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**CONFRONTO DEI VOLUMI BERSAGLIO IN  
POSIZIONAMENTO PRONO E SUPINO, NELL'IRRADIAZIONE  
DELLA PATOLOGIA MAMMARIA:  
ESPERIENZA MONO-ISTITUZIONALE.**

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## PRINCIPLES OF RADIATION THERAPY

### Whole Breast Radiation:

Target definition includes the majority of the breast tissue, and is best done by both clinical assessment and CT-based treatment planning. A uniform dose distribution and minimal normal tissue toxicity are the goals and can be accomplished using compensators such as wedges, forward planning using segments, intensity-modulated radiation therapy (IMRT), respiratory gating, or prone positioning. The breast should receive a dose of 45-50 Gy in 1.8-2 Gy per fraction, or 42.5 Gy at 2.66 Gy per fraction. A boost to the tumor bed is recommended in patients at higher risk (age <50 and high-grade disease). This can be achieved with brachytherapy or electron beam or photon fields. Typical doses are 10-16 Gy at 2 Gy/fx. All dose schedules are given 5 days per week.

RESEARCH

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## Prone versus supine position for adjuvant breast radiotherapy: a prospective study in patients with pendulous breasts

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**Assenza di differenze statisticamente significative nel volume del CTV prone vs supine**

**Copertura migliore CTV/PTV per supine setup**

**Vantaggio per polmone omolaterale in prone setup**

**Table 2 Comparison of dosimetric parameters from treatment plans obtained in the two setup positions for the whole patients series (41 patients)**

	Prone setup	Supine setup	p-value
PTV (cc)	534.9 ± 229.4	515.3 ± 174.2	0.32
V95 (%)	96.5 ± 3.5	98.0 ± 1.6	0.04
V105 (%)	1.4 ± 1.1	2.0 ± 2.5	0.14
V107 (%)	0.1 ± 0.2	0.2 ± 0.5	0.16
Dmin (Gy)	35.8 ± 11.3	35.8 ± 10.2	0.97
Dmax (Gy)	53.7 ± 0.6	53.7 ± 0.6	0.80
Dmean (Gy)	50.1 ± 0.4	50.1 ± 0.3	0.42
CTV (cc)	468.1 ± 216.6	432.0 ± 159.0	0.02
V95 (%)	98.4 ± 2.3	99.3 ± 1.0	0.02
V105 (%)	1.3 ± 1.1	1.8 ± 2.4	0.25
V107 (%)	0.1 ± 0.2	0.1 ± 0.4	0.45
Dmin (Gy)	42.4 ± 7.4	44.4 ± 4.4	0.15
Dmax (Gy)	53.6 ± 0.6	53.5 ± 0.6	0.42
Dmean (Gy)	50.2 ± 0.4	50.2 ± 0.3	0.92
Lung (cc)	1335.0 ± 331.0	1201.0 ± 264.0	<10 <sup>-6</sup>
V20 (%)	1.5 ± 1.8	9.0 ± 3.4	<10 <sup>-6</sup>
V10 (%)	2.6 ± 2.4	12.7 ± 4.3	<10 <sup>-6</sup>
V5 (%)	4.0 ± 3.2	18.4 ± 5.3	<10 <sup>-6</sup>
Dmean (Gy)	1.4 ± 0.9	5.2 ± 1.5	<10 <sup>-6</sup>
Dmax (Gy)	39.7 ± 12.4	49.5 ± 1.7	<10 <sup>-5</sup>

PTV, planning target volume; CTV, clinical target volume.



Phase III randomised trial

Hypofractionated whole breast irradiation for patients with large breasts: A randomized trial comparing prone and supine positions



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1 **Prone setup migliore conformazione ed omogeneità V105, V107**

50 Pz RT ipofrazionata con IMRT in setup prono:  
2 campi tangenziali

50 Pz RT ipofrazionata con IMRT in setup supino  
6 campi tangenziali

Dose to **Prone setup risparmio OARs**  
(75% pz)

Organ	Dose-volume	Treatment group		p-value
		Supine	Prone	
Breast	Coverage (%)	92.7 ± 4.9	96.2 ± 2.2	<b>&lt;0.001</b>
	Homogeneity	0.87 ± 0.04	0.90 ± 0.04	<b>&lt;0.001</b>
	V <sub>105</sub> (cc)	30.9 ± 40.4	8.9 ± 17.7	<b>&lt;0.001</b>
	V <sub>107</sub> (cc)	7.6 ± 12.6	0.9 ± 2.7	<b>&lt;0.001</b>
Heart	D <sub>mean</sub> (Gy)	2.0 ± 1.1	1.5 ± 0.6	0.08
	D <sub>max</sub> (Gy)	12.1 ± 9.5	9.7 ± 6.5	0.25
	V <sub>5</sub> (%)	5.9 ± 5.5	3.8 ± 3.9	0.09
	V <sub>20</sub> (%)	1.4 ± 2.3	0.7 ± 0.9	0.12
	D <sub>mean</sub> (Gy)	9.3 ± 6.5	5.4 ± 3.7	<b>0.007</b>
	D <sub>max</sub> (Gy)	23.0 ± 11.7	19.5 ± 11.1	0.25
Ipsilateral lung	D <sub>mean</sub> (Gy)	3.8 ± 1.1	1.1 ± 0.9	<b>&lt;0.001</b>
	D <sub>max</sub> (Gy)	26.6 ± 6.5	8.6 ± 8.9	<b>&lt;0.001</b>
	V <sub>5</sub> (%)	16.9 ± 5.7	2.9 ± 3.7	<b>&lt;0.001</b>
	V <sub>20</sub> (%)	5.5 ± 3.3	0.9 ± 2.1	<b>&lt;0.001</b>

# ESPERIENZA MONOISTITUZIONALE IRCCS AOU SAN MARTINO IST Genova



- 45 Pz Marzo 2013-Gennaio 2014
- TC scan in posizione prona e supina
- Dose tot: 39Gy in 13fx + cc boost 3-4Gy (4fx/sett)

*Guenzi M. et al. Radiation Oncology 2010*

# CRITERI DI INCLUSIONE

- Karnofsky  $\geq 80$
- Età  $\geq 45$ aa
- Chirurgia conservativa
- Volume mammario TC scan  $\geq 500$  cc



# CRITERI DI ESCLUSIONE

- Sede di malattia su prolungamento ascellare (QSE)
- Sede di malattia particolarmente interna (QSI)
- Parete toracica con/senza espansore
- $N+ \geq 4 \rightarrow RT\ SPC$

# 45 Pz Marzo 2013- Gennaio 2014

- 11 Pz(24%) escluse al setup prono per:

- 6 Pz(13%) diametro TC-scan insufficiente

- 3 Pz(7%) sede di malattia (QSI)

- 2 Pz(4%) compliance



- 34 Pz(76%) TC di centraggio con setup prono e supino

***Bionix Prone Breast  
Treatment System® RT-6025  
(AOU SAN MARTINO-GENOVA)***

***Wing-board position***

***Repere radiopaco su perimetro  
mammario/cicatrice chirurgica***

***4 Tatuaggi di riferimento***

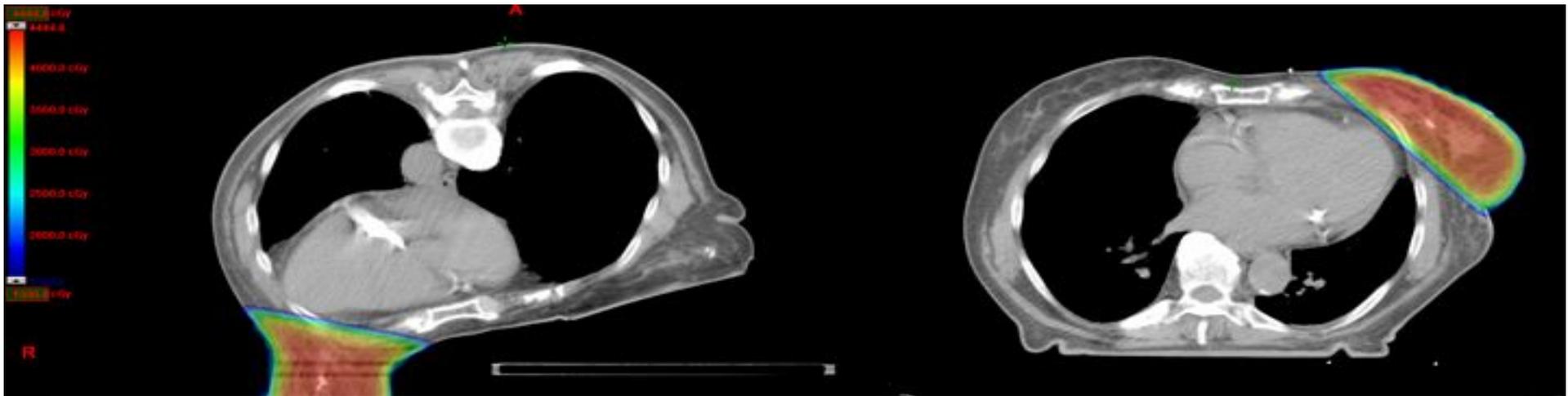
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Breast Cancer Atlas for  
Radiation Therapy Planning

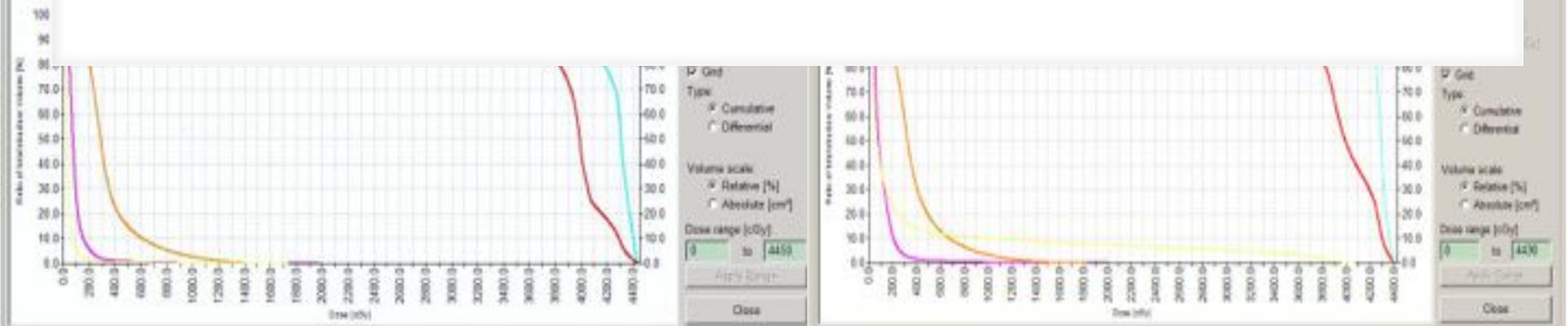
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***Delle 34 Pz(76%) che hanno eseguito centraggio in setup prono e supino dopo studio dosimetrico dei piani rivali:***

***15 Pz(44%) RT setup prona***

***19 Pz(56%) RT setup supina***

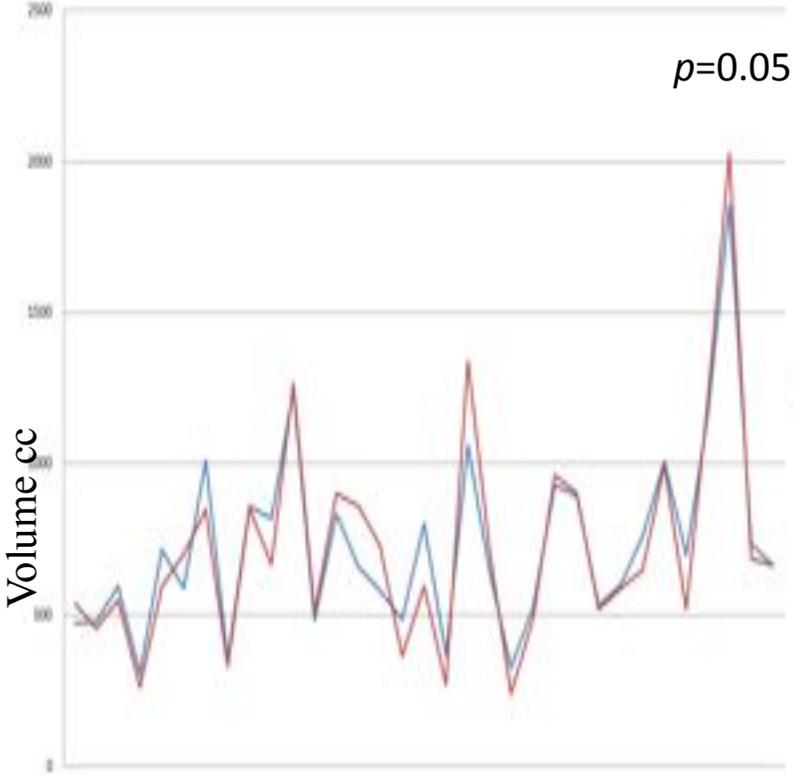


VOLUME BERSAGLIO	PRONE	SUPINE	p-value
<b>CTV mammella (cc)</b>	<b>665.8(240.2-2025.3)</b>	<b>680.9(306.6-1885.0)</b>	<b>0.05</b>
V105 (%)	28.9(13.1-60.6)	28.4(7.3-43.6)	0.84
V103 (%)	42.9(26.7-71.2)	44.1(16.5-58.7)	0.65
V100 (%)	69.1(45.8-83.4)	72.8(49.9-89.1)	0.15
V95 (%)	87.9(57.6-95.3)	90.0(72.8-97.7)	0.20
V90 (%)	93.9(62.8-98.8)	92.3(34.3-99.4)	0.46
<b>CTV1 cc boost (cc)</b>	<b>59.2(20.3-234.6)</b>	<b>88.8(21.8-166.6)</b>	<b>0.05</b>
V105 (%)	0,2(0-5.9)	0(0-0.5)	0.36
V100 (%)	76.3(17.2-100.0)	65.6(17.1-97.7)	0.03
V95 (%)	97.8(88.1-100.0)	98.0(78.3-100.0)	0.76

POSIZIONE PREFERITA	PRONA	SUPINA	INDIFFERENTE
N° Pazienti	20Pz (59%)	5Pz(15%)	9Pz (26%)

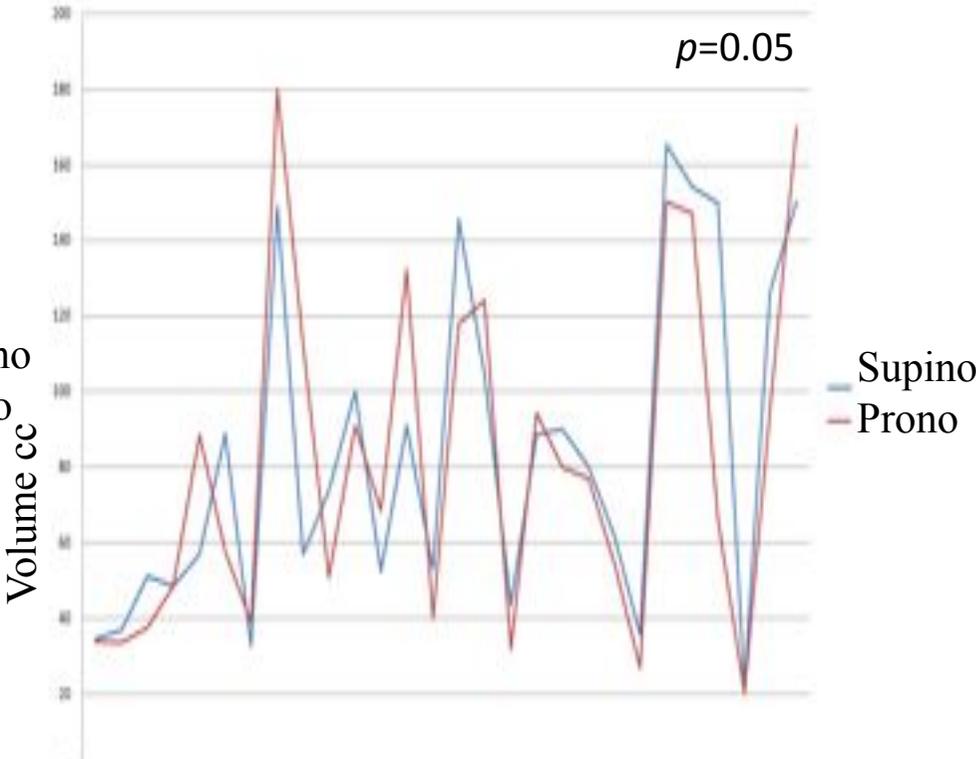
# VARIAZIONI VOLUMI BERSAGLIO

## CTV mammella



34 Pazienti

## CTV1 cc boost



34 Pazienti

# TECNICA 3DCRT

- **Mammella (CTV):**

*2 Campi tangenti di fotoni 6-15MV ± 1-2 campi ridotti di fotoni 6-15MV*

- **Cc boost (CTV1):**

*2-3 Campi di fotoni 6-15 MV*

- **LADCA:**

*V20 2Gy/fx=0 → V16 3Gy/fx=0*

- **Polmone omolaterale:**

*V20 2Gy/fx ≤ 20% → V16 3Gy/fx ≤ 20%*

# CONCLUSIONI

- *Setup prono è una favorevole alternativa in pz con mammella voluminosa e pendula*
- *Necessita di una accurata selezione della paziente*
- *Un attento setup*
- *Curva di apprendimento lunga che interessa medico, fisico, tecnico di radiologia medica*



***Cambiare il punto di vista può essere affascinante  
senza dover necessariamente cambiare la  
sostanza.....!!!!***