## Table

## Recent clinical trials of ginkgo for memory

Study	Patients	Design	Treatment	Results
Rigney et al <sup>7</sup> (1999)	31 healthy volunteers (ages 30-59 years)	Randomized, double-blind placebo-controlled cross- over study	Four treatment groups vs. placebo for two days	Pronounced improvement in working memory in treatment groups vs. placebo
Kennedy et al <sup>12</sup> (2000)	20 healthy adults (ages 19-24 years)	Randomized double-blind placebo-controlled cross- over study	Three treatment groups vs. placebo for one day	Statistically significant improvement in cognitive drug research assessment of treatment groups vs. placebo
Mix and Crews <sup>2</sup> (2000)	48 healthy older adults (ages 55-86 years)	Randomized double-blind placebo-controlled parallel- group study	Treatment group vs. placebo for six weeks	Statistically significant improvement in neuro- cognitive functions of treatment group vs. placebo
Van Dongen et al <sup>8</sup> (2000)	214 elderly adults with dementia-associated memory impairment	Randomized double-blind placebo-controlled parallel- group study	Two treatment groups vs. placebo for 24 weeks	No significant difference in neuropsychological functions of treatment groups vs. placebo
Moulton et al <sup>5</sup> (2001)	30 healthy young males (mean age 20.5 years)	Randomized double-blind placebo-controlled study	Treatment group vs. placebo for five days	No significant difference in memory tests between treatment group vs. placebo
Stough et al <sup>3</sup> (2001)	61 healthy adults (ages 18-41 years)	Randomized double-blind placebo-controlled study	Treatment group vs. placebo for 30 days	Statistically significant improvement in validated neuropsychological tests of treatment group vs. placebo
Le Bars et al <sup>9</sup> (2002)	244 patients with dementia	Randomized double-blind placebo-controlled parallel- group study	Treatment group vs. placebo for 52 weeks	Statistically significant improvement in cognitive performance of treatment group vs. placebo
Solomon et al <sup>1</sup> (2002)	230 healthy older volunteers (mean age 68.7 years)	Randomized double-blind placebo-controlled parallel- group study	Treatment group vs. placebo for 30 days	No statistically significant difference in 14 standard neuropsychological tests between treatment group vs. placebo