

## Appendix A

**Table 1.** Overall survival by patient's characteristics.

	N (events)	Overall survival, %			p
		12m	60m	120m	
<b>All patients</b>	653 (62)	99.8	91.9	81.2	
<b>Age, years</b>					
<50	159 (17)	100.0	88.2	77.7	
≥50	494 (45)	99.8	93.1	82.4	0.39
<b>cT</b>					
cT1	430 (36)	100.0	93.7	81.6	
cT2	197 (21)	99.5	90.3	82.0	
cT3	26 (5)	100.0	74.3		<b>0.014</b>
<b>cN</b>					
cN0	519 (39)	100.0	94.0	83.1	
cN1	134 (23)	99.3	84.3	74.4	<b>0.003</b>
<b>Stage</b>					
I	372 (26)	100.0	95.5	83.7	
II	268 (32)	99.6	88.0	79.1	
III	13 (4)	100.0	74.0		<b>&lt;0.05</b>
<b>Frozen section before IORT?</b>					
Yes	596 (59)	99.8	92.2	81.4	
No	53 (2)	100.0	95.0		0.61
<b>Was margin extension performed after IORT?</b>					
Yes	151 (17)	100.0	88.7	82.7	
No	495 (45)	99.8	93.0	81.0	0.22
<b>Final paraffin "R" situation</b>					
R0	600 (56)	99.8	92.6	81.8	
R1	52 (6)	100.0	81.5	74.7	0.13
<b>Applicator diameter, cm</b>					

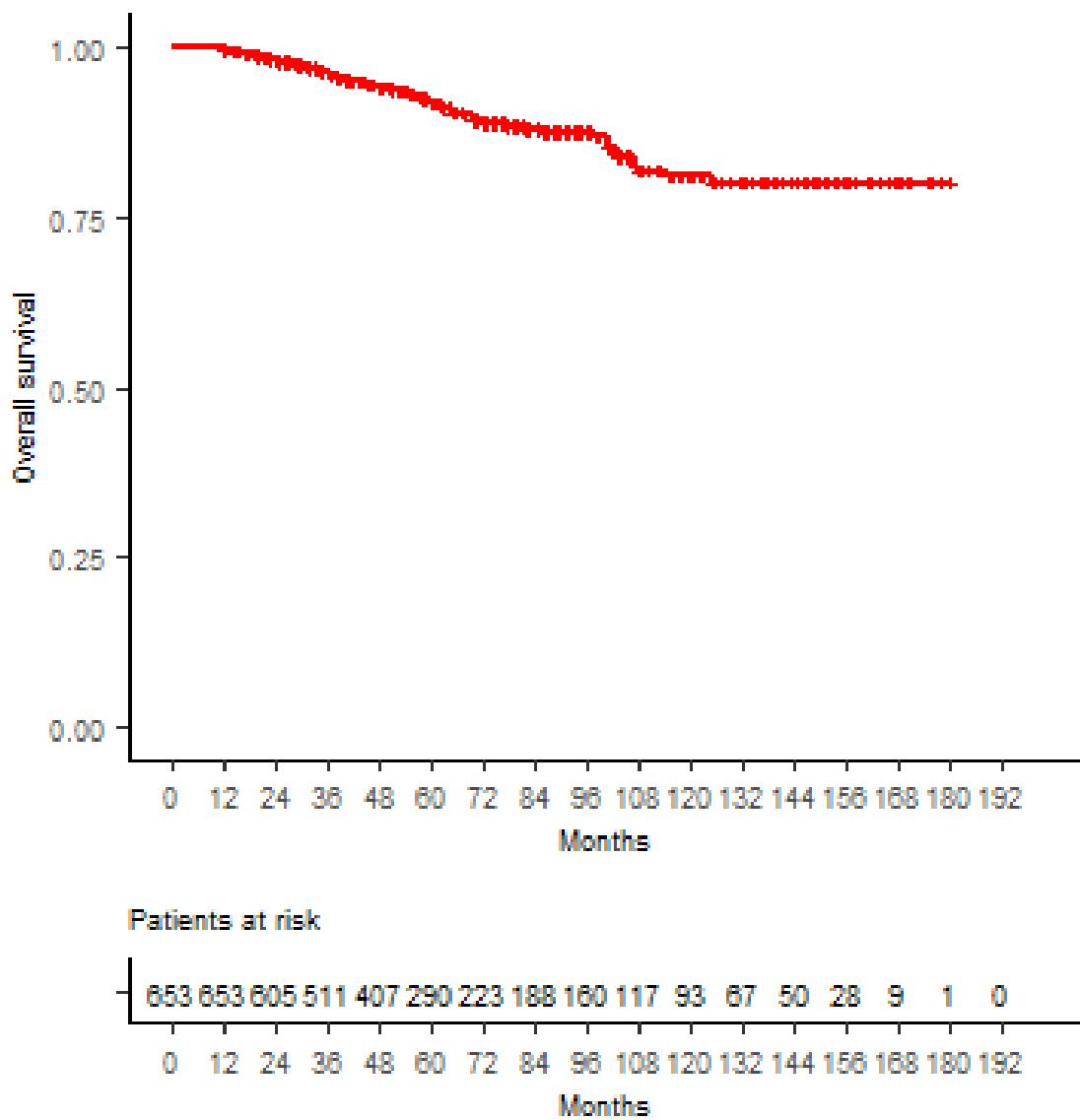
≤3	100 (9)	100.0	91.5	84.7	
≥3.5	509 (45)	99.8	92.1	81.3	0.53
<b>Hormone therapy</b>					
No	105 (14)	100.0	85.5	72.2	
Yes	548 (48)	99.8	93.0	82.6	<b>0.029</b>
<b>Adjuvant chemotherapy</b>					
No	348 (28)	100.0	94.2	85.7	
Yes	305 (34)	99.7	89.1	72.0	<b>0.018</b>
<b>Fractionation</b>					
Hypofractionation (>2Gy/Fx)	159 (3)	100.0	93.6		
Normofractionation (1.8- 2Gy/Fx)	492 (59)	99.8	91.2	80.5	0.058
<b>(y)pT</b>					
(y)pT0	28 (3)	100.0	90.1		
(y)pT1	435 (39)	100.0	92.6	81.0	
(y)pT2	190 (20)	99.5	90.6	82.6	0.56
<b>(y)pN</b>					
(y)pN(-)	501 (36)	100.0	94.6	84.0	
(y)pN(+)	152 (26)	99.3	83.2	72.3	<b>&lt;0.05</b>
<b>Grade</b>					
G1	91 (2)	100.0	100.0	91.7	
G2	331 (30)	99.7	92.5	84.3	
G3	164 (19)	100.0	88.3	77.1	<b>0.036</b>
<b>Estrogen receptors</b>					
Positive	549 (48)	99.8	92.9	82.3	
Negative	100 (14)	100.0	86.0	74.0	<b>0.029</b>
<b>Progesterone receptors</b>					
Positive	499 (43)	99.8	93.2	82.1	
Negative	148 (19)	100.0	87.2	77.7	<b>0.016</b>
<b>HER2</b>					
Positive	105 (13)	100.0	89.8	77.6	
Negative	540 (49)	99.8	92.3	81.7	0.25

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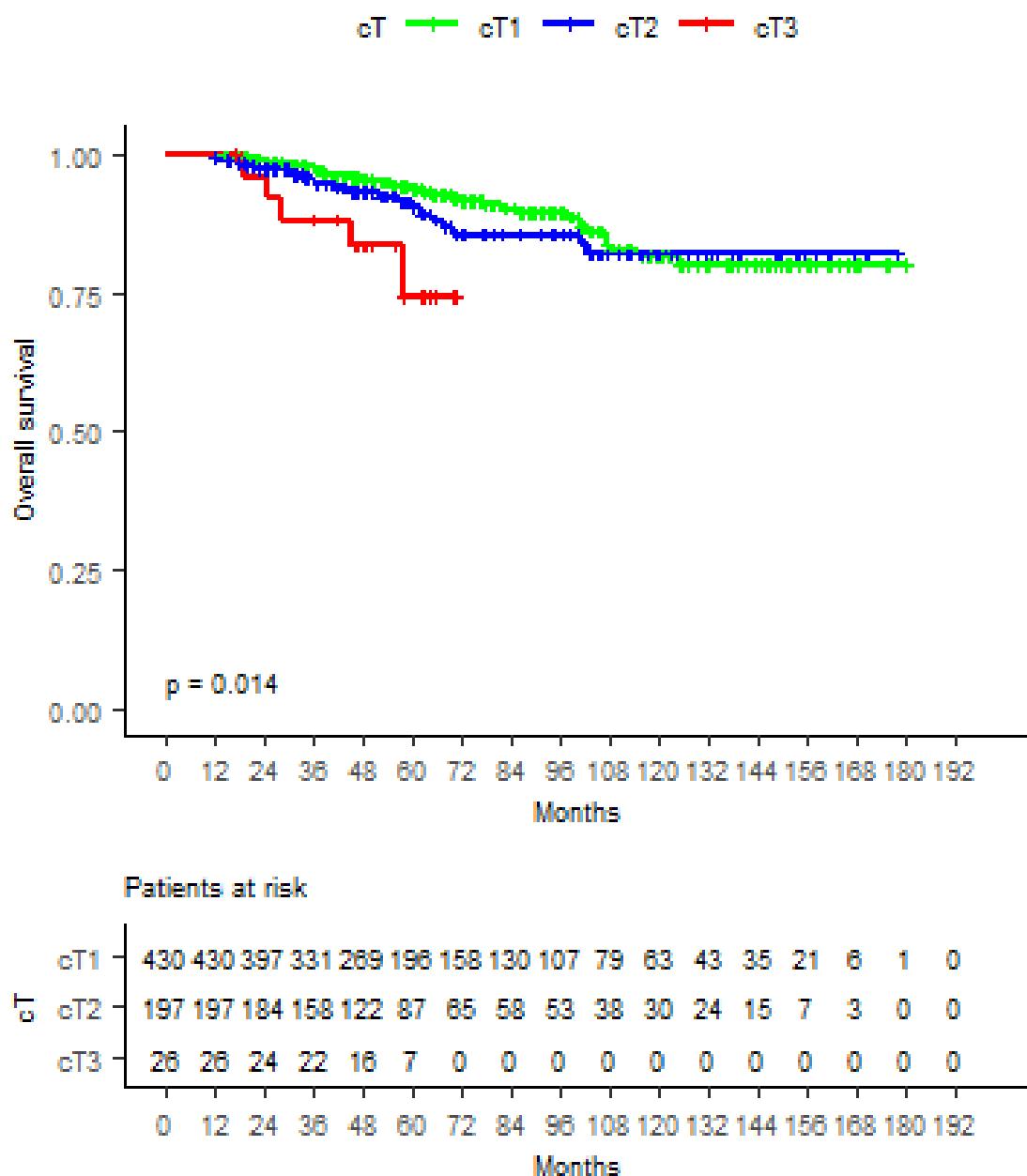
<b>Subtype</b>					
Triple negative	68 (9)	100.0	86.7	72.0	
Luminal A	91 (4)	100.0	83.4		
Luminal B	80 (5)	100.0	93.5		
HER2,Luminal/HER2	95 (10)	100.0	91.4	79.0	0.53

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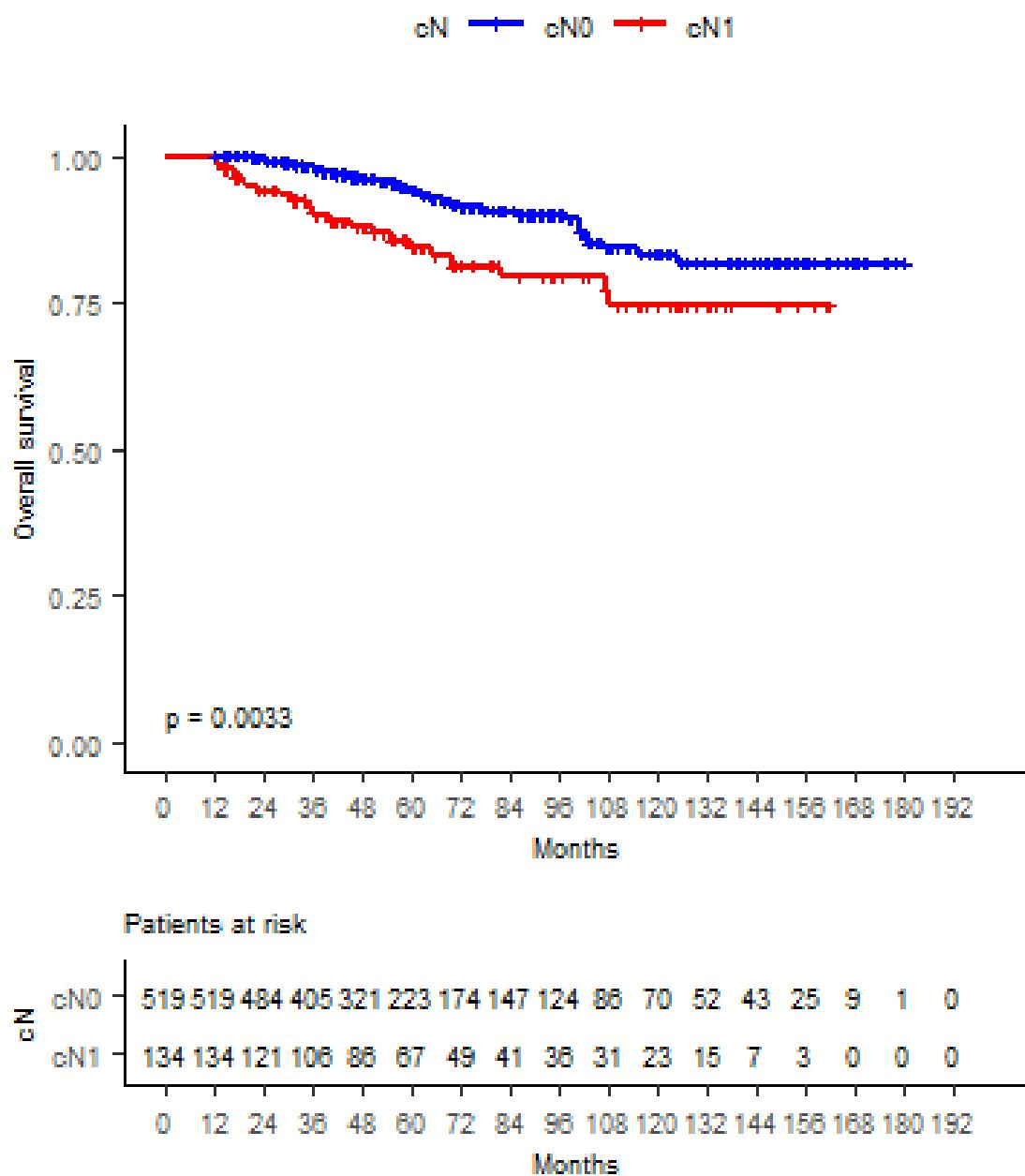
**Figure 1. Overall survival.**



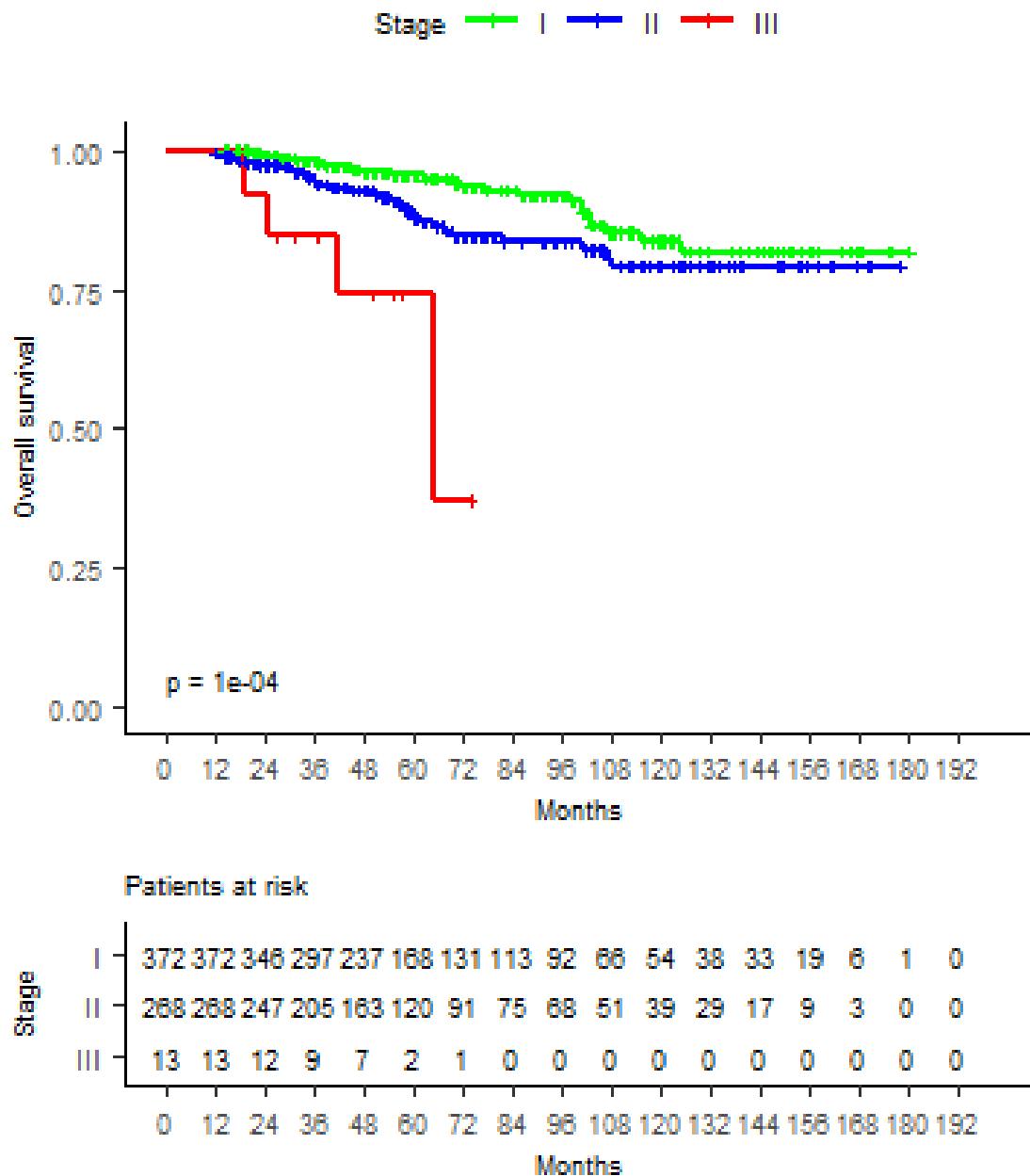
**Figure 2. Overall survival according to cT.**



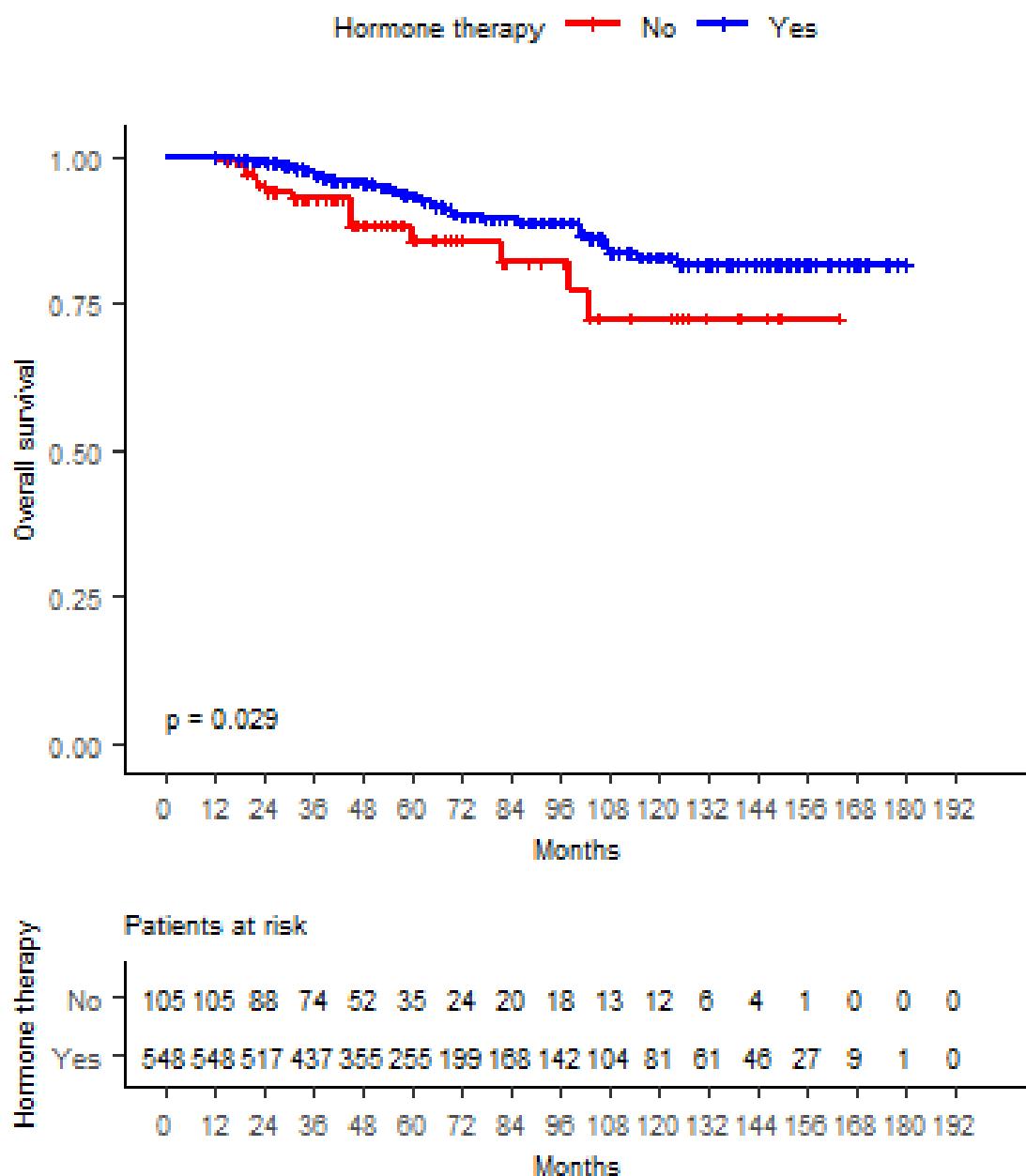
**Figure 3. Overall survival according to cN.**



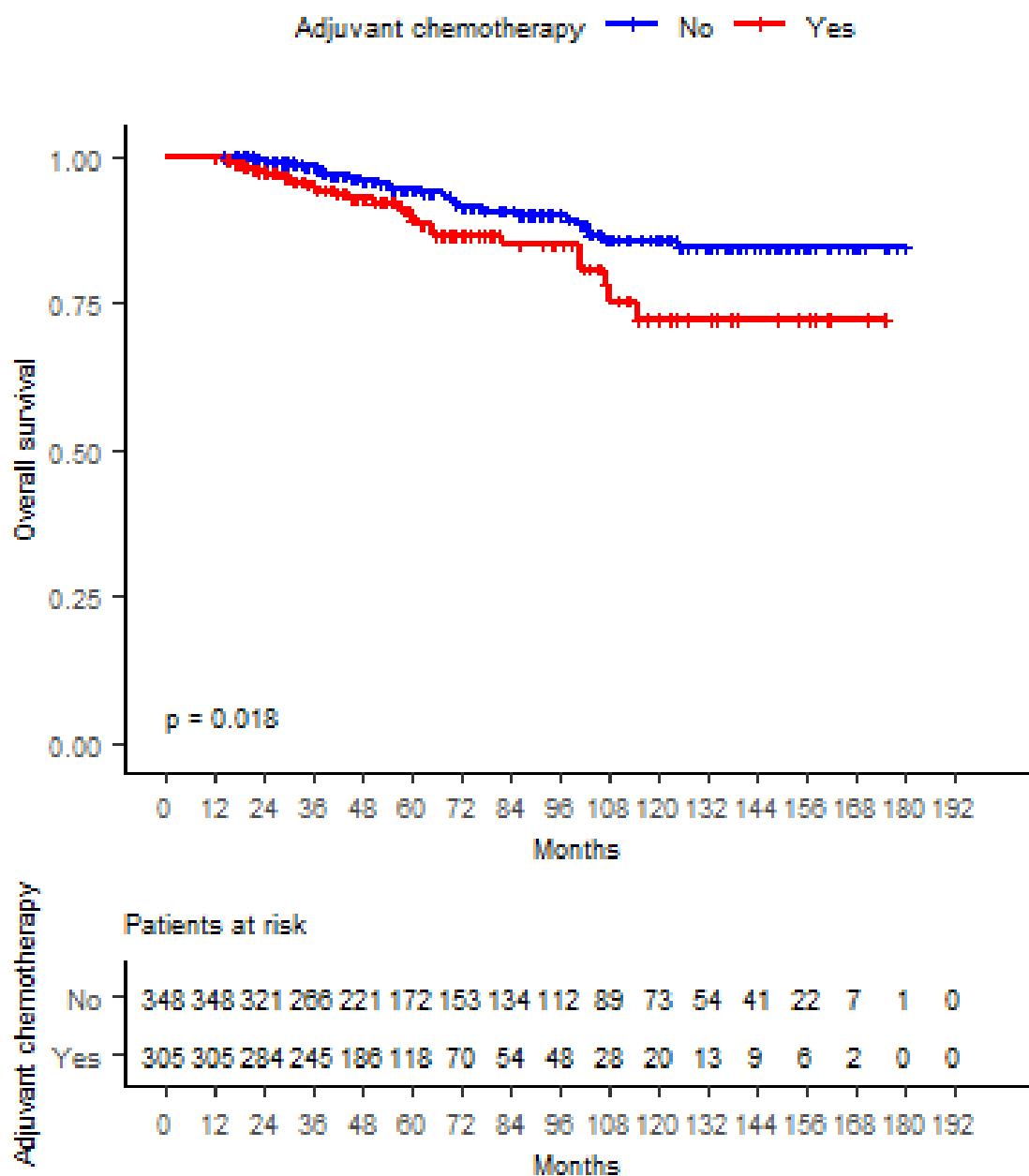
**Figure 4.** Overall survival according to stage.



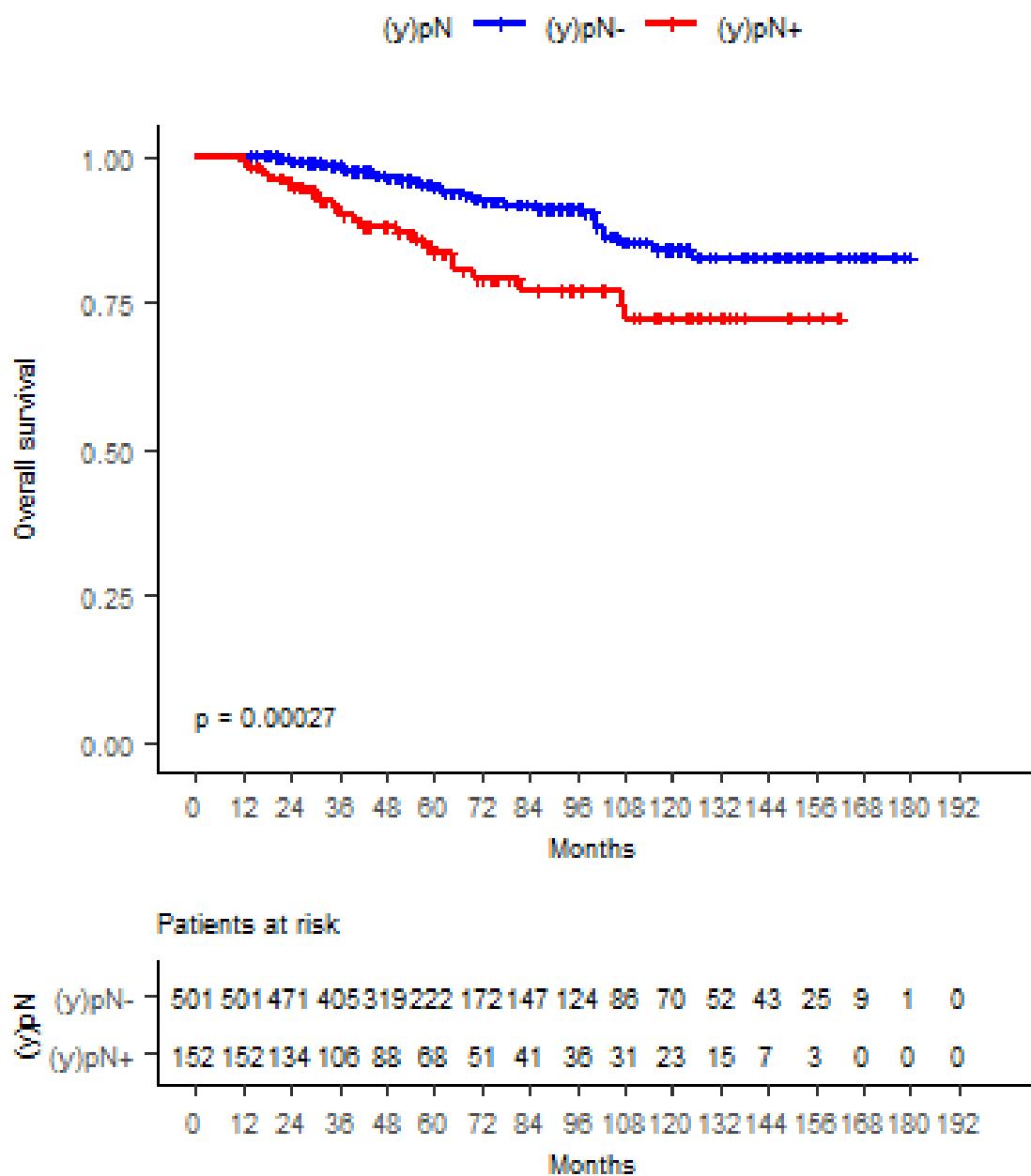
**Figure 5. Overall survival with and without hormone therapy.**



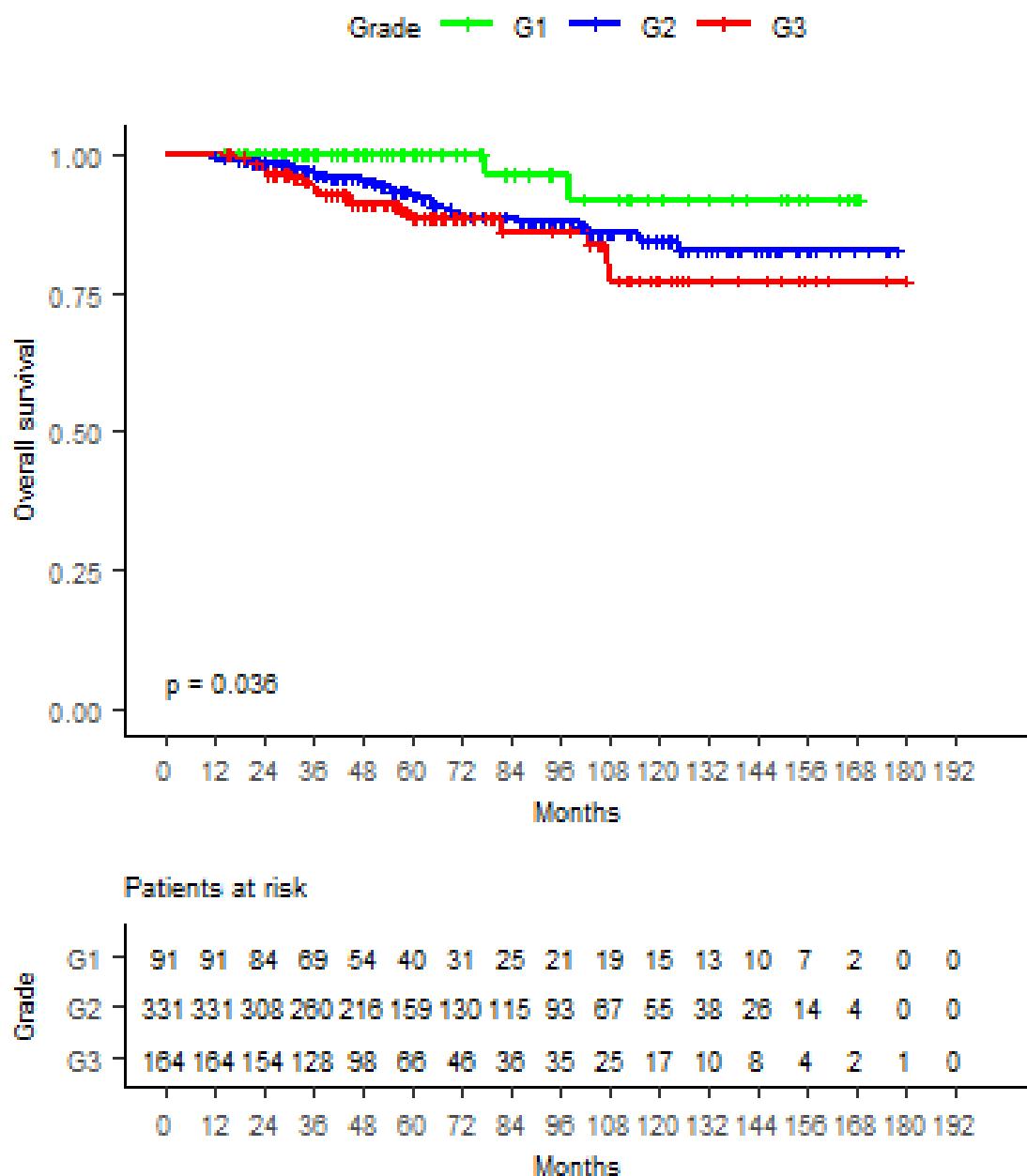
**Figure 6. Overall survival with and without adjuvant chemotherapy.**



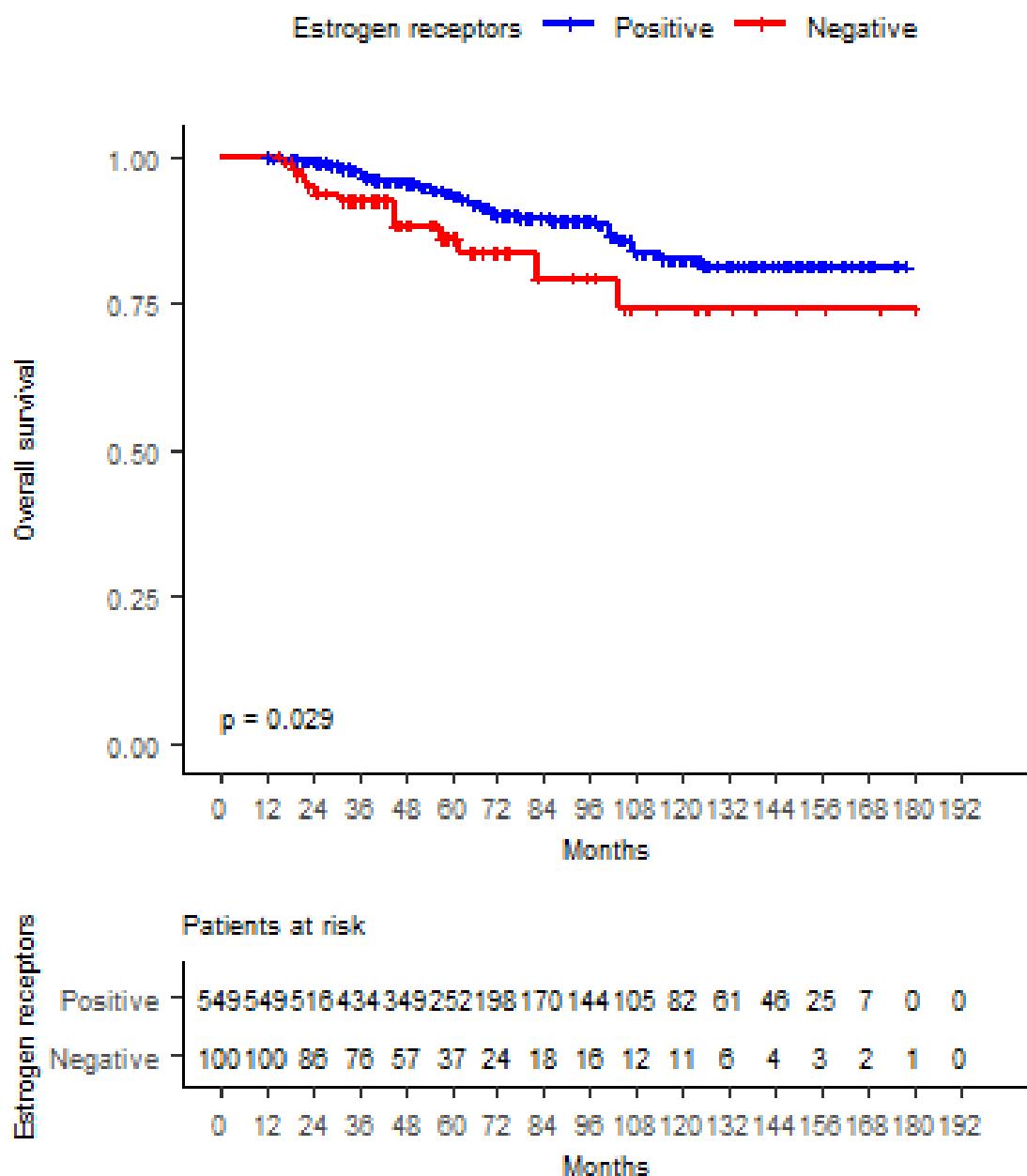
**Figure 7. Overall survival according to pN.**



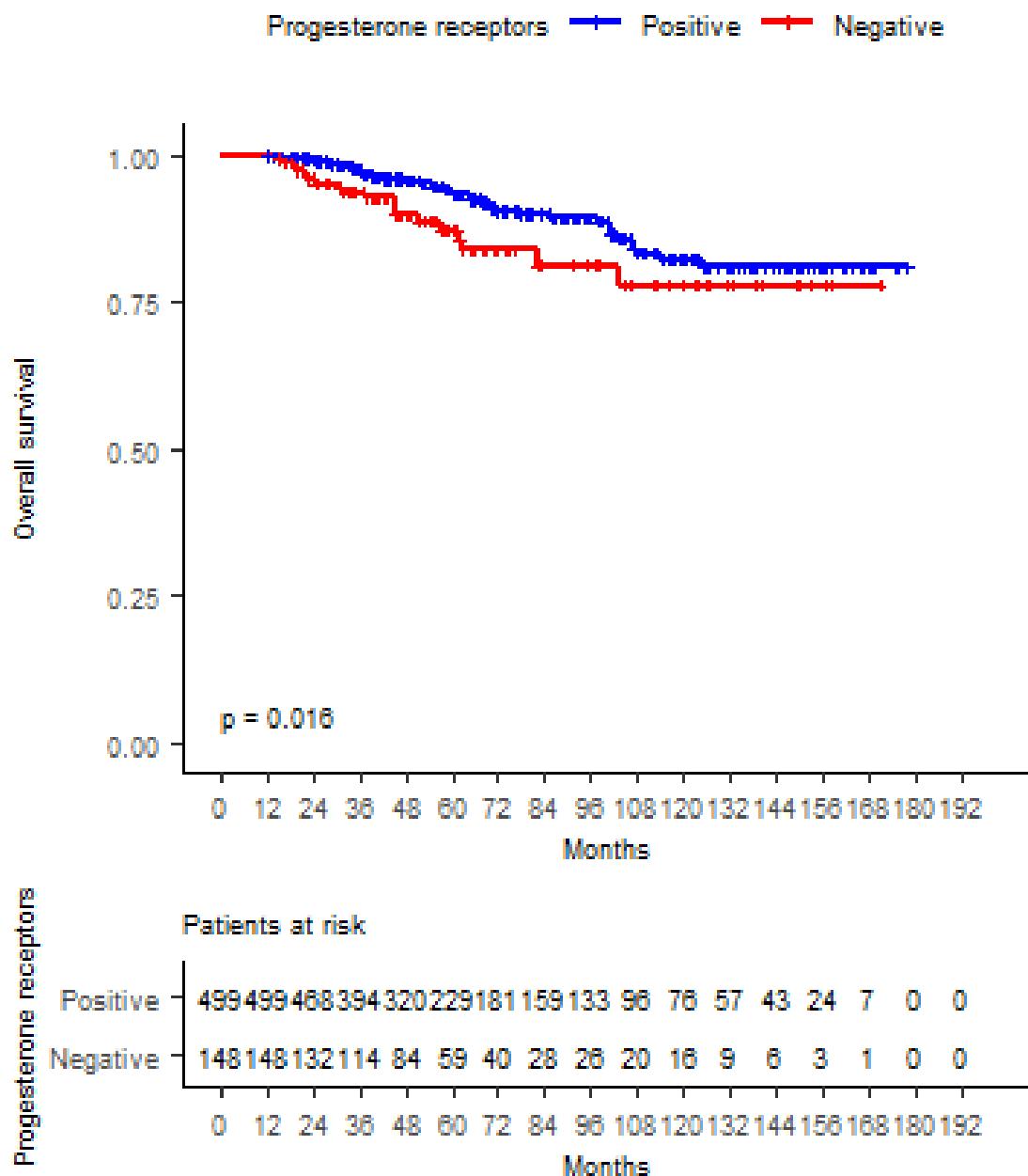
**Figure 8. Overall survival according to grade.**



**Figure 9. Overall survival according to estrogen receptors.**



**Figure 10. Overall survival according to progesterone receptors.**



**Table 2. Cox regression analysis of characteristics predicting time to death.**

Characteristics	HR not adjusted	95% CI	p	HR adjusted*	95% CI	p
<b>cT</b>						
cT1	Ref.			Ref.		
cT2	1.25	0.73-2.15	0.413	1.03	0.53-2.01	0.923
cT3	3.57	1.38-9.26	<b>0.009</b>	3.55	1.16-10.88	<b>0.027</b>
<b>cN</b>						
cN0	Ref.					
cN1	2.13	1.27-3.56	<b>0.004</b>			
<b>Stage</b>						
I	Ref.			Ref.		
II	1.72	1.02-2.88	<b>0.041</b>	1.17	0.48-2.85	0.728
III	7.68	2.64-22.33	<b>&lt;0.05</b>	2.92	0.61-13.94	0.179
<b>Hormone therapy</b>						
No	Ref.			Ref.		
Yes	0.52	0.29-0.94	<b>0.032</b>	0.66	0.27-1.60	0.359
<b>Adjuvant chemotherapy</b>						
No	Ref.			Ref.		
Yes	1.84	1.10-3.06	<b>0.019</b>	0.98	0.52-1.86	0.954
<b>(y)pN (evaluarlo)</b>						
(y)pN-	Ref.			Ref.		
(y)pN+	2.48	1.50-4.11	<b>&lt;0.05</b>	3.22	1.04-9.94	<b>0.042</b>
<b>Grade</b>						
G1	Ref.					
G2	3.86	0.92-16.14	0.065			
G3	5.51	1.28-23.68	<b>0.022</b>			
<b>Estrogen receptors</b>						
Positive	Ref.			Ref.		
Negative	1.92	1.06-3.49	<b>0.032</b>	1.61	0.56-4.61	0.375
<b>Progesterone receptors</b>						
Positive	Ref.			Ref.		
Negative	1.74	1.01-2.99	<b>0.046</b>	1.06	0.481-2.342	0.883

\* No included grade.

**Table 3. Cumulative local recurrence rate by patient's characteristics.**

	N (events)	Cumulative local recurrence rate, %			p
		12m	60m	120m	
<b>All patients</b>	653 (22)	0.3	2.3	7.9	
<b>Age, years</b>					
<50	159 (13)	0.6	7.7	12.9	
≥50	494 (9)	0.2	0.5	6.1	<b>&lt;0.05</b>
<b>cT</b>					
cT1	430 (15)	0.5	1.9	7.6	
cT2	197 (5)	0.0	2.2	7.5	
cT3	26 (2)	0.0	8.5		<b>0.032</b>
<b>cN</b>					
cN0	519 (16)	0.2	1.5	8.0	
cN1	134 (6)	0.7	5.3	8.0	0.24
<b>Stage</b>					
I	372 (10)	0.0	0.9	6.5	
II	268 (11)	0.7	3.9	9.3	
III	13 (1)	0.0	8.3		<b>0.031</b>
<b>Frozen section before IORT?</b>					
Yes	596 (21)	0.3	2.2	7.8	
No	53 (1)	0.0	2.2		0.39
<b>Was margin extension performed after IORT?</b>					
Yes	151 (6)	0.0	1.4	13.2	
No	495 (16)	0.4	2.6	6.6	0.61
<b>Final paraffin situation</b>					
R0	600 (20)	0.3	2.2	7.2	
R1	52 (2)	0.0	3.2	27.4	0.54
<b>Applicator diameter, cm</b>					
≤3	100 (4)	0.0	4.2	7.1	

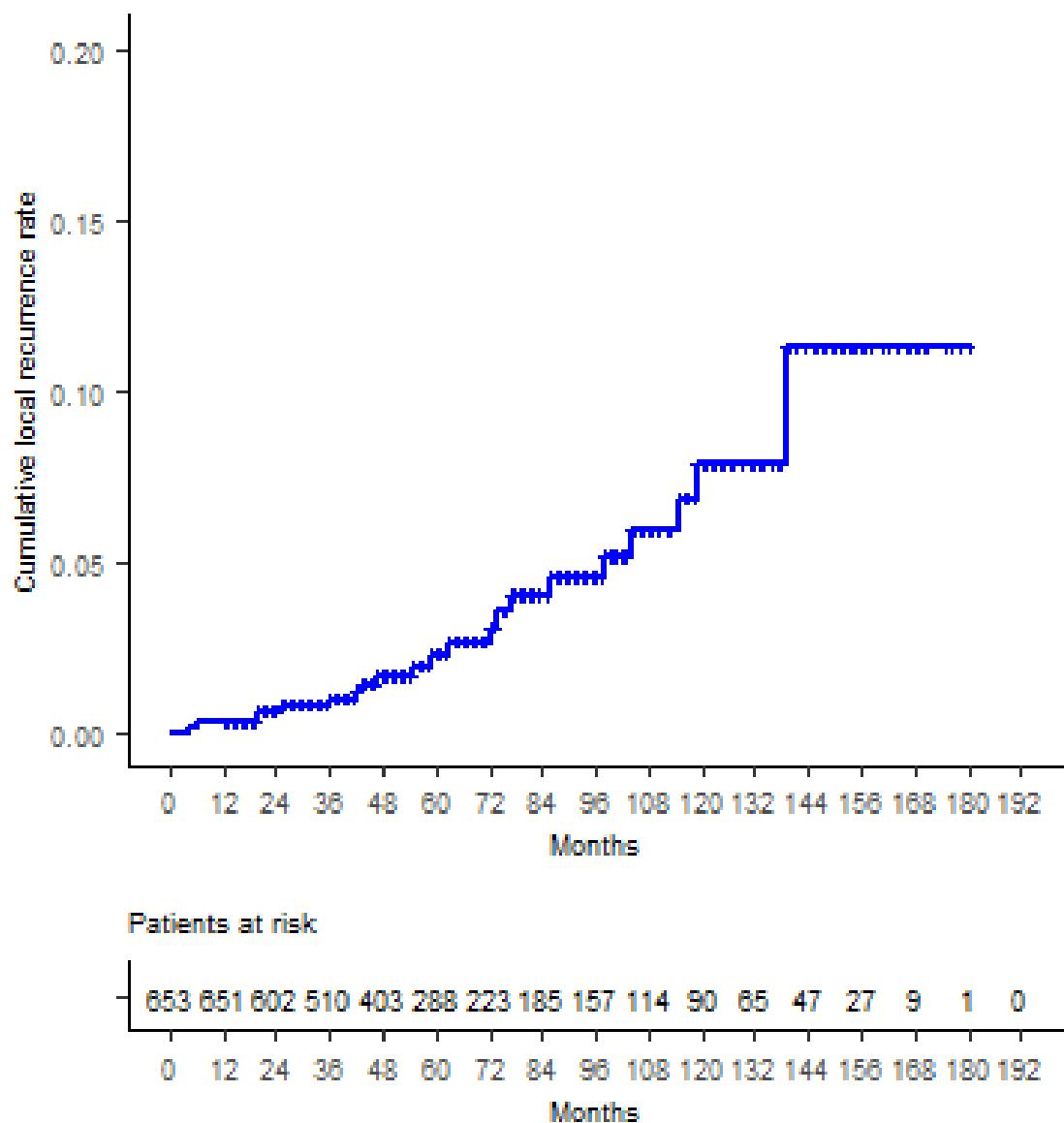
$\geq 3.5$	509 (13)	0.4	1.9	4.7	0.2
<b>Hormone therapy</b>					
No	105 (6)	0.0	5.0	13.9	
Yes	548 (16)	0.4	1.9	7.1	<b>0.034</b>
<b>Adjuvant chemotherapy</b>					
No	348 (10)	0.0	0.4	7.4	
Yes	305 (12)	0.7	4.5	6.6	0.071
<b>Fractionation</b>					
Hypofractionation (>2Gy/Fx)	159 (1)	0.0	1.8		
Normofractionation (1.8- 2Gy/Fx)	492 (21)	0.4	2.5	8.1	0.34
<b>(y)pT</b>					
(y)pT0	28 (1)	0.0	9.1		
(y)pT1	435 (15)	0.5	1.7	7.4	
(y)pT2	190 (6)	0.0	2.9	8.3	0.89
<b>(y)pN</b>					
(y)pN(-)	501 (14)	0.0	1.1	7.8	
(y)pN(+)	152 (8)	1.3	6.2	8.8	<b>0.003</b>
<b>Grade</b>					
G1	91 (1)	0.0	0.0	4.2	
G2	331 (13)	0.6	2.2	8.5	
G3	164 (7)	0.0	4.8	10.1	0.33
<b>In situ component</b>					
Yes	131 (4)	0.0	3.9	17.6	
No	468 (16)	0.4	2.3	6.9	0.23
<b>Margins from in situ</b>					
<b>component, mm</b>					
$\geq 2$	239 (8)	0.4	1.7	4.5	
$< 2$	162 (5)	0.0	3.8	8.6	0.4
<b>Estrogen receptors</b>					
Positive	549 (19)	0.4	2.1	8.4	
Negative	100 (3)	0.0	3.1	3.1	0.88

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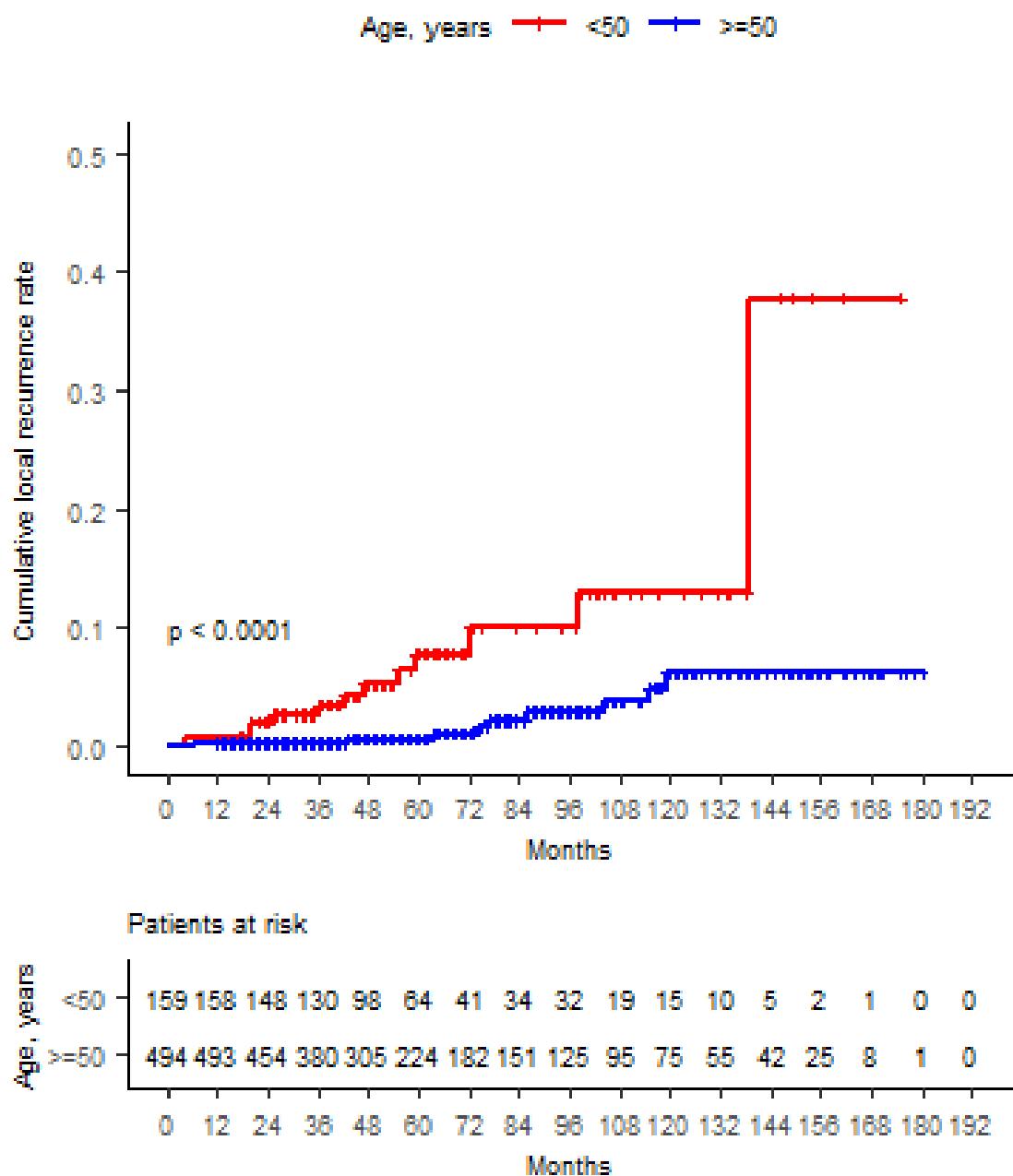
<b>Progesterone receptors</b>					
Positive	499 (17)	0.2	2.2	8.5	
Negative	148 (5)	0.7	2.8	4.7	0.69
<b>HER2</b>					
Positive	105 (3)	0.0	1.3	8.8	
Negative	540 (19)	0.4	2.5	7.7	0.75
<b>Subtype</b>					
Triple negative	69 (3)	0.0	4.7	4.7	
Luminal A	395 (13)	0.3	2.0	7.1	
Luminal B	81 (3)	1.2	2.9		
HER2,Luminal/HER2	105 (3)	0.0	1.3	8.8	0.3

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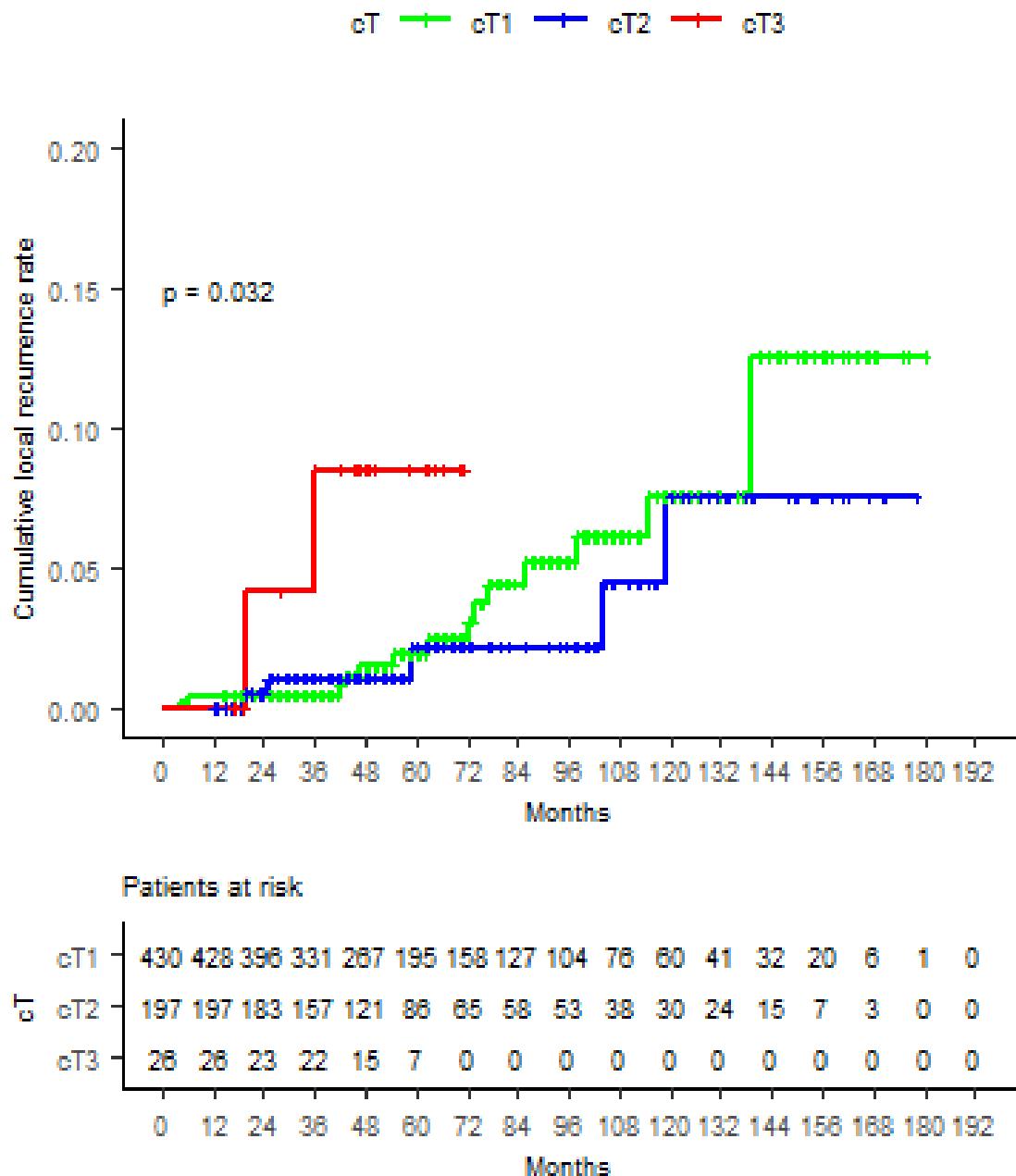
**Figure 11. Cumulative local recurrence rate.**



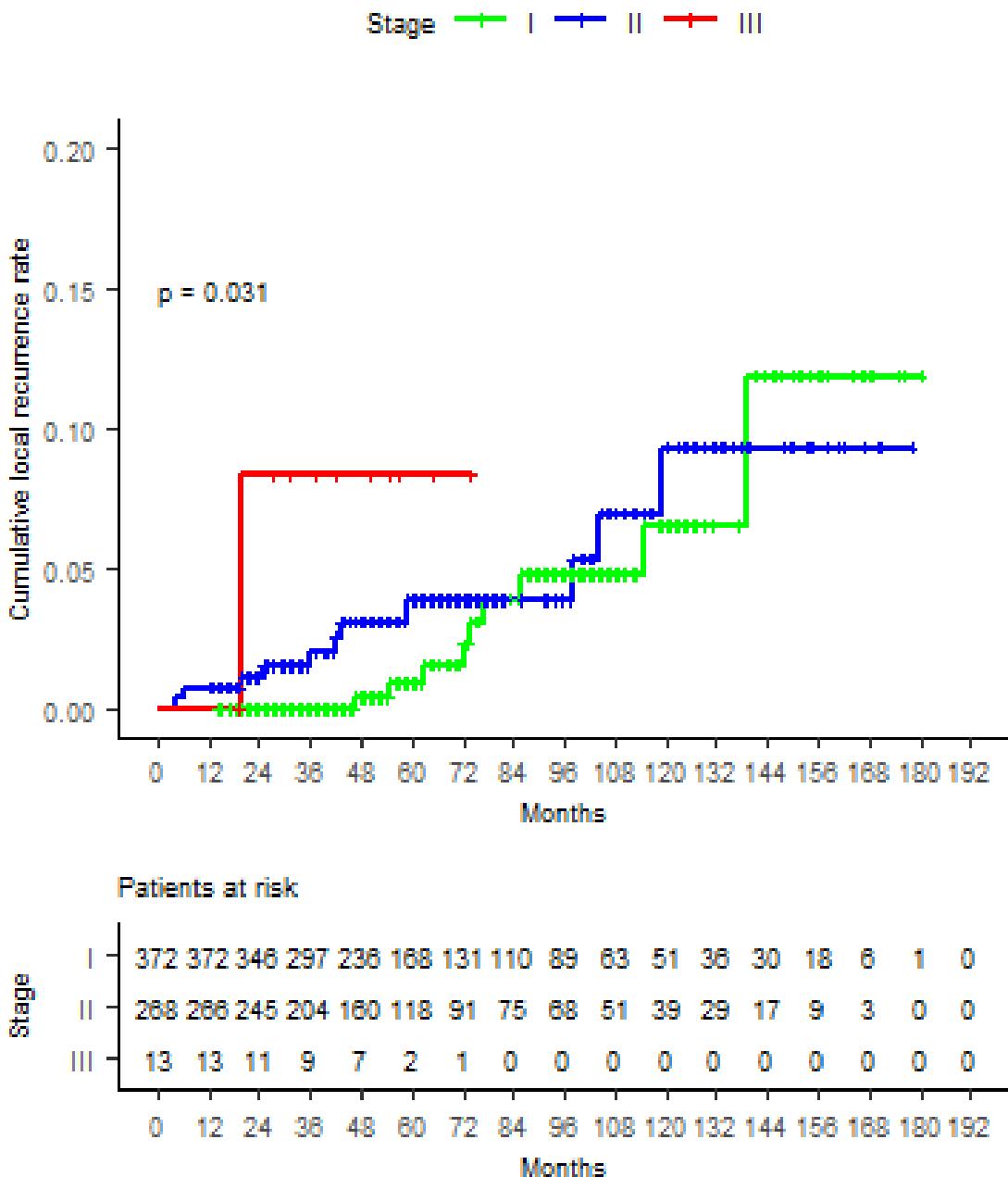
**Figure 12. Cumulative local recurrence rate according age.**



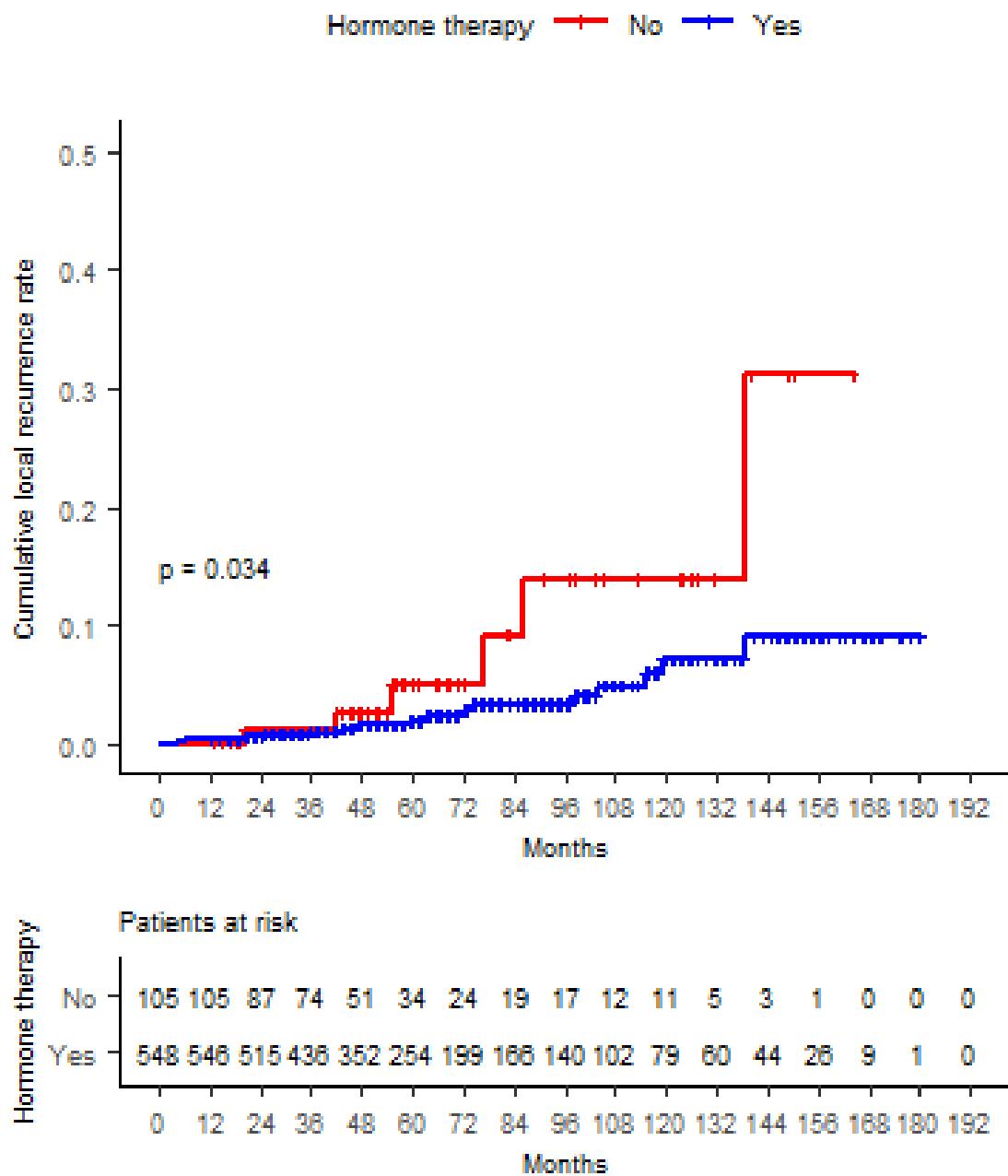
**Figure 13.** Cumulative local recurrence rate according cT.



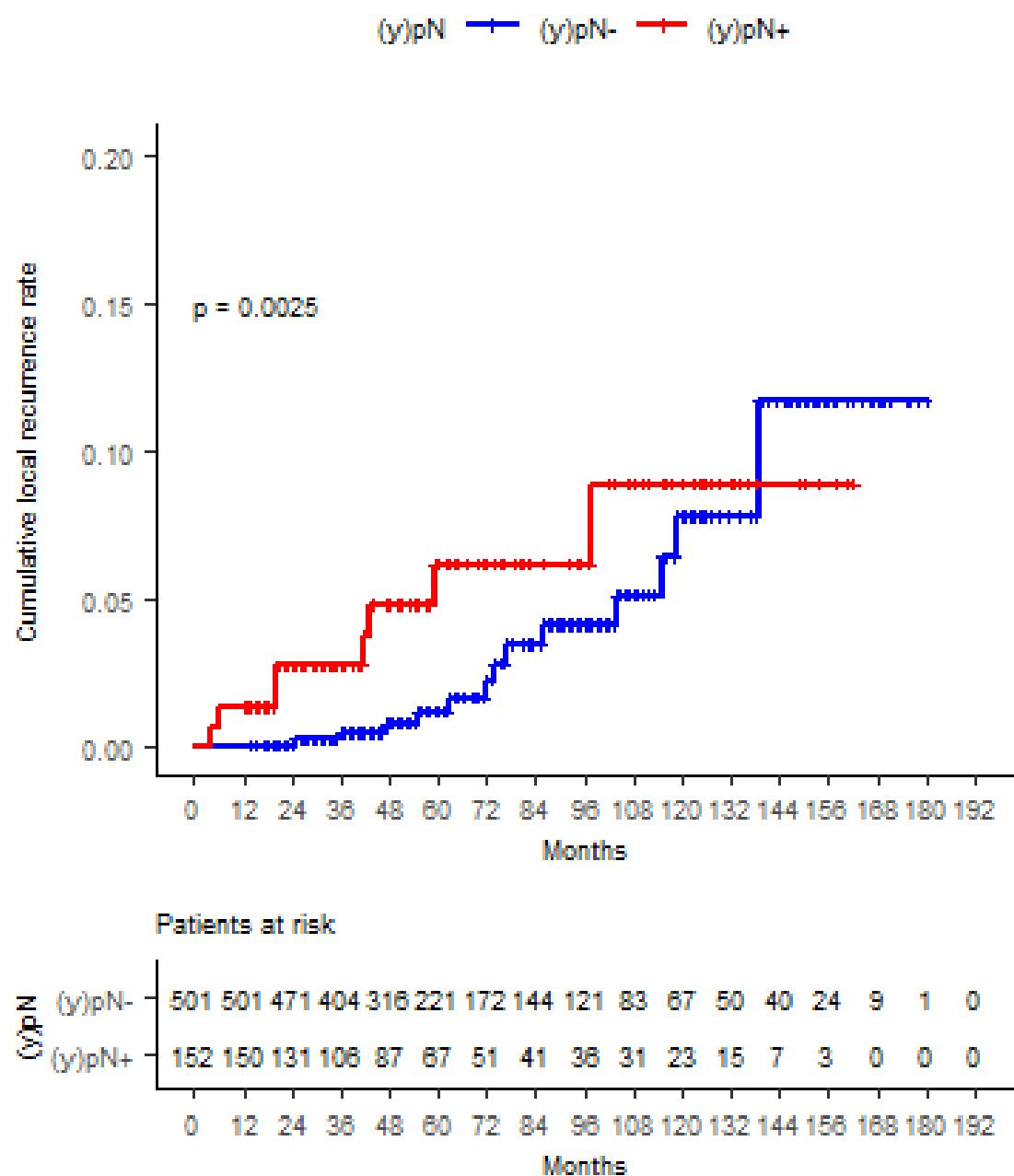
**Figure 14. Cumulative local recurrence rate according stage.**



**Figure 15. Cumulative local recurrence rate with and without hormone therapy.**



**Figure 16. Cumulative local recurrence rate according to pN.**



**Table 4. Cox regression analysis of characteristics predicting time to local recurrence.**

Characteristics	HR not adjusted	95% CI	p	HR adjusted	95% CI	p
<b>Age, years</b>						
<50	Ref.			Ref.		
≥50	0.18	0.07-0.41	<b>&lt;0.05</b>	0.19	0.08-0.47	<b>&lt;0.05</b>
<b>cT</b>						
cT1	Ref.			Ref.		
cT2	0.72	0.26-1.97	0.518	0.63	0.23-1.75	0.379
cT3	4.84	1.03-22.66	<b>0.045</b>	2.29	0.48-10.99	0.300
<b>Stage</b>						
I	Ref.					
II	1.57	0.67-3.71	0.300			
III	6.46	0.80-52.47	0.081			
<b>Hormone therapy</b>						
No	Ref.			Ref.		
Yes	0.37	0.15-0.96	<b>0.041</b>	0.47	0.18-1.21	0.117
<b>(y)pN</b>						
(y)pN-	Ref.					
(y)pN+	2.05	0.85-4.89	0.108			

**Table 5. Cumulative regional recurrence rate by patient's characteristics.**

	N (events)	Cumulative regional recurrence rate, %			p
		12m	60m	120m	
<b>All patients</b>	653 (9)	0.5	1.2	2.1	
<b>Age, years</b>					
<50	159 (4)	0.6	2.9	2.9	
≥50	494 (5)	0.4	0.7	1.7	0.1
<b>cT</b>					
cT1	430 (4)	0.5	0.8	1.4	
cT2	197 (4)	0.5	1.7	3.2	
cT3	26 (1)	0.0	4.2		0.24
<b>cN</b>					
cN0	519 (6)	0.4	0.8	1.9	
cN1	134 (3)	0.7	2.7	2.7	0.28
<b>Stage</b>					
I	372 (3)	0.0	0.9	6.5	
II	268 (6)	0.7	3.9	9.3	
III	13 (0)	0.0	8.3		0.28
<b>Frozen section before IORT?</b>					
Yes	596 (9)	0.5	1.3	2.2	
No	53 (0)	0.0	0.0		0.5
<b>Was margin extension performed after IORT?</b>					
Yes	151 (3)	0.7	1.4	3.3	
No	495 (6)	0.4	1.2	1.7	0.5
<b>Final paraffin situation</b>					
R0	600 (8)	0.5	1.1	1.9	
R1	52 (1)	0.0	3.6	3.6	0.58
<b>Applicator diameter, cm</b>					
≤3	100 (1)	0.0	1.0	1.0	

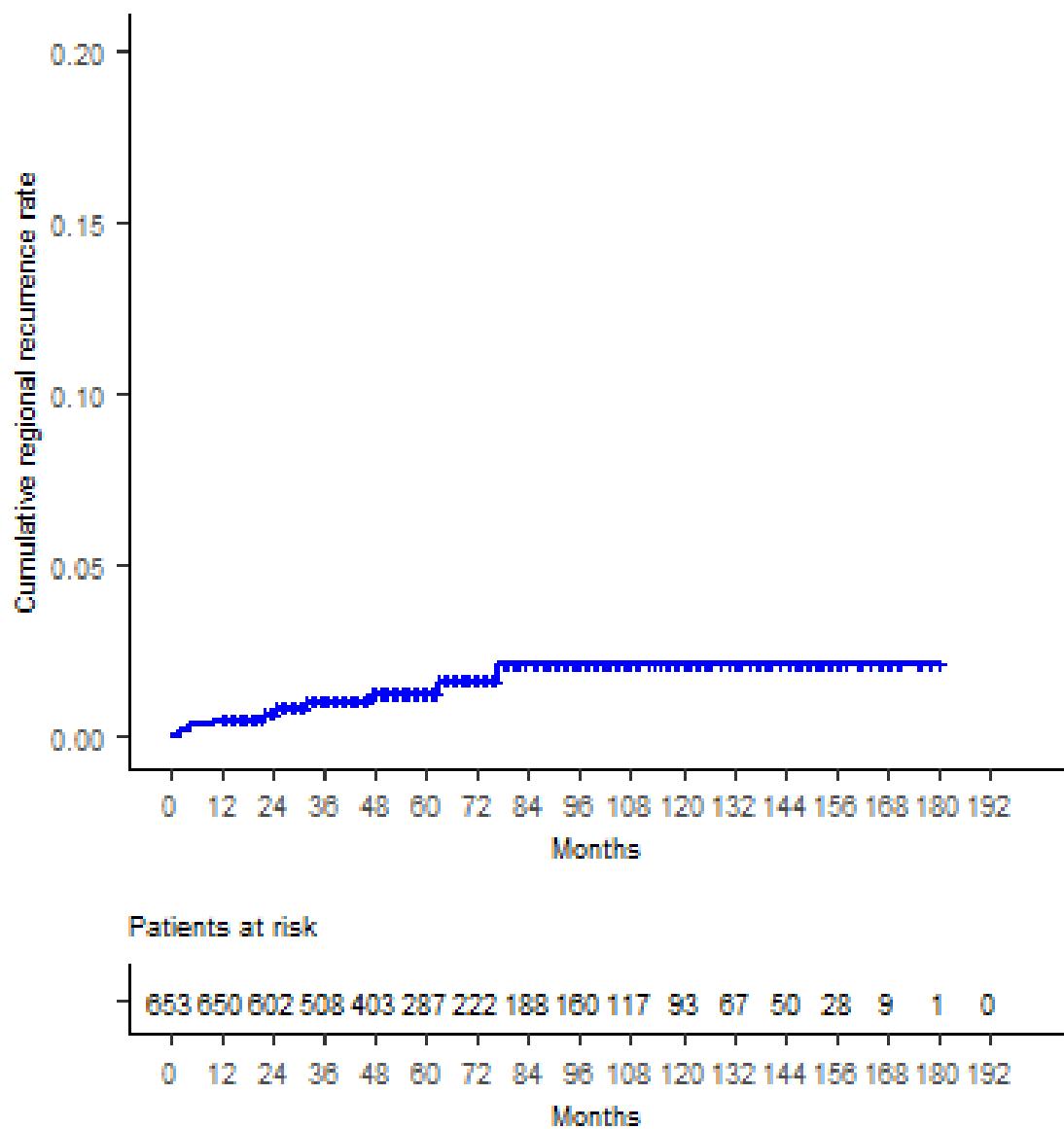
$\geq 3.5$	509 (7)	0.6	1.0	2.2	0.83
<b>Hormone therapy</b>					
No	105 (2)	0.0	1.8	6.1	
Yes	548 (7)	0.5	1.1	1.6	0.5
<b>Adjuvant chemotherapy</b>					
No	348 (2)	0.0	0.0	1.3	
Yes	305 (7)	1.0	2.6	2.6	<b>0.038</b>
<b>Fractionation</b>					
Hypofractionation (>2Gy/Fx)	159 (0)	0.0	0.0		
Normofractionation (1.8- 2Gy/Fx)	492 (9)	0.6	1.5	2.4	0.16
<b>(y)pT</b>					
(y)pT0	28 (0)	0.0	0.0		
(y)pT1	435 (5)	0.5	1.1	1.6	
(y)pT2	190 (4)	0.5	1.7	3.4	0.54
<b>(y)pN</b>					
(y)pN(-)	501 (6)	0.2	0.9	2.0	
(y)pN(+)	152 (3)	1.3	2.4	2.4	0.35
<b>Grade</b>					
G1	91 (1)	1.1	1.1	1.1	
G2	331 (5)	0.6	1.4	2.1	
G3	164 (2)	0.0	0.7	3.0	0.96
<b>In situ component</b>					
Yes	131 (1)	0.0	0.9	0.9	
No	468 (8)	0.6	1.4	2.5	0.61
<b>Margins from in situ component, mm</b>					
$\geq 2$	239 (3)	0.0	0.5	2.3	
$< 2$	162 (4)	1.2	3.0	3.0	0.14
<b>Estrogen receptors</b>					
Positive	549 (7)	0.5	1.2	1.6	
Negative	100 (2)	0.0	1.2	6.2	0.47

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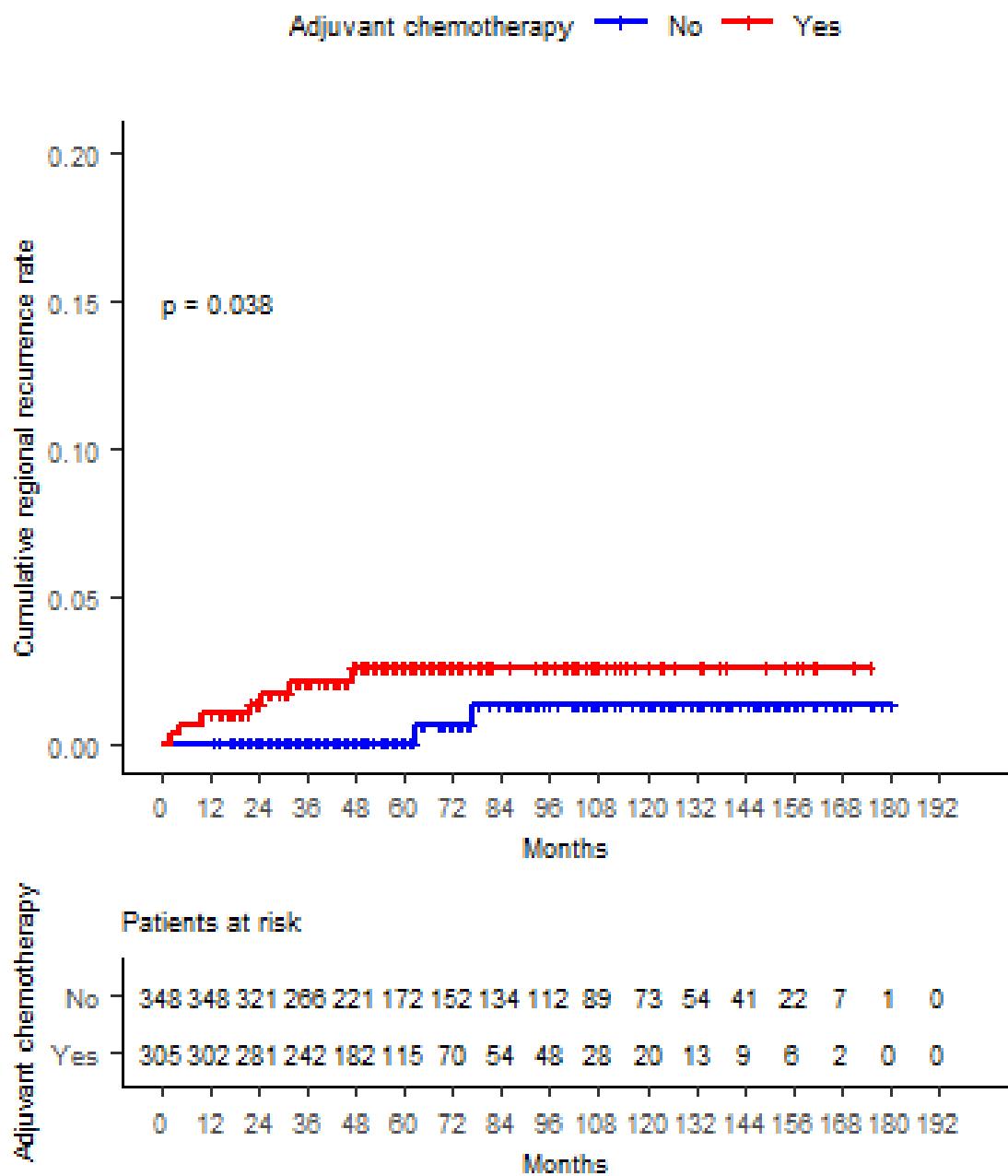
<b>Progesterone receptors</b>					
Positive	499 (7)	0.6	1.3	1.8	
Negative	148 (2)	0.0	0.8	4.0	0.94
<b>HER2</b>					
Positive	105 (2)	0.0	2.1	2.1	
Negative	540 (7)	0.6	1.0	2.1	0.54
<b>Subtype</b>					
Triple negative	69 (1)	100.0	100.0	92.3	
Luminal A	395 (5)	99.5	98.8	98.3	
Luminal B	81 (1)	98.8	98.8		
HER2,Luminal/HER2	105 (2)	100.0	97.9	97.9	0.92

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**Figure 17. Cumulative regional recurrence rate.**



**Figure 18. Cumulative regional recurrence rate with and without adjuvant chemotherapy.**



**Table 6. Cumulative distant recurrence rate by patient's characteristics.**

	N (events)	Cumulative distant recurrence rate, %			p
		12m	60m	120m	
<b>All patients</b>	653 (45)	0.6	6.9	13.2	
<b>Age, years</b>					
<50	159 (13)	0.0	7.8	18.1	
≥50	494 (32)	0.8	6.4	12.0	0.36
<b>cT</b>					
cT1	430 (25)	0.2	5.5	11.5	
cT2	197 (16)	1.5	8.1	15.3	
cT3	26 (4)	0.0	16.4		<b>0.032</b>
<b>cN</b>					
cN0	519 (24)	0.0	4.8	10.3	
cN1	134 (21)	3.0	14.7	23.1	<b>&lt;0.05</b>
<b>Stage</b>					
I	372 (15)	0.0	4.1	8.8	
II	268 (28)	1.5	10.1	18.7	
III	13 (2)	0.0	17.9		<b>0.001</b>
<b>Frozen section before IORT?</b>					
Yes	596 (43)	0.7	6.8	13.1	
No	53 (1)	0.0	2.0		0.79
<b>Was margin extension performed after IORT?</b>					
Yes	151 (8)	0.0	7.7	7.7	
No	495 (37)	0.8	6.6	14.6	0.37
<b>Final paraffin situation</b>					
R0	600 (40)	0.7	6.3	12.8	
R1	52 (5)	0.0	15.2	15.2	0.11
<b>Applicator diameter, cm</b>					
≤3	100 (7)	0.0	8.8	8.8	

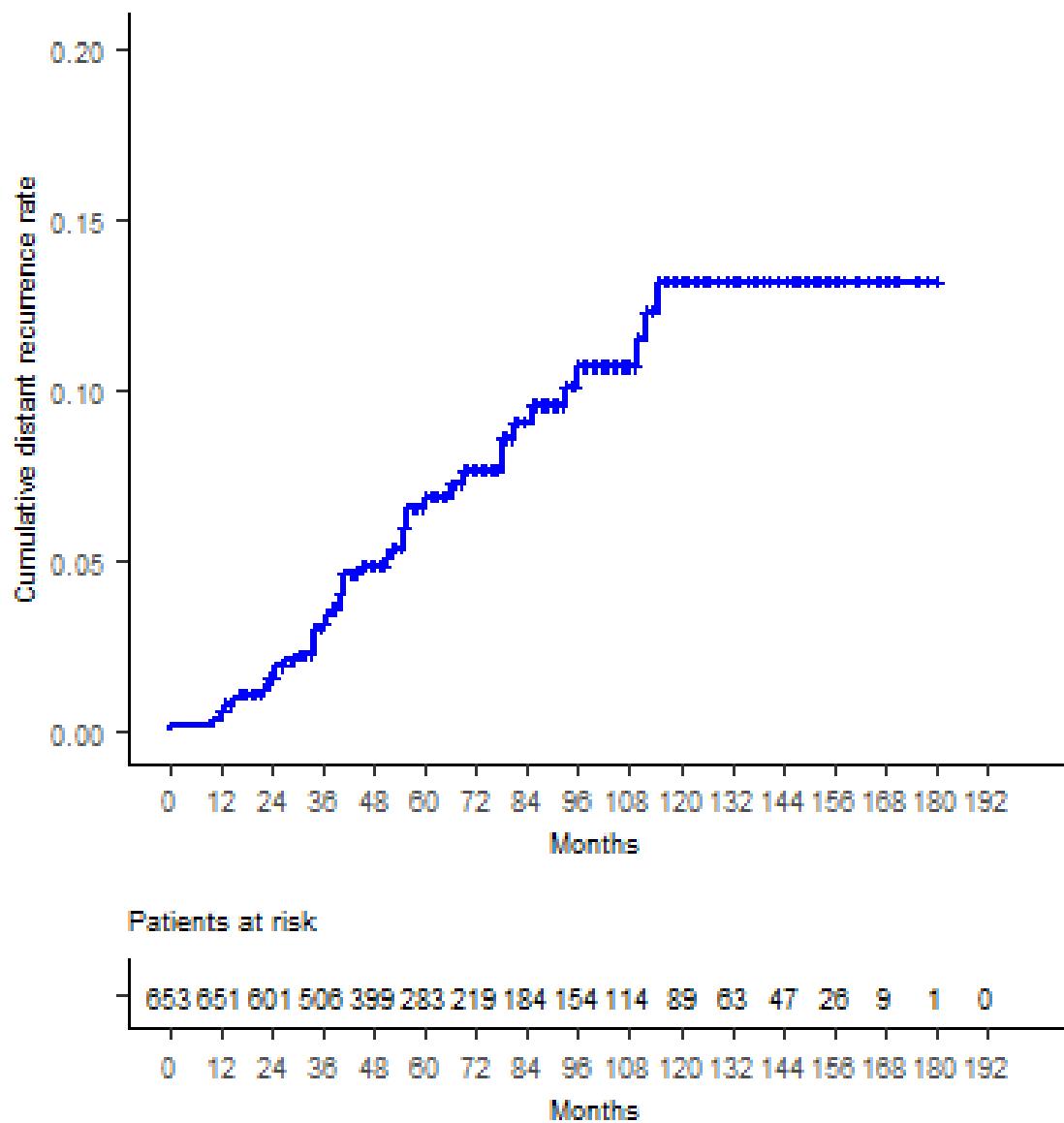
$\geq 3.5$	509 (33)	0.8	6.4	13.4	0.58
<b>Hormone therapy</b>					
No	105 (7)	1.0	6.1	14.4	
Yes	548 (38)	0.5	6.9	13.0	0.69
<b>Adjuvant chemotherapy</b>					
No	348 (14)	0.0	4.1	7.5	
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<b>(y)pN</b>					
(y)pN(-)	501 (23)	0.0	4.6	10.1	
(y)pN(+)	152 (22)	2.6	14.8	23.2	<0.05
<b>Grade</b>					
G1	91 (1)	0.0	2.5	2.5	
G2	331 (23)	0.9	6.9	12.3	
G3	164 (12)	0.6	7.0	15.6	0.1
<b>In situ component</b>					
Yes	131 (5)	0.0	6.0	10.5	
No	468 (37)	0.9	7.8	13.9	0.55
<b>Margins from in situ component, mm</b>					
$\geq 2$	239 (22)	1.3	9.1	15.9	
$<2$	162 (10)	0.6	8.1	8.1	0.64
<b>Estrogen receptors</b>					
Positive	549 (38)	0.5	6.6	13.2	
Negative	100 (7)	1.0	8.8	11.9	0.68

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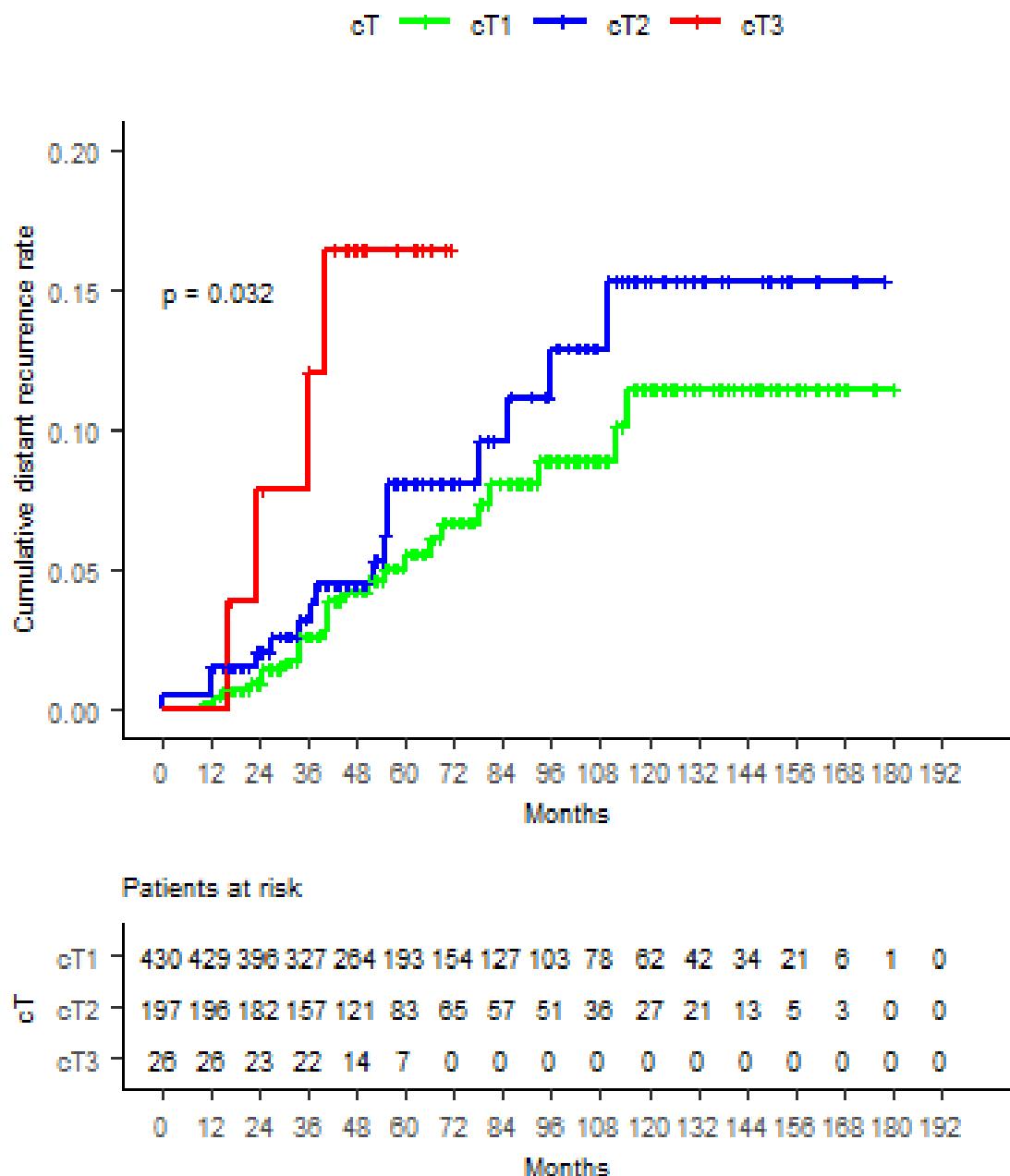
<b>Progesterone receptors</b>					
Positive	499 (32)	0.4	6.3	11.8	
Negative	148 (13)	1.4	9.2	19.1	0.18
<b>HER2</b>					
Positive	105 (15)	1.9	14.4	26.3	
Negative	540 (30)	0.4	5.3	10.6	<b>0.002</b>
<b>Subtype</b>					
Triple negative	69 (3)	0.0	4.0	9.1	
Luminal A	395 (22)	0.5	4.8	10.0	
Luminal B	81 (5)	0.0	9.4		
HER2,Luminal/HER2	105 (15)	1.9	14.3	26.2	<b>0.011</b>

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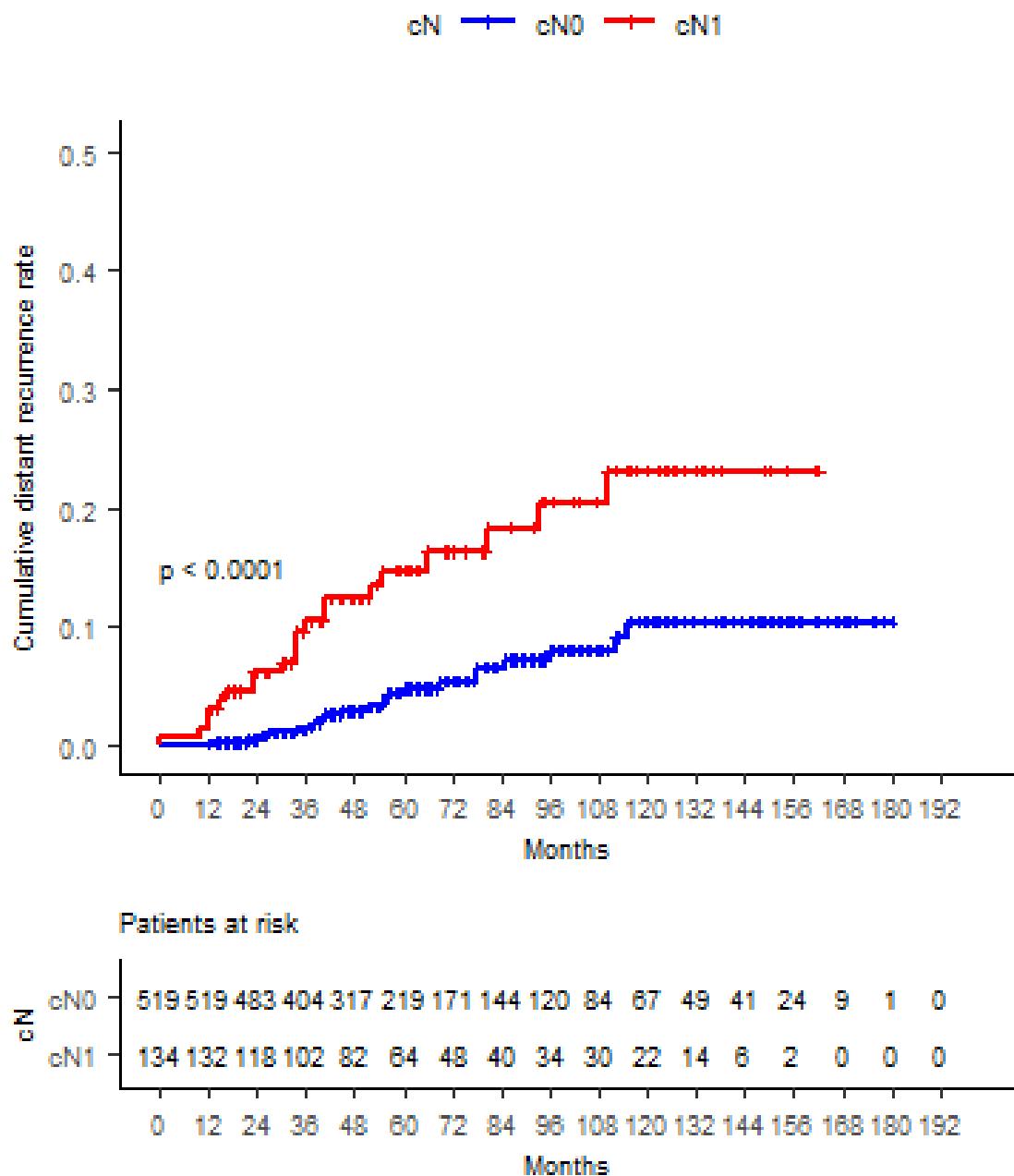
**Figure 19. Cumulative distant recurrence rate.**



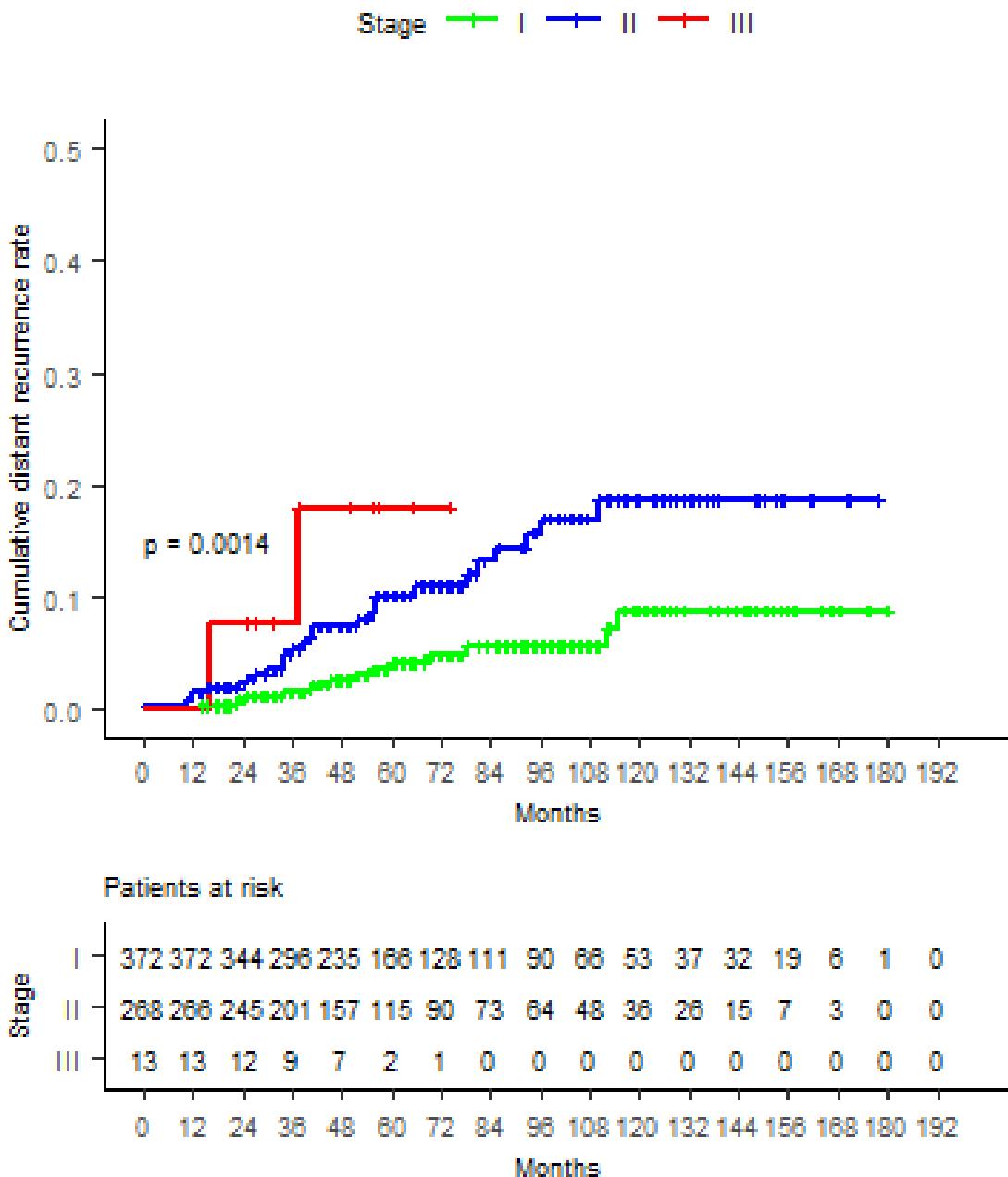
**Figure 20. Cumulative distant recurrence rate according to cT.**



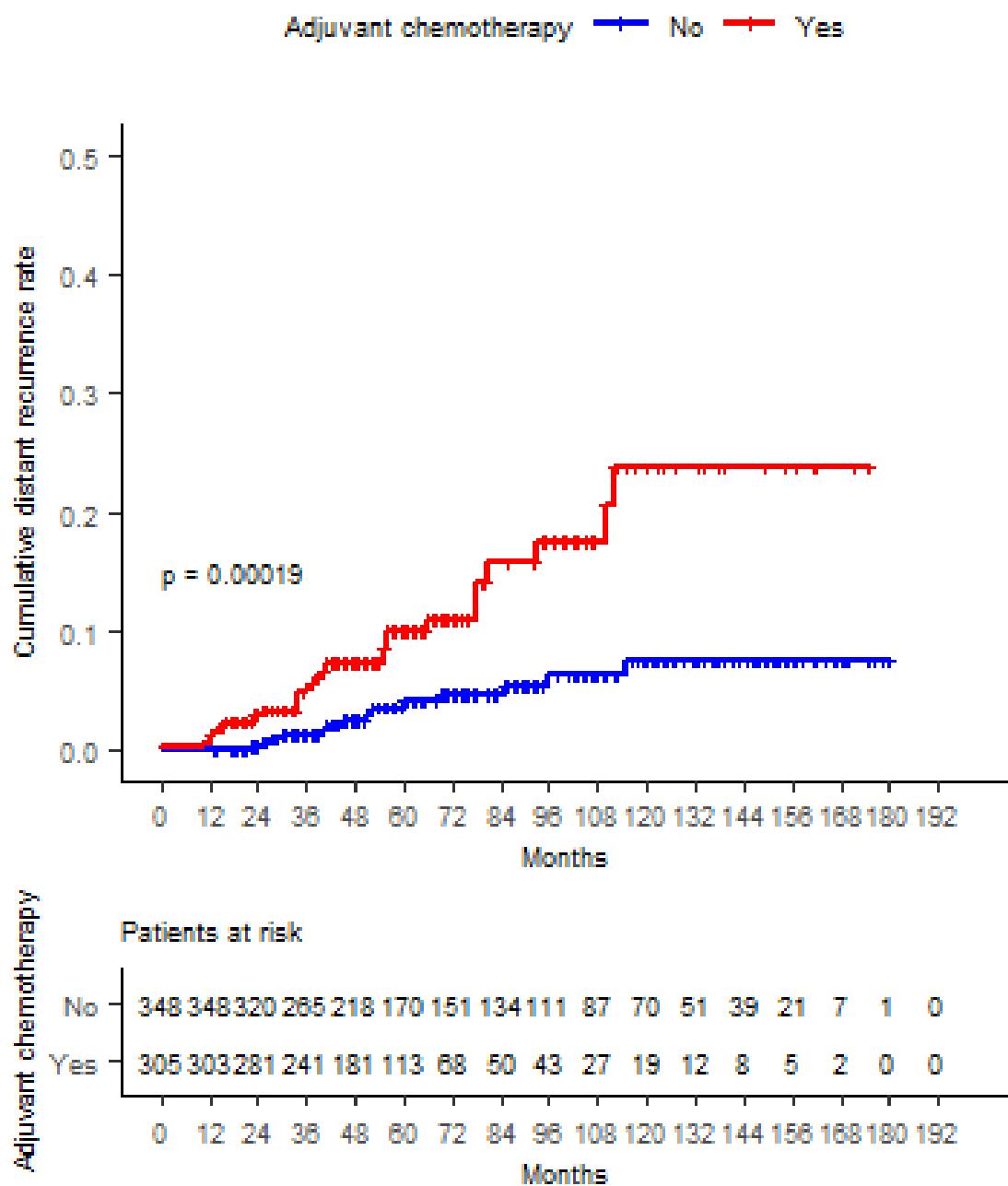
**Figure 21. Cumulative distant recurrence rate according to cN.**



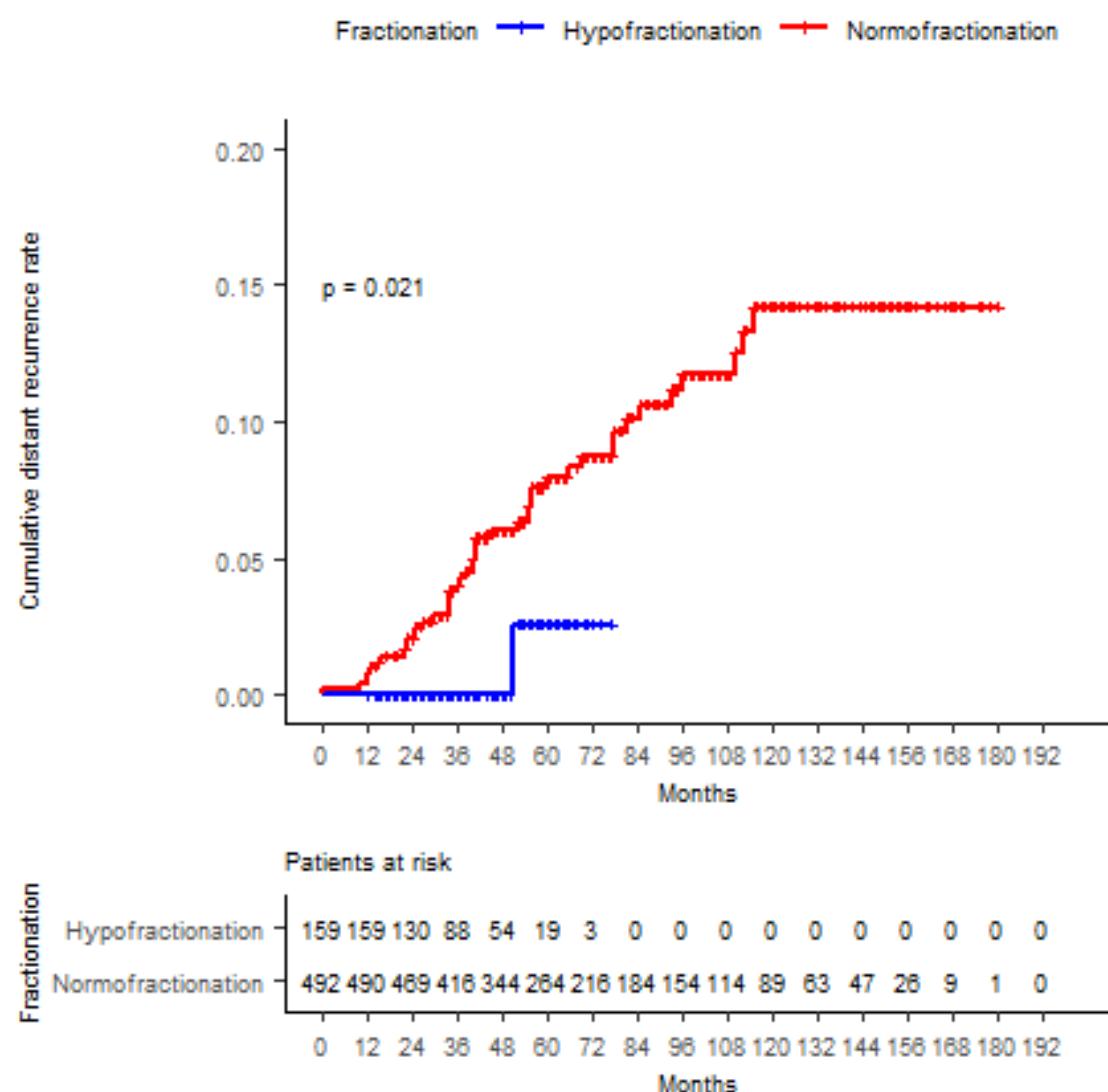
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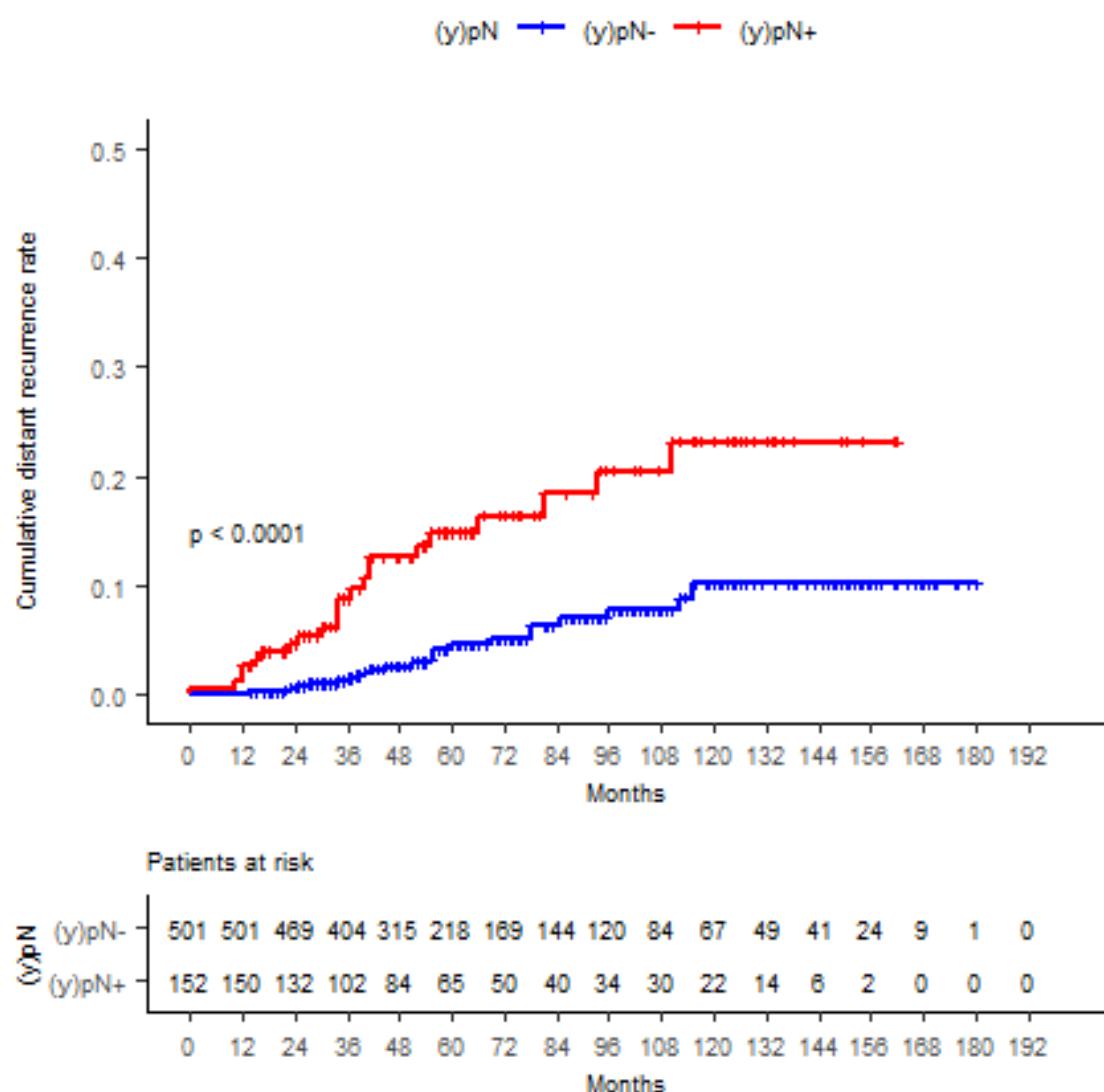
**Figure 23. Cumulative distant recurrence rate with and without adjuvant chemotherapy.**



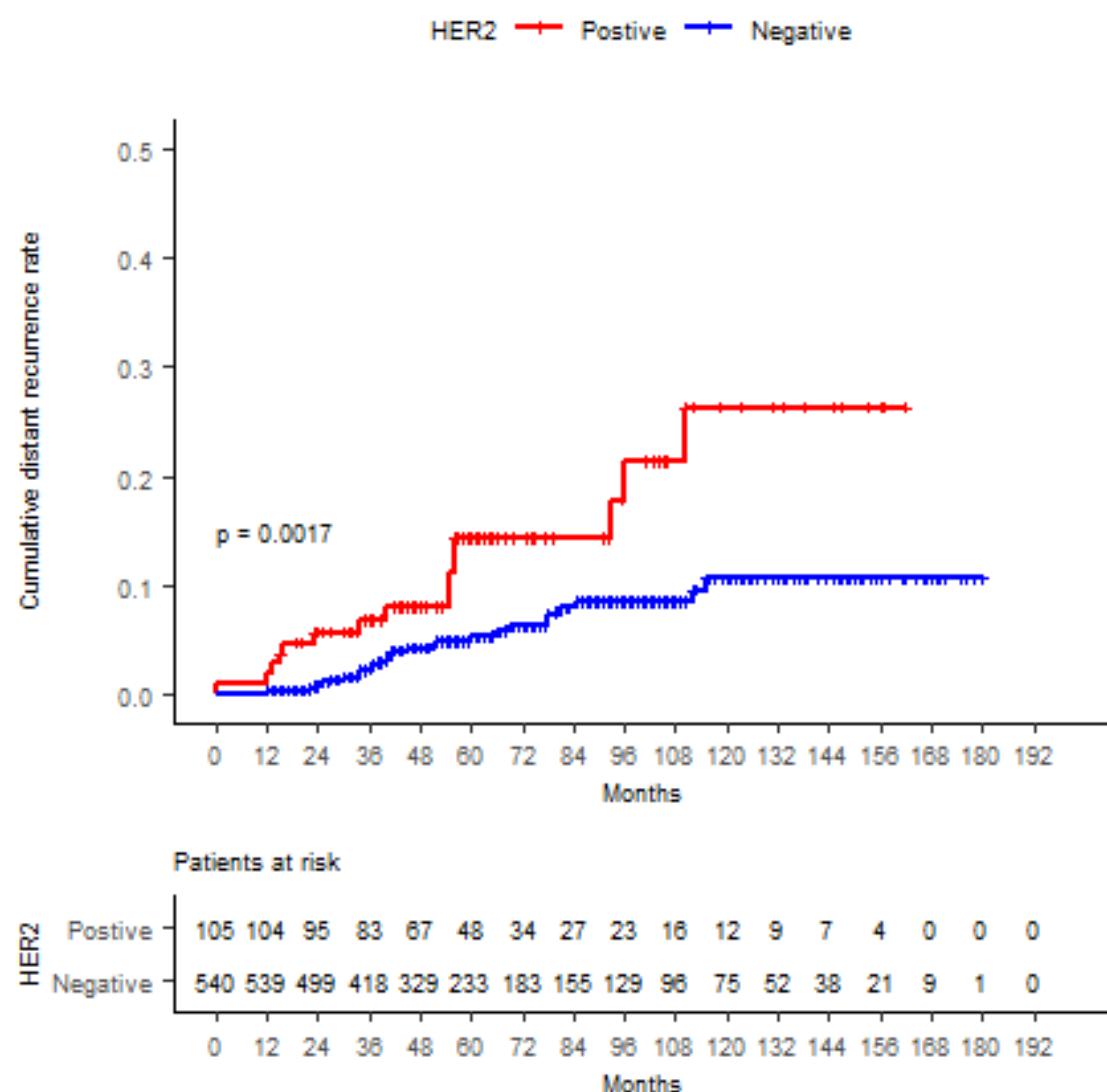
**Figure 24. Cumulative distant recurrence rate according to fractionation.**



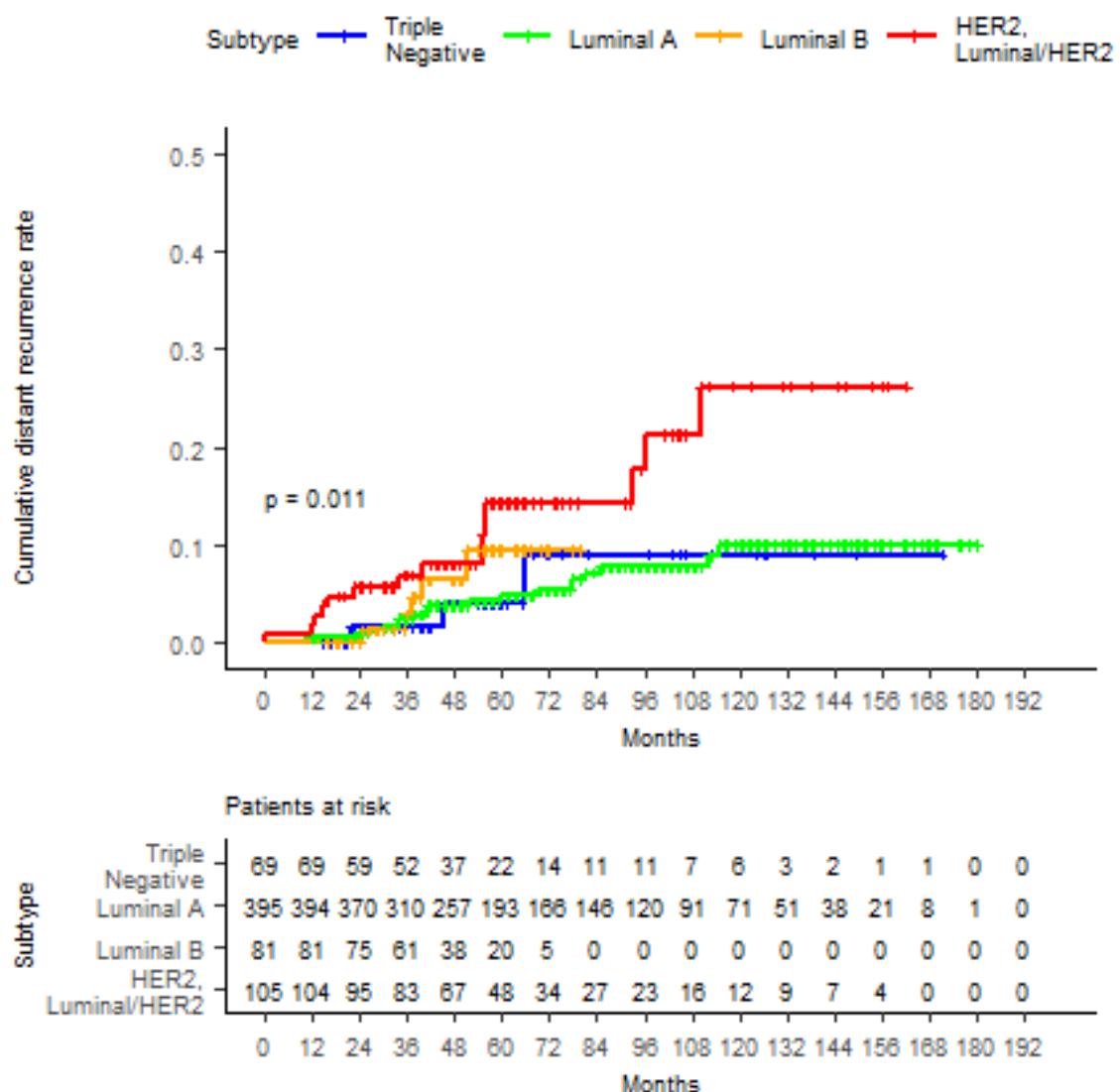
**Figure 25. Cumulative distant recurrence rate according to pN.**



**Figure 26. Cumulative distant recurrence rate according to HER2.**



**Figure 27. Cumulative distant recurrence rate according to subtype.**



**Table 7. Cox regression analysis of characteristics predicting time to distant metastasis.**

Variables	HR not adjusted	95% CI	p	HR adjusted*	95% CI	p
<b>cT</b>						
cT1	Ref.			Ref.		
cT2	1.38	0.73-2.58	0.319	0.91	0.44-1.86	0.789
cT3	3.79	1.30-11.06	<b>&lt;0.05</b>	2.85	0.80-10.11	0.106
<b>cN</b>						
cN0	Ref.					
cN1	3.29	1.83-5.91	<b>&lt;0.05</b>			
<b>Stage</b>						
I	Ref.			Ref.		
II	2.66	1.42-4.98	<b>0.002</b>	1.60	0.59-4.29	0.348
III	5.88	1.33-25.96	<b>0.020</b>	2.23	0.33-15.29	0.415
<b>Adjuvant chemotherapy</b>						
No	Ref.			Ref.		
Yes	3.2	1.69-6.08	<b>&lt;0.05</b>	1.69	0.79-3.62	0.180
<b>Fractionation</b>						
Hypofractionation (>2Gy/Fx)	Ref.					
Normofractionation (1.8- 2Gy/Fx)	7.41	1.01-54.31	<b>0.049</b>			
<b>(y)pN</b>						
(y)pN-	Ref.			Ref.		
(y)pN+	3.39	1.89-6.08	<b>&lt;0.05</b>	2.14	0.65-7.04	0.212
<b>HER2</b>						
Positive	Ref.			Ref.		
Negative	0.38	0.21-0.72	<b>0.003</b>	0.47	0.25-0.89	<b>0.020</b>
<b>Subtype</b>						
Triple Negative	Ref.					
Luminal A	0.99	0.30-3.35	0.998			
Luminal B	1.77	0.42-7.45	0.435			
HER2,Luminal/HER2	2.83	0.82-9.77	0.101			