

Table s1.Global Acne assessment score after treatment with Tazarotene on the lt side among the studied acne patients (N=38).

GAAS	Before Tazarotene		After Tazarotene		p-value of Freidman test
	No.	%	No.	%	
Clear	0	0.0	10	26.3	0.000* (HS)
Almost clear	0	0.0	20	52.6	
Mild	12	31.6	7	18.4	
Moderate	24	63.2	1	2.6	
Severe	2	5.3	0	0.0	

Table s2.Global Acne assessment score after treatment with Dapsone on the rt side and Tazarotene on the lt side among the studied acne patients (N=38).

GAAS	After Dapsone		After Tazarotene		p-value of chi-square
	No.	%	No.	%	
Clear	9	23.7	10	26.3	0.455 (NS)
Almost clear	17	44.7	20	52.6	
Mild	12	31.6	7	18.4	
Moderate	0	0.0	1	2.6	
Severe	0	0.0	0	0.0	