

Table SIII. Clinical characteristics of psoriatic patients and controls

Treatment	Age, years/sex	BMI	PASI before	PASI after 1 week	Total amount of ointment used, g
Combination ^a	52/F	31.4	6.4	3.6	23.4
Combination	56/F	19.0	13.8	8.0	73.3
Combination	38/M	21.9	7.0	5.2	9.3
Combination	34/M	25.0	5.4	3.6	14.7
Combination	57/F	24.0	12.0	9.3	37.7
Median		24.0	7.0	5.2	23.4
Monotherapy ^b	25/M	23.8	12.6	8.4	24.9
Monotherapy	55/M	26.5	6.5	4.3	9.4
Monotherapy	55/F	39.5	10.5	9.9	27.9
Monotherapy	24/M	34.4	8.5	6.4	7.6
Monotherapy	34/F	18.0	8.6	8.4	38.0
Median		26.5	8.6	8.4	24.9
Control	52/M	33.1	-	-	-
Control	64/F	26.7	-	-	-
Control	55/F	26.0	-	-	-
Control	26/M	22.9	-	-	-
Control	40/F	29.4	-	-	-
Median		26.7	-	-	-

^aCalcipotriol/betamethasone. ^bBetamethasone.

BMI: body mass index; PASI: Psoriasis Area Severity Index.