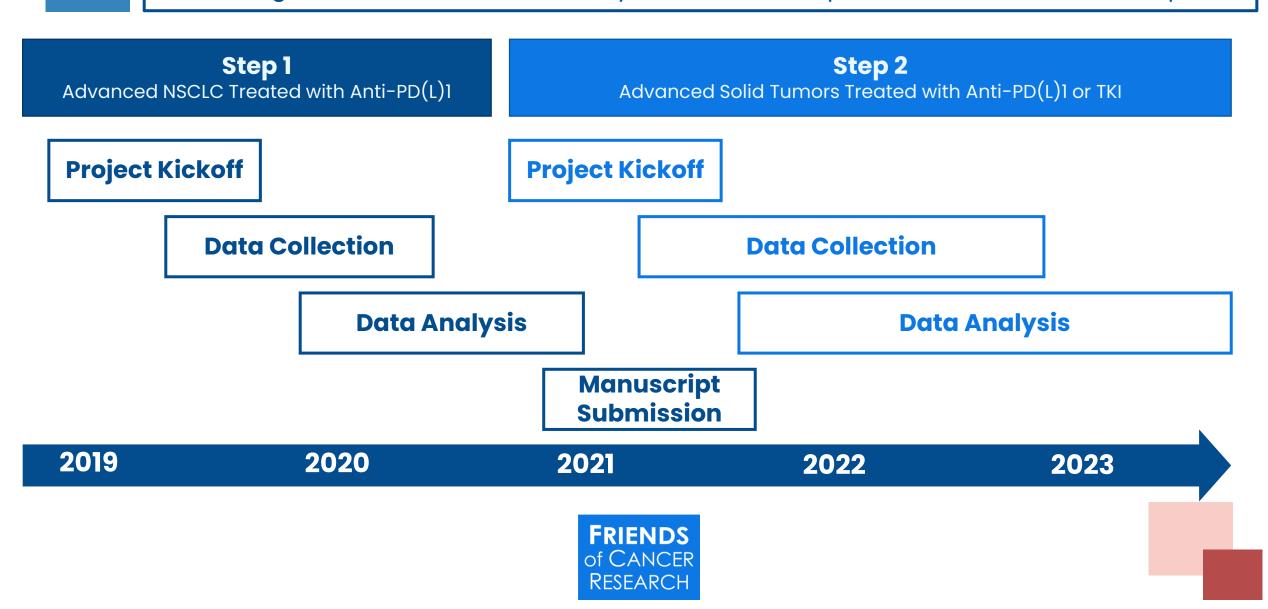
# The ctMoniTR Project <a href="mailto:ctDNA">ctDNA</a> for <a href="mailto:Monitoring Treatment Response">Monitoring Treatment Response</a>



### ctDNA for Monitoring Treatment Response (ctMoniTR) Project

Do changes in ctDNA levels accurately reflect the therapeutic effect of cancer therapies?



## ctMoniTR Project

Workflow	Step 1	Step 2
Outcomes	<ul> <li>Aligned on a methodology to combine data from multiple trials in lung cancer</li> <li>Harmonized ctDNA data measured from different assays using different collection schedules</li> <li>Manuscript forthcoming</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Update Step 1 methodology for combining data to account for additional treatment settings and tumor types</li> <li>Harmonize ctDNA data from various uniformly collected datasets</li> <li>Validate Step 1 findings</li> </ul>
Approach	<ul> <li>Advanced stage NSCLC treated with PD-(L)1 inhibitors</li> <li>Previously collected data from clinical trial and observational cohort studies</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Advanced solid tumors treated with PD-(L)1 inhibitors or TKI</li> <li>Previously collected data from clinical trial and observational cohort studies</li> </ul>



## ctMoniTR Step 1 Project Overview

#### **Objectives**

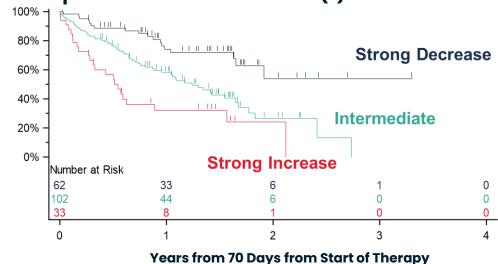
- 1. Investigate the feasibility of harmonizing ctDNA
- 2. Align on a methodology to combine clinical data from multiple trials
- 3. Characterize associations between ctDNA values and tumor response

#### **Key Findings**

- Reductions in ctDNA are strongly associated with better clinical outcomes across multiple measures including OS and PFS
- 2. Baseline ctDNA levels alone were not predictive of clinical outcomes
- 3. Disparate datasets can be harmonized through statistical methods and other approaches

Strength of association remains after accounting for clinical covariates, demographics & smoking status





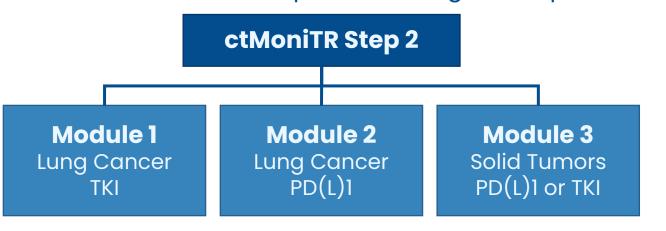
Log-rank Pairwise p-value	Decrease	Intermediate	Increase
Decrease	-		
Intermediate	<0.001	-	
Increase	<0.001	0.014	-



## ctMoniTR Step 2 Project Overview

#### **Objectives:**

- Determine how long after treatment initiation an association between changes in ctDNA and clinical response can be detected
- Explore the extent to which ctDNA can complement RECIST
- Characterize whether changes in ctDNA are a prognostic indicator
- Examine ctDNA as a potential drug development tool or intermediate endpoint



22 clinical trials 3,000 patients 8 tumor types 16 different therapies

Provides an opportunity for generalizability but also represents a challenge in terms of complexity

