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Table S1. Protocol-specified dose-modification guidelines

Toxicity	Modification		
General			
Grade 1 or 2	No dose modification required		
Grade 3 or 4 of	Hold until event is grade ≤2 or has returned to baseline, then resume by		
any duration	reducing the dose by 100 mg less than the current dose		
	If the patient is already receiving a dose of 100 mg, and continued		
	treatment is considered in the best medical interest of the patient due to		
	the underlying GIST, treatment may be resumed at 100 mg, after the		
	adverse event has improved to grade ≤2		
Cognitive effects			
Grade 1 with	No dose modification required if the investigator considers it in the best		
only mild	medical interest of the patient to continue treatment. Written		
impairment	documentation that continuation of treatment is in the best medical		
	interest of the patient must be provided to the sponsor		
Grade 1, other	Interrupt dosing for 7 days, and resume dosing without dose reduction		
than mild	The dosing interruption may be repeated if the impairment continues to		
impairment	worsen after resuming dosing; however, repeated dosing interruption is		
	not required, and should be balanced with the need to treat the		
	underlying GIST		
	If dosing will be resumed after interruption or continued without		
	interruption, written documentation that resumption or continuation of		
	treatment is in the best medical interest of the patient must be provided		
	to the sponsor		
Grade 2	Interrupt dosing for a minimum of 7 days		
	Resume dosing with a dose reduction of 100 mg when the cognitive		
	effect has improved to grade ≤1, or while still at grade 2, if continued		
	treatment is considered in the best medical interest of the patient due to		
	the underlying GIST		
	If the patient is already receiving a dose of 100 mg, and continued		
	treatment is considered in the best medical interest of the patient due to		
	the underlying GIST, treatment may be resumed at 100 mg		
	If dosing will be resumed after interruption, written documentation that		
	resumption of treatment is in the best medical interest of the patient		
Cuarla 2 au 4	must be provided to the sponsor		
Grade 3 or 4	Interrupt dosing for a minimum of 14 days		
	Resume dosing with a dose reduction of 100 mg when the cognitive		
	effect has improved to grade ≤1, or when it has improved to grade 2, if		
	continued treatment is considered in the best medical interest of the		
	patient due to the underlying GIST		
	If the patient is already receiving a dose of 100 mg, and continued		
	treatment is considered in the best medical interest of the patient due to		



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the underlying GIST, treatment may be resumed at 100 mg, after the cognitive effect has improved to grade ≤2 or lower

If dosing will be resumed after interruption, written documentation that resumption of treatment is in the best medical interest of the patient must be provided to the sponsor

Intracranial bleeding

Grade 1 Interrupt dosing for a minimum of 7 days, and re-image brain

Resume dosing without dose reduction if the bleed is stable or improving and continued treatment is considered in the best medical interest of the

patient due to the underlying GIST

If dosing will be resumed after interruption, written documentation that resumption of treatment is in the best medical interest of the patient

must be provided to the sponsor

Grade 2 Interrupt dosing for a minimum of 14 days and re-image brain

Resume dosing with a dose reduction of 100 mg when the intracranial bleeding has improved to grade ≤ 1 , or while still at grade 2, if continued treatment is considered in the best medical interest of the patient due to

the underlying GIST

If the patient is already receiving a dose of 100 mg and continued treatment is considered in the best medical interest of the patient due to

the underlying GIST, treatment may be resumed at 100 mg

If dosing will be resumed after interruption, written documentation that resumption of treatment is in the best medical interest of the patient

must be provided to the sponsor

Grade 3 or 4 Permanently discontinue avapritinib treatment

Abbreviation: GIST, gastrointestinal stromal tumor.

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Table S2. Presentation of *Common Terminology Criteria for Adverse Events* (CTCAE) [1] cognitive effects adverse events

Cognitive effect	Presentation		
Memory impairment			
Grade 1	Mild memory impairment that does not interfere with daily		
	performance		
Grade 2	Moderate memory impairment that limits daily activities		
Grade 3	Severe memory impairment that limits both daily activities and		
	self-care		
Cognitive disorder			
Grade 1	Mild cognitive disability that does not interfere with daily		
	performance		
Grade 2	Moderate cognitive disability that interferes with daily performance,		
	but the patient remains capable of independent living		
Grade 3	Severe cognitive disability resulting in a significant impairment of		
	daily performance		
Confusional state			
Grade 1	Mild disorientation		
Grade 2	Moderate disorientation that limits daily performance		
Grade 3	Severe disorientation that limits both daily activities and self-care		
Grade 4	Life-threatening consequences requiring urgent intervention		
Grade 5	Death		
Encephalopathy			
Grade 1	Mild symptoms		
Grade 2	Moderate symptoms that limit daily activities		
Grade 3	Severe symptoms that limit both daily activities and self-care		
Grade 4	Life-threatening consequences requiring urgent intervention		
Grade 5	Death		



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Table S3. All-cause AEs by age among patients starting with avapritinib 300 mg

	<65 years (n = 102)		≥65 years (<i>n</i> = 65)		
_	Any grade	Grade ≥3	Any grade	Grade ≥3	
AE ^a , n (%)	101 (99.0)	66 (64.7)	65 (100)	55 (84.6)	
Nausea	65 (63.7)	1 (<1.0)	38 (58.5)	1 (1.5)	
Fatigue	48 (47.1)	1 (<1.0)	40 (61.5)	9 (13.8)	
Anemia	46 (45.1)	24 (23.5)	41 (63.1)	27 (41.5)	
Diarrhea	38 (37.3)	2 (2.0)	32 (49.2)	6 (9.2)	
Decreased appetite	34 (33.3)	3 (2.9)	27 (41.5)	1 (1.5)	
Periorbital edema	33 (32.4)	1 (<1.0)	31 (47.7)	1 (1.5)	
Vomiting	33 (32.4)	2 (2.0)	25 (38.5)	2 (3.1)	
Face edema	30 (29.4)	0 (0)	8 (12.3)	0 (0)	
Increased lacrimation	26 (25.5)	0 (0)	25 (38.5)	0 (0)	
Hair color changes	24 (23.5)	0 (0)	9 (13.8)	0 (0)	
Blood bilirubin increased	23 (22.5)	5 (4.9)	14 (21.5)	3 (4.6)	
Abdominal pain	22 (21.6)	7 (6.9)	19 (29.2)	4 (6.2)	
Constipation	19 (18.6)	1 (<1.0)	19 (29.2)	2 (3.1)	
Headache	19 (18.6)	0 (0)	8 (12.3)	1 (1.5)	
Hypokalemia	18 (17.6)	3 (2.9)	12 (18.5)	4 (6.2)	
Edema peripheral	17 (16.7)	1 (<1.0)	28 (43.1)	0 (0)	
Dysgeusia	16 (15.7)	0 (0)	14 (21.5)	0 (0)	
Dizziness	14 (13.7)	1 (<1.0)	13 (20.0)	0 (0)	
Weight decreased	13 (12.7)	1 (<1.0)	14 (21.5)	1 (1.5)	
Hypophosphatemia	13 (12.7)	2 (2.0)	11 (16.9)	6 (9.2)	
Dyspepsia	12 (11.8)	0 (0)	15 (23.1)	0 (0)	
Pyrexia	12 (11.8)	0 (0)	10 (15.4)	0 (0)	
Dyspnea	11 (10.8)	1 (<1.0)	16 (24.6)	3 (4.6)	
Pleural effusion	10 (9.8)	1 (<1.0)	11 (16.9)	1 (1.5)	
Hypomagnesemia	5 (4.9)	0 (0)	15 (23.1)	1 (1.5)	
Cough	4 (3.9)	0 (0)	10 (15.4)	0 (0)	
Cognitive effects	40 (39.2)	1 (<1.0)	38 (58.5)	4 (6.2)	
Memory impairment	25 (24.5)	0 (0)	20 (30.8)	1 (1.5)	
Cognitive disorder	11 (10.8)	1 (<1.0)	10 (15.4)	0 (0)	
Confusional state	4 (3.9)	0 (0)	7 (10.8)	2 (3.1)	
Encephalopathy	0 (0)	0 (0)	1 (1.5)	1 (1.5)	
Intracranial bleeding	3 (2.9)	1 (<1.0)	1 (1.5)	1 (1.5)	
Intracranial hemorrhage	2 (2.0)	1 (<1.0)	1 (1.5)	1 (1.5)	
Subdural hematoma	1 (<1.0)	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)	
Cerebral hemorrhage	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)	

The cutoff date for these analyses was April 2, 2019.

Abbreviation: AE, adverse event.

^aPreferred Terms for any-grade AEs reported in ≥15% of patients in either dose group.



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Table S4. Correlation between patient characteristics and cognitive effects. Univariable logistic regression of cognitive events in patients who started on avapritinib 300 mg

Patient characteristics	Description	Odds ratio (95% CI)	p value
	White (<i>n</i> = 114)	Reference	
Race	Nonwhite (n = 38)	1.288 (0.613-2.706)	.603
	Unknown (<i>n</i> = 15)	1.061 (0.353-3.185)	.904
Gender	Male (<i>n</i> = 103)	Reference	
	Female (<i>n</i> = 64)	1.035 (0.548-1.954)	.916
Baseline ECOG performance status	0 (<i>n</i> = 66)	Reference	
	1 (n = 96)	0.583 (0.308-1.104)	.841
	2 (n = 5)	0.266 (0.028-2.505)	.350
Number of prior TKIs	<4	Reference	
	≥4	1.016 (0.521–1.982)	.963
Total duration of prior TKI use, years	167	0.987 (0.913–1.067)	.747

Abbreviations: CI, confidence interval; ECOG, Eastern Cooperative Oncology Group; TKI, tyrosine kinase inhibitor.

Table S5. Summary of cognitive effects in patients starting with avapritinib 300 mg

	Patients (n = 167)				
	AE incidence				AEs leading to permanent treatment discontinuation
	Grade 1	Grade 2	Grade 3	Totala	
Cognitive effects, n (%)	47 (28.1)	15 (9.0)	5 (3.0)	67 (40.1)	10 (6.0)
Memory impairment	36 (21.6)	8 (4.8)	1 (<1.0)	45 (26.9)	1 (<1.0)
Cognitive disorder ^b	12 (7.2)	8 (4.8)	1 (<1.0)	21 (12.6)	5 (3.0)
Confusional state	7 (4.2)	2 (1.2)	2 (1.2)	11 (6.6)	2 (1.2)
Encephalopathy	0	0	1 (<1.0)	1 (<1.0)	2 (1.2)

^aNo patient experienced grade 4 or 5 cognitive effects.

^bCognitive disorders leading to permanent treatment discontinuation included acute psychotic episode, worsening cognitive disturbances, mental status change, and delirium. Abbreviation: AE, adverse event.



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