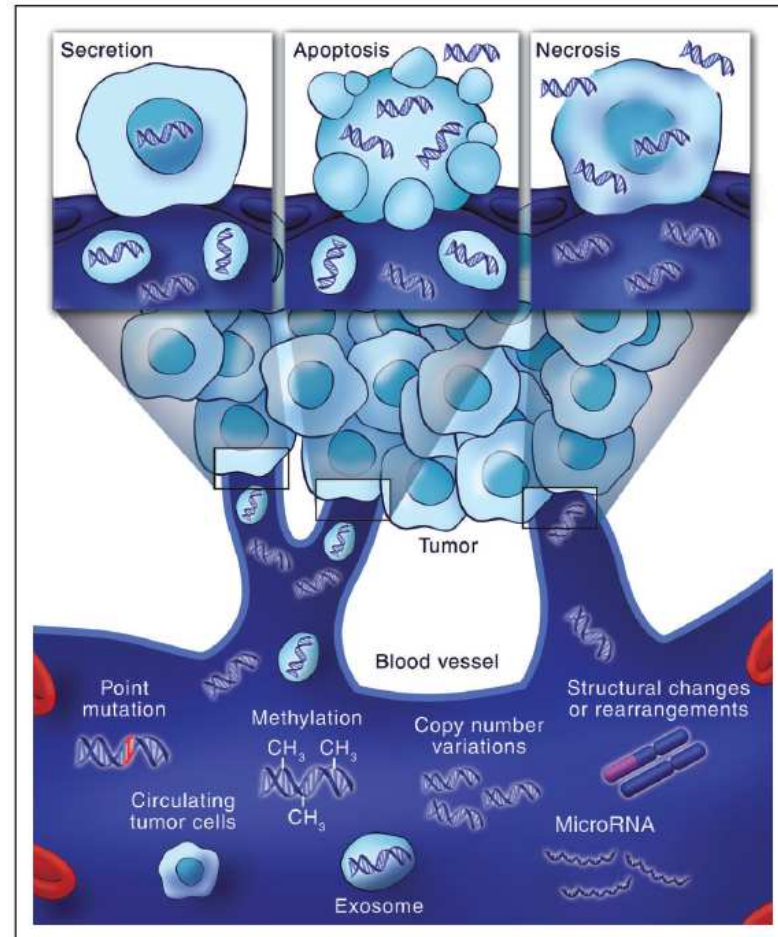


Vloeibare Biopsie bij patiënten met andere vaste tumoren

Luc Dirix

Mechanisme van tumor DNA shedding



Belang van Circulerende Tumor cellen bij Patienten met Borstkanker

CellSearch[®] (FDA-cleared)



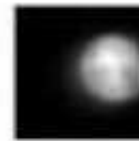
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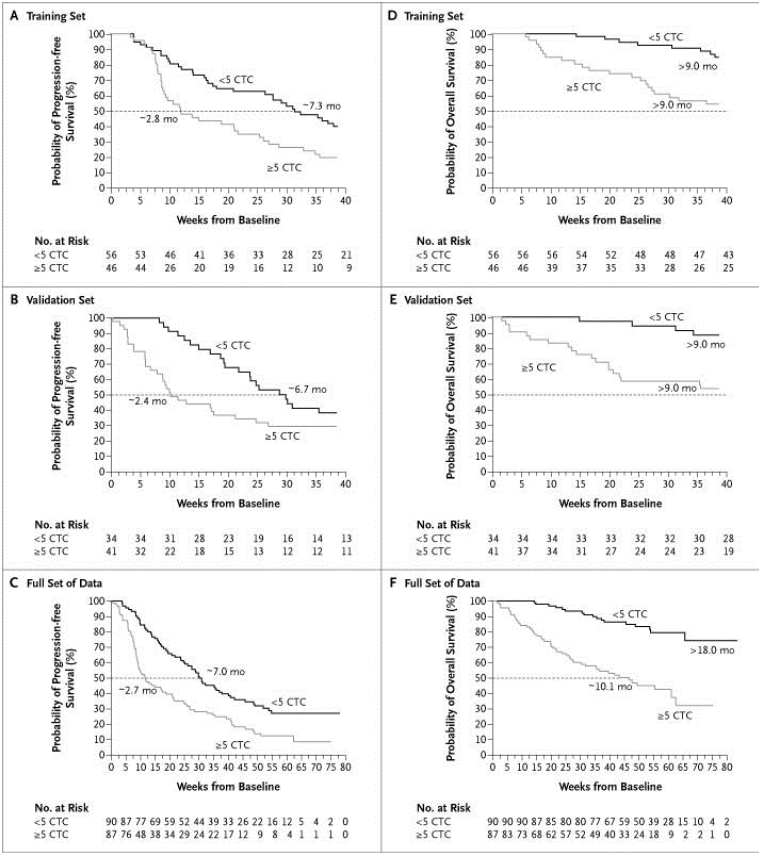
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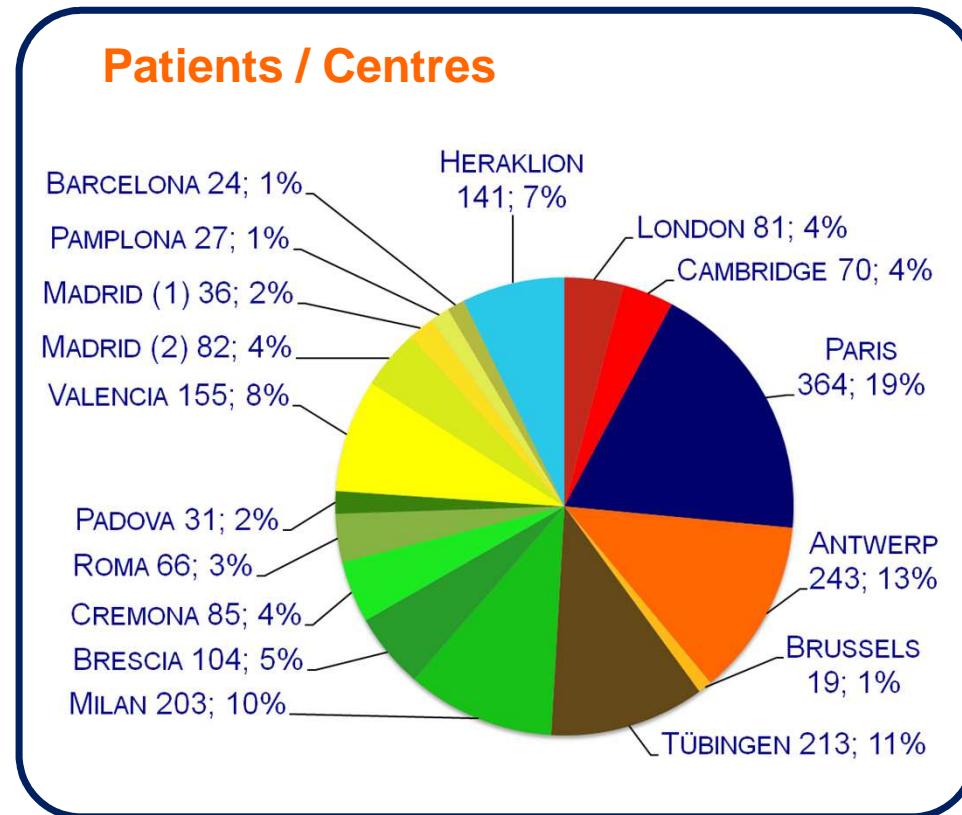
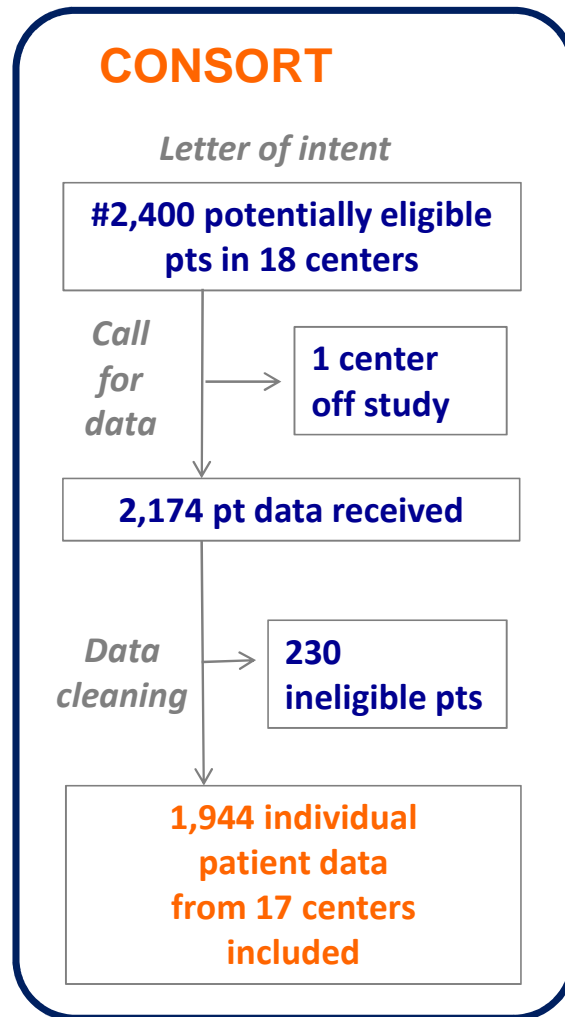


PFS and OS in Patients with MBC with <5 CTC and with ≥5 CTC



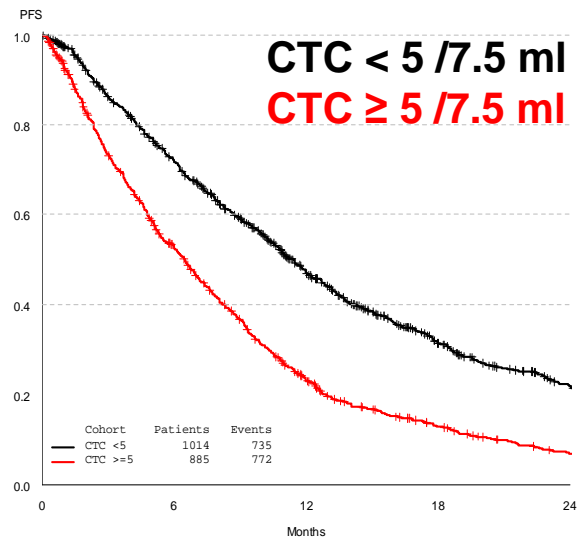
Cristofanilli M et al. N Engl J Med 2004;351:781-791.

Studies included



Results – CTC at baseline

Prognostic value – univariate analysis

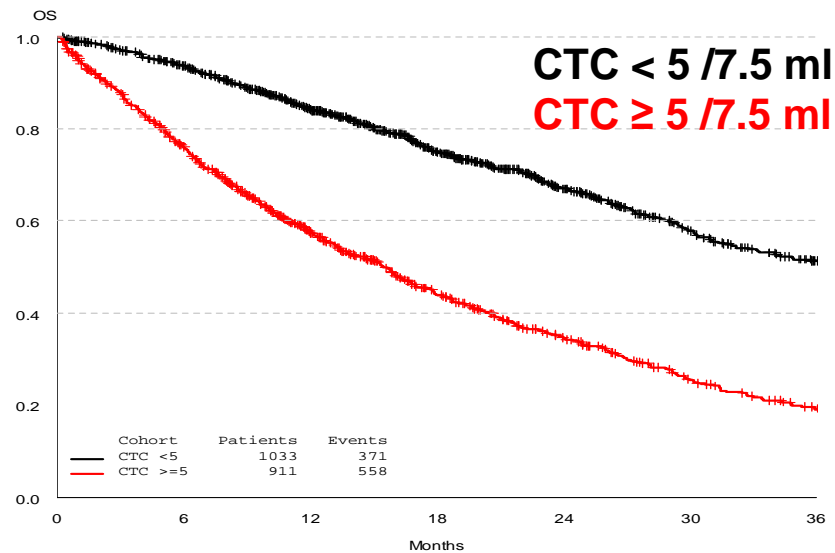


Progression-Free Survival

N= 1,899 patients

HR = 1.92

p<0.0001



Overall Survival

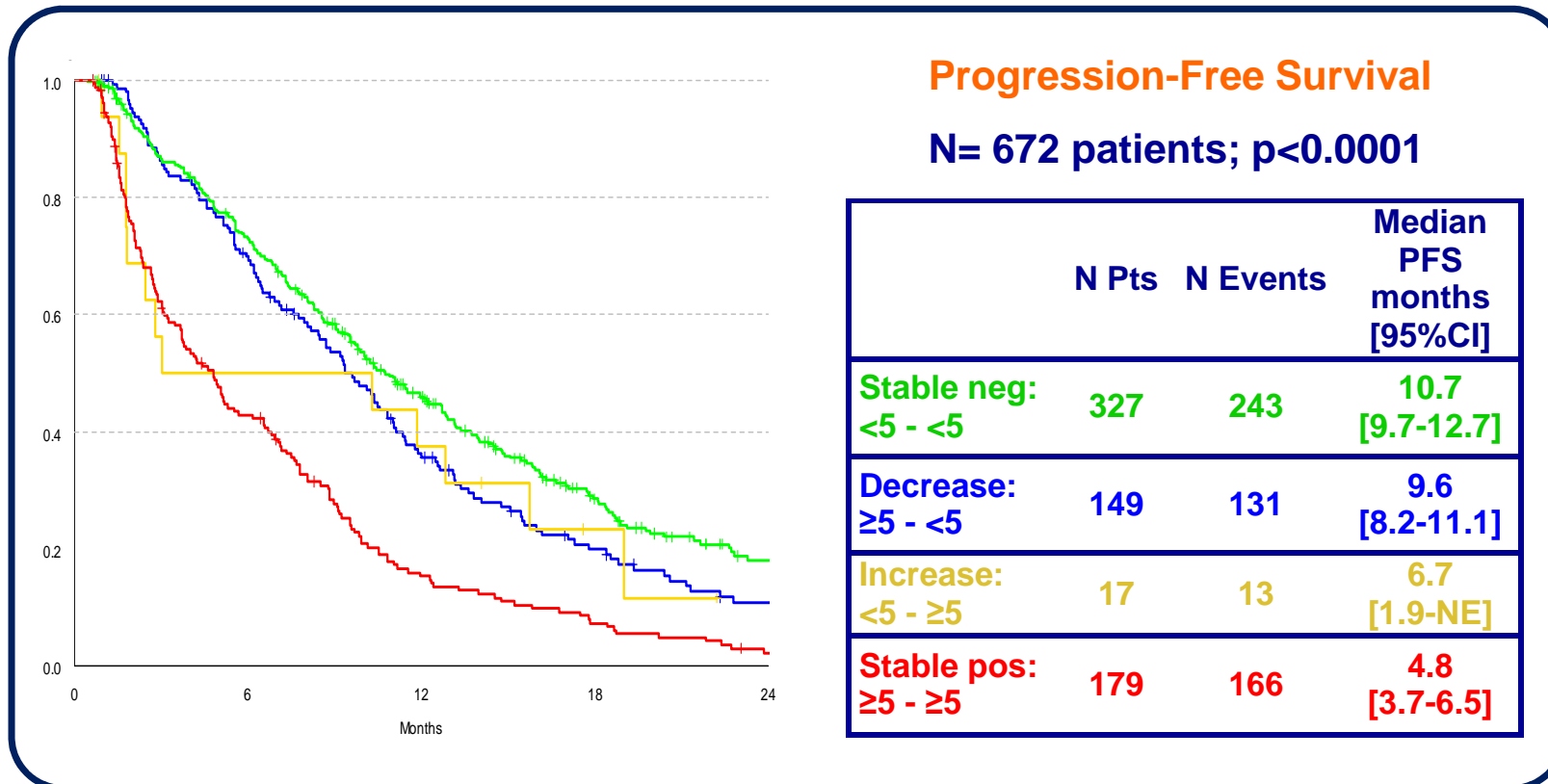
N= 1,944 patients

HR = 2.77

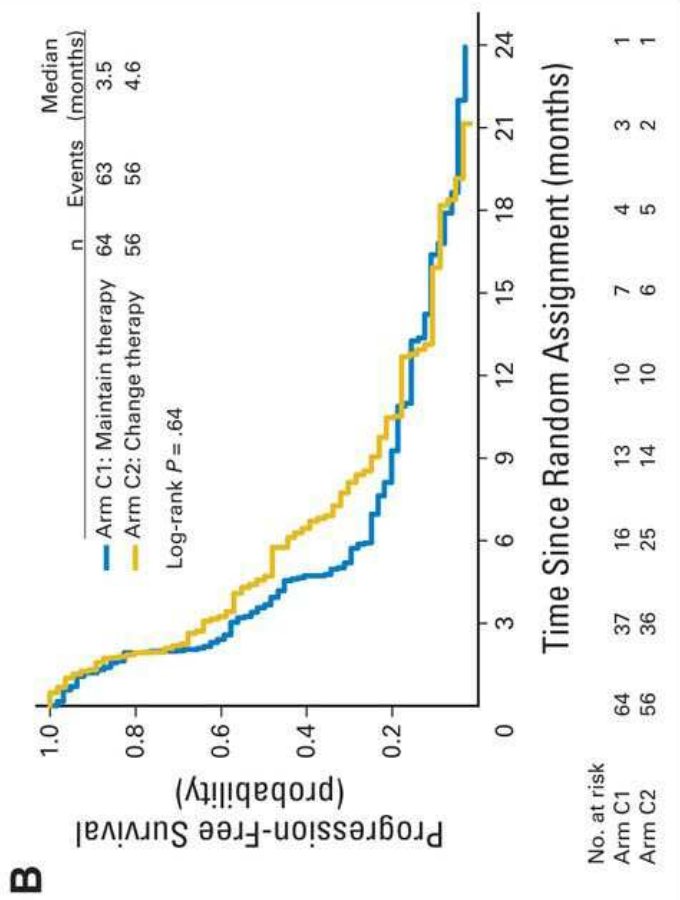
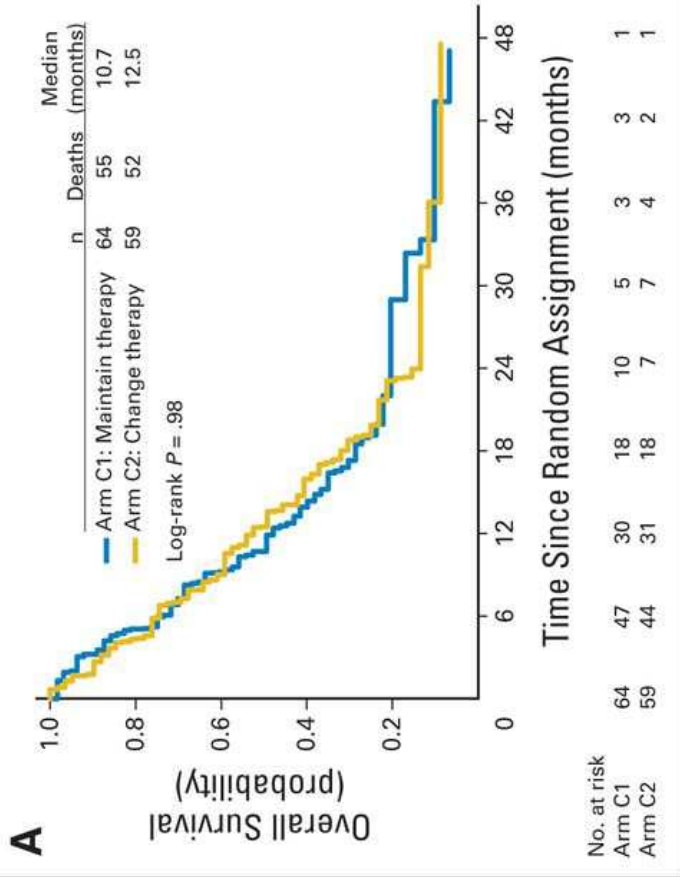
p<0.0001

Results – *Early CTC changes during treatment*

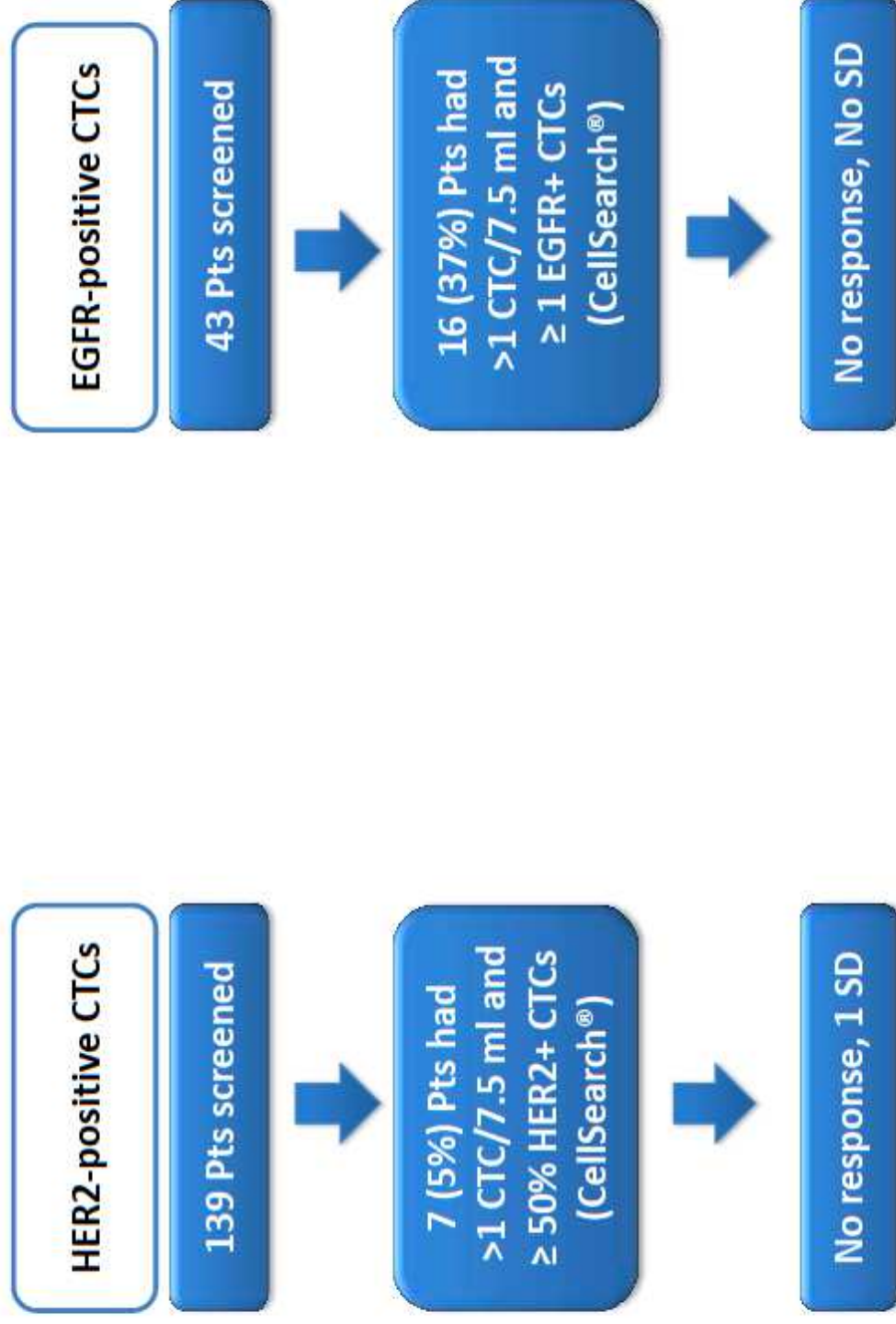
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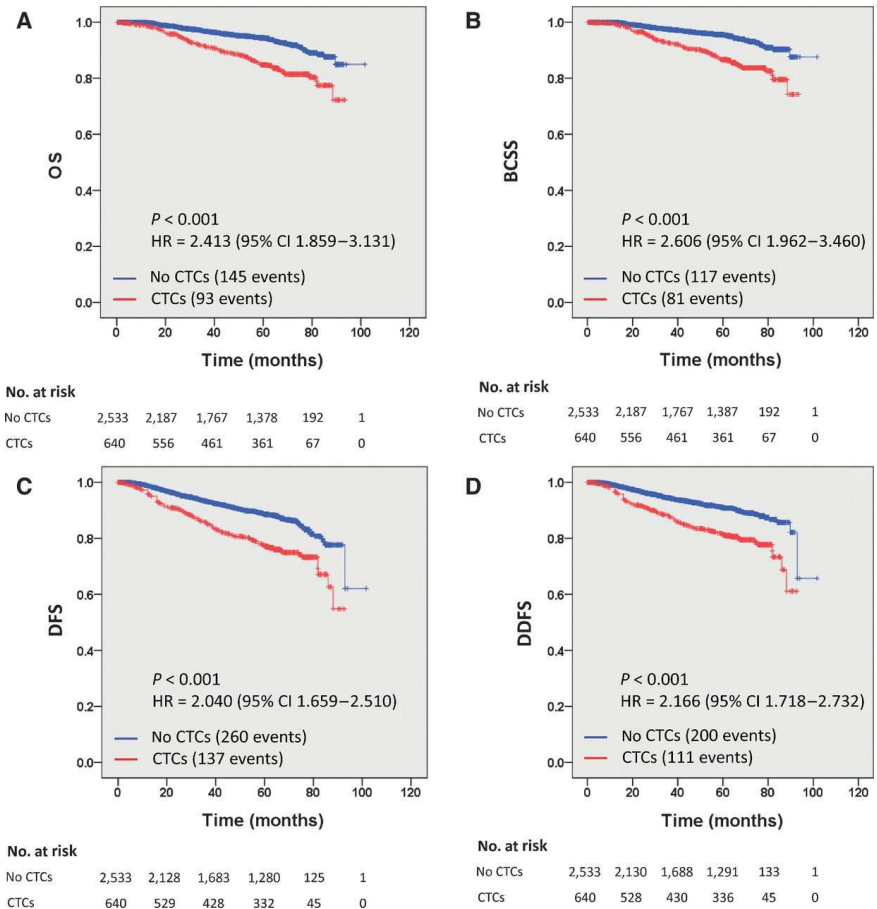
Similar PFS curves were obtained with later CTC changes (6-8 weeks)



Lapatinib monotherapy in HER2-neg MBC



OS according to presence of CTCs at the time of primary diagnosis.



Wolfgang J. Janni et al. Clin Cancer Res 2016;22:2583-2593

Voorspellen van Laattijdig Herval

Methods: Study Design

- **Population:** Stage II-III HER2-negative enrolled in E5103 (NCT00433511)
- **Treatment:** AC-weekly paclitaxel ± bevacizumab + endocrine therapy if ER+
- **Selection:** Recurrence-free 4.5-7.5 years after diagnosis & informed consent
- **CTC Assay:** Whole blood (7.5 ml) drawn into fixative-containing tube for CTC identification and enumeration using the CellSearch® system at entry
- **Assay results:** not reported to clinicians or patients due to uncertainty regarding prognostic information

Laattijdig Herval

Results: Patient Characteristics, Recurrences, & CTC Results

(Enrollment Period: February 2013 – July 2016)

Total	Total (N=547)	
Age at diagnosis (n=547)		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Median followup - 1.8 years <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Range 0-3.9 years • Recurrences <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • HR-Positive (N=14/353): 4.0% (95% CI 3.0 to 7.9%) • HR-Negative (N=1/193): 0.5% (95% CI 0, 2.9%)
< 50 years	44%	
>= 50 years	56%	
Tumor size (N=547)		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CTC-Positive (1 cell/7.5 ml blood) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Overall (N=26): 4.8% 95% CI 3.1%-6.9% • HR-Positive (N=18/353): 5.1% 95% CI 3.0%-7.9% • HR-Negative (N=8/193): 4.1% 95% CI 1.8%-9.0%
< 2 cm	41%	
>= 2 cm	59%	
Nodal Status		
Negative	27%	
Positive	73%	
HR Expression (N=546)		
Negative	35%	
Positive	65%	
Histologic grade (N=534)		
Low-intermediate	45%	
High	55%	
Endocrine Therapy (N=330)	88%	

Results: Time to Recurrence in HR+ Disease (N=353)

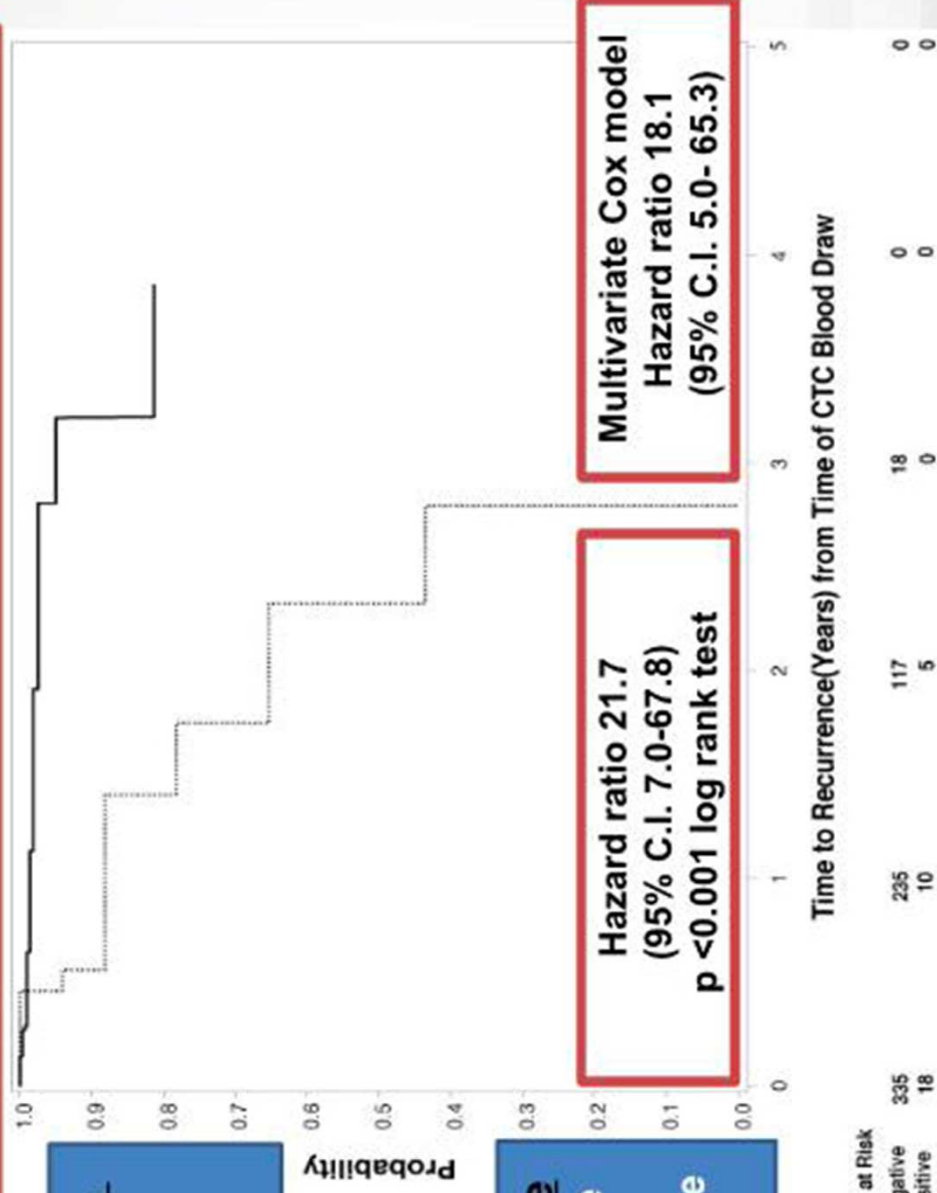
Median time to recurrence in CTC+: 1.6 years (range 0.5-2.8 years)

Recurrence rates per person-year

- CTC-Pos: 24.7%
- CTC-Neg: 1.5%

2-Year Recurrence

- Positive Predictive Value = 35%
- Negative Predictive Value = 98%



Challenges for ctDNA in oncology

- Discriminating circulating tumor DNA (ctDNA) from normal cfDNA
- Presence of sometimes extremely low levels of ctDNA
- Accurate quantification of the number of mutant fragments in a sample
 - T_{1/2} estimated 2 hours
 - (<1.0% of total cfDNA in general; wide range)
 - 180-200 bp cfDNA < apoptosis
 - Plasma > serum
 - Time ?

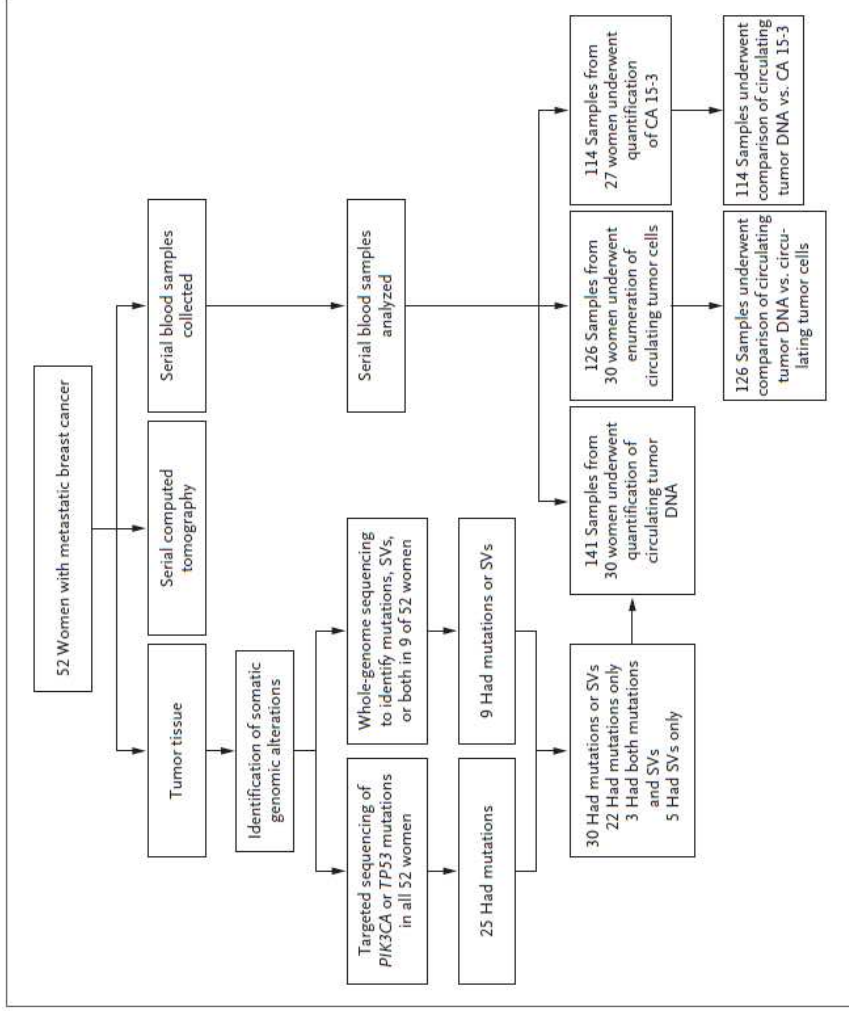
Methodologies for detecting ctDNA

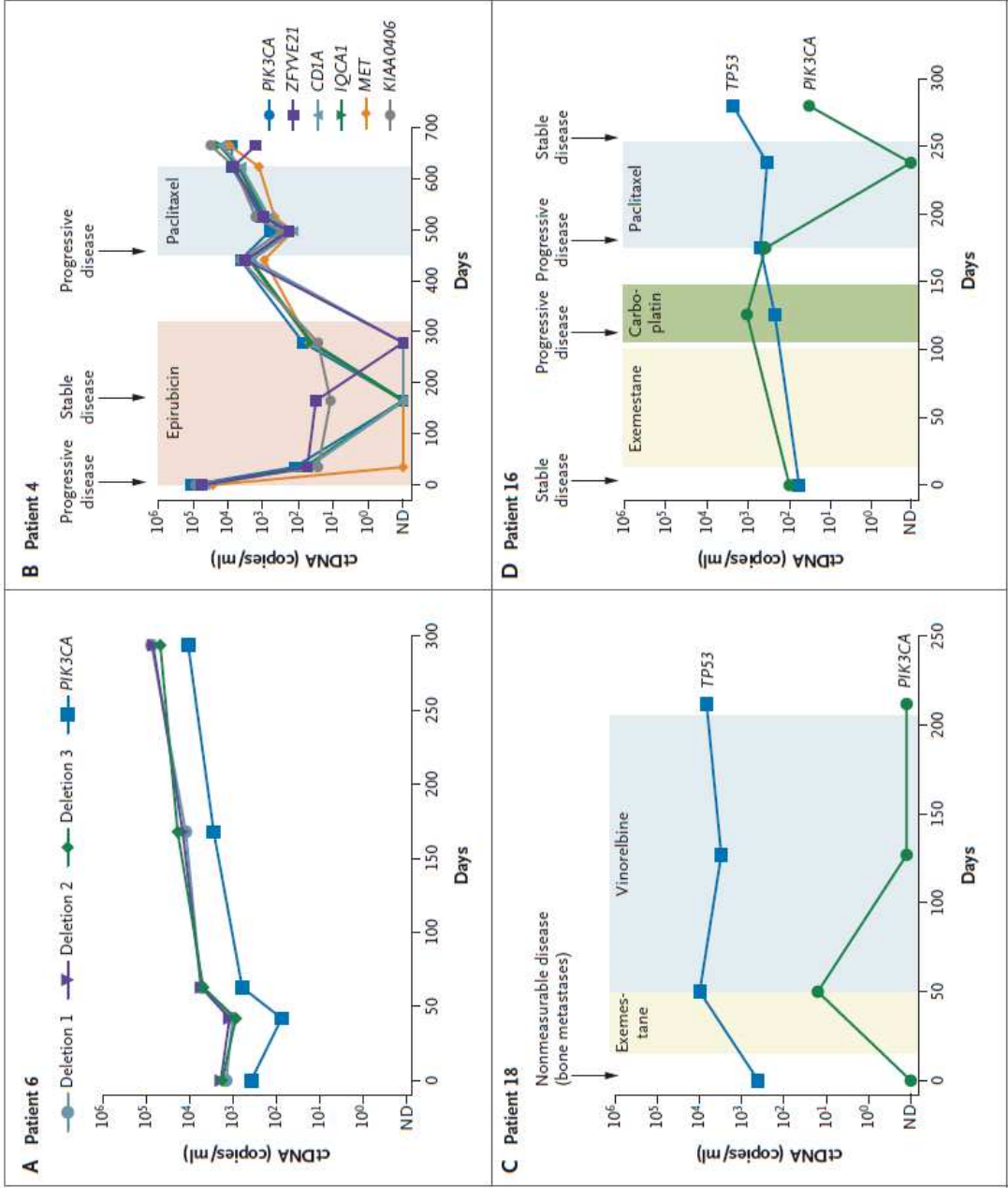
Technique	Sensitivity	Optimal Application
Sanger sequencing	> 10%	Tumor tissue
Pyrosequencing	10%	Tumor tissue
Next-generation sequencing	2%	Tumor tissue
Quantative PCR	1%	Tumor tissue
ARMS	0.10%	Tumor tissue
BEAMing, PAP, Digital PCR, TAM-Seq	0.01% or lower	ctDNA, rare variants in tumor tissue

Applications of ctDNA

- Monitor tumour burden
- Diagnose minimal residual disease
- Resistance to treatment

Analysis of Circulating Tumor DNA to Monitor Metastatic Breast Cancer





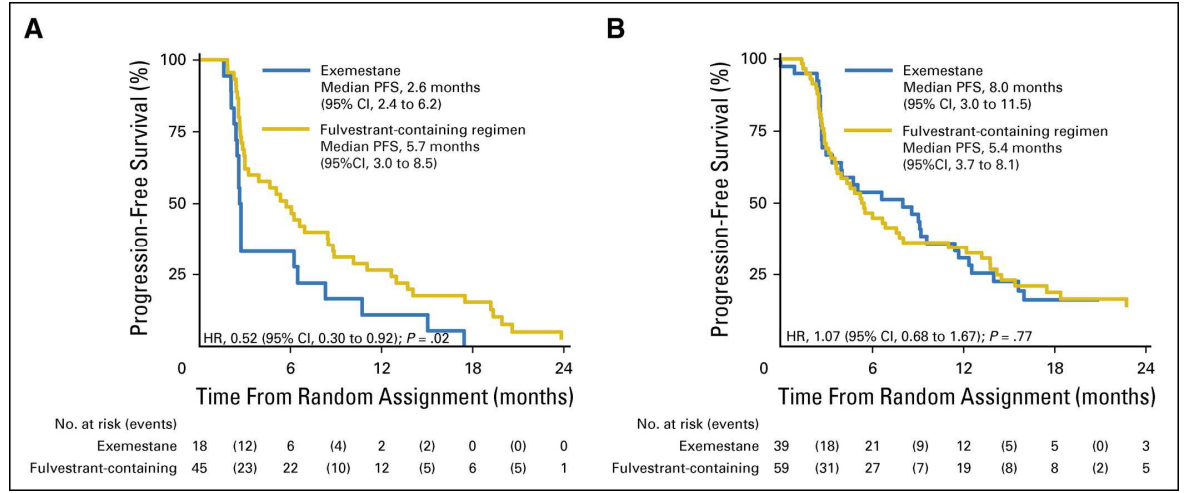


Fig 2. Progression-free survival (PFS) in SoFEA by ESR1 mutation status. (A) PFS of patients with ESR1 mutant cancers who received exemestane or a fulvestrant-containing regimen. (B) PFS of patients without detected ESR1 mutation who received exemestane or a fulvestrant-containing regimen. HR, hazard ratio.

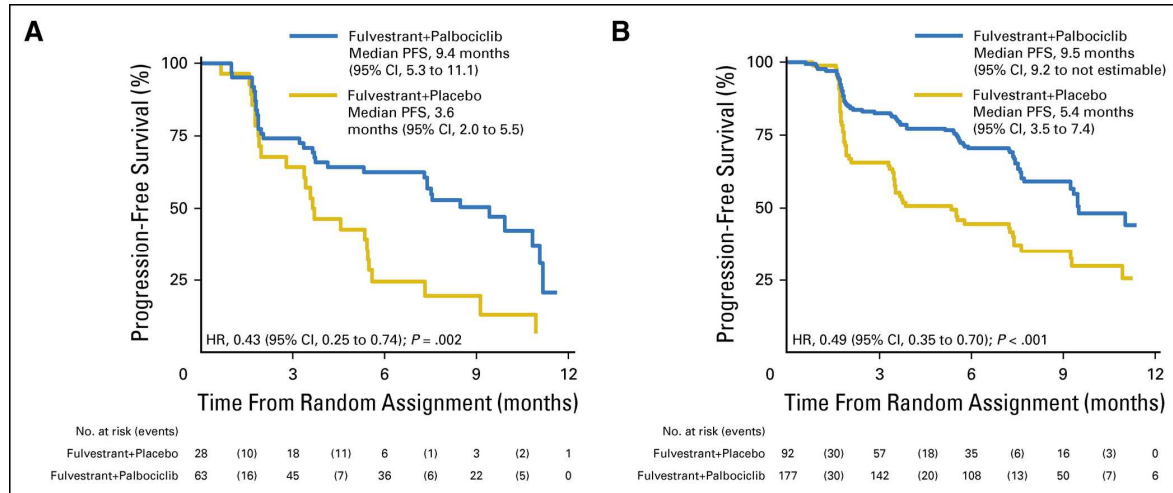


Fig 3. Progression-free survival (PFS) in PALOMA3 by ESR1 mutation status. (A) PFS for patients with ESR1 mutant cancers who received fulvestrant and placebo or fulvestrant and palbociclib. (B) PFS for patients without detected ESR1 mutation who received fulvestrant and placebo or fulvestrant and palbociclib. HR, hazard ratio.

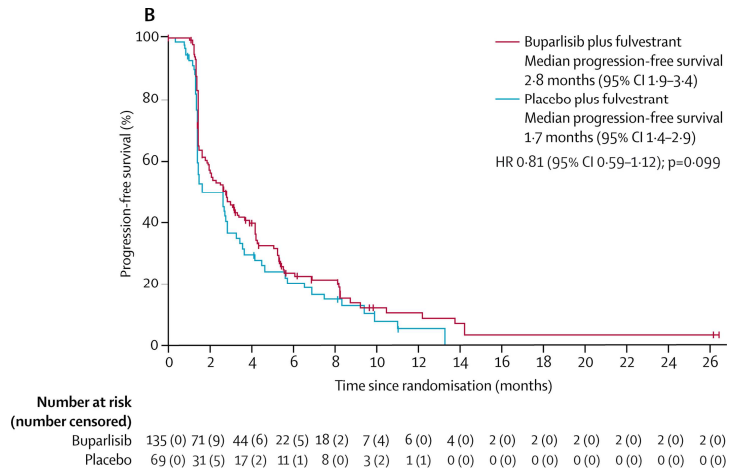
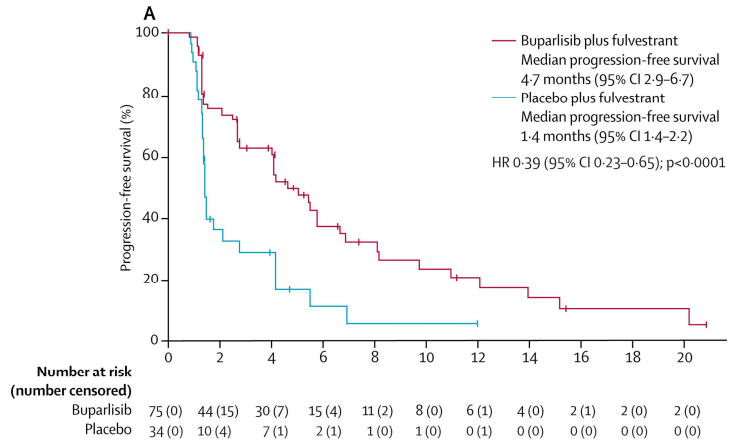
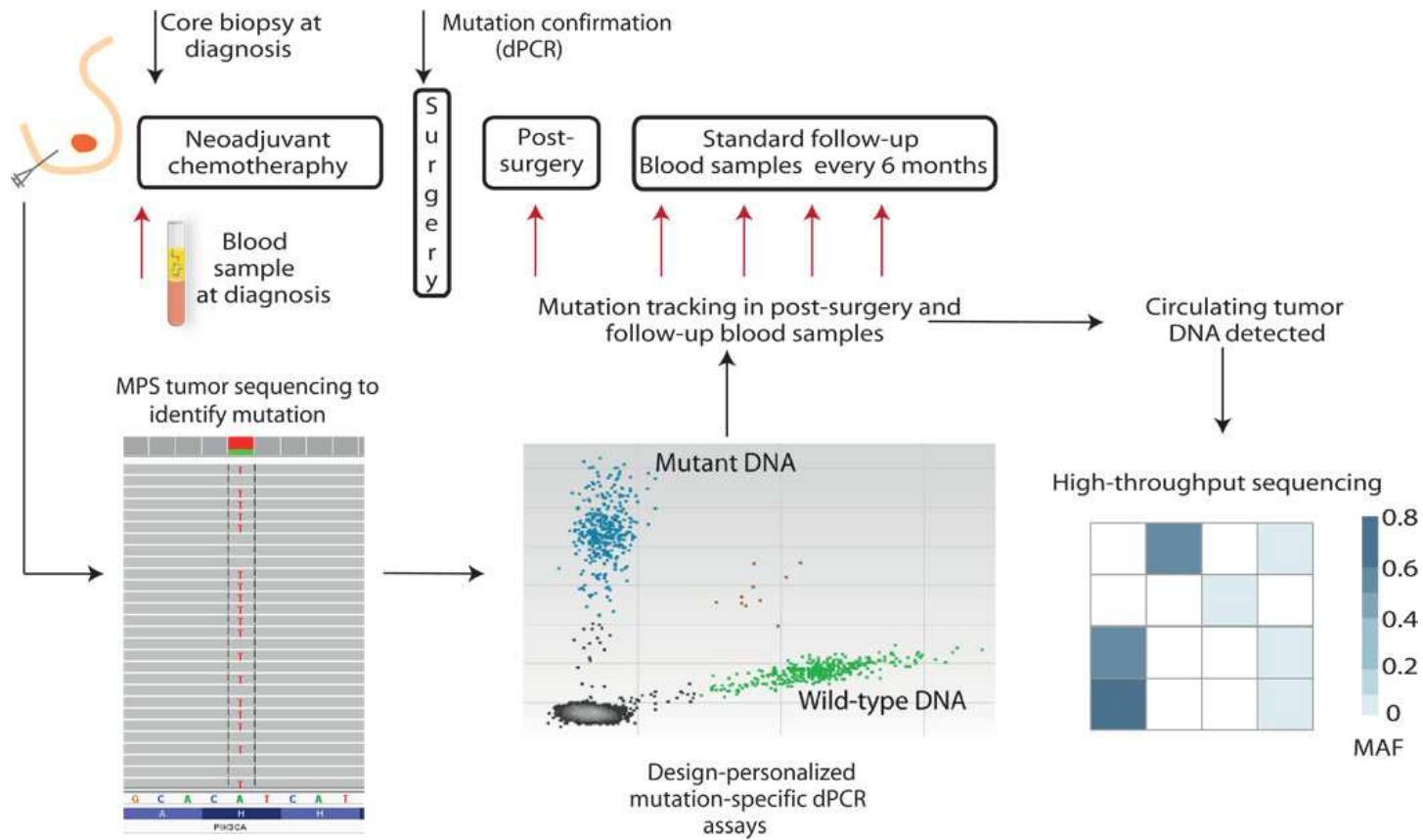
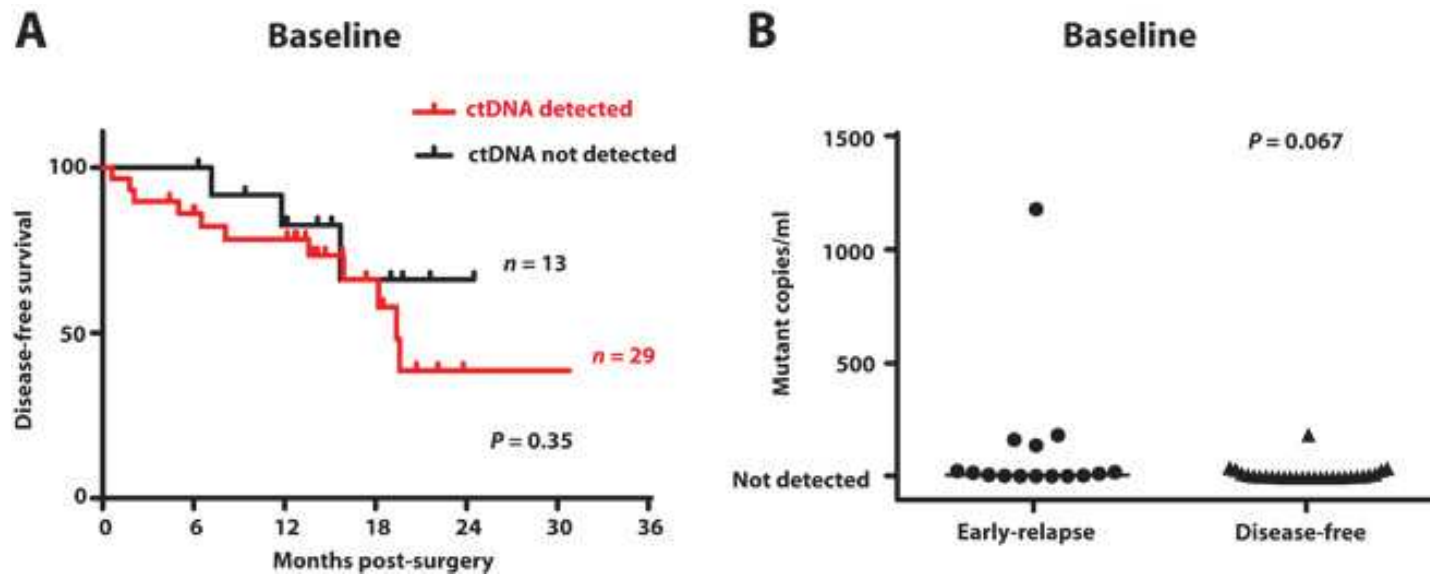


Fig. 1. Personalized dPCR assays for mutation tracking of ctDNA in plasma of patients with early breast cancer.



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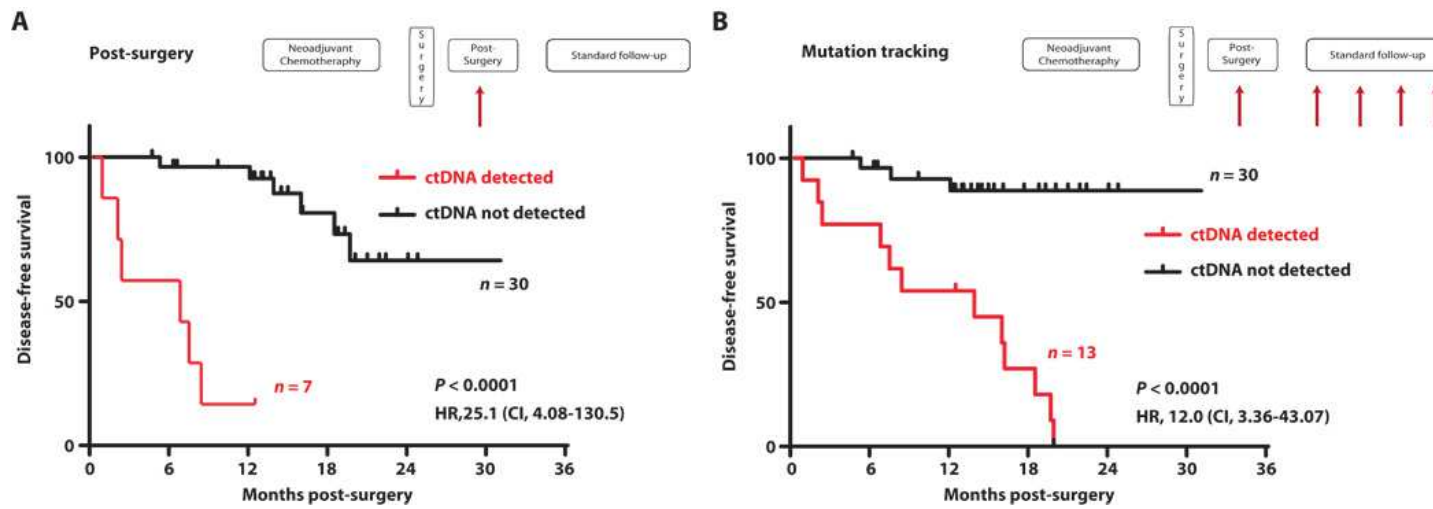
Fig. 3. Early relapse is not predicted by analysis of baseline ctDNA. (A) Disease-free survival according to the detection of ctDNA in the baseline plasma sample.



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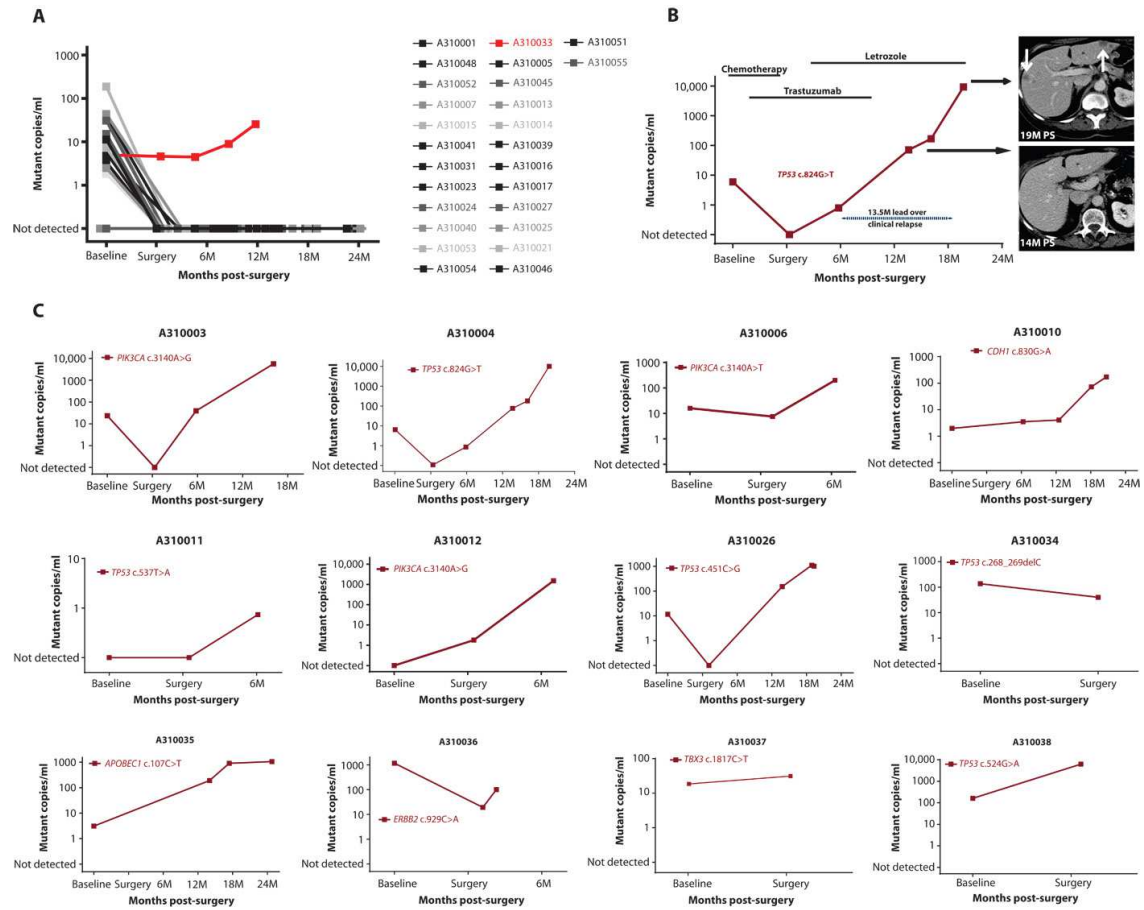
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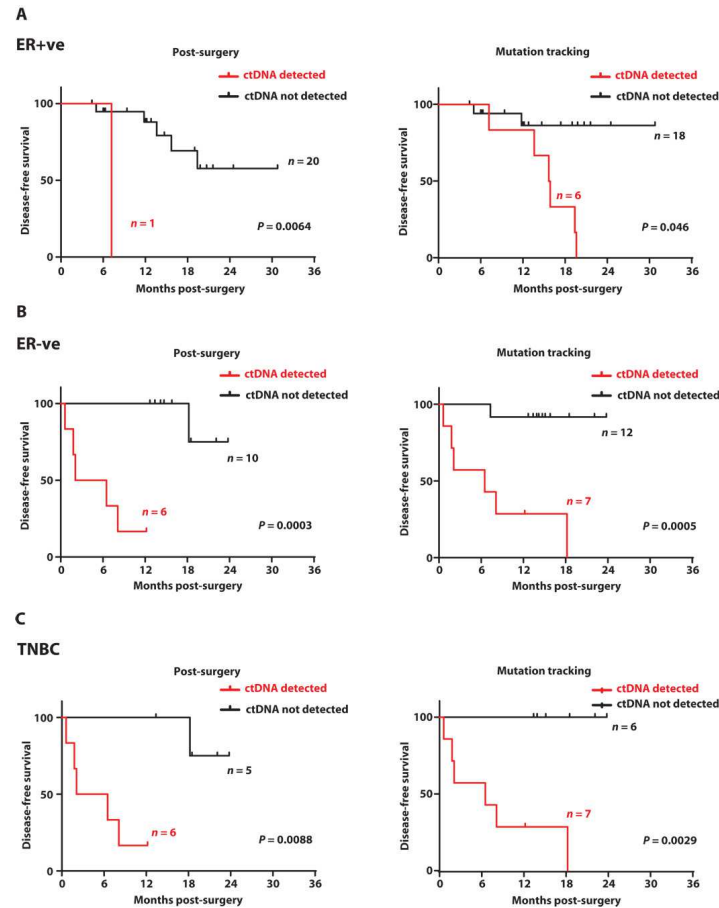
Fig. 5. Mutation tracking in early-relapse and disease-free patients.



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Fig. 6. Disease-free survival prediction based on single post-surgery ctDNA and mutation tracking in serial plasma samples according to tumor subtype.



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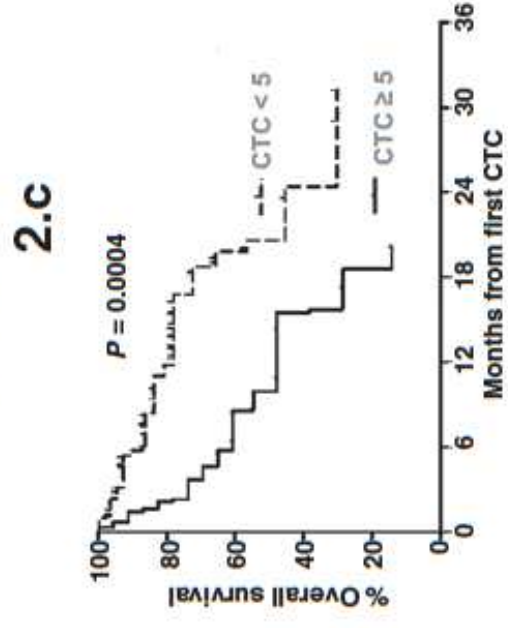
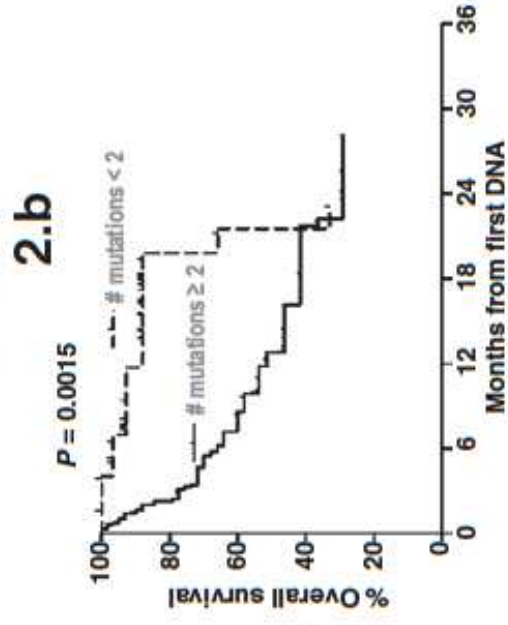
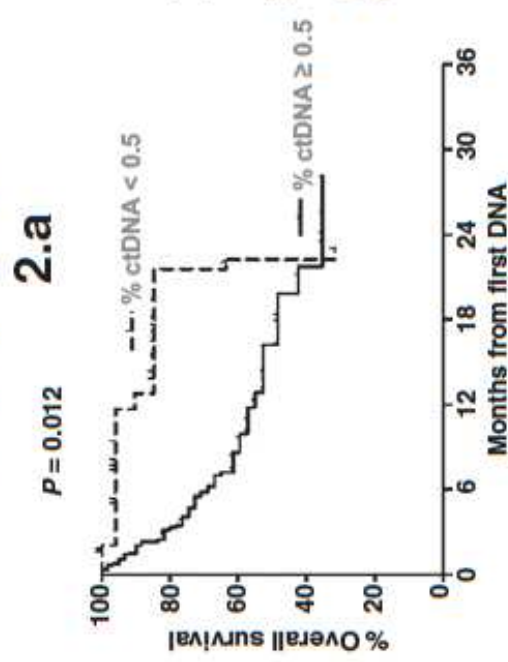
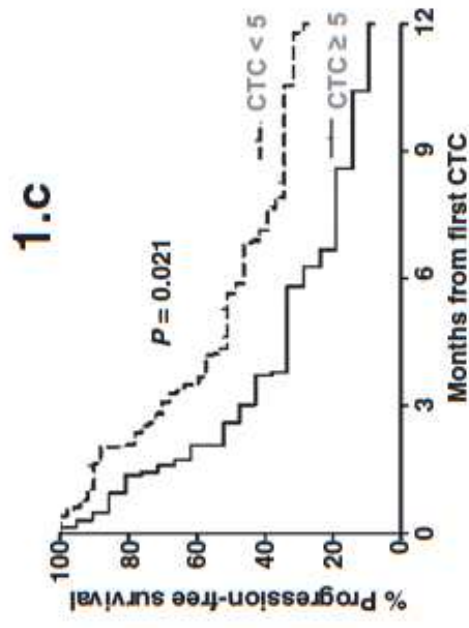
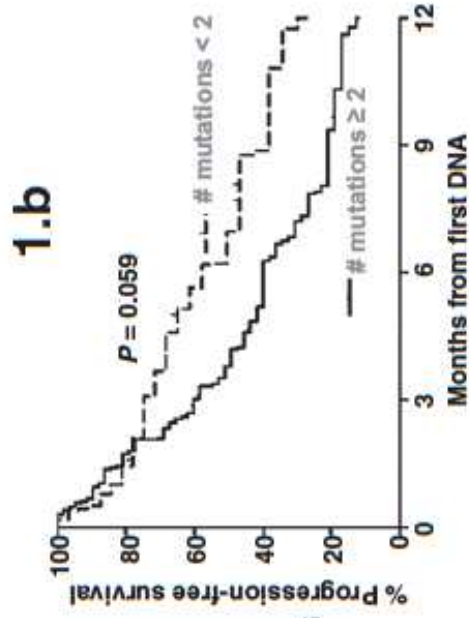
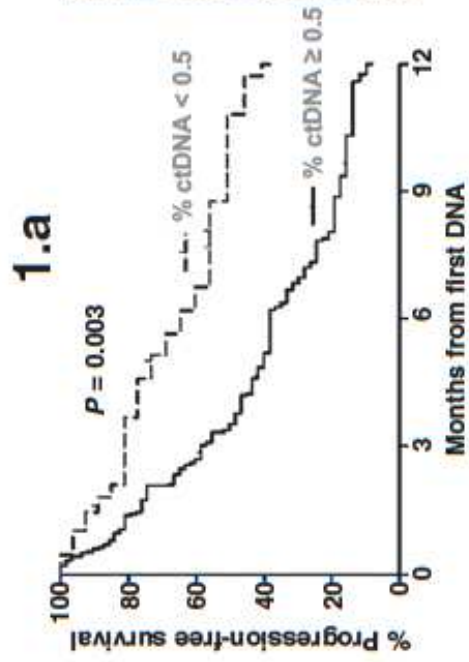
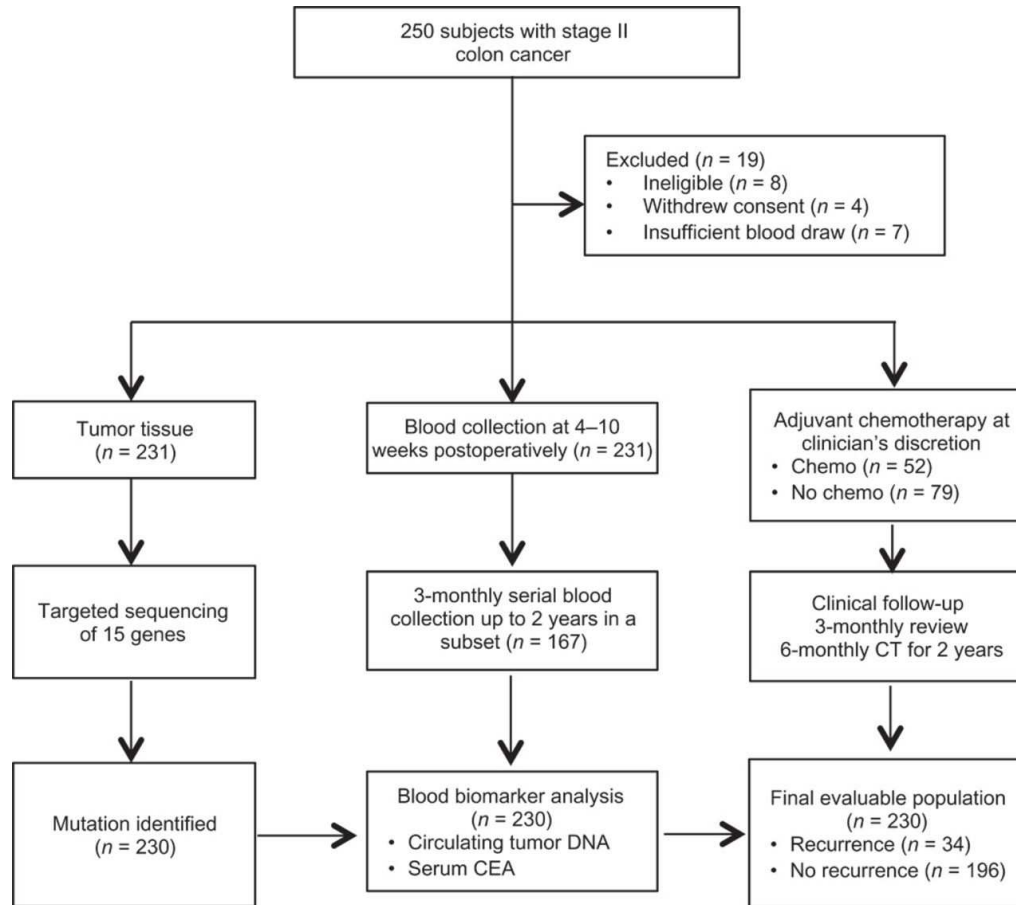
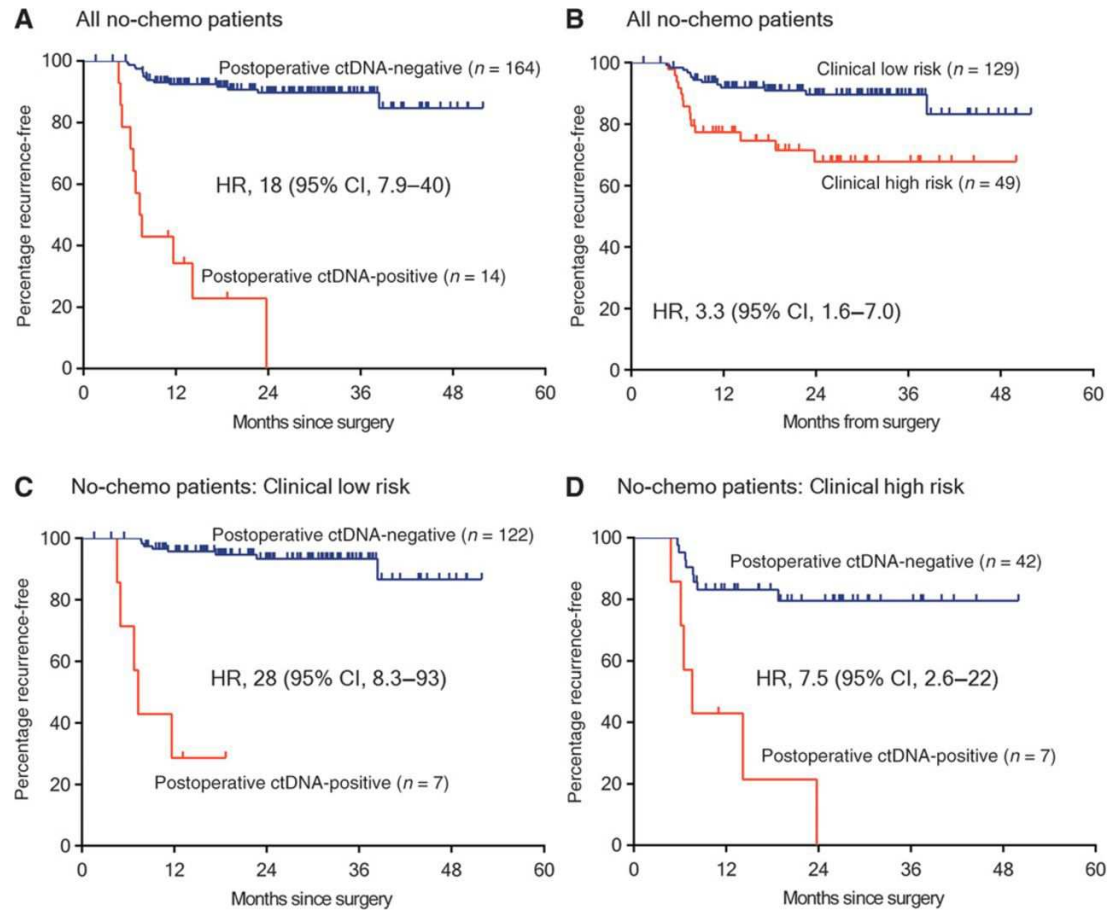


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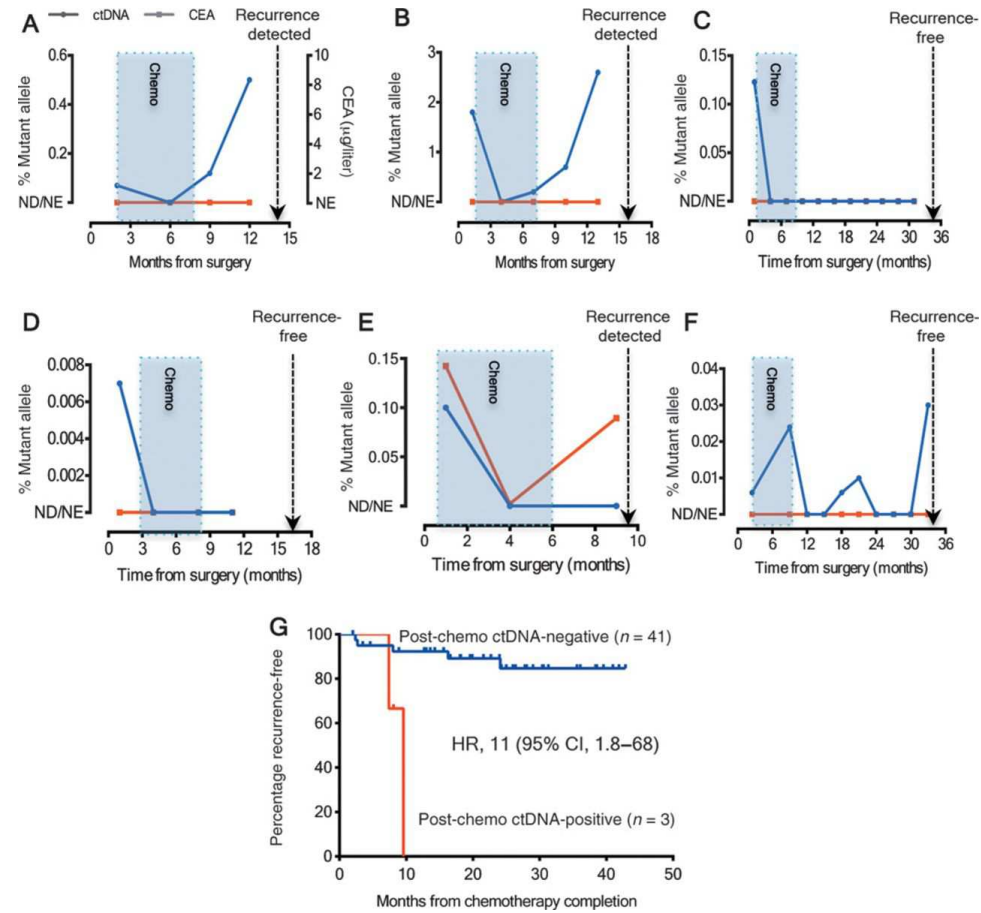
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Fig. 2. RFS in patients not treated with adjuvant chemotherapy.

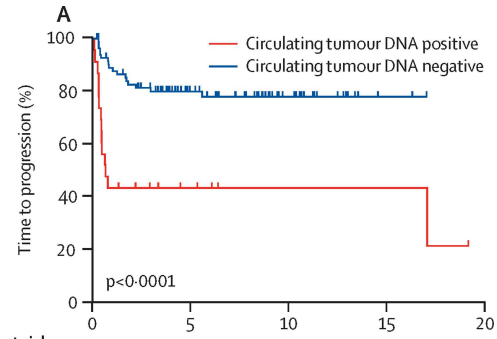


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Fig. 3. ctDNA status before, during, and after adjuvant chemotherapy.

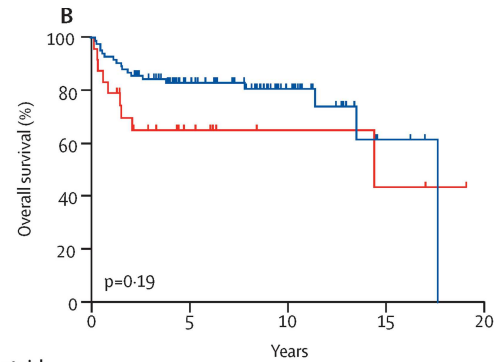


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Number at risk

Circulating tumour DNA negative	84	62	42	33	17	8	2	0
Circulating tumour DNA positive	24	8	5	2	2	2	2	1

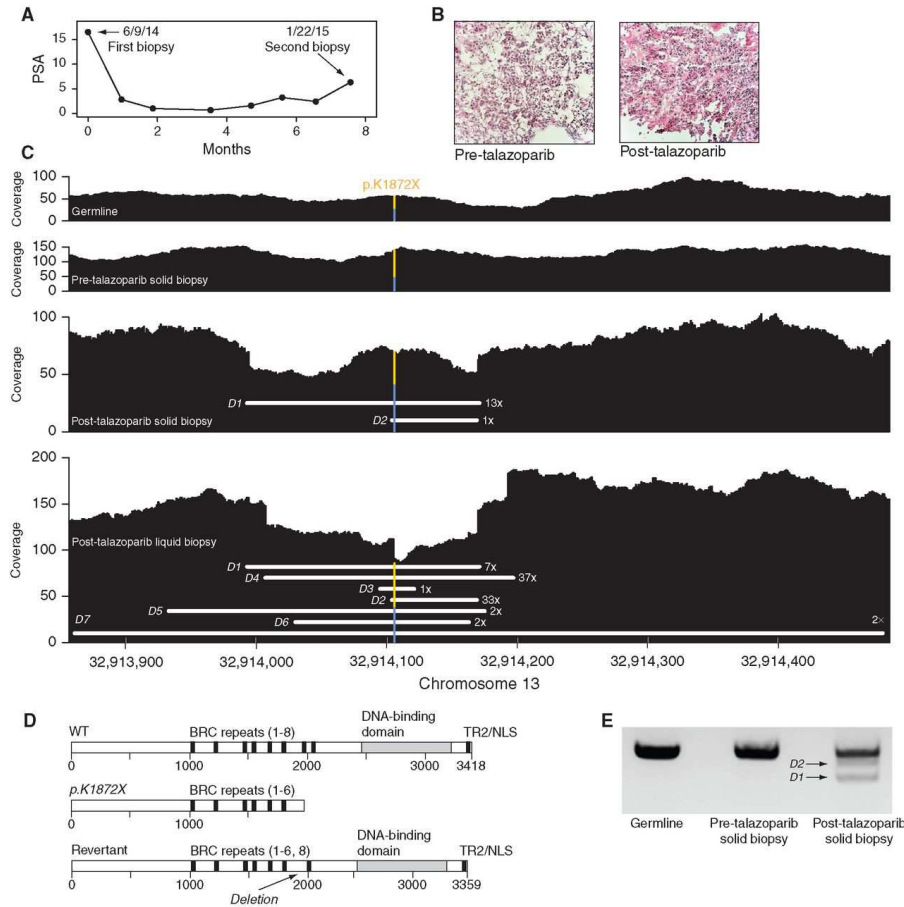


Number at risk

Circulating tumour DNA positive	84	68	48	38	20	11	3	1
Circulating tumour DNA positive	24	13	8	4	3	3	2	1

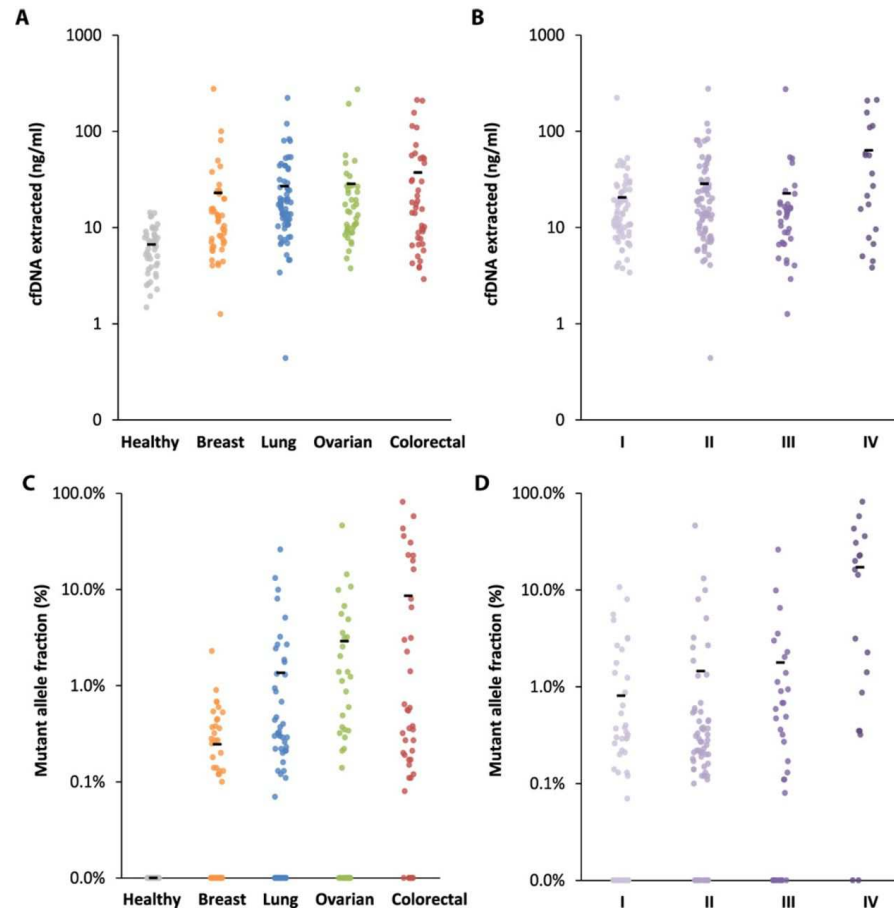


PARPi resistance by multiple large deletions.



David Quigley et al. *Cancer Discov* 2017;7:999-1005

Fig. 3. cfDNA and ctDNA in healthy individuals and patients with cancer.



Jillian Phallen et al., *Sci Transl Med* 2017;9:eaan2415



Table 2. Cancer patients detected using TEC-Seq. NA, not applicable.

Cancer type	Patients (n)	Patients with ctDNA alterations (n)	Fraction of patients with ctDNA alterations (%)
Colorectal			
I	8	4	50
II	9	8	89
III	10	9	90
IV	15	14	93
I-IV	42	35	83
Lung			
I	29	13	45
II	32	23	72
III	4	3	75
IV	6	5	83
I-IV	71	44	62
Ovarian			
I	24	16	67
II	4	3	75
III	8	6	75
IV	6	5	83
I-IV	42	30	71
Breast			
I	3	2	67
II	29	17	59
III	13	6	46
IV	0	NA	NA
I-IV	45	25	56
All			
I and II	138	86	62
III and IV	62	48	77
I-IV	200	134	67