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Scientific recommendation on classification of advanced therapy medicinal products

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The present scientific recommendation refers exclusively to the case as presented to the European Medicines Agency (EMA) without prejudice to future evaluations by the Agency.

Brief description (or name where available) of the active substance(S)

Genetically modified adenovirus coding for human granulocyte-macrophage colony stimulating factor (GM-CSF)

Brief description of the finished product

Concentrate for solution for injection

Proposed indication

Treatment of cancer

EMA/CAT conclusion

On the basis that:

- The product contains a biological medicinal product as the active substance;
- The active substance is a recombinant nucleic acid administered to human beings with a view to adding a genetic sequence;
- Its therapeutic effect relates directly to the product of the genetic expression of this sequence



the EMA/CAT considers that the Product falls within the definition of a gene therapy medicinal produc