

Sustained efficacy and safety 3 years following infusion with etranacogene dezaparvovec in adults with severe or moderately severe hemophilia B in the Phase 3 HOPE-B clinical trial

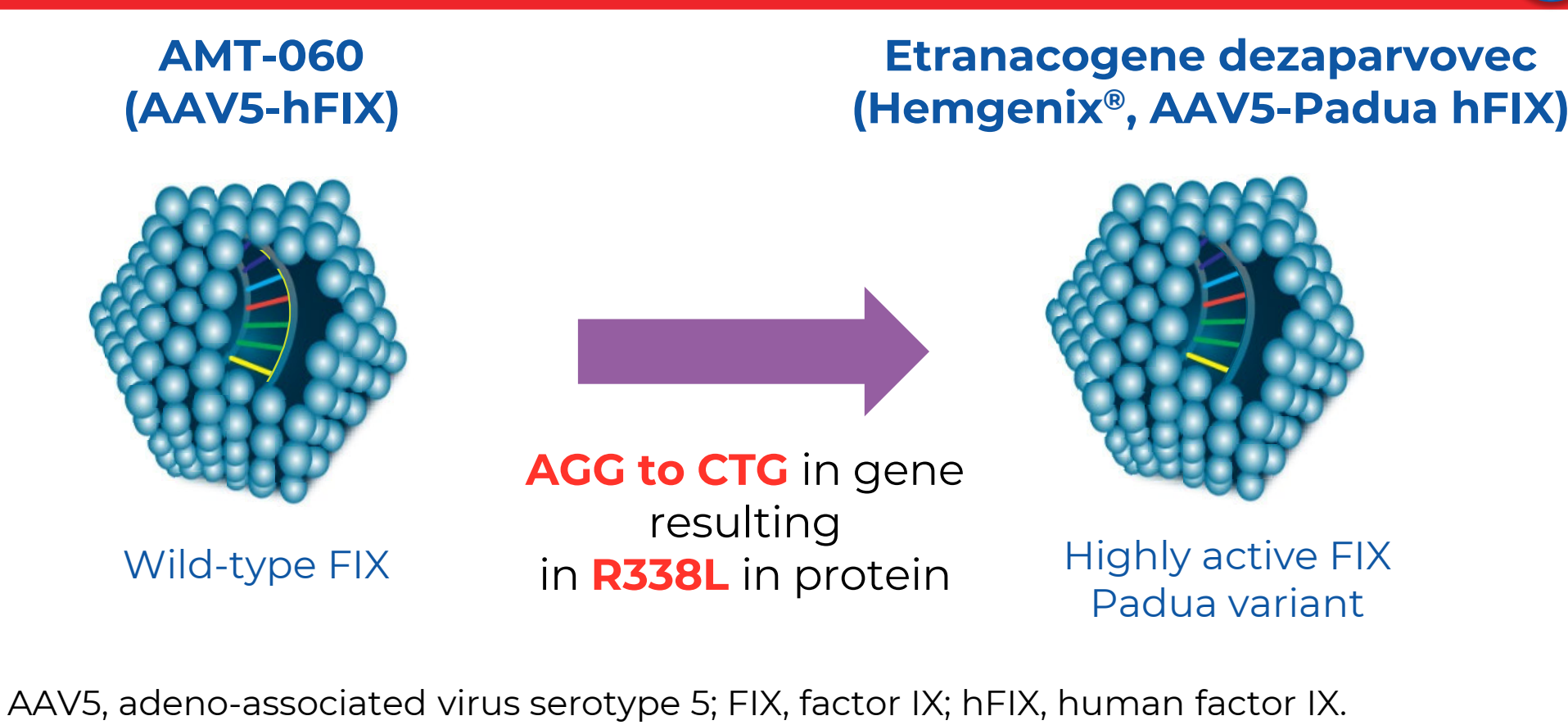
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Introduction

- Etranacogene dezaparvovec, the successor of AMT-060 (Figure 1), is an approved liver-directed AAV5 gene therapy for hemophilia B¹⁻³
- In the HOPE-B Phase 3 clinical trial, etranacogene dezaparvovec demonstrated superior bleed protection compared with factor IX (FIX) prophylaxis up to 24 months post-treatment^{4,5}

Figure 1: Etranacogene dezaparvovec



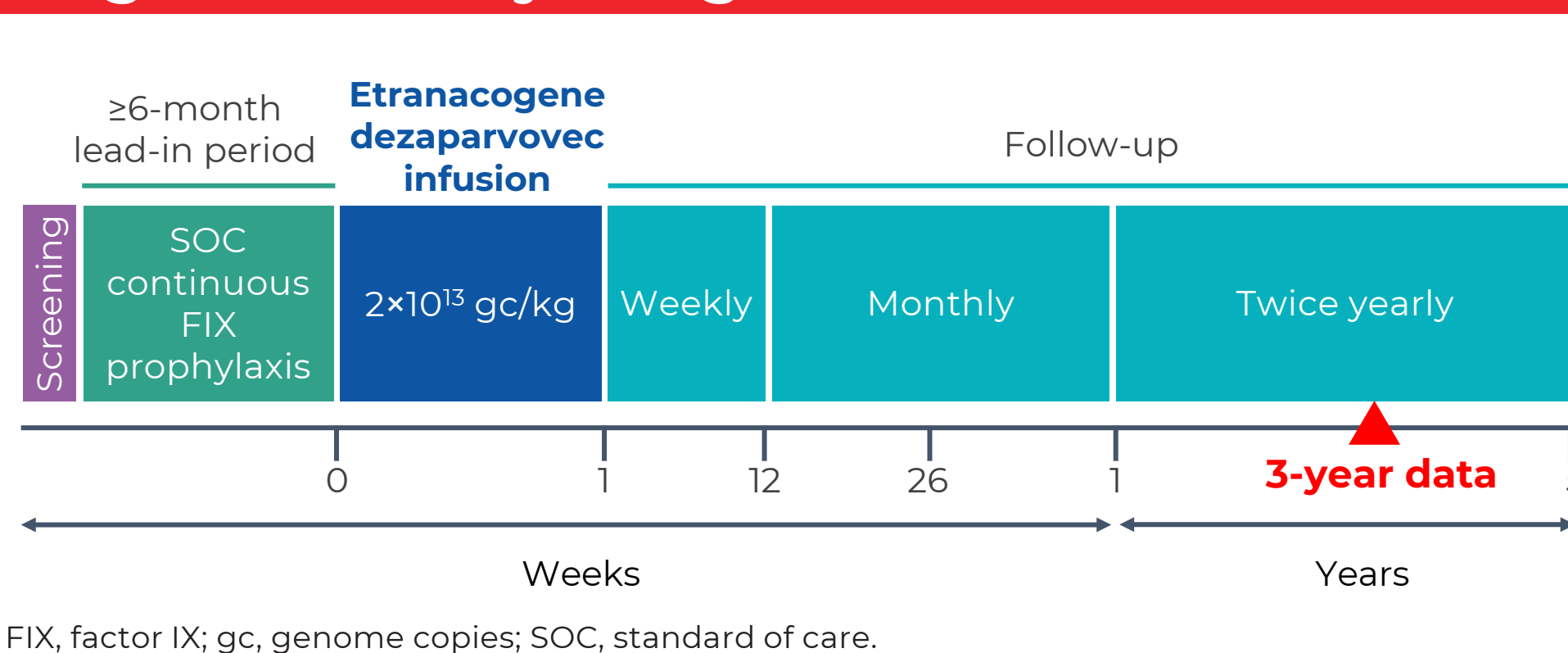
Objective

To report 36-month outcomes of etranacogene dezaparvovec from the Phase 3 HOPE-B trial in adult males with severe or moderately severe hemophilia B (FIX ≤2%; N=54)

Methods

- The study design of the Phase 3 HOPE-B clinical trial (NCT03569891) is shown in Figure 2⁴
- The primary endpoint was the annualized bleeding rate (ABR) in the post-treatment period (Months 7–18) compared with the lead-in period, evaluated in a non-inferiority analysis⁴
 - Secondary endpoints included endogenous FIX activity, annualized FIX consumption, number of FIX infusions and adverse events (AEs)
- Participants were required to be on routine FIX prophylaxis prior to infusion (Table 1)⁴
 - Patients with pre-existing neutralizing antibodies (NABs) to AAV5 were not excluded

Figure 2: Phase 3 HOPE-B open-label, single-arm study design⁴



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Results

STUDY PARTICIPANTS

- Only 2/54 patients did not complete 36 months follow-up:
 - One patient who was free of prophylaxis died (unrelated to treatment)
 - One patient who remained on prophylaxis withdrew consent for efficacy assessment

Table 1: Baseline characteristics^{4,6}

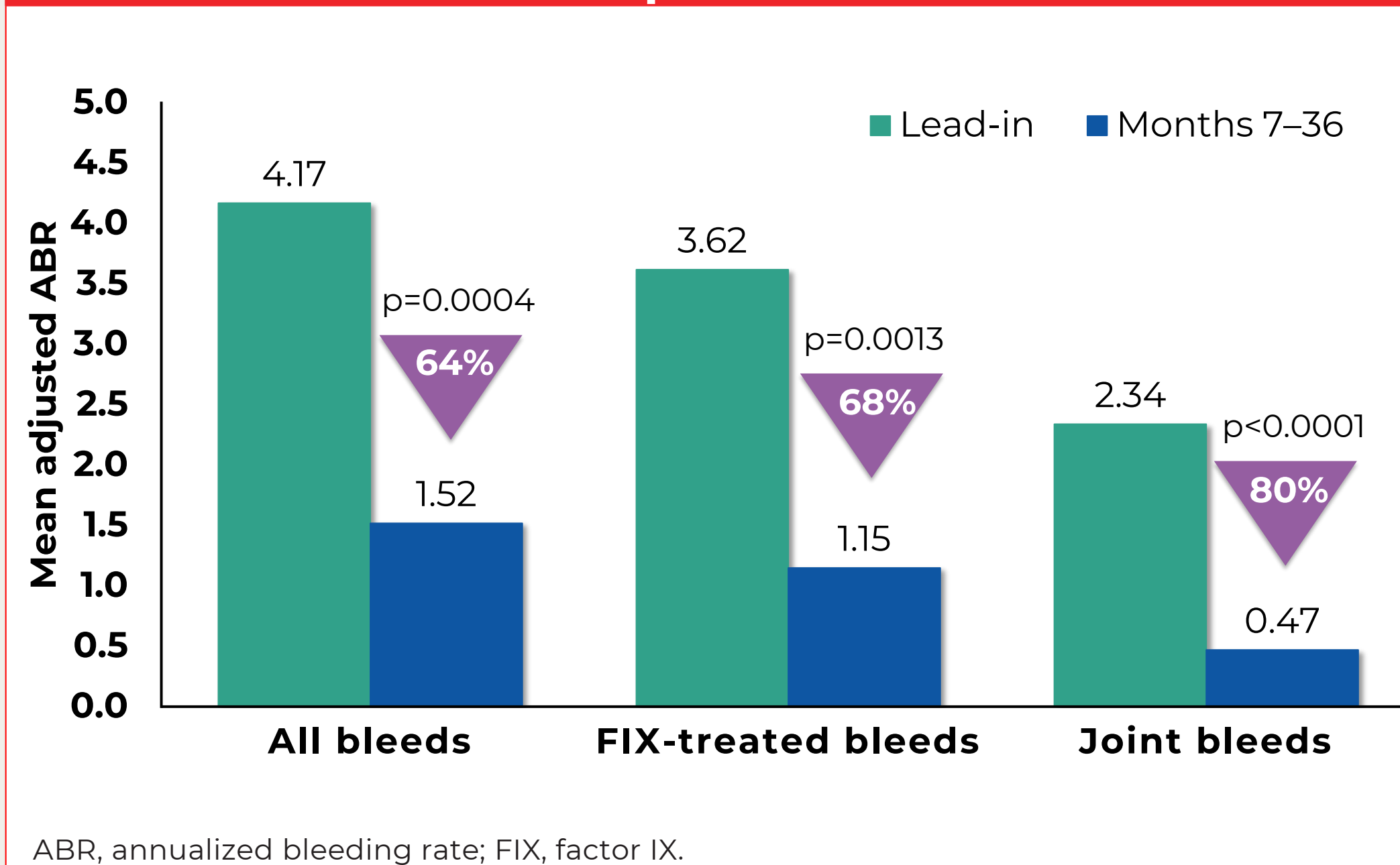
	Participants (N=54)
Mean age, years (range)	41.5 (19–75)
Hemophilia B severity, n (%)	
Severe [FIX<1%]	44 (81.5)
Moderately severe [FIX 1–2%]	10 (18.5)
History of infection, n (%)	
HIV+	3 (5.6)
Previous HBV	9 (16.7)
Previous HCV	31 (57.4)
Pre-existing AAV5 NABs,* n (%)	21 (38.9)

AAV5, adeno-associated virus serotype 5; FIX, factor IX; HBV, hepatitis B virus; HCV, hepatitis C virus; HIV+, human immunodeficiency virus-positive; NAB, neutralizing antibody.
*One participant had a titer of 3212 and 20 had a titer ≤678.

SUSTAINED HEMOSTATIC PROTECTION

- Mean adjusted ABR for all bleeds during Months 7–36 was reduced by 64% vs lead-in (p=0.0004; Figure 3)
- A 68% reduction in mean adjusted ABR for FIX-treated bleeds was observed between lead-in and Months 7–36 (p=0.0013)
- Overall, 61% (33/54) of participants experienced no joint bleeds at 36 months post-treatment

Figure 3: Mean adjusted ABR during ≥6-month lead-in vs Months 7–36 post-treatment



SUSTAINED ENDOGENOUS FIX ACTIVITY

- Mean ± standard deviation (SD) FIX activity was sustained at 41.5 ± 21.7 IU/dL (n=50), 36.7 ± 19.0 IU/dL (n=50), and 38.6 ± 17.8 IU/dL (n=48) at 12 months, 24 months, and 36 months post-treatment, respectively (Figure 4)
- By Month 36, FIX activity levels were in the mild and normal range for 47/54 patients (87%; Figure 5)
 - Four patients (7.4%) had missing/uninterpretable data

Figure 4: Endogenous FIX activity levels over

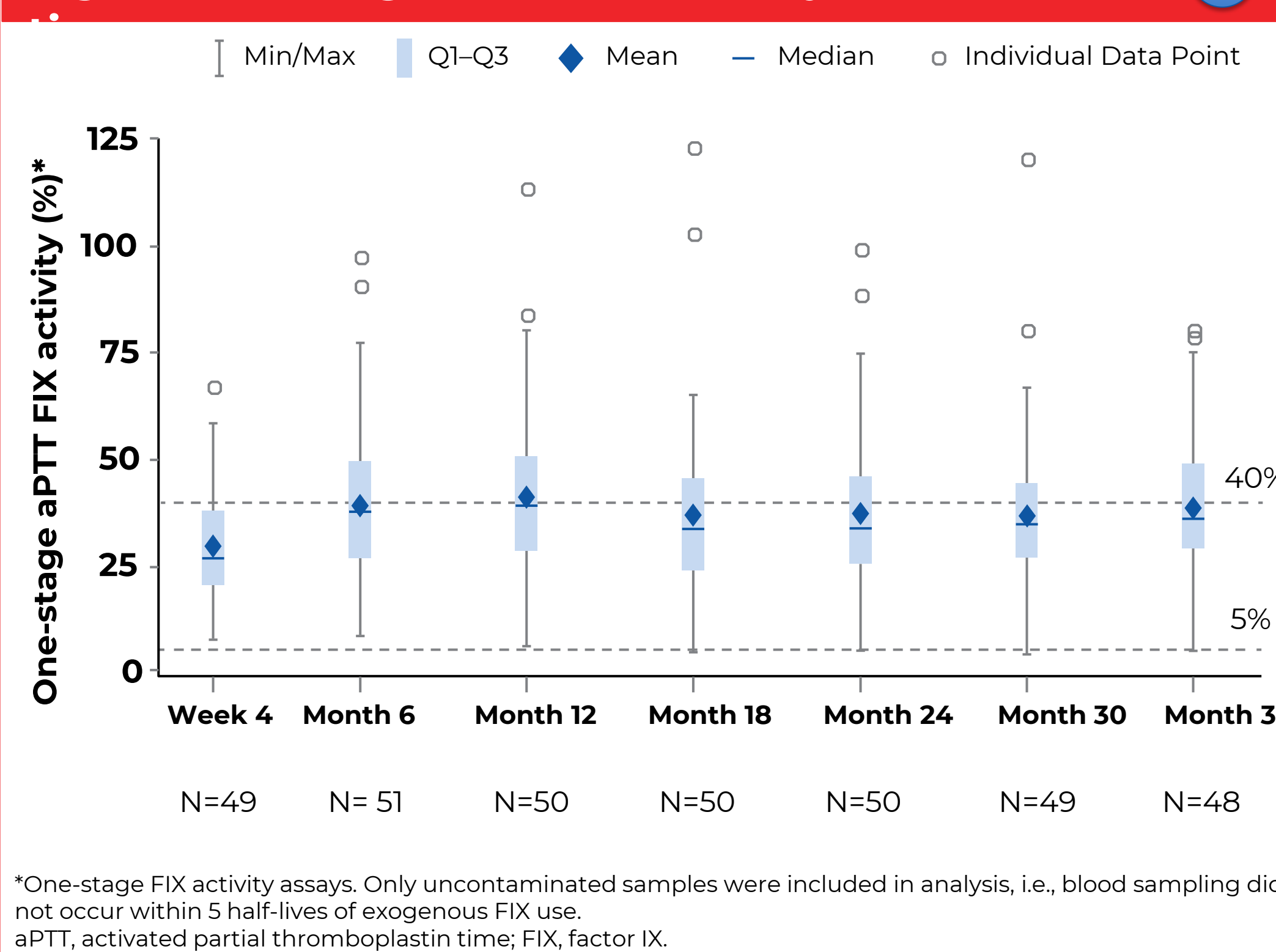
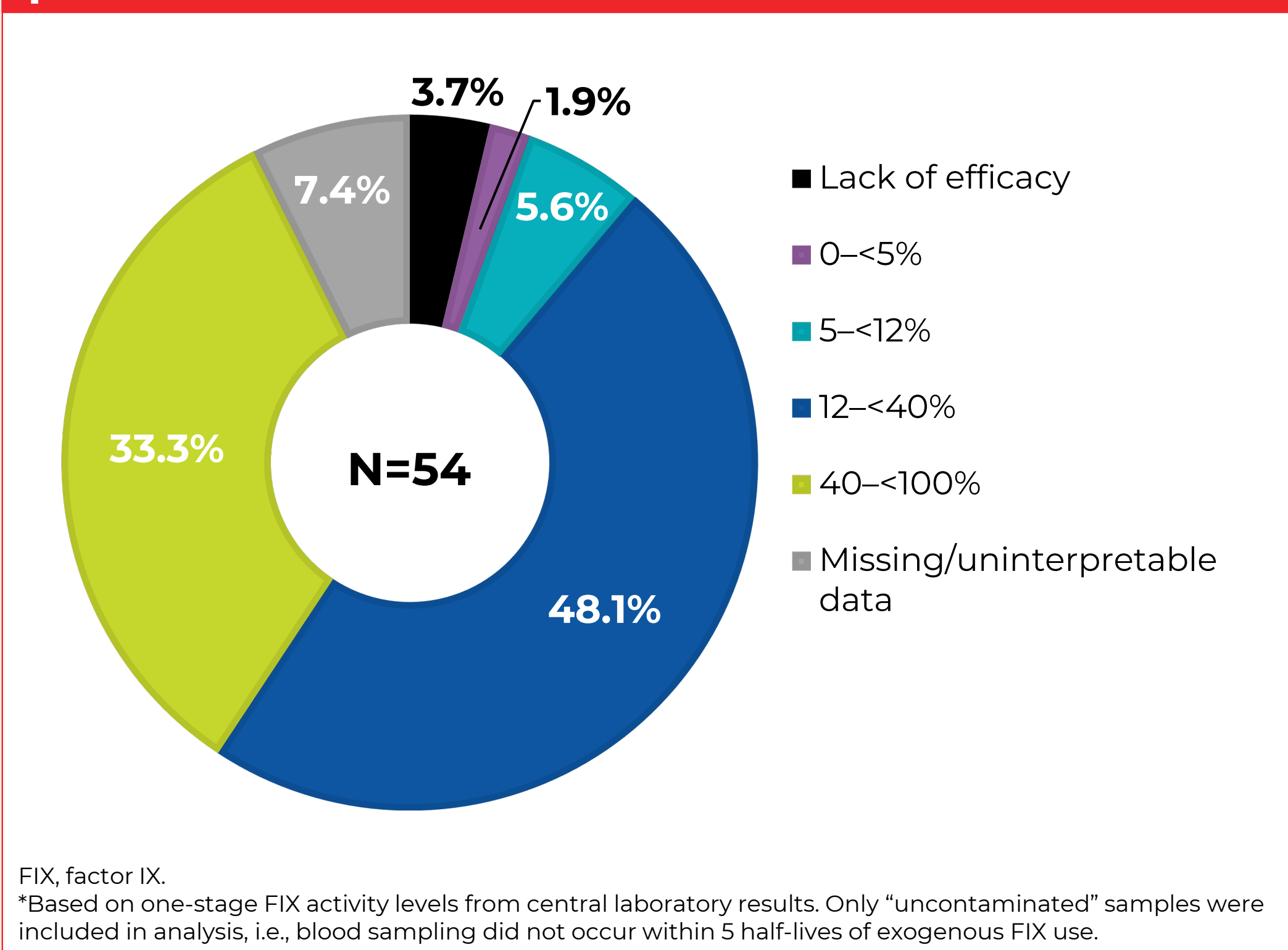


Figure 5: FIX activity level* ranges at 36 months post-treatment



REDUCED EXOGENOUS FIX USE

- 94.4% (51/54) of participants were free from continuous FIX prophylaxis through to Month 36 post-treatment
- FIX replacement use significantly decreased from lead-in by 96% (Figure S1; p<0.0001)

SAFETY

- A total of 93 treatment-related AEs occurred up to 36 months post-treatment with 97.8% reported in the first 6 months (Table 2)
- No treatment related serious AEs, FIX inhibitors or thromboembolic events occurred
- No new deaths, hepatocellular carcinoma, or late treatment-related alanine aminotransferase elevations were reported during Year 3

Table 2: Treatment-related AEs*

	At Month 36 follow-up	
	N (%)	# of events
At least 1 TRAE	38 (70.4)	93
ALT increased	9 (16.7)	10
Headache	8 (14.8)	9
Influenza like illness	7 (13.0)	8
AST increased	5 (9.3)	6
CPK increased	4 (7.4)	6
Dizziness	4 (7.4)	4
Fatigue	4 (7.4)	4
Nausea	4 (7.4)	4
Arthralgia	3 (5.6)	3

*Reported as MedDRA-PT and coded using MedDRA Version 26.0. AE, adverse event; ALT, alanine aminotransferase; AST, aspartate aminotransferase; CPK, creatine phosphokinase; MedDRA, Medical Dictionary for Regulatory Activities; PT, preferred term; TRAE, treatment related adverse event.

Conclusions

Etranacogene dezaparvovec provides long-term, stable FIX Padua expression and superior bleed protection compared with FIX prophylaxis, with a favorable safety profile over 3 years post-treatment

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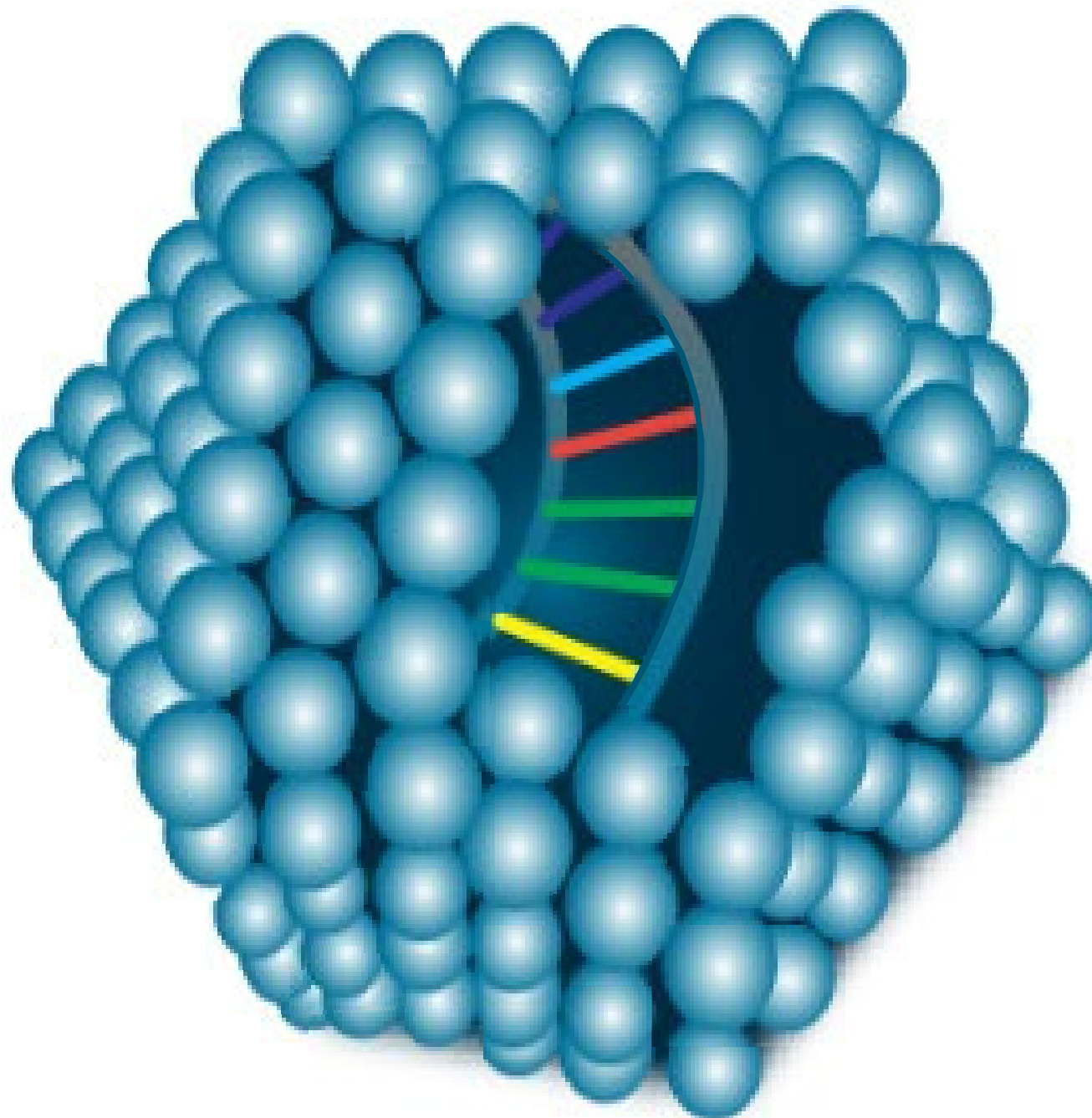
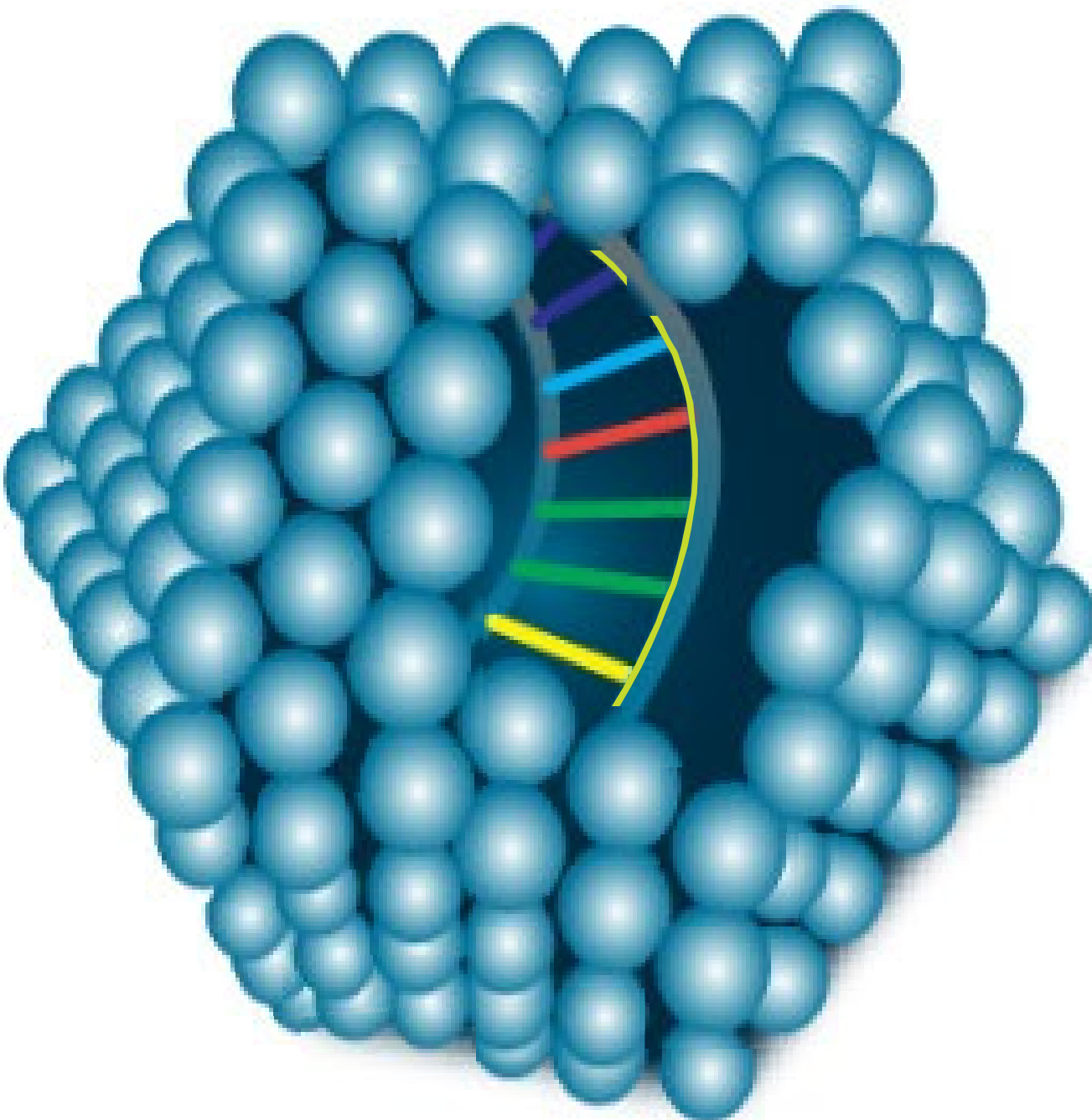


Figure 1: Etranacogene dezaparvovec



**AMT-060
(AAV5-hFIX)**

**Etranacogene dezaparvovec
(Hemgenix[®], AAV5-Padua hFIX)**



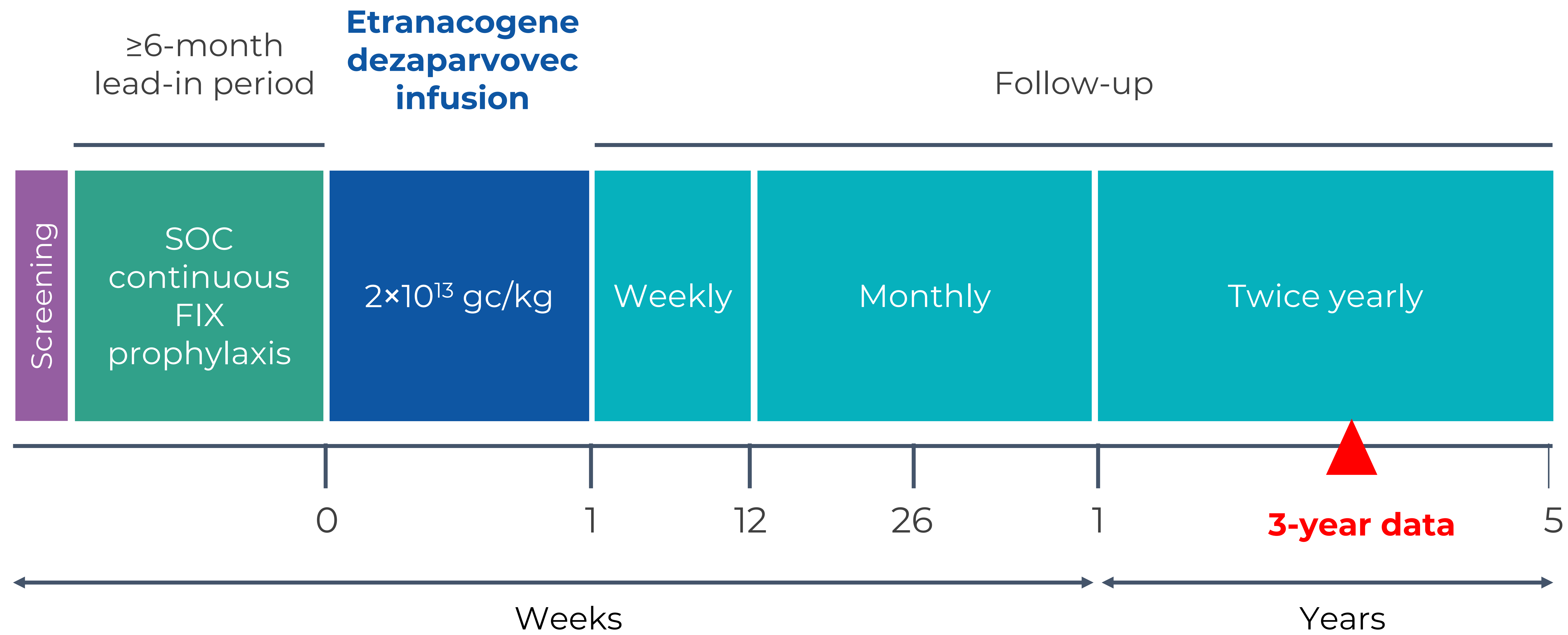
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Wild-type **FIX**

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Highly active **FIX Padua variant (R388L)**

AAV5, adeno-associated virus serotype 5; FIX, factor IX; hFIX, human factor IX; ITR, inverted terminal repeat; LP1, liver promoter 1; pA, poly A.

Figure 2: Phase 3 HOPE-B open-label, single-arm study design

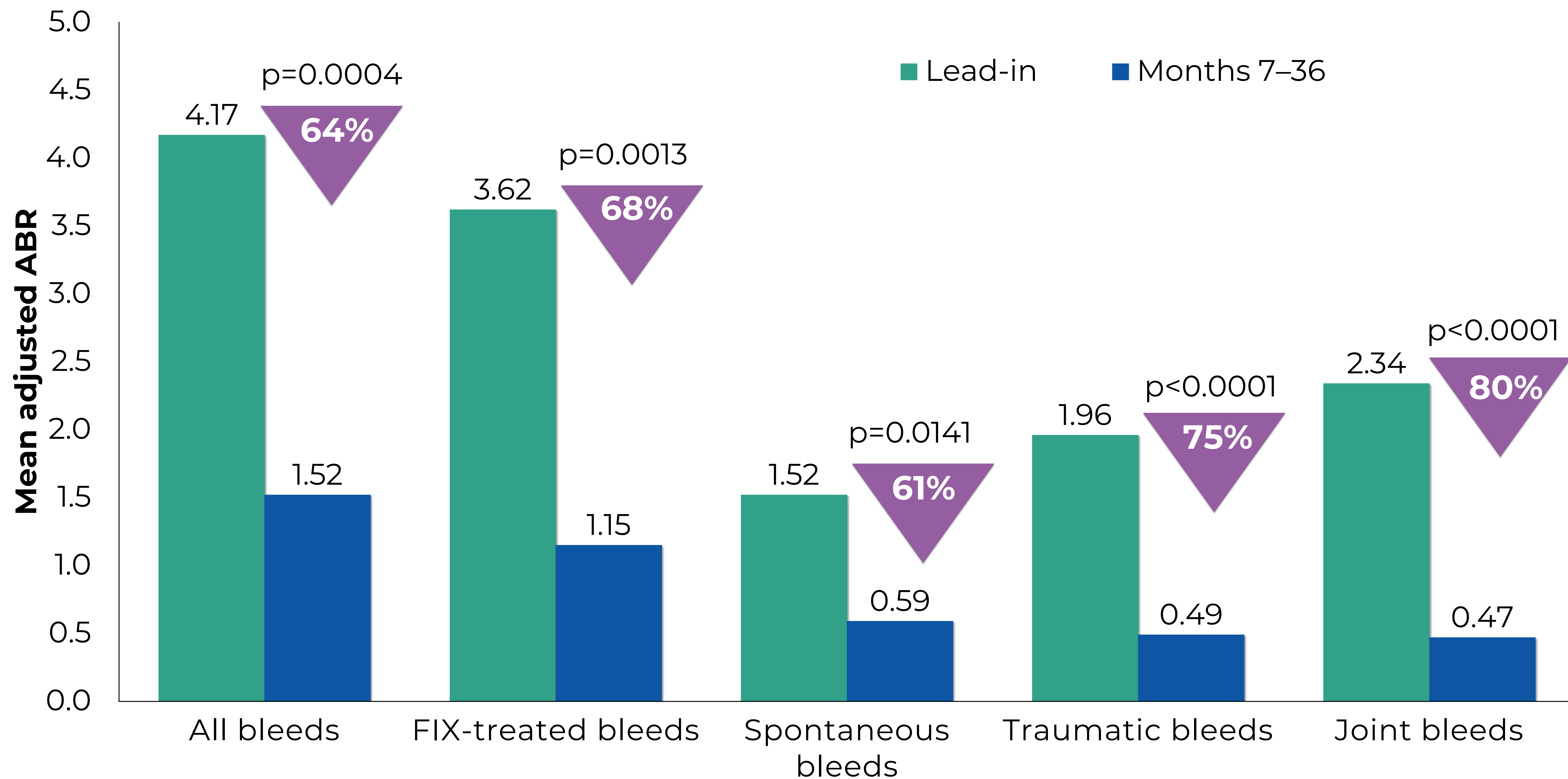


Key exclusion criteria:

- FIX inhibitors
- Active hepatitis B/C infection
- Uncontrolled HIV infection
- Evidence of advanced liver fibrosis

Pre-existing AAV5 NAb were assessed but not used as an exclusion criteria

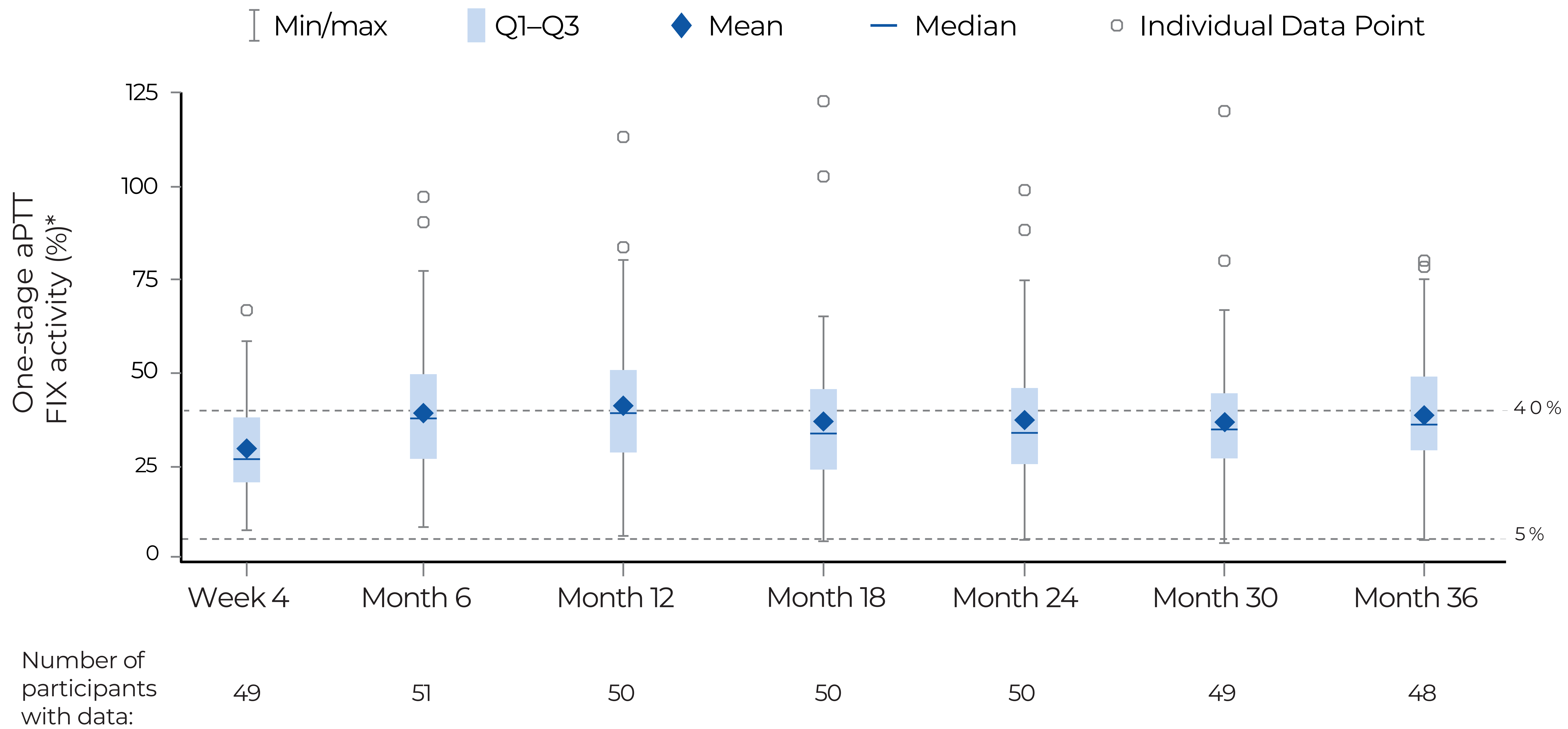
Figure 3: Mean adjusted ABR during ≥6-month lead-in vs Months 7–36 post-treatment



Etranacogene dezaparvovec stably reduced ABR by 64% and demonstrated superiority to prophylaxis in the lead-in period through 3 years post-treatment

Superiority was tested at a one-sided alpha level of 0.025 (p-value of ≤ 0.025 for post-dose / lead-in was statistically significant). P-values were not adjusted for multiplicity. ABR, annualized bleeding rate; FIX, factor IX.

Figure 4: Endogenous FIX activity levels over time



Overall stable FIX activity levels over 3 years post-treatment

FIX activity levels	At year 3
Mean ± SD	38.6 ± 17.8
Median	36.0
IQR	29.5 – 48.1
Min – Max	4.8 – 80.3

*One-stage FIX activity assays. Only uncontaminated samples were included in analysis, i.e., blood sampling did not occur within 5 half-lives of exogenous FIX use.
 aPTT, activated partial thromboplastin time; FIX, factor IX; IQR, interquartile range; SD, standard deviation.

Figure 5: FIX activity level* ranges at 3 years post-treatment

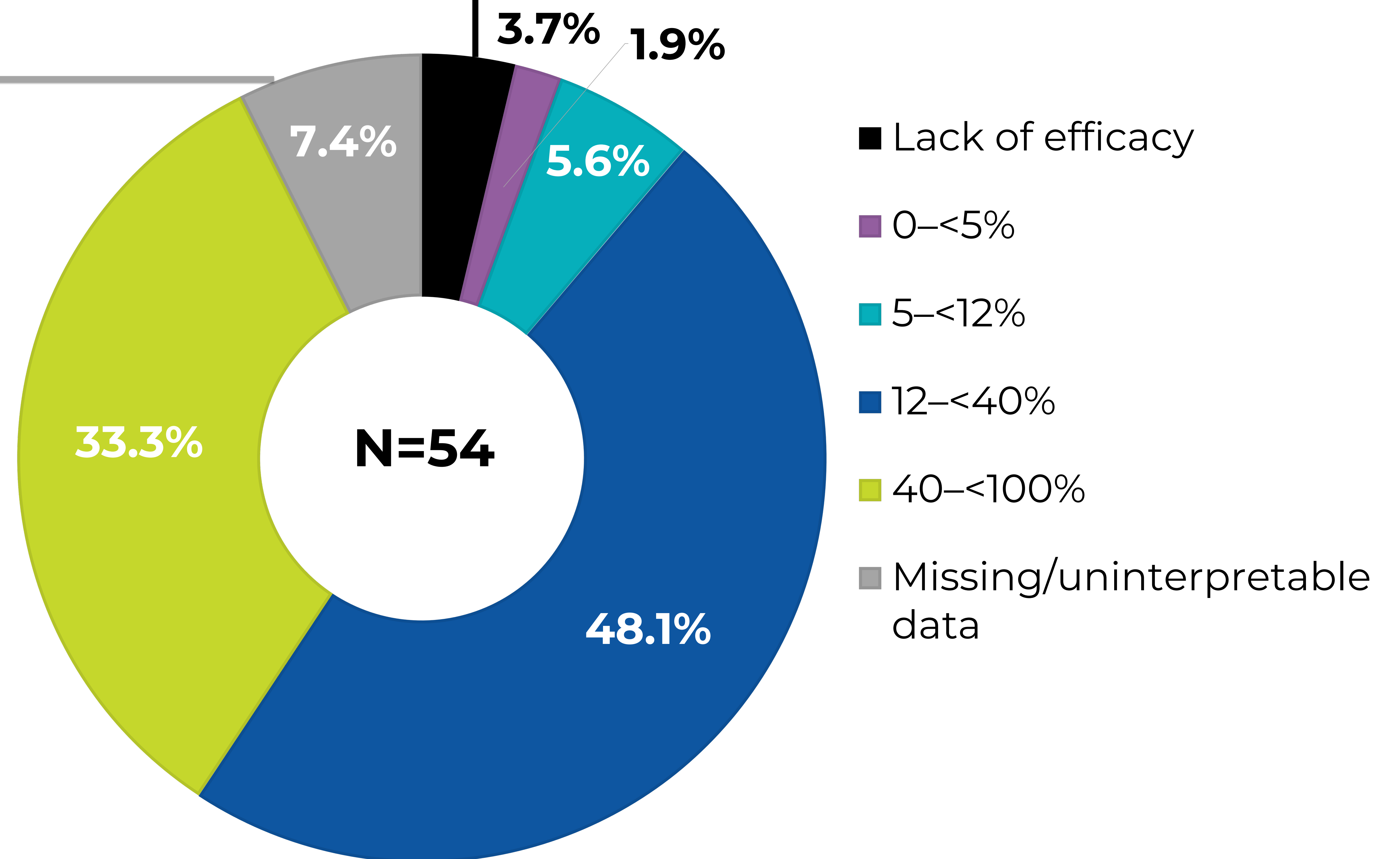


2 (3.7%) lack of efficacy

- Participant with highest NAb titer
- Participant who received ~10% of the planned dose

4 (7.4%) missing/uninterpretable data

Reason for missing/uninterpretable data	Last FIX activity level*
Death at month 15 (unrelated to treatment)	43.7%
Liver transplant (HCC unrelated to treatment)	36.7%
Return to FIX prophylaxis at month 30	3.6%
Non-analyzable sample (hemolysis)	33.5%



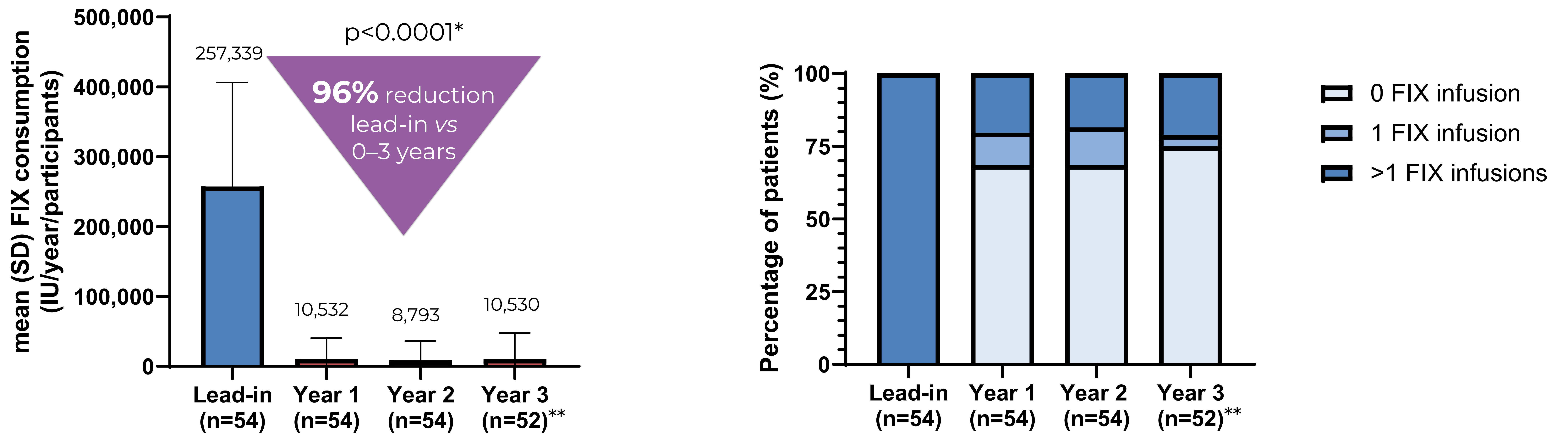
>87% of total participants were in the mild and normal FIX activity level range at 3 years post-treatment

*Based on one-stage FIX activity levels from central laboratory results. Only “uncontaminated” samples were included in analysis, i.e., blood sampling did not occur within 5 half-lives of exogenous FIX use
 FIX, factor IX; HCC, hepatocellular carcinoma, NAb, neutralizing antibody.

Figure S1: Exogenous FIX use over 3 years of follow-up



94.4% (51/54) of participants were free from continuous prophylactic FIX infusions through 3 years post-administration



46.3% (25/54) of participants received no FIX infusions over 3-year period post-treatment

*p-value is calculated using a paired t-test comparing post-treatment and lead-in periods.

**One patient died (prophylaxis free) and another patient who remained on prophylaxis withdrew consent for efficacy assessment. FIX, factor IX; SD, standard deviation.

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