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TABLE 2 | Characteristics of the clinical trials of iguratimod in combination for RA.

References	Study	Participants	Number	Intervention	Duration	Primary Outcomes
Hara et al., 2014	Randomized double-blind placebo-controlled trial	Country : Japan Site: multicenter	Total: 252 IGU+MTX group:165 (PLA/IGU)+MTX group: (Weeks 1-28):88 (Weeks28-52):68	IGU+MTX group: IGU 25mg Bid,MTX 6 or 8 mg Qw and folic acid 5mg Qw(0-52 weeks). (PLA/IGU)+MTX group: Pla tablets(1-28 weeks); MTX 6 or 8mg Qw and folic acid 5 mg QW(1-52 weeks);IGU 25mg Qd(28-32 weeks),25mg Bid (32-52 weeks).	52 weeks	ACR20 at week 52:IGU+MTX group was similar to that at week 24 (69.5%),(PLA/IGU)+MTX group, the switch to IGU treatment significantly improved from 30.7% at week 24 to 72.1% at week 52. ACR50, ACR70 at week 52: IGU+MTX group was significantly improved compared with the values at week 24. ACR20 at week 24 was 69.5% in the IGU group compared with 30.7% in the placebo group ($P < 0.001$). Significant improvements in the ACR50, ACR70.
Ishiguro et al., 2013	Randomized double-blind placebo-controlled trial	Country : Japan Site:multicenter	Total: 252 IGU group:164 placebo group:88	IGU group:164 IGU 25mg Qd (0-4 weeks) 25mg Bid (4-24 weeks). MTX 6 or 8mg Qw, folic acid 5mg Qw. placebo group: MTX 6 or 8mg Qw and folic acid 5mg Qw, and placebo tablets	24 weeks	ACR20 at week 24 was 69.5% in the IGU group compared with 30.7% in the placebo group ($P < 0.001$). Significant improvements in the ACR50, ACR70.
Xia et al., 2016	Prospective trial	Country : Japan Site: Single-center	Total: 131 MTX+IGU group:44 IGU group:38 MTX group:49	IGU group:25mg Bid(0-24 weeks) MTX group:10mg Qw (0-24 weeks) MTX+IGU group: IGU 25mg Bid (0-24 weeks).MTX 10mg Qw (0-24 weeks)	24 weeks	ACR 20 and ACR 50 at 24 weeks: combination of IGU with MTX was superior to IGU or MTX monotherapy.
Duan et al., 2015	Randomized controlled trial	Country : China Site : Single-center	Total: 60 MTX+ IGU group:30 MTX group:30	MTX+ IGU group: IGU 25mg Bid (0-24 weeks).MTX 10mg Qw (0-4 weeks),12.5mg Qw (4-24 weeks) MTX group: 10mg Qw (0-4 weeks),12.5mg Qw (4-24 weeks)	24 weeks	ACR50 at 24 weeks:MTX+T-614 group showed statistically significant differences comparing with the MTX group ($P < 0.05$).
Yoshikawa et al., 2018	Retrospective study	Country : Japan Site: Single-center	Total: 41 patients who showed an inadequate response to biological DMARDs	IGU 25mg Qd (0-4 weeks), then increased to 25mg Bid based on the physician's discretion.	24 weeks	remission can be achieved by IGU add-on in RA patients responding partially to 24-week or longer administration of bDMARD
Zheng et al., 2018	Retrospective study	Country : China Site : Single-center	Total: 23 patients who showed an inadequate response to MTX-CsA-HCQ-prednisone	MTX:12.5mg Qw HCQ:0.1mg Bid CsA:50mg Bid Prednisone:7.5mg Qd IGU: 25mg Bid	24 weeks	After 24 weeks:the RA patients showed a significant improvement in mean DAS28 score from baseline. 18 (78%), 15 (65%), and 12 (50%) patients, respectively, met the ACR20, ACR50, and ACR70 response criteria.
Ebina et al., 2019	Retrospective study	Country: Japan Site: multicenter	Total: 31 patients who showed an inadequate response to TCZ	TCZ 162mg Q2w or 8 mg/kg Qm; IGU 25 mg Qd,then increased to 25mg Bid depending on physician's decision.	24 weeks	Using the EULAR criteria, 64.5% achieved a moderate response, and 51.6% achieved ACR 20 at 24 weeks
Suto et al., 2019	Retrospective study	Country : Japan Site:multicenter	Total: 69 IGU group:28 MTX+IGU:28 bDMARDs+IGU:13	IGU group:IGU 25mg Qd (0-4 weeks), then increased to 25mg Bid based on the physician's discretion. MTX+IGU group: MTX was 8.5 ± 3.4 mg/week bDMARDs+IGU group: IFX/ETN/ADA/TCZ/ABT/GLM(n=1/4/3/1/2/2)	36 months	The survival rate of IGU therapy at 3 years was 40.6%. The disease activity was significantly decreased in the IGU group and MTX plus IGU group compared with the baseline.