Online Resource 1: Supplementary Figures

Article title "Handling missing values in patient-reported outcome data in the presence of intercurrent events"

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Timepoint (j)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
PRO measurement Y _{ij} O=available X=missing	o	o	o	o	х	o	х	х	0	х	x	х	-	-
Intercurrent events E_{ik}, S_i								$ PD E_{i1} = 1 T_{i1} = 8 $	TD $E_{i2} = 1$ $T_{i2} = 9$			Death $D_i = 1$ $S_i = 12$		
E_{ij1}	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1		
E_{ij2}	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1		
Time till PD (t_{ij1})	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0	-1	-2	-3	-4		
Time $ till$ TD (t_{ij2})	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0	-1	-2	-3		
Time till death (s_{ij})	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0		
X_i , e.g., patient age at baseline	67	67	67	67	67	67	67	67	67	67	67	67		

Figure S1. Schematic representation of PRO data availability for a single example patient i throughout a study with 14 PRO measurement times. Corresponding variables that may be used for imputation of missing PRO data for patient i are shown below each planned measurement. *PD: progression of disease, TD: treatment discontinuation.

For example, to impute the missing PRO value at timepoint j=5, we use, besides the observed PRO information of patient i over time, that the patient did not experience disease progression yet, that the remaining time until observed disease progression is 3 timepoints, that discontinuation has not yet occurred but is observed 4 timepoints later, and that death was observed 7 timepoints later. Additionally, we can use other variables that are assumed to be informative for the missing PRO value such as the patient's age at baseline.

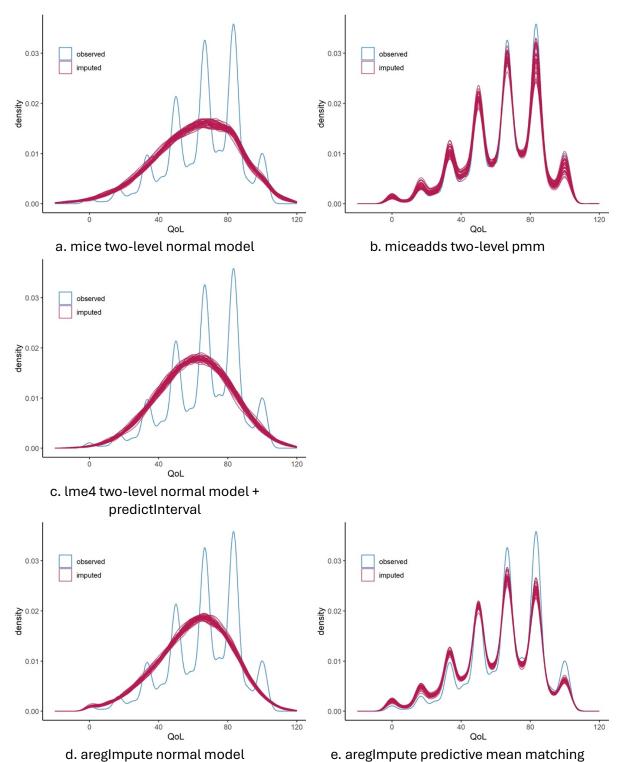


Figure S2. The distribution of QoL data in the available data (blue) and the imputed datasets (red) for five implemented imputation methods.