



## Clinical trial results: Tacrolimus after rATG and infliximab induction immunosuppression (RIMINI)

### Summary

EudraCT number	2015-005346-58
Trial protocol	DE CZ ES
Global end of trial date	31 December 2020

### Results information

Result version number	v2 (current)
This version publication date	19 August 2023
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Version creation reason	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• New data added to full data set add publication link</li></ul>

### Trial information

#### Trial identification

Sponsor protocol code	RIMINI
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#### Additional study identifiers

ISRCTN number	-
ClinicalTrials.gov id (NCT number)	NCT04114188
WHO universal trial number (UTN)	-

Notes:

### Sponsors

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Notes:

### Paediatric regulatory details

Is trial part of an agreed paediatric investigation plan (PIP)	No
Does article 45 of REGULATION (EC) No 1901/2006 apply to this trial?	No
Does article 46 of REGULATION (EC) No 1901/2006 apply to this trial?	No

Notes:

## Results analysis stage

Analysis stage	Final
Date of interim/final analysis	21 March 2021
Is this the analysis of the primary completion data?	Yes
Primary completion date	31 December 2020
Global end of trial reached?	Yes
Global end of trial date	31 December 2020
Was the trial ended prematurely?	No

Notes:

## General information about the trial

Main objective of the trial:

CMV, EBV, BKV PCR monitoring according to protocol will be performed routinely in each center. All patients will receive 100 days valganciclovir prophylaxis at doses adjusted according eGFR and Cotrimoxazol (trimethoprim / sulfamethoxazole) 480mg/day for 6 months.

Protection of trial subjects:

Trial was conducted according to the International Conference on Harmonisation (ICH) Good Clinical Practice (GCP).

Background therapy: -

Evidence for comparator: -

Actual start date of recruitment	01 December 2016
Long term follow-up planned	No
Independent data monitoring committee (IDMC) involvement?	No

Notes:

## Population of trial subjects

### Subjects enrolled per country

Country: Number of subjects enrolled	Spain: 5
Country: Number of subjects enrolled	Czechia: 34
Country: Number of subjects enrolled	Germany: 29
Worldwide total number of subjects	68
EEA total number of subjects	68

Notes:

### Subjects enrolled per age group

In utero	0
Preterm newborn - gestational age < 37 wk	0
Newborns (0-27 days)	0
Infants and toddlers (28 days-23 months)	0
Children (2-11 years)	0
Adolescents (12-17 years)	0
Adults (18-64 years)	65
From 65 to 84 years	3



## Subject disposition

### Recruitment

Recruitment details:

Date of study / recruitment start December 1st, 2016  
Date of termination of recruitment December 31, 2020  
Recruitment at 3 study centers.

### Pre-assignment

Screening details:

PRE-TREATMENT VISIT (SCREENING VISIT/ASSESSMENT at POD 0, inclusion/exclusion criteria will be verified, written informed consent will be obtained, baseline examination and several immune monitoring platforms will be assessed  
1098 Subjects assessed for eligibility  
1029 Subjects excluded  
69 Subjects were allocated  
2 no intervention

### Period 1

Period 1 title	Treatment (overall period)
Is this the baseline period?	Yes
Allocation method	Not applicable
Blinding used	Not blinded

### Arms

<b>Arm title</b>	Tacrolimus Group
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Arm description: -

Arm type	Experimental
Investigational medicinal product name	INFLIXIMAB
Investigational medicinal product code	
Other name	SUB02681MIG
Pharmaceutical forms	Powder for concentrate for solution for infusion
Routes of administration	Intravenous use

Dosage and administration details:

5mg/kg b.w. – once daily on day 2  
Intravenous infusion

Investigational medicinal product name	Thymoglobulin
Investigational medicinal product code	
Other name	ANTITHYMOCYTE IMMUNOGLOBULIN, SUB128808
Pharmaceutical forms	Powder for solution for infusion
Routes of administration	Intravenous use

Dosage and administration details:

1.5mg/kg b.w. – once daily on day0 and on day1  
intravenous infusion

Investigational medicinal product name	TACROLIMUS
Investigational medicinal product code	
Other name	SUB10797MIG
Pharmaceutical forms	Capsule
Routes of administration	Oral use

Dosage and administration details:

before surgery 0,1 mg/kg and 0.2mg/kg after surgery  
10-15 ng/mL, POD1-POD13  
5-8 ng/mL POD 14-90  
4-6 ng/mL POD >90

Tacrolimus is recommended as routine post-transplant immunosuppression. Tacrolimus doses will be modified according to through levels as recommended by manufacturer.

Investigational medicinal product name	Prednisolone
Investigational medicinal product code	
Other name	SUB10018MIG
Pharmaceutical forms	Suspension for injection
Routes of administration	Intravenous use, Oral use

Dosage and administration details:

500 mg - once daily on day0 and on day1 as intravenous infusion From day 2 oral administration, dose will be slowly tapered down to 5 mg at the POD 7

<b>Number of subjects in period 1</b>	Tacrolimus Group
Started	68
Completed	68

## Baseline characteristics

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### Reporting groups

Reporting group title	Treatment
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Reporting group description: -

Reporting group values	Treatment	Total	
Number of subjects	68	68	
Age categorical Units: Subjects			

Age continuous Units: years arithmetic mean standard deviation	49.6 ± 10.2	-	
Gender categorical Units: Subjects			
Female	12	12	
Male	56	56	
Race Units: Subjects			
Caucassian	68	68	

## End points

### End points reporting groups

Reporting group title	Tacrolimus Group
Reporting group description:	-

### Primary: efficacy failure of the induction regimen

End point title	efficacy failure of the induction regimen <sup>[1]</sup>
End point description:	acute rejection, graft loss or poor graft function defined as eGFR<40 ml/min. In total, 22 out of 67 KTRs (32.84%) have experienced efficacy failure during the 12 months study follow-up, the upper-bound of the exact one-sided 95% confidence interval is 43.47%. This result fulfills the predefined criteria of efficacy failure rate of no more than 40% with an upper-bound of the exact one-sided 95% confidence interval of no more than 50%.
End point type	Primary
End point timeframe:	12 months

#### Notes:

[1] - No statistical analyses have been specified for this primary end point. It is expected there is at least one statistical analysis for each primary end point.

Justification: see publication: Primary endpoint occurred in 22 of 67 patients (32.84%), with upper bound of an exact 1-sided 95% CI of 43.47%, which met the predefined criteria (efficacy failure of <40% and upper-bound 95% CI of <50%) and was similar in the historical matched cohort. By 12 mo, 79.1% of patients remained on the study protocol. Lower rates of BK replication (6% versus 22.4%; P = 0.013) but higher rates of de novo DSAs (11.9% versus 1.5%; P = 0.039) were observed in the study cohort.

End point values	Tacrolimus Group			
Subject group type	Reporting group			
Number of subjects analysed	67			
Units: Subjects				
graft loss	4			
acute rejection	11			
persistent poor graft function	13			
acute rejection+poor graft function	5			
acute rejection+ graft failure	1			

### Statistical analyses

No statistical analyses for this end point

### Secondary: Discontinuation and Remain of study treatment by 12 months posttransplant

End point title	Discontinuation and Remain of study treatment by 12 months posttransplant
End point description:	
End point type	Secondary

End point timeframe:

12 months

<b>End point values</b>	Tacrolimus Group			
Subject group type	Reporting group			
Number of subjects analysed	67			
Units: Subjects				
remained on the study protocol	53			
permanent discontinuation	14			

### Statistical analyses

No statistical analyses for this end point

### Secondary: Incidence of acute and chronic lesions

End point title | Incidence of acute and chronic lesions

End point description:

End point type | Secondary

End point timeframe:

12 months posttransplant

<b>End point values</b>	Tacrolimus Group			
Subject group type	Reporting group			
Number of subjects analysed	67			
Units: Subjects				
chronic T-cell mediated rejection grade II	1			
chronic active antibody-mediated rejection	1			
poor graft function by antibody-mediated rejection	2			
acute rejection	11			

### Statistical analyses

No statistical analyses for this end point

### Secondary: protocolar biopsy

End point title | protocolar biopsy

End point description:

End point type Secondary

End point timeframe:  
12 months

<b>End point values</b>	Tacrolimus Group			
Subject group type	Reporting group			
Number of subjects analysed	68			
Units: Subjects				
acute/chronic rejection lesions	5			
active antibody mediated rejection	2			
chronic active antibody mediated rejection	2			
acute T-cell mediated rejection IIA	1			
not performed due to graft failure	4			
patient refusal	4			
organization difficulties	12			
no kidney tissues	1			

### Statistical analyses

No statistical analyses for this end point

## Adverse events

### Adverse events information

Timeframe for reporting adverse events:

12 months

Assessment type	Systematic
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### Dictionary used

Dictionary name	MedDRA
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Dictionary version	20
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### Reporting groups

Reporting group title	Tacrolimus Group
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Reporting group description: -

<b>Serious adverse events</b>	Tacrolimus Group		
Total subjects affected by serious adverse events			
subjects affected / exposed	41 / 67 (61.19%)		
number of deaths (all causes)	1		
number of deaths resulting from adverse events	0		
Neoplasms benign, malignant and unspecified (incl cysts and polyps)			
lung carcinoma with metastasis sus			
subjects affected / exposed	1 / 67 (1.49%)		
occurrences causally related to treatment / all	0 / 1		
deaths causally related to treatment / all	0 / 0		
vasoproliferative retinal tumor			
subjects affected / exposed	1 / 67 (1.49%)		
occurrences causally related to treatment / all	0 / 1		
deaths causally related to treatment / all	0 / 0		
Vascular disorders			
coronary 3 vessel heart disease			
subjects affected / exposed	1 / 67 (1.49%)		
occurrences causally related to treatment / all	0 / 1		
deaths causally related to treatment / all	0 / 0		
hypertensiv pulmonary edema			
subjects affected / exposed	1 / 67 (1.49%)		
occurrences causally related to treatment / all	0 / 1		
deaths causally related to treatment / all	0 / 0		

pulmonary embolism			
subjects affected / exposed	1 / 67 (1.49%)		
occurrences causally related to treatment / all	0 / 1		
deaths causally related to treatment / all	0 / 0		
relapsing dialysis shunt thrombosis			
subjects affected / exposed	1 / 67 (1.49%)		
occurrences causally related to treatment / all	0 / 1		
deaths causally related to treatment / all	0 / 0		
Thrombosis of lower artery og the graft kidney			
subjects affected / exposed	1 / 67 (1.49%)		
occurrences causally related to treatment / all	0 / 1		
deaths causally related to treatment / all	0 / 0		
thrombosis vena iliaca externa right			
subjects affected / exposed	1 / 67 (1.49%)		
occurrences causally related to treatment / all	0 / 1		
deaths causally related to treatment / all	0 / 0		
ventricular fibrillation			
subjects affected / exposed	1 / 67 (1.49%)		
occurrences causally related to treatment / all	0 / 1		
deaths causally related to treatment / all	0 / 0		
General disorders and administration site conditions			
aneurysmal shunt vein			
subjects affected / exposed	1 / 67 (1.49%)		
occurrences causally related to treatment / all	0 / 1		
deaths causally related to treatment / all	0 / 0		
Hemorrhagie			
subjects affected / exposed	2 / 67 (2.99%)		
occurrences causally related to treatment / all	0 / 2		
deaths causally related to treatment / all	0 / 0		
Immune system disorders			
active humoral rejection			

subjects affected / exposed	3 / 67 (4.48%)		
occurrences causally related to treatment / all	1 / 4		
deaths causally related to treatment / all	0 / 0		
proof of donor-specific antibodies HLA class II			
subjects affected / exposed	1 / 67 (1.49%)		
occurrences causally related to treatment / all	0 / 1		
deaths causally related to treatment / all	0 / 0		
Injury, poisoning and procedural complications			
delayed graft function			
subjects affected / exposed	5 / 67 (7.46%)		
occurrences causally related to treatment / all	0 / 5		
deaths causally related to treatment / all	0 / 0		
graft non-function			
subjects affected / exposed	5 / 67 (7.46%)		
occurrences causally related to treatment / all	0 / 6		
deaths causally related to treatment / all	0 / 0		
Hernia umbilicalis incarcerata			
subjects affected / exposed	1 / 67 (1.49%)		
occurrences causally related to treatment / all	0 / 1		
deaths causally related to treatment / all	0 / 0		
nephrectomy bleeding cyst kidney right side			
subjects affected / exposed	1 / 67 (1.49%)		
occurrences causally related to treatment / all	0 / 2		
deaths causally related to treatment / all	0 / 0		
Hemorrhage after biopsy			
subjects affected / exposed	1 / 67 (1.49%)		
occurrences causally related to treatment / all	0 / 1		
deaths causally related to treatment / all	0 / 0		
Right testide hematoma- surgical intervention			
subjects affected / exposed	1 / 67 (1.49%)		
occurrences causally related to treatment / all	0 / 1		
deaths causally related to treatment / all	0 / 0		

Nervous system disorders hypoxic brain damage, inauspicious prognosis			
subjects affected / exposed	1 / 67 (1.49%)		
occurrences causally related to treatment / all	0 / 1		
deaths causally related to treatment / all	0 / 1		
Blood and lymphatic system disorders Leucopenia			
subjects affected / exposed	1 / 67 (1.49%)		
occurrences causally related to treatment / all	1 / 1		
deaths causally related to treatment / all	0 / 0		
Eye disorders incomplete retinal central vein occlusion right eye			
subjects affected / exposed	1 / 67 (1.49%)		
occurrences causally related to treatment / all	0 / 1		
deaths causally related to treatment / all	0 / 0		
Gastrointestinal disorders ulcerous stomach with hemorrhagic oozing			
subjects affected / exposed	1 / 67 (1.49%)		
occurrences causally related to treatment / all	0 / 1		
deaths causally related to treatment / all	0 / 0		
unclear abdominal discomforts			
subjects affected / exposed	1 / 67 (1.49%)		
occurrences causally related to treatment / all	0 / 1		
deaths causally related to treatment / all	0 / 0		
Skin and subcutaneous tissue disorders wound healing disease			
subjects affected / exposed	1 / 67 (1.49%)		
occurrences causally related to treatment / all	0 / 1		
deaths causally related to treatment / all	0 / 0		
Renal and urinary disorders acute allograft Rejection Banff grade IA and IB			
subjects affected / exposed	2 / 67 (2.99%)		
occurrences causally related to treatment / all	0 / 2		
deaths causally related to treatment / all	0 / 0		

acute kidney failure with diuretic overdose			
subjects affected / exposed	1 / 67 (1.49%)		
occurrences causally related to treatment / all	0 / 1		
deaths causally related to treatment / all	0 / 0		
acute allograft Rejection Banff grade IIA and IIB			
subjects affected / exposed	2 / 67 (2.99%)		
occurrences causally related to treatment / all	2 / 2		
deaths causally related to treatment / all	0 / 0		
graft function worsening			
subjects affected / exposed	9 / 67 (13.43%)		
occurrences causally related to treatment / all	2 / 10		
deaths causally related to treatment / all	0 / 0		
hydronephrosis			
subjects affected / exposed	3 / 67 (4.48%)		
occurrences causally related to treatment / all	0 / 3		
deaths causally related to treatment / all	0 / 0		
Incipient sepsis - probably source - urinary tract			
subjects affected / exposed	2 / 67 (2.99%)		
occurrences causally related to treatment / all	1 / 2		
deaths causally related to treatment / all	0 / 0		
increased creatinine			
subjects affected / exposed	3 / 67 (4.48%)		
occurrences causally related to treatment / all	0 / 3		
deaths causally related to treatment / all	0 / 0		
Musculoskeletal and connective tissue disorders			
acute Chondrocalcinosis			
subjects affected / exposed	1 / 67 (1.49%)		
occurrences causally related to treatment / all	0 / 1		
deaths causally related to treatment / all	0 / 0		
contusion trauma			

subjects affected / exposed	1 / 67 (1.49%)		
occurrences causally related to treatment / all	0 / 1		
deaths causally related to treatment / all	0 / 0		
<b>Infections and infestations</b>			
CMV colitis			
subjects affected / exposed	1 / 67 (1.49%)		
occurrences causally related to treatment / all	1 / 1		
deaths causally related to treatment / all	0 / 0		
Fever			
subjects affected / exposed	1 / 67 (1.49%)		
occurrences causally related to treatment / all	0 / 1		
deaths causally related to treatment / all	0 / 0		
Increasing viral load of polyomavirus in the blood			
subjects affected / exposed	1 / 67 (1.49%)		
occurrences causally related to treatment / all	0 / 1		
deaths causally related to treatment / all	0 / 0		
infected postoperative retroperitoneal haematoma			
subjects affected / exposed	1 / 67 (1.49%)		
occurrences causally related to treatment / all	0 / 1		
deaths causally related to treatment / all	0 / 0		
phlebitis with abces			
subjects affected / exposed	1 / 67 (1.49%)		
occurrences causally related to treatment / all	0 / 1		
deaths causally related to treatment / all	0 / 0		
pneumonia			
subjects affected / exposed	1 / 67 (1.49%)		
occurrences causally related to treatment / all	0 / 2		
deaths causally related to treatment / all	0 / 0		
urinary tract infection			
subjects affected / exposed	12 / 67 (17.91%)		
occurrences causally related to treatment / all	3 / 8		
deaths causally related to treatment / all	0 / 0		
<b>Metabolism and nutrition disorders</b>			

Diabetic foot			
subjects affected / exposed	1 / 67 (1.49%)		
occurrences causally related to treatment / all	0 / 2		
deaths causally related to treatment / all	0 / 0		
Gout			
subjects affected / exposed	1 / 67 (1.49%)		
occurrences causally related to treatment / all	0 / 1		
deaths causally related to treatment / all	0 / 0		

Frequency threshold for reporting non-serious adverse events: 1 %

<b>Non-serious adverse events</b>	Tacrolimus Group		
Total subjects affected by non-serious adverse events			
subjects affected / exposed	67 / 67 (100.00%)		
Injury, poisoning and procedural complications			
postoperative pain/surgery pain			
subjects affected / exposed	51 / 67 (76.12%)		
occurrences (all)	52		
Vascular disorders			
increased blood pressure/hypertension			
subjects affected / exposed	22 / 67 (32.84%)		
occurrences (all)	29		
Cardiac disorders			
edema (leg)			
subjects affected / exposed	22 / 67 (32.84%)		
occurrences (all)	25		
Nervous system disorders			
headache			
subjects affected / exposed	10 / 67 (14.93%)		
occurrences (all)	11		
Blood and lymphatic system disorders			
worsening anemia			
subjects affected / exposed	13 / 67 (19.40%)		
occurrences (all)	14		
Leukopenia			

subjects affected / exposed occurrences (all)	11 / 67 (16.42%) 12		
Gastrointestinal disorders			
Diarrhoea subjects affected / exposed occurrences (all)	11 / 67 (16.42%) 14		
Vomitting subjects affected / exposed occurrences (all)	12 / 67 (17.91%) 15		
nausea subjects affected / exposed occurrences (all)	10 / 67 (14.93%) 14		
obstipation subjects affected / exposed occurrences (all)	13 / 67 (19.40%) 15		
Respiratory, thoracic and mediastinal disorders			
dyspnoe subjects affected / exposed occurrences (all)	6 / 67 (8.96%) 10		
Renal and urinary disorders			
delayed graft function subjects affected / exposed occurrences (all)	13 / 67 (19.40%) 13		
leukocyturia subjects affected / exposed occurrences (all)	7 / 67 (10.45%) 7		
increased creatinine subjects affected / exposed occurrences (all)	11 / 67 (16.42%) 16		
dysuria subjects affected / exposed occurrences (all)	18 / 67 (26.87%) 18		
Psychiatric disorders			
sleeping disorder subjects affected / exposed occurrences (all)	11 / 67 (16.42%) 13		

Infections and infestations			
BK-Virus,CMV	Additional description: 4	Subject with Bk-Virus; 4	Patients with CMV
subjects affected / exposed occurrences (all)	7 / 67 (10.45%) 7		
increased CRP subjects affected / exposed occurrences (all)	11 / 67 (16.42%) 12		
fever/ increased body temperature subjects affected / exposed occurrences (all)	6 / 67 (8.96%) 7		
Urinary Tract Infection subjects affected / exposed occurrences (all)	17 / 67 (25.37%) 25		
upper tract, Cough, Brochitis, Pneumonia subjects affected / exposed occurrences (all)	13 / 67 (19.40%) 15		
common cold subjects affected / exposed occurrences (all)	8 / 67 (11.94%) 13		
Metabolism and nutrition disorders			
Hypocalcemia subjects affected / exposed occurrences (all)	8 / 67 (11.94%) 8		
Hypouricemia subjects affected / exposed occurrences (all)	12 / 67 (17.91%) 12		
Hyperkalemia subjects affected / exposed occurrences (all)	25 / 67 (37.31%) 25		
Hyperglycemia subjects affected / exposed occurrences (all)	16 / 67 (23.88%) 16		
acidose subjects affected / exposed occurrences (all)	20 / 67 (29.85%) 21		



## More information

### Substantial protocol amendments (globally)

Were there any global substantial amendments to the protocol? Yes

Date	Amendment
06 October 2017	Change of the protocol; Further specification of an exclusion criterion, with respect to safety reasons

Notes:

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### Interruptions (globally)

Were there any global interruptions to the trial? No

### Limitations and caveats

None reported

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### Online references

<http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pubmed/37525369>