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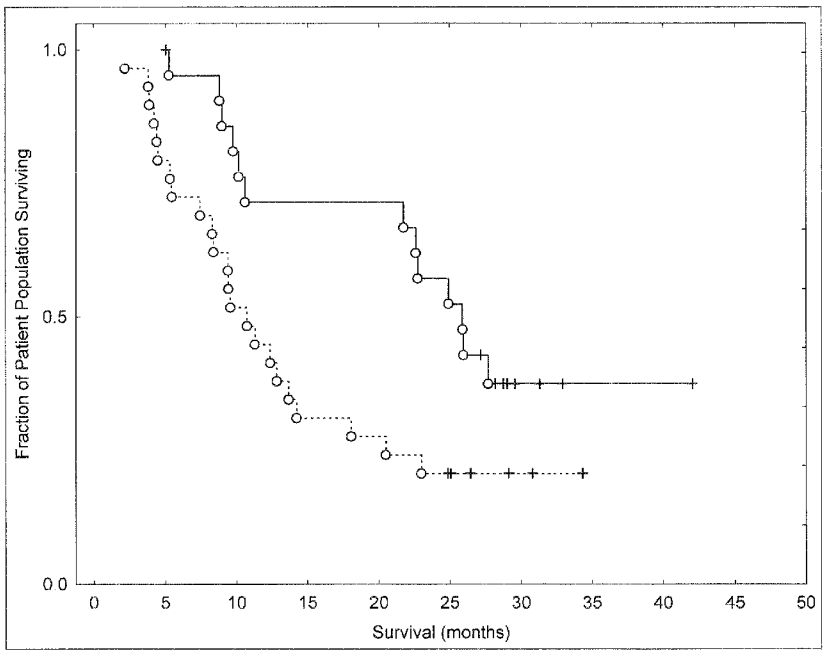
(54) Title: BIOMARKER FOR MONITORING PATIENTS

Figure 1



(57) Abstract: The present invention is in the field of immunotherapy and relates to methods for determining the efficacy of certain immunotherapy treatments. The methods of the invention include measuring special biomarker at some time following the initiation of immunotherapy treatment to evaluate the clinical outcome of the said treatment. The invention thus has applications to the field of medicine.

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