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Expanding horizons in HCC: early detection and systemic treatment opportunities

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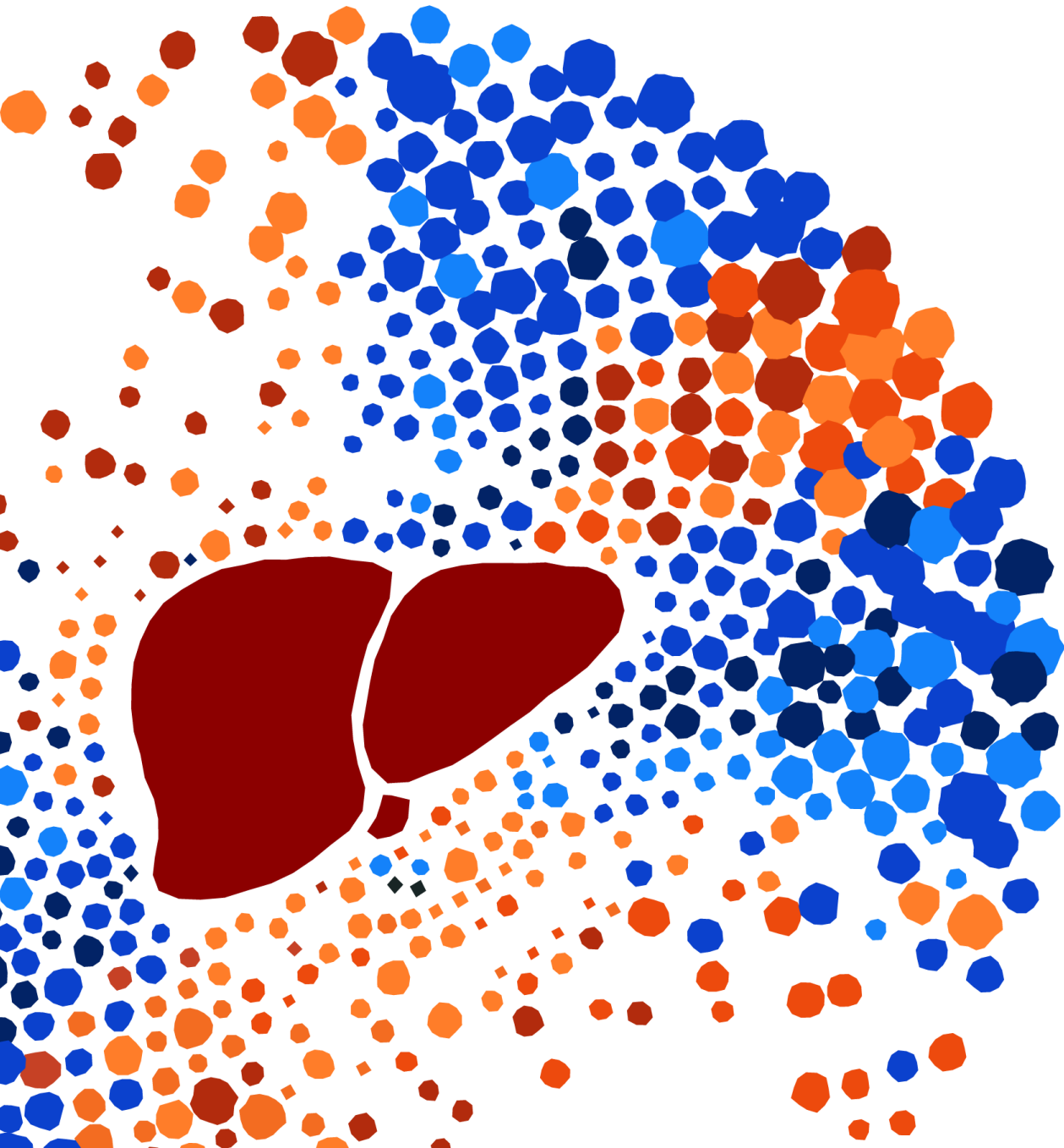
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Welcome and introductions

Lorenza Rimassa

Expert Panel



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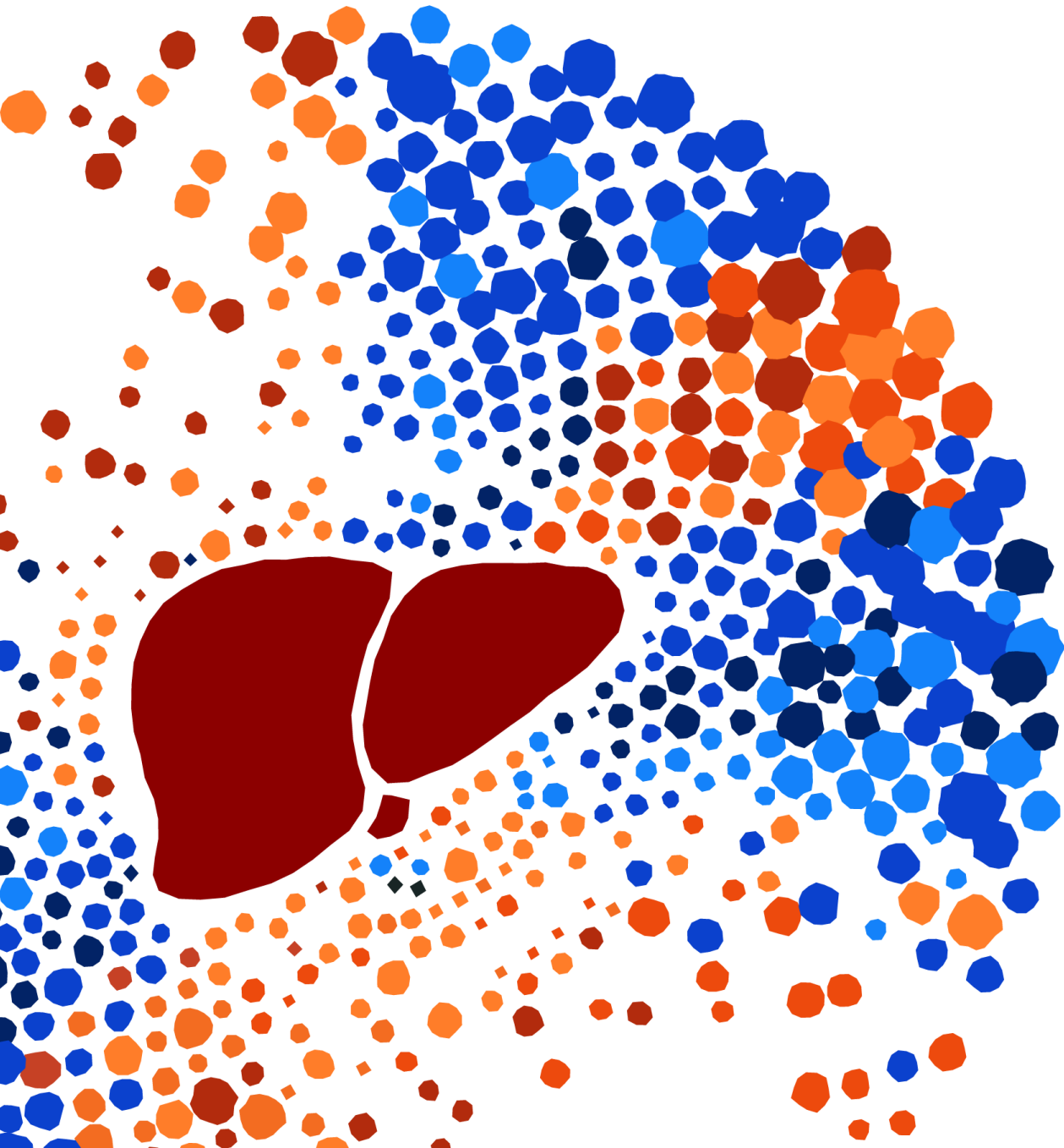


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Agenda

Time	Topic	Speaker
18:20–18:25	Welcome and introductions	Lorenza Rimassa
18:25–18:35	Where do we stand in clinical practice? Systemic HCC treatment today	Lorenza Rimassa
18:35–18:45	Improving patient survival and care: early HCC screening and diagnosis	Jörg Trojan
18:45–18:55	Evolving perspectives in the HCC treatment landscape	Pierce Chow
18:55–19:15	Q&A and panel discussion: insights into the patient journey	All faculty Moderator: Lorenza Rimassa
19:15–19:20	Summary and close	Lorenza Rimassa



Where do we stand in clinical practice? Systemic HCC treatment today

Lorenza Rimassa

Insights into the patient journey: a case study

Screening

Early-stage HCC

Intermediate-stage HCC

Advanced-stage HCC

1L treatment

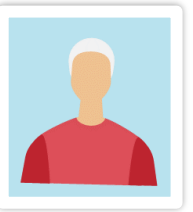
- 62-year-old male patient with pre-existing autoimmune disorder (hypothyroidism) who undergoes regular blood tests to assess liver function
- Relapsed and progressed to advanced-stage HCC after previous locoregional treatment

Confirmed advanced-stage HCC

- Child-Pugh A
- BCLC stage C
- ECOG PS 1
- AFP 356 ng/ml

Patient characteristics:

- Compensated liver cirrhosis
- NASH
- BMI 32
- Arterial hypertension
- HBV–/HCV–
- Two tumours, both ≥ 5 cm
- Spread to multiple lymph nodes
- Main portal invasion
- EHS



What is the most important feature in the patient characteristics that you base your treatment decision on?

1. Age

2. MVI

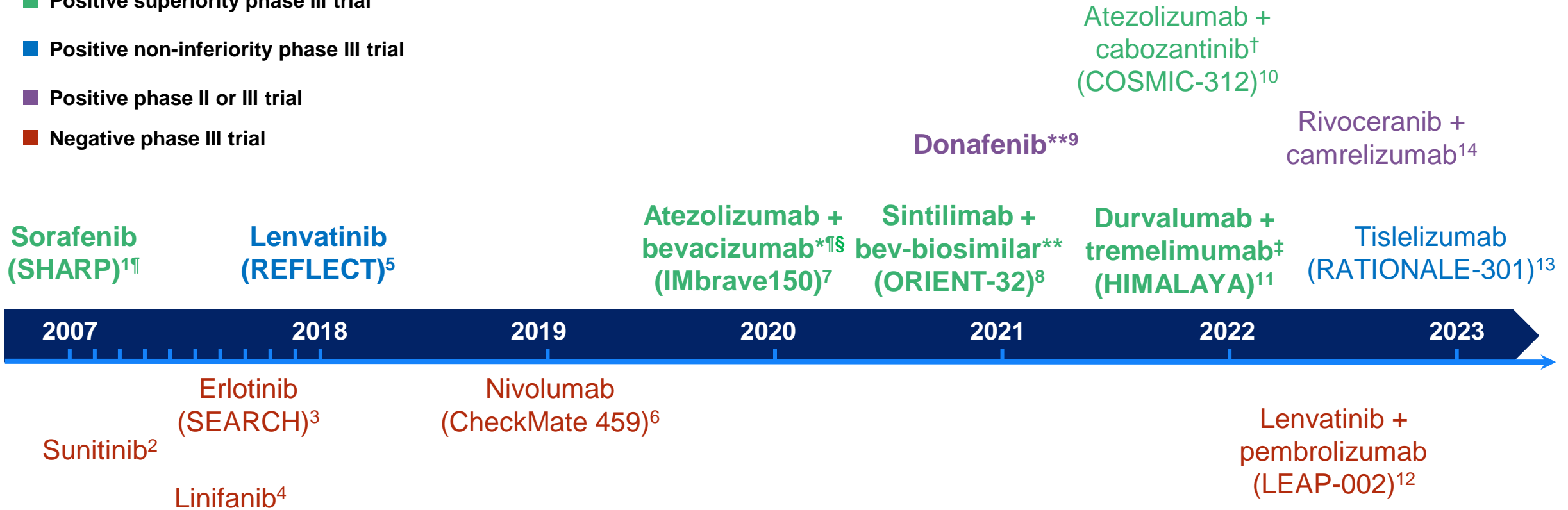
3. PD-L1 status

4. Cardiovascular comorbidities

5. Tumour load

Progress has been made in 1L systemic treatment of HCC in recent years

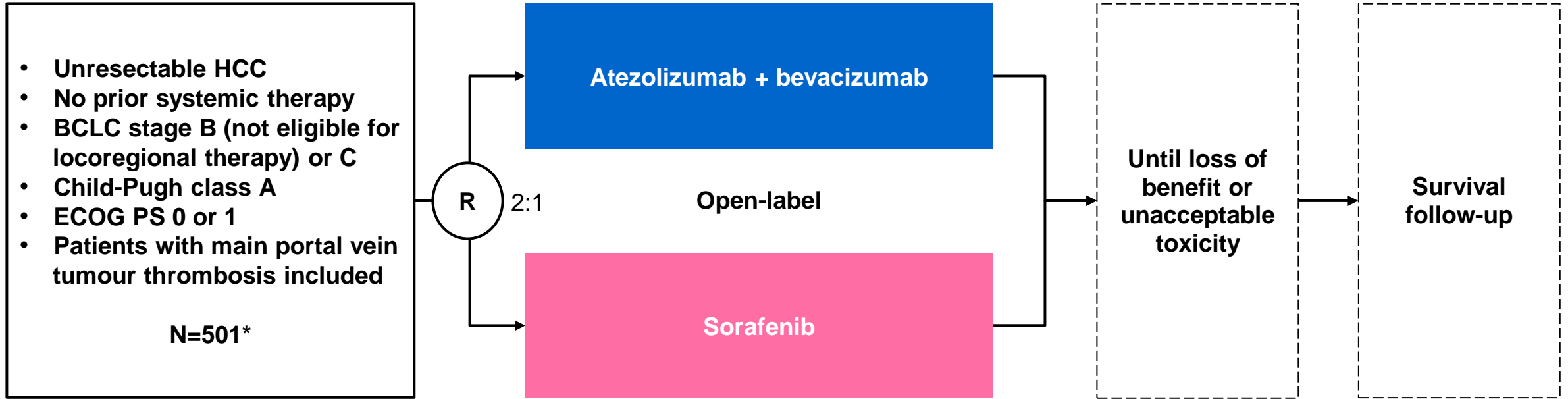
- Positive superiority phase III trial
- Positive non-inferiority phase III trial
- Positive phase II or III trial
- Negative phase III trial



*The TECENTRIQ® indication in combination with Bevacizumab is funded by the HNS for the treatment of adult patients with advanced or unresectable hepatocellular carcinoma who have not received prior systemic therapy, with liver function (Child-Pugh stage A), an ECOG score of 0 or 1, in the absence of untreated or undertreated esophagogastric varices and in the absence of autoimmune diseases; **In China only; †The use of this product has EMA authorisation but is pending for obtaining funding conditions from HNS; ‡Does not currently have EMA authorisation; †The use of this product has EMA authorisation and funding conditions from the HNS; §The reflected information refers to the Avastin® data sheet. In case of administering another bevacizumab, the corresponding data sheet should be consulted; This slide has research data from products without EMA authorisation, with the only purpose of medical education; **Trials in bold supported an approval**

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 7. Finn et al. N Engl J Med 2020; 8. Ren et al. Lancet Oncol 2021
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IMbrave150 (phase III): study design



Stratification

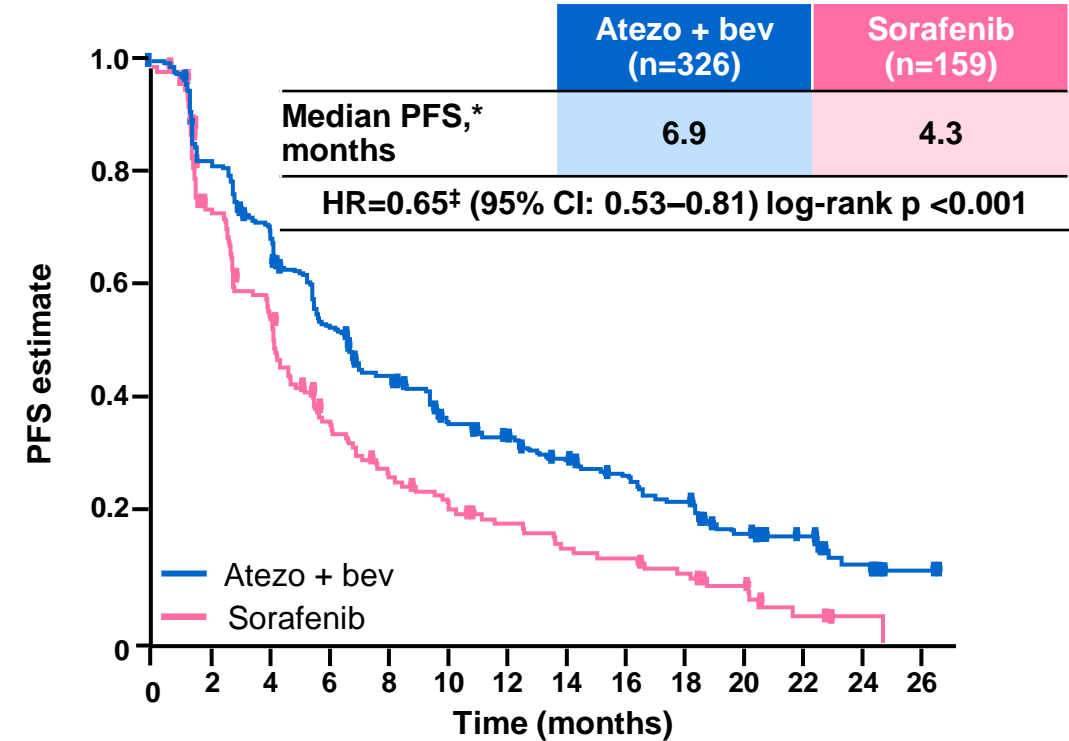
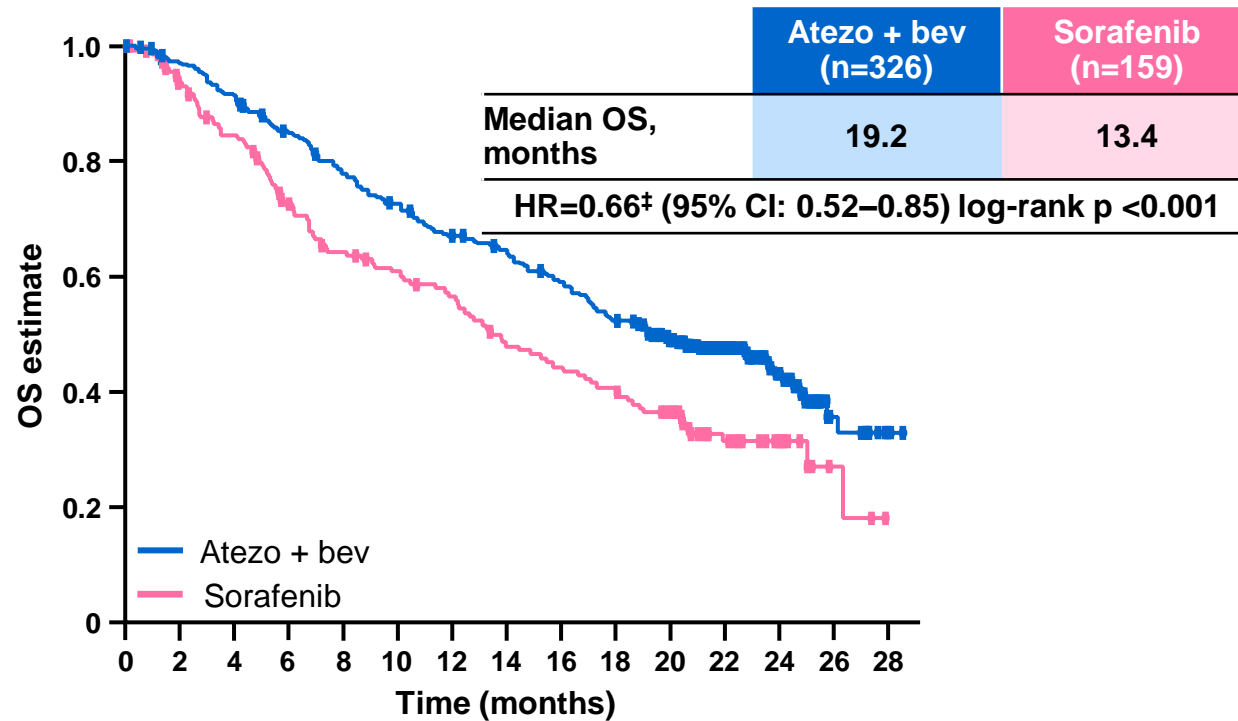
- Region (Asia excluding Japan[‡]/RoW)
- ECOG PS (0 or 1)
- MVI and/or EHS (presence/absence)
- Baseline AFP (<400/≥400ng/mL)

Primary endpoints

- OS, PFS (IRF RECIST v1.1)

*There were an additional 57 Chinese patients in the China extension cohort who were not included in the global population/analysis; [‡]Japan is included in RoW; AFP, α-fetaprotein

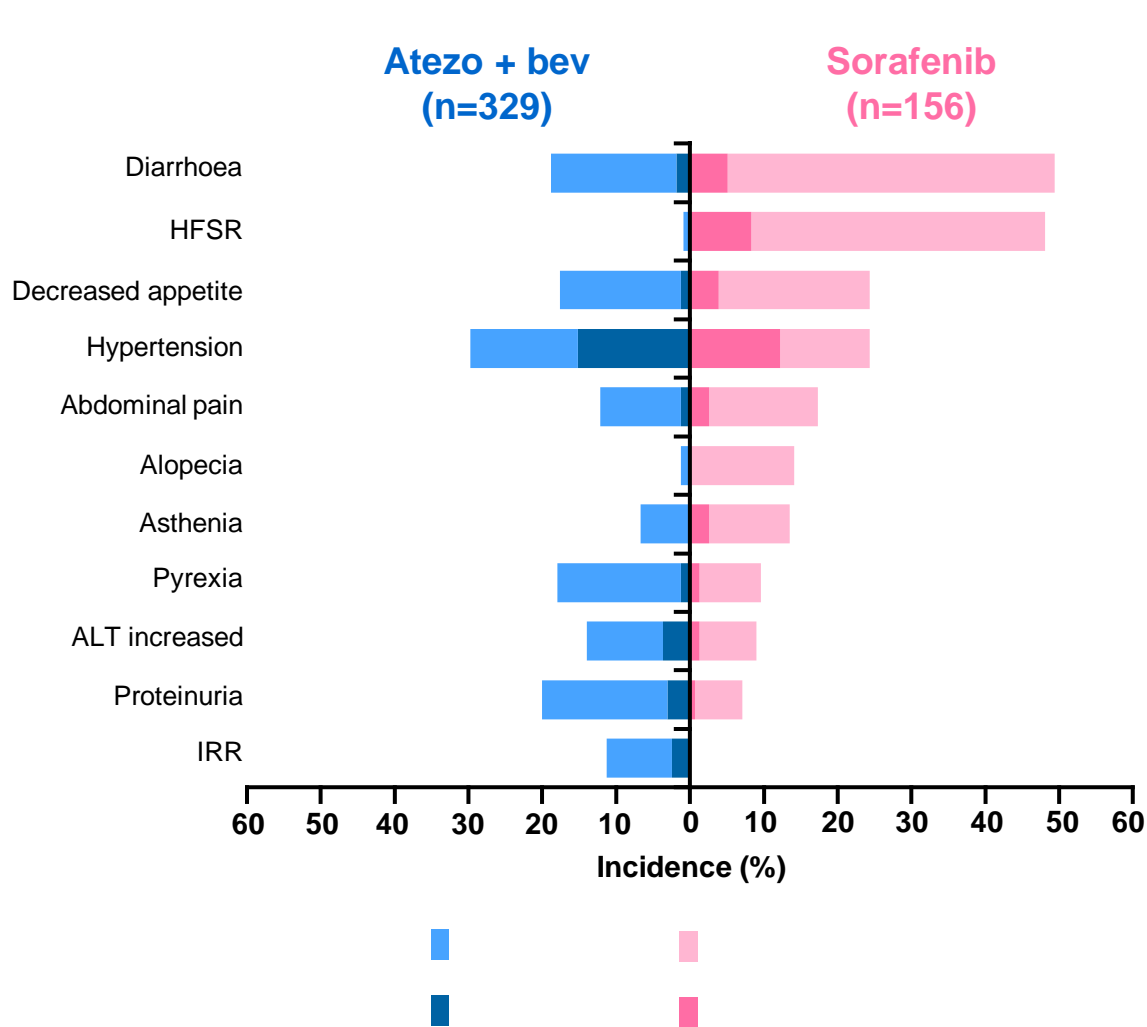
IMbrave150 (phase III): efficacy



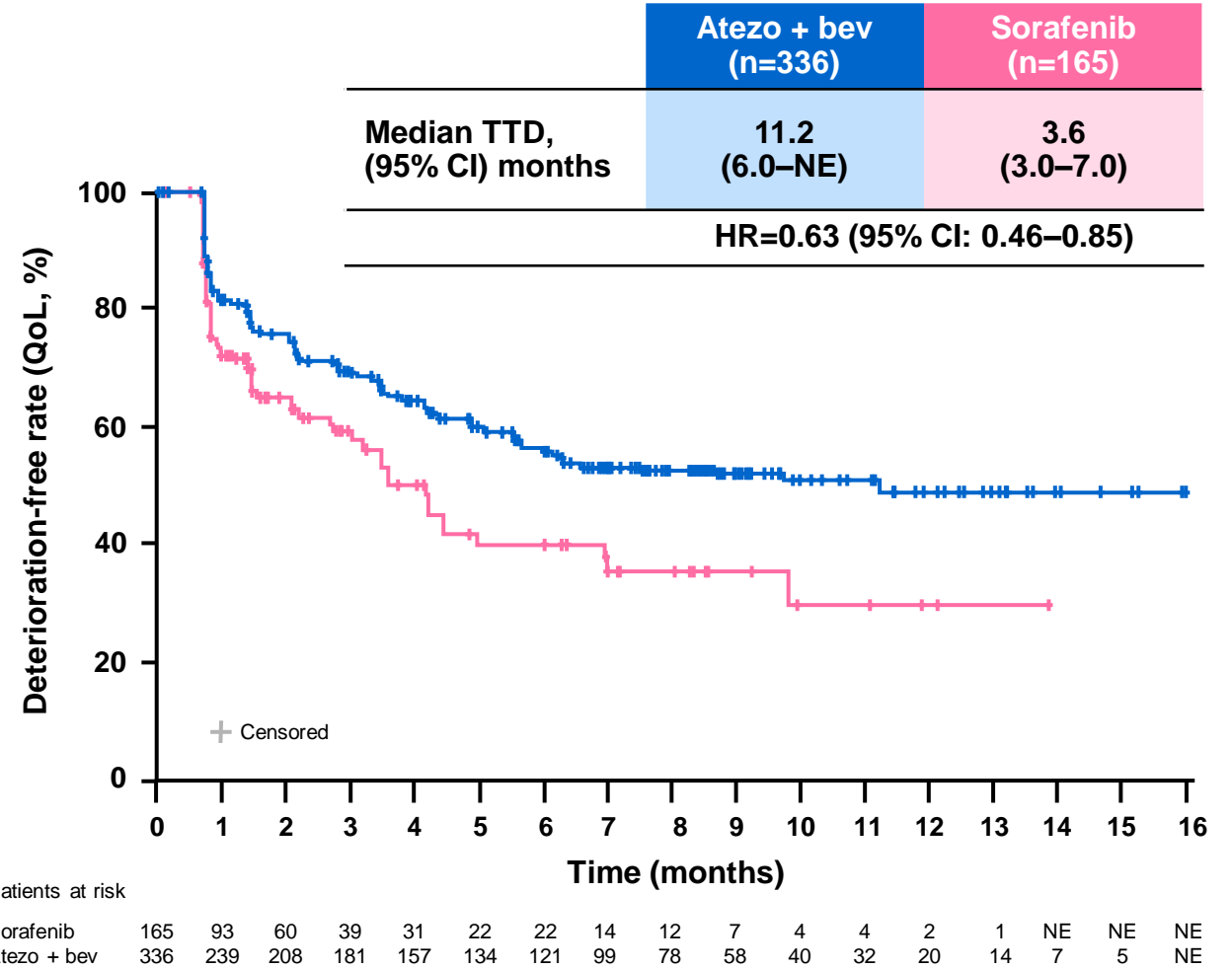
Clinical response: RECIST 1.1	Atezo + bev (n=326)	Sorafenib (n=159)
Confirmed ORR, n (%; 95% CI)	97 (30; 25-35)	18 (11; 7-17)
CR, n (%)	25 (8)	1 (<1)
PR, n (%)	72 (22)	17 (11)
SD, n (%)	144 (44)	69 (43)
PD, n (%)	63 (19)	40 (25)
DCR, n (%)	241 (74)	87 (55)
Median DoR, (95% CI) months [‡]	18.1 (14.6-NE)	14.9 (4.9-17.0)

CCOD: 31 August 2020; median follow-up: 15.6 months; *IRF, RECIST v1.1; [‡]Stratified: stratification factors included in the Cox model are geographic region (Asia excluding Japan vs RoW), AFP level (<400ng/mL vs ≥400ng/mL) at baseline and MVI and/or EHS (Yes vs No) per IxRS

IMbrave150 (phase III): safety and HRQoL

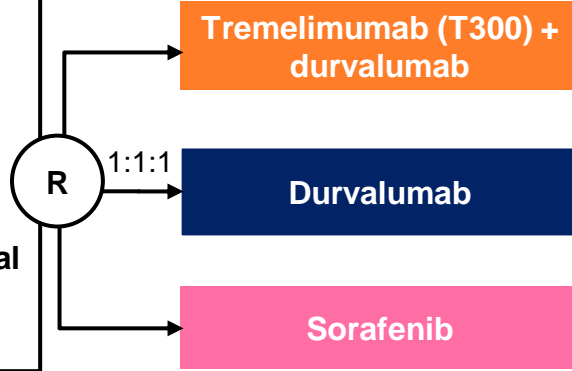


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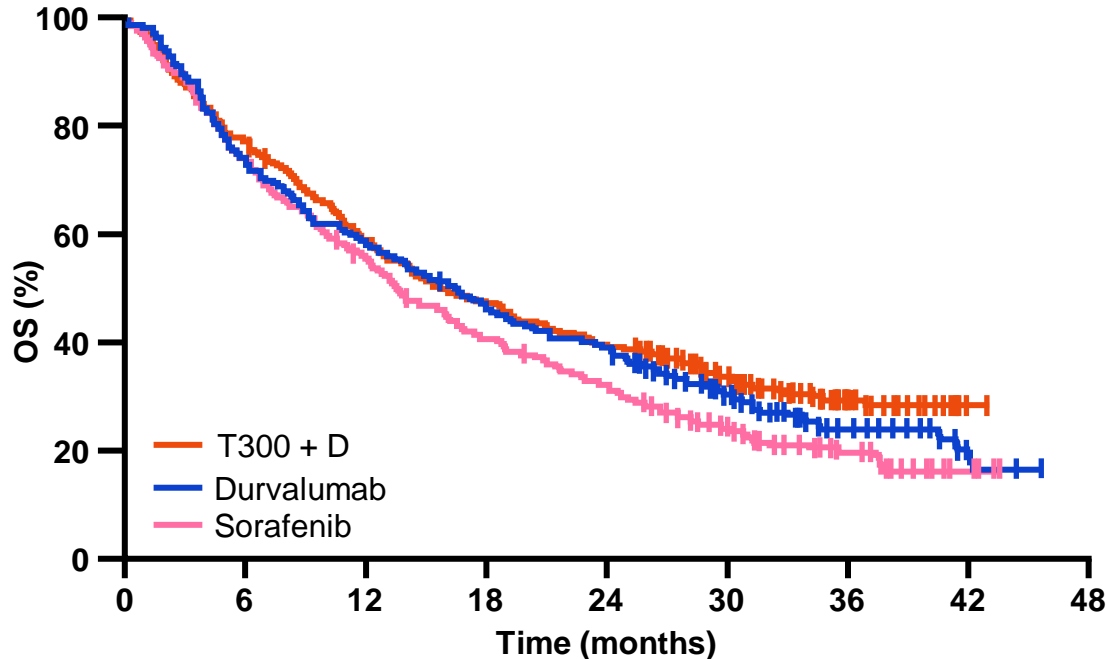


HIMALAYA (phase III): efficacy and safety

- Unresectable HCC
 - No prior systemic therapy
 - BCLC stage B (not eligible for LRT) or C
 - Child-Pugh class A
 - ECOG PS 0 or 1
 - No tumour thrombus involving main trunk of portal vein
- N=1171



Primary endpoint: OS for T300 + durvalumab vs sorafenib

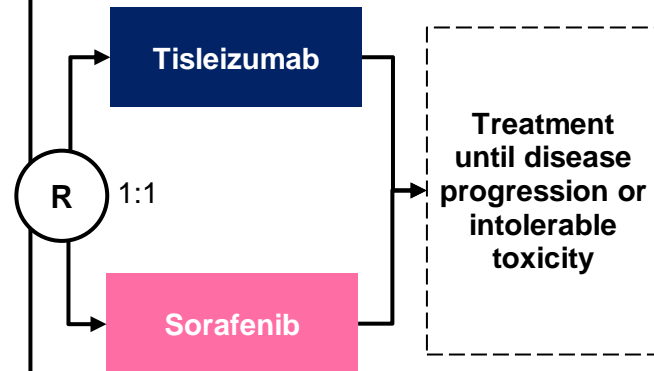


	T300 + durvalumab (n=393)	Durvalumab (n=389)	Sorafenib (n=389)
Median OS, (95% CI) months	16.43 (14.16–19.58)	16.56 (14.06–19.12)	13.77 (12.25–16.13)
HR vs sorafenib	0.78 (96.02% CI: 0.65–0.93)	0.86 (95.67% CI: 0.73–1.03)	–
Median PFS, (95% CI) months	3.8 (3.68–5.32)	3.7 (3.19–3.75)	4.1 (3.75–5.49)
HR (95% CI)	0.9 (0.77–1.05)	1.0 (0.88–1.19)	–
ORR (RECIST v1.1), %	20	17	5
DCR, %	60	55	61
Median DoR, months	22.34	16.82	18.43

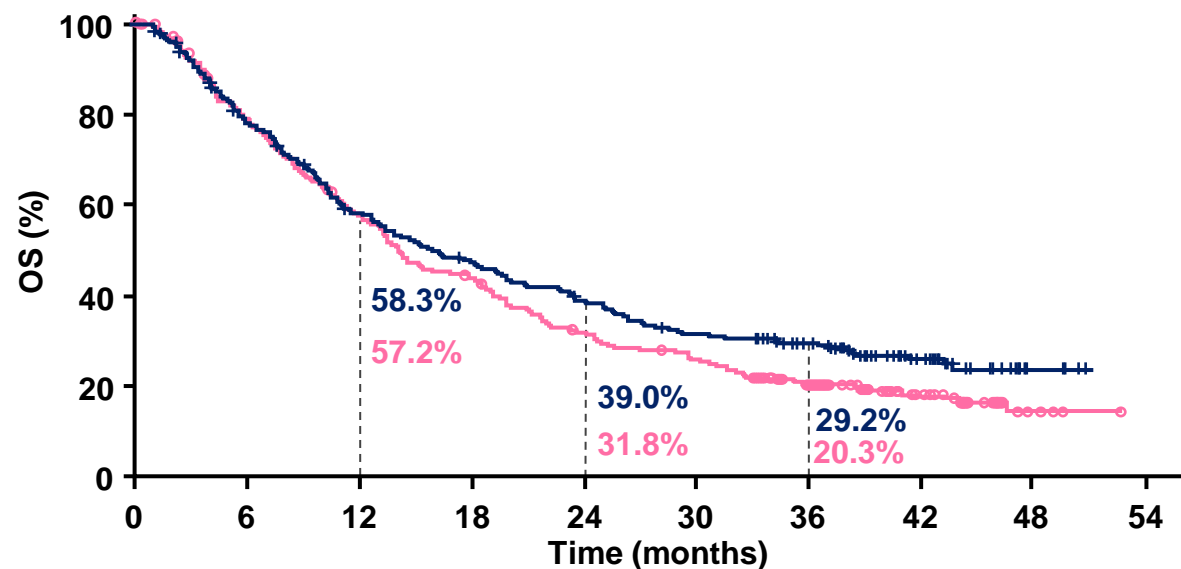
Event, n (%)	T300 + durvalumab (n=393)	Durvalumab (n=389)	Sorafenib (n=389)
Any Grade 3/4 TRAE	196 (51)	144 (37)	196 (52)
imAEs requiring high-dose steroids	78 (20.1)	37 (9.5)	7 (1.9)
imAEs leading to treatment discontinuation	22 (5.7)	10 (2.6)	6 (1.6)

RATIONALE-301 (phase III): efficacy and safety

- Histologically confirmed HCC
 - No prior systemic therapy
 - BCLC stage C/B
 - Child-Pugh class A
 - ≥ 1 measurable lesion (RECIST v1.1)
 - ECOG PS ≤ 1
 - No tumour thrombus involving main trunk of portal vein or inferior vena cava
- N=674



Primary endpoint: OS (ITT)
 Secondary endpoints: ORR, PFS, DoR by BIRC per RECIST 1.1 and safety

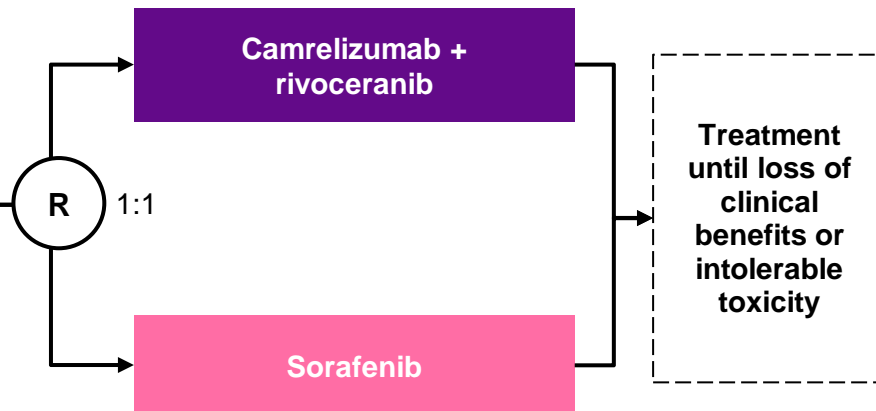


	Tisleizumab (n=342)	Sorafenib (n=332)
Median OS, (95% CI) months	15.9 (13.2–19.7)	14.1 (12.6–17.4)
Stratified HR (95% CI)	0.85 (0.712–1.019)	
Median PFS, (95% CI) months	2.1 (2.1–3.5)	3.4 (2.2–4.1)
Stratified HR (95% CI)	1.11 (0.92–1.33)	
ORR n (%) [95% CI]	49 (14.3) [10.8–18.5]	18 (5.4) [3.2–8.4]
Median DoR, (95% CI) months	36.1 (16.8–NE)	11.0 (6.2–14.7)

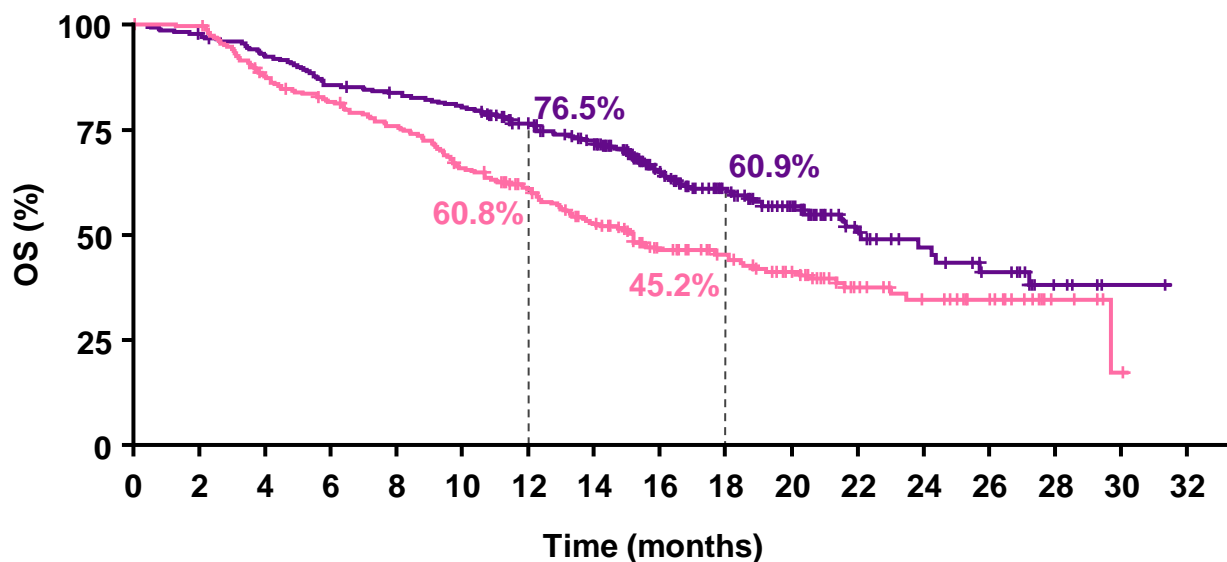
Event, %	Tisleizumab (n=338)	Sorafenib (n=324)
Occurrence of Grade ≥ 3 TRAE	22.2	53.4
imAE requiring steroids	12.7	3.1
TRAE leading to discontinuation	6.2	10.2

SHR-1210-III-310 (phase III): efficacy and safety

- Unresectable or metastatic HCC
 - No prior systemic therapy
 - BCLC stage C/B
 - Child-Pugh class A
 - ≥ 1 measurable lesion (RECIST v1.1)
 - ECOG PS 0 or 1
- N=543



Primary endpoint: PFS, OS
Secondary endpoints: ORR



	Camrelizumab + rivocernaib (n=272)	Sorafenib (n=269)
Median OS, (95% CI) months	22.1 (19.1–27.2)	15.2 (13.0–18.5)
Stratified HR (95% CI)	0.62 (0.49–0.80), p<0.0001	
Median PFS, (95% CI) months	5.6 (5.5–6.3)	3.7 (2.8–3.7)
Stratified HR (95% CI)	0.52 (0.41–0.65), p<0.0001	

Safety, n (%)	Camrelizumab + rivocernaib (n=272)	Sorafenib (n=269)
Any grade 3/4 TRAE	219 (80.5)	140 (52.0)
TRAEs leading to dose modification or interruption of treatment	219 (80.5)	135 (50.2)

Recommendations for 1L cancer immunotherapy in the HCC setting differ between regional guidelines



ASCO (2020)¹

- Atezolizumab + bevacizumab is the preferred 1L regimen (Child-Pugh class A)



AASLD (2020 Consensus Conference)²

- Atezolizumab + bevacizumab is recommended as 1L therapy



ESMO (2021 eUpdate)³

- Atezolizumab + bevacizumab is recommended as standard of care in 1L therapy



EASL (2021)⁴

- Atezolizumab + bevacizumab is recommended as 1L therapy
- If not feasible sorafenib or lenvatinib



BCLC (2022)⁵

- Atezolizumab + bevacizumab / durvalumab + tremelimumab* is recommended as 1L therapy for advanced-stage HCC
- If not feasible sorafenib or lenvatinib or durvalumab



APASL (2017)^{6†}

- No recommended cancer immunotherapy options at time of guideline publication



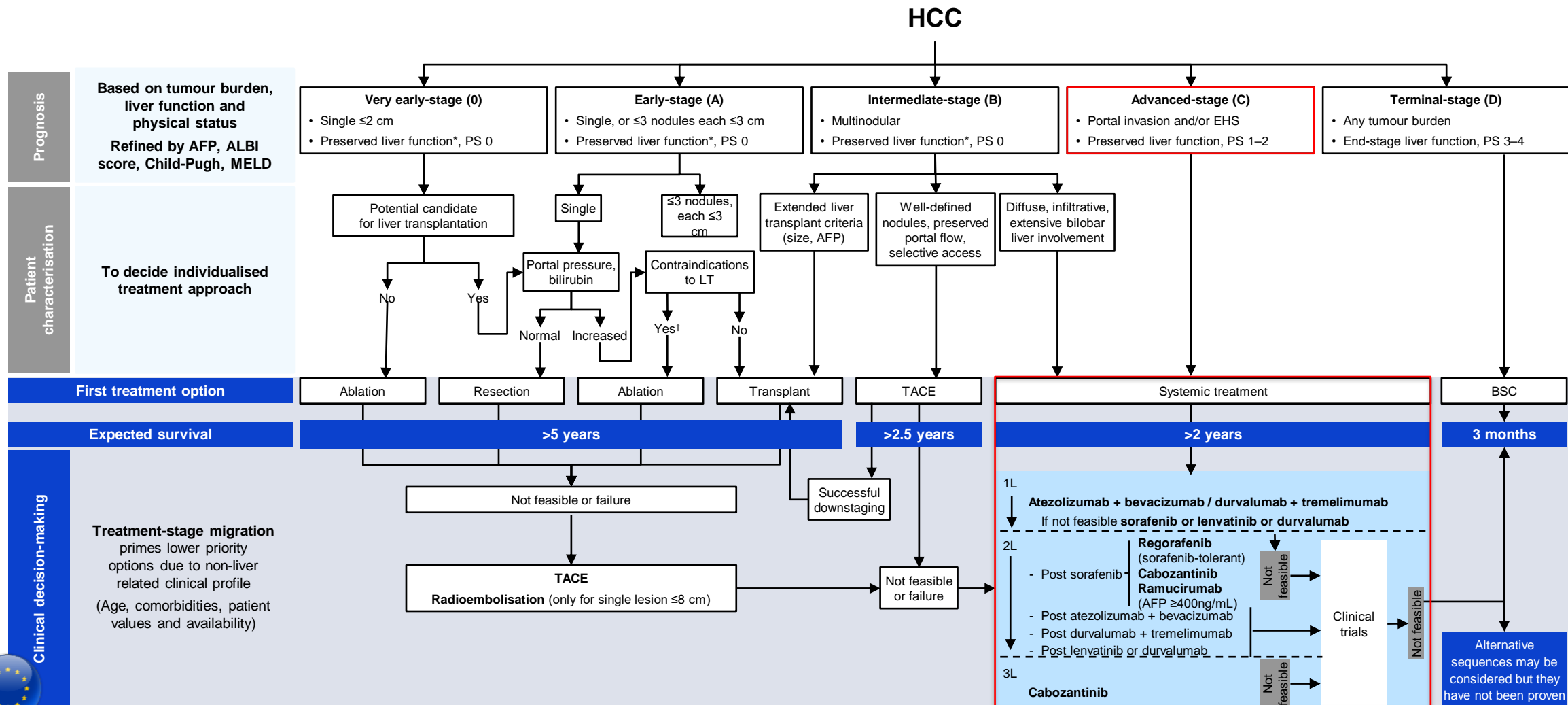
ILCA (2020)⁷

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1. Gordan et al. J Clin Oncol 2020; 2. Llovet et al. Hepatology 2021
3. Vogel et al. Ann Oncol 2021; 4. Bruix et al. J Hepatol 2021
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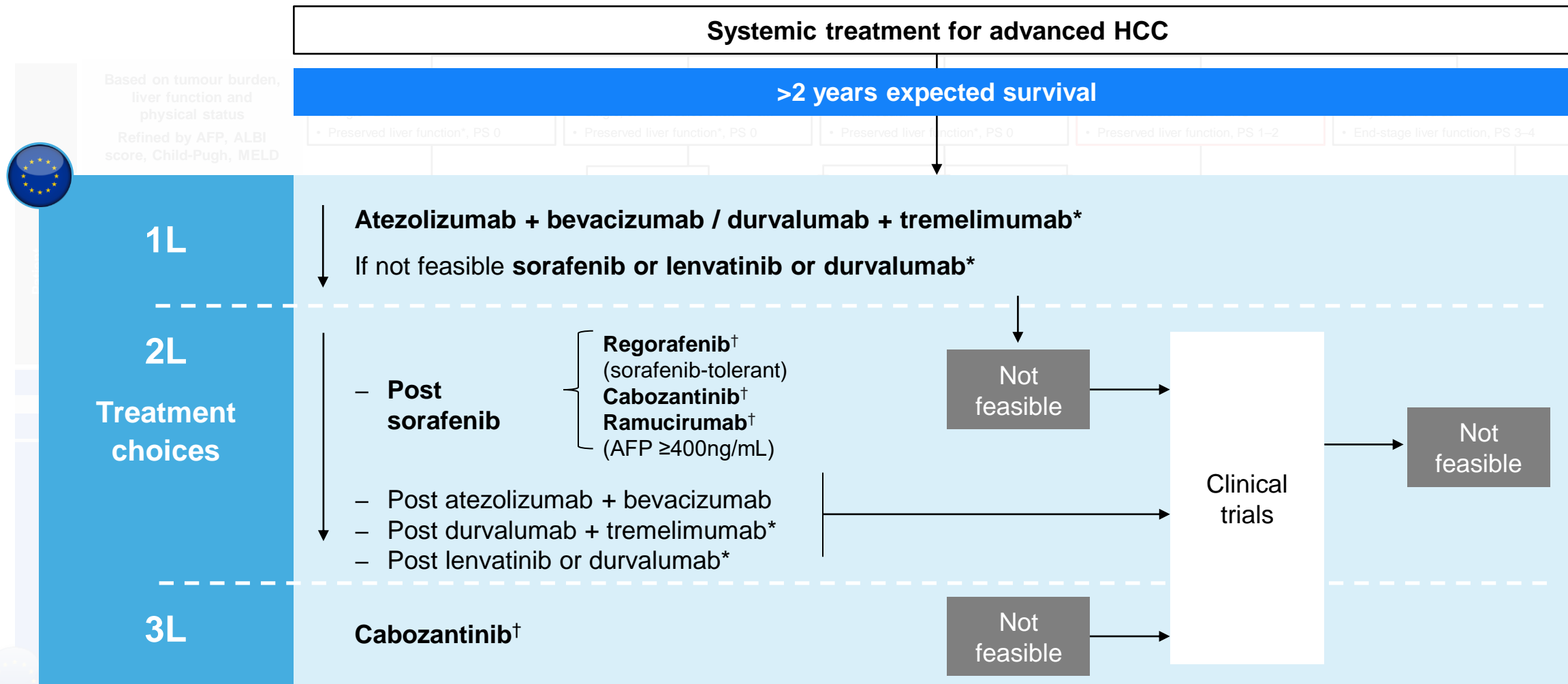
BCLC staging is the foundation of the treatment algorithm for HCC



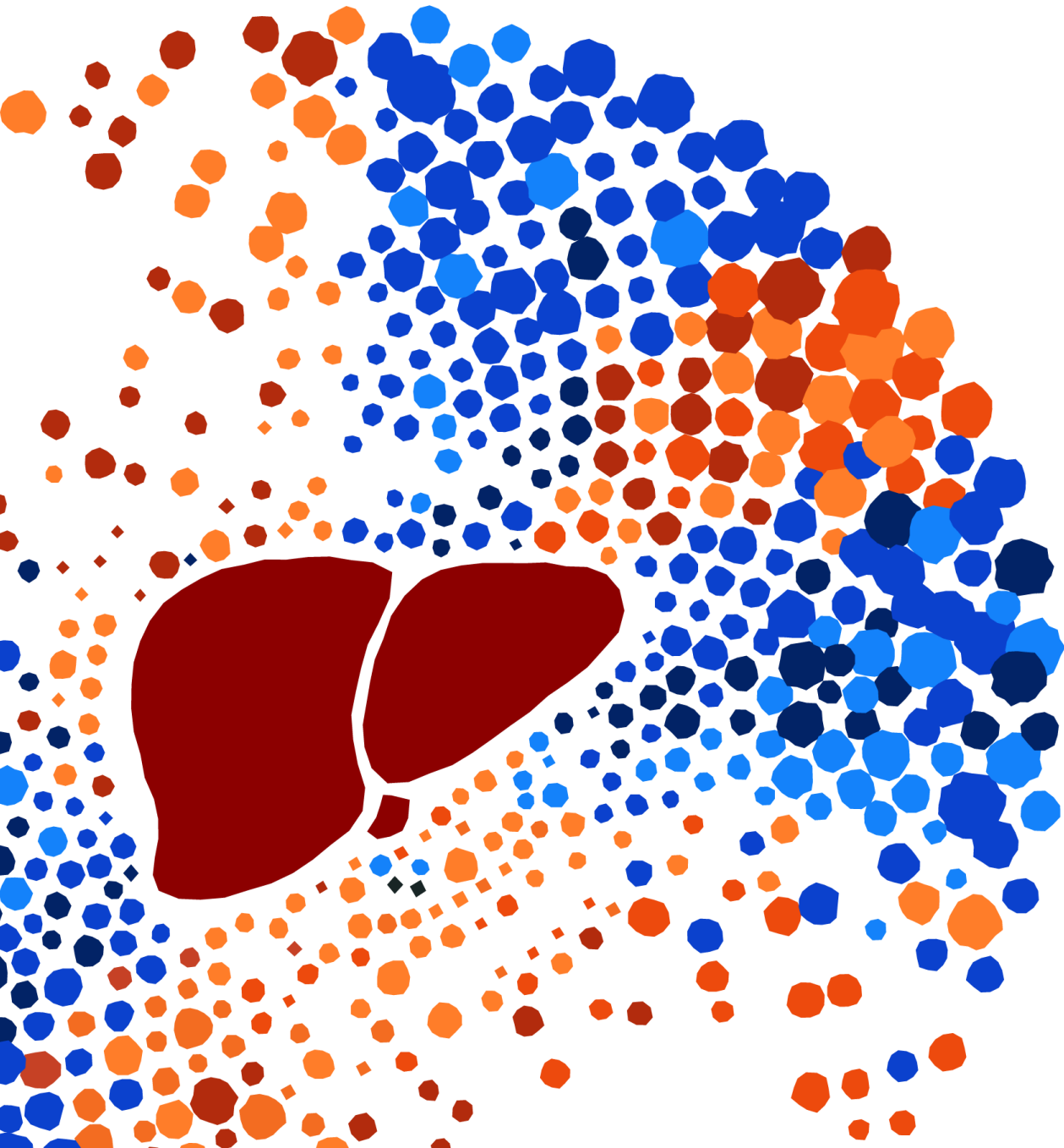
*Except for those with tumour burden acceptable for transplant

†Resection may be considered for single peripheral HCC with adequate remnant liver volume

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Improving patient survival and care: early HCC screening and diagnosis

Jörg Trojan

What is your current preferred choice of surveillance method?

1. US
2. US & AFP
3. US & algorithms
4. GALAD alone
5. GAAD alone

HCC diagnosis is often made too late



Only 13% diagnosed and treated early
5-year survival rate: **40–70%**^{1,2}

20% of patients fulfil resection criteria
5-year survival rate: **<5%**¹

Because **early-stage HCC gives no symptoms**, screening of population at risk plays crucial role in HCC treatment

Identify high-risk groups



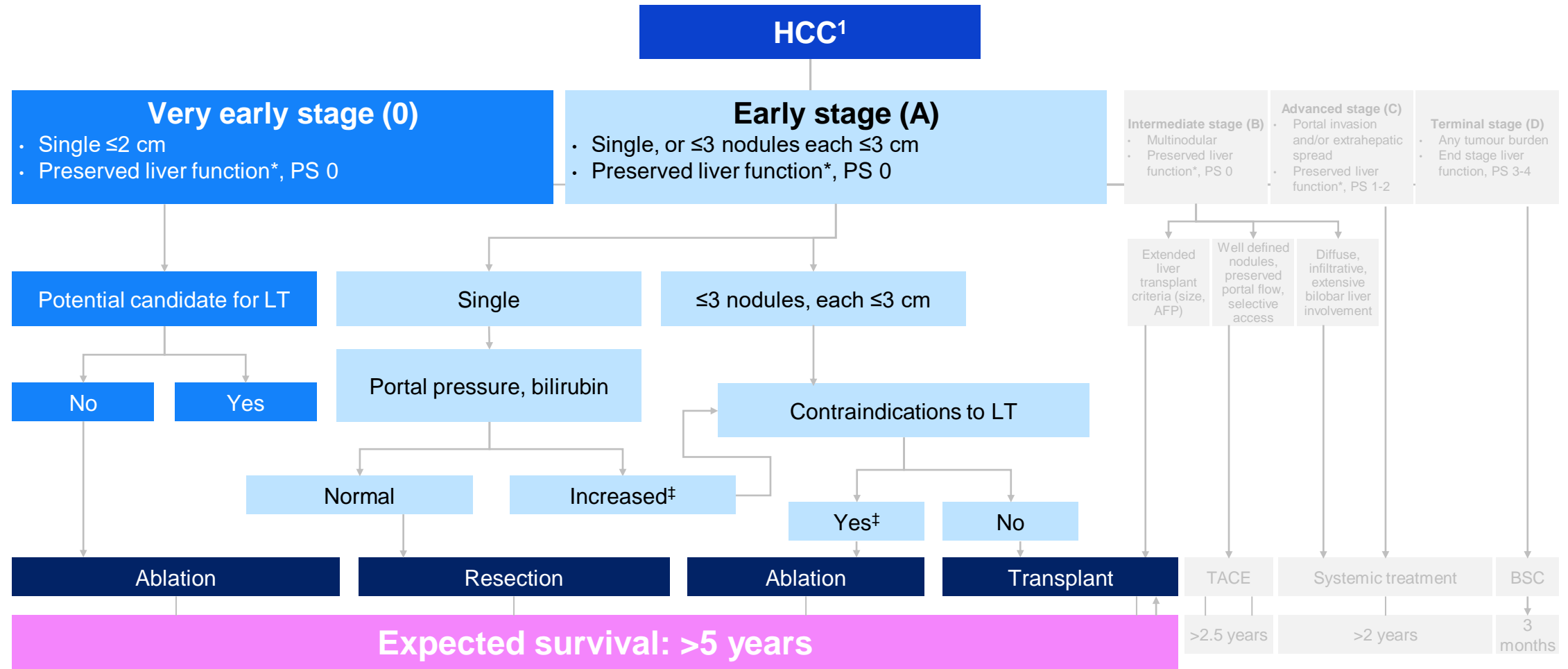
Regular testing
~6 months



37% decrease in HCC mortality by
biannual screening^{3,4}



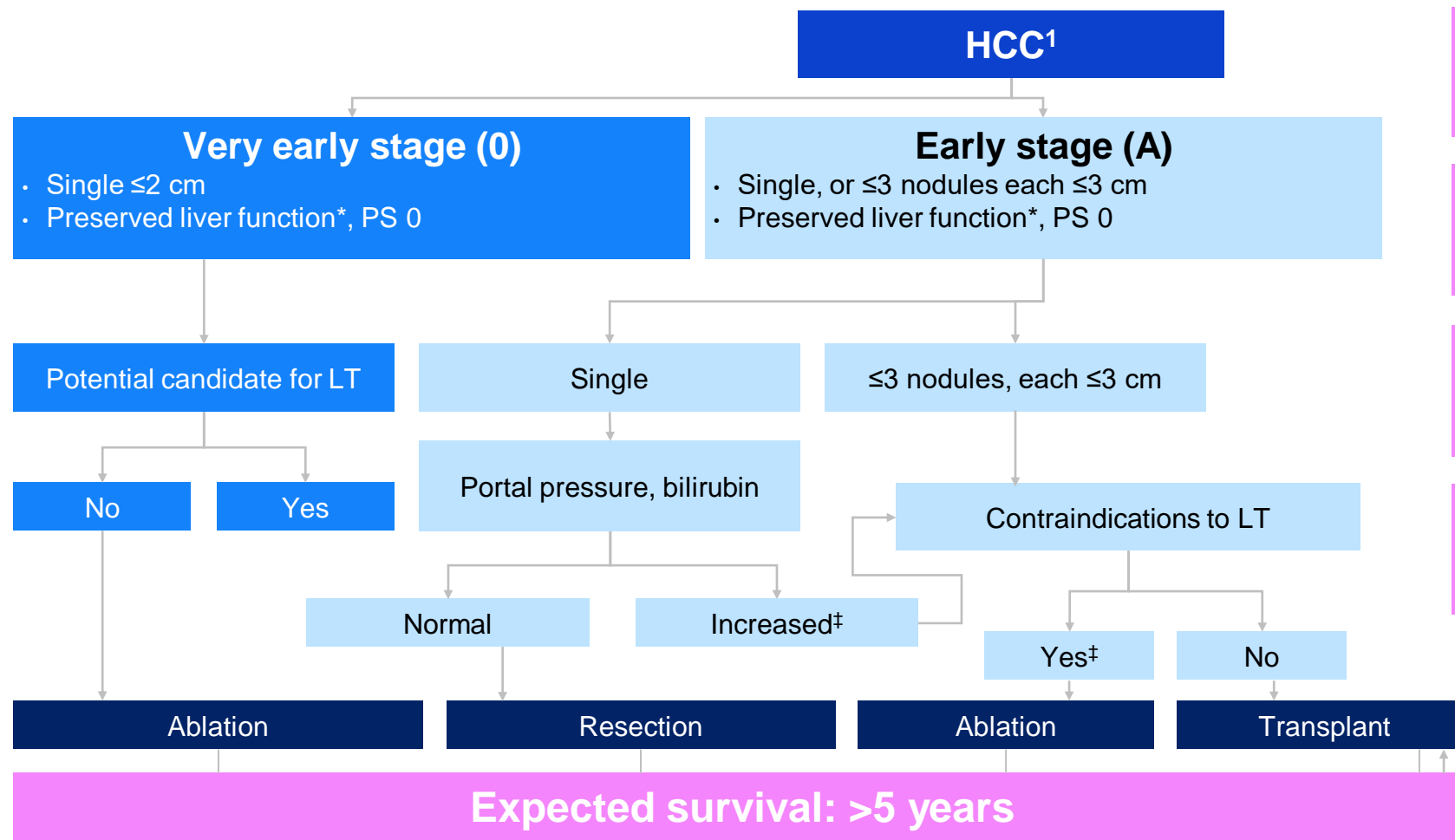
Diagnosing HCC at earlier stages is critical so more patients can benefit from potentially curative therapies




*Except for those with tumour burden acceptable for transplant


[‡]Resection may be considered for single peripheral HCC with adequate remnant liver volume


HCC surveillance is associated with improved early detection, use of curative treatment and longer OS



Surveillance is associated with²

 Early-stage detection:
OR 1.86
(95% CI: 1.73–1.98)

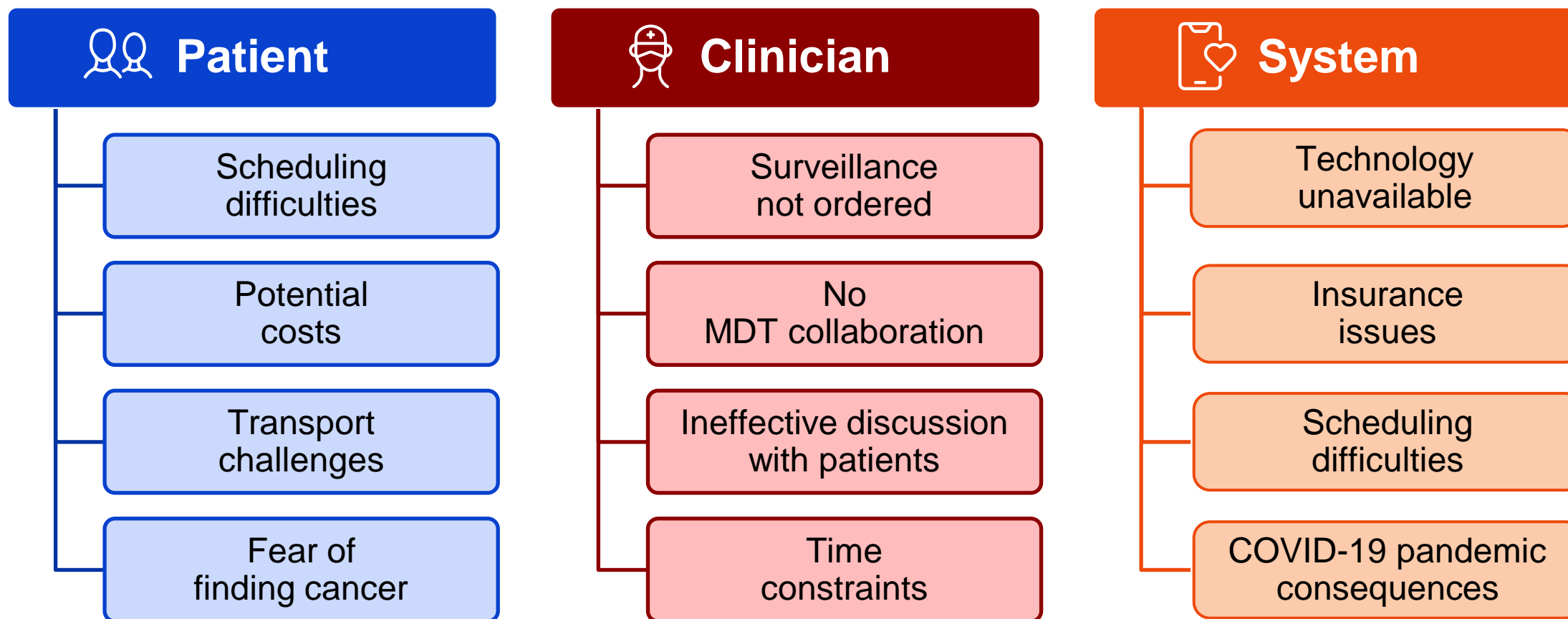
 Use of curative therapy:
OR 1.83
(95% CI: 1.69–1.97)

 OS:
HR 0.67
(95% CI: 0.61–0.72)

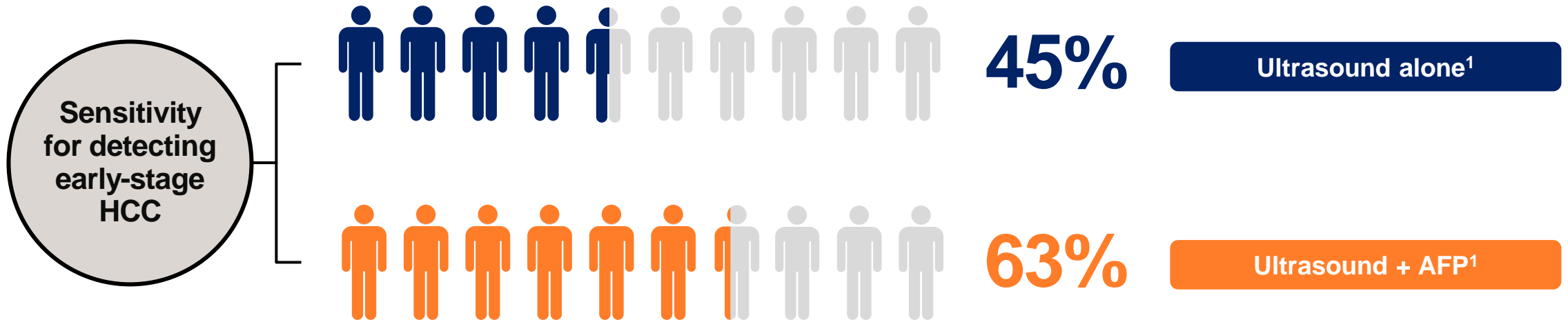
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Barriers to HCC surveillance can be related to the patient, clinician or broader healthcare system




Traditional surveillance techniques such as ultrasound and AFP profiling have limited sensitivity for early-stage HCC^{1,2}




There is an unmet need for specific and sensitive surveillance modalities that can detect HCC in at-risk patients as early as possible²


Published GALAD evidence generated in independent cohorts since 2014




AFP
Alpha-fetoprotein



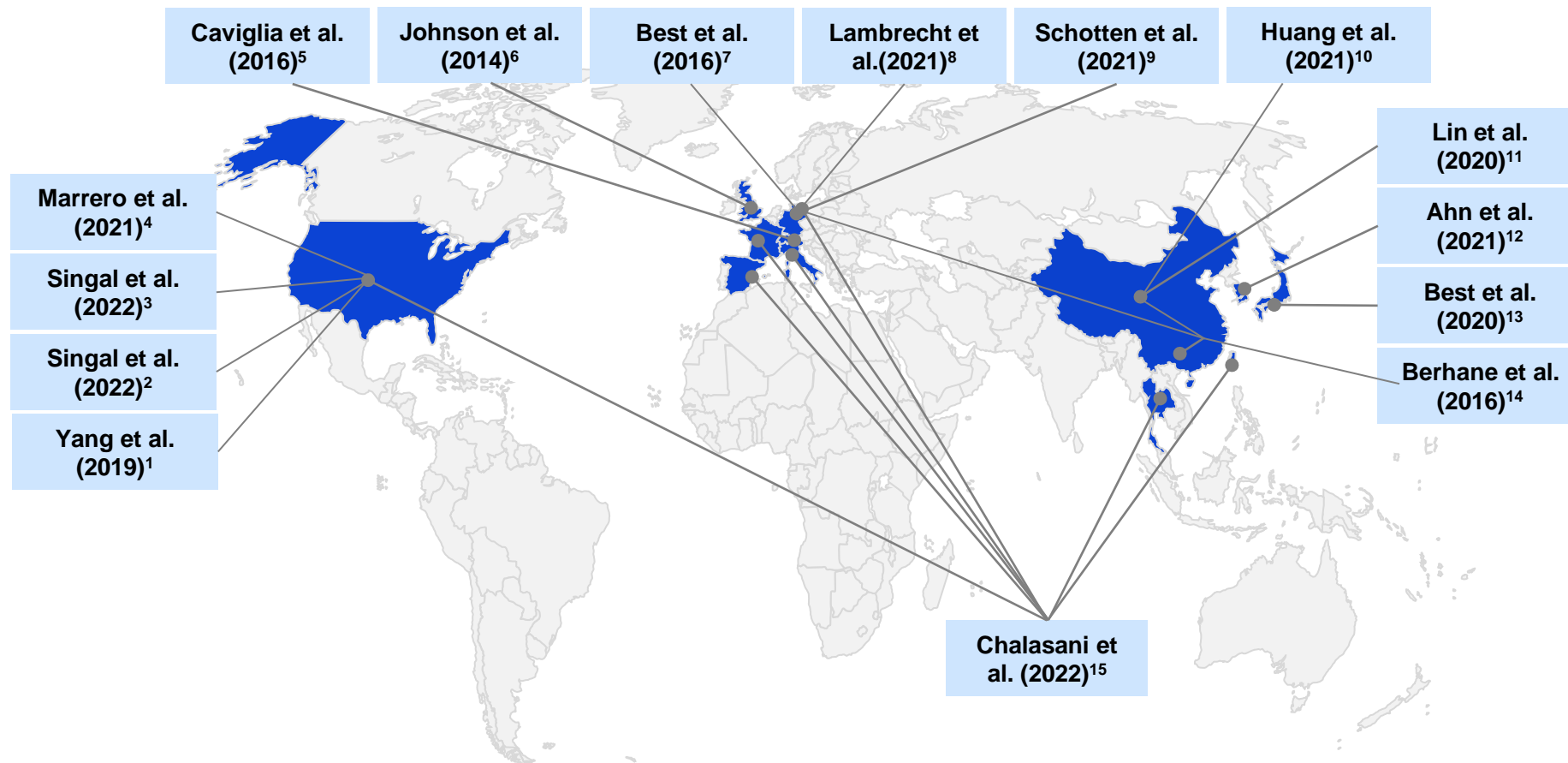
AFP-L3
Alpha-fetoprotein Isoform



PIVKA II
Protein Induced by Vitamin K Antagonist-II



GALAD
Gender,
Age,
AFP-L3,
AFP,
DCP
(PIVKA-II)



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 3. Singal et al. Clin Gastroenterol Hepatol 2022; 4. Marrero et al. Hepatology 2021 5. Caviglia et al. Hepatol Res 2016
 6. Johnson et al. Cancer Epidemiol Biomarkers Prev 2014; 7. Best et al. Z Gastroenterol 2016
 8. Lambrecht et al. J Clin Med 2021; 9. Schotten et al. Pharmaceuticals 2021; 10. Huang et al. Liver International 2021
 11. Lin et al. Hepatol Commun 2022; 12. Ahn et al. Hepatoma Res 2022; 13. Best et al. Clin Gastroenterol Hepatol 2020
 14. Berhane et al. Clin Gastroenterol Hepatol 2016; 15. Chalasani et al. Clin Gastroenterol Hepatol 2022

Elecsys® GAAD score has shown strong clinical performance for detection of HCC in its early stages

GAAD: Gender Age AFP DCP (PIVKA-II)	GAAD cut-off: 2.57	Elecsys® GAAD		Elecsys® AFP assay		
		All HCC (N=156)	Early-stage (n=71)	All HCC (N=156)	Early-stage (n=71)	
		Sensitivity, (95% CI)	86.5 (80.2–91.5)	78.9 (67.6–87.7)	52.6 (44.4–60.6)	38.0 (26.8–50.3)
		Specificity, (95% CI)	91.4 (86.7–94.8)	91.4 (86.7–94.8)	98.1 (95.2–99.5)	98.1 (95.2–99.5)



Abnormal DCP (PIVKA-II) is a liver-specific protein produced when HCC is present and acts as tumour marker for HCC



GAAD is a fully automated in vitro diagnostics platform¹



GAAD performed better than the Elecsys® AFP assay alone for detecting HCC²



GAAD showed strong clinical performance for early HCC detection²



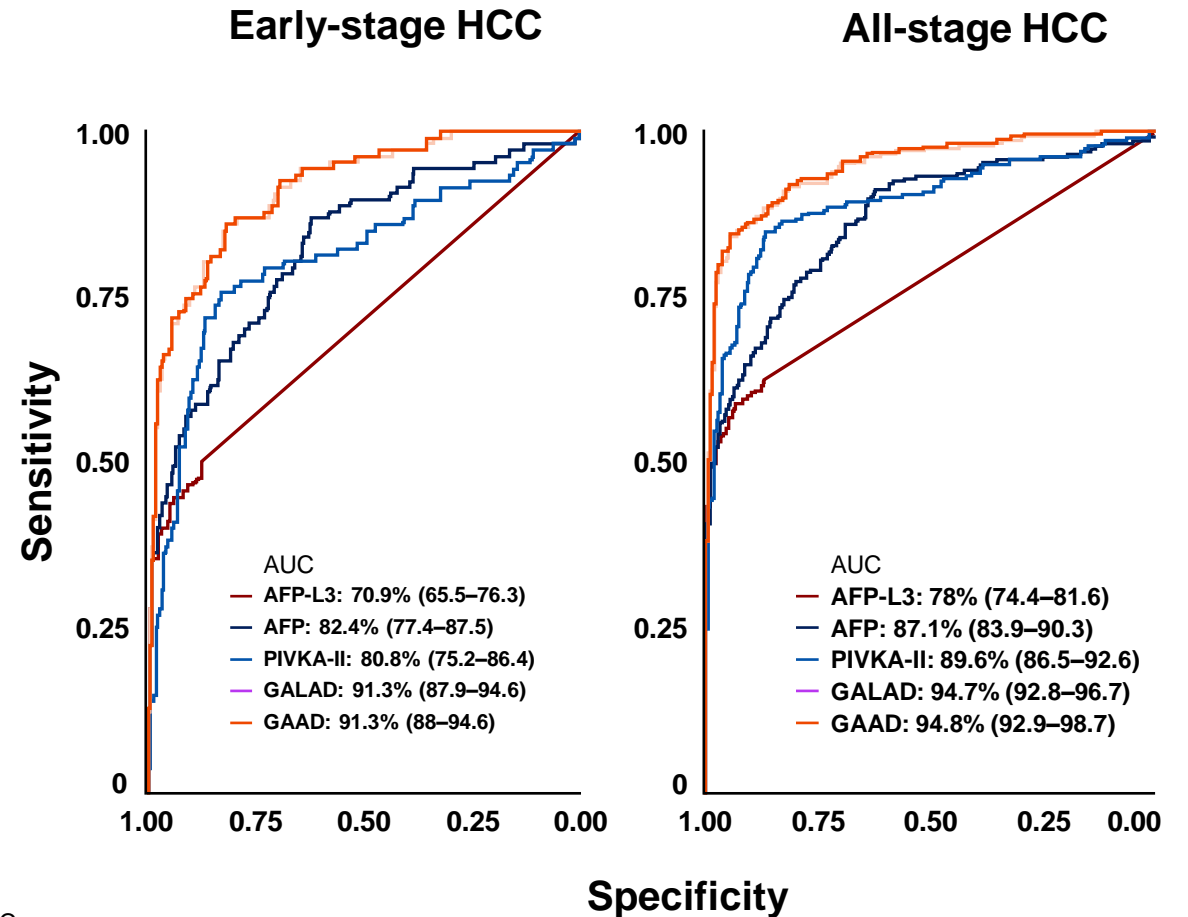
GAAD differentiated HCC from chronic liver disease regardless of aetiology²

GALAD vs GAAD

- A comparison of the Elecsys[®] GALAD and Elecsys[®] GAAD algorithms for differentiating HCC from benign chronic liver disease showed that the algorithms had a similar clinical performance
- Both algorithms were superior to individual biomarkers alone

		Early-stage HCC	All-stage HCC
GALAD	Sensitivity, %	73.8	85.8
	Specificity, %	90.8	90.8
GAAD	Sensitivity, %	72.9	85.0
	Specificity, %	92.2	92.2

ROC curves for GALAD and GAAD algorithms and biomarker assays for discriminating between HCC and liver disease



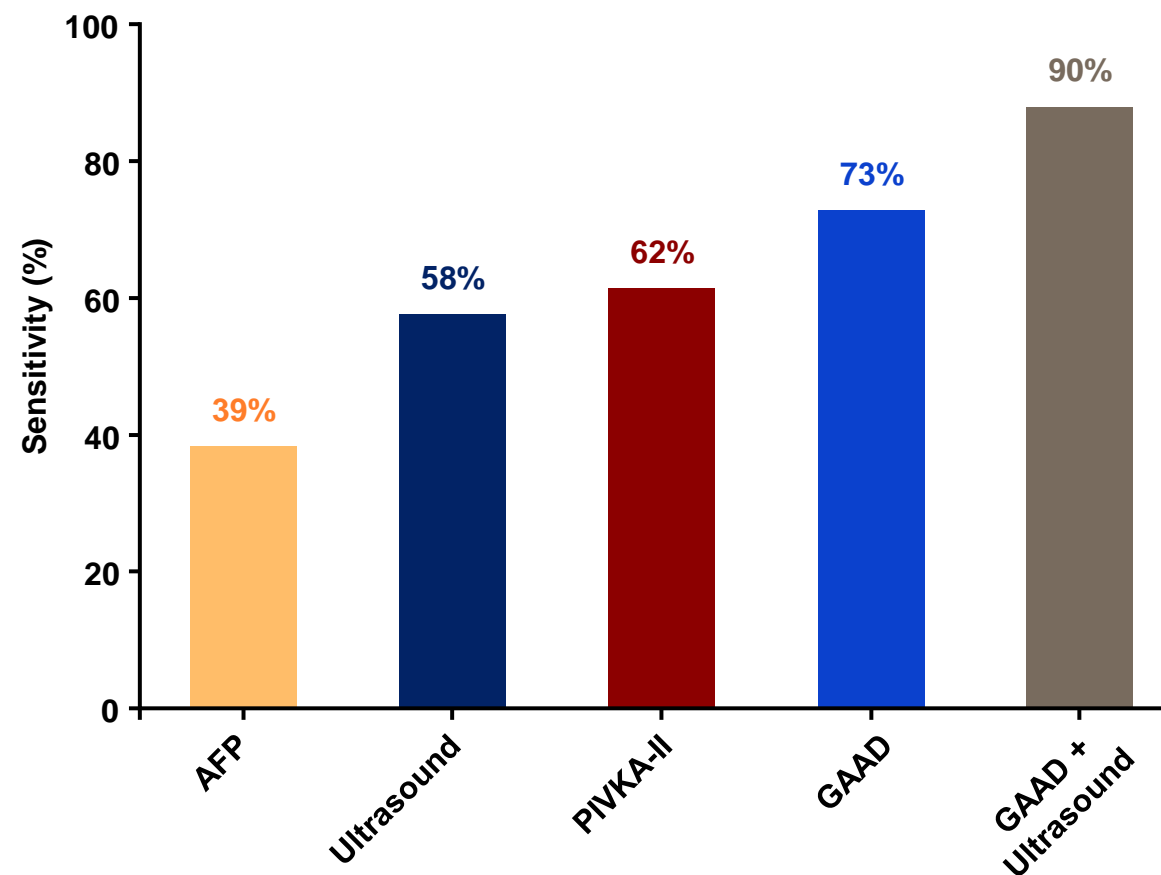
AFP, alpha-fetoprotein; AFP-L3, Lens culinaris-agglutinin-reactive fraction of AFP; AUC, area under the curve; HCC, hepatocellular carcinoma; PIVKA-II, protein induced by vitamin K absence-II; ROC, receiver operating characteristic

Sensitivity of GAAD compared with clinical biomarkers and ultrasound has been investigated in patients with HCC

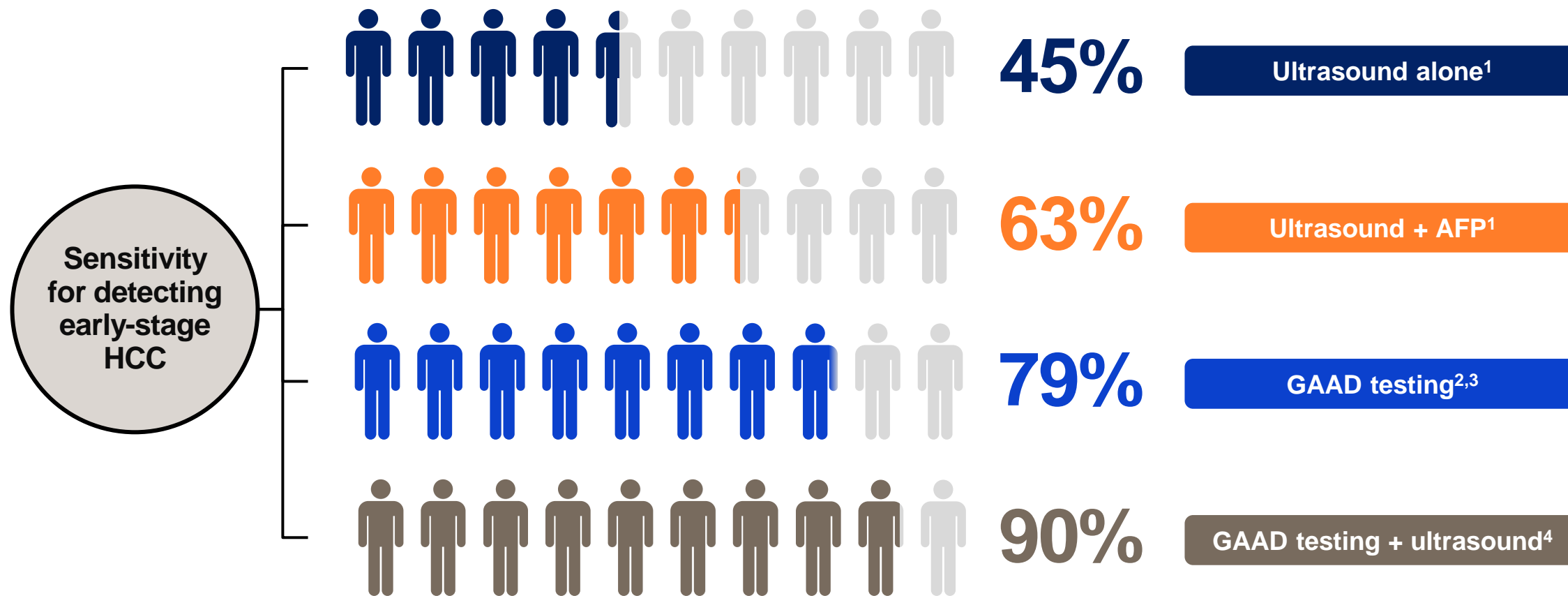
HCC all stages

	SEN, %	SPE, %	AUROC	P value
Non-liver cirrhosis				
AFP >20 ng/mL	28.6	98.4	0.78	<0.001
PIVKA-II >28.4 ng/mL	66.7	98.1	0.94	<0.001
GAAD score >2.57	71.4	96.8	0.87	<0.001
GAAD score >2.57 plus US	100	96.8		<0.001
Liver cirrhosis				
AFP >20 ng/mL	53.1	91.7	0.76	<0.001
PIVKA-II >28.4 ng/mL	71.9	80.0	0.87	<0.001
GAAD score >2.57 plus US	87.5	83.3		<0.001
GAAD score >2.57	81.3	83.3	0.90	<0.001

Early-stage HCC



GAAD testing combined with ultrasound has demonstrated improved sensitivity for detecting early-stage HCC compared with other surveillance techniques



Insights into the patient journey: a case study

Screening

Early-stage HCC

Intermediate-stage HCC

Advanced-stage HCC

Surveillance

- 62-year-old male patient with pre-existing autoimmune disorder (hypothyroidism) who undergoes regular blood tests to assess liver function
- Asymptomatic for HCC but has characteristics considered high-risk for HCC

Patient monitored regularly every 6 months

Patient characteristics:

- Liver cirrhosis
- NAFLD
- BMI 32
- Arterial hypertension
- HBV–/HCV–
- FIB4 score >3.5
- Liver enzymes slightly elevated



Which choice of surveillance would you use for this patient?

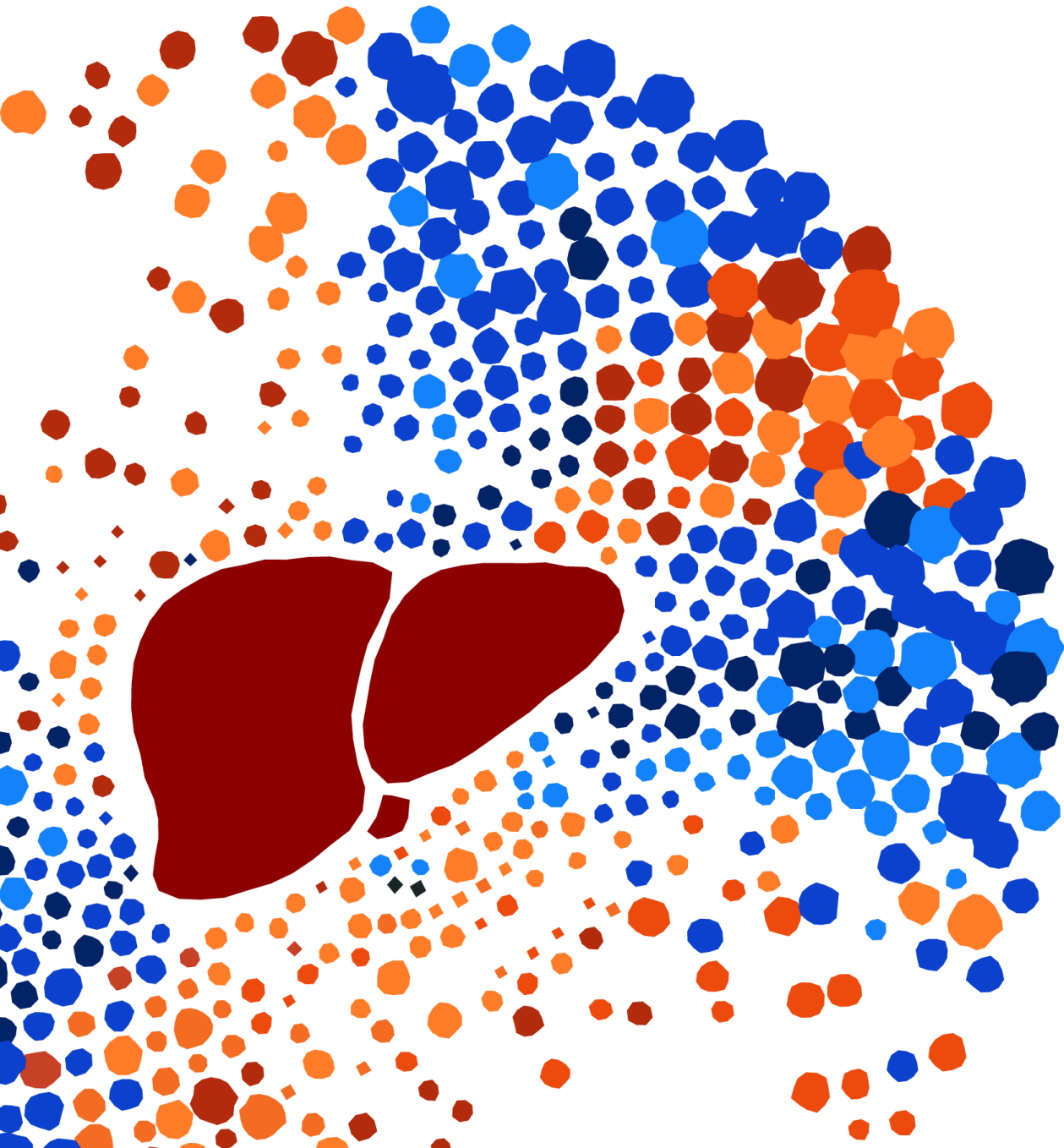
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Evolving perspectives in the HCC treatment landscape

Pierce Chow

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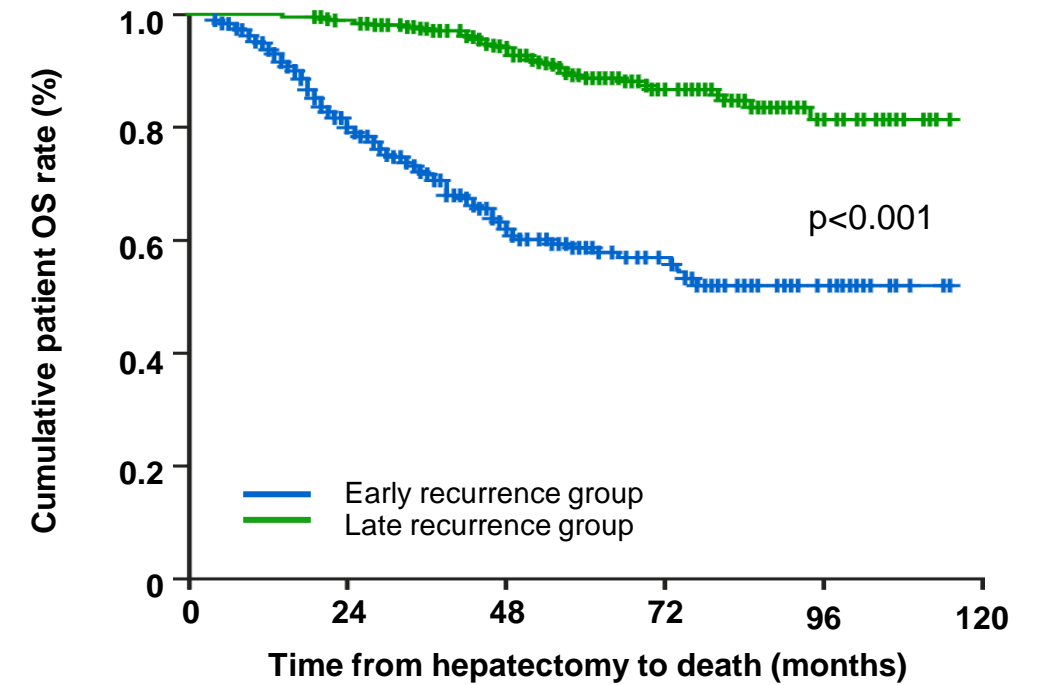
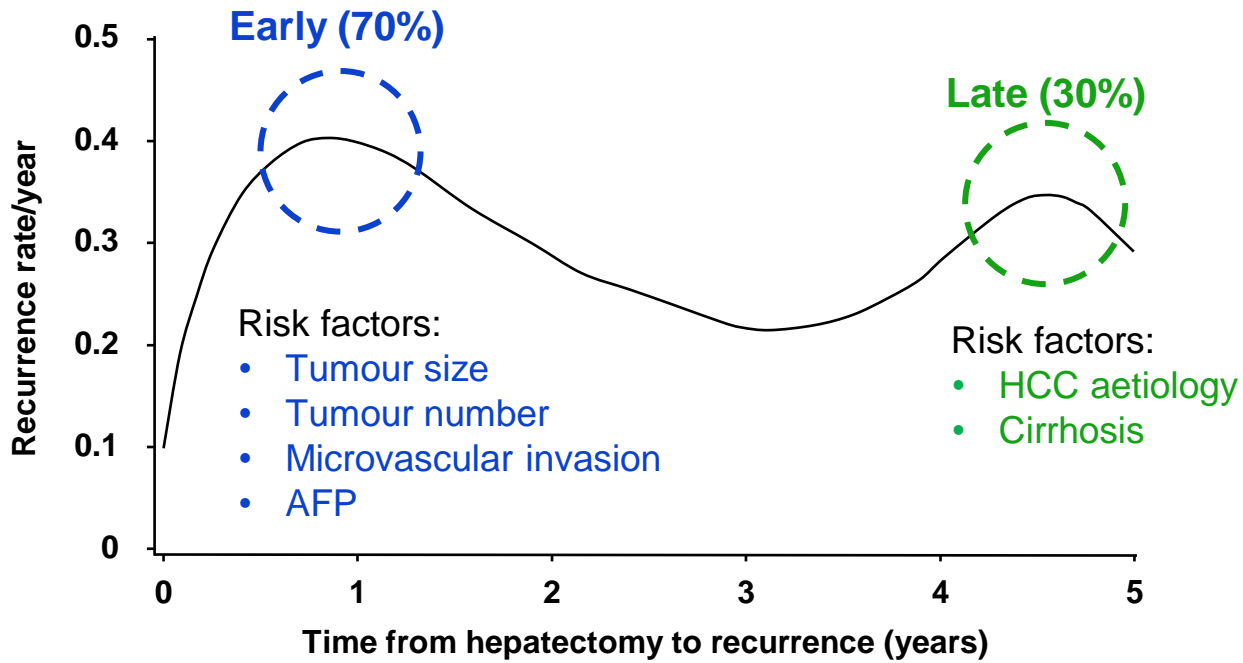
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There are still unmet needs across the HCC treatment spectrum

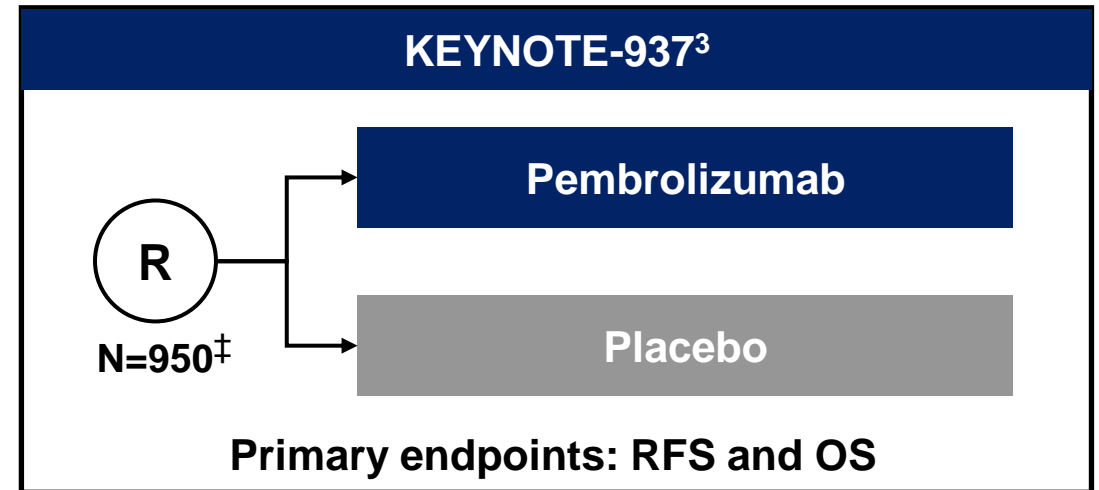
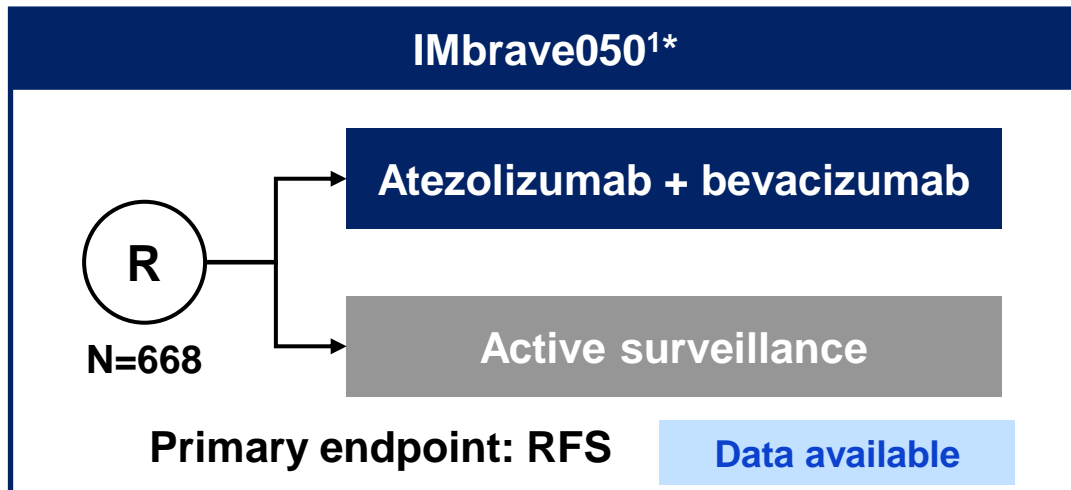
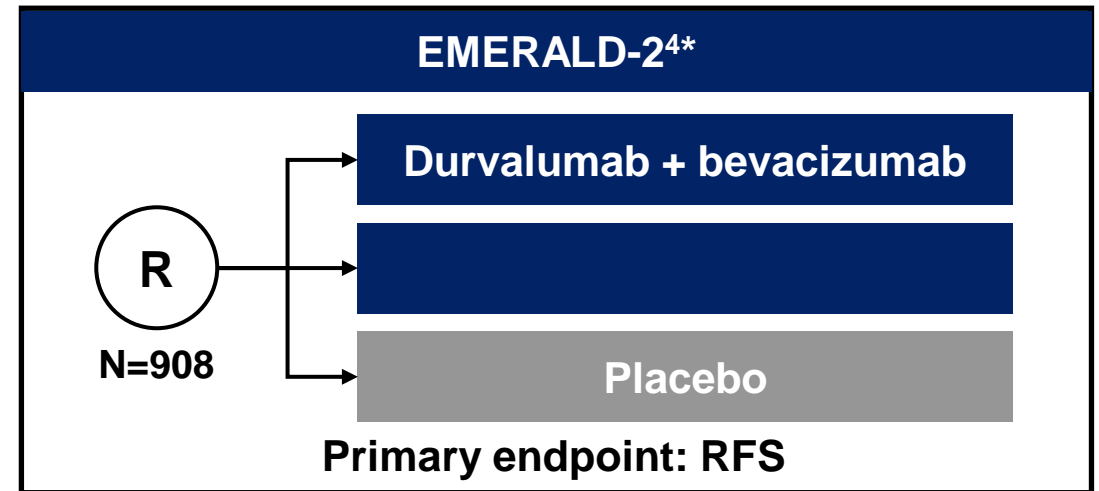
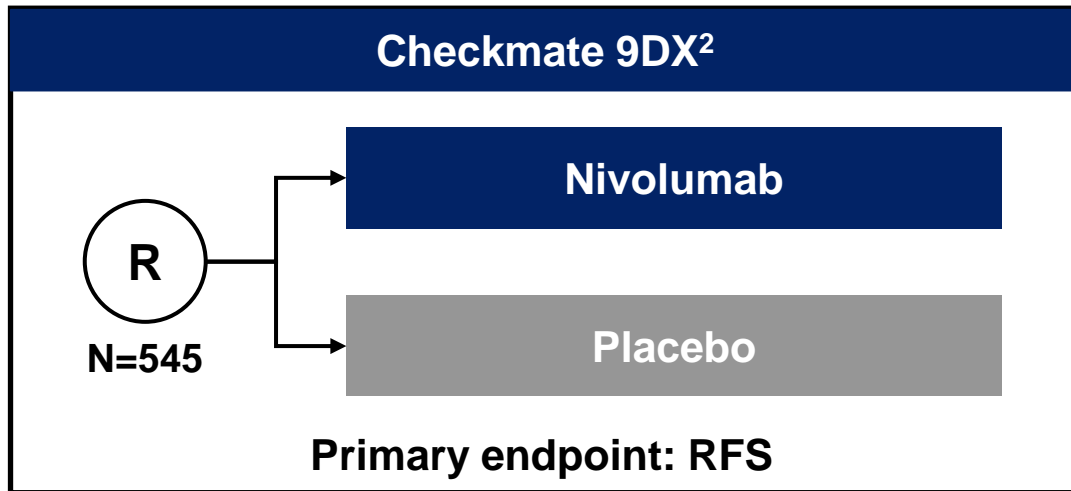
	BCLC stage				
	0	A	B	C	D
Description	Very early	Early	Intermediate	Advanced	End-stage
ECOG PS	0	0	0	1/2	3/4
Child-Pugh class	A	A/B	A/B	A/B	C
Tumour stage	Single nodule ≤2 cm	Single tumour or ≤3 nodules each ≤3 cm	Large multinodular	Vascular invasion or EHS	Any
Unmet need	Developing adjuvant therapy to prevent recurrence		Systemic therapies, alone or combined with LRT, to enhance efficacy	How to sequence systemic treatment beyond the 1L setting in order to prolong survival	

For patients who undergo resection, early recurrence of disease (within 2 years) can significantly impact OS

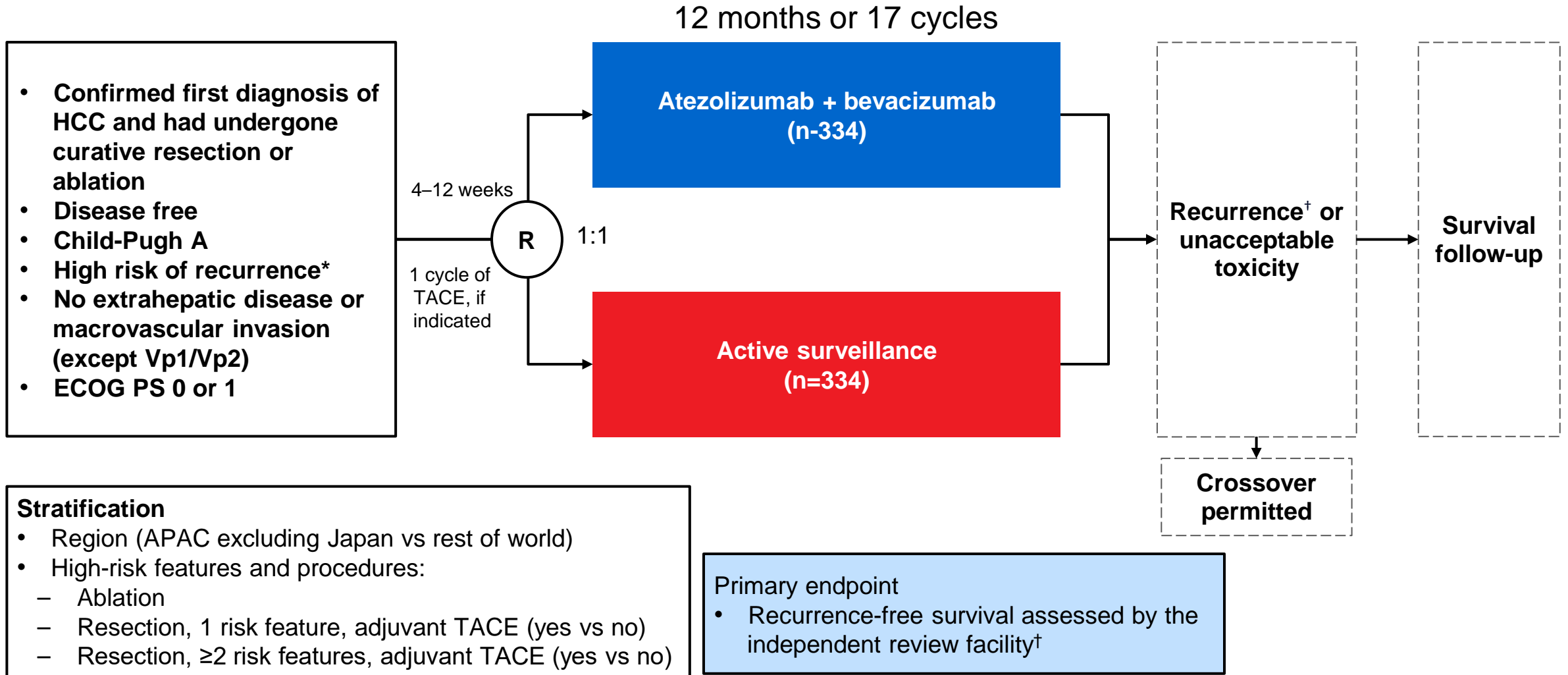


Adjuvant treatment may overcome the risk of early HCC recurrence and improve patient prognosis; however, there are currently no approved agents in this setting for HCC – this represents an urgent unmet need³

Phase III research is ongoing for adjuvant HCC global trials



IMbrave050 (phase III): study design

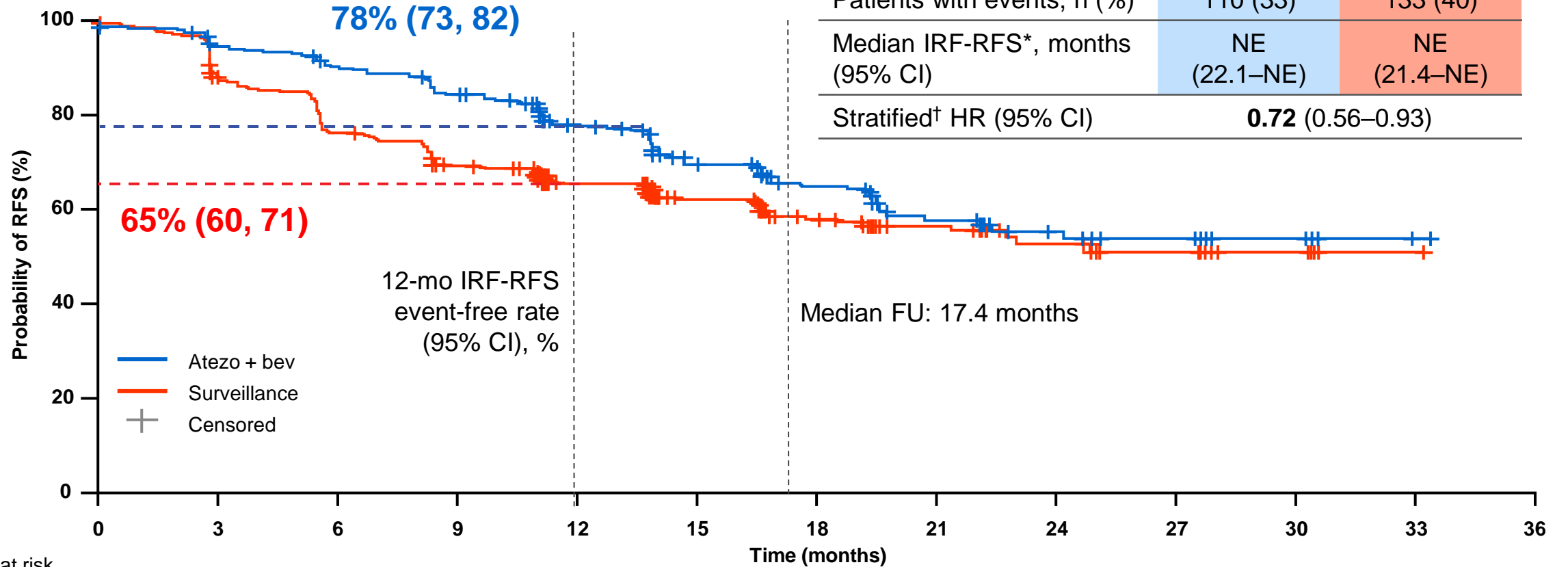


*High-risk features include: tumour >5 cm, >3 tumours, microvascular invasion, minor macrovascular invasion Vp1/Vp2, or Grade 3/4 pathology

†Intrahepatic recurrence defined by EASL criteria. Extrahepatic recurrence defined by RECIST 1.1

IMbrave050 (phase III): RFS

	Atezo + bev (n=334)	Active surveillance (n=334)
Patients with events, n (%)	110 (33)	133 (40)
Median IRF-RFS*, months (95% CI)	NE (22.1–NE)	NE (21.4–NE)
Stratified† HR (95% CI)	0.72 (0.56–0.93)	



Patients at risk	0	3	6	9	12	15	18	21	24	27	30	33	36
Surveillance	334	283	245	214	179	131	93	57	36	20	6	1	NE
Atezo + bev	334	305	290	268	211	139	97	63	37	22	9	1	NE

*RFS after randomisation, defined as the time from randomisation to the first documented occurrence of intrahepatic HCC (according to EASL criteria) or extrahepatic HCC (according to RECIST 1.1) as determined by an IRF, or death from any cause (whichever occurs first)

†Stratification factors: region; high-risk features and procedures. CCOD: 21 October 2022. median follow-up time: 17.4 months; CI, confidence interval; HR, hazard ratio; INV, investigator; IRF, independent review facility; NE, not estimable; RFS, recurrence-free survival

IMbrave050 (phase III): safety summary

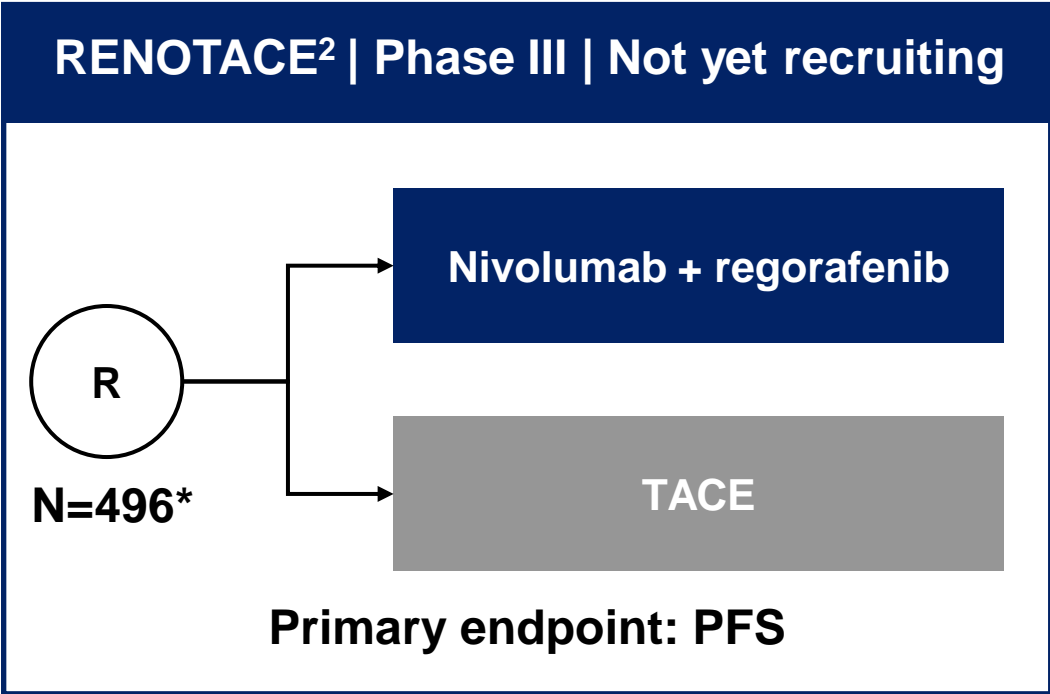
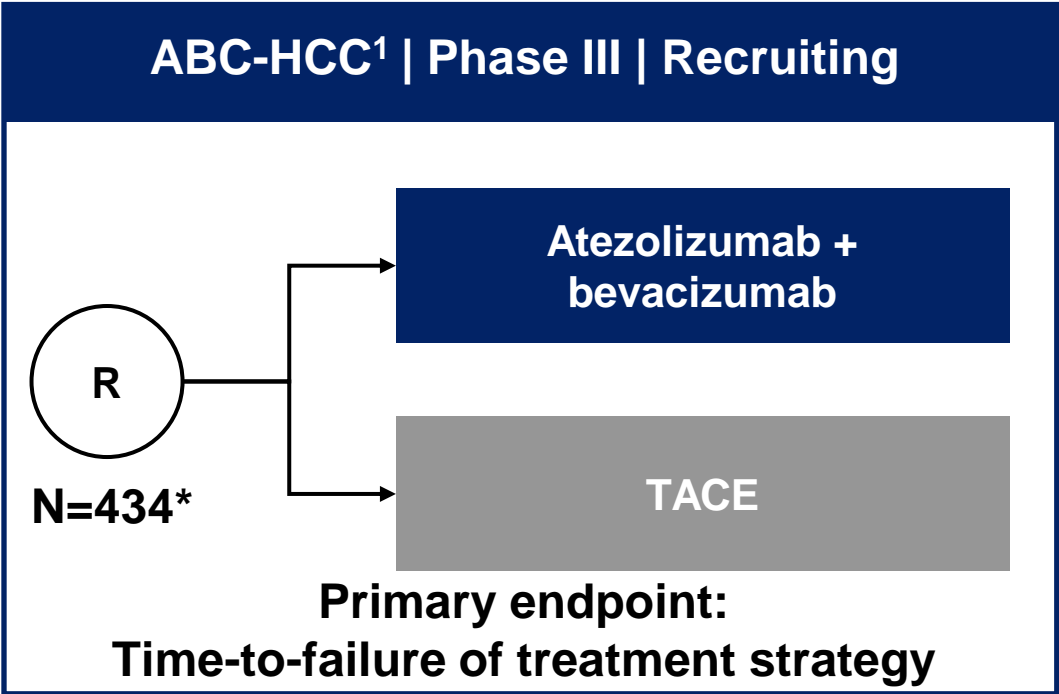
	Atezo + bev (n=332)	Active surveillance (n=330)	IMbrave150 ^{2,3} (n=329)
Treatment duration, median, months	Atezo: 11.1 Bev: 11.0	NA	Atezo: 7.4 Bev: 6.9
Patients with ≥1 AE, n (%)	326 (98.2)	205 (62.1)	323 (98.2)
Treatment-related AE	293 (88.3)	NA	276 (83.9)
Grade 3/4 AE, n (%)	136 (41.0)	44 (13.3)	186 (56.5)
Treatment-related Grade 3/4 AE	116 (34.9)	NA	117 (35.6)
Serious AE, n (%)	80 (24.1)	34 (10.3)	125 (38.0)
Treatment-related serious AE	44 (13.3)	NA	56 (17.0)
Grade 5 AE, n (%)	6 (1.8)	1 (0.3)	15 (4.6)
Treatment-related Grade 5 AE	2 (0.6)*	NA	6 (1.8)
AE leading to dose interruption of any study treatment, n (%)	155 (46.7)	NA	163 (49.5)
AE leading to withdrawal from any study treatment, n (%)	63 (19.0)	NA	51 (15.5)

Clinical cutoff: 21 October 2022; median follow-up duration: 17.4 months. In safety-evaluable patients. AE, adverse event. NA, not available;
*Oesophageal varices haemorrhage and ischemic stroke; 1 was related to atezo and bev and the other was related to bev only

1. Chow et al. EASL LCS 2023 (also presented at AACR 2023)
2. Finn et al. N Engl J Med 2020; 3. Data on file

Key ongoing trials in intermediate-stage HCC

Systemic therapy vs TACE

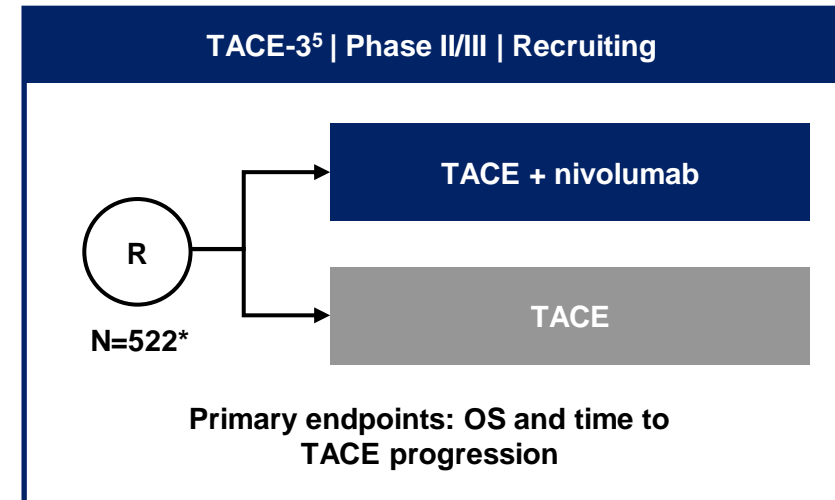
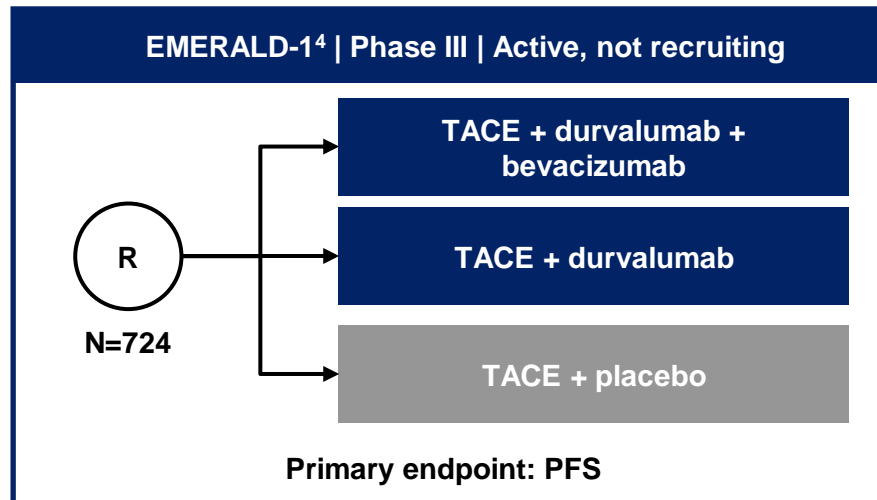
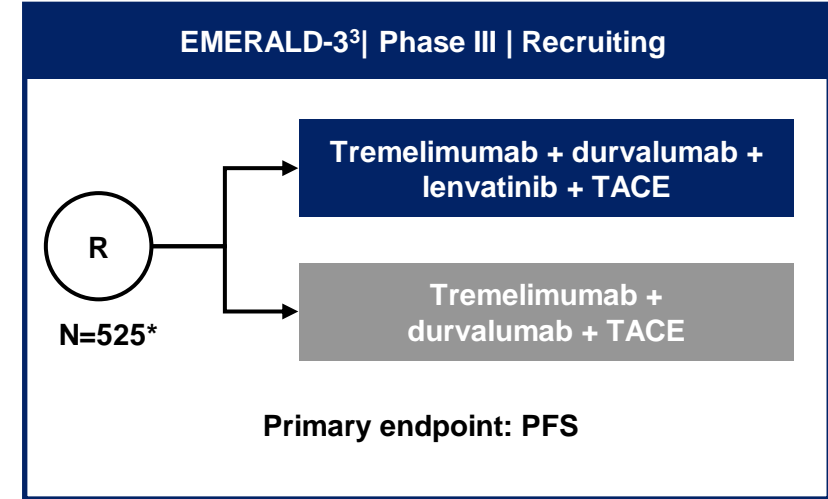
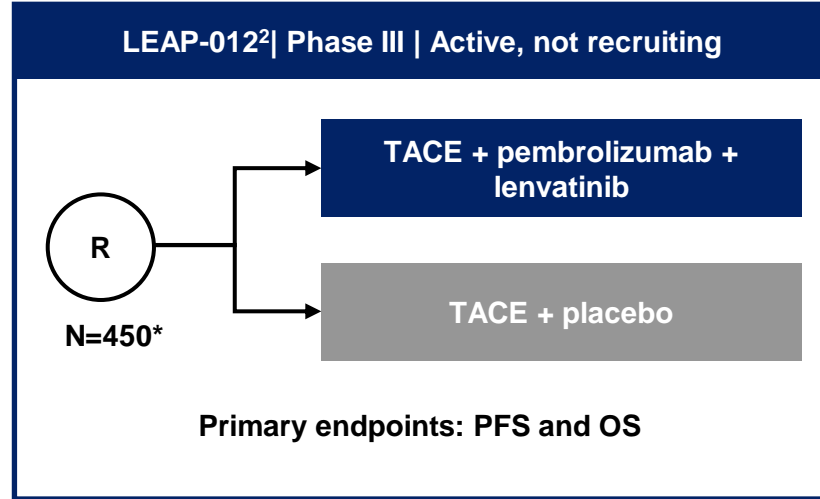
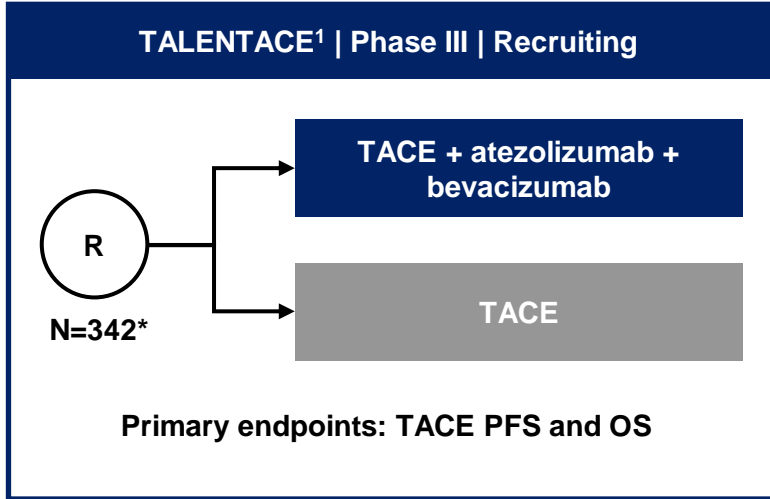


Information based on clinicaltrials.gov (accessed March 2023)
*Estimated enrollment

1. NCT04803994; 2. NCT04777851

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TACE + systemic therapy vs TACE



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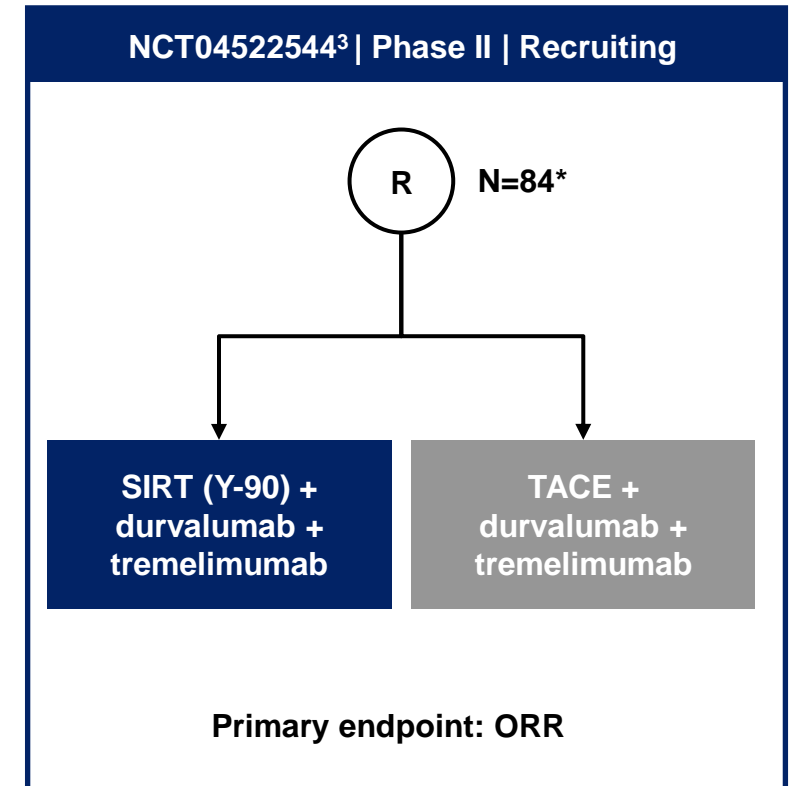
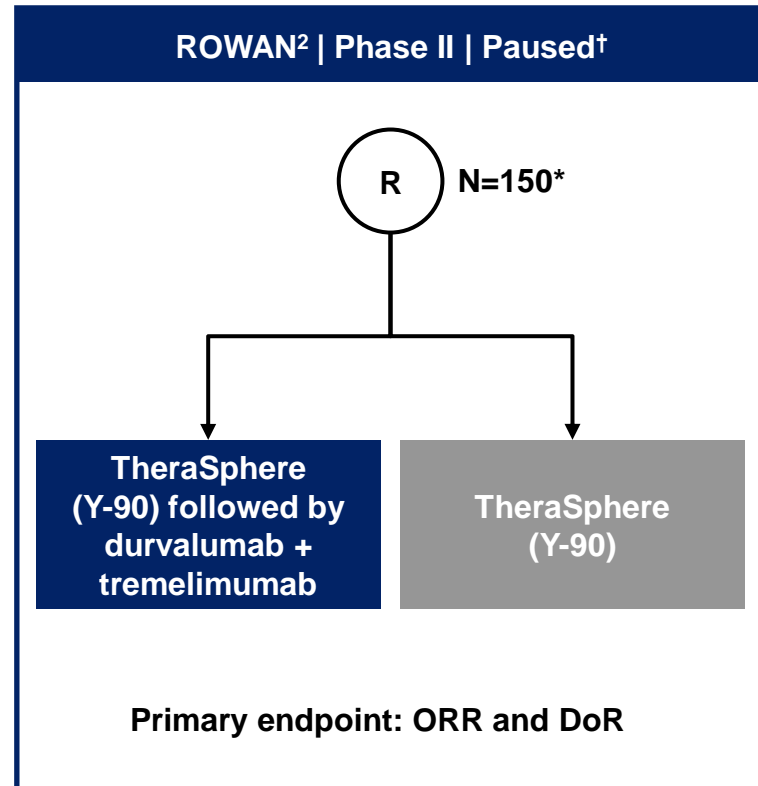
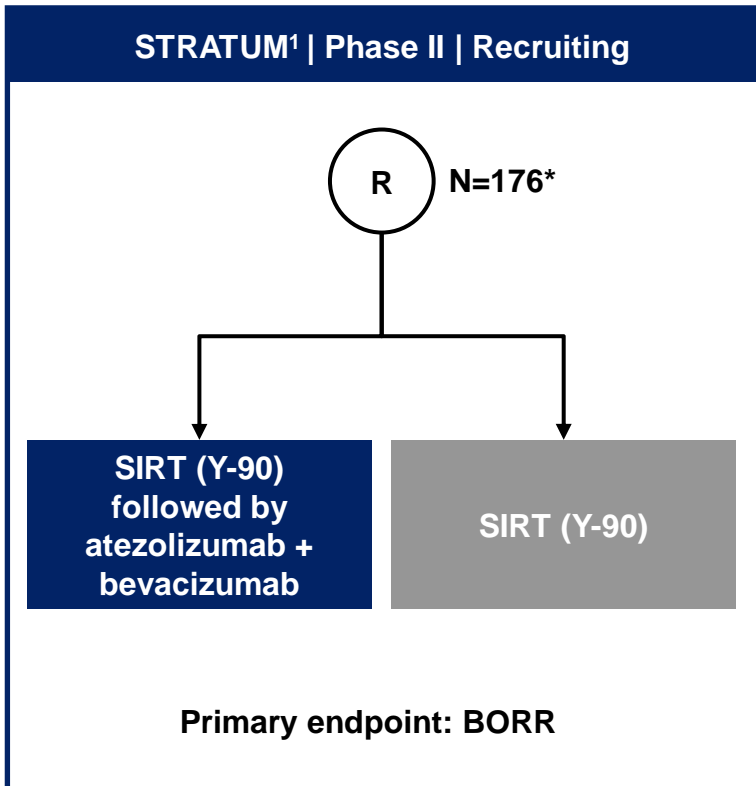
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Y90 + immunotherapy



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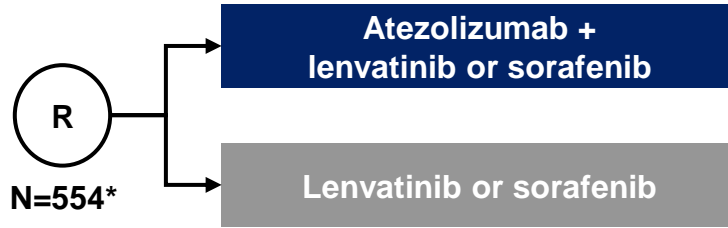
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Current ongoing studies addressing treatment sequencing in HCC

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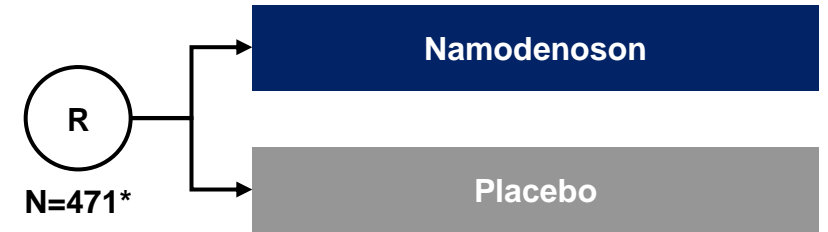
Progressive disease following prior atezolizumab + bevacizumab treatment (≥ 4 cycles)



Primary endpoint: OS

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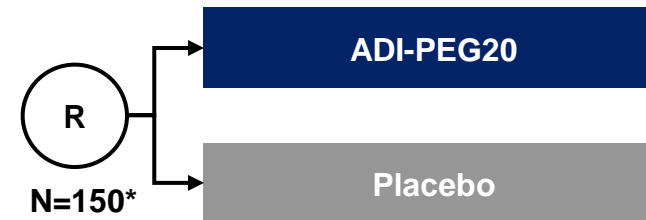
HCC has progressed on at least 1, but no more than 2, prior systemic treatment regimens



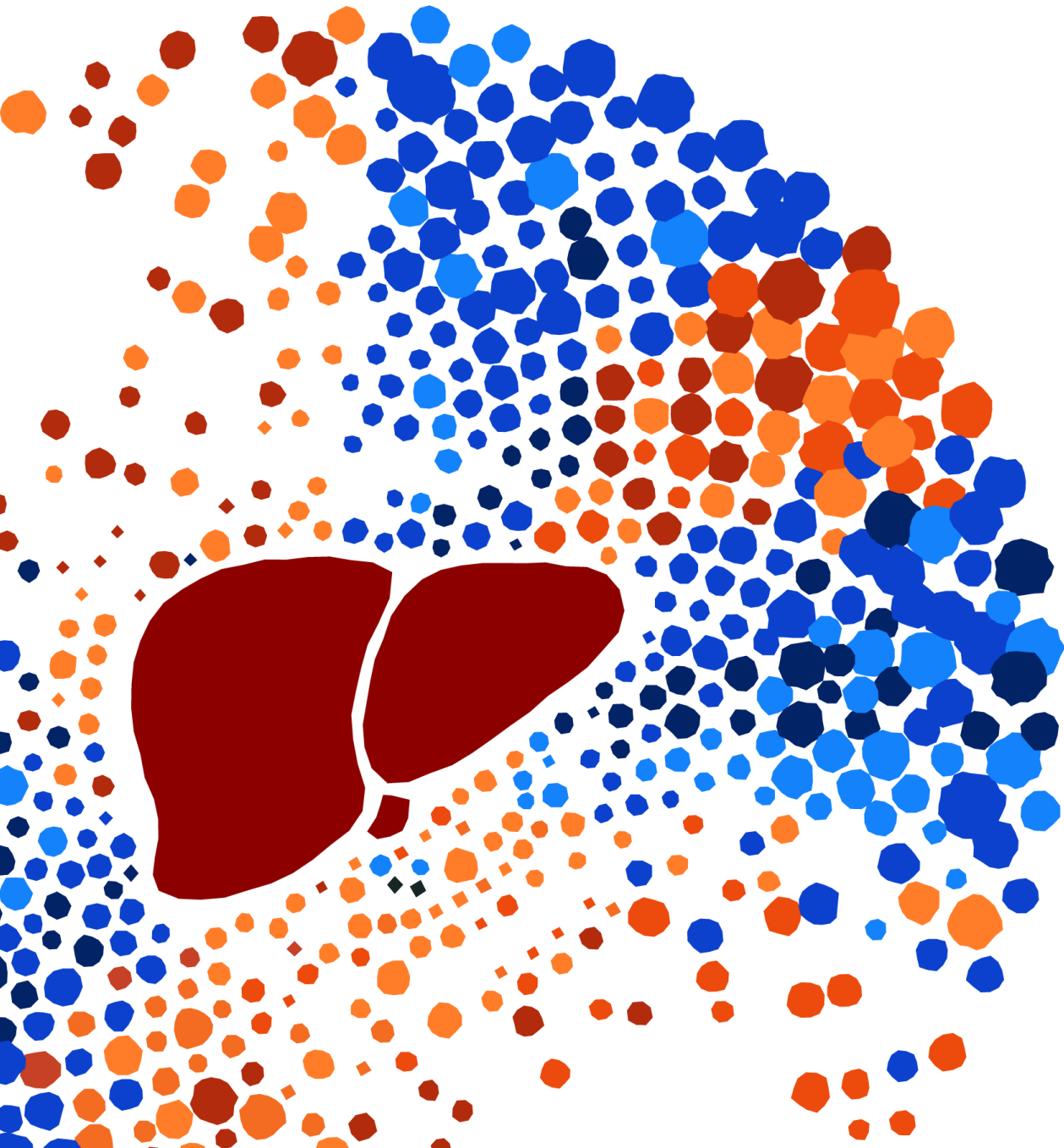
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Prior treatment with at least 1 systemic agent for Child-Pugh A
Child-Pugh B7 without prior systemic treatment may be enrolled, if they are not eligible for any approved systemic therapies



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Q&A and panel discussion: insights into the patient journey

All faculty

Moderated by Lorenza Rimassa

Insights into the patient journey: a case study

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Patient monitored regularly every 6 months

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- FIB4 score >3.5
- Liver enzymes slightly elevated



What barriers to screening and surveillance do you see in your clinic?

- 1. Cost**
- 2. Scheduling difficulties**
- 3. Technology unavailable**
- 4. No MTD collaboration**
- 5. Lack of awareness**
- 6. Other**

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What would be your treatment of choice for this patient?

1. Resection

2. Ablation (RFA/MWA)

3. TACE

4. TARE

5. Transplant

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Loco-regional and systemic treatment options

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Patient characteristics:

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- NASH
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- Arterial hypertension
- HBV–/HBC–
- Bilobar disease
- Two tumours, both ≥ 5 cm
- Preserved portal vein flow



What do you consider when initiating systemic therapy over TACE?

- 1. Tumour burden exceeds "up to seven" criteria**
- 2. Bilobar tumour**
- 3. Response to TACE**
- 4. High number of nodules**
- 5. Other**

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1L treatment

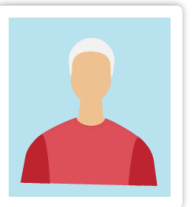
- 62-year-old male patient with pre-existing autoimmune disorder (hypothyroidism) who undergoes regular blood tests to assess liver function
- Relapsed and progressed to advanced-stage HCC after previous locoregional treatment

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- Child-Pugh A
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- ECOG PS 1
- AFP 356 ng/ml

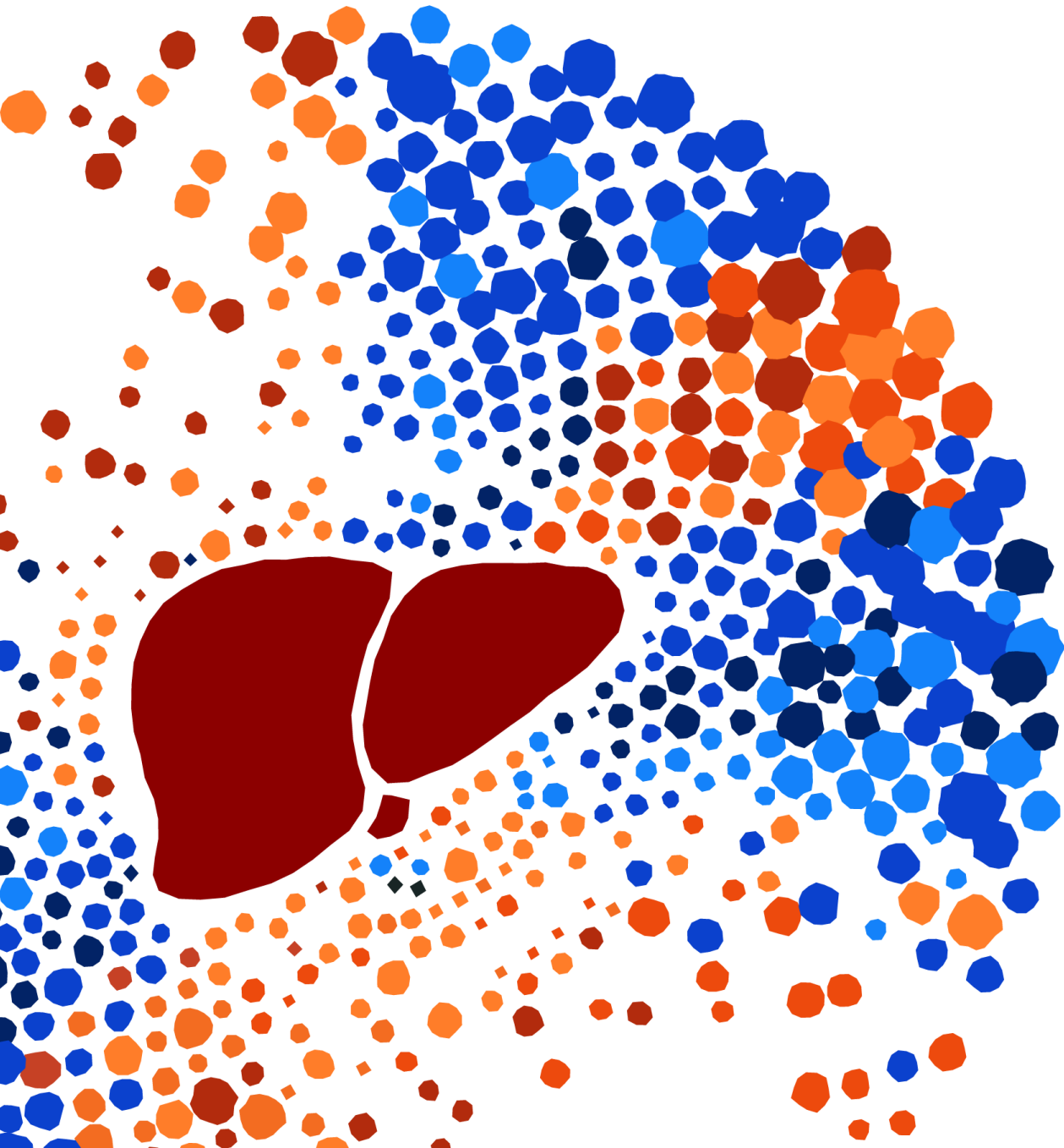
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- Spread to multiple lymph nodes
- Main portal invasion
- EHS



What is the most important feature in the patient characteristics that you base your treatment decision on?

- 1. Age**
- 2. MVI**
- 3. PD-L1 status**
- 4. Cardiovascular comorbidities**
- 5. Tumour load**



Summary and close

Lorenza Rimassa