

LBA9 IMpower150: An exploratory analysis of efficacy outcomes in patients with EGFR mutations

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Background: Atezolizumab (atezo; anti-PD-L1) inhibits PD-L1 to restore anticancer immunity; bevacizumab (bev) may enhance atezo efficacy by inhibiting VEGF immunosuppression and promoting T-cell tumour infiltration. Atezo + bev + chemotherapy (chemo) prolonged PFS and OS vs bev + CP in pts with first-line nonsquamous

Table: LBA9

	mOS, mo			HR (95% CI)	
	ABCP	ACP	BCP	ABCP vs BCP	ACP vs BCP
EGFR-mt	NE n = 34	21.4 n = 45	18.7 n = 45	0.61 (0.29, 1.28)	0.93 (0.51, 1.68)
Sensitising EGFR mutation ^a	NE n = 26	21.2 n = 33	17.5 n = 32	0.31 (0.11, 0.83)	0.90 (0.47, 1.74)
Received prior TKI therapy	NE n = 22	18.4 n = 27	17.5 n = 28	0.39 (0.14, 1.07)	0.99 (0.49, 1.98)
				mPFS, mo	
EGFR-mt	10.2 n = 34	6.9 n = 45	6.9 n = 45	0.61 (0.36, 1.03)	1.14 (0.73, 1.78)
Sensitising EGFR mutation ^a	10.3 n = 26	6.0 n = 33	6.1 n = 32	0.41 (0.23, 0.75)	1.01 (0.61, 1.70)
Received prior TKI therapy	9.7 n = 22	5.7 n = 27	6.1 n = 28	0.42 (0.22, 0.80)	1.20 (0.69, 2.09)

^aSensitising EGFR mutations are defined as exon 19 deletions or L858R mutations. NE, not estimable.

NSCLC in the randomised Ph III IMpower150 study, including pts with EGFR or ALK genomic alterations. Here, we further analyse the efficacy of atezo and/or bev with chemo in pts with EGFR mutations (EGFR-mt) in this study.

Methods: The 1202 enrolled pts received atezo (A) 1200 mg + bev (B) 15 mg/kg + carboplatin (C) AUC 6 + paclitaxel (P) 200 mg/m² (ABCP) or A + C + P (ACP) or B + C + P (BCP) by IV q3w for 4 or 6 cycles per investigator (INV) decision, then q3w maintenance with atezo + bev, atezo or bev, respectively. Co-primary endpoints were OS and INV-assessed PFS in the ITT-wild-type population (excluded pts with EGFR or ALK genomic alterations). Exploratory analyses included OS and INV-assessed PFS in pts with EGFR-mt disease, pts with sensitising EGFR mutations and pts with EGFR-mt disease who had prior TKI therapy.

Results: These data represent ≥ 20-mo follow-up (data cutoff: 22 Jan 2018) in the ITT population. 124 pts were EGFR-mt, including 91 with a sensitising mutation. Baseline characteristics of EGFR-mt pts across the treatment arms were generally comparable to the ITT population. OS was improved with ABCP vs BCP in EGFR-mt pts, especially in pts with sensitising EGFR mutations (HR, 0.31 [95% CI: 0.11, 0.83]). This benefit extended to PFS (HR, 0.41 [95% CI: 0.23, 0.75]). See table for full efficacy results. Safety was similar between the EGFR-mt subgroup and the ITT population.

Conclusions: IMpower150 is the first randomised Ph III trial of a checkpoint inhibitor to show a benefit in pretreated EGFR-mt pts. Adding atezo to standard-of-care bev and chemo provided survival benefit in EGFR-mt pts who have failed TKIs, for whom this regimen may represent a new treatment option.

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