

NACT – Kirurgiske aspekter

Kirurgisk Udvalg, DBCG

Outline

- Indications for NACT
- Local control after NACT and BCS
- Suboptimal converting to BCS after NACT
 - Prediction of pCR
 - Involved margins
 - Microcalcifications
- Treatment of the axilla after NACT

Indications for NACT according to the DBCG guidelines

- cT2: (2,0 cm < tumor <= 5.0 cm), cN0-N1, and non-lobulær type invasive breast cancer, if chemotherapy indicated:
 - ER negative, HER2 negative
 - HER2 positive
 - ER positive, premenopausal

WHAT DO SURGEONS WANT FROM NACT ?

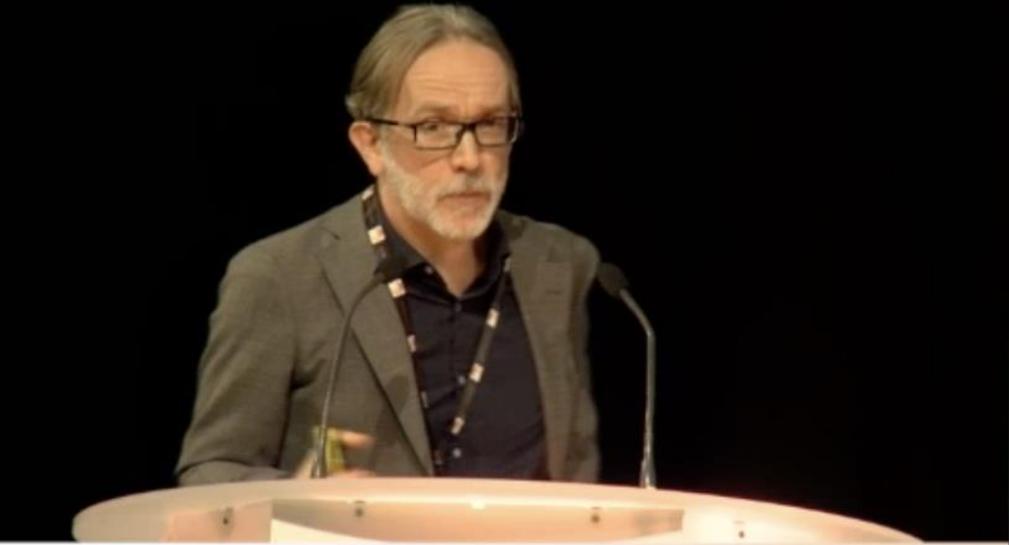
Offer more conservative surgery

..and more successful conservative surgery

Avoid

- mastectomy for pCR
- node clearance for pCR

Facilitate pathway



Ask the panel a question....

#ORBSQ&A

Long-term outcomes for neoadjuvant versus adjuvant chemotherapy in early breast cancer: meta-analysis of individual patient data from ten randomised trials

Early Breast Cancer Trialists' Collaborative Group (EBCTCG)*

- Treated 1983-2002

	Trials (n)*	Women (n)	Deaths (n)†
No anthracycline or taxane ^{8,11,12,17‡}	4	918	315
Anthracycline, no taxane ^{9,10,14-16}	5	2936	1163
Anthracycline and taxane ¹³	1	902	126
Total	10	4756	1604



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*Full list of members in the appendix (pp 19-24) or at <https://www.ctsu.ox.ac.uk/research/ebctcg>

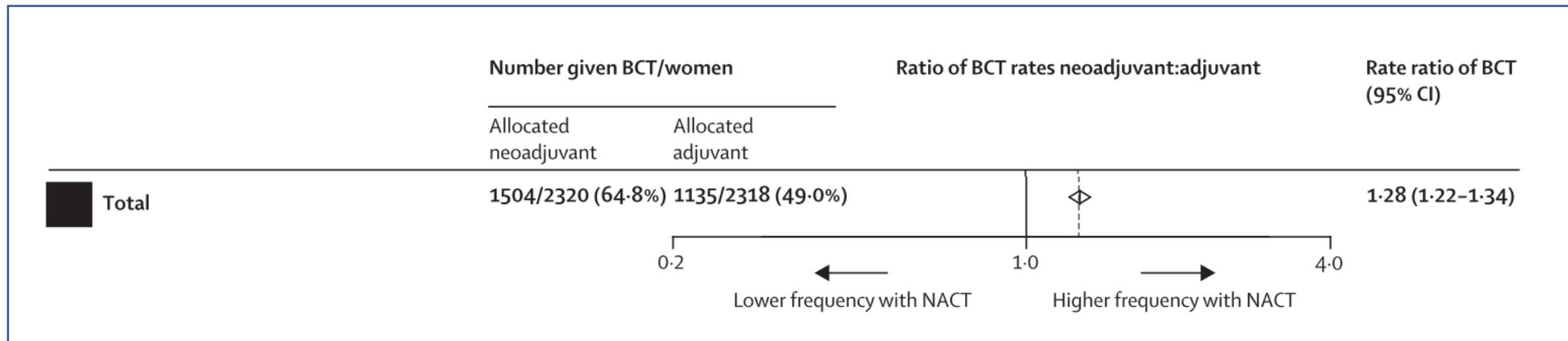
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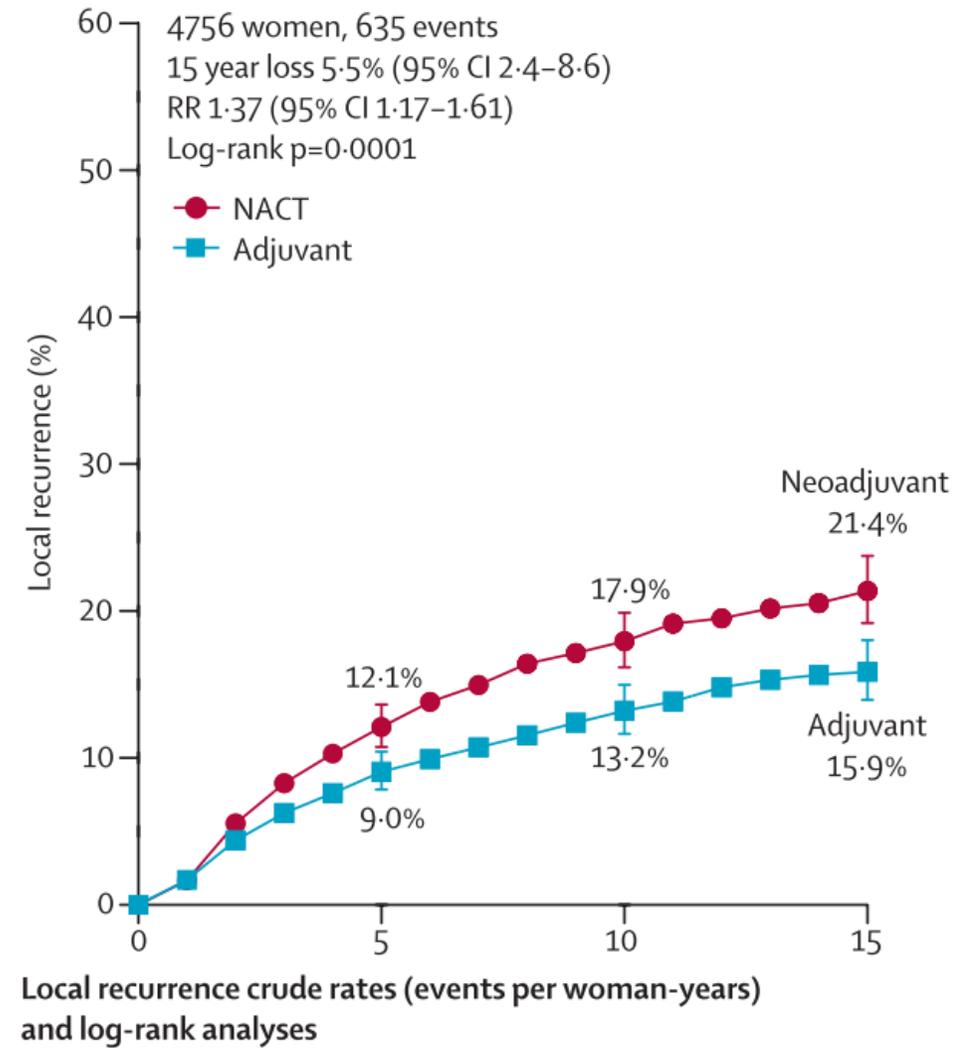
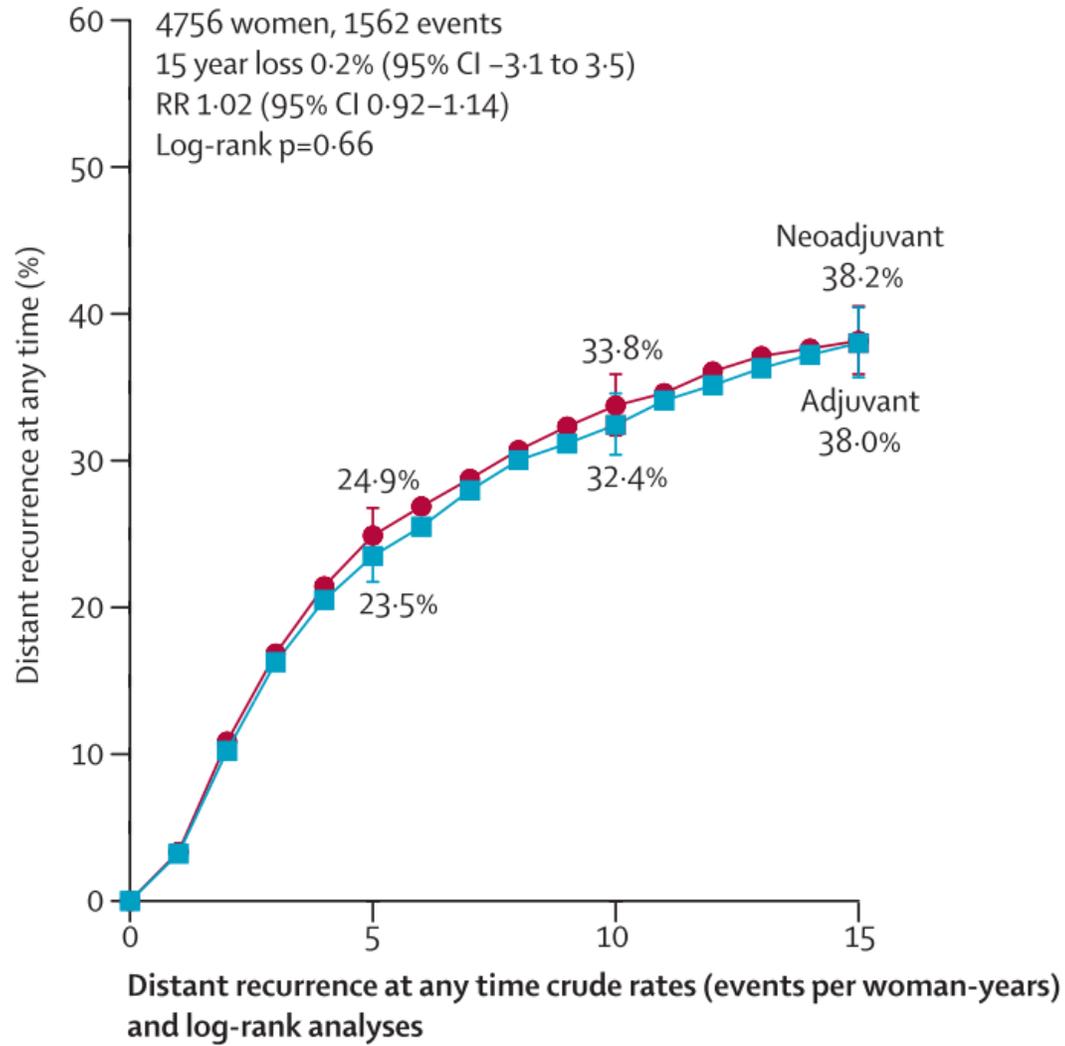
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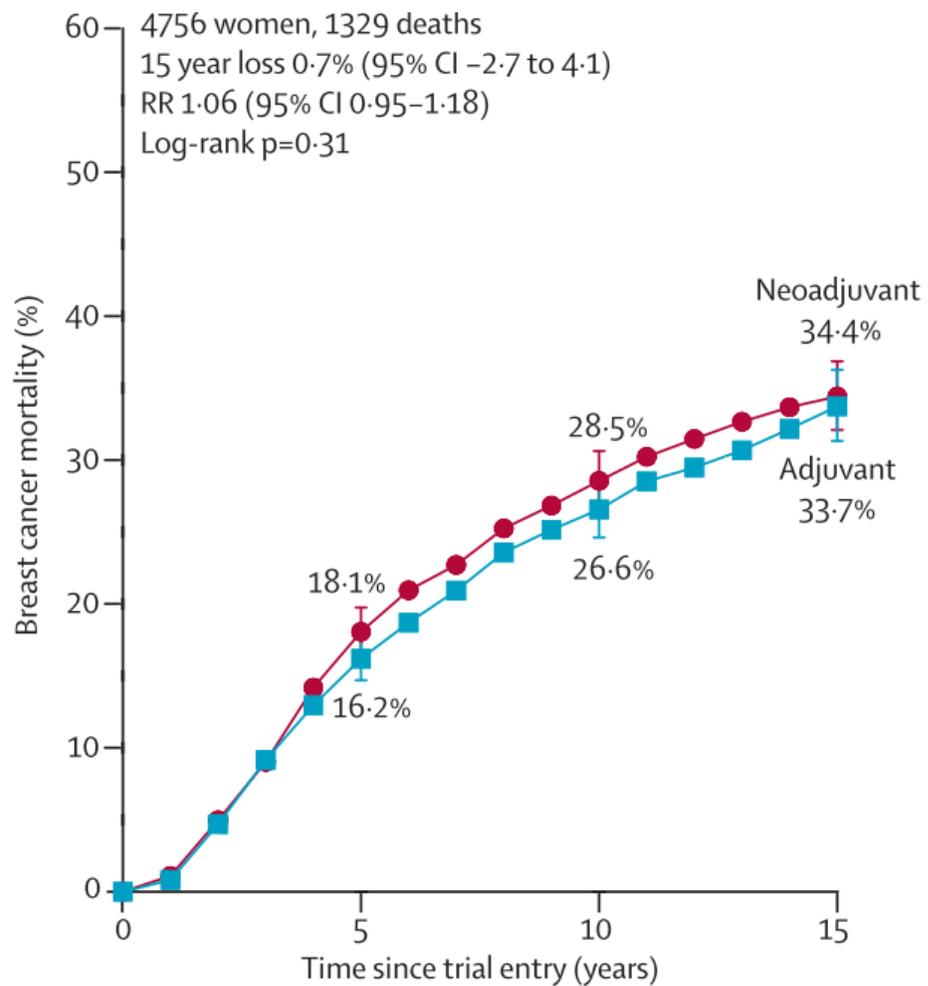
Breast-conserving surgery after NACT

- 65% after NACT
- 49% in patients randomized to adjuv. CT

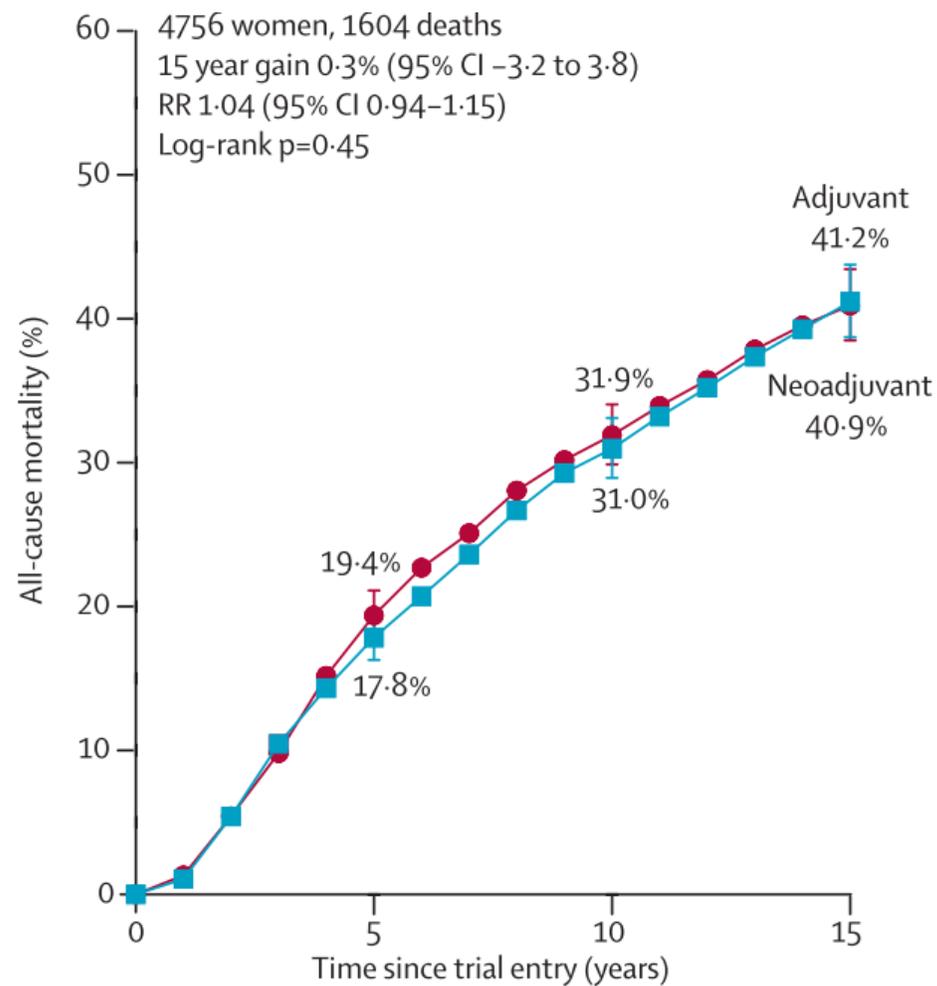
	Clinical response				Total
	Complete*	Partial†	Stable or progressive disease‡	Unknown	
All women					
Breast-conserving	452 (83%)	541 (68%)	246 (42%)	265 (68%)	1504 (65%)
Mastectomy	92 (17%)	258 (32%)	342 (58%)	124 (32%)	816 (35%)
Unknown	2 (NA)	4 (NA)	10 (NA)	51 (NA)	67 (NA)
Total response§	546/1947 (28%)	803/1947 (41%)	598/1947 (31%)	440 (NA)	2387 (100%)



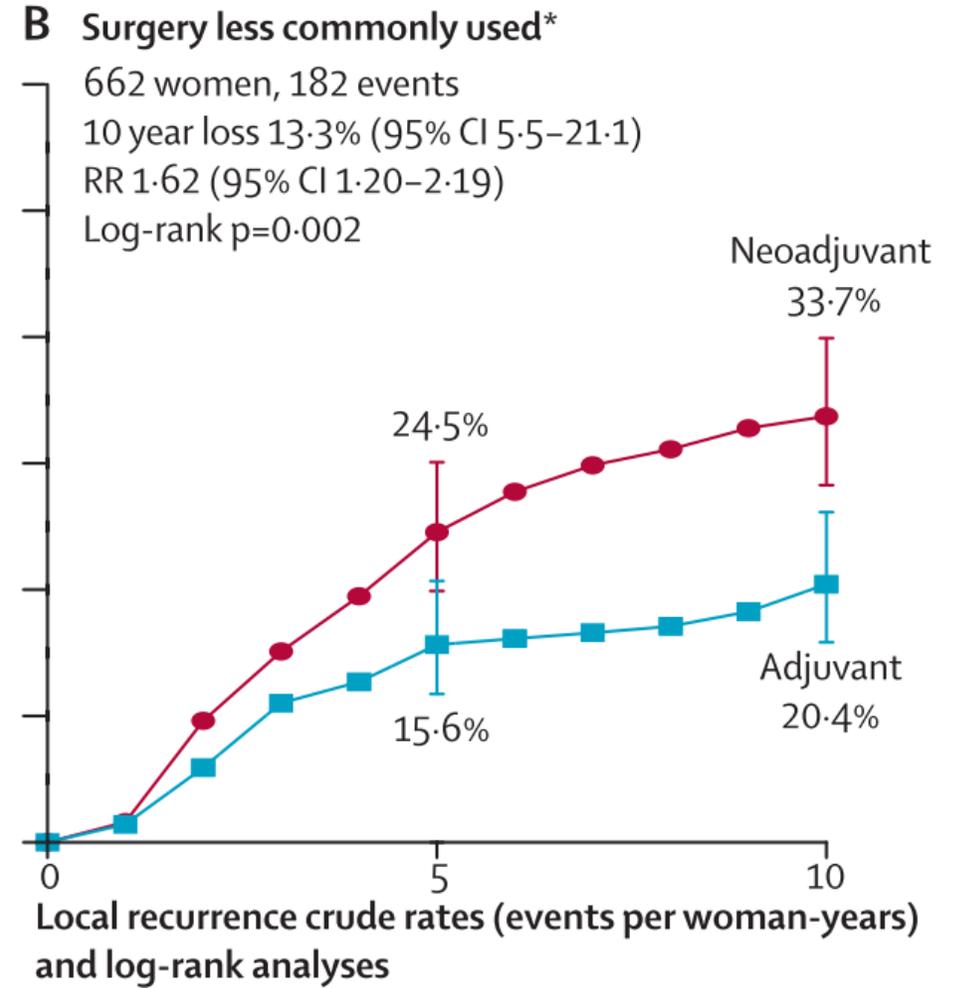
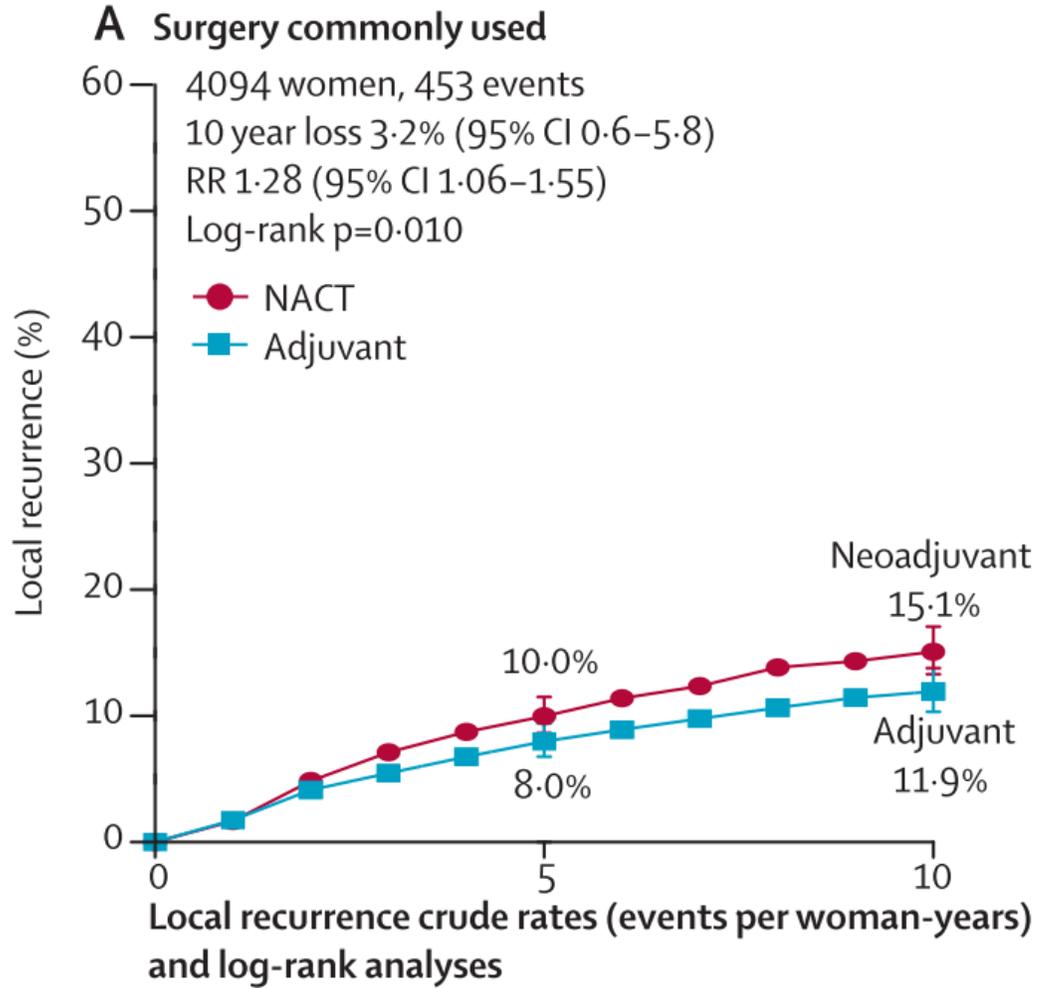




Breast cancer mortality crude rates (events per woman-years) and log-rank analyses



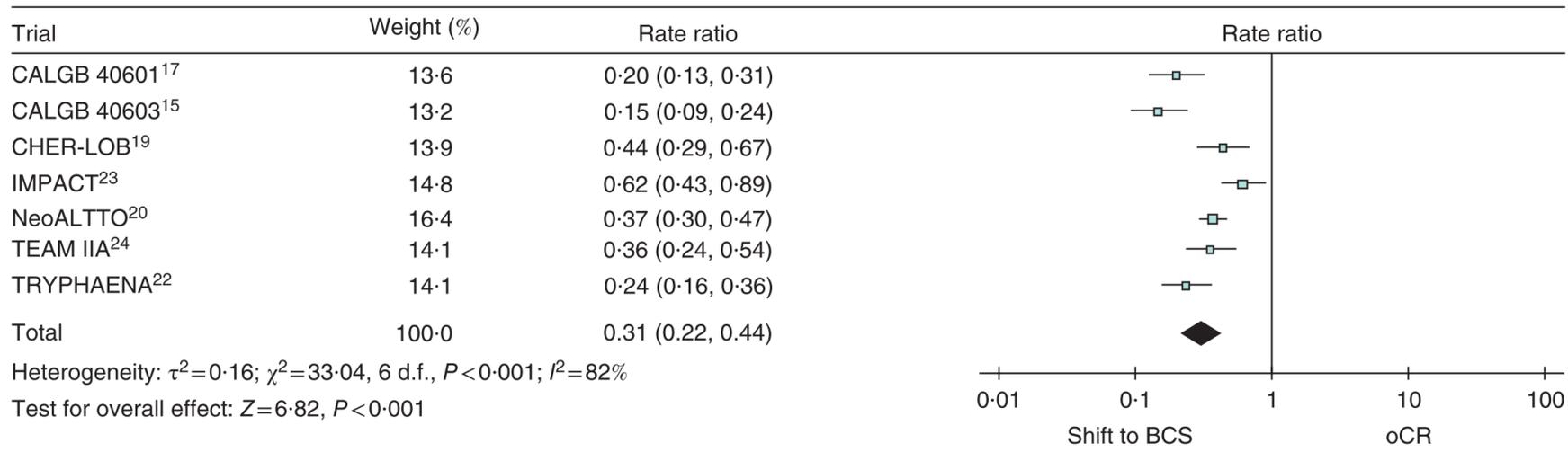
Any death crude rates (events per woman-years) and log-rank analyses



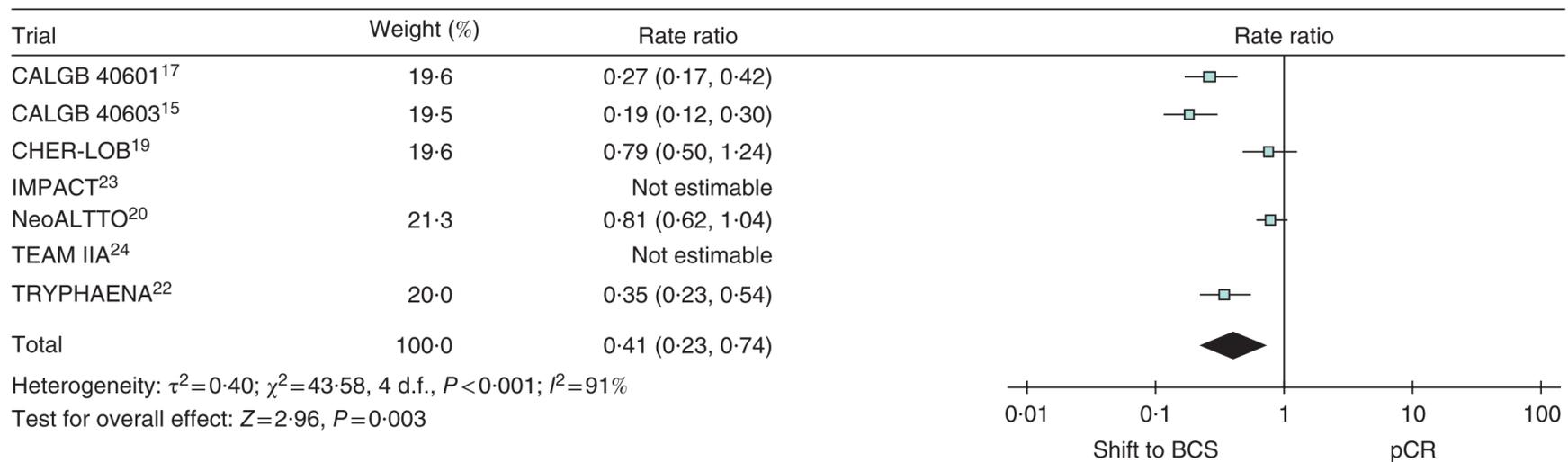
Meta-analysis of neoadjuvant therapy and its impact in facilitating breast conservation in operable breast cancer

A. Karakatsanis^{1,5} , M. K. Tasoulis⁵, F. Wärnberg¹, G. Nilsson^{2,3,4} and F. MacNeill⁵

	Eligibility for BCS (%)		oCR (%)	BCS performed (%)	Shift to BCS (%)
	Before NAT	After NAT			
CALGB 40601	41.4	63.7	63.7	49.0	12.9
CALGB 40603	54.2	68.1	68.1	47.3	-10.9
CHER-LOB	43.8	n.a.	89.9	64.7	39.7
IMPACT	43.6	61.8	34.6	41.5	32.3
NeoALTTO	29.8	46.9	75.4	43.6	28.2
TEAM IIA	61.8	75	64.6	65.7	23.1
TRYPHAENA	46.2	n.a.	92	58.7	21.9
Pooled values	43.3 (41.3, 45.9)	60.4 (57.8, 62.9)	74.8 (72.5, 77.0)	51.8 (49.5, 54.2)	16.6 (14.4, 19.0)



c Shift to BCS *versus* oCR



d Shift to BCS *versus* pCR

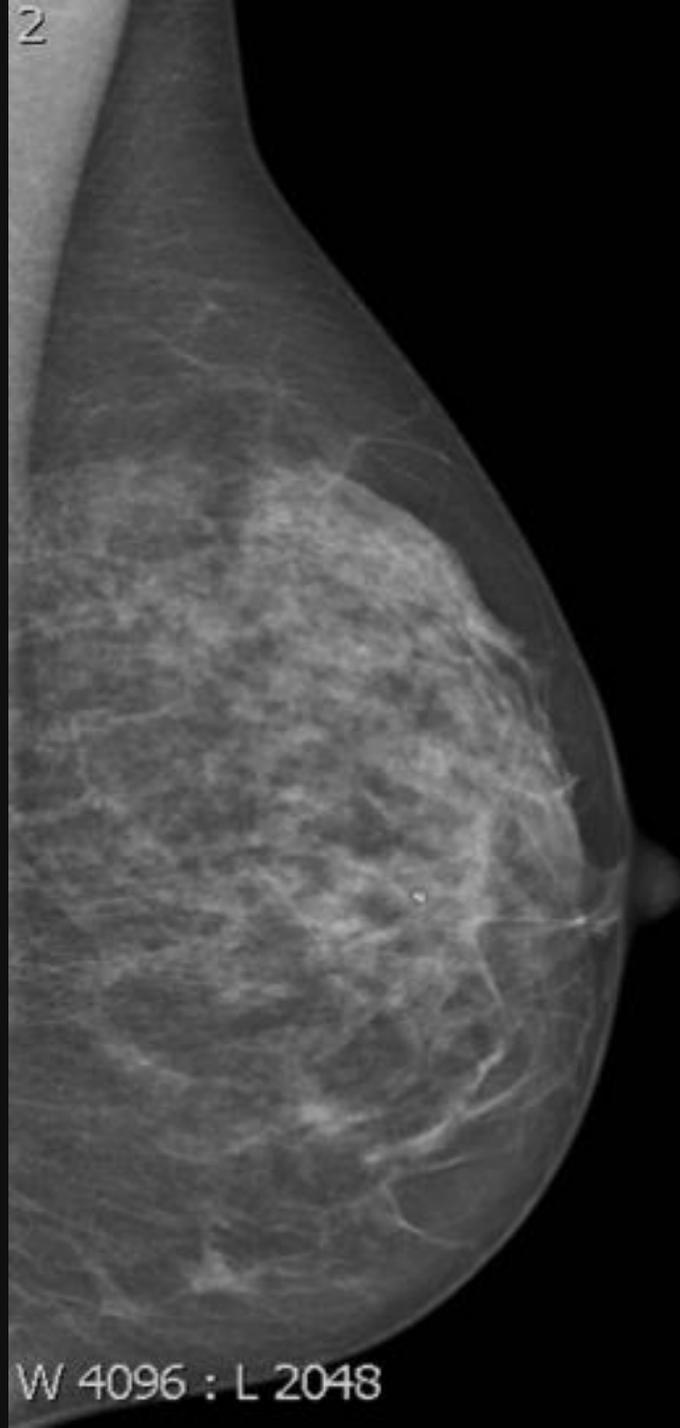
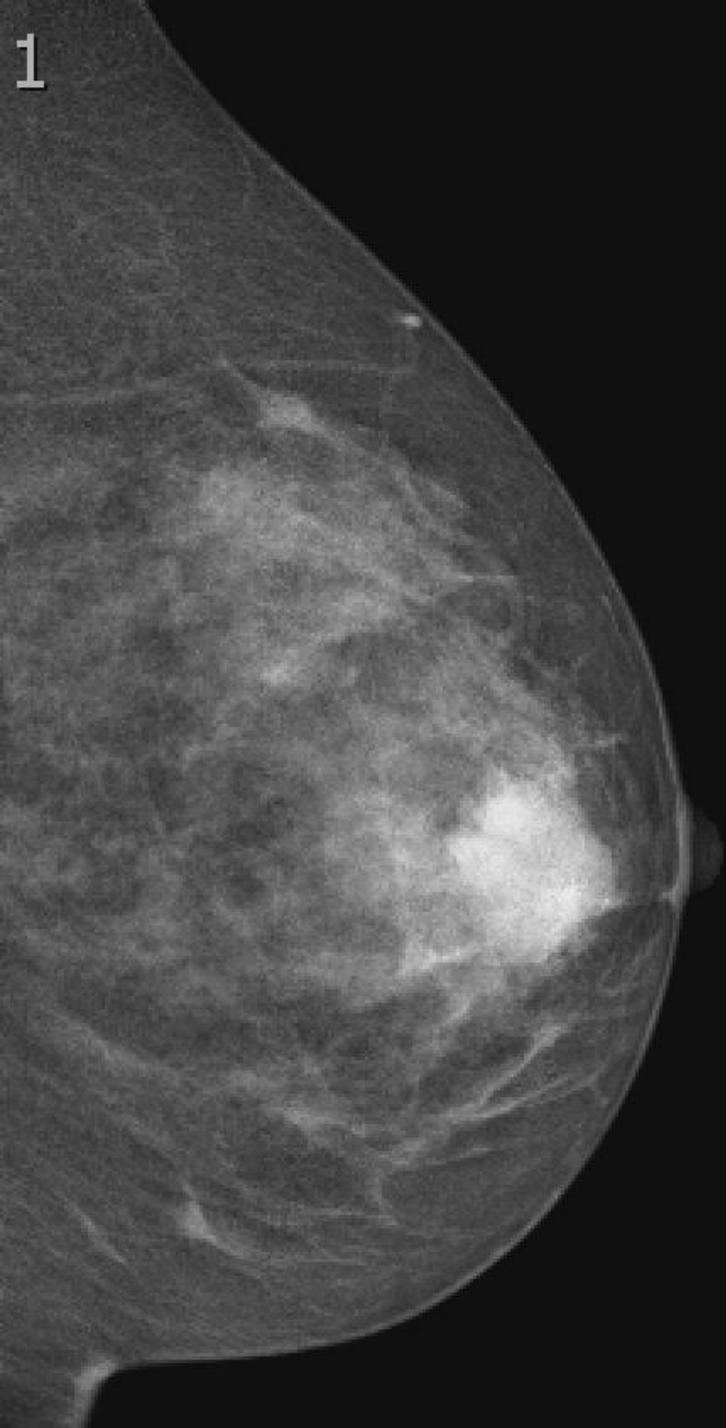
POOLED RESULTS RCT'S

pCR (47.9%)

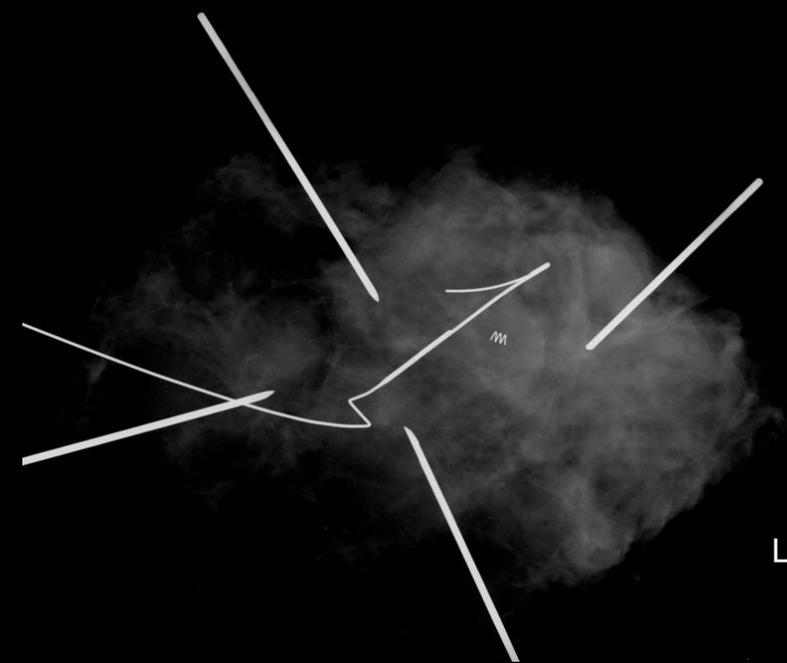
- CALGB 40601
- CALGB 40603
- CHER-LOB
- IMPACT
- NeoALTTO
- TEAM IIA
- TRYPHAENA



	<i>pCR</i>	<i>No pCR</i>
BCS performed	76.9%	23.1%
Mastectomy performed	29.7%	70.3%



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Predicting pCR

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SCIENTIFIC REVIEW

MRI Performance in Detecting pCR After Neoadjuvant Chemotherapy by Molecular Subtype of Breast Cancer

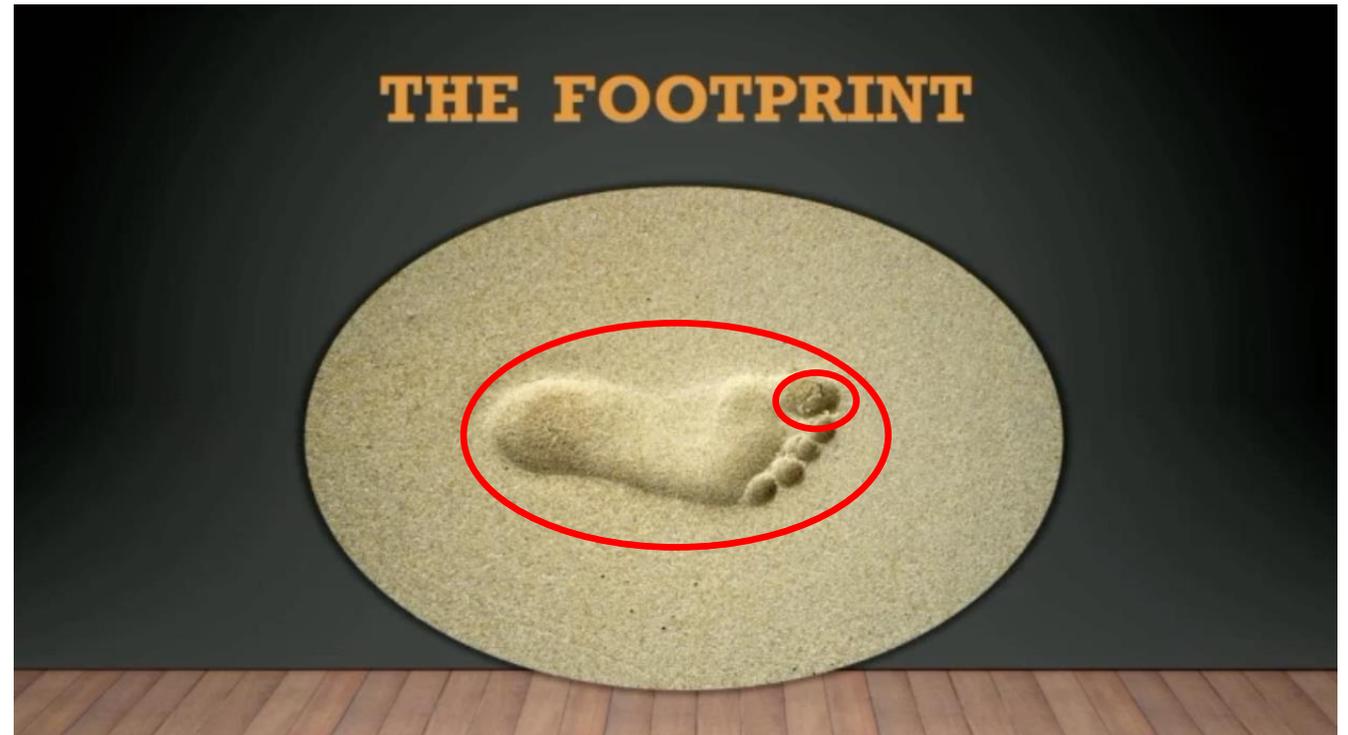
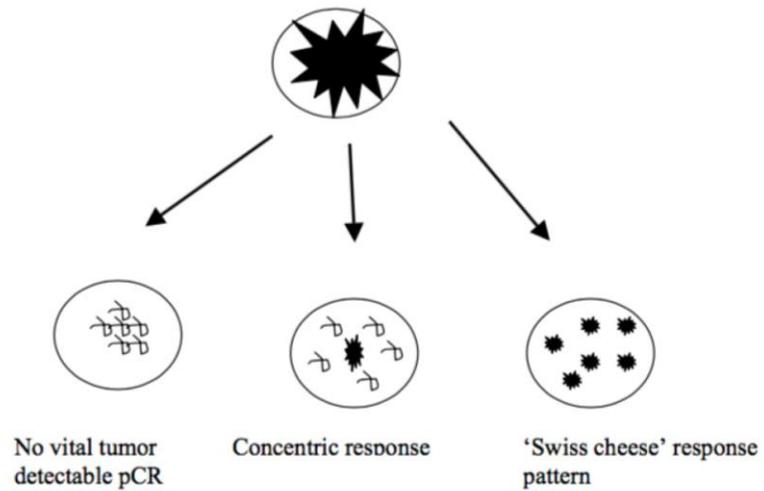
Nancy Yu¹ · Vivian W. Y. Leung¹ · Sarkis Meterissian^{1,2,3,4}

- Review 10 studies

	PPV (% rCR = pCR)	NPV
Overall	50%	90%
Triple Neg / Her2 +	80-90%	90%
ER+	33%	80-90%

Involved margins after NACT

In pCR it's easy but what to do in partial response?

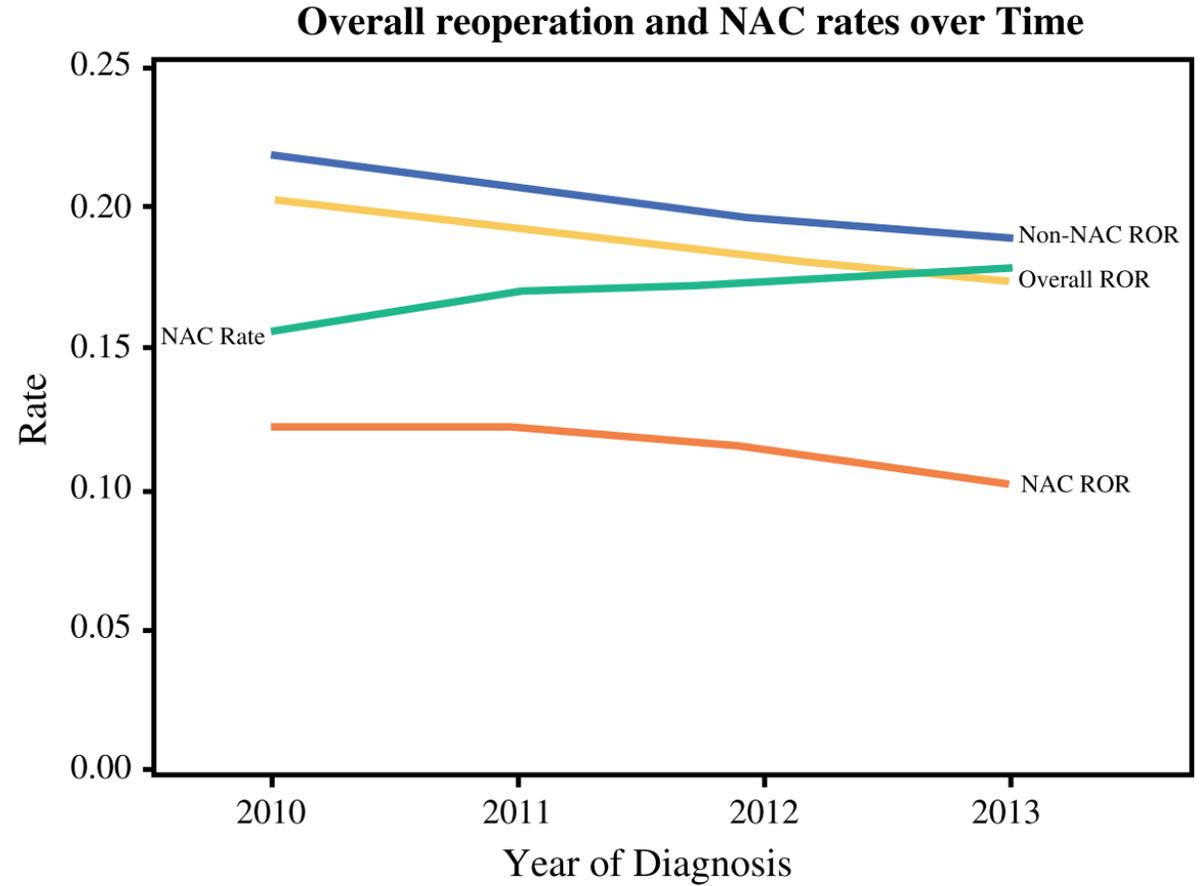




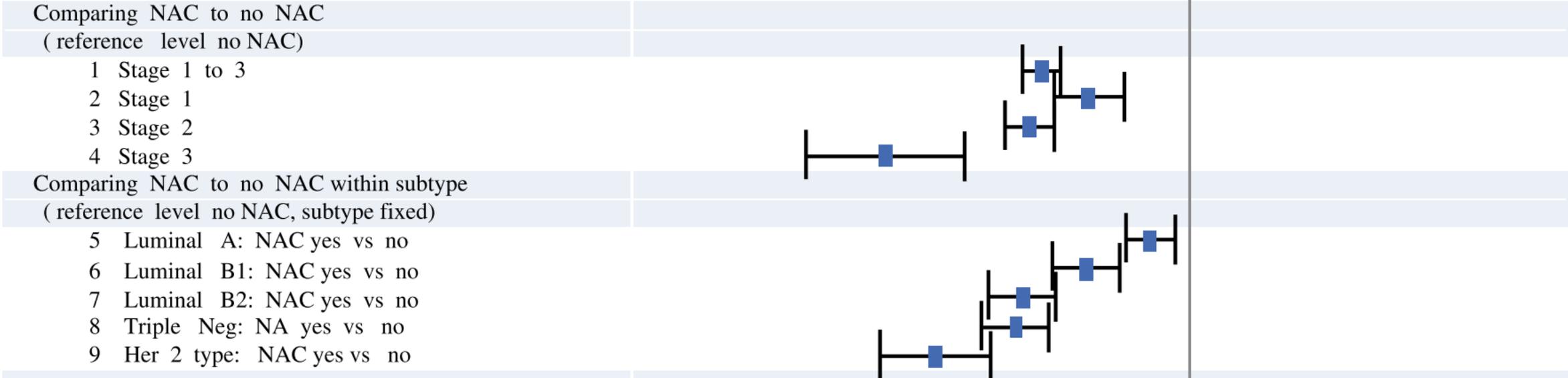
Fewer Reoperations After Lumpectomy for Breast Cancer with Neoadjuvant Rather than Adjuvant Chemotherapy: A Report from the National Cancer Database

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	Incomplete excision
Adjuvant (59470)	20.3%
NACT (12177)	11.4%

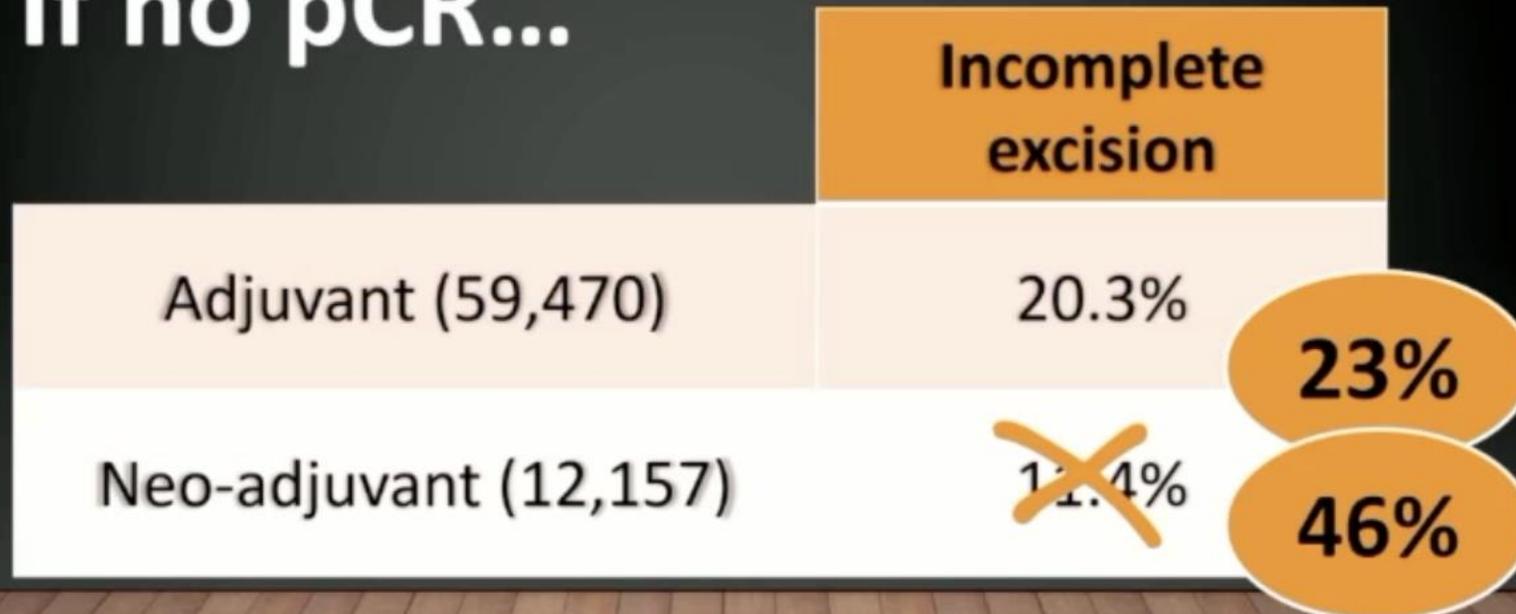


Reoperation odds Ratio



INVOLVED MARGINS AFTER BCS (POST - NAC)

If no pCR...



The role of oncoplastic surgery after NACT

Nottingham 2018

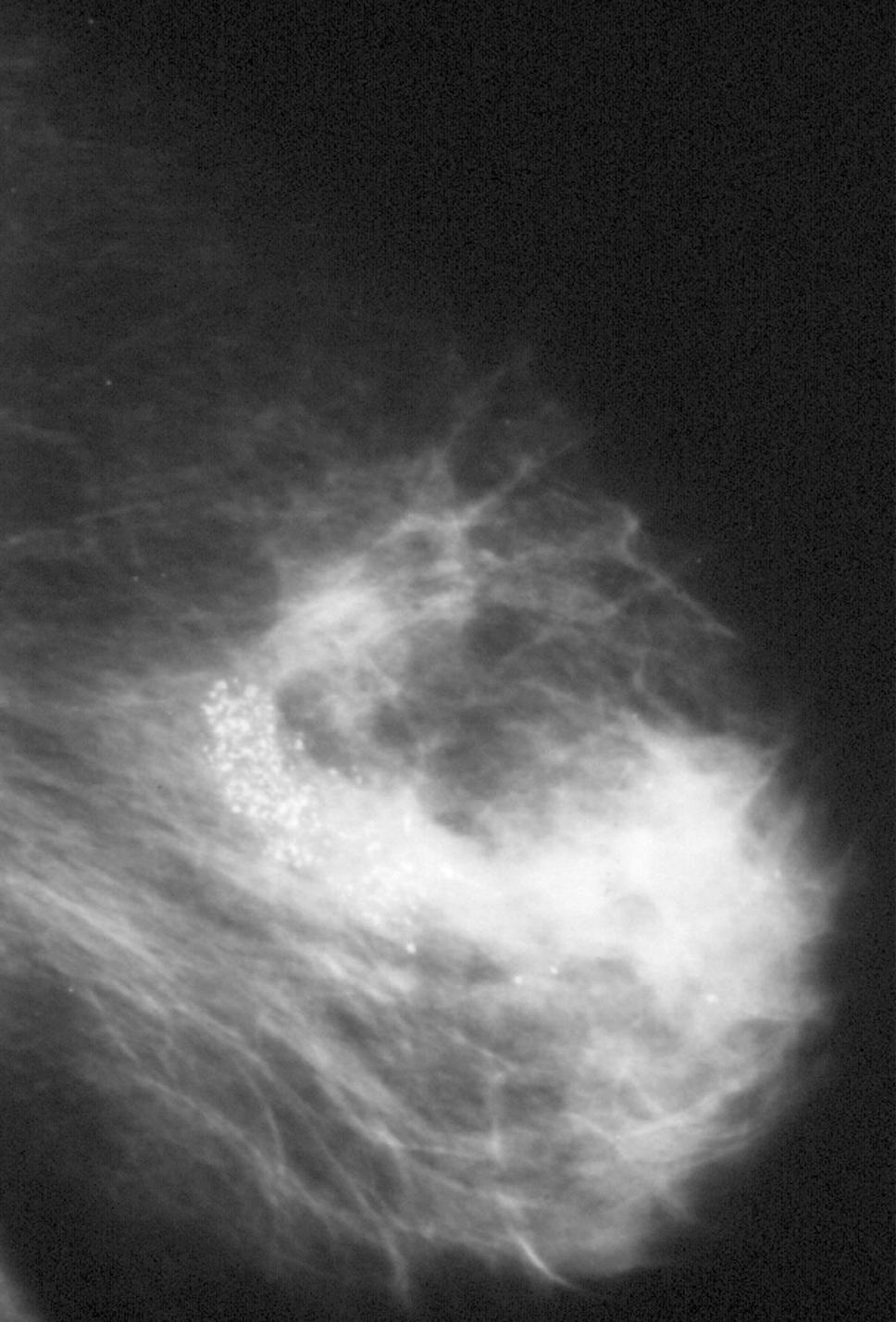
101 / 707 (14%) primary operable breast cancer

71% Triple -ve or Her2 +ve

29% ER +ve / Her2 -ve

Overall 55% BCS

$\frac{3}{4}$ with Level 2 oncoplastic



Microcalcifications and NACT

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ORIGINAL ARTICLE – BREAST ONCOLOGY

Do Calcifications Seen on Mammography After Neoadjuvant Chemotherapy for Breast Cancer Always Need to Be Excised?

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Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center April 2009 - October 2015.

90 patients with pre- and posttreatment MRI and mammograms demonstrating calcifications within the tumor bed either at presentation or after treatment.

TABLE 2 Correlation between changes in calcification on mammogram, changes in enhancement on magnetic resonance imaging (MRI), and rates of pathologic complete response (pCR)

Change in calcifications on mammography	Change in MRI enhancement		pCR <i>n</i> (%)
	Resolved <i>n</i> (%)	Decreased <i>n</i> (%)	
Resolved (<i>n</i> = 3)	3 (100)	0 (0)	3 (100)
Decreased (<i>n</i> = 15)	5 (33)	10 (67)	4 (27) ^a
No change (<i>n</i> = 42)	16 (38)	26 (62)	10 (24) ^b
Increased (<i>n</i> = 24)	14 (58)	10 (42)	9 (38) ^c
New (<i>n</i> = 6)	2 (33)	4 (67)	3 (50) ^d

^a 1 of 4 had resolved MRI enhancement; 3 of 4 had decreased MRI enhancement

^b 9 of 10 had resolved MRI enhancement; 1 of 10 had decreased MRI enhancement

^c 9 of 9 had resolved MRI enhancement

^d 1 of 3 had resolved MRI enhancement; 2 of 3 had decreased MRI enhancement

RESEARCH

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Residual microcalcifications after neoadjuvant chemotherapy for locally advanced breast cancer: comparison of the accuracies of mammography and MRI in predicting pathological residual tumor

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Clinical stage

IIA	3 (10.3)
IIB	7 (24.1)
IIIA	18 (62.1)
IIIC	1 (3.5)

Table 3 Residual mammographic microcalcifications after NAC correlated with final pathological results

	Benign calcifications (<i>n</i> = 13)	Malignant calcifications (<i>n</i> = 16)	<i>p</i> value
Pathologic responses			0.03
pCR	4 (100.0)	0 (0.0)	
Non-pCR	9 (36.0)	16 (64.0)	

Treatment of the axilla after NACT

Axillary metastatic lymph nodes are converted to node negative in most patients having pCR in the breast

San Antonio Breast Cancer Symposium, December 8-12, 2015

Effect of Neoadjuvant Chemotherapy on Axillary Nodal Metastases

- Neoadjuvant chemotherapy down-stages axillary nodes in **20-40%** of the patients
- Even higher rates (**> 50%**) in HER-2 + patients with chemo + Anti-HER 2 therapy
- Potential for decreasing the extent of axillary surgery with SLNB

Regimen	% Conversion From Node (+) To Node (-)
AC (NSABP B-18)	30
FEC (EORTC)	19
AT->CMF (ECTO)	37
AC->TXT (NSABP B-27*)	43

*Assuming 30% nodal down-staging with neoadjuvant AC

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SN after NACT in node positive patients

Study	N	Detection	Nodal pCR
SENTINA (arm C)	474	80%	49%
ACOSOG Z1071	649	93%	41%
SN FNAC	153	88%	30%

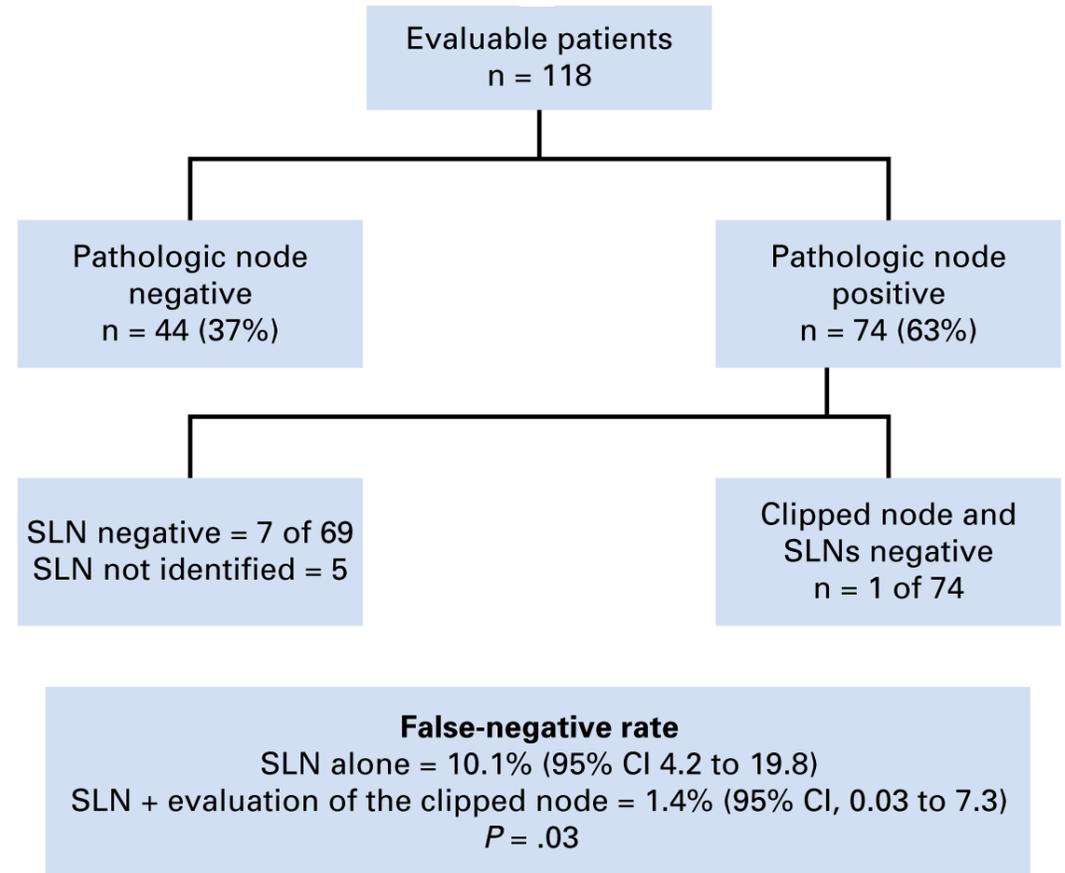
Table 3 | False-negative rates for SLNB after conversion to clinically node-negative disease following NACT

Prospective trial	Overall false-negative rate	Stratified by number of SLNs			Stratified by SLN-detection technique	
		1 (%)	2 (%)	≥3 (%)	Single agent (%)	Dual agent (%)
SENTINA (treatment arm C) ⁵⁸	14.2 (95% CI 9.9–19.4)	24.3	18.5	7.3	16.0*	8.6
ACOSOG Z1071 ⁵⁷	12.6% (95% CI 9.9–16.1)	31.5	21	9.1	20.3 [‡]	10.8
SN FNAC ⁵⁶	8.4% (95% CI 2.4–14.4)	18.2	4.9 [§]	NR	16.0*	5.2

*With radioactive colloid only. [‡]With either radioisotope alone or blue dye alone. [§]Reported as two or more. Abbreviations: ACOSOG, American College of Surgeons Oncology Group; NACT, neoadjuvant chemotherapy; NR not reported; SLN, sentinel lymph node; SLNB, sentinel lymph-node biopsy.

Improved Axillary Evaluation Following Neoadjuvant Therapy for Patients With Node-Positive Breast Cancer Using Selective Evaluation of Clipped Nodes: Implementation of Targeted Axillary Dissection

Abigail S. Caudle, Wei T. Yang, Savitri Krishnamurthy, Elizabeth A. Mittendorf, Dalliah M. Black, Michael Z. Gilcrease, Isabelle Bedrosian, Brian P. Hobbs, Sarah M. DeSnyder, Rosa F. Hwang, Beatriz E. Adrada, Simona F. Shaitelman, Mariana Chavez-MacGregor, Benjamin D. Smith, Rosalind P. Candelaria, Gildy V. Babiera, Basak E. Dogan, Lumarie Santiago, Kelly K. Hunt, and Henry M. Kuerer

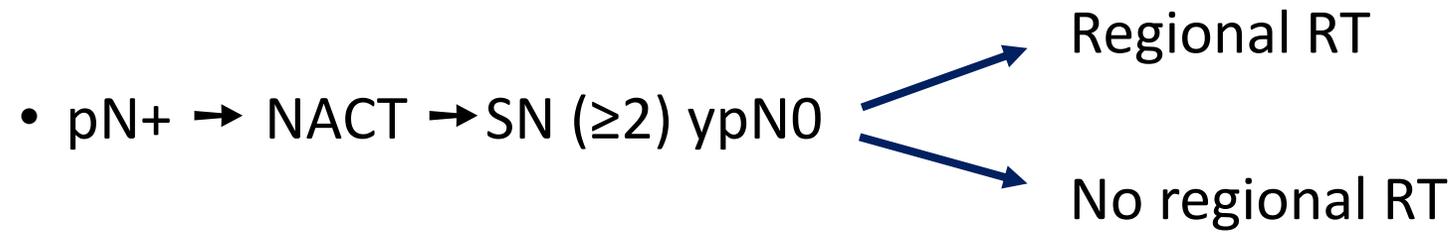


Ongoing trials: N-positive pre NACT

- GANEA 3 (France)
 - pN+ (clipped node) → NACT → SN + excision clipped node + ALND
 - N=385
 - Outcome: FNR

- RISAS - Primary **R**adioactive **I**odine **S**eed Localization in the Axilla in **A**xillary Node Positive Breast Cancer Combined With **S**entinel Node Procedure (the Netherlands)
 - pN+ (iodine seed) → NACT → SN + excision iodine seed + ALND
 - N=200
 - Outcome: Identification rate, FNR

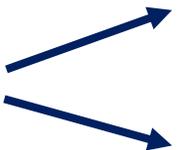
- NSABP B51 (USA)



- N=1636 (71% included)

- Outcome: recurrence-free interval (IBC-RFI)

- ATNEC (UK)

- pN+ → NACT → SN (≥ 2 + clipped node) ypN0
 - N=1900 (not started to include)
 - Outcome: 5-yr DFS
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graph LR; A["pN+ → NACT → SN (≥2 + clipped node) ypN0"] --> B["Regional RT/ALND"]; A --> C["No regional RT/ALND"]
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- NEONOD 2 (Italia)

- pN+ → NACT → SN

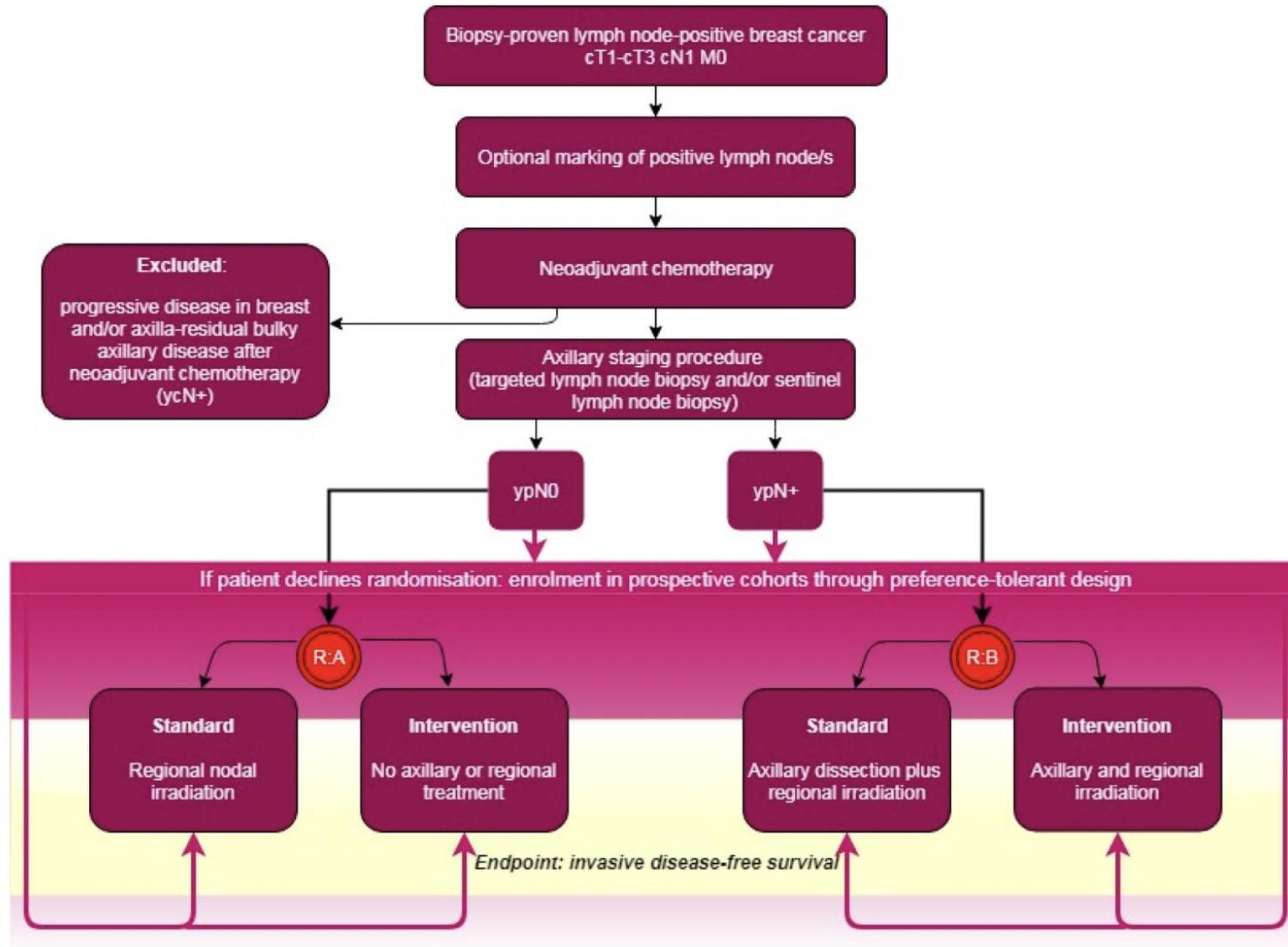
- ypN1(mi) No axillary treatment

- ypN0/ypN0(i+) No axillary treatment

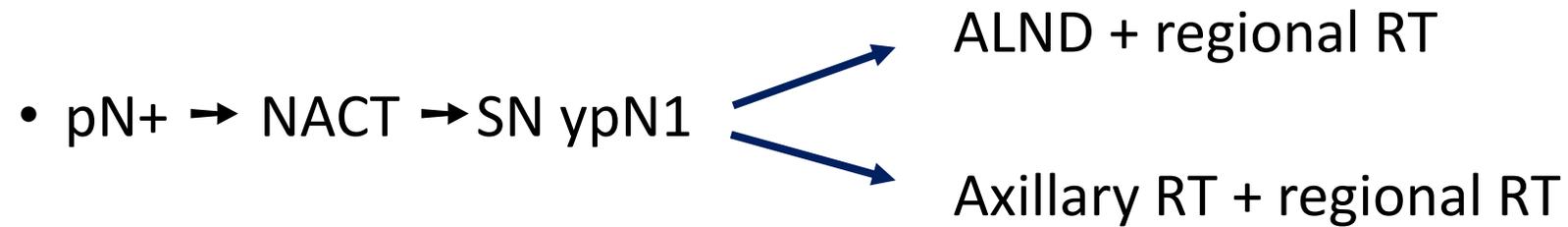
- ypN1 ALND

- N=1500

- Outcome: 5-yr DFS



- ALLIANCE A011 202 (USA)

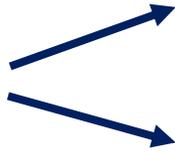


- N=2918

- Outcome: invasive breast cancer recurrence-free interval (IBC-RFI)

- TAXIS trial (Switzerland)

- pN+ → NACT → SN ypN1



ALND + regional RT

Axillary RT + regional RT

- N=1500

- Outcome: DFS

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