



UNIKLINIK  
KÖLN



# KML SYMPOSIUM: CHRONISCHE LYMPHATISCHE LEUKÄMIE

Barbara Eichhorst

4. Oktober 2021

# Potentielle Interessenskonflikte

## **Forschungsunterstützung:**

Roche, Janssen, AbbVie, Gilead, BeiGene, AstraZeneca

## **Vortragstätigkeit:**

Roche, Novartis, Gilead, Janssen, AbbVie, Celgene, Hexal, Adaptive Biotechnologies

## **Beratertätigkeit:**

Janssen, Roche, Novartis, AbbVie, Gilead, Celgene, ArQule, AstraZeneca, Oxford Biomedica, MSD

# CLL first line treatment (updated August 2021)

Stage	del(17p) or TP53mut	Fitness	IGHV	Therapy
Inactive disease, Binet A-B, Rai 0-II	Irrelevant	Irrelevant	Irrelevant	None
Active disease or Binet C or Rai III-IV	Yes	Irrelevant	Irrelevant	Ibrutinib/Acalabrutinib <sup>1</sup> or Venetoclax + Obinutuzumab or Idelalisib-Rituximab (if contraindications for other options)
	No	Go go	M	FCR (BR above 65 years) or Ibrutinib/Acalabrutinib <sup>1</sup> or Venetoclax + Obinutuzumab <sup>2</sup>
			U	Ibrutinib/Acalabrutinib <sup>1</sup> or FCR (BR above 65 years) or Venetoclax+Obinutuzumab
	No	Slow go	M	Venetoclax + Obinutuzumab or Ibrutinib/Acalabrutinib <sup>1,2</sup> or Chlorambucil-Obinutuzumab
U			Venetoclax + Obinutuzumab or Ibrutinib/Acalabrutinib <sup>1,2</sup> + Chlorambucil-Obinutuzumab	

1) Addition of obinutuzumab to acalabrutinib may be considered.

2) Consider and discuss with patient: Continuous vs fixed-duration therapy, specific side effects of drug classes (myelosuppression, infections, secondary malignancies for CIT; cardiac toxicity and bleeding for BTKi (Acalabrutinib < Ibrutinib); TLS and infections for Ven-Obi; autoimmune disease and opportunistic infections for Idelalisib.

**BTK  
inhibitor**

Continuous  
monotherapy

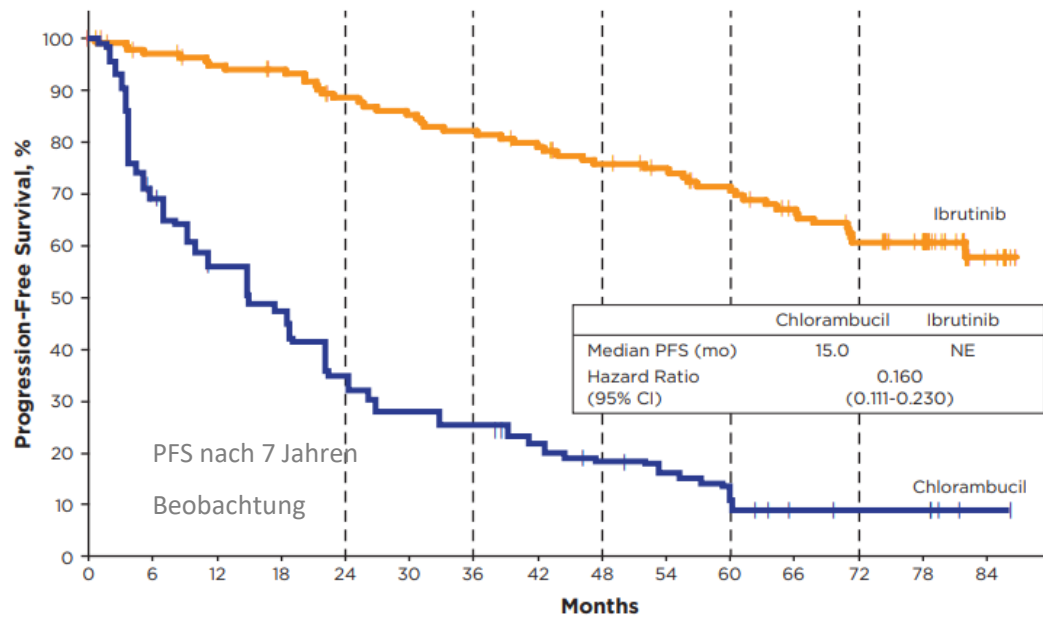
**Veneto-  
clax +  
Obinutu  
zumab**

Fixed-duration  
combination  
therapy

**TREATMENT PARADIGMS**

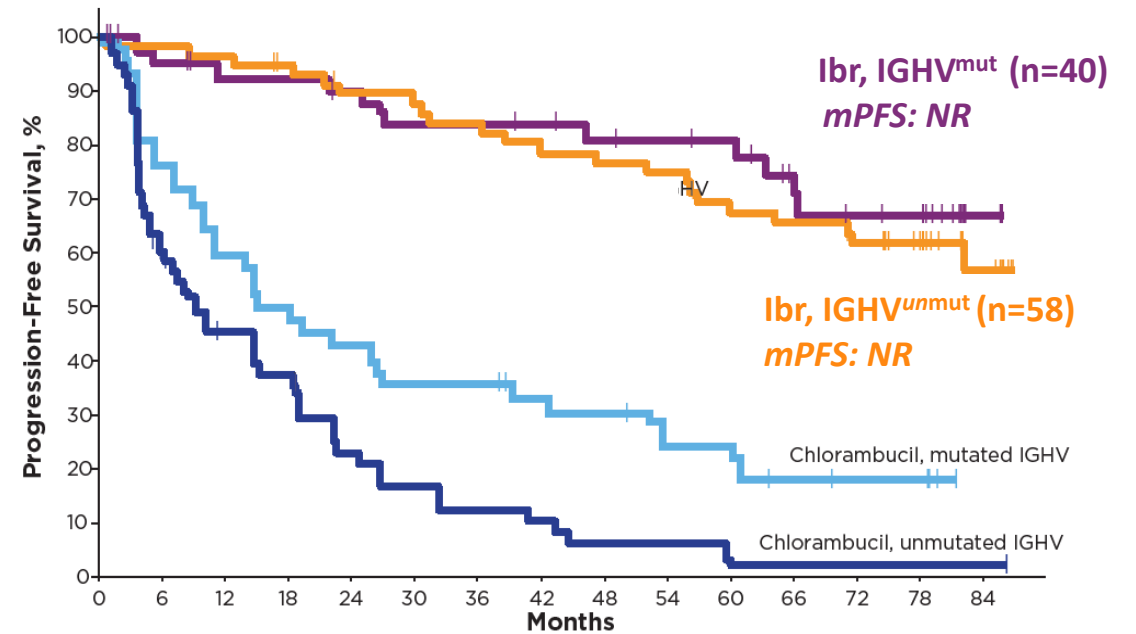
# BTK INHIBITOR IBRUTINIB VS CHEMO/-IMMUNTHERAPIE: PFS

RESONATE 2-STUDIE: ERSTLINIE IBRUTINIB VS CHLORAMBUCIL BEI ÄLTEREN PATIENTEN



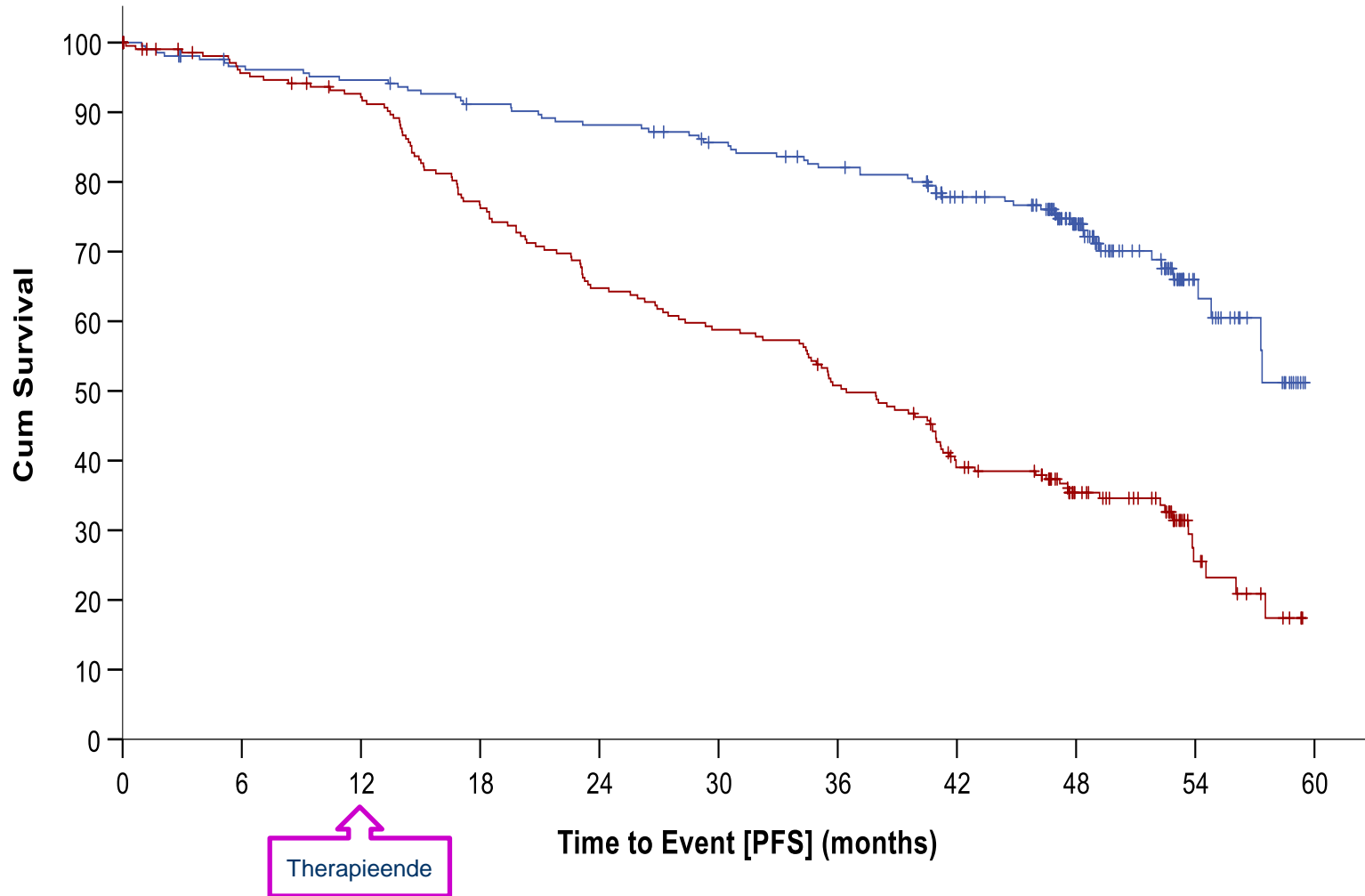
Patients at Risk and PFS	0	6	12	18	24	30	36	42	48	54	60	66	72	78	84
Ibrutinib:	136	129	124	121	112	108	104	99	92	88	81	74	64	56	12
PFS, %:					89	82			76		71		61		
Chlorambucil:	133	88	69	57	41	33	30	25	19	16	12	6	5	5	1
PFS, %:					35	25			18		12		9		

RESONATE 2-STUDIE: PFS NACH IGHV



# CLL14-STUDY: CLB+OBINUTUZUMAB VS. VENETOCLAX PLUS OBIN.

PFS after median observation time 52.4 months



## Median PFS

Ven-Obi: not reached

Clb-Obi: 36.4 months

## 4-year PFS rate

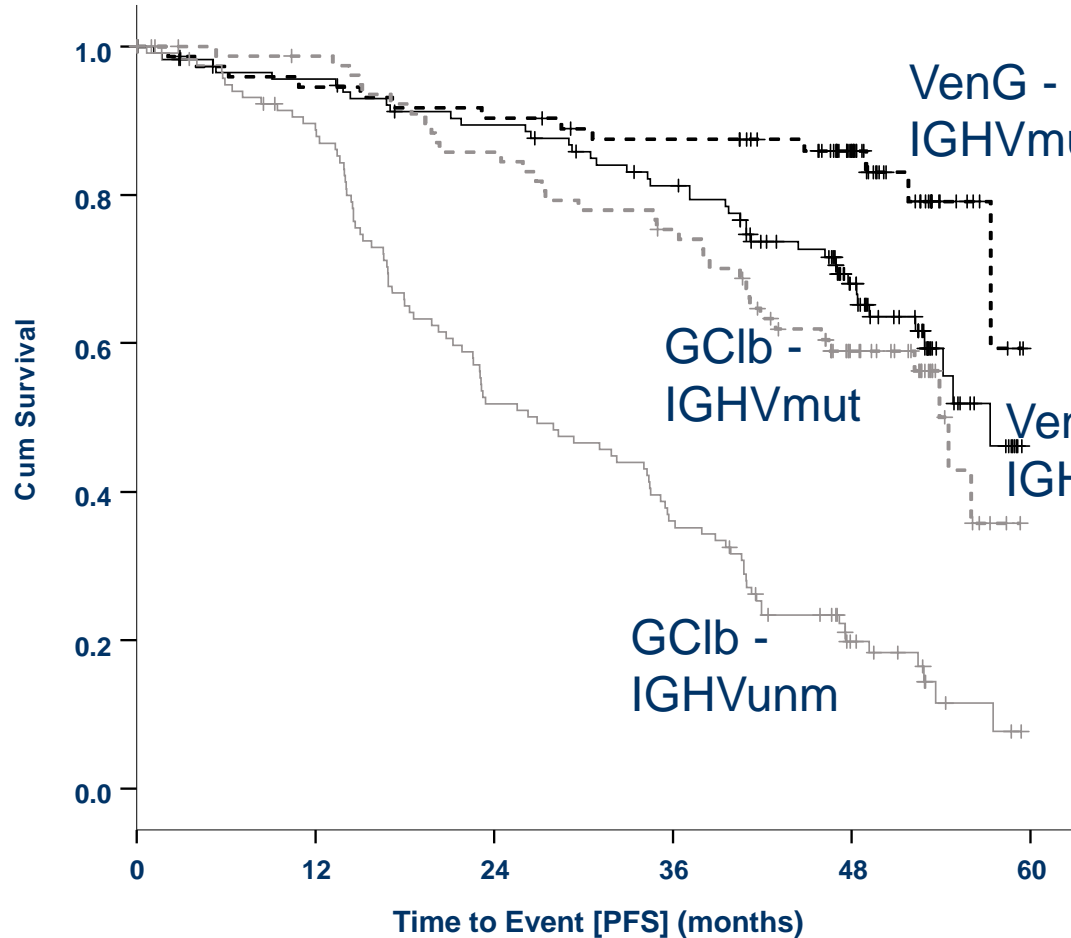
Ven-Obi: 74.0%

Clb-Obi: 35.4%

HR 0.33, 95% CI [0.25-0.45] **P<0.0001**

# CLL14-STUDY: CLB+OBINUTUZUMAB VS. VENETOCLAX PLUS OBIN.

PFS according to IGHV Status



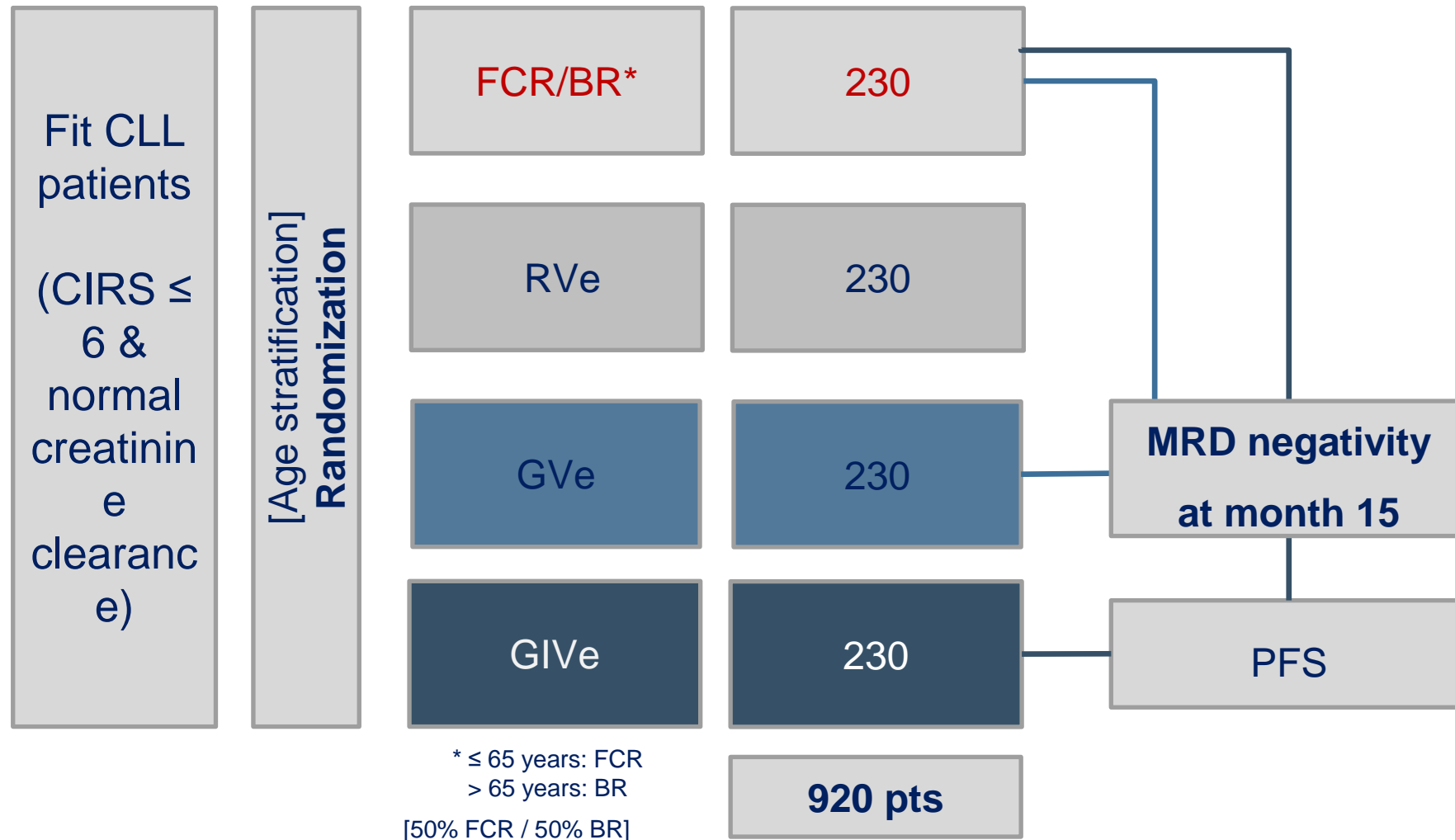
## VenG vs. GClb in dependence of IGHV status

IGHVunm - VenG	}	<b>HR 0.25</b> (95%CI 0.17-0.37)
IGHVunm - GClb		
IGHVmut - VenG	}	<b>HR 0.36</b> (95%CI 0.19-0.68)
IGHVmut - GClb		

# Fit Patients: GAIA Study/CLL13



Standard chemoimmunotherapy vs. ABT-199 + R vs. ABT-199 + G vs. ABT-199 + I + G





**I**

Continuous  
monotherapy

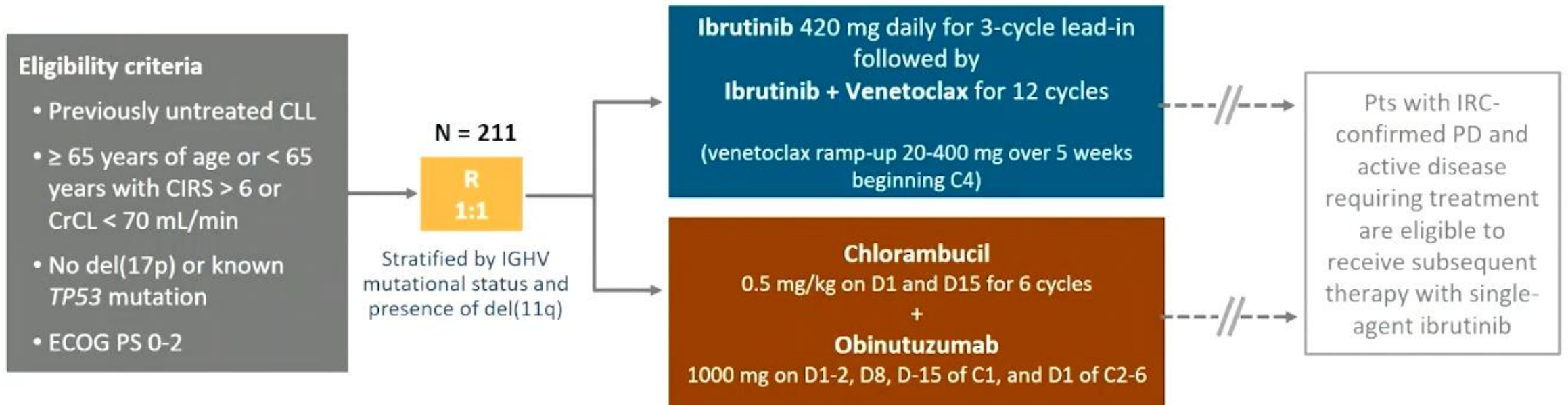
**VG/VI**

Fixed-duration  
combination  
therapy

**TREATMENT PARADIGMS**



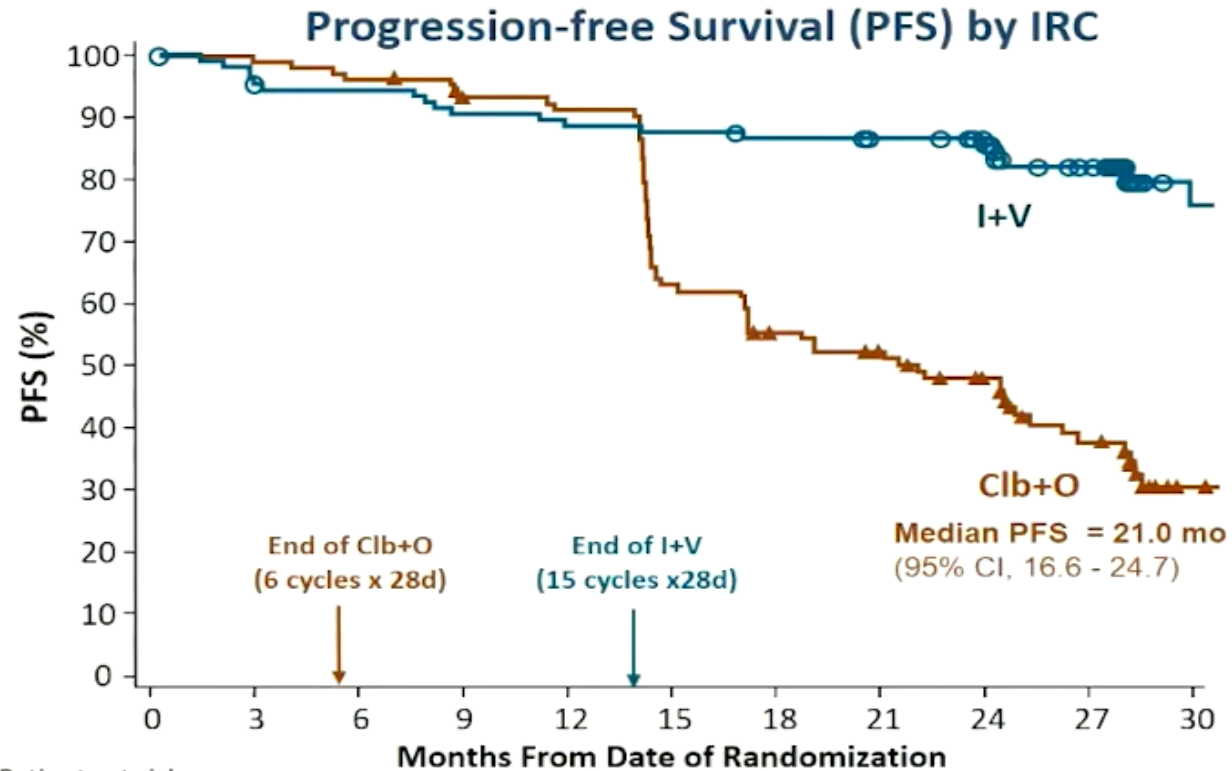
# Kombination BTK Inhibitor Ibrutinib + Bcl2 Inhibitor Venetoclax



**Primary end point:** Progression-free survival by independent review committee (IRC)

- 71 PFS events to detect an effect size with an HR = 0.5 (80% power at a 2-sided significance level of 0.05)

# Glow-Studie (IV vs. ClbObin): PFS nach 27.7 Monaten



Patients at risk		0	3	6	9	12	15	18	21	24	27	30
I+V	106	98	98	94	92	91	89	87	71	59	20	
Clb+O	105	104	101	95	93	63	54	47	36	25	6	

# CL17

## A PROSPECTIVE, RANDOMIZED, OPEN-LABEL, MULTICENTRE PHASE-III TRIAL OF **IBRUTINIB** VERSUS **VENETOCLAX PLUS OBINUTUZUMAB** VERSUS **IBRUTINIB PLUS VENETOCLAX** FOR PATIENTS WITH PREVIOUSLY UNTREATED CHRONIC LYMPHOCYTIC LEUKAEMIA

### Patients with previously untreated CLL

Incl. fit and unfit patients  
Incl. patients with del17p/TP53 mut

### 1:1:1 Randomization

Stratification according to fitness, del17p/TP53, IGHV



**Ibrutinib**



**Venetoclax  
Obinutuzumab**

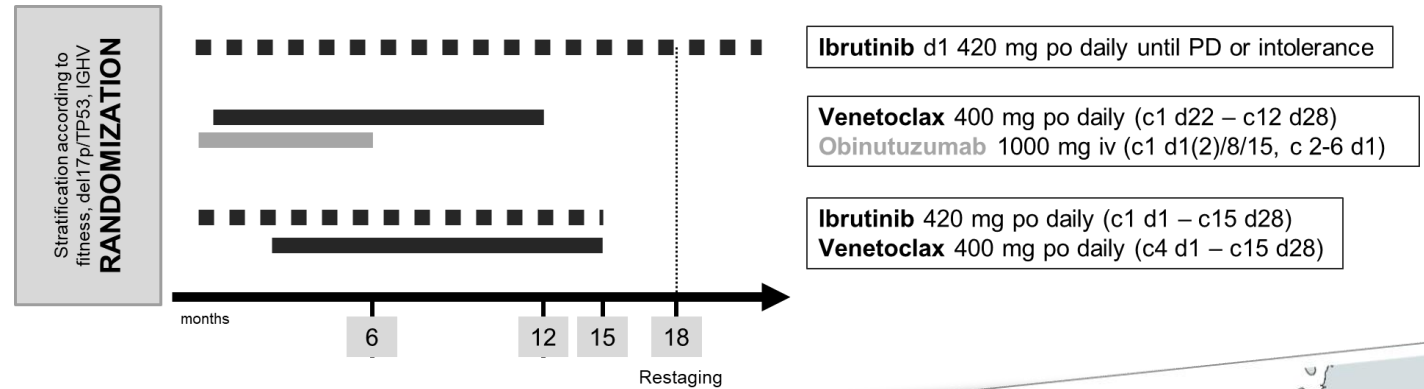


**Venetoclax  
Ibrutinib**

897 patients

Primary endpoint:  
**Progression-free survival**

### TREATMENT SCHEDULE



### TIMELINES

Start of recruitment	Q4/2020
Expected end of recruitment	Q4/2023
End of study	Q1/2027



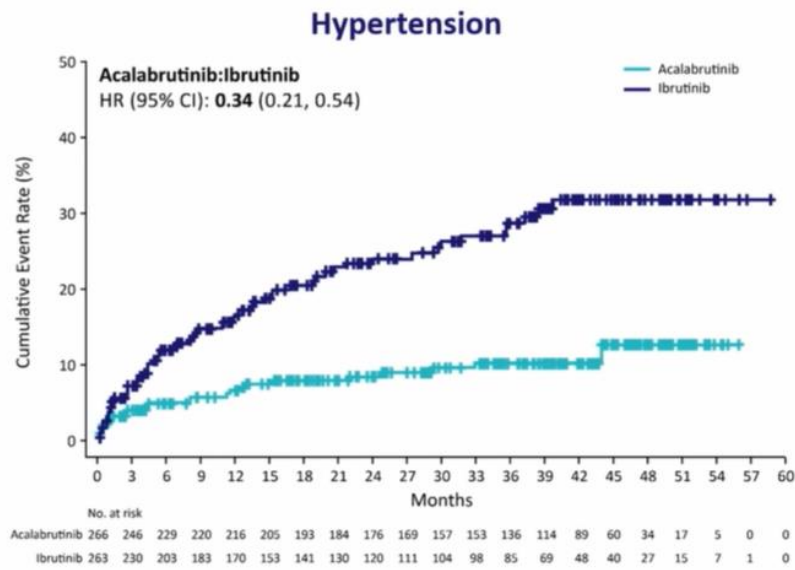
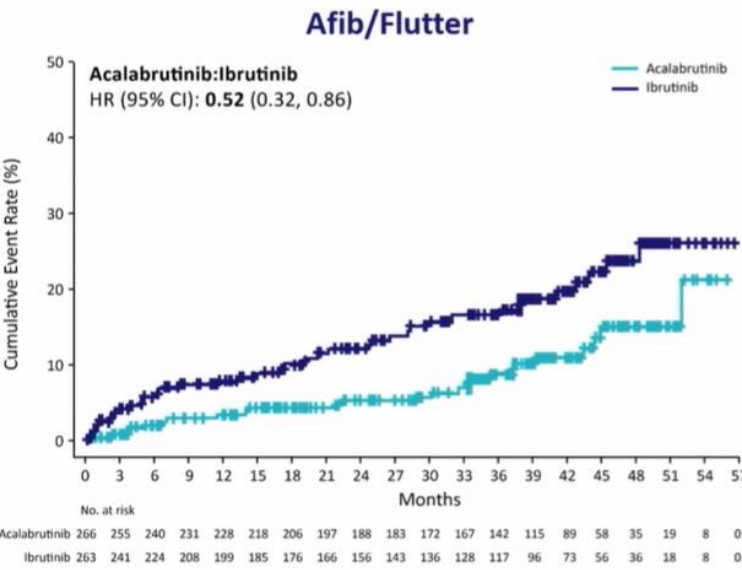
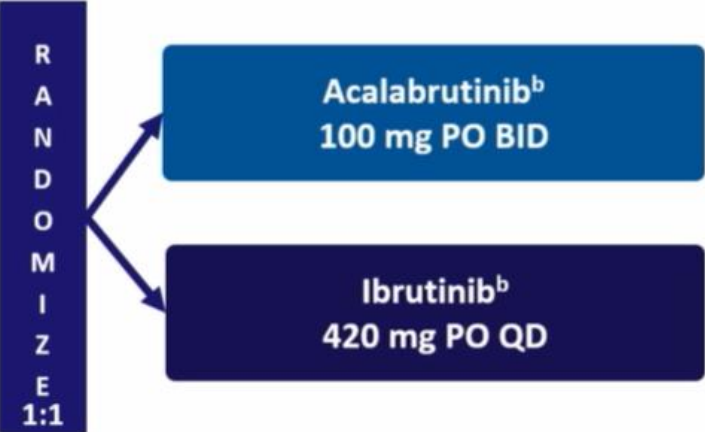
### Participating countries



## BTK Inhibitoren Ibrutinib vs Acalabrutinib

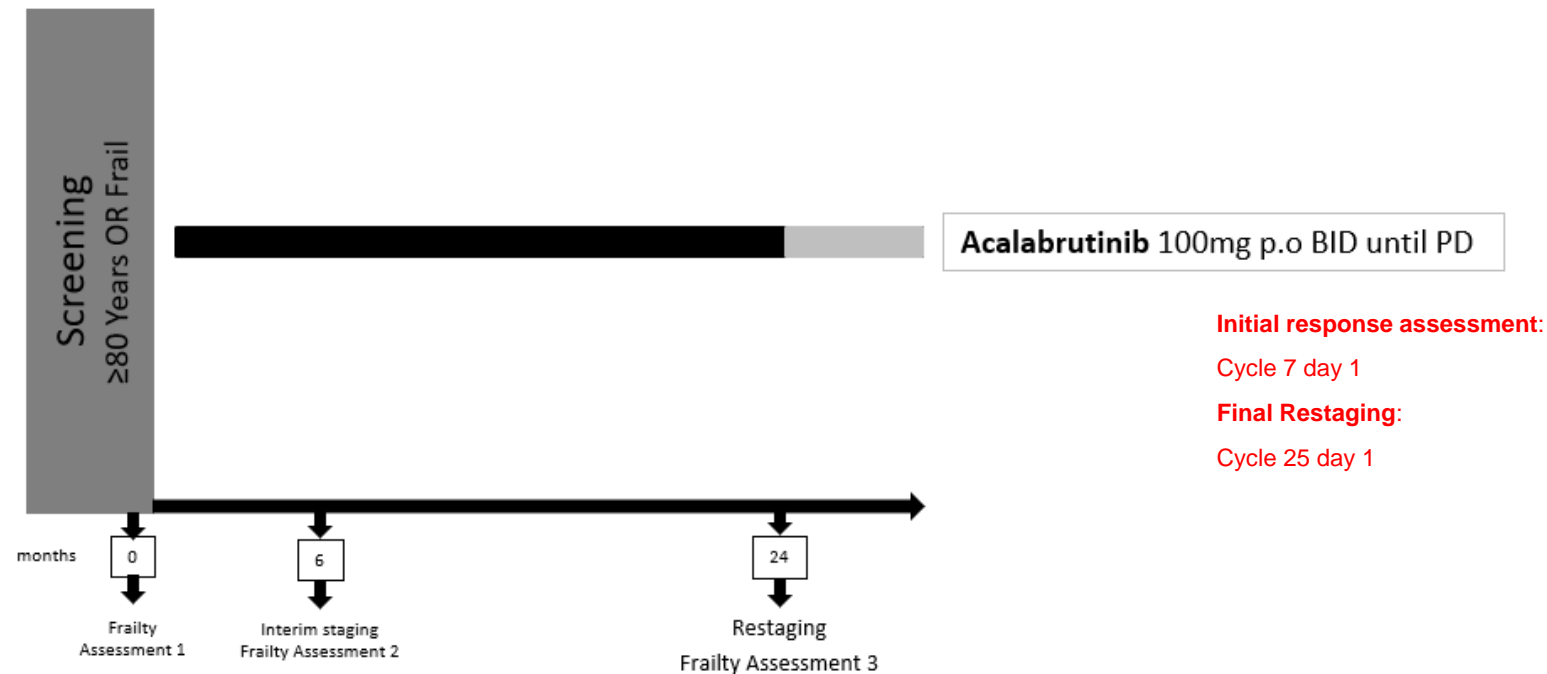
Welche Rolle spielt das  
unterschiedliche  
Nebenwirkungsspektrum?

# Direkter Vergleich Acalabrutinib vs. Ibrutinib: ELEVATE RR - Studie



# CLL-FRAIL STUDY

- Prospective, multicenter, single-arm phase-II study
- **50** eligible patients to be included in 20 sites in Germany and Austria
- Target population:
  - Pts very old ( $\geq 80$ y) AND/OR frail patients
  - treatment-naive or relapsed/ refractory CLL (prior line)



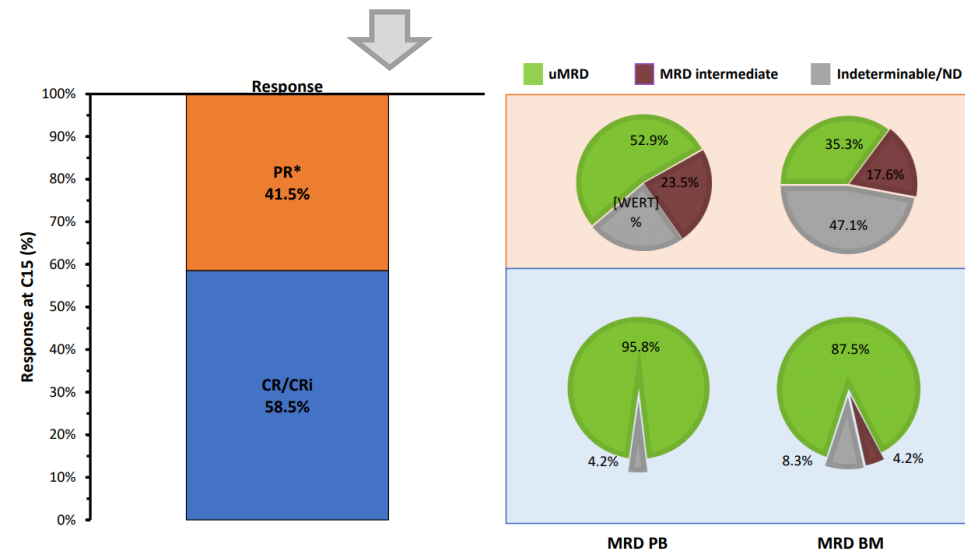
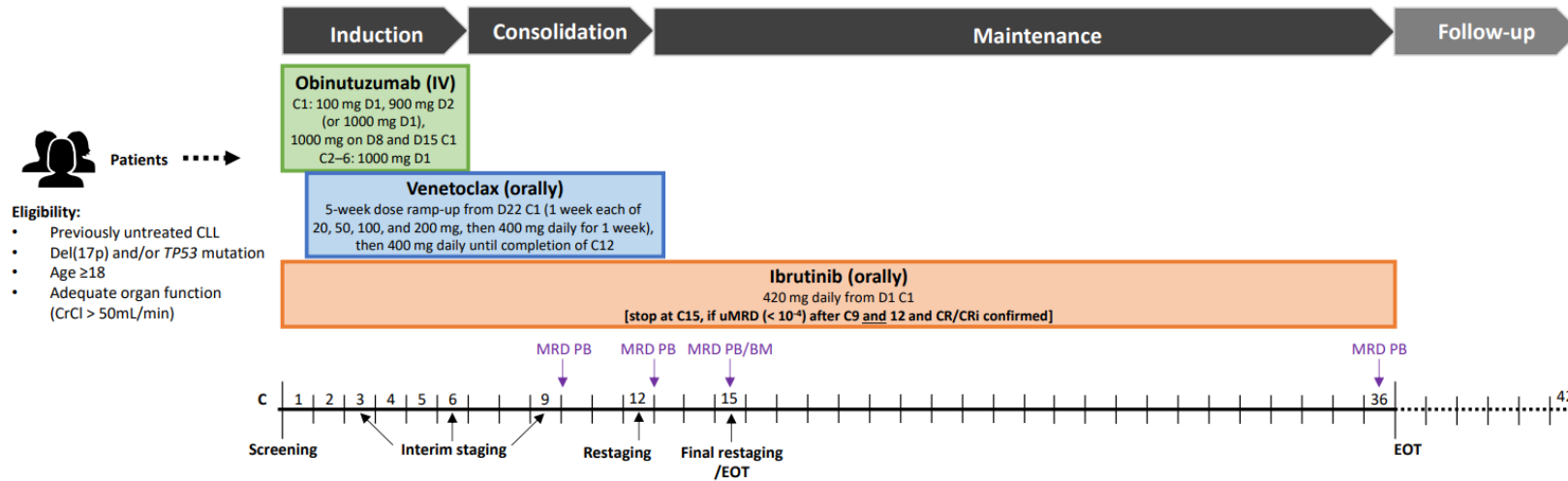
## Stellenwert von Triplekombinationen ?

Höchstrisiko-CLL mit *TP53* Mutation und  
del(17p)

Rezidierte CLL



# CLL2 GIVE STUDY OF THE GCLLSG: Evaluating triple combination in high risk CLL



# CLL 16 STUDY OF THE GCLLSG:

## Evaluating time limited combination therapies in high risk CLL

**CLL16: Patients with previously untreated CLL**  
fit and unfit pts  
only CKT/ del17p/TP53 mut

Stratification  
Binet

R

1:1

**Venetoclax +  
Obinutuzumab**

6x Ven+Ob,  
6x Ven

**Acalabrutinib,  
Obinutuzumab  
+Venetoclax**

14x Acala, 6x Ven+Ob,  
6x Ven, +/-10 months  
Acala maintenance

**Total 178 pts**

Primary endpoint:

**Progression-free survival**

Key secondary endpoints:

MRD level in the peripheral blood at month 15 in both  
cohorts, overall survival

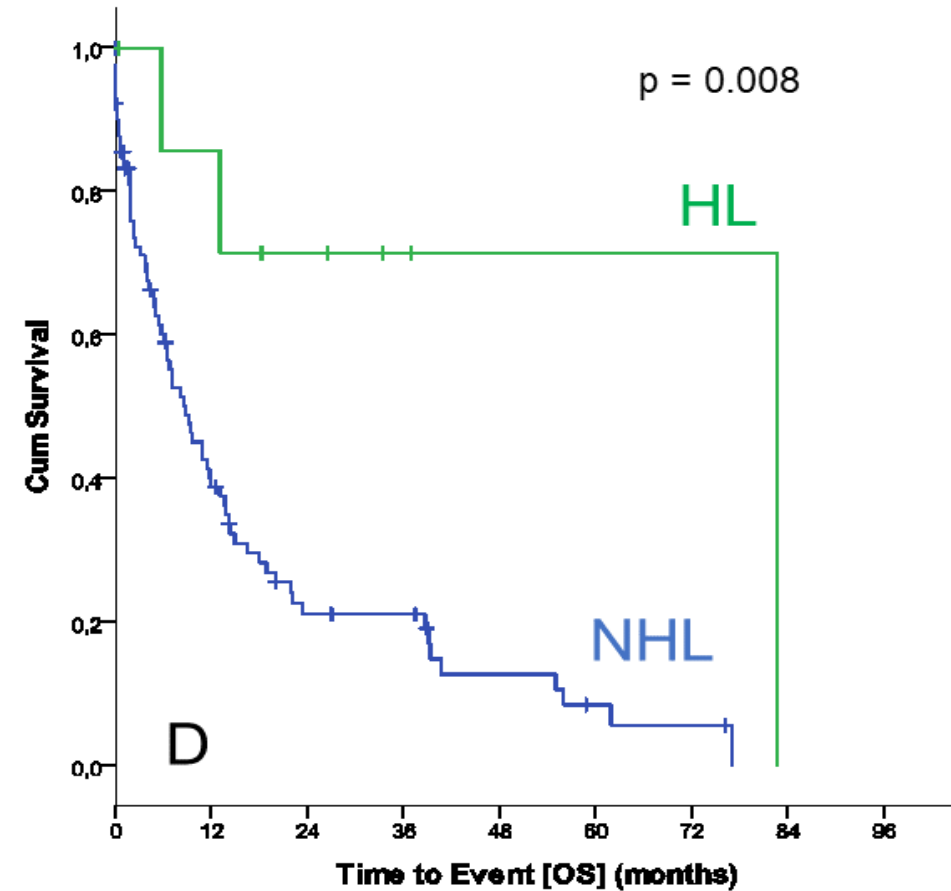
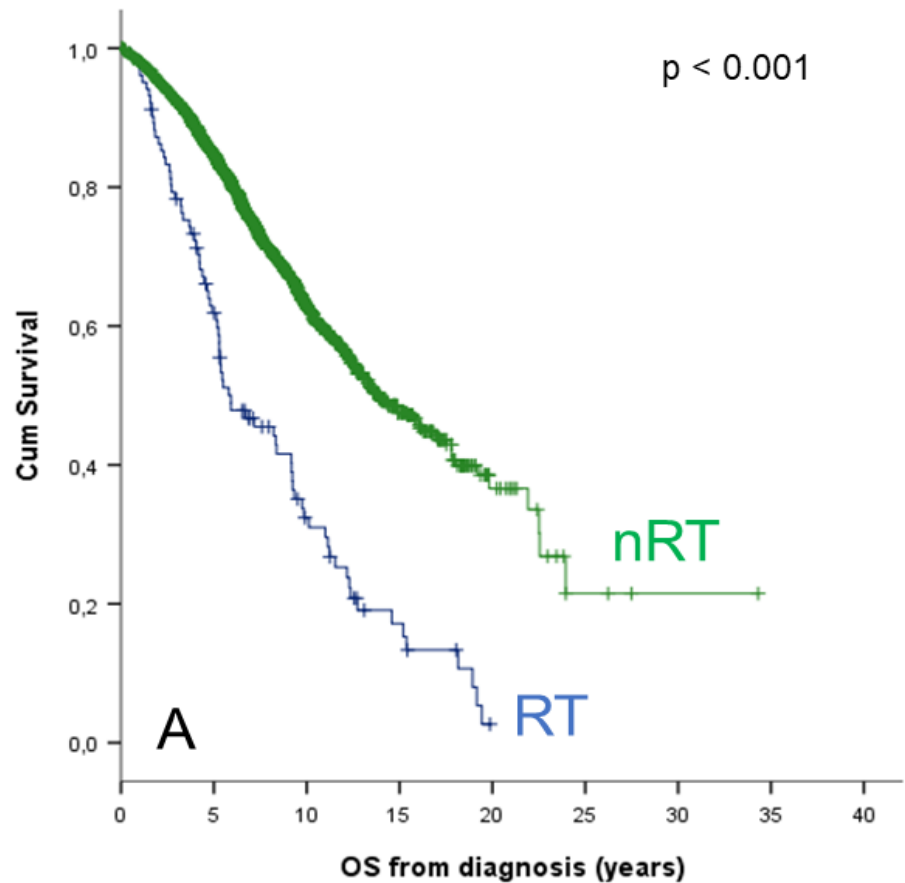
Worst case scenario

Richter Transformation:

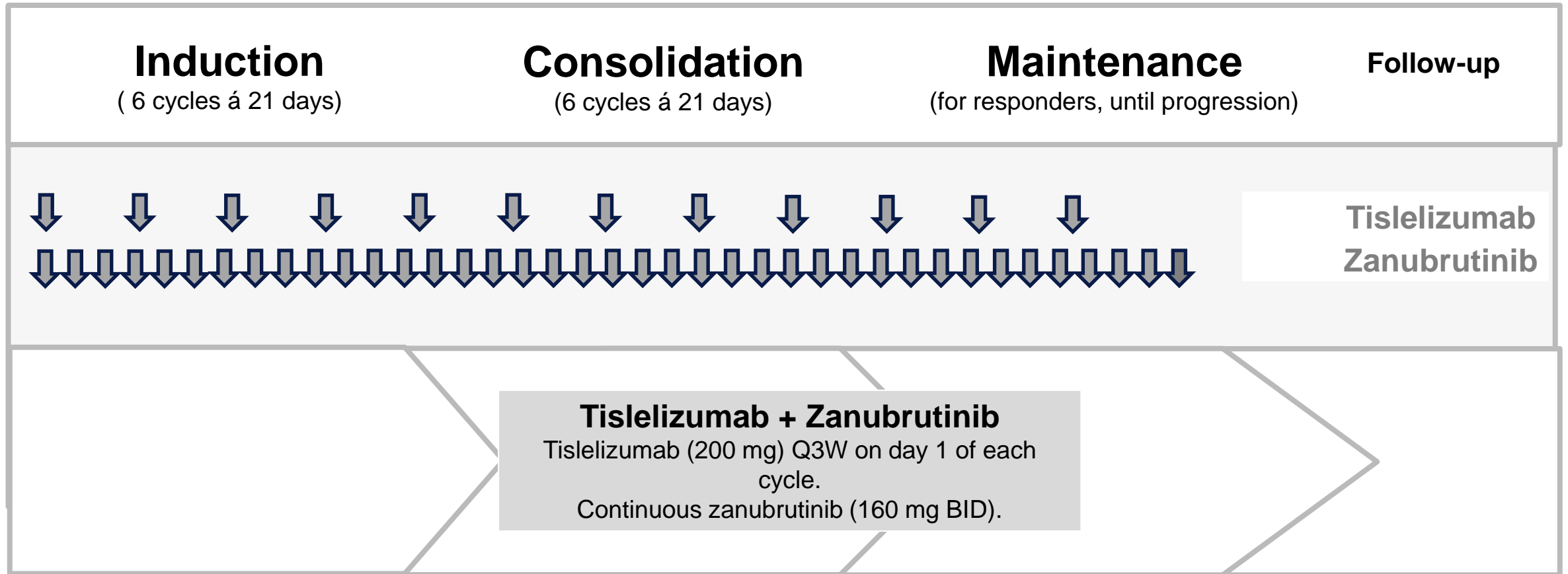
**DLBCL**

Hodgkin Lymphom

# Worst case scenario RT: Pooled analysis of the GCLLSG



# RT1-Studie der DCLLSG



## Planned

## Recruiting

## Follow-up

<p><b>CLL16</b> Treatment naive High Risk Venetoclax-Obinutuzumab vs Acalabrutinib-Venetoclax- Obinutuzumab <small>Q4/2021</small></p>	<p><b>CLL LOXO</b> Pirtobrutinib vs Pirtobrutinib+Venetoclax for relapsed CLL</p>	<p><b>CLL17</b> Treatment Naive Ibrutinib vs Venetoclax- Obinutuzumab vs Ibrutinib- Venetoclax</p>	<p><b>CLL-Frail</b> Very old or frail Acalabrutinib</p>	<p><b>CLL12</b> Risk of Early Progression Ibru vs. Placebo Low Risk Watch&amp;Wait</p>	<p><b>CLL2-BAAG</b> Relapse Benda Debulking, Obi-Ven- calabrutinib Induction, Obi-Ven-A Maintenance</p>
<p><b>CLL ReVenG</b> Venetoclax-Obinutuzumab retreatment for relapsed CLL <small>Q4/2021</small></p>	<p><b>CLL2-BZAG</b> Relapse Benda Debulking, Obi-Ven- anubrutinib Induction, Obi-Ven-Z Maintenance</p>	<p><b>CLL13</b> Go Go FCR/BR vs Ven-R vs Ven-Obi vs Ven- Obi-Ibru</p>	<p><b>CLL2-GIVe</b> High Risk 17p(del)+ TP53 mut: Ven-Obi-Ibru</p>		
<p><b>CLL Y1-TOSO</b> Anti-FCμR CAR-T cells in CLL <small>Q2/2022</small></p>	<p><b>CLL2-BAG</b> Relapse Benda Debulking, Obi-Ven- ZAnunrutinib Induction, Obi-Ven-Z Maintenance</p>	<p><b>CLL14</b> Slow Go Ven-Obi vs CLB-Obi</p>	<p><b>CLL2-BCG</b> Relapse 17pdel, TP53mut Benda Debulking, Idela+Obi Induction, Idela+Obi Maintenance</p>		
	<p><b>CLL-RT1</b> Richter's Transformation Zanubutinib plus Tislelizumab</p>		<p><b>CLL3</b> Relapse Max. 3 Pretreatments Induction: Benda-Obinutuzumab Obi- Maintenance</p>		

International trials in cooperation with collaborative/academic partners in other countries

**GCLLSG Registry**  
All patients with CLL, SLL, B-PLL, T-PLL, LGL, Richter's Syndrome, HCL

