



For the use of Gastroenterologist/Hepatologist only

MyHep DVIR® Sofosbuvir and Daclatasvir Tablets IP 400 mg/60 mg

1. NAME OF THE MEDICAL PRODUCT Sofosbuvir and Daclatasvir Tablets IP 400 mg/60 mg

2. QUALITATIVE AND QUANTITATIVE COMPOSITION Each film-coated tablet contains: Sofosbuvir IP 400 mg

4. CLINICAL PARTICULARS 4.1 Therapeutic Indications Daclatasvir and Sofosbuvir is indicated for the treatment of patient with Chronic Hepatitis C virus (HCV) genotype 3 infection

4.2 Posology and method of administration Sofosbuvir and Daclatasvir Tablets IP 400 mg/60 mg should be initiated and monitored by a health care provider experienced in the management of chronic hepatitis C.

Table 1: Recommended regimens and treatment duration for Sofosbuvir and Daclatasvir Tablets 400 mg/60 mg

Table with 4 columns: HCV Genotype and Patient population, Treatment, Duration. Rows include Genotype 3 without cirrhosis, Genotype 3 with cirrhosis, and Genotype 3 with cirrhosis and Sofosbuvir + sofosbuvir ± ribavirin.

Dose modification: Dose modification of the fixed dose combination Sofosbuvir and Daclatasvir Tablets 400 mg/60 mg to manage adverse reactions is not recommended.

Table 2: Ribavirin dose modification guideline for co-administration with sofosbuvir

Table with 3 columns: Laboratory values, Reduce ribavirin dose to 600 mg/day if, Discontinue ribavirin if. Rows include Hemoglobin in subjects with no cardiac disease and Hemoglobin in subjects with history of stable cardiac disease.

Once ribavirin has been withheld due to either a laboratory abnormality or clinical manifestation, an attempt may be made to restart ribavirin at 600 mg daily and further increase the dose to 800 mg daily.

Dose recommendation for concomitant medications: Strong inhibitors of cytochrome P450 enzyme 3A4 (CYP3A4)

Mild/moderate inducers of CYP3A4: The dose of daclatasvir should be increased to 90 mg once daily when co-administered with moderate inducers of CYP3A4.

Missed doses: Patients should be instructed that, if they miss a dose of the Sofosbuvir and Daclatasvir Tablets 400 mg/60 mg, the dose should be taken as soon as possible if remembered within 20 hours of the scheduled dose time.

Special patient populations: Elderly: No dose adjustment of Sofosbuvir and Daclatasvir Tablets 400 mg/60 mg is warranted for elderly patients.

Renal impairment: No dose adjustment of Sofosbuvir and Daclatasvir Tablets 400 mg/60 mg is required for patients with mild or moderate renal impairment.

Hepatic impairment: No dose adjustment of Sofosbuvir and Daclatasvir Tablets 400 mg/60 mg is required for patients with mild, moderate or severe hepatic impairment.

Paediatric population: The safety and efficacy of Sofosbuvir and Daclatasvir Tablets 400 mg/60 mg in children and adolescents aged below 18 years has not yet been established.

Method of administration: The film-coated tablet is for oral use. Patients should be instructed to swallow the tablet whole.

4.3 Contraindications: Hypersensitivity to the active substance or to any of the excipients listed in section 6.1.

Use with potent P-gp inducers: Daclatasvir should not be co-administered with medicinal products that strongly induce cytochrome P450 3A4 (CYP3A4) and/or P-glycoprotein transporter (P-gp).

Daclatasvir: Daclatasvir should not be co-administered with medicinal products that strongly induce cytochrome P450 3A4 (CYP3A4) and/or P-glycoprotein transporter (P-gp).

Non-nucleoside reverse transcriptase inhibitors (NNRTIs): Tenofovir disoproxil 245 mg once daily (daclatasvir 60 mg once daily)

Integrase inhibitors: Dolutegravir 50 mg once daily (daclatasvir 60 mg once daily)

4.4 Special warnings and precautions for use: WARNING: RISK OF HEPATITIS B VIRUS REACTIVATION IN PATIENTS CONNECTED WITH HCV AND HIV Test all patients for evidence of current or prior hepatitis B virus (HBV) infection before initiating treatment with Daclatasvir.

Non-nucleoside reverse transcriptase inhibitors (NNRTIs): Efavirenz 600 mg once daily (daclatasvir 60 mg once daily)

General: As a fixed combination, Sofosbuvir and Daclatasvir Tablets 400 mg/60 mg should not be administered concomitantly with other medicinal products containing the same active components, Daclatasvir or Sofosbuvir.

Severe bradycardia and heart block: Cases of severe bradycardia and heart block have been observed when daclatasvir is used in combination with sofosbuvir and concomitant amiodarone with or without other drugs that lower heart rate.

Interactions with medicinal products: Co-administration of Sofosbuvir and Daclatasvir Tablets 400 mg/60 mg can alter the concentration of other medicinal products and other medicinal products may alter the concentration of Sofosbuvir and Daclatasvir Tablets 400 mg/60 mg.

Use with moderate P-gp inducers: Medicinal products that are moderate P-gp inducers in the intestine (e.g. oxcarbazepine and modafinil) may decrease Sofosbuvir 400 mg tablets plasma concentration leading to reduced therapeutic effect.

Renal impairment: The safety of Sofosbuvir and Daclatasvir Tablets 400 mg/60 mg has not been assessed in subjects with severe renal impairment.

Use in diabetic patients: Diabetics may experience improved glucose control, potentially resulting in symptomatic hypoglycaemia, after initiating HCV DNA treatment.

Paediatric population: The safety and efficacy of Sofosbuvir and Daclatasvir Tablets 400 mg/60 mg in children and adolescents aged < 18 years has not yet been established.

Important information about some of the ingredients in Sofosbuvir and Daclatasvir Tablets 400 mg/60 mg: Sofosbuvir and Daclatasvir Tablets 400 mg/60 mg contains lactose. Patients with rare hereditary problems of galactose intolerance, the Lapp lactase deficiency or glucose-galactose maldigestion should not take this medicine.

4.5 Interaction with other medicinal products and other forms of interaction: As Sofosbuvir and Daclatasvir Tablets 400 mg/60 mg contains Daclatasvir and sofosbuvir, any interactions that have been identified with these active substances individually may occur with Sofosbuvir and Daclatasvir Tablets 400 mg/60 mg.

Contraindications of concomitant use (see section 4.3): Daclatasvir is contraindicated in combination with medicinal products that strongly induce CYP3A4 and P-gp, e.g. phenytoin, carbamazepine, oxcarbazepine, phenobarbital, rifampin, rifabutin, rifapentine, systemic dexamethasone, and the herbal product St. John's wort (Hypericum perforatum).

Potential for interaction with other medicinal products: Daclatasvir is a substrate of CYP3A4, P-gp and organic cation transporter (OCT) 1. Strong or moderate inducers of CYP3A4 and P-gp may decrease the plasma levels and therapeutic effect of daclatasvir.

strong inducers of CYP3A4 and P-gp is contraindicated while dose adjustment of Daclatasvir is recommended when co-administered with moderate inducers of CYP3A4 and P-gp (see Table 4). Strong inhibitors of CYP3A4 may increase the plasma levels of daclatasvir. Dose adjustment of Daclatasvir is recommended when co-administered with strong inhibitors of CYP3A4 (see Table 4).

Daclatasvir is an inhibitor of P-gp, organic anion transporting polypeptide (OATP) 1B1, OCT1 and breast cancer resistance protein (BCRP). Administration of Daclatasvir may increase systemic exposure to medicinal products that are substrates of P-gp, OATP 1B1, OCT1 or BCRP which could increase or prolong their therapeutic effect and adverse reactions.

Daclatasvir is a very weak inducer of CYP3A4 and caused a 13% decrease in midazolam exposure. However, as this is a limited effect, dose adjustment of concomitantly administered CYP3A4 substrates is not necessary. Refer to the respective Summary of Product Characteristics for drug interaction information for other medicinal products in the regimen.

Patients treated with vitamin K antagonists: As liver function may change during treatment with Daclatasvir, a close monitoring of International Normalized Ratio (INR) values is recommended.

Sofosbuvir: Sofosbuvir is a nucleotide prodrug. After oral administration of Sofosbuvir, sofosbuvir is rapidly absorbed and subject to extensive first-pass hepatic and intestinal metabolism.

Medicinal products that are potent P-gp inducers in the intestine (rifampicin, rifabutin, St. John's wort, carbamazepine, phenobarbital and phenytoin) may significantly decrease sofosbuvir plasma concentration leading to reduced therapeutic effect of Sofosbuvir and thus are contraindicated with Sofosbuvir (see section 4.3).

Medicinal products that are moderate P-gp inducers in the intestine (e.g. oxcarbazepine and modafinil) may decrease sofosbuvir plasma concentration leading to reduced therapeutic effect of Sofosbuvir. Co-administration with such medicinal products is not recommended with Sofosbuvir (see section 4.4).

Co-administration of Sofosbuvir with medicinal products that inhibit P-gp and/or BCRP may increase sofosbuvir plasma concentration without increasing GS-331007 plasma concentration. Thus Sofosbuvir may be co-administered with P-gp and/or BCRP inhibitors.

The intracellular metabolic activation pathway of sofosbuvir is mediated by generally low affinity and high capacity hydrolytic and nucleotide phosphorylation pathways that are unlikely to be affected by concomitant medicinal products (see section 5.2).

Other interactions: Drug interaction information for Sofosbuvir & Daclatasvir with potential concomitant medicinal products is summarised in Table 3 below (where 90% confidence interval (CI) of the geometric least-squares mean (LSM) ratio were within +*, extended above **, or extended below **).

Table 3: Interactions between Daclatasvir/Sofosbuvir and other medicinal products. Columns: Medicinal products by therapeutic areas, Effects on drug levels, Recommendations concerning co-administration.

Antivirals, HCV: Nucleoside analogue polymerase inhibitor: Sofosbuvir 400 mg once daily (daclatasvir 60 mg once daily)

Study conducted in patients with chronic HCV infection: Sofosbuvir 400 mg once daily (daclatasvir 60 mg once daily)

Other HCV antivirals: Peginterferon alfa 180 µg once weekly and ribavirin 1000 mg or 1200 mg/day in two divided doses (daclatasvir 60 mg once daily)

Antituberculars: Rifampicin 600 mg once daily (daclatasvir 60 mg single dose)

Antifungals: Fluconazole 400 mg once daily (daclatasvir 60 mg single dose)

Cardiovascular agents: Digoxin 0.125 mg once daily (daclatasvir 60 mg once daily)

Calcium channel blockers: Diltiazem, Nifedipine, Amlodipine

Corticosteroids: Systemic dexamethasone

Herbal supplements: St. John's wort (Hypericum perforatum)

Hormonal contraceptives: Ethinylestradiol 35 µg once daily for 21 days + norgestimate 0.180/0.215/0.250 mg once daily for 7/7/7 days (daclatasvir 60 mg once daily)

Immunosuppressants: Cyclosporine 400 mg single dose (daclatasvir 60 mg once daily)

Herbal supplements: St. John's wort (Hypericum perforatum)

Lipid lowering agents: Rosuvastatin 10 mg single dose (daclatasvir 60 mg once daily)

Narcotic analgesics: Buprenorphine/naloxone, 8/2 mg 24/6 mg once daily individualized dose

Antibacterials: Clarithromycin, Telithromycin

Antibacterials: Erythromycin

Antibacterials: Azithromycin, Ciprofloxacin

ANTICOAGULANTS: Dabigatran etexilate: Interaction not studied. Expected due to inhibition of P-gp by daclatasvir.

Warfarin or other vitamin K antagonists: Interaction not studied. Expected: + Daclatasvir + Warfarin

ANTICONVULSANTS: Carbamazepine, Oxcarbazepine, Phenytoin: Interaction not studied. Expected due to CYP3A4 induction by the anticonvulsant.

ANTIDEPRESSANTS: Escitalopram 10 mg once daily (daclatasvir 60 mg once daily): + Daclatasvir AUC: 1.12 (1.01, 1.26)

ANTIFUNGALS: Ketoconazole 400 mg once daily (daclatasvir 10 mg single dose): + Daclatasvir AUC: 3.00 (2.82, 3.44)

Fluconazole: Interaction not studied. Expected due to CYP3A4 inhibition by the antifungal.

ANTIMYCOBACTERIALS: Rifampicin 600 mg once daily (daclatasvir 60 mg single dose): + Daclatasvir AUC: 0.21 (0.19, 0.23)

Cardiovascular agents: Digoxin 0.125 mg once daily (daclatasvir 60 mg once daily): + Digoxin AUC: 1.27 (1.20, 1.34)

Calcium channel blockers: Diltiazem, Nifedipine, Amlodipine: Interaction not studied. Expected due to CYP3A4 inhibition by the calcium channel blocker.

Corticosteroids: Systemic dexamethasone: Interaction not studied. Expected due to CYP3A4 induction by dexamethasone.

Herbal supplements: St. John's wort (Hypericum perforatum): Interaction not studied. Expected due to CYP3A4 induction by St. John's wort.

Hormonal contraceptives: Ethinylestradiol 35 µg once daily for 21 days + norgestimate 0.180/0.215/0.250 mg once daily for 7/7/7 days (daclatasvir 60 mg once daily): + Ethinylestradiol AUC: 1.01 (0.95, 1.07)

Immunosuppressants: Cyclosporine 400 mg single dose (daclatasvir 60 mg once daily): + Daclatasvir AUC: 1.40 (1.29, 1.53)

Herbal supplements: St. John's wort (Hypericum perforatum): Interaction not studied. Expected due to CYP3A4 induction by St. John's wort.

Lipid lowering agents: Rosuvastatin 10 mg single dose (daclatasvir 60 mg once daily): + Rosuvastatin AUC: 1.58 (1.44, 1.74)

Narcotic analgesics: Buprenorphine/naloxone, 8/2 mg 24/6 mg once daily individualized dose: + Daclatasvir AUC: +*

Antibacterials: Clarithromycin, Telithromycin: Interaction not studied. Expected due to CYP3A4 inhibition by the antibacterials.

Antibacterials: Erythromycin: Interaction not studied. Expected due to CYP3A4 inhibition by the antibacterials.

Antibacterials: Azithromycin, Ciprofloxacin: Interaction not studied. Expected: + Daclatasvir + Azithromycin or Ciprofloxacin

ANTICOAGULANTS: Vitamin K antagonists: Interaction not studied

ANTICONVULSANTS: Carbamazepine, Phenytoin: Interaction not studied. Expected: + Sofosbuvir + GS-331007

ANTIMYCOBACTERIALS: Rifampicin (600 mg single dose): Sofosbuvir + C + AUC C₀₋₂₄ (NA)

Rifabutin, Rifapentine: Interaction not studied. Expected: + Sofosbuvir + GS-331007

Herbal supplements: St. John's wort (Hypericum perforatum): Interaction not studied. Expected: + Sofosbuvir + GS-331007

HBV ANTIVIRAL AGENTS: Entecavir: Interaction not studied. Based on the metabolism and clearance a clinically significant drug-drug interaction is unlikely.

HCV ANTIVIRAL AGENTS: HCV PROTEASE INHIBITORS: Boceprevir (BOC): Interaction not studied. Expected: + Sofosbuvir (BOC) + GS-331007 (BOC)

Ebavir/grazoprevir (50mg + 200mg): Sofosbuvir + AUC C₀₋₂₄ (NA)

Glecaprevir/pibrentasvir: Sofosbuvir + AUC C₀₋₂₄ (NA)

Narcotic analgesics: Methadone (Methadone maintenance therapy (30 to 130 mg/daily)): R-methadone + C₀₋₂₄ (0.85, 1.16)

Immunosuppressants: Cyclosporin (600 mg single dose): Cyclosporin + C₀₋₁₂ (0.94, 1.18)

Herbal supplements: St. John's wort (Hypericum perforatum): Interaction not studied. Expected due to CYP3A4 induction by St. John's wort.

Immunosuppressants: Cyclosporin (600 mg single dose): Cyclosporin + C₀₋₁₂ (0.94, 1.18)

Herbal supplements: St. John's wort (Hypericum perforatum): Interaction not studied. Expected due to CYP3A4 induction by St. John's wort.

Immunosuppressants: Cyclosporin (600 mg single dose): Cyclosporin + C₀₋₁₂ (0.94, 1.18)

HIV ANTIVIRAL AGENTS: REVERSE TRANSCRIPTASE INHIBITORS: Efavirenz (800 mg once daily): Efavirenz + C₀₋₂₄ (0.95 (0.85, 1.06)

Entricitabine (200 mg once daily): Entricitabine + C₀₋₂₄ (0.97 (0.88, 1.07)

Tenofovir disoproxil (245 mg once daily): Tenofovir + C₀₋₂₄ (1.25 (1.08, 1.45)

Ripivirine (25 mg once daily): Ripivirine + C₀₋₂₄ (1.05 (0.97, 1.15)

HIV ANTIVIRAL AGENTS: HIV PROTEASE INHIBITORS: Darunavir boosted with ritonavir (800/100 mg once daily): Darunavir + C₀₋₂₄ (0.97 (0.94, 1.01)

Entricitabine (200 mg once daily): Entricitabine + C₀₋₂₄ (0.97 (0.88, 1.07)

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ORAL CONTRACEPTIVES		
Norgestimate/ethinyl estradiol	Norgestimate + e C ₁ 1.06 (0.93, 1.22) + e AUC ₀₋₂₄ 1.05 (0.92, 1.20) C ₂₄ (NA)	No dose adjustment of norgestimate/ethinyl estradiol is required when sofobosuvir and norgestimate/ethinyl estradiol are used concomitantly.
Norgestrel	Norgestrel + e C ₁ 1.18 (0.99, 1.41) + e AUC ₀₋₂₄ 1.19 (0.98, 1.44) C ₂₄ (NA)	
Ethinyl estradiol	+ e C ₁ 1.14 (0.96, 1.36) + e AUC ₀₋₂₄ 1.08 (0.93, 1.25) C ₂₄ (NA)	

- NA = not available
- Mean ratio (95% CI) of co-administered drug pharmacokinetics with/without sofobosuvir and mean ratio of sofobosuvir and GS-331007 with/without co-administered drug. No effect = 1.00
 - All interaction studies conducted in healthy volunteers
 - Comparison based on historical control
 - Administered as fixed dose combination of tenofovir disoproxil, emtricitabine and efavirenz
 - Bioequivalence boundary 80%-125%
 - Equivalence boundary 70%-143%

No clinically relevant effects on the pharmacokinetics of either medicinal product are expected when daclatasvir is co-administered with any of the following PDE-5 inhibitors, medicinal products in the ACE inhibitor class (e.g. enalapril), medicinal products in the angiotensin II receptor antagonist class (e.g. losartan, ebesartan, olmesartan, candesartan, valsartan), dipyridamide, propofolone, fentanyl, dexmedetomidine, quinidine or artemisinin.

Paediatric population

Interaction studies have only been performed in adults.

4.6 Fertility, pregnancy and lactation

Women of childbearing potential / contraception in males and females

When sofobosuvir is used in combination with ribavirin or peginterferon alfa/ribavirin, extreme care must be taken to avoid pregnancy in female partners and in female partners of male patients. Significant teratogenic and/or embryocidal effects have been demonstrated in all animal species exposed to ribavirin (see section 4.4). Women of childbearing potential or their male partners must use an effective form of contraception during treatment and for a period of time after the treatment has concluded. Refer to the summary of product characteristics for ribavirin for additional information.

Pregnancy should be avoided in women treated with daclatasvir. Use of highly effective contraception should be continued for 5 weeks after completion of therapy with Sofobosuvir and Daclatasvir Tablets 400 mg/60 mg (see section 5).

Pregnancy

Daclatasvir

There are no data from the use of daclatasvir in pregnant women.

Studies of daclatasvir in animals have shown embryocidal and teratogenic effects (see section 5.3). The potential risk to humans is unknown.

Daclatasvir should not be used during pregnancy or in women of childbearing potential not using contraception (see section 4.4). Use of highly effective contraception should be continued for 5 weeks after completion of daclatasvir therapy (see section 4.5).

Daclatasvir should be used in combination with other agents, the contraindications and warnings for those medicinal products are applicable.

For detailed recommendations regarding pregnancy and contraception, refer to the Summary of Product Characteristics for Sofobosuvir and Daclatasvir Tablets 400 mg/60 mg (see section 5).

Sofobosuvir

There are no or limited amount of data (less than 300 pregnancy outcomes) from the use of sofobosuvir in pregnant women.

Animal studies do not indicate direct or indirect harmful effects with respect to reproductive toxicity. No effects on foetal development have been observed in rats and rabbits at the highest doses tested. However, it has not been possible to fully estimate exposure margins achieved for sofobosuvir in the rat relative to the exposure in humans at the recommended clinical dose (see section 5.3).

As a precautionary measure, it is preferable to avoid the use of Sofobosuvir during pregnancy.

However, if ribavirin is co-administered with sofobosuvir, the contraindications regarding use of ribavirin during pregnancy (see also the Summary of Product Characteristics for ribavirin).

Breast-feeding

It is unknown whether daclatasvir /sofobosuvir and its metabolites are excreted in human milk.

The most frequently reported adverse reactions were fatigue, headache, and nausea. Grade 3 adverse reactions were reported in less than 1% of patients, and no patients had a Grade 4 adverse reaction. Four patients discontinued the daclatasvir regimen for adverse events, only one of which was considered related to study therapy.

Fertility

No human data on the effect of daclatasvir /sofobosuvir on fertility are available. Animal studies do not indicate harmful effects on fertility.

4.7 Effects on ability to drive and use machines

Dizziness has been reported during treatment with Daclatasvir in combination with sofobosuvir, and dizziness, disturbance in attention, blurred vision and reduced visual acuity have been reported during treatment with Daclatasvir in combination with peginterferon alfa and ribavirin.

4.8 Undesirable effects

Summary of the safety profile

The overall safety profile of daclatasvir is based on data from 476 patients with chronic HCV infection who received daclatasvir once daily in combination with sofobosuvir.

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Tabulated list of adverse reactions

Adverse reactions are listed in Tables 5 by regimen, system organ class and frequency; very common (≥1/10), or common (≥1/100 to <1/10). Within each frequency grouping, adverse reactions are presented in order of decreasing seriousness.

System Organ Class	Adverse Reactions
Psychiatric disorders	insomnia
Common	
Nervous system disorders	headache
Common	dizziness, migraine
Gastrointestinal disorders	
Common	nausea, diarrhoea, abdominal pain
Musculoskeletal and connective tissue disorders	
Very common	arthralgia, myalgia
General disorders and administration site conditions	
Very common	fatigue

Laboratory abnormalities

Grade 3/4 increases in total bilirubin were observed in 5% of patients (all in patients with HIV coinfection who were receiving concomitant atazanavir, with Child-Pugh A, B, or C cirrhosis, or who were post-liver transplant).

Description of selected adverse reactions

Headache Adverse reactions are listed in Tables 5 by regimen, system organ class and frequency; very common (≥1/10), or common (≥1/100 to <1/10). Within each frequency grouping, adverse reactions are presented in order of decreasing seriousness.

There is no known antidote for overdose of daclatasvir. Treatment of overdose with daclatasvir should consist of general supportive measures, including monitoring of vital signs, and observation of the patient's clinical status. Because daclatasvir is highly protein bound (95%) and has a molecular weight ≈500, dialysis is unlikely to significantly reduce plasma concentrations of daclatasvir.

Sofobosuvir

The highest documented dose of sofobosuvir was a single supratherapeutic dose of sofobosuvir 1,200 mg administered to 50 healthy subjects. In that study, there were no unwanted effects observed at this dose level, and adverse reactions were similar in frequency and severity to those reported in the placebo and sofobosuvir 400 mg treatment groups. The effects of higher doses are unknown.

No specific antidote is available for overdose with Sofobosuvir. If overdose occurs the patient must be monitored for evidence of toxicity. Treated overdose with Sofobosuvir consists of general supportive measures including monitoring of vital signs as well as observation of the clinical status of the patient. Haemodialysis can efficiently remove (53% extraction ratio) the predominant circulating metabolite GS-331007. A 4-hour haemodialysis session removes 8% of the administered dose.

5. PHARMACOLOGICAL PROPERTIES

5.1 Pharmacodynamic properties

Daclatasvir

Pharmacotherapeutic group: Direct-acting antiviral, ATC code: J04P07

Pharmacodynamic group: Antiviral for systemic use, direct-acting antiviral; ATC code: J04S08

Mechanism of action

Daclatasvir is an inhibitor of nonstructural protein 5A (NS5A), a multifunctional protein that is an essential component of the HCV replication complex. Daclatasvir inhibits both viral RNA replication and viral assembly.

Sofobosuvir is a pan-genotypic inhibitor of the HCV NS5B RNA-dependent RNA polymerase, which is essential for viral replication. Sofobosuvir is a nucleotide prodrug that undergoes intracellular metabolism to form the pharmacologically active uridine analogue triphosphate (GS-461203), which can be incorporated into HCV RNA by the NS5B polymerase and acts as a chain terminator. In a biochemical assay, GS-461203 inhibited the polymerase activity of the recombinant NS5B from HCV genotypes 1b, 2a, 3a and 4a with a 50% inhibitory concentration (IC₅₀) value ranging from 0.7 to 2.6 µM. GS-461203 (the active metabolite of sofobosuvir) is not an inhibitor of human DNA and RNA polymerases nor an inhibitor of mitochondrial RNA polymerase.

Antiviral activity

Sofobosuvir Resistance.

In cell culture

Reduced susceptibility to sofobosuvir was associated with the primary NS5B substitution S282T in all region genotypes examined. Site-directed mutagenesis of the S282T substitution in replicons of 8 genotypes conferred 2- to 18-fold reduced susceptibility to sofobosuvir and reduced the replication cycle capacity by 89% to 99% compared to the corresponding wild-type. In biochemical assays, recombinant NS5B polymerase from genotypes 1b, 2a, 3a and 4a expressing the S282T substitution showed reduced susceptibility to GS-461203 compared to respective wild-type.

In a pooled analysis of 221 samples with post-baseline NS5B sequences and deep sequencing data (assay cutoff of 1%) the sofobosuvir-associated resistance substitution S282T was not detected by deep sequencing or population sequencing. The S282T substitution in NS5B was detected in a single subject receiving sofobosuvir monotherapy in a Phase 2 study. This subject harboured <1% HCV S282T at baseline and developed S282T (>99%) at 4 weeks post-treatment which resulted in a 13.5-fold change in sofobosuvir EC50 and reduced viral replication capacity. The S282T substitution reverted to wild-type over the next 8 weeks and was no longer detectable by deep sequencing at 12 weeks post-treatment.

Two NS5B substitutions, L159F and V321A, were detected in post-treatment release samples from multiple genotype 3 HCV infected subjects in the Phase 3 clinical studies. No shift in the phenotypic susceptibility to sofobosuvir or ribavirin of subject isolates with these substitutions was detected. In addition, S282R and L203F substitutions were detected on treatment by deep sequencing in a pre-transplant subject with a partial treatment response. The clinical significance of these findings is unknown.

Effect of baseline HCV polymorphisms on treatment outcome.

Baseline NS5B sequences were obtained for 1,292 subjects from Phase 3 studies by population sequencing and the S282T substitution was not detected. No statistically significant association was observed between the presence of any HCV NS5B variant at baseline and treatment outcome.

Baseline population.

Baseline NS5B sequences were obtained for 47 patients in the Phase 2 study. Among these, one patient was found to have a NS5B RAV substitution (F288L). This patient achieved SVR12.

GS03-01931409C.

HCV replicons expressing the sofobosuvir-associated resistance substitution S282T were fully susceptible to other classes of anti-HCV agents. Sofobosuvir retained activity against the NS5B substitutions L159F and L203F associated with resistance to other nucleoside inhibitors.

Sofobosuvir was fully active against substitutions associated with resistance to other direct-acting antiviral with different mechanisms of actions, such as NS5B non-nucleoside inhibitors, NS5A protease inhibitors and NS5A inhibitors.

Clinical efficacy and safety

A WHO-commissioned systematic review identified 142 clinical studies that evaluated the safety and efficacy of various FDA- and EMA-approved DAA regimens, including sofobosuvir/daclatasvir.

Sofobosuvir/daclatasvir in HCV infected adults without cirrhosis:

In a combined analysis of treatment-naïve and treatment-experienced persons treated with sofobosuvir/daclatasvir, the pooled SVR rates exceeded 92% for infection with genotypes 1, 2, 3 and 4. Data from an observational study (NS5F demonstration project) provided information on the less commonly reported genotypes 5 and 6. A total of eight patients with genotype 5 and 123 patients with genotype 6 infection were treated with sofobosuvir/daclatasvir for 12 weeks. SVR rates were 88% and 94% for genotypes 5 and 6 respectively.

Sofobosuvir/daclatasvir in HCV infected adults with compensated cirrhosis:

In a combined analysis of treatment-naïve and treatment-experienced persons with compensated cirrhosis (Child Pugh A or B) treated with sofobosuvir/daclatasvir for 12 weeks, the pooled SVR rates exceeded 93% for infection with genotypes 1 and 2. SVR rates for infection with genotype 3 were low, ranging from 79% to 82%. However, after 24 weeks of treatment, SVR rates increased to 90%. Data from an observational study (NSF demonstration project) provided information on genotypes 5 and 6, and real-world data from Egypt provided information on genotype 4. One cirrhotic person with genotype 5 infection treated with sofobosuvir/daclatasvir for 12 weeks reached SVR. Among 185 cirrhotic persons with genotype 6 infection treated with sofobosuvir/daclatasvir for 12 weeks, 92% reached SVR. Cirrhotic persons with genotype 4 infection had SVR rates that exceeded 98% after 12 weeks of treatment.

Sofobosuvir/daclatasvir in HCV infected adults with decompensated cirrhosis:

These are currently insufficient data to provide definitive treatment guidelines for HCV infected adults with decompensated cirrhosis (Child Pugh C). It is recommended that such individuals are treated with sofobosuvir/daclatasvir for 24 weeks using the same regimen as used for individuals with compensated cirrhosis.

HCV/HIV co-infection

HCV treatment outcomes with daclatasvir/sofobosuvir are comparable in persons with HIV/HCV coinfection to those with HCV monoinfection. Because DAAs are safe and effective for people with HIV/HCV, there is no longer any need to consider them as a special or difficult-to-treat population. However, there are important DDIs (drug-drug interactions) with paraneoplastic HIV regimens and antiretroviral therapies for HIV. Therefore, checking for DDIs between HCV and HIV medications should be emphasized. The dose of daclatasvir may need to be increased or decreased when used concomitantly with cytochrome P450 3A/4 inducers and inhibitors, respectively. See Section 4.5.

Safety of Sofobosuvir/daclatasvir

Treatment discontinuation due to adverse events was very low in persons without and with cirrhosis (<1%). Similar results were observed in treatment-naïve and treatment-experienced persons.

Long term efficacy data

In a follow-up study of 258 patients who achieved SVR12 with daclatasvir and sofobosuvir with a median duration of post-SVR12 follow-up of 38 months, no relapses occurred (with relapses defined as confirmed or last available HCV RNA ≥ LOD).

Impact of baseline NS5A RAVs on cure rates

Baseline NS5A resistance-associated variants (RAVs) had no major impact on cure rates in patients treated with sofobosuvir + daclatasvir, with the exception of the Y93H/RASV in genotype 3 infection (seen in 16/182 [8%] of patients). The SVR12 rate in genotype-3 infected patients with this RAV is reduced (in practice as relapse after end of treatment response), especially in patients with cirrhosis. The overall cure rate for genotype-3 infected patients who were treated for 12 weeks with sofobosuvir + daclatasvir in the presence and absence of the Y93H RAV was 7/13 (54%) and 134/142 (95%), respectively.

Paediatric population

No data are available on the safety and efficacy of daclatasvir in children and adolescents aged below 18 years (see section 4.2).

5.2 Pharmacokinetic properties

The absorption characteristics of daclatasvir have been determined after administration of one daclatasvir (as dihydrochloride) 60 mg tablet in healthy volunteers in the fasting state as follows:

Pharmacokinetic variable	Mean value* (standard deviation)
Daclatasvir	
Maximum concentration (C _{max})	2.003 ± 0.492 µg/mL
Area under the curve (AUC _{0-∞}) - a measure of the extent of absorption	21.786 ± 6.267 µg/h/mL
Time to attain maximum concentration (T _{max})	1.28 ± 0.54 h
*arithmetic mean	
Pharmacokinetics of daclatasvir	

Daclatasvir	
General	The pharmacokinetic properties of daclatasvir were evaluated in healthy adult subjects and in patients with chronic HCV.
Absorption	
Absolute bioavailability	The absolute bioavailability of the tablet formulation is 67%.
Oral bioavailability	At least 67%
Food effect	AUC _{0-∞} C _{max} T _{max}
	With high-fat meal 23% 28% NA*
	With light meal No change No change NA*
Distribution	Volume of distribution (mean) Approximately 47 L.
Plasma protein binding	Approximately 99% (independent of dose between 1 mg to 100 mg)
Tissue distribution	Active and passive transport into hepatocytes.
Metabolism	Substrate of CYP3A with CYP3A4 being the major isozyme responsible for metabolism.
Active metabolite(s)	None.
Elimination	General note Daclatasvir is mainly cleared by the liver.
Elimination half life	12 to 15 h
Mean systemic clearance (ClF)	4.24 L/h
% of dose excreted in urine	6.6% (primarily as unchanged drug)
% of dose excreted in faeces	88% (53% as unchanged drug)
Pharmacokinetic linearly	Daclatasvir C _{max} , AUC and C ₁₂ increase in a near dose-proportional manner
Drug interactions (in vitro)	N/A
Transporters	In vitro and in vivo studies showed that daclatasvir is a substrate of P-gp. Daclatasvir is an inhibitor of P-gp, OATP 1B1 and BCRP
	Active transport into hepatocytes by OCT1 and other unidentified uptake transporters.
	In vitro daclatasvir is an inhibitor of renal uptake transporters, OAT1 and 3, and OCT2, but is not expected to have a clinical effect on the pharmacokinetics of substrates of these transporters.
Metabolizing enzymes	In vitro and in vivo studies demonstrate that daclatasvir is a substrate of CYP3A, with CYP3A4 being the major CYP isozyme responsible for the metabolism. Daclatasvir in vitro did not inhibit CYP enzymes 1A2, 2B6, 2C8, 2C9, 2C19, or 2D6.
	*information not available

higher when sofobosuvir was dosed 1 hour before haemodialysis compared with 60% higher when sofobosuvir was dosed 1 hour after haemodialysis. The AUC_{0-∞} of GS-331007 in subjects with ESRD could not be reliably determined. However, data indicate at least 10-fold and 20-fold higher exposure to GS-331007 in ESRD compared to normal subjects when Sofobosuvir 400 mg film-coated tablets was administered 1 hour before or 1 hour after haemodialysis, respectively.

Haemodialysis can efficiently remove (53% extraction ratio) the predominant circulating metabolite GS-331007. A 4-hour haemodialysis session removed approximately 18% of administered dose. No dose adjustment is required for patients with mild or moderate renal impairment. The safety of Sofobosuvir 400 mg film-coated tablets has not been assessed in patients with severe renal impairment or ESRD (see section 4.4).

Hepatic impairment

Paediatric population

Daclatasvir

The pharmacokinetics of daclatasvir following a single 30 mg oral dose were studied in non-HCV infected subjects with mild (Child-Pugh A), moderate (Child-Pugh B), and severe (Child-Pugh C) hepatic impairment compared with unimpaired subjects. The C_{max} and AUC of total daclatasvir (free and pro-drug-bound drug) were lower in subjects with hepatic impairment; however, hepatic impairment did not have a clinically significant effect on the free drug concentrations of daclatasvir (see section 4.2).

Sofobosuvir

The pharmacokinetics of sofobosuvir were studied following 7-day dosing of 400 mg sofobosuvir in HCV infected subjects with moderate and severe hepatic impairment (Child-Pugh class B and C). Relative to subjects with normal hepatic function, the sofobosuvir AUC_{0-∞} was 128% and 143% higher in moderate and severe hepatic impairment, while the GS-331007 AUC_{0-∞} was 18% and 9% higher, respectively. Population pharmacokinetics analysis in HCV infected subjects indicated that cirrhosis had no clinically relevant effect on the exposure to sofobosuvir and GS-331007. No dose adjustment of sofobosuvir is recommended for patients with mild, moderate and severe hepatic impairment (see section 4.2).

Paediatric population

The pharmacokinetics of daclatasvir in paediatric patients have not been evaluated.

Sofobosuvir

Sofobosuvir and GS-331007 exposures in adolescents aged 12 to <18 years were similar to those in adults from Phase 2/3 studies following administration of sofobosuvir (400 mg). The pharmacokinetics of sofobosuvir and GS-331007 have not been established in paediatric patients < 12 years of age.

Pharmacokinetic/pharmacodynamic relationships(s)

Efficacy, in terms of rapid virologic response, has been shown to correlate with exposure to sofobosuvir as well as GS-331007. However, neither of these entities has been evidenced to be a general surrogate marker for efficacy (SVR12) at the therapeutic 400 mg dose.

Biorequivalence study

Pharmacokinetic Results:

		Daclatasvir n = 58		
Parameter	Arithmetic Mean (SD) A = Mylan	Arithmetic Mean (SD) B = SOVALDI [®]	LSMEANS Ratio (A/B)**	90% Confidence Interval**
AUC ₀₋₁₂ (ng•hr/mL)	13541 (37.66)	13209 (40.16)	1.03	99.53% - 106.85%
AUC ₀₋₂₄ (ng•hr/mL)	14125 (38.64)	13711 (40.59)	1.03	99.46% - 106.69%
CPEAK (ng/mL)	1326 (35.53)	1312 (37.79)	1.02	97.02% - 106.42%
KEL (hr ⁻¹)	0.0701 (20.79)	0.0707 (20.02)		
HALFLIFE (hr)	10.37 (25.60)	10.22 (21.58)		
TPPEAK (hr)	1.307 (63.59)	1.566 (67.52)		
** Ratio (A/B) = e ^{-0.8104 ln(0.933-0.8101)}				
** *Natural Log Transformed Parameter				

		Sofobosuvir n = 58		
Parameter	Arithmetic Mean (SD) A = Mylan	Arithmetic Mean (SD) B = SOVALDI [®]	LSMEANS Ratio (A/B)**	90% Confidence Interval**
AUC ₀₋₁₂ (ng•hr/mL)	1179 (47.57)	1221 (43.39)	0.95	89.75% - 100.06%
AUC ₀₋₂₄ (ng•hr/mL)	1196 (47.15)	1237 (42.88)	0.95*	90.30% - 100.52%*
CPEAK (ng/mL)	1228 (46.29)	1269 (44.00)	0.96	85.74% - 106.53%
KEL (hr ⁻¹)	1.532 (25.47)*	1.609 (22.86)		
HALFLIFE (hr)	0.488 (32.82)*	0.455 (25.22)		
TPPEAK (hr)	0.866 (78.35)	0.835 (66.97)		
* n = 57				
** *Ratio (A/B) = e ^{-0.8104 ln(0.933-0.8101)}				
** *Natural Log Transformed Parameter				

5.3 Preclinical safety data

Sofobosuvir

In repeat dose toxicology studies in rat and dog, high doses of the 1:1 diastereomeric mixture caused adverse liver (dog) and heart (rat) effects and gastrointestinal reactions (dog). Exposure to sofobosuvir in rodent studies could not be sustained due to high test article activity; however, exposure to the major metabolite GS-331007 at the adverse dose was 29 times (rat) and 123 times (dog) higher than the clinical exposure at 400 mg sofobosuvir. No liver or heart findings were observed in chronic toxicity studies at exposures 9 times (rat) and 27 times (dog) higher than the clinical exposure.

Sofobosuvir was not genotoxic in a battery of *in vitro* or *in vivo* assays, including bacterial mutagenicity, chromosome aberration using human peripheral blood lymphocytes and *in vivo* micronucleus assays.

Carcinogenicity studies in mice and rats do not indicate any carcinogenic potential of sofobosuvir administered at doses up to 600 mg/kg/day in mouse and 750 mg/kg/day in rat. Exposure to GS-331007 in these studies was up to 30 times (mouse) and 15 times (rat) higher than the clinical exposure at 400 mg sofobosuvir.