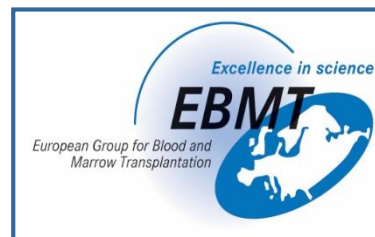


The role of bone marrow transplantation in aplastic anemia : 2022

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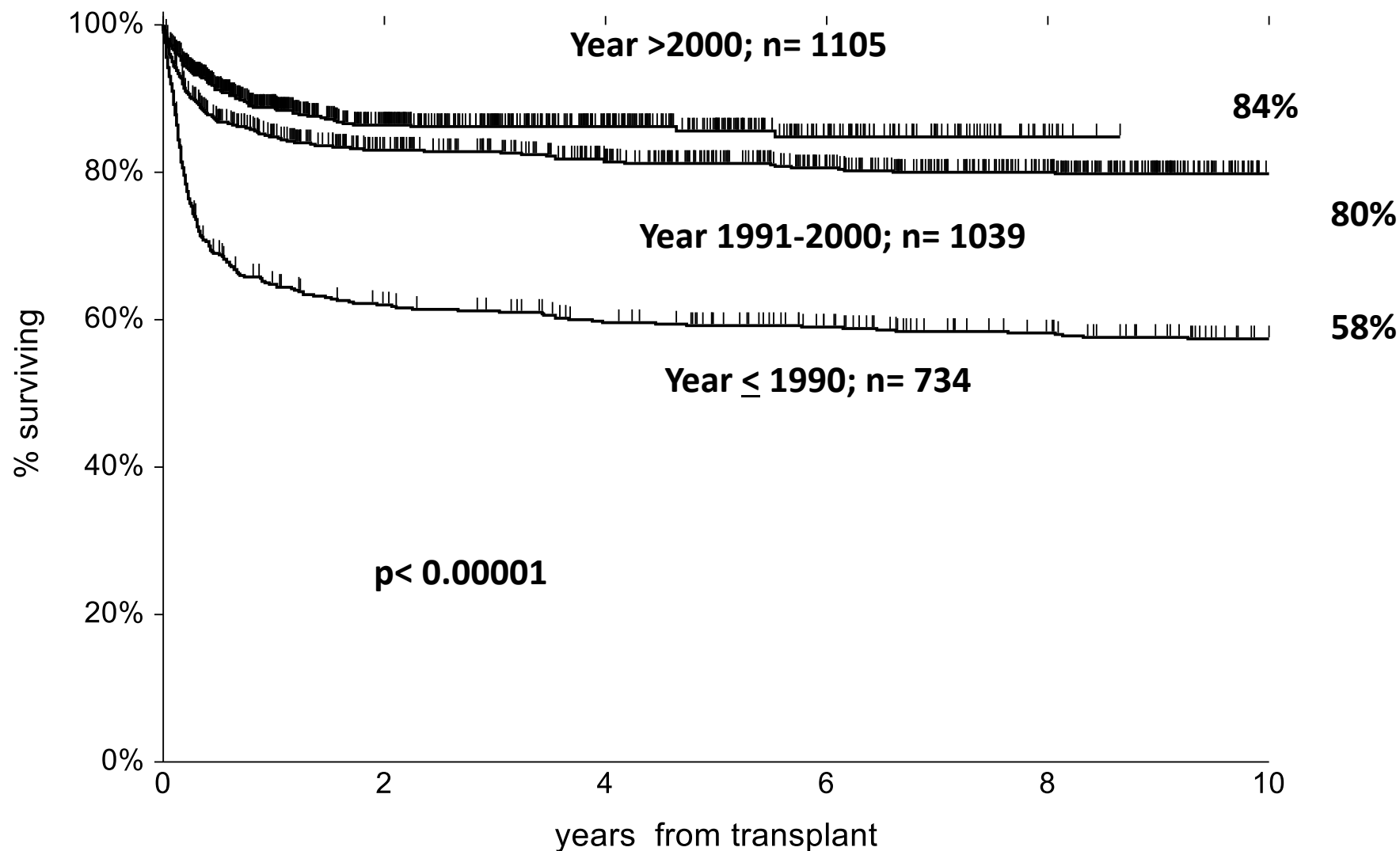


HLA typing should be performed at diagnosis in a patient with acquired aplastic anemia

Certainly under the age of 60

Together with family members

First line HLA id sib BMT for SAA; **AGE <40**



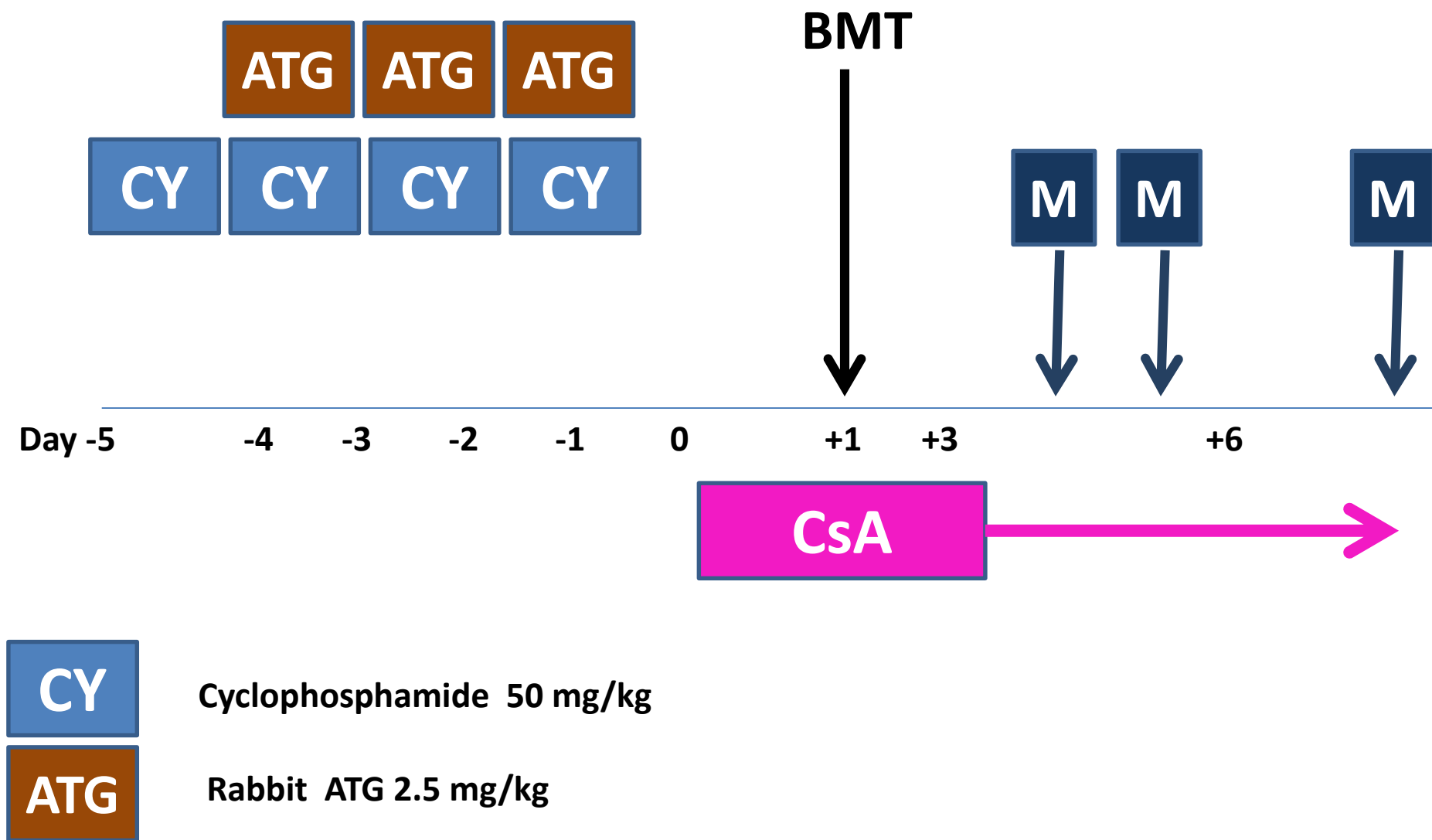
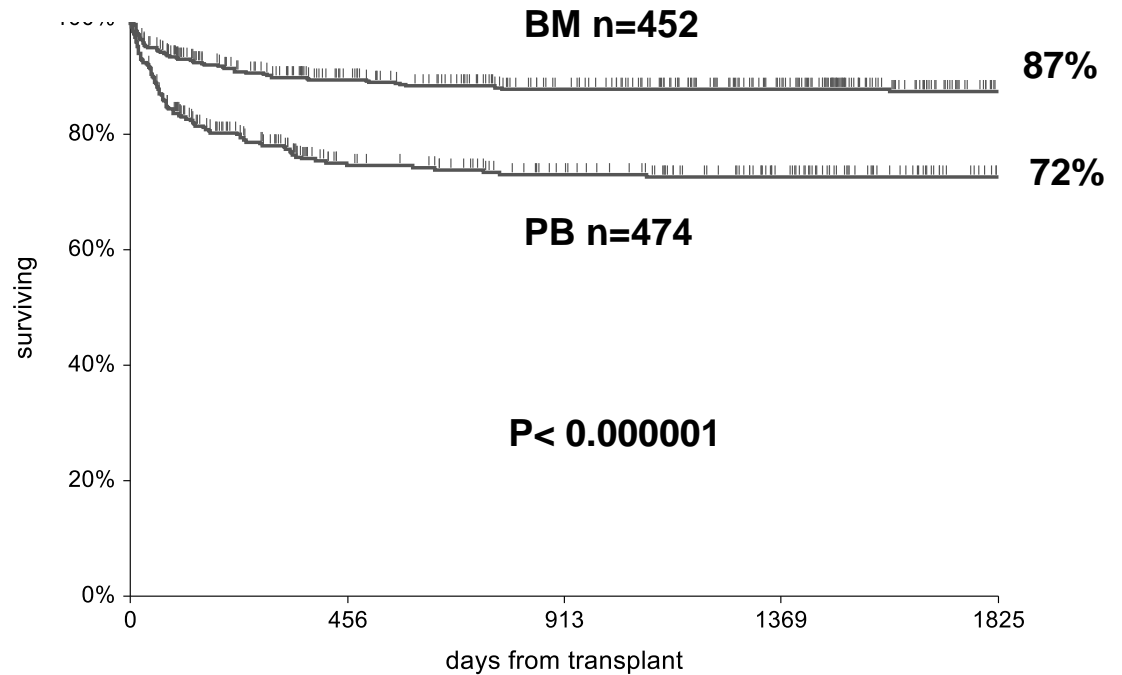
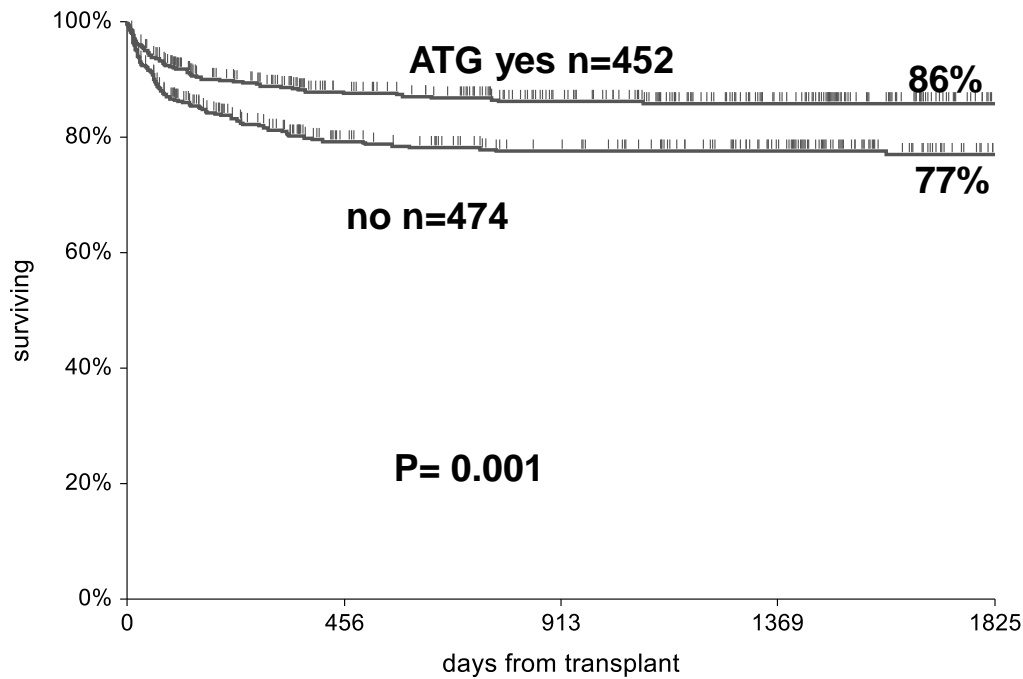


Figure 2B

HLA identical SIB transplants



First line HLA identical sibling BMT for SAA; (EBMT 2001-2010) <40 yy

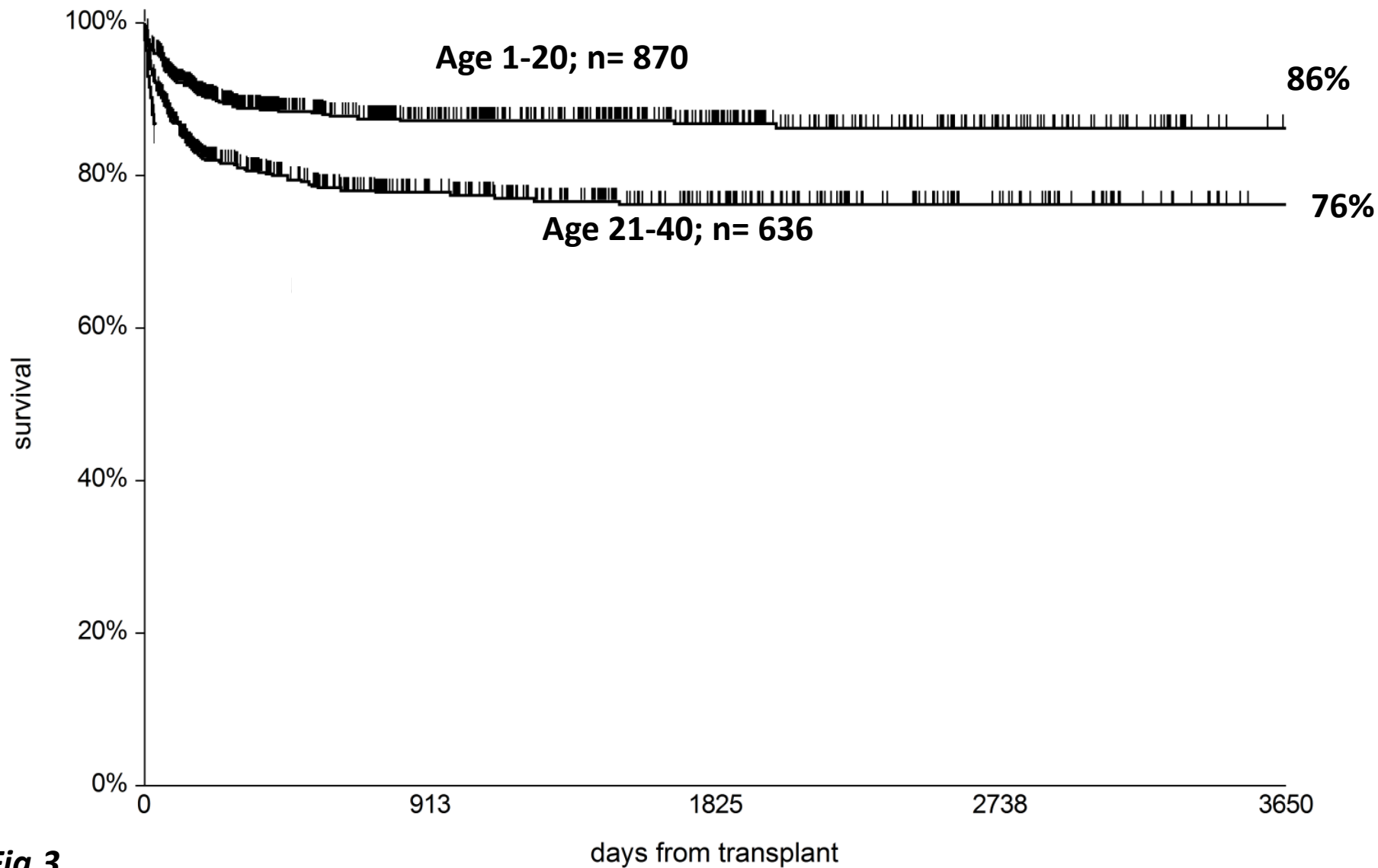
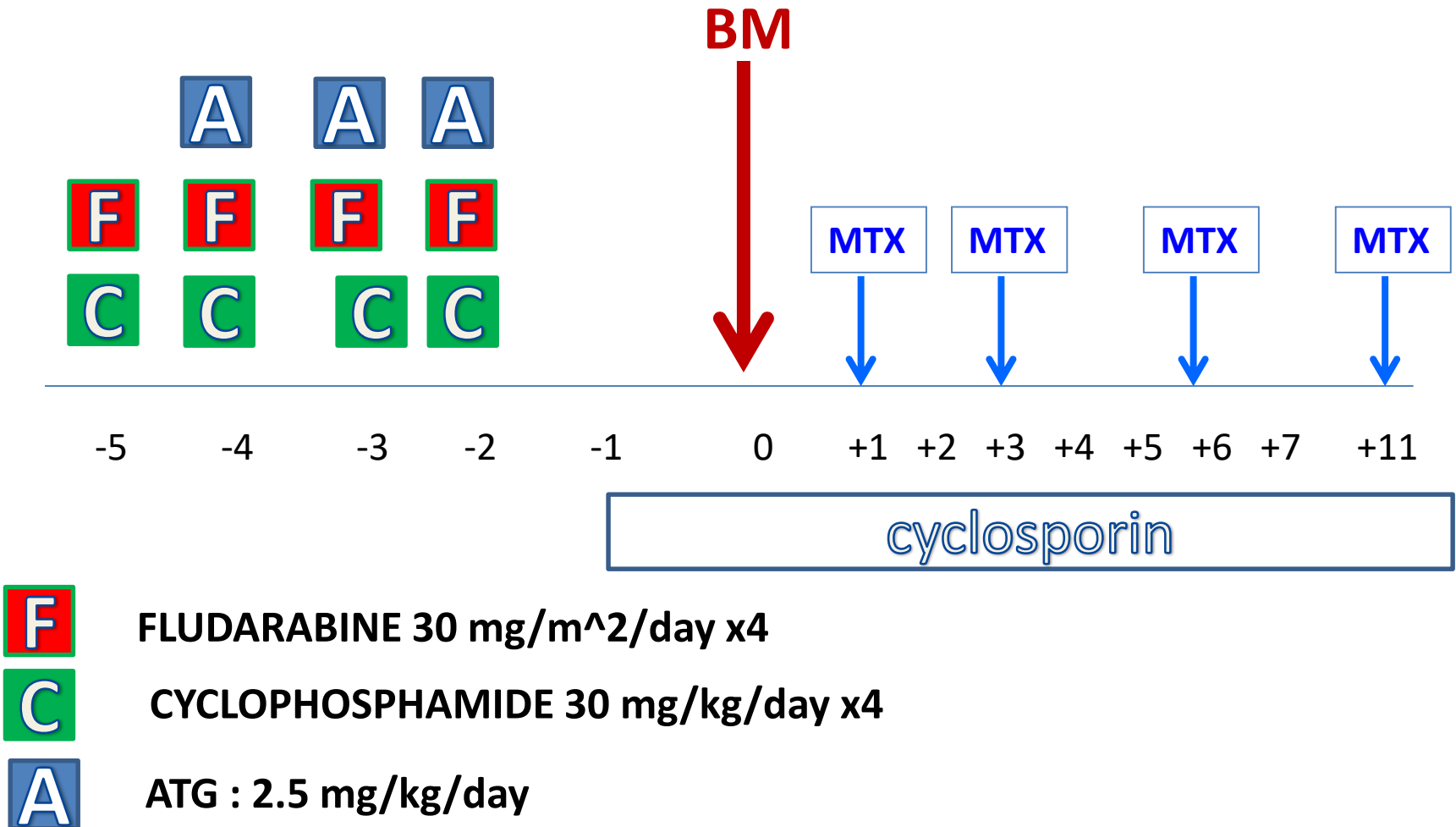


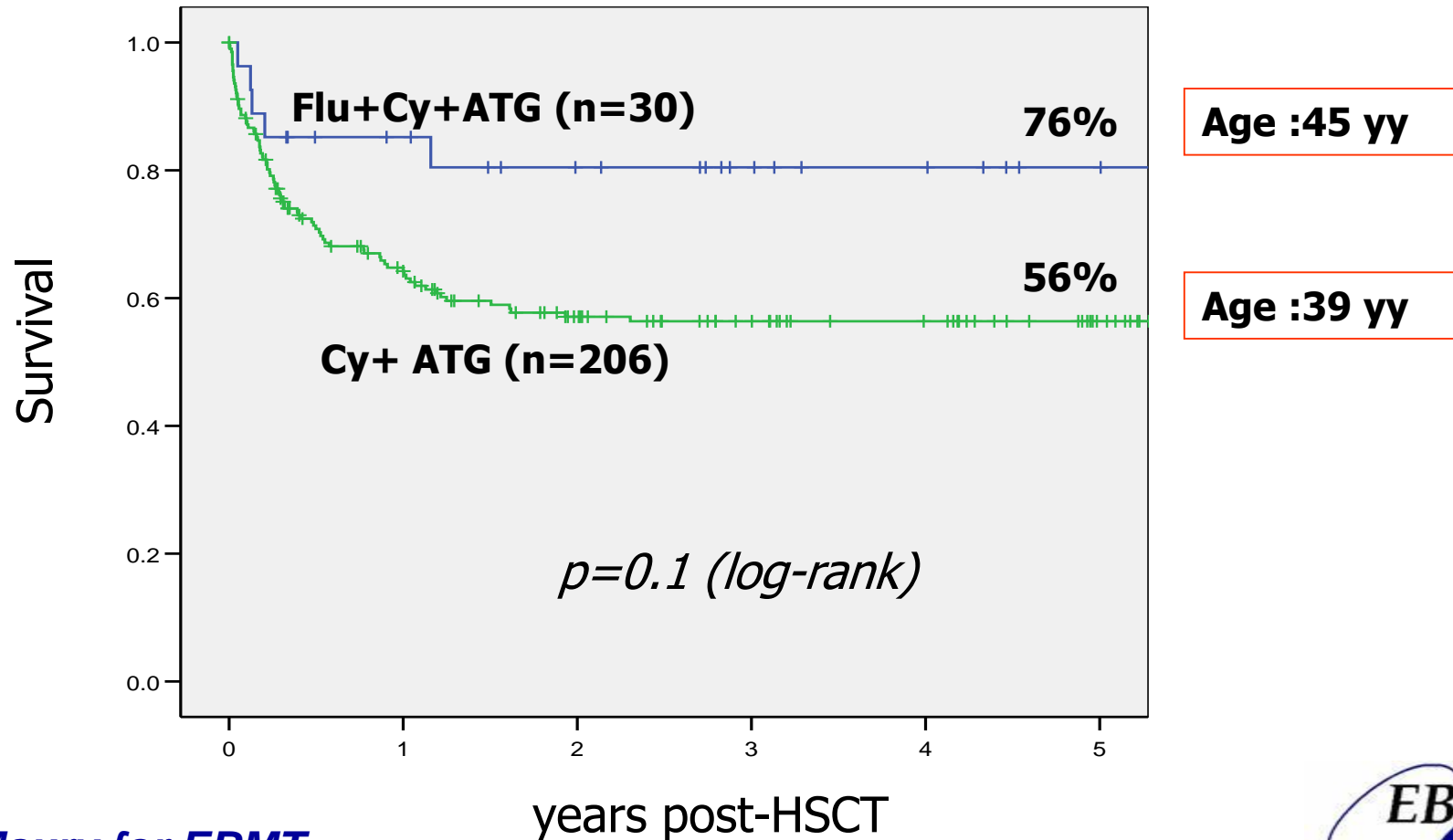
Fig.3

conditioning regimen for SIB transplants > 30 years of age



HLA id SIBS; Age > 30 yy

Difference is Graft Failure 0% vs 11% ($p=0.01$)



BMT in young patients

significant improvement with time

transplant platform has remained unchanged

ATG+CY 200 /kg + BM+CSA+MTX

ATG+FLUCY for patients 30-40 yy

better supportive care

young patients

and older patients >40 years?

First line HLA identical sibling BMT for SAA; (EBMT 2001-2010)

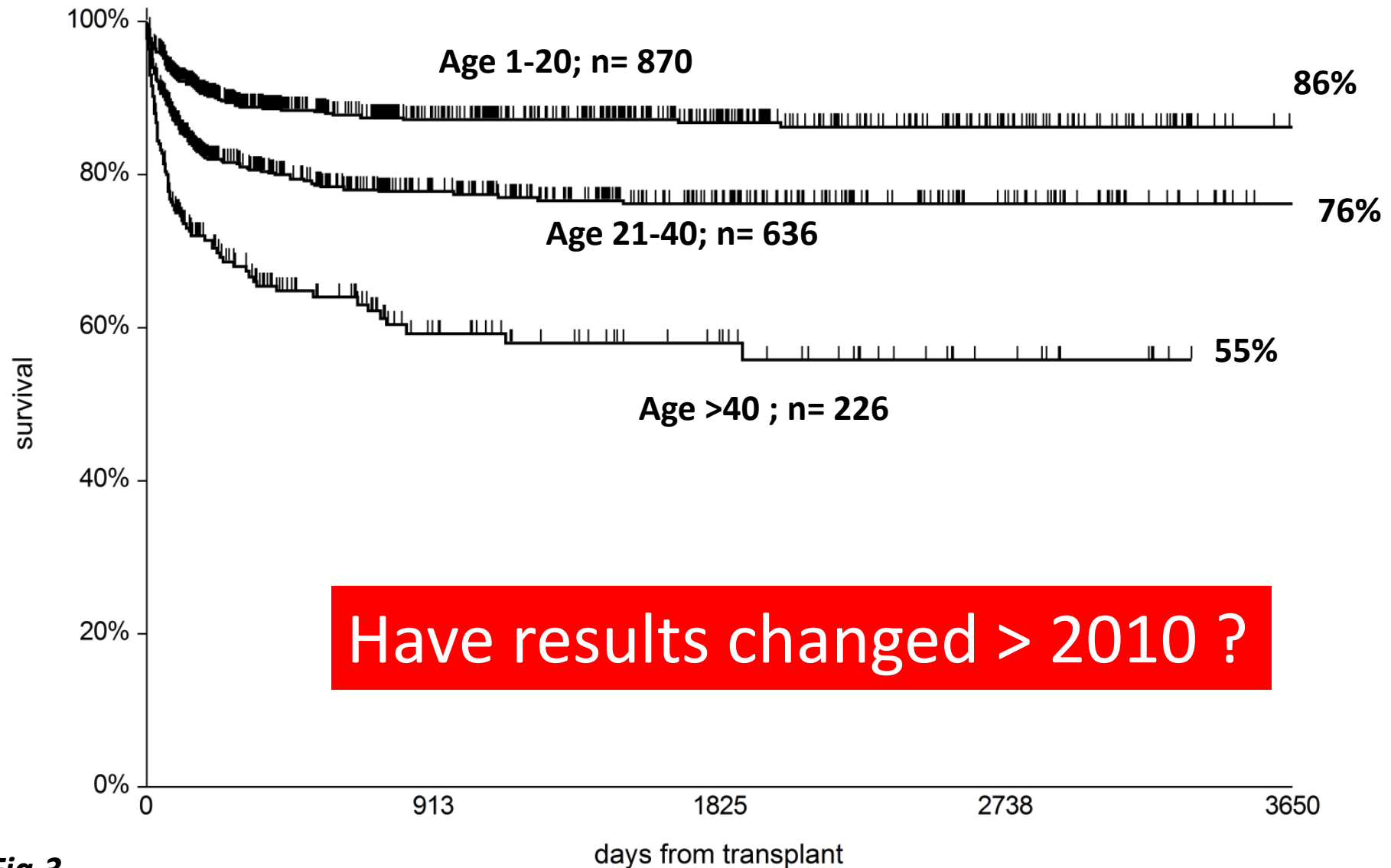
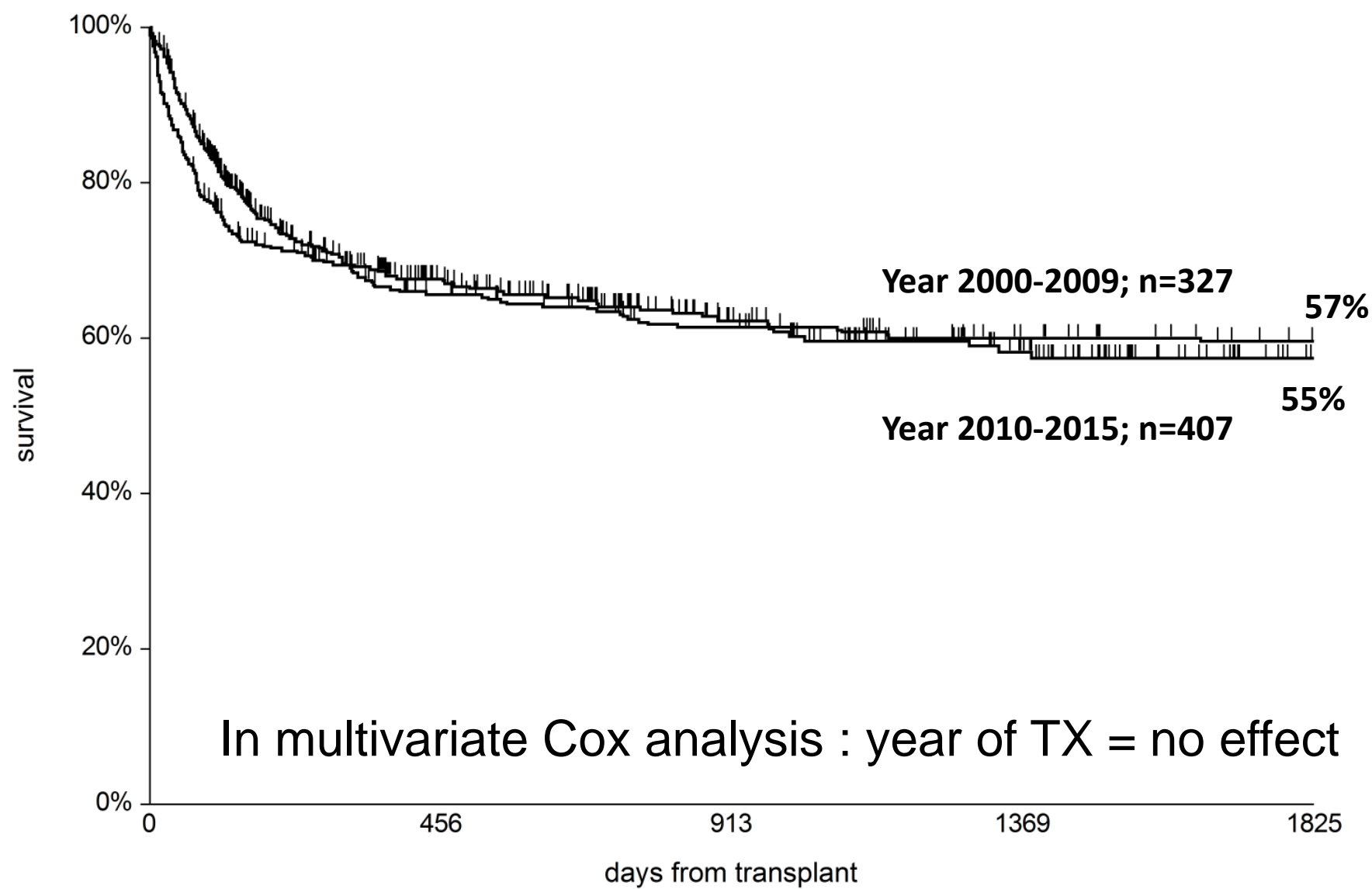
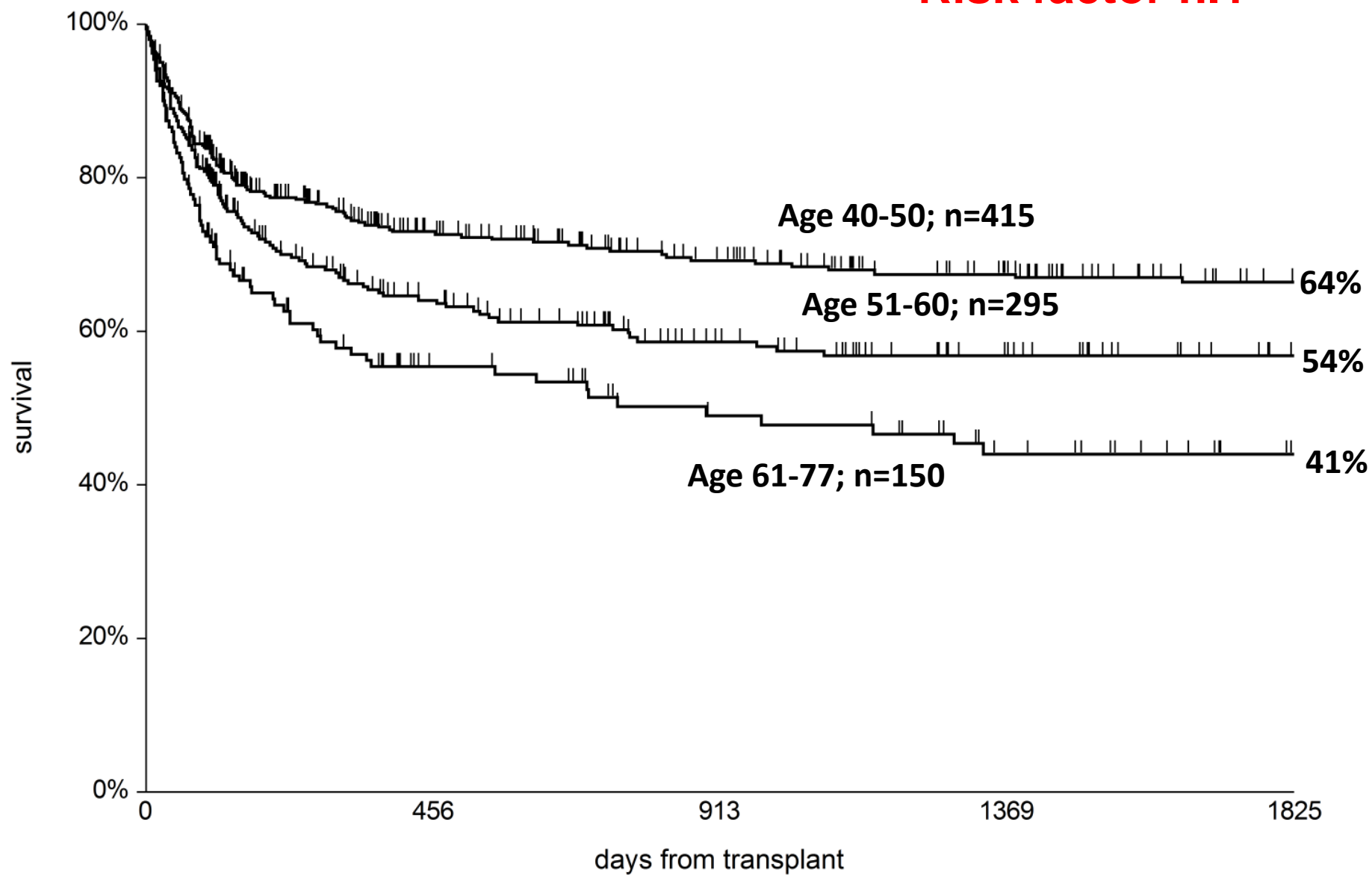


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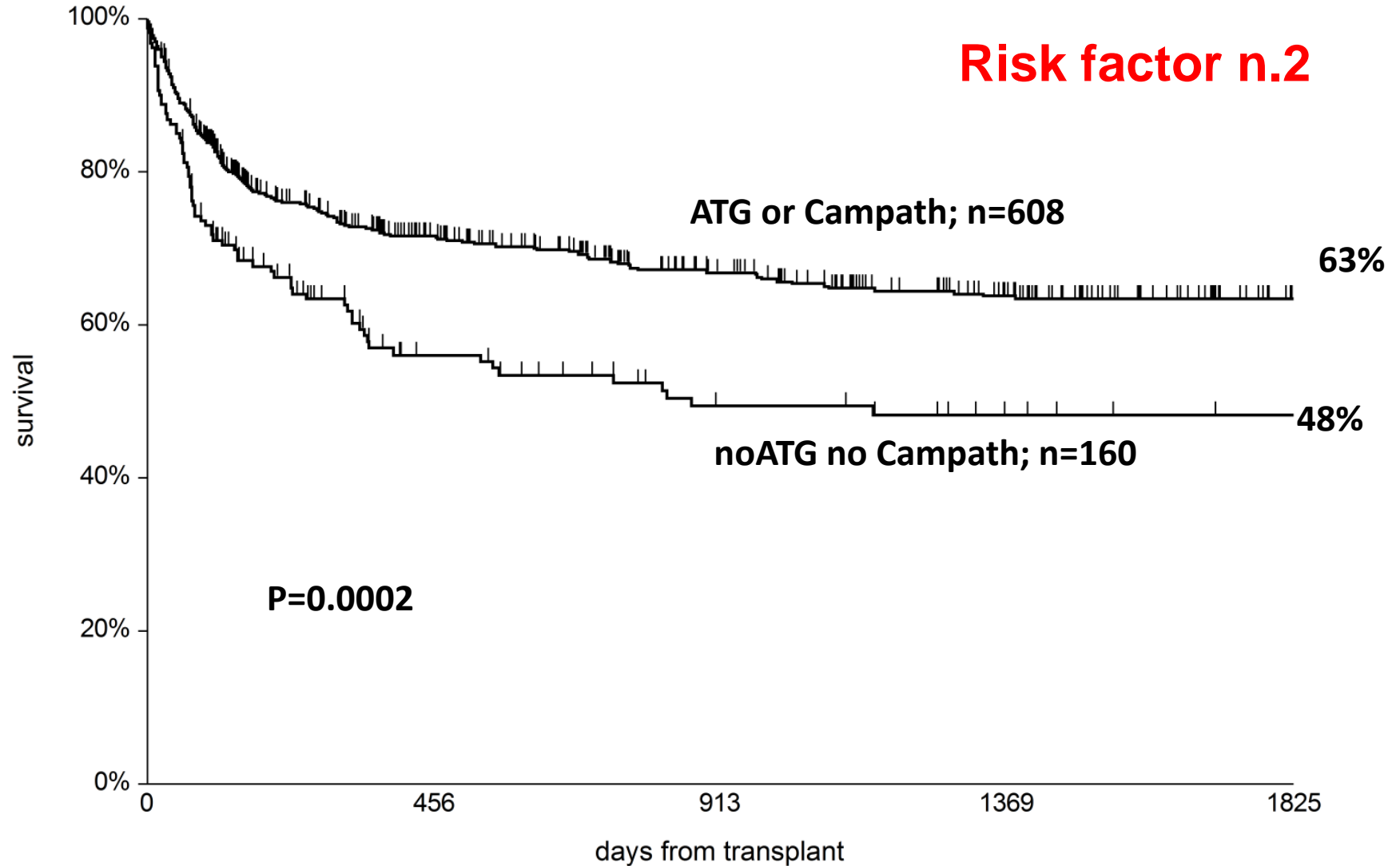
Outcome of acquired SAA aged ≥ 40 years : 2000-2009 (327) and 2010-2015 (407)



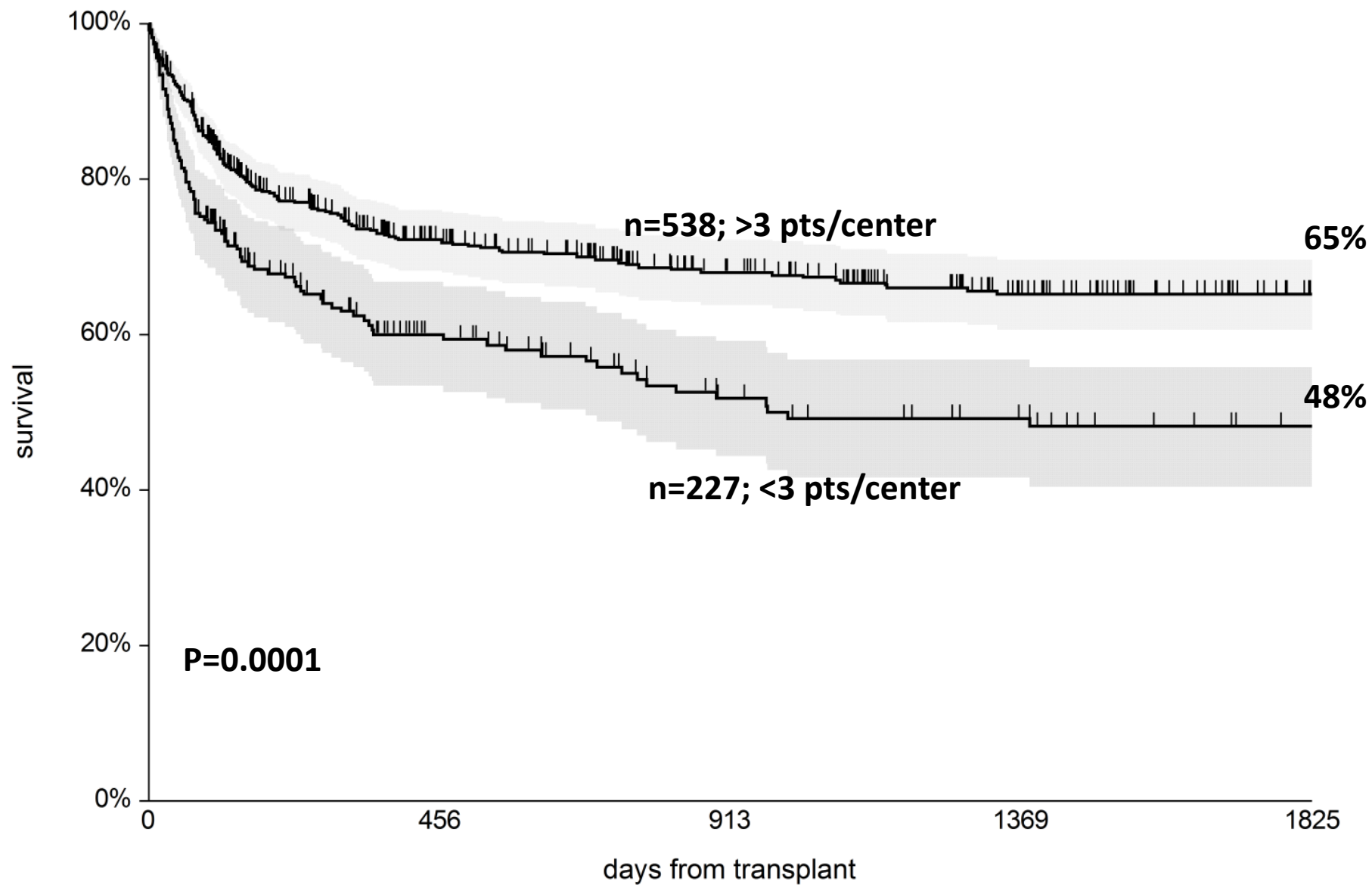
Risk factor n.1



SAA- EBMT : over 40 years of age; all patients



Risk factor n.3

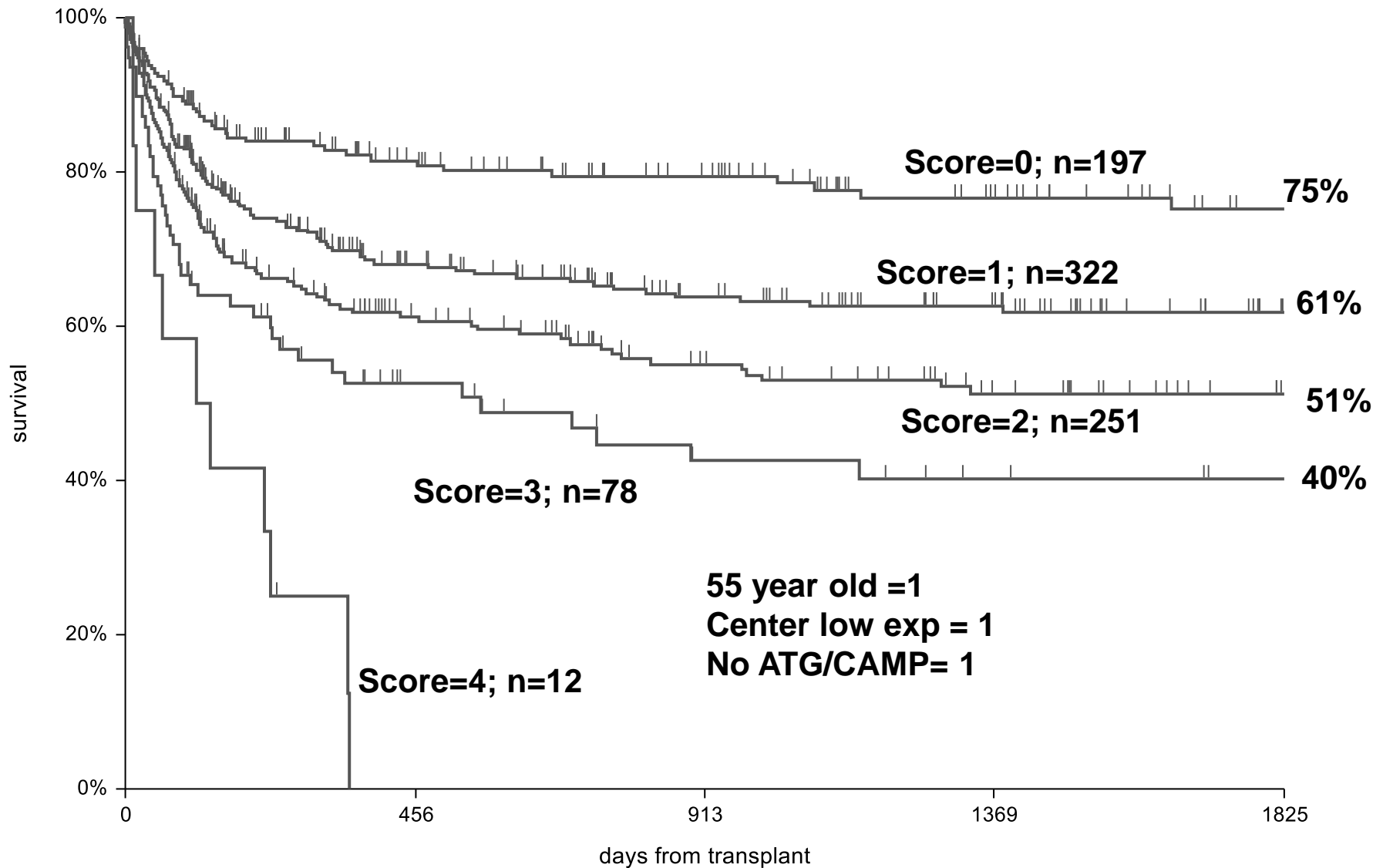


EBMT WPSAA data 2001-2015

Cox analysis

		<i>HR</i>	<i>P</i>
Center	>3 pts	0.59	0.0001
Age	50-59	1.3	0.05
	>60	2.0	0.0001
ATG/C	yes	0.3	0.0001
Year	<u>≥2010</u>	0.9	0.5
DxTx	>180	1.17	0.2
Donor	UD	1.24	0.1

Risk factors for older SAA patients;
age (<50=0,50-59=1,>60=2); ATG/CAMP(no=1); centers < 3pts =1



Age > 40 remains a significant risk factor for BMT

results have not improved over the past years

additional risk factors are

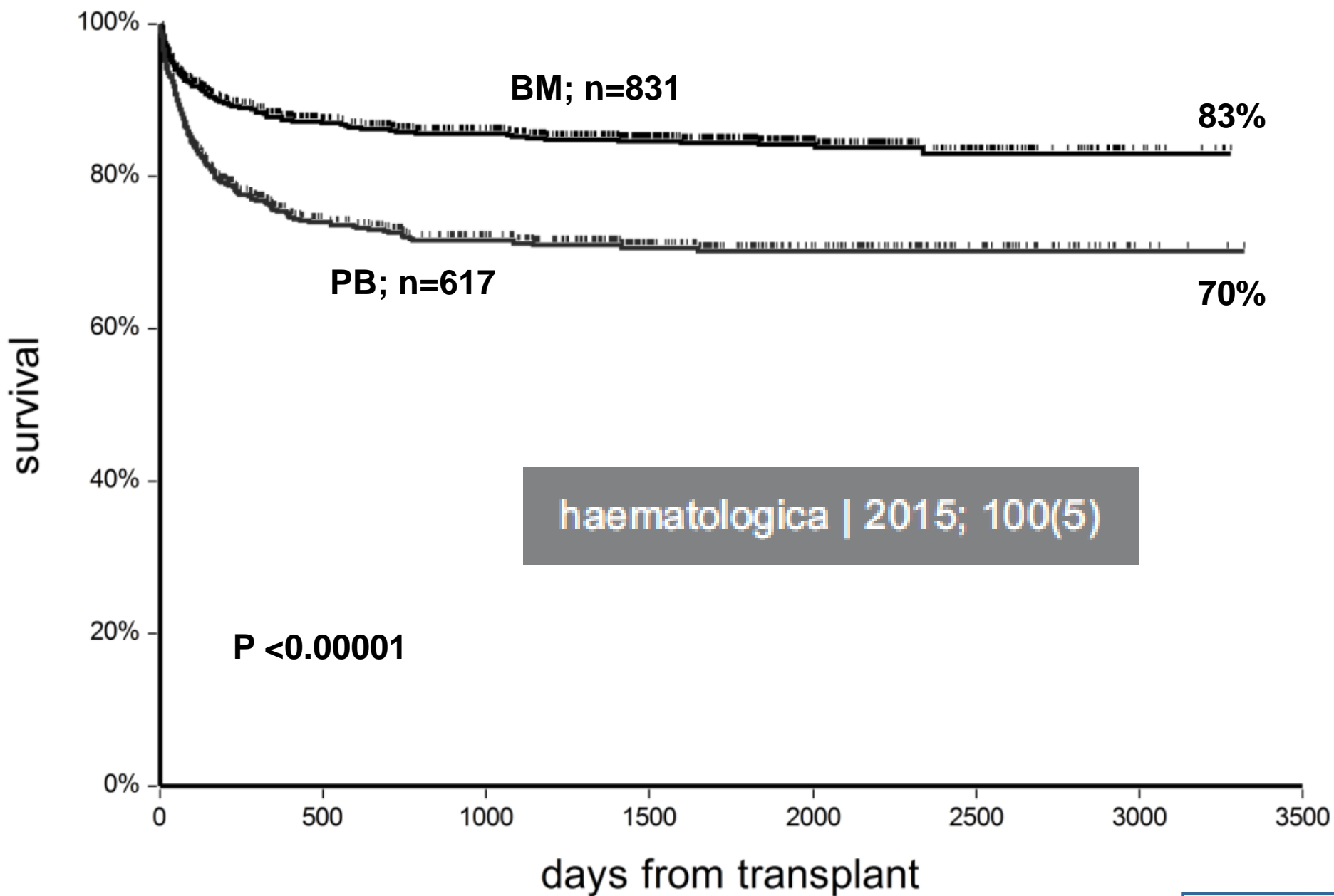
- . No ATG/CAMP**
- . Unexperienced centers**

different transplant platform needed

young patients

and older patients >40 years?

and stem cell source?



young patients

and older patients >40 years?

and stem cell source?

and UD transplants?

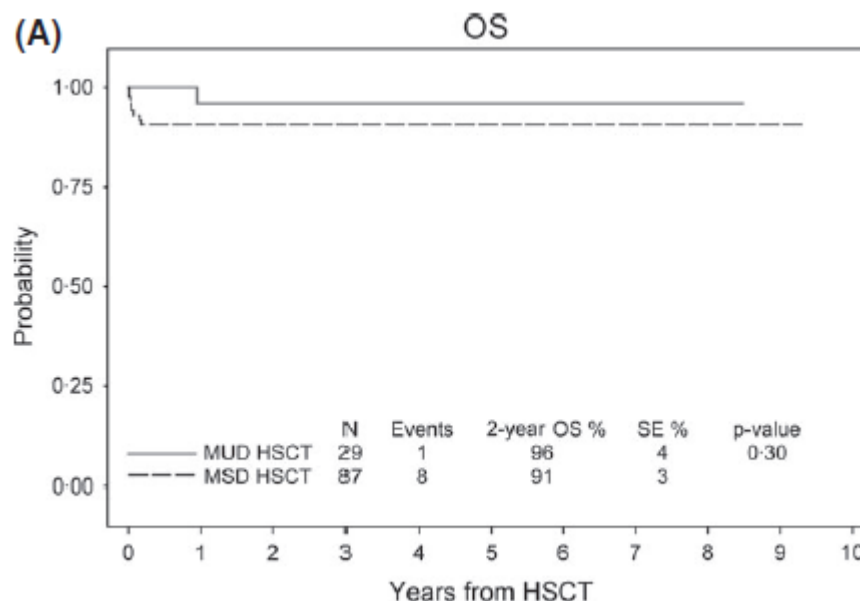
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N=29

Median Age
8 yy (1-19)





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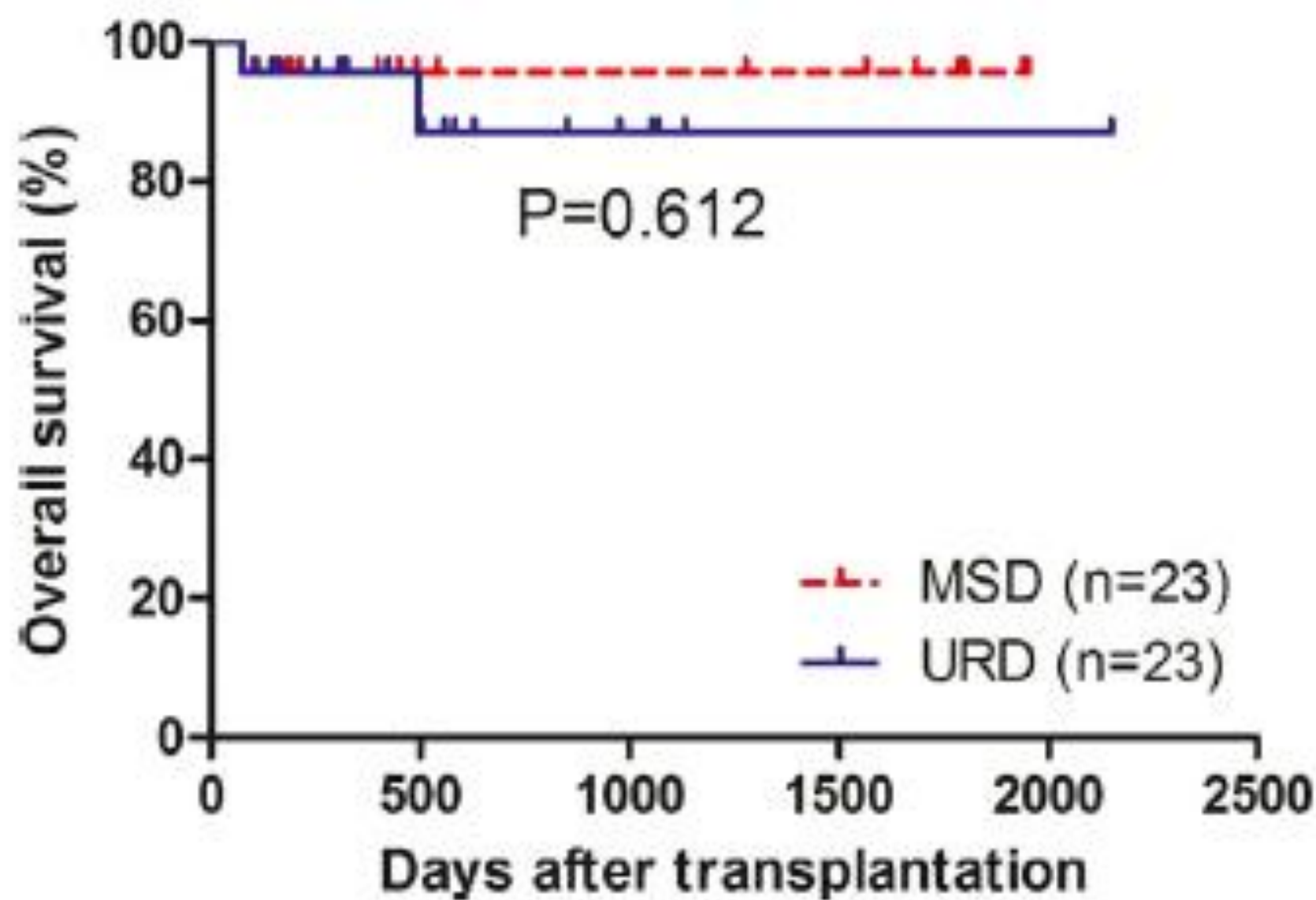
Comparable Outcomes of First-Line Hematopoietic Stem Cell Transplantation from Unrelated and Matched Sibling Donors in Adult Patients with Aplastic Anemia: A Retrospective Single-Center Study

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	MSD	UD
N=	23	23
Age	30 (17-43)	26 (14-49)



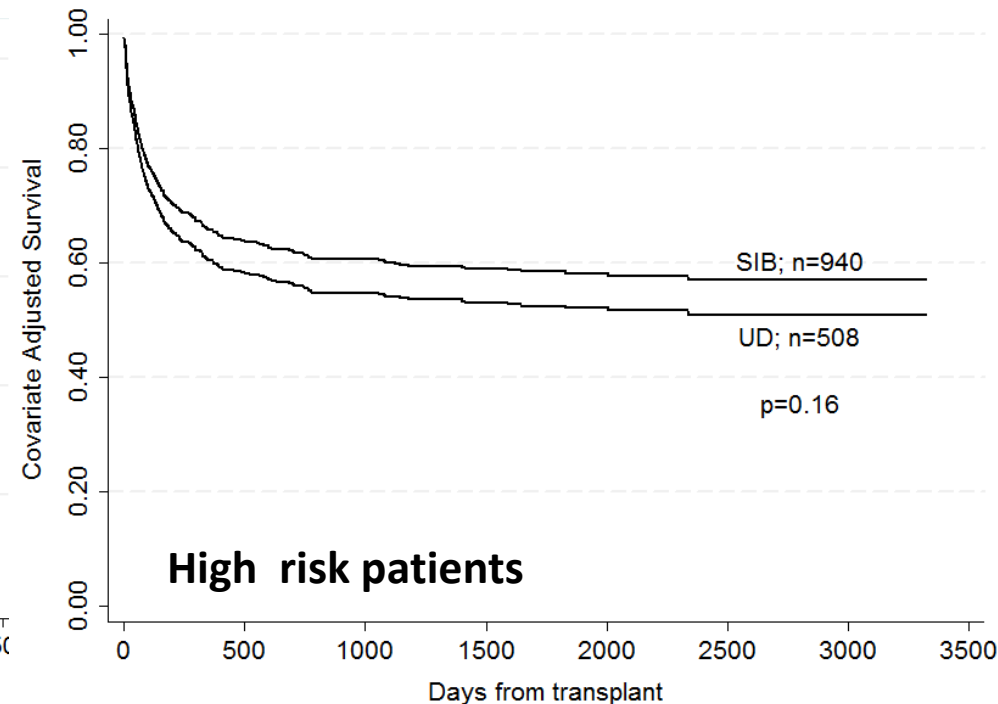
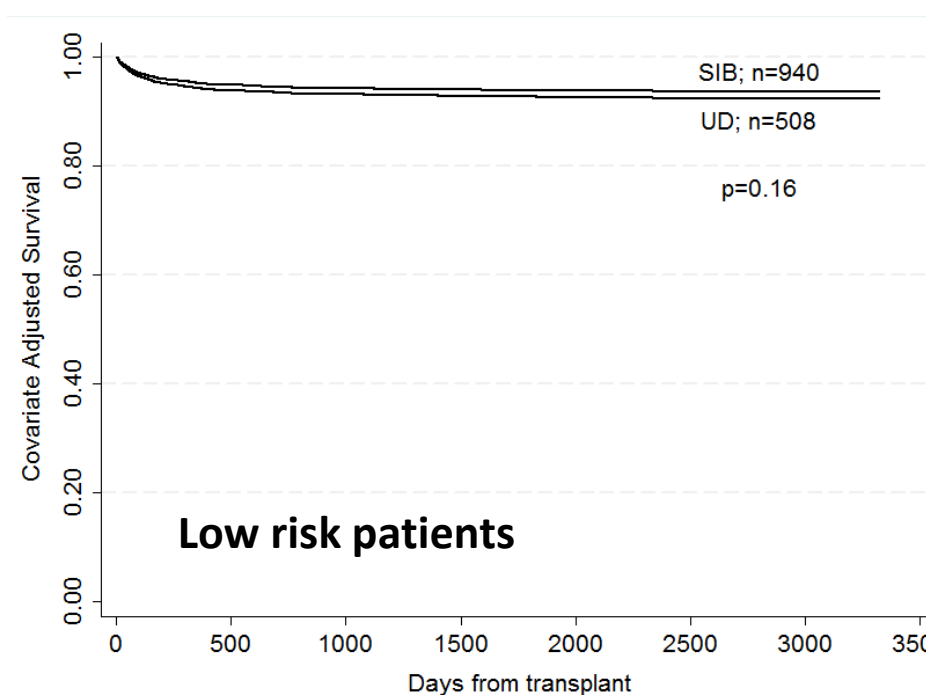
ALLOGENEIC TRANSPLANTS FOR APLASTIC ANEMIA

Haematologica 2015; 100; 696

EBMT analysis 2014:

1448 patients

Adjusted effect of donor type (UD vs SIB) derived from the multivariate analysis
After adjusting for AGE, interval DxTx, use of ATG, use of BM/PB, and CMV status)



**Low risk= age<20; ATG; BM; DxTx <180 dd
CMV D-/R-**

**High risk: Age \geq 20; no ATG; PB; DxTx \geq 180
CMV other than D-/R-**

Fig. 1a Acute II-IV GvHD

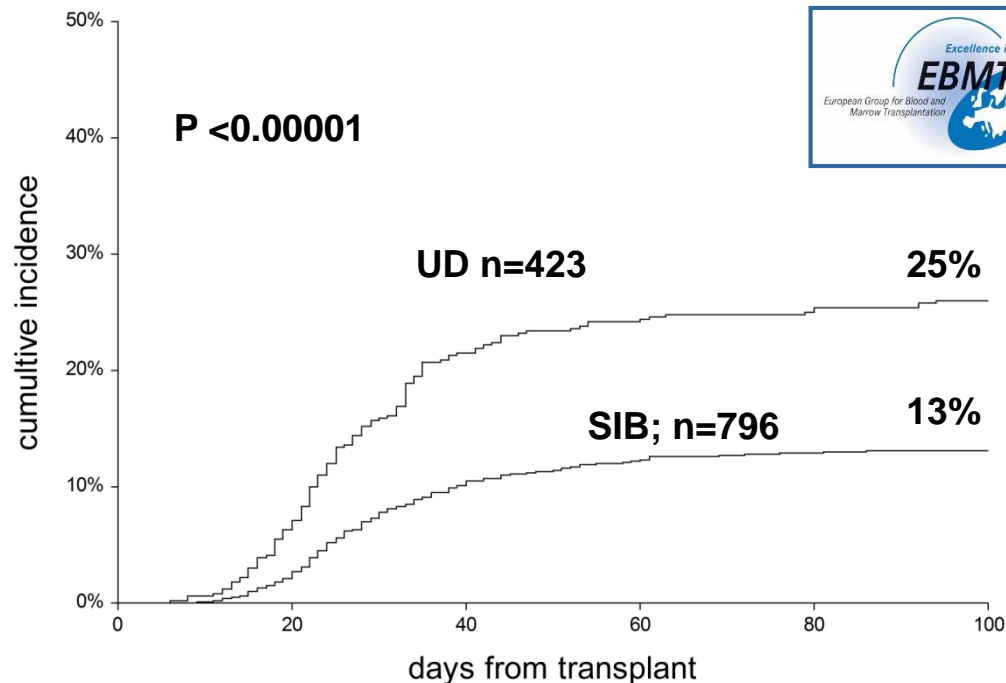
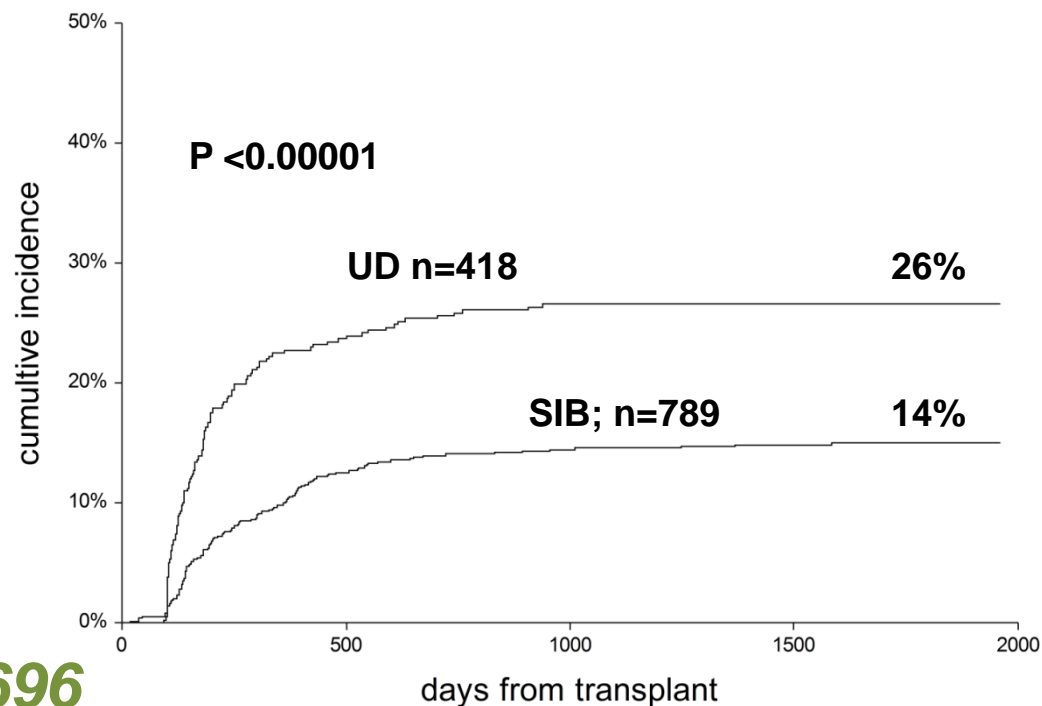


Fig. 1b Chronic GvHD



Prevalence of late effects in SAA patients transplanted 1995-2006 (CIBMTR)



- Increasing number of late effects with longer follow-up
- Unrelated HSCT more late effects than related HSCT
 - GVHD and its treatment more relevant in unrelated HSCT?

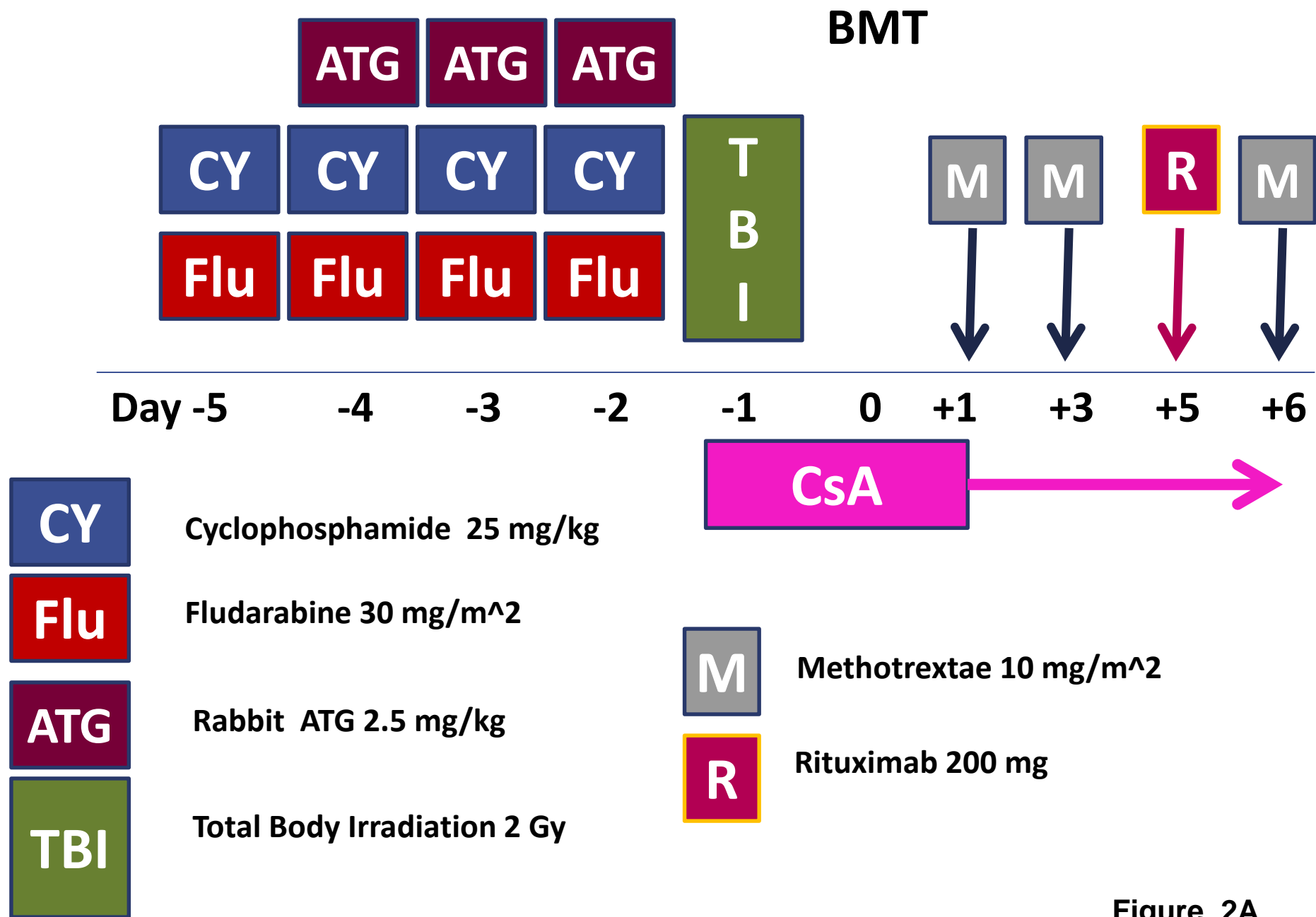
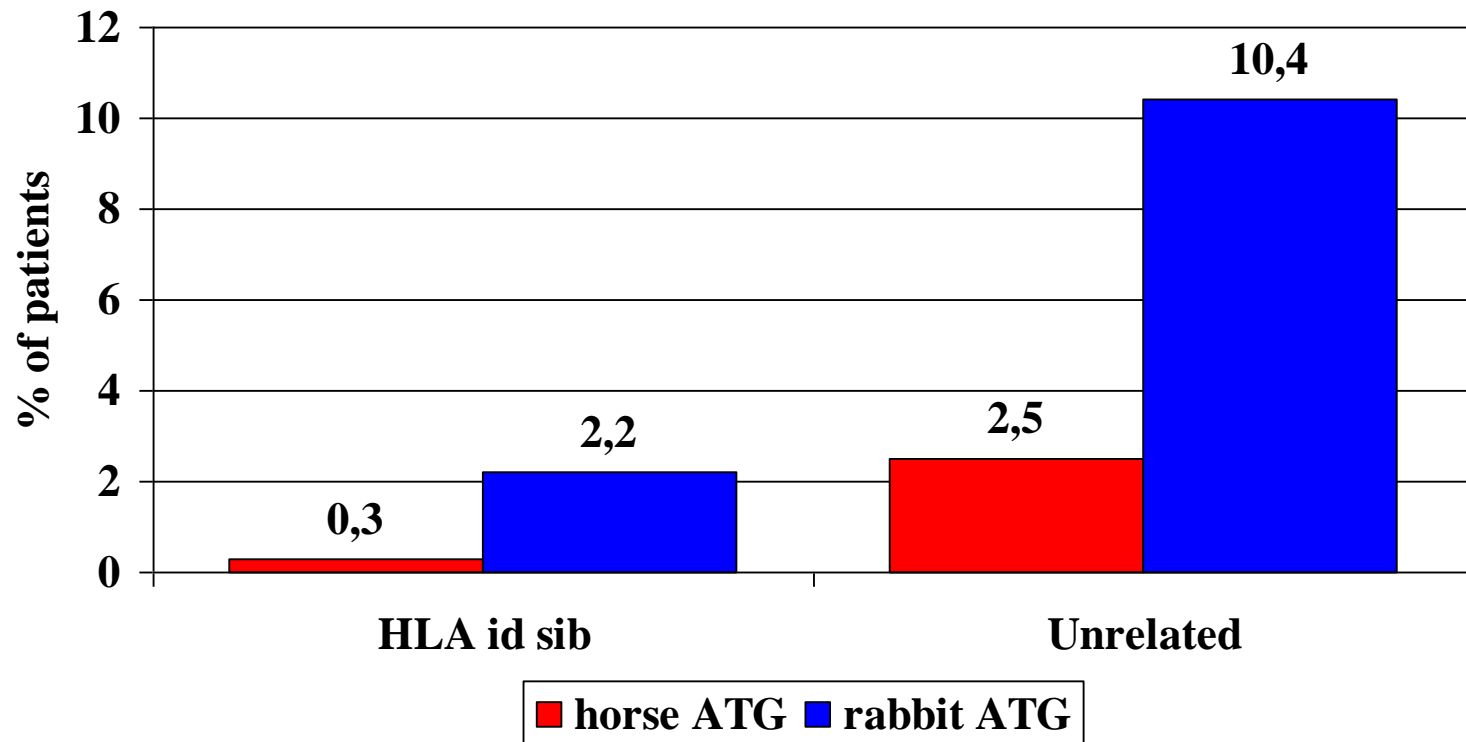


Figure 2A

EBV reactivation after allo-Tx for SAA: CIBMTR , Haematologica 2017



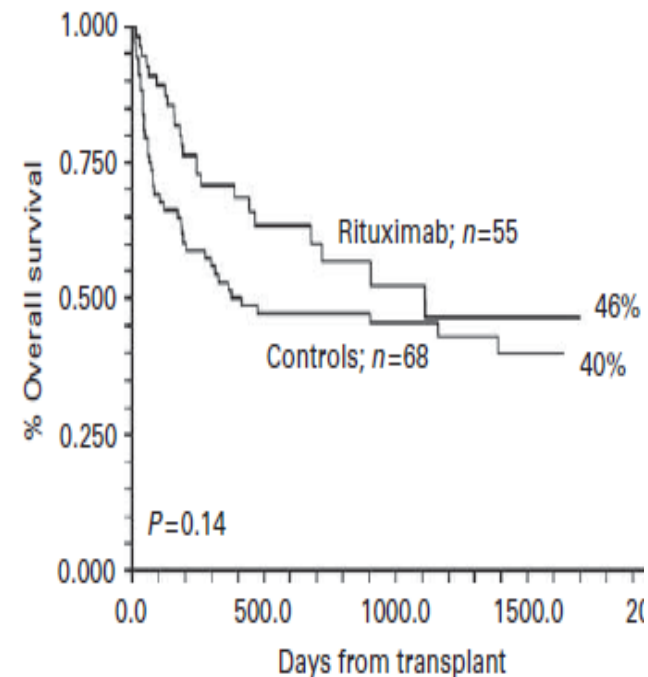
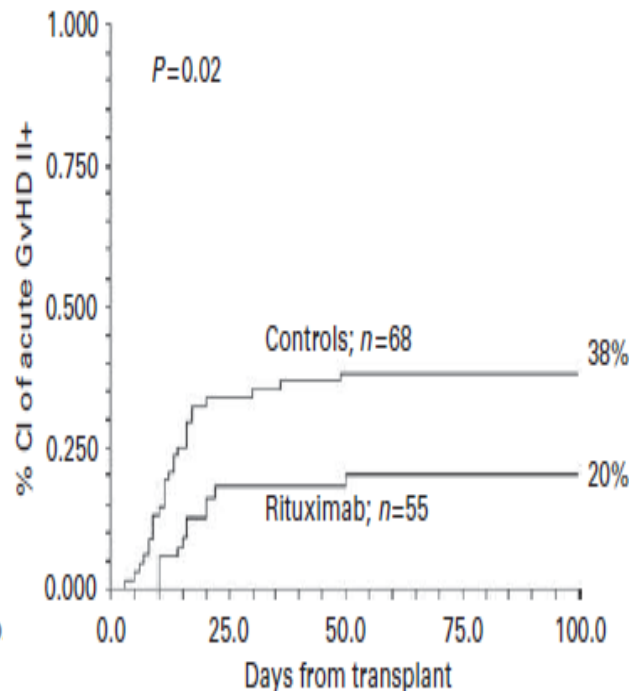
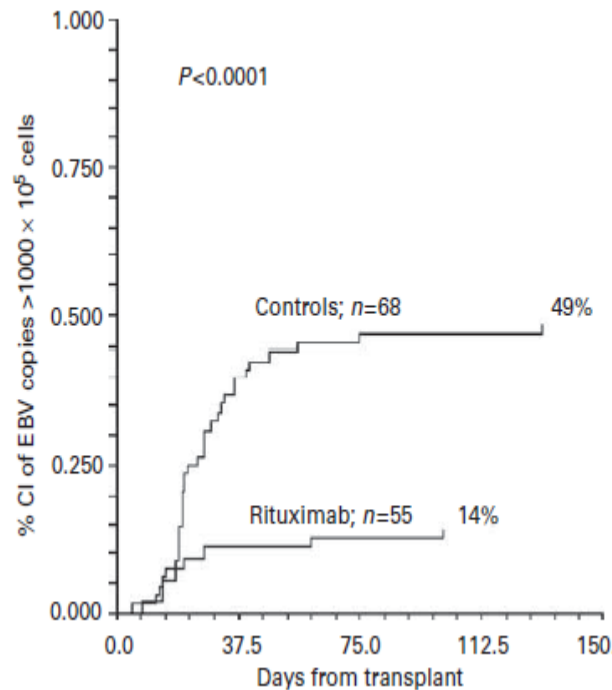
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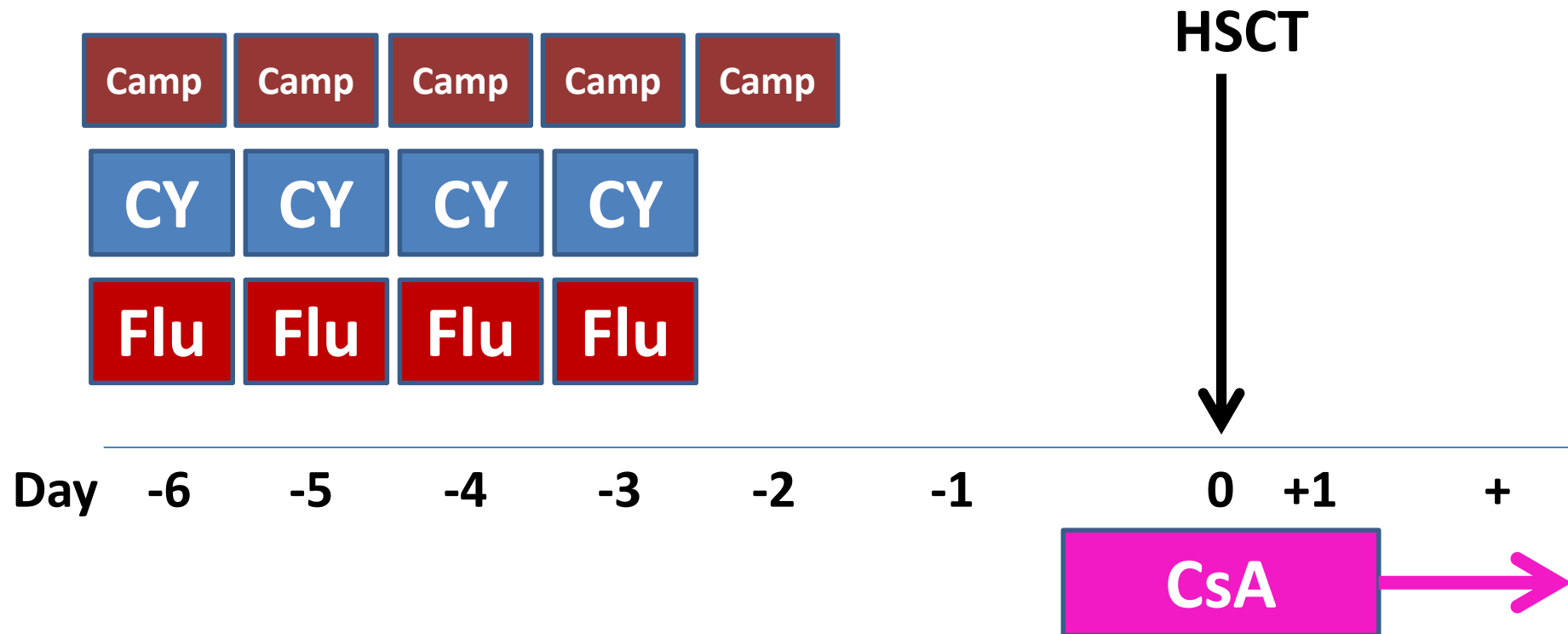
In vivo B-cell depletion with rituximab hemopoietic SCT

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Rituximab
200 mg fixed dose
Day +5





- CY** Cyclophosphamide 300 mg/m²
- Flu** Fludarabine 30 mg/m²
- Camp** CAMPATH 0.2 mg/kg

Figure 3



blood

2011 118: 2351-2357

doi:10.1182/blood-2010-12-327536 originally published
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Alemtuzumab with fludarabine and cyclophosphamide reduces chronic graft-versus-host disease after allogeneic stem cell transplantation for acquired aplastic anemia

Judith C. Marsh, Vikas Gupta, ZiYi Lim, Aloysius Y. Ho, Robin M. Ireland, Janet Hayden, Victoria Potter, Mickey B. Koh, M. Serajul Islam, Nigel Russell, David I. Marks, Ghulam J. Mufti and Antonio Pagliuca

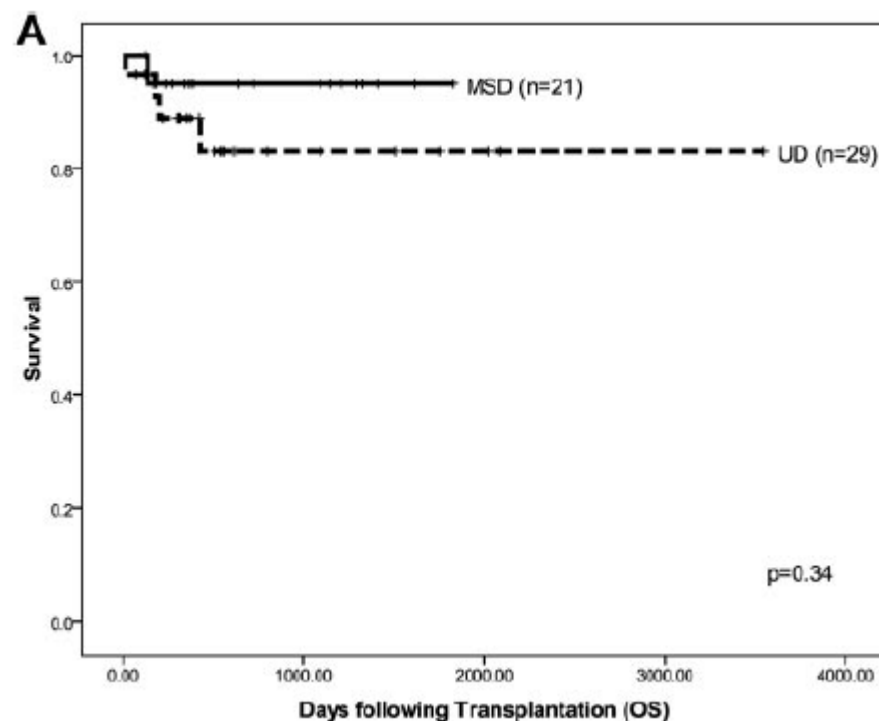
FCC (FLU CY CAMP 100)

UD n=29

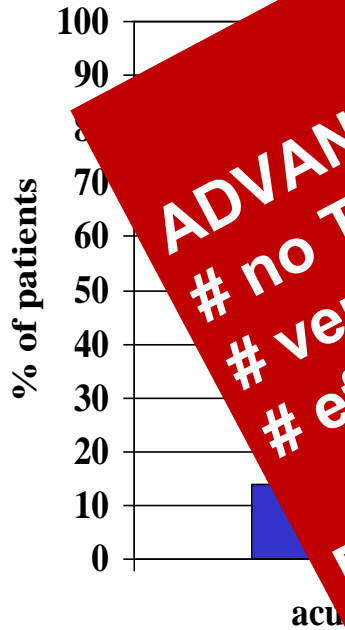
SIB n=21

Age 35 (8-62)

DxTX 6mm (SIB) 10mm (UD)



FCC for aplastic anemia



ADVANTAGES of FCC

- # no TBI (= no sec tum)
- # very little acute and chronic GvHD
- # effective in both SIB and UD Tx

DISADVANTAGES of FCC

- # Campath difficult to get
- # infections
- # mixed chimeris
- # autoimmune cytopenias

Conditioning regimen UD transplants

FLU CY CAMPATH (UK)

**# FLU CY ATG +TBI 2Gy (EBMT-USA-
JAPAN)**

Outcome of UD and SIB transplants For SAA

**Currently almost superimposable
GvHD and late effects
still more frequent in UD TX**

young patients

and older patients >40 years?

and stem cell source?

and UD transplants?

and CB transplants?

Unrelated cord blood transplantation in patients with idiopathic refractory severe aplastic anemia: a nationwide phase 2 study

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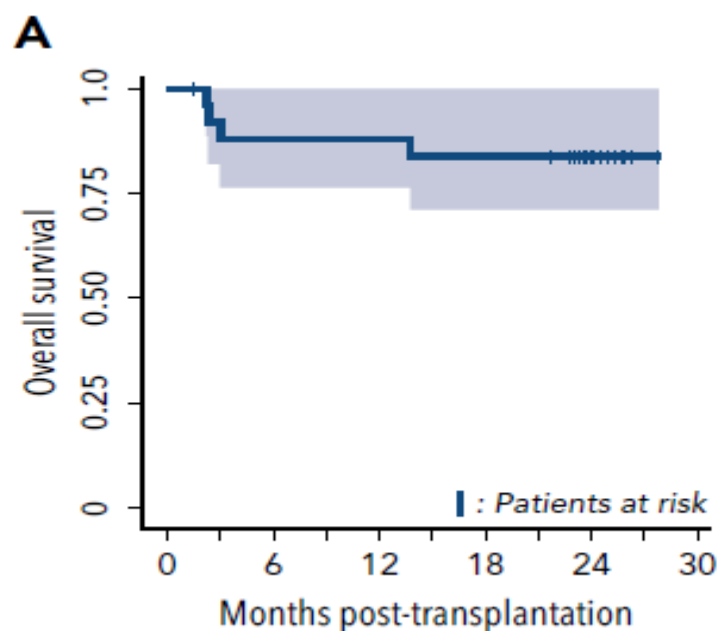
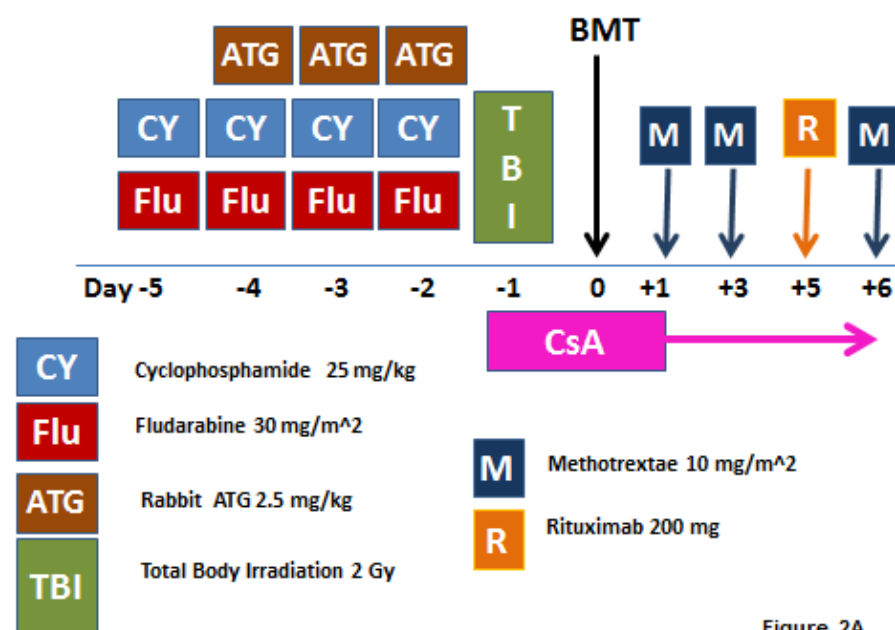


Figure 2A

and Unrelated Transplants?
and older patients >40 years?
and stem cell source?
an UD transplants?
and CB transplants?
HAPLO transplants?

RESEARCH

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Upfront haploidentical transplant for acquired severe aplastic anemia: registry-based comparison with matched related transplant

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158 patients upfront HSCT
2012-2015

89 HAPLO
69 SIB=

Conditioning

HAPLO

SIB

CY
ATG
BU
FLU

50mg/kg x4
2.5 mg/kgx4
3.2 mg/kgx4

50 mg/kgx2
2.5 mg/kgx4

30 mg/m²X4

Table 1 Patient and graft characteristics

Variable	Haploidentical <i>N</i> = 89	Matched related <i>N</i> = 69	<i>P</i>
Age (years), median (range)	22 (4–51)	33 (7–61)	<0.001
Children, no. (%)	33 (37.1%)	7 (10.1%)	<0.001
Adult, no. (%)	56 (62.9%)	62 (89.9%)	
Median follow-up among alive patients, mo. (range)	21.4 (7.1–47.6)	26.0 (7.5–47.6)	0.258
Neutrophil engraftment, median (range)	12 (9–20)	11 (8–19)	0.151
Platelet engraftment, median (range)	15 (6–91)	14 (7–36)	0.484

TRM

6%

8%

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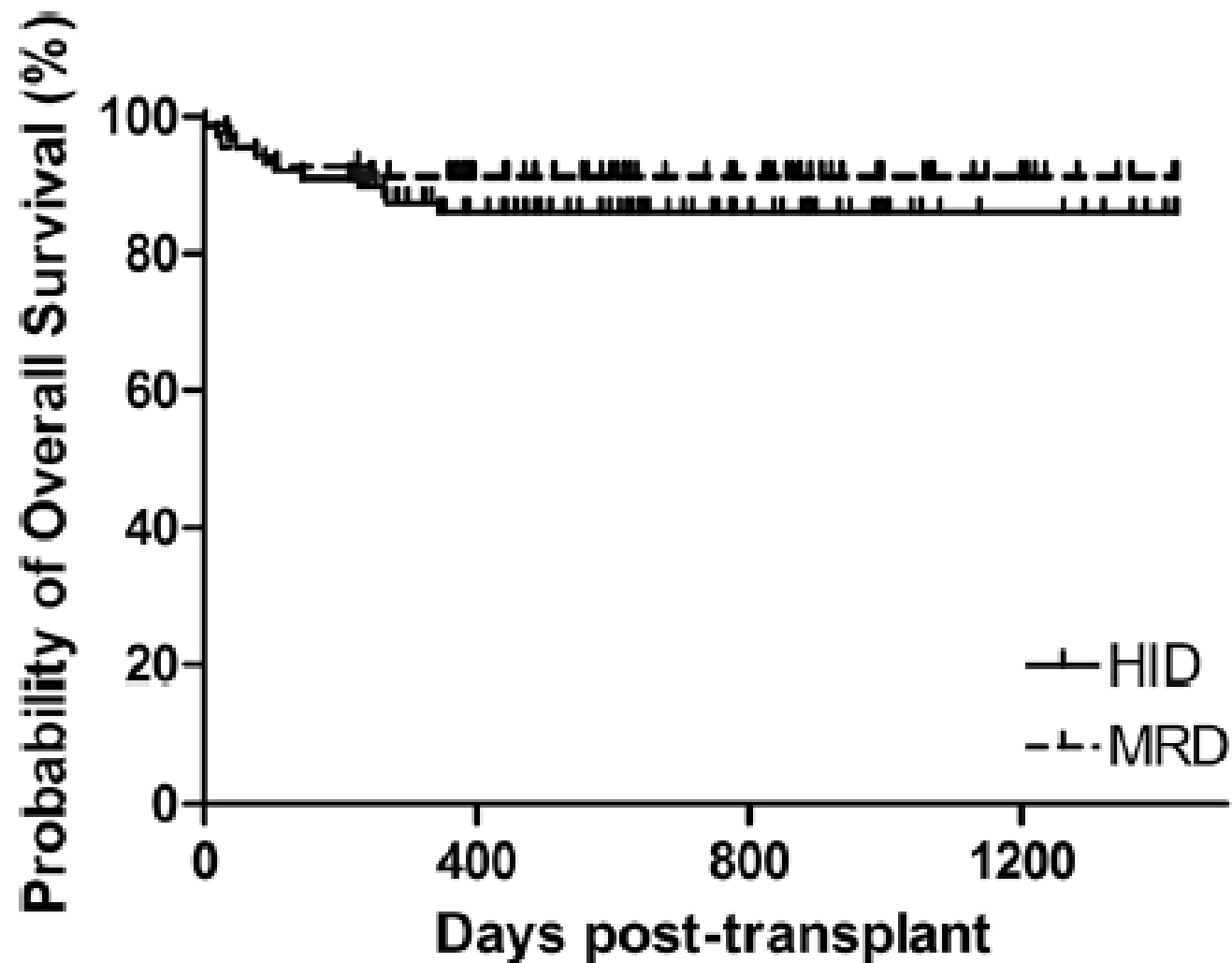
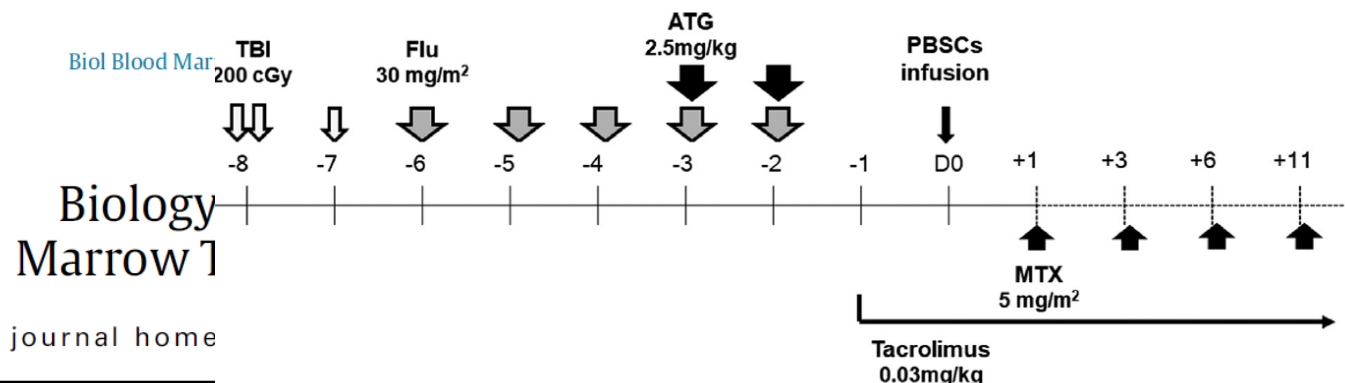


Fig. 2 Overall survival of two cohorts: HID, 3-year OS of $86.1\% \pm 3.7\%$; MRD, 3-year OS of $91.3\% \pm 3.4\%$ ($P = 0.358$)



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Haploidentical

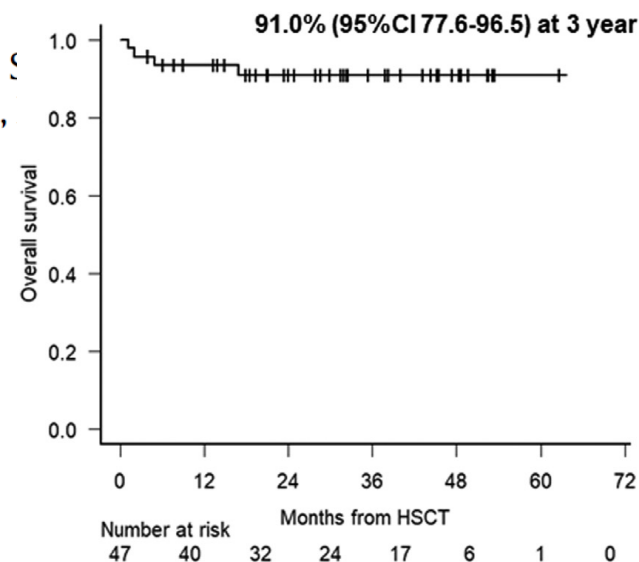
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47 pts age 36 (17-61)

3 yy OS 91%



HAPLO

amazing results from the Chinese/Korean group with survival over 80% in young adults - same thoughts as after the 2006 Blood publication showing same outcome of HAPLO and SIBS.

and the Baltimore platform?



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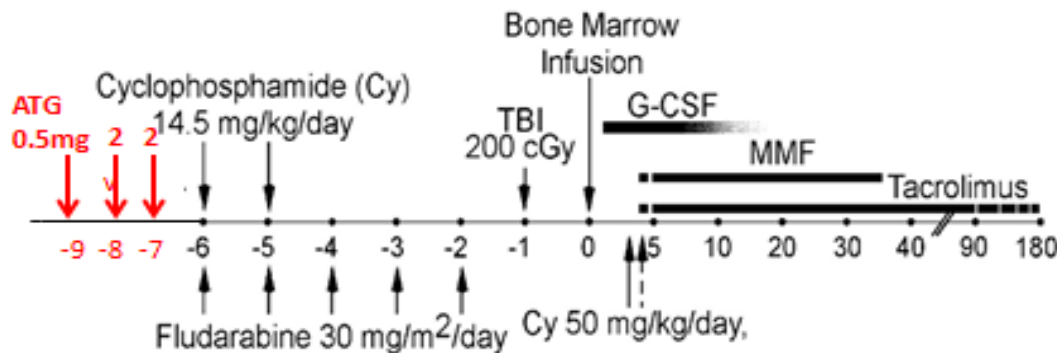
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Alternative Donor Transplantation with High-Dose Post-Transplantation Cyclophosphamide for Refractory Severe Aplastic Anemia

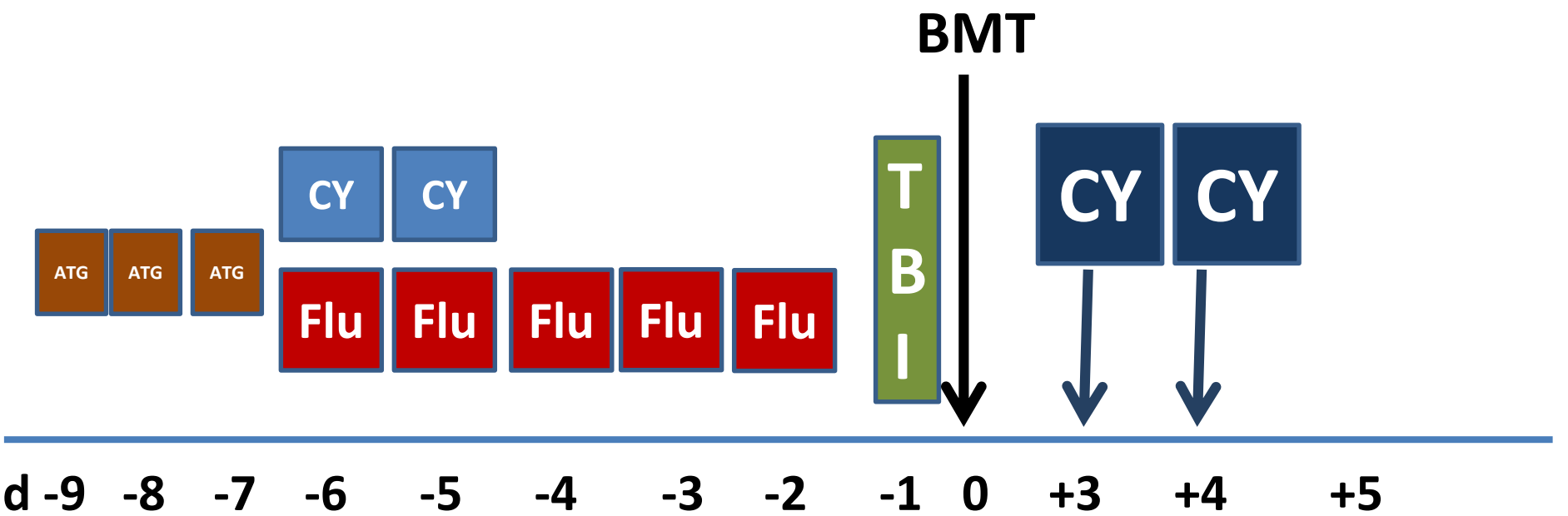


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Patients = 16
13 HAPLO 3 UD
Median age 30 (13-69)

Survival 16/16



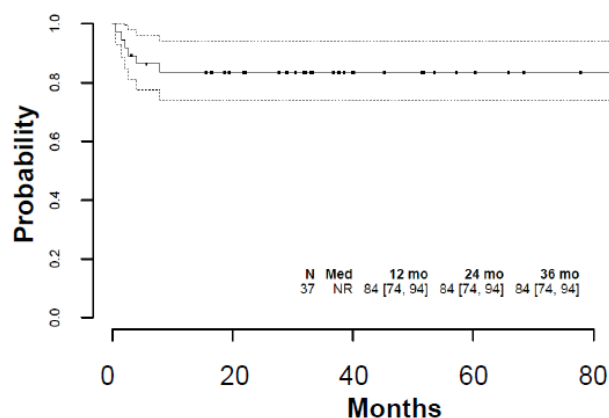
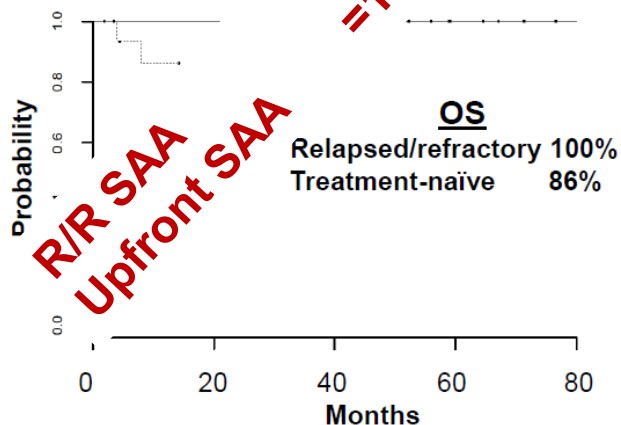
CY	Cyclophosphamide 14.5 mg/kg	
Flu	Fludarabine 30 mg/m ²	
ATG	Rabbit ATG 0.5-2 -2 mg/kg	
TBI	Total Body Irradiation 2 Gy	
		MMF Mycophenolate 30 mg/kg
		CY Cyclophosphamide 50 mg/kg

Non-myeloablative transplantation with post-transplant cyclophosphamide for Severe Aplastic Anemia

Tracking no: ADV-2020-001729-T

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Impact of CD34 Cell Dose and Conditioning Regimen on Outcomes after Haploidentical Donor Hematopoietic Stem Cell Transplantation with Post-Transplantation Cyclophosphamide for Relapsed/Refractory Severe Aplastic Anemia

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N= 87 HAPLO Tx for SAA
BRASIL

Heavily transfused

All pts had failed IST

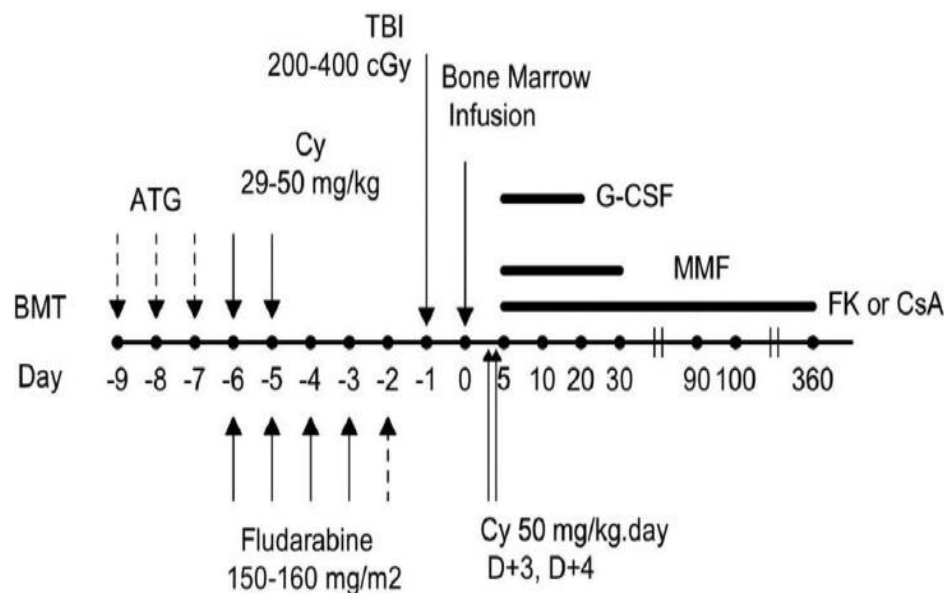
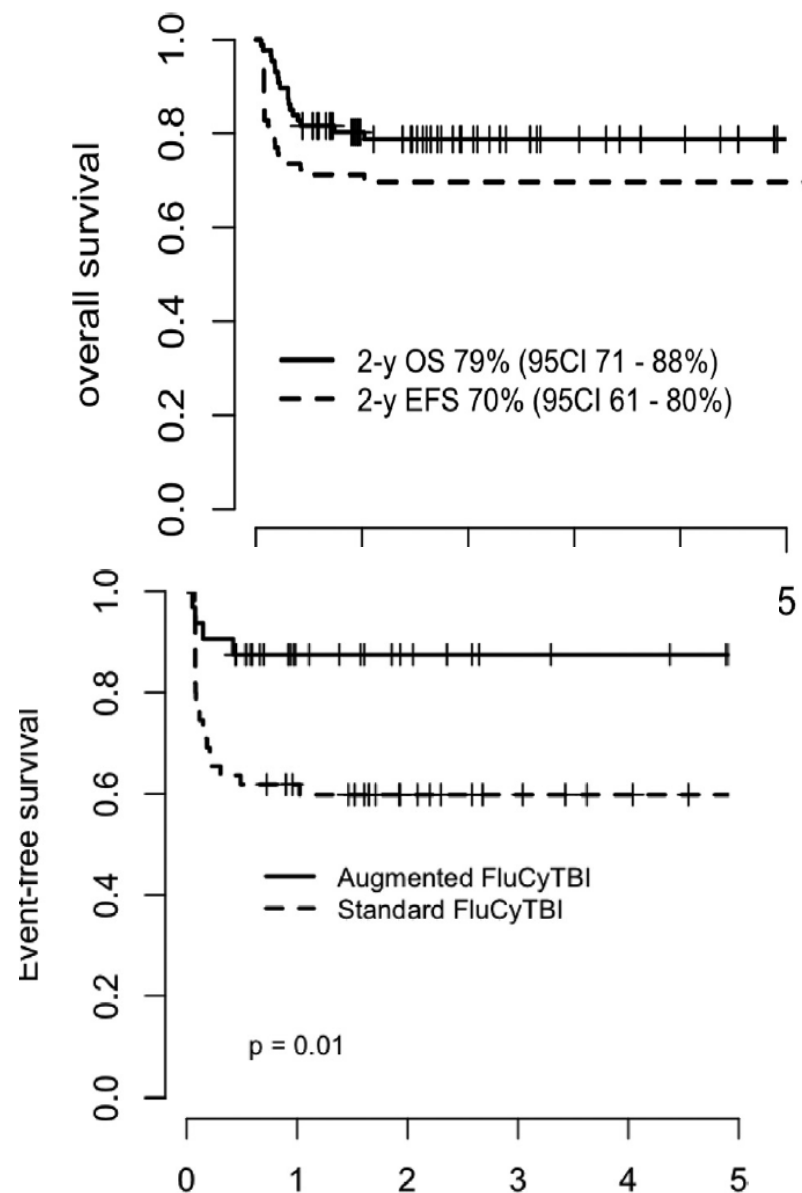


Figure 1. Conditioning regimens and GVHD prophylaxis.



The Baltimore protocol

excellent for HAPLO; results confirmed in Curitiba

if we can control GvHD and rejection in a HLA HAPLO setting, why not use it in an HLA= setting?

possibly the new platform for UD TX



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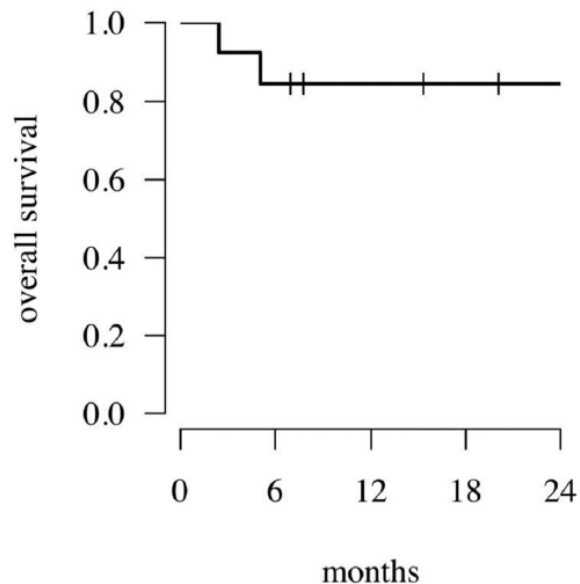


Brief Articles

A Case Series of Post-Transplantation Cyclophosphamide in Unrelated Donor Hematopoietic Cell Transplantation for Aplastic Anemia



Leonardo Javier Arcuri^{1,*}, Samir Kanaan Nabhan², Gisele Loth², Elias Hallack Atta¹, Michel Oliveira², Samantha Nichele², Renato de Castro Araujo¹, Carmem Bonfim²



13 patients; all pts engrafted
2 died infections
11 surviving

SAA – BMT : Have we made progress?

YES

more donor types

more transplant platforms

better supportive care

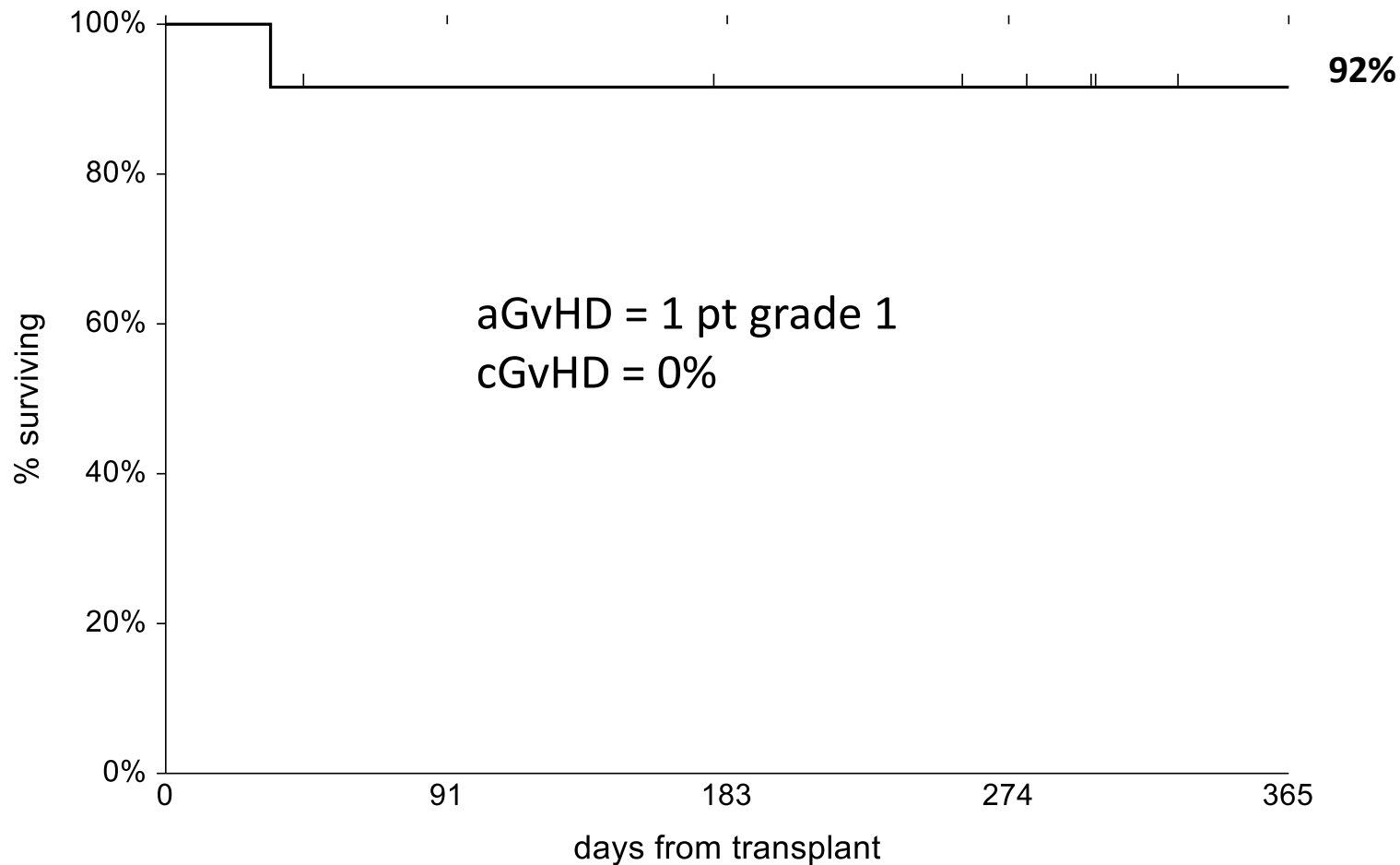
SAA – BMT : Have we made progress?

NO

in older patients >40 >50 >60

**we need to test the Baltimore
platform (ATG+PTCY) in older patients
receiving HLA matched or mismatched
grafts**

ATG-FLU-CY-TBI200 /PTCY CSA MMF: Protocol DZ for SAA: UD / HAPLO/eld SIB; n=12



Thank you

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