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**MAMMARIO:**

**QUALI NOVITÀ PER IL 2013?**

“Saper leggere” uno studio clinico per migliorare la pratica clinica

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# Metastasi cerebrali: Trattamento

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# Trattamento delle metastasi cerebrali

## 1. Locale

- Radioterapia panencefalica (WBRT)
- Chirurgia +/- WBRT
- Radiochirurgia/radioterapia stereotassica +/- WBRT

## 2. Sistemico

## 3. Di supporto

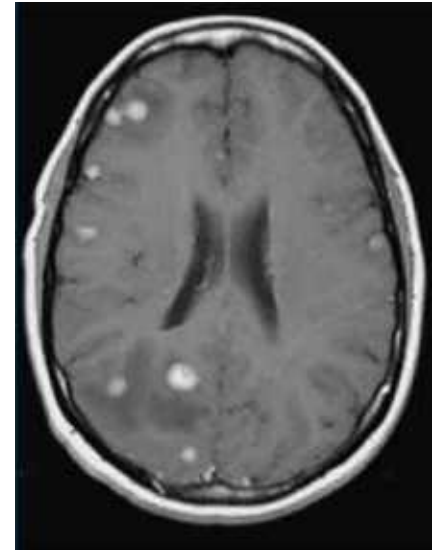
(t.steroidea e anticomiziale)



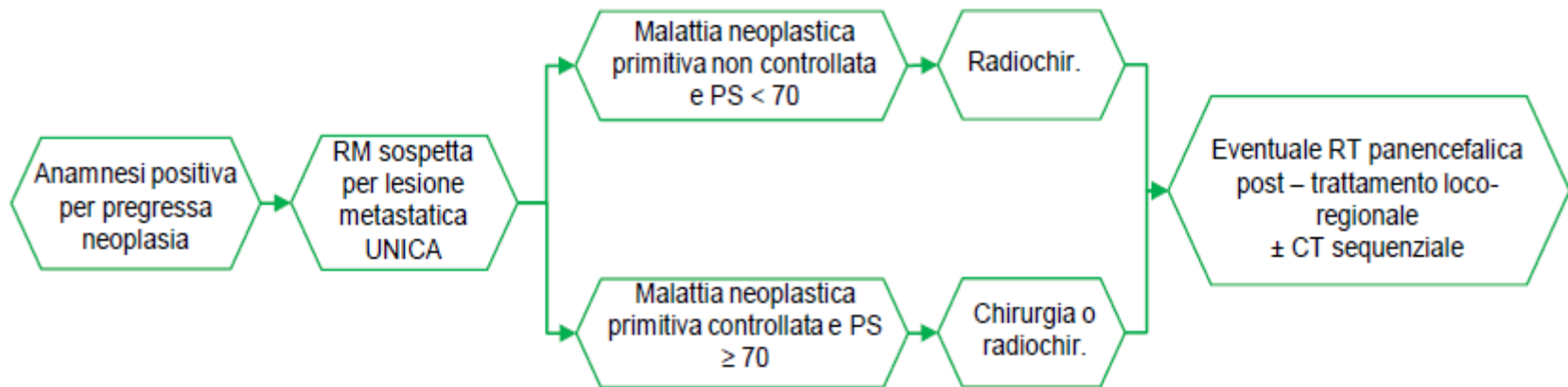
- Migliorare la qualità della vita
- Prolungare la sopravvivenza
- Controllare i sintomi neurologici

# Scelta del trattamento delle metastasi cerebrali

1. Lesioni cerebrali → numero, dimensioni e sede
2. Status della malattia extracranica
3. Performance Status



# Linee guida AIOM 2012: metastasi cerebrale **unica**

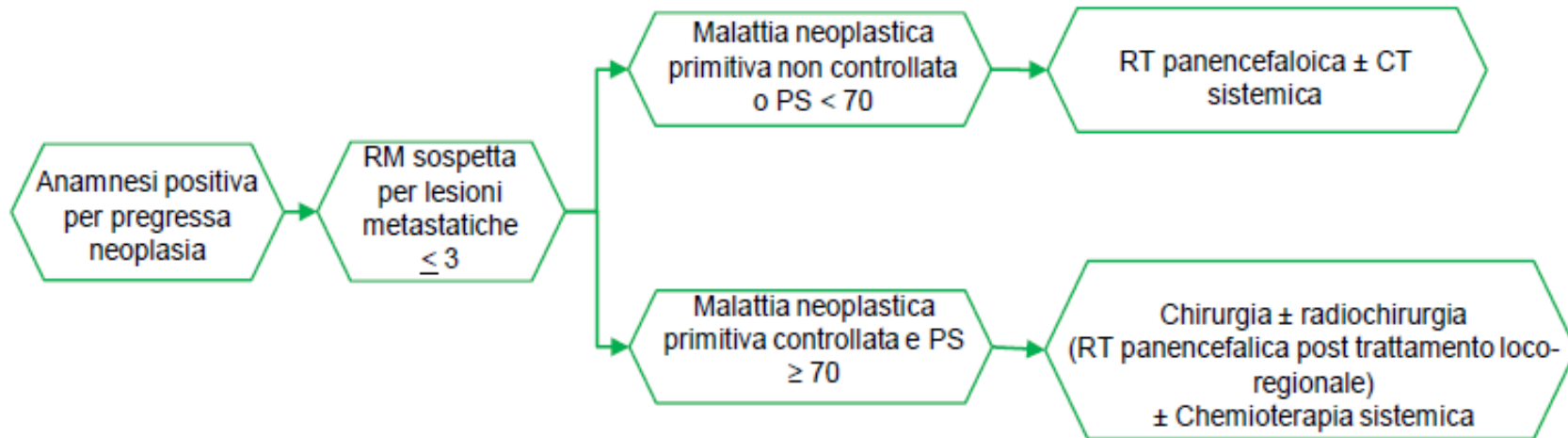


- **Due studi randomizzati<sup>1,2</sup> hanno dimostrato un beneficio in sopravvivenza della chirurgia rispetto alla radioterapia (9-10 mesi vs 3-6 mesi) e in riduzione delle recidive locali (dal 52% al 20%)**
- **Non ci sono studi di fase III di confronto tra chirurgia e radiochirurgia stereotassica**

1 Mintz AH et al. Cancer 1996;78:1470-1476

2 Vecht CJ et al. Ann Neurol 1993;33:583-590

# Linee guida AIOM 2012: metastasi cerebrali $\leq 3$



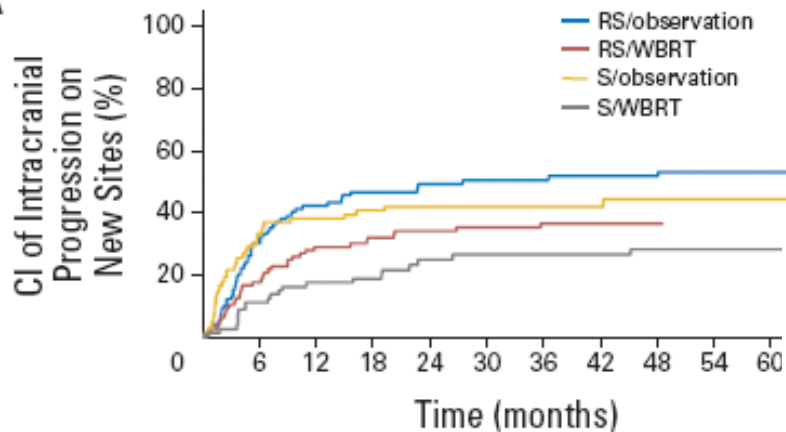
# Studi randomizzati di confronto tra chirurgia/radiocirurgia da sola o in combinazione con WBRT

| Studio   | T.locale    | NO WBRT                      |  |   | WBRT                         |  |   |
|----------|-------------|------------------------------|--|---|------------------------------|--|---|
|          |             | Recidiva<br>cerebrale<br>(%) | Recidiva<br>cerebrale<br>locale<br>(%) | Recidiva<br>cerebrale<br>a<br>distanza<br>(%) | Recidiva<br>cerebrale<br>(%) | Recidiva<br>cerebrale<br>locale<br>(%) | Recidiva<br>cerebrale<br>a<br>distanza<br>(%) |
| Patchell | CHIR        | 70                           | 68                                     | 60  | 24                           | 21                                     | 18  |
| Ayoama   | SRS         | 76                           | 27                                     | 64  | 47                           | 11                                     | 42  |
| Chang    | SRS         | 73                           | 33                                     | 55  | 27                           | 0                                      | 27  |
| Kocher   | CHIR<br>SRS | 78                           | 59                                     | 42  |                              | 27                                     | 23  |
|          |             |                              | 31                                     | 48  |                              | 19                                     | 33  |
| Range    |             | 70-78                        | 27-69                                  | 42-64   | 24-47                        | 0-27                                   | 18-42   |

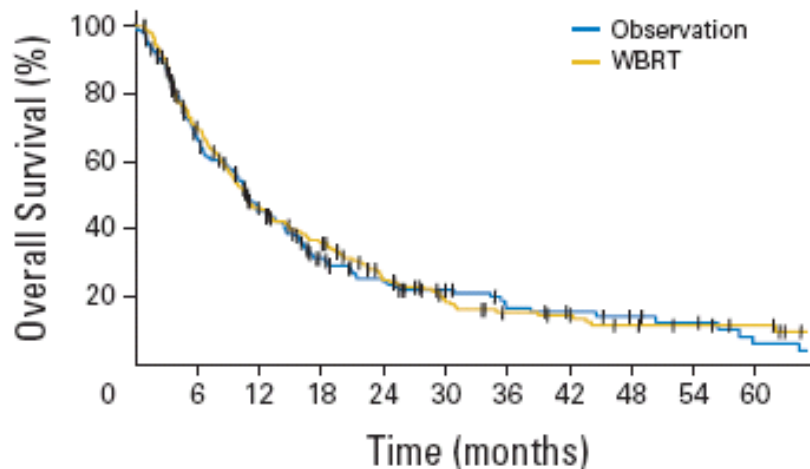
Patchell RA, et al. JAMA 1998;280:1485–1489  
Aoyama H, et al. JAMA 2006;295:2483–2491  
Chang EL, et al. Lancet Oncol 2009;10:1037–1044  
Kocher M, et al. JCO 2011;29:134–141

# Progressione intracranica e sopravvivenza globale

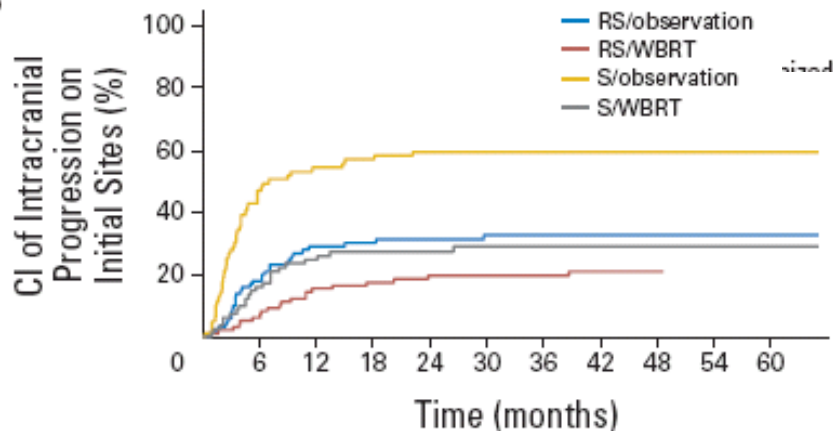
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| Randomized treatment | 0  | N   | No. of patients at risk |    |    |    |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|----------------------|----|-----|-------------------------|----|----|----|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| RS/observation       | 51 | 100 | 43                      | 16 | 9  | 6  | 3 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| RS/WBRT              | 35 | 99  | 59                      | 26 | 16 | 10 | 7 | 5 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| S/observation        | 34 | 79  | 23                      | 15 | 10 | 7  | 4 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| S/WBRT               | 21 | 81  | 47                      | 30 | 23 | 11 | 9 | 8 | 8 | 7 | 6 | 4 |



**B**



**N=359**

**1-3 metastasi cerebrali**

# Chirurgia/radiocirurgia in associazione a RT panencefalica?



- Chirurgia/RTchir + RT panencefalica  
↓ recidive intracraniche
- Mancano dati di vantaggio in sopravvivenza
- Peggioramento delle funzioni neurocognitive?

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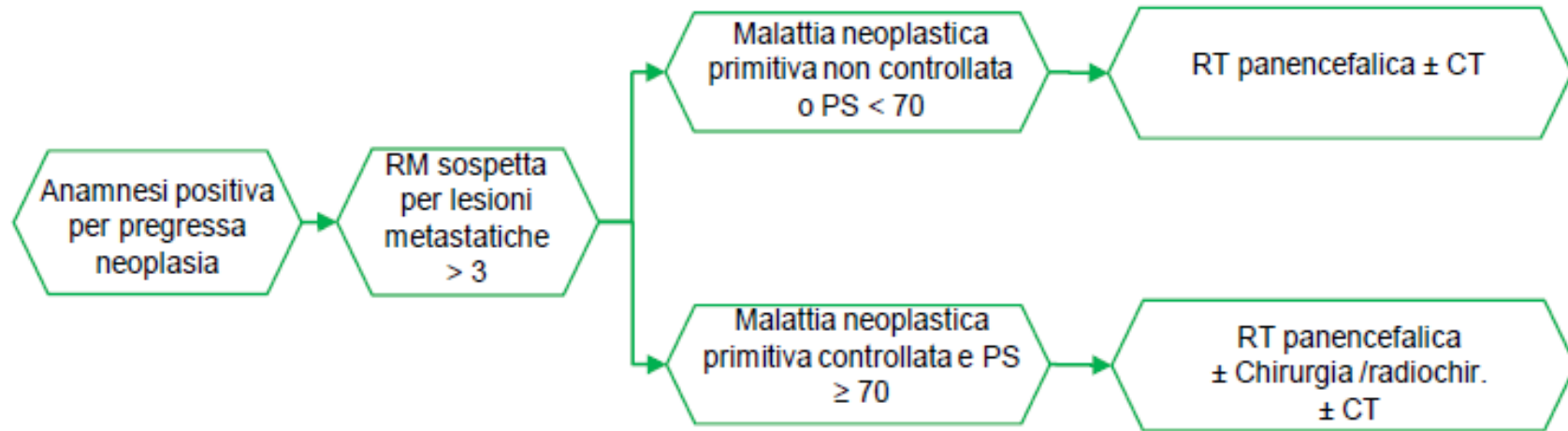
A European Organisation for Research and Treatment of Cancer Phase III Trial of Adjuvant Whole-Brain Radiotherapy Versus Observation in Patients With One to Three Brain Metastases From Solid Tumors After Surgical Resection or Radiosurgery: Quality-of-Life Results

Riccardo Soffiotti, University of Torino and San Giovanni Battista Hospital, Turin; Laura Fariselli, Fondazione Istituto Neurologico

Riccardo Soffiotti, Martin Kocher, Ufuk M. Abacioglu, Salvador Villa, François Fauchon, Brigitta G. Baumert, Luca Fariselli, Toshiaki Terauchi, Ralf Dietz, Kenji Higashi, Christian G. Geis, Michael P. Harsh, Lutz



# Linee guida AIOM 2012: metastasi cerebrali > 3



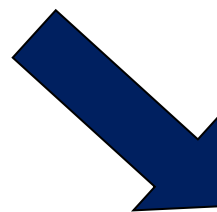
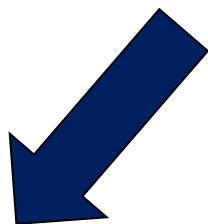
RT panencefalica: dose totale 30-40 Gy in 10-15 frazioni



# **TERAPIA SISTEMICA DELLE METASTASI CEREBRALI**

- 1. Quale trattamento?**
- 2. Quando iniziare?**

# 1- Quale trattamento?



**HER-2+**

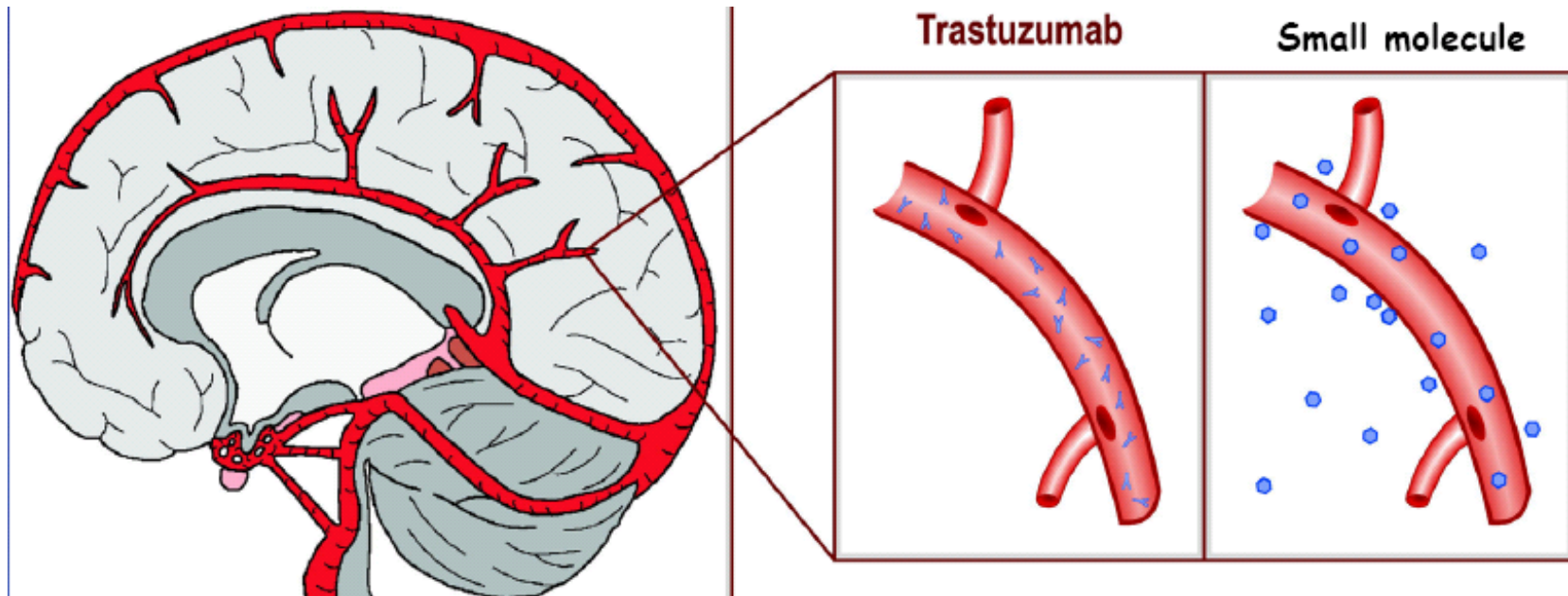
- 1. Chemioterapia + trastuzumab**
- 2. Lapatinib + capecitabina**
- 3. Chemioterapia da sola**
- 4. Nuovi farmaci?**

**HER-2 -**

- 1. Chemioterapia da sola**
- 2. Nuovi farmaci?**

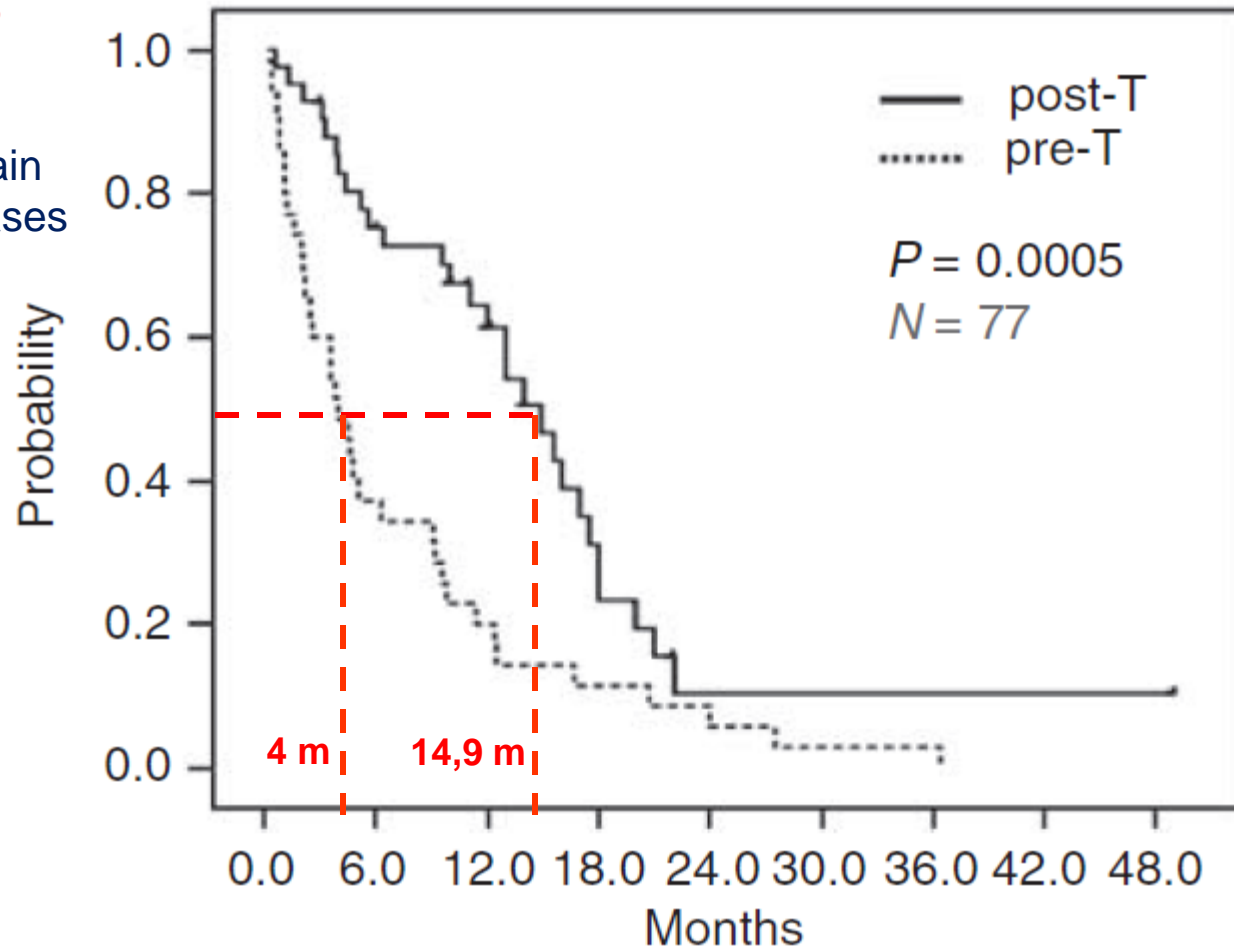
- Valutare PS e precedenti trattamenti effettuati

# Capacità degli anticorpi monoclonali e delle piccole molecole di attraversare la barriera emato-encefalica

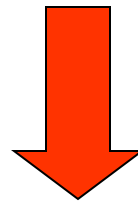


# Continuare trastuzumab dopo l'insorgenza di metastasi cerebrali migliora la prognosi

**Time to Death (TTD)**  
from brain metastases



Tuttavia circa metà delle pazienti con carcinoma mammario HER2+ muore per progressione cerebrale<sup>1,2</sup>



Necessità di altre terapie efficaci oltre trastuzumab

1 Lin NU, et al. Clin Cancer Res 2007;13:1648-1655

2 Bendell JC, et al. Cancer 2003;97:2972-2977

# Lapatinib: efficacia nel trattamento delle metastasi cerebrali

| STUDIO   | N   | Precedente RT encefalo | Precedente trastuzumab | Precedente Cape | Criterio Risposta           | ORR SNC      | TTP-PFS (mesi) | OS (mesi) |
|--|-----|------------------------|------------------------|-----------------|-----------------------------|--------------|----------------|-----------|
| <b>Boccardo F</b> ,<br>ASCO 2008<br><b>Capri G</b> ,<br>Ann Oncol 2010 | 138 | NR                     | SI                     | SI<br>(42%)     | Investigator<br>-assessed   | <b>18%</b>   | 2,8            | NR        |
| <b>Sutherland S</b><br>BJC 2010  | 34  | SI<br>(94%)            | SI                     | SI<br>(35%)     | RECIST                      | <b>21%</b>   | 5,1            | NR        |
| <b>Huang C</b><br>ASCO 2010  | 26  | SI<br>(100%)           | SI                     | NO              | RECIST                      | <b>34%</b>   | 8,4            | NR        |
| <b>Metro G</b><br>Ann Oncol 2011                                       | 22  | SI<br>(87%)            | SI                     | NO              | WHO                         | <b>32%</b>   | 5,1            | 27.9      |
| <b>Lin NU</b> ,<br>CCR 2009  | 50* | SI<br>(100%)           | SI                     | NO              | Compositi<br>(↓vol<br>≥50%) | <b>20%</b>   | 3,6            | NR        |
| <b>Lin NU</b> ,<br>J Neurooncol<br>2011                                | 13  | SI<br>(100%)           | SI                     | NO              | Compositi<br>(↓vol<br>≥50%) | <b>38%</b>   | NR             | NR        |
| <b>Bachelot T</b> ,<br>Lancet 2013                                     | 45  | <b>NO</b>              | SI<br>(93%)            | NO              | Compositi<br>(↓vol<br>≥50%) | <b>65,9%</b> | 5,5            | 17        |

Prosp.  
Fase II

## 2- Quando iniziare la terapia sistemica?

1-3 lesioni cerebrali



**Trattamento  
locale**



**Terapia  
sistemica**

Metastasi cerebrali multiple (>3)



**WBRT**



**Terapia  
sistemica**



**Terapia  
sistemica**



**WBRT**



# Studio LANDSCAPE: terapia sistemica up-front

- Studio di fase II, in aperto, multicentrico
- Almeno una metastasi cerebrale misurabile  $\geq 1$  cm (no metastasi cerebrale singola)
- NO precedente trattamento radioterapico panencefalico o stereotassico
- Lapatinib 1250 mg/os/die + capecitabina 2000 mg/mq/os gg.1-14 (cicli ogni 21 gg) fino a progressione o tossicità inaccettabile
- **End-point principale: risposte obiettive SNC definite come  $\downarrow \geq 50\%$**

# Studio LANDSCAPE:

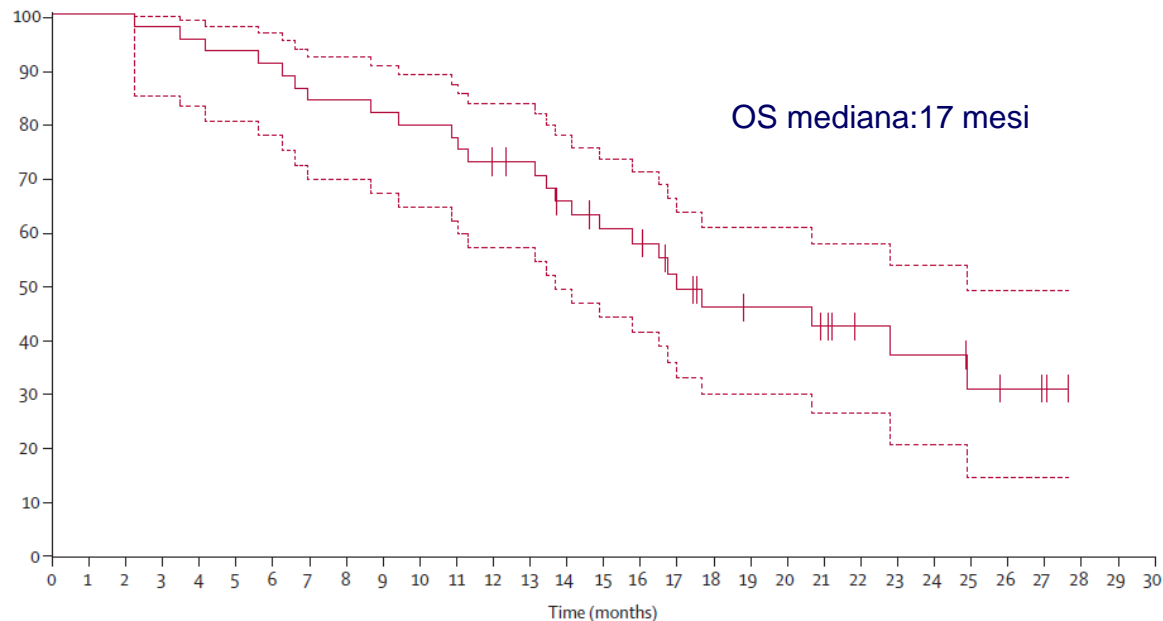
Risposte  
obiettive SNC

| Patients (n=44)   |          |
|-------------------|----------|
| ≥80% reduction    | 9 (20%)  |
| 50–<80% reduction | 20 (45%) |
| 20–<50% reduction | 6 (14%)  |
| 0–<20% reduction  | 2 (5%)   |
| Progression*      | 7 (16%)  |

\*Two patients had progression outside of the CNS.

**Table 3: Objective CNS response in assessable patients**

Sopravvivenza  
globale



# Lapatinib e prevenzione delle metastasi cerebrali: studio CEREBEL

## Study design

### Key eligibility

- HER2+ MBC\*
- Prior anthracyclines or taxanes
- Any line therapy
- No CNS metastases\*\*
- Evaluable systemic dx

### Stratification

- Prior trastuzumab
  - yes vs no
- Prior MBC tx
  - 0 vs  $\geq 1$

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### Phase III Planned N=650

Lapatinib 1250 mg/day  
+  
Capecitabine 2000 mg/m<sup>2</sup>/day, days 1-14 q21 days

Trastuzumab 6 mg/kg q21 days  
+  
Capecitabine 2500 mg/m<sup>2</sup>/day, days 1-14 q21 days

\*FISH+/IHC 3+

\*\*No CNS metastases at baseline confirmed by independently reviewed MRI scan

Pivot et al, SABCS 2011 : 20% failure at screening with MRI

End-point principale: incidenza delle metastasi cerebrali come primo sito di recidiva; secondari: PFS, OS, ORR, CBR, tempo alla prima progressione cerebrale, incidenza delle progressioni cerebrali, sicurezza

# Studio **CEREBEL**: risultati

## Primary endpoint: CNS endpoints (modified ITT)

|  | Lapatinib +<br>capecitabine<br>(N=251) | Trastuzumab +<br>capecitabine<br>(N=250) | OR (95% CI)          | p-value |
|--|--|--|----------------------|---------|
| CNS as first site of relapse, n (%)                | 8 (3)                                  | 12 (5)                                   | 0.65<br>(0.26, 1.63) | 0.360   |
| Incidence of CNS progression<br>at any time, n (%) | 17 (7)                                 | 15 (6)                                   | 1.14<br>(0.52, 2.51) | 0.8646  |
| Time to first CNS progression,<br>median (range)   | 5.7 (2-17)                             | 4.4 (2-27)                               | -                    | -       |

# Studio **CEREBEL**: conclusioni

## Conclusions (1)

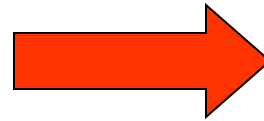
- Inconclusive for primary endpoint (CNS as first site of relapse)
  - There was a low incidence of brain metastases as the first site of progression in both arms
  - These are the first prospective data in subjects with HER2-positive MBC showing an approximate 20% incidence of asymptomatic brain metastases  
*(Pivot et al 2011)*
- In the ITT population, PFS was longer for those who received trastuzumab plus capecitabine
- In the trastuzumab naïve group, trastuzumab plus capecitabine had superior efficacy
- In the group previously treated by trastuzumab no superiority was observed

# Nuovi farmaci

| Trial  | Planned accrual | Population  | Treatment   | Primary endpoint(s)              | Status                  |
|--|-----------------|---|---|----------------------------------|-------------------------|
| <b>Trastuzumab</b>                               |                 |   |   |                                  |                         |
| Phase I/II<br>(NCT00397501)                      | 78              | HER2-positive or HER2-negative MBC with CNS or brain metastases   | Trastuzumab, methotrexate, and carboplatin with osmotic BBB disruption                                | OS                               | Not yet recruiting      |
| Phase II<br>(NCT01363986)                        | 66              | HER2-positive breast cancer and $\geq 1$ measurable brain metastasis  | Trastuzumab plus WBRT   | Brain RR                         | Recruiting              |
| <b>Afatinib</b>                                  |                 |   |   |                                  |                         |
| Phase II [100]<br>(NCT01441596;<br>LUX-breast 3) | 120             | HER2-positive MBC with CNS metastasis ( $\geq 1$ measurable brain lesion)   | Afatinib, afatinib/vinorelbine, or investigator's choice of therapy                                   | Benefit at 12 weeks <sup>a</sup> | Recruiting              |
| <b>Lapatinib</b>                                 |                 |   |   |                                  |                         |
| Phase I<br>(NCT00614978;<br>LAPTEM)              | 18              | HER2-positive MBC with recurrent or progressive brain metastases after surgery, WBRT, or SRS (or unsuitable for these standard treatments)  | Lapatinib plus temozolomide   | MTD and DLT                      | Ongoing, not recruiting |
| Phase I<br>(NCT00470847)                         | 39              | HER2-positive MBC, $\geq 1$ parenchymal brain lesion, and CNS progression   | Lapatinib plus WBRT   | MTD and feasibility              | Ongoing, not recruiting |
| <b>Neratinib</b>                                 |                 |   |   |                                  |                         |
| Phase II<br>(NCT01494662)                        | 45              | HER2-positive MBC, $\geq 1$ parenchymal brain lesion, and any number and type of prior therapy (other than neratinib) allowed   | Neratinib (progressive brain metastases) or neratinib/surgical resection (if eligible for craniotomy) |                                  | Recruiting              |
| <b>Everolimus</b>                                |                 |   |   |                                  |                         |
| Phase II<br>(NCT01305941)                        | 35              | HER2-positive breast cancer with brain metastases ( $\geq 1$ measurable brain lesion), and any number and type of prior therapy (other than mTOR inhibitors or Navelbine) allowed | Everolimus plus trastuzumab and vinorelbine   | Intracranial RR <sup>b</sup>     | Recruiting              |

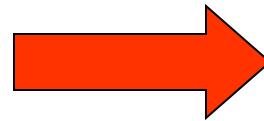
# Conclusioni

- Mal. extracranica controllata
- Metastasi cerebrali  $\leq 3$
- PS buono



Chirurgia/radioterapia stereotassica +/- RT panencefalica → terapia sistemica\*

- Mal. extracranica NON controllata
- Metastasi cerebrali  $> 3$
- PS scarso



RT panencefalica → event. terapia sistemica\*

\* Nelle pz HER2+: chemioterapia + terapia anti-HER2