

Current Status of Pomalidomide in Myeloma

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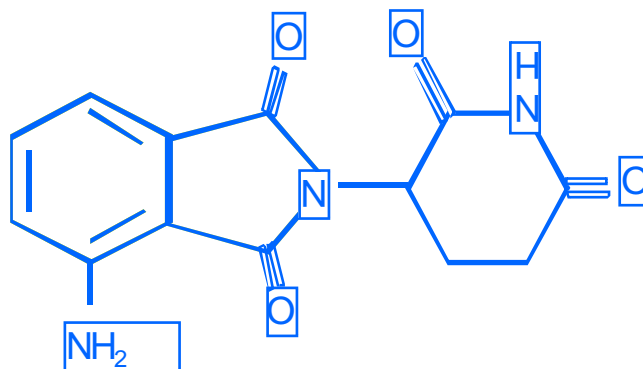
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Background

- Pomalidomide (POM) is a novel IMiD(R) immunomodulatory compound
- Although a chemical analog of thalidomide and lenalidomide, POM has distinctively different clinical efficacy and side effects



Pomalidomide

Proposed Mechanisms of Pom

Immunomodulatory



T cell co-stimulation
Treg suppression
Th1 cytokine
NK and NKT cell activation
ADCC

Direct anti-tumor effects



Induce CDK inhibitors p21, p27, & p15 causing cell cycle arrest
Changes in in (ERG)-1,2 3 and SPARC
Downregulate NFκB
Inhibit caspase 3,8,9

Anti-angiogenesis
Anti-inflammatory
Downregulation of adhesion molecules
Anti-osteoclastogenic



Tumor micro-environment

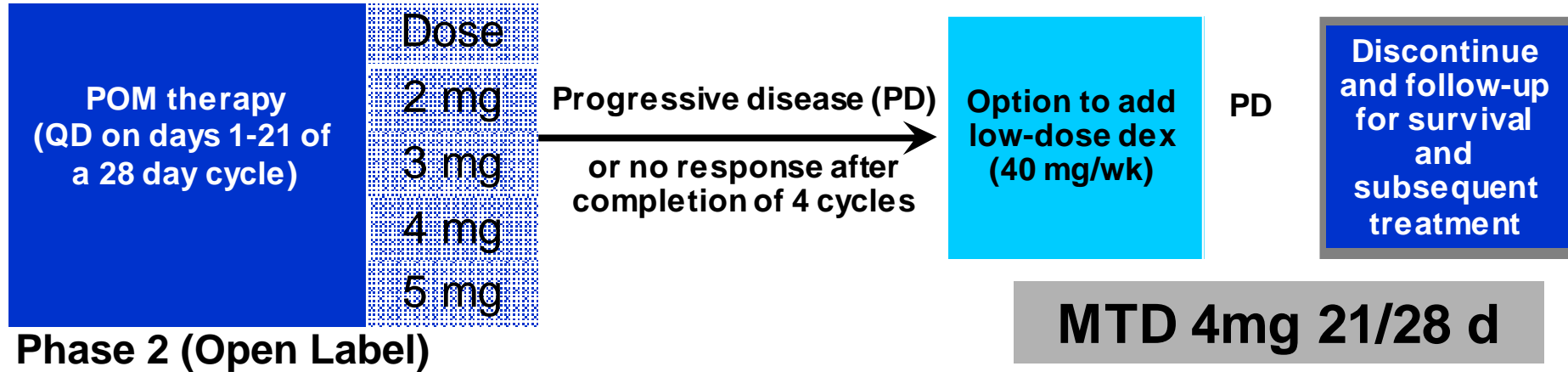
Phase I trials for Pomalidomide in relapsed myeloma

	N	Dose	MTD	ORR
Schey	24	1-10 mg	2 mg	54%
Streetly	20	10 mg QOD	5 mg QOD	50%

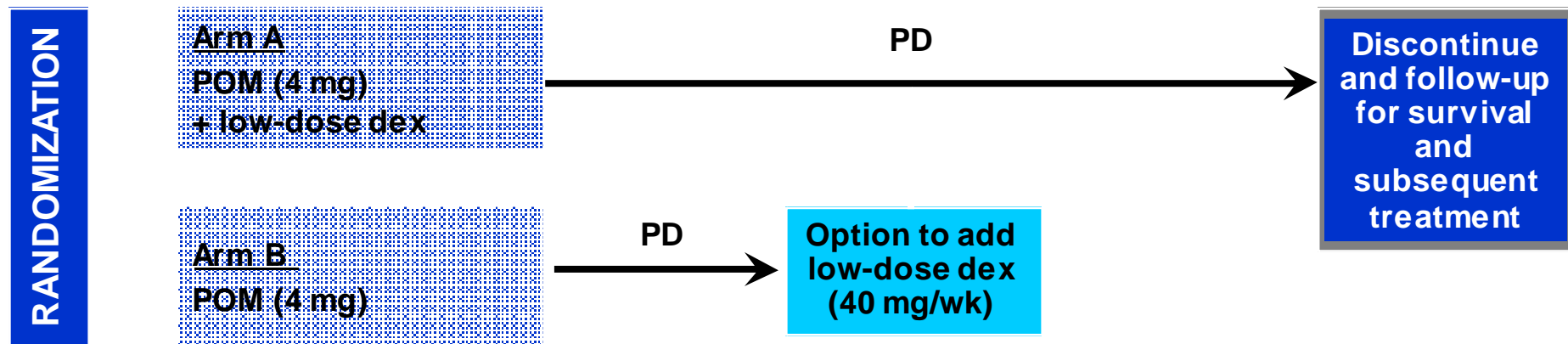
- Nine patients also received dexamethasone
- Accrued before novel agents routinely available

MM-002: POM ± Low-Dose Dex in Relapsed and Refractory MM

Phase 1 (MTD)



Phase 2 (Open Label)



Concomitant Medications: anti-coagulants, G-CSF use after Cycle 1, erythroid growth factors, bisphosphonates, transfusions with platelet, RBCs as clinically indicated .

MM-002: Phase 2 Preliminary Results Best Response (Aggregated Data)

N = 120	EBMT n (%)	IMWG n (%)
≥PR	30 (25)	33 (28)
CR	1 (1)	1 (1)
VGPR	N/A	6 (5)
PR	29 (24)	26 (22)
MR	16 (13)	N/A
SD	64 (53)	76 (63)
PD	10 (8)	11 (9)

CR: complete response; VGPR: very good partial response; PR: partial response;
MR: minimal response; SD: stable disease; progressive disease

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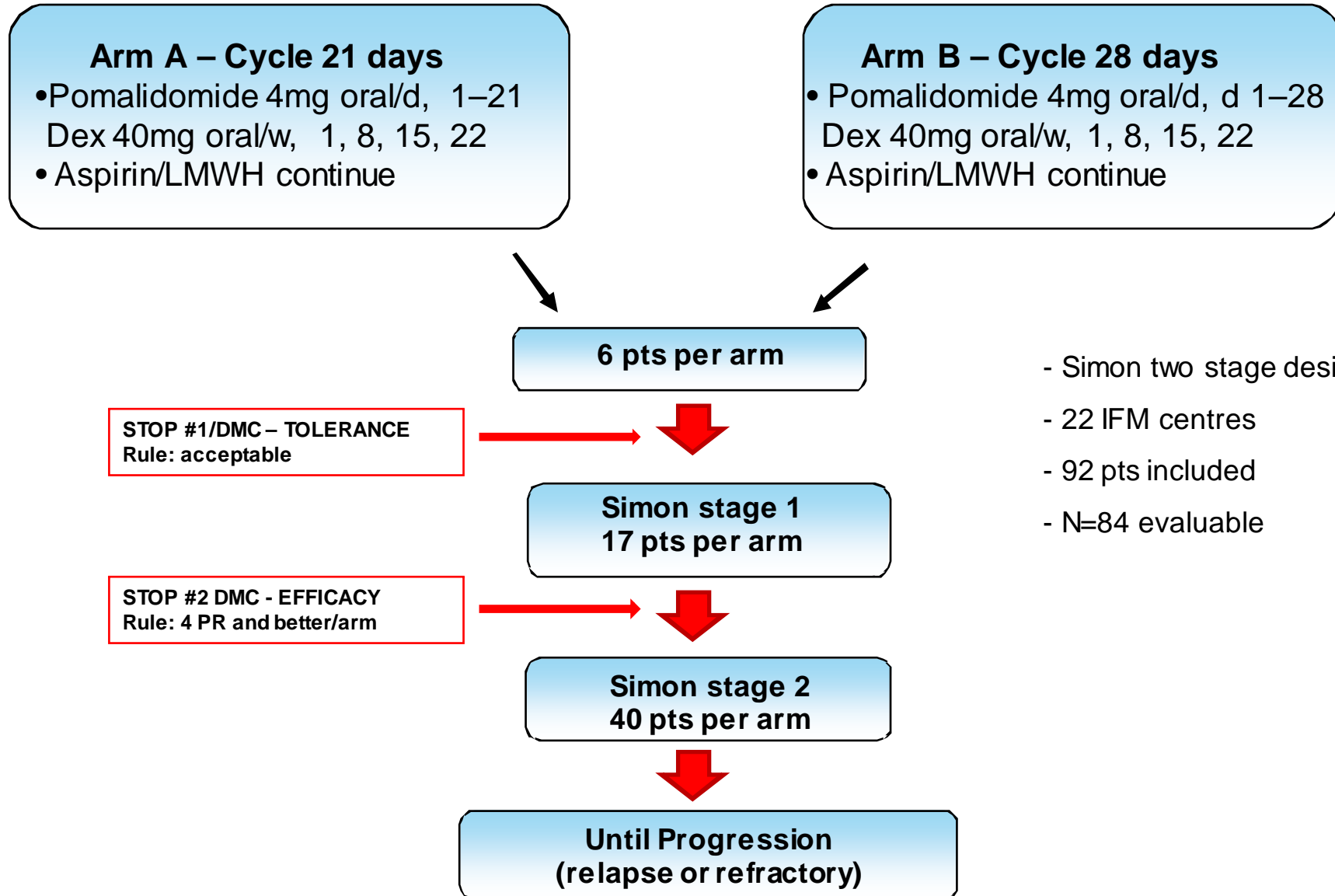
MM-002: Phase 2 Preliminary Results Safety (Aggregated Data)

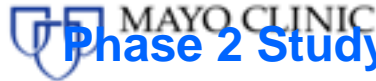
Grade 3/4 Events of Clinical Importance	Total (N = 120) %
Hematologic	
Neutropenia	42
Thrombocytopenia	22
Anemia	20
Febrile neutropenia	5
Non-Hematologic	
Infections	31
Fatigue	12
Renal failure	7
Cardiac disorders ^a	4
DVT	1
Peripheral neuropathy	0

a. Cardiac disorders include: atrial fibrillation, myocardial ischemia, CHF



Phase 2 Study of 2 Modalities of Pomalidomide (CC4047) Plus Low-Dose Dexamethasone as Therapy for Relapsed Multiple Myeloma. IFM 2009-02

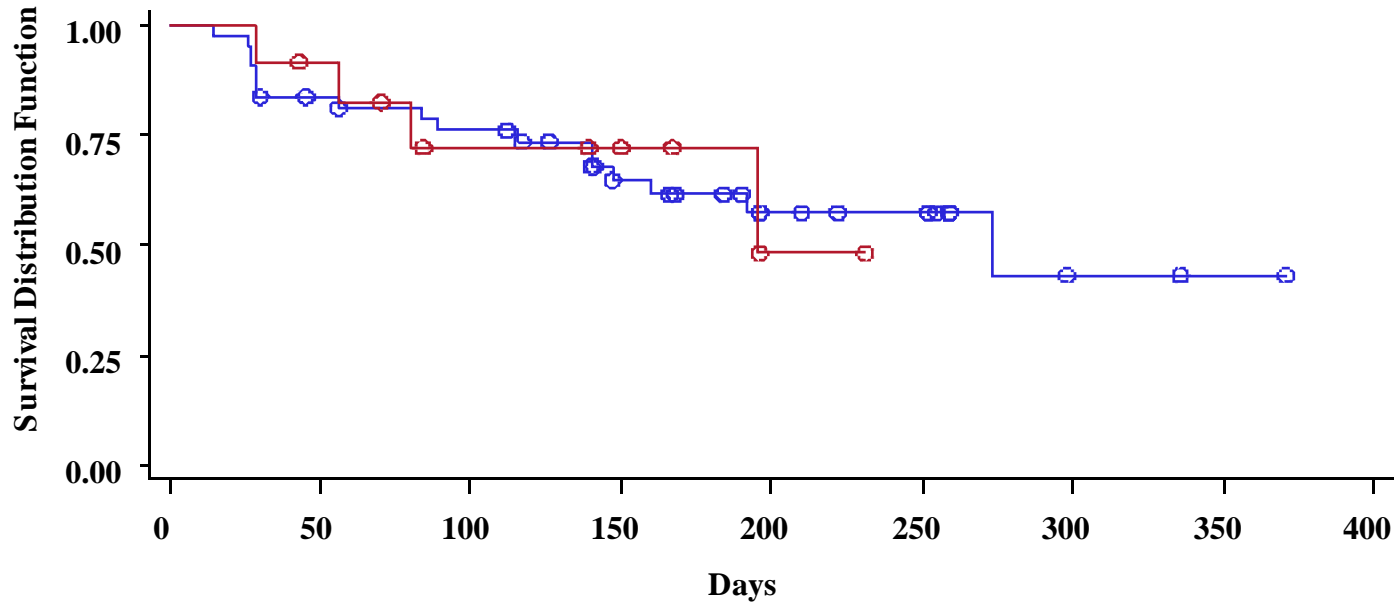




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Arm	A N=43	B N=41
Number of cycle, median	5	5
ORR (PR and better), N(%)	18 (42)	16 (39)
sCR	0	0
CR	1 (2)	0
VGPR	3 (7)	2 (5)
PR	14 (32.5)	14 (34)
Stable disease, N(%)	20 (46.5)	21 (51)
Progression, N(%)	5 (12)	4 (10)
Median, days (range)		
Time to first response	54.5 (25-259)	28 (24-252)
Time to best response	56 (25-259)	48 (28-252)
Duration of response	119 (28-280)	126 (28-280)

PFS according to Presence of del17p or t(4;14)



Arm	Del17p	t(4;14)	Total
A, (N)	5	0	5
B, (N)	4	3	7

	Del17p or t(4;14)	O/N	Median, days
—	No	17/43	273 (147-)
—	Yes	4/12	195 (56-)

Hematological Adverse Events (\geq grade 3)

Arm	A N = 43	B N = 41
Grade 3 and more, N	122	141
% / All AE	23.5	26.5
% / All AE \geq grade 3	66	76
Hb \leq 8 g/dL, N (%)	21 (11)	26 (14)
PNh \leq 1 x10 ⁹ /L, N (%)	62 (34)	62 (33.5)
Plat \leq 50 x10 ⁹ /L, N (%)	34 (18)	39 (21)
Support (at least once per patient), N (%)		
EPO	14 (32.5)	14 (34)
G-CSF	13 (30)	18 (44)
Red cell transfusion	12 (28)	14 (34)
Platelet transfusion	7 (16)	7 (17)

Non Hematological Adverse Events (\geq grade 3)

Arm	A N = 43	B N = 41
Grade 3 and more, N (% / All AE)	63 (12)	54 (9)
Neuropathy, N	0	0
DVT (with DVT prophylaxis)	0	0
Anorexia	0	1
Asthénia	4	2
Bronchitis	1	1
Cramps	0	2
Diarrhea	0	2
Generalized pain	1	1
Chestpain	1	1
Dyspnea	1	0
Fever	1	0
Hyperglycemia with diabetes	1	0
Hypokaliemia	1	0
Hypotension orthostatic	1	0
Lombalgia	0	1
Pneumonia	1	1
Caugh	1	0
Other	48	42

Mayo Myeloma Pomalidomide Trials, 225 patients

Cohort	Group	Dose mg/day	N	Accrual dates
1	Relapsed < 4 prior reg	2	60	Nov 2007 - Aug 2008
2	Len refractory	2	34	Nov 2008 - April 2009
3	Bortez/Len refractory	2	35	May 2009 - Nov 2009
4	Bortez/Len refractory	4	35	Nov 2009 - April 2010
5	Len refractory <4 prior reg	4	61	May 2010 – Nov 2010

Patient Characteristics

	2mg Relapsed <4 Reg N=60	2mg Len Refrac- tory N=34	2mg Bortez/ Len Refrac- tory N=35	4mg Bortez/ Len Refrac- tory N=35	4mg Len Refrac- tory <4 Reg N=61	Total N=225
Median Age (years)	66	62	62	61	65	63
Months from Diagnosis to On-study (Months)	46	62	57	72	37	53
mSMART High Risk	32%	42%	56%	60%	25%	39%

High risk defined as deletion 17p, t(4;14), or t(14;16) by FISH or deletion 13 by conventional cytogenetics or PCL1 $\geq 3\%$

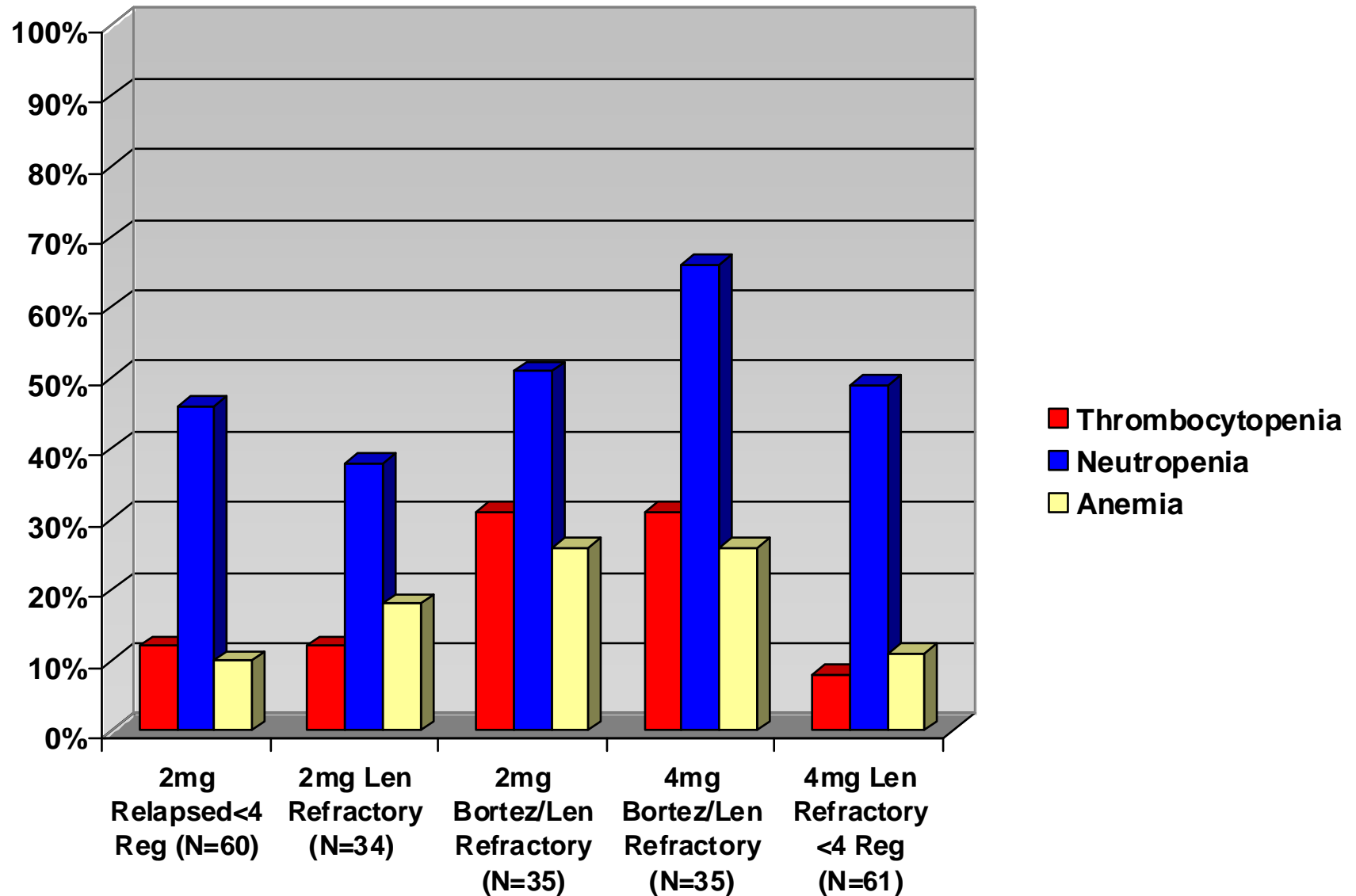
Prior therapies

	2mg Relapsed <4 Reg N=60	2mg Len Refrac- tory N=34	2mg Bortez/ Len Refrac- tory N=35	4mg Bortez/ Len Refrac- tory N=35	4mg Len Refrac- tory <4 Reg N=61	Total N=225
# of Prior Therapy Median (range)	2 (1-3)	4 (1-14)	6 (3-9)	6 (2-11)	2 (1-5)	3 (1-14)
<u>Prior Therapy</u>						
Previous ImiDs	60%	100%	100%	100%	100%	89%
Thalidomide	47%	38%	63%	76%	21%	53%
Lenalidomide	35%	100%	100%	100%	98%	82%
Bortezomib	33%	59%	100%	100%	48%	62%
Transplant	65%	68%	77%	80%	77%	73%

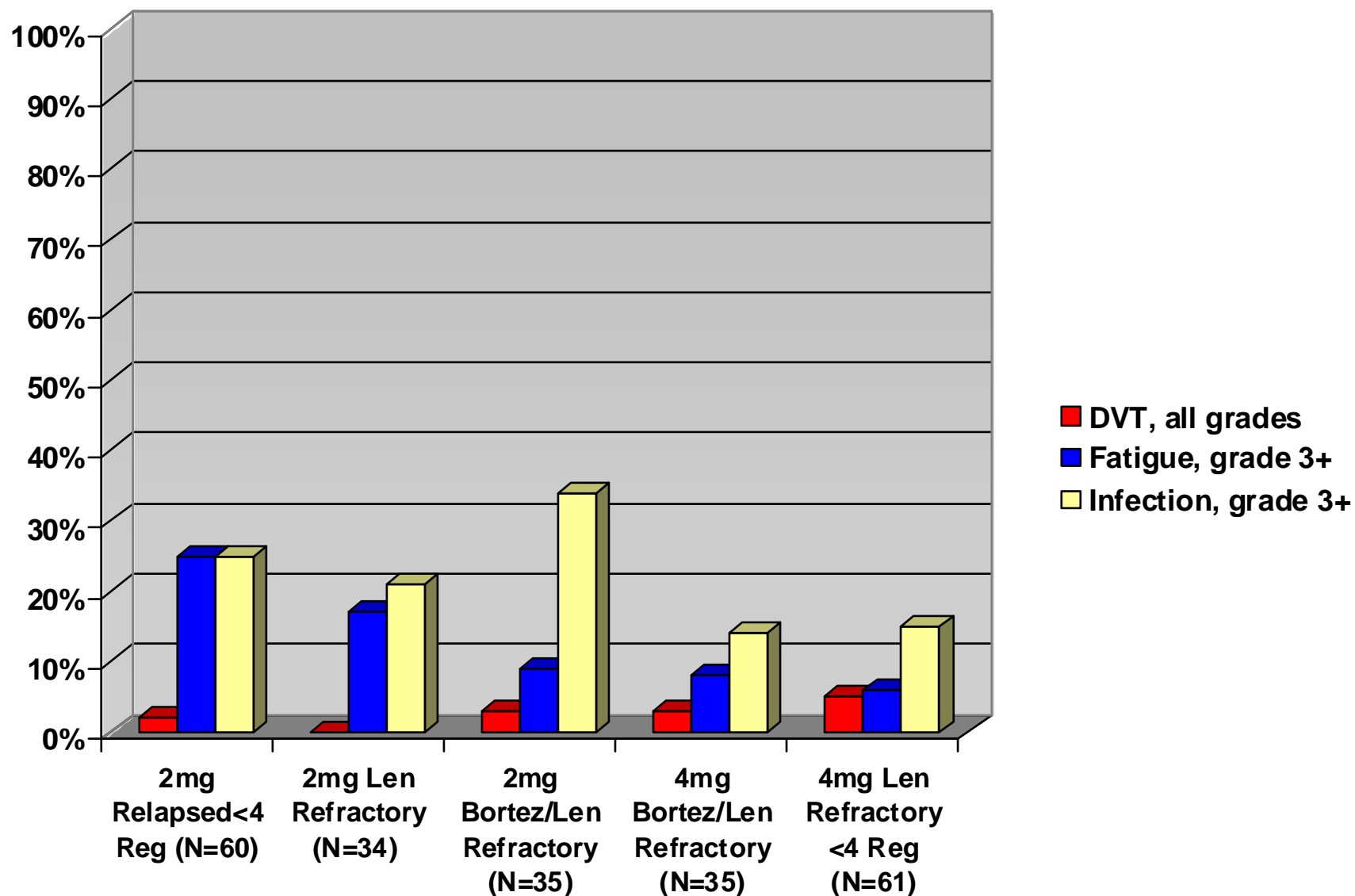
Follow-up

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Accrual Period	11/07-08/08	11/08-4/09	5/09-11/09	11/09-4/10	5/10-11/10	
Progression Free	33%	21%	26%	31%	61%	37%
Alive	80%	62%	54%	57%	93%	73%
Months of Follow-up for Alive Patients						
Median (Range)	29 (1-36)	22 (5-25)	15 (1-20)	9 (1-12)	6 (1-10)	10 (1-36)
Cycles Administered						
Median (Range)	12 (1-38)	5 (1-25)	6 (1-19)	3 (1-12)	5 (0-10)	6 (0-38)
Currently Receiving Treatment	25 %	12%	11%	9%	46%	24%
Off Rx for Prog.	82%	87%	84%	69%	67%	78%

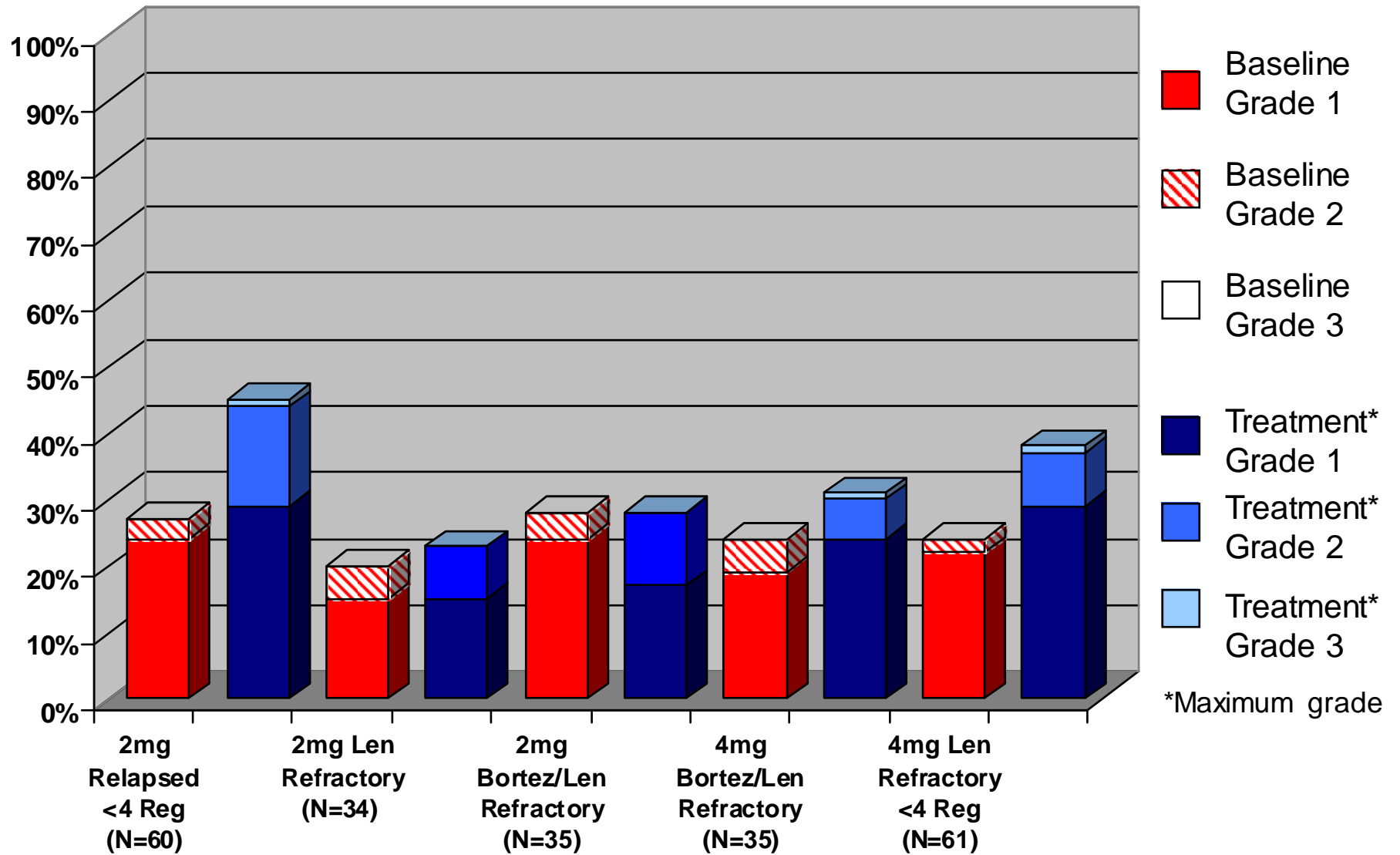
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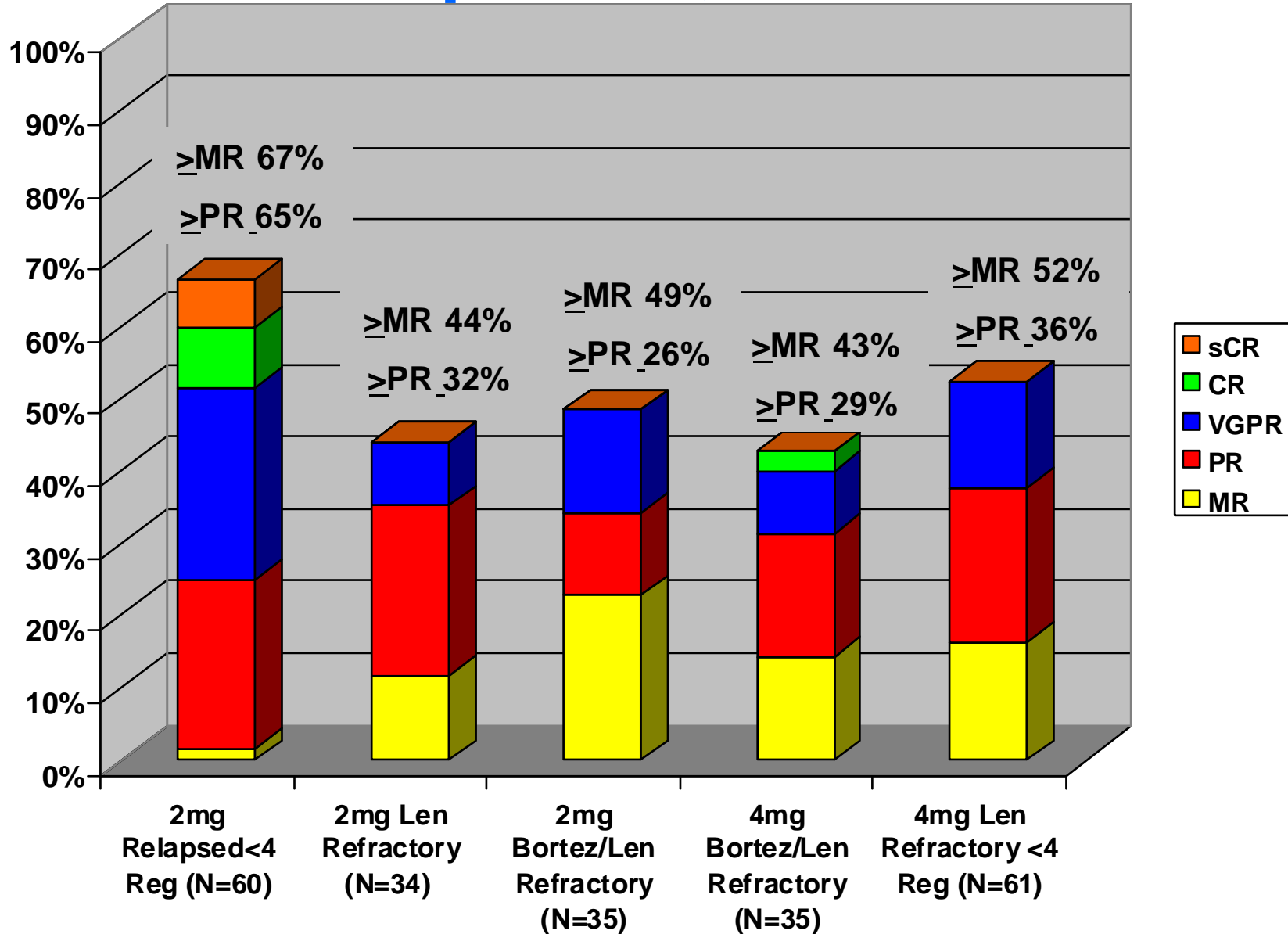
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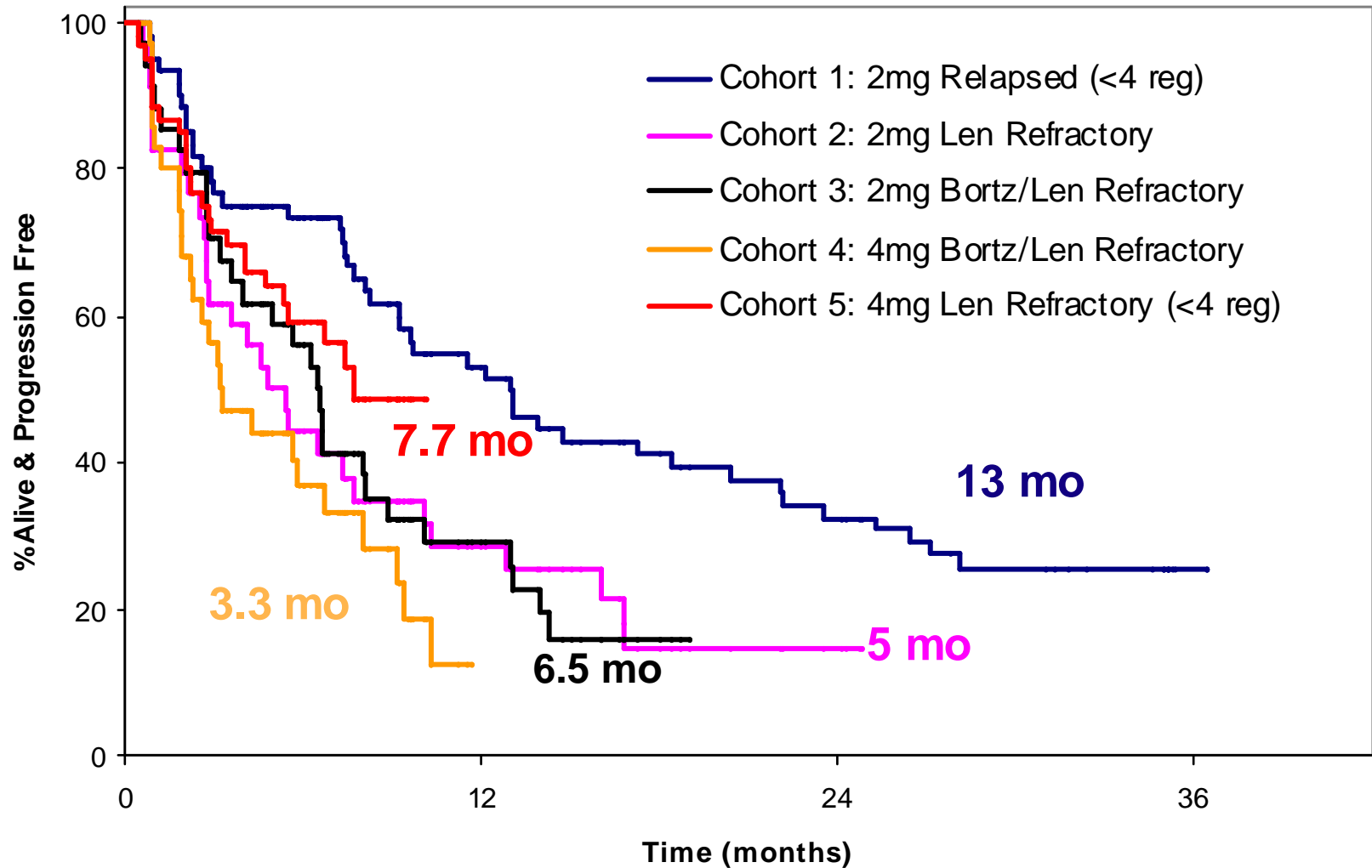
Neuropathy



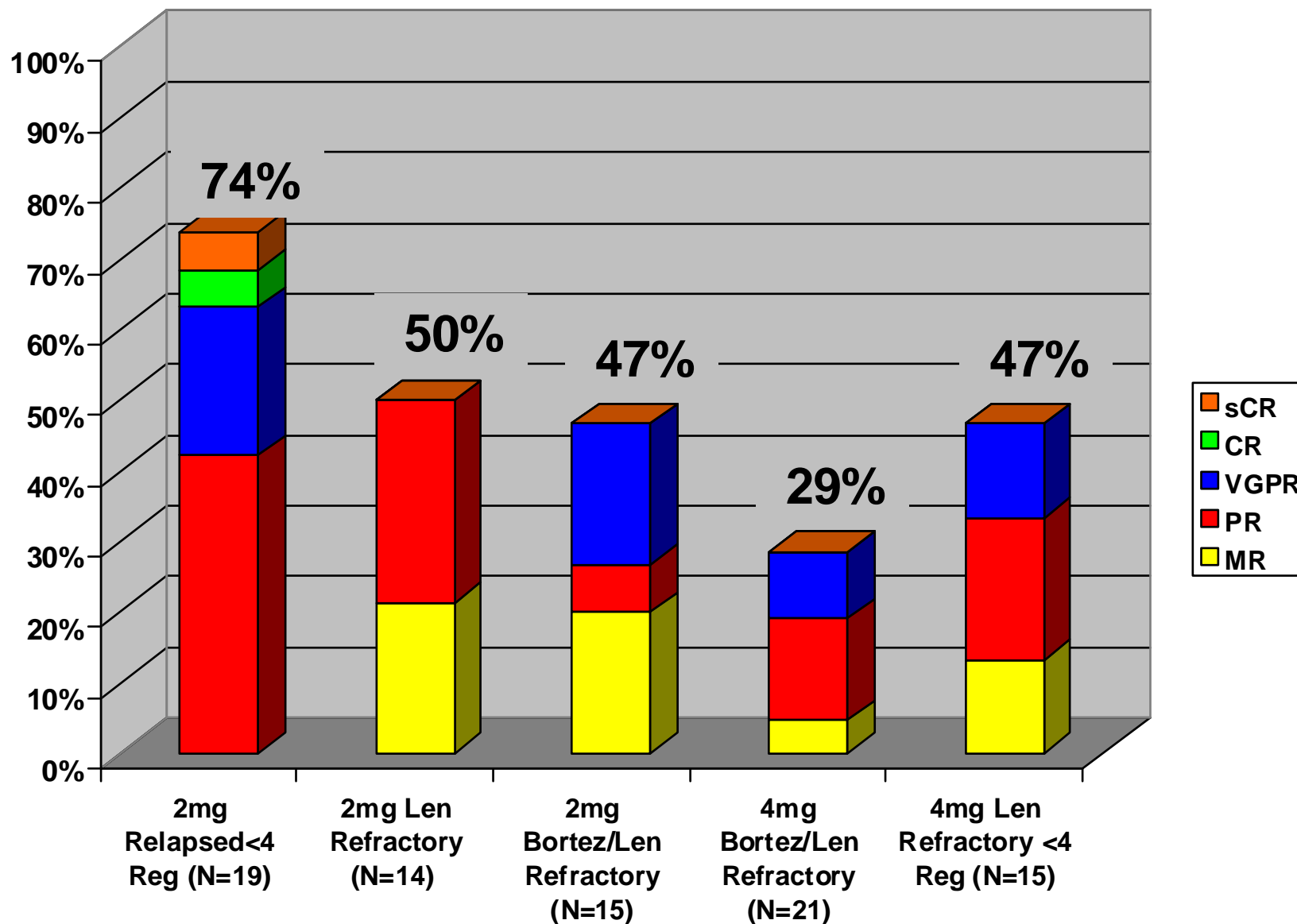
Responses, \geq MR



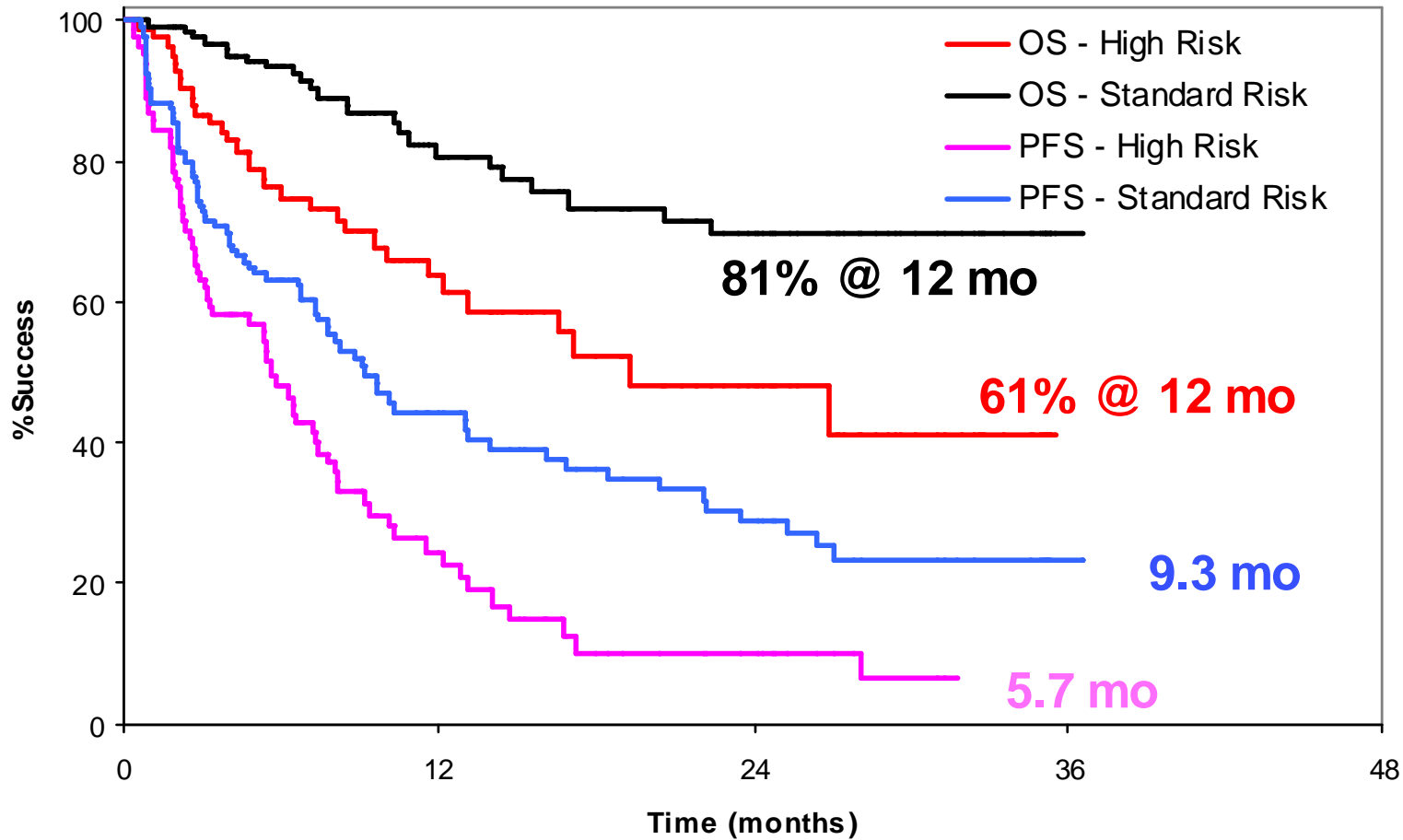
Progression Free Survival



Responses in high risk (mSMART) patients



Overall and PFS in high risk vs standard risk



Patient Outcomes

	2mg Relapsed <4 Reg N=60	2mg Len Refractory N=34	2mg Bortez/Len Refractory N=35	4mg Bortez/Len Refractory N=35	4mg Len Refractory <4 Reg N=61
Duration of response	21 mo (95%CI:11.2-NR)	9 mo (95%CI: 2 -NR)	NR	3 mo (95%CI:1-NR)	NR
Median Overall Survival	NR	27 mo (95%CI: 11-27)	17 mo (95%CI:10-NR)	NR	NR
6 Months OS	95% (95%CI:89-100)	85% (95%CI: 74-98)	76% (95%: 63-92)	67% (95%CI: 52-85)	94% (95%CI: 86-100)
Median Progression Free Survival	13 mo (95%CI:8-20.4)	5mo (95%CI : 2.7-10)	6.5mo (95%CI: 3-9)	3.3mo (95%CI: 1.9-7)	7.7 mo (95%CI: 5.4-NR)

NR: Not Reached; Mo: Months; CI: Confidence Interval

Pom/dex for EMD

- **EMD present in 13 of first 174 (7.5%) enrolled**
- **Response to Pom/dex 31% (2 CR and 2 PR)**



Response Rates with Pom/Dex According to Number of Prior Regimens

	# Prior regimens, median	N	Schema	Doses	≥ PR
Relapsed < 4 Reg	2	60	28/28	2 mg	63%
Len Refractory <4 Reg*	2	61	28/28	4mg	36%
Leleu	4	43	21/28	4 mg	42%
	4	41	28/28	4mg	39%
Len Refractory	4	34	28/28	2 mg	32%
Richardson Phase II	5	120	21/28	4 mg	25%
Richardson Phase I	6	38	21/28	4 mg MTD	25%
Bortez/Len Refractory	6	35	28/28	2 mg	26%
	6	35		4mg	28%

*Median Follow-up: 6 months

Conclusions

- **Pom/dex has remarkable activity in relapsed myeloma including heavily pre-treated population who are refractory to lenalidomide and bortezomib**
- **Responses are rapid with median time to response 1 - 2 month**
- **Toxicity is manageable at both dose levels and consists primarily of neutropenia**
- **No evidence for dose response within the tested dose schedules; ORR is similar between the 2 mg and 4 mg dose levels**
- **Effective in high risk patients**
- **Further studies ongoing to see if starting dose 4 mg for 21 of 28 days produces same response rates with less toxicity**
- **Pomalidomide combinations should be explored.**

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