

Renal
About 5-10% of patients in all groups had some degree of elevation of serum creatinine. The incidence of Grade 3/4 elevations in serum creatinine in the oxaliplatin and 5-FU combination arm was 1% in the previously treated patients. Serum creatinine measurements were not reported in the adjuvant trial.

Hepatic
Hepatotoxicity (defined as elevation of liver enzymes) appears to be related to oxaliplatin combination therapy (see **Warnings and Precautions** 5.4). The following tables list the clinical chemistry changes associated with hepatic toxicity occurring in $\geq 5\%$ of patients, based on adverse reactions reported and NCI CTC grade for adjuvant patients and patients previously untreated for advanced colorectal cancer, laboratory values and NCI CTC grade for previously treated patients.

Table 12 - Adverse Hepatic Reactions in Patients with Stage I or III Colon Cancer Receiving Adjuvant Therapy ($\geq 5\%$ of patients)

Hepatic Parameter	Oxaliplatin + 5-FU/LV (N=1108)		5-FU/LV (N=1111)	
	All Grades (%)	Grade 3/4 (%)	All Grades (%)	Grade 3/4 (%)
Increase in transaminases	57	2	34	1
ALP increased	42	<1	20	<1
Bilirubinemia	20	4	20	5

Table 13 - Adverse Hepatic - Clinical Chemistry Abnormalities in Patients Previously Untreated for Advanced Colorectal Cancer ($\geq 5\%$ of patients)

Clinical Chemistry	Oxaliplatin + 5-FU/LV N=259		Irinotecan + 5-FU/LV N=256		Oxaliplatin + Irinotecan N=258	
	All Grades (%)	Grade 3/4 (%)	All Grades (%)	Grade 3/4 (%)	All Grades (%)	Grade 3/4 (%)
ALT (SGPT-ALAT)	17	1	2	1	11	1
AST (SGOT-ASAT)	16	0	8	0	14	2
Alkaline Phosphatase	6	0	3	1	3	2
Total Bilirubin	6	1	3	1	3	2

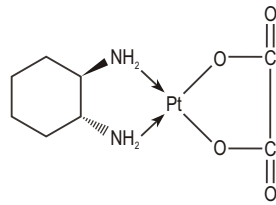
Table 14 - Adverse Hepatic - Clinical Chemistry Abnormalities in Previously Treated Patients ($\geq 5\%$ of patients)

Clinical Chemistry	5-FU/LV (N=142)		Oxaliplatin (N=153)		Oxaliplatin + 5-FU/LV (N=150)	
	All Grades (%)	Grade 3/4 (%)	All Grades (%)	Grade 3/4 (%)	All Grades (%)	Grade 3/4 (%)
ALT (SGPT-ALAT)	28	3	36	1	31	0
AST (SGOT-ASAT)	39	2	54	4	47	0
Total Bilirubin	22	6	13	5	13	1

Thromboembolism
The incidence of thromboembolic events in adjuvant patients with colon cancer was 6% (1.8% grade 3/4) in the infusional 5-FU/LV arm and 6% (1.2% grade 3/4) in the oxaliplatin and infusional 5-FU/LV combined arm, respectively. The incidence was 6 and 9% of the patients previously untreated for advanced colorectal cancer and previously treated patients in the oxaliplatin and 5-FU/LV combination arm, respectively.

6.2 Postmarketing Experience
The following adverse reactions have been identified during post-approval use of oxaliplatin. Because these reactions are reported infrequently from a population of uncertain size, it is not always possible to reliably estimate their frequency or establish a causal relationship to drug exposure.

Body as a whole:
Oxaliplatin is an antineoplastic agent with the molecular formula $C_{12}H_{16}N_2O_4Pt$ and the chemical name of *cis*-[1 R, 2 R]-1, 2 - cyclohexanediamine-N, N'-bis(oxalato)-2, 2'-O,O'-platinum. Oxaliplatin is an organoplatinum complex in which the platinum atom is complexed with 1, 2 - diamminocyclohexane (DACH) and with an oxalate ligand as a leaving group.



Renal disorders:
Acute tubular necrosis, acute interstitial nephritis and acute renal failure.
Respiratory system disorders:
Pulmonary fibrosis, and other interstitial lung diseases (sometimes fatal)
Vision disorders:
decrease of visual acuity, visual field disturbance, optic neuritis and transient vision loss (reversible following therapy discontinuation)

7 DRUG INTERACTIONS
No specific cytochrome P-450-based drug interaction studies have been conducted. No pharmacokinetic interaction between 85 mg/m² oxaliplatin and 5-fluorouracil (5-FU) leucovorin (LV) has been observed in patients treated every 2 weeks. Increases of 5-FU plasma concentrations by approximately 20% have been observed with doses of 130 mg/m² oxaliplatin dosed every 3 weeks. Because platinum-containing species are eliminated primarily through the kidney, clearance of these products may be decreased by coadministration of potentially nephrotoxic compounds; although, this has not been specifically studied (see **Clinical Pharmacology** (12.3)).

8 USES IN SPECIFIC POPULATIONS
8.1 Pregnancy
Pregnancy Category D

Based on direct interaction with DNA, oxaliplatin may cause fetal harm when administered to a pregnant woman. There is no adequate and well-controlled studies of oxaliplatin in pregnant women. Reproductive toxicity studies in rats demonstrated adverse effects on fertility and embryo-fetal development at maternal doses that were below the recommended human dose based on body surface area. If this drug is used during pregnancy or if the patient becomes pregnant while taking this drug, the patient should be apprised of the potential hazard to the fetus. Women of childbearing potential should be advised to avoid becoming pregnant and use effective contraception while receiving treatment with oxaliplatin.

Pregnant rats were administered oxaliplatin at less than one-tenth the recommended human dose based on body surface area during gestation days 1 to 5 (pre-implantation), 6 to 10, or 11 to 16 (during organogenesis). Oxaliplatin caused developmental mortality (increased early resorptions) when administered on days 6 to 10 and 11 to 16 and adversely affected fetal growth (decreased fetal weight, delayed ossification) when administered on days 6 to 10. Administration of oxaliplatin to male and female rats prior to mating resulted in 97% postnatal loss in animals that received approximately one-seventh the recommended human dose based on the body surface area.

8.3 Nursing Mothers
It is not known whether oxaliplatin or its derivatives are excreted in human milk. Because many drugs are excreted in human milk and because of the potential for serious adverse reactions in nursing infants from oxaliplatin, a decision should be made whether to discontinue nursing or delay the use of the drug, taking into account the importance of the drug to the mother.

8.4 Pediatric Use
The effectiveness of oxaliplatin in children has not been established. Oxaliplatin has been tested in 2 Phase I and 2 Phase II trials in 159 patients ages 7 months to 22 years with solid tumors (see below) and no significant activity observed.

In a Phase III study, oxaliplatin was administered as a 2-hour intravenous (IV) infusion on days 1, 8 and 15 every 4 weeks (1 cycle), for a maximum of 6 cycles, to 43 patients with refractory or relapsed malignant solid tumors, mainly neuroblastoma and osteosarcoma. Twenty-eight pediatric patients in the Phase I study received oxaliplatin at 6 dose levels starting at 40 mg/m² with escalation to 110 mg/m². The dose limiting toxicity (DLT) was sensory neuropathy at the 110 mg/m² dose. Fifteen patients received oxaliplatin at a dose of 90 mg/m² in the Phase II portion of the study. At this dose, paresthesia (60%, G3/4: 7%), fever (40%, G3/4: 7%) and thrombocytopenia (40%, G3/4: 27%) were the main adverse reactions. No responses were observed.

In a second Phase I study, oxaliplatin was administered to 28 pediatric patients as a 2-hour IV infusion on day 1 every 3 weeks (1 cycle) at 5 dose levels starting at 100 mg/m² with escalation to 160 mg/m², for a maximum of 6 cycles. In a separate cohort, oxaliplatin 85 mg/m² was administered on day 1 every 2 weeks, for a maximum of 9 doses. Patients had metastatic or unresectable solid tumors mainly neuroblastoma and ganglioneuroblastoma. No responses were observed. The DLT was sensory neuropathy at the 160 mg/m² dose. Based on these studies, oxaliplatin 130 mg/m² every 3 weeks as a 2-hour IV infusion on day 1 every 3 weeks (1 cycle) was used in subsequent Phase II studies. A dose of 85 mg/m² every 1 day every 2 weeks also found to be tolerable.

In one Phase III study, 43 pediatric patients with recurrent or refractory embryonal CNS tumors received oxaliplatin 130 mg/m² every 3 weeks for a maximum of 12 doses in absence of progressive disease or unacceptable toxicity. In patients < 10 kg the oxaliplatin dose used was 4.3 mg/kg. The most common adverse

reactions reported were leukopenia (67%, G3/4: 12%), anemia (65%, G3/4: 5%), thrombocytopenia (65%, G3/4: 26%), vomiting (65%, G3/4: 7%), neutropenia (58%, G3/4: 18%) and sensory neuropathy (40%, G3/4: 5%). One partial response was observed.

In a second Phase II study, 47 pediatric patients with recurrent solid tumors, including Ewing sarcoma or peripheral PNET, osteosarcoma, rhabdomyosarcoma and neuroblastoma, received oxaliplatin 130 mg/m² every 3 weeks for a maximum of 12 months or 17 cycles. In patients ≤ 17 cycles the oxaliplatin dose used was 4.3 mg/kg. The most common adverse reactions reported were sensory neuropathy (53%, G3/4: 18%), thrombocytopenia (40%, G3/4: 26%), anemia (40%, G3/4: 15%), vomiting (32%, G3/4: 0%), nausea (30%, G3/4: 2%) and AST increased (26%, G3/4: 4%). No responses were observed.

The pharmacokinetic parameters of ultrafiltrable platinum have been evaluated in 105 pediatric patients during the first cycle. The mean clearance in pediatric patients estimated by the population pharmacokinetic analysis was 4.7 L/h. The interpatient variability in plasma clearance in pediatric patients was 41%. Mean platinum pharmacokinetic parameters in ultrafiltrate were C_{0-1} of 0.75 \pm 0.24 mg/mL, AUC_{0-1} of 7.52 \pm 5.07 mg/mL and AUC_{0-1} of 8.83 \pm 5.7 mg/mL at 85 mg/m² of oxaliplatin and C_{0-1} of 1.1 \pm 0.43 mg/mL, AUC_{0-1} of 0.74 \pm 2.52 mg/mL and AUC_{0-1} of 17.3 \pm 5.34 mg/mL at 130 mg/m² of oxaliplatin.

8.5 Geriatric Use
No significant effect of age on the clearance of ultrafiltrable platinum has been observed.

In the adjuvant therapy colon cancer randomized clinical trial, (see **Clinical Studies** (14)) 723 patients treated with oxaliplatin and infusional 5-fluorouracil (5-FU) leucovorin (LV) were ≥ 65 years and 400 patients were ≥ 65 years. A descriptive subgroup analysis demonstrated that the improvement in DFS for the oxaliplatin combination arm compared to the infusional 5-FU/LV alone arm appeared to be maintained across genders. The effect of oxaliplatin in patients ≥ 65 years of age was not conclusive. Insufficient subgroup sizes prevented analysis by race. Patients ≥ 65 years of age receiving the oxaliplatin combination therapy experienced more grade 3-4 granulocytopenia than patients < 65 years of age (45% versus 39%). In the previously untreated for advanced colorectal cancer randomized clinical trial (see **Clinical Studies** (14)) of oxaliplatin, 160 patients treated with oxaliplatin and 5-FU/LV were < 65 years and 99 patients were ≥ 65 years. The same efficacy improvements in response rate, time to tumor progression, and overall survival were observed in the ≥ 65 year old patients as in the overall study population. In the previously treated for advanced colorectal cancer randomized clinical trial (see **Clinical Studies** (14)) of oxaliplatin, 95 patients treated with oxaliplatin and 5-FU/LV were < 65 years and 55 patients were ≥ 65 years. The rates of overall adverse reactions, including grade 3 and 4 events, were similar across and within arms in the different age groups in all studies. The incidence of diarrhea, dehydration, hypokalemia, leukopenia, fatigue and syncope were higher in patients ≥ 65 years of age. No adjustment to starting dose was required in patients ≥ 65 years old.

8.6 Patients with Renal Impairment
The safety and effectiveness of the combination of oxaliplatin and 5-FU/LV in patients with renal impairment have not been evaluated. The combination of oxaliplatin and 5-FU/LV should be used with caution in patients with preexisting renal impairment since the primary route of platinum elimination is renal. Clearance of ultrafiltrable platinum is decreased in patients with mild, moderate, and severe renal impairment. A pharmacokinetic relationship between platinum ultrafiltrate levels and clinical safety and effectiveness has not been observed (see **Adverse Reactions** (6, 7) and **Clinical Pharmacology** (12.3)).

10 OVERDOSSAGE
There is no known antidote for oxaliplatin overdose. In addition to thrombocytopenia, the anticipated complications of an oxaliplatin overdose include hypersensitivity reaction, myelosuppression, nausea, vomiting, diarrhea and neurotoxicity. Several cases of overdoses have been reported with oxaliplatin. Adverse events observed were Grade 4 thrombocytopenia ($< 25,000$ mm³) without any bleeding, anemia, sensory neuropathy such as paresthesia, dysesthesia, laryngospasm and facial muscle spasms, gastrointestinal disorders such as nausea, vomiting, stomatitis, flatulence, abdominal enlargement and Grade 4 intestinal obstruction. Grade 4 dehydration, dyspnea, wheezing, chest pain, respiratory failure and severe bradycardia and death. Patients suspected of receiving an overdose should be monitored, and supportive treatment should be administered. The maximum dose of oxaliplatin that has been administered in a single infusion is 825 mg.

11 DESCRIPTION
Oxaliplatin is an antineoplastic agent with the molecular formula $C_{12}H_{16}N_2O_4Pt$ and the chemical name of *cis*-[1 R, 2 R]-1, 2 - cyclohexanediamine-N, N'-bis(oxalato)-2, 2'-O,O'-platinum. Oxaliplatin is an organoplatinum complex in which the platinum atom is complexed with 1, 2 - diamminocyclohexane (DACH) and with an oxalate ligand as a leaving group.

displaced from plasma proteins by the following medications: erythromycin, salicylate, sodium valproate, griseofulvin, and pivalate. In vitro, oxaliplatin was not metabolized by nor does it inhibit human cytochrome P450 isoenzymes. No P450-mediated drug-drug interactions are therefore anticipated in patients. Since platinum-containing species are eliminated primarily through the kidney, clearance of these products may be decreased by co-administration of potentially nephrotoxic compounds, although this has not been specifically studied.

13 NONCLINICAL TOXICOLOGY
13.1 Carcinogenesis, Mutagenesis, Impairment of Fertility

Long-term animal studies have not been performed to evaluate the carcinogenic potential of oxaliplatin. Oxaliplatin was not mutagenic to bacteria (Ames test), but was mutagenic to mammalian cells in vitro (L5178Y mouse lymphoma assay). Oxaliplatin was clastogenic in vitro (chromosome aberration in human lymphocytes) and in vivo (mouse bone marrow micronucleus assay). In a fertility study, male rats given oxaliplatin at 0, 0.5, 1, or 2 mg/kg/day for five days every 21 days for a total of three cycles prior to mating with females that received two cycles of oxaliplatin on the same schedule. A dose of 2 mg/kg/day (less than one-seventh the recommended human dose on a body surface area basis) did not affect pregnancy rate, but caused developmental mortality (increased early resorptions, decreased live fetuses, decreased live births) and delayed growth (decreased fetal weight).

Testicular damage, characterized by degeneration, hypoplasia, and atrophy, was observed in dogs administered oxaliplatin at 0.75 mg/kg/day x 5 days every 28 days for three cycles. A no effect level was not identified. This daily dose is approximately one-sixth of the recommended human dose on a body surface area basis.

14 CLINICAL STUDIES
14.1 Combination Adjuvant Therapy with Oxaliplatin and Infusional 5-Fluorouracil/Leucovorin in Patients with Colon Cancer

An international, multicenter, randomized study compared the efficacy and evaluated the safety of oxaliplatin in combination with an infusional schedule of 5-fluorouracil (5-FU) leucovorin (LV) to infusional 5-FU/LV alone, in patients with stage II (Dukes' B2) or III (Dukes' C) colon cancer who had undergone complete resection of the primary tumor. The primary objective of the study was to compare the 3-year disease-free survival (DFS) in patients receiving oxaliplatin and infusional 5-FU/LV to those receiving 5-FU/LV alone. Patients were to be treated for a total of 6 months (i.e., 12 cycles). A total of 2246 patients were randomized: 1123 patients study arm. Patients in the study had to be between 18 and 75 years of age, have histologically proven stage II (T₁₋₄, N0,M0; Dukes' B2) or III (any T₁₋₄, N0,M0; Dukes' C) colon carcinoma (with the inferior pole of the tumor above the peritoneal reflection, i.e., ≥ 15 cm from the anal margin) and undergone (within 7 weeks prior to randomization) complete resection of the primary tumor with cut gross or microscopic evidence of residual disease. Patients had to have had no prior chemotherapy, immunotherapy or radiotherapy, and have an ECOG performance status of 0, 1, or 2 (KPS $\geq 60\%$), absolute neutrophil count (ANC) $> 1.5 \times 10^9/L$, platelets $\geq 100 \times 10^9/L$, serum creatinine $\leq 1.25 \times$ ULN total bilirubin $< 2 \times$ ULN, AST/ALT $< 2 \times$ ULN and carcino-embryonic antigen (CEA) < 10 ng/mL. Patients with preexisting peripheral neuropathy (NCI grade ≥ 1) were ineligible for this trial. The following table shows the dosing regimens for the two arms of the study.

Table 15 - Dosing Regimens in Adjuvant Therapy Study		
Treatment Arm	Dose	Regimen
Oxaliplatin + 5-FU/LV (FOLFOLX) (N=1123)	Day 1: Oxaliplatin: 85 mg/m ² (2-hour infusion) + LV: 200 mg/m ² (2-hour infusion), followed by 5-FU: 400 mg/m ² (bolus), 600 mg/m ² (22-hour infusion) Day 2: LV: 200 mg/m ² (2-hour infusion), followed by 5-FU: 400 mg/m ² (bolus), 600 mg/m ² (22-hour infusion)	every 2 weeks 12 cycles
5-FU/LV (N=1123)	Day 1: LV: 200 mg/m ² (2-hour infusion), followed by 5-FU: 400 mg/m ² (bolus), 600 mg/m ² (22-hour infusion) Day 2: LV: 200 mg/m ² (2-hour infusion), followed by 5-FU: 400 mg/m ² (bolus), 600 mg/m ² (22-hour infusion)	every 2 weeks 12 cycles

The following table shows the baseline characteristics and dosing of the patient population entered into this study. The baseline characteristics were well balanced between arms.

Table 16 - Patient Characteristics in Adjuvant Therapy Study		
	Oxaliplatin + infusional 5-FU/LV N=1123	infusional 5-FU/LV N=1123
Sex: Male (%)	56.1	52.4
Female (%)	43.9	47.6
Median age (years)	61	60
< 65 years of age (%)	64.4	66.2
≥ 65 years of age (%)	35.6	33.8
Karnofsky Performance Status (KPS) (%)		
100	29.7	30.9
90	52.2	53.5
80	4.4	3.3
70	13.2	11.9
≤ 60	0.6	0.4
Primary site (%)		
Colon including cecum	54.5	54.4
Sigmoid	31.9	33.8
Recto Sigmoid	12.9	10.9
Other including rectum	0.6	0.9
Bowel obstruction (%)		
Yes	17.9	19.3
No	82.1	80.7
Perforation (%)		
Yes	6.9	6.9
No	93.1	93.1
Stage at Randomization (%)		
II (T ₁₋₃ N=0, M=0)	40.1	39.9
III (T ₁₋₄ N=12, M=0)	59.6	59.3
IV (T ₁₋₄ N=any, M=1)	0.4	0.8
Staging - T - (%)		
T1	4.5	0.7
T2	4.5	4.8
T3	76	75.9
T4	19	18.5
Staging - N - (%)		
N0	40.2	39.9
N1	39.4	39.4
N2	20.4	20.7
Staging - M - (%)		
M1	0.4	0.8

Table 17 - Dosing in Adjuvant Therapy Study		
	Oxaliplatin + infusional 5-FU/LV N=1108	infusional 5-FU/LV N=1111
Median Relative Dose Intensity (%)		
5-FU	84.4	97.7
Oxaliplatin	80.5	N/A
Median Number of Cycles	12	12
Median Number of cycles with oxaliplatin	11	N/A

The following table and figures summarize the disease-free survival (DFS) results in the overall randomized population and in patients with stage II and III disease based on an ITT analysis. The median duration of follow-up was approximately 77 months.

Parameter	Oxaliplatin Infusional 5-FU/LV	Infusional 5-FU/LV
Overall		
N	1123	1123
Number of events – relapse or death (%)	304 (27.1)	360 (32.1)
Disease-free survival % [95% CI] *	73.3 (70.7, 76)	67.4 (64.6, 70.2)
Hazard ratio [95% CI] **	0.8 (0.68, 0.93)	
Stratified Logrank test	p=0.003	
Stage III (Dukes' C)		
N	672	675
Number of events – relapse or death (%)	226 (33.6)	276 (40.1)
Disease-free survival % [95% CI] *	65.4 (62.7, 70)	59.5 [55.2, 62.7]
Hazard ratio [95% CI] **	0.78 (0.65, 0.93)	
Logrank test	p=0.005	

Table 18 - Summary of DFS analysis - ITT analysis (Cont.)		
Parameter	Oxaliplatin + infusional 5-FU/LV N=1108	infusional 5-FU/LV N=1111
Stage II (Dukes' B2)		
N	451	448
Number of events - relapse or death (%)	78 (17.3)	89 (19.9)
Disease-free survival % [95% CI] *	83.7 (80.2, 87.1)	79.9 (76.2, 83.7)
Hazard ratio [95% CI] **	0.84 (0.62, 1.14)	
Logrank test	p=0.258	

Data cut off for disease free survival 1 June 2006
* Disease-free survival at 5 years
** A hazard ratio of less than 1 favors Oxaliplatin + Infusional 5-FU/LV

In the overall and stage III colon cancer populations DFS was statistically significantly improved in the oxaliplatin combination arm compared to infusional 5-FU/LV alone. However, a statistically significant improvement in DFS was not noted in Stage II patients.
Figure 2 shows the DFS Kaplan-Meier curves for the comparison of oxaliplatin and infusional 5-FU/LV combination and infusional 5-FU/LV alone for the overall population (ITT analysis).
Figure 3 shows the DFS Kaplan-Meier curves for the comparison of oxaliplatin and infusional 5-FU/LV combination and infusional 5-FU/LV alone in Stage III patients.

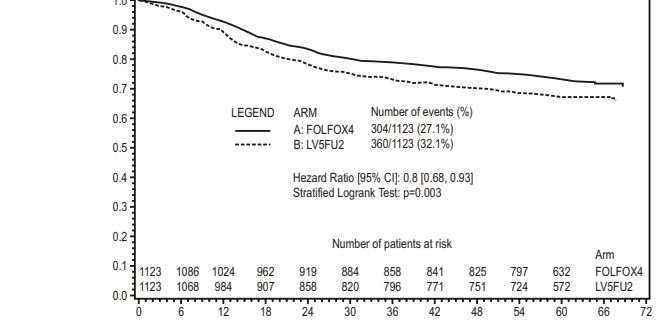


Figure 2 - DFS Kaplan-Meier curves by treatment arm (cut-off: 1 June 2006) - ITT population

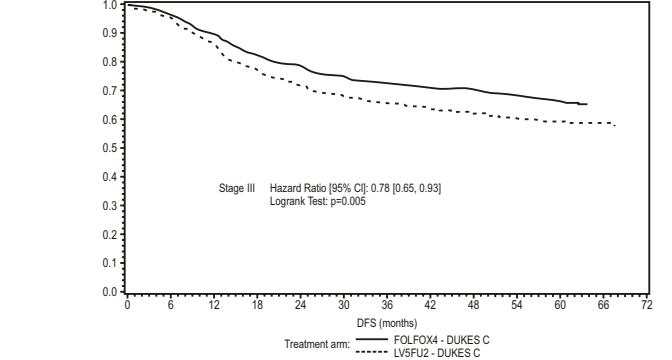


Figure 3 - DFS Kaplan-Meier survival curves by treatment arm in Stage III patients (cut-off: 1 June 2006) - ITT analysis

The following table and figures summarize the overall survival (OS) results in the overall randomized population and in patients with stage I and III disease, based on the ITT analysis.

Parameter	Oxaliplatin + Infusional 5-FU/LV	Infusional 5-FU/LV
Overall		
N	1123	1123
Number of death events (%)	245 (21.8)	283 (25.2)
Hazard ratio* [95% CI]	0.84 [0.71, 1]	
Stage III (Dukes' C)		
N	672	675
Number of death events (%)	182 (27.1)	220 (32.6)
Hazard ratio* [95% CI]	0.8 [0.65, 0.97]	
Stage II (Dukes' B2)		
N	451	448
Number of death events (%)	63 (14)	63 (14.1)
Hazard ratio* [95% CI]	1 [0.7, 1.41]	

* A hazard ratio of less than 1 favors Oxaliplatin + Infusional 5-FU/LV
Data cut off for overall survival 16 January 2007

14.2 Combination Therapy with Oxaliplatin and 5-Fluorouracil/Leucovorin in Patients Previously Untreated for Advanced Colorectal Cancer

An North American, multicenter, open-label, randomized controlled study was sponsored by the National Cancer Institute (NCI) as an intergroup study led by the North Central Cancer Treatment Group (NCCTG). The study had 7 arms at different times during its conduct, four of which were closed due to either changes in the standard of care, toxicity, or simplification. During the study, the control arm was changed to irinotecan plus 5-fluorouracil (5-FU) leucovorin (LV). The results reported below compare the efficacy and safety of two experimental regimens, oxaliplatin in combination with infusional 5-FU/LV and a combination of oxaliplatin plus irinotecan, to an approved control regimen of irinotecan plus 5-FU/LV in 795 concurrently randomized patients previously untreated for locally advanced or metastatic colorectal cancer. After completion of enrollment, the dose of irinotecan plus 5-FU/LV was decreased due to toxicity. Patients had to be at least 18 years of age, have known locally advanced, locally recurrent, or metastatic colorectal adenocarcinoma not curable by surgery or amenable to radiation therapy with curative intent, histologically proven colorectal adenocarcinoma, measurable or evaluable disease, with an ECOG performance status 0, 1, or 2. Patients had