

# Palliative Chemotherapy (2nd line) with Imatinib (Glivec™) in Patients with Bile Duct Cancer

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**Plain English summary of protocol**  
Not provided at time of registration

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## Additional identifiers

**Protocol serial number**  
CSTI571BDE55

## Study information

**Scientific Title**

**Acronym**

GlivecGG

**Study objectives**

The aim is to assess the pharmacokinetics and efficacy of imatinib in patients with bile duct cancer and to test Positron Emission Tomography (PET) as a diagnostic tool.

**Ethics approval required**

Old ethics approval format

**Ethics approval(s)**

Approved by the Local Ethics Committee of Leipzig University on 28 November 2005.

**Study design**

Non-randomised open label multicentre study

**Primary study design**

Interventional

**Study type(s)**

Treatment

**Health condition(s) or problem(s) studied**

Non-resectable bile duct cancer

**Interventions**

1. Continuous second line chemotherapy with imatinib - assessment of response by tumor marker and imaging during follow-up
2. Generation of pharmacokinetic data during the first two days of drug administration and during the following weeks
3. Assessment of the efficacy of PET for evaluation of early treatment response

Added 01/09/09: trial was stopped prematurely due to a lack of a sufficient number of patients (9 in three and a half years).

**Intervention Type**

Drug

**Phase**

Not Specified

**Drug/device/biological/vaccine name(s)**

Imatinib (Glivec)

**Primary outcome(s)**

1. Response rate
2. Median duration of objective remission

**Key secondary outcome(s)**

1. Time to progression
2. Median survival
3. Tumor response after one week or three months by 18-fluorodeoxyglucose-Positron Emission Tomography (18 FDG-PET)
4. Toxicity
5. Pharmacokinetics

**Completion date**

28/02/2010

**Reason abandoned (if study stopped)**

Participant recruitment issue

## Eligibility

**Key inclusion criteria**

1. Two-dimensional detectable tumors or metastasis
2. Aged between 18 and 75 years
3. General condition - World Health Organisation (WHO) <2
4. Live expectancy of at least three months
5. Informed consent
6. Bilirubin not to be elevated more than upper normal value (1.5 times in the presence of liver metastasis) and alanine aminotransferase (ALT) or aspartate aminotransferase (AST) more than 1.5 times (2.5 times in the presence of liver metastasis) of the upper normal value
7. Creatinine <133 µmol/l (<1.5 mg/l), creatinine clearance >60 ml/min

**Participant type(s)**

Patient

**Healthy volunteers allowed**

No

**Age group**

Adult

**Lower age limit**

18 years

**Sex**

All

**Key exclusion criteria**

1. Pregnant and lactating women, fertile men and women without adequate contraception
2. Patients that have not received primary chemotherapy
3. Pre-operated tumor recurrence
4. Tumor extent >50% of the liver or >25% of the lung, abdominal mass >10 cm, Central Nervous System (CNS) metastasis
5. Ileus
6. Non-measurable tumor

7. Known intolerance to imatinib and its preservatives
8. Second malignancy
9. Second unstable disease
10. Co-medication with non-approved drugs
11. Any other anti-cancer treatment
12. Co-medication with paracetamol

**Date of first enrolment**

01/03/2006

**Date of final enrolment**

28/02/2010

## Locations

**Countries of recruitment**

Germany

**Study participating centre**

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## Sponsor information

**Organisation**

University of Leipzig (Germany)

**ROR**

<https://ror.org/03s7gtk40>

## Funder(s)

**Funder type**

Industry

**Funder Name**

Novartis Pharma GmbH (Germany)

## Funder Name

Business Unit Oncology (Geschäftseinheit Onkologie) (Germany)

# Results and Publications

## Individual participant data (IPD) sharing plan

### IPD sharing plan summary

Not provided at time of registration

### Study outputs

Output type	Details	Date created	Date added	Peer reviewed?	Patient-facing?
<a href="#">Participant information sheet</a>	Participant information sheet	11/11/2025	11/11/2025	No	Yes