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**Sponsor**

Novartis Pharmaceuticals

**Generic Drug Name**

Secukinumab

**Trial Indication(s)**

Plaque Psoriasis

**Protocol Number**

CAIN457ADE06

**Protocol Title**

A randomized, controlled, multicenter, open-label study with blinded assessment of the efficacy of subcutaneous secukinumab compared to Fumaderm® in adults with moderate to severe plaque psoriasis.

**Clinical Trial Phase**

Phase 3

**Phase of Drug Development**

Phase 4

**Study Start/End Dates**

Study Start Date: April 2015 (Actual)

Primary Completion Date: June 2016 (Actual)

Study Completion Date: June 2016 (Actual)

**Reason for Termination (If applicable)**

Not applicable

**Study Design/Methodology**

This was a multicenter, open-label, randomized, controlled, parallel-group study over 24 weeks, in which the efficacy data on secukinumab 2 x 150 mg vs. Fumaric acid in the treatment of patients with moderate to severe plaque psoriasis were evaluated by a blinded assessor.

**Centers**

Germany(76)

**Objectives:****Primary objective(s)**

The primary study objective was to demonstrate the superiority of secukinumab compared to Fumaric Acid in patients with moderate to severe plaque psoriasis based on the proportion of Psoriasis Area Severity Index (PASI) 75 responders at week 24.

**Secondary objectives**

Secondary study objectives were:

- To compare the efficacy of secukinumab and Fumaric Acid on raw PASI and PASI 50/75/90/100 response rates at weeks 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 12, 16, 20, and 24.
- To compare efficacy of secukinumab and Fumaric Acid on Body Surface Area (BSA) at weeks 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 12, 16, 20, and 24.
- To compare the effect of secukinumab and Fumaric Acid on Nail Psoriasis Severity Index (NAPSI) response at weeks 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 12, 16, 20, and 24.
- To compare efficacy of secukinumab and Fumaric Acid on the 2011 modified Investigator's Global Assessment (IGA mod 2011) and IGA mod 2011 0/1 response at weeks 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 12, 16, 20, and 24.
- To compare the effect of secukinumab and Fumaric Acid on Dermatology Quality of Life Index (DLQI) and DLQI 0/1 response at weeks 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 12, 16, 20, and 24.

- To compare the effect of secukinumab and Fumaric Acid on Short Form (SF)-36 response at weeks 4, 16 and 24.

**Test Product (s), Dose(s), and Mode(s) of Administration**

Secukinumab 150 mg in 1 mL prefilled pens for subcutaneous injection. Patients in the secukinumab arm received a dose of 300 mg secukinumab, administered as 2 subcutaneous injections of 150 mg at weeks 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 8, 12, 16, and 20.

Fumaric acid (initial and maintenance therapy) for oral administration. Patients in the Fumaric acid arm received daily doses of Fumaric acid (initial and maintenance therapy) according to the dose-titration scheme and the recommendations for dose adjustment provided in the local product information.

**Statistical Methods**

The primary efficacy analysis was performed in the FAS by calculating the Odds ratio (OR) for PASI 75 response rates at week 24 based on a logistic regression model with factor “treatment” and covariate “baseline value”. For the main analysis, patients with missing values for week 24 were considered responders, if they had met the response criterion already at the time of drop-out; otherwise, they were considered non-responders.

All secondary efficacy variables were analyzed descriptively.

**Study Population: Key Inclusion/Exclusion Criteria**

Inclusion Criteria:

- Men or women must be at least 18 years of age at the time of screening
- Chronic plaque-type psoriasis diagnosed for at least 6 months before randomization Patients with moderate to severe plaque psoriasis who are candidates for systemic therapy as defined at randomization by:
- PASI score of >10
- Affected body surface area (BSA) > 10%
- DLQI >10
- Inadequate response, intolerance or contraindication to topical psoriasis treatment as documented in the patient’s medical history or reported by the patient or determined by the investigator at screening.

Exclusion Criteria (abbreviated):

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- Previous systemic treatment of plaque psoriasis or known contraindication for systemic therapy at baseline
- Ongoing use of other prohibited psoriasis and non-psoriasis treatment.
- Clinically important active infections or infestations, chronic, recurrent or latent infections or infestations
- Patients with severe liver diseases
- Patients with severe gastrointestinal diseases including but not limited to ventricular and duodenal ulcers
- Patients with severe kidney diseases or serum creatinine above 1 x ULN
- Patients with known hematological disease or lab abnormalities
- Pregnancy, breast feeding, or unwillingness/inability to use appropriate measures of contraception (if necessary)

## Participant Flow Table

### Overall Study

|   | Secukinumab | Fumaric acid<br>(initial and<br>maintenance<br>therapy) |
|---|-------------|---|
| <b>Started</b>                            | 105         | 97  |
| <b>Full analysis set<br/>(FAS)</b>        | 105         | 95  |
| <b>Completed</b>                          | 99          | 43  |
| <b>Not Completed</b>                      | 6           | 54  |
| Adverse Event                             | 2           | 32  |
| Withdrawal of<br>informed consent         | 1           | 11  |
| Lost to Follow-up                         | 2           | 2   |
| Dose tapering not<br>achieved             | 0           | 4   |
| Participant/guardian<br>decision          | 1           | 2   |
| Non-compliance<br>with study<br>treatment | 0           | 2   |

Protocol deviation                      0                      1

### **Baseline Characteristics**

|   | Secukinumab | Fumaric acid<br>(initial and<br>maintenance<br>therapy) | Total     |
|---|-------------|---|-----------|
| <b>Number of Participants<br/>[units: participants]</b>                 | 105         | 97  | 202       |
| <b>Age Continuous</b><br>(units: years)<br>Mean ± Standard<br>Deviation | 43.2±14.2   | 42.4±13.2   | 42.8±13.7 |
| <b>Gender, Male/Female</b><br>(units: Participants)                     |             |   |           |
| Female  | 40          | 37  | 77        |
| Male  | 65          | 60  | 125       |
| <b>Age Categorical</b><br>(units: Participants)                         |             |   |           |
| <=18 years  | 0           | 0   | 0         |
| Between 18 and 65<br>years  | 98          | 90  | 188       |
| >=65 years  | 7           | 7   | 14        |

## Summary of Efficacy

### Primary Outcome Result(s)

Percentage of participants achieving Psoriasis Area and Severity Index (PASI) 75 Response at week 24

|   | Secukinumab | Fumaric acid<br>(initial and<br>maintenance<br>therapy) |
|---|-------------|---|
| <b>Number of Participants<br/>Analyzed [units:<br/>participants]</b>  | 105         | 95  |
| <b>Percentage of<br/>participants achieving<br/>Psoriasis Area and<br/>Severity Index (PASI) 75<br/>Response at week 24</b><br>(units: Percentage of<br>participants) | 89.52       | 33.68   |

### **Statistical Analysis**

| <b>Groups</b>                       | Secukinumab,<br>Fumaric acid (initial and<br>maintenance therapy) |
|-------------------------------------|---|
| Non-Inferiority/Equivalence<br>Test | No  |
| P Value                             | <0.0001   |
| Method                              | Regression, Logistic  |
| Odds Ratio (OR)                     | 16.61   |

95  
 % Confidence Interval 7.79 to 35.40  
 2-Sided

### **Secondary Outcome Result(s)**

**Percentage of participants achieving Psoriasis Area and Severity Index (PASI) 50 Response at week 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 12, 16, 20 and 24**

|   | <b>Secukinumab</b> | <b>Fumaric acid<br/>(initial and<br/>maintenance<br/>therapy)</b> |
|---|--------------------|---|
| <b>Number of Participants<br/>Analyzed [units:<br/>participants]</b>  | 105                | 95  |
| <b>Percentage of participants achieving Psoriasis Area and<br/>Severity Index (PASI) 50 Response at week 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8,<br/>12, 16, 20 and 24</b><br>(units: Percentage of participants) |                    |   |
| Week 1 (n = 105, 91)  | 9.5                | 1.1   |
| Week 2 (n = 105, 95)  | 37.1               | 6.3   |
| Week 3 (n = 105, 95)  | 63.8               | 10.5  |
| Week 4 (n = 105, 95)  | 81.9               | 14.7  |

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|-----------------------|------|------|
| Week 6 (n = 105, 95)  | 93.3 | 28.4 |
| Week 8 (n = 105, 95)  | 96.2 | 41.1 |
| Week 12 (n = 105, 95) | 97.1 | 56.8 |
| Week 16 (n = 105, 95) | 98.1 | 60.0 |
| Week 20 (n = 105, 95) | 98.1 | 61.1 |
| Week 24 (n = 105, 95) | 98.1 | 61.1 |

**Percentage of participants achieving Psoriasis Area and Severity Index (PASI) 75 Response at week 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 12, 16 and 20**

|   | <b>Secukinumab</b> | <b>Fumaric acid<br/>(initial and<br/>maintenance<br/>therapy)</b> |
|---|--------------------|---|
| <b>Number of Participants<br/>Analyzed [units:<br/>participants]</b>  | 105                | 95  |
| <b>Percentage of participants achieving Psoriasis Area and<br/>Severity Index (PASI) 75 Response at week 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8,<br/>12, 16 and 20</b><br>(units: Percentage of participants) |                    |   |
| Week 1 (n = 105, 91)  | 0                  | 0   |
| Week 2 (n = 105, 95)  | 5.7                | 0   |
| Week 3 (n = 105, 95)  | 24.8               | 0   |
| Week 4 (n = 105, 95)  | 47.6               | 1.1   |
| Week 6 (n = 105, 95)  | 69.5               | 2.1   |
| Week 8 (n = 105, 95)  | 80.0               | 8.4   |
| Week 12 (n = 105, 95)   | 87.6               | 21.1  |
| Week 16 (n = 105, 95)   | 88.6               | 27.4  |
| Week 20 (n = 105, 95)   | 88.6               | 36.8  |



### Percentage of participants achieving Psoriasis Area and Severity Index (PASI) 90 Response at week 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 12, 16, 20 and 24

|   | Secukinumab | Fumaric acid<br>(initial and<br>maintenance<br>therapy) |
|---|-------------|---|
| <b>Number of Participants<br/>Analyzed [units:<br/>participants]</b>  | 105         | 95  |
| <b>Percentage of participants achieving Psoriasis Area and<br/>Severity Index (PASI) 90 Response at week 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8,<br/>12, 16, 20 and 24</b><br>(units: Percentage of participants) |             |   |
| Week 1 (n = 105, 91)  | 0           | 0   |
| Week 2 (n = 105, 95)  | 1.9         | 0   |
| Week 3 (n = 105, 95)  | 2.9         | 0   |
| Week 4 (n = 105, 95)  | 17.1        | 0   |
| Week 6 (n = 105, 95)  | 32.4        | 0   |
| Week 8 (n = 105, 95)  | 46.7        | 1.1   |
| Week 12 (n = 105, 95)   | 63.8        | 2.1   |
| Week 16 (n = 105, 95)   | 68.6        | 8.4   |
| Week 20 (n = 105, 95)   | 75.2        | 14.7  |
| Week 24 (n = 105, 95)   | 75.2        | 18.9  |

### Percentage of participants achieving Psoriasis Area and Severity Index (PASI) 100 Response at week 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 12, 16, 20 and 24

| Secukinumab | Fumaric acid<br>(initial and<br>maintenance<br>therapy) |
|-------------|---|
|-------------|---|

|  | therapy) |     |
|--|----------|-----|
| <b>Number of Participants Analyzed [units: participants]</b>   | 105      | 95  |
| <b>Percentage of participants achieving Psoriasis Area and Severity Index (PASI) 100 Response at week 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 12, 16, 20 and 24</b><br>(units: Percentage of participants) |          |     |
| Week 1 (n = 105, 91)   | 0        | 0   |
| Week 2 (n = 105, 95)   | 0        | 0   |
| Week 3 (n = 105, 95)   | 0        | 0   |
| Week 4 (n = 105, 95)   | 3.8      | 0   |
| Week 6 (n = 105, 95)   | 7.6      | 0   |
| Week 8 (n = 105, 95)   | 15.2     | 0   |
| Week 12 (n = 105, 95)  | 28.6     | 0   |
| Week 16 (n = 105, 95)  | 37.1     | 0   |
| Week 20 (n = 105, 95)  | 41.0     | 0   |
| Week 24 (n = 105, 95)  | 43.8     | 3.2 |

### Body surface area (BSA) at week 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 12, 16, 20 and 24

|   | Secukinumab | Fumaric acid<br>(initial and<br>maintenance<br>therapy) |
|---|-------------|---|
| <b>Number of Participants Analyzed [units: participants]</b>  | 105         | 95  |
| <b>Body surface area (BSA) at week 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 12, 16, 20 and 24</b><br>(units: Percentage of area) |             |   |

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Mean  $\pm$  Standard Deviation

|                       |                  |                  |
|-----------------------|------------------|------------------|
| Week 1 (n = 105, 94)  | 23.8 $\pm$ 12.82 | 23.2 $\pm$ 14.11 |
| Week 2 (n = 105, 91)  | 20.1 $\pm$ 12.25 | 22.5 $\pm$ 14.37 |
| Week 3 (n = 105, 89)  | 17.0 $\pm$ 11.95 | 22.1 $\pm$ 14.33 |
| Week 4 (n = 103, 84)  | 13.0 $\pm$ 11.93 | 21.6 $\pm$ 14.12 |
| Week 6 (n = 98, 82)   | 9.8 $\pm$ 11.12  | 19.7 $\pm$ 13.52 |
| Week 8 (n = 102, 75)  | 7.6 $\pm$ 10.19  | 17.8 $\pm$ 12.65 |
| Week 12 (n = 103, 67) | 5.2 $\pm$ 9.12   | 13.7 $\pm$ 11.60 |
| Week 16 (n = 99, 59)  | 3.7 $\pm$ 6.72   | 11.4 $\pm$ 11.52 |
| Week 20 (n = 99, 50)  | 2.6 $\pm$ 5.77   | 9.2 $\pm$ 11.87  |
| Week 24 (n = 99, 48)  | 2.9 $\pm$ 6.43   | 7.9 $\pm$ 9.92   |

**Percentage of participants achieving Nail Psoriasis Severity Index (NAPSI) 50 response at week 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 12, 16, 20 and 24**

|  | <b>Secukinumab</b> | <b>Fumaric acid<br/>(initial and<br/>maintenance<br/>therapy)</b> |
|--|--------------------|---|
| <b>Number of Participants<br/>Analyzed [units:<br/>participants]</b>   | 105                | 95  |
| <b>Percentage of participants achieving Nail Psoriasis<br/>Severity Index (NAPSI) 50 response at week 1, 2, 3, 4, 6,<br/>8, 12, 16, 20 and 24</b><br>(units: Percentage of participants) |                    |   |
| Week 1 (n = 56, 49)  | 1.8                | 4.1   |
| Week 2 (n = 56, 49)  | 3.6                | 8.2   |
| Week 3 (n = 56, 49)  | 5.4                | 10.2  |
| Week 4 (n = 56, 49)  | 7.1                | 12.2  |

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| Week 6 (n = 56, 49)  | 19.6 | 10.2 |
| Week 8 (n = 56, 49)  | 23.2 | 8.2  |
| Week 12 (n = 56, 49) | 41.1 | 12.2 |
| Week 16 (n = 56, 49) | 51.8 | 10.2 |
| Week 20 (n = 56, 49) | 62.5 | 18.4 |
| Week 24 (n = 56, 49) | 67.9 | 18.4 |

**Percentage of participants achieving Nail Psoriasis Severity Index (NAPSI) 75 response at week 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 12, 16, 20 and 24**

|  | <b>Secukinumab</b> | <b>Fumaric acid<br/>(initial and<br/>maintenance<br/>therapy)</b> |
|--|--------------------|---|
| <b>Number of Participants<br/>Analyzed [units:<br/>participants]</b>   | 105                | 95  |
| <b>Percentage of participants achieving Nail Psoriasis<br/>Severity Index (NAPSI) 75 response at week 1, 2, 3, 4, 6,<br/>8, 12, 16, 20 and 24</b><br>(units: Percentage of participants) |                    |   |
| Week 1 (n = 56, 49)  | 1.8                | 0   |
| Week 2 (n = 56, 49)  | 1.8                | 2.0   |
| Week 3 (n = 56, 49)  | 5.4                | 2.0   |
| Week 4 (n = 56, 49)  | 7.1                | 2.0   |
| Week 6 (n = 56, 49)  | 8.9                | 2.0   |
| Week 8 (n = 56, 49)  | 17.9               | 2.0   |
| Week 12 (n = 56, 49)   | 28.6               | 2.0   |
| Week 16 (n = 56, 49)   | 30.4               | 2.0   |
| Week 20 (n = 56, 49)   | 44.6               | 6.1   |

Week 24 (n = 56, 49)                      53.6                      4.1

**Percentage of participants achieving Nail Psoriasis Severity Index (NAPSI) 90 response at week 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 12, 16, 20 and 24**

|  | <b>Secukinumab</b> | <b>Fumaric acid<br/>(initial and<br/>maintenance<br/>therapy)</b> |
|--|--------------------|---|
| <b>Number of Participants<br/>Analyzed [units:<br/>participants]</b>   | 105                | 95  |
| <b>Percentage of participants achieving Nail Psoriasis<br/>Severity Index (NAPSI) 90 response at week 1, 2, 3, 4, 6,<br/>8, 12, 16, 20 and 24</b><br>(units: Percentage of participants) |                    |   |
| Week 1 (n = 56, 49)  | 1.8                | 0   |
| Week 2 (n = 56, 49)  | 1.8                | 0   |
| Week 3 (n = 56, 49)  | 0                  | 0   |
| Week 4 (n = 56, 49)  | 3.6                | 0   |
| Week 6 (n = 56, 49)  | 3.6                | 0   |
| Week 8 (n = 56, 49)  | 7.1                | 2.0   |
| Week 12 (n = 56, 49)   | 14.3               | 2.0   |
| Week 16 (n = 56, 49)   | 21.4               | 2.0   |
| Week 20 (n = 56, 49)   | 26.8               | 4.1   |
| Week 24 (n = 56, 49)   | 35.7               | 4.1   |

**Percentage of participants achieving Nail Psoriasis Severity Index (NAPSI) 100 response at week 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 12, 16, 20 and 24**

|   | Secukinumab | Fumaric acid<br>(initial and<br>maintenance<br>therapy) |
|---|-------------|---|
| <b>Number of Participants<br/>Analyzed [units:<br/>participants]</b>  | 105         | 95  |
| <b>Percentage of participants achieving Nail Psoriasis<br/>Severity Index (NAPSI) 100 response at week 1, 2, 3, 4, 6,<br/>8, 12, 16, 20 and 24</b><br>(units: Percentage of participants) |             |   |
| Week 1 (n = 56, 49)   | 1.8         | 0   |
| Week 2 (n = 56, 49)   | 0           | 0   |
| Week 3 (n = 56, 49)   | 0           | 0   |
| Week 4 (n = 56, 49)   | 3.6         | 0   |
| Week 6 (n = 56, 49)   | 3.6         | 0   |
| Week 8 (n = 56, 49)   | 5.4         | 2.0   |
| Week 12 (n = 56, 49)  | 10.7        | 2.0   |
| Week 16 (n = 56, 49)  | 19.6        | 2.0   |
| Week 20 (n = 56, 49)  | 19.6        | 2.0   |
| Week 24 (n = 56, 49)  | 23.2        | 2.0   |

### Number of participants with Investigator's global assessment (IGA mod 2011) at week 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 12, 16, 20 and 24

|  | Secukinumab | Fumaric acid<br>(initial and<br>maintenance<br>therapy) |
|--|-------------|---|
| <b>Number of Participants<br/>Analyzed [units:<br/>participants]</b> | 105         | 95  |

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**Number of participants with Investigator's global assessment (IGA mod 2011) at week 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 12, 16, 20 and 24**

(units: Participants)

|  |    |    |
|--|----|----|
| Week 1 (n = 105, 94) :<br>Clear        | 0  | 0  |
| Week 1 (n = 105, 94) :<br>Almost Clear | 0  | 0  |
| Week 1 (n = 105, 94) :<br>Mild         | 18 | 8  |
| Week 1 (n = 105, 94) :<br>Moderate     | 65 | 58 |
| Week 1 (n = 105, 94) :<br>Severe       | 22 | 28 |
| Week 2 (n = 105, 91) :<br>Clear        | 0  | 0  |
| Week 2 (n = 105, 91) :<br>Almost Clear | 6  | 0  |
| Week 2 (n = 105, 91) :<br>Mild         | 38 | 15 |
| Week 2 (n = 105, 91) :<br>Moderate     | 49 | 56 |
| Week 2 (n = 105, 91) :<br>Severe       | 12 | 20 |
| Week 3 (n = 105, 89) :<br>Clear        | 0  | 0  |
| Week 3 (n = 105, 89) :<br>Almost Clear | 14 | 1  |
| Week 3 (n = 105, 89) :<br>Mild         | 51 | 18 |
| Week 3 (n = 105, 89) :<br>Moderate     | 35 | 51 |

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| Week 3 (n = 105, 89) :<br>Severe       | 5  | 19 |
| Week 4 (n = 103, 84) :<br>Clear        | 4  | 0  |
| Week 4 (n = 103, 84) :<br>Almost Clear | 31 | 1  |
| Week 4 (n = 103, 84) :<br>Mild         | 46 | 21 |
| Week 4 (n = 103, 84) :<br>Moderate     | 19 | 46 |
| Week 4 (n = 103, 84) :<br>Severe       | 3  | 16 |
| Week 6 (n = 98, 82) :<br>Clear         | 9  | 0  |
| Week 6 (n = 98, 82) :<br>Almost Clear  | 42 | 2  |
| Week 6 (n = 98, 82) : Mild             | 39 | 26 |
| Week 6 (n = 98, 82) :<br>Moderate      | 7  | 44 |
| Week 6 (n = 98, 82) :<br>Severe        | 1  | 10 |
| Week 8 (n = 102, 75) :<br>Clear        | 17 | 0  |
| Week 8 (n = 102, 75) :<br>Almost Clear | 52 | 4  |
| Week 8 (n = 102, 75) :<br>Mild         | 29 | 32 |
| Week 8 (n = 102, 75) :<br>Moderate     | 2  | 34 |
| Week 8 (n = 102, 75) :<br>Severe       | 2  | 5  |
| Week 12 (n = 103, 67) :                | 31 | 0  |



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| Clear                                   |    |    |
| Week 12 (n = 103, 67) :<br>Almost Clear | 49 | 11 |
| Week 12 (n = 103, 67) :<br>Mild         | 19 | 35 |
| Week 12 (n = 103, 67) :<br>Moderate     | 4  | 19 |
| Week 12 (n = 103, 67) :<br>Severe       | 0  | 2  |
| Week 16 (n = 99, 59) :<br>Clear         | 38 | 0  |
| Week 16 (n = 99, 59) :<br>Almost Clear  | 42 | 12 |
| Week 16 (n = 99, 59) :<br>Mild          | 15 | 35 |
| Week 16 (n = 99, 59) :<br>Moderate      | 4  | 11 |
| Week 16 (n = 99, 59) :<br>Severe        | 0  | 1  |
| Week 20 (n = 99, 50) :<br>Clear         | 43 | 0  |
| Week 20 (n = 99, 50) :<br>Almost Clear  | 36 | 17 |
| Week 20 (n = 99, 50) :<br>Mild          | 18 | 24 |
| Week 20 (n = 99, 50) :<br>Moderate      | 2  | 8  |
| Week 20 (n = 99, 50) :<br>Severe        | 0  | 1  |
| Week 24 (n = 99, 48) :<br>Clear         | 45 | 4  |
| Week 24 (n = 99, 48) :                  | 36 | 21 |

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**Almost Clear**

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| Week 24 (n = 99, 48) :<br>Mild     | 13 | 15 |
| Week 24 (n = 99, 48) :<br>Moderate | 5  | 7  |
| Week 24 (n = 99, 48) :<br>Severe   | 0  | 1  |

**Percentage of participants with IGA mod. 2011 0/1-response at week 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 12, 16, 20 and 24**

|   | <b>Secukinumab</b> | <b>Fumaric acid<br/>(initial and<br/>maintenance<br/>therapy)</b> |
|---|--------------------|---|
| <b>Number of Participants<br/>Analyzed [units:<br/>participants]</b>  | 105                | 95  |
| <b>Percentage of participants with IGA mod. 2011 0/1-<br/>response at week 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 12, 16, 20 and 24</b><br>(units: Percentage of participants) |                    |   |
| Week 1  | 0                  | 0   |
| Week 2  | 5.7                | 0   |
| Week 3  | 13.3               | 1.1   |
| Week 4  | 34.3               | 1.1   |
| Week 6  | 50.5               | 2.1   |
| Week 8  | 66.7               | 4.2   |
| Week 12   | 77.1               | 12.6  |
| Week 16   | 80.0               | 14.7  |
| Week 20   | 79.0               | 20.0  |
| Week 24   | 81.0               | 28.4  |

**Dermatology Life Quality Index (DLQI) at week 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 12, 16, 20 and 24**

|  | <b>Secukinumab</b> | <b>Fumaric acid<br/>(initial and<br/>maintenance<br/>therapy)</b> |
|--|--------------------|---|
| <b>Number of Participants<br/>Analyzed [units:<br/>participants]</b>   | 105                | 95  |
| <b>Dermatology Life Quality Index (DLQI) at week 1, 2, 3, 4,<br/>6, 8, 12, 16, 20 and 24</b><br>(units: Score on a scale)<br>Mean $\pm$ Standard Deviation |                    |   |
| Week 1 (n = 105, 94)   | 13.9 $\pm$ 5.86    | 16.3 $\pm$ 6.44   |
| Week 2 (n = 105, 91)   | 10.5 $\pm$ 6.22    | 15.3 $\pm$ 6.99   |
| Week 3 (n = 105, 89)   | 8.4 $\pm$ 5.96     | 14.6 $\pm$ 7.01   |
| Week 4 (n = 102, 84)   | 6.6 $\pm$ 5.13     | 13.8 $\pm$ 7.23   |
| Week 6 (n = 98, 82)  | 5.3 $\pm$ 5.79     | 12.4 $\pm$ 7.24   |
| Week 8 (n = 102, 77)   | 4.2 $\pm$ 4.75     | 11.0 $\pm$ 7.16   |
| Week 12 (n = 103, 67)  | 3.1 $\pm$ 4.41     | 8.8 $\pm$ 7.10  |
| Week 16 (n = 99, 59)   | 2.7 $\pm$ 3.95     | 6.8 $\pm$ 6.05  |
| Week 20 (n = 98, 50)   | 2.5 $\pm$ 3.84     | 5.9 $\pm$ 5.67  |
| Week 24 (n = 99, 48)   | 2.0 $\pm$ 3.58     | 5.4 $\pm$ 5.56  |

**Percentage of participants with DLQI 0/1 response at week 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 12, 16, 20 and 24**

|  | <b>Secukinumab</b> | <b>Fumaric acid<br/>(initial and<br/>maintenance<br/>therapy)</b> |
|--|--------------------|---|
| <b>Number of Participants<br/>Analyzed [units:</b> | 105                | 95  |

**participants]**

**Percentage of participants with DLQI 0/1 response at week 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 12, 16, 20 and 24**  
(units: Percentage of participants)

|         |      |      |
|---------|------|------|
| Week 1  | 0    | 0    |
| Week 2  | 3.8  | 1.1  |
| Week 3  | 7.6  | 0    |
| Week 4  | 19.0 | 2.1  |
| Week 6  | 30.5 | 4.2  |
| Week 8  | 40.0 | 6.3  |
| Week 12 | 57.1 | 10.5 |
| Week 16 | 59.0 | 14.7 |
| Week 20 | 64.8 | 15.8 |
| Week 24 | 71.4 | 25.3 |

**Percentage of participants with Short Form 36 (SF-36) response at week 4, 16 and 24**

|   | <b>Secukinumab</b> | <b>Fumaric acid<br/>(initial and<br/>maintenance<br/>therapy)</b> |
|---|--------------------|---|
| <b>Number of Participants<br/>Analyzed [units:<br/>participants]</b>  | 105                | 95  |
| <b>Percentage of participants with Short Form 36 (SF-36)<br/>response at week 4, 16 and 24</b><br>(units: Percentage of participants) |                    |   |
| Physical Component<br>Summary Week 4 (n= 97,<br>88)   | 38.1               | 26.1  |

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|  |      |      |
|--|------|------|
| Mental component<br>summary Week 4 (n= 97,<br>88)    | 41.2 | 36.4 |
| Physical functioning scale<br>Week 4 (n= 102, 92)    | 24.5 | 19.6 |
| Role physical scale Week<br>4 (n= 104, 93)           | 44.2 | 23.7 |
| Bodily pain scale Week 4<br>(n= 105, 95)             | 53.3 | 31.6 |
| General health scale Week<br>4 (n= 102, 95)          | 32.4 | 21.1 |
| Vitality scale Week 4 (n=<br>104, 93)                | 31.7 | 20.4 |
| Social functioning scale<br>Week 4 (n= 102, 94)      | 39.2 | 27.7 |
| Role emotional scale<br>Week 4 (n= 104, 95)          | 41.3 | 34.7 |
| Mental health scale Week<br>4 (n = 105, 95)          | 33.3 | 32.6 |
| Physical Component<br>Summary Week 16 (n= 97,<br>88) | 52.6 | 39.8 |
| Mental component<br>summary Week 16 (n= 97,<br>88)   | 63.9 | 46.6 |
| Physical functioning scale<br>Week 16 (n= 102, 92)   | 36.3 | 31.5 |
| Role physical scale Week<br>16 (n= 104, 93)          | 52.9 | 36.6 |
| Bodily pain scale Week 16<br>(n= 105, 95)            | 63.8 | 45.3 |
| General health scale Week<br>16 (n= 102, 95)         | 38.2 | 22.1 |

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|   |      |      |
|---|------|------|
| Vitality scale Week 16 (n= 104, 93)             | 45.2 | 23.7 |
| Social functioning scale Week 16 (n= 102, 94)   | 57.8 | 41.5 |
| Role emotional scale Week 16 (n= 104, 95)       | 56.7 | 43.2 |
| Mental health scale Week 16 (n = 105, 95)       | 54.3 | 42.1 |
| Physical Component Summary Week 24 (n= 97, 88)  | 57.7 | 43.2 |
| Mental component summary Week 24 (n= 97, 88)    | 63.9 | 50.0 |
| Physical functioning scale Week 24 (n= 102, 92) | 38.2 | 31.5 |
| Role physical scale Week 24 (n= 104, 93)        | 52.9 | 37.6 |
| Bodily pain scale Week 24 (n= 105, 95)          | 64.8 | 49.5 |
| General health scale Week 24 (n= 102, 95)       | 41.2 | 21.1 |
| Vitality scale Week 24 (n= 104, 93)             | 48.1 | 29.0 |
| Social functioning scale Week 24 (n= 102, 94)   | 63.7 | 45.7 |
| Role emotional scale Week 24 (n= 104, 95)       | 54.8 | 41.1 |
| Mental health scale Week 24 (n = 105, 95)       | 53.3 | 38.9 |



## **Summary of Safety**

### **Safety Results**

#### **Serious Adverse Events by System Organ Class**

|  |   |
|--|---|
| <b>Time Frame</b>                          | Adverse Events are collected from First Patient First Visit (FPFV) until Last Patient Last Visit (LPLV). All Adverse events are reported in this record from First Patient First Treatment until Last Patient Last Visit. |
| <b>Additional Description</b>              | The safety analysis set consisted of all patients who took at least one dose of study treatment during the treatment period.  |
| <b>Source Vocabulary for Table Default</b> | MedDRA (19.0)   |
| <b>Assessment Type for Table Default</b>   | Systematic Assessment   |



|  | Secukinumab<br>N = 105 | Fumaric Acid<br>(Initial and<br>Maintenance<br>Therapy)<br>N = 95 |
|--|------------------------|---|
| <b>Total participants<br/>affected</b>   | 4 (3.81%)              | 4 (4.21%)   |
| <b>GASTROINTESTINAL<br/>DISORDERS</b>  |                        |   |
| ANAL HAEMORRHAGE   | 0 (0.00%)              | 1 (1.05%)   |
| DIARRHOEA  | 0 (0.00%)              | 1 (1.05%)   |
| <b>GENERAL DISORDERS<br/>AND ADMINISTRATION<br/>SITE CONDITIONS</b>                    |                        |   |
| ASTHENIA   | 1 (0.95%)              | 0 (0.00%)   |
| <b>INFECTIONS AND<br/>INFESTATIONS</b>   |                        |   |
| PILONIDAL CYST   | 0 (0.00%)              | 1 (1.05%)   |
| <b>INJURY, POISONING<br/>AND PROCEDURAL<br/>COMPLICATIONS</b>                          |                        |   |
| CLAVICLE FRACTURE  | 1 (0.95%)              | 0 (0.00%)   |
| <b>METABOLISM AND<br/>NUTRITION DISORDERS</b>  |                        |   |
| DEHYDRATION  | 1 (0.95%)              | 0 (0.00%)   |
| <b>NEOPLASMS BENIGN,<br/>MALIGNANT AND<br/>UNSPECIFIED (INCL<br/>CYSTS AND POLYPS)</b> |                        |   |
| METASTASES TO<br>CENTRAL NERVOUS<br>SYSTEM   | 1 (0.95%)              | 0 (0.00%)   |
| SMALL CELL LUNG  | 1 (0.95%)              | 0 (0.00%)   |

**CANCER**
**NERVOUS SYSTEM  
DISORDERS**

|              |           |           |
|--------------|-----------|-----------|
| BRAIN OEDEMA | 1 (0.95%) | 0 (0.00%) |
|--------------|-----------|-----------|

**SKIN AND  
SUBCUTANEOUS  
TISSUE DISORDERS**

|           |           |           |
|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| PSORIASIS | 0 (0.00%) | 2 (2.11%) |
|-----------|-----------|-----------|

**VASCULAR DISORDERS**

|            |           |           |
|------------|-----------|-----------|
| THROMBOSIS | 1 (0.95%) | 0 (0.00%) |
|------------|-----------|-----------|

**Other Adverse Events by System Organ Class**

|  |   |
|--|---|
| <b>Time Frame</b>                          | Adverse Events are collected from First Patient First Visit (FPFV) until Last Patient Last Visit (LPLV). All Adverse events are reported in this record from First Patient First Treatment until Last Patient Last Visit. |
| <b>Additional Description</b>              | The safety analysis set consisted of all patients who took at least one dose of study treatment during the treatment period.  |
| <b>Source Vocabulary for Table Default</b> | MedDRA (19.0)   |
| <b>Assessment Type for Table Default</b>   | Systematic Assessment   |
| <b>Frequent Event Reporting Threshold</b>  | 5%  |

|  | <b>Secukinumab<br/>N = 105</b> | <b>Fumaric<br/>Acid (Initial<br/>and<br/>Maintenance<br/>Therapy)<br/>N = 95</b> |
|--|--------------------------------|--|
| <b>Total participants<br/>affected</b> | 75 (71.43%)                    | 85 (89.47%)  |

**BLOOD AND  
LYMPHATIC SYSTEM  
DISORDERS**

|              |           |             |
|--------------|-----------|-------------|
| EOSINOPHILIA | 1 (0.95%) | 17 (17.89%) |
| LEUKOCYTOSIS | 2 (1.90%) | 5 (5.26%)   |
| LEUKOPENIA   | 1 (0.95%) | 5 (5.26%)   |
| LYMPHOPENIA  | 2 (1.90%) | 23 (24.21%) |

**GASTROINTESTINAL  
DISORDERS**

|                         |           |             |
|-------------------------|-----------|-------------|
| ABDOMINAL<br>DISTENSION | 1 (0.95%) | 6 (6.32%)   |
| ABDOMINAL PAIN          | 2 (1.90%) | 11 (11.58%) |
| ABDOMINAL PAIN<br>UPPER | 3 (2.86%) | 37 (38.95%) |
| DIARRHOEA               | 7 (6.67%) | 48 (50.53%) |
| FLATULENCE              | 0 (0.00%) | 5 (5.26%)   |
| NAUSEA                  | 3 (2.86%) | 20 (21.05%) |
| VOMITING                | 2 (1.90%) | 7 (7.37%)   |

**GENERAL DISORDERS  
AND ADMINISTRATION  
SITE CONDITIONS**

|         |           |           |
|---------|-----------|-----------|
| FATIGUE | 4 (3.81%) | 6 (6.32%) |
|---------|-----------|-----------|

**INFECTIONS AND  
INFESTATIONS**

|                            |             |             |
|----------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| NASOPHARYNGITIS            | 54 (51.43%) | 40 (42.11%) |
| URINARY TRACT<br>INFECTION | 6 (5.71%)   | 3 (3.16%)   |

**INVESTIGATIONS**

|                  |           |           |
|------------------|-----------|-----------|
| BLOOD CREATININE | 1 (0.95%) | 6 (6.32%) |
|------------------|-----------|-----------|

**INCREASED**
**MUSCULOSKELETAL  
AND CONNECTIVE  
TISSUE DISORDERS**

|            |           |           |
|------------|-----------|-----------|
| ARTHRALGIA | 6 (5.71%) | 4 (4.21%) |
|------------|-----------|-----------|

**NERVOUS SYSTEM  
DISORDERS**

|          |             |             |
|----------|-------------|-------------|
| HEADACHE | 15 (14.29%) | 15 (15.79%) |
|----------|-------------|-------------|

**RENAL AND URINARY  
DISORDERS**

|            |           |           |
|------------|-----------|-----------|
| HAEMATURIA | 6 (5.71%) | 3 (3.16%) |
|------------|-----------|-----------|

**SKIN AND  
SUBCUTANEOUS  
TISSUE DISORDERS**

|          |           |           |
|----------|-----------|-----------|
| PRURITUS | 7 (6.67%) | 8 (8.42%) |
|----------|-----------|-----------|

**VASCULAR DISORDERS**

|          |           |             |
|----------|-----------|-------------|
| FLUSHING | 1 (0.95%) | 34 (35.79%) |
|----------|-----------|-------------|

|           |           |           |
|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| HOT FLUSH | 1 (0.95%) | 7 (7.37%) |
|-----------|-----------|-----------|

|              |           |           |
|--------------|-----------|-----------|
| HYPERTENSION | 6 (5.71%) | 1 (1.05%) |
|--------------|-----------|-----------|

**Other Relevant Findings**

Not applicable

**Conclusion:**

Results from this study demonstrate superior efficacy, health-related quality of life and tolerability for secukinumab compared to Fumaric Acid in systemic treatment-naïve patients with moderate to severe plaque psoriasis.

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