



Innovation in SWOG Treatment Trials: Breast and Lung Cancer

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SWOG 8814 (Breast Intergroup Trial 0100): Adjuvant Chemohormonal Therapy for ER+, LN+ Primary Breast Cancer

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SWOG 8814: Adjuvant Chemohormonal Therapy

Postmenopausal, Node+, ER+ Breast Cancer

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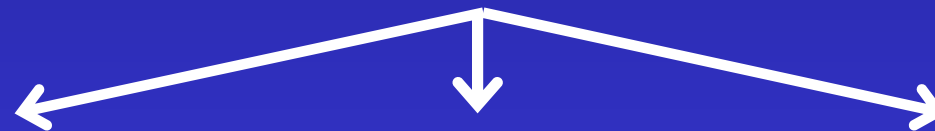
Nodes 1-3+ vs 4+

PR+(ER+ or ER-) vs PR-(ER+)

Time from surgery ≤ 6 vs $>6-12$ weeks



RANDOMIZE (2:3:3) n = 1477



Tamoxifen
(n = 361)

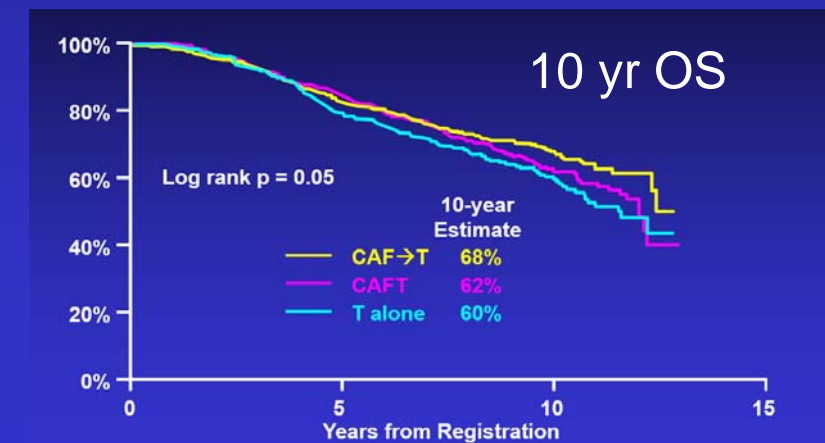
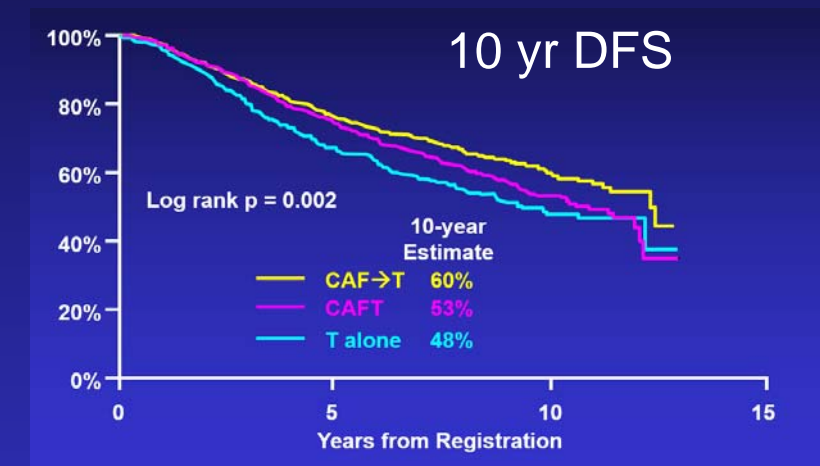
**CAF, then
tamoxifen**
(n = 550)

**CAF, concurrent
tamoxifen**
(n = 566)

SWOG 8814: Adjuvant Chemohormonal Therapy in Node-Positive Breast Cancer

Albain KS et al, Breast Cancer Res Treat 2005

- 1st objective: Tamoxifen +/- CAF
 - CAF + T (CAFT and CAF-T combined) superior to T alone
 - 12% absolute DFS benefit for CAF+ T over tamoxifen alone
 - **Chemotherapy plus endocrine therapy became standard of care for ER+, LN+ patients**
- 2nd objective: Concurrent (CAFT) vs Sequential (CAF → T)
 - Adjusted HRs favored CAF-T over CAFT
 - Estimated 16% improvement in DFS and 10% in OS by delaying tamoxifen until the completion of CAF vs concurrent use
 - **Sequential chemo followed by endocrine therapy became standard of care**
- Toxicities: More frequent in CAF + T groups than with T-alone
 - Neutropenia, stomatitis, thromboembolism, CHF, leukemia



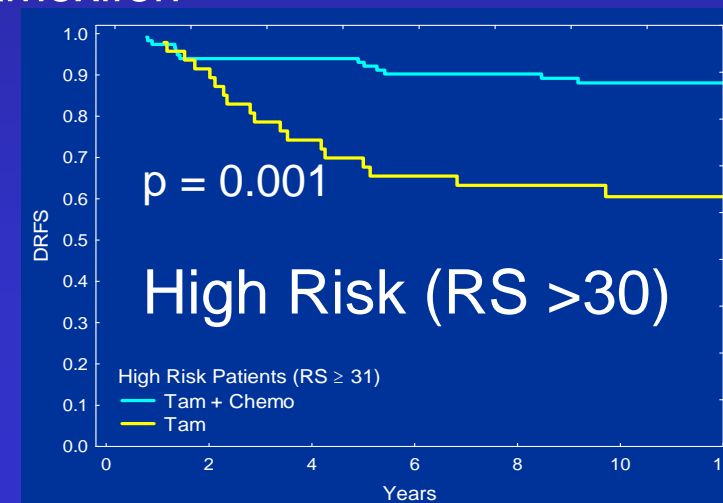
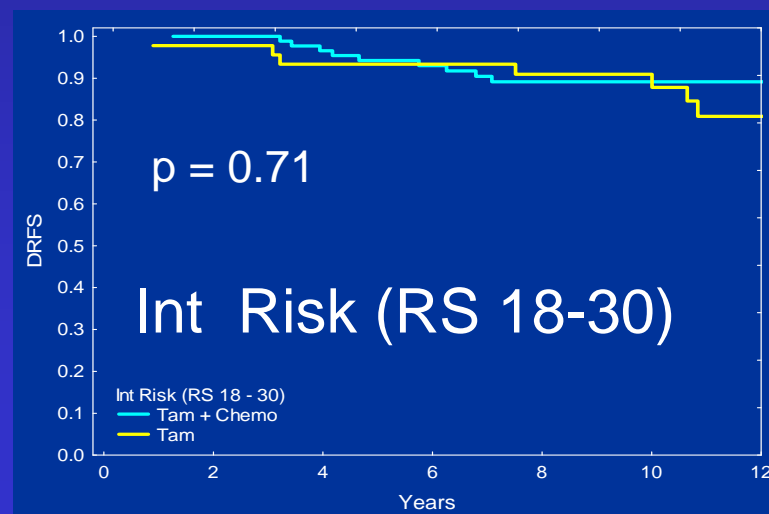
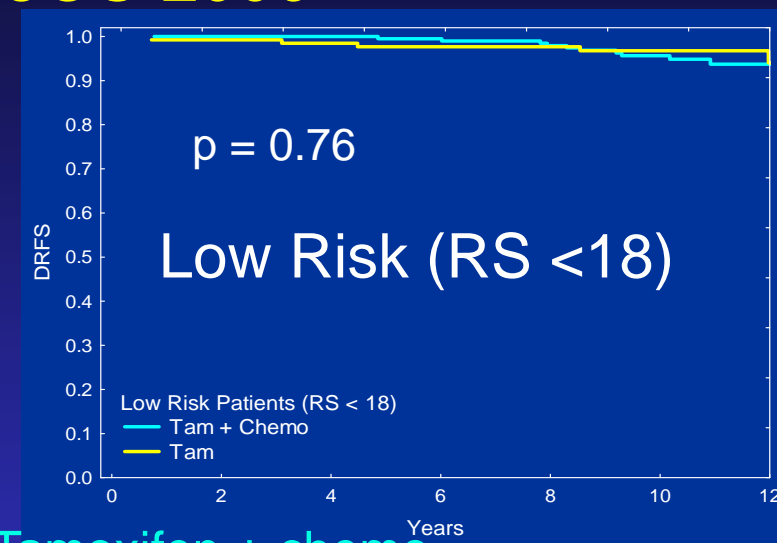
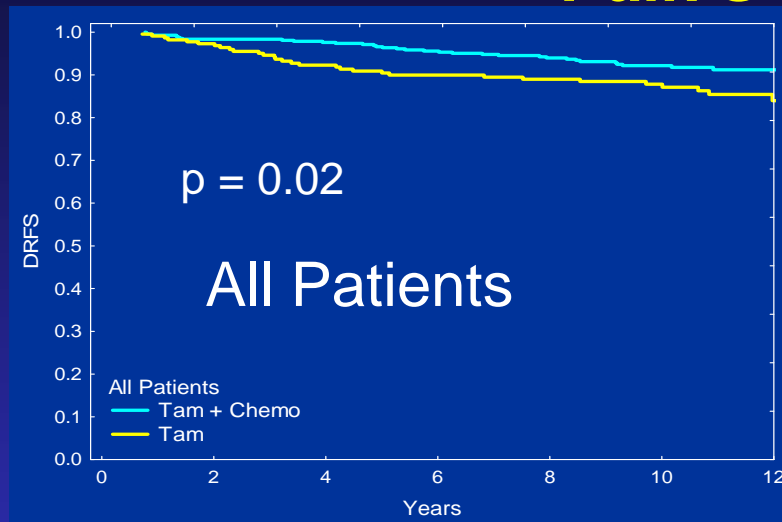
Chemotherapy for Early Stage Breast Cancer

- THE PAST (2000 NCI Consensus Development Conference on Adjuvant Breast Cancer)
 - *Chemotherapy should be offered to the majority of women with early stage breast cancer regardless of size, lymph node, menopausal or hormone receptor status*
- THE PRESENT AND FUTURE
 - Individualizing estimates of recurrence risk and chemotherapy benefit using genomic profiling
 - Not all patients/tumors benefit from chemotherapy!

NSABP B-20: 21-gene Recurrence Score Assay and Distant Disease Free Survival (Node Negative)

High Recurrence Score Group Benefits from Chemotherapy

Paik S et al, JCO 2006



Tamoxifen + chemo

Tamoxifen

PACCT-1/TAILORx: Prospective Validation Trial for 21-Gene Recurrence Score (Node Negative)

PI: J Sparano (SWOG co-PI D Hayes)
Sparano J et al, N Engl J Med 2015

Node Negative, ER+ and/or PR+, HER2-
Size: 1.1 - 5 cm (Int-High grade 0.6 - 1 cm allowed)

Recurrence Score Assay

RS < 11
Hormone
Therapy
Alone

At 69 mo f/up,
distant DFS
99.3%

RS 11-25
Randomize
Hormone Rx
vs.
Chemotherapy
+ Hormone Rx

RS > 25
Chemotherapy
+
Hormone Rx

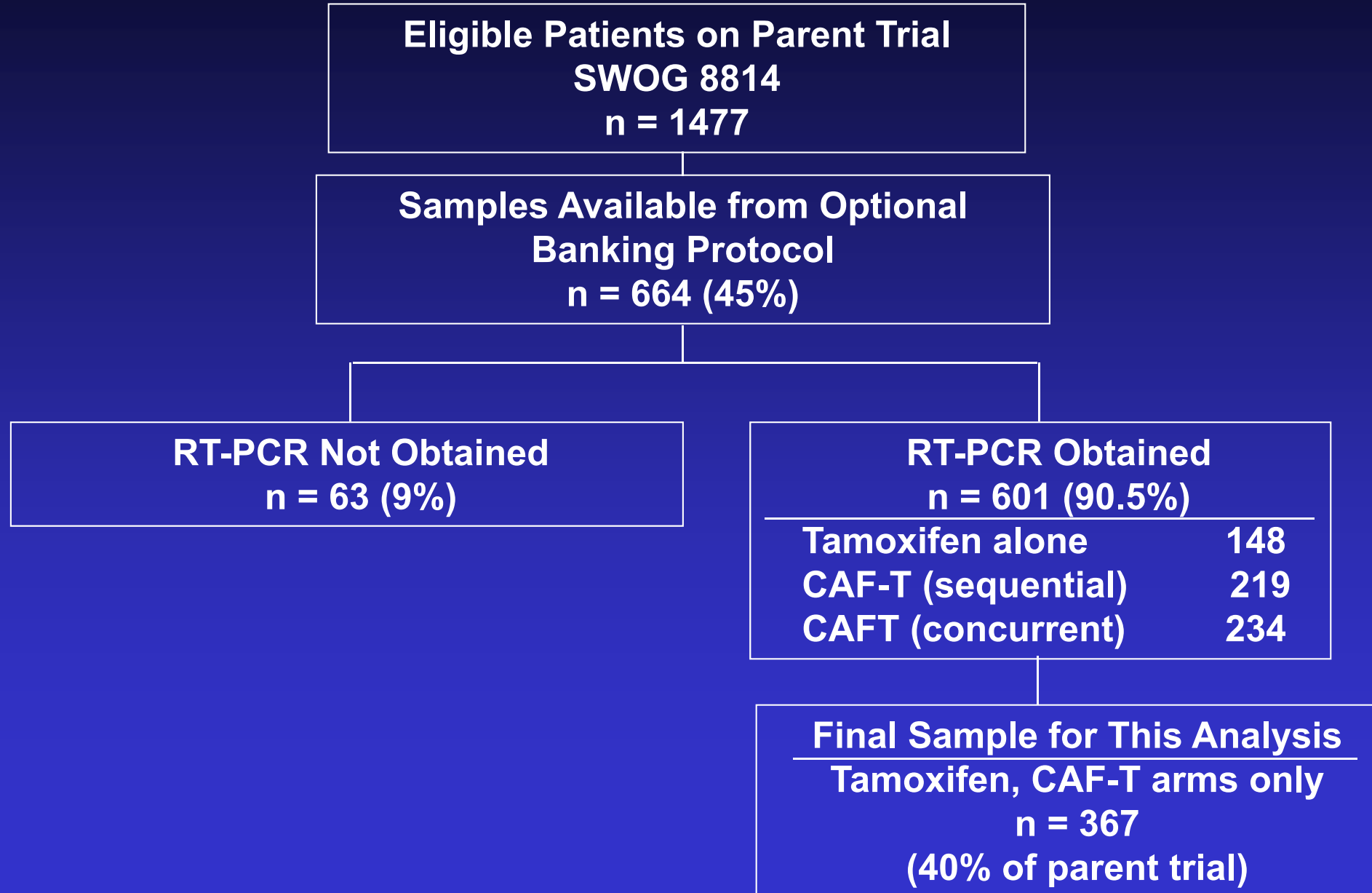
Closed 8/10
Accrual = 10,253

Conclusion from initial S8814 publication: *It might be possible to identify some subgroups that do not benefit from anthracycline-based chemotherapy despite positive nodes*

Prognostic and predictive value of the 21-gene recurrence score assay in postmenopausal women with node-positive, ER-positive breast cancer: a retrospective analysis of SWOG 8814

Albain KS et al, Lancet Oncology 11:55-65, 2010

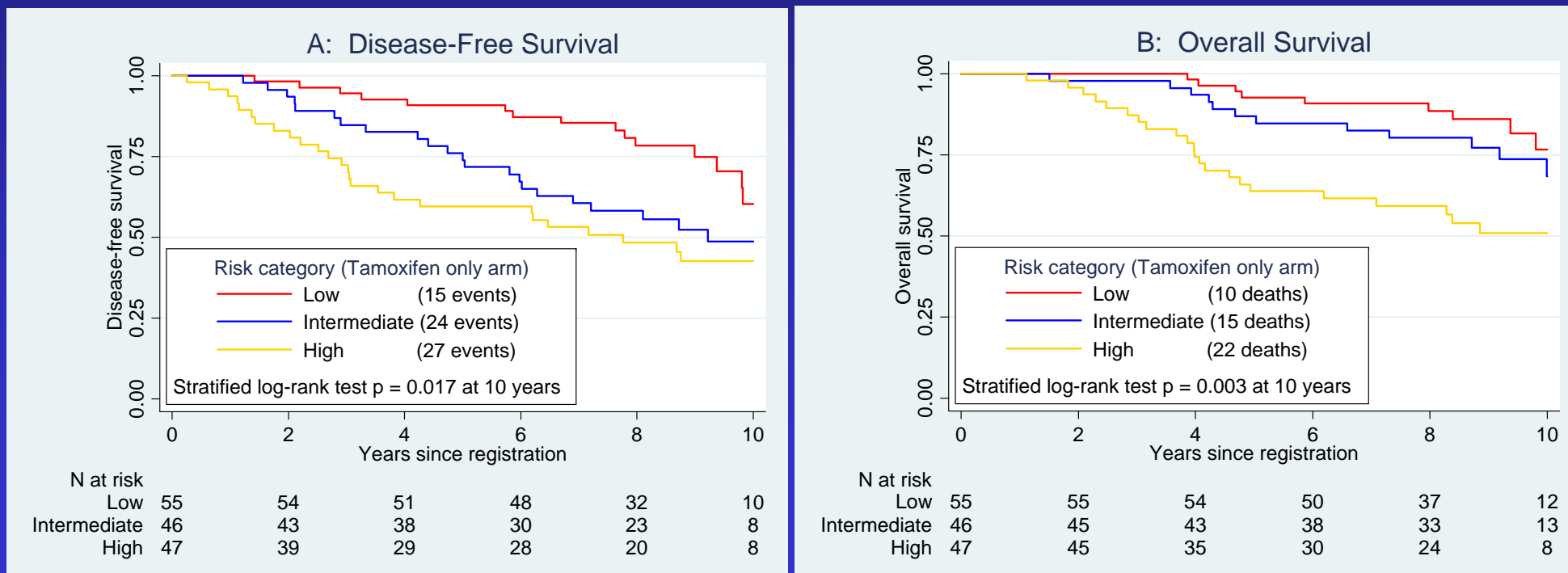
S8814 Tissue Availability from Optional Banking Protocol



S8814 ER+ LN+ Prognosis by 21 Gene Recurrence Score in Tamoxifen Alone Arm

Albain KS et al, Lancet Oncol 2010

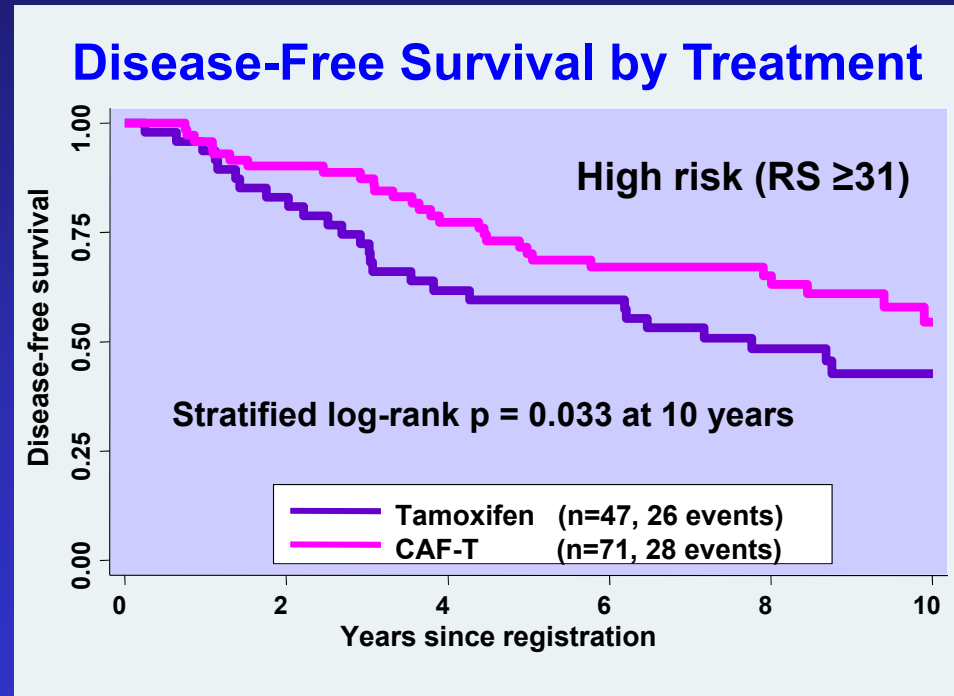
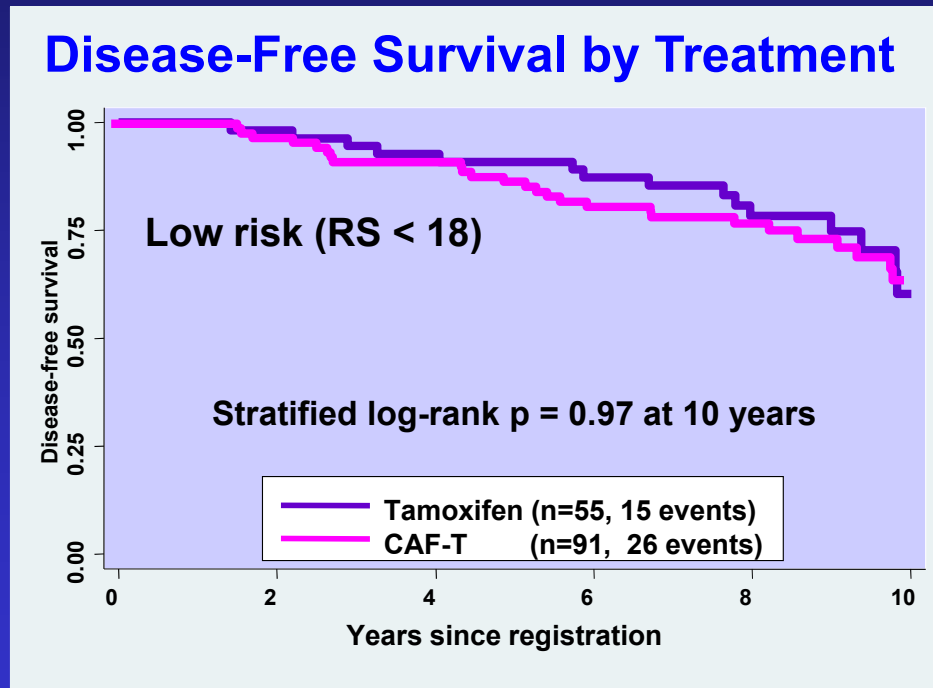
21-gene Recurrence Score Assay provides prognostic information for women with LN+ disease treated only with tamoxifen (similar to LN- data)



S8814 ER+ LN+ Prognosis by 21 Gene Recurrence Score in Tamoxifen Alone vs CAF-Tamoxifen Arms

Albain KS et al, Lancet Oncol 2010

21-gene Recurrence Score Assay allows prediction of a LN+ group with no benefit from chemotherapy (similar to LN- data)

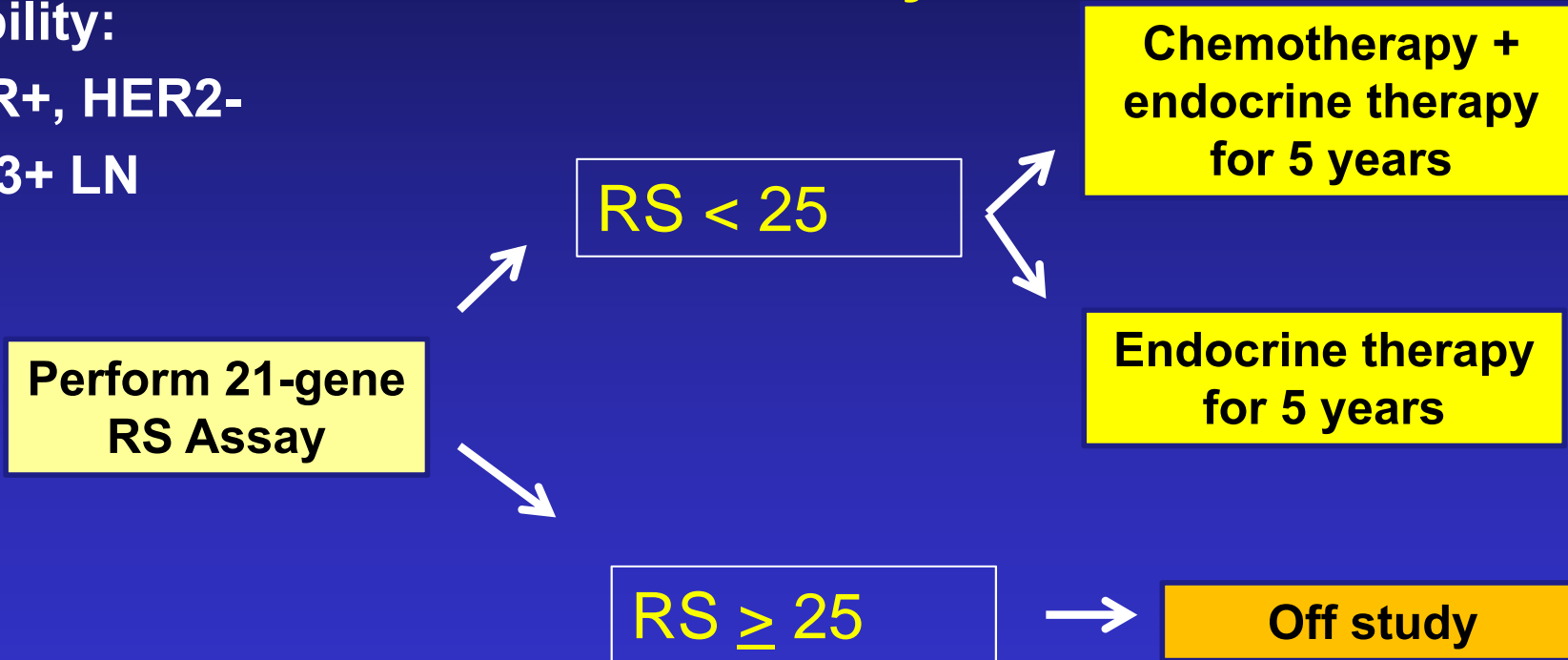


No benefit to CAF over time if low RS; Strong benefit if high RS

Translational work from SWOG 8814 led to
**S1007 (RxPONDER) Trial: Prospective
Validation for 21-Gene Recurrence Score in
Node Positive Breast Cancer**

PI: K Kalinsky

- **Eligibility:**
 - ER+, HER2-
 - 1-3+ LN



N=6,000 randomized

Closed in US, remains open within UNICANCER/France

Translational work from SWOG 8814 led in part to
**ONGOING SWOG/NRG S1207 Phase III Trial of
Adjuvant Endocrine Therapy +/- 1 Year of
Everolimus (mTOR inhibitor) in ER+ Breast
Cancer**

PI: M. Chavez MacGregor, E Mamounas

- **Eligibility:**
 - ER+/HER2-
 - High risk early stage breast cancer
 - 1-3+ LN and **RS_≥25** or grade III
 - **≥4+** LN
 - **>1+** LN after preop chemo

**Complete
chemo and
XRT (if
indicated)**

Everolimus for 1
year + endocrine
therapy for 5
years

Placebo for 1
year + endocrine
therapy for 5
years

N= 1,900

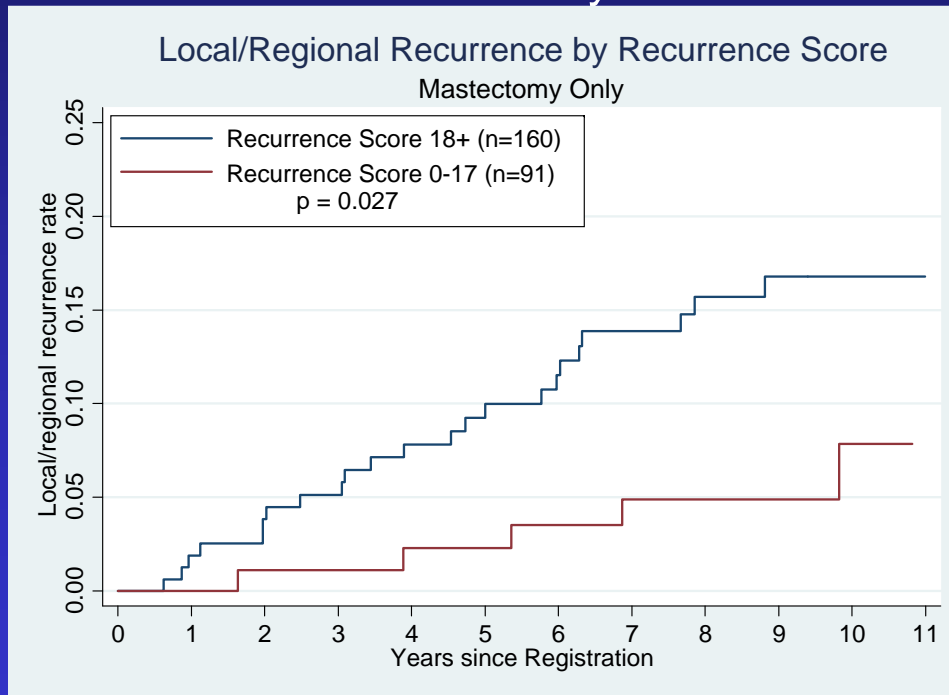
Can combinations of endocrine therapy + targeted agents improve outcomes in high risk, early stage, ER+ breast cancer?

SWOG 8814: 21-gene Recurrence Score and Locoregional Recurrence (LRR) in ER+, Node+ Breast Cancer Post-Mastectomy without Radiation

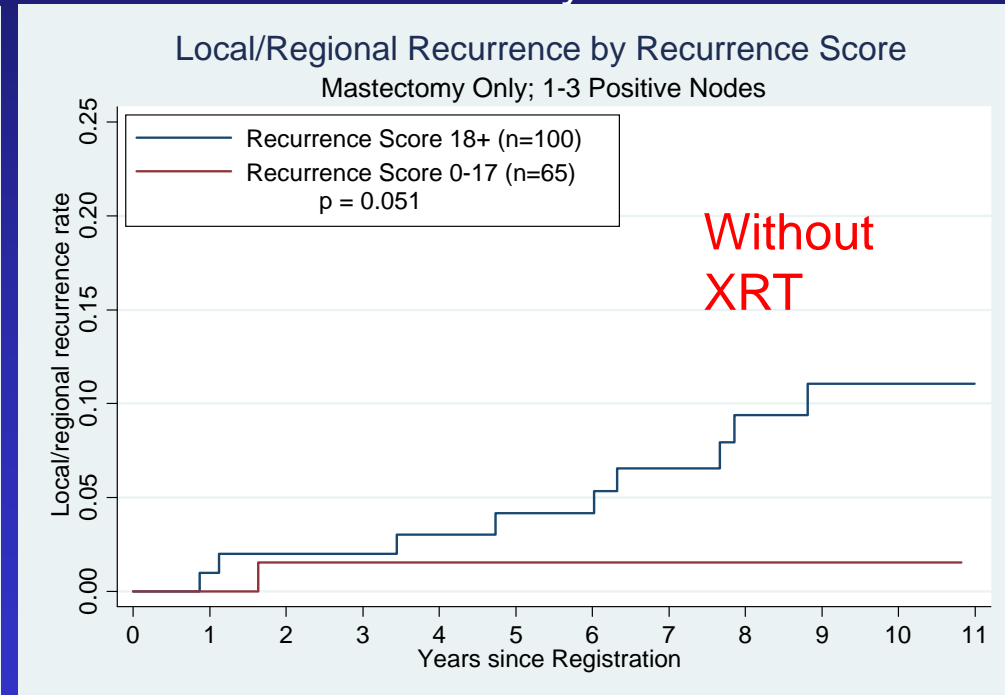
Woodward WA et al, ASTRO 2016, abstract 329

Background: 21-gene RS correlated with LRR in node- pts in NSABP B-14/B-20, node+ in B-28

All Mastectomy



Mastectomy 1-3 LN+



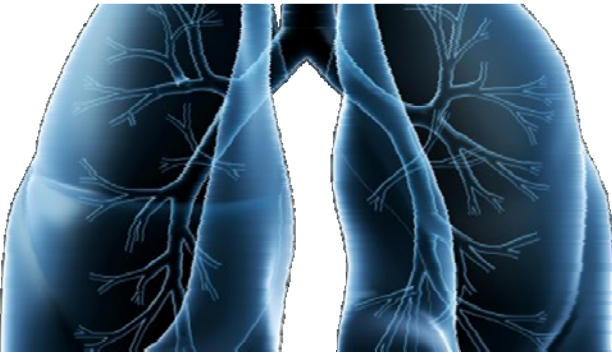
- Low RS, ER+, 1-3+ LN may avoid XRT after mastectomy with low risk of LRR – to be validated on further study (in planning)

SWOG 8814: Adjuvant Chemohormonal Therapy in Node-Positive Breast Cancer

- **Data from SWOG 8814 trial spanning many decades continues to provide information about adjuvant therapy decision-making in ER+ breast cancer**
 - **Allows withholding of toxic therapies where little benefit exists**
 - **Spawned multiple subsequent trials**

Lesson learned from SWOG 8814:

The benefit of prospective tissue collection for studies that could not have even been imagined at the time of study start-up!



LUNG-MAP

S1400 Lung Master Protocol

Biomarker-Targeted Second-Line Therapy in Treating Patients With Recurrent Stage IV Squamous Cell Lung Cancer

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Roy Herbst, MD, PhD, Study co-Chair

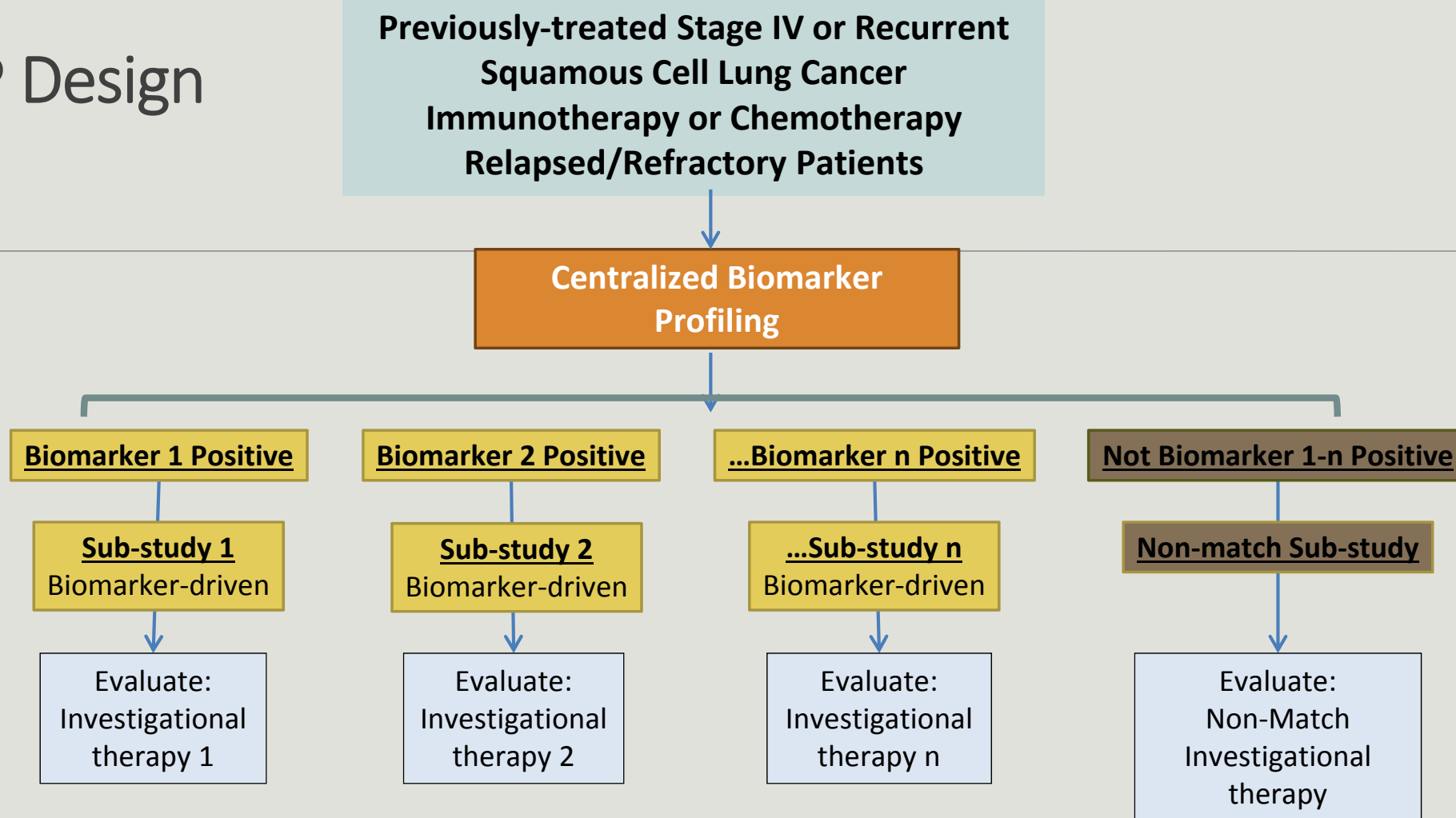
David Gandara, md, Study Co-Chair

Fred Hirsch, MD, PhD, and Phil Mack, PHD, Study co-ChairS, Translational Medicine

Mary Redman, PhD, Study Lead Biostatistician

Karen Kelly, MD – swog lung cancer committee chair

Lung-MAP Design



Biomarker-driven sub-studies may progress to Phase III if study meets endpoint and Phase III is feasible

Overall Study Goal:

Quickly identify and test new targeted treatments and immunotherapies for squamous cell lung cancer, and, if effective, move those drugs to FDA approval.

SWOG S1400 LUNG-MAP Trial: Unique Features

1. Collaboration

- Brings together key stakeholders – industry, academia, advocacy and government – to advance precision medicine research and development



2. Addresses 4 primary goals from IOM 2010 report for Cancer Clinical Trials Modernization

- Improve speed & efficiency of trial development & activation
- Incorporate innovative science and trial design
- Improve prioritization, support, and completion of trials
- Incentivize participation of patients and physicians

SWOG S1400 LUNG-MAP Trial: Unique Features

3. Broad NGS genomic testing improves enrollment efficiency

- More efficient than multiple separate single-gene tests for each trial
- Improves likelihood of receiving a drug targeted to tumor genetic profile
- Enhances ability to study rare subsets of lung squamous cell carcinoma

4. Master Protocol design allows new therapies to be added as the trial progresses

- Improves operational efficiency
- Single master protocol amended as needed as drugs enter and exit the trial, rather than developing and launching a separate protocol for each new drug
- LUNG MAP Drug Selection committee

5. Designed to facilitate FDA approval of new drugs

- Industry and FDA at the table from the beginning
- If drug meets predetermined efficacy and safety criteria, drug and accompanying diagnostic biomarker eligible for FDA approval
- Potential to bring safe & effective drugs to patients faster

6. Non-match arms allow all patients access to some form of investigational therapy



SWOG S1400 LUNG-MAP Trial: Unique Features

7. Tissue pre-screening to speed up enrollment/treatment at time of progression

- Prescreening can be performed while the patient is still on 1st line therapy for Stage IV disease, before progression

8. Active Site Coordinators Committee

- Represent study site staff at nursing, CRA, data management, and regulatory levels
- Provide feedback to and from study leadership to enhance accrual and improve study management

9. Important Patient Reported Outcomes (PRO) study added to immunotherapy arms



Current Status of Sub-Studies

- **S1400A [Durvalumab/MEDI4736/Anti-B7H1 vs Docetaxel]**
 - Initial non-match study
 - Closed 12/18/2015
- **S1400B [Taselisib/GDC-0032 vs Docetaxel]**
 - PI3K+
 - Closed 12/12/2016
- **S1400C [Palbociclib/CDK 4/6 inhibitor vs Docetaxel]**
 - CCGA+
 - Closed 9/1/2016
- **S1400D [AZD4745/FGFR inhibitor vs Docetaxel]**
 - FGFR+
 - Closed 10/31/16
- **S1400E (Erlotinib vs Erlotinib/Rilotumumab)**
 - HGF/c-MET+
 - Closed 11/25/14
- **S1400F [Durvalumab + Tremilimumab]**
 - Non-match study for checkpoint refractory disease
 - Pending
- **S1400G [Talazoparib – PARP inhibitor]**
 - Patients with alterations in BRCA1/2, ATM, CHEK1, HHRD genes
 - Actively accruing
- **S1400I [Nivolumab vs Nivolumab/Ipilimumab]**
 - Non-match study for checkpoint naïve disease
 - Actively accruing
- **S1400K: [ABBV-399]**
 - c-MET positive patients
 - Submitted to CTEP
- **S1400GEN: Ancillary Study to Evaluate Patient/Physician Knowledge, Attitudes, Preferences Related to Return of Genomic Results**
 - Pilot ongoing

Lung-MAP Biomarker Results

<u>Total Screening/Pre-screening registrations:</u>	N=1191
• Pre-screened prior to PD	410 (34%)
• Screened at PD	781 (66%)
<u>Biomarker testing results:</u>	N=1053
Pi3K+ (S1400B biomarker)	82 (8%)
CCGA+ (S1400C biomarker)	197 (19%)
FGFR+ (S1400D biomarker)	167 (16%)
HRRD+ (S1400G biomarker)	159 (15%)
Multiple Biomarkers	103 (10%)
<u>Others (non-eligible biomarkers):</u>	
EGFR	7 (1%)
ALK	1 (<1%)

As of Mar 15, 2017

Efficacy Outcomes

(presented in lung working group at this meeting)

Important negative findings

Need evaluation of exceptional responders

	Best Objective Response		Response N (%)	PFS Median (95% CI)	OS Median (95% CI)
S1400A (MEDI4736)	1 CR 7 PR 3 UPR	26 SD 30 PD 1 NASS	11 (16%)	2.9 (1.8, 4.1)	11.6 (10.1, 15.4)
S1400B (taselisib)	1 PR	17 SD 6 PD 2 NASS	1 (4%)	2.8 (1.7, 4.0)	5.9 (4.1, 11.5)
S1400C (palbociclib)	2 PR	12 SD 16 PD 1 SYMP DET 1 NASS	2 (6%)	1.8 (1.6, 2.9)	7.2 (4.0, 14.6)
S1400D (AZD4547)	1 PR 1 UPR	13 SD 10 PD 1 SYMP DET 1 NASS	2 (7%)	2.7 (1.4, 4.5)	7.5 (3.6, 9.3)
Combined Docetaxel	2 PR 1 UPR	29 SD 13 PD 5 SYMP DET 6 NASS	3 (5%)	2.7 (1.9, 2.9)	7.7 (6.7, 9.2)

SWOG S1400 LUNG-MAP Trial: Lessons Learned

1. Unique Private-Public partnership working

- 4 primary partners – NCI, FNIH, SWOG, Friends of Cancer Research
- NCTN sites beyond SWOG are active partners
- 7 precision medicine and precision medicine companies
- Multiple advocacy partners

2. Master Protocols are feasible

- Infrastructure facilitates opening new arms quickly
- Phase II-III design allows rapid drug/biomarker testing for detection of “large effects”

3. Sites and patients are interested in the study

- Screening large numbers of patients for multiple targets by a broad-based NGS platform reduces screen failure rate and provides sufficient “hit rate” to engage patients & physicians
- 740 sites with IRB approval, 365 sites with at least 1 patient accrued
- 1238 patients registered, 943 patients notified of sub-study assignment, 456 patients registered to a sub-study



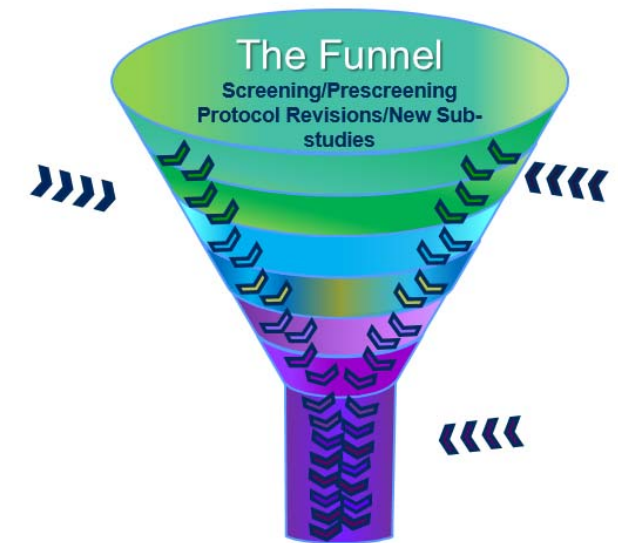
SWOG S1400 LUNG-MAP Trial: Lessons Learned

4. Biopsies and broad screening by NGS is feasible

- Rapid tissue shipment and return of NGS results possible
- Median 1 day for receipt of tissue
- Median 9 days for results reported to SWOG
- > 90% analyzable

5. Trial is able to be flexible and current – keeping up with evolving treatment landscape

- 3 studies closed, questions answered, multiple new arms opened
- Changed to Phase II format, expanding to Phase III with positive results
- When 2 immunotherapy agents approved by FDA in 2015, immunotherapy became a major component of S1400
- Research added to predict response to immunotherapies and if responses can be enhanced by combinations of immunotherapy + chemo or immunotherapy + targeted agents



SWOG S1400 LUNG-MAP Trial: Lessons Learned

6. Adequate funding is needed

- Sites receive up to \$5,869 (\$1,079 screening/\$4,790 registration) for each patient on trial
- Reimbursements of \$3,000 (CT-guided)/\$6,000 (bronchoscopy) for biopsies performed at screening and/or progression after initial response
- Additional reimbursement for research-based procedures and on-site visits (\$1,333) outside regular audit schedule

7. The future of S1400:

- Infrastructure allowing expansion to all lung cancer histologies in immunotherapy refractory disease, to respond to unmet needs
- Expansion in leadership structure, including across NCTN groups

S1400: A new paradigm for drug development and scientific discovery

