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## Main Information

**Primary registry identifying number**

LBCTR2019020196

**Protocol number**

CLAG525B2101

**MOH registration number**

33223/2018

**Study registered at the country of origin**

Yes

**Study registered at the country of origin: Specify****Type of registration**

Retrospective

**Type of registration: Justify**

LCTR was recently initiated, original file was previously submitted by Paper

**Date of registration in national regulatory agency**

06/08/2018

**Primary sponsor**

Novartis Pharma Services Inc.

**Primary sponsor: Country of origin**

Novartis Pharmaceuticals

**Date of registration in primary registry**

11/11/2021

**Date of registration in national regulatory agency**

06/08/2018

**Public title**

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**Acronym****Scientific title**

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**Acronym****Brief summary of the study: English**

The purpose of this study is to assess the efficacy, safety, and PK characteristics of the following three combinations: i) LAG525 + spartalizumab; ii) LAG525 + spartalizumab + carboplatin, and iii) LAG525 + carboplatin in subjects with advanced TNBC and up to one prior line of systemic treatment for metastatic disease. A thorough biomarker strategy to address key aspects of tumor immunogenicity will be implemented in the study.

**Brief summary of the study: Arabic**



دراسة مرحلة ثانية مفتوحة اللصاقة وعشوائية التوزيع ومتعددة المراكز من ثلاث مجموعات حول دواء LAG525 (PDR001) المعطى بالاشتراك مع دواء سبارتاليزوماب (PDR001) أو مع سبارتاليزوماب وكاربوبلاتين، أو مع كاربوبلاتين، كعلاج أساسي أو كعلاج خيار ثان لدى المرضى المصابين بسرطان الثدي الثلاثي، السليبي المتقدم

**Health conditions/problem studied: Specify**

Triple Negative Breast Cancer

**Interventions: Specify**

LAG525/ PDR001/ Carboplatin

**Key inclusion and exclusion criteria: Inclusion criteria**

- 1-Patient has advanced (loco-regionally recurrent not amenable to curative therapy or metastatic) breast cancer.
- 2-Patient must have measurable disease, i.e., at least one measurable lesion as per RECIST 1.1 criteria (Tumor lesions previously irradiated or subjected to other loco-regional therapy will only be considered measurable if disease progression at the treated site after completion of therapy is clearly documented)
- 3-Patient progressed after adjuvant or 1 prior systemic treatment in the metastatic setting. Patients with de novo metastatic disease are eligible if they received 1 prior line of therapy
- 4-Patient must have received prior systemic treatment that included taxane-based chemotherapy for adjuvant or metastatic disease
- 5-Patient must have a site of disease amenable to biopsy, and must be willing to undergo a new tumor biopsy at screening and during therapy on this study, the latter if medically feasible. Patients with an available archival tumor tissue do not need to perform a tumor biopsy at screening if patient has not received anti-cancer therapy since the biopsy was taken.
- 6-Patient has histologically and/or cytologically confirmed diagnosis of advanced TNBC (based on most recently analyzed biopsy, local lab) meeting the following criteria: HER2 negative in situ hybridization test or an IHC status of 0 or 1+, and ER and PR expression is <1 percent as determined by immunohistochemistry (IHC)

**Key inclusion and exclusion criteria: Gender**

Both

**Key inclusion and exclusion criteria: Specify gender****Key inclusion and exclusion criteria: Age minimum**

18

**Key inclusion and exclusion criteria: Age maximum**

90

**Key inclusion and exclusion criteria: Exclusion criteria**

- 1-Patient has received prior immunotherapy as anticancer treatment such as anti-LAG-3, anti-PD-1, anti-PD-L1, or anti-PD-L2 antibody (any line of therapy).
- 2-Patient received prior neoadjuvant or adjuvant therapy with a platinum agent or mitomycin and experienced recurrence within 12 months after the end of the platinum-based or mitomycin containing therapy or received Platinum or mitomycin for metastatic disease
- 3-Patient has had major surgery within 14 days prior to starting study treatment or has not recovered to grade 1 or less from major side effects.
- 4-Patient with presence of CTCAE grade 2 toxicity or higher due to prior cancer therapy. Exception to this criterion; patients with any grade of alopecia are allowed to enter the study..
- 5-Patient has received radiotherapy  $\leq 4$  weeks prior to randomization ( $\leq 2$  weeks for limited field radiation for palliation), and has not recovered to grade 1 or better from related side effects of such therapy (with the exception of alopecia).
- 6-Patient has a known hypersensitivity to other monoclonal antibodies, platinum-containing compounds, or to any of the excipients of LAG525, spartalizumab, or carboplatin.
- 7-Patient has symptomatic central nervous system (CNS) metastases or CNS metastases that require local CNS-directed therapy (such as radiotherapy or surgery), or increasing doses of corticosteroids within the 2 weeks prior to first dose of study treatment. Patients with treated brain metastases should be neurologically stable and without CNS progression for at least 12 weeks prior to randomization and have discontinued corticosteroid treatment (with the exception of < 10 mg/day of prednisone or equivalent for an indication other than CNS metastases) for at least 4 weeks before first dose of any study treatment.

**Type of study**

Interventional

**Type of intervention**

Pharmaceutical

**Type of intervention: Specify type**

N/A

**Trial scope**

Other

**Trial scope: Specify scope****Study design: Allocation**

Randomized controlled trial

**Study design: Masking**

Open (masking not used)

**Study design: Control**

Active

**Study phase**

2

**Study design: Purpose**

Treatment

**Study design: Specify purpose**

N/A

**Study design: Assignment**

Parallel

**Study design: Specify assignment**

N/A

**IMP has market authorization**

No

**IMP has market authorization: Specify**
**Name of IMP**

LAG525

**Year of authorization**
**Month of authorization**
**Type of IMP**

Immunological

**Pharmaceutical class**

LAG525 is a high-affinity, ligand-blocking humanized IgG4 antibody (stabilized hinge, S228P) against LAG-3 that blocks the binding of MHC Class II to LAG-3.

**Therapeutic indication**

Patients with triple negative breast cancer

**Therapeutic benefit**

'Overall response rate (ORR) per RECIST v1.1 per investigators' assessment up to 8 cycles

**Study model**

N/A

**Study model: Explain model**

N/A

**Study model: Specify model**

N/A

**Time perspective**

N/A

**Time perspective: Explain time perspective**

N/A

**Time perspective: Specify perspective**

N/A

**Target follow-up duration**
**Target follow-up duration: Unit**
**Number of groups/cohorts**
**Biospecimen retention**

Samples with DNA\*\*

**Biospecimen description**



Central Laboratory Q2 Solutions, The Alba Campus, Rosebank, Livingston, EH54 7EG, United Kingdom

Lab Tests to be done:  
Hematology Hematocrit, Hemoglobin, Platelets, White blood cells, Differential (Basophils, Eosinophils, Lymphocytes, Monocytes, Neutrophils, Bands  
Chemistry Albumin, Alkaline phosphatase, ALT, AST, Gamma-glutamyl-transferase (GGT), Lactate dehydrogenase (LDH), Calcium, Magnesium, Phosphorus, Chloride, Sodium, Potassium, Creatinine, Creatinine clearance, Creatine kinase, Direct Bilirubin, Indirect Bilirubin, Total Bilirubin, Total Cholesterol, Blood Urea Nitrogen (BUN) or Urea, Uric Acid, Amylase, Lipase, Glucose Coagulation International normalized ratio [INR]), Activated partial thromboplastin time (APTT)  
Thyroid TSH, Free T3 and Free T4  
Hepatitis markers HBV-DNA, HBsAg, HBsAb, HBcAb, HCV RNA-PCR  
Cytokines IFN- $\gamma$ , IL-6, IL-1, TNF- $\alpha$   
Pregnancy Test serum pregnancy hCG test

**Target sample size**

6

**Date of first enrollment: Type**

Actual

**Date of study closure: Type**

Actual

**Recruitment status**

Complete

**Date of completion**

13/09/2019

**IPD sharing statement plan**

No

**Additional data URL**

<https://clinicaltrials.gov/ct2/show/record/NCT03499899?term=CLAG525B2101&rank=1>

**Admin comments****Trial status**

Approved

**Actual enrollment target size**

6

**Date of first enrollment: Date**

31/10/2018

**Date of study closure: Date**

23/07/2020

**Recruitment status: Specify**

On Hold

**IPD sharing statement description**

Novartis is committed to sharing with qualified external researchers, access to patient-level data and supporting clinical documents from eligible studies. These requests are reviewed and approved by an independent review panel on the basis of scientific merit. All data provided is anonymized to respect the privacy of patients who have participated in the trial in line with applicable laws and regulations.

## Secondary Identifying Numbers

Full name of issuing authority	Secondary identifying number
Clinical Trials. gov	NCT03499899



## Sources of Monetary or Material Support

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## Countries of Recruitment

Name
Australia
Belgium
Canada
France
Germany
Hungary
Italy
Japan
Lebanon
Singapore
Spain
Thailand
United States of America

## Health Conditions or Problems Studied

Condition	Code	Keyword
breast cancer	Breast, unspecified (C50.9)	Tripple negative ABC

## Interventions

Intervention	Description	Keyword
Physical examination, height, weight, Hematology, Chemistry, Ferritin, Creatinine, Cleatinine Clearance, Hepatitis, Pregnancy Test, Urine Dipstick, Microscopic Urinalysis, Proteinuria, Urine Pregnancy Test, Liver function test, Ocular exam, audiometry, ECG, Electrocardiogram, PK sampling, vital signs, Growth and development	Physical examination, height, weight, Hematology, Chemistry, Ferritin, Creatinine, Cleatinine Clearance, Hepatitis, Pregnancy Test, Urine Dipstick, Microscopic Urinalysis, Proteinuria, Urine Pregnancy Test, Liver function test, Ocular exam, audiometry, ECG, Electrocardiogram, PK sampling, vital signs, Growth and development	Physical examination, height, weight, Hematology, Chemistry, Ferritin, Creatinine, Cleatinine Clearance, Hepatitis, Pregnancy Test, Urine Dipstick, Microscopic Urinalysis, Proteinuria, Urine Pregnancy Test, Liver function test, Ocular exam, audiometry, ECG, Electrocardiogram, PK sampling, vital signs, Growth and development



## Primary Outcomes

Name	Time Points	Measure
Overall response rate (ORR) per RECIST v1.1 per investigators' assessment	24 months	24 Months

## Key Secondary Outcomes

Name	Time Points	Measure
Duration of response (DOR)	3 years	3 years
Overall Survival (OS)	3 years	3 years
Clinical Benefit Rate (CBR)	24 months	24 months

## Trial Results

Summary results

Study results globally

Date of posting of results summaries

Date of first journal publication of results

Results URL link

Baseline characteristics

Participant flow

Adverse events

Outcome measures

URL to protocol files