

Infliximab (レミケード)の特徴

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THERAPEUTIC EFFICACY OF MULTIPLE INTRAVENOUS INFUSIONS OF ANTI-TUMOR NECROSIS FACTOR α MONOCLONAL ANTIBODY COMBINED WITH LOW-DOSE WEEKLY METHOTREXATE IN RHEUMATOID ARTHRITIS

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6施設110名のMTX-IRのRA.

IFX 1mg/kg, 3mg/kg, 10mg/kg, PBO + MTX 7.5mg(固定)

IFX 1mg/kg, 3mg/kg, 10mg/kg + PBOの7群

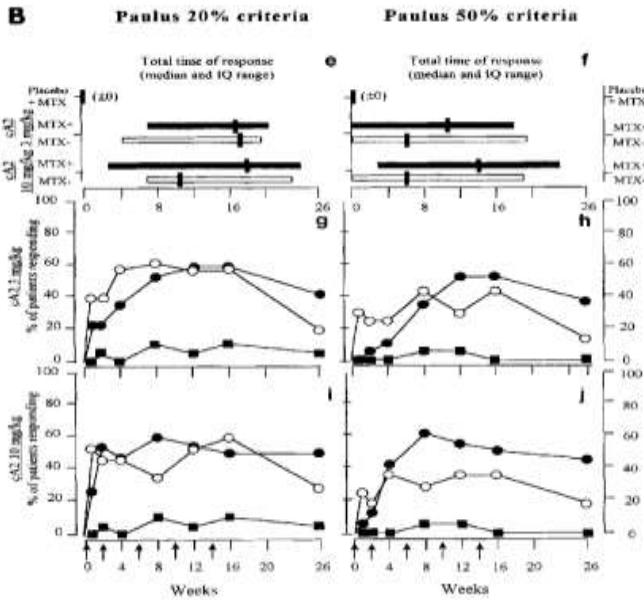
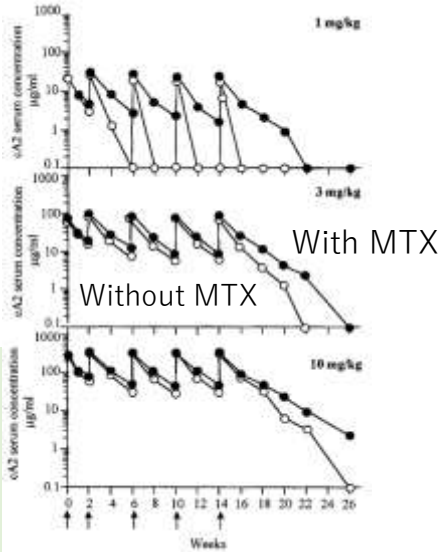
投与サイクル：0,2,6,10,14

Outcome: 26週までのPaulus 20% indexの総時間

MTX-IRに対してMTX併用IFXの初のRCT.
MTX併用IFXの有効性を証明.
MTX併用(7.5mg/wk)で抗体産生を抑制.

[Arthritis Rheum 1998 ;41(9):1552-63.]

MTX併用の方が抗体の出現率は低い
(全体: 1mg 53%,3mg 21%,10mg 7%,
MTX併用 1mg 15%,3mg 7%,10mg 0%),
MTX併用でIFX血中濃度が安定.



○IFX without MTX ●IFX with MTX ■PBO + MTX

Table 2. Statistical analysis of clinical response rates (% of patients responding) based on Paulus 20% and 50% criteria*

	1 mg/kg of cA2 at week					3 mg/kg of cA2 at week					10 mg/kg of cA2 at week				
	4	8	12	16	26	4	8	12	16	26	4	8	12	16	26
20% Paulus criteria															
cA2 with MTX	<0.001	0.021	0.009	0.017	0.512	0.014	0.008	0.001	0.005	0.010	0.001	0.003	0.001	0.011	0.004
cA2 without MTX	0.091	0.962	0.535	0.528	0.949	<0.001	0.002	0.001	0.008	0.239	0.005	0.132	0.003	0.004	0.083
50% Paulus criteria															
cA2 with MTX	0.003	0.026	0.026	0.001	0.161	0.016	0.018	0.002	0.001	0.005	0.003	<0.001	0.001	0.001	0.002
cA2 without MTX	0.176	0.317	1.000	0.317	0.317	0.035	0.010	0.062	0.003	0.083	0.022	0.101	0.047	0.010	0.085

* P values are for comparisons of groups of patients treated with cA2, with or without methotrexate (MTX), versus placebo plus MTX at each dosage level (see Figures 1A panels c and d and 1B panels g-j).

1mg/3mgMTX+はPBO/MTX+ と有意差あり(P<0.001).
1mg/MTX-,+はPBO/MTX+と26wのPaulus 20%/50%で有意差なし.
3mgはMTX有無に関わらずPBO/MTXと比べてPaulus 20,50の反応性良好.
3mg or 10mgでもMTX±に関わらずPaulus50の期間は有意差なし.
MTX併用した方が26wまでのPaulus20,50 criteriaで反応性はよい.

MTX併用の有無で6カ月後のIFX抗体出現率は関連なし.

[Arthritis Rheum. 2006;54(12):3782-9.]

IFXの血中濃度と抗体産生の関連を調査した研究

IFX投与されている106名(MTX使用 63名)とBio投与歴がない206名を比較.

抗IFX抗体保有率:1.5か月後 13%, 3か月後 30%, 6か月後 44%

抗体発生と抗体濃度上昇はIFX血中濃度低下と関連していた.

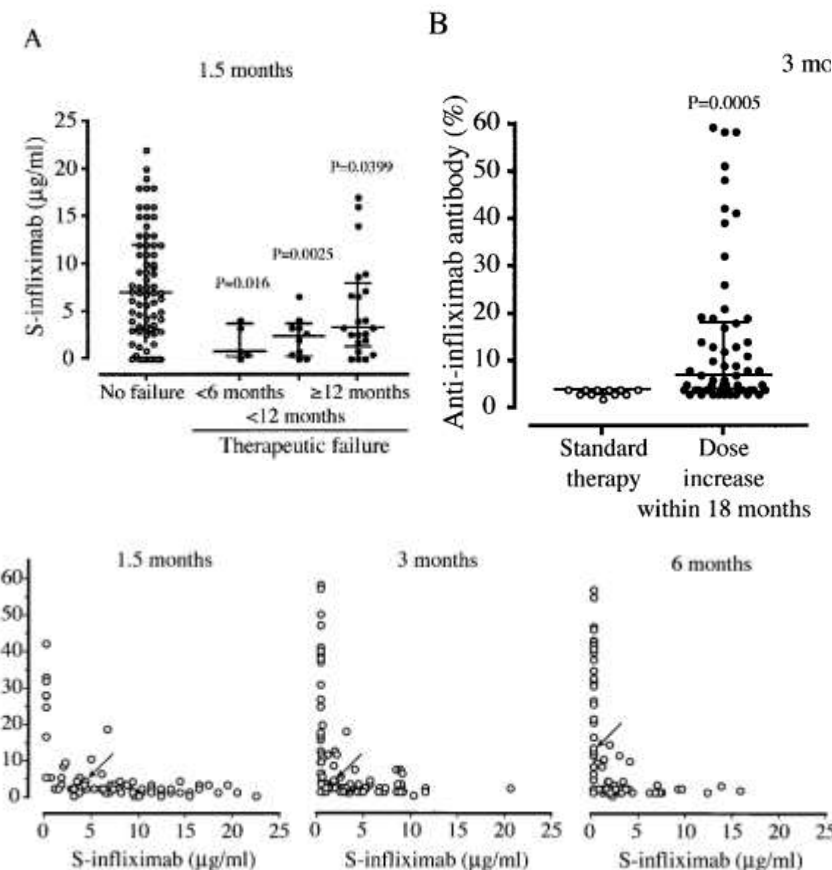
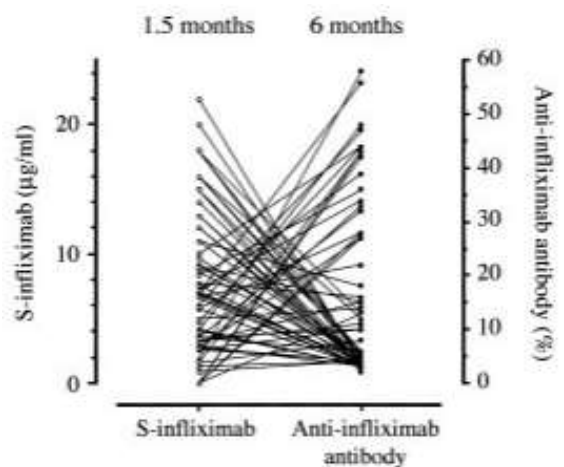
IFX抗体とETN,ADAの結合率はIFXと比較して0.001倍.

血中濃度の低さは治療失敗と関連(A).

3カ月以内に抗体出現すると効果不十分のためIFX増量された(B).

治療失敗と抗体出現は関連(P=0.009).

- IFX2回目投与後のトラフが低いことは抗体出現は関連.
- CRP>40 $\mu\text{g/ml}$ はトラフ低値と関連(P=0.004)
- 6か月後のIFX抗体産生とMTX併用の有無は関連なし(MTX+ 40%, MTX- 50%).**



CONCISE REPORT

Methotrexate polyglutamation in relation to infliximab pharmacokinetics in rheumatoid arthritis

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RBC MTXPG₃濃度が高いほどIFX抗体の産生率は下がる

[Ann Rheum Dis. 2013;72(6):908-10.]

MTX→MTXPGとなることでIFX抗体産生を抑制する仮説を検証。

アメリカの3施設。

IFX 3カ月,MTX 4カ月の投与量が安定しているRA(n=61)。

RBC MTXPG₃の中央値 28 nmol/l (IQR 16-40)

infliximabの中央値 3.3 mg/ml (IQR1.4-7.7), MTX投与量 15mg/wk.

ATI(antibodies against IFX)は11例 (18%, ATI>0.9 U/l)検出

MTXの投与量が多いほどRBC MTXPG₃濃度は高い

・ IFXトラフの低下は, IFX投与量, ATIの存在, RBC MTXPG₃低下, MTX投与期間の短さと関連.

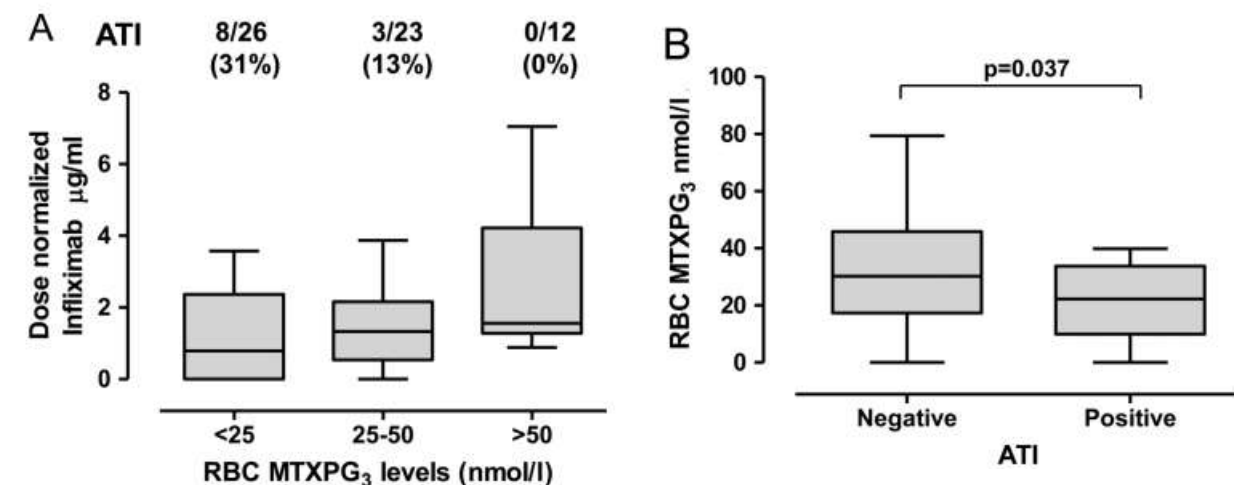
・ RBC MTXPG₃濃度>25ならATI陽性率は4.7倍下がる(OR=4.7; 95% CI 1.1 to 20.8; p=0.02). >50にはATI陽性者(n=12)はいなかった.

Table 2 Stepwise multivariate linear regression analysis for infliximab trough levels

Variable	Step	Global R ²	Partial R ²	Estimate	p Value
Intercept				0.189±2.1	
Infliximab (mg/kg/8 weeks)	1	0.364	0.364	3.48±0.62	<0.001
ATI positivity	2	0.436	0.072	-4.14±1.85	0.029
RBC MTXPG ₃ (nmol/l)	3	0.469	0.033	0.08±0.04	0.032
Duration of MTX therapy (months)	4	0.494	0.025	-0.02±0.01	0.100

Table 1 Patient characteristics

Characteristic	Value
Age (years)	64 (54–71)
Gender (female)	77%
Duration of disease (years)	11 (6–20)
BMI	27.4 (22.3–32.6)
Anti-MCV positivity (>20 U)	83.6%
Smokers, n (%)	7 (12%)
Duration of MTX therapy (months)	112 (65–150)
MTX dose (mg/week)	15 (10–20)
Infliximab dose (mg/kg/8 weeks)	6.0 (4.4–8.4)
Duration of infliximab therapy (months)	70 (29–107)
Previous anti-TNFs	36%
CDAI	8 (4–13)



RBC MTXPG₃濃度
<5 nmol/lの4人中3人
(75%)がATIあり.

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Addition of infliximab compared with addition of sulfasalazine and hydroxychloroquine to methotrexate in patients with early rheumatoid arthritis (Swefot trial): 1-year results of a randomised trial

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MTX-IRならIFX追加がcsDMARD追加より臨床所見は改善

[Lancet. 2012;379(9827):1712-20.]

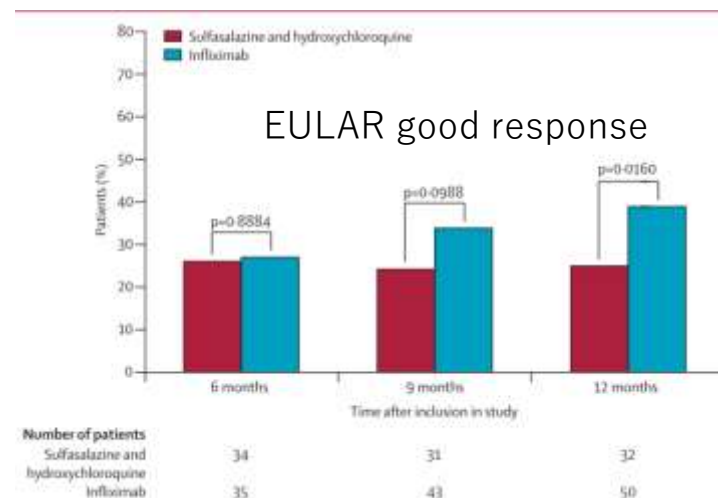
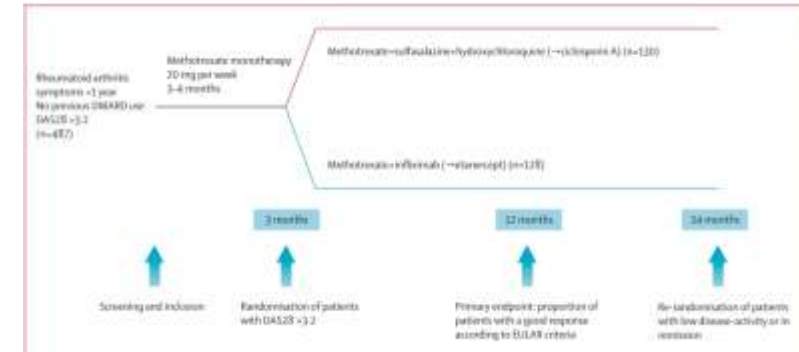
MTX-IRのearly RAにcsDMARD(SASP,HCQ) vs IFXの追加をRCT(open label)で検証.

罹病期間1年未満でDAS28 > 3.2, csDMARDsでの治療歴がないRA(n=487)

MTX開始し(MAX20mg),3~4か月後のDAS28 > 3.2ならIFX群(3mg/kg, q8w, n=128) or SASP(1g/日) + HCQ(400mg/日), n=130.

アウトカム：12か月後のEULAR good responseの割合で評価

- 12か月後のEULAR good response: IFX 39%vsSASP + HCQ 25%(p=0.016)
- ACR20,50,70でもIFXで有意差あり.
- 有害事象は両群で同じ.



	Sulfasalazine and hydroxychloroquine (n=130)	Infliximab (n=128)
Total adverse events	48	32
Number of patients with at least one adverse event	33 (25%)	25 (21%)
Blood and lymphatic system	5	1
Liver	1	5
Infectious	0	5
Skin and allergic reactions	3	11
Gastrointestinal	15	1
Respiratory system	2	2
Hypertension	2	0
Eyes	2	0
Ears	1	0
Central and peripheral nervous system	6	1
Musculoskeletal	0	1
Psychiatric	4	0
General	2	3
Neoplasms	0	0
Abnormal blood test	1	1
Unspecified	4	1
Serious adverse events	1 (generalised symptoms*)	1 (persistent fever)

	Sulfasalazine and hydroxychloroquine (n=130)	Infliximab (n=128)	Risk ratio (95% CI)	p
Responses compared with randomisation				
EULAR good response	32 (25%)	50 (39%)	1.59 (1.10—2.30)	0.0160
EULAR good or moderate response	64 (49%)	77 (60%)	1.22 (0.98—1.53)	0.0817
ACR 20	37 (28%)	54 (42%)	1.48 (1.06—2.08)	0.0266
ACR 50	19 (15%)	32 (25%)	1.71 (1.02—2.86)	0.0424
ACR 70	9 (7%)	15 (12%)	1.69 (0.77—3.73)	0.2044
Responses compared with inclusion				
EULAR good response	41 (32%)	61 (47%)	1.51 (1.11—2.06)	0.0107
EULAR good or moderate response	75 (58%)	91 (71%)	1.23 (1.03—1.48)	0.0275
ACR 20	59 (45%)	76 (59%)	1.31 (1.03—1.66)	0.0257
ACR 50	44 (34%)	62 (48%)	1.43 (1.06—1.93)	0.0226
ACR 70	20 (15%)	36 (28%)	1.83 (1.12—2.98)	0.0156

Conventional combination treatment versus biological treatment in methotrexate-refractory early rheumatoid arthritis: 2 year follow-up of the randomised, non-blinded, parallel-group Swefot trial

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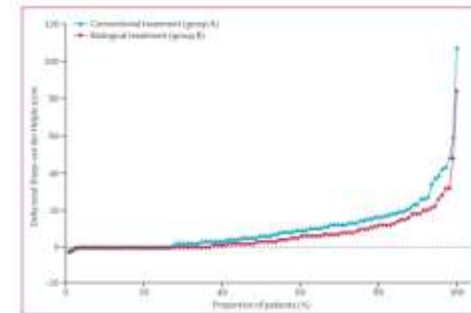
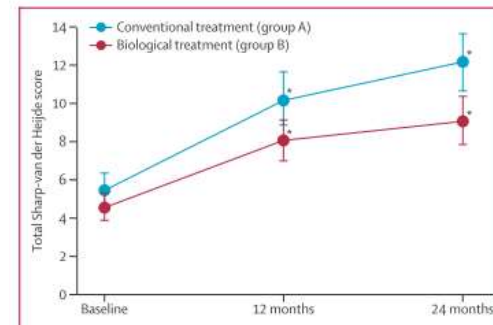
MTXにcsDMARDsを追加すると18・24カ月でIFXと同等の臨床効果を認めるが、関節破壊は進行する。

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このSwefot trialの18カ月, 24か月後の臨床所見とX線を評価した研究

	12 months				18 months				24 months			
	Conventional treatment (n=130)	Biological treatment (n=128)	Risk ratio (95% CI)	p value	Conventional treatment (n=130)	Biological treatment (n=128)	Risk ratio (95% CI)	p value	Conventional treatment (n=130)	Biological treatment (n=128)	Risk ratio (95% CI)	p value
ACR20 response	37 (28%)	54 (42%)	1.48 (1.06-2.08)	0.0266	44 (34%)	58 (45%)	1.34 (0.99-1.82)	0.059	43 (33%)	51 (40%)	1.25 (0.91-1.71)	0.134
ACR50 response	19 (15%)	32 (25%)	1.71 (1.02-2.86)	0.0424	25 (19%)	39 (30%)	1.58 (1.02-2.46)	0.034	28 (22%)	38 (30%)	1.34 (0.91-1.96)	0.134
ACR70 response	9 (7%)	15 (12%)	1.69 (0.77-3.73)	0.2044	14 (11%)	22 (17%)	1.60 (0.86-2.98)	0.134	18 (14%)	21 (16%)	1.25 (0.81-1.93)	0.336
EULAR good response	32 (25%)	50 (39%)	1.59 (1.10-2.30)	0.0160	38 (29%)	49 (38%)	1.31 (0.93-1.85)	0.104	40 (31%)	49 (38%)	1.25 (0.91-1.71)	0.134
EULAR good to moderate response	64 (49%)	77 (60%)	1.22 (0.98-1.53)	0.0817	61 (47%)	74 (58%)	1.23 (0.97-1.56)	0.104	65 (50%)	75 (59%)	1.25 (0.91-1.71)	0.134



	Increase from baseline to 12 months					Increase from 12 months to 24 months					Increase from baseline to 24 months				
	Conventional treatment (n=104)		Biological treatment (n=102)		Treatment difference (95% CI)	Conventional treatment (n=107)		Biological treatment (n=102)		Treatment difference (95% CI)	Conventional treatment (n=109)		Biological treatment (n=106)		Treatment difference (95% CI); p value
	Mean (SE)	Median (IQR)	Mean (SD)	Median (IQR)		Mean (SD)	Median (IQR)	Mean (SD)	Median (IQR)		Mean (SD)	Median (IQR)	Mean (SE)	Median (IQR)	
Total score	5.04 (10.64)	1 (0-6.5)	2.95 (6.07)	0 (0-5)	2.09 (-0.30 to 4.48)	2.21 (6.39)	0 (0-3)	1.05 (5.57)	0 (0-1)	1.16 (-0.48 to 2.80)	7.23 (12.72)	3 (0-11.25)	4.00 (10.05)	1 (0-5)	3.23 (0.14 to 6.32); 0.009
Erosion score	1.93 (5.28)	0 (0-2)	1.02 (2.93)	0 (0-2)	0.91 (-0.27 to 2.09)	0.69 (4.28)	0 (0-1)	0.25 (2.67)	0 (0-0)	0.44 (-0.54 to 1.42)	2.82 (6.69)	0 (0-3)	1.29 (4.73)	0 (0-1)	1.53 (-0.03 to 3.09); 0.039
Joint-space narrowing	3.12 (6.04)	0 (0-4)	1.84 (3.71)	0 (0-3)	1.28 (-0.10 to 2.66)	1.53 (3.09)	0 (0-2)	0.96 (3.74)	0 (0-1)	0.57 (-0.22 to 1.36)	4.45 (7.10)	2 (0-8)	2.79 (6.25)	0 (0-4)	1.66 (-0.14 to 3.46); 0.026

- cs群では多くが脱落した。
- 24か月後のIFX群 vs cs群 ACR20 40% vs 33% (p=0.259), ACR50 30% vs 22% (p=0.134),
- 有意差はないがIFXは24カ月後でも臨床効果はcs群より高い。
- mTSS IFX群 4.0 vs cs群 7.2 (p=0.009)
- IFX群の方がmTSSの増加が少ない。
- 2年目の進行もIFX群で低い。

Infliximab for 6 months added on combination therapy in early rheumatoid arthritis: 2-year results from an investigator-initiated, randomised, double-blind, placebo-controlled study (the NEO-RACo Study)

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寛解を目指すT2Tで, csDMARD剤にIFXを追加すると持続的寛解が高くなり, X線の関節破壊抑制効果あり

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3剤のcsDMARDsにIFXを加えると X 線で関節破壊抑制があるか検討したRCT.

フィンランドの15施設

罹病期間1年未満のDMARD naïveの102名,寛解を目指し治療を強化.寛解達成後も漸減はしない.

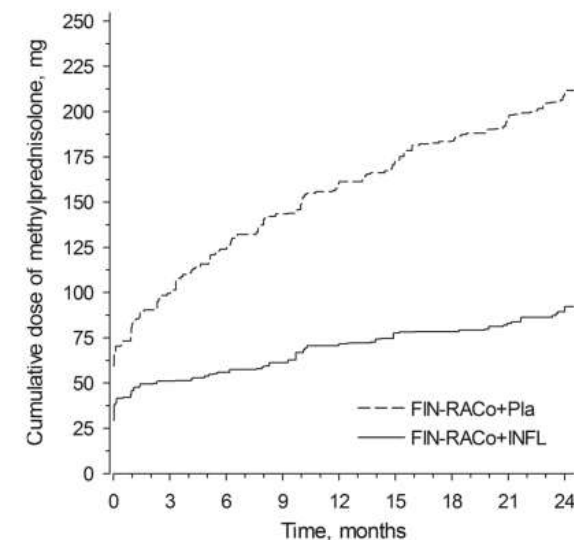
MTX25mg + SASP 2g+HCQ 35mg/kg/wk+PSL 7.5mg+PBO(n=49)

MTX25mg + SASP 2g+HCQ 35mg/kg/wk+PSL 7.5mg+IFX(n=50)

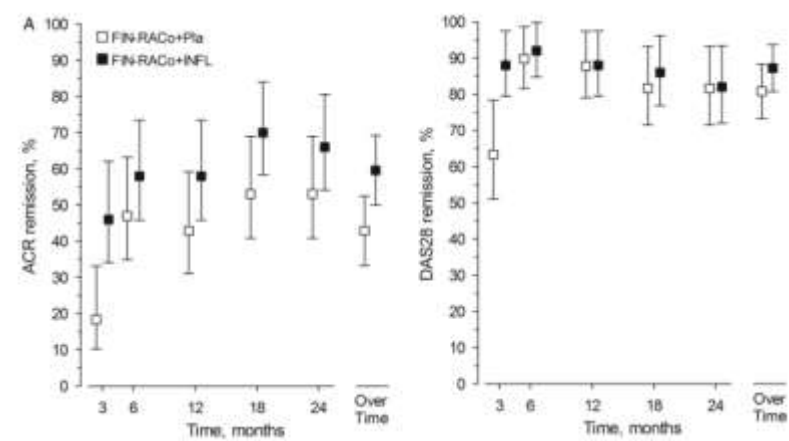
MTXは10mg/wkで開始, 14wには25mg/wkを目指す.

アウトカム: 24カ月後のACR remissionとX線の変化

- 24カ月後のACR 50/70, ACR remissionは有意差なし
- しかし,sustained ACR/DAS28 remissionは有意差あり(p=0.042,0.019)
- X線で関節破壊が進行しなかった割合: IFX群 80%, PBO群 53% (p=0.006)
- 関節内ステロイド累積投与量: PBO 212mg>IFX 92mg
- 有害事象は両群で差はない(IFX 6% vs PBO 8%)



Outcome measure	Treatment group		p Value
	FIN-RACo+infliximab	FIN-RACo+placebo	
ACR50 (%; 95% CI)	96 (86 to 100)	92 (80 to 98)	0.436
ACR70 (%; 95% CI)	86 (73 to 94)	71 (57 to 83)	0.090
Modified ACR remission (%; 95% CI)	66 (51 to 81)	53 (38 to 67)	0.19
Sustained modified ACR remission from 6 to 24 months (%; 95% CI)	26 (15 to 40)	10 (3 to 22)	0.042
DAS28 remission (%; 95% CI)	82 (72 to 93)	82 (71 to 93)	NS
Sustained DAS28 remission from 6 to 24 months (%; 95% CI)	72 (58 to 84)	49 (34 to 64)	0.019
Sharp-van der Heijde score, change from baseline (mean, 95% CI)*			
Erosion score	0.1 (-0.7 to 0.6)†	1.0 (0.6 to 1.6)‡	0.018§
Narrowing score	-0.3 (-0.7 to 0)†	0.4 (0.1 to 0.9)‡	0.029
Total score	-0.2 (-1.2 to 0.4)†	1.4 (0.8 to 2.3)‡	0.0058
Larsen score, change from baseline (mean, 95% CI)	0.4 (-0.5 to 1.3)†	1.7 (0.8 to 2.8)‡	0.079



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Postmarketing surveillance of the safety profile of infliximab in 5000 Japanese patients with rheumatoid arthritis

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日本のIFX市販後調査の結果

重篤な副作用：6.2%

●infusion reaction

発熱(118例, 2.4%), ほてり(78例, 1.6%),
発疹(77例, 1.5%)
重篤な反応は24例(0.5%)
MTX >8mg/wkはリスク因子(p=0.004)

●間質性肺炎

25例(0.5%)
平均2.8回投与後に発症

●結核

14例(0.3%), 全例が重症.
7例(50%)が肺外結核

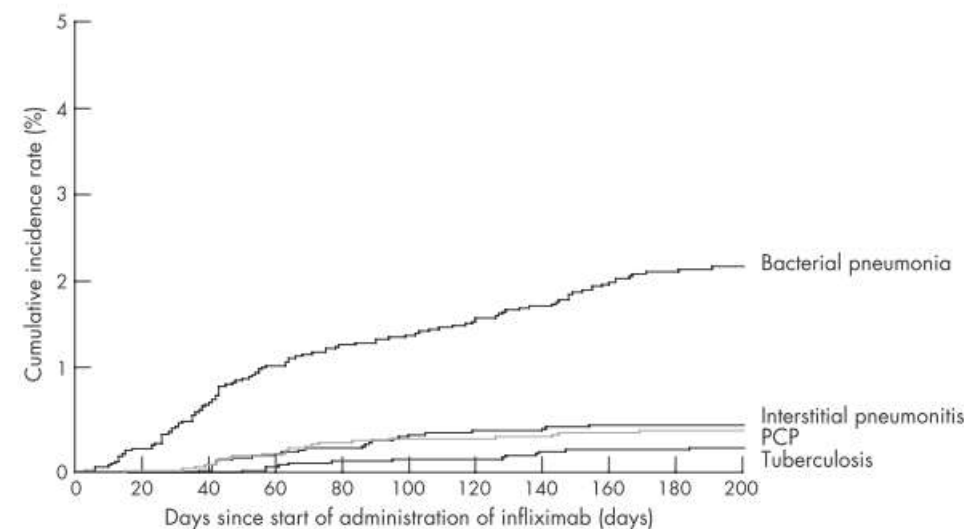
●PCP

22例(0.4%)
22例中21例がBALのPCRで診断.

●細菌性肺炎

108例(2.2%)
40歳未満にはいなかった.

- 初回投与から結核, PCP, 細菌性肺炎, 間質性肺炎が発生するまでの平均日数は, それぞれ103.1日, 70.0日, 72.1日, 76.8日.
- これらのADRの累積発生率をKaplan-Meiermethodでプロットすると, 細菌性肺炎は投与開始直後から, 結核, PCP, 間質性肺炎は投与開始後約1カ月から発生し始めた.



Study of the tolerance of infliximab infusions with or without betamethasone premedication in patients with active rheumatoid arthritis

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GCsの前投与はinfusion reactionの発生率や重症度軽減に寄与しない.

背景：IFX投与の5%にInfusion reactionが起こるとされている。
アセトアミノフェン, 抗ヒスタミン薬, ステロイド, 投与速度減量などで改善.

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MTX併用しているRA
IFX 3mg/kgを 2 時間かけて投与
A:投与前にベタメタゾン(n=179), B:PBO(n=176)
Infusion reaction:投与 2 時間以内に悪寒, そう痒, 蕁麻疹, 胸痛, 呼吸困難, 低血圧, 血圧上昇, 呼吸困難, 頻脈と定義

Infusion reaction発生率：3.8%
ベタメタゾン投与群では30/179例(16.8%), PBO 18/176例(10.2%)
発生時期は, inductionとmaintenanceで差はない
ベタメタゾンはinfusion reactionの重症度に影響しなかった.

アトピー性皮膚炎の既往
や経口PSLでも差はない.

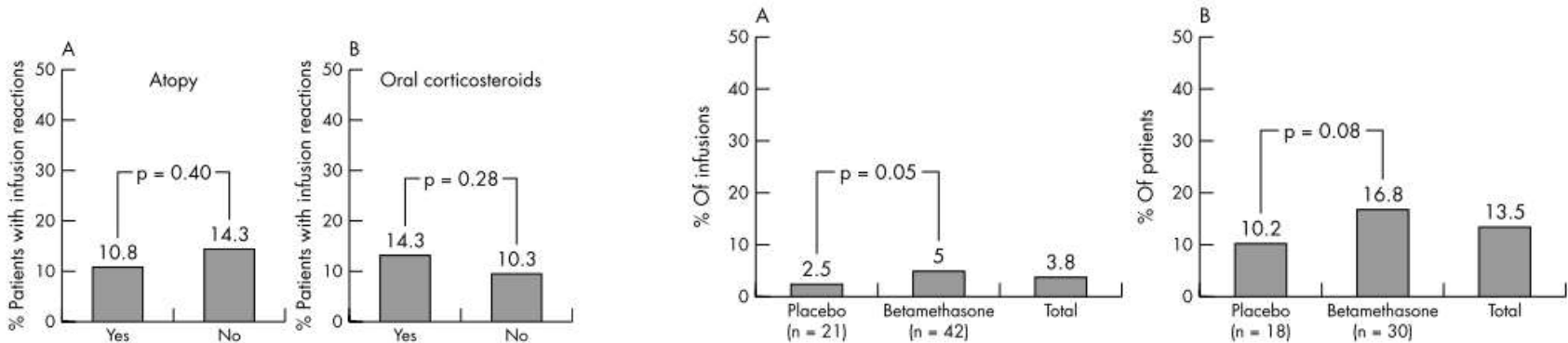


Figure 1 (A) Percentage of infusions in which infusion reactions occurred. (B) Percentage of patients in whom infusion reactions occurred.

10mg/kgに増量すると感染症が増える

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基礎疾患を有する活動性のRAでMTX + IFX(3mg/kg or 10mg/kg)の安全性を検討したRCT.

MTX-IRで圧痛・腫脹関節が6か所以上が対象

PBO群(n=363), 3mg/kg群(n=360), 10mg/kg群(n=361) (それぞれq8w)

3mg/kgは22wにベースラインから20%の改善が乏しい,

または50%悪化あれば1.5mg/kg増量,MTXはMax25mg/wk, csDMARDS併用可

アウトカム：22wでの重篤な感染症の割合(PSL有無で層別化)

- ベースラインの各群の基礎疾患に差はなかった.
- DAS28,ACR responseなどの臨床効果は3mgと10mgで差はない.
- 22wでの重篤な感染症：relative risk 3mg/kg 1.0[p=0.995],
10mg/kg 3.1[p=0.013]
- PBO群 1.6%, 3mg/kg群 1.7%, 10mg/kg 5.0%
- 種類：肺炎, Tb, 蜂窩織炎, UTI
- 22w~54wでは重篤な感染症の発生率は各群で差はなかった.

Table 2. Serious infections through week 22*

Category	Placebo + MTX	Infliximab + MTX		
		3 mg/kg	10 mg/kg	Combined
No. of patients treated	361	360	361	721
Weeks of followup, mean	21.7	21.9	21.7	21.8
Weeks of treatment, mean	13.6	13.6	13.3	13.5
Patients with ≥ 1 serious infection	6 (1.7)	6 (1.7)	18 (5.0)	24 (3.3)
Serious infections reported				
Pneumonia	0 (0.0)	3 (0.8)	4 (1.1)	7 (1.0)
Active tuberculosis	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	3 (0.8)	3 (0.4)
Newly detected latent tuberculosis	1 (0.3)	1 (0.3)	0 (0.0)	1 (0.1)
Cellulitis	0 (0.0)	1 (0.3)	1 (0.3)	2 (0.3)
Urinary tract infection	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	2 (0.6)	2 (0.3)
Bronchitis	2 (0.6)	1 (0.3)	0 (0.0)	1 (0.1)
Corneal ulceration	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	1 (0.3)	1 (0.1)
Viral infection	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	1 (0.3)	1 (0.1)
Influenza	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	1 (0.3)	1 (0.1)
Injection site inflammation†	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	1 (0.3)	1 (0.1)
Otitis media	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	1 (0.3)	1 (0.1)
Pleurisy	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	1 (0.3)	1 (0.1)
<i>Pneumocystis carinii</i> infection	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	1 (0.3)	1 (0.1)
Sepsis	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	1 (0.3)	1 (0.1)
Sinusitis	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	1 (0.3)	1 (0.1)
Septic arthritis	1 (0.3)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)
Diverticulitis	1 (0.3)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)
Pyelonephritis	1 (0.3)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)

Infliximab (レミケード)の特徴

- 用量と投与期間の調整
- 関節破壊抑制効果
- 血中濃度と抗体
- TNF- α 血中濃度
- MTXの併用
- csDMARDs vs Infliximab
- 副作用(Infusion reaction, 感染症)
- 減量・中止

Discontinuation of infliximab after attaining low disease activity in patients with rheumatoid arthritis: RRR (remission induction by Remicade in RA) study

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24wでDAS28<3.2(LDA)ならIFX中止すると, 55%でLDAを維持

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DAS28(CRP/ESR)でLDA<3.2を24w継続したIFX使用中のRA(102名). 中止後2年間, 症状とDAS28を4-13w毎にフォローする.MTXは固定. アウトカム: IFX中止後1年後、DAS28-ESR <3.2, mTSSの進行 <0.5 再燃時(RRR failed)は中止前の同じdoseのIFXを開始.

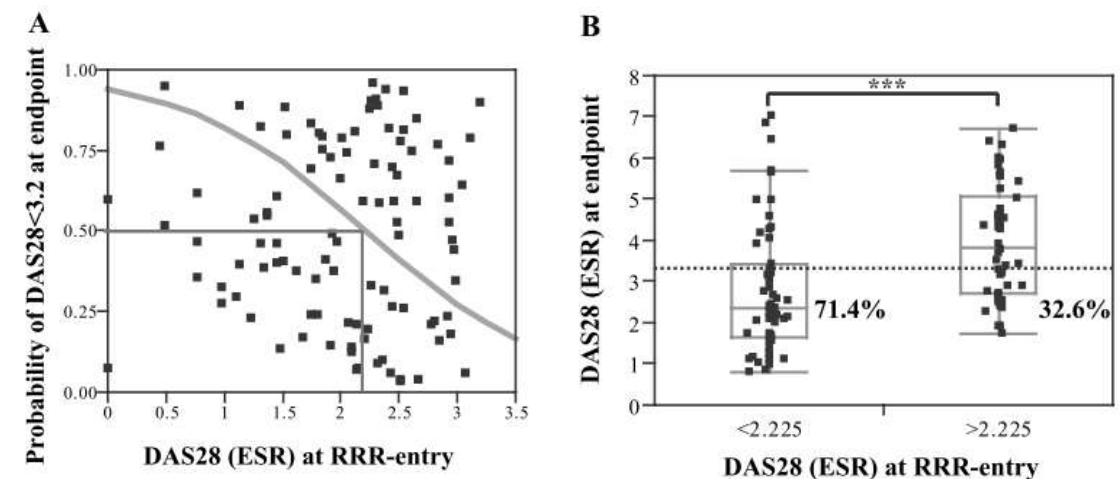
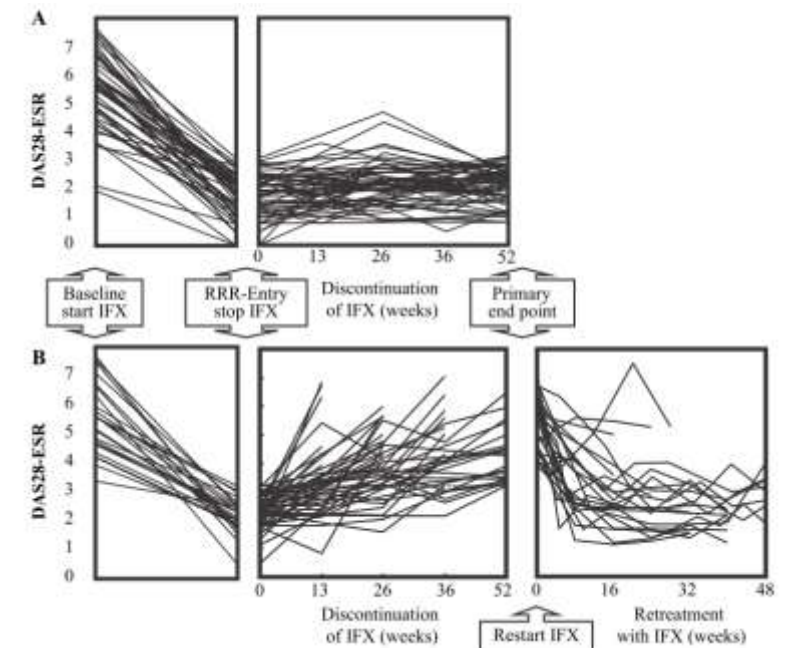
56/102名(55%)がIFX中止1年後もDAS28-ESR<3.2を達成. さらに44/56名がDAS28-ESR<2.6となった. IFX中止後29名が再発, 17名がDAS28-ESR≥3.2で46名(45%)が失敗. IFX再投与で大半は24w以内にDAS28-ESR<3.2となった.

IFX中止成功因子

- ・若年(49yo vs 56yo)
- ・短い罹病期間(4.8 vs 7.8)
- ・mTSS低値(46.9 vs 97.2)

多変量解析: 罹病期間とRF(p=0.0019, 0.0128)

IFX中止前のDAS28が以降1年間の寛解と相関
特に<2.225の深い寛解なら71.4%がDAS28-ESR<3.2を維持.



Discontinuing treatment in patients with rheumatoid arthritis in sustained clinical remission: exploratory analyses from the BeSt study

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Early RAでDAS44<1.6後にIFX中止すると15%は中止を維持.

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活動性のあるearly RA(罹病期間2年未満)

Group 1(n=126): MTX→SASP→LEF→MTX + IFX....

Group 2(n=121): MTX→MTX + SASP→MTX + SASP+HCQ→ MTX + SASP+HCQ+PSL...

Group 3(n=133):MTX + SASP+PSL60mg→ MTX + CyA+PSL→...

Group 4(n=128):MTX + IFX

DAS44<2.4(LDA)を3カ月毎に評価し,未達成なら治療を変更していく.

DAS44<2.4(LDA)を6カ月継続すると維持量(MTX 10mg/wk,SASAP 2gなど)とする.

さらに6カ月以上DAS44<1.6なら中止.

5年後115/508例(23%)でdrug freeを達成(群間差なし, p=0.2)

Group 4 (MTX + IFX)は15%(19/128)でdrug freeを維持.

53/115例が中央値5カ月で治療再開している.

26/53例(47%)は3カ月以内に維持量DMARD再開で寛解を達成.

初診時のCCP抗体,RF, HAQ低値, VAS global health低下は中止後の治療再開と相関.

寛解時の特徴とは関連なし.

Table 1 Overview of the distribution of patients who achieved drug-free remission during 5 years of follow-up in the four treatment groups

	Sequential monotherapy (n=126)	Step-up therapy (n=121)	Initial combination with prednisone (n=133)	Initial combination with infliximab (n=128)
Drug-free ever	31	24	24	36
Still drug-free at 5 years	14 (45)	14 (58)	10 (42)	21 (58)
Restarted DMARD monotherapy	15 (48)	9 (38)	14 (58)	15 (42)
Lost to follow-up	2 (6)	1 (4)	0 (0)	0 (0)

Table 2 Treatment details of the 115 patients who discontinued all DMARDs due to sustained clinical remission

	Sustained drug-free remission (n=59)	Restarted (n=53)	Lost to follow-up (n=3)
Sequential monotherapy			
MTX monotherapy*	11	9	1
SSA monotherapy†	0	4	1
Leflunomide monotherapy‡	3	0	0
MTX + IFX§	0	2	0
Next steps	0	0	0
Step-up combination therapy			
MTX monotherapy*	8	4	1
MTX + SSA¶	4	3	0
MTX + SSA + HCQ¶	2	1	0
MTX + SSA + HCQ + pred¶	0	1	0
Next steps	0	0	0
Initial combination with prednisone			
MTX + SSA + pred**	10	12††	0
MTX + CSA + pred‡‡	0	2	0
Next steps	0	0	0
Initial combination with infliximab			
MTX + IFX§	19	13	0
SSA monotherapy†	2	2	0
Next steps	0	0	0