



# **La radioterapia stereotassica ablativa: addome-pelvi Metastasi epatiche**

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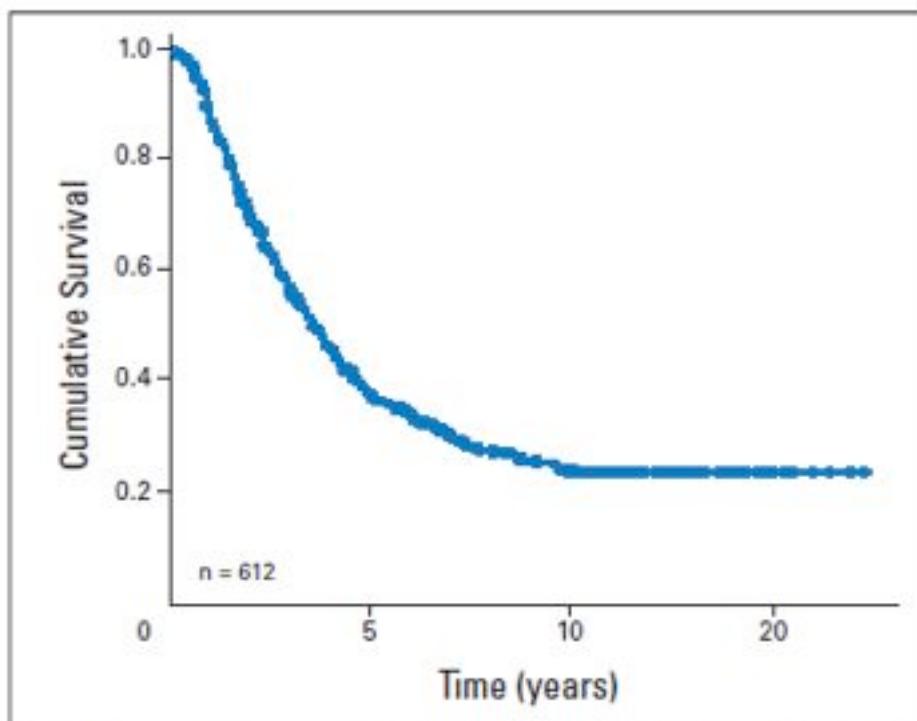
# Background

- Early diagnosis of metastatic disease is improved and prevalence of oligometastatic patients is increasing
- The liver is a common site of metastases for gastrointestinal, lung and breast cancers
- In colorectal cancer 30% to 70% of patients will develop liver metastases, often isolated or associated with limited metastatic foci of disease.

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Hoyer, I. J. Rad Onc Biol Phys, 2012

# CRC Liver metastases treatment: Surgery

- The introduction of modern chemotherapy regimens has improved the PFS and only minimally the OS, with a limited local control of disease
- Surgical resection of CRC liver metastases improves overall survival



**Fig 1.** Kaplan-Meier plot of disease-specific survival for 612 patients with potential 10-year follow-up who underwent resection of colorectal liver metastases from 1985 to 1994 at Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center.

- 1 year rates of 90-95%
- 5-year rates of 30-60%
- median OS of 40-53 months

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# CRC Liver metastases treatment: Surgery

## Clinical Score for Predicting Recurrence After Hepatic Resection for Metastatic Colorectal Cancer Analysis of 1001 Consecutive Cases

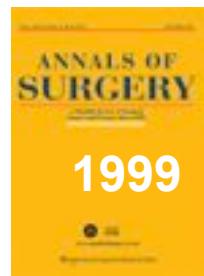


Table 3. UNIVARIATE PREDICTORS OF ADVERSE OUTCOME

	No. of Patients	5-yr Survival (%)	Median Survival (mo)	p
Overall	1001			
Gender				
Male	581			
Female	420			
Age				
<70	802			
>70	199			
Primary tumor				
Node-negative	405			
Node-positive	596			
Primary site				
Colon	743			
Rectum	258			
Disease-free interval				
<12 mo	488			
>12 mo	513			
Carcinoembryonic antigen				
<200 ng/ml	793			
>200 ng/ml	85			
Number of tumors				
1	491			
>1	510			
Largest tumor size				
<5	556			
>5	445			
Tumor distribution				
Unilobar	603			
Bilobar	398			
Extent of resection				
Less than lobectomy	370			
Lobectomy or more	631			
Resection margin				
Negative	895			
Positive	106			
Extrahepatic disease				
No	913			
Yes	88			
Blood loss >2000 cc				
No	884	18	29	0.03
Yes	117	36	43	
		32	35	

Table 4. MULTIVARIATE PREDICTORS OF RECURRENCE

	Hazard	Coefficient	p
Positive margin	1.7	0.5	0.004
Extrahepatic disease	1.7	0.5	0.003
>1 tumor	1.5	0.4	0.0004
Carcinoembryonic antigen	1.5	0.4	0.01
>200 ng/ml			
Size >5 cm	1.4	0.3	0.01
Node-positive primary	1.3	0.28	0.02
Disease-free interval <12 months	1.3	0.25	0.03
months			
Bilateral tumor	0.9	-0.1	0.4

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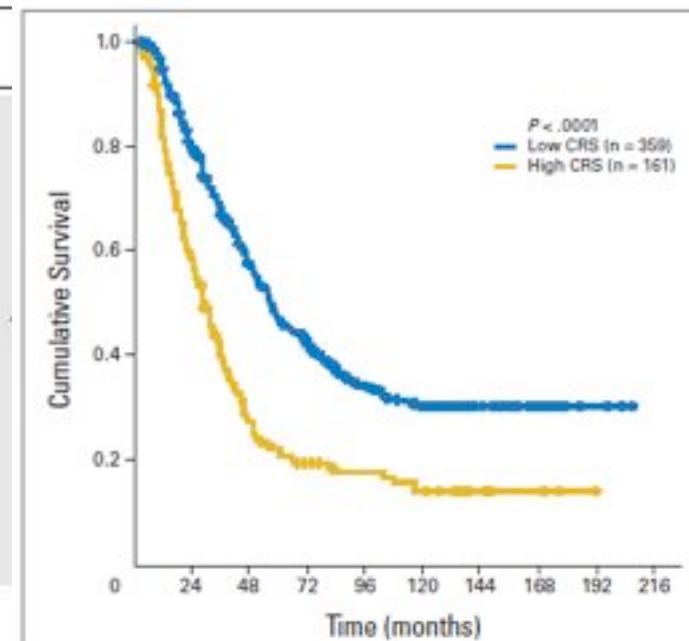


## Actual 10-Year Survival After Resection of Colorectal Liver Metastases Defines Cure

James S. Tomlinson, William R. Jarnagin, Ronald P. DeMatteo, Yuman Fong, Peter Kornprat, Mithat Gonen, Nancy Kemeny, Murray F. Brennan, Leslie H. Blumgart, and Michael D'Angelica

**Table 2.** Comparison of Prognostic Factors Among Survival Cohorts

Factor	< 2-Year Survival* (n = 175)		2- to 5-Year Survival* (n = 189)		5- to 10-Year Survival* (n = 73)		> 10-Year Survival (n = 102)	
	No. of Patients	%	No. of Patients	%	No. of Patients	%	No. of Patients	%
<b>Preoperative</b>								
Synchronous disease	23	13	20	11	4			
Node-positive primary†	111	63	101	53	38			
Preoperative CEA > 200 ng/mL†	28	16	21	11	6			
DFI < 12 months†	89	51	86	46	26			
No. of hepatic tumors > 1†	103	59	96	51	23			
Median		2		2				
1	72	41	90	48	50			
2	41	23	50	27	12			
3	22	13	15	8	3			
≥ 4	40	23	31	16	8			
Size of hepatic tumor > 5 cm†	92	53	78	41	30			
Median size of largest hepatic tumor, cm	5		4		4			
<b>Postoperative</b>								
Margin positive	35	20	18	10	6			
Resection ≥ hemihepatectomy	109	62	114	60	44			
Bilateral resection	80	46	55	29	21			



**Fig 2.** Kaplan-Meier plots of disease-specific survival stratified by low-risk clinical risk score (CRS; top curve) and high-risk CRS (bottom curve).

# Non-CRC Liver metastases treatment

- The role of non-CRC liver metastases ablation was often controversial

Only neuroendocrine metastases subgroup had a better prognosis

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## Hepatic Resection for Noncolorectal Nonendocrine Liver Metastases

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# Non-CRC Liver metastases treatment

**TABLE 2.** Five-Year and Median Survivals for Patients With Colorectal Nonendocrine Liver Metastases From Individual Primary Tumor Sites Grouped by Favorable (Group 1), Intermediate (Group 2), and Poor Outcomes (Group 3)

Study Population	No.	5-Year Survival (%)	Median Survival (mo)
All patients	1452	36	35
Group 1: 5-yr survival >30%			
Adrenal	28	66	63
Testicular	78	51	82
Ovarian	65	50	98
Small bowel	28	49	58
Ampullary	15	46	38
Breast	454	41	45
Unknown	28	38	30
Renal	85	38	36
Uterine	43	35	32
Group 2: 5-yr survival 15%–30%			
Gastric adenocarcinoma	64	27	15
Exocrine pancreatic	40	25	20
Cutaneous melanoma	44	22	27
Choroid melanoma	104	21	19
Duodenal	12	21	34
Group 3: 5-yr survival <15%			
Gastroesophageal junction	25	12	14
Pulmonary	32	8	16
Esophageal	20	32*	16
Head and neck	15	24*	18

# Non-CRC Liver metastases treatment

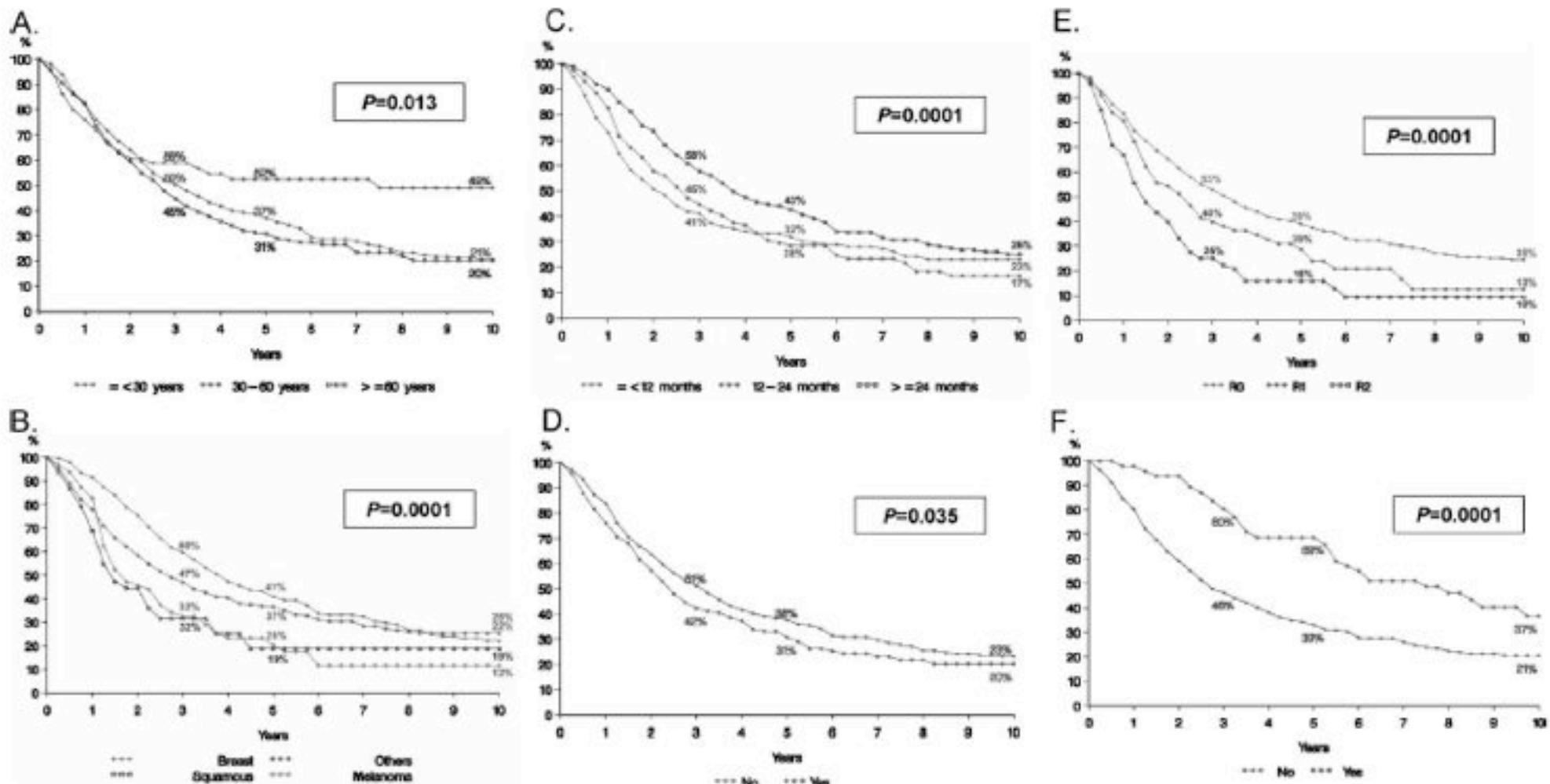


FIGURE 3. Survivals for individual prognostic factors based on univariate and multivariate analysis. A, Age. B, Primary tumor site and histology. C, Disease-free interval from treatment of primary tumor to diagnosis of liver metastases. D, Extrahepatic disease. E, Resection margin. F, Repeat hepatectomy for hepatic recurrence.

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treatments. In current practice, liver surgery for noncolorectal nonendocrine metastases should be considered only when the metastatic disease is well controlled or responding to systemic therapy. When applied in these situations, surgery may be able to offer selected patients a real benefit in long-term survival.

# Liver metastases treatment: RFA

- Only 10-60% of patients were suitable to surgical resection because of
  - technical difficulties
  - unfavourable tumour factors
  - patients co-morbidities

**Table 2.** Contraindications to hepatic resection in patients with colorectal cancer liver metastases

Category	Contraindication
Technical (A)	
1. Absolute	Impossibility of R0 resection with $\geq 25\%-30\%$ liver remnant Presence of unresectable extrahepatic disease
2. Relative	R0 resection possible only with complex procedure (portal vein embolization, two-stage hepatectomy, hepatectomy combined with ablation <sup>a</sup> ) R1 resection
Oncological (B)	
1.	Concomitant extrahepatic disease (resectable)
2.	Number of lesions $\geq 5$
3.	Tumor progression

Any patient should be categorized as A1 or A2/B1, B2, or B3. This classification may help to clearly define the type of unresectable patients included in all clinical trials.

<sup>a</sup>Includes all methods, including radiofrequency ablation.

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# Liver metastases treatment: RFA

- **Radiofrequency ablation (RFA) is the most valid alternative to surgery:**
  - local control rates of 90-98%
  - 1, 2 and 5-year survival rates of 87%-70% and 34%,
  - median overall survival of 25 months

- **Limits:**
  - lesions higher than 3 cm of diameter
  - lesions located in proximity of major blood vessels, main biliary tract, gallbladder or just beneath the diaphragm



Kemeny N. et al, Oncology 2006  
Shen A et al, J Gastroenterol Hepatol. 2013

# Liver metastases treatment: is there an alternative?

- Which effective, safe and non invasive alternative therapeutic option for 60-80% of oligometastatic patients unsuitable to locally ablative therapy of liver metastases?

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# Liver metastases treatment: RT could be an alternative?

The **liver tissue low tolerance to irradiation** involves the risk of the radiation-induced liver disease

According to the radiobiological model and the liver **parallel architecture**....

Song, Choi et al, IJROBP 2010

Tai et al, IJROBP 2009 - Sawrie et al, Cancer Control 2010

Pan CC, Kavanagh BD, Dawson LA, IJROBP, 2010 (suppl)

**RILD** (2 weeks to 4 months after RT)

- anicteric ascites
- elevation of alkaline phosphatase and liver transaminases
- liver failure
- death

... The risk of RILD is proportional to the **mean radiation dose** delivered to normal liver tissue

...It should be possible the safely liver irradiation with adequate dose constraints for normal liver (**minimum volume of 700mL should receive a total dose less than 15 Gy**)

# SBRT on Liver metastases: prospective trials

**Table 1** Prospective clinical trials in the literature studying stereotactic ablative radiotherapy in liver metastases and their results

Ref.	Design	No of patients	Tumor size	SABR dose	Toxicity	Outcomes
Scorsetti <i>et al</i> <sup>[15]</sup>	Phase II (preliminary report)	61 (76 tumors)	1.8-134.3 cm <sup>3</sup> (mean 18.6 cm <sup>3</sup> )	75 Gy in 3 fractions	No case of RILD. Twenty-six percent had grade 2 transaminase increase (normalised in 3 mo). Grade 2 fatigue	1-yr LC94, 22-mo LC 90.6%
Goodman <i>et al</i> <sup>[16]</sup>	Phase I (HCC and liver mets)		(median, 32.6 mL)	18-30 Gy (1 fr)	4 cases of Grade 2 late toxicity (2 GI, 2 soft tissue/rib)	1-yr local failure, 3% toxicity
Ambrosino <i>et al</i> <sup>[17]</sup>	Prospective cohort	27	20-165 mL (median, 69 mL)	25-60 Gy (3 fr)	No serious toxicity	Crude LC rate 74%
Lee <i>et al</i> <sup>[18]</sup>	Phase I - II	68	1.2-3090 mL (median, 75.9 mL)	Individualized dose, 27.7-60 Gy (6 fr)	No RILD, 10% Grade 3/4 acute toxicity	1-yr LC, 71% Median survival, 17.6 mo
Rusthoven <i>et al</i> <sup>[19]</sup>	Phase I - II	47	0.75-97.98 mL (median, 14.93 mL)	Dose escalation, 36-60 Gy (3 fr)	No Grade 3/4 late toxicity	1-yr LC, 95% 2-yr LC, 92%
Hoyer <i>et al</i> <sup>[20]</sup>	Phase II (CRC oligometastases)	64 (44 liver mets)	1-8.8 cm (median, 3.5 cm)	45 Gy (3 fr)	One liver failure, two severe late GI Toxicities	Median survival, 20.5 mo 2-yr LC, 79% (by tumor) and 64% (by patient)
Méndez Romero <i>et al</i> <sup>[20]</sup>	Phase I - II (HCC and mets)	25 (17 liver mets)	1.1-322 mL (median, 22.2 mL)	30-37.5 Gy (3 fr)	Two Grade 3 liver toxicities	2-yr LC, 86% 2-yr OS, 62%
Herfarth <i>et al</i> <sup>[21]</sup>	Phase I - II	35	1-132 mL (median, 10 mL)	Dose escalation, 14-26 Gy (1 fr)	No significant toxicity reported	1-yr LC, 71% 18-mo LC, 67% 1-yr OS, 72%

significant heterogeneity

# SBRT on Liver metastases: significant heterogeneity

## ***Patients selection:***

- Colorectal, breast and lung cancer
- Number less than 5
- Maximum tumor size of 6 cm.
- Good performance status
- Absence or stable extrahepatic disease
- Adequate hepatic volume and function

## ***Dose prescription:***

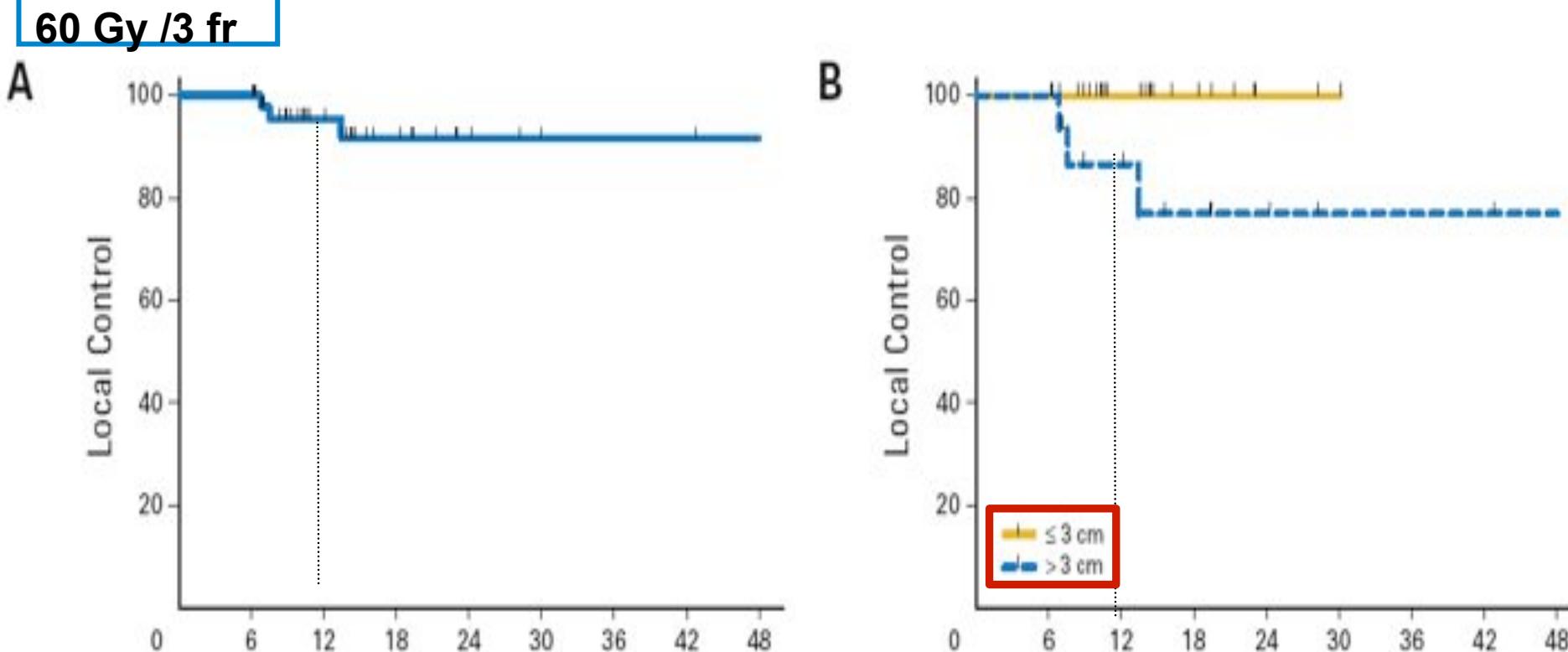
- Ranged from 14-30 Gy in 1 fraction
- Ranged from 25 to 60 Gy in 3-6 fractions

## ***Outcomes:***

- 1-year LC 70-100%; 2-years LC 60% to 90%
- 1-year OS 70-80%; 2-years OS 30-73%
- Toxicity ≥ G3 1 - 10%; incidence of RILD less than 1%.

# SBRT on Liver metastases: dose and local control

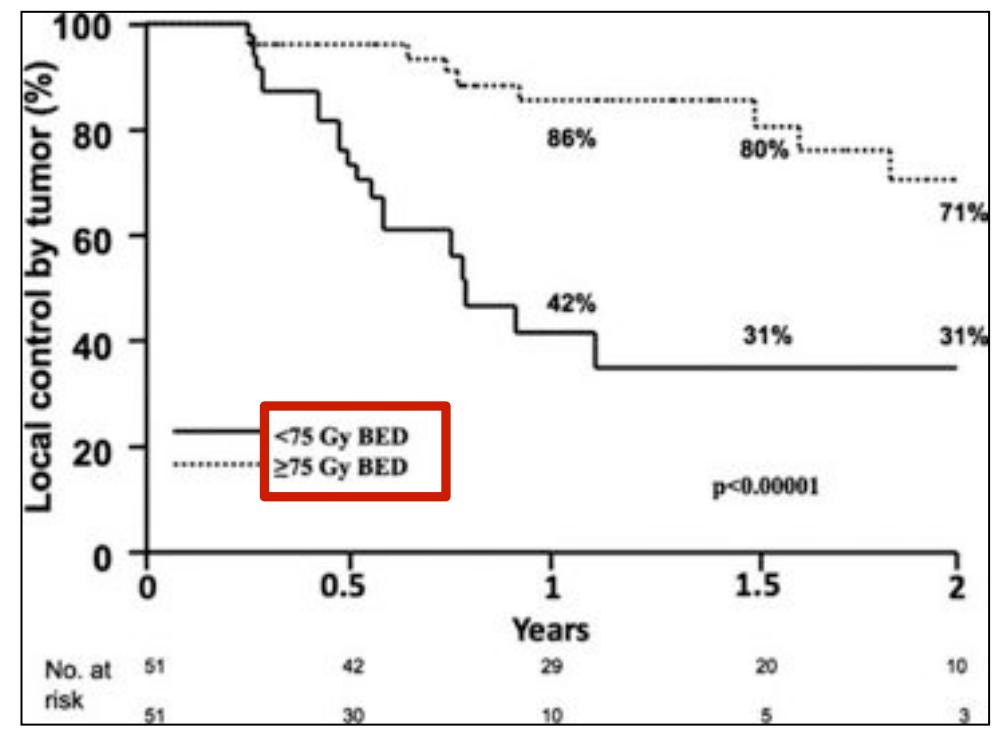
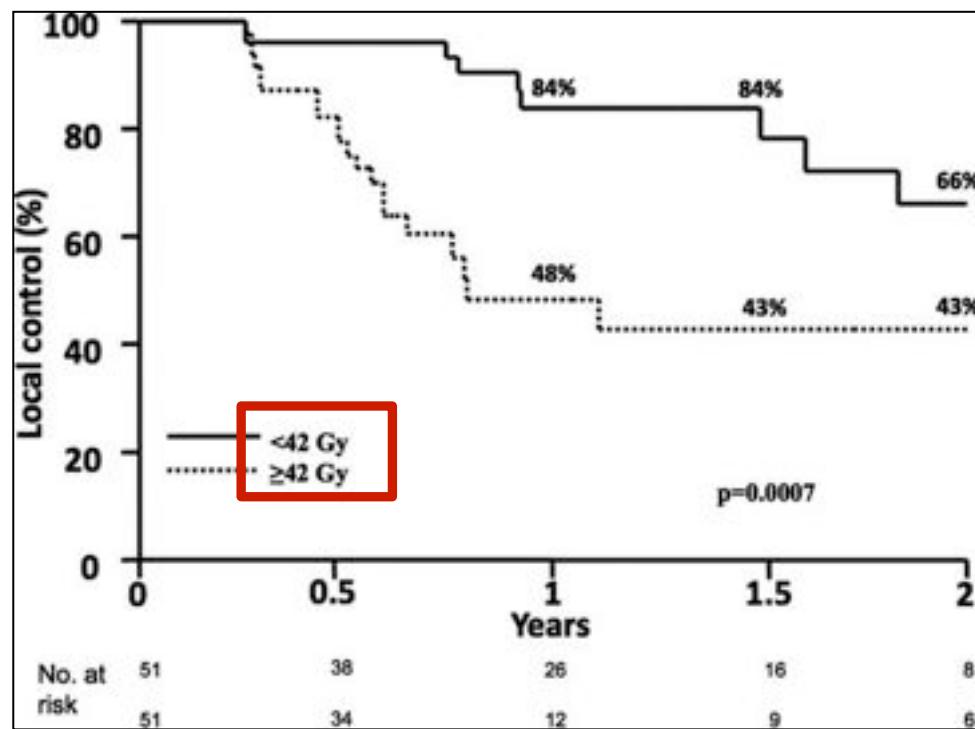
## Correlation between dose prescription and tumor size



For lesion diameter  $> 3\text{cm}$ , a prescription dose of  $>60 \text{ Gy}$  should be considered.

# SBRT on Liver metastases: dose and local control

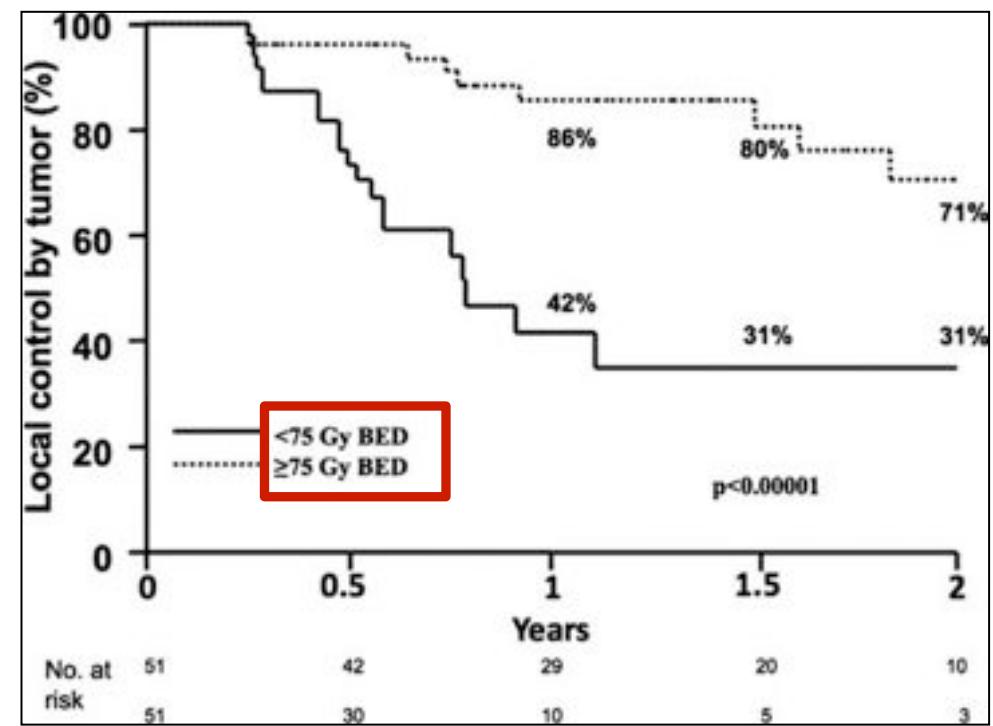
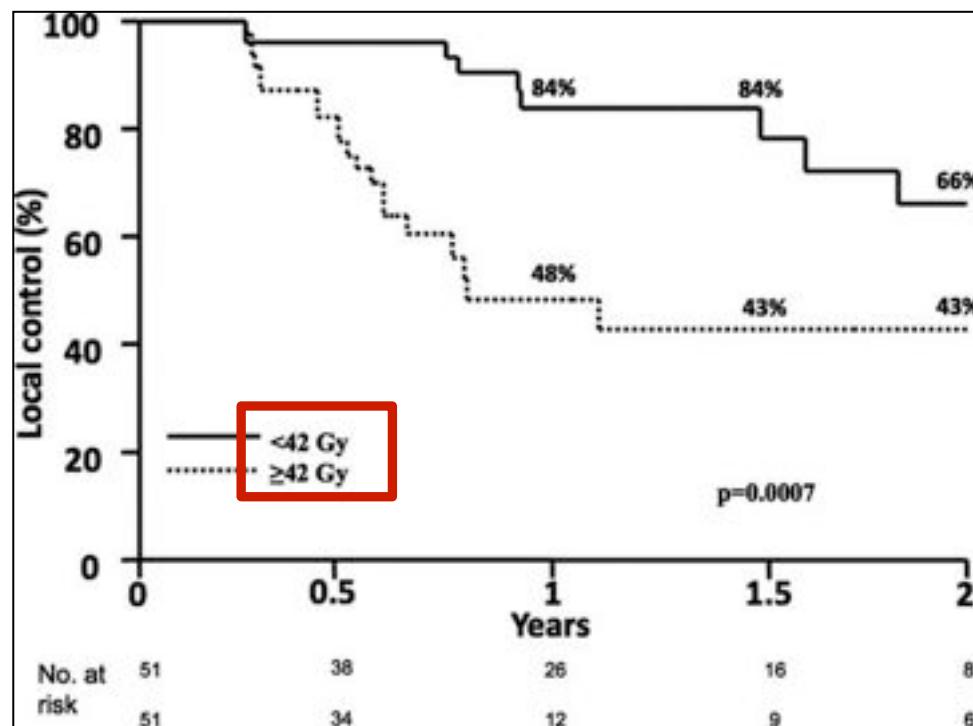
## Correlation between dose prescription and local control



for 1-year local control >90% is 46 to 52 Gy in 3 fractions. **CONCLUSIONS:** Liver stereotactic body radiotherapy is well tolerated and effective for colorectal liver metastases. The strong correlation between local control and OS supports controlling hepatic disease even for heavily pretreated patients. For a 3-fraction regimen of stereotactic body radiotherapy, a prescription dose of  $\geq 48$  Gy should be considered, if normal tissue constraints allow. *Cancer*

# SBRT on Liver metastases: dose and local control

## Correlation between dose prescription and local control



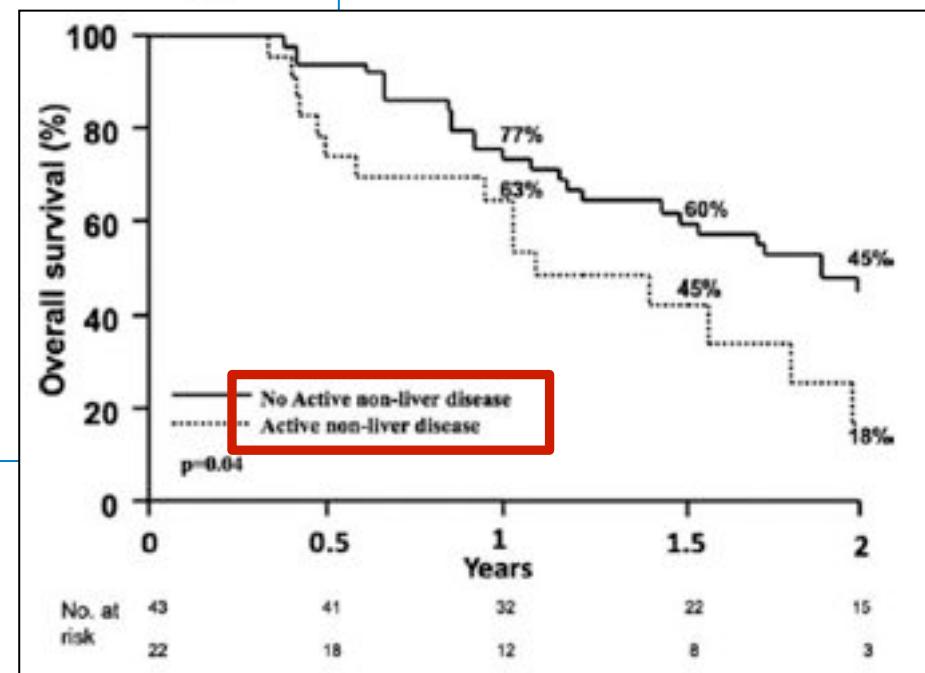
single-fraction dose, respectively. Converting these values back into a 3-fraction stereotactic body radiotherapy regimen yields an estimate of the required stereotactic body radiotherapy dose to achieve 90% local control of 46 to 52 Gy in 3 fractions.

# SBRT on Liver metastases: dose and overall survival

## Correlation between dose prescription and OS

Factor	Local Control		Factor	Overall Survival
	By Lesion	By Patient		
Total dose	.0015	.034	Active nonliver disease	.046
No. of prior chemotherapy regimens	.63	.84	Local failure	.06
Age	.13	.42	Total No. of chemotherapy regimens	.64
No. of days of SBRT	.75	.88	No. of lesions (1 vs 2-4)	.5
GTV	.94	.42 <sup>a</sup>	GTV	.14 <sup>a</sup>
Dose per fraction	.003	.18		
No. of prior chemotherapy regimens	.6	.81		
Age	.28	.42		
No. of days of SBRT	.11	.37		
GTV	.74	.68		
BED	.004	.09		
No. of prior chemotherapy regimens	.42	.58		
Age	.35	.71		
No. of days of SBRT	.2	.5		
GTV	.86	.53		

OS ( $P = .09$ ). On multivariate analysis for OS, only the absence of active extrahepatic disease was associated with improved OS ( $P = .046$ ). However, local control was borderline significant for OS ( $P = .06$ ).



# SBRT on Liver metastases: toxicity

Table 3. Constraints proposed for 3-fraction SBRT schedule

Organ at risk	Wulf <i>et al.</i> (36)	Rusthoven <i>et al.</i> (37)	Hoyer RAS-Trial ( <a href="http://www.cirro.dk">www.cirro.dk</a> )	RTOG 0236 SBRT lung ( <a href="http://www.rtg.org">www.rtg.org</a> )	QUANTEC (48)
Liver (CTV excluded)	30% <21 Gy* 50% <15 Gy*	700 mL < 15 Gy	700 mL < 15 Gy	NA	700 mL $\leq$ 15 Gy $D_{mean}$ < 15 Gy
Stomach	$D_{5\ mL}$ <21 Gy	$D_{max} \leq$ 30 Gy	$D_{1\ mL}$ <21 Gy	NA	$D_{max} <$ 30 Gy ( $D_{5\ mL} <$ 22.5 Gy)
Bowel	$D_{5\ mL}$ <21 Gy	$D_{max} \leq$ 30 Gy	$D_{1\ mL}$ <21 Gy	NA	$D_{max} <$ 30 Gy
Esophagus	$D_{5\ mL}$ <21 Gy	NA	$D_{1\ mL}$ <21 Gy	$D_{max} \leq$ 27 Gy	NA
Kidney	NA	Total kidney	Total kidney	NA	NA
Spinal cord	NA	$D_{35\%} <$ 15 Gy	$D_{35\%} <$ 15 Gy	$D_{max} \leq$ 18 Gy	$D_{max} \leq$ 20 Gy
Heart	$D_{5\ mL} <$ 21 Gy	$D_{max} \leq$ 18 Gy	$D_{max} <$ 18 Gy	$D_{max} \leq$ 30 Gy	NA

- **Toxicity  $\geq$  G3 1 - 10%; incidence of RILD less than 1%.**
- **Toxicity G2 included a transient hepatic transaminase**
- **Duodenal ulceration and intestinal perforation were observed in 3 patients with maximum doses greater than 30 Gy in 3 fractions to the duodenum and bowel.**
- **One case of Grade 3 soft-tissue toxicity was observed for dose of 48 Gy in 3 fractions to a subcutaneous tissue .**
- **In 2 patients, nontraumatic rib fractures were experienced for maximum doses of 51.8 Gy and 66.2 Gy in 6 fractions to 0.5 cm<sup>3</sup> of rib .**

# SBRT on liver metastases: Preliminay results of our Phase II Trial



## Is Stereotactic Body Radiation Therapy an Attractive Option for Unresectable Liver Metastases? A Preliminary Report From a Phase 2 Trial

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### **END POINTS:**

PRIMARY: in-field local control

SECONDARY: toxicity and overall survival

### **INCLUSION CRITERIA:**

- Unresectable
- Maximum tumor diameter < 6cm
- ≤ 3 discrete lesions
- Performance status 0-2
- Good compliance to treatment

# Phase II trial of liver SBRT: Patients characteristics

- 61 patients
- 76 lesions

Treatment	No. of lesions	%
Lesion diameter (mm)		
≤30 mm	45	59.2
>30 mm	31	40.8
CTV volume (cm <sup>3</sup> )		
Mean ± SD	18.6 ± 22.7	
Range	1.8-134.3	
PTV volume (cm <sup>3</sup> )		
Mean	54.9 ± 41.998	
Range	7.7-209.4	
Dose prescription (per lesion)		
Full dose (75 Gy)	62	82
90% (67.5 Gy)	6	8
80% (60 Gy)	4	5
70% (52.5 Gy)	4	5

Abbreviations: CTV = clinical target volume; PTV = planning target volume; RFA = radiofrequency ablation.

Median FU 12 months

Table 1 Baseline patient and treatment characteristics

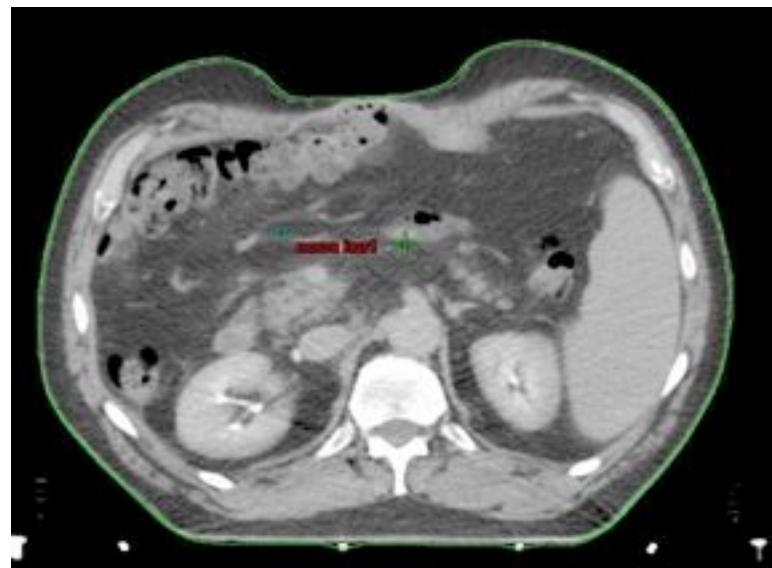
Characteristic	n	%
No. of patients	61	
Male	26	42.6
Female	35	57.4
Median age, y	65	-
Range	39-87	
No. of liver lesions		
1	48	78.7
2	11	18.0
3	2	3.3
Primary		
Colorectal	29	47.5
Breast	11	18.0
Gynecological	7	11.5
Other	14	22.9
Time since diagnosis, mo		
≤12	35	57.4
>12	26	42.6
No. of prior systemic treatment regimens		
0	10	16.4
1	15	24.6
2	13	21.3
3	14	22.9
≥4	9	14.7
Presence of stable extrahepatic disease		
Yes	21	34.4
No	40	65.6
Prior liver-directed therapy		
Yes	28	45.9
Surgery	21	75
RFA	2	7
Both	5	19
No	33	54.1

# Phase II trial of liver SBRT: Patients characteristics

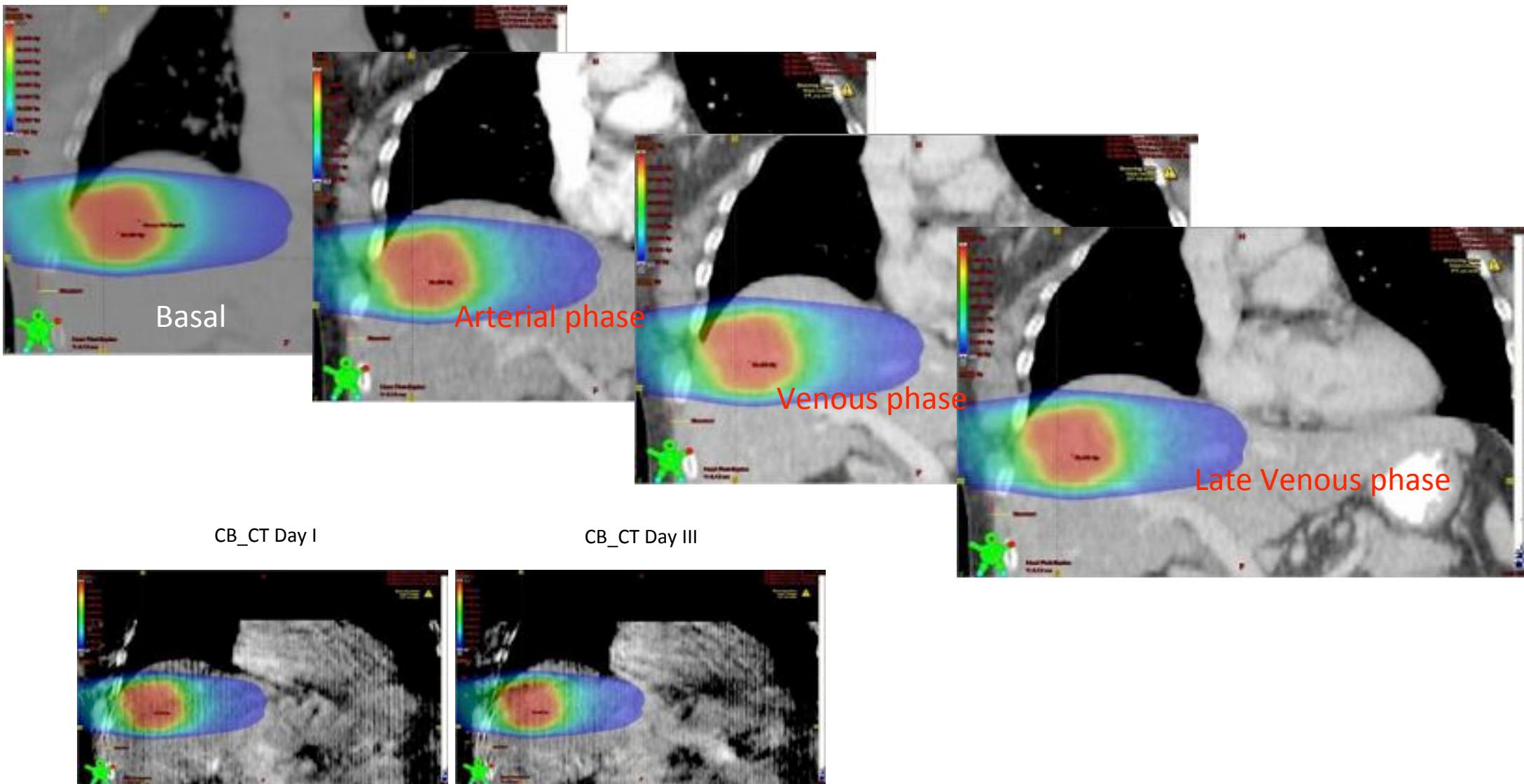
	Dose/ fraction	Number fractions	Total Dose
Standard dose	25Gy	3	75 Gy
Dose reduction 10%	22.5 Gy	3	67.5 Gy
Dose reduction 20%	20. 63 Gy	3	61.89 Gy
Dose reduction 30%	18.75 Gy	3	56.25 Gy

ORGAN	Dose-Volume Limits	Other Conditions
Healthy liver (total liver volume minus cumulative GTV)	> 700 cm <sup>3</sup> at < 15 Gy	Volume of healthy liver > 1000 cc
Spinal cord	D 1cm <sup>3</sup> < 18 Gy	
Kidneys (R+L)	V15 Gy < 35%	
Stomach, duodenum, small intestine	D 3cm <sup>3</sup> < 21 Gy	distant by GTV > 8 mm
Heart	D 1cm <sup>3</sup> < 30 Gy	
Rib	D30cm <sup>3</sup> < 30Gy	

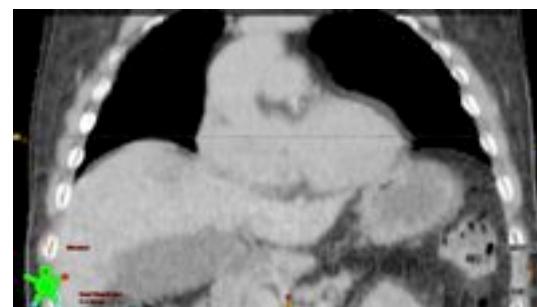
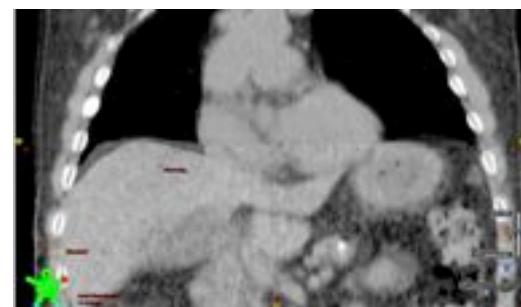
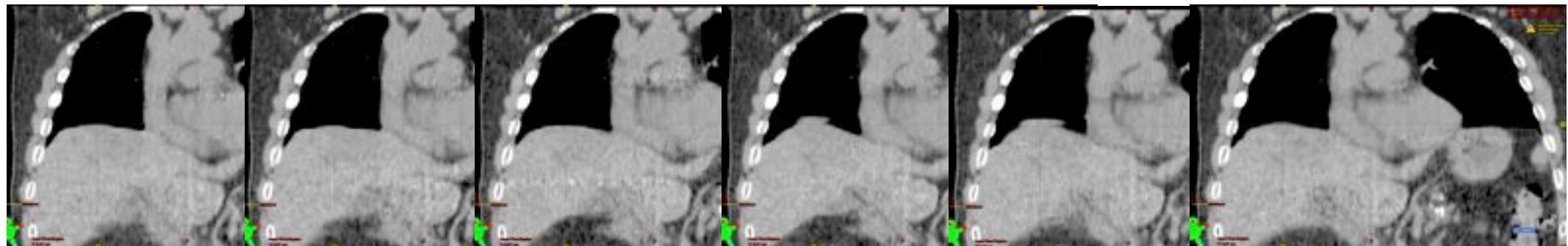
## Phase II trial of liver SBRT: Simulation



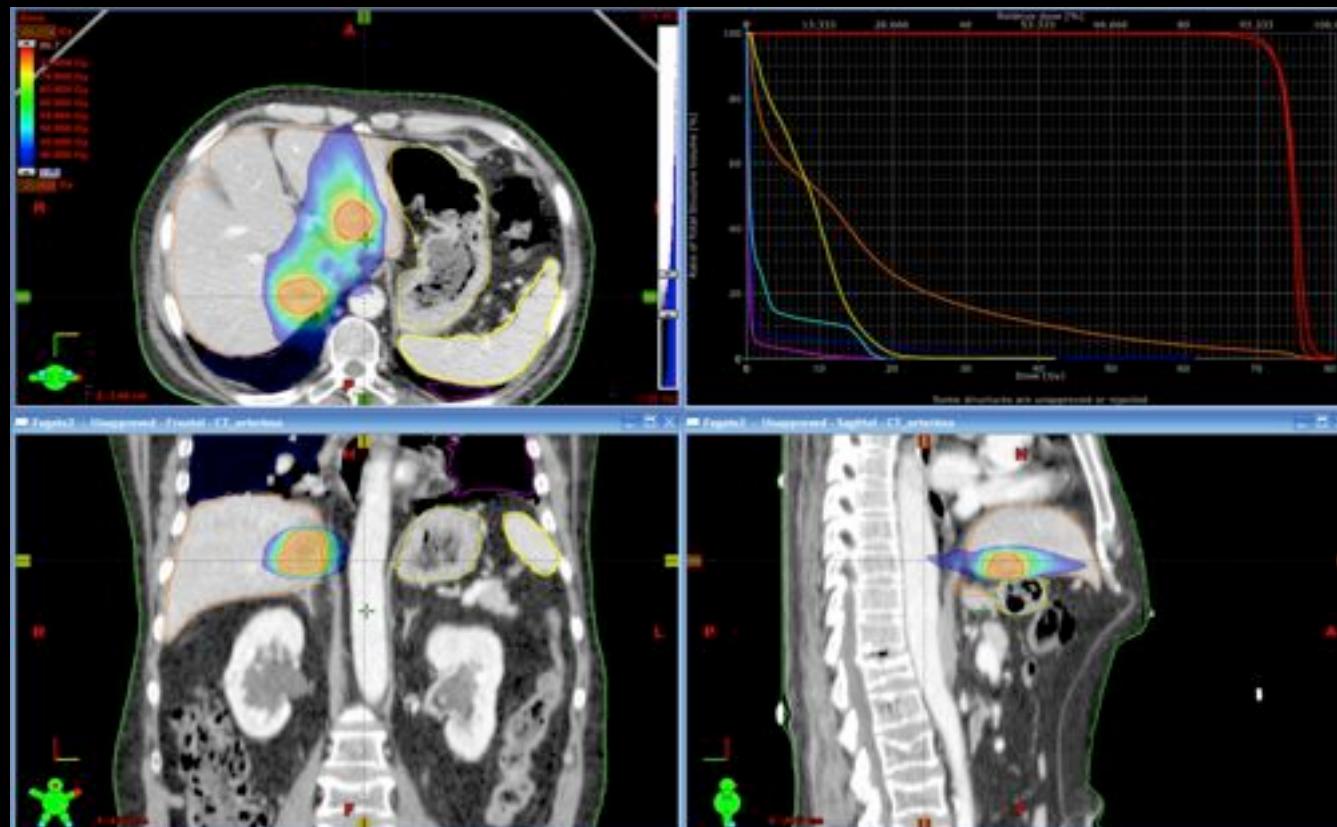
## Phase II trial of liver SBRT: CT Simulation and Conebeam CT



## Phase II trial of liver SBRT: 4D CT



## Phase II trial of liver SBRT: SBRT liver: 25Gy x 3; 10FFF; DR 2400



1 isocentre, 3 arcs  
Jaw tracking

PTV1&PTV2: V95%=99.5%

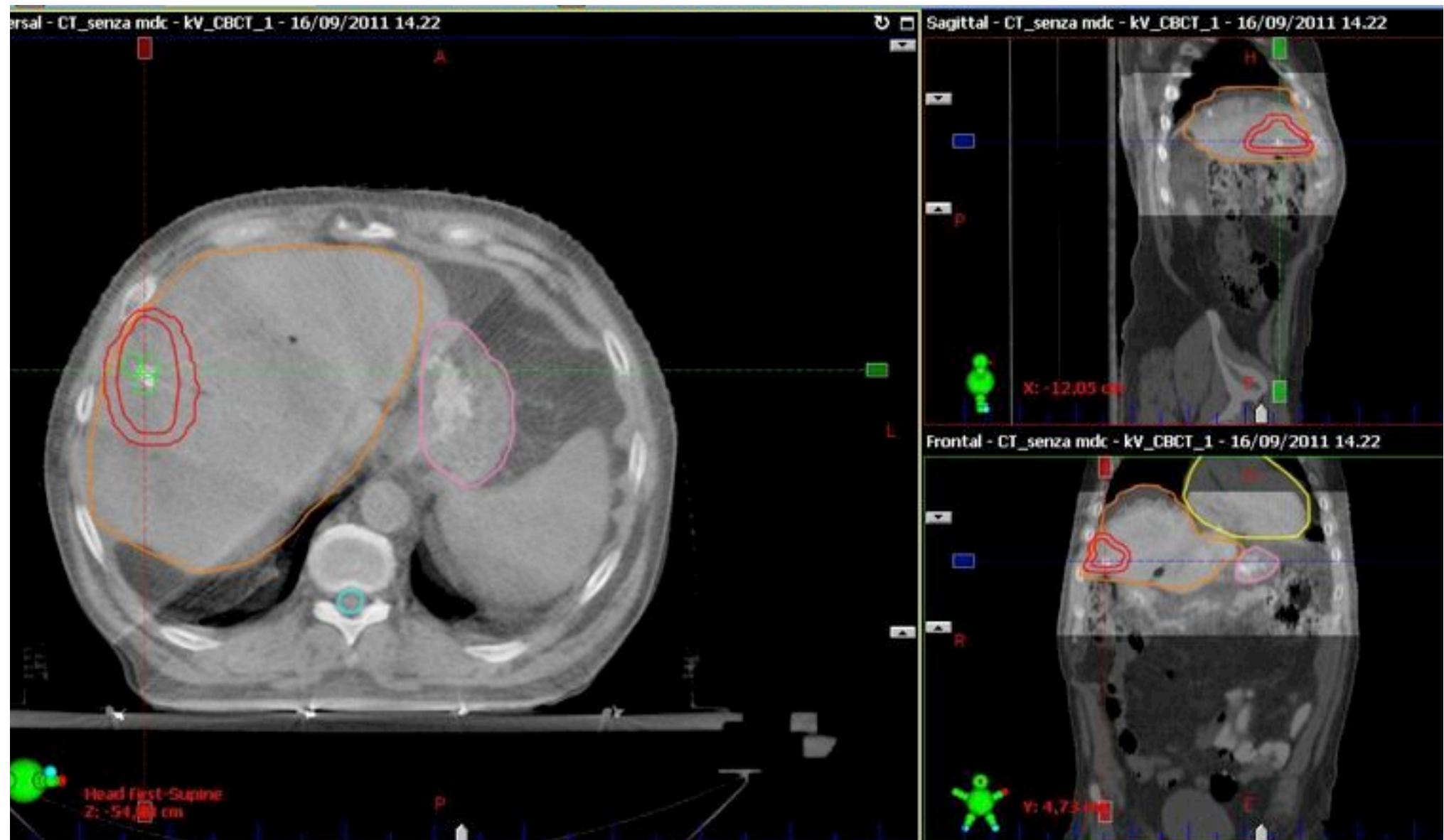
Spinal cord: Max dose=17.3 Gy

Stomach: Max=21.0Gy, Mean=9.5 Gy

Liver: Mean=15.5 Gy, D15Gyfree=2811cc

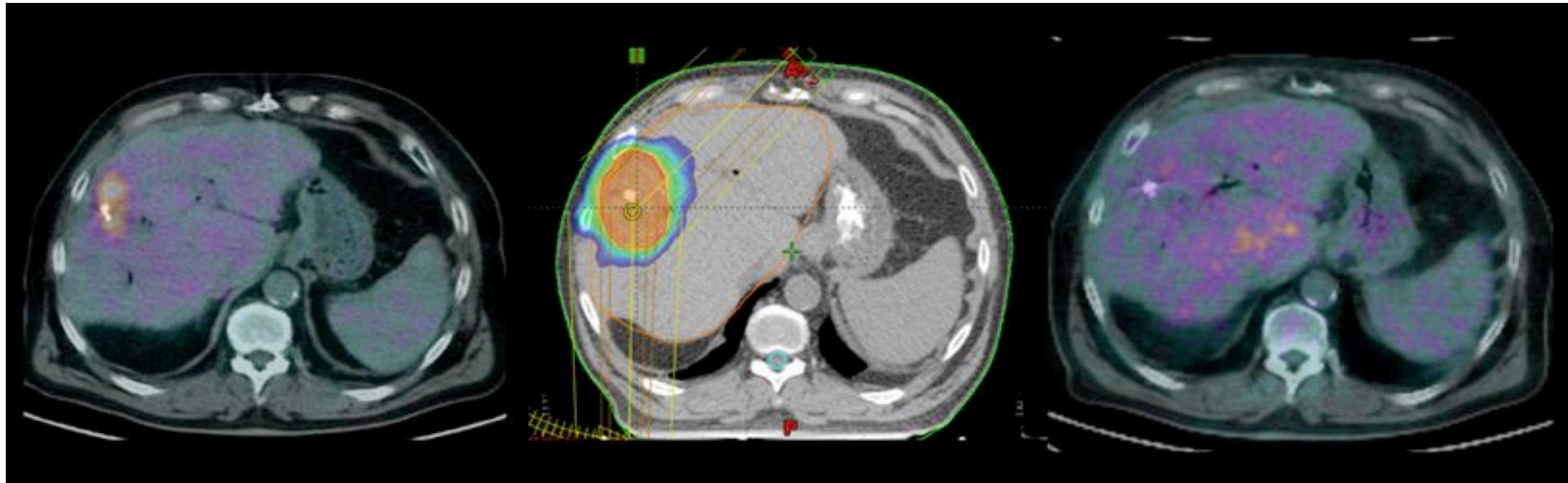
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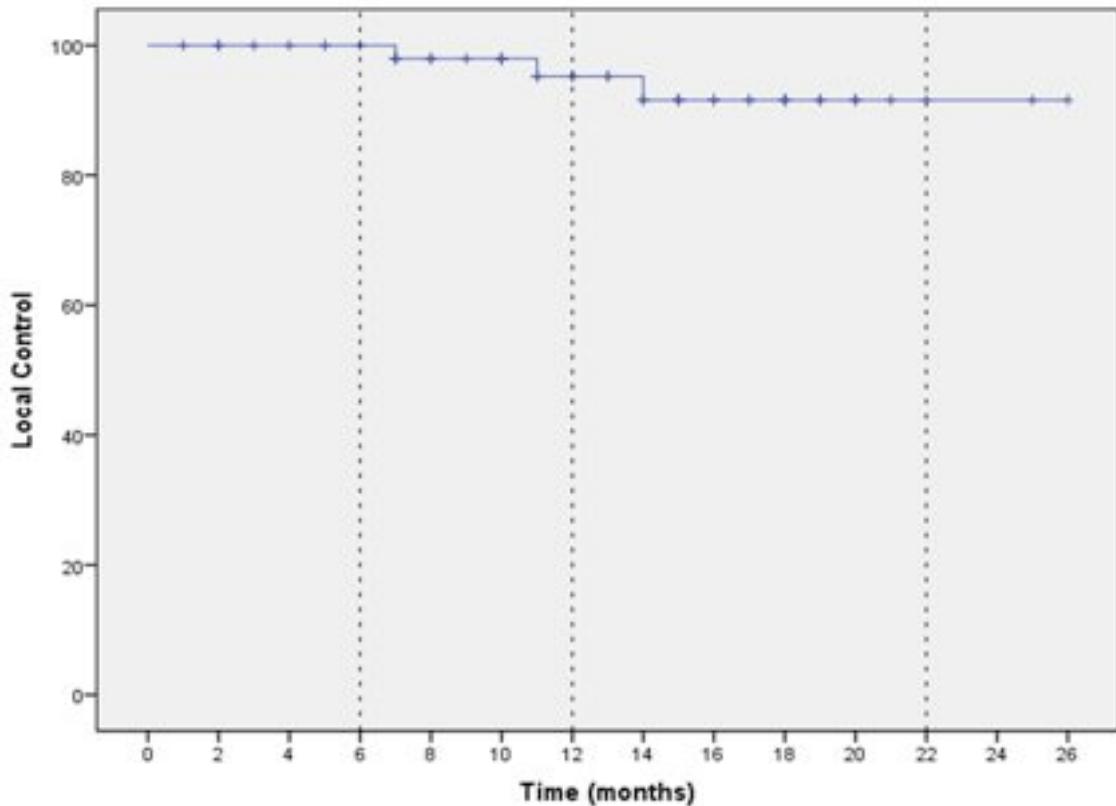
Patient treated with SBRT for local relapse after hepatic surgery for colorectal metastasis



PET –CT pre-treatment,  
CEA 72

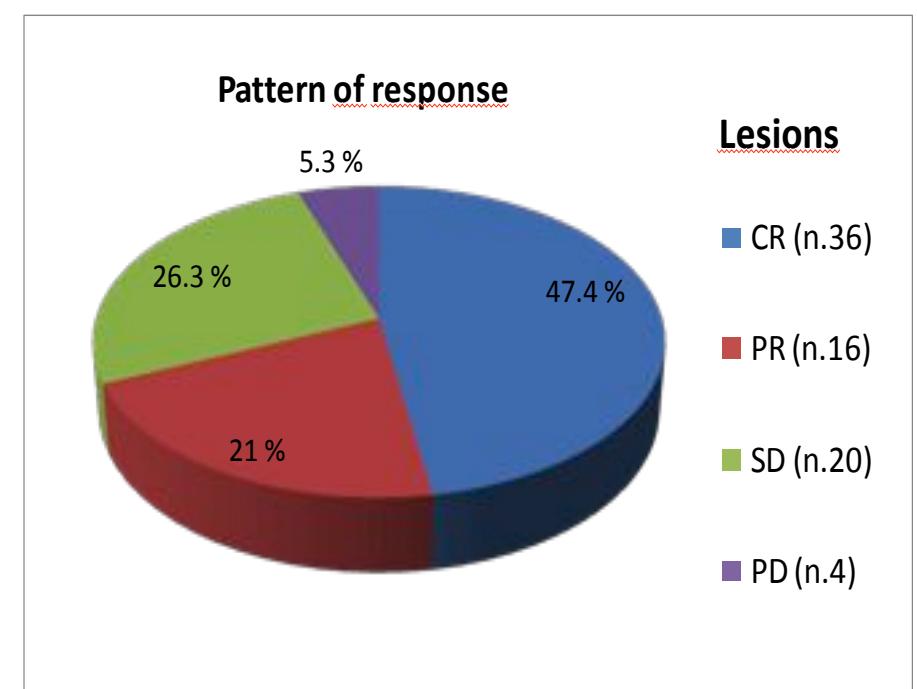
PET –CT post-treatment  
CEA 2.2

## Phase II trial of liver SBRT: Local Control

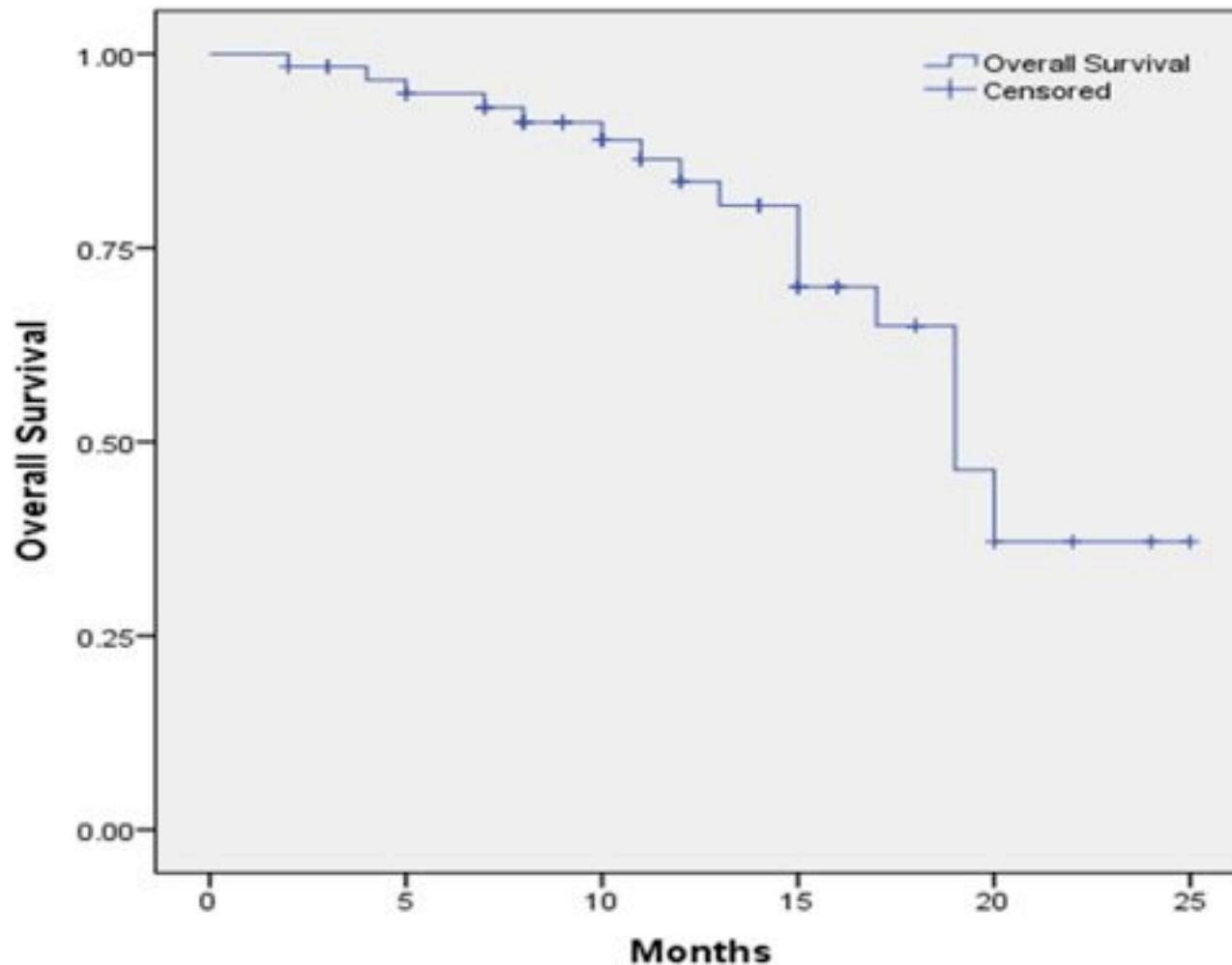


A subgroup analysis for lesions with diameter  $\leq 3$  cm compared with those  $>3$  cm revealed no statistical differences in local control rates ( $p=0.90$ )

- Local Control:**
- 6 months = 100%
  - 12 months = 94%
  - 22 months = 91%



## Phase II trial of liver SBRT: Overall Survival



**OS:**  
**12 months = 84%**  
**18 months= 65%**

**Median OS: 19 months**

## Phase II trial of liver SBRT: Toxicity

### ACUTE TOXICITY:

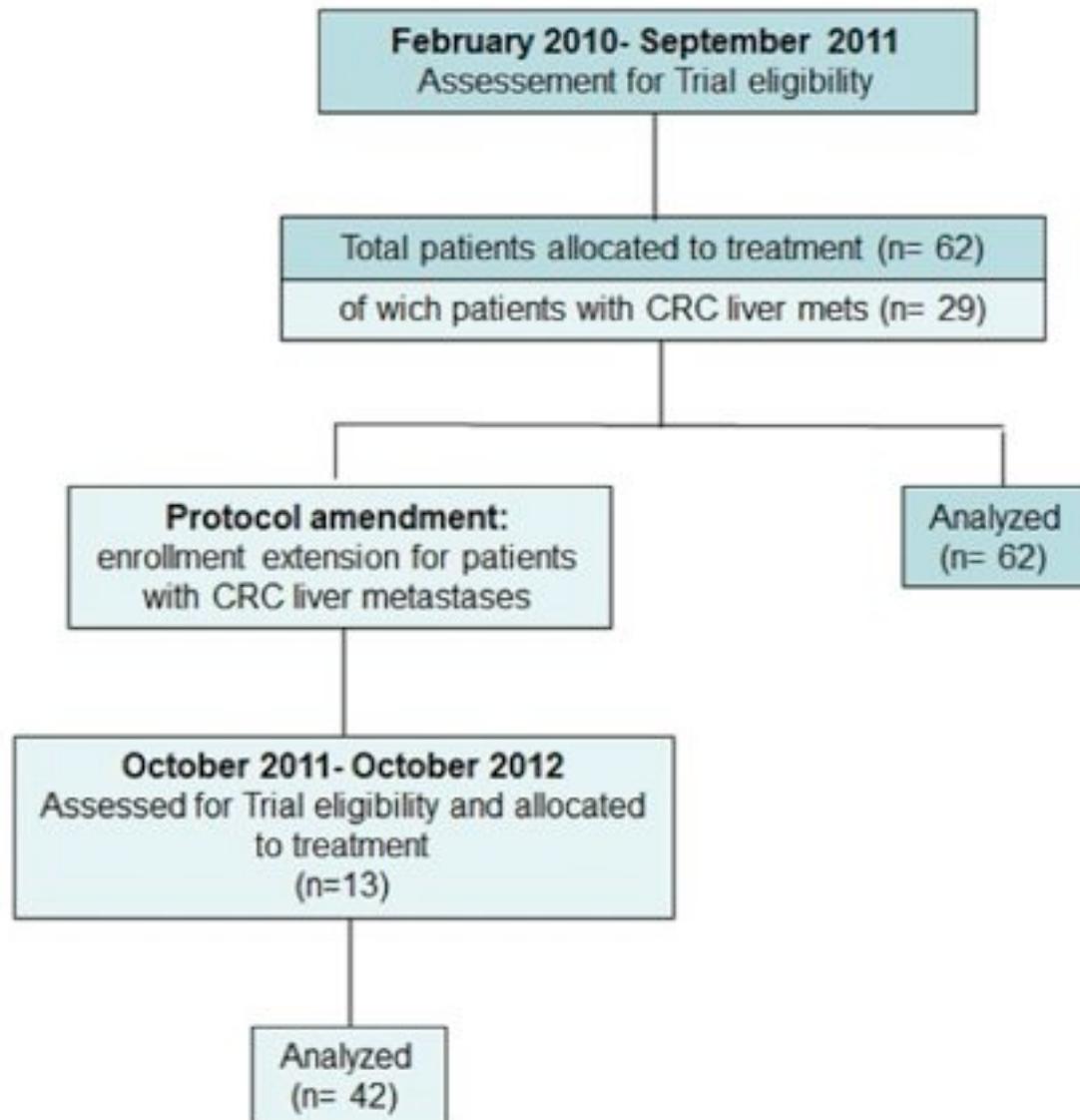
- G2 toxicity (vomiting, skin erythema and pain) 4%
- G2 transient transaminase increase 26%
- No G3-G4 or G5 toxicity observed

### LATE TOXICITY:

- One case of G3 chronic chest wall pain

NO RILD

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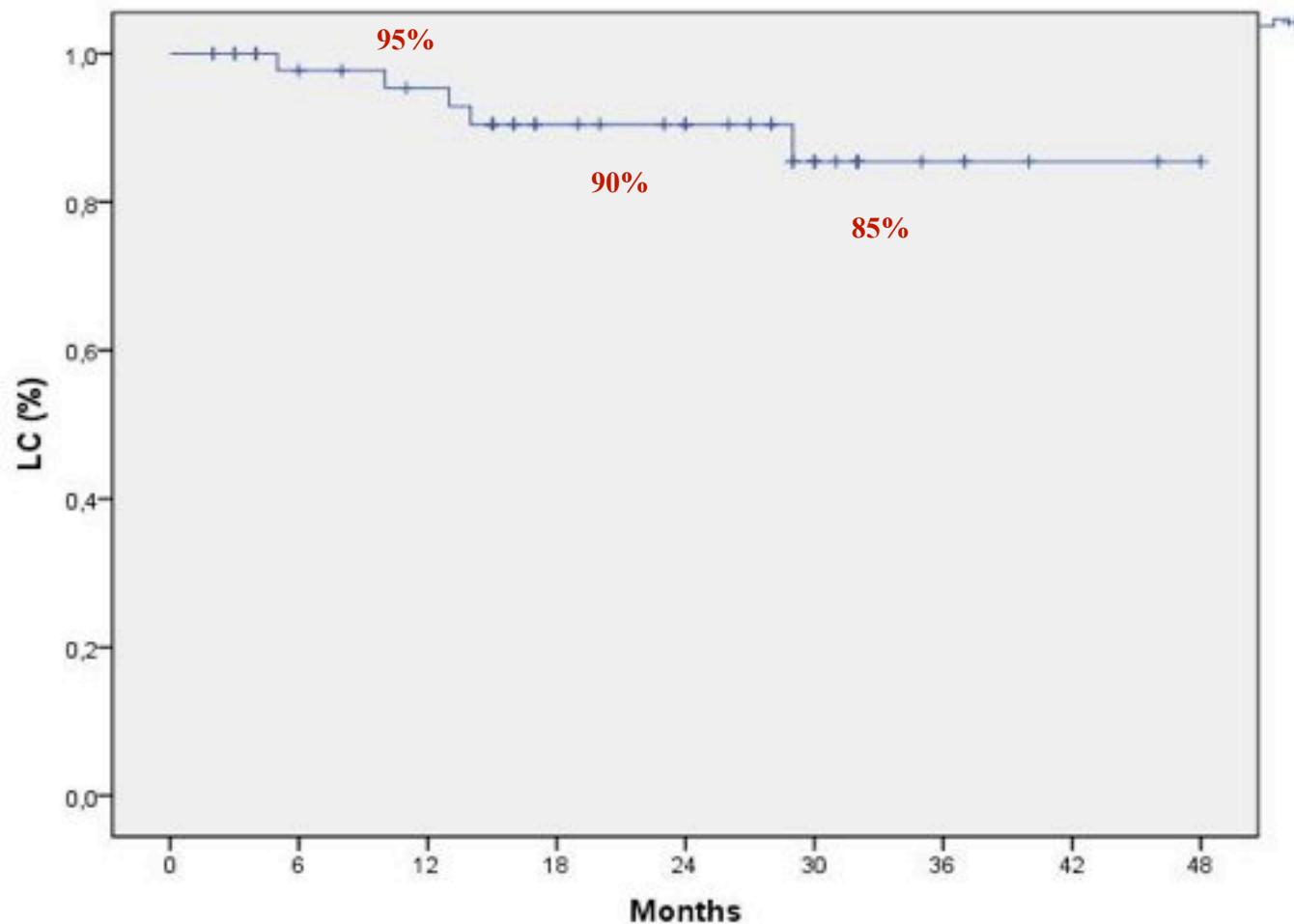
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<b>Patients number</b>	<b>42</b>
Mean age (range)y	67 (43-87)
Sex (M:F)	36:6
Primary	
Colon	30 (71%)
Rectum	12 (29%)
TNM Primary Classification	
T1	2 (5%)
T2	9 (21)
T3	28 (67%)
T4	3(7%)
N0	21 (50%)
N1-2	21 (50%)
M1	17 (40%)
Only liver	15 (88%)
Liver and lung	2 (12%)
Timing of liver metastases	
Synchronous (DFI ≤ 12 months)	20 (47.6%)
Metachronous (DFI > 12 months)	22 (52.4%)
Previous local treatments	
Surgery	17 (40%)
RFA or other	4 (9.5%)
Systemic treatments	
Pre-SBRT chemotherapy	42 (100%)
Post-SBRT chemotherapy	6 (14%)
Time of SBRT since diagnosis	
<12 mo	3 (7 %)
>12 mo	39 (93%)

**Median FUP 24 months (4-48 months)**

<b>Number of lesions treated</b>	<b>52</b>
<b>Number of lesions for patients</b>	
1	34 (81%)
2	5 (12%)
3	3(7%)
<b>Size of lesions</b>	
< 3 cm	28 (55%)
> 3 cm	24 (45%)
<b>Mean volume (range) [cm<sup>3</sup>]</b>	
CTV	18.6 ± 22.03 (1.8-134.3)
PTV	54.90 ± 41.90 (7.7-909.10)

## Phase II trial of SABR in CRC liver metastases: Local control



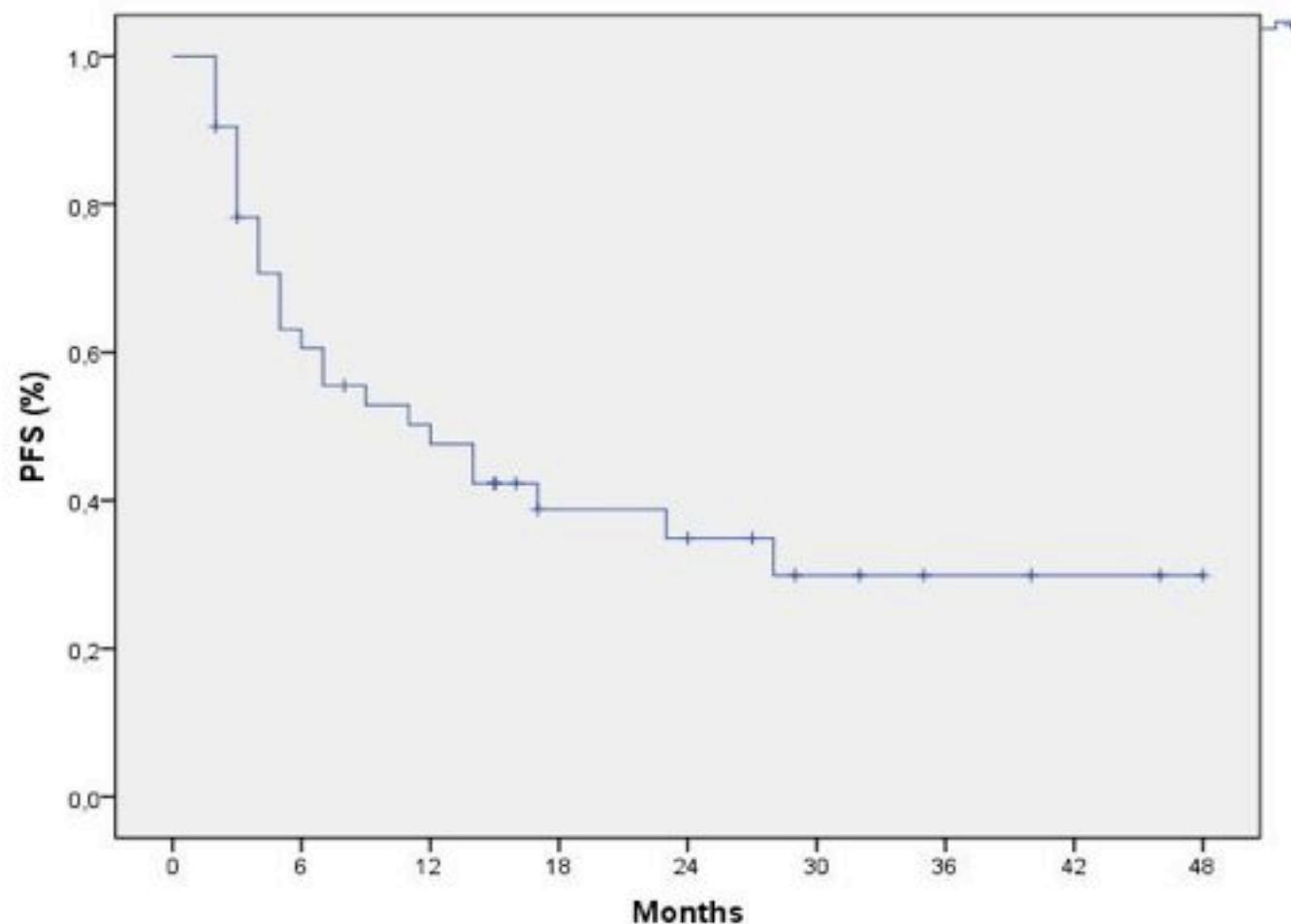
**1 - year LC = 95%**

**2 – years LC = 90%**

**3 – years LC = 85%**

## Phase II trial of SABR in CRC liver metastases: Progression-free survival

**Median PFS = 12 months.**



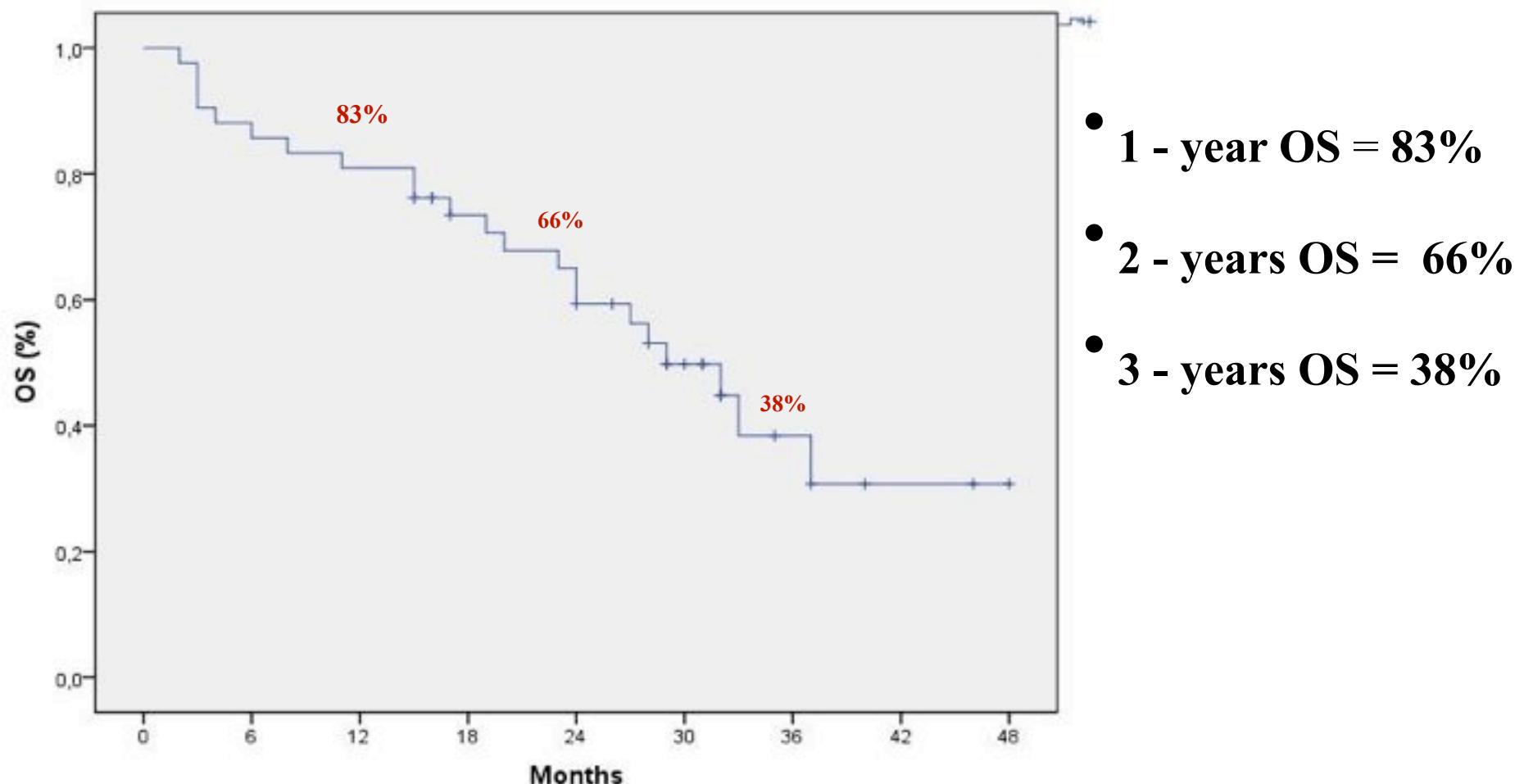
**1 - year PFS = 50 %**

**2 - years PFS = 35%**

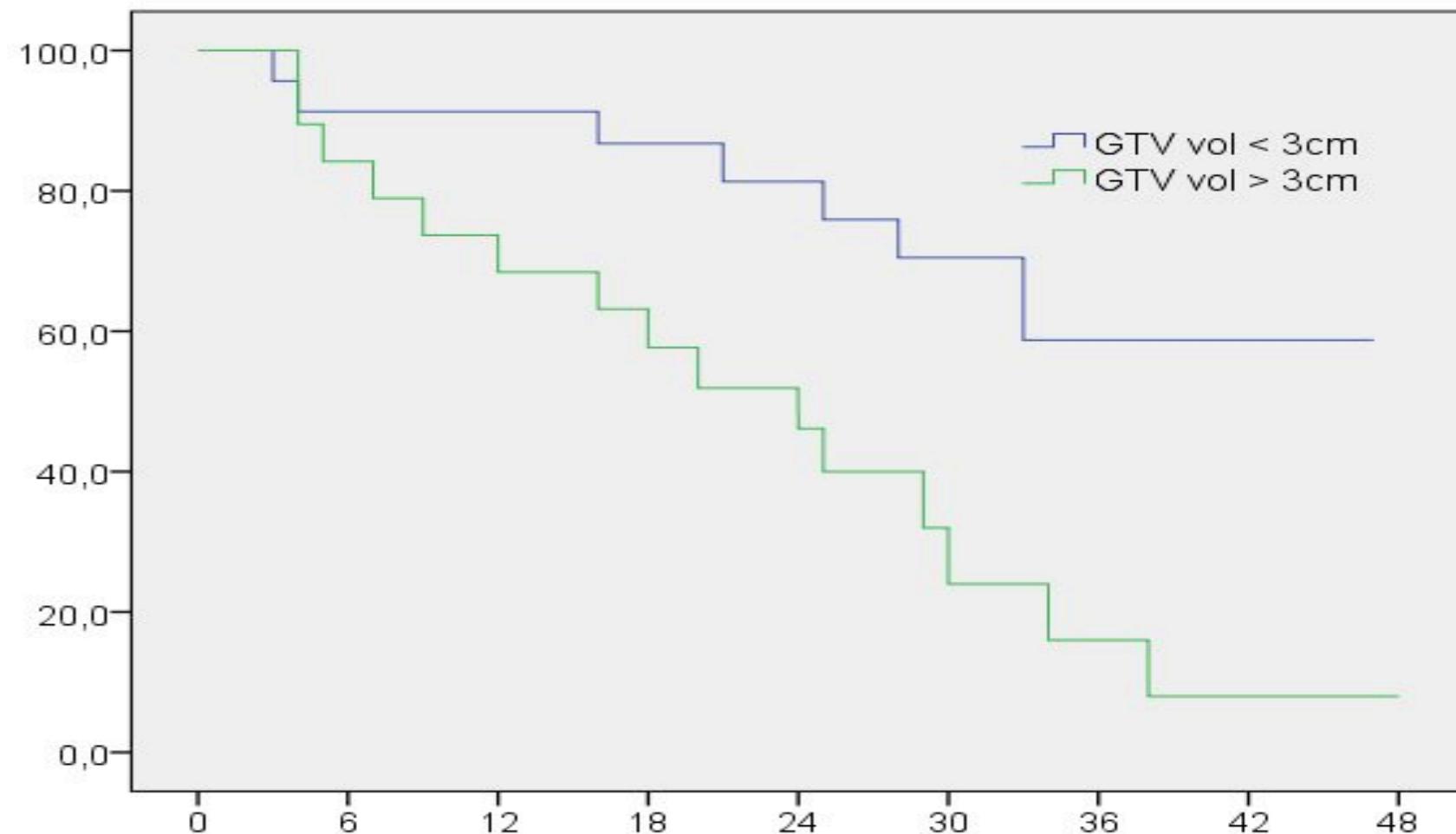
**3 – years PFS = 30%**

## Phase II trial of SABR in CRC liver metastases: Overall Survival

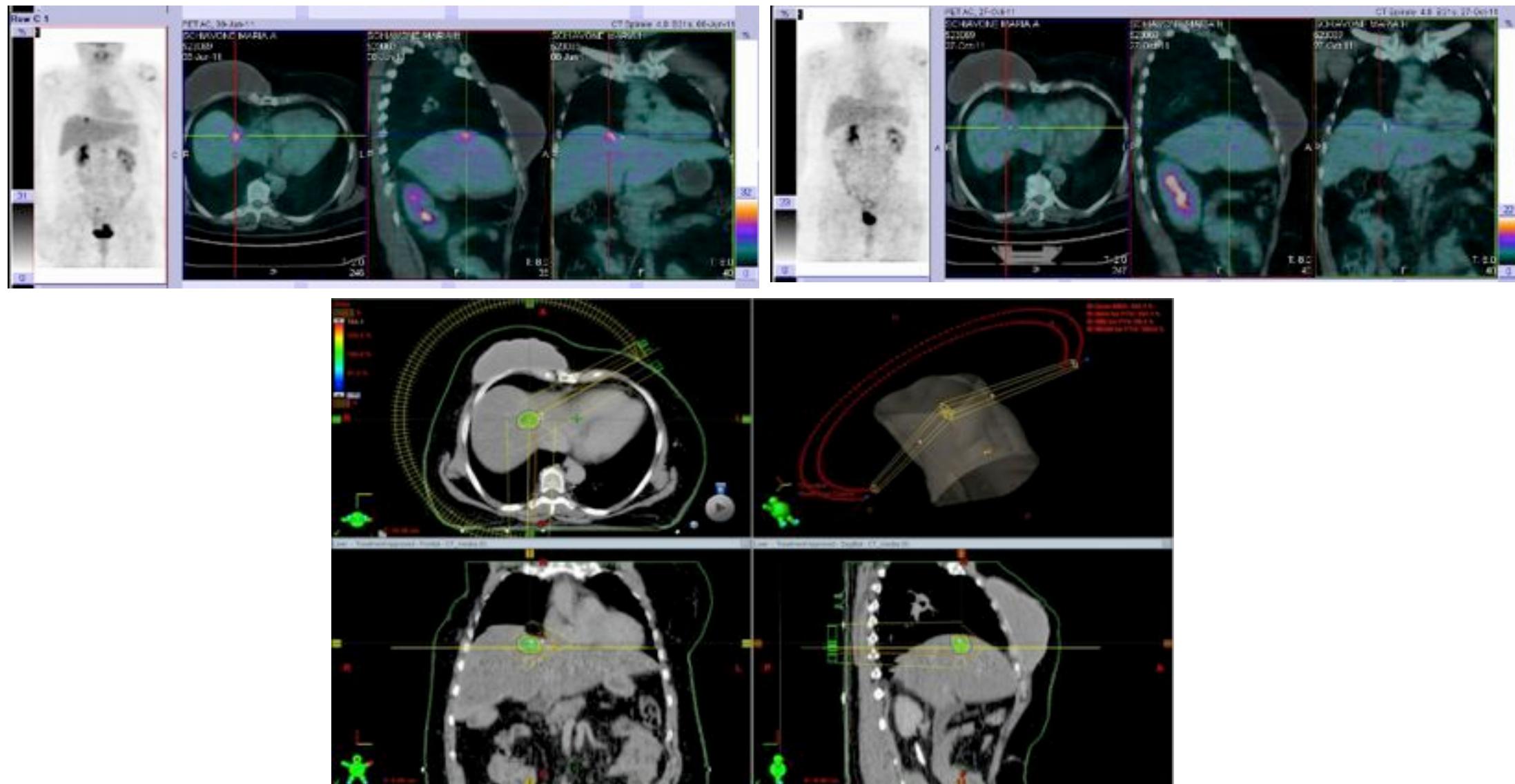
Median OS = 29 months



## Phase II trial of SABR in CRC liver metastases: Overall Survival



## Phase II trial of SABR in CRC liver metastases



# Conclusion: current evidences

<i>Selection criteria</i>	<i>Patients categories</i>		
	<b>Suitable</b>	<b>Cautionary</b>	<b>Unsuitable</b>
<b>Lesion Number</b>	< 3	4	> 4
<b>Lesion Diameter</b>	1-3 cm	>3 and $\leq$ 6cm	> 6cm
<b>Distance from OARs</b>	>8 mm	5-8 mm	< 5mm
<b>Liver Function</b>	Child A	Child B	Child C
<b>Free Liver Volume</b>	>1000cc	< 1000cc and $\geq$ 700 cc	<700 cc

<b>Lesion diameter</b>	<b>Prescription Dose</b>
$\leq$ 3 cm	48 - 60 Gy
3-6 cm	60 – 75 Gy

# Conclusion: future directions

Selection of patients with favourable prognosis to evaluate the impact on survival

Comparative RCTs with other local procedures (SR and RF)

Association with chemo\target therapy



Thank you!