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**L'approccio Teranostico al carcinoma della prostata
con ^{68}Ga e ^{177}Lu -Antigene prostata-specifico
della membrana (PSMA)**

Radiation dosimetry and first therapy results with a $^{124}\text{I}/^{131}\text{I}$ -labeled small molecule (MIP-1095) targeting PSMA for prostate cancer therapy

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Synthesis, Radiolabelling and *In Vitro* Characterization of the Gallium-68-, Yttrium-90- and Lutetium-177-Labelled PSMA Ligand, CHX-A"-DTPA-DUPA-Pep

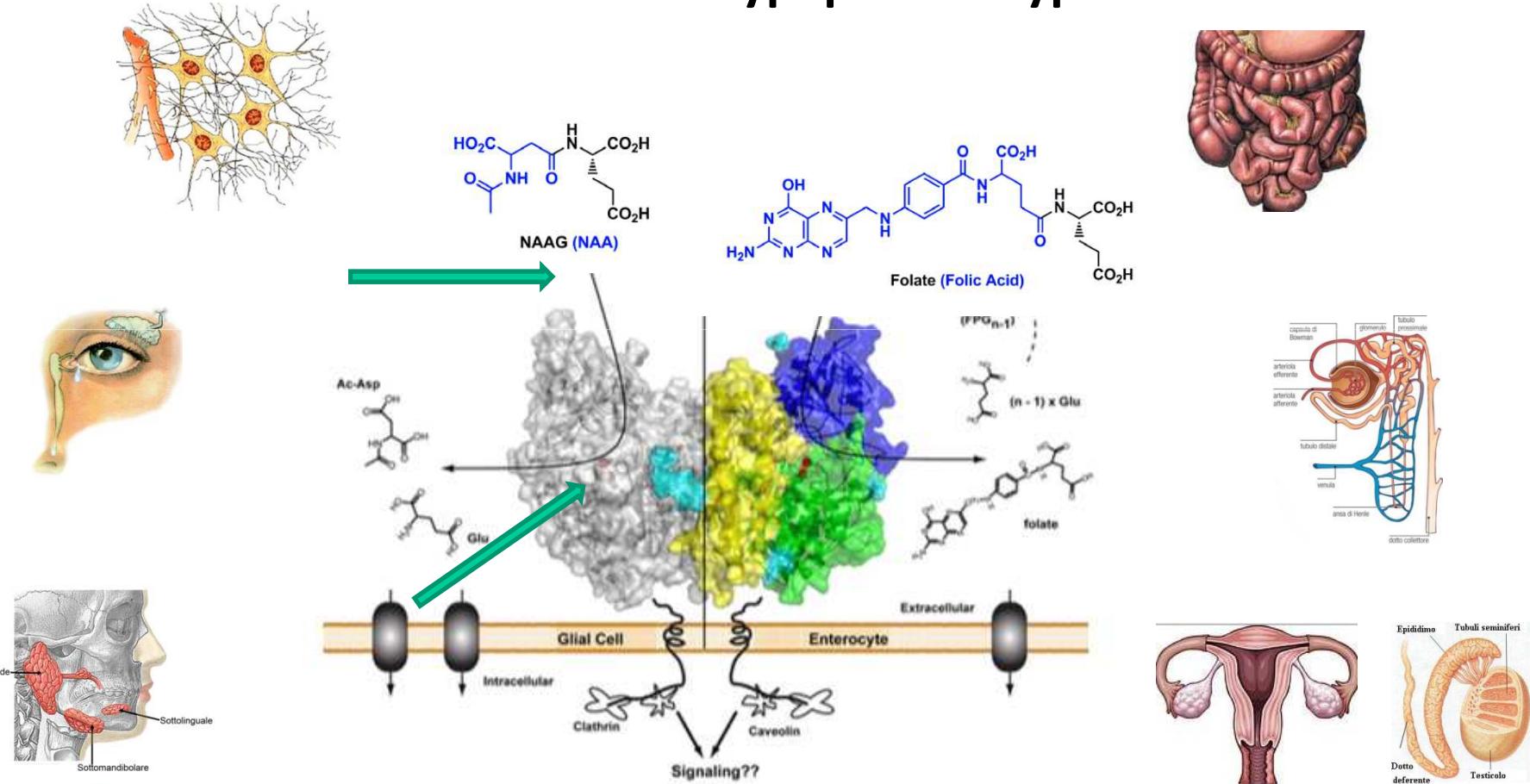
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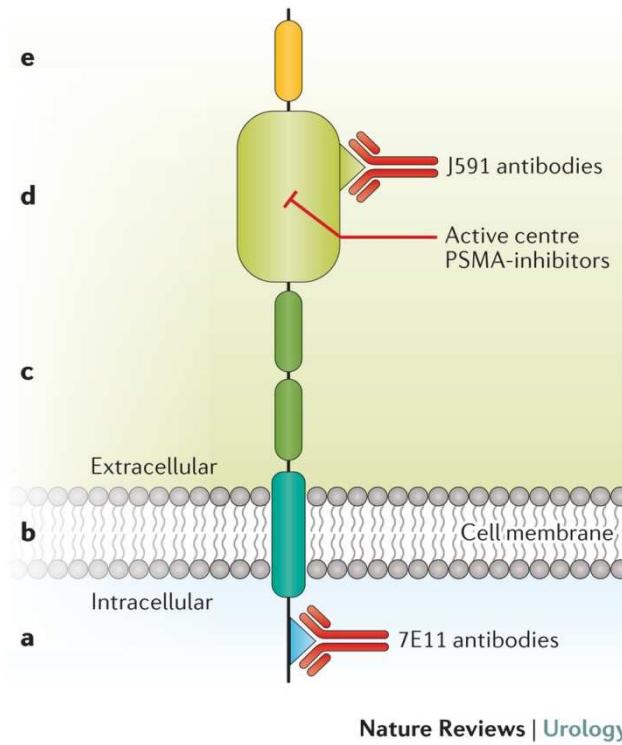


Transmembrane enzyme

Glutamate carboxypeptidase type II



PSMA: Prostate Specific Membrane Antigen



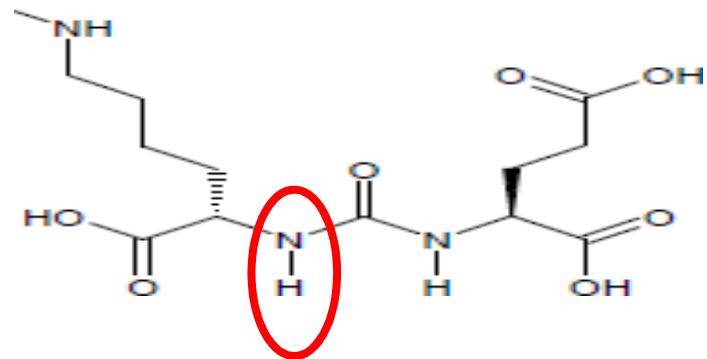
Enzima overespresso in quasi tutti i tumori prostatici,
E' una **glicoproteina** che rappresenta un target ottimale per un
anticorpo monoclonale (*Prostascint e J591*)

CARBOSSIPEPTIDASI II (GCPII)

GCPII è una glicoproteina di membrana con attività **zinco-proteasi** che catalizza la reazione di idrolisi del glutammato dal NAAG (N-acetil-aspartil-glutammato)

Lisina- urea- glutammato

Inibitore a base ureidica di GCPII



PSMA and ADT

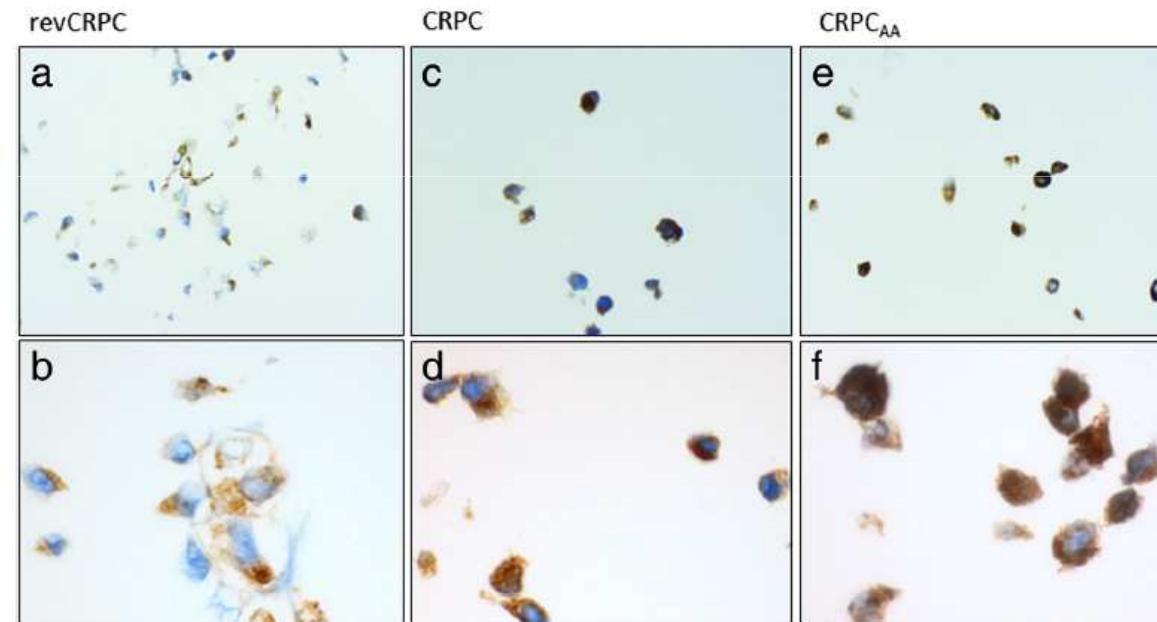
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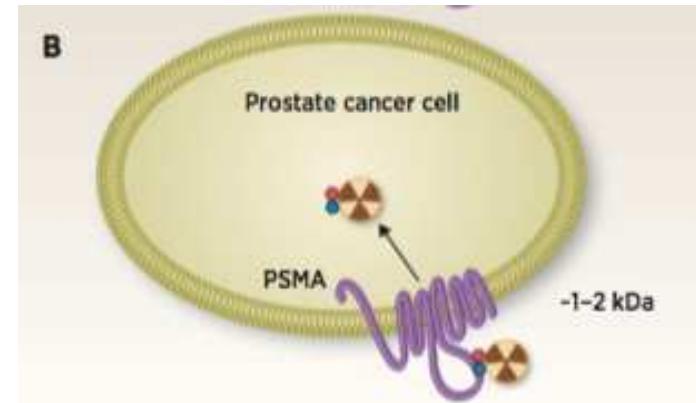
Alterations in androgen deprivation enhanced prostate-specific membrane antigen (PSMA) expression in prostate cancer cells as a target for diagnostics and therapy



Immunohistological staining of PSMA in the three investigated cell lines subtypes. Cytoplasmic PSMA (brown signal) in revCRPC (a $\times 20$, b $\times 60$) and CRPC (c $\times 20$, d $\times 60$) and CRPC_AA (e $\times 20$, f $\times 60$)

PSMA and PCa

- PSMA increased expression in:
 - High Gleason Score
 - CRPC ($\text{revCRPC} < \text{CRPC} < \text{CRPC}_{\text{AA}}$)
 - On Testosterone withdrawal
- PSMA overexpressed on CRPC cells membrane:
 - Highly specific target
- PSMA internalisation upon binding with inhibitors:
 - Suitable for PRRT



Limits of Choline PET

Metabolic PET probes ^{11}C - or ^{18}F -Choline fail to detect sites of recurrence in PCa patients with low serum PSA levels ($<1.0\text{ng/dl}$).

In this scenario its use is discouraged by the EAU GL 2015

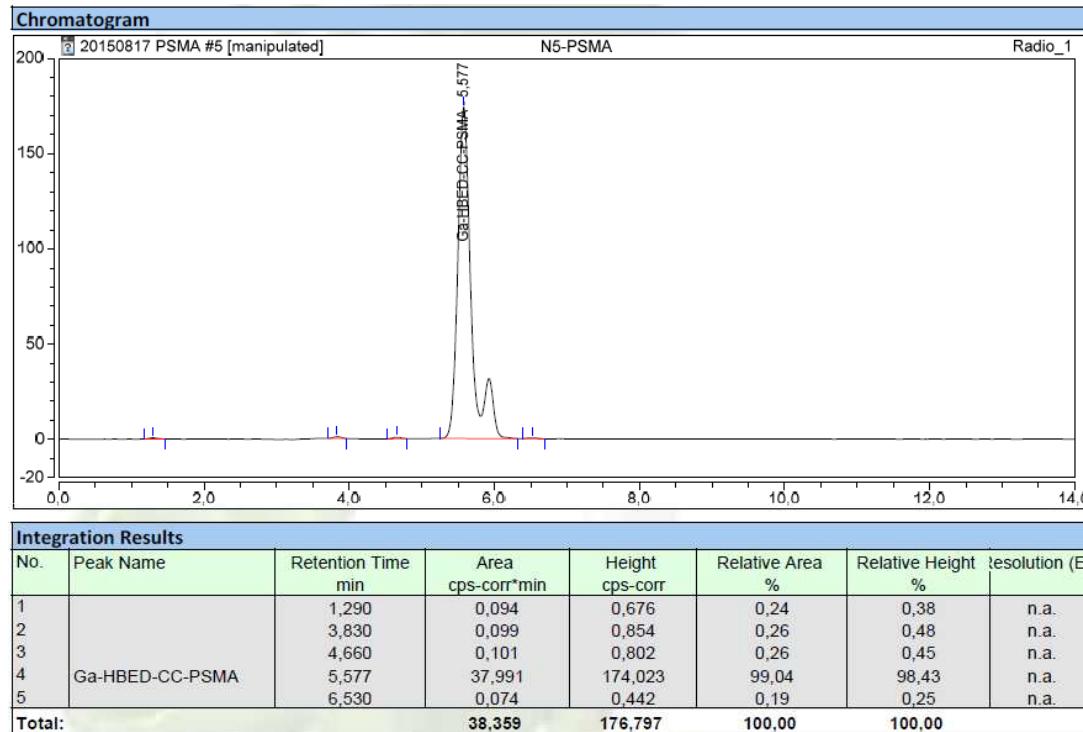
Guidelines on Prostate Cancer

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6.10.4.6 Guidelines for imaging and second-line therapy after treatment with curative intent

Biochemical recurrence (BCR) after RP	LE	GR
In the case of BCR, bone scan and abdominopelvic CT should be performed only in patients with a PSA level $> 10\text{ ng/mL}$, or with high PSA kinetics (PSA-DT $< 6\text{ mo}$ or a PSA velocity $> 0.5\text{ ng/mL/mo}$) or in patients with symptoms of bone disease.	3	A
A Choline PET/CT is not recommended in patients with BCR and a PSA-level $< 1\text{ ng/mL}$	3	A
Biochemical recurrence after RT		
In patients with BCR who are candidates for local salvage therapy, prostate mpMRI may be used to localise abnormal areas and guide biopsy.	3	C

68Ga-HBED-CC-PSMA-11



12 minuti totali

Purezza radiochimica media: 98%

Resa: 79% ndc

Stabilità: 2 ore

68Ga-HBED-CC-PSMA

DOSSIER DEL MEDICINALE Sperimentale

**INVIATO AIFA LUGLIO
APPROVATO SETTEMBRE**



^{68}Ga -PSMA^{HBED}: Biodistribuzione



Attività: 2– 3 MBq/kg (min. 120 MBq)

Sedi di fisiologica captazione/accumulo :

Ghiandole Salivari

Reni / Vescica

Digiuno

Milza - Fegato

Escrezione Urinaria

Dose Effettiva (150MBq): 3 mSv

[Eur J Nucl Med Mol Imaging](#), 2015 Nov 12. [Epub ahead of print]

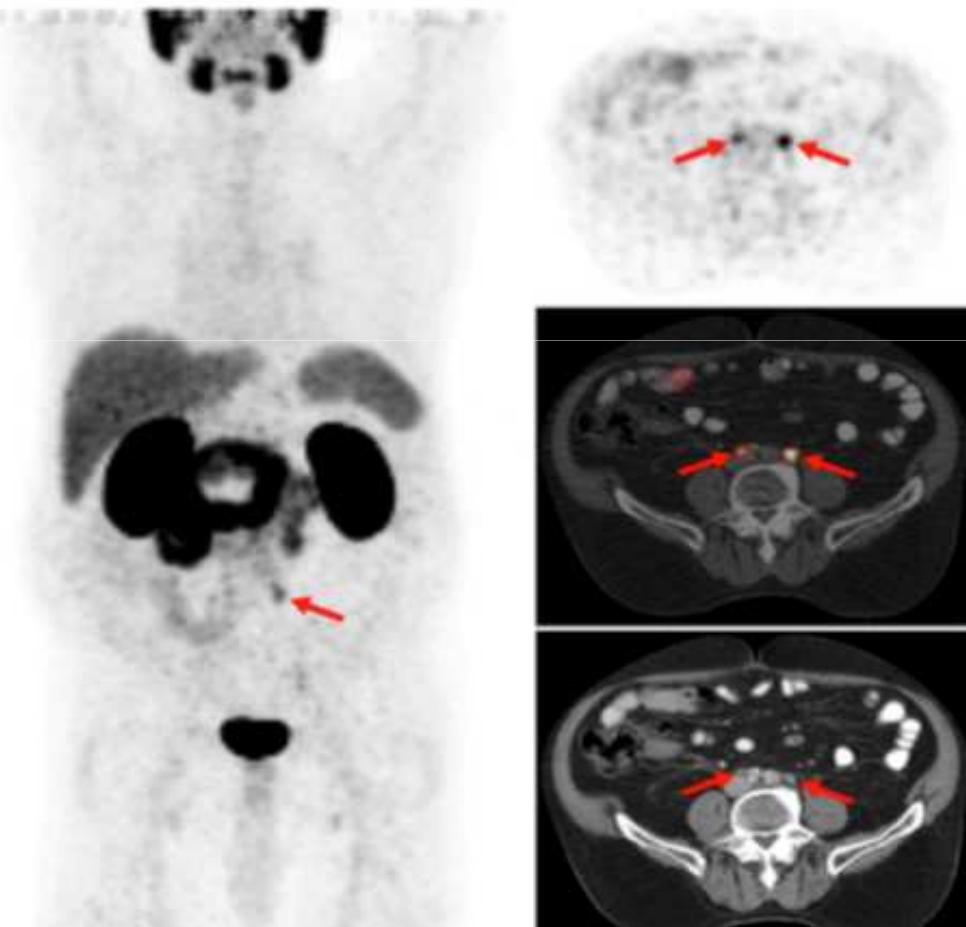
Extent of disease in recurrent prostate cancer determined by [68Ga]PSMA-HBED-CC PET/CT in relation to PSA levels, PSA doubling time and Gleason score.

[Verburg FA^{1,2}](#), [Pfister D³](#), [Heidenreich A³](#), [Vogg A⁴](#), [Drude NI⁴](#), [Vöö S⁵](#), [Mottaghy FM^{4,5}](#), [Behrendt FF⁴](#).

Post-radical prostatectomy
PSA: **0.18 ng/ml**

PET/CT revealed at least two common iliac nodal metastases subsequently subjected to radiotherapy

Post-RT PSA: **0.03 ng/ml**



^{68}Ga -PSMA HBED-PET/CT in the evaluation of the biochemical relapse in patients with a history of prostate cancer radically treated

Protocol Code: IRST185.02

Patients must have histologically or cytologically confirmed prostate cancer;

Radical treatment for prostate cancer (radiotherapy-brachitherapy or surgery);

Patients with PSA progression defined as $\text{PSA} > 1.0 \text{ ng/mL}$ and/or PSA rising defined as 2 subsequent values shot least 1 week apart;

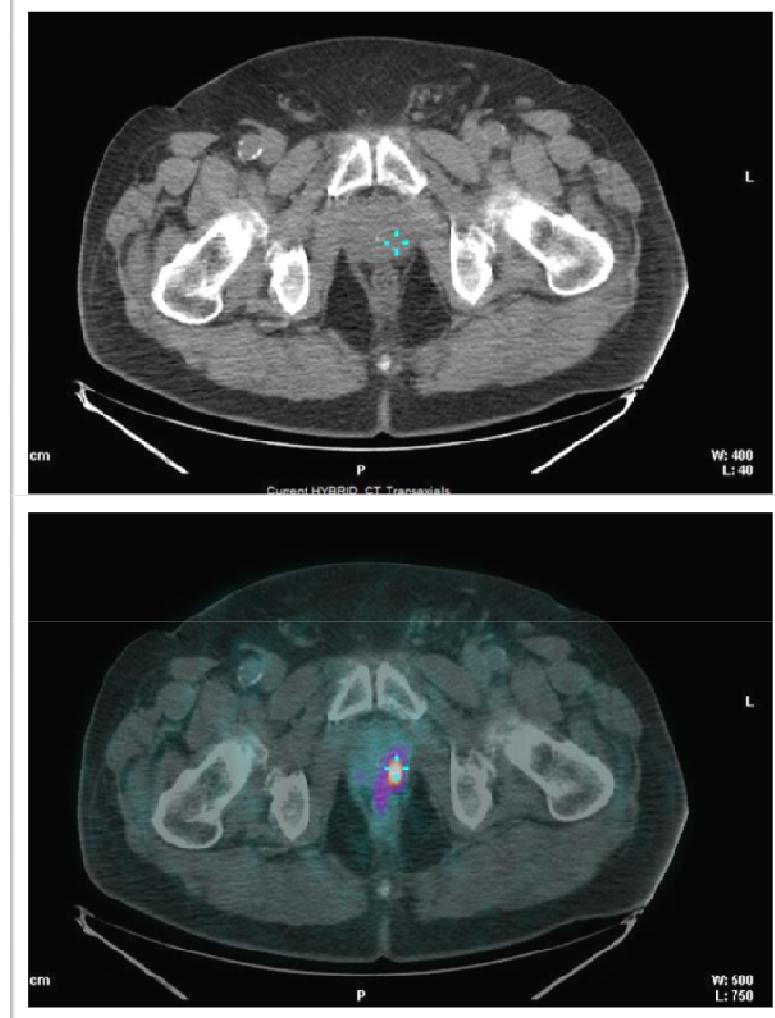
PSA > 0.2 ng/ml

18F-Choline PET/CT negative or doubtful.



¹⁸FMC dicembre 2015

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⁶⁸Ga-PSMA gennaio 2016

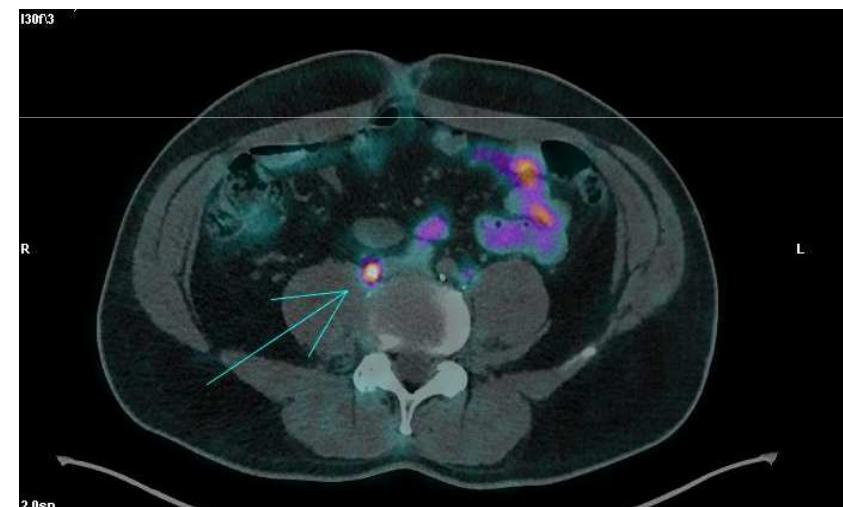
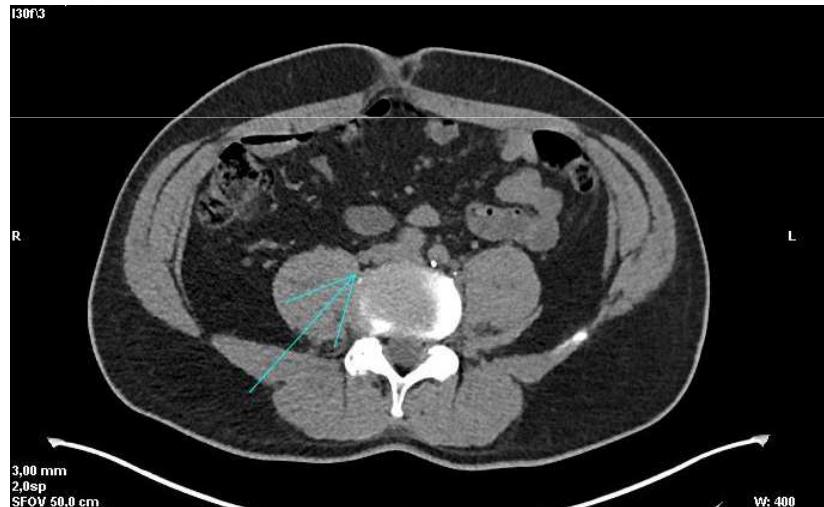


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V.D. 60 anni, PSA 66.9 ng/ml all'esordio,

07/2015 prostatectomia, Gleason (4+5), 17/27 ln pos, pT3b pN1
Dopo chirurgia PSA 0.022 ng/ml 08/2015

Recidiva biochimica PSA 0.231 ng/ml 03/2016

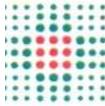


High detection rate of ^{68}Ga -PSMA PET/CT in relapsed prostate cancer patients with low PSA levels and/or negative choline PET/CT: a prospective study

METHODS: 109 patients with biochemical recurrence of PCa and PSA levels $<1\text{ ng/ml}$ (group A, n=41) or $>1\text{ ng/ml}$ (group B, n=68) were enrolled in this prospective study.

Table 2: Sensitivity, specificity and diagnostic accuracy, NPV in and PPV of patients studies both groups (A and B)

	Group A (%)	Group B (%)
Sensitivity	60.00	91.80
Specificity	87.50	42.86
Accuracy	70.73	86.76
NPV	58.33	37.50
PPV	88.24	93.30



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INVITED REVIEW

^{68}Ga -PSMA PET/CT for the detection of bone metastases in prostate cancer: a systematic review of the published literature

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For primary staging, ^{68}Ga -PSMA PET/CT outperformed bone scans, while the superiority of ^{68}Ga -PSMA PET/CT compared with bone scans with respect to biochemical recurrence and metastatic castration-resistant prostate cancer (mCRPC) remains to be demonstrated.

Comparison of hybrid ⁶⁸Ga-PSMA-PET/CT and ^{99m}Tc-DPD-SPECT/CT for the detection of bone metastases in prostate cancer patients: Additional value of morphologic information from low dose CT.

Janssen JC¹, Meißner S², Woythal N³, Prasad V³, Brenner W³, Diederichs G², Hamm B², Makowski MR².

	Accuracy	Sensitivity	Specificity
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⁸ Ga-PSMA-PET/CT	1.00	97.7%	100%
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^{99m} Tc DPD SPECT/CT	0.83	69.4%	98.3%
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Ga-PSMA-PET outperforms ^{99m}Tc-DPD-SPECT in skeletal staging in prostate cancer patients

Cancer of the prostate: ESMO Clinical Practice Guidelines for diagnosis, treatment and follow-up[†]

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Treatment of relapse after radical therapy

- Following RP, patients should have their serum PSA level monitored. Salvage RT to the prostate bed is recommended in the event of PSA failure.
- Salvage RT should start early (e.g. PSA <0.5 ng/ml) [III, B].
- Early ADT is not routinely recommended for men with biochemical relapse unless they have symptomatic local disease, or proven metastases, or a PSA doubling time <3 months [IV, B].
- Intermittent ADT is recommended for men with biochemical relapse after radical RT starting ADT [I, B].

Management of advanced/metastatic disease

- Continuous ADT is recommended as first-line treatment of metastatic, hormone-naïve disease [I, A].
- Men starting ADT should be informed that regular exercise reduces fatigue and improves quality of life [30] [I, A].
- ADT plus docetaxel is recommended as first-line treatment of metastatic, hormone-naïve disease in men fit enough for chemotherapy [I, A]. Treatment of castrate-resistant prostate cancer (CRPC)
 - Abiraterone or enzalutamide are recommended for asymptomatic/mildly symptomatic men with chemotherapy-naïve metastatic CRPC [I, A].
 - Radium-223 is recommended for men with bone-predominant, symptomatic metastatic CRPC without visceral metastases [I, A].
 - Docetaxel is recommended for men with metastatic CRPC [I, A].
 - Sipuleucel-T is an option in asymptomatic/mildly symptomatic patients with chemotherapy-naïve metastatic CRPC [II, B].
 - In patients with metastatic CRPC in the post-docetaxel setting, abiraterone, enzalutamide, cabazitamide and radium-223 (in those without visceral disease) are recommended options [I, A].

ADT may cause hot flushes, lethargy, mood changes, osteoporosis, insulin resistance and muscle weakness.

recommendation

- Men on long-term ADT should be monitored for side-effects including osteoporosis (using bone densitometry) and metabolic syndrome [IV, B].

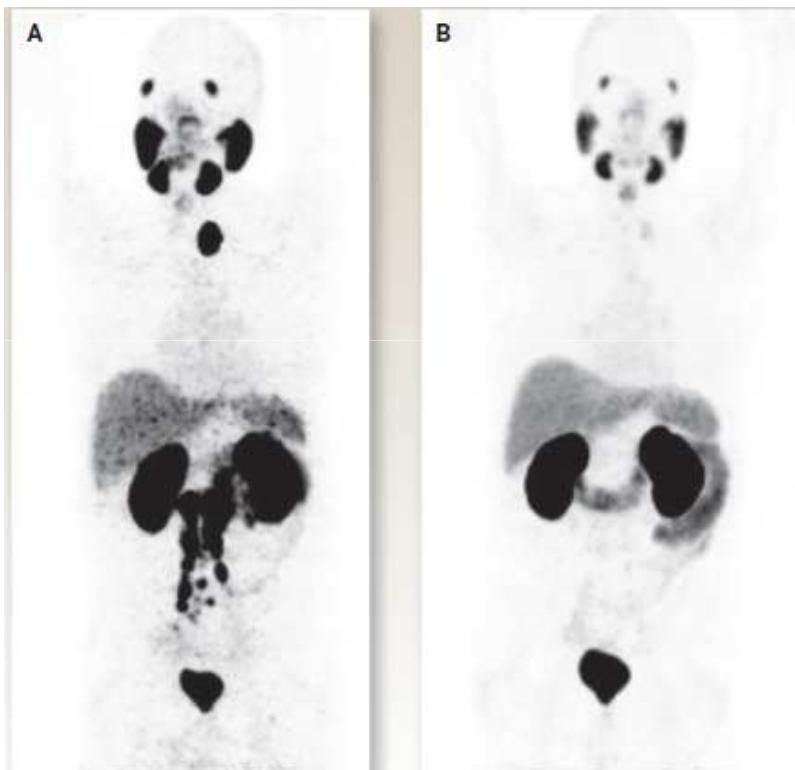
Table 3. Stage-matched therapeutic strategies

Locally advanced disease	Low risk	Intermediate risk	High risk	Locally advanced disease	Metastatic disease	Hormone-naïve:	Castration-resistant (first line)	Second line (post-docetaxel)
	Active surveillance Brachytherapy Radical prostatectomy	Radical radiotherapy	Radical prostatectomy Radical radiotherapy ± neoadjuvant ADT Neoadjuvant ADT + radical radiotherapy + adjuvant ADT Radical prostatectomy + pelvic lymphadenectomy			ADT	Abiraterone Docetaxel Enzalutamide Radium-223 Sipuleucel-T	Abiraterone Cabazitaxel Enzalutamide Radium-223
		Active surveillance Brachytherapy	Radical radiotherapy					
			Neoadjuvant ADT + radical radiotherapy + adjuvant ADT Radical prostatectomy + pelvic lymphadenectomy					



Lutetium-177 PSMA Radioligand Therapy of Metastatic Castration-Resistant Prostate Cancer: Safety and Efficacy.

Richard P. Baum, Harshad R. Kulkarni, Christiane Schuchardt, Aviral Singh, Martina Wirtz, Stefan Wiessalla, Margret Schottelius, Dirk Mueller, Ingo Klette, Hans-Jürgen Wester. JNM, published on January 21, 2016 as doi:10.2967/jnumed.115.168443



45/56 pz (80.3%) demonstrated reduction in PSA levels

Results in 25 patients with at least 2 cycles and 6 months FU

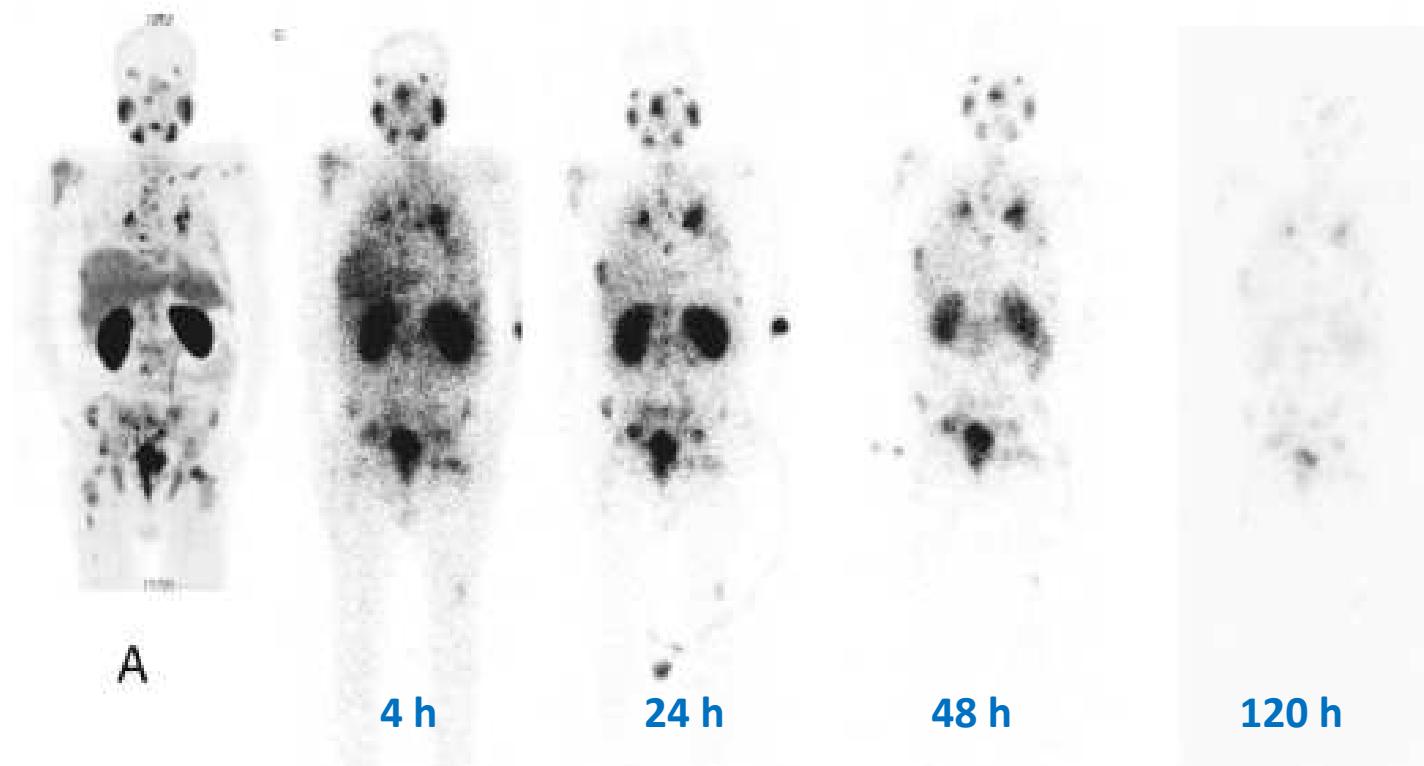
Recist response: PR in 5, SD in 13, and PD in 7 patients. (DCR 72%)
The median PFS was 13.7 months, and the median OS was nr (28 months FU)

all symptomatic patients reported significant improvement in pain and quality of life

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Pre-therapeutic dosimetry of normal organs and tissues of ^{177}Lu -PSMA-617 prostate-specific membrane antigen (PSMA) inhibitor in patients with castration-resistant prostate cancer

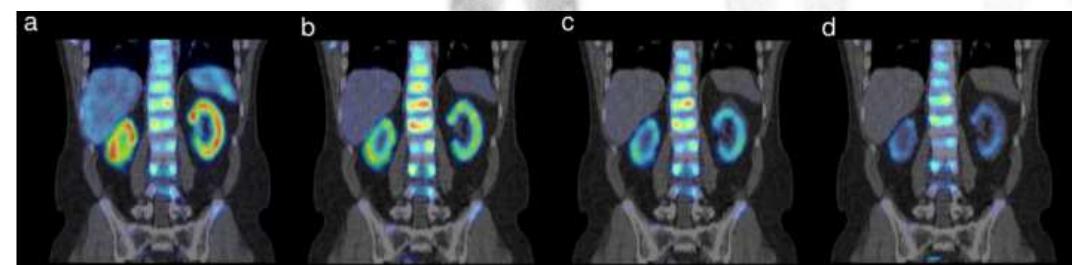
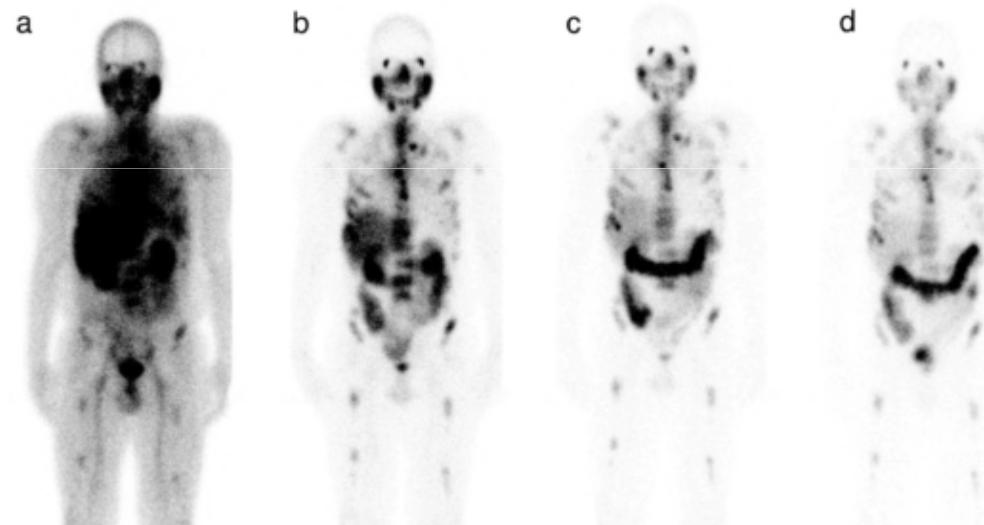
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Dosimetry for ^{177}Lu -DKFZ-PSMA-617: a new radiopharmaceutical for the treatment of metastatic prostate cancer

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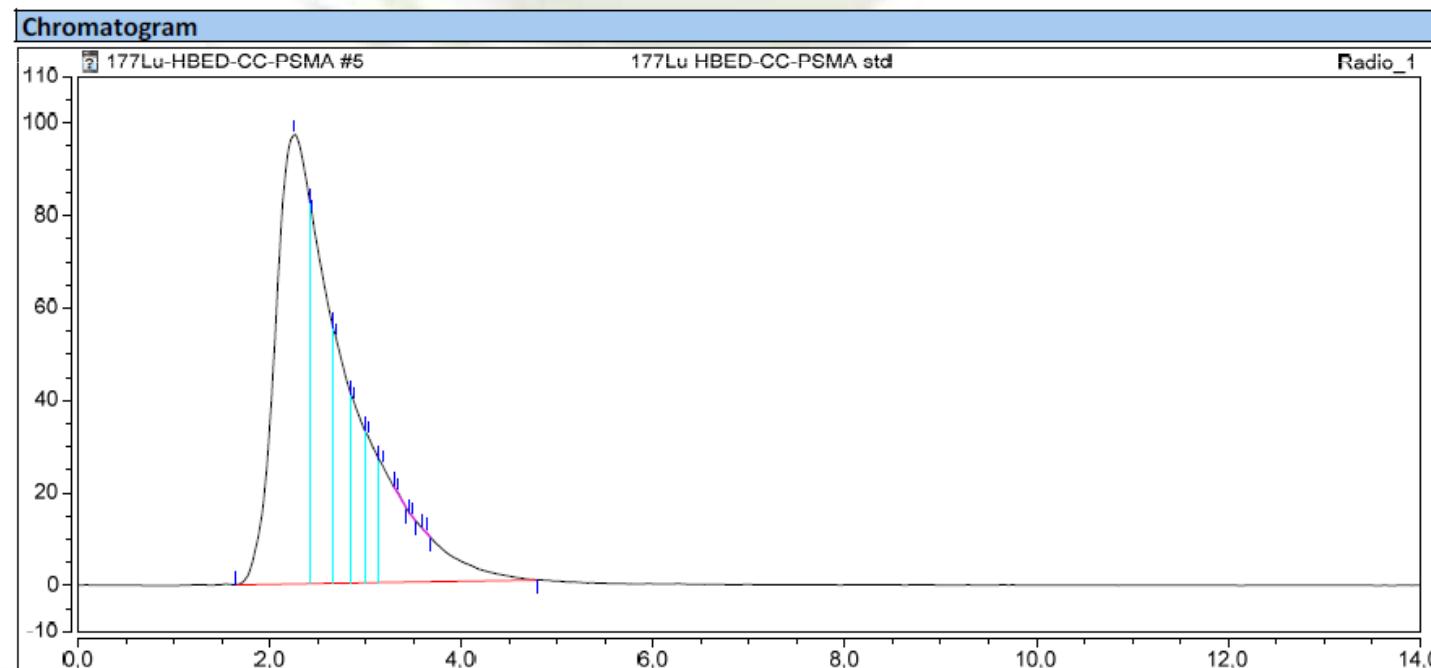


^{177}Lu -PSMA-11

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Nome del radiofarmaco ^{177}Lu -HBED-CC-PSMA

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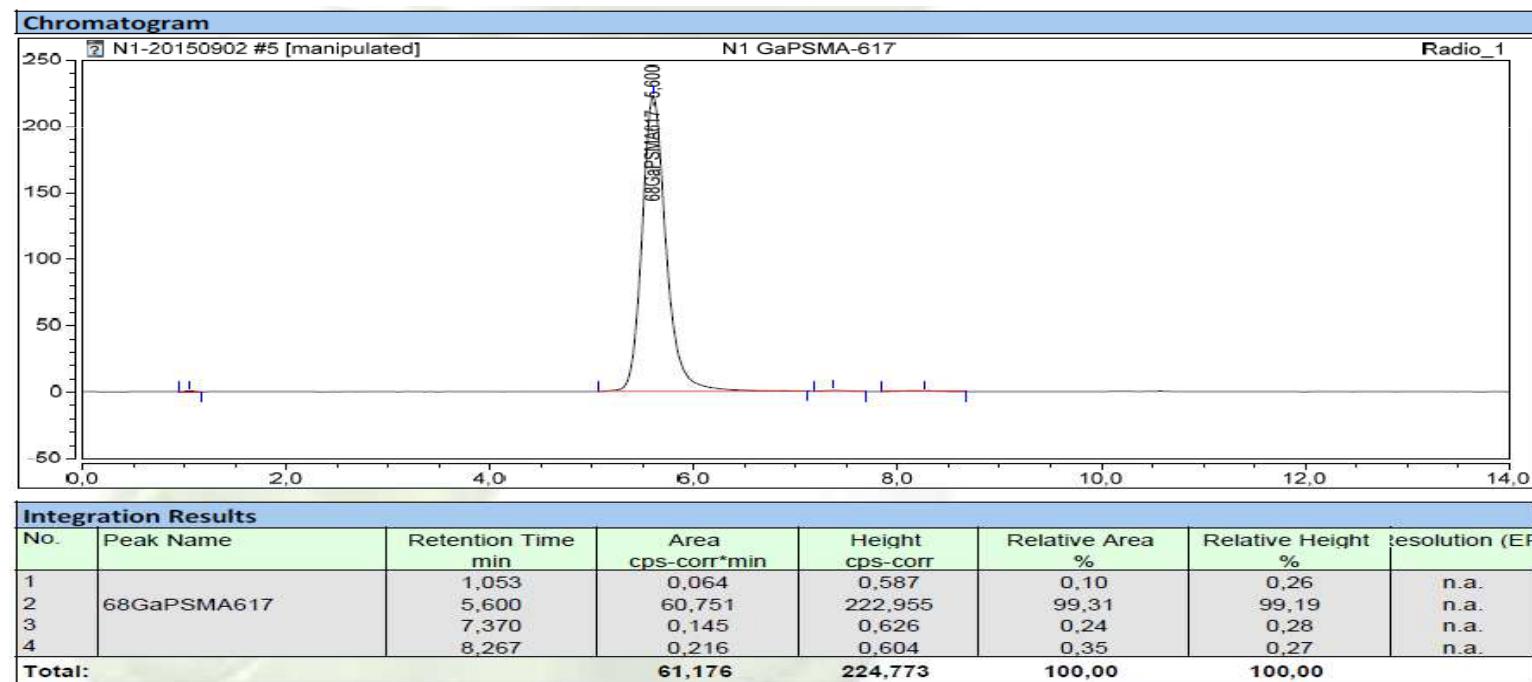
^{68}Ga -PSMA-617

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Nome del radiofarmaco

^{68}Ga - DOTAPSM_A (DKFZ-617)

Tempo di sintesi 16 min, purezza radiochimica 99%, resa 70% ndc;
stabilità 2 ore





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Protocol Code: IRST185.03

Identifier Code: L2P1367

Date and Version: 09/01/2017 - Version 1.0

Radiometabolic Therapy (RMT) with $^{177}\text{Lu PSMA} 617$ in advanced castration resistant prostate cancer (CRPC): efficacy and toxicity evaluation

EU trial Number: 2016-002732-32

Protocol Code: IRST185.03

IRST -Identifier Code: L2P1367

Phase	Phase II
Study Design	Single-center, prospective, non controlled, open label, phase II trial

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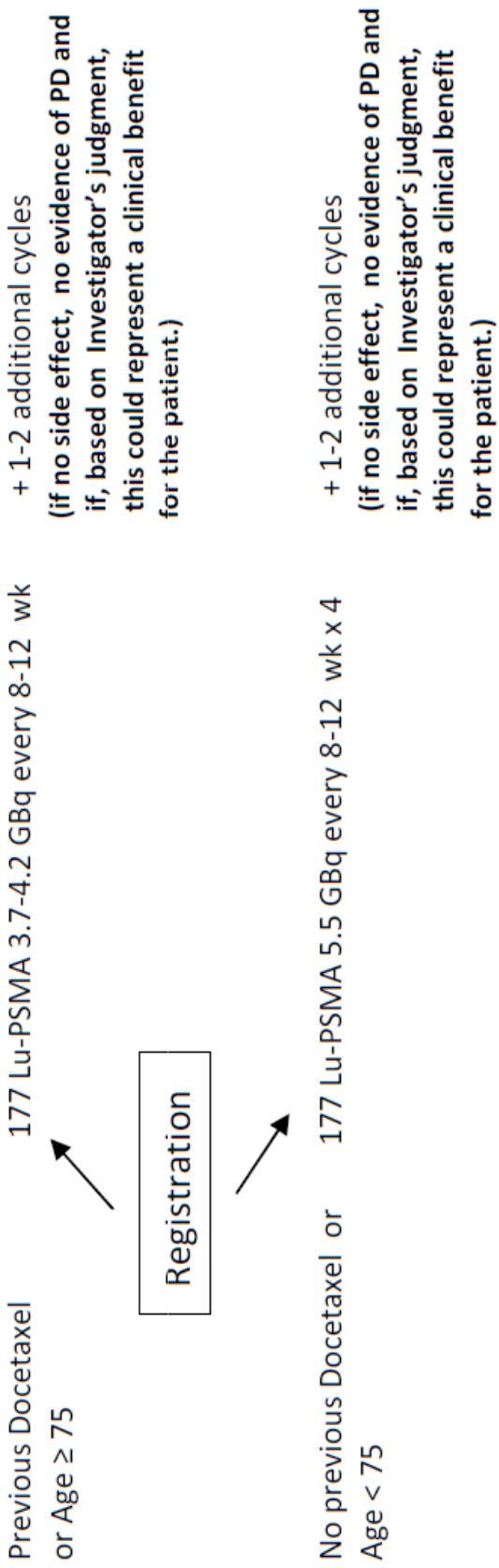
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<p>Timelines</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Estimated duration for the main protocol: - enrollment period: 24 months - treatment duration: up to 10 months - Follow-up: 12 months after end of treatment. 	<p>The main objective of this phase II study is to evaluate the Disease Control Rate (DCR) and the safety as co-primary objective.</p> <p>The secondary objectives are: late toxicity, PFS, OS, biochemical response and dosimetry.</p>	<p>Number of Subjects 210</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Patients must have histologically or cytologically confirmed prostate cancer 2. Male, aged \geq 18 years. 3. Metastatic castration resistant prostate cancer 4. 68Ga-PSMA PET/CT positive in known site of disease, documented by CT or MRI or bone scan or 18Coline-PET 5. Patients in progression from previous treatment (according to PCWG3) <p>Diagnosis and Main Inclusion Criteria</p>
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STUDY SCHEMA

Characteristics

Treatment



Trattamenti fatti in IRST con 177Lu-PSMA 617 dal 24/5/2017

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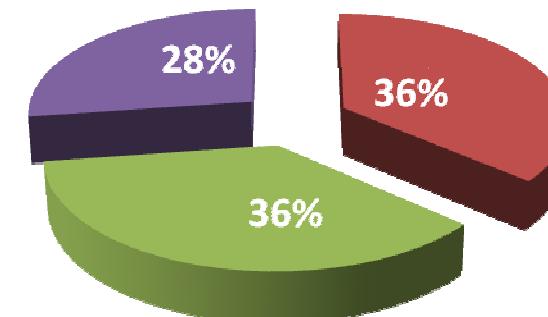
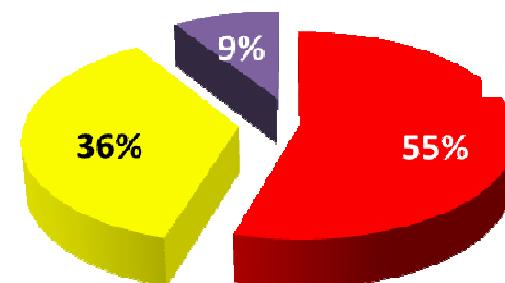
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5 pz 5.5GBq

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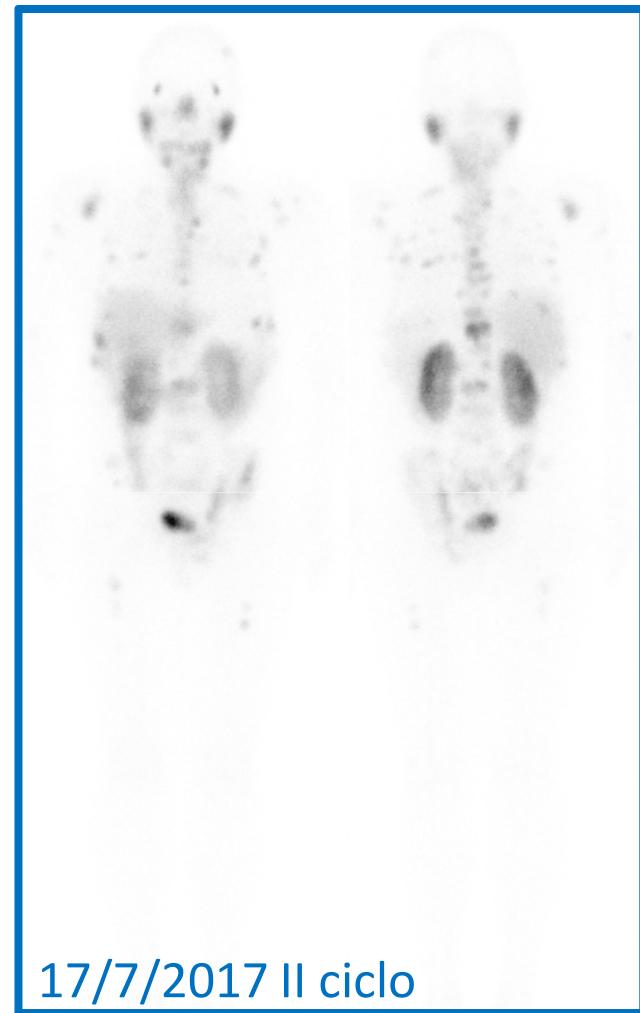
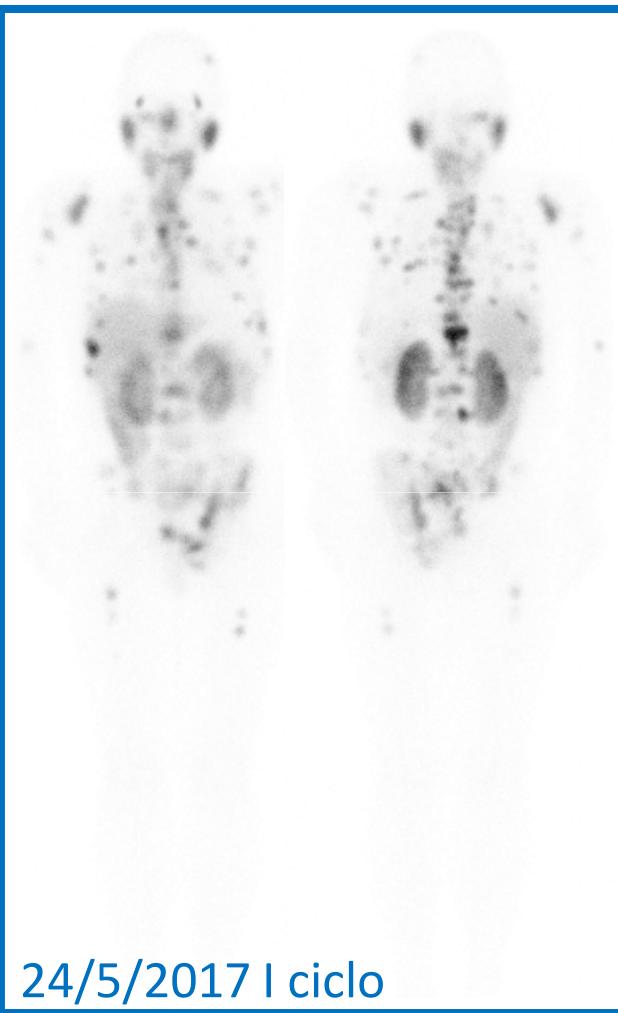
Radioligand therapy of metastatic prostate cancer using ^{177}Lu -PSMA-617 after radiation exposure to ^{223}Ra -dichloride

Hojjat Ahmadzadehfar^{1,*}, Stefanie Zimbelmann^{1,*}, Anna Yordanova¹, Rolf Fimmers², Stefan Kürpig¹, Elisabeth Eppard¹, Florian C. Gaertner¹, Xiao Wei¹, Stefan Hauser³ and Markus Essler¹

The aim of this study was to evaluate the safety of repeated cycles of ^{177}Lu -PSMA-617 after exposure to more cycles of ^{223}Ra . Forty-nine patients were treated with three cycles of Lu-PSMA-617 divided into two groups subjected to a history of therapy with ^{223}Ra . Group 1 included 20 patients, who had received therapy with ^{223}Ra prior to Lu-PSMA-617 therapy. Group 2, which was the control group regarding hematotoxicity, comprised 29 patients without any history of a bone-targeted radionuclide therapy. These results confirmed that performing repeated cycles of Lu-PSMA-617 after ^{223}Ra seems to be safe with a very small probability of hematotoxicity.

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con LU-PSMA 5,5GBq

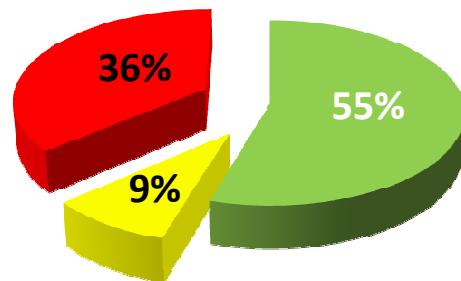
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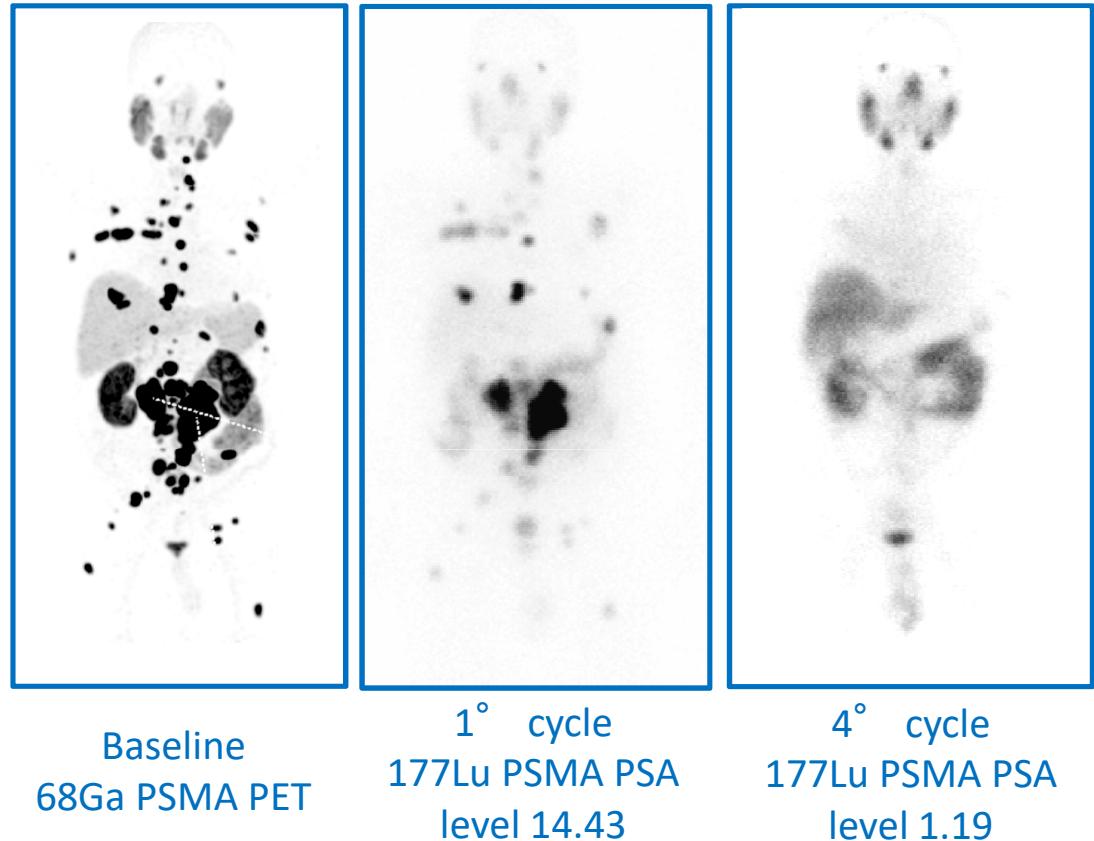
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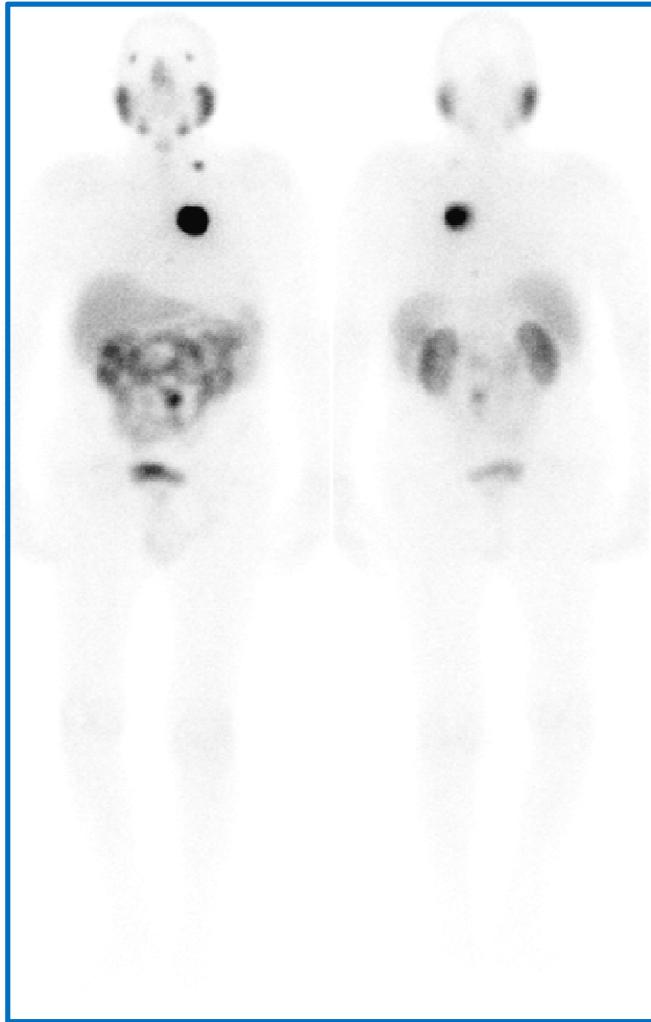
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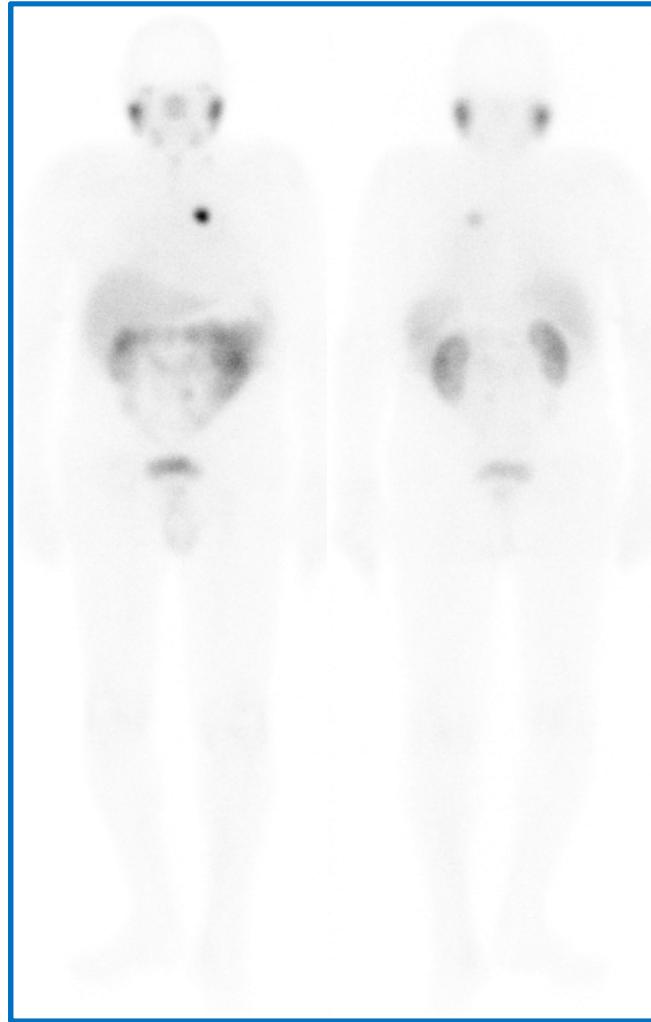


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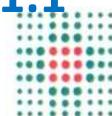




**1° cycle 13/9/17
177Lu PSMA 3.7GBq
PSA level 19.35**



**2° cycle 8/11/17
177Lu PSMA 3.7GBq
PSA level 1.1**





PSMA targeted radioligandtherapy in metastatic castration resistant prostate cancer after chemotherapy, abiraterone and/or enzalutamide. A retrospective analysis of overall survival

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Initial PSA decline $\geq 50\%$, initial LDH, visceral metastases, second line chemotherapy or prior radium-223 did not have an effect on survival, whereas any initial PSA decline initial ALP $< 220 \text{ U/L}$ and cumulative injected activity $\geq 18.8 \text{ GBq}$ were associated with a longer survival.

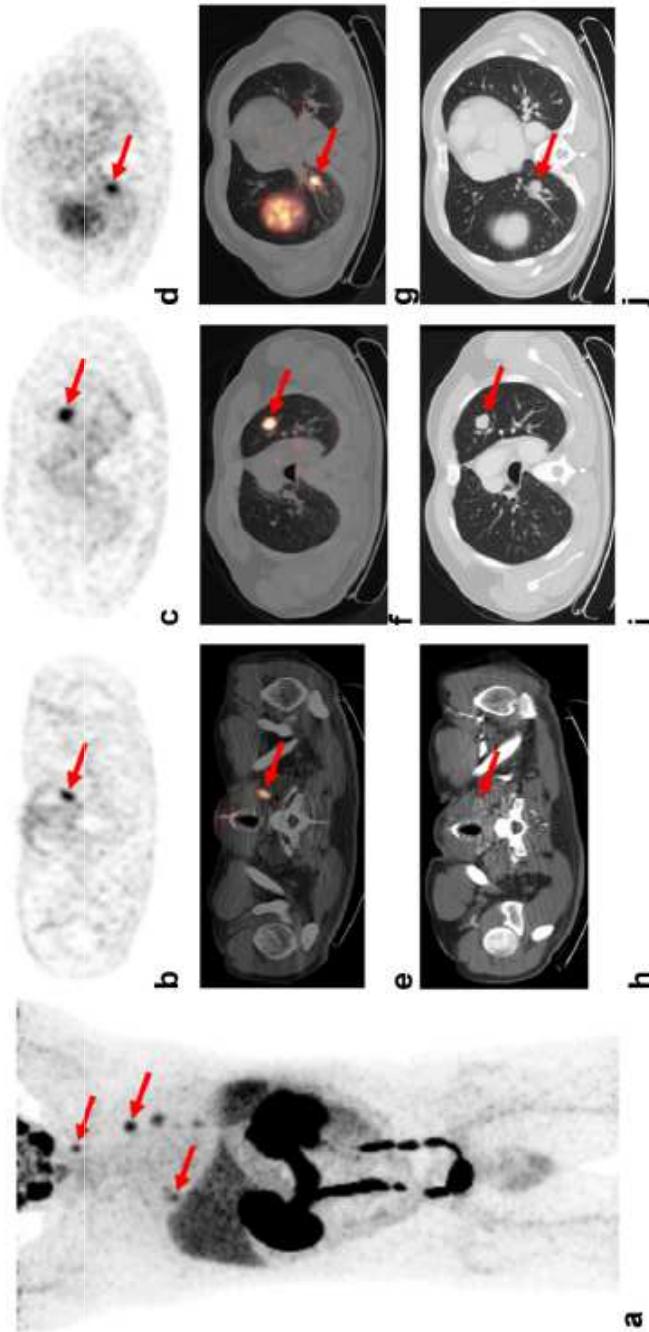


First evidence of PSMA expression in differentiated thyroid cancer using [^{68}Ga]PSMA-HBED-CC PET/CT

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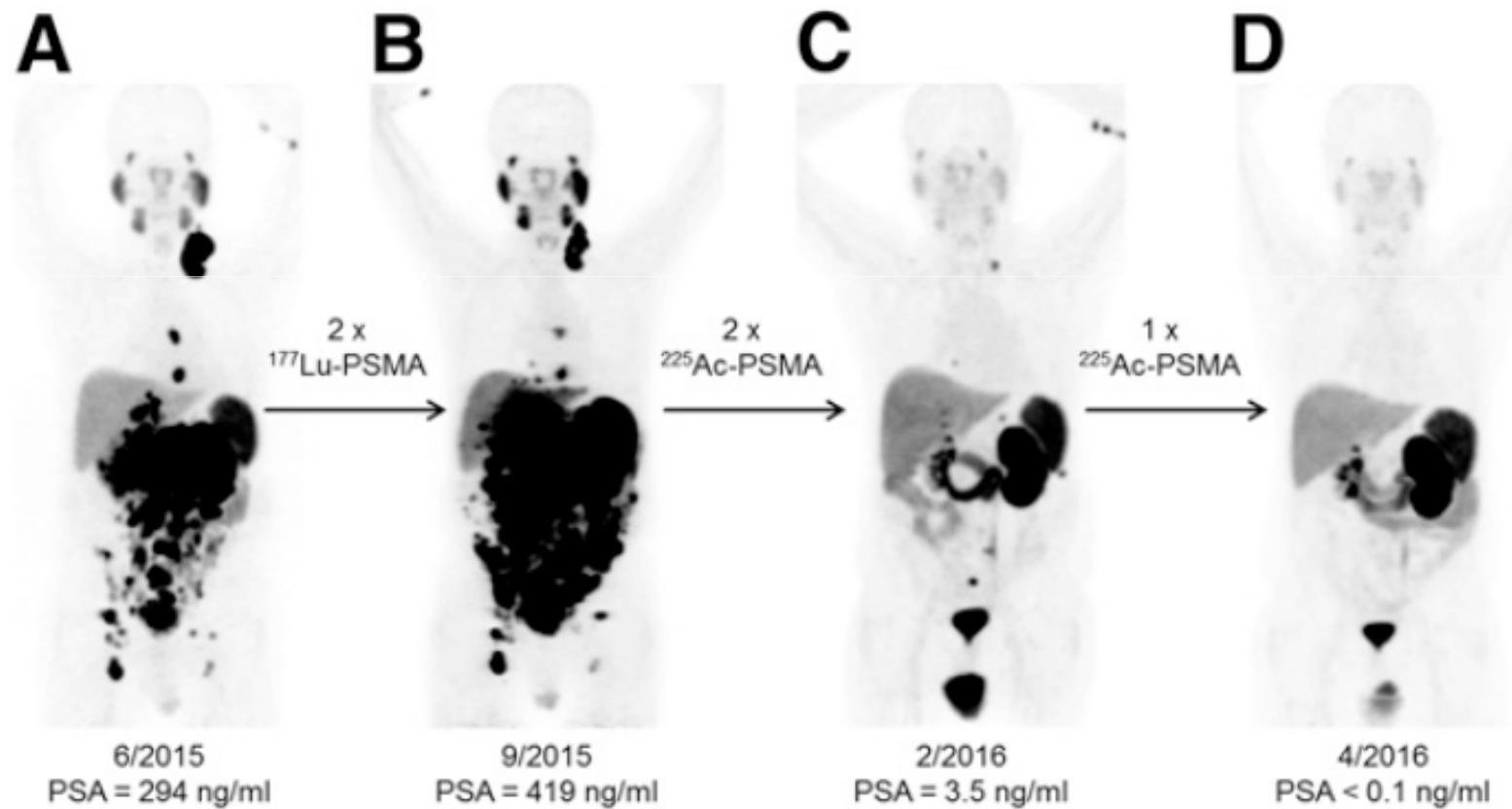
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ers such as renal cell carcinoma [3, 4], colon carcinoma, neuroendocrine tumours, melanoma or breast cancer [3]. However, to our knowledge no study has yet investigated



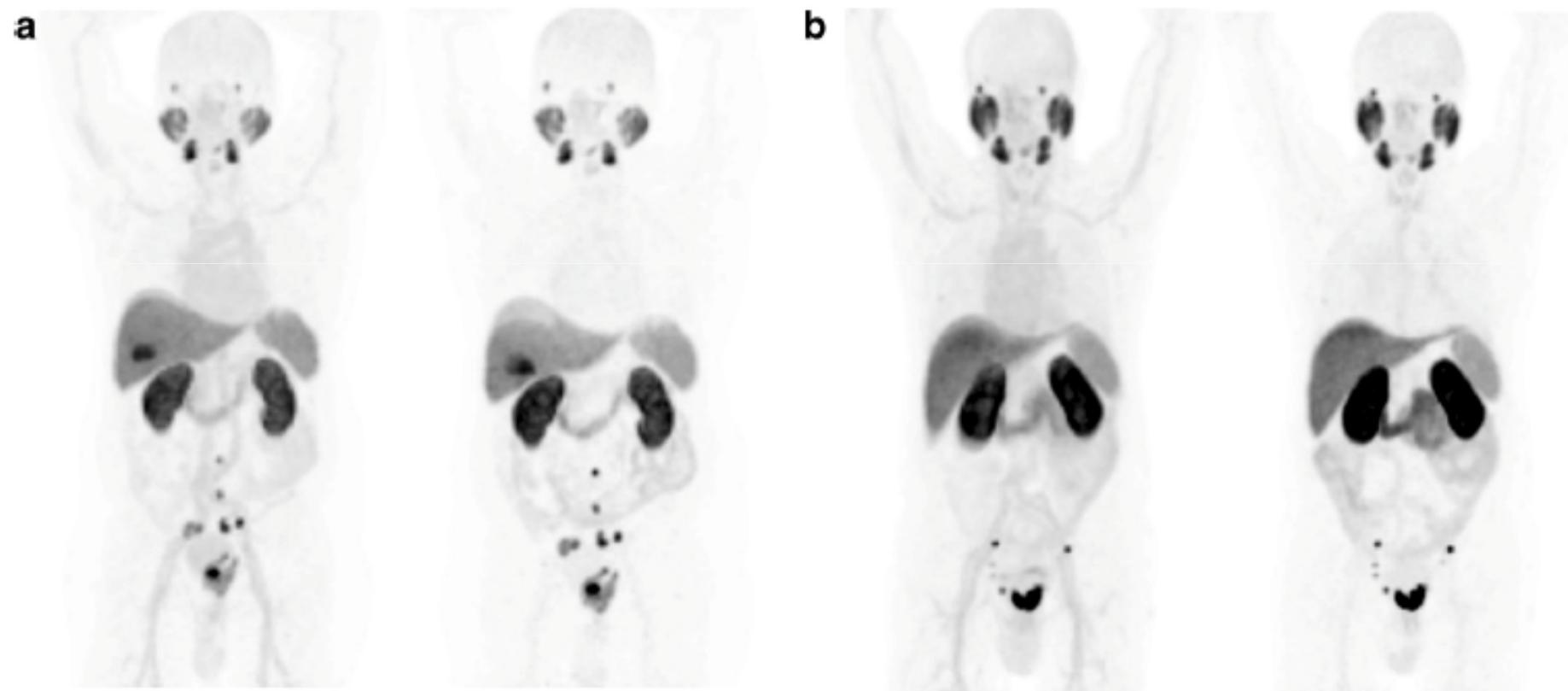
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Thanks for your attention



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PSMA vs choline

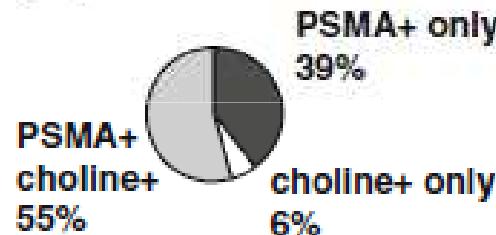
Comparison of ^{68}Ga -labelled PSMA-11 and ^{11}C -choline in the detection of prostate cancer metastases by PET/CT

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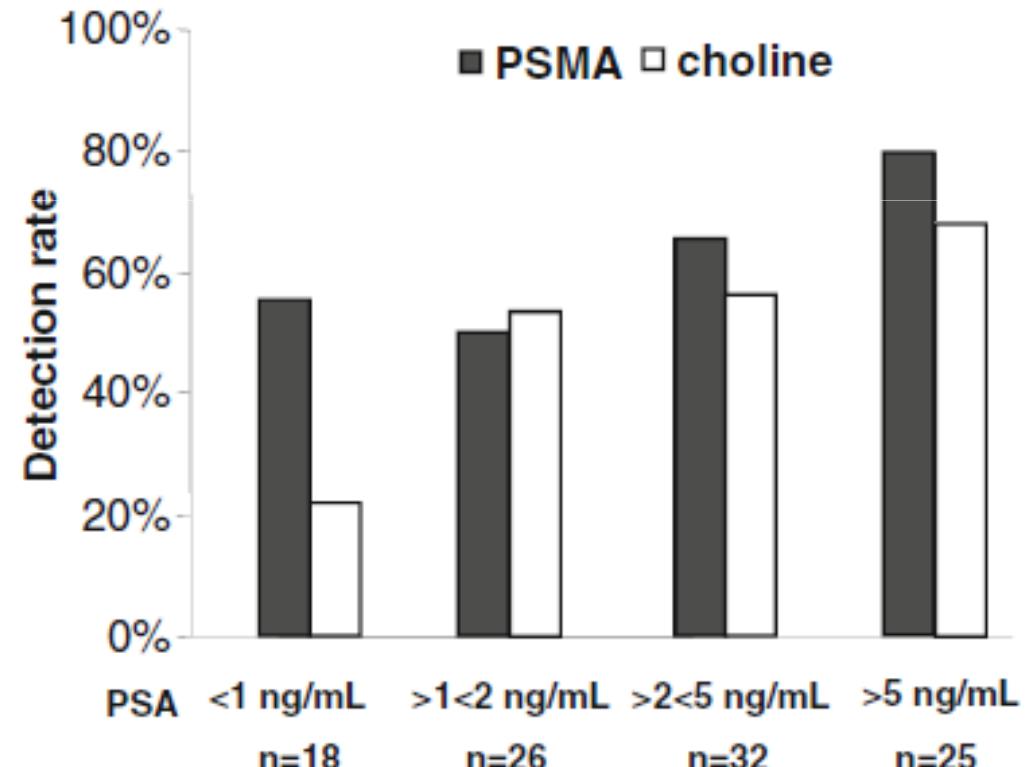
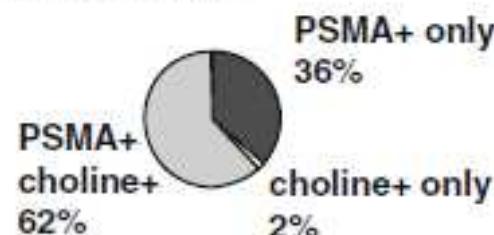
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Lymph nodes



Bone lesions

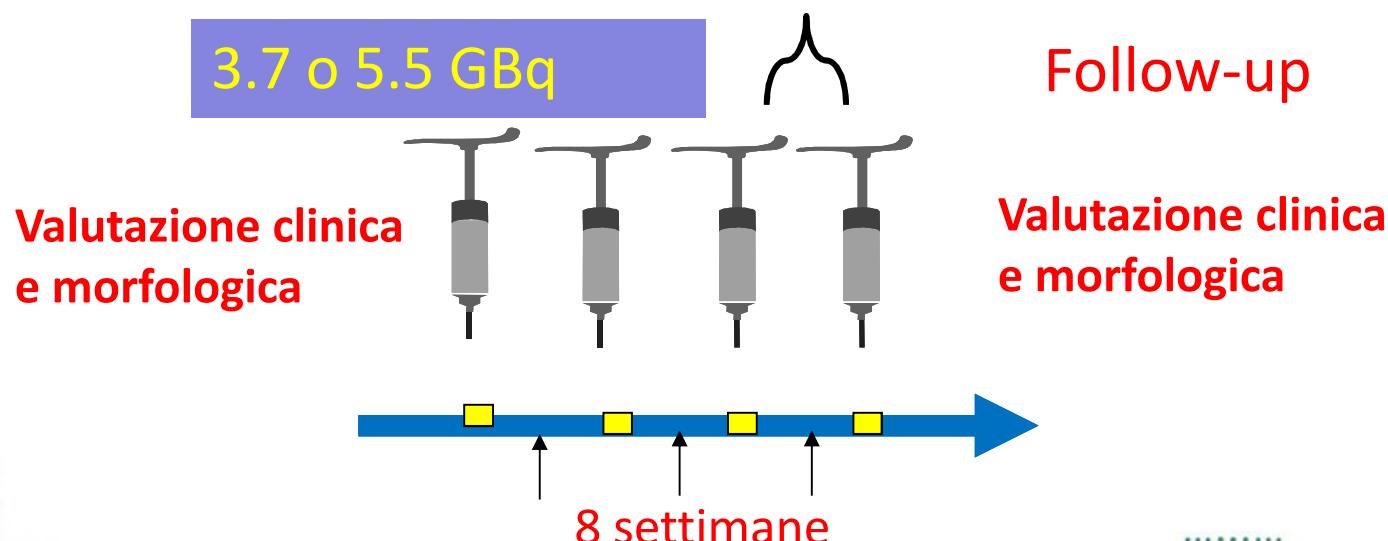


Phase	Phase II
Study Design	Single-center, prospective, non controlled, open label, phase II trial
	<p>177Lu PSMA 617 involves selective tumor targeting with the objective of maximizing tumor dose and sparing normal tissue. 177Lu PSMA 617 shows high, specific and rapid uptake in advanced prostate cancer patients. According to Baum et Al. phase II study and others evidences already published, 177Lu PSMA 617 radiometabolic therapy in end-stage progressive mCRPC is safe and effective. The avidity of the tumor target that defines the achievable tumor dose can be demonstrated prior to therapy using 68Ga-PSMA PET/CT, excluding patients that are unfit for such theranostic approach. This novel therapy showed objective responses in patients who have progressed on all standard treatments for prostate cancer with minimal toxicity. Cycles fractionation will also minimize the risk of irreversible toxicity even in heavily pre-treated patients.</p>

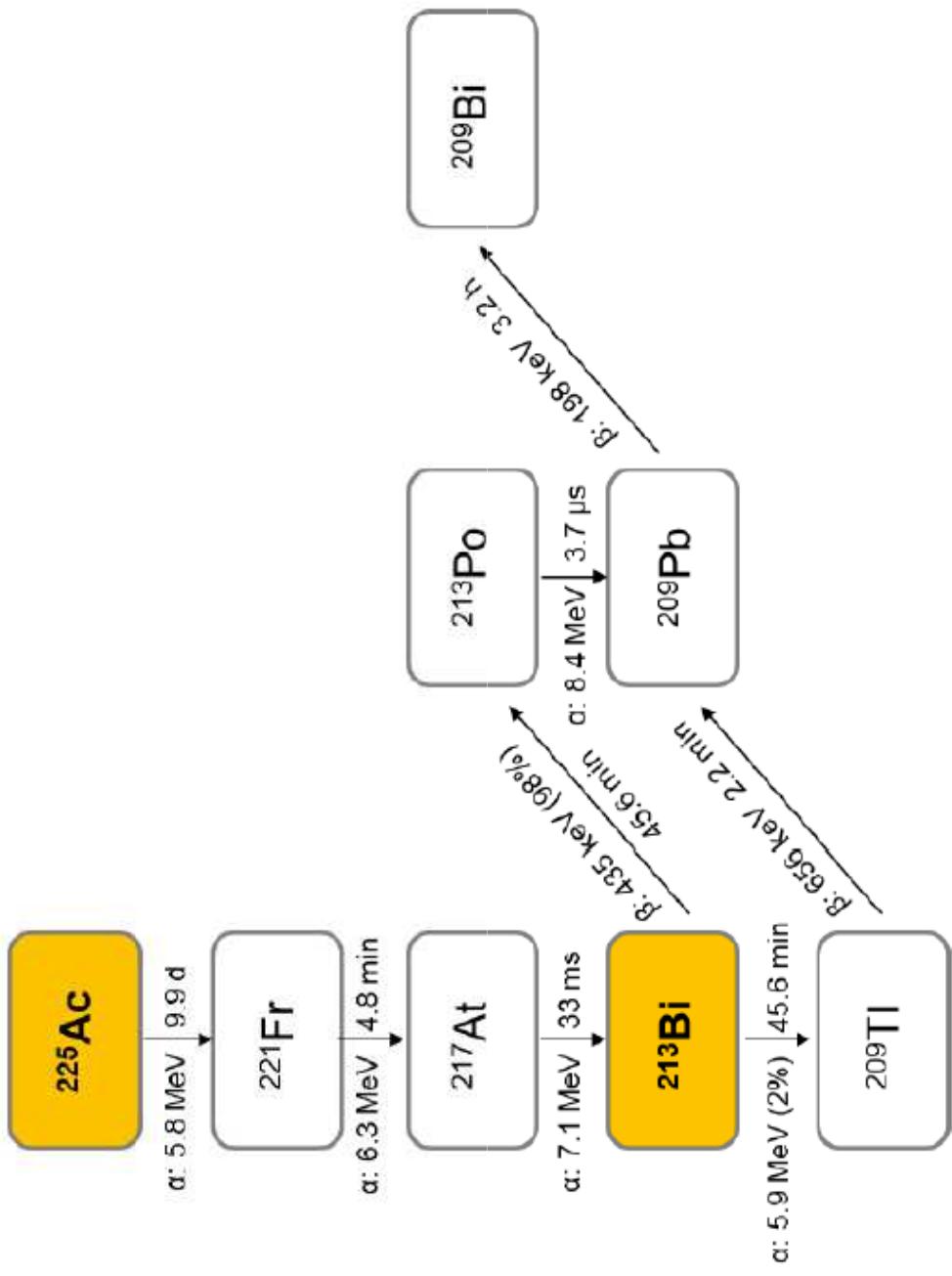
Study Product, Dose, Route, Regimen and duration of administration	<p>The radiopharmaceutical 177Lu-PSMA 617 will be injected intravenously at the dosage ranging 3.7 - 5.5 GBq repeated 4 times at interval of 8-12 weeks.</p> <p>Standard therapy including taxane based CT, abiraterone and/or enzalutamide have to be already done or unfit for the patient</p> <p>We use Bryant and Day design in order to estimate a sample size who takes in account the activity but also the toxicity. This design is applied at each scheme of therapy and all the analysis will be done separately.</p> <p>If no premature stop will occur, a total of 210 evaluable patients will be enrolled (105 patients in each scheme). To evaluate primary objective the proportion of patients who achieve complete, partial response and stable disease will be calculated. The acute toxicity will be evaluated in the safety population according to the version 4.03. CTC-AE. Overall survival and progression-free survival will be estimated with Kaplan-Meier method and the role of stratification factor will be analyzed with log-rank tests. The Hazard Ratio (HR) for OS and PFS will be estimated according to the Cox model, with its relative 95% confidence intervals.</p>
Reference therapy	Statistical Methodology

La terapia si effettua con un **protocollo sperimentale (IRST 185.03)** che richiede un regime di ricovero protetto di tre giorni. Si effettuano 4 cicli di trattamento a 2 mesi uno dall'altro. Il protocollo è attivo dal 29/03/2017 e prevede di **trattare in 3 anni 210 pazienti** con PC ormono resistente ed in progressione di malattia dopo le terapie standard.

Disegno dello studio



Decay scheme of ^{225}Ac and daughter nuclides





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