

Physician Prescribing Information

1. NAME OF THE MEDICINAL PRODUCT

LIBTAYO

2. QUALITATIVE AND QUANTITATIVE COMPOSITION

One ml of concentrate contains 50 mg of cemiplimab.

Each vial contains 350 mg of cemiplimab in 7 ml.

Cemiplimab is produced by recombinant DNA technology in Chinese hamster ovary (CHO) cell suspension culture.

Excipients with known effect

Each 7 ml vial contains 105 mg of L-proline and 14 mg of polysorbate 80.

For the full list of excipients, see section 6.1.

3. PHARMACEUTICAL FORM

Concentrate for solution for infusion (sterile concentrate).

Clear to slightly opalescent, colorless to pale yellow solution. The solution may contain trace amounts of translucent to white particles in a single-use vial.

Patient safety information card

The marketing of Libtayo is subject to a risk management plan (RMP) including a 'Patient safety information card'. The Patient safety information card emphasizes important safety information that the patient should be aware of before and during treatment. Please explain to the patient the need to review the card before starting treatment.

4. CLINICAL PARTICULARS

4.1 Therapeutic indications

Cutaneous Squamous Cell Carcinoma

LIBTAYO as monotherapy is indicated for the treatment of adult patients with metastatic or locally advanced cutaneous squamous cell carcinoma (mCSCC or laCSCC) who are not candidates for curative surgery or curative radiation.

LIBTAYO as monotherapy is indicated for the adjuvant treatment of adult patients with CSCC at high risk of recurrence after surgery and radiation (see section 5.1 for selection criteria).

Basal Cell Carcinoma

LIBTAYO as monotherapy is indicated for the treatment of adult patients with locally advanced or metastatic basal cell carcinoma (laBCC or mBCC) who have progressed on or are intolerant to a hedgehog pathway inhibitor (HHI).

Non-Small Cell Lung Cancer

LIBTAYO as a single agent is indicated for the first-line treatment of adult patients with NSCLC whose tumors have high PD-L1 expression [Tumor Proportion Score (TPS) $\geq$ 50%] as determined by approved test [see [section](#)

4.2], with no EGFR, ALK or ROS1 aberrations, and is:

- locally advanced where patients are not candidates for surgical resection or definitive chemoradiation or
- metastatic.

LIBTAYO in combination with platinum-based chemotherapy is indicated for the first-line treatment of adult patients with non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC) expressing PD-L1 (in $\geq 1\%$ of tumour cells), with no EGFR, ALK or ROS1 aberrations and is:

- locally advanced where patients are not candidates for surgical resection or definitive chemoradiation or
- metastatic.

4.2 Posology and method of administration

Treatment must be initiated and supervised by physicians experienced in the treatment of cancer.

Posology

Recommended dose

Locally advanced or metastatic CSCC, BCC, NSCLC

Cutaneous Squamous Cell Carcinoma

The recommended dose is 350 mg cemiplimab every 3 weeks (Q3W) administered as an intravenous infusion over 30 minutes.

Treatment may be continued until disease progression or unacceptable toxicity.

Alternatively, a dose of 3 mg/kg every 2 weeks administered as an intravenous infusion over 30 minutes may be considered according to the treating physician's discretion.

Adjuvant treatment of high-risk CSCC

The recommended dose of cemiplimab administered as an intravenous infusion over 30 minutes is:

- 350 mg every 3 weeks for 12 weeks followed by 700 mg every 6 weeks, or
- 350 mg every 3 weeks.

Treatment may be continued until disease recurrence, unacceptable toxicity, or up to 48 weeks of total therapy.

Basal Cell Carcinoma

The recommended dose is 350 mg cemiplimab every 3 weeks (Q3W) administered as an intravenous infusion over 30 minutes.

Treatment may be continued until disease progression or unacceptable toxicity.

Non-Small Cell Lung Cancer

The recommended dosage of LIBTAYO is 350 mg administered as an intravenous infusion over 30 minutes every 3 weeks until disease progression or unacceptable toxicity.

Refer to the Prescribing Information for the agents administered in combination with LIBTAYO for recommended dosing information, as appropriate.

Patient Selection for NSCLC

Select patients with locally advanced or metastatic NSCLC for treatment with LIBTAYO based on PD-L1 expression on tumor cells [see section 5.1].

Dose modifications

No dose reductions are recommended. Dosing delay or discontinuation may be required based on individual safety and tolerability. Recommended modifications to manage adverse reactions are provided in Table 1.

Detailed guidelines for the management of immune-mediated adverse reactions are described in Table 1 (see also sections 4.4 and 4.8).

Table 1: Recommended treatment modifications			
Adverse reaction ^a	Severity ^b	Dose modification	Additional intervention
Immune-mediated adverse reactions			
Pneumonitis	Grade 2	Withhold LIBTAYO	Initial dose of 1 to 2 mg/kg/day prednisone or equivalent followed by a taper
		Resume LIBTAYO if pneumonitis improves and remains at Grade 0 to 1 after corticosteroid taper to ≤10 mg/day prednisone or equivalent	
	Grade 3 or 4 or recurrent Grade 2	Permanently discontinue	Initial dose of 2 to 4 mg/kg/day prednisone or equivalent followed by a taper
Colitis	Grade 2 or 3	Withhold LIBTAYO	Initial dose of 1 to 2 mg/kg/day prednisone or equivalent followed by a taper
		Resume LIBTAYO if colitis or diarrhoea improves and remains at Grade 0 to 1 after corticosteroid taper to ≤10 mg/day prednisone or equivalent	
	Grade 4 or recurrent Grade 3	Permanently discontinue	Initial dose of 1 to 2 mg/kg/day prednisone or equivalent followed by a taper
Hepatitis	Grade 2 with AST or ALT > 3 and ≤ 5×ULN or total bilirubin > 1.5 and ≤ 3×ULN	Withhold LIBTAYO	Initial dose of 1 to 2 mg/kg/day prednisone or equivalent followed by a taper
		Resume LIBTAYO if hepatitis improves and remains at Grade 0 to 1 after corticosteroid taper to ≤ 10 mg/day prednisone or equivalent or returns to baseline AST or ALT after completion of corticosteroid taper	
	Grade ≥ 3 with AST or ALT > 5×ULN or total bilirubin > 3×ULN	Permanently discontinue	Initial dose of 1 to 2 mg/kg/day prednisone or equivalent followed by a taper
Hypothyroidism	Grade 3 or 4	Withhold LIBTAYO	Initiate thyroid hormone replacement as clinically

			indicated
		Resume LIBTAYO when hypothyroidism returns to Grade 0 to 1 or is otherwise clinically stable	
Hyperthyroidism	Grade 3 or 4	Withhold LIBTAYO	Initiate symptomatic management
		Resume LIBTAYO when hyperthyroidism returns to Grade 0 to 1 or is otherwise clinically stable	
Thyroiditis	Grade 3 to 4	Withhold LIBTAYO	Initiate symptomatic management
		Resume LIBTAYO when thyroiditis returns to Grade 0 to 1 or is otherwise clinically stable	
Hypophysitis	Grade 2 to 4	Withhold LIBTAYO	Initial dose of 1 to 2 mg/kg/day prednisone or equivalent followed by a taper and hormone replacement as clinically indicated
		Resume LIBTAYO if hypophysitis improves and remains at Grade 0 to 1 after corticosteroid taper to ≤ 10 mg/day prednisone or equivalent or is otherwise clinically stable	
Adrenal insufficiency	Grade 2 to 4	Withhold LIBTAYO	Initial dose of 1 to 2 mg/kg/day prednisone or equivalent followed by a taper and hormone replacement as clinically indicated
		Resume LIBTAYO if adrenal insufficiency improves and remains at Grade 0 to 1 after corticosteroid taper to ≤ 10 mg/day prednisone or equivalent or is otherwise clinically stable	
Type 1 diabetes mellitus	Grade 3 or 4 (hyperglycaemia)	Withhold LIBTAYO	Initiate treatment with anti-hyperglycaemics as clinically indicated
		Resume LIBTAYO when diabetes mellitus returns to Grade 0 to 1 or is otherwise clinically stable	
Skin adverse reactions	Grade 2 lasting longer than 1 week, Grade 3 or suspected Stevens-Johnson syndrome (SJS) or toxic epidermal necrolysis (TEN)	Withhold LIBTAYO	Initial dose of 1 to 2 mg/kg/day prednisone or equivalent followed by a taper
		Resume LIBTAYO if skin reaction improves and remains at Grade 0 to 1 after corticosteroid taper to ≤ 10 mg/day prednisone or equivalent	
	Grade 4 or confirmed SJS or TEN	Permanently discontinue	Initial dose of 1 to 2 mg/kg/day prednisone or equivalent followed by a taper

Immune-mediated skin reaction or other immune-mediated adverse reactions in patients with prior treatment with idelalisib	Grade 2	Withhold LIBTAYO	Initiate management immediately, including initial dose of 1 to 2 mg/kg/day prednisone or equivalent followed by a taper
		Resume LIBTAYO if skin reaction or other immune-mediated adverse reaction improves and remains at Grade 0 to 1 after corticosteroid taper to ≤ 10 mg/day prednisone or equivalent	
	Grade 3 or 4 (excluding endocrinopathies) or recurrent Grade 2	Permanently discontinue	Initiate management immediately, including initial dose of 1 to 2 mg/kg/day prednisone or equivalent followed by a taper
Nephritis with renal dysfunction	Grade 2 creatinine increased	Withhold LIBTAYO	Initial dose of 1 to 2 mg/kg/day prednisone or equivalent followed by a taper
		Resume LIBTAYO if nephritis improves and remains at Grade 0 to 1 after corticosteroid taper to ≤ 10 mg/day prednisone or equivalent	
	Grade 3 or 4 creatinine increased	Permanently discontinue	Initial dose of 1 to 2 mg/kg/day prednisone or equivalent followed by a taper
Other immune-mediated adverse reactions (including but not limited to paraneoplastic encephalomyelitis, meningitis, myositis, solid organ transplant rejection, graft-vs-host disease, Guillain-Barre syndrome, central nervous system inflammation, chronic inflammatory demyelinating polyradiculoneuropathy, encephalitis, myasthenia gravis, neuropathy peripheral, myocarditis, pericarditis, immune thrombocytopenic purpura, vasculitis, arthralgia, arthritis, muscular weakness, myalgia, polymyalgia rheumatica, Sjogren's syndrome, keratitis, stomatitis, thyroiditis and haemophagocytic lymphohistiocytosis)	Grade 2 or 3 based on type of reaction	Withhold LIBTAYO	Initiate symptomatic management including initial dose of 1 to 2 mg/kg/day prednisone or equivalent as clinically indicated followed by a taper
		Resume LIBTAYO if other immune-mediated adverse reaction improves and remains at Grade 0 to 1 after corticosteroid taper to ≤ 10 mg/day prednisone or equivalent	
	- Grade 3 based on type of reaction or Grade 4 (excluding endocrinopathies) - Grade 3 or 4 neurologic toxicity - Grade 3 or 4 myocarditis or pericarditis - Confirmed haemophagocytic lymphohistiocytosis - Recurrent Grade 3 immune-mediated adverse reaction - Persistent Grade 2 or 3 immune-mediated adverse	Permanently discontinue	Initial dose of 1 to 2 mg/kg/day as clinically indicated prednisone or equivalent followed by a taper

	reactions lasting 12 weeks or longer (excluding endocrinopathies) – Inability to reduce corticosteroid dose to 10 mg or less of prednisone or equivalent per day within 12 weeks		
Infusion-related reactions^a			
Infusion-related reaction	Grade 1 or 2	Interrupt or slow rate of infusion	Initiate symptomatic management
	Grade 3 or 4	Permanently discontinue	

ALT: alanine aminotransferase; AST: aspartate aminotransferase; ULN: upper limit of normal.

^a See also sections 4.4 and 4.8

^b Toxicity should be graded with the current version of National Cancer Institute Common Terminology Criteria for Adverse Events (NCI CTCAE).

Special populations

Paediatric population

The safety and efficacy of LIBTAYO in children and adolescents below the age of 18 years have not been established. No data are available.

Elderly

No dose adjustment is recommended for elderly patients. Cemiplimab exposure is similar across all age groups (see sections 5.1 and 5.2). Data are limited in patients ≥ 75 years on cemiplimab monotherapy.

Renal impairment

No dose adjustment of LIBTAYO is recommended for patients with renal impairment. There are limited data for LIBTAYO in patients with severe renal impairment CLcr 15 to 29 ml/min (see section 5.2).

Hepatic impairment

No dose adjustment is recommended for patients with mild or moderate hepatic impairment. LIBTAYO has not been studied in patients with severe hepatic impairment. There are insufficient data in patients with severe hepatic impairment for dosing recommendations (see section 5.2).

Method of administration

LIBTAYO is for intravenous use. It is administered by intravenous infusion over 30 minutes through an intravenous line containing a sterile, non-pyrogenic, low-protein binding, in-line or add-on filter (0.2 micron to 5 micron pore size).

Other medicinal products should not be co-administered through the same infusion line.

For instructions on dilution of the medicinal product before administration, see section 6.6.

4.3 Contraindications

Hypersensitivity to the active substance or to any of the excipients listed in section 6.1.

4.4 Special warnings and precautions for use

Traceability

In order to improve the traceability of biological medicinal products, the name and the batch number of the administered product should be clearly recorded.

Immune-mediated adverse reactions

Severe and fatal immune-mediated adverse reactions have been observed with cemiplimab (see section 4.2 and section 4.8). These immune-mediated reactions may involve any organ system. Immune-mediated reactions can manifest at any time during treatment with cemiplimab; however, immune-mediated adverse reactions can occur after discontinuation of cemiplimab.

The guidance for immune-mediated adverse reactions applies to cemiplimab whether administered as monotherapy or in combination with chemotherapy.

Immune-mediated adverse reactions affecting more than one body system can occur simultaneously, such as myositis and myocarditis or myasthenia gravis, in patients treated with cemiplimab or other PD-1/PD-L1 inhibitors.

Monitor patients for signs and symptoms of immune-mediated adverse reactions. Immune-mediated adverse reactions should be managed with cemiplimab treatment modifications, hormone replacement therapy (if clinically indicated), and corticosteroids. For suspected immune-mediated adverse reactions, patients should be evaluated to confirm an immune-mediated adverse reaction and to exclude other possible causes, including infection. Depending upon the severity of the adverse reaction, cemiplimab should be withheld or permanently discontinued (see section 4.2).

In patients with pre-existing autoimmune disease (AID), data from observational studies suggest that the risk of immune-mediated adverse reactions following immune checkpoint inhibitor therapy may be increased as compared with the risk in patients without pre-existing AID. In addition, flares of the underlying AID were frequent, but the majority were mild and manageable.

Immune-mediated pneumonitis

Immune-mediated pneumonitis, defined as requiring use of corticosteroids with no clear alternate aetiology, including fatal cases, has been observed in patients receiving cemiplimab (see section 4.8). Patients should be monitored for signs and symptoms of pneumonitis and causes other than immune-mediated pneumonitis should be ruled out. Patients with suspected pneumonitis should be evaluated with radiographic imaging as indicated based on clinical evaluation and managed with cemiplimab treatment modifications and corticosteroids (see section 4.2).

Immune-mediated colitis

Immune-mediated diarrhoea or colitis, defined as requiring use of corticosteroids with no clear alternate aetiology, has been observed in patients receiving cemiplimab (see section 4.8). Patients should be monitored for signs and symptoms of diarrhoea or colitis and managed with cemiplimab treatment modifications, anti-diarrhoeal agents, and corticosteroids (see section 4.2).

Immune-mediated hepatitis

Immune-mediated hepatitis, defined as requiring use of corticosteroids with no clear alternate aetiology, including fatal cases, has been observed in patients receiving cemiplimab (see section 4.8). Patients should be monitored for abnormal liver tests prior to and periodically during treatment as indicated based on clinical evaluation and managed with cemiplimab treatment modifications and corticosteroids (see section 4.2).

Immune-mediated endocrinopathies

Immune-mediated endocrinopathies, defined as treatment-emergent endocrinopathies with no clear alternate aetiology, have been observed in patients receiving cemiplimab (see section 4.8).

Thyroid disorders (Hypothyroidism/Hyperthyroidism/Thyroiditis)

Immune-mediated thyroid disorders have been observed in patients receiving cemiplimab. Thyroiditis can present with or without an alteration in thyroid function tests. Hypothyroidism can follow hyperthyroidism. Thyroid disorders can occur at any time during the treatment. Patients should be monitored for changes in thyroid function at the start of treatment and periodically during the treatment as indicated based on clinical evaluation (see section 4.8). Patients

should be managed with hormone replacement therapy (if indicated) and cemiplimab treatment modifications. Hyperthyroidism should be managed according to standard medical practice (see section 4.2).

Hypophysitis

Immune-mediated hypophysitis has been observed in patients receiving cemiplimab (see section 4.8). Patients should be monitored for signs and symptoms of hypophysitis and managed with cemiplimab treatment modifications, corticosteroids and hormone replacement, as clinically indicated (see section 4.2).

Adrenal insufficiency

Adrenal insufficiency has been observed in patients receiving cemiplimab (see section 4.8). Patients should be monitored for signs and symptoms of adrenal insufficiency during and after treatment and managed with cemiplimab treatment modifications, corticosteroids and hormone replacement, as clinically indicated (see section 4.2).

Type 1 Diabetes mellitus

Immune-mediated type 1 diabetes mellitus, including diabetic ketoacidosis, has been observed in patients receiving cemiplimab (see section 4.8). Patients should be monitored for hyperglycaemia and signs and symptoms of diabetes as indicated based on clinical evaluation and managed with oral anti-hyperglycaemics or insulin and cemiplimab treatment modifications (see section 4.2).

Immune-mediated skin adverse reactions

Immune-mediated skin adverse reactions, defined as requiring use of systemic corticosteroids with no clear alternate aetiology, including severe cutaneous adverse reactions (SCARs), such as Stevens-Johnson syndrome (SJS) and toxic epidermal necrolysis (TEN) (some cases with fatal outcome), and other skin reactions such as rash, erythema multiforme, pemphigoid, have been reported in association with cemiplimab treatment (see section 4.8).

Patients should be monitored for evidence of suspected severe skin reactions and exclude other causes. Patients should be managed with cemiplimab treatment modifications and corticosteroids (see section 4.2). For symptoms or signs of SJS or TEN, refer the patient for specialised care for assessment and treatment and manage patient with treatment modifications (see section 4.2).

Cases of SJS, fatal TEN and stomatitis occurred following 1 dose of cemiplimab in patients with prior exposure to idelalisib, who were participating in a clinical trial evaluating cemiplimab in Non-Hodgkin Lymphoma (NHL), and who had recent exposure to sulfa containing antibiotics (see section 4.8).

Patients should be managed with cemiplimab treatment modifications and corticosteroids as described above (see section 4.2).

Immune-mediated nephritis

Immune-mediated nephritis, defined as requiring use of corticosteroids with no clear alternate aetiology, including a fatal case, has been observed in patients receiving cemiplimab (see section 4.8). Monitor patients for changes in renal function. Patients should be managed with cemiplimab treatment modifications and corticosteroids (see section 4.2).

Other immune-mediated adverse reactions

Other fatal and life-threatening immune-mediated adverse reactions have been observed in patients receiving cemiplimab including paraneoplastic encephalomyelitis, meningitis myositis myocarditis, and pancreatitis (see section 4.8 for other immune-mediated adverse reactions).

Noninfective cystitis has been reported with other PD-1/PD-L1 inhibitors.

Evaluate suspected immune-mediated adverse reactions to exclude other causes. Patients should be monitored for signs and symptoms of immune-mediated adverse reactions and managed with cemiplimab treatment modifications and corticosteroids as clinically indicated (see section 4.2 and section 4.8).

Solid organ transplant rejection has been reported in the post-marketing setting in patients treated with PD-1 inhibitors. Treatment with cemiplimab may increase the risk of rejection in solid organ transplant recipients. The benefit of

treatment with cemiplimab versus the risk of possible organ rejection should be considered in these patients. Cases of graft-versus-host disease have been reported in the post-marketing setting in patients treated with other PD-1/PD-L1 inhibitors in association with allogeneic haematopoietic stem cell transplant.

Haemophagocytic lymphohistiocytosis (HLH) has been reported in patients receiving cemiplimab (see section 4.8). Patients should be monitored for clinical signs and symptoms of HLH. If HLH is confirmed, administration of cemiplimab should be discontinued and treatment for HLH initiated (see section 4.2).

Infusion-related reactions

Cemiplimab can cause severe or life-threatening infusion-related reactions (see section 4.8). Patients should be monitored for signs and symptoms of infusion-related reactions and managed with cemiplimab treatment modifications and corticosteroids. Cemiplimab should be interrupted or the rate of infusion slowed for mild or moderate infusion-related reactions. The infusion should be stopped and cemiplimab should be permanently discontinued for severe (Grade 3) or life-threatening (Grade 4) infusion-related reactions (see section 4.2).

Patients excluded from clinical studies

Patients that had active infections, were immunocompromised, had a history of autoimmune diseases, ECOG PS ≥ 2 or a history of interstitial lung disease were not included. For a full list of patients excluded from clinical studies, see section 5.1.

In the absence of data, cemiplimab should be used with caution in these populations after careful evaluation of the balance of benefits and risks for the patient.

Excipients

Each 7 ml vial contains 105 mg of L-proline and 14 mg of polysorbate 80.

L-proline may be harmful for patients with hyperprolinaemia type I or type II.

This medicinal product contains polysorbate 80, which may cause allergic reactions.

4.5 Interaction with other medicinal products and other forms of interaction

No pharmacokinetic (PK) drug-drug interaction studies have been conducted with cemiplimab.

The use of systemic corticosteroids or immunosuppressants before starting cemiplimab, except for physiological doses of systemic corticosteroid (≤ 10 mg/day prednisone or equivalent), should be avoided because of their potential interference with the pharmacodynamic activity and efficacy of cemiplimab. However, systemic corticosteroids or other immunosuppressants can be used after starting cemiplimab to treat immune-mediated adverse reactions (see section 4.2).

4.6 Fertility, pregnancy and lactation

Women of childbearing potential

Women of childbearing potential should use effective contraception during treatment with cemiplimab and for at least 4 months after the last dose of cemiplimab.

Pregnancy

Animal reproduction studies have not been conducted with cemiplimab. There are no available data on the use of cemiplimab in pregnant women. Animal studies have demonstrated that inhibition of the PD-1/PD-L1 pathway can lead to increased risk of immune-mediated rejection of the developing foetus resulting in foetal death (see section 5.3).

Human IgG4 is known to cross the placental barrier and cemiplimab is an IgG4; therefore, cemiplimab has the

potential to be transmitted from the mother to the developing foetus. Cemiplimab is not recommended during pregnancy and in women of childbearing potential not using effective contraception unless the clinical benefit outweighs the potential risk.

Breast-feeding

It is unknown whether cemiplimab is secreted in human milk. It is known that antibodies (including IgG4) are secreted in human milk; a risk to the breast-feeding newborn/infant cannot be excluded.

If a woman chooses to be treated with cemiplimab, she should be instructed not to breast-feed while being treated with cemiplimab and for at least 4 months after the last dose.

Fertility

No clinical data are available on the possible effects of cemiplimab on fertility. No effects on fertility assessment parameters or in the male and female reproductive organs were observed in a 3-month repeat dose fertility assessment study with sexually mature cynomolgus monkeys.

4.7 Effects on ability to drive and use machines

Cemiplimab has no or negligible influence on the ability to drive and use machines. Fatigue has been reported following treatment with cemiplimab (see section 4.8).

4.8 Undesirable effects

Summary of the safety profile

Immune-mediated adverse reactions can occur with cemiplimab. Most of these, including severe reactions, resolved following initiation of appropriate medical therapy or withdrawal of cemiplimab (see “Description of selected adverse reactions” below).

Cemiplimab as monotherapy

The safety of cemiplimab as monotherapy has been evaluated in 1281 patients with advanced solid malignancies who received cemiplimab monotherapy in 5 clinical studies. The median duration of exposure to cemiplimab was 28 weeks (range: 2 days to 144 weeks).

Immune-mediated adverse reactions occurred in 21% of patients treated with cemiplimab in clinical trials including Grade 5 (0.3%), Grade 4 (0.6%), Grade 3 (5.7%), and Grade 2 (11.2%). Immune-mediated adverse reactions led to permanent discontinuation of cemiplimab in 4.6% of patients. The most common immune-mediated adverse reactions were hypothyroidism (6.8%), hyperthyroidism (3.0%), immune-mediated pneumonitis (2.6%), immune-mediated hepatitis (2.4%), immune-mediated colitis (2.0%), and immune-mediated skin adverse reactions (1.9%) (see “Description of selected adverse reactions” below, Special warnings and precautions for use in section 4.4 and Recommended treatment modifications in section 4.2).

Adverse events were serious in 32.4% of patients. Adverse events led to permanent discontinuation of cemiplimab in 9.4% of patients.

Severe cutaneous adverse reactions (SCARs), including Stevens-Johnson syndrome (SJS) and toxic epidermal necrolysis (TEN) have been reported in association with cemiplimab treatment (see section 4.4).

Cemiplimab in the adjuvant CSCC setting

The safety of cemiplimab as monotherapy in the adjuvant treatment of patients with CSCC at high risk of recurrence was evaluated in 205 patients in the C-POST study. The median duration of exposure was 47.9 weeks (range: 3 weeks to 52 weeks) in the cemiplimab group.

The safety profile of cemiplimab in the adjuvant setting in the C-POST study is consistent with the known safety

profile for cemiplimab monotherapy in advanced cancers. The incidence of immune-mediated adverse reactions of cemiplimab as monotherapy in the C-POST study was 22.9% compared to 20.8% in the monotherapy population with advanced solid malignancies.

Adverse events were serious in 17.6% of patients.

Adverse events led to permanent discontinuation of cemiplimab in 9.8% of patients.

Cemiplimab in combination with platinum-based chemotherapy

The safety of cemiplimab in combination with platinum-based chemotherapy has been evaluated in a clinical study of 465 patients with locally advanced or metastatic NSCLC. The median duration of exposure was 38.5 weeks (10 days to 102.6 weeks) in the cemiplimab and chemotherapy group, and 21.3 weeks (4 days to 95 weeks) in the chemotherapy group.

Immune-mediated adverse reactions occurred in 18.9% of patients including Grade 5 (0.3%), Grade 3 (2.6%), and Grade 2 (7.4%). Immune-mediated adverse reactions led to permanent discontinuation of cemiplimab in 1.0% of patients. The most common immune-mediated adverse reactions were hypothyroidism (7.7%), hyperthyroidism (5.1%), increased blood thyroid stimulating hormone (4.2%), immune-mediated skin reaction (1.9%), immune-mediated pneumonitis (1.9%), and decreased blood thyroid stimulating hormone (1.6%) (see “Description of selected adverse reactions” below, Special warnings and precautions for use in section 4.4 and Recommended treatment modifications in section 4.2).

Adverse events were serious in 25.3% of patients.

Adverse events led to permanent discontinuation of cemiplimab in 5.1% of patients.

Tabulated list of adverse reactions

Table 2 lists the incidence of adverse reactions in the monotherapy safety dataset and in patients treated with cemiplimab in combination with chemotherapy. Adverse reactions are presented by system organ class and by frequency. Frequencies are defined as: very common ($\geq 1/10$); common ($\geq 1/100$ to $< 1/10$); uncommon ($\geq 1/1,000$ to $< 1/100$); rare ($\geq 1/10,000$ to $< 1/1,000$); very rare ($< 1/10,000$); not known (cannot be estimated from available data).

Adverse reactions known to occur with cemiplimab or combination therapy components given alone may occur during treatment with these medicinal products in combination.

Table 2: Tabulated list of adverse reactions in patients treated with cemiplimab monotherapy and cemiplimab in combination with chemotherapy

System organ class Preferred term	Cemiplimab Monotherapy			Cemiplimab in Combination with Chemotherapy		
	Any Grade %		Grade 3-5 (%)	Any Grade %		Grade 3-5 (%)
Infections and infestations						
Upper respiratory tract infection ^a	Very common	10.9	0.4			
Urinary tract infection ^b	Common	8.4	2.3			
Blood and lymphatic system disorders						
Anaemia	Very common	15.0	5.2	Very common	43.6	9.9
Neutropaenia				Very common	15.4	5.8
Thrombocytopaenia				Very common	13.1	2.6
Haemophagocytic lymphohistiocytosis ^d	Not Known	--	--			

Immune system disorders						
Infusion-related reaction	Common	3.3	< 0.1	Uncommon	0.3	0
Thrombocytopaenia ^c	Uncommon	0.9	0			
Sjogren's syndrome	Uncommon	0.2	0			
Solid organ transplant rejection ^d	Not known	--	--			
Endocrine disorders						
Hypothyroidism ^e	Common	6.8	< 0.1	Common	7.7	0.3
Hyperthyroidism	Common	3.0	< 0.1	Common	5.1	0
Thyroiditis ^f	Uncommon	0.6	0	Uncommon	0.6	0
Hypophysitis ^g	Uncommon	0.5	0.2			
Adrenal insufficiency	Uncommon	0.5	0.5			
Type 1 diabetes mellitus ^h	Rare	< 0.1	< 0.1	Uncommon	0.3	0
Nervous system disorders						
Headache	Common	8.0	0.3			
Peripheral neuropathy ⁱ	Common	1.3	< 0.1	Very common	21.2	0
Meningitis ^j	Rare	< 0.1	< 0.1			
Encephalitis	Rare	< 0.1	< 0.1			
Myasthenia Gravis	Rare	< 0.1	0			
Paraneoplastic encephalomyelitis	Rare	< 0.1	< 0.1			
Chronic inflammatory demyelinating polyradiculoneuropathy	Rare	< 0.1	0			
Eye disorders						
Keratitis	Rare	< 0.1	0			
Uveitis	Rare	< 0.1	< 0.1			
Cardiac disorders						
Myocarditis ^k	Uncommon	0.5	0.3			
Pericarditis ^l	Uncommon	0.3	0.2			
Vascular disorders						
Hypertension ^m	Common	5.7	2.6			
Metabolism and nutrition disorders						
Decreased appetite	Very common	13.0	0.6	Very common	17.0	1.0
Hyperglycaemia				Very common	17.6	1.9
Hypoalbuminaemia				Very common	10.3	0.6
Respiratory, thoracic and mediastinal disorders						
Cough ⁿ	Very common	10.8	0.2			
Dyspnoea ^o	Common	9.7	1.2	Very common	12.8	2.2
Pneumonitis ^p	Common	3.3	1.1	Common	4.2	0.6
Gastrointestinal disorders						
Nausea	Very common	14.7	0.2	Very common	25.0	0
Diarrhoea	Very common	16.3	0.7	Very common	10.6	1.3
Constipation	Very common	12.3	0.2	Very common	13.8	0.3
Abdominal pain ^q	Very common	11.5	0.7			
Vomiting	Common	9.9	0.2	Very common	12.2	0
Colitis ^r	Common	2.0	0.8	Common	1.0	0.3
Stomatitis	Common	1.8	< 0.1			
Gastritis ^s	Uncommon	0.2	0			
Pancreatitis ^t	Uncommon	0.2	0.2			
Hepatobiliary disorders						
Hepatitis ^u	Common	2.7	1.8			
Psychiatric Disorders						
Insomnia				Very common	10.9	0
Skin and subcutaneous skin disorders						
Rash ^v	Very common	21.4	1.6	Very common	12.5	1.3
Pruritus ^w	Very common	12.7	0.2	Common	3.5	0
Actinic keratosis	Common	3.7	0			

Alopecia				Very common	36.9	0
Musculoskeletal and connective tissue disorders						
Musculoskeletal pain ^x	Very common	28.3	1.8	Very common	26.9	1.3
Arthritis ^y	Uncommon	0.9	0.2	Common	1.0	0
Myositis ^z	Uncommon	0.3	< 0.1			
Muscular weakness	Uncommon	0.2	0			
Polymyalgia rheumatica	Uncommon	0.2	0			
Renal and urinary disorders						
Nephritis ^{aa}	Common	1.2	0.2	Common	2.6	0
Noninfective cystitis	Not known	--	--			
General disorders and administration site conditions						
Fatigue ^{bb}	Very common	29.9	2.6	Very common	23.4	3.8
Pyrexia ^{cc}	Common	8.7	0.2			
Oedema ^{dd}	Common	7.9	0.4			
Investigations						
Alanine aminotransferase increased	Common	4.6	0.5	Very common	16.3	2.2
Aspartate aminotransferase increased	Common	4.4	0.7	Very common	14.7	0.3
Blood alkaline phosphatase increased	Common	1.9	0.2	Common	4.5	0
Blood creatinine increased	Common	1.6	0	Common	8.7	0
Blood thyroid stimulating hormone increased	Uncommon	0.8	0	Common	4.2	0
Transaminases increased	Uncommon	0.4	< 0.1			
Blood bilirubin increased	Uncommon	0.4	< 0.1	Common	1.6	0.3
Blood thyroid stimulating hormone decreased	Rare	< 0.1	0	Common	1.6	0
Weight decreased				Very common	11.2	1.3
Gamma-glutamyltransferase increased				Uncommon	0.6	0.3

Version 4.03 of NCI CTCAE was used to grade toxicity.

- a. Upper respiratory tract infection includes upper respiratory tract infection, nasopharyngitis, sinusitis, respiratory tract infection, rhinitis, viral upper respiratory tract infection, viral respiratory tract infection, pharyngitis, laryngitis, viral rhinitis, acute sinusitis, tonsillitis, and tracheitis.
- b. Urinary tract infection includes urinary tract infection, cystitis, pyelonephritis, kidney infection, pyelonephritis acute, urosepsis, bacterial cystitis, escherichia urinary tract infection, pyelocystitis, bacterial urinary tract infection, and urinary tract infection pseudomonal.
- c. Thrombocytopaenia includes thrombocytopaenia and immune thrombocytopaenia.
- d. Post-marketing event.
- e. Hypothyroidism includes hypothyroidism and immune-mediated hypothyroidism.
- f. Thyroiditis includes thyroiditis, autoimmune thyroiditis, and immune-mediated thyroiditis.
- g. Hypophysitis includes hypophysitis and lymphocytic hypophysitis.
- h. Type 1 diabetes mellitus includes diabetic ketoacidosis and Type 1 diabetes mellitus.
- i. Peripheral neuropathy includes peripheral sensory neuropathy, peripheral neuropathy, paraesthesia, polyneuropathy, neuritis, and peripheral motor neuropathy.
- j. Meningitis includes aseptic meningitis.
- k. Myocarditis includes myocarditis, autoimmune myocarditis, and immune-mediated myocarditis.
- l. Pericarditis includes autoimmune pericarditis and pericarditis.
- m. Hypertension includes hypertension and hypertensive crisis.
- n. Cough includes cough, productive cough, and upper-airway cough syndrome.
- o. Dyspnea includes dyspnea and dyspnea exertional.
- p. Pneumonitis includes pneumonitis, immune-mediated lung disease, interstitial lung disease, and pulmonary fibrosis.
- q. Abdominal pain includes abdominal pain, abdominal pain upper, abdominal distension, abdominal pain lower, abdominal discomfort, and gastrointestinal pain.
- r. Colitis includes colitis, autoimmune colitis, enterocolitis, and immune-mediated enterocolitis.
- s. Gastritis includes gastritis and immune-mediated gastritis.
- t. Pancreatitis (acute pancreatitis and immune-mediated pancreatitis) was not observed in the studies included in the monotherapy pool (n=1281) and frequency is based on exposure in patients treated in relevant studies with cemiplimab monotherapy

- u. *Hepatitis includes autoimmune hepatitis, immune-mediated hepatitis, hepatitis, hepatotoxicity, hyperbilirubinemia, hepatocellular injury, hepatic failure, and abnormal hepatic function.*
- v. *Rash includes rash, rash maculo-papular, dermatitis, erythema, rash pruritic, urticaria, rash erythematous, dermatitis bullous, dermatitis acneiform, rash macular, psoriasis, rash papular, dyshidrotic eczema, pemphigoid, autoimmune dermatitis, dermatitis allergic, atopic dermatitis, drug eruption, erythema nodosum, skin reaction, skin toxicity, dermatitis exfoliative, dermatitis exfoliative generalised, dermatitis psoriasiform, erythema multiforme, exfoliative rash, immune-mediated dermatitis, lichen planus, and parapsoriasis.*
- w. *Pruritus includes pruritus and allergic pruritus.*
- x. *Musculoskeletal pain includes arthralgia, back pain, pain in extremity, myalgia, neck pain, musculoskeletal chest pain, bone pain, musculoskeletal pain, spinal pain, musculoskeletal stiffness, and musculoskeletal discomfort.*
- y. *Arthritis includes arthritis, polyarthritis, autoimmune arthritis, and immune-mediated arthritis.*
- z. *Myositis includes myositis and dermatomyositis.*
- aa. *Nephritis includes acute kidney injury, renal impairment, immune-mediated nephritis, nephritis, renal failure, tubulointerstitial nephritis, and nephropathy toxic.*
- bb. *Fatigue includes fatigue, asthenia, and malaise.*
- cc. *Pyrexia includes pyrexia, hyperthermia, and hyperpyrexia.*
- dd. *Oedema includes peripheral oedema, face oedema, peripheral swelling, face swelling, localised oedema, generalised oedema, and swelling.*

Description of selected adverse reactions

The selected adverse reactions described below are based on safety of cemiplimab in 1281 patients in clinical studies in monotherapy. These selected adverse reactions were consistent when cemiplimab was administered as monotherapy in patients with advanced solid malignancies, as monotherapy in the adjuvant setting, or in combination with chemotherapy.

Immune-mediated adverse reactions (see section 4.2 and section 4.4)

Immune-mediated pneumonitis

Immune-mediated pneumonitis occurred in 33 (2.6%) of 1281 patients receiving cemiplimab, including 4(0.3%) patients with Grade 4, and 8 (0.6%) patients with Grade 3 immune-mediated pneumonitis. Immune-mediated pneumonitis led to permanent discontinuation of cemiplimab in 17 (1.3%) of 1281 patients. Among the 33 patients with immune-mediated pneumonitis, the median time to onset was 2.7 months (range: 7 days to 22.2 months) and the median duration of pneumonitis was 1.1 months (range: 5 days to 16.9 months). Twenty-seven of the 33 patients (81.8%) received high-dose corticosteroids for a median of 15 days (range: 1 day to 5.9 months). Resolution of pneumonitis had occurred in 20 (60.6%) of the 33 patients at the time of data cutoff.

Immune-mediated colitis

Immune-mediated diarrhoea or colitis occurred in 25 (2.0%) of 1281 patients receiving cemiplimab, including 10 (0.8%) with Grade 3 immune-mediated diarrhoea or colitis. Immune-mediated diarrhoea or colitis led to permanent discontinuation of cemiplimab in 5 (0.4%) of 1281 patients. Among the 25 patients with immune-mediated diarrhoea or colitis, the median time to onset was 3.8 months (range: 1 day to 16.6 months) and the median duration of immune-mediated diarrhoea or colitis was 2.1 months (range: 4 days to 26.8 months). Nineteen of the 25 patients (76.0%) with immune-mediated diarrhoea or colitis received high-dose corticosteroids for a median of 22 days (range: 2 days to 5.2 months). Resolution of immune-mediated diarrhoea or colitis had occurred in 14 (56.0%) of the 25 patients at the time of data cutoff.

Immune-mediated hepatitis

Immune-mediated hepatitis occurred in 31 (2.4%) of 1281 patients receiving cemiplimab, including 1 (< 0.1%) patient with Grade 5, 4 (0.3%) patients with Grade 4, and 21 (1.6%) patients with Grade 3 immune-mediated hepatitis. Immune-mediated hepatitis led to permanent discontinuation of cemiplimab in 18 (1.4%) of 1281 patients. Among the 31 patients with immune-mediated hepatitis, the median time to onset was 2.8 months (range: 7 days to 22.5 months) and the median duration of hepatitis was 2.3 months (range: 5 days to 8.7 months). Twenty-seven of the 31 patients (87.1%) with immune-mediated hepatitis received high-dose corticosteroids for a median of 24 days (range: 2 days to 3.8 months). Resolution of hepatitis had occurred in 12 (38.7%) of the 31 patients at the time of data cutoff.

Immune-mediated endocrinopathies

Hypothyroidism occurred in 87 (6.8%) of 1281 patients receiving cemiplimab, including 1 (< 0.1%) patient with Grade 3 hypothyroidism. Three (0.2%) of 1281 patients discontinued cemiplimab due to hypothyroidism. Among the 87 patients with hypothyroidism, the median time to onset was

4.0 months (range: 15 days to 18.9 months) with a median duration of 9.2 months (range: 1 day to 37.1 months).

Resolution of hypothyroidism had occurred in 5 (5.7%) of the 87 patients at the time of data cutoff.

Hyperthyroidism occurred in 39 (3.0%) of 1281 patients receiving cemiplimab, including 1 (< 0.1%) patient with Grade 3 and 11 (0.9%) patients with Grade 2 hyperthyroidism. No patient discontinued cemiplimab due to hyperthyroidism. Among the 39 patients with hyperthyroidism, the median time to onset was 1.9 months (range: 20 days to 23.8 months) and the median duration was 1.9 months (range: 9 days to 32.7 months). Resolution of hyperthyroidism had occurred in 22 (56.4%) of the 39 patients at the time of data cutoff.

Thyroiditis occurred in 8 (0.6%) of 1281 patients receiving cemiplimab, including 4 (0.3%) patients with Grade 2 thyroiditis. No patient discontinued cemiplimab due to thyroiditis. Resolution of thyroiditis had occurred in 1 (12.5%) of the 8 patients at the time of data cutoff.

Adrenal insufficiency occurred in 6 (0.5%) of 1281 patients receiving cemiplimab, including 6 (0.5%) patients with Grade 3 adrenal insufficiency. One (< 0.1%) of 1281 patients discontinued cemiplimab due to adrenal insufficiency. Among the 6 patients with adrenal insufficiency, the median time to onset was 7.5 months (range: 4.2 months to 18.3 months) and the median duration was

2.9 months (range: 22 days to 6.1 months). Two of the 6 patients (33.3%) received high-dose corticosteroids.

Resolution of adrenal insufficiency had occurred in 1 (16.7%) of 6 patients at the time of data cutoff.

Immune-mediated hypophysitis occurred in 7 (0.5%) of 1281 patients receiving cemiplimab, including 3 (0.2%) patients with Grade 3 immune-mediated hypophysitis. One (< 0.1%) of 1281 patients discontinued cemiplimab due to hypophysitis.

Among the 7 patients with hypophysitis, the median time to onset was 7.4 months (range: 2.5 months to 10.4 months) with a median duration of 2.7 months (range: 9 days to 34.9 months). Three of the 7 patients (42.9%) received high-dose corticosteroids. Resolution of hypophysitis had occurred in 1 (14.3%) of 7 patients at the time of data cutoff.

Type 1 diabetes mellitus without an alternative aetiology occurred in 1 (< 0.1%) of 1281 patients (Grade 4).

Immune-mediated skin adverse reactions

Immune-mediated skin adverse reactions occurred in 24 (1.9%) of 1281 patients receiving cemiplimab, including 11 (0.9%) patients with Grade 3 immune-mediated skin adverse reactions. Immune-mediated skin adverse reactions led to permanent discontinuation of cemiplimab in 3 (0.2%) of 1281 patients. Among the 24 patients with immune-mediated skin adverse reactions, the median time to onset was 2.0 months (range: 2 days to 17.0 months) and the median duration was 2.9 months (range: 8 days to 38.8 months). Seventeen of the 24 patients (70.8%) with immune-mediated skin adverse reactions received high-dose corticosteroids for a median of 10 days (range: 1 day to 2.9 months). Resolution of skin reaction had occurred in 17 (70.8%) of 24 patients at the time of data cutoff.

Immune-mediated nephritis

Immune-mediated nephritis occurred in 9 (0.7%) of 1281 patients receiving cemiplimab, including 1 (< 0.1%) patient with Grade 5, and 1 (< 0.1%) patient with Grade 3 immune-mediated nephritis. Immune-mediated nephritis led to permanent discontinuation of cemiplimab in 2 (0.2%) of

1281 patients. Among the 9 patients with immune-mediated nephritis, the median time to onset was 2.1 months (range: 14 days to 12.5 months) and the median duration of nephritis was 1.5 months (range: 9 days to 5.5 months). Six of the 9 patients (66.7%) with immune-mediated nephritis received high-dose corticosteroids for a median of 18 days (range: 3 days to 1.3 months). Resolution of nephritis had occurred in 7 (77.8%) of the 9 patients at the time of data cutoff.

Other immune-mediated adverse reactions

The following clinically significant, immune-mediated adverse reactions occurred at an incidence of less than 1% (unless otherwise noted) of 1281 patients treated with cemiplimab monotherapy. The events were Grade 3 or less unless stated otherwise:

Nervous system disorders: Aseptic meningitis, paraneoplastic encephalomyelitis (Grade 5), chronic inflammatory demyelinating polyradiculoneuropathy, encephalitis, myasthenia gravis, peripheral neuropathy^a

Cardiac Disorders: Myocarditis^b (Grade 5), pericarditis^c

Immune system disorders: Immune thrombocytopaenia

Musculoskeletal and connective tissue disorders: Arthralgia (1.2%), arthritis^d, muscular weakness, myalgia, myositis^e (Grade 4), polymyalgia rheumatica, Sjogren's syndrome

Skin and Subcutaneous Tissue Disorders: Pruritus

Eye disorders: Keratitis, Uveitis^f (Grade 4)

Gastrointestinal disorders: Stomatitis, immune-mediated gastritis, pancreatitis (Grade 4)

^{a.} includes neuritis, peripheral neuropathy, peripheral sensory neuropathy, and polyneuropathy

^{b.} includes autoimmune myocarditis, immune-mediated myocarditis, and myocarditis

^{c.} includes autoimmune pericarditis and pericarditis

^{d.} includes arthritis, immune-mediated arthritis, and polyarthritis

^{e.} includes myositis and dermatomyositis

^{f.} reported in clinical studies outside the pooled dataset

The following additional immune-mediated adverse reactions were observed in patients receiving combination therapy in clinical trials: vasculitis, Guillain-Barre syndrome, central nervous system inflammation, and meningitis (Grade 4), each with the frequency of rare.

Immune checkpoint inhibitor class effects

There have been cases of the following adverse reactions reported during treatment with other immune checkpoint inhibitors, which might also occur during treatment with cemiplimab: coeliac disease, pancreatic exocrine insufficiency.

Infusion-related reactions

Infusion-related reactions occurred in 94 (7.3%) of 1281 patients treated with cemiplimab monotherapy including 2 (0.2%) patients with Grade 3 or 4 infusion-related reactions. Infusion-related reaction led to permanent discontinuation of cemiplimab in 1 (< 0.1%) patient. Common symptoms of infusion-related reaction include nausea, pyrexia, and vomiting. Ninety-three of 94 (98.9%) patients recovered from the infusion-related reaction at the time of data cutoff.

Immunogenicity

As with all therapeutic proteins, there is a potential for immunogenicity with cemiplimab. In clinical studies with 1029 patients treated with cemiplimab, 2.1% of patients developed treatment-emergent antibodies, with approximately 0.3% exhibiting persistent antibody responses. No neutralising antibodies have been observed. There was no evidence of an altered pharmacokinetic or safety profile with anti-cemiplimab antibody development.

Reporting of suspected adverse reactions

Reporting suspected adverse reactions after authorisation of the medicinal product is important. It allows continued monitoring of the benefit/risk balance of the medicinal product. Any suspected adverse events should be reported to the Ministry of Health according to the National Regulation by using an online form <https://sideeffects.health.gov.il>

4.9 Overdose

In case of overdose, patients should be closely monitored for signs or symptoms of adverse reactions, and appropriate symptomatic treatment instituted.

5. PHARMACOLOGICAL PROPERTIES

5.1 Pharmacodynamic properties

Pharmacotherapeutic group: Antineoplastic agents, PD-1/PD-L1 (Programmed cell death protein 1/death ligand 1) inhibitors. ATC code: L01FF06

Mechanism of action

Cemiplimab is a fully human immunoglobulin G4 (IgG4) monoclonal antibody that binds to the programmed cell death-1 (PD-1) receptor and blocks its interaction with its ligands PD-L1 and PD-L2. Engagement of PD-1 with its ligands PD-L1 and PD-L2, which are expressed by antigen presenting cells and may be expressed by tumour cells and/or other cells in the tumour microenvironment, results in inhibition of T cell function such as proliferation, cytokine secretion, and cytotoxic activity. Cemiplimab potentiates T cell responses, including anti-tumour responses, through blockade of PD-1 binding to PD-L1 and PD-L2 ligands.

Clinical efficacy and safety

CSCC

Advanced CSCC

The efficacy and safety of cemiplimab in patients with mCSCC (nodal or distant) or laCSCC who were not candidates for curative surgery or curative radiation were studied in clinical trial R2810-ONC-1540 (Study 1540). Study 1540 was a phase 2, open-label, multi-centre study that enrolled 193 patients with mCSCC or laCSCC in Groups 1 to 3 with a combined median follow-up time of 15.7 months total. Median duration of follow-up was 18.5 months for the mCSCC 3 mg/kg every 2 weeks (Q2W) group (Group 1), 15.5 months for the laCSCC 3 mg/kg Q2W group (Group 2), 17.3 months for the mCSCC 350 mg Q3W group (Group 3). In an additional cohort of 165 advanced CSCC patients (mCSCC and laCSCC) dosed at 350 mg Q3W, the median duration of follow-up was 8.7 months (Group 6).

Patients with any of the following were excluded: autoimmune disease that required systemic therapy with immunosuppressant agents within 5 years; history of solid organ transplant; history of pneumonitis within the last 5 years; prior treatment with anti-PD-1/PD-L1 or other immune checkpoint inhibitor therapy; active infection requiring therapy, including known infection with human immunodeficiency virus (HIV), or active infection with hepatitis B or hepatitis C virus; chronic lymphocytic leukaemia (CLL); brain metastases or Eastern Cooperative Oncology Group (ECOG) performance score (PS) ≥ 2 .

In Study 1540, patients received cemiplimab intravenously until progression of disease, unacceptable toxicity or completion of planned treatment [3 mg/kg Q2W for 96 weeks (Groups 1 and 2) or 350 mg Q3W for 54 weeks (Group 3)]. If patients with locally advanced disease showed sufficient response to treatment, surgery with curative intent was permitted. Tumour response assessments were performed every 8 or 9 weeks (for patients receiving 3 mg/kg Q2W or 350 mg Q3W, respectively). The primary efficacy endpoint of Study 1540 was confirmed objective response rate (ORR), as assessed by independent central review (ICR). For patients with mCSCC without externally visible target lesions, ORR was determined by Response Evaluation Criteria in Solid Tumours (RECIST 1.1). For patients with externally visible target lesions (laCSCC and mCSCC), ORR was determined by a composite endpoint that integrated ICR assessments of radiologic data (RECIST 1.1) and digital medical photography (WHO criteria). The key secondary endpoint was duration of response (DOR) by ICR. Other secondary endpoints included ORR and DOR by investigator assessment (IA), progression free survival (PFS) by ICR and IA, overall survival (OS), complete response rate (CR) by ICR, and change in scores in patient reported outcomes on the European Organisation for Research and Treatment of Cancer (EORTC) Quality of Life Questionnaire Core 30 (EORTC QLQ-C30).

In the efficacy analysis of 193 patients with advanced CSCC from Study 1540 Groups 1 to 3, 115 had mCSCC and 78 had laCSCC. The median age was 72 years (range: 38 to 96): Seventy-eight (40.4%) patients were 75 years or older, 66 patients (34.2%) were 65 to less than 75 years, and 49 patients (25.4%) were less than 65 years. A total of 161 (83.4 %) patients were male, and 187 (96.9%) patients were White; the ECOG PS was 0 (44.6%) and 1 (55.4%). Thirty-three and 7/10 percent (33.7%) of patients had received at least 1 prior anti-cancer systemic therapy, 81.3% of patients had received prior cancer related surgery, and 67.9% of patients had received prior radiotherapy. Among patients with mCSCC, 76.5% had distant metastases, and 22.6% had only nodal metastases.

Efficacy results based on the final analysis of Study 1540 Groups 1 to 3 are presented in Table 3.

Table 3: Efficacy results – Study 1540 - metastatic CSCC by dosing group, locally advanced CSCC

Efficacy endpoints	mCSCC cemiplimab: 3 mg/kg every 2 weeks (Group 1) (N = 59)	laCSCC cemiplimab: 3 mg/kg every 2 weeks (Group 2) (N = 78)	mCSCC cemiplimab: 350 mg every 3 weeks (Group 3) (N = 56)
	ICR	ICR	ICR
Confirmed objective response rate (ORR)^a			
ORR	50.8%	44.9%	46.4%
95% CI for ORR	(37.5, 64.1)	(33.6, 56.6)	(33.0, 60.3)
Complete response (CR) ^b	20.3%	12.8%	19.6%
Partial response (PR)	30.5%	32.1%	26.8%
Stable disease (SD)	15.3%	34.6%	14.3%
Progressive disease (PD)	16.9%	12.8%	25.0%
Duration of response (DOR)			
Median ^c (months) (95% CI)	NR (20.7, NE)	41.9 (20.5, 54.6)	41.3 (40.8, 46.3)
Range (months)	2.8-38.9	1.9-54.6	4.2-46.3
Patients with DOR ≥ 6 months, %	93.3%	88.6%	96.2%
Time to response (TTR)			
Median (months) range (min:max)	1.9 (1.7: 21.8)	2.1 (1.8: 8.8)	2.1 (2.0: 22.8)
Progression-free survival (PFS)^{a, c}			
6 months (95% CI)	66.4% (52.5, 77.1)	72.4% (60.1, 81.5)	60.7% (46.7, 72.1)
12 months (95% CI)	53.8% (40.0, 65.8)	60.8% (47.8, 71.5)	53.4% (39.5, 65.4)
Overall survival (OS)^{a, c}			
12 months (95% CI)	81.3% (68.7, 89.2)	91.8% (82.6, 96.2)	72.5% (58.6, 82.5)

CI: Confidence interval; ICR: Independent Central Review; NR: Not reached; NE: Not evaluable.

^a In Groups 1, 2, and 3, median durations of follow-up were 18.5, 15.5, and 17.3 months, respectively.

^b Only includes patients with complete healing of prior cutaneous involvement; laCSCC patients in Study 1540 required biopsy to confirm CR.

^c Based on Kaplan Meier estimates.

Efficacy and PD-L1 status

Clinical activity was observed regardless of tumour PD-L1 expression status.

Adjuvant treatment of high-risk CSCC

The efficacy of cemiplimab was evaluated for the adjuvant treatment of patients with CSCC at high risk of recurrence after surgery followed by radiotherapy in the C-POST study, a randomised, doubleblind, multicentre, placebo-controlled phase 3 study. Study participants were at high risk of recurrence due to nodal features (extracapsular extension or ≥ 3 involved lymph nodes) and/or non-nodal features (in-transit metastases, T4 lesion, perineural invasion, or locally recurrent tumour with ≥ 1 additional adverse feature), and completed adjuvant radiation therapy within 2 to 10 weeks of randomisation.

The study excluded patients with autoimmune disease that required systemic therapy with immunosuppressant agents within 5 years; history of solid organ transplant; prior allogeneic or autologous stem cell transplantation; uncontrolled HIV, hepatitis B or hepatitis C infection, or ECOG PS ≥ 2. Patients with CLL were eligible if they had not required systemic therapy for CLL within 6 months.

In the C-POST study, 415 patients were randomised 1:1 to cemiplimab (N=209) or placebo (N=206). In Part 1, 334

patients were assigned to receive 350 mg cemiplimab (N=171) or placebo (N=163) intravenously every 3 weeks for 12 weeks, followed by 700 mg cemiplimab or placebo intravenously every 6 weeks for an additional 36 weeks, and 81 patients were assigned to receive 350 mg cemiplimab (N=38) or placebo (N=43) intravenously every 3 weeks for up to 48 weeks. Treatment continued until disease recurrence, unacceptable toxicity or up to 48 weeks.

In Part 2 of the study, which was open label and optional, patients who had a disease recurrence at any time during the study and were in the placebo arm had the option to receive subsequent treatment with cemiplimab at 350 mg intravenously every 3 weeks. Patients who had a disease recurrence ≥ 3 months after completing 48 weeks of planned cemiplimab treatment and were in the cemiplimab arm had the option to receive cemiplimab at 350 mg intravenously every 3 weeks. Patients could be treated for up to 96 weeks in Part 2.

The primary endpoint was disease-free survival (DFS) defined as time from randomisation to the first documented disease recurrence by investigator assessment or death due to any cause. Imaging assessments were performed at the end of each 12-week cycle during the 48 weeks. During the followup period, imaging was conducted every 4 months during the first 2 years of planned follow-up and every 6 months thereafter until recurrence.

The study population characteristics were: median age of 71 years (range: 33 to 95); 83.9% male; 91.1% White, 3.1% Asian; 63.6% had ECOG PS 0 and 36.4% had ECOG PS 1. The location of tumour was head and neck (HN) in 82.7 % and non-HN in 17.3% of patients. The high-risk feature was nodal in 58.3% of patients and exclusively non-nodal in 41.7% of patients.

Efficacy results for C-POST study are shown in Table 4 and Figure 1.

Table 4: Efficacy results for the C-POST study in high-risk CSCC in the adjuvant setting primary analysis

Efficacy Endpoints ^a	Cemiplimab	Placebo
	N = 209	N = 206
Disease-Free Survival (DFS)		
Number of events, n (%)	24 (11.5%)	65 (31.6%)
Disease recurrences, n (%)	18 (8.6%)	61 (29.6%)
Deaths, n (%) ^b	6 (2.9%)	4 (1.9%)
Median (95% CI) in months ^c	NR (NE, NE)	49.4 (48.5, NE)
Hazard ratio (95% CI) ^d	0.32 (0.20, 0.51)	
p-value ^e	<0.0001	

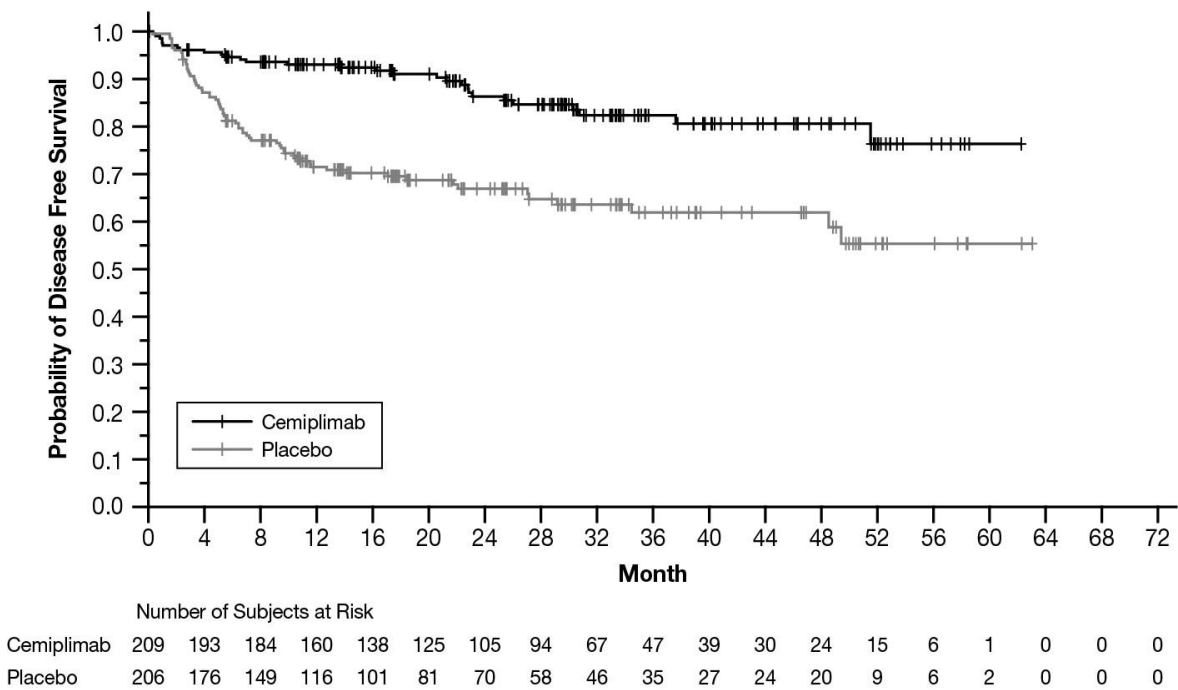
CI: Confidence interval; NE: Not evaluable; NR: Not reached (Data cutoff-Oct 4, 2024)

- a. Median duration of follow-up: cemiplimab: 24.5 months; placebo: 23.8 months
- b. Deaths that were counted as DFS events as assessed by investigator; does not include deaths in patients who previously had recurrence
- c. Based on Kaplan-Meier method
- d. Based on stratified proportional hazards model
- e. Based on a two-sided p-value

At the time of the updated analysis (data cutoff Apr 07, 2025), 29 (13.9%) DFS events in the cemiplimab group and 68 (33.0%) DFS events in the placebo group were reported at a median follow-up of 31 months in the cemiplimab

group and 30 months in the placebo group (HR 0.35; 95% CI 0.23, 0.55). OS results were not mature at the time of pre-specified primary analysis.

Figure 1: DFS in the C-POST study in high-risk CSCC in the adjuvant setting-updated analysis^a



^a Based on updated analysis (Data cutoff Apr 07, 2025)

BCC

The efficacy and safety of cemiplimab in patients with laBCC or mBCC who had progressed on HHI therapy, were intolerant of prior HHI therapy, or had no better than SD after 9 months on HHI therapy (exclusive of treatment breaks), were evaluated in Study 1620, an open-label, multi-centre, non-randomised study. The study excluded patients with autoimmune disease that required systemic therapy with immunosuppressant agents within 5 years; history of solid organ transplant; prior treatment with anti-PD-1/PD-L1 therapy or other immune checkpoint inhibitor therapy; infection with HIV, hepatitis B or hepatitis C; or ECOG performance score (PS) ≥ 2.

Patients received cemiplimab 350 mg intravenously every 3 weeks for 5 cycles of 9 weeks followed by 4 cycles of 12 weeks up to 93 weeks of treatment. Treatment continued until disease progression, unacceptable toxicity or completion of planned treatment. Tumour assessments were performed every 9 weeks during cycles 1 to 5 and every 12 weeks during cycles 6 to 9. The major efficacy endpoints were confirmed ORR and DOR as assessed by ICR. Secondary efficacy outcomes included ORR and DOR by IA, PFS, OS, CR by ICR, and time to response. For patients with mBCC without externally visible target lesions, ORR was determined by RECIST 1.1. For patients with externally visible target lesions (laBCC and mBCC), ORR was determined by a composite endpoint that integrated ICR assessments of radiologic data (RECIST 1.1) and digital medical photography (WHO criteria).

A total of 138 patients with advanced BCC were included in the efficacy analysis of Study 1620, 84 patients with laBCC and 54 patients with mBCC.

In the laBCC group, the median age was 70.0 years (range: 42 to 89); 31 (37%) patients were <65 years old and 53 (63%) were 65 years or older. A total of 56 (67%) were male and 57 (68%) were White; the ECOG PS was 0 (61%) and 1 (39%); Eighty-three per cent (83%) of patients had received at least 1 prior cancer-related surgery and 35% of patients had >3 prior cancer-related surgeries (median: 3.0 surgeries, range: 1 to 43); 50% of patients had received at least 1 prior anti-cancer radiotherapy (RT) (median: 1.0 RT, range: 1 to 6).

In the mBCC group, the median age was 63.5 years (range: 38 to 90): 27 (50%) patients were <65 years old and 27 (50%) were 65 years or older. A total of 38 (70%) were male and 47 (87%) were White; the ECOG PS was 0 (67%) and 1 (33%); Eighty-five per cent (85%) of patients had received at least 1 prior cancer-related surgery and 28% of patients had >3 prior cancer-related surgeries (median: 2.0 surgeries, range: 1 to 8); 59% of patients had received at least 1 prior anti-cancer radiotherapy (RT) (median: 1.0 RT, range: 1 to 4).

All 138 patients were previously treated with a HHI, and 12% (16/138) of patients were previously treated with both vismodegib and sonidegib (as separate lines of therapy). Of the 84 laBCC patients, 71% (60/84) of patients discontinued HHI therapy due to disease progression, 38% (32/84) of patients discontinued HHI therapy due to intolerance and 2% (2/84) discontinued solely due to lack of response. Of the 54 mBCC patients, 76% (41/54) of patients discontinued HHI therapy due to disease progression, 33% (18/54) of patients discontinued HHI therapy due to intolerance, and 6% (3/54) discontinued solely due to lack of response. Investigators could select more than one reason for discontinuation of prior HHI therapy for an individual patient.

Efficacy results are presented in Table 5.

Table 5: Efficacy results for Study 1620 in locally advanced and metastatic basal cell carcinoma

Efficacy endpoints	laBCC cemiplimab 350 mg every 3 weeks	mBCC cemiplimab 350 mg every 3 weeks
	N=84	N=54
	ICR	ICR
Best overall response (BOR)^{a, b, c}		
Objective response rate (ORR: CR+ PR) (95% CI)	27 (32.1%) (22.4, 43.2)	12 (22.2%) (12.0, 35.6)
Complete response (CR) rate ^d (95 % CI)	6 (7.1%) (2.7, 14.9)	1 (1.9%) (0.0, 9.9)
Partial response (PR) rate	21 (25.0%)	11 (20.4%)
Progressive disease (PD) rate	9 (10.7%)	16 (29.6%)
Duration of response (DOR)	N=27 responders	N=12 responders
Median ^e (months) (95% CI)	NR (15.5, NE)	16.7 (9.8, NE)
Range (observed) (months)	2.1 – 36.8+	9.0 – 25.8+
Patients with DOR ≥ 6 months, % ^e (95% CI)	88.5% (68.4, 96.1)	100.0% (100, 100)
Time to response (TTR)	N=27 responders	N=12 responders
Median (months) (Range)	4.3 (2.1 - 21.4)	3.1 (2.0 – 10.5)

CI: Confidence interval; +: Denotes ongoing at last assessment; ICR: Independent Central Review; NR: Not reached; NE: Not evaluable

a. Median duration of follow-up: laBCC: 15.9 months, mBCC: 8.4 months.

b. Includes 2 laBCC patients who met the inclusion criteria solely on the basis of “No better than stable disease (SD) after 9 months on HHI therapy”. BOR results by ICR were SD for 1 patient and NE for 1 patient.

c. Includes 3 mBCC patients who met the inclusion criteria solely on the basis of “No better than SD after 9 months on HHI therapy”. BOR results by ICR were PR for 1 patient and SD for 2 patients.

d. Locally advanced BCC patients in Study 1620 required biopsy to confirm complete response.

e. Based on Kaplan Meier estimates.

Efficacy and PD-L1 status

Clinical activity was observed regardless of tumour PD-L1 expression status.

NSCLC

First-line treatment of NSCLC with LIBTAYO in combination with platinum-based chemotherapy

The safety of LIBTAYO in combination with platinum-based chemotherapy was evaluated in 465 patients with locally advanced or metastatic NSCLC in Study 16113 [see Clinical Studies (14.3)]. Patients received LIBTAYO 350 mg every 3 weeks plus platinum-based chemotherapy every 3 weeks for 4 cycles (n=312), or placebo every 3 weeks plus platinum-based chemotherapy every 3 weeks for 4 cycles (n=153). Among patients who received LIBTAYO, 70% were exposed for 6 months or longer and 35% were exposed for greater than one year. The safety population characteristics were: median age of 63 years (25 to 82 years), 41% of patients 65 or older, 86% male, 86% White, 14% Asian, 86% had metastatic disease and 14% had locally advanced disease and Eastern Cooperative Oncology Group (ECOG) Performance Status (PS) of 0 (16%) and 1 (83%). Serious adverse reactions occurred in 25% of patients. The most frequent serious adverse reactions that occurred in at least 2% of patients were pneumonia, anemia, and neutropenia. Fatal adverse reactions occurred in 6% of patients who received LIBTAYO in combination with chemotherapy, including death not otherwise specified (2.9%), sudden death (1.0%), acute hepatitis (0.3%), acute respiratory distress syndrome (0.3%), mesenteric artery thrombosis (0.3%), pneumonia (0.3%), pneumonitis (0.3%), and pulmonary hemorrhage (0.3%). LIBTAYO was permanently discontinued due to adverse reactions in 5% of patients. Adverse reactions resulting in permanent discontinuation in at least 2 patients were increased alanine aminotransferase and anemia. Dosage interruptions of LIBTAYO due to an adverse reaction occurred in 33% of patients. Adverse reactions which required dosage interruptions in at least 2% of patients were anemia, pneumonia, neutropenia, thrombocytopenia, fatigue, COVID-19 infection, and pyrexia. The most common ($\geq 15\%$) adverse reactions were alopecia, musculoskeletal pain, nausea, fatigue, peripheral neuropathy, and decreased appetite. The most common Grade 3-4 laboratory abnormalities ($\geq 2\%$) were anemia, neutropenia, lymphopenia, leukopenia, hyponatremia, thrombocytopenia, hyperglycemia, hypophosphatemia, increased alanine aminotransferase, hypocalcemia, hyperkalemia, hypermagnesemia, hypokalemia, and increased creatinine.

The efficacy of LIBTAYO in combination with platinum-based chemotherapy was evaluated in Study 16113 (NCT03409614), a randomized, multi-center, double-blind, active-controlled trial in 466 patients with locally advanced NSCLC who were not candidates for surgical resection or definitive chemoradiation or with metastatic NSCLC who had not previously received systemic treatment for metastatic NSCLC. Patients were eligible regardless of tumor PD-L1 expression status.

Patients with EGFR, ALK or ROS1 genomic tumor aberrations; a medical condition that required systemic immunosuppression; or ongoing or recent autoimmune disease that required systemic therapy were ineligible. Patients with a history of brain metastases were eligible if they had been adequately treated and had neurologically returned to baseline for at least 2 weeks prior to randomization.

Randomization was stratified by histology (non-squamous vs squamous) and PD-L1 expression

(<1% versus 1% to 49% versus $\geq 50\%$) according to the VENTANA PD-L1 (SP263) assay. Patients were randomized (2:1) to receive either:

- LIBTAYO 350 mg intravenously (IV) every 3 weeks for 108 weeks plus platinum-based chemotherapy every 3 weeks for 4 cycles, or
- placebo IV every 3 weeks for 108 weeks plus platinum-based chemotherapy every 3 weeks for 4 cycles.

Platinum-based chemotherapy in either arm consisted of carboplatin AUC of 5 or 6 and paclitaxel 200 mg/m²; cisplatin 75 mg/m² and paclitaxel 200 mg/m²; carboplatin AUC of 5 or 6 and pemetrexed 500 mg/m²; or cisplatin 75 mg/m² and pemetrexed 500 mg/m². Maintenance pemetrexed was mandatory for patients with non-squamous NSCLC who received a pemetrexed-containing chemotherapy regimen in the first 4 treatment cycles.

Study treatment continued until RECIST 1.1-defined progressive disease, unacceptable toxicity, or 108 weeks. Assessment of tumor status was performed every 9 weeks during year 1 and every 12 weeks after year 1. The major efficacy outcome measure was overall survival (OS).

Additional efficacy outcome measures were progression-free survival (PFS) and overall response rate (ORR) as assessed by blinded independent central review (BICR).

The study population characteristics were: median age of 63 years (range: 25 to 84), 40% age 65 or older; 84% male; 87% White, 13% Asian. Fifteen percent had Eastern Cooperative Oncology Group (ECOG) Performance Status (PS) 0 and 84% had ECOG PS 1; 85% had metastatic disease and 15% had stage IIIB or IIIC disease and

were not candidates for surgical resection or definitive chemoradiation per investigator assessment; 57% had non-squamous and 43% had squamous histology; and 7% had history of treated brain metastases at baseline.

The trial demonstrated a statistically significant improvement in OS for patients randomized to LIBTAYO in combination with chemotherapy compared with placebo in combination with chemotherapy.

Efficacy results are presented in [Table 6](#) and [Figure 2](#).

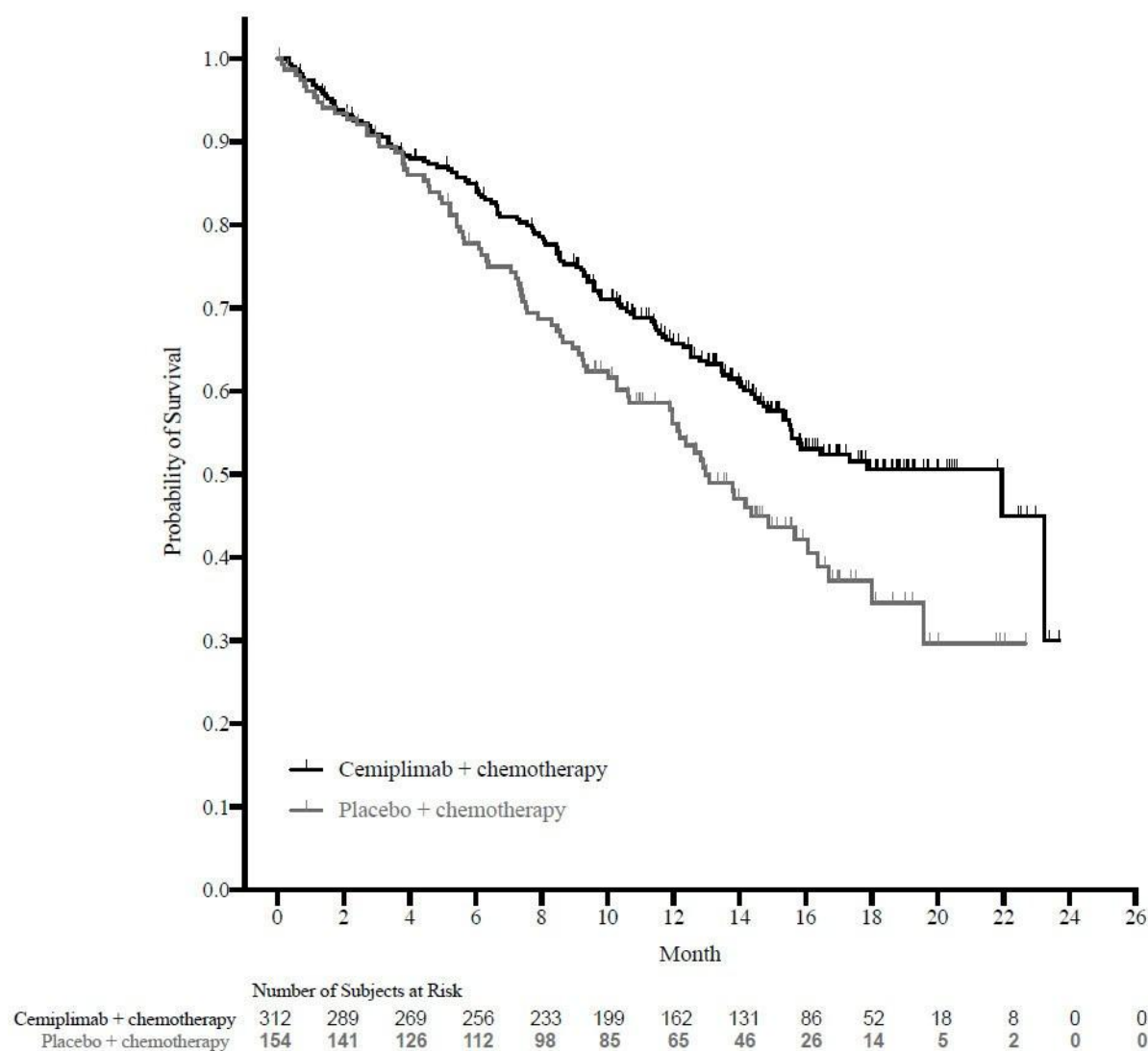
Table 6: Efficacy Results from Study 16113 in Non-Small Cell Lung Cancer

Endpoints	LIBTAYO and Chemotherapy N=312	Placebo and Chemotherapy N=154
Overall Survival		
Deaths, n (%)	132 (42)	82 (53)
Median in months (95% CI) ^a	21.9 (15.5, NE)	13.0 (11.9, 16.1)
Hazard ratio (95% CI) ^b	0.71 (0.53, 0.93)	
p-value ^c	0.0140	
Progression-free Survival per BICR		
Events, n (%)	204 (65)	122 (79)
Median in months (95% CI) ^a	8.2 (6.4, 9.3)	5.0 (4.3, 6.2)
Hazard ratio (95% CI) ^b	0.56 (0.44, 0.70)	
p-value ^c	<0.0001	
Overall Response Rate per BICR (%)		
ORR (95% CI) ^d	43 (38, 49)	23 (16, 30)
Complete response (CR) rate	2.6	0
Partial response (PR) rate	41	23
p-value ^c	<0.0001	
Duration of Response per BICR		
Median in months ^a (range)	15.6 (1.7, 18.7+)	7.3 (1.8, 18.8+)

BICR: blinded independent central review, CI: confidence interval; NE: Not evaluable; +: Ongoing response

- a. Based on Kaplan-Meier method
- b. Based on stratified proportional hazards model
- c. Based on a two-sided p-value
- d. Clopper-Pearson exact confidence interval

Figure 2: Kaplan-Meier Curves for OS from Study 16113



First-line treatment of NSCLC with LIBTAYO as a single agent

The safety of LIBTAYO was evaluated in 355 patients with locally advanced or metastatic NSCLC in Study 1624 [see Clinical Studies (14.3)]. Patients received LIBTAYO 350 mg every 3 weeks (n=355) or investigator's choice of chemotherapy (n=342), consisting of paclitaxel plus cisplatin or carboplatin; gemcitabine plus cisplatin or carboplatin; or pemetrexed plus cisplatin or carboplatin followed by optional pemetrexed maintenance. The median duration of exposure was 27.3 weeks (9 days to 115 weeks) in the LIBTAYO group and 17.7 weeks (18 days to 86.7 weeks) in the chemotherapy group. In the LIBTAYO group, 54% of patients were exposed to LIBTAYO for ≥ 6 months and 22% were exposed for ≥ 12 months.

The safety population characteristics were: median age of 63 years (31 to 79 years), 44% of patients 65 or older, 88% male, 86% White, 82% had metastatic disease and 18% had locally advanced disease and ECOG performance score (PS) of 0 (27%) and 1 (73%).

LIBTAYO was permanently discontinued due to adverse reactions in 6% of patients; adverse reactions resulting in permanent discontinuation in at least 2 patients were pneumonitis, pneumonia, ischemic stroke and increased aspartate aminotransferase. Serious adverse reactions occurred in 28% of patients. The most frequent serious adverse reactions in at least 2% of patients were pneumonia and pneumonitis.

The efficacy of LIBTAYO was evaluated in Study 1624 (NCT03088540), a randomized, multi-center, open-label, active-controlled trial in 710 patients with locally advanced NSCLC who were not candidates for surgical

resection or definitive chemoradiation, or with metastatic NSCLC.

Only patients whose tumors had high PD-L1 expression [Tumor Proportion Score (TPS) $\geq 50\%$] as determined by an immunohistochemistry assay using the PD-L1 IHC 22C3 pharmDx kit and who had not received prior systemic treatment for metastatic NSCLC were eligible.

Patients with EGFR, ALK or ROS1 genomic tumor aberrations; a medical condition that required systemic immunosuppression; autoimmune disease that required systemic therapy within 2 years of treatment; or who had never smoked were ineligible. Patients with a history of brain metastases were eligible if they had been adequately treated and had neurologically returned to baseline for at least 2 weeks prior to randomization.

Randomization was stratified by histology (non-squamous vs squamous) and geographic region (Europe vs Asia vs Rest of world). Patients were randomized (1:1) to receive LIBTAYO 350 mg intravenously (IV) every 3 weeks for up to 108 weeks or a platinum-doublet chemotherapy regimen for 4 to 6 cycles followed by optional pemetrexed maintenance for patients with non- squamous histology who received a pemetrexed containing regimen.

Treatment with LIBTAYO continued until RECIST 1.1-defined progressive disease, unacceptable toxicity, or up to 108 weeks. Patients who experienced IRC-assessed RECIST 1.1- defined progressive disease on LIBTAYO therapy were permitted to continue treatment with LIBTAYO (up to an additional 108 weeks) with the addition of 4 cycles of histology-specific chemotherapy until further progression was observed. Of the 203 patients randomized to receive chemotherapy who had IRC-assessed RECIST 1.1- defined disease progression, 150 (74%) patients crossed over to treatment with LIBTAYO. Assessment of tumor status was performed every 9 weeks. The major efficacy outcome measures were overall survival (OS) and progression-free survival (PFS). An additional efficacy outcome measure was overall response rate (ORR).

The study population characteristics were: median age of 63 years (range: 31 to 84), 45% age 65 or older; 85% male; 86% White, 11% Asian; and 0.6% Black. Nine percent were Hispanic or Latino. Twenty-seven percent had ECOG PS 0 and 73% had ECOG PS 1; 84% had metastatic disease and 16% had stage IIIB or IIIC disease and were not candidates for surgical resection or definitive chemoradiation per investigator assessment; 56% had non-squamous and 44% had squamous histology; and 12% had history of treated brain metastases at baseline.

The trial demonstrated a statistically significant improvement in OS and PFS for patients randomized to LIBTAYO as compared with chemotherapy.

Efficacy results are presented in [Table 7](#) and [Figure3](#).

Table 7: Efficacy Results from Study 1624 in Non-Small Cell Lung Cancer

Endpoints	LIBTAYO N=356	Chemotherapy N=354
Overall Survival		
Number of deaths (%)	108 (30)	141 (40)
Median in months (95% CI) ^a	22.1 (17.7, NE)	14.3 (11.7, 19.2)
Hazard ratio (95% CI) ^b	0.68 (0.53, 0.87)	
p-value	0.0022	
Progression-free Survival per BICR		
Number of events (%)	201 (57)	262 (74)
Median in months (95% CI) ^a	6.2 (4.5, 8.3)	5.6 (4.5, 6.1)
Hazard ratio (95% CI) ^b	0.59 (0.49, 0.72)	
p-value	<0.0001	
Overall Response Rate per BICR (%) ^c		
ORR (95% CI)	37 (32, 42)	21 (17, 25)
Complete response (CR) rate	3	1
Partial response (PR) rate	33	20
Duration of Response per BICR		
Median in months (range)	21.0 (1.9+, 23.3+)	6.0 (1.3+, 16.5+)

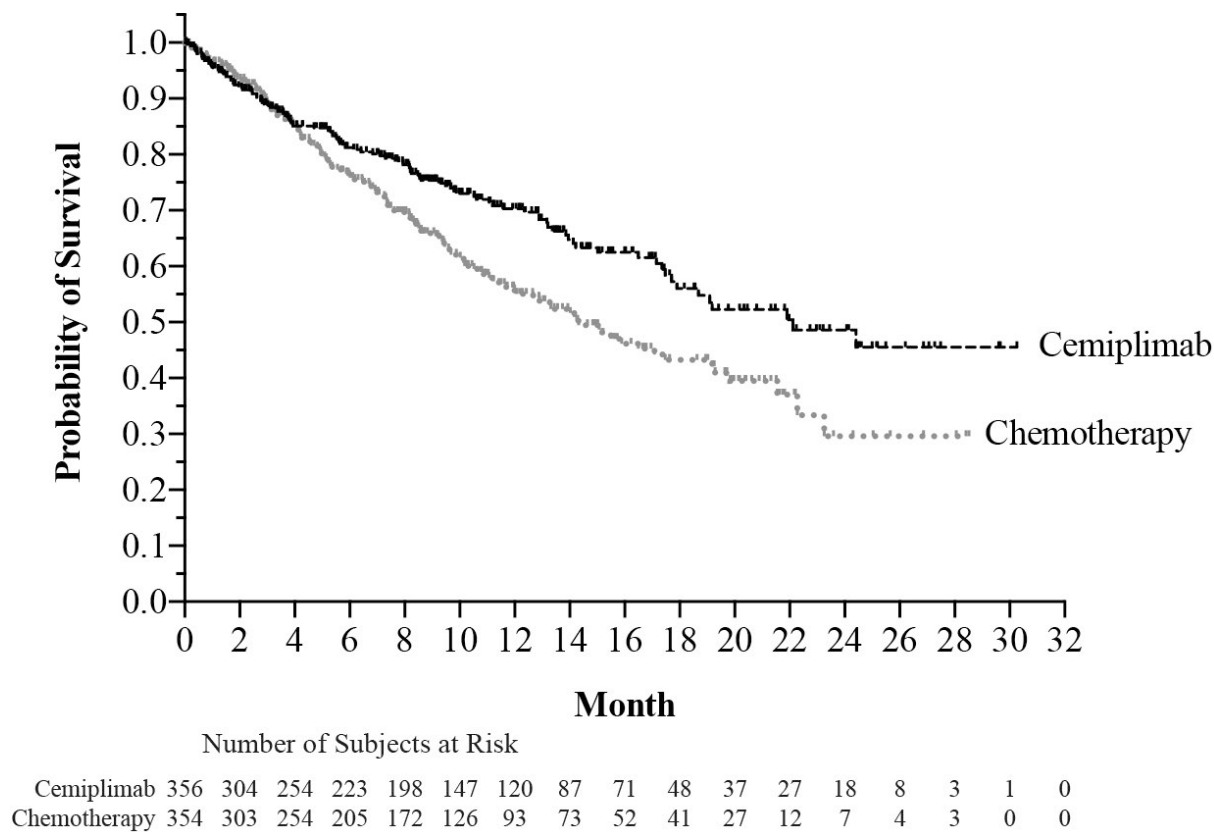
BICR: blinded independent central review, CI: confidence interval; NE: Not evaluable; +: Ongoing response

a. Based on Kaplan-Meier method

b. Based on stratified proportional hazards model

c. Clopper-Pearson exact confidence interval

Figure 3: Kaplan-Meier Curve for OS from Study 1624



Elderly population

Monotherapy

Of the 1281 patients treated with cemiplimab monotherapy in clinical studies, 52.2% (669/1281) were less than 65 years, 25.9% (332/1281) were 65 to less than 75 years, and 21.9% (280/1281) were 75 years or older.

No overall differences in efficacy were observed between elderly patients and younger patients. There was a trend towards a higher frequency of serious adverse events and discontinuations due to adverse events in patients 65 years and older compared with patients aged less than 65 years treated with cemiplimab monotherapy.

Combination therapy

Of the 312 patients treated with cemiplimab in combination with chemotherapy, 59% (184/312) were less than 65 years, 35.3% (110/312) were 65 to less than 75 years, and 5.8% (18/312) were 75 years or older.

No overall differences in safety or efficacy were observed between elderly patients and younger patients treated with cemiplimab in combination with platinum-based chemotherapy.

5.2 Pharmacokinetic properties

Concentration data from 1063 patients with various solid tumours who received intravenous cemiplimab were combined in a population PK analysis.

At 350 mg Q3W, the mean cemiplimab concentrations at steady-state ranged between a C_{trough} of 59 mg/l and a concentration at end of infusion (C_{max}) of 171 mg/l. Steady-state exposure is achieved after approximately 4 months of treatment.

Cemiplimab exposure at steady-state in patients with solid tumours is similar at 350 mg Q3W and at 3 mg/kg Q2W.

In patients with high risk CSCC, the mean simulated concentrations were generated using an updated population PK model and 1000 virtual patients per regimen. In these patients, at 350 mg Q3W for 12 weeks followed by 700 mg Q6W for 36 additional weeks, the mean cemiplimab concentrations at steady-state ranged between a C_{trough} of 52.5 mg/l and a concentration at end of infusion (C_{max}) of 233 mg/l while at 350 mg Q3W for 48 weeks, the mean cemiplimab concentrations at steady-state ranged between a C_{trough} of 66.3 mg/l and a concentration at end of infusion (C_{max}) of 154 mg/l.

Absorption

Cemiplimab is administered via the intravenous route and hence is completely bioavailable.

Distribution

Cemiplimab is primarily distributed in the vascular system with a volume of distribution at steady-state (V_{ss}) of 5.9 l. Median T_{max} occurs at the end of the 30-minute infusion.

Biotransformation

Specific metabolism studies were not conducted because cemiplimab is a protein. Cemiplimab is expected to degrade to small peptides and individual amino acids.

Elimination

Clearance of cemiplimab is linear at doses of 1 mg/kg to 10 mg/kg every two weeks. Cemiplimab clearance after the first dose is approximately 0.25 l/day. The total clearance appears to decrease by approximately 11% over time, resulting in a steady state clearance (CL_{ss}) of 0.22 l/day; the decrease in CL is not considered clinically relevant. The within dosing interval half-life at steady state is 22 days.

Linearity/non-linearity

At the dosing regimens of 1 mg/kg to 10 mg/kg every two weeks, pharmacokinetics of cemiplimab were

linear and dose proportional, suggesting saturation of the systemic target-mediated pathway.

Special populations

A population PK analysis suggests that the following factors have no clinically significant effect on the exposure of cemiplimab: age, gender, body weight, race, cancer type, albumin level, renal impairment, and mild to moderate hepatic impairment.

Renal impairment

The effect of renal impairment on the exposure of cemiplimab was evaluated by a population PK analysis in patients with mild (CLcr 60 to 89 ml/min; n= 396), moderate (CLcr 30 to 59 ml/min; n= 166), or severe (CLcr 15 to 29 ml/min; n= 7) renal impairment. No clinically important differences in the exposure of cemiplimab were found between patients with renal impairment and patients with normal renal function. Cemiplimab has not been studied in patients with CLcr <21 ml/min (see section 4.2).

Hepatic impairment

The effect of hepatic impairment on the exposure of cemiplimab was evaluated by population PK analysis in patients with mild hepatic impairment (n= 22) (total bilirubin [TB] greater than 1.0 to 1.5 times the upper limit of normal [ULN] and any aspartate aminotransferase [AST]) and patients with moderate hepatic impairment (n=3) (total bilirubin >1.5 times ULN up to 3.0 times ULN) and any AST; no clinically important differences in the exposure of cemiplimab were found compared to patients with normal hepatic function. Cemiplimab has not been studied in patients with severe hepatic impairment. There are insufficient data in patients with severe hepatic impairment for dosing recommendations (see section 4.2).

5.3 Preclinical safety data

No studies have been performed to test the potential of cemiplimab for carcinogenicity or genotoxicity. Animal reproduction studies have not been conducted with cemiplimab (see section 4.6). As reported in the literature, PD-1/PD-L1 signalling pathway plays a role in sustaining pregnancy by maintaining immunological tolerance and studies have shown that PD-1 receptor blockade results in early termination of pregnancy. The increase of spontaneous abortion and/or resorption in animals with restricted PD-L1 expression (knock-out or anti-PD-1/PD-L1 monoclonal antibodies) has been shown in both mice and monkeys. These animal species have similar maternal-foetal interface to that in humans.

6. PHARMACEUTICAL PARTICULARS

6.1 List of excipients

Sucrose
L-proline
Polysorbate 80
L-histidine monohydrochloride monohydrate
L-histidine
Water for injections

6.2 Incompatibilities

In the absence of compatibility studies, this medicinal product must not be mixed with other medicinal products except those mentioned in section 6.6.

6.3 Shelf life

The expiry date of the product is indicated on the packaging materials.

After opening

Once opened, the medicinal product should be diluted and infused immediately (see section 6.6 for instructions on dilution of the medicinal product before administration).

After preparation of infusion

Once prepared, administer the diluted solution immediately. If diluted solution is not administered immediately, it may be stored temporarily either:

- at room temperature up to 25°C for no more than 8 hours from the time of preparation. This includes room temperature storage of the infusion solution in the intravenous container and time for administration of the infusion.
- Or
- under refrigeration at 2°C to 8°C for no more than 10 days from the time of infusion preparation. Allow the diluted solution to come to room temperature prior to administration.

Do not freeze. Do not shake.

6.4 Special precautions for storage

Unopened vial

Store in a refrigerator (2°C to 8°C).

Do not freeze.

Store in the original carton in order to protect from light.

For storage conditions after first opening or dilution of the medicinal product, see section 6.3.

6.5 Nature and contents of container

LIBTAYO is provided in a 10 ml clear Type 1 glass vial, with a grey chlorobutyl stopper with FluroTec coating and seal cap with a flip-off button.

Each carton contains 1 vial.

6.6 Special precautions for disposal and other handling

Preparation and administration

- Visually inspect medicinal product for particulate matter and discoloration prior to administration. LIBTAYO is a clear to slightly opalescent, colorless to pale yellow solution that may contain trace amounts of translucent to white particles.
- Discard the vial if the solution is cloudy, discoloured or contains extraneous particulate matter other than a few translucent to white particles.
- Do not shake the vial.
- Withdraw 7 ml (350 mg) from the vial of LIBTAYO and transfer into an intravenous infusion bag containing sodium chloride 9 mg/ml (0.9%) solution for injection or glucose 50 mg/ml (5%) solution for injection. Mix the diluted solution by gentle inversion. Do not shake the solution. The final concentration of the diluted solution should be between 1 mg/ml to 20 mg/ml. Use 2 vials for doses of 700 mg.
- LIBTAYO is administered by intravenous infusion over 30 minutes through an intravenous line containing a sterile, non-pyrogenic, low-protein binding, in-line or add-on filter (0.2 micron to 5 micron pore size).
- Do not co-administer other medicinal products through the same infusion line.

LIBTAYO is for single use only. Dispose of any unused medicinal product or waste material in accordance with local requirements.

7. IMPORTER and MARKETING AUTHORISATION HOLDER

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