

## Genetic susceptibility and management of hereditary breast cancer

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## Disclosures

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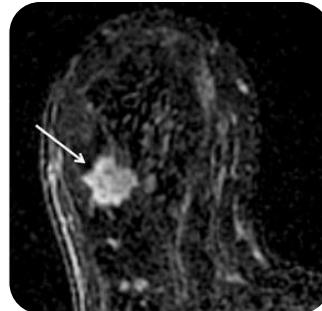
### Estimation of cancer risk

- . Identification of individuals at sufficient risk to consider enhanced screening or prevention strategies
- . Reproductive decision making



### Early detection and prevention

- . Surveillance
- . Risk reduction options



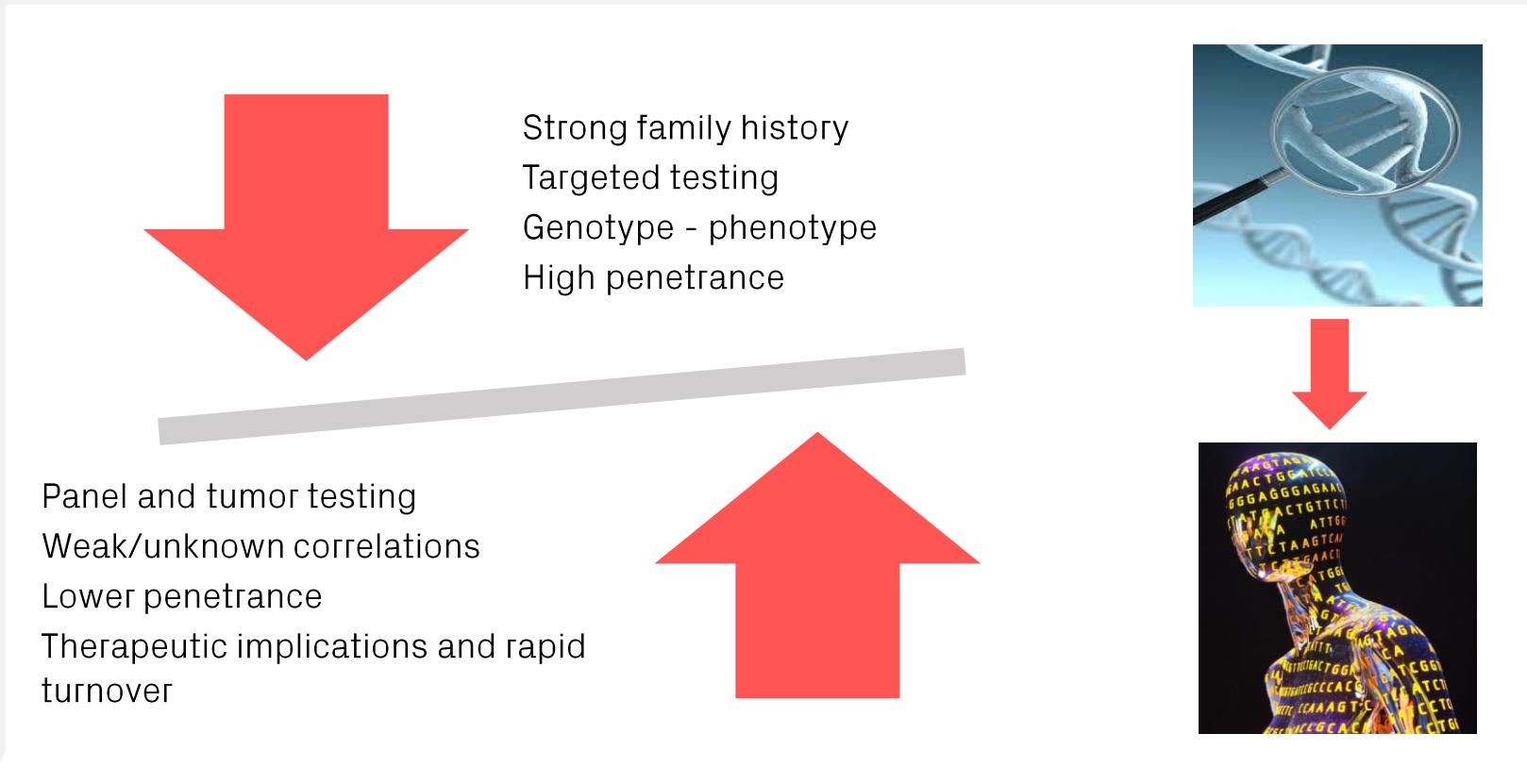
### Targeted therapy

- . Identification of tumours that might respond to targeted therapies

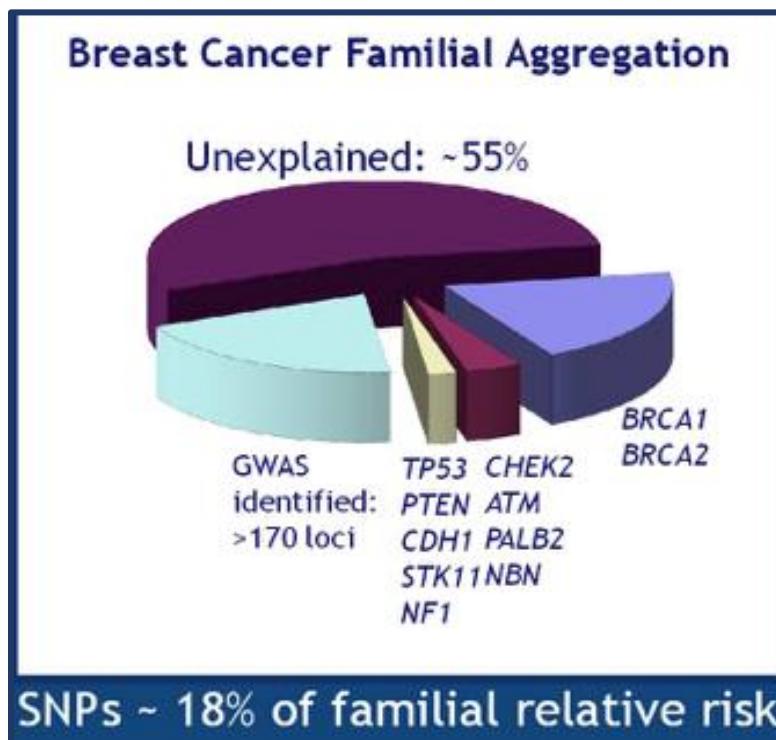


# The changing paradigm of diagnostic testing for germline mutations in cancer genetics

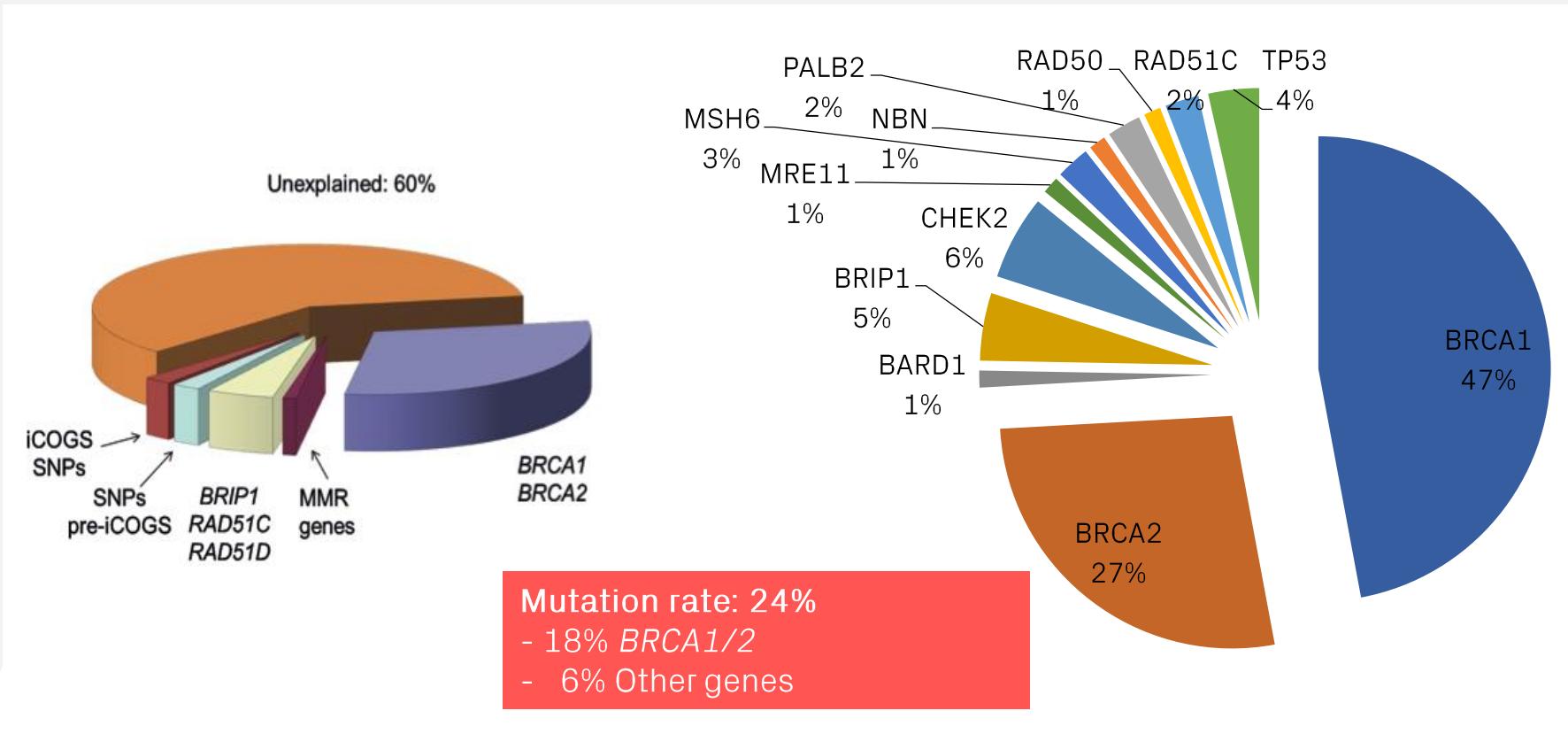
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## Susceptibility to breast cancer



# Ovarian cancer genetic susceptibility



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## Estimated cumulative risk of breast and ovarian cancer in BRCA1/2 mutation carriers

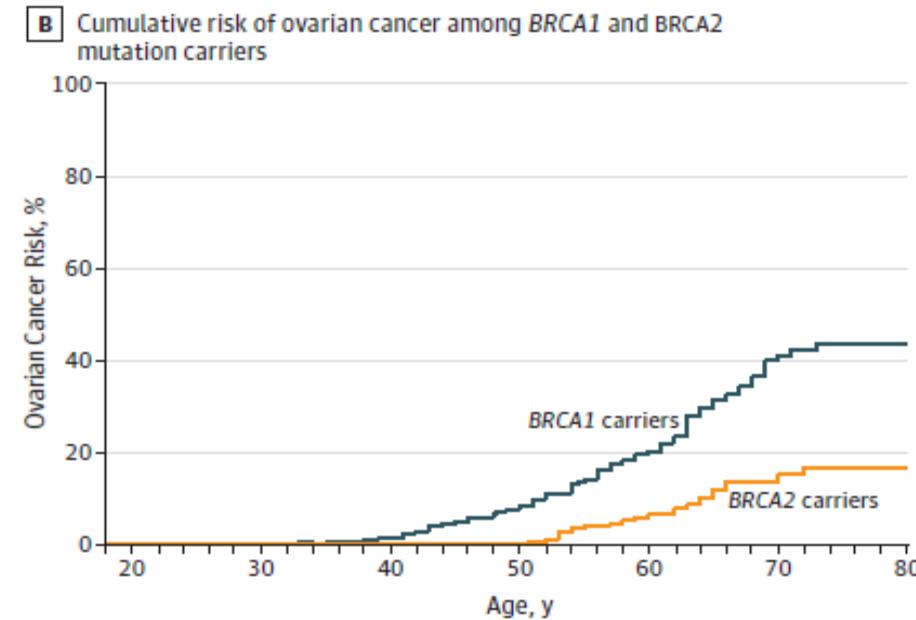
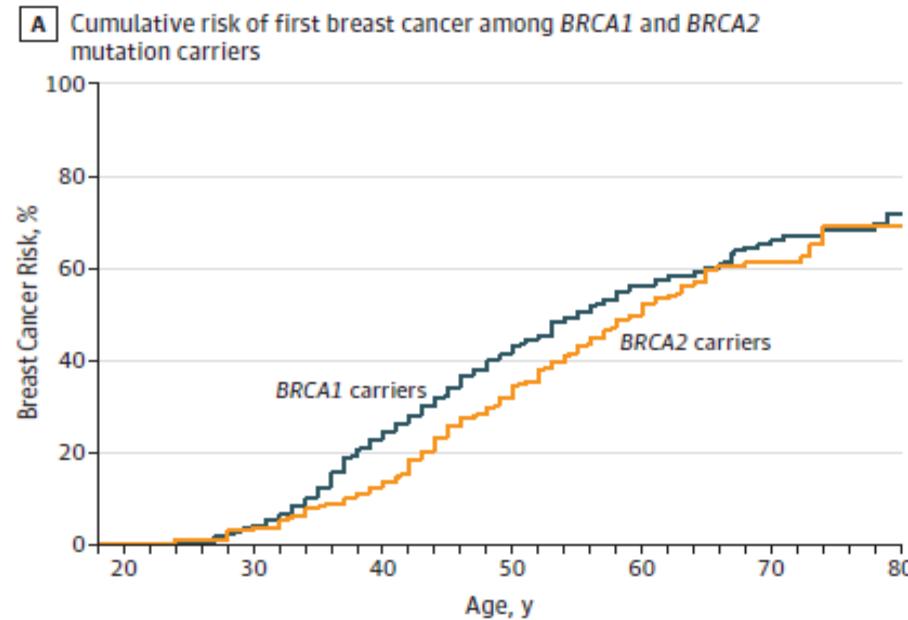


Table 2. Associations between Pathogenic Variants in Established Breast Cancer-Predisposition Genes and Risk of Breast Cancer.*				
Breast Cancer-Predisposition Gene <sup>1,2,7</sup>	Case Patients (N=32,247)	Controls (N=32,544)	Odds Ratio (95% CI)†	P Value
no. with pathogenic variant (%)				
ATM	253 (0.78)	134 (0.41)	1.82 (1.46–2.27)	<0.001
BARD1	49 (0.15)	35 (0.11)	1.37 (0.87–2.16)	0.18
BRCA1	275 (0.85)	37 (0.11)	7.62 (5.33–11.27)	<0.001
BRCA2	417 (1.29)	78 (0.24)	5.23 (4.09–6.77)	<0.001
CDH1	17 (0.05)	6 (0.02)	2.50 (1.01–7.07)	0.06
CHEK2	349 (1.08)	138 (0.42)	2.47 (2.02–3.05)	<0.001
NF1‡	19 (0.06)	11 (0.03)	1.93 (0.91–4.31)	0.09
PALB2	148 (0.46)	38 (0.12)	3.83 (2.68–5.63)	<0.001
PTEN	8 (0.02)	3 (0.01)	NA	NA
RAD51C	41 (0.13)	35 (0.11)	1.20 (0.75–1.93)	0.44
RAD51D	26 (0.08)	14 (0.04)	1.72 (0.88–3.51)	0.12
TP53‡	19 (0.06)	2 (0.01)	NA	NA
Total	1621 (5.03)	531 (1.63)	—	—

**BRCA1/2:** 2.14% / 2.6%  
**ATM, CHEK2, PALB2, RAD51C, RAD51D:** 2.53% / 2.77%

Table 1. Risk of Breast Cancer Overall Associated with Protein-Truncating Variants in 34 Genes in Population-Based Studies and All Studies.\*

Gene	Population-Based Studies (48,826 patients and 50,703 controls)†		All Studies (60,466 patients and 53,461 controls)‡		Prior Probability§	BFDP
	No. of Carriers of Protein-Truncating Variants	Women with Breast Cancer	Odds Ratio (95% CI)	P Value		
		Controls				
ABRAXAS1	17	19	0.98 (0.50–1.94)	0.96	0.93	0.1 0.98
AKT1	3	6	0.47 (0.12–1.93)	0.29	0.14	0.1 0.94
ATM	294	150	2.10 (1.71–2.57)	9.2×10 <sup>-13</sup>	5.5×10 <sup>-20</sup>	0.8 1.3×10 <sup>-18</sup>
BABAM2	7	9	0.62 (0.23–1.71)	0.36	0.34	0.1 0.95
BARD1	62	32	2.09 (1.35–3.23)	0.00098	0.00011	0.2 0.0076
BRCA1	515	58	10.57 (8.02–13.93)	1.1×10 <sup>-62</sup>	3.7×10 <sup>-65</sup>	0.99 1.5×10 <sup>-64</sup>
BRCA2	754	135	5.85 (4.85–7.06)	2.2×10 <sup>-75</sup>	8.4×10 <sup>-77</sup>	0.99 3.1×10 <sup>-76</sup>
BRIP1	86	75	1.11 (0.80–1.53)	0.54	0.54	0.2 0.85
CDH1	11	12	0.86 (0.37–1.98)	0.72	0.58	0.2 0.94
CHEK2	704	315	2.54 (2.21–2.91)	3.1×10 <sup>-39</sup>	3.2×10 <sup>-61</sup>	0.99 1.3×10 <sup>-60</sup>
c.1100delC variant	548	245	2.66 (2.27–3.11)	1.1×10 <sup>-33</sup>	5.3×10 <sup>-53</sup>	
	Other variants	156	70	2.13 (1.60–2.84)	3.0×10 <sup>-7</sup>	7.4×10 <sup>-10</sup>
EPCAM	14	19	0.73 (0.36–1.49)	0.39	0.13	0.1 0.95
FANCC	71	65	1.26 (0.89–1.79)	0.20	0.20	0.1 0.87
FANCM	302	300	1.06 (0.90–1.26)	0.48	0.28	0.1 0.96
GEN1	31	43	0.66 (0.41–1.06)	0.088	0.18	0.1 0.95
MEN1	2	5	0.37 (0.07–1.97)	0.24	0.64	0.1 0.95
MLH1	5	9	0.58 (0.19–1.77)	0.34	0.55	0.1 0.95
MRE11	48	55	0.88 (0.59–1.32)	0.54	0.34	0.1 0.98
MSH2	13	13	1.06 (0.47–2.36)	0.89	0.80	0.1 0.92
MSH6	39	23	1.96 (1.15–3.33)	0.013	0.021	0.1 0.55
MUTYH	232	231	1.00 (0.83–1.21)	0.99	0.88	0.1 1.00
NBN	90	103	0.90 (0.67–1.20)	0.48	0.65	0.2 0.95
NF1	31	17	1.76 (0.96–3.21)	0.068	0.011	0.2 0.25
PALB2	274	55	5.02 (3.73–6.76)	1.6×10 <sup>-26</sup>	1.1×10 <sup>-32</sup>	0.99 2.9×10 <sup>-32</sup>
PIK3CA	3	12	0.21 (0.06–0.75)	0.016	0.19	0.1 0.94
PMS2	40	36	1.16 (0.73–1.85)	0.53	0.37	0.1 0.92
PTEN	14	6	2.25 (0.85–6.00)	0.10	0.0040	0.2 0.14
RAD50	120	121	1.08 (0.83–1.40)	0.57	0.45	0.1 0.95
RAD51C	54	26	1.93 (1.20–3.11)	0.0070	0.00026	0.3 0.0090
RAD51D	51	25	1.80 (1.11–2.93)	0.018	0.0018	0.3 0.044
RECQL	103	120	0.84 (0.64–1.10)	0.21	0.89	0.1 0.95
RINT1	32	49	0.72 (0.46–1.14)	0.17	0.31	0.1 0.96
STK11	6	5	1.60 (0.48–5.28)	0.44	0.50	0.2 0.70
TP53	7	2	3.06 (0.63–14.91)	0.17	0.015	0.8 0.033
XRCC2	15	18	0.96 (0.47–1.93)	0.90	0.81	0.1 0.98

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## Breast cancer susceptibility genes according to phenotype

	CARRIERS	BRIDGES
	OR	
	ER +	ER +
ATM	1,96 (1,52-2,53)	2,33 (1,87-1,92)
BARD1	0,91 (0,49-1,64)	1,40 (0,81-2,42)
BRCA1	3,39 (2,17-5,45)	3,92 (2,82-5,43)
BRCA2	4,66 (3,52-6,23)	5,69 (4,65-6,96)
CDH1	3,37 (1,24-10,72)	1,05 (0,42-2,63)
CHEK2	2,60 (2,05-3,31)	2,67 (2,30-3,11)
NF1	1,63 (0,65-4,03)	1,25 (0,61-2,55)
PALB2	3,13 (2,02-4,96)	4,45 (3,23-6,14)
PTEN	NA	2,42 (0,84-6,97)
RAD51C	0,83 (0,44-1,54)	1,31 (0,74-2,30)
RAD51D	1,61 (0,71-3,70)	1,52 (0,87-2,65)
TP53	NA	1,95 (0,32-11,82)

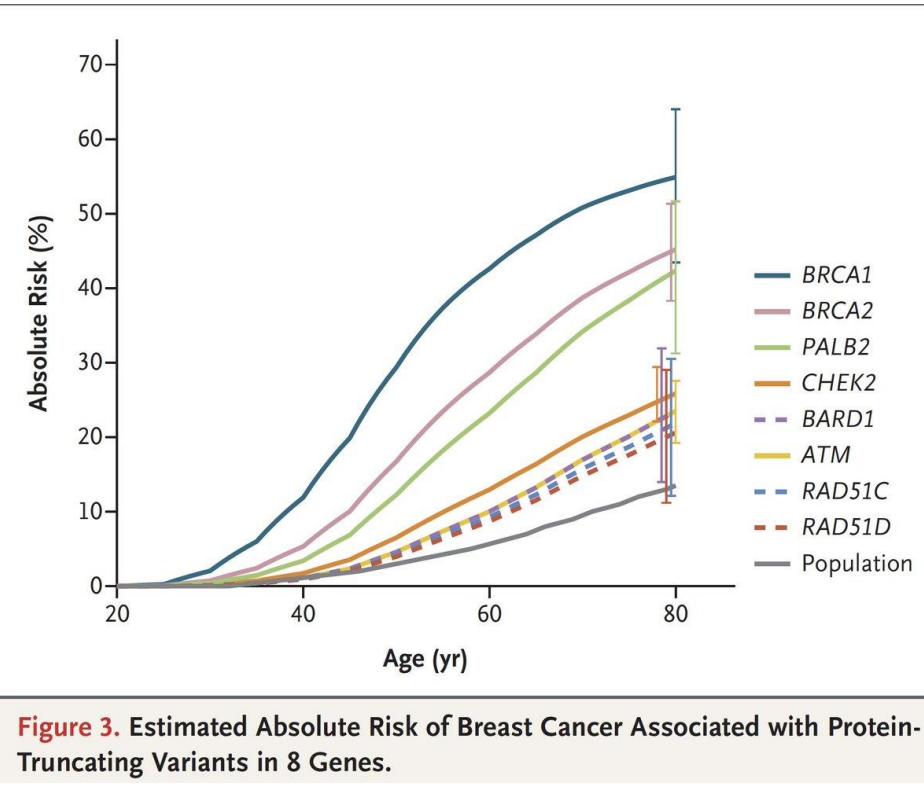
	CARRIERS	BRIDGES
	OR	
	TN	TN
ATM	0,50 (0,12-1,36)	0,91 (0,42-1,95)
BARD1	3,18 (1,16-7,42)	9,29 (4,58-18,85)
BRCA1	42,88 (26,56-71,25)	56,80 (41,18-78,34)
BRCA2	9,70 (5,97-15,47)	11,19 (8,27-15,16)
CDH1	NA	1,44 (0,18-11,28)
CHEK2	1,63 (0,7-3,20)	1,06 (0,63-1,76)
NF1	NA	2,02 (0,46-8,82)
PALB2	13,03 (7,08-23,75)	10,36 (6,42-16,71)
PTEN	NA	0 Cases
RAD51C	NA	5,71 (2,69-12,13)
RAD51D	NA	6,01 (2,73-13,24)
TP53	NA	0 Cases



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## Estimated absolute risk of breast cancer

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## Polygenic risk score

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- Common genetic variants(SNPs)
- Low individual RR
- 313 SNPs associated to BC
- Combination of these SNPs may predispose or protect from BC de CM:



$$PRS_j = \sum_{i=1}^{313} n_{ij} \ln(OR_i)$$

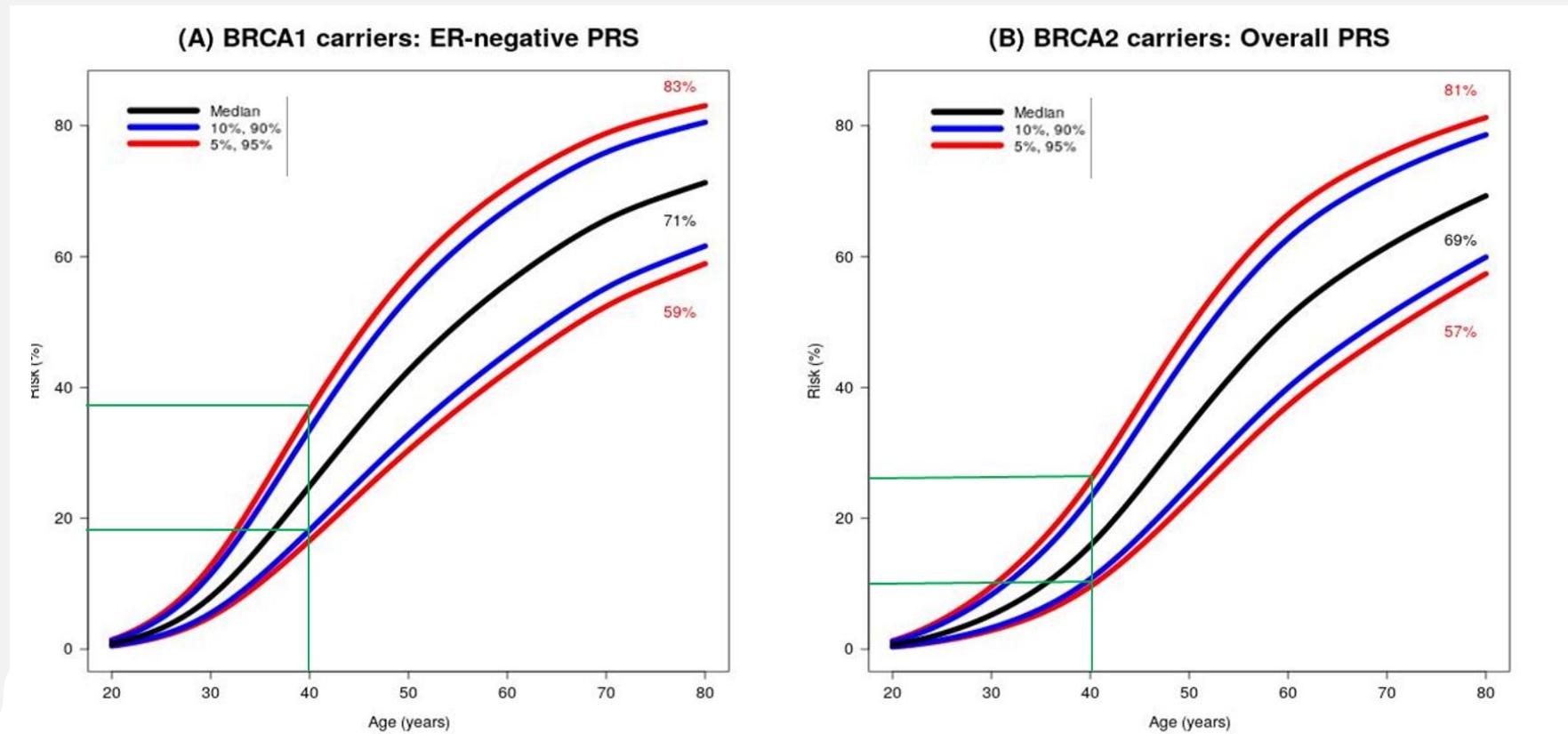
where  $n_{ij}$  is the number of risk alleles (0, 1, or 2) for variant  $i$  carried by individual  $j$  and  $OR_i$  is the per-allele OR for breast cancer associated with variant  $i$ . The ORs were obtained from the Breast Cancer Association Consortium (BCAC) study<sup>11</sup>

- Incorporated in some BC risk predictive models

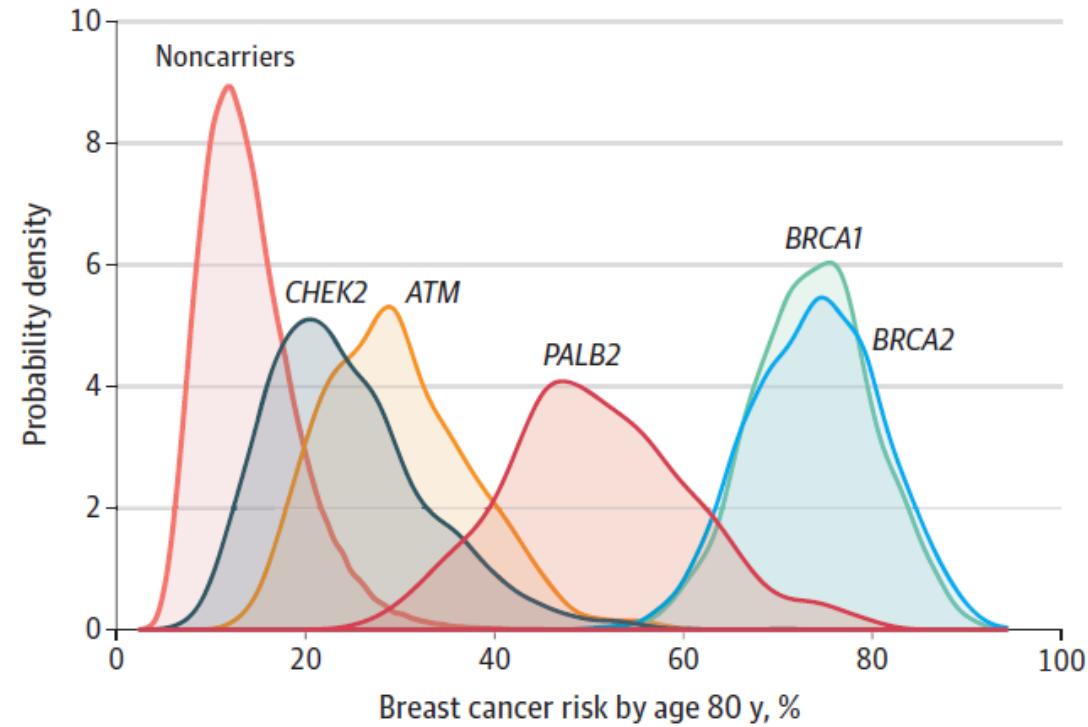


# PRS and breast cancer risks for BRCA1/2

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## Modification of lifetime risk by PRS in noncarriers and mutation carriers



## Estimated lifetime risk by age 80 and modification according to PRS percentile, major gene and FH

**TABLE 3.** Lifetime Absolute BC Risk (by age 80 years) of BC for Different Pathogenic Variant Carriers With Respect to Different PRS Percentile and BC Family History Status

Lifetime Absolute Risk (95% CI)	No Family History				Family History of BC (First-Degree Relative)			
	10th Percentile PRS	Median PRS	Mean PRS	90th Percentile PRS	10th Percentile PRS	Median PRS	Mean PRS	90th% PRS
Noncarrier	6.7 (6.6 to 6.9)	11.1 (11.1 to 11.2)	12.1 (12.0 to 12.1)	18.3 (17.9 to 18.7)	9.1 (8.6 to 9.6)	14.8 (14.2 to 15.5)	15.9 (15.3 to 16.6)	23.9 (22.9 to 25.0)
BRCA1 carrier	36.1 (26.4 to 48.5)	41.2 (32.6 to 52.0)	41.4 (32.8 to 52.2)	46.9 (33.9 to 62.7)	45.4 (33.9 to 59.2)	51.1 (41.2 to 62.7)	51.3 (41.4 to 62.6)	57.3 (42.8 to 72.9)
BRCA2 carrier	43.8 (33.6 to 56.3)	49.3 (40.7 to 59.4)	49.5 (41.0 to 59.5)	55.3 (42.0 to 70.1)	53.9 (42.4 to 66.9)	59.8 (50.7 to 69.9)	59.9 (50.8 to 69.8)	65.9 (51.8 to 79.3)
ATM carrier	12.8 (10.3 to 15.9)	20.5 (16.7 to 25.2)	21.9 (18.0 to 26.6)	32.3 (26.8 to 38.8)	17.0 (13.7 to 21.1)	26.7 (21.9 to 32.5)	28.2 (23.3 to 34.0)	40.9 (34.2 to 48.5)
CHEK2 carrier	15.2 (12.6 to 18.2)	24.1 (20.3 to 28.5)	25.5 (21.6 to 30.0)	37.3 (32.0 to 43.4)	20.0 (16.7 to 24.0)	31.1 (26.3 to 36.6)	32.6 (27.8 to 38.0)	46.6 (40.3 to 53.4)
PALB2 carrier	21.5 (15.4 to 29.7)	33.2 (24.2 to 44.2)	34.6 (25.7 to 45.3)	49.2 (37.6 to 62.1)	27.9 (20.1 to 38.0)	41.9 (31.3 to 54.3)	43.1 (32.7 to 54.7)	59.5 (46.8 to 72.0)

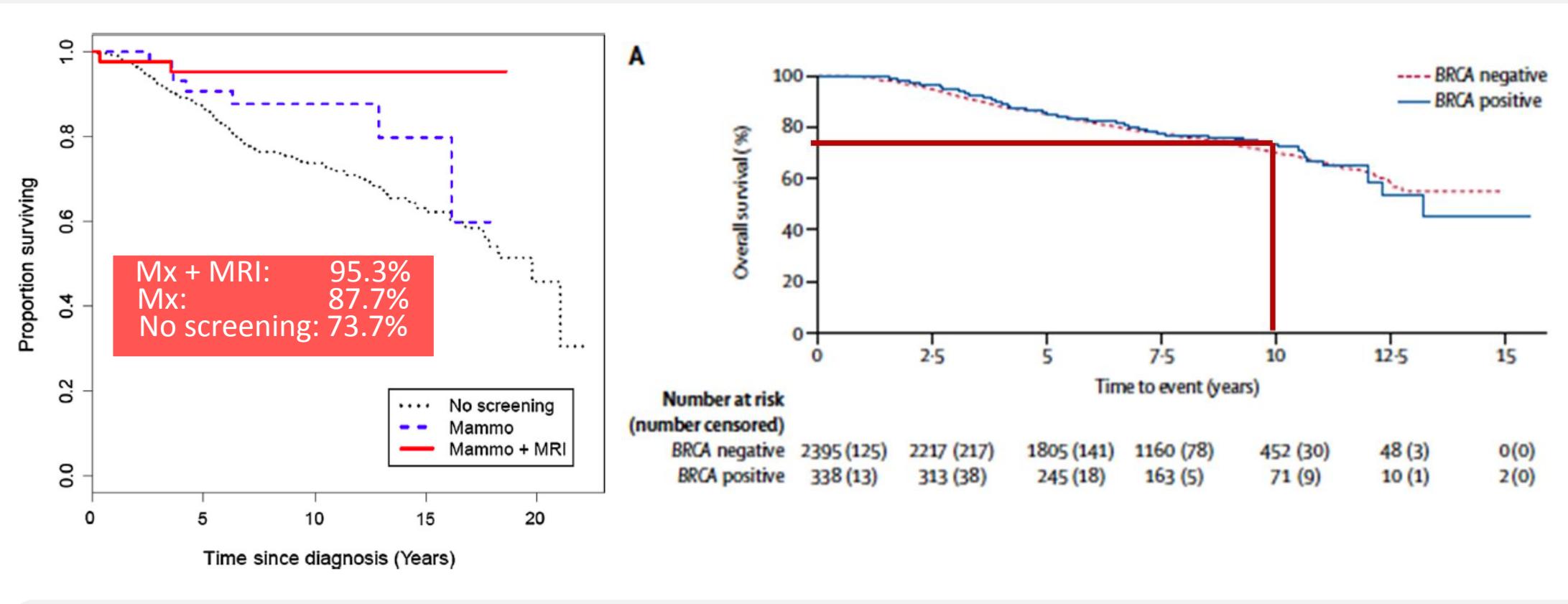


## Performance of MRI for BC screening in high risk women

Study	N	Sensitivity	Specificity	LN -	≤ 10 mm	Interval	MRI+/Mx-
Krieger et al., NEJM 2004	1909	80 %	90%	79%	43%	8%	49% T/ 1% ♀
Warner et. al., JAMA 2004	236	77%	95%	86%	56%	5%	32% T/ 3% ♀
MARIBS Study group, Lancet 2005	649	77%	81%	80%	44%	6%	54% T/ 3% ♀
Kuhl et. al., JCO 2005	529	91%	97%	84%	38%	2%	44% T/ 4% ♀
Kuhl et. al., JCO 2010	687	93%	98%	89%	77%	0	52% T/ 2% ♀
Sardanelli et. al. Invest Radiol 2011	501	91%	97%	72%	48%	6%	31% T/ 3% ♀
Riedl et. al., JCO 2015	559	90 %	89 %	90%	67.5%	3%	45% T/ 5% ♀
Sung et. al., Radiology 2016	7519	75%	NR	NR	NR	5%	80%T/ 1% ♀
Lo et. al., Radiology 2017	1249	96%	93.7%	82%	46%	0	64%T/ 2%♀
Vreeman et. al. Radiology 2018	2463	81%	95.1 %	80%	NR	11%	32%T / 2%♀



## Survival impact of MRI-based BC screening in high risk women



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## Is mammography still needed?

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Pub.	Study	BC	Only seen on Mx	Type of tm
Warner, 2004		22	2	2 DCIS
Leach, 2005	MARIBS	20	2	2 DCIS
Kuhl, 2005		43	1	1 DCIS
Rijnsburger, 2010	MRISC	47	5	3 DCIS
Kuhl, 2010	EVA	27	2	1 DCIS
Sardanelli, 2011	HIBCRIT-1	52	1	1 ILC
Obdeijn, 2014		94	2	2 DCIS
Riedl, 2015		40	2	2 DCIS with microinvasion
Vreeman, 2018		170	11	7 DCIS
Bick, 2019		221	5	4 DCIS
Total		736	33 (4.5%)	22 (66%) DCIS



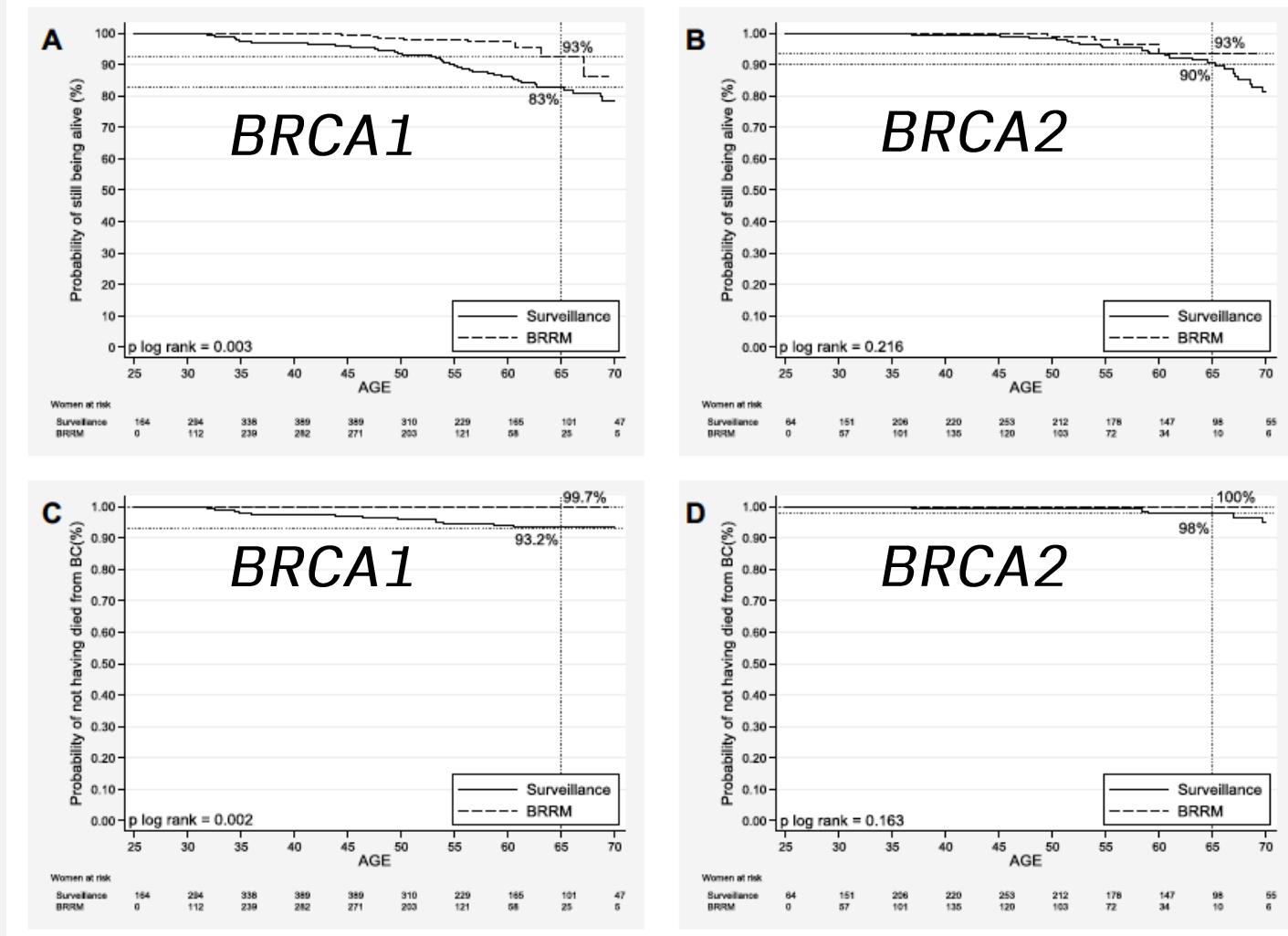
## Performance of MRI plus Mx in the High risk Ontario Breast Screening program

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- Prospective cohort study 8782 high-risk women age 30-69 years
- MRI and Mx combined compared with each modality individually
- **Mut carriers age 30-39 years:**
  - MRI + Mx: similar sensitivity to MRI alone (100% vs. 97%), but decreased specificity (78% vs 86%)
- **Women age 50-69 years:**
  - MRI + Mx: increased sensitivity compared with MRI alone (96% vs. 915)



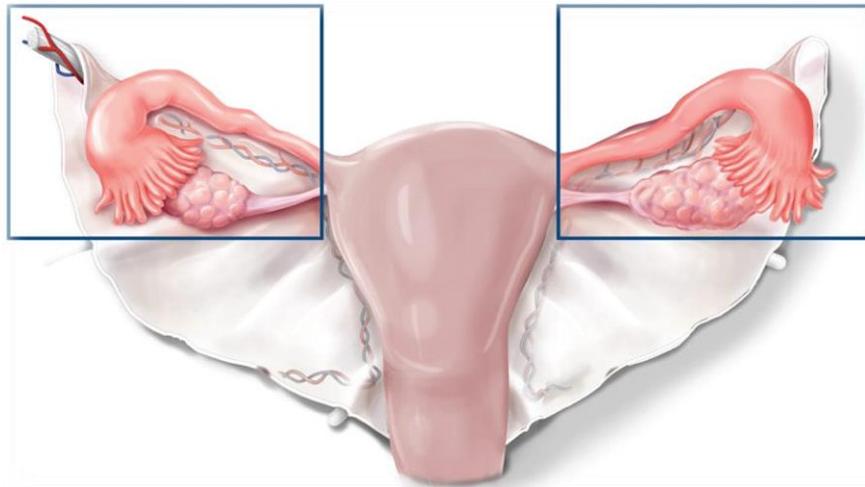
# Impact of BRRM in healthy BRCA mutation carriers



## Prophylactic salpingoophorectomy

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- Bilateral salpingo-oophorectomy (BSO) reduces the risk of ovarian, Fallopian tube and primary peritoneal cancer by 80-95%



MORTALITY	HR	95% CI
All-cause	0.40	0.26-0.61
Ovarian cancer-specific	0.21	0.06-0.80



## PBSO and BC risk reduction

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		Mavvaddat, 2013	Heemskerk, 2016	Domchek, 2016	Kauff, 2016	Kotsopoulos, 2017
	Study	EMBRACE	HEBON	PROSE re-analysis	Kauff re-analysis	HBCCSG
	BRCA1/BRCA2	501/485 (51%/49%)	589/233 (72%/28%)	970/597 (62%/38%)	220/125 (64%/36%)	2969/725 (80%/20%)
BRCA1	BRCA1	(BC/pts)	(BC/PYO)	(BC/pts)	(BC/pts)	(BC/PYO)
	With RRSO	9/162	36/1238	40/294	6/100	122/6055
	Without RRSO	26/339	39/1609	137/676	11/120	170/10806
	HR (95% CI)	0.52 (0.24-1.13)	1.21 (0.72-2.06)	0.63 (0.42-0.93)	0.47 (0.16-1.37)	0.96 (0.73-1.26)
BRCA2	BRCA2	(BC/pts)	(BC/PYO)	(BC/pts)	(BC/pts)	(BC/PYO)
	With RRSO	9/146	6/400	13/155	2/60	21/2163
	Without RRSO	20/339	8/580	96/442	5/65	36/1550
	HR (95% CI)	0.79 (0.35-1.8)	0.54 (0.17-1.66)	0.40 (0.19-0.84)	0.47 (0.06-3.86)	0.65 (0.37-1.16)



# Premenopausal PBSO and breast cancer risk reduction

		Mavvaddat, 2013	Kotsopoulos, 2016	Stjepanovic, 2020
	Study	EMBRACE	HBCCSG	RiCO
		RRSO <45y	RRSO <50y BC < 50y	RRSO<51y
BRCA1	BRCA1	(BC/pts)	(BC/PYO)	(BC/PYO)
	With RRSO	4/97	54/2708	11/567
	Without RRSO	26/339	140/9594	43/1150
	HR (95% CI)	0.38 (0.13-1.13)	0.79 (0.55-1.13)	0.45 (0.22-0.92)
BRCA2	BRCA2	(BC/pts)	(BC/PYO)	(BC/PYO)
	With RRSO	4/76	3/571	11/438
	Without RRSO	20/339	27/1585	31/1134
	HR (95% CI)	0.44 (0.14-1.38)	0.18 (0.05-0.63)	0.77 (0.35-1.67)

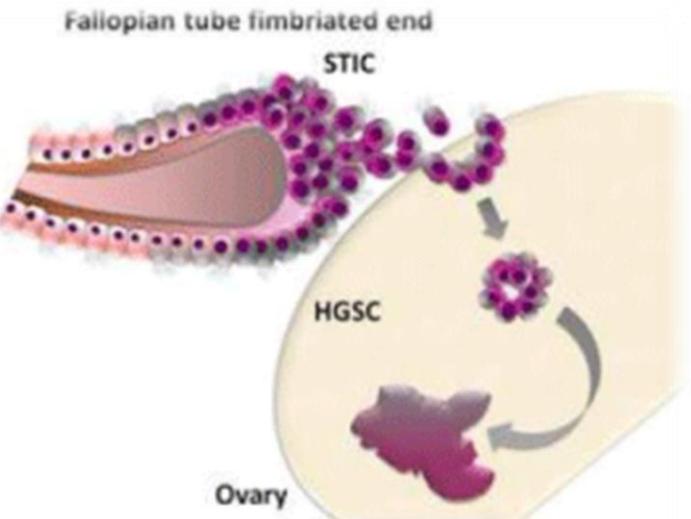


## Impact of RRBSO on QOL, menopausal symptoms and sexual function

- Fewer breast and ovarian cancer worries compared to surveillance
- No adverse impact on generic QOL of high-risk women, but impacts on menopause-specific QOL:
  - More endocrine symptoms and worse sexual functioning (54%)
  - These symptoms are improved by HRT, but not to pre-surgical levels
  - Nevertheless, satisfaction with the decision to undergo RRSO remains high (1 year).



## Salpingectomy with delayed RRSO vs. RRSO



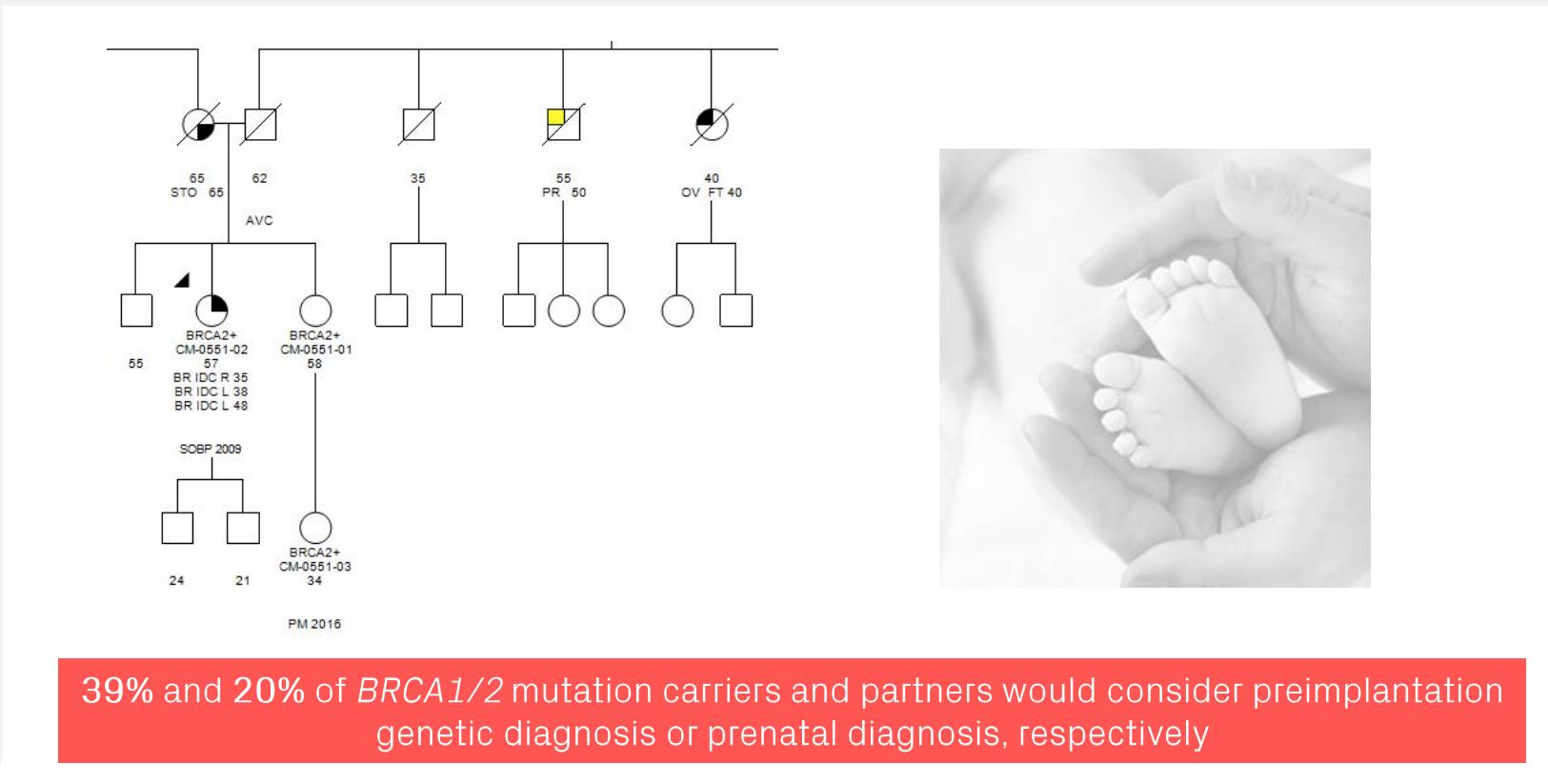
The diagram illustrates the process of cancer spread. On the left, a cross-section of a Fallopian tube shows its fimbriated end. A cluster of small purple dots, labeled 'STIC' (Surface Transient Infestation Cells), is shown near the fimbriated end. An arrow points from these cells to a nearby ovarian surface. On the right, a larger cluster of purple dots, labeled 'HGSC' (High-Grade Serous Carcinoma), is shown growing on the ovarian surface. A curved arrow indicates the progression of cancer from the tube to the ovary.

Fallopian tube fimbriated end  
STIC  
HGSC  
Ovary  
Fallopian tube: STICS

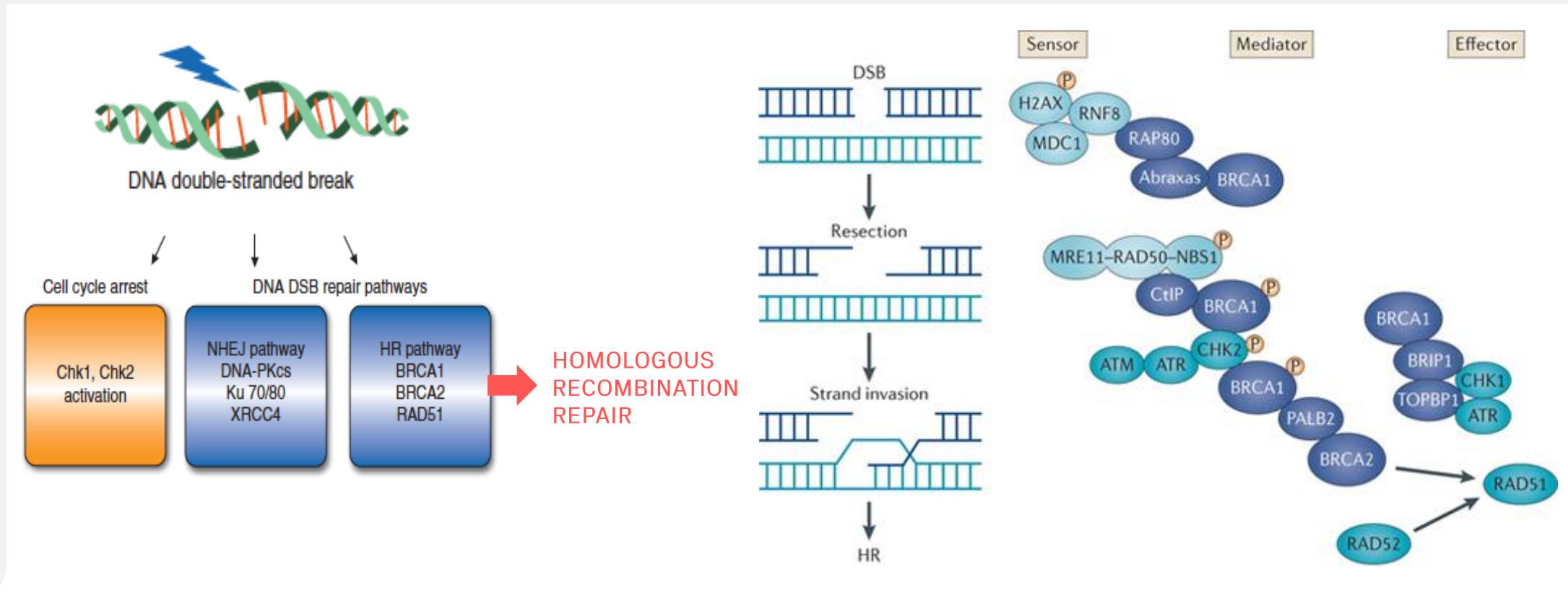
**JUBA study**

- 577 women, 394 underwent RRS and 154 underwent RRSO
- Mean age:
  - RRS: 35 and 38 y (BRCA1)
  - RRSO: 37 and 41y (BRCA2)
- No cases of ovarian or peritoneal cancer during follow-up
- RRS vs RRSO:
  - Better menopause-related QoL, regardless of HRT
  - Better sexual functioning, regardless of HRT
  - Similar decline in cancer worry
  - No significant differences in Health-related QoL, decisional conflict, decisional regret, or surgical outcomes



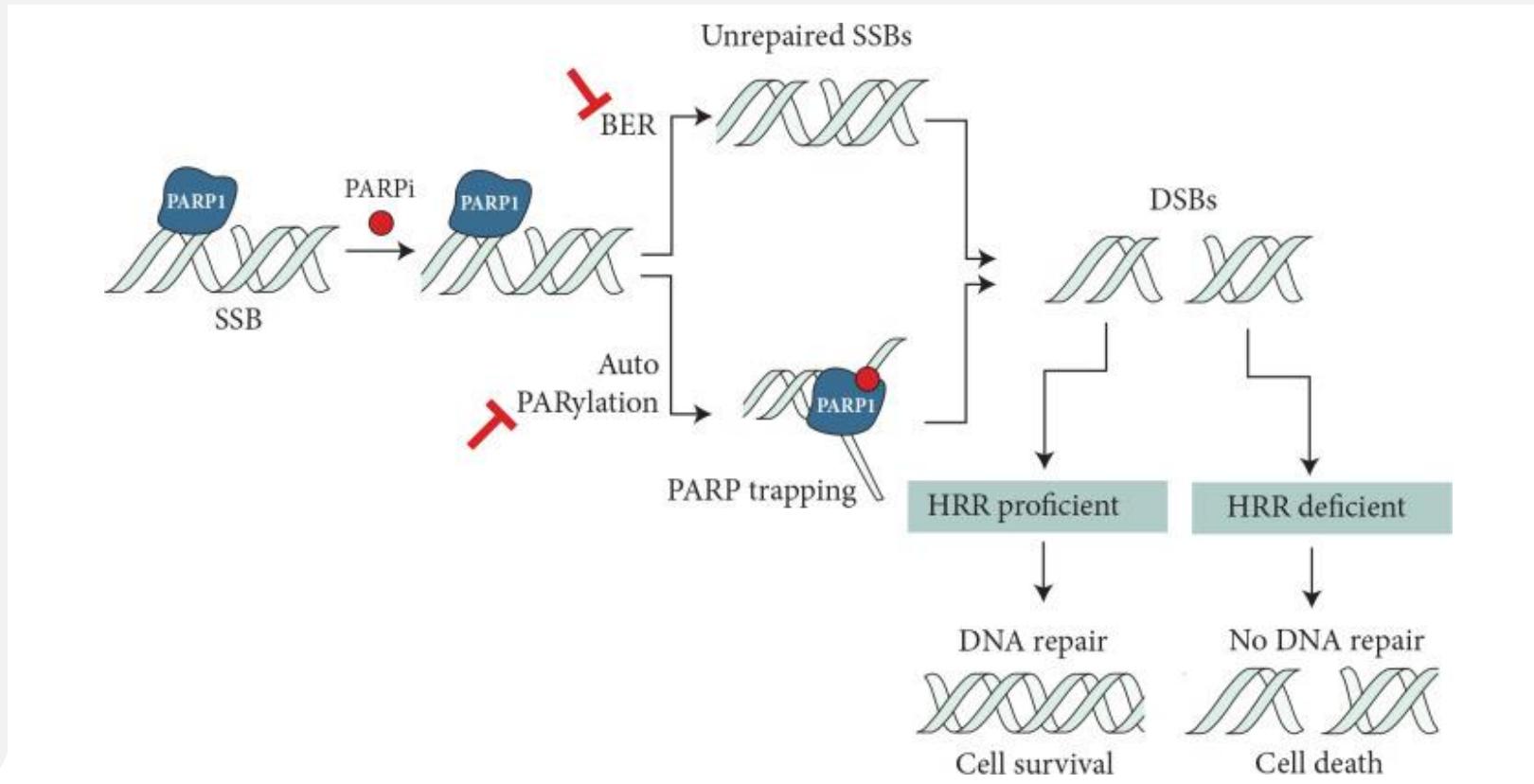


# BRCA1 and BRCA2 are essential proteins for DNA repair by homologous recombination

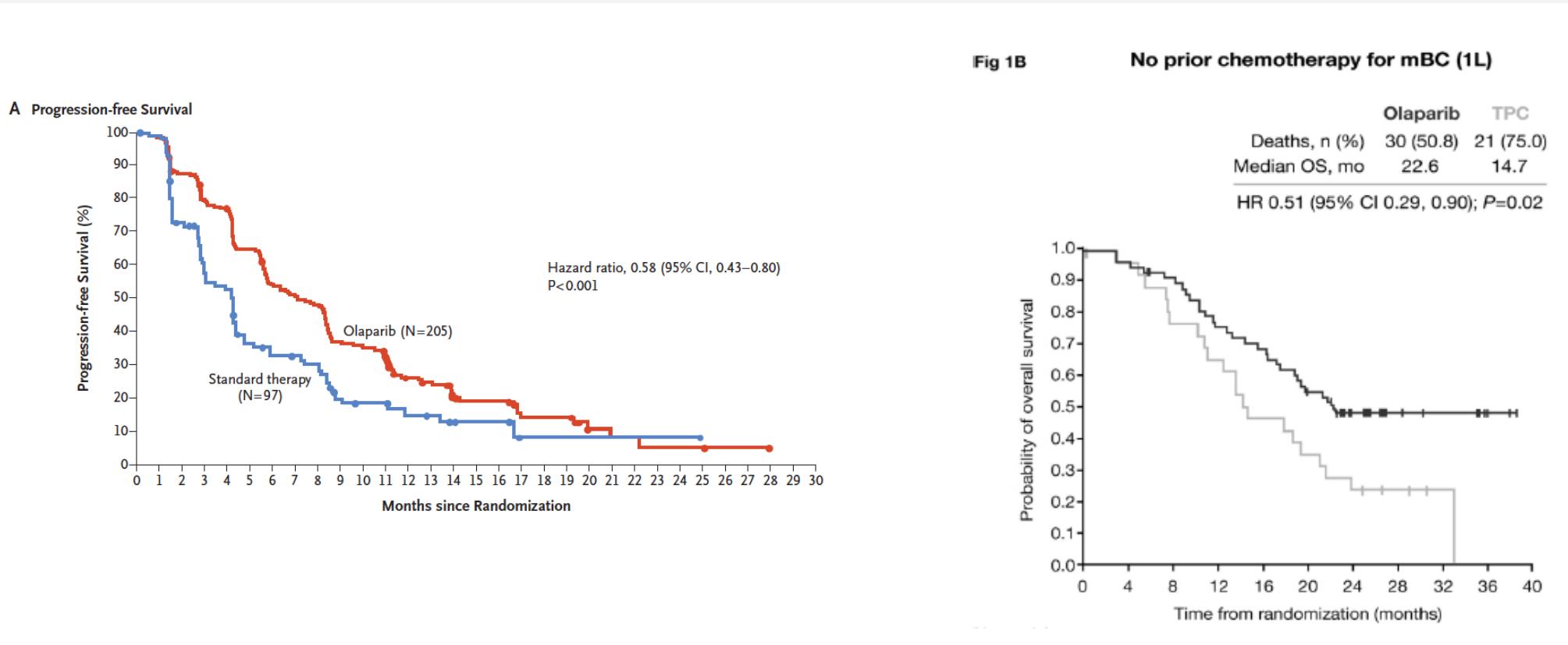


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## Mechanism of action of PARPi

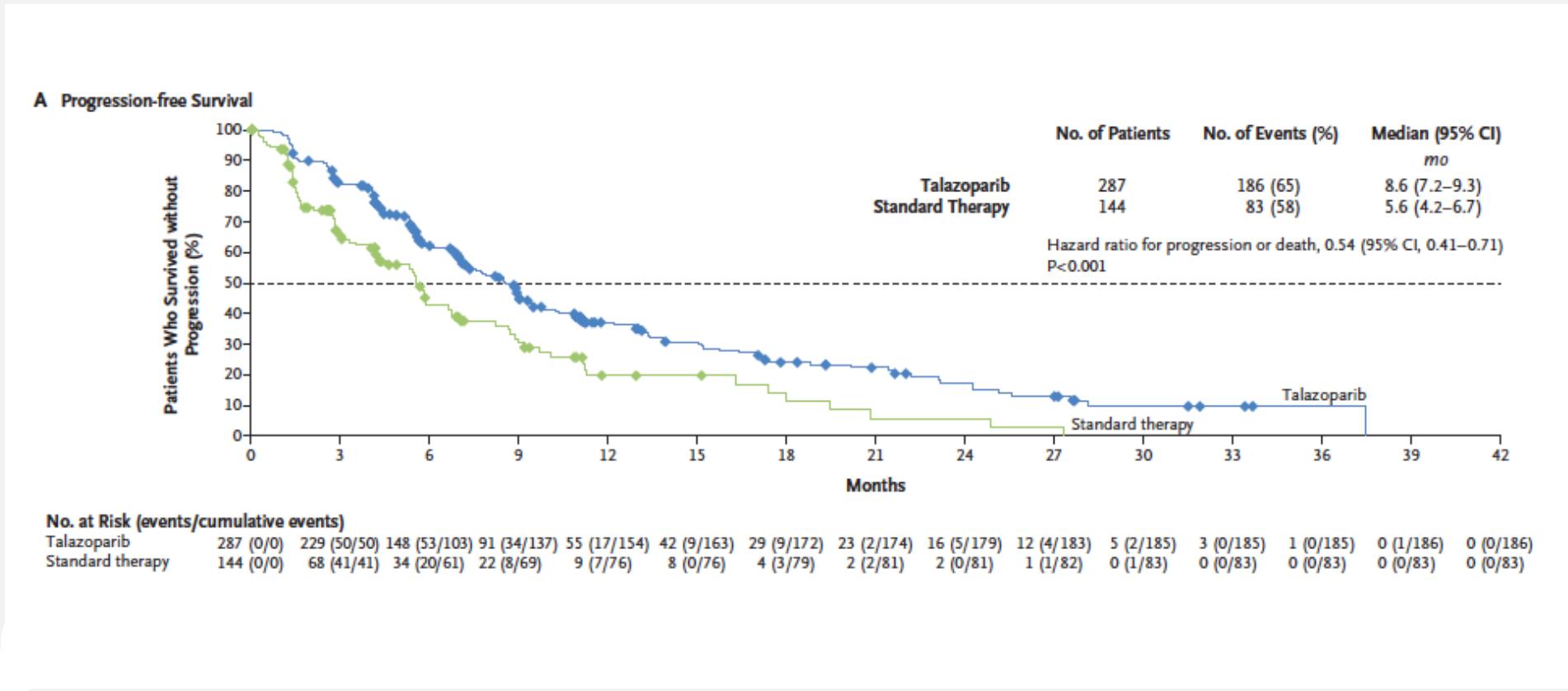


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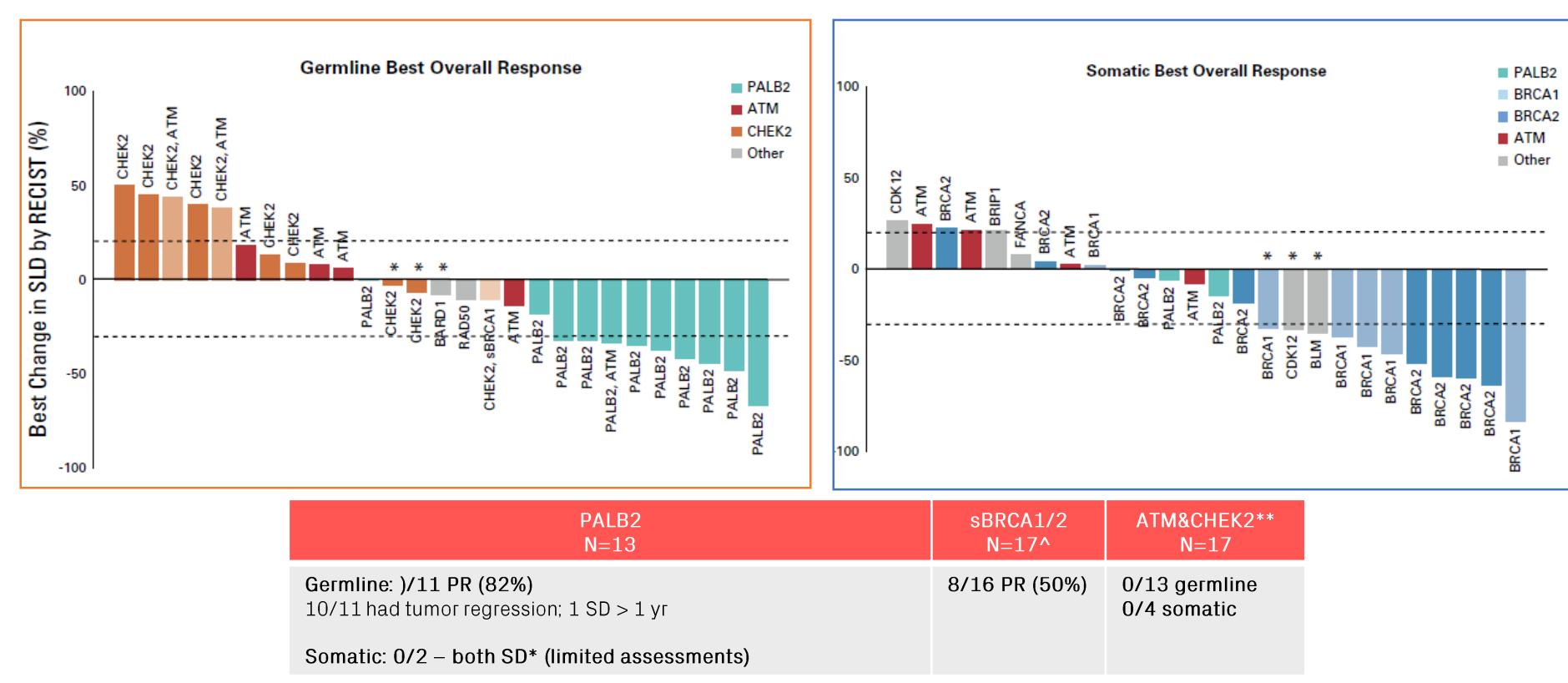


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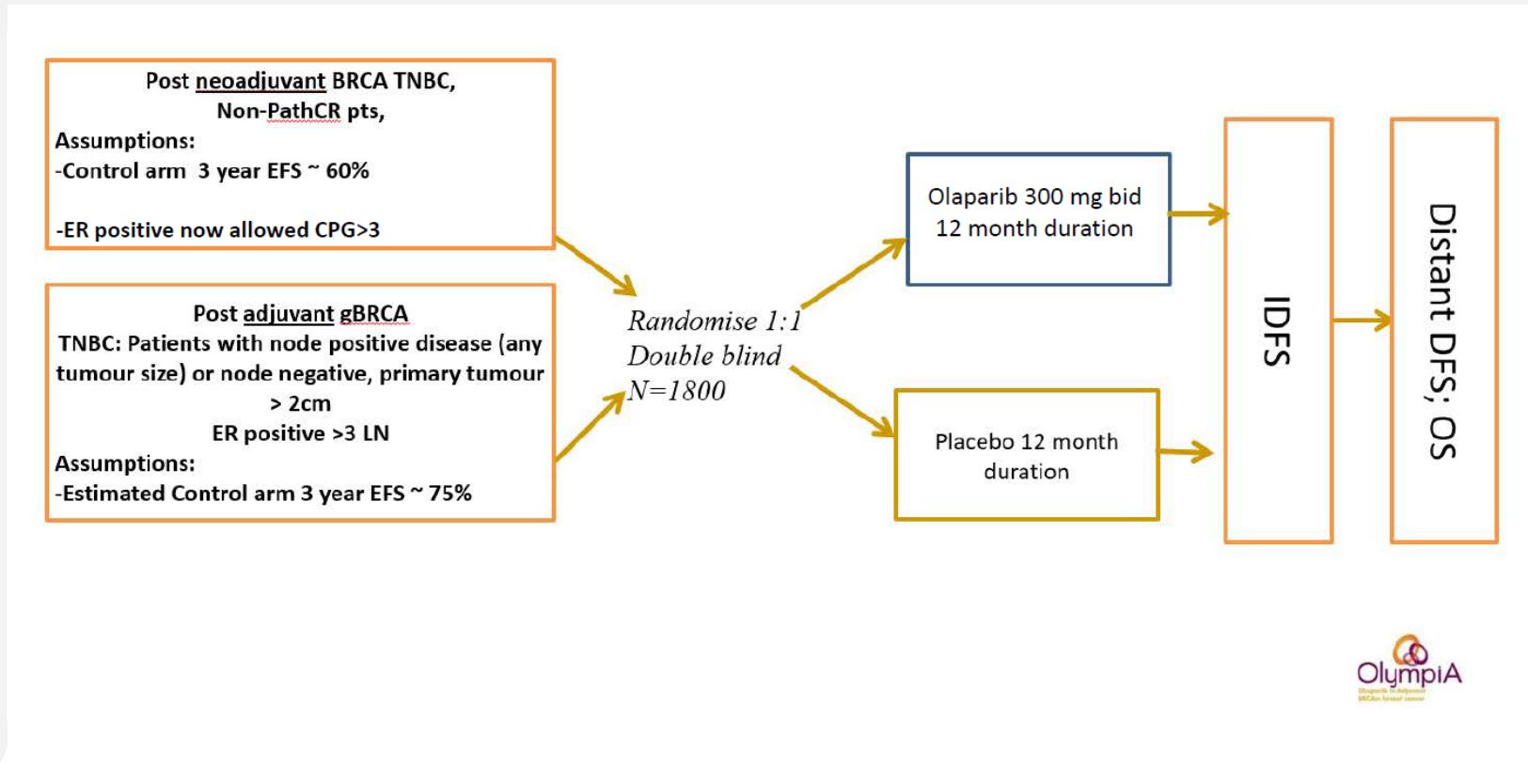
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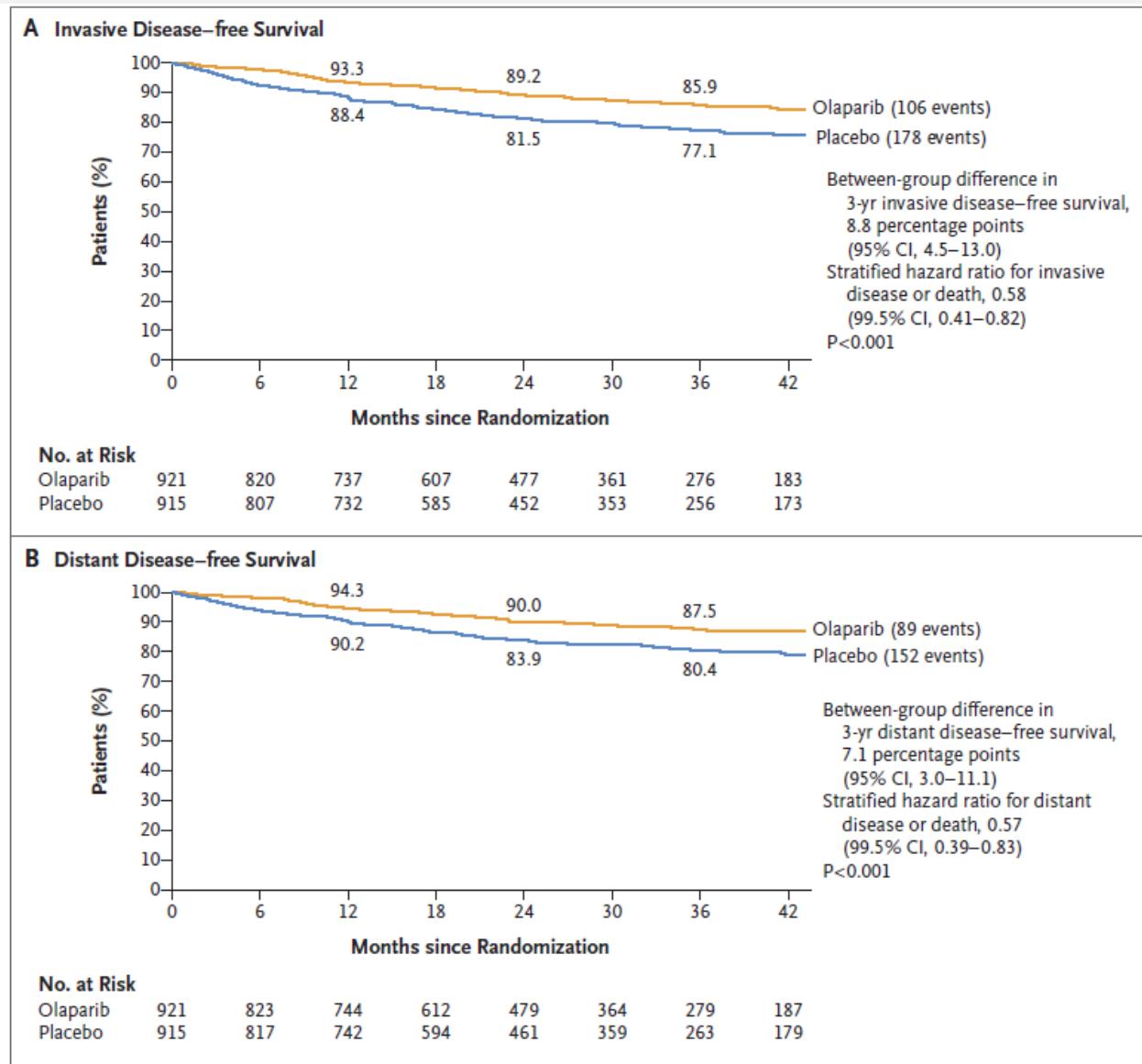
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# Adjuvant olaparib en gBRCA early BC patients at high risk of recurrence

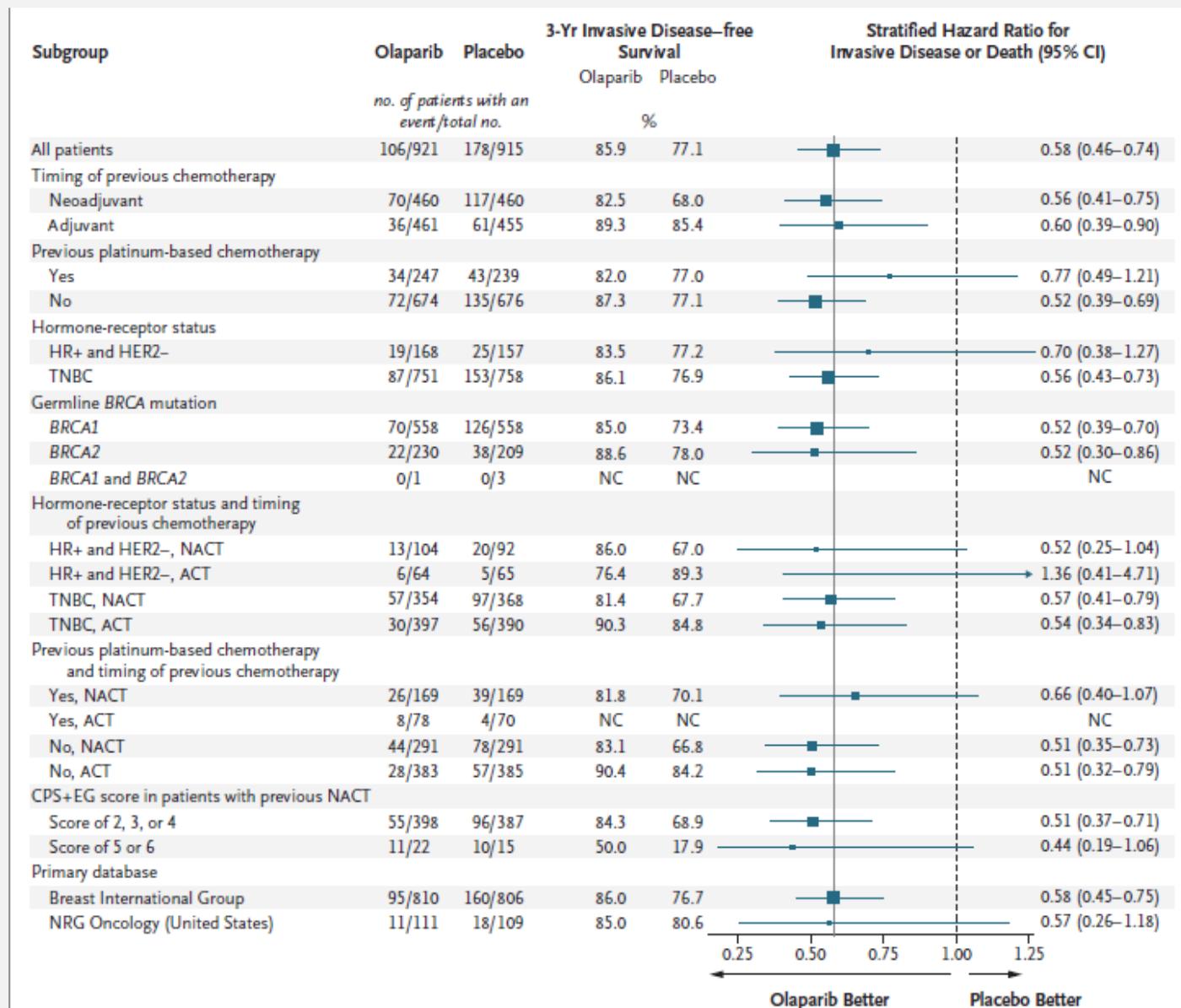


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## Subgroup analysis



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## FDA/EMA approvals of PARPi

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Tumor type	Treatment	Selection biomarker	Line	PARPi	PFS	HR	Reference
Ovarian Cancer	Monotherapy	<u>gBRCA mut</u> <u>s/gBRCA mut</u>	≥ 3-4L	olaparib rucaparib	9.4 (in pt-sensitive) 11.1 (in pt-sensitive)		Domcheck et al, Gynecol Oncol 2016 Oza et al, Gynecol Oncol 2017
	Maintenance	<u>pt-sensitive</u> <u>pt-sensitive</u>	Relapsed	olaparib niraparib rucaparib	8.4 vs. 4.8 months 21.0 vs 5.5 (gBRCA); 12.9 vs 3.8 (HRD+); 9.3 vs 3.9 (HRD-) 10.8 vs. 5.4 months	0.35 0.27; 0.38; 0.45 0.36	Lederman et al, Lancet Oncol 2014 & 2016 Mirza et al NEJM 2016 Coleman et al, Lancet 2017
	Maintenance	<u>pt-response</u> , <u>s/gBRCA mut</u> pt-response, s/gBRCA mut and/or HRD+ pt-response, all comers	1L	olaparib olaparib + beva niraparib	36 vs. 13.8 months 37.2 vs. 17.7 months 21.9 vs. 10.4 months	0.30 0.33 (0.43 in HRD+/BRCA-) 0.62 (0.43 in HRD+)	Moore et al, NEJM 2018 Ray-Coquard et al, NEJM 2019 González-Martín et al, NEJM 2019
Breast Cancer	Monotherapy	<u>gBRCA mut</u> <u>gBRCA mut</u>	≥ 3L	olaparib talazoparib	7.0 vs. 4.2 months 8.6 vs. 5.6 months	0.58 0.54	Robson et al, NEJM 2017 Litton et al, NEJM 2018
Pancreatic Cancer	Maintenance	<u>gBRCA mut</u>	1L	olaparib	7.4 vs. 3.8 months	0.53	Golan et al, NEJM 2019
Prostate Cancer	Monotherapy	<u>tHRR gene mut</u> / <u>tBRCA mut</u> <u>s/gBRCA mut</u>	Hormone-resistant	olaparib rucaparib	7.4 vs 3.6 months 8.1	0.34 (single arm)	de Bono et al, NEJM 2020 Abida et al, JCO 2020

For cancer risk assessment, genetic testing needs to be

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Accompanied with counseling

Comprehensive

Low risk of uncertainty



For therapeutic decision-making, the genetic test needs to be

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Fast

Accessible

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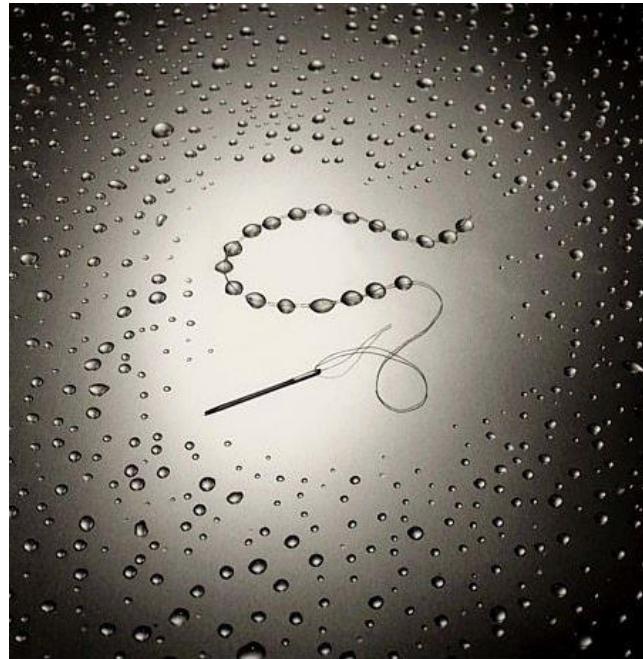


## Take home messages

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**BRCA testing in breast cancer patients is  
NOT A CONVENTIONAL BIOMARKER:**

- MRI-based protocols for BC screening
- Consider prophylactic mastectomy
- Recommend PBSO
- Impacts on reproductive decisions
- Predictive biomarker for targeted therapies



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