

Terapia dual avanzada en EII pediátrica

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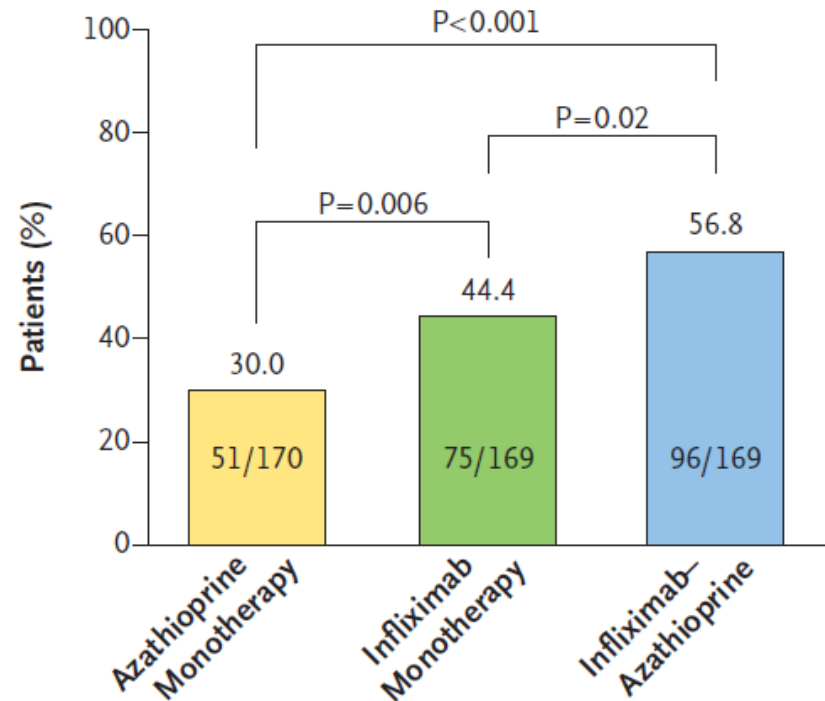
Conflictos de interés

- En los últimos 3 años he recibido remuneración por labor de consultoría, becas de investigación, u honorarios por actividades científicas de las siguientes empresas: Abbott, Abbvie, Adacyte, Celgene, Celltrion, Dr. Falk, FAES, Ferring, Janssen, Kern Pharma, Lactalis, Mead&Johnson, Nestlé Health Science, Nutricia, Recordati, Ordesa, Zambón

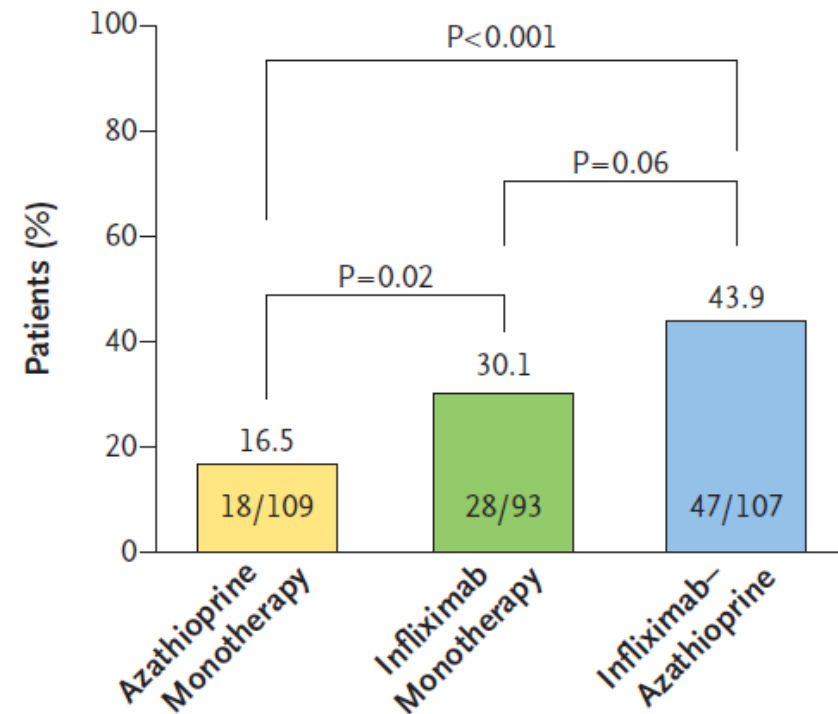
Combo-lovers...

Infliximab, Azathioprine, or Combination Therapy for Crohn's Disease

A Corticosteroid-free Clinical Remission at Wk 26

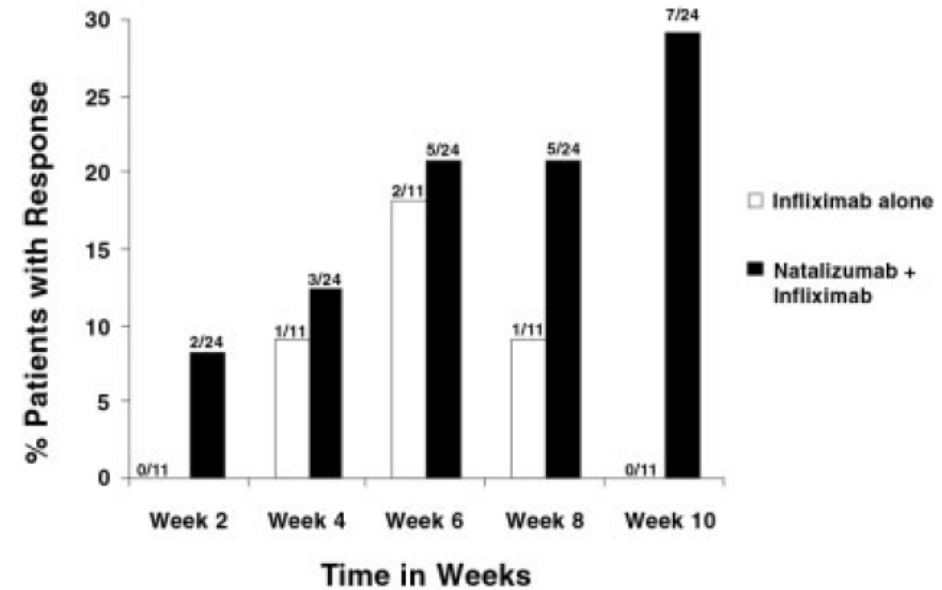
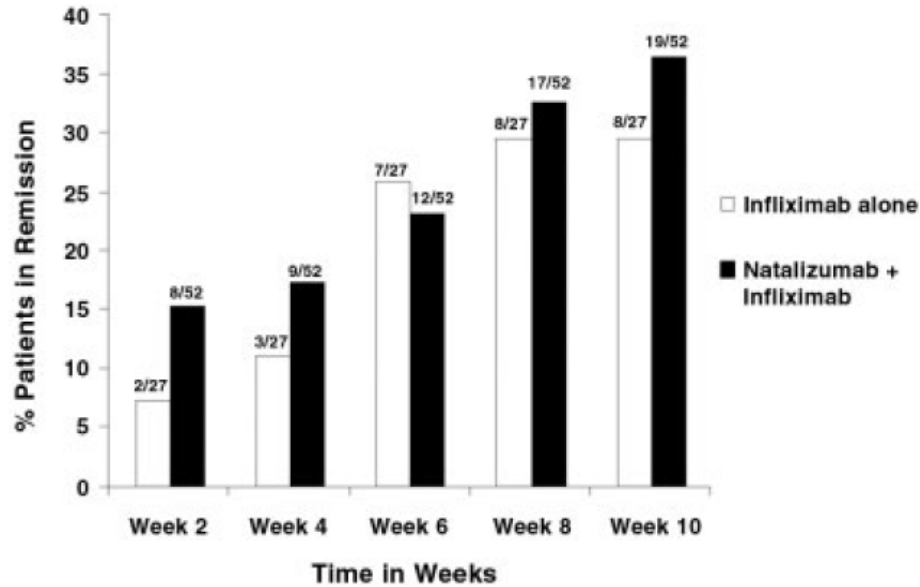


B Mucosal Healing at Wk 26



De la terapia *combo* a la *terapia avanzada dual*

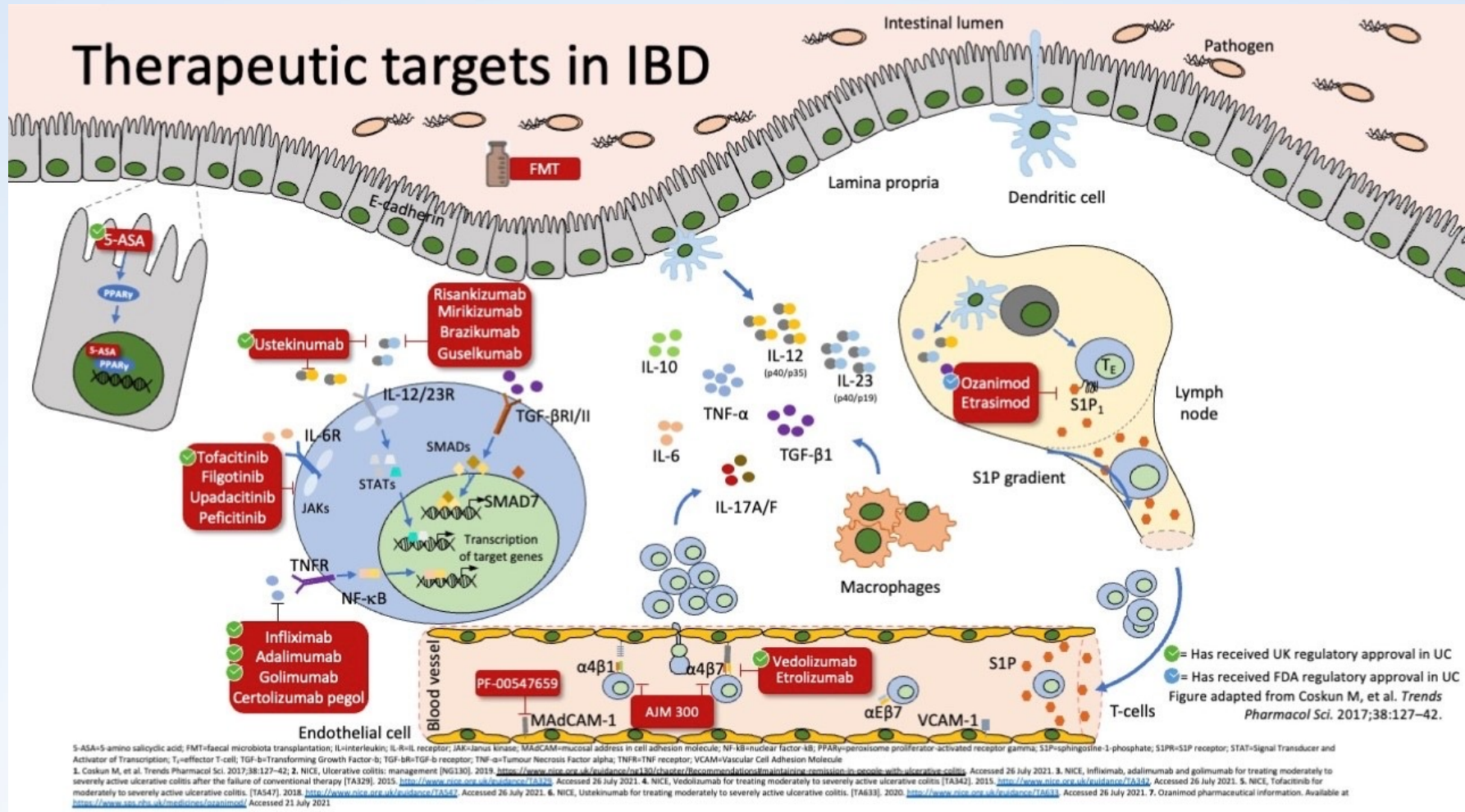
Safety and Tolerability of Concurrent Natalizumab Treatment for Patients with Crohn's Disease Not in Remission While Receiving Infliximab



El racional

- Diferentes vías inflamatorias implicadas en la EII
- Fallo de respuesta primaria y pérdida secundaria de respuesta a lo largo del tiempo
- Tasa de remisión *subóptima* con los tratamientos actuales
- Menor eficacia de los nuevos tratamientos en pacientes con fracaso previo al tratamiento anti-TNF α
- Retraso en la respuesta a diferentes tratamientos
- Coexistencia de otras enfermedades inmuno-mediadas o MEI que precisan la asociación de tratamientos

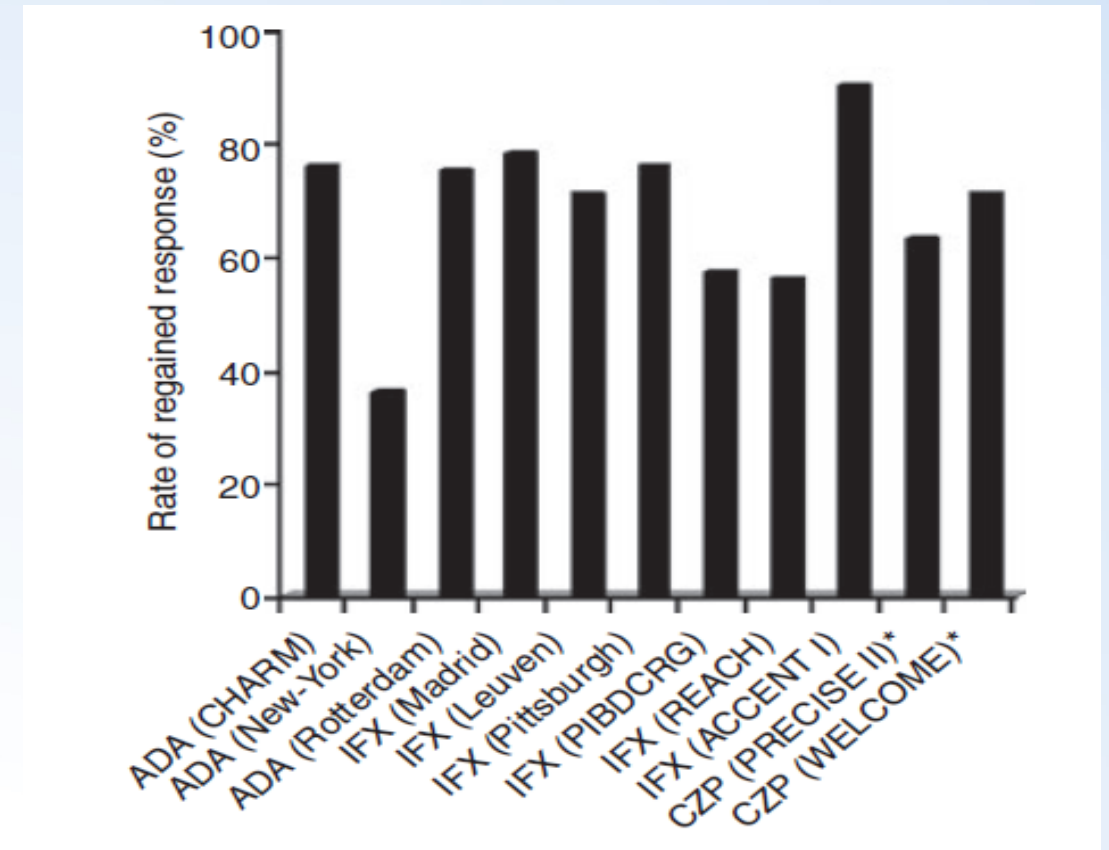
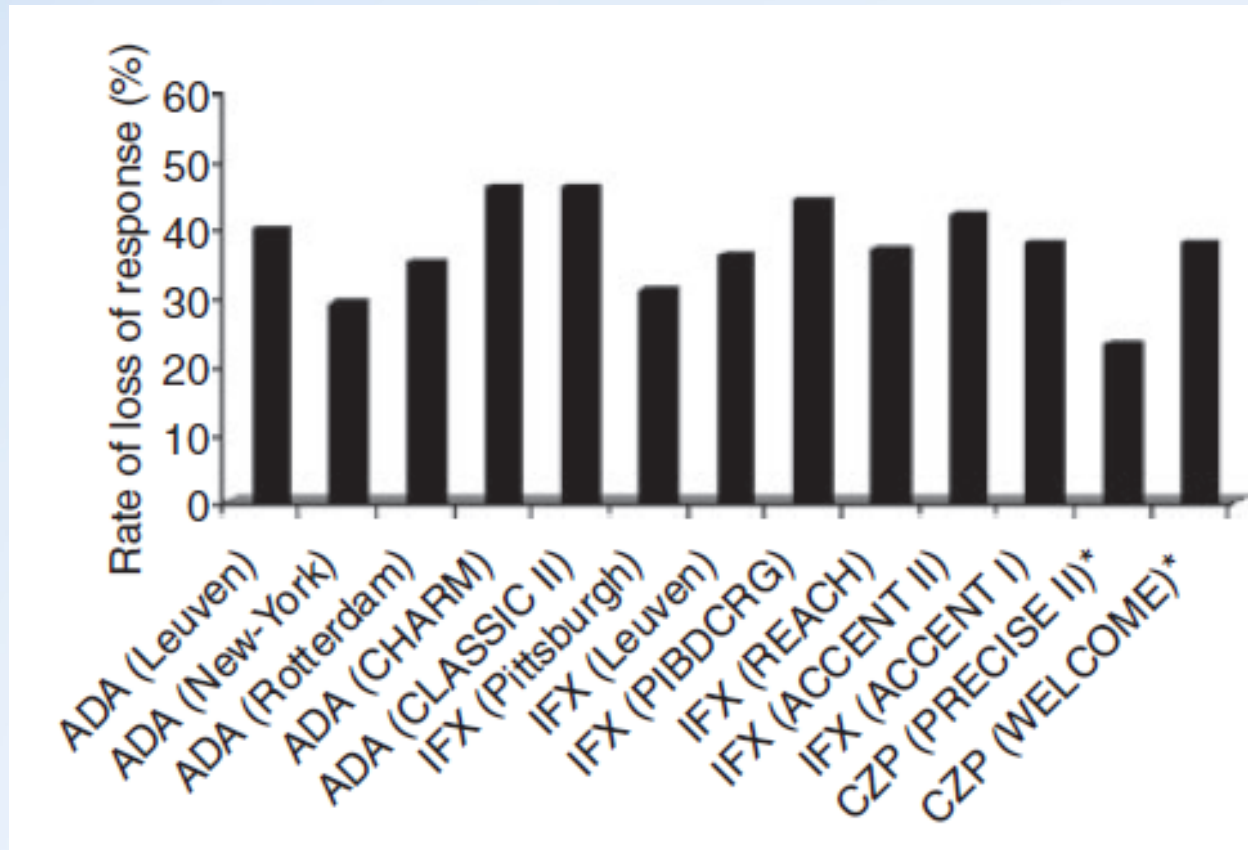
Vías inflamatorias en la EII



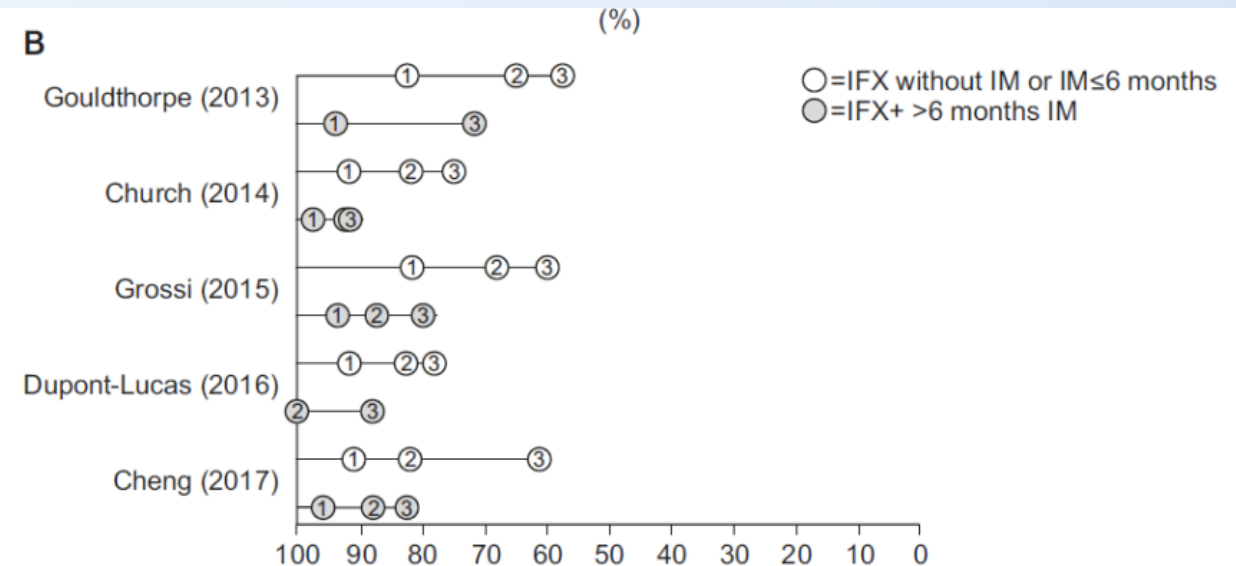
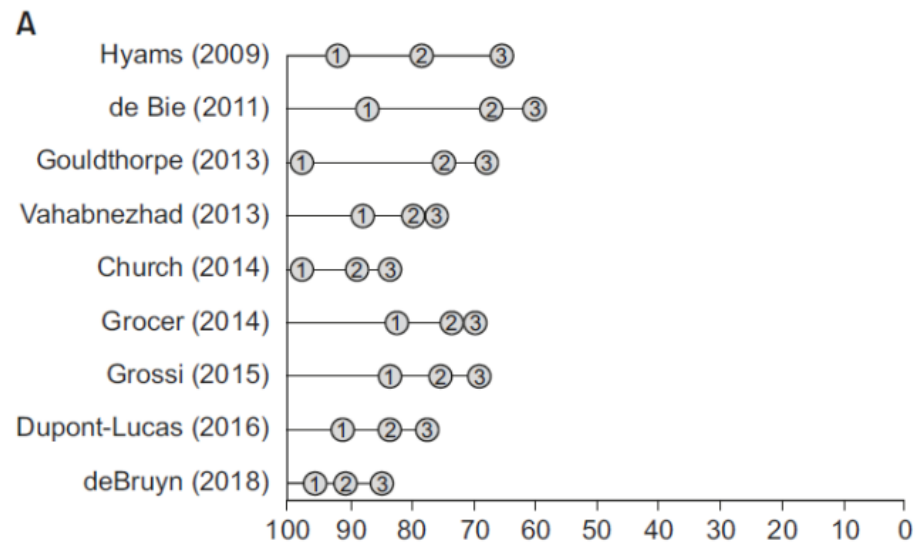
La terapia avanzada en la EII-P sigue pasando siempre por el anti-TNF α

- Infliximab y Adalimumab como únicos biológicos aprobados para su uso en Pediatría
- Según criterios fármaco-económicos, el primer biológico en adultos sigue siendo el anti-TNF α (biosimilares en el mercado)
- A día de hoy, no hay posibilidad de establecer diferentes estrategias terapéuticas avanzadas en base a criterios específicos del paciente

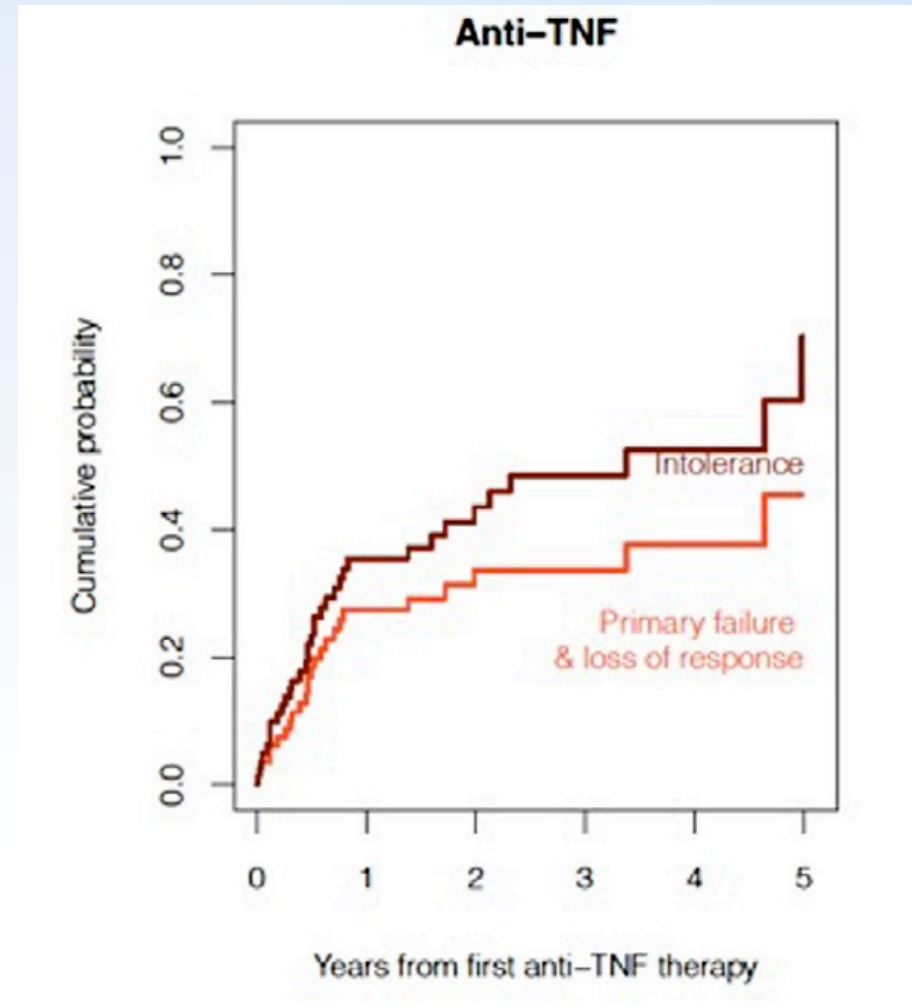
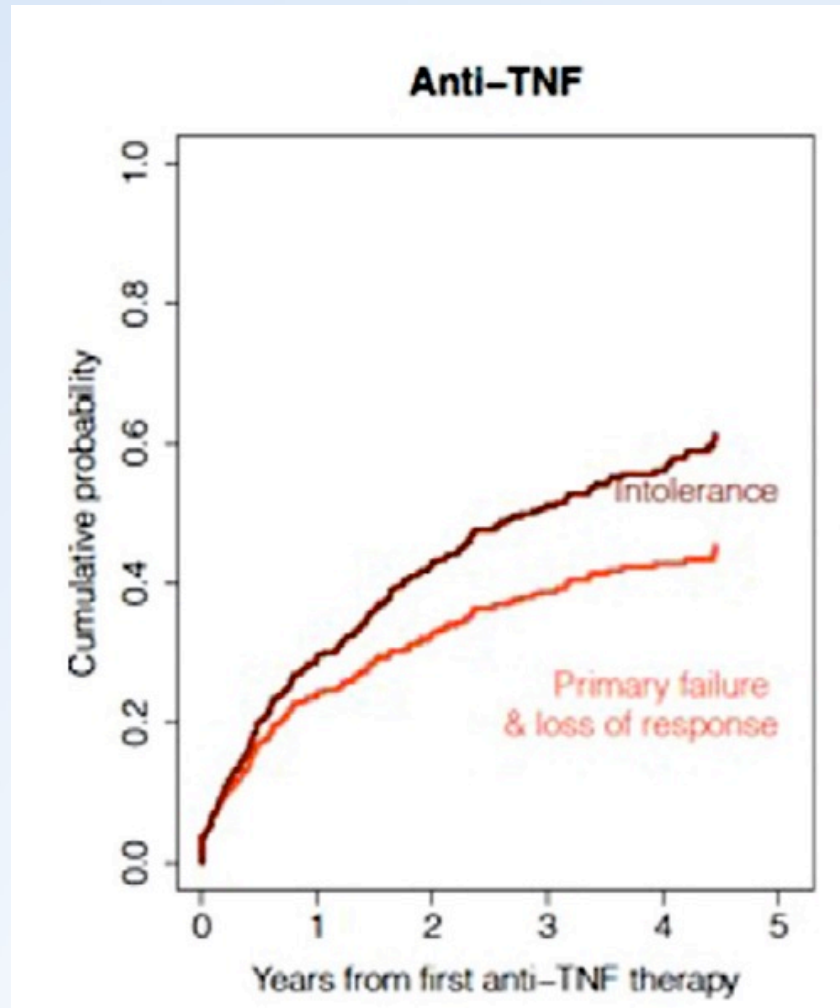
Pérdida secundaria de respuesta al anti-TNF α



Long-Term Efficacy of Anti-Tumor Necrosis Factor Agents in Pediatric Luminal Crohn's Disease: A Systematic Review of Real-World Evidence Studies

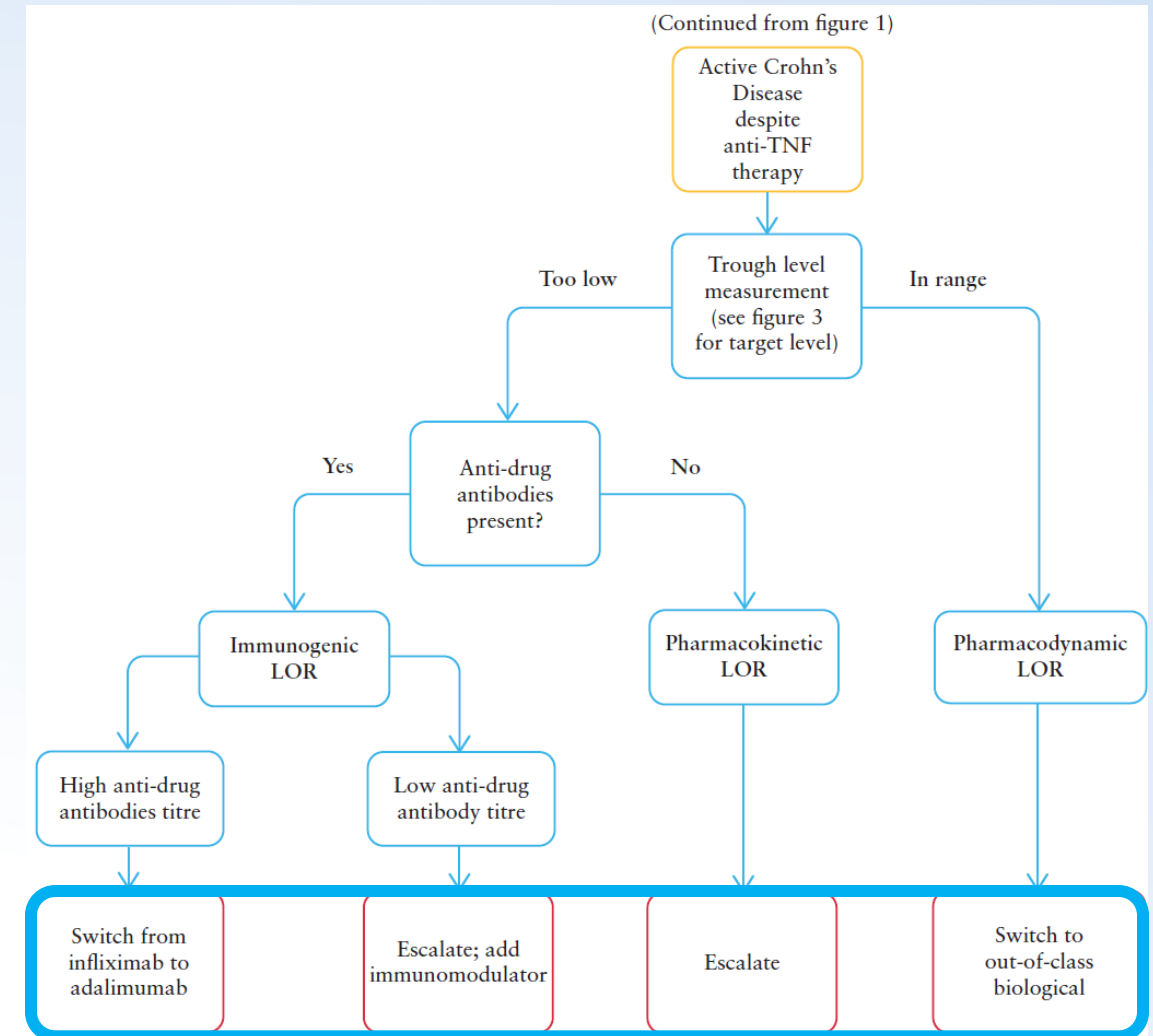
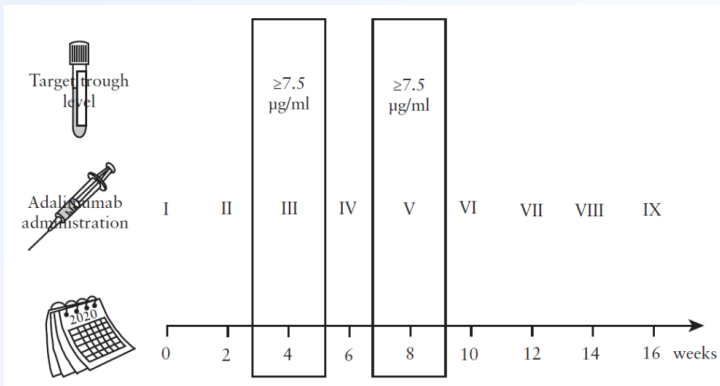
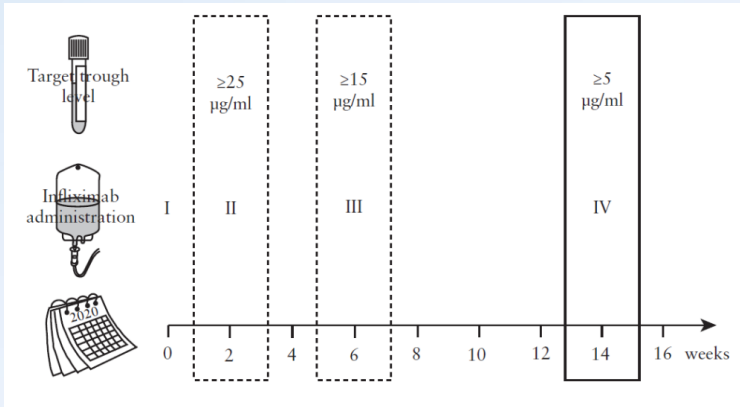


Long-term effectiveness and safety of anti-TNF in pediatric-onset inflammatory bowel diseases: A population-based study



Alternativas tras pérdida de respuesta al anti-TNF α

- ¿Cambio a otro anti-TNF α ? (switch)
- ¿Cambio de diana terapéutica? (swap?)

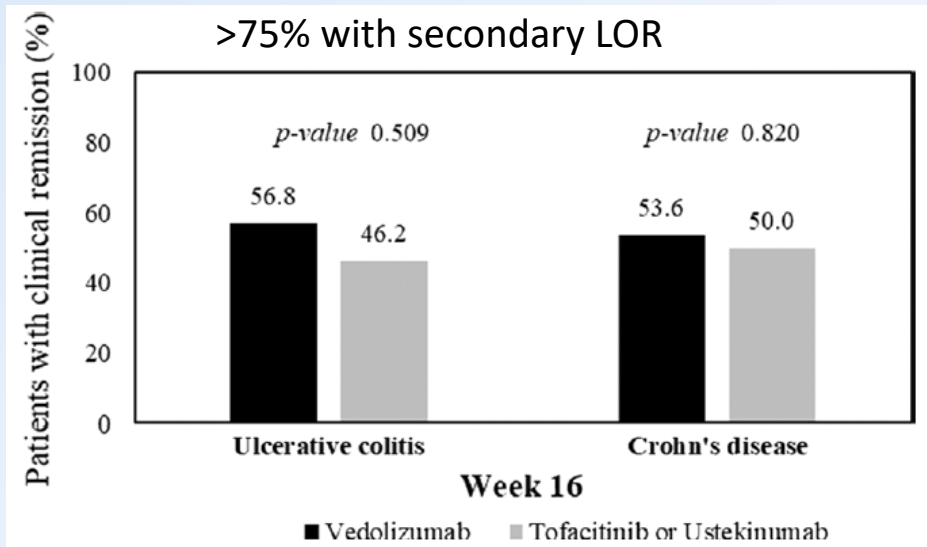


STRIDE-II: An Update on the Selecting Therapeutic Targets in Inflammatory Bowel Disease (STRIDE) Initiative of the International Organization for the Study of IBD (IOIBD): Determining Therapeutic Goals for Treat-to-Target strategies in IBD

	Clinical response	Clinical remission	Norm of CRP/ESR	Decrease of FC ^a	EH
Crohn's disease					
Oral steroids/EEN	2	4	5	8	13
Budesonide	3	6	8	10	15
Thiopurines	11	15	15	17	24
Methotrexate	9	14	14	15	24
Anti-TNF	2-4	4-6	9	11	17
Vedolizumab	11	17	15	17	24
Ustekinumab	7	13	11	14	19
Ulcerative colitis					
Oral 5-ASA	4	8	8	10	13
Oral Steroids	2	2	5	8	11
Locally active steroids ^b	3	8	8	9	13
Thiopurines	11	15	15	15	20
Adalimumab	6	11	10	12	14
Infliximab	5	10	9	11	13
Vedolizumab	9	14	14	15	18
Tofacitinib	6	11	9	11	14

Eficacia de los nuevos biológicos tras fracaso de anti-TNF α

Comparative effectiveness of second-line biological therapies for ulcerative colitis and Crohn's disease in patients with prior failure of anti-tumour necrosis factor treatment



Hyun HK, *et al.* BMC Gastroenterol 2022;22:143

Ustekinumab is associated with superior effectiveness outcomes compared to vedolizumab in Crohn's disease patients with prior failure to anti-TNF treatment

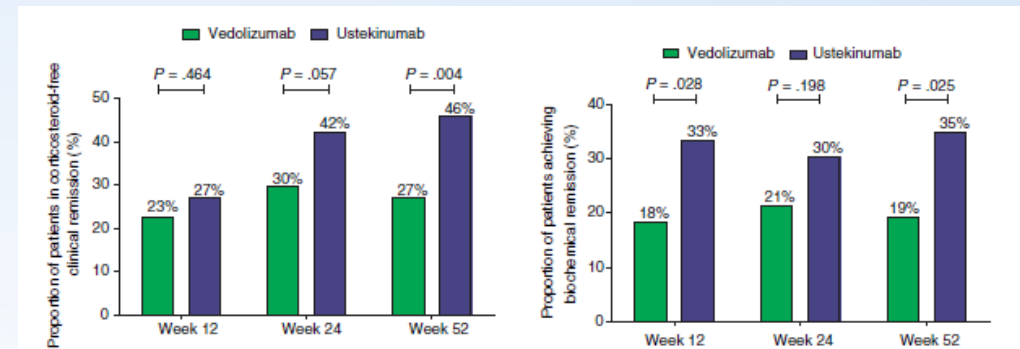


FIGURE 2 Unadjusted proportion of Crohn's disease patients achieving corticosteroid-free clinical remission (HBI ≤4). HBI, Harvey Bradshaw Index

FIGURE 3 Unadjusted proportion of Crohn's disease patients achieving biochemical remission (CRP ≤5 mg/L and faecal calprotectin ≤250 µg/g). CRP, C-reactive protein

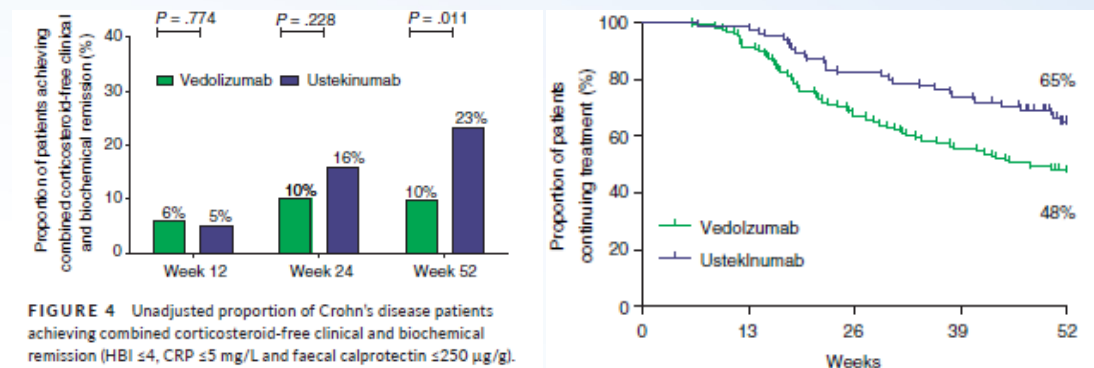


FIGURE 4 Unadjusted proportion of Crohn's disease patients achieving combined corticosteroid-free clinical and biochemical remission (HBI ≤4, CRP ≤5 mg/L and faecal calprotectin ≤250 µg/g). CRP, C-reactive protein; HBI, Harvey Bradshaw Index

Biemans VBC, *et al.* Aliment Pharmacol Ther 2020;52:123-34

¿Situación singular en el paciente pediátrico?

- En nuestra experiencia personal, pocos pacientes responden tras el cambio de biológico (según ficha técnica) tras pérdida secundaria de respuesta al anti-TNF α
- Necesidad de estrategias *maximizadas* de respuesta al biológico de segunda línea (mantenimiento con dosis ev de inducción, reinducción, intensificación...)
- ¿Factores implicados?
 - Bloqueo de la vía TNF de larga duración
 - Tratamientos intensificados
 - Inflamación activa mantenida y perpetuada por otras vías
 - ¿Efecto rebote al suspender el tratamiento anti-TNF α ?

Alternativas tras la pérdida de respuesta al antiTNF

- ¿Cambio a otro anti-TNF?
(switch)
- ¿Cambio de diana terapéutica?
(swap?)
- ¿Combinar terapias avanzadas?

- Acs anti-integrina
(Vedolizumab, Etrolizumab)
- Acs anti IL12-23 (Ustekinumab)
- Acs anti IL23 (Risankizumab,
Guselkumab, Mirikizumab)

Biológicos

- Inhibidores JAK (Tofacitinib,
Filgotinib, Upadacitinib)
- Moduladores del receptor S1-P
(Ozanimod, Etrasimod)

**Moléculas
pequeñas**

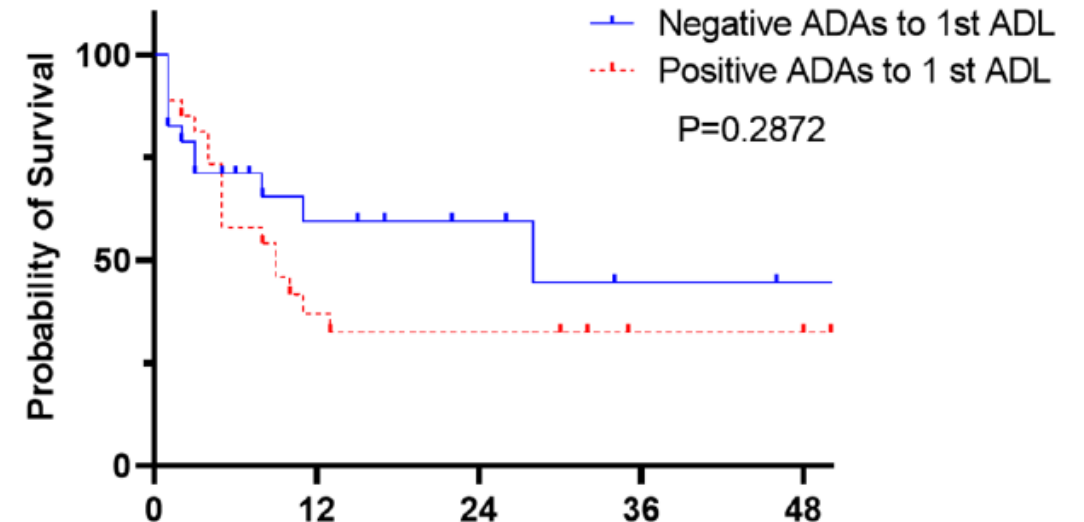
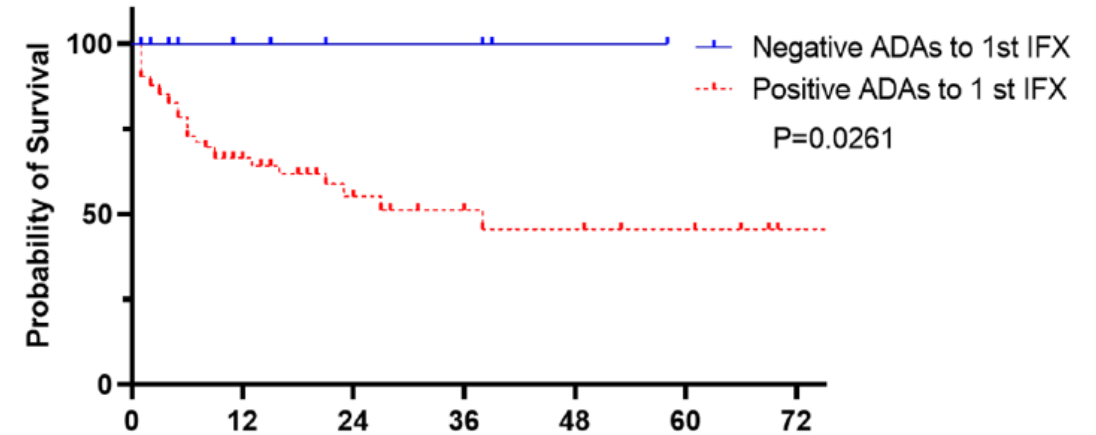
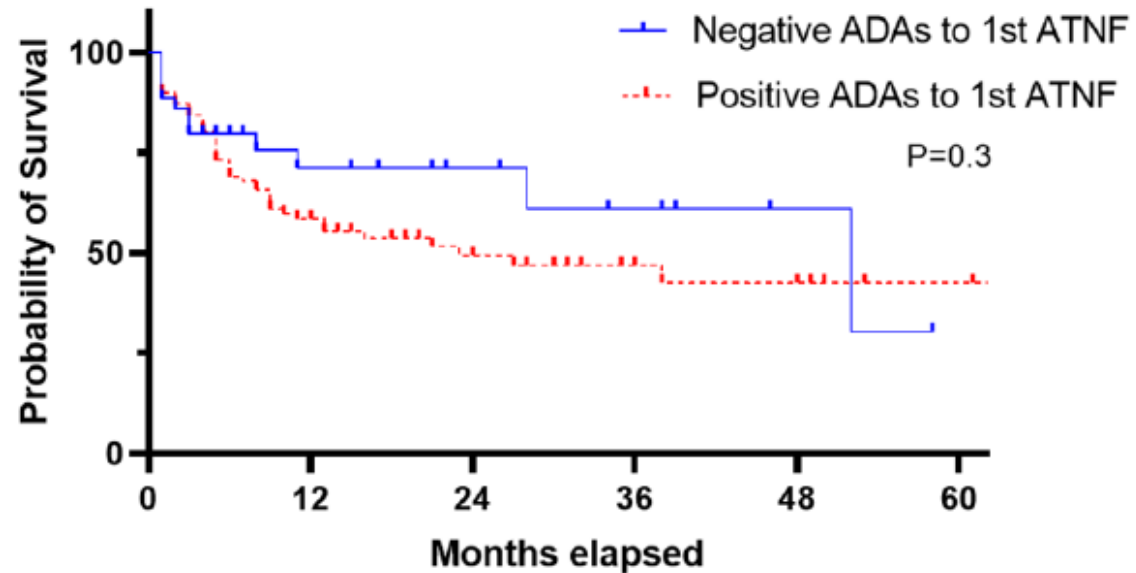
Posibles escenarios clínicos para la terapia dual avanzada

- ¿Respuesta parcial a anti-TNF?
- ¿Pérdida secundaria de respuesta a anti-TNF?
- Efectos adversos del anti-TNF respondedores a otro tratamiento avanzado (preservando el anti-TNF α)
- MEI asociadas
- Enfermedad inmuno-mediada asociada

Fallo a anti-TNF α y mantenimiento del tratamiento; diferentes escenarios

- Fallo primario de respuesta 
- Pérdida de respuesta inmunogénica con anticuerpos anti-droga  presentes
- Reactivación de la enfermedad con niveles de fármaco adecuados
- Respuesta *disociada al* anti-TNF (luminal, perianal, transmural; persistente, recidivante, *de novo*)

Risk of consecutive immunogenic failure in switchers of anti-tumor necrosis factor alpha among patients with inflammatory bowel diseases



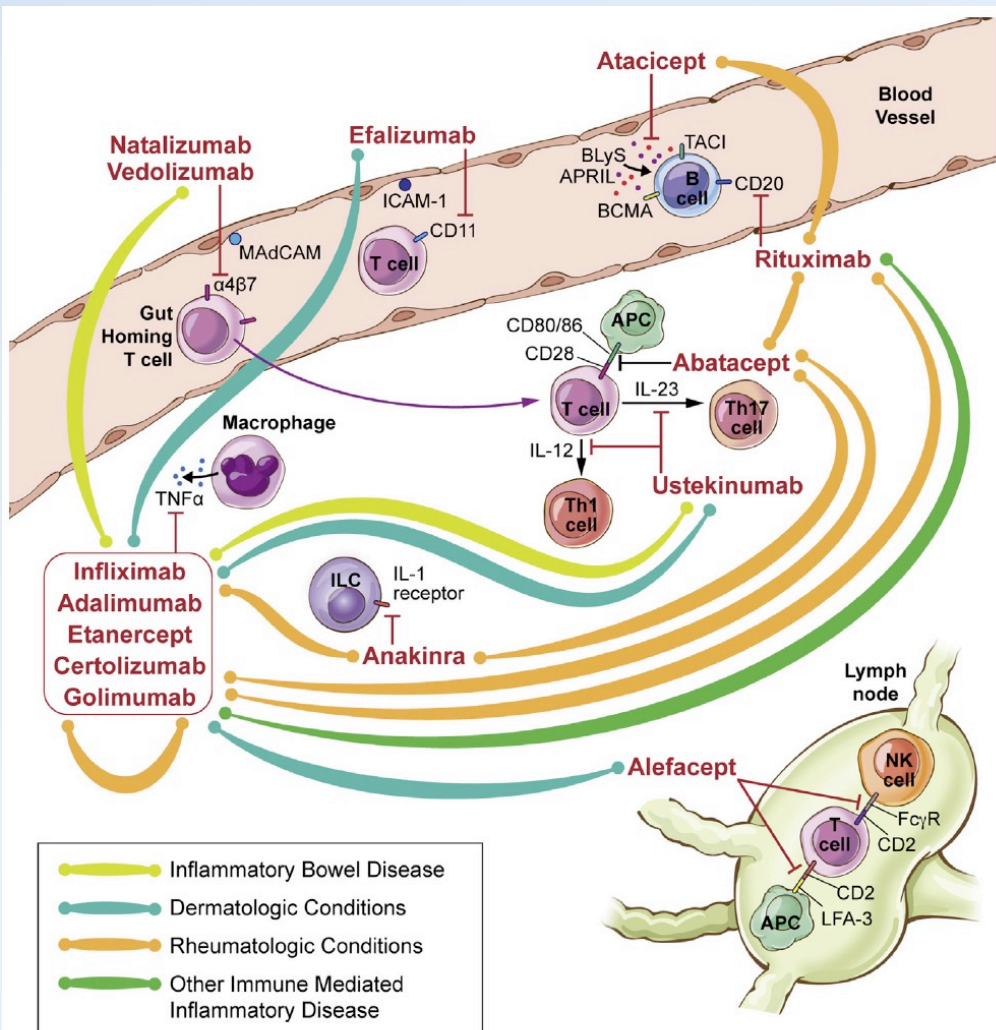
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El nuevo *trending topic*...



Combining Biologics in Inflammatory Bowel Disease and Other Immune Mediated Inflammatory Disorders



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Table 2. Publications on the Use of Combined Biologic Agents in the Treatment of Dermatologic Conditions

Reference	Year	Study type	Disease	Number of subjects	Medications (n)	Efficacy	Adverse events	Follow-up period
Cuchacovich et al ¹⁰	2012	Case report	Psoriasis + PSA	1	Etanercept + UST	Composite psoriatic disease activity index, significant improvement	None	11 mo
Babalola et al ¹¹	2015	Case report	Psoriasis + PSA	1	Etanercept + UST	Resolved joint and skin manifestations	Unstable angina/cardiac stent	6 mo
Heinecke et al ¹²	2013	Case report	Psoriasis + PSA	1	UST + etanercept → adalimumab	Skin improved but joint symptoms continued	Furuncles + autoimmune hemolytic anemia	—
Gniadecki et al ¹³	2016	Case series	Psoriasis + PSA	4	UST + etanercept (2) or adalimumab (1) or certolizumab (1)	Improved skin and joint symptoms	Herpes zoster, retroviral abscess, erysipelas, bacterial pneumonia, cellulitis	7-62 mo (range, 16.2 patient-years of exposure)
Adisen et al ¹⁵	2008	Case report	Psoriasis + PSA	1	Efalizumab + etanercept	Improved skin and joint symptoms	None	1.5 mo
Kitamura et al ¹⁶	2009	Case report	Psoriasis + PSA	1	Efalizumab + etanercept	Improved skin and joint symptoms	Pulmonary tuberculosis	~18 mo
Hamilton ¹⁷	2008	Case series	Psoriasis + PSA	20	Efalizumab + etanercept or etanercept → infliximab	Improved skin and joint symptoms	URI, LRI, SCC, BCC, dysplastic nevus, actinic keratoses	16 mo (range, 8-46 mo)
Krell ¹⁹	2006	Case series	Psoriasis + PSA	3	Alefacept + etanercept	Improved skin and joint symptoms	None	—

Table 3. Publications on the Use of Combined Biologic Agents in the Treatment of Rheumatologic Conditions

Reference	Year	Study type	Disease	Number of subjects	Medications (n)	Efficacy	Adverse events (n)	Follow-up
Sheehy et al ²¹	2006	Case report	HLA-B27-associated arthropathy	1	IFX + etanercept	Improved joint inflammation and pain	None	>6 mo
Weinblatt et al ²⁴	2007	RCT + LTE	RA	121	Etanercept + abatacept or placebo	No differences at 6 and 12 mo	Combination: higher AEs, SAEs, related SAEs, discontinuation because of AEs at 1 year; trend continued in LTE	RCT- 12 mo LTE- 24 mo
Genovese et al ²⁶	2004	RCT	RA	242	Anakinra + etanercept vs etanercept	No difference	Combination: higher SAEs (14.8% vs 2.5%), discontinuation because of AEs (7.4% vs 0%), injection reactions (70.4% vs 40%), 1 death	24 wk
Morgan et al ²⁸	2008	Observational study	RA	8	CD4 monoclonal antibody + bivalent TNF antagonist	Improved joint swelling and pain	Maculopapular rash (5), infusion reactions	17-49 mo
Koumakis et al ³²	2009	Case series	RA	2	RTX + etanercept	Resulted in remission	None	4 y; 18 mo
Feuchtenberger et al ³³	2009	Case series	RA	2	RTX + etanercept	Significantly improved disease activity	Pneumonia, acute bronchitis in 1 patient	6 y
Blank et al ³⁴	2009	Retrospective cohort	RA	6	RTX → etanercept + RTX if no response	Significant improvement with combination	Oral herpes simplex	18.5 mo of mean exposure
Rigby et al ³⁶	2013	Open label study	RA	176	RTX + background biologic	Physical function improved at 24 and 48 wk	24.3 SAEs/100 patient-years, cellulitis, pneumonia, bronchitis, septic shock, 3 deaths	48 wk
Greenwald et al ³⁷	2011	RCT	RA	51	RTX or placebo + adalimumab or etanercept	—	Placebo vs rituximab: AEs (83% vs 94%), SAEs (0% vs 6%); similar infectious rates	24 wk
Van Vollenhoven et al ³⁸	2015	RCT	RA	27	RTX + placebo or atacicept	No difference in clinical response	Combination vs placebo, treatment period: AEs (94.4% vs 100%), discontinuation because of AEs (22.2% vs 11.1%), infections (44.4% vs 66.7%)	25-wk treatment period 32-wk follow-up
Weinblatt et al ³⁹	2006	RCT	RA	169	Abatacept or placebo + background biologic	Lack of clinical benefit with combination	Follow-up: 12 SAEs Combination vs placebo: AEs (95.1% vs 89.1%), discontinuation because of AEs (8.7% vs 3.1%), infection (5.8% vs 1.6%), malignancy (7% vs 2%)	1 y
Record et al ⁴⁰	2011	Case series	Juvenile idiopathic arthritis	4	Abatacept + anakinra	Improved disease control in all subjects	None	8-17 mo

Table 4. Publications on the Use of Combined Biologic Agents in the Treatment of Other Immune-Mediated Inflammatory Disorders

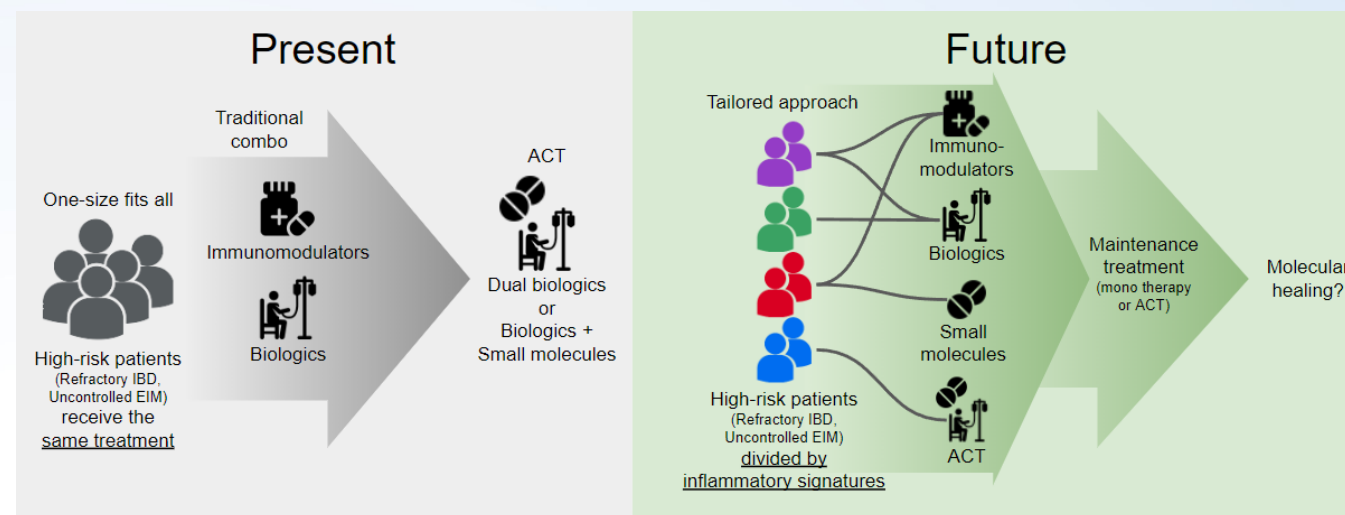
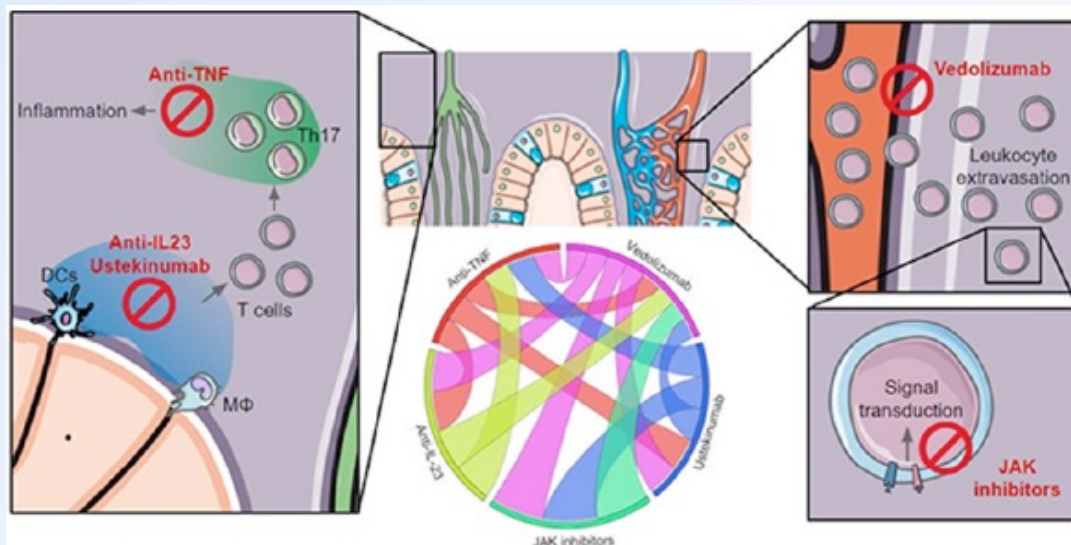
Reference	Year	Study type	Disease	Number of subjects	Medications	Efficacy	Adverse events	Follow-up
Morarji et al ⁴¹	2012	Case report	Necrotising scleritis	1	IFX + RTX	Resolution of scleritis	None	12 mo

The future of drug development for inflammatory bowel disease: the need to ACT (advanced combination treatment)

Table 3 Possible ACT combinations in IBD

	Anti-TNF	Vedolizumab	Ustekinumab	Anti IL-23 (eg, guselkumab)	JAK inhibitors (eg, tofacitinib)
Anti-TNF	---	Yes	Yes	Yes	Too little evidence
Vedolizumab	Yes	---	Yes	Yes	Yes
Ustekinumab	Yes	Yes	---	Very similar MOA	Yes
Anti IL-23 (eg, guselkumab)	Yes	Yes	Very similar MOA	---	Too little evidence
JAK inhibitors (eg, tofacitinib)	Too little evidence	Yes	Too little evidence	Too little evidence	---

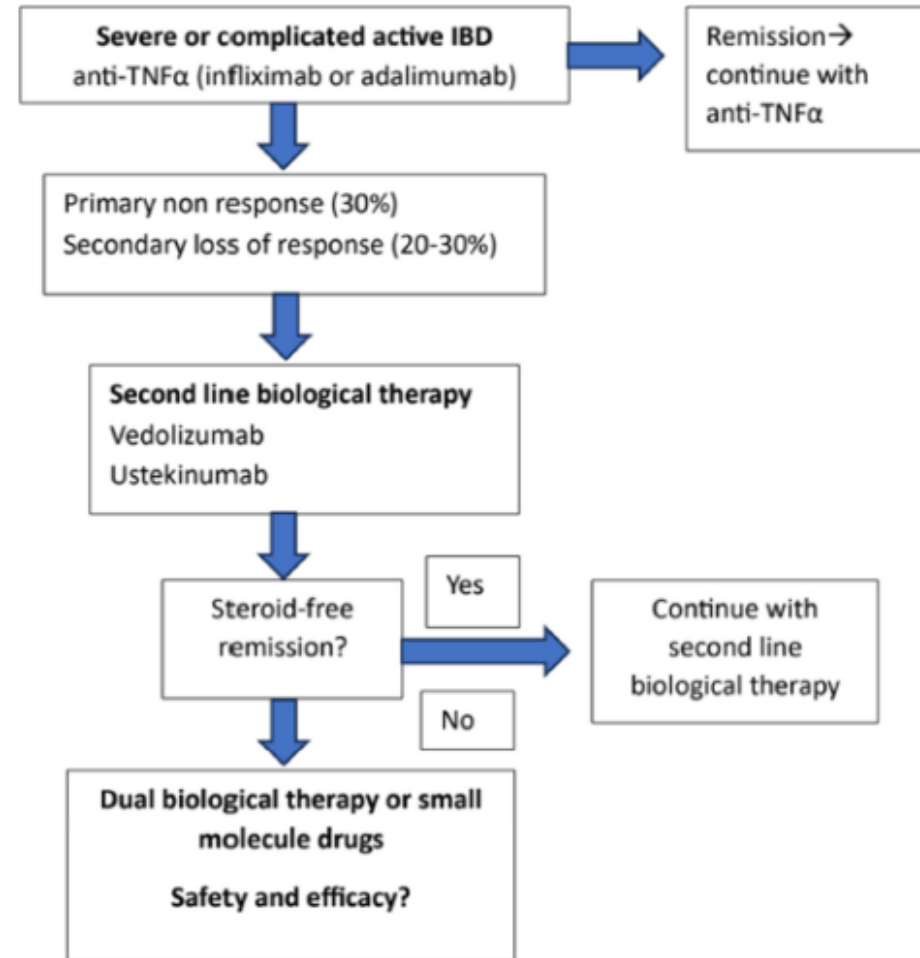
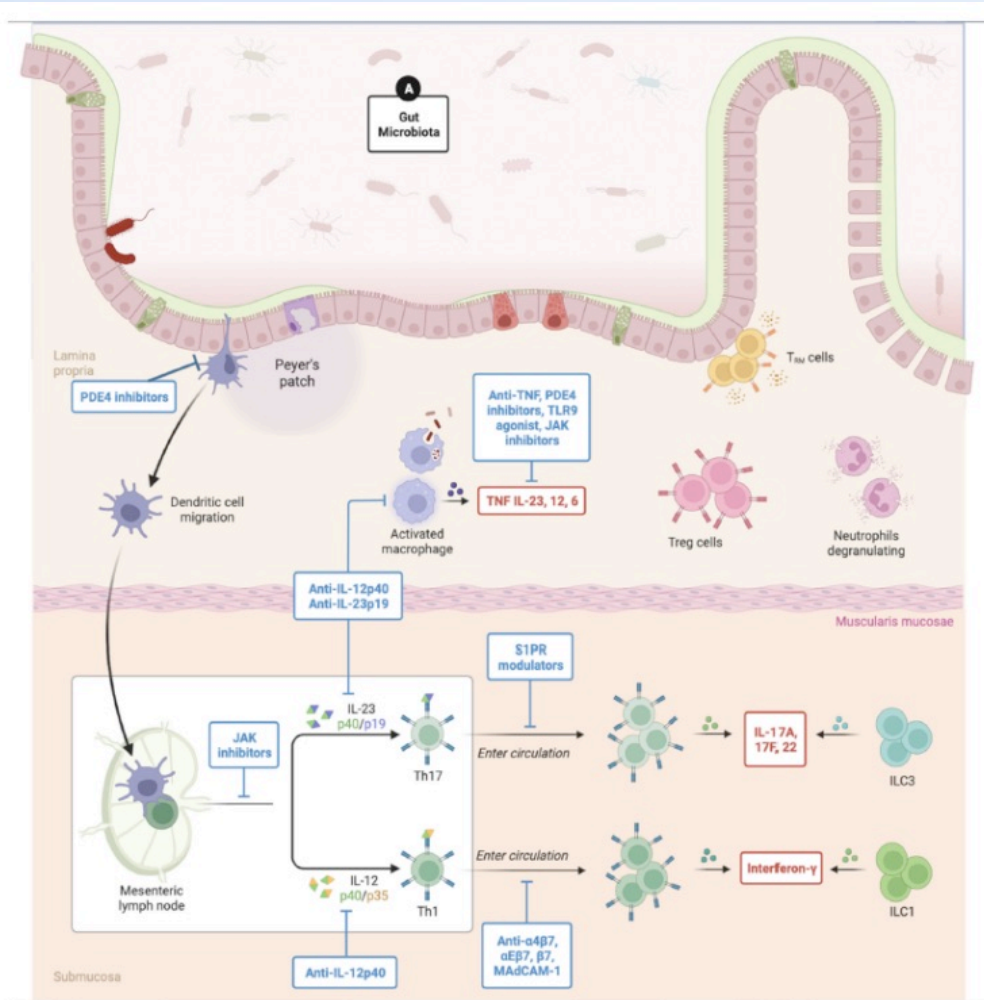
IBD, inflammatory bowel disease; JAK, Janus kinase; MOA, mechanism of action.



Una nueva etapa en el tratamiento de la EII...

- Hasta ahora la combinación de terapias se ha hecho bajo un punto de vista *oportunistista*, basada más en la disponibilidad que en la hipótesis de un posible efecto aditivo o sinérgico
- Avanzamos hacia un nuevo escenario en el que la combinación de terapias se hará bajo las siguientes premisas:
 - Diferentes mecanismos de acción
 - Mínimo solapamiento
 - Efecto aditivo, supra-aditivo o sinérgico
 - Toxicidad infra-aditiva
 - Probablemente de manera precoz y de manera intensificada para obtener el mejor resultado

Dual biological therapy and small molecules in pediatric inflammatory bowel disease



Systematic Review With Meta-analysis: Safety and Effectiveness of Combining Biologics and Small Molecules in Inflammatory Bowel Disease

	Study type	Country (single/multicenter)	IBD type, <i>n</i> (N = 266)*	No. of previous biologics, median (IQR/range)	No. of therapeutic trials, <i>n</i> (N = 271)*	Combinatorial treatments	Median duration of follow-up (weeks)	No. of therapeutic trials discontinued DT, <i>n/N</i> (%)
Sands et al ⁷	Randomized controlled trial	United States (multicenter)	CD (52)	0	52	NAT + aTNF	m 32	5/52 (9.6%)
Buer et al ²⁸	Prospective cohort	Norway (multicenter)	CD (4) UC (6)	NA (R 1–3)	10	VDZ + aTNF	68	2/10 (20.0%)
Mao et al ²⁹	Case series	United States (single)	CD (3)	3 (IQR 2–5)	3	VDZ + aTNF VDZ + UST	NA	0/3 (0%)
Dolinger et al ^{32b}	Retrospective cohort	United States (single)	CD (7) UC (8) IBD-U (1)	3 (IQR 1–2.5)	16	VDZ + UST Tofa + UST Tofa + VDZ	26	3/16 (18.8%)
Fumery et al ³³	Case series	France (single)	CD (4) UC (1)	2 (IQR 0–4)	5	UST + aTNF VDZ + aTNF	24	NA
Glassner et al ¹⁰	Retrospective cohort	United States (single)	CD (30) UC (18) IBD-U (1)	2 (IQR 1–2)	52	VDZ + aTNF VDZ + UST UST + aTNF Tofa + aTNF Tofa + VDZ	16	NA
Kwapisz et al ⁹	Retrospective cohort	United States (single)	CD (14) UC (1)	4 (R 1–7)	15	VDZ + aTNF UST + aTNF VDZ + UST	24	1/15 (6.7%)
Olbjorn et al ^{34b}	Retrospective cohort	Norway (single)	CD (9) UC (4)	1 (R 1–2)	13	VDZ + aTNF UST + aTNF	NA	12/13 (92.3%)
Privitera et al ³⁵	Retrospective cohort	Italy (multicenter)	CD (10) UC (3)	2.5 (IQR 2–3)	13	VDZ + aTNF UST + aTNF VDZ + UST	28	4/13 (30.8%)
Yang et al ¹¹	Retrospective cohort	United States/Canada (multicenter)	CD (22)	4 (R 2–5)	24	VDZ + aTNF UST + aTNF VDZ + UST	39	15/24 (62.5%)
Alayo et al ³⁰	Retrospective cohort	United States (multicenter)	CD (10) UC (25)	2 (IQR 1–3)	35	Tofa + aTNF Tofa + UST Tofa + VDZ	16	20/35 (57.1%)
Lee et al ³¹	Retrospective cohort	United States (single)	CD (19)	4 (IQR 3–4)	19	Tofa + aTNF Tofa + UST Tofa + VDZ	42.3	5/19 (26.3%)
Llano et al ³⁶	Retrospective cohort	United States (single)	CD (3) UC (10) IBD-U (1)	2 (R 1–4)	14	VDZ + aTNF VDZ + UST Tofa + VDZ	31	5/14 (35.7%)

- Trece estudios (12 observacionales, 1RCT)
- 266 pacientes (7 diferentes combinaciones)
- Biológicos previos: 0-4
- Seguimiento: 16-68s
- Combinación más frecuente: VDZ + aTNF (56) o tofa (57)
- VDZ + aTNF: 77% respuesta clínica, 55% remisión clínica, 38% respuesta endoscópica, 18% remisión endoscópica
- VDZ + tofa: 59% respuesta clínica, 47% remisión clínica, 46% respuesta endoscópica, 24% remisión endoscópica

Systematic Review With Meta-analysis: Safety and Effectiveness of Combining Biologics and Small Molecules in Inflammatory Bowel Disease

Study Events Total Clinical Remission % 95%-CI W(random)

Treatment = Vedolizumab + Ustekinumab

Mao, 2018	1	1	100.0	[2.5; 100.0]	8.0%
Dolinger, 2020	3	4	75.0	[19.4; 99.4]	14.3%
Glassner, 2020	7	15	46.7	[21.3; 73.4]	19.7%
Kwapisz, 2020	0	5	0.0	[0.0; 52.2]	15.4%
Privitera, 2020	0	3	0.0	[0.0; 70.8]	12.9%
Yang, 2020	4	7	57.1	[18.4; 90.1]	16.9%
Llano, 2021	3	3	100.0	[29.2; 100.0]	12.9%
Random effects model	18	38	47.0	[14.5; 80.7]	100.0%

Heterogeneity: $I^2 = 64\%$, $\tau^2 = 0.0816$, $p = 0.01$

Treatment = Vedolizumab + anti-TNF

Buer, 2018	10	10	100.0	[69.2; 100.0]	14.6%
Mao, 2018	2	2	100.0	[15.8; 100.0]	8.7%
Glassner, 2020	1	5	20.0	[0.5; 71.6]	12.2%
Kwapisz, 2020	0	8	0.0	[0.0; 36.9]	13.9%
Olbjørn, 2020	4	8	50.0	[15.7; 84.3]	13.9%
Privitera, 2020	3	6	50.0	[11.8; 88.2]	12.9%
Yang, 2020	4	12	33.3	[9.9; 65.1]	15.1%
Llano, 2021	2	2	100.0	[15.8; 100.0]	8.7%
Random effects model	26	53	55.1	[19.6; 88.5]	100.0%

Heterogeneity: $I^2 = 81\%$, $\tau^2 = 0.1554$, $p < 0.01$

Treatment = Ustekinumab + anti-TNF

Fumery, 2020	4	5	80.0	[28.4; 99.5]	26.5%
Olbjørn, 2020	5	5	100.0	[47.8; 100.0]	26.5%
Privitera, 2020	3	4	75.0	[19.4; 99.4]	24.7%
Yang, 2020	1	3	33.3	[0.8; 90.6]	22.2%
Random effects model	13	17	80.0	[48.3; 99.7]	100.0%

Heterogeneity: $I^2 = 31\%$, $\tau^2 = 0.0241$, $p = 0.23$

Treatment = Tofacitinib + Ustekinumab

Dolinger, 2020	3	3	100.0	[29.2; 100.0]	22.2%
Glassner, 2020	1	3	33.3	[0.8; 90.6]	22.2%
Alayo, 2021	0	5	0.0	[0.0; 52.2]	26.5%
Lee, 2021	3	7	42.9	[9.9; 81.6]	29.1%
Random effects model	7	18	40.4	[1.2; 88.0]	100.0%

Heterogeneity: $I^2 = 71\%$, $\tau^2 = 0.1289$, $p = 0.02$

Treatment = Tofacitinib + Vedolizumab

Dolinger, 2020	7	9	77.8	[40.0; 97.2]	21.2%
Glassner, 2020	1	5	20.0	[0.5; 71.6]	18.2%
Alayo, 2021	7	24	29.2	[12.6; 51.1]	24.7%
Lee, 2021	3	3	100.0	[29.2; 100.0]	15.2%
Llano, 2021	2	8	25.0	[3.2; 65.1]	20.7%
Random effects model	20	49	47.8	[19.0; 77.4]	100.0%

Heterogeneity: $I^2 = 69\%$, $\tau^2 = 0.0607$, $p = 0.01$

Treatment = Tofacitinib + anti-TNF

Glassner, 2020	8	9	88.9	[51.8; 99.7]	52.5%
Alayo, 2021	1	6	16.7	[0.4; 64.1]	47.5%
Random effects model	9	15	55.7	[0.0; 100.0]	100.0%

Heterogeneity: $I^2 = 87\%$, $\tau^2 = 0.2142$, $p < 0.01$

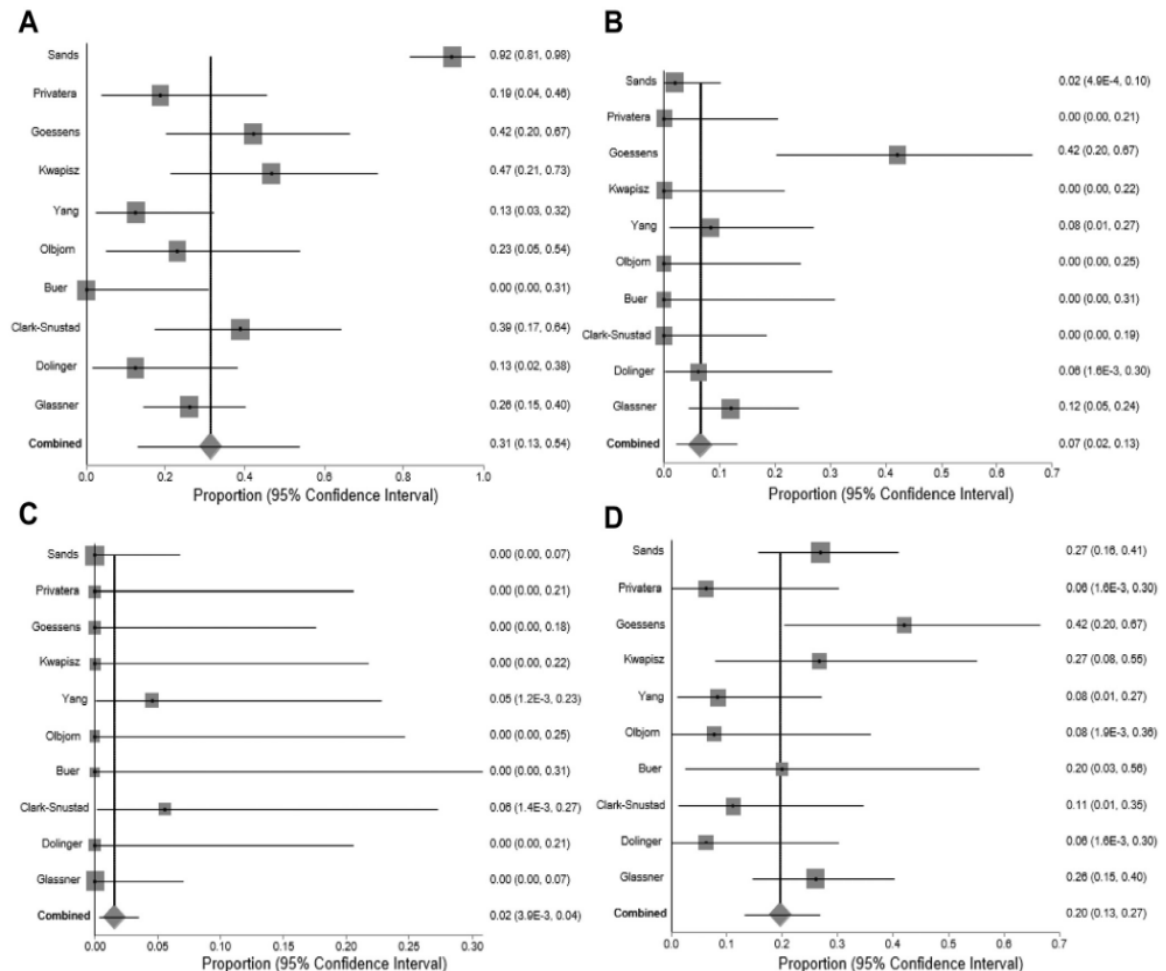
Test for subgroup differences: $\chi^2_5 = 3.15$, $df = 5$ ($p = 0.68$)

0 20 40 60 80 100

Conclusions: DBT or SBT appears to be generally safe and may be effective in IBD patients, but the evidence is very uncertain.

Dual Biologic or Small Molecule Therapy for Treatment of Inflammatory Bowel Disease: A Systematic Review and Meta-analysis

Characteristic	Data	Reported patients or combinations
Duration of treatment, wk	24 (13–32)	231
Previous biologics, wk	2 (2–4)	160
Corticosteroids at baseline	43%	88/204
Immunomodulator at baseline	44%	75/172
Previous exposure to therapy	61%	62/101
Indication for therapy		
Medically refractory intestinal disease	81%	225/279
EIM	12%	34/279
Both	5%	14/279
Other	2%	6/279
Dual therapy		
Anti-TNF and anti-integrin	48%	138/288
Anti-TNF and ustekinumab	7%	20/288
Anti-TNF and tofacitinib	3%	10/288
Vedolizumab and ustekinumab	19%	54/288
Vedolizumab and tofacitinib	11%	32/288
Ustekinumab and tofacitinib	6%	16/288
Anti-TNF and other	3%	8/288
Vedolizumab and other	3%	8/288
Ustekinumab and other	1%	2/288



- 30 estudios
- 279 pacientes (9 tipos combinaciones)
- Sgto medio 32s
- 81% EII refractaria , 12% MEI, 5% ambas, 2% otros
- Remisión clínica y endoscópica 52% (DB); 32% (BMP)
- Respuesta clínica y endoscópica 72% (DB), 58% (BPM)
- Remisión libre esteroides 48%
- 10% precisaron cirugía

Dual Biologic Therapy for the Treatment of Pediatric Inflammatory Bowel Disease: A Review of the Literature

Study	Year	Study Types	Therapy	Number of Patients	Duration of Combination Therapy (Average)	Efficacy	Adverse Events
Bass et al.	2019	CR	VDZ + ADA	1	9 mth	Clinical response with a significant reduction in inflammatory markers.	None.
Oljbořrn et al.	2020	CS	IFX + UST IFX + VDZ	5 8	36 mth 10 mth	Clinical remission in 9 of the 13 patients.	5 patients had severe paradoxical psoriasis on maintenance therapy with IFX.
Howard et al.	2021	CS	VDZ + UST	3	7 mth	Clinical remission; no endoscopic remission was observed.	None.
Goyal et al.	2020	RS	Anty-TNF + VDZ VDZ + UST IFX + anakinra	6 2 1	11 mth	4 (44%) patients achieved clinical remission;	One patient had a staphylococcal skin infection.
Dolinger et al.	2021	RS	VDZ + tofacitinib VDZ + UST UST+ tofacitinb	9 4 3	6 mth	12 (75%) patients achieved steroid-free clinical remission at 6 months; One of them required surgery, the other 2 patients needed to switch to therapy.	One serious adverse event of septic arthritis occurred after 2 months of treatment with vedolizumab and tofacitinib.

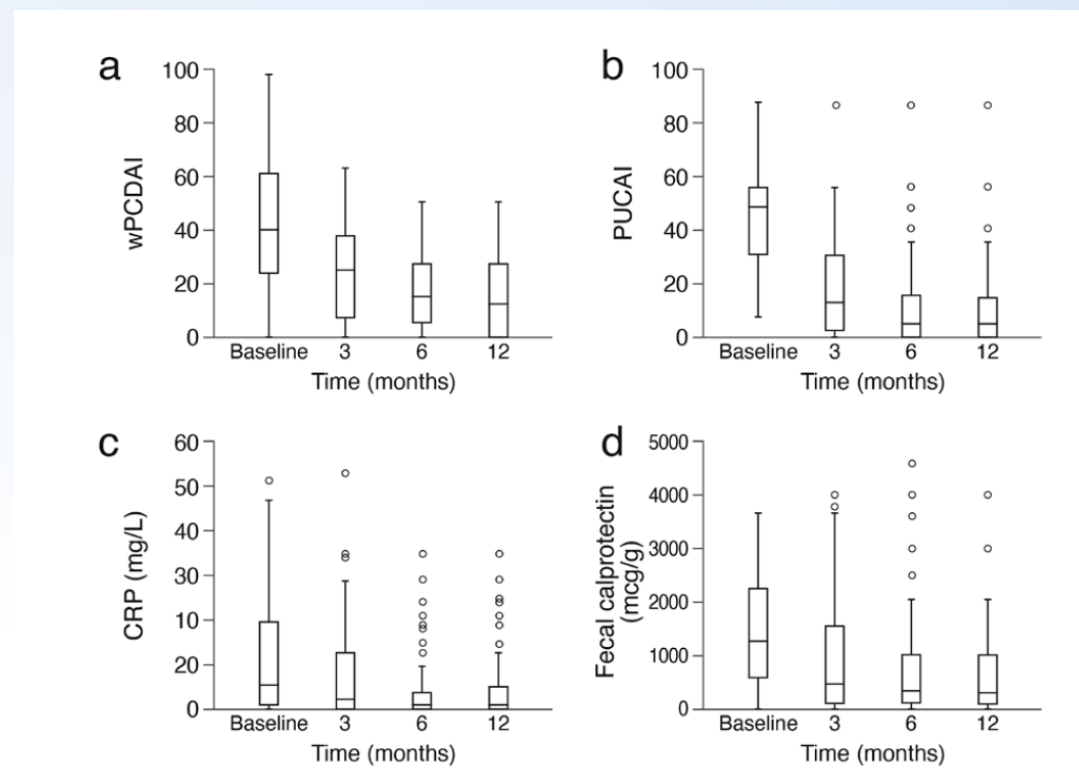
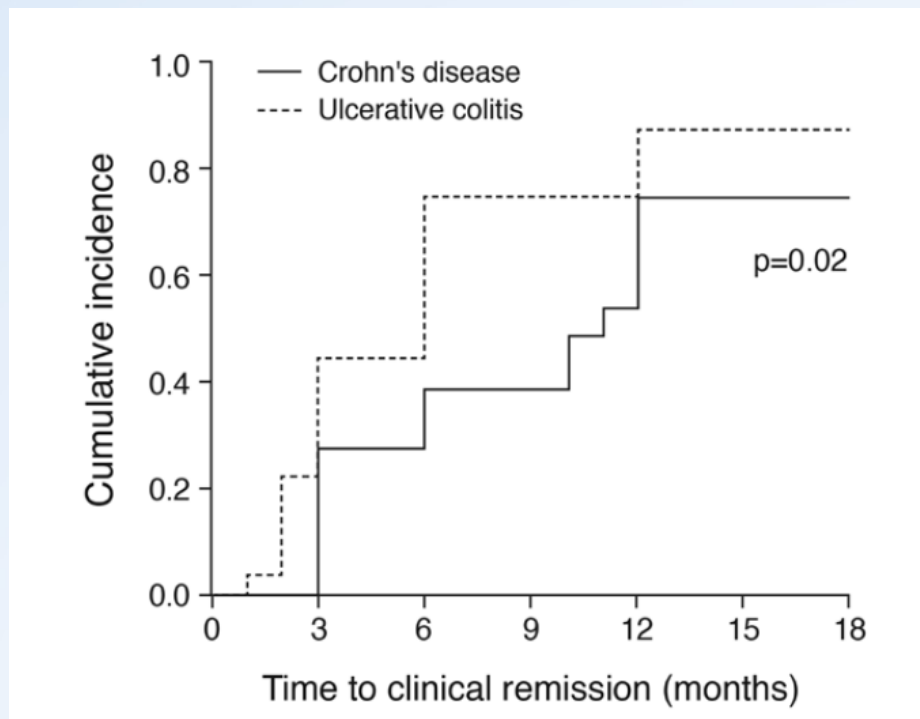
ADA, adalimumab; CR, case report; CS, case series; IFX, infliximab; mth, month; TNF, tumor necrosis factor; UST, ustekinumab; and VDZ, vedolizumab.

- 5 estudios
- 42 pacientes
- 7 combinaciones
- Respuesta 74% EC; 77% CU

Dual Biologic or Small Molecule Therapy in Refractory Pediatric Inflammatory Bowel Disease (DOUBLE-PIBD): A Multicenter Study from the Pediatric IBD Porto Group of ESPGHAN

- 62 pacientes, 14 centros (56.5% EC, 43.5% CU)
- Edad media al dx 10.6a (8-13); al inicio TDA 15.5 (13.1-16.8)
- 88.7% uso previo IS; 75% con > 1 biológico

- Remisión clínica 35% (3m), 50% (6m), 65% (12m)

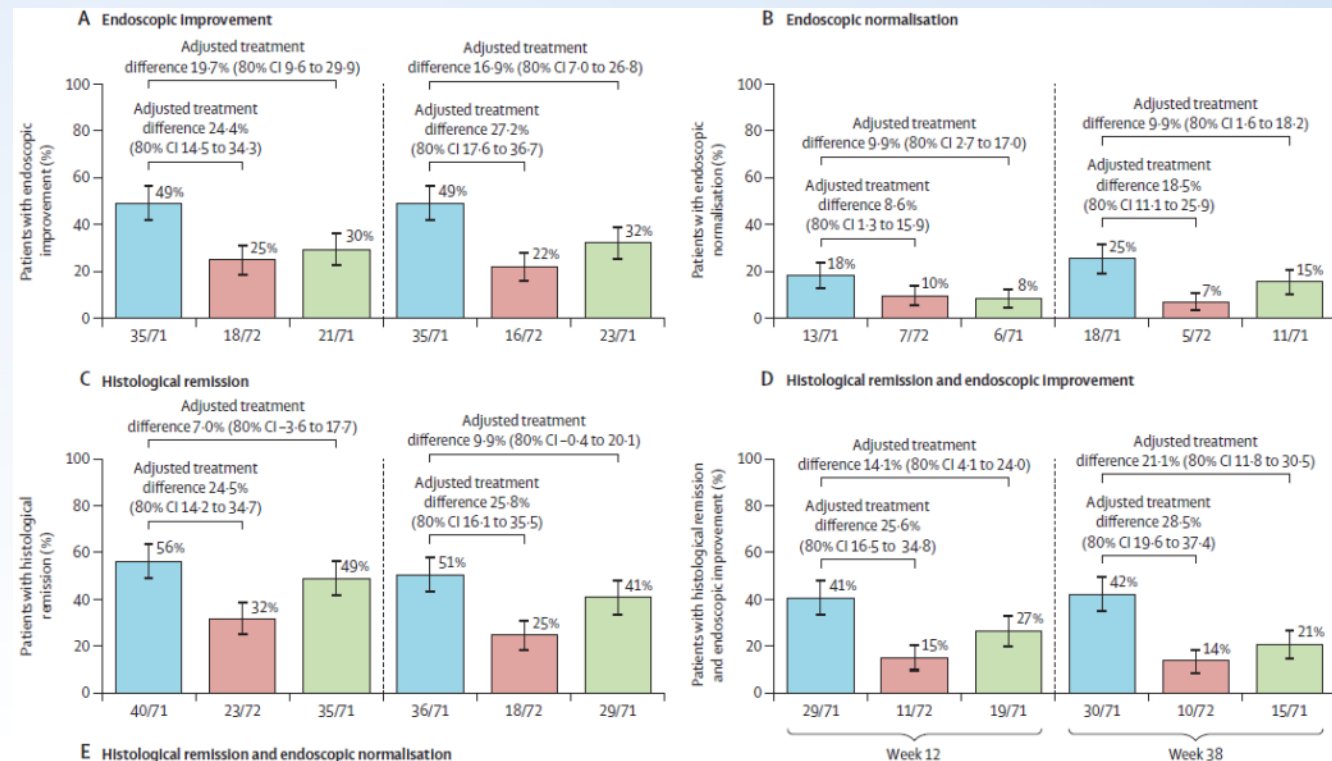
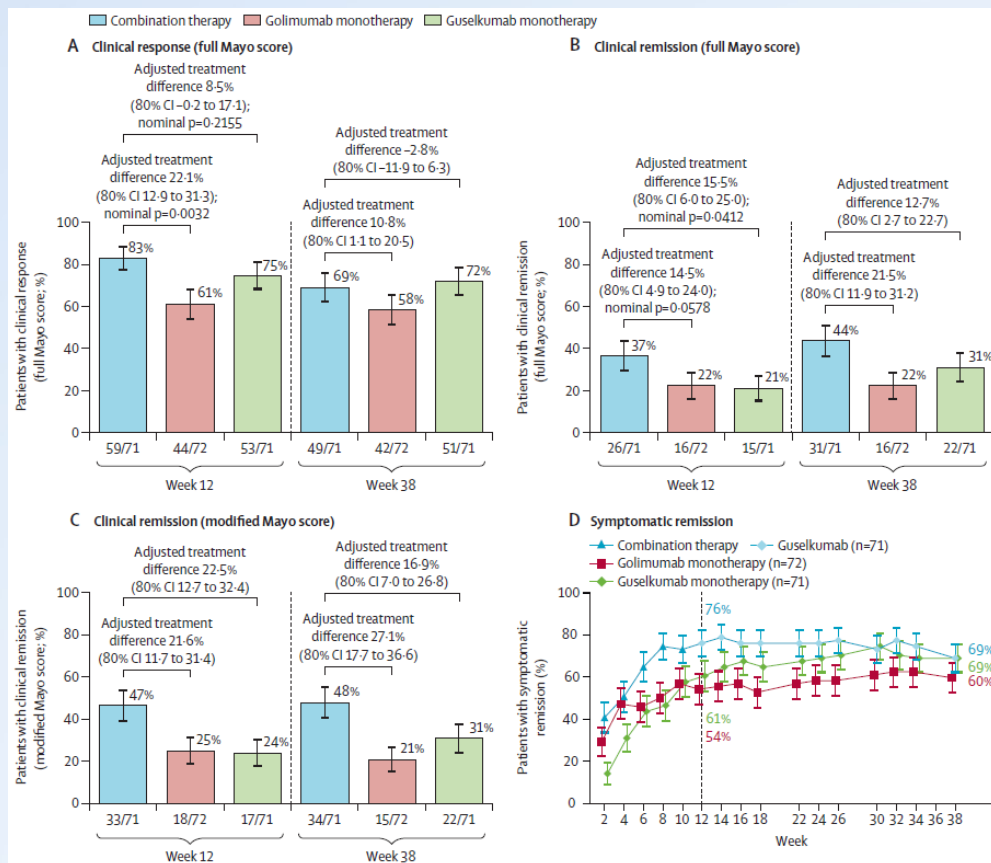


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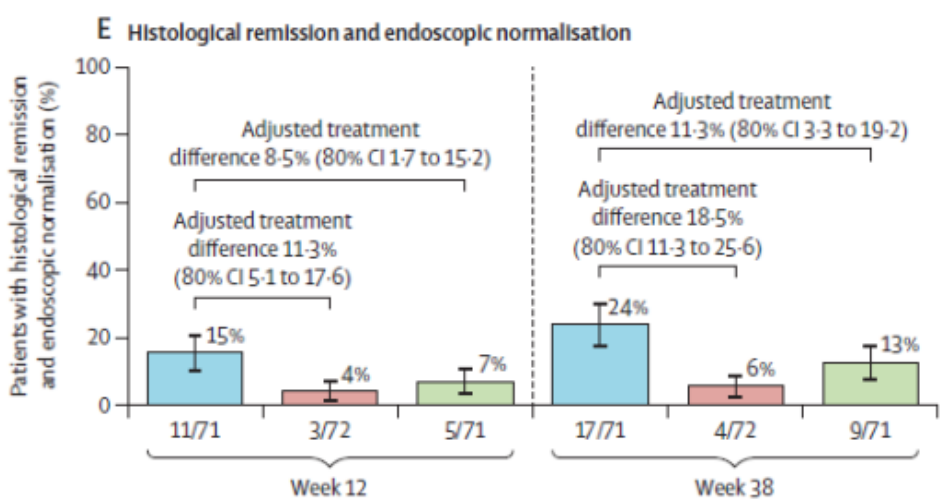
TABLE 3. Adverse events

Combination	Serious adverse events	Other adverse events
Infliximab + vedolizumab	Infusion reaction to infliximab, fatigue and headache after vedolizumab infusion, eczema (n = 2)	COVID-19 infection, mycoplasma upper respiratory tract infection, influenza-like disease, <i>Clostridioides difficile</i> infection, sinusitis, headache, elevated liver enzymes (n = 2)
Adalimumab + vedolizumab		Fever, COVID-19 infection (n = 3), impetigo, folliculitis, psoriasis
Infliximab + ustekinumab	Cellulitis and skin abscess, nonspecific rash	External otitis (n = 2), cellulitis, psoriasis (n = 2), urticaria
Adalimumab + ustekinumab	Elevated liver enzymes	COVID-19 infection, influenza-like disease, folliculitis, nonspecific rash, headache
Vedolizumab + ustekinumab	—	Influenza-like disease, acne
Tofacitinib + biologic agent	Deep vein thrombosis	Elevated liver enzymes
Other	—	Psoriasis, blepharitis

Guselkumab plus golimumab combination therapy versus guselkumab or golimumab monotherapy in patients with ulcerative colitis (VEGA): a randomised, double-blind, controlled, phase 2, proof-of-concept trial



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	Combination therapy induction until week 12			Therapy until week 50		
	Combination therapy (n=71)	Golimumab monotherapy (n=72)	Guselkumab monotherapy (n=71)	Combination therapy (n=71)	Golimumab monotherapy (n=72)	Guselkumab monotherapy (n=71)
Duration of follow-up, weeks	12.4 (0.84)	12.0 (0.92)	12.1 (1.74)	48.8 (9.70)	45.8 (12.91)	48.6 (9.00)
Any adverse event	29 (41%)	38 (53%)	31 (44%)	45 (63%)	55 (76%)	46 (65%)
Common adverse events*						
Ulcerative colitis	4 (6%)	9 (13%)	1 (1%)	10 (14%)	17 (24%)	4 (6%)
Upper respiratory tract infection	1 (1%)	4 (6%)	5 (7%)	6 (8%)	5 (7%)	6 (8%)
Headache	4 (6%)	2 (3%)	3 (4%)	5 (7%)	4 (6%)	6 (8%)
Anaemia	4 (6%)	5 (7%)	6 (8%)	4 (6%)	7 (10%)	10 (14%)
Nasopharyngitis	2 (3%)	3 (4%)	2 (3%)	4 (6%)	5 (7%)	3 (4%)
Neutropenia	2 (3%)	2 (3%)	4 (6%)	3 (4%)	3 (4%)	5 (7%)
Pyrexia	1 (1%)	2 (3%)	0	2 (3%)	5 (7%)	1 (1%)
Infection†	10 (14%)	16 (22%)	10 (14%)	22 (31%)	23 (32%)	17 (24%)
Opportunistic infections	0	0	0	2 (3%)	0	0
Serious adverse events	1 (1%)	1 (1%)	2 (3%)	4 (6%)	4 (6%)	4 (6%)
Serious infections†	1 (1%)	0	0	2 (3%)	2 (3%)	2 (3%)
Adverse events leading to discontinuation of study treatment	2 (3%)	3 (4%)	1 (1%)	7 (10%)	4 (6%)	1 (1%)
Malignancies	0	0	0	0	0	1 (1%)
Deaths	0	0	0	1 (1%)	0	1 (1%)
Adverse events associated with an injection site reaction	1 (1%)	0	1 (1%)	1 (1%)	0	1 (1%)
Adverse events temporally associated with an infusion	1 (1%)	2 (3%)	2 (3%)	1 (1%)	2 (3%)	2 (3%)
Adverse events associated with COVID-19 infection	1 (1%)	0	0	2 (3%)	2 (3%)	3 (4%)

Data are mean (SD) or n (%). *Reported by at least 5% of patients in any group. †As assessed by the investigator.

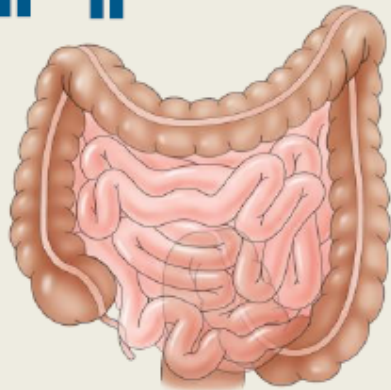
Table 3: Adverse events

Vedolizumab, Adalimumab, and Methotrexate Combination Therapy in Crohn's Disease (EXPLORER)

Phase 4, open-label study of vedolizumab, adalimumab, and methotrexate combination therapy in Crohn's disease

Patients

 N = 55



Biologic naïve patients
with newly diagnosed,
moderate to high risk CD

Treatment

Triple combination therapy



IV vedolizumab 300 mg at
weeks 0, 2, and 6 and every
8 weeks until week 102



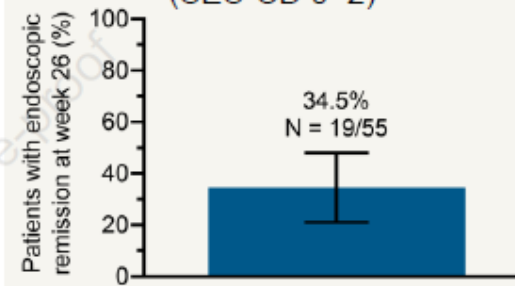
SC adalimumab 160 mg at
week 0, 80 mg at week 2,
and 40 mg every 2 weeks
until week 26



Oral methotrexate 15 mg
weekly until week 34

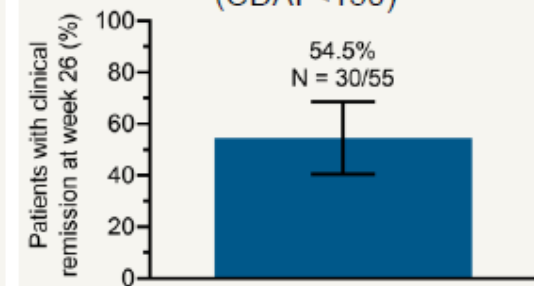
Primary end point

Endoscopic remission at week 26
(SES-CD 0–2)



Secondary end point

Clinical remission at week 26
(CDAI <150)



Post hoc Bayesian analysis^a

Probability that triple
combination therapy produces
higher endoscopic remission
than benchmark rates for...

...placebo ≥99.9%

...vedolizumab monotherapy = 86.3%

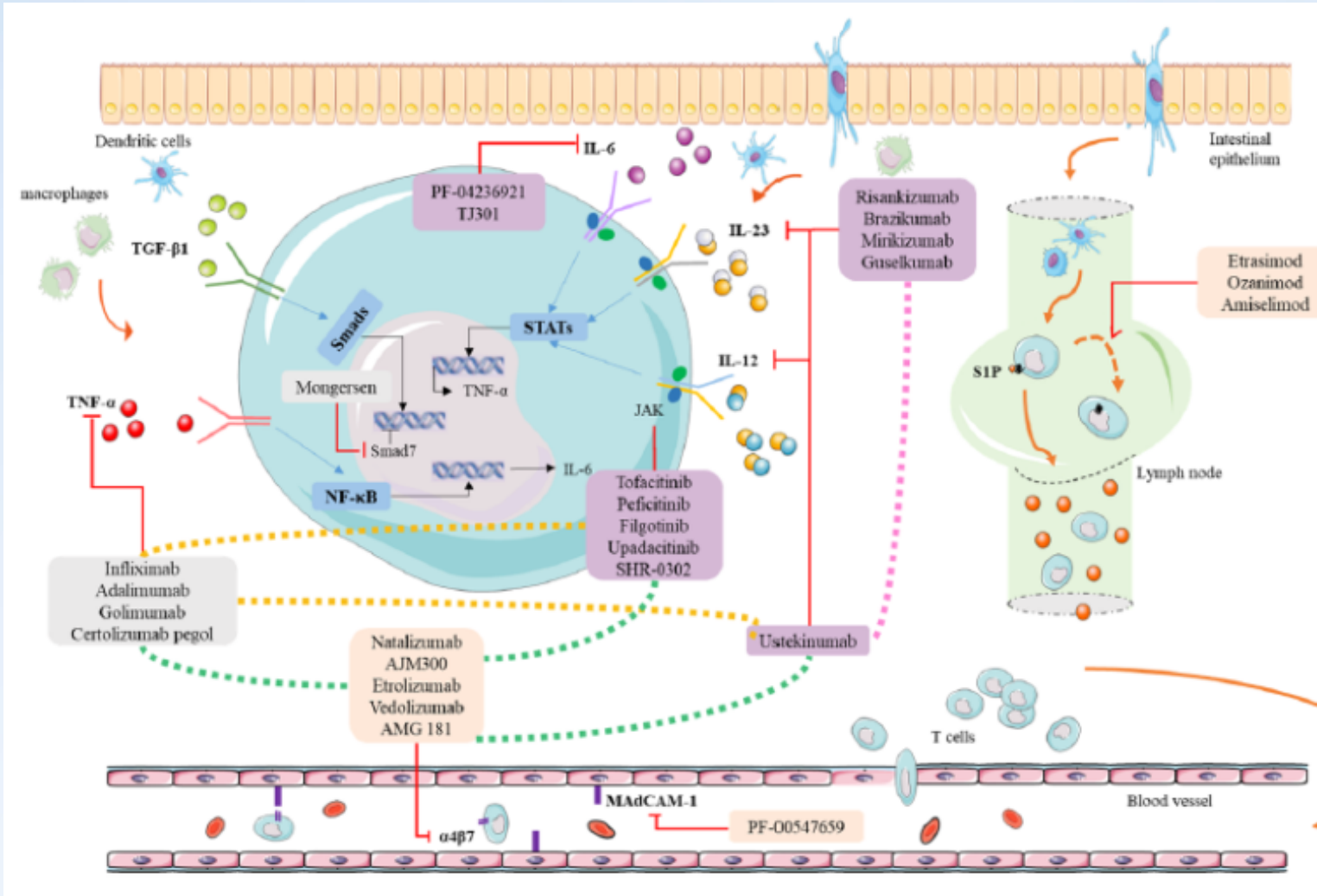
...adalimumab monotherapy = 71.4%

^aBeta(1.667, 5) prior. Posterior mean endoscopic remission rate = 33.5%
(95% credible interval: 22.4, 45.7).

CD, Crohn's disease; CDAI, Crohn's Disease Activity Index; IV, intravenous; SC,
subcutaneous; SES-CD, Simple Endoscopic Score for Crohn's Disease

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Breaking through the therapeutic ceiling of inflammatory bowel disease: Dual-targeted therapies



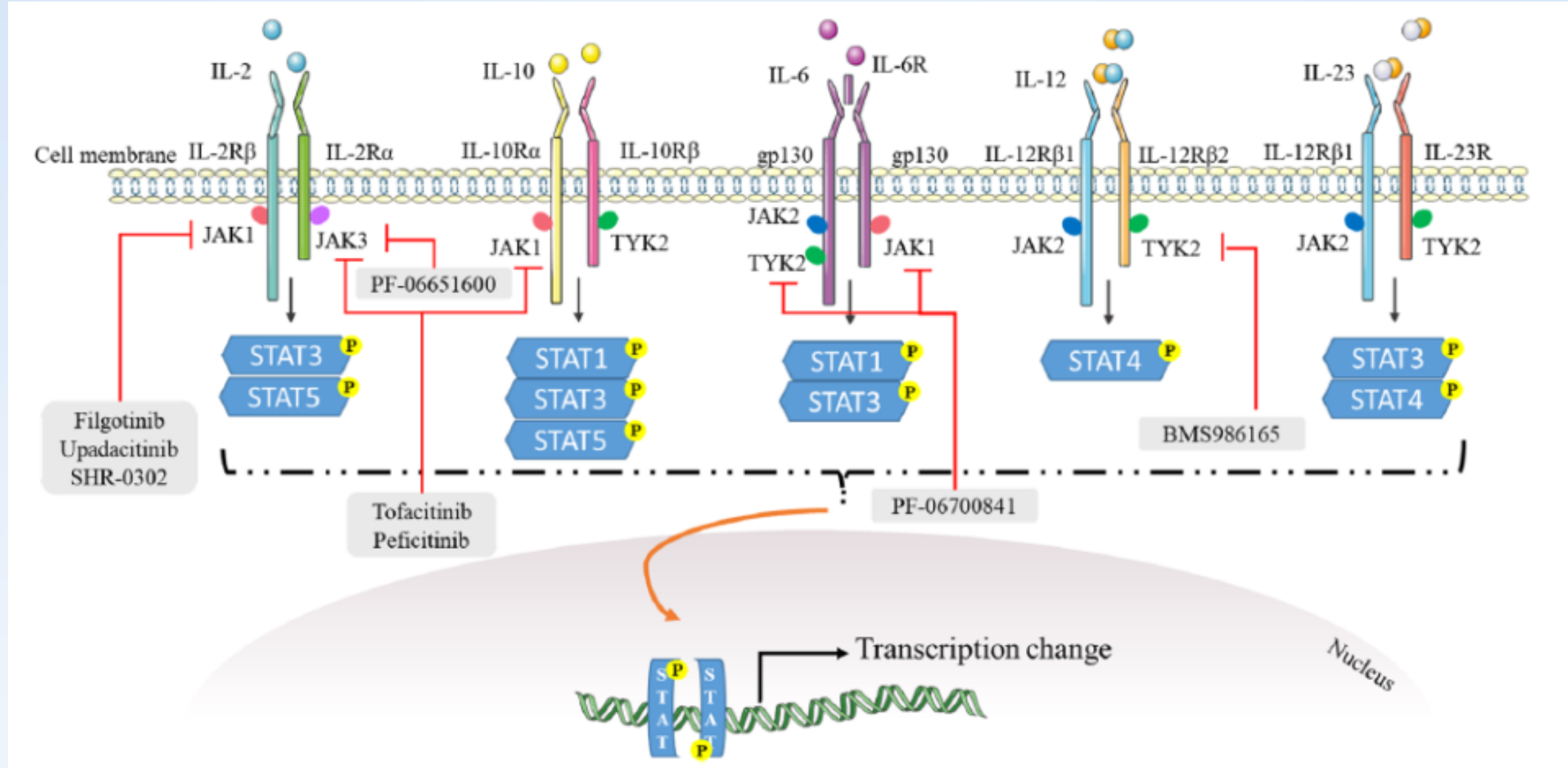
Agentes terapéuticos categorizados en:

1. dirigidos a vías de señalización celular
 - JAK dependientes
 - JAK independientes
2. dirigidos al tráfico leucocitario

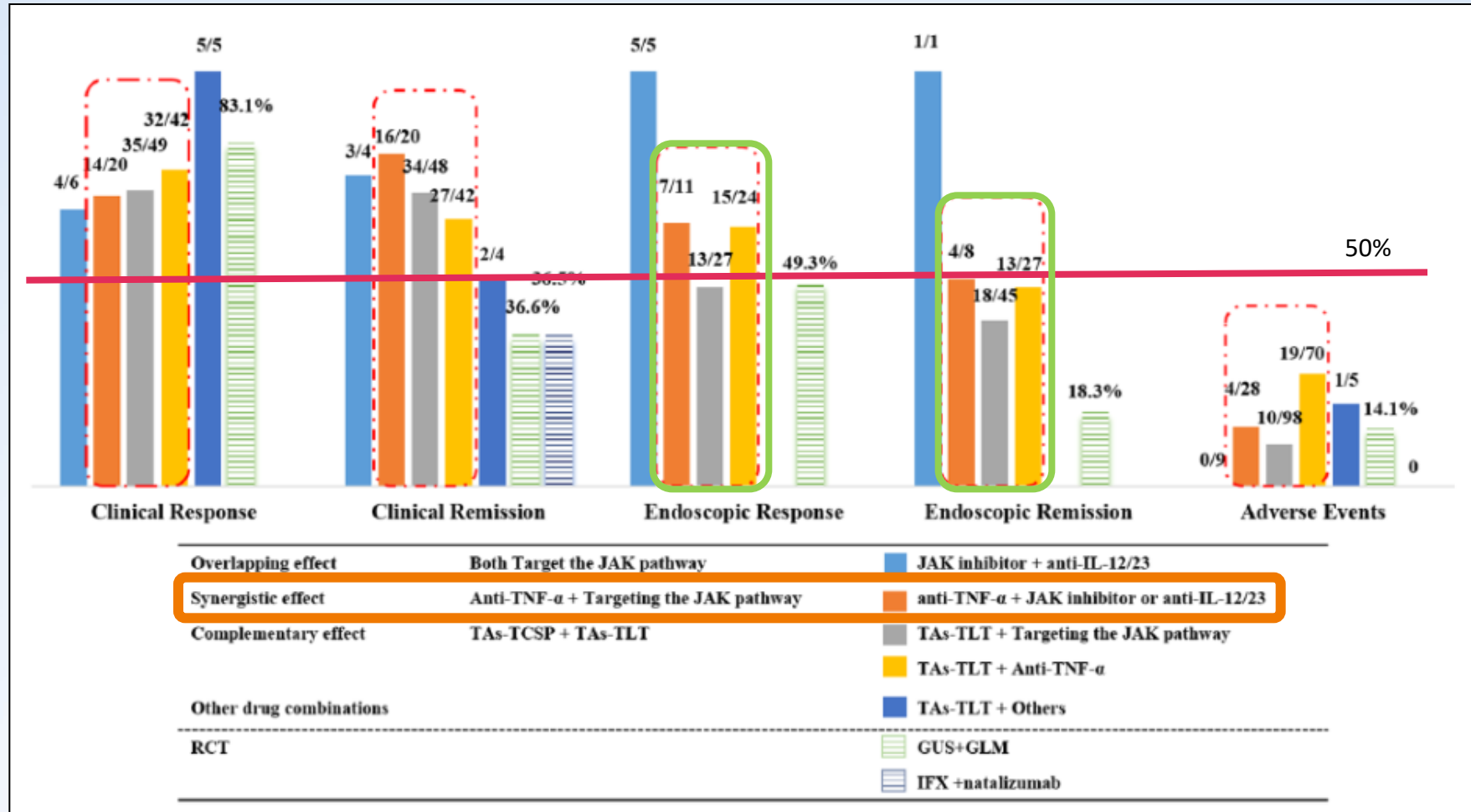
Tres categorías de combinación según efecto:

- de superposición
- sinérgico
- complementario

Breaking through the therapeutic ceiling of inflammatory bowel disease: Dual-targeted therapies



Breaking through the therapeutic ceiling of inflammatory bowel disease: Dual-targeted therapies



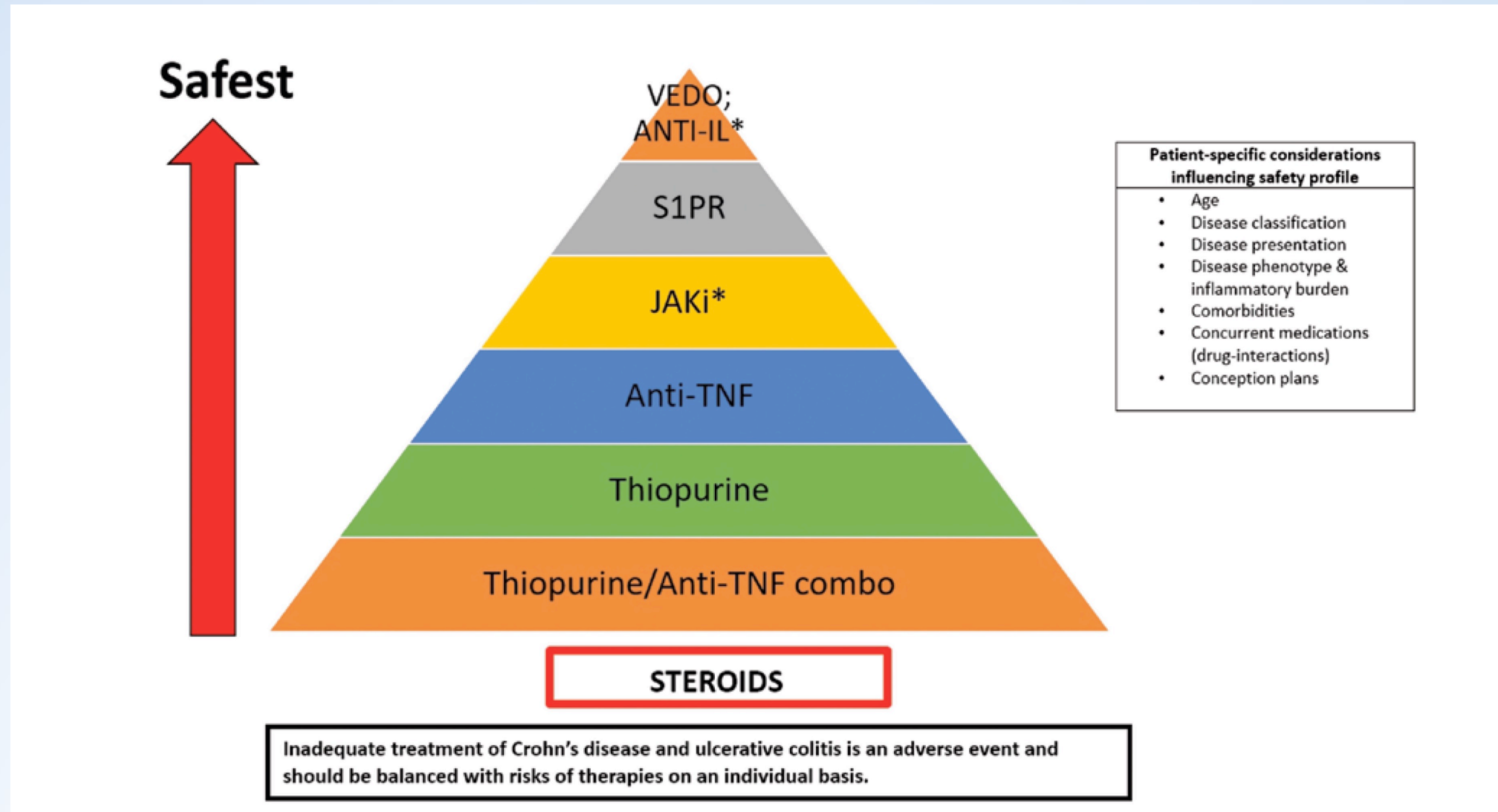
Limitaciones a la nueva estrategia (*concern*)

Eficacia



Seguridad
Costes

Safety and Monitoring of Inflammatory Bowel Disease Advanced Therapies

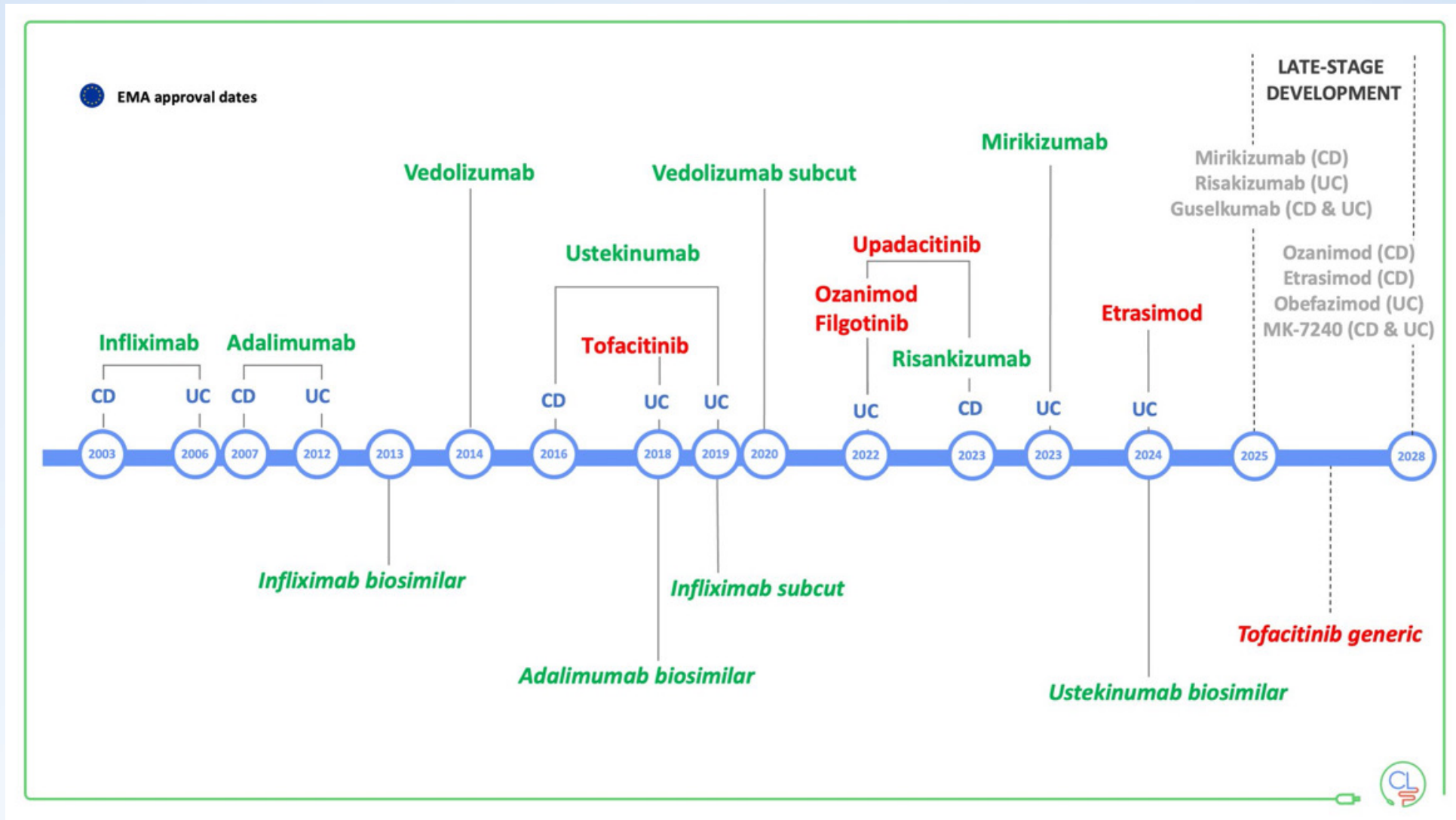


Costes terapia avanzada

Paciente Peso medio 30 kg	Inducción	Mantenimiento 1 año	Total
Infliximab biosimilar	1.464,12€	2.928,24-3.416,28€	4.392,36-4.880,4€
Adalimumab biosimilar	1.267,49€	4.707,82€	5.975,31 €
Vedolizumab	4.008,39€	8.016,78 - 9.352,91€	12.025,17-13.361,3€
Ustekinumab	4.448,1€	13.344,3 - 15.568,35 €	17.792,4-20.016,45€
Tofacitinib	1.505,28€	4.892,16€	6.397,44€

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¿Hacia la sostenibilidad?



Cambios actuales pueden ayudar...

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4 Examples of "Biobetters" and the Products They're Based On

Susvimo
—
Lucentis
(ranibizumab)

Susvimo is an ocular implant that eliminates the need for intravitreal injections, like the ones required for administration of Lucentis.

Kadcyla
(ado-trastuzumab
emtansine)
—
Herceptin
(trastuzumab)

Kadcyla is an antibody-drug conjugate that has been demonstrated to slow disease progression in patients with HER2-positive advanced cancer compared with Herceptin.

Remsima SC
—
Remsima
(infliximab
biosimilar)

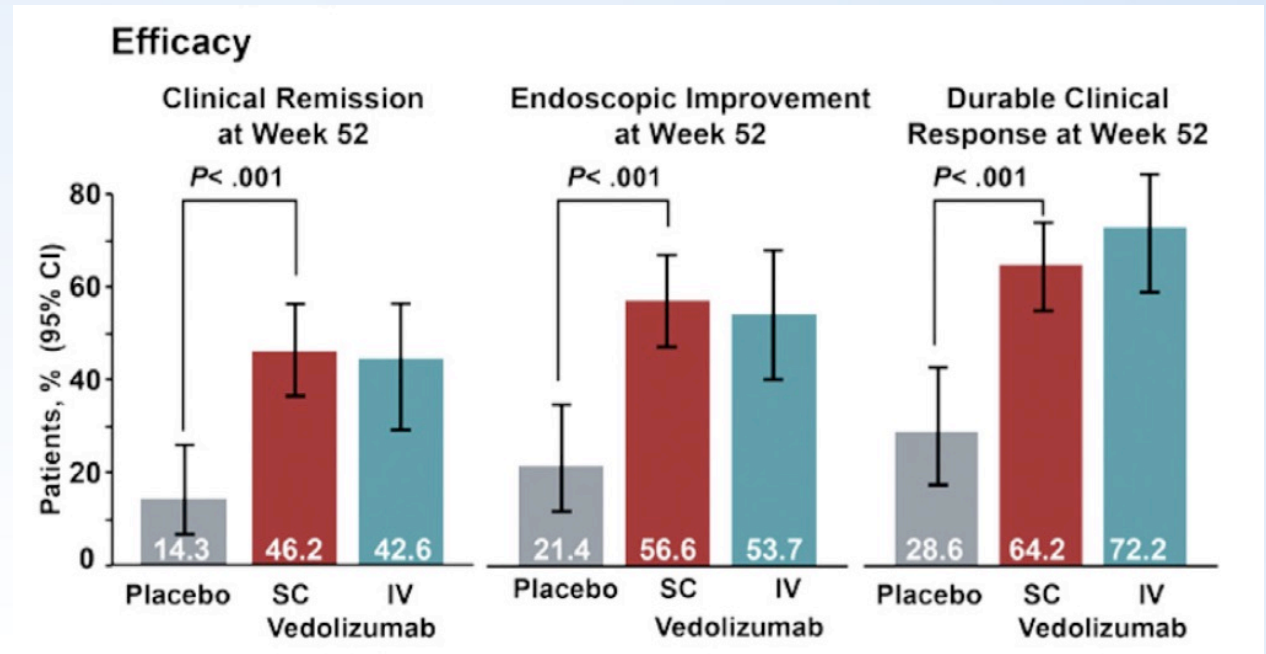
Remsima SC has been formulated differently to allow for subcutaneous (SC) administration. Patients would receive a higher dose of Remsima SC than Remsima and could go for longer periods of time before needing another dose.

Gazyva
(obinutuzumab)
—
Rituxan
(rituximab)

Gazyva has a different method of action, has been demonstrated to be less immunogenic, and triggers greater cytotoxicity compared with Rituxan.



Efficacy and Safety of Vedolizumab Subcutaneous Formulation in a Randomized Trial of Patients With Ulcerative Colitis



Sandborn WJ, et al. *Gastroenterology* 2020;158:562-72

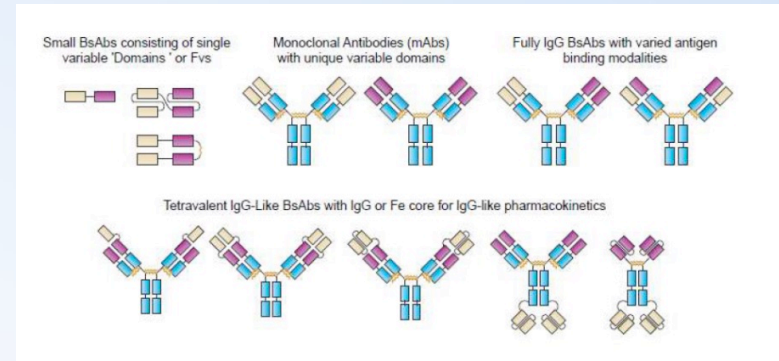
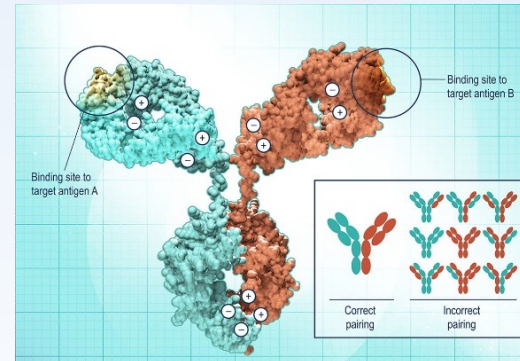
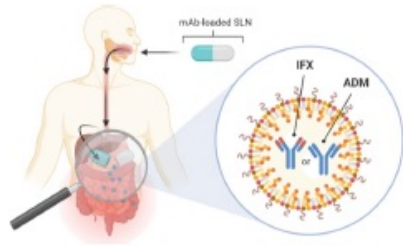
¿Cómo podemos imaginar el futuro?

How could nanobiotechnology improve treatment outcomes of anti-TNF- α therapy in inflammatory bowel disease? Current knowledge, future directions

Bispecific antibodies for the treatment in inflammatory bowel disease: an avenue worth exploring?

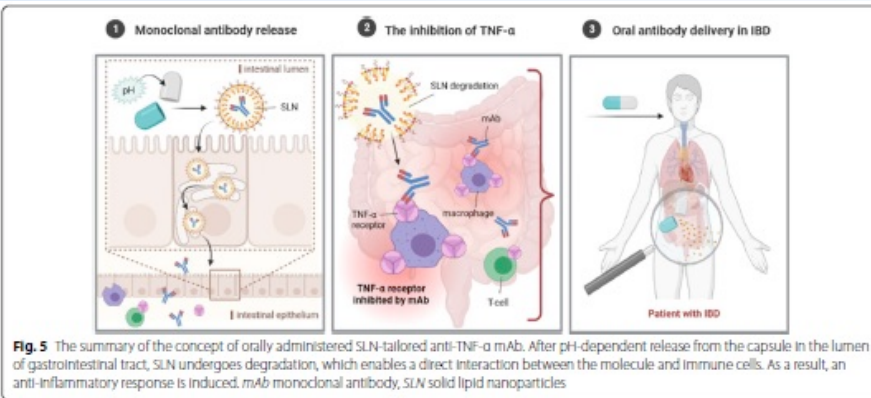
Caron B, et al. *J Nanobiotechnology* 2022;22:951-3

Graphical Abstract



Preclinical development of a bispecific TNF α /IL-23 neutralising domain antibody as a novel oral treatment for inflammatory bowel disease

Roberts KJ, et al. *Sci Rep* 2021 doi: 10.1038/s41598-021-97236-0



Eder P, et al. *J Nanobiotechnology* 2021;19:346

Conclusiones

- Pese a disponer de nuevos fármacos eficaces, la falta de respuesta primaria y la pérdida secundaria de la misma sigue constituyendo una limitación importante en el tratamiento de la EII
- La combinación de las denominadas terapias avanzadas (biológicos, moléculas pequeñas) ha demostrado ser una estrategia beneficiosa en un subgrupo de pacientes con enfermedad especialmente refractaria
- La combinación anti-TNF α + JAKi/anti-IL12-23/anti-IL23 parece ser la TDA más efectiva (eficacia/seguridad)
- El uso de terapia avanzada dual debe ser valorada de manera individualizada en cada paciente, en función de la situación clínica, grado de respuesta a los diferentes fármacos y seguridad de la combinación



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