

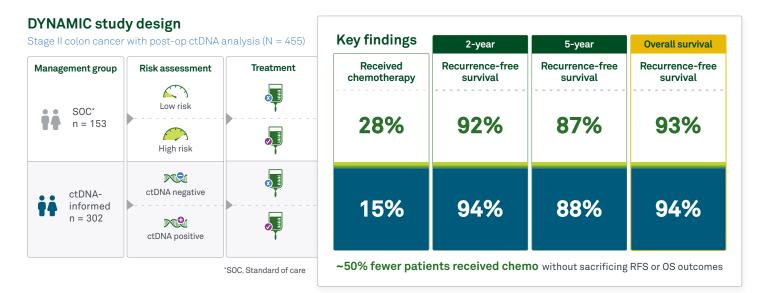
Clinical trial study summary: The DYNAMIC study

## Circulating tumor DNA guiding adjuvant therapy in stage II colon cancer<sup>1,2</sup>

Clinicians report the 2- and 5-year results from the DYNAMIC<sup>a</sup> study demonstrating the clinical benefit of MRD testing to inform therapeutic decisions for patients likely to benefit from adjuvant therapy.

### Background

In patients with stage II colon cancer, the benefit of adjuvant therapy is unclear, and identifying which patients should receive such therapy is challenging. Some clinical studies have reported promising observational results on circulating tumor DNA (ctDNA) as a biomarker to measure minimal residual disease (MRD) postsurgery. The goal of the DYNAMIC study was to determine whether ctDNA-based MRD testing could improve the identification of 1) patients to receive adjuvant therapy and 2) patients who might forgo adjuvant therapy with minimal risk of recurrence. The DYNAMIC trial is the first to demonstrate clear clinical benefit of ctDNA-based MRD detection following surgery.



## Study conclusions

Results from the study demonstrated that applying a ctDNA-guided approach to stage II colon cancer treatment management significantly reduced the use of adjuvant chemotherapy without compromising recurrence or survival at 2 years. Five-year follow-up results confirmed these findings, which also showed excellent survival outcomes with this approach.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup> Haystack MRD<sup>™</sup> uses an optimized version of the ctDNA detection technology used in the DYNAMIC study, which was the first study of its kind to assess the clinical benefit of MRD testing to guide adjuvant therapy. DYNAMIC is not a Haystack MRD-sponsored study.

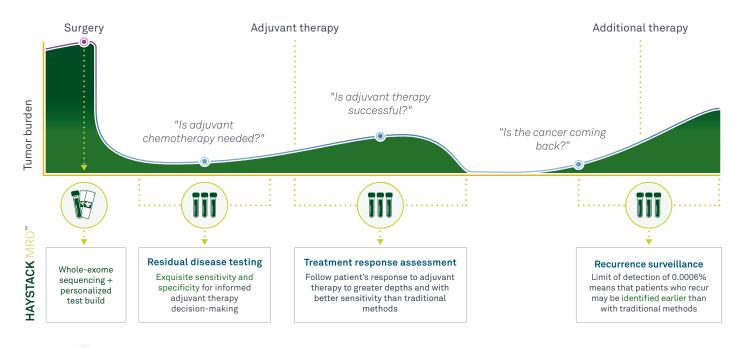
<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Tie J, Cohen JD, Lahouel K, et al. Circulating tumor DNA analysis guiding adjuvant therapy in stage II colon cancer. N Engl J Med. 2022;386(24):2261-2272. doi:10.1056/NEJMoa2200075

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# Gain *insights* that can help guide treatment options with more certainty than ever before

## Haystack MRD<sup>™</sup>

Haystack MRD is purpose-built for ultrasensitive ctDNA detection in patients with solid tumors and can be used to detect residual disease to guide adjuvant therapy decisions, to assess treatment response, and to monitor for recurrence.



#### Measurable disease

Patients with measurable disease who are newly diagnosed or relapsed by radiographic imaging and/or symptomatic presentation

#### **Protein markers**

Circulating biomarkers like carcinoembryonic antigen (CEA) are not sensitive enough for MRD

#### Traditional molecular methods

Broad next-generation sequencing (NGS) and other non-MRD molecular assays are not optimized for low-level ctDNA detection

#### Haystack MRD

Purpose-built for exquisite sensitivity, enabling detection of individual ctDNA mutations for confident MRD testing

# Better sensitivity means fewer false negatives and earlier insights

Haystack MRD enables ultrasensitive ctDNA testing with the ability to detect 95% of cases at 0.0006% tumor fraction.<sup>1</sup> With an exquisitely low limit of detection, insights can be uncovered to aid in earlier and more confident treatment decisions.

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#### <sup>1</sup>Data on file. Haystack Oncology; 2024.

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