



EUROPEAN MEDICINES AGENCY
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ZYNYZ

Procedural steps taken and scientific information after the authorisation*

*Due to the Agency's update of its procedure management systems, an additional document, reflecting the historical lifecycle may be available in the 'Assessment history' section. For the complete product lifecycle procedures, you may need to also refer to **EPAR - Procedural steps taken and scientific information after authorisation (archive)**.

Application number	Scope	Opinion/ Notification ¹ issued on	Commission Decision Issued ² / amended on	Product Information affected ³	Summary
Variation type II /	C.I.6 Change(s) to therapeutic indication(s)	29/01/2026	05/03/2026	SmPC and PL	Please refer to Scientific Discussion

¹ Notifications are issued for type I variations and Article 61(3) notifications (unless part of a group including a type II variation or extension application or a worksharing application). Opinions are issued for all other procedures.

² A Commission decision (CD) is issued for procedures that affect the terms of the marketing authorisation (e.g. summary of product characteristics, annex II, labelling, package leaflet). The CD is issued within two months of the opinion for variations falling under the scope of Article 23.1a(a) of Regulation (EU) No. 712/2012, or within one year for other procedures.

³ SmPC (Summary of Product Characteristics), Annex II, Labelling, PL (Package Leaflet).



EMA/VR/0000247788	- C.I.6.a Addition of a new therapeutic indication or modification of an approved one - Accepted Extension of indication to include in combination with carboplatin and paclitaxel treatment of adult patients with metastatic or with inoperable locally recurrent squamous cell carcinoma of the anal canal (SCAC) for ZYNYZ, based on interim results from study INCMGA 0012-303 (POD1UM-303/InterAACT-2); this is a phase 3 global, multicenter, double-blind randomized study of carboplatin-paclitaxel with retifanlimab or placebo in participants with inoperable locally recurrent or metastatic squamous cell carcinoma of the anal canal not previously treated with systemic chemotherapy; As a consequence, sections 4.1, 4.2, 4.4, 4.8, 5.1, and 5.2 of the SmPC are updated. The Package Leaflet is updated in accordance. Version 1.1 of the RMP has also been submitted. In addition, the Marketing authorisation holder (MAH) took the opportunity to introduce editorial changes to the PI.				EMA/VR/0000247788
Variation type IA / EMA/VR/0000323566	This was an application for a group of variations. A. ADMINISTRATIVE CHANGES - A.4 Change in the name and/or address of: a	23/01/2026			

	manufacturer (including where relevant quality control testing sites); or an ASMF holder; or a supplier of the active substance, starting material, reagent or intermediate used in the manufacture of the active substance (where specified in the technical dossier) where no Ph. Eur. Certificate of Suitability is part of the approved dossier; or a manufacturer of a novel excipient (where specified in the technical dossier) - Accepted A. ADMINISTRATIVE CHANGES - A.4 Change in the name and/or address of: a manufacturer (including where relevant quality control testing sites); or an ASMF holder; or a supplier of the active substance, starting material, reagent or intermediate used in the manufacture of the active substance (where specified in the technical dossier) where no Ph. Eur. Certificate of Suitability is part of the approved dossier; or a manufacturer of a novel excipient (where specified in the technical dossier) - Accepted				
PSUR / EMA/PSUR/0000282291	In view of available data on immune-mediated adverse reactions in patients with pre-existing autoimmune disease from the literature and in view of a plausible mechanism of action, the PRAC considers a causal relationship between retifanlimab and in view of data on patients with pre-existing autoimmune disease, that suggest an	13/11/2025	09/01/2026	SmPC and PL	Variation

	increased risk of immune-mediated adverse reactions and flares of the underlying autoimmune disease following therapy from the literature, the PRAC concluded that the product information of products containing retifanlimab should be amended accordingly.				
Variation type II / EMA/VR/0000287225	This was an application for a group of variations. B.II.b.2 Change to importer, batch release arrangements and quality control testing of the finished product - B.II.b.2.b Replacement or addition of a site where batch control/testing takes place for a biological/immunological product and any of the test methods performed at the site is a biological/immunological method - Accepted A.5 Change in the name and/or address of a manufacturer/importer of the finished product (including batch release or quality control testing sites) - A.5.b The activities for which the manufacturer/importer is responsible do not include batch release - Accepted	02/10/2025			
Variation type IB / EMA/VR/0000282174	This was an application for a group of variations. B.II.e.2 Change in the specification parameters and/or limits of the immediate	15/07/2025			

	packaging of the finished product - B.II.e.2.z Other changes - Accepted B.II.e.2 Change in the specification parameters and/or limits of the immediate packaging of the finished product - B.II.e.2.z Other changes - Accepted B.II.e.2 Change in the specification parameters and/or limits of the immediate packaging of the finished product - B.II.e.2.c Deletion of a non-significant specification parameter (e.g. deletion of an obsolete parameter) - Accepted				
Variation type IB / EMA/VR/0000266710	This was an application for a group of variations. B.I.a.4 Change to in-process tests or limits applied during the manufacture of the active substance - B.I.a.4.z Other variation - Accepted B.I.a.1 Change in the manufacturer of a starting material/reagent/intermediate used in the manufacturing process of the active substance or change in the manufacturer (including where relevant quality control testing sites) of the active substance, where no Ph. Eur. Certificate of Suitability is part of the approved dossier - B.I.a.1.z Other variation - Accepted B.I.a.1 Change in the manufacturer of a starting material/reagent/intermediate used	22/05/2025			

	in the manufacturing process of the active substance or change in the manufacturer (including where relevant quality control testing sites) of the active substance, where no Ph. Eur. Certificate of Suitability is part of the approved dossier - B.I.a.1.z Other variation - Accepted B.I.b.2 Change in test procedure for active substance or starting material/reagent/intermediate used in the manufacturing process of the active substance - B.I.b.2.e Other changes to a test procedure (including replacement or addition) for the active substance or a starting material/intermediate - Accepted B.I.d.1.a Re-test period/storage period - B.I.d.1.a.4 Extension or introduction of a re-test period/storage period supported by real time data - Accepted				
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