Supplementary Materials

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Supplemental Results

Expansion and persistence data

CAR T-cell in-vivo expansion and persistence was reported using different methods, with some studies reporting percent of total CD3+ T cells and others reporting copy number per volume of genomic DNA, limiting direct comparison.

In-vivo expansion was found to have a potential relationship with both CR and toxicity. Hu et al. 2021 found that patients who achieved CR/CRi had a greater peak expansion of CAR T-cells compared to non-responding patients (peak absolute cell counts 166.21 vs. 0.70 cells/mL; no comment on statistical significance). Wei et al. 2021 similarly found that peak expansion was 45.5% in patients who achieved CR, and 34.4% among those who did not $(p = 0.336)$.

Spiegel et al. 2021 found that higher expansion was associated with increased CRS and neurotoxicity; they also saw CD8+ predominance over CD4+ during expansion despite predominance of CD4+ cells in the manufactured product.

Among CD19/CD22 studies involving co-transduction of two separate vectors for CD19 and CD22, Yang 2018 and Gardner 2020 both had greater expansion of CD19 CAR-expressing T-cells compared to CD22; conversely, in Annesley 2021, in-vivo expansion was predominated by CAR T-cells only expressing CD22, despite manufactured product containing both anti-CD22 and anti-CD19/CD22 cells.

Prior CAR T-cell therapy was found to potentially impact expansion. In Singh et al. 2021's study of CD22 singletarget CAR T-cells, they found that patients with a history of CD19 CAR T-cell therapy actually had re-expansion of CD19 CARs when treated with CD22 CAR T-cells. Conversely, in Annesley et al. 2021's study, where in-vivo expansion was predominated by single CD22-expressing CAR T-cells and no CD19-expressing CARs, it was found that lack of CD19 CAR expression was most pronounced in patients with a history of prior CD19 CAR T-cell therapy.

Impact of CAR design on in-vivo expansion was explored by Summers et al. 2021. Their redesigned anti-CD22 CAR (V2) with a shorter linker and hinge, and addition of CD28 transmembrane domain, was found to have significantly greater in-vivo expansion than their original CAR design (V1), with expansion increasing over tenfold.

Eleven studies provided information on long-term CAR T-cell persistence. Reported median persistence ranged from 42 days to 10 months, with Wang 2020 having the longest reported persistence following infusion of sequentially infused CD19 and CD22 CAR T-cells in ALL and NHL patients, with comparable median persistence of CD19 versus CD22 CAR T-cells. Liu 2021A and Cao 2021, which also involved sequential infusion of CD19 and CD22 CAR T-cells, had lower rate of CD22 CAR T-cell persistence compared to CD19 CAR T-cell persistence (25% vs. 52% at 2 months in Liu 2021A; 69% vs. 97% at 3 months in Cao 2021). In Cao et al. 2021's study, patients who developed progressive disease had no detectable CAR T-cells at 2 or 3 months, while the majority of patients in CR had detectable CAR transgenes at 3 months.

Manufacturing outcomes

Studies that involved the manufacturing of single-target CAR T-cells (five CD22 single-target studies and three sequential infusion studies) had a mean CD22 CAR transduction efficacy of around 40% (25.8%-43.3%). Three Studies that involved manufacturing bivalent CARs had a transduction efficacy of around 50-60%, however, Dai 2020 had a lower transduction efficacy of 14%. Both studies involving bicistronic vector AUTO3 also had lower transduction efficacies of 17-18% (Supplemental Table 6). Annesley 2021 was the only study to involve cotransduction of two vectors that reported manufacturing outcomes. They had re-engineered their CAR T-cell product to enhance CD22-targeting, and the manufactured product had a mix of CD19/CD22 CAR T-cells (33%) and CD22 only CAR T-cells (42%), with few cells expressing solely the anti-CD19 CAR.

Adverse Events Grading Criteria

Only 20/29 studies included in the safety meta-analysis reported the criteria used to grade CRS. The most commonly used was the ASTCT criteria (n=8) followed by the Lee *et al.* criteria (n=7) and the University of Pennsylvania criteria (n=2), and others (CTCAE, NCCN 2019 criteria, and ASBMT consensus). Shah 2020 and Speigel 2021 both originally graded with the Lee criteria but retrospectively graded with the updated ASTCT consensus criteria. For ICANS, 16/29 studies reported the criteria used for grading (CTCAE criteria n=8, ASTCT criteria n=5, NCCN guidelines n=1, ASBMT critera n=1, author's own criteria n=1). Notably while the term "ICANS" used in this review reflects the new ASTCT grading criteria, many reports used term "neurotoxicity" and were published prior to the new criteria development.

Supplemental Tables

Supplemental Table 1. Summary of Case Reports and Case Series

*Jain 2021 treated as case series due to small sample size and heterogenous intervention (3 patients received CAR T-cells alone at DL1 and 2 at DL2, and 3 patients received CAR Tcells+alemtuzumab). **Jiao 2021 patient #2 censored as this patient was in CR prior to intervention.

Supplemental Table 2. Meta-regression best CR

SE: Standard Error

Supplemental Table 3. Meta-regression CRS and ICANS

SE: Standard Error

Supplemental Table 4. Grade recommendations

Supplemental Table 5. CAR T-cell In-vivo Expansion and Persistence

Where peak expansion is reported as a percentage, this represents % of CD3+ cells. Liu 2021 B, Wang 2021, Ramakrishnan 2020, and Zhang 2021 B did not report any outcomes if interest.

Supplemental Table 6. CAR-T Cell Manufacturing Process and Outcomes

LV: lentivirus. RV: retrovirus. The following included studies provided no relevant manufacturing outcomes: Summers 2021, Frey 2021, Gardner 2020, Liu 2021 A, Liu 2021 B, Schultz 2018, Shalabi 2020, Wang 2021, Yang 2018, Yang 2019, Yang 2020, Zhang 2021 B.

Supplemental Table 7. Antigen Status at Time of Relapse

The reporting of relapse and antigen expression was highly variable between studies. Specifically, while some studies identified CD22 site density as a measure associated with relapse, other studies only report CD22 expression in binary terms (CD22-negative or positive).

Supplementary Figures

Supplemental Figure 1. All cause 30-day mortality.

Supplemental Figure 2. ROB Summary Table

Supplemental Figure 3. ROB Summary Graph

Supplemental Figure 4. Funnel plot of Arcsine transformed proportions of best CR vs study size.

Supplemental Figure 5. Sensitivity analysis for publication type on complete response incidence. Reproduction of Figure 1 but data from conference abstracts are censored in the meta-analysis.

Supplemental Figure 6. Overall response incidence organized by disease type and antigen target.

PRISMA Checklist

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Studies Excluded at Full-Text Screening Stage

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