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# **PROSIGNA<sup>®</sup> (PAM50)** **prognostic gene expression test** **for breast cancer**

**Assess the risk of recurrence for optimal  
therapeutic care of your patients**



With more than 2,000 000 new cases and nearly 626,000 deaths a year, breast cancer is the most frequently diagnosed cancer and the leading cause of death from cancer in women in the world\*.

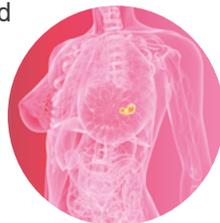
*\*Globocan – data 2018*

In recent years, innovative tests in the field of molecular biology have enabled a genuinely theranostic approach to the treatment of cancer patients. The concept of “personalised medicine” is based on the principle that not all patients suffering from the same disease should necessarily receive the same treatment regime.

## Prognostic gene expression test in breast cancer

The gene expression tests are based on the identification and quantification of messenger RNAs (mRNAs) of genes primarily involved in tumour proliferation.

On the basis of expression analyses, breast cancers can be classified into four molecular subtypes. Each of these intrinsic subtypes or classes has its own prognosis and specific recommended treatment regimen:

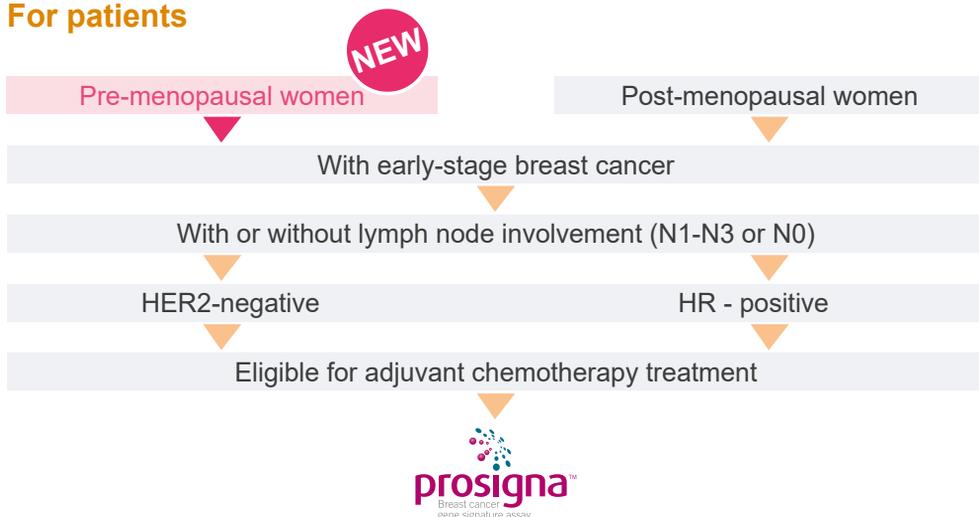


Luminal A	Luminal B	HER2 enriched	Basal Like (or triple negative)
30 - 40 % of breast cancers	20 % of breast cancers	20 % of breast cancers	20 % of breast cancers
Hormone therapy		Anti-HER2 treatment	Chemotherapy
Combination with chemotherapy should therefore be discussed			

# The Prosigna® (PAM50) test

The Prosigna® prognostic gene expression test for breast cancer was developed on the basis of the PAM50 gene signature that measures the expression of 50 genes involved in tumorigenesis.

## For patients



## A rapid, reliable and individualised assessment of risk

The analysis of these 50 genes associated with the size of the tumour and the number of affected lymph nodes provide, thanks to an algorithm, 4 highly contributive results:

1	Intrinsic tumour subtype	Luminal A Luminal B HER2-enriched Basal-like
2	Individual estimate of the probability of remote recidivism at 10 years	0 - 100 %
3	RDR score: Risk of recidivism	Score on a scale of 0 to 100
4	Risk classification	Low Intermediate High

## Guiding the treatment regimen

Thanks to this risk classification, Prosigna makes it possible to identify patients:

- for whom there is a benefit to adding chemotherapy to hormone therapy,
- in order to avoid other treatments without benefit.

# Example of Prosigna® results

**prosigna** Breast cancer gene signature assay

**Patient Report:**

Patient	Specimen
Name: J. Doe	ID #: HIGH-ROR-SAMPLE-13
Age: 60 yrs	Test Date: August 31, 2016
Stage: node-negative	Ref. No.: 20160631PM
	Comments:

**Assay Description:**  
 The Prosigna™ breast cancer gene signature assay measures the expression of 20 genes to provide a risk score and reports a Risk of Recurrence Score (ROR), which is used to stratify the patient into a defined risk group. This risk score is derived from a proprietary algorithm based on the PAM50 gene signature, which is a robust and reproducible molecular marker for the breast cancer.

**Risk of Recurrence\*:**

The ROR ranges from 0 through 100 and represents a probability of distant recurrence. The risk classification is used to guide treatment decisions for the breast cancer patient.

**Probability of Distant Recurrence:**  
 In the clinical validation studies, patients who were node-negative, luminal B subtype, with an ROR score of 73 were in the high-risk group. This group averaged a 22% probability of distant recurrence at 10 years.

The Prosigna algorithm has been validated by 2 randomised clinical trials including more than 2400 patients with varying rates of distant recurrence. An analysis of these 2 clinical validation studies shows that the probability of distant recurrence for the high-risk population is 22%.

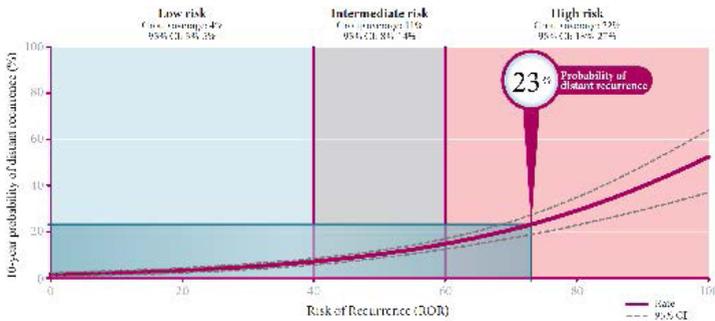
\*This assay is currently being tested in prospective settings to support use in the breast cancer population. Your oncologist may refer to the information on this page regarding use in the patient population. The cancer whether breast cancer, breast cancer, or other cancer, is not a patient population or treatment indication.

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**NEW**

\* FDA approval of the Prosigna test applies for post-menopausal women. However, according to results obtained in recent publications, the test can also be used in pre-menopausal women.

These publications demonstrate the prognostic and predictive relevance of the molecular subtype and risk of recurrence (as part of neoadjuvant chemotherapy). [1-2]

# Prosigna® - PAM50, the choice of Eurofins Biomnis



One of the few tests to identify the intrinsic tumour subtype in breast cancer



CE mark and FDA\*\* authorisation



Included in the new international recommendations (ESMO, ASCO, AGO, SEOM, NICE, ...)



“Next generation” test offering one of the best levels of evidence currently available on the market



Test classified with recommendation level HIGH for patients HR+/HER2-/N0 (ASCO 2016)



Data validated in more than 3,000 post-menopausal women with early stage breast cancer



Model that links the ROR score of the PAM50 test to the probability of distant recurrence in the tested population validated by two studies (TransATAC clinical validation study and ABCSG-8 validation study).

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## In practice

<b>Sample</b>	Breast cancer tissue block embedded in paraffin (Biopsy ou tumoral mass)
<b>Controle</b>	The tumour infiltration is controled from the tumour tissue by a anatomopathologist/physician at Eurofins Biomnis. Control of the tumour infiltration on each block by a anatomopathologist / Physician at Eurofins Biomnis
<b>Required document</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- "Oncology-Solid tumours" test request form (Ref. B9-INTGB)</li> <li>- Histological report for the diagnosis (including the tumour size and the lymph node involvement)</li> </ul>
<b>TAT</b>	7 - 10 working days
<b>Technique</b>	RT-PCR on nCounter DX Nanostring System
<b>Analysis site</b>	France (Lyon) In partnership with the Curie Institute (Paris)
<b>Price</b>	Contact us
<b>Additional tests available at Eurofins Biomnis</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ Ki67</li> <li>▶ HER2 status (IHC+ FISH)</li> <li>▶ Hormone receptors status (IHC)</li> </ul>

Find the preanalytical conditions for the Prosigna test on [www.eurofins-biomnis.com](http://www.eurofins-biomnis.com) > **Test guide** > Analysis code: **PAM50**

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