

# Radiotherapy for Oligometastatic NSCLCa

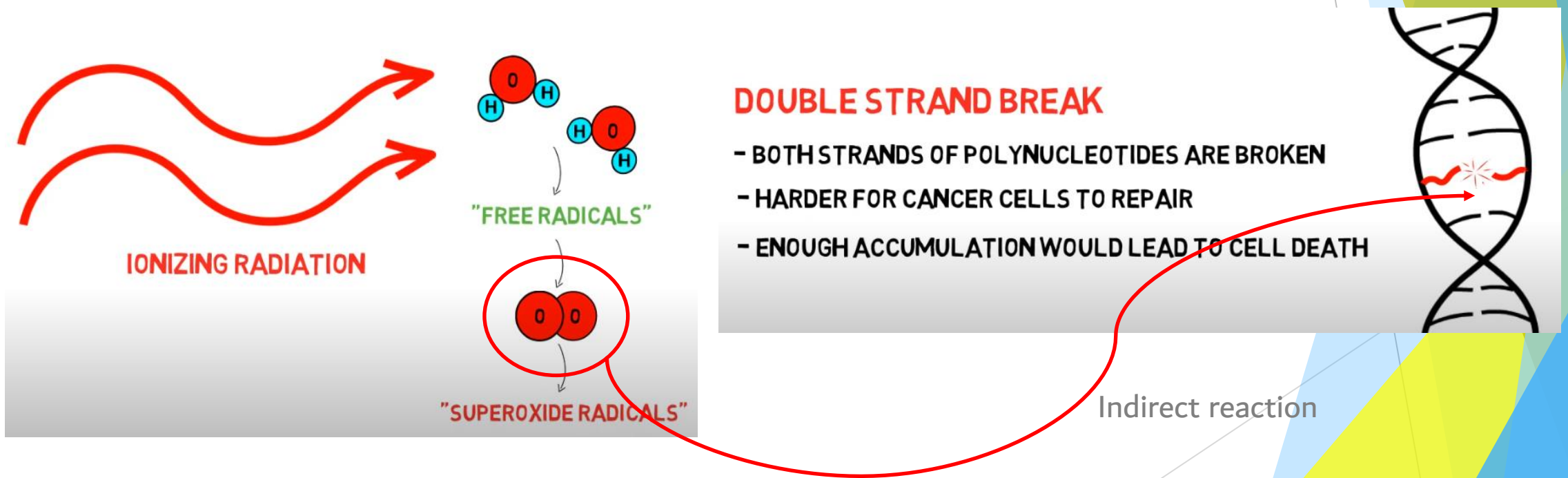
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# What is radiotherapy

- ▶ 전리방사선을 이용하여 tumor cell death 유발



# Types of radiation therapy

- ▶ 이용하는 방사선의 종류에 따라 (X-ray, electron, proton, and heavy particle)
- ▶ 외부방사선치료 (external radiotherapy) or 근접치료 (brachytherapy)
- ▶ 방사선치료 scheme(fraction size, no. of fractions, duration 등)에 따라

## Conventional

- ✓ 1.8~2Gy/fraction
- ✓ 20~35 fractions
- ✓ 5 fractions/week

## Hypofractionated

- ✓ Bigger fractions size
- ✓ 10~20 fractions
- ✓ 3~5 fractions/week

## SABR (Stereotactic ablative radiotherapy)

- ✓ > 5 Gy/fraction
- ✓ ≤ 5 fractions (usually)
- ✓ 2~3 fractions/week

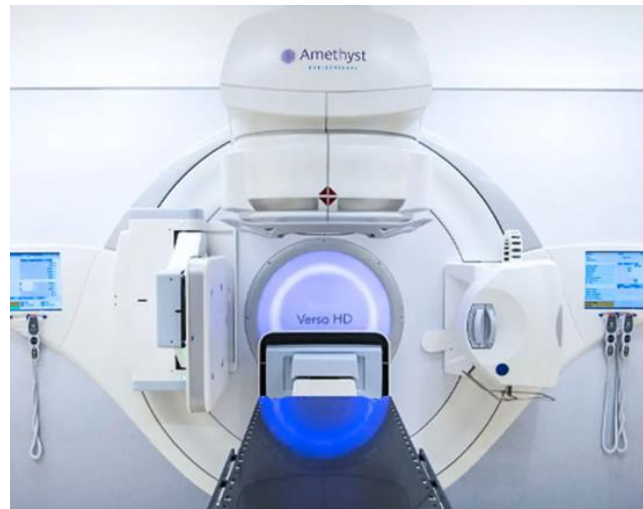
방사선치료기의 발전 ; MLC

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- ▶ Cyberknife, Gammaknife
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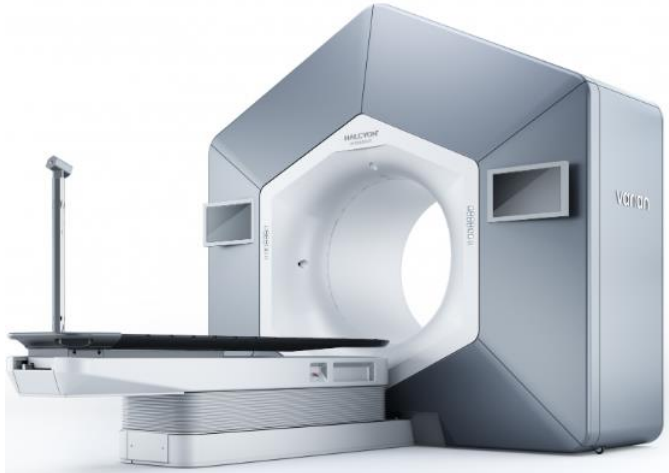
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- ▶ **Linear Accelerator (LINAC)** ; TrueBeam, VersaHD, Infinity, RapidArc, VitalBeam



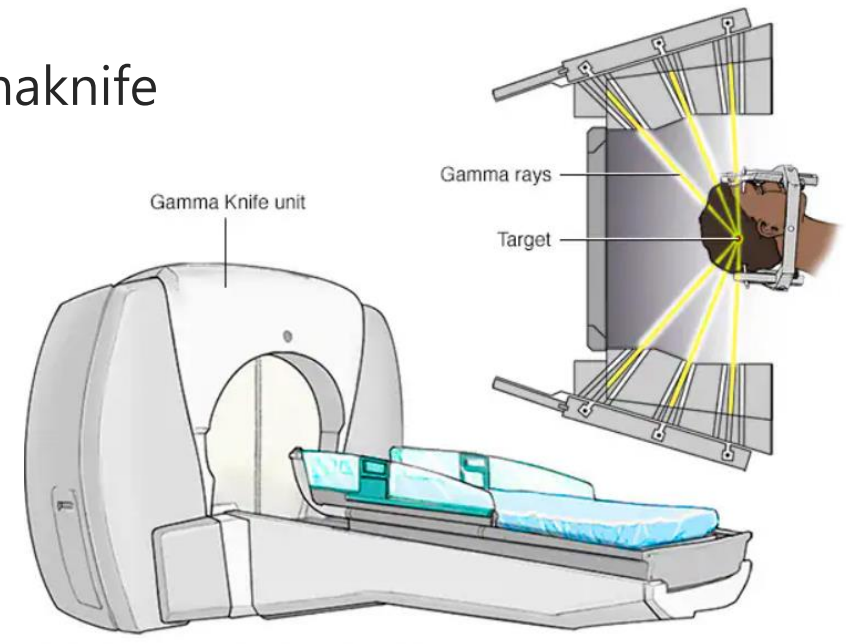
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- ▶ **Helical therapy ; Halcyon, Tomotherapy**



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- ▶ Specialized **for radiosurgery** ; Cyberknife, Gammaknife

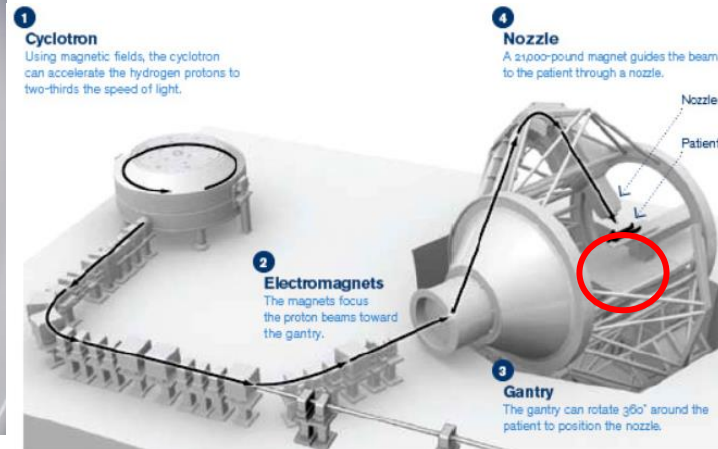


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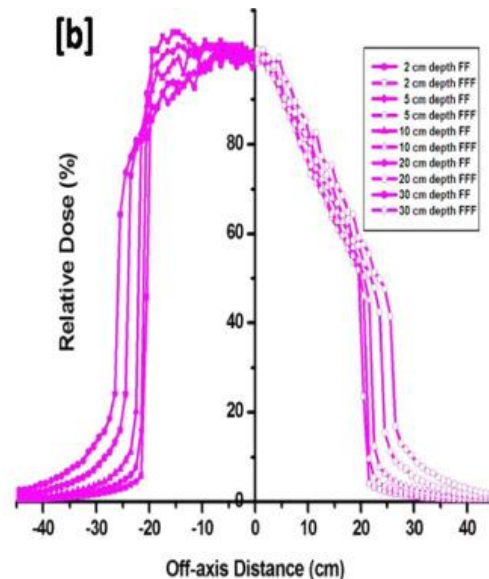
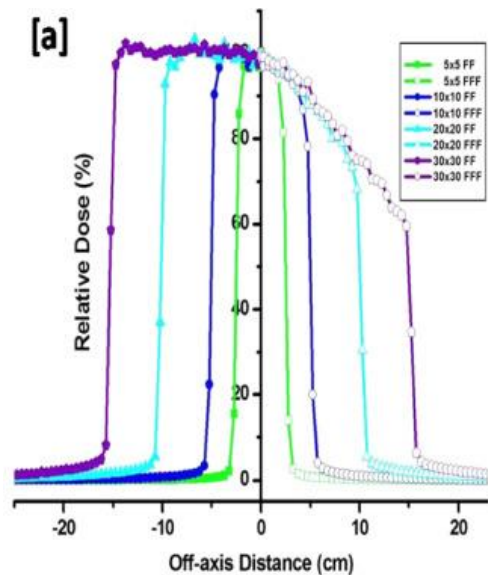
- ▶ **Particle beam therapy ; Proton or Heavy particle therapy**



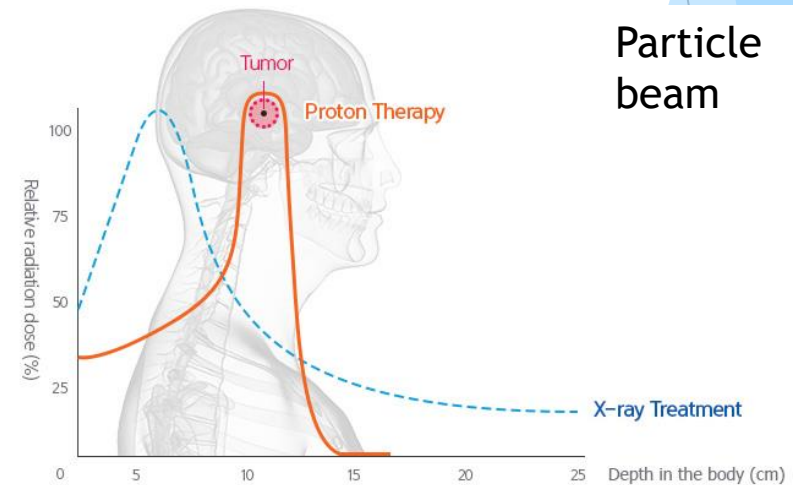
# What is SABR (SBRT)

- ▶ **Very high precision** radiation therapy
- ▶ Usually small, localized extracranial lesions, not adjacent to vital organs
- ▶ Very high dose of radiation, **1~5 fractions**, **Image-guided delivery**, immobilization
- ▶ Have advantages with **sharp dose gradient** (vs. dose homogeneity)

Radiotherapy



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beam

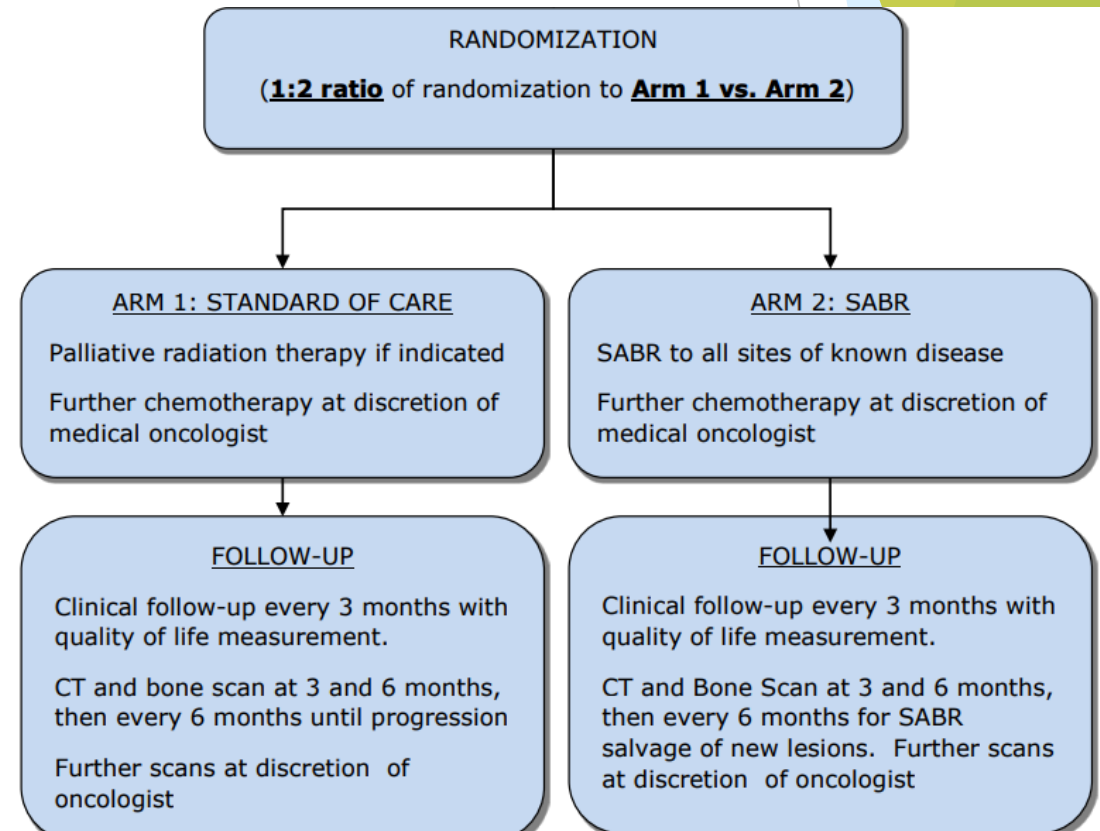


# In case of oligometastatic disease, SABR-COMET phase II Randomized trial 2020

- ▶ 99 pts c controlled primary & medically stable, from 10 centers
- ▶ 1~5, SABR-eligible metastases
- ▶ Primary endpoint : OS
- ▶ Secondary endpoints : QoL, PFS, Toxicity, lesional control rate, No. of further chemotherapy or systemic therapy

ECOG performance status 0-1

- Controlled primary tumor
- defined as: at least 3 months since original tumor treated definitively, with no progression at primary site
- All sites of disease can be safely treated based on criteria below
- Maximum size of 3 cm for brain lesions
- Maximum size of 5 cm for lesions outside the brain, except:
- Bone metastases up to 6 cm may be included, if in the opinion of the local PI it can be treated safely (e.g. rib, scapula, pelvis)



## Arm 1 ; best palliative care

**Brain:** Whole brain radiotherapy  
i.e. 20 Gy in 5 fractions, 30 Gy in 10 fractions

**Lung:** Palliative radiotherapy as per 2011 consensus guidelines.<sup>15</sup>  
i.e. 8 Gy in 1 fraction, 20 Gy in 5 fractions, 30 Gy in 10 fractions

**Bone:** Palliative radiotherapy as per 2011 consensus guidelines.<sup>16</sup>  
i.e. 8 Gy in 1 fraction (most common), 20 Gy in 5 fractions, 30 Gy in 10 fractions

**Liver:** 20 Gy in 5 fractions if standard institutional practice

## Arm 2 ; SABR

Tumor Location	Description	Total Dose (Gy)	Number of fractions	Dose per fraction (Gy)	Frequency
<b>Lung</b>	Tumors 3 cm or less surrounded by lung parenchyma	54	3	18	Every second day
	Abutting chest wall or >3 cm	55	5	11	Every second day
	Within 2 cm of mediastinum or brachial plexus	60	8*	7.5	Every second day
<b>Bone</b>	Any bone except femur	35 Gy	5	7	Daily
	Vertebral body: additional options	16-20 Gy <i>OR</i> 30 Gy	1  3	16-20  10	Single dose  Every second day
<b>Brain Metastases</b>	<u>Non-radiosurgical</u>	40 Gy to metastases	5	8 Gy to lesion	Daily
	(If whole brain treated, then simultaneous boost to each lesion)	20 Gy whole brain (optional)	5	4 Gy WBRT	Daily
	<u>Radiosurgical</u>	22-24 Gy 20-22 Gy 18-20 Gy	1 1 1	22-24 Gy 20-22 Gy 18-20 Gy	Single dose Single dose Single dose

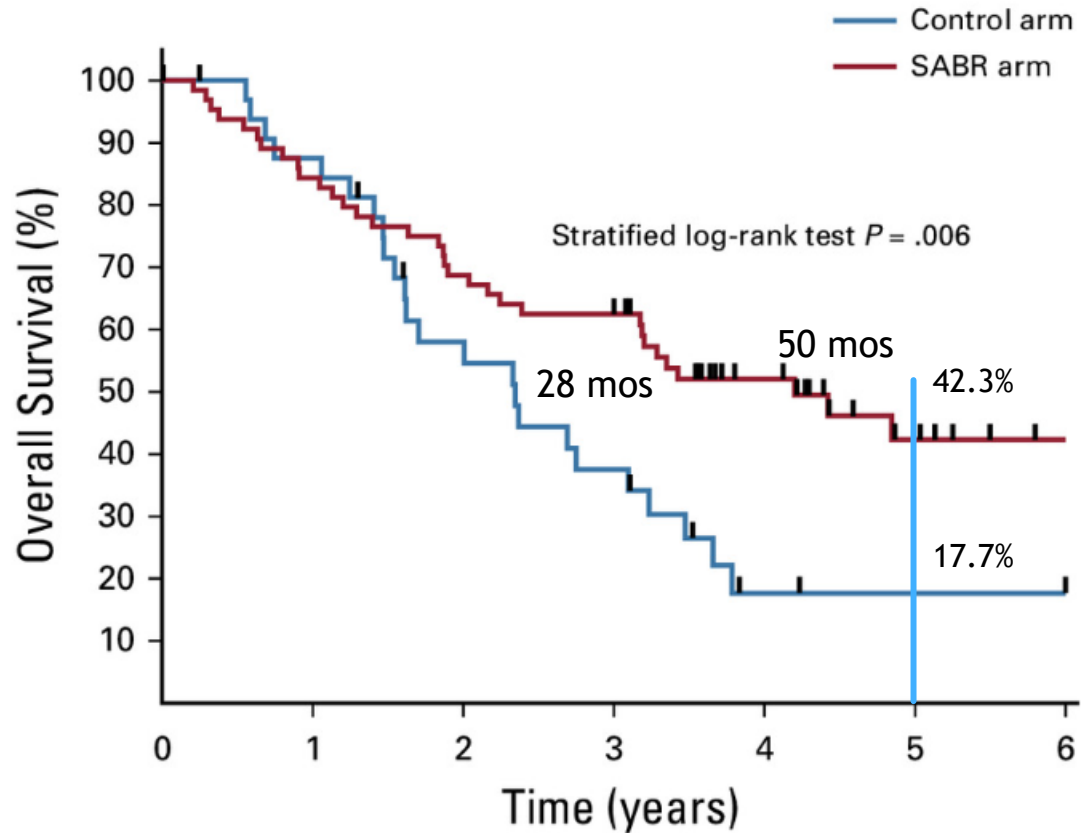
	Optional whole brain to follow (see text)				
<b>Liver</b>	LRCP site: Dose is based on calculated normal tissue probability of <5%				Every second day
	Other sites	45-60	3-8	7.5-15	Every second day
<b>Adrenal</b>		60 Gy	8	7.5	Every second day

\*If esophageal dose constraints cannot be met, 12 fractions should be used.

# No CTV margin, 2-5mm of PTV margin

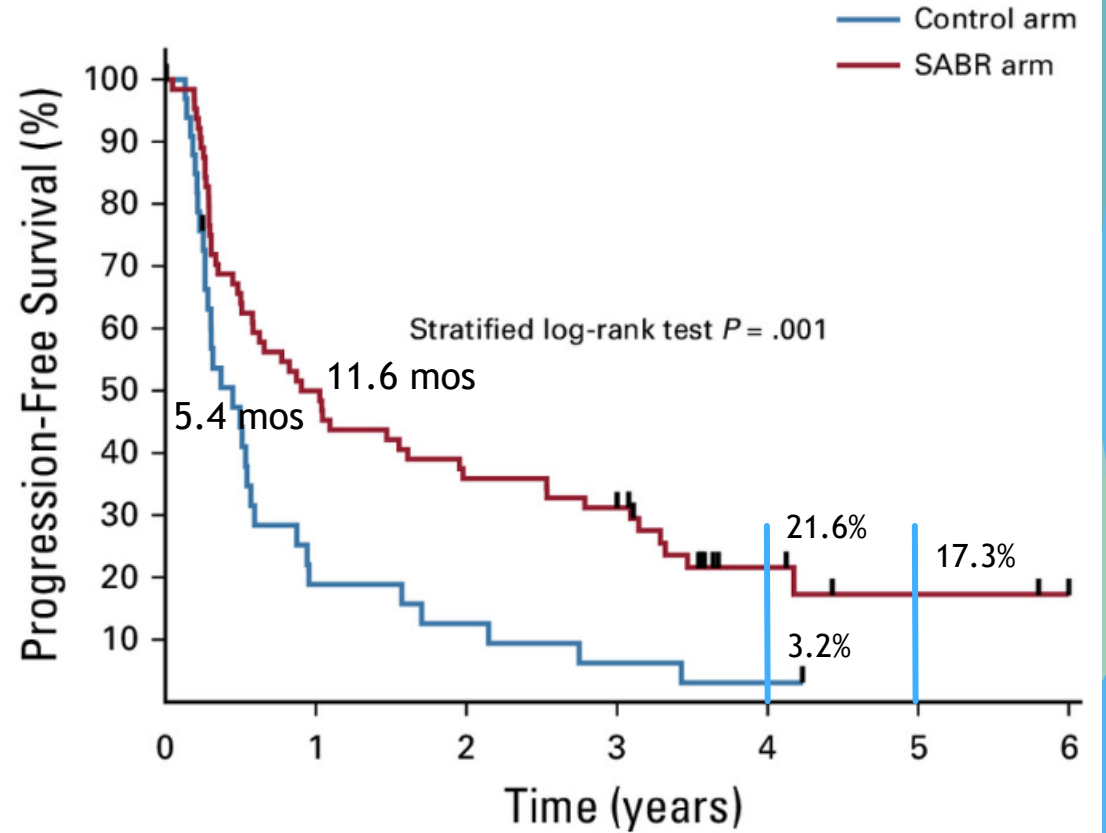
# Median FU ; 51 mos

**A**



No. at risk	0	1	2	3	4	5	6
Control	33	28	17	11	3	2	2
SABR	66	54	44	40	21	10	5

**B**



No. at risk	0	1	2	3	4	5	6
Control	33	6	4	2	1		
SABR	66	32	23	20	6	3	2


## # Median FU ; 51 mos

- ▶ Overall long term local control (RECIST 1.1)  
46% (26/57) *vs.* 63% (65/104) (*p-value* 0.039)  
differences btw lesion site : adrenal(100%), bone(72%), lung(51%), liver(50%) (*p-value* 0.04)
- ▶ Overall rate of > gr 2 toxicities  
9% (3/33) *vs.* 29% (19/66) (*p-value* 0.03)  
3 deaths in SABR arm, probably related to the treatment
- ▶ No differences in total QoL score, or subscale scores
- ▶ No differences in cumulative incidences of new metastasis
- ▶ Upcoming COMET-3, COMET-10, and CORE trial

In case of oligometastatic NSCLCa,

## **Local Consolidative Therapy Vs. Maintenance Therapy or Observation for Patients With Oligometastatic Non–Small-Cell Lung Cancer: Long-Term Results of a Multi-Institutional, Phase II, Randomized Study**

JCO 2019

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- ▶ 99 pts c  $\leq$  3 metastases, more than 3 months of controlled primary after frontline systemic therapy
- ▶ Randomly 1:1 assignment
- ▶ maintenance or observation (MT/O) vs local consolidative therapy to all active sites (LCT)
- ▶ Primary endpoint : PFS
- ▶ Secondary endpoints : OS, Toxicity, appearance of new lesion

Sites of Disease at Random Assignment	Treatment Regimen From Random Assignment to Off Study		
(1) Lung/lymph nodes	(1) 66 Gy in 33 fractions RT + paclitaxel (99 mg) + carboplatin (190 mg) IV per week	(1) Lung/lymph nodes	(1) 52.5 Gy in 15 fractions to GTV, 45 Gy in 15 fractions to PTV with SIB
(2) Spleen	(2) 50 Gy in four fractions	(2) Bone No. 1 (right rib)	(2) 45 Gy in 15 fractions
(1) Brain*	(1) Surgical resection	3) Bone No. 2 (left iliac)	3) 40 Gy in 10 fractions
(2) Lung/lymph nodes	(2) 60 Gy in 15 fractions RT to GTV, 52.5 Gy in 15 fractions to PTV with SIB	(1) Brain*	(1) Surgical resection + 15 Gy in one fraction to postoperative cavity
(1) Lung/lymph nodes	(1) 67.5 Gy in 27 fractions RT	(2) Bone (left iliac)	(2) 40 Gy in 10 fractions
(2) Bone (humerus)	(2) 30 Gy in 10 fractions	(1) Two brain lesions*	(1) 20 Gy to both sites
(1) Lung/lymph nodes	(1) and (2) 70 Gy in 10 fractions (one field)	(2) Lung/lymph nodes	(2) 45 Gy in 15 fractions
(2) Pleura	Continued maintenance therapy: erlotinib 150 mg PO per day	(1) Lung/lymph nodes	(1) 52.5 Gy in 15 fractions to GTV, 45 Gy in 15 fractions to PTV with SIB
(1) Brain*	(1) Surgical resection	(2) Adrenal	(2) Resection
(2) Lung/lymph nodes	(2) Surgical resection	(3) Bone (L4)	(3) 18 Gy in one fraction
(1) Lung/lymph nodes	(1) 66 Gy in 30 fractions RT + paclitaxel (108 mg) + carboplatin (228 mg) IV per week	(1) Liver	(1) 50 Gy in 4 fractions
(2) Metastatic lung	(2) 50 Gy in four fractions RT		Continued maintenance therapy: erlotinib 100 mg per day
(1) Lung	(1) and (2) treated to 50 Gy in four fractions	(1) Bone (S1)	(1) 30 Gy in 10 fractions
(2) Metastatic lung lesions (n = 2)		(2) Lung/lymph nodes	(2) 66 Gy in 30 fractions RT + pemetrexed (1,270 mg) + carboplatin (828 mg) IV per week
(1) Two brain lesions*	1) Gamma knife, 15 Gy and 20 Gy	1) Brain	(1) No local treatment (disease responded to chemotherapy)
(2) Lung/lymph nodes	2) Not treated (experienced progression before local therapy)	2) Lung/Lymph Nodes	(2) 66 Gy in 30 fractions RT + paclitaxel (100 mg) + carboplatin (244 mg) IV per week
(1) Two bony sites (T9 and left humerus)*	(1) 30 Gy in 10 fractions each	(1) Lung/lymph nodes	(1) 60 Gy in 30 fractions RT + pemetrexed (756 mg) + carboplatin (490 mg) IV per week
(2) Lung/lymph nodes	(2) Surgical resection and PORT, 60 Gy in 30 fractions	(2) Bone (R iliac)	(2) Not treated (not visible after completion of chemoradiation)
(1) Lung	(1) 70 Gy in 10 fractions	(1) Lung/lymph nodes	(1) 52.5 Gy in 15 fractions
(2) Metastatic lung (n = 2 nodules)	(2) 50 Gy in 4 fractions	(2) Liver	(2) 50 Gy in four fractions
(1) Lung/lymph nodes	(1) Surgical resection and PORT, 45 Gy in 15 fractions	(1) Lung/lymph nodes	(1) and (2) 45 Gy in 15 fractions
(2) Metastatic lung	(2) Surgical resection	(2) Cervical lymph nodes	
	Continued maintenance therapy: pemetrexed 500 mg/m <sup>2</sup>	(1) Lung (primary site)	(1) 60 Gy in eight fractions
		(2) Adrenal	(2) 60 Gy in eight fractions
		(1) Lung/lymph nodes	(1) and (2) 60 Gy in 30 fractions + cisplatin 25 mg/m <sup>2</sup> + etoposide 100 mg/m <sup>2</sup> IV every 21 days
		(2) Cervical lymph nodes	
		(1) Lung (primary Site, pleural metastases resolved)	(1) 48 Gy in four fractions
			Continued maintenance therapy: crizotinib 250 mg PO twice per day

Conventional

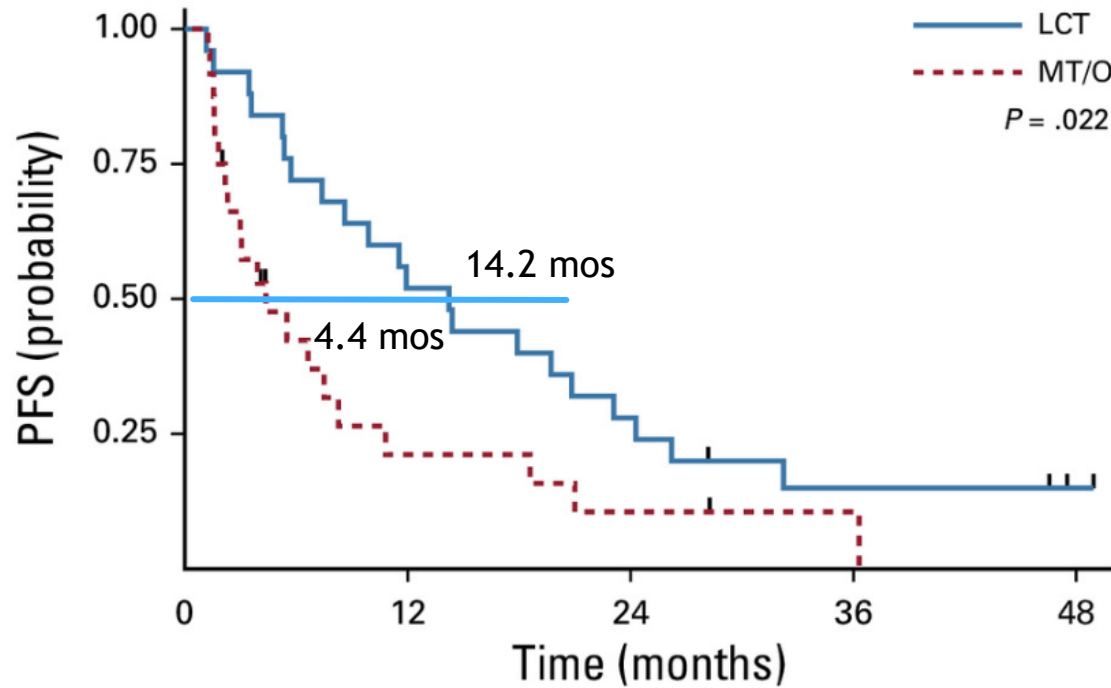
SABR

Hypofraction

# Median FU ; 38.8 mos

median PFS for all pts 8.3 mos

**A**

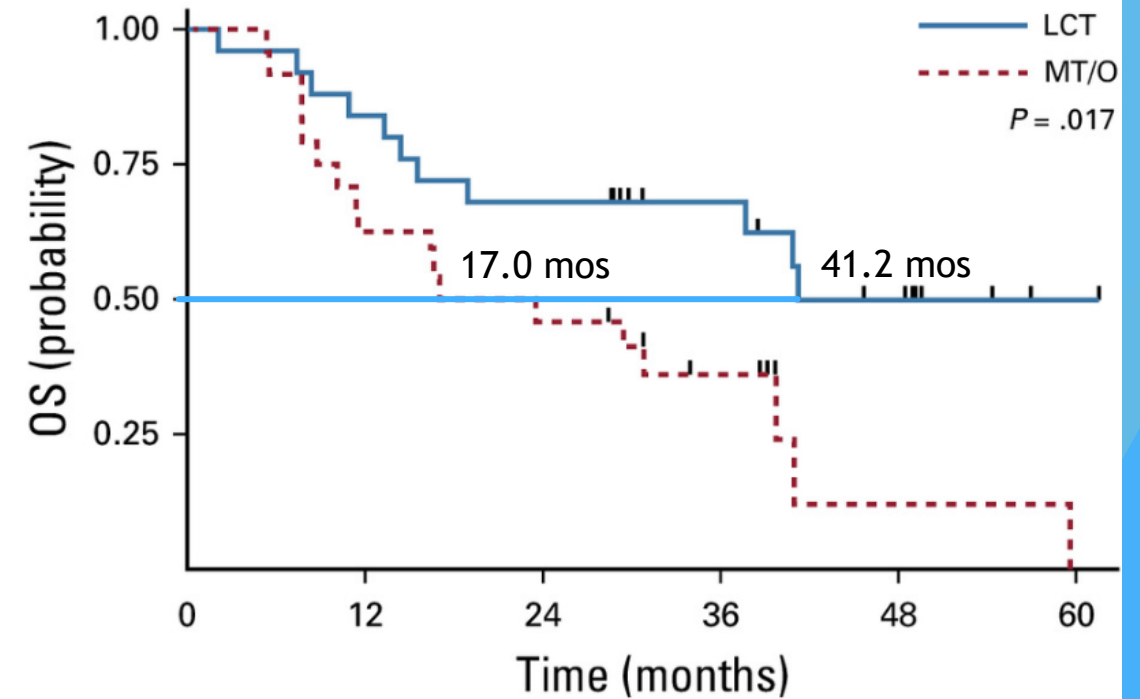


No. at risk

LCT:	25	13	7	3	1
MT/O:	24	4	2	1	0

median OS for all pts 37.7 mos

**B**



No. at risk

LCT:	25	21	17	12	7	1
MT/O:	24	15	11	6	1	0

# In case of bone metastases,

Review Article

## Optimal timing for local ablative treatment of bone oligometastases in non-small cell lung cancer

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### 1<sup>st</sup> line systemic treatment

	Pre-emptive	Consolidative
Advantages	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Early reduction of overall disease burden</li><li>• Increase responsivity to systemic treatment</li><li>• Early alleviation of symptoms in painful bone lesions</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Initial systemic chemotherapy may provide comprehensive disease control</li><li>• Possibility of decreasing radiation fields after the initial systemic chemotherapy response</li><li>• Can observe initial disease course</li></ul>
Disadvantages	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Radiation field may be large</li><li>• Risk of unnecessary toxicities in patients with poor performance and multiple comorbidities</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Symptoms related to bone metastatic lesions can last longer</li><li>• Cancer cells may earn time for treatment resistance</li></ul>

Initial image assessment for synchronous bone metastatic lesions using PET/CT, MRI, etc

Metastatic lesions equal or less than 5 sites

\*Initial assessment of the lesions

- disease burden
- weightbearing bones?
- risk for skeletal-related events
- symptomatic? (pain etc.)
- osteolytic vs osteogenic
- concurrent metastatic lesions of other organs

\*Undergo multi-disciplinary board discussion for assessment of


- possible treatment-related toxicity
- expected response of initial systemic treatment
- other non-bone lesions requiring upfront LAT
- patients' underlying diseases that may interfere with LAT (e.g. osteoporosis)

\*Undergo LAT to bone oligometastatic lesions if:

- expected clinical benefit outweighs potential treatment-related toxicity
- synergistic effect is expected from combination of LAT and systemic treatment
- rapid alleviation of symptoms associated with the lesions is necessary
- concurrent neurologic symptoms are present

High-risk bone metastasis

# Prophylactic Radiation Therapy vs. Standard-of-Care for Patients with High-Risk, Asymptomatic Bone Metastases: A Multicenter, Randomized Phase II Trial

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- ▶ High-risk bone lesions : bulky disease ( $\geq 2$ cm in longest diameter), junctional spine or posterior spinal element disease, disease involving hip or sacroiliac joint, or disease in long bone involving 1/3-2/3 cortical thickness
- ▶ Randomly 1:1 assignment >> RT arm vs. SOC (standard-of-care)
- ▶ 78 pts c 122 bone lesions
- ▶ Primary endpoint : Skeleton-related event (SRE, fracture, cord compression, or intervention with surgery or radiation)
- ▶ m/c primary site : lung (27%), followed by breast (24%), prostate (22%)

# At 1 year,

- ▶ SRE occurred in 1/62 (1.6%, RT arm) vs. 14/49 (29%, SOC arm) (*p-value* <0.001)  
significant differences in time-to-SRE by type of high risk feature (*p-value* 0.016)  
most events occurred in **junctional spine, and bulky disease**  
fewer pts hospitalized for SRE in RT arm ; 0 vs. 4, (*p-value* 0.045)

Surgical intervention

# Median FU ; 2.4 yrs

- ▶ OS : significantly longer in the RT arm (HR 0.50, *p-value* 0.02)
- ▶ Median OS among 11 pts c SRE was 1.1 yrs vs. 1.5 yrs among 67 pts s SRE
- ▶ Pain : reduced at 3 mos in the RT arm (*p-value* <0.05) compared to the SOC arm

Component	Score
<b>Location</b>	
Junctional (O-C2; C7-T2; T11-L1; L5-S1)	3
Mobile spine (C3-6; L2-4)	2
Semirigid (T3-10)	1
Rigid (S2-S5)	0
<b>Mechanical pain</b>	
Yes	3
No	2
Pain free lesion	1
<b>Bone lesion</b>	
Lytic	2
Mixed (lytic/blastic)	1
Blastic	0
<b>Radiographic spinal alignment</b>	
Subluxation/translation present	4
Deformity (kyphosis/scoliosis)	2
Normal	0
<b>Vertebral body collapse</b>	
>50% collapse	3
<50% collapse	2
No collapse with >50% body involved	1
None of the above	0
<b>Posterolateral involvement</b>	
Bilateral	3
Unilateral	1
None of the above	0

## # Spinal instability neoplastic score, SINS

	Score (Total = 0-18)		
	1-6	7-12	13-18
Clinical categories	Stable	Potentially unstable	Unstable
Binary scale	Stable	Current or potentially unstable = possible surgical intervention	

<sup>a</sup>Data adapted from Fischer et al.<sup>9</sup>