

# Current concepts of maintenance therapy in recurrent ovarian cancer

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## NCI Dictionary of Cancer Terms

### *Maintenance Therapy:*

Treatment that is given to help...

- keep cancer from coming back...
- after it has disappeared following the initial therapy.
- It may include treatment with drugs, vaccines, or antibodies that kill cancer cells, and it may be given for a long time.

# What is the aim of Maintenance Therapy?

1. Increasing Cure Rate ✓
2. Increasing Overall Survival ✓
3. Prolongation of Progression-free Survival ?
4. Improving the Quality of Life ?

# Maintenance Therapy

Time on  
Treatment  
60%



Time on  
Treatment  
90%



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# Ovarian Cancer Maintenance Therapy

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Angiogenesis Inhibitors

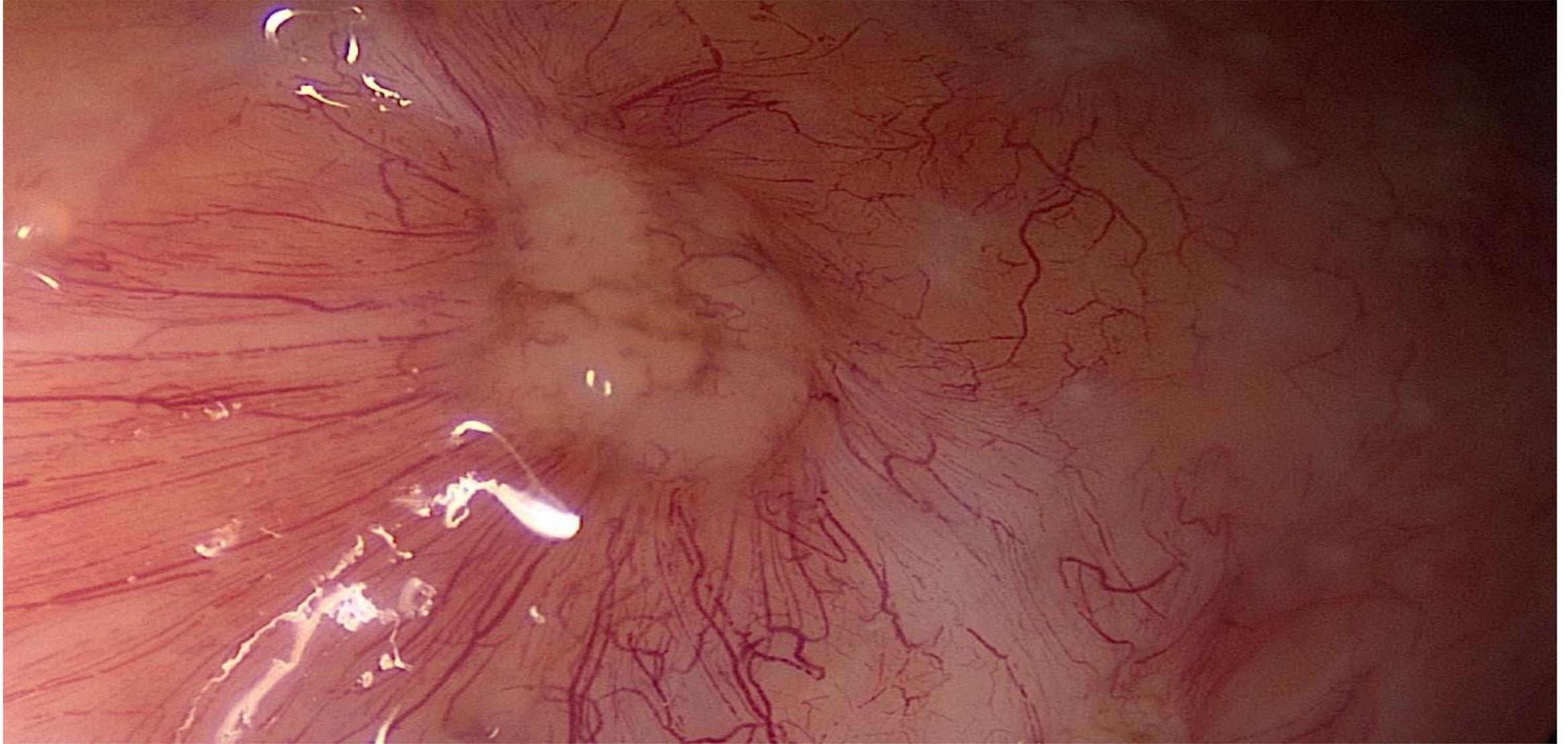
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PARP-Inhibitors

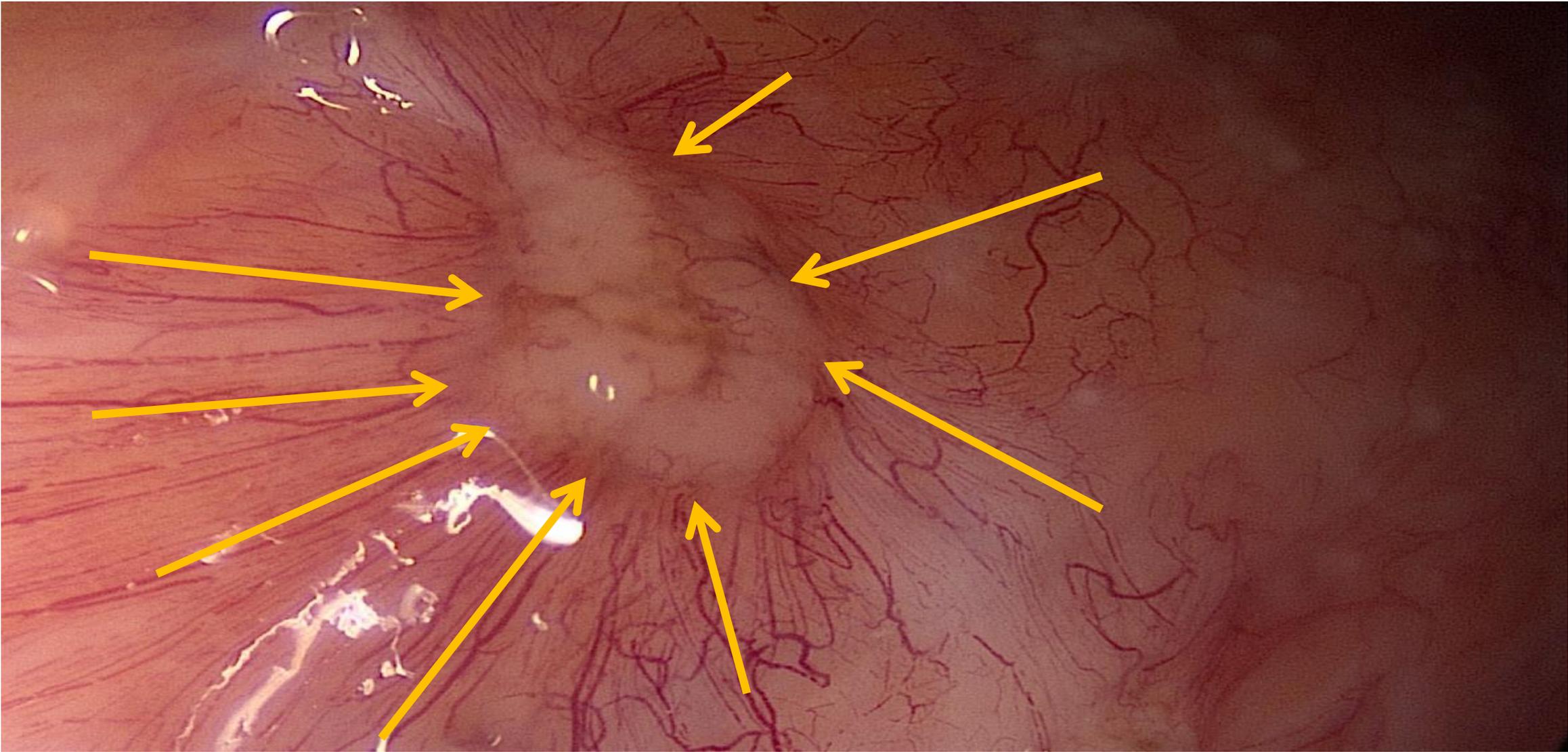
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Immunotherapy

# Ovarian Cancer: Peritoneal Carcinomatosis



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# Phase 3 Studies of Angiogenesis Inhibitors in Patients With Recurrent Ovarian Cancer

	PFI ≥ 6 months			PFI < 6 months		PFI 0–12 months	
Study	OCEANS <sup>1</sup>	ICON6 <sup>2</sup>	GOG-213 <sup>3</sup>	AURELIA <sup>4,5</sup>	MITO-11 <sup>6</sup>	TRINOVA-1 <sup>7,8</sup>	ENGOT-OV6 <sup>9</sup>
Agent	Bevacizumab	Cediranib	Bevacizumab	Bevacizumab	Pazopanib	Trebananib	Trebananib
Difference in PFS, mo <sup>†</sup>	4.0	3.2	3.4	3.3	2.9	1.8	0.4
PFS HR	0.48***	0.56***	0.61***	0.48**	0.42**	0.66***	0.92 (NS)
Difference in OS, mo <sup>†</sup>	-1.9	2.3	4.9	3.3	5.4	1.0	2.4
OS HR	1.03 (NS)	0.85 (NS)	0.83 (P=0.056)	0.85 (NS)	0.60 (NS)	0.95 (NS)	0.96 (NS)

HR, hazard ratio; NS, not significant; PFI, platinum-free interval; PFS, progression-free survival; OS=overall survival. \**P* < 0.05; \*\**P* < 0.01; \*\*\**P* < 0.0001; †Treatment versus control arm.

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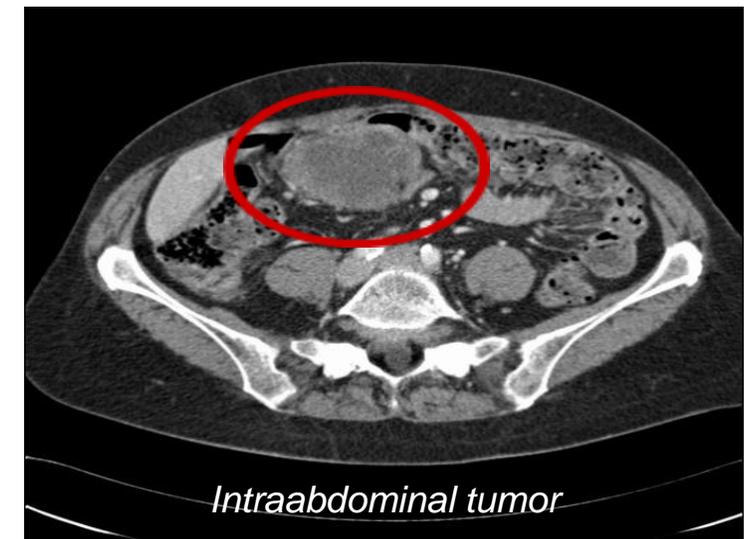
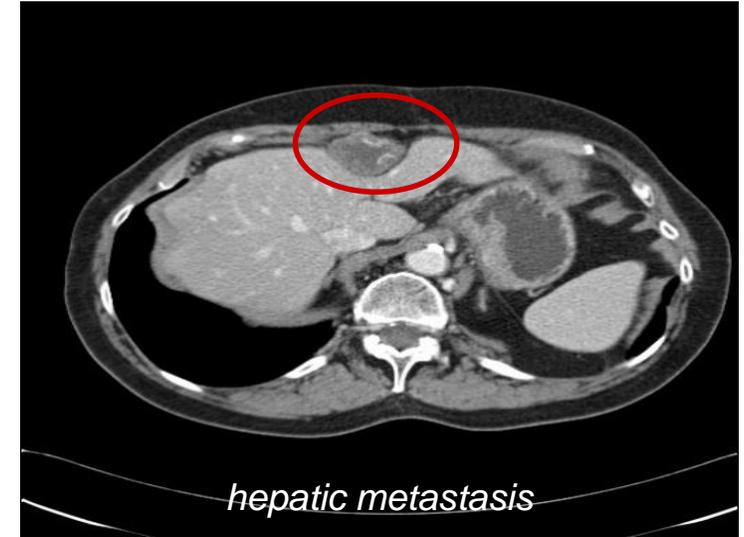
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# Case Report

- 08/2009
- 69 years
- Laparoscopy with biopsy: HGSOC
- 3 cycles Neo-Adjuvant Chemotherapy
- Complete Debulking
- 3 cycles Carboplatin/paclitaxel
- 05/2012
- Progression
- No gBRCA mutation
- Secondary debulking: No residual tumor
- 6 cycles Carboplatin/Gemcitabine plus Bevacizumab: NED
- Single agent Bevacizumab maintenance



# Case Report

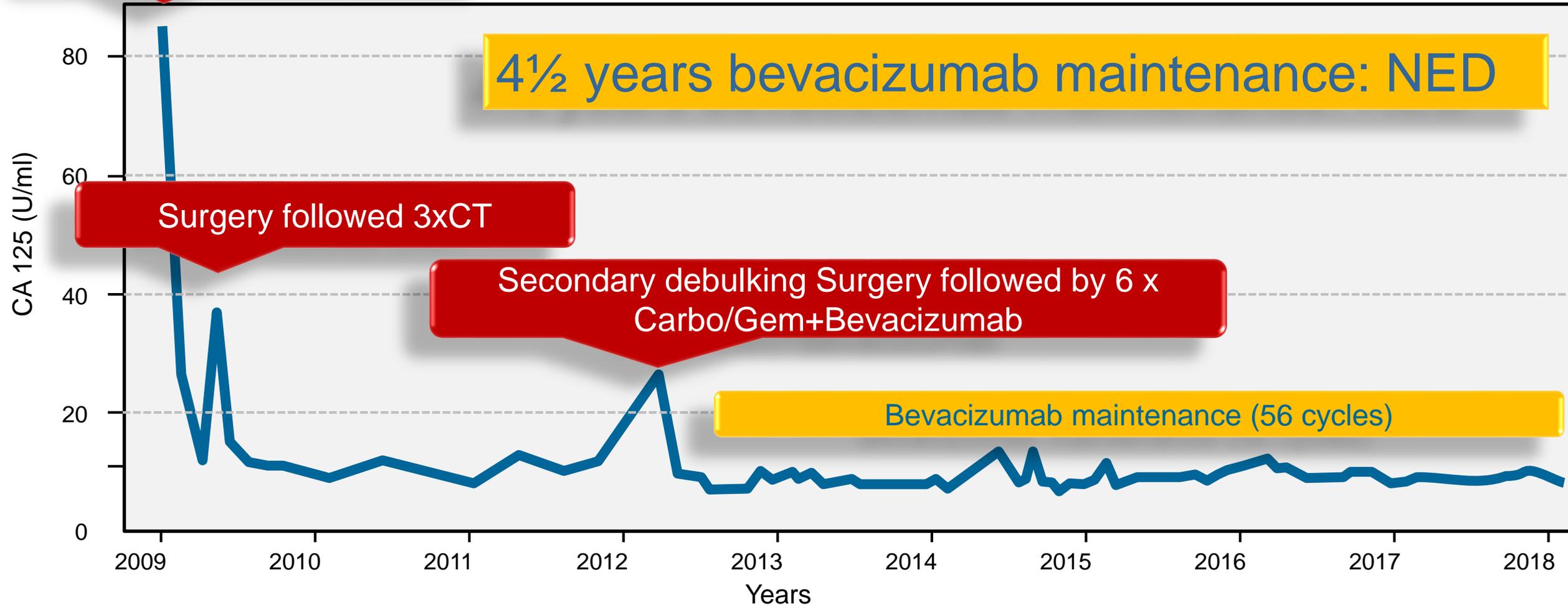
Diagnosis and NACT

4½ years bevacizumab maintenance: NED

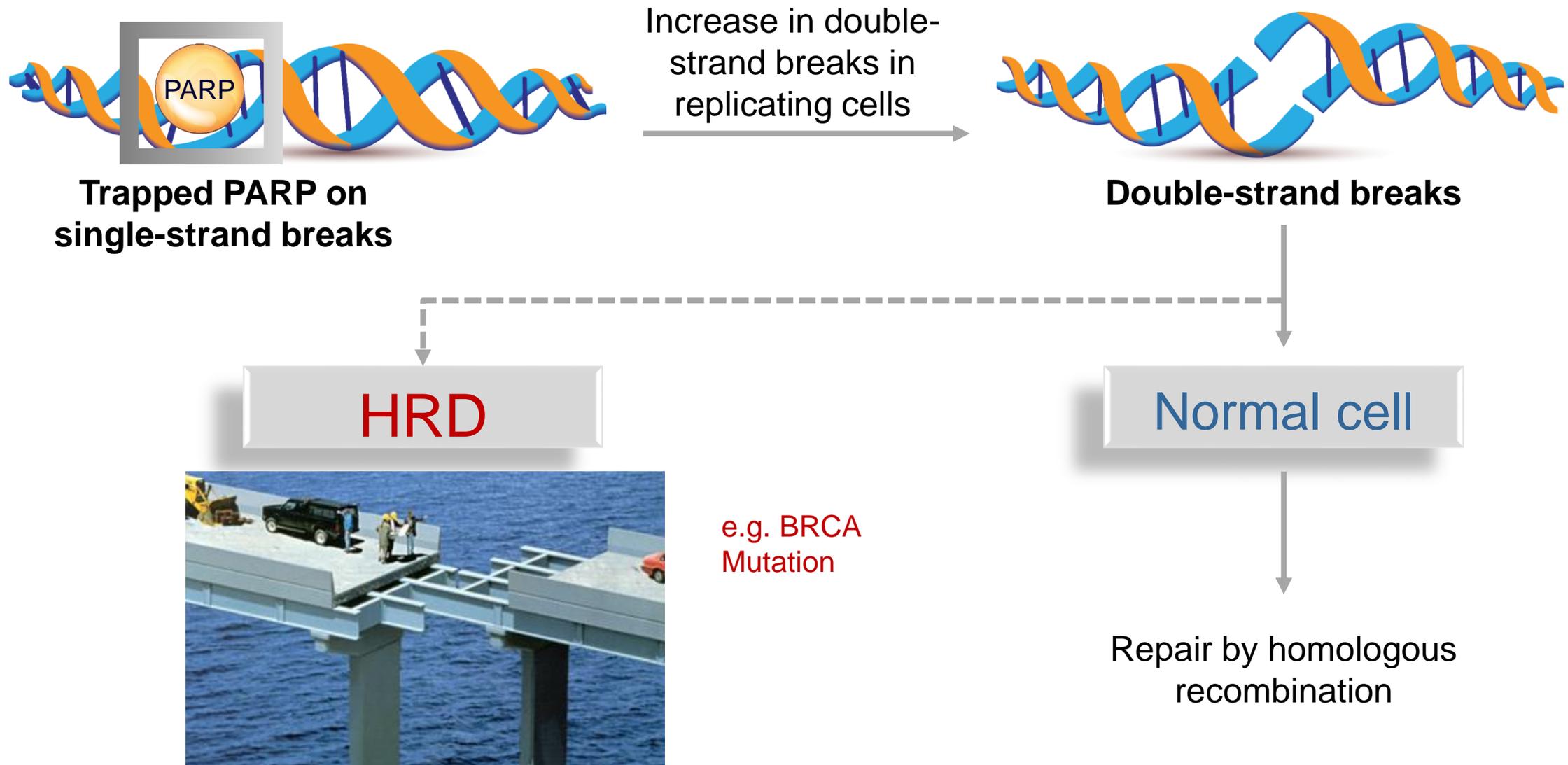
Surgery followed 3xCT

Secondary debulking Surgery followed by 6 x Carbo/Gem+Bevacizumab

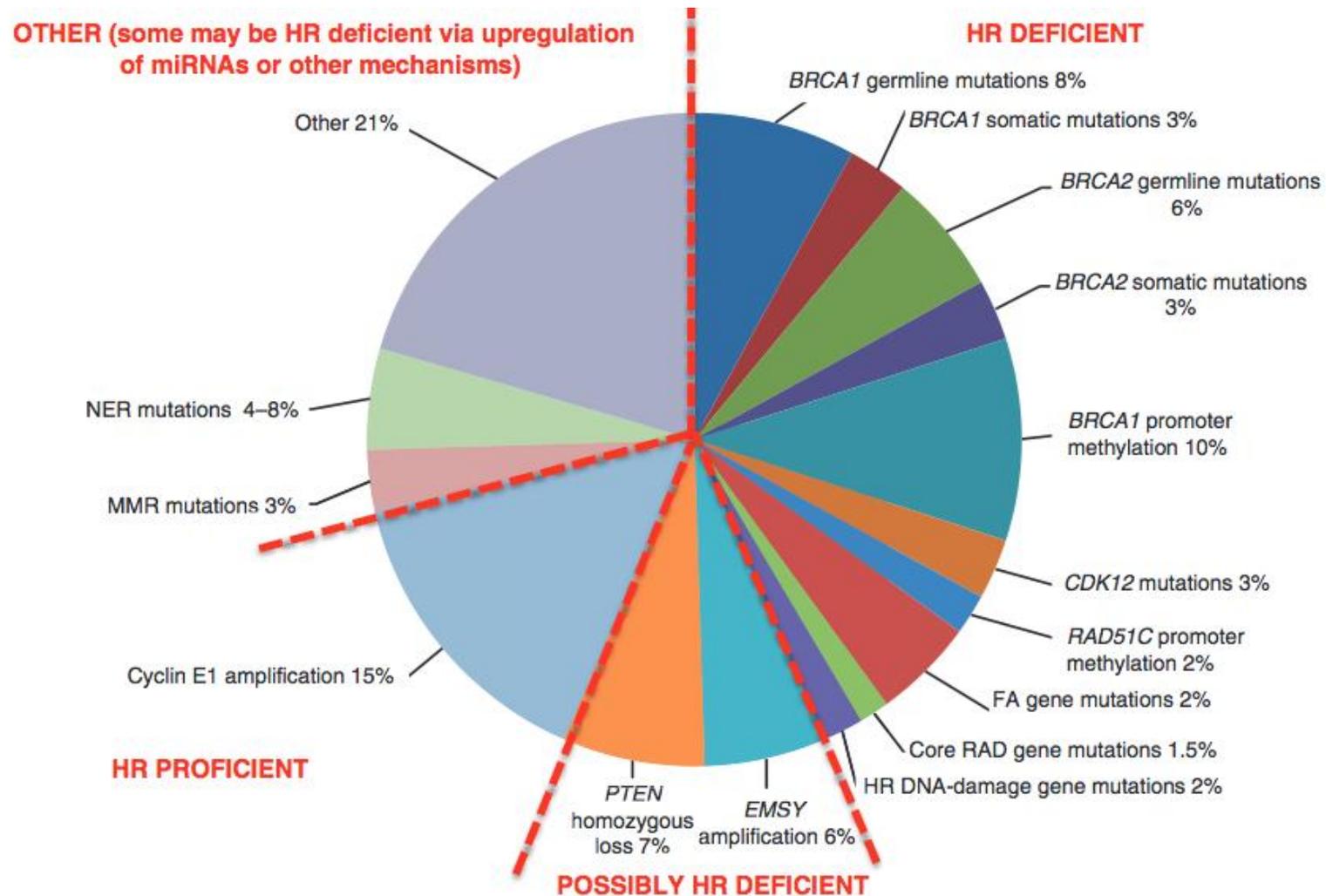
Bevacizumab maintenance (56 cycles)



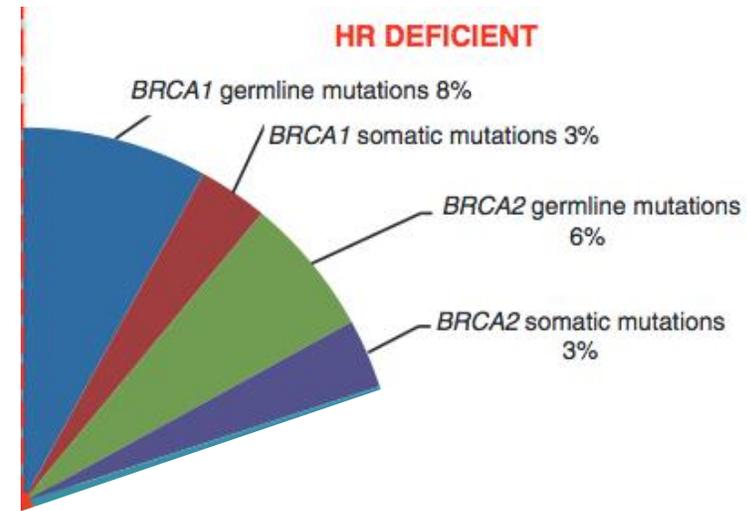
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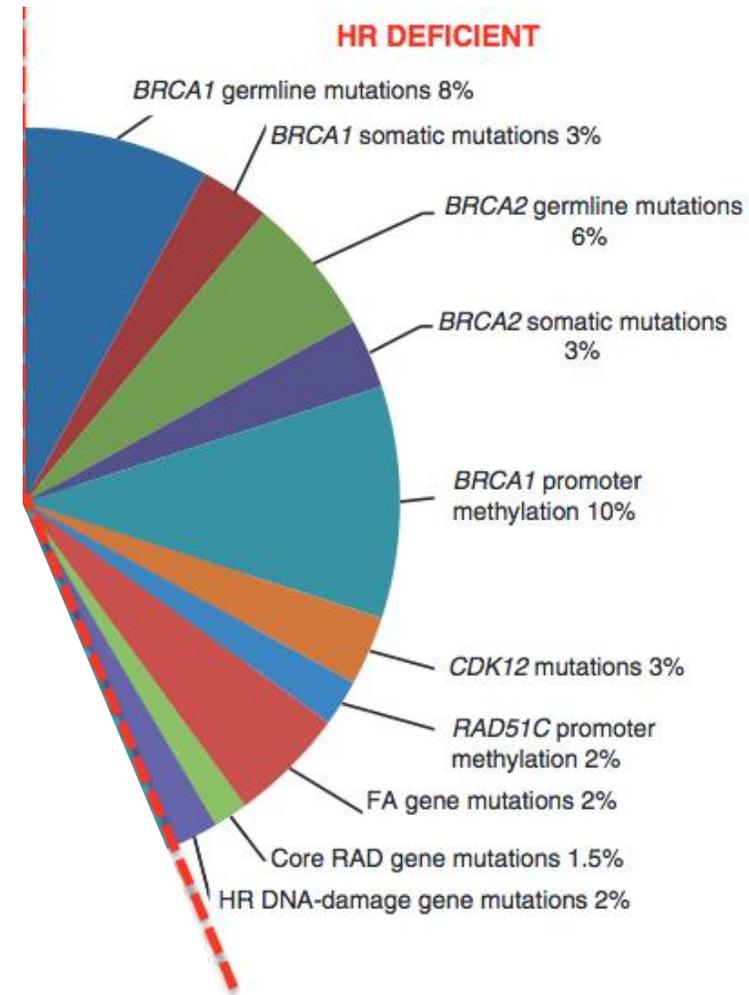
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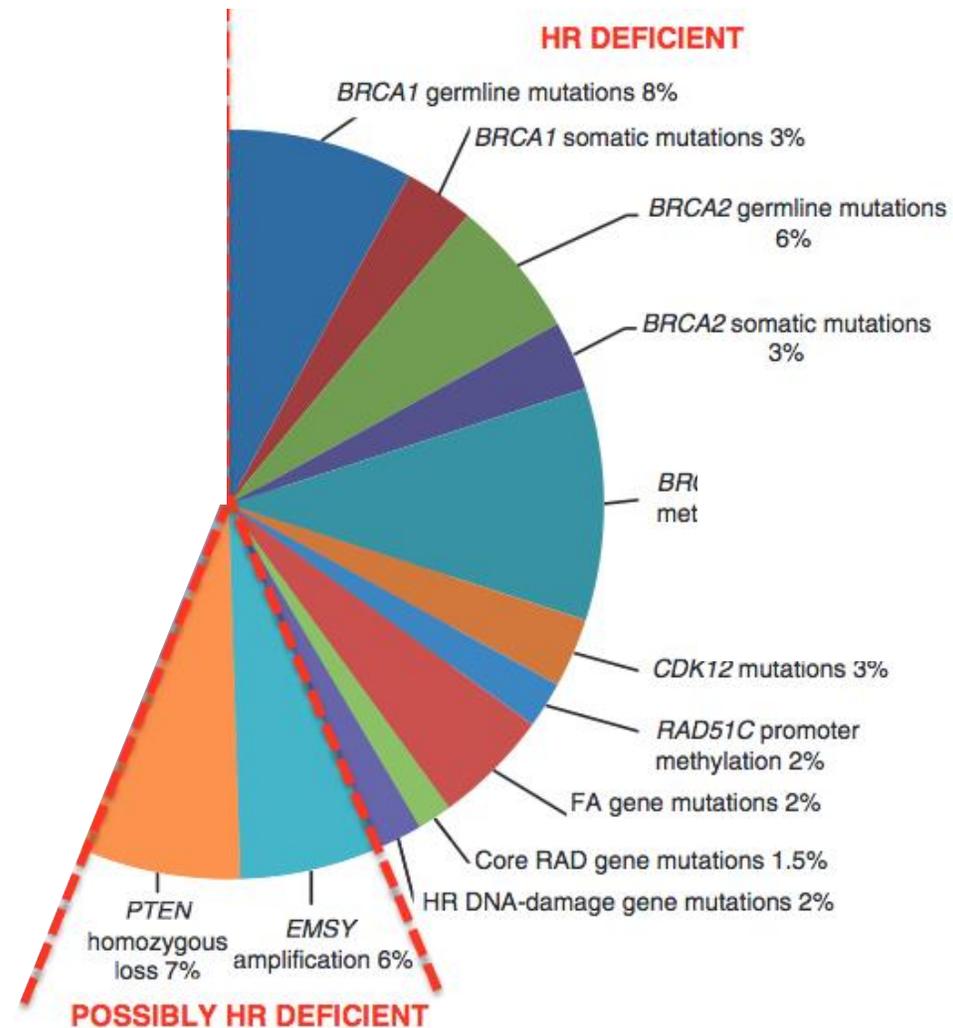
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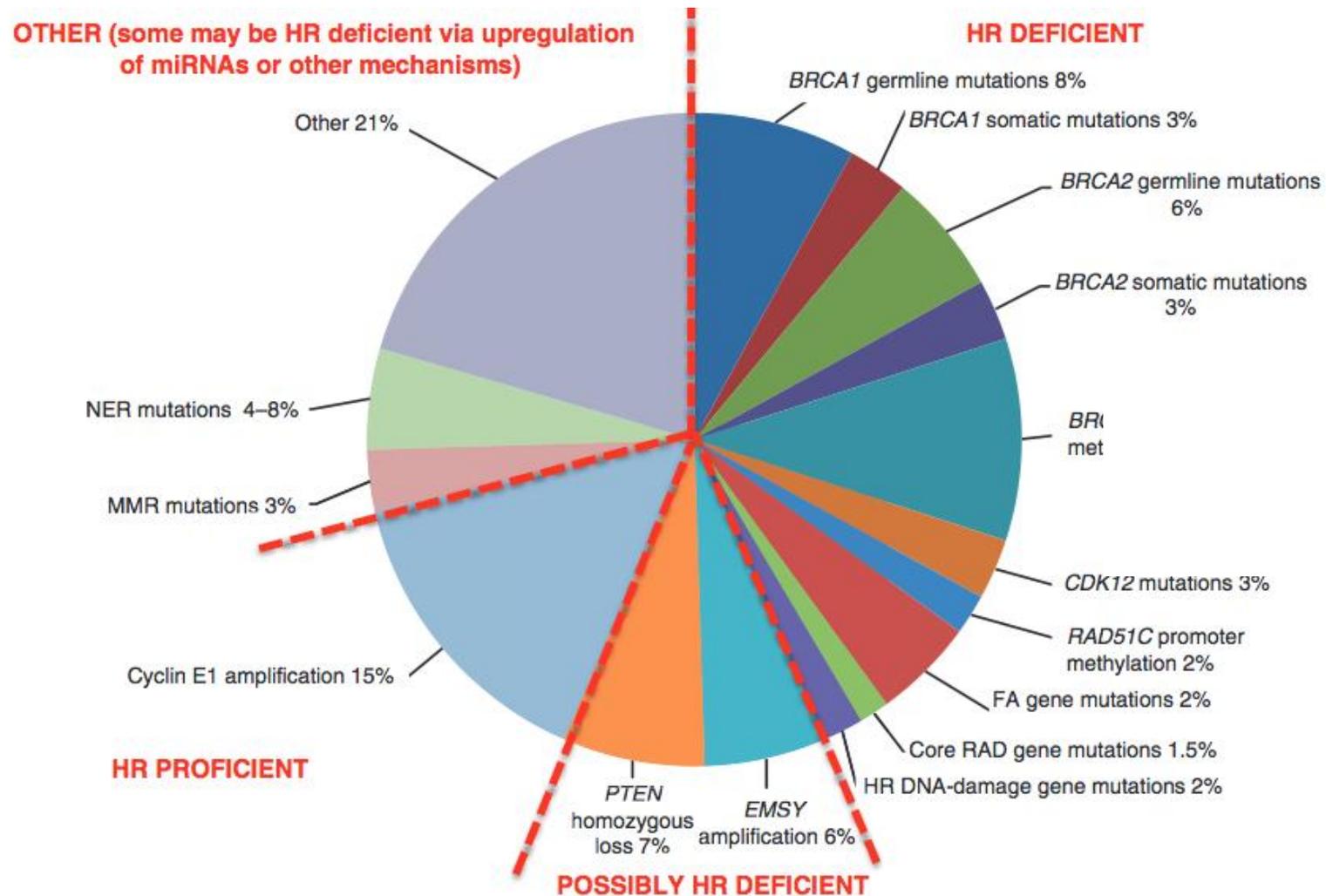
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## Maintenance after Response to Platinum

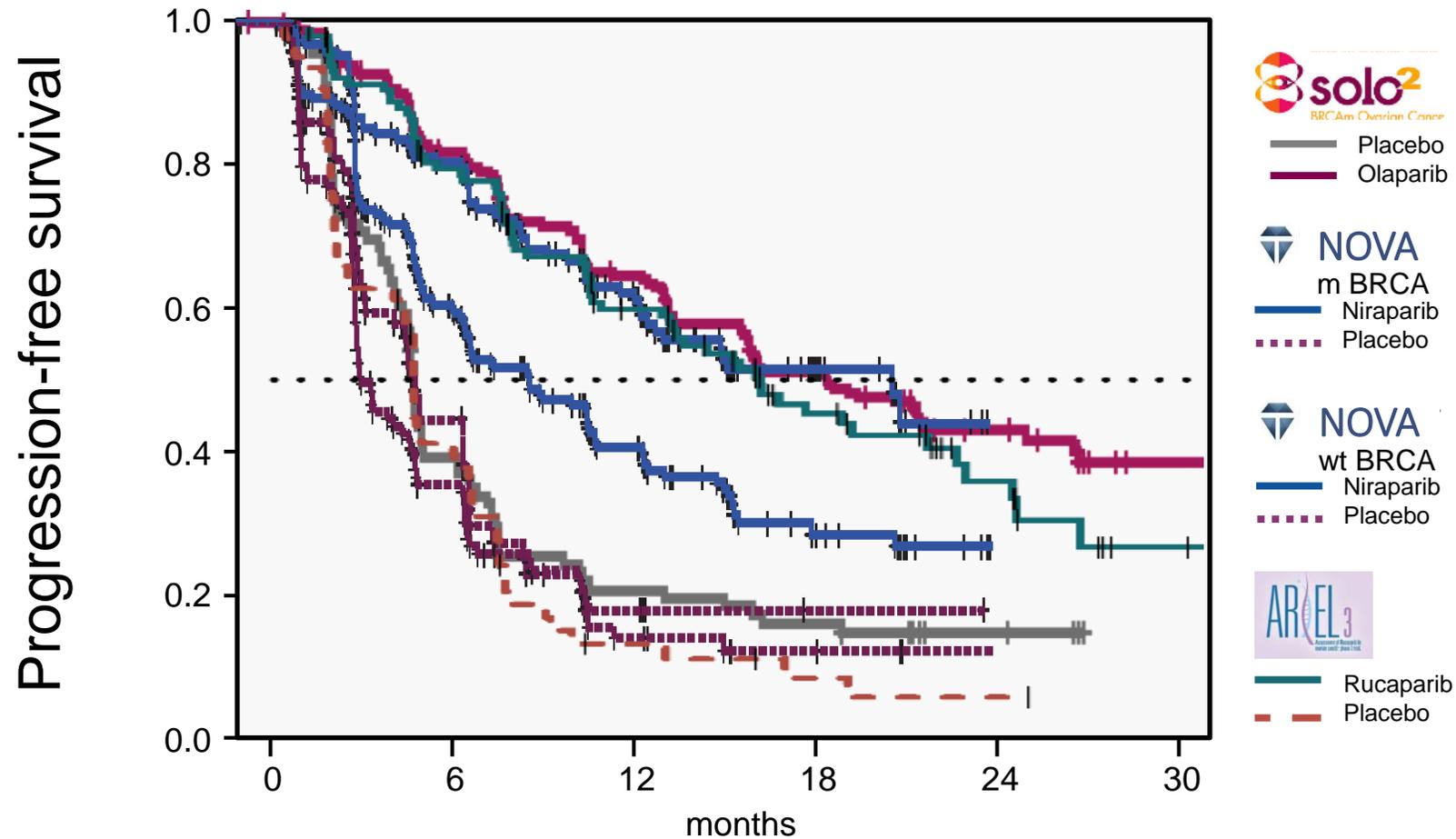
Study	ENGOT-OV16/NOVA <sup>1</sup>		SOLO2 <sup>2</sup>	ARIEL3 <sup>3</sup>		
Agent	Niraparib		Olaparib	Rucaparib		
Inclusion	gBRCA	No gBRCA	gBRCA	ITT	HRD+	g/sBRCA
Difference PFS, months	15.5	5.4	14.6	5.4	8.2	11.2
PFS HR	0.27***	0.45 ***	0.30***	0.36***	0.32***	0.23***

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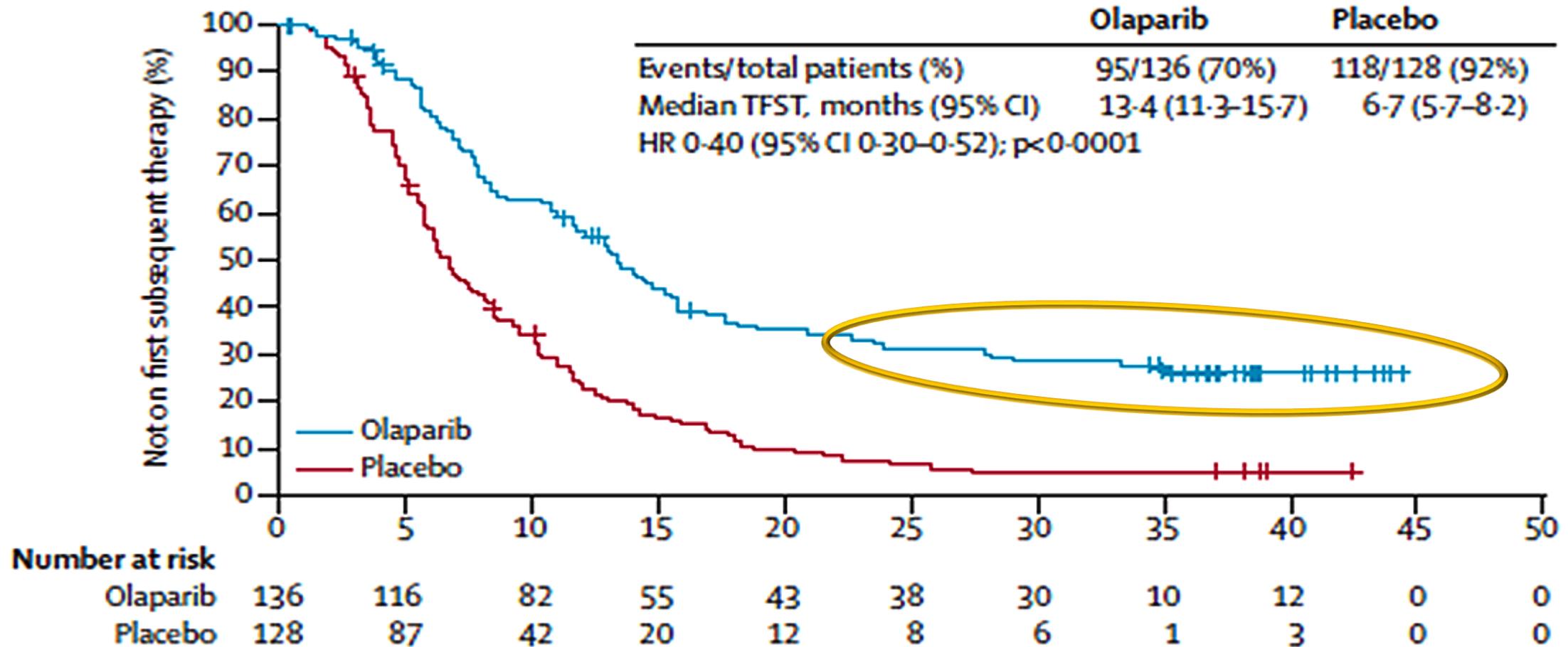
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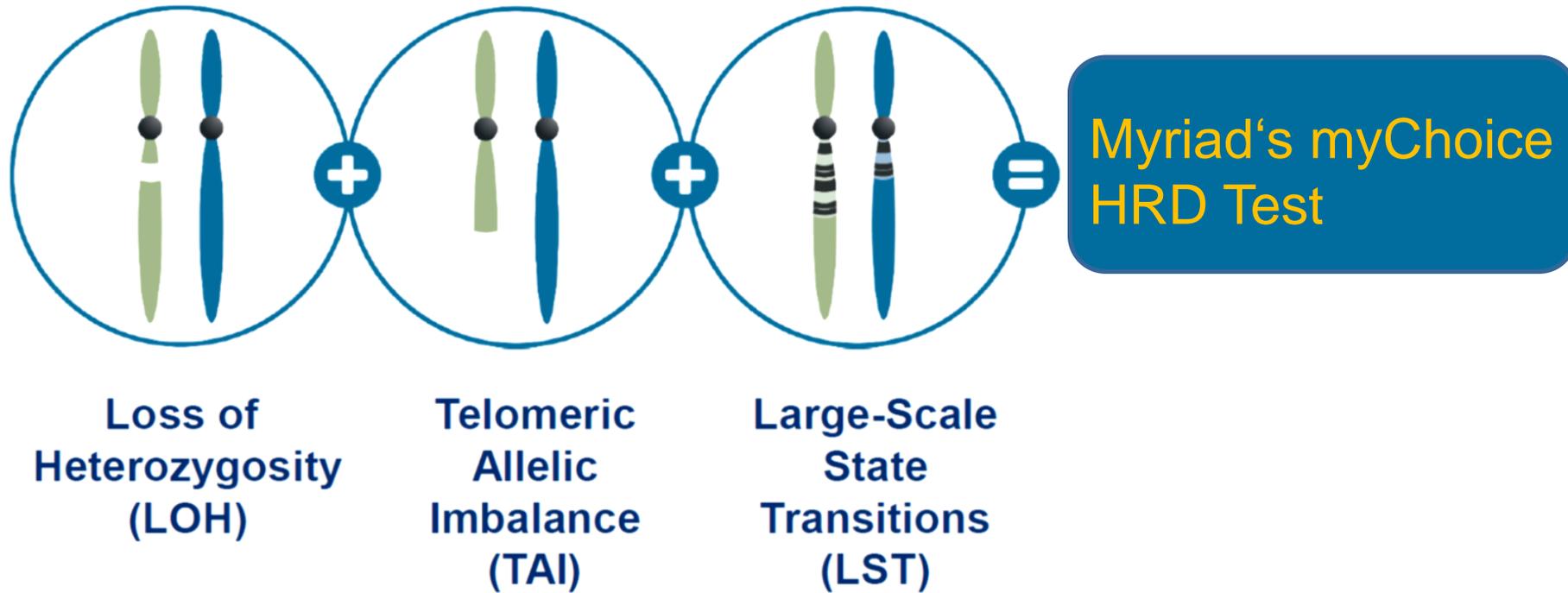


# Olaparib maintenance therapy in patients with platinum sensitive relapsed serous ovarian cancer: Study 19

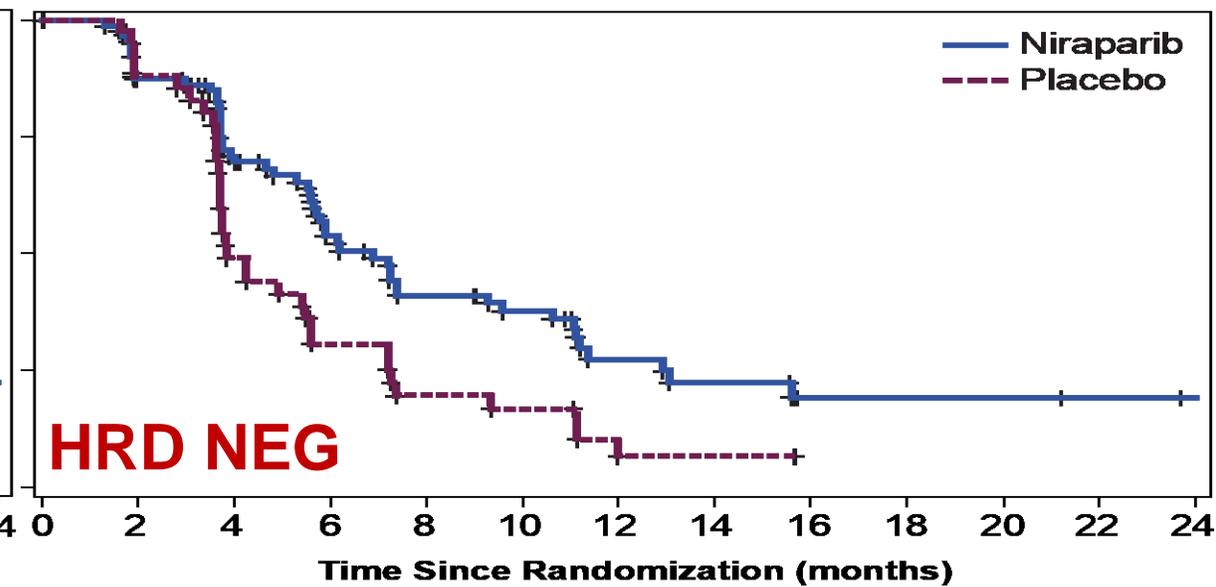
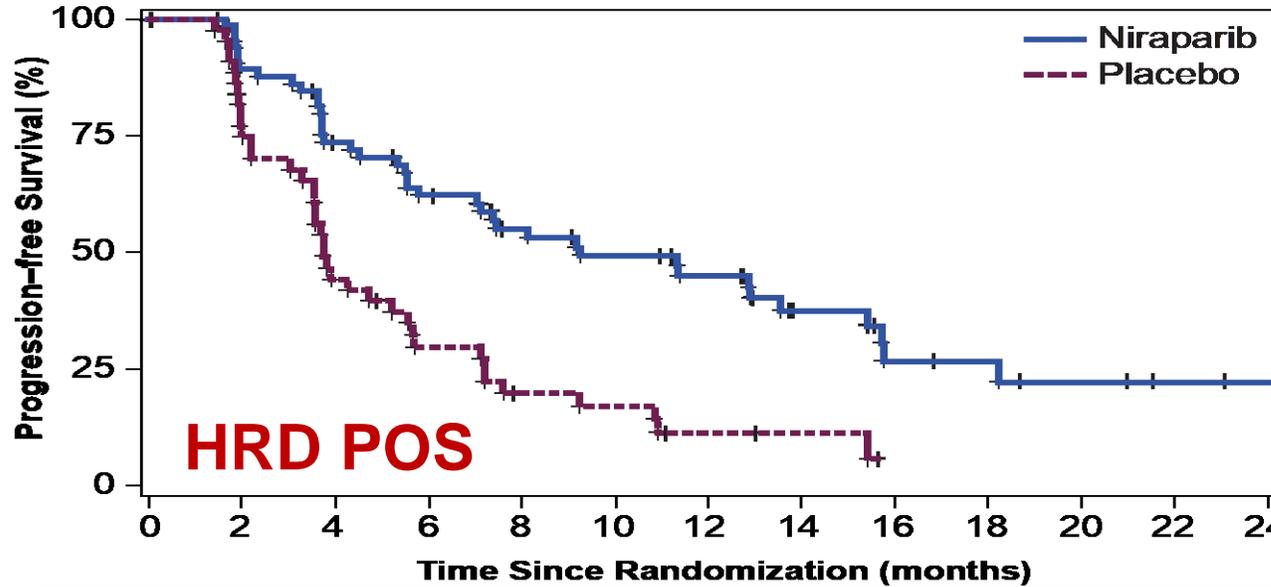
Time to first subsequent therapy or death in all patients (n=264)



# HRD Test



# Niraparib maintenance in PSOC: PFS in no gBRCA

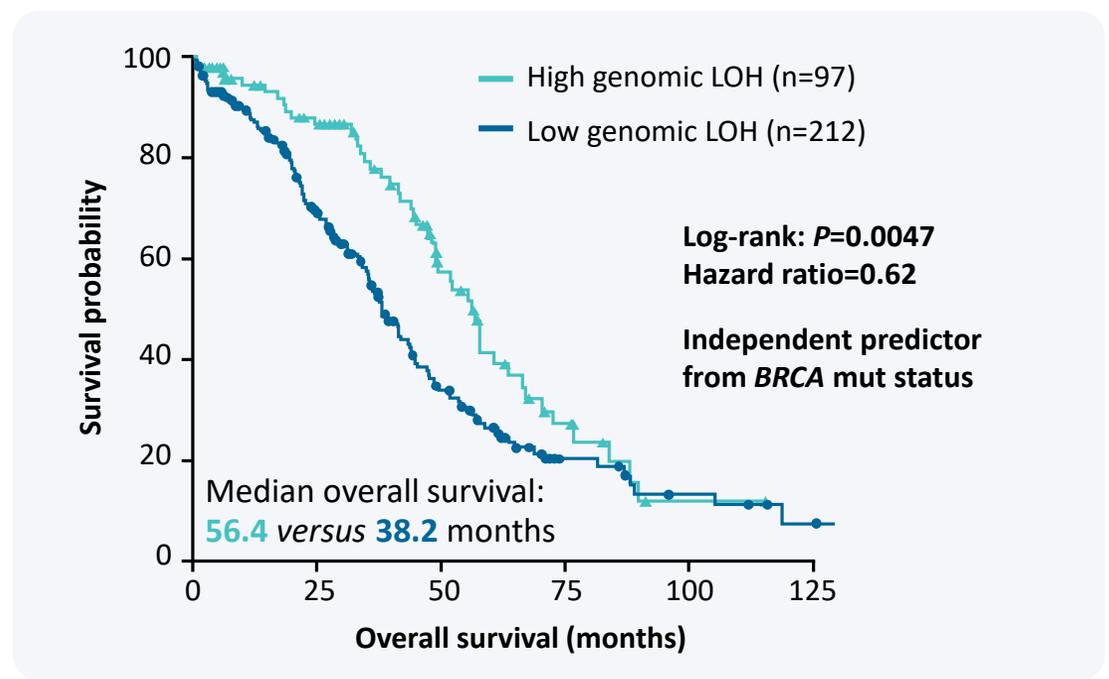
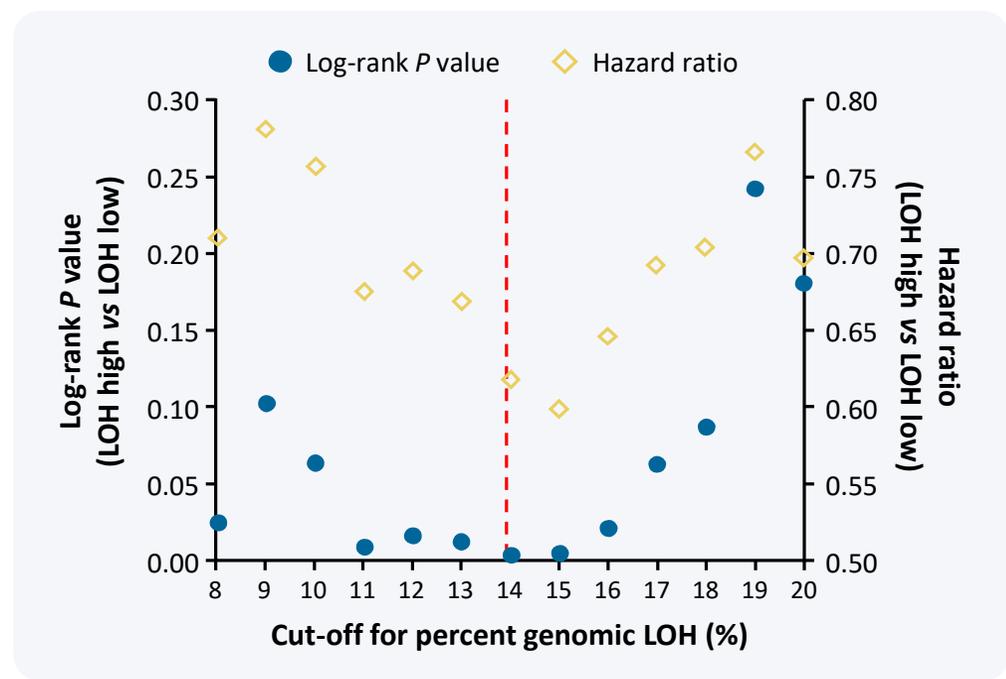


Treatment	PFS Median (95% CI) (Months)	Hazard Ratio (95% CI) p-value	% of Patients without Progression or Death	
			12 mo	18 mo
Niraparib (N=71)	<b>9.3</b> (5.8, 15.4)	<b>0.38</b> (0.231, 0.628) p=0.0001	45%	<b>27%</b>
Placebo (N=44)	<b>3.7</b> (3.3, 5.6)		11%	6%

Treatment	PFS Median (95% CI) (Months)	Hazard Ratio (95% CI) p-value	% of Patients without Progression or Death	
			12 mo	18 mo
Niraparib (N=92)	<b>6.9</b> (5.6, 9.6)	<b>0.58</b> (0.361, 0.922) p=0.0226	27%	<b>19%</b>
Placebo (N=42)	<b>3.8</b> (3.7, 5.6)		7%	7%

# Initial Genomic LOH Cut-Off Derived from Public Data and Prospectively Tested in ARIEL2

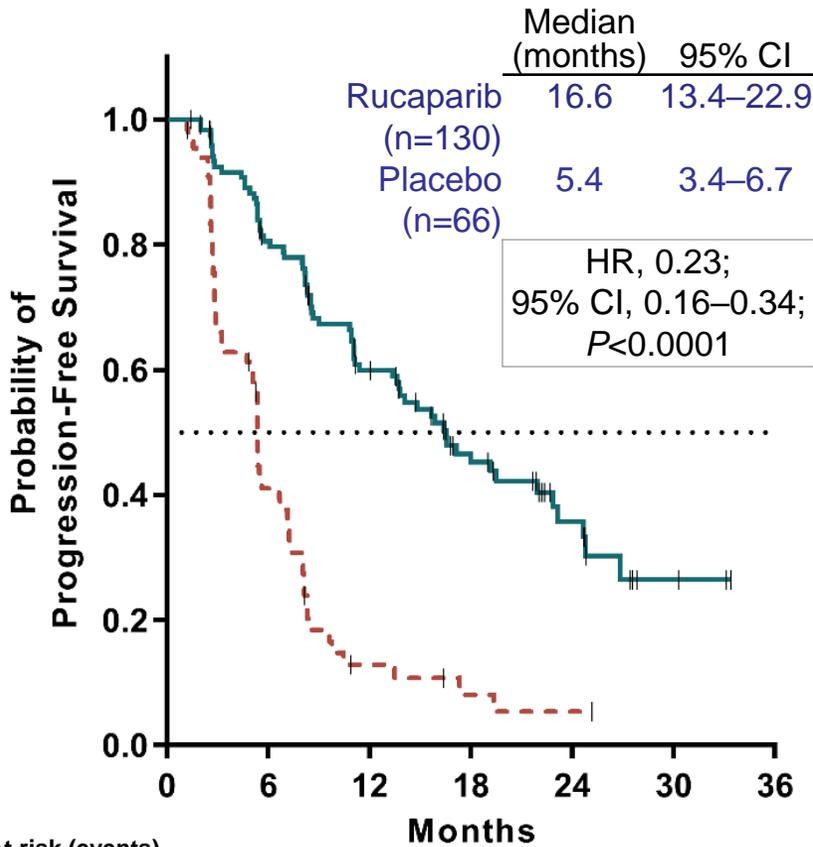
TCGA and AOCs overall survival data used to develop LOH cut-off to identify HGOC patient tumours with *BRCA*-like signature



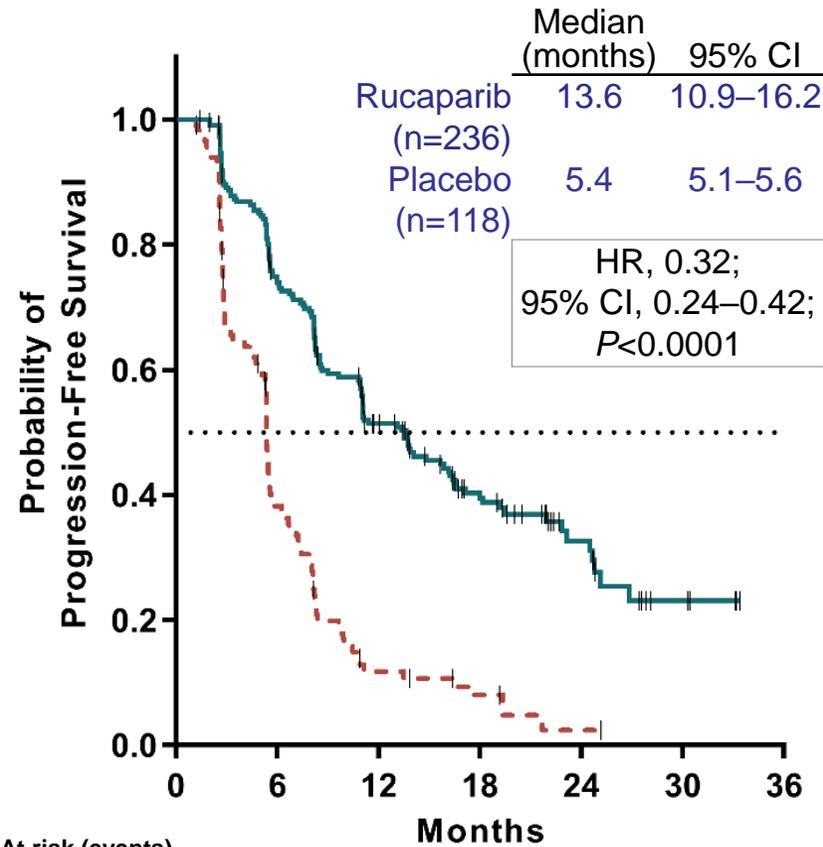
**Prospective testing of prespecified cut-off in ARIEL2**

# ARIEL3: Investigator-Assessed Progression-Free Survival

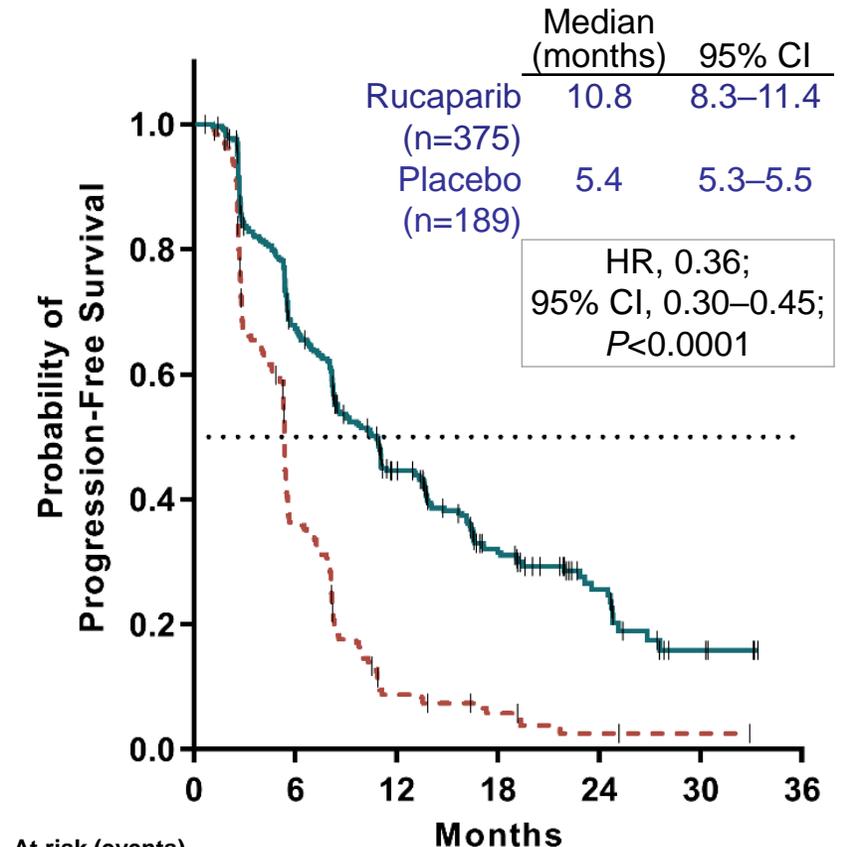
## BRCA mutant



## HRD



## ITT



At risk (events)

Months	0	6	12	18	24	30	36
Rucaparib	130 (0)	93 (23)	63 (46)	35 (58)	15 (64)	3 (67)	0 (67)
Placebo	66 (0)	24 (37)	6 (53)	3 (55)	1 (56)	0 (56)	

Rucaparib, 48% censored      Placebo, 15% censored

At risk (events)

Months	0	6	12	18	24	30	36
Rucaparib	236 (0)	161 (55)	96 (104)	54 (122)	21 (129)	5 (134)	0 (134)
Placebo	118 (0)	40 (68)	11 (95)	6 (98)	1 (101)	0 (101)	

Rucaparib, 43% censored      Placebo, 14% censored

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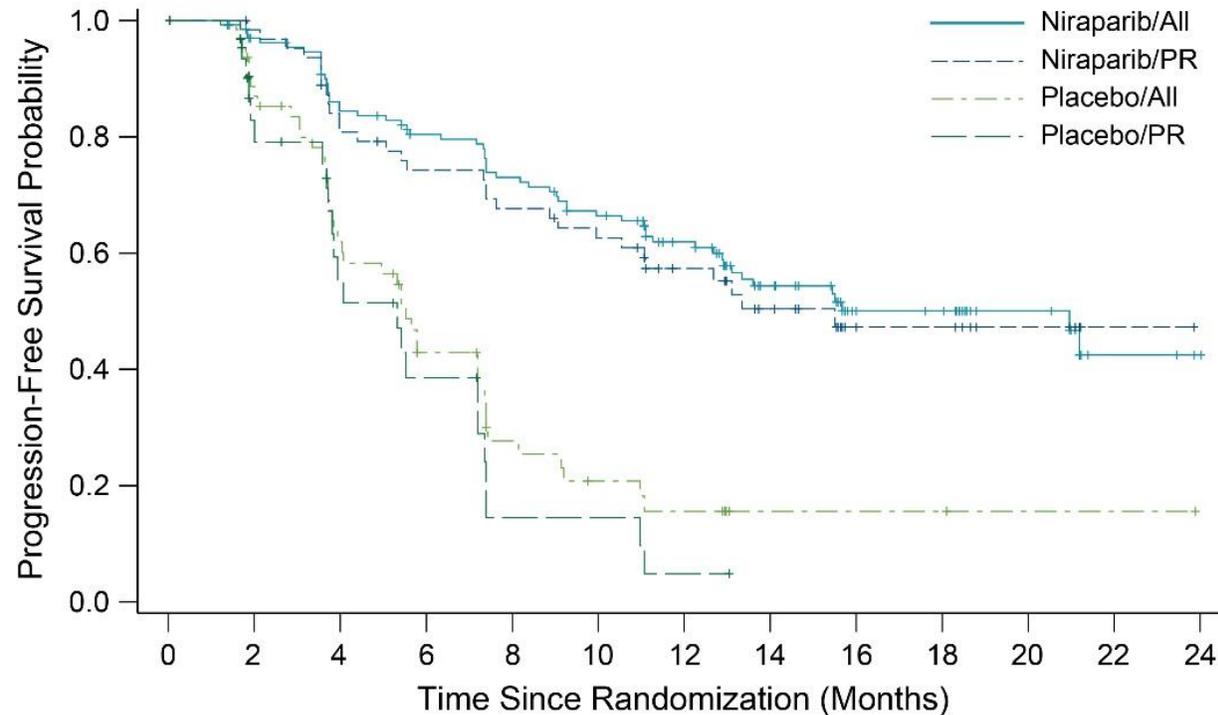
Months	0	6	12	18	24	30	36
Rucaparib	375 (0)	228 (111)	128 (186)	65 (217)	26 (226)	5 (234)	0 (234)
Placebo	189 (0)	63 (114)	13 (160)	7 (164)	2 (167)	1 (167)	0 (167)

Rucaparib, 38% censored      Placebo, 12% censored

Visit cutoff date: 15 April 2017.

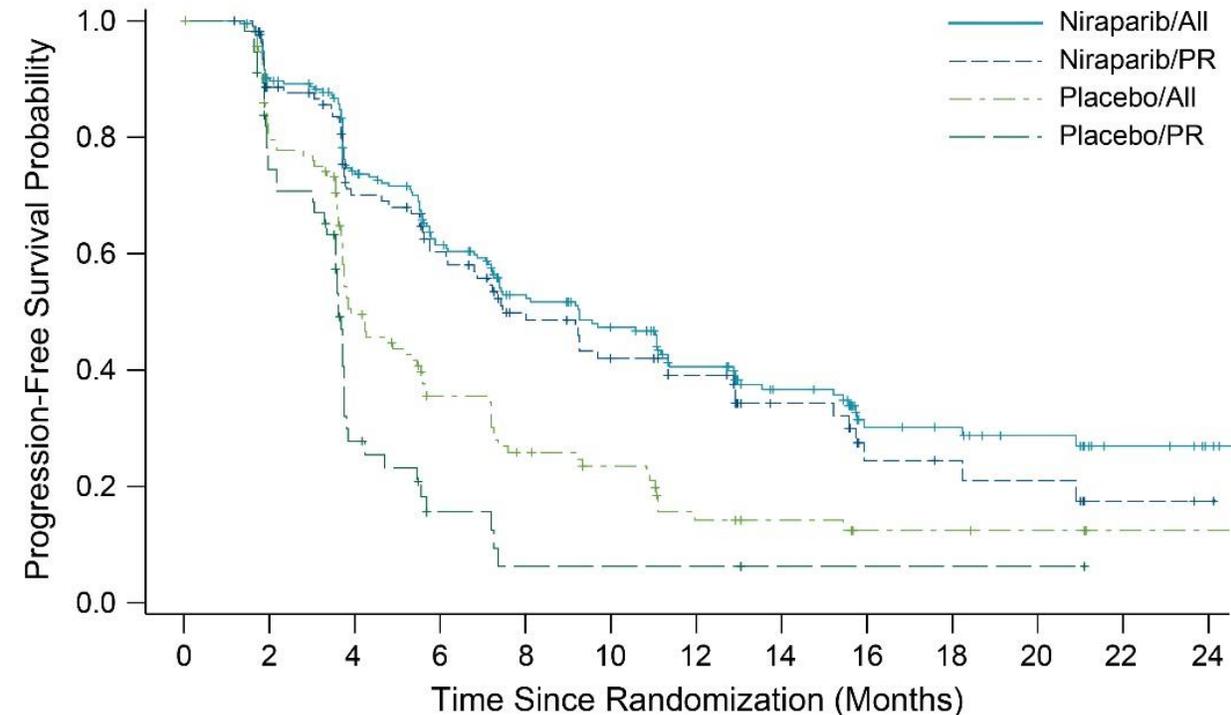
# PFS for Patients with a PR to the Last Platinum-Based Chemotherapy

## gBRCAmut Cohort



Niraparib/All	138	125	107	98	89	79	63	44	28	26	16	3	1
Niraparib/PR	67	62	50	45	41	37	27	19	10	9	5	1	0
Placebo/All	65	52	34	21	12	8	6	2	2	2	1	1	0
Placebo/PR	32	22	14	9	3	3	1	0					

## Non-gBRCAmut Cohort

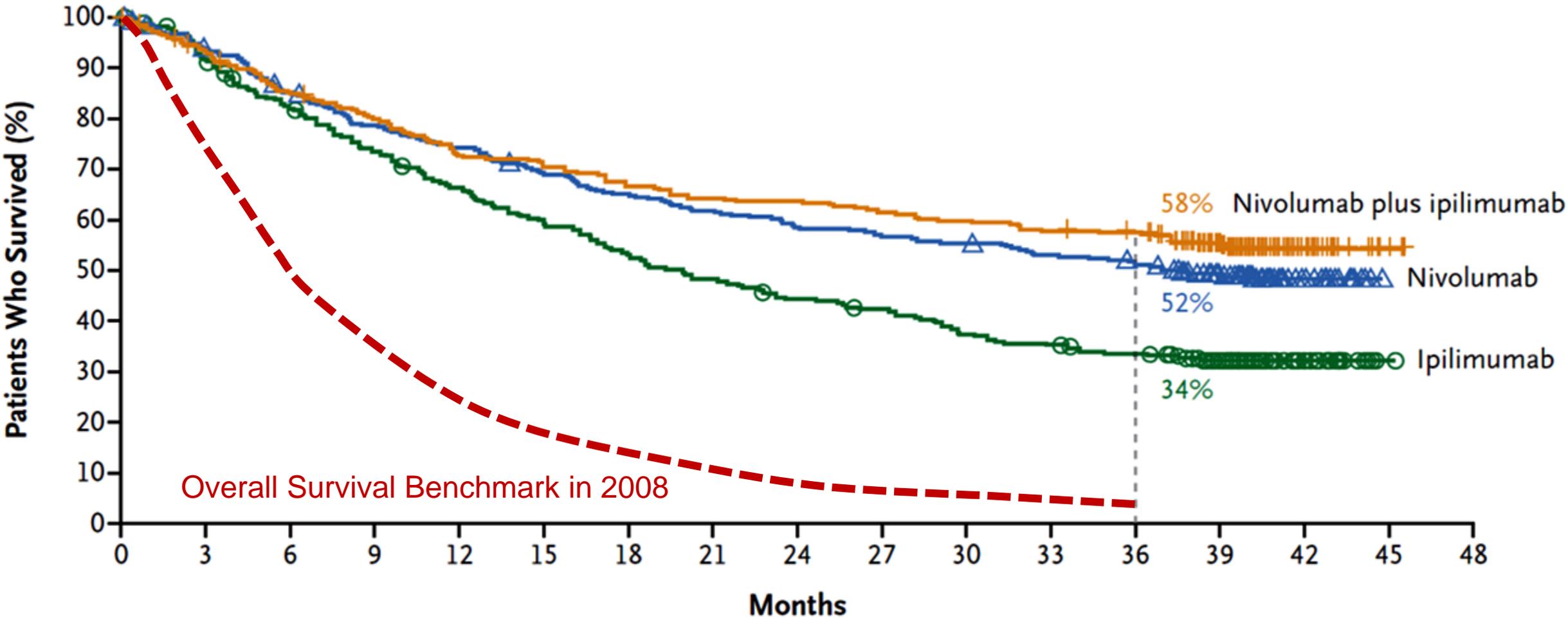


Niraparib/All	234	188	145	113	88	75	57	41	23	21	16	7	3
Niraparib/PR	117	90	66	54	39	31	26	16	8	7	6	2	3
Placebo/All	116	88	52	33	23	19	10	8	4	4	3	1	1
Placebo/PR	56	40	13	5	2	2	2	1	1	1	1	0	1

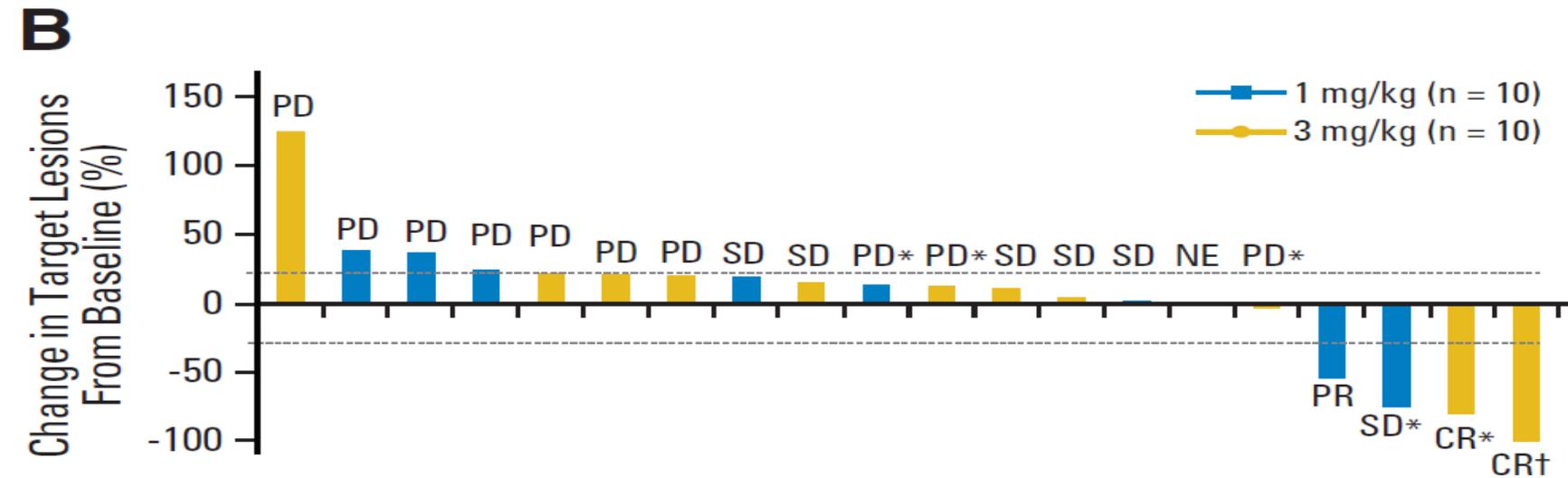
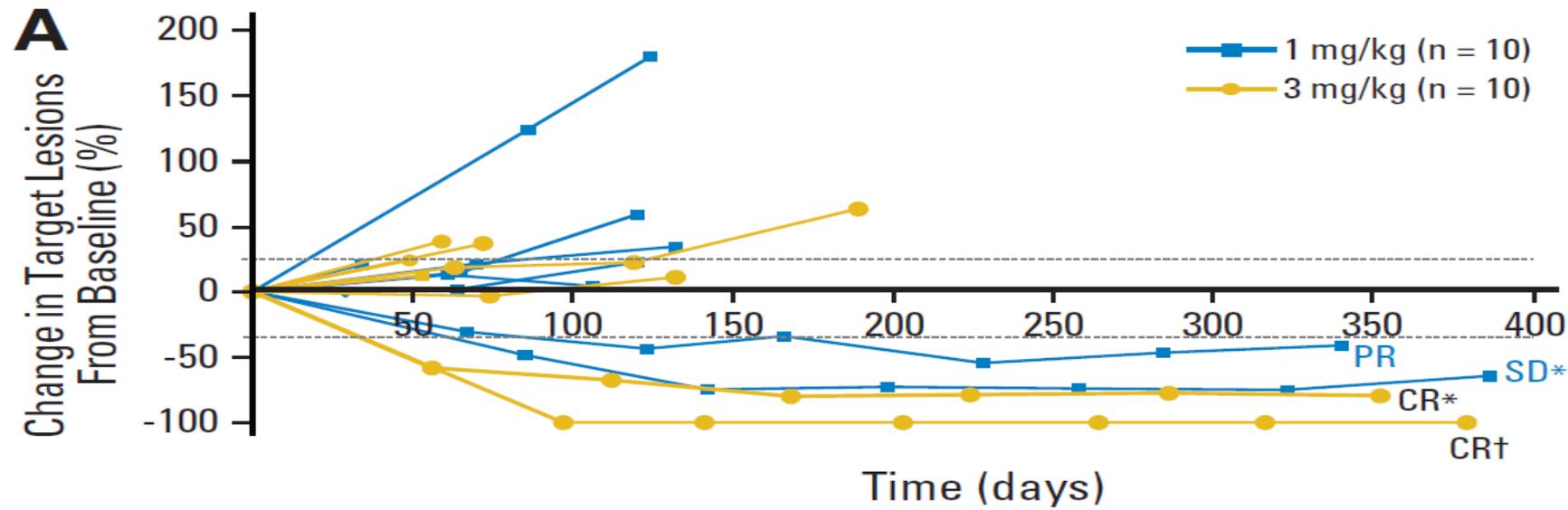
# Patterns of Toxicity of PARP Inhibitors

	<b>OLAPARIB</b>	<b>NIRAPARIB</b>	<b>RUCAPARIB</b>
<b>Fatigue</b>	<b>+++</b>	<b>++</b>	<b>+++</b>
<b>Nausea/Vomiting</b>	<b>+++</b>	<b>+++</b>	<b>+++</b>
<b>Anaemia</b>	<b>+++</b>	<b>+++</b>	<b>+++</b>
<b>Neutropenia</b>	<b>+</b>	<b>++</b>	<b>+</b>
<b>Thrombocytopenia</b>	<b>++</b>	<b>+++</b>	<b>++</b>
<b>Diarrhoea</b>	<b>++</b>	<b>+</b>	<b>+</b>
<b>Headache</b>	<b>++</b>	<b>+</b>	<b>+</b>
<b>Insomnia</b>	<b>+</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Dysguesia</b>	<b>++</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>++</b>
<b>Raised ALT/AST</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>++</b>
<b>Photosensitive rash</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>+</b>
<b>Hypertension</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>++</b>	<b>-</b>

# Overall Survival with Combined Nivolumab and Ipilimumab in Advanced Melanoma



# Safety and Antitumor Activity of Anti-PD-1 Antibody, Nivolumab, in Patients With Platinum-Resistant Ovarian Cancer



Best overall responses in all patients in two cohorts with anti-programmed death 1 (PD-1) antibody.

# Single agent therapy with immune checkpoint inhibitors in ovarian cancer

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	<b>Anti-PD1</b>	<b>Anti-PD1</b>	<b>Anti-PD-L1</b>	<b>Anti-PD-L1</b>
Patients	20	26	124	12
Prior Therapy	≥4 (55%)	≥3 (65%)	≥3 ( 58%)	>6 ( 58%)
PDL-1 +	80% [IHC]	100% [IHC]	77% [eval in 60%]	83%
ORR	15%	11.5%	9.7%	25%
Duration	4 (20%) > 24 wks	7 (30%) > 24 wks	16.1% @24 wks	mPFS ~12 wks

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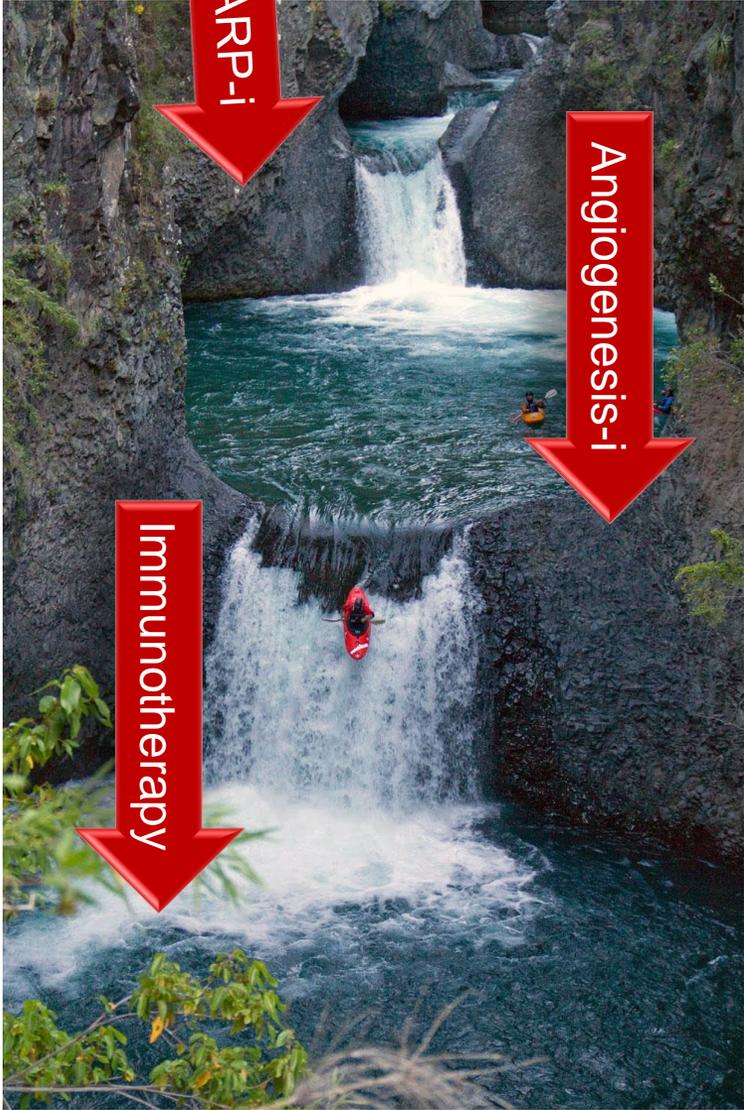
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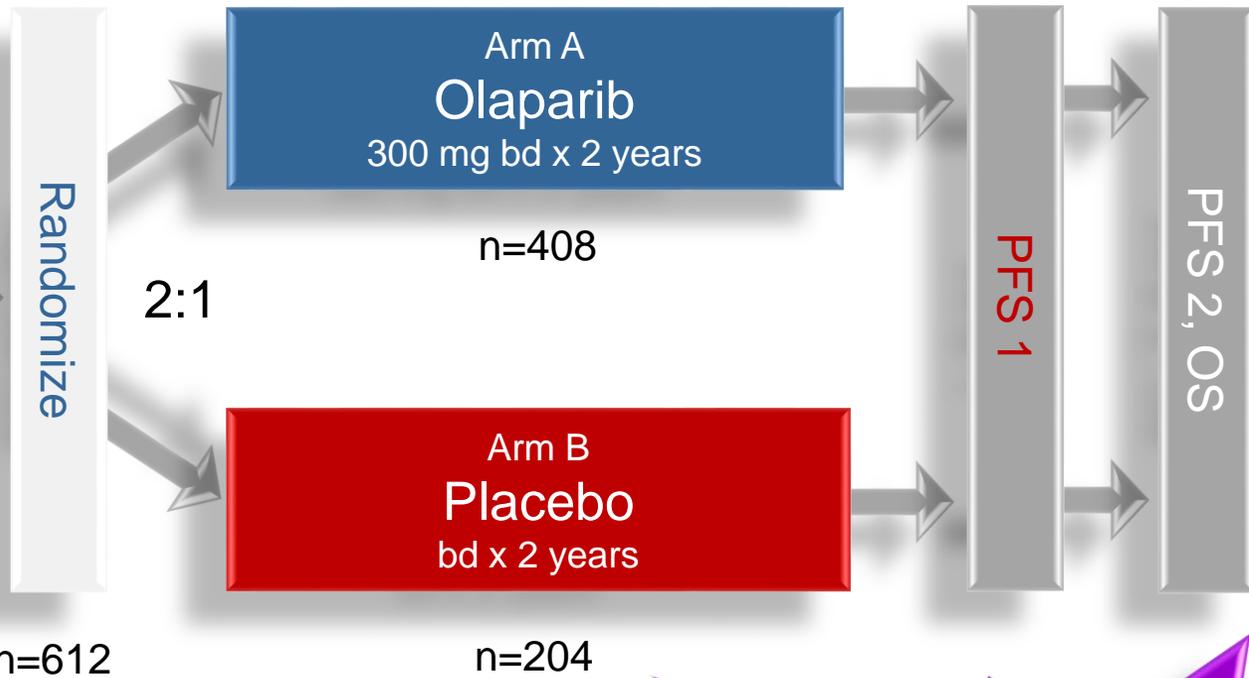
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# How to incorporate new treatment modalities?



FIGO  
IIIB-IV  
HG-SOC  
or  
HG-Endo  
O,P,F Cancer

PR/CR  
NED



First-line Surgery  
+ Chemotherapy  
(Dose-dens, IP, NACT allowed)

Bevacizumab (15mg/kg/3wk) ≥ 3 cycles combined with chemo +  
Maintenance in both arms (15 months total)

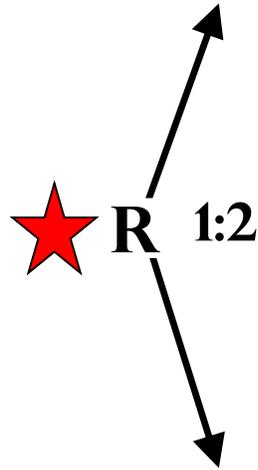
**PFS: 2018**

# ATALANTE trial design

**Recurrent  
Platinum-sensitive  
N=351**

- Non-mucinous histology
- TFIp >6 months
- One or 2 prior lines of Cx
- Measurable disease
- ECOG ≤1

**Stratification factors:**  
PFI, PD-L1 expression,  
Chemotherapy cohort



Carboplatin-based  
chemotherapy



**BEV +Placebo**



Carboplatin-based  
chemotherapy



**BEV+Atezolizumab**



**Chemotherapy-based schedule options (investigator's choice)**

- Carboplatin AUC5 + paclitaxel 175mg/m<sup>2</sup> + BEV 15mg/kg + placebo/atezolizumab 1200mg, I.V., d1, q3w
- \*Carboplatin AUC4, d1 + gemcitabine 1000 mg/m<sup>2</sup>, d1&8 + BEV 15mg/kg d1 + placebo/atezolizumab 1200mg, I.V., d1, q3w
- \*Carboplatin AUC5 d1 + PLD 30mg/m<sup>2</sup> d1+ BEV 10mg/kg d1&15 + placebo/atezolizumab 800mg, I.V., d1&15, q4w

**Maintenance (for all regimens):** BEV 15mg/kg + placebo/atezolizumab 1200mg, I.V., d1, q3w



=Biopsy; PFI: platinum-free interval; BEV: bevacizumab; PLD: pegylated liposomal doxorubicin; \*no systematic steroid as premedication

# Recurrent Ovarian Cancer Maintenance Therapy

1 Angiogenesis Inhibitors



2 PARP-Inhibitors



- mBRCA Tumors and response to platinum-containing therapy: **First choice**
- wtBRCA tumors and response to platinum-containing therapy: **Option to consider**

3 Immunotherapy



A large, smooth, rounded boulder sits on a flat, rocky plain. The boulder is dark brown and has a weathered, textured surface. To its left, a person in a red shirt and a black and white cow are standing, providing a sense of scale. The background shows a clear blue sky with a few wispy clouds and some sparse, leafless trees on the left. The overall scene is bright and sunny.

Small steps,  
made over time,  
move mountains

شكرا لكم على اهتمامكم

