

# Les progrès dans les thérapies anticancéreuses : le rôle du cardiologue.



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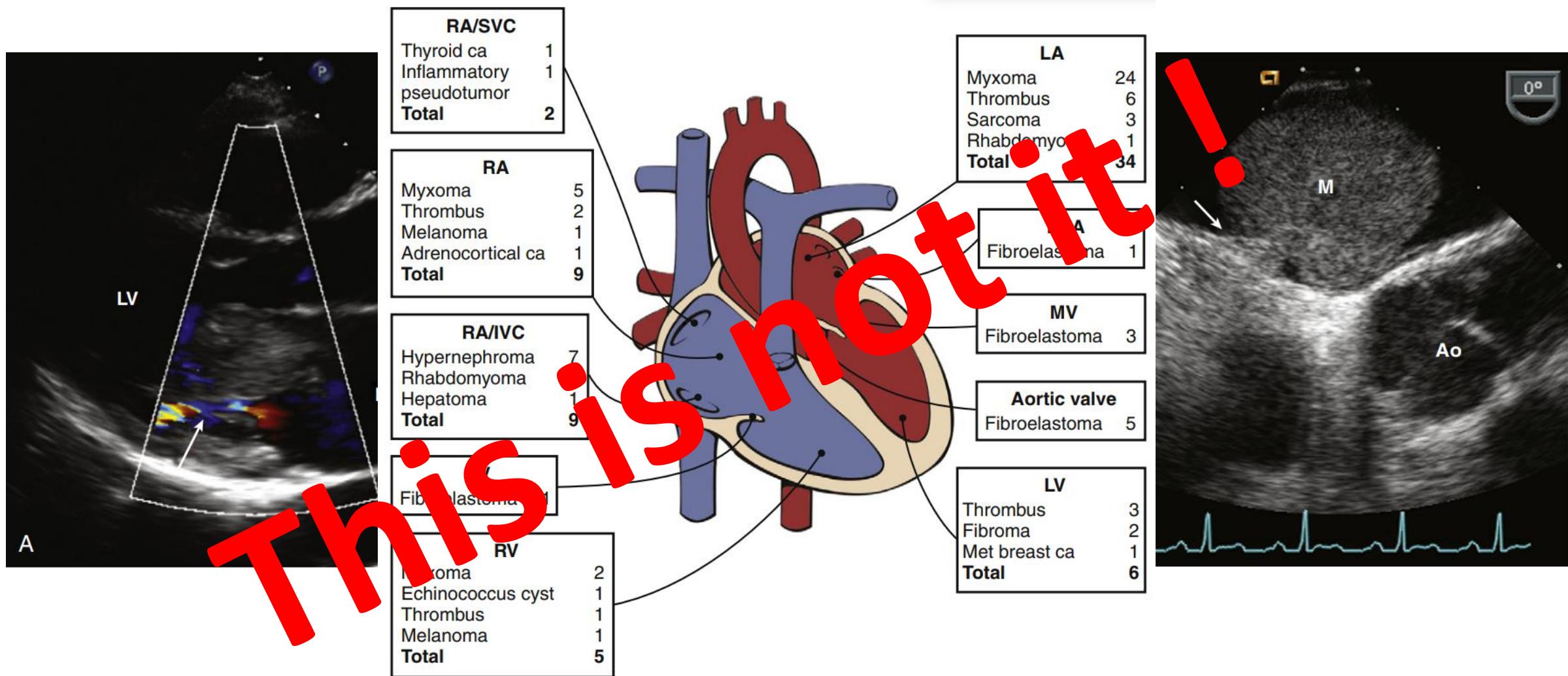
### Oncologie

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# Plan

- What is cardio-oncology ?
- General cancer epidemiology
- Cardiotoxicity profile and cardiac assessment for specific cancer treatments
  - Fluoropyrimidine therapy
  - Anthracyclines
  - Anti HER2 therapy
  - Radiotherapy
  - Anti-androgen therapy
  - Tyrosine Kinase therapy
  - Immunotherapy
- Clinical cases
- Impact of a cardio-oncology unit
  - A multidisciplinary approach

# What is cardio-oncology ?



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## Definition

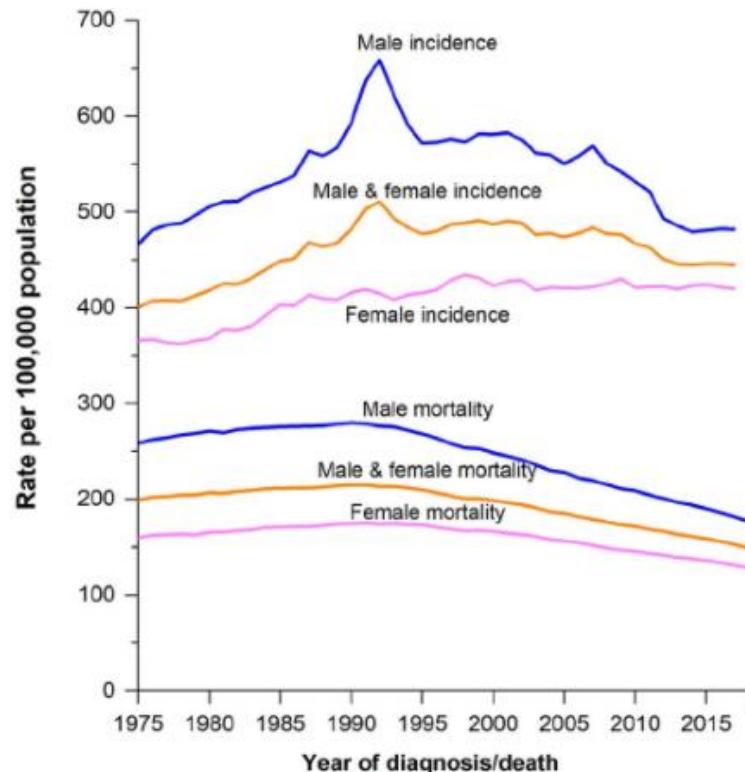
Cardio-Oncology is a subspecialty of cardiology that aims to optimize the cardiovascular health of cancer patients to guide and support them during and after necessary cancer treatment.

## Among the main goals :

- ✓ to allow for optimized cancer therapy with minimal cardiac “collateral damage”
- ✓ to minimize unnecessary treatment interruption
- ✓ to maximize treatment completion

# What is all the fuss about ?

- Oncology patients do live longer
- there are around 50 000 000 patients worldwide (*cancer patients + survivors*)



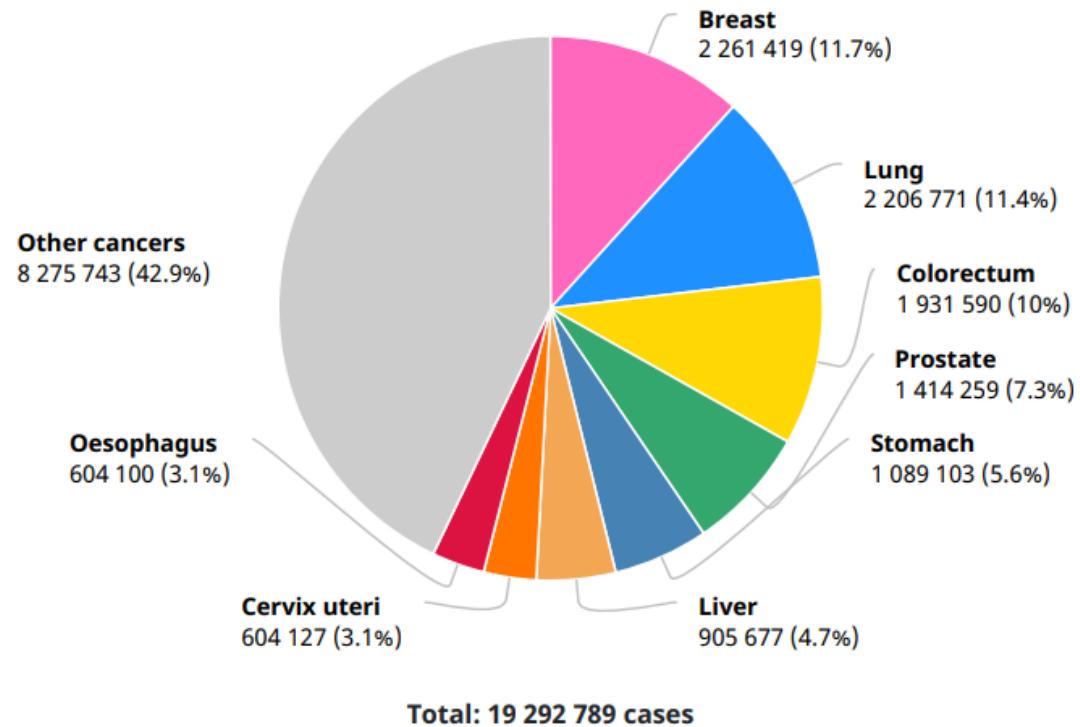
Incidence et mortalité liée au cancer aux USA (1975-2018)

Site	1975 (%)	2018 (%)	% augmentation
Prostate	67	98	31
Mélanome	77	93	16
Sein	75	90	15
Colon	51	65	14
Poumon	12	21	9

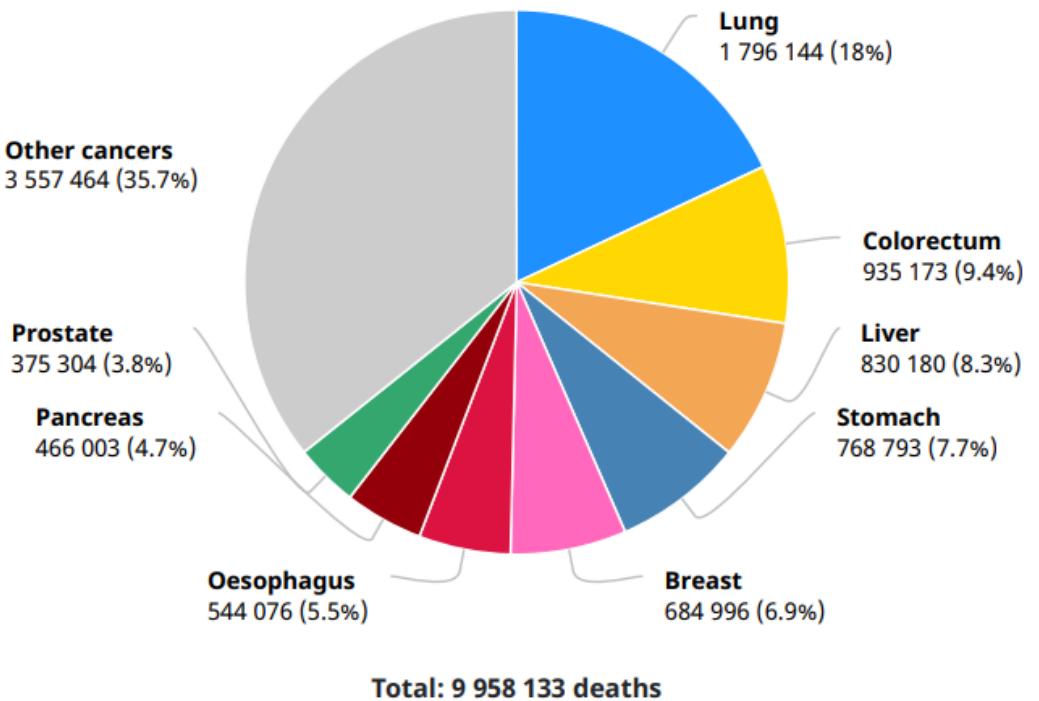
Survie à 5 ans tous stades confondus

# Cancer burden in 2020 - WHO

Number of new cases in 2020, both sexes, all ages

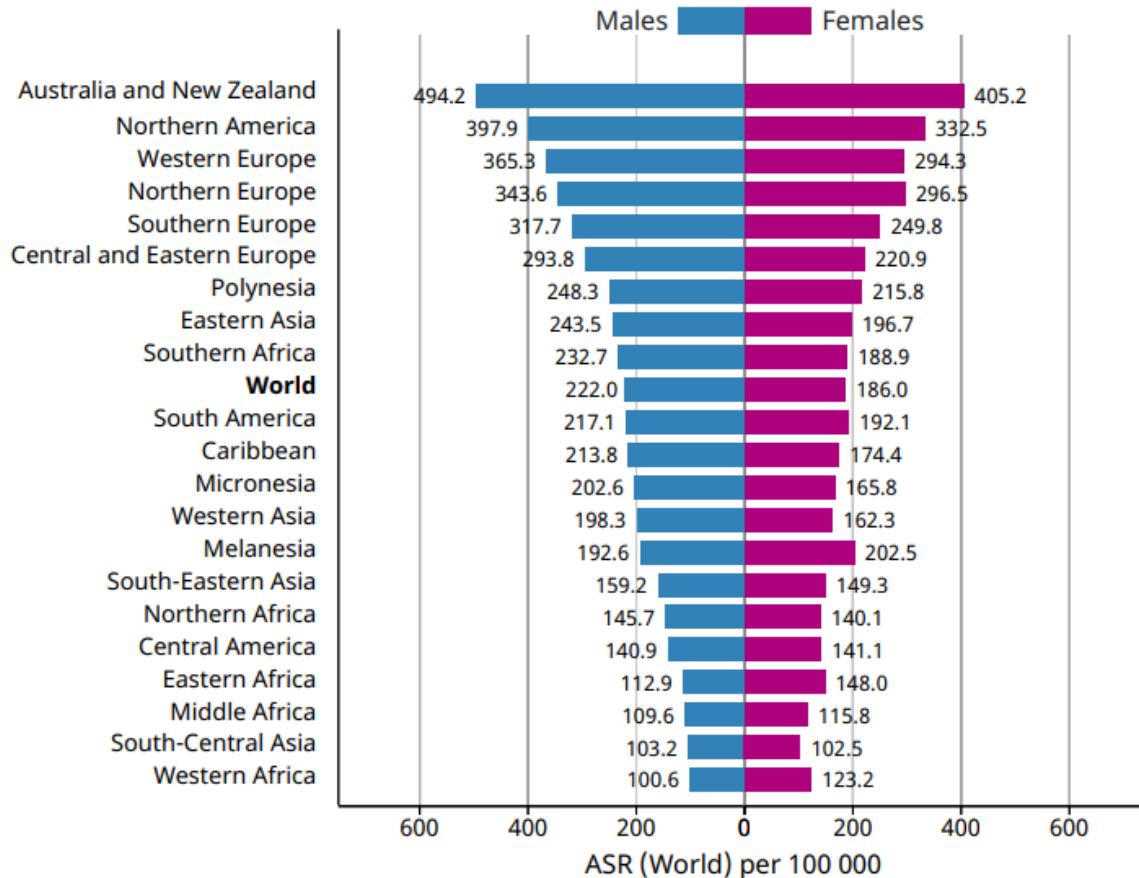


Number of deaths in 2020, both sexes, all ages

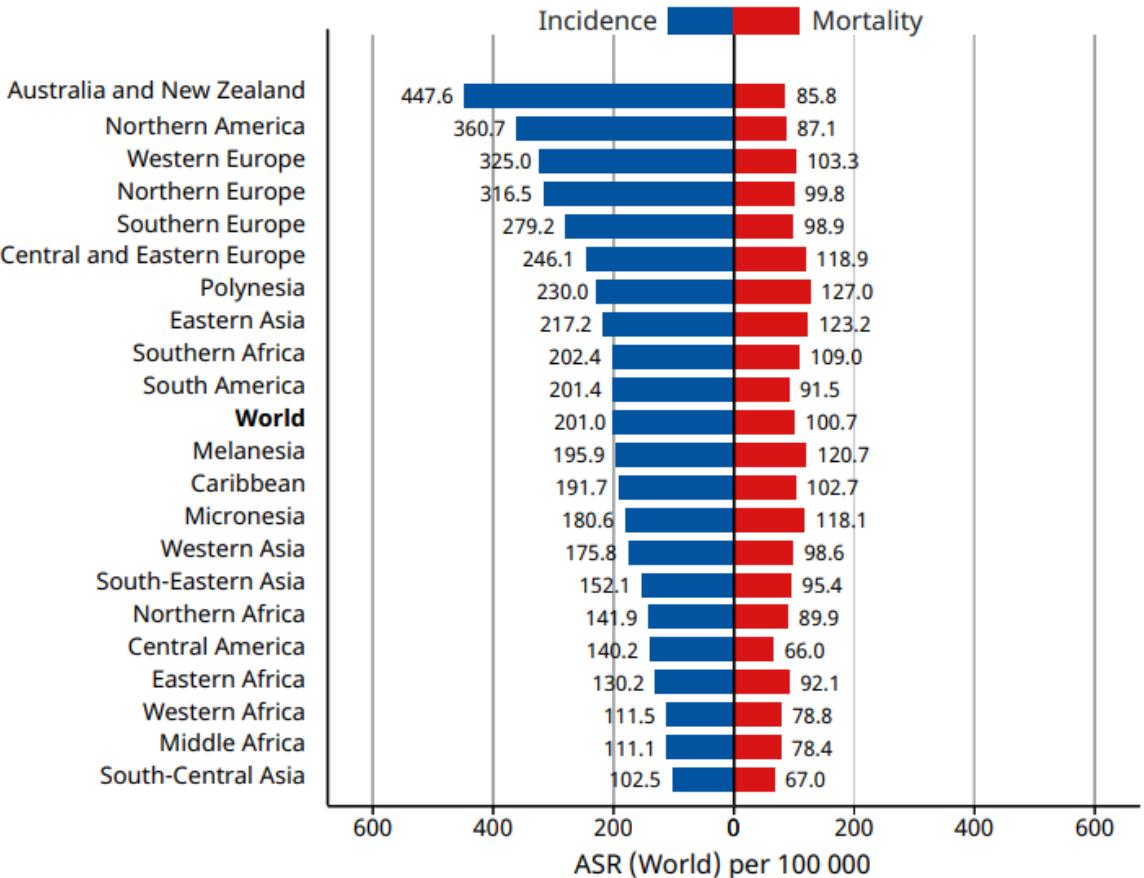


# Cancer burden in 2020 - WHO

Age standardized (World) incidence rates, all cancers, by sex

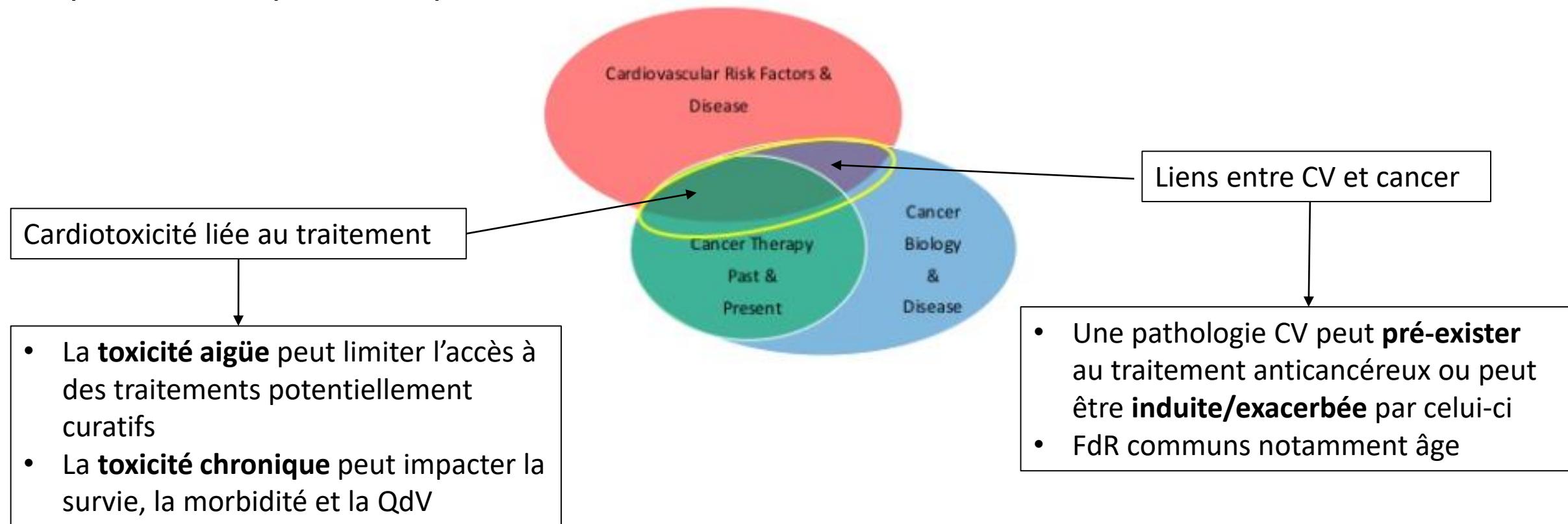


Age standardized (World) incidence and mortality rates, all cancers



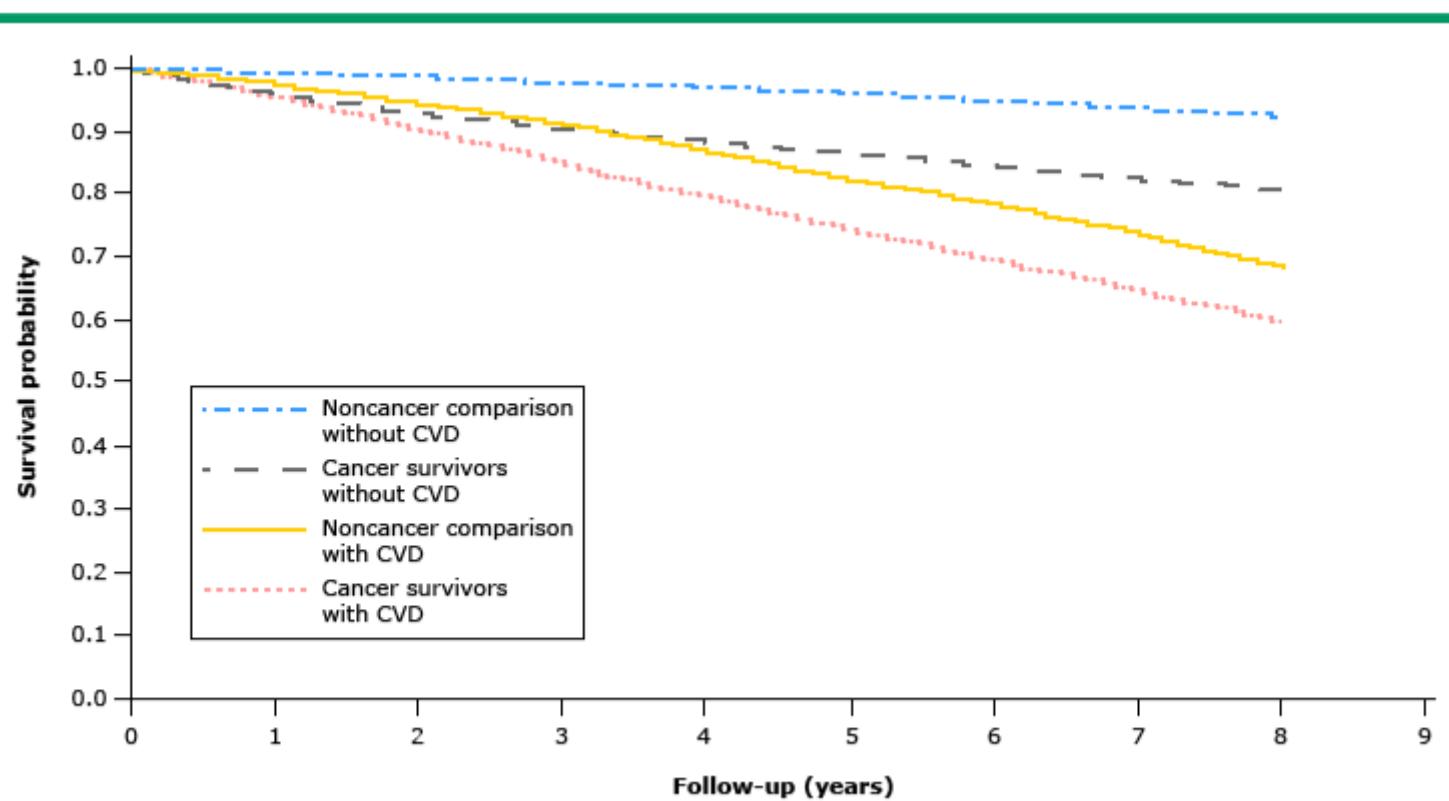
# Qu'est ce que la cardio-oncologie?

Travail conjoint entre cardiologues et oncologues pour éviter/prévenir les effets indésirables cardiovasculaires de certaines chimiothérapies, en particulier chez les patients les plus à risque.



# Pourquoi la cardio-oncologie?

All-cause mortality in cancer survivors and noncancer comparison cohort by CVD status



CVD: cardiovascular disease.

**TABLE 2** Association of CV Risk Factors, Biomarkers, and CVD With Cancer

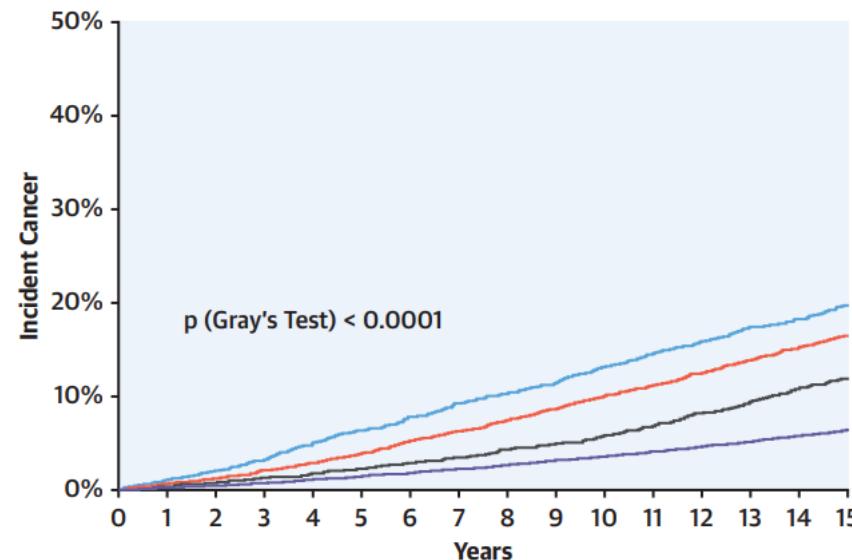
	Cancer (n/N = 2,548/20,305)	p Value
	HR (95% CI)	
CV risk factors*		
Age	2.12 (2.00–2.26)	<0.001
Male	1.39 (1.28–1.51)	<0.001
SBP	0.99 (0.94–1.03)	0.49
HTN treatment	1.10 (1.00–1.22)	0.06
BMI	1.03 (0.99–1.08)	0.20
DM	1.10 (0.94–1.30)	0.24
Former smoker	1.30 (1.18–1.43)	<0.001
Current smoker	1.74 (1.57–1.93)	<0.001
TC/HDL	0.96 (0.91–1.00)	0.048
Statin use	0.92 (0.77–1.10)	0.36
Risk scores†		
10-yr ASCVD risk	1.16 (1.14–1.17)	<0.001
Low	Ref.	
Borderline	1.88 (1.63–2.18)	<0.001
Intermediate	2.70 (2.44–3.00)	<0.001
High	3.71 (3.29–4.19)	<0.001
Biomarkers*		
NP tertile 1	Ref.	Ptrend = 0.02
Tertile 2	1.10 (0.90–1.34)	0.35
Tertile 3	1.40 (1.02–1.91)	0.035
NP × time interaction‡	0.87 (0.81–0.95)	0.001
Continuous	1.26 (1.12–1.41)	<0.001
hs-cTn tertile 1	Ref.	Ptrend = 0.47
Tertile 2	1.24 (1.01–1.53)	0.043
Tertile 3	1.16 (0.84–1.61)	0.37
hs-cTn × time interaction‡	0.95 (0.88–1.03)	0.18
Continuous	1.10 (0.99–1.21)	0.07
Previous events*		
CVD, n = 1,020	0.96 (0.82–1.12)	0.61
MI, n = 793	1.03 (0.87–1.22)	0.71
HF, n = 116	0.66 (0.37–1.17)	0.15
Interim events*		
CVD, n = 1454	0.99 (0.85–1.16)	0.91
MI, n = 687	0.99 (0.79–1.25)	0.95
HF, n = 681	1.07 (0.84–1.36)	0.59

**TABLE 1** Baseline Demographic and Clinical Characteristics

	Total Cohort (N = 20,305)	Incident Cancer (n = 2,548)	No Cancer* (n = 17,757)
Age, yrs	50 ± 14	59 ± 12	49 ± 14
Men	9,426 (46)	1,328 (52)	8,098 (46)
SBP, mm Hg	126 ± 19	132 ± 20	125 ± 19
DBP, mm Hg	75 ± 10	77 ± 10	75 ± 10
HTN treatment	3,097 (15)	624 (25)	2,473 (14)
BMI, kg/m <sup>2</sup>	26.5 ± 4.8	27.0 ± 4.7	26.4 ± 4.8
DM	839 (4)	171 (7)	668 (4)
Former smoker	6,750 (33)	1,035 (41)	5,715 (32)
Current smoker	5,822 (29)	786 (31)	5,036 (28)
Total cholesterol, mg/dl	210 ± 42	215 ± 42	209 ± 42
HDL, mg/dl	52 ± 16	50 ± 16	52 ± 16
Statin therapy	820 (4)	140 (6)	680 (4)
eGFR, ml/min <sup>1</sup> /1.73 m <sup>2</sup>	85 ± 25	74 ± 21	87 ± 26
10-yr ASCVD risk, %	8.2 ± 11.9	13.9 ± 13.5	7.4 ± 11.4

# Cancer and Heart disease : shared risk factors

**CENTRAL ILLUSTRATION** Risk of Future Cancer by ASCVD Score



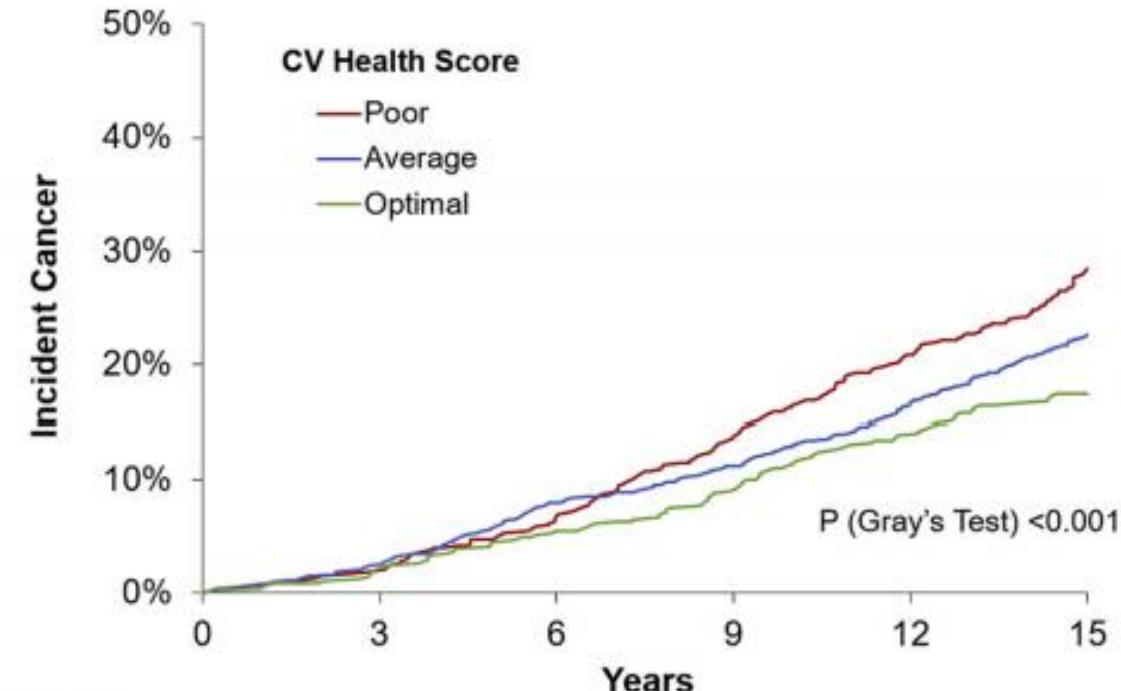
Number at Risk:

ASCVD 10-Year Risk	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
ASCVD >20%	2,554	2,366	2,055	1,757	1,453	1,163										
ASCVD 7.5%-20%	3,985	3,865	3,651	3,428	3,151	2,735										
ASCVD 5%-7.5%	1,744	1,705	1,678	1,609	1,505	1,289										
ASCVD <5%	12,022	11,916	11,725	11,454	10,970	7,712										

Lau, E.S. et al. J Am Coll Cardiol CardioOnc. 2021;3(1):48-58.

Incident cancer among subjects classified as atherosclerotic cardiovascular disease (ASCVD) low risk (<5%) (purple), borderline risk (5% to 7.5%) (gray), intermediate risk (7.5% to 20%) (red), and high risk (>20%) (blue) for developing cancer.

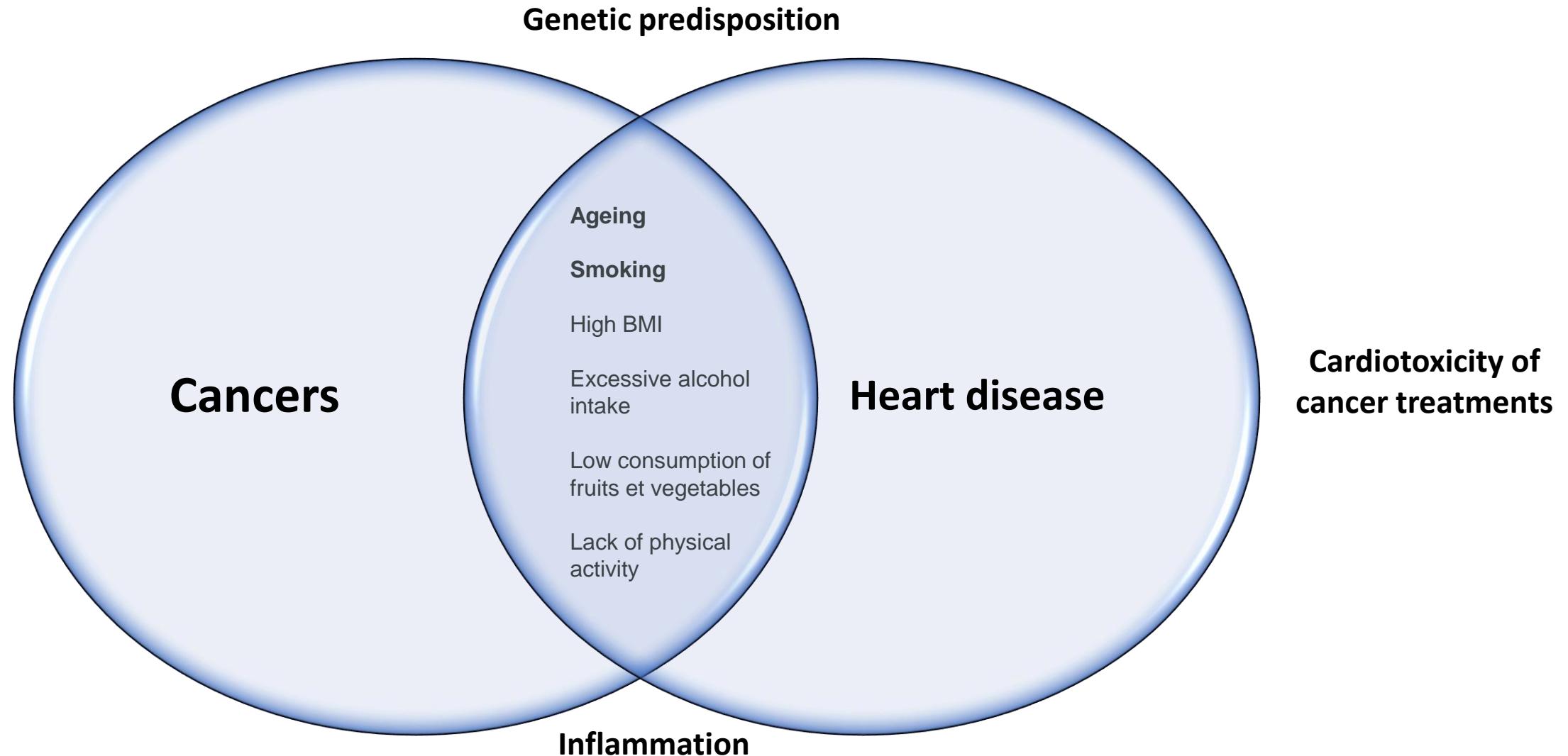
**FIGURE 1** Time to Incident Cancer by Categories of the AHA's Life Simple 7 CVH Score



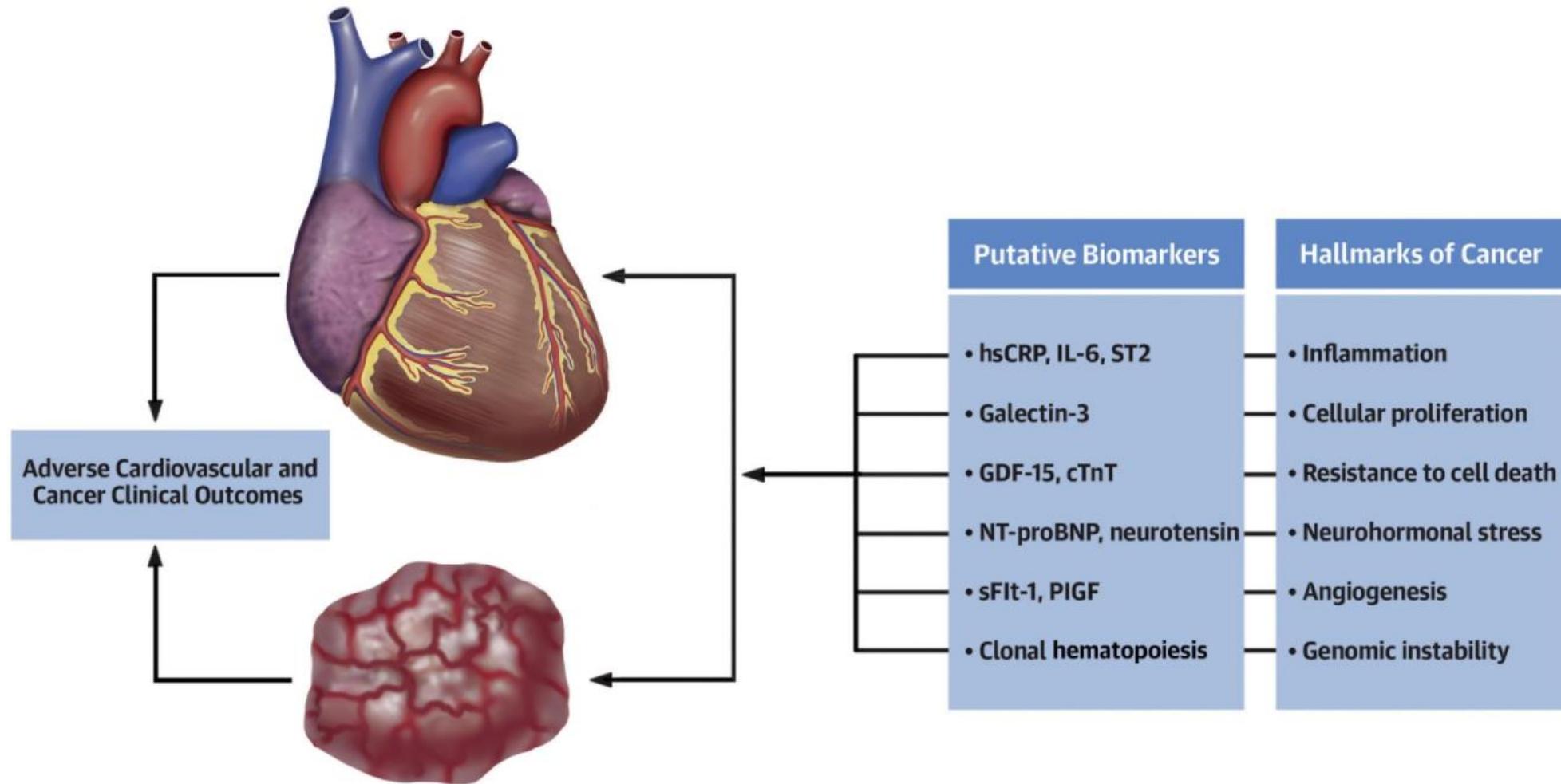
Number at Risk

	0	3	6	9	12	15
Poor	532	522	487	440	390	329
Average	1301	1259	1177	1118	1016	905
Optimal	493	482	461	438	480	379

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## CENTRAL ILLUSTRATION: Shared Pathophysiological Mechanisms Between Cardiovascular Disease and Cancer



# Cancer treatment : the other obvious link between cancer and cardiovascular disease



Together we will beat cancer

## Cancer drugs A to Z list

There are many cancer drugs and cancer drug combinations. They have individual targeted cancer drugs and bisphosphonates. The drugs are listed in alphabetical order.

A to Z list of cancer drugs including combination treatments

Start typing ...



A	F	O
ABVD	FEC	Obinut
AC	FLOT	Octreo
Abemaciclib (Verzenois)	FMD	Olapar
Abiraterone (Zytiga)	FOLFIRINOX	Oncovi
Abraxane	Faslodex	Onkotr
Abstral	Femara	Opdivo
Actinomycin D	Fentanyl	Oramo
Actiq	Firmagon	OxCap
Adriamycin	Fludara	Oxalipli
Afatinib (Giotrif)	Fludarabine (Fludara)	Oxalipli
Afinitor	Fludarabine, cyclophosphamide and rituximab (FCR)	P
Aflibercept (Zaltrap)	Fluorouracil (5FU)	PC (pa
Aldara	Fluorouracil (5FU) and mitomycin C	PCV
Aldesleukin (IL-2, Proleukin or interleukin 2)	Fluorouracil (5FU) and mitomycin C and docetaxel (FEC-T)	PE
Alectinib (Alecensa)	Flutamide	PMitCE
Alemtuzumab (Campath, MabCampath)	Folinic acid, fluorouracil and irinotecan (FOLFI)	POMB/
Alkeran	Folinic acid, fluorouracil and oxaliplatin (FOLFOX)	Pacita
Amsacrine (Amsidine, m-AMSA)	Fulvestrant (Faslodex)	Palboc
Amsidine	G	Pamidi
Anastrozole (Arimidex)	G	Panad
Ara C	G	Panitui
Aredia	G	Parace

## FEC

FEC is the name of a combination of chemotherapy drugs.

## What is FEC?

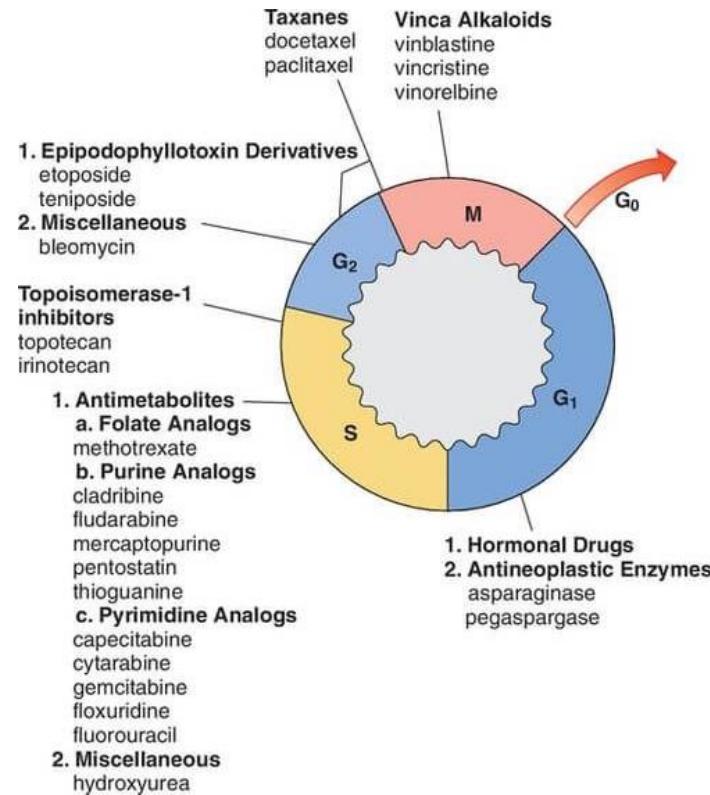
The FEC chemotherapy combination includes:

- F – fluorouracil (5FU)
- E – epirubicin
- C – cyclophosphamide

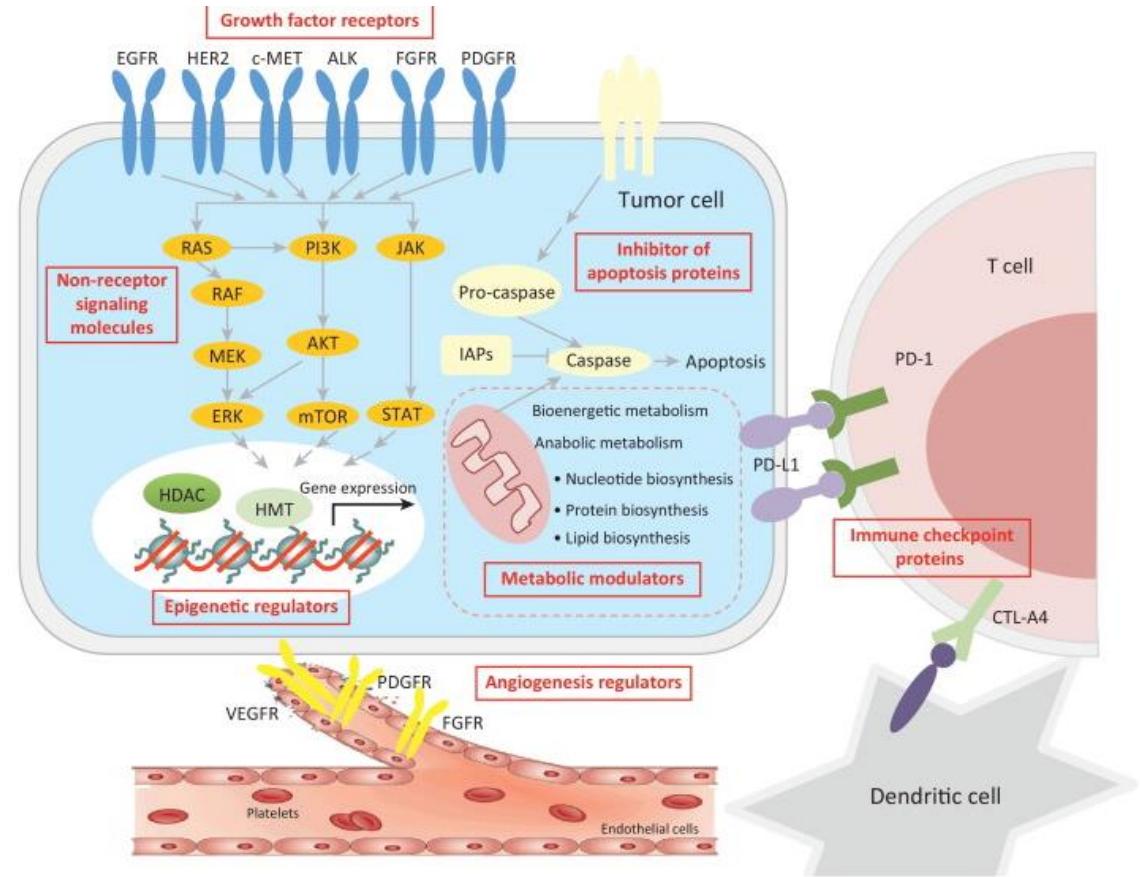
It is a treatment for breast cancer.

CAPE-OX	IL-2	RICE
CAPOX	IPF	Raioxifene
CAV	Ibandronic acid (Bondronat)	Raltitrexed (Tomudex)
CCNU	Ibrutinib (Imbruvica)	Regorafenib (Stivarga)
CHOP	Ibuprofen (Brufen, Nurofen)	Revlimid
CMF	Iclusig	Ribociclib (Kisqali)
CMV	Idarubicin (Zavedos)	Rituximab (Mabthera, Rixathon, Truxima)
CVP	Idelalisib (Zydelig)	Rucaparib (Rubraca)
	Ifosfamide (Mitoxana)	Ruxolitinib
	Imatinib (Glivec)	S
	Imiquimod cream (Aldara)	Sevredol
	Inotuzumab ozogamicin (Besponsa)	Sodium clodronate (Bonefos, Clasteon, Loron)
	Instanyl	Sofipadol
	Interferon alfa (IntronA, Roferon-A)	Sorafenib (Nexavar)
	Interleukin	Steroids (dexamethasone, prednisolone, methylprednisolone and hydrocortisone)
	Intron A	Streptozocin (Zanosar)
	Ipilimumab (Yervoy)	Sunitinib (Sutent)
	Ipilimumab and nivolumab	Sutent
	Iressa	T
	Irinotecan (Campto)	TAC
	Irinotecan and capecitabine (XELIRI)	TIP
	Irinotecan de Gramont	Tafinlar
	Irinotecan modified de Gramont	Talimogene laherparepvec (T-VEC)
	J	Tamoxifen
	Javlor	Tarccea
	Jevtana	Targretin
	Kadcyla	Tasigna
	Kapake	Taxol
	Keytruda	Taxotere
	L	Taxotere and cyclophosphamide (TC)
	Morphine	(VAD)
	Myleran	Vindesine (Eldisine)
	Myocet	Vinorelbine (Navelbine)
	m-AMSA	Votrient
	N	X
	Nab-paclitaxel	XELOX
	Nab-paclitaxel (Abraxane)	Xalkori
	Navelbine	Xeoda
	Nelarabine (Atriance)	Xgeva
	Neratinib (Nerlynx)	Xtandi
	Nexavar	
	Nilotinib (Tasigna)	Y
	Nintedanib (Vargatef)	Yervoy
	i	Yondelis
	i (Braftovi) and Binimetinib	Z
	Nipent	Zaltrap
	iide (Xtandi)	Zanoxar
	i (Pharmorubicin)	Zavedos
	i, carboplatin and capecitabine	Zelboraf
	j	Zevitin
	i, cisplatin and capecitabine (ECX)	Zoledex (breast cancer)
	Eribulin (Halaven)	Zoledex (prostate cancer)
	Erlotinib (Tarceva)	Zoledronic acid (Zometa)
	Erwinase	Zomeca
	Estracyt	Zomorph
	Etopophos	Zydelig
	Etoposide (Etopophos, Vepesid)	Zytiga

# A myraid of anti-cancer treatments

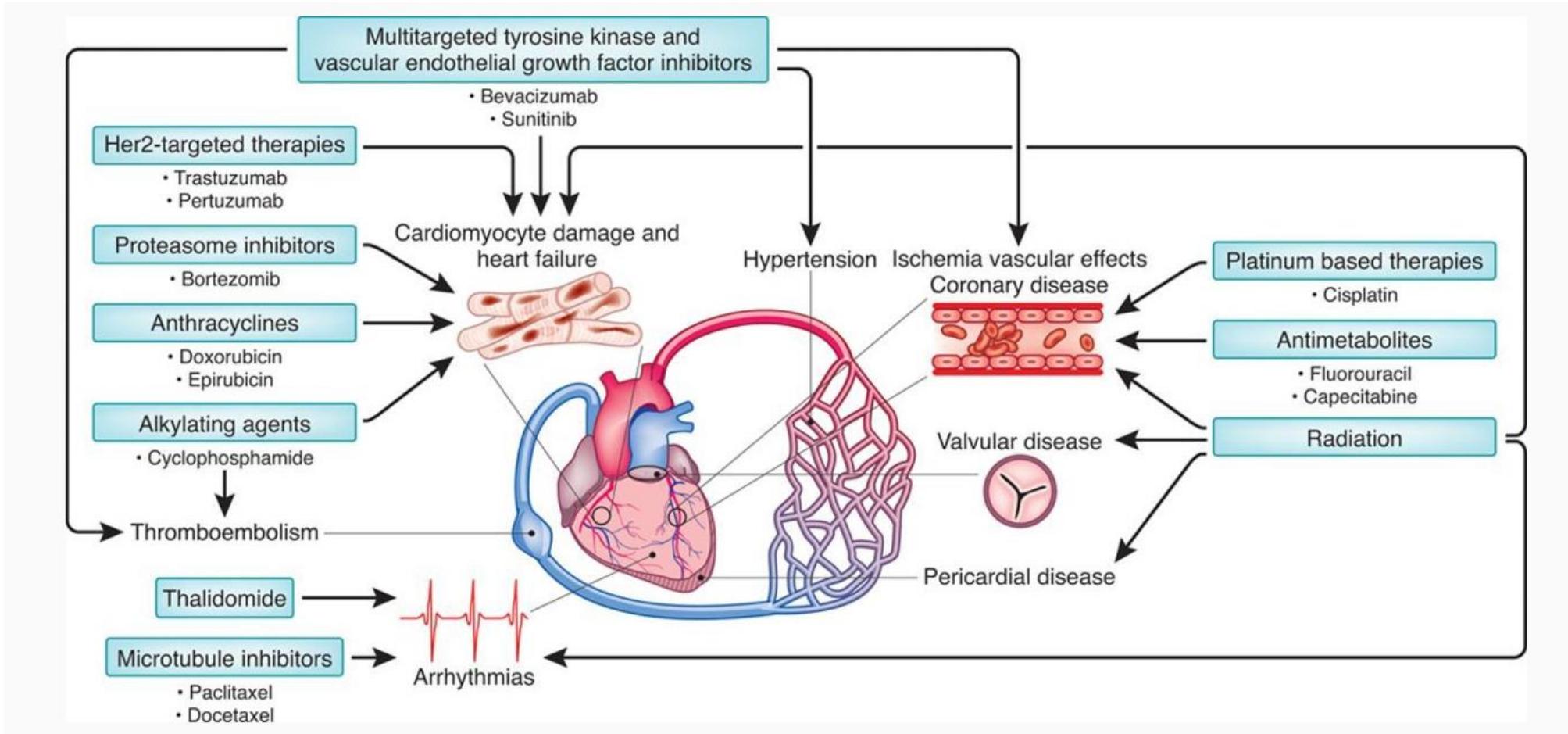


Cytotoxiques



Thérapies ciblées/immunothérapie

# A diverse cardiotoxicity profile



# How to get around this vast heterogeneity ?

## Concept of risk of cardiotoxicity

Facteurs de risque de cardiotoxicité		
Facteurs de risque liés au traitement	Facteurs de risque liés au patient	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li><b>Risque haut</b> (score 4): anthracyclines, cyclophosphamide, ifosfamide, clofarabine, trastuzumab</li><li><b>Risque intermédiaire</b> (score 2): docétaxel, pertuzumab, sunitinib, sorafénib</li><li><b>Risque bas</b> (score 1): béravizumab, dasatinib, imatinib, lapatinib</li><li><b>Risque très bas</b> (score 0): par exemple, étoposide, rituximab, thalidomide</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Cardiopathie ou insuffisance cardiaque connues</li><li>Maladie coronarienne significative ou équivalent (artériopathie oblitérante)</li><li>Hypertension artérielle</li><li>Diabète</li><li>Antécédent de traitement par anthracyclines</li><li>Radiothérapie thoracique actuelle ou dans les antécédents</li><li>Âge &lt; 15 ans ou &gt; 65 ans</li><li>Sexe féminin</li></ul>	
Calcul du risque global (CRS- Cardiotoxicity Risk Score) (score du risque thérapeutique + nombre de facteurs de risque liés au patient)		
Catégories de risque	Proposition de suivi	Traitements cardioprotecteurs (avant et pendant la chimiothérapie)
Risque très haut	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>ETT avec mesure du strain longitudinal global avant chaque cure (ou 1 sur 2); à l'arrêt du traitement, à 3-6 mois et 1 année</li><li>Optionnelle: ECG et dosage Tn avant les ETT prévues</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Introduction IECA/sartan, carvédilol, statine</li><li>Commencer la chimiothérapie 1 semaine après l'introduction du traitement</li><li>Majoration jusqu'aux doses maximales tolérées</li></ul>
Risque haut	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>ETT avec mesure du strain longitudinal global toutes les 3 cures, à l'arrêt du traitement, à 3-6 mois et 1 année</li><li>Optionnelle: ECG et dosage Tn avant les ETT prévues</li></ul>	Introduction IECA/sartan, carvédilol, ± statine
Risque intermédiaire	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>ETT avec mesure du strain longitudinal global à la moitié du traitement, à l'arrêt du traitement, et à 3-6 mois après l'arrêt</li><li>Optionnelle: ECG et dosage Tn au milieu du traitement</li></ul>	Discuter l'introduction du traitement cardioprotecteur (balance risque/bénéfice)
Risque bas	Optionnelle: ETT avec mesure du strain longitudinal global ± ECG et dosage Tn à l'arrêt du traitement	
Risque très bas	Suivi clinique	

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# 5-fluorouracile

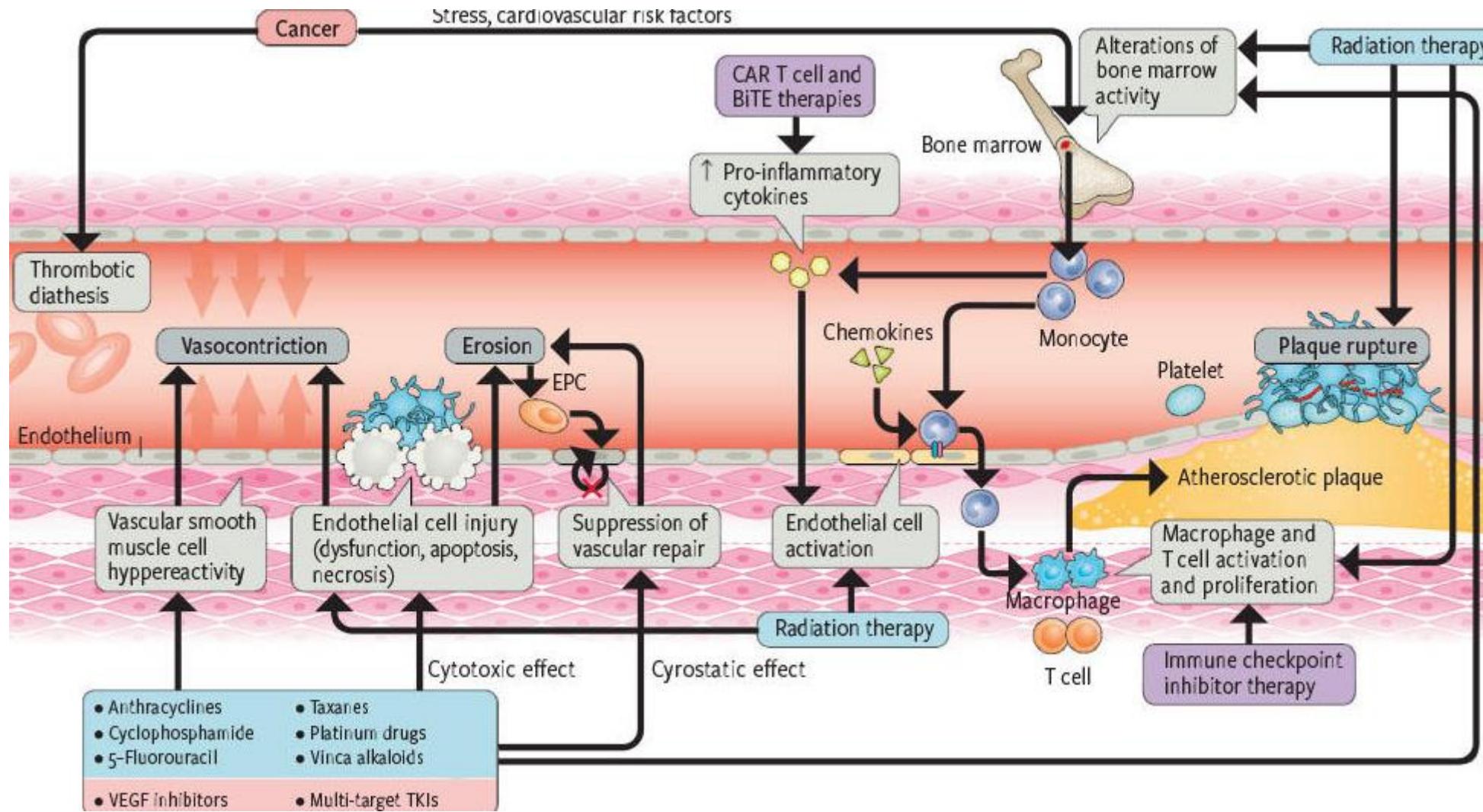
- Antimétabolite : Analogue pyrimidique
- Chimiothérapie du CCR, estomac, pancréas, foie, sein, endomètre, col utérin...
- Incidence de cardotoxicité entre 1 et 18%, mortalité entre 2 et 13%
- Augmentation du risque en cas de radiothérapie thoracique concomitante, d'association avec d'autres traitements oncologiques et de pathologie cardiaque préexistante (CAD, cardiomyopathie...)
- Principalement lors d'une administration continue vs bolus

# Cardiotoxicité liée au 5-fluorouracile

Clinique	ECG
Infarctus du myocarde	Tachycardie supraventriculaire
Cardiomyopathie	Tachycardie ventriculaire
Myocardite	Allongement QT
Péricardite	Changements ischémiques (ondes T et segment ST)
Arythmie	
Mort subite	PARFOIS NORMAL++++

Monitoring par ETT + sensible que les biomarqueurs cardiaques pour détecter la cardiotox

# Mécanismes principaux de l'ischémie

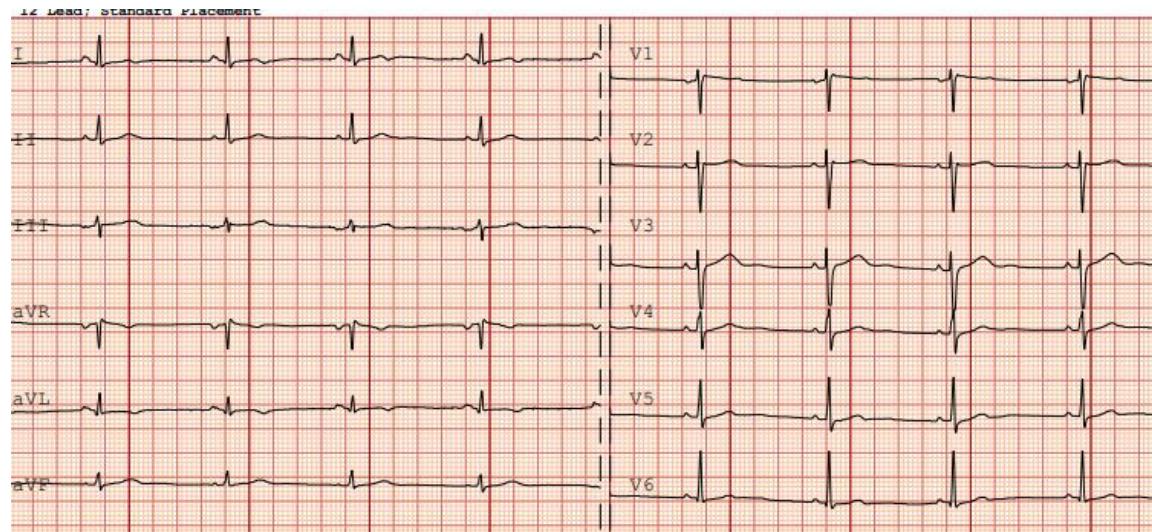


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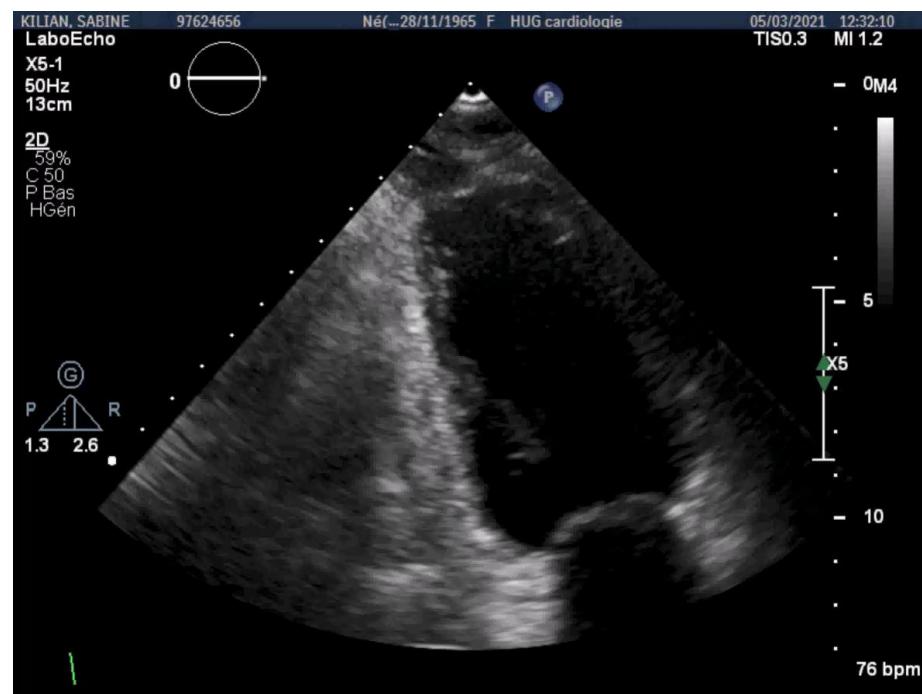
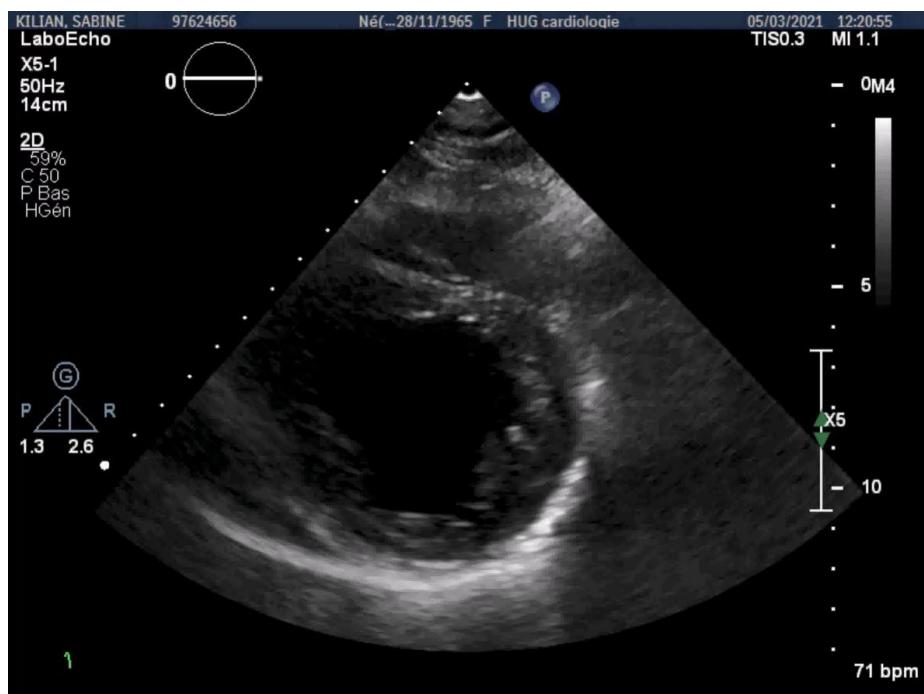
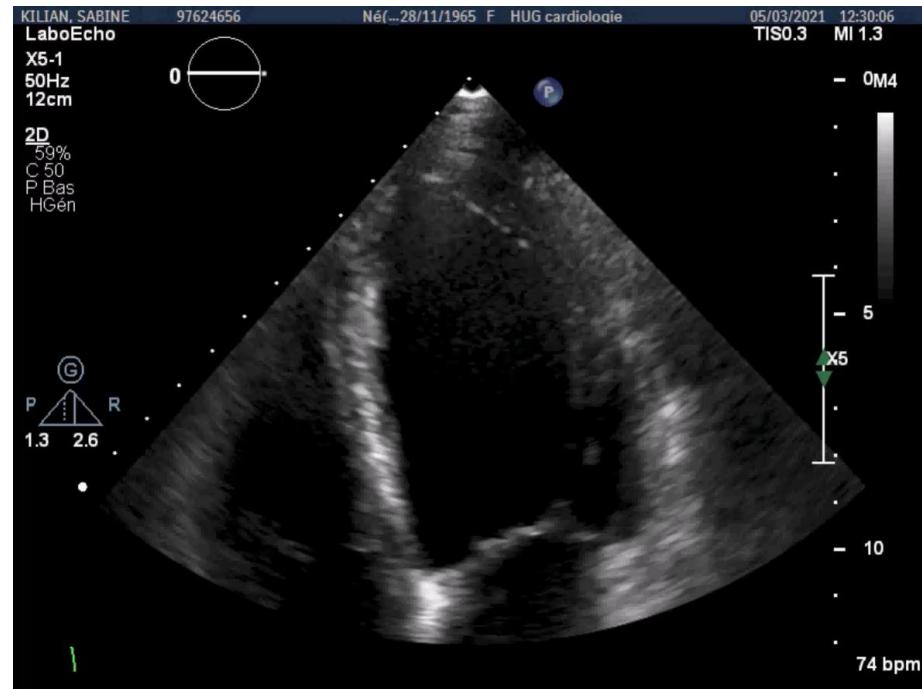
- Pas de recommandation de prise en charge
- Consensus actuel d'arrêt du 5FU dès qu'une cardiotoxicité est suspectée
- Traitement symptomatique aigu avec dérivés nitrés et inhibiteur calcique (efficace dans 70% des cas)
- Semblerait être réversible en l'absence de pathologie CV sous jacente
- Réduction du risque CV avec arrêt du tabac, optimisation tensionnelle, ttt par statine et contrôle glycémique
- Antidote : Vistogard® (uridine triacetate)
- 82 à 100% de récidive en cas de rechallenge et 13% de risque de décès

# Cas clinique : Mme K, 55 ans

- Aucun FdRCV ni ATCD
- ADK caecal métastatique synchrone hépatique bilobaire, KRAS muté, MSS diagnostiqué en février 2020
- 1<sup>er</sup> cycle d'OCFL le 01.03: DRS oppressive 12h après le début du baxter de 5FU sans modification ECG ni élévation des troponines.

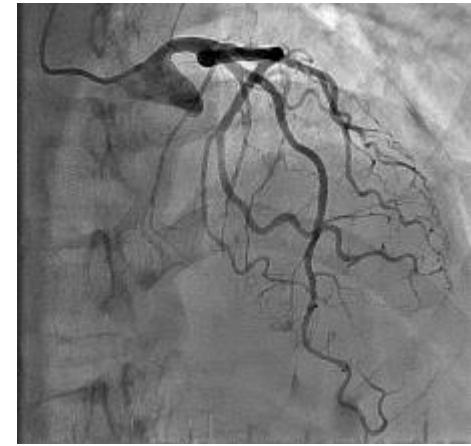
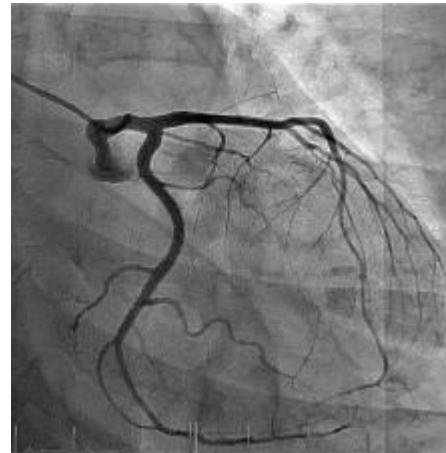
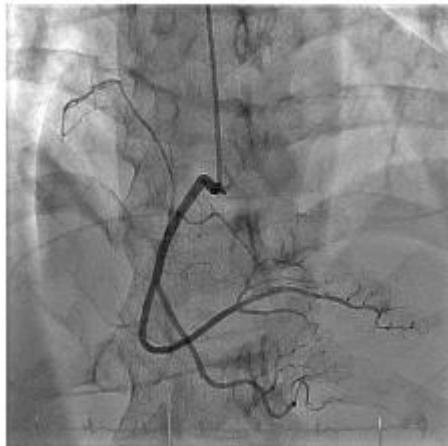
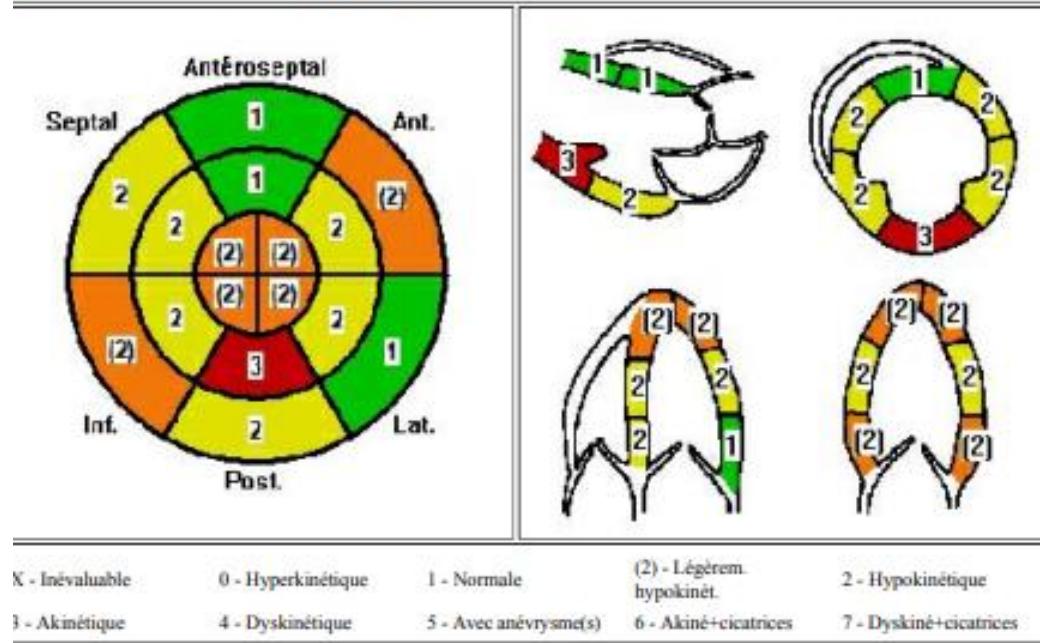


- Consultation de cardiologie le 5.3.2021 (J5)



A J5  
ECG  
ETT  
coronarographie

[ ICP = 1.88 % segments normaux = 19

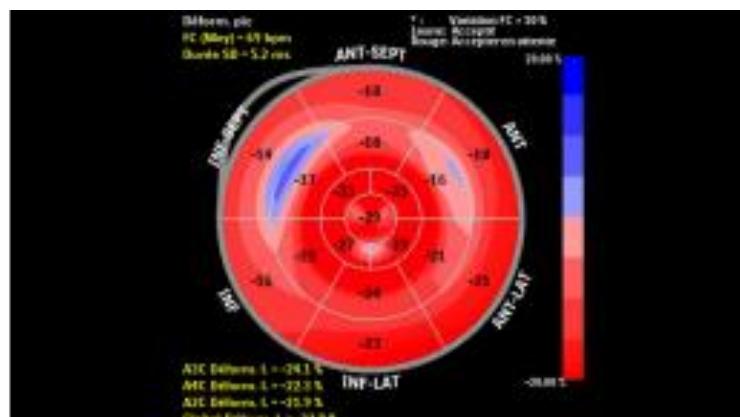


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- J8 d'OCFL en intrahosp sous Holter ECG et nifédipine
- Durant la perfusion, boit un verre d'eau froide déclenchant à nouveau des DRS avec NV et ECG per-critique: négativation des ondes T V1-V3
- Analyse du holter: ondes T pointues 1h avant les douleurs puis négativation pendant 4h, normalisation 2h après la DRS et arrêt du 5FU
- Options possibles:
  1. changer de mode d'administration : durée de perfusion, bolus...
  2. différer la prochaine perfusion de 5FU avec prétraitement d'anticalciques et sous monitoring cardiaque (JUL53)
  3. finir le cycle actuel sous surveillance rythmique aux soins intermédiaires de cardiologie, sous nitrés iv et anticalciques po.
  4. choisir une alternative mais d'équivalence au 5FU incertaine

# Cas clinique : Mme K, 55 ans

- Changement du 5FU pour du Raltitrexed
- ETT de contrôle à 2 mois : normale, FFEVG 55-60%, strain -23%

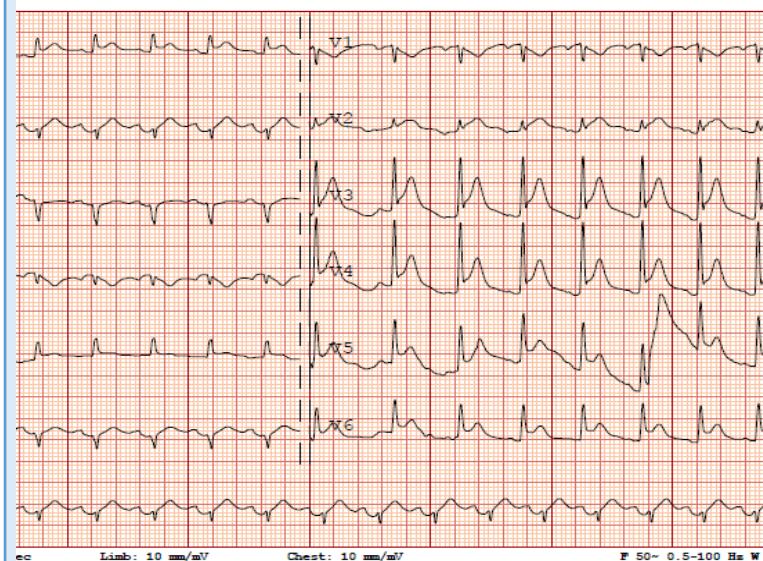


GLS normal à -23%

# Other cases of fluoropyrimidine toxicity

59 yr old man  
0 comorbidities, no tabaco  
Pancreatic cancer (stage VI)  
Day 1 of FOLFIRINOX protocol

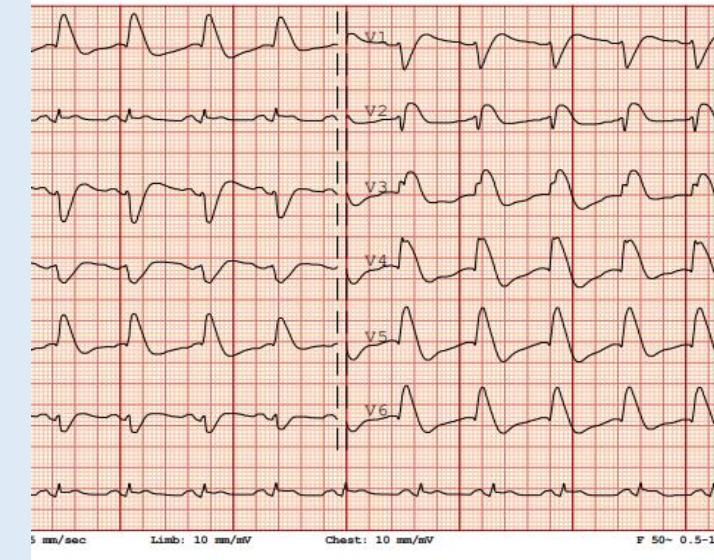
Malaise, no chest pain, cardiac arrest, VF



Echo : global hypokinesia, antero-septo-apical akinesia, LVEF 30%  
Discrete troponin elevation, normal CK level  
Mid LAD 50-70% stenosis, vasospastic segment  
**Normalisation of LVEF at 2 months**

71 yr old woman  
COPD, atrial flutter, past smoker  
Colorectal cancer (stage IV)  
Day 1 of OCFL-B protocol

No chest pain, cardiac arrest, VF, ROSC after 10 external chocs



Echo : global hypokinesia, LVEF 25%  
No obstructive coronary lesion  
Discrete troponin elevation, normal CK levels  
**Normalisation of LVEF at 6 months , GLS -18%**

56 yr old woman  
CPOD, active smoker  
Syncope

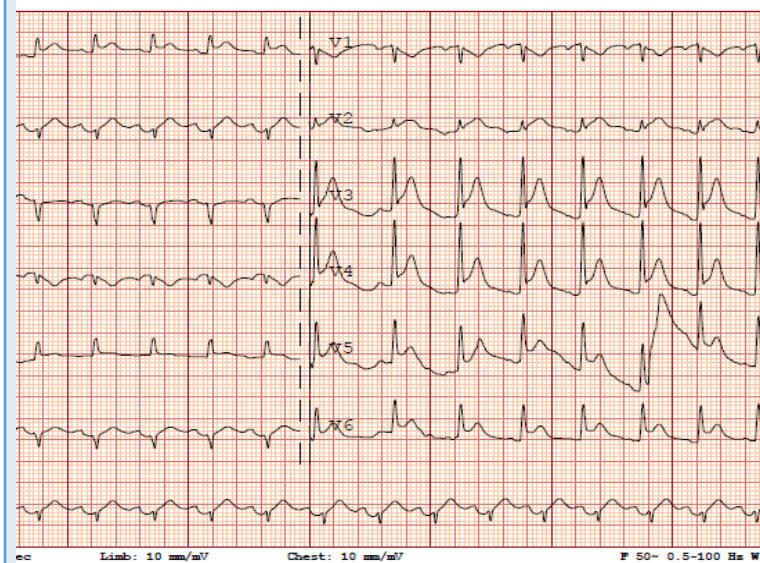


Echo : inferior wall akinesia, FEVG 50%  
Normal coronary angiogram

# Other cases of fluoropyrimidine toxicity

59 yr old man  
0 comorbidities, no tabaco  
Pancreatic cancer (stage VI)  
Day 1 of FOLFIRINOX protocol

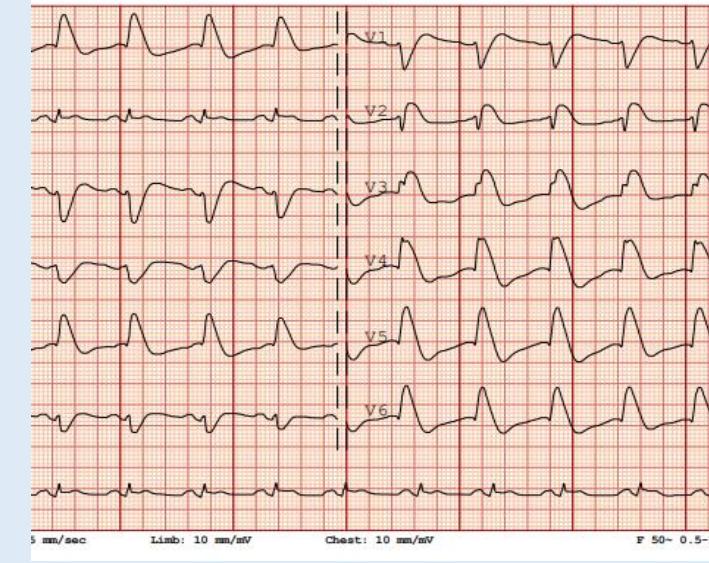
Malaise, no chest pain, cardiac arrest, VF



Echo : global hypokinesia, antero-septo-apical akinesia, LVEF 30%  
Discrete troponin elevation, normal CK level  
Mid LAD 50-70% stenosis, vasospastic segment  
**Normalisation of LVEF at 2 months**

71 yr old woman  
COPD, atrial flutter, past smoker  
Colorectal cancer (stage IV)  
Day 1 of OCFL-B protocol

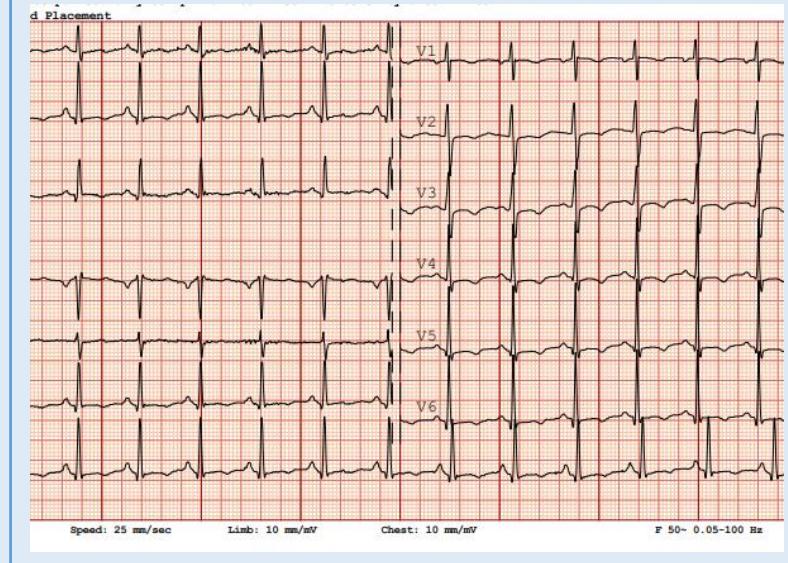
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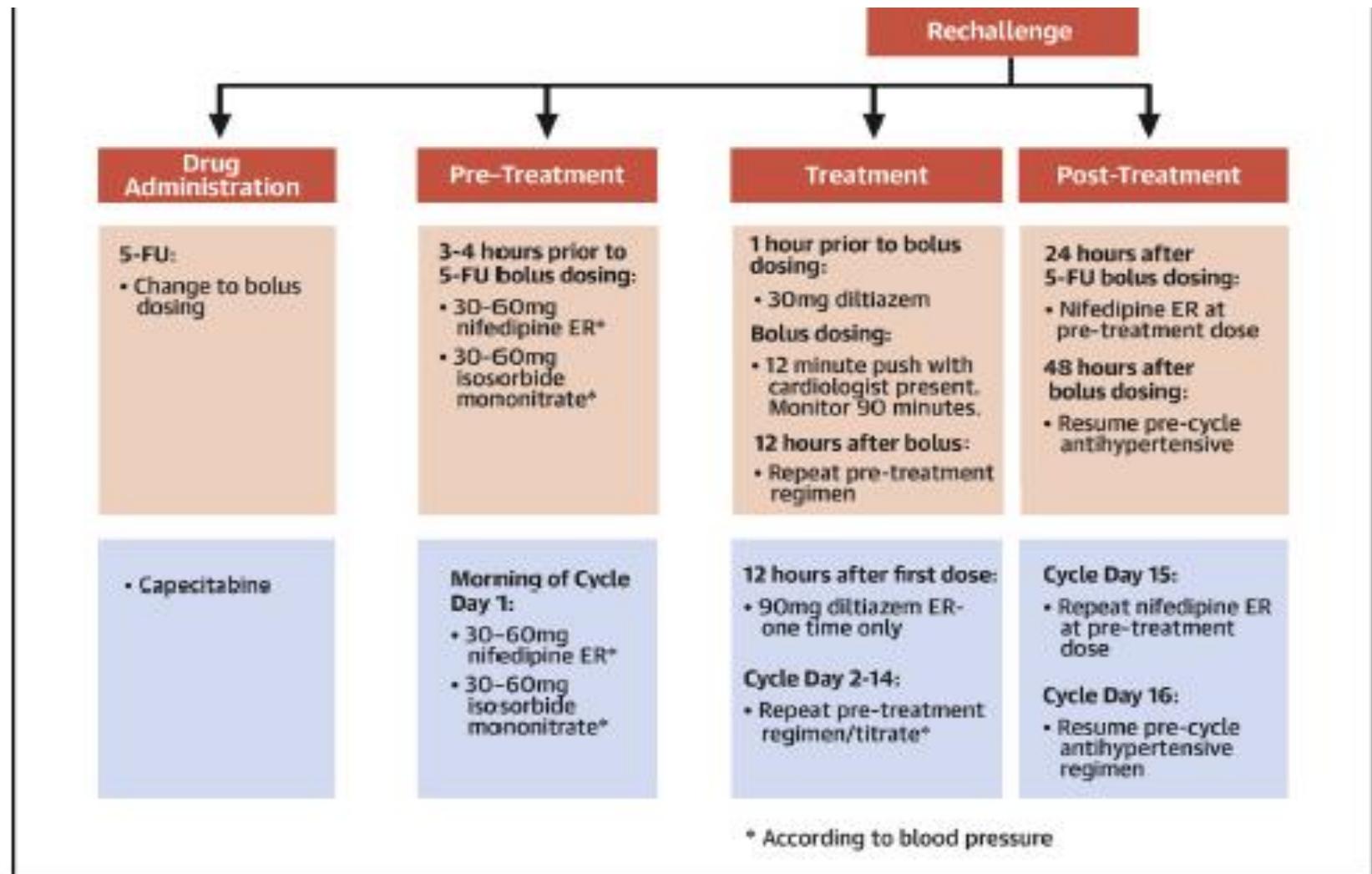
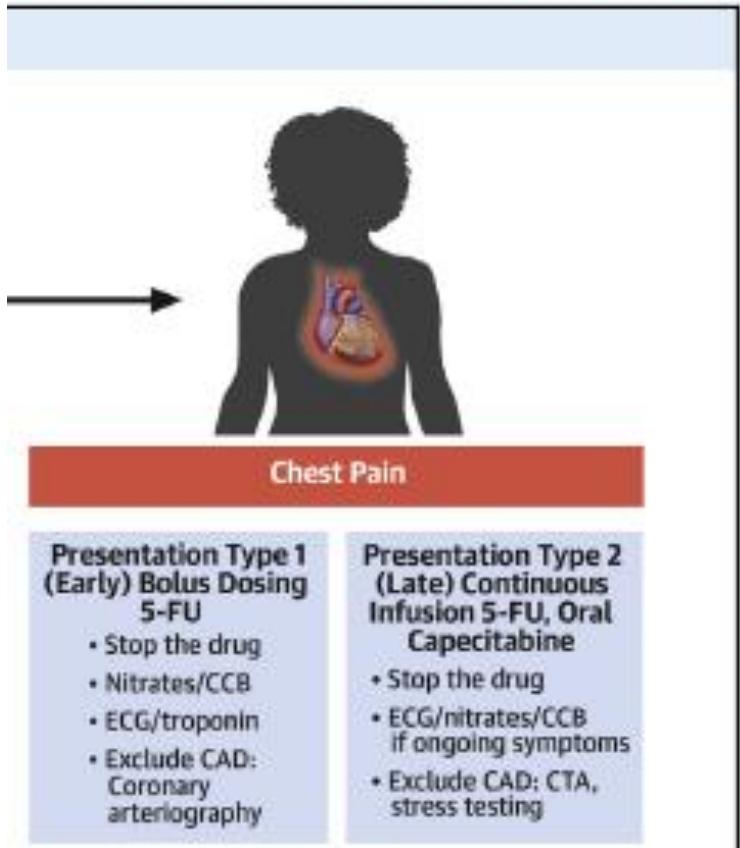
28 yr old woman  
0 comorbidities  
Colorectal cancer (polyposis)  
Capecitabine/Oxaliplatin protocol

Chest pain 3 days after the 1<sup>st</sup> dose



Echo : LVEF 65%  
Normal coronary angiogram  
Discrete troponin elevation, normal CK levels

# Is fluoropyrimidine rechallenge feasible ?



\* According to blood pressure

# Systematic DPD testing before fluoropyrimidine exposure

## DPD testing

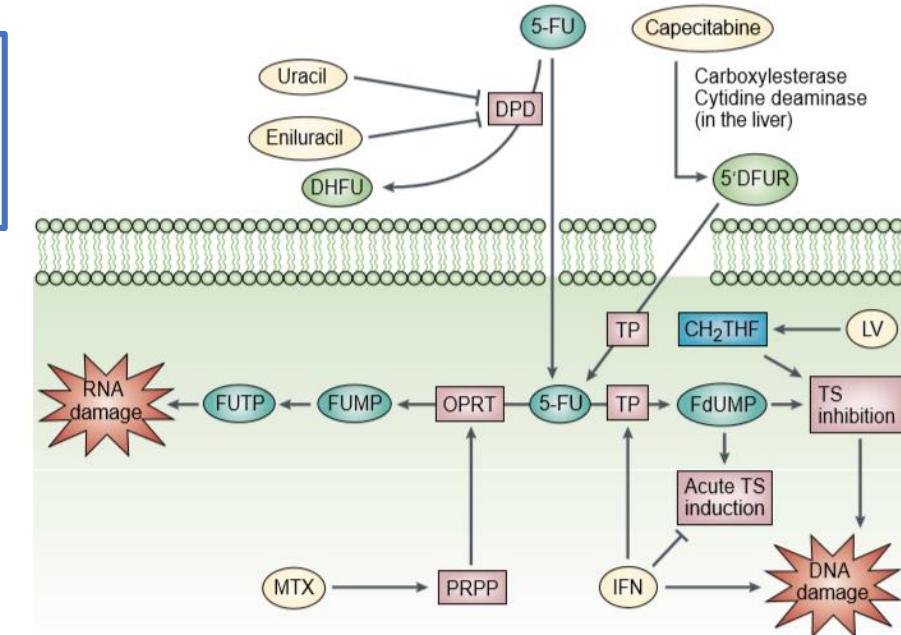
- either the enzyme activity of **dihydropyrimidine dehydrogenase (DPD)**
- or the DPYD genotype

## Résultat et Conclusion <sup>(2)</sup>

### Génotype DPYD : \*1/\*9A

Présence du variant **DPYD\*9A** (rs1801265, c.85T>C) à l'état hétérozygote.

Absence des variants recherchés: **DPYD\*2A** (rs3918290, c.1905+1G>A), **DPYD\*3** (rs72549303, c.1898delC), **DPYD\*4** (rs1801158, c.1601G>A), **DPYD\*5** (rs1801159, c.1627A>G), **DPYD\*6** (rs1801160, c.2194G>A), **DPYD\*7** (rs72549309, c.299\_302delTCAT), **DPYD\*8** (rs1801266, c.703C>T), **DPYD\*10** (rs1801268, c.2983G>T), **DPYD\*11** (rs72549306, c.1003G>T), **DPYD\*12** (rs78060119, c.1156G>T), **DPYD\*13** (rs55886062, c.1679T>G), rs67376798 (c.2846A>T), rs115232898 (c.557A>G), rs56038477 (c.1236G>A), et rs75017182 (c.1129-5923C>G).



# Fluoropyrimidines : cardiology workup and follow up

## Key points

- Patients at presumed higher risk for fluoropyrimidine cardio-toxicity should be referred to cardio-oncology for optimization of medical treatment, and to establish a follow up strategy during and after cancer treatment.
- In the absence of an alternative cancer treatment with at least similar efficacy and impact on survival, patients with a history of fluoropyrimidine cardiac toxicity should be evaluated for the possibility of rechallenge.
- In patients with overt and/or life-threatening toxicities, administration of an antidote (uridine triacetate) might be useful.

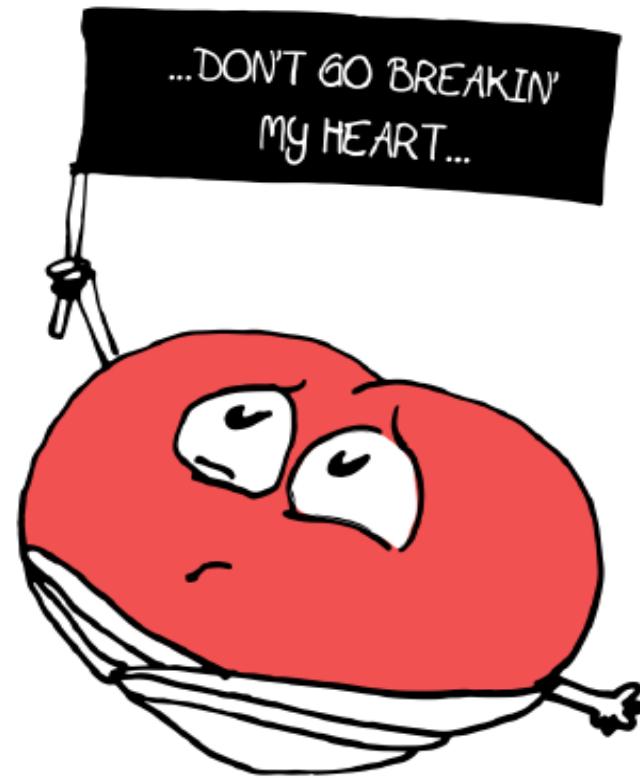
## Risk factors associated with fluoropyrimidine cardiotoxicity

Risk	Therapy - related factors	Patient - related factors
Low or Medium	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Short iv and/or low dose bolus</li><li>• Short term infusion regimens</li><li>• Topical or intraperitoneal administration</li><li>• Oral formulations such as capecitabine</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• No history of cardiotoxicity</li><li>• No risk factors for vasospastic disease</li></ul>
High	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Combination therapies with cisplatin /leucovorin / radiotherapy</li><li>• Radio sensitization with fluoropyrimidines during external beam radiotherapy</li><li>• <b>Continuous long infusions (&gt;5 days)</b></li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Dihydropyrimidine dehydrogenase (DPD) deficiency (polymorphisms)</b></li><li>• <b>Prior fluoropyrimidine cardiotoxicity</b></li></ul> <p><b>Factors to consider, despite lack of clear evidence:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Pre-existing CAD</li><li>• <b>History of vasospastic angina</b></li><li>• Risk factors for arterial vasospasm such as smoking</li></ul>

# Plan

- What is cardio-oncology ?
- General cancer epidemiology
- Cardiotoxicity profile and cardiac assessment for specific cancer treatments
  - Fluoropyrimidine therapy
  - **Anthracyclines**
  - **Anti HER2 therapy**
  - **Radiotherapy**
  - Anti-androgen therapy
  - Tyrosine Kinase therapy
  - Immunotherapy
- Clinical cases
- Impact of a cardio-oncology unit
  - A multidisciplinary approach

# Cardiotoxicité



**Today's cancer patients  
are  
tomorrow's cardiac patients**

# Anthracyclines

Cancers du sein néoadjuvant/adjuvant/métastatique

Sarcomes

Cancers gynécologiques

Hémopathies malignes

50-60% enfants survivants



# Cardiotoxicité des anthracyclines

Mécanismes potentiels multiples :

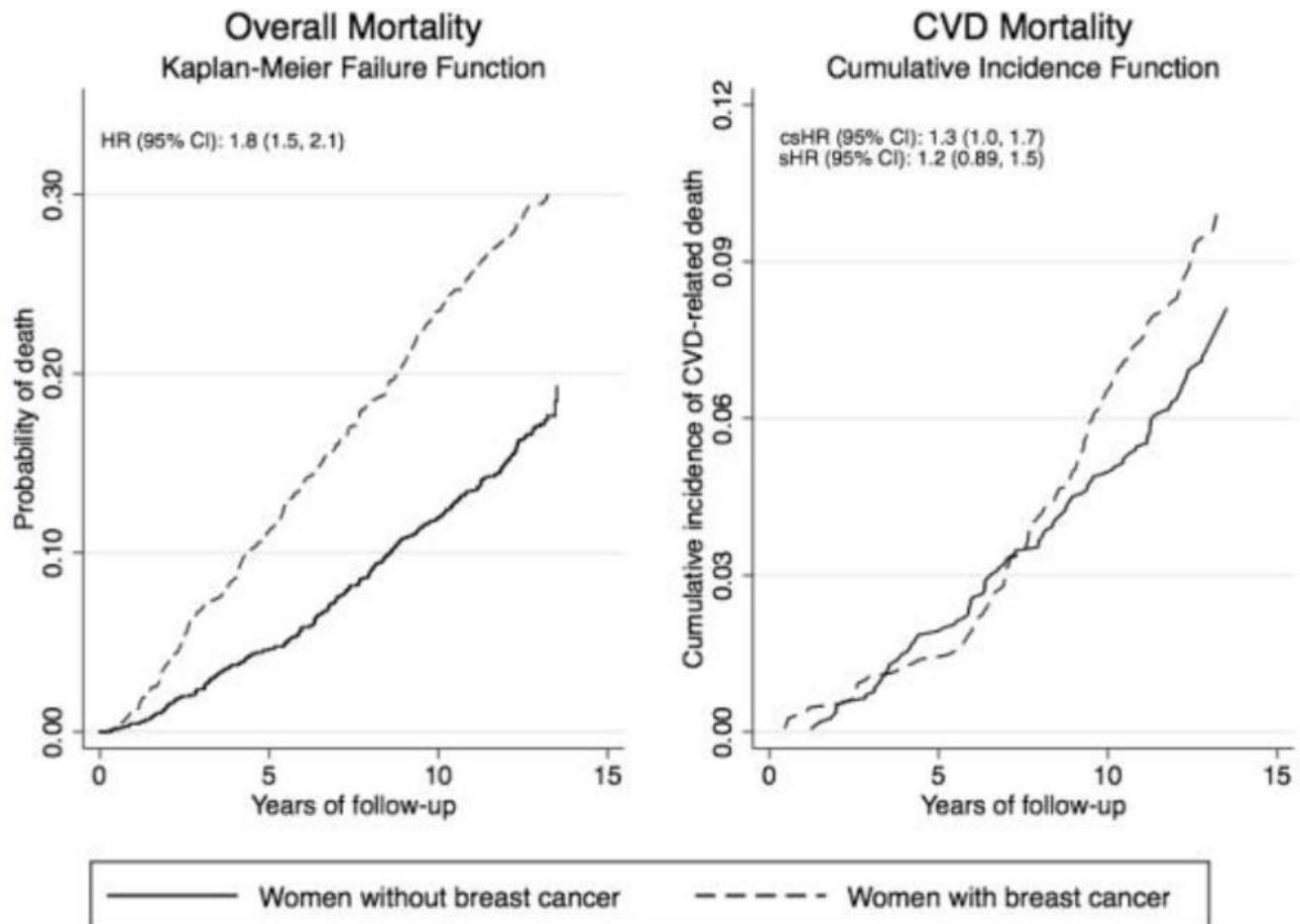
- Formation de radicaux libres
- Dysfonction mitochondriale
- Cassure double brin ADN (effet anti-topoisomérase 2) -> apoptose

Cardio-toxicité :

- . aiguë (< 1 an) / tardive (en moyenne 7ans)
- . **CUMULATIVE**
- . de type I (permanente) ---> *Obsolète ?*

Anthracyclines	Dose cumulative maximale	Conversion isotoxique	Dose cumulative maximale si radiothérapie médiastinale
Doxorubicine	450-550mg/m <sup>2</sup>	x 1	
Epirubicine	900mg/m <sup>2</sup>	x 0,67	
Daunorubicine	600mg/m <sup>2</sup>	x 0,5	
Idarubicine	93mg/m <sup>2</sup>	x 5	
Mitoxantrone	160mg/m <sup>2</sup>	x 4	

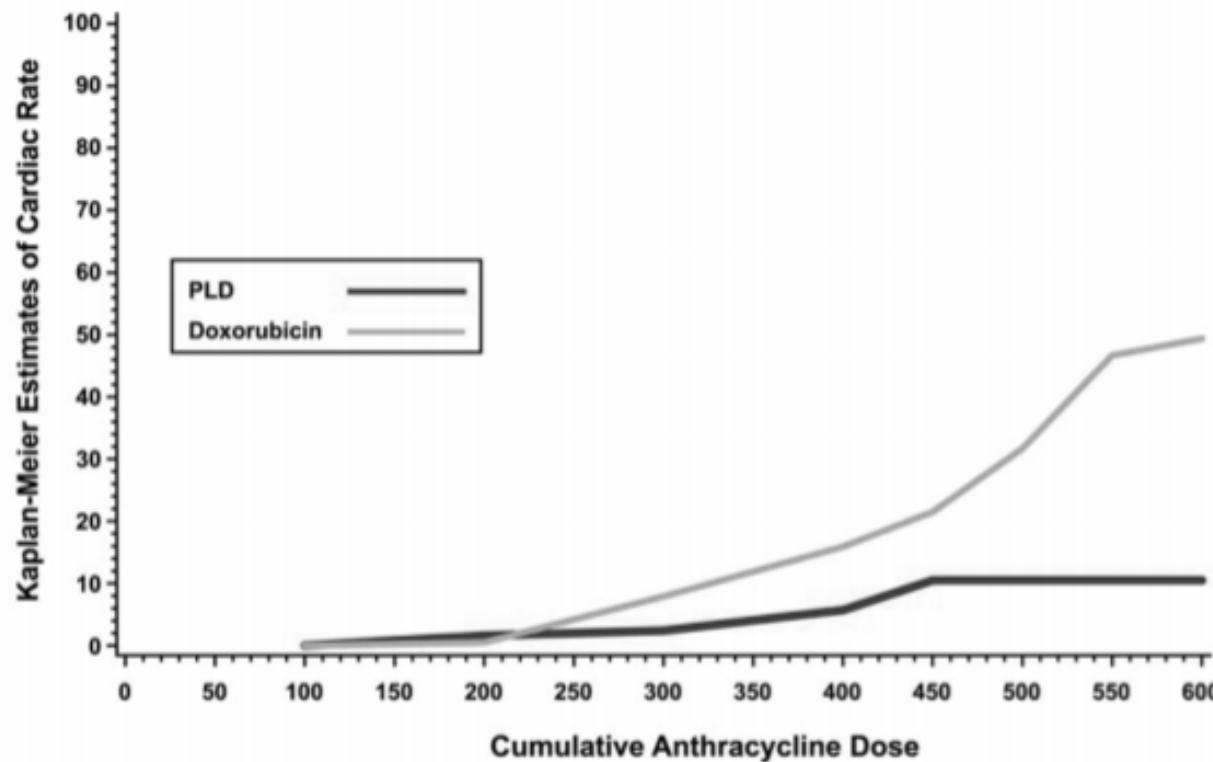
## Avec le temps, mortalité CV devient très importante.



A + 9ans suivi post cancer sein : Plus de risque de décès d'origine CV qu'oncologique.  
Enfants : 13% mortalité CV à > 45ans.

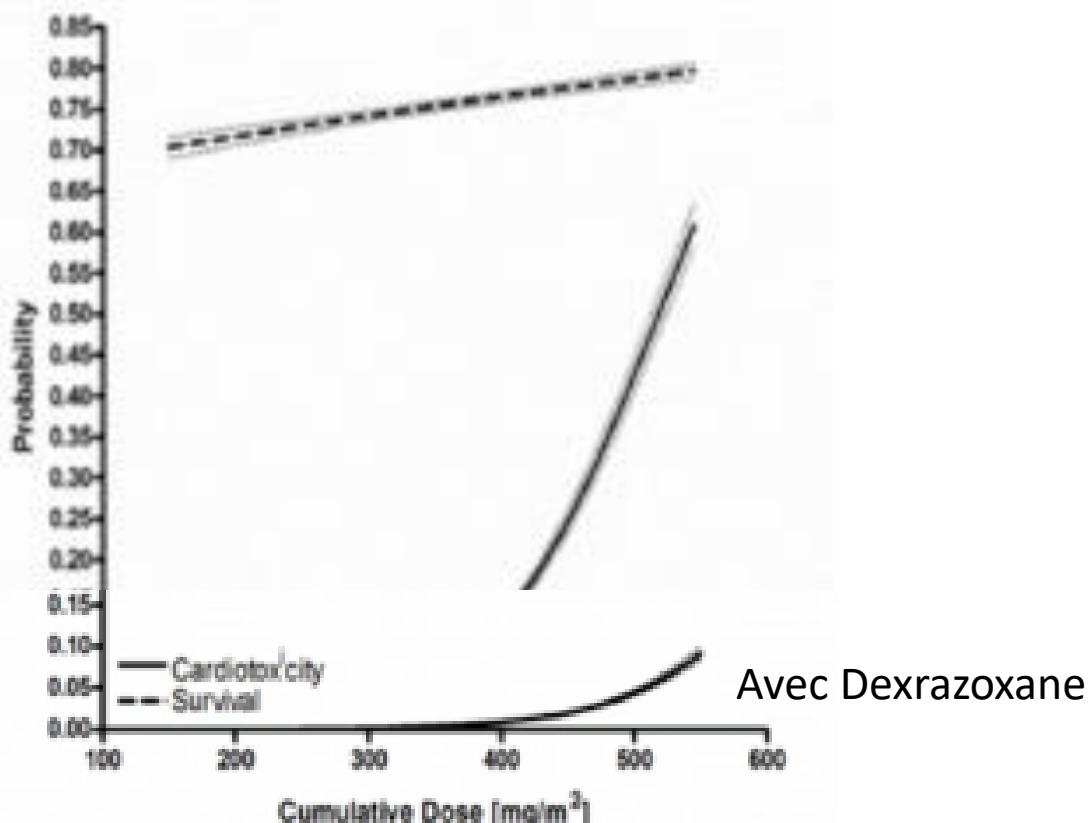
## Diminuer la cardotoxicité des anthracyclines

- Doxorubicine liposomale (Caelyx) moins cardiotoxique, permet «plus de doses»



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- Doxorubicine liposomale (**Caelyx**) moins cardiotoxique
- Dexrazoxane
  - . AC haute dose (> 300mg/m<sup>2</sup>) ou dans cancers pédiatriques
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  - . AE possible : myélosuppression, cancer 2<sup>nd</sup>, pas de diminution effet antitumorale



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- Prophylaxie primaire\*/secondaire par BB – IEC/Sartan
  - . Débattue
  - . Timing introduction ?
  - . Initiation rapide -> récupération FEVG plus importante et rapide

\*OVERCOME trial (carvedilol + enalapril vs cō) : moins de diminution FEVG

\*PRADA trial (Sartan +/-BB) : pas effet du BB, mais absence de diminution FEVG avec sartan (vs 2,6%)

Cardinale trial (IEC et carvedilol) : amélioration FEVG + rapide et + complète

⇒ NE PAS DEPASSER DOSE CUMULEE MAXIMALE  
⇒ FU ETT AVANT, PENDANT et POST traitement

# Anti-HER2

Cancer du **sein HER2 amplifié** (15-30% cancer sein) : Néoadjuvant ; Adjuvant ; Métastatique

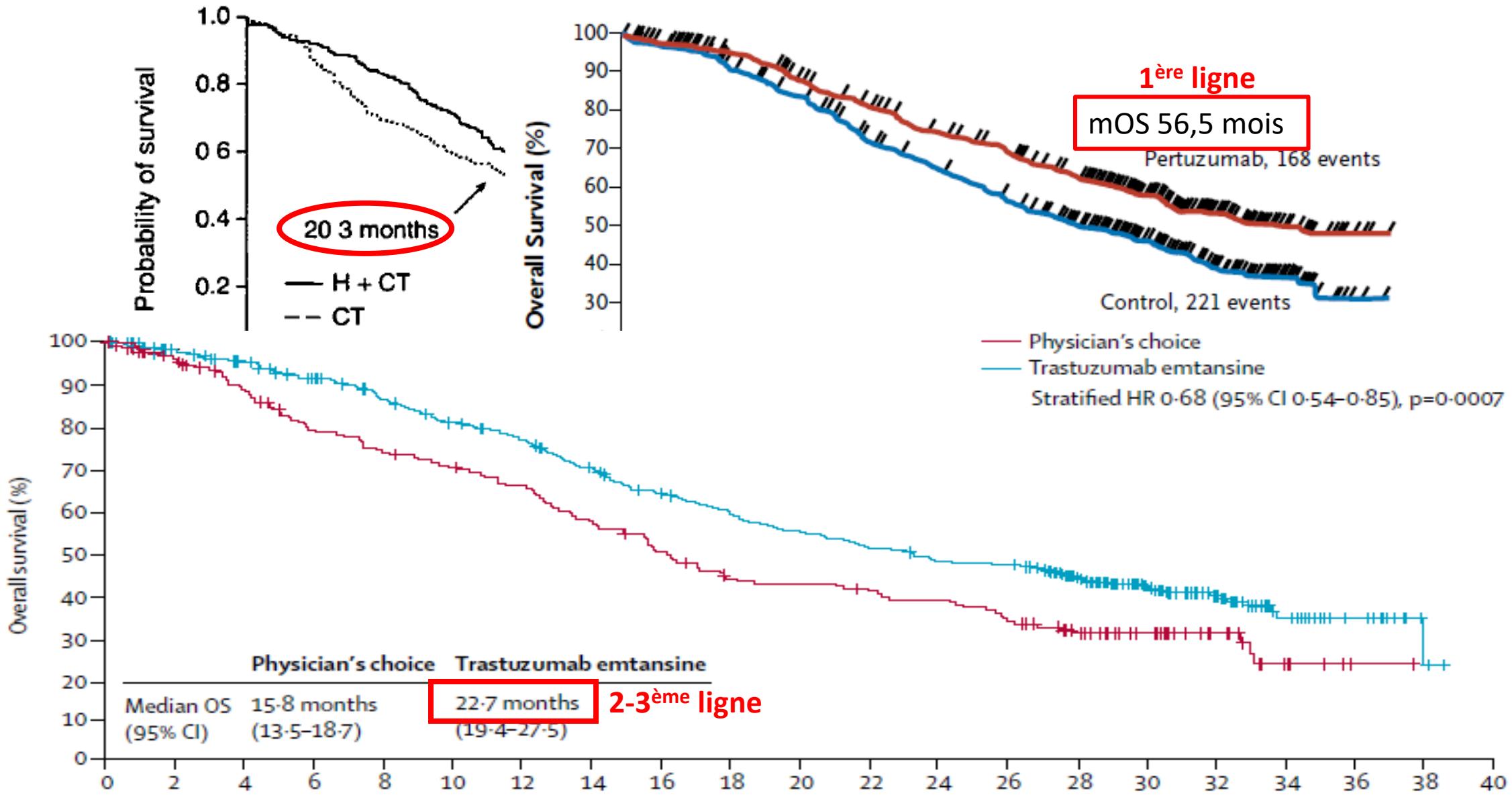
Cancer de l'**estomac HER2 amplifié** : Métastatique (*études pour autres stades*)

*Autres cancers HER2 amplifié*



*Et encore beaucoup d'autres...*

# Cancer du sein métastatique HER2 amplifié



## Cardio-toxicité des antiHER2

Mal comprise

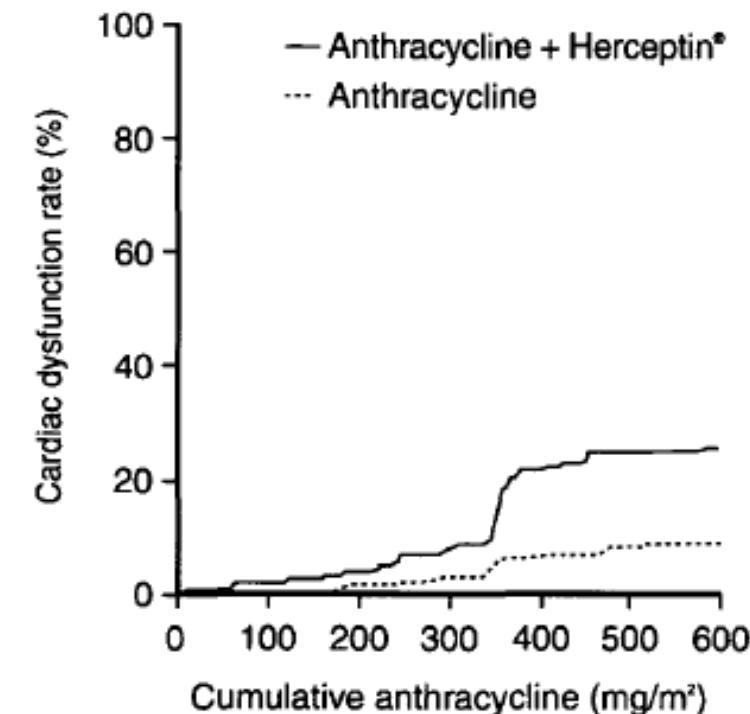
Non-cumulative

De type II (réversible)

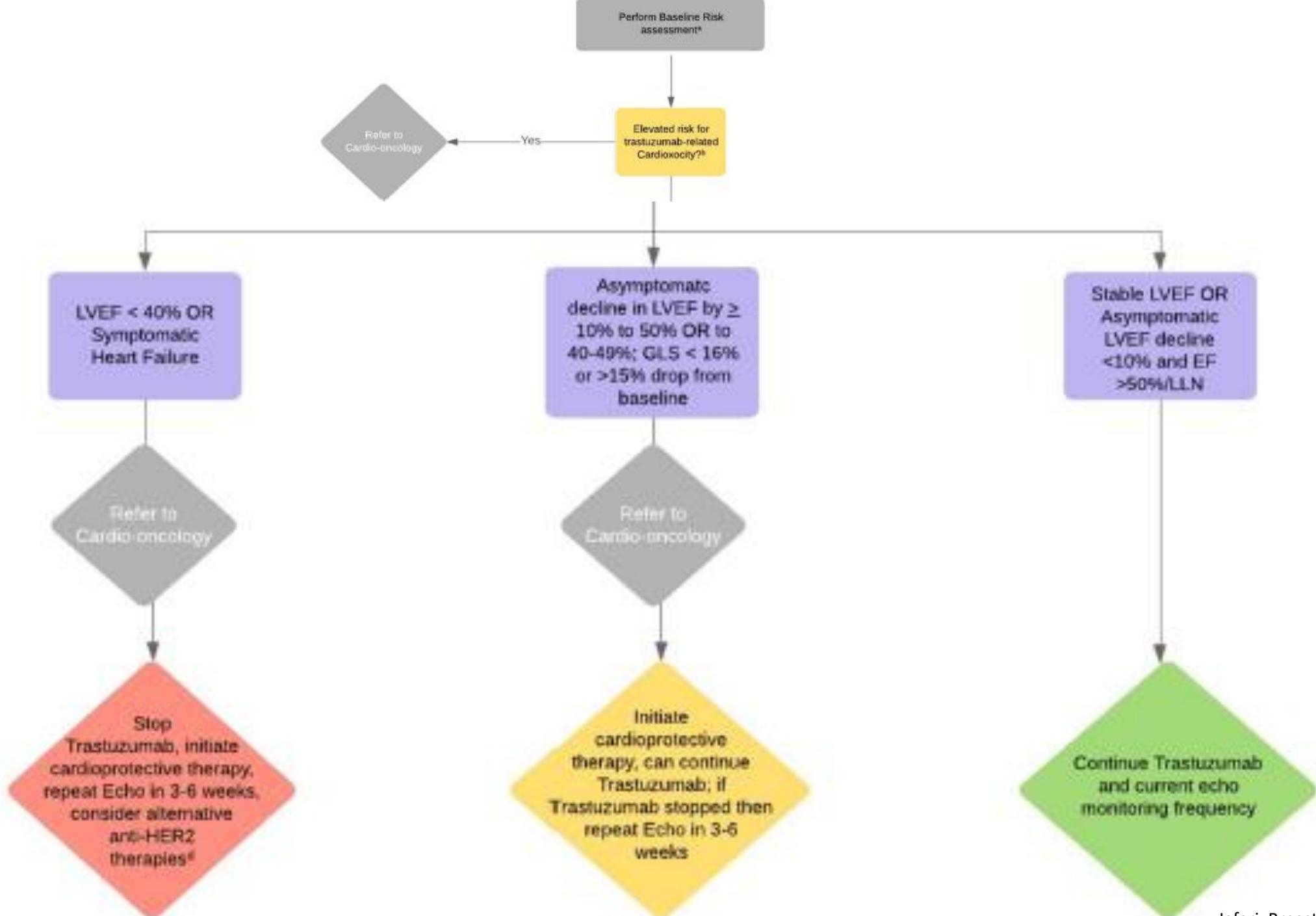
Inattendue dans l'étude pilote 2001 du trastuzumab

Risque augmentée avec anthracyclines concomitantes > antécédents AC > absence AC

Trials	Trastuzumab (2001)	T-Pertuzumab (2015)	T-DM1 (2017)	T-Deruxtan (2020)
Diminution FEVG	11-27% *avec AC	6,6% (T seul : 8,6%)	2,5%	1,6%
Réversibilité	-	87,5% (T seul : 78,6%)	-	100%



- ⇒ JAMAIS AC + AntiHER2 CONCOMITANTS
- ⇒ FU FEVG /3 mois pendant ttt, et à la fin du traitement
- ⇒ SUSPENSION/ARRET antiHER2 en fonction



## Rechallenge anti-HER2 post cardiotoxicité



Peu d'évidence pour antiHER2

Reprise du traitement à discuter :

- . si amélioration partielle ou complète de la fonction cardiaque conservée à un contrôle à 4 semaines
  - . selon contexte clinique
  - . bénéfices attendus
- . 60 patient avec diminution asymptomatique FEVG < 50% sous trastuzumab :
  - . 38% poursuivi traitement – 26% baisse FEVG supplémentaire ; 13% évènement CV
  - . 62% interrompu traitement – 41% rechallengé post amélioration

FU : pas de différence FEVG

# Radiothérapie thoracique

...DON'T GO BREAKIN'  
MY HEART...

- Cancer du sein adjuvant
- Cancer pulmonaire radio-chimiothérapie définitive
- Cancer œsophage radio-chimiothérapie définitive/radiothérapie palliative
- Hémopathies malignes (enfants !!)
- Lésions métastatiques



## **Radiation-Induced Heart Disease (RIHD)**

- . 0,5 – 55% patients traités par radiothérapie thoracique
- . Plusieurs (10ènes) années post traitement

. Haut risque de morbi-mortalité :

Sténoses-artérioscléroses accélérées **coronariennes** – 85%

Calcification racine et valve aortique, sténoses **valvulaires**

Atrophies – **fibroses** myocardiques

Inflammations - adhésions/constrictions **péricardiques**

Troubles **conductions**

Cardiopathie ischémique	35% à 25ans Risque 3-5x >
Régurgitation aortique, mitrale	3-12%
Cardiomyopathie	10% (sous estimée)
Péricardite aigüe	80% - <i>anciennement</i>
Péricardite constrictive	6-10%
Arythmies	5%

## Prévention « primaire » :

- Amélioration technique radiothérapie (précision ; contournement ; division du cœur en sous-structures)
- Limiter dose au cœur : 30Gy sur < 46% volume cardiaque ; Dose cardiaque moyenne < 15 Gy
- Diminution exposition cardiaque (traitement en position ventrale ; inspirium bloqué)
- Traitement FRCV

## SUIVI – très important LONG TERME

- ETT ou imagerie similaire

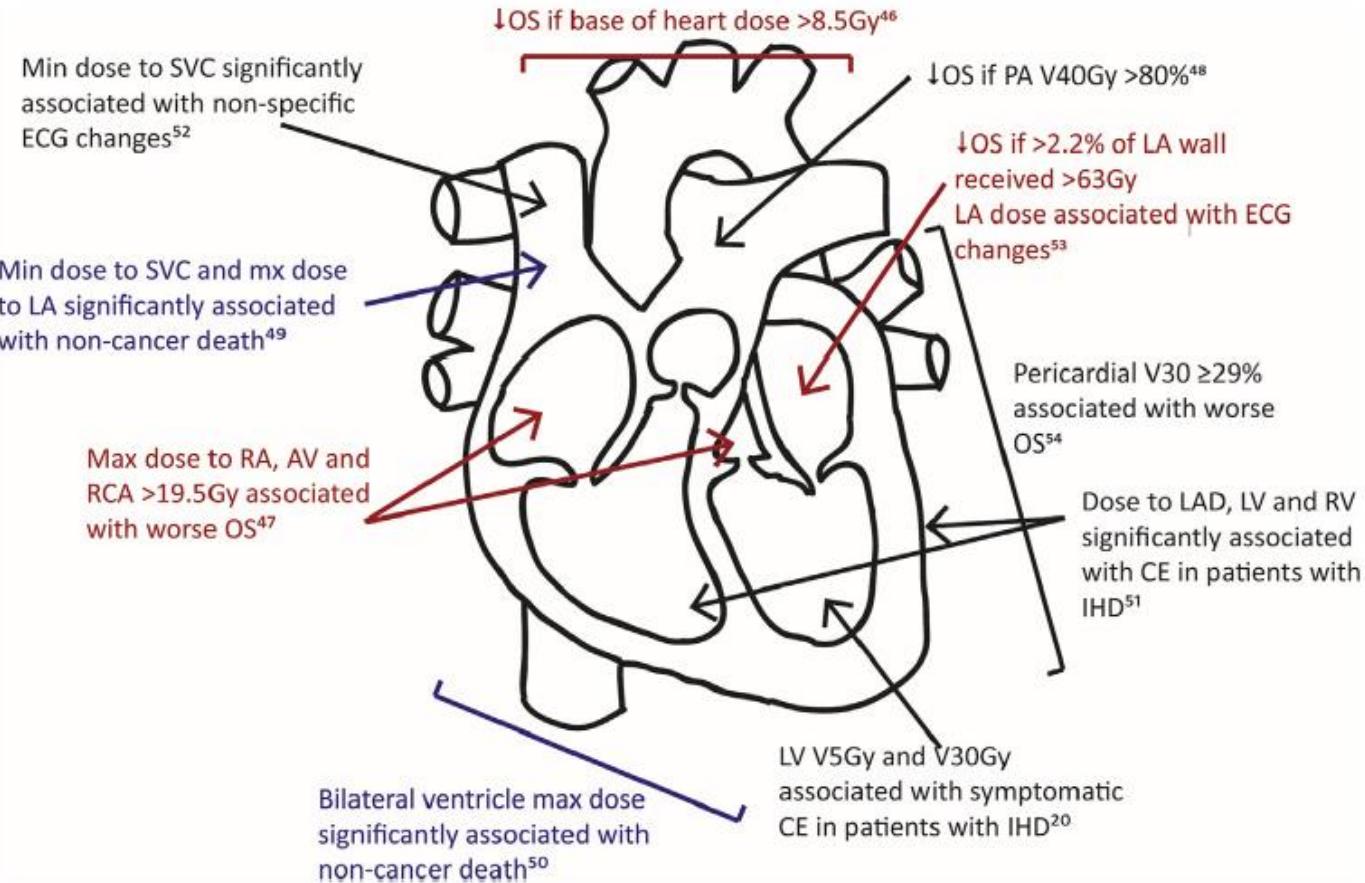
### SCREENING

ECHO (or comparable imaging to evaluate cardiac function)

Recommended Frequency of Echocardiogram		
Anthracycline Dose*	Radiation Dose**	Recommended Frequency
None	< 15 Gy or none	No screening
	≥ 15 - < 35 Gy	Every 5 years
	≥ 35 Gy	Every 2 years
< 250 mg/m <sup>2</sup>	< 15 Gy or none	Every 5 years
	≥ 15 Gy	Every 2 years
≥ 250 mg/m <sup>2</sup>	Any or none	Every 2 years

\*Based on doxorubicin isotoxic equivalent dose. See dose conversion instructions in section 33.

\*\*Based on radiation dose with potential impact to heart (radiation to chest, abdomen, spine [thoracic, whole], TBI). See section 76.



# Anthracyclines : clinical case

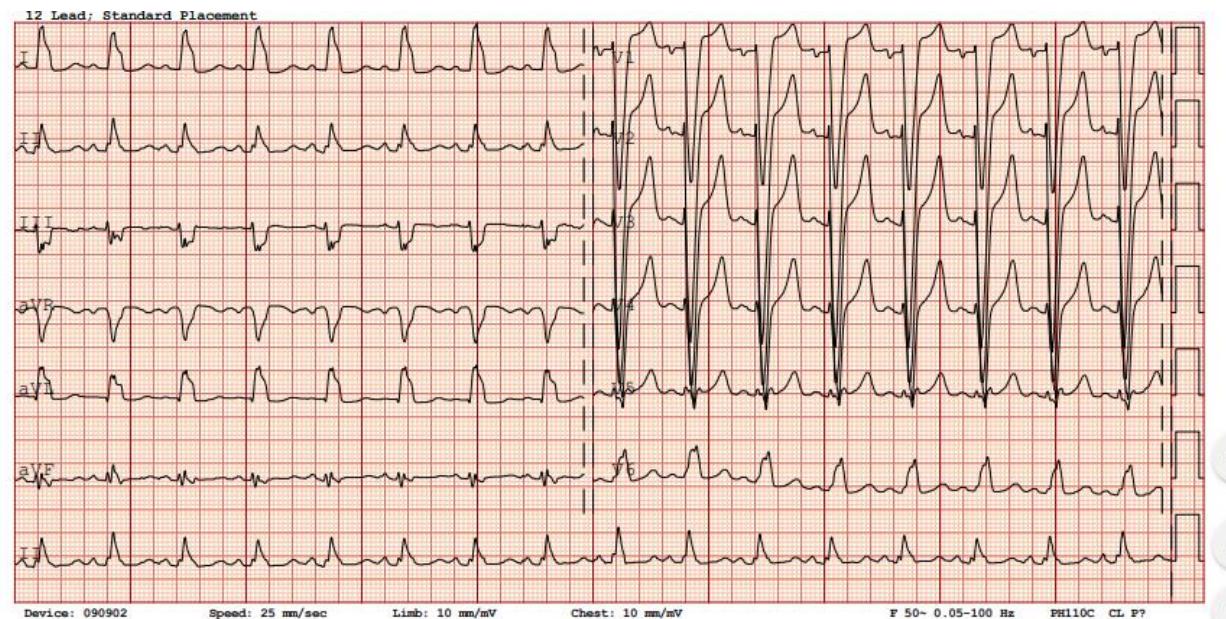
- 46 yr old woman
- FRCV : slightly overweight, dyslipidaemia, positive family history for CAD, smoker until 2019
- Left bundle branch bloc
- Comorbidities :
  - Obstructive sleep apnoea treated by CPAP
  - Asthma
- Breast cancer in 2019 (Carcinome canalaire invasif droit)
  - with 1 metastatic site (L4 vertebrae)
  - Neoadjuvant chemotherapy (3 FEC 100, 3 Taxol)
  - Bilateral mastectomy
  - Stereotaxic radiotherapy on the L4 metastasis (35 Gy)
  - Adjuvant radiotherapy (right side of the thorax and lymph nodes), 40 Gy in 15 fractions
  - Hormonotherapy (LH-RH anti-aromatase analogue)

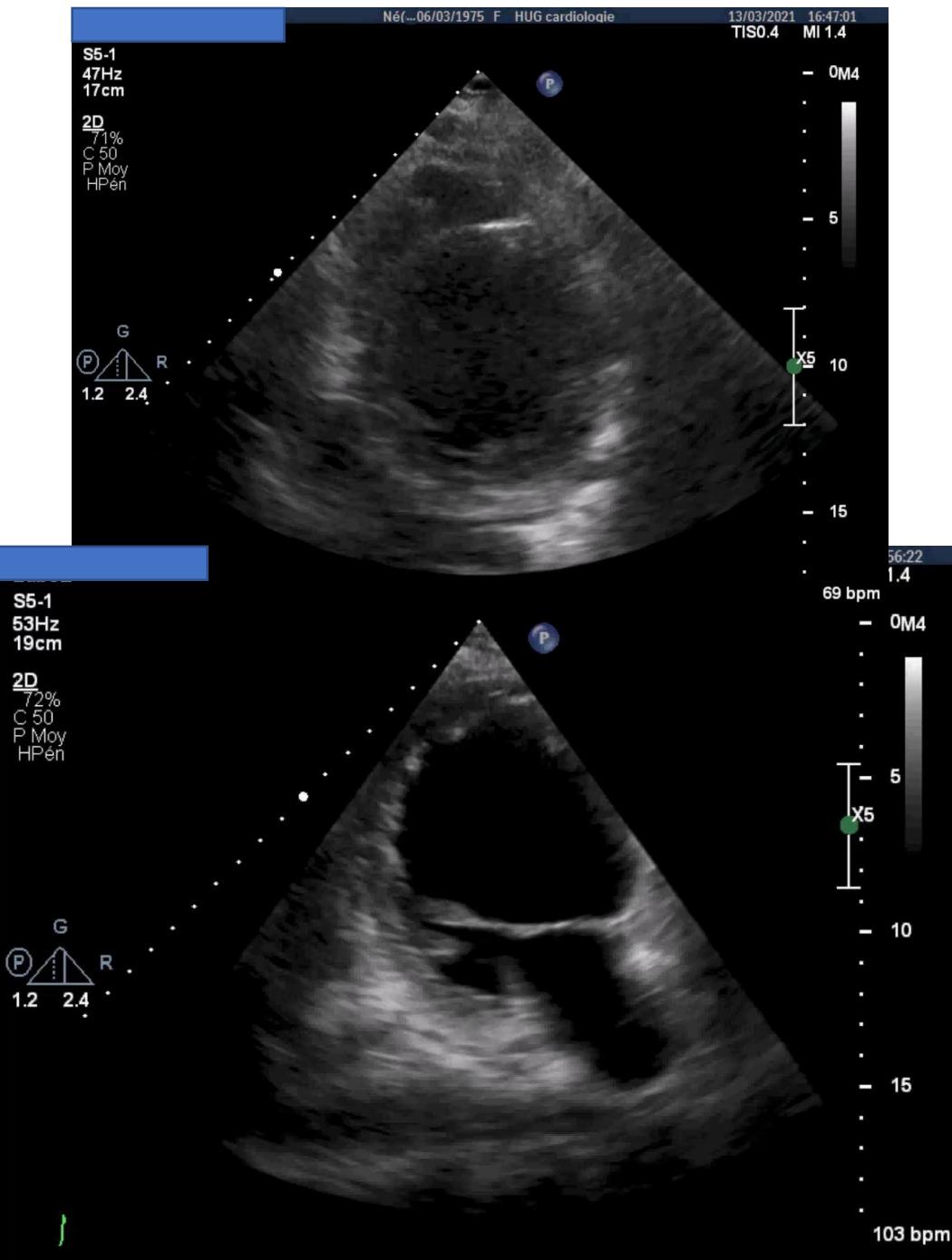
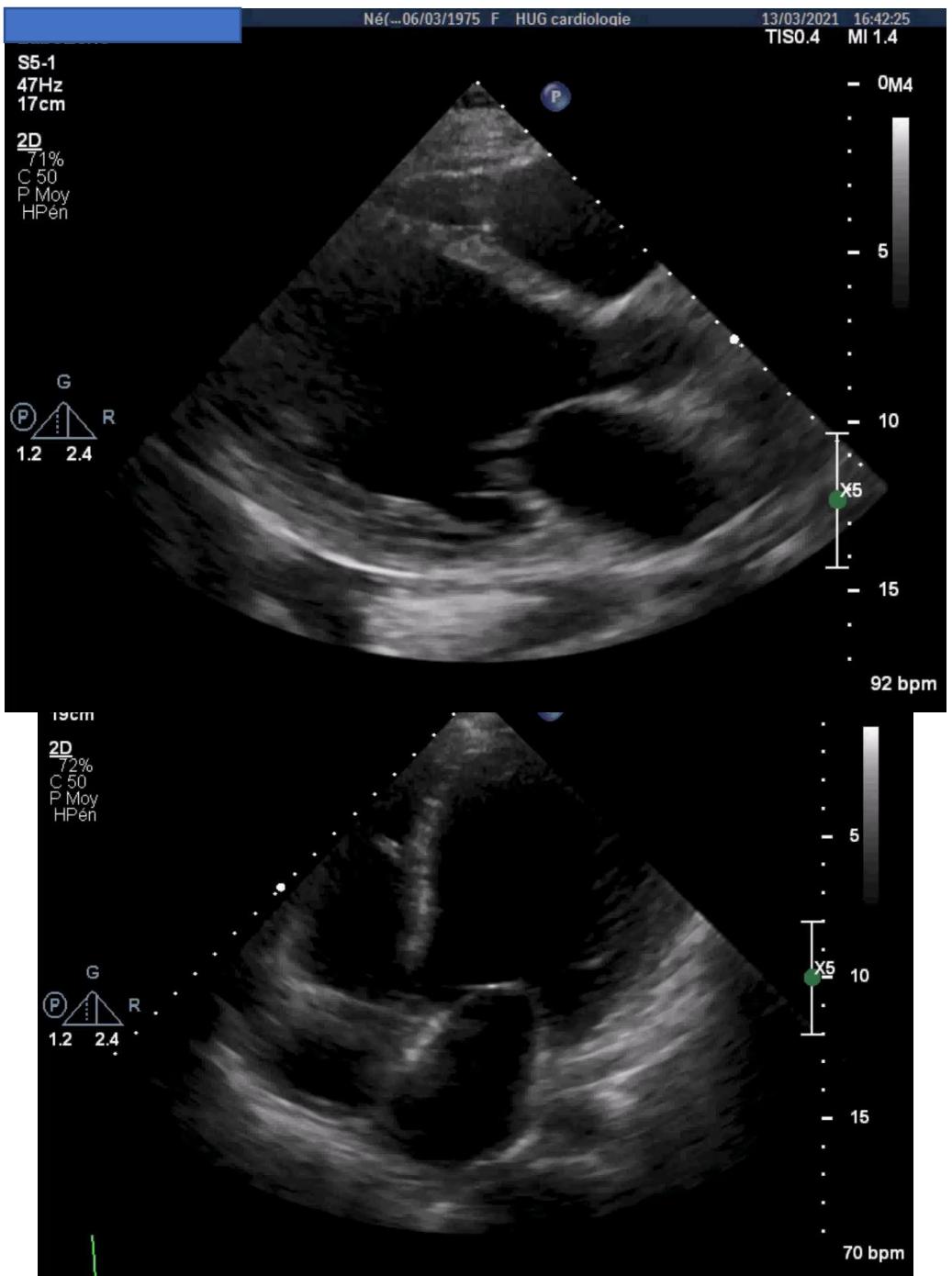
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Pre chemotherapy	10 months after chemotherapy + Radiotherapy
Intermittent LBB	Permanent LBB
LVEF 65% in 2014	LVEF 50%
No LV dilation	Discrete dilation of the LV
No valvulopathy	Discrete MR
	Asymptomatic

Recent history (2 years after the cancer treatment)

- Dry cough and dyspnoea on exertion in 4 months ago with a positive COVID test
- Persistence of exertional dyspnoea despite recovery from the SARS Cov 2 infection
- Paroxysmal dyspnoea and orthopnoea
- Progression to NYHA stage IV and oppressive chest pain





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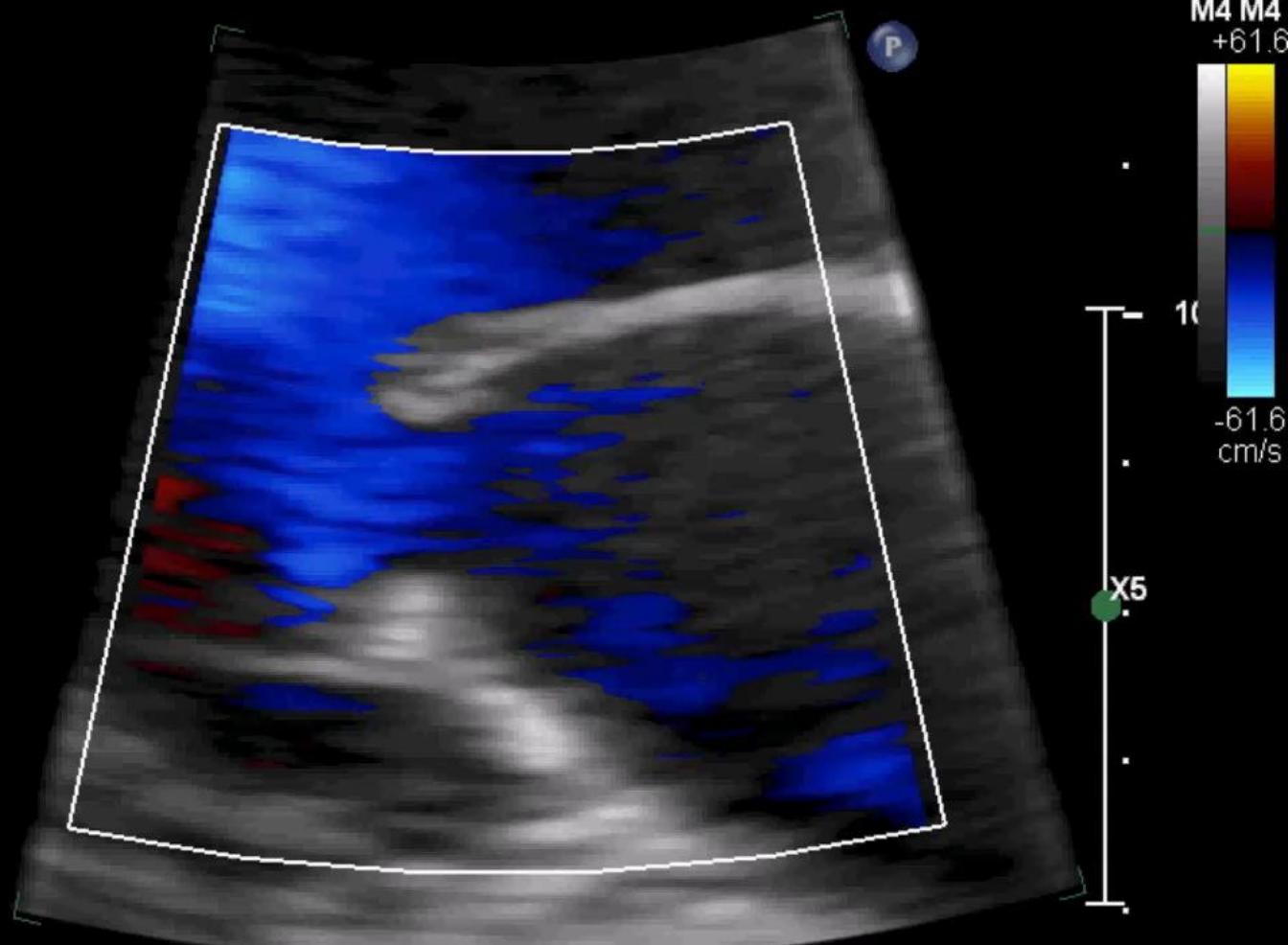
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# Anthracyclines : clinical case

Pre chemotherapy	10 months after chemotherapy + Radiotherapy	24 months after chemotherapy + Radiotherapy
Intermittent LBB	Permanent LBB	Permanent LBB (QRS duration of 180ms)
LVEF 65% in 2014	LVEF 50%	LVEF 10%
No LV dilation	Discrete dilation of the LV	Severe LV dilatation
No valvulopathy	Discrete MR	Moderate to severe MR
	Asymptomatic	NYHA IV, acute pulmonary edema

- Work up :
  - viral screening (no hepatitis, or HIV)
  - Normal thyroid function
  - No alcohol consumption
  - Coronary angiography : discrete atherosclerosis, but no significantly obstructed vessel
  - Cardiac MRI : severely dilated cardiomyopathy with LVEF measured at 18%. No sign of abnormal contrast uptake compatible with infiltrative disease, myocarditis or a myocardial infarct)
- Diagnostic : Dilated and non ischemic cardiomyopathy, probably due to late anthracycline cardiotoxicity (+/- radiotherapy), genetic underlying predisposition ?

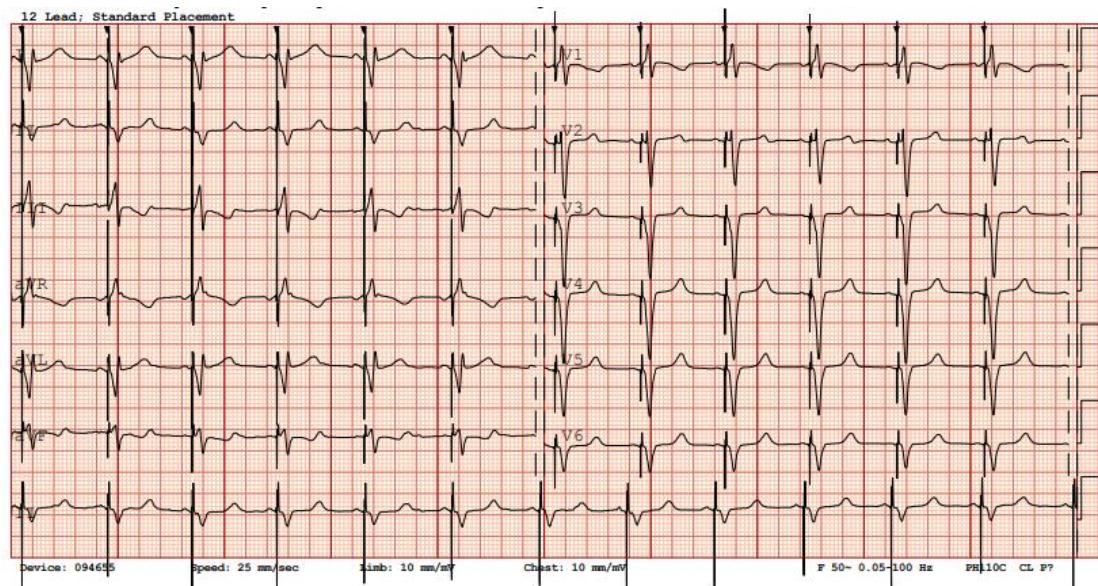
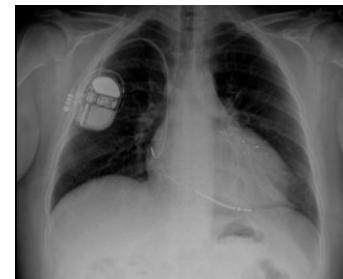
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Current treatment :

- Spironolactone 25mg 1x/j
- Aspirine cardio 100mg 1x/j
- Metoprolol 50 mg 1x/j
- Rosuvastatin 10mg 1x/j
- Saccubutril-Valsartan 75 mg 2x/j
- Dapagliflozine 10mg 1x/j
  
- Escitalopram 10 mg 1x/j
- Arimidex cpr 1mg 1x/j

BNP (admission) 5059 ng/l  
 BNP after 2 months : 1176ng/l  
 NYHA IV to II  
 FEVG 25-30%, LV dilated



# Anthracycline and anti-HER2 : identification of the patient at increased risk of cardiotoxicity

## Lower risk

### Therapy-related risk factors

Lower lifetime dose of anthracycline  
< Doxorubicin 250 mg/m<sup>2</sup> or equivalent  
No previous anthracycline/trastuzumab-related cardiotoxicity  
Absence of sequential anthracycline and trastuzumab therapy  
Low-dose radiation therapy to central chest including heart in radiation field < 30 Gy

### Patient-related risk factors

Male  
Age < 50 years  
Absence of traditional cardiovascular risk factors: hypertension, smoking, obesity, dyslipidemia, insulin resistance  
Past medical history:  
Normal baseline LVEF  
Absence of pre-existing cardiovascular disease (e.g. CAD, PAD, cardiomyopathy, severe valvular heart disease, heart failure, or diabetes)

Normal kidney function or chronic kidney disease stage 1  
Biomarkers:  
Normal baseline troponin and/or NT-proBNP  
Normal cardiac troponin or NT-proBNP during cancer therapy

## Increased risk

Increased lifetime dose of anthracycline  
> Doxorubicin 250 mg/m<sup>2</sup> or equivalent – high risk  
> 400 mg/m<sup>2</sup> or equivalent – very high risk  
Prior anthracycline/trastuzumab-related cardiotoxicity  
Sequential anthracycline and trastuzumab therapy  
High-dose radiation therapy to central chest including heart in radiation field ≥ 30 Gy

Female  
Age 50 to 64 years – high risk and ≥ 65 years – highest risk  
Presence of traditional cardiovascular risk factors: hypertension, smoking, obesity, dyslipidemia, insulin resistance  
Past medical history:

Reduced or low-normal LVEF (50 to 54%) pre-treatment  
Presence of pre-existing cardiovascular disease (e.g. CAD, PAD, cardiomyopathy, severe valvular heart disease, heart failure, or diabetes)  
Chronic kidney disease stage 2+ (eGFR < 78 mL/min/1.73 m<sup>2</sup>) (84)  
Biomarkers:  
Elevated\* baseline troponin and/or NT-proBNP  
Elevated\* cardiac troponin or NT-proBNP during cancer therapy

# Anthracycline and anti-HER2 : Frequency of echocardiographic monitoring according to published guidelines.

Guideline, year (Ref. #)	Recommendation for frequency of echocardiography during therapy
HFA-EACVI, 2020 (15) Anthracyclines	Low risk*: after cycle of cumulative dose $240 \text{ mg/m}^2$ doxorubicin or equivalent, then every additional $100 \text{ mg/m}^2$ or every two cycles
	Medium risk*: following 50% of planned total treatment and after cycle of cumulative dose $240 \text{ mg/m}^2$ doxorubicin or equivalent
	High risk*: every two cycles, consider after every cycle above $240 \text{ mg/m}^2$ doxorubicin or equivalent
Anti-HER2 (neoadjuvant and adjuvant)	Low risk*: every four cycles (12 weeks)
	Medium risk*: every three cycles (9 weeks), then reduce to every four cycles if stable at 4 months
	High risk*: every two cycles (6 weeks), then reduce to every three cycles if stable at 4 months
Anti-HER2 (long term)	Low risk*: every four cycles in year 1, every six cycles in year 2, then reduce to every 6 months
	Medium risk*: every three cycles, then if stable reduce to every 6 months
	High risk*: every two or three cycles for 3 months, then reduce to every four cycles in year 1, then reduce frequency
ESMO, 2020 (26) Anthracyclines	After a cumulative dose of $250 \text{ mg/m}^2$ doxorubicin or equivalent, then after each additional $100 \text{ mg/m}^2$
	Every 3 months (higher-risk patients may require more frequent monitoring)
	General surveillance, which may include cardiac imaging
ASCO, 2017 (16) Anthracyclines	Frequency of surveillance should be determined by health care providers; routine surveillance imaging may be offered in patients considered to be at increased risk of cardiac dysfunction
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Anti-HER2	
CCS, 2016 (85) Anthracyclines	No recommendation made
	Every 3 months
Anti-HER2	
ESC, 2016 (10) Anthracyclines	After $200 \text{ mg/m}^2$ of doxorubicin or equivalent
	Every four cycles
Anti-HER2	
ASE, 2014 (33) Anthracyclines	After $240 \text{ mg/m}^2$ of doxorubicin or equivalent, then after each additional $50 \text{ mg/m}^2$
	Every 3 months
Anti-HER2	

# Classification of cancer related cardiotoxicity

- Type 1 chemotherapy related left ventricular (LV) systolic dysfunction
  - caused by agents such as doxorubicin, epirubicin, idarubicin, cyclophosphamide, and docetaxel
  - usually, dose related
  - usually not reversible
- Type 2 chemotherapy-mediated cardiotoxicity
  - results from agents such as trastuzumab, lapatinib, sunitinib, imatinib, and bevacizumab
  - generally not dose related
  - may be associated with reversible myocardial dysfunction

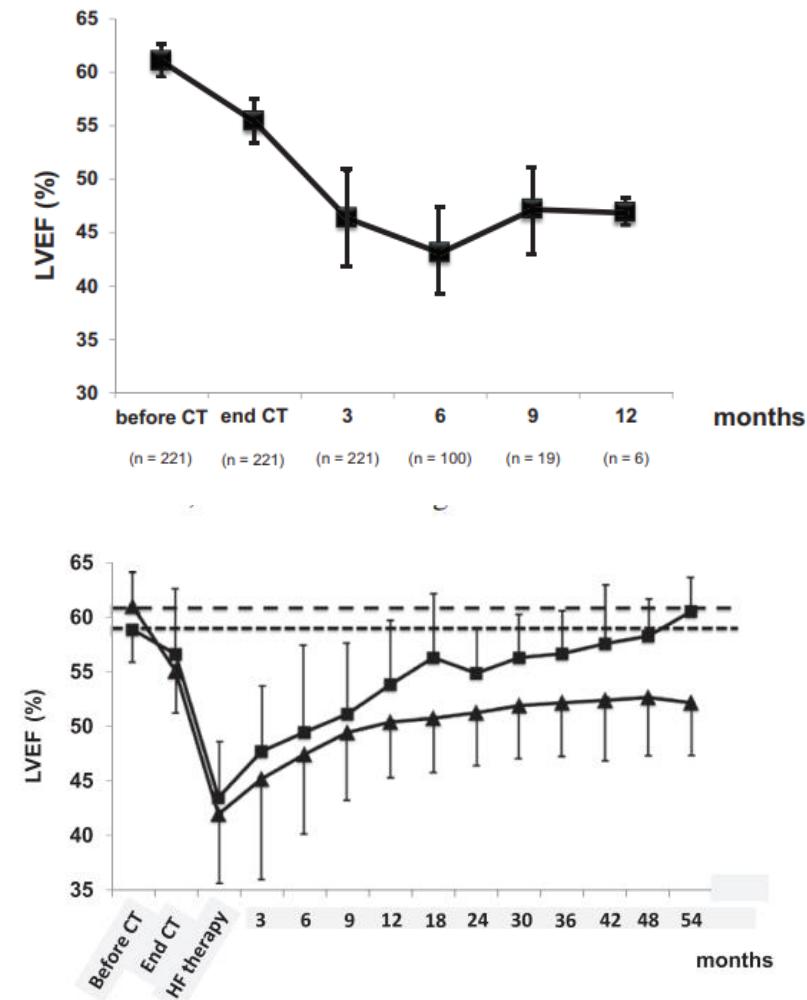
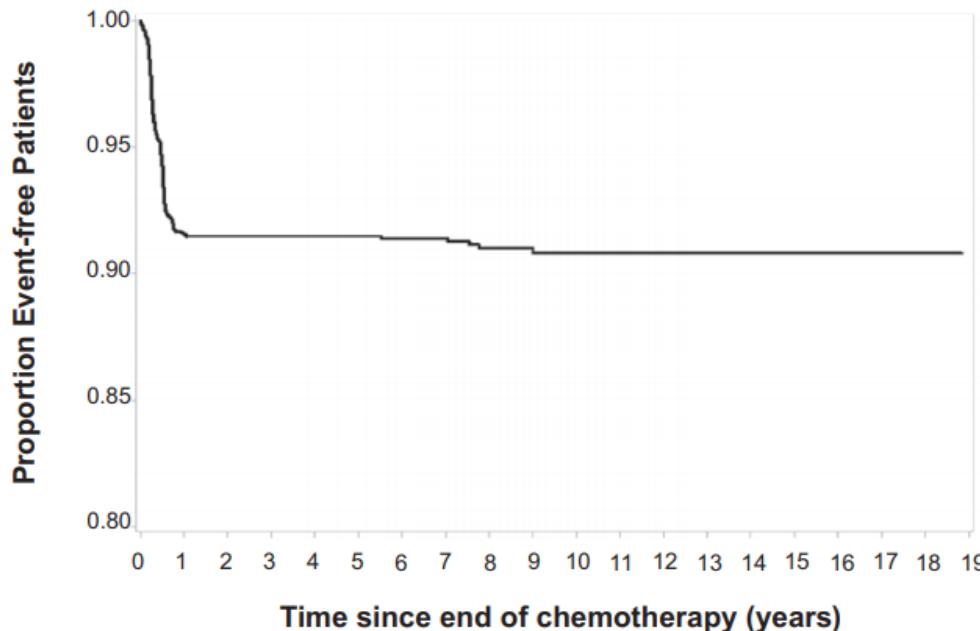
# Anthracycline induced LV systolic dysfunction

2399 patients planned exposed to anthracyclines  
consecutive chemotherapy-naive patients

Excluded :

<18yrs, LVEF < 50%, valvulopathy, severe hypertension, life expectancy < 12wks, high ACT dose protocols, ACT followed by trastuzumab

1° endpoint : time to occurrence of cardiotoxicity (reduction in LVEF  
>10 percentage points from baseline AND <50%.

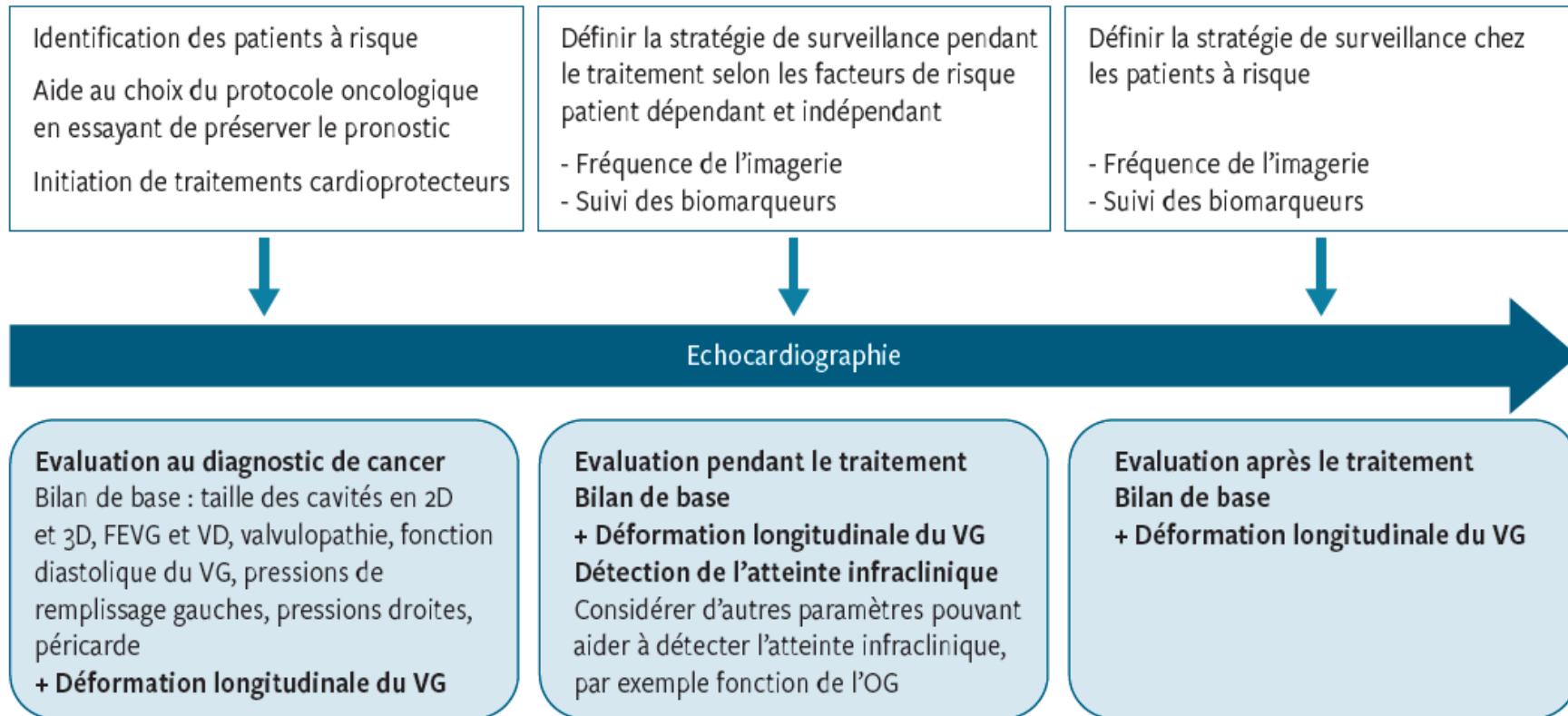


# Detection of subclinical and clinical cancer treatment related myocardial dysfunction

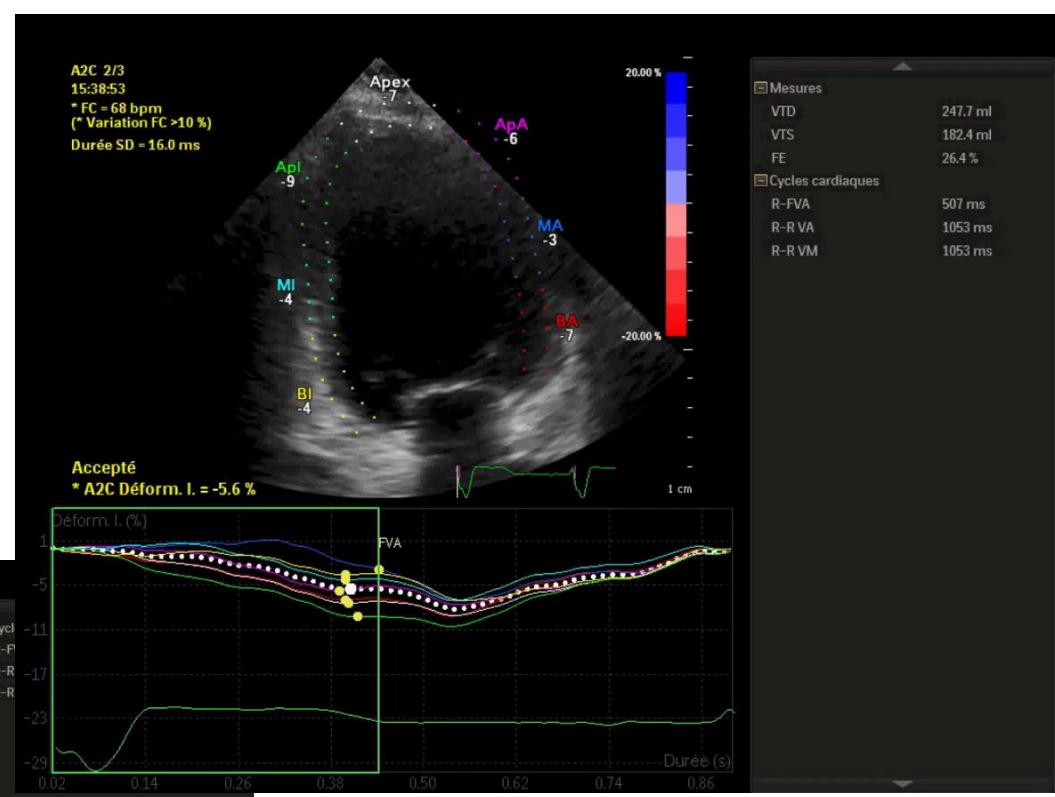
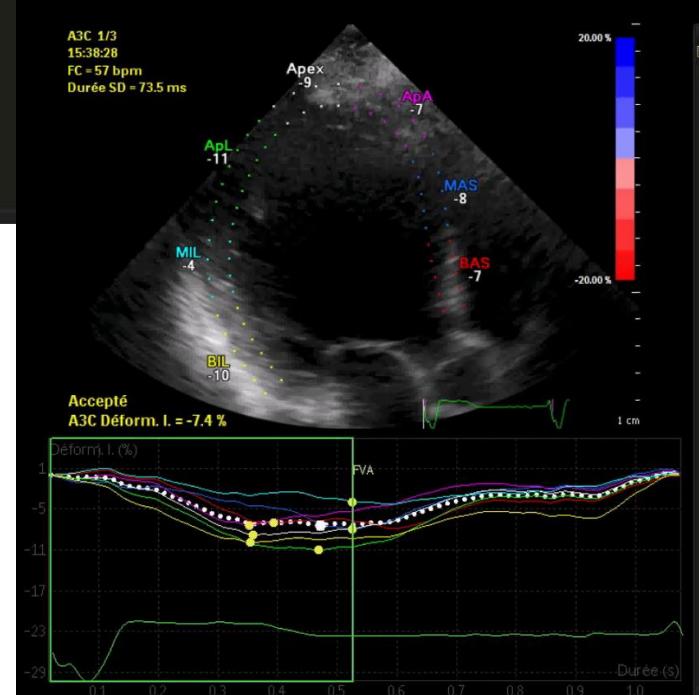
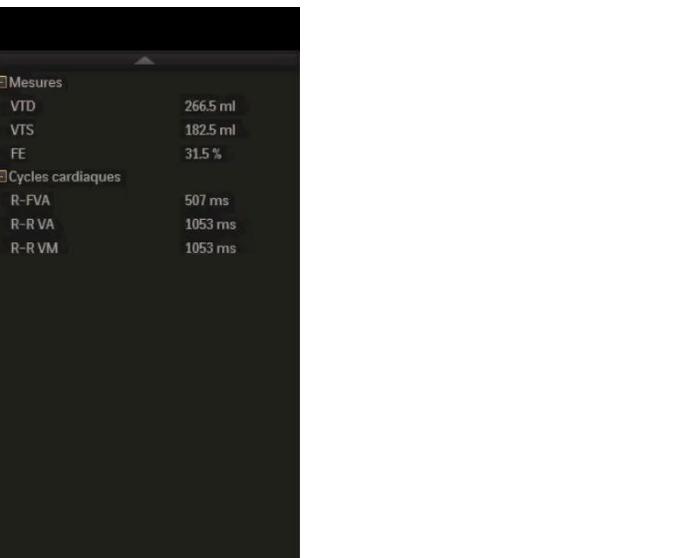
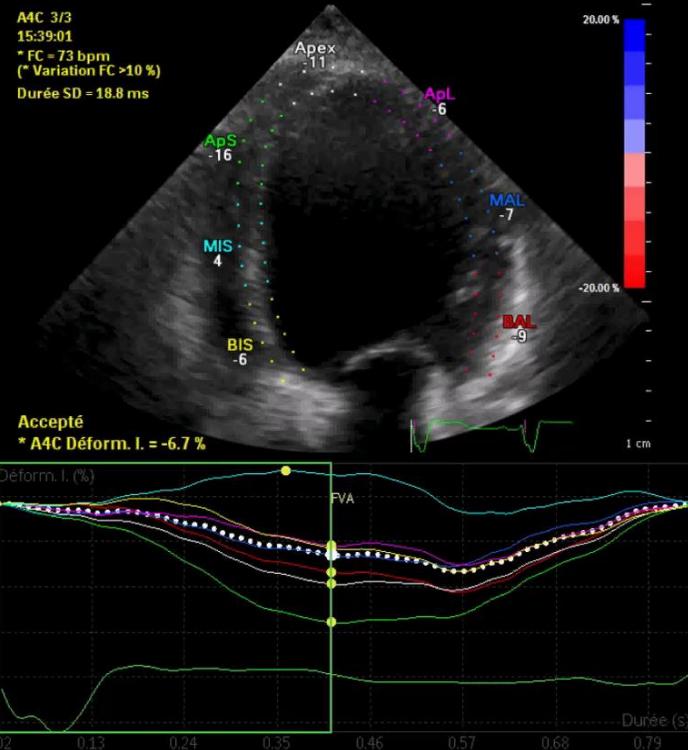
**FIG 1**

## Paramètres échocardiographiques à évaluer lors d'un traitement oncologique

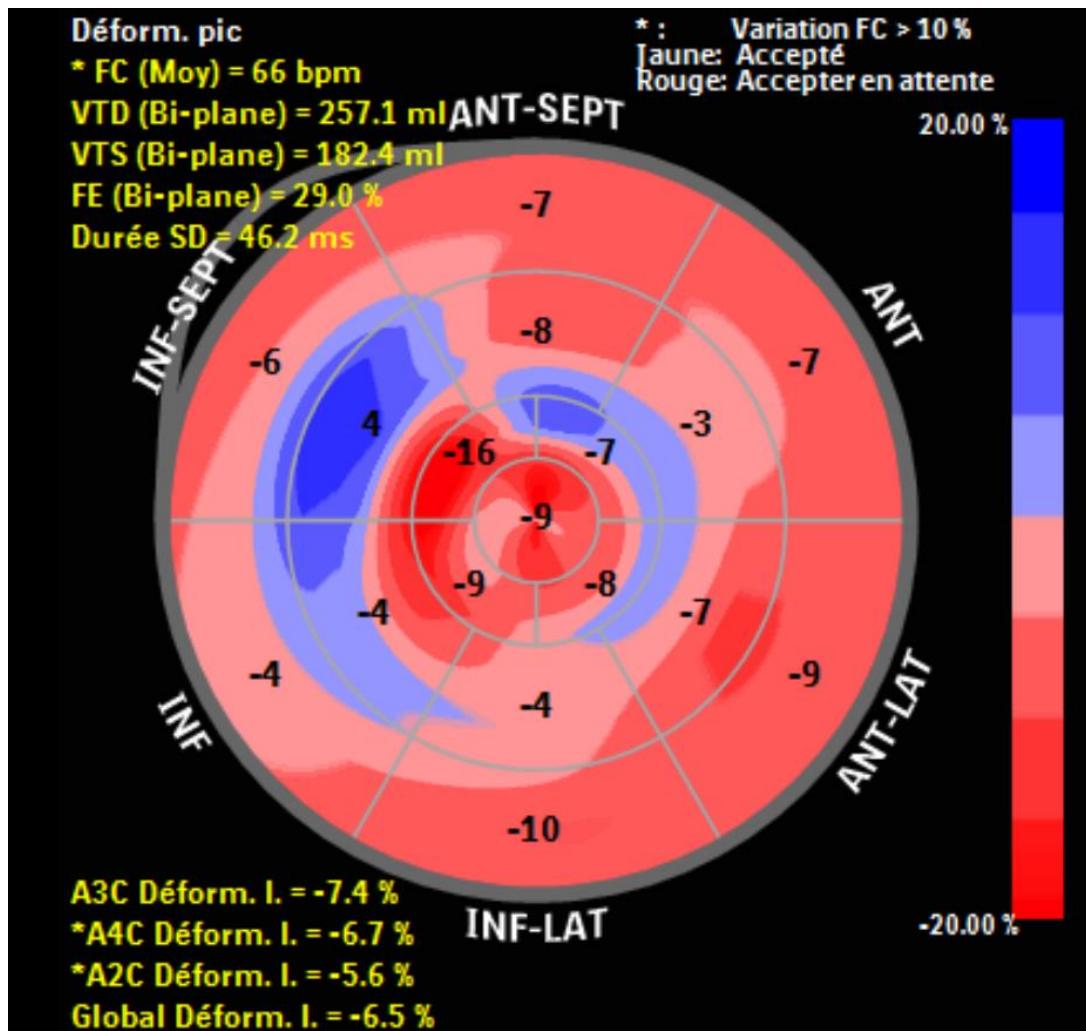
FEVG: fraction d'éjection du ventricule gauche; VD: ventricule droit; OG: oreillette gauche.



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Tips for optimal Strain imaging :

- ✓ Ensure that an optimal ECG signal with minimal heart rate variability is present across the three cardiac cycles.
- ✓ Maintain a frame rate of 40 to 90 frames/s (33) at a normal heart rate.
- ✓ Focus on the LV with appropriate adjustment of width and depth.
- ✓ The technique used to select the appropriate ROI is vendor specific (consult individual machine/software technical guidelines for further guidance)
- ✓ Two contours for speckle tracking are visible and should be aligned with the relevant area of interest :
  - ✓ the endocardial border (the inner contour of the myocardium)
  - ✓ and the epicardial border (the outer border of the myocardium).
- ✓ Be careful to exclude the pericardium, especially if automated analysis software is used. Inclusion of pericardium will lead to an underestimation of strain.
- ✓ Use optimal gain settings and breath-holding techniques to clearly delineate the endocardial and epicardial borders.
- ✓ During post-processing, the ROI should be aligned as accurately as possible to reflect the 17-segment LV model.

# Current echocardiographic diagnostic criteria for cardiotoxicity

## **Cardiotoxicity or Probable/Possible Subclinical Cardiotoxicity**

### **Cardiotoxicity:**

- LVEF: A decline by >10 absolute percentage points to a value <50%

### **Probable subclinical cardiotoxicity:**

- LVEF: A decline by >10 absolute percentage points to a value  $\geq 50\%$  with an accompanying fall in GLS >15%

### **Possible subclinical cardiotoxicity:**

- LVEF: A decline by <10 absolute percentage points to a value <50%

**OR**

- LV GLS: A relative percentage reduction in GLS by >15% from baseline

# SUCCOUR randomized controlled trial : 1 year follow up results

Aim : to identify whether GLS-guided CPT prevents reduction in LVEF and development of CTRCD in high-risk patients undergoing potentially cardiotoxic chemotherapy, compared with usual care

Inclusion criteria :

**Exposure to anthracycline-based chemotherapy with another risk factor for heart failure**

- 28 centers from Australia, Asia, Europe, Canada, and the United States
- Enrollement between January 2014 and December 2019.

**Additional heart failure risk factors in addition to receiving anthracycline included:**

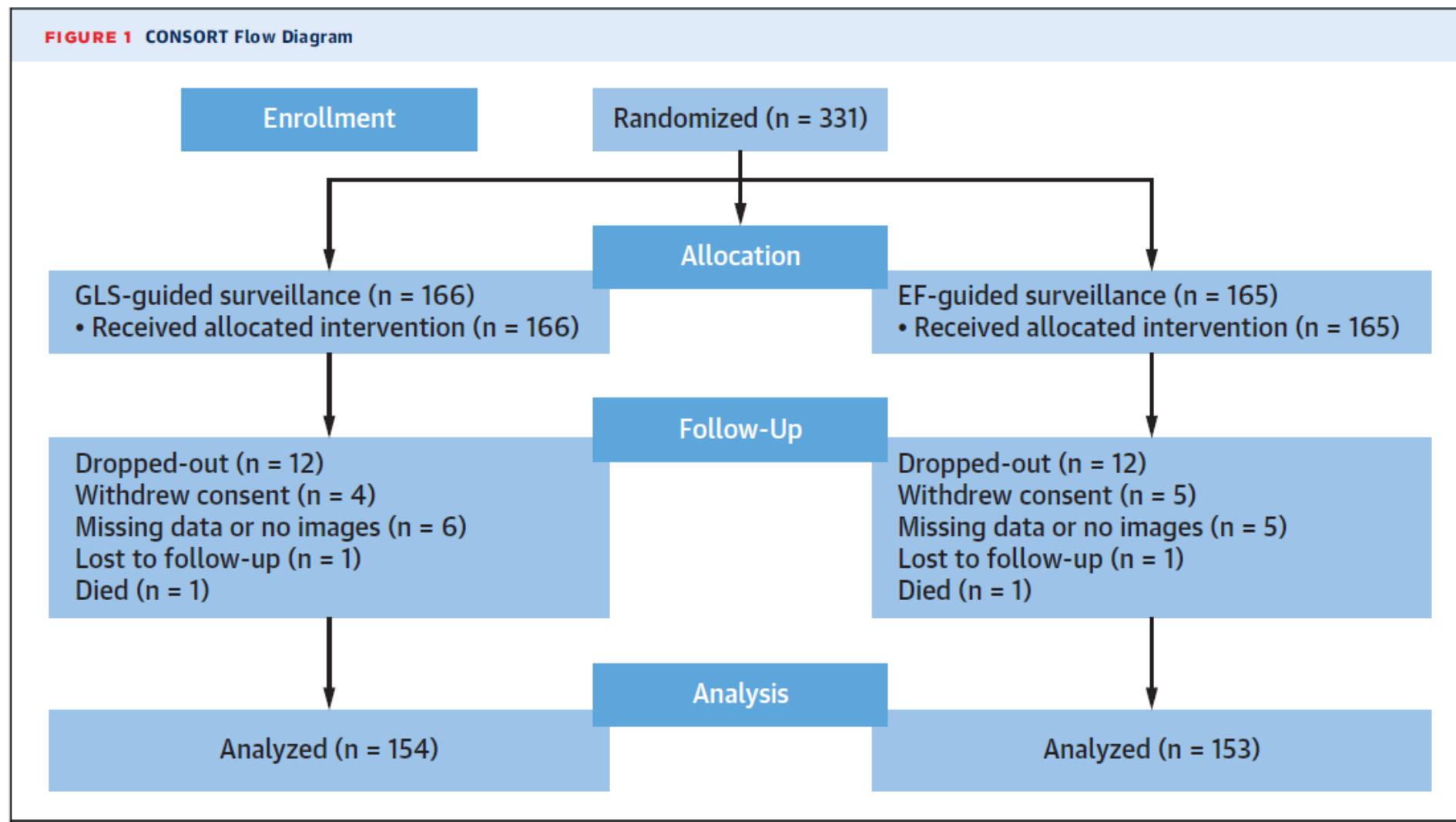
- 1) use of trastuzumab therapy in women with human epidermal growth factor receptor 2-positive (HER2 $\beta$ ) breast cancer
- 2) use of tyrosine kinase inhibitors (e.g., sunitinib)
- 3) cumulative doxorubicin dose of >450 mg/m<sup>2</sup> or other isoequivalent anthracycline dose
- 4) any 2 traditional heart failure risk factors: age > 65 years, type 2 diabetes mellitus, hypertension, or previous cardiac injury (e.g., myocardial infarction).

Exclusion criteria were:

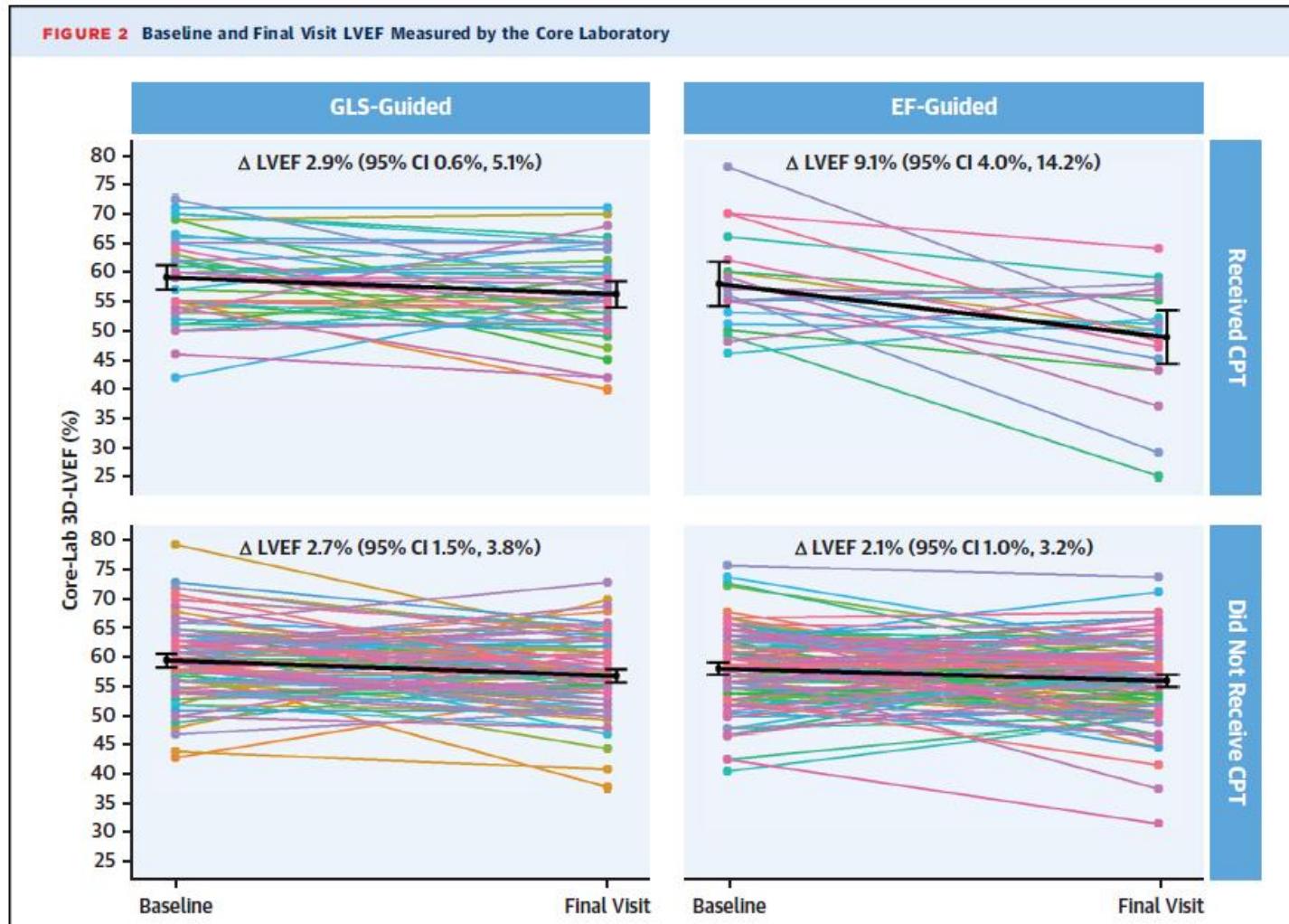
- 1) Baseline LVEF of <50%
- 2) valvular stenosis or regurgitation greater than moderate in severity
- 3) history of previous heart failure
- 4) systolic blood pressure of <110 mm Hg
- 5) heart rate of <60 beats/min
- 6) inability to acquire interpretable images on baseline echocardiogram
- 7) contraindications to betablockers and angiotensin-converting enzyme (ACE) inhibitors or angiotensin receptor blockers (ARBs)
- 8) **current therapy with betablockers and ACE inhibitors or ARBs** (patients were eligible if they were on only a betablocker or ACE inhibitor/ARB)
- 9) Oncologic life expectancy of <12 months
- 10)unable to provide written informed consent
- 11)participating in another clinical trial where randomized treatment would be unacceptable

Primary endpoint : Development of CTRCD (symptomatic EF reduction of >5% or >10% asymptomatic to <55%) over 1 year

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**TABLE 2** Changes in LVEF and GLS Between Baseline and the 1-Year Follow-Up

	EF Guided			GLS Guided			Difference, % (95% CI)	p Value†
	n	LV Function, % (95% CI)	p Value*	n	LV Function, % (95% CI)	p Value*		
<b>Core laboratory 3D EF, %</b>								
Baseline	153	58 (57 to 59)		154	59 (58 to 60)		-1.2 (-2.6 to 0.2)	0.10
1 year	153	55 (54 to 56)		154	57 (56 to 58)		-1.5 (-3.0 to 0.0)	0.05
1 year - baseline	153	-3.0 (-1.8 to -4.2)	<0.001	154	-2.7 (-1.7 to -3.8)	<0.001	0.3 (-1.3 to 1.9)	0.69
<b>Core laboratory GLS, %</b>								
Baseline	153	-20.4 (-20.8 to -20.0)		154	-20.9 (-21.3, to -20.5)		0.49 (-0.05 to 1.03)	0.08
1 year	142	-19.0 (-19.5 to -18.6)		136	-19.6 (-20.0 to -19.2)		0.53 (-0.07 to 1.13)	0.08
1 year -baseline	142	1.5 (1.9 to 1.0)	<0.001	136	1.4 (1.8 to 1.0)	<0.001	-0.09 (-0.68 to 0.49)	0.75

**TABLE 3** Cancer Therapy-Related Cardiac Dysfunction Treatment Details for the 2 Arms

	EF Guided (n = 153)	GLS Guided (n = 154)	p Value
Received ACE inhibitor/ARB	17 (11)	44 (29)	<0.001
Received BB	18 (12)	38 (25)	0.005
Received both	16 (10)	37 (24)	0.002
Maximal dose of ACE inhibitor/ARB achieved, %*†	31 (25-63)	50 (25-50)	0.81
Maximal dose of beta-blocker achieved, %*†	25 (12-50)	25 (12-50)	0.44

**TABLE 4** Reasons for Interruption or Discontinuation of Cancer Therapy

	Interruption		Discontinuation	
	EF Guided (n = 8)	GLS Guided (n = 5)	EF Guided (n = 5)	GLS Guided (n = 9)
Adverse events/serious adverse effects	1	0	1	2
Left ventricular dysfunction	1	3	1	2
Chemotherapy side effect	3	1	1	4
Other reasons	3	1	2	1

# Proposal of an algorithm based on echocardiography surveillance of cardiotoxicity integrating strain imaging of the left ventricle, cardio-protection concepts

Baseline assessment based on treatment and  
cardiotoxicity profile  
Including TTE with cardio-oncology measurements

LVEF and GLS analysis at regular intervals during treatment depending on risk for cardiotoxicity

Normal or no  
evidence of  
cardiotoxicity

Possible  
subclinical  
cardiotoxicity

Probable  
subclinical  
cardiotoxicity

Definite or highly  
probable  
cardiotoxicity

True  
Normal

Borderline LVEF at  
baseline (50-54%)

LVEF decline by <10 absolute percentage points to  
a value <50% **OR**  
A relative reduction in GLS by >15% from baseline

LVEF decline by > 10 absolute percentage points  
to a value >/= 50% **WITH** an accompanying  
reduction in GLS by >15%

LVEF decline by > 10  
absolute percentage  
points to a value <50%



Consider referral to a cardio-oncology service



Initiation of “individualised”  
cardioprotective treatment

Personalized surveillance strategy  
during cancer treatment

Guideline directed OMT for HF,  
especially for symptomatic patients

TTE evaluation after completion of cancer treatment with repeat evaluation of cardio-oncology measurements for all

Personalized follow up strategy, especially in patients with possible, probable or definite cardiotoxicity.

# Plan

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  - Radiotherapy
  - **Anti-androgen therapy**
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# Androgen Deprivation therapy (ADT)

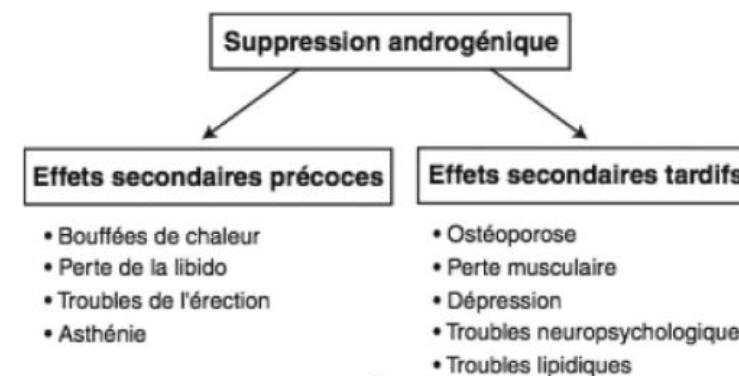
- Agoniste ou antagoniste LHRH (ou castration chirurgicale)
- Castration par diminution de la testostéronémie
- Initialement utilisé comme monothérapie dans le KP avancé ou M+ hormonosensible
- Désormais en combinaison en 1LM (+ Abiraterone/Enzalutamide/Docetaxel)
- Durée variable selon stade et hormonosensibilité : généralement plusieurs années

## Les agonistes de la LH-RH :

- Leupréréline (Eligard, Enantone), formes injectables IM/SC ou per os
- Buséréline (Biganist, Suprefact), formes injectables SC ou nasale (Suprefact)
- Goséréline (Zotadex), formes injectables SC
- Triptoréline (Decapeptyl, Salvacyl), formes injectables IM/SC

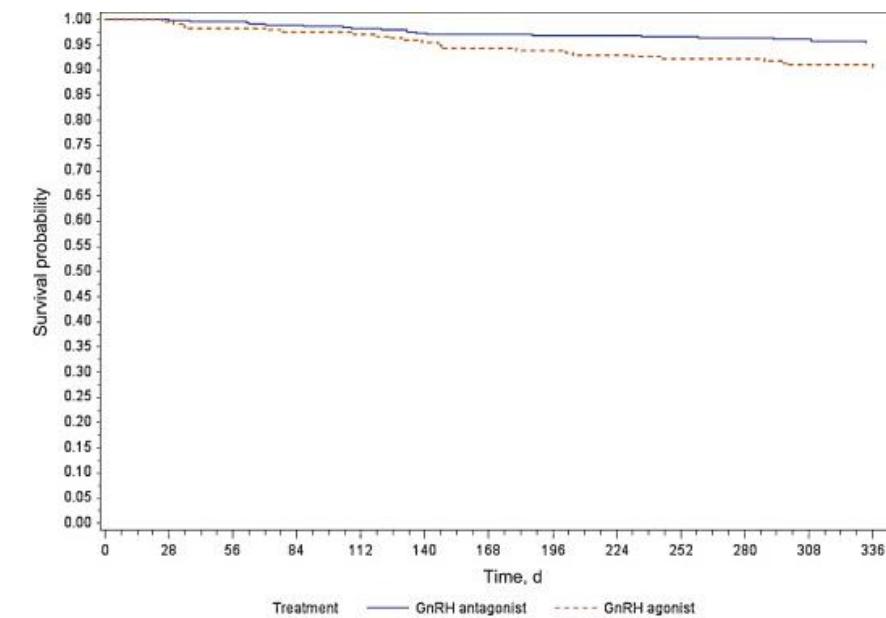
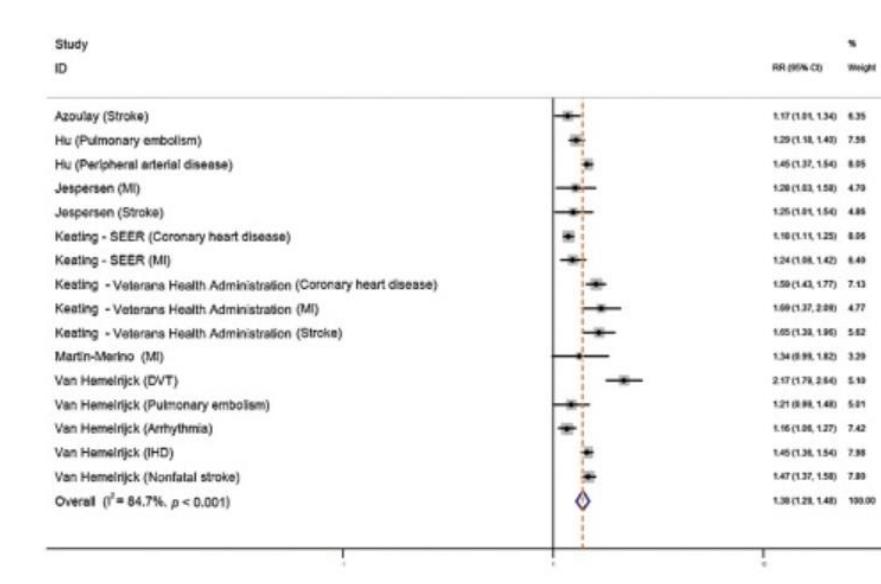
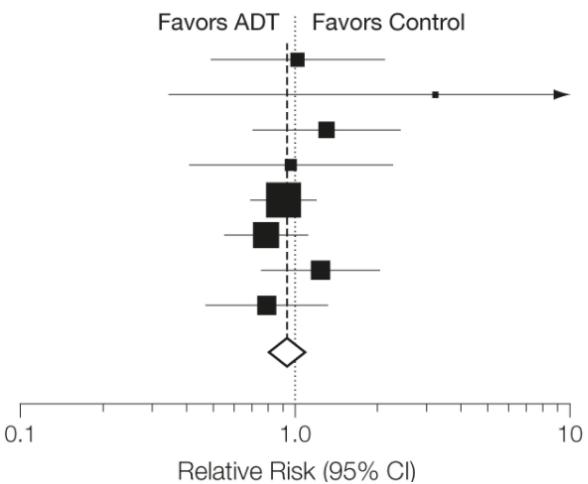
## L'antagoniste de la LH-RH :

- Dégarélix (Firmagon), formes injectables SC



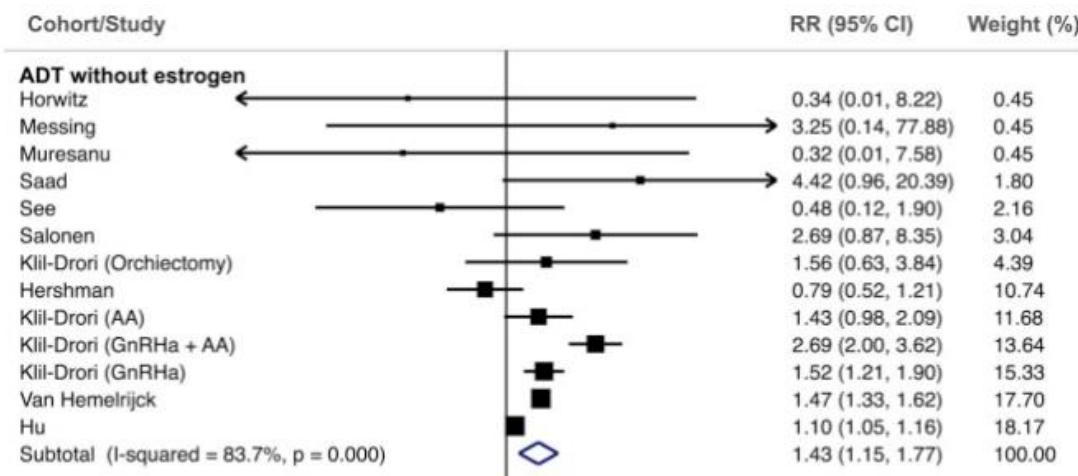
# Cardiotoxicité de l'ADT : maladie CV

- Études contradictoires :  $\geq$  morbidité/mortalité CV ?
- Majoration du risque en cas d'ATCD CV ( $\geq 2$ ), surtout dans les 6 premiers mois du ttt
- Semblerait être moins important avec les antagonistes LHRH



# Cardiotoxicité de l'ADT : MTEV

- Majoration du risque d'événements thromboembolique (TVP, EP, AE)



	ADT (N = 58,466)			No ADT (N = 96,145)		
	No.	% of Pts	No. Events	No.	% of Pts	No. Events
	Pts	Pts		Pts	Pts	
<b>Thromboembolic events</b>						
Any event	8,829	15%	13,330	7,121	7%	10,318
Deep venous thrombosis	4,360	7%	6,623	3,564	4%	5,191
Arterial embolism	2,574	4%	3,834	2,011	2%	2,874
Pulmonary embolism	1,895	3%	2,873	1,546	2%	2,253

# Cardotoxicité de l'ADT

- Surveillance annuelle recommandée (AHA, AUA, ACA) :
  - Pression artérielle
  - Bilan lipidique
  - Glycémie à jeun
- Algorithme « ABCDE » :
  - Aspirine
  - Blood pressure
  - Cholesterol and Cigarette cessation
  - Diet and diabetes
  - Exercise

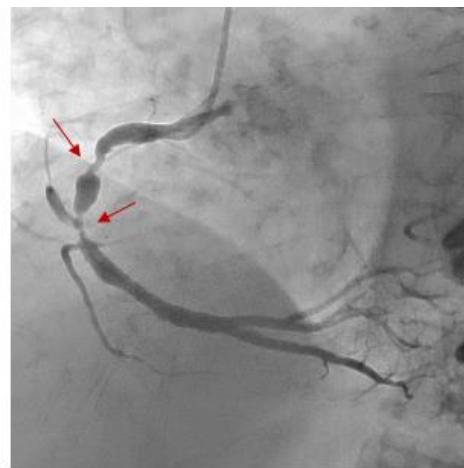
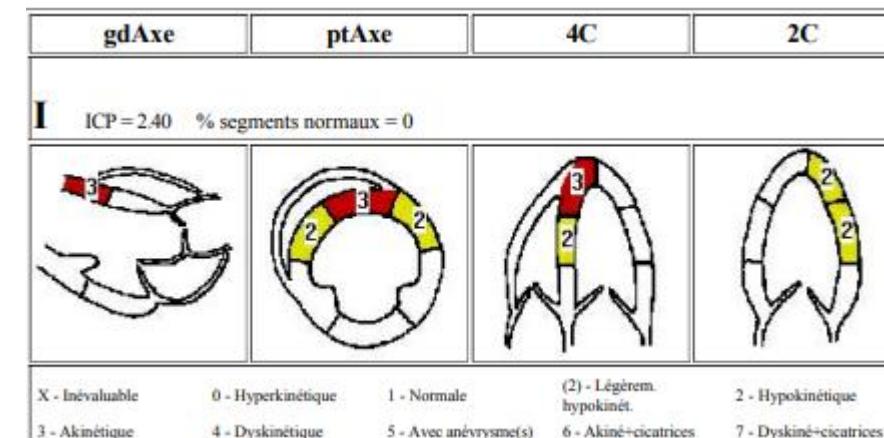
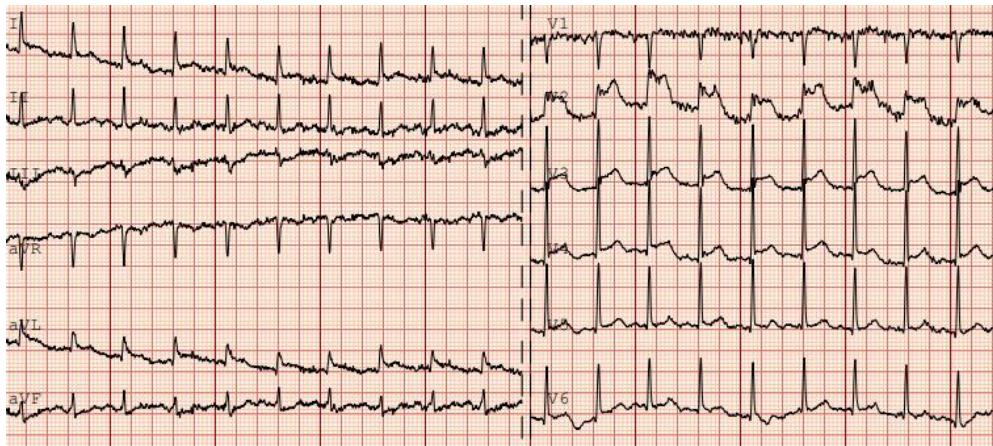
# Cas clinique : M. V-C, 70 ans

- Pas de FdRCV
- Sd de Lynch avec multiples ADK coliques opérés
- Myélome multiple IgG kappa depuis Jan 2019 traité par chimiothérapie (VRD puis daratumumab VMP)
- mHSCP depuis Juin 2020
  - ADT par agoniste LHRH + Abiraterone avec bonne efficacité sur PSA

Fév 2021 : DRS oppressive + dyspnée + pic hypertensif avec ECG : sus ST V2-V4 puis résolution spontanée avec tropo ↑ de 59 à 900 ng/L.

- ➔ ETT : akinésie antéroseptoapicale et hypokinésie inféroseptale moyenne et ant moyenne
- ➔ Coronarographie

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LÉSION IVA



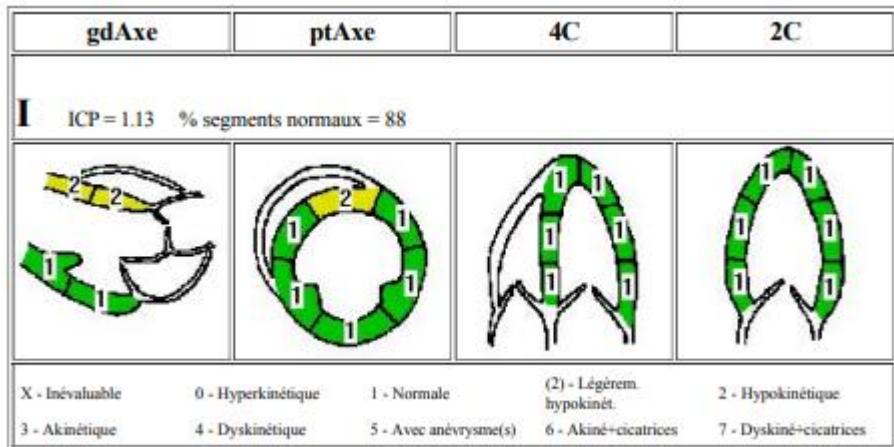
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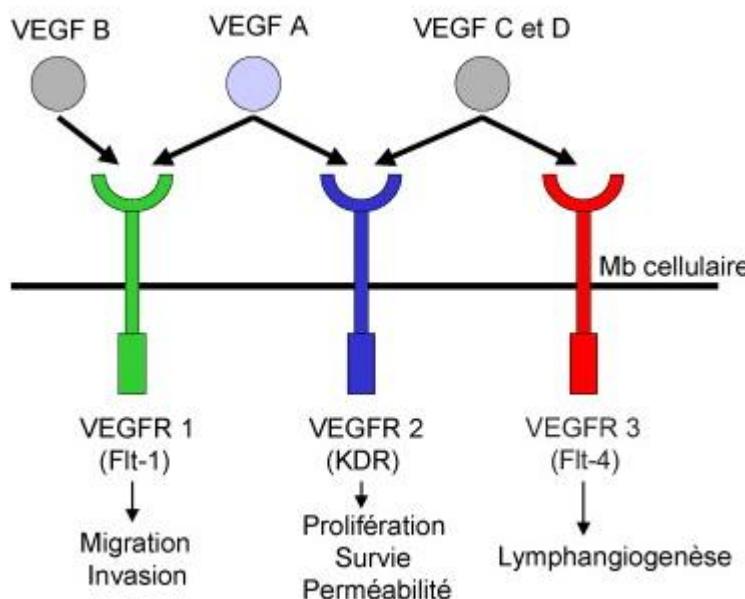
ETT post thérapeutique : FEVG 55-60%, strain -16%



→ Décision de ne pas reprendre l'Abiraterone ni l'agoniste LHRH et de le remplacer par antagoniste de la LHRH

# Antiangiogéniques

Bévacizumab (Avastin)	VEGF-A
Sorafénib (Nexavar)	VEGFR et PDGFR tyrosine kinase
Sunitinib (Sutent)	VEGFR, c-Kit et PDGFR tyrosine kinase
Pazopanib (Votrient)	VEGFR, c-Kit et PDGFR tyrosine kinase



- Inhibiteurs de tyrosine kinase
- Thérapie ciblée des cancers du rein, digestifs, CHC, SNC, poumon, GIST
- Cardiotoxicité
  - multifactorielle
  - Indépendante de la posologie
  - mais potentiellement réversible

# Cardiotoxicité des antiangiogéniques

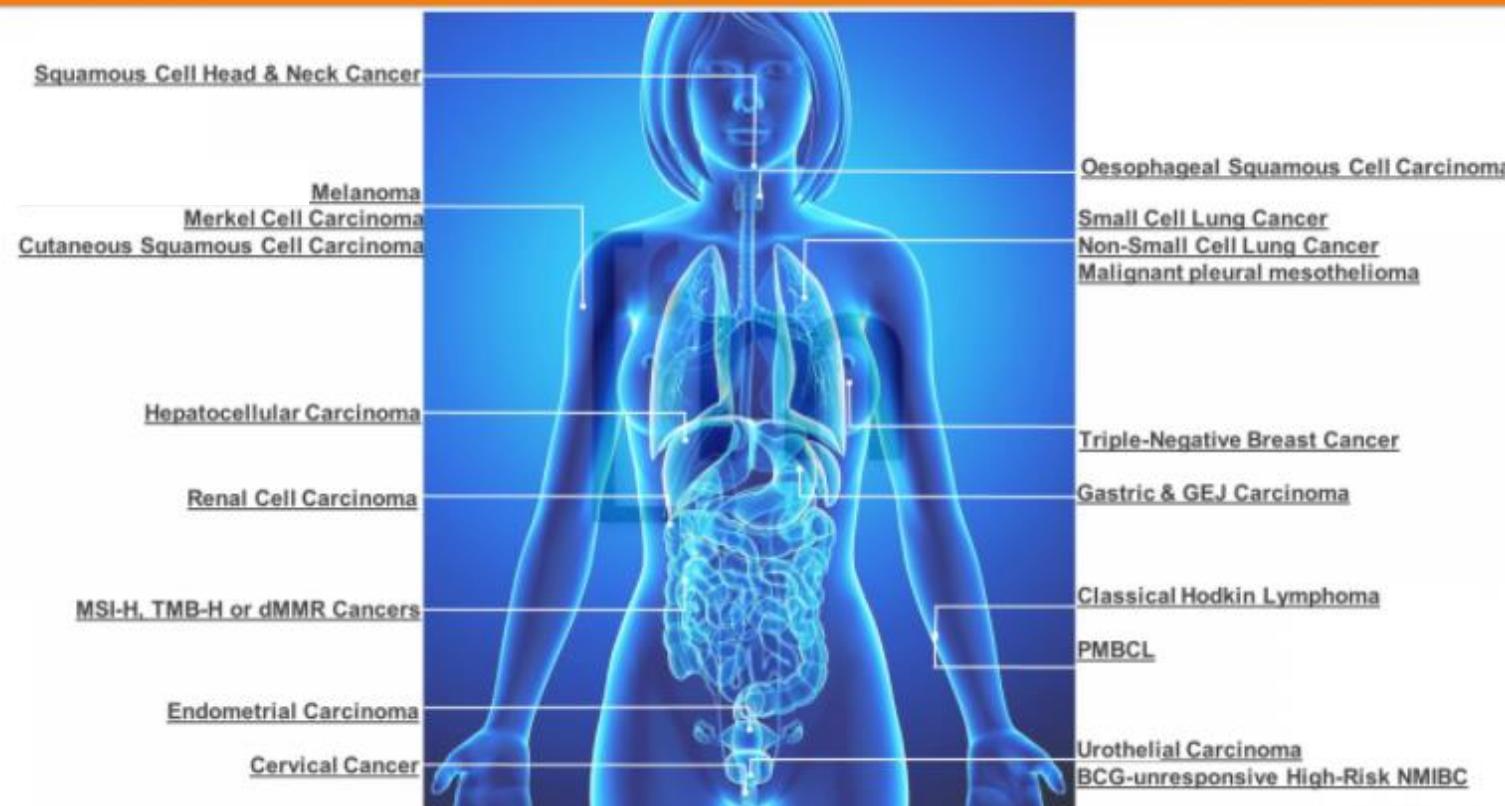
- HTA
  - ATCD HTA, âge > 60 ans, BMI > 25 kg/m<sup>2</sup> associés indépendamment
  - Pas de facteur prédictif
  - CAVEAT : verapamil/diltiazem avec sorafenib/sunitinib
- MTE veineuse ou artérielle
  - Pas d'anticoagulant ou antiagrégant en prophylaxie primaire
  - PEC selon standard of care – réintroduction à discuter
- Dysfonction VG et ischémie myocardique (sunitinib, axitinib++)
  - Dépistage par ETT et ECG (« stage A » heart failure patients) si ATCD MCV, sujet âgé, exposition aux anthracyclines
  - Moins cardiotoxiques : pazopanib, bevacizumab
- Dissection aortique et anévrisme
- Saignement
- Allongement QTc et arythmie (sunitinib++)

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# Immune Checkpoint Inhibitors - ICI

## U.S. FDA Approved Immune-Checkpoint Inhibitors<sup>1-7</sup>



### Anti-CTLA-4

Ipilimumab

### Anti-PD-1

Nivolumab  
Pembrolizumab  
Cemiplimab

### Anti-PD-L1

Atezolizumab  
Durvalumab  
Avelumab

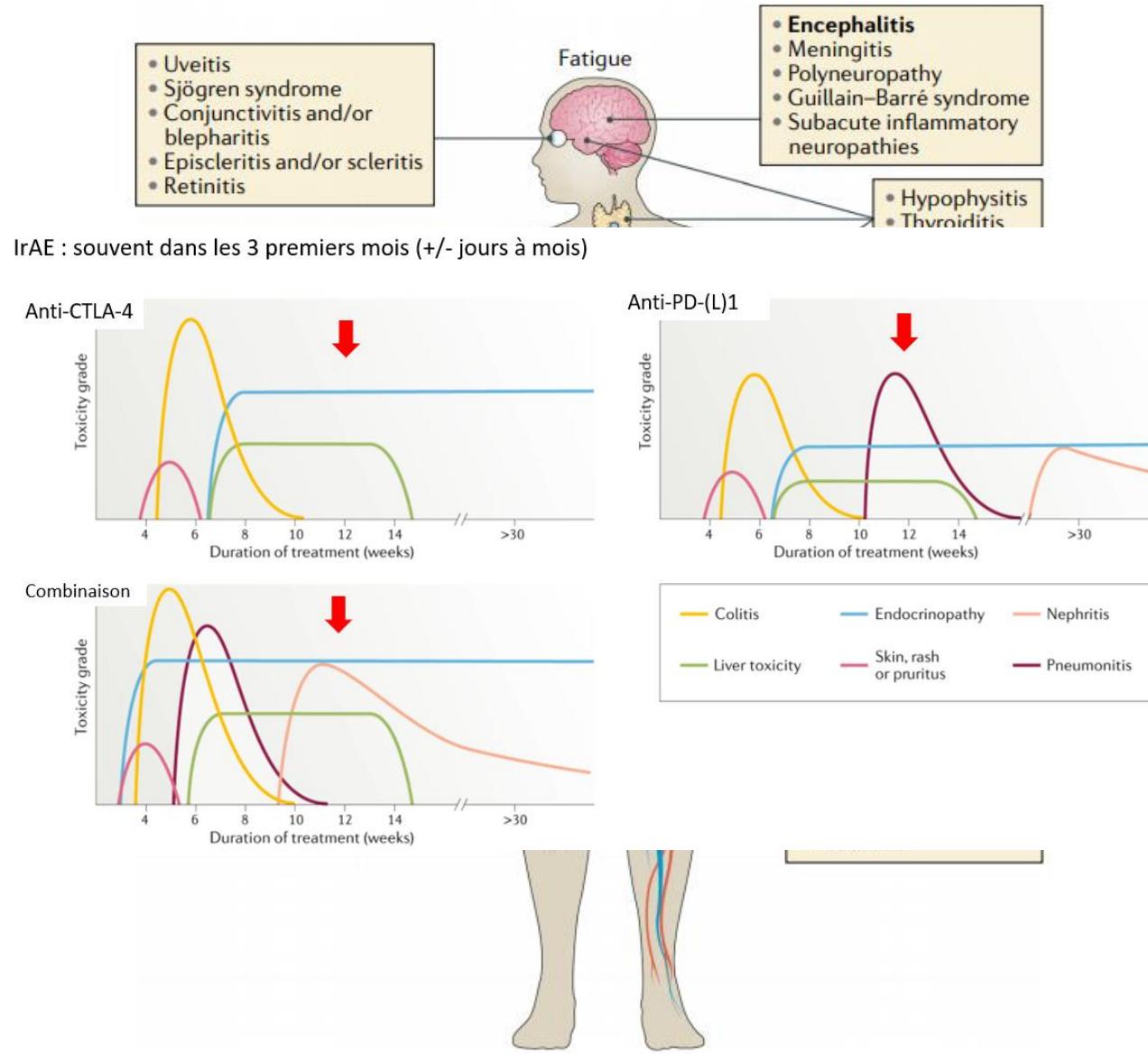
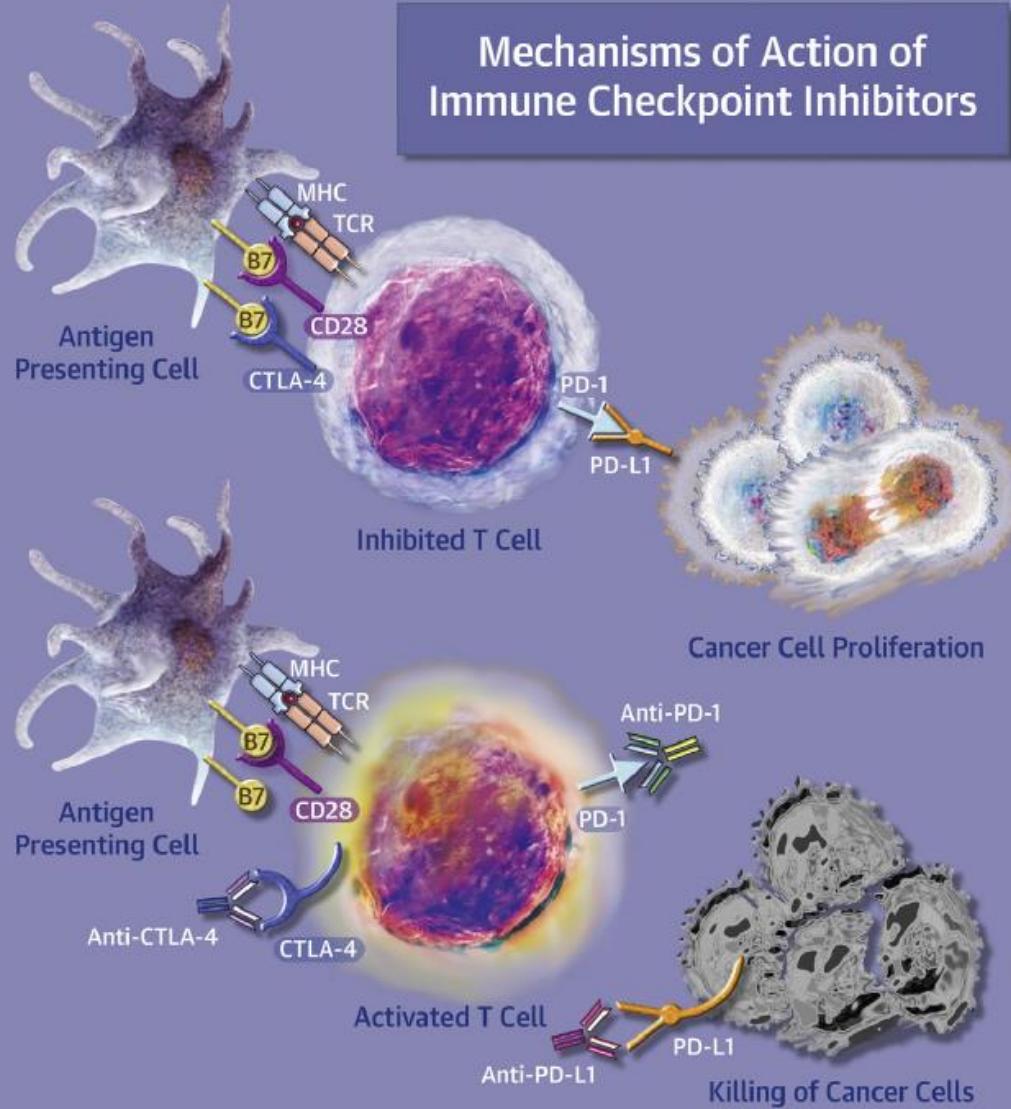
*Et encore beaucoup en développement...*

Seul ou en combinaison

Association avec chimiothérapie, radiothérapie

Dans un contexte métastatique , adjuvant ... néoadjuvant

## Mechanisms of Action of Immune Checkpoint Inhibitors



## Grade selon CTCAE v5.

**Grade 1** : Léger, asymptomatique

-> *Observation, pas d'intervention*

**Grade 2** : Modéré

-> *Suspendre ICI, intervention locale ou non invasive, souvent besoin faible dose orale stéroïde*

-> *Reprise ICI quand irAE ≤ G1*

**Grade 3** : Sévère, ou médicalement significatif mais non potentiellement mortel

-> *Arrêt de l'immunothérapie, hospitalisation, haute dose de stéroïde*

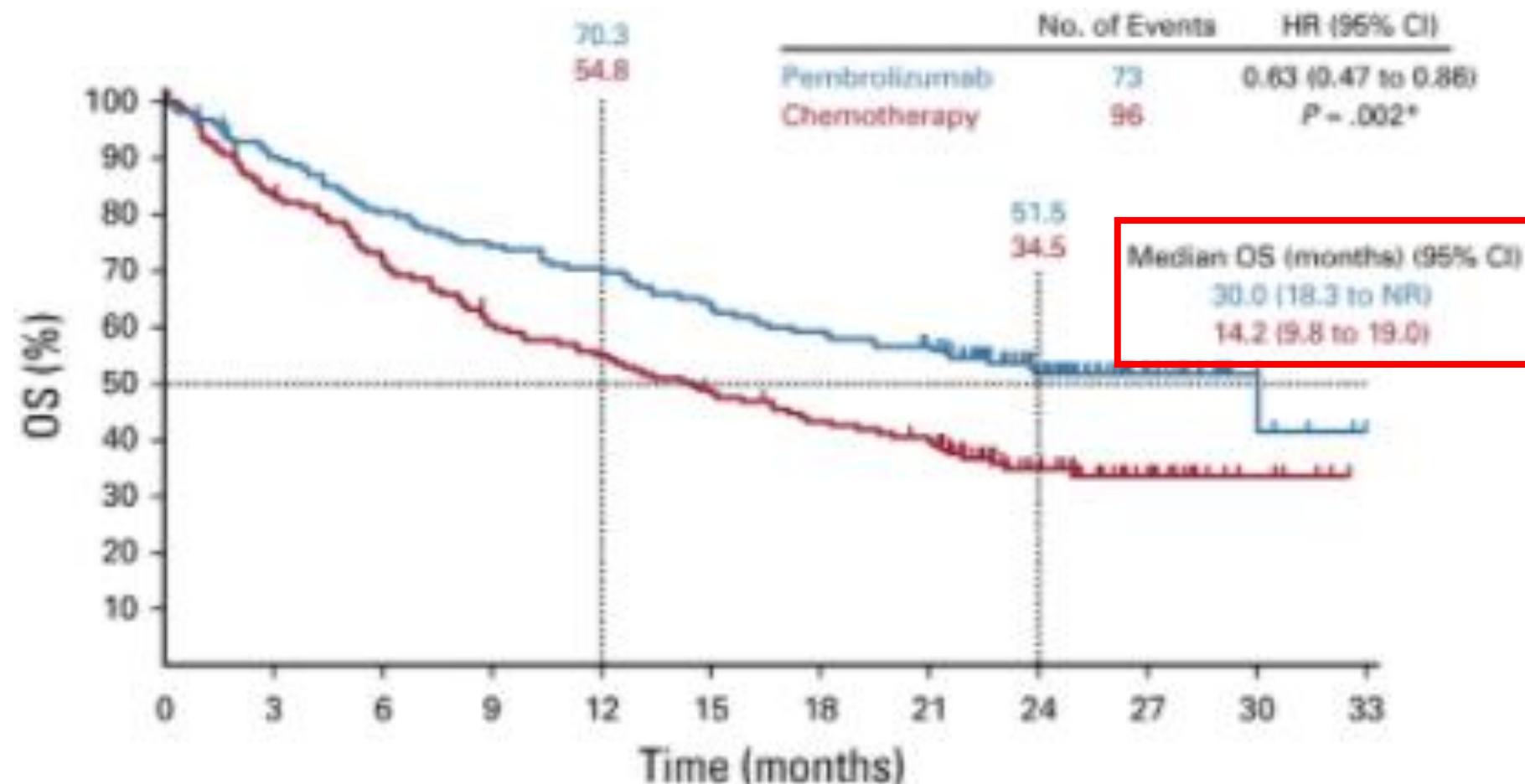
-> *Reprise ICI à discuter quand irAE ≤ G1*

**Grade 4** : Conséquences potentiellement mortelles

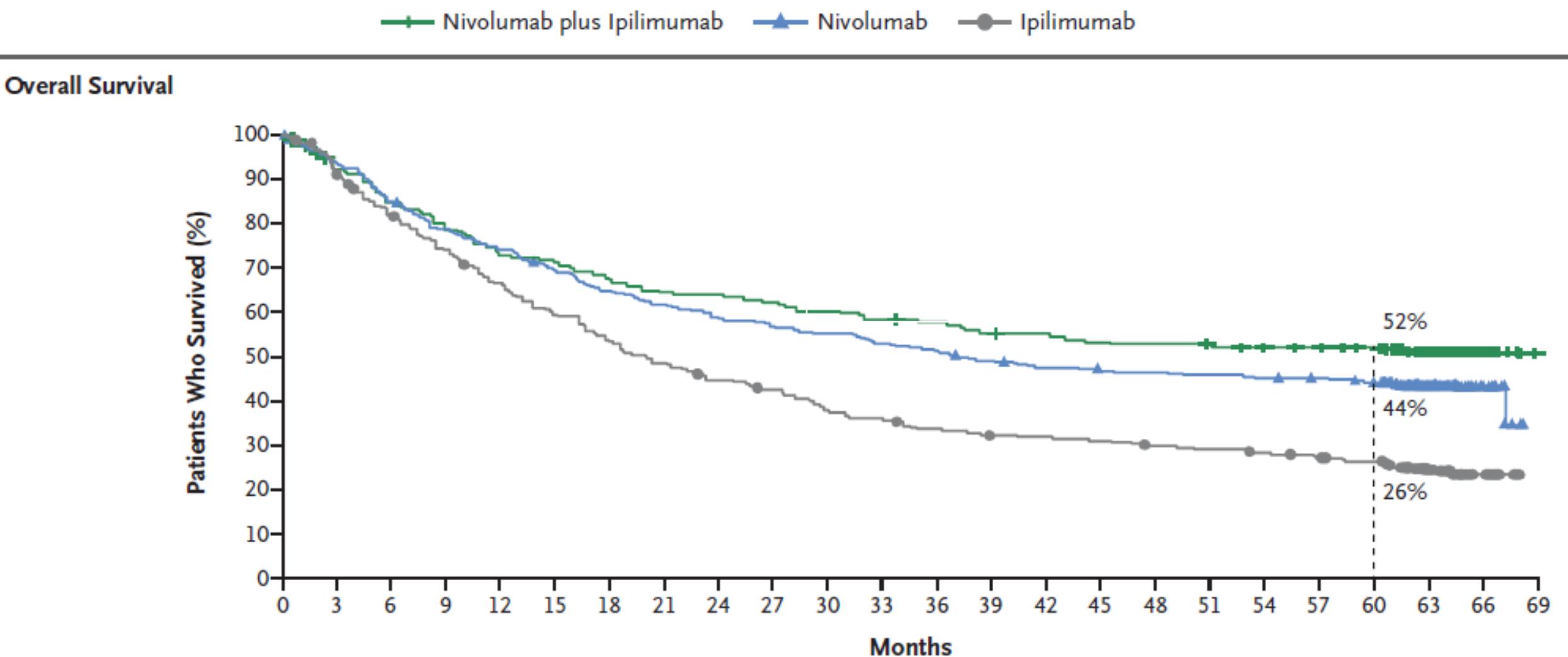
-> *Arrêt permanent ICI, intervention urgente nécessaire*

**Grade 5** : décès

## Cancer du poumon métastatique PD-L1 ≥ 50%



# Mélanome métastatique



## Cardio-toxicité des ICI

Rare – probablement sous-estimée !

Non – cumulative ; souvent en début traitement (2-3 premiers mois).

Peut être fulminante

### FR potentiels :

- . Combinaison ICI
- . Anti-CTLA4 (3,3% myocardite > 2,4% anti-PDL-1 > 0,5% anti-PD-1)
- . Diabète
- . Obésité
- . Maladie autoimmune pré-existante
- . Tabac
- . HTA

### Différentes atteintes possibles :

- Myocardite (+ fréquente)
- Arythmies
- SCA
- Vasculite
- Péricardite

## Immune-Related MYOCARDITIS

Rare (1,1-2,4% combinaison), mais probablement sous-estimée

Symptômes très variables : **A/paucy-symptomatique au Décès**

- . Fatigue
- . Myalgies (souvent associée à myosite)
- . DRS
- . Dyspnée
- . Œdèmes
- . Vertige/Syncope
- . Palpitations/Arythmies
- . Mort subite

Développement dans les **2-3 premiers mois de traitement.**

**Complications majeures dans > 40-50% cas**

(arythmies atriale ou ventriculaire, bloc complet, IC, choc cardiogénique, **décès (38-46%)**)

Plus ou moins **fulminante**

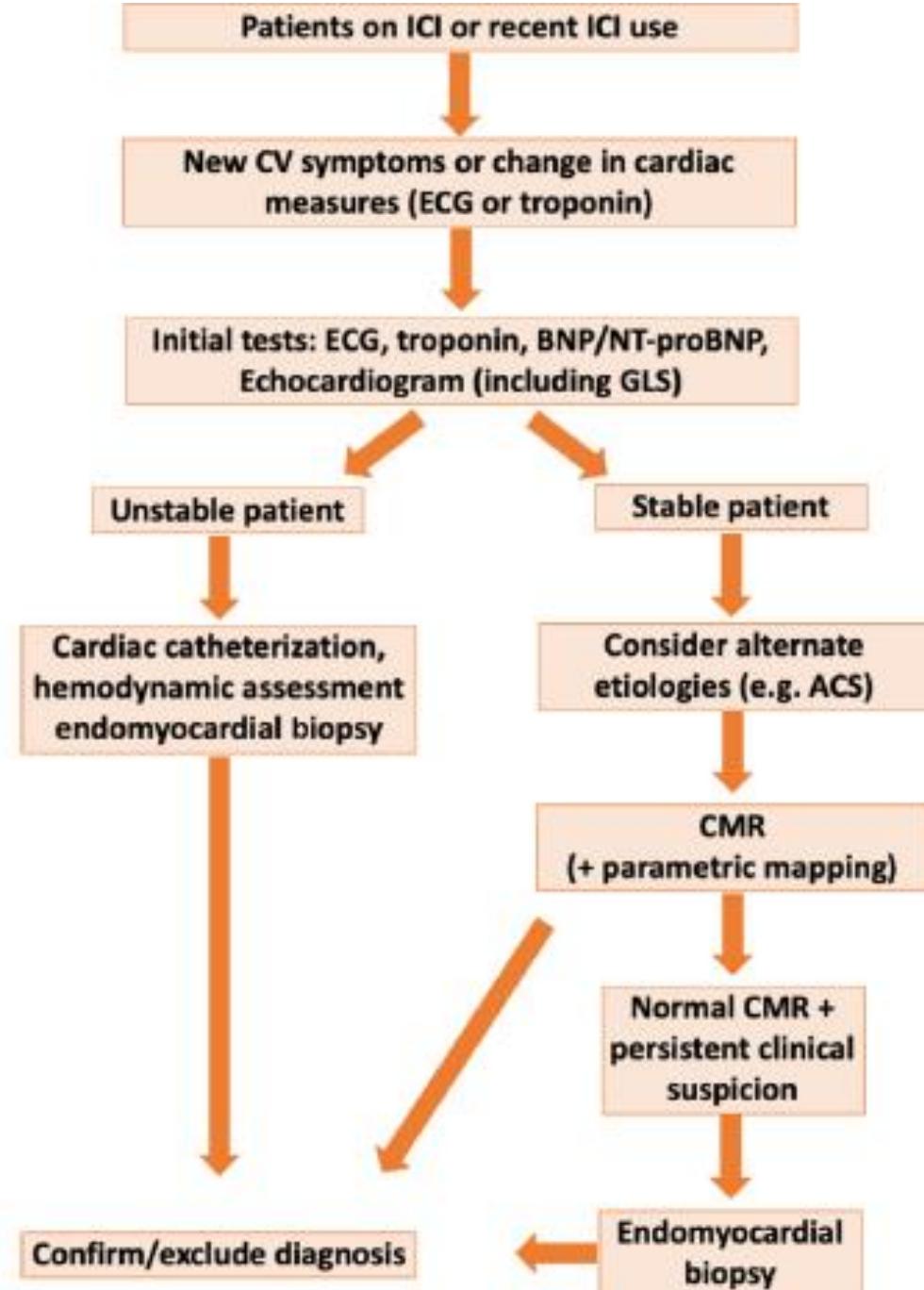
## Démarche diagnostique

### 1. HAUT DEGRE DE SUSPICION - Exclure autres DD

- **ECG** : souvent anormal (89% cas) (mais normalité n'exclue pas myocardite)
- **Troponines** : majorées dans > 90% cas (mais peu spécifiques)
- BNP : peu utile
- **ETT** : FEVG normale dans > 50-60% cas
- **IRM cardiaque** : imagerie gold-standard  
mais majorité FEVG N, et late gado enhancement dans seulement 28- 48%
- **Biopsie endo-myocardique** : LE + spécifique = GOLD STANDARD pour Dg.

**Screening** : Pas de routine pour le moment.

**Mais ECG et troponines de base proposés avant l'ICI !!**



## Prise en charge – MULTIDISCIPLINAIRE

1. Mise en suspend des ICI

2. Selon grade/gravité

. **Corticostéroides** : (introduction rapide = amélioration outcome)

1gr IV/j 3j,

puis 1mg/kg/j IV puis po

puis dès disparition des symptômes : sevrage progressif lent sur > 4-6sem (voire +)

+ IVIG / plasmaphérèse si HD instable

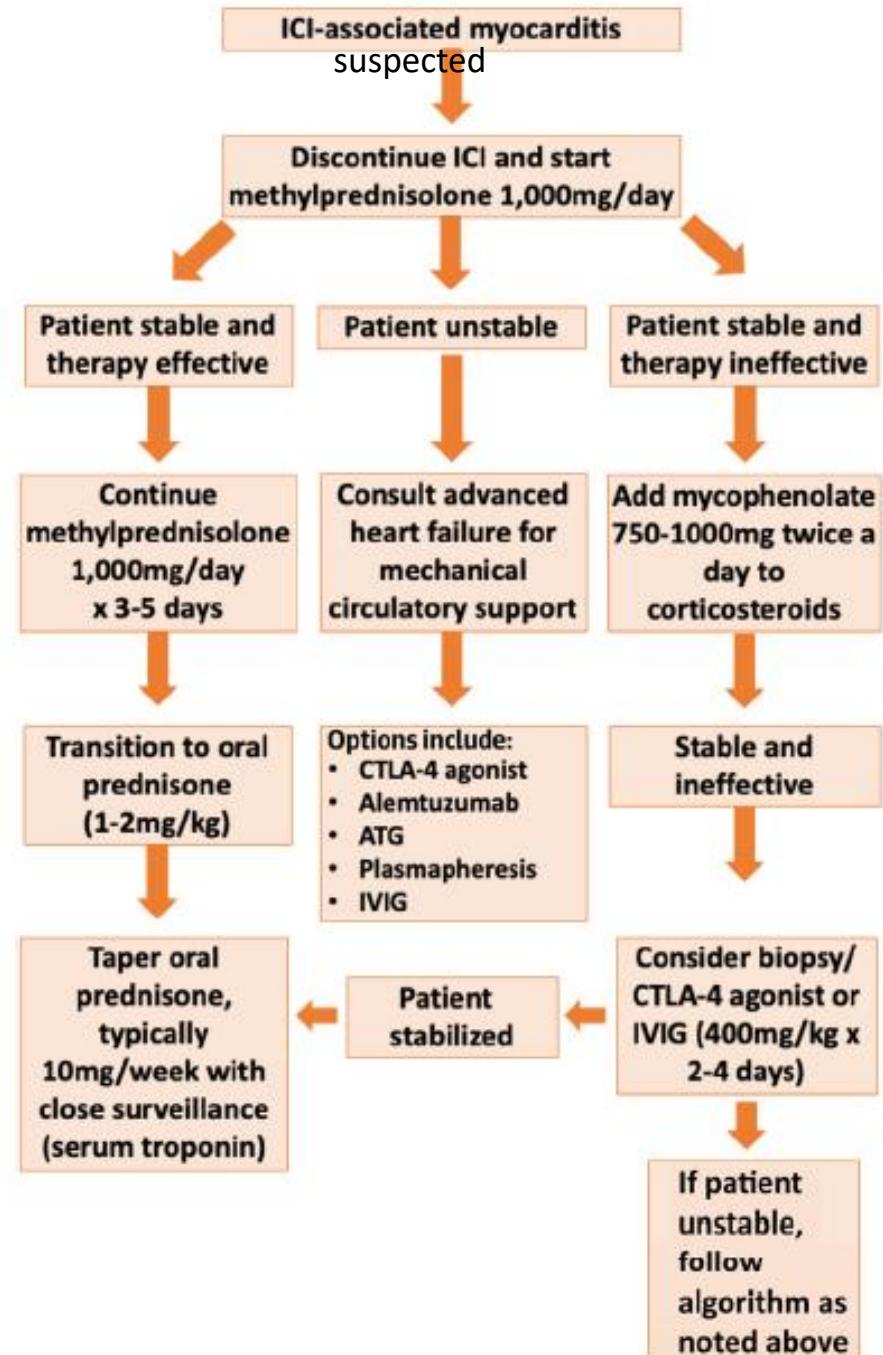
+ Tacrolimus / MMF si myocardite de haut grade à la bx

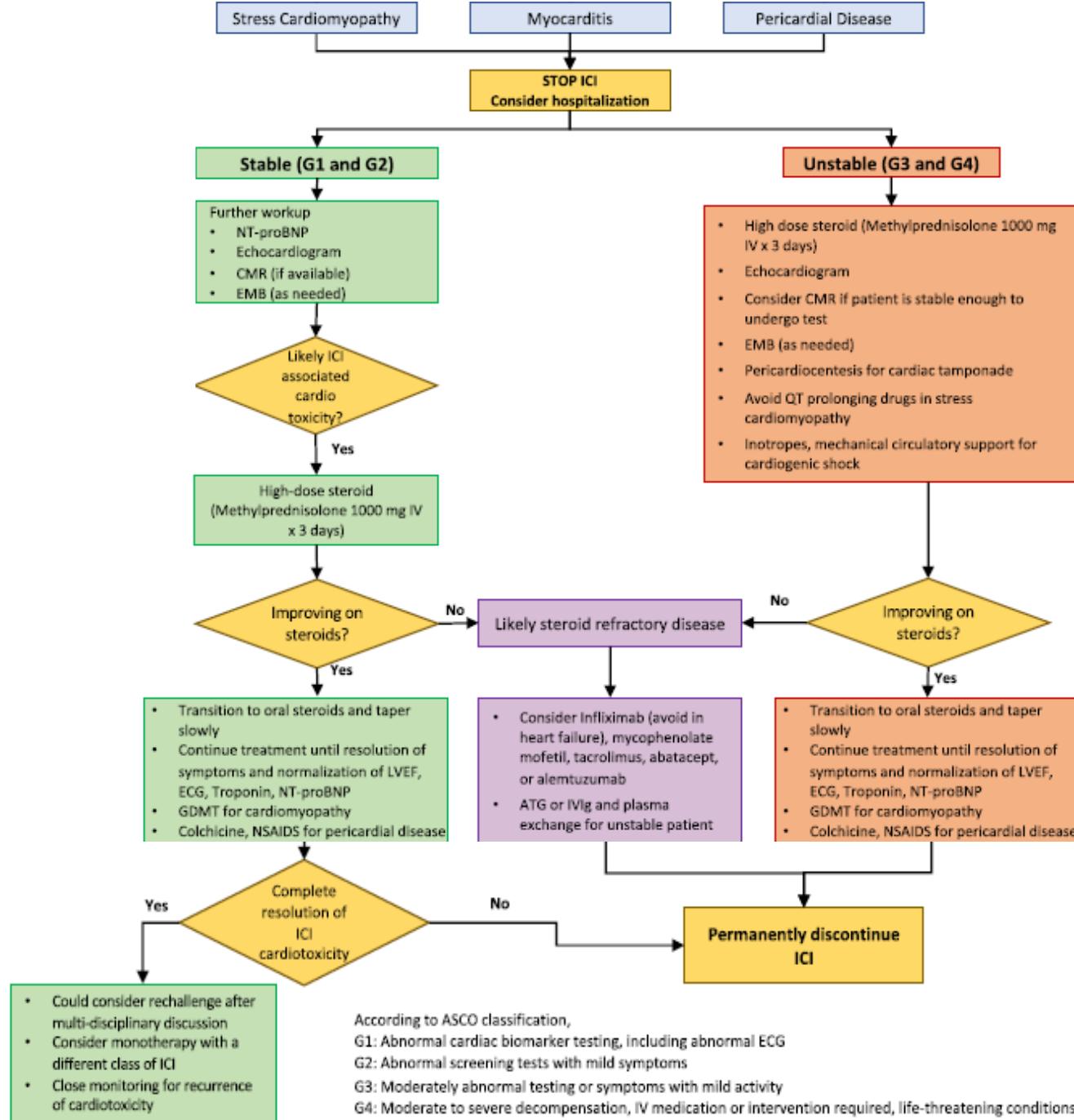
. En cas de résistance au stéroïdes => ajout autres immunosuppresseurs :

- Tacrolimus
- Mycophenolate Mofetil (MMF)
- IVIG et plasmaphérèse
- *Alemtuzumab (Ac anti CD52), Abatacept (agoniste CTLA4)*

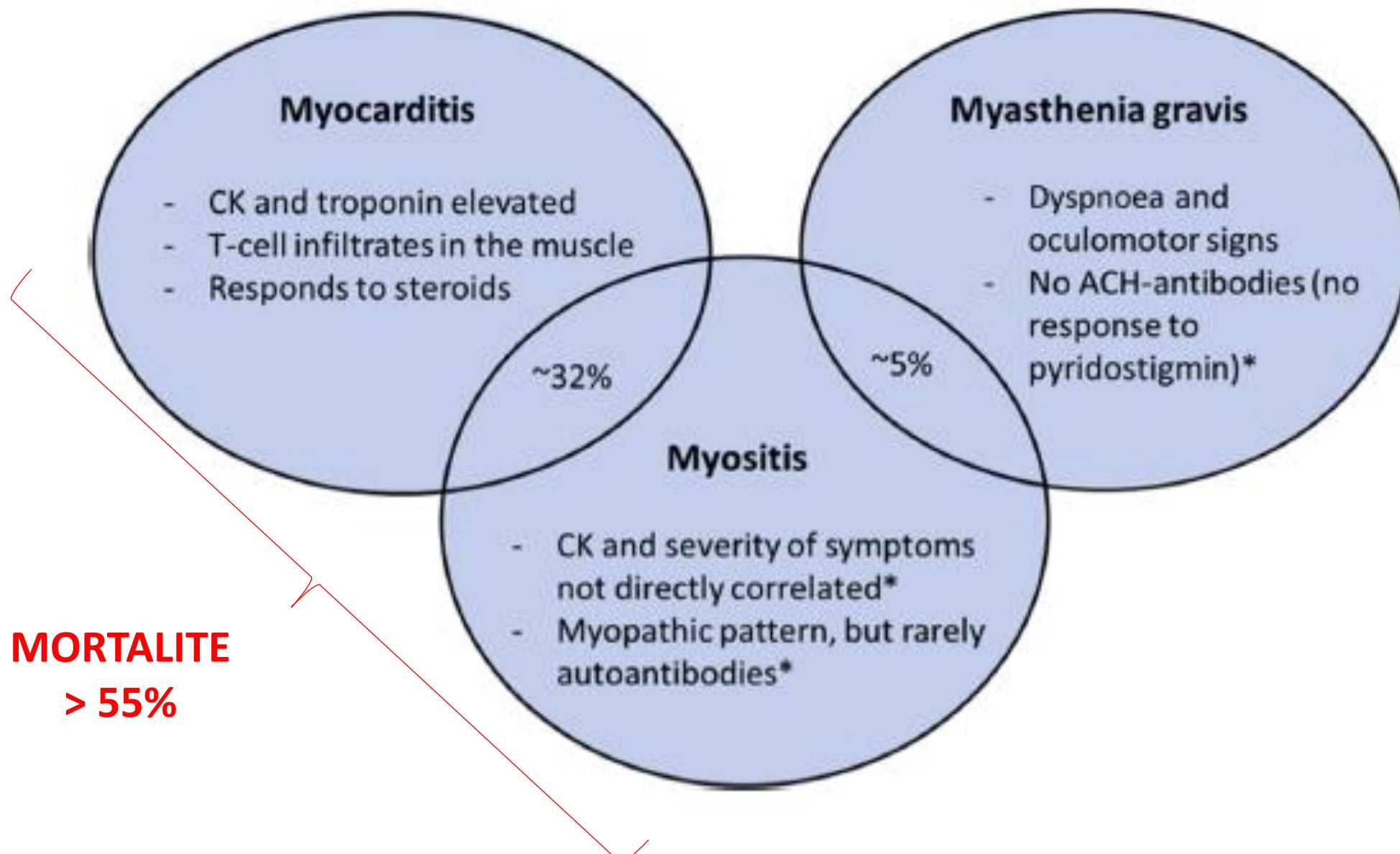
Récupération partielle possible.

**Rechallenge ?**  
Plutôt déconseillé...





## Fréquemment associés à la myocardite



## Autres toxicités cardio-vasculaires :

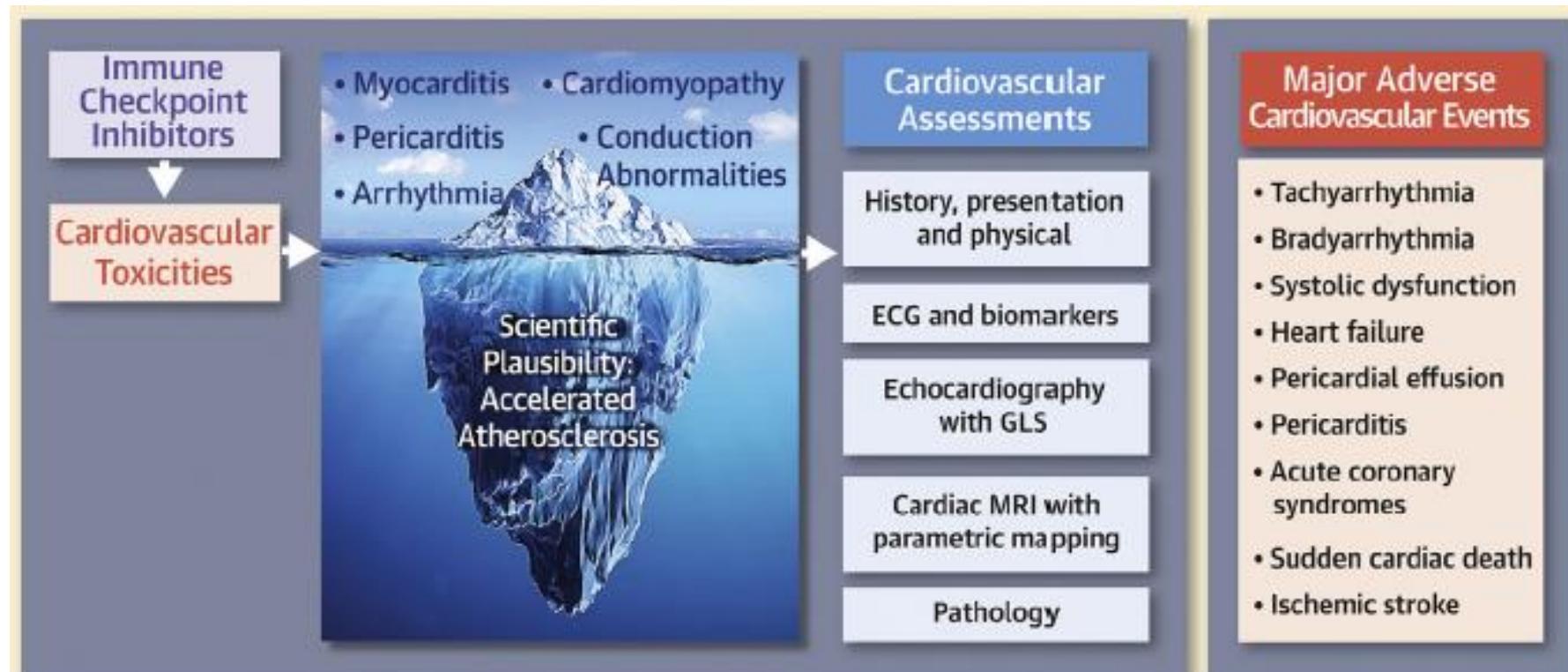
- . Cardiomyopathie de stress (Takotsubo)
- . Péricardite (2<sup>ème</sup> cardiotox en fréquence des ICI)

incidence 7-13,6%

mortalité 13-21%

peut être associée à la myocardite

- . Anomalies de conduction



## A long terme :

- . 3x plus d'évènements CV post-ICI
- . majoration en taille et de la rapidité de progression des plaques d'athérome

=> Screening FRCV !!!

## Cas Clinique – Mr B, 65 ans

*Comorbidités : HTA, D2NIR, SAOS appareillé, tabagisme*

**Novembre 2020 – Carcinome pulmonaire à petites cellules**, extensive disease (métastatique : pleurale, pulmonaire, cérébrale).

Du 17.11.20 au 28.12.2020 : 3C de chimiothérapie (carboplatine-etoposide) dont 2 avec **Atezolizumab**

**Début janvier 2021** : Asthénie

Difficulté à relever la nuque

Dyspnée (rapidement progressive sur quelques jours jusqu'à un stade III)

**11.01.2021 – CT Thoracique** : Exclusion EP, pas de signe de pneumonite ou BPN. Réponse partielle de l'atteinte tumorale.

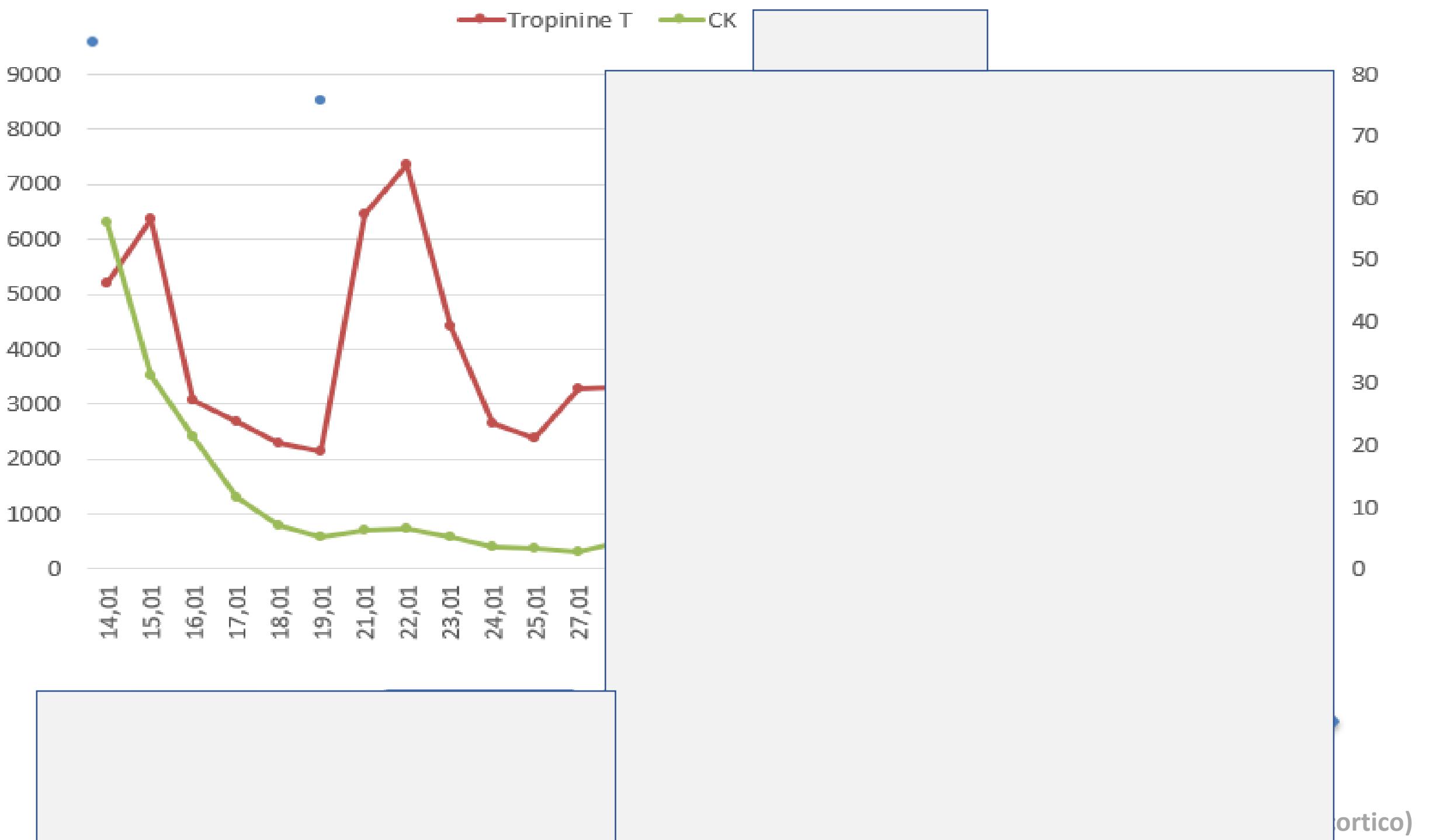
-> Prednisone 90mg/j (1mg/kg/j) pour suspicion AE immunothérapie

**14.01.2021 – Consulte aux urgences (Dyspnée IV)**

- . ECG : absence arythmie ou signe ischémie aigue.
- . Gazo : Acidose respiratoire hypercapnique (pH 7,26, pCO<sub>2</sub> 8 kPa)
- . Labo : CK tot 7045 U/L (N 47-222) ; Trop T us 5191ng/l (N<14) ; proBNP 263 ng/l (N<300)
- . Radio thorax : pas épanchement pleural, pas de foyer, pas de signe de décompensation cardiaque.
- . ETT : FEVG 70%, pas anomalie grossière cinétique segmentaire, pas de valvulopathie, pas épanchement péricardique.

=> IOT et transfert aux SI

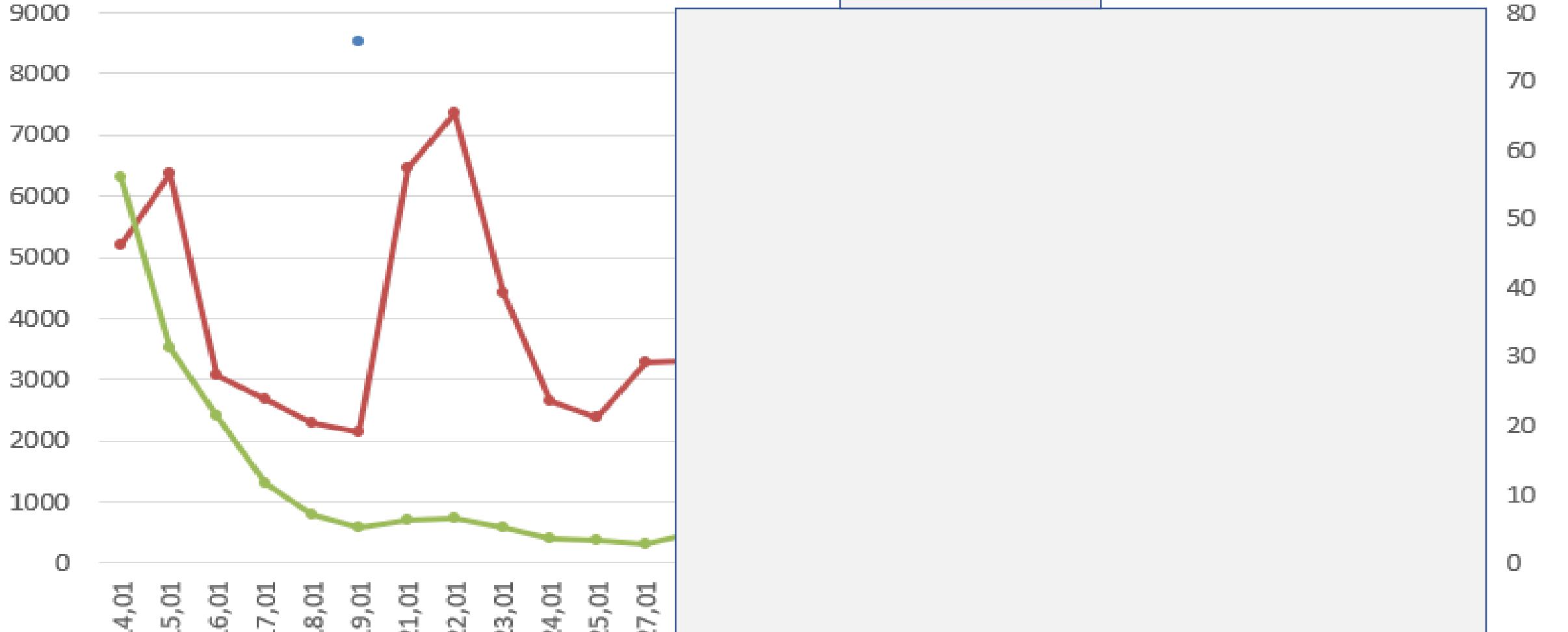
Tropinine T CK



**ETT N** **IRM c N**

**IRM cuisse :**  
**myosite**

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# A case of false positive troponin ? by macrotroponin?

**Table 4**

Leading sources of false positive results in cardiospecific troponin testing.

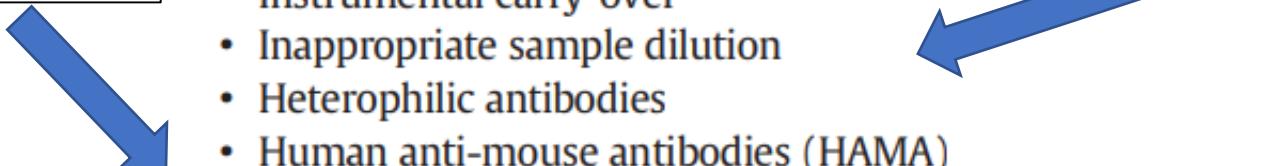
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- Turbidity
- Fibrin clots
- Microparticles
- Immunocomplexes
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- Analyser malfunction
- Reagent deterioration
- Instrumental carry-over
- Inappropriate sample dilution
- Heterophilic antibodies
- Human anti-mouse antibodies (HAMA)
- Autoantibodies
- Rheumatoid factor

In a study of healthy blood donors :

9.9% had cTnT autoantibodies

12.7% had cTnl autoantibodies  
more frequently seen with cTnl than cTnT

frequency comprised between 0.1 and 3.1% in the general population, which can be however remarkably increased, up to 50%, in specific category of patients such as those with persistent infection



# How is macrotroponin confirmed ?

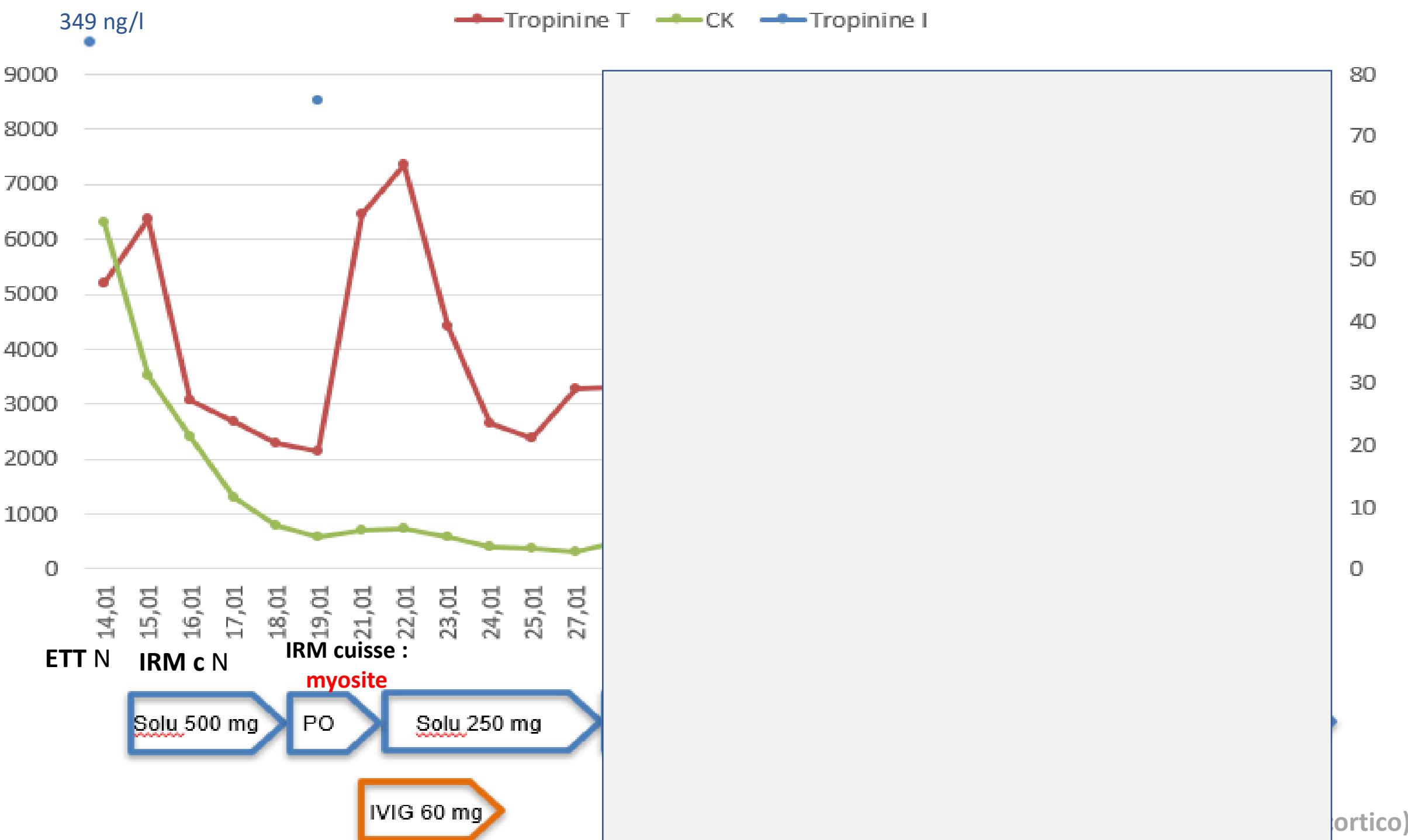
- Laboratory search for analytical interference
  - macro-troponine
    - Dilution tests
    - Treatment with polyethylene glycol in deionised water (PEG)
    - Exclusion of human anti-murine antibodies (HAMA)
    - Heterophilic antibodies
      - Heterophilic blocking reagent, and retest
  - **Measurement of troponin I**
  - Biotin interference
- DDx:
  - Paraneoplastic syndrome
  - Cross reaction with auto-antibodies from foetal reversal in skeletal muscle « réversion foetale »

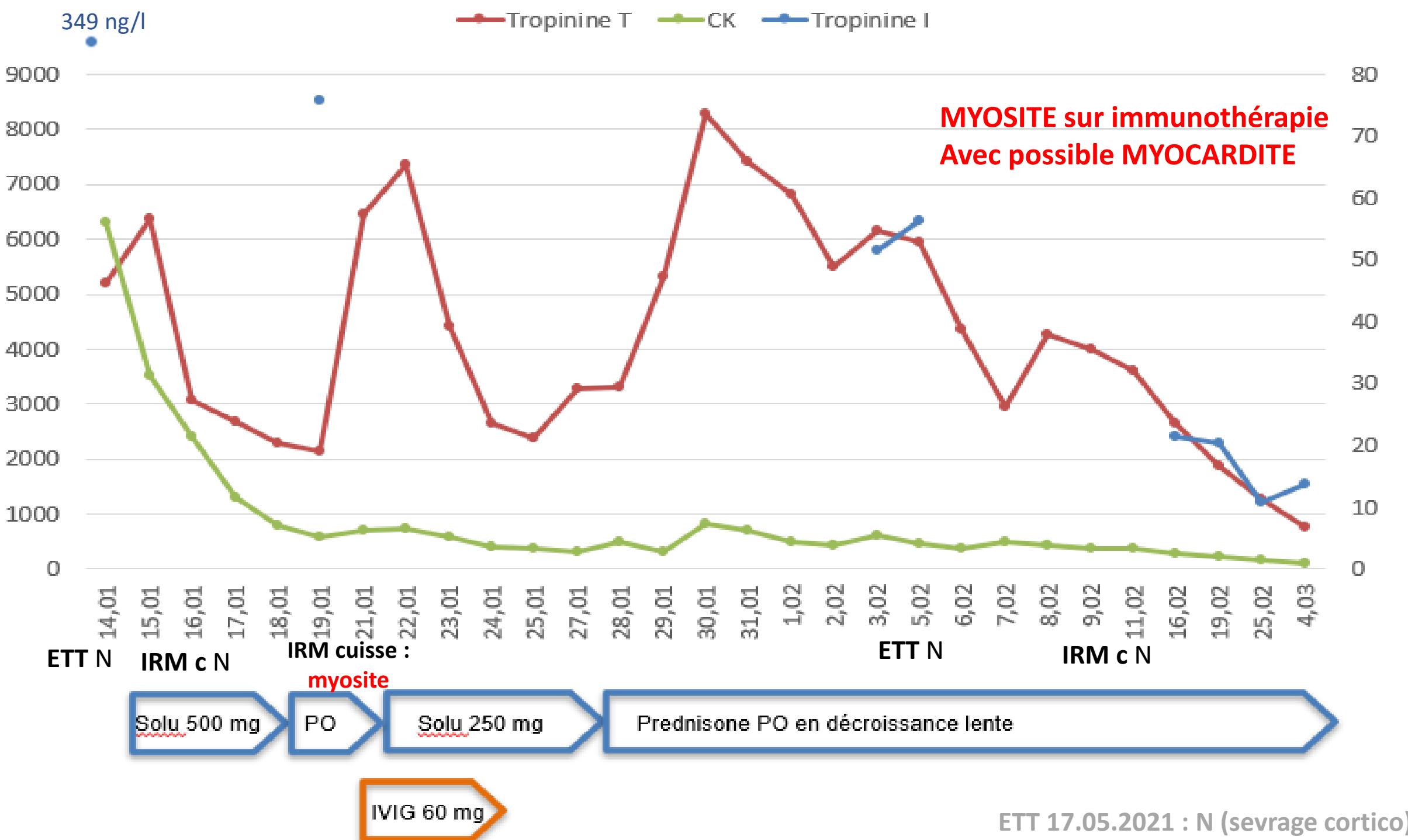
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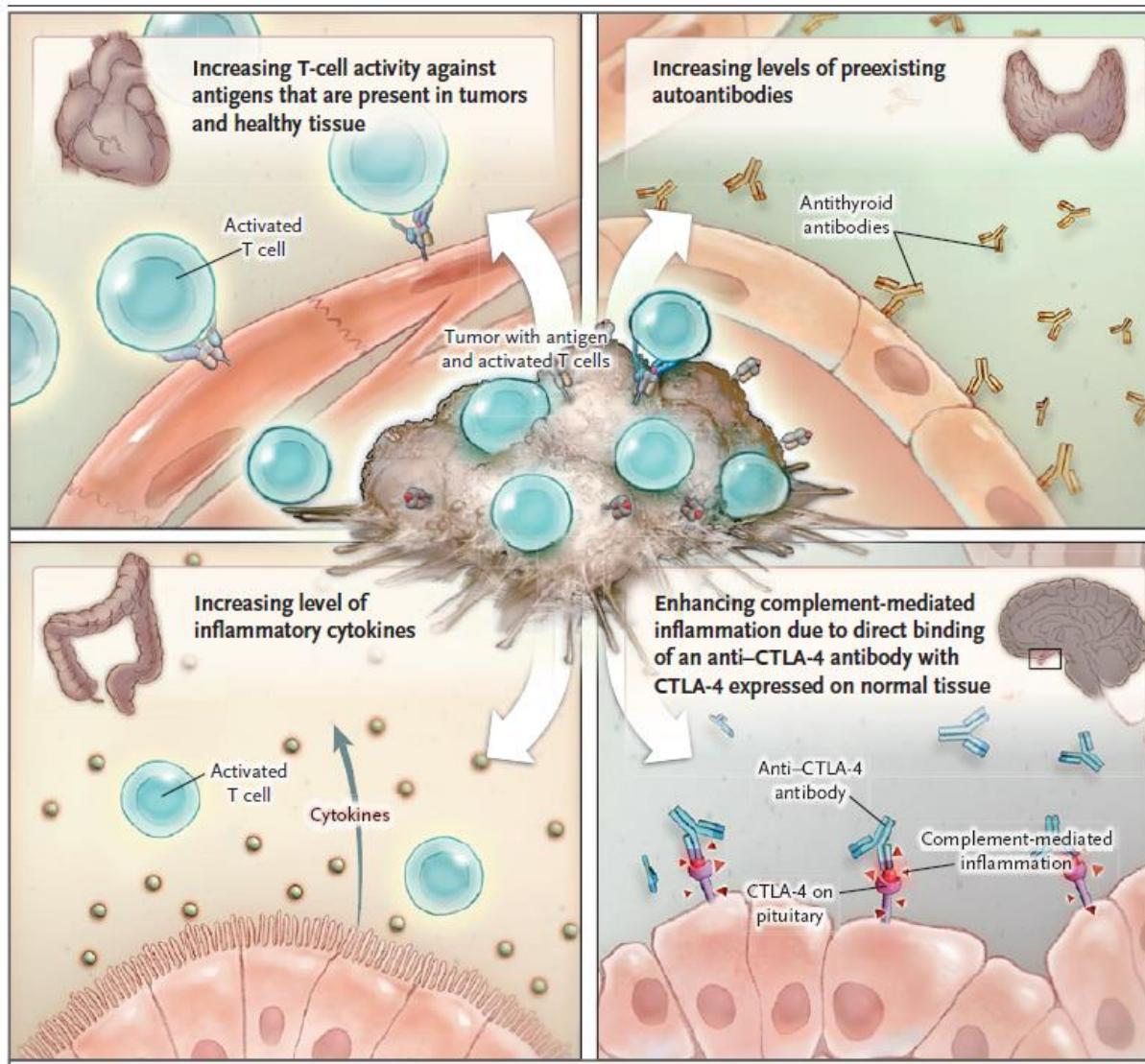
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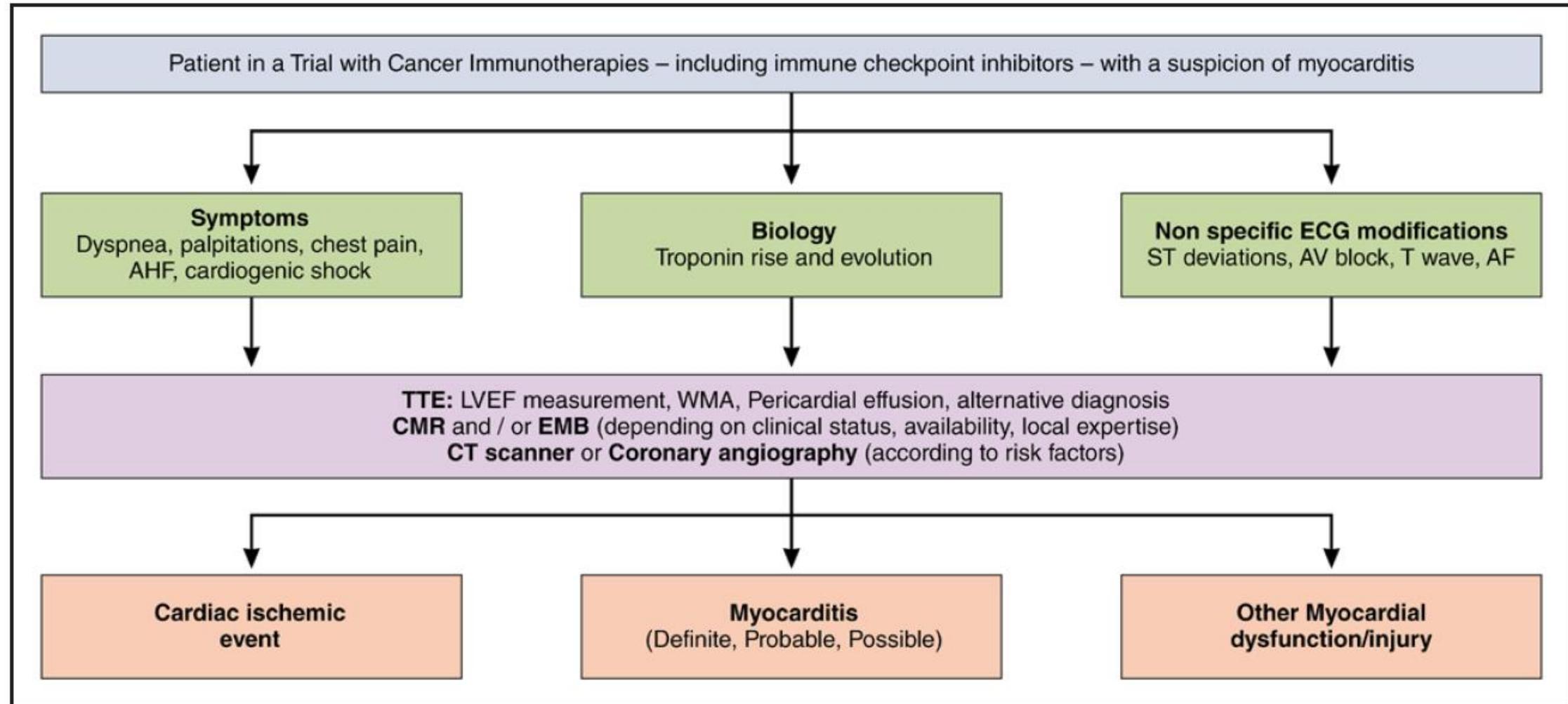




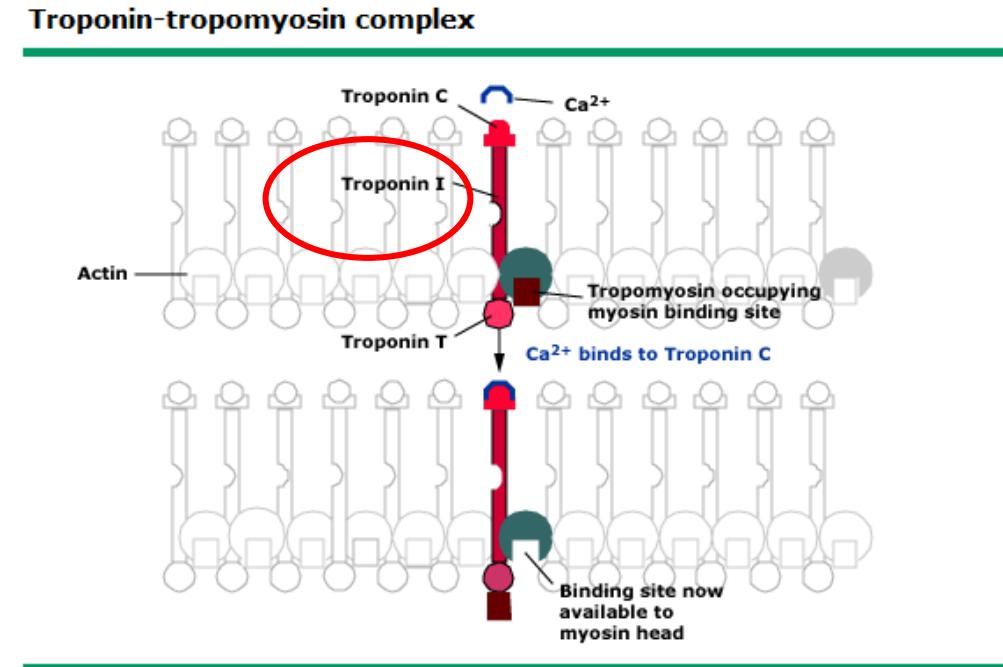
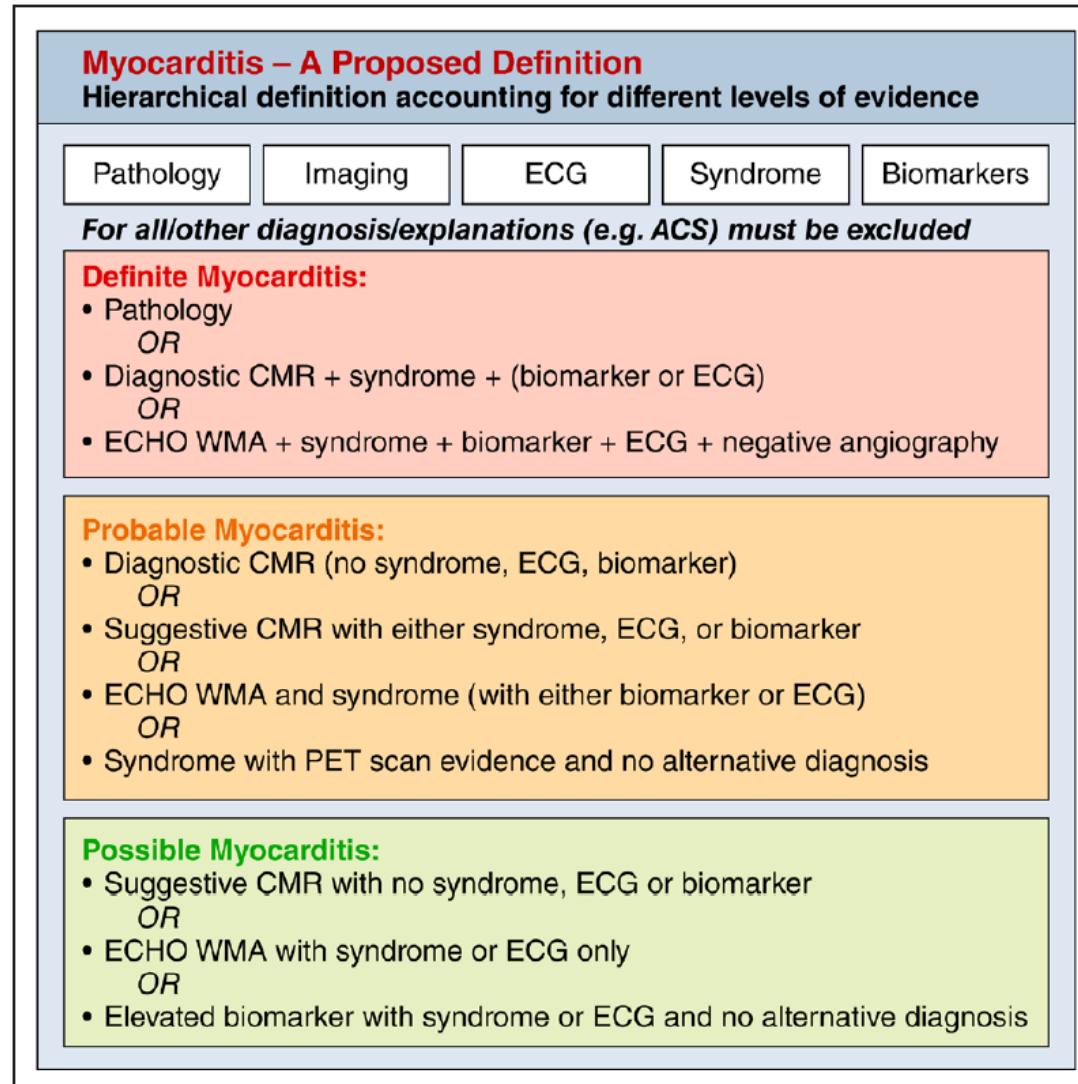
# Mechanisms of immunotherapy cardiotoxicity



# Myocarditis in the setting of immune check point blockade



# Definition of myocarditis in the setting of immune check point blockade

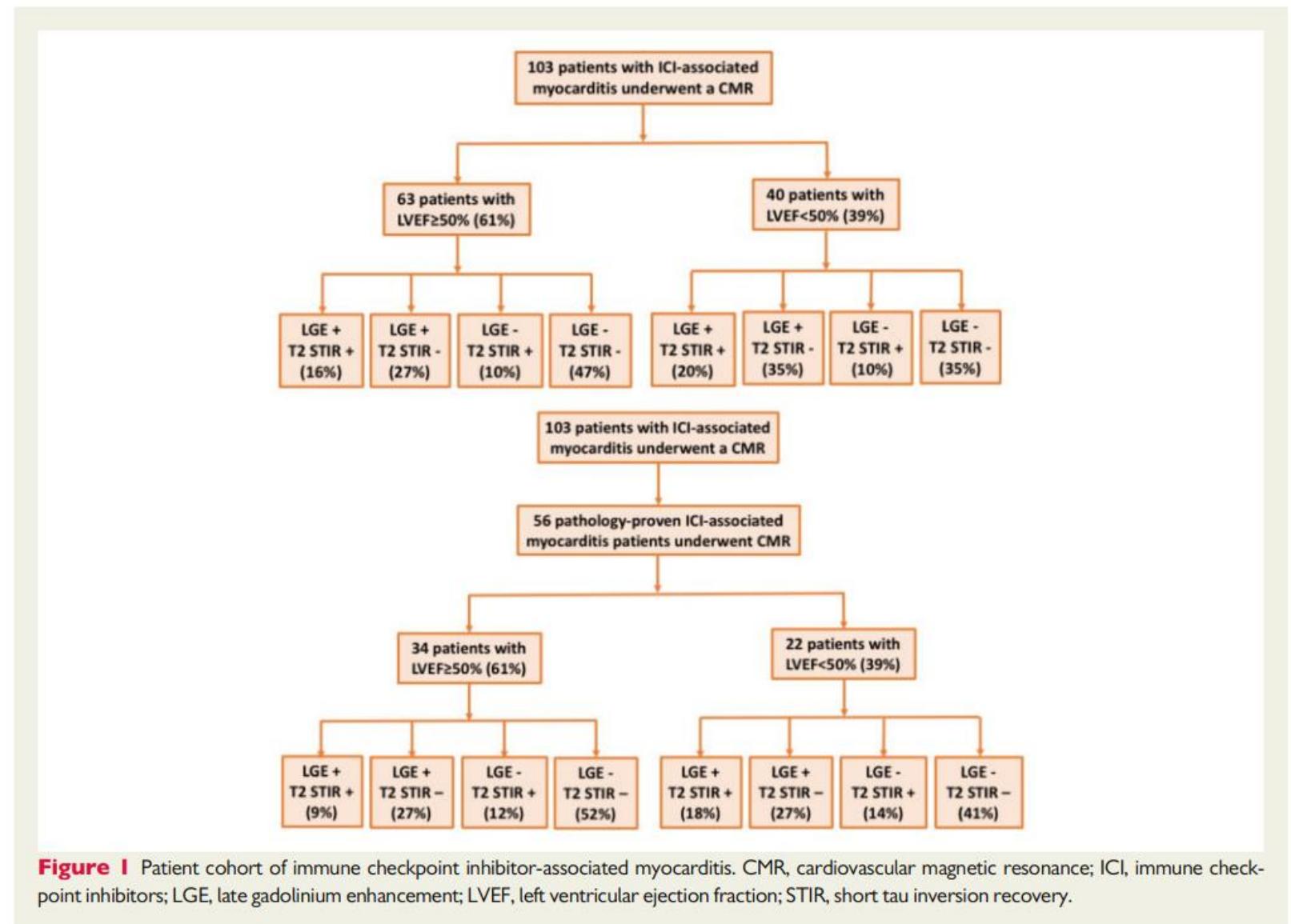


# MRI in the setting of suspected myocarditis induced by immune check point blockade

international multicentre registry of ICI-associated myocarditis

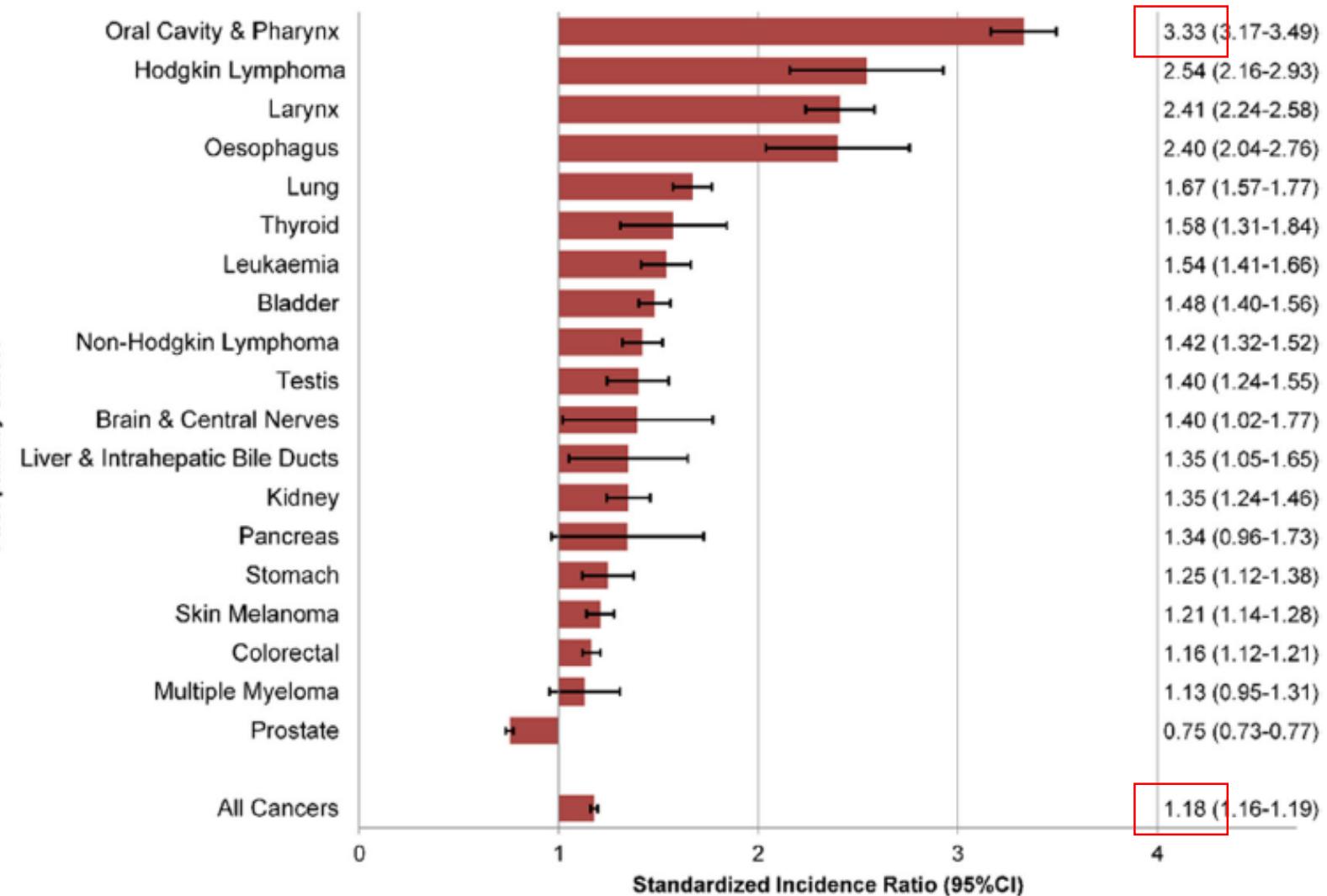
23 sites across the USA, Canada, and Europe

The first case in the registry was diagnosed in November 2013, and cases were included in this report until April 2019



Characteristic	Cancer therapy-related cardiomyopathy		
	Type I	Type II	Type III
Definition	Direct impairing effect on the myocardium	Indirect impairing effect on the myocardium	Impairing effect owing to myocarditis
<b>Risk with cancer therapy</b>			
Doxorubicin	Yes	Yes	Yes (toxic or reactive)
Cyclophosphamide	Yes	Yes	Yes (toxic or reactive)
5-Fluorouracil	Yes	Yes	NR
HER2 (ERBB2) inhibitors	Yes	Unclear	NR
VEGF inhibitors	Yes (TKIs)	Yes	Unclear
ICIs	Possible	Possible	Yes (immunomediated)
Radiation therapy	Yes (at high dose)	Yes	Yes (toxic or reactive)
<b>Diagnosis</b>			
Imaging	Echocardiography, cardiac MRI, MUGA scan	(Stress) echocardiography, (stress) cardiac MRI, nuclear stress test, CT coronary angiography, vasoreactivity studies	Cardiac MRI, PET, echocardiography
Biomarkers	Cardiac troponins, natriuretic peptides (especially long term)	Thyroid function studies, cytokines, catecholamines ECG abnormalities (e.g. ST-segment shifts, T-wave inversions)	Cardiac troponins, natriuretic peptides, ECG abnormalities (e.g. heart block, ectopy)
<b>Management</b>			
Treatment	Stop cancer therapy, $\beta$ -blocker (carvedilol), ACE inhibitor, ARB, spironolactone	Stop cancer therapy, therapy directed at the underlying cause (e.g. correction of myocardial ischaemia or valve disease)	Stop cancer therapy; for ICI therapy, anti-inflammatory and immunosuppressive therapy, supportive care as needed (e.g. ECMO)

# Seconds cancers



FR pour 2<sup>ème</sup> cancer :

- . Type de cancer primaire (tabac)
- . < 50ans au 1<sup>er</sup> Dg
- . Survie > 10ans
- . Type de chimio-radiothérapie



FU oncologique

Amélioration du style de vie

# Plan

- What is cardio-oncology ?
- General cancer epidemiology
- Cardiotoxicity profile and cardiac assessment for specific cancer treatments
  - Fluoropyrimidine therapy
  - Anthracyclines
  - Anti HER2 therapy
  - Radiotherapy
  - Immunotherapy
  - Anti-androgen therapy
  - Tyrosine Kinase therapy
- Clinical cases
- Impact of a cardio-oncology unit
  - A multidisciplinary approach

# Cardio-oncology or onco-cardiology ?

Maladie cardiovasculaire «de novo»  
chez des patients sous traitements  
anticancéreux

Patients avec une maladie  
cardiovasculaire préexistante qui  
débute un traitement anticancéreux

**Oncologue**  
hématologue  
Cardiologue

Survivants de cancers (pédiatrique  
ou adulte) qui développent une  
maladie cardiovasculaire

Survivants d'un premier cancer qui  
développent un 2<sup>e</sup> ...  
Survivants mais avec un cancer  
«chronique»

# Cardio-oncology or onco-cardiology ?

**identifying patients at an increased baseline CV risk before commencing cancer treatment**

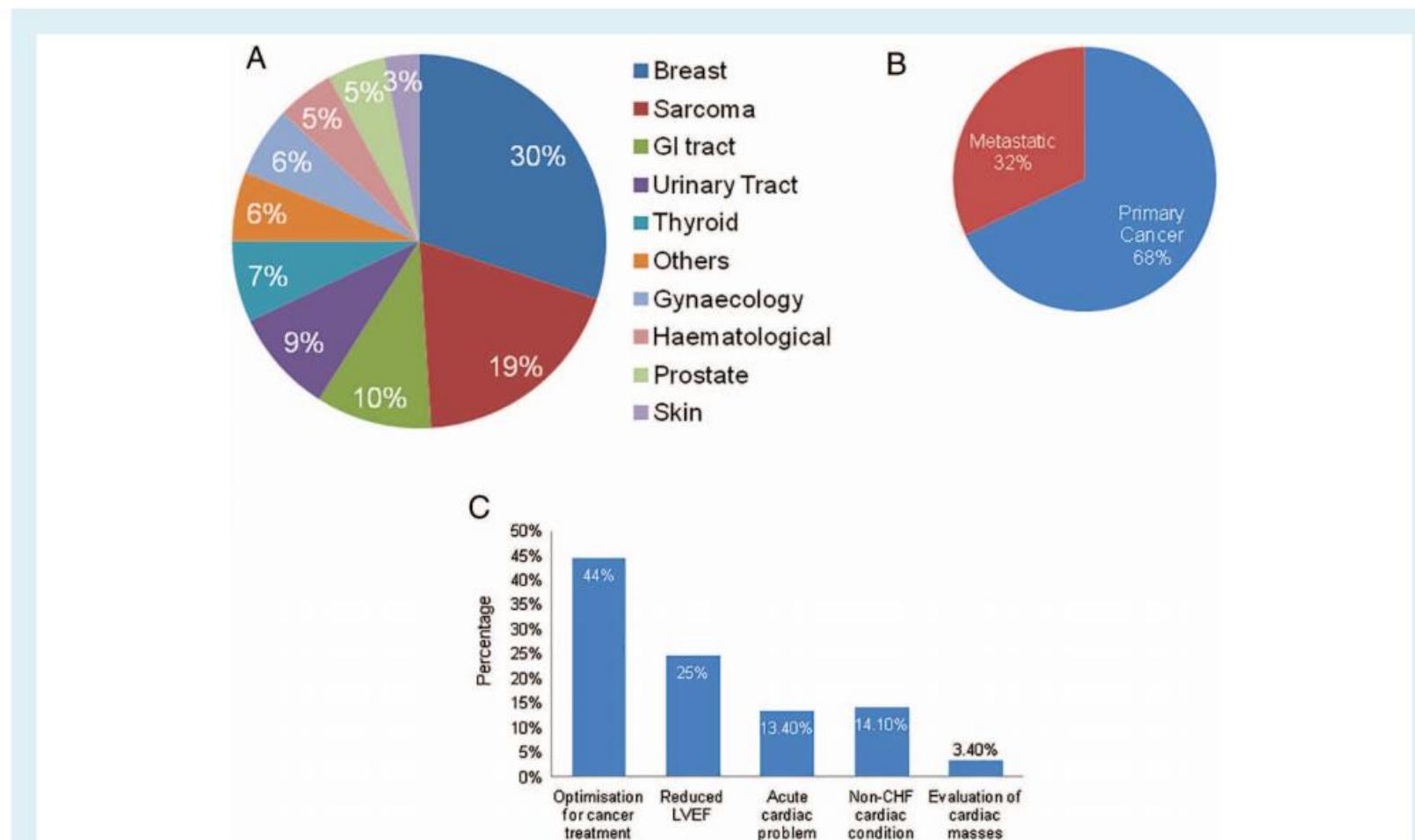
**minimising their risk using primary prevention strategies**

**diagnosing and treating myocardial/vascular toxicity during or after cancer treatment**

**supporting the patient through their cancer treatment regime with a personalised surveillance programme**

**appropriate medium and long-term follow-up for patients with or at risk of CV disease attributed to cancer therapies**

# 5 years of activity in a cardio-oncology clinic



**Figure 1** Study population cancer types and reasons for referral to the cardio-oncology service. (A) Types of primary cancers referred to our service. (B) Frequency of primary and metastatic cancers. (C) Reasons for referral to our service. CHF, congestive heart failure; GI, gastrointestinal; LVEF, left ventricular ejection fraction.

# 5 years of activity in a cardio-oncology clinic

**Table 2** Management strategies and percentage of patients completing cardiotoxic cancer therapy according to Royal Brompton Hospital myocardial toxicity class

Cardiotoxicity group	Classification	Definition	Management strategies	
			Oncology therapy	Cardiology therapy
1	Early biochemical cardiotoxicity	New BNP or troponin I rise but with normal cardiac imaging. (If normal at baseline, then any increase above the upper limit of normal. If abnormal at baseline, then 20% rise).	Continue	Cardio-oncology review. Consider closer monitoring, or start low-dose ACEI or BB cardioprotection.
2	Early functional cardiotoxicity	New reduction in GLS or grade III–IV diastolic dysfunction and normal biomarkers.	Continue	Cardio-oncology review. Consider closer monitoring, or start low-dose ACEI or BB cardioprotection.
3	Early mixed cardiotoxicity	Normal LVEF with abnormal biomarkers and GLS/diastolic dysfunction.	Continue	Cardio-oncology review. Start low-dose ACEI or BB cardioprotection.
4	Symptomatic HFpEF	Symptomatic HFpEF.	Interrupt and review risk/benefit*	Cardio-oncology review. Diuretic for fluid congestion. ACEI or BB cardioprotection if continuing cancer therapy.
5	Asymptomatic LVSD	New LVEF reduction to <50%, or a reduction in LVEF >10% to a LVEF <55%†.	Review and balance risk/benefit*	Cardio-oncology review. Start ACEI and/or BB and up-titrate to 50–100% target dose for HF as tolerated.
6	Symptomatic LVSD	Symptomatic reduction in LVEF <50%, or a reduction in LVEF >10% to a LVEF <55%†.	Interrupt and review risk/benefit*	Cardio-oncology review. Start ACEI and/or BB and up-titrate to 100% target dose for HF as tolerated‡#.

ACEI, angiotensin-converting enzyme inhibitor; BB, beta-blocker; BNP, brain natriuretic peptide; GLS, global longitudinal strain; HF, heart failure; HFpEF, heart failure with preserved ejection fraction; LVEF, left ventricular ejection fraction; LVSD, left ventricular systolic dysfunction.

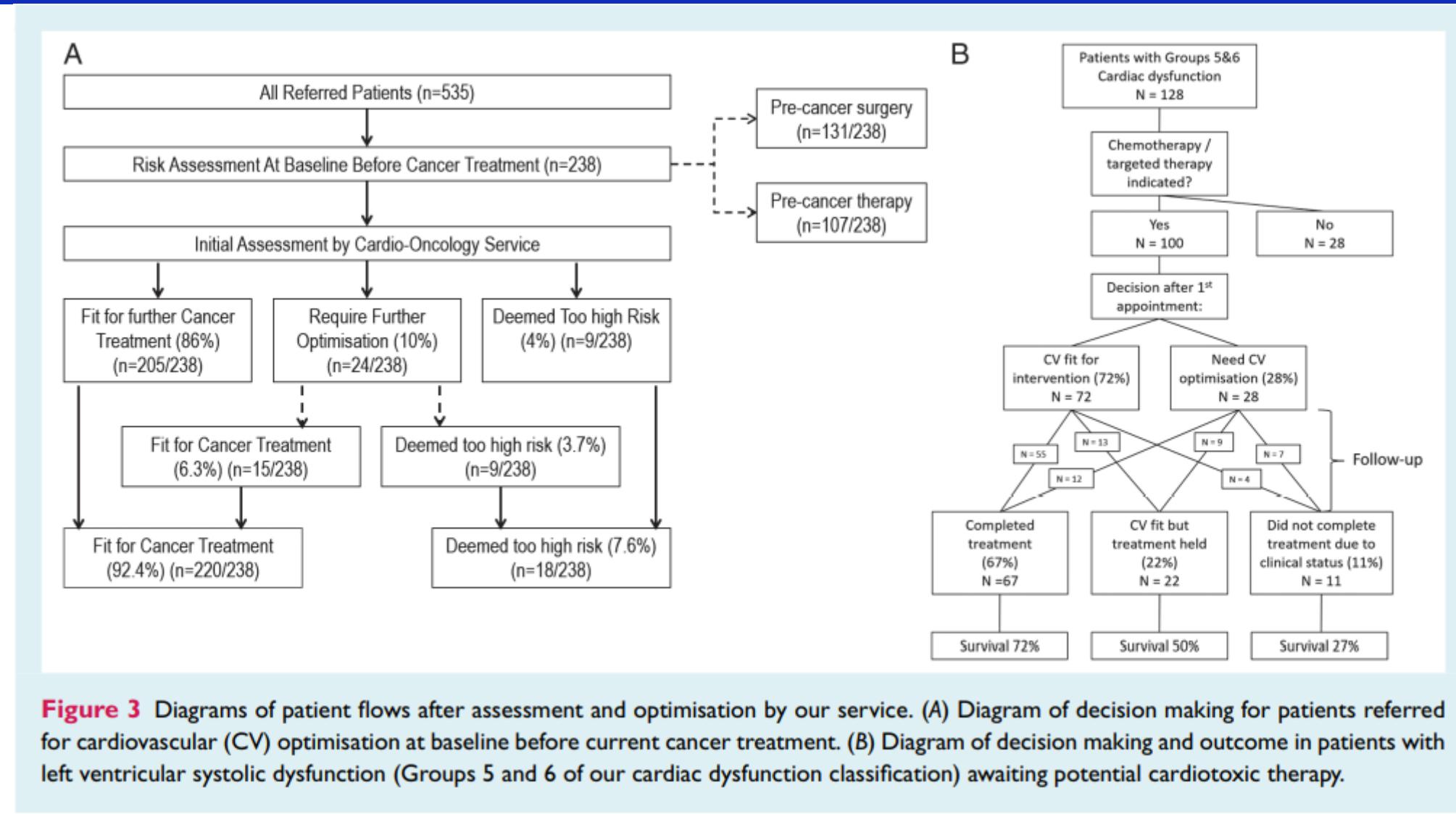
\*Continuing cardiotoxic cancer therapy may be suitable in selected cases depending on the risk/benefit ratio, severity of left ventricular impairment, symptoms, cancer stage and response.

†If LVEF fall is to >50%, then incorporate either biomarker elevation or GLS reduction (<-18% if normal at baseline, or <15% relative reduction of GLS if reduced at baseline).<sup>11</sup>

‡If ACEI or BB are not tolerated, or the patient is already taking these agents when cardiotoxicity is diagnosed, consider adding aldosterone antagonist.

#If LVEF <35% follow the European Society of Cardiology HF guidelines regarding eligibility for cardiac resynchronisation therapy, sacubitril/valsartan and ivabradine.

# 5 years of activity in a cardio-oncology clinic



# Take Home Messages (1)

- *Cardio-oncology is an emerging field that focuses on the management of cardiovascular disease at the time of cancer diagnosis, during cancer treatment and well beyond in cancer survivors.*
- *There is a growing need in this field due to major improvements in cancer therapy and as a direct consequence the rising numbers of cancer survivors at best and at the very least patients living with a chronic but well controlled cancer.*
- *Cancer and cardiovascular disease share common risk factors.* Among these factors traditional cardiovascular risk factors, especially when poorly controlled can not only disrupt cancer treatment but also these factors increase morbi-mortality in cancer survivors.
- *The first step in cardioprotection is the optimization of traditional cardiovascular risk factors.*

# Take Home Messages (2)

- *It is of paramount importance to recognize patients at a higher risk of cardiotoxicity in order to adequately utilize resources by :*
  - *determining an individualized cardioprotection strategy*
  - *and a personalized cardiovascular surveillance short term and long term strategy.*
- *The ultimate aim is to increase cancer treatment completion rates, while at the same time minimising short term and long term cardiac collateral damage.*
  - *Early detection of cardiotoxicity*
  - *Early management of cardiotoxicity*
  - *Minimizing treatment interruptions*
- *A multidisciplinary approach is key to success in the evaluation risk-benefit ratios in order to minimize cancer treatment interruptions and maximize survival rates.*

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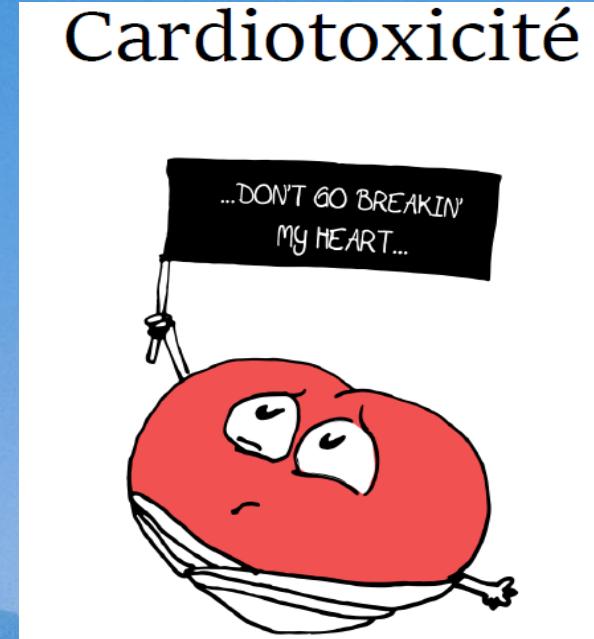
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**But**

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