

## **Abbreviations**

VAS

visual analogue scale

ACR20 ACR50 ACR70	ACR is the percentage of improvement, comparing disease activity at 2 discrete time points (usually baseline and postbaseline comparison). ACR20 is $\geq$ 20% improvement; ACR50 is $\geq$ 50% improvement; ACR70 is $>$ 70% improvement.
ANOVA	analysis of variance
BID	twice daily
CASPAR	ClASsification criteria for Psoriatic ARthritis
CRP	C-reactive protein
DAS28(CRP)	Disease Activity Score 28 joints (C-reactive protein)
HAQ-DI	Health Assessment Questionnaire disability index
HAD	high disease activity
IR	inadequate response
LDA	low disease activity
MASES	Maastricht Ankylosing Spondylitis Enthesitis Score
MASES MoDA	Maastricht Ankylosing Spondylitis Enthesitis Score moderate disease activity
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MoDA	moderate disease activity
MoDA MTSS	moderate disease activity multi-tiered system of support
MoDA MTSS MTX	moderate disease activity multi-tiered system of support methotrexate
MoDA MTSS MTX PsA	moderate disease activity multi-tiered system of support methotrexate psoriatic arthritis
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MoDA MTSS MTX PsA PASDAS SF-36 PCS	moderate disease activity multi-tiered system of support methotrexate psoriatic arthritis Psoriatic Arthritis Disease Activity Score Short form-36 correlated physical health scores