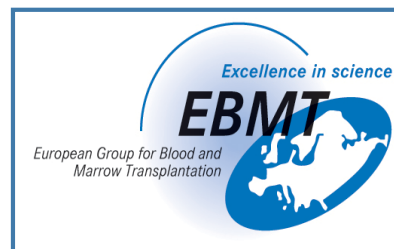


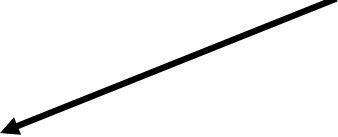
APLASTIC ANEMIA: bone marrow transplantation

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Acquired SAA



HLA = Sib



≤40 yy



Sib BMT

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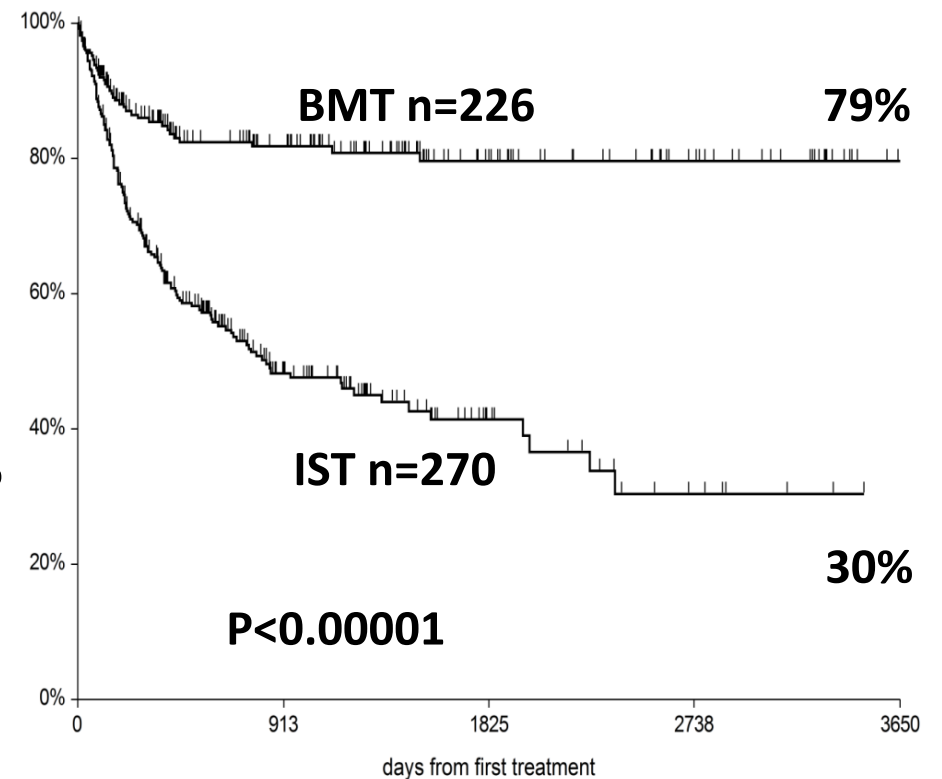
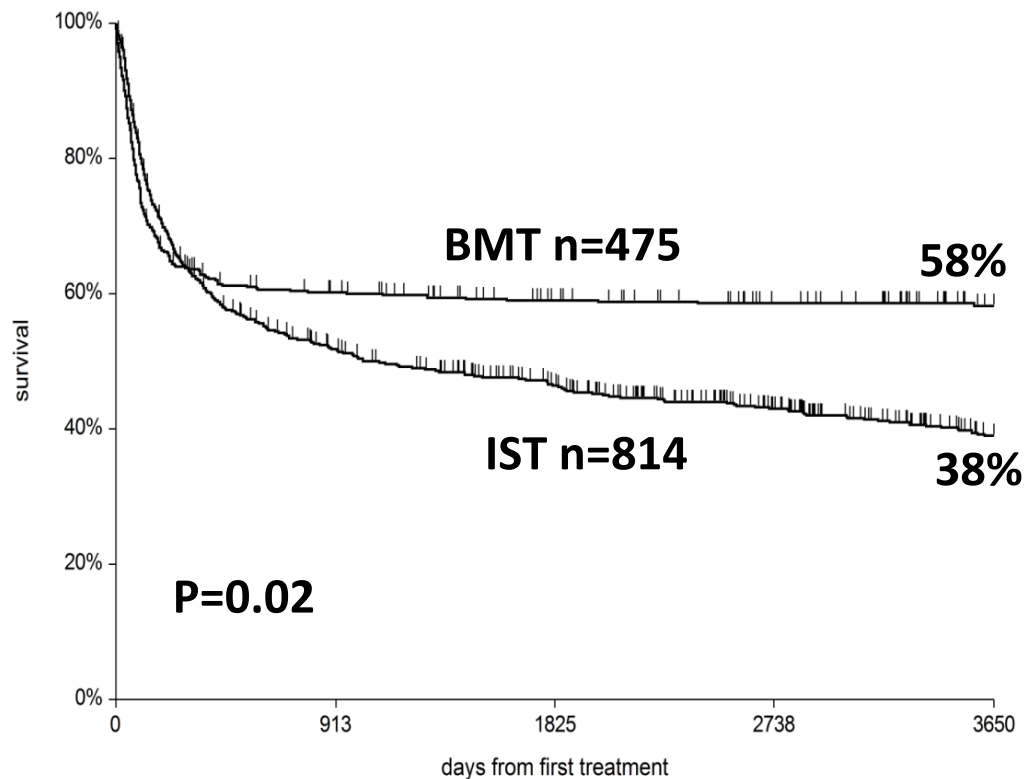
Age <20 , VSAA /SAA

Event IS : death or BMT

BMT: death or ext-cGvHD

1976 - 1998

1999 - 2009



**# SAA <20 with an identical sibling , BMT
first line
CY 200 +ATG is standard of care**

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

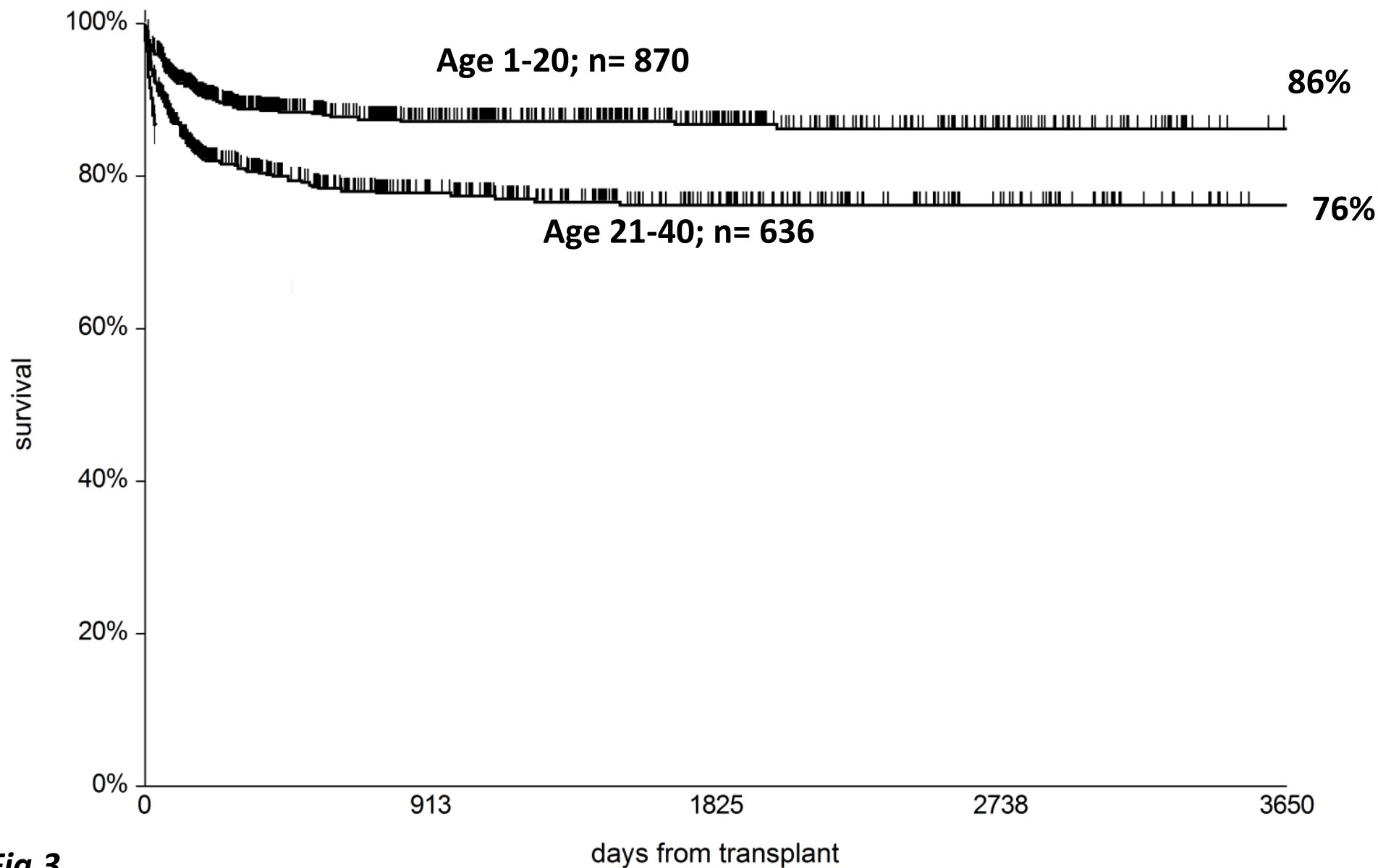


Fig.3

**# SAA <20 with an identical sibling , BMT
first line**

**# SAA 21-40 : id SIB BMT first line;
conditioning to be optimized
(CY 200 +ATG / FCC / FCA)**

Acquired SAA

HLA = Sib

≤40 yy

41-60 yy

Sib BMT

ATG+CsA

no resp d+120

Sib BMT

Fig.2

SAA
HLA id sibs ; 2001-2010

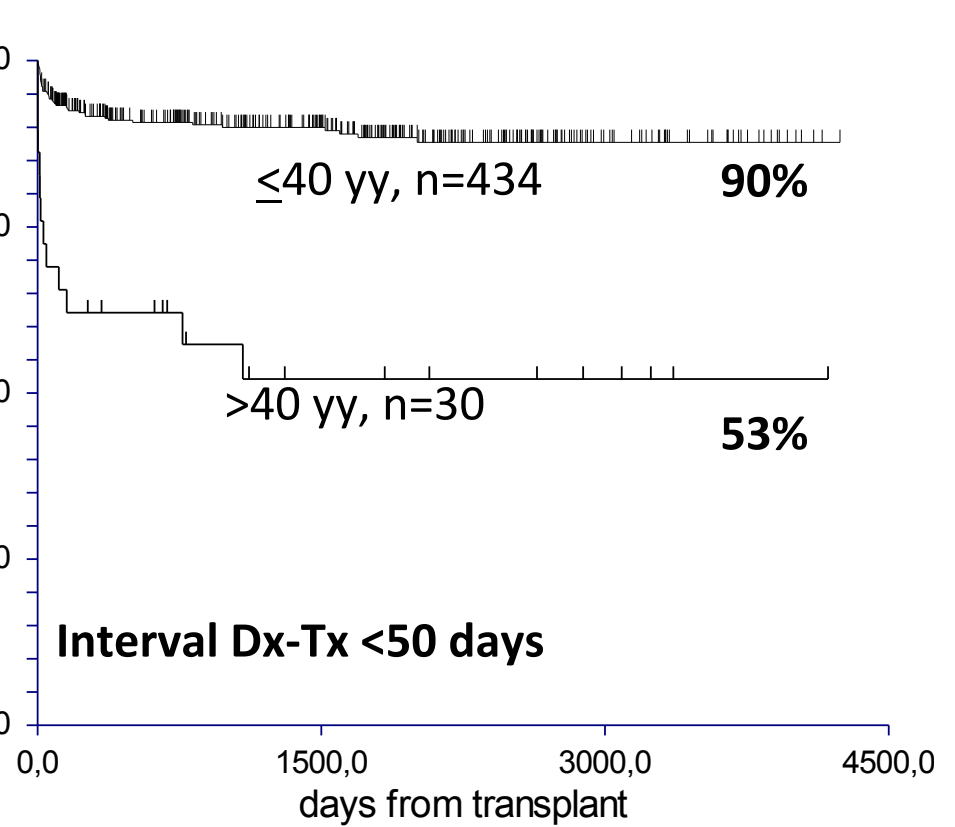
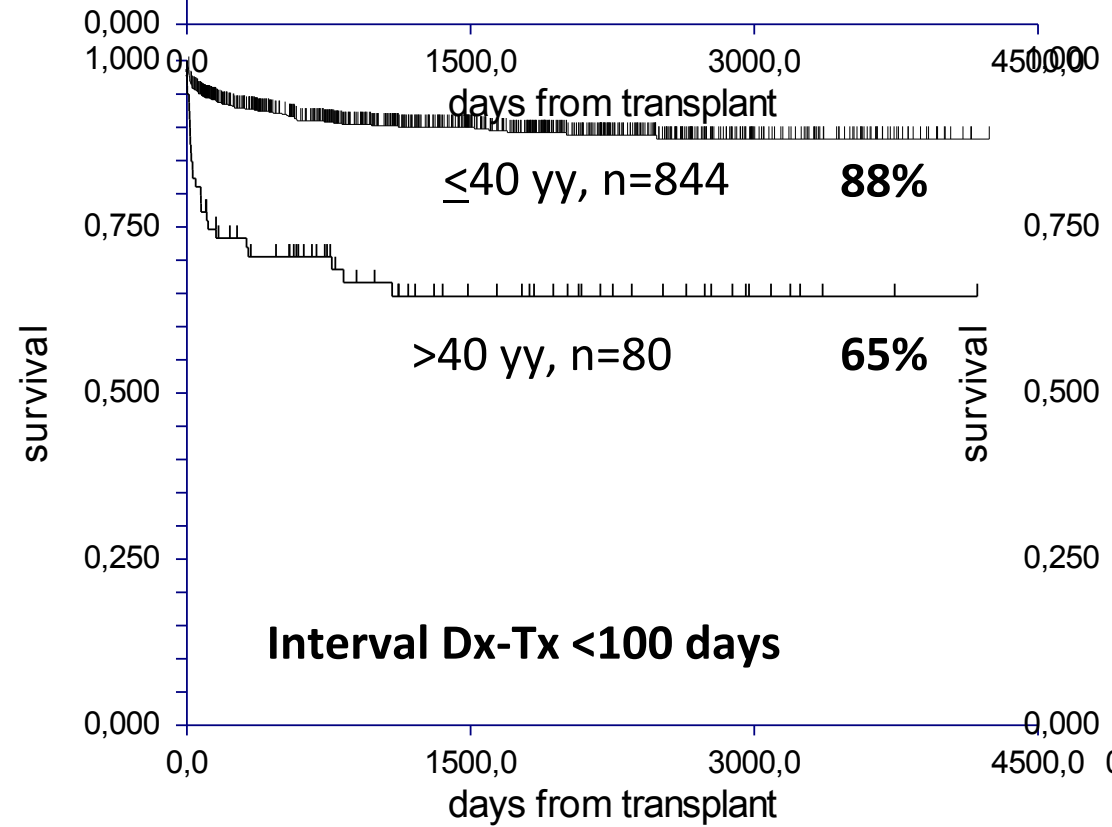
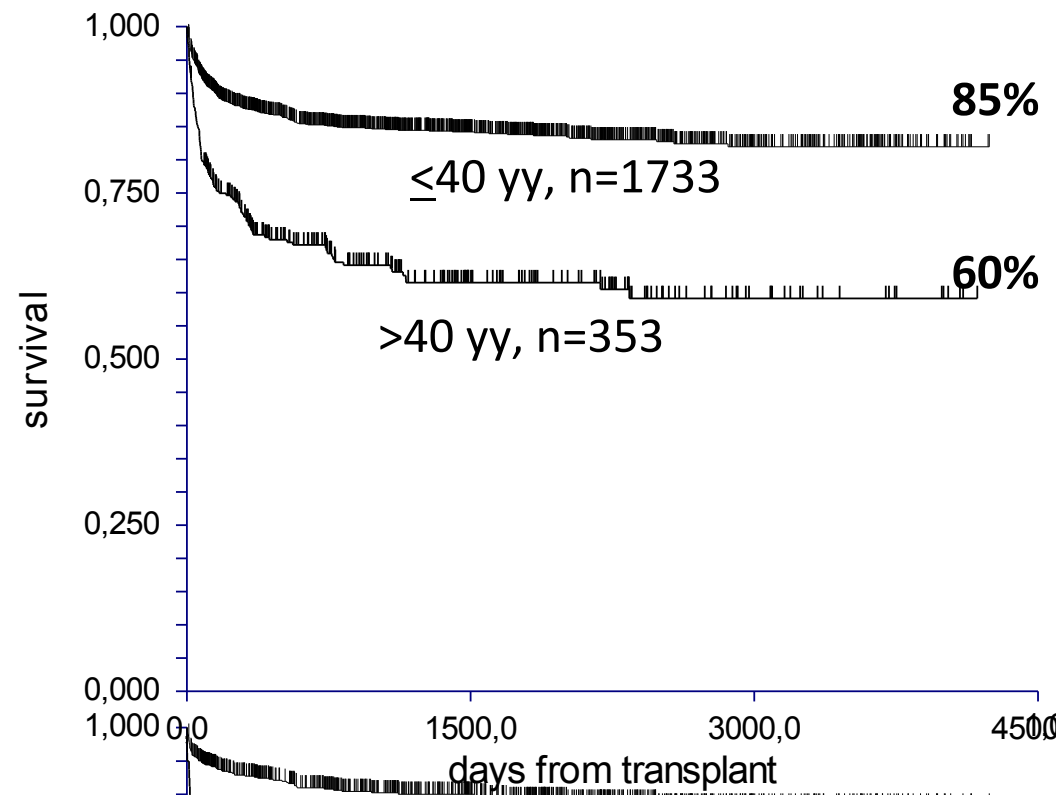
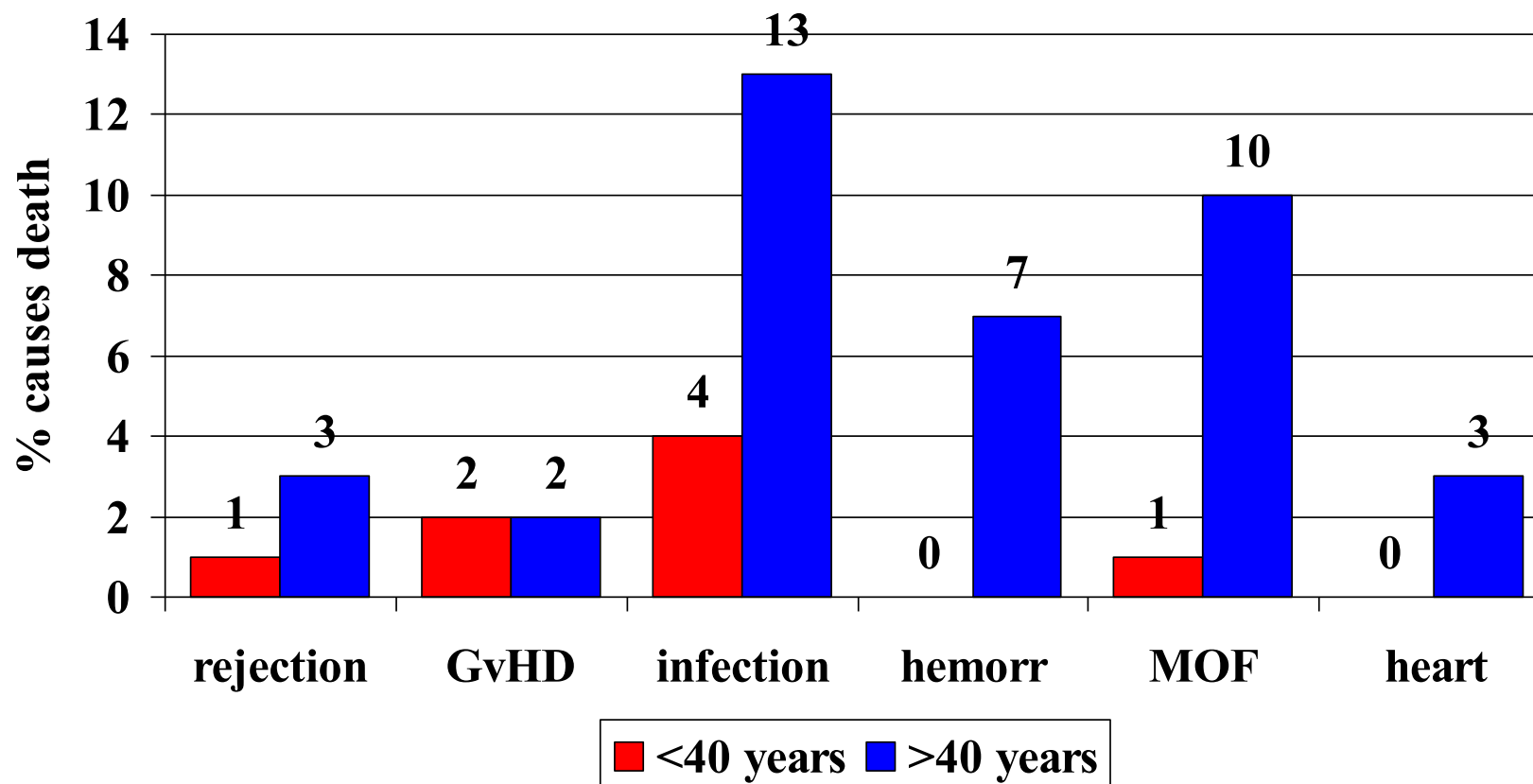


Fig.3

**SAA HLA id siblings; 2001-2010
causes of death**

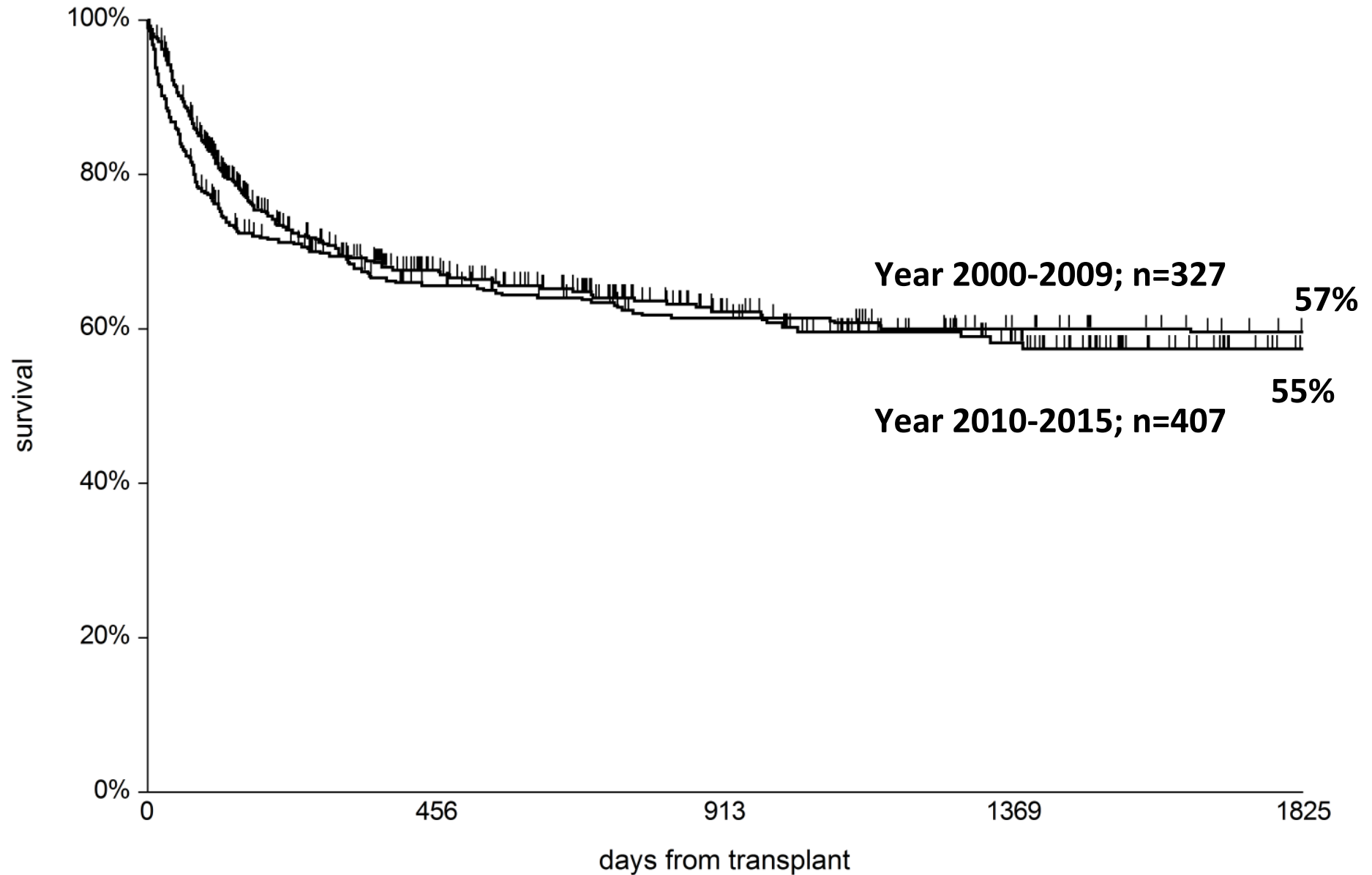


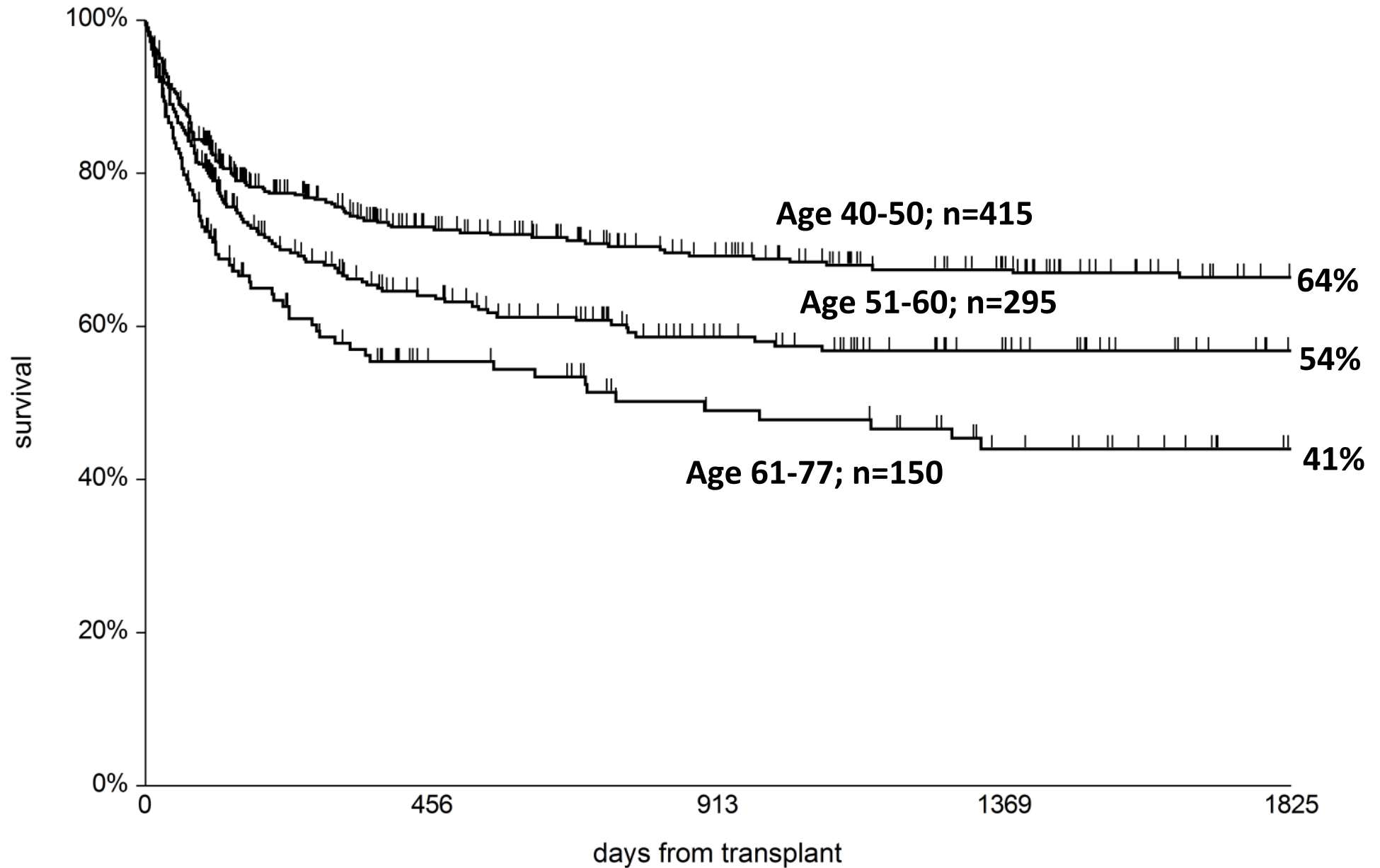
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BMT for acquired SAA > 40 years of age

	2001-2010	2010-2015	
N=	327	427	
Age (med)	49 yy	53 yy	p<0.01
Alt donors	43%	64%	p<0.01
SC source	BM 41%	54%	p<0.01
FLU cont reg	42%	55%	p<0.01

Outcome of acquired SAA aged ≥ 40 years : median 50 yy (40-77)





Age > 40 remains a significant risk factor for HLA id BMT, also in 2015

ATG+CyA (+EPAG?) should be first line therapy in acquired SAA > 40 years

The strong age effect persists >40 >50 >60 years

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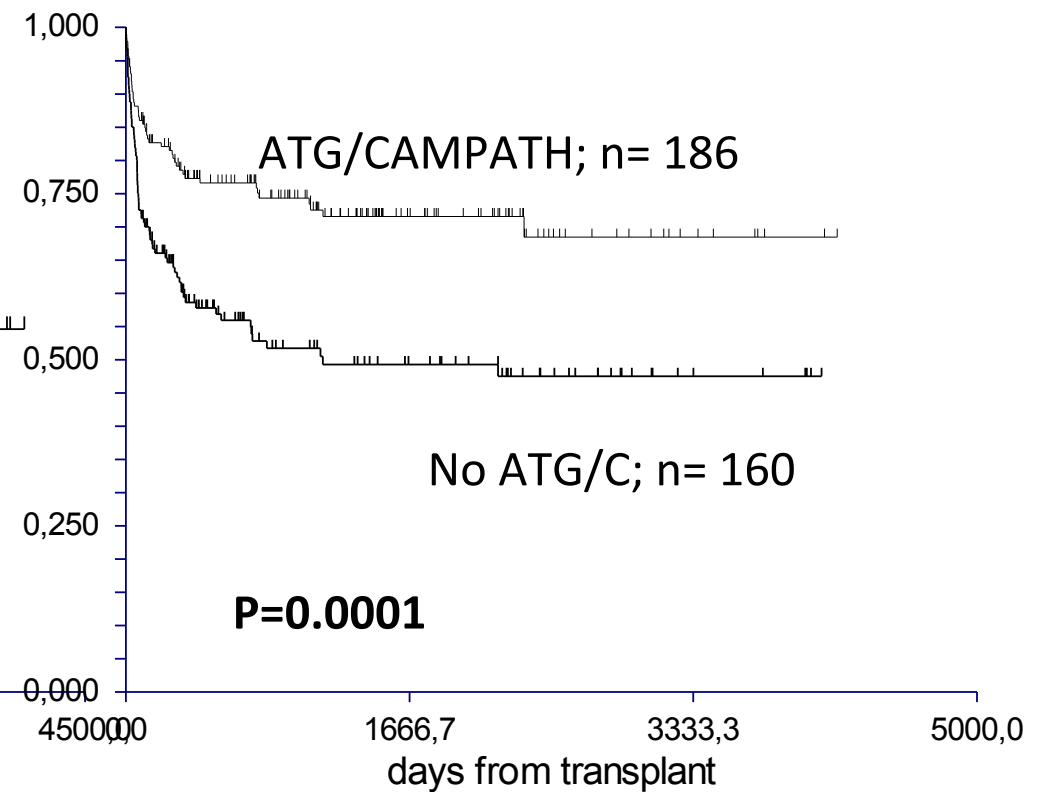
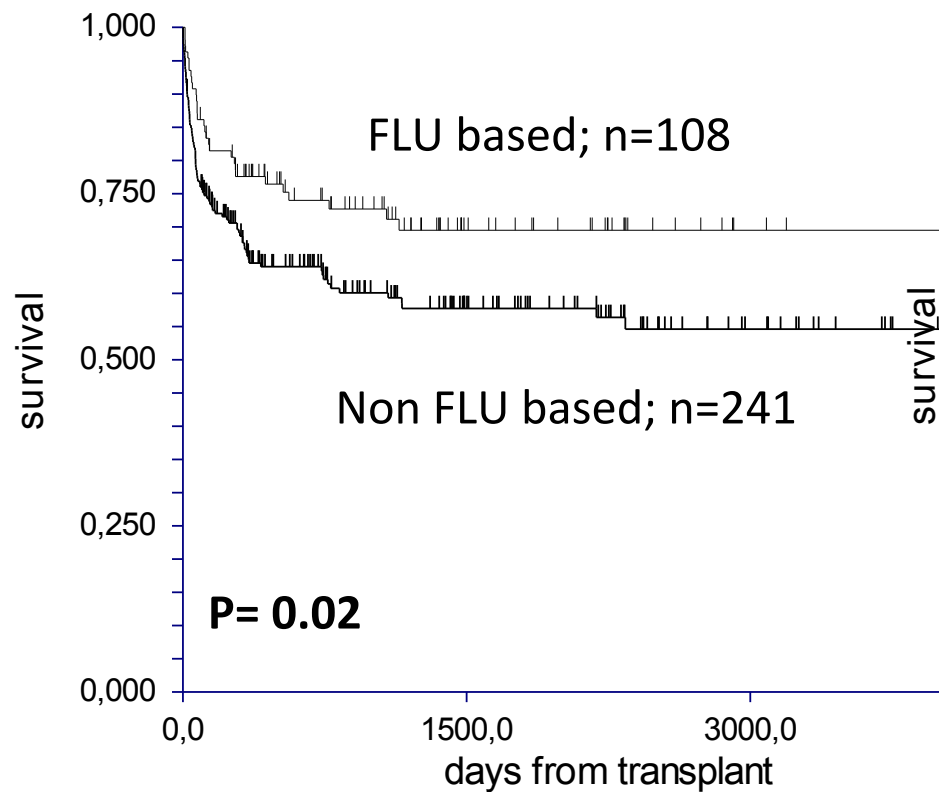
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SAA 2001-2010

HLA= SIB , Age > 40 years

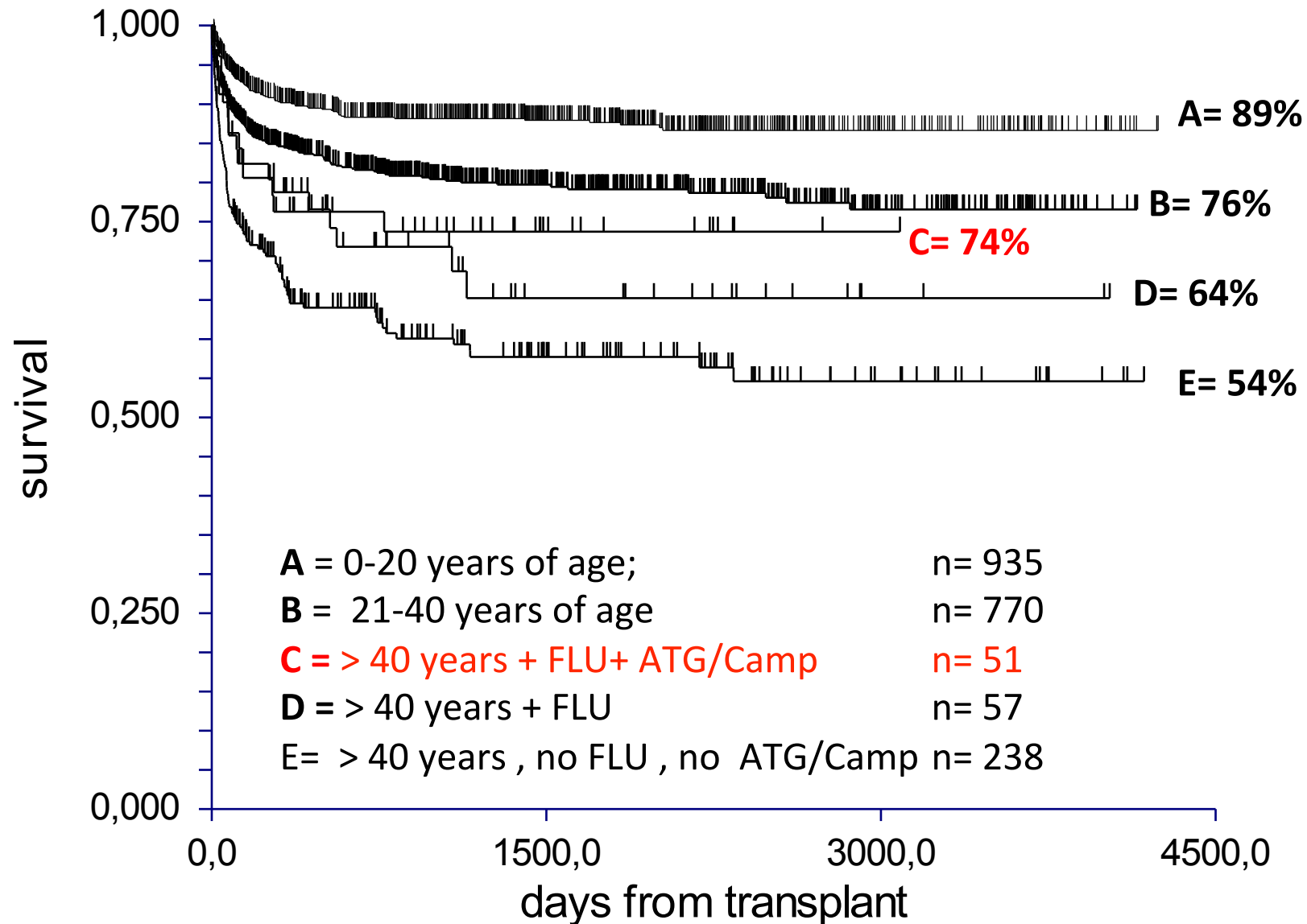
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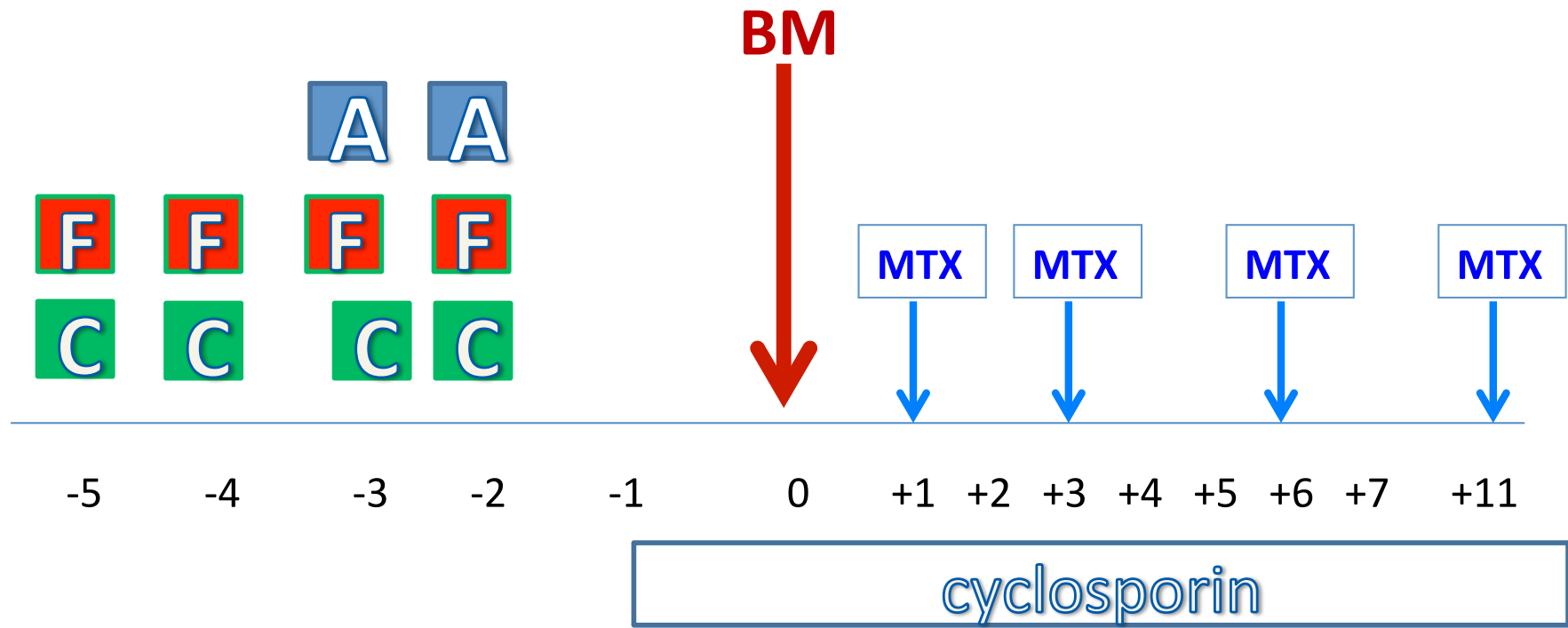


SAA 2001-2010; HLA id sibling transplants

The effect of age and the role of conditioning regimens



conditioning regimen for **SIB transplants** in acquired SAA > age of 40



FLUDARABINE 30 mg/m²/day x4

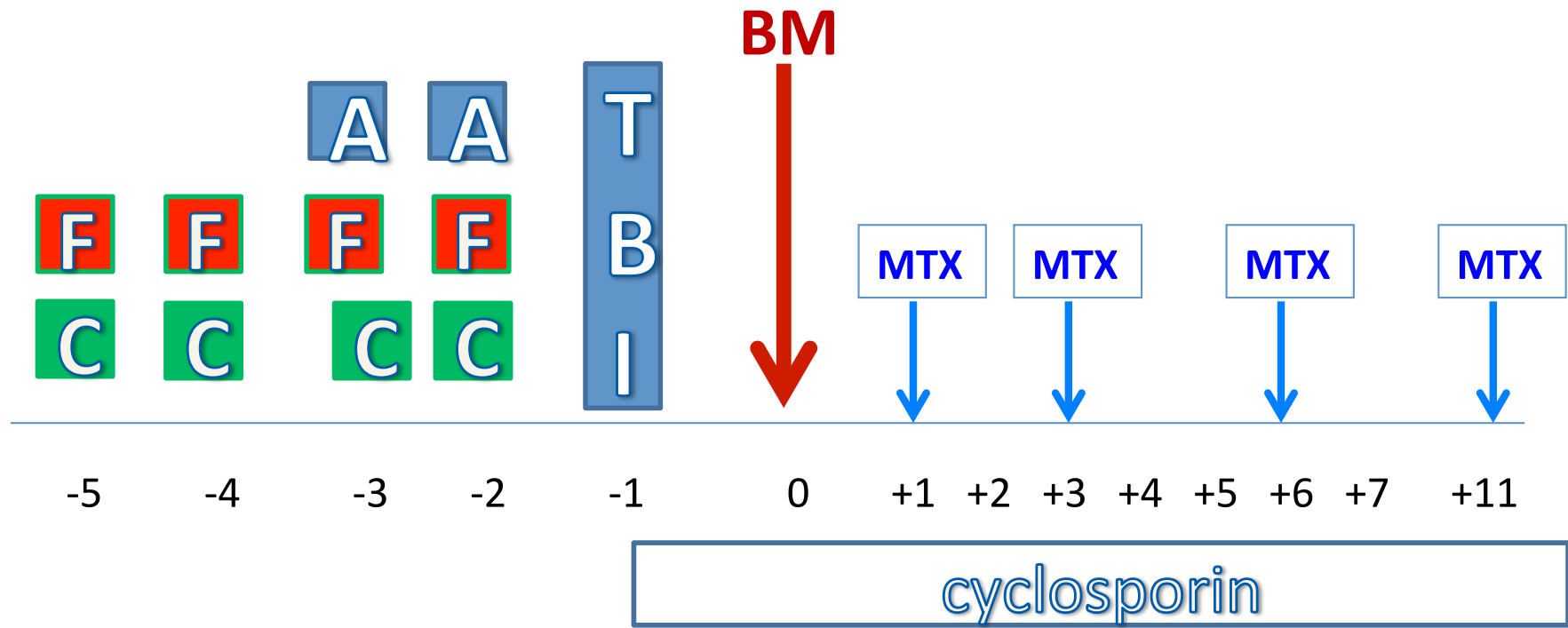


CYCLOPHOSPHAMIDE 30 mg/kg/day x4



ATG : 3.75 mg/kg/day (or CAMPATH 20 mg/day x5)

conditioning regimen for **SIB transplants** in acquired SAA > age of 40



F

FLUDARABINE 30 mg/m²/day x4

C

CYCLOPHOSPHAMIDE 30 mg/kg/day x4

A

ATG : 3.75 mg/kg/day

TBI

Total body irradiation 2 Gy for sensitized patients

Conditioning regimen SIB transplants

Young patients (<20 yy) CY200 +ATG

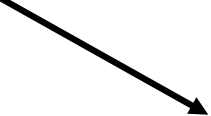
Older patients FLU CY ATG (± TBI 2)/ FCC

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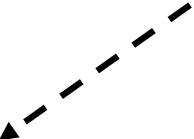
and Unrelated Transplants?

Acquired SAA



No HLA = Sib

≤20 yy

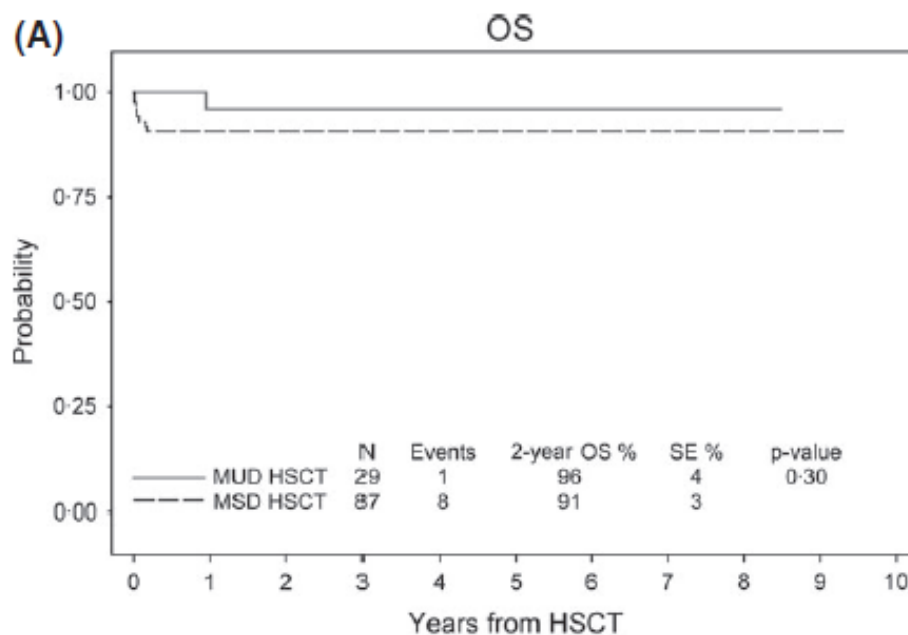


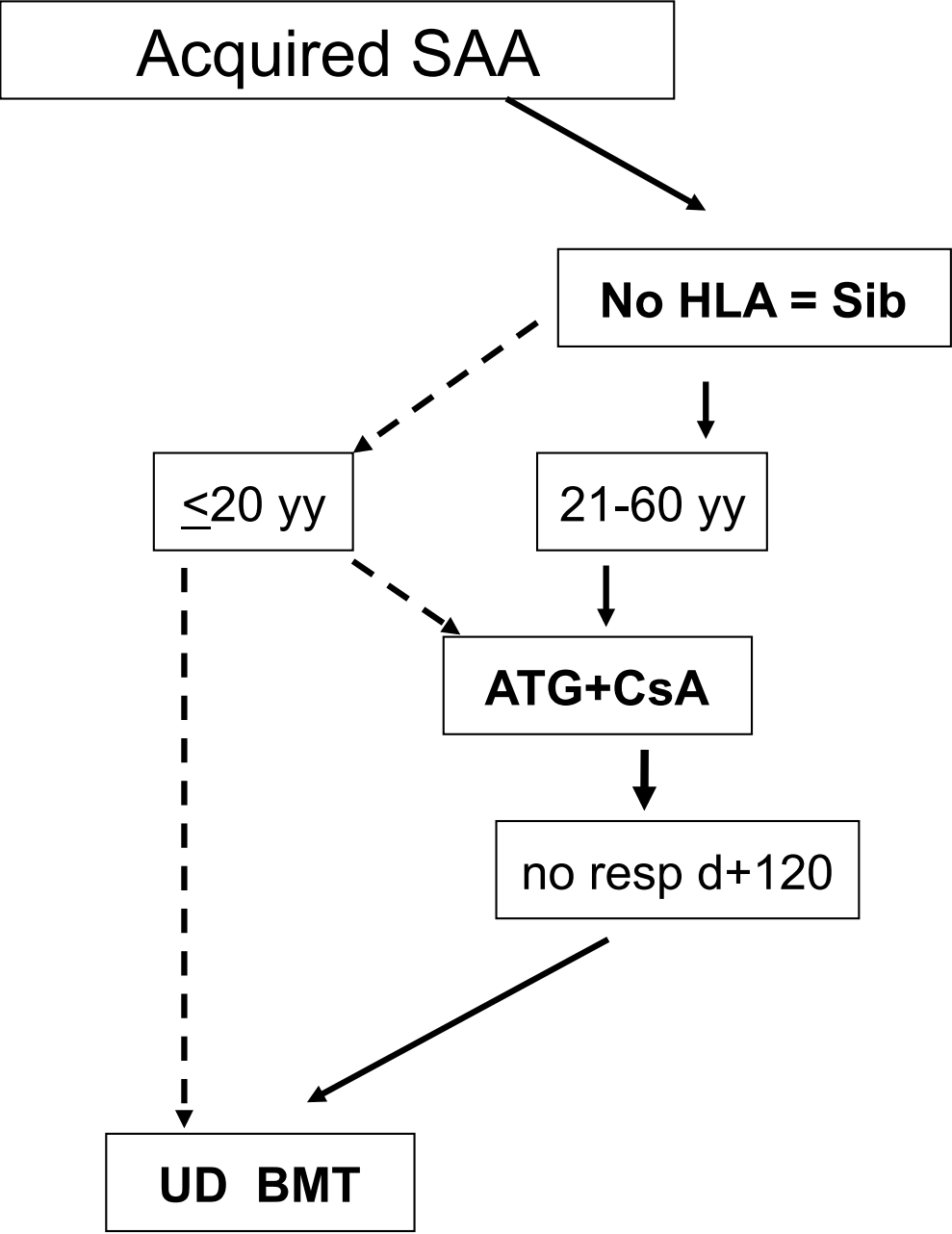
UD BMT

Similar outcome of upfront-unrelated and matched sibling stem cell transplantation in idiopathic paediatric aplastic anaemia. A study on behalf of the UK Paediatric BMT Working Party, Paediatric Diseases Working Party and Severe Aplastic Anaemia Working Party of EBMT

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Alemtuzumab with fludarabine and cyclophosphamide reduces chronic graft-versus-host disease after allogeneic stem cell transplantation for acquired aplastic anemia

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

FCC (FLU CY CAMP 100)

UD n=29

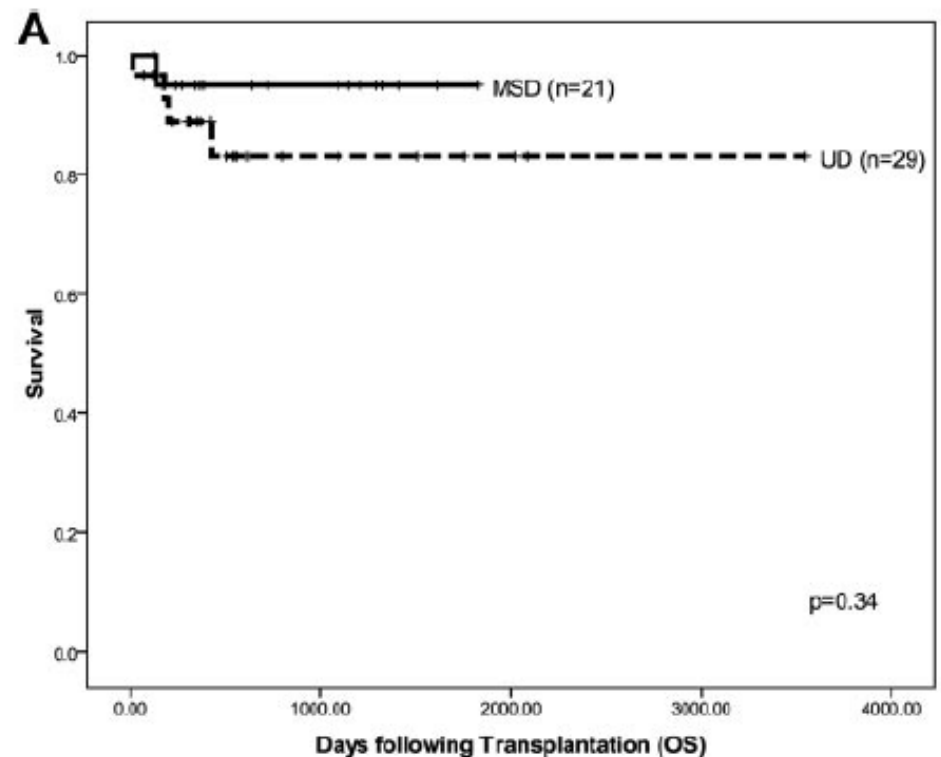
SIB n=21

Age 35 (8-62)

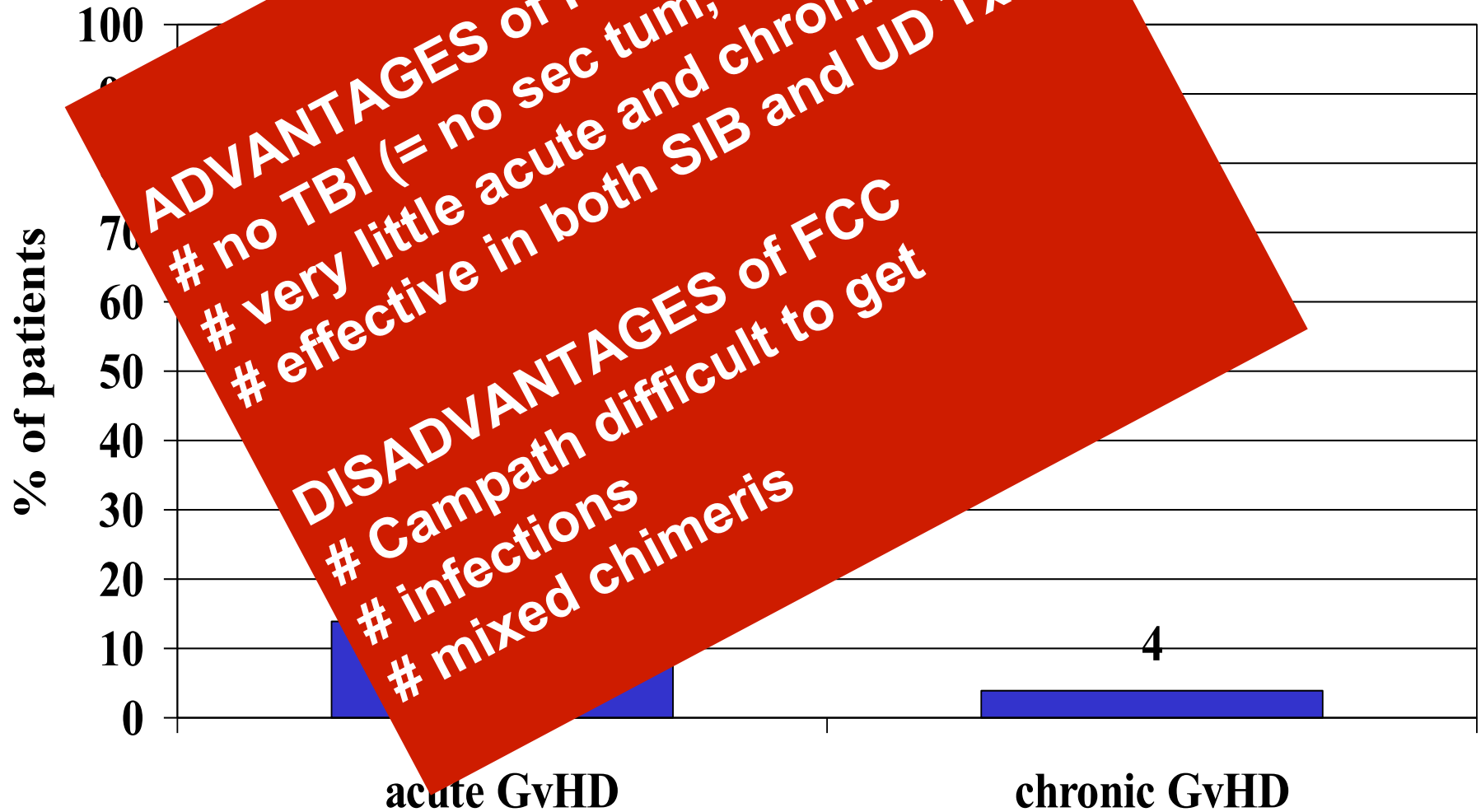
DxTX 6mm (SIB) 10mm (UD)

BM(24) PB(14) GBM(7)

BM+PB (5)



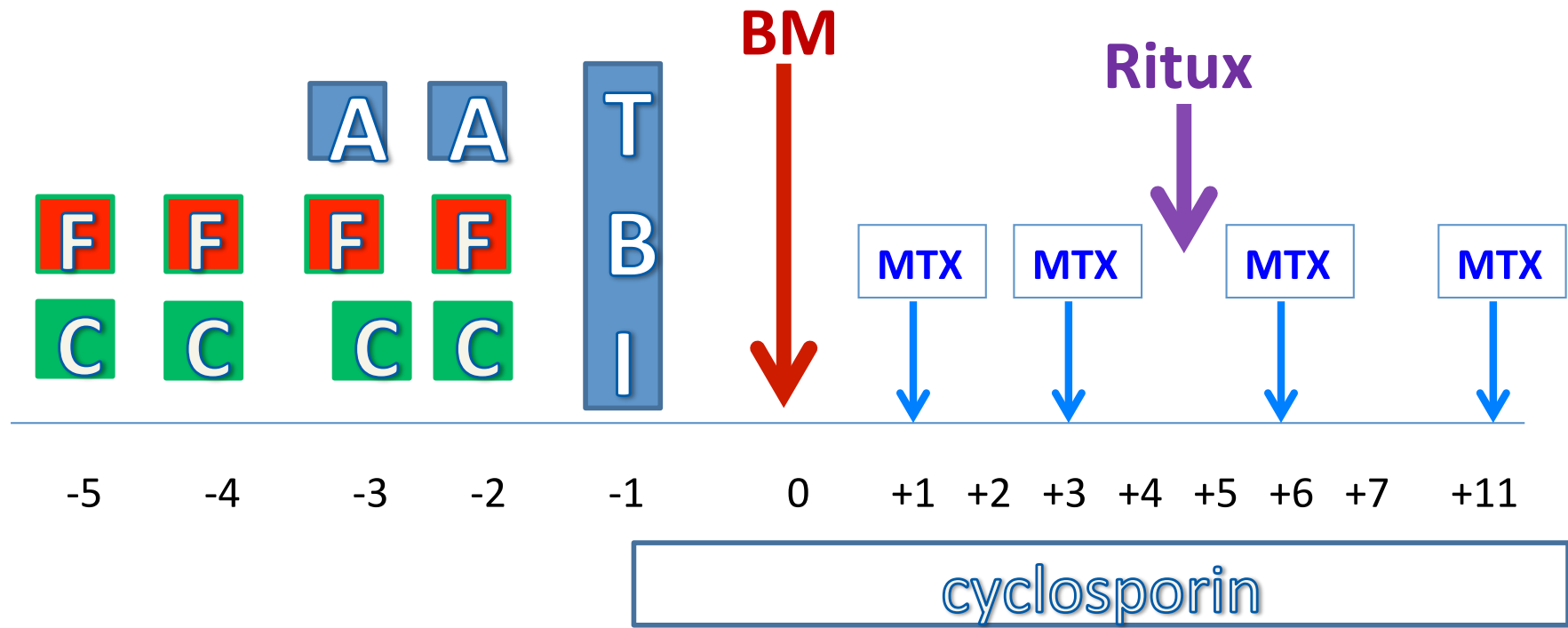
FCC for aplastic anemia (F)



ADVANTAGES of FCC
no TBI (= no sec tum, infertility)
very little acute and chronic GvHD
effective in both SIB and UD Tx

DISADVANTAGES of FCC
Campath difficult to get
infections
mixed chimeris

conditioning regimen for UD transplants in acquired SAA: EBMT



F

FLUDARABINE 30 mg/m²/day x4

C

CYCLOPHOSPHAMIDE 30 mg/kg/day x4

A

ATG : 3.75 mg/kg/day

TBI

Total body irradiation 2 Gy

Ritux= 200 mg

Fludarabine, cyclophosphamide, antithymocyte globulin, with or without low dose total body irradiation, for alternative donor transplants, in acquired severe aplastic anemia: a retrospective study from the EBMT-SAA working party

Andrea Bacigalupo,¹ Gerard Socie,² Edoardo Lanino,³ Arcangelo Prete,⁴ Franco Locatelli,⁵ Anna Locasciulli,⁶ Simone Cesaro,⁷ Avichai Shimoni,⁸ Judith Marsh,⁹ Mats Brune,¹⁰ Maria Teresa Van Lint,¹ Rosi Oneto,¹ and Jacob Passweg¹³ for the Severe Aplastic Anemia Working Party of the European Group for Blood and Marrow Transplantation (SAA WP-EBMT)

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Chronic GvHD		
FCA	27%	ext 2%
FCA+TBI	50%	ext 8%

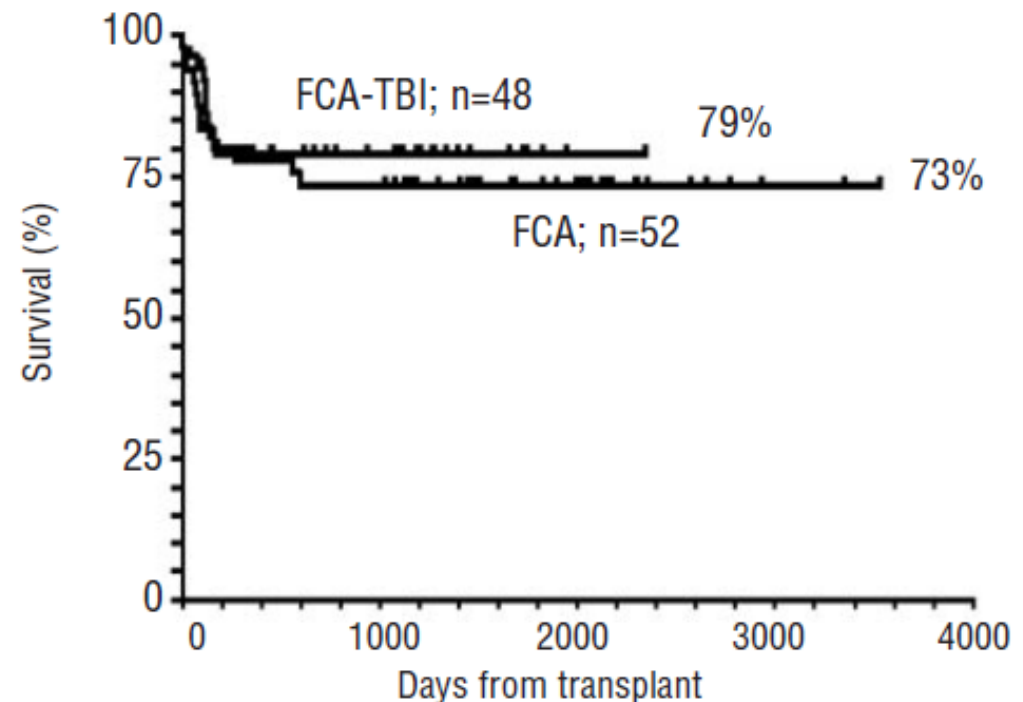


Figure 1. Actuarial survival of 52 SAA patients receiving FCA and 48 SAA patients receiving FCA + 2Gy TBI.

Conditioning regimen UD transplants

FLU CY CAMPTH (UK)

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

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ORIGINAL ARTICLE

Comparison of matched-sibling donor BMT and unrelated donor BMT in children and adolescent with acquired severe aplastic anemia

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N=61 treated at
1 single Institution

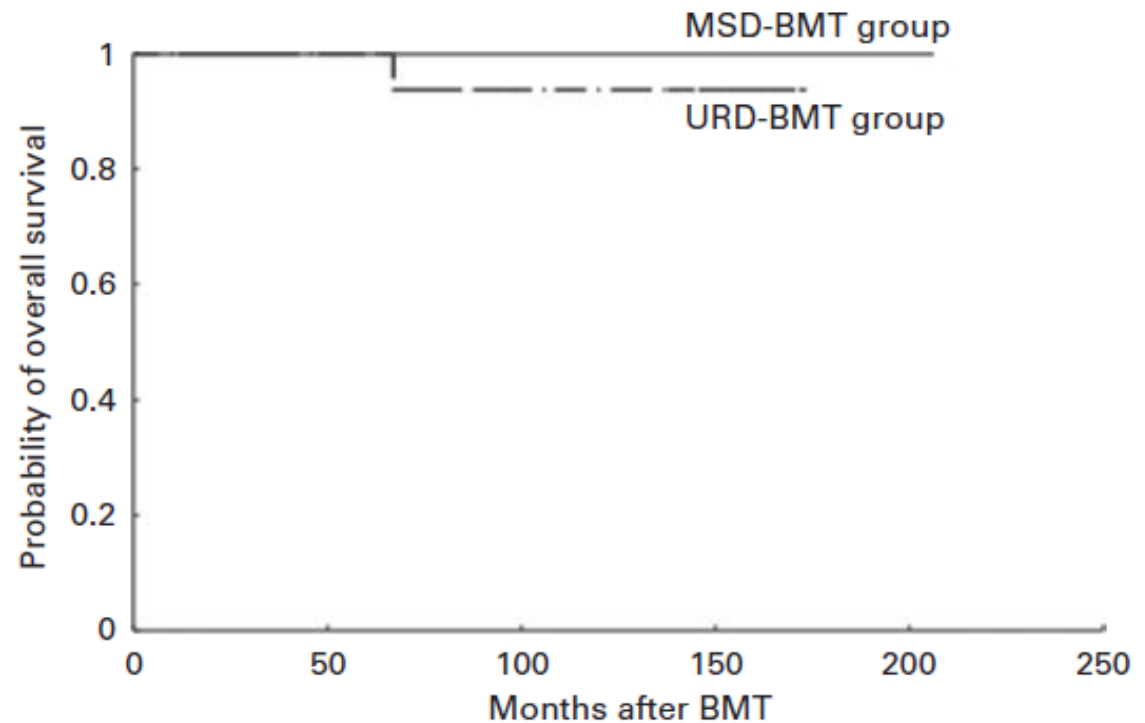
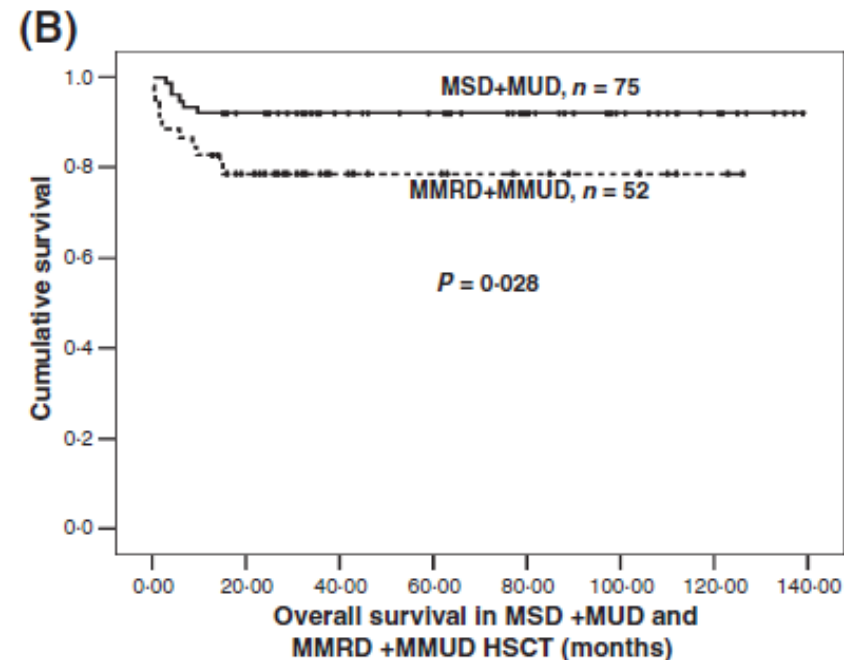
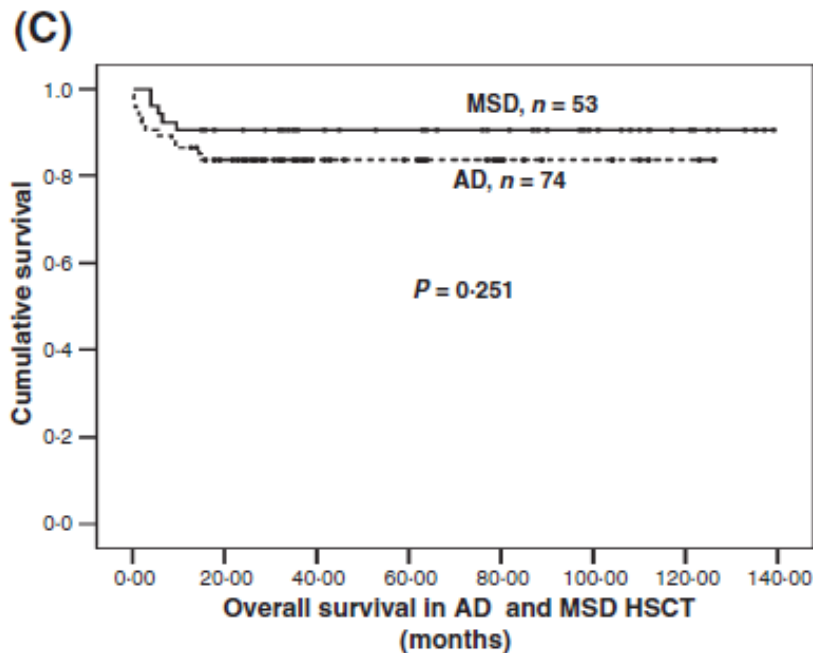


Figure 1 Kaplan–Meier estimates of OS after MSD-BMT and URD-BMT, respectively (100% vs 93.8%) ($P = 0.252$).

Allogeneic stem cell transplantation for children with acquired severe aplastic anaemia: a retrospective study by the Viva-Asia Blood and Marrow Transplantation Group

Jing Chen,¹ Vincent Lee,² Cheng Juan Luo,¹ Alan Kwok Shing Chiang,³ Suradej Hongeng,⁴ Poh Lin Tan,⁵ Ah Moy Tan,⁶ Kleesabai Sanpakit,⁷ Chun Fu Li,⁸ Anselm Chi-wai Lee,⁹ Hsin Chieh Chua⁵ and Yasuhiro Okamoto¹⁰

127 children
 MSD n=50
 MUD n=22
 mMUD n=32
 mmFAM n=20



ALLOGENEIC TRANSPLANTS FOR APLASTIC ANEMIA

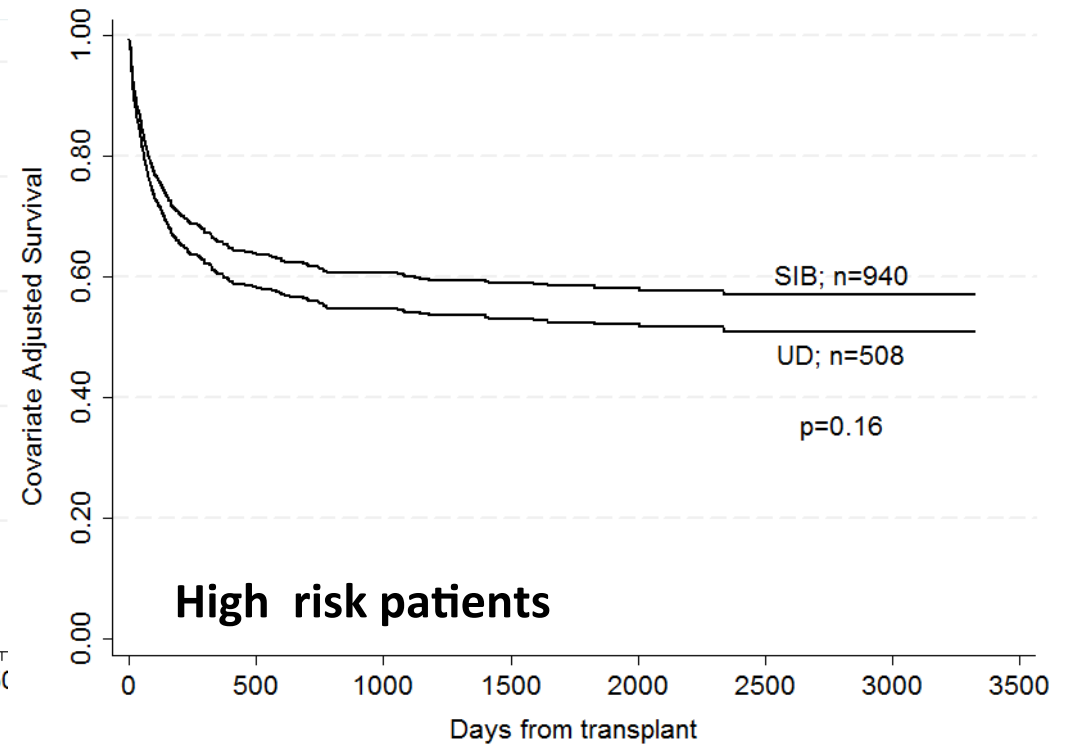
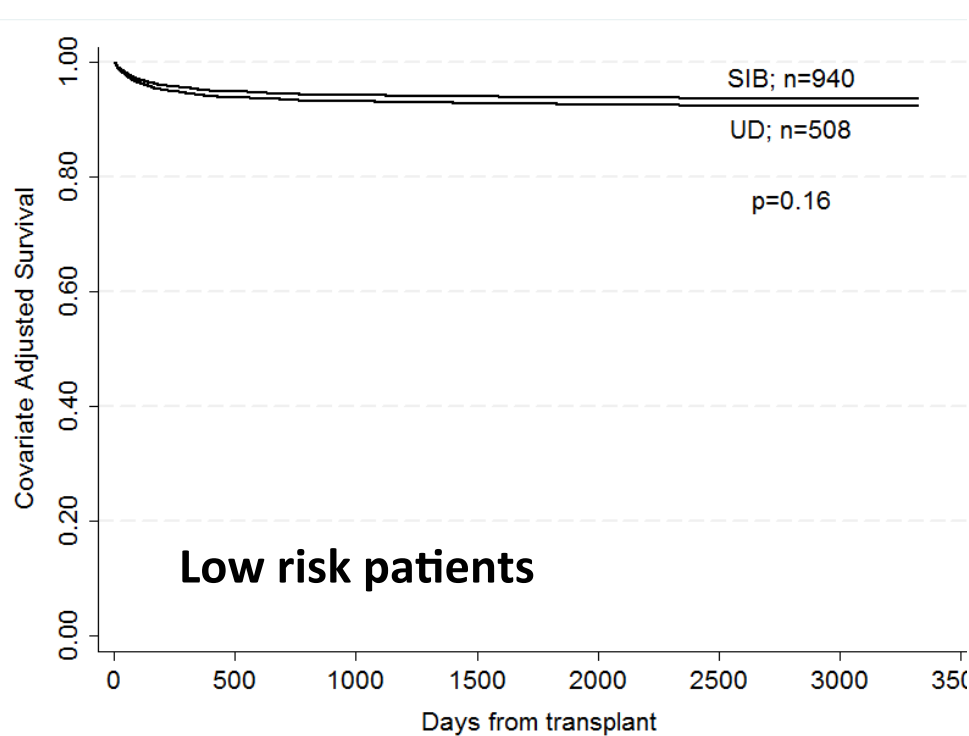
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EBMT analysis 2014:

1448 patients

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



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

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

Fig. 1a Acute II-IV GvHD

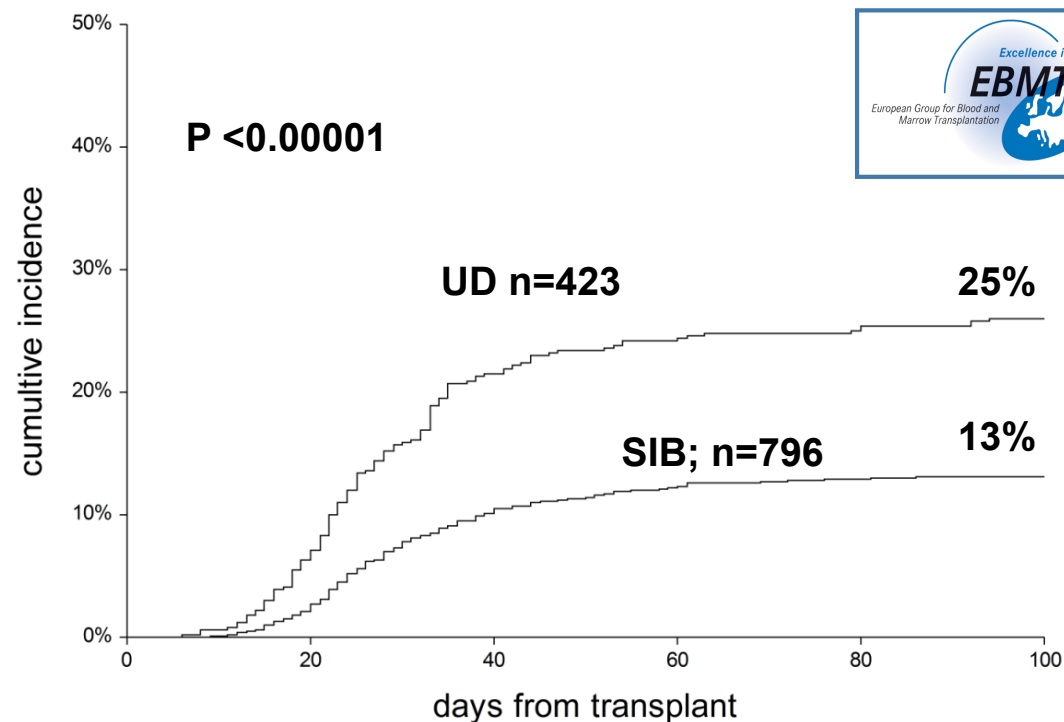
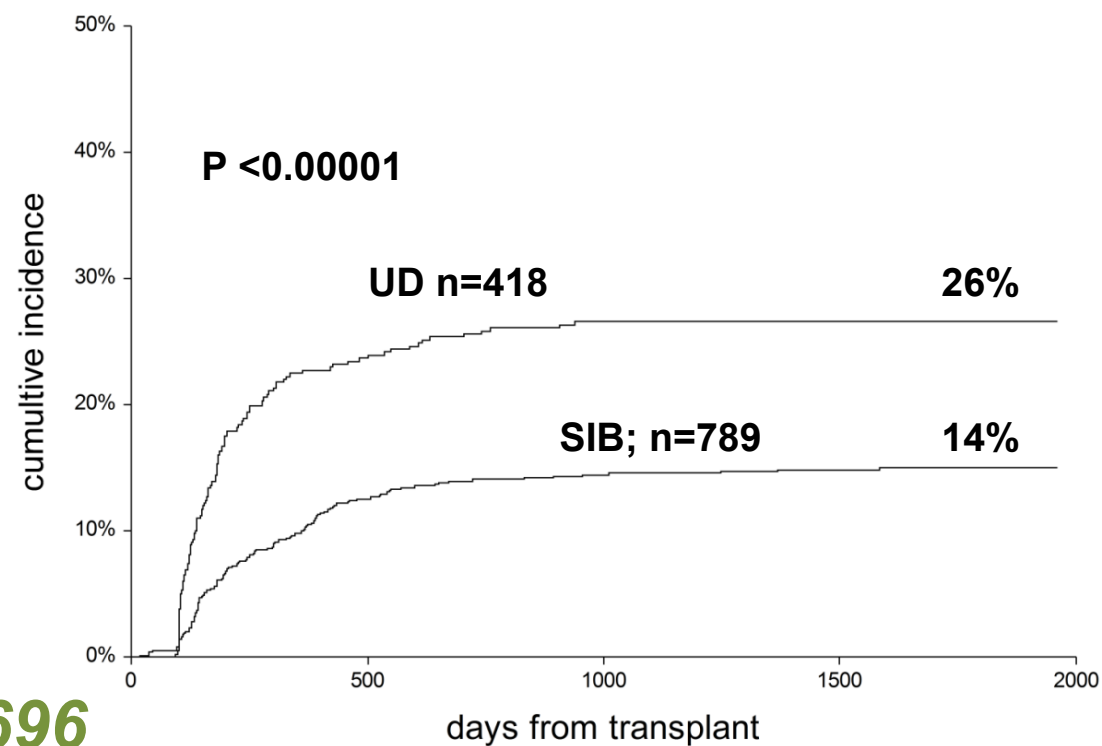


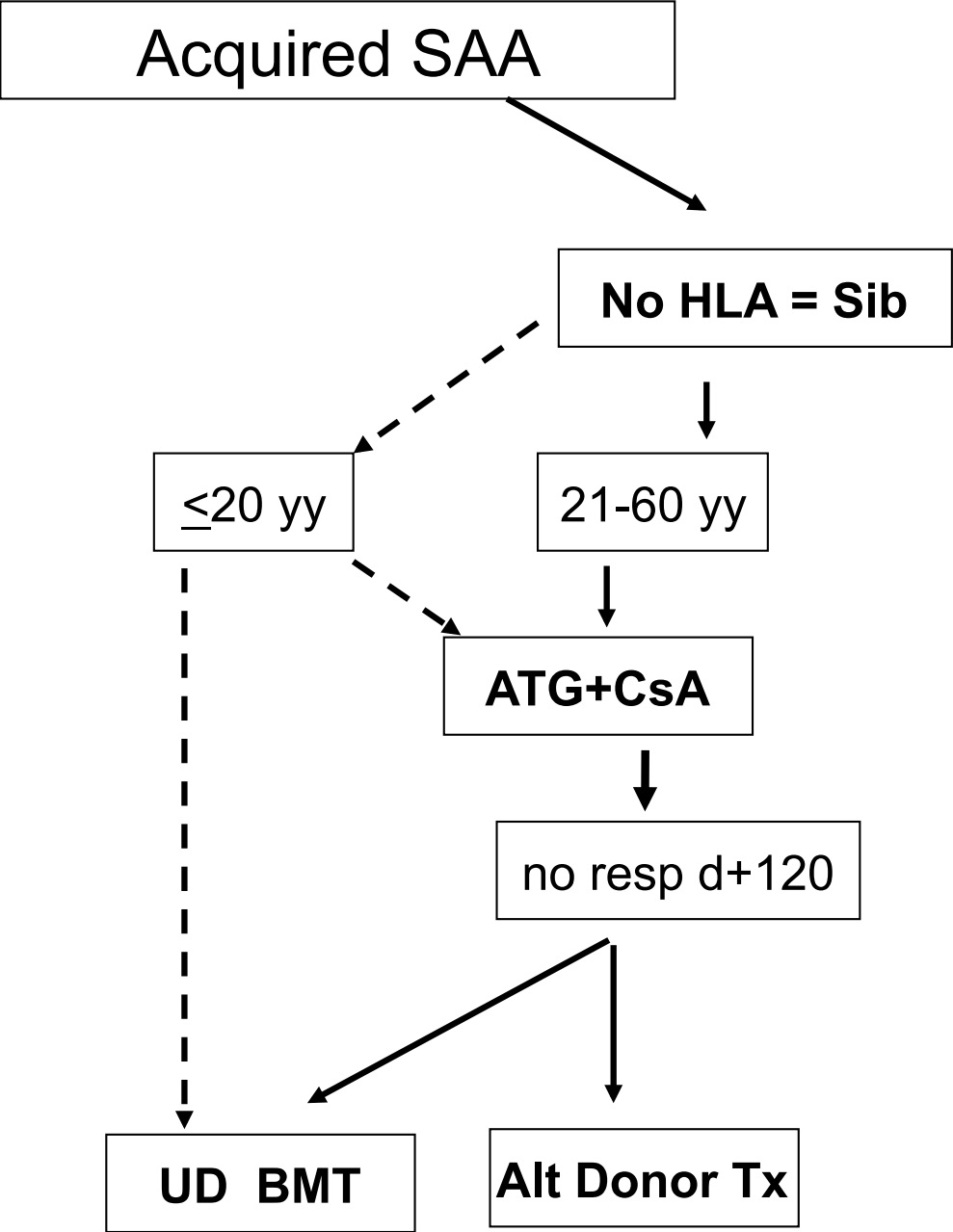
Fig. 1b Chronic GvHD



Outcome of UD and SIB transplants

For SAA

**Currently almost superimposable
GvHD still more frequent in UD TX**



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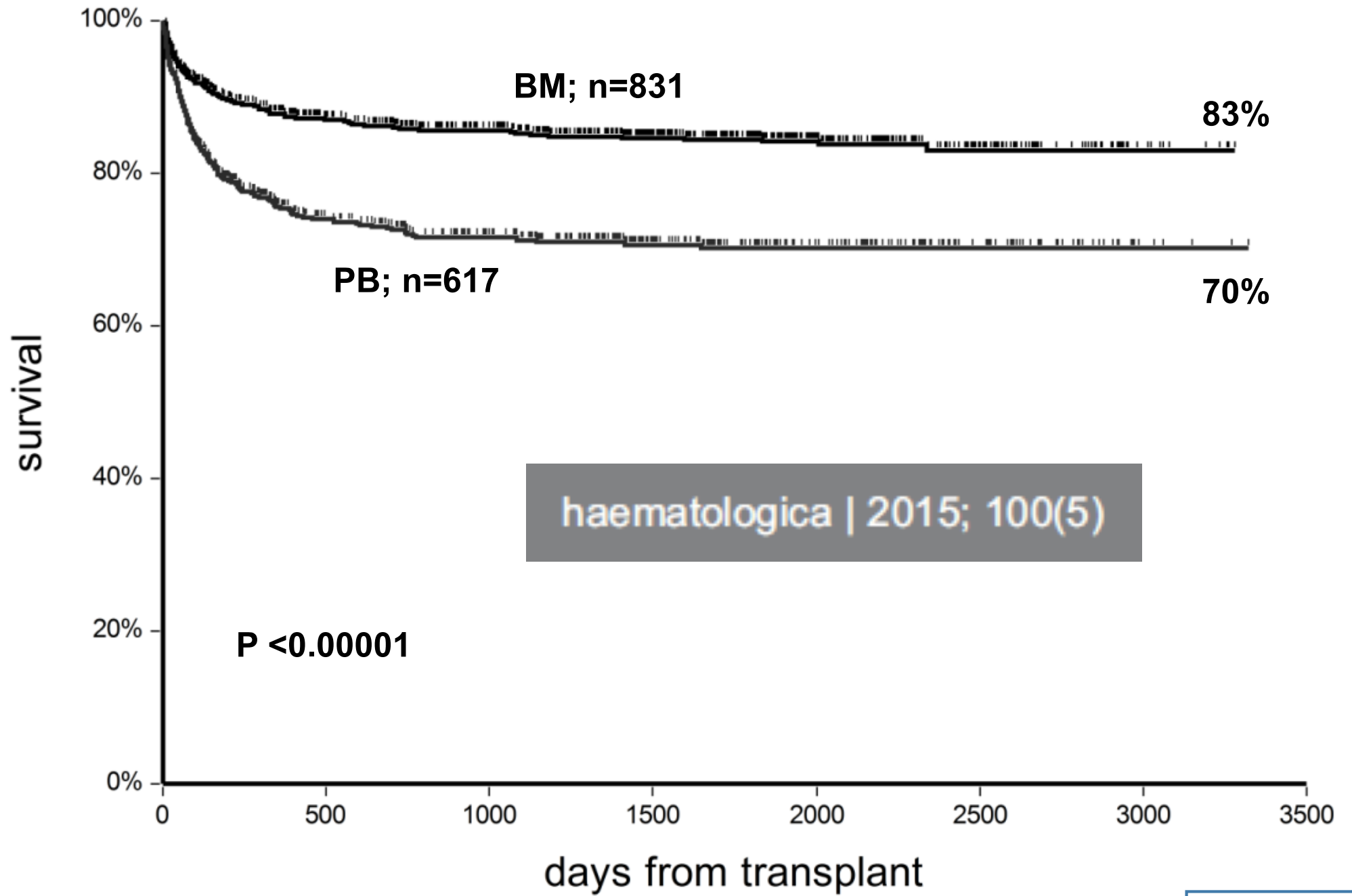
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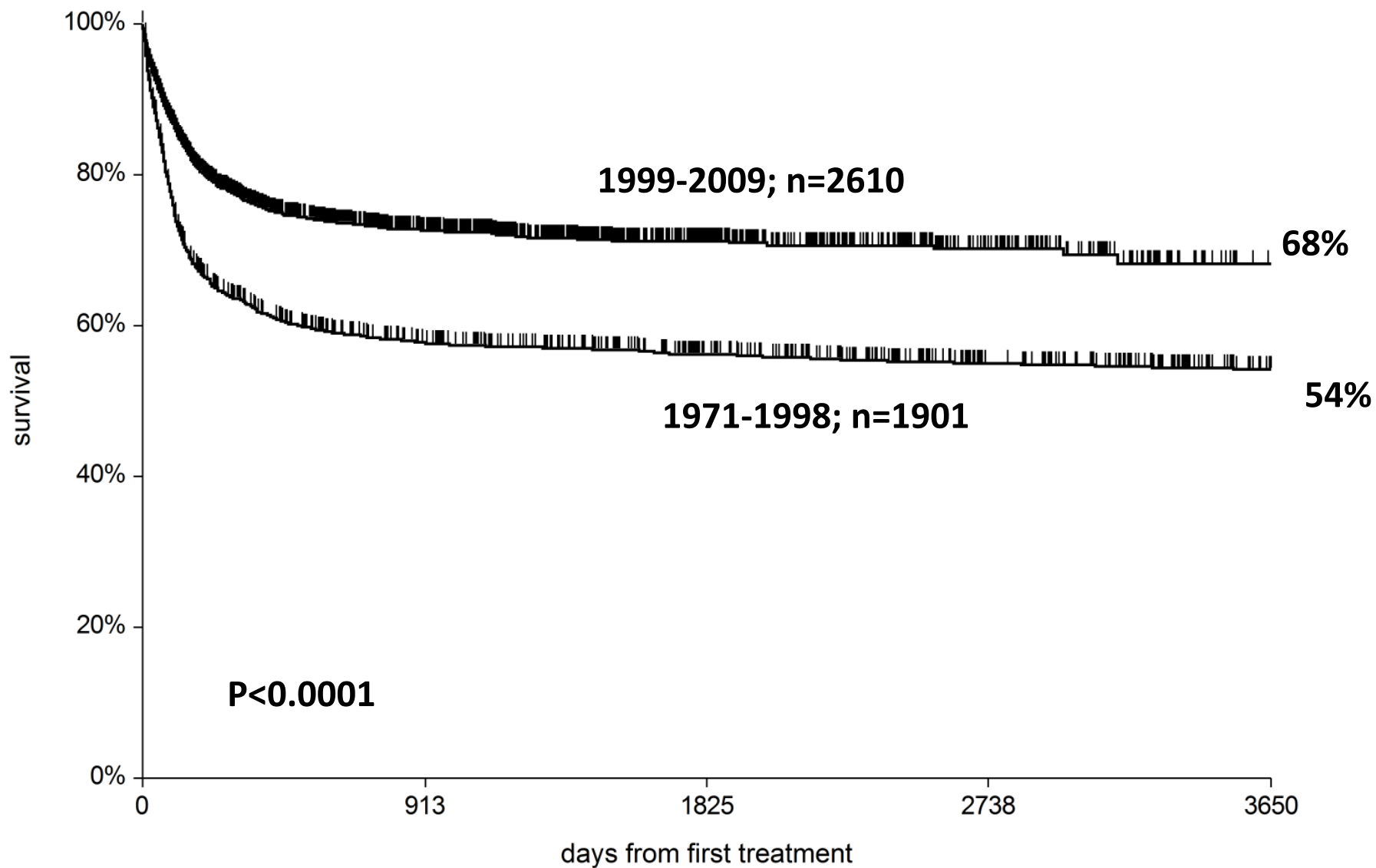
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have results improved overall?

BONE MARROW TRANSPLANTATION



CONCLUSIONS

40 years is still an age cut-off

there is a need for improvement in patients over 40: test prospectively 2 conditioning regimens

UD and SIB BMT now «almost» superimposable

BM remains the standard SC source

significant overall improvement of survival for BMT in SAA

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