Overview of Systemic mastocytosis (SM)

Abbreviated Disease State Overview
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How systemic mastocytosis develops

Mast cells

- Mast cells express *KIT*, a tyrosine kinase receptor\(^1,3\).

**KIT D816V mutation driven mast cell proliferation**

- In ~95% of cases, the *KIT D816V mutation* can lead to over proliferation and survival of mast cells\(^3\).

Symptoms of systemic mastocytosis

- Systemic activation of mast cells can lead to debilitating, life-threatening symptoms, including, but not limited to: unpredictable anaphylaxis, maculopapular rash, pruritis, diarrhea, cognitive impairment, fatigue, and bone pain\(^3\).

Symptom-directed therapies do not address the underlying cause of disease, offer limited control of disease, and do not prevent organ damage\(^4-7\).

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Non-advanced systemic mastocytosis represents ~80-90% of patients with SM\textsuperscript{1,2}

- Prevalence of systemic mastocytosis is estimated at \textasciitilde1 in 10,000 adults\textsuperscript{1}

- According to registry data (n=1454), the majority of patients with non-advanced systemic mastocytosis present with ISM (~95%) and ~5% present with SSM\textsuperscript{2}

ASM, aggressive systemic mastocytosis; ISM, indolent systemic mastocytosis; MCL, mast cell leukemia; SM, systemic mastocytosis; SM-AHN, systemic mastocytosis with associated hematological neoplasm; SSM, smoldering systemic mastocytosis; BMM, bone marrow mastocytosis; WHO, World Health Organization.

Systemic mastocytosis can affect several parts of the body⁴,⁵

- **Cardiovascular:** syncope, dizziness, palpitations⁴
- **Gastrointestinal:** nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, abdominal cramps, heartburn⁴
- **Musculoskeletal:** osteopenia, osteoporosis, osteoporotic fractures, back pain, bone pain⁴
- **Neurologic:** memory/cognitive difficulties, depression, headache, sleep disturbance⁴
- **Anaphylaxis:** (hypotension; angioedema) Hymenoptera stings, drugs, food⁴
- **Constitutional:** generalized weakness, fatigue, arthralgias, myalgias, sweats, chills⁴

These symptoms represent the clinical spectrum of systemic mastocytosis and symptoms may vary in individuals, based on the type of systemic mastocytosis and aggressiveness of the disease.⁴,⁵

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Challenges in recognizing SM often result in misdiagnosis and prolonged time to diagnosis\textsuperscript{1,2}

The initial symptoms of SM are heterogeneous and nonspecific, resulting in patients presenting to a diverse group of healthcare specialists and challenges in diagnosis\textsuperscript{1,2}

Some patients may remain undiagnosed until they are exposed to triggers (e.g., insect sting) and experience anaphylactic reactions or even death\textsuperscript{3,4}

Mean time from initial symptom onset to diagnosis\textsuperscript{1,2}

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\text{4 years} & \quad \text{≈6 years} & \quad \text{8 years}
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A high index of clinical suspicion is needed to avoid misdiagnosis and delayed treatment\textsuperscript{5}

\text{ISM, indolent systemic mastocytosis; SM, systemic mastocytosis; SSM, smoldering systemic mastocytosis; MCAS, mast cell activation syndrome.}\n
\text{\textsuperscript{a}In a Blueprint Medicines study, US adults with a self-reported SM diagnosis (N=56) completed an online survey of 100 items, including the 12-item Short-Form Health Survey, the ISM Symptom Assessment Form, and the Work Productivity and Activity Impairment Questionnaire, as well as questions about disease impact; results were analyzed using descriptive statistics.}\n
Hallmark symptoms may warrant investigation of systemic mastocytosis

- Anaphylaxis with hypotension and syncope can occur\(^1\)
- 50% of adult patients with SM experience recurrent or unexplained anaphylaxis\(^2,3\)

- Maculopapular lesions with Darier’s sign is a highly specific diagnostic feature\(^2\)
- Wheal-and-flare reaction is elicited by stroking lesion with a tongue spatula\(^2,a\)

- Many patients report nausea, vomiting and/or diarrhea\(^1,4\)
- Symptoms can be unpredictable and severe\(^1,4\)

Per WHO guidelines, it is recommended to test for serum tryptase and **KIT D816V** at the first sign of the disease\(^3,5\)

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\(^1\)Reprinted from Hartmann K et al. *J Allergy Clin Immunol.* 2016;137(1):35–45. Copyright 2016, with permission from Elsevier.\(^2\)

High Sensitivity \textit{KIT} D816V Testing Labs & Blueprint Medicines Biomarker Testing Program

Supplementary Slides
Commercial laboratories currently offering high-sensitivity
\textit{KIT} D816V assays\textsuperscript{1-5,a}

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\textsuperscript{a}KIT D816V mutational analysis on the bone marrow aspirate is particularly useful to establish the diagnosis of SM in patients with low mast cell burden, those with limited systemic disease who may have serum tryptase levels <20 ng/mL and lack multifocal mast cell clusters in a bone marrow biopsy.\textsuperscript{7} \textsuperscript{1}The KIT D816V Digital PCR test by Labcorp is also used by Blueprint’s Biomarker Testing Program.

Blueprint’s biomarker testing program for systemic mastocytosis

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**Blueprint’s Biomarker Testing Program** is sponsored by Blueprint Medicines as a way to help people and their doctors make more informed decisions about their health. Through this program, Blueprint Medicines, under an arrangement with Labcorp, makes KIT D816V testing available at no charge for patients who are being evaluated for systemic mastocytosis. Program eligibility criteria apply. To learn more about eligibility, please visit www.oncology.labcorp.com/blueprintsm.

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- No payers, including government payers, are billed for this program.

*Terms and conditions, including eligibility criteria apply. The KIT D816V test will be provided at no cost to patients, healthcare providers, and payers through this program. Excludes office visit, sample collection for tests not associated with this program, and any other related costs to patients. Labcorp will not bill the eligible patient’s insurance for KIT D816V test, however, Labcorp will bill selected payer(s) for other testing services ordered.
*Terms and conditions apply. Testing performed by Labcorp. While Blueprint Medicines provides financial support, Blueprint Medicines assumes no liability and provides no warranties for the testing services provided by independent third parties. See Labcorp website for full program details and program eligibility.

PCR, polymerase chain reaction.

ddPCR demonstrated 30-fold greater sensitivity over NGS for measuring *KIT* D816V MAF*1

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<td>11 (28)</td>
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The high-sensitivity ddPCR assay method demonstrated:

- *KIT* D816V mutation detection in 95% of PB samples from patients with previously confirmed ISM
- 30-fold greater sensitivity over NGS for measuring VAF; median percentage VAF (range) was 0.36 (0.02–30.22) by ddPCR and 11 (1.9–32) by NGS
- Greater diagnostic sensitivity for ISM compared with serum tryptase >20 ng/mL (77%) and presence of BM MC aggregates (90%)

*Data are from a Blueprint Medicines clinical study in systemic mastocytosis. Results were expressed as the percentage of patient PB samples testing positive for *KIT* D816V mutation (all genomic assays) and the log percent of MAF as measured by both central assay methods. NGS data at screening and ddPCR values at C1D1 were plotted for the scatter graph.

BM, bone marrow; ddPCR, droplet digital PCR; ISM, indolent systemic mastocytosis; LOD, limit of detection; MC, mast cell; NGS, next-generation sequencing; PB, peripheral blood; PCR, polymerase chain reaction; VAF, variant allele frequency.