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DOCUMENT HISTORY

Document	Date of Issue	Summary of Change
Protocol Amendment 06	25-Jul-2024	Due to a slowdown in the accrual rate of overall survival (OS) events, which will cause a significant delay to reach the planned number of events for descriptive final analysis, a decision was made to change to a time-bound descriptive final OS analysis to close the study. This analysis will be conducted with approximately 9 years median follow up.
Protocol Amendment 05	10-Jun-2021	Protocol amendment is being implemented to provide clarity and consistency between the Synopsis section and the body of Revised Protocol 04 with regard to a dosing option that is available to all participants on nivolumab treatment.
Revised Protocol 04	23-Dec-2020	Protocol revision is being implemented to provide flexibility to the dosing schedule for patients currently enrolled in the study. In addition, other minor editorial changes were incorporated.
Administrative Letter 02	30-Apr-2019	Updated study personnel
Revised Protocol 03	13-Nov-2017	Incorporates Amendment 14
Amendment 14	13-Nov-2017	<p>Protocol amendment is being implemented to provide modifications to the protocol based on recommendations of the study's independent Data Monitoring Committee (DMC) after their review of the planned interim analysis of overall survival (OS), which met the pre-specified boundary for statistical significance for the co-primary endpoint of OS.</p> <p>As a result of the DMC assessment, this protocol amendment is being implemented to provide a mechanism for eligible subjects randomized to sunitinib treatment (Arm B) to receive nivolumab combined with ipilimumab therapy in a crossover extension phase.</p> <p>This amendment also provides the options for Arm A subjects to: 1) switch to a flat dose of nivolumab at 240 mg every 2 weeks if they are currently receiving nivolumab 3 mg/kg every 2 weeks and 2) discontinue treatment after 2 years even in the absence of disease progression or unacceptable toxicity.</p> <p>Protocol amendment also indicates that the interim analysis results should be considered the final primary analysis results of the protocol.</p>
Administrative Letter 01	13-Feb-2017	Updated Medical Monitor and removed Study Director
Revised Protocol 02	04-Aug-2016	Incorporates Amendment 13
Amendment 13	04-Aug-2016	Added Objective Response Rate (ORR) as an additional co-Primary Endpoint. Included required updates based on Version 15 of the Nivolumab Investigator Brochure. Added language that allows for collection of additional survival data outside the original protocol specified visit windows. Added Study Director.
Revised	05-Nov-2014	Incorporates Amendment 04

Document	Date of Issue	Summary of Change
Protocol 01		
Amendment 04	05-Nov-2014	Added an additional secondary objective related to incidence of AEs. Updated the IMDC prognostic factor for corrected calcium criteria. Added additional LFT testing for Arm A subjects. Incorporated minor changes to correct and/or maintain consistency throughout the protocol.
Original Protocol	17-Jul-2014	Not applicable

OVERALL RATIONALE FOR PROTOCOL AMENDMENT 06:

Due to a slowdown in the accrual rate of overall survival (OS) events, which will cause a significant delay to reach the planned number of events for descriptive final analysis, a decision was made to change to a time-bound descriptive final OS analysis to close the study. This analysis will be conducted with approximately 9 years median follow up. The decision to close the study was not due to any safety topics or concerns.

The Synopsis has been updated to reflect changes in the protocol.

SUMMARY OF KEY CHANGES FOR PROTOCOL AMENDMENT 06		
Section Number & Title	Description of Change	Brief Rationale
Title Page	Updated personnel information. Updated the European Union Drug Regulating Authorities Clinical Trials Database (EUDRACT) number to the European Union (EU) clinical trial (CT) number.	Administrative update.
Section 2.1 : Good Clinical Practice	Updated European Regulation number.	Administrative update.
Section 3.1 : Study Design and Duration Section 8.1 : Sample Size Determination	Added statement to change to a time-bound descriptive final OS.	The slowdown in the accrual rate of OS events caused a significant delay to reach the planned number of events for descriptive final analysis.
Figure 3.1-1 : Study Design Schematic	Minor typographical corrections and formatting updates.	Correction and clarification.

SYNOPSIS

Clinical Protocol CA209214

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Investigational Product(s), Dose and Mode of Administration, Duration of Treatment with Investigational Product(s):

Nivolumab administered IV over 30 minutes at 3 mg/kg combined with ipilimumab administered IV over 30 minutes at 1 mg/kg every 3 weeks for 4 doses followed by nivolumab administered IV over 30 minutes at 3 mg/kg every 2 weeks or sunitinib 50 mg po Day 1 - 28 of each 42 day cycle until disease progression, unacceptable toxicity or other reasons specified in the protocol. Under Amendment 14, participants receiving nivolumab at 3 mg/kg every 2 weeks will have the option to switch to intravenous nivolumab dosing over 30 minutes at 240 mg every 2 weeks until disease progression, unacceptable toxicity or other discontinuation criteria specified in the protocol. In protocol revision 04, participants receiving nivolumab at 3 mg/kg or 240 mg flat dose every 2 weeks will have the option to switch to intravenous nivolumab dosing over 30 minutes at 480 mg every 4 weeks until disease progression, unacceptable toxicity, or other discontinuation criteria specified in the protocol.

Study Phase: 3

Research Hypothesis: Treatment with nivolumab combined with ipilimumab will improve Objective Response Rate (ORR), Progression Free Survival (PFS), and Overall Survival (OS) compared to sunitinib monotherapy in participants with previously untreated metastatic renal cell carcinoma (mRCC).

Objectives:

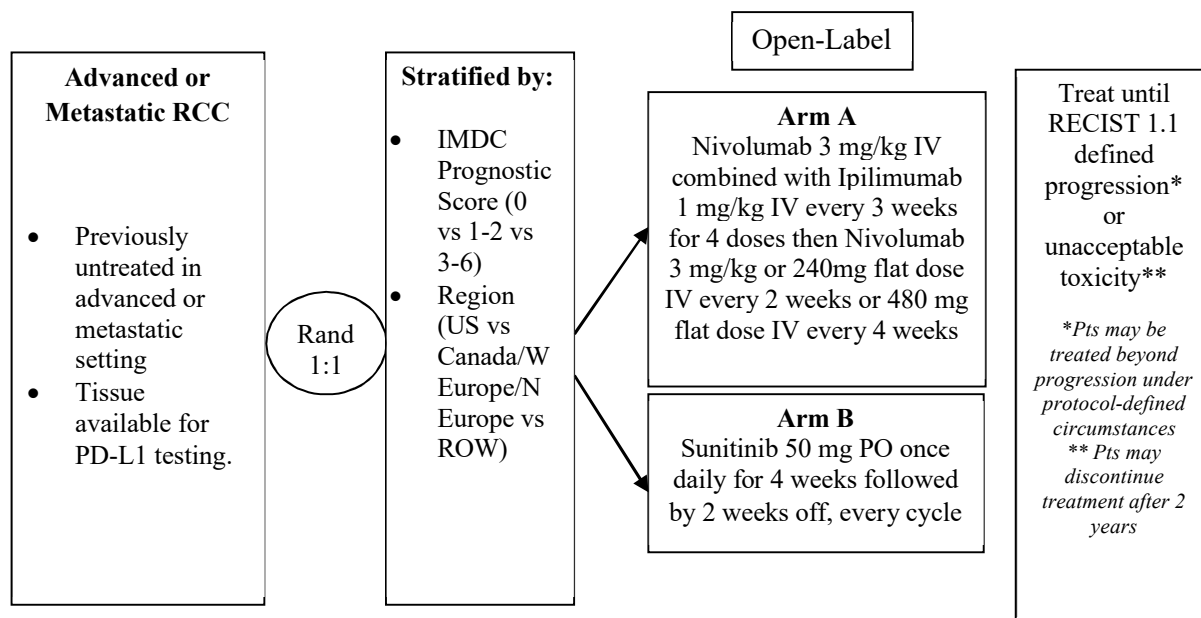
Primary Objectives

1. To describe the ORR of nivolumab combined with ipilimumab and sunitinib monotherapy in intermediate and poor risk participants with previously untreated mRCC based on IRRC assessments
2. To compare the PFS of nivolumab combined with ipilimumab to sunitinib monotherapy in intermediate and poor-risk participants with previously untreated mRCC, based on Independent Radiation Review Committee (IRRC) assessments
3. To compare the OS of nivolumab combined with ipilimumab to sunitinib monotherapy in intermediate and poor-risk participants with previously untreated mRCC

Key Secondary Objectives

1. To compare the PFS of nivolumab combined with ipilimumab to sunitinib monotherapy in any-risk participants with previously untreated mRCC, based on IRRC assessments
2. To compare the OS of nivolumab combined with ipilimumab to sunitinib monotherapy in any-risk participants with previously untreated mRCC
3. To estimate the objective response rate (ORR) of nivolumab combined with ipilimumab and sunitinib monotherapy in participants with previously untreated mRCC (any-risk), based on IRRC assessments
4. To estimate the incidence of AEs of nivolumab combined with ipilimumab and sunitinib monotherapy in all treated participants with previously untreated mRCC

Figure 1: Study Design:



Abbreviations: IMDC = International Metastatic Renal-Cell Carcinoma Database Consortium; ; IV = intravenous; kg = kilogram; mg = milligram; PD-L1 = Programmed death-ligand 1; PO = per os; Pts = participants; Rand = randomized; RECIST = Response evaluation criteria in solid tumors; ROW = rest of world.

Study Population:

Key Inclusion Criteria:

1. Histological confirmation of RCC with a clear-cell component
2. Advanced (not amenable to curative surgery or radiation therapy) or metastatic (AJCC Stage IV) RCC
3. No prior systemic therapy for RCC with the following exception:
 - a) One prior adjuvant or neoadjuvant therapy for completely resectable RCC if such therapy did not include an agent that targets VEGF or VEGF receptors and if recurrence occurred at least 6 months after the last dose of adjuvant or neoadjuvant therapy.
4. Karnofsky Performance Status (KPS) of at least 70%
5. Measurable disease as per RECIST 1.1
6. Tumor tissue (formalin-fixed paraffin-embedded (FFPE) archival or recent acquisition) must be received by the central vendor (block or unstained slides) in order to randomize a subject to study treatment. (Note: Fine Needle Aspiration [FNA] and bone metastases samples are not acceptable for submission).
7. Patients with favorable, intermediate and poor risk categories will be eligible for the study. Patients must be categorized according to favorable versus intermediate/poor risk status at registration.
To be eligible for the Intermediate and Poor-Risk cohort, at least one of the following prognostic factors as per International Metastatic RCC Database Consortium (IMDC) must be present:
 - a) KPS equal to 70
 - b) Less than 1 year from diagnosis to randomization
 - c) Hemoglobin less than the LLN
 - d) Corrected calcium concentration greater than 10 mg/dL

- e) Absolute neutrophil count greater than the ULN
- f) Platelet count greater than the ULN

If none of the above factors are present, participants are only eligible for the favorable-risk cohort. The favorable-risk cohort may close to enrollment earlier than the intermediate- or poor-risk cohort.

Key Exclusion Criteria:

1. Any history of or current CNS metastases. Baseline imaging of the brain is required within 28 days prior to randomization.
2. Prior systemic treatment with VEGF or VEGF receptor targeted therapy (including, but not limited to, sunitinib, pazopanib, axitinib, tivozanib, and bevacizumab).
3. Prior treatment with an anti-PD-1, anti-PD-L1, anti-PD-L2, anti-CD137, or anti-CTLA-4 antibody, or any other antibody or drug specifically targeting T-cell co-stimulation or checkpoint pathways.
4. Any active or recent history of a known or suspected autoimmune disease or recent history of a syndrome that required systemic corticosteroids (> 10 mg daily prednisone equivalent) or immunosuppressive medications except for syndromes which would not be expected to recur in the absence of an external trigger. Participants with vitiligo or type I diabetes mellitus or residual hypothyroidism due to autoimmune thyroiditis only requiring hormone replacement are permitted to enroll.
5. Any condition requiring systemic treatment with corticosteroids (> 10 mg daily prednisone equivalents) or other immunosuppressive medications within 14 days prior to first dose of study drug. Inhaled steroids and adrenal replacement steroid doses > 10 mg daily prednisone equivalents are permitted in the absence of active autoimmune disease.
6. Uncontrolled adrenal insufficiency.
7. Ongoing symptomatic cardiac dysrhythmias, uncontrolled atrial fibrillation, or prolongation of the Fridericia corrected QT (QTcF) interval defined as > 450 msec for males and > 470 msec for females, where $QTcF = QT / \sqrt{RR}$
8. Poorly controlled hypertension (defined as systolic blood pressure (SBP) of ≥ 150 mmHg or diastolic blood pressure (DBP) of ≥ 90 mmHg), despite antihypertensive therapy
9. History of any of the following cardiovascular conditions within 12 months of enrollment: cardiac angioplasty or stenting, myocardial infarction, unstable angina, coronary artery by-pass graft surgery, symptomatic peripheral vascular disease, class III or IV congestive heart failure, as defined by the New York Heart Association
10. History of cerebrovascular accident including transient ischemic attack within the past 12 months
11. History of deep vein thrombosis (DVT) unless adequately treated with low molecular weight heparin.
12. History of pulmonary embolism within the past 6 months unless stable, asymptomatic, and treated with low molecular weight heparin for at least 6 weeks.
13. History of abdominal fistula, gastrointestinal perforation, or intra-abdominal abscess within the past 6 months.
14. Serious, non-healing wound or ulcer.
15. Evidence of active bleeding or bleeding susceptibility; or medically significant hemorrhage within prior 30 days.
16. Any requirement for anti-coagulation, except for low molecular weight heparin.
17. Prior malignancy active within the previous 3 years except for locally curable cancers that have been apparently cured, such as basal or squamous cell skin cancer, superficial bladder cancer, or carcinoma in situ of the prostate, cervix, or breast.
18. Known history of testing positive for human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) or known acquired immunodeficiency syndrome (AIDS).
19. Any positive test for hepatitis B or hepatitis C virus indicating acute or chronic infection.
20. Known medical condition (eg, a condition associated with diarrhea or acute diverticulitis) that, in the investigator's opinion, would increase the risk associated with study participation or study drug administration or interfere with the interpretation of safety results.
21. Major surgery (eg, nephrectomy) less than 28 days prior to the first dose of study drug.

22. Anti-cancer therapy less than 28 days prior to the first dose of study drug or palliative, focal radiation therapy less than 14 days prior to the first dose of study drug.
23. Presence of any toxicities attributed to prior anti-cancer therapy, other than alopecia, that have not resolved to Grade 1 (NCI CTCAE v4) or baseline before administration of study drug.
24. Receiving concomitant CYP3A4 inducers or strong CYP3A4 inhibitors (See [Appendix 4](#)).
25. Impairment of gastrointestinal function or gastrointestinal disease that may significantly alter the absorption of sunitinib (eg, malabsorptive disorder, ulcerative disease, uncontrolled nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, or small bowel resection).
26. Left ventricular ejection fraction (LVEF) less than the LLN as assessed by echocardiography or multigated acquisition (MUGA) scan.
27. Any of the following laboratory test findings:
 - a) WBC < 2,000/mm³
 - b) Neutrophils < 1,500/mm³
 - c) Platelets < 100,000/mm³
 - d) AST or ALT > 3 x ULN (> 5 x ULN if liver metastases are present)
 - e) Total Bilirubin > 1.5 x ULN (except participants with Gilbert Syndrome, who can have total bilirubin < 3.0 mg/dL)
 - f) Serum creatinine > 1.5 x upper limit of normal (ULN) or creatinine clearance < 40 mL/min (measured or calculated by Cockcroft-Gault formula)

Specific eligibility criteria for participants in the poor or intermediate cohorts originally randomized to the sunitinib Arm B and now entering the nivolumab combined with ipilimumab crossover extension phase are included in the protocol in [Section 3.1.1](#).

Study Drug: includes both Investigational [Medicinal] Products (IP/IMP) and Non-investigational [Medicinal] Products (Non-IP/Non-IMP) as listed:

Study Drug for CA209214		
Medication	Potency	IP/Non-IP
Nivolumab	■ mg/mL	IP
Ipilimumab	■ mg/mL	IP
Sunitinib	■ mg	IP

Abbreviations: IP = investigational product; mg = milligram; mL = milliliter; non-IP = non investigational product.

Study Assessments: Objective Response Rate, Overall Survival, and Progression Free Survival are the co-primary endpoints of the study. Participants will be assessed for response by CT or MRI beginning at 12 weeks (\pm 1 week) after randomization and continuing every 6 weeks (\pm 1 week) for the first 13 months and then every 24 weeks (\pm 2 weeks) until progression or treatment discontinuation, whichever occurs later. Overall survival is defined as the time from randomization to the date of death.

The schedule of assessments for participants in the poor or intermediate cohorts originally randomized to the sunitinib Arm B and now entering the nivolumab combined with ipilimumab crossover extension phase are included in the protocol in [Section 5.1](#).

Statistical Considerations:

Sample Size: The sample size of the study accounts for the three co-primary efficacy endpoints: ORR, based on IRRC assessments, PFS, based on IRRC assessments and OS, evaluated in intermediate and poor-risk participants

with previously untreated mRCC. The overall alpha for this study is 0.05, which is split with 0.001 to evaluate ORR, 0.009 to evaluate PFS and 0.04 to evaluate OS.

ORR will be analyzed initially on a descriptive basis and will occupy an administrative adjustment of alpha of 0.001. PFS will be evaluated for treatment effect at an alpha of 0.009 (two-sided, penalized 0.001 from a 0.01 allocation) with at least 90% power; no interim analysis of PFS is planned. OS will be evaluated for treatment effect at an alpha level of 0.04 (two-sided) with 90% power, accounting for two formal interim analyses to assess efficacy.

It is estimated that approximately 1070 previously untreated mRCC participants will be randomized in a 1:1 ratio. Among them, approximately 820 participants (76.6%) with intermediate/poor risk participants and approximately 250 (23.4%) participants with favorable risk as per IMDC (IMDC prognostic score = 0) will be randomized. Assuming a fixed accrual rate of 57 participants per month (40 intermediate/poor risk participants per month), it will take approximately 20.5 months to randomize 1070 participants (820 intermediate/poor risk participants).

Sample size justification for ORR estimate

One of the primary objectives of the study is to describe the ORR (based on IRRC assessment) of nivolumab combined with ipilimumab to sunitinib monotherapy in intermediate and poor-risk participants with previously untreated mRCC.

The primary analysis of ORR in the intermediate and poor-risk randomized participants will be performed when these patients have an approximate 6 month minimum follow-up from the completion of enrollment. This will allow sufficient follow-up for ORR to have a stable estimate, adequate safety follow-up as well as information on duration of response in this population.

The maximum width of the exact two-sided 95% confidence interval (CI) is 9.9% when the ORR is expected to be in the 20% to 50% range. [Table 8.1-1](#) summarizes the 95% exact CI when observed ORRs are 20% to 50%, respectively.

For example if at least 123 responders are observed among the 410 nivolumab and ipilimumab combination intermediate/poor risk randomized participants (ie, ORR \geq 30%) then the lower bound of the 95% CI is above 25.6%.

Sample size justification for PFS comparison

One of the primary objectives of the study is to compare the progression-free survival (based on IRRC assessments) of nivolumab combined with ipilimumab to sunitinib monotherapy in intermediate and poor-risk participants with previously untreated mRCC. The number of events and power for this study were calculated assuming an exponential distribution for PFS in each arm.

For this comparison of PFS, it will be required to observe at least 591 PFS events among the randomized intermediate/poor risk participants in the two respective treatment arms for a two-sided experiment-wise $\alpha = 0.009$ log-rank test, to show a statistically significant difference in PFS between the treatment arms with at least 90% power when the true hazard ratio of the experimental arm to control arm is 0.73. The HR of 0.73 is equivalent to demonstrating a 37.8% improvement in median PFS, assuming a median PFS of 9 months in the sunitinib monotherapy arm (weighted median estimate assuming a median PFS of 11 months in intermediate risk participants and a median PFS of 4 months in poor risk participants) and a median PFS of 12.4 months in the experimental treatment arm.

Under the assumptions for accrual and PFS distribution stated above, it will take approximately 31 months from FPFV to observe the required number of PFS events for the final PFS analysis (20.5 months for accrual and 10.5 months for minimum follow up). It is projected that an observed HR of 0.807 or less corresponding to a 2.1 month or greater improvement in median PFS (9 vs 11.1 months) for this comparison, would result in a statistically significant improvement in the final analysis of PFS.

Sample size justification for OS comparison:

One of the primary objectives of the study is to compare the overall survival of nivolumab combined with ipilimumab to sunitinib monotherapy in intermediate and poor-risk participants with previously untreated mRCC. The number of events and power of this study were calculated assuming an exponential distribution for OS in each arm.

Approximately 639 events (ie, deaths), observed among the randomized intermediate/poor risk participants, provides 90% power to detect a hazard ratio (HR) of 0.766 with an overall type 1 error of 0.04 (two-sided). The HR of 0.766 corresponds to a 30.6% increase in the median OS, assuming a median OS of 20 months for sunitinib monotherapy (weighted median estimate assuming a median OS of 26 months in intermediate risk participants and a median OS of 8 months in poor risk participants) and 23.5 months for experimental treatment arms respectively. It is

projected that an observed hazard ratio of 0.846 or less, which corresponds to a 3.6 months or greater improvement in median OS (20 mo vs. 23.6 mo), would result in a statistically significant improvement in OS for the experimental arm at the final OS analysis.

Two formal interim analyses of OS are planned for this study. The first interim analysis is planned at the time of final PFS analysis and it is expected to observe 370 events (58% of the targeted OS events for final analysis) and the second after observing 479 events (75% of targeted OS events needed for final analysis). The stopping boundaries at interim and final analyses will be derived based on the number of deaths using O'Brien and Fleming α spending function.

Under the assumptions stated above on accrual and OS distribution, it will approximately take 61 months from FPFV to observe the required number of OS events for the final OS analysis (20.5 months for accrual and 40.5 months for minimum follow up).

Due to a slowdown in the accrual rate of OS events, which will cause a significant delay to reach the planned number of events for descriptive final analysis, a decision was made to change to a time-bound descriptive final OS analysis to close the study. This analysis will be conducted with approximately 9 years median follow up. The decision to close the study was not due to any safety topics or concerns.

Endpoints:

Co-Primary Endpoints

Objective Response Rate, Progression-free Survival and Overall Survival are the co-primary endpoints.

Objective Response Rate

Objective response rate is defined as the proportion of randomized participants who achieve a best response of complete response (CR) or partial response (PR) using the RECIST1.1 criteria based on IRRC assessment. BOR is defined as the best response designation, as determined by the IRC, recorded between the date of randomization and the date of objectively documented progression per RECIST 1.1 or the date of subsequent therapy (including tumor-directed radiotherapy and tumor-directed surgery), whichever occurs first. For participants without documented progression or subsequent therapy, all available response designations will contribute to the BOR assessment. As described in [Section 5.4](#), confirmation of response is required. Duration of response (DOR) is defined as the time between the date of first documented response (CR or PR) to the date of the first documented progression as determined by the IRC (per RECIST 1.1), or death due to any cause, whichever occurs first. For participants who neither progress nor die, the duration of objective response will be censored at the same time they will be censored for the primary definition of PFS ([Section 8.3.1.2](#)). Time to Objective Response (TTR) is defined as the time from randomization to the date of the first confirmed documented response (CR or PR), as assessed by the IRC. DOR and TTR will be evaluated for responders (confirmed CR or PR) only.

Primary Definition of Progression-free Survival

The primary definition PFS is specified as the time between the date of randomization and the first date of documented progression, based on IRRC assessments (as per RECIST 1.1 criteria), or death due to any cause, whichever occurs first. Participants who die without a reported progression will be considered to have progressed on the date of their death. The following censoring rules will be applied for the primary definition of PFS.

1. Participants who did not progress or die will be censored on the date of their last evaluable tumor assessment.
2. Participants who did not have any on study tumor assessments and did not die will be censored on their date of randomization.
3. Participants who receive subsequent systemic anti-cancer therapy prior to documented progression will be censored at the date of the last tumor assessment prior to the initiation of the new therapy.

Secondary Definition of Progression-free Survival

The secondary definition of PFS is defined as the time between the date of randomization and the first date of documented progression, based on IRRC assessments (as per RECIST 1.1 criteria), or death due to any cause, whichever occurs first. Participants who die without a reported progression will be considered to have progressed on the date of their death. The following censoring rules will be applied for the secondary definition of PFS.

1. Participants who did not progress or die will be censored on the date of their last evaluable tumor assessment.
2. Participants who did not have any on study tumor assessments and did not die will be censored on their date of randomization.

Finally, PFS based on investigator assessments will also be analyzed applying both the primary and the secondary definitions.

More detail on PFS will be provided in a separate Statistical Analysis Plan.

Overall Survival

Overall survival is defined as the time from randomization to the date of death from any cause. For participants that are alive, their survival time will be censored at the date of last contact ("last known alive date"). Overall survival will be censored for participants at the date of randomization if they were randomized but had no follow-up.

Secondary Endpoints

AE Incidence Rate

Adverse events incident rate is defined as the proportion participants with any grade adverse events among participants treated in each treatment arm. Events reported from the first dose and up to and including 100 days following the last dose of study treatment could be included in estimating this incidence rate.

Analyses: One of the primary objectives of the study is to describe the objective response rate per IRRC in the two treatment arms among intermediate and poor risk participants. The ORR analysis will occupy a 0.001 administrative allocation of alpha.

The number and percentage of participants in each category of best overall response per IRRC (complete response [CR], partial response [PR], stable disease [SD], progressive disease [PD], or unable to determine [UD]) according to the IRRC will be presented, by treatment group. An estimate of the response rate and an associated exact two-sided 95% CI (Clopper and Pearson³⁶) will be presented, by treatment group.

Sensitivity analysis based on investigator-determined ORR may also be performed. DOR and TTR will also be evaluated. Descriptive analysis of the response in the investigator's choice group (ie, participants treated with investigator's choice among ORR population) will also be provided.

At the time of the formal ORR analysis, no PFS or OS analysis will be conducted because of the immaturity of those specific endpoints. A reduced analysis will be defined in the data presentation plan.

One of the primary objectives of the study is to compare the progression-free survival (based on IRRC assessments) of nivolumab combined with ipilimumab to sunitinib monotherapy in intermediate and poor-risk participants with previously untreated mRCC. A two-sided stratified 0.009 log-rank test will be used to do a formal comparison of PFS.

A stratified log-rank test will be used to compare the PFS of participants randomized to nivolumab combined with ipilimumab to that of participants randomized to sunitinib. Median PFS will be estimated via the Kaplan-Meier product limit method. Two-sided 99.1% CI for the median PFS will be computed for each randomized arm. Kaplan-Meier plots of PFS will be presented. Hazard ratios (HR) and corresponding two-sided (1-adjusted α)% confidence intervals (CI) will be estimated using a Cox proportional hazards model, with treatment arm as a single covariate, stratified by the stratification factors, corresponding to each comparison of PFS.

The totality of PFS results will be presented in a single graphical display that includes Kaplan-Meier curves for the two treatment arms, the log-rank p-values for the formal comparison, the HRs and corresponding CIs, and the two median estimates and corresponding CIs.

OS will be compared between the treatment arms using a two sided, $\alpha = 0.04$ level log-rank test (adjusted for interim analyses), stratified using the same factor as in PFS. A similar analysis as in PFS will be conducted for OS. Hazard ratios (HR) and corresponding two-sided 96% confidence intervals (CI) will be estimated using a Cox proportional hazards model, with treatment arm as a single covariate, stratified by the stratification factors, corresponding to the comparison of OS.

Optional Switch to Nivolumab 240 mg Flat Dosing and Optional Discontinuation after 2 Years of Study Treatment (Arm A)

Arm A participants receiving treatment with nivolumab at the time of Amendment 14 will continue to be monitored as specified in the protocol. They may continue to receive treatment with nivolumab at the same dose or switch to nivolumab at a flat dose of 240mg given every 2 weeks (see [Section 1.4.10.4](#) for the rationale for the nivolumab 240mg flat dose).

Arm A participants who have completed at least 2 years of treatment have the option to discontinue study treatment at the discretion of the subject and/or investigator (see [Section 1.4.10.5](#) for the rationale for two year maximum treatment duration). For participants who have not been assessed to have radiographic progression at the time of study treatment discontinuation, tumor assessments must continue to be performed until disease progression is documented.

Optional Switch to Nivolumab 480 mg Flat Dosing

Arm A participants receiving treatment with nivolumab at the time of revised protocol 04 will continue to be monitored as specified in the protocol. They may continue to receive treatment with nivolumab at the same dose or switch to nivolumab at a flat dose of 480 mg given every 4 weeks.

Nivolumab combined with Ipilimumab Crossover Extension Phase (Arm B)

With this amendment, all participants in the poor or intermediate cohorts randomized to the sunitinib treatment (Arm B) who meet eligibility criteria may enter the nivolumab combined with ipilimumab crossover extension phase, according to the schema below. These participants will be eligible to enter the crossover arm and receive BMS supplied study drug for a maximum of 2 years but no longer than up to 12 months after the approval of investigational product by the responsible health authority or until the investigational product becomes commercially available within the country, whichever occurs sooner. BMS reserves the right to terminate access to study drug if any of the following occur: a) the marketing application is rejected by the responsible health authority; b) the study is terminated due to safety concerns; c) the subject can obtain medication from a government sponsored or private health program; or d) therapeutic alternatives become available in the local market. These participants will follow the assessment schedules outlined in [Tables 5.1-5](#) and [5.1-6](#) of the protocol.

Participants treated with sunitinib who have ended study treatment will be able to receive treatment with nivolumab combined with ipilimumab via the crossover extension phase of the study, assuming eligibility criteria are met (including a 14-day washout period for prior systemic anti-cancer therapy). Details are provided in [Section 3.1.1](#).

Participants currently receiving treatment with sunitinib may continue to be treated and monitored as specified in the protocol as long as they are continuing to derive benefit from sunitinib in the judgment of the investigator. These participants may receive nivolumab combined with ipilimumab once they are discontinued from sunitinib therapy, assuming basic eligibility criteria are met (including a 14-day washout period from the last dose of sunitinib).

Nivolumab combined with Ipilimumab Crossover Extension Phase (schema for those previously randomized to sunitinib):

Participants previously randomized to Arm B (sunitinib) of CA209214	Nivolumab 3 mg/kg IV combined with Ipilimumab 1 mg/kg IV every 3 weeks for 4 doses then Nivolumab 240 mg flat dose IV every 2 weeks or 480 mg flat dose IV every 4 weeks	Treat until progression,* unacceptable toxicity, or maximum of 2-year treatment duration
Participants must meet eligibility criteria and provide informed consent prior to		

* Treatment beyond investigator-assessed RECIST 1.1-defined progression may be considered for participants meeting criteria according to [Section 4.5.7](#). Treatment beyond progression for participants in the nivolumab combined with ipilimumab crossover extension phase should be discussed with the BMS Medical Monitor prior to participants receiving additional study drug. Criteria for discontinuation of treatment beyond progression are described in [Section 4.5.7](#). Participants who discontinue study therapy for reasons other than progression should continue to be scanned until disease progression is documented.

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1 INTRODUCTION AND STUDY RATIONALE

1.1 Study Rationale

CA209214 (CheckMate 214, CHECKpoint pathway and nivoluMAb clinical Trial Evaluation) is a Phase 3, randomized, open-label study of nivolumab (BMS-936558) combined with ipilimumab vs sunitinib monotherapy in participants with previously untreated, advanced or metastatic renal cell carcinoma (mRCC). In the Phase 1 setting, nivolumab combined with ipilimumab has demonstrated substantially greater clinical activity, as measured by objective response rate (ORR), than either agent alone. Given the durability of responses associated with immunotherapies, nivolumab combined with ipilimumab is hypothesized to lead to greater clinical benefit, as measured by ORR, progression-free survival (PFS), or overall survival (OS), compared to sunitinib, a widely used standard-of-care agent in this patient population. This study will allow for direct comparison of ORR, PFS and OS between arms. No approved drug has demonstrated an improvement in ORR, PFS or OS vs sunitinib in the Phase 3 setting. If nivolumab combined with ipilimumab has an acceptable safety profile and is shown to improve ORR, PFS, or OS, vs sunitinib, this study may support the approval of nivolumab combined with ipilimumab in participants with previously untreated, advanced or metastatic RCC.

1.2 Research Hypothesis

Treatment with nivolumab combined with ipilimumab will improve ORR, PFS, or OS, compared to sunitinib monotherapy in participants with previously untreated mRCC.

1.3 Objectives(s)

1.3.1 Primary Objectives

- To describe the ORR of nivolumab combined with ipilimumab and sunitinib monotherapy in intermediate and poor-risk participants with previously untreated mRCC, based on IRRC assessments
- To compare the PFS of nivolumab combined with ipilimumab to sunitinib monotherapy in intermediate and poor-risk participants with previously untreated mRCC, based on IRRC assessments
- To compare the OS of nivolumab combined with ipilimumab to sunitinib monotherapy in intermediate and poor-risk participants with previously untreated mRCC

1.3.2 Secondary Objectives

- To compare the PFS of nivolumab combined with ipilimumab to sunitinib monotherapy in any-risk participants with previously untreated mRCC, based on IRRC assessments
- To compare the OS of nivolumab combined with ipilimumab to sunitinib monotherapy in any-risk participants with previously untreated mRCC
- To estimate the ORR of nivolumab combined with ipilimumab and sunitinib monotherapy in participants with previously untreated mRCC (any-risk), based on IRRC assessments
- To estimate the incidence of AEs of nivolumab combined with ipilimumab and sunitinib monotherapy in all treated participants with previously untreated mRCC

1.3.3 Exploratory Objectives

- To assess the overall safety and tolerability of nivolumab combined with ipilimumab vs sunitinib monotherapy
- To estimate the ORR and PFS based on IRRC assessments and OS of nivolumab combined with ipilimumab vs sunitinib monotherapy in favorable risk participants with previously untreated mRCC
- To characterize the pharmacokinetics (PK) of nivolumab and ipilimumab when co-administered
- To monitor immunogenicity of nivolumab and ipilimumab administered as combination therapy
 - To explore potential predictive biomarkers of clinical response to nivolumab-ipilimumab combination by analyzing tumor specimens and blood samples for proteins and genes involved in regulating immune responses (eg, PD-1, PD-L1/PD-L2, CXCL10)
 - To assess the effects of single nucleotide polymorphisms (SNPs) in select genes (eg, PD-1, PD-L1, PD-L2, CTLA-4) on clinical endpoints and/or on the occurrence of adverse events
 - To explore associations between baseline measures of Myeloid Derived Suppressor Cells (MDSCs) and clinical outcomes
- To evaluate health related quality of life (HRQoL) as assessed by the Functional Assessment of Cancer Therapy-General (FACT-G)
- To assess disease related symptoms in each arm based on the National Comprehensive Cancer Network (NCCN) Functional Assessment of Cancer Therapy (FACT)- Kidney Symptom Index (FKSI-19)
- To assess changes in global health status in each treatment arm based on EuroQol Group's EQ-5D-3L
- To assess healthcare resource utilization in each treatment arm

1.4 Product Development Background

1.4.1 Cancer Immunotherapy

Cancer immunotherapy rests on the premise that tumors can be recognized as foreign rather than as self and can be effectively attacked by an activated immune system. An effective immune response in this setting is thought to rely on immune surveillance of tumor antigens expressed on cancer cells that ultimately results in an adaptive immune response and cancer cell death. This functions by aborting the emergence of tumors as they arise and/or causing tumor shrinkage where

it is present. Meanwhile, tumor progression may depend upon acquisition of traits that allow cancer cells to evade immune surveillance and an effective immune response.¹ This evasion may occur by exploiting any of the checkpoints that control the regulatory immune response, including display of antigens and control of co-stimulatory pathways that affect the proliferation of cells involved in immunity. Current immunotherapy efforts attempt to break the apparent tolerance of the immune system to tumor cells and antigens by either introducing cancer antigens by therapeutic vaccination or by modulating regulatory checkpoints of the immune system - either directly by stimulation of immune cells by antibodies directed to receptors on T and B cells or indirectly by cytokine manipulation. T-cell stimulation is a complex process involving the integration of numerous positive, as well as negative, costimulatory signals in addition to antigen recognition by the T-cell receptor (TCR).² Collectively, these signals govern the balance between T-cell activation and tolerance to antigens.¹

1.4.2 Programmed Death Receptor-1 (PD-1) and Nivolumab

Programmed death receptor-1 (PD-1, CD279), a 55 kD type I transmembrane protein, is a member of the CD28 family of T-cell costimulatory receptors that also includes CD28, CTLA-4, ICOS, and BTLA.² PD-1 contains an intracellular membrane proximal immunoreceptor tyrosine inhibitory motif (ITIM) and a membrane distal immunoreceptor tyrosine-based switch motif (ITSM). Two ligands specific for PD-1 have been identified: PD-L1 (B7-H1/CD274) and PD-L2 (B7-DC/CD273). PD-L1 and PD-L2 have been shown to down-regulate T-cell activation upon binding to PD-1 in both murine and human systems.^{3,4} PD-1 delivers a negative signal by the recruitment of a protein tyrosine phosphatase SHP-2 to the phosphorylated tyrosine residue in the ITSM in its cytoplasmic region.^{5,6} PD-1 is primarily expressed on activated T cells, B cells and myeloid cells.⁷

Nivolumab is a fully human, IgG4 (kappa) isotype, mAb that binds PD-1. Blockade of the PD-1 pathway by nivolumab was studied using the mixed lymphocyte reaction (MLR). PD-1 blockade resulted in a reproducible enhancement of both proliferation and IFN- γ release in the MLR.⁸ The effect of nivolumab on antigen-specific recall response was investigated using a CMV-restimulation assay with human peripheral blood mononuclear cells (PBMCs), and was evaluated by ELISA.

1.4.3 Cytotoxic T-Lymphocyte Antigen 4 (CTLA-4) and Ipilimumab

CTLA-4, an activation-induced T-cell surface molecule, is a member of the CD28:B7 immunoglobulin superfamily that competes with CD28 for B7. CTLA-4-mediated signals are inhibitory and turn off T cell-dependent immune responses.^{9,10}

Ipilimumab is a fully human monoclonal IgG1 κ that binds to the CTLA-4 antigen expressed on a subset of T cells from human and nonhuman primates. The proposed mechanism of action for ipilimumab is interference of the interaction of CTLA-4 with B7 molecules on APCs, with subsequent blockade of the inhibitory modulation of T-cell activation promoted by the CTLA-4/B7 interaction.

1.4.4 Preclinical Summary of Nivolumab Combined with Ipilimumab

Preclinical data indicate that the combination of PD-1 and CTLA-4 receptor blockade may improve antitumor activity. In vitro combinations of nivolumab plus ipilimumab increase IFN- γ production 2- to 7-fold over either agent alone in a mixed lymphocyte reaction. Increased antitumor activity of the combination was also observed in 3 of 5 syngeneic murine cancer models. In a murine melanoma vaccine model, blockade with either CTLA-4 or PD-1 antibodies increased the proportion of CTLA-4 and PD-1-expressing CD4/CD8 tumor infiltrating T effector cells, and dual blockade increased tumor infiltration of T effector cells and decreased intratumoral T regulatory cells, as compared to either agent alone¹¹.

Preclinically, a 4-week toxicity study of nivolumab in combination with ipilimumab conducted in cynomolgus monkeys demonstrated that the combination of nivolumab and ipilimumab resulted in dose-dependent gastrointestinal (GI) toxicity. Histologic findings included inflammatory changes in the large intestine, which increased in incidence and severity in a dose-dependent manner. GI toxicity/colitis was not observed in cynomolgus monkeys administered nivolumab alone, but was observed in monkeys receiving ipilimumab. Nivolumab in combination with ipilimumab was also associated with lymphoid hypocellularity of the cortex and/or medulla of the thymus and with acinar cell degranulation in the pancreas. Additional findings included interstitial mononuclear cell infiltrates in the kidneys, portal mononuclear cell infiltrates in the liver and myeloid hypercellularity in the bone marrow. Nivolumab in combination with ipilimumab at the high-dose level (ie, 50 mg/kg and 10 mg/kg, respectively) was associated with the death of 1 animal, attributed to acute gastric dilatation without histopathological evidence of colitis upon pathology evaluation of the GI tract.

1.4.5 Renal Cell Carcinoma: Background and Standard Treatments

Renal cell carcinoma (RCC) accounts for ~3% of all cancers in the US. This translates to 58,000 new cases a year with 13,000 associated deaths.¹² Metastatic disease is found in 30% of participants at diagnosis. Close to 90-95% of metastatic disease is of the clear-cell histology.¹³

Multiple scoring systems are available to characterize prognosis in treatment-naïve RCC. Two of the most commonly used are the Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center (MSKCC) prognostic scoring system and the International Metastatic RCC Database Consortium (IMDC) prognostic scoring system.^{14,15} Each of these systems categorizes patients as favorable, intermediate, or poor-risk based on how many adverse prognostic factors are present (0: favorable-risk, 1-2: intermediate risk, 3 or more: poor-risk). The six parameters of importance for IMDC prognostic score classification are Karnofsky Performance Status (KPS), time from diagnosis to treatment, hemoglobin value, corrected calcium concentration, absolute neutrophil count, and platelet count. The five parameters included in the MSKCC prognostic score are KPS, nephrectomy status, hemoglobin value, LDH, and corrected calcium concentration. Time from diagnosis to treatment is often used in place of nephrectomy status. With each system, total number of adverse prognostic factors present has been shown to correlate with overall survival. Approximately 25% of patients are in the favorable-risk group, 50% are in the intermediate-risk group, and 25% are in the poor-risk group (mOS: ~ 9 months). In an analysis of 1028 patients scored using the IMDC system,

median OS for favorable, intermediate, and poor-risk patients is 43.2 months, 22.5 months, and 7.8 months, respectively.¹⁶

Until recently, the cytokines IL-2 and IFN α were the only active treatments for advanced or metastatic RCC. However, due to each of these agent's limited clinical benefit and substantial toxicity profile, newer targeted agents have largely replaced cytokines in the treatment of advanced or metastatic renal cell carcinoma.^{17,18,19,20} The recognition of the importance of hypoxia inducible factor alpha (HIF α) signaling in the pathogenesis of clear-cell RCC has led to widespread study of two classes of targeted therapies, anti-angiogenic agents and mTOR inhibitors.²¹ Targeting of angiogenesis is rational because constitutive HIF α activation leads to the upregulation or activation of several proteins including vascular endothelial growth factor (VEGF), which can subsequently lead to tumor proliferation and neovasculature formation. Targeting of the mTOR pathway is important because activation of the upstream PI3K/Akt/mTOR signaling pathway is one method by which constitutive HIF α activation or upregulation occurs. There are 7 agents for the treatment of RCC in the US and EU: 5 that target angiogenesis (ie, the VEGF-receptor tyrosine kinase inhibitors sorafenib, sunitinib, pazopanib, axitinib, and the VEGF-binding monoclonal antibody bevacizumab) and 2 that target the mTOR pathway (ie, everolimus and temsirolimus). Among these approved agents, none has demonstrated a statistically significant improvement in OS except for temsirolimus poor-risk patients. According to NCCN guidelines, sunitinib, temsirolimus (poor-risk only), bevacizumab plus interferon and pazopanib are Category 1 recommendations for first-line therapy of mRCC.²² According to ESMO guidelines, sunitinib, bevacizumab plus interferon, and pazopanib are all standard treatment options for favorable and intermediate-risk patients, but sunitinib is the only one also considered an alternative to temsirolimus for the treatment of poor-risk patients.²³

1.4.6 Sunitinib in Renal Cell Carcinoma

Sunitinib is a VEGF receptor TKI that is approved and recommended for the treatment of mRCC across prognostic groups.^{22,23} In a randomized Phase 3 trial of sunitinib vs IFN α in treatment-naïve participants, mPFS and mOS were greater in the sunitinib group than in the IFN α group (mPFS: 11 mo vs 5 mo, HR = 0.539; p = < .001); mOS: 26.4 mo vs 21.8 mo, HR = 0.821; p = .051).²⁴ The ORR was also greater in the sunitinib group (47%) than in the IFN α group (12%). More recently, sunitinib was compared to pazopanib in a treatment-naïve participants in the Phase 3 COMPARZ study.²⁵ In this non-inferiority study, sunitinib and pazopanib demonstrated similar mPFS (8.4 mo for pazopanib vs 9.5 mo for sunitinib, HR = 1.05) and mOS (28.4 mo for pazopanib vs 29.3 mo for sunitinib, HR = 0.91, p = 0.28). The ORR of pazopanib and sunitinib was 31% and 24%, respectively. The most common (≥ 20) adverse reactions include fatigue, asthenia, fever, diarrhea, nausea, mucositis/stomatitis, vomiting, dyspepsia, abdominal pain, constipation, hypertension, peripheral edema, rash, hand-foot syndrome, skin discoloration, dry skin, hair color changes, altered taste, headache, back pain, arthralgia, extremity pain, cough, dyspnea, anorexia, and bleeding.²⁶ Other important adverse

reactions include hepatotoxicity, QT prolongation (including Torsades de Pointes), osteonecrosis of the jaw, tumor lysis syndrome, and thyroid dysfunction.

1.4.7 Nivolumab in Renal Cell Carcinoma

Nivolumab monotherapy has been studied in participants with renal cell carcinoma in several BMS-sponsored studies, with the largest amount of data coming from two studies in participants with mRCC: CA209009 and CA209010. In CA209010, 168 participants who received at least one prior-anti-angiogenic therapy were randomized to receive nivolumab 0.3 mg/kg (n = 60), 2 mg/kg (n = 54), and 10 mg/kg (n = 54).²⁷ Median PFS was 2.7 mo, 4.0 mo, and 4.2 mo at 0.3, 2, and 10 mg/kg respectively. The ORR ranged from 20-22% across dose levels. Median OS was 18.2 mo at 0.3 mg/kg, but was not yet reached at the two highest dose levels. CA209009 enrolled a similar population to CA209010, but also included 23 participants with treatment-naïve RCC. Among treatment-naïve participants, all of whom received nivolumab 10 mg/kg every 3 weeks, the ORR was 13% (3/23).

CA209010 includes the largest safety database for nivolumab monotherapy in mRCC. All treated participants (n = 167) were included in the safety analyses. Drug-related AEs of any grade occurred in 74.6%, 66.7%, and 77.8% of participants treated at 0.3 mg/kg, 2 mg/kg, and 10 mg/kg respectively. The most common ($\geq 10\%$ in any group) drug-related AEs included fatigue, dry skin, rash, pruritis, arthralgia, nausea, diarrhea, decreased appetite, dry mouth, and hypersensitivity. Grade 3 drug-related AEs occurred in 5.1%, 16.7%, and 13% of participants treated at 0.3 mg/kg, 2 mg/kg, and 10 mg/kg, respectively. Related Grade 3 events in at least 2 patients across dose levels included nausea, AST/ALT increased, and anemia. No drug-related Grade 4 or Grade 5 events occurred. No dose-toxicity relationship was identified except for hypersensitivity/infusion reaction which occurred most frequently in the 10 mg/kg treatment group.

1.4.8 Ipilimumab in Renal Cell Carcinoma

Ipilimumab monotherapy for the treatment of mRCC was studied in the Phase 2 clinical trial MDX010-11.²⁸ Two sequential cohorts were studied, each with a loading dose of 3 mg/kg followed by 3 doses of either 1 mg/kg (group 3-1; n = 21) or 3 mg/kg (group 3-3; n = 40). Participants with stable disease or partial or complete response were allowed additional treatment. In group 3-1 (n = 21), one subject (5%) had a PR.²⁹ In group 3-3 (n = 40), 5 participants (12.5 %) had a PR. Among 14 treatment-naïve participants in group 3-3, 3 (21%) had a PR.

In the ipilimumab monotherapy Phase 2 clinical trial MDX010-11, the major toxicities were colitis (all Grade 3 & 4; 14% in group 3-1, 33% in group 3-3) and hypophysitis (1 grade 3/4, 1 grade 1/2 in group 3-3; none in group 3-1). Most reported AEs were Grade 1/2 (57% in group 3-1, 35% in group 3-3) or Grade 3 (38% in group 3-1, 48 % in group 3-3).³⁰ Most reported AEs were Grade 1/2 (57% in group 3-1, 35% in group 3-3) or Grade 3 (38% in group 3-1, 48 % in group 3-3). There were 6 participants (15%) with Grade 4 AEs in group 3-3. The most common treatment-related AEs in group 3-1 (total 81%) and group 3-3 (total 93%) were diarrhea (38% and 40%, respectively) and fatigue (33% and 38%, respectively). Most AEs were manageable with appropriate treatment, including high dose corticosteroids and hormone replacement.

1.4.9 Nivolumab Combined with Ipilimumab in Renal Cell Carcinoma

The combination of nivolumab with ipilimumab is currently being studied in the Phase 1 study CA209016.³¹ Participants with mRCC (favorable/intermediate MSKCC score; Karnofsky performance status $\geq 80\%$; untreated or any number of prior therapies) were randomized to receive nivolumab 3 mg/kg + ipilimumab 1 mg/kg (arm N3 + I1) or nivolumab 1 mg/kg + ipilimumab 3 mg/kg (arm N1 + I3) intravenous (IV) Q3W for 4 doses then nivolumab 3 mg/kg IV Q2W until progression/toxicity. The primary objective was to assess safety/tolerability; secondary objective was to assess antitumor activity. Participants were randomized to N3 + I1 (n = 21) and N1 + I3 (n = 23). Most pts (n = 34; 77%) had prior systemic therapy (N3 + I1: 16; N1 + I3: 18). The confirmed ORR was 43% (N3 + I1) and 48% (N1 + I3) (Table 1.4.9-1). Duration of response (DOR) was 4.1+ to 42.1+ weeks (7 of 9 responses ongoing) in N3 + I1, and 12.1+ to 35.1+ weeks (9 of 11 responses ongoing) in N1 + I3. Best response of stable disease (SD) was seen in 5 (24%) pts (N3 + I1) and 8 (35%) pts (N1 + I3). Median PFS was 36.6 weeks (N3 + I1) and 38.3 weeks (N1 + I3); these data are still immature, with 11 of 21 events reported for N3 + I1 and 10 of 23 events reported for N1 + I3.

Table 1.4.9-1: Antitumor Activity		
	N3 + I1 (n = 21)	N1 + I3 (n = 23)
Confirmed ORR, n (%) (95% CI)	9 (43) (21.8, 66.0)	11 (48) (26.8, 69.4)
Median duration of response, weeks (range)	31.1 (4.1+ - 42.1+)	Not reached (12.1+ - 35.1+)
Ongoing responses, % (n/N)	78 (7/9)	82 (9/11)
Best objective response, n (%)		
Complete response	0	1 (4)
Partial response	9 (43)	10 (43)
Stable disease	5 (24)	8 (35)
Progressive disease	5 (24)	3 (13)
Unable to determine	1 (5)	1 (4)
24 week PFS, % (95% CI)	65 (40, 82)	64 (41, 80)

Abbreviations: CI = confidence interval; I1 = ipilimumab 1 mg/kg; I3 = ipilimumab 3 mg/kg; n= sample size; N= population size; N1 = nivolumab 1 mg/kg; N3 = nivolumab 3 mg/kg; ORR = objective response rate; PFS = progression free survival.

The safety of nivolumab combined with ipilimumab was assessed in the Phase 1 study CA209016. Treatment-related adverse events (AEs) were seen in 39/44 pts (89%), including 16/21 (76.2%) in N3 + I1 and 23/23 (100%) in N1 + I3. Across the N3 + I1 and N1 + I3 arms, the most common ($\geq 20\%$) treatment related AEs of any grade were fatigue (61%), diarrhea (32%), nausea (30%), rash (27%), pruritis (25%), ALT increased (23%), AST increased (20%), hypothyroidism (20%), and lipase increased (20%). Grade 3–4 related AEs occurred in 19 pts (29%), including 6/21 (29%) at N3 + I1 and 14/23 (61%) at N1 + I3. The most common ($\geq 5\%$) drug-related Grade 3-4 events

were lipase increased (21%), ALT increased (14%), AST increased (7%), diarrhea (9%), fatigue (5%), amylase increased (5%), colitis (5%), lymphocyte count decreased (5%). No grade 3–4 pneumonitis was seen. No treatment-related deaths were reported.

Treatment-related AEs (including Grade 3-4), treatment-related AEs leading to discontinuation, and treatment-related SAEs all occurred more commonly in participants in the N1 + I3 arm than in the N3 + I1 arm (Table 1.4.9-2).

Table 1.4.9-2: Safety by Dose		
	N3 + I1 (n = 21)	N1 + I3 (n = 23)
Treatment-related AEs	76.2%	100%
Treatment-related Grade 3-4 AEs	28.6%	60.9%
Treatment-related SAEs	9.5%	26.1%
Treatment-related AEs leading to discontinuation	9.5%	26.1%

Abbreviations: AEs = adverse events I1 = ipilimumab 1 mg/kg; I3 = ipilimumab 3 mg/kg; n= sample size; N1 = nivolumab 1 mg/kg; N3 = nivolumab 3 mg/kg; SAEs = serious adverse events.

In summary, a similar robust level of clinical activity was observed with N3 + I1 and N1 + I3, but the N3 + I1 arm exhibited a more favorable safety profile.

1.4.10 Rationale for Study Design

1.4.10.1 Rationale for nivolumab combined with ipilimumab and choice of N3 + I1 dosing regimen

Data from CA209016 demonstrate a level of clinical activity, as measured by ORR, for the combination of nivolumab combined with ipilimumab that is substantially greater than that of either nivolumab or ipilimumab monotherapy in mRCC. These immunotherapy-induced responses are expected to be more durable than those induced by sunitinib monotherapy, and are therefore likely to translate into improvements in PFS, OS, or both vs sunitinib. The dosing regimen including nivolumab 3 mg/kg combined with ipilimumab 1 mg/kg was chosen because it exhibits similar clinical activity nivolumab 1 mg/kg combined with ipilimumab 3 mg/kg along with a more favorable safety profile.

1.4.10.2 Rationale for 2-arm design

The study will include 2 arms:

- Arm A: Nivolumab 3 mg/kg IV combined with Ipilimumab 1 mg/kg IV every 3 weeks for 4 doses then Nivolumab 3 mg/kg or 240 mg flat dose IV every 2 weeks (Q2W) or 480 mg flat dose IV every 4 weeks (Q4W)
- Arm B: Sunitinib 50 mg PO once daily for 4 weeks followed by 2 weeks off, continuously

The ORR for each of these regimens is reported to be approximately 40%. For nivolumab combined with ipilimumab, an ORR of 45% was reported in 44 participants with mRCC treated in CA209016, including both treatment-naïve and pre-treated patients, who received either nivolumab 3 mg/kg combined with ipilimumab 1 mg/kg or nivolumab 1 mg/kg combined with ipilimumab 3 mg/kg (ORR 43% for nivolumab 3 mg/kg + ipilimumab 1 mg/kg [n = 21], ORR 48% for nivolumab 1 mg/kg + ipilimumab 3 mg/kg [n = 23]). For sunitinib, the ORR for treatment-naïve mRCC has been reported to be as high as 47%.²⁴

This study does not include additional arms to demonstrate the contribution of nivolumab or ipilimumab monotherapy because the ORR for nivolumab and ipilimumab monotherapy is ~ 20% or less when each of these agents is used as monotherapy. In nivolumab study CA209009, the ORR among 23 participants with treatment-naïve mRCC who received nivolumab 10 mg/kg every 3 weeks was 13%. This dosing regimen, although different from the nivolumab 3 mg/kg dosing regimen used in the current study, provides a higher C_{min} than would be expected with nivolumab 3 mg/kg every 2 week monotherapy. Therefore, the clinical activity is expected to be similar, as no dose-response relationship is reported for nivolumab for doses ranging from 0.3 to 10 mg/kg every 3 weeks.²⁷ In a phase 1 study of ipilimumab in mRCC, 14 treatment-naïve participants with mRCC received ipilimumab 3 mg/kg monotherapy. The ORR among these 14 participants was 21%. In participants who received ipilimumab 1 mg/kg monotherapy after a single 3 mg/kg dose, the ORR was 5%.²⁹

Given that the ORR with either nivolumab or ipilimumab as monotherapy is ~ 20% or less, both agents in combination are expected to be required in order to achieve an ORR comparable to or better than that reported for sunitinib monotherapy.

1.4.10.3 Rationale for Choice of Primary Endpoints in Intermediate and Poor-Risk Participants

The study will include co-primary endpoints of PFS and OS, to be evaluated in participants with intermediate or poor prognosis according to IMDC prognostic criteria. Either OS or PFS, as long as there is no detriment in OS, have been successful endpoints to support drug approvals in mRCC. Sorafenib, sunitinib, bevacizumab, axitinib, and everolimus were each approved based on improvement in PFS. Temsirolimus was approved based on improvement in OS in a poor-risk population. Although tivozanib demonstrated a statistically significant improvement in PFS, this did not lead to regulatory approval, as a detriment in OS was noted in participants on the tivozanib arm. Objective Response Rate (ORR) is included because of the improvement in ORR rates seen in CA209-016, with the intent to describe the ORR of nivolumab combined with ipilimumab and sunitinib monotherapy.

The evaluation of primary endpoints is limited to intermediate and poor-risk participants, which comprise approximately 75% of the total treatment-naïve mRCC population. Inclusion of this large subset of participants in the primary endpoints of the study will allow for potential meaningful differences in efficacy to be detected earlier than if favorable-risk patients are included. This may allow the nivolumab ± ipilimumab combination to be made available to larger numbers of mRCC patients in a more timely fashion. Of note, favorable-risk patients will be included in the study,

with safety and efficacy endpoints including this population included among the secondary analyses.

1.4.10.4 Rationale for Nivolumab 240 mg Flat Dose

Under Amendment 14, participants in Arm A who are receiving nivolumab 3 mg/kg Q2W will have the option to switch to nivolumab 240 mg Q2W. In addition, nivolumab 240 mg Q2W will be the maintenance dosing used in the crossover extension phase.

The nivolumab dose of 240 mg Q2W was selected based on clinical data and modeling and simulation approaches using population PK (PPK) and exposure-response analyses of data from studies in multiple tumor types (melanoma, non-small-cell lung cancer [NSCLC], and renal cell carcinoma [RCC]) where body weight normalized dosing (mg/kg) has been used.

PPK analyses have shown that the PK of nivolumab is linear with proportional exposure over a dose range of 0.1 to 10 mg/kg, and no differences in PK across ethnicities and tumor types were observed. Nivolumab clearance and volume of distribution were found to increase as the body weight increases, but less than the proportional with increasing weight, indicating that mg/kg dosing represents an over-adjustment for the effect of body weight on nivolumab PK. The PPK model previously developed using data from NSCLC participants has recently been updated, using data from 1544 participants from 7 studies investigating nivolumab in the treatment of melanoma, NSCLC, and RCC. In this dataset, the median (minimum - maximum) weight was █ kg (█ kg - █ kg) and thus, an approximately equivalent dose of 3 mg/kg for an 80 kg participant, nivolumab 240 mg Q2W was selected for future studies. To predict relevant summary exposures of nivolumab 240 mg Q2W, the PPK model was used to simulate nivolumab 3 mg/kg Q2W and 240 mg Q2W. In the simulations, the simulated patient populations consisted of 1000 participants per treatment arm randomly sampled from aforementioned pooled database of cancer participants.

Because no differences in PK were noted across ethnicities and tumor types, these simulated melanoma and NSCLC data will be applicable to participants with other tumor types. The simulated measure of exposure of interest, time-averaged concentrations (Cavgss) for 240 mg Q2W are predicted to be similar for all participants in reference to 80 kg participants receiving 3 mg/kg Q2W.

Nivolumab is safe and well tolerated up to 10 mg/kg Q2W dose level. Adverse events have been broadly consistent across tumor types following monotherapy and have not demonstrated clear dose-response or exposure-response relationships. Additionally, the simulated median and 95th prediction interval of nivolumab summary exposures across body weight range (█ kg) are predicted to be maintained below the corresponding observed highest exposure experienced in nivolumab ie, 95th percentile following nivolumab 10 mg/kg Q2W from clinical study CA209003. Thus, while participants in the lower body weight ranges would have greater exposures than 80 kg participants, the exposures are predicted to be within the range of observed exposures at doses (up to 10 mg/kg Q2W) used in the nivolumab clinical program, and are not considered to put participants at increased risk. For participants with greater body weights, the simulated ranges of exposures are also not expected to affect efficacy, because the exposures predicted following administration of a 240 mg Q2W are on the flat part of the exposure-response curves for previously

investigated tumors, melanoma and NSCLC. Given the similarity of nivolumab PK across tumor types and the similar exposures predicted following administration of 240 mg flat dose compared to 3 mg/kg, it is expected that the safety and efficacy profile of 240 mg nivolumab will be similar to that of 3 mg/kg nivolumab. The USPI for nivolumab has been updated to allow 240 mg flat dose IV Q2W for RCC and several other tumors.

1.4.10.5 Rationale for Nivolumab 480 mg Flat Dose

In protocol revision 04, participants in Arm A who are receiving nivolumab 3 mg/kg Q2W or 240 mg flat dose Q2W will have the option to switch to nivolumab 480 mg flat dose Q4W. In addition, nivolumab 480 mg Q4W will be an option for the maintenance dosing used in the crossover extension phase as well.

At 3 months after initiation of treatment, participants will have the option to be switched from nivolumab 240 mg Q2W to nivolumab 480 mg Q4W, which provides a more convenient dosing regimen for participants. Based on PK modeling and simulations, administration of nivolumab 480 mg Q4W will be started after steady state is achieved with 240 mg Q2W and is predicted to provide Cavgss similar to 240 mg Q2W. While 480 mg Q4W is predicted to provide greater (approximately 20%) maximum steady state concentrations and lower (approximately 10%) steady state trough concentrations, these exposures are predicted to be within the exposure ranges observed at doses up to 10 mg/kg Q2W used in the nivolumab clinical program, and are not considered to put participants at increased risk. Similar to the nivolumab 240 mg Q2W dosing regimen, the exposures predicted following administration of nivolumab 480 mg Q4W, are on the flat part of the exposure-response curves for previously investigated tumors, melanoma and NSCLC, and are not predicted to affect efficacy. Based on these data, nivolumab 480 mg Q4W is expected to have similar efficacy and safety profiles to nivolumab 240 mg Q2W.

1.4.10.6 Rationale for Two Year Maximum Duration of Treatment

The optimal duration of immunotherapy is an important question and continues to be investigated. Clinical trials across different tumors types in the nivolumab and ipilimumab development program indicate that most of the responses occur early, with a median time to response of 2-4 months, and emerging data suggests that benefit can be maintained in the absence of continued treatment. A recent analysis in a melanoma study suggests the majority of patients who discontinue nivolumab and/or ipilimumab for toxicity maintain disease control in the absence of further treatment.³² Furthermore, a limited duration of ipilimumab, including only 4 induction doses, resulted in long term survival in patients with metastatic melanoma, with a sustained plateau in survival starting around 2 years after the start of treatment.³³

Accumulating data suggest that 2 years of PD-1 checkpoint inhibitor treatment may be sufficient for long term benefit. CA209003, a dose-escalation cohort expansion trial evaluating the safety and clinical activity of nivolumab in patients with previously treated advanced solid tumors (including 129 participants with NSCLC), specified a maximum treatment duration of 2 years. Among 16 participants with non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC) who discontinued nivolumab after completing 2 years of treatment, 12 participants were alive >5 years and remained progression-free without any subsequent therapy (2) In the CA209003 NSCLC cohort, the overall

survival (OS) curve begins to plateau after 2 years, with an OS rate of 25% at 2 years and 18% at 3 years.³⁴ These survival outcomes are similar to phase 3 studies in previously treated NSCLC, in which nivolumab treatment was continued until progression or unacceptable toxicity (2 year OS rates of 23% and 29%, and 3 year OS rates of 16%-18% for squamous and non-squamous NSCLC respectively).³⁵

Similar results have been reported in clinical studies of pembrolizumab, another PD-1 inhibitor. Keynote-010 was a randomized phase 3 trial of pembrolizumab (at either 2 mg/kg or 10 mg/kg every 3 weeks) versus docetaxel in participants with previously treated, PD-L1-positive, advanced NSCLC which specified a maximum treatment duration of 2 years for pembrolizumab. OS was significantly longer with both pembrolizumab 2 mg/kg (HR 0.72, $p = 0.00017$) and pembrolizumab 10 mg/kg (HR 0.60, $p < 0.00001$) compared to docetaxel, with an OS plateau developing beyond 2 years in both pembrolizumab arms. Among 690 patients who received pembrolizumab, 47 patients completed 2 years of pembrolizumab and stopped treatment. Most were able to maintain their response, including those with stable disease, with only 2 patients (4%) having confirmed progression after stopping at 2 years.³⁶

Keynote-006 was a randomized phase 3 study of pembrolizumab versus ipilimumab in patients with advanced melanoma, which also specified a maximum 2 year duration of pembrolizumab treatment. 104 (19%) of 556 patients randomized to pembrolizumab completed 2 years of treatment. With a median follow-up of 9 months after completion of pembrolizumab, the estimated risk of progression or death was 9% in these patients.³⁷

Taken together, these data suggest that treatment beyond 2 years is unlikely to confer additional clinically meaningful benefit and that the risk of progression after discontinuing treatment at 2 years is low.

In contrast, a shorter duration of nivolumab of only 1 year was associated with increased risk of progression in previously treated patients with NSCLC, suggesting that treatment beyond 1 year is likely needed. In CA209153, patients with previously treated advanced NSCLC who completed 1 year of nivolumab therapy were randomized to either continue or stop treatment, with the option of retreatment upon progression. Among 163 patients still on treatment at 1 year and without progression, those who were randomized to continue nivolumab had significant improvement in progression-free survival (PFS) compared to those who were randomized to stop treatment, with median PFS (post-randomization) not reached vs 10.3 months, respectively; HR=0.42 (95% CI, 0.25 to 0.71).³⁸ With a median follow-up of 14.9 months post-randomization, there also was a trend for patients on continued treatment to live longer (OS HR = 0.63 [95% CI: 0.33, 1.20]). Of note, the PFS curves in both groups plateau approximately 1 year after randomization (i.e., 2 years after treatment initiation), suggesting that there may be minimal benefit in extending treatment beyond a total of 2 years.

Collectively, these data suggest that there is minimal if any benefit derived from continuing I-O treatment beyond two years in advanced tumors. However, even though immunotherapy is well tolerated, patients will be at risk for additional toxicity with longer term treatment. Therefore, in

this study, treatment will be given for a maximum of 2 years from the start of study treatment for patients in the nivolumab combined with ipilimumab crossover extension phase. For patients on Arm A treatment, discontinuation of study treatment is allowed after 2 years of treatment, should the investigator feel it is an appropriate option for the participant.

1.4.10.7 Rationale for Infusion Duration

The predicted exposure (C_{avg} and C_{max}) of nivolumab after a 30-minute infusion is comparable to that observed with a 60-minute infusion. The nivolumab 480 mg Q4W dose is approved in the US for 30-minute IV infusion as monotherapy and has demonstrated similar safety to that of the 3 mg/kg Q2W 30-minute IV infusion.

1.4.10.8 Rationale for Crossover Extension Phase

The Data Monitoring Committee (DMC) for the CA209214 study convened on 06-Sep-2017 to review the first planned, Interim Analysis of the co-primary endpoint of overall survival (OS) in intermediate/poor risk participants based on a database lock on 07-Aug-2017. The DMC confirmed that the pre-specified boundary for OS (adjusted significance boundary < 0.002) was surpassed and unanimously recommended that the study be stopped early by the Sponsor, Bristol-Myers Squibb.³⁹

Given the statistical significance of the OS co-primary endpoint, the results from the 07-Aug-2017 database lock represent the final analysis of CA209214. After a median follow-up of 25.2 months, the combination of nivolumab + ipilimumab demonstrated superior OS compared with sunitinib in intermediate/poor-risk participants with advanced RCC, reducing the risk of death by 37%. The nivolumab + ipilimumab combination also demonstrated a significantly higher IRRC-assessed ORR compared to sunitinib (41.6% vs 26.5%), with objective responses that were deeper, including 9.4% of participants achieving a complete response (CR), and more durable, with a median duration of response (DOR) not reached at the time of database lock. Clinically meaningful improvement in PFS was also demonstrated with the nivolumab + ipilimumab combination vs sunitinib in intermediate/poor risk participants. Exploratory analyses in favorable risk participants showed more favorable efficacy in the sunitinib arm vs the nivolumab + ipilimumab arm.⁴⁰

Based on these results, protocol Amendment 14 will provide a mechanism for eligible participants randomized to sunitinib treatment (Arm B) to receive subsequent nivolumab combined with ipilimumab therapy for a maximum treatment period of 2 years as part of a crossover extension phase. Since the clinical benefit of nivolumab + ipilimumab combination in favorable risk participants has not been clearly demonstrated, only participants with intermediate/poor risk prior to randomization will be eligible for the crossover extension phase.

1.5 Overall Risk/Benefit Assessment

Patients with mRCC have multiple treatment options available to them, but none of the 7 available targeted agents have been able to demonstrate a significant improvement in overall survival when compared to each other. Median overall survival remains less than 4 years for treatment-naïve patients with the most favorable prognosis, and is substantially shorter for patients who possess adverse prognostic factors. Therefore, new therapeutic options with the potential to provide greater

survival across risk groups are needed. Nivolumab 3 mg/kg combined with ipilimumab 1 mg/kg has demonstrated substantial clinical activity, as measured by ORR, while still exhibiting an acceptable safety profile. These immunotherapy-induced responses are expected to be more durable than those induced by VEGF receptor therapy, and are therefore likely to translate into improvements in PFS and OS vs sunitinib.

2 ETHICAL CONSIDERATIONS

2.1 Good Clinical Practice

This study will be conducted in accordance with Good Clinical Practice (GCP), as defined by the International Conference on Harmonisation (ICH) and in accordance with the ethical principles underlying Regulation 536/2014 and the United States Code of Federal Regulations, Title 21, Part 50 (21CFR50).

The study will be conducted in compliance with the protocol. The protocol and any amendments and the participant informed consent will receive Institutional Review Board/Independent Ethics Committee (IRB/IEC) approval/favorable opinion prior to initiation of the study.

All potential serious breaches must be reported to BMS immediately. A serious breach is a breach of the conditions and principles of GCP in connection with the study or the protocol, which is likely to affect, to a significant degree, the safety or physical or mental integrity of the participants of the study or the scientific value of the study.

Personnel involved in conducting this study will be qualified by education, training, and experience to perform their respective tasks.

This study will not use the services of study personnel where sanctions have been invoked or where there has been scientific misconduct or fraud (eg, loss of medical licensure, debarment).

2.2 Institutional Review Board/Independent Ethics Committee

Before study initiation, the investigator must have written and dated approval/favorable opinion from the IRB/IEC for the protocol, consent form, participant recruitment materials (eg, advertisements), and any other written information to be provided to participants. The investigator or BMS should also provide the IRB/IEC with a copy of the Investigator Brochure or product labeling information to be provided to participants and any updates.

The investigator or BMS should provide the IRB/IEC with reports, updates and other information (eg, expedited safety reports, amendments, and administrative letters) according to regulatory requirements or institution procedures.

2.3 Informed Consent

Investigators must ensure that participants are clearly and fully informed about the purpose, potential risks, and other critical issues regarding clinical studies in which they volunteer to participate.

In situations where consent cannot be given to participants, their legally acceptable representatives (as per country guidelines) are clearly and fully informed about the purpose, potential risks, and other critical issues regarding clinical studies in which the participant volunteers to participate.

BMS will provide the investigator with an appropriate (ie, Global or Local) sample informed consent form which will include all elements required by ICH, GCP and applicable regulatory requirements. The sample informed consent form will adhere to the ethical principles that have their origin in the Declaration of Helsinki.

Investigators must:

- 1) Provide a copy of the consent form and written information about the study in the language in which the participant is most proficient prior to clinical study participation. The language must be non-technical and easily understood.
- 2) Allow time necessary for participant or participant's legally acceptable representative to inquire about the details of the study.
- 3) Obtain an informed consent signed and personally dated by the participant or the participant's legally acceptable representative and by the person who conducted the informed consent discussion.
- 4) Obtain the IRB/IEC's written approval/favorable opinion of the written informed consent form and any other information to be provided to the participants, prior to the beginning of the study, and after any revisions are completed for new information.
- 5) If informed consent is initially given by a participant's legally acceptable representative or legal guardian, and the participant subsequently becomes capable of making and communicating his or her informed consent during the study, consent must additionally be obtained from the participant.
- 6) Revise the informed consent whenever important new information becomes available that is relevant to the participant's consent. The investigator, or a person designated by the investigator, should fully inform the participant or the participant's legally acceptable representative or legal guardian, of all pertinent aspects of the study and of any new information relevant to the participant's willingness to continue participation in the study. This communication should be documented.

The confidentiality of records that could identify participants must be protected, respecting the privacy and confidentiality rules applicable to regulatory requirements, the participants' signed ICF and, in the US, the participants' signed HIPAA Authorization.

The consent form must also include a statement that BMS and regulatory authorities have direct access to participant records.

The rights, safety, and well-being of the study participants are the most important considerations and should prevail over interests of science and society.

3 INVESTIGATIONAL PLAN

3.1 Study Design and Duration

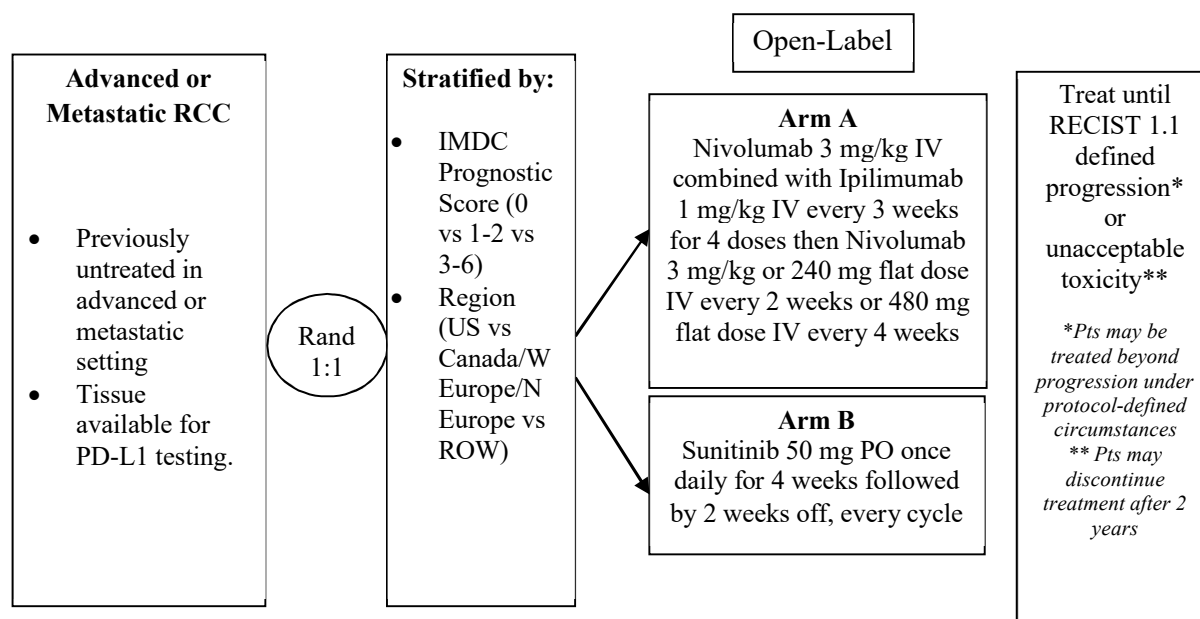
This is a Phase 3, randomized, open-label study of nivolumab 3 mg/kg combined with ipilimumab 1 mg/kg every 3 weeks for 4 doses followed by nivolumab 3 mg/kg Q2W vs sunitinib monotherapy using the approved dose and schedule (50 mg po once daily for 4 weeks followed by 2 weeks off, every cycle) in adult (≥ 18 years) participants with previously untreated advanced or metastatic RCC. The study is expected to randomize approximately 820 participants with intermediate or poor prognosis and up to approximately 250 participants with favorable prognosis as per IMDC criteria. Tumor tissue, archival or recent acquisition, must be received by the central vendor in order to be randomized. Participants must have advanced (not amenable to curative surgery or radiation) or metastatic (AJCC Stage IV) RCC, and must not have received prior systemic therapy for the treatment of advanced or metastatic RCC. Prior adjuvant or neoadjuvant therapy is allowed if such therapy did not include an agent that targets VEGF or VEGF receptors and was completed at least 6 weeks prior to randomization. Participants will be randomized 1:1 and stratified by IMDC prognostic score (0 vs 1-2 vs 3-6) and region (US vs Canada/W Europe/N Europe vs Rest of World). Participants will be randomized to Arm A (nivolumab 3 mg/kg IV combined with ipilimumab 1 mg/kg IV every 3 weeks for 4 doses, followed by nivolumab 3 mg/kg or 240 mg flat dose IV Q2W, or 480 mg IV Q4W or Arm B (sunitinib using the approved dose and schedule of 50 mg PO once daily for 4 weeks followed by two weeks off, continuously). No dose increases or reductions will be allowed for nivolumab. Dose modifications for sunitinib will be allowed as per the approved product label. A maximum of 2 sunitinib dose reductions in 12.5 mg increments will be allowed. Participants will be assessed for response (RECIST 1.1) by CT or MRI beginning 12 weeks (± 1 week) from randomization and continuing every 6 weeks (± 1 week) for the first 13 months and then every 24 weeks (± 2 weeks) until progression or treatment discontinuation, whichever occurs later. Participants will be allowed to continue study therapy after initial investigator-assessed RECIST 1.1-defined progression if assessed by the investigator to be deriving clinical benefit and tolerating study drug. Such participants should discontinue study therapy when further progression is documented (see [Section 4.5.7](#)). The co-primary endpoints of this study are ORR and PFS in intermediate and poor-risk participants, as assessed by an Independent Radiology Review Committee (IRRC) and OS in intermediate and poor-risk participants. However, the ORR analysis is intended to be descriptive and will occupy a 0.001 administrative adjustment of alpha. The analysis of ORR will occur after approximately 6 months of minimum follow-up. The final analysis of PFS will occur after 591 events. The final analysis of OS will occur after approximately 639 events (ie, deaths) have occurred. Interim analyses of OS will occur at the time of final PFS analysis and after at least 479 events (75% of targeted OS events needed for final analysis) have occurred. Key secondary endpoints include PFS, OS and ORR regardless of prognostic score.

Due to a slowdown in the accrual rate of OS events, which will cause a significant delay to reach the planned number of events for descriptive final analysis, a decision was made to change to a time-bound descriptive final OS analysis to close the study. This analysis will be conducted with

approximately 9 years median follow up. The decision to close the study was not due to any safety topics or concerns.

The study design schematic is presented in Figure 3.1-1.

Figure 3.1-1: Study Design Schematic



Abbreviations: IMDC = International Metastatic Renal-Cell Carcinoma Database Consortium; IV = intravenous; kg = kilogram; mg = milligram; N = northern; PD-L1 = Programmed death-ligand 1; PO, per os (by mouth); Pts, participants; Rand = randomized; RCC, renal cell carcinoma; RECIST = Response evaluation criteria in solid tumors; ROW = rest of world; US = United States of America; W = western.

Optional Switch to Nivolumab 240 mg Flat Dosing and Optional Discontinuation after 2 Years of Study Treatment (Arm A)

Arm A participants receiving treatment with nivolumab at the time of Amendment 14 will continue to be monitored as specified in the protocol. They may continue to receive treatment with nivolumab at the same dose or switch to nivolumab at a flat dose of 240 mg given Q2W (see [Section 1.4.10.4](#) for the rationale for the nivolumab 240 mg flat dose).

Arm A participants who have completed at least 2 years of treatment have the option to discontinue study treatment at the discretion of the participant and/or investigator (see [Section 1.4.10.6](#) for the rationale for two year maximum treatment duration). For participants who have not been assessed to have radiographic progression at the time of study treatment discontinuation, tumor assessments must continue to be performed until disease progression is documented.

Optional Switch to Nivolumab 480 mg Flat Dosing

Arm A participants receiving treatment with nivolumab at the time of revised protocol 04 will continue to be monitored as specified in the protocol. They may continue to receive treatment with

nivolumab at the same dose or switch to nivolumab at a flat dose of 480 mg given Q4W (see [Section 1.4.10.5](#) for the rationale for the nivolumab 480 mg flat dose).

Nivolumab combined with Ipilimumab Crossover Extension Phase (Arm B)

Based on the positive results of the final analysis of the study (see [Section 1.4.10.8](#) for details), Protocol Amendment 14 will provide a mechanism for participants randomized to Arm B who meet eligibility criteria specified in [Section 3.1.1](#) to receive subsequent nivolumab combined with ipilimumab therapy as part of a crossover extension phase. In the crossover extension phase, participants will receive nivolumab 3 mg/kg IV combined with ipilimumab 1 mg/kg IV every 3 weeks for 4 doses, followed by nivolumab 240 mg IV Q2W or 480 mg Q4W, until progression, unacceptable toxicity, or a maximum of 2 years from the first nivolumab combined with ipilimumab dose. Continuation of treatment in the crossover extension phase beyond investigator-assessed progression is permitted if the criteria specified in [Section 4.5.7](#) have been met and provided that treatment does not extend beyond 2 years from the first nivolumab + ipilimumab dose given in the crossover extension phase. Additional procedures required during the crossover extension phase are specified in [Table 5.1-5](#) and [Table 5.1-6](#).

This study will consist of four phases: screening, treatment, follow-up, and nivolumab combined with ipilimumab crossover extension.

Screening Phase:

- Begins by establishing the participant's initial eligibility and signing of the informed consent form (ICF).
- Participant is enrolled using the Interactive Voice Response System (IVRS).
- Tumor tissue must be received at the Central Laboratory for biomarker analyses in order for the participant to be randomized. If an insufficient amount of tumor tissue is available prior to the start of the screening phase, participants must consent to allow the acquisition of additional tumor tissue.

Treatment Phase:

- Begins with the randomization call to the IVRS. The participant will be randomly assigned to either the nivolumab combined with ipilimumab arm (Arm A) or the sunitinib arm (Arm B).
- A negative pregnancy test must be documented within 24 hours prior to the start of investigational product.
- PRO (Patient-Reported Outcome) instruments must be completed after randomization, prior to the first dose of study therapy and according to the schedule in [Table 5.1-2](#).
- Within 3 days from randomization the participant must receive the first dose of study medication (Day 1 of Cycle 1).
- On-study laboratory assessments (Cycle 2 and beyond) should be drawn within 72 hours prior to dosing.
- Adverse event assessments should be documented at each clinic visit.

- WOCBP must have a pregnancy test during week 1 and week 4 for cycles 1-2 per [Table 5.1-2](#), week 1 and week 5 starting from cycle 3 per [Table 5.1-3](#), and week 1, week 5, and week 9 per [Table 5.1-8](#).
- Study drug dosing may be delayed for toxicity.
- Each cycle during the treatment phase is expected to last 6 weeks or 12 weeks for Cycle 3 and beyond if on nivolumab 480 mg Q4W, unless there are delays.

For participants on the nivolumab + ipilimumab arm (Arm A)

For the first 2 cycles:

- Nivolumab and ipilimumab are administered every 3 weeks for 4 doses

Starting cycle 3:

- Nivolumab is administered Q2W (weight based or 240 mg flat dose) or Q4W (480 mg)

For participants on the sunitinib arm (Arm B)

Starting cycle 1:

- Sunitinib is administered daily for 4 weeks, followed by 2 weeks off

For all participants, regardless of arm:

- Treated participants will be evaluated for response according to the RECIST 1.1 guidelines beginning 12 weeks (± 1 week) after randomization and continuing every 6 weeks (± 1 week) for the first 13 months, and then every 24 weeks (± 2 weeks) until disease progression or treatment discontinuation, whichever occurs later.
- This treatment phase ends when the participant is discontinued from study therapy.

Follow-Up Phase

- Begins when the decision to discontinue a participant from study therapy is made (no further treatment with study therapy).
- Participants who discontinue treatment for reasons other than tumor progression will continue to have tumor assessments beginning 12 weeks (± 1 week) after randomization and continuing every 6 weeks (± 1 week) for the first 13 months from randomization, and every 24 weeks (± 2 weeks) thereafter until documented tumor progression.
- Participants will be followed for drug-related toxicities until these toxicities resolve, return to baseline or are deemed irreversible. All adverse events will be documented for a minimum of 100 days after last dose.
- After completion of the first two follow-up visits, participants will be followed every 3 months for survival.

- PRO instruments will be completed according to the schedule in [Table 5.1-7](#).

Nivolumab combined with Ipilimumab Crossover Extension Phase:

Screening

- Begins by establishing the participant's eligibility according to [Section 3.1.1](#) and signing of the informed consent form (ICF) for the crossover extension phase.
- Participant is entered into the crossover extension phase using the Interactive Voice Response System (IVRS).

Treatment

- A negative pregnancy test must be documented within 24 hours prior to the start of nivolumab combined with ipilimumab.
- PRO (Patient-Reported Outcome) instruments should and be completed according to the schedule in [Table 5.1-5](#) and [Table 5.1-6](#).
- On-study laboratory assessments (Cycle 2 and beyond) should be drawn within 72 hours prior to dosing.
- Adverse event assessments should be documented at each clinic visit.
- WOCBP must have a pregnancy test every 4 weeks, independent of study drug dosing.
- Study drug dosing may be delayed for toxicity.
- Each cycle during the treatment phase is expected to last 6 weeks or 12 weeks for Cycle 3 and beyond if on nivolumab 480 mg Q4W, unless there are delays.
 - For the first 2 cycles:
 - ♦ Nivolumab and ipilimumab are administered every 3 weeks for 4 doses.
 - Starting Cycle 3:
 - ♦ Nivolumab is administered Q2W (240 mg) or Q4W (480 mg).
- Treated participants will be evaluated for response according to the RECIST 1.1 guidelines beginning 12 weeks (± 1 week) after first dose and continuing every 8 weeks (± 1 week) for the first 13 months, and then every 24 weeks (± 2 week) until disease progression or treatment discontinuation, whichever occurs later.
- The treatment phase ends when the participant is discontinued from study therapy.

Follow-Up

- Begins when the decision to discontinue a participant from study therapy is made (no further treatment with study therapy).
- Two follow-up visits will be conducted.
- Participants who discontinue treatment for reasons other than tumor progression will continue to have tumor assessments beginning 12 weeks (± 1 week) after first dose and continuing every 8 weeks (± 1 week) for the first 13 months from first dose, and every 24 weeks (± 2 week) thereafter until documented tumor progression.
- Participants will be followed for drug-related toxicities until these toxicities resolve, return to baseline or are deemed irreversible. All adverse events will be documented for a minimum

of 100 days after last dose.

- After completion of the first two follow-up visits, participants will be followed every 3 months for survival.
- PRO instruments will be completed according to the schedule in [Table 5.1-7](#).

The total duration of the study from start of randomization to final analysis of OS is expected to be 61 months (20.5 months of accrual + 40.5 months of follow-up), assuming a fixed accrual rate of 57 participants per month (including 40 IMDC poor/intermediate risk participants per month). The enrollment will stop once approximately 820 intermediate/poor risk participants have been randomized regardless of the number of favorable risk participants randomized. Additional survival follow-up may continue for up to 10 years from the primary analysis of survival. The study will end once survival follow-up has concluded.

Due to a slowdown in the accrual rate of OS events, which will cause a significant delay to reach the planned number of events for descriptive final analysis, a decision was made to change to a time-bound descriptive final OS analysis to close the study. This analysis will be conducted with approximately 9 years median follow up. The decision to close the study was not due to any safety topics or concerns.

3.1.1 Nivolumab combined with Ipilimumab Crossover Extension Phase (Only for Participants Originally Randomized to Arm B)

Inclusion Criteria for the Crossover Extension Phase

1) Signed Written Informed Consent

- a) Participants must have signed and dated an IRB/IEC approved written Informed Consent Form in accordance with regulatory and institutional guidelines. This must be obtained before the performance of any protocol-related procedures that are not part of normal participant care.
- b) Participants must be willing and able to comply with scheduled visits, treatment schedule, laboratory tests and other requirements of the study.

2) Target Population

- a) Participants previously randomized to sunitinib treatment (Arm B) who were classified as either intermediate or poor risk per IMDC prognostic score prior to randomization.
- b) Prior anti-cancer therapy, including sunitinib and palliative radiotherapy, must have been completed at least 14 days prior to first dose of nivolumab combined with ipilimumab.
- c) All toxicities attributed to prior anti-cancer therapy other than alopecia and fatigue must have resolved to Grade 1 or baseline prior to first dose of nivolumab combined with ipilimumab.
- d) KPS of at least 70% (See [Appendix 2](#))
- e) Laboratory values must meet the following criteria and should be obtained within 14 days prior to first dose of nivolumab combined with ipilimumab:
 - i) $\text{WBC} \geq 2000/\mu\text{L}$

- ii) Neutrophils $\geq 1500/\mu\text{L}$
- iii) Platelets $\geq 100 \times 10^3/\mu\text{L}$
- iv) Hemoglobin $\geq 9.0 \text{ g/dL}$
- v) Serum creatinine $\leq 1.5 \times \text{ULN}$ or creatinine clearance (CrCl) $\geq 40 \text{ mL/minute}$ (using Cockcroft/Gault formula):

$$\text{Female CrCl} = \frac{(140 - \text{age in years}) \times \text{weight in kg} \times 0.85}{72 \times \text{serum creatinine in mg/dL}}$$

$$\text{Male CrCl} = \frac{(140 - \text{age in years}) \times \text{weight in kg} \times 1.00}{72 \times \text{serum creatinine in mg/dL}}$$

- vi) AST/ALT $\leq 3.0 \times \text{ULN}$ ($\leq 5 \times \text{ULN}$ for participants with liver metastases)
- vii) Total Bilirubin $\leq 1.5 \times \text{ULN}$ (except participants with Gilbert Syndrome, who can have total bilirubin $< 3.0 \text{ mg/dL}$).

Exclusion Criteria for the Crossover Extension Phase

1) Medical History and Concurrent Diseases

- a) Participants with active, known or suspected autoimmune disease. Participants with type I diabetes mellitus, hypothyroidism only requiring hormone replacement, skin disorders (such as vitiligo, psoriasis) not requiring systemic treatment, or conditions not expected to recur in the absence of an external trigger are permitted to enroll.
- b) Participants with a condition requiring systemic treatment with either corticosteroids ($> 10 \text{ mg}$ daily prednisone equivalent) or other immunosuppressive medications within 14 days prior to the first dose of nivolumab combined with ipilimumab. Corticosteroids with minimal systemic absorption (for example, topical, inhalational, or as specified in [Section 3.4.3](#)) and adrenal replacement steroid doses $> 10 \text{ mg}$ daily prednisone or equivalent are permitted in the absence of active autoimmune disease.
- c) Participants must have recovered from the effects of major surgery or significant traumatic injury at least 28 days prior to the first dose of nivolumab combined with ipilimumab.
- d) For Arm B participants receiving sunitinib treatment or in the follow-up phase who have not received any subsequent systemic therapy at the time of Amendment 14: treatment with any subsequent systemic anticancer therapy.
- e) For Arm B participants in the follow-up phase who are receiving or have received any subsequent systemic anticancer therapy at the time of Amendment 14: treatment with any additional line of subsequent systemic anticancer therapy beyond the one being given or last received at the time of Amendment 14
- f) Prior treatment with an anti-PD-1, anti-PD-L1, anti-PD-L2, anti-CD137, or anti-CTLA-4 antibody, or any other antibody or drug specifically targeting T-cell co-stimulation or checkpoint pathways.
- g) Uncontrolled adrenal insufficiency.

2) Physical and Laboratory Test Findings

- a) Known history of testing positive for human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) or known acquired immunodeficiency syndrome (AIDS).
- b) Known positive test for Hepatitis B virus or Hepatitis C virus indicating acute or chronic infection.

3.2 Post Study Access to Therapy

At the conclusion of the study, participants who continue to demonstrate clinical benefit and participants who have not exceeded 2 years of study treatment in the crossover extension phase will be eligible to receive BMS supplied study drug. Study drug will be provided via an extension of the study, a rollover study requiring approval by responsible health authority and ethics committee or through another mechanism at the discretion of BMS. BMS reserves the right to terminate access to BMS supplied study drug if any of the following occur: a) the marketing application is rejected by responsible health authority; b) the study is terminated due to safety concerns; c) the participant can obtain medication from a government sponsored or private health program; or d) therapeutic alternatives become available in the local market.

3.3 Study Population

For entry into the study, the following criteria **MUST** be met.

3.3.1 Inclusion Criteria

1. Signed Written Informed Consent

- a) Participants must have signed and dated an IRB/IEC approved written informed consent form in accordance with regulatory and institutional guidelines. This must be obtained before the performance of any protocol related procedures that are not part of normal participant care.
- b) Participants must be willing and able to comply with scheduled visits, treatment schedule, laboratory testing, and other requirements of the study.

2. Target Population

- a) Histological confirmation of RCC with a clear-cell component.
- b) Advanced (not amenable to curative surgery or radiation therapy) or metastatic (AJCC Stage IV) RCC
- c) No prior systemic therapy for RCC with the following exception:
 - i) One prior adjuvant or neoadjuvant therapy for completely resectable RCC if such therapy did not include an agent that targets VEGF or VEGF receptors and if recurrence occurred at least 6 months after the last dose of adjuvant or neoadjuvant therapy.
- d) KPS of at least 70% (See [Appendix 2](#))
- e) Measurable disease as per RECIST v1.1 (See [Appendix 3](#))
- f) Tumor tissue (FFPE archival or recent acquisition) must be received by the central vendor (block or unstained slides) in order to randomize a participant to study treatment. (Note:

Fine Needle Aspiration [FNA] and bone metastases samples are not acceptable for submission).

- g) Patients with favorable, intermediate and poor risk categories will be eligible for the study. Patients must be categorized according to favorable versus intermediate/poor risk status at registration.

To be eligible for the intermediate or poor-risk cohort, at least one of the following prognostic factors as per the International Metastatic RCC Database Consortium (IMDC) criteria must be present:

- i) KPS equal to 70%
- ii) Less than 1 year from diagnosis to randomization
- iii) Hemoglobin less than the lower limit of normal (LLN)
- iv) Corrected calcium concentration greater than 10 mg/dL ([Appendix 1](#))
- v) Absolute neutrophil count greater than the ULN
- vi) Platelet count greater than the ULN

If none of the above factors are present, participants are only eligible for the favorable-risk cohort. The favorable-risk cohort may close to enrollment earlier than the intermediate- or poor-risk cohort.

3. Age and Reproductive Status

- a) Males and Females, ≥ 18 years of age
- b) Women of childbearing potential (WOCBP) must have a negative serum or urine pregnancy test (minimum sensitivity 25 IU/L or equivalent units of HCG) within 24 hours prior to the start of study drug.
- c) Women must not be breastfeeding
- d) Women of childbearing potential (WOCBP) must agree to follow instructions for method(s) of contraception for a period of 30 days (duration of ovulatory cycle) plus the time required for the investigational drug to undergo approximately five half-lives. The terminal half-life of the active metabolite of sunitinib is up to 110 hours.
 - i) WOCBP randomized to receive nivolumab + ipilimumab should use an adequate method to avoid pregnancy for 23 weeks (30 days plus the time required for nivolumab to undergo approximately five half-lives) after the last dose of investigational drug.
 - ii) WOCBP randomized to receive sunitinib should use an adequate method to avoid pregnancy for 8 weeks (30 days plus the time required for the active metabolite of sunitinib to undergo five half-lives)
- e) Males who are sexually active with WOCBP must agree to follow instructions for method(s) of contraception for a period of 90 days (duration of sperm turnover) plus the time required for the investigational drug to undergo approximately five half-lives. The terminal half-life of the active metabolite of sunitinib is up to 110 hours.
 - i) *Not applicable per protocol revision 04.* Males randomized to receive nivolumab combined with ipilimumab who are sexually active with WOCBP must continue

- contraception for 31 weeks (90 days plus the time required for nivolumab to undergo approximately five half-lives) after the last dose of investigational drug.
- ii) Males randomized to receive sunitinib who are sexually active with WOCBP must continue contraception for 16 weeks (90 days plus the time required for the active metabolite of sunitinib to undergo five half-lives) after the last dose of investigational drug.
- f) Azoospermic males and WOCBP who are continuously not heterosexually active are exempt from contraceptive requirements. However they must still undergo pregnancy testing as described in this section.

Investigators shall counsel WOCBP and male participants who are sexually active with WOCBP on the importance of pregnancy prevention and the implications of an unexpected pregnancy. Investigators shall advise WOCBP and male participants who are sexually active with WOCBP on the use of highly effective methods of contraception. Highly effective methods of contraception have a failure rate of $< 1\%$ when used consistently and correctly.

At a minimum, participants must agree to the use of one highly effective method as listed below:

HIGHLY EFFECTIVE METHODS OF CONTRACEPTION

- Hormonal methods of contraception including combined oral contraceptive pills, vaginal ring, injectables, implants and intrauterine devices (IUDs) such as Mirena[®] by WOCBP participant or male participant's WOCBP partner. Female partners of male participants participating in the study may use hormone based contraceptives as one of the acceptable methods of contraception since they will not be receiving study drug
- Nonhormonal IUDs, such as ParaGard[®]
- Tubal ligation
- Vasectomy
- Complete Abstinence*

*Complete abstinence is defined as complete avoidance of heterosexual intercourse and is an acceptable form of contraception for all study drugs. Participants who choose complete abstinence are not required to use a second method of contraception, but female participants must continue to have pregnancy tests. Acceptable alternate methods of highly effective contraception must be discussed in the event that the participant chooses to forego complete abstinence.

LESS EFFECTIVE (UNACCEPTABLE) METHODS OF CONTRACEPTION

- Diaphragm with spermicide
- Cervical cap with spermicide
- Vaginal sponge
- Male Condom with or without spermicide
- Progestin only pills by WOCBP participant or male participant's WOCBP partner

- Female Condom*
- Periodic abstinence (calendar, symptothermal, post-ovulation methods)
- Withdrawal (coitus interruptus)
- Spermicide only
- Lactation amenorrhea method (LAM)

* A male and female condom must not be used together.

3.3.2 Exclusion Criteria

1. Target Disease Exceptions

- a) Any history of or current CNS metastases. Baseline imaging of the brain by MRI (preferred) or CT scan is required within 28 days prior to randomization.

2. Medical History and Concurrent Diseases

- a) Prior systemic treatment with VEGF or VEGF receptor targeted therapy (including, but not limited to, sunitinib, pazopanib, axitinib, tivozanib, and bevacizumab).
- b) Prior treatment with an anti-PD-1, anti-PD-L1, anti-PD-L2, anti-CD137, or anti-CTLA-4 antibody, or any other antibody or drug specifically targeting T-cell co-stimulation or checkpoint pathways.
- c) Any active or recent history of a known or suspected autoimmune disease or recent history of a syndrome that required systemic corticosteroids (> 10 mg daily prednisone equivalent) or immunosuppressive medications except for syndromes which would not be expected to recur in the absence of an external trigger. Participants with vitiligo or type I diabetes mellitus or residual hypothyroidism due to autoimmune thyroiditis only requiring hormone replacement are permitted to enroll.
- d) Any condition requiring systemic treatment with corticosteroids (> 10 mg daily prednisone equivalents) or other immunosuppressive medications within 14 days prior to first dose of study drug. Inhaled steroids and adrenal replacement steroid doses > 10 mg daily prednisone equivalents are permitted in the absence of active autoimmune disease.
- e) Uncontrolled adrenal insufficiency.
- f) Ongoing symptomatic cardiac dysrhythmias, uncontrolled atrial fibrillation, or prolongation of the Fridericia corrected QT (QTcF) interval defined as > 450 msec for males and > 470 msec for females, where $QTcF = QT / \sqrt[3]{RR}$
- g) Poorly controlled hypertension (defined as systolic blood pressure (SBP) of ≥ 150 mmHg or diastolic blood pressure (DBP) of ≥ 90 mmHg), despite antihypertensive therapy.
- h) History of any of the following cardiovascular conditions within 12 months of enrollment: cardiac angioplasty or stenting, myocardial infarction, unstable angina, coronary artery bypass graft surgery, symptomatic peripheral vascular disease, class III or IV congestive heart failure, as defined by the New York Heart Association.
- i) History of cerebrovascular accident including transient ischemic attack within the past 12 months.

- j) History of deep vein thrombosis (DVT) unless adequately treated with low molecular weight heparin
- k) History of pulmonary embolism within the past 6 months unless stable, asymptomatic, and treated with low molecular weight heparin for at least 6 weeks.
- l) History of abdominal fistula, gastrointestinal perforation, or intra-abdominal abscess within the past 6 months.
- m) Serious, non-healing wound or ulcer.
- n) Evidence of active bleeding or bleeding susceptibility; or medically significant hemorrhage within prior 30 days.
- o) Any requirement for anti-coagulation, except for low molecular weight heparin.
- p) Prior malignancy active within the previous 3 years except for locally curable cancers that have been apparently cured, such as basal or squamous cell skin cancer, superficial bladder cancer, or carcinoma in situ of the prostate, cervix, or breast.
- q) Known history of testing positive for human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) or known acquired immunodeficiency syndrome (AIDS).
- r) Any positive test for hepatitis B or hepatitis C virus indicating acute or chronic infection.
- s) Known medical condition (eg, a condition associated with diarrhea or acute diverticulitis) that, in the investigator's opinion, would increase the risk associated with study participation or study drug administration or interfere with the interpretation of safety results.
- t) Major surgery (eg, nephrectomy) less than 28 days prior to the first dose of study drug.
- u) Anti-cancer therapy less than 28 days prior to the first dose of study drug or palliative, focal radiation therapy less than 14 days prior to the first dose of study drug.
- v) Presence of any toxicities attributed to prior anti-cancer therapy, other than alopecia, that have not resolved to Grade 1 (NCI CTCAE v4) or baseline before administration of study drug.
- w) Receiving concomitant CYP3A4 inducers or strong CYP3A4 inhibitors (See [Appendix 4](#)).
- x) Impairment of gastrointestinal function or gastrointestinal disease that may significantly alter the absorption of sunitinib (eg, malabsorptive disorder, ulcerative disease, uncontrolled nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, or small bowel resection).

3. Physical and Laboratory Test Findings

- a) Left ventricular ejection fraction (LVEF) less than the LLN as assessed by echocardiography or multigated acquisition (MUGA) scan.
- b) Any of the following laboratory test findings:
 - i) $\text{WBC} < 2,000/\text{mm}^3$
 - ii) $\text{Neutrophils} < 1,500/\text{mm}^3$
 - iii) $\text{Platelets} < 100,000/\text{mm}^3$

- iv) AST or ALT > 3 x ULN (> 5 x ULN if liver metastases are present)
- v) Total Bilirubin > 1.5 x ULN (except participants with Gilbert Syndrome, who can have total bilirubin < 3.0 mg/dL)
- vi) Serum creatinine > 1.5 x upper limit of normal (ULN) or creatinine clearance < 40 mL/min (measured or calculated by Cockcroft-Gault formula):

$$\text{Female CrCl} = \frac{(140 - \text{age in years}) \times \text{weight in kg} \times 0.85}{72 \times \text{serum creatinine in mg/dL}}$$

$$\text{Male CrCl} = \frac{(140 - \text{age in years}) \times \text{weight in kg} \times 1.00}{72 \times \text{serum creatinine in mg/dL}}$$

4. Allergies and Adverse Drug Reaction

- a) History of severe hypersensitivity reaction to any monoclonal antibody.

5. Other Exclusion Criteria

- a) Prisoners or participants who are involuntarily incarcerated
- b) Participants who are compulsorily detained for treatment of either a psychiatric or physical (eg, infectious disease) illness

Eligibility criteria for this study have been carefully considered to ensure the safety of the study participants and that the results of the study can be used. It is imperative that participants fully meet all eligibility criteria.

Participant Re-enrollment: This study permits the re-enrollment of a participant that has discontinued the study as a pre-treatment failure (ie, participant has not been randomized / has not been treated). If re-enrolled, the participant must be re-consented.

3.3.3 *Women of Childbearing Potential*

A Women of childbearing potential (WOCBP) is defined as any female who has experienced menarche and who has not undergone surgical sterilization (hysterectomy or bilateral oophorectomy) and is not postmenopausal. Menopause is defined as 12 months of amenorrhea in a woman over age 45 years in the absence of other biological or physiological causes. In addition, females under the age of 55 years must have a serum follicle stimulating hormone, (FSH) level > 40mIU/mL to confirm menopause.

3.4 Concomitant Treatments

3.4.1 *Prohibited and/or Restricted Treatments*

The following medications are prohibited during the study:

- Immunosuppressive agents (except to treat a drug-related adverse event)
- Systemic corticosteroids > 10 mg daily prednisone equivalent (except as stated in [Section 3.4.3](#) below or to treat a drug-related adverse event).

- Any concurrent antineoplastic therapy (ie, chemotherapy, hormonal therapy, immunotherapy, radiation therapy except for palliative radiation therapy (Section 3.4.2), surgical resection except for palliative surgical resection (Section 3.4.2), or standard or investigational agents for treatment of cancer).

Supportive care for disease-related symptoms may be offered to all participants on the trial.

Note: Initiation of CYP3A4 inducers and inhibitors ([Appendix 4](#)) is not prohibited after dosing has begun, however Arm B participants should follow sunitinib dose modification recommendations ([Section 4.5.3.2](#)).

3.4.2 Other Restrictions and Precautions

Palliative (limited-field) radiation therapy and palliative surgical resection are permitted, if the following criteria are met:

- The participant will be considered to have progressed at the time of palliative therapy and must meet criteria to continue with treatment beyond progression ([Section 4.5.7](#))
- The case is discussed with the BMS Medical Monitor or Study Director.

3.4.3 Permitted Therapy

Participants are permitted to use topical, ocular, intra-articular, intranasal, and inhalational corticosteroids (with minimal systemic absorption). Physiologic replacement doses of systemic corticosteroids are permitted, even if > 10 mg/day prednisone equivalents. A brief course of corticosteroids for prophylaxis (eg, contrast dye allergy) or for treatment of non-autoimmune conditions (eg, delayed-type hypersensitivity reaction caused by contact allergen) is permitted.

Concomitant medications are recorded at baseline and throughout the treatment phase of the study in the appropriate section of the CRF. All medications (prescriptions or over the counter medications) continued at the start of the study or started during the study and different from the study drug must be documented in the concomitant therapy section of the CRF.

3.5 Discontinuation of Participants following any Treatment with Study Drug

Participants MUST discontinue investigational product (and non-investigational product at the discretion of the investigator) for any of the following reasons:

- Participant's request to stop study treatment
- Any clinical adverse event (AE), laboratory abnormality or intercurrent illness which, in the opinion of the investigator, indicates that continued participation in the study is not in the best interest of the participant
- Protocol defined disease progression (participants may be permitted to continue treatment beyond initial disease progression see [Section 4.5.7](#))
- Termination of the study by Bristol-Myers Squibb (BMS)

- Loss of ability to freely provide consent through imprisonment or involuntarily incarceration for treatment of either a psychiatric or physical (eg, infectious disease) illness
- Additional protocol specified reasons for discontinuation (see [Section 4.5.5](#))

In the case of pregnancy, the investigator must immediately notify the BMS Medical Monitor/designee of this event. In most cases, the study drug will be permanently discontinued in an appropriate manner. If the investigator determines a possible favorable benefit/risk ratio that warrants continuation of study drug, a discussion between the investigator and the BMS Medical Monitor/designee must occur.

All participants who discontinue study drug should comply with protocol specified follow-up procedures as outlined in [Section 5](#). The only exception to this requirement is when a participant withdraws consent for all study procedures including post-treatment study follow-up or loses the ability to consent freely (ie, is imprisoned or involuntarily incarcerated for the treatment of either a psychiatric or physical illness).

If study drug is discontinued prior to the participant's completion of the study, the reason for the discontinuation must be documented in the participant's medical records and entered on the appropriate case report form (CRF) page.

3.6 Post Study Drug Study Follow up

In this study, overall survival is a key endpoint of the study. Post study follow-up is of critical importance and is essential to preserving participant safety and the integrity of the study. Participants who discontinue study drug must continue to be followed for collection of outcome and/or survival follow-up data as required and in line with Section 5 until death or the conclusion of the study.

3.6.1 Withdrawal of Consent

Participants who request to discontinue study drug will remain in the study and must continue to be followed for protocol specified follow-up procedures. The only exception to this is when a participant specifically withdraws consent for any further contact with him/her or persons previously authorized by participant to provide this information. Participants should notify the investigator of the decision to withdraw consent from future follow-up **in writing**, whenever possible. The withdrawal of consent should be explained in detail in the medical records by the investigator, as to whether the withdrawal is from further treatment with study drug only or also from study procedures and/or post treatment study follow-up, and entered on the appropriate CRF page. In the event that vital status (whether the participant is alive or dead) is being measured, publicly available information should be used to determine vital status only as appropriately directed in accordance with local law.

3.6.2 Lost to Follow-Up

All reasonable efforts must be made to locate participants to determine and report their ongoing status. This includes follow-up with persons authorized by the participant as noted above. Lost to follow-up is defined by the inability to reach the participant after a minimum of three documented

phone calls, faxes, or emails as well as lack of response by participant to one registered mail letter. All attempts should be documented in the participant's medical records. If it is determined that the participant has died, the site will use permissible local methods to obtain the date and cause of death.

If investigator's use of third-party representative to assist in the follow-up portion of the study has been included in the participant's informed consent, then the investigator may use a Sponsor-retained third-party representative to assist site staff with obtaining participant's contact information or other public vital status data necessary to complete the follow-up portion of the study. The site staff and representative will consult publicly available sources, such as public health registries and databases, in order to obtain updated contact information. If after all attempts, the participant remains lost to follow-up, then the last known alive date as determined by the investigator should be reported and documented in the participant's medical records.

4 STUDY DRUG

Study drug includes both Investigational [Medicinal] Product (IP/IMP) and Non-investigational [Medicinal] Product (Non-IP/Non-IMP) and can consist of the following:

- All products, active or placebo, being tested or used as a comparator in a clinical trial.
- Study required premedication, and
- Other drugs administered as part of the study that are critical to claims of efficacy (eg, background therapy, rescue medications)
- Diagnostic agents: (such as glucose for glucose challenge) given as part of the protocol requirements must also be included in the dosing data collection.

Table 4-1: Study Drugs for CA209214					
Product Description / Class and Dosage Form	Potency	IP/ Non-IMP	Blinded or Open Label	Packaging/ Appearance	Storage Conditions (per label)
BMS-936558 (Nivolumab) Solution for Injection ^a	■ mg/mL	IP	Open Label	Vials	Refer to the label on container and/or Pharmacy Manual
Ipilimumab Solution for Injection	■ mg/mL	IP	Open Label	Vials	Refer to the label on container and/or Pharmacy Manual
Sunitinib Malate Capsule ^b	■ mg	IP	Open Label	Capsules (appearance may vary)	As per package insert

^a May be labeled as “BMS-936558-01” or “Nivolumab”

^b Sunitinib may be obtained by the investigational sites in certain countries as local commercial product (which may be available as a different potency/package size than listed above) if local regulations allow and agreed to by BMS.

Abbreviations: IP = investigational product; mg = milligram; mL = milliliter; Non-IMP = non-investigational medicinal product.

Premedications or medications used to treat infusion-related reactions should be sourced by the investigative sites if available and permitted by local regulations. Solutions used as diluent (ie, 0.9% Sodium Chloride Injection or 5% Dextrose Injection) should also be sourced by investigative sites if available and permitted by local regulations.

4.1 Investigational Product

An investigational product, also known as investigational medicinal product in some regions, is defined a pharmaceutical form of an active substance or placebo being tested or used as a reference in a clinical study, including products already with a marketing authorization but used or assembled (formulated or packaged) differently than the authorized form, or used for an unauthorized indication, or when used to gain further information about the authorized form.

The investigational product should be stored in a secure area according to local regulations. It is the responsibility of the investigator to ensure that investigational product is only dispensed to study participants. The investigational product must be dispensed only from official study sites by authorized personnel according to local regulations.

4.2 Non-investigational Product

Other medications used as support or escape medication for preventative, diagnostic, or therapeutic reasons, as components of the standard of care for a given diagnosis, may be considered as non-investigational products.

In this protocol, non-investigational product(s) is/are: medications used to treat nivolumab infusion-related reactions (eg, steroids, anti-emetics); these non-investigational products should be sourced by the investigator sites if available and permitted by local regulations.

4.3 Storage and Dispensing

The product storage manager should ensure that the study drug is stored in accordance with the environmental conditions (temperature, light, and humidity) as determined by BMS. If concerns regarding the quality or appearance of the study drug arise, the study drug should not be dispensed and contact BMS immediately.

Study drug not supplied by BMS will be stored in accordance with the package insert.

Investigational product documentation (whether supplied by BMS or not) must be maintained that includes all processes required to ensure drug is accurately administered. This includes documentation of drug storage, administration and, as applicable, storage temperatures, reconstitution, and use of required processes (eg, required diluents, administration sets).

Infusion-related supplies (eg, IV bags, in-line filters, 0.9% NaCl solution) will not be supplied by the sponsor and should be purchased locally if permitted by local regulations.

For nivolumab and ipilimumab, please refer to the current version of the Investigator Brochures and/or pharmacy manual for specific infusion preparation, and infusion set/infusion bag compatibility recommendations.

Nivolumab is to be administered as an approximately 30-minute IV infusion. At the end of the infusion, flush the line with a sufficient quantity of normal saline. Ipilimumab is to be administered as an approximately 30-minute IV infusion. At the end of the infusion, flush the line with a sufficient quantity of normal saline or 5% dextrose solution. When both study drugs are to be administered on the same day, separate infusion bags and filters must be used for each infusion. Nivolumab is to be administered first. The nivolumab infusion must be promptly followed by a

saline flush to clear the line of nivolumab before starting the ipilimumab infusion. The second infusion will always be ipilimumab and will start at least 30 minutes after completion of the nivolumab infusion.

For sunitinib, please refer to the appropriate SmPC or package insert and/or pharmacy reference sheets for complete storage, handling, and administration information.

4.4 Method of Assigning Participant Identification

CA209214 is a randomized, open-label study. After the participant's initial eligibility is established and informed consent has been obtained, the participant must be enrolled into the study by calling an interactive voice response system (IVRS) to obtain the participant number. Every participant that signs the informed consent form must be assigned a participant number in IVRS. Specific instructions for using IVRS will be provided to the investigational site in a separate document. The investigator or designee will register the participant for enrollment by following the enrollment procedures established by BMS. The following information is required for enrollment:

- Date that informed consent was obtained
- Date of birth
- Gender at birth

Once enrolled in IVRS, enrolled participants that have met all eligibility criteria and the required tumor tissue has been received by the central laboratory will be ready to be randomized through the IVRS. The following information is required for participant randomization:

- Participant number
- Date of birth
- KPS less than 80 (ie, KPS equal to 70)? Yes/No
- Less than 1 year from initial diagnosis of RCC (eg, nephrectomy or first diagnostic biopsy) to randomization? Yes/No
- Hemoglobin less than the LLN? Yes/No
- Corrected calcium greater than 10 mg/dL? Yes/No ([Appendix 1](#))
- Absolute neutrophil count greater than the ULN? Yes/No
- Platelet count greater than the ULN? Yes/No

Participants meeting all eligibility criteria will be randomized in a 1:1 ratio to Arm A (nivolumab combined with ipilimumab) or Arm B (sunitinib), stratified by the following factors:

- IMDC Prognostic Score (Total Number of IMDC Adverse Prognostic Factors Present)
 - 0
 - 1-2
 - 3-6

- Region
 - US
 - Canada/W Europe/N Europe
 - Rest of World

No more than 820 intermediate/poor risk participants and 250 favorable risk participants will be randomized in this study. These restrictions will be implemented via the IVRS system

The randomization procedures will be carried out via permuted blocks within each stratum. The exact procedures for using the IVRS will be detailed in the IVRS manual.

IVRS will be amended to allow all participants in the poor or intermediate cohorts previously randomized to Arm B (sunitinib) to receive treatment with nivolumab combined with ipilimumab. The IVRS will assign the nivolumab combined with ipilimumab treatment for all participants eligible for the crossover extension phase. Procedural information will be provided in a separate document.

Participants currently randomized to Arm B (sunitinib) may also continue obtaining treatment, as previously done so through the IVRS, as long as they are continuing to derive benefit from sunitinib in the judgement of the investigator.

4.5 Selection and Timing of Dose for Each Participant

The dosing schedule is detailed in Table 4.5-1 and [Table 4.5-2](#).

Table 4.5-1: Dosing Schedule for Cycle 1 and Cycle 2						
1 Cycle = 6 weeks						
	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6
Nivolumab 3 mg/kg + Ipilimumab 1 mg/kg	<u>Day 1</u> 3 mg/kg Nivolumab + 1 mg/kg Ipilimumab			<u>Day 1</u> 3 mg/kg Nivolumab + 1 mg/kg Ipilimumab		
Sunitinib	Sunitinib 50 mg PO once daily x 4 weeks				2 weeks off	

Abbreviations: kg = kilogram; mg = milligram; po = per os.

Table 4.5-2: Dosing Schedule Cycle 3 and Beyond						
1 Cycle = 6 weeks						
	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6
Nivolumab 3 mg/kg + Ipilimumab 1 mg/kg (weight based or 240 mg flat dose of Nivolumab)	<u>Day 1</u> 3 mg/kg or 240 mg flat dose Nivolumab		<u>Day 1</u> 3 mg/kg or 240 mg flat dose Nivolumab		<u>Day 1</u> 3 mg/kg or 240 mg flat dose Nivolumab	
1 Cycle = 12 weeks						
	Week 1	Weeks 2 through 4	Week 5	Weeks 6 through 8	Week 9	Weeks 10 through 12
Nivolumab 3 mg/kg + Ipilimumab 1 mg/kg (weight based or 480 mg flat dose of Nivolumab)	<u>Day 1</u> 480 mg flat dose Nivolumab		<u>Day 1</u> 480 mg flat dose Nivolumab		<u>Day 1</u> 480 mg flat dose Nivolumab	
1 Cycle = 6 weeks						
	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6
Sunitinib	Sunitinib 50 mg PO once daily x 4 weeks				2 weeks off	

Abbreviations: kg = kilogram; mg = milligram; PO = per os.

The first dose is to be administered within 3 days following randomization, except as noted in [Table 5.1-2](#).

For Arm A and Crossover Extension phase (Nivolumab combined with Ipilimumab):

When nivolumab and ipilimumab are to be administered on the same day, separate infusion bags and filters must be used for each infusion. Nivolumab is to be administered first. The second infusion will always be ipilimumab, and will be at least 30 minutes after completion of the nivolumab infusion.

Ipilimumab may be diluted in 0.9% Sodium Chloride Solution or 5% Dextrose solution. Nivolumab may be diluted in 0.9% Sodium Chloride Solution.

The dosing calculations for the 3mg/kg dosing should be based on the body weight, assessed at either the day of dosing, the start of each cycle, or the last recorded weight and if the participant's weight on the day of dosing differs by > 10% from the weight used to calculate the dose, then the dose must be recalculated. All doses should be rounded to the nearest milligram. There will be no dose modifications allowed.

During cycles 1 and 2, participants may be dosed no less than 19 days from the previous dose of drug.

Starting from cycle 3, participants may be dosed no less than 12 days or 25 days from the previous dose of drug for Q2W and Q4W dosing, respectively.

Treatment compliance will be monitored by drug accountability as well as the participant's medical record and eCRF.

Participants receiving nivolumab Q2W at 3 mg/kg as part of Arm A will have the option to switch to nivolumab at 240 mg Q2W or 480 mg Q4W as a 30-min IV infusion.

Participants who enter the nivolumab combined with ipilimumab crossover extension phase from Arm B will receive a flat dose of 240 mg Q2W or 480 mg Q4W IV infusion upon completion of the combination phase with ipilimumab.

4.5.1 *Antiemetic Premedications*

Antiemetic premedications should not be routinely administered prior to dosing of drugs. See [section 4.5.6](#) for premedication recommendations following a nivolumab or ipilimumab-related infusion reaction.

4.5.2 *Dose Delay Criteria*

Dose delay criteria apply for all drug-related adverse events (regardless of whether or not the event is attributed to nivolumab, ipilimumab, or both). All study drugs must be delayed until treatment can resume (see [Section 4.5.4](#)).

4.5.2.1 *Dose Delay Criteria for Arm A (Nivolumab combined with Ipilimumab)*

Nivolumab and ipilimumab administration should be delayed for the following:

- Any Grade ≥ 2 non-skin, drug-related adverse event, with the following exceptions:
 - Grade 2 drug-related fatigue or laboratory abnormalities do not require a treatment delay
- Any Grade 3 skin, drug-related adverse event
- Any Grade 3 drug-related laboratory abnormality, with the following exceptions for AST, ALT, or total bilirubin:
 - If a participant has a baseline AST, ALT, or total bilirubin that is within normal limits, delay dosing for drug-related Grade ≥ 2 toxicity
 - If a participant has baseline AST, ALT, or total bilirubin within the Grade 1 toxicity range, delay dosing for drug-related Grade ≥ 3 toxicity
- Grade 3 amylase or lipase abnormalities that are not associated with symptoms or clinical manifestations of pancreatitis do not require a dose delay. It is recommended to consult with the BMS Medical Monitor or Study Director for Grade 3 amylase or lipase abnormalities.
- Any adverse event, laboratory abnormality, or intercurrent illness which, in the judgment of the investigator, warrants delaying the dose of study medication.
- SARS-CoV-2 (severe acute respiratory syndrome-coronavirus-2) infection either confirmed or suspected.

During cycles 1 and 2, both nivolumab and ipilimumab must be delayed at the same time.

Because of the potential for clinically meaningful nivolumab or ipilimumab-related AEs requiring early recognition and prompt intervention, management algorithms have been developed for suspected pulmonary toxicity, GI, hepatotoxicity, endocrinopathy, skin toxicity, neurological toxicity and renal toxicity.

In order to standardize the management across of participants on Arm A, for the overlapping adverse event management algorithms present in both the BMS-936558 (nivolumab) and ipilimumab IB (**GI, hepatic, and endocrine** algorithms), the recommendations are to follow the BMS-936558 (nivolumab) IB adverse event algorithms as opposed to the ipilimumab IB algorithms.

The algorithms recommended for utilization in CA209214 are included in [Appendix 5](#).

4.5.2.2 Dose Delay Criteria for Arm B (Sunitinib)

Sunitinib dose delays should be based on instructions in the approved product label and should be considered for any severe or intolerable drug-related adverse events.

Within a cycle, missed doses of sunitinib should be skipped. Participants should never be dosed during the 2-week off period of each 6-week cycle, even if treatment delays occurred earlier in the cycle and therapy is ready to be resumed. If treatment is delayed past the end of the 6-week cycle, the start of the next cycle should be delayed until treatment with sunitinib resumes.

Prior to resuming therapy after a dose delay, refer to [Section 4.5.3.2](#) for dose reduction recommendations and [Section 4.5.5.2](#) for discontinuation criteria.

For this protocol, the following sunitinib dose delay recommendations should be followed:

- Related Grade 1 and 2 toxicities do not require dose delay, with the following exceptions:
 - For related Grade 2 hemorrhage, delay until the toxicity resolves to \leq Grade 1 or baseline.
 - Arterial thrombosis of any grade requires discontinuation (Section 4.5.5.2).
- For related Grade 3 non-hematological toxicity, delay until the toxicity resolves to \leq Grade 1 or baseline, with the following exceptions:
 - Recurrent Grade 3 drug-related hemorrhage after dose reduction requires discontinuation (Section 4.5.5.2).
 - Related AST or ALT $> 8 \times$ ULN requires discontinuation (Section 4.5.5.2).
 - Concurrent AST or ALT $> 3 \times$ ULN and total bilirubin $> 2 \times$ ULN requires discontinuation (Section 4.5.5.2).
- For related Grade 3 hematologic toxicity, delay until the toxicity resolves to \leq Grade 2 or baseline.
- For related Grade 4 non-hematological toxicity, reduce the dose by 12.5 mg, with the following exceptions:
 - Related Grade 4 symptomatic venous thrombosis requires discontinuation (Section 4.5.5.2).
 - Related Grade 4 cardiac disorder requires discontinuation (Section 4.5.5.2).

- Amylase or lipase elevations do not require dose reduction if not accompanied by other evidence of pancreatitis.
- For related Grade 4 hematological toxicity, delay until the toxicity resolves to \leq Grade 1 or baseline.
- SARS-CoV-2 infection either confirmed or suspected.

4.5.3 Dose Modifications

4.5.3.1 Dose Modifications for Arm A (Nivolumab combined with Ipilimumab)

Dose reductions or dose escalations of nivolumab or ipilimumab are not permitted, including for participants enrolled in the crossover extension phase.

4.5.3.2 Dose Modifications for Arm B (Sunitinib)

Sunitinib Dose Reductions

Sunitinib dose reductions are permitted as per the approved product label for safety reasons or when a concomitant strong CYP3A4 inhibitor is needed ([Appendix 4](#)). Selection of an alternative concomitant medication with minimal or no enzyme inhibition potential is recommended whenever possible.

Dose reductions should occur in 12.5 mg decrements. No more than 2 dose reductions are allowed. If more than 2 dose reductions are necessary (ie, reduction to less than 25 mg daily), the participant must be permanently discontinued ([Section 4.5.5](#)).

At the time a dose reduction is considered, also refer to [Section 4.5.2.2](#) for dose delays recommendations and [Section 4.5.5.2](#) for discontinuation criteria.

For this protocol, the following sunitinib dose reduction recommendations should be followed:

- Related Grade 1 and 2 toxicities do not require dose reduction, with the following exception:
 - Arterial thrombosis of any grade requires discontinuation ([Section 4.5.5.2](#)).
- For related Grade 3 non-hematological toxicity, reduce the dose by 12.5 mg at the discretion of the investigator, with the following exceptions:
 - Recurrent Grade 3 drug-related hemorrhage after dose reduction requires discontinuation ([Section 4.5.5.2](#)).
 - Related AST or ALT $> 8 \times$ ULN requires discontinuation ([Section 4.5.5.2](#)).
 - Concurrent AST or ALT $> 3 \times$ ULN and total bilirubin $> 2 \times$ ULN requires discontinuation ([Section 4.5.5.2](#)).
- For related Grade 3 hematologic toxicity, dose reduction is not required except for recurrent Grade 3 neutropenia or thrombocytopenia.
- For related Grade 4 non-hematological toxicity, reduce the dose by 12.5 mg, with the following exceptions:
 - Related Grade 4 hemorrhage requires discontinuation.

- Related Grade 4 symptomatic venous thrombosis requires discontinuation ([Section 4.5.5.2](#)).
- Related Grade 4 cardiac disorder requires discontinuation ([Section 4.5.5.2](#)).
- Amylase or lipase elevations do not require dose reduction if not accompanied by other evidence of pancreatitis.
- For related Grade 4 hematological toxicity, reduce the dose by 12.5 mg.

Sunitinib Dose Escalations

Sunitinib dose escalations are permitted as per the approved product label when a concomitant CYP3A4 inducer is needed ([Appendix 4](#)). Selection of an alternative concomitant medication with minimal or no enzyme induction potential is recommended whenever possible.

4.5.4 Criteria to Resume Treatment

4.5.4.1 Criteria to Resume Treatment on Arm A (Nivolumab combined with Ipilimumab)

Missed doses of nivolumab and/or ipilimumab should be administered as soon as the participant meets criteria to resume treatment. If a dose has been missed, the participant should not wait until the next scheduled dosing date.

Participants may resume treatment with study drug when the drug-related AE(s) resolve to Grade ≤ 1 or baseline value, with the following exceptions:

- Participants with SARS-CoV-2 infection (either confirmed or suspected) may resume treatment after **all of the following**:

At least 10 days (20 days for severe/critical illness) have passed since symptoms first appeared or positive test result (eg, RT-PCR or viral antigen), 2) resolution of acute symptoms (including at least 24 hours have passed since last fever without fever-reducing medications), 3) evaluation by the Investigator with confirmation that there are no sequelae that would place the participant at a higher risk of receiving investigational treatment, **and** 4) consultation by the medical monitor. For suspected cases, treatment may also resume if SARS-CoV-2 infection is ruled-out and other criteria to resume treatment are met.

- Participants may resume treatment in the presence of Grade 2 fatigue.
- Participants who have not experienced a Grade 3 drug-related skin AE may resume treatment in the presence of Grade 2 skin toxicity.
- Participants with baseline Grade 1 AST/ALT or total bilirubin who require dose delays for reasons other than a 2-grade shift in AST/ALT or total bilirubin may resume treatment in the presence of Grade 2 AST/ALT OR total bilirubin.
- Participants with combined Grade 2 AST/ALT AND total bilirubin values meeting discontinuation parameters ([Section 4.5.5](#)) should have treatment permanently discontinued.
- Drug-related pulmonary toxicity, diarrhea, or colitis, must have resolved to baseline before treatment is resumed.

- Drug-related endocrinopathies adequately controlled with only physiologic hormone replacement may resume treatment.

If treatment is delayed > 6 weeks (nivolumab weight based or 240 mg flat dose Q2W) or > 10 weeks (nivolumab 480 mg Q4W), the participant must be permanently discontinued from study therapy, except as specified in Section 4.5.5.

During cycles 1 and 2, both nivolumab and ipilimumab must be resumed on the same day. All four doses of nivolumab combined with ipilimumab must be given prior to beginning nivolumab monotherapy (cycle 3 and beyond).

If the participant is unable to resume both nivolumab and ipilimumab, permanent discontinuation is required (Section 4.5.5).

4.5.4.2 Criteria to Resume Treatment on Arm B (Sunitinib)

Within a cycle, missed doses of sunitinib should be skipped and not replaced. Participants should never be dosed during the 2-week off period of each 6-week cycle, even if treatment delays occurred earlier in the cycle and therapy is ready to be resumed. If treatment is delayed past the end of the 6-week cycle, the start of the next cycle should be delayed until treatment with sunitinib resumes.

- If treatment is delayed > 6 weeks for any reason, the participant must be permanently discontinued from study therapy, except in cases where permission to resume treatment is granted by the BMS Medical Monitor or Study Director.

Criteria to resume treatment are dependent on the reason for delay and are included in [Section 4.5.2.2](#).

- Participants with SARS-CoV-2 infection (either confirmed or suspected) may resume treatment after **all of the following**:

At least 10 days (20 days for severe/critical illness) have passed since symptoms first appeared or positive test result (eg, RT-PCR or viral antigen), 2) resolution of acute symptoms (including at least 24 hours have passed since last fever without fever-reducing medications), 3) evaluation by the Investigator with confirmation that there are no sequelae that would place the participant at a higher risk of receiving investigational treatment, **and** 4) consultation by the medical monitor. For suspected cases, treatment may also resume if SARS-CoV-2 infection is ruled-out and other criteria to resume treatment are met.

4.5.5 Discontinuation Criteria

4.5.5.1 Discontinuation Criteria for Arm A (Nivolumab combined with Ipilimumab)

Treatment with nivolumab and ipilimumab should be permanently discontinued for any of the following:

- Any Grade 2 drug-related uveitis or eye pain or blurred vision that does not respond to topical therapy and does not improve to Grade 1 severity within the re-treatment period OR requires systemic treatment
- Any Grade 3 non-skin, drug-related adverse event lasting > 7 days, with the following exceptions for drug-related laboratory abnormalities, uveitis, pneumonitis, bronchospasm, diarrhea, colitis, neurologic toxicity, hypersensitivity reactions, and infusion reactions:
 - Grade 3 drug-related uveitis, pneumonitis, bronchospasm, diarrhea, colitis, neurologic toxicity, hypersensitivity reaction, or infusion reaction of any duration requires discontinuation
 - Grade 3 drug-related laboratory abnormalities do not require treatment discontinuation except:
 - ◆ Grade 3 drug-related thrombocytopenia > 7 days or associated with bleeding requires discontinuation
 - ◆ Any drug-related liver function test (LFT) abnormality that meets the following criteria require discontinuation:
 - AST or ALT > 8 x ULN
 - Total bilirubin > 5 x ULN
 - Concurrent AST or ALT > 3 x ULN and total bilirubin > 2 x ULN
- Any Grade 4 drug-related adverse event or laboratory abnormality, except for the following events which do not require discontinuation:
 - Grade 4 amylase or lipase abnormalities that are not associated with symptoms or clinical manifestations of pancreatitis. It is recommended to consult with the BMS Medical Monitor or Study Director for Grade 4 amylase or lipase abnormalities.
 - Isolated Grade 4 electrolyte imbalances/abnormalities that are not associated with clinical sequelae and are corrected with supplementation/appropriate management within 72 hours of their onset
- Any dosing interruption lasting > 6 weeks (nivolumab weight based or 240 mg flat dose Q2W) or > 10 weeks (nivolumab 480 mg Q4W), unless the BMS Medical Monitor or Study Director is consulted and agrees with the rationale for resuming therapy after a delay. Note that tumor assessments should continue as per protocol even if dosing is interrupted.
- Any adverse event, laboratory abnormality, or intercurrent illness which, in the judgment of the Investigator, presents a substantial clinical risk to the participant with continued nivolumab or ipilimumab dosing

During cycles 1 and 2, both nivolumab and ipilimumab must be discontinued at the same time.

4.5.5.2 Discontinuation Criteria for Arm B (Sunitinib)

Treatment with sunitinib should be permanently discontinued for any of the following:

- Any requirement for more than 2 sunitinib dose reductions.
- Any Grade drug-related arterial thrombosis.

- Grade 4 drug-related hemorrhage or recurrent Grade 3 drug-related hemorrhage after dose reduction.
- Grade 4 drug-related symptomatic venous thrombosis.
- Grade 4 drug-related cardiac toxicity.
- Two or more symptomatic episodes of hypertension despite modification of antihypertensive medication(s) and reduction of sunitinib dose.
- Any drug-related liver function test (LFT) abnormality that meets the following criteria require discontinuation:
 1. AST or ALT > 8 x ULN.
 2. Concurrent AST or ALT > 3 x ULN and total bilirubin >2 x ULN.
- Any dosing interruption lasting > 6 weeks unless the BMS Medical Monitor or Study Director is consulted and agrees with the rationale for resuming therapy after a delay. Note that tumor assessments should continue as per protocol even if dosing is interrupted.
- Any adverse event, laboratory abnormality, or intercurrent illness which, in the judgment of the Investigator, presents a substantial clinical risk to the participant with continued sunitinib dosing.

4.5.6 Treatment of Nivolumab or Ipilimumab-Related Infusion Reactions

Since nivolumab and ipilimumab contain only human immunoglobulin protein sequences, each is unlikely to be immunogenic and induce infusion or hypersensitivity reactions. However, if such a reaction were to occur, it might manifest with fever, chills, rigors, headache, rash, pruritis, arthralgias, hypo- or hypertension, bronchospasm, or other symptoms. All Grade 3 or 4 infusion reactions should be reported within 24 hours to the BMS Medical Monitor or Study Director and reported as an SAE if criteria are met. Infusion reactions should be graded according to NCI CTCAE (version 4.0) guidelines.

Treatment recommendations are provided below and may be modified based on local treatment standards and guidelines as appropriate:

For Grade 1 symptoms: (Mild reaction; infusion interruption not indicated; intervention not indicated)

Remain at bedside and monitor participant until recovery from symptoms. The following prophylactic premedications are recommended for future infusions: diphenhydramine 50 mg (or equivalent) and/or paracetamol 325 to 1000 mg (acetaminophen) at least 30 minutes before additional nivolumab administrations.

For Grade 2 symptoms: (Moderate reaction requires therapy or infusion interruption but responds promptly to symptomatic treatment [eg, antihistamines, non-steroidal anti-inflammatory drugs, narcotics, corticosteroids, bronchodilators, IV fluids]; prophylactic medications indicated for ≤ 24 hours).

Stop the nivolumab or ipilimumab infusion, begin an IV infusion of normal saline, and treat the participant with diphenhydramine 50 mg IV (or equivalent) and/or paracetamol 325 to 1000 mg

(acetaminophen); remain at bedside and monitor participant until resolution of symptoms. Corticosteroid or bronchodilator therapy may also be administered as appropriate. If the infusion is interrupted, then restart the infusion at 50% of the original infusion rate when symptoms resolve; if no further complications ensue after 30 minutes, the rate may be increased to 100% of the original infusion rate. Monitor participant closely. If symptoms recur then no further nivolumab or ipilimumab will be administered at that visit. Administer diphenhydramine 50 mg IV, and remain at bedside and monitor the participant until resolution of symptoms. The amount of study drug infused must be recorded on the electronic case report form (eCRF). The following prophylactic premedications are recommended for future infusions: diphenhydramine 50 mg (or equivalent) and/or paracetamol 325 to 1000 mg (acetaminophen) should be administered at least 30 minutes before additional nivolumab or ipilimumab administrations. If necessary, corticosteroids (recommended dose: up to 25 mg of IV hydrocortisone or equivalent) may be used.

For Grade 3 or Grade 4 symptoms: (Severe reaction, Grade 3: prolonged [ie, not rapidly responsive to symptomatic medication and/or brief interruption of infusion]; recurrence of symptoms following initial improvement; hospitalization indicated for other clinical sequelae [eg, renal impairment, pulmonary infiltrates]). Grade 4: (life-threatening; pressor or ventilatory support indicated).

Immediately discontinue infusion of nivolumab or ipilimumab. Begin an IV infusion of normal saline, and treat the participant as follows. Recommend bronchodilators, epinephrine 0.2 to 1 mg of a 1:1,000 solution for subcutaneous administration or 0.1 to 0.25 mg of a 1:10,000 solution injected slowly for IV administration, and/or diphenhydramine 50 mg IV with methylprednisolone 100 mg IV (or equivalent), as needed. Participant should be monitored until the investigator is comfortable that the symptoms will not recur. Nivolumab or ipilimumab will be permanently discontinued. Investigators should follow their institutional guidelines for the treatment of anaphylaxis. Remain at bedside and monitor participant until recovery from symptoms. In the case of late-occurring hypersensitivity symptoms (eg, appearance of a localized or generalized pruritis within 1 week after treatment), symptomatic treatment may be given (eg, oral antihistamine, or corticosteroids).

4.5.7 Treatment Beyond Disease Progression

Accumulating evidence⁴¹ indicates a minority of participants treated with immunotherapy may derive clinical benefit despite initial evidence of PD.

Participants, regardless of study arm, will be permitted to continue treatment beyond initial investigator assessed progression as long as they meet the following criteria:

- Investigator-assessed clinical benefit
and
- Participant is tolerating study drug.

The assessment of clinical benefit should take into account whether the participant is clinically deteriorating and unlikely to receive further benefit from continued treatment.

All decisions to continue treatment beyond initial progression should be discussed with the BMS Medical Monitor or Study Director and documented in the study records.

Participants must be re-consented with an ICF addendum to continue treatment.

Participants should discontinue study therapy upon evidence of further progression, defined as an additional 10% or greater increase in tumor burden volume from time of initial progression (including all target lesions and new measurable lesions).

New lesions are considered measurable at the time of initial progression if the longest diameter is at least 10 mm (except for pathological lymph nodes, which must have a short axis of at least 15 mm). Any new lesion considered non-measurable at the time of initial progression may become measurable and therefore included in the tumor burden measurement if the longest diameter increases to at least 10 mm (except for pathological lymph nodes, which must have an increase in short axis to at least 15 mm).

Participants enrolled in the nivolumab combined with ipilimumab crossover extension phase will be permitted to continue study therapy beyond initial investigator-assessed RECIST 1.1-defined progression, as defined in this section, up to a maximum of 2 years from the first dose of nivolumab combined with ipilimumab.

4.5.8 *Immunotherapy Adverse Event Management*

Because of the potential for clinically meaningful nivolumab or ipilimumab-related AEs requiring early recognition and prompt intervention, management algorithms have been developed for suspected pulmonary toxicity, GI toxicity, hepatotoxicity, endocrinopathy, skin toxicity, neurological toxicity, and renal toxicity.

These adverse event management algorithms are included in [Appendix 5](#).

4.6 Blinding/Unblinding

Not applicable.

4.7 Treatment Compliance

Trained medical personnel will administer nivolumab and ipilimumab and dispense other study medication.

Treatment compliance will be monitored by drug accountability, as well as by recording administration of all medications in the CRF. The date and time of start and end of infusion and the exact amount given at each infusion will be recorded. Any missed doses or interruptions in sunitinib administration will be recorded. In case the treatment has to be interrupted during an infusion and the dosing is not resumed, the medical personnel should evaluate the percentage of dose received by the patient and document it in the patient record.

Any reason for non-compliance should also be documented.

4.8 Destruction of Study Drug

For this study, study drugs (those supplied by BMS or sourced by the investigator) such as partially used study drug containers, vials and syringes may be destroyed on site.

Any unused study drugs can only be destroyed after being inspected and reconciled by the responsible Study Monitor unless study drug containers must be immediately destroyed as required for safety, or to meet local regulations (eg, cytotoxics or biologics).

On-site destruction is allowed provided the following minimal standards are met:

- On-site disposal practices must not expose humans to risks from the drug.
- On-site disposal practices and procedures are in agreement with applicable laws and regulations, including any special requirements for controlled or hazardous substances.
- Written procedures for on-site disposal are available and followed. The procedures must be filed with the site's SOPs and a copy provided to BMS upon request.
- Records are maintained that allow for traceability of each container, including the date disposed of, quantity disposed, and identification of the person disposing the containers. The method of disposal, ie, incinerator, licensed sanitary landfill, or licensed waste disposal vendor must be documented.
- Accountability and disposal records are complete, up-to-date, and available for the Monitor to review throughout the clinical trial period.

If conditions for destruction cannot be met the responsible Study Monitor will make arrangements for return of study drug.

It is the investigator's responsibility to arrange for disposal of all empty containers, provided that procedures for proper disposal have been established according to applicable federal, state, local, and institutional guidelines and procedures, and provided that appropriate records of disposal are kept.

4.9 Return of Study Drug

If study drug will not be destroyed upon completion or termination of the study, all unused and/or partially used study drug that was supplied by BMS must be returned to BMS. The return of study drug will be arranged by the responsible Study Monitor.

It is the investigator's responsibility to arrange for disposal of all empty containers, provided that procedures for proper disposal have been established according to applicable federal, state, local, and institutional guidelines and procedures, and provided that appropriate records of disposal are kept.

Arrangements for the return of study drug will be made by the responsible Study Monitor.

4.10 Retained Samples for Bioavailability / Bioequivalence

Not applicable.

5 STUDY ASSESSMENTS AND PROCEDURES

5.1 Flow Chart/Time and Events Schedule

Table 5.1-1: Screening Assessments (CA209214)		
Procedure	Screening Visit	Notes
<u>Eligibility Assessments</u>		
Informed Consent	X	
Inclusion/Exclusion Criteria	X	All inclusion/exclusion criteria should be assessed prior to randomization
Medical History	X	
Tumor Tissue Samples	X	Sufficient tumor tissue, archival or recent acquisition, (block or minimum of 10 slides; obtained from core biopsy, punch biopsy, excisional biopsy or surgical specimen) received at Central Laboratory.
<u>Safety Assessments</u>		
Physical Examination	X	
Vital Signs and oxygen saturation	X	Including BP, HR, and temperature. Obtain at the screening visit and within 72 hours prior to first dose
Physical Measurements (including performance status)	X	Height and weight and Karnofsky Performance Status.
ECG ^a	X	Within 28 days prior to randomization
Cardiac Ejection Fraction	X	Within 28 days prior to randomization
Assessment of Signs and Symptoms	X	Within 14 days prior to randomization
Concomitant Medication Collection	X	Within 14 days prior to randomization
Laboratory Tests	X	CBC w/differential, Chemistry panel including: LDH, AST, ALT, ALP, T.Bili, BUN or serum urea level, creatinine, Ca, albumin, Mg, Na, K, Cl, glucose, amylase, lipase, TSH, Free T4, Free T3, Hep B/C(HBV sAg, HCV antibody or HCV RNA), within 14 days prior to randomization
Pregnancy Test (WOCBP Only)	X	

Table 5.1-1: Screening Assessments (CA209214)		
Procedure	Screening Visit	Notes
<u>Efficacy Assessment</u>		
Screening/Baseline Tumor Assessments	X	CT/MRI of the chest, abdomen, pelvis and all known sites of disease and MRI (preferred) or CT scan of the Brain within 28 days prior to randomization

^a Fridericia corrected Qt required

Abbreviations: ALP = Alkaline phosphatase; ALT = alanine aminotransferase; AST = Aspartate Aminotransferase; BP = blood pressure; BUN = blood urea nitrogen; Ca = calcium; CBC = complete blood count; Cl = chloride; CT = computerized tomography; ECG = electrocardiogram; HBV sAG = Hepatitis B surface antigen; HCV = hepatitis C virus; Hep B/C = hepatitis virus B or C; HR = heart rate; K= potassium; LDH = Lactate dehydrogenase; Mg = magnesium; MRI = magnetic resonance imaging; Na= sodium; RNA = ribonucleic acid; T.Bili = total bilirubin; TSH= thyroid stimulating hormone; T4 = thyroxine; T3 = triiodothyronine; WOCBP = women of child bearing potential.

Table 5.1-2: On-study Assessments Cycles 1 and 2 (CA209214)							
Procedure	Cycle 1 and Cycle 2^a (Cycle = 6 weeks)						Notes
	Day 1 Week 1	Day 1 Week 2	Day 1 Week 3	Day 1 Week 4	Day 1 Week 5	Day 1 Week 6	
<u>Safety Assessments</u>							
Targeted Physical Examination	X			X			To be performed only as clinically indicated within 72 hours prior to dosing.
Vital Signs	X			X			Including BP, HR, and temperature.
Physical Measurements (including performance status)	X			X			Weight and KPS within 72 hours prior to dosing
Adverse Events Assessment	Continuously						
Review of Concomitant Medications	X			X			
Laboratory Tests	X			X			Within 72 hrs prior to dosing to include CBC w/ differential, AST, ALT, ALP, T.Bili, BUN or serum urea level, creatinine, Ca, Mg, Na, K, Cl, LDH, glucose, amylase, lipase, TSH (with reflexive Free T4 and Free T3). Note: C1W1D1 labs do not need to be repeated if they were performed within 14 days of dosing.
Pregnancy Test (WOCBP Only)	X			X			Within 24 hours prior to administration of first dose of study drug and thereafter Q4 weekly independent of study drug dosing. Serum or Urine
<u>Exploratory Biomarker Testing</u>							
Exploratory Serum Biomarkers	Y			Y			To be collected pre-dose; Y= only for Cycle 1
Peripheral Blood RNA	Y			Y			To be collected pre-dose; Y= only for Cycle 1

Table 5.1-2: On-study Assessments Cycles 1 and 2 (CA209214)							
Procedure	Cycle 1 and Cycle 2^a (Cycle = 6 weeks)						Notes
	Day 1 Week 1	Day 1 Week 2	Day 1 Week 3	Day 1 Week 4	Day 1 Week 5	Day 1 Week 6	
Whole Blood Sample for Genotyping	Y						EDTA Tubes for DNA. Must be obtained prior to dosing. Y= only for Cycle 1.
Myeloid Derived Suppressor Cells (MDSCs)	Y						Cyto-Chex BCT for MDSC stabilization. Must be obtained prior to dosing. Y = only for cycle 1.
Peripheral Blood Mononuclear Cells (PBMCs)	X			Y			Please refer to lab manual for instructions. Y = only for cycle 1 3 Collections Total - Cycle 1 Week1, Cycle 1 Week4, Cycle 2 Week 1
<u>Efficacy Assessments</u>							
Tumor Assessments ^b	<p>FIRST tumor assessment should be performed at 12 weeks (± 1 week) following randomization.</p> <p>SUBSEQUENT tumor assessments should occur every 6 weeks (± 1 week) thereafter for the first 13 months, then every 24 weeks (± 2 weeks) until disease progression.</p> <p>CT/MRI of the chest, abdomen, pelvis and all known sites of disease. Use same imaging method as was used at screening/baseline.</p>						
<u>Clinical Drug Supplies</u>							
IVRS-Randomize	Y						Y=Only for cycle 1
Administer Nivolumab and Ipilimumab (Arm A)	X			X			First dose to be administered within 3 days following randomization. Subsequent doses may be administered within 3 days after the scheduled date if necessary.
Dispense Sunitinib (Arm B)	X						First dose to be administered within 3 days following randomization. ^c

Table 5.1-2: On-study Assessments Cycles 1 and 2 (CA209214)							
Procedure	Cycle 1 and Cycle 2 ^a (Cycle = 6 weeks)						Notes
	Day 1 Week 1	Day 1 Week 2	Day 1 Week 3	Day 1 Week 4	Day 1 Week 5	Day 1 Week 6	
<u>Outcomes Research Assessments</u>							
FACT-G	X			X			D1W1 should be completed after randomization but prior to any study-related procedures.
EQ-5D-3L	X			X			D1W1 should be completed after randomization but prior to any study-related procedures.
FKSI-19	X			X			D1W1 should be completed after randomization but prior to any study-related procedures.
Healthcare Resource Utilization	X			X			

^a If a dose is delayed, the procedures scheduled for that same timepoint should also be delayed to coincide with when that timepoint's dosing actually occurs.

^b Tumor assessment timepoints will be performed from randomization, these time points are independent of dosing.

^c C1D1 dose should occur within 3 days of treatment assignment. Participants requiring preapproval from insurance or other sources to obtain sunitinib may delay start of treatment an additional 5 days (total of 8 days from treatment assignment in IVRS) to obtain approvals. Treatment should start as soon as possible after approval received. If additional time is required, notify site manager. For these participants, CBC and/or Chemistry should be repeated ≤ 72 hours prior to the initial dose if more than 5 days has elapsed since testing performed or if the investigator notes any changes in the participant's condition that warrant repeat testing.

Abbreviations: ALP = Alkaline phosphatase; ALT = alanine aminotransferase; AST = Aspartate Aminotransferase; BCT = blood collection tube; BP = blood pressure; BUN = blood urea nitrogen; C1= cycle 1; Ca = calcium; CBC = complete blood count; Cl = chloride; CT = computerized tomography; D1 = day 1; DNA = deoxyribonucleic acid; ECG = electrocardiogram; EDTA = Ethylenediaminetetraacetic acid; EQ-5D-3L = EuroQol five-dimension 3 level questionnaire; FACT-G = Functional Assessment of Cancer Therapy - General questionnaire; FKSI-19 = Functional Assessment of Cancer Therapy Kidney Symptom Index 19; HR = heart rate; IVRS = interactive voice response system; K= potassium; KPS = Karnofsky Performance Scale; LDH = Lactate dehydrogenase; MDSCs = Myeloid Derived Suppressor Cells; Mg = magnesium; MRI = magnetic resonance imaging; Na= sodium; PBMCs = Peripheral Blood Mononuclear Cells; RNA = ribonucleic acid; T.Bili = total bilirubin; TSH= thyroid stimulating hormone; T4 = thyroxine; T3 = triiodothyronine; W1 = week 1; WOCBP = women of child bearing potential.

Table 5.1-3: On-study Assessments Cycle 3 and Beyond (CA209214)^a Arm A (240 mg Q2W) and Arm B							
Procedure	Cycle 3 and Beyond (Cycle = 6 weeks)						Notes
	Day 1 Week 1	Day 1 Week 2	Day 1 Week 3	Day 1 Week 4	Day 1 Week 5	Day 1 Week 6	
<u>Safety Assessments</u>							
Targeted Physical Examination	X		X: Arm A only		X: Arm A only		To be performed only if clinically indicated within 72 hours prior to dosing
Vital Signs	X		X: Arm A only		X: Arm A only		Including BP, HR, and temperature.
Physical Measurements (including performance status)	X		X: Arm A only		X: Arm A only		Weight and KPS within 72 hours prior to dosing.
Safety Phone Call					X: Arm B only		
<u>Adverse Events Assessment</u>	Continuously						
Review of Concomitant Medications	X		X: Arm A only		X		
Laboratory Tests	X		X: Arm A only AST, ALT, ALP, and T. Bili only		X: Arm A only		Within 72 hrs prior to re-dosing to include CBC w/ differential, AST, ALT, ALP, T.Bili, BUN or serum urea level, creatinine. Ca, Mg, Na, K, Cl, LDH, glucose, amylase, lipase, TSH (with reflexive Free T4 and Free T3)

Table 5.1-3: On-study Assessments Cycle 3 and Beyond (CA209214)^a Arm A (240 mg Q2W) and Arm B							
Procedure	Cycle 3 and Beyond (Cycle = 6 weeks)						Notes
	Day 1 Week 1	Day 1 Week 2	Day 1 Week 3	Day 1 Week 4	Day 1 Week 5	Day 1 Week 6	
Pregnancy Test (WOCBP Only)	X				X: Arm A only		Within 24 hours prior to administration of study drug. Serum or Urine
<u>Efficacy Assessments</u>							
Tumor Assessments	<p>FIRST tumor assessment should first be performed at 12 weeks (\pm 1 week) following randomization.</p> <p>SUBSEQUENT tumor assessments should occur every 6 weeks (\pm 1 week) up to first 13 months, then every 24 weeks (\pm 2 weeks) until disease progression.</p> <p>CT/MRI of chest, abdomen, pelvis and all known sites of disease. Use same imaging method as was used at screening/baseline.</p>						
<u>Clinical Drug Supplies</u>							
Administer Nivolumab (Arm A) ^{b,c}	X		X		X		Subsequent doses may be administered within 3 days after the scheduled date if necessary. See Section 4.5
Dispense Sunitinib (Arm B)	X						
<u>Outcomes Research Assessments</u>							
FACT-G	X				Y		Prior to any study-related procedures. Y=only during 1st 6 months
EQ-5D-3L	X				Y		Prior to any study-related procedures. Y=only during 1st 6 months
FKSI-19	X				Y		Prior to any study-related procedures. Y=only during 1st 6 months
Healthcare Resource Utilization	X				Y		Y=only during 1st 6 months

^a If a dose is delayed, the procedures scheduled for that same timepoint should also be delayed to coincide with when that timepoint's dosing actually occurs.

- ^b Participants can receive nivolumab at 3mg/kg or 240 mg flat dose.
- ^c Arm A participants who have completed at least 2 years of treatment have the option to discontinue study treatment at the discretion of the participant and/or investigator.

Abbreviations: ALP = Alkaline phosphatase; ALT = alanine aminotransferase; AST = Aspartate Aminotransferase; BP = blood pressure; BUN = blood urea nitrogen; Ca = calcium; CBC = complete blood count; Cl = chloride; CT = computerized tomography; EQ-5D-3L = EuroQol five-dimension 3 level questionnaire; FACT-G = Functional Assessment of Cancer Therapy - General questionnaire; FKSI-19 = Functional Assessment of Cancer Therapy Kidney Symptom Index 19; HR = heart rate; K= potassium; KPS = Karnofsky Performance Scale; LDH = Lactate dehydrogenase;; Mg = magnesium; MRI = magnetic resonance imaging; Na= sodium; Q2W = every 2 weeks; T.Bili = total bilirubin; TSH= thyroid stimulating hormone; T4 = thyroxine; T3 = triiodothyronine; WOCBP = women of child bearing potential.

Table 5.1-4: Screening Assessments (CA209214) for Participants Previously Randomized to Arm B Entering Nivolumab Combined with Ipilimumab Crossover Extension Phase		
Procedure	Screening Visit	Notes
<u>Eligibility Assessments</u>		
Informed Consent	X	
Inclusion/Exclusion Criteria	X	Assessed prior to calling IVRS and registering the participant for crossover extension phase
Medical History	X	
<u>Safety Assessments</u>		
Physical Examination	X	
Vital Signs	X	Including BP, HR, & temperature. Obtain vital signs within 72 hours prior to first dose of nivolumab combined with ipilimumab.
Physical Measurements (including performance status)	X	Height and weight and Karnofsky Performance Status
ECG ^a	X	Within 28 days prior to first dose of nivolumab combined with ipilimumab
Assessment of Signs and Symptoms	X	After obtaining Informed Consent, assess all signs and symptoms within 14 days prior to the first dose of nivolumab combined with ipilimumab
Concomitant Medication Collection	X	Within 14 days prior to first dose of nivolumab combined with ipilimumab
Laboratory Tests	X	Labs performed locally within 14 days prior to first dose of nivolumab combined with ipilimumab (unless otherwise specified): CBC w/Differential, Chemistry Panel including: LDH, AST, ALT, ALP, T.Bili, BUN or Serum Urea Level, Creatinine, Ca, Albumin, Mg, Na, K, Cl, Glucose, Amylase, Lipase, TSH, Free T4, Free T3
Pregnancy Test (WOCBP Only)	X	Performed within 24 hours prior to first dose of nivolumab combined with ipilimumab (serum or urine)

Table 5.1-4: Screening Assessments (CA209214) for Participants Previously Randomized to Arm B Entering Nivolumab Combined with Ipilimumab Crossover Extension Phase		
Procedure	Screening Visit	Notes
<u>Efficacy Assessments</u>		
Radiographic Tumor Assessment (Chest, Abdomen, Pelvis)	X	Should be performed within 28 days prior to first dose of nivolumab combined with ipilimumab. MRI of brain (with contrast unless contraindicated) is required in participants with known history of brain metastases. Additional site of known or suspected disease (including CNS) should be imaged prior to first dose of nivolumab combined with ipilimumab.
<u>Other</u>		
Patient-Reported Outcome Measurements	X	Prior to first dose of nivolumab combined with ipilimumab: FKSI-DRS and EQ-5D-3L

^a Fridericia corrected Qt required

Abbreviations: ALP = Alkaline phosphatase; ALT = alanine aminotransferase; AST = Aspartate Aminotransferase; BP = blood pressure; BUN = blood urea nitrogen; Ca = calcium; CBC = complete blood count; Cl = chloride; ECG = electrocardiogram; EQ-5D-3L = EuroQol five-dimension 3 level questionnaire; FKSI-DRS = Functional Assessment of Cancer Therapy Kidney Cancer Symptom Index - Disease Related Symptoms; HR = heart rate; IVRS = interactive voice response system; K= potassium; LDH = Lactate dehydrogenase; Mg = magnesium; MRI = magnetic resonance imaging; Na= sodium; T.Bili = total bilirubin; TSH= thyroid stimulating hormone; T4 = thyroxine; T3 = triiodothyronine; WOCBP = women of child bearing potential.

Table 5.1-5: On-study Assessments Cycles 1 and 2 (CA209214) for Participants Previously Randomized to Arm B Entering Nivolumab Combined with Ipilimumab Crossover Extension Phase							
Procedure	Cycle 1 and Cycle 2 ^a (Cycle = 6 Weeks)						Notes
	Day 1 Week 1	Day1 Week 2	Day 1 Week 3	Day 1 Week 4	Day 1 Week 5	Day 1 Week 6	
<u>Safety Assessments</u>							
Targeted Physical Examination	X			X			To be performed only as clinically indicated within 72 hours prior to dosing
Vital Signs	X			X			Including BP, HR, and temperature.
Physical Measurements (including performance status)	X			X			Weight and KPS within 72 hours prior to dosing
Adverse Events Assessment	Continuously						
Review of Concomitant Medications	X			X			
Laboratory Tests	X			X			Within 72 hours prior to dosing to include CBC w/Differential, LFTs, BUN or Serum Urea, Creatinine, AST, ALT, ALP, T.Bili, Ca, Mg, Na, K, Cl, Glucose, Amylase, Lipase, TSH (with Reflective Free T4 and Free T3). Note: C1W1D1 labs do not need to be repeated if they were performed within 14 days of dosing.
Pregnancy Test (WOCBP Only)	X			X			Serum or Urine - within 24 hours prior to administration of first dose of nivolumab combined with ipilimumab, thereafter Q4 weekly independent of study drug dosing.
<u>Efficacy Assessments</u>							
Tumor Assessments ^b	FIRST tumor assessment should be performed at 12 weeks (\pm 1 week) following first dose of nivolumab combined with ipilimumab.						

Table 5.1-5: On-study Assessments Cycles 1 and 2 (CA209214) for Participants Previously Randomized to Arm B Entering Nivolumab Combined with Ipilimumab Crossover Extension Phase							
Procedure	Cycle 1 and Cycle 2 ^a (Cycle = 6 Weeks)						Notes
	Day 1 Week 1	Day1 Week 2	Day 1 Week 3	Day 1 Week 4	Day 1 Week 5	Day 1 Week 6	
	SUBSEQUENT tumor assessments should occur every 8 weeks (\pm 1 week) thereafter for the first 13 months, then every 24 weeks (\pm 2 weeks) until disease progression. CT/MRI of the chest, abdomen, pelvis and all known sites of disease. Use same imaging method as was used at screening/baseline.						
<u>Clinical Drug Supplies</u>							
IVRS - Register Crossover Extension Phase	Y						Y = Only for Cycle 1
Administer Study Treatment	X			X			Record study drug infusion start and stop times for nivolumab and ipilimumab. Doses of nivolumab combined with ipilimumab should not be given less than 19 days from the previous dose.
<u>Outcomes Research Assessments</u>							
EQ-5D-3L	X			X			Prior to any study-related procedures
FKSI-19	X			X			Prior to any study-related procedures
Healthcare Resource Utilization	X			X			Except Cycle 1 (See Section 5.7.1)

^a If a dose is delayed, the procedures scheduled for that same timepoint should also be delayed to coincide with when that timepoint's dosing actually occurs.

^b Tumor assessment timepoints will be performed from first dose of nivolumab combined with ipilimumab; these time points are independent of dosing.

Abbreviations: ALP = Alkaline phosphatase; ALT = alanine aminotransferase; AST = Aspartate Aminotransferase; BP = blood pressure; BUN = blood urea nitrogen; C1W1D1= cycle 1 week 1 day 1; Ca = calcium; CBC = complete blood count; Cl = chloride; CT = computerized tomography; EQ-5D-3L = EuroQol five-dimension 3 level questionnaire; FKSI-19 = Functional Assessment of Cancer Therapy Kidney Symptom Index 19; HR = heart rate; IVRS = interactive voice response system; K= potassium; Mg = magnesium; MRI = magnetic resonance imaging; Na= sodium; T.Bili = total bilirubin; TSH= thyroid stimulating hormone; T4 = thyroxine; T3 = triiodothyronine; WOCBP = women of child bearing potential.

Table 5.1-6: On-study Assessments Cycle 3 and Beyond (CA209214) for Participants Previously Randomized to Arm B Entering Nivolumab Combined with Ipilimumab Crossover Extension Phase							
Procedure	Cycle 3 and Beyond ^a (Cycle = 6 Weeks)						Notes
	Day 1 Week 1	Day 1 Week 2	Day 1 Week 3	Day 1 Week 4	Day 1 Week 5	Day 1 Week 6	
<u>Safety Assessments</u>							
Targeted Physical Examination	X		X		X		To be performed only if clinically indicated within 72 hours prior to dosing
Vital Signs	X		X		X		Including BP, HR, and temperature.
Physical Measurements (including performance status)	X		X		X		Weight and KPS within 72 hours prior to dosing
Adverse Events Assessment	Continuously						
Review of Concomitant Medications	X		X		X		
Laboratory Tests	X		Y		X		X: Within 72 hours prior to dosing to include CBC w/Differential, LFTs, BUN or Serum Urea, Creatinine, AST, ALT, ALP, T.Bili, Ca, Mg, Na, K, Cl, Glucose, Amylase, Lipase, TSH (with Reflexive Free T4 and Free T3) Y: AST, ALT, ALP, and T.Bili only
Pregnancy Test (WOCBP Only)	X				X		Serum or Urine - within 24 hours prior to administration of nivolumab

Table 5.1-6: On-study Assessments Cycle 3 and Beyond (CA209214) for Participants Previously Randomized to Arm B Entering Nivolumab Combined with Ipilimumab Crossover Extension Phase							
Procedure	Cycle 3 and Beyond ^a (Cycle = 6 Weeks)						Notes
	Day 1 Week 1	Day 1 Week 2	Day 1 Week 3	Day 1 Week 4	Day 1 Week 5	Day 1 Week 6	
<u>Efficacy Assessments</u>							
Tumor Assessments ^b	<p>FIRST tumor assessment should be performed at 12 weeks (\pm 1 week) following first dose of nivolumab combined with ipilimumab.</p> <p>SUBSEQUENT tumor assessments should occur every 8 weeks (\pm 1 week) thereafter for the first 13 months, then every 24 weeks (\pm 2 weeks) until disease progression.</p> <p>CT/MRI of the chest, abdomen, pelvis and all known sites of disease. Use same imaging method as was used at screening/baseline.</p>						
<u>Clinical Drug Supplies</u>							
Administer Study Treatment	X		X		X		<p>Participants will receive nivolumab 240 mg flat dose.</p> <p>Record study drug infusion start and stop times.</p> <p>Doses of nivolumab should not be given less than 12 days from the previous dose. The first dose of nivolumab monotherapy should not be given less than 19 days from the previous nivolumab combined with ipilimumab dose.</p>
<u>Outcomes Research Assessments</u>							
EQ-5D-3L	X				Y		<p>Prior to any study-related procedures.</p> <p>Y = Only during the first 6 months</p>
FKSI-19	X				Y		<p>Prior to any study-related procedures.</p> <p>Y = Only during the first 6 months</p>
Healthcare Resource Utilization	X				Y		<p>Y = Only during the first 6 months</p>

^a If a dose is delayed, the procedures scheduled for that same timepoint should also be delayed to coincide with when that timepoint's dosing actually occurs.

^b Tumor assessment timepoints will be performed from first dose of nivolumab combined with ipilimumab; these time points are independent of dosing.

Abbreviations: ALP = Alkaline phosphatase; ALT = alanine aminotransferase; AST = Aspartate Aminotransferase; BP = blood pressure; BUN = blood urea nitrogen; Ca = calcium; CBC = complete blood count; Cl = chloride; CT = computerized tomography; EQ-5D-3L = EuroQol five-dimension 3 level questionnaire; FKSI-19 = Functional Assessment of Cancer Therapy Kidney Symptom Index 19; HR = heart rate; K= potassium; KPS = Karnofsky Performance Scale; LFTs = liver function tests; Mg = magnesium; MRI = magnetic resonance imaging; Na= sodium; T.Bili = total bilirubin; TSH= thyroid stimulating hormone; T4 = thyroxine; T3 = triiodothyronine; WOCBP = women of child bearing potential.

Table 5.1-7: Follow-up Assessments (CA209214) - All Participants			
Procedure	Follow-Up^a, Visits 1 and 2	Survival^b, Follow-up Visits	Notes
Safety Assessments			
Targeted Physical Examination	X		To assess for potential late emergent study drug related issues
Adverse Events Assessment	X	X	
Laboratory Tests	X		On site/local CBC w/differential, AST, ALT, ALP, T.Bili, BUN or serum urea level, creatinine and TSH for X01, repeat at X02 (or XX02 for crossover extension phase) if study drug related toxicity persists.
Pregnancy Test (WOCBP Only)	X		Serum or urine
Review of Concomitant Medication	X		
Outcomes Research Assessments			
FACT-G	X		Follow-up visits 1 and 2 only.
EQ-5D-3L	X	Y	X=entered by patient, Y=Instrument to be entered by site every 3 months for the first 12 months then every 6 months thereafter.
FKSI-19	X		Follow-up visits 1 and 2 only.
Healthcare Resource Utilization	X		Follow-up visits 1 and 2 only
Survival Status			
Participant Status	X	X	Every 3 months, may be accomplished by visit or phone contact, to include subsequent anti-cancer therapy

Table 5.1-7: Follow-up Assessments (CA209214) - All Participants			
Procedure	Follow-Up ^a , Visits 1 and 2	Survival ^b , Follow-up Visits	Notes
Efficacy Assessments			
Tumor Assessments	<p>Only for participants without RECIST 1.1 defined progression on study therapy.</p> <p><u>For All Participants Not in the Nivolumab Combined with Ipilimumab Crossover Extension Phase:</u> FIRST tumor assessment should first be performed at 12 weeks (\pm 1 week) following randomization SUBSEQUENT tumor assessments should occur every 6 weeks (\pm 1 week) thereafter for the first 13 months, then every 24 weeks (\pm 2 weeks) until disease progression CT/MRI of the chest, abdomen, pelvis and all known sites of disease. Use same imaging method as was used at screening/baseline.</p> <p><u>For All Participants in the Nivolumab Combined with Ipilimumab Crossover Extension Phase:</u> FIRST tumor assessment should first be performed at 12 weeks (\pm 1 week) following first dose SUBSEQUENT tumor assessments should occur every 8 weeks (\pm 1 week) thereafter for the first 13 months, then every 24 weeks (\pm 2 weeks) until disease progression CT/MRI of the chest, abdomen, pelvis and all known sites of disease. Use same imaging method as was used at screening/baseline.</p>		

^a Follow-up visit 1 (FU1) = 30 days from the last dose \pm 7 days or coincide with the date of discontinuation (\pm 7 days) if date of discontinuation is greater than 37 days after last dose, Follow-up visit 2 (FU2) = 84 days (\pm 7 days) from follow-up visit 1; participants will follow the same timeframe and procedures for the Nivolumab combined with Ipilimumab Crossover Extension phase, with the exception of the PK sample collection.

^b Survival visits = every 3 months from FU2 \pm 14 days; participants will follow the same timeframe and procedures for the Nivolumab combined with Ipilimumab Crossover Extension phase.

Abbreviations: ALP = Alkaline phosphatase; ALT = alanine aminotransferase; AST = Aspartate Aminotransferase; BUN = blood urea nitrogen; CBC = complete blood count; CT = computerized tomography; EQ-5D-3L = EuroQol five-dimension 3 level questionnaire; FACT-G = Functional Assessment of Cancer Therapy - General questionnaire; FKS1-19 = Functional Assessment of Cancer Therapy Kidney Symptom Index 19; IVRS = interactive voice response system; MRI = magnetic resonance imaging; RECIST = Response Evaluation Criteria In Solid Tumors; T.Bili = total bilirubin; TSH= thyroid stimulating hormone; WOCBP = women of child bearing potential.

Table 5.1-8: On-study Assessments Cycle 3 and Beyond (CA209214) 480 mg Q4W													
Procedure	Cycle 3 and Beyond (Cycle = 12 weeks)												Notes
	Day 1 Week 1	Week 2	Day 1 Week 3	Week 4	Day 1 Week 5	Week 6	Day 1 Week 7	Week 8	Day 1 Week 9	Week 10	Day 1 Week 11	Week 12	
Safety Assessments													
Targeted Physical Examination	X				X				X				To be performed only if clinically indicated within 72 hours prior to dosing
Vital Signs	X				X				X				Including BP, HR, and temperature.
Physical Measurements (including performance status)	X				X				X				Weight and KPS within 72 hours prior to dosing.
Safety Phone Call			X				X				X		
Adverse Events Assessment	Continuously												
Review of Concomitant Medications	X		X		X		X		X		X		
Laboratory Tests	X				X				X				Within 72 hrs prior to re-dosing to include CBC w/ differential, AST, ALT, ALP, T.Bili, BUN or serum urea level, creatinine, Ca, Mg, Na, K, Cl, LDH, glucose, amylase, lipase, TSH (with reflexive Free T4 and Free T3)
Pregnancy Test (WOCBP Only)	X				X				X				Within 24 hours prior to administration of study drug. Serum or Urine

Table 5.1-8: On-study Assessments Cycle 3 and Beyond (CA209214) 480 mg Q4W													
Procedure	Cycle 3 and Beyond (Cycle = 12 weeks)												Notes
	Day 1 Week 1	Week 2	Day 1 Week 3	Week 4	Day 1 Week 5	Week 6	Day 1 Week 7	Week 8	Day 1 Week 9	Week 10	Day 1 Week 11	Week 12	
Efficacy Assessments													
Tumor Assessments	FIRST tumor assessment should first be performed at 12 weeks (± 1 week) following randomization (Arm A) or first dose (Crossover extension). SUBSEQUENT tumor assessments should occur every 6 weeks for Arm A or every 8 weeks for Crossover extension (± 1 week) up to first 13 months, then every 24 weeks (± 2 weeks) until disease progression. CT/MRI of chest, abdomen, pelvis and all known sites of disease. Use same imaging method as was used at screening/baseline.												
Clinical Drug Supplies													
Administer Nivolumab (Arm A) ^b	X				X				X				Subsequent doses may be administered within 3 days after the scheduled date if necessary. See Section 4.5
Dispense Sunitinib (Arm B)													
Outcomes Research Assessments	X												
FACT-G	X												Prior to any study-related procedures.
EQ-5D-3L	X												Prior to any study-related procedures.
FKSI-19	X												Prior to any study-related procedures.
Healthcare Resource Utilization	X				X				X				

^a If a dose is delayed, the procedures scheduled for that same timepoint should also be delayed to coincide with when that timepoint's dosing actually occurs.

^b Arm A participants who have completed at least 2 years of treatment have the option to discontinue study treatment at the discretion of the participant and/or investigator.

Abbreviations: ALP = Alkaline phosphatase; ALT = alanine aminotransferase; AST = Aspartate Aminotransferase; BP = blood pressure; BUN = blood urea nitrogen; Ca = calcium; CBC = complete blood count; Cl = chloride; CT = computerized tomography; EQ-5D-3L = EuroQol five-dimension 3 level questionnaire; FACT-G = Functional Assessment of Cancer Therapy - General questionnaire; FKSI-19 = Functional Assessment of Cancer Therapy Kidney Symptom Index 19; HR = heart rate; K = potassium; KPS = Karnofsky Performance Scale; LDH = Lactate dehydrogenase; Mg = magnesium; MRI = magnetic resonance imaging; Na = sodium; T.Bili = total bilirubin; TSH = thyroid stimulating hormone; T4 = thyroxine; T3 = triiodothyronine; WOCBP = women of child bearing potential.

5.1.1 Retesting During Screening or Lead in Period

Retesting of laboratory parameters and/or other assessments within any single Screening or Lead-in period will be permitted (in addition to any parameters that require a confirmatory value). Any new result will override the previous result (ie, the most current result prior to Randomization) and is the value by which study inclusion will be assessed, as it represents the participant's most current, clinical state.

5.2 Study Materials

- NCI CTCAE version 4.0
- Nivolumab Investigator Brochure
- Ipilimumab Investigator Brochure
- Pharmacy Binder
- Laboratory manuals for collection and handling of blood (including biomarkers) and tissue specimens
- Site manual for operation of interactive voice response system, including enrollment/randomization worksheets
- Manual for entry of local laboratory data
- Pregnancy Surveillance Forms
- CA209214 Imaging Manual

5.3 Safety Assessments

At baseline, a medical history will be obtained to capture relevant underlying conditions. The baseline examinations should include weight, height, Karnofsky Performance Status, BP, HR, and temperature. Baseline signs and symptoms are those that are assessed within 14 days prior to randomization. Concomitant medications will be collected from within 14 days prior to randomization through the study treatment period (see [Section 5.1](#)).

Baseline local laboratory assessments should be done within 14 days prior to randomization to include: CBC w/differential, LFTs (ALT, AST, total bilirubin, alkaline phosphatase), BUN or serum urea level, creatinine, Ca, albumin, Mg, Na, K, Cl, LDH, glucose, amylase, lipase, TSH, Free T4, Free T3, and Hep B and C testing (HBV sAg, HCV Ab or HCV RNA) (see [Table 5.1-1](#)).

Pregnancy testing for WOCBP (done locally) must be performed within 24 hours prior to the initial administration of study drug at baseline and then 4 weekly during the treatment period and at the safety follow-up visits.

Participants will be evaluated for safety if they have received any study drug. Toxicity assessments will be continuous during the treatment phase. During the safety follow-up phase [Table 5.1-7](#), toxicity assessments should be done in person. Once participants reach the survival follow-up phase either in person or documented telephone calls to assess the participant's status are acceptable. Adverse events and laboratory values will be graded according to the NCI-CTCAE version 4.0.

On-study weight and Karnofsky Performance status should be assessed on Day 1 of Weeks 1, and 4 during cycles 1 and 2 and Day 1 of Weeks 1, 3 (Arm A only) and 5 starting from Cycle 3 and vital signs should be assessed at each on-study visit. Vital signs should also be taken as per institutional standard of care prior to, during and after dosing.. The start and stop times of the nivolumab and ipilimumab infusions should be documented. Physical examinations are to be performed as clinically indicated. If there are any new or worsening clinically significant changes since the last exam, report changes on the appropriate non-serious or serious adverse event page.

On study local laboratory assessments should be done within 72 hours of dosing to include; CBC w/differential, LFTs (ALT, AST, total bilirubin, alkaline phosphatase), BUN or serum urea level, creatinine, Ca, Mg, Na, K, Cl, LDH, glucose, amylase, lipase, TSH with reflexive Free T4, Free T3 on Day 1 of Weeks 1 and 4 for Cycles 1 and 2 and on Day 1 of Weeks 1 and 5 starting from Cycle 3. Additional measures including non-study required laboratory tests should be performed as clinically indicated or to comply with local regulations. Laboratory toxicities (eg, suspected drug induced liver enzyme elevations) will be monitored during the follow-up phase via on site/local labs until all study drug related toxicities resolve, return to baseline or are deemed irreversible.

In addition, for participants on the nivolumab combined with ipilimumab arm (Arm A), LFTs should also be assessed prior to the second dose of each cycle. The results of these labs should be reviewed prior to dosing.

Oxygen saturation by pulse oximetry should be obtained prior to each dosing and at any time a participant has any new or worsening respiratory symptoms. A reading at rest and on exertion should be obtained at each time point. The extent of the exertion should be based on the judgment of the investigator, but should remain consistent for each individual participant throughout the study. If the patient's status changes, the investigator can alter the extent of exertion based on their medical judgment. If a participant shows changes on pulse oximetry or other pulmonary related signs (hypoxia, fever) or symptoms (eg, dyspnea, cough, fever) consistent with possible pulmonary adverse events, the patient participant should be immediately evaluated to rule out pulmonary toxicity. An algorithm for the management of suspected pulmonary toxicity can be found in the nivolumab Investigator's Brochure and in [Appendix 5](#).

Some of the previously referred to assessments may not be captured as data in the eCRF. They are intended to be used as safety monitoring by the treating physician. Additional testing or assessments may be performed as clinically necessary or where required by institutional or local regulations.

BMS may request that survival data be collected on all randomized participants outside of the protocol defined window ([Table 5.1-7](#)). At the time of this request, each participant will be contacted to determine their survival status unless the participant has withdrawn consent for all contact.

For participants moving into the nivolumab combined with ipilimumab crossover extension phase, please refer to [Table 5.1-4](#), [Table 5.1-5](#), and [Table 5.1-6](#) for the schedule of screening and on-study assessments.

5.3.1 Imaging Assessment for the Study

Any incidental findings of potential clinical relevance that are not directly associated with the objectives of the protocol should be evaluated and handled by the Study Investigator as per standard medical/clinical judgment.

Scans will be submitted to an Imaging Corelab by an IRCC.

5.3.1.1 CT/MRI

Both contrast-enhanced Computed Tomography (CT) and Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI) scans acquired on dedicated CT/MRI equipment are adequate imaging modalities for this study.

CT with contrast (or MRI) of the chest, abdomen, pelvis and all other known sites of disease are to be performed on Arm A and B participants for tumor assessments at baseline (Table 5.1-1), at 12 weeks (± 1 week) after randomization and then every 6 weeks (± 1 week) for the first 13 months and every 24 weeks (± 2 weeks) as per Table 5.1-2, Table 5.1-3, Table 5.1-7, and Table 5.1-8, until disease progression or treatment is discontinued (whichever occurs later). CT with contrast (or MRI) of the chest, abdomen, pelvis, and all other known sites of disease are also to be performed on Crossover Extension phase participants for tumor assessments at baseline (Table 5.1-4), at 12 weeks (± 1 week) from first dose and then every 8 weeks (± 1 week) for the first 13 months and every 24 weeks (± 2 weeks) as per Table 5.1-5, Table 5.1-6, Table 5.1-7, and Table 5.1-8, until disease progression or treatment is discontinued (whichever occurs later).

CT scans should be acquired with 5 mm slices with no intervening gap (contiguous). Should a participant have a contraindication for CT IV contrast, a non-contrast CT of the chest and a contrast enhanced MRI of the abdomen and pelvis may be obtained. MRIs should be acquired with slice thickness of ≤ 5 mm with no gap (contiguous).

Every attempt should be made to image each participant using an identical acquisition protocol on the same scanner for all imaging time.

Note: Use of CT component of a PET/CT scanner:

Combined modality scanning such as with FDG-PET/CT is increasingly used in clinical care, and is a modality/technology that is in rapid evolution; therefore, the recommendations outlined here may change rather quickly with time. At present, low dose or attenuation correction CT portions of a combined FDG-PET/CT are of limited use in anatomically based efficacy assessments and it is therefore suggested that they should not be substituted for dedicated diagnostic contrast enhanced CT scans for anatomically based RECIST 1.1 measurements. However, if a site can document that the CT performed as part of a FDG-PET/CT is of identical diagnostic quality to a diagnostic CT (with IV and oral contrast) then the CT portion of the FDG-PET/CT can be used for RECIST 1.1 measurements. Note, however, that the FDG-PET portion of the CT introduces additional data which may bias an investigator if it is not routinely or serially performed.

5.3.1.2 MRI/CT Brain

MRI (preferred) or CT of brain is required at screening in order to rule out active metastatic disease (participants with a history of brain metastasis are excluded from the study). MRI or CT brain

scans during on-study treatment and follow up periods are required only if clinically indicated for new signs and symptoms that suggest central nervous system (CNS) involvement.

5.4 Efficacy Assessments

Study evaluations will take place in accordance with the flow charts in [Section 5.1](#). Baseline assessments should be performed within 28 days prior to randomization utilizing CT or MRI. In addition to chest, abdomen, pelvis, and brain, all known sites of disease should be assessed at baseline. Participants who cannot receive IV contrast at the start of study should be imaged by MRI of abdomen/pelvis with IV contrast and CT of chest without contrast. Subsequent assessments should include chest, abdomen, and pelvis, and all known sites of disease and should use the same imaging method as was used at baseline. Patients initially imaged with CT of chest, abdomen, and pelvis with IV contrast who can no longer receive contrast can be monitored by CT of chest, abdomen, and pelvis without IV contrast. Participants will be evaluated for tumor response beginning 12 weeks (± 1 week) from randomization and continuing every 6 weeks (± 1 week) for the first 13 months from randomization and every 24 weeks (± 2 weeks) thereafter, until disease progression is documented or treatment is discontinued (whichever occurs later). Tumor assessments for ongoing study treatment decisions will be completed by the investigator using RECIST (Response Evaluation Criteria in Solid Tumors) 1.1 criteria.

Participants will be evaluated for tumor response beginning 12 weeks (± 1 week) from the first dose of nivolumab combined with ipilimumab (start of the crossover extension phase) and continuing every 8 weeks (± 1 week) for the first 13 months from the first dose and every 12 weeks (± 1 week) thereafter, until disease progression is documented or treatment is discontinued (whichever occurs later).

5.5 *Not Applicable Per Protocol Revision 04 - Pharmacokinetic and Immunogenicity Assessments*

Samples for PK and immunogenicity assessments will be collected for all subjects originally randomized to Arm A as described in [Table 5.5.1-1](#). All timepoints are relative to the start of nivolumab drug administration. All on-treatment timepoints are intended to align with days on which study drug is administered. If it is known that a dose is going to be delayed, then the predose sample should be collected just prior to the delayed dose. However, if a predose sample is collected but the dose is subsequently delayed, an additional predose sample should not be collected. Further details of sample collection, processing, and shipment will be provided in the laboratory procedures manual.

5.5.1 *Not Applicable Per Protocol Revision 04 - Pharmacokinetics and Immunogenicity Collection and Processing*

A detailed schedule of PK and immunogenicity evaluations is provided in [Table 5.5.1-1](#). PK samples will be analyzed for nivolumab and ipilimumab by a validated immunoassay. Immunogenicity samples will be analyzed for anti-nivolumab and anti-ipilimumab antibodies by a validated immunoassay; samples may also be analyzed for neutralizing antibodies by a validated functional cell-based method. Serum samples may be analyzed by an exploratory method that measures nivolumab and ipilimumab anti-drug antibodies for technology exploration purposes;

exploratory results will not be reported. Serum samples designated for PK or biomarker assessments may also be used for immunogenicity analysis if required (eg, insufficient volume for complete immunogenicity assessment or to follow up on suspected immunogenicity related AE).

Table 5.5.1-1: <i>Not Applicable Per Protocol Revision 04 - Pharmacokinetic (PK) and Immunogenicity Sample Collections for Participants Originally Randomized to Arm A (CA209214)</i>						
Study Day^a	Event (Relative To Nivolumab Dosing) Hour	Time (Relative To Nivolumab Dosing) Hour: Min	Pharmacokinetic Blood Sample for Nivolumab	Immunogenicity Blood Sample for Nivolumab	Pharmacokinetic Blood Sample for Ipilimumab	Immunogenicity Blood Sample for Ipilimumab
C1W1D1	Predose ^b	00:00	X	X	X	X
C1W1D1	EOI ^c	02:00	X		X	
C1W4D1	Predose ^b	00:00	X	X	X	X
C2W1D1	Predose ^b	00:00	X	X	X	X
C2W1D1	EOI ^c	02:00	X		X	
C3W1D1	Predose ^b	00:00	X	X	X	X
W1D1 of every 2nd cycle after C3W1D1 up to C9W1D1	Predose ^b	00:00	X	X	X	X
W1D1 of every 3rd cycle after C9W1D1 until end of study treatment	Predose ^b	00:00	X	X		
First 2 Follow- up visits (approximately up to 100 days from the discontinuation of study drug)	N/A	N/A	X	X	X ^d	X ^d

^a If a participant permanently discontinues study drug treatment during the sampling period, they will move to sampling at the follow up visits

^b Predose: All pre-dose samples for nivolumab and ipilimumab should be taken prior to the start of nivolumab infusion.

^c EOI: End of Infusion. EOI samples for both nivolumab and ipilimumab should be collected after the end of the ipilimumab infusion

^d Ipilimumab follow-up samples are only to be collected if a participant discontinues treatment prior to C6D1

5.6 Biomarker Assessments

A variety of factors that may impact the immunomodulatory properties and efficacy of nivolumab-
ipilimumab combination will be investigated in tumor tissue and in peripheral blood specimens
taken from all randomized participants prior to or during treatment as outlined in [Table 5.1-1](#) and
[Table 5.1-2](#). Data from these investigations will be evaluated for pharmacodynamic effects, where
applicable, and for associations with response, survival endpoints, and/or safety (adverse events).
Comparative analyses between the two treatment arms will be used to identify biomarkers with
predictive versus prognostic value. Several analyses will be completed and are described briefly
below. Complete instructions on the collection, processing, handling, and shipment of all samples
will be provided in a separate lab procedure manual.

5.6.1 Tumor Tissue Specimens

Archival or current formalin-fixed, paraffin-embedded tumor tissue must be sent to the central
vendor/laboratory prior to a participant being randomized. A reference laboratory will receive the
samples for IHC-based analyses aimed at quantifying the expression of proteins involved in PD-1
signaling such as PD-1, PD-L1, and PD-L2. Additional IHC analyses may be completed to
determine the relative abundance of other protein markers associated with tumor-infiltrating
immune cells (eg, CD4, CD8) and/or with RCC disease progression. The abundance of each
protein monitored (or combinations of proteins) will be correlated with clinical endpoints. FFPE
tissue may also be evaluated by fluorescent in-situ hybridization (FISH), genetic mutation
detection methods, and/or by qRT-PCR as part of additional exploratory analyses seeking
biomarker associations with clinical endpoints.

5.6.2 Peripheral Blood Specimens

5.6.2.1 Serum-Soluble Proteins

To understand the prevalence of circulating proteins and the impact they may have on clinical
activity, the protein concentrations of a panel of cytokines, chemokines, and other relevant
immunomodulatory or RCC-associated serum-soluble factors (eg, soluble PD-L1; VEGF) will be
investigated prior to and on-treatment as outlined in [Table 5.1-2](#).

5.6.2.2 Serum miRNA

MicroRNAs are broadly expressed, small RNAs that regulate the abundance of mRNA transcripts
and their translation into protein. Global miRNA expression profiling has become increasingly
common in cancer research, and miRNA signatures that are correlated to stage of disease or to
clinical outcomes are now available for a variety of cancer types. Expression profiling of miRNA
may also be useful in identifying molecular markers for the prediction of drug-responses and for
prospective stratification. Intriguingly, miRNAs are stable in serum and may represent miRNAs
over-expressed in tumors and/or reflect immune system activity. Serum taken from participants
randomized to each treatment arm may be analyzed for miRNA content by microarray and/or by
similar methodologies (eg quantitative RT-PCR). The resulting miRNA expression profiles will

be evaluated for associations with response and survival data. Ultimately, this approach may lead to the identification of unique miRNA signatures associated with clinical benefit.

5.6.2.3 Single Nucleotide Polymorphisms (Genotyping)

Whole blood will be collected from all participants prior to first dose to generate genomic DNA for single nucleotide polymorphism (SNP) analyses. These analyses will focus on SNPs within genes associated with PD-1 and other immunoregulatory signaling pathways to determine if natural variation within those genes is associated with clinical benefit and/or with adverse events.

5.6.2.4 Peripheral Blood RNA

Transcriptional profiling of tumor⁴² and of whole blood (unpublished) has been completed as part of clinical studies of ipilimumab, leading to the identification of genes apparently associated with benefit from treatment. To determine if these or other genes are associated with clinical benefit from nivolumab-ipilimumab combination, gene expression profiling of whole blood RNA obtained pre-treatment may be completed. Gene expression may be assessed by microarray, qRT-PCR, and/or similar methodologies, with emphasis on genes with relevant immune function.

5.6.2.5 Myeloid Derived Suppressor Cells (MDSCs)

Myeloid derived suppressor cells are an immune cell population capable of suppressing T cell activation and proliferation. Preliminary data suggest that low pre-treatment MDSC levels in peripheral blood may be associated with better overall survival in melanoma patients treated with the immunotherapeutic agent ipilimumab. MDSCs will be quantified at pre-treatment to assess associations with outcomes.

5.6.2.6 Peripheral Blood Mononuclear Cells (PBMCs)

Peripheral blood mononuclear cells (PBMCs) in whole blood will be obtained at baseline and on treatment. Cells may be assessed by flow cytometry or by ELISpot. Nucleic acid may be prepared from cells to assess T cell rearrangements by next generation sequencing. Lymphocyte subsets to be assayed by flow cytometry may include, but are not limited to CD8+ and CD4+ T-cell subsets (activated; effector/memory; regulatory), NK cells, and populations of those cells as defined by the expression of activation, exhaustion, or signaling markers such as ICOS, HLA-DR, PD-1, CTLA-4, and/or intracellular IFN γ .

5.7 Outcomes Research Assessments

When possible, participants should complete the Patient-Reported Outcomes measures prior to any other assessments or study procedures when they are being administered during study visits. The questionnaires will be provided in the participant's preferred language, if available. If exceptional circumstances preclude the continued administration of measures using planned modalities, then alternate administration methods may be required.

Patient-reported outcomes will be captured through the use of three validated self reported questionnaires: the Functional Assessment of Cancer Therapy-General (FACT-G), the NCCN Functional Assessment of Cancer Therapy (FACT)- Kidney Symptom Index (FKSI-19) and the EuroQoL Group's EQ-5D-3L.

The FACT-G is a 27-item questionnaire that measures general cancer health related quality of life. It is one of the most widely used HrQoL cancer specific scales and has been validated in numerous types of cancer patients, across cultures, and in many languages. The scale is a compilation of general questions divided into four primary HrQoL dimensions: Physical Well-Being, Social/Family Well-Being, Emotional Well-Being, and Functional Well-Being. Summary scores can be calculated for each domain in addition to a single overall summary score.

The NCCN FKS-19 is a 19-item scale that measures tumor specific HrQoL in kidney cancer patients. The FKS-19 uses five Likert-type response categories that range from “not at all” to “very much”. Patients are asked to circle the response category that best characterizes their response over the last 7 days on 19 items that include symptoms such as lack of energy, fatigue, appetite, coughing, shortness of breath, pain, nausea and ability to work.

General health status will be measured using the EQ-5D-3L. The EQ-5D-3L is a standardized instrument for use as a measure of self-reported general health status. The EQ-5D-3L comprises 5 dimensions (mobility, self-care, usual activities, pain/discomfort, and anxiety) and a visual analog rating scale (VAS). The utility data generated from the EQ-5D-3L is recommended for and commonly used in cost effectiveness analysis.

5.7.1 Healthcare Resource Utilization

Healthcare resource utilization data (eg, hospitalizations, non-protocol specified medical visits, etc) will be collected for all randomized participants. Specifically, healthcare resource utilization is evaluated based on the number of medical care encounters such as hospital admissions and their duration, outpatient visits, diagnostic tests and procedures, concomitant medications and reasons for the encounters.

Resource utilization questions will be asked during the study and at the two follow up visits as outlined in [Table 5.1-2](#), [Table 5.1-3](#), [Table 5.1-5](#), [Table 5.1-6](#), [Table 5.1-7](#), and [Table 5.1-8](#).

5.8 Other Assessments

5.8.1 Not Applicable Per Protocol Revision 04 - Immunogenicity Assessments

Blood samples for immunogenicity analyses of nivolumab and/or ipilimumab will be collected according to the schedule given in [Table 5.5.1-1](#). Samples collected from participants in each treatment arm will be evaluated for development of Anti-Drug Antibody (ADA) for nivolumab and/or ipilimumab by validated immunoassays. Samples may also be analyzed for neutralizing ADA response to nivolumab and/or ipilimumab. (Neutralizing ADA testing conditioned upon assay availability.) For participants treated in the nivolumab combined with ipilimumab crossover extension phase, bloods samples for immunogenicity will NOT be collected in the crossover extension phase.

5.9 Results of Central Assessments

Not Applicable.

6 ADVERSE EVENTS

An *Adverse Event (AE)* is defined as any new untoward medical occurrence or worsening of a preexisting medical condition in a clinical investigation participant administered study drug and that does not necessarily have a causal relationship with this treatment. An AE can therefore be any unfavorable and unintended sign (such as an abnormal laboratory finding), symptom, or disease temporally associated with the use of study drug, whether or not considered related to the study drug.

The causal relationship to study drug is determined by a physician and should be used to assess all adverse events (AE). The causal relationship can be one of the following:

Related: There is a reasonable causal relationship between study drug administration and the AE.

Not related: There is not a reasonable causal relationship between study drug administration and the AE.

The term "reasonable causal relationship" means there is evidence to suggest a causal relationship.

Adverse events can be spontaneously reported or elicited during open-ended questioning, examination, or evaluation of a participant. (In order to prevent reporting bias, participants should not be questioned regarding the specific occurrence of one or more AEs.)

6.1 Serious Adverse Events

A *Serious Adverse Event (SAE)* is any untoward medical occurrence that at any dose:

- results in death
- is life-threatening (defined as an event in which the participant was at risk of death at the time of the event; it does not refer to an event which hypothetically might have caused death if it were more severe)
- requires inpatient hospitalization or causes prolongation of existing hospitalization (see **NOTE** below)
- results in persistent or significant disability/incapacity
- is a congenital anomaly/birth defect
- is an important medical event (defined as a medical event(s) that may not be immediately life-threatening or result in death or hospitalization but, based upon appropriate medical and scientific judgment, may jeopardize the participant or may require intervention [eg, medical, surgical] to prevent one of the other serious outcomes listed in the definition above.) Examples of such events include, but are not limited to, intensive treatment in an emergency room or at home for allergic bronchospasm; blood dyscrasias or convulsions that do not result in hospitalization.) Potential drug induced liver injury (DILI) is also considered an important medical event. (See [Section 6.6](#) for the definition of potential DILI.)

Suspected transmission of an infectious agent (eg, pathogenic or nonpathogenic) via the study drug is an SAE.

Although pregnancy, overdose, cancer, and potential drug induced liver injury (DILI) are not always serious by regulatory definition, these events must be handled as SAEs. (See Section 6.1.1 for reporting pregnancies).

Any component of a study endpoint that is considered related to study therapy (eg, death is an endpoint, if death occurred due to anaphylaxis, anaphylaxis must be reported) should be reported as SAE (see Section 6.1.1 for reporting details).

NOTE:

The following hospitalizations are not considered SAEs in BMS clinical studies:

- a visit to the emergency room or other hospital department < 24 hours, that does not result in admission (unless considered an important medical or life-threatening event)
- elective surgery, planned prior to signing consent
- admissions as per protocol for a planned medical/surgical procedure
- routine health assessment requiring admission for baseline/trending of health status (eg, routine colonoscopy)
- medical/surgical admission other than to remedy ill health and planned prior to entry into the study. Appropriate documentation is required in these cases
- admission encountered for another life circumstance that carries no bearing on health status and requires no medical/surgical intervention (eg, lack of housing, economic inadequacy, caregiver respite, family circumstances, administrative reason).
- Admission for administration of anticancer therapy in the absence of any other SAEs (applies to oncology protocols)

6.1.1 Serious Adverse Event Collection and Reporting

Sections 5.6.1 and 5.6.2 in the Investigator Brochure (IB) represent the Reference Safety Information to determine expectedness of serious adverse events for expedited reporting. Following the participant's written consent to participate in the study, all SAEs, whether related or not related to study drug, must be collected, including those thought to be associated with protocol-specified procedures. **All SAEs must be collected that occur during the screening period and within 100 days of discontinuation of dosing.** All SAEs associated with confirmed or suspected SARS-CoV-2 infection must be collected from the date of the participant's written consent until 100 days following discontinuation of dosing. If applicable, SAEs must be collected that relate to any later protocol-specified procedure (eg, a follow-up skin biopsy).

The investigator should report any SAE that occurs after these time periods and that is believed to be related to study drug or protocol-specified procedure.

An SAE report should be completed for any event where doubt exists regarding its seriousness.

If the investigator believes that an SAE is not related to study drug, but is potentially related to the conditions of the study (such as withdrawal of previous therapy or a complication of a study procedure), the relationship should be specified in the narrative section of the SAE Report Form.

SAEs, whether related or not related to study drug, and pregnancies must be reported to BMS (or designee) within 24 hours. SAEs must be recorded on the SAE Report Form; pregnancies on a Pregnancy Surveillance Form (electronic or paper forms). The preferred method for SAE data reporting collection is through the eCRF. The paper SAE/pregnancy surveillance forms are only intended as a back-up option when the eCRF system is not functioning. In this case, the paper forms are to be transmitted via email or confirmed facsimile (fax) transmission to:

SAE Email Address: Refer to Contact Information list.

SAE Facsimile Number: Refer to Contact Information list.

For studies capturing SAEs through electronic data capture (EDC), electronic submission is the required method for reporting. The paper forms should be used and submitted immediately, only in the event the electronic system is unavailable for transmission. When paper forms are used, the original paper forms are to remain on site.

SAE Telephone Contact (required for SAE and pregnancy reporting): Refer to Contact Information list.

If only limited information is initially available, follow-up reports are required. (Note: Follow-up SAE reports should include the same investigator term(s) initially reported.)

If an ongoing SAE changes in its intensity or relationship to study drug or if new information becomes available, a follow-up SAE report should be sent within 24 hours to the BMS (or designee) using the same procedure used for transmitting the initial SAE report.

All SAEs should be followed to resolution or stabilization. After the initial AE/SAE report, the investigator is required to proactively follow each participant at subsequent visits/contacts. All AEs (SAEs and non-serious AEs) associated with confirmed or suspected SARS-CoV-2 infection will be followed until resolution, the condition stabilizes, the event is otherwise explained, the event is deemed irreversible, the participant is lost to follow-up (as defined in [Section 3.6.2](#)) or for suspected cases, until SARS-CoV-2 infection is ruled-out.

6.2 Nonserious Adverse Events

A *nonserious adverse event* is an AE not classified as serious.

6.2.1 Nonserious Adverse Event Collection and Reporting

The collection of nonserious AE information should begin at initiation of study drug and continue until 100 days from the last dose of study drug. All AEs (non-serious AEs) associated with confirmed or suspected SARS-CoV-2 infection must be collected from the date of the participant's written consent until 100 days following discontinuation of dosing. Nonserious AE information should also be collected from the start of a placebo lead-in period or other observational period intended to establish a baseline status for the participants.

Nonserious AEs should be followed to resolution or stabilization, or reported as SAEs if they become serious (see [Section 6.1.1](#)). Follow-up is also required for nonserious AEs that cause interruption or discontinuation of study drug and for those present at the end of study treatment as appropriate. After the initial AE/SAE report, the investigator is required to proactively follow each

participant at subsequent visits/contacts. All AEs (SAEs and nonserious AEs) associated with confirmed or suspected SARS-CoV-2 infection will be followed until resolution, the condition stabilizes, the event is otherwise explained, the event is deemed irreversible, the participant is lost to follow-up (as defined in [Section 3.6.2](#)) or for suspected cases, until SARS-CoV-2 infection is ruled-out. All identified nonserious AEs must be recorded and described on the nonserious AE page of the CRF (paper or electronic).

Completion of supplemental CRFs may be requested for AEs and/or laboratory abnormalities that are reported/identified during the course of the study.

6.3 Laboratory Test Result Abnormalities

The following laboratory test result abnormalities should be captured on the nonserious AE CRF page or SAE Report Form (paper or electronic) as appropriate:

- Any laboratory test result that is clinically significant or meets the definition of an SAE
- Any laboratory test result abnormality that required the participant to have study drug discontinued or interrupted
- Any laboratory test result abnormality that required the participant to receive specific corrective therapy.

It is expected that wherever possible, the clinical rather than laboratory term would be used by the reporting investigator (eg, anemia versus low hemoglobin value).

6.4 Pregnancy

If, following initiation of the study drug, it is subsequently discovered that a study participant is pregnant or may have been pregnant at the time of study exposure, including during approximately half lives after product administration, the investigator must immediately notify the BMS Medical Monitor/designee of this event and complete and forward a Pregnancy Surveillance Form to BMS Designee within 24 hours and in accordance with SAE reporting procedures described in [Section 6.1.1](#).

In most cases, the study drug will be permanently discontinued in an appropriate manner (eg, dose tapering if necessary for participant safety).

In the rare event that the benefit of continuing study drug is thought to outweigh the risk, after consultation with BMS, the pregnant participant may continue study drug after a thorough discussion of benefits and risk with the participant.

Protocol-required procedures for study discontinuation and follow-up must be performed on the participant unless contraindicated by pregnancy (eg, x-ray studies). Other appropriate pregnancy follow-up procedures should be considered if indicated.

The investigator must immediately notify the BMS (or designee) Medical Monitor or Study Director of this event and complete and forward a Pregnancy Surveillance Form to BMS (or designee) within 24 hours and in accordance with SAE reporting procedures described in [Section 6.1.1](#).

Follow-up information regarding the course of the pregnancy, including perinatal and neonatal outcome and, where applicable, offspring information must be reported on the Pregnancy Surveillance Form.

Any pregnancy that occurs in a female partner of a male study participant should be reported to BMS. Information on this pregnancy will be collected on the Pregnancy Surveillance Form.

6.5 Overdose

All occurrences of overdose must be reported as SAEs (see [Section 6.1.1](#) for reporting details).

6.6 Potential Drug Induced Liver Injury (DILI)

Wherever possible, timely confirmation of initial liver-related laboratory abnormalities should occur prior to the reporting of a potential DILI event. All occurrences of potential DILIs, meeting the defined criteria, must be reported as SAEs (see [Section 6.1.1](#) for reporting details).

Potential drug induced liver injury is defined as:

ALT or AST elevation > 3 times upper limit of normal (ULN)

AND

Total bilirubin > 2 times ULN, without initial findings of cholestasis (elevated serum alkaline phosphatase),

AND

No other immediately apparent possible causes of AT elevation and hyperbilirubinemia, including, but not limited to, viral hepatitis, pre-existing chronic or acute liver disease, or the administration of other drug(s) known to be hepatotoxic.

6.7 Other Safety Considerations

Any significant worsening noted during interim or final physical examinations, electrocardiogram, x-ray filming, any other potential safety assessment required or not required by protocol should also be recorded as a nonserious or serious AE, as appropriate, and reported accordingly.

7 DATA MONITORING COMMITTEE AND OTHER EXTERNAL COMMITTEES

To provide independent oversight of safety, efficacy, and study conduct, a data monitoring committee (DMC) will be instituted. The DMC will meet regularly to ensure that participant safety is carefully monitored. The DMC will convene additional ad hoc meetings if necessary. Following each meeting, the DMC will recommend continuation, modification, or discontinuation of the study based on observed toxicities. The DMC will also review the interim analysis results and inform BMS whether stopping criteria for superiority are met at that time. A separate DMC charter will describe the activities of this committee in more detail.

IRRC assessments will be utilized in this study for determination for PFS and ORR endpoints. The IRRC will review all available tumor assessment scans for all randomized participants. Details of IRRC responsibilities and procedures will be specified in the IRRC charter.

8 STATISTICAL CONSIDERATIONS

8.1 Sample Size Determination

The sample size of the study accounts for the three co-primary efficacy endpoints: ORR based on IRRC assessments, PFS based on IRRC assessments and OS, evaluated in intermediate and poor-risk participants with previously untreated mRCC. The overall alpha for this study is 0.05, which is split with 0.001 to evaluate ORR, 0.009 to evaluate PFS and 0.04 to evaluate OS.

ORR will be analyzed initially on a descriptive basis and will occupy an administrative adjustment of alpha of 0.001. PFS will be evaluated for treatment effect at an alpha of 0.009 (two-sided, penalized 0.001 from a 0.01 allocation) with at least 90% power; no interim analysis of PFS is planned. OS will be evaluated for treatment effect at an alpha level of 0.04 (two-sided) with 90% power, accounting for two formal interim analyses to assess efficacy.

It is estimated that approximately 1070 previously untreated mRCC participants will be randomized in a 1:1 ratio. Among them, 820 participants (76.6%) with intermediate/poor risk participants and approximately 250 (23.4%) participants with favorable risk as per IMDC (IMDC prognostic score = 0) will be randomized. Assuming a fixed accrual rate of 57 participants per month (40 intermediate/poor risk participants per month), it will take 20.5 months to randomize 1070 participants (820 intermediate/poor risk participants).

Assuming a 21% screen failure rate, it is estimated that approximately 1355 participants will be enrolled in order to have 820 intermediate/poor-risk participants randomized. The primary analysis is based on intermediate/poor risk participants as per IMDC prognostic score and the number of PFS/OS events observed among them. The enrollment will stop once approximately 820 intermediate/poor risk participants have been randomized regardless of the number of favorable risk participants.

Sample size justification for ORR estimate

One of the primary objectives of the study is to describe the ORR (based on IRRC assessment) of nivolumab combined with ipilimumab to sunitinib monotherapy in intermediate and poor-risk participants with previously untreated mRCC.

The primary analysis of ORR in the intermediate and poor-risk randomized participants will be performed when these patients have an approximate 6 month minimum follow-up from the completion of enrollment. This will allow sufficient follow-up for ORR to have a stable estimate, adequate safety follow-up as well as information on duration of response in this population.

The maximum width of the exact two-sided 95% confidence interval (CI) is 9.9% when the ORR is expected to be in the 20% to 50% range. Table 8.1-1 summarizes the 95% exact CI when observed ORRs are 20% to 50%, respectively.

Table 8.1-1: Observed ORR with Exact 95% CI

Observed ORR	95% Exact CI
20%	(16.2% - 24.2%)

Table 8.1-1: Observed ORR with Exact 95% CI

Observed ORR	95% Exact CI
25%	(21.0% - 29.6%)
30%	(25.6% - 34.7%)
35%	(30.5% - 40.0%)
40%	(35.2% - 44.9%)
45%	(40.2% - 50.1%)
50%	(45.1% - 54.9%)

Abbreviations: CI = confidence interval; ORR = objective response rate.

For example, if at least 123 responders are observed among the 410 nivolumab and ipilimumab combination intermediate/poor risk randomized participants (ie, $ORR \geq 30\%$) then the lower bound of the 95% CI is above 25.6%.

Sample size justification for PFS comparison

One of the primary objectives of the study is to compare the progression-free survival (based on IRRC assessment) of nivolumab combined with ipilimumab to sunitinib monotherapy in intermediate and poor-risk participants with previously untreated mRCC. The number of events and power for this study were calculated assuming an exponential distribution for PFS in each arm.

For this comparison of PFS, it will be required to observe at least 591 PFS events among the randomized intermediate/poor risk participants in the two respective treatment arms for a two-sided experiment-wise $\alpha = 0.009$ log-rank test, to show a statistically significant difference in PFS between the treatment arms with at least 90% power when the true hazard ratio of the experimental arm to control arm is 0.73. The HR of 0.73 is equivalent to demonstrating a 37.8% improvement in median PFS, assuming a median PFS of 9 months (weighted median estimate assuming a median PFS of 11 months in intermediate risk participants and a median PFS of 4 months in poor risk participants)⁴³ in the sunitinib monotherapy arm and a median PFS of 12.4 months in the experimental treatment arm.

Under the assumptions for accrual and PFS distribution stated above, it will take approximately 31 months from FPFV to observe the required number of PFS events for the final PFS analysis (20.5 months for accrual and 10.5 months for minimum follow up). It is projected that an observed HR of 0.807 or less corresponding to a 2.1 month or greater improvement in median PFS (9 vs 11.1 months) for this comparison, would result in a statistically significant improvement in the final analysis of PFS.

Sample size justification for OS comparison:

One of the primary objectives of the study is to compare the overall survival of nivolumab combined with ipilimumab to sunitinib monotherapy in intermediate and poor-risk participants

with previously untreated mRCC. The number of events and power of this study were calculated assuming an exponential distribution for OS in each arm.

Approximately 639 events (ie, deaths), observed among the randomized intermediate/poor risk participants, provides 90% power to detect a hazard ratio (HR) of 0.766 with an overall type 1 error of 0.04 (two-sided). The HR of 0.766 corresponds to a 30.6% increase in the median OS, assuming a median OS of 20 months for sunitinib monotherapy (weighted median estimate assuming a median OS of 26 months in intermediate risk participants and a median OS of 8 months in poor risk participants)⁴⁴ and 26.1 months for experimental treatment arms respectively. It is projected that an observed hazard ratio of 0.846 or less, which corresponds to a 3.6 months or greater improvement in median OS (20 mo vs. 23.6 mo), would result in a statistically significant improvement in OS for the experimental arm at the final OS analysis.

Two formal interim analyses of OS are planned for this study. The first interim analysis is planned at the time of final PFS analysis and it is expected to observe 370 events (58% of the targeted OS events for final analysis) and the second after observing 479 events (75% of targeted OS events needed for final analysis). The stopping boundaries at interim and final analyses will be derived based on the number of deaths using O'Brien and Fleming α spending function.

Under the assumptions stated above on accrual and OS distribution, it will approximately take 61 months from FPFV to observe the required number of OS events for the final OS analysis (20.5 months for accrual and 40.5 months for minimum follow up).

In summary, it is expected to take:

- Approximately 20.5 months to complete accrual
- Approximately 27 months from FPFV to obtain a minimum follow-up of 6 months on the intermediate and poor risk randomized participants for the descriptive analysis of ORR (PFS and OS will not be analyzed until sufficient events have occurred)
- Approximately 31 months from FPFV to obtain the required number of PFS events (ie, at least 591 events among the 820 intermediate and poor risk randomized participants) and deaths for the first formal interim analysis of OS (ie, approximately 370 deaths among the same population)
- Approximately 40 months from FPFV to obtain the required deaths for the second formal interim analysis of OS (ie, 479 deaths among the intermediate and poor risk randomized participants)
- Approximately 61 months from FPFV to obtain the required deaths for the final analysis of OS (ie, 639 deaths among the intermediate and poor risk randomized participants).

Update of Final OS Analysis as of Protocol Amendment 06:

The DMC for the CA209214 study convened on 06-Sep-2017 to review the first planned, Interim Analysis of the co-primary endpoint of OS in intermediate/poor risk participants based on a database lock on 07-Aug-2017 and the pre-specified boundary for OS (adjusted significance boundary < 0.002). Given the statistical significance of the OS co-primary endpoint, the results

from the 07-Aug-2017 database lock represent the final analysis of CA209214, and the OS after the final analysis has been followed up for descriptive purpose only. At the 8-year median follow up, there were approximately 94% of the 639 target OS events observed among intermediate/poor risk participants, with approximately 1 event occurring monthly over the previous 6 months. This event rate is expected to continue, and as a result, the target number of events is unlikely to occur in the next 1-2 years, and there is an increasing possibility of not reaching the target number of events over time. A decision was made to change to a time-bound descriptive final OS analysis to close the study. This analysis will be conducted with approximately 9-year median follow up. The decision to close the study was not due to any safety topics or concerns.

Table 8.1-2 summarizes sample size design parameters and schedule of primary endpoint analyses planned in this study.

Table 8.1-2: Summary of Sample Size Parameters and Schedule of Analyses^a			
Co-Primary Endpoints	ORR	PFS	OS
Primary analysis population	Intermediate/poor risk participants (IMDC score ≥ 1)		
Accrual rate per month	40		
Power	N/A	90%	90%
Alpha	Administrative 0.001	0.009 2-sided	0.04 2-sided (0.0045 at IA1, 0.0131 at IA2 , 0.0354 at FA)
Hypothesized Median Control vs. exp (months)	25% vs 40%	9 vs. 12.4	20 vs. 26.1
Hypothesized Hazard ratio	N/A	0.726	0.766
Critical Hazard ratio (Observed hazard ratio at which a statistically significant difference would be observed) / Difference in median (months) Corresponding to a minimal clinically significant effect size	N/A	0.807 / 2.1	0.846/ 3.6
Critical HR at interim analysis-1(IA1) /effect size	N/A	N/A	0.74/ 6.9
Expected number of event for IA1 (percentage of target events)	N/A	N/A	370(58%)
Timing of IA1 from FPFV l(months)	N/A	N/A	31
Critical HR at interim analysis-2(IA2) /effect size	N/A	N/A	0.8/ 5.1
Target number of event for IA2 (percentage of target events)	N/A	N/A	479 (75%)
Timing of IA2 from FPFV l(months)	N/A	N/A	40
Accrual Duration (months)	20.5	20.5	20.5
Timing of final analysis(FA) from FPFV (months)	27	31	61
Sample size ^b	820	820	820

Table 8.1-2: Summary of Sample Size Parameters and Schedule of Analyses^a			
Co-Primary Endpoints	ORR	PFS	OS
Target number of events(Event Goal)	N/A	591	639

^a Additional analyses will be conducted in this study to further investigate the consistency of efficacy, safety, and other characteristics and features present in the study.

^b East version 5.4 was used for sample size / power computation

Abbreviations: FA = final analysis; FPFV = first patient first visit; HR = hazard ration; IA = interim analysis; IMDC = international metastatic renal-cell carcinoma database consortium; N/A = not applicable; ORR = objective response rate; OS = overall survival; PFS = progression free survival.

8.2 Populations for Analyses

- **All enrolled participants:** All participants who signed an informed consent form and were registered into the IVRS.
- **All randomized participants (any risk participants):** All participants who were randomized to any treatment arm in the study. This population is considered as the secondary efficacy analysis population. Analysis of demography, protocol deviations, baseline characteristics, secondary efficacy analysis and outcome research analysis will be performed for this population.
- **Intermediate/poor risk participants:** All randomized participants with baseline IMDC prognostic score ≥ 1 at the time randomization. This is the primary efficacy analysis population. Analysis of demography, protocol deviations, baseline characteristics and primary efficacy analysis will be performed for this population.
- **All treated participants:** All participants who received any dose of study therapy. This is the primary dataset for drug exposure and safety analysis.
- **Favorable risk participants:** All randomized participants with baseline IMDC prognostic score = 0 at the time randomization. This population would be used for conducting exploratory analysis of efficacy endpoints.
- **PK participants:** All participants with available serum time-concentration data from randomized participants dosed with nivolumab.
- **Immunogenicity participants:** All participants with available data from randomized participants dosed with nivolumab.

All analyses will be performed using the treatment arm as randomized (intent to treat), with the exception of dosing and safety, for which the treatment arm as received will be used.

8.3 Endpoints

The primary objectives of this study to describe ORR and is to compare PFS (based on IRRC assessment) and OS of nivolumab combined with ipilimumab to sunitinib monotherapy in intermediate and poor-risk participants with previously untreated mRCC. This is measured by the three co-primary endpoints defined in [Section 8.3.1](#).

The first secondary objective of this study is to compare PFS (based on IRRC assessment) in the two treatment arms in the all randomized population. This would be measured by the same definitions of PFS, as specified in sections 8.3.1.1 and 8.3.1.3 respectively, in the all randomized population.

The second secondary objective of this study is to compare OS in the two treatment arms in the all randomized population. This would be measured by the same definition of OS, as specified in section 8.3.1.4, in the all randomized population.

The third secondary objective of this study is assessing ORR in the two treatment arms in all randomized population. This would be measured by the definition of ORR as specified in section 8.3.2.1, in intermediate/poor risk participants and all randomized population respectively.

8.3.1 Co-Primary Endpoints

Object response rate, progression free survival, and overall survival are the co-primary endpoints.

8.3.1.1 Objective Response Rate

Objective response rate is defined as the proportion of randomized participants who achieve a best response of complete response (CR) or partial response (PR) using the RECIST1.1 criteria based on IRRC assessment. BOR is defined as the best response designation, as determined by the IRC, recorded between the date of randomization and the date of objectively documented progression per RECIST 1.1 or the date of subsequent therapy (including tumor-directed radiotherapy and tumor-directed surgery), whichever occurs first. For participants without documented progression or subsequent therapy, all available response designations will contribute to the BOR assessment. As described in Section 5.4, confirmation of response is required. Duration of response (DOR) is defined as the time between the date of first documented response (CR or PR) to the date of the first documented progression as determined by the IRC (per RECIST 1.1), or death due to any cause, whichever occurs first. For participants who neither progress nor die, the duration of objective response will be censored at the same time they will be censored for the primary definition of PFS (Section 8.3.1.3). Time to Objective Response (TTR) is defined as the time from randomization to the date of the first confirmed documented response (CR or PR), as assessed by the IRC. DOR and TTR will be evaluated for responders (confirmed CR or PR) only.

8.3.1.2 Primary Definition of Progression-Free Survival

The primary definition PFS is specified as the time between the date of randomization and the first date of documented progression, based on IRRC assessment (as per RECIST 1.1 criteria), or death due to any cause, whichever occurs first. Participants who die without a reported progression will be considered to have progressed on the date of their death. The following censoring rules will be applied for the primary definition of PFS.

- Participants who did not progress or die will be censored on the date of their last evaluable tumor assessment.
- Participants who did not have any on study tumor assessments and did not die will be censored on their date of randomization.

- Participants who receive subsequent systemic anti-cancer therapy prior to documented progression will be censored at the date of the last tumor assessment prior to the initiation of the new therapy.

8.3.1.3 Secondary Definition of Progression-Free Survival

The secondary definition of PFS is defined as the time between the date of randomization and the first date of documented progression, based on IRRC assessment (as per RECIST 1.1 criteria), or death due to any cause, whichever occurs first. Participants who die without a reported progression will be considered to have progressed on the date of their death. The following censoring rules will be applied for the primary definition of PFS.

- Participants who did not progress or die will be censored on the date of their last evaluable tumor assessment.
- Participants who did not have any on study tumor assessments and did not die will be censored on their date of randomization.

8.3.1.4 Overall Survival

Overall survival is defined as the time from randomization to the date of death from any cause. For participants that are alive, their survival time will be censored at the date of last contact (“last known alive date”). Overall survival will be censored for participants at the date of randomization if they were randomized but had no follow-up.

8.3.2 Secondary Endpoint(s)

8.3.2.1 Adverse Event Incidence Rate

Adverse events incident rate is defined as the proportion of participants with any grade adverse events among participants treated in each treatment arm. Events reported from the first dose and up to and including 100 days following the last dose of study treatment could be included in estimating this incidence rate.

8.3.3 Exploratory Endpoint(s)

Safety and tolerability objective will be measured by the incidence of adverse events, serious adverse events, deaths and laboratory abnormalities. Toxicities will be graded using the National Cancer Institute (NCI) Common Terminology Criteria for Adverse Events (CTCAE) version 4.0.

PFS (based on IRRC assessment) and OS will be estimated in the two treatment arms among participants with favorable risk as per IMDC prognostic criteria.

HRQoL will be assessed by FACT-G and FKSI-19. Global health status will be assessed by EQ-5D-3L instrument.

Disease-related symptom progression rate is defined as the proportion of participants who have disease-related symptom progression as measured by the FKSI-19. The minimum important change in the FKSI-19 used to define symptom progression is approximately a change of

two points and that definition has been used for this mRCC symptom scale in other mRCC trials. Disease-related symptom progression is defined as a decrease of two points in the FKSI-19 relative to the participant's baseline FKSI-19 score without returning to above that point during the remainder of the study.

8.4 Analyses

8.4.1 Demographics and Baseline Characteristics

Demographics and baseline characteristics will be summarized by treatment arm as randomized using descriptive statistics for intermediate/poor risk participants as well as all randomized participants.

8.4.2 Efficacy Analyses

For assessing the secondary objectives of this study, a hierarchical testing procedure will be used so that the overall experiment-wise Type I error rate is 0.05.

The key secondary objectives will be tested in the following hierarchical order, after conducting the primary objective analyses:

- PFS based on IRRC assessment among all randomized participants
- OS among all randomized participants

The formal testing of PFS based on IRRC assessment, at a two sided 0.009 significance level, among all randomized participants will take place if PFS based on IRRC assessment among intermediate/poor risk participants is statistically significant. Likewise, the testing of OS, at a two sided 0.04 significance level, among all randomized participants will take place only if OS intermediate/poor risk participants are statistically significant. The detail of the testing procedure will be specified in the statistical analysis plan.

8.4.2.1 Objective Response Rate: Co-primary Endpoint

One of the primary objectives of the study is to describe the objective response rate per IRRC in the two treatment arms among intermediate and poor risk participants. The ORR analysis will occupy a 0.001 administrative allocation of alpha.

The number and percentage of participants in each category of best overall response per IRRC (complete response [CR], partial response [PR]), stable disease [SD], progressive disease [PD], or unable to determine [UD]) according to the IRRC will be presented, by treatment group. An estimate of the response rate and an associated exact two-sided 95% CI (Clopper and Pearson⁴⁵) will be presented, by treatment group.

Sensitivity analysis based on investigator-determined ORR may also be performed. DOR and TTR will also be evaluated. Descriptive analysis of the response in the investigator's choice group (ie, participants treated with investigator's choice among ORR population) will also be provided.

At the time of the formal ORR analysis, no PFS or OS analysis will be conducted because of the immaturity of those specific endpoints. A reduced analysis will be defined in the data presentation plan.

8.4.2.2 Progression-Free Survival Analysis: Co-primary Endpoint

One of the primary objectives of the study is to compare the progression-free survival (based on IRRC assessment) of nivolumab combined with ipilimumab to sunitinib monotherapy in intermediate and poor-risk participants with previously untreated mRCC. All analyses specified in this section will be conducted for PFS derived as per primary and secondary definitions.

The primary formal comparison of PFS will be conducted using a two-sided 0.009 stratified log-rank test, with IMDC Prognostic Score (1-2 vs 3-6) and Region (US vs Canada/W Europe/N Europe vs ROW) as stratification factors among intermediate/poor risk participants.

Median PFS will be estimated via the Kaplan-Meier product limit method. Two-sided 95% CI for the median PFS will be computed for each randomized arm. Kaplan-Meier plots of PFS will be presented. Hazard ratios (HR) and corresponding two-sided 99.1% confidence intervals (CI) will be estimated using a Cox proportional hazards model, with treatment arm as a single covariate, stratified by the stratification factors, corresponding to the comparison of PFS.

The totality of PFS results will be presented in a single graphical display that includes Kaplan-Meier curves for the two treatment arms, the log-rank p-values for the formal comparison, the HRs and corresponding CI, and the median PFS estimates and corresponding CIs.

The following supportive analyses of PFS will also be conducted:

A stratified multivariate Cox regression model will be used in order to estimate the treatment effect after adjustment for possible imbalances in known or potential prognostic factors. The covariates included in this model will be specified in the statistical analysis plan.

PFS using an un-stratified log rank test. The hazard ratio associated with treatment will be presented along with the associated two-sided 95% CIs.

8.4.2.3 Overall Survival Analysis: Co-primary Endpoint

One of the primary objectives of the study is to compare the overall survival of nivolumab combined with ipilimumab to sunitinib monotherapy in intermediate and poor-risk participants with previously untreated mRCC. OS will be compared between the treatment arms using a two sided, $\alpha = 0.04$ level log-rank test (adjusted for interim analyses), stratified using the same factor as in PFS. A similar analysis as in PFS will be conducted for OS. Hazard ratios (HR) and corresponding two-sided 96% confidence intervals (CI) will be estimated using a Cox proportional hazards model, with treatment arm as a single covariate, stratified by the stratification factors, corresponding to the comparison of OS.

8.4.2.4 Progression-Free Survival Analysis: Secondary Objective

One of the secondary objectives of the study is to compare the progression-free survival (based on IRRC assessment) of nivolumab combined with ipilimumab to sunitinib monotherapy in all

randomized with previously untreated mRCC. All analyses specified in this section will be conducted for PFS derived as per primary and secondary definitions.

A formal comparison of PFS in all randomized participants will be conducted using a two-sided 0.009 stratified log-rank test, with IMDC Prognostic Score (0 vs 1-2 vs 3-6) and Region (US vs Canada/W Europe/N Europe vs ROW) as stratification factors among all randomized participants, only if the PFS comparison among intermediate/poor risk participants towards the primary objective assessment is found to be statistically significant. Analyses of PFS among all randomized participants will be similar to those conducted towards the assessment of the primary PFS objective.

8.4.2.5 Overall Survival Analysis: Secondary Objective

One of the secondary objectives of the study is to compare the overall survival of nivolumab combined with ipilimumab to sunitinib monotherapy in all randomized with previously untreated mRCC.

A formal comparison of OS in all randomized participants will be conducted using a two-sided 0.04 stratified log-rank test, with IMDC Prognostic Score (0 vs 1-2 vs 3-6) and Region (US vs Canada/W Europe/N Europe vs ROW) as stratification factors among all randomized participants, only if the OS comparison among intermediate/poor risk participants towards the primary objective assessment is found to be statistically significant. Analyses of OS among all randomized participants will be similar to those conducted towards the assessment of the primary OS objective.

8.4.2.6 Objective Response Rate Analysis: Secondary Objective

One of the secondary objectives of the study is to estimate the objective response rate in the two treatment arms among all randomized participants.

Estimates of response rate, along with its exact two-sided 95% CI by Clopper-Pearson method, will be computed within each treatment arm. A two sided, 95% CI for difference of response rate between the treatment arms will also be computed.

8.4.3 Safety Analyses

The safety analysis will be performed in all treated participants. Descriptive statistics of safety will be presented using the National Cancer Institute (NCI) Common Terminology Criteria for Adverse Events (CTCAE) version 4.0 by treatment arm. All AEs, drug-related AEs, SAEs and drug-related SAEs will be tabulated using the worst grade per NCI CTCAE v 4.0 criteria by system organ class and preferred term. On-study lab parameters including hematology, coagulation, chemistry, liver function and renal function will be summarized using worse grade per NCI CCAE v 4.0 criteria.

8.4.3.1 AE Incidence Rate Analysis: Secondary Objective

One of the secondary objectives of the study is to estimate the adverse event incidence rate in the two treatment arms among treated participants.

Estimates of AE incidence rate, along with its exact two-sided 95% CI by Clopper-Pearson method, will be computed within each treatment arm.

8.4.4 Not Applicable per Protocol Revision 04 - Pharmacokinetic Analyses

The nivolumab and ipilimumab concentration data obtained in this study may be combined with data from other studies in the clinical development programs to develop or refine a population PK model. These models may be used to evaluate the effects of intrinsic and extrinsic covariates on the PK of nivolumab and ipilimumab and to determine measures of individual exposure. In addition, model determined exposures may be used for exposure-response analyses.

8.4.5 Biomarker Analyses

8.4.5.1 Pharmacodynamic Analyses

To assess pharmacodynamic effects in serum, blood RNA, or peripheral cells obtained from participants on each treatment arm, summary statistics for biomarkers of immunoregulatory activity (eg, IFN-inducible proteins, miRNAs, gene expression, immune cells) and their corresponding changes (or percent changes) from baseline will be tabulated by planned study visit. In addition, the time course of biomarker outcomes will be investigated graphically. If there is indication of a meaningful pattern across time, further analysis may be completed to characterize the relationship. Possible associations between changes in biomarker measures of interest and exposure to study drug will be explored graphically.

8.4.5.2 Pharmacogenomic and Exploratory Analyses

Potential relationships between biomarker data and efficacy or safety endpoints will be investigated as part of an analysis plan aimed at identifying baseline biomarkers that may be used to prospectively identify patients likely (or not likely) to respond to nivolumab and to identify participants who may be predisposed to having adverse reactions to treatment. These exploratory predictive biomarker analyses will be completed with biomarkers measured in blood and in tumor samples and will focus primarily, as outlined in the exploratory objectives, on SNPs in select genes associated with immunity or on the expression of selected proteins in tumor specimens, such as PD-1, PD-L1, and PD-L2. Similar analyses will be completed with data regarding serum-soluble factors, blood RNA and/or immune cell types.

Associations between biomarkers and efficacy measures will be analyzed on all participants treated with at least one dose of study medication and with corresponding efficacy and biomarker measurements. Efficacy measures will include response, PFS, and OS. Demographic and case-history factors will be examined to determine whether stratification or adjustments should be made within the subsequent statistical analyses, and if necessary, the appropriate stratification or adjustment will be made.

Biomarkers will be summarized graphically as they relate to efficacy and safety endpoints, as applicable. Summary statistics will be tabulated. SNP allele frequencies will be summarized. The relationships between binary measures (eg, response) and candidate biomarkers will be investigated using logistic regression. Associations will be summarized in terms of point and interval estimates of hazard ratios, odds ratios, or other statistics, as appropriate for the analyses completed. Models to predict clinical activity based on combinations of biomarkers may also be investigated.

Additional post hoc statistical analyses not specified in the protocol, such as alternative modeling approaches may be completed. All analyses described in this section are based on the availability of the data

8.4.6 Outcomes Research Analyses

Descriptive summary statistics of Quality of life (QoL) assessments will be presented at baseline and each on-study time point, unless otherwise specified. Mean changes from baseline for each of the three scales will be calculated for each participant at each on-study time point. In addition, participant compliance will be described per time point by the proportion of participants who filled out the QoL assessments over the numbers of participants known to be alive and eligible for assessment at these time points.

8.4.7 Other Analyses

8.4.7.1 Not Applicable per Protocol Revision 04 - Immunogenicity Analyses

Immunogenicity may be reported for ADA positive status (such as persistent positive, other positive, only last sample positive, baseline positive) and ADA negative status, relative to baseline. In addition, presence of neutralizing antibody may be reported, if applicable. Effect of immunogenicity on safety/efficacy and biomarkers and PK may be explored.

8.4.7.2 Resource Utilization

Resource Utilization analysis will be described in a separate statistical analysis plan.

8.5 Interim Analyses

Two interim analyses of OS are planned. First interim analysis is scheduled at the time of final PFS analysis and it is expected after observing 370 deaths (approx 58% of the targeted OS events) and the second interim analysis is scheduled after 478 deaths (approx 75% of total deaths) have been observed among intermediate/poor risk participants based on above accrual rate and the exponential distribution in each arm. These formal comparisons of OS will allow for early stopping for superiority, and the boundaries for declaring superiority will be derived based on the actual number of deaths using Lan-DeMets spending function with O'Brien and Fleming type of boundary in EAST v5.4. If the first interim analysis is performed exactly at 370 deaths, the boundary in terms of statistical significance for declaring superiority would be 0.0045 (HR=0.744, 6.9 months improvement in median OS) and if the second interim analysis is performed at exactly 479 deaths, the boundary in terms of statistical significance at the interim analysis for declaring superiority would be 0.0131 (or 0.8 with regard to HR boundary, which corresponds to 5.1 months improvement in median OS under the assumed control arm hazard function). The boundary for declaring superiority in terms of statistical significance for the final analysis after 639 events would be 0.0354. An independent statistician external to BMS will perform interim analysis.

In addition to the formal planned interim analysis for OS, the DMC will have access to periodic un-blinded interim reports of efficacy and safety to allow a risk/benefit assessment. Details will be included in the DMC charter.

9 STUDY MANAGEMENT

9.1 Compliance

9.1.1 Compliance with the Protocol and Protocol Revisions

The study shall be conducted as described in this approved protocol. All revisions to the protocol must be discussed with, and be prepared by, BMS. The investigator should not implement any deviation or change to the protocol without prior review and documented approval/favorable opinion from the IRB/IEC and Regulatory Authority(ies), if required by local regulations, of an amendment, except where necessary to eliminate an immediate hazard(s) to study participants.

If a deviation or change to a protocol is implemented to eliminate an immediate hazard(s) prior to obtaining IRB/IEC approval/favorable opinion, as soon as possible the deviation or change will be submitted to:

- IRB/IEC for review and approval/favorable opinion
- BMS
- Regulatory Authority(ies), if required by local regulations

Documentation of approval signed by the chairperson or designee of the IRB(s)/IEC(s) must be sent to BMS.

If an amendment substantially alters the study design or increases the potential risk to the participant: (1) the consent form must be revised and submitted to the IRB(s)/IEC(s) for review and approval/favorable opinion; (2) the revised form must be used to obtain consent from participants currently enrolled in the study if they are affected by the amendment; and (3) the new form must be used to obtain consent from new participants prior to enrollment.

If the revision is done via an administrative letter, investigators must inform their IRB(s)/IEC(s).

9.1.2 Monitoring

BMS representatives will review data centrally to identify potential issues to determine a schedule of on-site visits for targeted review of study records.

Representatives of BMS must be allowed to visit all study site locations periodically to assess the data quality and study integrity. On site they will review study records and directly compare them with source documents, discuss the conduct of the study with the investigator, and verify that the facilities remain acceptable. Certain CRF pages and/or electronic files may serve as the source documents.

In addition, the study may be evaluated by BMS internal auditors and government inspectors who must be allowed access to CRFs, source documents, other study files, and study facilities. BMS audit reports will be kept confidential.

The investigator must notify BMS promptly of any inspections scheduled by regulatory authorities, and promptly forward copies of inspection reports to BMS.

9.1.2.1 Source Documentation

The Investigator is responsible for ensuring that the source data are accurate, legible, contemporaneous, original and attributable, whether the data are hand-written on paper or entered electronically. If source data are created (first entered), modified, maintained, archived, retrieved, or transmitted electronically via computerized systems (and/or any other kind of electronic devices) as part of regulated clinical trial activities, such systems must be compliant with all applicable laws and regulations governing use of electronic records and/or electronic signatures. Such systems may include, but are not limited to, electronic medical/health records (EMRs/EHRs), adverse event tracking/reporting, protocol required assessments, and/or drug accountability records).

When paper records from such systems are used in place of electronic format to perform regulated activities, such paper records should be certified copies. A certified copy consists of a copy of original information that has been verified, as indicated by a dated signature, as an exact copy having all of the same attributes and information as the original.

9.1.3 Investigational Site Training

Bristol-Myers Squibb will provide quality investigational staff training prior to study initiation. Training topics will include but are not limited to: GCP, AE reporting, study details and procedure, electronic CRFs, study documentation, informed consent, and enrollment of WOCBP.

9.2 Records

9.2.1 Records Retention

The investigator must retain all study records and source documents for the maximum period required by applicable regulations and guidelines, or institution procedures, or for the period specified by BMS, whichever is longer. The investigator must contact BMS prior to destroying any records associated with the study.

BMS will notify the investigator when the study records are no longer needed.

If the investigator withdraws from the study (eg, relocation, retirement), the records shall be transferred to a mutually agreed upon designee (eg, another investigator, IRB). Notice of such transfer will be given in writing to BMS.

9.2.2 Study Drug Records

It is the responsibility of the investigator to ensure that a current disposition record of investigational product (inventoried and dispensed) is maintained at the study site. Records or logs must comply with applicable regulations and guidelines and should include:

- amount received and placed in storage area
- amount currently in storage area
- label identification number or batch number
- amount dispensed to and returned by each participant, including unique participant identifiers
- amount transferred to another area/site for dispensing or storage

- nonstudy disposition (eg, lost, wasted)
- amount destroyed at study site, if applicable
- amount returned to BMS
- retain samples for bioavailability/bioequivalence, if applicable
- dates and initials of person responsible for Investigational Product dispensing/accountability, as per the Delegation of Authority Form.

BMS will provide forms to facilitate inventory control if the investigational site does not have an established system that meets these requirements.

9.2.3 Case Report Forms

An investigator is required to prepare and maintain adequate and accurate case histories designed to record all observations and other data pertinent to the investigation on each individual treated or entered as a control in the investigation. Data that are derived from source documents and reported on the CRF must be consistent with the source documents or the discrepancies must be explained. Additional clinical information may be collected and analyzed in an effort to enhance understanding of product safety. CRFs may be requested for AEs and/or laboratory abnormalities that are reported or identified during the course of the study.

For sites using the BMS electronic data capture tool, electronic CRFs will be prepared for all data collection fields except for fields specific to SAEs and pregnancy, which will be reported on the paper or electronic SAE form and Pregnancy Surveillance form, respectively. Spaces may be left blank only in those circumstances permitted by study-specific CRF completion guidelines provided by BMS.

The confidentiality of records that could identify participants must be protected, respecting the privacy and confidentiality rules in accordance with the applicable regulatory requirement(s).

The investigator will maintain a signature sheet to document signatures and initials of all persons authorized to make entries and/or corrections on CRFs.

The completed CRF, including any paper or electronic SAE/pregnancy CRFs, must be promptly reviewed, signed, and dated by the investigator or qualified physician who is a subinvestigator and who is delegated this task on the Delegation of Authority Form. For electronic CRFs, review and approval/signature is completed electronically through the BMS electronic data capture tool. The investigator must retain a copy of the CRFs including records of the changes and corrections.

Each individual electronically signing electronic CRFs must meet BMS training requirements and must only access the BMS electronic data capture tool using the unique user account provided by BMS. User accounts are not to be shared or reassigned to other individuals.

9.3 Clinical Study Report and Publications

A Signatory Investigator must be selected to sign the clinical study report.

For this protocol, the Signatory Investigator will be selected as appropriate based on the following criteria:

- Participant recruitment (eg, among the top quartile of enrollers)
- Involvement in trial design
- Other criteria (as determined by the study team)

The data collected during this study are confidential and proprietary to BMS. Any publications or abstracts arising from this study require approval by BMS prior to publication or presentation and must adhere to BMS's publication requirements as set forth in the approved clinical trial agreement (CTA). All draft publications, including abstracts or detailed summaries of any proposed presentations, must be submitted to BMS at the earliest practicable time for review, but at any event not less than 30 days before submission or presentation unless otherwise set forth in the CTA. BMS shall have the right to delete any confidential or proprietary information contained in any proposed presentation or abstract and may delay publication for up to 60 days for purposes of filing a patent application.

10 GLOSSARY OF TERMS

Term	Definition
Complete Abstinence	<p>If one form of contraception is required, Complete Abstinence is defined as complete avoidance of heterosexual intercourse and is an acceptable form of contraception for all study drugs. Female participants must continue to have pregnancy tests. Acceptable alternate methods of highly effective contraception must be discussed in the event that the participant chooses to forego complete abstinence.</p> <p>If two forms of contraception is required, Complete abstinence is defined as complete avoidance of heterosexual intercourse and is an acceptable form of contraception for all study drugs. Participants who choose complete abstinence are not required to use a second method of contraception, but female participants must continue to have pregnancy tests. Acceptable alternate methods of highly effective contraception must be discussed in the event that the participant chooses to forego complete abstinence.</p> <p>Expanded definition Complete abstinence as defined as complete avoidance of heterosexual intercourse is an acceptable form of contraception for all study drugs. This also means that abstinence is the preferred and usual lifestyle of the patient. This does not mean periodic abstinence (eg, calendar, ovulation, symptothermal, profession of abstinence for entry into a clinical trial, post-ovulation methods) and withdrawal, which are not acceptable methods of contraception. Participants who choose complete abstinence are not required to use a second method of contraception, but female participants must continue to have pregnancy tests. Acceptable alternate methods of highly effective contraception must be discussed in the event that the participant chooses to forego complete abstinence</p>

11 LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

Abbreviation	Term
ADA	Anti-drug antibody
AE	Adverse event
AJCC	American Joint Committee on Cancer
ALT	Alanine transaminase
AST	Aspartate transaminase
BMS	Bristol-Myers Squibb
BOR	Best overall response
BUN	Blood urea nitrogen
CL	Chloride
CMV	Cytomegalovirus
CR	Complete response
CRC	Colorectal cancer
CrCl	Creatinine clearance
CRF	Case report form
CT	Computed tomography
CTCAE	Common Terminology Criteria for Adverse Events
DCF	Data clarification form
DILI	Drug-induced liver injury
DLT	Dose-limiting toxicity
DMC	Data monitoring committee
ECG	Electrocardiogram
eCRF	Electronic case report form
EDC	Electronic data capture
ELISA	Enzyme-linked immunosorbent assay
EOI	End of infusion
EQ-5D-3L	EuroQol five-dimension 3 level questionnaire
FACT	Functional Assessment of Cancer Therapy
FFPE	Formalin-fixed paraffin-embedded
FKSI	Functional Assessment of Cancer Therapy-Kidney Symptom Index

Abbreviation	Term
FPFV	First Patient First Visit
FSH	Follicle-stimulating hormone
FU	Follow-up
GCP	Good clinical practices
GMP	Good manufacturing practices
HCV	Hepatitis C virus
HBV	Hepatitis B virus
HDL	High-density lipoprotein
HIF α	Hypoxia inducible factor α
HIPAA	Health Information Portability and Accountability Act
HRT	Hormone replacement therapy
HRU	Health Resource Utilization
ICF	Informed consent form
ICH	International Conference on Harmonisation
IHC	Immunohistochemistry
IMDC	International Metastatic RCC Database Consortium
ITIM	Immunoreceptor tyrosine inhibitory motif
ITSM	Immunoreceptor tyrosine-based switch motif
IV	Intravenous
IFN	Interferon
IRB/IEC	Institutional review board/independent ethics committee
IRRC	Independent Radiology Review Committee
IVRS	Interactive voice response system
KPS	Karnofsky Performance Score
K	Potassium
LDH	Lactate dehydrogenase
LDL	Low-density lipoprotein
LFT	Liver function test
mAb	Monoclonal antibody
MedDRA	Medical Dictionary for Regulatory Activities

Abbreviation	Term
MEL	Metastatic melanoma
Mg	Magnesium
miRNA	Micro-ribonucleic acid
MLR	Mixed lymphocyte reaction
mRCC	Metastatic renal cell carcinoma
MRI	Magnetic resonance imaging
MSKCC	Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center
MTD	Maximum-tolerated dose
mTOR	Mammalian target of rapamycin
Na	Sodium
NCI	National Cancer Institute
NCCN	National Comprehensive Cancer Network
NSCLC	Non-small cell lung cancer
ORR	Objective response rate
OS	Overall survival
PBMC	Peripheral blood mononuclear cell
PD	Progressive disease
PD-1	Programmed death-1
PD-L1	Programmed death-ligand 1
PD-L2	Programmed death-ligand 2
PFS	Progression-free survival
PK	Pharmacokinetics
PO	Per os (by mouth)
PR	Partial response
PRO	Patient-reported outcome
Q2W	Every 2 weeks
Q4W	Every 4 weeks
QoL	Quality of life
RCC	Renal cell carcinoma
RECIST	Response Evaluation Criteria in Solid Tumors

Abbreviation	Term
RNA	Ribonucleic acid
RT-PCR	Reverse transcriptase - polymerase chain reaction
SAE	Serious adverse event
sAg	Surface antigen
SARS-CoV-2	severe acute respiratory syndrome-coronavirus-2
SD	Stable disease
SNP	Single nucleotide polymorphism
SOP	Standard operating procedures
T.bili	Total bilirubin
TCR	T-cell receptor
TKI	Tyrosine kinase inhibitor
TSH	Thyroid stimulating hormone
ULN	Upper limit of normal
US	United States
VEGF	Vascular endothelial growth factor
VEGFr	Vascular endothelial growth factor receptor
WOCBP	Women of child bearing potential

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APPENDIX 1 INTERNATIONAL METASTATIC RCC DATABASE CONSORTIUM (IMDC) PROGNOSTIC CRITERIA

Adverse Prognostic Factors
Clinical
KPS < 80% Time from diagnosis to treatment < 1 year
Laboratory
Hemoglobin < LLN Corrected calcium > ULN Absolute neutrophil count > ULN Platelet count > ULN

LLN = Lower limit of normal

ULN = Upper limit of normal

Corrected calcium (mg/dL) = measured total Ca (mg/dL) + 0.8 (4.0 - serum albumin [g/dL]), where 4.0 represents the average albumin level in g/dL.

Corrected calcium (mmol/L) = measured total Ca (mmol/L) + 0.02 (40 - serum albumin [g/L]), where 40 represents the average albumin level in g/L

Risk Group Based on Number of Adverse Prognostic Factors	
Number of Adverse Prognostic Factors Present	Risk Group
0	Favorable
1-2	Intermediate
3-6	Poor

Reference: Heng D, Xie W, Regan M, et al. Prognostic factors for overall survival in patients with metastatic renal cell carcinoma treated with vascular endothelial growth factor-targeted agents: results from a large, multicenter study. J Clin Oncol 2009; 27(34):5794-5799.

APPENDIX 2 PERFORMANCE STATUS SCALES

STATUS	SCALES		STATUS
	KARNOFSKY	ZUBROD-ECOG- WHO	
Normal, no complaints	100	0	Normal activity
Able to carry on normal activities Minor signs or symptoms of disease	90	0	Symptoms, but fully ambulatory
Normal activity with effort	80	1	
Cares for self. Unable to carry on normal activity or to do active work	70	1	Symptomatic, but in bed < 50% of the day.
Requires occasional assistance, but able to care for most of his needs	60	2	
Requires considerable assistance and frequent medical care	50	2	Needs to be in bed > 50% of the day, but not bedridden
Disabled. Requires special care and assistance	40	3	
Severely disabled. Hospitalization indicated though death non imminent	30	3	Unable to get out of bed
Very sick. Hospitalization necessary. Active supportive treatment necessary	20	4	
Moribund	10	4	
Dead	0	5	Dead

APPENDIX 3 RESPONSE EVALUATION CRITERIA IN SOLID TUMORS GUIDELINES (VERSION 1.1) WITH BMS MODIFICATIONS

1 EVALUATION OF LESIONS

Solid tumors will be evaluated using Response Evaluation Criteria In Solid Tumors version 1.1 (RECIST 1.1) guideline with BMS modifications.¹

At baseline, tumor lesions/lymph nodes will be categorized as measurable or non-measurable as follows:

1.1 Measurable

Tumor lesions: Must be accurately measured in at least one dimension (longest diameter in the plane of measurement is to be recorded) with a minimum size of:

- 10 mm by CT/MRI scan (scan slice thickness no greater than 5 mm), or $\geq 2 \times$ slice thickness if greater than 5mm.

Malignant lymph nodes: To be considered pathologically enlarged and measurable, a lymph node must be ≥ 15 mm in short axis when assessed by CT/MRI scan (scan slice thickness recommended to be no greater than 5 mm).

Lymph nodes merit special mention since they are normal anatomical structures which may be visible by imaging even if not involved by tumor. Pathological nodes which are defined as measurable and may be identified as target lesions must meet the criterion of a short axis of ≥ 15 mm by CT/MRI scan. Only the short axis of these nodes will contribute to the baseline sum. The short axis of the node is the diameter normally used by radiologists to judge if a node is involved by solid tumor. Nodal size is normally reported as two dimensions in the plane in which the image is obtained (for CT scan this is almost always the axial plane; for MRI the plane of acquisition may be axial, sagittal or coronal). The smaller of these measures is the short axis. For example, an abdominal node which is reported as being 20 mm x 30 mm has a short axis of 20 mm and qualifies as a malignant, measurable node. In this example, 20 mm should be recorded as the node measurement. All other pathological nodes (those with short axis ≥ 10 mm but < 15 mm) should be considered non-target lesions. Nodes that have a short axis < 10 mm are considered non-pathological and should not be recorded or followed.

Note: Lesions on X-Ray are not to be selected as Target or Non-Target Lesions.

1.2 Non-Measurable

All other lesions are considered non-measurable, including small lesions (longest diameter < 10 mm or pathological lymph nodes with ≥ 10 to < 15 mm short axis) as well as truly non-measurable lesions. Lesions considered truly non-measurable include: leptomeningeal disease, inflammatory breast disease, lymphangitic involvement of skin or lung, abdominal masses/abdominal organomegaly identified by physical exam that is not measurable by reproducible imaging techniques.

Note: Lesions on X-Ray are not to be selected as Target or Non-Target Lesions.

1.3 Special considerations regarding lesion measurability

1.3.1 Bone lesions

- Bone scan, PET scan and plain films are **not** considered adequate imaging techniques to measure bone lesions. However, these techniques can be used to confirm the presence or disappearance of bone lesions.
- Lytic bone lesions or mixed lytic-blastic lesions, with *identifiable soft tissue components*, that can be evaluated by cross sectional imaging techniques such as CT or MRI can be considered as measurable lesions if the *soft tissue component* meets the definition of measurability described above.
- Blastic bone lesions are non-measurable.

1.4 Baseline Documentation Of ‘Target’ And ‘Non-Target’ Lesions

When more than one measurable lesion is present at baseline all lesions up to a maximum of five lesions total (and a maximum of two lesions per organ) representative of all involved organs should be identified as target lesions and will be recorded and measured at baseline (this means in instances where patients have only one or two organ sites involved a maximum of two and four lesions respectively will be recorded).

Note: A maximum of two lesions can be selected per organ system. For example, a maximum of two lung lesions can be selected (selected from one lung or one lesion from each). A maximum of two lymph nodes can be selected at baseline, as the lymphatic system is considered one organ.

Target lesions should be selected on the basis of their size (lesions with the longest diameter), be representative of all involved organs, but in addition should be those that lend themselves to reproducible repeated measurements. It may be the case that, on occasion, the largest lesion does not lend itself to reproducible measurement in which circumstance the next largest lesion which can be measured reproducibly should be selected.

A sum of the diameters (longest for non-nodal lesions, short axis for nodal lesions) for all target lesions will be calculated and reported as the baseline sum diameters. If lymph nodes are to be included in the sum, then as noted above, only the short axis is added into the sum. The baseline sum diameters will be used as reference to further characterize any objective tumor regression in the measurable dimension of the disease.

All other lesions (or sites of disease) including pathological lymph nodes should be identified as non-target lesions and should also be recorded at baseline. Measurements are not required and these lesions should be followed as ‘present’, ‘absent’, or in rare cases ‘unequivocal progression’ (more details to follow). In addition, it is possible to record multiple non-target lesions involving the same organ as a single item on the case record form (eg, ‘multiple enlarged pelvic lymph nodes’ or ‘multiple liver metastases’).

2 RESPONSE CRITERIA

2.1 Evaluation of Target Lesions

- **Complete Response (CR):** Disappearance of all target lesions. Any pathological lymph nodes (whether target or non-target) must have reduction in short axis to < 10 mm.
- **Partial Response (PR):** At least a 30% decrease in the sum of diameters of target lesions, taking as reference the baseline sum diameters.
- **Progressive Disease (PD):** At least a 20% increase in the sum of diameters of target lesions, taking as reference the smallest sum on study (this includes the baseline sum if that is the smallest on study). In addition to the relative increase of 20%, the sum must also demonstrate an absolute increase of at least 5 mm. (Note: the appearance of one or more new lesions is also considered progression).
- **Stable Disease (SD):** Neither sufficient shrinkage to qualify for PR nor sufficient increase to qualify for PD, taking as reference the smallest sum diameters while on study.
- **Not Evaluable (NE):** If one or more target lesions cannot be measured or adequately assessed as either fully resolved or too small to measure (due to missing or poor quality images), and the sum of diameters of the remaining measured target lesions (if any) has not increased sufficiently to meet Progressive Disease as defined above.

2.1.1 *Special Notes on the Assessment of Target Lesions*

2.1.1.1 *Lymph nodes*

Lymph nodes identified as target lesions should always have the actual short axis measurement recorded (measured in the same anatomical plane as the baseline examination), even if the nodes regress to below 10 mm on study. This means that when lymph nodes are included as target lesions, the ‘sum’ of lesions may not be zero even if complete response criteria are met, since a normal lymph node is defined as having a short axis of < 10 mm. Case report forms or other data collection methods may therefore be designed to have target nodal lesions recorded in a separate section where, in order to qualify for CR, each node must achieve a short axis < 10 mm. For PR, SD and PD, the actual short axis measurement of the nodes is to be included in the sum of target lesions.

2.1.1.2 *Target lesions that become ‘too small to measure’*

While on study, all lesions (nodal and non-nodal) recorded at baseline should have their actual measurements recorded at each subsequent evaluation, even when very small (eg, 2 mm). However, sometimes lesions or lymph nodes which are recorded as target lesions at baseline become so faint on CT scan that the radiologist may not feel comfortable assigning an exact measure and may report them as being ‘too small to measure’. When this occurs it is important that a value be recorded on the case report form. If it is the opinion of the radiologist that the lesion has likely disappeared, the measurement should be recorded as 0 mm. If the lesion is believed to be present and is faintly seen but too small to measure, a default value of 5 mm should be assigned as the reference diameter. (Note: It is less likely that this rule will be used for lymph nodes since they usually have a definable size when normal and are frequently surrounded by fat such as in the retroperitoneum; however, if a lymph node is believed to be present and is faintly seen but too small to measure, a default value of 5 mm should be assigned in this circumstance as well). This

default value is derived from the 5 mm CT slice thickness (but should not be changed with varying CT slice thickness). The measurement of these lesions is potentially non-reproducible, therefore providing this default value will prevent false responses or progressions based upon measurement error. To reiterate, however, if the radiologist is able to provide an actual measure, that should be recorded, even if it is below 5 mm.

2.1.1.3 Lesions that split or coalesce on treatment

When non-nodal lesions ‘fragment’, the longest diameters of the fragmented portions should be added together to calculate the target lesion sum. Similarly, as lesions coalesce, a plane between them may be maintained that would aid in obtaining maximal diameter measurements of each individual lesion. If the lesions have truly coalesced such that they are no longer separable, the vector of the longest diameter in this instance should be the maximal longest diameter for the ‘coalesced lesion’.

2.2 Evaluation of Non-Target Lesions

This section provides the definitions of the criteria used to determine the tumor response for the group of non-target lesions. While some non-target lesions may actually be measurable, they need not be measured and instead should be assessed only qualitatively at the time points specified in the protocol.

- **Complete Response (CR):** Disappearance of all non-target lesions. All lymph nodes must be non-pathological in size (< 10mm short axis).
- **Non-CR/Non-PD:** Persistence of one or more non-target lesion(s)
- **Progressive Disease (PD):** Unequivocal progression of existing non-target lesions.

2.2.1 Special Notes on Assessment of Progression of Non-Target Disease

The concept of progression of non-target disease requires additional explanation as follows:

2.2.1.1 When the patient also has measurable disease

In this setting, to achieve ‘unequivocal progression’ on the basis of the non-target disease, there must be an overall level of substantial worsening in non-target disease such that, even in presence of SD or PR in target disease, the overall tumor burden has increased sufficiently to merit discontinuation of therapy. A modest ‘increase’ in the size of one or more non-target lesions is usually not sufficient to qualify for unequivocal progression status. Pleural effusions, pericardial effusions and ascites will not be followed as target or non-target lesions and will not contribute to response or progression. The designation of overall progression solely on the basis of change in non-target disease in the face of SD or PR of target disease will therefore be extremely rare.

2.2.1.2 When the patient has only non-measurable disease

This circumstance arises in some trials when it is not a criterion of study entry to have measurable disease. The same general concepts apply here as noted above, however, in this instance there is no measurable disease assessment to factor into the interpretation of an increase in non-measurable disease burden. Because worsening in non-target disease cannot be easily quantified (by definition:

if all lesions are truly non-measurable) a useful test that can be applied when assessing patients for unequivocal progression is to consider if the increase in overall disease burden based on the change in non-measurable disease is comparable in magnitude to the increase that would be required to declare PD for measurable disease: ie, an increase in tumor burden representing an additional 73% increase in ‘volume’ (which is equivalent to a 20% increase diameter in a measurable lesion). Examples include, an increase in lymphangitic disease from localized to widespread, or may be described as ‘sufficient to require a change in therapy’. If ‘unequivocal progression’ is seen, the patient should be considered to have had overall PD at that point. While it would be ideal to have objective criteria to apply to non-measurable disease, the very nature of that disease makes it impossible to do so; therefore the increase must be substantial.

2.2.2 New Lesions

The appearance of new malignant lesions denotes disease progression; therefore, some comments on detection of new lesions are important. There are no specific criteria for the identification of new radiographic lesions; however, the finding of a new lesion should be unequivocal: ie, not attributable to differences in scanning technique, change in imaging modality or findings thought to represent something other than tumor (for example, some ‘new’ bone lesions may be simply healing or flare of pre-existing lesions). This is particularly important when the patient’s baseline lesions show partial or complete response. For example, necrosis of a liver lesion may be reported on a CT scan report as a ‘new’ cystic lesion, which it is not.

NOTE: Fluid collections (pleural effusions, pericardial effusions, and ascites) will not be considered new lesions and will not contribute to response or progression. In the event a new fluid collection is seen on a post-baseline imaging exam, a comment may be made, but the appearance of a new fluid collection alone should not result in an assessment of Progressive Disease (PD). A lesion identified on a follow-up study in an anatomical location that was not scanned at baseline is considered a new lesion and will indicate disease progression. An example of this is the patient who has visceral disease at baseline and while on study has a CT or MRI brain ordered which reveals metastases. The patient’s brain metastases are considered to be evidence of PD even if he/she did not have brain imaging at baseline. A lesion identified on Chest X-Ray that was not present in prior CT can be considered a new lesion and will result in Progressive Disease (PD).

If a new lesion is equivocal, for example because of its small size, continued follow-up evaluation will clarify if it represents truly new disease. If repeat scans confirm there is definitely a new lesion, then progression should be declared using the date of the initial scan. While FDG-PET response assessments need additional study, it is sometimes reasonable to incorporate the use of FDG-PET scanning to complement CT scanning in assessment of progression (particularly possible ‘new’ disease). New lesions on the basis of FDG-PET imaging can be identified according to the following algorithm:

- 1) Negative FDG-PET at baseline, with a positive FDG-PET at follow-up is a sign of PD based on a new lesion.
- 2) No FDG-PET at baseline and a positive FDG-PET at follow-up: If the positive FDG-PET at follow-up corresponds to a new site of disease confirmed by CT, this is PD. If the positive FDG-PET at follow-up is not confirmed as a new site of disease on CT, additional follow-up

CT scans are needed to determine if there is truly progression occurring at that site (if so, the date of PD will be the date of the initial abnormal FDG-PET scan). If the positive FDG-PET at follow-up corresponds to a pre-existing site of disease on CT that is not progressing on the basis of the anatomic images, this is not PD.

2.3 Response Assessment

2.3.1 Evaluation of Best Overall Response

The best overall response is the best response recorded from the start of the study treatment until disease progression or the last response recorded, taking into account any requirement for confirmation and censoring rules regarding subsequent therapy. The patient's best overall response assignment will depend on the findings of both target and non-target disease and will also take into consideration the appearance of new lesions. Furthermore, depending on the nature of the study and the protocol requirements, it may also require confirmatory measurement.

2.3.2 Time Point Response

At each protocol specified time point, a response assessment occurs. Table 2.3.2-1 provides a summary of the overall response status calculation at each time point for patients who have measurable disease at baseline. When patients have non-measurable (therefore non-target) disease only, Table 2.3.2-2 is to be used.

Table 2.3.2-1: Time Point Response: Patients With Target (\pm Non-Target) Disease			
Target Lesions	Non-Target Lesions	New Lesions	Overall Response
CR	CR	No	CR
CR	Non-CR/non-PD	No	PR
CR	Not evaluated	No	PR
PR	Non-PD or not all evaluated	No	PR
SD	Non-PD or not all evaluated	No	SD
Not all evaluated	Non-PD	No	NE
PD	Any	Yes or No	PD
Any	PD	Yes or No	PD
Any	Any	Yes	PD

CR = complete response, PR = partial response, SD = stable disease, PD = progressive disease and NE = inevaluable

Table 2.3.2-2: Time Point Response: Patients with Non-target Disease Only		
Non-Target Lesions	New Lesions	Overall Response
CR	No	CR

Table 2.3.2-2: Time Point Response: Patients with Non-target Disease Only		
Non-Target Lesions	New Lesions	Overall Response
Non-CR/non-PD	No	Non-CR/non-PD ^a
Not all evaluated	No	NE
Unequivocal PD	Yes or No	PD
Any	Yes	PD
CR = complete response, PD = progressive disease and NE = inevaluable		

^a Non-CR/non-PD is preferred over SD for non-target disease since SD is increasingly used as endpoint for assessment of efficacy in some trials so to assign this category when no lesions can be measured is not advised.

2.3.3 Best Overall Response

Best response determination of complete or partial response requires confirmation: Complete or partial responses may be claimed only if the criteria for each are met at a subsequent time point of ≥ 4 weeks (28 days) later. In this circumstance, the best overall response can be interpreted as in Table 2.3.3-1. When SD is believed to be best response, it must meet the protocol specified minimum time from the date of first treatment or randomization date.

For example, if the first scheduled follow-up imaging visit is Week 6 (± 7 days) for a particular protocol, a Best Response of SD can only be made after the subject is on-study for a minimum of 6 weeks (42 days) minus 7 days, for an absolute minimum time on-study of 35 days from the reference start date (reference date is considered Day 1 on study). If the subject is not on-study for at least this amount of time, any tumor assessment indicating stable disease before this time period will have a Best Response of NE unless PD is identified.

Special note on response assessment: When nodal disease is included in the sum of target lesions and the nodes decrease to ‘normal’ size (< 10 mm), they may still have a measurement reported on scans. This measurement should be recorded even though the nodes are normal in order not to overstate progression should it be based on increase in size of the nodes. As noted earlier, this means that patients with CR may not have a total sum of ‘zero’ on the case report form (CRF).

Table 2.3.3-1: Best Overall Response (Confirmation of CR and PR Required)		
Overall Response First Time Point	Overall Response Subsequent Time Point	Best Overall Response
CR	CR	CR
CR	PR	SD, PD OR PR ^a
CR	SD	SD provided minimum criteria for SD duration met, otherwise, PD
CR	PD	SD provided minimum criteria for SD duration met, otherwise, PD

Table 2.3.3-1: Best Overall Response (Confirmation of CR and PR Required)		
Overall Response First Time Point	Overall Response Subsequent Time Point	Best Overall Response
CR	NE	SD provided minimum criteria for SD duration met, otherwise, NE
PR	CR	PR
PR	PR	PR
PR	SD	SD
PR	PD	SD provided minimum criteria for SD duration met, otherwise, PD
PR	NE	SD provided minimum criteria for SD duration met, otherwise, NE
NE	NE	NE
CR = complete response, PR = partial response, SD = stable disease, PD = progressive disease, and NE = inevaluable		

^a If a CR is truly met at first time point, then any disease seen at a subsequent time point, even disease meeting PR criteria relative to baseline, makes the disease PD at that point (since disease must have reappeared after CR). Best response would depend on whether minimum duration for SD was met. However, sometimes 'CR' may be claimed when subsequent scans suggest small lesions were likely still present and in fact the patient had PR, not CR at the first time point. Under these circumstances, the original CR should be changed to PR and the best response is PR.

2.3.4 Confirmation Scans

Verification of Response: To be assigned a status of CR or PR, changes in tumor measurements must be confirmed by consecutive or subsequent repeat assessments that should be performed no less than 28 days after the criteria for response are first met. Subsequent documentation of a CR may provide confirmation of a previously identified CR even with an intervening NE or PR (eg, CR NE CR or CR PR CR). Subsequent documentation of a PR may provide confirmation of a previously identified PR even with an intervening NE or SD (eg, PR NE PR or PR SD PR). However, only one (1) intervening time point will be allowed between PR/CRs for confirmation.

Verification of Progression: Progression of disease should be verified in cases where progression is equivocal. If repeat scans confirm PD, then progression should be declared using the date of the initial scan. If repeat scans do not confirm PD, then the subject is considered to not have progressive disease.

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APPENDIX 4 INDUCERS AND STRONG INHIBITORS OF CYP3A4

Inducers and Strong Inhibitors of CYP3A4	
CYP3A4 Inducers	Phenytoin Carbamazepine Rifampin Rifabutin Rifapentine Phenobarbital Dexamethasone
Strong CYP3A4 Inhibitors	Ketoconazole Itraconazole Voriconazole Clarithromycin Erythromycin Telithromycin Nefazodone Saquinavir Ritonavir Atazanavir Indinavir Nelfinavir

Notes:

The above list is not exhaustive.

Grapefruit, grapefruit juice and other foods that are known to inhibit CYP3A4 activity should be avoided during treatment.

St. John's Wort (*Hypericum perforatum*) is known to be an inducer of CYP3A4 and should be avoided during treatment.

APPENDIX 5 MANAGEMENT ALGORITHMS FOR STUDIES UNDER CTCAE VERSION 4.0

These general guidelines constitute guidance to the Investigator and may be supplemented by discussions with the Medical Monitor representing the Sponsor. The guidance applies to all immuno-oncology agents and regimens.

A general principle is that differential diagnoses should be diligently evaluated according to standard medical practice. Non-inflammatory etiologies should be considered and appropriately treated.

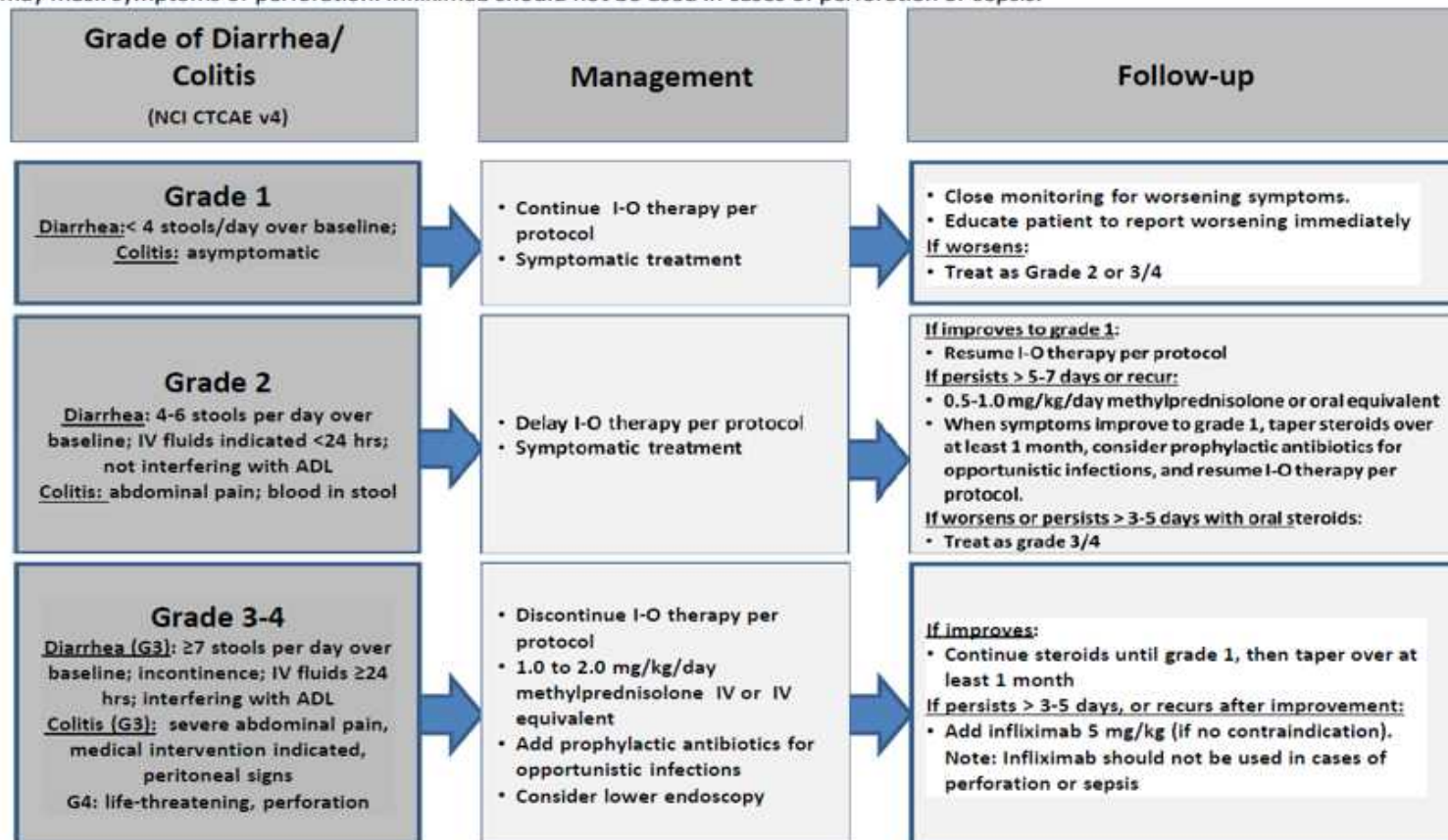
Corticosteroids are a primary therapy for immuno-oncology drug-related adverse events. The oral equivalent of the recommended IV doses may be considered for ambulatory patients with low-grade toxicity. The lower bioavailability of oral corticosteroids should be taken into account when switching to the equivalent dose of oral corticosteroids.

Consultation with a medical or surgical specialist, especially prior to an invasive diagnostic or therapeutic procedure, is recommended.

The frequency and severity of the related adverse events covered by these algorithms will depend on the immuno-oncology agent or regimen being used.

GI Adverse Event Management Algorithm

Rule out non-inflammatory causes. If non-inflammatory cause is identified, treat accordingly and continue I-O therapy. Opiates/narcotics may mask symptoms of perforation. Infliximab should not be used in cases of perforation or sepsis.

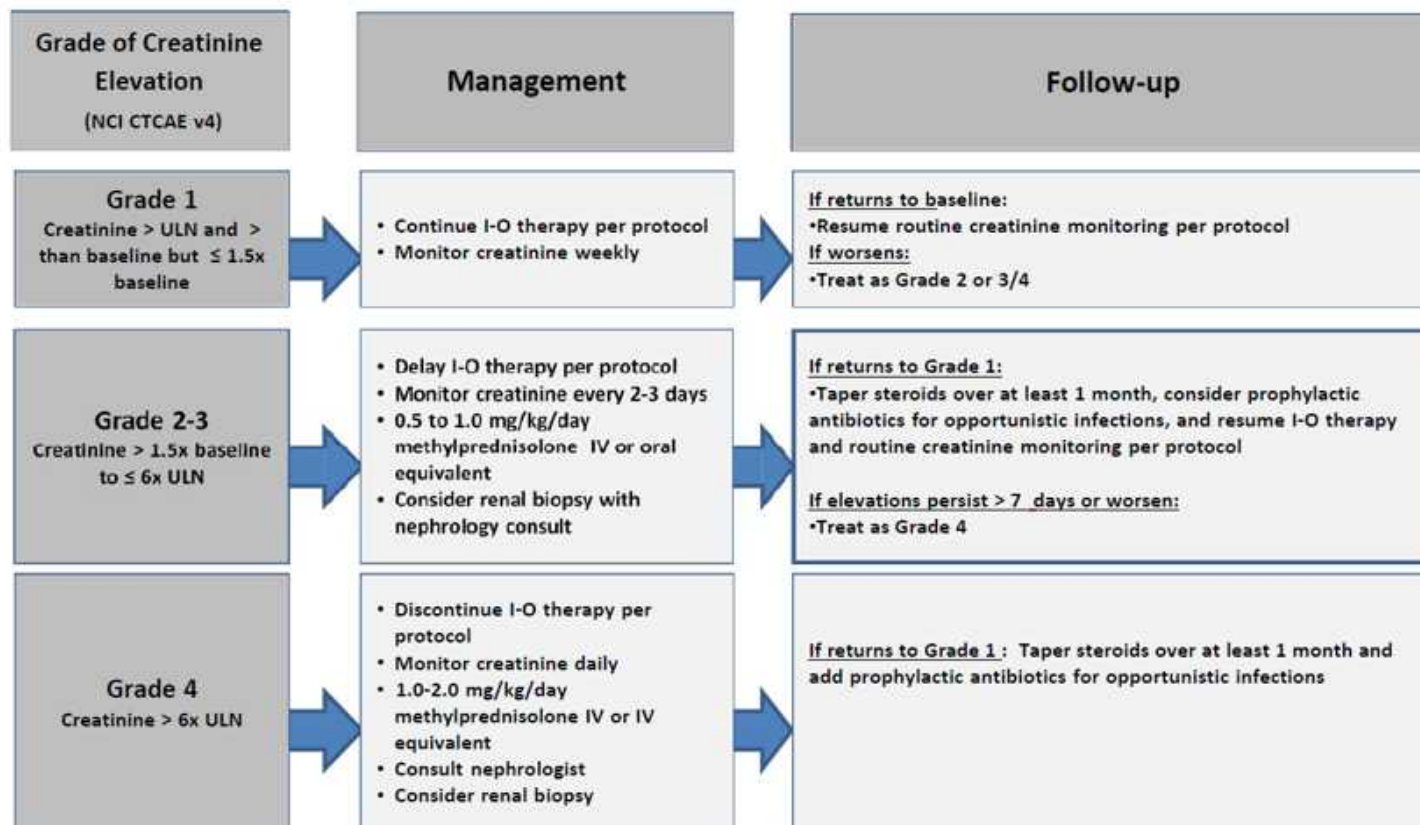


Patients on IV steroids may be switched to an equivalent dose of oral corticosteroids (e.g. prednisone) at start of tapering or earlier, once sustained clinical improvement is observed. Lower bioavailability of oral corticosteroids should be taken into account when switching to the equivalent dose of oral corticosteroids.

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Renal Adverse Event Management Algorithm

Rule out non-inflammatory causes. If non-inflammatory cause, treat accordingly and continue I-O therapy.

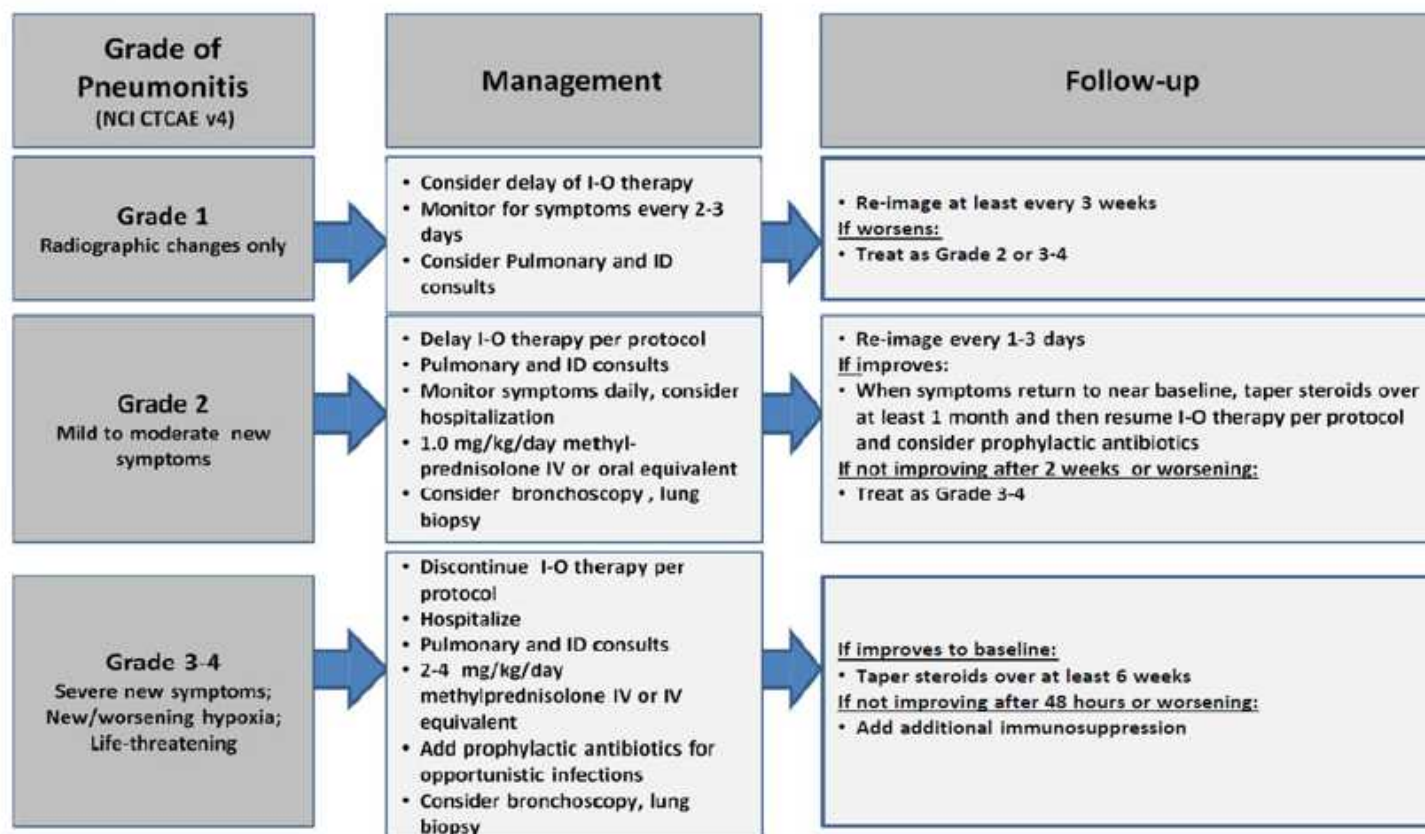


Patients on IV steroids may be switched to an equivalent dose of oral corticosteroids (e.g. prednisone) at start of tapering or earlier, once sustained clinical improvement is observed. Lower bioavailability of oral corticosteroids should be taken into account when switching to the equivalent dose of oral corticosteroids.

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Pulmonary Adverse Event Management Algorithm

Rule out non-inflammatory causes. If non-inflammatory cause, treat accordingly and continue I-O therapy. Evaluate with imaging and pulmonary consultation.



Patients on IV steroids may be switched to an equivalent dose of oral corticosteroids (e.g. prednisone) at start of tapering or earlier, once sustained clinical improvement is observed. Lower bioavailability of oral corticosteroids should be taken into account when switching to the equivalent dose of oral corticosteroids

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Hepatic Adverse Event Management Algorithm

Rule out non-inflammatory causes. If non-inflammatory cause, treat accordingly and continue I-O therapy. Consider imaging for obstruction.

Grade of Liver Test Elevation (NCI CTCAE v4)	Management	Follow-up
Grade 1 AST or ALT > ULN to 3.0 x ULN <u>and/or</u> T. bili > ULN to 1.5 x ULN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Continue I-O therapy per protocol 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Continue LFT monitoring per protocol <u>If worsens:</u> Treat as Grade 2 or 3-4
Grade 2 AST or ALT > 3.0 to ≤ 5 x ULN <u>and/or</u> T. bili > 1.5 to ≤ 3 x ULN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Delay I-O therapy per protocol Increase frequency of monitoring to every 3 days 	<p><u>If returns to baseline:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Resume routine monitoring, resume I-O therapy per protocol <p><u>If elevations persist > 5-7 days or worsen:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 0.5-1 mg/kg/day methylprednisolone or oral equivalent and when LFT returns to grade 1 or baseline, taper steroids over at least 1 month, consider prophylactic antibiotics for opportunistic infections, and resume I-O therapy per protocol
Grade 3-4 AST or ALT > 5 x ULN <u>or</u> T.bili > 3 x ULN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Discontinue I-O therapy* Increase frequency of monitoring to every 1-2 days 1.0 to 2.0 mg/kg/day methylprednisolone IV or IV equivalent* Add prophylactic antibiotics for opportunistic infections Consult gastroenterologist 	<p><u>If returns to grade 2:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Taper steroids over at least 1 month <p><u>If does not improve in >3-5 days, worsens or rebounds:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Add mycophenolate mofetil 1 g BID If no response within an additional 3-5 days, consider other immunosuppressants per local guidelines

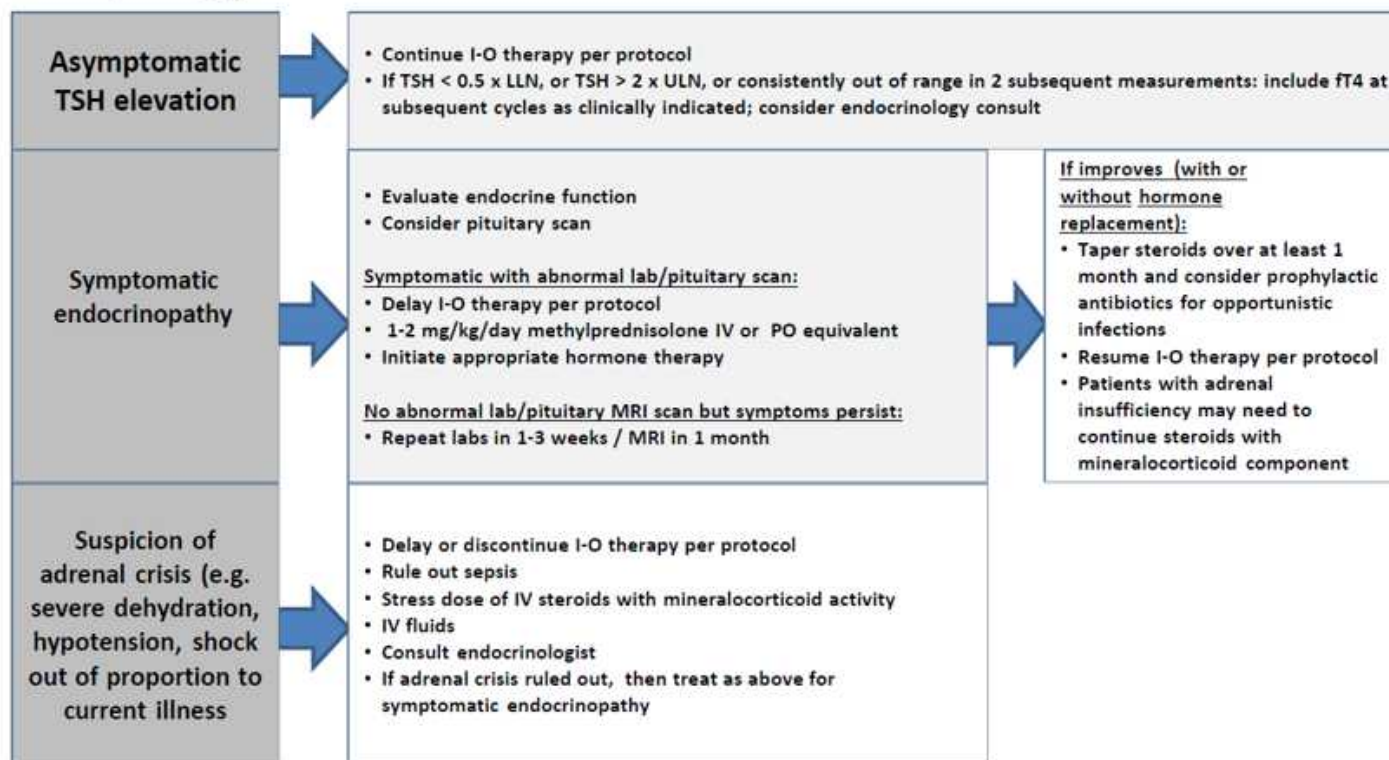
Patients on IV steroids may be switched to an equivalent dose of oral corticosteroids (e.g. prednisone) at start of tapering or earlier, once sustained clinical improvement is observed. Lower bioavailability of oral corticosteroids should be taken into account when switching to the equivalent dose of oral corticosteroids.

*The recommended starting dose for grade 4 hepatitis is 2 mg/kg/day methylprednisolone IV.

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Endocrinopathy Adverse Event Management Algorithm

Rule out non-inflammatory causes. If non-inflammatory cause, treat accordingly and continue I-O therapy. Consider visual field testing, endocrinology consultation, and imaging.

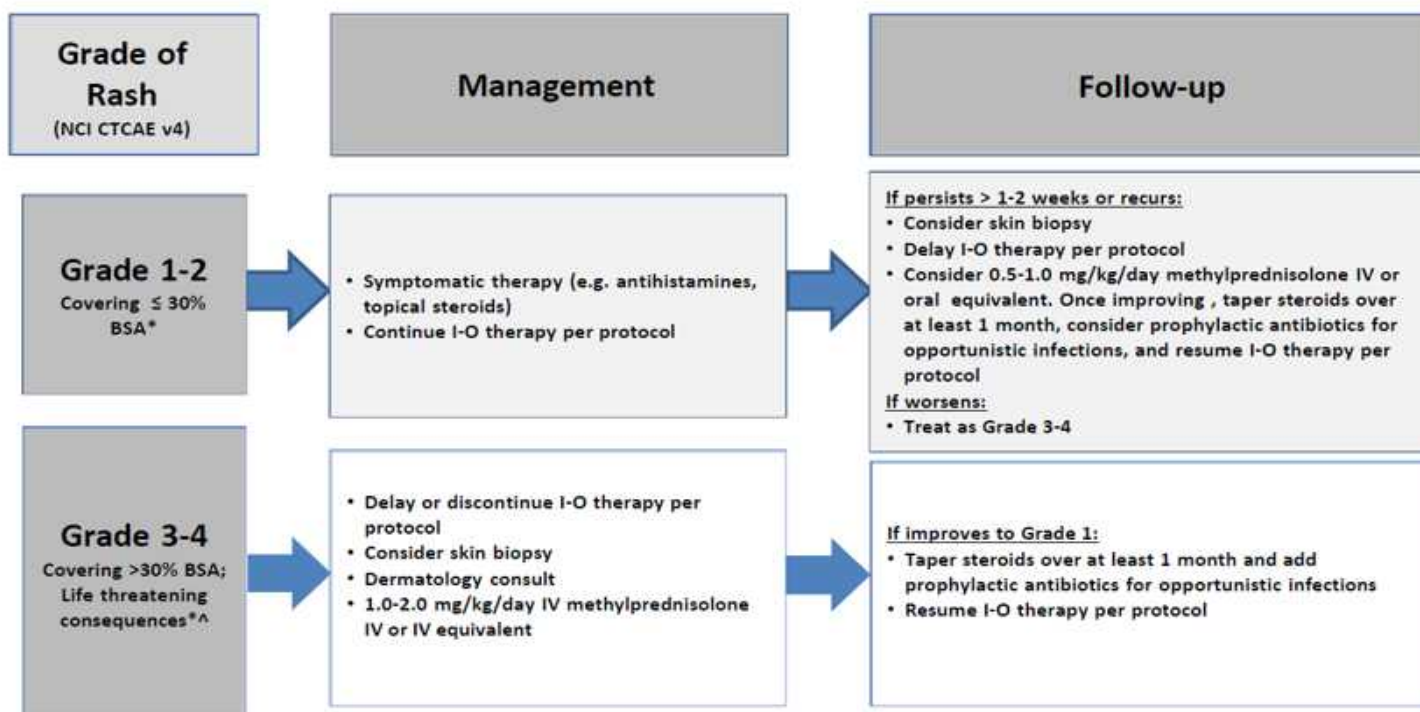


Patients on IV steroids may be switched to an equivalent dose of oral corticosteroids (e.g. prednisone) at start of tapering or earlier, once sustained clinical improvement is observed. Lower bioavailability of oral corticosteroids should be taken into account when switching to the equivalent dose of oral corticosteroids.

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Skin Adverse Event Management Algorithm

Rule out non-inflammatory causes. If non-inflammatory cause, treat accordingly and continue I-O therapy.



Patients on IV steroids may be switched to an equivalent dose of oral corticosteroids (e.g. prednisone) at start of tapering or earlier, once sustained clinical improvement is observed. Lower bioavailability of oral corticosteroids should be taken into account when switching to the equivalent dose of oral corticosteroids.

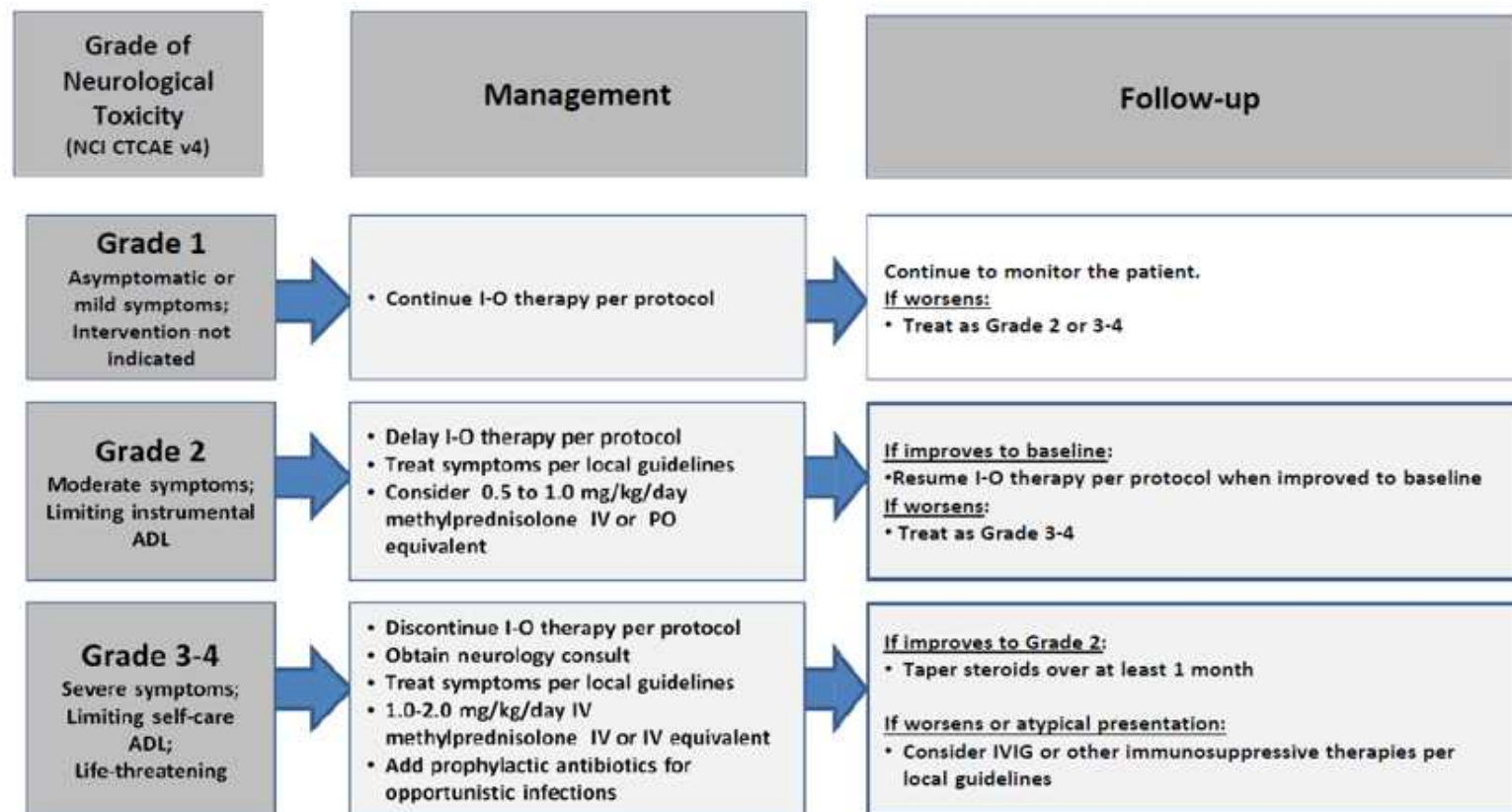
*Refer to NCI CTCAE v4 for term-specific grading criteria.

^If SJS/TEN is suspected, withhold I-O therapy and refer patient for specialized care for assessment and treatment. If SJS or TEN is diagnosed, permanently discontinue I-O therapy.

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Neurological Adverse Event Management Algorithm

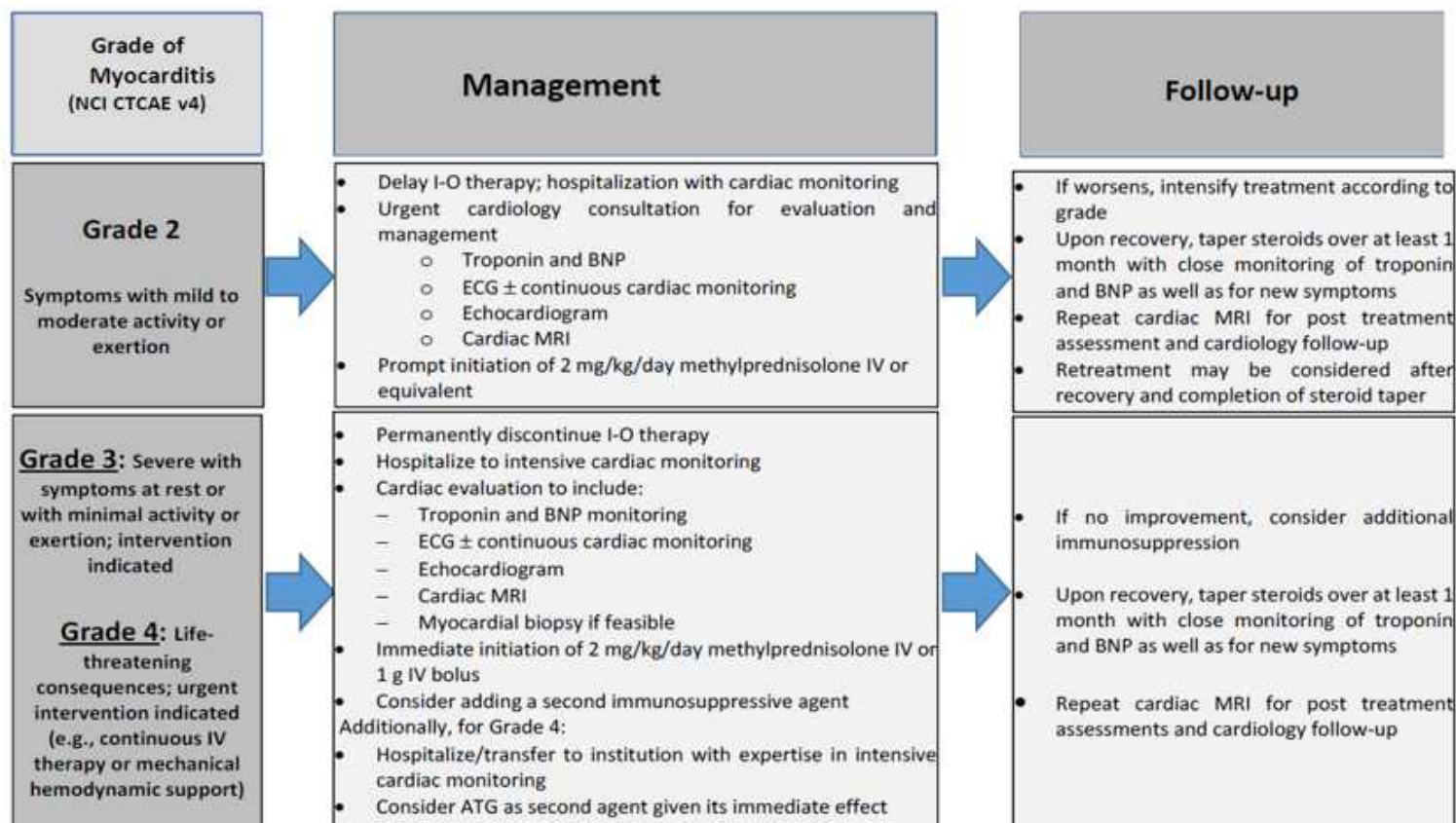
Rule out non-inflammatory causes. If non-inflammatory cause, treat accordingly and continue I-O therapy.



Patients on IV steroids may be switched to an equivalent dose of oral corticosteroids (e.g. prednisone) at start of tapering or earlier, once sustained clinical improvement is observed. Lower bioavailability of oral corticosteroids should be taken into account when switching to the equivalent dose of oral corticosteroids.

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Myocarditis Adverse Event Management Algorithm



Patients on IV steroids may be switched to an equivalent dose of oral corticosteroids (eg, prednisone) at start of tapering or earlier, once sustained clinical improvement is observed. Lower bioavailability of oral corticosteroids should be taken into account when switching to the equivalent dose of oral corticosteroids.

Prophylactic antibiotics should be considered in the setting of ongoing immunosuppression.

ATG = anti-thymocyte globulin; BNP = B-type natriuretic peptide; ECG = electrocardiogram; IV = intravenous; MRI = magnetic resonance imaging

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APPENDIX 6 REVISED PROTOCOL SUMMARY OF CHANGE HISTORY

Overall Rationale for Protocol Amendment 05, 10-Jun-2021:

The purpose of this amendment is to provide clarity and consistency between the Synopsis section and the body of Revised Protocol 04 with regard to a dosing option that is available to all participants on nivolumab treatment.

SUMMARY OF KEY CHANGES FOR PROTOCOL AMENDMENT 05		
Section Number & Title	Description of Change	Brief Rationale
3.1: Study Design and Duration 4.5: Selection and Timing of Dose for Each Participant 4.5.5.1: Discontinuation Criteria for Arm A (Nivolumab combined with Ipilimumab)	Added Q4W dosing.	To provide additional clarity and consistency between the Synopsis section and the body of the Protocol with regard to a dosing option that is available to all participants on nivolumab treatment, including participants on the Crossover Extension Phase.
3.1: Study Design and Duration Table 5.1-7: Follow-up Assessments (CA209214) - All Participants	Changed first tumor assessment window from randomization to first dose.	For consistency throughout the protocol.
4.3: Storage and Dispensing 4.5: Selection and Timing of Dose for Each Participant	Changed IV infusion from 60-minutes to 30-minutes.	Updated infusion and flushing details.
4.5: Selection and Timing of Dose for Each Participant 6.1.1: Serious Adverse Event Collection and Reporting 6.2.1: Nonserious Adverse Event Collection and Reporting	Added SARS-CoV-2 guidance.	To provide dose delay criteria and AE and SAE reporting for SARS-CoV-2.
Table 4.5-1: Dosing Schedule for Cycle 1 and Cycle 2 Table 4.5-2: Dosing Schedule Cycle 3 and Beyond	Removed Arm A and Arm B references from the tables.	To provide additional clarity and consistency between the Synopsis section and the body of the Protocol with regard to a dosing option that is available to all participants on nivolumab treatment, including participants on the Crossover Extension Phase.

SUMMARY OF KEY CHANGES FOR PROTOCOL AMENDMENT 05		
Section Number & Title	Description of Change	Brief Rationale
Table 5.1-5: On-study Assessments Cycles 1 and 2 (CA209214) for Participants Previously Randomized to Arm B Entering Nivolumab Combined with Ipilimumab Crossover Extension Phase Table 5.1-6: On-study Assessments Cycle 3 and Beyond (CA209214) for Participants Previously Randomized to Arm B Entering Nivolumab Combined with Ipilimumab Crossover Extension Phase	Changed subsequent tumor assessments from 6 to 8 weeks for participants in the crossover extension phase.	For consistency throughout the protocol.
Table 5.1-8: On-study Assessments Cycle 3 and Beyond (CA209214) 480 mg Q4W	Removed Arm A from table title. Clarified tumor assessment window from randomization for Arm A and first dose for the crossover extension phase.	For consistency throughout the protocol.
5.3.1.1: CT/MRI	Added CT/MRI assessments for the crossover extension phase.	For consistency throughout the protocol.
5.7: Outcomes Research Assessments	Updated Patient Reported Outcome measures collection.	To provide flexibility in administration methods
Appendix 3: RECIST 1.1 Guidelines Appendix 5: Management Algorithms for Immunology Agents	Updated appendices.	Updated appendices to align with current guidelines.
Entire document	Minor formatting, editorial, and typographical corrections.	Minor, therefore have not been summarized.

Overall Rationale for the Revised Protocol 04, 23-Dec-2020

The purpose of this revision is to accommodate patient preference to allow more time between infusions, decrease infusion time as well as scanning frequency, increase follow-up timeframe, and incorporate additional minor editorial changes.

Summary of key changes for Revised Protocol 04		
Section Number & Title	Description of Change	Brief Rationale
Title page	Updated names of titles of study director and central medical monitor to clinical scientist and clinical trial physician.	To reflect change in personnel.
Synopsis	Incorporates changes below as applicable.	Updated to reflect study changes.
Section 1.4.10.2-Rationale for 2-Arm Design	Added in new flat dosing and timing information.	Update made to accommodate patient preference.
Section 1.4.10.5-Rationale for Nivolumab 480 mg Flat Dose	Added in new section 1.4.10.5 and language on rationale for the new dosing and timing.	Update made to provide rationale and clinical safety data on new dosing requirements.
Section 1.4.10.7- Rationale for Infusion Duration	Added in new section 1.4.10.7 and language on rationale for infusion duration. Updated infusion time throughout document (as applicable).	Update made to provide rationale on infusion timing.
Section 3.1-Study Design and Duration	Added in new flat dosing and timing information. Added in new imaging requirements from every 12 weeks to every 24 weeks. Updated Figure 3.1-1 study design schematic to include new dosing and timing information. Removed PK and immunogenicity sample collection. Updated tumor assessments to occur every 24 weeks. Changed survival follow-up from 5 years to 10 years.	Update made to accommodate patient preference and to reflect new study updates. Follow-up timeframe extended to further capture supportive data.
Section 3.3.1-Inclusion Criteria	Removed inclusion criteria 3)e)i).	Updated to align with Nivolumab essential protocol elements (EPE) v6.
Section 4-Study Drug	Updated Table 4-1 study drugs for CA209214, on potency, packing, and storage conditions to reflect the pharmacy manual or package insert.	Updated for clarification.
Section 4.3-Storage and Dispensing	Deleted paragraph on nivolumab administration and referred to pharmacy manual and IB.	Updated for clarification.
Section 4.5-Selection and Timing of Dose for Each Participant	Inserted new dosing and timing requirements for nivolumab (arm a) and added in Arm B dosing and timing into Table 4.5-2.	Updated to reflect study changes.
Section 4.5.4.1-Criteria to Resume Treatment on Arm A (Nivolumab Combined with Ipilimumab)	Added language to include treatment delay for Q4W.	Updated for clarification.
Section 5- Study Assessments and Procedures	Updated Tables 5.1-2 through 5.1-7 to remove language surrounding oxygen saturation, immunogenicity and PK samples, where applicable. Updated timing for tumor assessments, in Tables 5.1-2 through 5.1-7. Added clarification language for Arm A	Not applicable to the study anymore. Updated for clarification and to reflect study changes.

Summary of key changes for Revised Protocol 04		
Section Number & Title	Description of Change	Brief Rationale
	assessments in Table 5.1-3 and safety phone call for Arm B. Added new Table 5.1-8.	
Section 5.2-Study Materials	Removed language surrounding PK and immunogenicity.	Not applicable to the study anymore.
Section 5.3-Safety Assessments	Removed language surrounding pulse oximetry.	Not applicable to the study anymore.
Section 5.3.1.1-CT/MRI	Updated CT/MRI timing	Updated to reflect study changes.
Section 5.5- Pharmacokinetic and Immunogenicity Assessments, Section 5.5.1-Pharmacokinetic and Immunogenicity Collection and Processing	Added 'not applicable per protocol revision 04' to section and table headings.	Not applicable to the study anymore.
Section 5.8.1- Immunogenicity Assessments	Added 'not applicable per protocol revision 4' to section heading.	Not applicable to the study anymore.
Table 8.1-2- Summary of Sample Size Parameters and Schedule of Analyses	Added footnote to table with language surrounding additional analyses.	Updated to provide clarity.
Section 8.3.3-Exploratory Endpoints	Removed language under exploratory endpoints regarding nivolumab pharmacokinetics.	Objectives not applicable to the study anymore.
Section 8.4.4- Pharmacokinetic Analyses, Section 8.4.7.1- Immunogenicity Analyses	Added 'not applicable per protocol revision 4' to section heading.	Analyses not applicable to the study anymore.
Entire document	Minor formatting, editorial, and typographical corrections.	Minor, therefore have not been summarized.