# **EGFR Exon 20 Insertions –** What Will be the Ideal Therapy?

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# **EGFR exon 20 insertions in NSCLC**

| Amivantamab<br>Accelerated<br>approval,<br>post-chemotherapy |                                | Amivantamab +<br>Chemo<br>PAPILLON Study<br>Positive        | Amivantamab +<br>Chemo<br>Approved, First-<br>Line |
|--|--------------------------------|---|--|
| 2021   | 2                              | 2023  | 2024   |
|  |                                |   |  |
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# Amivantamab: Monotherapy Activity

Initial single-agent activity observed in the CHRYSALIS trial (EGFR ins20, post-chemotherapy):



|            | Post-Platinum<br>EGFR Ins20<br>N=81 |
|------------|-------------------------------------|
| ORR (IRC)  | 40%                                 |
| mDOR (IRC) | 11.1 months                         |
| mPFS (IRC) | 8.3 months                          |

Accelerated FDA approval, March 2021 (monotherapy, post-chemo)

| Adverse Event             | Total | Grade 1 | Grade 2 | Grade <u>&gt;</u> 3 |
|---------------------------|-------|---------|---------|---------------------|
| Rash                      | 86%   | 38%     | 45%     | 4%                  |
| Infusion-related reaction | 66%   | 8%      | 55%     | 3%                  |
| Paronychia                | 45%   | 25%     | 19%     | 1%                  |
| Hypoalbuminemia           | 27%   | 5%      | 19%     | 3%                  |
| Constipation              | 24%   | 16%     | 8%      | 0%                  |
| Nausea                    | 19%   | 15%     | 4%      | 0%                  |
| Dyspnea                   | 19%   | 11%     | 7%      | 2%                  |
| Stomatitis                | 21%   | 10%     | 11%     | 0%                  |
| Peripheral edema          | 18%   | 18%     | 1%      | 0%                  |
| Pruritius                 | 17%   | 10%     | 7%      | 0%                  |
| Fatigue                   | 18%   | 13%     | 4%      | 2%                  |
| Cough                     | 14%   | 10%     | 4%      | 0%                  |
| Dry skin                  | 16%   | 16%     | 0%      | 0%                  |
| Incr ALT                  | 15%   | 13%     | 1%      | 1%                  |

#### Dose Reduction: 13% | Dose discontinuation: 10%

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# Amivantamab + Chemotherapy (PAPILLON)



|                | Amivantamab-Chemo   | Chemo                     |                               |
|----------------|---------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------------|
| ORR            | 73% (95% CI, 65-80) | 47% (95% CI, 39-56)       |                               |
| mPFS           | 11.4 mo (9.8-13.7)  | 6.7 (95% CI, 5.6-7.3)     | HR 0.395 (95% CI, 0.30-0.53)  |
| [OS (interim*) | NE                  | 24.4 mo (95% CI, 22.1-NE) | HR 0.675 (95% Cl, 0.42-1.09)] |

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OS data are immature (~33% maturity), 66% of patients who progressed crossed over to amivantamab.

### **Amivantamab + Chemotherapy** (PAPILLON)

|                                      | Amivantamab-Chemotherapy |          | Chemotherapy |          |
|--------------------------------------|--------------------------|----------|--------------|----------|
| Most common AEs of any cause         | (n=151)                  |          | (n=1         | 55)      |
| by preferred term (≥20%), n (%)      | All grades               | Grade ≥3 | All grades   | Grade ≥3 |
| Associated with EGFR inhibition      |                          |          |              |          |
| Paronychia                           | 85 (56)                  | 10 (7)   | 0            | 0        |
| Rash                                 | 81 (54)                  | 17 (11)  | 12 (8)       | 0        |
| Dermatitis acneiform                 | 47 (31)                  | 6 (4)    | 5 (3)        | 0        |
| Stomatitis                           | 38 (25)                  | 2 (1)    | 9 (6)        | 0        |
| Diarrhea                             | 31 (21)                  | 5 (3)    | 20 (13)      | 2 (1)    |
| Associated with MET inhibition       |                          |          |              |          |
| Hypoalbuminemia                      | 62 (41)                  | 6 (4)    | 15 (10)      | 0        |
| Peripheral edema                     | 45 (30)                  | 2 (1)    | 16 (10)      | 0        |
| Other                                |                          |          |              |          |
| Neutropenia                          | 89 (59)                  | 50 (33)  | 70 (45)      | 35 (23)  |
| Anemia                               | 76 (50)                  | 16 (11)  | 85 (55)      | 19 (12)  |
| Infusion-related reaction            | 63 (42)                  | 2 (1)    | 2 (1)        | 0        |
| Constipation                         | 60 (40)                  | 0        | 47 (30)      | 1 (1)    |
| Leukopenia                           | 57 (38)                  | 17 (11)  | 50 (32)      | 5 (3)    |
| Nausea                               | 55 (36)                  | 1 (1)    | 65 (42)      | 0        |
| Thrombocytopenia                     | 55 (36)                  | 15 (10)  | 46 (30)      | 16 (10)  |
| Decreased appetite                   | 54 (36)                  | 4 (3)    | 43 (28)      | 2 (1)    |
| Alanine aminotransferase increased   | 50 (33)                  | 6 (4)    | 56 (36)      | 2 (1)    |
| Aspartate aminotransferase increased | 47 (31)                  | 1 (1)    | 51 (33)      | 1 (1)    |
| COVID-19                             | 36 (24)                  | 3 (2)    | 21 (14)      | 1 (1)    |
| Hypokalemia                          | 32 (21)                  | 13 (9)   | 13 (8)       | 2 (1)    |
| Vomiting                             | 32 (21)                  | 5 (3)    | 29 (19)      | 1 (1)    |

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### Amivantamab + Chemotherapy (PAPILLON)



### **Mobocertinib**

Accelerated approval for Mobocertinib Monotherapy

|                              | EGFR exon 20<br>Ph 1/2 Prior Platinum, N=114 |
|------------------------------|--|
| Confirmed ORR (IRC)          | 28%  |
| Confirmed ORR (Investigator) | 35%  |
| mPFS (IRC)                   | 7.3 mos (5.5-10.2)                           |

| Adverse Event         | Any Grade | Grade <u>&gt;</u> 3 |
|-----------------------|-----------|---------------------|
| Diarrhea              | 91%       | 21%                 |
| Rash                  | 45%       | 0%                  |
| Paronychia            | 38%       | <1%                 |
| Decr. Appetite        | 35%       | <1%                 |
| Nausea                | 34%       | 4%                  |
| Dry Skin              | 31%       | 0%                  |
| Vomiting              | 30%       | 3%                  |
| Creatinine Incr.      | 25%       | 2%                  |
| Stomatitis            | 24%       | 4%                  |
| Pruritus              | 21%       | <1%                 |
| Lipase Incr.          | 19%       | 4%                  |
| Amylase Incr.         | 18%       | 3%                  |
| Dermatitis, acneiform | 18%       | 0%                  |
| Anemia                | 18%       | <1%                 |

#### **EXCLAIM-2** Confirmatory Trial



Primary endpoint: BICR-assessed PFS per RECIST v1.1



Zhou C et al. *JAMA Oncol.* 2021;[Epub]:E1-E10, Janne P, et al. ESMO Asia 2023.

# Zipalertinib (CLN-081, TAS6417)

REZILIENT-1: Phase 1/2a study of zipalertinib in previously-treated EGFR ins20 NSCLC



| TRAE               | All Grade | Grade <u>&gt;</u> 3 |  |
|--------------------|-----------|---------------------|--|
| Rash               | 32 (82)   | 0                   |  |
| Paronychia         | 12 (31)   | 0                   |  |
| Diarrhea           | 14 (36)   | 0                   |  |
| Fatigue            | 8 (21)    | 0                   |  |
| Anemia             | 5 (13)    | 1 (2.6)             |  |
| Dry skin           | 7 (18)    | 0                   |  |
| Nausea             | 4 (10)    | 0                   |  |
| Stomatitis         | 5 (13)    | 0                   |  |
| Alopecia           | 6 (15)    | 0                   |  |
| Dry eye            | 7 (18)    | 0                   |  |
| AST increase       | 3 (8)     | 1 (3)               |  |
| Decreased appetite | 4 (10)    | 0                   |  |

100 mg BID (N=39)

# Sunvozertinib (DZD9008)

WU-KONG 1B: Multi-national phase 2 study of sunvozertinib in previously-treated EGFR ins20 NSCLC



**Confirmed ORR 44.9%** (95% CI, 34-56.1) mDOR NR; 9-mo DFS rate 57% Common <u>></u> grade 3 TRAE at 300mg QD (N=111)

| AE                  | Grade ≥ 3  |  |
|---------------------|------------|--|
| Diarrhea            | 10 (17.1 ) |  |
| CPK Increase        | 12 (10.8)  |  |
| Anemia              | 4 (3.6)    |  |
| Rash                | 4 (3.6)    |  |
| Lipase Increase     | 4 (3.6)    |  |
| Neutrophil Decrease | 3 (2.7)    |  |
| Hypokalemia         | 3 (2.7)    |  |
| Decreased appetite  | 3 (2.7)    |  |
| Asthenia            | 3 (2.7)    |  |

Dose reduction: 36% Discontinuation: 6.3%

# Firmonertinib (previously known as... furmonertinib)

FAVOUR: Phase 1B Trial of Firmonertinib in EGFR ins20 NSCLC

| Efficacy by<br>IRC              | Treatment-<br>Naïve<br>240mg<br>N=28 | Previously-<br>Treated<br>240mg<br>N=26 | Previously-<br>Treated<br>160mg<br>N=26 |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---|---|
| Confirmed<br>ORR, %<br>(95% CI) | 78.6%<br>(59-91.7)                   | 46.2%<br>(26.6-66.6)                    | 38.5%<br>(20.2-59.4)                    |
| DoR, median<br>(95% CI)         | 15.2 mo<br>(8.74-28.84)              | 13.1 mo<br>(5.62-13.80)                 | 9.7 mo<br>(5.59-NA)                     |

Most Frequent TRAEs Treatment-Naïve 240mg (N=30)

| AE                  | All Grade<br>n (%) | Grade <u>&gt;</u> 3<br>n (%) |
|---------------------|--------------------|------------------------------|
| Diarrhea            | 22 (73)            |                              |
| Anemia              | 13 (43)            |                              |
| AST increase        | 8 (27)             |                              |
| ALT increase        | 7 (23)             |                              |
| Creatinine increase | 6 (20)             |                              |
| Mouth ulceration    | 9 (30)             | 1 (3)                        |
| Rash                | 7 (23)             |                              |
| QTc prolonged       | 8 (27)             | 1 (3)                        |
| WBC decrease        | 6 (20)             | 1 (3)                        |
| Decreased appetite  | 3 (10)             |                              |
| Weight decreased    | 3 (10)             |                              |
| Skin fissures       | 6 (20)             |                              |
| Paronychia          | 6 (20)             |                              |

### **Ongoing First-Line EGFR Exon 20 TKI Trials**



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#### **Directions for Future Research**

- Understanding of resistance mechanisms to Exon 20 TKIs and Amivantamab
- Drugs with better CNS penetration
- Trials evaluating optimal sequencing strategies

# Conclusions

- EGFR exon 20 insertions are a heterogeneous group of mutations distinct from classical and atypical EGFR mutations.
- Currently, chemotherapy + amivantamab is the first-line standard of care for EGFR ins20.
- Novel EGFR ins20 inhibitors are in development, but efficacy and toxicity are still inferior to TKIs for classical EGFR mutations.
- The first-line treatment landscape of EGFR ins20 is likely to change based on the results of ongoing randomized trials.
- More effective and CNS-penetrant drugs are needed for EGFR ins20.





