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Validation Analysis of MET IHC as a Biomarker for Amivantamab-Lazertinib Response in Post-Osimertinib *EGFR*-Mutated NSCLC

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Background

- Amivantamab, an EGFR-MET bispecific antibody, is approved in combination with lazertinib for 1L common *EGFR*-mutant NSCLC and with chemotherapy for 1L Ex20ins and 2L common *EGFR*-mutant NSCLC^{1,2}
- In MARIPOSA, 1L amivantamab + lazertinib significantly improved PFS (HR, 0.70; 95% CI, 0.58–0.85; $P < 0.001$)³ and OS (HR, 0.75; 95% CI, 0.61–0.92; $P < 0.005$)⁴ vs osimertinib in participants with *EGFR*-mutant NSCLC
 - Osimertinib resistance mechanisms are diverse and polyclonal, resulting in limited efficacy for subsequent therapies⁵
 - Amivantamab + lazertinib reduced *EGFR*- and *MET*-based resistance mechanisms and resistance complexity vs osimertinib,⁶ thus proactively addressing osimertinib resistance mechanisms
- In Cohort D of the CHRYSALIS-2 study (NCT04077463), preliminary analyses suggested that MET IHC+ may be a potential biomarker for response to amivantamab + lazertinib in the post-osimertinib setting⁷

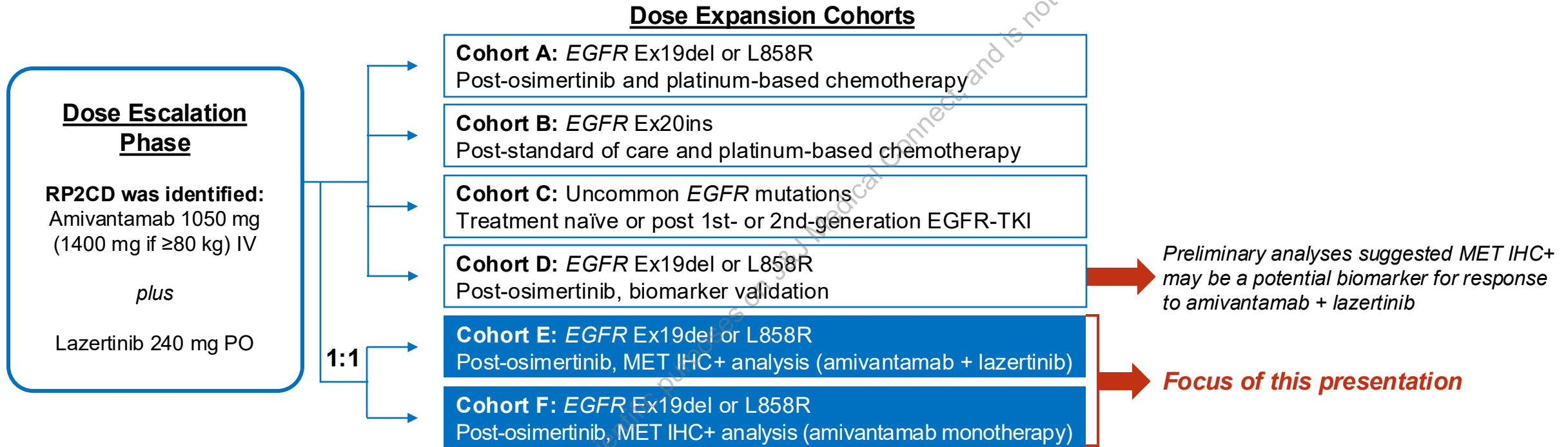
Here, we report findings from Cohorts E and F of CHRYSALIS-2, which prospectively assessed MET IHC+ as a biomarker for response to amivantamab + lazertinib and amivantamab monotherapy, respectively

Note: MET IHC+ was defined as MET 3+ staining on $\geq 25\%$ of tumor cells as measured by IHC.

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CHRYSALIS-2 Study Design



- Tumor tissue was collected after progression on osimertinib for MET IHC analysis
- The Bayesian posterior probability of investigator-assessed ORR for both the MET IHC+ group (ORR >35%) and the MET IHC⁻ group (ORR <20%) should be >85% for further enrollment^a
- Here, we present final results from the response and IHC-evaluable population^b

Note: ClinicalTrials.gov Identifier: NCT04077463. MET IHC+ was defined as MET 3+ staining on ≥25% of tumor cells as measured by IHC. ^aCriteria for further enrollment at the interim analysis. ^bClinical cutoff was 31-Jan-2025.



Baseline Demographics and Clinical Characteristics

- Similar to prior analyses (Cohort D: 36%¹), 37% of participants across Cohorts E and F had MET IHC+ tumors after disease progression on osimertinib

Characteristic, n (%)	Cohort E: Amivantamab + Lazertinib (N=96)		Cohort F: Amivantamab Monotherapy (N=91)	
	MET IHC+ (n=37)	MET IHC- (n=59)	MET IHC+ (n=33)	MET IHC- (n=58)
Median age, years (range)	60 (32–77)	61 (34–88)	61 (35–80)	64 (34–83)
Female	25 (68)	39 (66)	23 (70)	37 (64)
Race				
Asian	18 (49)	22 (37)	22 (67)	33 (57)
White	18 (49)	37 (63)	10 (30)	23 (40)
Other ^a	1 (3)	0	1 (3)	2 (3)
ECOG PS score of 1	24 (65)	34 (58)	26 (79)	39 (67)
Brain metastases at baseline	11 (30)	18 (31)	9 (27)	16 (28)
EGFR mutation type				
Ex19del	24 (65)	40 (68)	22 (67)	34 (59)
L858R	13 (35)	19 (32)	11 (33)	24 (41)

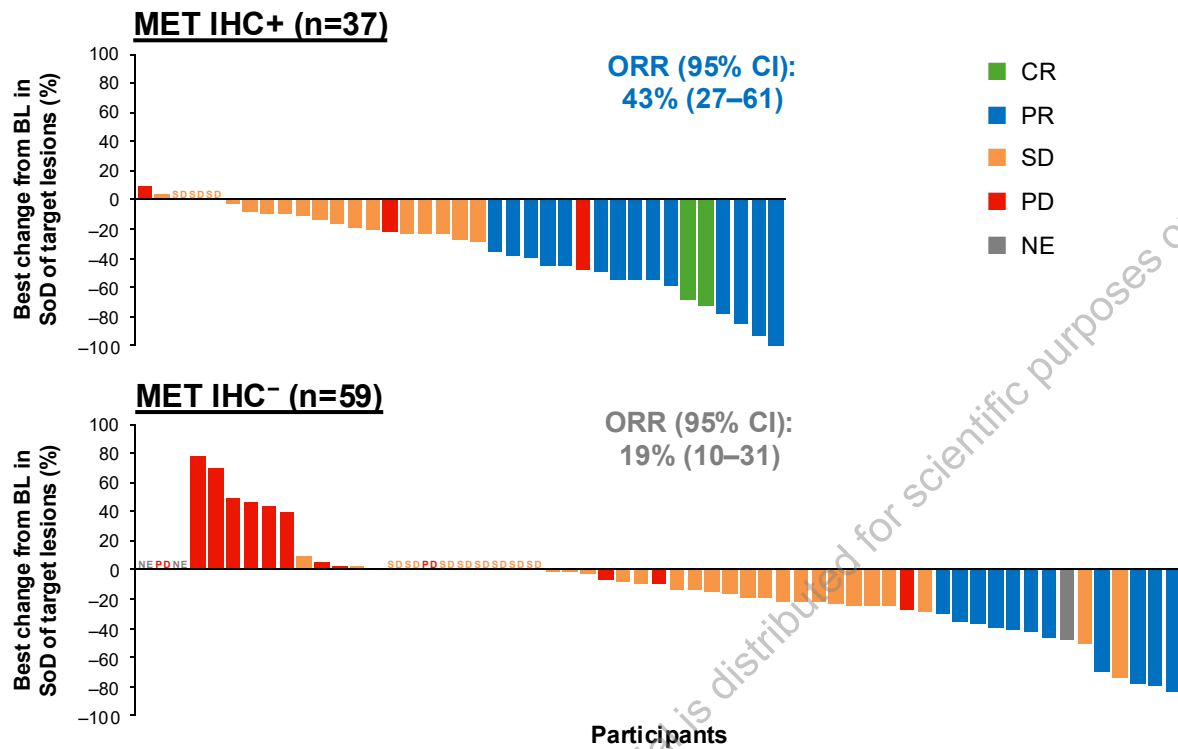
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Best Overall Response

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Cohort E: Amivantamab + Lazertinib
Median follow-up = 7.4 months

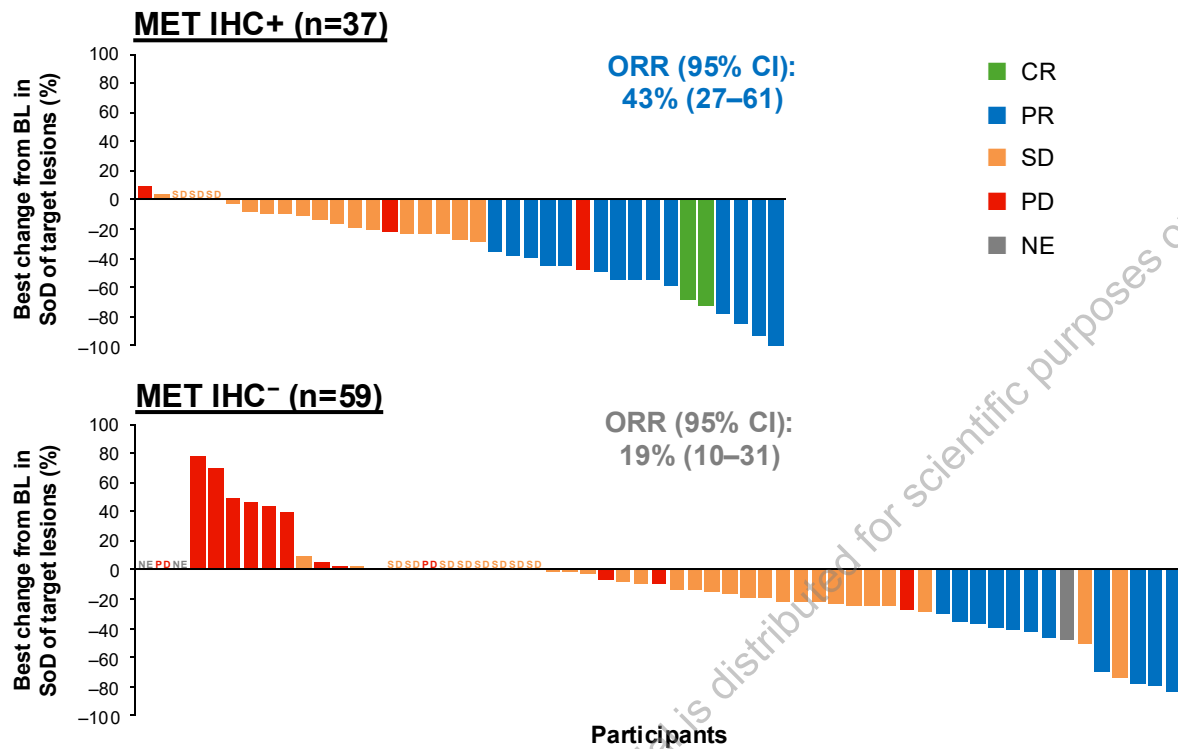


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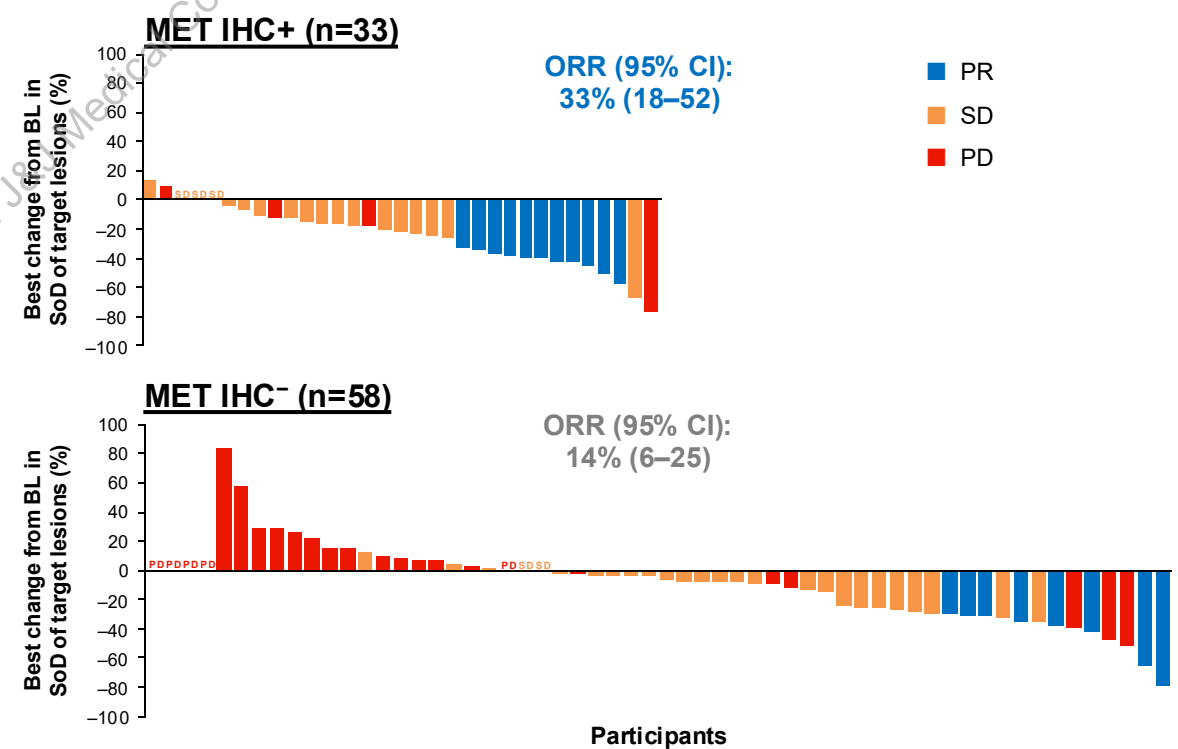
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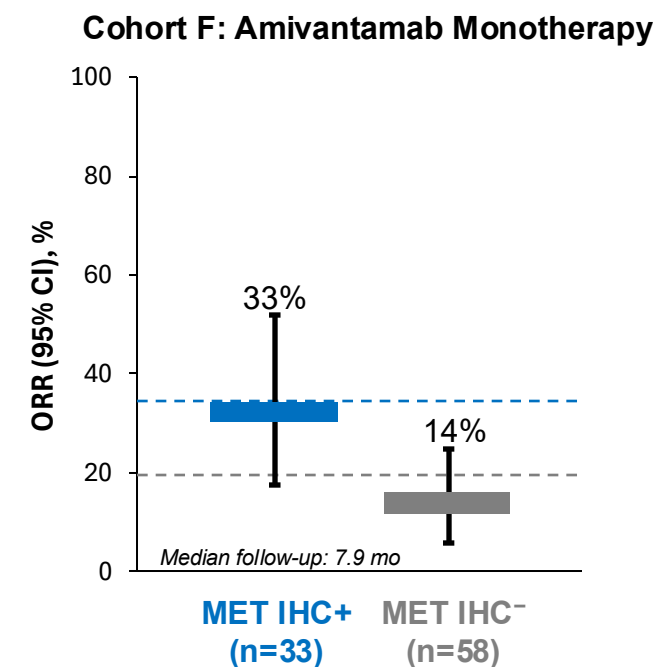
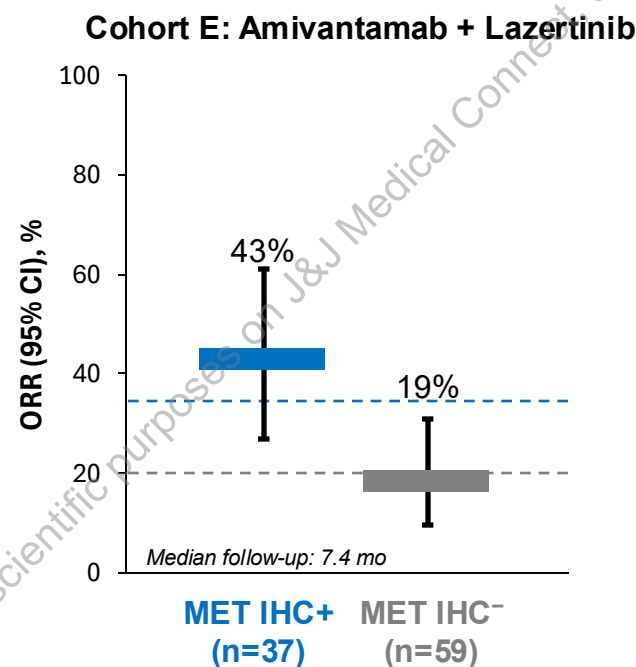
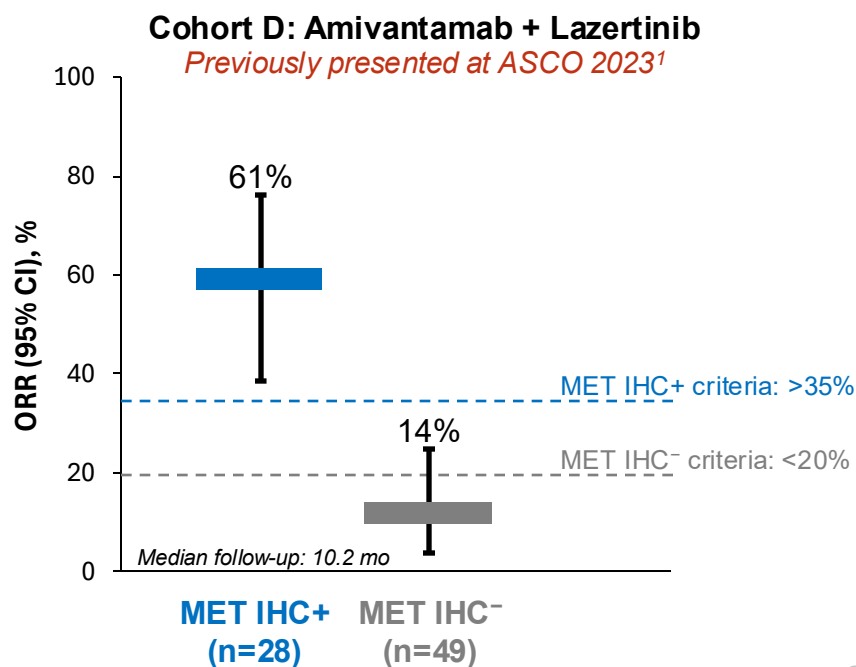
Cohort F: Amivantamab Monotherapy
Median follow-up = 7.9 months



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Objective Response Rate

- MET IHC+ was not validated as a biomarker strategy for amivantamab + lazertinib or amivantamab monotherapy
- ORRs were numerically higher in MET IHC+ vs MET IHC⁻; however, the prespecified thresholds were not met at the interim analysis



- Median PFS for MET IHC+ vs MET IHC⁻, respectively, was 7.6 months (95% CI, 4.4–NE) vs 4.0 months (95% CI, 2.8–5.2) in Cohort E and 6.1 months (95% CI, 2.8–8.3) vs 4.1 months (95% CI, 1.6–5.6) in Cohort F

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Conclusions

- In this current analysis of ~100 participants in each cohort whose disease had progressed after osimertinib:
 - MET IHC+ was not associated with response to amivantamab + lazertinib or amivantamab monotherapy
 - Differences in ORR did not reach the prespecified thresholds, and responses were observed in participants regardless of MET IHC status
- MET IHC is not a biomarker strategy for response to amivantamab + lazertinib or amivantamab monotherapy



From MARIPOSA, 1L amivantamab + lazertinib is recommended for all patients with advanced or metastatic *EGFR* exon 19 deletion- or L858R-mutant NSCLC based on the previously demonstrated superior median PFS and OS vs osimertinib^{1,2}

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