

Supplementary Table 4. Incidence of AE in total patients

Category	Week 0–12		Week 12–24		Week 0–24	
	KRG	Placebo	Continuous-KRG	Placebo-KRG	Continuous-KRG ^{a)}	Placebo -KRG ^{b)}
Total number of patients	1	3	8	4	9	7
Total number of AEs	1	3	8	5	9	8
Skin and subcutaneous tissue	1	0	1	1	2	1
Infections and infestations	0	0	1	4	1	4 ^{c)}
Musculoskeletal and connective tissue	0	2	1	0	1	2
Injury, poisoning, and procedural complications	0	0	1	0	1	0
Neoplasms benign, malignant, and unspecified	0	1	2	0	2	1
Investigations	0	0	1	0	1	0
Gastrointestinal disorders	0	0	1	0	1	0

AE, adverse event; KRG, Korean Red Ginseng.

^{a)}Nine patients in the KRG group reported an AE during the entire study period; two skin manifestations (pruritus and urticaria), two neoplasms (colon poly and breast mass), one herpes zoster, arthralgia, ligament rupture on a knee, liver function abnormality, and enteritis.

^{b)}Seven patients in the placebo group experienced eight AEs during the entire study period: four infections or infestations by three patients (lymphadenopathy, herpes zoster, cystitis, and common cold), two arthralgias, one Henoch-Schönlein purpura, and one benign lung nodule.

^{c)}One patient reported two infections (cystitis and common cold) at different times.