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# Management of Multiple Myeloma

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# The speed of change:



“If everything seems under control, you are not going fast enough”

-Mario Andretti

- Terms: CR → stringent CR → MRD negative CR
- Risk adapted therapy
- CRAB → I'M A CRAB
- The role of functional imaging in staging and response
- Clonal evolution of disease
- Staging criteria

# Initial Evaluation

- Physical Exam
- BM
  - Conventional metaphase karyotype and MM FISH
- Imaging
  - Skeletal Survey
  - MRI (smoldering/active)
  - DEXA- axial skeleton
- CBC with differential
- Chem + Ca<sup>2+</sup>
- SPEP with IFE
- β 2 microglobulin + Albumen + LDH
- FLC
- Quantitative Immunoglobulins
- 24 hour urine with total protein, UPEP + IFE Bence Jones quantitation
- LDH

Based on NCCN Clinical Practice Guidelines for Multiple Myeloma

## New Criteria for MM Defining Events

- Bone marrow plasma cells  $\geq 60\%$
- Serum Free light chain ratio  $\geq 100$
- Skeletal MRI/CT  $>1$  focal lesion
  - MRI lesion  $> 5$  mm
  - PET –FDG avidity alone insufficient
- Creatinine clearance  $<40$  ml/min
- Only cast nephropathy, (amyloid and light chain deposition are not MM defining events)

Lancet Oncology November 2014

# Old Diagnostic Criteria

MGUS

<3 gram M-spike &  
<10% PC\*

Smoldering MM

≥3 gram M-spike  
Or ≥10% PC\*

Active MM

≥10% PC\*  
M-spike

**And**

No anemia, normal calcium and kidney  
function; no bone lesions

\* By morphology (not flow)

**And**



HyperCalcemia or Renal or  
Anemia or Bone involvement

**“CRAB Criteria”**

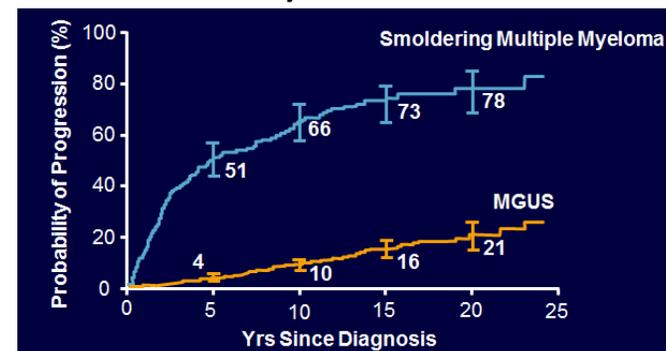
CRAB → → → I'M A CRAB

Imaging, Marrow, Abnormal ratio, Calcium, Renal, Anemia, Bone

# Epidemiology

*SMM Epidemiology is going to change!!*

- MGUS
  - Progression is 1% per year
  - F/U annually, bone marrow if M-spike >1.5 or non IgG, abnl FLC ratio or any other concern for possible MM or Amyloid
- SMM
  - Rate of progression is 10% per year in first 5 years
  - 3% per year for next 5 years
  - 1-2% per year for next 10 years
  - F/U with labs q 3 months
  - Annual skeletal survey



Kyle RA, et al. N Engl J Med. 2007;356:2582-2590. Greipp PR, et al. J Clin Oncol. 2005;23:3412-3420.

Vaccinate MGUS patients for pneumococci, influenza, H. flu, hep A & B



# NCCN Guidelines Version 2.2016 Multiple Myeloma

## STAGING SYSTEMS FOR MULTIPLE MYELOMA

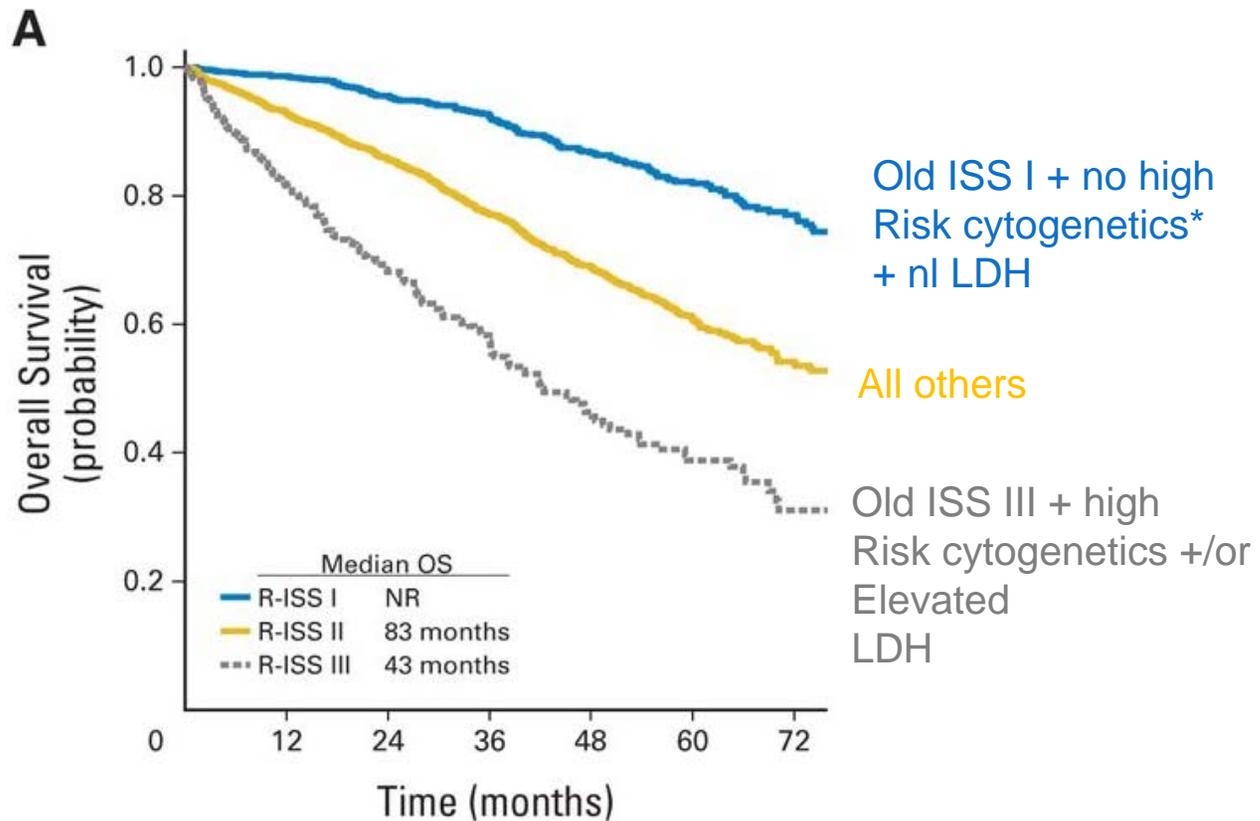
Stage	Durie-Salmon Criteria <sup>1</sup>	ISS Criteria <sup>2</sup>
I	<p>All of the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Hemoglobin value &gt;10 g/dL</li> <li>• Serum calcium value normal or ≤12 mg/dL</li> <li>• Bone x-ray, normal bone structure) or solitary bone plasmacytoma only</li> <li>• Low M-component production rate               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>&gt; IgG value &lt;5 g/dL;</li> <li>&gt; IgA value &lt;3 g/dL</li> <li>&gt; Bence Jones protein &lt;4 g/24 h</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<p>Serum beta-2 microglobulin &lt;3.5 mg/L Serum albumin ≥3.5 g/dL</p>
II	Neither stage I nor stage III	Neither stage I nor stage III
III	<p>One or more of the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Hemoglobin value &lt;8.5 g/dL</li> <li>• Serum calcium value &gt;12 mg/dL</li> <li>• Advanced lytic bone lesions</li> <li>• High M-component production rate               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>&gt; IgG value &gt;7 g/dL;</li> <li>&gt; IgA value &gt;5 g/dL</li> <li>&gt; Bence Jones protein &gt;12 g/24 h</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<p>Serum beta-2 microglobulin ≥5.5 mg/L</p>
<p><b>Subclassification Criteria</b></p> <p><b>A Normal renal function (serum creatinine level &lt;2.0 mg/dL)</b></p> <p><b>B Abnormal renal function (serum creatinine level ≥2.0 mg/dL)</b></p>		

<sup>1</sup> From Durie BGM, Salmon SE: A clinical staging system for multiple myeloma. Cancer 1975;36(9):842-854. Copyright © (1975) American Cancer Society. Reproduced with permission of John Wiley & Sons, Inc.

<sup>2</sup> Greipp P, San Miguel J, Durie B et al. International staging system for multiple myeloma. J Clin Oncol 2005;23:3412-3420.

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(A) Overall survival (OS) in patients with multiple myeloma stratified by revised International Staging System (R-ISS) algorithm.



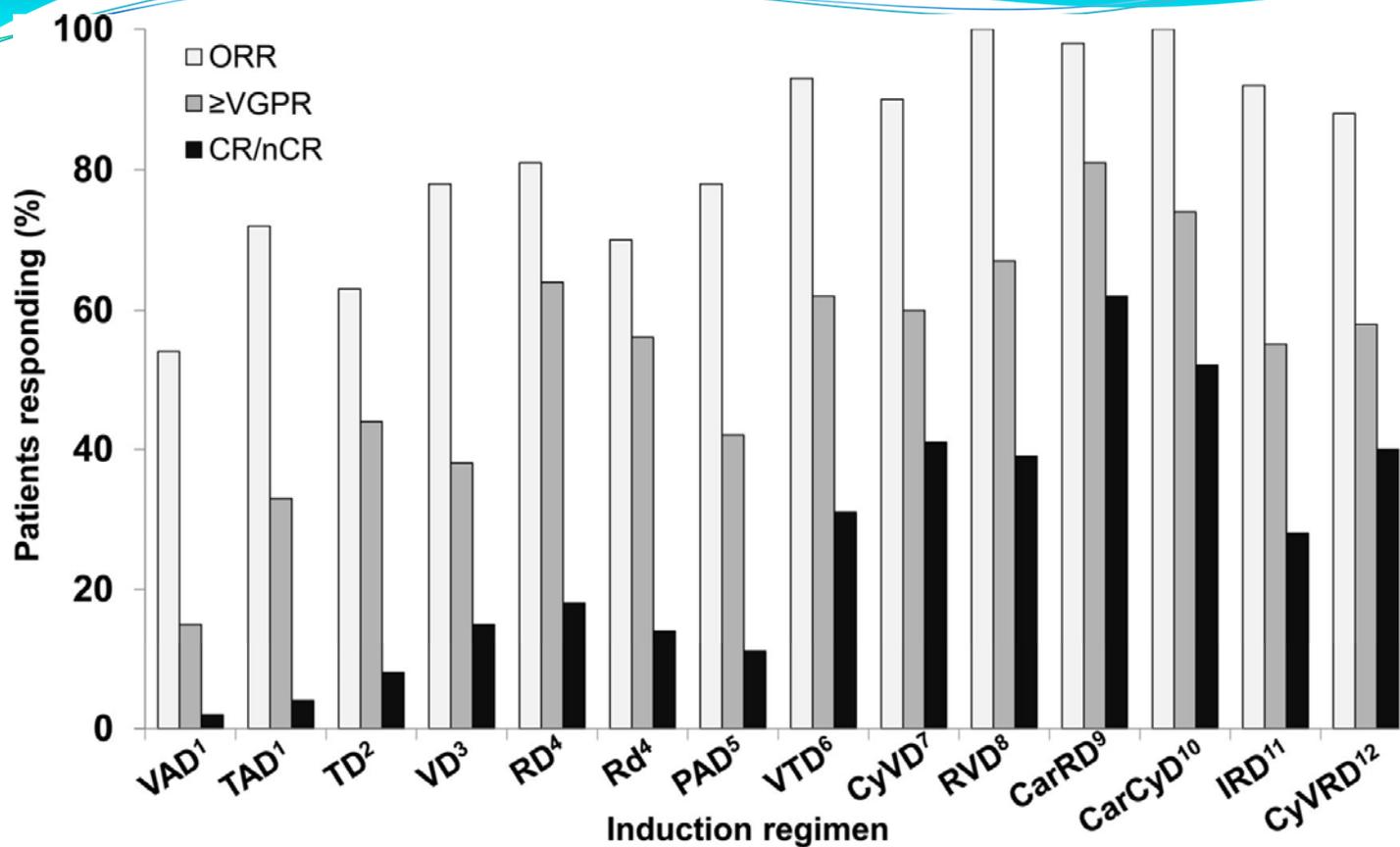
\*High risk cytogenetics defined as 17p-; t(4;14) or t(14;16)

Palumbo et al. JCO 2015;33:2863-2869

**MYELOMA THERAPY**

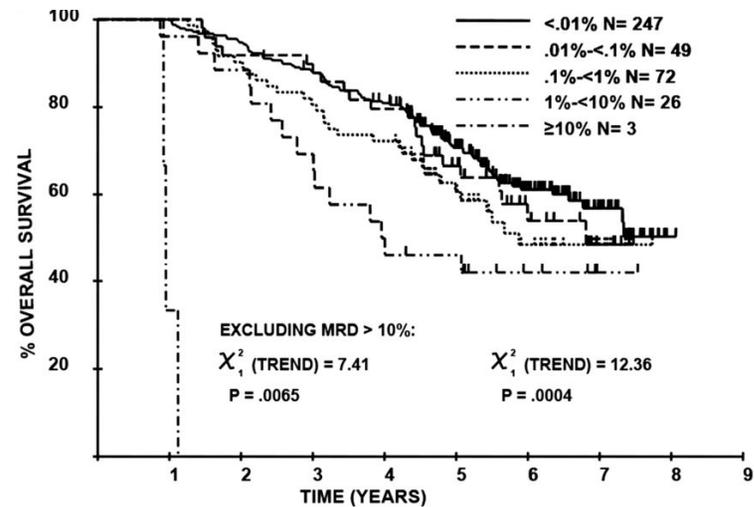
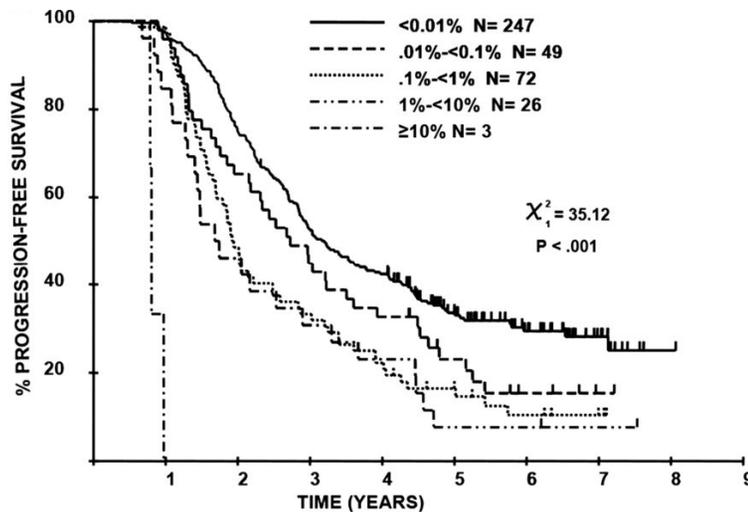
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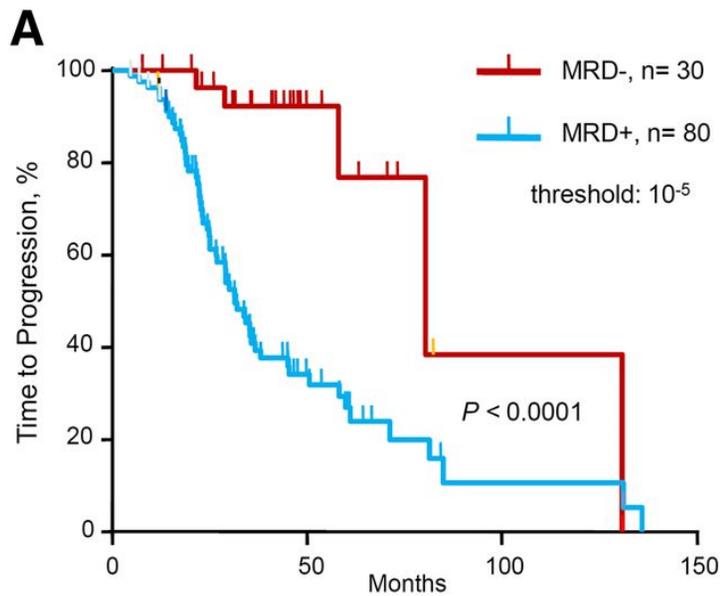
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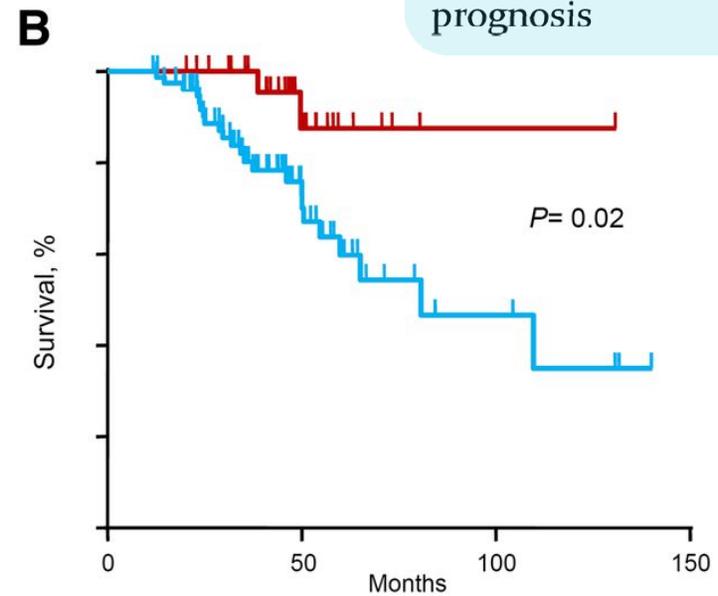
Andy C. Rawstron et al. Blood 2015;125:1932-1935

# Depth of CR Matters:

MRD stratifies the CR population into 2 groups with strikingly different prognosis



Martinez-Lopez, et al. Blood. 2014;123:3073-3079.

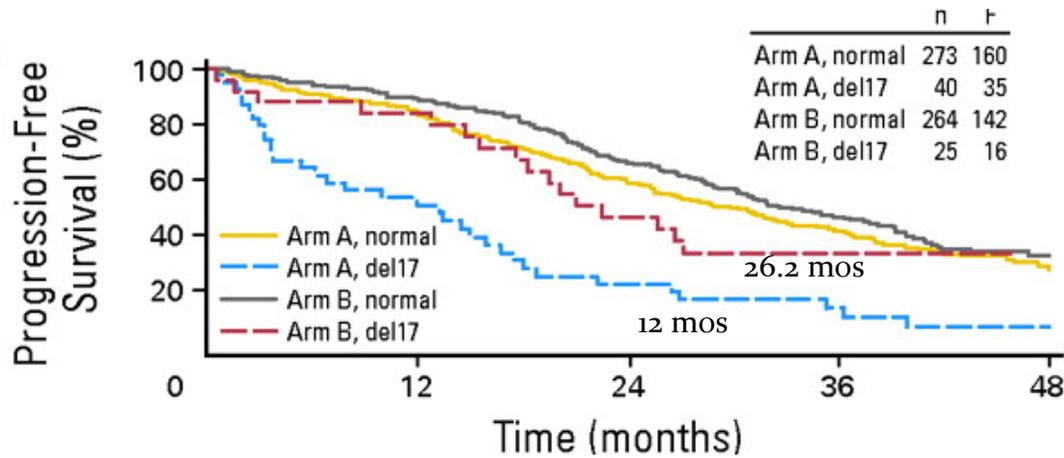


Detects to  $10^{-6}$

# Risk adapted therapy?

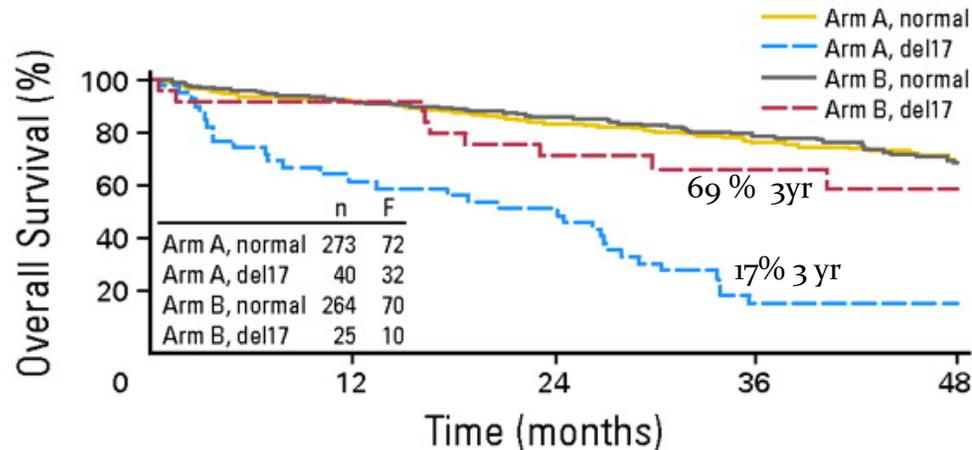
STANDARD RISK	Intermediate Risk	HIGH RISK
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>•Normal conventional cytogenetics and FISH</li><li>•Trisomies</li><li>•t(11;14)</li><li>•t(6;14)</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>•t(4;14)*</li><li>•1 q amplification</li><li>•Complex karyotype</li><li>•Metaphase del (13) ?</li><li>•Hypodiploidy</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>•t(4;14)*</li><li>•t(14;16)</li><li>•t(14;20)</li><li>•del(17p-)</li><li>•del(1p-)</li><li>•GEP- high risk signature</li></ul>

# Role of Proteasome Inhibition in del 17 Disease



**Arm A:**  
VAD → HDT → Thal (maint)

**Arm B:**  
PAD → HDT → bort (maint)



Sonneveld P et al. JCO 2012;30:2946-2955



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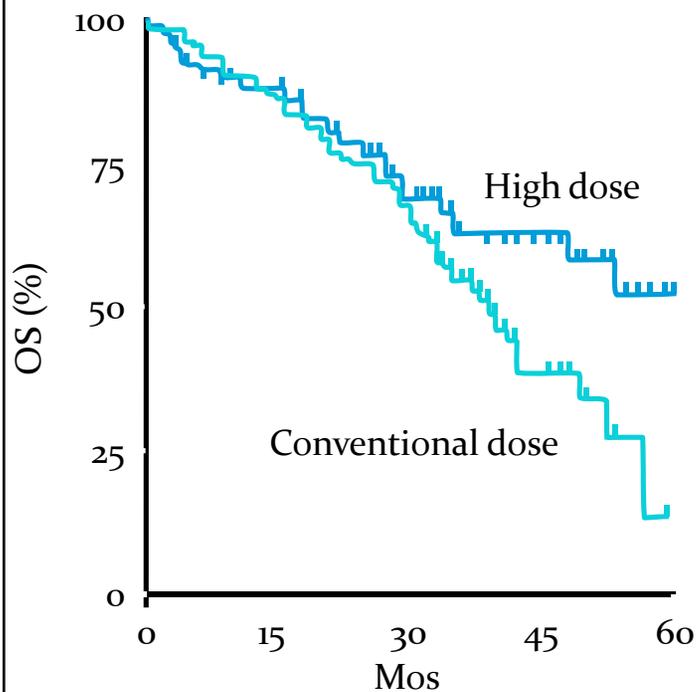


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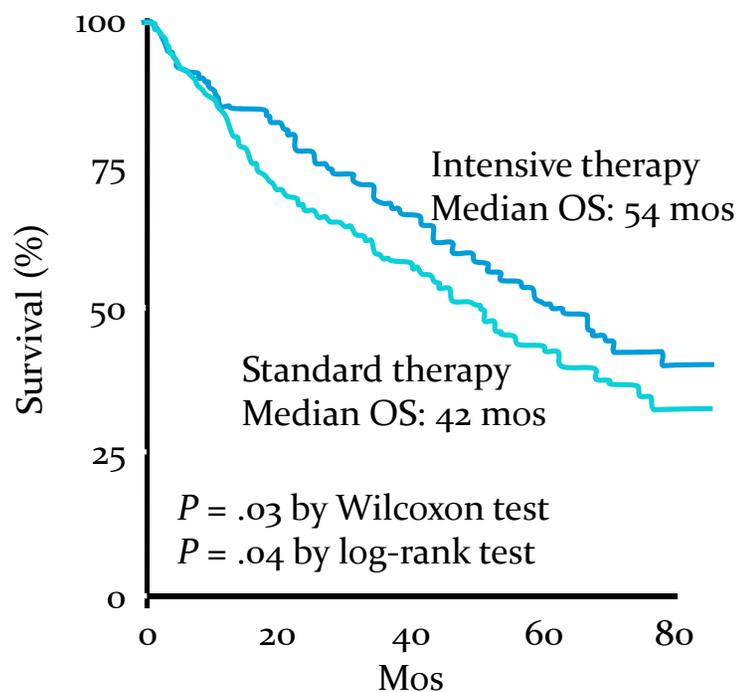
### Maintenance Therapy

Preferred Regimens	Other Regimens
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Bortezomib</li><li>• Lenalidomide (category 1)</li><li>• Thalidomide (category 1)</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Bortezomib + prednisone (category 2B)</li><li>• Bortezomib + thalidomide (category 2B)</li><li>• Interferon (category 2B)</li><li>• Steroids (category 2B)</li><li>• Thalidomide + prednisone (category 2B)</li></ul>

# Role of Auto Transplant



IFM-90



MRC-7

Attal M, et al. N Engl J Med. 1996;335:91-97. Child JA, et al. N Engl J Med. 2003;348:1875-1883.

# Maintenance Lenalidomide

	Initial Tx	N	Time of Randomiz.	Median PFS (months)	OS after randomiz.
Attal	SCT	614	3 m post SCT	41 vs 23	4-year OS 73% vs 75%
McCarthy	SCT	460	SCT	39 vs 21	3-year OS <b>88% vs 80%</b>
Palumbo	MPR	305	Diagnosis	31 vs 14	3-year OS 70% vs 62%

Attal et al NEJM 2012; McCarthy et al. NEJM 2012; Palumbo et al. NEJM 2012

# RELAPSE

- Defined as 1 or more of the following:
  - New soft tissue plasmacytoma or bone lesions
  - Plasmacytomas or bone lesions increasing in size (50% increase & at least 1 cm)
  - Hypercalcemia
  - Progressive anemia
  - New or recurrent renal dysfunction

Presented at the 2011 International Myeloma Workshop in Paris, France. Available at: <http://www.myeloma-paris2011.com/files/files/ConsensusPanel2TheFinal.pdf>. Accessed April 2012.

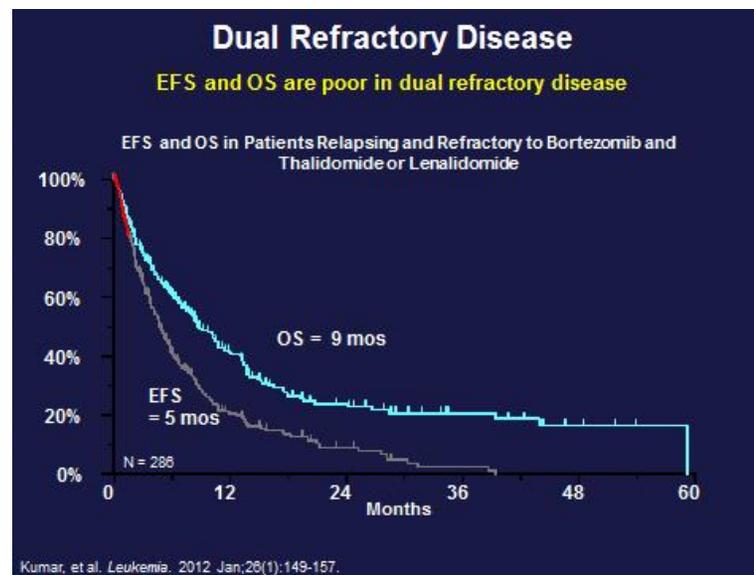
# RELAPSE

- Paraprotein
    - Doubling of M-spike on two consecutive measurements
- OR
- Absolute M-protein  $\geq 1$  g/dl
  - Urine M-protein  $\geq 500$  mg/24 hr
  - Involved FLC  $\geq 20$  mg/dl (with abnormal FLC ratio or  $>25\%$  increase)

Presented at the 2011 International Myeloma Workshop in Paris, France. Available at: <http://www.myeloma-paris2011.com/files/files/ConsensusPanel2TheFinal.pdf>. Accessed April 2012.

# Deciding on Salvage?

- Cytogenetics
- Duration of initial response
- Prior transplant
- Age
- Neuropathy
- Coagulation issues
- Performance Status
- Route of administration



# MM Salvage Regimens

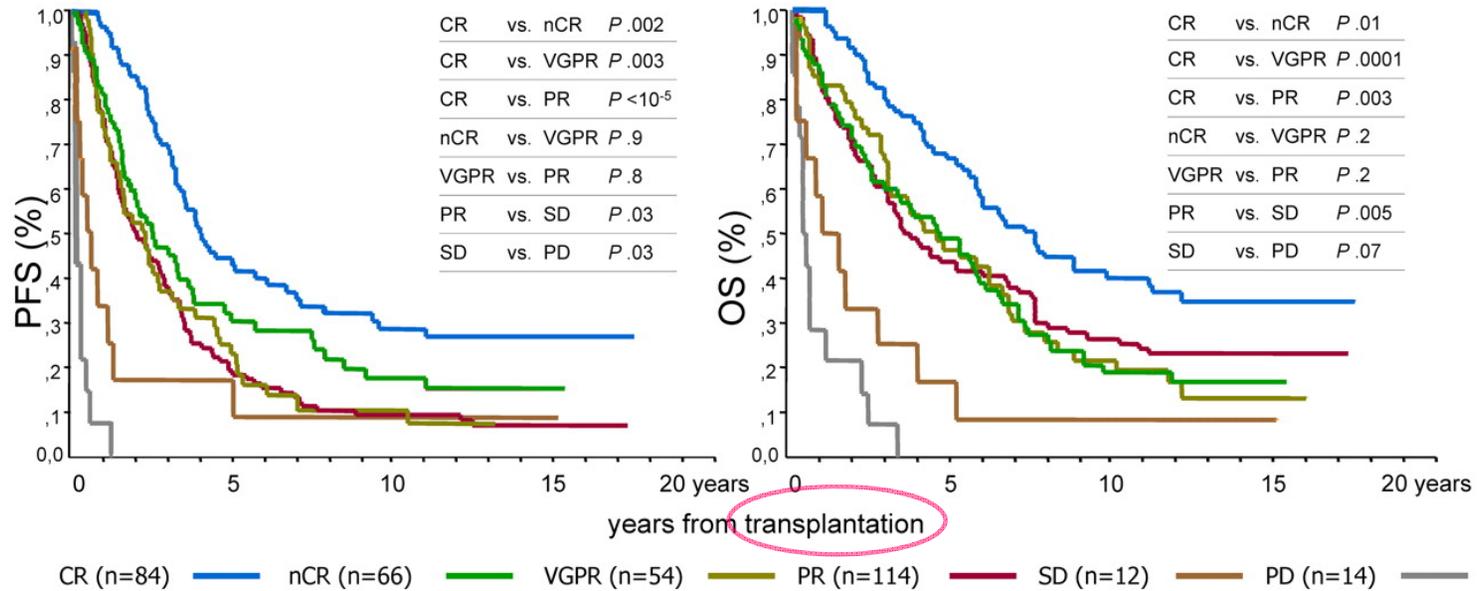
- **CLINICAL TRIAL!!!**
  - **Only 4% of patients enroll; 40% close due to low accrual**
- Consider repeating previously successful agents
  - Thalidomide
  - Lenalidomide
  - Bortezomib
  - Bendamustine
  - Melphalan
  - **Carfilzomib**
  - **Panobinostat**
  - Liposomal doxorubicin
  - Doxorubicin
  - Vincristine
  - Cyclophosphamide
  - Steroids
  - **Pomalidomide**

**MYELOMA THERAPY**

<b>Therapy for Previously Treated Multiple Myeloma</b>	
<b>Preferred Regimens</b>	<b>Other Regimens</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Repeat primary induction therapy (if &gt;6 mo)</li> <li>• Bortezomib (category 1)</li> <li>• Bortezomib/dexamethasone</li> <li>• Bortezomib/cyclophosphamide/dex</li> <li>• Bortezomib/lenalidomide/dexamethasone</li> <li>• Bortezomib/liposomal doxorubicin (category 1)</li> <li>• Bortezomib/thalidomide/dexamethasone</li> <li>• Carfilzomib</li> <li>• Carfilzomib/dex</li> <li>• Carfilzomib/lenalidomide/dex (category 1)</li> <li>• Cyclophosphamide/lenalidomide/dex</li> <li>• Dex/cyclophosphamide/etoposide/cisplatin</li> <li>• Dex/thalidomide/cisplatin/doxorubicin/ cyclophosphamide/etoposide ± bortezomib</li> <li>• High-dose cyclophosphamide</li> <li>• Lenalidomide/dexamethasone (category 1)</li> <li>• Panobinostat/bortezomib/dex (category 1)</li> <li>• Pomalidomide/dexamethasone</li> <li>• Thalidomide/dexamethasone</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bendamustine</li> <li>• Bortezomib/vorinostat</li> <li>• Lenalidomide/bendamustine/ dexamethasone</li> </ul>

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# Can we cure patients with myeloma?



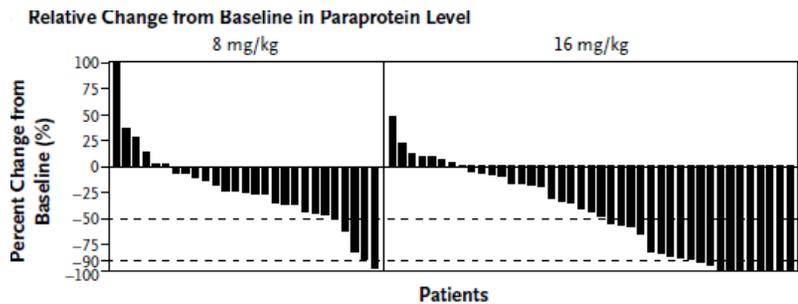
Joaquin Martinez-Lopez et al. *Blood* 2011;118:529-534

# New Myeloma Agents

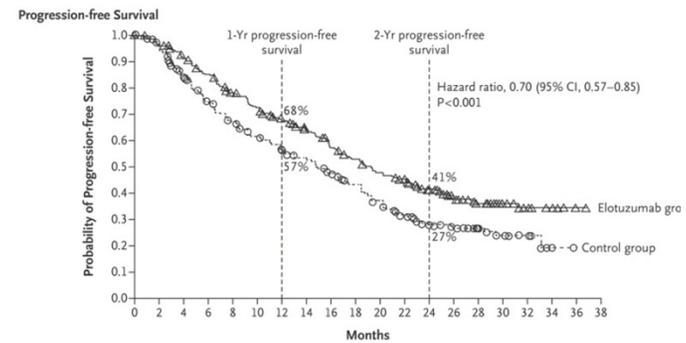
- mAbs (anti-CD38, anti-SLAM-F7, anti-IL-6...)
- HDAC Inhibitors (ACY1125)
- Oprozomib (oral analog of carfilzomib), Ixazomib, Marizomib, Delanzomib
- CAR-T Cell Therapy
- Ibrutinib (Bruton's tyrosine kinase inhibitor)
- Kinesin spindle protein inhibitors
- PD1/PDL-1

# Immunotherapy for Myeloma

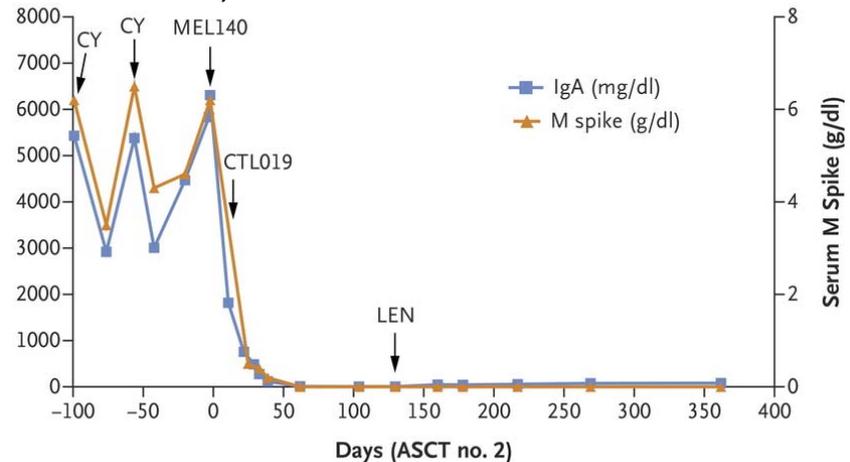
## 1). Anti-CD38 (Daratumumab)



## 2). Anti-SLAM F7 (Elotuzumab)



## 3). Anti-CD19 CAR T Cells



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