



Table 1-1 Therapeutic effect of RU 28965 on respiratory tract infections

Case No.	Age · Sex	B.W. (kg)	Diagnosis	Underlying disease	Daily dose (mg×days)	Organism	Clinical effect	Side-effects	Abnormal lab. findings
1	34 · M	57.5	Pharyngitis	(-)	300×7	N.F.* ↓ N.D.**	Good	(-)	Unknown
2	45 · F	49.5	Pharyngitis	(-)	300×7	N.D.** ↓ N.F.*	Poor	(-)	(-)
3	28 · M	76	Pharyngitis	Pulmonary tuberculosis	300×5	<i>S. pneumoniae</i> ↓ <i>H. influenzae</i>	Good	(-)	(-)
4	34 · M	65	Bronchitis	(-)	300×5	<i>S. aureus</i> ↓ N.D.**	Good	(-)	Unknown
5	55 · F	44	Bronchitis	(-)	300×7	<i>C. freundii</i> ↓ N.D.**	Good	(-)	Unknown
6	37 · M	63	Bronchitis	(-)	300×6	N.F.* ↓ N.D.**	Good	(-)	Unknown
7	21 · M	51.5	Bronchitis	(-)	300×6	<i>S. aureus</i> ↓ N.F.*	Good	(-)	(-)
8	61 · M	41	Bronchitis	(-)	300×14	<i>H. influenzae</i> ↓ <i>H. influenzae</i>	Good	(-)	(-)
9	60 · M	63	Acute exacerbation	Bronchial asthma	300×10	N.F.* ↓ N.F.*	Excellent	(-)	(-)
10	59 · M	57	Acute exacerbation	Chronic bronchitis	400×5	N.D.**	Good	(-)	GPT ↑ Al-P ↑
11	31 · M	65	Acute exacerbation	Bronchiectasis	300×3	<i>S. epidermidis</i> ↓ <i>H. influenzae</i>	Good	(-)	(-)
12	66 · M	48.5	Acute exacerbation	Chronic bronchitis	300×7	N.F.* ↓ N.F.*	Fair	(-)	(-)

\* : Normal flora

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13	75 · M	52	Acute exacerbation	Pulmonary emphysema	300×14	<i>S. pneumoniae</i> ↓ N.D.**	Poor	(-)	(-)
14	51 · M	38	Acute exacerbation	Old pulmonary tuberculosis	300× 8	<i>Achromobacter</i> ↓ <i>P. aeruginosa</i>	Poor	(-)	(-)
15	66 · M	63	Acute exacerbation	Pulmonary emphysema	300× 7	N.F.* ↓ N.D.**	Poor	(-)	Unknown
16	71 · M	39	Acute exacerbation	Pulmonary emphysema	300× 7	<i>P. aeruginosa</i> ↓ <i>P. aeruginosa</i>	Poor	(-)	(-)
17	34 · M	52	Acute exacerbation	Bronchiectasis	300× 6	<i>H. parainfluenzae</i> ↓ <i>H. influenzae</i>	Poor	(-)	Unknown
18	52 · M	69	Pneumonia	(-)	300×12	N.F.* ↓ N.F.*	Good	(-)	(-)
19	28 · M	67	Pneumonia	(-)	300×14	<i>H. influenzae</i> ↓ <i>H. influenzae</i>	Good	(-)	(-)
20	62 · M	65	Pneumonia	(-)	300×14	<i>S. pneumoniae</i> ↓ N.F.*	Good	(-)	
21	35 · M	66	Pneumonia	(-)	300× 4	N.D.** ↓ <i>S. liquefaciens</i>	Fair	Rash	GPT ↑
22	60 · M	66.8	Pneumonia	(-)	300× 7	<i>S. pneumoniae</i> ↓ N.F.*	Fair	(-)	(-)
23	37 · M	78	Pneumonia	(-)	300×12	N.F.* ↓ N.D.**	Fair	(-)	GOT ↑ GPT ↑
24	80 · M	44	Pneumonia	Pulmonary emphysema	400×11	N.F.* ↓ N.D.**	Poor	(-)	(-)

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Table 2-1 Laboratory findings before and after administration of RU 28965

Case No.	RBC ( $\times 10^4/\text{mm}^3$ )	Hb (g/dl)	Ht (%)	Platelets ( $\times 10^4/\text{mm}^3$ )	WBC ( $/\text{mm}^3$ )	Eosinophils (%)	GOT (0~37)	GPT (0~40)	Al-P (98~279)	BUN (mg/dl)	S-Creatinine (mg/dl)
1	466	14.5	43.0	/	11300	0	17	19	7.5 *	10.3	1.2
	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓
	439	14.4	40.0	26.7	4700	/	22	21	6.1	10.1	1.5
2	403	12.4	37.0	13.0	3600	3	13	9	6.5 *	13.1	0.9
	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓
	388	11.9	36.0	15.7	2300	3	19	17	8.9	12.6	1.0
3	538	16.8	49.3	26.9	6600	2	21	31	130	9.5	0.9
	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓
	/	/	/	/	/	/	23	33	145	16.7	1.0
4	489	15.8	46.0	15.3	5000	2	22	21	9.9 *	11.1	1.3
	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓
	500	15.7	47.0	18.8	5400	3	30	38	10.6	8.8	1.0
5	380	12.3	35.0	24.4	4600	5	14	9	6.4 *	5.1	0.8
	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓
	/	/	/	/	/	/	/	/	/	/	/
6	482	15.6	44	17.1	5900	2	20	17	8.4 *	9.7	1.3
	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓
	/	/	/	/	/	/	/	/	/	/	/
7	522	16.8	47	11.9	5800	1	17	20	7.6 *	10.1	1.2
	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓
	515	16.6	46	19.1	4500	0	26	38	8.6	11.3	1.3
8	381	12.1	/	18.7	7300	6	385	200	15.0 *	10.1	0.9
	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓
	379	11.6	37	10.3	6400	0	123	77	13.2	10.3	0.8
9	540	17.0	51.5	22.7	23000	0	36	22	231	20.7	1.1
	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓
	464	15.1	43.9	30.9	6000	9	40	25	215	9.5	0.7
10	406	15.0	42.9	19.4	11900	0	75	50	300	18.0	0.9
	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓
	368	13.7	39.1	41.0	5100	0	32	60	418	15.4	1.1
11	558	15.0	48.7	31.3	10800	0	21	24	219	13.9	0.9
	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓
	540	15.6	47.1	29.7	7800	2	/	/	/	/	/
12	492	14.7	45.0	13.4	3600	0	38	28	12.3 *	12.9	1.6
	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓
	455	13.4	42.0	19.1	7000	0	43	38	15.5	9.4	1.4
13	450	13.5	41	18.6	7100	4	24	16	9.7 *	13.6	1.1
	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓
	447	13.3	41	15.3	4600	5	21	10	6.9	/	/

\* : Normal range = GOT (0~40), GPT (0~35), Al-P (5~12)

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Case No.	RBC ( $\times 10^4/\text{mm}^3$ )	Hb (g/dl)	Ht (%)	Platelets ( $\times 10^4/\text{mm}^3$ )	WBC ( $/\text{mm}^3$ )	Eosinophils (%)	GOT (0~37)	GPT (0~40)	Al-P (98~279)	BUN (mg/dl)	S-Creatinine (mg/dl)
14	538	15.2	47.7	33.3	9200	0	8	3	205	10.8	0.9
	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓
15	485	14.9	43.0	33.2	8900	3	19	8	175	10.8	1.0
	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓
16	489	13.6	42	36.4	9800	2	18	19	/ *	12.2	1.4
	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓
17	543	15.2	47	23.6	12200	1	20	18	15.2	9.8	1.5
	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓
18	403	11.8	35.2	27.2	10300	16	24	21	209	15.8	0.9
	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓
19	397	11.5	34.5	27.4	16000	10	21	22	184	10.0	1.0
	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓
20	454	13.4	40.6	32.1	13100	1	20	25	138	/	/
	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓
21	467	14.0	41.8	33.1	16900	0	/	/	/	/	/
	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓
22	460	15.5	45	30.2	5100	11	18	27	6.8 *	9.6	1.6
	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓
23	448	15.0	42	29.3	6400	4	15	22	6.3	11.8	1.2
	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓
24	449	14.9	42	32.1	7100	2	27	36	14.4 *	7.5	1.2
	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓
25	461	15.2	43	19.6	4700	5	19	22	10.6	8.3	1.4
	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓
26	471	14.9	44.9	24.9	8700	4	23	22	260	12.1	1.2
	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓
27	469	14.9	44.7	17.4	7200	7	34	43	265	17.4	1.2
	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓
28	494	14.5	45	37.3	9400	9	26	32	205	13.9	0.9
	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓
29	508	15.4	46.6	32.4	6100	16	34	55	196	11.3	1.1
	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓
30	438	13.6	42.0	39.0	7500	1	20	17	11.2 *	15.9	1.2
	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓
31	436	13.4	40.0	/	5000	/	23	17	9.4	/	/
	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓
32	536	15.1	45	21.7	5700	0	31	35	136	15.6	1.2
	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓
33	484	13.9	41.0	32.5	5200	2	43	63	158	13.9	1.3
	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓
34	462	13.8	40.1	29.8	11100	1	18	7	370	17.5	1.0
	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓
35	467	14.3	40.3	30.6	12900	1	24	12	357	14.2	/
	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓

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に交代, *C. freundii* 1株は不明, *Achromobacter* 1株は *P. aeruginosa* に交代, *P. aeruginosa* 1株は不変であった。

副作用として1例に発疹がみられ, 臨床検査値の異常化としてGPT上昇1例, GOTおよびGPT上昇1例, GPTおよびAI-P上昇1例がみられた(Table 2)。

### Ⅲ. 考 按

従来からEMなどのマクロライド系抗生物質は上気道炎, *Mycoplasma* 感染症, *Chlamydia* 感染症などに使用され, 近年は *Campylobacter* 腸炎や, 注射剤は *Legionella* 症にも使用されてきている。RU 28965の抗菌活性はEMとほぼ等しく, *Legionella*, *Mycoplasma*, *Chlamydia* に対しても優れた抗菌活性を示すことが報告されている<sup>3-6)</sup>。とくに *Legionella* 症の治療に際し, 現在ではEMの静注か, これにRFPの内服を併用する方法がとられている。

RU 28965は胃酸抵抗性に優れ, 従来のマクロライド系抗生物質よりも吸収が良く, 高い血中濃度と長い半減期<sup>2)</sup> ゆえに *Legionella* 症の治療における期待が大きい。

さらに, 本剤は *in vitro* で好中球の phagocytosis と killing を増強するという報告もあり<sup>4)</sup>, 高い治療効果が期待される。しかし, 慢性気道感染症の起炎菌となることが多い *H. influenzae* に対する抗菌力は強いとは言えず<sup>7)</sup>, 十分な治療効果を得るのには, 投与量の増量など, 検討すべき問題も残っている。

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## THERAPEUTIC EFFICACY OF RU 28965 IN RESPIRATORY TRACT INFECTIONS

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RU 28965, a new macrolide antibiotic, was orally administered to 24 patients with upper and lower respiratory tract infections. Clinical response was excellent in 1, good in 12, fair in 4 and poor in 7 cases.

Skin rash was observed in one patient, and slight elevation of transaminase in three.