

# Eosinophil malignancies

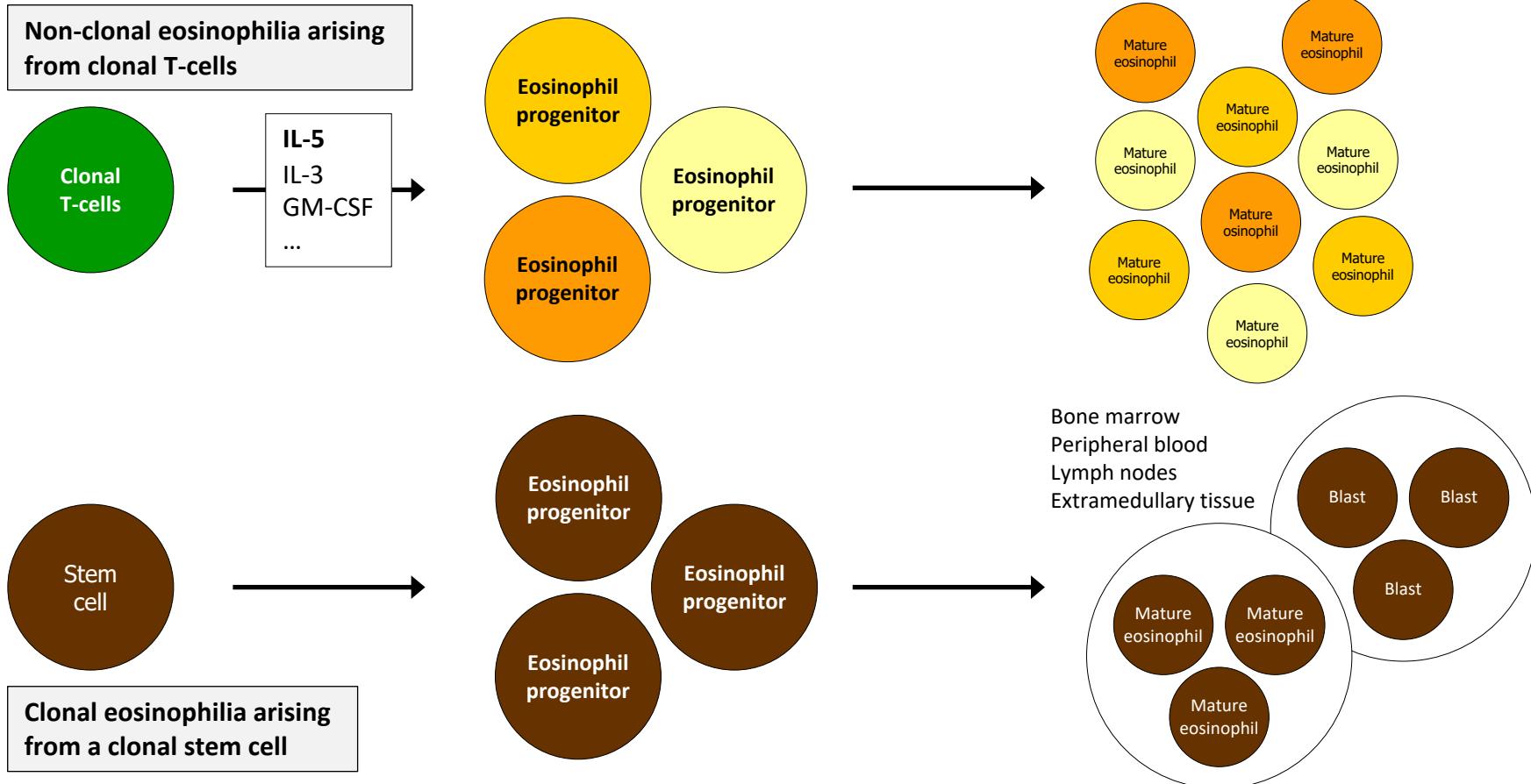
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BMS	X	X	X	X
AOP	X	X	X	X
GSK	X	X	X	X
Abbvie	X	X	X	X
Incyte	X	X		
Cogent	X	X		
Astra Zeneca	X			

# Non-clonal and clonal eosinophilia



# Basic genetic techniques in the diagnostic work-up of eosinophilia

## FISH (PB) – fusion genes

- CHIC2 deletion
- Rearrangement
- Fusion gene

## PCR (PB)

- RT-PCR for fusion genes
- Allele-specific PCR (mutations)
- T-cell receptor rearrangement

## GENETICS

## Cytogenetic analysis (BM)

- Reciprocal translocation
- Deletion, inversion
- Monosomy
- Complex karyotype

## NGS (PB)

- RNA/DNA sequencing for cryptic fusion genes
- Panel sequencing for known mutations

# Myeloid/lymphoid neoplasms with eosinophilia and tyrosine kinase fusion genes (MLN-eo-TK)

Fusion	Partner genes	No. of patients n=135	Myeloid/lymphoid blast phase (BM or EMD) n=38 (28%)	Primary/secondary blast phase (25/13)
<i>FIP1L1::PDGFRA</i>	1	78	<b>17 (22%)</b>	<b>13 / 4</b>
<i>PDGFRB</i>	11	26	<b>5 (19%)</b>	<b>4 / 1</b>
<i>FGFR1</i>	3	9	<b>7 (78%)</b>	<b>6 / 1</b>
<i>JAK2</i>	2	11	<b>3 (27%)</b>	<b>0 / 3</b>
<i>ETV6::ABL1</i>	1	11	<b>6 (54%)</b>	<b>2 / 4</b>

BM: bone marrow

EMD: extramedullary disease („lymphoma“; „myeloid sarcoma“)

German Registry for Disorders of Eosinophils and Mast Cells (GREM)  
Metzgeroth et al., submitted

# M/LN-eo with *PDGFRA*/*PDGFRB* fusions

## *PDGFRA*/*PDGFRB* (n=104)

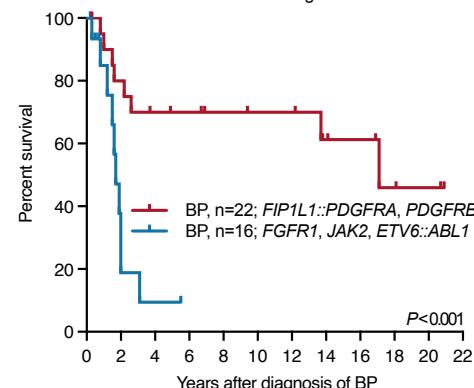
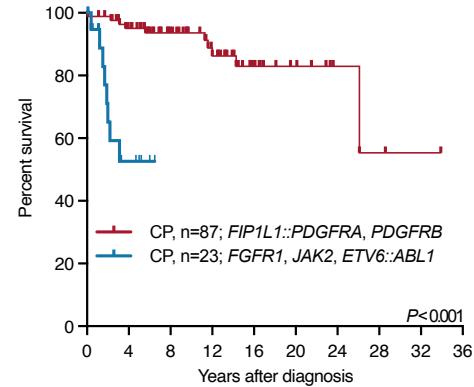
- *FIP1L1::PDGFRA* (n=78)
- *PDGFRB* (n=26; various fusion partners, n=11)

## Chronic phase (n=87)

- Progression into secondary BP (n=5; *PDGFRA*, n=4, *PDGFRB*, n=1)
- Allogeneic SCT in CP (n=3)
- Causes of death (n=8)
  - Comorbidity (n=5)
  - **Resistance/progression (n=1)**
  - **Resistance/allogeneic SCT/GvHD (n=1)**
  - Cardiac involvement (n=1)

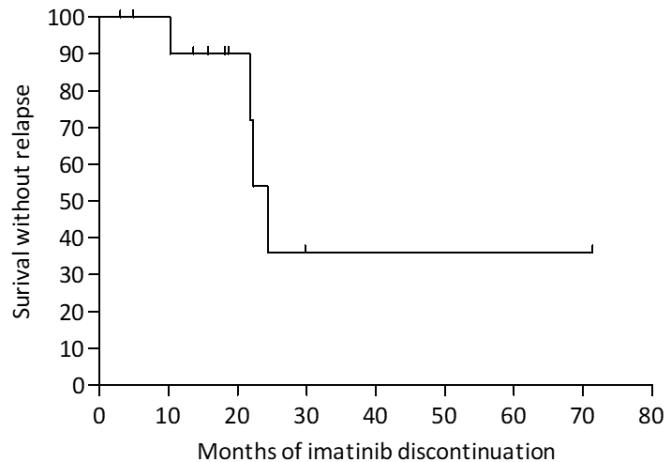
## Blast phase (n=22)

- Primary (n=17), secondary (n=5)
- Allogeneic SCT (n=6)
- Causes of death (n=8; primary, n=6; secondary, n=2)
  - **Resistance/relapse (n=4)**
  - Comorbidity (n=3)
  - Intracerebral bleeding (n=1)

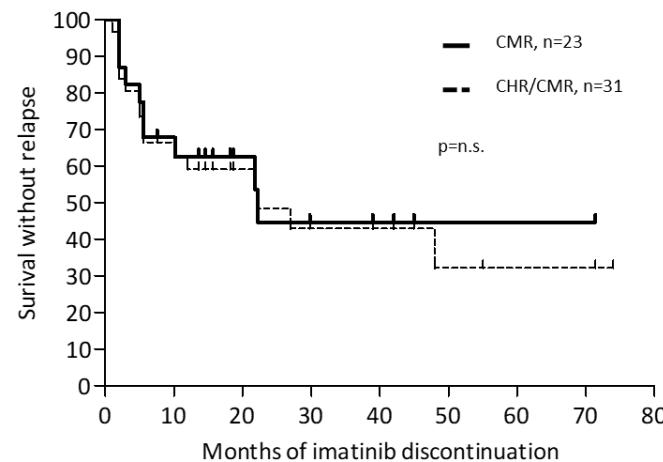


# Treatment-free remission in M/LN-eo with *FIP1L1::PDGFRA* fusion

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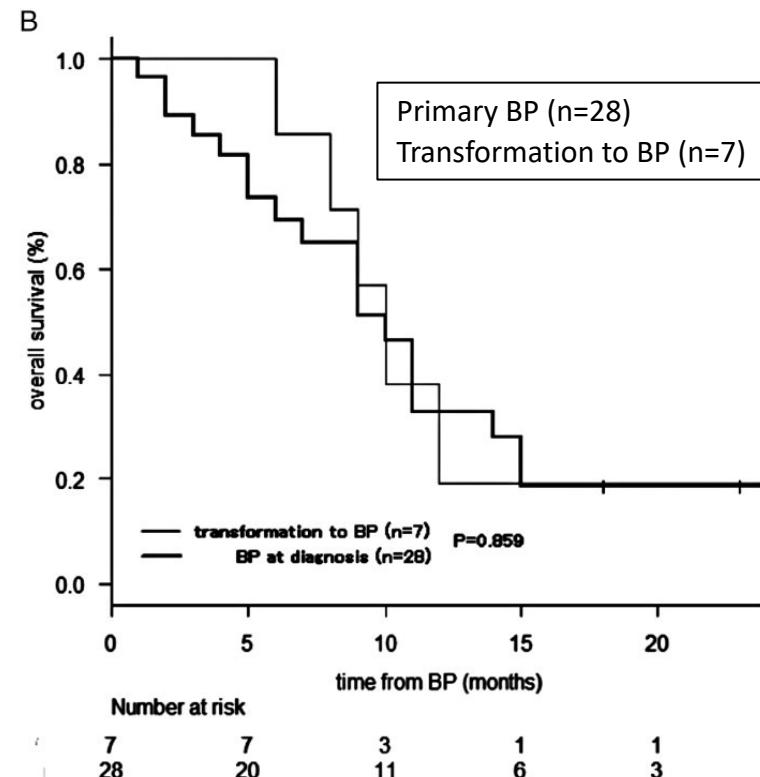
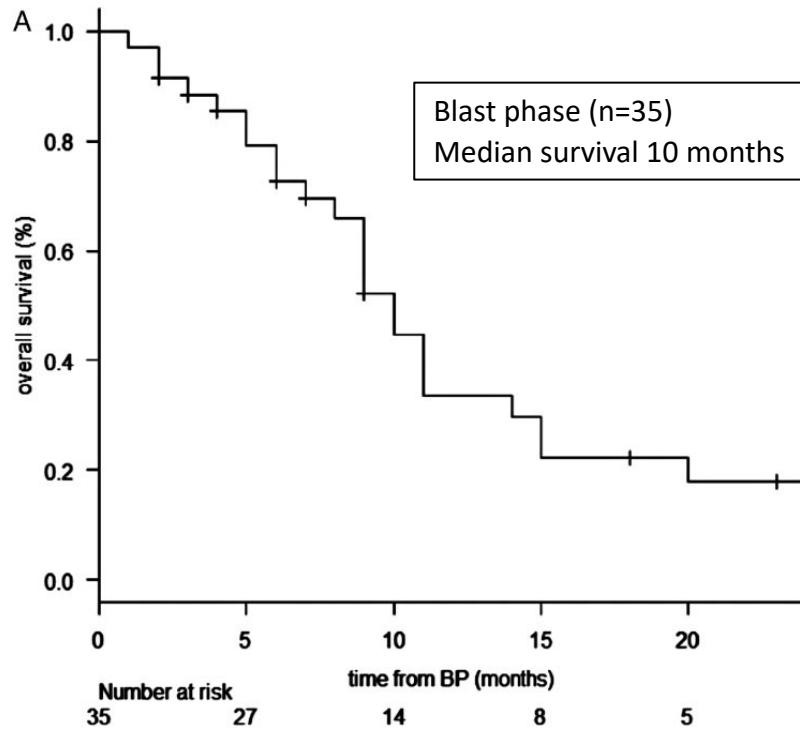


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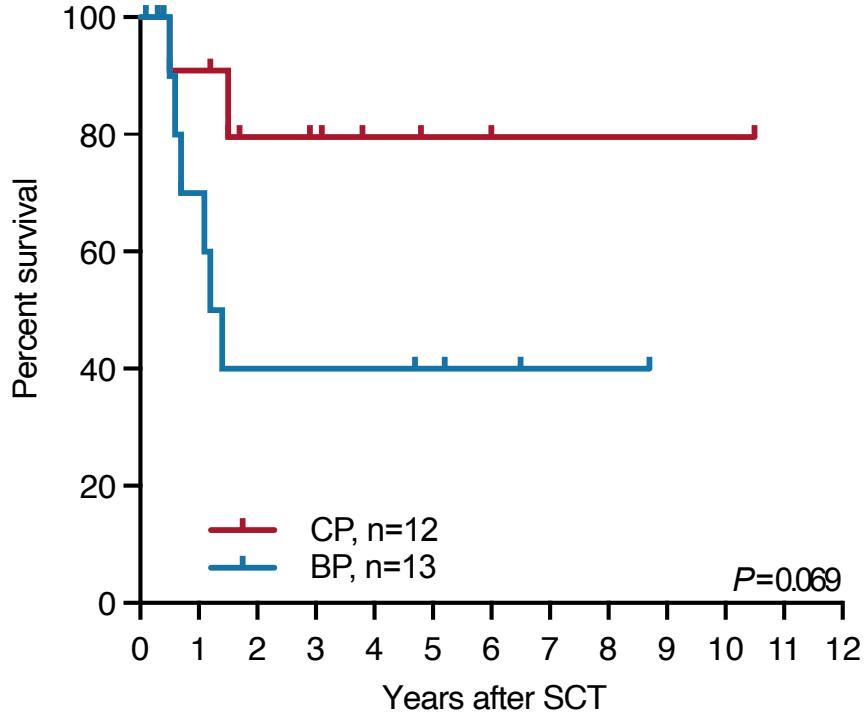
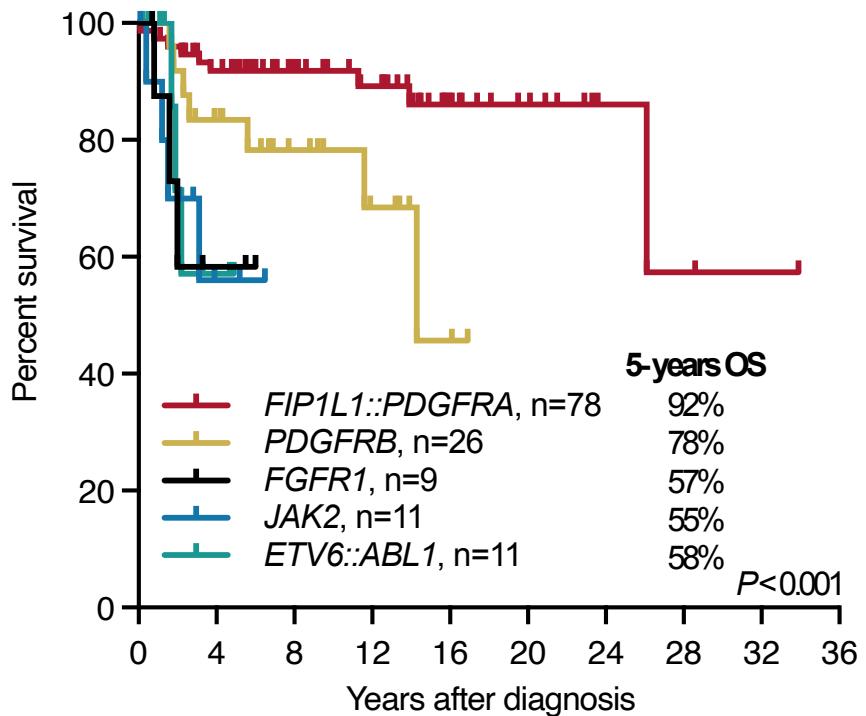
Treatment with imatinib: median 80 months (range, 43-175)  
Time in CMR: median 66 months (range, 37-174)

# M/LN-eo with *FGFR1* fusions: OS of patients in BP and according to primary or secondary BP

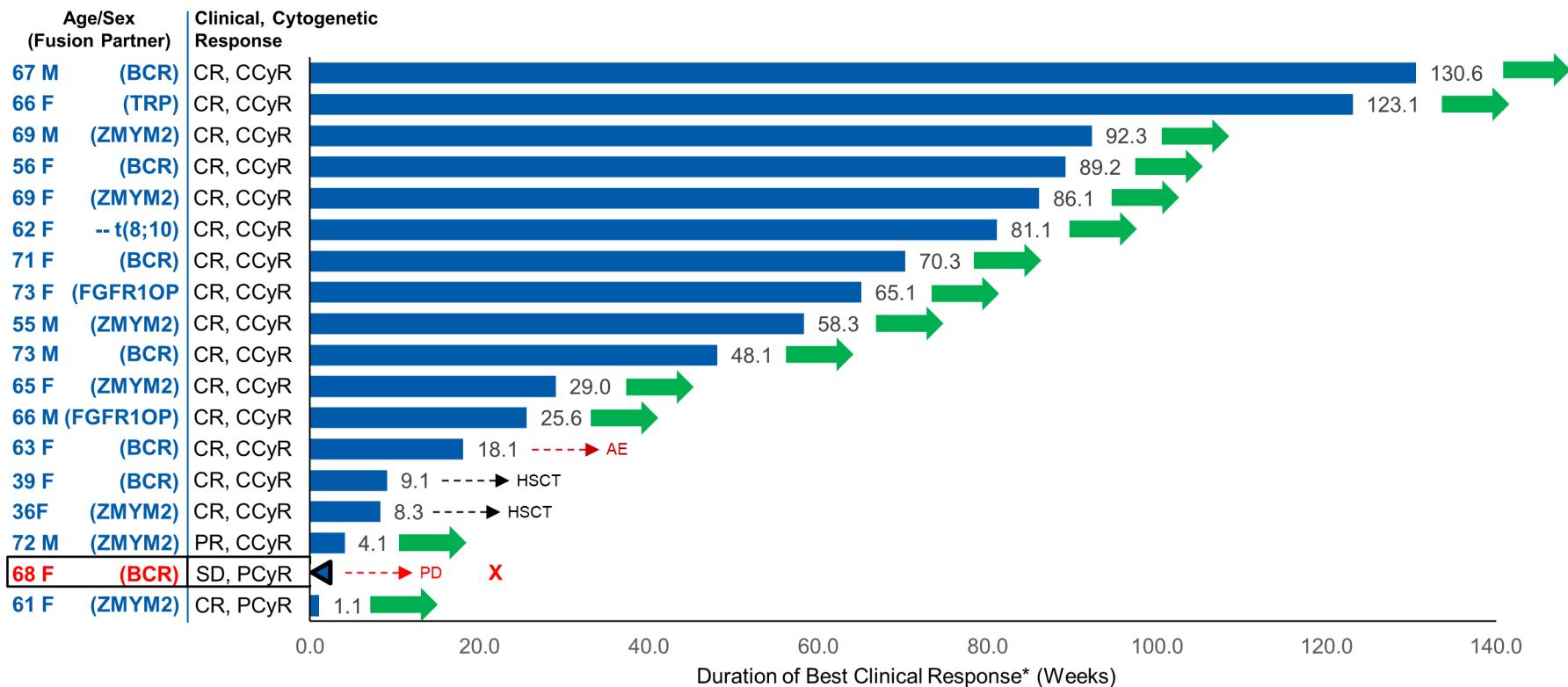


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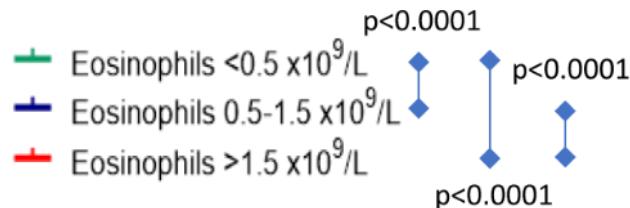
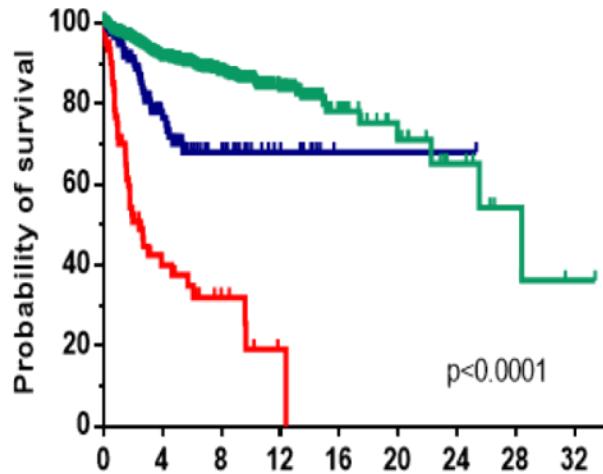
# M/LN-eo-TK



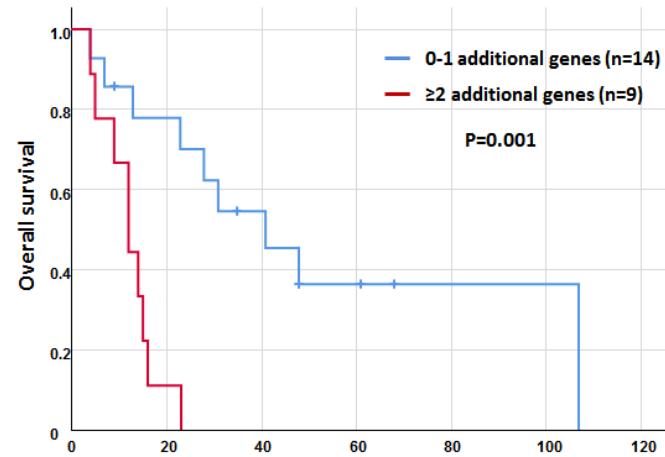
# Chronic Phase Disease Only (n=18): Best Clinical and Cytogenetic Responses per CRC



# Survival of eosinophilia in association with point mutations



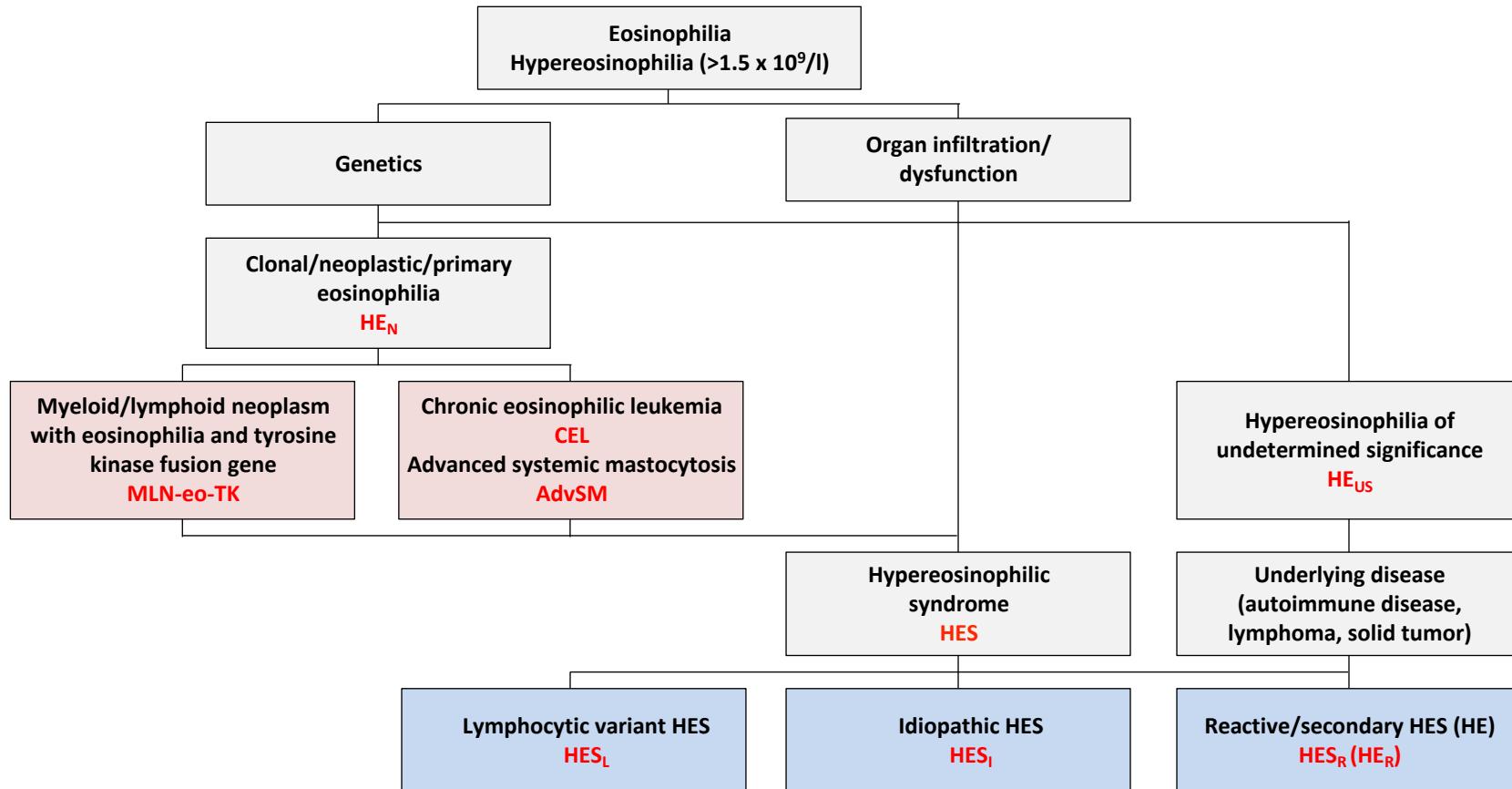
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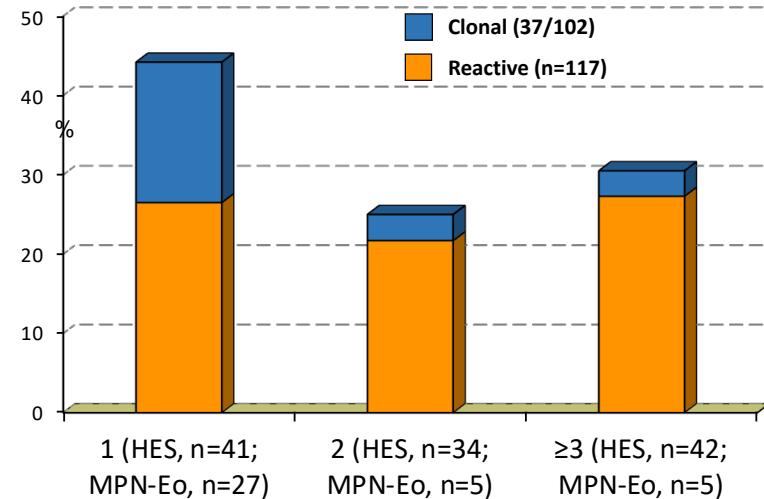
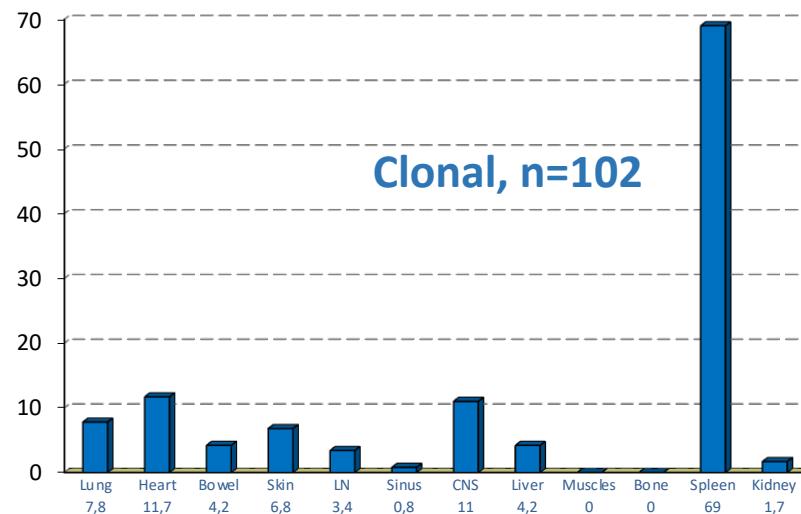
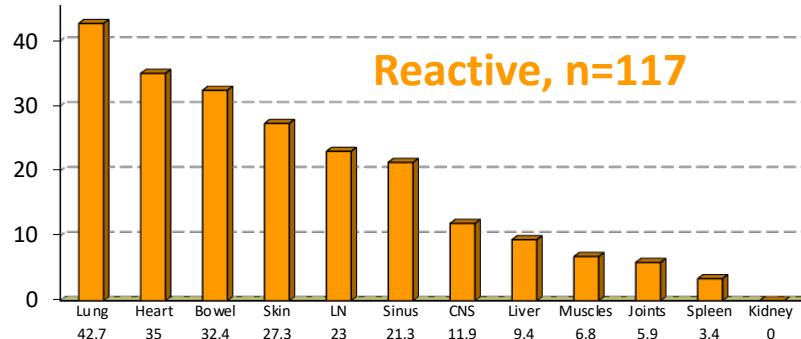
- Identified in 27/1715 (1.6%) patients with eosinophilia
- = CEL-NOS
- Median of 2 (range 0-4) additional myeloid mutations, e.g. *SF3B1*, *SRSF2*, *ASXL1*, *EZH2*, *RUNX1*
- Median overall survival 30 months

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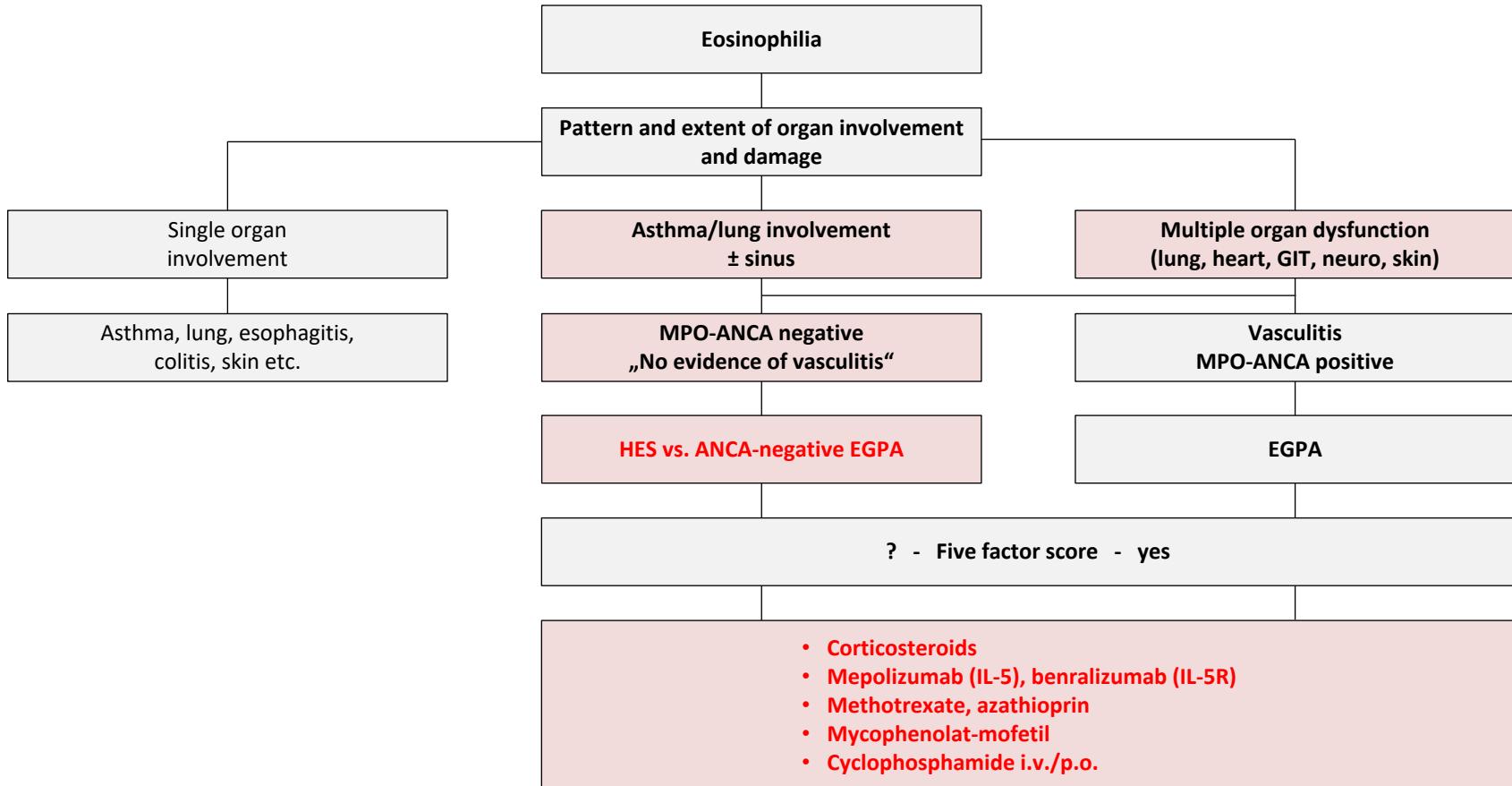
# Terminology of eosinophilia-associated disorders



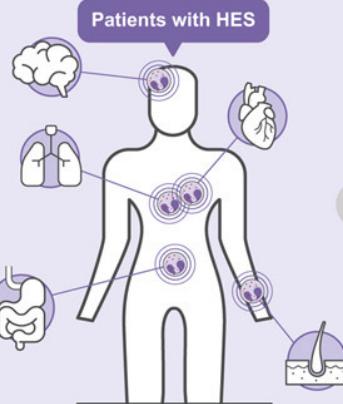
# Organ involvement in reactive and clonal eosinophilia



# Eosinophilia and organ damage



# Mepolizumab in HES



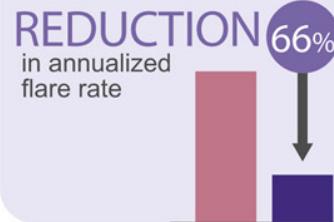
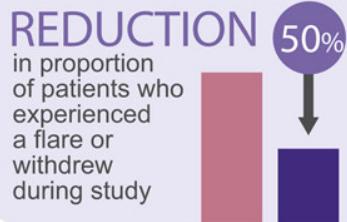
Patients received **placebo (n=54)** or **mepolizumab 300 mg SC (n=54)** plus existing HES therapy.



**Primary endpoint\***

Proportion of patients experiencing a disease flare

Secondary endpoints included time to first flare, annualized flare rate, proportion of patients experiencing a flare during weeks 20-32 and change from baseline at week 32 in fatigue severity; safety outcomes were also assessed.



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Placebo Mepolizumab

# Eosinophilia: complex genetics and its consequences

