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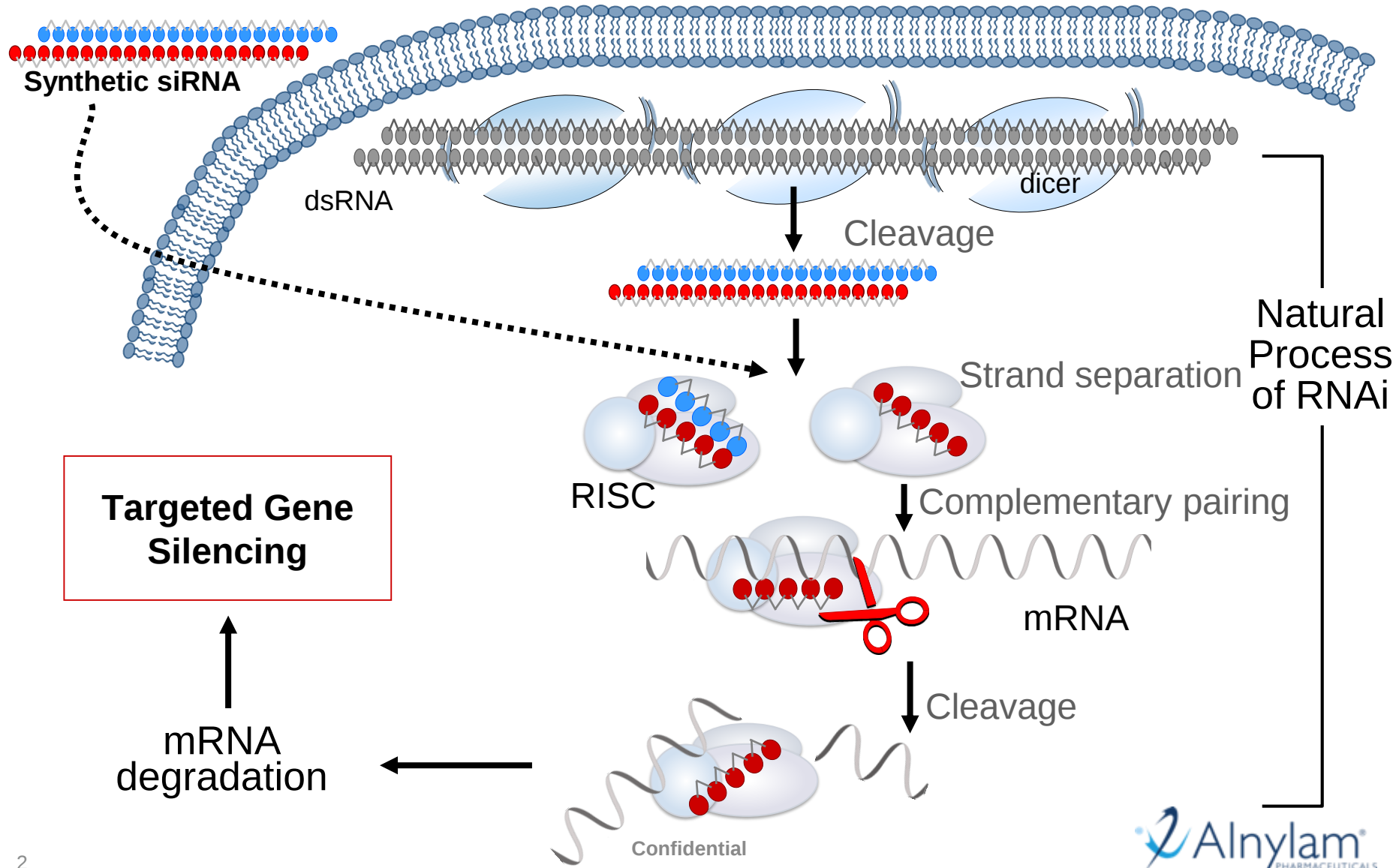
Development of RNAi Therapeutics for Rare Diseases

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Mechanism of RNA Interference (RNAi), A Natural Endogenous Pathway



Anylam Platform and R&D Strategy

Building a Pipeline of Potentially Transformative Medicines



**Genetically validated,
liver-expressed
target gene**



**Biomarker for
Proof of Concept
in Phase 1**



**Definable path
to potential approval
and patient access**

Hereditary ATTR (hATTR) Amyloidosis

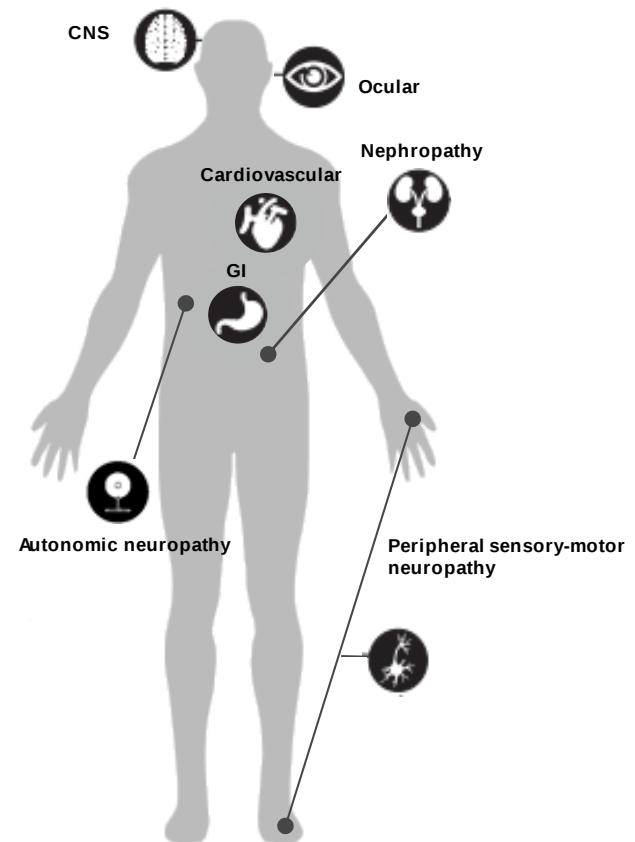
DESCRIPTION

Orphan multi-system disease caused by mutant transthyretin (TTR) amyloid deposits in nerves, heart, GI tract, and other tissues

Significant morbidity
and fatal within
2-15
years from
symptom onset

PATIENT POPULATION*

~50,000 worldwide



Peripheral Neuropathy in hATTR Amyloidosis

Stage 1 4-5 years → Stage 2: Early 2-3 years → Stage 2: Late 1-2 years → Stage 3



Patisiran in Development for hATTR Amyloidosis

Potential for Disease Modification by Reducing Pathogenic Protein



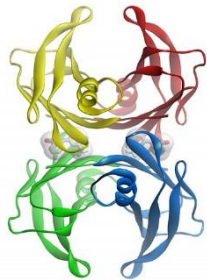
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Biomarker for POC
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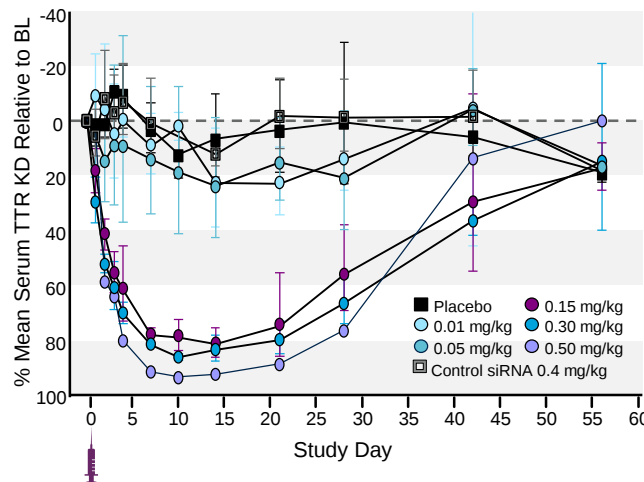


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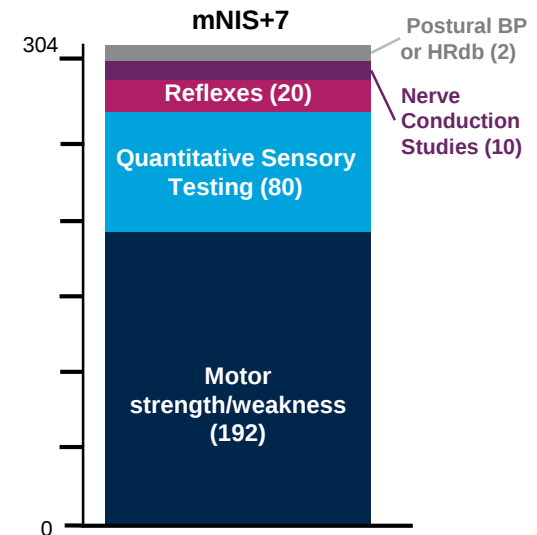
Mutant **Transthyretin (TTR)** is
disease-causing protein

Serum Biomarker
TTR



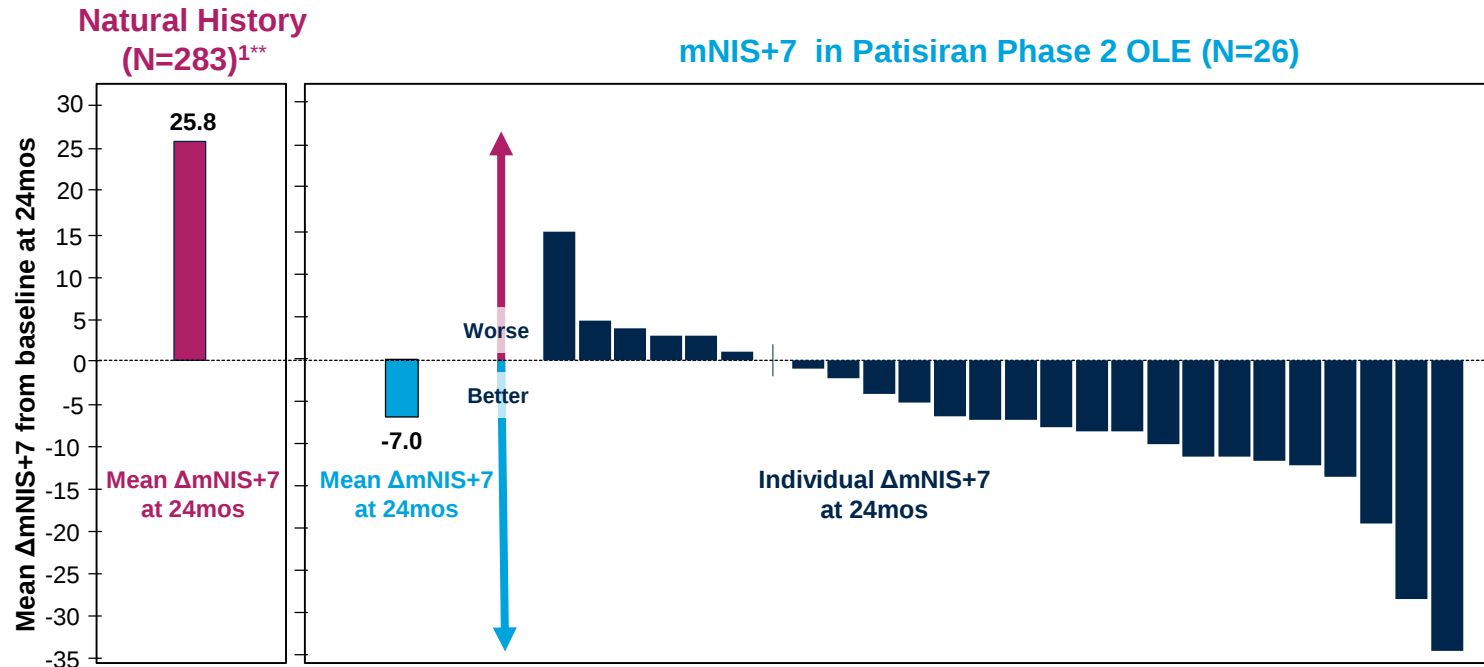
Patisiran Phase 1 results: Coelho et al., *N Engl J Med*;369:819-29 (2013)

Clinical Endpoint
Neurological Impairment Score



Patisiran Final Phase 2 OLE Study Results*

Study in hATTR Amyloidosis Patients with Polyneuropathy



Safety: Generally well tolerated out to 25 months (N=27)

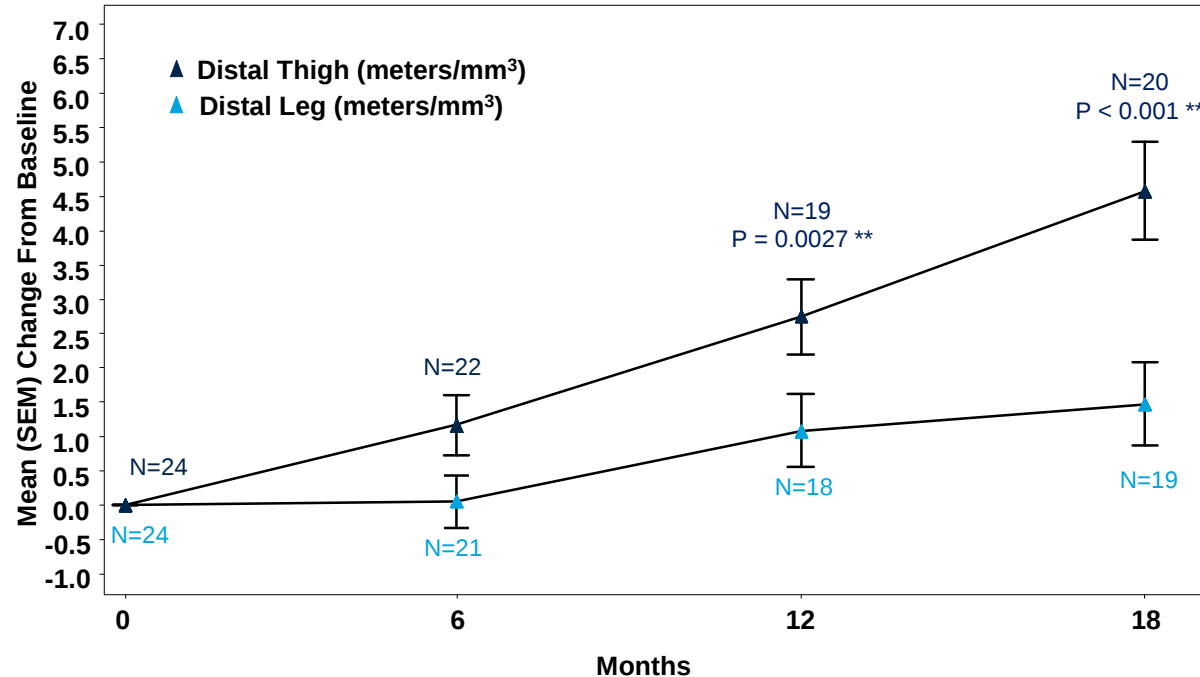
- 10 non-drug related SAEs in 7 patients
- Majority of AEs mild to moderate, including mild flushing (22.2%) and mild infusion-related reactions (22.2%)
- No significant lab findings; no drug-related discontinuations
- No evidence of thrombocytopenia, renal toxicity, or systemic inflammatory effects

* Modified Neuropathy Impairment Score (mNIS+7) -Final Phase 2 OLE results; Adams *et al.*, AAN, April 2017

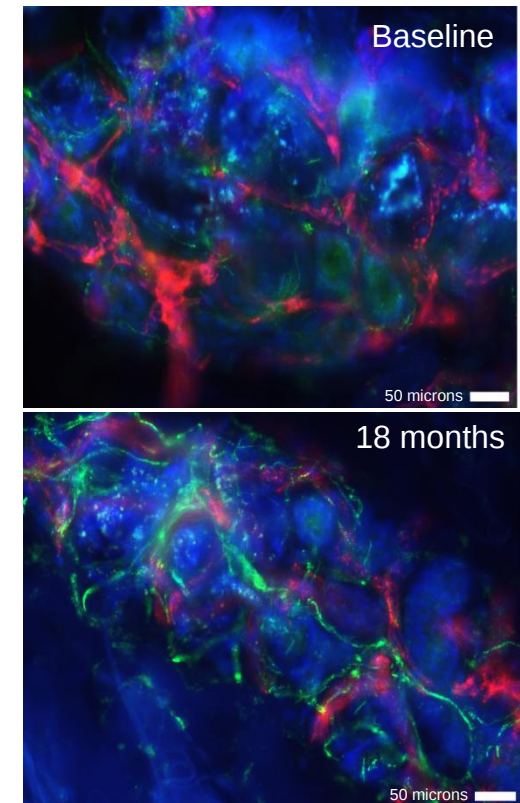
¹Adams D *et al.*, *Neurology*. 85;675-682 (2015); ^{**}Predicted progression of median NIS value from Gompertz curve fit

Patisiran Phase 2 OLE Preliminary Study Results*

Sweat Gland Nerve Fiber Density (SGNFD): Lower Limb



Distal thigh sweat gland innervation[†] in Patient 050-0005



[†]Green: PGP 9.5 (nerve fibers)

Red: CD31 (blood vessels)

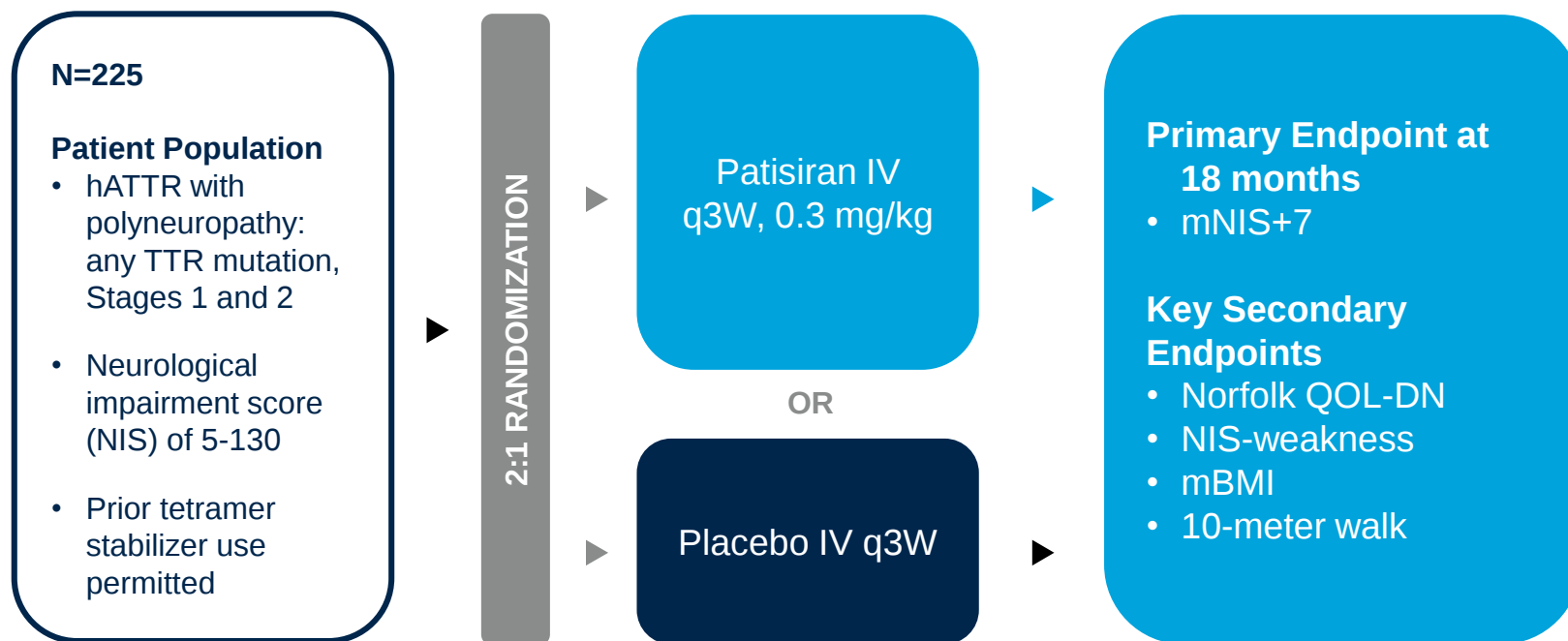
Blue: DAPI (nuclei)

** 2-sided p values from paired t-test comparing post-baseline vs baseline

¹Chao C et al., Ann Neurol. 78:272-83 (2015)

*Data as of February 23, 2016

APOLLO Phase 3 Study Design



All completers eligible for patisiran treatment on Phase 3 OLE study (APOLLO-OLE)

Enrollment completed; mid-2017 top-line data readout, supporting 2017 NDA/MAA if positive

Statistical Considerations

- Placebo-estimated mNIS+7 progression rate of 17.8 points/year derived from natural history study of 283 hATTR patients with polyneuropathy
- 90% Power to detect a 37.5% difference in Δ mNIS+7 between treatment groups with 2-sided alpha=0.05
 - Based on original target enrollment of 200 patients

Hemophilia and Rare Bleeding Disorders

DESCRIPTION

Genetic deficiency resulting in inability to generate thrombin and stop bleeding

PATIENT POPULATION*

Hemophilia A and B
200,000 worldwide

~4,000 with inhibitors

Highest need is **prophylaxis** for **inhibitor** patients and to **avoid** inhibitor **formation** in **all** patients

Global need due to **frequent IV infusions**, **ability to manufacture**, and **cold chain**

Fitusiran in Development for Hemophilia

Potential to Restore Hemostasis in Hemophilia



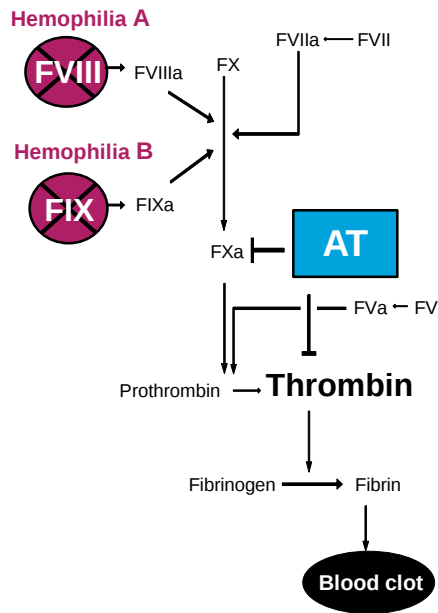
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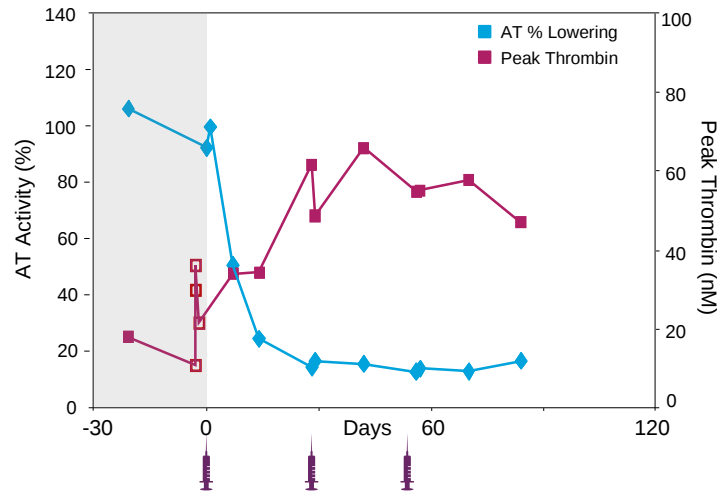
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Plasma Biomarkers
Antithrombin Lowering,
Thrombin Generation



Established Endpoint
Annualized Bleeding Rate (ABR)

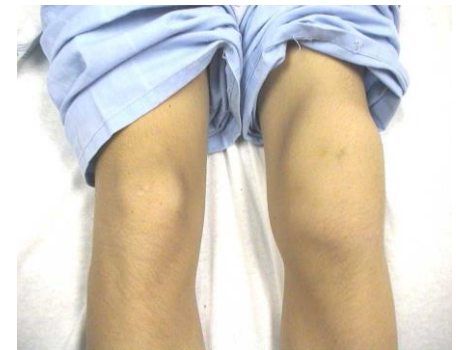


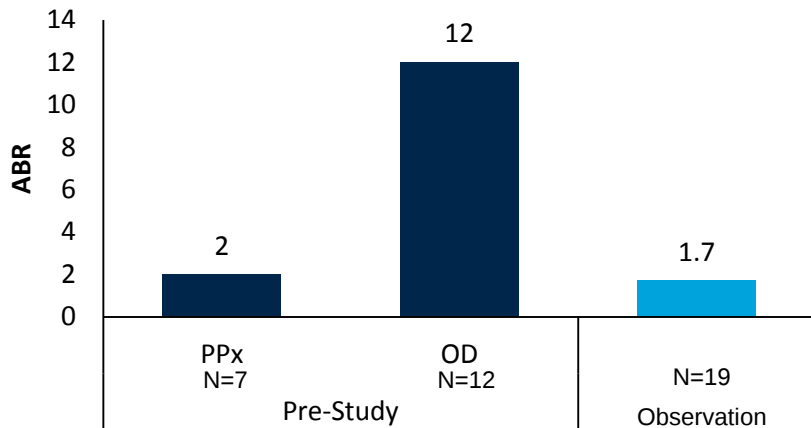
Photo courtesy of Guy Young, M.D.
Director, Hemostasis & Thrombosis Center at Children's
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Keck School of Medicine

Fitusiran Phase 1 results: Pasi et al., WFH, July 2016

Fitusiran Phase 2 OLE Study Results*

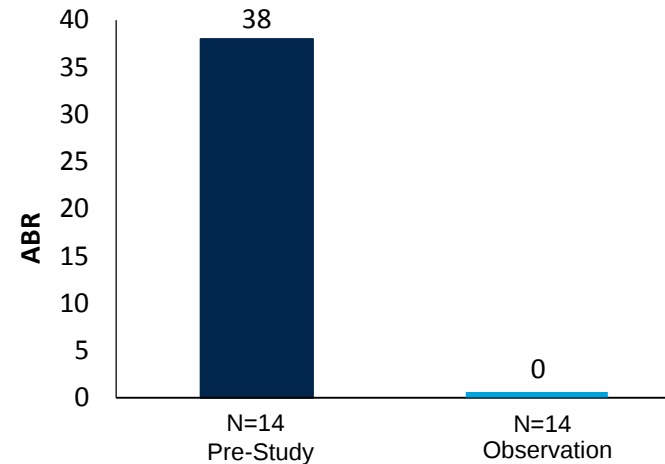
Ongoing Study in Hemophilia A & B Patients, Including Inhibitors; Currently on Hold

Summary of Median ABRs in Patients without Inhibitors



- Median duration in observation period: 13 months [range: 2 –19]
- Mean AT activity in observation period (relative to baseline): 22%

Summary of Median ABRs in Patients with Inhibitors



- Median duration in observation period: 6 months [range: 1 –11]
- Mean AT activity in observation period (relative to baseline): 18%

Updated Safety in Phase 2 OLE (N=33)

- 3 SAEs considered possibly related to study drug
 - Fatal cerebral venous sinus thrombosis resulting in suspension of dosing and evaluation of enhanced safety monitoring, currently in planning
 - Asymptomatic transaminase elevation in HCV infected patient and seizure in patient with seizure history
- Majority of AEs mild or moderate in severity, unrelated to study drug
 - Mild ISRs in 6 (18%) patients
- ALT increases >3x ULN observed in 11 (33%) patients
 - All asymptomatic, with no concurrent elevations of bilirubin >2x ULN
 - Reversible; all patients had medical history of HCV
- No instances of anti-drug antibody formation

Recent Safety Update in Fitusiran Program

- Report of SAE of subarachnoid hemorrhage in Phase 2 OLE study in hemophilia A patient without inhibitors
 - Reported as unrelated to fitusiran
 - ~1 week prior to hospital admission for severe headache, patient experienced hip pain treated with 3 doses of FVIII, ranging from 31 to 46 IU/kg, on three separate days; doses are above recommended range for mild or moderate bleeds per product label
 - CT scan was read as subarachnoid hemorrhage, and patient was treated with replacement factor therapy 2-3 times daily
 - Clinical course deteriorated with subsequent cerebral edema and death
- Alnylam initiated further investigation including review of patient's CT scans by 3 independent neuro-radiologists, who all confirmed on Sept 1, 2017, that initiating event was cerebral venous sinus thrombosis, not subarachnoid hemorrhage
- Patient had higher FVIII exposure than any other patient in study
- Alnylam and its partner Sanofi Genzyme elected to suspend dosing in fitusiran studies to further investigate safety finding and develop risk mitigation plan
 - Company also notified study investigators and global regulatory authorities
- Based on fitusiran benefit-risk profile, aim to resume dosing in fitusiran studies as soon as possible, potentially in late 2017, upon agreement with global regulatory authorities, and with appropriate protocol amendments for enhanced patient safety monitoring

Acute Hepatic Porphyrrias

DESCRIPTION

Family of ultra-rare orphan diseases causing incapacitating and potentially fatal attacks

Disease burden includes:

- Acute, Severe Abdominal Pain
- Frequent Hospitalizations
- Peripheral and Autonomic Neuropathy
- Neuropsychiatric Symptoms
- Chronic Pain

PATIENT POPULATION*

~5,000

Patients with **sporadic attacks** in U.S./EU

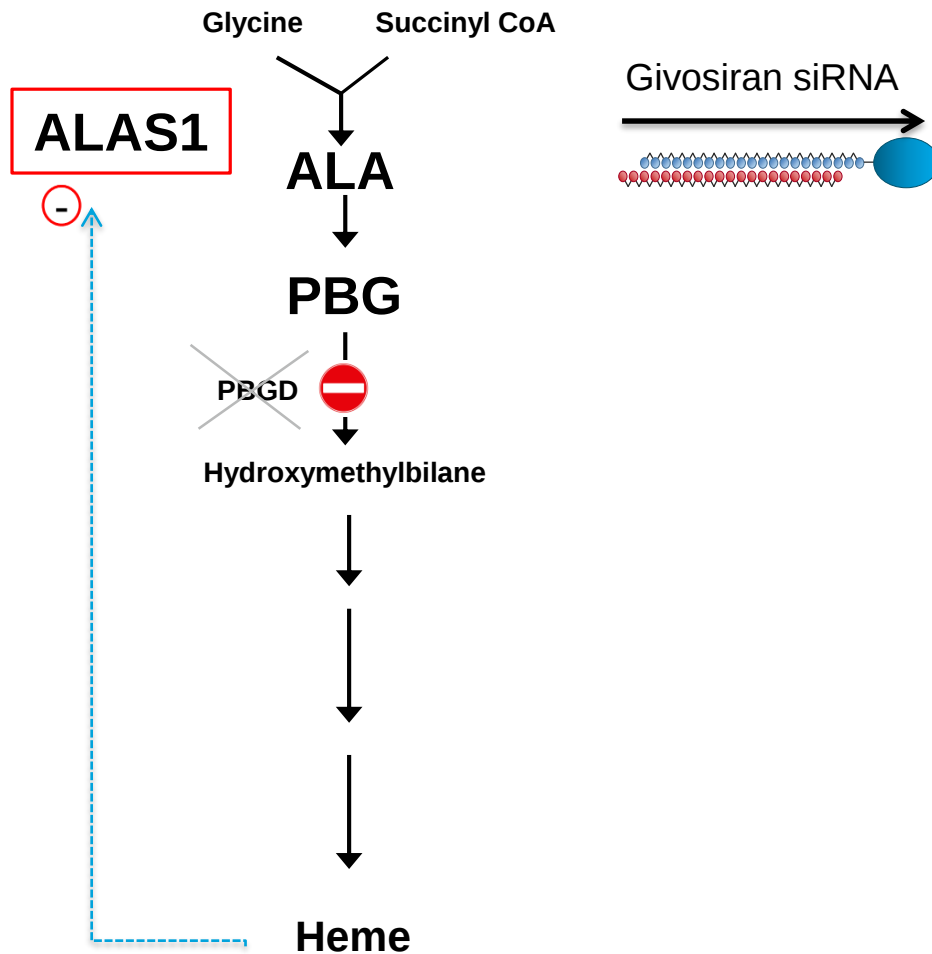
~1,000

Patients with **recurrent attacks** in U.S./EU

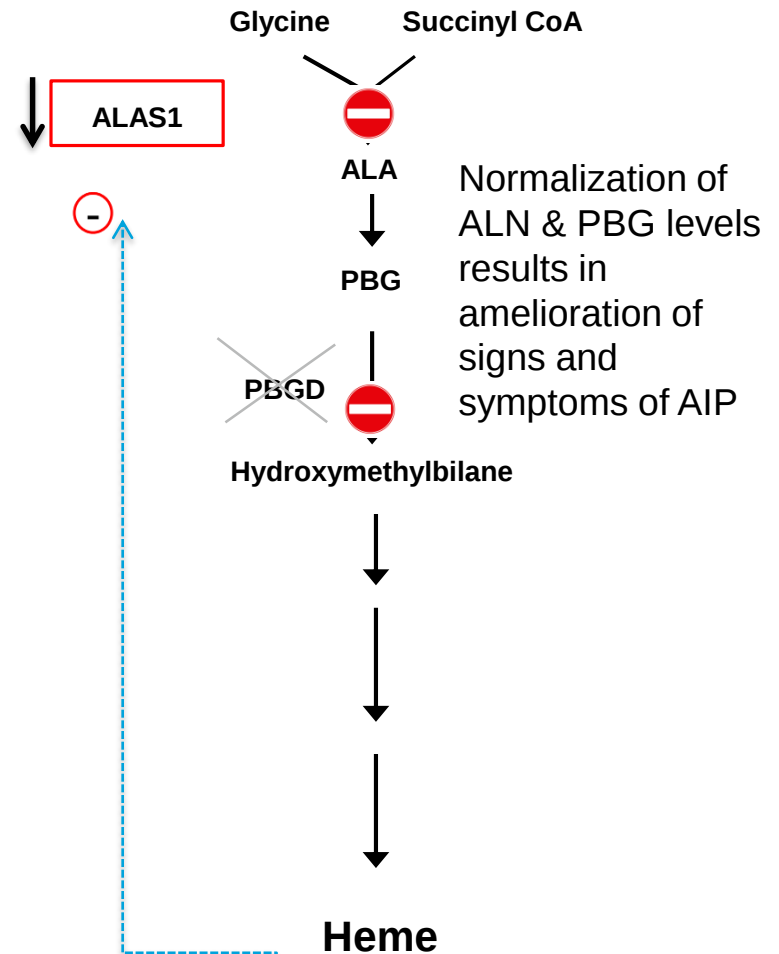
Predominantly
female,
commonly
misdiagnosed

Givosiran Therapeutic Hypothesis

Heme Synthetic Pathway in AIP



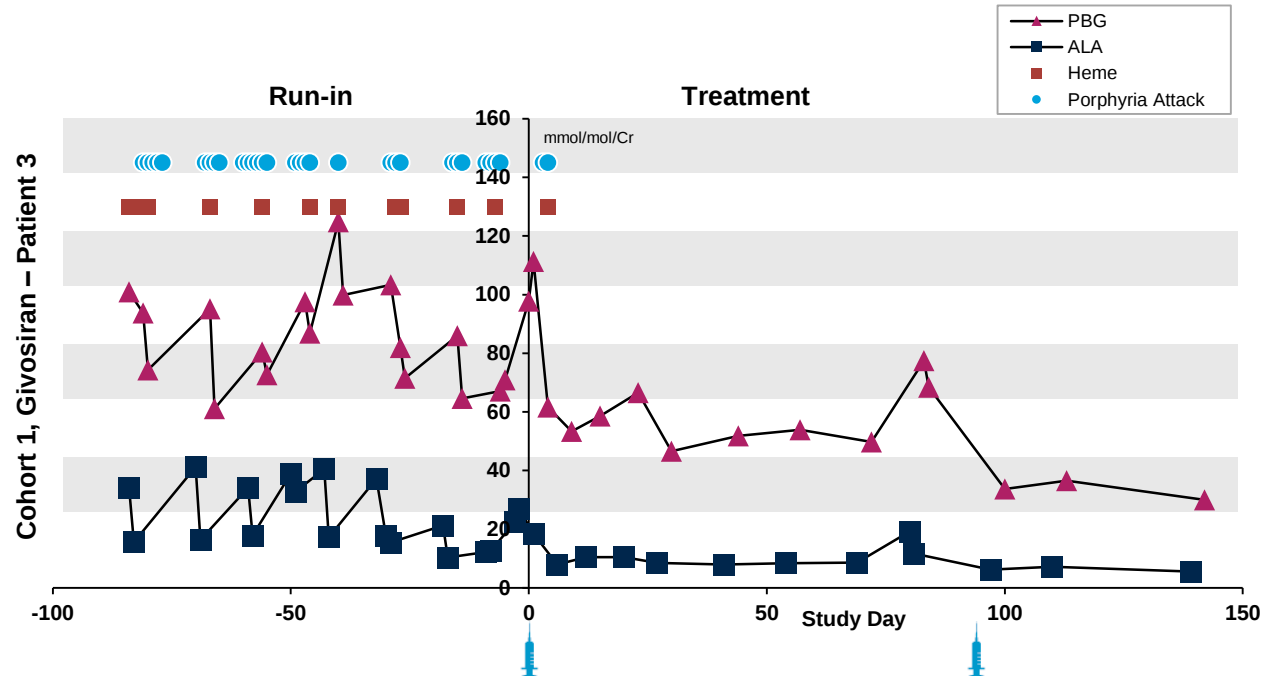
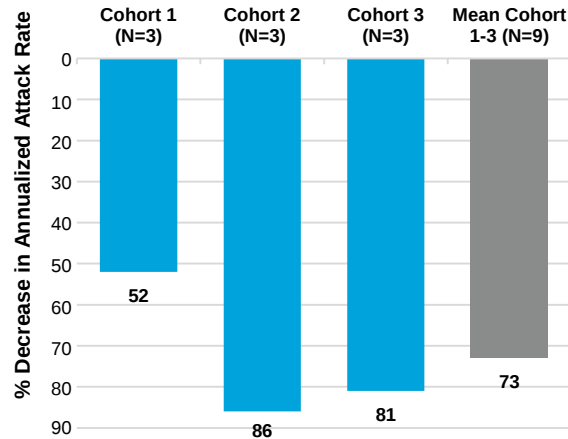
ALN-AS1 Effect in AIP



Givosiran Interim Phase 1 Study Results*

Ongoing Randomized, Double-Blind, Placebo-Controlled Study in Recurrent Attack Porphyria Patients

Annualized Attack Rate
Givosiran Compared to Placebo



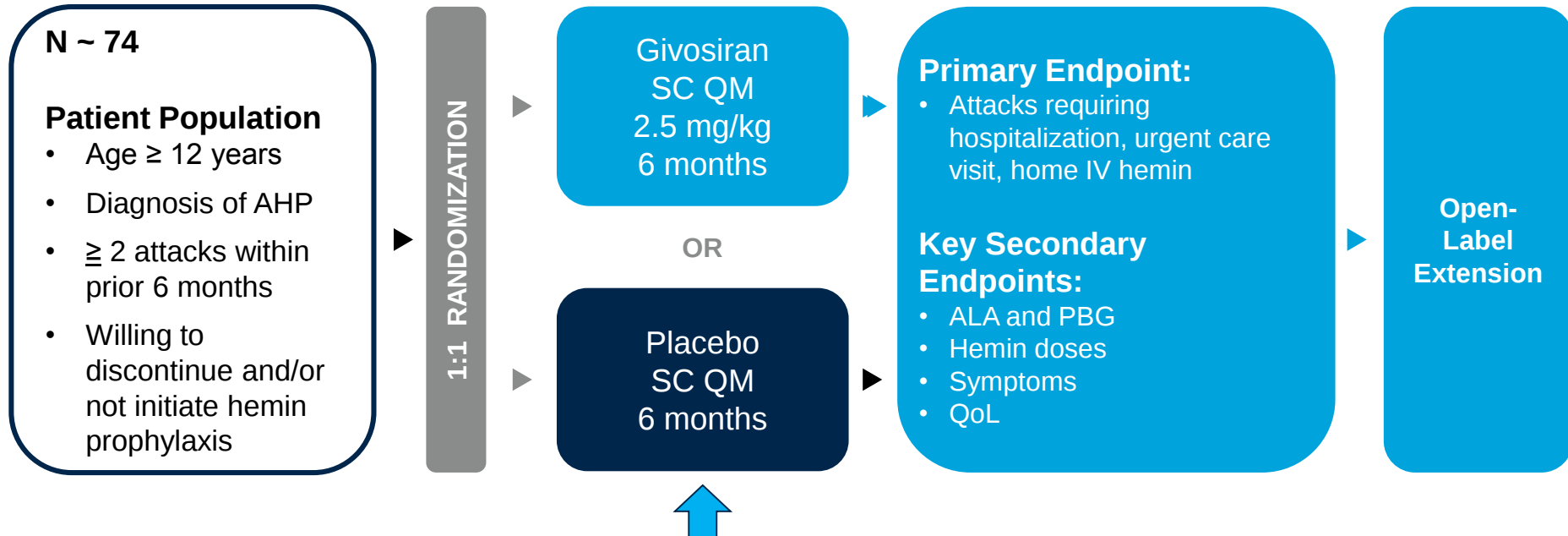
Safety: (N=9)

- No drug-related SAEs and no discontinuations due to AEs
 - As reported previously, one patient developed acute pancreatitis complicated by pulmonary embolism resulting in death, considered unlikely related to study drug
- Majority of AEs mild-moderate in severity
- AEs possibly related include ISRs, hypersensitivity, myalgia, headache, moderate renal impairment (in patient with history of same), and erythema
- No clinically significant changes in vital signs, EKG, or clin labs

**FDA
Breakthrough
and
EMA PRIME
Designations**

Givosiran Phase 3 Study Design

Randomized, Double-Blind, Placebo-Controlled Study, Followed by Open-Label Extension



Interim analysis when 30 patients complete 3 months treatment*

Statistical Considerations

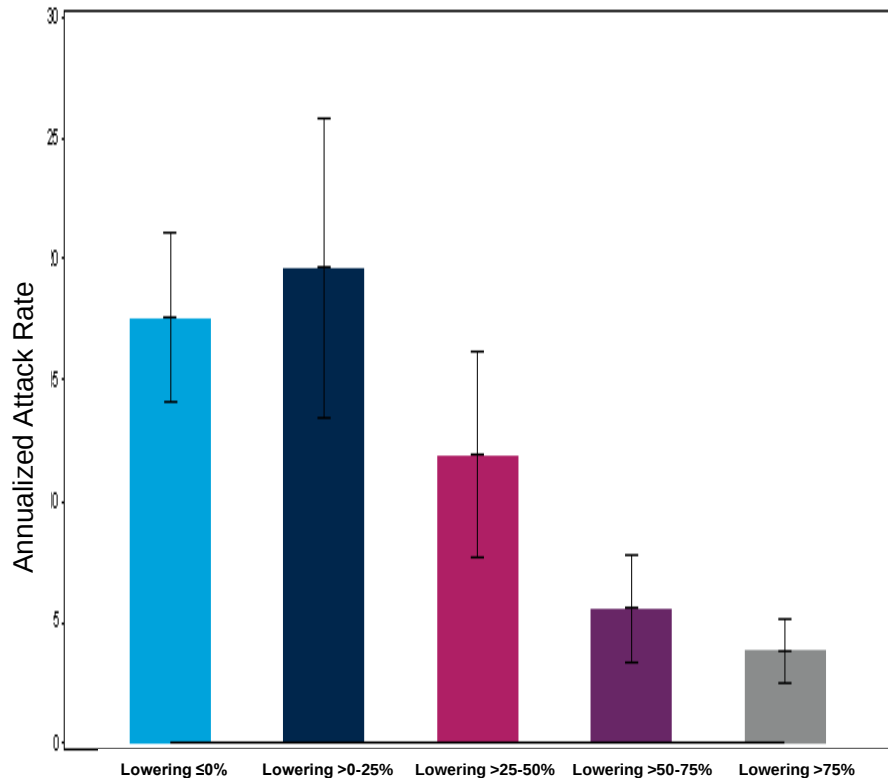
- 70 patients will have at least 90% power to detect 45% reduction in annualized attack rate at 2-sided alpha of 0.05
- Unblinded interim analysis in 30 patients using endpoint of reduction in urinary ALA level at 3 months
 - No plan to stop early for efficacy or futility

ALA Lowering and Clinical Outcome in Phase 1 Study

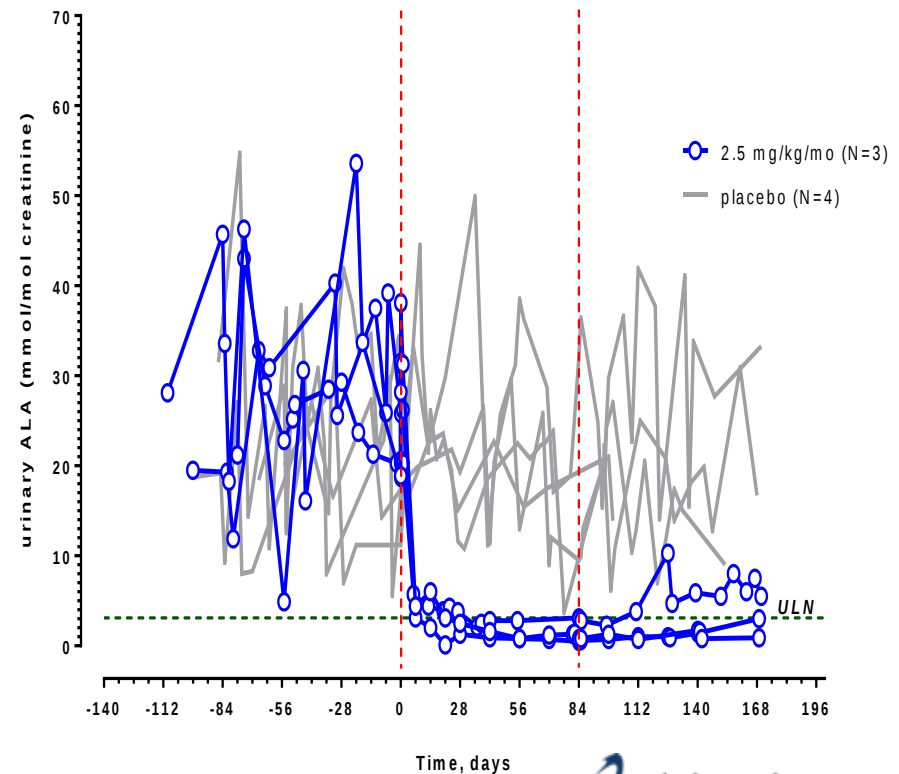
Alignment with FDA that reduction of urinary ALA is reasonably likely to predict clinical benefit

- Interim analysis with ~30 patients after 3 months dosing

Relationship of ALA Lowering with Annualized Attack Rate*



ALA Lowering in Phase 1, Part C at 2.5 mg/kg qM



ALA increased from baseline

More ALA lowering from patient's baseline

Summary

RNAi Platform

- Reproducible, modular drug development platform
- Applicable to any gene in the genome
 - 8 POCs achieved in the clinic
- Rapid path from concept to clinic
- Significant platform efficiencies in nonclinical, CMC and clinical development
- Over 1400 patients and healthy volunteers dosed across 10 programs
 - Relevance of safety learnings from one program to others in pipeline

Lessons Learned in Orphan Disease Space

- Patient input and engagement key at all phases of development cycle
 - Understanding unmet need, target product profile, natural history, study design, product presentation, outreach and education
- Potential for accelerated drug development
 - e.g., givosiran program biomarker-based interim analysis for acute hepatic porphyrias
- Aligning study design and endpoint structure between regulators, patients and payers key
- Value of Breakthrough (US) and Prime (EU) Designation



Thank You