

Traitement médical des sarcomes des tissus mous métastatiques: Y'a-t-il des standards ?

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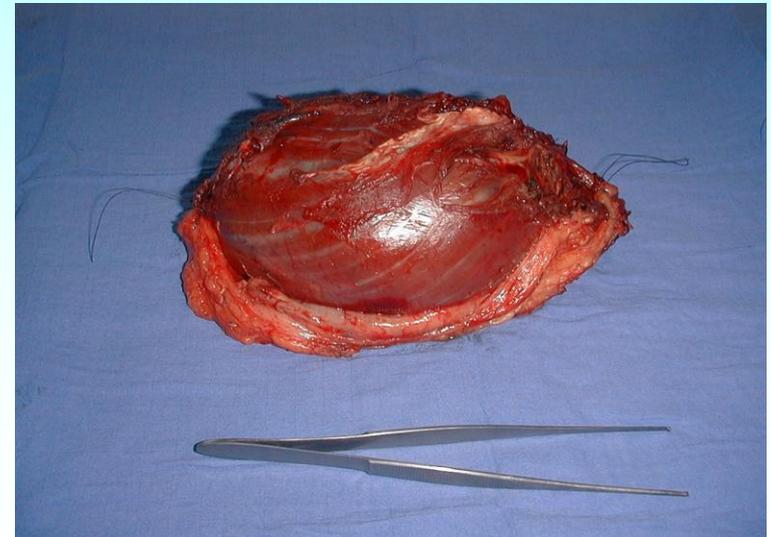


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Sarcome des tissus mous localisé: Etat des lieux en 2009

**Chirurgie \pm
Radiothérapie**

Guérison (50%)



Sarcome des tissus mous localisé: Etat des lieux en 2008

Chirurgie ±
RTE /CT

Guérison (50%)

Métastases (50%)

Chirurgie (20%)

1ère ligne	Doxorubicin	Ifosfamide	Adr/Ifo	OS 10-12 m
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2ème ligne	Ifosfamide	Doxorubicin	?	PFS court
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3ème ligne	TRABECTEDIN	YONDELIS®	AMM en 2008	
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Sarcome des tissus mous avancés: 3 drogues enregistrées en 2009

- **Doxorubicin (75 mg/m²)** RR 8 - 30%

- **Comment améliorer**
- **ces résultats ?**

« Standard chemotherapy is based on anthracyclines as first line treatment [L, A] »
Survie médiane médiocre: 10-12 mois
ESMO recommendations 2009

OPTIMISATION DU TRAITEMENT MEDICAL DES SARCOMES: APPROCHES CLASSIQUES

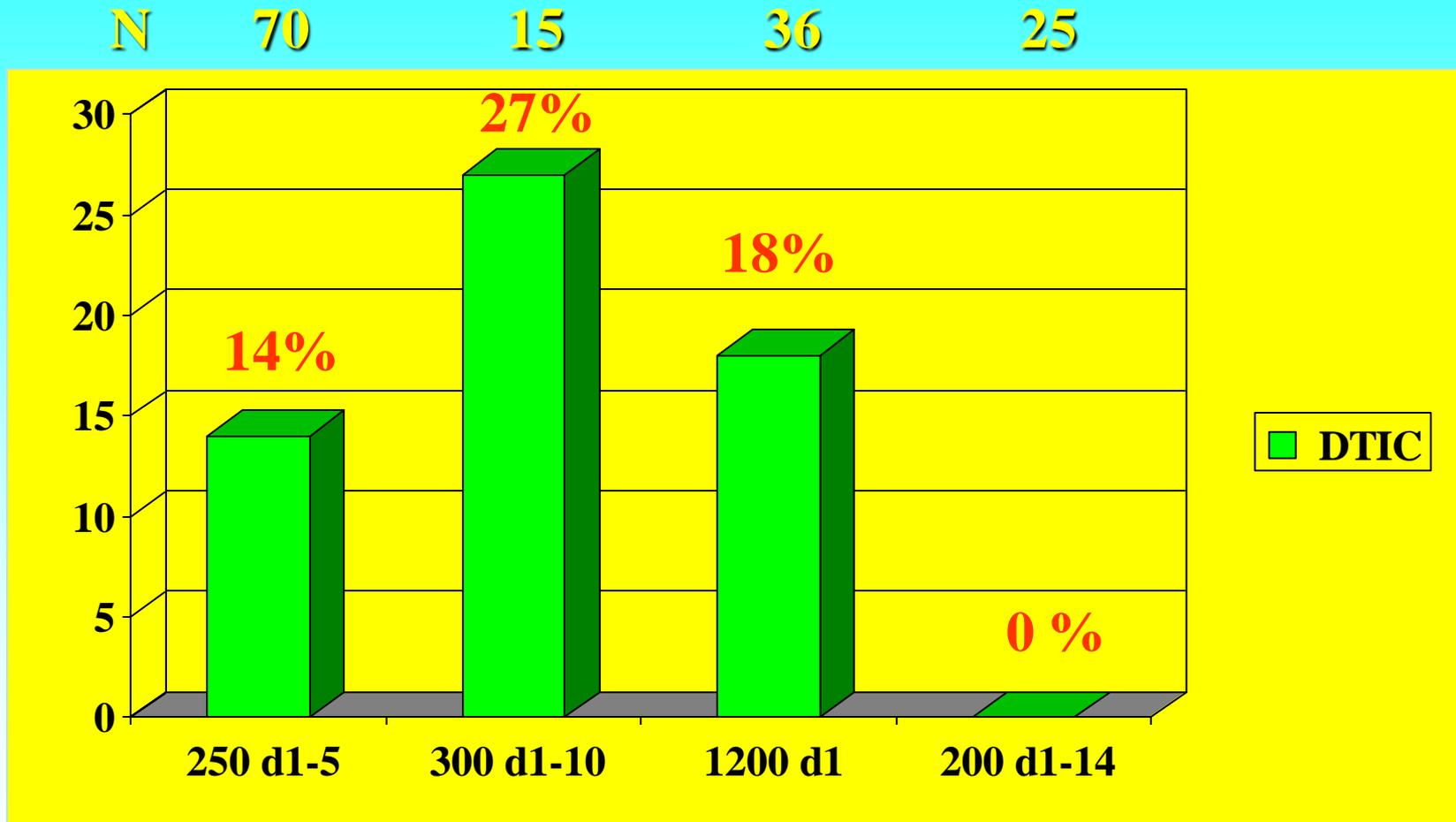
Sarcome des tissus mous (1977-2003) Après Adriamycine et/ou Ifosfamide ?

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|-----------------------|-------------------|------------------------|
| • Esorubicin | • Paclitaxel | • Bleomycine |
| • Topotecan | • MDMS | • Bisantrène |
| • Docetaxel | • Edatrexate | • Vincristine |
| • Ellipticimiu | • Imatinib | • Actinomycin |
| • MZPES | • Aclarubicin | • THP-doxorubicin |
| • Gemcitabine | • Cisplatine | • MTPPE |
| • Etoposide | • Carboplatine | • AZQ |
| • Cyclophosphamide | • Tomudex | • Fludarabine |
| • Methyl-GAG | • Nimusitne | • Mitozolomide |
| • Mitomycin C | • Fotemustine | • Homoharringtonin |
| • Trimetrexate | • Mitoxantron | • Miltefosine |
| • Interferon- β | • Chlorozotocin | • Interferon- γ |
| • 10-Edam | • PALA | • 5-Fluorouracil |
| • CI-980 | • Amonafide | |
| • Temozolomide | • Piperazinedione | • Etc, etc, etc..... |

 **Drogues considérées comme inactives***

*Verweij and Van Glabbeke, 2003 ASCO Educational Book, pp 522-531

STS - DACARBAZINE



Gottlieb
1976

Rosen
1990

Buesa
1991

Reichardt
2000

Rôle des polychimiothérapies

Auteurs	Schema	N	RO	Survie
Schoenfeld	A/AVC/AdVC	200	A = 27 % (p = 0.03)	NS
Muss	A/AC	104	NS	NS
Omura	A/AD	146	NS	NS
Borden	A/AD	186	AD = 30 % (p = 0.02)	NS
Lerner	A/AD	66	AD : 44 % (leiomyo S)	NS
Santoro	A/AI/CYVADIC	449	NS	NS
Borden	A/AVd	295	NS	NS
Edmonson	A/AI/APM	262	AI = 34 % (p = 0.03)	NS
Antman	AD/MAID	340	MAID : 32 % (p = 0.002)	NS

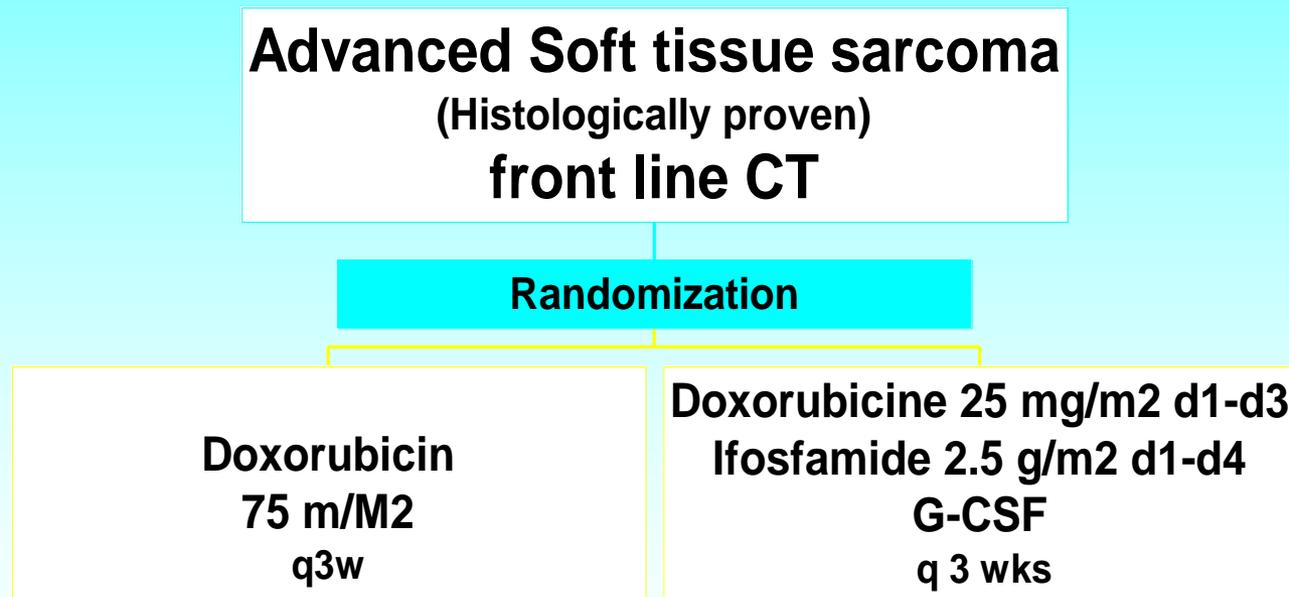
Pas de bénéfice en survie des polychimiothérapies ?

Rôle des polychimiothérapies

EORTC STUDY 62012 : DESIGN
Study coordinator: I. Judson



Chart Title



Rôle de l'intensification thérapeutique

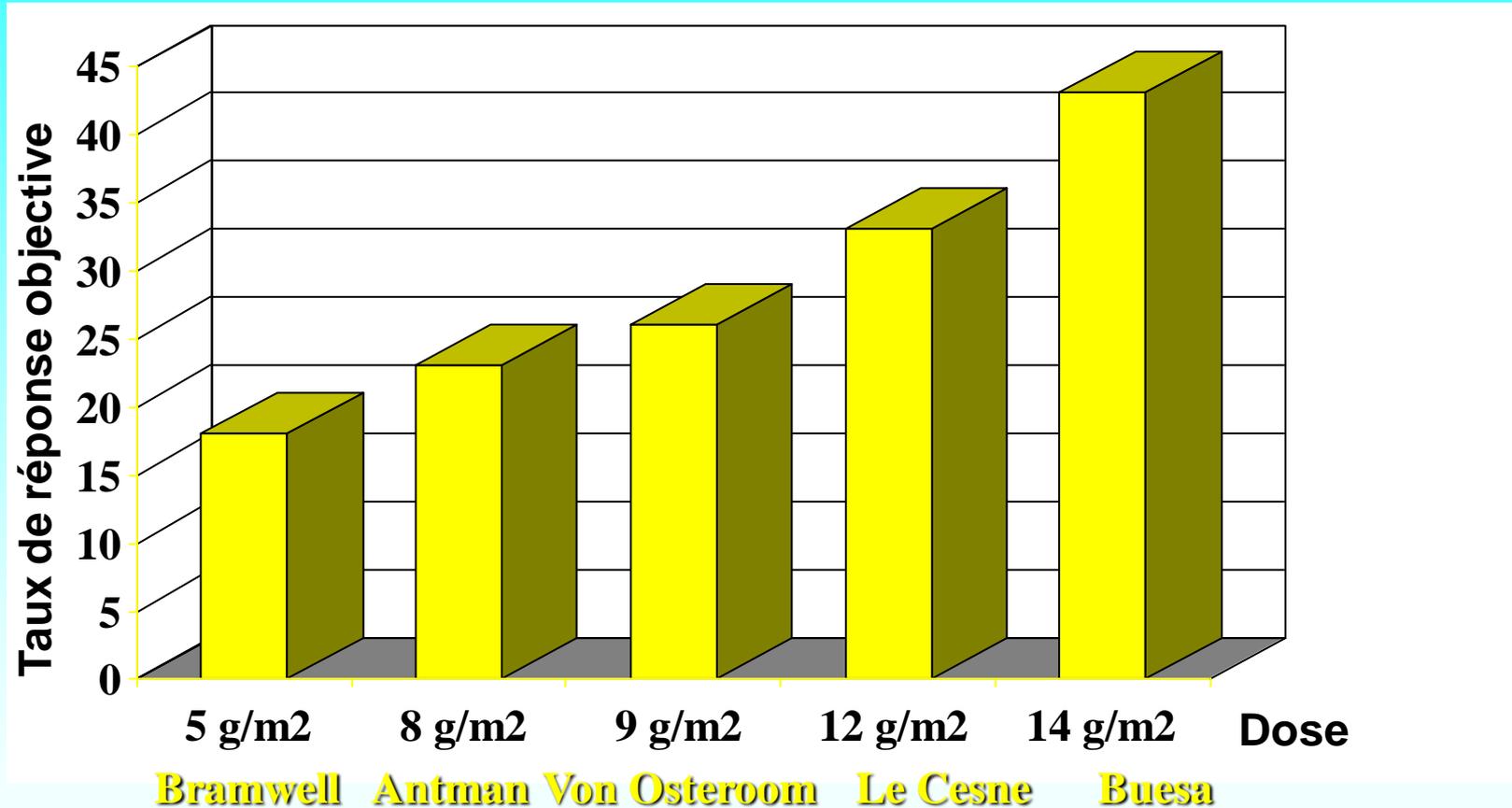
DOSE RESPONSE EVALUATION OF ADRIAMYCIN IN HUMAN NEOPLASIA *Cancer* 39:1940-1948, 1977.

TABLE 3. Remissions According to Dose Schedule and Tumor Type
(#) Remissions/(#) Patients (% Remissions)

Tumor type	Good risk			Poor risk	
	75 mg/m ²	60 mg/m ²	45 mg/m ²	50 mg/m ²	25 mg/m ²
Relation dose doxorubicine/réponse objective					
Dose (mg/m ²)	75	60	50	45	25
Taux RO	37	20	11	18	0
Other	7/38 (18)	2/9 (22)	2/32 (6)	1/3 (33)	3/16 (19)
TOTAL	66/263 (25.0)	26/95 (27.4)	37/191 (19.4)	21/131 (16.0)	17/138 (12.3)



Rôle de l'intensification thérapeutique



IFOSFAMIDE: EFFET DOSE-REPONSE OBJECTIVE ?

Rôle de l'intensification thérapeutique

Phase III trial of standard versus dose-intensified doxorubicin, ifosfamide and dacarbazine (MAID) in the first-line treatment of metastatic and locally advanced soft tissue sarcoma

Invest New Drugs

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ETUDE PALSAR I (GSF)

	<u>MAID</u>	<u>MAID-I</u>
	<u>Per cycle</u>	<u>Per cycle</u>
	<u>Planed</u>	<u>Planed</u>
Doxorubicin	60	75
Ifosfamide	7,500	9,000
Dacarbazine	900	1,200

Augmentation des doses de 25%:

- adriamycine
- ifosfamide
- dacarbazine

Rôle de l'intensification thérapeutique

Response to treatment according to RECIST criteria

	MAID		MAID-I	
	N=74	%	N=71	%
Overall response*	26	35	27	38
Complete response	4	5	0	0
Partial response	22	30	27	38
Stabilization	29	39	34	48
Progression	19	26	10	14

Percentages are in %
*p=0.72

MAID INTENSIFIE:

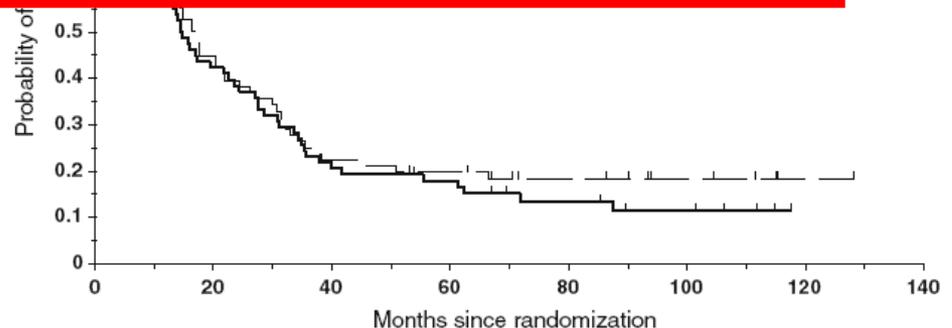
- Pas de bénéfice en termes de réponse objective
- Pas de bénéfice en termes de survie sans progression
- Pas de bénéfice en termes de survie globale
- Plus de toxicité hématologique (anémie, thrombopénie ++)

Table 3 Grade 3 or greater

Neutropenia

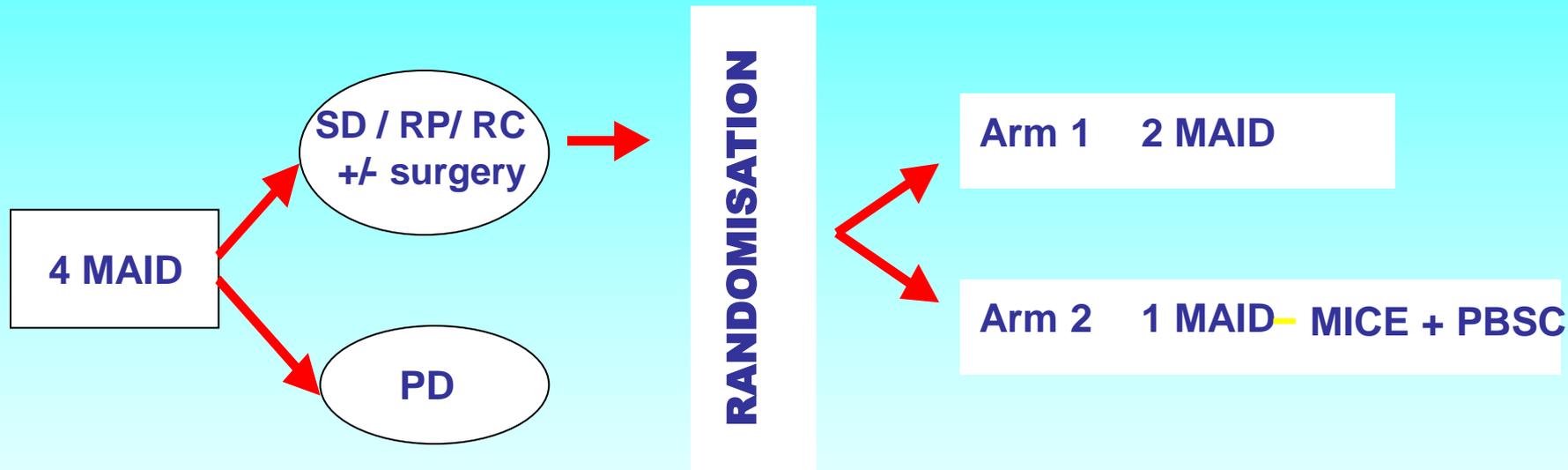
	MAID	MAID-I	p-value
Thrombocytopenia			
Anemia	48	60	0.02
Infection	7	9	0.17
Hemorrhage	1	1	0.4*
Asthenia	7	9	0.24
Stomatitis	5	6	0.08
Nausea/vomiting	16	20	0.4

Survie sans progression



Rôle de l'intensification thérapeutique

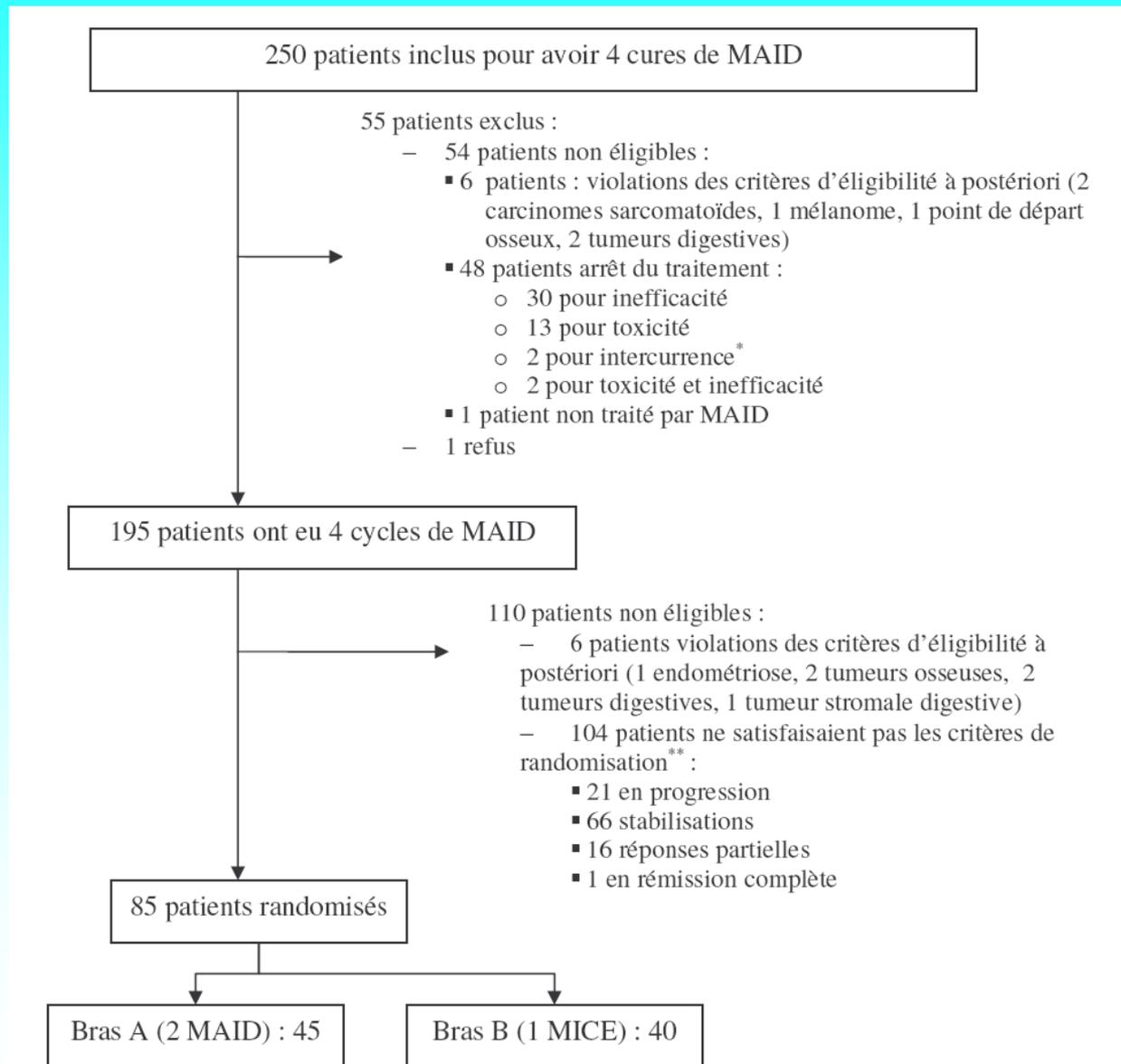
Sarcome 02 PALSAR II



Main end-point: overall survival

Statistical hypothesis: 3-yr OS: 40% vs 15% (N per arm: 50)

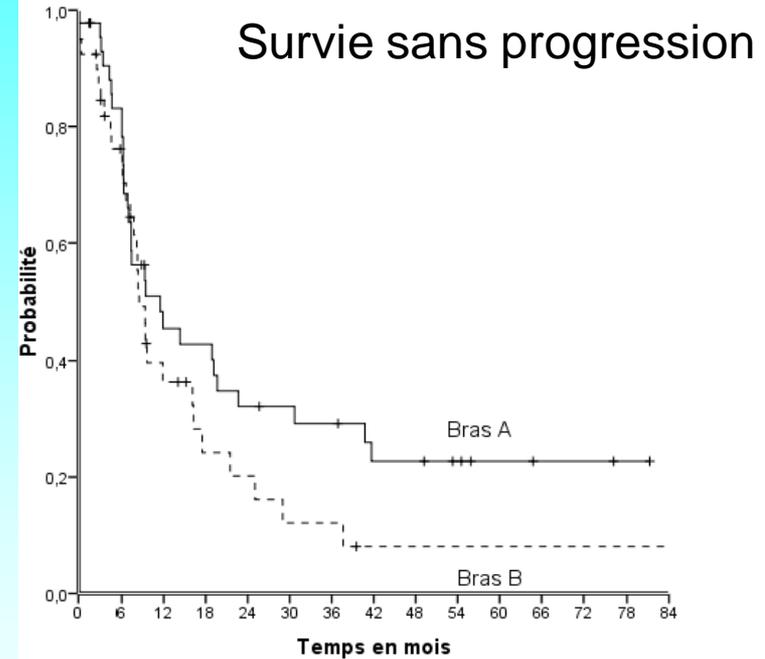
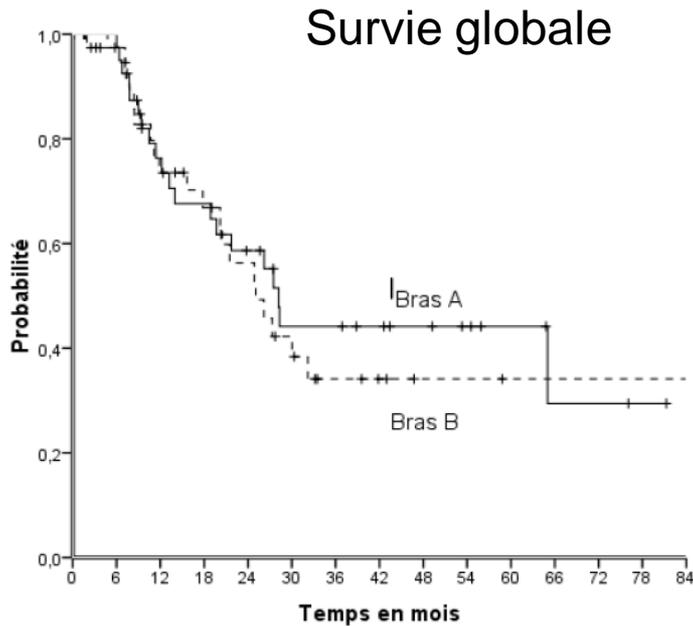
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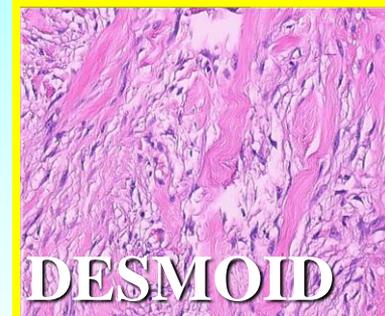
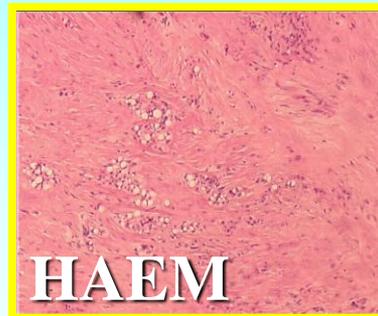
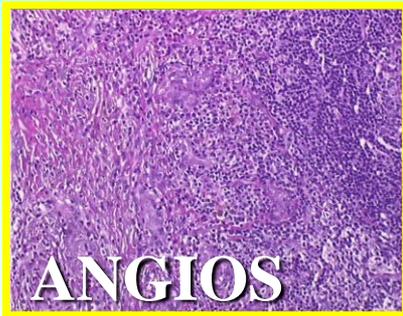
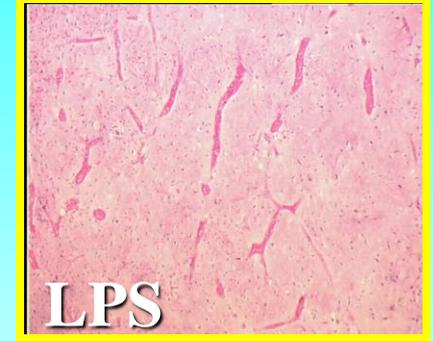
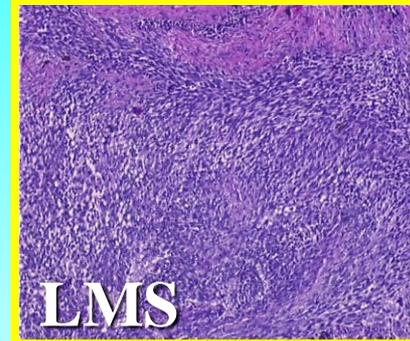
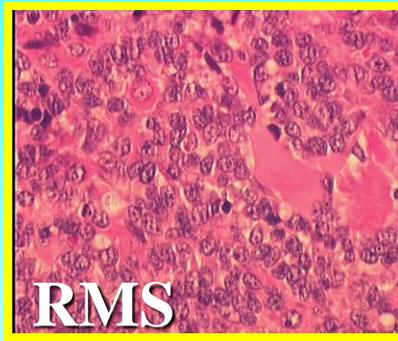
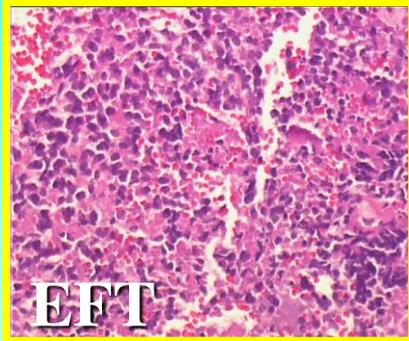
- BRAS A: MAID
- BRAS B: MAID + AUTOGREFFE



Absence de bénéfice de l'intensification thérapeutique

**OPTIMISATION DU TRAITEMENT MEDICAL DES SARCOMES:
APPROCHES INNOVANTES**

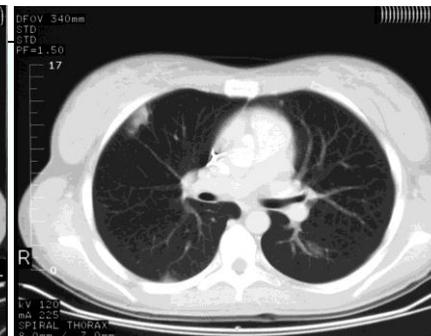
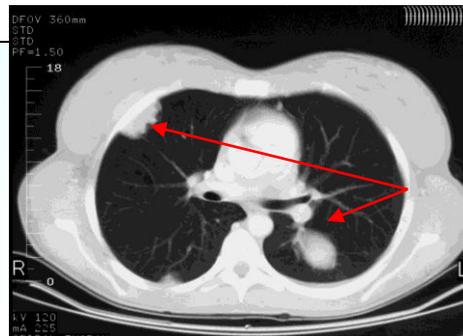
Sarcome des tissus mous métastatiques : Un sarcome ? Des sarcomes ?



> 50 types histologiques différents !

Sarcomes des tissus mous métastatiques : Chimiosensibilité variable d'un type à l'autre ?

Auteurs	Schéma	LeiomyoS OR (%)	SynovialoS OR (%)
Bramwell	SDI (5 g/m ²)	0	29
Benjamin	SDI (6-10 g/m ²)	10	16
Synovialosarcome : sensibilité particulière à l'ifosfamide			
Léiomyosarcome: résistance à l'ifosfamide ?			
Nielsen	HDI (12 g/m ²)	5	44
TOTAL		7%	45%



Chimiosensibilité variable d'un type de STM à l'autre ?

RÔLE DU PACLITAXEL

Schéma	ligne de tt	N	RO	Institution
200 mg/m ²	2e ligne	13	0%	Florida
250 mg/m ²	SENSIBILITE PARTICULIERE DES ANGIOSARCOMES ?			WOG
250 mg/m ² 3h q3s	1/2e ligne	28	7%	MSKCC
Réponses dans les angiosarcomes				
100 mg/m ² q2s	1/2e ligne (Kaposi)	56	59%	Gill (LA)

Chimiosensibilité variable d'un type de STM à l'autre ?

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ORIGINAL REPORT

Phase II Trial of Weekly Paclitaxel for Unresectable Angiosarcoma: The ANGIOTAX Study

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Table 3. Response Rates

Assessable patients	27*	22	21
Progressive disease	7	12	16
Complete response	0	1	3†
Partial response	5	3	1
Stable disease	15	6	1
Overall response rate			
%	18	18	19
95% CI	4 to 33	2 to 34	3 to 35
Nonprogression rate			
%	74	45	24
95% CI	57 to 90	25 to 66	6 to 42

*Three patients of the 30 enrolled patients were not assessable because of the following reasons: death by unrelated stroke (one patient), severe toxicities with treatment cessation (two patients).

†Complete responses were obtained by surgery (Table 4).

Efficacité du paclitaxel hebdomadaire dans les formes cutanées d'angiosarcomes

Chimiosensibilité variable d'un type de STM à l'autre ?

GEMCITABINE et LEIOMYOSARCOMES

Schéma	N	RO	Auteurs	non LMS	LMS
1250 mg/m ² d1, 8 q3s	29	3%	Svancarova 2002	0/19	1/12
1250 mg/m ² d1, 8, 15 q4s	26	3%	Okuno 2002	0/18	1/11
200 mg/m ² 6h d1, 8, 15 q4s	18	10 %	Spath 2000	1/12	2/6
1000 mg/m ² s 7s/8	18	5 %	Merimsky 2000	1/16	1/2
1000 mg/m ² s 7s/8	39	10 %	Patel 2001	3/29	4/10
Réponse objective				5%	22%

Chimiosensibilité variable d'un type de STM à l'autre ?

YONDELIS (ET-743)



- Liaison au brin – de la double hélice d'ADN
- Interaction avec facteurs de transcription et protéines de liaison à l'ADN
- Perturbation cycle cellulaire: ralentissement phase S et blocage en G2
- **Interaction avec les mécanismes de réparation de l'ADN**

Réponse	N= 189	(%)	Toutes histologies confondues:
CR	1	0.5%	
PR	13	7%	Bénéfice clinique durable: 30%
MR	11	6 %	
SD	75	40%	PFS médiane: 7~8 mois
SD > 6 mois	32	17%	

YONDELIS: essais de Phase II



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ORIGINAL REPORT

Phase II Study of ET-743 in Advanced Sarcomas: A European Organisation for Treatment of Cancer (EORTC) Soft Bone Sarcoma Group Trial

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ABSTRACT

Purpose: This nonrandomized multicenter phase II study was performed to assess the safety of Ecteinascidin (ET-743) administered at a dose of 1.5 mg/m² intravenous (IV) infusion every 3 weeks in patients with pretreated advanced soft tissue sarcomas. **Patients and Methods:** Patients with documented progressive advanced soft tissue sarcoma second- or third-line chemotherapy. Antitumor activity was assessed by progression, excessive toxicity, or patient refusal.

Results: One hundred four patients from eight European institutions (March 1999 to November 2000). A total of 410 cycles were administered. Toxicity mainly involved reversible grade 3 to 4 neutropenia in 40% of patients, and grade 3 to 4 thrombocytopenia in 26% of patients. There were eight partial responses (PR), objective response rate (ORR) of 26% (95% CI, 19% to 33%), and 39 progression-free survival (PFS) at 6 months in 26% of patients. The median duration of the time to progression was 29%. The median duration of PFS was 29%. The median duration of overall survival was 29%.

Conclusion: ET-743 seems to be a promising active agent in advanced soft tissue sarcomas. The 6-months progression-free survival rate compares favorably with those obtained with second-line chemotherapy in previous European Organisation for Treatment of Cancer trials. The median overall survival was similar to that of pretreated patients mainly due to the high number of patients free of tumor control.

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INTRODUCTION

Results of first-line chemotherapy in adult advanced soft tissue sarcoma remain disappointing. Only two drugs, doxorubicin and ifosfamide, have demonstrated a relatively consistent single-agent activity yielding re-

sponse rates of 10% to 20% despite high-dose therapy, multi-agent therapy, and high-dose ifosfamide. Other less active drugs include

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ORIGINAL REPORT

Phase II and Pharmacokinetic Study of Ecteinascidin 743 in Patients With Progressive Sarcomas of Soft Tissues Refractory to Chemotherapy

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ABSTRACT

Purpose: To assess the efficacy of the marine-derived alkaloid ecteinascidin 743 (ET-743) in patients with soft tissue sarcomas that progressed despite prior conventional chemotherapy and to characterize the pharmacokinetic profiles of ET-743 in this patient population.

Patients and Methods: Thirty-six previously treated soft tissue sarcoma patients from three institutions received ET-743 as a 24-hour continuous intravenous (IV) infusion at a dose of 1,500 µg/m² every 3 weeks. Pharmacokinetic studies were also performed. Patients were restaged every two cycles for response by objective criteria.

Results: Objective responses were observed in three patients, with one complete response and two partial responses, for an overall response rate of 8% (95% CI, 2% to 23%). Responses were durable for up to 20 months. Two minor responses (43% and 47% tumor reduction) were observed, for an overall clinical benefit rate of 14%. The predominant toxicities were neutropenia and soft-tissue thrombocytopenia of grade 3 to 4 severity in 34% and 26% of patients, respectively. The estimated 1-year time to progression and overall survival rates were 59% (95% CI, 2% to 27%) and 53% (95% CI, 26% to 73%), respectively. The maximum observed plasma concentrations and total plasma clearance of ET-743 (mean ± standard deviation) 1.04 ± 0.48 ng/mL and 35.6 ± 16.2 L/h/m², respectively, were consistent with previously reported values from phase I studies of the drug given as a 24-hour IV infusion.

Conclusion: ET-743 is a promising new option for the management of several histologic subtypes of sarcoma. Durable objective responses were obtained in a subset of sarcoma patients with disease progression despite prior chemotherapy. Additionally, the relatively high survival rate in this series of previously treated patients further justifies development of this agent.

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INTRODUCTION

Sarcomas of soft tissue represent a heterogeneous family of malignancies of mesenchymal origin that account for approximately 1% of adult neoplastic diseases diagnosed annually in the United States.¹ Although the majority of patients present with a clinically localized tumor, 30% to 60% will eventually develop local recurrence or metastatic disease.^{2,3} Once the tumor has progressed beyond surgical resectability, the disease is nearly always incurable.^{3,4} The median sur-

vival of patients with unresectable sarcomas of soft tissues is approximately 12 months.⁵ Patients with unresectable sarcoma have a pressing need for new effective therapeutic options.

Doxorubicin and ifosfamide represent the two most active conventional agents in the treatment of advanced soft tissue sarcomas. Prospective studies of these drugs administered as single agents to sarcoma patients with no prior chemotherapy have demonstrated response rates ranging from 11% to 30%.^{6,8} Other less active drugs in-

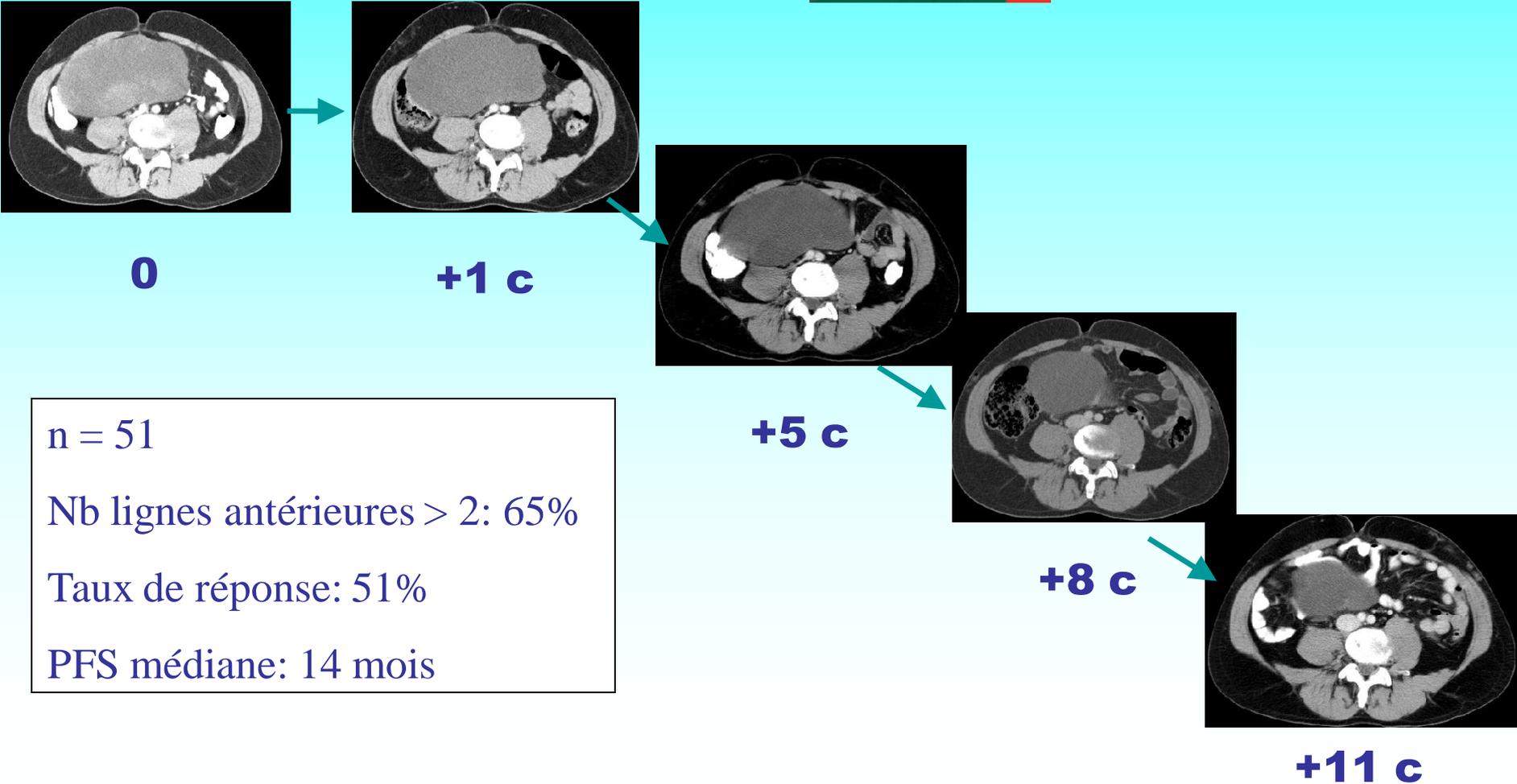
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LIPOSARCOMA MYXOIDES

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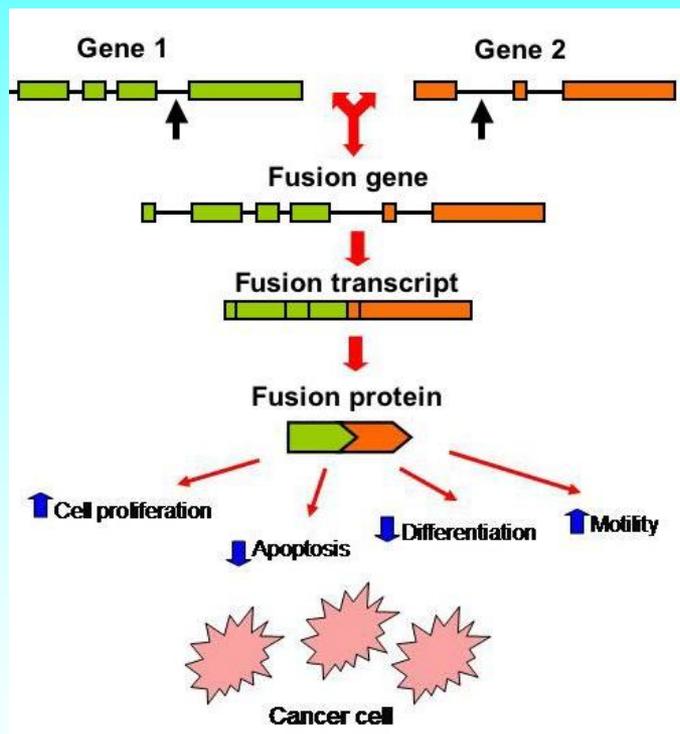
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n = 51
Nb lignes antérieures > 2: 65%
Taux de réponse: 51%
PFS médiane: 14 mois

A Randomized, Multicenter, Phase III Trial of Trabectedin (Yondelis®) versus Doxorubicin-based Chemotherapy as First-Line Therapy in Patients with Translocation-Related Sarcomas (TRS)



Translocation	Gene	Type of Fusion Gene
Ewing's sarcoma		
t(11;22) (q24;q12)	EWSR1-FLI1	Transcription factors
t(21;22) (q22;q12)	EWSR1-ERG	
t(7;22) (p22;q12)	EWSR1-ETV1	
t(17;22) (q21;q12)	EWSR1-ETV4	
t(2;22) (q33;q12)	EWSR1-FEV	
Clear cell sarcoma		
t(12;22) (q13;q12)	EWSR1-ATF1	Transcription factor
Desmoplastic small round cell tumor of the abdomen		
t(11;22) (p13;q12)	EWSR-WT1	Transcription factor
Myxoid liposarcoma		
t(12;16) (q13;p11)	FUS-DDIT3	Transcription factors
t(12;22) (q13;q12)	EWSR1-DDIT3	
Alveolar rhabdomyosarcoma		
t(2;13) (q35;q14)	PAX3-FOXO1A	Transcription factors
t(1;13) (p36;q14)	PAX7-FOXO1A	
Synovial sarcoma		
t(X;18) (p11;q11)	SYT-SSX	Transcription factor
DFSP		
t(17;22) (q22;q13)	COL1A1-PDGFB	Growth factor
Congenital fibrosarcoma		
t(12;15) (p13;q25)	ETV6-NTRK3	Transcription factor receptor
Alveolar soft-part sarcoma		
t(X;17) (p11.2;q25)	ASPL-TFE3	Transcription factor
Myxoid chondrosarcoma		
t(9;22) (q22-31;q11-12)	EWSR1-NR4A3	Transcription factor

**SARCOMES DES TISSUS MOUS :
QUELS FACTEURS PREDICTIFS DE REponse
AUX AGENTS CYTOTOXIQUES ?**

Sarcome des tissus mous métastatiques : Une chimiothérapie à la carte ?

AVANT 2000

ADRIAMYCINE

**ADRIAMYCINE +
IFOSFAMIDE**

MAID

Pour tous les STM

Autres drogues inactives

APRES 2000

Traitement

à la carte:

**Synovialoarcome:
ifosfamide**

**Leiomyosarcome, MFH:
gemcitabine**

**Liposarcomes myxoides:
yondelis**

**Angiosarcomes:
paclitaxel**

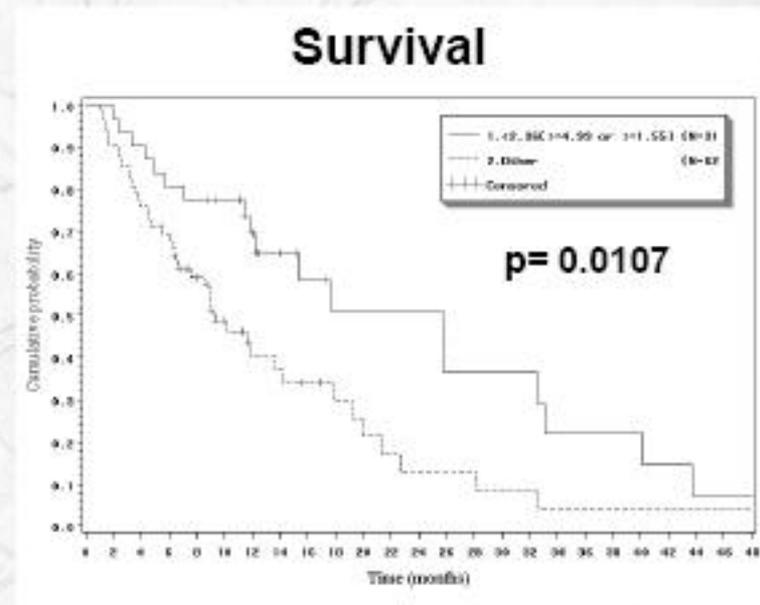
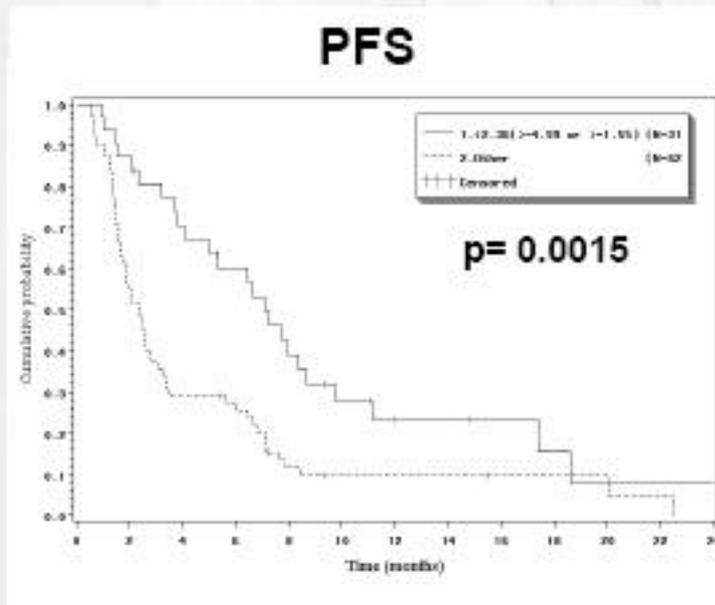
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Nouveau concept thérapeutique

Yondelis et systèmes de réparation de l'ADN

Impact of combined Low BRCA1 + High (ERCC1 or XPG) mRNA expression in the outcome of sarcoma patients treated with trabectedin

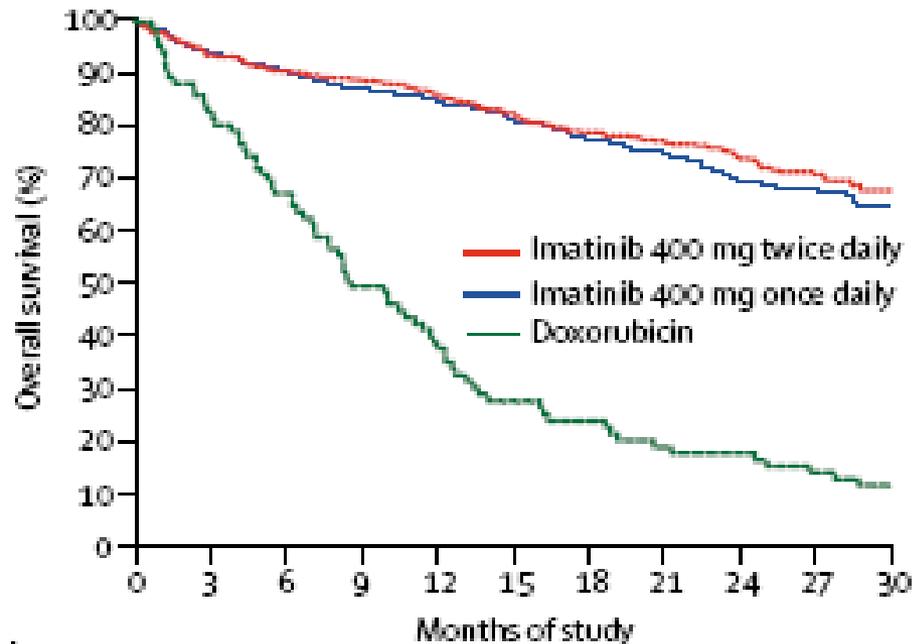


- Favorable subpopulation: low BRCA1 + high (XPG or ERCC1)
- Remaining STS patients

**Traitement médical des sarcomes
des tissus mous:**

Rôle des nouveaux traitements « ciblés »

L'exemple des tumeurs stromales gastro-intestinales (GIST)



Traitement ciblé

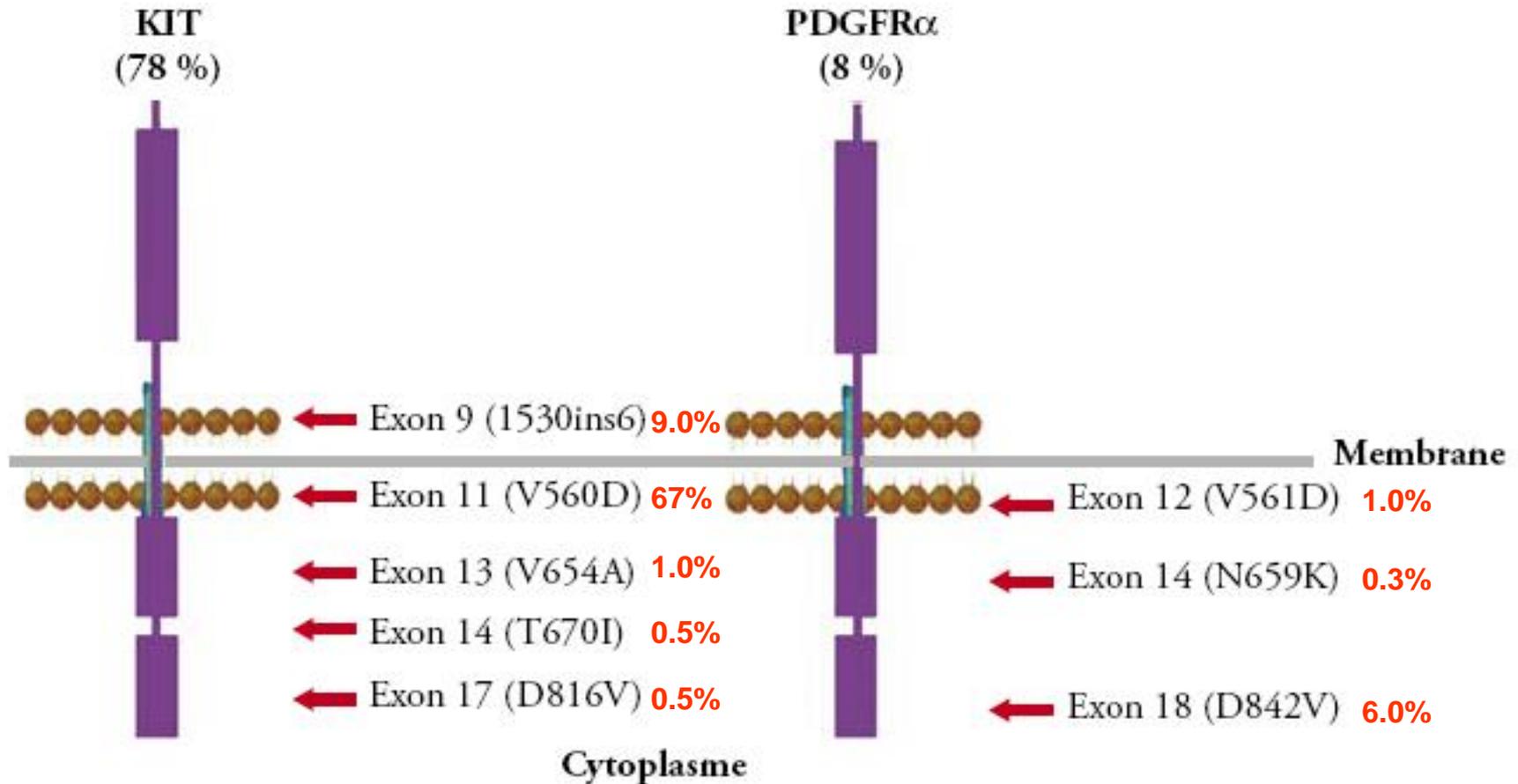
chimiothérapie

x 3 taux de survie

Number at risk

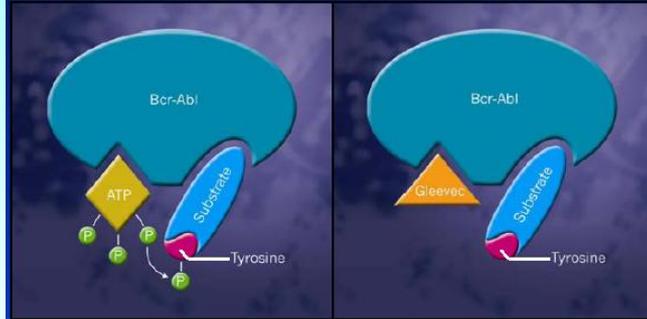
Imatinib 400 mg once daily	473	423	387	315	192	49
Imatinib 400 mg twice daily	473	427	399	323	201	51
Doxorubicin	86	57	31	19	14	8

GIST: une «définition moléculaire»



86-87% des GIST porteurs d'une mutation activatrice de *KIT* ou de *PDGFR α*

Imatinib



Receptors	Units (IC ₅₀ μM)
v-ABL	0.25
p210Bcr-Abl	0.25
p185Bcr-Abl	0.25
TEL-Abl	0.35
PDGFR	0.1 ^a
TEL-PDGFR	0.15
KIT	0.1 ^a

IMATINIB:

Inhibiteur d'activité tyrosine kinase multi-cibles: ABL, BCR-ABL, KIT, PDGFRA, PDGFRβ, ARG et CSF1R (?)

Fixation compétitive au niveau du site de liaison à l'ATP



Traitements ciblés des sarcomes non GIST

Enseignements tirés du traitement des GIST

Traitement ciblé possible si...

- Présence d'une cible:**
- exprimée
 - activée
 - jouant un rôle prépondérant dans la tumorigenèse
 - pour laquelle il existe une drogue antagoniste

Dermatofibrosarcoma Protuberans

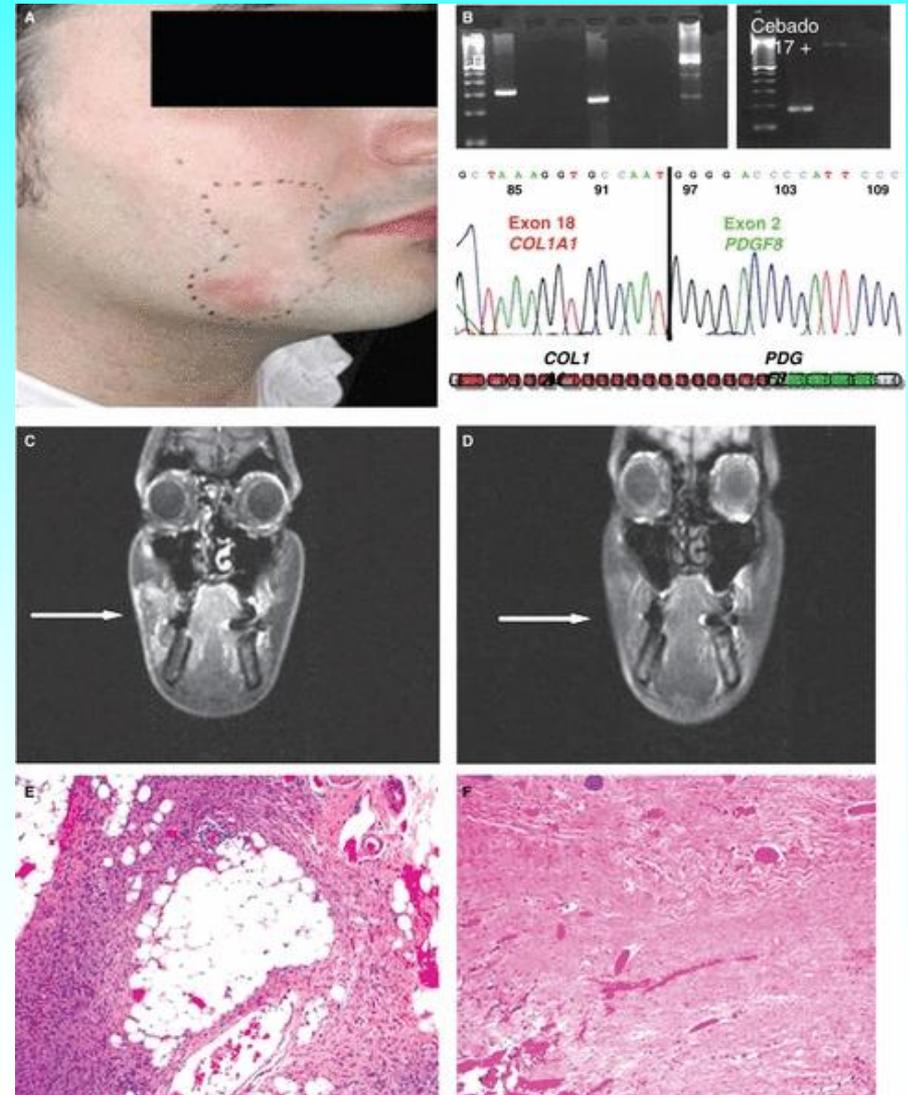
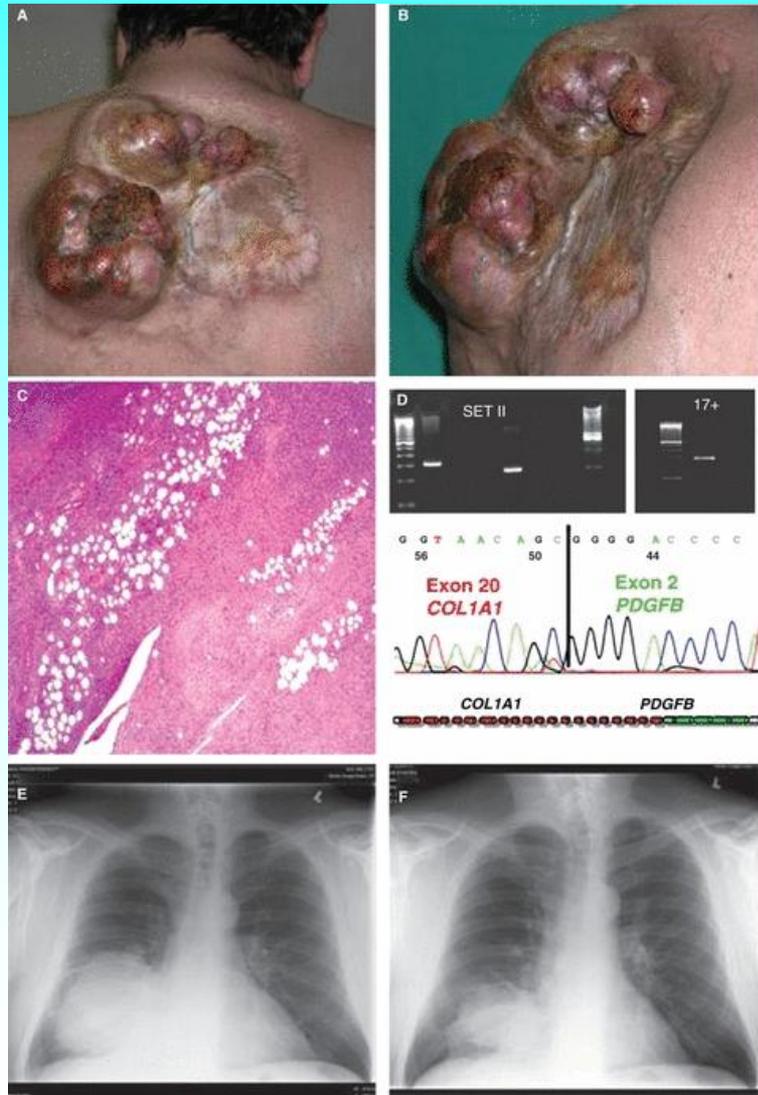
Ewing's sarcoma		
t(11;22) (q24;q12)	EWSR1-FLI1	Transcription factors
t(21;22) (q22;q12)	EWSR1-ERG	
t(7;22) (p22;q12)	EWSR1-ETV1	
t(17;22) (q21;q12)	EWSR1-ETV4	
t(2;22) (q33;q12)	EWSR1-FEV	
Clear cell sarcoma		
t(12;22) (q13;q12)	EWSR1-ATF1	Transcription factor
Desmoplastic small round cell tumor of the abdomen		
t(11;22) (p13;q12)	EWSR-WT1	Transcription factor
Myxoid liposarcoma		
t(12;16) (q13;p11)	FUS-DDIT3	Transcription factors
t(12;22) (q13;q12)	EWSR1-DDIT3	
Alveolar rhabdomyosarcoma		
t(2;13) (q35;q14)	PAX3-FOXO1A	Transcription factors
t(1;13) (p36;q14)	PAX7-FOXO1A	
Synovial sarcoma		
t(X;18) (p11;q11)	SYT-SSX	Transcription factor
DFSP		
t(17;22) (q22;q13)	COL1A1-PDGFB	Growth factor
Congenital fibrosarcoma		
t(12;15) (p13;q25)	ETV6-NTRK3	Transcription factor receptor
Alveolar soft-part sarcoma		
t(X;17) (p11.2;q25)	ASPL-TFE3	Transcription factor
Myxoid chondrosarcoma		
t(9;22) (q22-31;q11-12)	EWSR1-NR4A3	Transcription factor

Sarcome de malignité intermédiaire

translocation t(17;22):
gène collagène (COL1A1)/ gène
platelet derived growth factor
(PDGF)



Dermatofibrosarcome Protuberans: Imatinib



Traitement médicaux des sarcomes avancés: Perspectives

- Ne plus considérer les Sarcomes des Tissus Mous comme une seule entité
- Le meilleur standard: essai thérapeutique / recherche appliquée
- Identification de facteurs prédictifs
- Hors essai: doxorubicine en monothérapie (sauf si patient symptomatique ou potentiellement résecable: place des polychimiothérapies)
- Rôle du Yondelis en 1^{ère} ligne : sarcomes à translocation ?
- **Refonder le schéma des essais cliniques**