

## HIGHLIGHTS OF PRESCRIBING INFORMATION

These highlights do not include all the information needed to use AVASTIN safely and effectively. See full prescribing information for AVASTIN.

AVASTIN® (bevacizumab) injection, for intravenous use  
Initial U.S. Approval: 2004

### -----RECENT MAJOR CHANGES-----

Indications and Usage, Hepatocellular Carcinoma (1.7)	5/2020
Dosage and Administration (2.1)	12/2020
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Warnings and Precautions (5.3, 5.9)	5/2020

### -----INDICATIONS AND USAGE-----

Avastin is a vascular endothelial growth factor inhibitor indicated for the treatment of:

- Metastatic colorectal cancer, in combination with intravenous fluorouracil-based chemotherapy for first- or second-line treatment. (1.1)
- Metastatic colorectal cancer, in combination with fluoropyrimidine-irinotecan- or fluoropyrimidine-oxaliplatin-based chemotherapy for second-line treatment in patients who have progressed on a first-line Avastin-containing regimen. (1.1)

**Limitations of Use:** Avastin is not indicated for adjuvant treatment of colon cancer. (1.1)

- Unresectable, locally advanced, recurrent or metastatic non-squamous non-small cell lung cancer, in combination with carboplatin and paclitaxel for first-line treatment. (1.2)
- Recurrent glioblastoma in adults. (1.3)
- Metastatic renal cell carcinoma in combination with interferon alfa. (1.4)
- Persistent, recurrent, or metastatic cervical cancer, in combination with paclitaxel and cisplatin, or paclitaxel and topotecan. (1.5)
- Epithelial ovarian, fallopian tube, or primary peritoneal cancer:
  - in combination with carboplatin and paclitaxel, followed by Avastin as a single agent, for stage III or IV disease following initial surgical resection (1.6)
  - in combination with paclitaxel, pegylated liposomal doxorubicin, or topotecan for platinum-resistant recurrent disease who received no more than 2 prior chemotherapy regimens (1.6)
  - in combination with carboplatin and paclitaxel or carboplatin and gemcitabine, followed by Avastin as a single agent, for platinum-sensitive recurrent disease (1.6)
- Hepatocellular Carcinoma (HCC)
  - in combination with atezolizumab for the treatment of patients with unresectable or metastatic HCC who have not received prior systemic therapy (1.7)

### -----DOSAGE AND ADMINISTRATION-----

Withhold for at least 28 days prior to elective surgery. Do not administer Avastin for 28 days following major surgery and until adequate wound healing. (2.1)

Metastatic colorectal cancer (2.2)

- 5 mg/kg every 2 weeks with bolus-IFL
- 10 mg/kg every 2 weeks with FOLFOX4
- 5 mg/kg every 2 weeks or 7.5 mg/kg every 3 weeks with fluoropyrimidine-irinotecan- or fluoropyrimidine-oxaliplatin-based chemotherapy after progression on a first-line Avastin containing regimen

First-line non-squamous non-small cell lung cancer (2.3)

- 15 mg/kg every 3 weeks with carboplatin and paclitaxel

Recurrent glioblastoma (2.4)

- 10 mg/kg every 2 weeks

Metastatic renal cell carcinoma (2.5)

- 10 mg/kg every 2 weeks with interferon alfa

Persistent, recurrent, or metastatic cervical cancer (2.6)

- 15 mg/kg every 3 weeks with paclitaxel and cisplatin, or paclitaxel and topotecan

Stage III or IV epithelial ovarian, fallopian tube or primary peritoneal cancer following initial surgical resection (2.7)

- 15 mg/kg every 3 weeks with carboplatin and paclitaxel for up to 6 cycles, followed by 15 mg/kg every 3 weeks as a single agent, for a total of up to 22 cycles

Platinum-resistant recurrent epithelial ovarian, fallopian tube or primary peritoneal cancer (2.7)

- 10 mg/kg every 2 weeks with paclitaxel, pegylated liposomal doxorubicin, or topotecan given every week
  - 15 mg/kg every 3 weeks with topotecan given every 3 weeks
- Platinum-sensitive recurrent epithelial ovarian, fallopian tube, or primary peritoneal cancer (2.7)

- 15 mg/kg every 3 weeks with carboplatin and paclitaxel for 6-8 cycles, followed by 15 mg/kg every 3 weeks as a single agent
- 15 mg/kg every 3 weeks with carboplatin and gemcitabine for 6-10 cycles, followed by 15 mg/kg every 3 weeks as a single agent

Hepatocellular Carcinoma (2.8)

- 15 mg/kg after administration of 1,200 mg of atezolizumab every 3 weeks
- Administer as an intravenous infusion. (2.10)

### -----DOSAGE FORMS AND STRENGTHS-----

Injection: 100 mg/4 mL (25 mg/mL) or 400 mg/16 mL (25 mg/mL) in a single-dose vial (3)

### -----CONTRAINDICATIONS-----

None (4)

### -----WARNINGS AND PRECAUTIONS-----

- **Gastrointestinal Perforations and Fistula:** Discontinue for gastrointestinal perforations, tracheoesophageal fistula, grade 4 fistula, or fistula formation involving any organ (5.1)
- **Surgery and Wound Healing Complications:** In patients who experience wound healing complications during Avastin treatment, withhold Avastin until adequate wound healing. Withhold for at least 28 days prior to elective surgery. Do not administer Avastin for at least 28 days following a major surgery, and until adequate wound healing. The safety of resumption of AVASTIN after resolution of wound healing complication has not been established. Discontinue for wound healing complication of necrotizing fasciitis. (5.2)
- **Hemorrhage:** Severe or fatal hemorrhages have occurred. Do not administer for recent hemoptysis. Discontinue for Grade 3-4 hemorrhage (5.3)
- **Arterial Thromboembolic Events (ATE):** Discontinue for severe ATE. (5.4)
- **Venous Thromboembolic Events (VTE):** Discontinue for Grade 4 VTE. (5.5)
- **Hypertension:** Monitor blood pressure and treat hypertension. Withhold if not medically controlled; resume once controlled. Discontinue for hypertensive crisis or hypertensive encephalopathy. (5.6)
- **Posterior Reversible Encephalopathy Syndrome (PRES):** Discontinue. (5.7)
- **Renal Injury and Proteinuria:** Monitor urine protein. Discontinue for nephrotic syndrome. Withhold until less than 2 grams of protein in urine. (5.8)
- **Infusion-Related Reactions:** Decrease rate for infusion-related reactions. Discontinue for severe infusion-related reactions and administer medical therapy. (5.9)
- **Embryo-Fetal Toxicity:** May cause fetal harm. Advise females of potential risk to fetus and need for use of effective contraception. (5.10, 8.1, 8.3)
- **Ovarian Failure:** Advise females of the potential risk. (5.11, 8.3)
- **Congestive Heart Failure (CHF):** Discontinue Avastin in patients who develop CHF. (5.12)

### -----ADVERSE REACTIONS-----

Most common adverse reactions incidence (incidence > 10%) are epistaxis, headache, hypertension, rhinitis, proteinuria, taste alteration, dry skin, hemorrhage, lacrimation disorder, back pain and exfoliative dermatitis. (6.1)

**To report SUSPECTED ADVERSE REACTIONS, contact Genentech, Inc. at 1-888-835-2555 or FDA at 1-800-FDA-1088 or [www.fda.gov/medwatch](http://www.fda.gov/medwatch).**

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Lactation: Advise not to breastfeed. (8.2)

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## FULL PRESCRIBING INFORMATION

### 1 INDICATIONS AND USAGE

#### 1.1 Metastatic Colorectal Cancer

Avastin, in combination with intravenous fluorouracil-based chemotherapy, is indicated for the first-or second-line treatment of patients with metastatic colorectal cancer (mCRC).

Avastin, in combination with fluoropyrimidine-irinotecan- or fluoropyrimidine-oxaliplatin-based chemotherapy, is indicated for the second-line treatment of patients with mCRC who have progressed on a first-line Avastin-containing regimen.

Limitations of Use: Avastin is not indicated for adjuvant treatment of colon cancer [see *Clinical Studies (14.2)*].

#### 1.2 First-Line Non-Squamous Non-Small Cell Lung Cancer

Avastin, in combination with carboplatin and paclitaxel, is indicated for the first-line treatment of patients with unresectable, locally advanced, recurrent or metastatic non-squamous non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC).

#### 1.3 Recurrent Glioblastoma

Avastin is indicated for the treatment of recurrent glioblastoma (GBM) in adults.

#### 1.4 Metastatic Renal Cell Carcinoma

Avastin, in combination with interferon alfa, is indicated for the treatment of metastatic renal cell carcinoma (mRCC).

#### 1.5 Persistent, Recurrent, or Metastatic Cervical Cancer

Avastin, in combination with paclitaxel and cisplatin or paclitaxel and topotecan, is indicated for the treatment of patients with persistent, recurrent, or metastatic cervical cancer.

#### 1.6 Epithelial Ovarian, Fallopian Tube, or Primary Peritoneal Cancer

Avastin, in combination with carboplatin and paclitaxel, followed by Avastin as a single agent, is indicated for the treatment of patients with stage III or IV epithelial ovarian, fallopian tube, or primary peritoneal cancer following initial surgical resection.

Avastin, in combination with paclitaxel, pegylated liposomal doxorubicin, or topotecan, is indicated for the treatment of patients with platinum-resistant recurrent epithelial ovarian, fallopian tube or primary peritoneal cancer who received no more than 2 prior chemotherapy regimens.

Avastin, in combination with carboplatin and paclitaxel, or with carboplatin and gemcitabine, followed by Avastin as a single agent, is indicated for the treatment of patients with platinum-sensitive recurrent epithelial ovarian, fallopian tube, or primary peritoneal cancer.

#### 1.7 Hepatocellular Carcinoma

Avastin, in combination with atezolizumab, is indicated for the treatment of patients with unresectable or metastatic hepatocellular carcinoma (HCC) who have not received prior systemic therapy.

### 2 DOSAGE AND ADMINISTRATION

#### 2.1 Important Administration Information

Withhold for at least 28 days prior to elective surgery. Do not administer Avastin until at least 28 days following major surgery and until adequate wound healing.

## 2.2 Metastatic Colorectal Cancer

The recommended dosage when Avastin is administered in combination with intravenous fluorouracil-based chemotherapy is:

- 5 mg/kg intravenously every 2 weeks in combination with bolus-IFL.
- 10 mg/kg intravenously every 2 weeks in combination with FOLFOX4.
- 5 mg/kg intravenously every 2 weeks or 7.5 mg/kg intravenously every 3 weeks in combination with fluoropyrimidine-irinotecan- or fluoropyrimidine-oxaliplatin-based chemotherapy in patients who have progressed on a first-line Avastin-containing regimen.

## 2.3 First-Line Non-Squamous Non-Small Cell Lung Cancer

The recommended dosage is 15 mg/kg intravenously every 3 weeks in combination with carboplatin and paclitaxel.

## 2.4 Recurrent Glioblastoma

The recommended dosage is 10 mg/kg intravenously every 2 weeks.

## 2.5 Metastatic Renal Cell Carcinoma

The recommended dosage is 10 mg/kg intravenously every 2 weeks in combination with interferon alfa.

## 2.6 Persistent, Recurrent, or Metastatic Cervical Cancer

The recommended dosage is 15 mg/kg intravenously every 3 weeks in combination with paclitaxel and cisplatin or in combination with paclitaxel and topotecan.

## 2.7 Epithelial Ovarian, Fallopian Tube or Primary Peritoneal Cancer

### Stage III or IV Disease Following Initial Surgical Resection

The recommended dosage is 15 mg/kg intravenously every 3 weeks in combination with carboplatin and paclitaxel for up to 6 cycles, followed by Avastin 15 mg/kg every 3 weeks as a single agent for a total of up to 22 cycles or until disease progression, whichever occurs earlier.

### Recurrent Disease

#### *Platinum Resistant*

The recommended dosage is 10 mg/kg intravenously every 2 weeks in combination with paclitaxel, pegylated liposomal doxorubicin, or topotecan (every week).

The recommended dosage is 15 mg/kg intravenously every 3 weeks in combination with topotecan (every 3 weeks).

#### *Platinum Sensitive*

The recommended dosage is 15 mg/kg intravenously every 3 weeks, in combination with carboplatin and paclitaxel for 6 to 8 cycles, followed by Avastin 15 mg/kg every 3 weeks as a single agent until disease progression.

The recommended dosage is 15 mg/kg intravenously every 3 weeks, in combination with carboplatin and gemcitabine for 6 to 10 cycles, followed by Avastin 15 mg/kg every 3 weeks as a single agent until disease progression.

## 2.8 Hepatocellular Carcinoma

The recommended dosage is 15 mg/kg intravenously after administration of 1,200 mg of atezolizumab intravenously on the same day, every 3 weeks until disease progression or unacceptable toxicity.

Refer to the Prescribing Information for atezolizumab prior to initiation for recommended dosage information.

## 2.9 Dosage Modifications for Adverse Reactions

Table 1 describes dosage modifications for specific adverse reactions. No dose reductions for Avastin are recommended.

**Table 1: Dosage Modifications for Adverse Reactions**

Adverse Reaction	Severity	Dosage Modification
Gastrointestinal Perforations and Fistulae [see Warnings and Precautions (5.1)].	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Gastrointestinal perforation, any grade</li> <li>Tracheoesophageal fistula, any grade</li> <li>Fistula, Grade 4</li> <li>Fistula formation involving any internal organ</li> </ul>	Discontinue Avastin
Wound Healing Complications [see Warnings and Precautions (5.2)].	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Any</li> </ul>	Withhold AVASTIN until adequate wound healing. The safety of resumption of AVASTIN after resolution of wound healing complications has not been established.
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Necrotizing fasciitis</li> </ul>	Discontinue Avastin
Hemorrhage [see Warnings and Precautions (5.3)].	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Grade 3 or 4</li> </ul>	Discontinue Avastin
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Recent history of hemoptysis of 1/2 teaspoon (2.5 mL) or more</li> </ul>	Withhold Avastin
Thromboembolic Events [see Warnings and Precautions (5.4, 5.5)].	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Arterial thromboembolism, severe</li> </ul>	Discontinue Avastin
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Venous thromboembolism, Grade 4</li> </ul>	Discontinue Avastin
Hypertension [see Warnings and Precautions (5.6)].	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Hypertensive crisis</li> <li>Hypertensive encephalopathy</li> </ul>	Discontinue Avastin
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Hypertension, severe</li> </ul>	Withhold Avastin if not controlled with medical management; resume once controlled
Posterior Reversible Encephalopathy Syndrome (PRES) [see Warnings and Precautions (5.7)].	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Any</li> </ul>	Discontinue Avastin
Renal Injury and Proteinuria [see Warnings and Precautions (5.8)].	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Nephrotic syndrome</li> </ul>	Discontinue Avastin
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Proteinuria greater than or equal to 2 grams per 24 hours in absence of nephrotic syndrome</li> </ul>	Withhold Avastin until proteinuria less than 2 grams per 24 hours
Infusion-Related Reactions [see Warnings and Precautions (5.9)].	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Severe</li> </ul>	Discontinue Avastin
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Clinically significant</li> </ul>	Interrupt infusion; resume at a decreased rate of infusion after symptoms resolve
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mild, clinically insignificant</li> </ul>	Decrease infusion rate
Congestive Heart Failure [see Warnings and Precautions (5.12)].	Any	Discontinue Avastin

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