Purpose

This clinical trial will evaluate whether it is beneficial in terms of prolongation of survival to combine FOLFIRI (standard treatment) with ramucirumab compared to the standard treatment of ramucirumab plus paclitaxel in patients with advanced gastric cancer after failure of one prior line of palliative chemotherapy. This trial aims to investigate the efficacy and safety of ramucirumab plus FOLFIRI (investigational arm A) compared to paclitaxel plus ramucirumab (control arm B).

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Study Type: Intervventional
Study Design:
- Allocation: Randomized
- Intervention Model: Parallel Assignment
- Masking: No masking
- Primary Purpose: Treatment

Official Title: Ramucirumab Plus Irinotecan / Leucovorin / 5-FU Versus Ramucirumab Plus Paclitaxel in Patients With Advanced or Metastatic Adenocarcinoma of the Stomach or Gastroesophageal Junction, WhoFailed One Prior Line of Palliative Chemotherapy

Resource links provided by NLM:

- Drug Information available for: Paclitaxel Ramucirumab
- Genetic and Rare Diseases Information Center resources: Stomach Cancer
- U.S. FDA Resources

Further study details as provided by Krankenhaus Nordwest:

Primary Outcome Measures:
- OS rate after 6 months [ Time Frame: 6 months after randomization ]
  OS Rate at 6 months is defined at the proportion of patients being known to be alive at 6 months after randomisation

Secondary Outcome Measures:
- Progression-free survival [Time Frame: from date of first study drug administration to up to 1 year after study completion]
  duration from the first study drug administration to the first documented evidence of disease progression or death

- Objective response rate (CR + PR) [Time Frame: from randomization for the time of treatment with a maximum of 1 year]
  proportion of patients with complete or partial response (CR + PR)

- Tumor control rate (CR, PR, SD) [Time Frame: from randomization for the time of treatment with a maximum of 1 year]
  proportion of patients with complete or partial response or stable disease (CR + PR + SD)

- Incidence and severity of adverse events according to CTC criteria [Time Frame: from randomization until 30 days after the last dose of study drug]
  incidence and severity of adverse events according to CTC criteria

- Quality of life [Time Frame: from randomization until 30 days after the last dose of study drug]
  quality of life scores according to validated questionnaire

Estimated Enrollment: 111
Actual Study Start Date: May 10, 2017
Estimated Study Completion Date: March 20, 2021
Estimated Primary Completion Date: March 20, 2021 (Final data collection date for primary outcome measure)

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| Experimental: FOLFIRI plus Ramucirumab | Drug: FOLFIRI
Ramucirumab 8 mg/kg i.v. infusion on day 1 and 15 of a 28-day cycle plus
FOLFIRI (irinotecan 180 mg/m2; i.v. bolus of 5-FU 400 mg/m2, i.v. infusion of
leucovorin 400 mg/m2, followed by a 46-hour continuous administration of 5-FU
2400 mg/m2 on day 1 and 15 of a 28-day cycle) |
| Active Comparator: Paclitaxel plus Ramucirumab | Drug: Ramucirumab
Ramucirumab 8 mg/kg i.v. infusion on day 1 and 15 of a 28-day cycle plus
Paclitaxel 80 mg/m2 on day 1, 8, 15 |
| Drug: Paclitaxel | 80 mg/m2 on day 1, 8, 15 |

Eligibility

Ages Eligible for Study: 18 Years and older (Adult, Senior)
Sexes Eligible for Study: All
Accepts Healthy Volunteers: No

Criteria

Inclusion Criteria:

1. Signed written informed consent
2. Male or female ≥ 18 years of age; Patients in reproductive age must be willing to use adequate contraception during the study and for 3 months after the end of ramucirumab treatment (appropriate contraception is defined as surgical sterilization (e.g. bilateral tubal ligation, vasectomy), hormonal contraception (implantable, patch, oral), and double-barrier methods (any double combination of: IUD, male or female condom with spermicidal gel, diaphragm, sponge, cervical cap)). Female patients with childbearing potential need to have a negative pregnancy test within 7 days before study start.
3. Histologically proven gastric adenocarcinoma including adenocarcinoma of the esophagogastric junction
4. Metastatic or locally advanced disease, not amenable to potentially curative resection
5. Documented objective radiological or clinical disease progression during or within 6 months of the last dose of first-line platinum and fluoropyrimidine doublet with or without anthracycline or docetaxel. Neoadjuvant/adjuvant treatment is not counted unless progression occurs <6 months after completion of the treatment. In these cases neoadjuvant/adjuvant treatment is counted as one line.
6. Measurable or non-measurable but evaluable disease
7. ECOG performance status 0-1
8. Life expectancy > 12 weeks
9. Adequate hematological, hepatic and renal functions:
   - Absolute neutrophil count (ANC) ≥ 1.5 x 109/L
   - Platelets ≥ 100 x 109/L
Exclusion Criteria:

1. Other tumor type than adenocarcinoma (e.g., leiomyosarcoma, lymphoma) or a second cancer except in patients with squamous or basal cell carcinoma of the skin or carcinoma in situ of the cervix that has been effectively treated. Patients curatively treated and disease-free for at least 5 years will be discussed with the sponsor before inclusion

2. Squamous gastric cancer

3. Concurrent chronic systemic immune therapy, chemotherapy, or hormone therapy not indicated in the study protocol

4. Previous therapy with paclitaxel or FOLFIRI

5. Current treatment with any anti-cancer therapy ≤ 2 weeks prior to study treatment start unless rapidly progressing disease is measured

6. Concurrent treatment with any other anti-cancer therapy

7. Previous exposure to a VEGF or VEGFR inhibitor or any antiangiogenic agent, or prior enrolment in this study

8. Patient has undergone major surgery within 28 days prior to first dose of protocol therapy, or minor surgery/subcutaneous venous access device placement within 7 days prior to first dose of protocol therapy. The patient has elective or planned major surgery to be performed during the course of the clinical trial

9. Grade 3-4 GI bleeding within 3 months prior to enrollment

10. History of deep vein thrombosis (DVT), pulmonary embolism (PE), or any other significant thromboembolism (venous port or catheter thrombosis or superficial venous thrombosis are not considered "significant") during the 3 months prior to first dose of protocol therapy

11. Cirrhosis at a level of Child-Pugh B (or worse) or cirrhosis (any degree) and a history of hepatic encephalopathy or clinically meaningful ascites resulting from cirrhosis. Clinically meaningful ascites is defined as ascites from cirrhosis requiring diuretics or paracentesis.

12. Known brain or leptomeningeal metastases

13. Known allergic/hypersensitivity reaction to any of the components of the treatment

14. Contraindications to the use of atropine

15. Other serious illness or medical conditions within the last 12 months prior to study drug administration

16. Any arterial thromboembolic events, including but not limited to myocardial infarction, transient ischemic attack, cerebrovascular accident, or unstable angina, within 6 months prior to first dose of protocol

17. The patient has uncontrolled or poorly-controlled hypertension (>160 mmHg systolic or > 100 mmHg diastolic for >4 weeks) despite standard medical management

18. Active uncontrolled infection

19. Current history of chronic diarrhea

20. Active disseminated intravascular coagulation

21. Any other serious concomitant disease or medical condition that in the judgment of the investigator renders the subject at high risk of treatment complication or reduced the probability of assessing clinical effect

22. Known Dihydropyrimidine dehydrogenase (DPD) deficiency

23. Prior history of GI perforation/ fistula (within 6 months of first dose of protocol therapy) or risk factors for perforation.

24. Serious or nonhealing wound, ulcer, or bone fracture within 28 days prior to first dose of protocol therapy

25. The patient is receiving chronic antiplatelet therapy, including aspirin, nonsteroidal anti-inflammatory drugs (NSAIDs, including ibuprofen, naproxen, and others), dipyridamole or clopidogrel, or similar agents. Once-daily aspirin use (maximum dose 325 mg/day) is permitted

26. Concurrent treatment with other experimental drugs or participation in another clinical trial with any investigational drug within 30 days prior to treatment start

27. Known drug abuse/ alcohol abuse

28. Lack of resolution of all toxic effects (excluding alopecia) of prior chemotherapy, prior radiotherapy or surgical procedure to National Cancer Institute (NCI) Common Terminology Criteria for Adverse Events (CTCAE) grade < 1. Note: Neuropathy due to prior chemotherapy is allowed if not > NCI Grade II according to CTCAE version 4.03

29. Subject pregnant or breast feeding, or planning to become pregnant within 3 months after the end of treatment

30. Subject (male or female) is not willing to use highly effective methods of contraception (per institutional standard) during treatment and for 3 months (male or female) after the end of treatment

31. Patients known to have a HER 2 positive Cancer who have not been treated already with a HER 2 targeting agent.

32. Patients with a psychiatric illness or patients imprisoned or working in the institution of the treating physician.

Contacts and Locations

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Please refer to this study by its ClinicalTrials.gov identifier: NCT03081143

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More Information

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AIO-STO-0415 ( Other Identifier: AIO )
Study First Received: March 6, 2017
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Studies a U.S. FDA-regulated Drug Product: No
Studies a U.S. FDA-regulated Device Product: No

Additional relevant MeSH terms:
Paclitaxel Antimitotic Agents
Irinotecan Mitosis Modulators
Ramucirumab Molecular Mechanisms of Pharmacological Action
Albumin-Bound Paclitaxel Topoisomerase I Inhibitors
Antibodies, Monoclonal Topoisomerase Inhibitors
Antineoplastic Agents, Phytogenic Enzyme Inhibitors
Antineoplastic Agents Immunologic Factors
Tubulin Modulators Physiological Effects of Drugs

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