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RYBREVANT®▼ (amivantamab) plus lazertinib shows favourable overall survival trend in EGFR-mutated advanced non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC) compared to osimertinib

New longer-term data from the MARIPOSA study demonstrate consistent benefit across post-progression outcomes for chemotherapy-free amivantamab plus lazertinib regimen, compared to osimertinib monotherapy as first-line therapy¹

Results featured in a late-breaker oral presentation at the 2024 World Conference on Lung Cancer (WCLC)¹

High Wycombe, UK (11 September, 2024) – Johnson & Johnson today announced longer follow-up data from the Phase 3 MARIPOSA study which demonstrated first-line treatment with RYBREVANT®▼ (amivantamab) combined with LECLAZA® (lazertinib) showed a trend towards improved overall survival (OS) compared to osimertinib monotherapy in patients with advanced non-small cell lung cancer with epidermal growth factor receptor (EGFR) exon 19 deletion (ex19del) or L858R Exon21 substitution (L858R) mutations at three years of follow up.¹ The data also showed an improvement in post-progression outcomes versus osimertinib.¹ These results were presented in a late-breaking oral presentation at the International Association for the Study of Lung Cancer (IASLC) 2024 World Conference on Lung Cancer (WCLC) (Abstract #1146) taking place in San Diego, California from 7-10 September.¹

At nearly three years (median follow-up of 31.1 months), 61 percent of patients receiving amivantamab plus lazertinib were alive compared to 53 percent of those treated with osimertinib monotherapy (hazard ratio [HR]=0.77; 95 percent confidence interval [CI], 0.61-0.96; nominal $P=0.019$).¹ Overall survival will continue to be followed for longer term follow-up as a key secondary endpoint.¹ Post-progression outcomes at a median follow-up of 31.1 months also favoured amivantamab plus lazertinib over osimertinib, including progression-free survival (PFS) after first subsequent therapy (non-evaluable [NE]; 36.0-NE vs. 32.4; 29.3-NE [HR=0.73; 95 percent CI, 0.59-0.91; nominal $P=0.004$]), median time to treatment discontinuation (26.3 vs. 22.6 [HR=0.80; 95 percent CI, 0.68-0.96; nominal $P=0.014$]) and time to subsequent therapy (30.0 vs. 24.0 [HR=0.77; 95 percent CI, 0.65-0.93; nominal $P=0.005$]).¹ At the three-year landmark, intracranial PFS was double for amivantamab plus lazertinib versus osimertinib (38 percent vs 18 percent, respectively; HR, 0.82 (95% CI, 0.62–1.09); $P=0.165$).¹

While safety data was not reported as part of this abstract, the safety profile of amivantamab and lazertinib, as reported at the European Society for Medical Oncology (ESMO) 2023 Congress, remained consistent with the safety profiles of the individual treatments, with mostly Grade 1 or 2 adverse events (AEs).² Toxicity was largely manageable with dose interruptions and reductions, along with supportive care measures commonly used in the treatment of patients with NSCLC.² The most common Grade 3 or higher treatment-related AEs were rash and paronychia.² Amivantamab plus lazertinib had higher rates of EGFR- and MET-related AEs (hypoalbuminemia and peripheral oedema) and venous thromboembolism (VTE) compared to osimertinib, with higher rates of diarrhoea being observed with osimertinib.² The rate of discontinuation of all study treatments due to treatment-related AEs for amivantamab plus lazertinib was 10 percent.² The rate of interstitial lung disease (including pneumonitis) was less than three percent in both arms.²

“These longer-term follow-up data reinforce our commitment to providing precision therapies that target lung cancer at the earliest possible stage,” said Dr John Fleming, Country Medical Director, Johnson & Johnson Innovative Medicine, UK. “Pushing the boundaries of innovation is crucial to giving patients with EGFR-mutated NSCLC the best possible chance of survival, and we look forward to seeing the MARIPOSA study progress further over time.”

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ABOUT THE MARIPOSA STUDY

MARIPOSA (NCT04487080), which enrolled 1,074 patients, is a randomised, Phase 3 study evaluating amivantamab in combination with lazertinib versus osimertinib and versus lazertinib alone in first-line treatment of patients with locally advanced or metastatic NSCLC with EGFR ex19del or L858R substitution mutations.^{2,3} The primary endpoint of the study is PFS (using RECIST v1.1 guidelines) as assessed by the Blinded Independent Central Review (BICR).³ Secondary endpoints include overall (OS), overall response rate (ORR), duration of response (DOR), second progression-free survival (PFS2) and intracranial PFS.³

ABOUT AMIVANTAMAB

Amivantamab is a fully-human EGFR-MET bispecific antibody with immune cell-directing activity that targets tumours with activating EGFR mutations and MET mutations and amplifications.^{4,5,6,7} Amivantamab is licensed for treating adults in Great Britain and Northern Ireland in combination with carboplatin and pemetrexed for the first-line treatment of adult patients with advanced NSCLC with activating EGFR Exon 20 insertion mutations; and as monotherapy for treatment of adult patients with advanced NSCLC with activating EGFR Exon 20 insertion mutations, after failure of platinum-based therapy.^{8,9}

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ABOUT LAZERTINIB

Lazertinib is an oral, third-generation, brain-penetrant EGFR tyrosine kinase inhibitor (TKI) that targets both the T790M mutation and activating EGFR mutations while sparing wild-type EGFR.¹⁰ In 2018, Janssen Biotech, Inc., entered into a license and collaboration agreement with Yuhan Corporation for the development of lazertinib.

ABOUT NON-SMALL CELL LUNG CANCER

Lung cancer is the third most common cancer in the UK, it is estimated that there are around 48,500 new lung cancer cases in the UK every year (2016-2018).¹¹ Non-small cell lung cancer is the most common type of lung cancer, accounting for 85 percent of all lung cancers.¹²

The main subtypes of NSCLC are adenocarcinoma, squamous cell carcinoma and large cell carcinoma.¹³ Among the most common driver mutations in NSCLC are alterations in EGFR, which is a receptor tyrosine kinase controlling cell growth and division.¹⁴ EGFR mutations are present in around 12 percent of patients with NSCLC with adenocarcinoma histology in the UK, and occur in around 48 percent of patients of Asian ethnicity.¹⁵ EGFR ex19del or EGFR L858R mutations are the most common EGFR mutations.¹⁶ The five-year survival rate for all people with advanced NSCLC and EGFR mutations treated with EGFR TKIs is less than 20 percent.^{17,18} Patients with EGFR ex19del or L858R mutations have a real-world five-year OS of 19 percent.¹⁹

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