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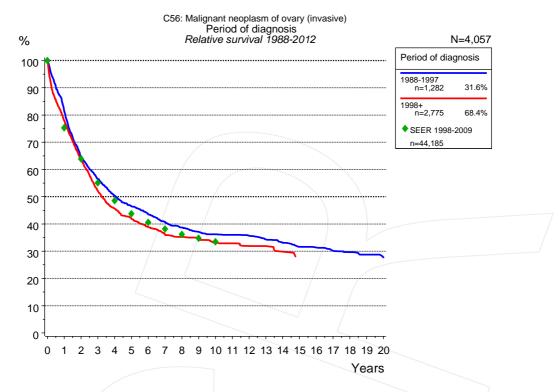
## **Cancer statistics: Survival**

### C56: Ovarian cancer

Year of diagnosis	1988-2012
Patients	7,207
Diseases	7,209
Cases evaluated	4,057
Creation date	03/25/2014
Export date	02/12/2014
Population (females)	2.3 m



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**Figure 1a.** Relative survival of patients with ovarian cancer by period of diagnosis. Included in the evaluation are 4,057 cases diagnosed between 1988 and 2012.

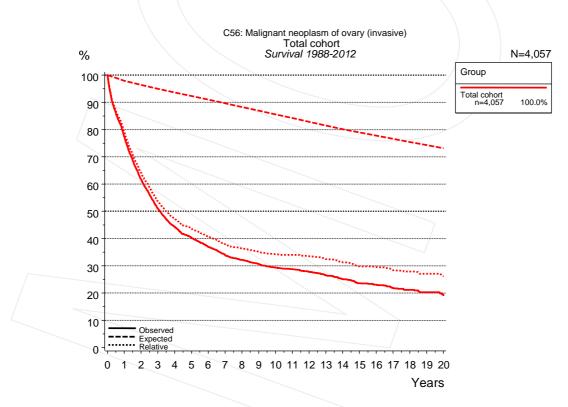
The survival results of the SEER program (Surveillance, Epidemiology, and End Results) of the American National Cancer Institute (NCI) are summarized as the period of diagnosis from 1998 to 2009, and are represented by green diamonds in order to facilitate comparisons between MCR and SEER.

The presented survival curves are derived from clinical records with valid follow-up informations, which means that death certificate cases (DCO) cases are omitted from the analysis. With this one restriction, the MCR has provided population-based statistics since 1988, collecting data on all cancer cases in the region of southern Bavaria. Historical data of previous time periods can be heavily selected, therefore, univariate survival comparisons of the presented time periods must be carefully considered. Nonetheless, all calculable survival curves are depicted to facilitate the comparison of long time follow-up analyses of relative survival between particular cancers.



I	Period of diagnosis												
	1988-	1997	199	18+									
	n=1,	282	n=2,	775									
Years	obs. %	rel. %	obs. %	rel. %									
0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0									
1	79.9	81.3	76.2	77.9									
2	62.8	64.9	61.4	63.8									
3	54.0	56.6	49.4	52.1									
4	47.3	50.3	42.6	45.6									
5	43.1	46.5	38.6	41.9									
6	39.7	43.5	35.3	38.9									
7	36.6	40.6	32.4	36.1									
8	34.3	38.7	31.1	35.2									
9	32.4	37.1	30.0	34.5									
10	31.3	36.2	28.3	33.1									
11	30.7	36.0	27.6	32.9									
12	29.8	35.7	26.3	31.9									
13	28.2	34.3	25.6	31.9									
14	26.8	33.1	23.9	29.8									
15	25.3	31.6											
16	24.6	31.3											
17	23.4	30.1											
18	22.7	29.6											
19	21.7	28.7											
20	20.5	27.7											

**Table 1b.** Observed (obs.) and relative (rel.) survival of patients with ovarian cancer by period of diagnosis for period 1988-2012 (N=4,057).

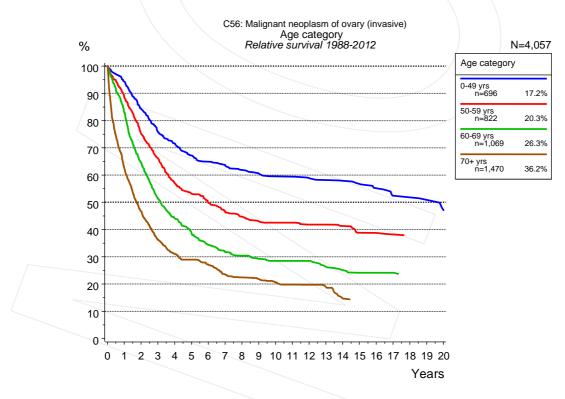


**Figure 2a.** Observed, expected and relative survival of the total cohort with ovarian cancer. Included in the evaluation are 4,057 cases diagnosed between 1988 and 2012.

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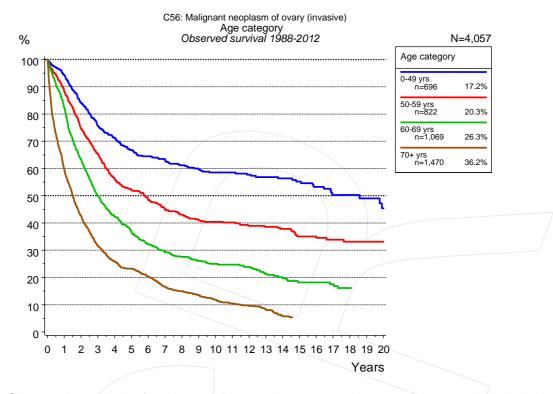
	Group	
	Total of	cohort
	n=4,	057
Years	obs. %	rel. %
0	100.0	100.0
1	77.4	79.0
2	61.8	64.1
3	51.0	53.7
4	44.3	47.3
5	40.2	43.6
6	36.9	40.6
7	33.9	37.8
8	32.1	36.4
9	30.6	35.2
10	29.3	34.2
11	28.7	34.0
12	27.8	33.5
13	26.5	32.5
14	25.0	31.2
15	23.6	29.8
16	23.0	29.5
17	21.8	28.4
18	21.2	27.9
19	20.2	27.1
20	19.1	26.1

**Table 2b.** Observed (obs.) and relative (rel.) survival of the total cohort with ovarian cancer for period 1988-2012 (N=4,057).



**Figure 3a.** Relative survival of patients with ovarian cancer by age category. Included in the evaluation are 4,057 cases diagnosed between 1988 and 2012.

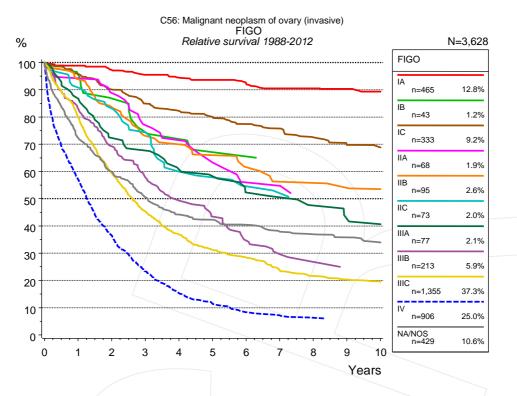
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**Figure 3b.** Observed survival of patients with ovarian cancer by age category. Included in the evaluation are 4,057 cases diagnosed between 1988 and 2012.

Age category												
	0-49	yrs	50-59	9 yrs	60-69	9 yrs	70+	yrs				
	n=6	696	n=8	322	n=1,	069	n=1,470					
Years	obs. %	rel. %	obs. %	rel. %	obs. %	rel. %	obs. %	rel. %				
0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0				
1	94.3	94.3	88.4	88.6	82.3	83.0	59.5	62.5				
2	84.3	84.3	74.6	75.2	63.3	64.5	42.6	46.7				
3	75.7	75.9	65.4	66.1	49.9	51.4	31.7	36.3				
4	71.4	71.6	56.0	57.0	42.3	44.1	25.8	31.0				
5	66.8	67.2	51.9	53.1	36.6	38.6	23.1	29.0				
6	64.5	64.9	48.4	49.8	32.2	34.4	20.3	27.1				
7	63.0	63.6	45.2	46.7	29.2	31.7	16.5	23.4				
8	61.2	61.9	43.1	44.7	27.5	30.4	14.9	22.5				
9	59.7	60.6	41.1	43.0	26.1	29.3	13.5	21.8				
10	58.5	59.5	40.4	42.5	24.9	28.4	11.7	20.7				
11	58.5	59.4	40.2	42.5	24.7	28.4	10.5	19.8				
12	57.7	58.9	38.9	41.8	23.8	28.4	9.5	19.7				
13	56.9	58.2	38.6	41.8	21.3	26.3	8.2	18.9				
14	56.3	57.9	37.8	41.3	19.6	25.1	5.7	14.6				
15	55.2	56.7	35.1	38.8	18.1	24.1						
16	53.3	55.1	34.5	38.7	18.1	24.1						
17	50.3	52.4	33.9	38.2	17.5	24.1						
18	50.3	51.8	33.1	37.9	16.1	23.2						
19	49.0	50.9	33.1	37.8								
20	45.4	47.1	33.1	37.7								

**Table 3c.** Observed (obs.) and relative (rel.) survival of patients with ovarian cancer by age category for period 1988-2012 (N=4,057).



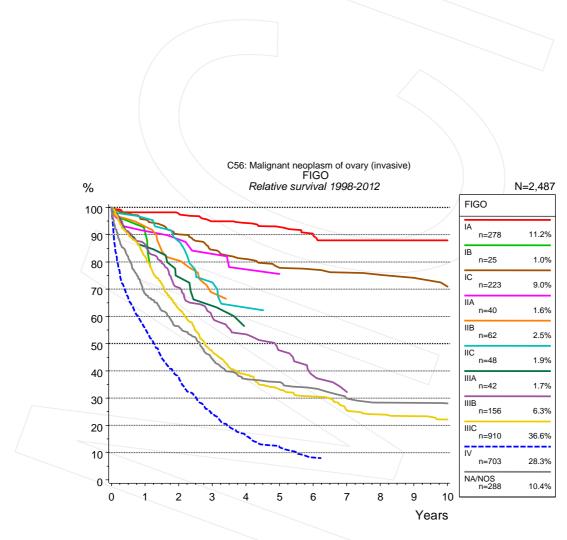
**Figure 4a.** Relative survival of patients with ovarian cancer by FIGO. For 3,778 of 4,057 cases diagnosed between 1988 and 2012 valid data could be obtained for this item. For a total of 3,628 cases an evaluable classification was established. The grey line represents the subgroup of 429 patients with missing values regarding FIGO (10.6% of 4,057 patients, the percent values of all other categories are related to n=3,628).

	FIGO													
	1/	4	II	В	10		II.	A	III	В	IIC		IIIA	
	n=4	165	n=	43	n=3	333	n=	68	n=95		n=73		n=77	
Years	obs. %	rel. %												
0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1	97.8	98.8	94.9	95.6	94.5	95.8	92.6	94.2	92.2	93.8	90.3	90.8	86.8	86.7
2	94.8	97.3	84.3	86.8	87.6	90.1	85.9	88.8	81.4	83.6	81.6	83.1	70.5	72.3
3	91.9	95.5	73.2	74.4	81.3	84.9	73.4	77.0	69.7	73.1	72.3	74.4	66.1	67.6
4	89.8	94.4	70.4	71.9	77.9	82.2	67.8	71.4	66.8	70.0	56.3	60.0	58.2	60.8
5	88.1	93.6	64.0	67.1	75.0	80.1	57.8	63.3	61.5	66.0	54.5	57.8	55.0	58.2
6	85.2	92.2	64.0	65.5	71.5	77.4	50.5	56.0	55.9	61.6	50.3	54.6	48.0	52.3
7	82.6	90.5	60.2	62.3	69.1	75.7	50.5	54.7	50.2	56.2	48.1	52.0	46.1	50.5
8	81.8	90.5			65.1	72.5	45.2	50.6	50.2	55.8	45.8	50.3	42.2	47.5
9	79.9	90.3			61.6	69.7			48.1	53.9	45.8	49.6	38.0	42.5
10	77.8	89.3			60.2	68.8			45.9	53.5	45.8	49.0	35.9	40.6



FIGO												
cont'd	III	В	III	IIIC		/	NA/NOS					
	n=2	213	n=1,355		n=9	906	n=429					
Years	obs. %	rel. %	obs. %	rel. %	obs. %	rel. %	obs. %	rel. %				
0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0				
1	81.6	83.0	78.8	80.0	55.4	57.1	70.2	72.3				
2	67.3	69.2	57.6	59.4	35.0	36.6	56.8	59.9				
3	55.6	57.8	43.4	45.3	22.0	23.3	47.2	50.6				
4	47.6	49.3	34.6	36.8	14.4	15.4	40.5	44.2				
5	40.4	43.4	29.0	31.2	10.5	11.4	38.2	42.3				
6	32.2	34.6	26.1	28.4	7.5	8.3	35.8	40.4				
7	27.8	29.7	21.3	23.7	6.4	7.1	33.1	37.9				
8	24.8	26.8	19.3	21.7	5.6	6.3	31.7	36.9				
9	22.1	23.6	17.9	20.3 5.	5.2	5.7	30.2	35.8				
10			17.1	19.6			28.1	33.9				

**Table 4b.** Observed (obs.) and relative (rel.) survival of patients with ovarian cancer by FIGO for period 1988-2012 (N=3,628).

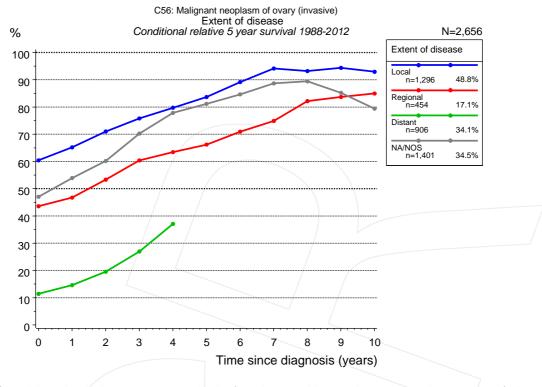


**Figure 4c.** Relative survival of patients with ovarian cancer by FIGO. For 2,576 of 2,775 cases diagnosed between 1998 and 2012 valid data could be obtained for this item. For a total of 2,487 cases an evaluable classification was established. The grey line represents the subgroup of 288 patients with missing values regarding FIGO (10.4% of 2,775 patients, the percent values of all other categories are related to n=2,487).

	FIGO														
	1/	4	II	В	10	IC		IIA		IIB		IIC		IIIA	
	n=2	278	n=	25	n=2	223	n=	40	n=62		n=48		n=42		
Years	obs. %	rel. %													
0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	
1	97.5	98.2	91.0	90.8	94.5	95.5	89.9	91.4	91.4	93.0	95.8	96.1	85.6	85.6	
2	95.4	97.7	76.7	75.7	87.9	90.1	86.9	88.3	79.3	80.5	86.7	87.5	73.1	74.4	
3	91.4	94.9			81.0	84.4	80.2	82.9	65.6	68.7	71.5	72.5	64.2	63.8	
4	89.9	94.3			77.2	81.1	72.5	77.2	62.7	66.3	61.3	63.2	53.8	54.8	
5	87.6	92.8			73.5	77.9	68.0	75.5	62.7	66.1	58.1	61.0			
6	84.0	89.9			71.9	77.2			62.7	66.0					
7	81.5	87.9			70.0	76.1			62.7	65.8					
8	81.5	87.9			68.8	75.3			62.7	65.6					
9	80.0	87.9			65.9	74.1									
10	78.2	87.9			63.6	70.9									

	FIGO													
cont'd	III	В	III	С	IV	/	NA/NOS							
	n=1	56	n=910		n=7	703	n=288							
Years	obs. %	rel. %	obs. %	rel. %	obs. %	rel. %	obs. %	rel. %						
0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0						
1	85.2	86.4	80.8	82.1	53.9	55.4	66.0	68.3						
2	68.8	70.6	60.8	62.7	35.8	37.5	52.9	56.3						
3	57.6	59.7	45.1	47.1	22.8	24.3	41.0	44.3						
4	51.2	53.4	36.3	38.6	15.2	16.3	33.5	37.0						
5	44.3	44.3 47.5 30	30.9	33.2	11.0	12.0	32.1	35.8						
6	35.7	38.3	28.2	30.6	7.4	8.2	29.3	33.6						
7	31.0	32.3	23.0	25.6			26.0	29.8						
8	29.1	30.4	21.4	24.0			23.7	28.3						
9			20.6	23.4			23.7	28.3						
10			19.0	22.1			22.5	28.1						

**Table 4d.** Observed (obs.) and relative (rel.) survival of patients with ovarian cancer by FIGO for period 1998-2012 (N=2,487).

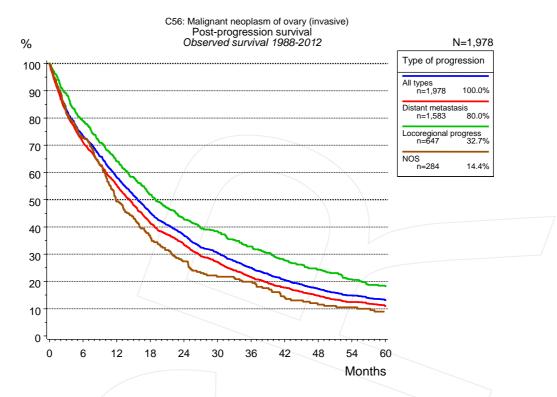


**Figure 4e.** Conditional relative 5-year survival of patients with ovarian cancer by extent of disease. For 3,778 of 4,057 cases diagnosed between 1988 and 2012 valid data could be obtained for this item. For a total of 2,656 cases an evaluable classification was established. The grey line represents the subgroup of 1,401 patients with missing values regarding extent of disease (34.5% of 4,057 patients, the percent values of all other categories are related to n=2,656).

Extent of disease											
	Loc	al	Regi	onal	Dist	ant	NA/N	IOS			
		Cond. surv. %		Cond. surv. %	Cond. surv. %			Cond. surv. %			
Years	n	5 yrs	n	5 yrs	n	5 yrs	n	5 yrs			
0	1,296	60.4	454	43.6	906	11.4	1,401	47.1			
1	1,053	65.2	362	46.7	475	14.6	1,083	53.9			
2	854	71.0	249	53.3	263	19.5	833	60.2			
3	727	75.8	172	60.4	150	27.0	635	70.3			
4	617	79.7	140	63.4	87	37.1	484	77.8			
5	539	83.7	112	66.2			397	81.2			
6	456	89.1	95	70.9			331	84.6			
7	405	94.1	79	74.9			274	88.7			
8	356	93.2	68	82.2			236	89.4			
9	316	94.4	60	83.7			202	85.2			
10	286	92.9	51	85.0			167	79.4			

**Table 4f.** Conditional relative 5-year survival of patients with ovarian cancer by extent of disease for period 1988-2012 (N=2,656).

Conditional relative survival rates refer to the relative survival probability, in this case for 5 years after cancer diagnosis, compared to the age- and sex-matched population (=100%) under the condition of being alive for a certain time period (x-axis in Figure 4c). The results illustrate to what extent the cancer induced mortality of particular subgroups declines in the subsequent years after detection of the malignancy. For instance, according to the presented survival statistics, patients in the subgroup extent of disease="Local", who are alive at least 3 years after cancer diagnosis, the conditional relative 5-year survival rate is 75.8% (n=727).



**Figure 5a.** Observed post-progression survival of 1,978 patients with ovarian cancer diagnosed between 1988 and 2012 (incl. M1). These 1,978 patients with documented progression events during their course of disease represent 48.8% of the totally 4,057 evaluated cases. Patients with cancer relapse documented via death certificates only were excluded (n=494, 12.2%). Multiple progression types on different sites are included in the evaluation even when not occuring synchronously. The NOS (not otherwise specified) class is included under the condition, that it is the one and only progression type during the course of disease.

Medical record documentation often lacks the linguistic severity to distinguish between local relapse, regional lymph node metastasis and distant spread in solid cancers. Frequently, the statement "not specified" is the only information in registries regarding relapse of the disease. The category "All types" denotes all cases who suffered from at least one relapse during the course of disease (incl. primary M1-status). Although, the real number of relapsed patients is likely to be much higher. The accumulated percentage of patients with local relapse or distant metastasis exceeds the 100% value because patients are potientially considered in more than one subgroup.

	1	Type of progr	ession	
	All types	Distant metastasis	Locoregional progress	NOS
	n=1,978	n=1,583	n=647	n=284
Months	%	%	%	%
0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
12	58.2	55.3	64.2	49.3
24	37.0	33.6	43.0	27.3
36	25.0	21.7	32.8	19.9
48	17.3	14.8	24.3	11.5
60	13.1	11.0	18.2	8.9

**Table 5b.** Observed post-progression survival of patients with ovarian cancer for period 1988-2012 (N=1,978).

#### **Shortcuts**

AS Assembled survival chart (observed, expected, relative)

CS Conditional survival

DCO Death certificate only. The death certificate provides the only notification to the registry.

MCR Munich Cancer Registry, Germany (Tumorregister München)

NA Not available

NCI National Cancer Institute, USA

NOS Not otherwise specified

OS Observed/overall survival (Kaplan-Meier estimate)

PPS Post-progression survival

RS Relative Survival. Ratio of observed and expected survival (derived from the normal population)

SEER Surveillance, Epidemiology, and End Results, USA

TTP Time to progression

Date of entry: Date of diagnosis

Event (Progression): First local recurrence, lymph node relapse or distant metastasis, unspecified

recurrence

First all-cause recurrence is illustrated by survival curves (Kaplan-Meier estimate).

First local recurrence, lymph node relapse or distant metastasis are depicted cumulatively, where

applicable ("reverse" Kaplan-Meier estimate).

UICC Union for International Cancer Control, Geneva

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