



CARCINOMA DEL POLMONE NON MICROCITOMA: QUALI NOVITA' PER IL 2016?

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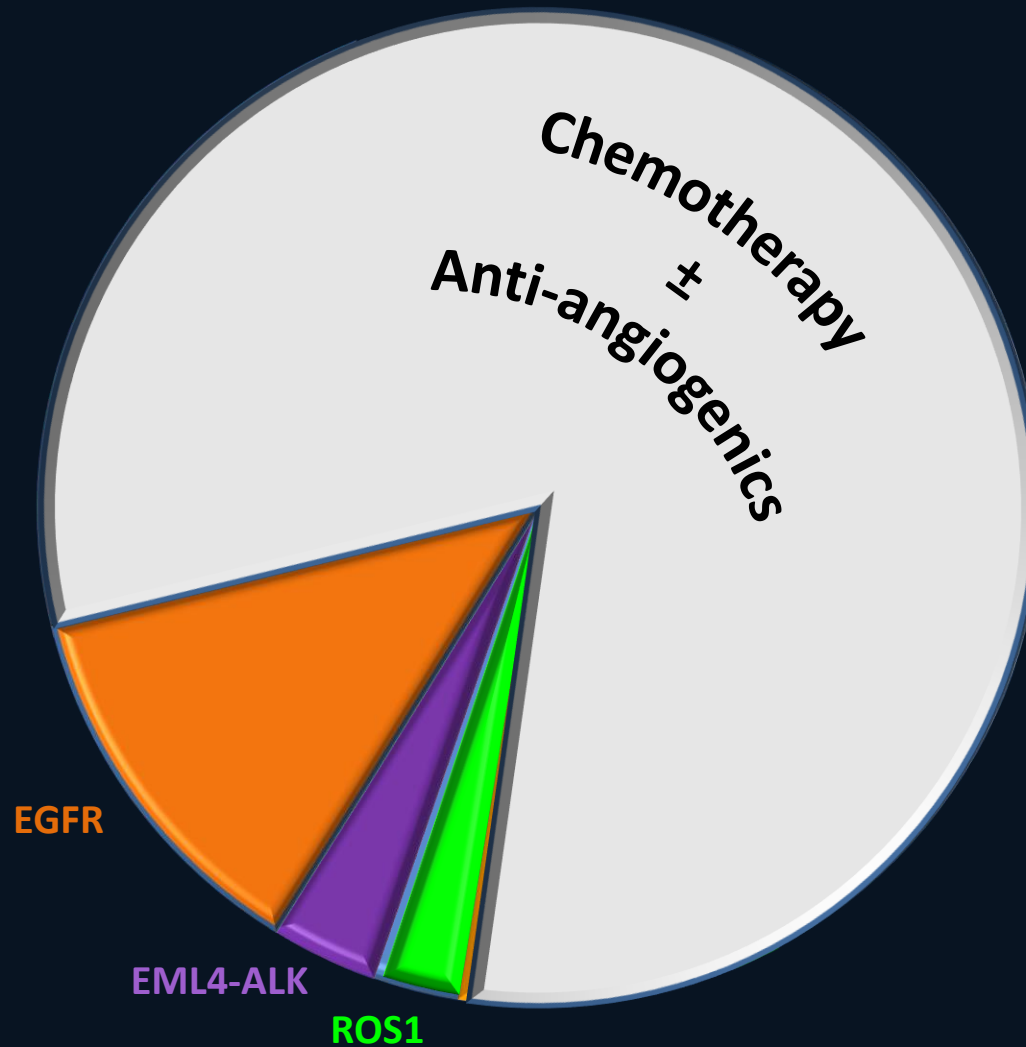


Quale impatto sulla pratica clinica?

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Chemotherapy in 2nd-line NSCLC

- Docetaxel is standard in 2nd-line NSCLC
- Docetaxel has median survival of ~9 months¹
- Docetaxel is hampered by important toxicity
- The addition of anti-angiogenics improves docetaxel efficacy
 - ✓ Ramucirumab in all histologies (HR 0.86 [95% CI 0.75, 0.98])²
 - ✓ Nintedanib in adenocarcinoma (HR 0.79 [95% CI 0.60, 0.92])³



2015



Scenario attuale

✓ 2 anti PD-1:

1. **NIVOLUMAB** *All comers (squamoso e non squamoso)*
2. **PEMBROLIZUMAB** *con selezione*

✓ 3 anti PD-L1:

1. **ATEZOLIZUMAB** *con selezione*
2. **DURVALUMAB** *con selezione*
3. **AVELUMAB** *All comers*



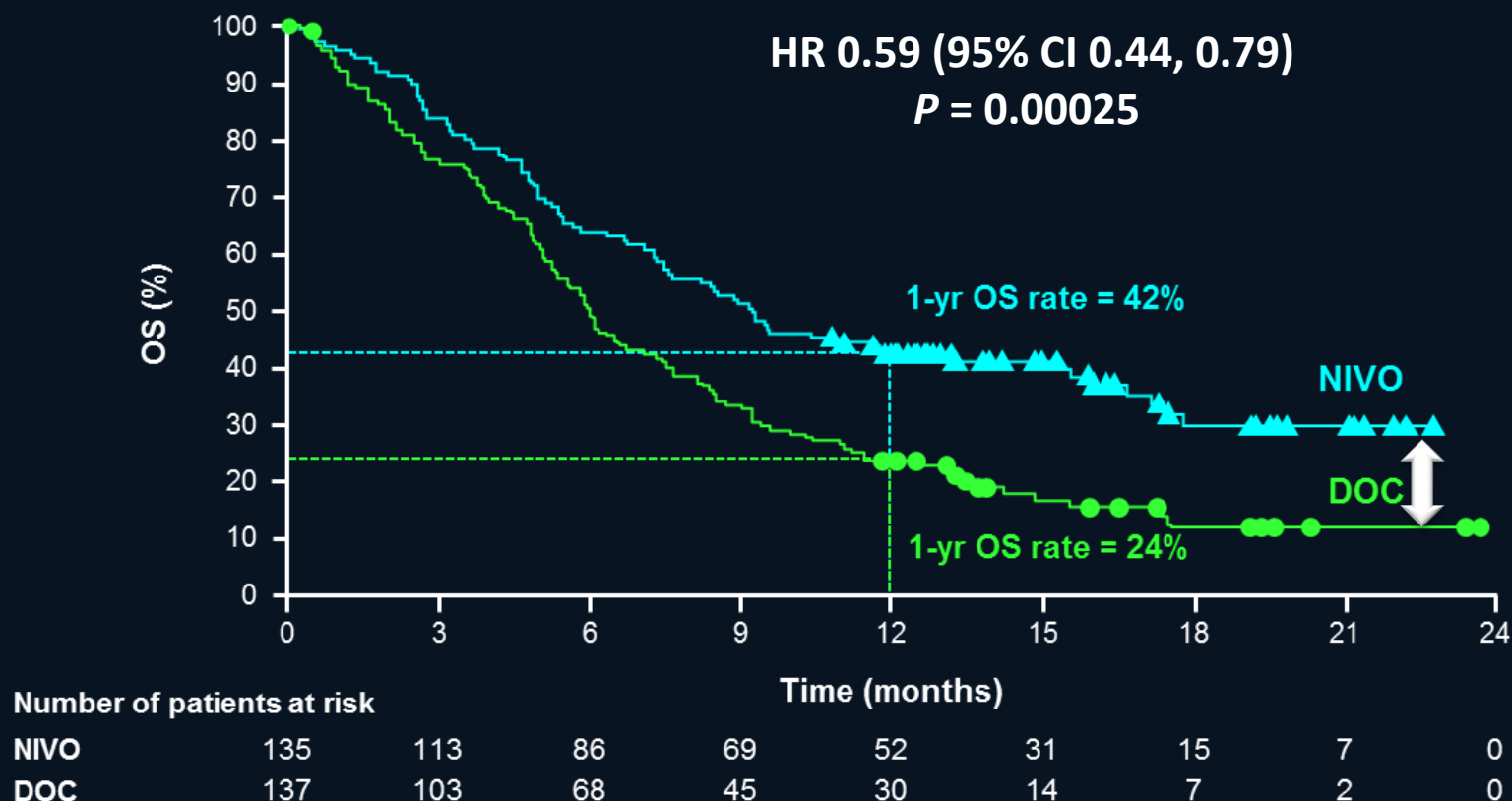
Nella pratica clinica

- Anti PD-1 o anti PD-L1 ?
- Abbiamo criteri per la selezione dei pazienti?
- Quale tossicità?
- Quale terapia in seconda linea?



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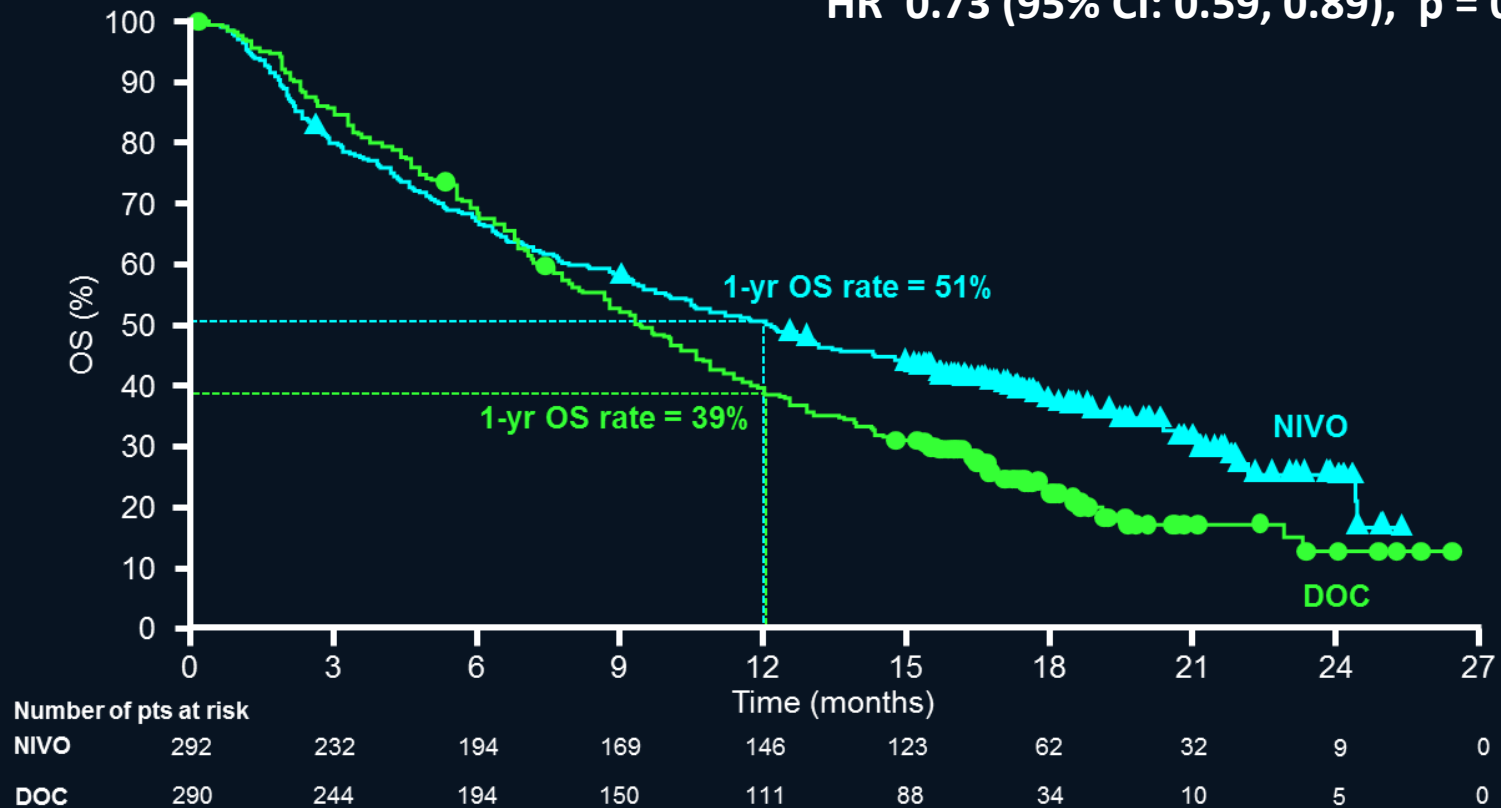
Nivolumab vs docetaxel squamous 2nd-line



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Nivolumab vs docetaxel non squamous 2nd-line

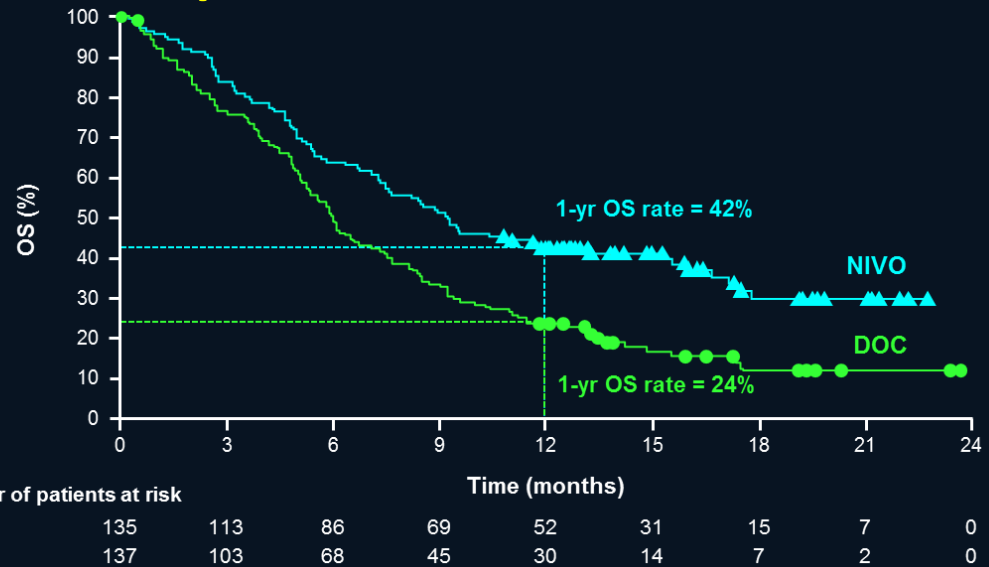
HR 0.73 (95% CI: 0.59, 0.89), $p = 0.0015$



Is nivolumab more effective in squamous than adenocarcinoma?

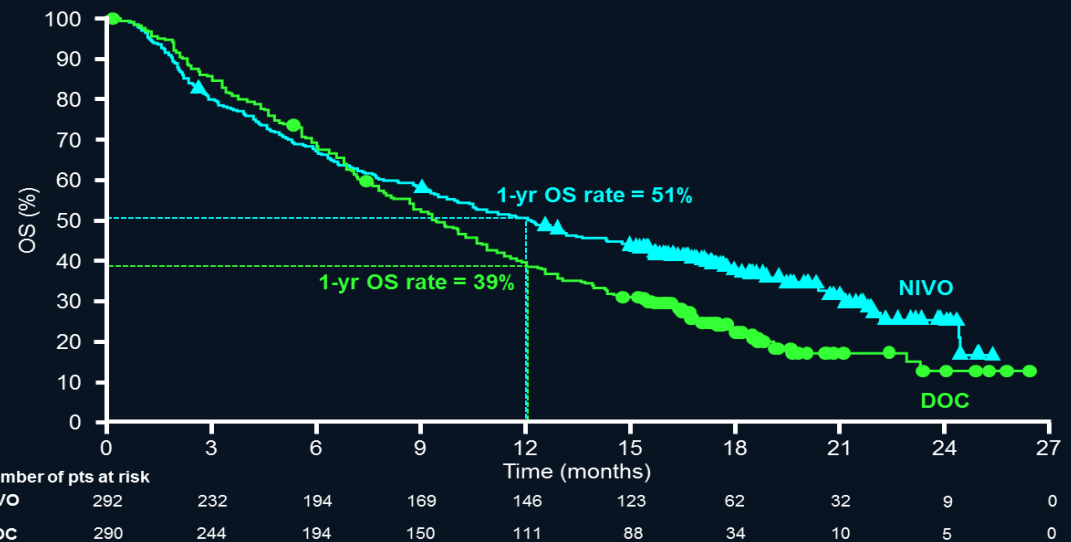
CHECKMATE-017 Squamous

HR 0.59 (95% CI 0.44, 0.79)
 $P = 0.00025$

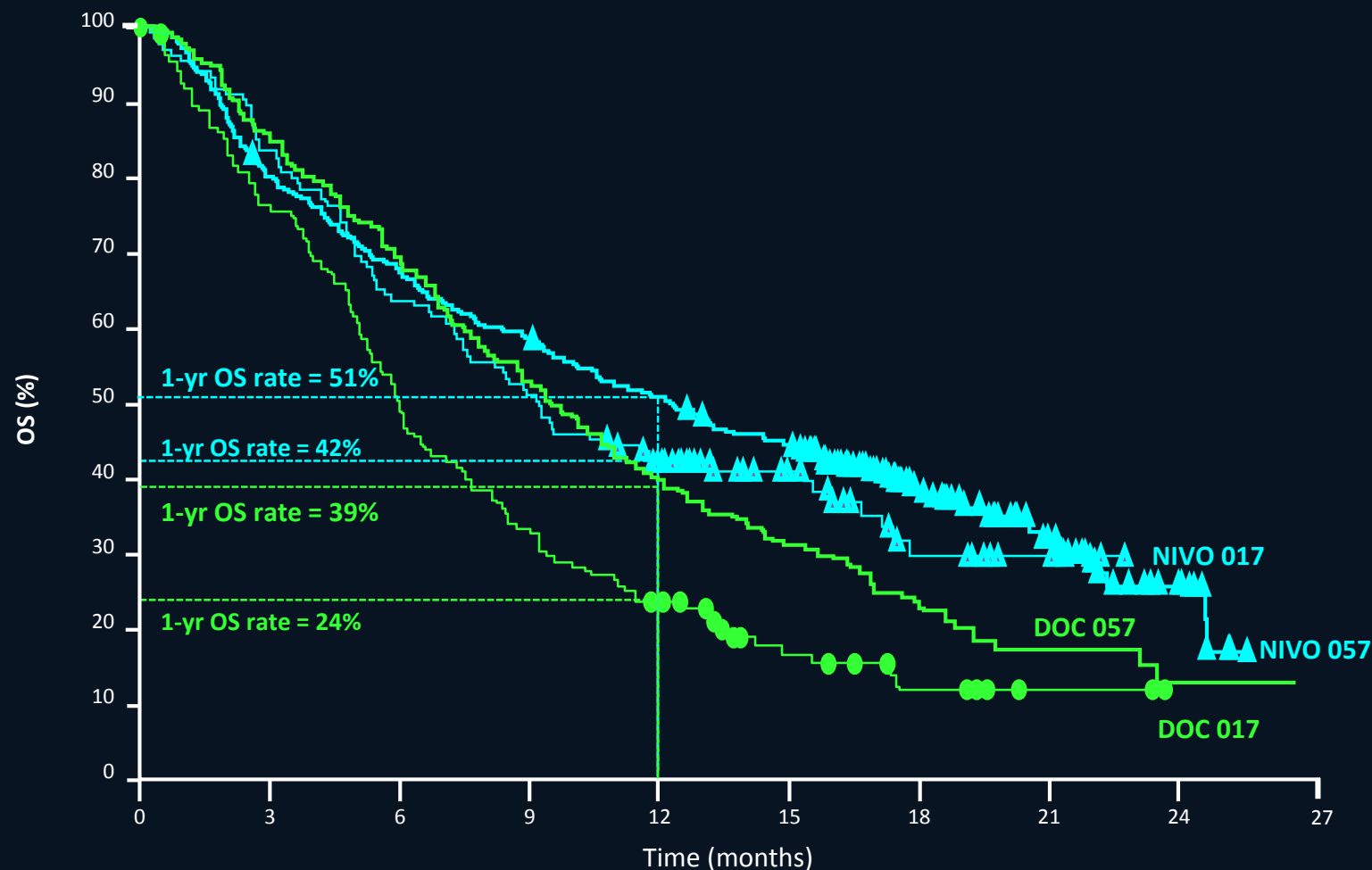


CHECKMATE-057 Non-squamous

HR 0.73 (96% CI 0.59, 0.89)
 $P = 0.0015$



Overall survival-ASCO discussion

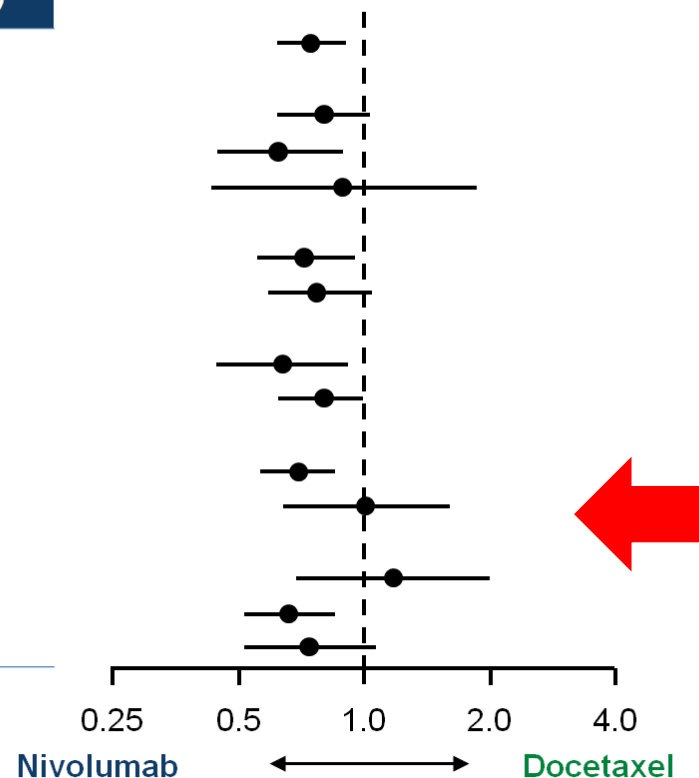


Minimum follow-up of approximately 10.6 months



Treatment Effect on OS in Predefined Subgroups

	N	Unstratified HR (95% CI)
Overall	582	0.75 (0.62, 0.91)
Age Categorization (years)		
<65	339	0.81 (0.62, 1.04)
≥65 and <75	200	0.63 (0.45, 0.89)
≥75	43	0.90 (0.43, 1.87)
Gender		
Male	319	0.73 (0.56, 0.96)
Female	263	0.78 (0.58, 1.04)
Baseline ECOG PS		
0	179	0.64 (0.44, 0.93)
≥1	402	0.80 (0.63, 1.00)
Smoking Status		
Current/Former Smoker	458	0.70 (0.56, 0.86)
Never Smoked	118	1.02 (0.64, 1.61)
EGFR Mutation Status		
Positive	82	1.18 (0.69, 2.00)
Not Detected	340	0.66 (0.51, 0.86)
Not Reported	160	0.74 (0.51, 1.06)



All randomized patients (nivolumab, n = 292; docetaxel, n = 290).

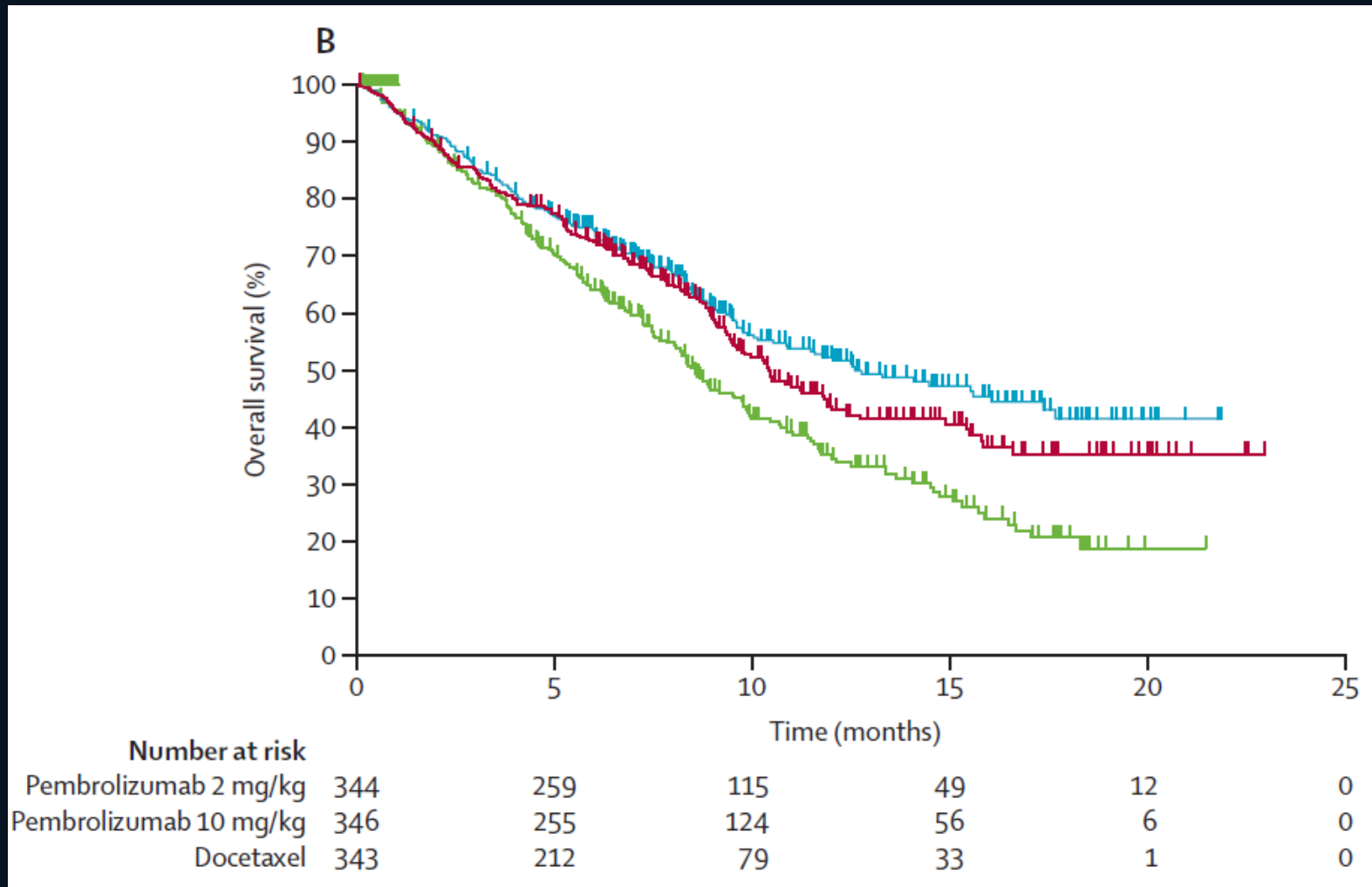
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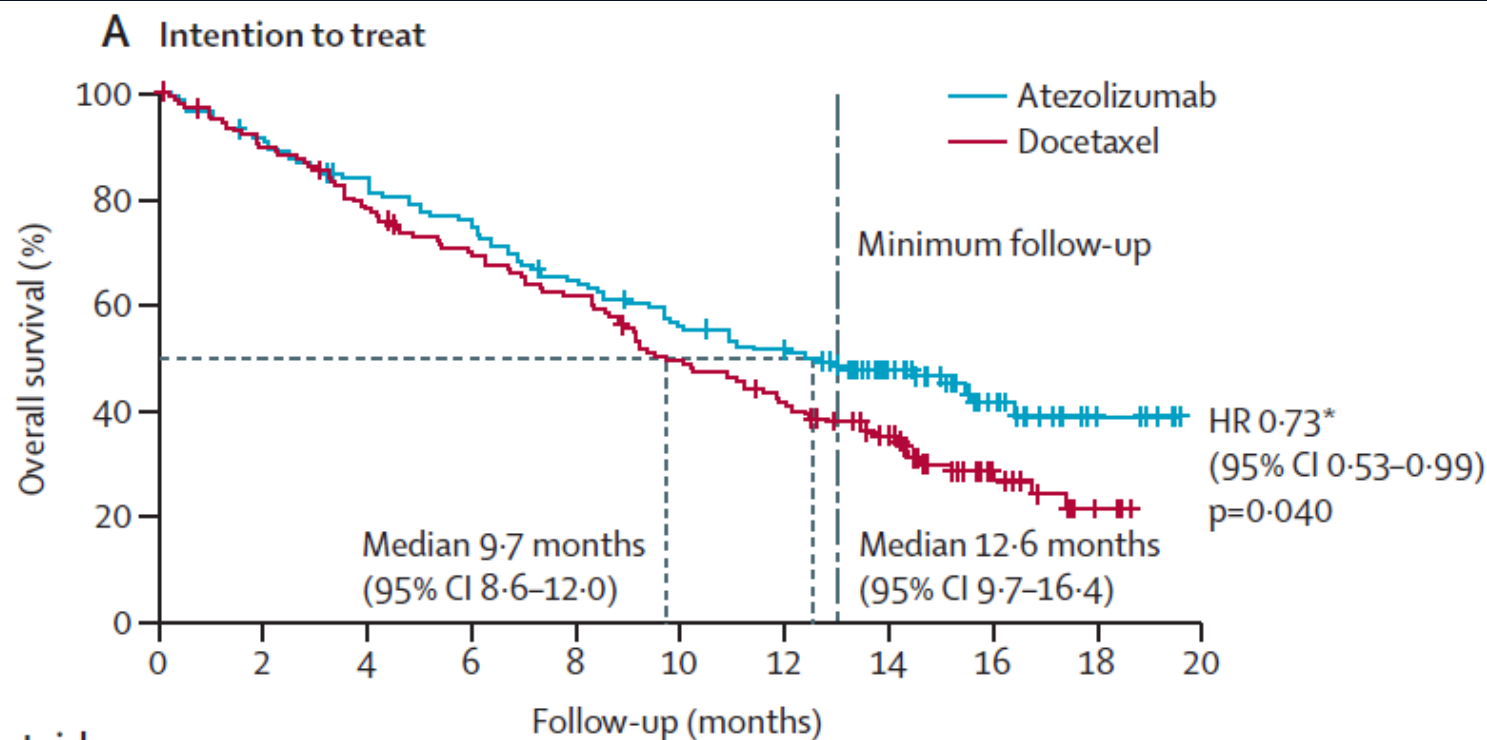
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KEYNOTE – 010 (pembro PS $\geq$ 1%)



POPLAR: all patient efficacy



Number at risk

Atezolizumab	144	131	117	106	90	78	69	42	20	7	0
Docetaxel	143	123	106	92	82	65	54	39	17	3	0



PD-L1 as a predictive biomarker ?



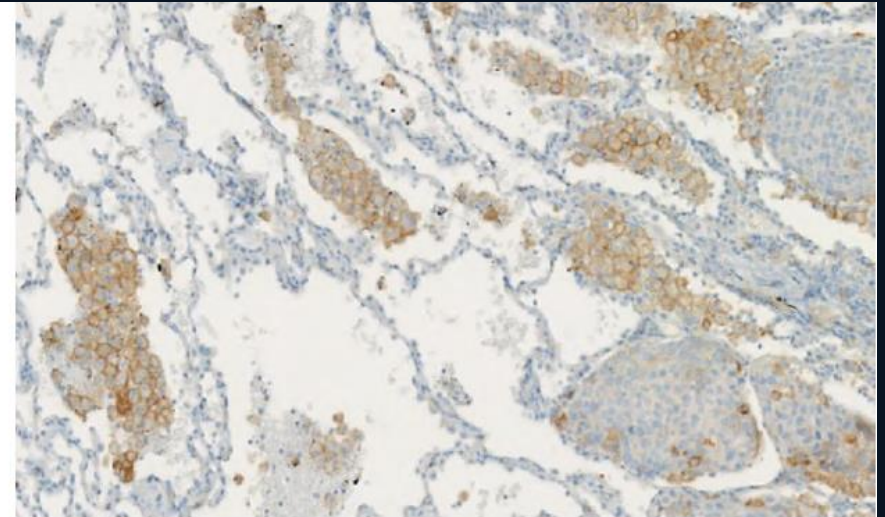
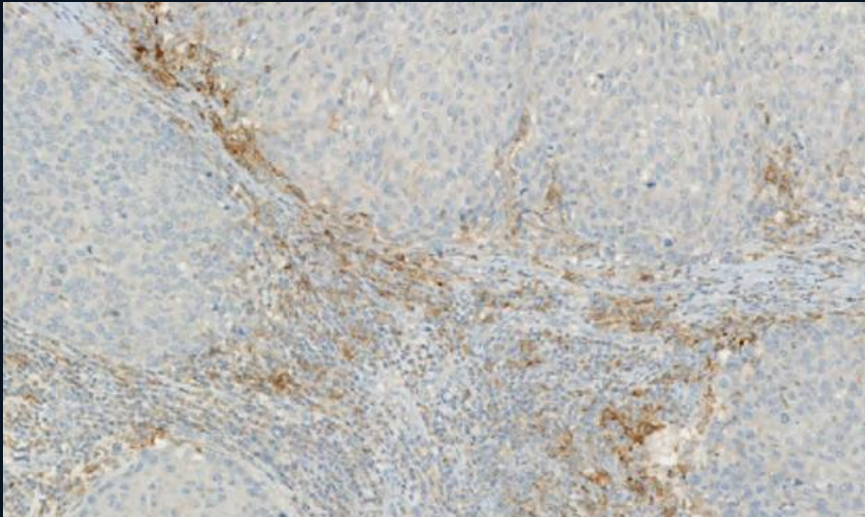
- **Discordance**

6% in multisampled cases

30% primary vs metastatic sites

- **Expression**

on tumour and immune cells



PD-L1 expression (IHC) as a predictive biomarker

TABLE 1. Summary of Published Findings for PD-L1 Immunohistochemistry in Therapeutic Trials

Drug	Biomarker Antibody	Rx Line	Definition of "Positive" ^a (%)	N Positive (%)	Positive Predictive Outcome	ORR % IHC pos. Cases	ORR % IHC neg. Cases	Ref.
Nivolumab	Dako 28-8	1st	≥5 in >100 cells	59	Yes	31 ^b	10	7,8 ^f
Nivolumab	Dako 28-8	≥2nd	≥5, ≥1	49, 56	No	15, 13	14, 17	9,10
Nivolumab + Ipilimumab	Dako 28-8	1st	≥5 in >100 cells	42	No	19	14	11
Nivolumab	Dako 28-8	≥2nd	≥5	33 ^c	Yes	24	14	12 ^f
Nivolumab	5H1 ^d	≥2nd	≥5, also studied TIICs	67	Yes	No data for lung	No data for lung	13
Pembrolizumab	Dako 22C3	Any	"Strong" ≥50, "Weak" 1–49	25, 70	Yes, Yes	37, 17	9	14
Pembrolizumab	Dako 22C3	1st	≥50, ≥1	?	Yes	47, 26	?	15
MPDL3280A	Roche Ventana, SP142	≥2nd	≥10, ^e ≥5, ≥1 TIICs	13, 28, 56	Yes	83, 46, 31	18, 18, 20	16–18
MEDI-4736	Roche Ventana, SP263	≥2nd	Data not available	41	Yes	25	3	19,20

^aExpression in tumor cells unless otherwise stated.

^bThe 31% figure is for all tumors. The ORR was 37% in nonsquamous tumors and 12% in squamous cases. In PDL-1 negative cases, ORR was 14% in nonsquamous tumors and 0% in squamous tumors.

^cThis study concerned squamous cell carcinomas only.

^dThese authors also used the anti-PD-1 monoclonal M3 in their immunohistochemical analysis.

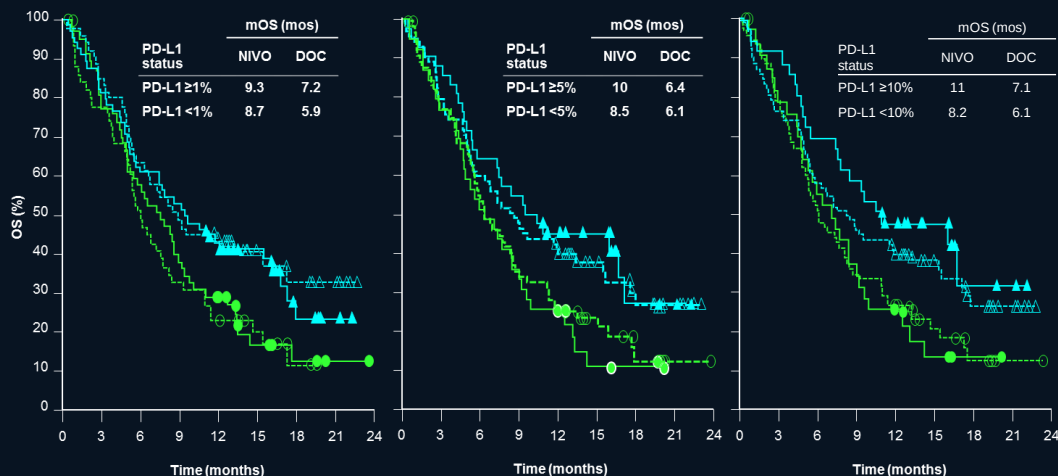
^eIHC score 3, ≥10% TIICs positive; IHC score 2–3, ≥5% TIICs positive; IHC score 1–2–3, ≥1% TIICs positive.

^fORR quoted are those actually presented, as opposed to those published in the abstract

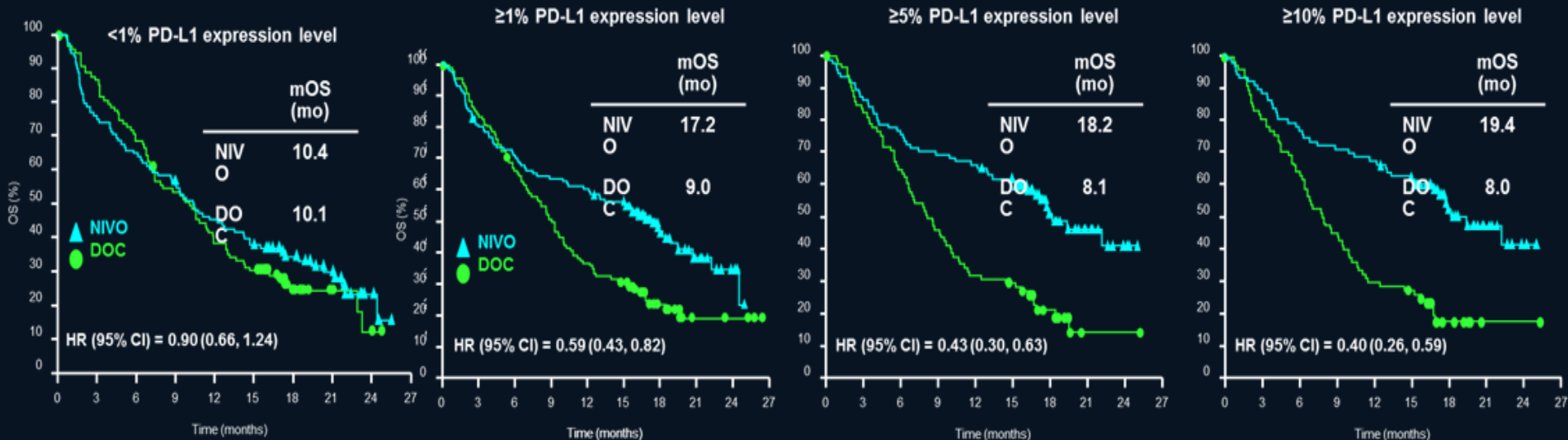
IHC, immunohistochemistry; TIICs, tumor infiltrating immune cells; ORR, overall response rate (response evaluation criteria in solid tumors).



PD-L1 NOT predictive for OS in squamous!



PD-L1 predictive for OS in NON-squamous?



Proportion score and pembrolizumab

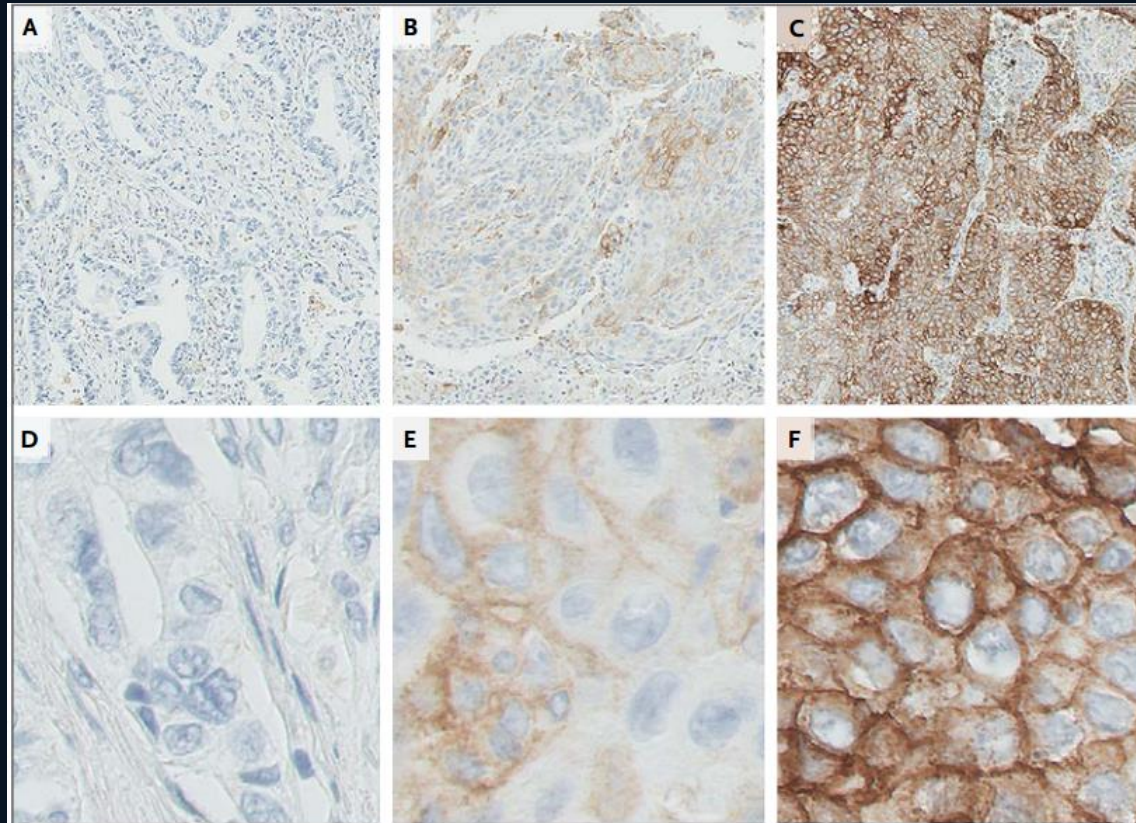
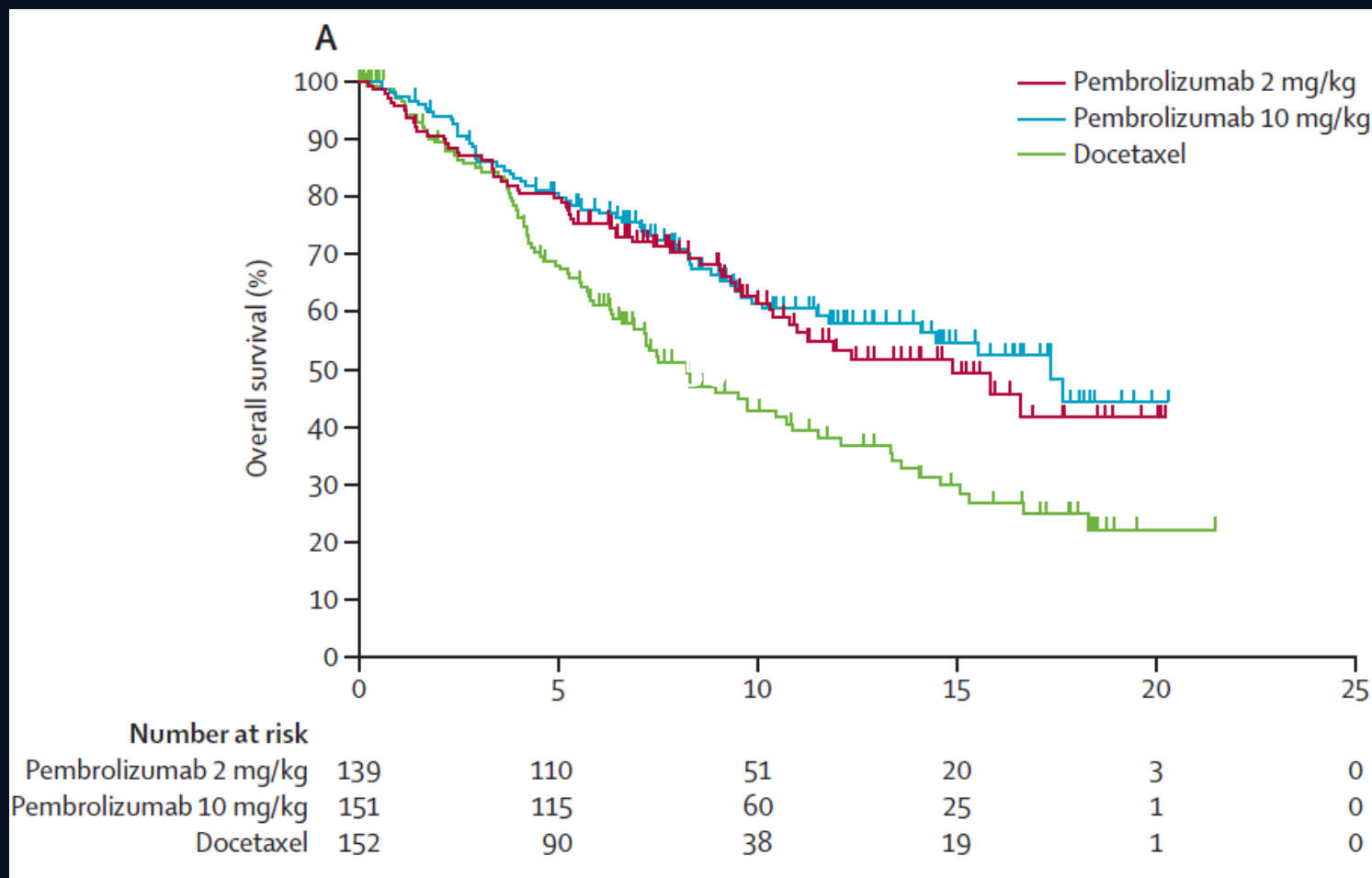


Figure 1. PD-L1 Expression in Non-Small-Cell Lung Cancers.

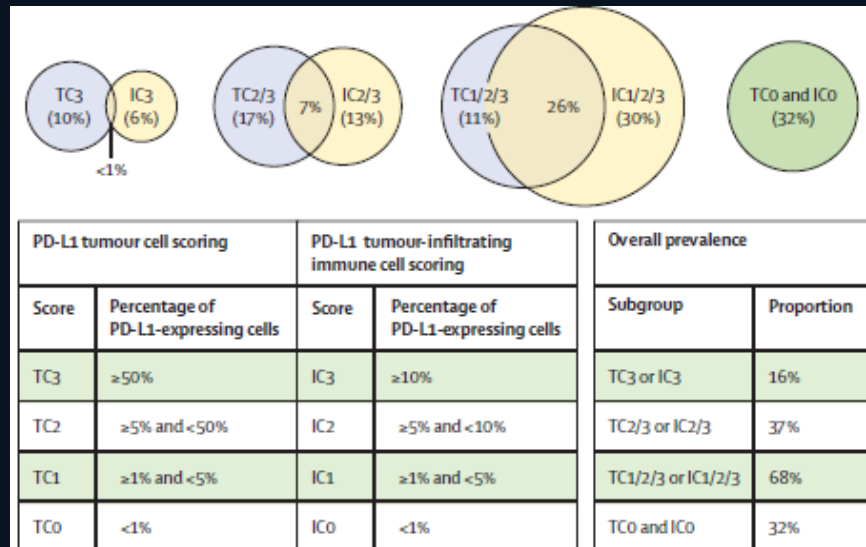
Results were reported as the percentage of neoplastic cells showing membranous staining of programmed cell death ligand 1 (PD-L1) (proportion score). Shown are tumor samples obtained from patients with a proportion score of less than 1% (Panel A), a score of 1 to 49% (Panel B), and a score of at least 50% (Panel C) (all at low magnification). Tumor samples with the corresponding proportion scores are shown at a higher magnification in Panels D through F. PD-L1 staining is shown by the presence of the brown chromogen. The blue color is the hematoxylin counterstain.

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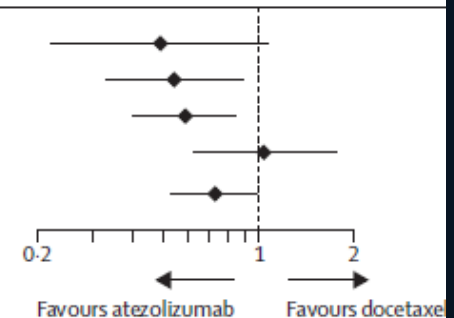
Survival benefit by PD-L1 expression (PS $\geq$ 50%)



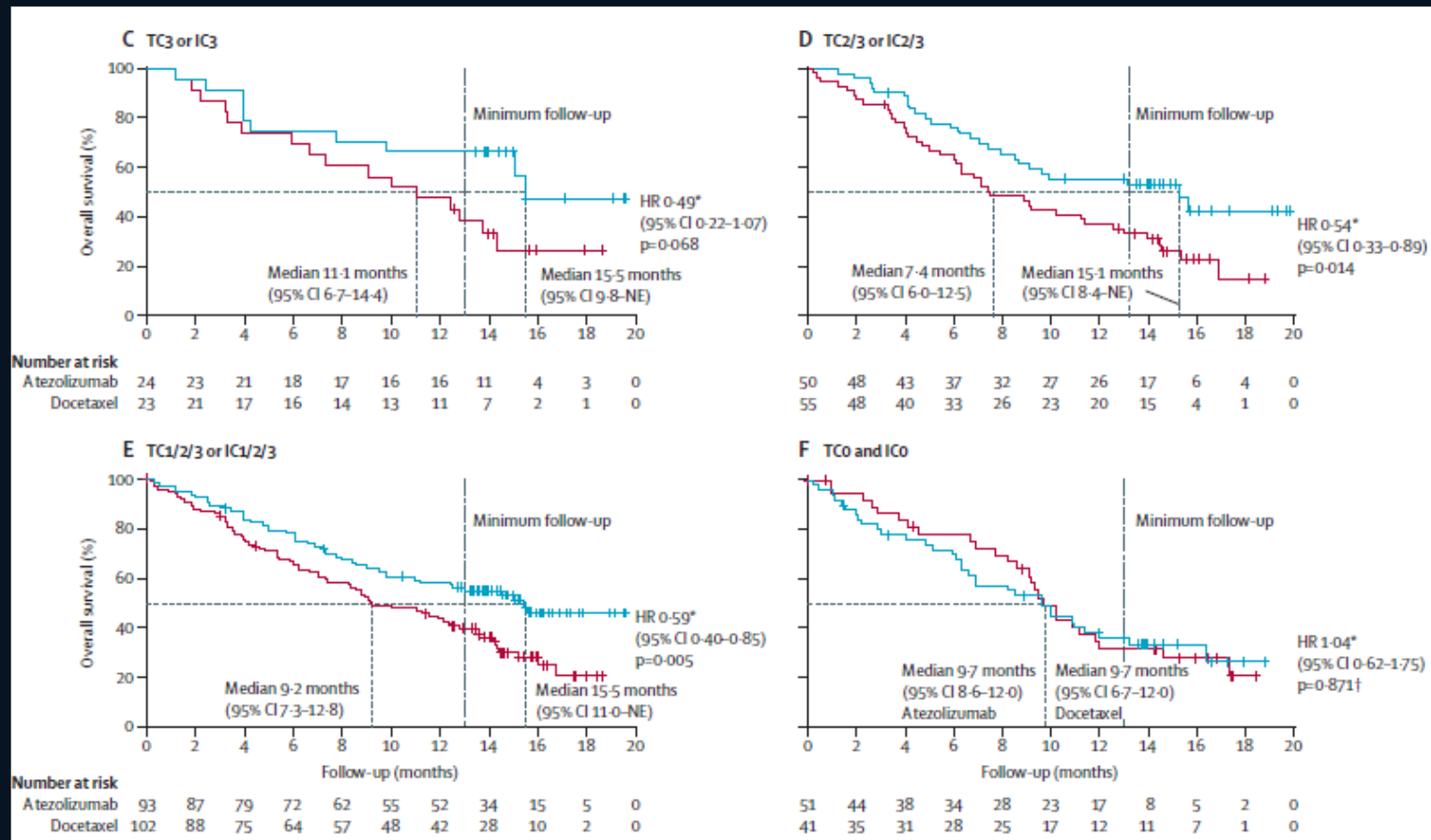
POPLAR: OS in programmed death ligand 1 subgroups



	n (%)	HR*	95% CI	p value	Median overall survival (months [95% CI])	
					Atezolizumab (n=144)	Docetaxel (n=143)
TC3 or IC3	47 (16%)	0.49	0.22-1.07	0.068	15.5 (9.8-NE)	11.1 (6.7-14.4)
TC2/3 or IC2/3	105 (37%)	0.54	0.33-0.89	0.014	15.1 (8.4-NE)	7.4 (6.0-12.5)
TC1/2/3 or IC1/2/3	195 (68%)	0.59	0.40-0.85	0.005	15.5 (11.0-NE)	9.2 (7.3-12.8)
TC0 and IC0	92 (32%)	1.04	0.62-1.75	0.871	9.7 (6.7-12.0)	9.7 (8.6-12.0)
Intention to treat	287	0.73	0.53-0.99	0.040	12.6 (9.7-16.4)	9.7 (8.6-12.0)



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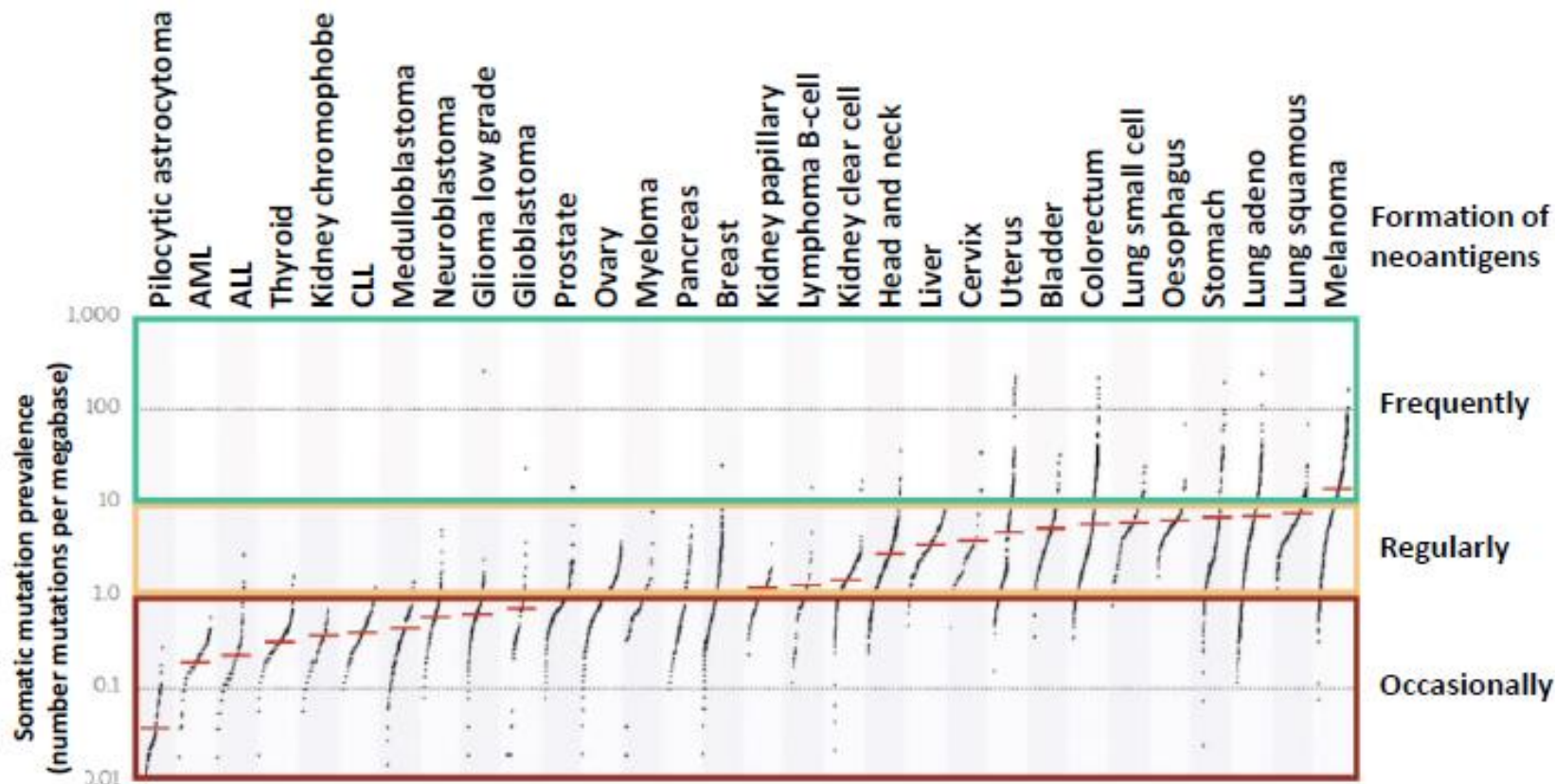




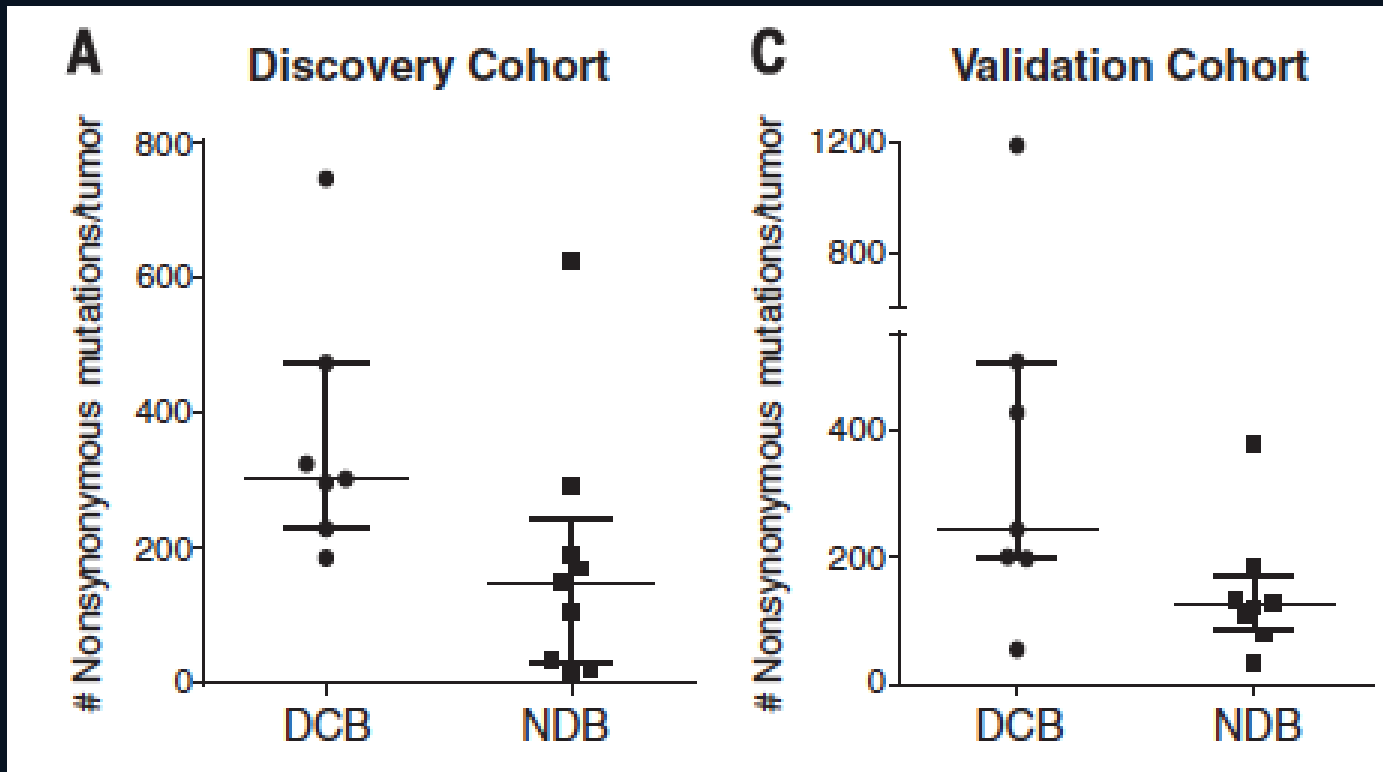
Esistono altre ipotesi di selezione?



Neoantigens



Mutation burden associated with clinical benefit to anti-PD1 therapies



DCB: Durable clinical benefit: partial or stable disease >6 months

NDB: Non durable benefit

Rizvi NA et al, Science 2015



Ci vuole MB, ma bassa eterogeneità!

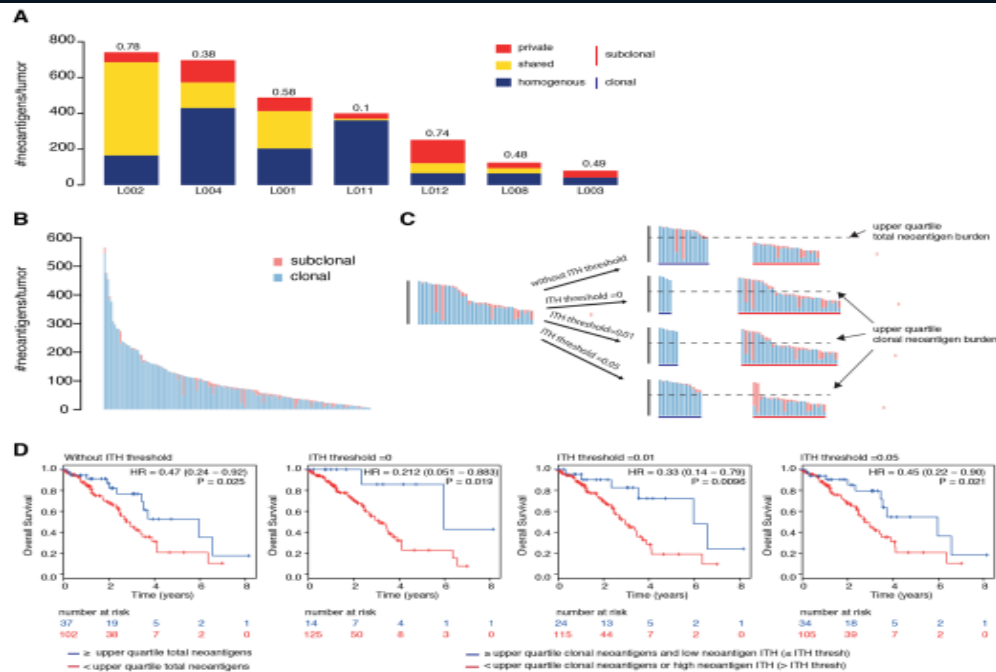


Fig. 1. Heterogeneity and prognostic value of neoantigen landscape in primary NSCLC. (A) Total putative neoantigen burden in multi-region sequenced NSCLC tumors. Proportion of clonal neoantigens, identified ubiquitously in every tumor region, are shown in blue, while shared subclonal neoantigens, identified in multiple tumor regions, but not all, are shown in yellow, and private subclonal neoantigens, identified in only one tumor region, are in red. **(B)** Total putative neoantigen burden in TCGA LUAD tumors. Proportion of neoantigens arising from clonal (blue) or subclonal (red) mutations is shown. **(C)** Schematic illustrating use of different neoantigen ITH thresholds, with bar plot showing separation into the two groups. Without an ITH threshold, samples are simply grouped according to upper quartile of total neoantigen burden. For each ITH threshold, the upper quartile of clonal neoantigens is used to separate tumors with high and low clonal neoantigen burden, and the neoantigen ITH threshold further groups samples. For example, an ITH threshold = 0 involves grouping tumors with high clonal neoantigen burden and zero neoantigen heterogeneity separately from those with low clonal neoantigen burden or any neoantigen heterogeneity. **(D)** Overall survival curves for samples using different ITH thresholds: without an ITH threshold (log-rank, $P = 0.028$, HR = 0.46 [0.23–0.94]); ITH threshold = 0 (log-rank, $P = 0.019$, HR = 0.21 [0.051–0.88]); ITH threshold = 0.01 (log-rank, $P = 0.0096$, HR = 0.33 [0.14–0.79]); ITH threshold = 0.05 (log-rank, $P = 0.021$, HR = 0.45 [0.22–0.90]). The number of patients in each group is listed below the survival curves.



Le tossicità



Toxicity: pre-treated advanced NSCLC

Treatment related AEs (%)	Nivolumab squamous	Nivolumab non-squamous	Atezolizumab all comers
Any AE	58	69	67
Grade ≥ 3	7	10	11
Grade 5 (death)	0	0	0*
Any AE leading to discontinuation	3	5	8

* Grade 5 4%



Immune Related Adverse Events (IRAEs)

System	Adverse Events
Gastrointestinal	Colitis (Diarrhea, perforation)
Renal	Acute Interstitial Nephritis (Increased serum Creatinine)
Pulmonary	Pneumonitis (dyspnea, cough)
Dermatologic	Dermatitis (Lichenoid/ spongiotic dermatitis, rash), Vitiligo
Hepatic	Hepatitis (elevated LFTs)
Neurologic	Central and Peripheral (Aseptic Meningitis, Guillan-Barre Syndrome, Myasthenia Gravis)
Endocrine	Hypophysitis, thyroiditis, adrenal insufficiency
Ocular	Uveitis, Iritis



Immune Related Adverse Events (irAEs)

- Average time to onset of irAEs is 6-12 weeks after initiation of therapy
 - Within days of the first dose
 - After several months of treatment
 - After discontinuation of therapy
- Severity: can be mild and asymptomatic to severe and life threatening





Toxicities of the anti-PD-1 and anti-PD-L1 immune checkpoint antibodies

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ANTI PDL-1 AGENTS

Agent	First author (year)	Phase	Tumor type	No. of patients receiving anti-PD-1/PD-L1 agent (N)	Therapy schedule	Treatment-related toxicities (grade 1–5)	Treatment-related grade 3–4 toxicities
Durvalumab (MEDI4736)	Segal	I	Multiple solid tumors*	346	10 mg/kg every 2 weeks × 1 year	Total = 39% (n = 135) Fatigue (13%, n = 45) Rash (9%, n = 30) Pneumonitis (1%, n = 5) AST/ALT elevation (4%, n = 13) Hypothyroidism (2%, n = 8)	Total = 6% (n = 20) Fatigue (1%, n = 2) Rash (<1%, n = 1) AST/ALT elevation (1%, n = 3) Hypothyroidism (<1%, n = 1)
	Rizvi (2015)	I	NSCLC	228	10 mg/kg every 2 weeks × 1 year	Total = 93% (n = 213) Fatigue = 18% Low appetite = 9% Nausea = 8% Hyperthyroidism (4%, n = 9) <u>Diarrhea (7%, n = 15)</u> Rash (8%, n = 17) Pneumonitis (1%, n = 3)	Total = 53% (n = 121) Diarrhea (<1%, n = 1) Rash (0%, n = 0) Hyperthyroidism (<1%, n = 1)
Atezolizumab (MPDL3280A)	Herbst (2014)	I	Multiple solid tumors + hematologic malignancies	277	0.01–20 mg/kg every 3 weeks	Total = 70% (n = 194) Fatigue (24%, n = 67) Low appetite (12%, n = 33) Rash (11%, n = 29) Influenza-like illness (6%, n = 16) AST/ALT elevation (4%, n = 10) Tumor lysis syndrome (<1%, n = 2)	Total = 13% (n = 35) Fatigue (2%, n = 5) Low appetite (0%, n = 0) Rash (0%, n = 0) Influenza-like illness (<1%, n = 1) AST/ALT elevation (2%, n = 6) Tumor lysis syndrome (<1%, n = 2)
	Powles (2014)	I	Urothelial carcinoma	68	15 mg/kg every 3 weeks × 1 year	Total = 57% (n = 39) Low appetite (12%, n = 8) Fatigue (12%, n = 8) Pyrexia (12%, n = 8) Influenza-like illness (4%, n = 3) <u>Thrombocytopenia (3%, n = 2)</u>	Total = 4% (n = 3) Asthenia (1.5%, n = 1) Thrombocytopenia (1.5%, n = 1) Phosphorus elevation (1.5%, n = 1)



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Nivolumab

Weber (2015)	III	Ipilimumab-refractory melanoma	272	3 mg/kg every 2 weeks versus chemotherapy	Total = 67% (n = 181) Fatigue (25%, n = 67) Pruritus (16%, n = 43) Diarrhea (11%, n = 30) Nausea (9%, n = 25)	Total = 9% (n = 24) Lipase elevation (1%, n = 3) ALT elevation (1%, n = 2) Anemia (1%, n = 2) Fatigue (1%, n = 2)
Brahmer	III	NSCLC (squamous)	131	3 mg/kg every 2 weeks versus docetaxel	Total = 58% (n = 76) Fatigue (16%, n = 21) Low appetite (14%, n = 11) Asthenia (10%, n = 13) Diarrhea (8%, n = 10) Pneumonitis (5%, n = 6) Hypothyroidism (4%, n = 5)	Total = 7% (n = 9) Fatigue (<1%, n = 1) Low appetite (<1%, n = 1) Leucopenia (<1%, n = 1) Pneumonitis (<1%, n = 1) Colitis (<1%, n = 1) Interstitial nephritis (<1%, n = 1)

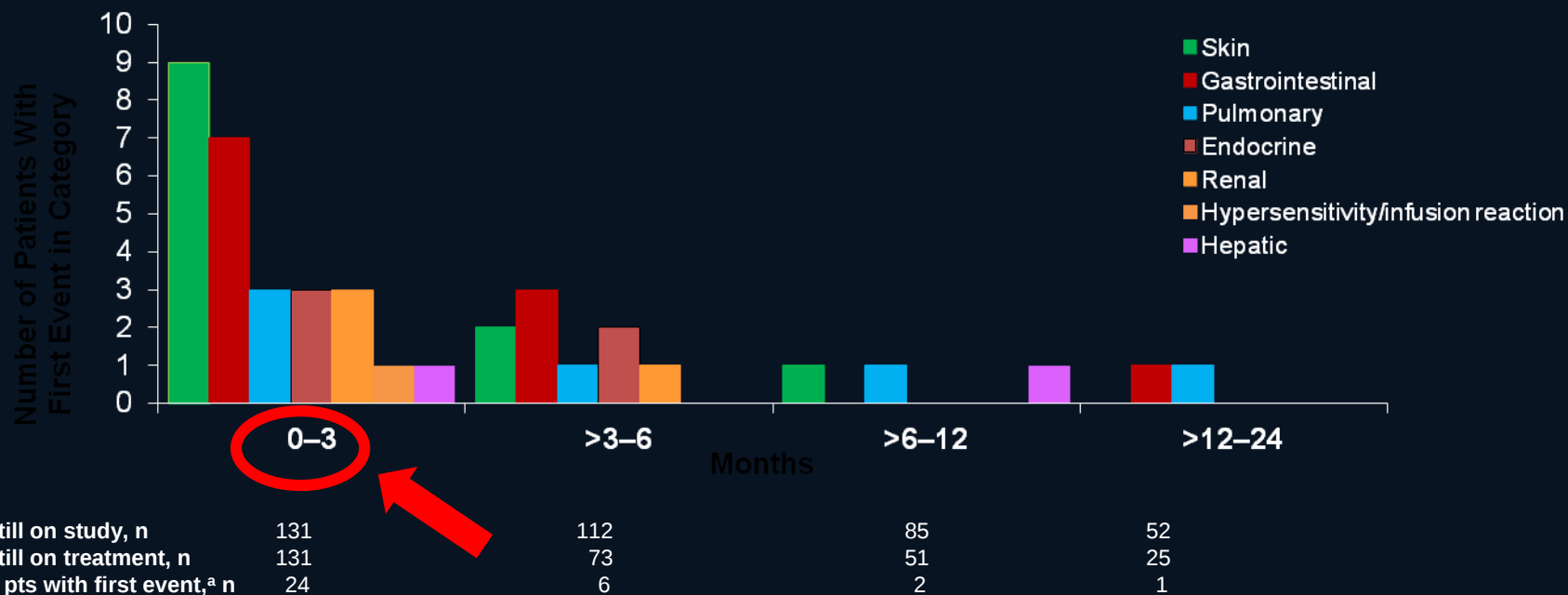
Pembrolizumab

Ribas (2015)	II	Melanoma	357	2 or 10 mg/kg every 3 weeks versus standard chemotherapy	Total = 71% (n = 252) Fatigue (26%, n = 92) Pruritus (22%, n = 79) Rash (8%, n = 29) Hypothyroidism (6%, n = 22) Pneumonitis (1%, n = 3)	Total = 13% (n = 45) Fatigue (<1%, n = 2) Myalgia (<1%, n = 2) Edema (<1%, n = 2) Colitis (<1%, n = 2) Hypophysitis (<1%, n = 2) Pneumonitis (<1%, n = 2)
Robert (2015)	III	Untreated melanoma	556	10 mg/kg every 2 or 3 weeks versus ipilimumab	Total = 76% (n = 423) Fatigue (20%, n = 111) Pruritus (14%, n = 79) Rash (14%, n = 77) Hypothyroidism (9%, n = 52) Hyperthyroidism (5%, n = 27) Colitis (3%, n = 15) Hepatitis (1%, n = 8) Pneumonitis (1%, n = 6) Uveitis (<0.1%, n = 4)	Total = 12% (n = 65) Colitis (2%, n = 11) Diarrhea (n = 10) Hepatitis (n = 8) Hypophysitis (n = 2) Pneumonitis (n = 1) Type 1 diabetes (n = 1)



CheckMate 017: Updated Safety

Time to Onset of First Treatment-related Select AE With Nivolumab by Category (Any Grade)



- The majority of patients who experienced treatment-related select AEs with nivolumab experienced their first event within the first 3 months of treatment



Immunoterapia in combinazione

Agent	Author(s)	Phase	Tumor type	Total patients (N)	Treatment schedule	Treatment-related toxicities (grade 1-5)	Grade 3-4 treatment-related toxicities
<u>Pembrolizumab + ipilimumab</u>	Patnaik et al. [37]	I	NSCLC	18	P (2 or 10 mg/kg every 3 weeks) + I (1 or 3 mg/kg every 3 weeks × 4) + maintenance P	Total = 83% (n = 15) Fatigue (33%, n = 4) Low appetite (17%, n = 2) Pruritus (17%, n = 2) Rash (17%, n = 2) Myasthenia gravis (6%, n = 1) Myocarditis (6%, n = 1) Pneumonitis (6%, n = 1) Uveitis (6%, n = 1)	Total = 17% (n = 3) Rash (17%, n = 2) Adrenal insufficiency (6%, n = 1)
<u>MEDI4736 + tremelimumab</u>	Antonia et al. [38]	Ib	NSCLC	102	M (3-20 mg/kg every 4 weeks or 10 mg/kg every 2 weeks) + T (1-3 mg/kg every 2 or 4 weeks × 6 doses) for 1 year	Total = 93% (n = 95) Diarrhea (27%, n = 28) Fatigue (26%, n = 27) Colitis (12%, n = 12) ALT elevation (10%, n = 10) AST elevation (6%, n = 6) Hypothyroidism (6%, n = 6) Pneumonitis (5%, n = 5)	Total = 61% (n = 66) Diarrhea (8%, n = 8) Colitis (9%, n = 9) ALT elevation (3%, n = 3) AST elevation (4%, n = 4) Myasthenia gravis (n = 1) Polymyositis (n = 1) Pneumonitis (4%, n = 4) Hypothyroidism (1%, n = 1)
<u>Chemotherapy</u> <u>Nivolumab + platinum-doublet chemotherapy</u>	Antonia et al. [39]	I	NSCLC	56	N (10 mg/kg every 3 weeks or 5 mg/kg every 3 weeks) + chemotherapy × 4) + N alone (10 mg/kg every 3 weeks or 5 mg/kg every 3 weeks)	Total = 93% (n = 52) Fatigue (71%, n = 40) Nausea (46%, n = 26) Low appetite (36%, n = 20) Alopecia (30%, n = 17) Pneumonitis (13%, n = 7)	Total = 45% (n = 25) Fatigue (5%, n = 3) Anemia (4%, n = 2) Rash (4%, n = 2) Acute renal failure (5%, n = 3) Pneumonitis (7%, n = 4)
<u>Targeted therapy</u> <u>Durvalumab + AZD9291</u>	Oxnard et al. [40]	Ib	EGFR-mutant T790M-positive NSCLC	14	M (3 or 10 mg/kg every 2 weeks) + A (80 mg daily)	Total: not reported ^b Diarrhea (50%, n = 7) Vomiting (50%, n = 7) Anemia (45%, n = 6) Pneumonitis (21%, n = 3)	Total: 1% (n = 2) ^b Neutropenia = 2
<u>Durvalumab + gefitinib</u>	Creelan et al. [41]	Ib	NSCLC	10	M (3 or 10 mg/kg every 4 weeks) + G (250 mg daily) × 1 year	Total = 100% (n = 10) ALT elevation (50%, n = 5) AST elevation (50%, n = 5) Diarrhea (50%, n = 5)	Total = 30% (n = 3) Dyspnea (1%, n = 1) Fatigue (1%, n = 1) ALT elevation (1%, n = 1)



Review

Optimal management of immune-related toxicities associated with checkpoint inhibitors in lung cancer



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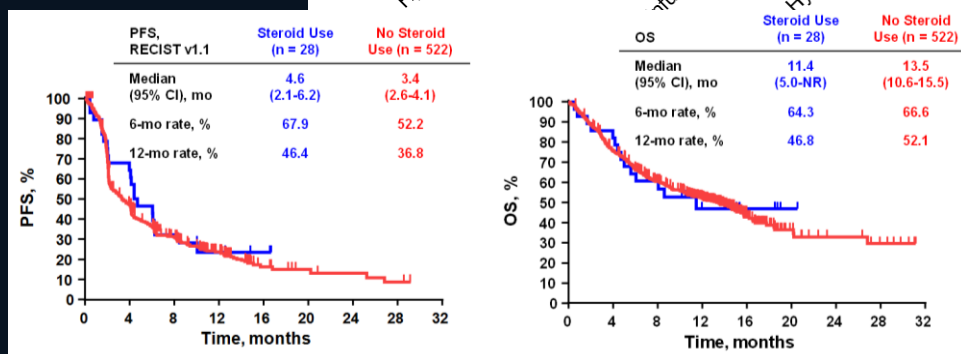
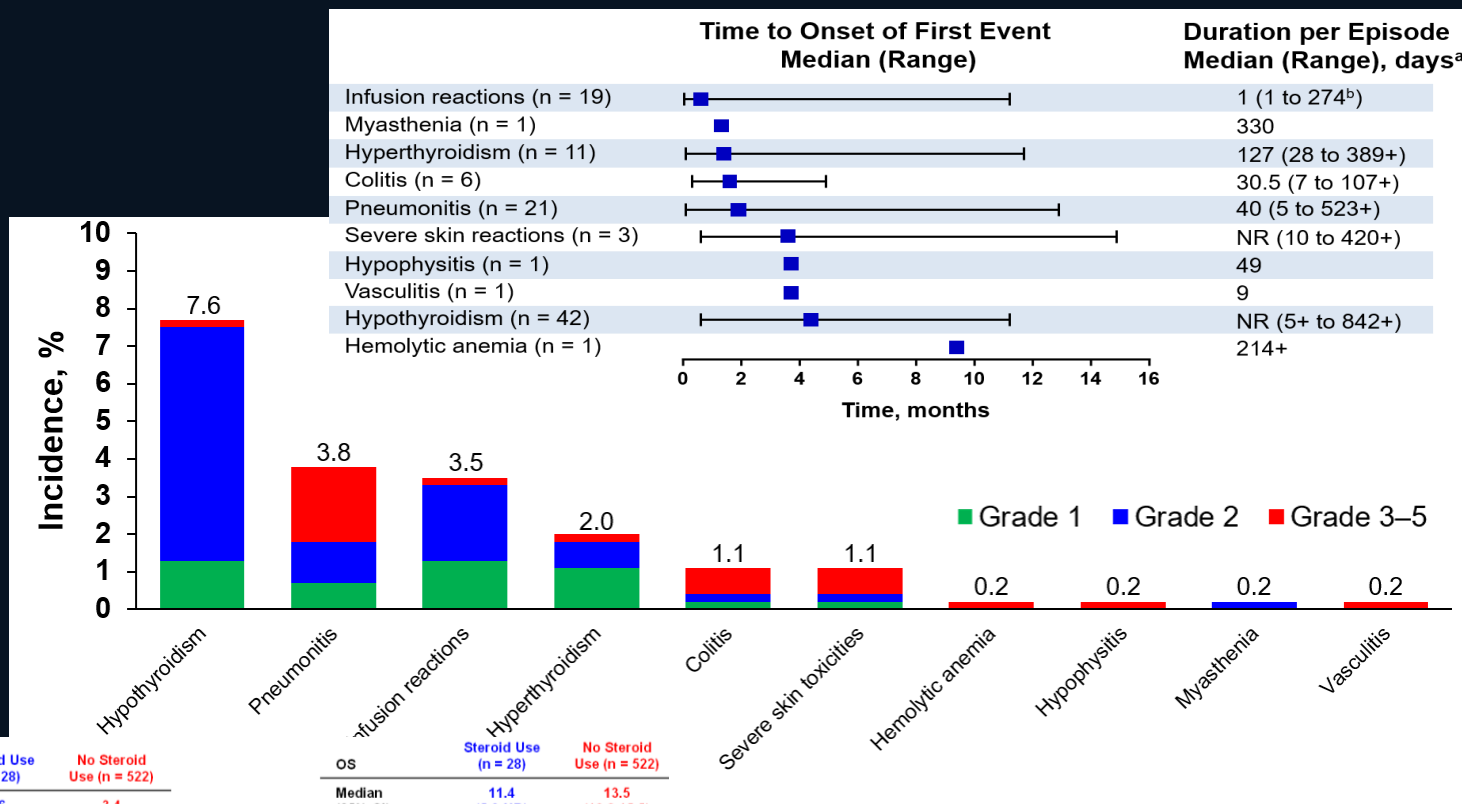
General management algorithm for immune related toxicity.

CTCAE grade	Management
1	• Supportive treatment • <u>Increased monitoring of symptoms</u> • Exclude infection • <u>Patient education</u>
2	As per grade 1 but in addition: • Withhold immunotherapy until toxicity has resolved to grade 1 or less • <u>Consider oral steroids if persistent symptoms >5 days</u>
3	• Supportive therapy • Commence intravenous steroids (typical dose 1–2 mg/kg methylprednisolone) • If not resolving within 48 h consider addition of other immunosuppressants (e.g. infliximab, mycophenolate) • Consider system specific investigations (e.g. colonoscopy) • Seek expert opinion of relevant specialist • Investigate and treat infection • Withhold immunotherapy, consider restarting if toxicity grade 1 or less on individual basis • Steroids will need to be tapered over 3–6 weeks
4	• As for grade 3 but permanently discontinue immunotherapy



Pembro: Immune-Related Events & Steroids

KEYNOTE-001, Data from 505 pts



CHECKMATE 057

NIVO vs DOC non squamous 2nd line

Would it be better than the BEST CURRENT RESULT in ADENO?
i.e. DOC + Antiangiogenics

INDIRECT COMPARISON

	DOC + ANTI ANGIOGENIC		NIVO	TEST FOR INTERACTION χ_2 1.14 p 0.29
	REVEL	LUME-LUNG1	CM-057	
HR-OS	0.83	0.83	0.73	
CI95%	0.71-0.97	0.70-0.99	0.59-0.89	
P	0.020	0.0359	0.00155	



Toxicity: pre-treated advanced NSCLC

Treatment related AEs (%)	Nivolumab squamous	Nivolumab non-squamous	Atezolizumab all comers	Ramucirumab + docetaxel*	Nintedanib + docetaxel
Any AE	58	69	67	98	94
Grade ≥ 3	7	10	11	79	71
Grade 5 (death)	0	0	0	5	5
Any AE leading to discontinuation	3	5	8	-	23

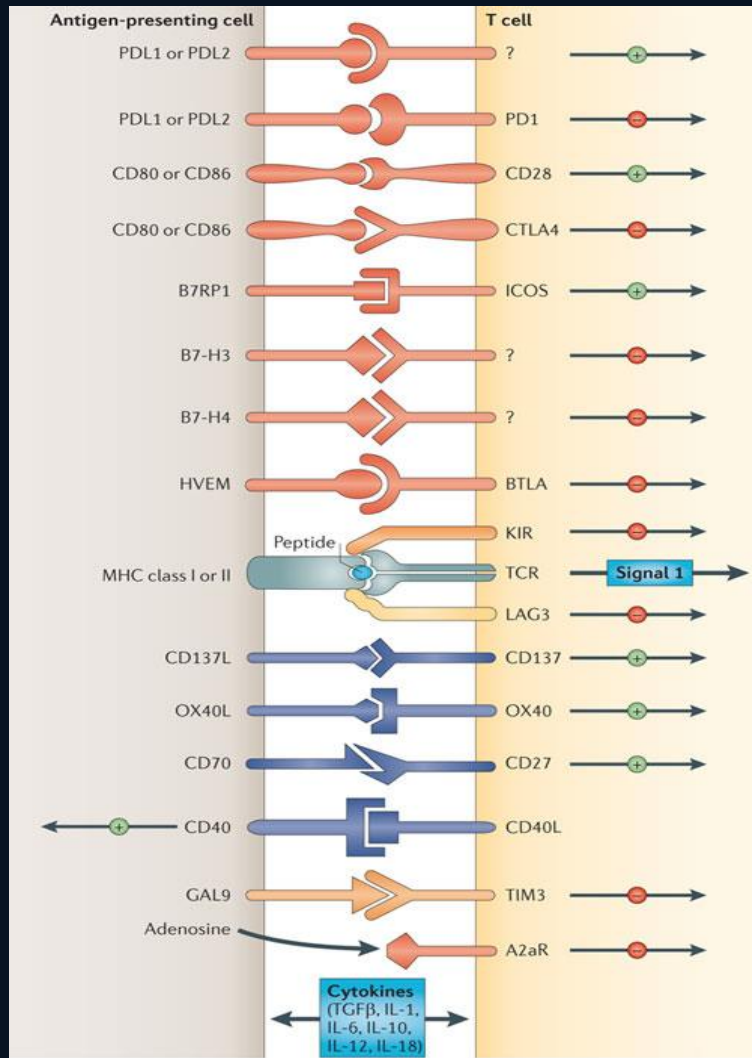


PD-1/PD-L1 inhibitors in Phase III clinical development for first-line advanced NSCLC

IMT	Target	PD-L1 selection criteria	Monotherapy/ combination	Comparator	Trials
Nivolumab	PD-1	PD-L1 unselected	Monotherapy or +ipilimumab	Platinum-doublet chemotherapy	Checkmate-227
		PD-L1+	Monotherapy	Chemotherapy (investigator choice)	Checkmate-026
Pembrolizumab	PD-1	PD-L1+	Monotherapy	Platinum-doublet chemotherapy	Keynote-042
		PD-L1 strong	Monotherapy	Platinum-doublet chemotherapy	Keynote-024
Durvalumab	PD-L1	PD-L1 unselected	Monotherapy or + tremelimumab	Platinum-doublet chemotherapy	MYSTIC
		PD-L1 unselected	+tremelimumab	Platinum-doublet chemotherapy	NEPTUNE
Atezolizumab	PD-L1	PD-L1 unselected	+ carboplatin/paclitaxel or + carboplatin/nab-paclitaxel	Carboplatin/ nab-paclitaxel	IMpower 131
		PD-L1 unselected	+carboplatin/paclitaxel +/-bevacizumab	Carboplatin/paclitaxel /bevacizumab	IMpower 150
		PD-L1 unselected	+carboplatin/nab-paclitaxel	Carboplatin/ nab-paclitaxel	IMpower130
		PD-L1+	Monotherapy	Carboplatin/pemetrexed or cisplatin/pemetrexed	IMpower110
		PD-L1+	Monotherapy	Carboplatin/gemcitabine or Cisplatin/gemcitabine	IMpower111



Regulation of T cell responses via multiple co-stimulatory and inhibitory interactions



- T cells require 2 signals from dendritic cells to become fully activated:
 - 1) binding of the MHC-antigen to the T-cell receptor **and**
 - 2) binding of costimulatory molecules expressed on mature dendritic cells (e.g., B7) to CD28 on the T cell.
- CTLA4 and PD-1 receptors are up-regulated following T-cell activation and bind to CD80 or PDL1 or 2, sending an inhibitory signal that down-regulates T-cell activation.



Nuovi farmaci e possibili combinazioni

B7 family member combinations

PD-1, CTLA-4

Novel immunoglobulin superfamily targets

TIM-3, LAG-3, VISTA

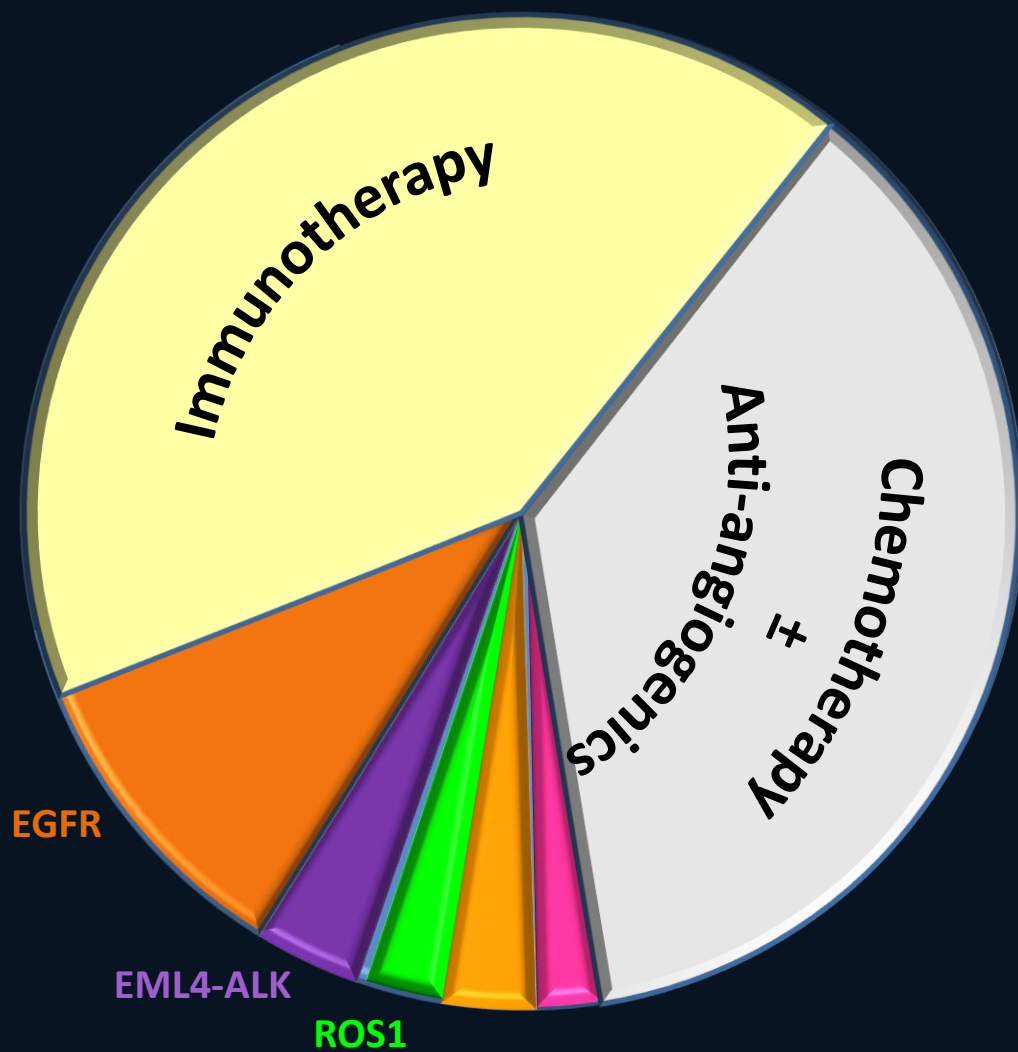
TNFR superfamily

OX40, GITR, CD137, CD27

Soluble inhibitors

IDO, arginase, adenosine





Conclusioni

- L'immunoterapia è una NUOVA arma terapeutica nel trattamento delle neoplasie del polmone

Biomarcatori

- L'istologia non è un criterio di selezione
- L' intensità di espressione di PD-L1 su tumore e su infiltrato è sicuramente un biomarcatore, ma non l' unico
- E' necessaria una armonizzazione della valutazione di PD-L1

Futuro

- Combinazioni (con chemio, TT, altre immunoterapie,etc)
- Definire **criteri di selezione e durata** dei trattamenti e



Grazie per la Vostra Attenzione !!!

