# Vorläufige Daten zur Wirksamkeit und Sicherheit des Bruton-Tyrosin-Kinase-Degraders BGB-16673 bei Patienten mit rezidivierter oder refraktärer CLL/SLL: Ergebnisse der Phase 1-Studie BGB-16673-101



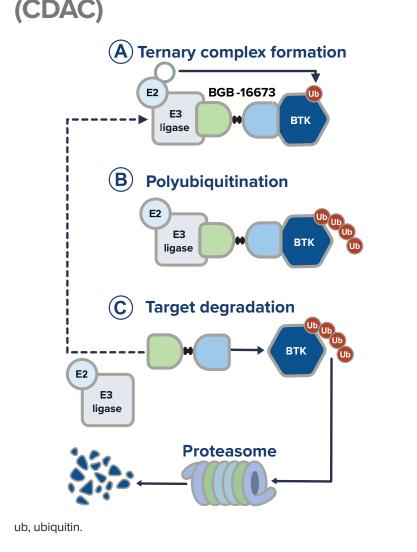
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#### INTRODUCTION

- Many patients with CLL/SLL experience disease progression after BTK inhibitors<sup>1-3</sup>
- BGB-16673, a chimeric degradation activating compound, is a bivalent molecule comprising a BTK-binding moiety + linker + E3 ligase binder that induces BTK degradation via polyubiquitination<sup>4</sup> (**Figure 1**)
- In preclinical models, BGB-16673 degraded both wild-type and mutant BTK resistant to covalent and noncovalent BTK inhibitors, leading to tumor suppression<sup>4,5</sup>
- BGB-16673 led to substantial reductions in BTK protein levels in peripheral blood and tumor tissue in the first-in-human study<sup>6</sup>
- Here, the updated safety and efficacy results are presented from patients with R/R CLL/SLL in the ongoing CaDAnCe-101 study

# Figure 1. BGB-16673: A Chimeric

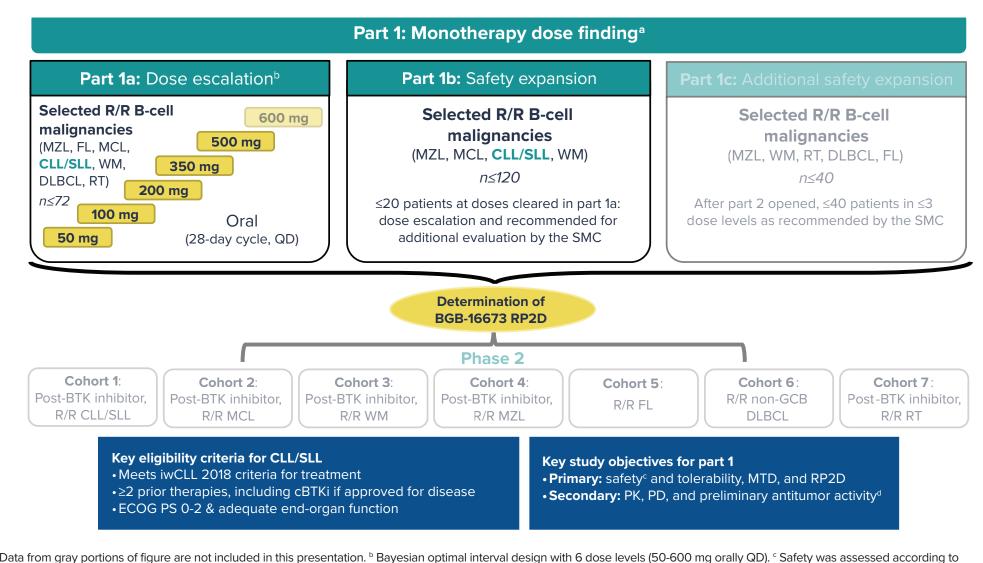


**Degradation Activating Compound** 

# METHODS

• CaDAnCe-101 (BGB-16673-101, NCT05006716) is a phase 1/2, open-label, dose-escalation and dose-expansion study evaluating BGB-16673 in adults with R/R B-cell malignancies (**Figure 2**)

Figure 2. CaDAnCe-101 Study Design

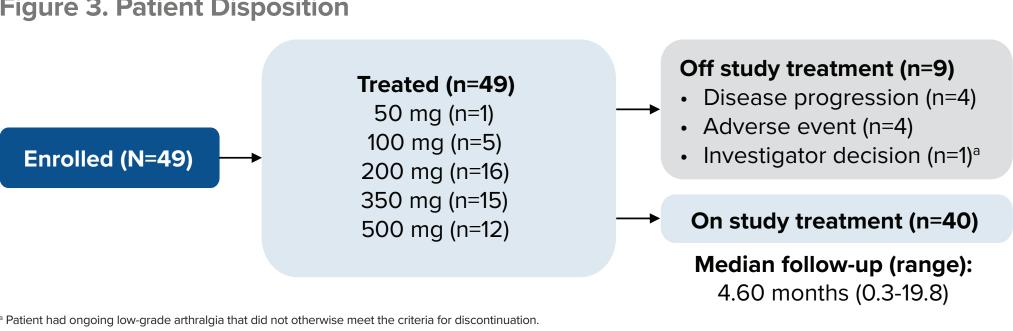


Data from gray portions of figure are not included in this presentation. Bayesian optimal interval design with 6 dose levels (50-600 mg orally QD). Safety was assessed according to CTCAE v5.0 in all patients and iwCLL hematologic toxicity criteria in patients with CLL; DLTs were assessed during the first 4 weeks. d Response was assessed per iwCLL 2018 criteria after GCB, germinal center B-cell; RT, Richter transformation

## RESULTS

- As of February 14, 2024, 49 patients with R/R CLL/SLL enrolled in part 1a/1b and received BGB-16673 (Figure 3); 40 patients (82%) remained on treatment
- Of patients with available data, high-risk characteristics were prevalent, including: unmutated IGHV locus (82%), del(17p) or TP53 mutation (60%), and complex karyotype (47%)

Figure 3. Patient Disposition



#### **Table 1. Baseline Characteristics**

	Total (NI=40)			
Age medien (reneral water	Total (N=49)			
Age, median (range), years	70 (50-91)			
Male sex, n (%)	31 (63)			
ECOG PS, n (%)				
1	19 (39)			
2	1 (2)			
CLL/SLL risk characteristics at study entry, n/N (%)				
Binet stage C	23/46 (50)			
Unmutated IGHV	32/39 (82)			
del(17p) or <i>TP53</i> mutation	28/47 (60)			
Complex karyotype (≥3 abnormalities)	15/32 (47)			
Mutation status, n/N (%)				
BTK mutation present	15/47 (32)			
PLCG2 mutation present	6/47 (13)			
No. of prior lines of therapy, median (range)	4 (2-10)			
Prior therapy, n (%)				
Chemotherapy	38 (78)			
cBTK inhibitor	45 (92)			
ncBTK inhibitor	11 (22)			
BCL2 inhibitor	42 (86)			
cBTK + BCL2 inhibitors	37 (76)			
cBTK + ncBTK + BCL2 inhibitors	11 (22)			
Discontinued BTK inhibitor due to PD, n/N (%)	40/45 (89)			

- One DLT was reported (200-mg dose; grade 3 maculopapular rash)
- None of the 3 TEAEs that led to death were considered related to treatment by the investigator
- No cases of atrial fibrillation or grade ≥3 hypertension were reported

#### **Table 2. Overall Safety Summary**

Patients, n (%)	Total (N=49)
Any TEAE	47 (96)
Any treatment-related	30 (61)
Grade ≥3	27 (55)
Treatment-related grade ≥3	13 (27)
Serious	21 (43)
Treatment-related serious	6 (12)
Leading to death <sup>a</sup>	3 (6)
Treatment-related leading to death	0
Leading to treatment discontinuation <sup>b</sup>	6 (12)
Treatment-related leading to treatment discontinuation	1 (2)
Leading to treatment modification	18 (37)
Dose interruption	18 (37)
Dose reduction	3 (6)
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a (1) Septic shock (350 mg); (2) aspergillosis (350 mg); (3) pneumonia (200 mg) in the context of PD. (1) Aspergillosis and cerebral aspergillosis (350 mg); (2) general physical health deterioration

(350 mg) in the context of PD; (3) septic shock (350 mg); (4) pneumonia (200 mg) in the context of PD; (5) subdural hemorrhage (350 mg); (6) thyroid carcinoma (200 mg).

**Table 3. Most Common AEs (All Grade ≥10%)** 

	Total (N=49)		
Patients, n (%)	All Grade	Grade ≥3	
Fatigue	16 (33)	1 (2)	
Contusion	14 (29)	0	
Anemia	11 (22)	1 (2)	
Diarrhea	11 (22)	O	
Neutropenia/neutrophil count decreased	11 (22)	10 (20)	
Pneumonia	8 (16)	6 (12)	
COVID-19	7 (14)	0	
Cough	7 (14)	0	
Dyspnea	7 (14)	0	
Amylase increased <sup>a</sup>	6 (12)	0	
Lipase increased <sup>a</sup>	6 (12)	1 (2)	
Pyrexia	6 (12)	О	
Thrombocytopenia/platelet count decreased	6 (12)	0	
Arthralgia	5 (10)	O	
Decreased appetite	5 (10)	0	
Nausea	5 (10)	0	

- The ORR was 72% (31/43) in response-evaluable patients with CLL/SLL (**Table 4**)
- The ORR for the 200-mg group was 88%, with 2 patients achieving CR
- The ORR was similar in patients who had previously received cBTK + BCL2 inhibitors (70%), del(17p) or *TP53* mutation (68%), and complex karyotype (67%)
- Responses have been observed in patients with C481S, T474I, and/or L528S BTK mutations, as well as patients with *PLCG2* mutations (**Figure 4**)

#### **Table 4. Overall Response Rate**

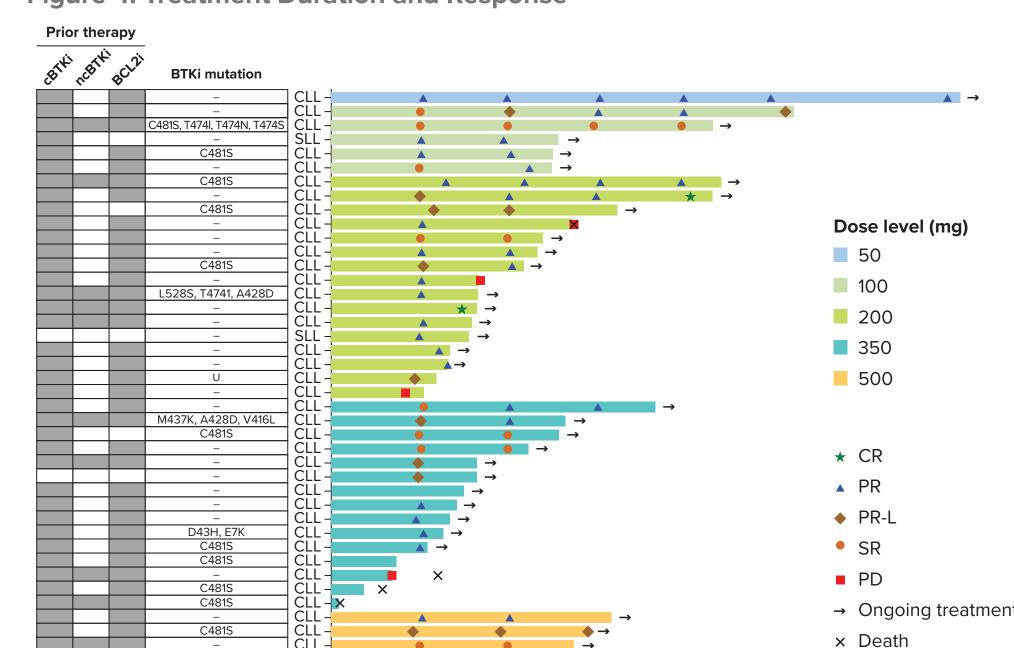
	50 mg (n=1)	100 mg (n=5)	200 mg (n=16)	350 mg (n=14)	500 mg (n=7)	Total (N=43)
Best overall response, n (%)						
CR	0	0	2 (13)	0	0	2 (5)
PR	1 (100)	4 (80)	10 (63)	6 (43)	1 (14)	22 (51)
PR-L	0	0	2 (13)	2 (14)	3 (43)	7 (16)
SD	0	1 (20)	1 (6)	2 (14)	3 (43)	7 (16)
PD	0	0	1 (6)	1 (7)	0	2 (5)
Discontinued prior to first assessment	0	0	0	3 (21)	0	3 (7)
ORR, n (%) <sup>b</sup>	1 (100)	4 (80)	14 (88)°	8 (57)	4 (57)	31 (72)
Disease control rate, n (%)d	1 (100)	5 (100)	15 (94)	10 (71)	7 (100)	38 (88)
Follow-up time, median, months	19.8	7.2	6.3	3.9	3.3	<b>4.6</b> <sup>e</sup>
Time to first response, median (range), months <sup>f</sup>	2.9 (2.9-2.9)	4.2 (2.8-6.2)	2.8 (2.6-4.1)	2.8 (2.6-5.6)	2.8 (2.6-2.8)	2.8 (2.6-6.2)

<sup>a</sup> Percentages may not sum to 100 due to rounding. <sup>b</sup> Proportion of patients who achieved a best overall response of PR-L or better. <sup>c</sup> One additional patient reported response after the February 14, 2024 data cut, indicating a 94% ORR (15/16 patients) in the 200-mg dose group. d Proportion of patients who achieved a best overall response of SD or better, e Study follow-up enrolled set N=49. Time to first qualifying response in patients with a best overall response better than SD. PR-L, partial response with lymphocytosis.

### CONCLUSIONS

- In results from this ongoing first-in-human study, the novel BTK degrader BGB-16673 showed a generally well tolerated safety profile in this heavily pretreated CLL population
- One DLT was reported and MTD was not reached
- No atrial fibrillation or grade ≥3 hypertension has been reported so far
- There was promising antitumor activity, including in patients with BTK inhibitor-resistant mutations and those previously exposed to cBTK inhibitors, ncBTK inhibitors, and BCL2 inhibitors
- ORR was 72% (31/43) with an 88% ORR in the 200-mg group, including 2 CRs
- Median time to first response was 2.8 months
- Responses may continue to evolve as the study continues beyond the median 4.6-month follow-up
- A phase 2 cohort of patients with CLL/SLL exposed to both a cBTK inhibitor and BCL2 inhibitor is now enrolling
- These data support promising clinical activity of BGB-16673 in treatment of patients with CLL/SLL
- Enrollment for the CaDAnCe-101 study part 1c and phase 2 is ongoing at 90 of 115 planned study sites across the US, Canada, UK, France, Georgia, Germany, Italy, Moldova, Spain, Sweden, Turkey, Australia, South Korea, and Brazil

#### Figure 4. Treatment Duration and Response



BTK mutation status listed or was absent (-) or unknown (U). PR-L, partial response with lymphocytosis

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