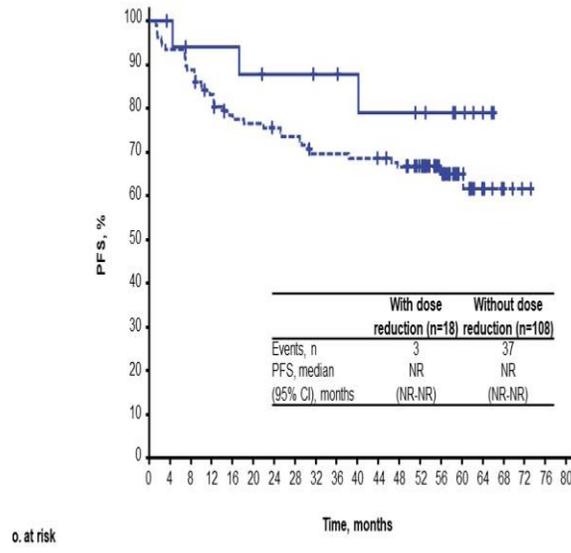
Dose Reduction Did Not Impact Efficacy of Lorlatinib in Patients Who Had **Dose Reduction in the First 16 Weeks**

With Baseline Brain Metastases

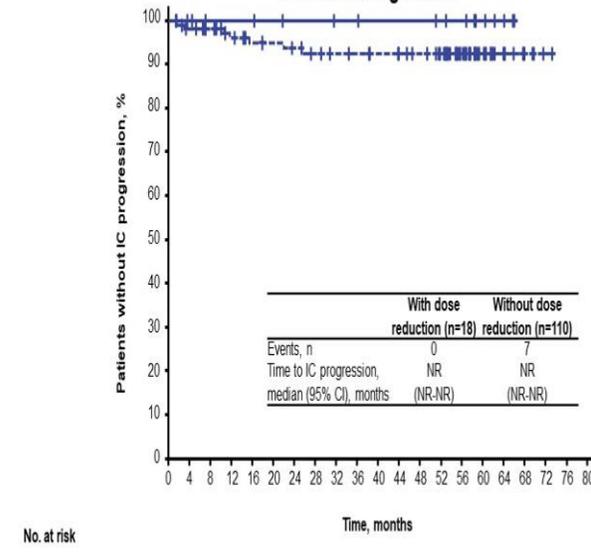
Without Baseline Brain Metastases



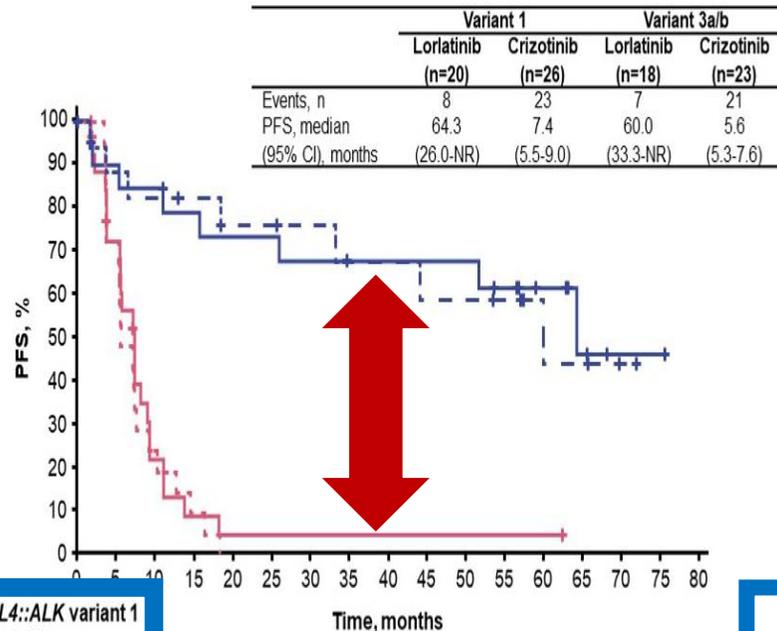
PFS



Time to IC Progression

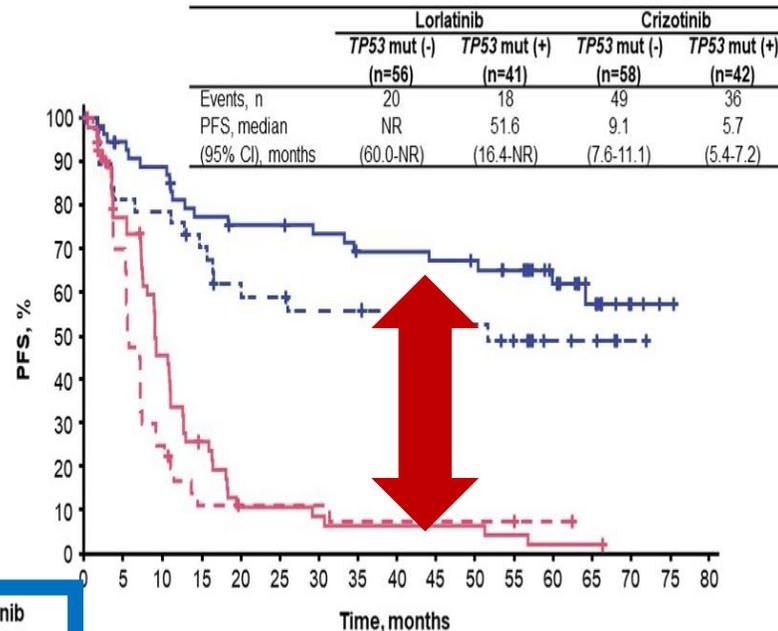


Lorlatinib Treatment Benefited Patients With **Poor** Prognostic Biomarkers



EML4::ALK variant 1	
No. at risk	
— Lorlatinib	20 17 14 13 13 12 11 11 11 11 9 6 3 1 1 0
- - Crizotinib	26 18 2 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 0 0 0 0

EML4::ALK variant 3	
No. at risk	
- - Lorlatinib	18 15 13 11 11 9 8 8 7 7 6 3 3 1 0 -
- - Crizotinib	23 15 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 -



Lorlatinib	
No. at risk	
— TP53 mut (-)	6 50 47 40 38 38 36 33 33 32 31 28 20 12 4 1 0
- - TP53 mut (+)	1 30 29 25 21 20 18 18 17 15 15 12 6 4 1 0 0

Crizotinib	
No. at risk	
- - TP53 mut (-)	8 40 23 12 5 5 4 3 3 3 3 2 1 1 0 - -
- - TP53 mut (+)	2 28 10 4 3 3 3 2 2 2 2 2 1 0 0 - -

Patterns of progression with lorlatinib and insights into subsequent anticancer therapy efficacy in advanced ALK+ NSCLC

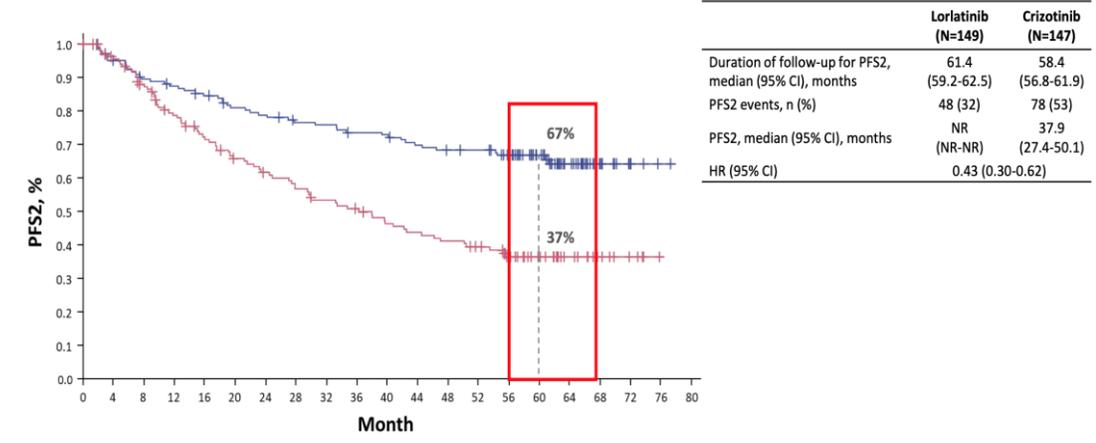
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	Lorlatinib (n=38)	Crizotinib (n=109)
First subsequent systemic anticancer therapy, n (%)		
ALK TKI	23 (61)	101 (93)
Alectinib	12 (52)	68 (67)
Crizotinib	4 (17)	5 (5)
Ceritinib	3 (13)	3 (3)
Lorlatinib	3 (13)	4 (4)
Brigatinib	1 (4)	21 (21)
Chemotherapy ± anti-angiogenic	13 (34)	4 (4)
Chemotherapy/immunotherapy	1 (3)	0
Chemotherapy/immunotherapy/anti-angiogenic	1 (3)	0
Other ^a	0	4 (4)
DOT on first subsequent systemic anticancer therapy, median (IQR), months		
ALK TKIs as first subsequent therapy ^b	12.5 (2.0-31.7)	15.8 (7.0-39.9)
Non-ALK TKIs as first subsequent therapy ^c	6.7 (2.6-19.7)	1.2 (0.8-2.7)

ALK, anaplastic lymphoma kinase; DOT, duration of treatment; TKI, tyrosine kinase inhibitor.
^aIncludes investigational drug, cabozantinib, and osimertinib. ^bN numbers are 23 for lorlatinib and 101 for crizotinib. ^cN numbers are 15 for lorlatinib and 8 for crizotinib.

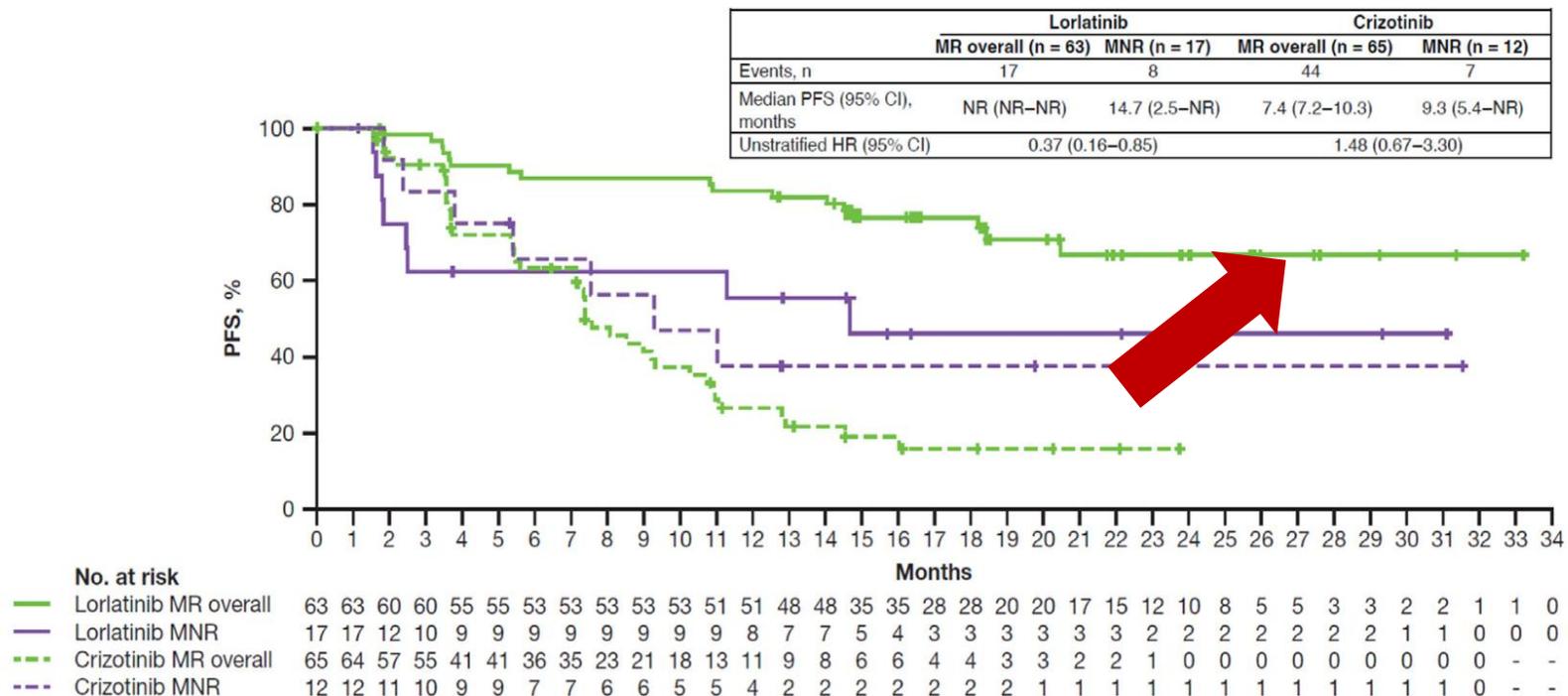
Molecular profiling, n (%) ^c	Early progressors (n=28) ^a	Nonprogressors (n=45) ^a
Confirmed ALK positive	14 (50)	35 (78)
<i>EML4-ALK</i> variant 1	6 (21)	10 (22)
<i>EML4-ALK</i> variant 2	0	5 (11)
<i>EML4-ALK</i> variant 3	5 (18)	11 (24)
<i>EML4-ALK</i> other variant	3 (11)	7 (16)
Other ALK fusion	0	2 (4)
Unconfirmed ALK positive^d	14 (50)	10 (22)
TP53 mutation detected	16 (57)	10 (22)

PFS2 was longer in patients who received lorlatinib vs crizotinib as the study treatment



Early Circulating Tumor DNA Dynamics and Efficacy of Lorlatinib in Patients With Treatment-Naive, Advanced, *ALK*-Positive NSCLC

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- Early ctDNA dynamics predicted better outcome with **Lorlatinib** but not with Crizotinib

CROWN: My Conclusions and Implications for Practice

The 5-year updated analyses of CROWN (re)affirm lorlatinib as standard-of-care first-line treatment for patients with metastatic ALK+ NSCLC

CROWN¹



ALEX²

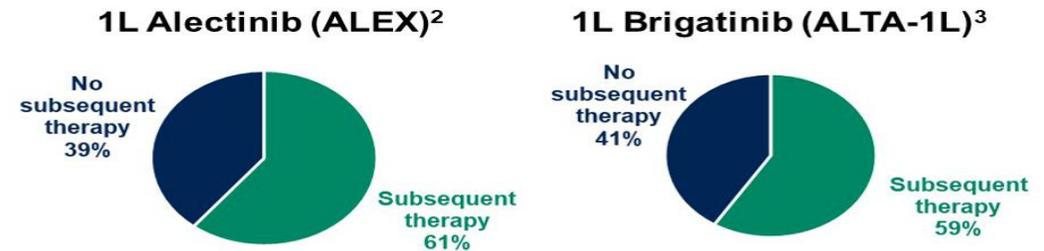


ALTA-1L³



1L ALK TKI PFS from indicated trials, per investigator assessment

Attrition Following 1L ALK TKI

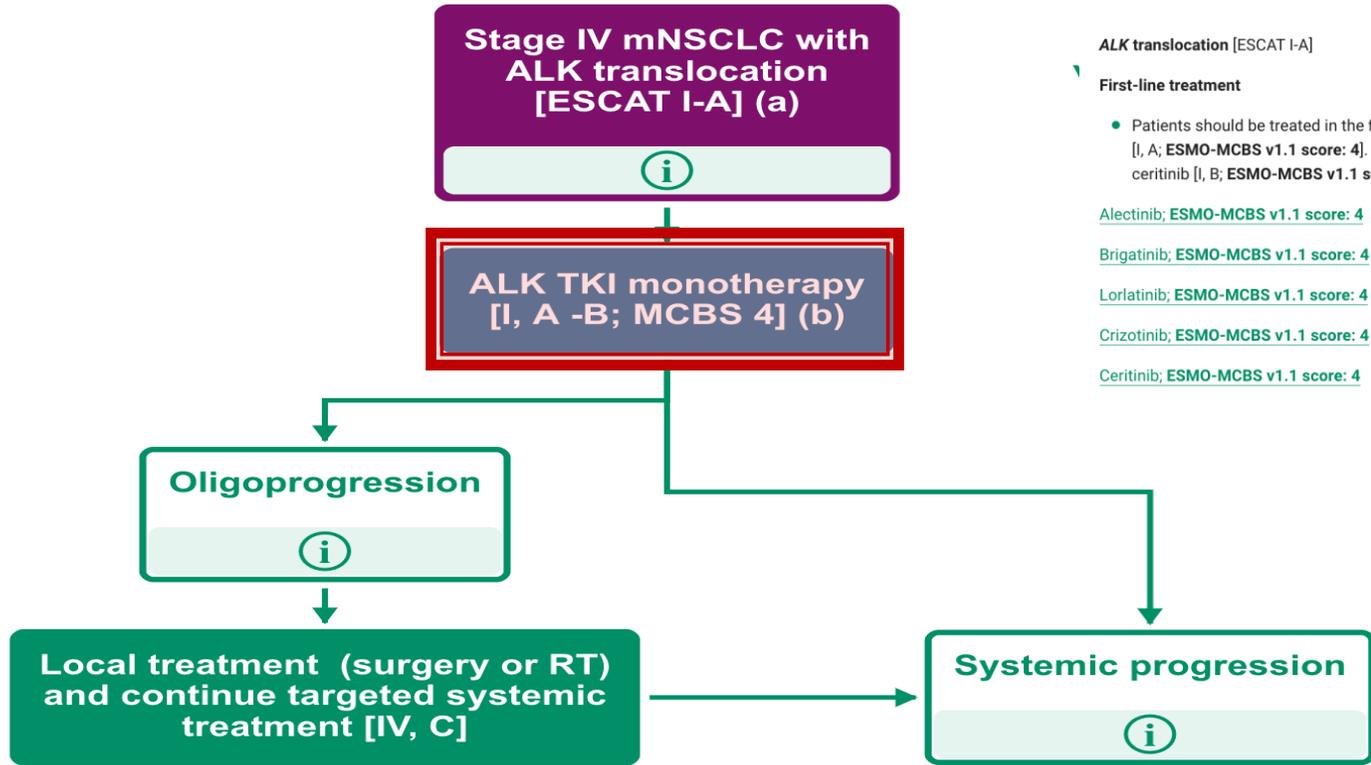


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What will I do next week with a patient with newly diagnosed metastatic ALK+ NSCLC presenting to clinic?

Recognizing that treatment decisions will always need to be individualized to meet each patient's goals and needs, *lorlatinib will be my preferred initial therapy for most patients*

- > ESMO Oncogene-Addicted Non-Small Cell Lung Cancer Living Guideline
- > Management of Advanced and Metastatic Disease (after Positive Findings on Molecular Tests) > ALK Translocation
- > Stage IV mNSCLC with ALK Translocation Before Systemic Progression



ALK-positive NSCLC: First-line Treatment

ALK translocation [ESCAT I-A]

First-line treatment

- Patients should be treated in the first-line setting with alectinib, brigatinib or lorlatinib [I, A; **ESMO-MCBS v1.1 score: 4**]. These options are preferred over crizotinib or ceritinib [I, B; **ESMO-MCBS v1.1 score: 4**].

- [Alectinib; ESMO-MCBS v1.1 score: 4](#)
- [Brigatinib; ESMO-MCBS v1.1 score: 4](#)
- [Lorlatinib; ESMO-MCBS v1.1 score: 4](#)
- [Crizotinib; ESMO-MCBS v1.1 score: 4](#)
- [Ceritinib; ESMO-MCBS v1.1 score: 4](#)

Indication details

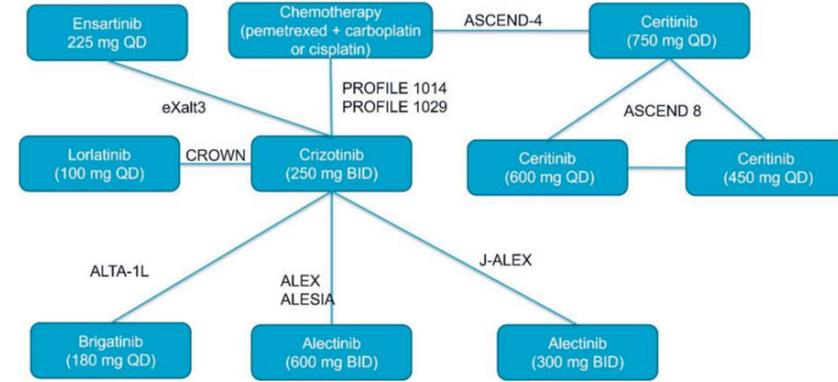
Control Arm	Crizotinib
Therapeutic Indication	Treatment of adult patients with anaplastic lymphoma kinase (ALK) positive (NSCLC) previously not treated with an ALK inhibitor
Tumour Type	Thoracic Malignancies
Tumour Sub-type	Non-small-cell Lung Cancer
Tumour Stage	Advanced
Tumour Sub-Group	ALK+
Trial Name	CROWN
NCT Number	NCT03052608
Trial Phase	Phase III



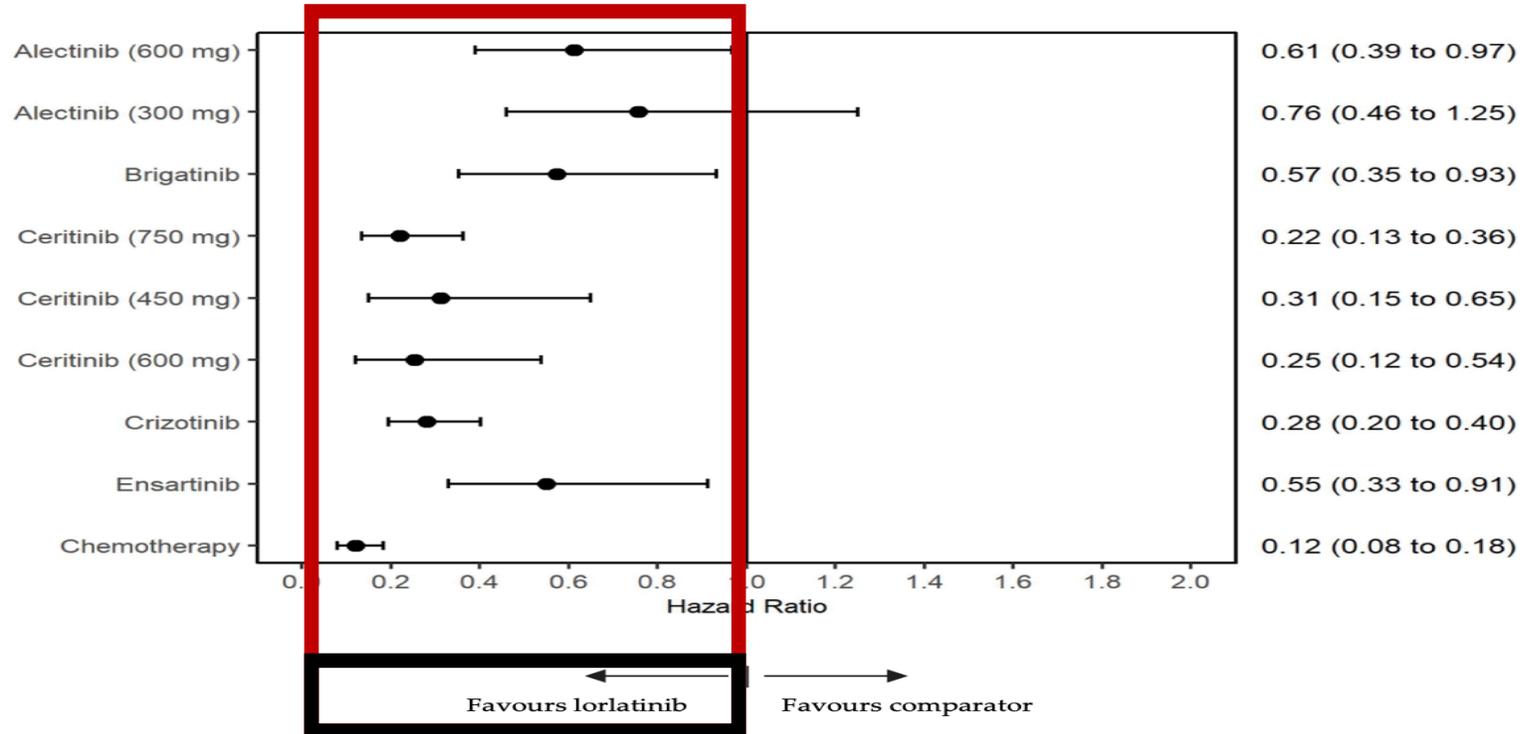
Research Paper

Systematic review and network meta-analysis of lorlatinib with comparison to other anaplastic lymphoma kinase (ALK) tyrosine kinase inhibitors (TKIs) as first-line treatment for ALK-positive advanced non-smallcell lung cancer (NSCLC)

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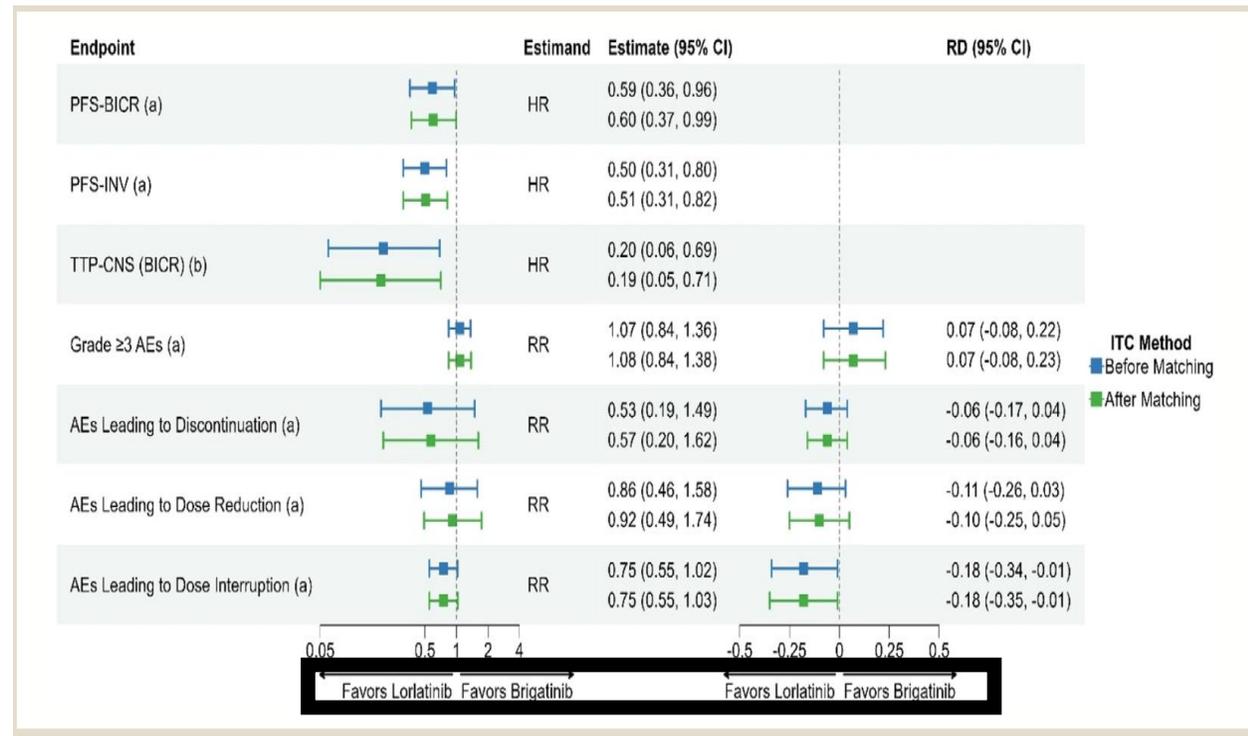
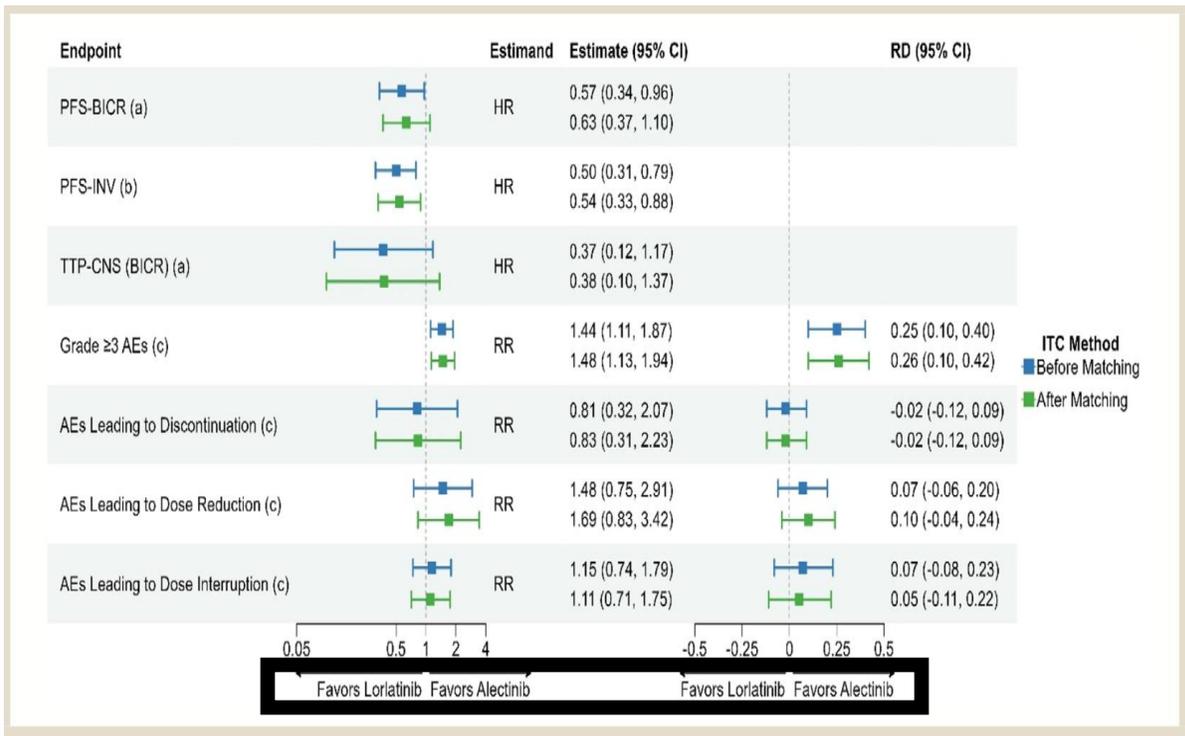


Comparative Efficacy and Safety of Lorlatinib Versus Alectinib and Lorlatinib Versus Brigatinib for ALK-Positive Advanced/Metastatic NSCLC: Matching-Adjusted Indirect Comparisons

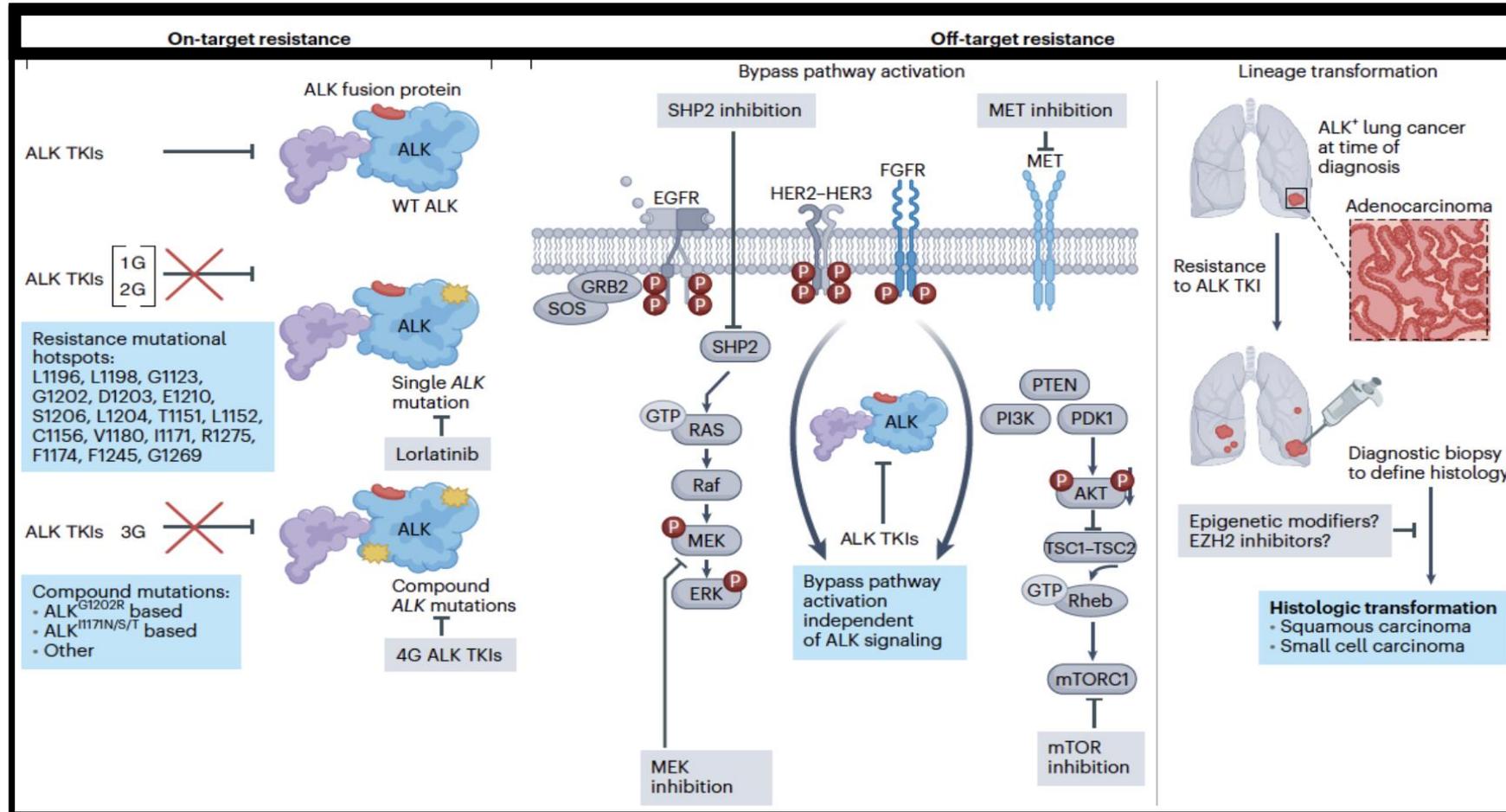
Christine Garcia,¹ Devin Abrahami,² Anna Polli,³ Haitao Chu,⁴ Conor Chandler,⁵

Conclusion

Lorlatinib was associated with superior PFS-INV compared to alectinib and brigatinib in these MAICs. While the estimated rate of Grade ≥ 3 AEs with lorlatinib was higher than that with alectinib, there were no differences in the other studied safety endpoints or compared to brigatinib. Overall, this study bolsters the totality of evidence concerning the comparative efficacy and safety of lorlatinib and supports its use as a first-line treatment for patients with ALK+ advanced/metastatic NSCLC.



Mechanisms of Resistance to ALK Inhibitors



③ Lorlatinib Versus Crizotinib in Patients With Advanced *ALK*-Positive Non–Small Cell Lung Cancer: 5-Year Outcomes From the Phase III CROWN Study

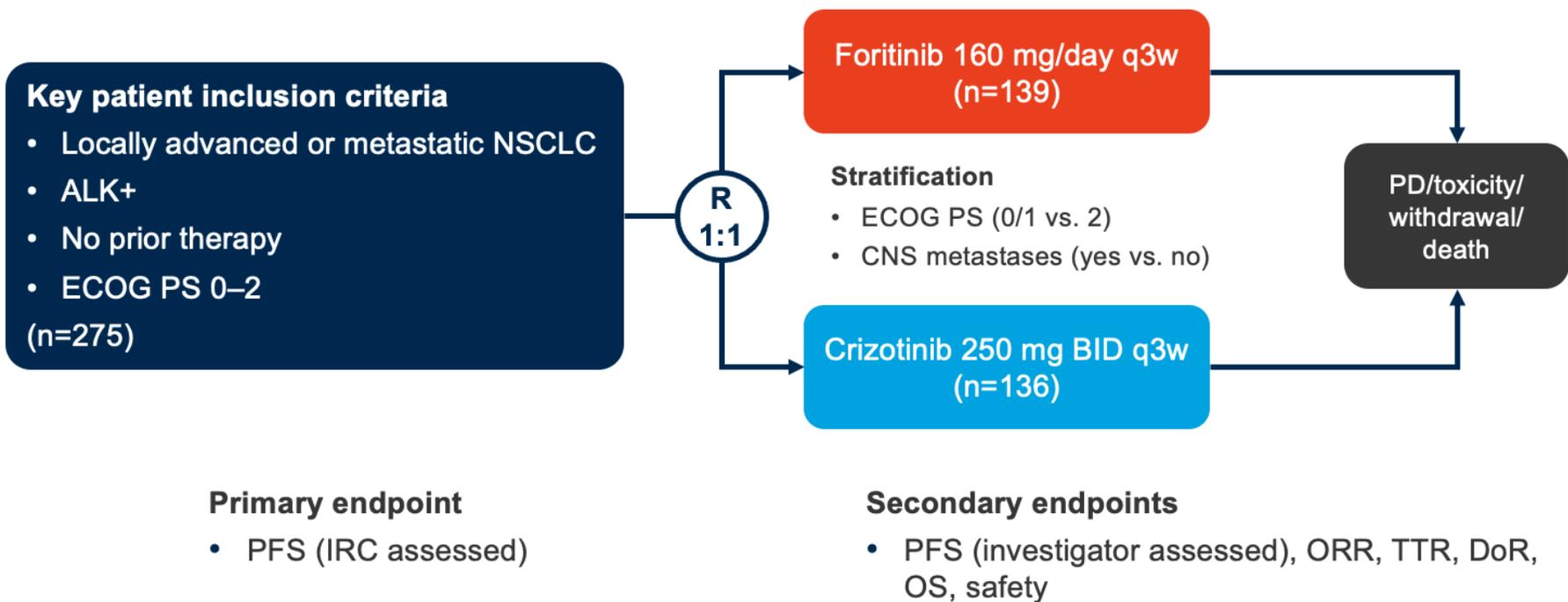
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TABLE A8. Summary of Resistance Mechanisms in End-of-Treatment ctDNA Samples

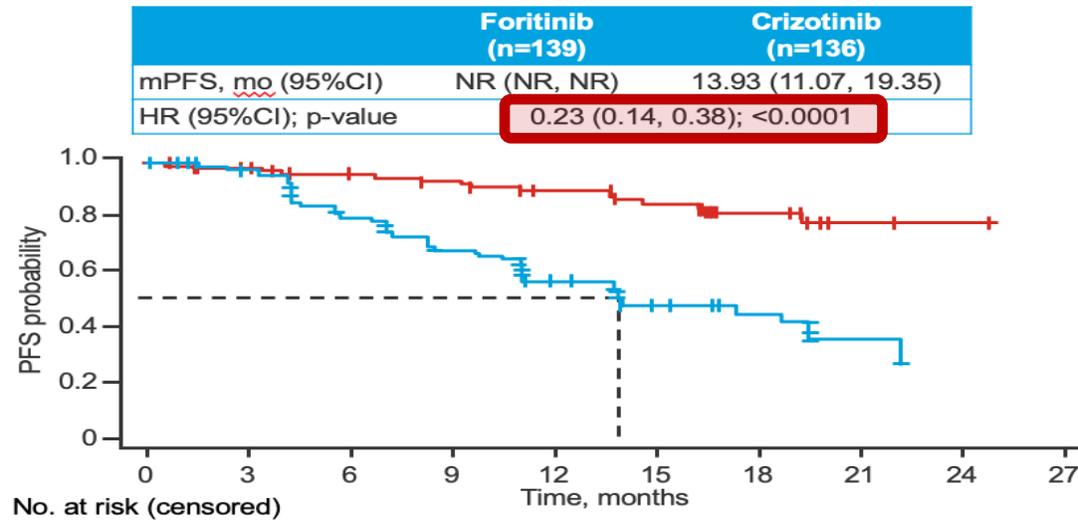
Resistance Mechanisms	Lorlatinib (n = 31)	Crizotinib (n = 89)
Resistance mechanisms, No. (%)		
New single <i>ALK</i> mutation	0	8 (9)
<i>ALK</i> compound mutation	0	2 (2)
Bypass mechanism, No. (%)	9 (29)	10 (11)
MAPK pathway aberration	3 (10)	1 (1)
PI3K/MTOR/PTEN pathway aberration	2 (6)	0
RTK pathway aberration	4 (13)	5 (6)
Cell cycle pathway aberration	2 (6)	5 (6)
Other gene aberration, No. (%)	11 (35)	19 (21)
Unknown, No. (%)	15 (42)	56 (63)

Randomized, Open-label, Phase III Study of **SAF-189s** Versus Crizotinib in First-Line ALK-Positive Advanced Non-Small Cell Lung Cancer (NSCLC) **REMARK Study**

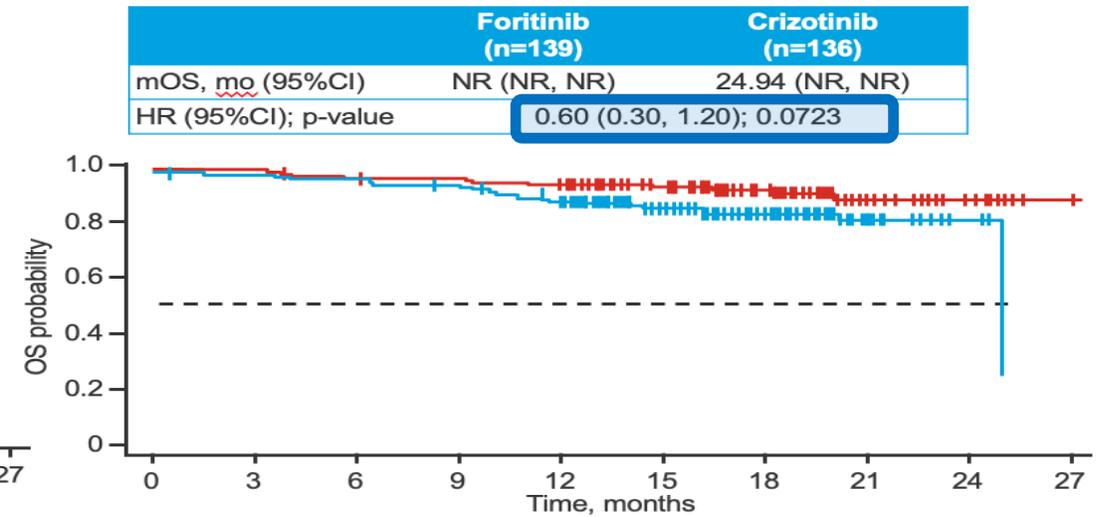
Anwen, Xiong
East Hospital Affiliated to Tongji University
China



Progression-free survival



Overall survival



Outcomes	Foritinib (n=139)	Crizotinib (n=136)
ORR, n (%) [95%CI]	29 (92.8) [87.2, 98.5]	110 (80.9) [75.5, 87.1]
OR (95%CI)	3.04 (1.41, 6.57)	
BOR, n (%)		
PR	129 (92.8)	110 (80.9)
SD	6 (4.3)	22 (16.2)
PD	2 (1.4)	1 (0.7)
NE	2 (1.4)	3 (2.2)
mDoR, mo (95%CI)	NR	15.9 (11.2, NR)

Intracranial response*	Foritinib (n=10)	Crizotinib (n=18)
ORR, n (%) [95%CI]	10 (100) [89.2, 100]	9 (50.0) [28.0, 74.0]
OR (95%CI)	NC	
BOR, n (%)		
CR	2 (20.0)	2 (11.1)
PR	8 (80.0)	7 (38.9)
SD	0	8 (44.4)
PD	0	1 (5.6)
mDoR, mo (95%CI)	NR	11.0 (2.9, NR)

TRAEs, n (%)	Foritinib (n=138)	Crizotinib (n=135)
Any	135 (97.8)	133 (98.5)
Grade ≥3	52 (37.7)	75 (55.6)
Serious	22 (15.9)	16 (11.9)
Led to dose interruption	37 (26.8)	48 (35.6)
Led to dose reduction	33 (23.9)	51 (37.8)
Led to discontinuation	5 (3.6)	3 (2.2)

Conclusions

- In Chinese patients with ALK+ advanced NSCLC, 1L foritinib demonstrated a significant improvement in PFS over crizotinib along with a trend in improvement in OS and no new safety findings

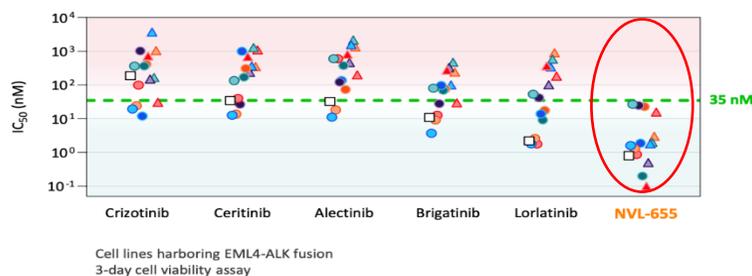
Phase 1/2 ALKOVE-1 study of NVL-655 in ALK-positive (ALK+) solid tumors

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NVL-655: A Rationally Designed ALK-selective, TRK-sparing TKI

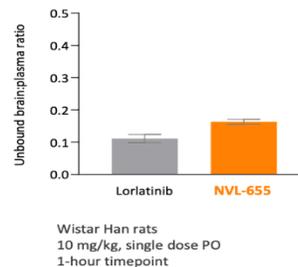
ALK Fusion and ALK Single/Compound Mutation Activity

Potent activity ($IC_{50} = 0.1 - 30$ nM) against ALK-driven cell lines, including ALK single and compound mutants



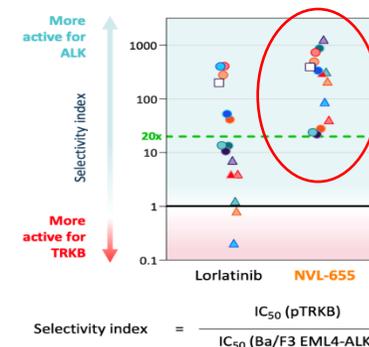
Brain Penetration

Preclinical pharmacokinetic data similar to lorlatinib



Avoidance of TRK Inhibition

Selective inhibition of ALK and ALK mutants over TRK



Single ALK mutations

- T1151M | Ba/F3 (v3)
- L1196M | MGH045-1 (v1)
- I1171N | Ba/F3 (v1)
- L1198F | Ba/F3 (v1)
- F1174L | Ba/F3 (v3)
- G1202R | YU-1077 (v3)
- V1180L | Ba/F3 (v1)
- D1203N | Ba/F3 (v1)

Compound ALK mutations

- ▲ G1202R/T1151M | MR448re (v3)
- ▲ G1202R/F1174L | Ba/F3 (v3)
- ▲ G1202R/L1196M | MGH953-7 (v3)
- ▲ G1202R/L1198F | Ba/F3 (v1)
- ▲ G1202R/G1269A | Ba/F3 (v1)
- ▲ I1171N/L1198F | Ba/F3 (v1)

A Global First-in-Human Phase 1/2 Clinical Trial of NVL-655 in Advanced ALK-Positive NSCLC and Other Solid Tumors (NCT05384626)

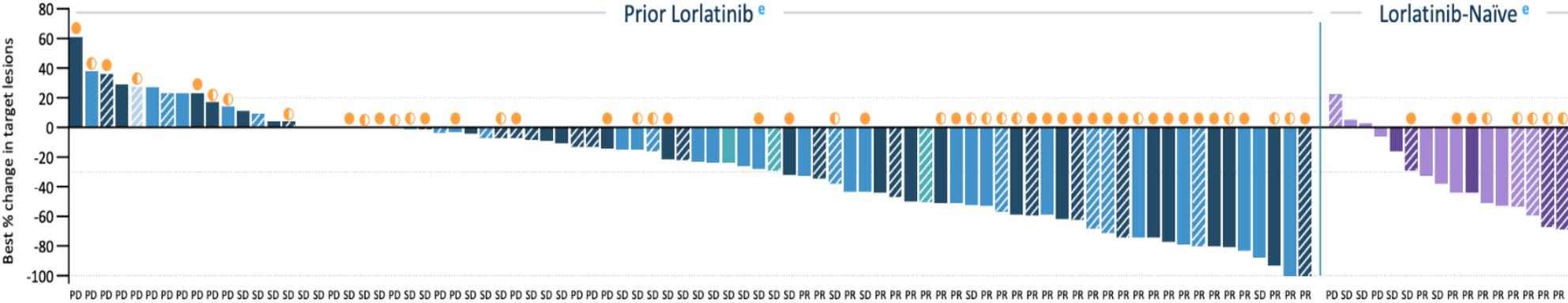
PHASE 1 DOSE-ESCALATION COMPLETED, FOLLOW-UP CONTINUES

Enrollment June 2022 to February 2024 (Data cut-off: 15 June 2024)

NVL-655 Phase 1	All Doses	15 mg QD	25 mg QD	50 mg QD	100 mg QD	150 mg QD	200 mg QD
All-Treated Population	N = 133	3	12	12	32	52	22
NSCLC Response-Evaluable Population	N = 103	3	7	10	27	39	17

Preliminary Activity: Radiographic Tumor Responses Across Previously Treated Patients with ALK+ NSCLC

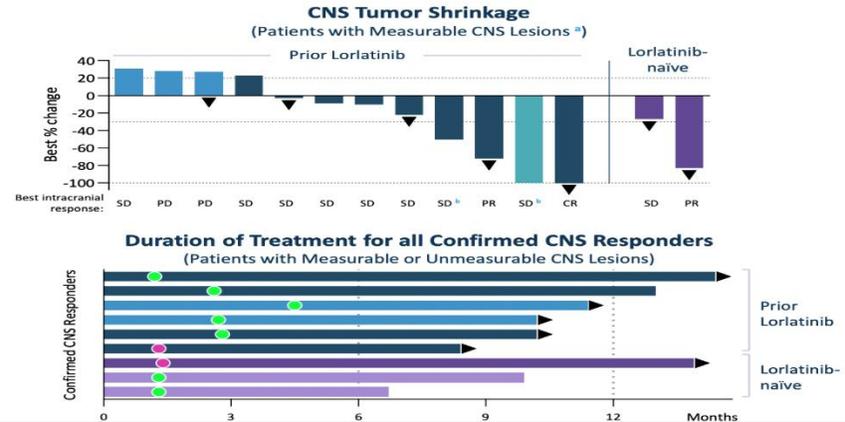
RECIST 1.1 ORR, % (n/N) <i>All patients ± chemotherapy</i>	NSCLC Response-Evaluable (Any Prior ALK TKI, range 1 – 5)			Prior Lorlatinib (≥2 ALK TKIs)			Lorlatinib-naïve (≥1 2G ± 1G)	
	All	Any ALK mutation ^a	G1202R ^b	All	Any ALK mutation	Compound ALK mutation ^c	All	Any ALK mutation
All Doses	38% (39/103)	52% (30/58)	69% (22/32)^d	35% (30/85)	47% (23/49)	54% (15/28)	53% (9/17)	88% (7/8)
RP2D	38% (15/39)	55% (12/22)	71% (10/14)	35% (11/31)	50% (8/16)	64% (7/11)	57% (4/7)	80% (4/5)



CNS Activity: Durable Intracranial Responses in Lorlatinib-naïve and Lorlatinib Pre-treated Patients with ALK+ NSCLC

IC-ORR (patients with measurable CNS lesions):

- Lorlatinib-naïve: 50% (1/2)
 - Prior lorlatinib: 15% (2/13)
 - 31% (4/13) including 2 CNS uPRs not confirmed due to discontinuation of treatment in absence of CNS progression
- **No CNS progression among confirmed CNS responders, including in patients who previously received the brain-penetrant TKI lorlatinib (measurable or unmeasurable CNS lesions)**
- Treatment duration: 6.7 - 14.4+ months



- Discontinuation due to TRAE: 2% (3/133)^a
- Dose reduction due to TRAE: 15% (20/133)^b
- Preliminary overall safety profile consistent with avoiding TRK-related neurotoxicities

Treatment-Related Adverse Events (TRAEs) in ≥ 10% of Patients All Treated (N = 133)

Preferred Term	Grade 1 n (%)	Grade 2 n (%)	Grade 3 n (%)	Grade 4 n (%)	Any Grade n (%)
ALT increased	21 (16%)	6 (5%)	17 (13%)	1 (1%)	45 (34%)
AST increased	21 (16%)	7 (5%)	12 (9%)	-	40 (30%)
Constipation	15 (11%)	6 (5%)	-	-	21 (16%)
Dysgeusia	15 (11%)	2 (2%)	-	-	17 (13%)
Nausea	15 (11%)	1 (1%)	-	-	16 (12%)

Well tolerated

TROPION-Lung05: Datopotamab deruxtecan (Dato-DXd) in previously treated non-small cell lung cancer with actionable genomic alterations

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Screening

Key inclusion criteria

- Stage IIIB, IIIC, or IV NSCLC
- Presence of ≥1 actionable genomic alteration (*EGFR*, *ALK*, *ROS1*, *NTRK*, *BRAF*, *MET* exon 14 skipping, or *RET*)
- ECOG PS of 0 or 1
- ≥1 line of targeted therapy
- 1 or 2 prior cytotoxic agent-containing therapies including platinum-based therapy in the metastatic setting
- Radiographic disease progression after targeted therapy

Treatment

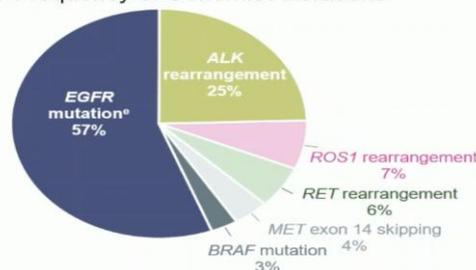
Dato-DXd
6 mg/kg
Q3W

Endpoints^a

- Primary:** ORR by BICR
- Secondary:**
- By BICR and investigator: DOR, DCR, CBR, PFS, TTR
 - By investigator: ORR
 - OS, safety, PK, immunogenicity

	All treated patients (N=137)	Patients with <i>EGFR</i> mutations (N=78)	Patients with <i>ALK</i> rearrangement (N=34)
Response per BICR			
ORR confirmed, n (%) [95% CI]^a	49 (35.8) [27.8-44.4]	34 (43.6) [32.4-55.3]	8 (23.5) [10.7-41.2]
Median DOR (95% CI), months	7.0 (4.2-9.8)	7.0 (4.2-10.2)	7.0 (2.8-8.4)

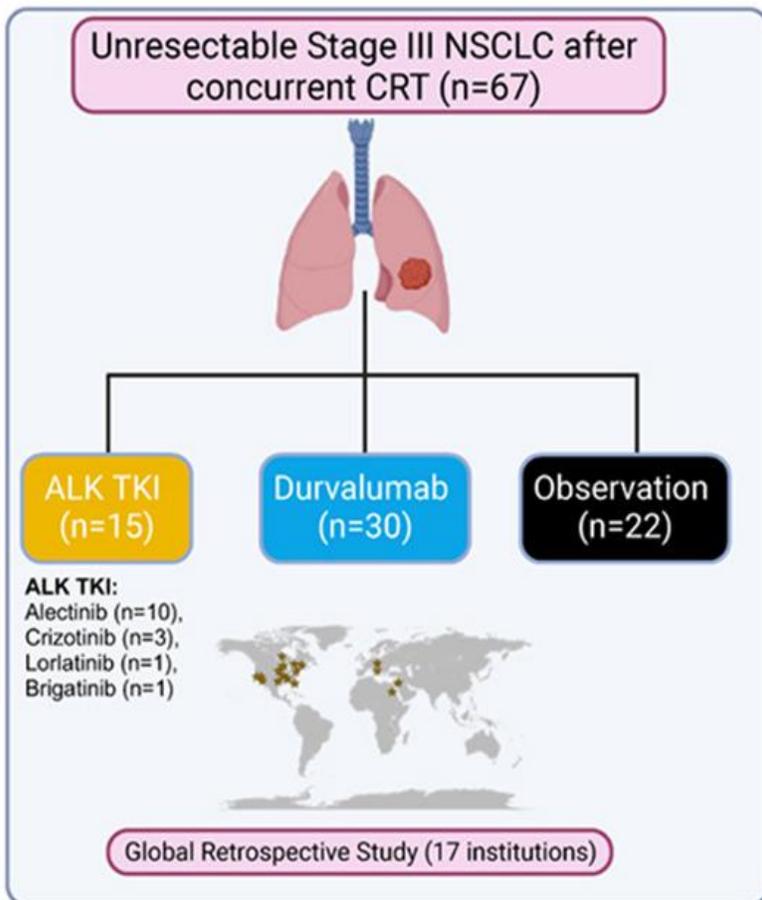
Relative Frequency of Genomic Alterations^{b-d}



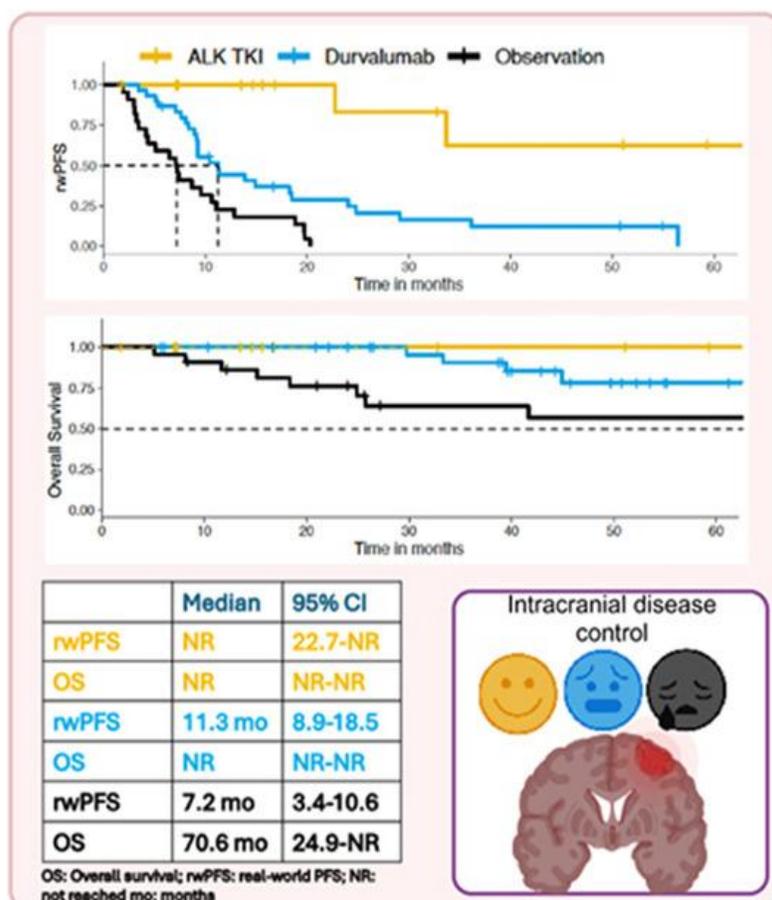
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**Locally
Advanced
Disease**

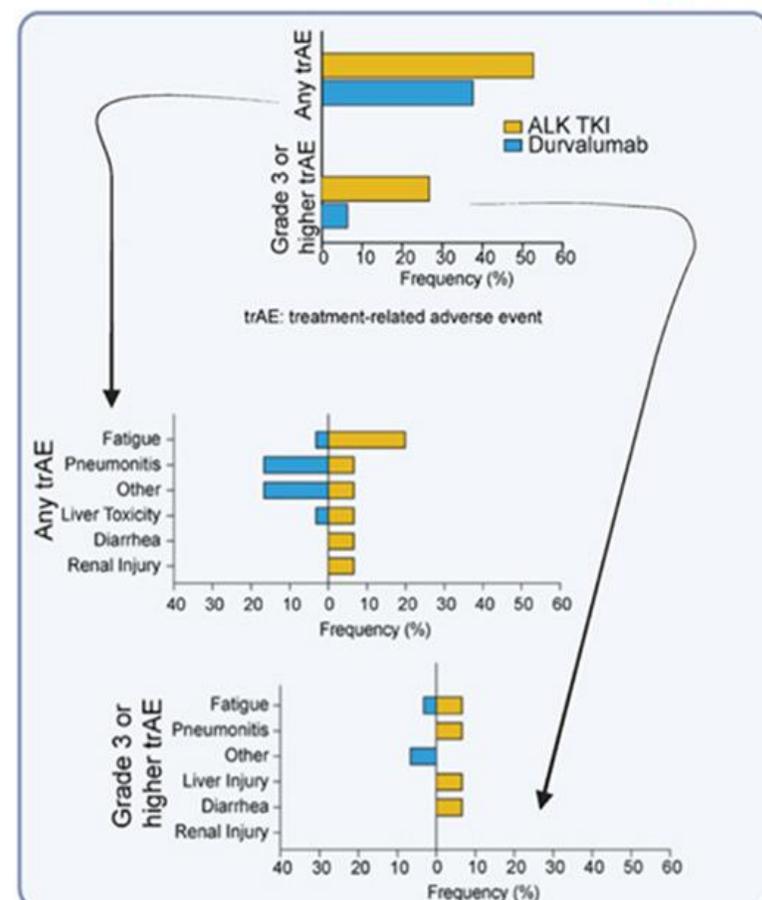
Consolidation ALK Tyrosine Kinase Inhibitors versus Durvalumab or Observation After Chemoradiation in Unresectable Stage III ALK+ Non-Small Cell Lung Cancer



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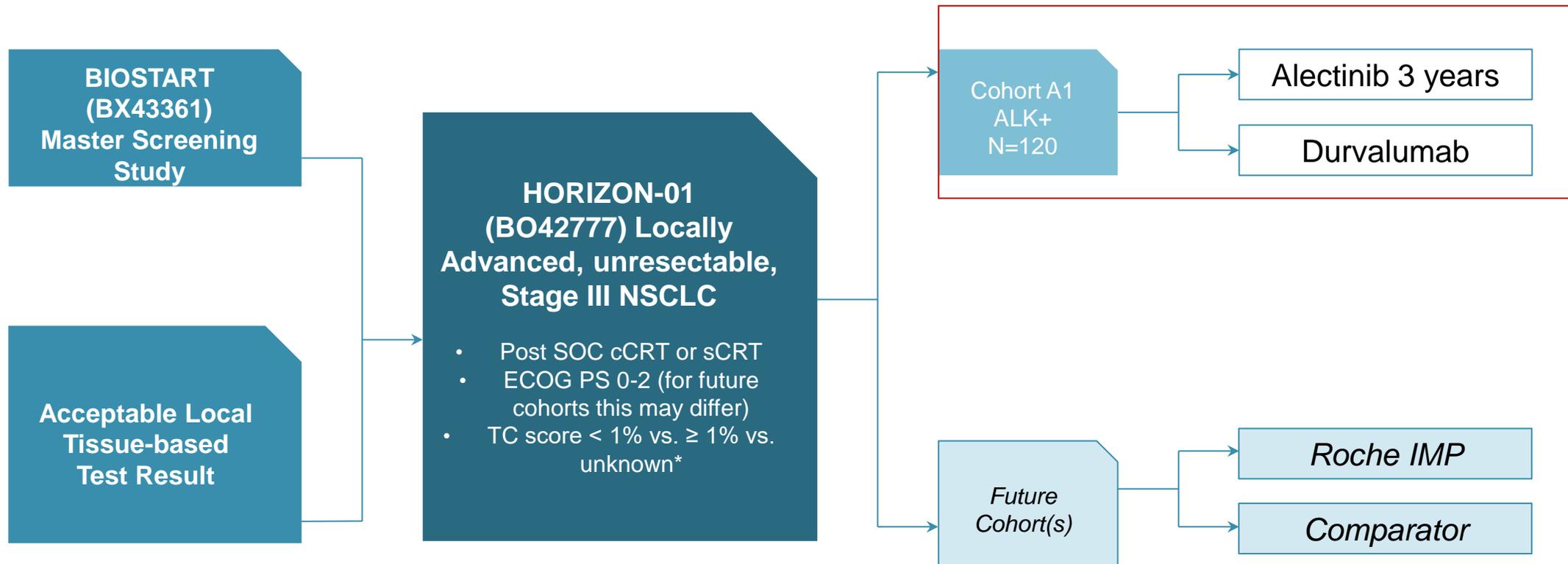
TOXICITY

CONCLUSION: Consolidation ALK TKI treatment is associated with significantly improved real-world progression-free survival compared to Durvalumab or observation in patients with ALK+ NSCLC

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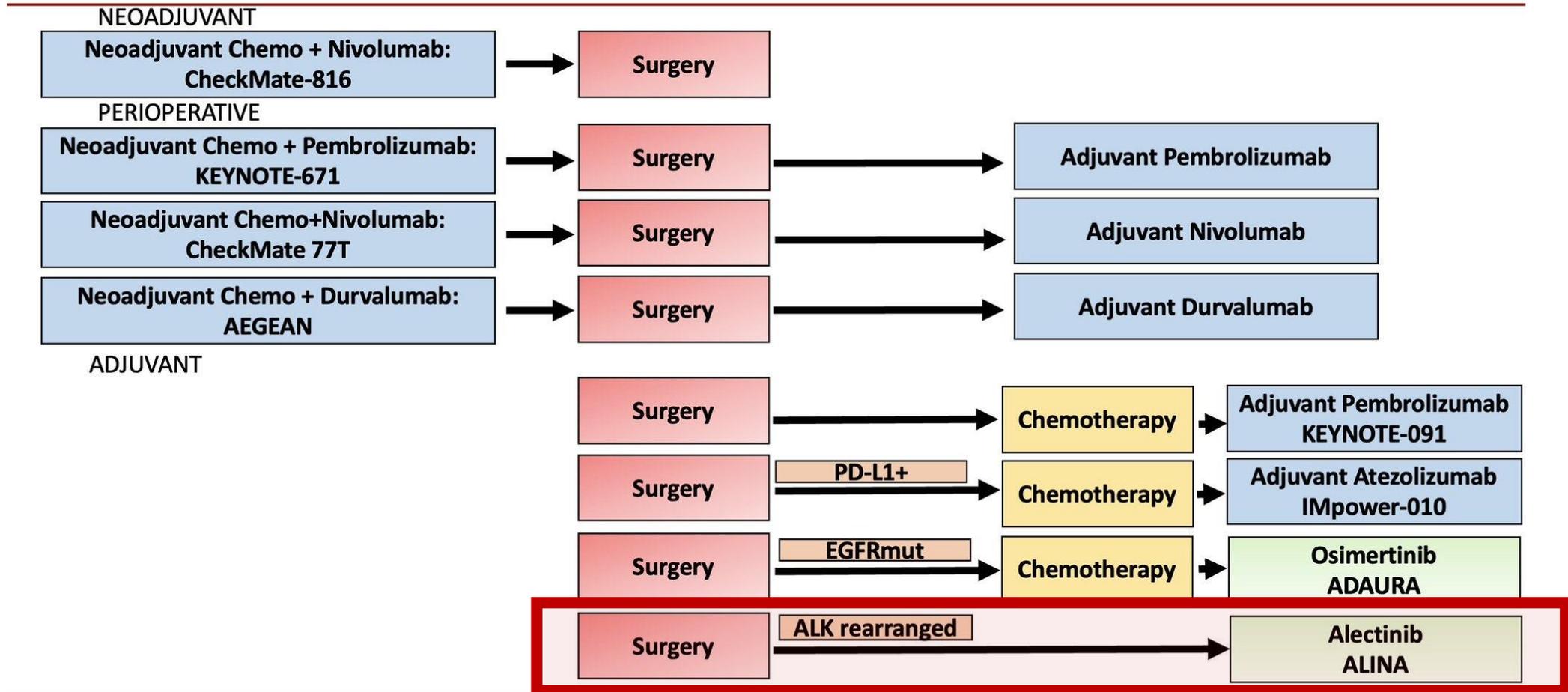
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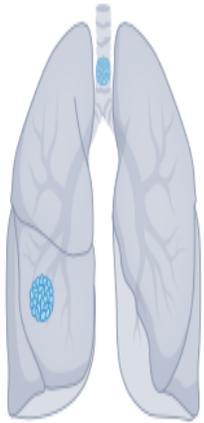
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**Early
Stage**

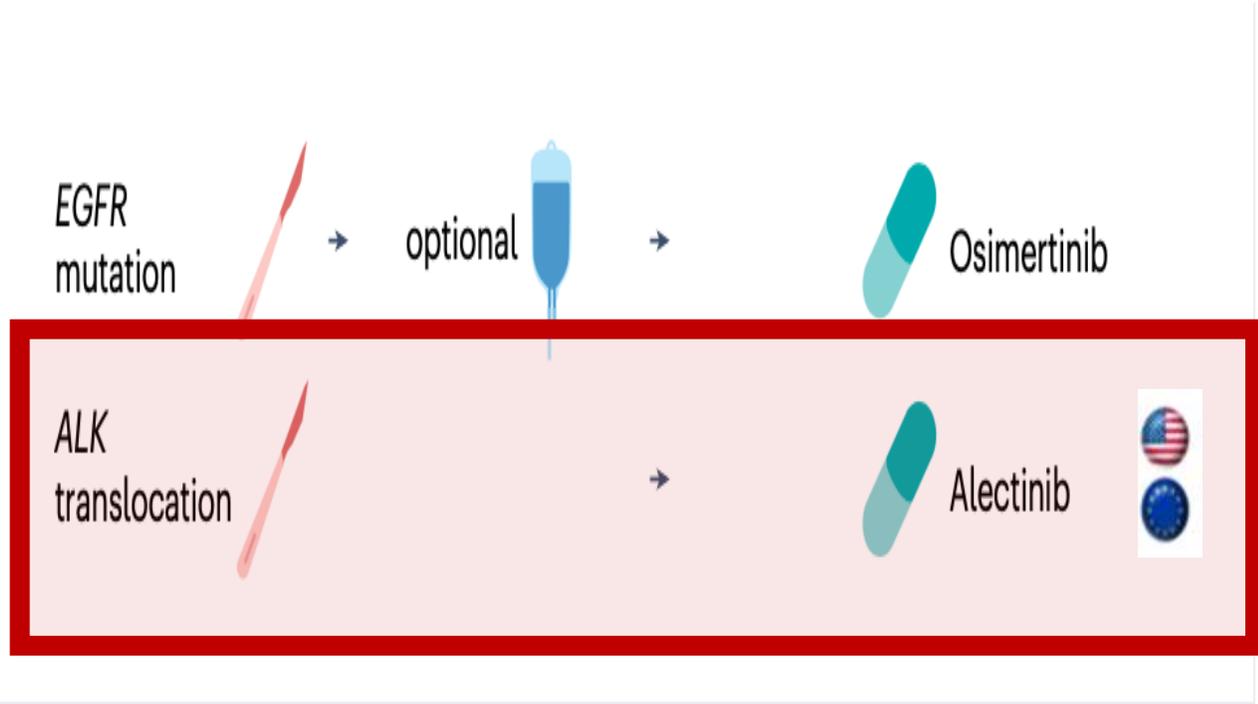
2024 Paradigm for Resectable Early-stage NSCLC



Stage IB-IIIa



Resectable EGFR⁺ or ALK⁺

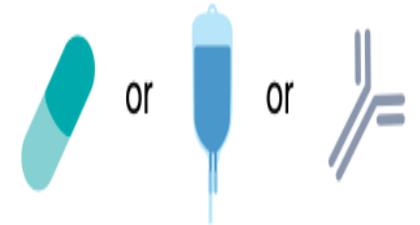


Local recurrence

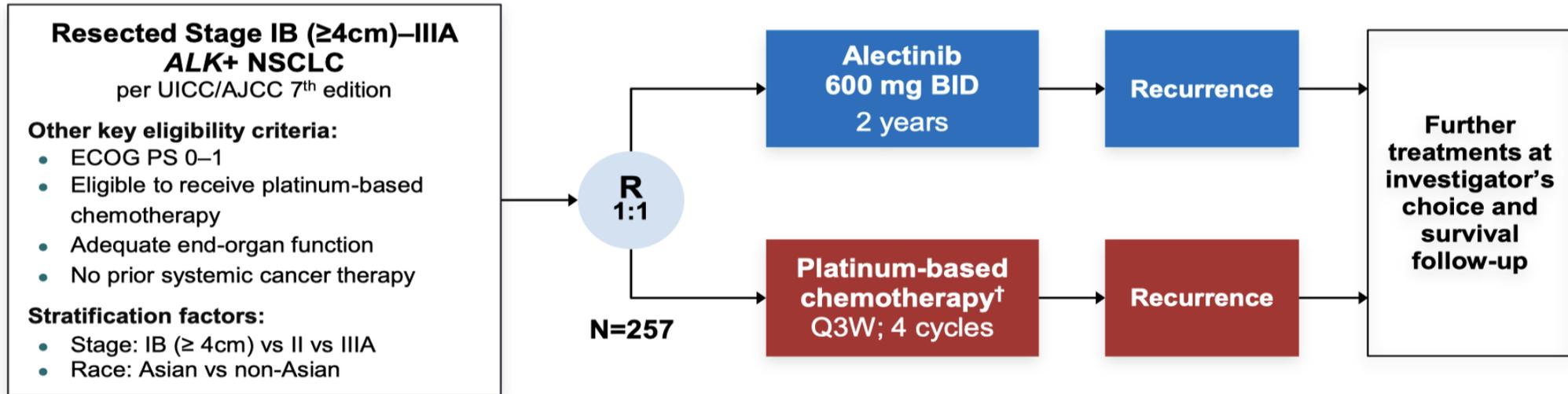


or, if possible

Widespread recurrence^a



ALINA Study



Primary endpoint

- DFS per investigator,[‡] tested hierarchically:
 - Stage II–IIIA → ITT (Stage IB–IIIA)

Other endpoints

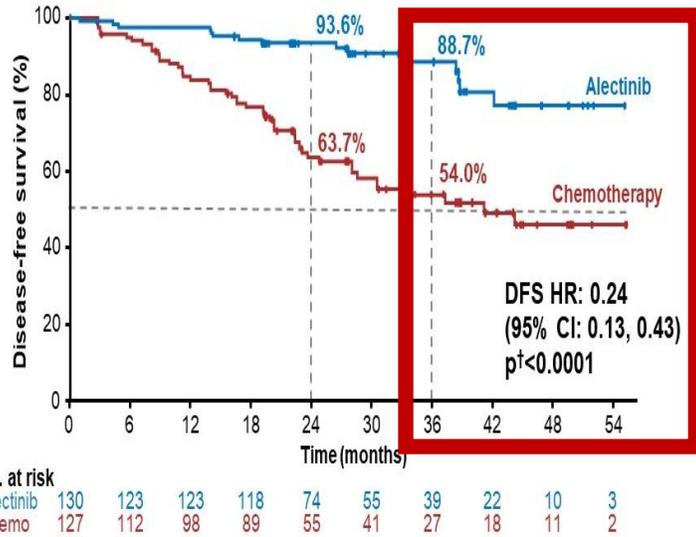
- CNS disease-free survival
- OS
- Safety

Disease assessments (including brain MRI)[§] were conducted: at baseline, every 12 weeks for year 1–2, every 24 weeks for year 3–5, then annually

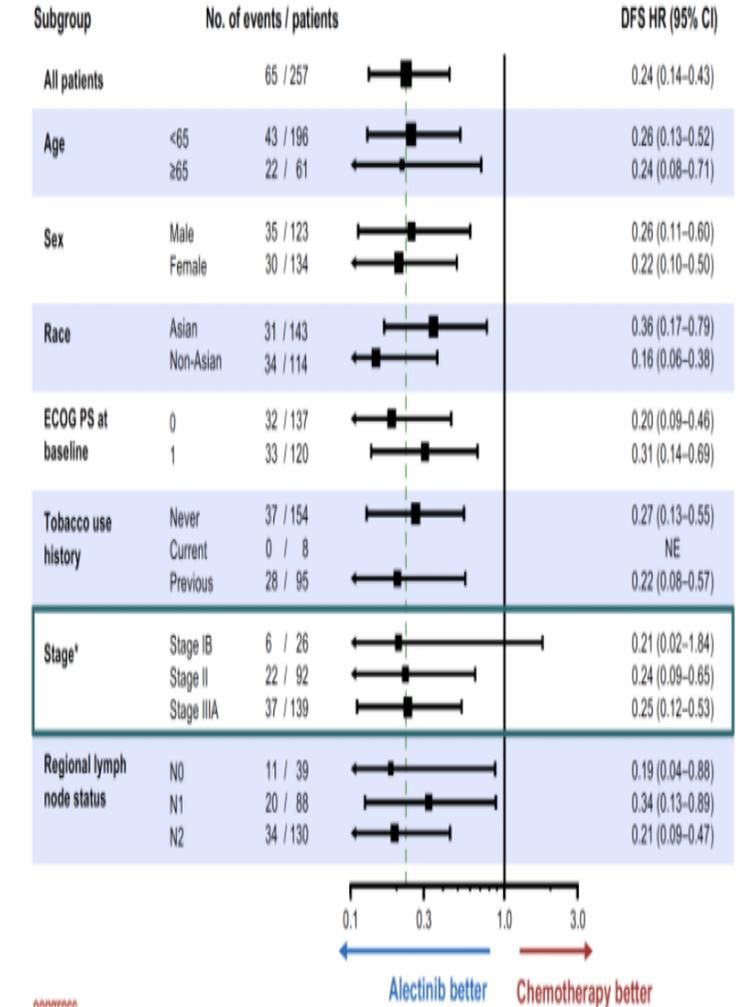
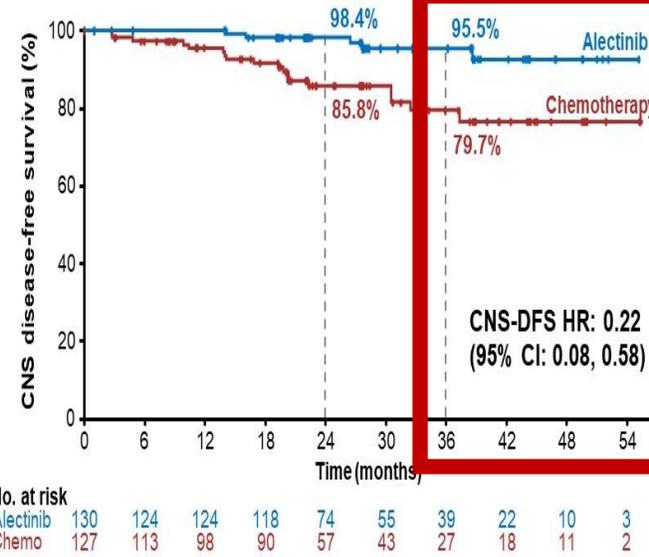


Data cut-off: 26 June 2023; CNS, central nervous system; DFS, disease-free survival; ITT, intention to treat
^{*}Superiority trial; [†]Cisplatin + pemetrexed, cisplatin + vinorelbine or cisplatin + gemcitabine; cisplatin could be switched to carboplatin in case of intolerability; [‡]DFS defined as the time from randomisation to the first documented recurrence of disease or new primary NSCLC as determined by the investigator, or death from any cause, whichever occurs first; [§]Assessment by CT scan where MRI not available; NCT03456076

DFS in stage IB–IIIA (ITT)*
Primary endpoint



CNS-DFS in stage IB–IIIA (ITT)*
Exploratory endpoint

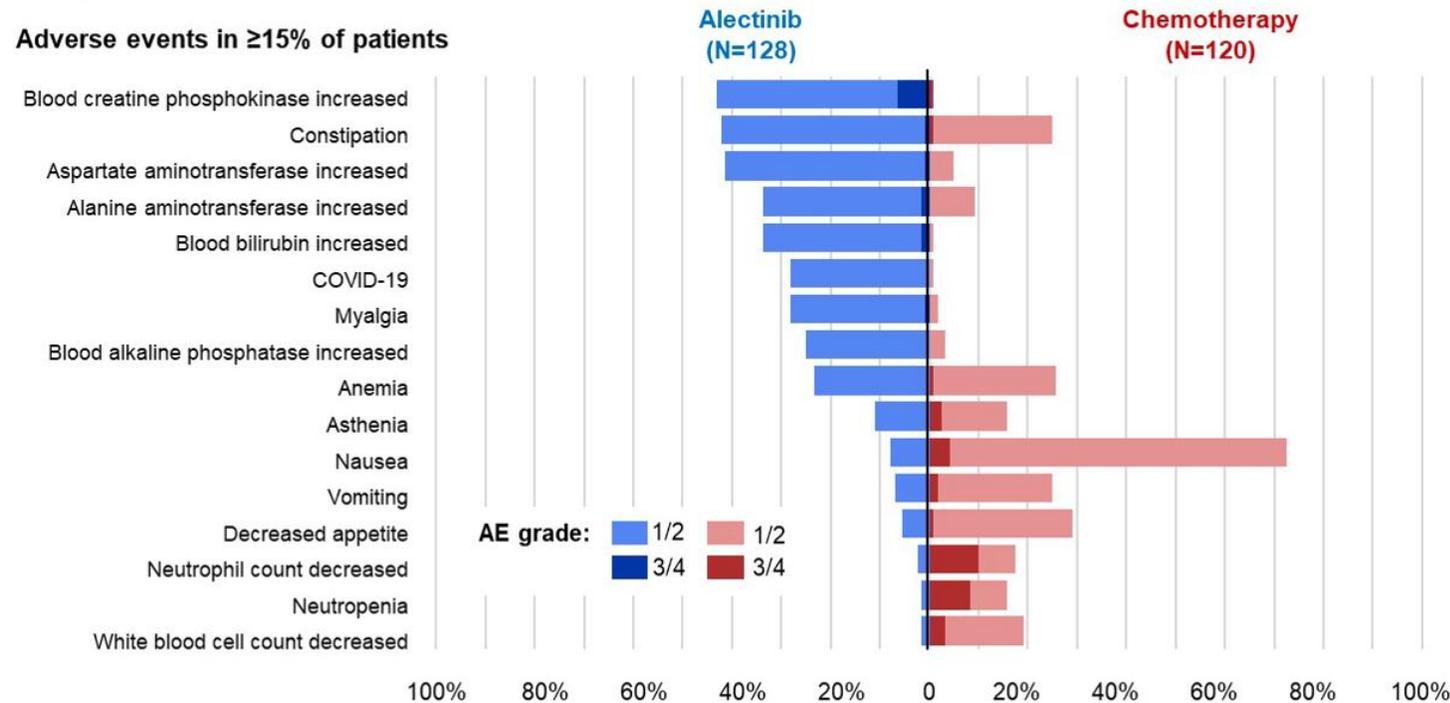


Treatment with adjuvant alectinib resulted in a significant DFS benefit and clinically meaningful CNS-DFS benefit compared with chemotherapy in patients with resected stage IB–IIIA ALK+ NSCLC*

Data cut-off: June 26, 2023; Median follow-up, 27.8 months; Time from last patient in to data cut-off was ~18 months; DFS, disease-free survival; HR, hazard ratio; ITT, intention-to-treat population; *Stage IB (≥4cm)–IIIA per UICC/AJCC 7th edition; †Stratified log rank; DFS defined as the time from randomization to the first documented recurrence of disease or new primary NSCLC as determined by the investigator, or death from any cause, whichever occurs first; CNS-DFS defined as time from randomization to the first documented recurrence of disease in the CNS, or death from any cause; Solomon et al. ESMO 2023 (LBA2); Wu et al. N Engl J Med 2024

AEs occurring in $\geq 15\%$ of patients

Adjuvant alectinib was tolerable, with a manageable safety profile which was in line with the known profile of alectinib^{1,2}



AEs leading to:

- Dose reduction
Alectinib: **26%** / Chemo: **10%**
- Dose interruption
Alectinib: **27%** / Chemo: **18%**
- Treatment withdrawal
Alectinib: **5%** / Chemo: **13%**

Median treatment duration

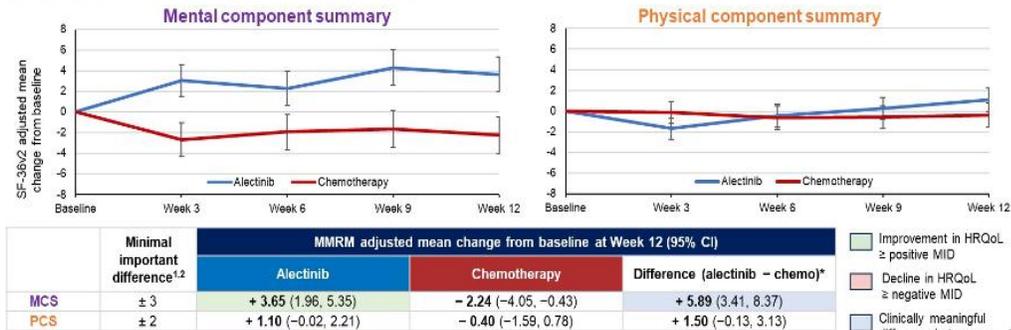
Alectinib: **23.9 months**
Chemo: **2.1 months**

AE, adverse event; 1. Solomon et al. ESMO 2023 (LBA2); 2. Wu et al. N Engl J Med 2024

Health-related quality of life (HRQoL) results for adjuvant alectinib vs chemotherapy in patients with resected ALK+ NSCLC: data from ALINA

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Adjusted mean change from baseline in MCS and PCS to Week 12



- Within arms, change from baseline for MCS and PCS were compared with the respective MID:
 - For MCS, a clinically meaningful improvement from baseline was seen with alectinib but not chemotherapy
 - PCS scores remained stable
- Clinically meaningful improvements from baseline in MCS were seen for alectinib versus chemotherapy*

Adjusted mean change from baseline in health domain scores to Week 12

SF-36v2 health domain	Minimal important difference ^{1,2}	MMRM adjusted mean change from baseline at Week 12 (95% CI)		
		Alectinib	Chemotherapy	Difference (alectinib - chemo)*
Bodily pain	± 3	+ 4.33 (2.79, 5.87)	+ 1.27 (-0.36, 2.89)	+ 3.06 (0.83, 5.30)
General health	± 2	+ 0.28 (-1.05, 1.62)	- 2.94 (-4.38, -1.50)	+ 3.23 (1.26, 5.19)
Physical functioning	± 3	- 0.86 (-2.15, 0.43)	- 0.75 (-2.12, 0.62)	- 0.11 (-1.99, 1.77)
Role physical	± 3	+ 3.46 (1.89, 5.03)	- 1.18 (-2.84, 0.47)	+ 4.64 (2.36, 6.92)
Role emotional	± 4	+ 2.75 (0.80, 4.69)	- 2.94 (-5.00, -0.89)	+ 5.69 (2.86, 8.51)
Mental health	± 3	+ 3.65 (2.06, 5.24)	- 0.31 (-1.99, 1.38)	+ 3.96 (1.64, 6.27)
Social functioning	± 3	+ 3.88 (2.26, 5.50)	- 2.17 (-3.91, -0.44)	+ 6.05 (3.68, 8.43)
Vitality	± 2	+ 2.39 (0.75, 4.03)	- 2.03 (-3.76, -0.29)	+ 4.41 (2.02, 6.80)

- Within arms, change from baseline for each health domain were compared with the respective MID:
 - With alectinib, clinically meaningful improvements from baseline were seen for most health domains
 - With chemotherapy, there were no improvements in any domains, and declines in General health and Vitality
- Clinically meaningful improvements from baseline were seen for alectinib versus chemotherapy across all health domains except Physical functioning*

CI, confidence interval; HRQoL, health-related quality of life; MID, minimal important difference; MMRM, mixed-effects model of repeated measures; PCS, physical component summary; SF-36v2, Short-Form 36-Item Health Survey; *Post-hoc MMRM analysis, highlighted as clinically meaningful where the 95% CI did not cross 0, not statistically tested; 1. Ware et al. SF-36v2 Administration Guide 2003; 2. Marsh et al. SF-36v2 User Manual 2011

Early improvement from baseline with alectinib, clinically meaningful improvement vs CT up to week 12

ALINA: exploratory biomarker analyses in patients with resected *ALK*+ non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC) treated with adjuvant alectinib vs chemotherapy

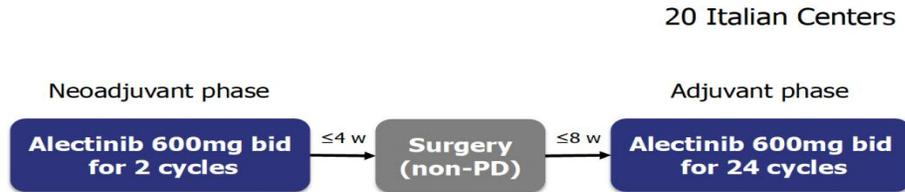
Benjamin J. Solomon,¹ Yi-Long Wu,² Rafal Dziadziuszko,³ Fabrice Barlesi,⁴

- In these exploratory biomarker analyses in patients with resected *ALK*+ NSCLC from ALINA
 - Alectinib showed DFS benefit vs chemotherapy regardless of *EML4-ALK* fusion variant
 - Comparable DFS was seen regardless of *EML4-ALK* fusion variant in the alectinib arm
 - This is consistent with the findings of the ALEX trial in the metastatic setting, which showed that *EML4-ALK* fusion variants did not affect efficacy in patients with metastatic *ALK*+ NSCLC¹
 - In the alectinib arm, patients with *TP53* mutations showed a trend towards worse DFS vs patients with WT *TP53*

Neoadjuvant Alectinib in Potentially Resectable Stage III ALK-positive NSCLC: ALNEO Phase II Trial

ALNEO Study Design

- Resectable locally advanced stage III NSCLC
- Candidate for surgical resection after multidisciplinary discussion
- ALK positive (IHC/FISH/NGS)
- No Previous treatment
- ECOG PS 0-1

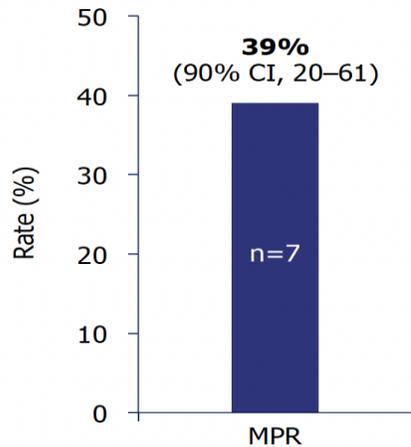


Primary Endpoint: MPR by BICR

Secondary Endpoints: pCR by BICR, OR, EFS, DFS, OS, AEs

Results – Primary Endpoint

MPR: 39%
pCR: 17%



Pathologic Response		n=18
MPR, n (%)	7 (39)	
pCR, n (%)	3 (17)	
No MPR, n (%)	6 (33)	
Not Assessed, n (%)	5 (28) ^a	

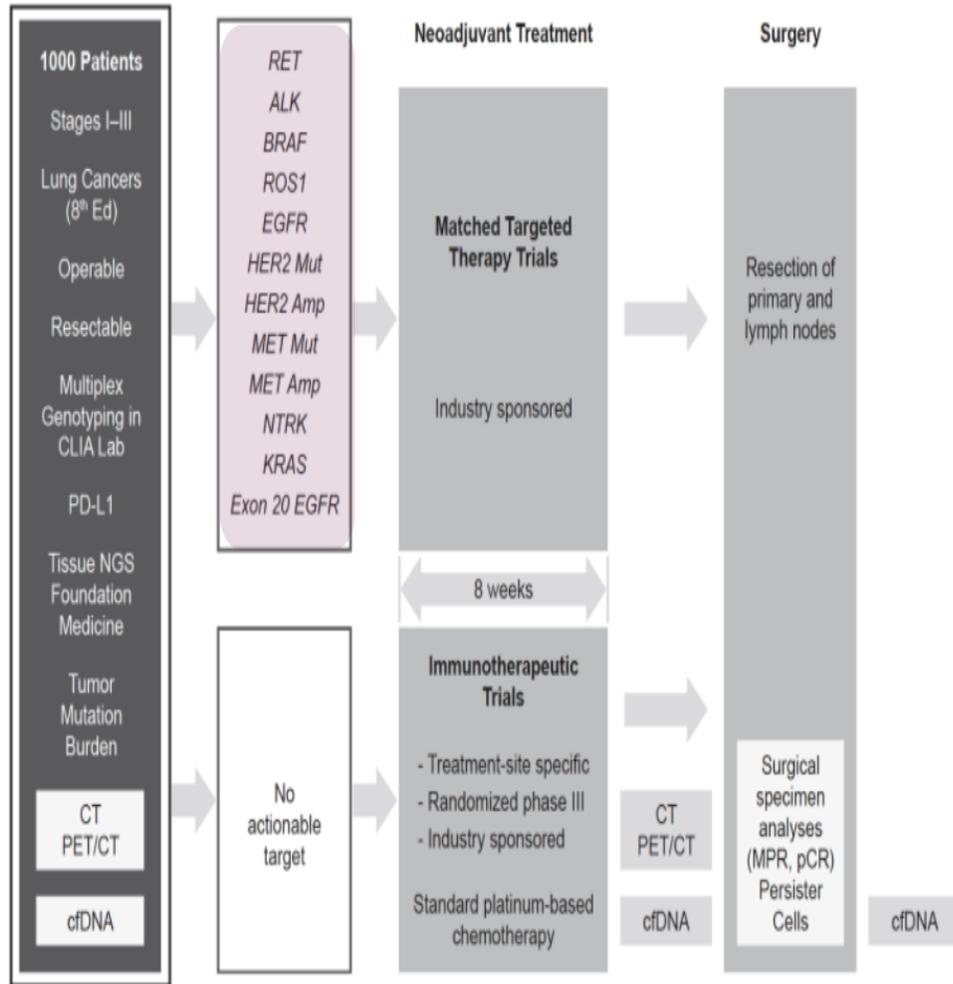
Objective Response ^b		n=25
CR, n (%)	1 (4)	
PR, n (%)	19 (76)	
SD, n (%)	4 (16)	
PD, n (%)	1 (4)	
ORR, (%)	20 (80)	

Underwent Surgery, n (%)		n=25
Underwent Surgery, n (%)	21 (84)	
R0, n (% of surgery)	18 (86)	
Type of surgery, n (%)		
Lobectomy	17 (81)	
Pneumonectomy	2 (9.5)	
Other Surgery	2 (9.5)	
Received adjuvant alectinib, n (% of surgery)		20 (95) ^c
Median interval from surgery, weeks (IQR)	4.5 (2.7–6.0)	
Median n of cycles, n (IQR)	6 (1–20)	

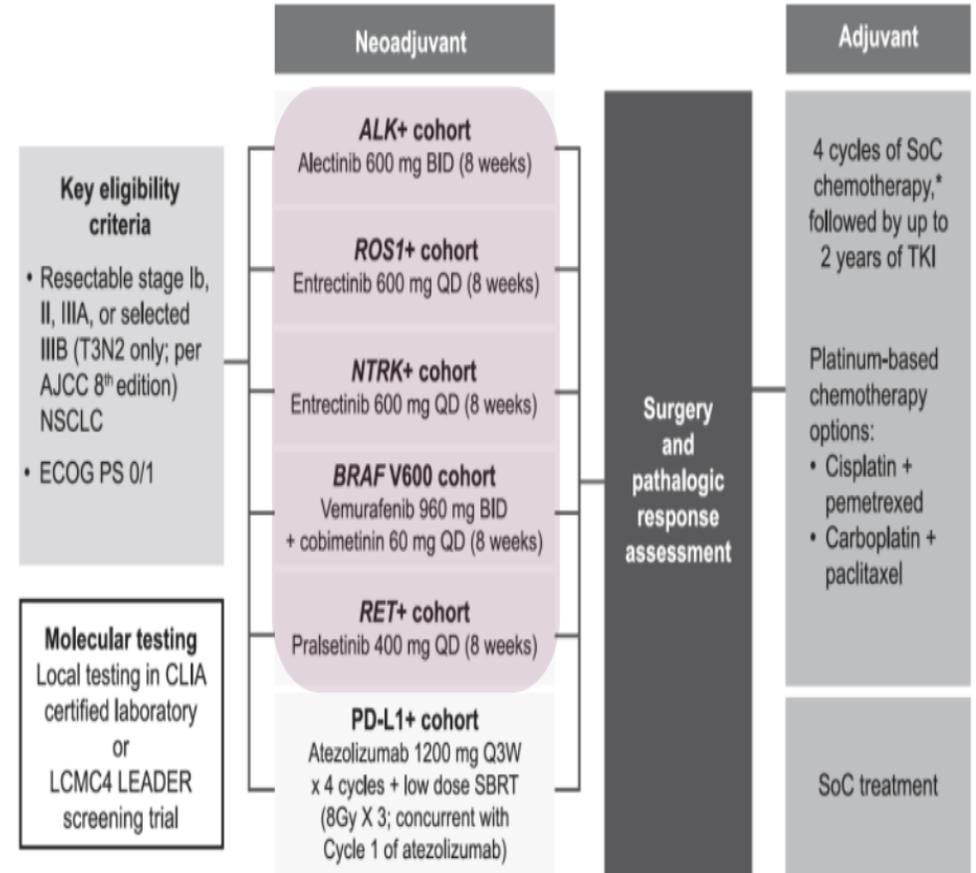
^a4 patients did not undergo surgery, 1 patient underwent explorative thoracotomy; ^bat pre-surgical evaluation; ^c2 patients received adjuvant alectinib even though surgery was not radical.

- Neoadjuvant treatment was well tolerated. G1-2 TEAEs were reported in 14 (56%) cases. No Grade ≥3 treatment-related AEs were observed;
- After a median follow-up of 10.8 months (IQR: 4.9–22.5), a total of 159 adjuvant courses were administered and the treatment appeared to be well tolerated.

LCMC Leader study, neoadjuvant



NAUTIKA study, perioperative



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Toxicity

Toxicity Profiles of ALK TKIs are distinct and manageable

Alectinib ¹	Brigatinib ²	Lorlatinib ³
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Constipation • Anemia • Fatigue • Blood bilirubin increased 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Diarrhea • Increased CPK level • Cough • Nausea • Hypertension • Increased AST • Back pain • Dyspnea • Headache • Increased lipase • Increased ALT • Vomiting • Fatigue • Pruritus • Constipation • Arthralgia 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hypercholesterolemia • Hypertriglyceridemia • Edema • Increased weight • Peripheral neuropathy • Cognitive effects • Diarrhea

**Most common AEs occurring in ≥20% of patients in ALEX, ALTA-1L, and CROWN trials are shown*

¹Mok T et al., Ann Oncol 2020;31(8):1056-1064. ²Camidge DR et al., J Thorac Oncol 2021;16(12):2091-2108. ³Shaw AT et al., N Engl J Med 2020;383(21):2018-2029

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CURRENT OPINION



Expert Consensus on the Management of Adverse Events of Lorlatinib in the Treatment of *ALK*+ Advanced Non-small Cell Lung Cancer

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- **Lorlatinib:**
 - an **effective treatment**
 - **long-term use:** AEs may occur, to ensure its efficacy and the QoL
- **Lorlatinib** has **AEs** that need to be **monitored** and **treated appropriately** to maximize drug efficacy and patient safety

Hypercholesterolemia and hypertriglyceridemia

- **Main goal**
 - LDL-cholesterol 100 mg/dl (70 mg/dl for high-risk patients; 55 mg/dl for very-high risk patients).
 - Triglycerides < 200 mg/l.
- **Determinations**
 - Before starting lorlatinib.
 - 2 weeks, 4 weeks, 2 months, and every 3-6 months later according patient's condition and how the dyslipidemia is controlled.
- **Management**
 - Baseline hypercholesterolemia should be managed based on LDL-cholesterol goals.
 - Treatment should be complemented with changes in lifestyle, adequate diet, and physical exercise.
 - For new lorlatinib induced hypercholesterolemia:
 - Mild/moderate increase in cholesterol (grade 1-2): lipid-lowering therapy + continue lorlatinib.
 - Severe increase in cholesterol (grade 3-4): lipid-lowering therapy + discontinue lorlatinib until mild/moderate toxicity is reached, then resume at lower dose.
- **First-line lipid-lowering therapy for hypercholesterolemia**
 - Mild/moderate (grade 1-2): rosuvastatin 10 mg/day orally at dinner.
 - Severe (grade 3-4): rosuvastatin 20 mg/day + ezetimibe 10 mg/day orally at dinner, with a dose increase being considered if there is no improvement.
 - If intolerance: ezetimibe ± bempedoic acid.
 - Combination of statins with other intensive lipid-lowering strategies (e.g. iPCSK9) are recommended in severe cases.
- **First-line lipid-lowering therapy for hypertriglyceridemia**
 - Fenofibrate 250 mg/day during meals if triglycerides > 200 mg/dl under statins.
 - Icosapent ethyl 2 g at breakfast and 2 g at dinner (patients with atherosclerotic cardiovascular disease and LDL-cholesterol ≤ 100 mg/dl and triglycerides > 150 mg/dl).

Arterial hypertension

- **Main goal:** < 140/90 mm Hg (< 130/80 mm Hg for high-risk patients).
- **Management**
 - Monitor blood pressure 2 weeks after initiation and at least once a month throughout treatment.
 - Grade 2 (< 160/100 mm Hg): angiotensin-converting enzyme inhibitor or angiotensin receptor blocker + continue lorlatinib → if not controlled at moderate doses add dihydropyridine calcium channel blockers → if not controlled, patient should be referred to the Cardio-Oncology clinic.
 - Grade 3-4 (≥ 160/100 mm Hg): angiotensin-converting enzyme inhibitor or angiotensin receptor blocker and dihydropyridine calcium channel blockers → if not controlled add spironolactone → if not controlled patient should be referred to the Cardio-Oncology clinic.
 - If severe hypertension is diagnosed (systolic blood pressure ≥ 180 mm Hg or diastolic blood pressure ≥ 110 mm Hg), lorlatinib should be temporarily withheld until the blood pressure is < 160/100 mm Hg.
 - Avoid β-blockers, verapamil or diltiazem.
 - Treatment should be complemented with a low-salt diet and physical exercise.

	Initial doses	Moderate doses	Max doses
Ramipril	2.5 mg/24 h	5 mg/24 h	10 mg/24 h
Enalapril	2.5 mg/12 h	10 mg/12 h	20 mg/12 h
Candesartan	4-8 mg/24 h	16 mg/24 h	32 mg/24 h
Telmisartan	20 mg/24 h		40 mg/24 h

Hyperglycemia

- **Determinations**
 - HbA1c at baseline and every 6 months.
 - Blood glucose and the usual blood tests at baseline and every month.
- **Management**
 - Lifestyle changes, a diabetic diet, and physical exercise should be considered.
 - Grade 2: oral antidiabetic: iSGLT2s (empagliflozin, canagliflozin, dapagliflozin) and GLP1-RAs (liraglutide, semaglutide) → if not controlled, add metformin.
 - Grade 3-4 (> 250 mg/dl glucose despite treatment): insulin + discontinue lorlatinib until glycemic control is achieved and resume a reduced dose.

Neurological adverse events (Part 1)

Suggestions before initiating lorlatinib

- To know the rate of neurological toxicity related to lorlatinib.
- Check for possible factors that could increase or favor neurological toxicity (brain metastases, brain radiation, brain surgery, psychiatric disease, psychiatric medication, antiepileptics, corticoids, opioids or derivatives).
- Review the patient's drugs and change all those identified as possible potentiators of toxicity (see Table 4 of drug interactions).
- Interview with the patient and family to notify them of the possible occurrence of neurological adverse reactions and how to identify them correctly.
- Baseline study to know the starting situation:
 - MRI (or TC if not available) to establish the existing damage in the nervous system (brain metastases, leptomeningeal infiltration, vascular impairment, etc.).
 - Baseline cognitive study, either by means of anamnesis, questions to the patient/family or by means of objective quick and easy tests (e.g., Controlled Oral Word Association Test, COWAT).
 - Check for symptoms of carpal tunnel syndrome and basal peripheral neuropathy.

How to assess the occurrence of toxicity during treatment with lorlatinib

- Compare cognitive status with baseline to learn whether early dose reduction could affect toxicity in patients with a history of cognitive impairment or prior mental disease or who develop toxicity during treatment with lorlatinib. In the case of patients with brain metastases, it is suggested to repeat cranial MRI every 3 months.
- Repeat the MRI only in case of cognitive symptoms or dysarthria.
- Propose assessment by a psychiatrist or neurologist depending on the toxicity control and the personal situation of each patient.

Neurological adverse events (Part 2)

What to do if toxicity appears

- Teach the patient and family members how to proceed with each of these adverse events.
- *Peripheral neuropathy:*
 - Grade 1-2: maintain lorlatinib without changing the dose or consider a lower dose depending on the patient's profile and as clinically indicated. If grade ≥ 2 , before dose reduction or discontinuation, refer the patient for neurological assessment.
 - Grade ≥ 3 : discontinue lorlatinib until resolution of symptoms to grade ≤ 2 or baseline values. Then, resume at a reduced dose.
 - Treatments:
 - If associated with pain or disturbing paresthesia \rightarrow duloxetine.
 - If associated with edema \rightarrow diuretics.
- *Cognitive effects, mood effects, and effects on speech* (first, review again potential new medications introduced during the treatment, and the psychiatric status):
 - Grade 1: maintain or reduce the dose of lorlatinib is recommended.
 - Grade 2-3: lorlatinib should be discontinued until toxicity is grade ≤ 1 and lorlatinib can be resumed at a lower dose.
 - Grade 4: lorlatinib should be permanently discontinued.
 - Treatments:
 - For anxiety \rightarrow benzodiazepines, avoiding alprazolam and midazolam.
 - For depression \rightarrow duloxetine and agomelatine.
 - For speech effects \rightarrow management based on the subjective impact experienced by the patient, reminding the pros and cons of increasing or decreasing lorlatinib dose.
 - For psychosis/mania/hallucinosi s \rightarrow olanzapine is recommended; avoid quetiapine and ziprasidone because of interactions with lorlatinib. Risperidone and clozapine should be used with caution.

Edema

- Monitor edema at each visit.
- **Grade < 3:**
 - Physical measures (leg elevation, moderate exercise or compression stockings).
 - Delay the use of diuretics as late as possible.
 - If diuretic is needed → furosemide 20-40 mg/day (take care if hypokalemia or renal insufficiency).
 - Maintain lorlatinib, although it should be taken into account how it may affect the patient's quality of life.
 - N-terminal pro-brain natriuretic peptide (NT-proBNP) assessment.
- **Grade ≥ 3:**
 - NT-proBNP assessment + echocardiogram to rule out other causes.
 - Discontinue lorlatinib until resolution of symptoms to grade ≤ 2 or baseline values, then resume at lower doses. If there are doubts about the existence of associated heart failure, an electrocardiogram and echocardiogram should be considered. Then resume treatment with reduced dose lorlatinib.

Diarrhea, nausea, vomiting, constipation

- **Grade < 3:**
 - Maintain lorlatinib or reduce dose if clinically indicated.
 - If grade 2 diarrhea is sustained over time (15-30 days), and interferes with daily life, reduce lorlatinib dose.
- **Grade ≥ 3:**
 - Discontinue lorlatinib until resolution of symptoms to grade ≤ 2 or baseline values, then resume at a reduced dose.
- **Treatments:**
 - Diarrhea → loperamide (initially two tablets [4 mg] and then one [2 mg] for each additional bowel movement up to a maximum of 8 tablets [16 mg]).
 - Constipation → lactulose.
 - Nausea and vomiting → recommended treatment for this level of emesis and the next level include metoclopramide, domperidone or chlorpromazine or 5-HT3 inhibitors such as ondasetron, granisetron or dolasetron.

Interstitial lung disease/pneumonitis

- **Diagnosis:**
 - Clinical evaluation (new pulmonary symptoms or worsening of existing ones, such as dyspnea, cough, chest pain, hypoxia).
 - Imaging tests (to consider other etiologies, such as pneumonia, heart failure or metastatic disease).
 - Biopsy only to rule out an infectious process.
 - Check if the patient has history of pulmonary disease, have undergone previous radiotherapy or have received immunotherapy.
- **Treatment:**
 - Grade 1:**
 - Observation
 - Stop lorlatinib and then resume at the same dose
 - CT scan at 6 weeks
 - Grade 2:**
 - Stop lorlatinib
 - Oral corticosteroid (1 mg/kg/day)
 - Imaging tests
 - If improvement occurs after 3-4 weeks, resume lorlatinib at the same dose
 - If the patient is receiving corticosteroids, a reduced dose of lorlatinib of 75 mg/day would be used
 - Grade 3:**
 - Hospitalization
 - Lorlatinib should be permanently discontinued
 - Intravenous corticosteroids (1-2 mg/kg/day)
 - Grade 4:**
 - ICU admission
 - Lorlatinib should be permanently discontinued
 - Intravenous corticosteroid (2 mg/kg/day) and other treatments as needed
 - Not to exceed the maximum dose of corticoids (prednisone) of 80 mg/day
- If there is **intolerance to a corticosteroid**, another corticosteroid with equivalent dose should be considered.
- If the patient is going to be treated with high doses of corticosteroids for a prolonged period, it is suggested to perform a **prophylaxis** against:
 - Pneumocystis jirovecii
 - Indication:
 - Prednisone (or equivalent) ≥ 30 mg/day for ≥ 4 weeks.
 - Prednisone ≥ 15 mg/day and < 30 mg/day for ≥ 8 weeks (uninterrupted or intermittent).
 - Prednisone ≥ 10 mg/day for ≥ 4 weeks and ≥ 2 risk factors: age >65, coexisting lung disease (lung cancer, COPD, fibrosis...), use of immunotherapy (rituximab, anti-TNF), ECOG ≥ 3, malnutrition, diabetes.
 - Management:
 - Cotrimoxazole 800/160 mg every 48 hours or 400/80 mg per day.
 - Alternatively, inhaled pentamidine 300 mg/month, atovaquone 1500 mg/day or dapsone 100 mg/day.
 - Duration:
 - At least 4-6 weeks after the tapering period of corticosteroids.
 - Tuberculosis
 - Indication:
 - Prednisone ≥ 10 mg/day for ≥ 4 weeks.
 - Management:
 - Screening for latent tuberculosis is recommended, by IFN-γ test (preferred over tuberculin skin test).
 - If positive, consultation with an infectious disease specialist is recommended.

Conclusions

1. Follow the guidelines of the **product data sheet**, but also **individually** to reduce the dose of lorlatinib to avoid *possible drug interactions* with concomitant treatments or to prevent *worsening of the patient's QoL*
2. Some severe toxicities, that are **laboratory findings** with no symptomatology (e.g., amylase elevation grade ≥ 3), may not require discontinuation of treatment or may be left to physician's discretion
3. **Current clinical context** of what is known, and **other possible causes** must be ruled out.
4. **Patient / family education** and **direct communication**
5. AEs of lorlatinib can affect different organs and systems, participation of a **MDT**: cardiologists, neurologists, internal medicine specialists, and oncology pharmacists

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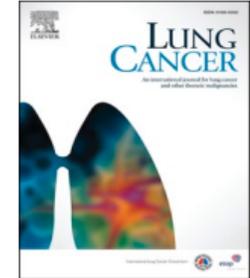


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Review article

A pragmatic guide for management of adverse events associated with lorlatinib

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Fig. 1. General management of lorlatinib toxicities: prepare, monitor, manage, reassess. ^aSee Fig. 3A and B and Table 2 for details. ^bInterrupt refers to a temporary dose interruption. Reduce refers to dose reduction.

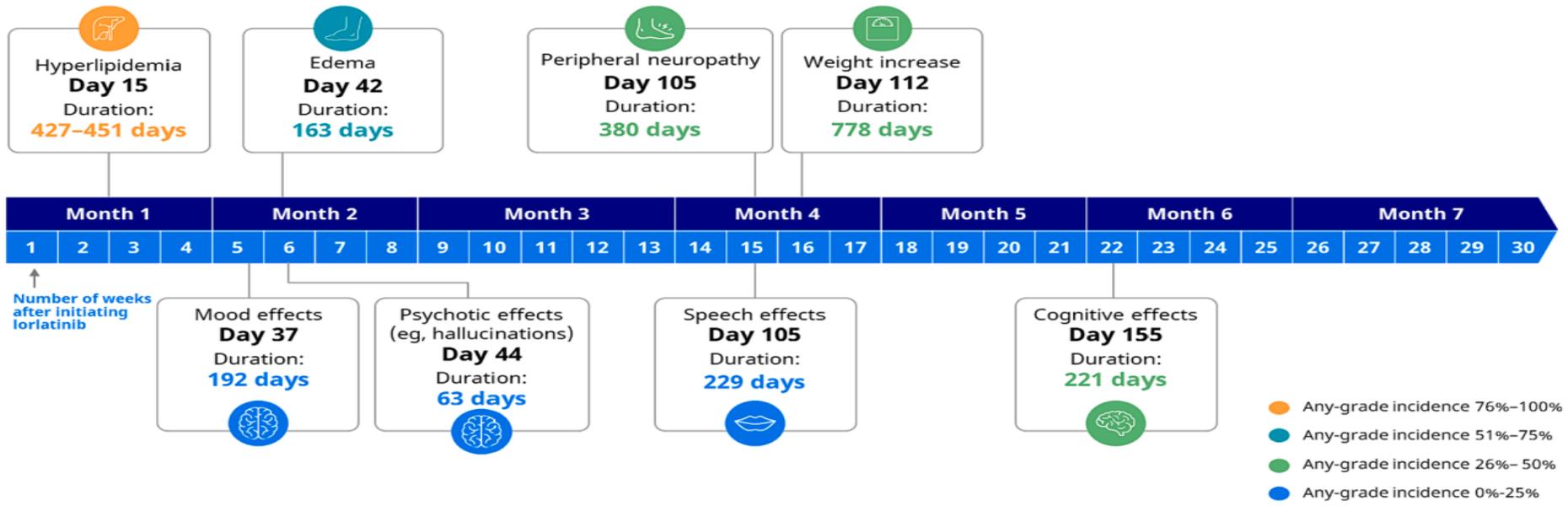


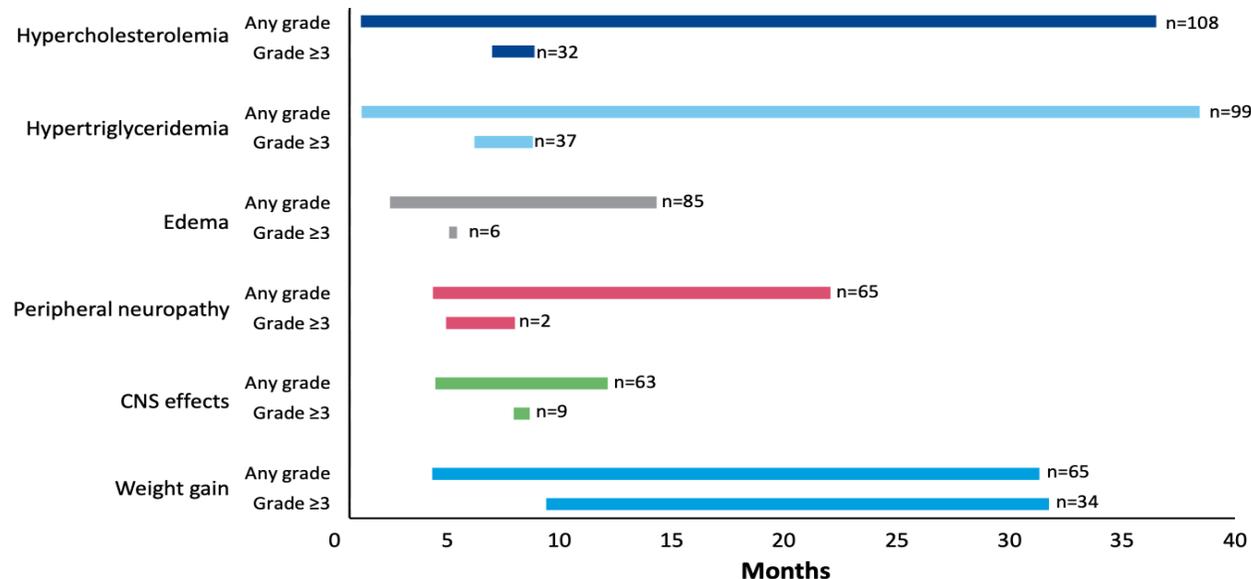
Fig. 2. Typical timeline of lorlatinib select adverse events. ^aThe values listed here represent median time to first occurrence for each AE. There is a distribution in which some may occur earlier or later than these median values. [12–14,18,27].

Kinetics and Management of Adverse Events Associated With Lorlatinib After 5 Years of Follow-Up in the CROWN Study

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Time to Onset and Duration of AEs

- For hyperlipidemia, median time to onset of any-grade AEs was 15 days, and median duration was ≈37 months; median time to onset of grade ≥3 AEs was ≈6 months
- For any grade edema, peripheral neuropathy, and CNS effects, median time to onset was 2-4 months, and median duration was 8-18 months
- Only weight gain showed grade ≥3 AE that lasted more than 3 months





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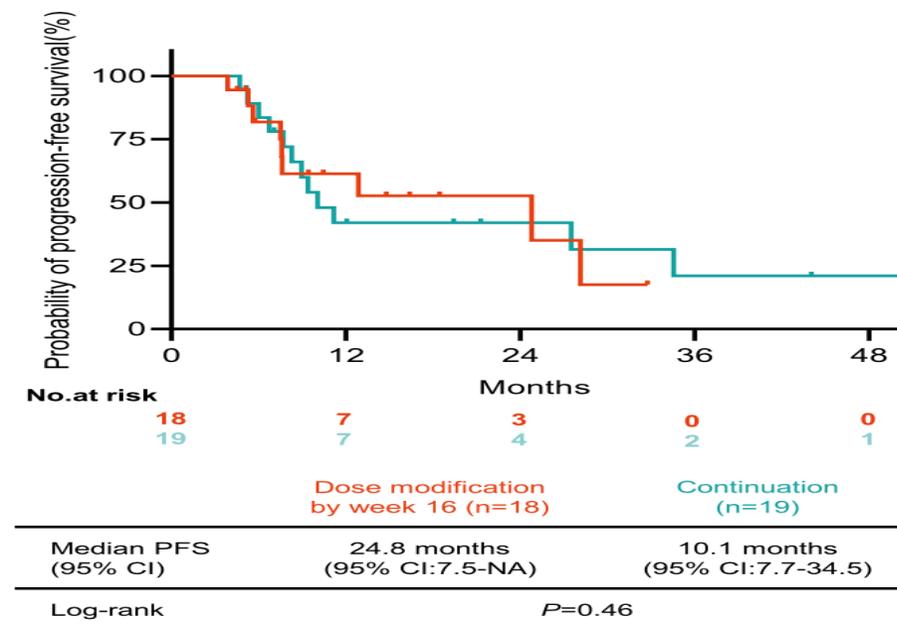
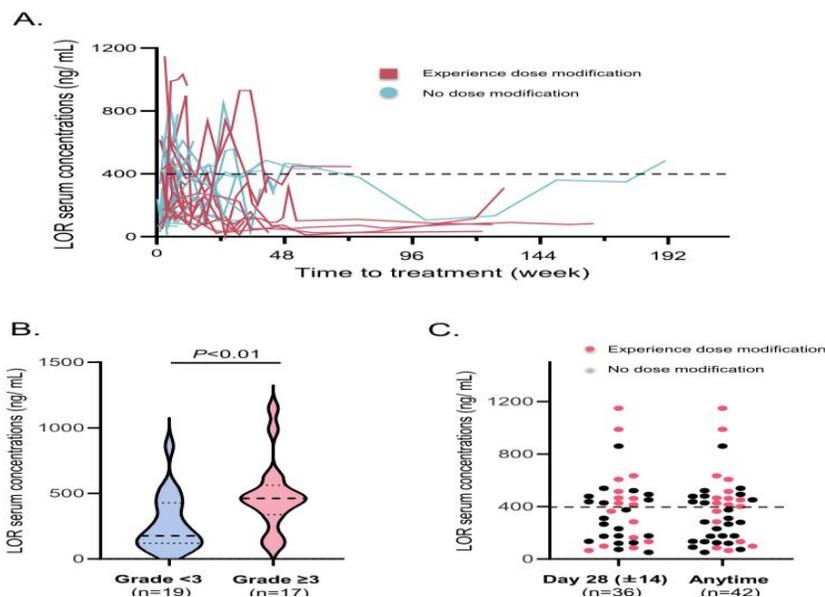
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CONCLUSIONS: We suggest that **lorlatinib** be administered with **dose monitoring** to ensure **safe and effective treatment**, especially for **high-grade AEs**



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