

**Evidence Table 2. Individual Phase 3 RCTs, and meta-analyses, of monoclonal antibodies versus placebo in Alzheimer’s Disease: Random effects modeling results (standardized mean difference (SMD) and 95% confidence interval, unless otherwise noted) for all outcomes, with only statistically significant results presented, and related author-attributed effect sizes, when available<sup>a</sup>**

Monoclonal Antibody (Dose)	Trial Information (if singular)	Publication	ADAS-Cog (Neg = Impr.)	MMSE (Pos = Impr.)	CDR-SB (Neg = Impr.)	Amyloid PET SUVR (Neg = Impr.)	CSF p-tau (Neg = Impr.)	ADCS-ADL (Pos = Impr.)	vMRI (Pos = Impr.)	CSF Aβ 1-42 (Pos = Impr.)	ARIA Pos = Adv.
<b>BAPINEUZUMAB</b>											
Bapineuzumab (0.5 mg/kg)	12/2007-6/2012 “Non-carrier Study (301)” NCT00574132	Salloway: 2014 <sup>b</sup>	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-	ns	-	RR: 14.77 [1.99; 109.63]
Bapineuzumab (1.0 mg/kg)	12/2007-6/2012 “Non-carrier Study (301)” NCT00574132	Salloway: 2014 <sup>b</sup>	ns	ns	ns	ns	-0.53 [-0.95; -0.11]	-	ns	-	RR: 17.52 [4.29; 71.60]
Bapineuzumab (.5 mg/kg)	12/2007-4/2012 “Carrier Study (302)” NCT00575055	Salloway: 2014 <sup>b</sup>	ns	ns	ns	-0.58 [-0.97; -0.19]	-0.40 [-0.68; -0.12]	-	ns	-	RR: 19.04 [7.87; 46.07]
Bapineuzumab (0.5 mg/kg)	6/2008-10/2012 “Non-carrier Study 3000” NCT00667810	Vandenberghe: 2016 <sup>b</sup>	ns	-	ns	ns	ns	-	ns	-	RR: 8.62 [1.14; 65.29] Lg. ES
Bapineuzumab (1.0 mg/kg)	6/2008-10/2012 “Non-carrier Study 3000” NCT00667810	Vandenberghe: 2016 <sup>b</sup>	ns	-	ns	ns	ns	-	ns	-	RR: 20.86 [2.87; 151.44]
Bapineuzumab (0.5 mg/kg)	1/2008-10/2012 “Carrier Study (3001)” NCT00676143	Vandenberghe: 2016 <sup>b</sup>	ns	-	ns	ns	ns	-	ns	-	RR: 8.13 [4.16; 15.87]
2017 Meta-analysis of: bapineuzumab		Abushouk: 2017 <sup>j</sup>	ns	ns	ns	-	-5.04 [-8; -2.09]				RR: 40.88, [11.94; 135.95]
2019 Meta-analysis of bapineuzumab (1 mg/kg) across 2 Phase III Studies		Foroutan: 2019	ns	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2019 Meta-analysis of bapineuzumab (0.5 mg/kg) across 3 Phase II studies		Foroutan: 2019	ns	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2021 Meta-analysis of bapineuzumab across 6 Phase III studies		Avgerinos: 2021 <sup>l</sup>	ns	ns	ns	ns	-0.29 [-0.48; -0.10] Sm. ES	-	ns	-	12.47 [ 7.80; 19.93] Lg. ES
<b>SOLANEZUMAB</b>											
Solanezumab (400 mg)	5/2009-4/2012 “EXPEDITION 1” NCT00905372	Doody: 2014 <sup>b</sup>	ns	ns	ns	-	-	ns	-	ns	RR: 0.97 [0.68; 1.37]
Solanezumab (400 mg)	5/2009-4/2012 “EXPEDITION 2” NCT00904683	Doody: 2014 <sup>b</sup>	ns	ns	ns	-	-	ns	-	0.53 [0.07; 1.00]	RR: 0.97 [0.68; 1.37]
Solanezumab	7/2013-10/2016		ns	0.10	ns	ns	-	0.11	ns	1.68	RR: 0.51

(400 mg)	“EXPEDITION 3” NCT01900665	Honig: 2018 <sup>b</sup>		[0.01; 0.18]					[0.02; 0.19]		[1.40; 1.97]	[0.05; 5.57]
2019 Meta-analysis of solanezumab across 3 Phase II or III studies		Foroutan: 2019 <sup>p</sup>	-1.44 [-1.51; -1.37]	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2021 Meta-analysis of solanezumab across 3 Phase III studies		Avgerinos: 2021 <sup>o</sup>	-0.07 [-0.13; -0.01] Sm. S	0.08 [0.02; 0.15] Sm. ES	ns	ns	-	ns	ns	ns	ns	0.94 [0.21; 4.32] Sm. ES
<b>GANTENERUMAB</b>												
Gantenerumab (105 mg)	1/2010-9/2020 “Scarlet Road” NCT01224106	Ostrowitzki: 2017 <sup>b</sup>	ns	ns	ns	ns	-1.60 [-2.06; -1.15]	-	-	ns	ns	RR: 2.18 [1.37; 3.48]
Gantenerumab (225 mg)	1/2010-9/2020 “Scarlet Road” NCT01224106	Ostrowitzki: 2017 <sup>b</sup>	ns	ns	ns	ns	-2.50 [-3.04; -1.16]	-	-	0.70 [0.28; 1.11]	RR: 2.07 [1.31; 3.27]	
2021 Meta-analysis of gantenerumab across 2 Phase III studies		Avgerinos: 2021 <sup>n</sup>	ns	ns	ns	ns	-2.04 [-2.93; -1.16] Lg. ES	-	-	ns	ns	2.13 [1.54; 2.94] Lg. ES
<b>ADUCANUMAB</b>												
Aducanumab (1-6 mg/kg)	8/2015-8/2019 “EMERGE” (Study 302) NCT02484547	Haerberlein: 2020 <sup>b</sup>	ns	ns	ns	-2.35 [-2.84; -1.85]	-0.86 [-1.58; -0.13]	ns	-	-	RR: 3.18 [2.20; 4.61]	
Aducanumab (1-10 mg/kg)	8/2015-8/2019 “EMERGE” (Study 302) NCT02484547	Haerberlein: 2020 <sup>b</sup>	-0.16 [-0.30; -0.01]	0.14 [0.00; 0.29]	-0.17 [-0.31; -0.02]	-3.41 [-3.99; -2.84]	-1.61 [-2.51; -0.71]	0.23 [0.08; 0.37]	-	-	RR: 4.00 [2.78; 5.77]	
Aducanumab (1-6 mg/kg)	8/2015-8/2019 “ENGAGE”(Study 301) NCT02477800	Haerberlein: 2020 <sup>b</sup>	ns	ns	ns	-1.66 [-2.03; -1.29]	-1.11 [-1.98; -0.24]	ns	-	-	RR: 3.14 [2.13; 4.62]	
Aducanumab (1-10 mg/kg)	8/2015-8/2019 “ENGAGE” (Study 301) NCT02477800	Haerberlein: 2020 <sup>b</sup>	ns	ns	ns	-2.59 [-3.03; -2.14]	ns	ns	-	-	RR: 4.13 [2.83; 6.04]	
2021 Meta-analysis of aducanumab across 4 Phase III studies		Avgerinos: 2021 <sup>k</sup>	-0.10 [-0.17; -0.03] Sm. ES	ns	ns	-2.48 [-3.18; -1.78] Lg. ES	-1.06 [-1.47; -0.65] Lg. ES	0.13 [0.06; 0.20] Sm. ES	-	-	RR: 3.59 [2.85; 4.53] Lg. ES	
<b>CRENEZUMAB</b>												
Crenezumab (60 mg/kg)	2020 “CREAD1” NCT02670083	Results on Clinicaltrials.gov <sup>b</sup>	ns	ns	ns	-	-	ns	ns	-	-	
Crenezumab (100 mg/kg)	2020 “CREAD2” NCT03114657	Results on Clinicaltrials.gov <sup>b</sup>	ns	ns	0.79 [-1.58; 0.00]	-	-	ns	ns	-	-	
2021 Meta-analysis of crenezumab across 2 Phase III studies		Avgerinos: 2021 <sup>m</sup>	ns	ns	ns	-	-	ns	ns	-	-	
<b>MULTI-mAb META-ANALYSES</b>												
2021 Meta-analysis of:		Avgerinos: 2021 <sup>f</sup>	-0.06	0.05	ns	-1.02	-0.87	0.09	0.08	ns	RR: 4.30	

aducanumab (4), bapineuzumab (6), crenezumab (2), gantenerumab (2), solanezumab (3) across 17 total Phase III studies			[-0.10; -0.02] Sm. ES	[0.01; 0.09] Sm. ES		[-1.70; -0.34] Lg. S	[-1.32; -0.43] Lg. ES	[0.03; 0.14] Sm. ES	[0.00; 0.17] Sm. ES		[2.39; 7.77] Lg. ES
2019 Meta- analysis of: bapineuzumab, solanezumab, semagacestat, IVIG, AN1792, ACC-001 +/-QS- 21, tramiprosate (3APS) across 10 total Phase II and III studies		Foroutan: 2019 <sup>g</sup>	-0.39 [-0.42; -0.35] Sm. ES	0.04 [0.02; 0.05] <sup>d</sup>	0.11 [0.10; 0.12]	-	-	-	-	-	RR: 9.3 [3.56; 24.35]
2019 Meta- analysis (non- pooled, comparative) of Aducanumab, AN1792 + QS21, Bapineuzumab, CAD106, Solanezumab were retrieved across 9 studies		Mo: 2017 <sup>h</sup>	ns	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	e
2017 Meta- analysis of: AN1792, CAD106, bapineuzumab, solanezumab, ponezumab, gantenerumab, and aducanumab across 14 Phase III studies		Penninkilampi: 2017 <sup>i</sup>	ns <sup>q</sup>	0.44 [0.07; 0.81] <sup>q</sup>	ns <sup>q</sup>	-	-	-	-	-	OR: 4.79, [1.24; 18.55]

a Abbreviations: Pos=positive; Neg=negative; Impr.=improved; Adv.=adverse; Sm. ES (Small effect size); Lg. ES (Large effect size); ns: not statistically significant; “-”: not studied”

b All results for individual mAb drugs are as reported in the meta-analysis conducted by the National Institute on Aging (Avgerinos 2021 [\[ii\]](#)),

c A four-point difference is required for meaningful clinical significance, per Foroutan et al. (2019)

d Studies in this pooled analysis included only the following five: AN1792, bapineuzumab 0.5 mg/kg, bapineuzumab 1 mg/kg, solanezumab 400 mg, and semagacestat

e Authors concluded: “In terms of ARIA, bapineuzumab and aducanumab are significantly worse than placebo (OR: 60.88 95% CI: 15.07–245.94 and 6.54 1.49–28.65). Aducanumab is significantly worse than CAD106 and solanezumab (30.07 1.21–748.79 and 6.79 1.48–31.12). Also, bapineuzumab is significantly worse than solanezumab (63.20 14.91–267.86).”

f “Robust data syntheses of all included studies (12,585 participants) showed statistical improvements for monoclonal antibodies on cognitive outcomes (ADAS-Cog and MMSE) and a trend towards improvement on CDR-SB, a measure that assesses both cognition and function. The statistically significant cognitive benefits of monoclonal antibodies revealed in this meta- analysis were particularly noteworthy considering that the majority of original studies did not reach significance for ADAS-Cog and MMSE. Additional meta- analyses also showed that monoclonal antibodies statistically improved a functional measure (AD Cooperative Study- Activities of Daily Living), reduced amyloid burden (amyloid PET SUVR) and a tau biomarker (CSF p181-tau), preserved brain volume (vMRI), but also increased the risk of the hallmark adverse event for this drug class, ARIA.” (Avgerinos 2021 [\[iii\]](#))

g “In terms of safety, the rate of ARIA-E was significantly higher with monoclonal antibodies. Solanezumab and AN1792 (vaccine) were the drugs of choice both from efficacy and safety perspectives. Conclusion: In terms of efficacy, the review showed a statistically, but not clinically significant, improvement in favor of immunotherapy versus placebo.” (Foroutan, 2019 [\[iv\]](#))

h “Optimal intervention was ranked by benefit-risk ratio based on the surface under the cumulative ranking curve. Eleven eligible RCTs from 9 literatures, including 5141 patients and 5 interventions were included. The quality of evidence was rated low in comparisons. For efficacy, in terms of Mini-Mental State Examination, aducanumab and solanezumab are significantly effective than placebo. For safety, in terms of Amyloid-Related Imaging Abnormalities (ARIA), bapineuzumab and aducanumab are significantly worse than placebo. There were no significant differences in outcomes of Alzheimer's disease Assessment Scale-Cognitive subscale, Disability Assessment for Dementia, Adverse Events, and mortality. Given the clinical therapeutic effects of anti-Aβ immunotherapies for AD, aducanumab and solanezumab improve the cognitive function, while aducanumab and bapineuzumab may increase the risks of ARIA.” (Mo, 2019 [\[v\]](#))

i “Upon pooling of data, there was no increased risk of any adverse event, serious adverse events, or death with the exception of a near fivefold increase in amyloid-related imaging abnormalities (ARIA; OR 4.79, 95% CI 1.24–18.55; p = 0.02). Of the cognitive indicators, the Mini-Mental State Examination (MMSE) showed a small statistically significant improvement (diff in means =0.44; p = 0.02), while

the others (ADAS-cog, ADCS-ADL, and CDR-sb) showed no change. Therefore, immunotherapeutic agents have been relatively well tolerated, with some promise for cognitive improvements if the occurrence of ARIA can be mitigated.” (Penninkilampi, 2017[[vi](#)])

j “Considering the lack of clinical efficacy, combined with the significant association with serious adverse events, bapineuzumab should not be used to treat patients with mild to moderate AD.” (Abushouk, 2017[[vii](#)])

k “Aducanumab statistically improved ADAS-Cog, and it was the only drug that statistically improved CDR-SB and “AD Cooperative Study-Activities of Daily Living” ... therefore potentially benefiting both cognition and function. The effect sizes for these improvements were small (effect sizes <0.2 correspond to clinically minor score changes on the ADAS-Cog, CDR-SB and “AD Cooperative Study-Activities of Daily Living” scales) ... Aducanumab decreased brain A $\beta$  burden and CSF p-tau by large effect sizes (ideal Number Needed to Treat) ... The combination of statistical improvements in multiple clinical outcomes and strong target engagement/disease-modifying properties identify Aducanumab as the most promising candidate in this drug class that has reached Phase III trials” (Avgerinos, 2021[[viii](#)])

l “Generally, there were no statistically significant differences between groups, on efficacy outcomes, except CSF p-tau, however Sm. ESs.” (Avgerinos, 2021[[ix](#)])

m “Based on results of an interim analysis, CREAD 1 and 2 were discontinued because Crenezumab was unlikely to meet the primary endpoint.” (Avgerinos, 2021[[x](#)])

n “Futility based on interim analysis” (Avgerinos, 2021[[xi](#)])

o “It is worth noting that Solanezumab produced some statistically significant effects on clinical outcomes (ADAS-Cog, MMSE) without increasing ARIA risk.” (Avgerinos, 2021[[xii](#)])

p “The meta-analysis results showed a statistically significant change from baseline regarding ADAS-cog values (mean difference=-0.39; 95% CI -0.42, -0.35, P=0.001) in favor of immunotherapies; however, the ADAS-Cog is a detailed cognitive assessment for dementia for which a four-point difference between treatment groups is required to be considered a significant difference in the clinical practice setting which was not achieved in the present analysis ... Solanezumab 400 mg is reported as the best therapeutic choice having measured cognitive outcomes of patients with the ADAS-cog scale.” (Foroutan, 2019[[xiii](#)])

q Studies in this pooled analysis included only the following three: solanezumab (Doody, 2014), AN1792 (Gilman, 2005), and bapineuzumab (Salloway, 2014)