

AdvanTIG-105: Phase 1b dose-expansion study of ociperlimab (OCI) + tislelizumab (TIS) with chemotherapy (CT) in patients (pts) with metastatic esophageal squamous cell carcinoma (ESCC) and esophageal adenocarcinoma (EAC)

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Background

A T-cell immunoreceptor with immunoglobulin and immunoreceptor tyrosine-based inhibitory motif domains (TIGIT) inhibitor + an anti-PD-1 antibody is a promising combination which shows potent efficacy in solid tumors. AdvanTIG-105 (NCT04047862) is a Phase 1/1b open-label study designed to assess the safety and preliminary antitumor activity of anti-TIGIT mAb OCI + anti-PD-1 mAb TIS in pts with metastatic unresectable solid tumors. OCI + TIS was well tolerated in the dose-escalation part, preliminary efficacy was observed, and the recommended Phase 2 dose (RP2D) of OCI 900 mg IV Q3W + TIS 200 mg IV Q3W was established. Here we report results from dose-expansion cohorts 6 (C6) and 7 (C7).

Methods

Treatment-naïve adult pts with histologically/cytologically confirmed metastatic ESCC (C6) or EAC (C7) were enrolled. Pts received the RP2D of OCI + TIS with cisplatin + 5-fluorouracil/paclitaxel until disease progression, intolerable toxicity, or consent withdrawal. Primary endpoint: investigator-assessed ORR per RECIST v1.1. Secondary endpoints: efficacy (PFS, DoR, DCR), safety and PD-L1 and TIGIT expression as predictive efficacy biomarkers.

Results

As of Feb 2, 2023, 27 pts (C6: n=21; C7: n=6) with a median age of 63.0 y (range C6: 51-72; C7: 58-69) were enrolled; 24 (C6: n=19; C7: n=5) were efficacy evaluable. Efficacy and safety data are summarized in the table. ORRs by biomarker subgroups: C6, 100% in pts with PD-L1 tumor area positivity (TAP) score $\geq 10\%$ (n=4) vs 76.9% in pts with PD-L1 TAP $< 10\%$ (n=13); 80.0% in pts with TIGIT IC score $\geq 5\%$ (n=10) vs 87.5% in pts with TIGIT IC $< 5\%$ (n=8). C7 had too few pts for biomarker subgroup analysis.

Conclusions

These results demonstrate that OCI 900 mg + TIS 200 mg + CT had a safety profile consistent with previous reports and showed encouraging antitumor activity in pts with stage IV ESCC and EAC.

Table. Efficacy and Safety Summary

	Efficacy Evaluable Set	
	C6	C7
Parameter	n=19	n=5
	% (95% CI)	
ORR	84.2 (60.4-96.6)	80.0 (28.4-99.5)
DCR	94.7 (74.0-99.9)	100 (47.8-100)
	mo (95% CI)	
Median DoR	6.7 (4.7-NE)	3.4 (1.7-NE)
Median PFS	8.1 (6.5-NE)	6.2 (3.0-NE)
	Safety Set	
Parameter	n=21	n=6
Median study follow-up (range), wks	36.1 (1.7-77.0)	29.3 (8.6-57.1)
	n (%)	
Pts with ≥1 TEAE	21 (100)	6 (100)
Grade ≥3	14 (66.7)	6 (100)
Serious	9 (42.9)	4 (66.7)
imAE	11 (52.4)	2 (33.3)

DCR, disease control rate; DoR, duration of response; imAE, immune-mediate adverse event; mo, months; NE, not estimable; ORR, objective response rate; PFS, progression-free survival; TEAE, treatment-emergent adverse event.