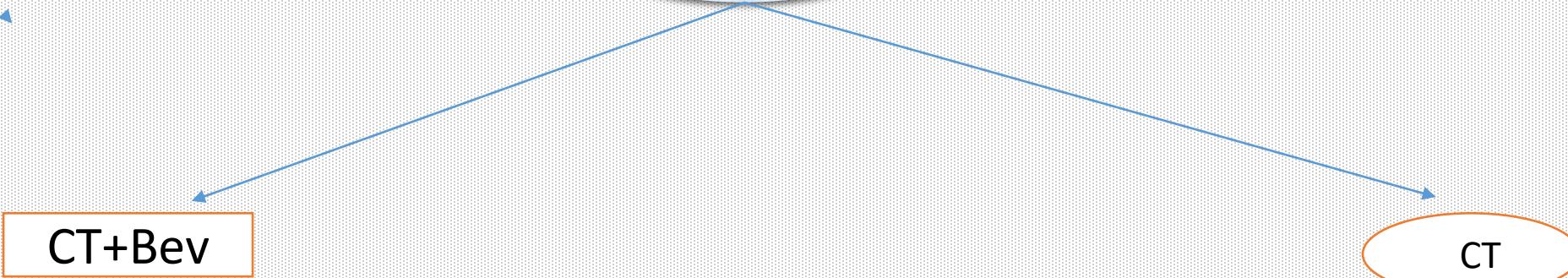


**Dr Radheshyam Naik**  
**HCG**



RR

45%

PFS

11 mo

OS

20 mo

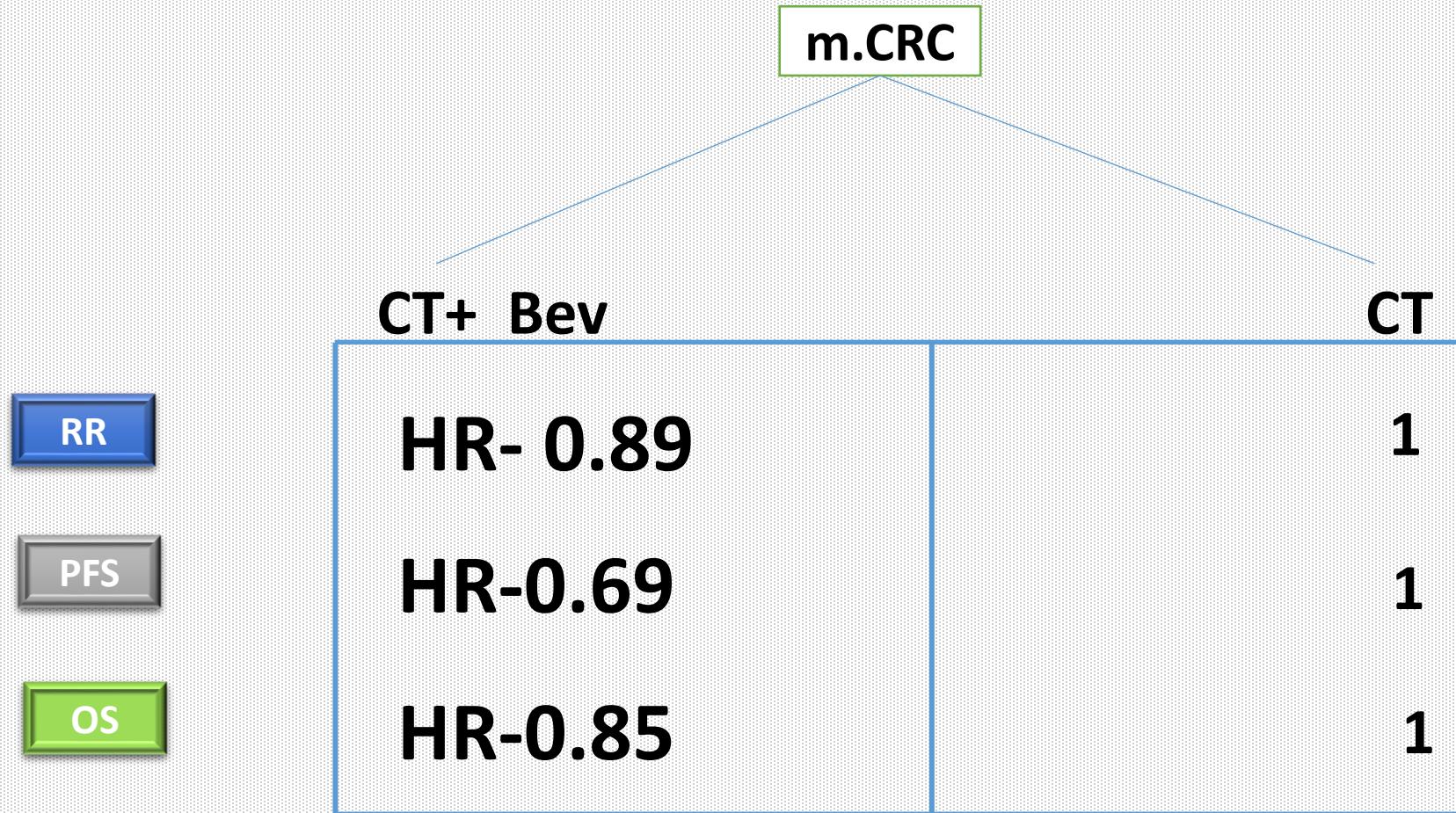
CT

35%

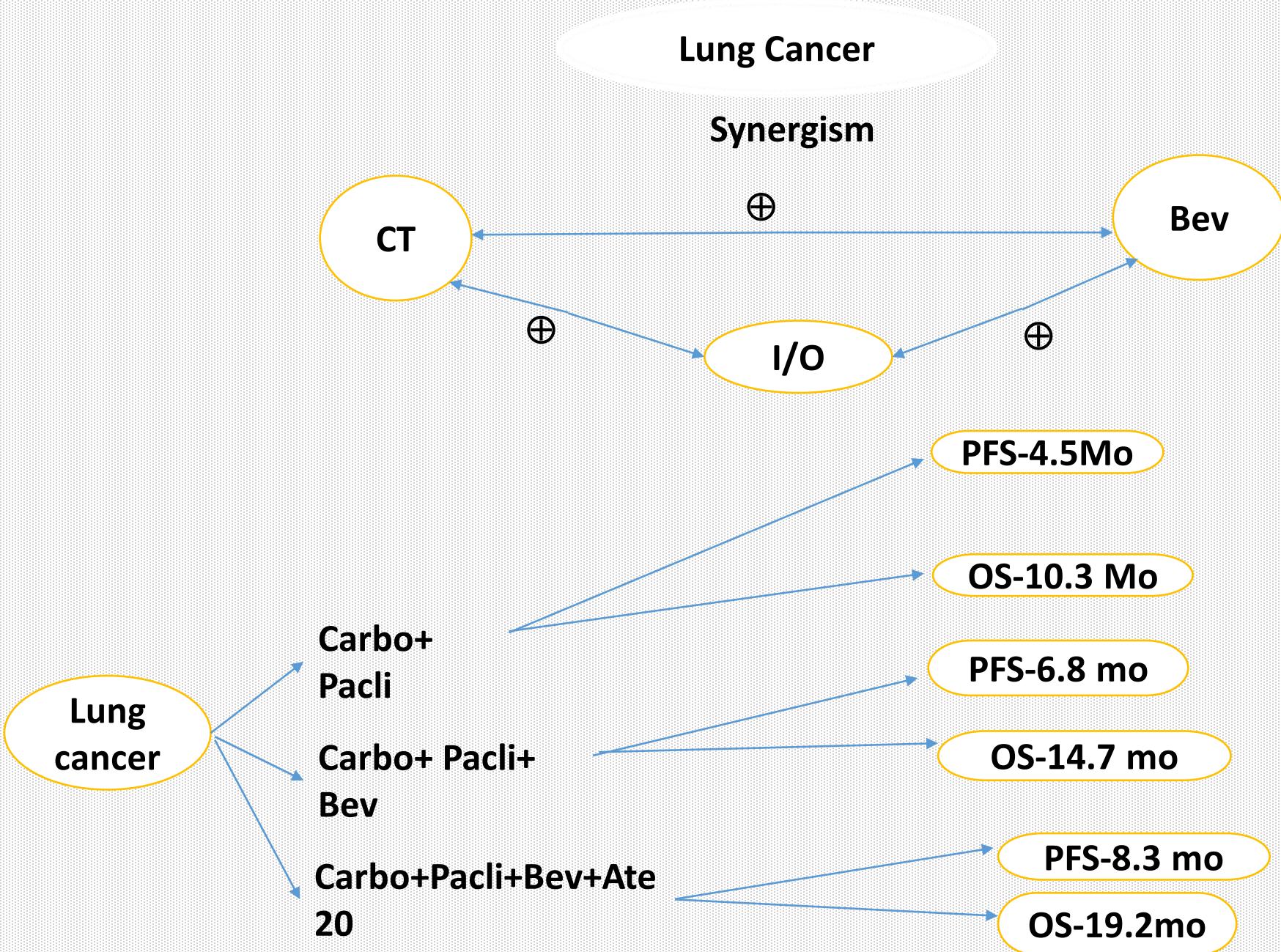
6 mo

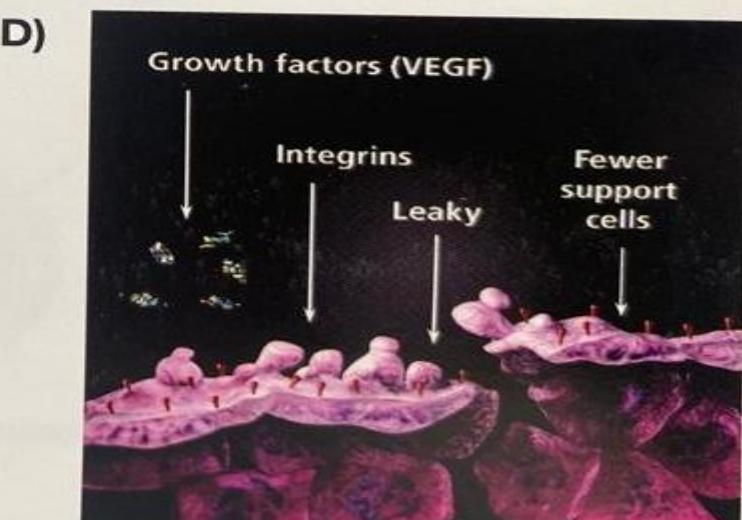
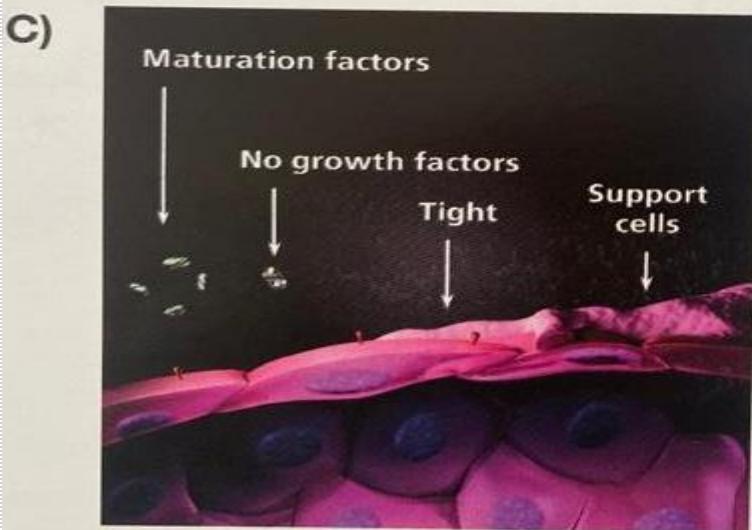
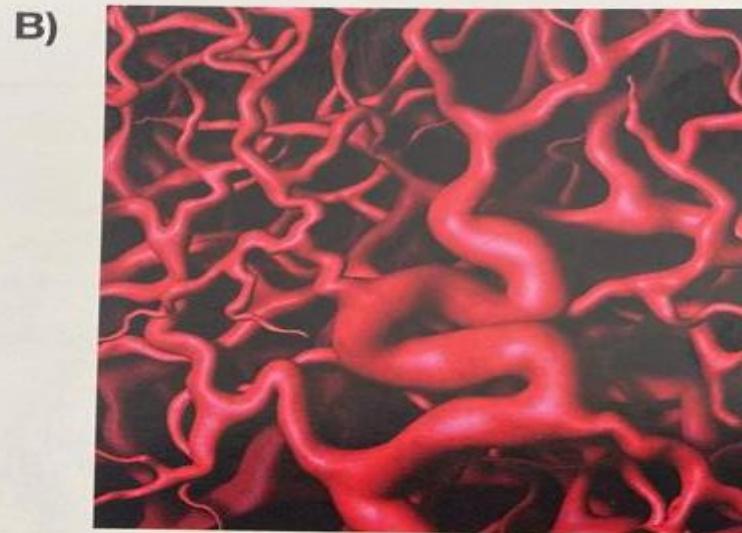
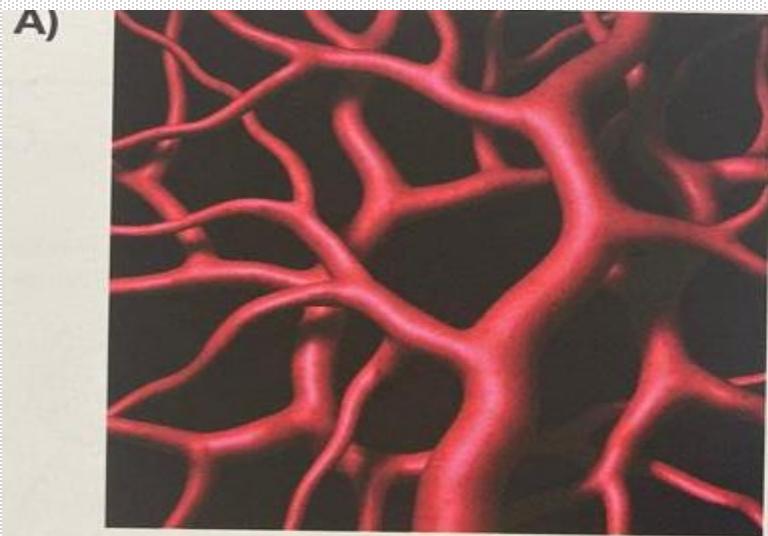
15 mo

# METANALYSIS



**5FU > Irinotecan > Oxaliplatin**





**Small tumour (1–2mm)**

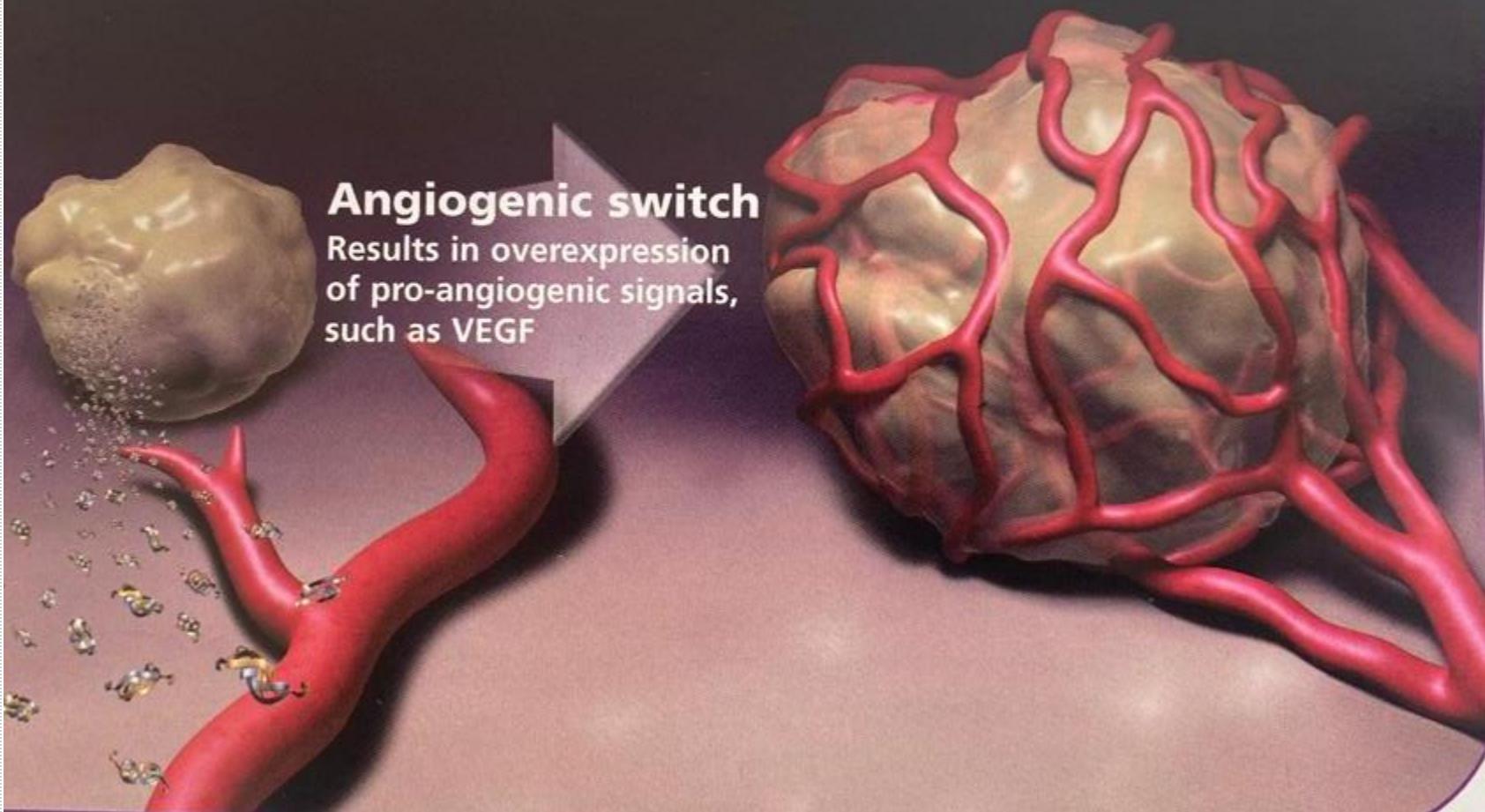
- Avascular
- Dormant

**Larger tumour**

- Vascular
- Metastatic potential

**Angiogenic switch**

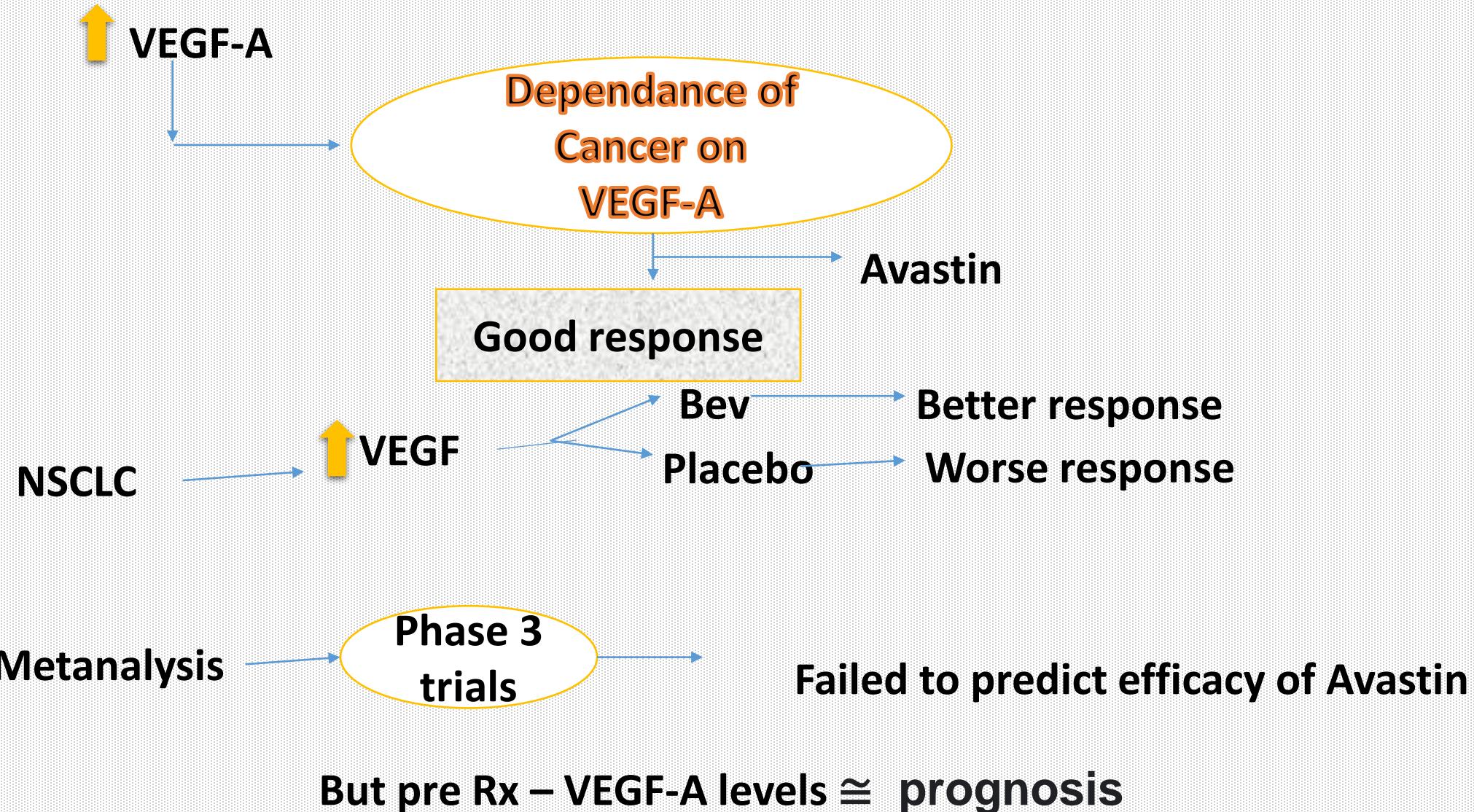
Results in overexpression  
of pro-angiogenic signals,  
such as VEGF



## VEGF in tissues

- Normal Cells - 280 (Densitometry units)
- Early adeno ca - 570 (Densitometry units)
- Locally adv ca - 710 ( Densitometry units)
- Metastatic - > 1000 ( Densitometry units)

# VEGF-A



# Role of VEGF

- $\uparrow$  Neoangiogenesis
- $\uparrow$  BV Permeability
- $\uparrow$  Mets
- $\uparrow$  Lymphoangiogenesis
- Cancer cell protection
- Resistant to Chemo
- Resistant to RT
- $\downarrow$  Immunity

$\uparrow$  VEGF levels in blood/Cancer



Bad prognostic factor

# Tissue - VEGF

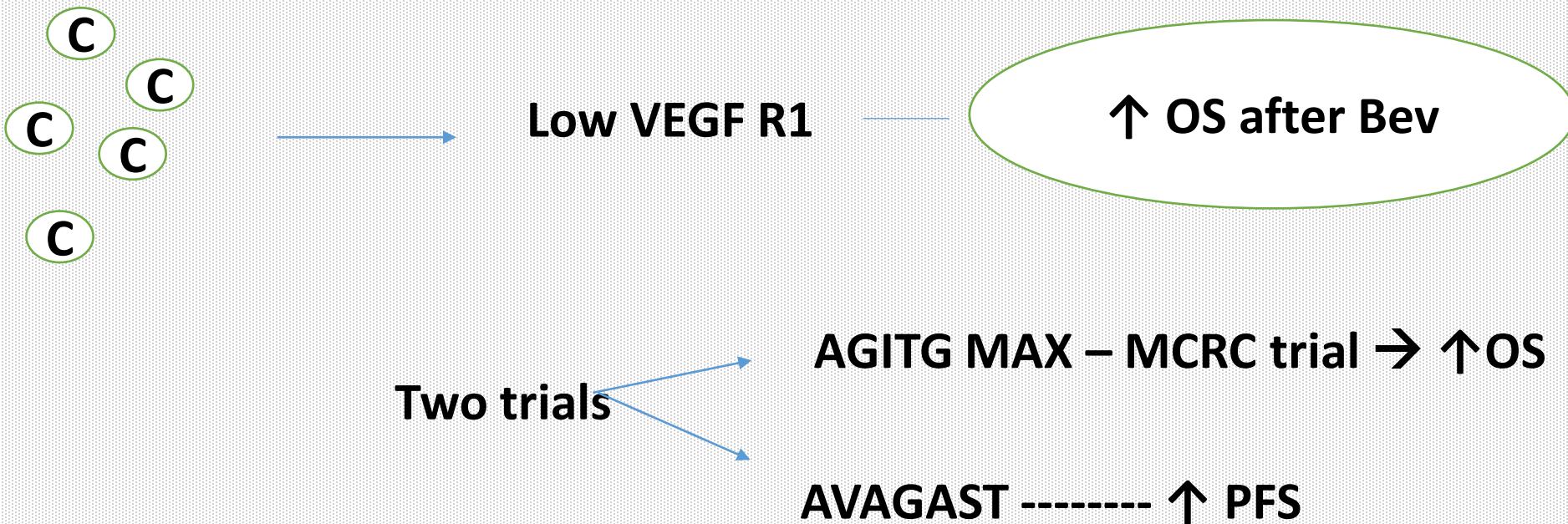
IHC → ↑ tissue VEGF --→ ↑ MVD

↑ MVD → ? Predictor of Avastin response

No 16966 -- Phase III study → ↑ Density of CD31

↓  
↑ Response to Bev

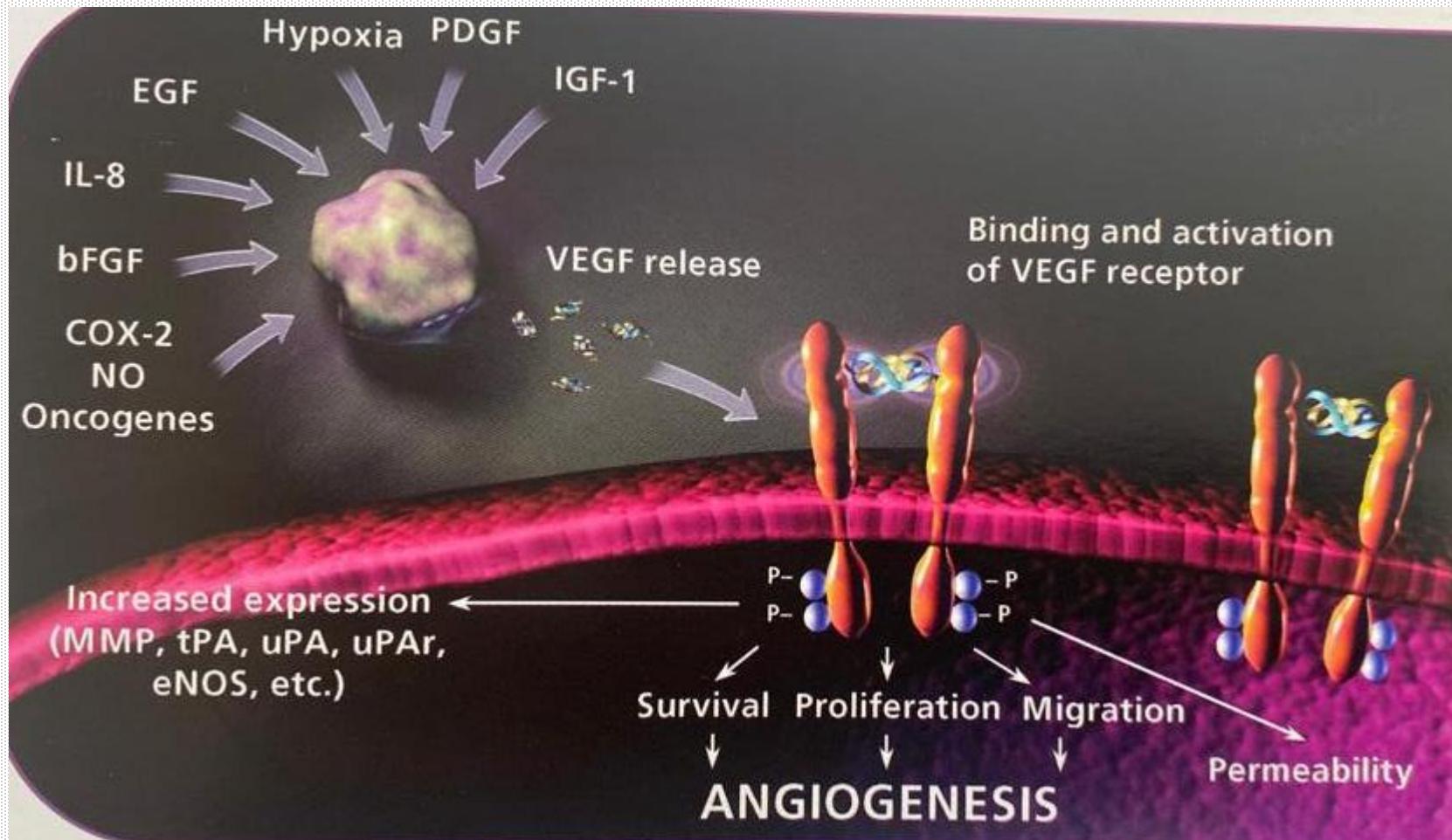
## Tissue Expression of VEGF-R

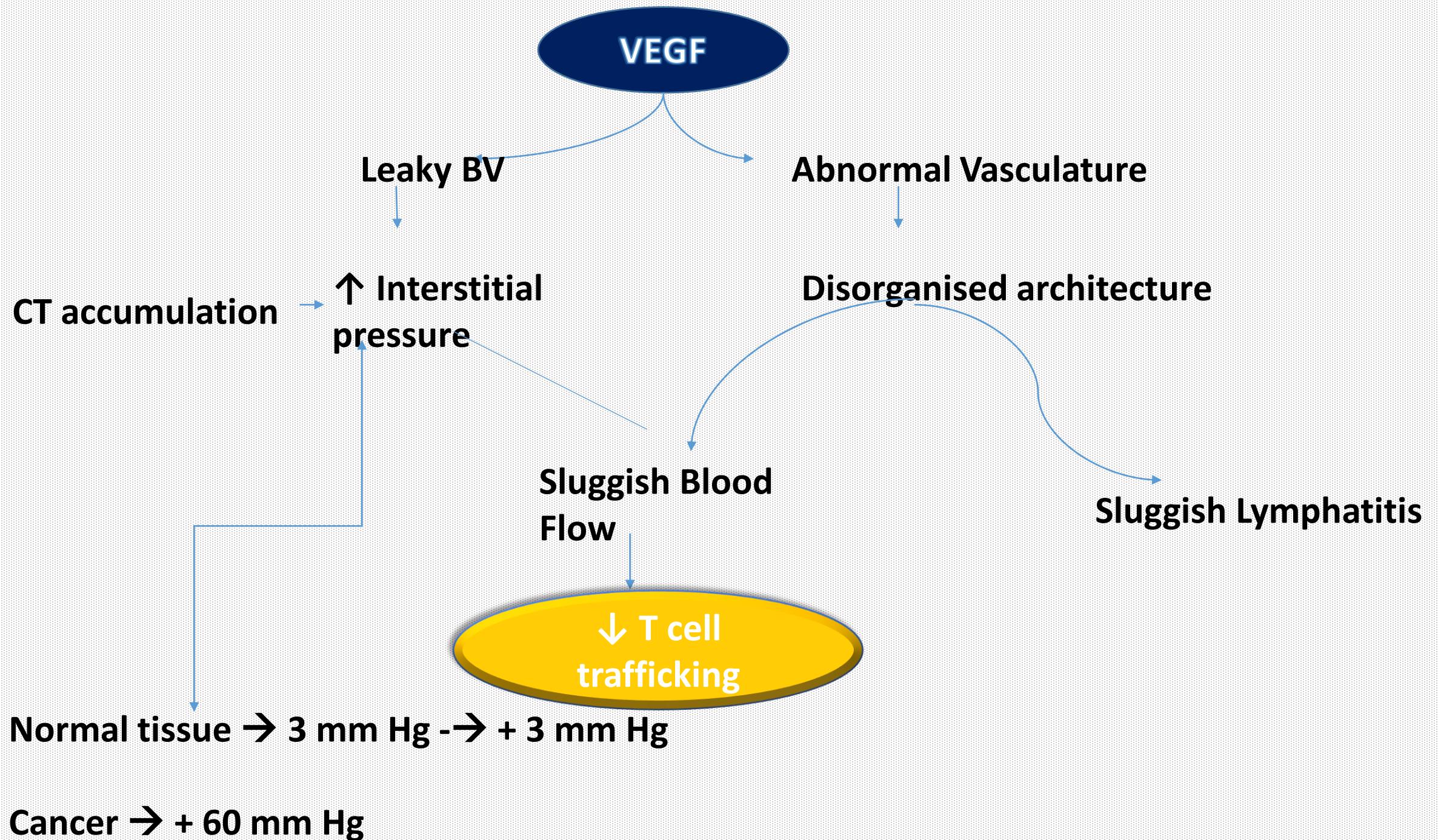


# Oncogenes ↑ VEGF Expression in tumor tissue

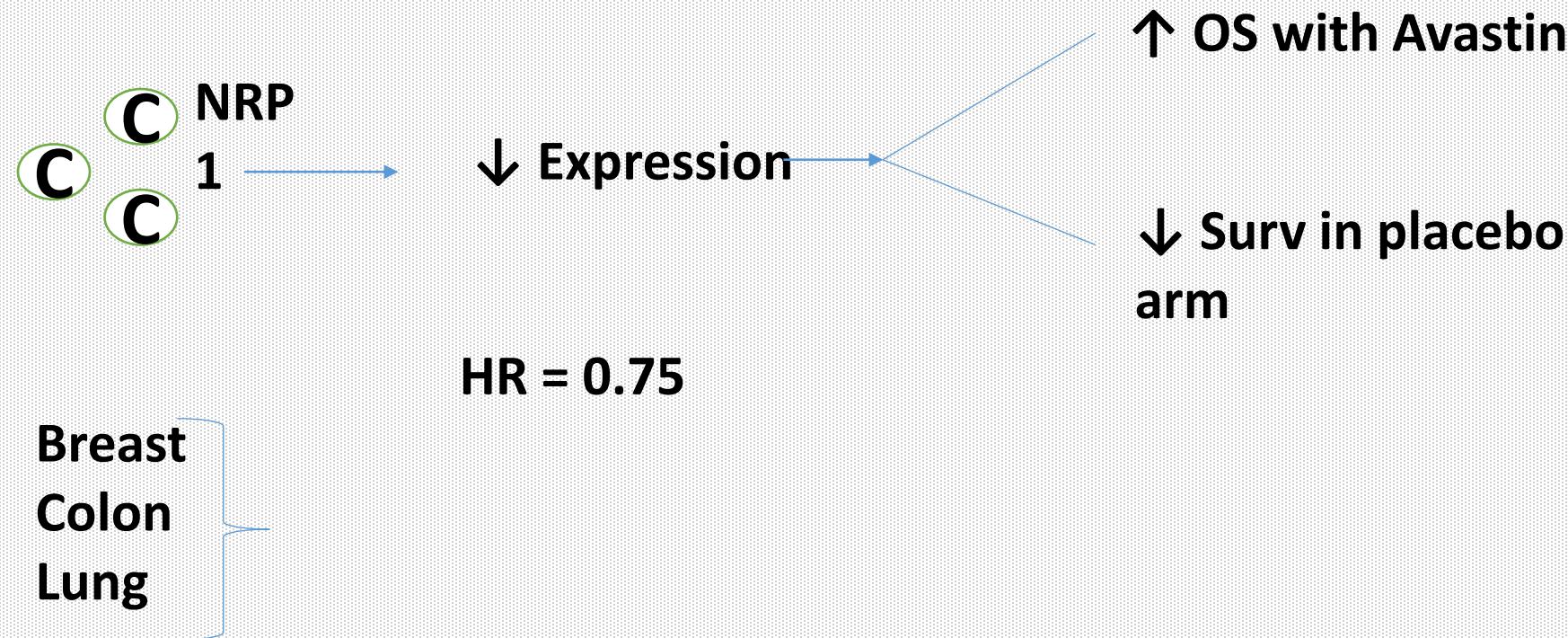
- P53
- P16
- VHL
- PTEN
- srC
- C-myc
- bCr – Abl
- EGFR
- Her-2
- RAS

Even in normoxic conditions tumor -- ↑ VEGF



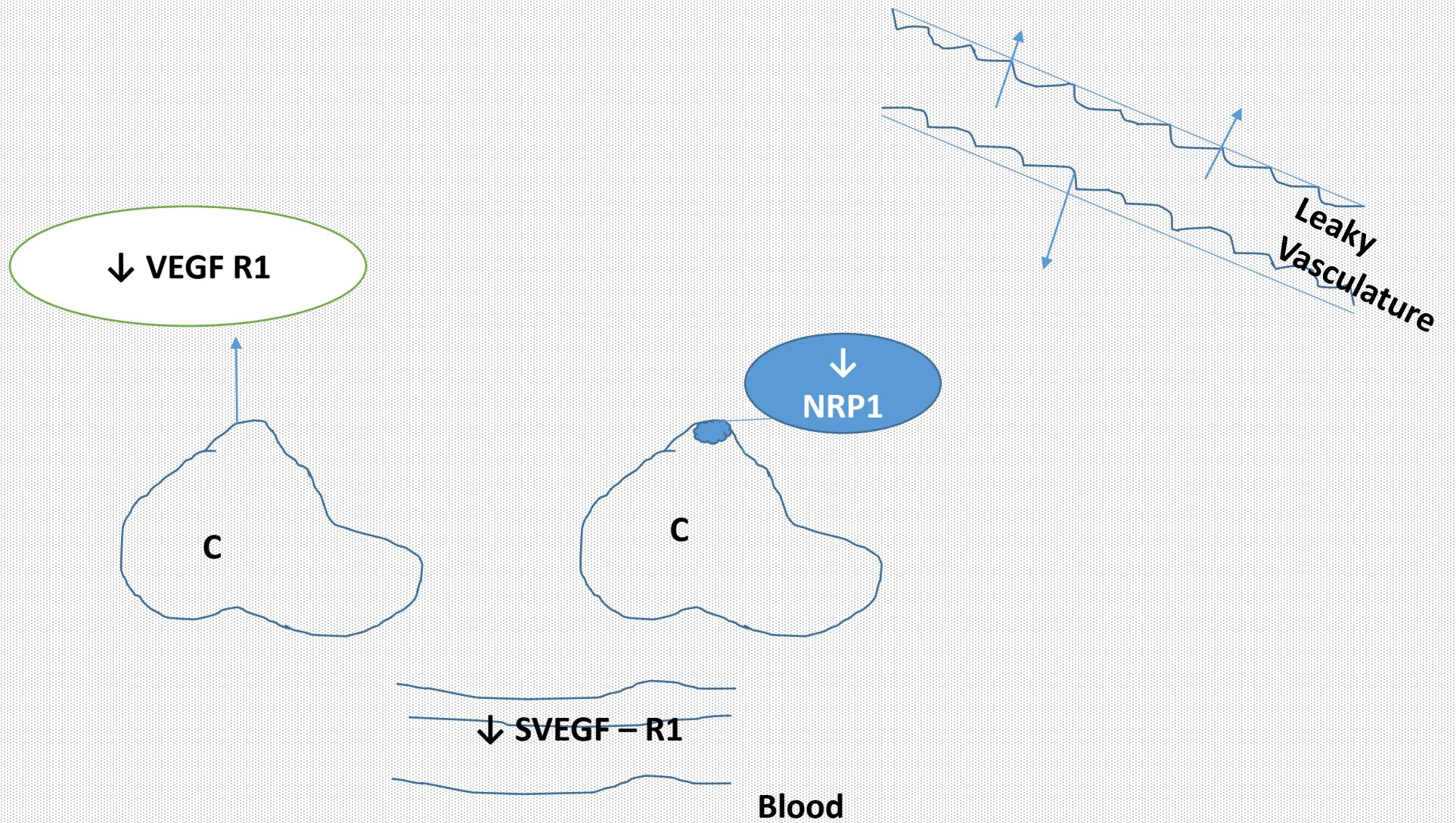


# Tissue Expression of NRP1



Low NRP1 expression is a good, consistent predictive factor

# Response to Avastin - Factors



# DCE-MR1

**Dynamic – Contrast enhanced MRI**



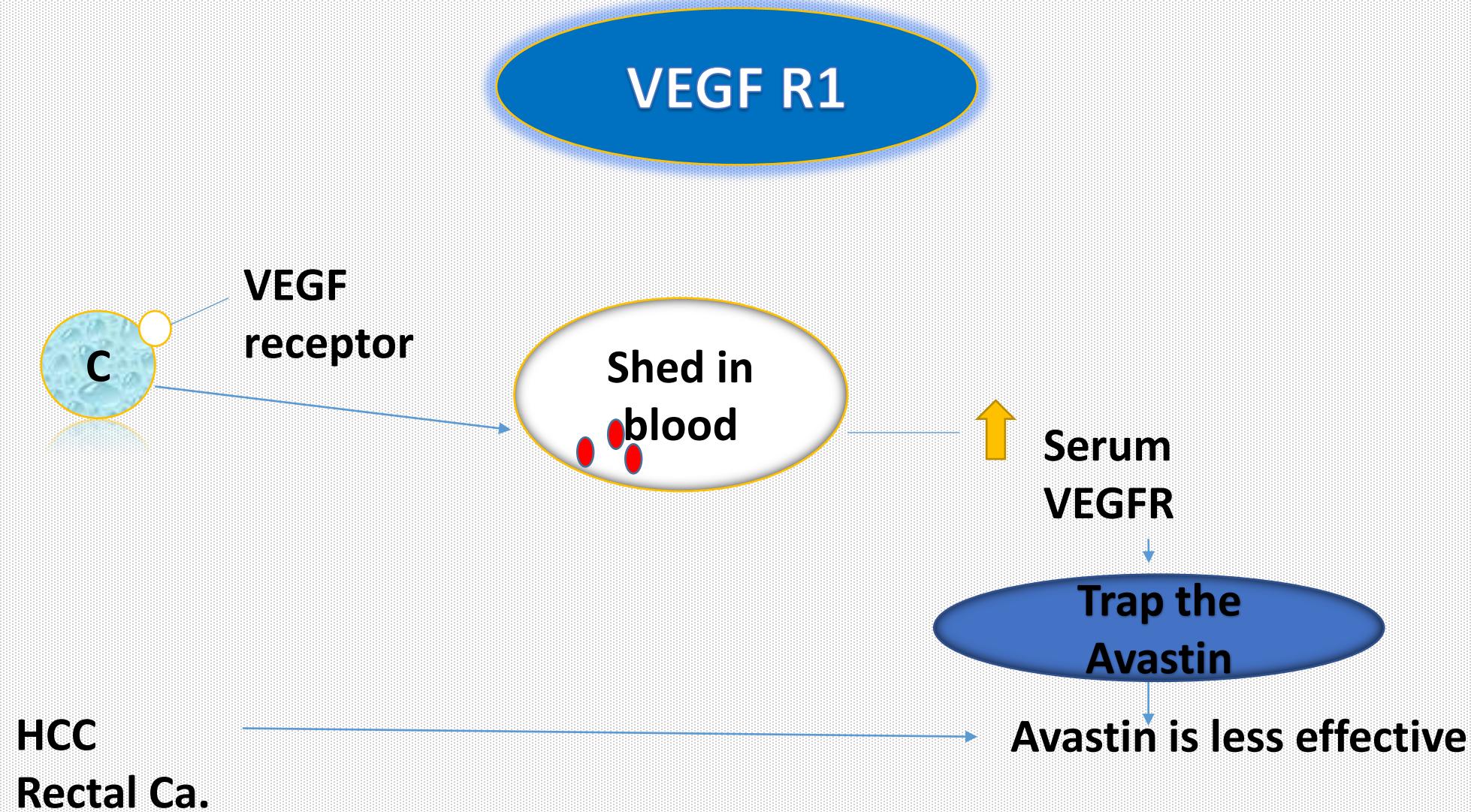
**Monitors change in – vascular structure function**



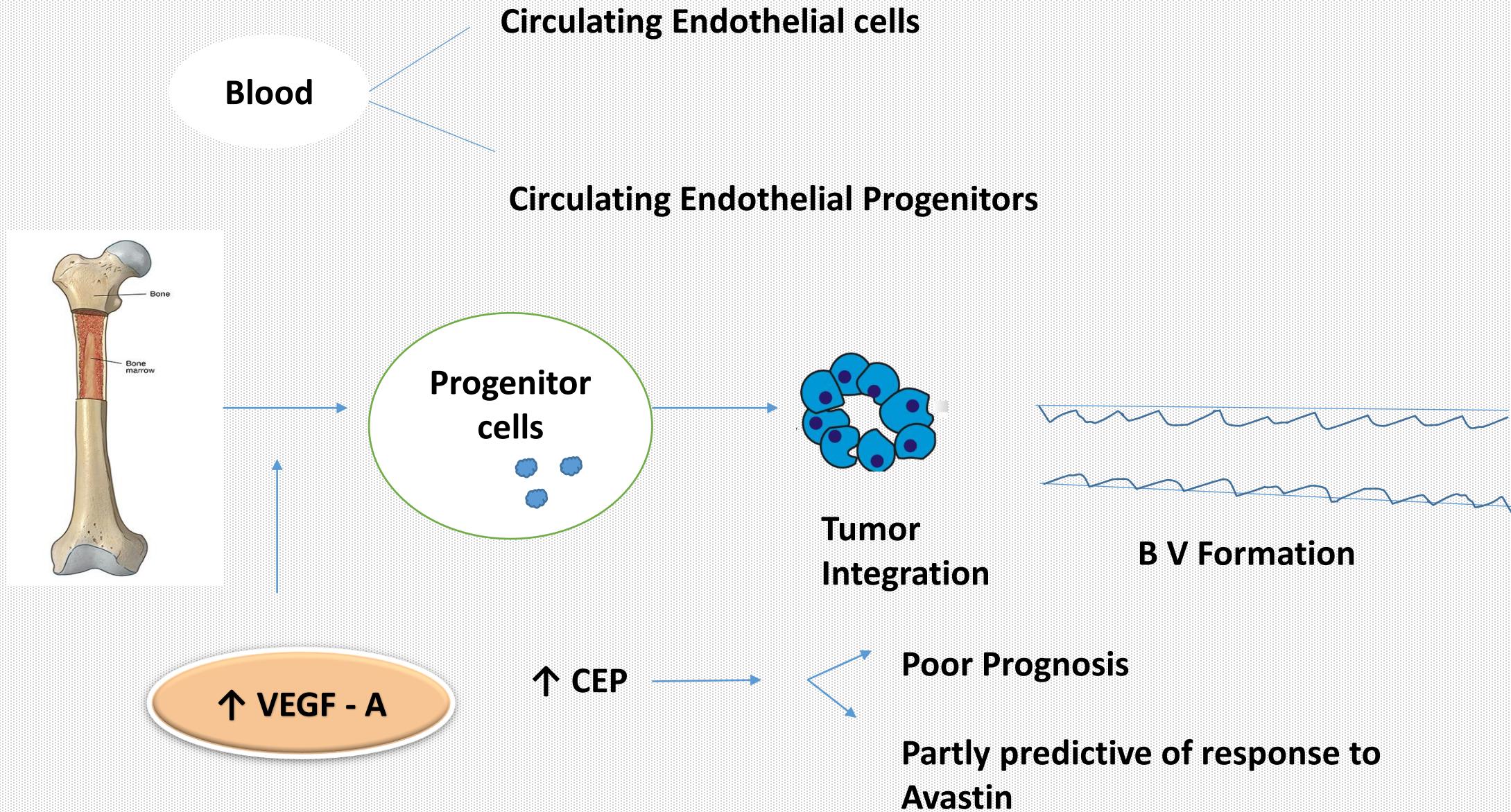
**Change in tumor blood vol  
tumor blood flow**



**? Predict response to Avastin early**



# Circulating ECs



# Why dose of Avastin varies

Lung	Bev	15mg/Kg
Ovary	Bev	7.5 mg/kg 15 mg/kg
Colon	Bev	7.5 mg /kg
GBM	Bev	10 mg/ kg
RCC	Bev	10mg/ kg
HCC	Bev	10mg /kg

Dose decided by → Stage

- Type of Cancer
- VEGF Levels
- Response
- PFS
- Accompanying Chemo
- Accompany I/o

# Avastin

- Within 24 hours → ↓ Blood flow in tumor
- Endothelial cells → undergo apoptosis
- MVD → ↓ by > 50% in some cases
- Later → Avastin normalizes the blood vessels



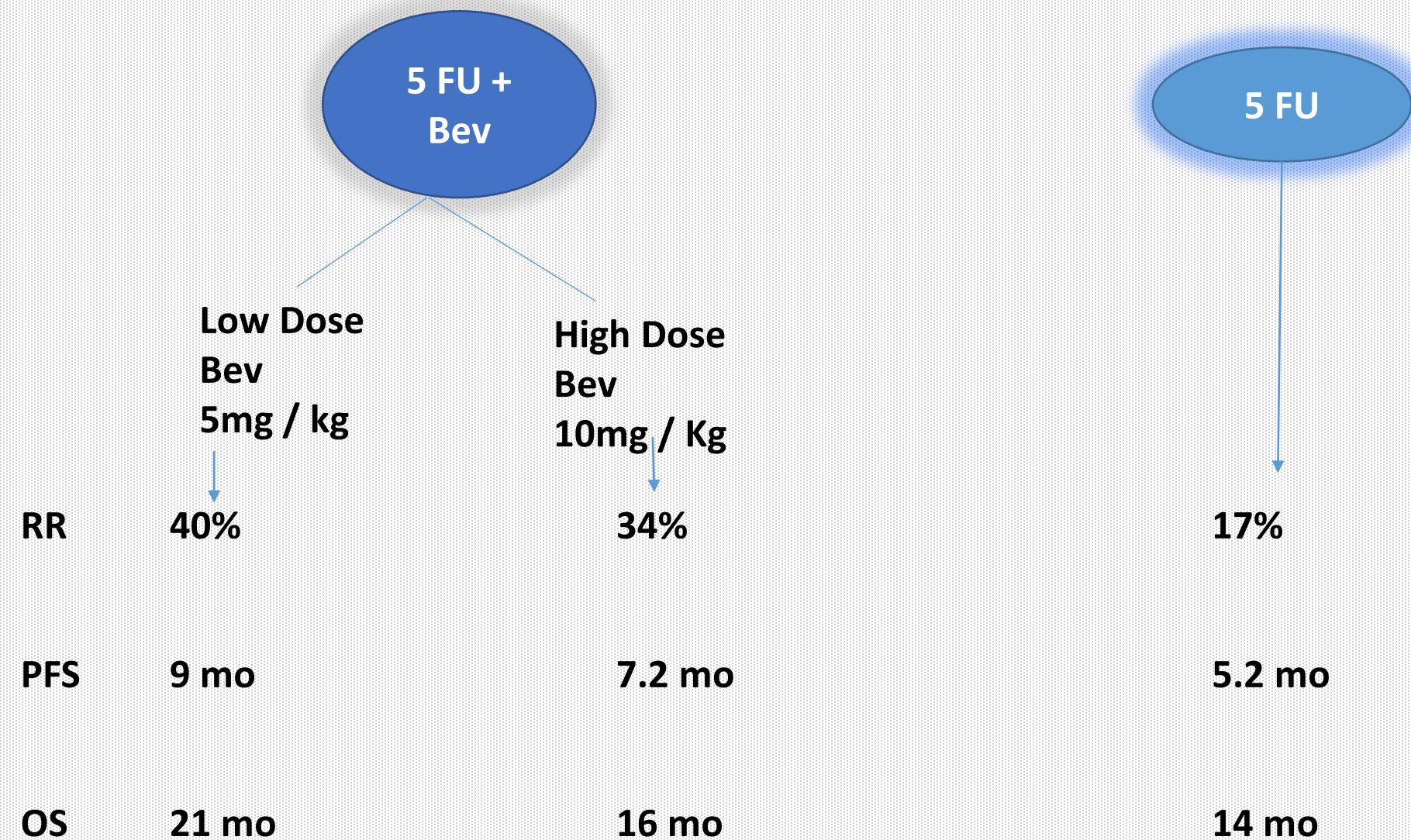
↓ Hypoxia / Acidosis -- > ↓ RT Resistance

↓ Interstitial pressure → Better CT Penetration

In a study 1 done → ↓ Interstitial pressure by 70%

→ O<sub>2</sub> tension -- ↑ by 50%

# AVFO 780 trial



# Antiangiogenic Combinations

Lung Ca	CT + Bev Erlotinib + Bev CT + Bev + I/o
Colon	CT + Bev Bev alone TKIs
Renal	TKI + I/o Bev + I/o
Liver	Lenvatinib + I/o Avastin + I/o Ramicizumab + I/o
GBM	TEM + BEV Trinotecan + Bev

# Avastin

**Sudden stoppage of Avastin**



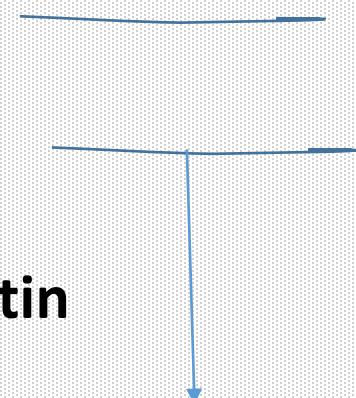
**2-3 weeks Vessels grow back**



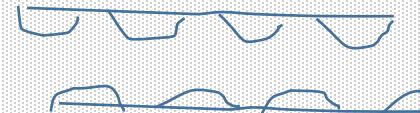
**It is a fast track growth ( Rebound effect)**



↑  
**Avastin**



↑  
**Stop Avastin**



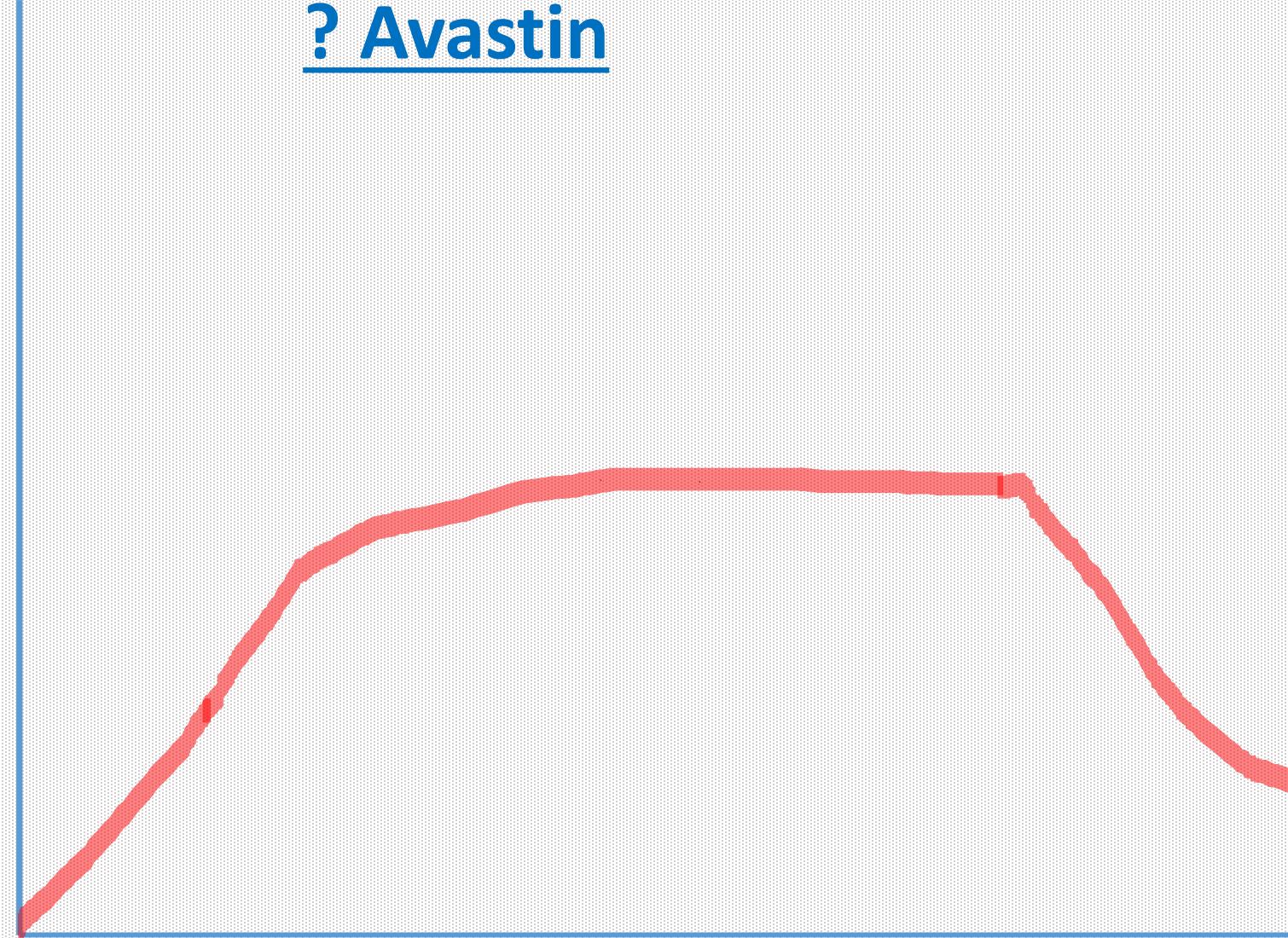
**Rapid  
Vascularization**

**Basement Ghost Membrane**

? Avastin

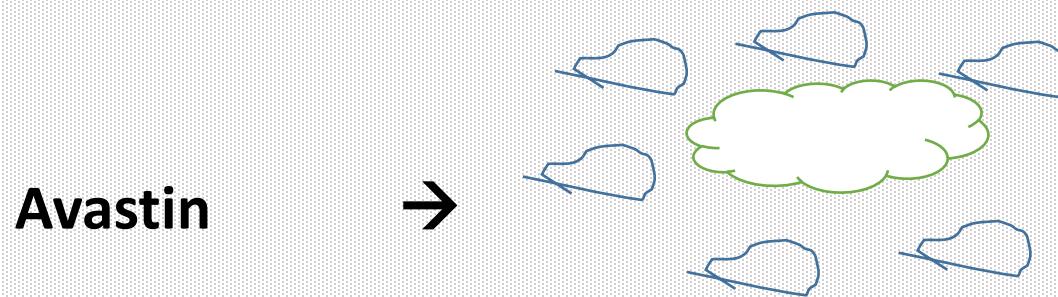
DOSE

Response



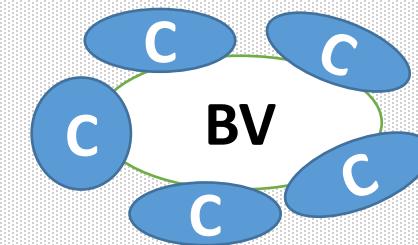
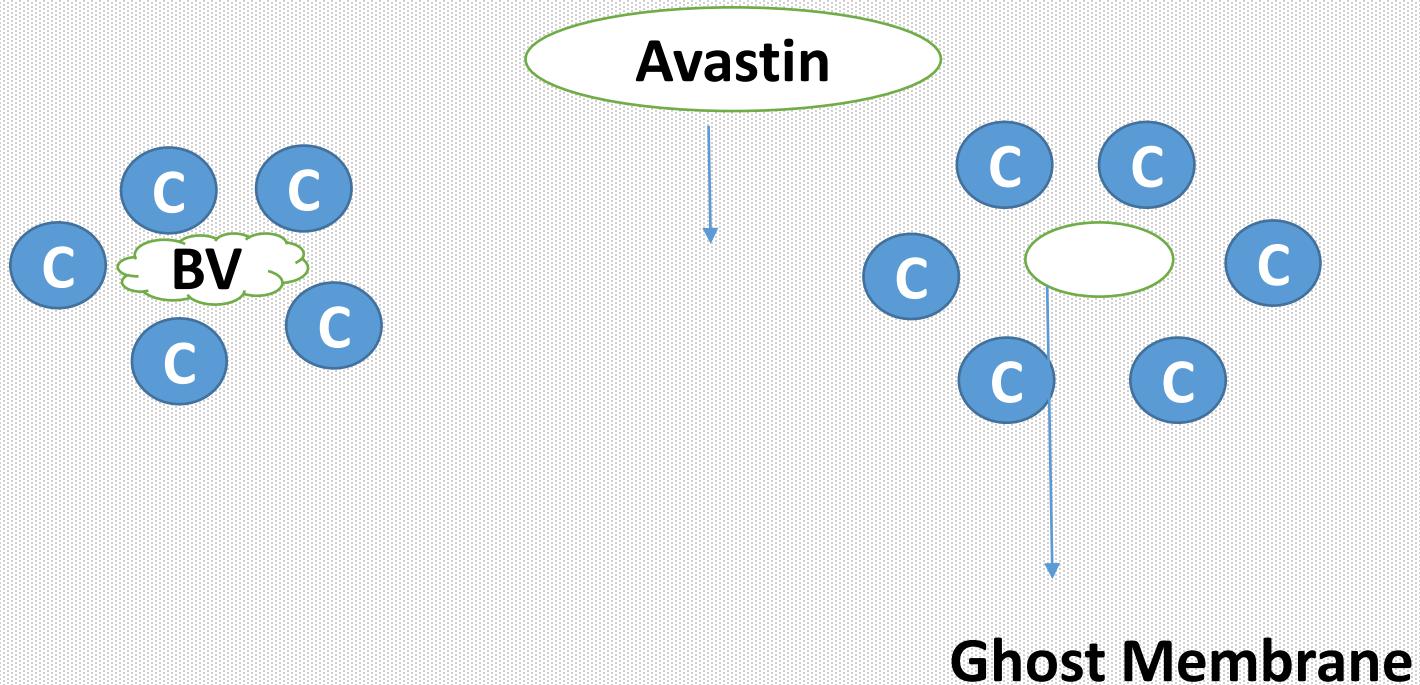
# Vascular Co-option

Cancer cells start regrouping around existing mature B.V.



**resistance mechanism  
Instead of B.V going to tumor, tumor cells go to B.V**

# Vascular Mimicry

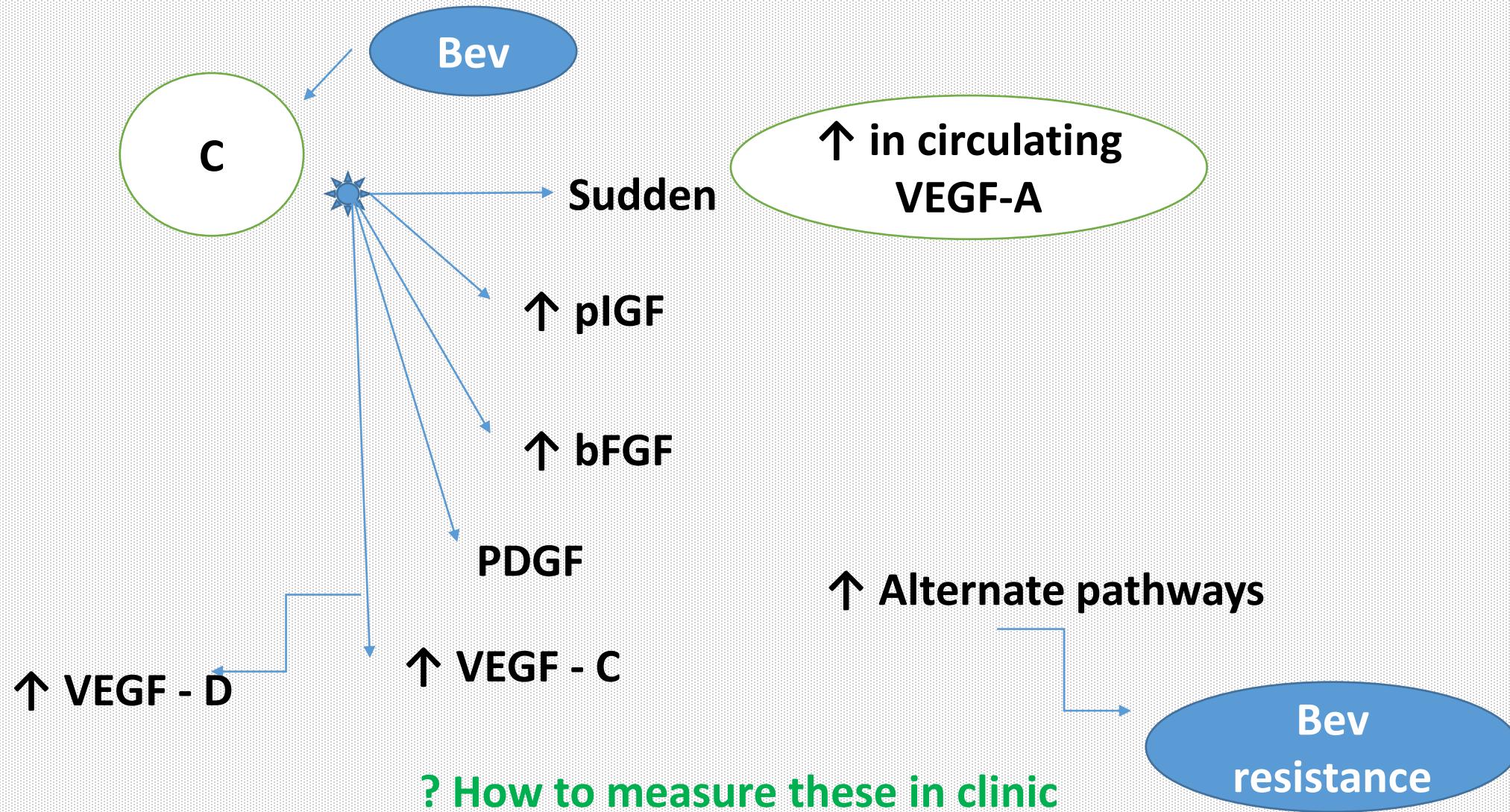


Cancer cells act like  
endothelial cells

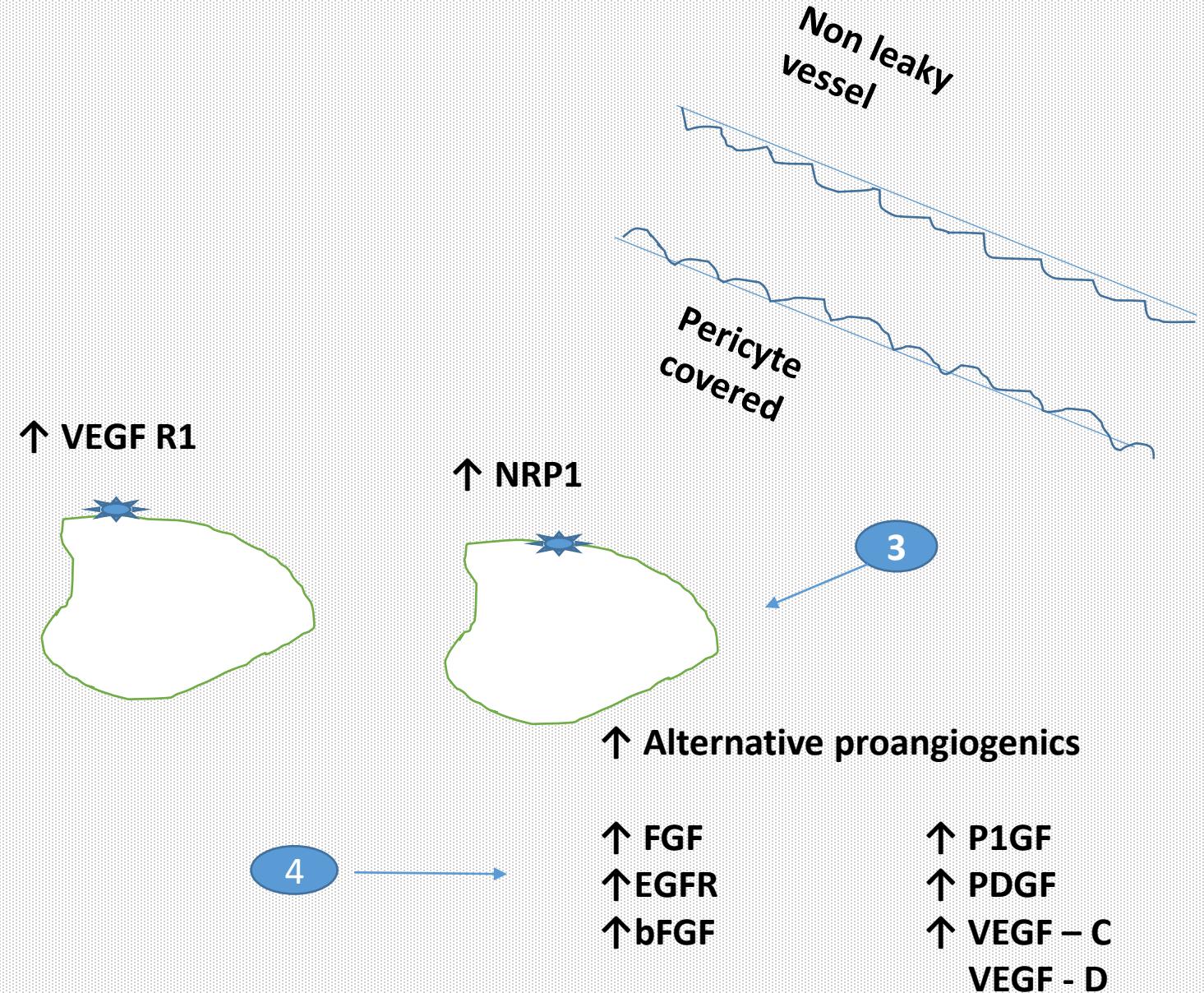
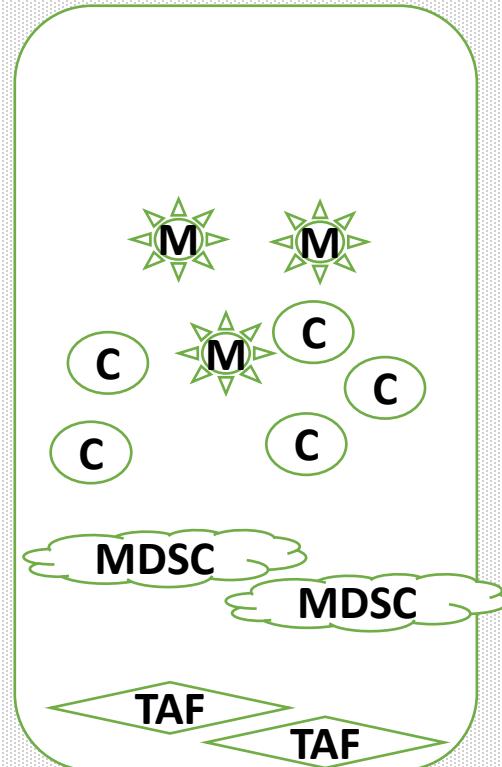
Very commonly seen in GBM after Avastin therapy

It is a resistance mechanism

# Therapy Changes



# Avastin Resistance – Mechanisms



# How to measure efficacy

1)MRI Changes

2)Resp Rate

3)PFS

Chemo Vs Bev →? How to diff

I/O Vs Bev → ? How to Diff

## Controversial

- Use as monotherapy - less useful

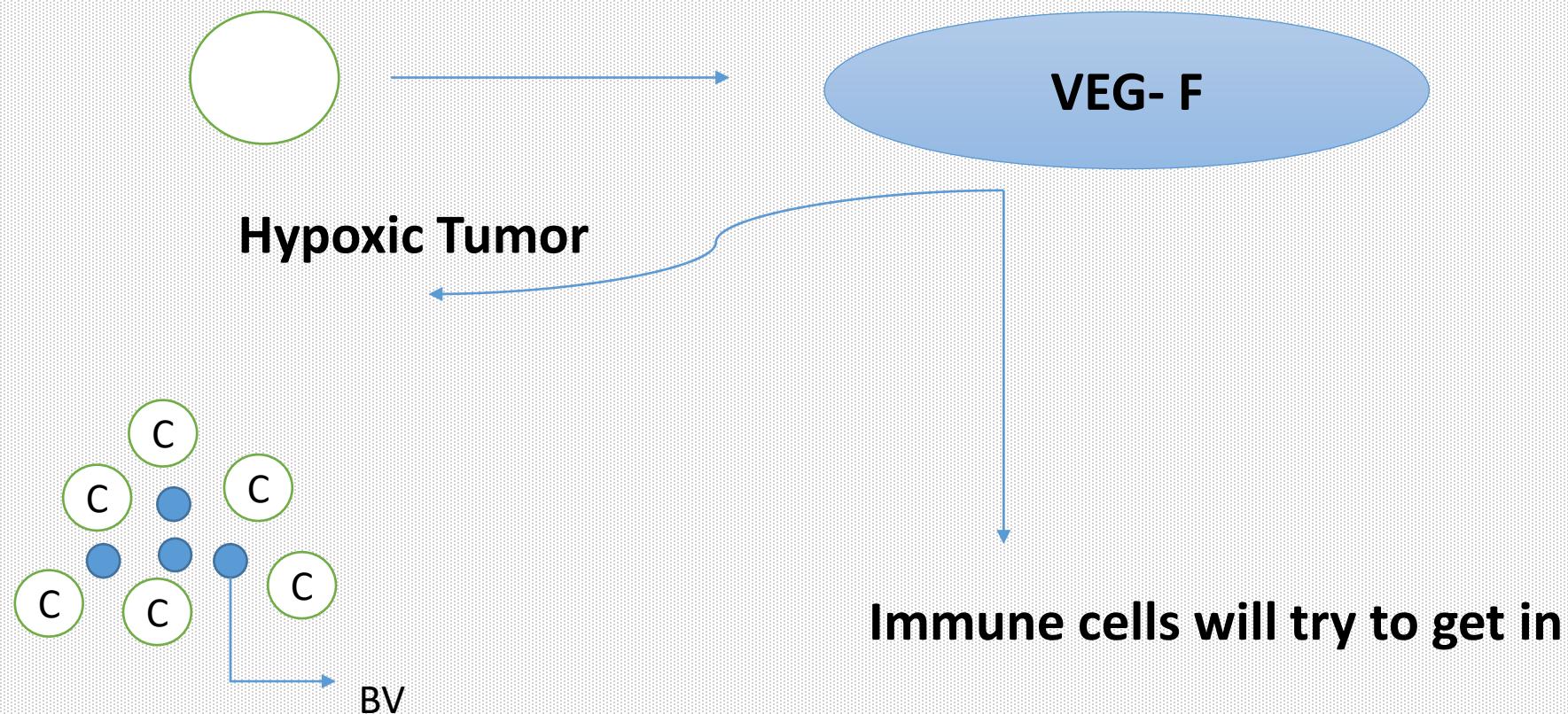
- CT + I/o + Bev – may be best

- CT + Bev

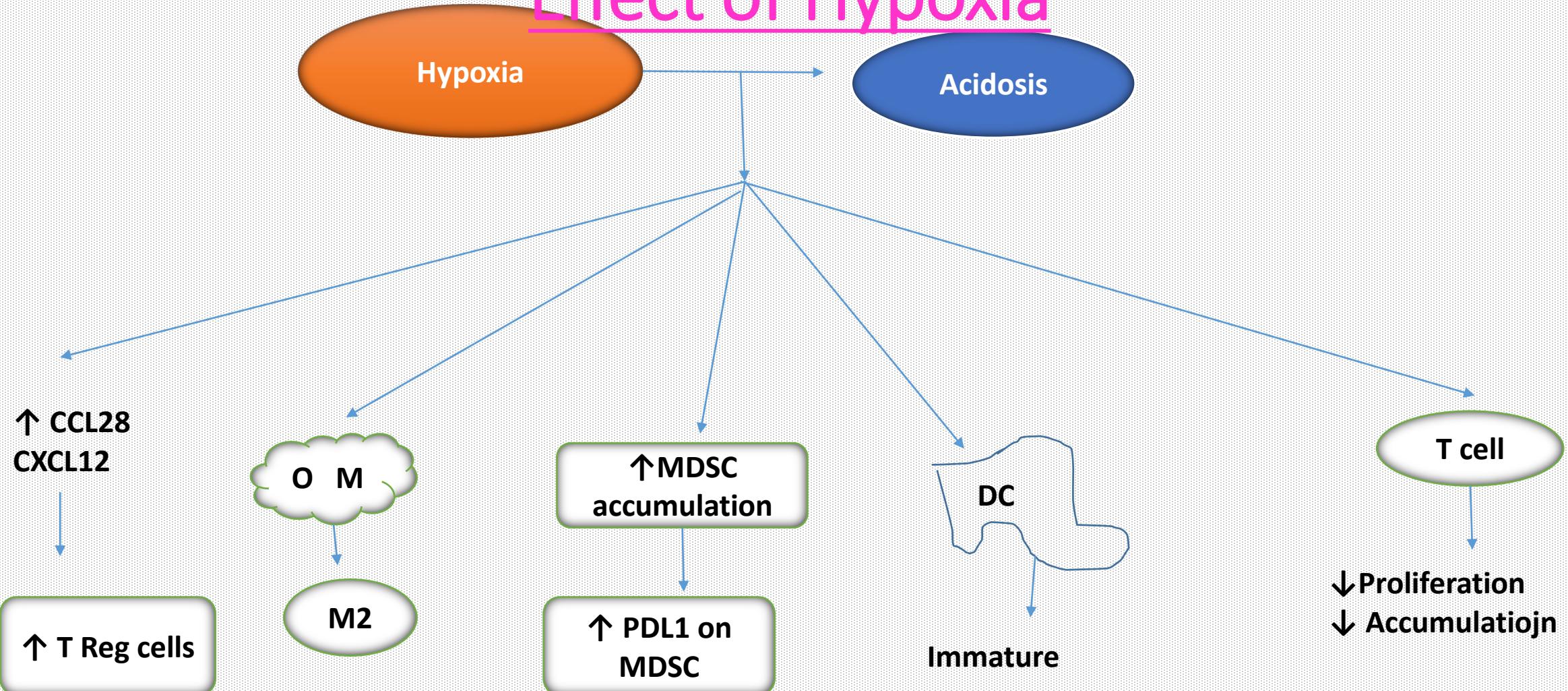
or

I/O + Bev

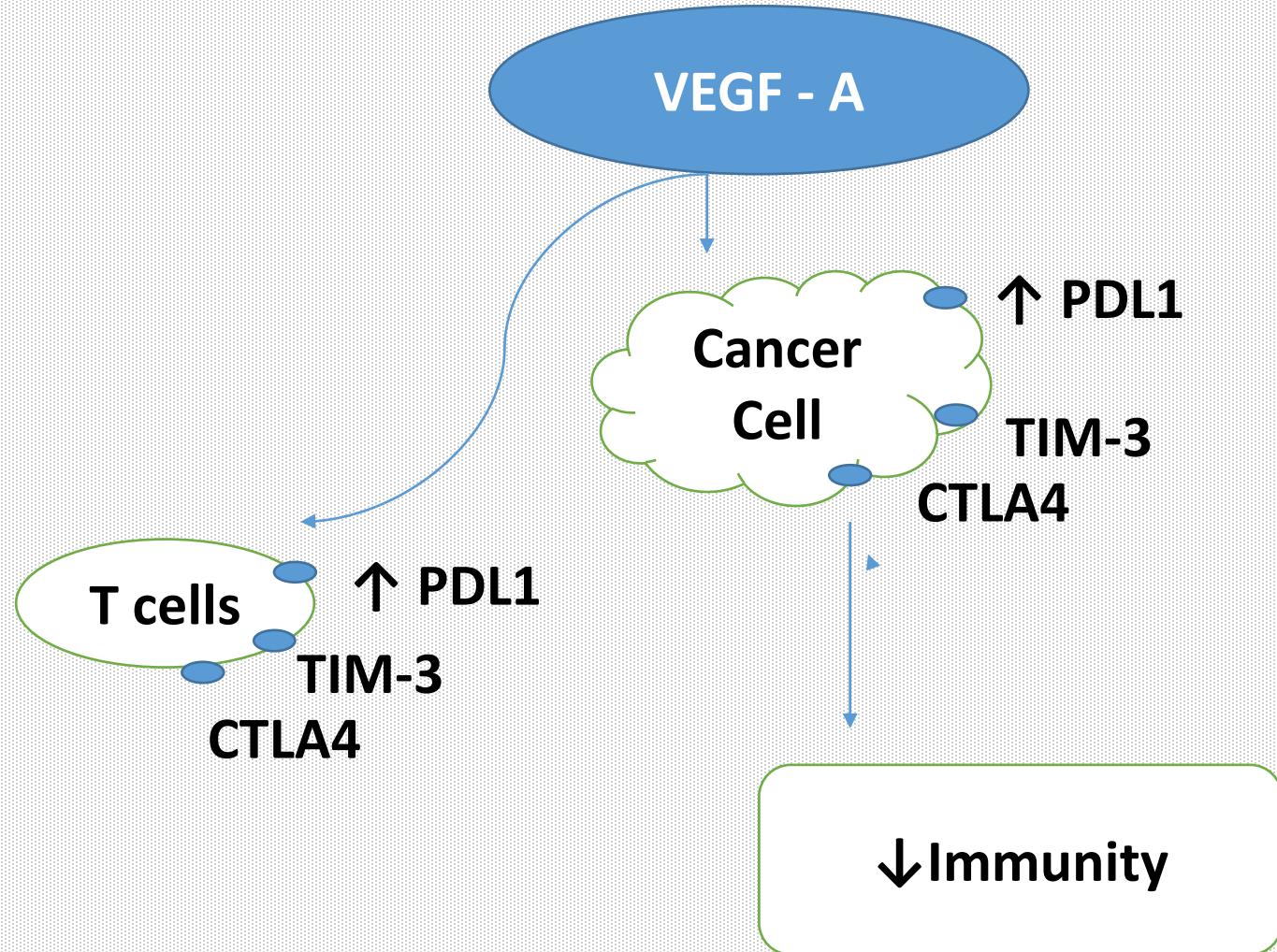
Anti Angio + Anti Angio → Not proven  
Intermediate efficacy



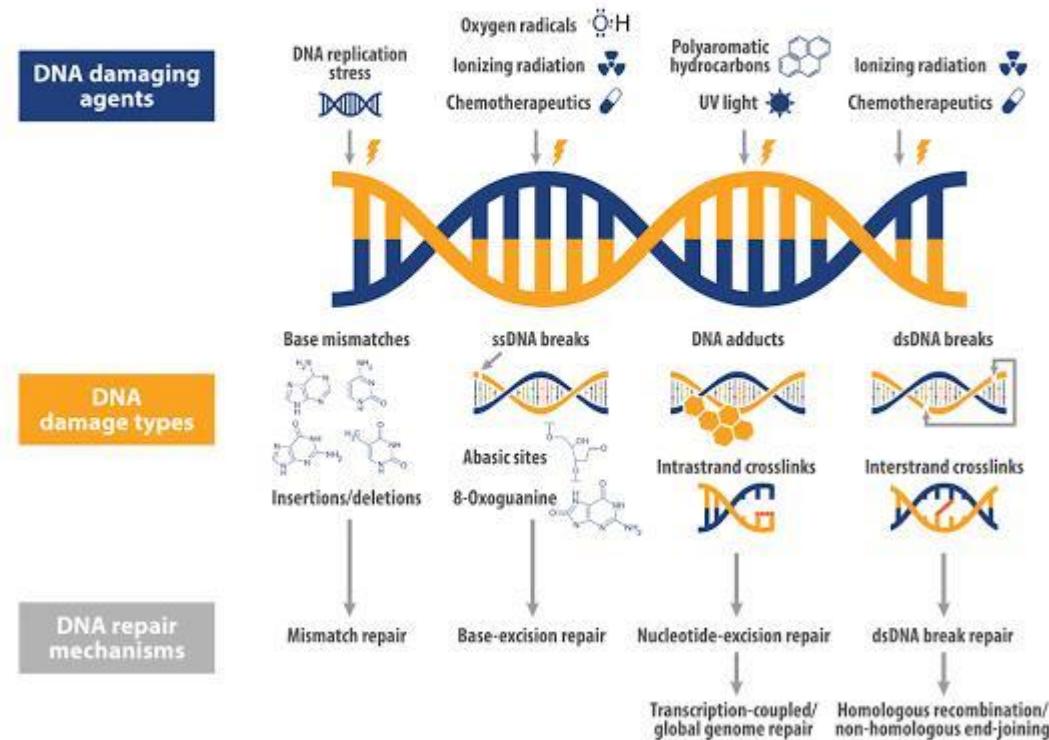
# Effect of Hypoxia

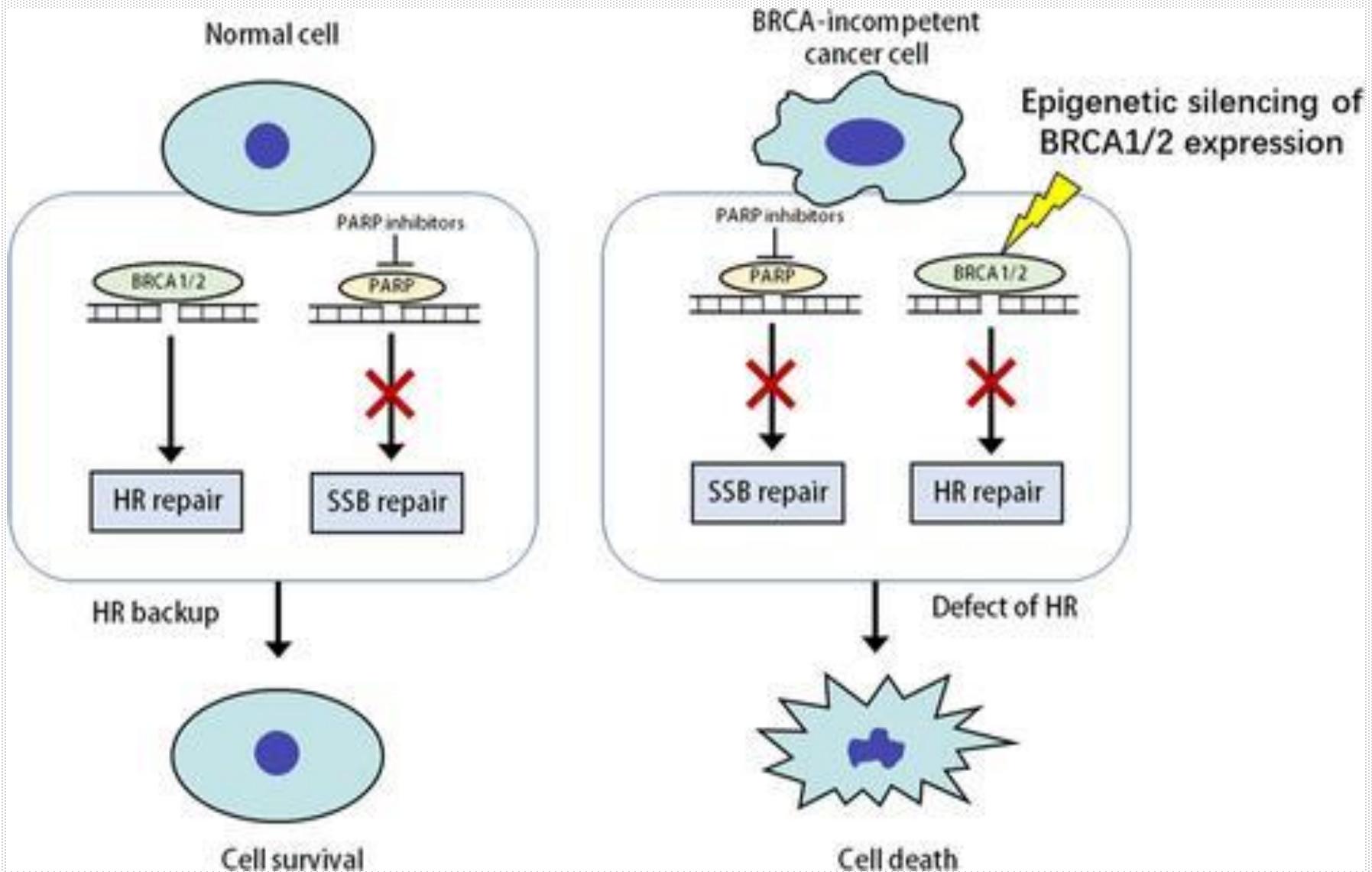


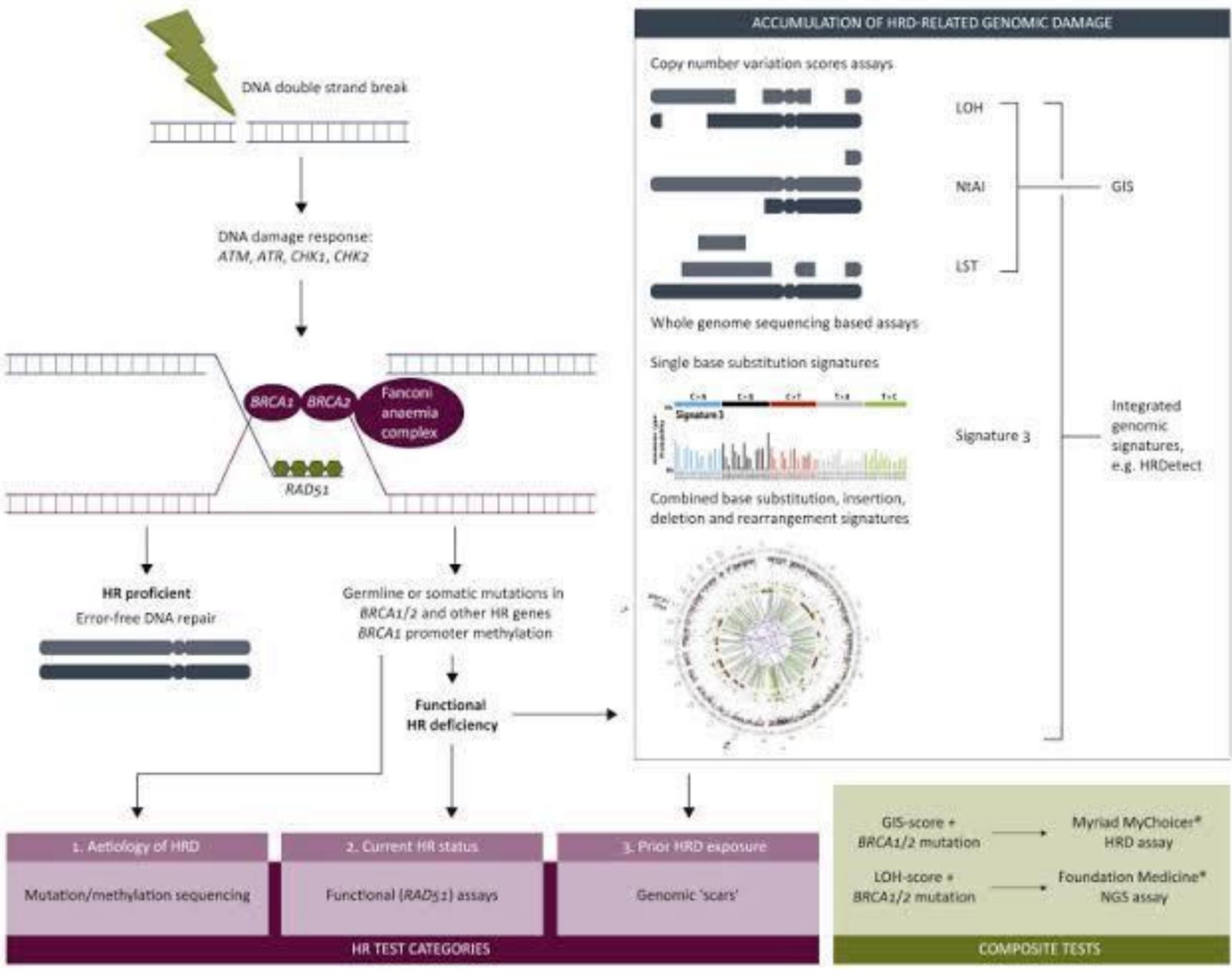
# Direct effect on cancer cells and T Cells

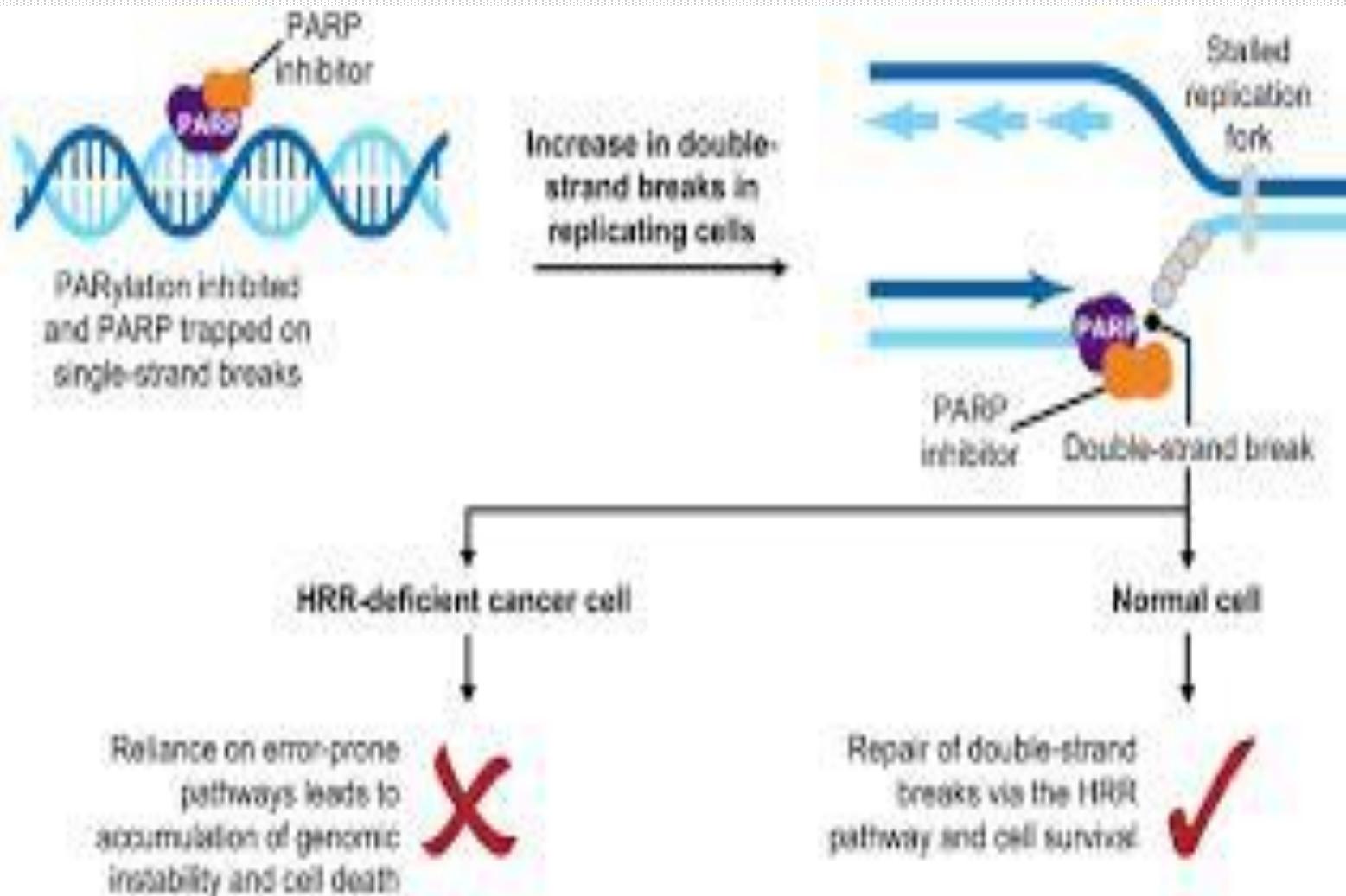


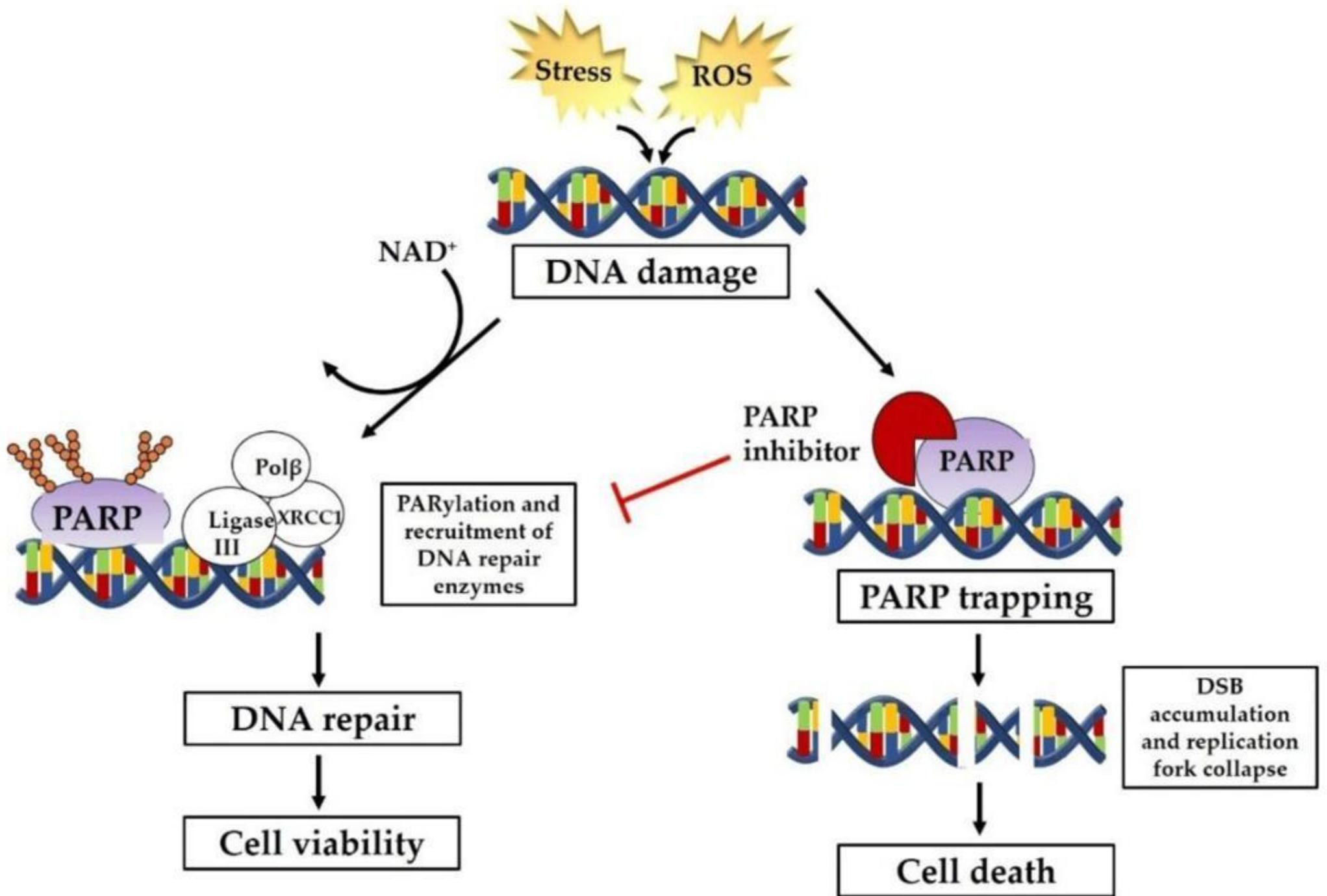
# DNA Repair Mechanisms

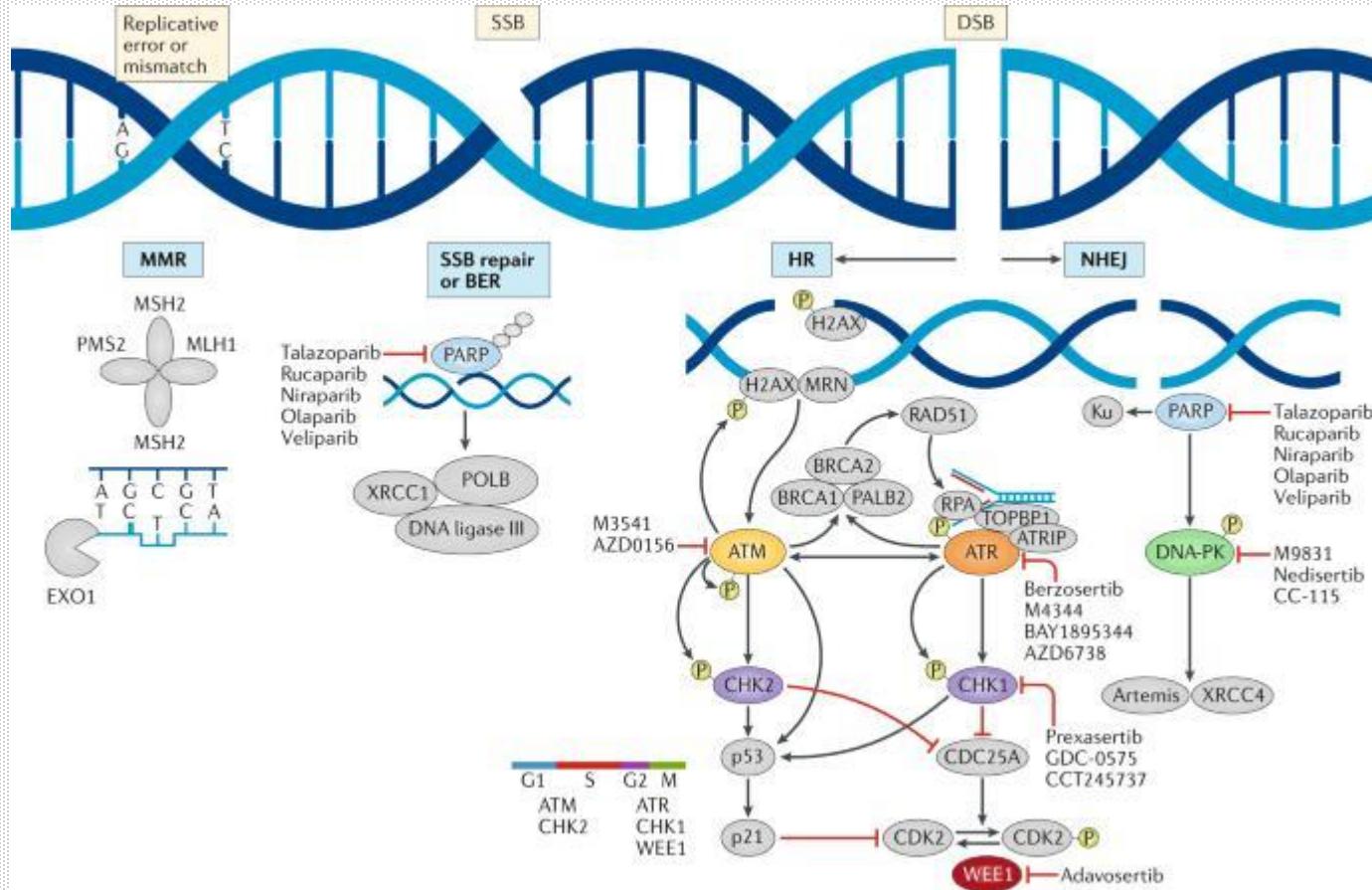












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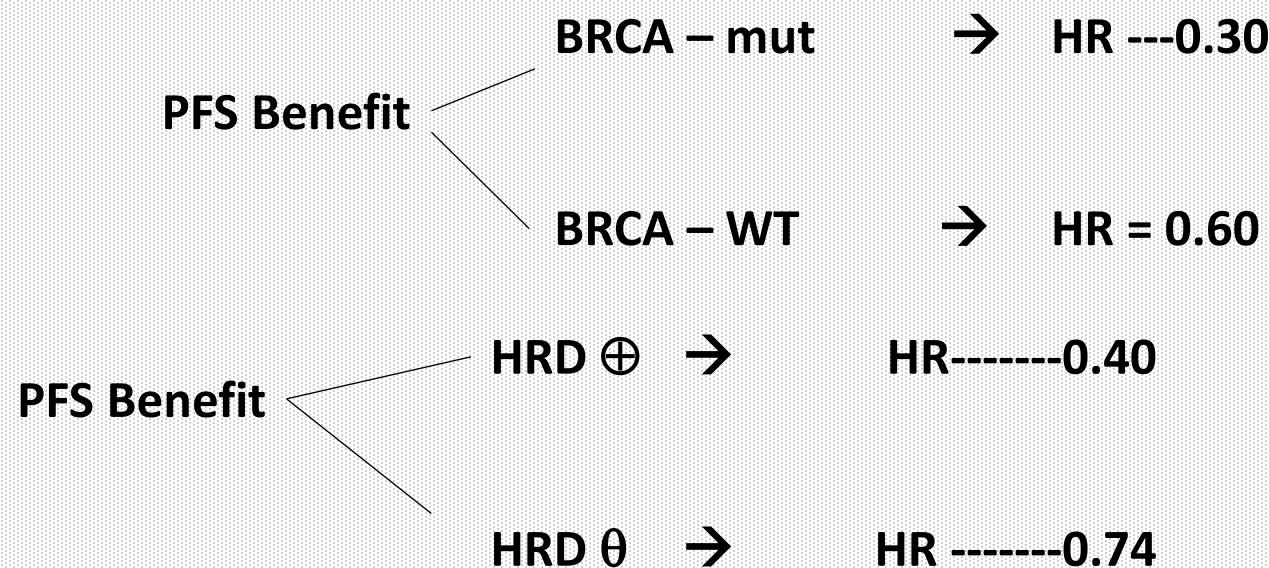
## Predictive Markers

### Ovarian Ca

#### Necessity

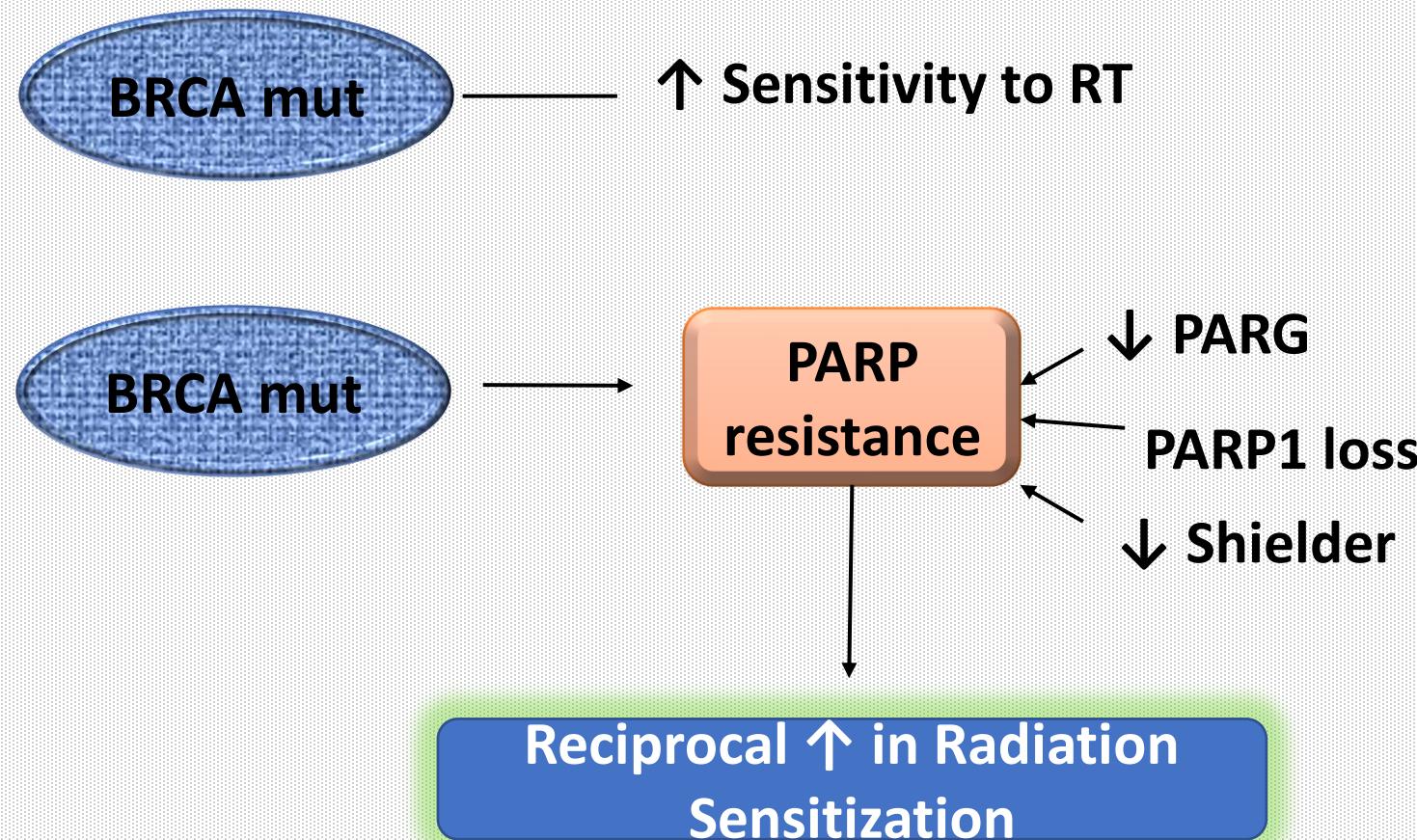
- Only 22 % --- BRCA mut
- Only 50 % --- HRD

#### Metanalysis of Ovarian Ca – PARP I use



*But all ovarian ca – Benefit to some extent*

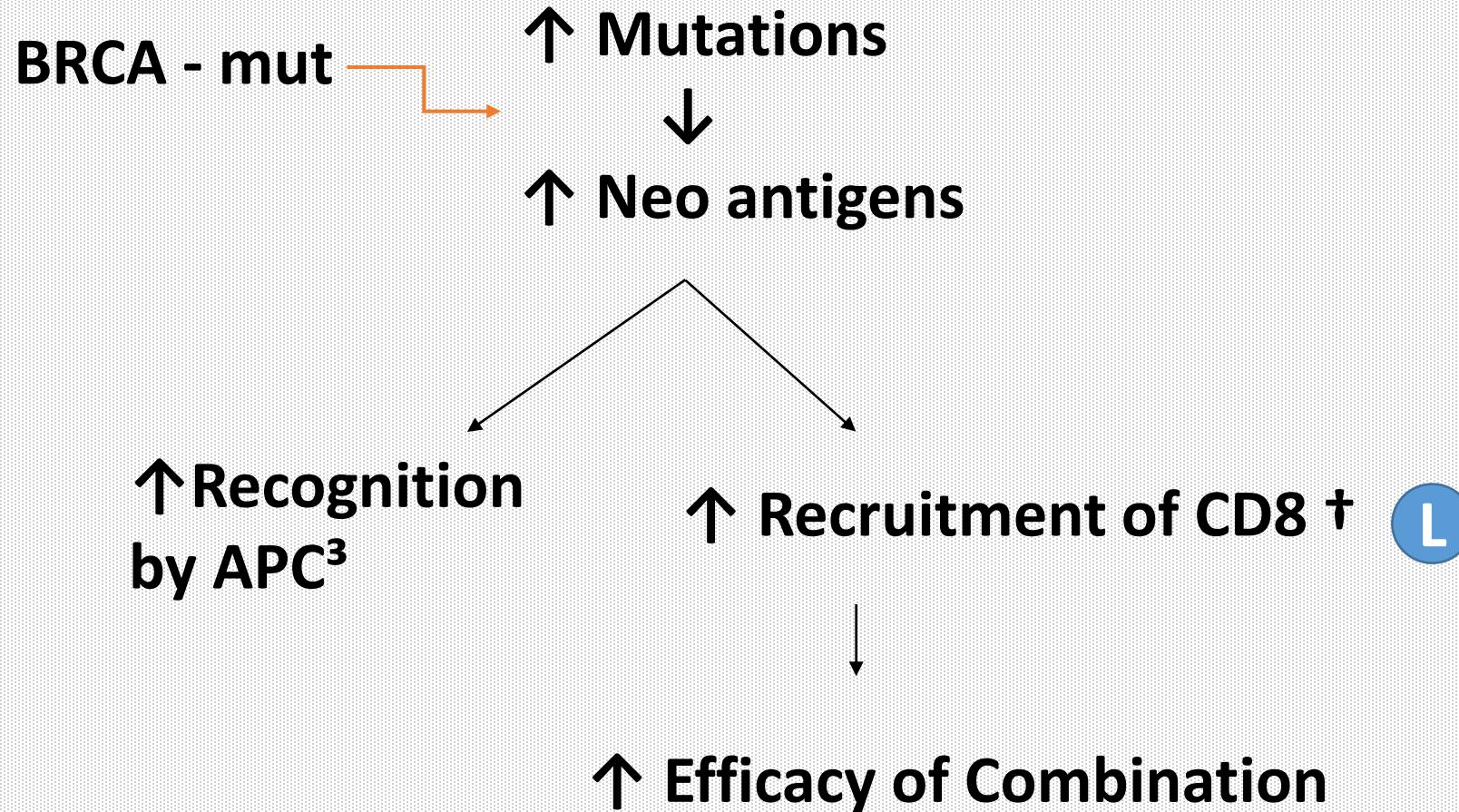
# PARP I + RT



***RT – Good option in PARP – I Resistant Cancers***

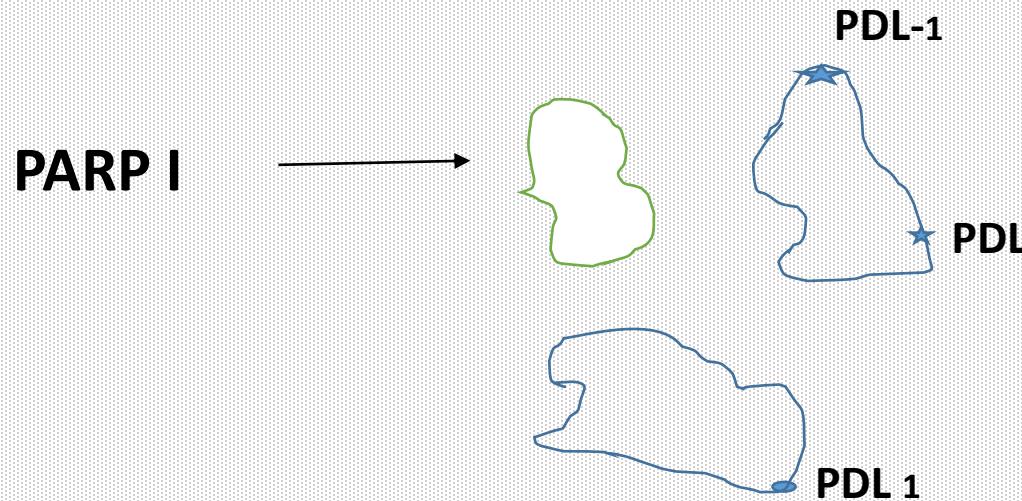
# PARP-1

+ I/O

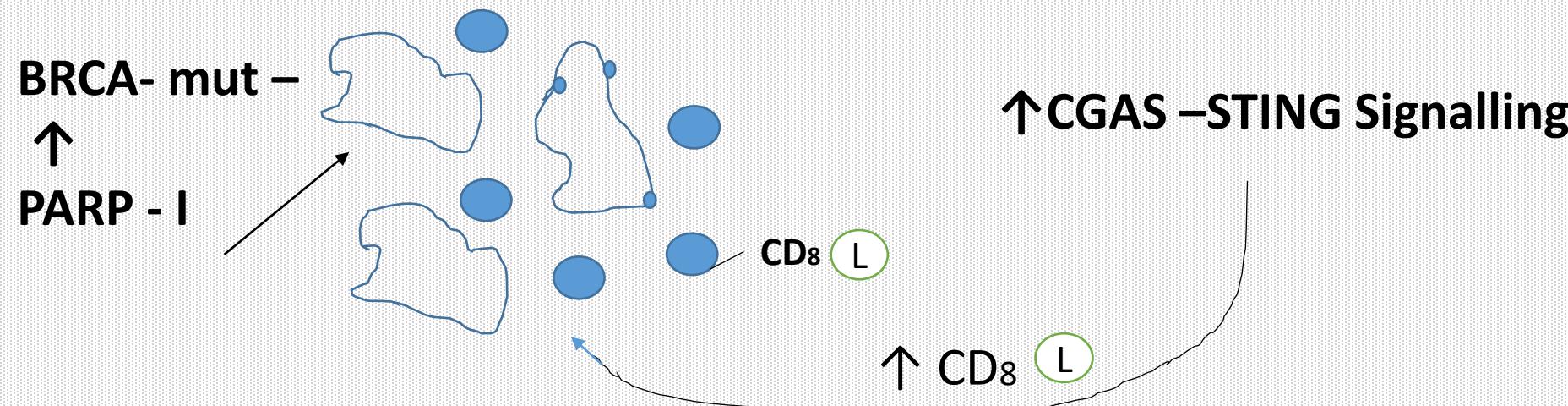


# PARP-I

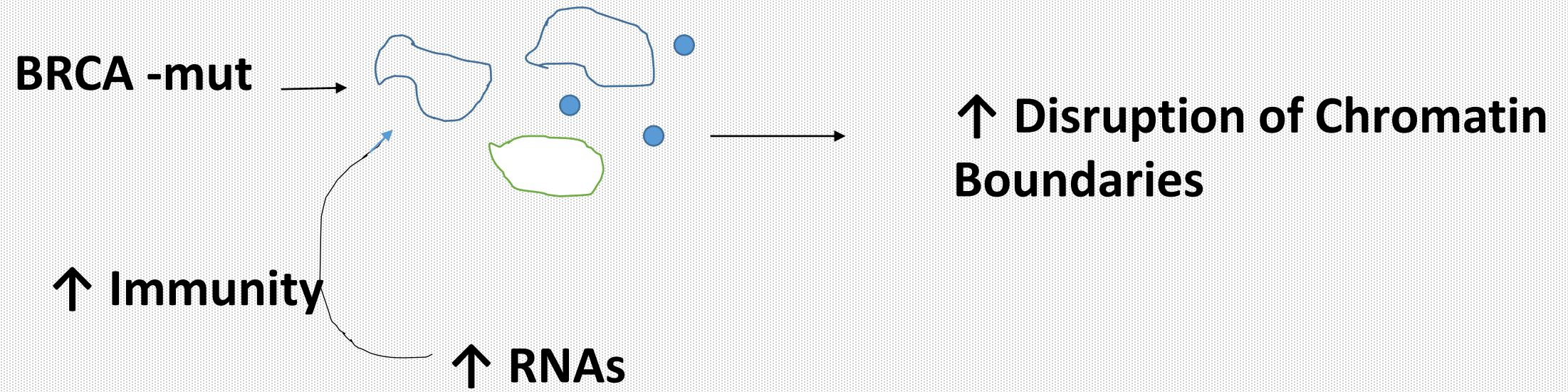
+ I/O



↑ PDL 1



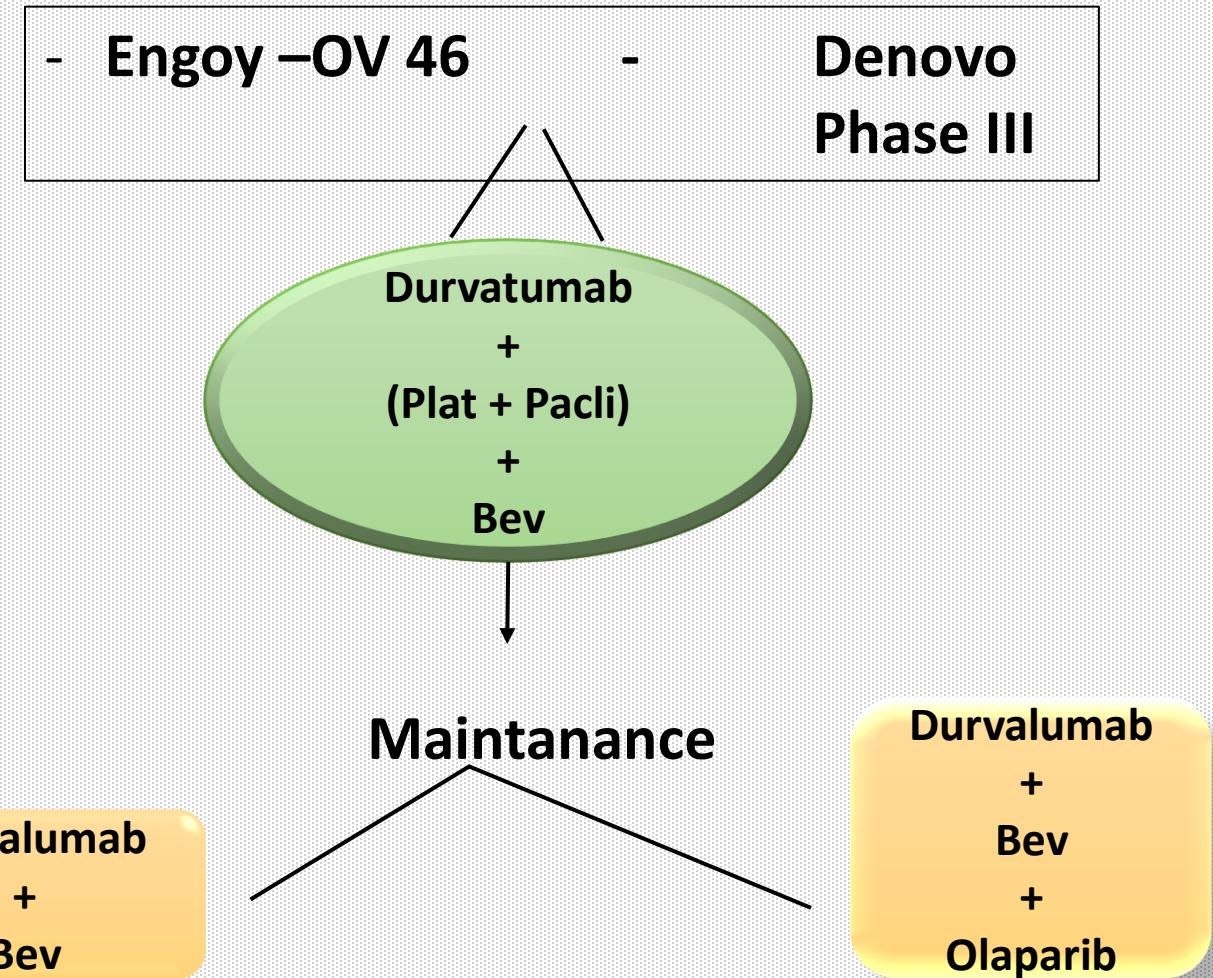
↑ CD8 L



# PARP-I

+ I/O

Several Combinations  
Mostly Ovarian Ca



**PARP-I**

+ I/O

**Key Lynk – 001**

**Phase III**

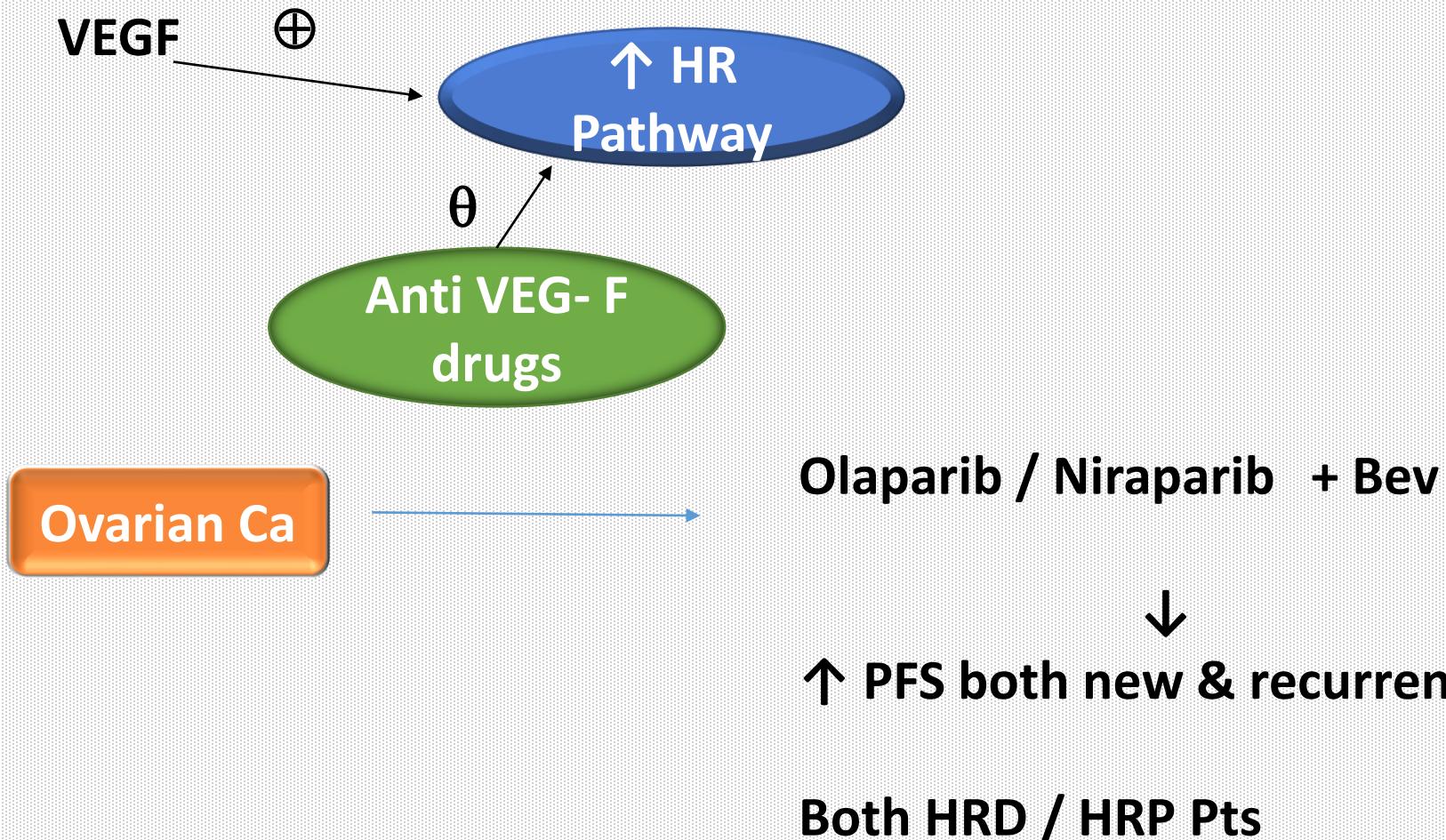
**BRCA -WT**

Pembrolizumab + Chemo      Pem + Chemo

**Maintanance**



# PARP-I + Antiangio drugs



# PARP -I

+

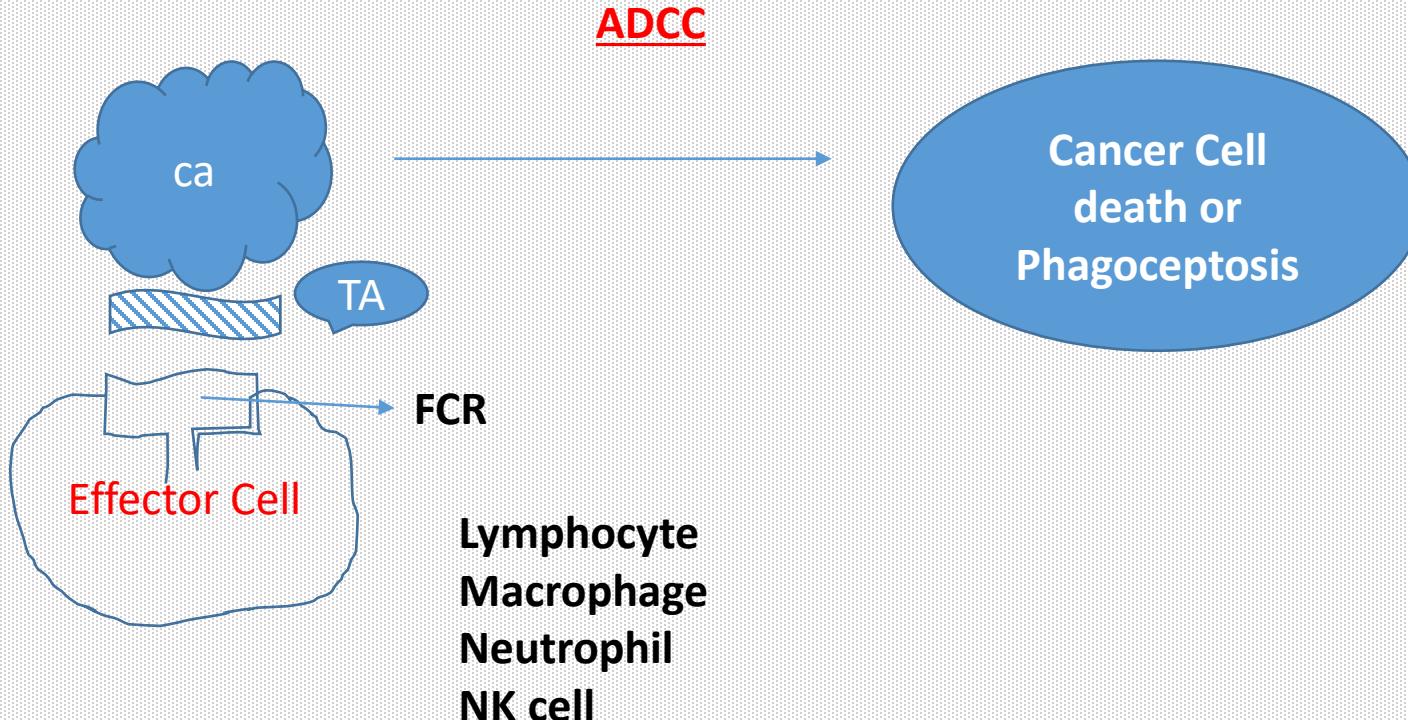
## Cell cycle check point signal blockers

- ATR inhibitors
- Ex : Cancer      ↓ARIDIA
- WEE1 inhibitor ( Adavosertib)  
Can reverse resistance to PARP I  
Now trials with olaparib + Adavosertib
- Mek/ MAP/ ERK path Blocker  
Selumetinib  
Olaparib + Selumetinib
- P13k → AKT →M- TOR path way
  - Alpalerib --> p13k
  - Capivasertib – AKT
- POL Q inhibitors – Ex --Novobiocin

# Resistance % TIL

Prognostic & predictive factor for  
chemo & Herceptin in  
Neoadjuvant setting

Predicts ↑ PCR



Her-2 ---  $\oplus$  /  $\oplus\oplus$

More biologically similar to  
Her -2 +++  
Than to Her-2 - 0

Present with

Larger tumors  
 $\uparrow$  Grade  
 $\uparrow$  Ki – 67%  
 $\uparrow$  N Status

DFS – Closer to Her -2 +++

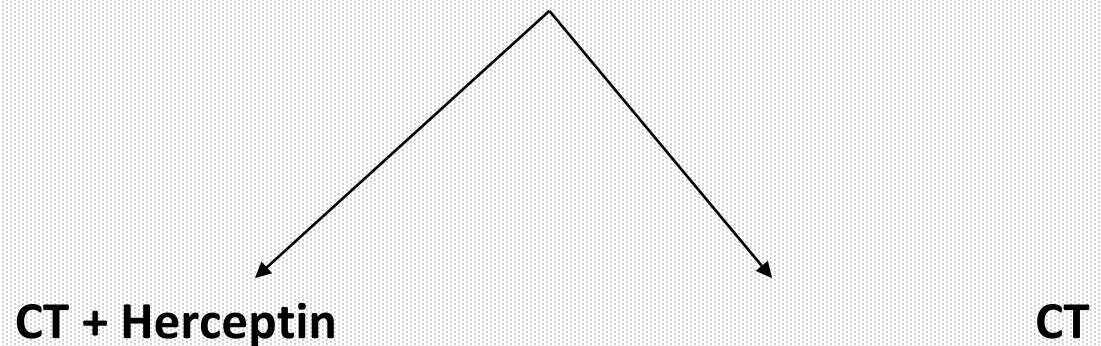
# Low Her-2 Breast Ca

## Failure of Herceptin

NSABP – B47 STUDY

N = 3270

Adjuvant low Her-2 BC

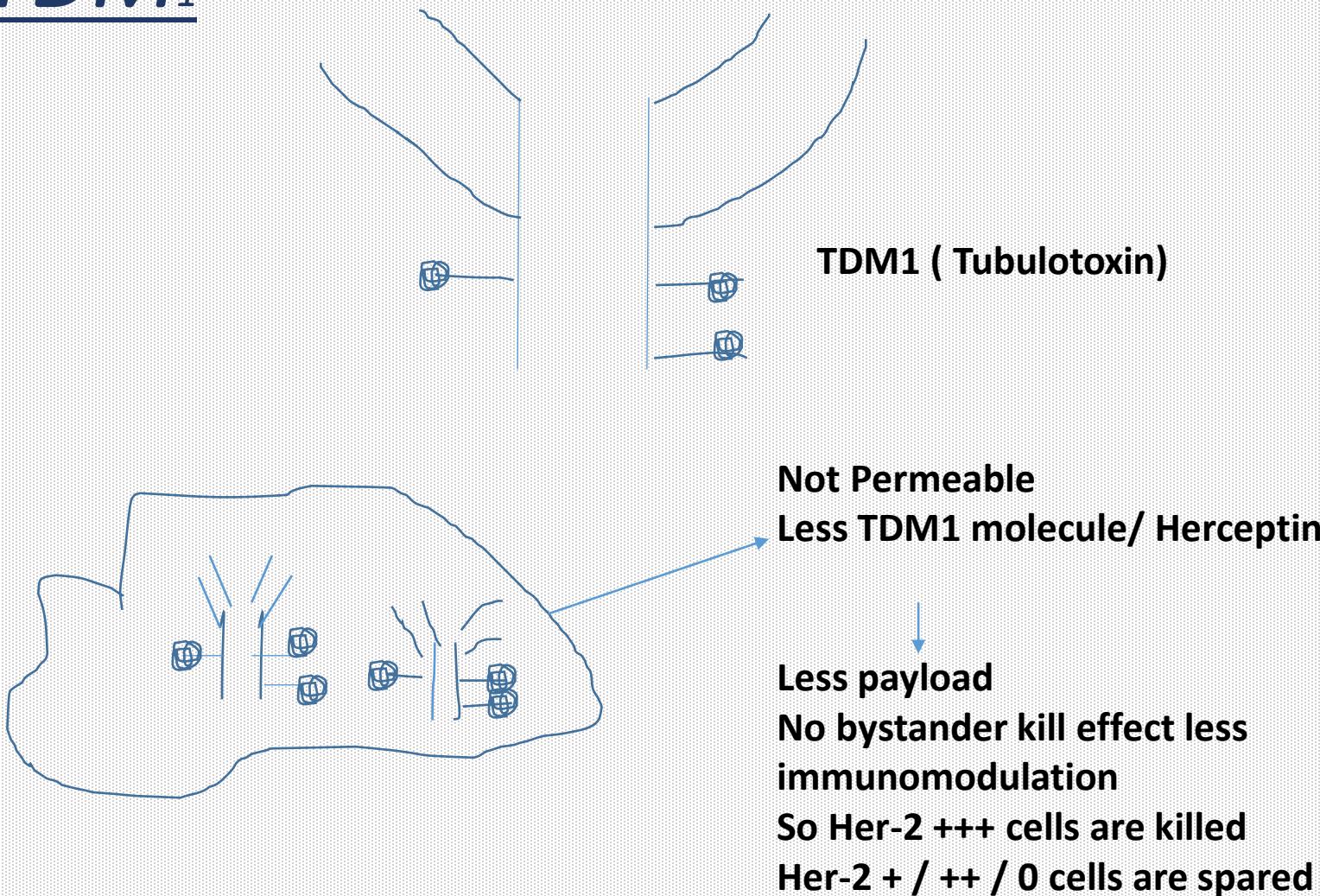


DFS – HR = 0.98

Even Her-2 **++** pts also did not benefit

# Low Her-2

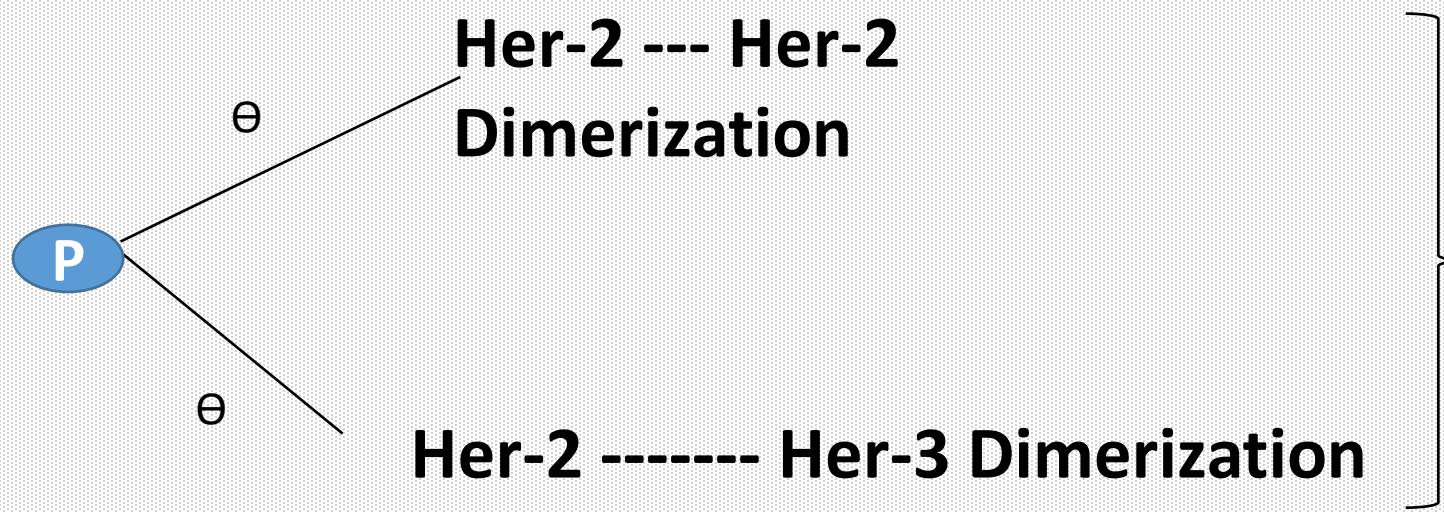
## TDM<sub>1</sub>



Low Her-2 BC  
Pertuzumab  
Phase II Study

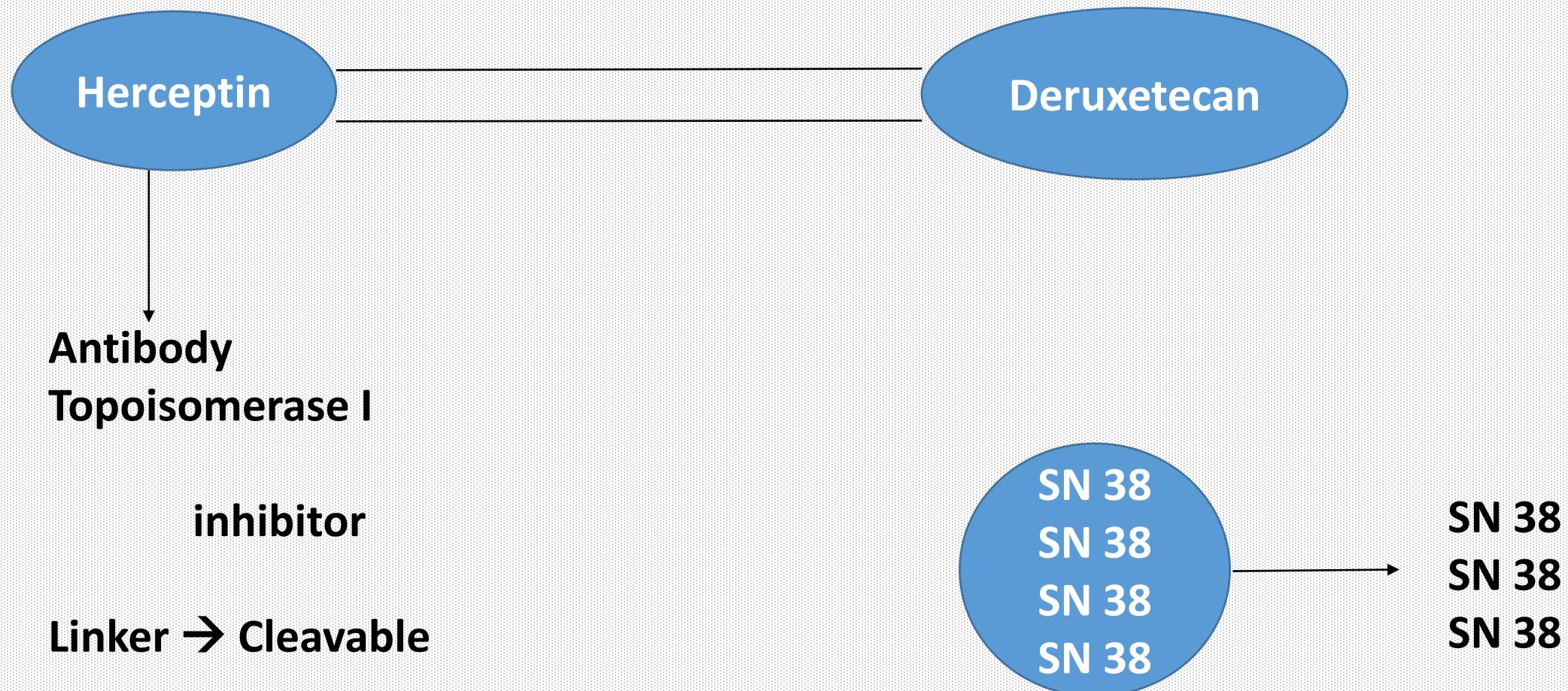


**Negative results**



## Low Her-2 BC

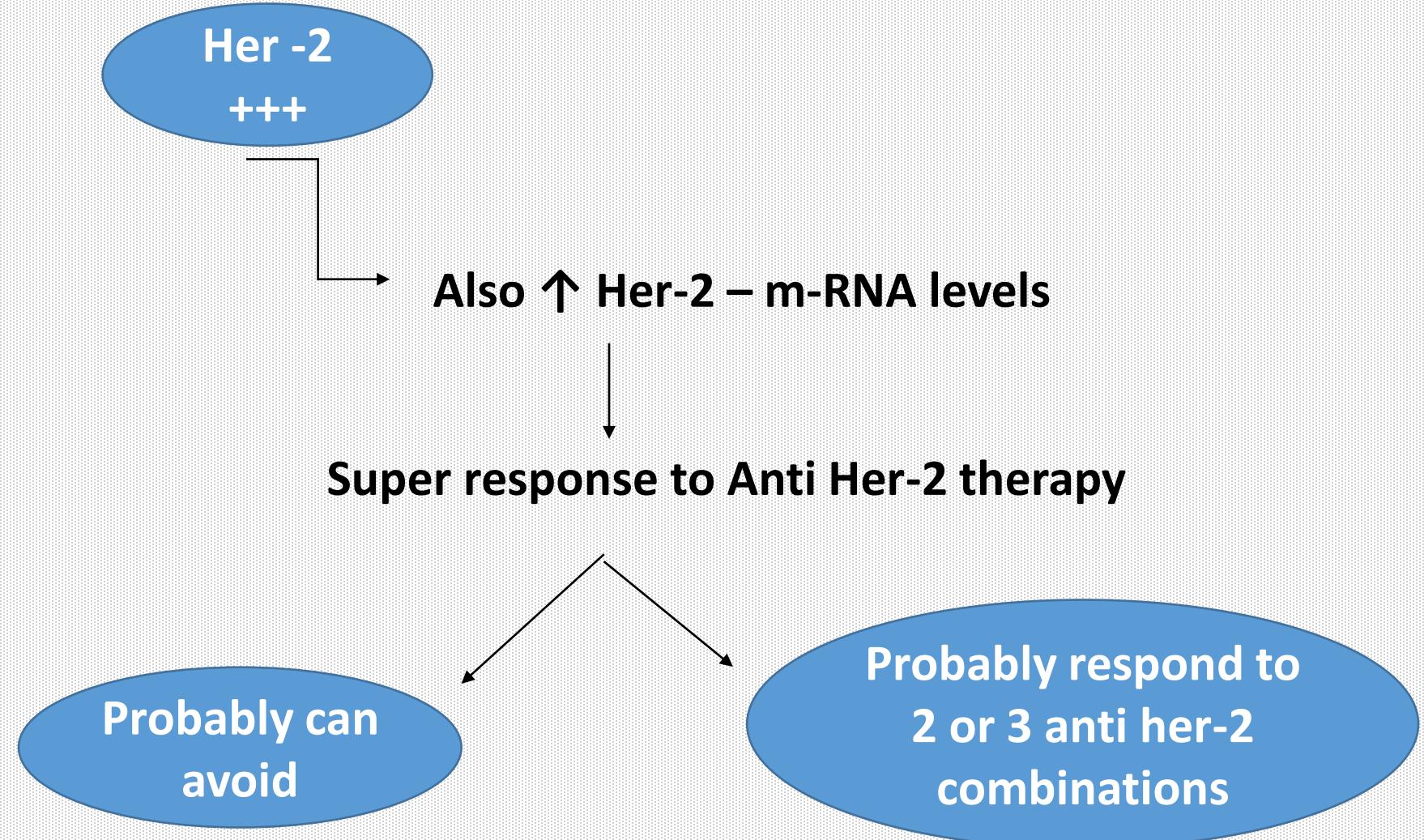
## Trastuzumab – Deruxtecan (T-Dxd)



Herceptin + Deruxtecan = 1:8 (more payload)

# Transcriptomic analysis

## Concept of Her-2 enriched in Breast Ca Pts



# Concept of Circ – Her-2

30% TNBCs

No Her- 2 amplification



Circ – Her-2 was +  
which is pre translational Her-2 gene splice



↑ Her-2 activity -----> ↑ Dimerization of Her-1 & Her – III

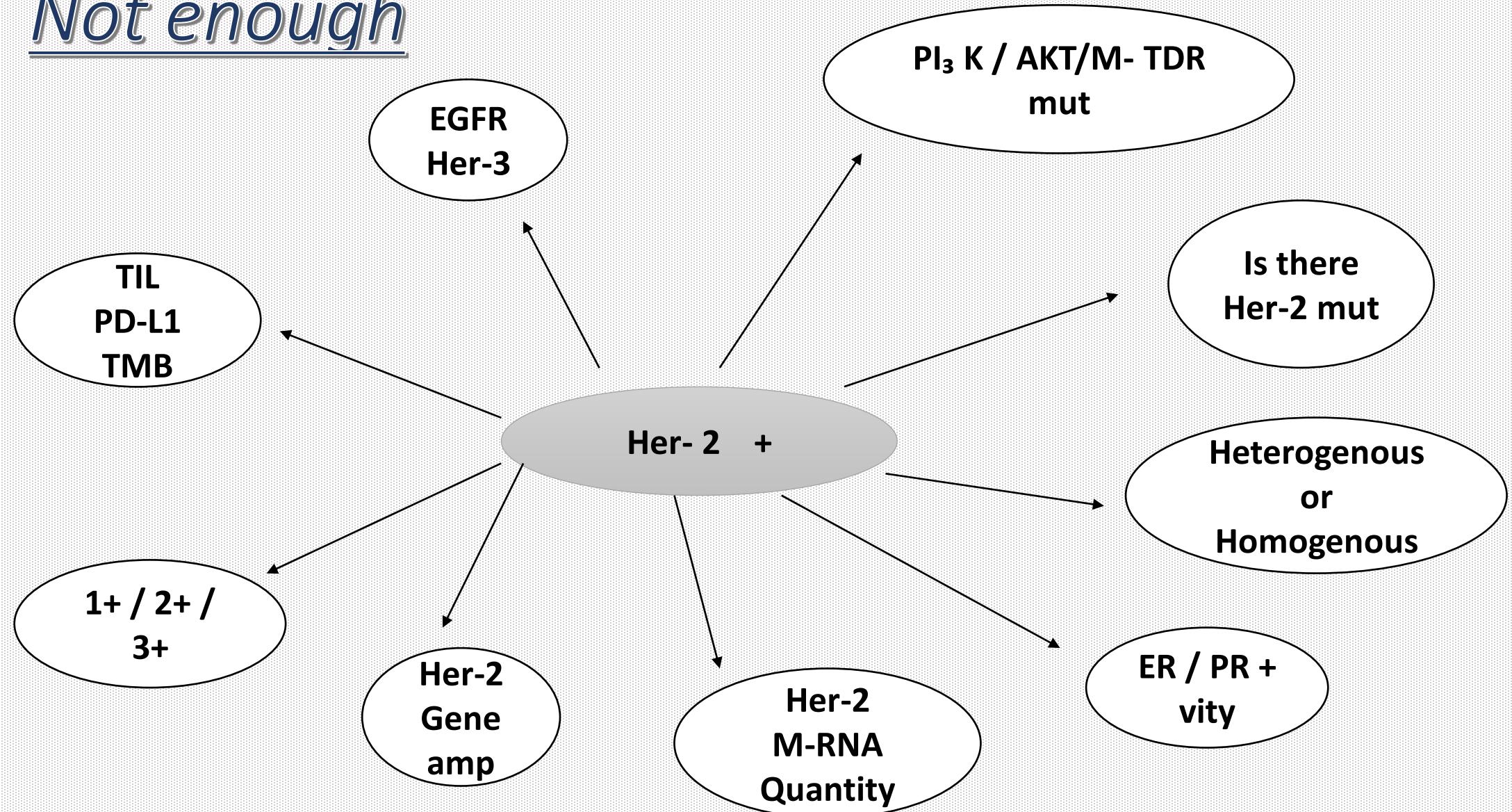


Poor Prognosis



Pertuzumab is effective

# Her-2 $\oplus$ Not enough





**THANK YOU!**