

## Supplementary Tables.

**Table e-1.** Summary of the different diagnostic criteria evaluated in this study.

<b>DIS criteria</b>				
<b>2010 McDonald<sup>1</sup></b>	$\geq 2$ of the following:			
	$\geq 1$ PV lesion	$\geq 1$ JC lesion	$\geq 1$ PF lesion	$\geq 1$ SC lesion
All lesions in symptomatic regions excluded in brainstem/cerebellar and SC syndromes				
<b>2017 McDonald<sup>2</sup></b>	$\geq 2$ of the following:			
	$\geq 1$ PV lesion	<b><u><math>\geq 1</math> CL/JC lesion</u></b>	$\geq 1$ PF lesion	$\geq 1$ SC lesion
All lesions in symptomatic regions <b><u>included</u></b> in brainstem/cerebellar and SC syndromes				
<b>2017 DIS criteria modified (3 PV)</b>	$\geq 2$ of the following:			
	<b><u><math>\geq 3</math> PV lesions</u></b>	<b><u><math>\geq 1</math> CL/JC lesion</u></b>	$\geq 1$ PF lesion	$\geq 1$ SC lesion
All lesions in symptomatic regions <b><u>included</u></b> in brainstem/cerebellar and SC syndromes				
<b>DIT criteria</b>				
<b>2010 McDonald<sup>1</sup></b>	Simultaneous presence of Gd-enhancing and non-enhancing lesions at any time (excluding symptomatic lesions) or A new T2 and/or Gd-enhancing lesion on FU MRI irrespective of timing of baseline scan			
<b>2017 McDonald<sup>2</sup></b>	Simultaneous presence of Gd-enhancing and non-enhancing lesions at any time ( <b><u>including symptomatic lesions</u></b> ) or A new T2 and/or Gd-enhancing lesion on FU MRI irrespective of timing of baseline scan or Demonstration of CSF-specific OCBs*			

\*In patients with a typical CIS suggestive of MS fulfilling DIS criteria and with no better explanation for the clinical presentation, the demonstration of CSF-specific OCBs substitutes for the requirement of fulfilling DIT, thus allowing a diagnosis of MS, even if the clinical and MRI findings do not meet the criteria for DIT.

Abbreviations: CIS=clinically isolated syndrome; CL=cortical lesion; CSF=cerebrospinal fluid; DIS=dissemination in space; DIT=dissemination in time; FU=follow-up; Gd=gadolinium; JC=juxtacortical; MRI=magnetic resonance imaging; OCBs=oligoclonal bands; PF=posterior fossa; PV=periventricular; SC=spinal cord.

**Table e-2.** Performance of the different combined MRI criteria for DIS, DIT and DIS plus DIT also according to the evaluation of OCBs for development of CDMS in the CIS patients not receiving DMT before the second clinical event (n=550) at 36 and 60 months' follow-up.

Criteria	Timepoint	Sensitivity (95% CI)	Specificity (95% CI)	AUC (95% CI)	PPV (95% CI)	NPV (95% CI)
<b>DIS only</b>						
<b>2010 McDonald<sup>1</sup></b>	M36	0.76 (0.70-0.81)	0.58 (0.51-0.65)	0.67 (0.62-0.71)	0.64 (0.58-0.7)	0.70 (0.64-0.76)
	M60	0.75 (0.70-0.80)	0.67 (0.59-0.74)	0.71 (0.66-0.75)	0.75 (0.69-0.81)	0.66 (0.59-0.73)
<b>2017 McDonald<sup>2</sup></b>	M36	0.84 (0.79-0.88)	0.51 (0.44-0.58)	0.67 (0.63-0.71)	0.63 (0.57-0.68)	0.76 (0.69-0.82)
	M60	0.82 (0.77-0.86)	0.57 (0.48-0.65)	0.69 (0.65-0.74)	0.72 (0.66-0.77)	0.70 (0.62-0.77)
<b>DIT only</b>						
<b>2010 McDonald<sup>1</sup></b>	M36	0.74 (0.69-0.79)	0.71 (0.64-0.76)	0.73 (0.68-0.76)	0.72 (0.66-0.77)	0.73 (0.68-0.79)
	M60	0.72 (0.67-0.77)	0.76 (0.68-0.82)	0.74 (0.69-0.78)	0.80 (0.74-0.85)	0.67 (0.6-0.73)
<b>2017 McDonald<sup>2</sup></b>	M36	0.94 (0.90-0.96)	0.36 (0.29-0.44)	0.65 (0.61-0.69)	0.62 (0.57-0.67)	0.83 (0.74-0.90)
	M60	0.93 (0.89-0.95)	0.44 (0.34-0.53)	0.68 (0.63-0.73)	0.71 (0.66-0.76)	0.80 (0.70-0.87)
<b>2017 McDonald without OCBs<sup>2</sup></b>	M36	0.74 (0.69-0.79)	0.71 (0.64-0.76)	0.73 (0.68-0.76)	0.72 (0.66-0.77)	0.73 (0.68-0.79)
	M60	0.72 (0.67-0.77)	0.76 (0.68-0.82)	0.74 (0.69-0.78)	0.80 (0.74-0.85)	0.67 (0.60-0.73)
<b>DIS plus DIT</b>						
<b>2010 McDonald<sup>1</sup></b>	M36	0.63 (0.57-0.69)	0.78 (0.72-0.83)	0.71 (0.66-0.74)	0.74 (0.67-0.80)	0.68 (0.62-0.73)

	M60	0.61 (0.55-0.67)	0.83 (0.76-0.89)	0.72 (0.67-0.76)	0.83 (0.76-0.89)	0.61 (0.55-0.67)
<b>2017 McDonald<sup>2</sup></b>	M36	0.80 (0.75-0.85)	0.62 (0.55-0.69)	0.71 (0.67-0.75)	0.68 (0.63-0.74)	0.76 (0.69-0.81)
	M60	0.78 (0.73-0.83)	0.69 (0.60-0.76)	0.73 (0.68-0.78)	0.77 (0.71-0.83)	0.70 (0.62-0.76)
<b>2017 McDonald without OCBs<sup>2</sup></b>	M36	0.70 (0.64-0.75)	0.74 (0.68-0.80)	0.72 (0.68-0.76)	0.73 (0.67-0.79)	0.71 (0.65-0.76)
	M60	0.67 (0.62-0.73)	0.78 (0.70-0.84)	0.73 (0.68-0.77)	0.81 (0.74-0.86)	0.64 (0.57-0.70)

Abbreviations: AUC=area under the curve; CDMS=clinically definite MS; CI=confidence interval; DIS=dissemination in space; DIT=dissemination in time; DMT=disease-modifying treatment; M=month; MRI=magnetic resonance imaging; NPV=negative predictive value; OCBs=oligoclonal bands; PPV=positive predictive value.

**Table e-3.** Performance of the different combined MRI criteria for DIS and DIS plus DIT for development of CDMS according to the type of monofocal onset at 36 and 60 months' follow-up.

Criteria	Type of onset	Timepoint	Sensitivity (95% CI)	Specificity (95% CI)	AUC (95% CI)	PPV (95% CI)	NPV (95% CI)
<b>DIS only</b>							
2010 McDonald <sup>1</sup>	Optic neuritis	M36	0.77 (0.68-0.84)	0.47 (0.39-0.56)	0.60 (0.56-0.68)	0.51 (0.43-0.59)	0.74 (0.64-0.82)
	Brainstem / cerebellar syndrome		0.75 (0.63-0.85)	0.39 (0.29-0.50)	0.57 (0.49-0.64)	0.43 (0.34-0.53)	0.71 (0.57-0.82)
	Myelitis		0.78 (0.69-0.86)	0.29 (0.21-0.38)	0.54 (0.48-0.60)	0.48 (0.40-0.55)	0.62 (0.49-0.74)
	Optic neuritis	M60	0.74 (0.66-0.81)	0.54 (0.42-0.64)	0.64 (0.57-0.70)	0.62 (0.53-0.70)	0.67 (0.57-0.77)
	Brainstem / cerebellar syndrome		0.77 (0.66-0.86)	0.49 (0.35-0.63)	0.63 (0.54-0.71)	0.57 (0.46-0.68)	0.71 (0.57-0.82)
	Myelitis		0.80 (0.72-0.87)	0.38 (0.27-0.51)	0.59 (0.53-0.66)	0.59 (0.51-0.68)	0.64 (0.49-0.75)
2017 McDonald <sup>2</sup>	Optic neuritis	M36	0.78 (0.70-0.85)	0.47 (0.38-0.55)	0.62 (0.57-0.68)	0.51 (0.43-0.59)	0.75 (0.65-0.83)
	Brainstem / cerebellar syndrome		0.94 (0.85-0.98)	0.32 (0.22-0.42)	0.63 (0.57-0.68)	0.46 (0.38-0.55)	0.89 (0.74-0.97)
	Myelitis		0.87 (0.79-0.93)	0.21 (0.14-0.3)	0.54 (0.49-0.59)	0.48 (0.40-0.55)	0.67 (0.50-0.81)
	Optic neuritis	M60	0.75 (0.67-0.82)	0.53 (0.41-0.63)	0.64 (0.57-0.7)	0.61 (0.53-0.7)	0.68 (0.57-0.77)
	Brainstem / cerebellar syndrome		0.93 (0.84-0.97)	0.39 (0.26-0.53)	0.66 (0.59-0.73)	0.58 (0.48-0.67)	0.86 (0.69-0.95)
	Myelitis		0.88 (0.81-0.93)	0.26 (0.17-0.38)	0.57 (0.51-0.63)	0.57 (0.49-0.65)	0.66 (0.48-0.80)
<b>DIS plus DIT</b>							
2010 McDonald <sup>1</sup>	Optic neuritis	M36	0.63 (0.54-0.72)	0.70 (0.62-0.77)	0.67 (0.60-0.72)	0.60 (0.51-0.69)	0.73 (0.65-0.79)

2017 McDonald <sup>2</sup>	M60	Brainstem / cerebellar syndrome	0.66 (0.53-0.77)	0.57 (0.46-0.68)	0.62 (0.54-0.69)	0.49 (0.38-0.61)	0.73 (0.62-0.82)
		Myelitis	0.68 (0.58-0.76)	0.57 (0.47-0.66)	0.62 (0.55-0.69)	0.56 (0.47-0.65)	0.68 (0.59-0.77)
		Optic neuritis	0.58 (0.49-0.67)	0.72 (0.61-0.81)	0.65 (0.58-0.71)	0.67 (0.57-0.77)	0.63 (0.54-0.71)
		Brainstem / cerebellar syndrome	0.66 (0.54-0.77)	0.69 (0.55-0.80)	0.67 (0.58-0.75)	0.65 (0.52-0.77)	0.70 (0.58-0.79)
		Myelitis	0.68 (0.59-0.76)	0.62 (0.49-0.73)	0.65 (0.57-0.72)	0.66 (0.56-0.76)	0.63 (0.53-0.72)
	M36	Optic neuritis	0.75 (0.67-0.83)	0.53 (0.44-0.62)	0.64 (0.58-0.70)	0.54 (0.45-0.62)	0.75 (0.66-0.83)
		Brainstem / cerebellar syndrome	0.89 (0.79-0.95)	0.44 (0.34-0.56)	0.67 (0.60-0.73)	0.51 (0.41-0.61)	0.86 (0.74-0.94)
		Myelitis	0.85 (0.77-0.91)	0.24 (0.17-0.33)	0.55 (0.49-0.60)	0.48 (0.41-0.56)	0.66 (0.50-0.80)
	M60	Optic neuritis	0.72 (0.64-0.80)	0.61 (0.49-0.71)	0.66 (0.59-0.73)	0.64 (0.54-0.73)	0.70 (0.60-0.78)
		Brainstem / cerebellar syndrome	0.87 (0.77-0.94)	0.52 (0.38-0.67)	0.69 (0.61-0.77)	0.63 (0.52-0.73)	0.81 (0.67-0.91)
		Myelitis	0.86 (0.79-0.92)	0.32 (0.21-0.44)	0.59 (0.53-0.66)	0.59 (0.51-0.67)	0.67 (0.51-0.80)

Abbreviations: AUC=area under the curve; CDMS=clinically definite MS; CI=confidence interval; DIS=dissemination in space; DIT=dissemination in time; M=month; MRI=magnetic resonance imaging; NPV=negative predictive value; OCBs=oligoclonal bands; PPV=positive predictive value.

**Table e-4.** Performance of the different combined MRI criteria for DIS and DIS plus DIT for development of CDMS at 36 and 60 months' follow-up in the final cohort (n=785) and by age groups, according to the minimum number of periventricular lesions to define periventricular involvement ( $\geq 1$  vs  $\geq 3$ ).

Criteria	Timepoint	Age [years]	Sensitivity (95% CI)	Specificity (95% CI)	AUC (95% CI)	PPV (95% CI)	NPV (95% CI)
<b>DIS only</b>							
2010 McDonald <sup>1</sup>	M36	All (n=785)	0.78 (0.73-0.82)	0.38 (0.33-0.43)	0.58 (0.55-0.62)	0.48 (0.44-0.53)	0.70 (0.64-0.76)
		<25 (n=155)	0.82 (0.72-0.89)	0.38 (0.26-0.51)	0.60 (0.52-0.67)	0.61 (0.51-0.70)	0.64 (0.47-0.77)
		25-34 (n=333)	0.73 (0.66-0.80)	0.35 (0.27-0.42)	0.54 (0.49-0.59)	0.47 (0.40-0.54)	0.62 (0.52-0.71)
		35-44 (n=210)	0.87 (0.77-0.94)	0.50 (0.41-0.60)	0.69 (0.62-0.75)	0.48 (0.39-0.57)	0.88 (0.79-0.94)
		≥45 (n=87)	0.72 (0.54-0.87)	0.23 (0.12-0.37)	0.48 (0.38-0.55)	0.34 (0.23-0.47)	0.60 (0.35-0.81)
2017 McDonald <sup>2</sup>	M60	All (n=785)	0.78 (0.74-0.82)	0.47 (0.40-0.53)	0.62 (0.58-0.66)	0.60 (0.55-0.65)	0.67 (0.61-0.73)
		<25 (n=155)	0.83 (0.74-0.90)	0.40 (0.30-0.65)	0.65 (0.55-0.74)	0.73 (0.62-0.82)	0.61 (0.43-0.76)
		25-34 (n=333)	0.75 (0.68-0.81)	0.41 (0.31-0.51)	0.58 (0.52-0.64)	0.59 (0.52-0.66)	0.59 (0.48-0.69)
		35-44 (n=210)	0.82 (0.70-0.90)	0.64 (0.51-0.75)	0.73 (0.65-0.80)	0.62 (0.51-0.73)	0.83 (0.71-0.90)
		≥45 (n=87)	0.75 (0.57-0.88)	0.28 (0.13-0.46)	0.51 (0.42-0.58)	0.40 (0.27-0.54)	0.63 (0.37-0.84)
	M36	All (n=785)	0.86 (0.82-0.90)	0.32 (0.28-0.37)	0.59 (0.56-0.62)	0.49 (0.44-0.53)	0.76 (0.69-0.82)
		<25 (n=155)	0.90 (0.82-0.95)	0.31 (0.20-0.44)	0.61 (0.54-0.68)	0.60 (0.51-0.69)	0.73 (0.53-0.87)
		25-34 (n=333)	0.82 (0.75-0.88)	0.32 (0.25-0.39)	0.57 (0.52-0.62)	0.49 (0.42-0.56)	0.69 (0.58-0.79)
		35-44 (n=210)	0.93 (0.84-0.97)	0.40 (0.31-0.50)	0.66 (0.60-0.72)	0.45 (0.36-0.53)	0.91 (0.81-0.97)
		≥45 (n=87)	0.79 (0.60-0.91)	0.18 (0.08-0.32)	0.49 (0.40-0.57)	0.34 (0.24-0.47)	0.61 (0.32-0.85)

2017 McDonald with 3 PV lesions	M60	All (n=785)	0.85 (0.81-0.88)	0.38 (0.31-0.45)	0.61 (0.58-0.65)	0.59 (0.54-0.63)	0.71 (0.64-0.78)
		<25 (n=155)	0.90 (0.82-0.95)	0.34 (0.19-0.52)	0.62 (0.54-0.72)	0.70 (0.60-0.79)	0.67 (0.43-0.84)
		25-34 (n=333)	0.82 (0.76-0.88)	0.37 (0.27-0.47)	0.60 (0.54-0.65)	0.60 (0.53-0.67)	0.65 (0.53-0.75)
		35-44 (n=210)	0.86 (0.76-0.93)	0.49 (0.36-0.62)	0.68 (0.60-0.75)	0.56 (0.45-0.65)	0.83 (0.69-0.92)
		≥45 (n=87)	0.81 (0.63-0.92)	0.21 (0.08-0.40)	0.51 (0.42-0.58)	0.39 (0.27-0.53)	0.63 (0.31-0.87)
	M36	All (n=785)	0.77 (0.73-0.82)	0.41 (0.36-0.46)	0.59 (0.56-0.63)	0.49 (0.45-0.54)	0.71 (0.65-0.76)
		<25 (n=155)	0.78 (0.68-0.86)	0.40 (0.28-0.53)	0.59 (0.51-0.67)	0.60 (0.50-0.70)	0.60 (0.45-0.74)
		25-34 (n=333)	0.75 (0.67-0.81)	0.39 (0.31-0.47)	0.57 (0.52-0.62)	0.49 (0.42-0.56)	0.66 (0.56-0.75)
		35-44 (n=210)	0.84 (0.73-0.91)	0.48 (0.38-0.57)	0.66 (0.59-0.72)	0.46 (0.36-0.55)	0.85 (0.75-0.92)
		≥45 (n=87)	0.76 (0.57-0.89)	0.32 (0.19-0.46)	0.54 (0.44-0.63)	0.38 (0.26-0.51)	0.71 (0.48-0.87)
	M60	All (n=785)	0.77 (0.72-0.81)	0.49 (0.42-0.56)	0.63 (0.59-0.67)	0.61 (0.56-0.66)	0.67 (0.61-0.73)
		<25 (n=155)	0.78 (0.68-0.85)	0.47 (0.30-0.65)	0.62 (0.53-0.72)	0.72 (0.61-0.81)	0.55 (0.38-0.70)
		25-34 (n=333)	0.75 (0.68-0.81)	0.47 (0.36-0.57)	0.61 (0.55-0.67)	0.61 (0.54-0.69)	0.62 (0.51-0.72)
		35-44 (n=210)	0.79 (0.68-0.88)	0.61 (0.47-0.72)	0.70 (0.62-0.77)	0.60 (0.48-0.70)	0.80 (0.68-0.88)
		≥45 (n=87)	0.78 (0.60-0.90)	0.34 (0.19-0.54)	0.56 (0.46-0.67)	0.43 (0.30-0.58)	0.71 (0.46-0.88)
<b>DIS plus DIT</b>							
2010 McDonald <sup>1</sup>	M36	All (n=785)	0.66 (0.61-0.71)	0.60 (0.55-0.65)	0.63 (0.59-0.67)	0.55 (0.50-0.60)	0.71 (0.66-0.75)
		<25 (n=155)	0.69 (0.58-0.79)	0.66 (0.53-0.77)	0.67 (0.59-0.75)	0.70 (0.59-0.80)	0.64 (0.52-0.75)
		25-34 (n=333)	0.65 (0.57-0.73)	0.55 (0.47-0.63)	0.60 (0.55-0.66)	0.54 (0.46-0.61)	0.67 (0.58-0.74)
		35-44	0.75	0.64	0.70	0.52	0.83

		(n=210)	(0.63-0.84)	(0.55-0.73)	(0.62-0.76)	(0.42-0.62)	(0.75-0.90)
2017 McDonald <sup>2</sup>	M60	≥45 (n=87)	0.42 (0.24-0.61)	0.61 (0.46-0.75)	0.51 (0.42-0.61)	0.37 (0.21-0.55)	0.66 (0.51-0.78)
		All (n=785)	0.65 (0.59-0.69)	0.66 (0.59-0.72)	0.65 (0.61-0.69)	0.66 (0.60-0.72)	0.64 (0.59-0.69)
		<25 (n=155)	0.64 (0.53-0.73)	0.72 (0.54-0.86)	0.68 (0.57-0.76)	0.80 (0.67-0.90)	0.53 (0.39-0.66)
		25-34 (n=333)	0.66 (0.58-0.73)	0.61 (0.51-0.7)	0.63 (0.57-0.69)	0.66 (0.57-0.73)	0.61 (0.52-0.69)
		35-44 (n=210)	0.72 (0.61-0.82)	0.74 (0.62-0.84)	0.73 (0.65-0.80)	0.67 (0.54-0.78)	0.78 (0.68-0.86)
2017 McDonald with 3 PV lesions	M36	≥45 (n=87)	0.42 (0.25-0.61)	0.59 (0.4-0.76)	0.50 (0.39-0.61)	0.39 (0.22-0.59)	0.62 (0.45-0.75)
		All (n=785)	0.83 (0.79-0.87)	0.39 (0.34-0.44)	0.61 (0.58-0.64)	0.51 (0.46-0.55)	0.76 (0.70-0.81)
		<25 (n=155)	0.90 (0.82-0.95)	0.35 (0.23-0.49)	0.63 (0.56-0.70)	0.63 (0.53-0.72)	0.74 (0.56-0.88)
		25-34 (n=333)	0.80 (0.73-0.86)	0.35 (0.27-0.42)	0.58 (0.52-0.62)	0.50 (0.43-0.56)	0.69 (0.58-0.78)
		35-44 (n=210)	0.87 (0.77-0.93)	0.50 (0.39-0.59)	0.68 (0.61-0.74)	0.48 (0.39-0.57)	0.87 (0.78-0.94)
	M60	≥45 (n=87)	0.72 (0.53-0.87)	0.34 (0.21-0.49)	0.53 (0.44-0.62)	0.37 (0.25-0.51)	0.69 (0.48-0.86)
		All (n=785)	0.82 (0.78-0.86)	0.46 (0.40-0.53)	0.64 (0.60-0.68)	0.61 (0.56-0.66)	0.71 (0.65-0.77)
		<25 (n=155)	0.90 (0.82-0.95)	0.41 (0.24-0.60)	0.66 (0.56-0.75)	0.73 (0.62-0.82)	0.69 (0.47-0.86)
		25-34 (n=333)	0.80 (0.73-0.86)	0.41 (0.31-0.52)	0.61 (0.55-0.67)	0.60 (0.53-0.68)	0.65 (0.53-0.75)
		35-44 (n=210)	0.81 (0.71-0.9)	0.61 (0.48-0.73)	0.71 (0.63-0.79)	0.61 (0.50-0.72)	0.81 (0.70-0.90)
	M36	≥45 (n=87)	0.70 (0.52-0.85)	0.38 (0.21-0.57)	0.54 (0.43-0.65)	0.42 (0.28-0.57)	0.67 (0.44-0.84)
		All (n=785)	0.75 (0.70-0.80)	0.45 (0.40-0.50)	0.60 (0.57-0.64)	0.50 (0.46-0.55)	0.71 (0.65-0.76)
		<25 (n=155)	0.77 (0.67-0.86)	0.43 (0.30-0.56)	0.60 (0.52-0.68)	0.61 (0.51-0.71)	0.62 (0.46-0.75)
		25-34 (n=333)	0.73 (0.65-0.80)	0.41 (0.33-0.49)	0.57 (0.52-0.62)	0.50 (0.43-0.57)	0.66 (0.56-0.74)
		35-44 (n=210)	0.79 (0.69-0.88)	0.56 (0.46-0.66)	0.68 (0.6-0.74)	0.49 (0.39-0.58)	0.84 (0.75-0.91)

		<b>≥45 (n=87)</b>	0.69 (0.50-0.84)	0.39 (0.25-0.53)	0.54 (0.44-0.63)	0.38 (0.25-0.52)	0.70 (0.50-0.85)
M60	All (n=785)	0.74 (0.70-0.79)	0.54 (0.48-0.61)	0.64 (0.60-0.68)	0.63 (0.58-0.68)	0.67 (0.61-0.73)	
	<25 (n=155)	0.77 (0.68-0.85)	0.53 (0.35-0.71)	0.65 (0.55-0.75)	0.75 (0.63-0.84)	0.57 (0.41-0.72)	
	25-34 (n=333)	0.74 (0.66-0.80)	0.49 (0.39-0.60)	0.61 (0.55-0.68)	0.62 (0.54-0.70)	0.62 (0.52-0.71)	
	35-44 (n=210)	0.76 (0.65-0.85)	0.70 (0.57-0.81)	0.73 (0.65-0.80)	0.65 (0.53-0.76)	0.79 (0.69-0.87)	
	≥45 (n=87)	0.67 (0.49-0.83)	0.38 (0.21-0.57)	0.53 (0.41-0.64)	0.41 (0.27-0.56)	0.65 (0.42-0.82)	

Abbreviations: AUC=area under the curve; CDMS=clinically definite MS; CI=confidence interval; CIS=clinically isolated syndrome; DIS=dissemination in space; DIT=dissemination in time; M=month; MRI=magnetic resonance imaging; NPV=negative predictive value; OCBs=oligoclonal bands; PPV=positive predictive value.

**Table e-5.** Adjusted hazard ratios (aHRs) with their corresponding 95% confidence intervals (CI). aHRs were obtained from extended Cox regression models using time to clinically definite multiple sclerosis (CDMS) as the outcomes in the final cohort (n=785).

Criteria	aHR* (95% CI)	p value	Interaction with treatment			Interaction with type of onset		
			aHR (95% CI)	p value	p value heterogeneity	aHR with type of onset (95% CI)	p value	p value heterogeneity
<b>DIS only</b>								
2010 McDonald <sup>1</sup>	2.45 (1.91-3.15)	<0.001	Without treatment 2.79 (2.14-3.64)	<0.001	0.004	Optic neuritis 2.73 (1.88-3.97)	<0.001	0.76
			Under treatment 0.86 (0.46-1.59)	0.63		Brainstem / cerebellar syndrome 2.46 (1.44-4.21)	0.001	
						Myelitis 2.00 (1.29-3.10)	0.002	
2017 McDonald <sup>2</sup>	3.25 (2.43-4.34)	<0.001	Without treatment 3.48 (2.57-4.70)	<0.001	0.009	Optic neuritis 2.87 (1.97-4.20)	<0.001	0.26
			Under treatment 1.26 (0.51-3.11)	0.62		Brainstem / cerebellar syndrome 7.42 (2.98-18.49)	<0.001	
						Myelitis 2.70 (1.55-4.70)	<0.001	
<b>DIS plus DIT</b>								
2010 McDonald <sup>1</sup>	2.68 (2.15-3.35)	<0.001	Without treatment 3.11 (2.44-3.96)	<0.001	<0.001	Optic neuritis 2.91 (2.08-4.06)	<0.001	0.36
			Under treatment 1.29 (0.80-2.10)	0.30		Brainstem / cerebellar syndrome 2.98 (1.84-4.82)	<0.001	
						Myelitis 2.63 (1.79-3.87)	<0.001	
2017 McDonald <sup>2</sup>	3.59	<0.001	Without treatment	<0.001	0.002	Optic neuritis	<0.001	0.30

	(2.71-4.76)		3.78 (2.83-5.06)			3.23 (2.21-4.73)		
						Brainstem / cerebellar syndrome 6.42 (3.17-13.00)	<0.001	
			Under treatment 1.75 (0.71-4.35)	0.23		Myelitis 2.86 (1.69-4.84)	<0.001	
<b>2017 McDonald without OCBs<sup>2</sup></b>	<b>3.22 (2.54-4.09)</b>	<b>&lt;0.001</b>	Without treatment 3.47 (2.69-4.46)	<0.001	<b>&lt;0.001</b>	Optic neuritis 3.01 (2.16-4.21)	<0.001	<b>0.19</b>
			Under treatment 1.89 (1.03-3.47)	0.04		Brainstem / cerebellar syndrome 5.06 (2.88-8.89)	<0.001	
						Myelitis 3.17 (2.04-4.95)	<0.001	

Abbreviations: aHR=adjusted hazard ratios; CI=confidence interval; DIS=dissemination in space; DIT=dissemination in time; EDSS=Expanded Disability Status Scale; OCBs=oligoclonal bands.

\*=adjusted for age, sex, centre, treatment, and type of onset.

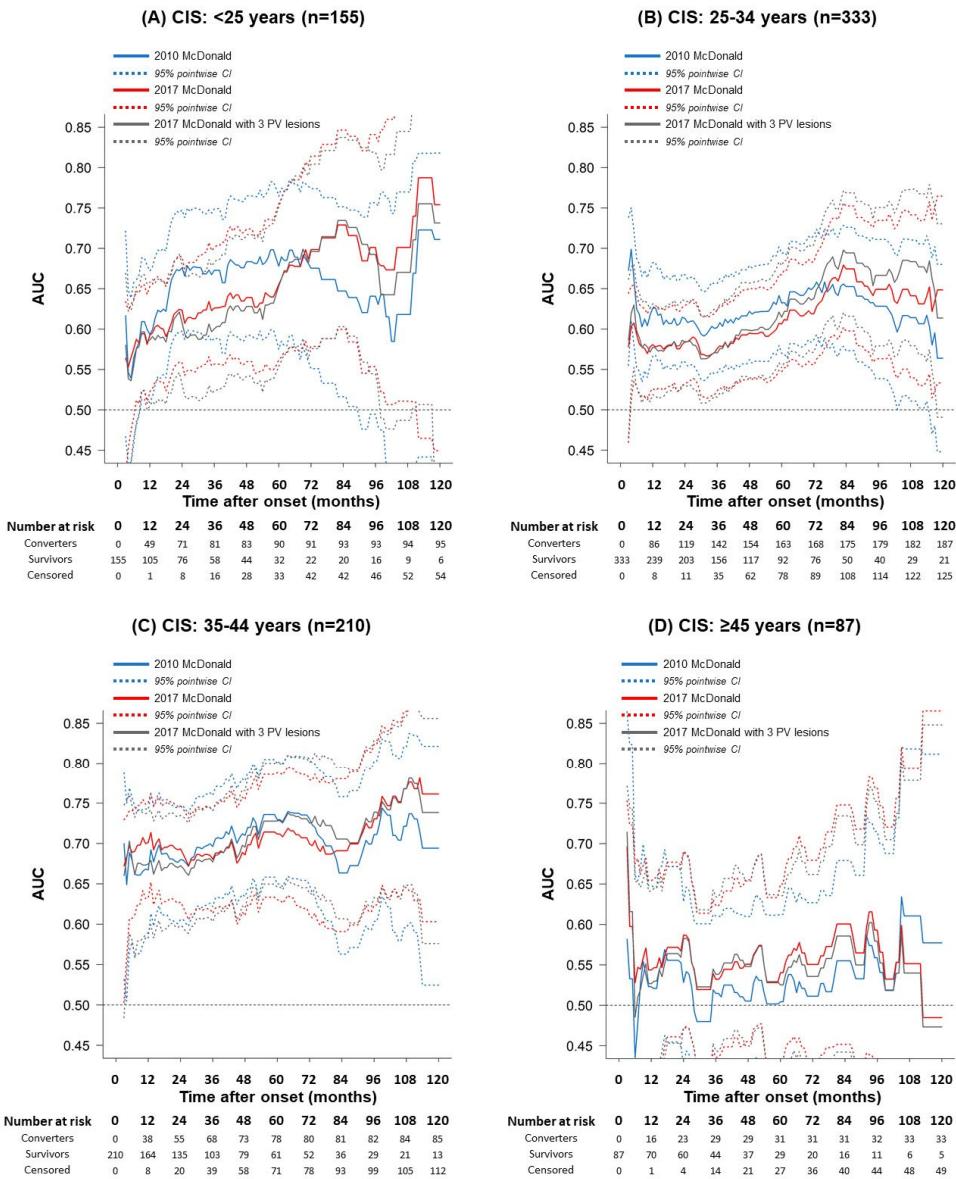
**Table e-6.** Adjusted hazard ratios (aHRs) with their corresponding 95% confidence intervals (CI). aHRs were obtained from extended Cox regression models using time to EDSS $\geq 3.0$  as the outcomes in the final cohort (n=785).

Criteria	aHR*	95% CI	p value
<b>DIS only</b>			
<b>2010 McDonald<sup>1</sup></b>	2.04	1.20-3.48	0.008
<b>2017 McDonald<sup>2</sup></b>	2.34	1.27-4.28	0.006
<b>DIT only</b>			
<b>2010 McDonald<sup>1</sup></b>	2.26	1.37-3.74	0.001
<b>2017 McDonald<sup>2</sup></b>	3.42	1.21-9.68	0.02
<b>2017 McDonald without OCBs<sup>2</sup></b>	1.92	1.16-3.19	0.01
<b>DIS plus DIT</b>			
<b>2010 McDonald<sup>1</sup></b>	2.00	1.28-3.14	0.002
<b>2017 McDonald<sup>2</sup></b>	2.52	1.41-4.52	0.002
<b>2017 McDonald without OCBs<sup>2</sup></b>	1.98	1.23-3.18	0.005

Abbreviations: aHR=adjusted hazard ratios; CI=confidence interval; DIS=dissemination in space; DIT=dissemination in time; EDSS=Expanded Disability Status Scale; OCBs=oligoclonal bands.

\*=adjusted for age, sex, centre, treatment, and type of onset.

## 2017 McDonald and 2010 McDonald Overall accuracy over time of DIS plus DIT



**Figure e-1. Overall accuracy over time of DIS plus DIT criteria according to age at onset and to 3 instead of 1 periventricular lesions.**

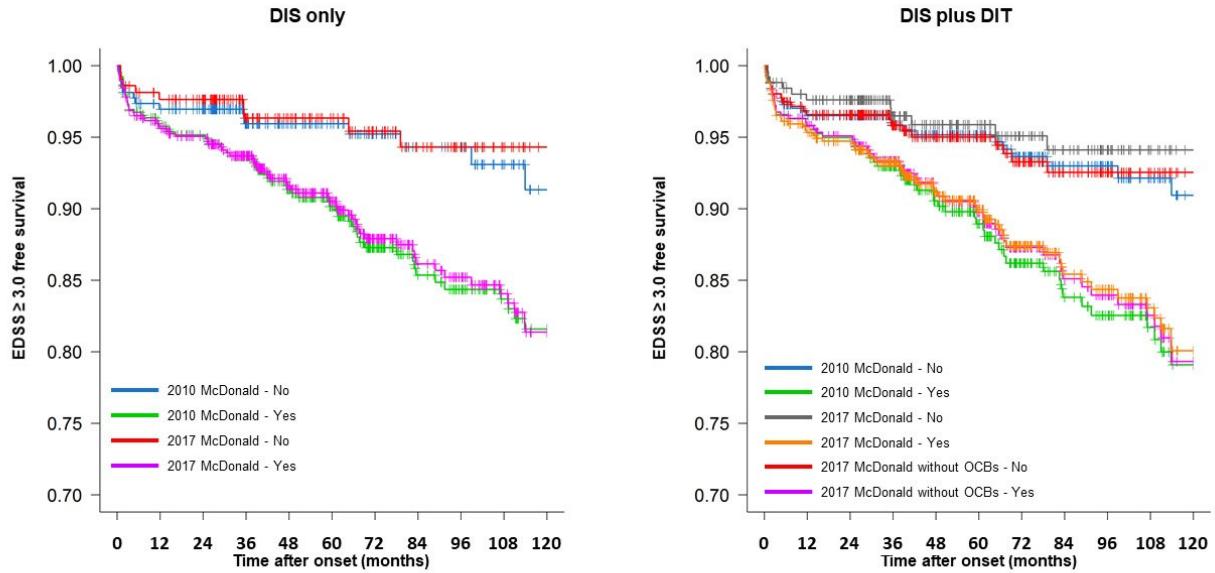
Overall accuracy of the 2010 McDonald (blue line), 2017 McDonald criteria, with 1 (red line) or 3 (gray line) periventricular lesions, determined by the AUC over time, up to 10 years, from disease onset, to the development of CDMS, considering DIS only in CIS patients aged (A) <25 years, (B) 25-34 years, (C) 35-44 years or ≥45 years at onset.

See text for further details.

Abbreviations: AUC=area under the curve; CDMS=clinically definite MS; CI=confidence interval; DIS=dissemination in space ; DIT=dissemination in time.

## 2017 McDonald and 2010 McDonald

### Survival probability estimates of not reaching EDSS $\geq 3.0$



Number at risk (censored)	0	12	24	36	48	60	72	84	96	108	120
2010 McDonald - No	264 (0)	247 (9)	234 (22)	186 (68)	159 (95)	140 (114)	117 (136)	95 (157)	82 (170)	62 (189)	49 (201)
2010 McDonald - Yes	521 (0)	484 (15)	461 (35)	407 (82)	326 (154)	275 (201)	215 (253)	175 (289)	155 (307)	124 (337)	110 (348)
2017 McDonald - No	213 (0)	201 (7)	189 (19)	146 (60)	125 (81)	110 (96)	94 (111)	79 (125)	68 (136)	54 (150)	44 (160)
2017 McDonald - Yes	572 (0)	530 (17)	506 (38)	447 (90)	360 (168)	305 (219)	238 (278)	191 (321)	169 (341)	132 (376)	115 (389)

Number at risk (censored)	0	12	24	36	48	60	72	84	96	108	120
2010 McDonald - No	405 (0)	374 (17)	352 (39)	293 (96)	243 (144)	207 (180)	167 (217)	133 (250)	115 (268)	90 (292)	72 (309)
2010 McDonald - Yes	380 (0)	357 (7)	343 (18)	300 (54)	242 (105)	208 (135)	165 (172)	137 (196)	122 (209)	96 (234)	87 (240)
2017 McDonald - No	252 (0)	238 (8)	220 (26)	170 (74)	146 (97)	129 (114)	107 (135)	91 (150)	76 (165)	58 (183)	48 (193)
2017 McDonald - Yes	516 (0)	476 (16)	458 (31)	406 (76)	322 (152)	269 (201)	210 (253)	167 (292)	149 (308)	117 (338)	101 (350)
2017 McDonald without OCBs - No	354 (0)	327 (15)	307 (35)	253 (87)	212 (126)	180 (158)	146 (189)	118 (216)	100 (234)	79 (255)	65 (269)
2017 McDonald without OCBs - Yes	431 (0)	404 (9)	388 (22)	340 (63)	273 (123)	235 (157)	186 (200)	152 (230)	137 (243)	107 (271)	94 (280)

**Figure e-2. Survival probability estimates of not reaching an EDSS score  $\geq 3.0$  according to the different sets of criteria investigated.**

Kaplan-Meier curves showing the survival probability estimates of not reaching an EDSS score  $\geq 3.0$  up to 10 years from disease onset considering DIS only or DIS plus DIT according to the 2010 McDonald 2010 and 2017 McDonald criteria, also without OCBs assessment. See text for further details.

Abbreviations: DIS=dissemination in space; DIT=dissemination in time; EDSS=Expanded Disability Status Scale; OCBs=oligoclonal bands.

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