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Progress in the Treatment of Metastatic Colorectal Cancer

One Year After the Launch of Avastin®

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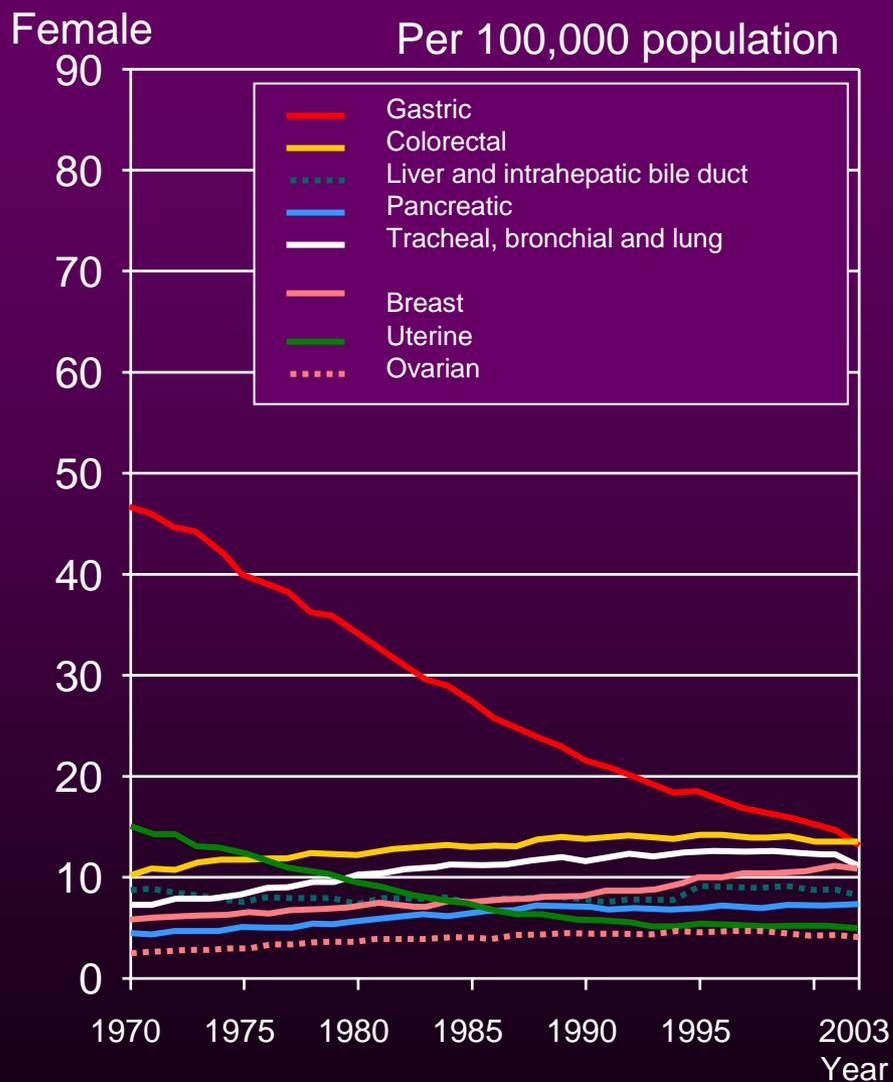
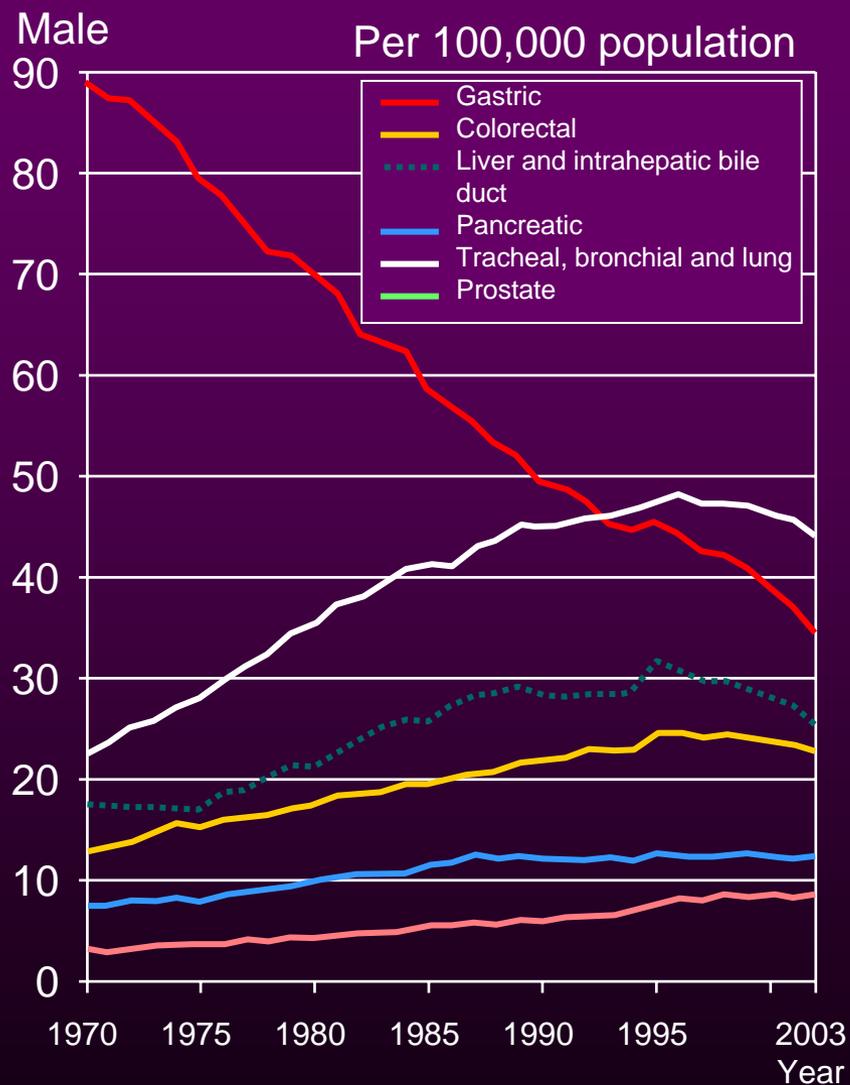
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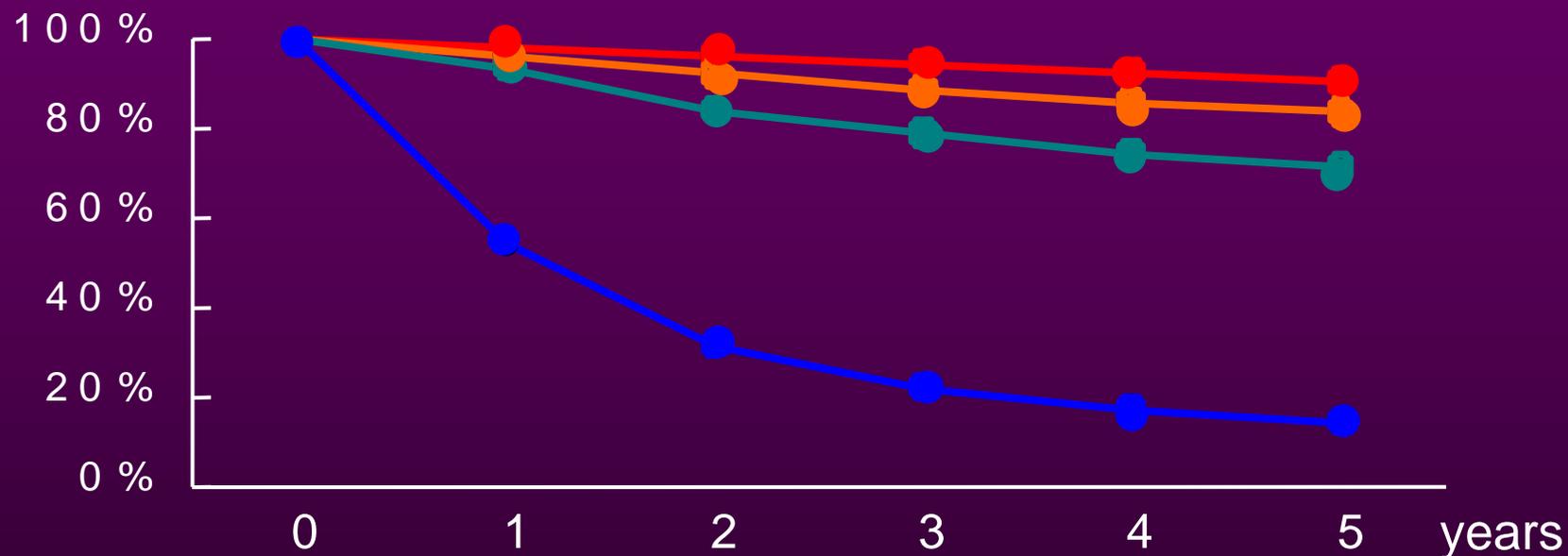
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Age-adjusted death Rates

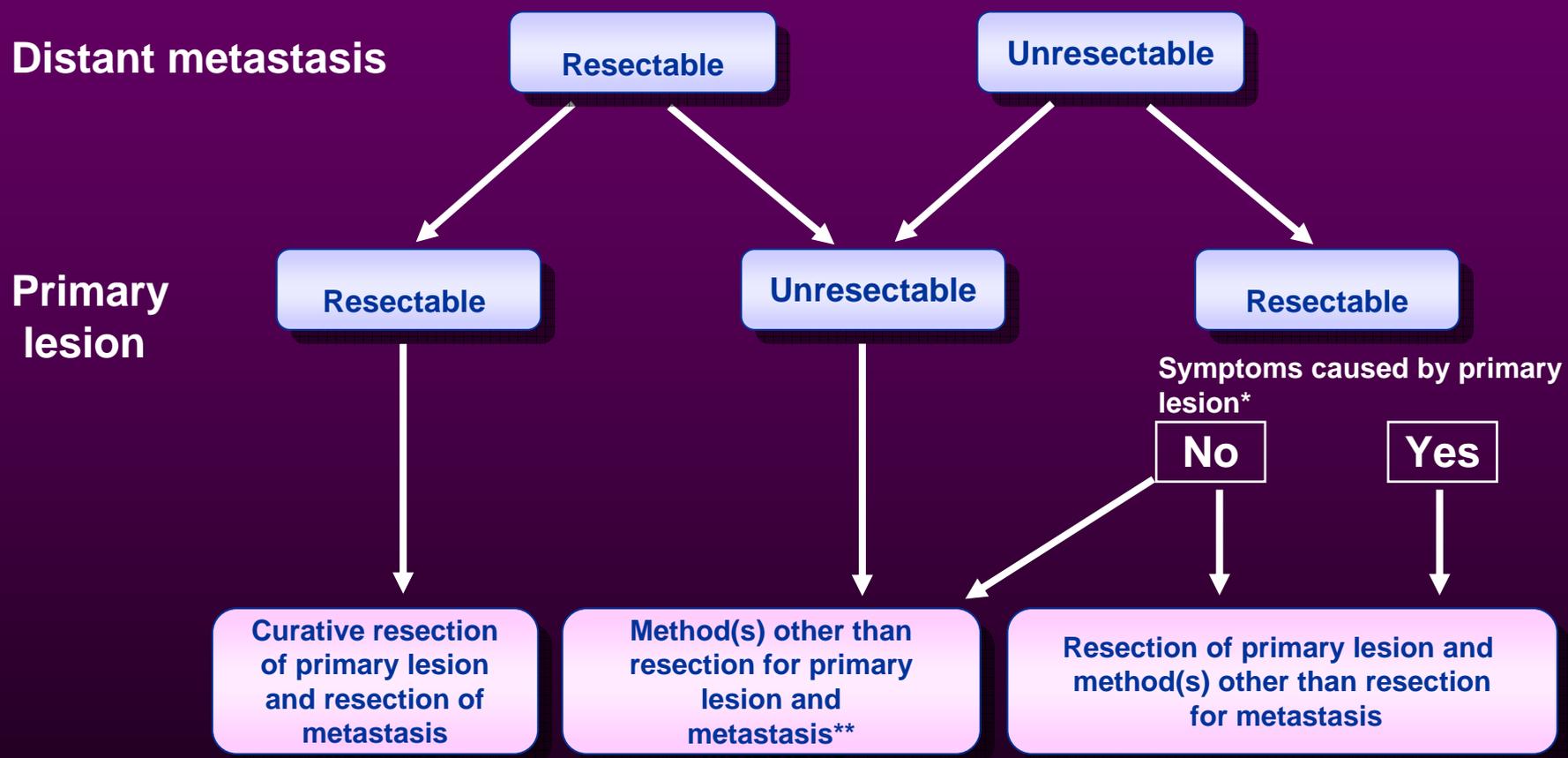


Survival Rates for Colon Cancer by Clinical Stage (1991-1994)



■ Stage I	100 %	98 %	96 %	95 %	93 %	91 %
■ Stage II	100 %	96 %	93 %	89 %	86 %	84 %
■ Stage III	100 %	94 %	84 %	79 %	75 %	71 %
■ Stage IV	100 %	55 %	32 %	22 %	17 %	14 %

Treatment Guidelines for Stage IV Colorectal Cancer

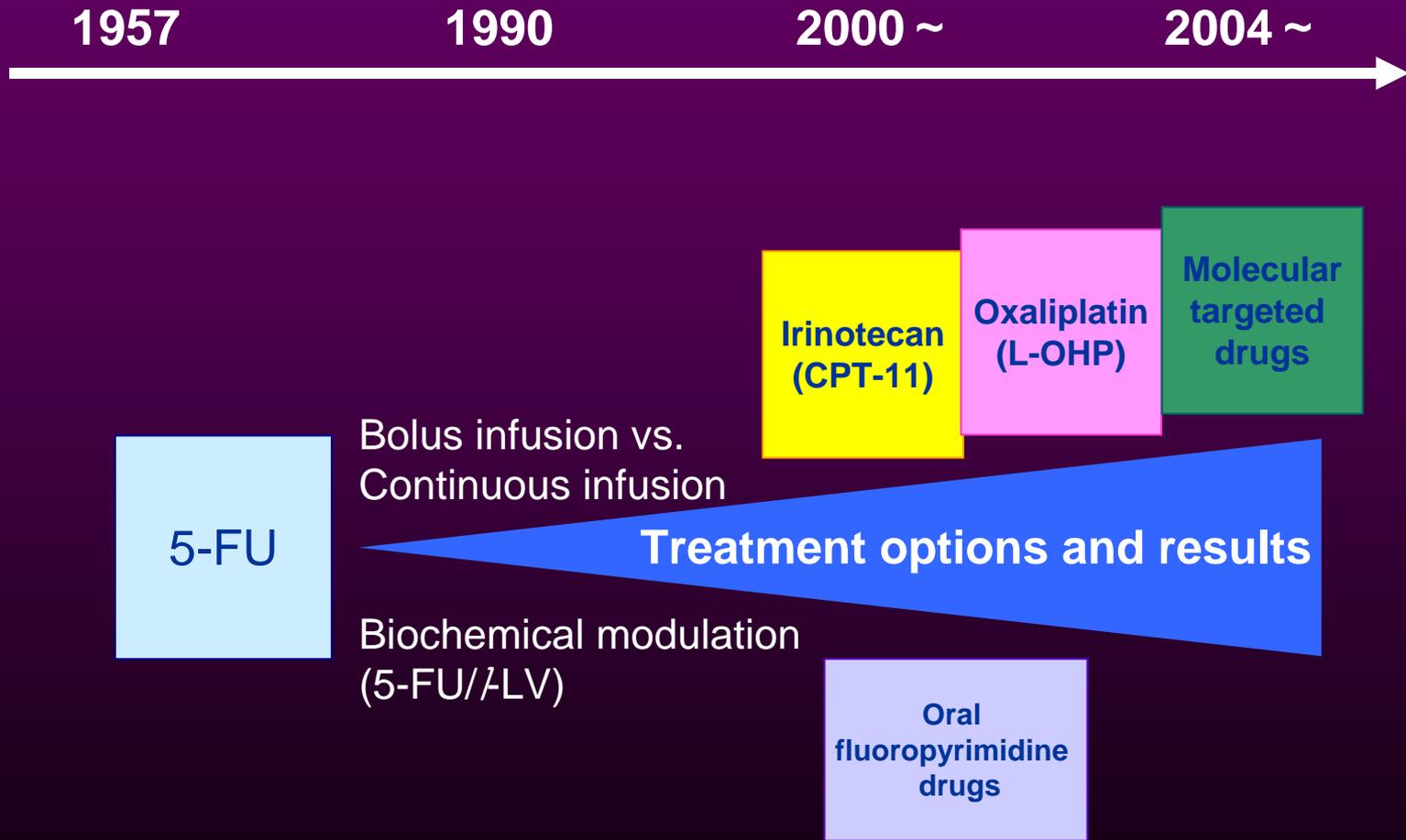


* Symptoms caused by primary lesion: hemorrhage, severe anemia, penetration, perforation, stenosis, etc.

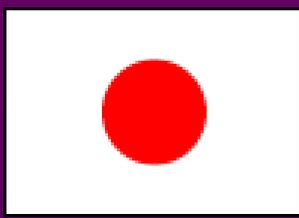
** Method(s) other than resection: See also treatment guidelines for palliative surgery for primary lesion **chemotherapy, radiotherapy and hematogenous metastasis**

Standard Therapy for Metastatic Colorectal Cancer

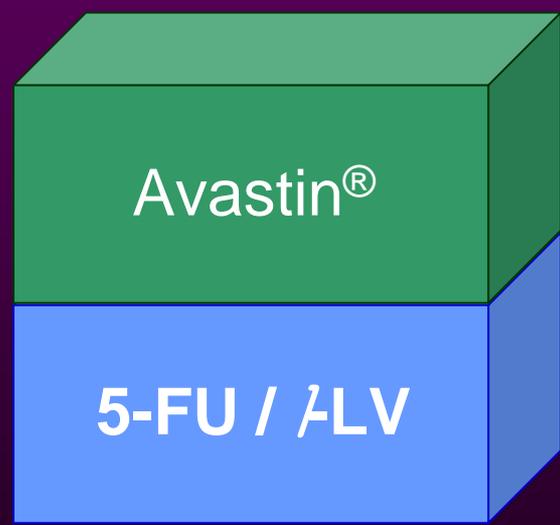
Development of Chemotherapy for Metastatic Colorectal Cancer



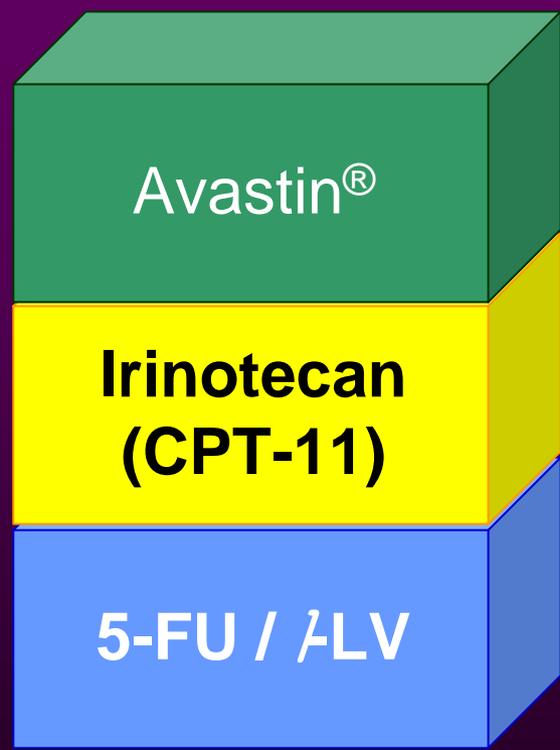
Chemotherapy for Metastatic Colorectal Cancer



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5-FU/7LV with Avastin®



**IFL with Avastin®
FOLFIRI with Avastin®**



FOLFOX with Avastin®

Effects of Anti-VEGF Therapy

Initial effects

1. Regression of existing microvasculature
2. Normalization of tumor vasculature

Expected therapeutic effects

Enhanced and sustained tumor shrinkage

Improved delivery of anticancer drugs to tumor tissue

Reduced interstitial pressure

The rationale for effectiveness when used in combination with anticancer drugs

Sustained effects

3. Inhibition of newly formed vessels and revascularization

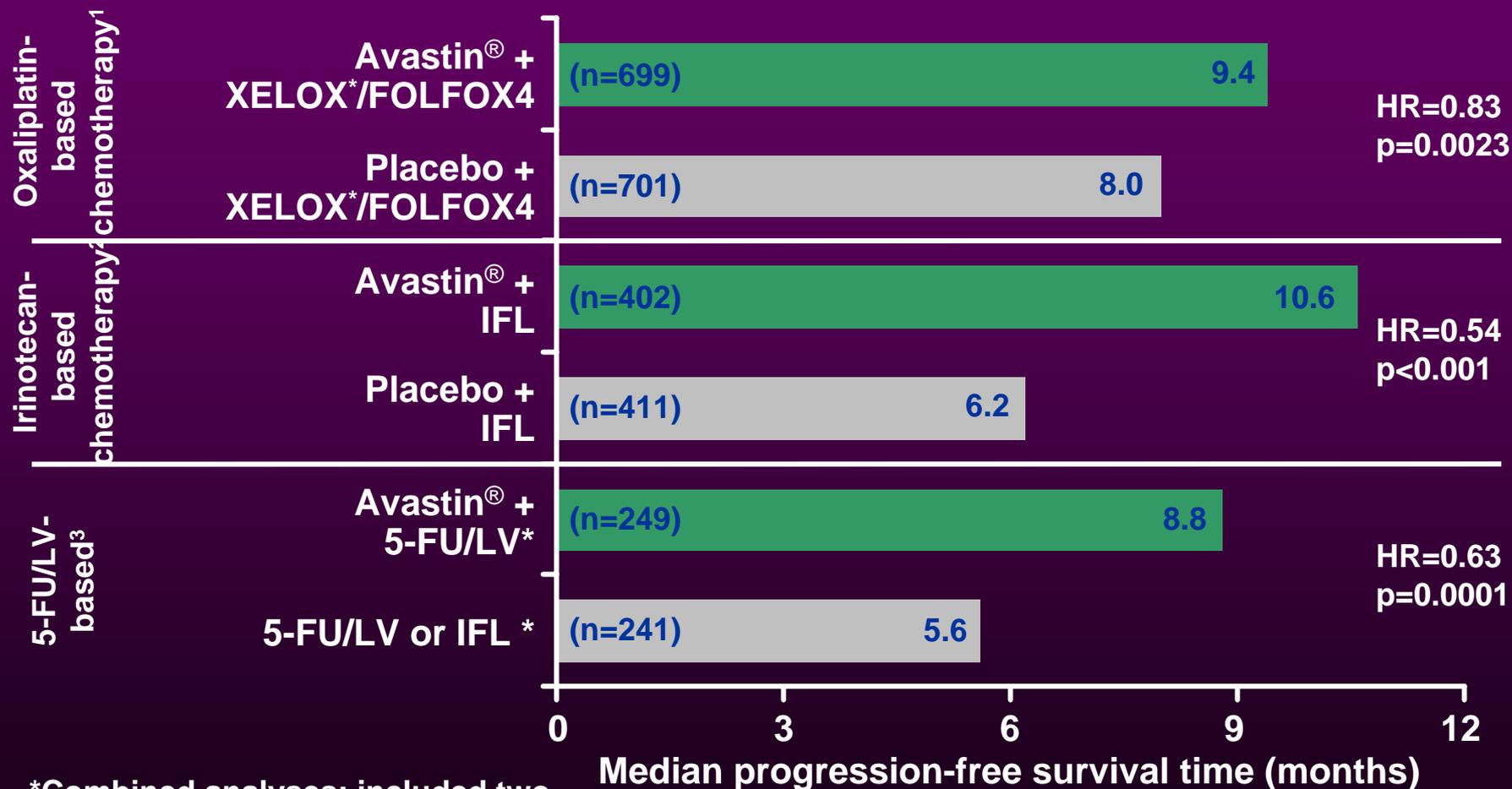
Expected therapeutic effects

Sustained tumor reduction

Prolonged progression-free survival and overall survival times

Possibly effective as postoperative adjuvant chemotherapy

Additive Effect of Avastin[®]: PFS



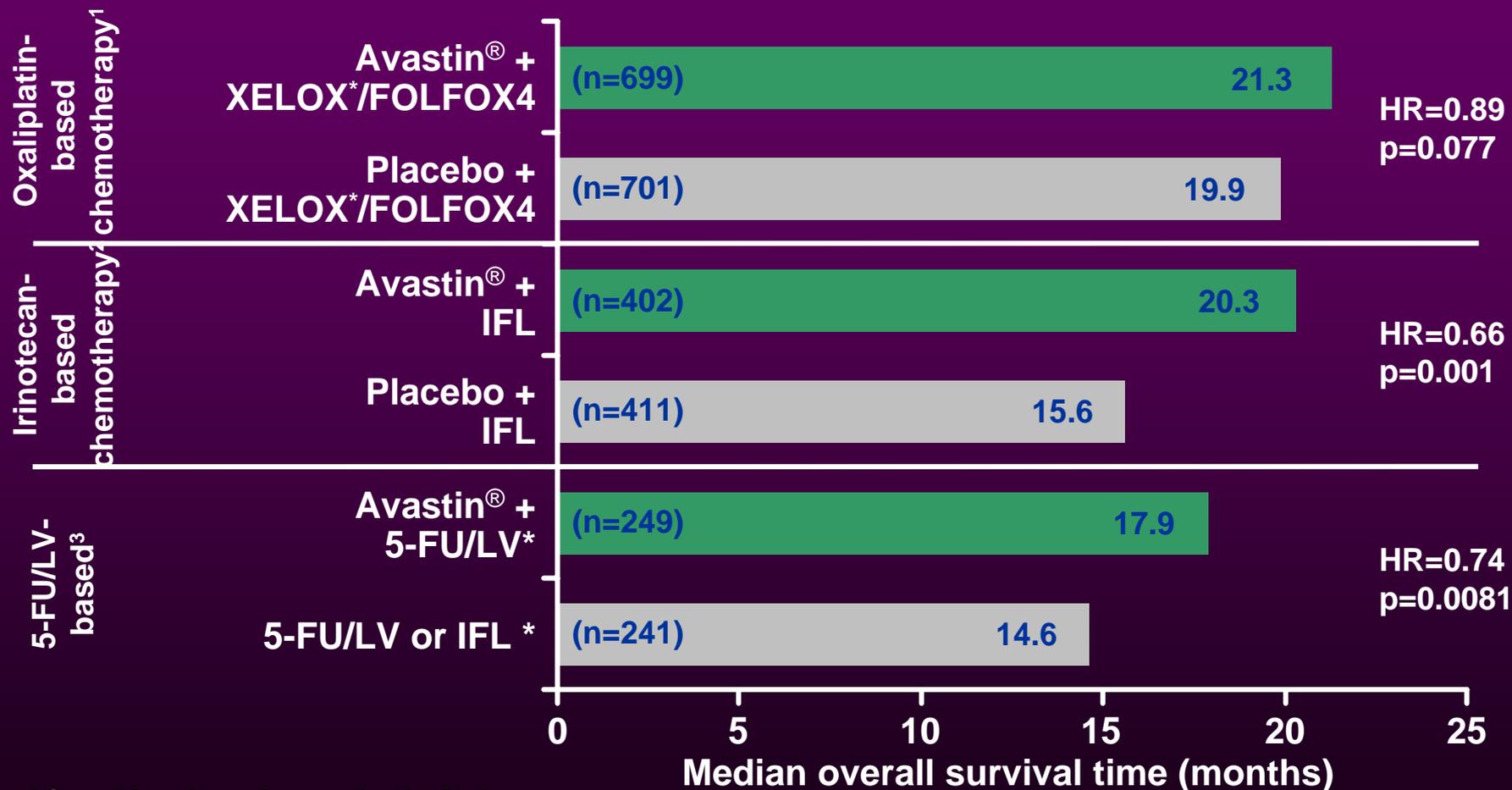
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HR = hazard ratio

* Neither the XELOX regimen nor 7.5 mg/kg Avastin[®] administered at intervals of 21 days has yet been approved in Japan

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Additive Effect of Avastin[®]: OS



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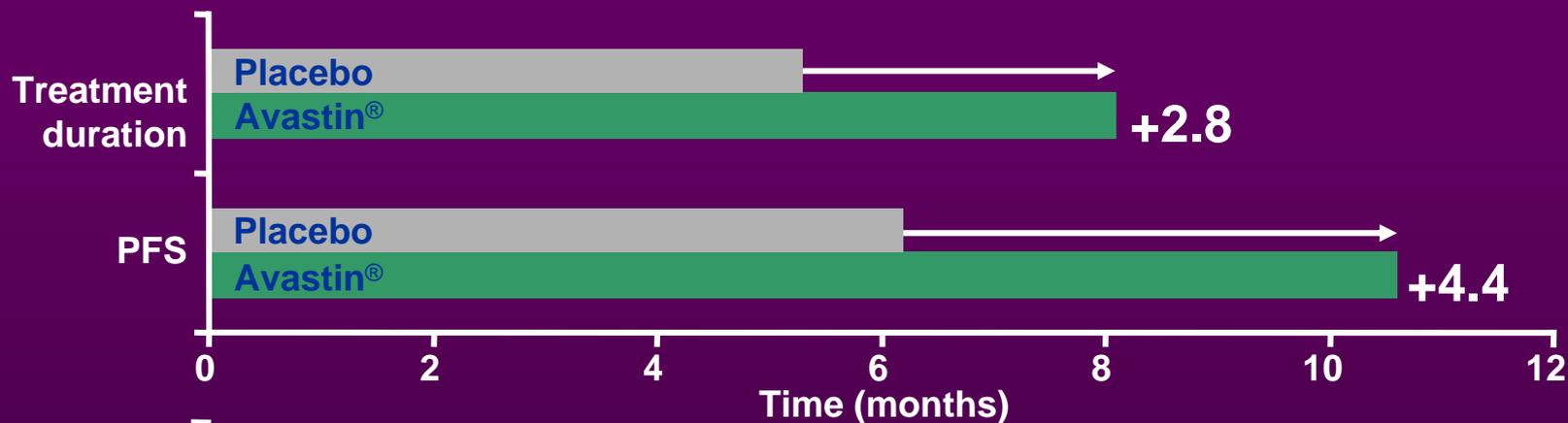
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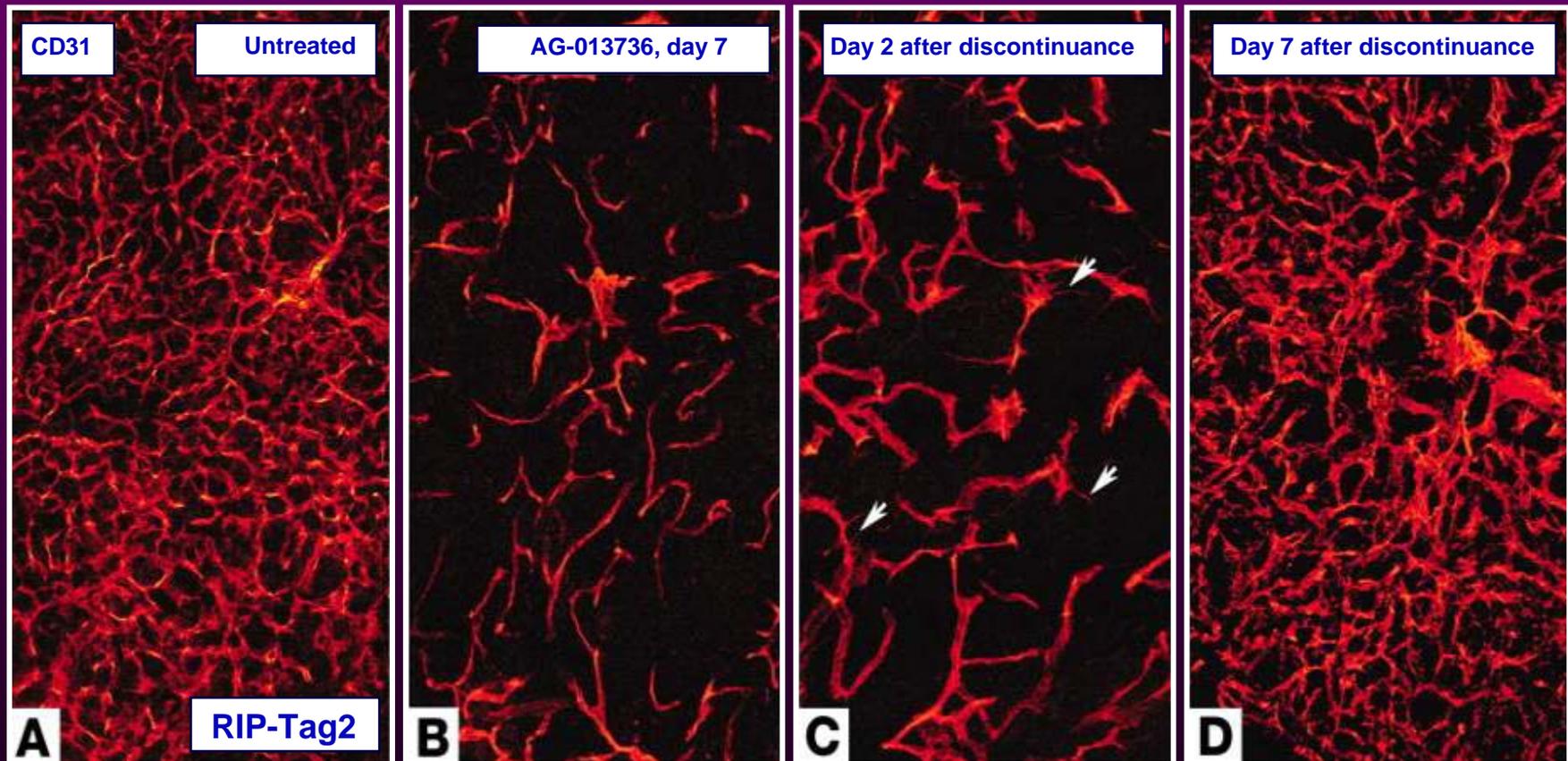
Administration Period of Avastin and PFS

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47% of the placebo group continued treatment until PD, compared to 29% of the Avastin[®] group.

Patients for whom administration of oxaliplatin was discontinued as a result of neuropathy or allergic reactions should be given 5-FU and Avastin[®] until PD.

Discontinuance of Anti-angiogenesis Therapy and Renewed Vascular Proliferation



In basic research, it is important to continue anti-angiogenesis therapy to avoid renewed vascular proliferation.

Administration Period of Avastin[®]—BRiTE Trial

Untreated metastatic colorectal cancer (n=1,953)
First-line therapy
Avastin[®] + chemotherapy

progression disease
(n=1,445)

No post PD treatment
(n=253)

Chemotherapy without
Avastin[®] (n=531)

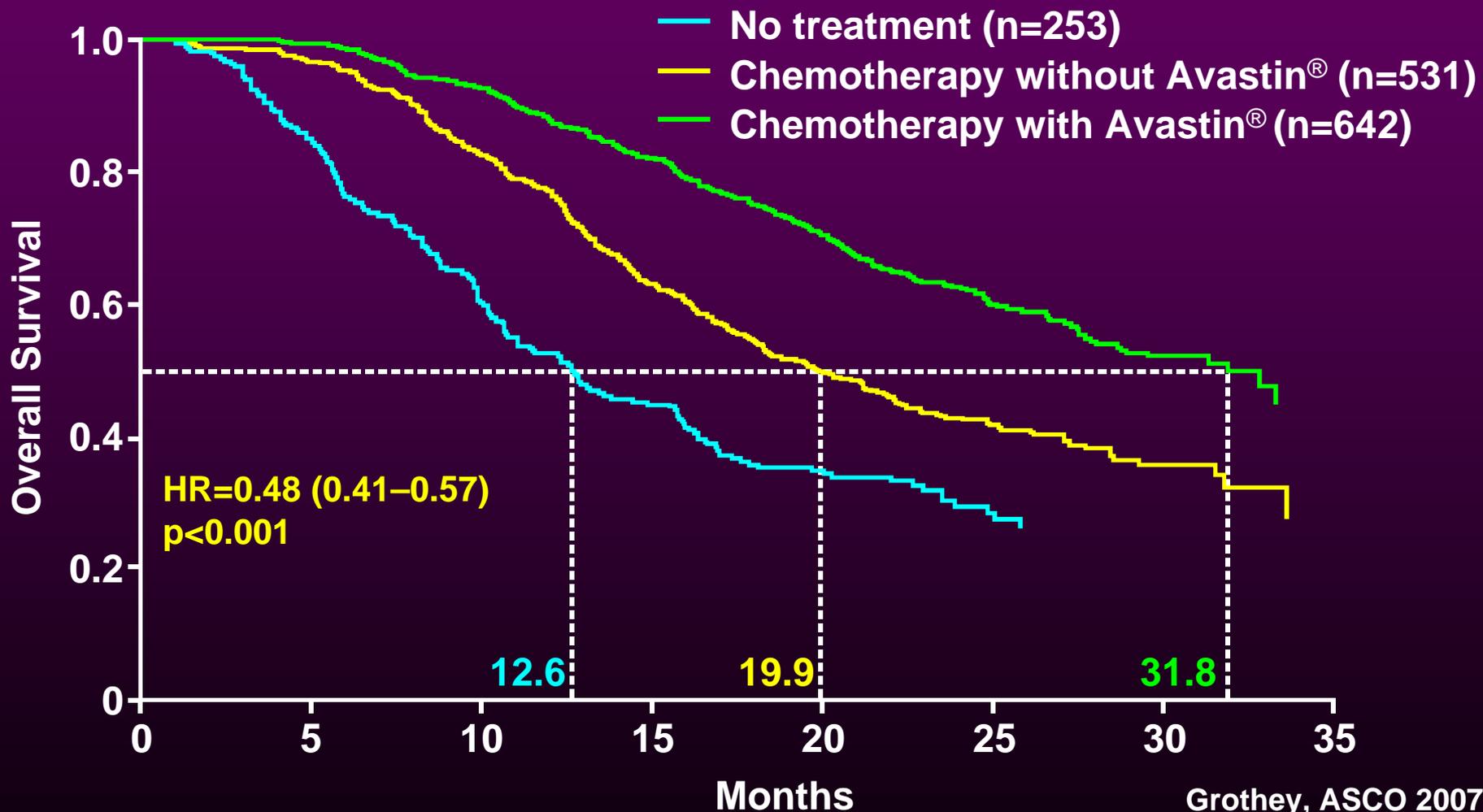
Chemotherapy with
Avastin[®] (n=642)

Deaths: 932

Median follow-up time: 19:6 months

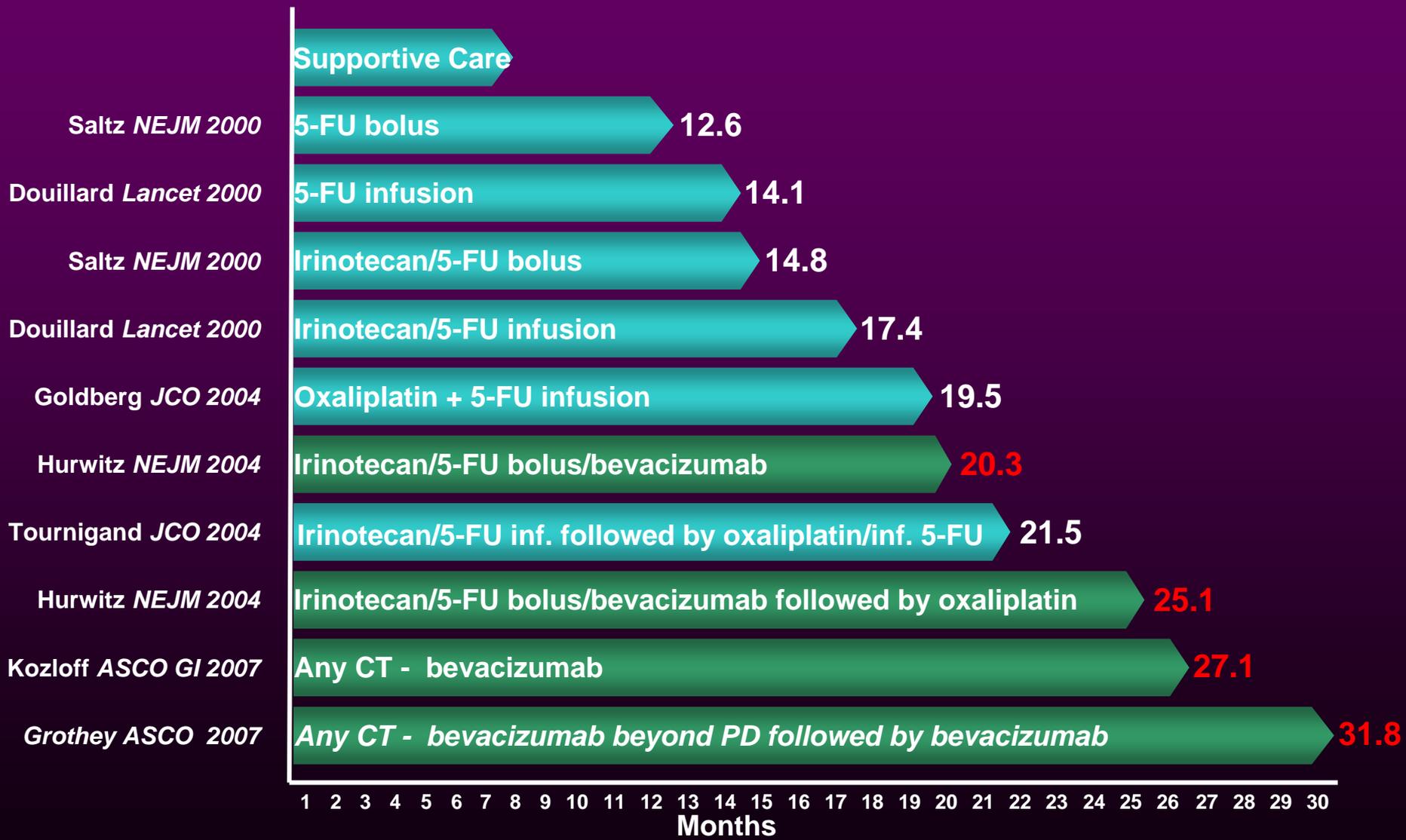
BRiTE Trial: Avastin[®]

Use Avastin[®] with different chemotherapy even after progression, while using Avastin[®] in first line therapy (!?)



Progress in Chemotherapy for Metastatic Colorectal Cancer

Median time (overall survival)



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Safety Confirmation Study in Japan (JO18158)

Objective: evaluate the safety of BV and FOLFOX4 combination therapy for advanced or refractory colorectal cancer

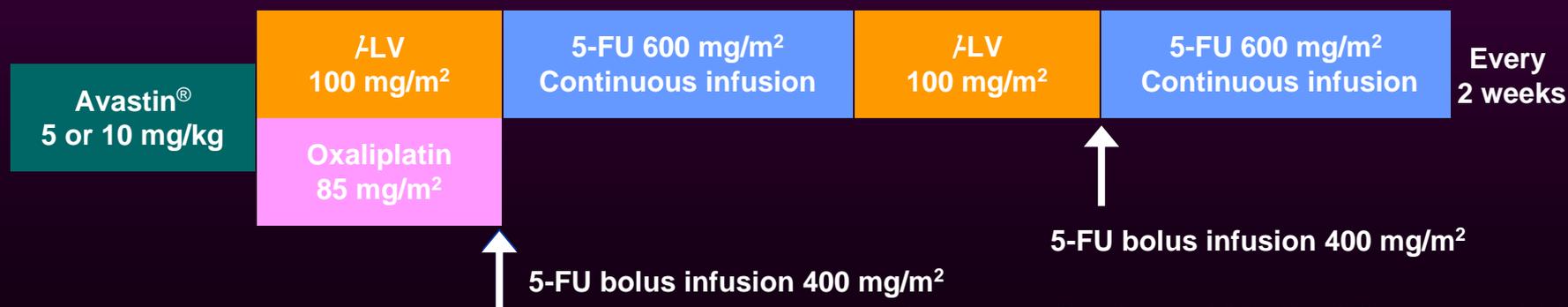
Inclusion criteria: performance status (PS) 0-1, aged 20-74

Exclusion criteria: cancerous body cavity fluid, cerebral metastasis, operation within 28 days, hemorrhagic tendency, coagulation abnormality ($\text{INR} \geq 1.5$), port inserted within 7 days, uncontrollable hypertension, cardiac disease of G2 or greater, peripheral neuropathy of G1 or greater

BV dosage: 1st-line therapy 5 mg/kg/2 weeks, second-line therapy 10 mg/kg/2 weeks

Primary endpoint: safety

Secondary endpoints: Serum concentration of BV and biomarkers (VEGF, anti-BV antibody)
Efficacy (Response rate)



Safety Confirmation Study in Japan (JO18158)

	Avastin [®] 5 mg/kg group (n = 34)* (First-line patients)	Avastin [®] 10 mg/kg group (n = 23)* (Second-line and beyond patients)
CR	-	-
PR	27 (79.4%)	11 (47.8%)
SD	7 (20.6%)	12 (52.2%)
PD	-	-
Response rate (%)	79.4	47.8
95%CI	62.1 – 91.3	26.8 – 69.4
	n = 38	n = 25
PFS	13.6 months (414 days)	9.7 months (294 days)
95% CI	252 – 458 days	216 - . days
Median follow-up time	252.5 days	170.0 days

*Patients with target lesions according to RECIST

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JO18158: Adverse Events Typically Associated With Avastin[®] (grade 3 and higher)

	5 mg/kg group	10 mg/kg group
Hypertension	2/38 ^{*1)}	6/26 ^{*1)}
Hemorrhage	0/38	0/26
Proteinuria	0/38	1/26
Gastrointestinal perforations	3/38 ^{*2,3)}	0/26
Arterial thrombosis	1/38 ^{*3)}	0/26
Venous thrombosis	1/38 ^{*3)}	0/26

*1) Controllable with medication, did not require withdrawal from study

*2) including appendiceal perforation in one patient

*3) Two out of the three cases of Gastrointestinal perforations, the one case of arterial thrombosis and one case of venous thrombosis developed post study. Although the grade of these adverse events was not determined, they are included in the totals as they were deemed to be serious.

Overview of Post Marketing Surveillance Study

- **Subjects:** all cancer patients prescribed with Avastin[®]
- **Objectives:**
 - ① **Confirm that the incidences of Gastrointestinal perforation and tumor-related hemorrhage are similar to those found in overseas clinical trials**
 - ② **Evaluate the dose response for patients given 5mg/kg/2 weeks and 10mg/kg/2 weeks**
 - ③ **Investigate incidence of adverse drug reactions**
 - ④ **Confirm efficacy (overall survival time and response rate)**
- **Target number of cases: 2500**
- **Enrollment period: June 11 to November 9, 2007**
- **Follow-up period: six months from start of administration**
- **Since few patients have been prescribed to this drug at the approval in Japan, information about adverse drug reactions will be collected and made available as soon as possible**
- **All results temporarily collected 1, 3 and 6 months after launch**

Overview of Interim Results

- **Total number of cases included: 1,018**
 - **Survey data on patients for whom follow-up period completed and results collected by March 7, 2008 (includes patients for whom review not completed)**

- **Interim results**
 - **Patient backgrounds**
 - **Previous treatment**
 - **Laboratory test values before start of administration**
 - **Exposure to Avastin[®] and combination chemotherapy**
 - **Effects and outcomes**
 - **Assessment of proper use**
 - **Incidence of adverse drug reactions**

Post Marketing Surveillance Study

Interim Results (1)

Patient Backgrounds

Sex	Male / Female	608 / 410
Age	Mean: 59.9 ±10.9, median: 60 Range: 18-86 (368 patients aged 65 or over)	
Cancer type	Colon cancer / rectal cancer / colorectal cancer	598 / 413 / 7
Stage of therapy	First-line / Second-line / Third-line	419 / 577 / 22
P.S	0 / 1 / 2 / 3 ≤	800 / 202 / 16 / 0
Primary lesion	with / without	169 / 837
Distant metastasis	with / without →Local / lung / liver / peritoneum / lymph node / bone / Other	1009 / 4 121 / 398 / 582 / 167 / 257* / 59 / 60 <small>*excluding lymph nodes in the pelvis</small>

Total number of cases included: 1018 (cases for whom follow-up period completed and results collected by March 7, 2008)

Post Marketing Surveillance Study

Interim Results (2)

ADR incidence by patient background

		Cases enrolled	Total number of patients with ADR (severe/non-severe)		ADR incidence rate*
Sex	Male	608	367	(105/327)	60.36%
	Female	410	259	(73/232)	63.17%
Age	< 20	1	1	(1/0)	100.00%
	20-64	649	393	(113/355)	60.55%
	65 ≤	368	232	(65/204)	63.04%
Stage of therapy	First-line	419	249	(76/221)	59.43%
	Second-line	577	362	(99/324)	62.74%
	Third-line and beyond	22	15	(3/14)	68.18%
Dose of Avastin® (induction)	5mg/kg	910	556	(151/501)	61.10%
	10mg/kg	87	60	(24/50)	68.97%

* ADR incidence rate for each group according to background

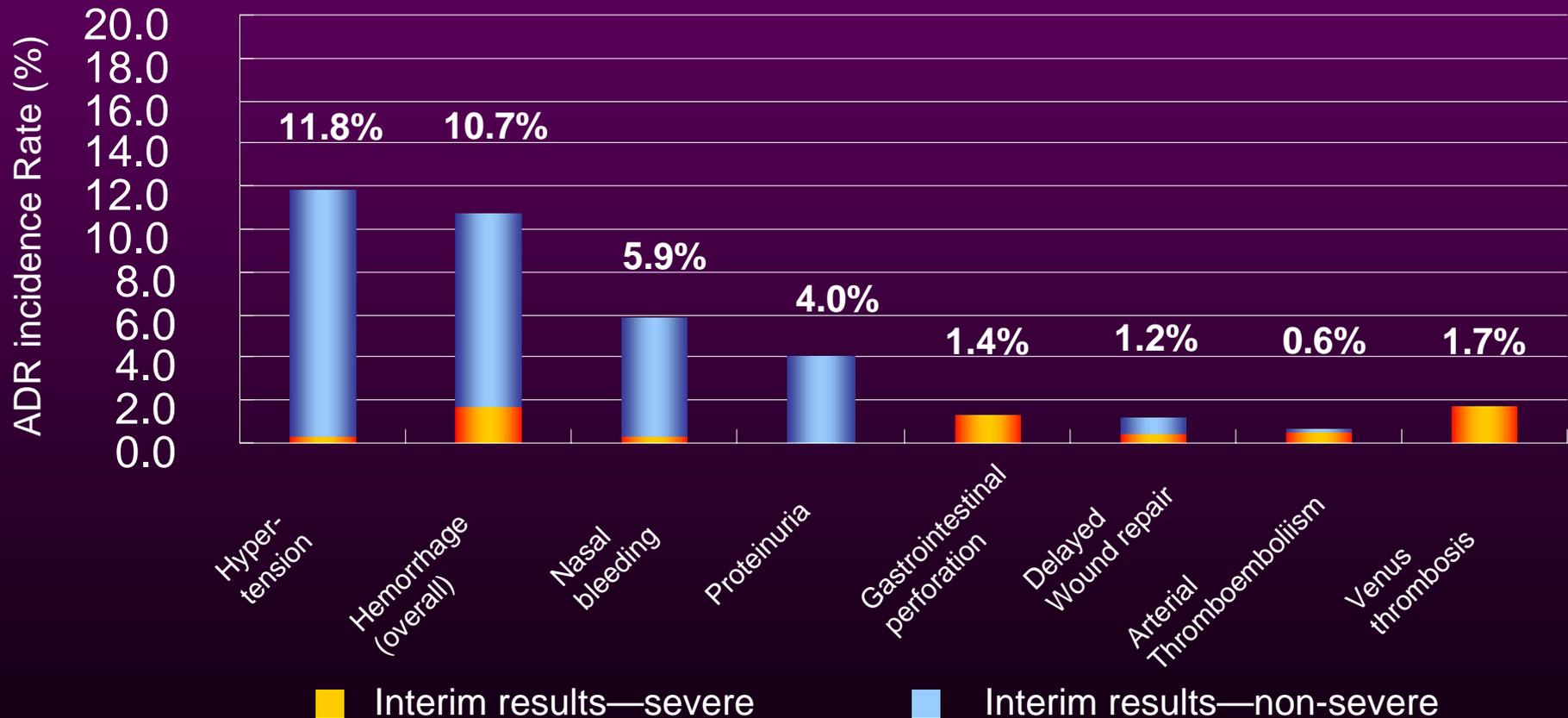
Post Marketing Surveillance Study

Interim Results (3)

Main ADR

Total number of cases included: 1018

Total ADR: 626 cases, 2271 reports (61.5%); serious ADR: 178 cases, 303 reports (17.5%)



Comparison of Serious Adverse Events in Japan and Overseas

	PMS study (Japan)		Safety confirmation study (Japan)		Overseas clinical trials* ¹					Overseas PMS studies* ¹	
	Interim results	All patients	FOLFOX4		5mg/kg			10mg/kg		First-BEAT	BRiTE
	All regimens	All regimens	Avastin 5mg/kg n=38	Avastin 10mg/kg n=26	NO16966	AVF2107g	AVF2192g	E3200		All regimens	All regimens
	All doses n=1018	All doses n=2712			FOLFOX +Avastin n=341	IFL +Avastin n=392	5FU/LV +Avastin n=100	FOLFOX +Avastin n=287	Avastin single agent therapy* ³ n=234	All doses n=1295	All doses n=1968
Hypertension	0.29	0.26	5.3	23.1	3.2	12.5	15.0	6.2	7.3	0.5	16.4* ²
Hemorrhage (overall)	1.67	1.22	0.0	0.0	2.1	3.4	5.0	3.7	3.0	0.8	1.9
Proteinuria	0.00	0.07	0.0	3.8	0.9	0.8	1.0	0.7	0.0		
Gastrointestinal perforation	1.38	0.77	2.6	0.0	0.3	2.0	2.0	1.7	1.7	0.7	1.7
Delayed wound repair	0.39	0.29	0.0	0.0	0.0	8.3	33.3	0.0	0.0	0.3	1.2
Arterial thromboembolism	0.49	0.29	0.0	0.0	0.9	3.4	9.0	1.0	0.8	0.6	2.1
Venous thrombosis	1.67	1.07	2.6	0.0	9.4	15.3	8.0	3.4	0.4	1.0	

*1: Incidence rate of severe adverse events for overseas clinical trials and PMS studies

*2: Hypertension requiring treatment (including grade 2) (all severe ADR: 12.0%)

*3: Avastin single agent therapy not approved in Japan

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Health

There's good news from th

That finding — along with similar results in three other recent studies — will change the way Erbitux is used, says Leonard Saltz, an expert in colorectal cancer at New York's Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, who was not involved in the new study.

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Gemzar's side effect
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cause nausea, vomit
ing, rash, sweats, h
legs, and numbness
the fingers and toes

In this study, Saltz
taking Gemzar, he
life about the same
didn't take the drug

Gemzar also can
feel much better
their symptoms
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breast cancer

lowed the patients long enough to
know whether Zometa help
women live longer and that many
doctors may want to see whether
other studies confirm the results.

In this study, women had an av
erage age of 44 and had a low over
all risk of relapse. All had under
gone surgery and had cancers that
respond to hormones, Grant says.

About 98% of patients like these
survive five years or more.

Grant says women taking Zome
ta, which is commonly used when
cancer has spread to the bone, had
no serious side effects. Although
bisphosphonates are taken to build
bone mass, large intravenous doses
— bigger than those used in the
study — also increase the risk of rot
in the jawbone.

Is the *K-ras* gene
a predictive factor
for molecular-targeted drugs?
Or is it
a negative predictive factor
for anti-EGFR antibodies?

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Testing for the mutation costs
much less — \$500 to \$1,000, Saltz
says.

stopping the medication.
patients without the mutation
some benefit from Erbitux,

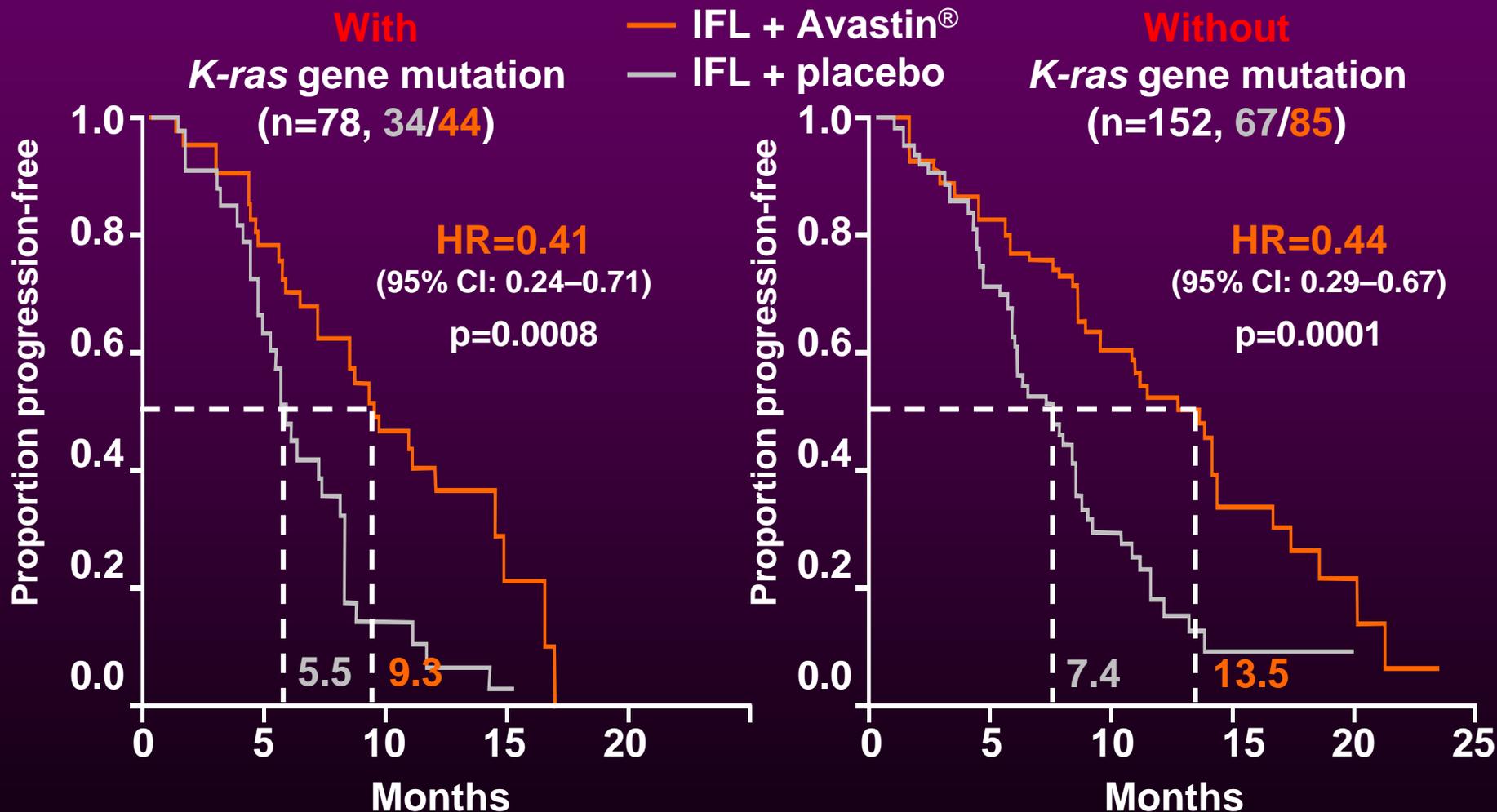
About 60% of patients on
and their tumors shrink by
according to the study, com
pared with 43% of those who took
only placebo.

Doctors have learned a lot about
erbitux since it was approved four
years ago, Saltz says.

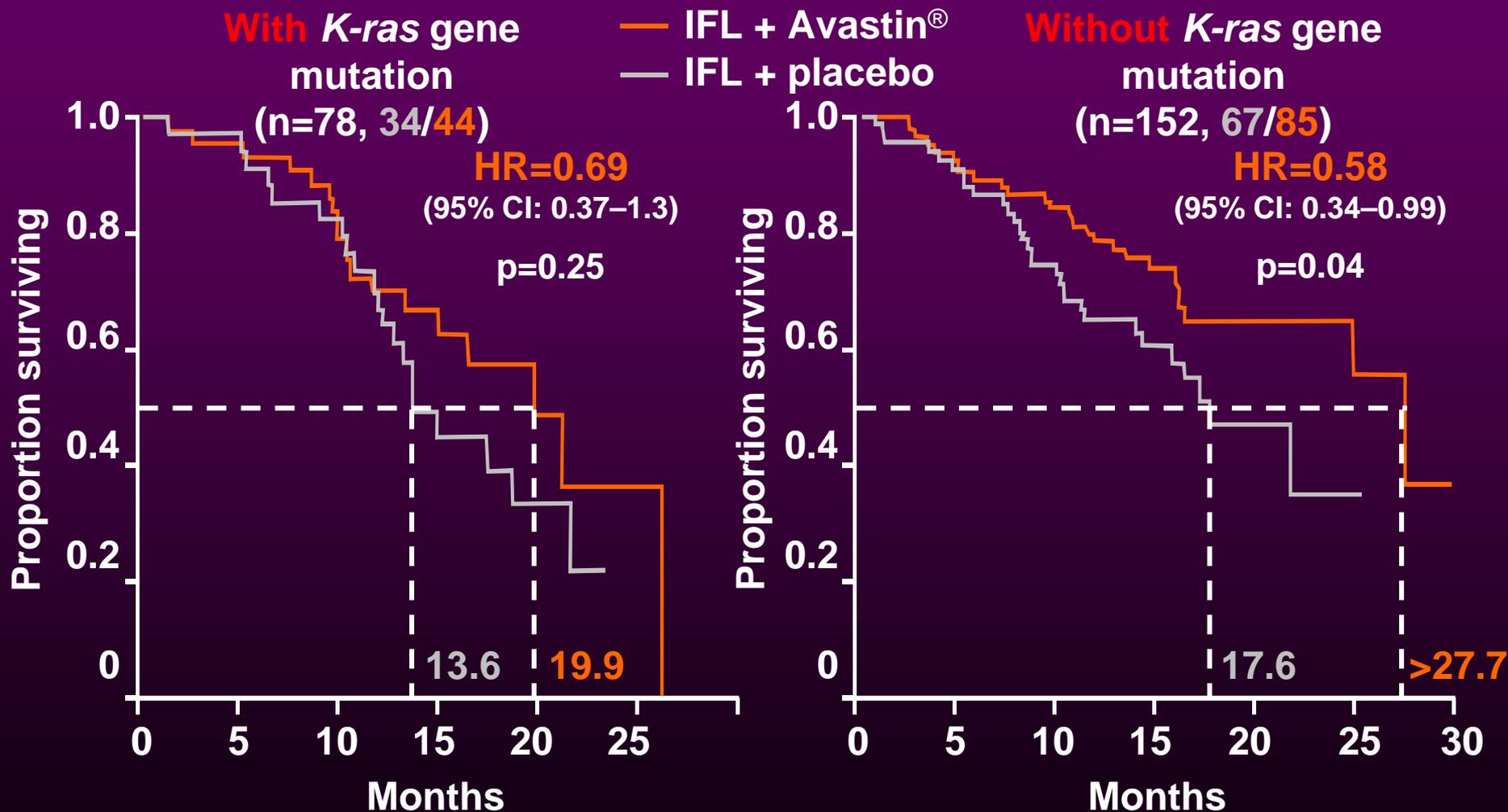
The Food and Drug Administra
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whose tumors have lots of a pro
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that the protein could serve as a
"marker," showing which patients

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Additive Effect of Avastin[®]: PFS According to *K-ras* Gene Mutation Status



Additive Effect of Avastin[®]: OS According to *K-ras* Gene Mutation Status

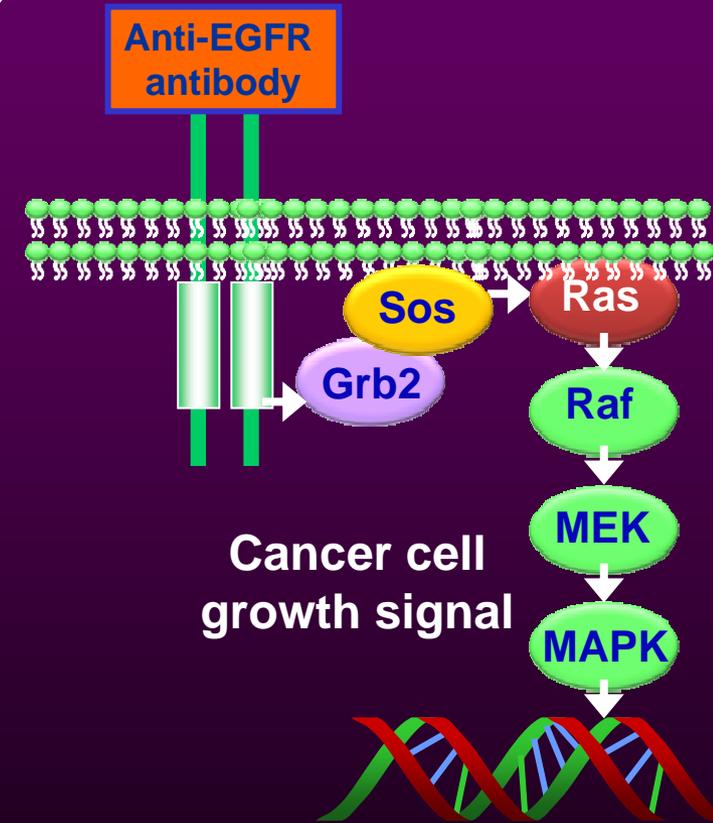


Avastin[®] and Anti-EGFR Antibodies

Outside tumor cell



Inside tumor cell

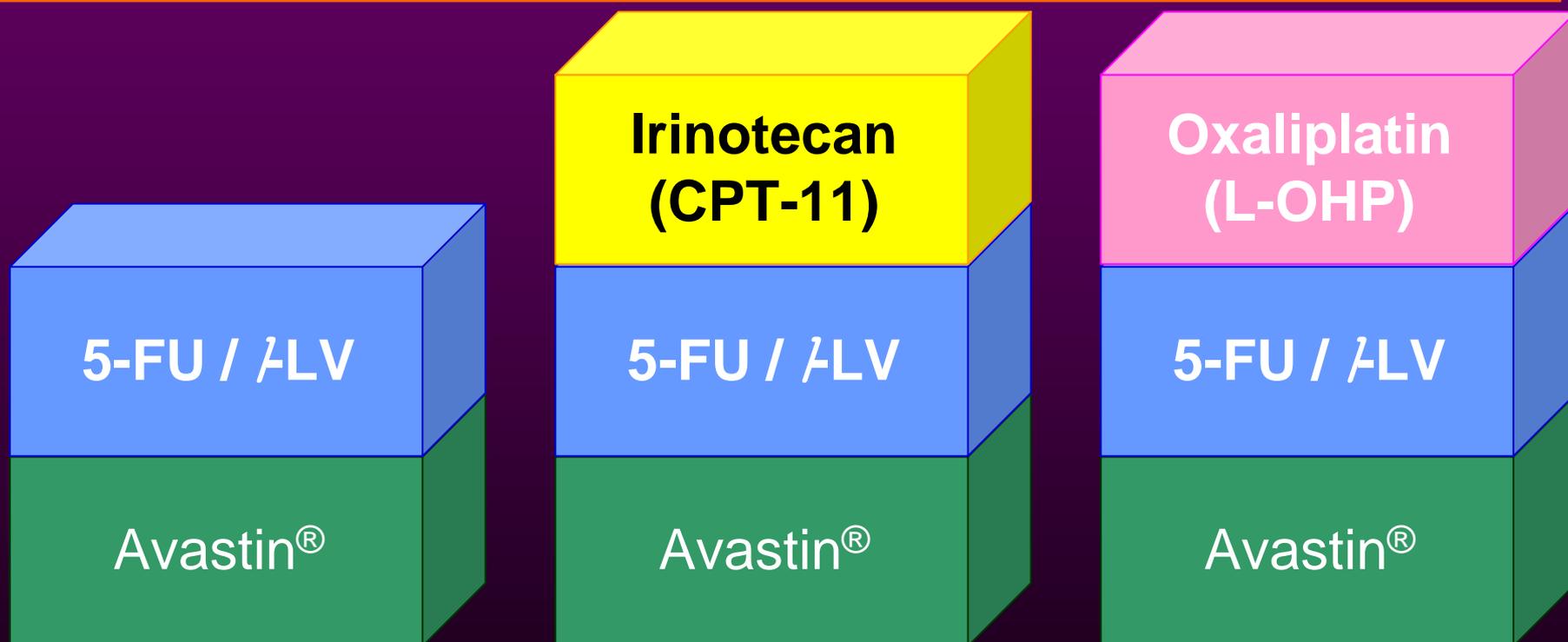


Cancer tumor cell

Avastin[®] and anti-EGFR antibodies have completely different mechanisms of action!

Standard Therapy for Metastatic Colorectal Cancer

Avastin[®] is the base drug for treatment of metastatic colorectal cancer!



Avastin[®] with
5-FU/ λ LV

Avastin[®] with IFL
Avastin[®] with FOLFIRI

Avastin[®] with
FOLFOX

Summary

- The anti-VEGF antibody Avastin[®] is an **effective base drug** for treatment of metastatic colorectal cancer.
- Avastin[®] **prolongs survival** when used as a first- or second-line therapy with effective chemotherapy, thus fulfilling the role of base drug for treatment of metastatic colorectal cancer.
- The **tolerability of Avastin[®]** in Japanese patients was confirmed in the large-scale trial (interim results).
- Although anti-EGFR antibodies are not usually effective for treating colorectal cancer patients with *K-ras* gene mutations, Avastin[®] is equally effective for patients **regardless *K-ras* gene mutations status.**