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AK-HER2与参照药治疗HER2阳性转移性乳腺癌患者的疗效、体内代谢特征、安全性和免疫原性比较：一项多中心、随机、双盲Ⅲ期等效性临床试验

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[摘要] 背景与目的: 针对人表皮生长因子受体(human epidermal growth factor receptor 2, HER2)阳性转移性乳腺癌患者, 曲妥珠单抗治疗能够延长患者总生存期, 显著改善患者预后, 但是原研曲妥珠单抗价格较高。生物类似药理论上具有相当的疗效和安全性。本临床试验旨在评估曲妥珠单抗生物类似药AK-HER2与原研曲妥珠单抗在HER2阳性转移性乳腺癌患者中的疗效、药代动力学、安全性和免疫原性。方法: 这项多中心、随机、双盲Ⅲ期临床试验在中国43个分中心开展。本研究遵从研究方案、赫尔辛基宣言阐明的伦理学原则和药物临床试验质量管理规范, 获得医院医学伦理委员会批

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准, 临床试验注册机构为国家药品监督管理局(临床试验批件号为2015L04224, 临床试验登记号为CTR20170516)。在入组前获得了受试者的书面知情同意书。入组患者随机分配至AK-HER2组与对照组, 分别接受AK-HER2或原研曲妥珠单抗(赫赛汀[®], 初始负荷剂量8 mg/kg, 维持剂量6 mg/kg, 每3周为1个治疗周期, 总治疗时间为16个周期)与多西他赛(剂量75 mg/m², 治疗持续至少9个周期)联合治疗。本临床试验主要研究终点是第9个周期AK-HER2组与对照组的客观缓解率(objective response rate, ORR)。次要疗效终点包括ORR16、疾病控制率(disease control rate, DCR)、临床获益率(clinical benefit rate, CBR)、无进展生存期(progression-free survival, PFS)和1年生存率。本研究在第6个周期用药后, 随机选择100例受试者(AK-HER2组:对照组=1:1)进行血样采集, 采集时间点分别为输注45 min时(即给药结束)、给药结束后第4、8、24、72、120、168、336、504 h。采集后血样进行PK参数(PK parameter set, PKPS)分析。其他评估指标包括安全性和免疫原性评估。**结果:**2017年9月—2021年3月期间共有550例HER2阳性转移性乳腺癌患者入组该临床试验。AK-HER2组($n=275$)和对照组($n=272$)的ORR9分别为试验组受试者($n=237$)达CR或PR的有129例, ORR9为54.4%, 对照组受试者($n=241$)达CR或PR的有134例, ORR9为55.6%。AK-HER2组与对照组的ORR9比率为97.9% [90%置信区间(confidence interval, CI): 85.4%~112.2%, $P=0.784$] 差异无统计学意义。在所有次要疗效终点中, 两组均未观察到差异有统计学意义。本研究进行了AK-HER2组和对照组药代动力学(pharmacokinetics, PK)参数的均值比值分析, 结果显示, 两种药物的药代动力学特征相似。原研曲妥珠单抗治疗导致药物减量或暂停的治疗期间出现的不良事件(treatment emergent adverse event, TEAE)发生率, AK-HER2组为3.6%(10例), 对照组为8.1%(22例), 两组差异有统计学意义($P=0.027$)。AK-HER2组发生率较对照组明显减少, 其余组间差异均无统计学意义。抗药抗体(anti-drug antibody, ADA)与中和抗体(neutralizing antibody, NAB)阳性率组间差异均无统计学意义($P=0.385$ 和 $P=0.752$)。**结论:**在HER2阳性转移性乳腺癌患者中, AK-HER2与参照药原研曲妥珠单抗的疗效、药代动力学、安全性和免疫原性相当。

[关键词] 乳腺癌; 曲妥珠单抗; AK-HER2; 疗效; 药代动力学; 安全性

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Efficacy, metabolic characteristics, safety and immunogenicity of AK-HER2 compared with reference trastuzumab in patients with metastatic HER2-positive breast cancer: a multicenter, randomized, double-blind phase III equivalence trial

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[**Abstract**] **Background and purpose:** For patients with human epidermal growth factor receptor 2 (HER2)-positive metastatic breast cancer, trastuzumab treatment can prolong the overall survival and significantly improve the prognosis of patients. However, the reference original research trastuzumab (Herceptin[®]) is more expensive. Biosimilars have comparable efficacy and safety profiles while increasing patient access to treatment. This clinical trial aimed to evaluate the efficacy, pharmacokinetics, safety and immunogenicity of the trastuzumab biosimilar AK-HER2 compared to trastuzumab (Herceptin[®]) in patients with HER2-positive metastatic breast cancer. **Methods:** This multi-center, randomised, double-blind phase III clinical trial was conducted in 43 subcenters in China. This study complied with the research protocol, the ethical principles stated in the Declaration of Helsinki and the quality management standards for drug clinical trials. It was approved by the hospital's medical ethics committee. The clinical trial registration agency is the State Food and Drug Administration (clinical trial approval number: 2015L04224; clinical trial registration number: CTR20170516). Written informed consent was obtained from subjects before enrollment. Enrolled patients were randomly assigned to the AK-HER2 group and the control group, respectively receiving AK-HER2 or trastuzumab (initial loading dose 8 mg/kg, maintenance dose 6 mg/kg, every 3 weeks as a treatment cycle, total treatment time is 16 cycles) in combination with docetaxel (75 mg/m², treatment duration is at least 9 cycles). The primary endpoint of this clinical trial was the objective response rate (ORR9) between the AK-HER2 group and the control group in the 9th cycle. Secondary efficacy endpoints included ORR16, disease control rate (DCR), clinical benefit rate (CBR), progression-free survival (PFS) and 1-year survival rate. In this study, 100 subjects (AK-HER2 group to control group=1:1) were randomly selected for blood sample collection after the 6th cycle of medication, The collection time points were 45 minutes after infusion (the end of administration), 4, 8, 24, 72, 120, 168, 336, and 504 hours after the end of administration. After collection, blood samples were analyzed by PK parameter set (PKPS). Other evaluation parameters included safety and immunogenicity assessment. **Results:** A total of 550 patients with HER2-positive metastatic breast cancer were enrolled in this clinical trial between Sep. 2017 and Mar. 2021. In the AK-HER2 group ($n=237$), 129 subjects in the experimental group achieved complete response (CR) or partial response (PR), and the ORR9 was 54.4%. There were 134 subjects in the control group ($n=241$) who achieved CR or PR, and the ORR9 was 55.6%. The ORR9 ratio between the AK-HER2 group and the control group was 97.9% [90% confidence interval (CI): 85.4%-112.2%, $P=0.784$], which was not statistically significant. In all secondary efficacy endpoints, no statistically significant differences were observed between the two groups. We conducted a mean ratio analysis of pharmacokinetics (PK) parameters between the AK-HER2 group and the control group, and the results suggested that the pharmacokinetic characteristics of the two drugs are similar. The incidence of treatment emergent adverse event (TEAE) leading to drug reduction or suspension during trastuzumab treatment was 3.6% (10 cases) in the AK-HER2 group and 8.1% (22 cases) in the control group. There was statistically significant difference between the two groups ($P=0.027$). The incidence rate was significantly lower in the AK-HER2 group than in the control group, and there was no statistically significant difference among the other groups. The differences in the positive rates of anti-drug antibodies (ADA) and neutralizing antibodies (NAB) between groups were of no statistical significance ($P=0.385$ and $P=0.752$). **Conclusion:** In patients with HER2-positive metastatic breast cancer, AK-HER2 was comparable to the trastuzumab (Herceptin[®]) in terms of drug efficacy, pharmacokinetics, safety and immunogenicity.

[**Key words**] Breast cancer; Trastuzumab; AK-HER2; Efficacy; Pharmacokinetics; Safety

世界卫生组织国际癌症研究机构 (International Agency for Research on Cancer, IARC) 发布的数据显示, 2020年全球乳腺癌新发病例约230万和死亡病例68.5万^[1]。2020年中国乳腺癌新发病例数高达41.6万, 死亡病例数高达11.7万, 乳腺癌已成为中国女性肿瘤相关死亡率最高的恶性肿瘤^[2]。中国女性乳腺癌的发病

率与死亡率特点^[3]如下: ① 发病年龄趋向年轻化。中国人群初诊时年龄为40~50岁^[4-6]; ② 不同地区乳腺癌生存率差异大。例如农村与城市比较, 乳腺癌患者的5年生存率差异超过20% (55.9% vs 77.8%)^[7]; ③ 不同地区乳腺癌复发率不同。农村患者复发率高于城市患者 (41.3% vs 34.8%)^[8], 这些差异在一定程度上可归因于

健康意识差距、社会经济差异、医疗资源不均以及不同地区诊疗水平参差不齐^[9-10]。

人表皮生长因子受体2 (human epidermal growth factor receptor 2, HER2) 阳性乳腺癌在全部乳腺癌中占有较高比例, 针对HER2阳性转移性乳腺癌患者, 曲妥珠单抗治疗能够延长患者总生存期, 显著改善患者预后, 相比之下, 没有接受曲妥珠单抗治疗的患者中, 部分患者出现疾病快速进展, 甚至死亡^[11-15]。但是原研曲妥珠单抗价格较高。生物类似药理论上具有相当的疗效和安全性。本临床试验旨在评估曲妥珠单抗生物类似药AK-HER2与原研曲妥珠单抗在HER2阳性转移性乳腺癌患者中的疗效、药代动力学、安全性和免疫原性。

生物类似药与已批准的参照药相比, 在临床安全性或有效性方面差异无统计学意义^[15]。I期临床试验表明, AK-HER2与原研曲妥珠单抗在健康志愿者中的药代动力学、安全性和免疫原性相当^[16]。基于此, 本研究旨在评估AK-HER2与原研曲妥珠单抗在HER2阳性转移性乳腺癌患者中的临床疗效、药代动力学、安全性和免疫原性的差异。

1 资料和方法

1.1 研究方案

本研究是多中心、随机、双盲的Ⅲ期临床试验, 旨在评估AK-HER2在HER2阳性转移性乳腺癌患者中的疗效、安全性及体内代谢特征。该研究在中国43个分中心开展, 时间为2017年9月—2021年3月, 共550例乳腺癌患者纳入本研究。本研究遵从注册的研究方案、赫尔辛基宣言阐明的伦理学原则和药物临床试验质量管理规范, 获得各医院医学伦理委员会批准, 临床试验注册机构为国家药品监督管理局 (临床试验批件号为2015L04224, 临床试验登记号为CTR20170516)。在入组前获得了受试者的书面知情同意书。入组患者筛选流程见图1。

1.1.1 入组标准

① 患者年龄 ≥ 18 岁; ② 组织学或细胞学检

查证实患有乳腺癌; ③ 东部肿瘤协作组 (Eastern Cooperative Oncology Group, ECOG) 表现状态评分为0~1; ④ 其他关键入选标准包括HER2阳性及雌激素受体 (estrogen receptor, ER) 和孕激素受体 (progesterone receptor, PgR) 状态; ⑤ 通过影像学检查评估的可测量病灶; ⑥ 正常 (在机构正常范围内) 左心室射血分数 (left ventricular ejection fraction, LVEF) 及器官功能良好。

1.1.2 排除标准

① 既往或正在治疗 (全身化疗, 或靶向药物, 或除内分泌治疗外的任何其他抗癌药物); ② 转移性乳腺癌; ③ 存在或疑似存在脑转移或任何其他中枢神经系统转移; ④ 存在需要治疗的具有临床意义的活动性感染; ⑤ 未得到控制的高血压或不稳定型心绞痛; ⑥ 有葱环类药物治疗史且达到某一累积剂量 (图1)。筛选出550例HER2阳性转移性乳腺癌患者, 按ER/PgR状态1:1比例随机分配至AK-HER2组和对照组, 应用临床电子化中央随机系统 (DAS for IWRS) 分配随机号。547例患者被纳入疗效分析 (3例未接受研究药物治疗的患者未纳入分析), 275例患者接受AK-HER2治疗, 272例患者接受原研曲妥珠单抗 (赫赛汀[®]) 治疗。

1.1.3 随机研究方法

本研究采用动态随机方法, 符合筛选入组条件的受试者, 根据体内激素受体状态, 将入组患者随机分配至2个治疗组 (试验组和对照组) 并产生随机号, 随机号即作为试验盲法条件下该受试者的唯一编号。本研究对随机编码的权限进行严格控制。研究过程中每例受试者接受何种治疗不会向研究者、研究中心人员、受试者本人以及申办者公开。由于试验药与对照药的包装不同, 每个临床研究中心都设有非盲团队, 他们为每例受试者复溶研究药物。药物复溶后, 非盲人员将在输液袋/瓶上做相应标记, 标记中不得透露任何有关药物组别的信息, 因此研究团队及申办方均将无法获知输液袋/瓶内含有何种药物。受试者随机化结束, 从中央随机系统 (interactive web response system, IWRS) 导出

随机表（一级盲底），一式二份提交申办方，分别封存在申办方和临床研究负责单位。二级盲底

在编盲时产生提交。入组患者的人口学和基线特征见表1。

表1 人口学资料及基线特征分析 (FAS)

Tab. 1 Patient demographics and baseline characteristics (FAS)

Item	AK-HER2 (n=275)	Trastuzumab (n=272)	Item	AK-HER2 (n=275)	Trastuzumab (n=272)
Age/year			ECOG status		
Median	53.0	52.0	0	130 (47.3)	117 (43.2)
18-65	246 (89.5)	251 (92.3)	1	145 (52.7)	154 (56.8)
>65	29 (10.5)	21 (7.7)	Target lesions		
Height/cm			Yes	267 (97.1)	265 (97.4)
Median	158.00	158.00	No	8 (2.9)	7 (2.6)
Weight/kg			Target lesion diameter/mm		
Median	60.00	60.00	Median	57.90	61.00
Nation			History of systemic chemotherapy/ targeted drug treatment for tumors		
Han	257 (93.5)	257 (94.5)	Yes	185 (67.3)	172 (63.2)
Others	18 (6.5)	15 (5.5)	No	90 (32.7)	100 (36.8)
Osseous metastasis			History of endocrine therapy for tumors		
Yes	123 (45.1)	118 (43.4)	No	179 (65.1)	189 (69.5)
No	150 (54.9)	154 (56.6)	Yes	96 (34.9)	83 (30.5)
ER/PgR			History of other malignant tumors		
ER ⁺ /PgR ⁺	94 (35.7)	80 (29.9)	No	273 (99.3)	271 (99.6)
ER ⁻ /PgR ⁻	108 (41.1)	126 (47.0)	Yes	2 (0.7)	1 (0.4)
ER ⁻ /PgR ⁺	11 (4.2)	14 (5.2)	History of tumor radiotherapy		
ER ⁺ /PgR ⁻	49 (18.6)	47 (17.5)	Yes	79 (28.8)	79 (29.0)
Unknown [*]	1 (0.4)	1 (0.4)	No	195 (71.2)	193 (71.0)
HER2 positive					
Yes	255 (97.0)	257 (97.7)			
No	8 (3.0)	6 (2.3)			

*: Unclear of HR status; 1 patient with ER (-)/PgR (+/-) and 1 patient with ER (+/-)/PgR (-).

1.1.1.4 治疗方法

在第1个周期的第1天，患者接受 AK-HER2 或原研曲妥珠单抗静脉滴注，起始量为8 mg/kg，90 min完成，每3周为1个周期，直至第16个周期结束。多西他赛初始剂量75 mg/m²，在第1个周

期的第2天首次静脉滴注，滴注时间为60 min，后续治疗均与AK-HER2或原研曲妥珠单抗联合用药，持续至少9个周期，直至患者发生疾病进展或不可耐受的药物相关毒性反应。研究设计见图1。

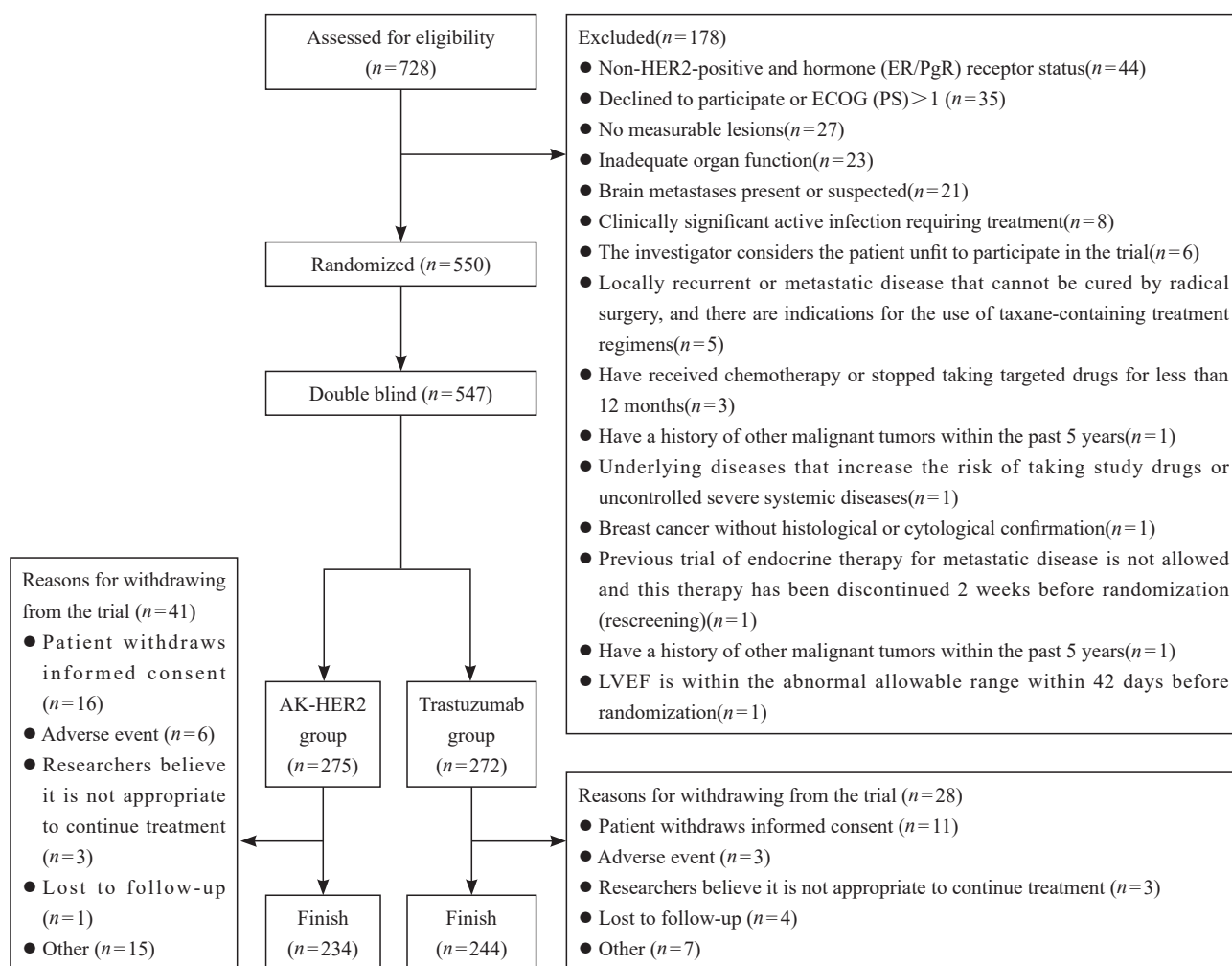


图1 患者筛选流程图

Fig. 1 Patient flow diagram

1.1.5 治疗效果与不良事件评价标准

受试者最终疗效根据实体瘤疗效评价标准 (response evaluation criteria in solid tumors, RECIST) 1.1 版^[17]和独立盲态审核认定。这项研究的主要疗效终点是第9个周期治疗结束时, 患者客观缓解率 (objective response rate, ORR) 即ORR9, 包括完全缓解率 (complete response rate, CR) 和部分缓解率 (partial response rate, PR)。次要疗效终点为16个周期治疗结束时, 患者ORR16、疾病控制率 (disease control rate, DCR)、临床获益率 (clinical benefit rate, CBR)、无进展生存期 (progression-free survival, PFS) 和1年生存率。

1.2 影像学检查

本研究受试者在研究过程中接受全身增强电

子计算机断层扫描 (computed tomography, CT) 或磁共振成像 (magnetic resonance imaging, MRI) 检查。患者治疗效果评估依据实体瘤疗效评价标准, 结合盲态独立中心评估 (blinded independent central review, BICR) 标准。在首次给药后第6、12、18、27、36、45周及治疗结束时等7个不同时间点均进行一次疗效评估。在筛查期和研究期间, 受试者通过CT或MRI增强扫描评估病情, 影像学检查包括: ① 胸部和腹部 (包括肝、脾和肾上腺等) CT或MRI扫描; ② 临床疑似出现中枢神经系统 (central nervous system, CNS) 转移时, 增加头颅和 (或) 脊椎CT或MRI扫描; ③ 如果骨病灶出现进展或出现新发骨病灶, 则需要再次进行X线扫描; ④ 如果受试者出现新发皮肤 (或皮下) 病灶, 则通过

CT/MRI等影像学检查进行监测。并通过超声心动图 (echocardiogram, ECHO) 或多门核素血管造影术 (multigated radionuclide angiography, MUGA) 对心脏功能进行评估。

1.3 不良事件评估

本研究评估治疗期间出现的不良事件 (treatment emergent adverse event, TEAE)、严重不良事件 (serious adverse event, SAE) 和特殊关注的不良事件 (adverse event of special interest, AESI) 的发生率和严重程度, 探讨AK-HER2和原研曲妥珠单抗的安全性和耐受性。所有不良事件使用监管活动医学词典 (medical dictionary for regulatory activities, MedDRA) 编码, 并依照国家癌症研究所不良事件通用术语标准第4.03版 (National Cancer Institute Common Terminology Criteria for Adverse Events v4.03, NCI-CTCAE v4.03) 进行分级。

1.4 药代动力学评估

本研究在第1、3、4、5、6、10、13、16个周期时, 分别在药物输注前及末次访视 (end of treatment, EOT) 时, 采集血样进行药代动力学 (pharmacokinetics, PK) 分析。本研究在第6个周期用药后, 随机选择100例受试者 (AK-HER2组: 对照组=1:1) 进行血样采集, 采集时间点分别为输注45 min时 (即给药结束)、给药结束后第4、8、24、72、120、168、336、504 h。采集后血样进行PK参数 (PK parameter set, PKPS) 分析。PK参数分析采用PKPS分析方法, 由非房室模型计算各受试者的药代动力学参数, 包括: 药物稳态峰浓度 (steady-state maximum concentration, $C_{max,ss}$)、分布容积 (volume of distribution, V_z)、末端消除半衰期 (elimination half life, $T_{1/2}$)、静脉给药稳态清除率 (steady-state clearance, CL_{ss}) 和给药间隔内血药浓度-时间曲线下面积 (area under the plasma concentration-time curve from time 0 to last time quantifiable concentration, AUC_{0-r}) 等。采用线性模型进行不同药物变异模型的分析。血药浓度 (c)-时间 (t) 数据分析采用药代动力学浓度集 (pharmacokinetics concentration set, PKCS)。

采用配体结合式 (ligand binding assays, LBA) 的定量分析方法测定血清中曲妥珠单抗药物浓度。采集的血样基于抗药抗体 (anti-drug antibody, ADA)、中和抗体 (neutralizing antibody, NAB) 和桥式酶联免疫吸附法 (bridging-ELISA) 分析方法评估受试者血清免疫原性特征。

1.5 统计学处理

总样本量鉴于文献报道的ORR数据^[18-21], 假设两组治疗6个月的主要疗效指标ORR的保守估计值为60%, 根据《曲妥珠单抗生物类似药临床试验指导原则 (征求意见稿)》(CDE,2020), 使用AK-HER2与原研曲妥珠单抗比率的等效性限度 [0.8,1.25], 采用双向单侧 t 检验, 单侧 $\alpha=0.05$, $\beta=0.20$, AK-HER2组与对照组按1:1比例分配病例, 采用PASS 14.0计算, 考虑13.0%的脱落率, 本研究计划纳入540例受试者。

采用 χ^2 检验比较组间ORR9 (95% CI), 均进行符合方案集 (per protocol set, PPS) 和全分析集 (full analysis set, FAS) 分析。采用 χ^2 检验或Fisher精确概率法比较ORR16、CBR和DCR组间差别。采用Kaplan-Meier的方法分析PFS, 分别列出四分位数、中位数和删失率, 组间比较采用log-rank检验。在次要疗效指标敏感性分析中, PFS采用Cox比例风险回归模型估计组间风险比并计算其95% CI (Wald法)。在PFS与生存期 (overall survival, OS) 数据分析分别采用分层log-rank检验计算 P 值, 分层COX回归计算HR, 分层因素为来源于IWRS的激素受体水平; 采用不分层log-rank检验计算 P 值, 不分层Cox回归计算HR。

2 结果

2.1 药物暴露

AK-HER2组和对照组的随访持续时间均为48周。AK-HER2和原研曲妥珠单抗平均暴露治疗天数分别为197.6和198.2 d, 差异无统计学意义 ($P=0.950$); 药物平均暴露剂量分别为3 850.49和3 863.07 mg, 差异无统计学意义

($P=0.945$)。AK-HER2组和对照组中,多西他赛平均暴露治疗天数分别为167.0和159.5 d,差异无统计学意义($P=0.369$);药物平均暴露剂量分别为1 063.081和1 023.048 mg,差异无统计学意义($P=0.410$)。

2.2 疗效分析

采用独立评审委员会(Independent Review Committee, IRC)标准评估数据,PPS分析研究结果提示,AK-HER2组($n=275$)与对照组($n=241$)的ORR9比为97.9% (54.4% vs

55.6%, 90% CI: 85.4%~112.2%, $P=0.784$;表2);FAS分析AK-HER2组与对照组的ORR9比为95.4% (49.1% vs 51.5%, 90% CI: 82.9%~109.7%, $P=0.631$;表2)。研究者评估,PPS分析研究结果表明,AK-HER2组与对照组的ORR9比为98.6% (54.4% vs 55.2%, 90% CI: 86.0%~113.1%, $P=0.843$);FAS分析结果表明,AK-HER2组与对照组的ORR9比为96.1% (50.5% vs 52.6%, 90% CI: 83.9%~110.2%, $P=0.664$;表2)。

表2 AK-HER2组和曲妥珠单抗组疗效评估

Tab. 2 Evaluation of efficacy in AK-HER2 group and trastuzumab group

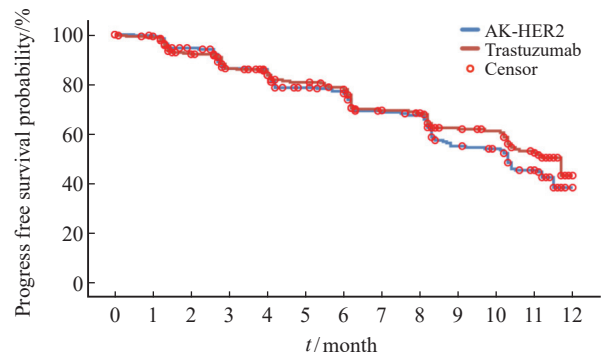
	AK-HER2 ($n=275$)	Trastuzumab ($n=272$)	Ratio (%)	P value
[$n(\%)$]				
Primary endpoint (PPS)				
CR	10 (4.2)	7 (2.9)		
PR	119 (50.2)	127 (52.7)		
SD	95 (40.1)	90 (37.3)		
PD	11 (4.6)	14 (5.8)		
NE	2 (0.8)	3 (1.2)		
ORR9 ^a	129 (54.4)	134 (55.6)	97.9	0.784
90%CI/%	48.9-59.9	50.1-61.0	85.4-112.2	
Secondary endpoint (FAS)				
ORR16	142 (51.6)	142 (52.2)		0.894
DCR	248 (90.2)	241 (88.6)		0.549
CBR	159 (57.8)	164 (60.3)		0.556
PFS				
Censored	161 (58.5)	175 (64.3)		
Number of events	114 (41.5)	97 (35.7)		
Kaplan-Meier t /months				
25% (95% CI)	6.1 (4.2-6.3)	6.2 (5.4-7.7)		
50% (95% CI)	10.3 (8.6-11.2)	11.7 (10.3-NE)		
75% (95% CI)	NE (NE-NE)	NE (NE-NE)		
PFS stratified analysis ^a				
Statistics	1.980			0.159
HR (95% CI)	1.21 (0.92-1.59)			
PFS stratified analysis ^b				
Statistics	1.405			0.236
HR (95% CI)	1.18 (0.90-1.54)			

续表2 AK-HER2组和曲妥珠单抗组疗效评估

	AK-HER2 (n=275)	Trastuzumab (n=272)	Ratio (%)	P value
OS				
Censored/%	273 (99.3)	269 (98.9)		
Number of events/%	2 (0.7)	3 (1.1)		
Kaplan-Meier (months)				
25% (95% CI)	NE (NE-NE)	NE (NE-NE)		
50% (95% CI)	NE (NE-NE)	NE (NE-NE)		
75% (95% CI)	NE (NE-NE)	NE (NE-NE)		
OS stratified analysis ^a				
Statistics	0.208			0.648
HR (95% CI)	0.66 (0.11-3.98)			
OS stratified analysis ^b				
Statistics	0.214			0.643
HR (95% CI)	0.66 (0.11-3.93)			
Month 12	99.3 (97.1-99.8)	98.9 (96.6-99.6)		

^a: ORR included CR/PR. ^a: Stratified log-rank test was used to calculate P value, stratified Cox regression was used to calculate HR, and the stratification factor was hormone receptor derived from IWRS. ^b: The unstratified log-rank test was used to calculate the P value, and the unstratified Cox regression was used to calculate the HR. ORR: Objective response rate; CR: Complete response; PR: Partial response; SD: Stable disease; PD: Progressive disease; NE: Not evaluable; CBR: Clinical benefit rate; DCR: Disease control rate; PFS: Progression-free survival; OS: Overall survival; FAS: Full analysis set; PPS: Per-protocol set; HR: Hazard ratio; 95% CI: 95% confidence interval; 90% CI: 90% confidence interval.

次要疗效终点分析中，AK-HER2组受试者ORR16为51.6%（95% CI: 45.6%~57.7%），对照组ORR16为52.2%（95% CI: 46.1%~58.3%），两组间差异无统计学意义。AK-HER2组中，受试者达CR、PR或疾病稳定（stable disease, SD）有248例，受试者DCR为90.2%（95% CI: 86.0%~93.4%）。对照组中，受试者达CR、PR或SD有241例，受试者DCR为88.6%（95% CI: 84.2%~92.1%），两组间比较，组间差异无统计学意义（ $P=0.549$ ）。AK-HER2组达CR、PR或持续SD（SD \geq 24周）的受试者共159例，受试者CBR为57.8%（95% CI: 51.7%~63.7%）。对照组164例受试者达CR、PR或持续SD（SD \geq 24周），受试者CBR为60.3%（95% CI: 54.2%~66.2%），两组间比较，组间差异无统计学意义（ $P=0.556$ ）。AK-HER2组中位PFS为10.3个月，对照组中位PFS为11.7个月。生存分析结果提示，AK-HER2组1年生存率为99.3%（95% CI: 97.1%~99.8%），对照组生存率为98.9%（95% CI: 96.6%~99.6%，图2，表2）。



AK-HER2	275	260	226	196	192	163	158	127	123	95	90	69	1
Trastuzumab	272	253	222	195	188	165	158	126	122	101	94	73	1

图2 Kaplan-Meier估计图（IRC评估，FAS）显示AK-HER2组及对照组治疗的HER2阳性转移性乳腺癌患者的PFS

Fig. 2 Kaplan-Meier estimate plot (IRC assessment, FAS) showing PFS of patients with HER2-positive metastatic breast cancer treated in the AK-HER2 group and the trastuzumab group

2.3 药代动力学结果

采用PKCS分析AK-HER2组和对照组的AUC_{0-t}比率为97.87%（20 911.74 vs 21 366.27，90% CI: 91.13%~105.12%），C_{max,ss}比率为95.76%（90% CI: 90.25%~101.59%），T_{1/2}比率为98.75%（90% CI: 91.05%~107.11%），

CLss 比率为 102.21% (90% CI: 94.80%~110.20%), V_z 比率为 100.94% (90% CI: 93.27%~109.23%), 结果表明, AK-HER2 组和对照组 PK 参数的几何均值比率及 90% CI 均

在等效区间 80.00%~125.00% 内, 组间差异无统计学意义。研究结果提示两种药物的药代动力学特征相似 (表 3, 图 3)。

表 3 药代动力学参数经对数转化后的 (1-2 α) 置信区间检验 (PKPS)

Tab. 3 (1-2 α) confidence interval test of pharmacokinetic parameters after logarithmic transformation (PKPS)

Parameter	Group	N	GMLS mean	95% CI	AK-HER2/trastuzumab	
					Ratio/%	90% CI
$C_{max,ss}$ ($\mu\text{g/mL}$)	AK-HER2	54	141.43	134.59-148.61	95.76	90.25-101.59
	Trastuzumab	52	147.70	140.43-155.34		
AUC_{0-t} ($\text{h}\cdot\mu\text{g/mL}$)	AK-HER2	49	20 911.74	19 699.20-221 98.91	97.87	91.13-105.12
	Trastuzumab	47	21 366.27	20 102.08-22 709.96		
$T_{1/2z}$ (h)	AK-HER2	49	164.58	153.78-176.15	98.75	91.05-107.11
	Trastuzumab	47	166.66	155.50-178.63		
CLss (mL/h)	AK-HER2	49	17.20	16.15-18.32	102.21	94.80-110.20
	Trastuzumab	47	16.83	15.78-17.95		
V_z (L)	AK-HER2	49	4.08	3.82-4.36	100.94	93.27-109.23
	Trastuzumab	47	4.05	3.78-4.33		

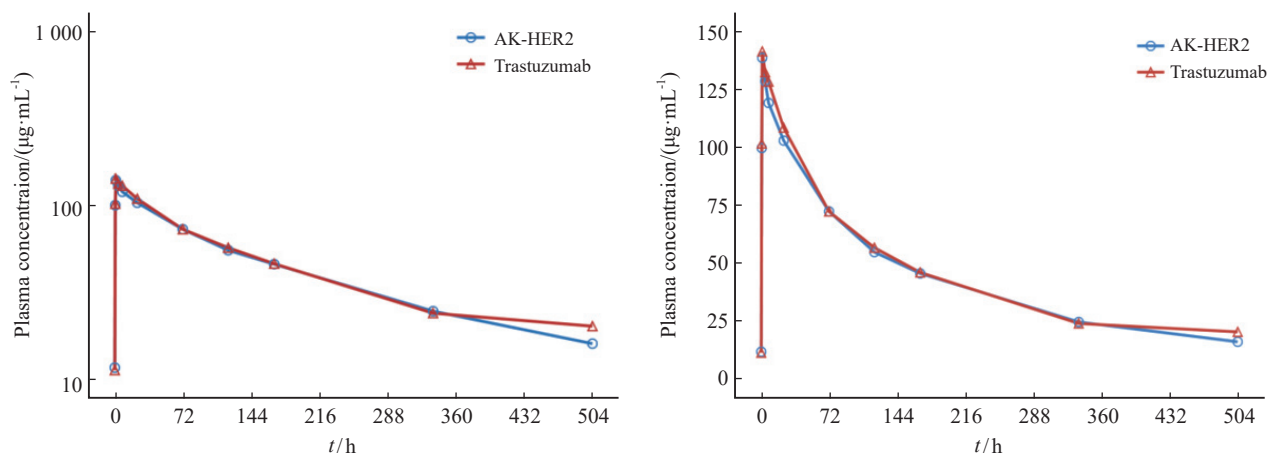


图 3 受试者第 6 周期静脉输注 6 mg/kg 试验药+多西他赛或 6 mg/kg 对照药+多西他赛的平均血药浓度-时间图 (Mean+SD)(PKCS)

Fig. 3 Average plasma concentration-time chart of subjects receiving intravenous infusion of 6 mg/kg AK-HER2 + docetaxel or 6 mg/kg trastuzumab + docetaxel in the 6th cycle (Mean+SD)(PKCS)

2.4 免疫原性结果

本研究中, AK-HER2 组 11 例 (4.1%) 患者 ADA 阳性, 对照组有 7 例 (2.7%) 患者 ADA 阳性。采用 χ^2 检验分析两组患者 ADA 阳性率差异, 结果显示, 差异无统计学意义 ($P=0.385$)。AK-HER2 组有 6 例 (2.2%) 患者 NAB 阳性, 对照组有 4 例 (1.6%) 患者 NAB 阳性。采用 Fisher 检验

分析两组 NAB 阳性率差异, 结果显示, 差异无统计学意义 ($P=0.752$, 表 4)。

2.5 安全性结果

在 AK-HER2 组和对照组中, 患者 TEAE 的发生率分别为 96.4% 和 99.3%, 两组患者 TEAE 发生率 χ^2 检验, 差异有统计学意义 ($P=0.021$)。两组受试者 SAE 的发生率分别为 15.6% 和 13.6%,

而AESI的发生率分别为58.2%和59.2%。与对照组相比，AK-HER2组5级TEAE和SAE发生率较低，两组受试者均无一例发生5级AESI。AK-HER2组仅1例（0.4%）发生致死性TEAE（4级），而对照组有3例（1.1%）发生致死性TEAE（5级），其中1例（0.4%）与曲妥珠单抗

药物治疗相关，1例（0.4%）与多西他赛药物治疗相关。曲妥珠单抗治疗导致药物减量或暂停的TEAE发生率，AK-HER2组为3.6%（10例），对照组为8.1%（22例），差异有统计学意义（ $P=0.027$ ）。AK-HER2组发生率较对照组明显减少（表4）。

表4 免疫原性数据汇总

Tab. 4 Summary of immunogenicity data

Item	AK-HER2 (n=267)	Trastuzumab (n=256)	Statistics	P value	Method
ADA					
N (N Miss)	267 (8)	256 (16)			
Pre-existing ADA	17 (6.4)	13 (5.1)	0.402	0.526	Chi-square test
Post-baseline ADA*	20 (7.5)	10 (3.9)	3.105	0.078	Chi-square test
Negative	239 (89.5)	236 (92.2)	1.121	0.290	Chi-square test
Treatment-induced ADA**	11 (4.1)	7 (2.7)	0.755	0.385	Chi-square test
NAB					
N (NMiss)	267 (8)	256 (16)			
Post-baseline NAB*	14 (5.2)	6 (2.3)	2.988	0.084	Chi-square test
Treatment-induced NAB**	6 (2.2)	4 (1.6)	NA	0.752	Fisher

*: Regardless of the situation before taking the medicine, any positive result after taking the medicine. **: It was negative before taking the medicine and was positive any time after taking the medicine. N Miss meant that the subject only has the immunogenicity test results during the screening period and did not have the immunogenicity test results at follow-up visits.

本研究分析了AK-HER2组与对照组最常见TEAE的发生率，包括白细胞减少、中性粒细胞减少、贫血、丙氨酸氨基转移酶升高和天冬氨酸氨基转移酶升高。AK-HER2组与对照组不同TEAE发生情况分别为：白细胞计数减少（72.7% vs 73.5%）、贫血（41.5% vs 46.0%）、血小板减少（9.5% vs 13.2%）、中性粒细胞减少（72.0% vs 73.2%）、丙氨酸氨基转移酶升高（25.1% vs 25.7%）和天冬氨酸氨基转移酶升高（24.0% vs 26.5%）。研究结果提示，以上TEAE发生率AK-HER2组均较对照组略低。其他药物不良反应观察结果显示，对照组出现1例输液部位过敏反应，AK-HER2组尚无输液不良反应（表5）。AK-HER2组与对照组比较，AK-HER2组发热（11.6% vs 16.5%）、乏力（9.1% vs 12.1%）和

腹泻（10.9% vs 14.3%）的发生率较对照组明显减少，但是上呼吸道感染的发生率AK-HER2组比对照组略高（13.1% vs 8.1%）。

本研究对药物的心脏毒性系统性评估结果显示，AK-HER2组与对照组的左心室射血分数（left ventricular ejection fractions, LVEF）基线以及C4D1均为64.0%，C16D1中位数分别为64.0%与62.0%。在EOT时间点，AK-HER2组与对照组的LVEF中位数分别为63.0%与62.7%。基线、C4D1、C7D1、C10D1、C13D1、C16D1和EOT等不同观察时间点，两组LVEF中位数差异无统计学意义（表6）。本研究结果显示，AK-HER2组与对照组药物的心脏毒性差异无统计学意义。

表5 安全性数据汇总

Tab. 5 Summary of safety data

Safety data	AK-HER2 (n=275)	Trastuzumab (n=272)	Safety data	AK-HER2 (n=275)	Trastuzumab (n=272)
Number of TEAE	4 738	5 049	AESI related to study drug	79 (28.7)	78 (28.7)
Any TEAE	265 (96.4)	270 (99.3)	Grade 1	58 (21.1)	58 (21.3)
Grade 1	259 (94.2)	259 (95.2)	Grade 2	32 (11.6)	32 (11.8)
Grade 2	232 (84.4)	233 (85.7)	Grade 3	6 (2.2)	3 (1.1)
Grade 3	164 (59.6)	173 (63.6)	Grade 4	3 (1.1)	0 (0.0)
Grade 4	100 (36.4)	90 (33.1)	Grade 5	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)
Grade 5	3 (1.1)	5 (1.8)	Treatment-related AEs occurring in ≥10% of patients		
TEAE related to study drug	173 (62.9)	176 (64.7)	Decreased white blood cell count	200 (72.7)	200 (73.5)
TEAE leading to drug withdrawal	6 (2.2)	3 (1.1)	Decreased neutrophil count	198 (72.0)	199 (73.2)
SAE	43 (15.6)	37 (13.6)	Increased alanine aminotransferase	69 (25.1)	70 (25.7)
Grade 1	5 (1.8)	7 (2.6)	Increased aspartate aminotransferase	66 (24.0)	72 (26.5)
Grade 2	17 (6.2)	18 (6.6)	Weight gain	56 (20.4)	49 (18.0)
Grade 3	12 (4.4)	15 (5.5)	Decreased platelet count	26 (9.5)	36 (13.2)
Grade 4	15 (5.5)	13 (4.8)	Anemia	114 (41.5)	125 (46.0)
Grade 5	2 (0.7)	4 (1.5)	Alopecia	66 (24.0)	62 (22.8)
SAE related to study drug	16 (5.8)	12 (4.4)	Pyrexia	32 (11.6)	45 (16.5)
Deaths	1 (0.4)	3 (1.1)	Asthenia	25 (9.1)	33 (12.1)
Deaths related to study drug	0 (0.0)	1 (0.4)	Hyperglycemia	43 (15.6)	42 (15.4)
AESI	160 (58.2)	161 (59.2)	Diarrhea	30 (10.9)	39 (14.3)
			Upper respiratory infection	36 (13.1)	22 (8.1)

Unless otherwise stated, data were expressed as n (%) adverse events, and adverse events arising from TEAE treatment were coded using the Medical Dictionary for Regulatory Activities version 21.1 coding dictionary. The severity of adverse events was assessed using the National Cancer Institute Common Terminology Criteria for Adverse Events. The TEAE data in the table were all included as soon as they have appeared.

表6 左心室射血分数用药后实测值、变化值分析 (SS)

Tab. 5 Analysis of measured values and change values of LVEF after medication (SS)

	Actual value		Change value (post-pre)	
	AK-HER2	Trastuzumab	AK-HER2	Trastuzumab
Baseline				
N (NMiss) [†]	275 (0)	271 (1)		
Mean ± SD	64.738 ± 4.872	64.140 ± 5.035		
Median	64.000	64.000		
C4D1				
N (NMiss)	229 (46)	222 (50)	229 (46)	222 (50)
Mean ± SD	63.855 ± 4.376	64.149 ± 4.642	-0.578 ± 4.974	-0.161 ± 5.332
Median	64.000	64.000	0	0

表6 (续)

	Actual value		Change value (post-pre)	
	AK-HER2	Trastuzumab	AK-HER2	Trastuzumab
C7D1				
N (NMiss)	178 (97)	174 (98)	178 (97)	174 (98)
Mean±SD	63.718±4.085	63.856±4.564	-0.701±5.069	-0.446±5.300
Median	63.000	64.000	-1.000	-1.000
C10D1				
N (NMiss)	149 (126)	147 (125)	149 (126)	147 (125)
Mean±SD	63.124±3.942	63.766±4.270	-1.294±4.989	-0.582±4.930
Median	63.000	63.000	-1.000	-0.800
C13D1				
N (NMiss)	117 (158)	118 (154)	117 (158)	118 (154)
Mean±SD	63.286±4.099	63.869±4.875	-0.557±4.884	-0.415±5.985
Median	63.000	63.100	0	0
C16D1				
N (NMiss)	89 (186)	93 (179)	89 (186)	93 (179)
Mean±SD	63.431±3.951	63.080±4.683	-0.159±5.276	-0.991±5.747
Median	64.000	62.000	1.000	-1.000
EOT				
N (NMiss)	245 (30)	237 (35)	245 (30)	237 (35)
Mean±SD	63.503±4.560	62.876±4.564	-1.199±5.107	-1.308±5.735
Median	63.000	62.700	-1.000	-1.000

* NMISS represented the number of subjects who did not obtain the test results due to various reasons. C, Cycle; D, Day; C4D1, C7D1, C10D1, C13D1, C16D1 and the last visit respectively represent the measurement of left ventricular ejection fraction on the first day of the 4th, 7th, 10th, 13th and 16th cycle of treatment and the last follow-up visit.

3 讨 论

本研究是随机、多中心、双盲的Ⅲ期临床试验，结果显示，AK-HER2和原研曲妥珠单抗在HER2阳性转移性乳腺癌的疗效具有等效性。研究结果还表明，PFS与生存率无论是否采用分层分析，其组间风险比差异均无统计学意义。

AK-HER2的Ⅰ期临床试验^[16]结果表明，在健康的中国成年人中，AK-HER2与原研曲妥珠单抗的药代动力学和安全性相当。目前曲妥珠单抗及其部分生物类似药Ⅰ期临床研究中，入组患者均为健康男性，缺少健康女性志愿者的数据作为参考^[22-25]。为了提供更加全面的人体药物

代谢信息，AK-HER2的Ⅰ期临床试验将患者性别因素纳入考虑范畴，入组患者由64例男性和32例女性健康志愿者组成，因此该研究结果也具有更好的代表性和参考价值^[16]。在本研究中设计取血点不同，我们密集采集9个点的血样，分别在第6个周期给药结束后第0、4、8、24、72、120、168、336和504 h。研究结果也表明，AK-HER2与原研曲妥珠单抗的药代动力学差异无统计学意义。综上所述，Ⅰ期健康男性与女性志愿者以及Ⅲ期HER2阳性乳腺癌患者的药代动力学参数AK-HER2组与对照组相比，生物等效性相当。

在药物不良反应方面，本研究结果显示，AK-HER2组比对照组TEAE发生率低，且AK-

HER2组无一例药物致死病例发生^[27]。曲妥珠单抗治疗导致药物减量或暂停的TEAE发生率, AK-HER2组发生率较对照组明显减少且组间差异有统计学意义, 可能是发生例数较少所致。药物安全性数据显示, AK-HER2组患者肝脏毒性和血液毒性较低。AK-HER2组发热、乏力等不良事件发生率也较低, 但是上呼吸道感染发生率较对照组略高。在今后用药过程中, 应更加严密观察上呼吸道感染相关疾病发生的可能性。本研究通过ECHO或MUGA扫描评估心脏功能, 结果显示, AK-HER2用药前后LVEF差值变化与原研曲妥珠单抗差异无统计学意义, AK-HER2的心脏毒性在可接受范围内。

药物免疫原性常通过ADA评估, ADA可能会改变药物的药代动力学和药效学特性^[27]。在更严重的情况下, ADA可以中和药物的治疗效果或发生严重的不良事件^[28]。因此, 本研究同样进行了两药的免疫原性分析与测定, AK-HER2与对照组ADA和NAB阳性率差异无统计学意义, 证明AK-HER2与原研曲妥珠单抗的免疫原性相似。

随着分子生物学和基因组学的快速发展, 乳腺癌新药治疗策略和方法不断涌现。尽管新的药物不断被研发和使用, 但是由于国家与地区间发展不均衡性, 加上每位患者经济条件不同, 患者所能承受的经济负担的差异比较大^[29], 其标化死亡率差异明显^[30]。与城市患者相比, 农村患者经济条件较差, 导致农村乳腺癌患者延迟就诊率较高, 治疗依从性较低, 这导致农村乳腺癌患者预后更差^[8, 30]。基于此, 新研发的生物类似药价格低, 可减轻患者的经济负担, 目前已有曲妥珠单抗生物类似药被批准进入临床治疗^[31]。

综上所述, AK-HER2组和曲妥珠单抗组的ORR9、ORR16、DCR、CBR、PFS和生存率差异无统计学意义。在药代动力学、免疫原性、药物不良反应、心脏毒性等其他方面, 两组差异无统计学意义。本研究结果可为中国生物类似药的研发提供参考。

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