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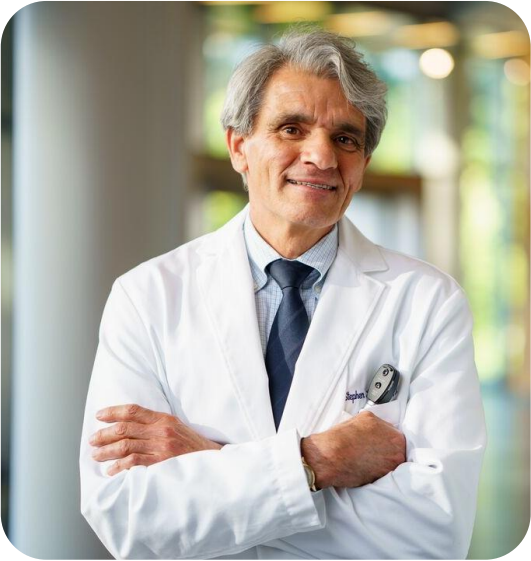


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Dr. Hauser has received numerous awards and honors for his work, including the Jacob Javits Neuroscience Investigator Award, the John Dystel Prize for Multiple Sclerosis Research (2008), the Charcot Award (2013), the Taubman Prize for Excellence in Translational Medical Research (2017), the Scientific Breakthrough Award from the American Brain Foundation (2022), and the Breakthrough Prize in Life Sciences (2025).

Agenda & Speakers

- 1 Opening Remarks: 5 mins.**
Sylvia Cheung, Chief Financial Officer
- 2 Oculis Corporate Update: 5 mins.**
Riad Sherif, MD, Chief Executive Officer
- 3 OCS-01 in DME: 30 mins.**
 - DIAMOND Phase 3 trials update
 - Q&A**Sharon Klier, MD, Chief Development Officer**
Prof. Arshad Khanani, MD, Chair of the DIAMOND Steering Committee
Prof. Baruch D. Kuppermann, MD, PhD , Chair of the DCRC (DME Central Review Committee)
Prof David Boyer, MD , DIAMOND Principal Investigator
- 4 Licaminlimab (OCS-02) in DED: 20 mins.**
 - Rethinking DED treatment with precision medicine approach
 - Q&A**Snehal Shah, PharmD, President of R&D**
Prof. Anat Galor, MD

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Privosegtor (OCS-05) – New Frontier in Neuroprotection: 55 mins.

- Phase 2 ACUITY expanded data analysis
- Next steps in acute optic neuritis
- Neuroprotection beyond acute optic neuritis
- Q&A

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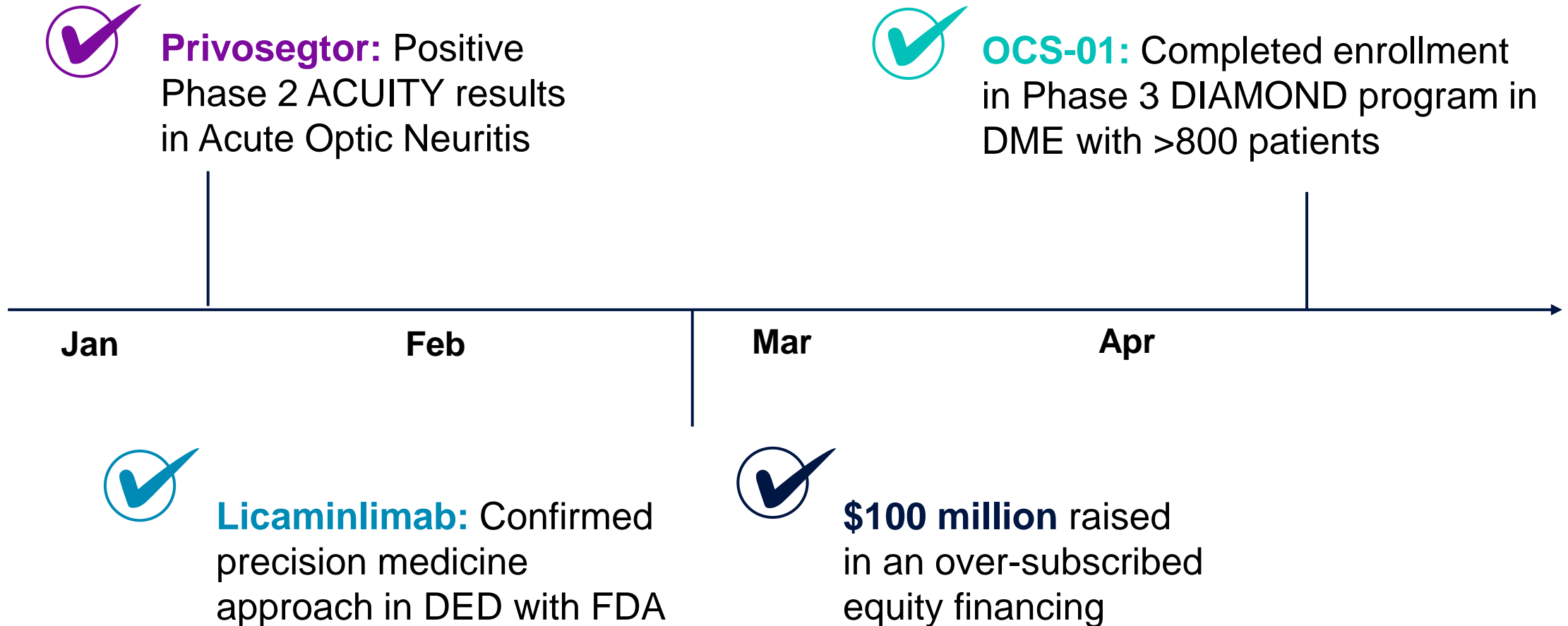
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Closing Remarks: 5 mins.

Riad Sherif, MD, CEO

Corporate Update

Strong Momentum in 2025



Focus on the highest unmet medical needs / market opportunities following successful advancement of all 3 assets

3 Major Innovations Addressing Substantial Unmet Medical Needs

Highly differentiated late-stage pipeline focused on multi-billion-dollar market opportunities

OCS-01 OPTIREACH® Eye Drops in DME



Topical treatment for DME enabling **early intervention** and for patients with **inadequate response to current SoC**

Licaminlimab (OCS-02) Genotype-Based Dev. in DED



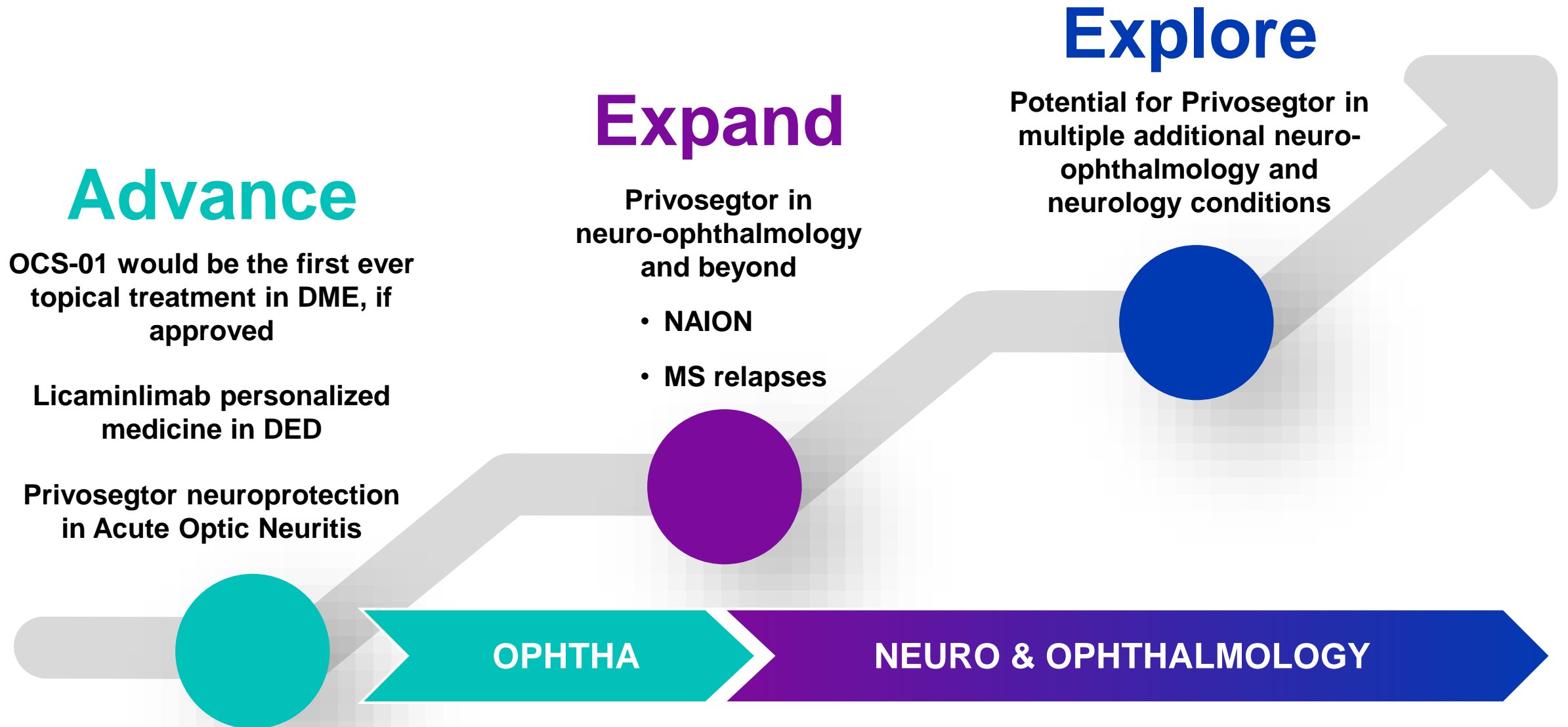
Personalized medicine treatment to address highly unsatisfied patient population

Privoseptor (OCS-05) Breakthrough in Neuroprotection



Novel neuroprotective candidate with broad potential in neuro-ophthalmology and neurology

Oculis Pipeline Development Strategic Evolution



OCS-01 in DME

DIAMOND Phase 3 trials update

Positive and Consistent Results Across 4 Previously Completed Studies

Four (4) clinical trials successfully completed showing positive outcomes



DME Exploratory 1 & 2
19 pts Tanito & 22 pts Ohira studies^{1,2}



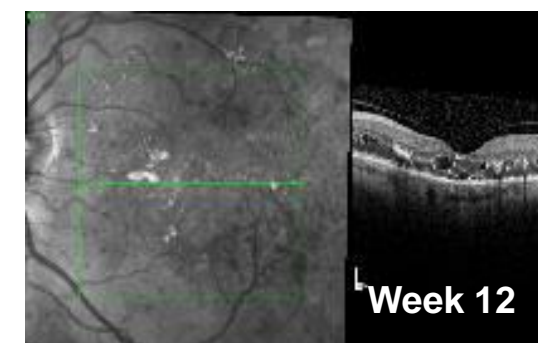
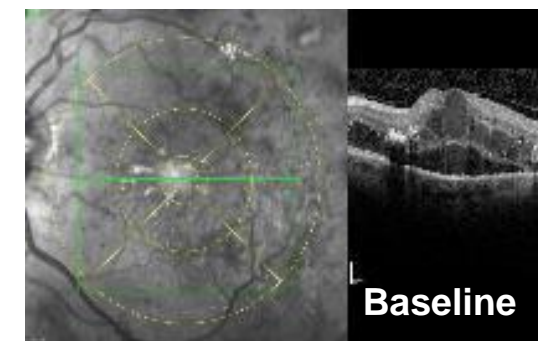
DME Phase 2
144 pts
Randomized & double-masked³



DME Phase 3 Stage 1
148 pts
Randomized & double-masked⁴

Patient Case (Phase 2 DX211)
OCS-01 showed consistent biological effect in CMT reduction and BCVA improvement³

Age	55
Treatment Group	OCS-01
DME Duration	4 m
Prior DME Tx	No
Baseline CMT	765
Week 12 CMT	328
Baseline BCVA	40
W12 BCVA	56



1. Exploratory 1: Investigator-initiated, open-label, single-center study. Tanito M, et al. Invest Ophthalmology Vis Sci. 2011;52:7944-7948

2. Exploratory 2: Ohira A, et al. Acta Ophthalmologica. 2015;93:610-615. Ohira A, et al. Acta Ophthalmologica. 2015;93:610-615.

3. DME Phase 2 (DX-211): Presented by R. Tadayoni at EURETINA 2020, Late-breaking session on October 3rd, 2020

4. Tadayoni R, et al. A 12-week phase 2/3 double-masked, randomized, multicenter study of OCS-01 OPTIREACH® technology topical dexamethasone eye drops in subjects with diabetic macular edema (DME): efficacy and safety findings Presented at: EURETINA; 2023

5 Key Takeaways From OCS-01 DIAMOND Phase 3 Stage 1

Consistent with previous trials with robust statistically significant improvement in vision and reduction in retinal edema vs. vehicle

1 7.2 letter gain in BCVA vs. baseline at Week 6, increasing to 7.6 at Week 12

2 25.3% of patients gained ≥ 15 letters at Week 6, increasing to 27.4% at Week 12

3 Rapid and sustained reduction in retinal edema already at Week 2

4 Positive results in both populations: naïve and previously treated with SoC

5 Well-tolerated with no unexpected AEs

AE: adverse event; BCVA: best corrected visual acuity, SoC: Standard of Care.

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OCS-01 | Phase 3 DIAMOND Program in DME

Completed enrollment in both Diamond 1 & 2 Phase 3 Studies

Study Design

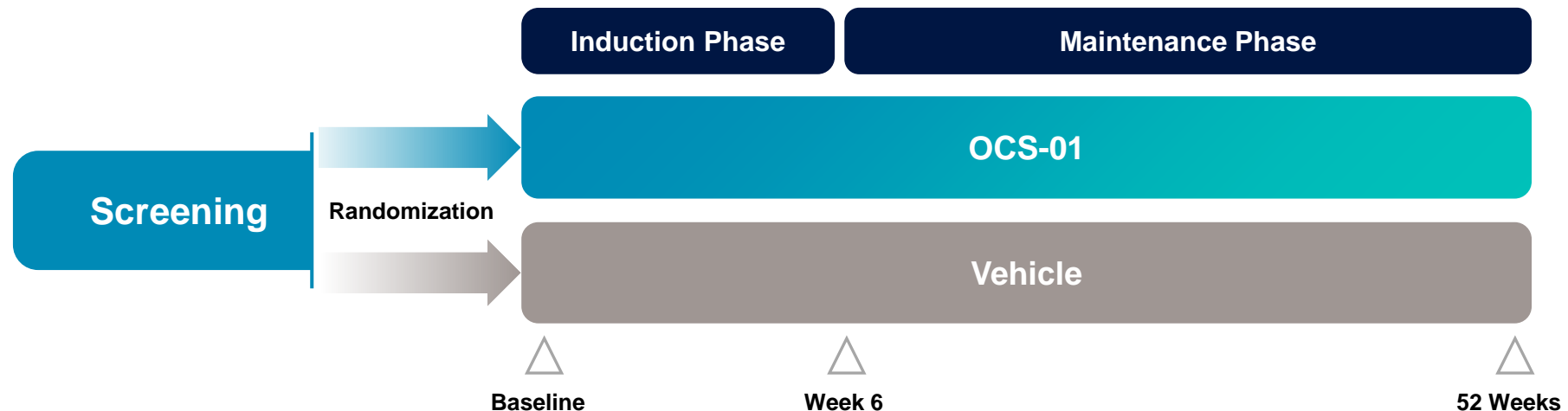
- Randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled study (registrational trials)
- Multi-center, 12-month trial with >800 subjects randomized
- Induction phase: 1 drop, 6 times a day for first 6 weeks, maintenance phase: 1 drop 3 times a day for 46 weeks

Key Endpoints

- Primary endpoint: Change in BCVA ETDRS letter score at Week 52
- Key secondary endpoint: % with a ≥ 15 ETDRS letter gain in BCVA at Week 52

Study Population

- Age 18-85 years
- Confirmed diagnosis of DME
- Diabetes mellitus 1 and 2
- ETDRS BCVA letter score: 24 - 65
- Retinal thickness (CST) ≥ 310 μm
- Anti-VEGF and corticosteroid naïve or agree to washout

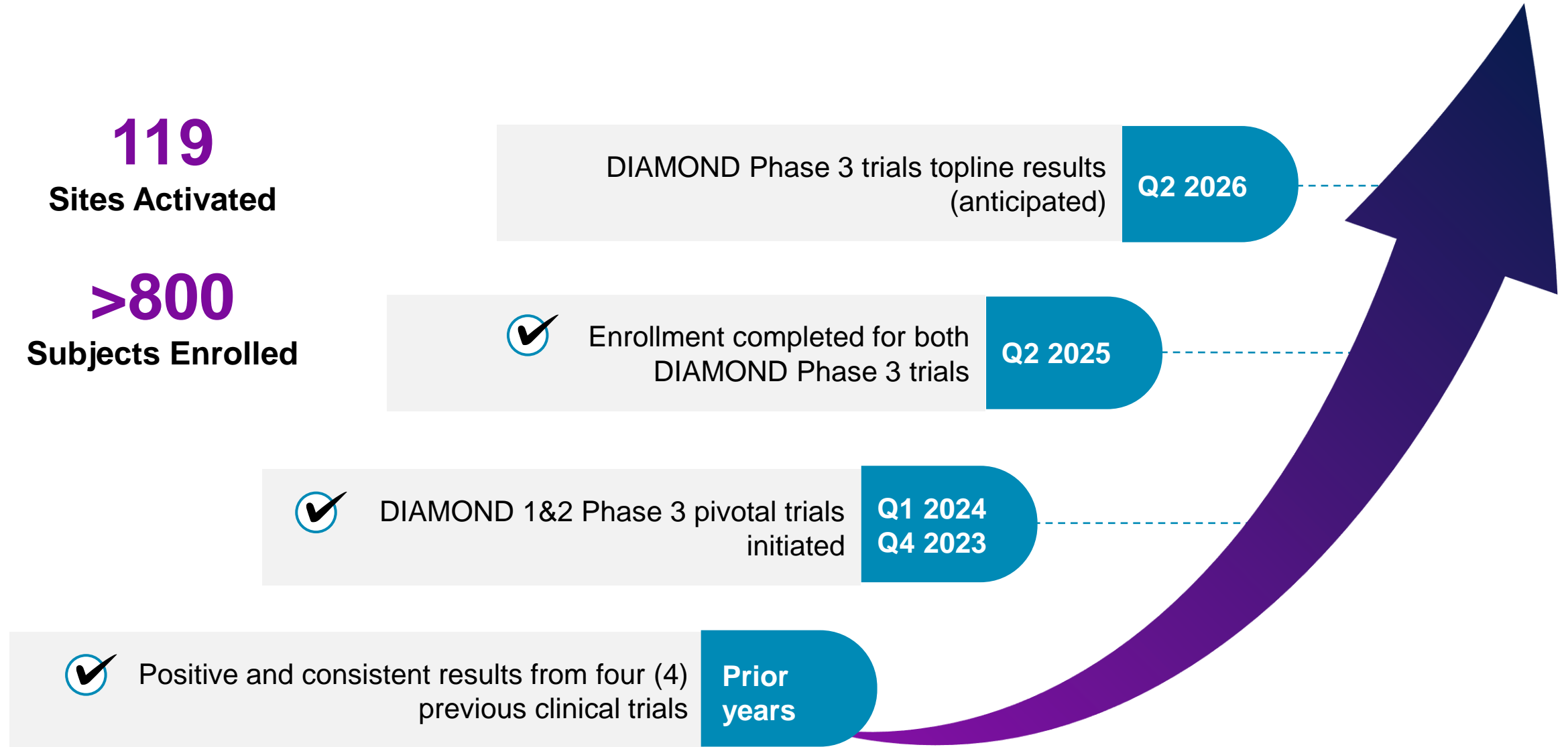


Rapid Enrollment Completed for Both DIAMOND Phase 3 Trials

Strong execution supported by DIAMOND Committees with world-renowned experts

119
Sites Activated

>800
Subjects Enrolled



2025 DIAMOND Team Focused on Execution and Oversight

01

Driving strong adherence to the protocol

02

Ensuring patient compliance and retention

03

Collaborating closely with highly experienced investigators and committees



Investigator's perspective: Dr. David Boyer

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Licaminlimab in DED

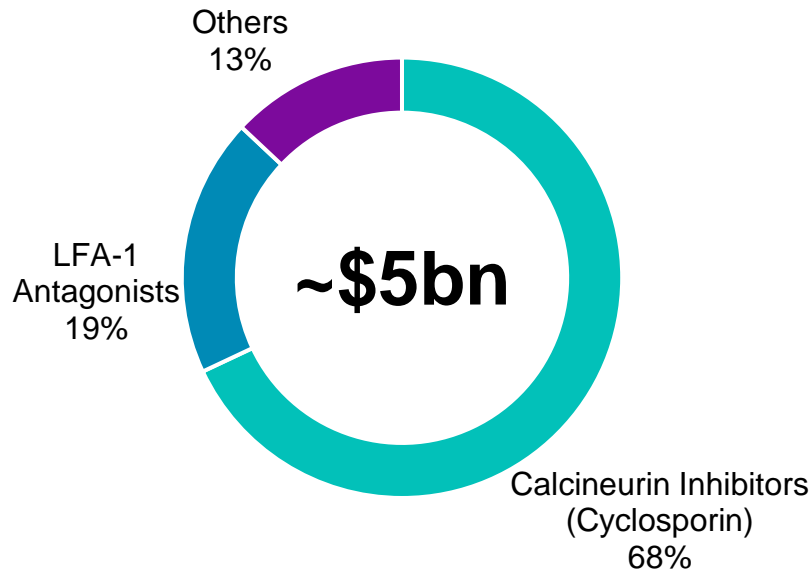
Rethinking DED Treatment with a Genotype-Base Development for Personalized Medicine

Large Unsatisfied Market Creates Significant Opportunity for Personalized Medicine

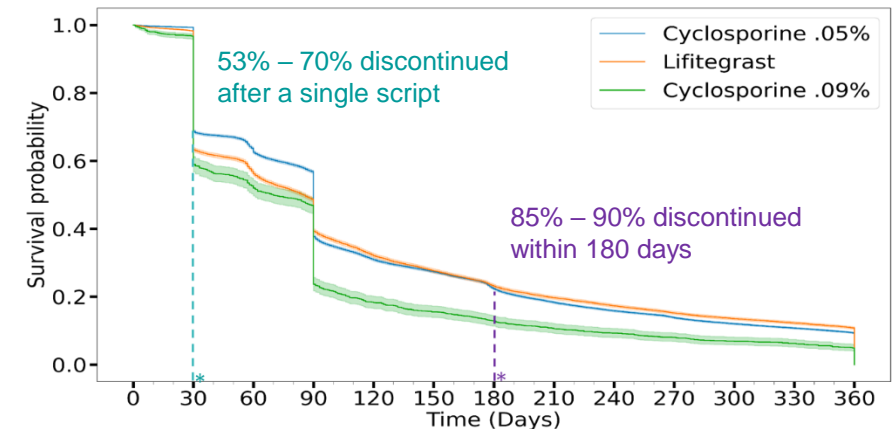
Only 13% experiencing lasting relief after 12 months with current treatments¹

2024 Dry Eye Rx drug market in G7 countries² and U.S. Rx split³

Driven by trial and error with significant unmet needs



Discontinuation & switching is commonplace in DED⁴



DED expert's perspective: Dr. Anat Galor

1. Health Union Community Editorial Team. 2021 In America Survey Findings: Living With Chronic Dry Eye. Chronic Dry Eye. 2021. <https://chronicdryeye.net/infographic/in-america-findings>.
2. DRG Dry Eye Disease Landscape and Forecast 2020 (market value in 2024)
3. IQVIA DED report, data on file. Prescriptions volume in DED March 2024 for split per drug class
4. Mbagwu M, et al. Characterization of Discontinuation and Switching Patterns of Dry Eye Disease Medications Using Linked EHR Registry and Claims Data. Presented at: ASCRS Annual Meeting 2024 <https://ophthalmology360.com/study-finds-high-discontinuation-rate-of-dry-eye-medications/>

Licaminlimab: Three Positive DED Phase 2 Trials Completed

Consistent positive results in signs and symptoms with potential for a genotype-based development to drive precision medicine

Phase 2 Randomized Controlled Studies in DED



DED#1 Symptoms
85 patients Phase 2 PoC



DED#2 Symptoms
134 patients Phase 2 PoC



DED#3 (RELIEF) Signs
122 patients Phase 2b

Consistent positive results across studies and unique precision medicine strategy

01

Meaningful and rapid treatment effect in signs and symptoms

02

More pronounced treatment effect in TNFR1 genotype positive (5X in signs and 7X in symptoms)

03

Well-tolerated, drop comfort like artificial tears



DED expert's perspective: Dr. Anat Galor

First Genotype-Based Development in DED Fully Aligned with FDA Guidance – Meeting Completed in Q1 25

Achieved clarity on:

1. Precision medicine strategy
2. Registrational path forward
3. Study design



- ▶ First genotype-based development in DED to drive precision medicine
- ▶ Primary endpoint in TNFR1 genotype positive patients; secondary endpoint in total population
- ▶ Symptoms and signs endpoints consistent with DED guidance (e.g. global ocular discomfort, inferior corneal staining, etc.)

First-time precision medicine applied to DED, significantly de-risking Phase 3 clinical program and offering a potentially transformative product profile

Licaminlimab First Genotype-based Development to Drive Precision Medicine in DED

Registration Program to Start in 2H 2025

Phase 2/3 Study Design

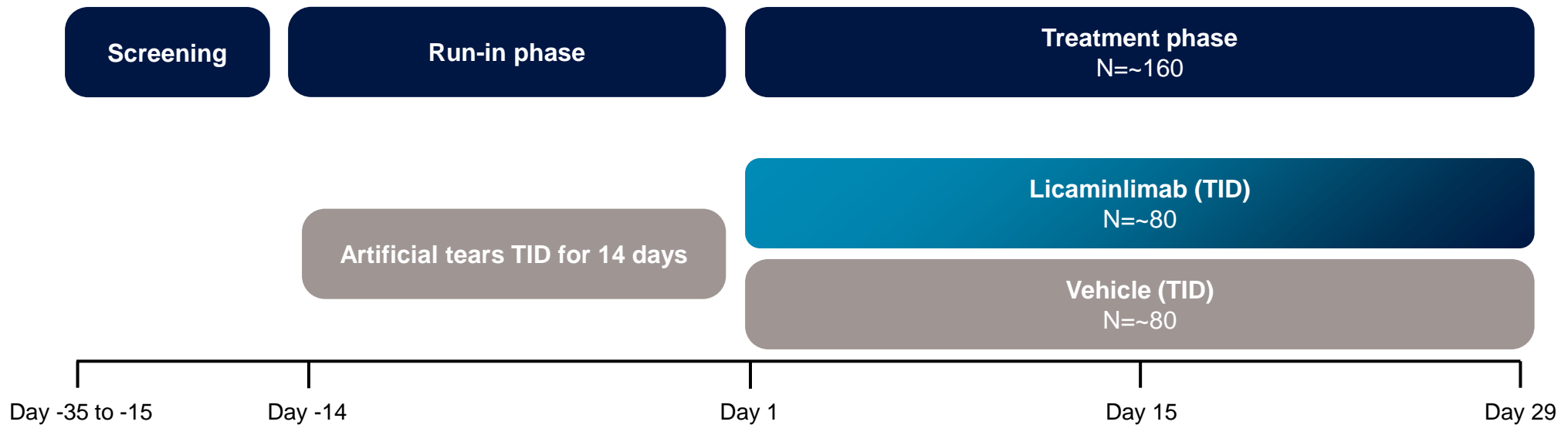
- Randomized, multicenter, double-masked, vehicle-controlled, 4-week study
- N= ~160 patients, 1:1 randomization

Key endpoints

- Primary endpoint: Global ocular discomfort score* at Day 29 in patients with TNFR1 genotype positive
- Key secondary endpoint: Global ocular discomfort score at Day 29 in all patients

Study Population

- TNFR1 genotype: ~2/3 positive
- Diagnosis of DED of at least 6 months
- Global ocular discomfort score of ≥ 50



Privosegtor – Neuroprotection

Phase 2 ACUITY expanded data analysis

Next steps in Acute Optic Neuritis

Neuroprotection beyond Acute Optic Neuritis

Privosegtor (OCS-05) Key Takeaways

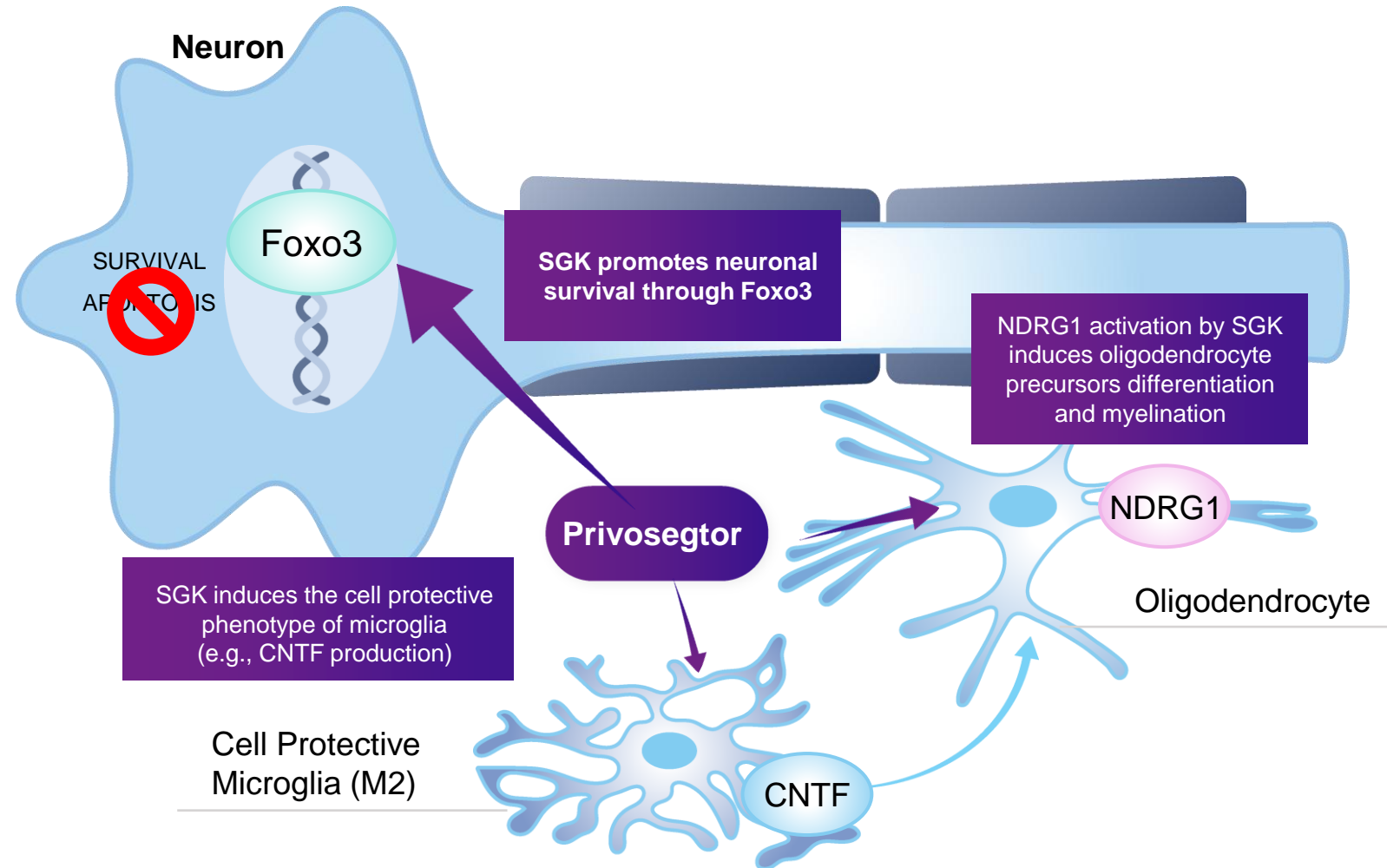
New class of drug potentially unlocking neuroprotection therapy era

- 01 Privosegtor is a small molecule peptoid that penetrates Blood Brain and Retinal Barrier
- 02 Pre-clinical data in various in vivo models validated preservation of neurons and axons
- 03 Acute optic neuritis was chosen as a predictive clinical neuroprotection model
- 04 Positive ACUITY Phase 2 data showed neuroprotection benefits anatomically and biologically with clinically meaningful visual function improvement
- 05 Advancing acute optic neuritis program while initiating new programs in NAION and MS relapses

Neuroprotection the New Frontier in Neuro-Ophthalmology and Beyond

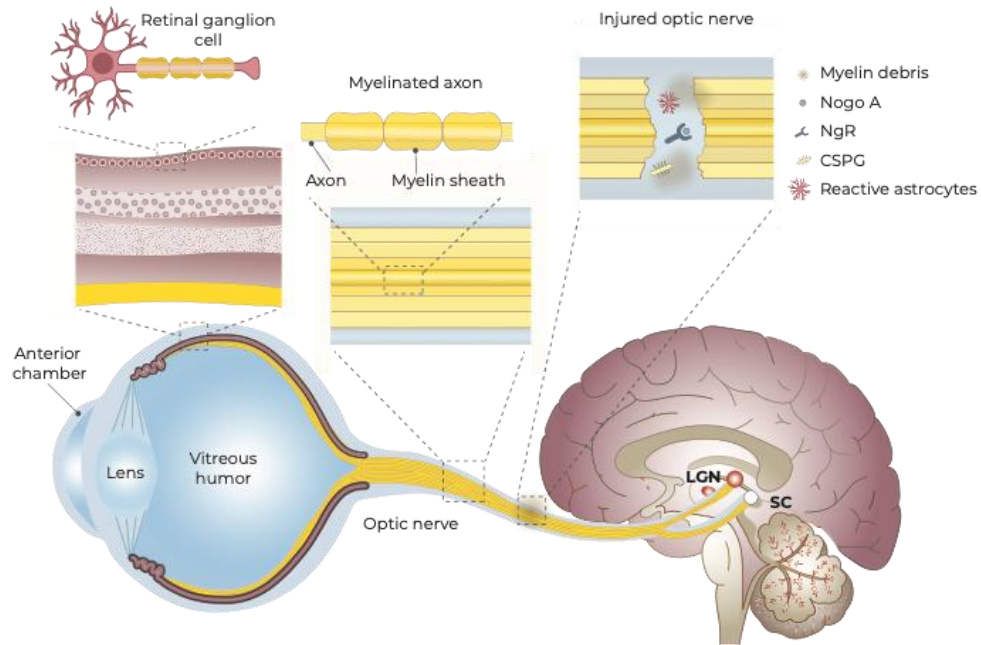
Privosegtor is a neuroprotective candidate activating neurotrophic signaling pathways supporting neuronal and axonal survival and preservation

- Privosegtor is a small molecule peptoid that penetrates Blood Brain and Retinal Barrier
- Selected by high-throughput screening (HTS) for neurotrophic and neuroprotective properties, confirmed in vivo in Glaucoma, MS, and acute optic neuritis models
- It activates SGK, thereby activating FOXO3 pathway, which is known to be related to the neuronal survival response. It triggers multiple beneficial effects on apoptosis, oxidation, and inflammation



Acute Optic Neuritis a Predictive Model for Neuroprotection

Shares a similar pathophysiology triggered by acute RGC/Axon injuries



Similar pathophysiological mechanisms across AON, MS relapses, and acute RGC & Axons insults

- MS relapses: regardless of their anatomical location, they share fundamental mechanisms of neuroinflammation, demyelination, and axonal injury¹
- RGC axon insults: other types of injury (e.g., axonal ischemia, elevated intraocular pressure) involve similar mechanisms

Privosegtor tested in Glaucoma, MS and acute optic neuritis in vivo models:

- All show the same benefits of preservation of RGC and axons

Acute Optic Neuritis

An acute inflammation of the optic nerve that can lead to permanent visual impairment

Orphan indication with
~ 65k patients a year (US/EU)¹

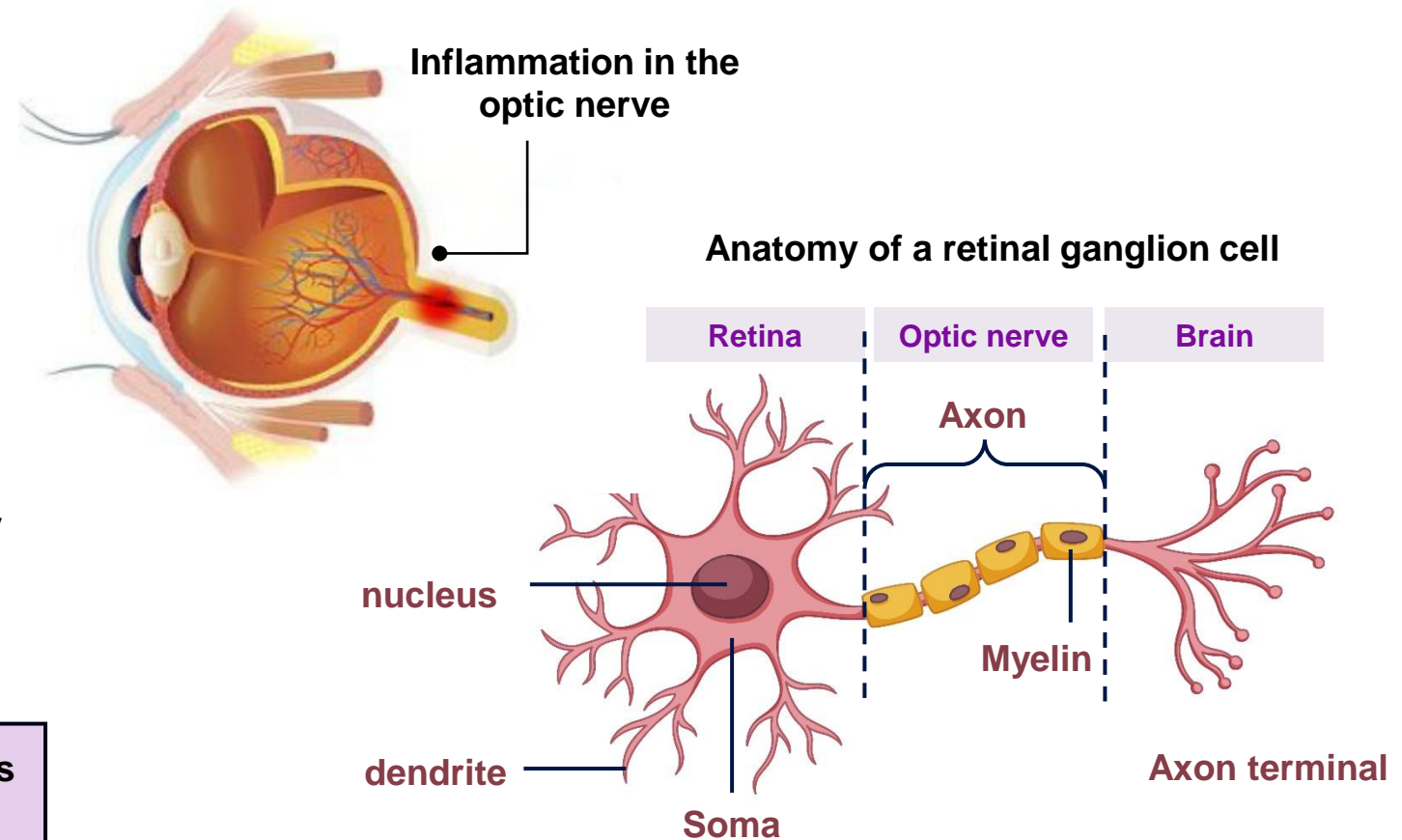
- Type of neuropathy causing **vision loss particularly affecting color and contrast**



- Inflammation** affects the signals through the **optic nerve**, which connects the eyes and the brain
- Fibers (RGC axons) in the optic nerve are protected by the **myelin sheath** which is damaged in optic neuritis
- Timely treatment may help prevent more severe long-term effects

Direct link with chronic conditions like **multiple sclerosis (MS)** and other autoimmune diseases

Acute inflammation of the optic nerve
impacting retinal ganglion cells



Acute Optic Neuritis: Orphan Indication With No Approved Neuroprotective Therapy

Current treatment landscape

Current Treatment

High-dose corticosteroids to resolve acute inflammation

Unmet Needs

✗ Neuroprotective treatment effect on retinal ganglion cells and optic nerve atrophy

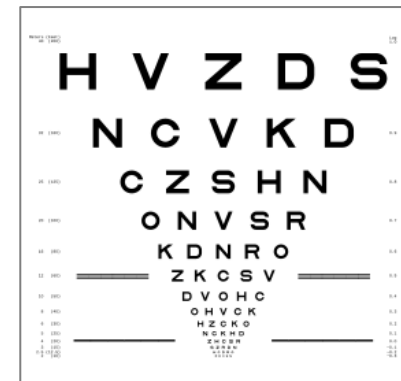
✗ Reduce degree of vision deficits / loss

Visual Sequelae

- Decreased contrast
- Decreased visual acuity
- Decreased visual fields
- Uththoff phenomenon



HCVA

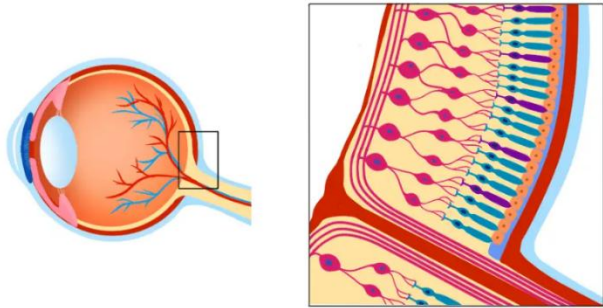


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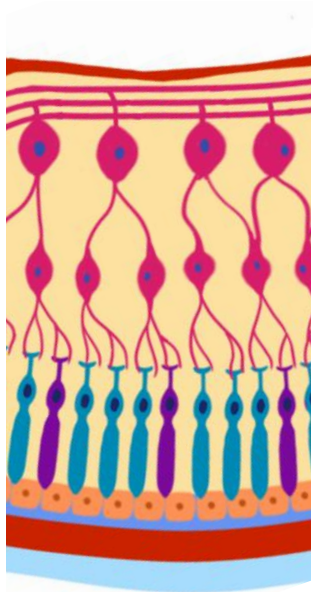
Acute Optic Neuritis: OCT Imaging Biomarker Predicts Outcome

Change in GCIPL thickness in the first month predicts visual impairment by month 6¹

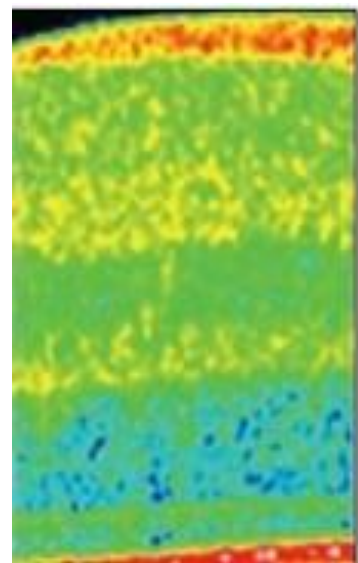


GCIPL and RNFL are measured using OCT imaging technique

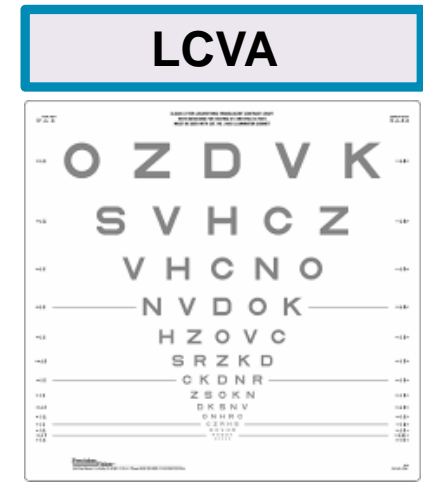
Decrease of $\geq 4.5 \mu\text{m}$ in GCIPL predicts poor LCVA and $\geq 7 \mu\text{m}$ predicts poor VF and CVA



→ Axons → RNFL →
 → Retinal Ganglion Cells (RGC) → GCL →
 IPL →



RNFL thickness
 GCIPL thickness



7 letters (1.5 lines) change in LCVA has clinical relevance²

OCT: optical coherence tomography, LCVA: low-contrast visual acuity, CVA: color vision, VF: visual fields; RNFL: retinal nerve fiber layer; GCIPL: ganglion cell (GCL) and inner plexiform (IPL) layers

1. Gabilondo et al. Ann Neurol. 2015 Mar;77(3):517-28.
 2. <https://pubmed.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/28206829/>

Phase 2 ACUIITY Trial in Acute Optic Neuritis

Proof-of-concept for neuroprotection

Study Design

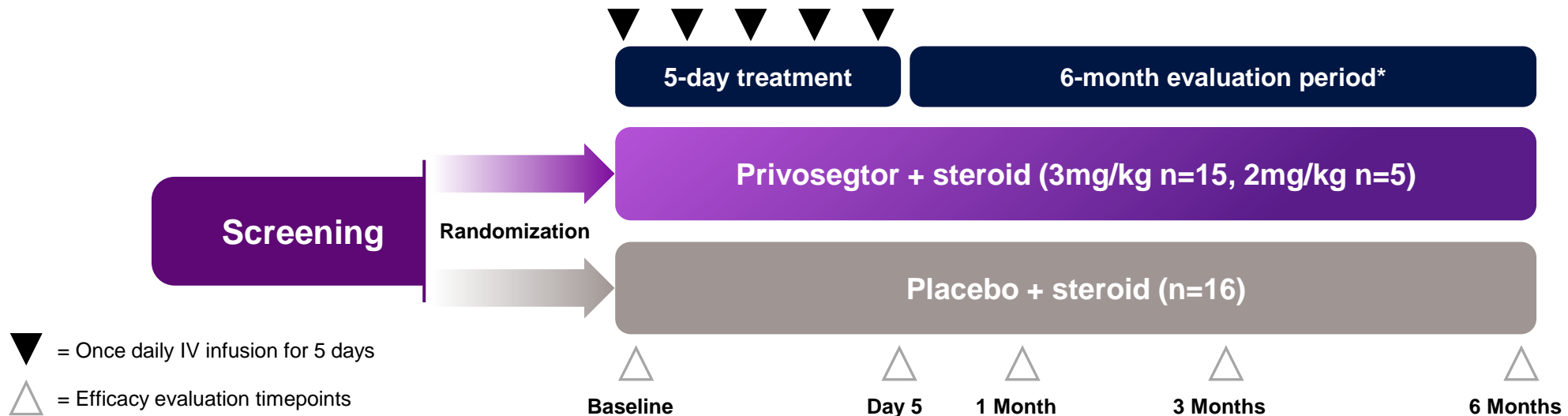
- Randomized, double-masked, placebo-controlled study
- Multi-center, 6-month trial with 36 patients randomized (mITT: 33)
- Once-daily IV infusion of OCS-05 + steroid vs. placebo + steroid for 5 consecutive days

Key endpoints

- Primary endpoint: Cardiac safety
- Secondary endpoints:
- Change in Ganglion Cell and Inner Plexiform Layer (GCIPL) thickness as assessed by OCT
 - Change in Retinal Nerve Fiber Layer (RNFL) thickness as assessed by OCT
 - Change in visual function (LCVA)

Study Population

- Patients diagnosed with a unilateral acute optic neuritis with a demyelinating origin
- Onset of visual loss symptoms in the last 12 days before randomization



mITT: Modified Intent to Treat

<https://clinicaltrials.gov/study/NCT04762017>

* D1 is when treatment starts and D180 is at Month 6

Patient Demographics and Baseline Characteristics

	Privosegtor + steroid 3 mg/kg/day (N = 15)	Placebo + steroid (N = 14)
Age, mean (SD), years	33.7 (9.8)	32.7 (10.3)
Female, n (%)	9 (60.0)	10 (71.4)
GCIPL thickness, mean (SD), μm	89.3 (8.3)	84.3 (13.8)
RNFL thickness, mean (SD), μm	104.6 (13.1)	115.5 (54.1)
HCVA, mean (SD), ETDRS	54.1 (34.5)	42.6 (34.5)
LCVA, mean (SD), ETDRS	19.4 (22.3)	17.8 (24.3)
Visual Field Mean Deviation, mean (SD), dB	-14.1 (11.9)	-14.5 (12.5)
Time since first visual loss symptoms at date of first dose, mean (SD), days	9.5 (2.7)	9.6 (2.5)
Multiple sclerosis at baseline, n (%)	10 (66.7)	9 (64.3)
Disease Modifying Therapies n (%)	10 (66.7)	9 (64.3)

Primary Endpoint of Cardiac Safety Showed No difference in % of Patients that had a change in ECG Outside of Normal

Percentage of subjects with shift from normal (baseline) to outside of normal value in any ECG parameters* from Visit 3 (after treatment) through Visit 4

Events observed in the Privosegtor arms were mild and transient and qualified as not clinically significant by the central review reading center

Primary Analysis

Subjects with any change in ECG outside of normal value at baseline excluded

	Privosegtor + steroid (2mg and 3mg/kg/day) (N = 16)	Placebo + steroid (N = 8)
Overall	2 (12.5%)	1 (12.5%)
Risk Difference (90% CI)	0.0% (-34.4%; 25.1%)	

Patients with any abnormal ECG at baseline were excluded from analysis

Sensitivity Analysis

All mITT subjects included

	Privosegtor + steroid (2mg and 3mg/kg/day) (N = 19)	Placebo + steroid (N = 14)
Overall	2 (10.5%)	4 (28.6%)
Risk Difference (90% CI)	-18.1% (-43.3%; 6.1%)	

Safety Summary

- **No AEs leading to drug withdrawal or study discontinuation**
- **No drug-related serious adverse events (SAEs)**
- **2 Unrelated SAEs:**
 - **Hospitalization due to MS relapse (Privosegtor (OCS-05 + steroid) and due to myelitis (placebo + steroid)**

Event, n (%)	Privosegtor + steroid			Placebo + steroid (N = 14)
	2 mg/kg/day (N = 4)	3 mg/kg/day (N = 15)	Pooled (N = 19)	
At least one TEAE <i>Related to study treatment</i>	4 (100.0%) 4 (100.0%)	12 (80.0%) 6 (40.0%)	16 (84.2%) 10 (52.6%)	14 (100.0%) 6 (42.9%)
At least one grade ≥2 TEAE <i>Related to study drug</i>	2 (50.0%) 0	9 (60.0%) 2 (13.3%)	11 (57.9%) 2 (10.5%)	6 (42.9%) 0
At least one serious TEAE <i>Related to study drug</i>	0 0	1 (6.7%) 0	1 (5.3%) 0	1 (7.1%) 0
At least one SAE leading to death	0	0	0	0
At least one TEAE leading to a dose reduction	0	0	0	0
At least one TEAE leading to a dose interruption	0	0	0	0
At least one TEAE leading to a drug withdrawn	0	0	0	0
At least one TEAE leading to premature discontinuation of the study	0	0	0	0

Relapses or Worsening of CNS Inflammatory Disorders

Adverse events related to new relapses or worsening of CNS inflammatory disorders

Event, n (%)	Privosegtor + steroid			Placebo + steroid 1g per day (N = 14)
	2 mg/kg/day (N = 4)	3 mg/kg/day (N = 15)	Pooled (N = 19)	
At least one new relapse of CNS inflammatory disorder	0	2 (13.3%)	2 (10.5%)	4 (28.6%)
At least one event related to worsening of CNS inflammatory disorder	0	0	0	2 (14.3%)
Overall	0	2 (13.3%)	2 (10.5%)	5 (35.7%)*

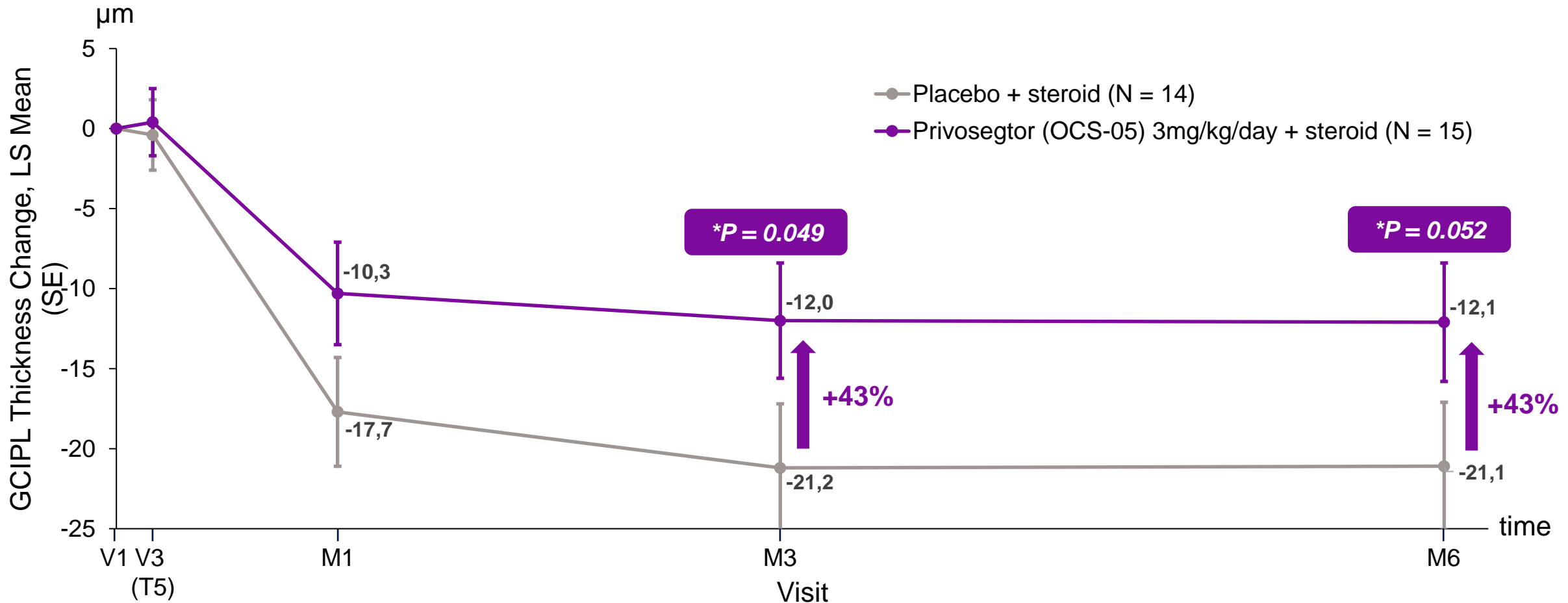
*One “placebo + steroid” patient had 1 TEAE related to new relapse and worsening

- Lower incidence of AEs related to new relapses or worsening of CNS inflammatory disorders : 10.5% in the Privosegtor (2 or 3 mg/kg/day) + steroid, and 35.7%* in the placebo + steroid treatment groups.
- In patients with MS at baseline: 9% (1/11)** in the Privosegtor (2 or 3 mg/kg/day) + steroid, and 44% (4/9)** in the placebo + steroid treatment groups.

** All patients had MS except 1 OCS-05+ steroid patient with idiopathic optic neuritis and 1 Placebo+ steroid patient with seronegative neuromyelitis optica spectrum disorder

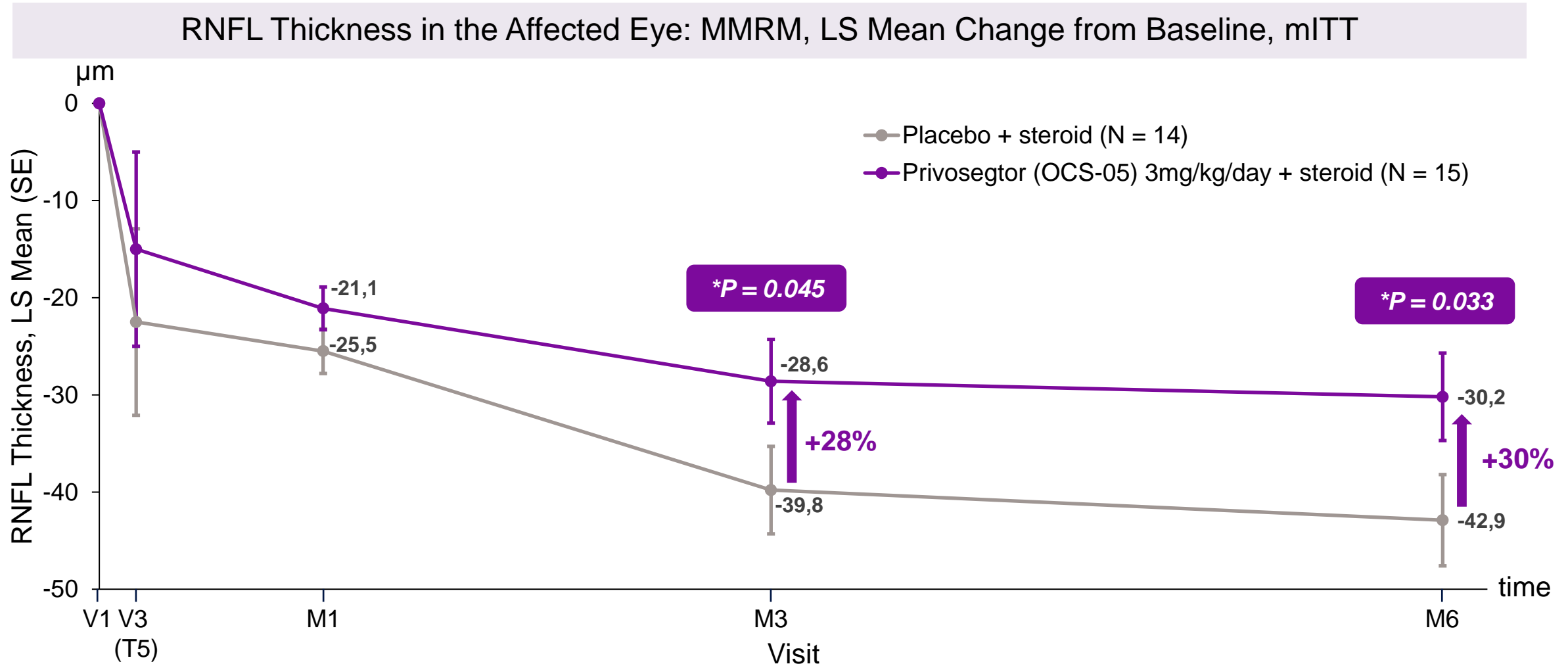
Patients in the Privosegtor 3mg/kg/day Arm Achieved Less GCIPL Thickness Decrease

GCIPL Thickness in the Affected Eye: MMRM, LS Mean Change From Baseline, mITT



*Mixed Model for Repeated Measures (MMRM); Least-Squares Mean Change from Baseline: (1-sided directional nominal p-value), mITT population (affected eye)
 GCIPL; ganglion cell plus inner plexiform layer.
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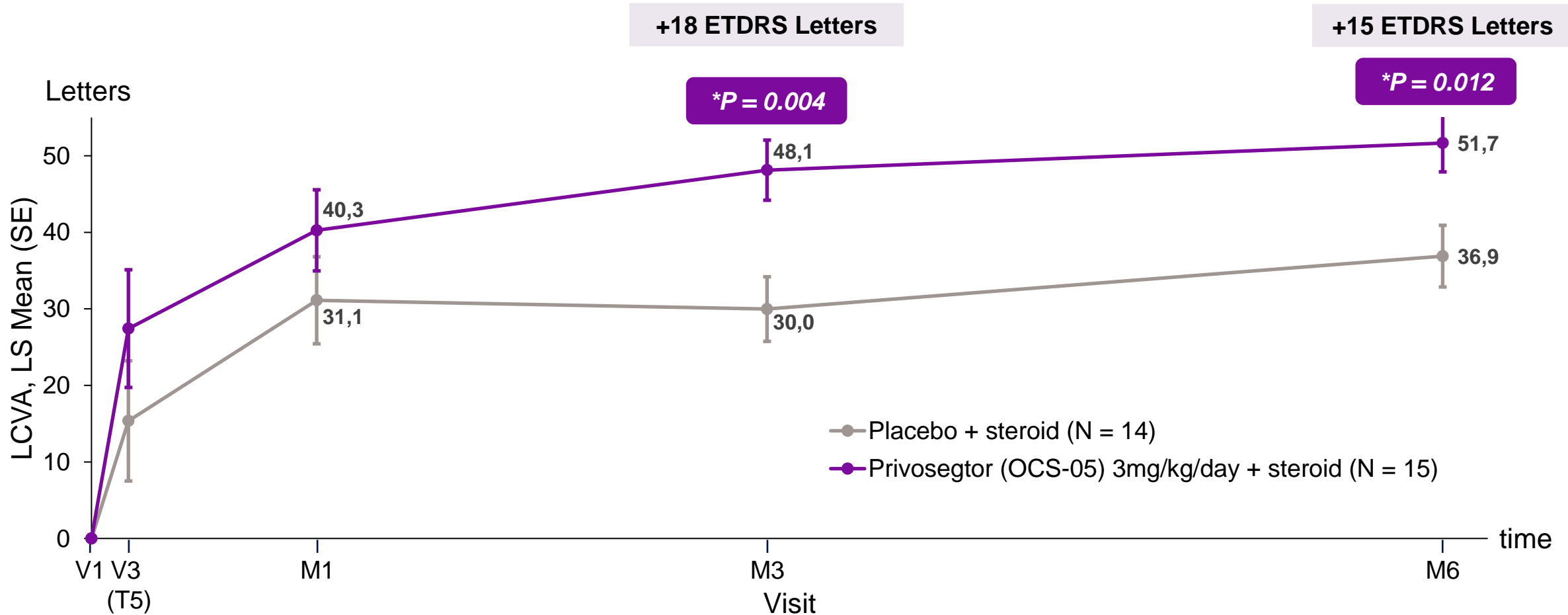
Patients in the Privosegtor 3mg/kg/day Arm Achieved Less RNFL Thickness Decrease



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 RNFL; retinal nerve fiber layer.
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Patients in the Privosegtor 3mg/kg/day Arm Achieved Clinically Meaningful Improvement in Visual Function

2.5% ETDRS LCVA in the Affected Eye: MMRM, LS Mean Change From Baseline, mITT



+18 ETDRS Letters

+15 ETDRS Letters

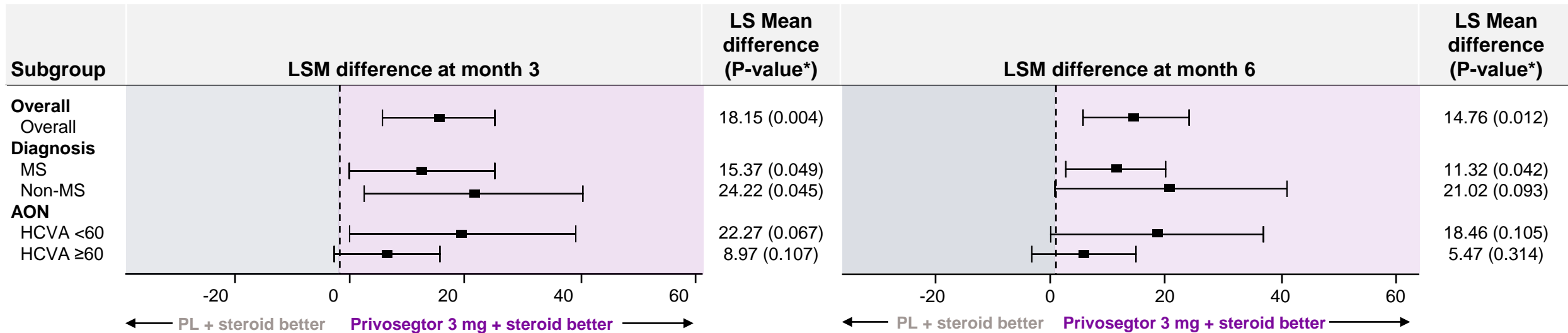
*P = 0.004

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 LCVA; low contrast visual acuity.
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Privosegtor Arm Showed a Robust LCVA Improvement Across all Subgroups and Maintained through Month 6

LCVA letters subgroup analyses of Privosegtor 3mg + steroid vs placebo + steroid

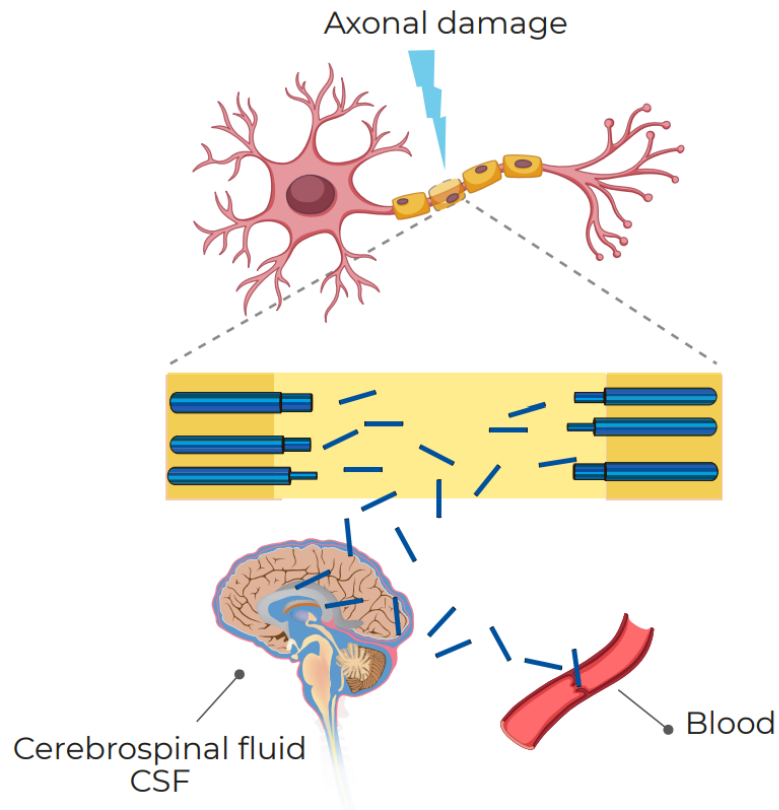


*2-sided nominal p-value based on LSM difference.

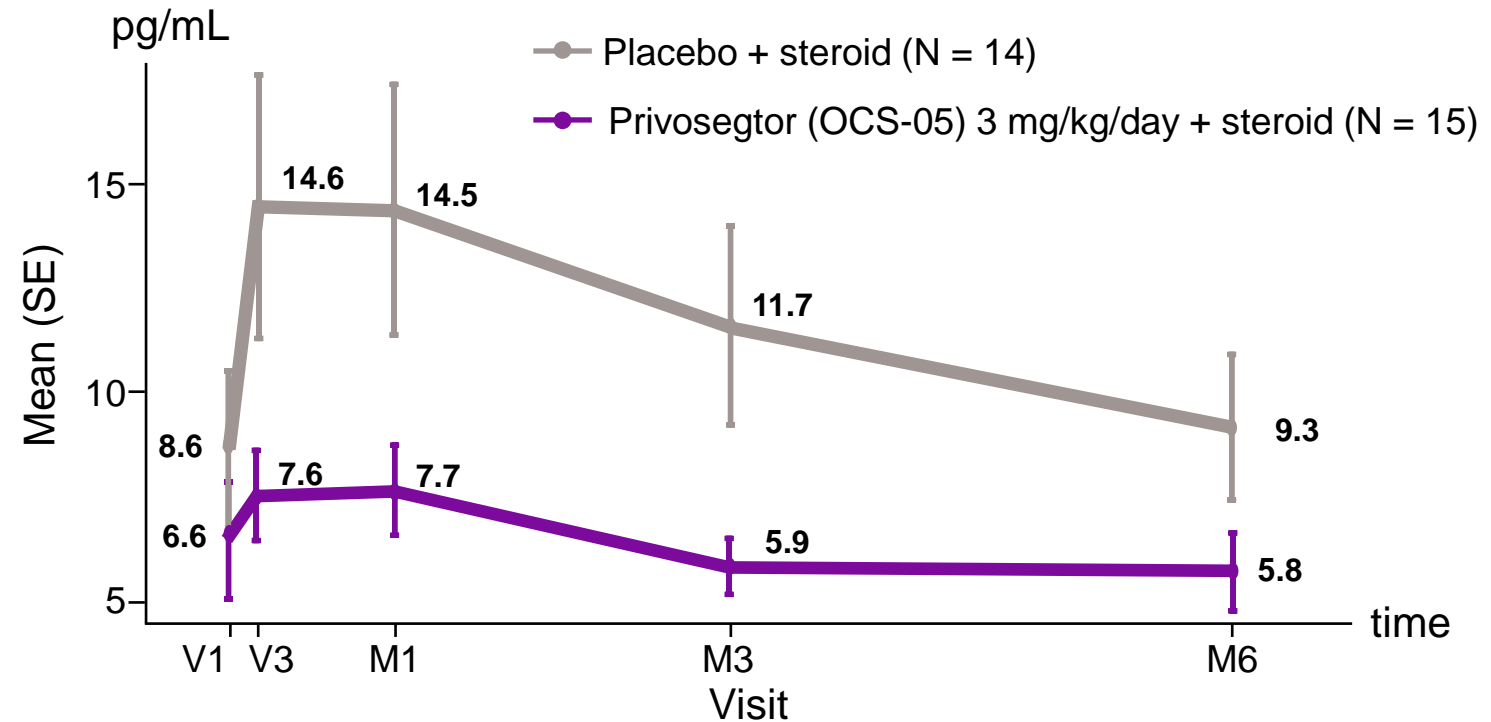
AON, acute optic neuritis; HCVA, high-contrast visual activity; LCVA, low-contrast visual acuity; LSM, least square mean; MS, multiple sclerosis; PL, placebo

Patients in the Privosegtor Arm Achieved Lower Neurofilament Release, a Biological Sign of Less Neuronal and Axonal Death

Neurofilaments are released into the CSF and blood as a result of axonal injury or neuronal death²



Mean Neurofilaments Over Time, mITT



CSF: cerebrospinal fluid

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ACUITY Phase 2 Topline Results Summary

Privosegtor (OCS-05) achieved primary safety endpoint and key secondary endpoints showing functional vision improvement and neuroprotective anatomical & biological benefits

1 Vision: Improvement in LCVA with 18 letters difference at month 3

2 Anatomy: GCIPL and RNFL with less thickness decrease preserving axons and RGC

3 Biology: Achieved lower neurofilament release in the blood showing less neuronal and axonal death

Safety:

- No difference in % of patients shifted post-baseline electrocardiogram (ECG)
- No drug-related serious adverse events (SAEs) or AEs leading to drug withdrawal or study discontinuation
- Lower incidence of AEs related to new relapses or worsening of CNS inflammatory disorders

AE: Adverse Events, RGC: Retinal ganglion cells, CNS: Central Nervous System * Oculis is focused on fully reviewing clinical safety as this is a new molecular entity with a very limited number of patients exposed. Oculis will continue to work with the FDA to monitor safety, the typical number of patients requested by the FDA to be exposed before NDA is approx 300

Data, analysis and conclusions are preliminary, and subject to change as full analysis is ongoing. Statistical significance achieved based on prespecified statistical analysis plan.

Acute Optic Neuritis – Next Steps

FDA interaction planned in Q3 2025 following successful Phase 2 ACUITY trial

1. Meet with FDA to review ACUITY results and discuss full development program to support Acute Optic Neuritis registrational plan

The current plan for a registrational trials:

Primary endpoint: LCVA at 3 months

Similar regimen and trial design to ACUITY

Study duration 12 months

2. Start global registrational study in 1H 2026, pending FDA feedback

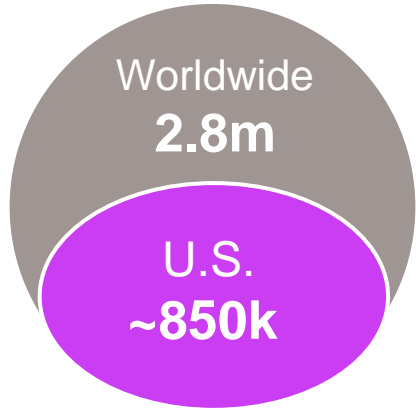
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Addressing unmet needs in MS:
Neuroprotection for MS patients

Multiple Sclerosis

Most common CNS condition affecting young adults

High prevalence of multiple sclerosis worldwide¹⁻³

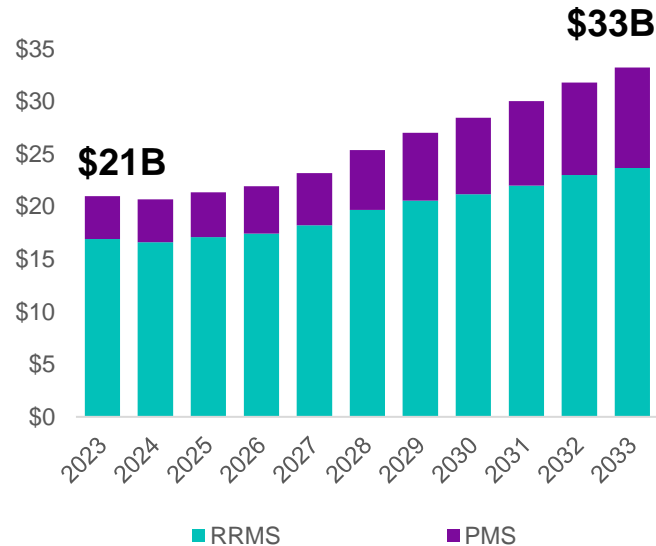


Characterized by relapses or attacks on the central nervous system (CNS), leading to inflammation, demyelination, and neurodegeneration

Main phenotypes:
Relapsing-Remitting and Progressive Multiple Sclerosis (RRMS or PMS)

Large and growing market driven by immuno-modulators

Multiple Sclerosis Market Size in G7 countries in billions (US, EU5 and JP)⁴



Existing therapies only slow disease progression while relapses continue to cause disability



Affects function in cognitive, emotional, motor, sensory, or visual areas

Driven by a person's immune system attacking their brain, spinal cord and optic nerves

1. MS National Society, used for WW prevalence of 2.8m, and combined with references 2 and 3 to calculate an avg prevalence in US [Prevalence of Multiple Sclerosis | National MS Society](#)
2. Wallin et al., 2019, [The prevalence of MS in the United States: A population-based estimate using health claims data - PubMed](#)
3. McGinley et al., 2021, [Diagnosis and Treatment of Multiple Sclerosis: A Review - PubMed](#)
4. Ms Disease Landscape and Forecast Report 2024

Relapsing-Remitting Multiple Sclerosis (RRMS)

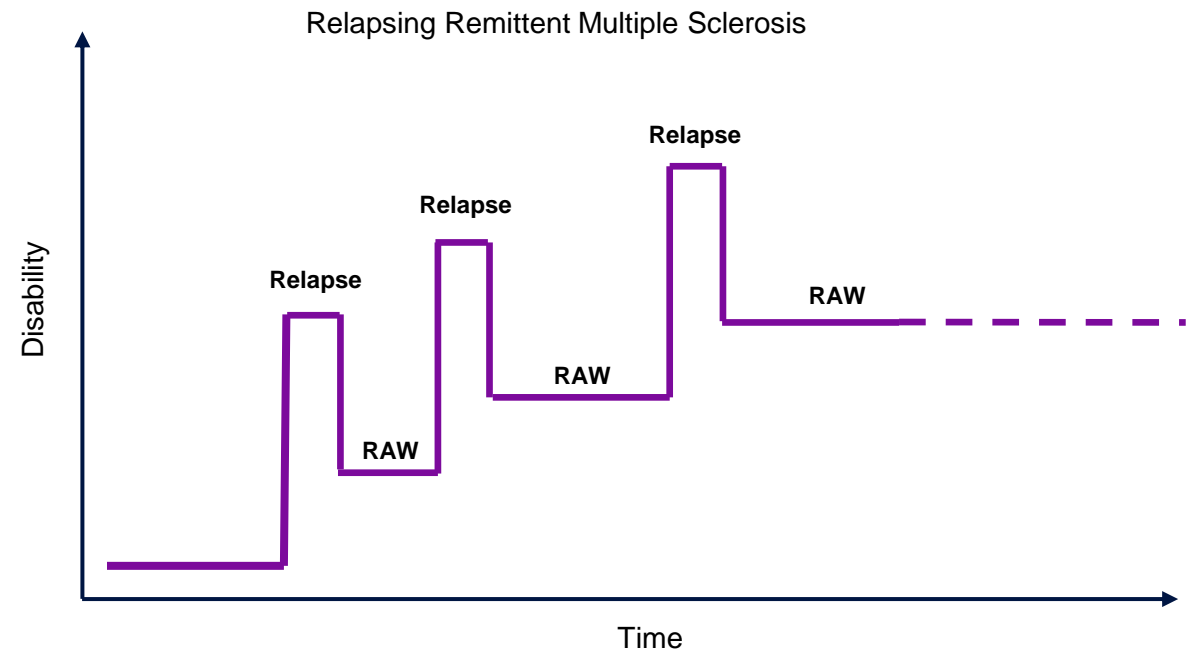
Characterized by acute attacks (relapses) that may cause permanent disability

Estimated number of relapses in U.S. per year
~170K*

CNS damage due to relapses increases
the risk of future disability and progression⁴

- RRMS represents ~85% of patients at initial diagnosis¹
- Symptoms include loss of vision², severe weakness or poor balance interfering with mobility, safety or overall ability to function³
- Current SoC is steroid IV with incomplete recovery leading to neurodegeneration and can cause permanent disability³

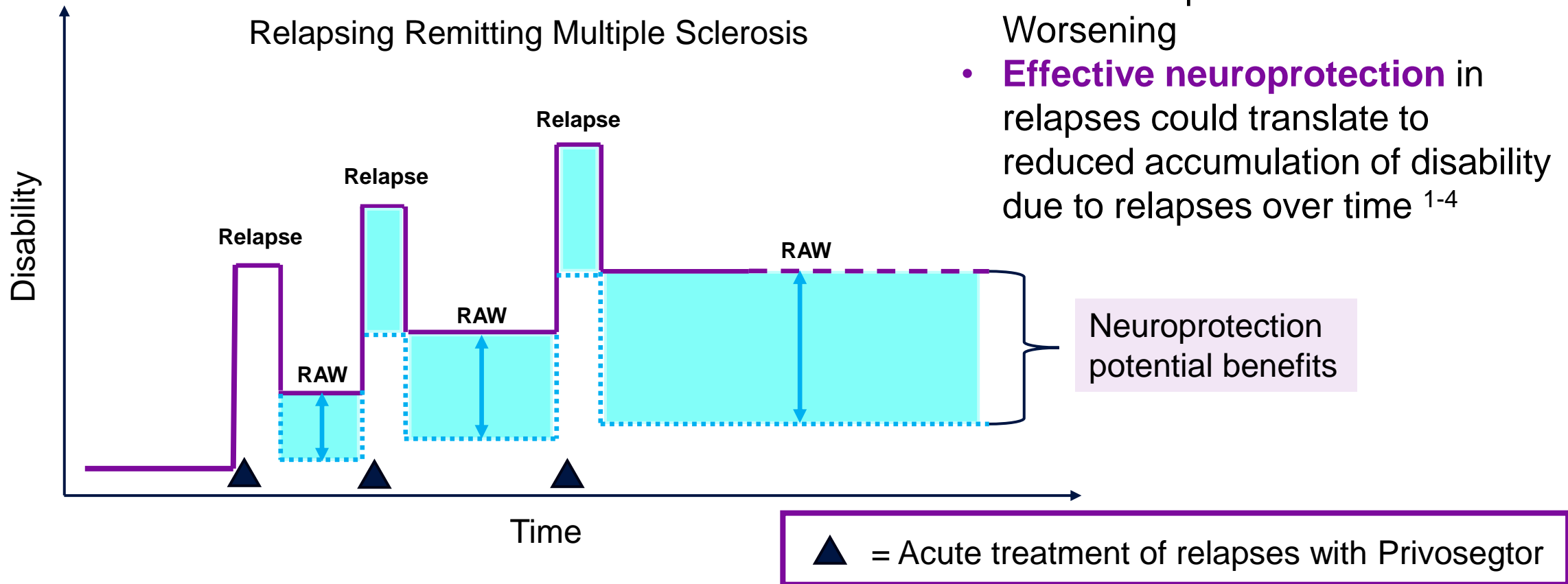
RAW: Relapse-Associated Worsening



1. [Relapsing-remitting MS | Symptoms, diagnosis, and treatment | Multiple Sclerosis News Today](#)
2. MS international Foundation <https://www.msif.org/about-ms/symptoms-of-ms/vision-issues/>
3. [Mobility and Gait Issues With MS](#)
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* US estimated prevalence of relapsing MS: 850K, with annual relapse rate (ARR) estimate of 0.2 based on multiple sources including: [Ocrelizumab versus fingolimod after natalizumab cessation in multiple sclerosis: an observational study - PubMed](#)

Privosegtor Neuroprotective Effect Observed in Acute Optic Neuritis Could Be Translated into a Reduction of Relapse Associated Worsening



1. Susin-Calle S, Martinez-Rodriguez JE, Munteis E, Villoslada P. Ongoing phase 2 agents for multiple sclerosis: could we break the phase 3 trial deadlock? Expert Opin Investig Drugs 2025;34:217-229.
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4. Zanghi A, Galgani S, Bellantonio P, et al. Relapse-associated worsening in a real-life multiple sclerosis cohort: the role of age and pyramidal phenotype. Eur J Neurol 2023;30:2736-2744

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Addressing unmet needs in NAION:
Neuroprotection for patients to improve visual outcomes

Another Acute Optic Nerve Disorder Non-arteritic Anterior Ischemic Optic Neuropathy

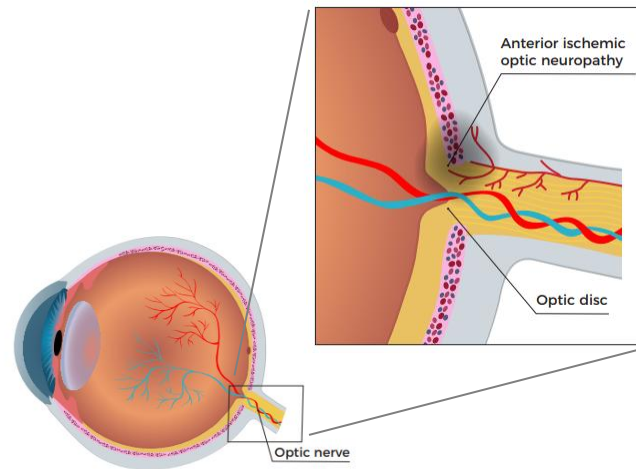
No treatment approved, with severe vision loss in > 60% patients

Orphan indication with US incidence of ~ 20k-30k¹



- Optic neuropathy mainly affecting patients > 50 years old²
- Affects both sexes equally²
- Risk factors includes small cup-to-disk ratio, diabetes, hypertension, sleep apnea and use of certain medications²

RGC, axons and optic nerve atrophy caused by hypoperfusion³



- Decreased blood flow to the front part of the optic nerve (optic disc)⁴
- Causing optic nerve swelling⁴
- Painless rapid monocular vision loss, including visual field defect¹

Permanent vision loss in many patients

>60%

of patients have significant visual impairment in the affected eye⁵

- No approved treatment for NAION¹
- Significant unmet need for neuroprotective treatments to improve visual outcomes⁶

NAION: Orphan Indication With No Approved Therapy

No medical or surgical treatment shown to improve prognosis of acute NAION other than risk factor modification¹

Current Treatments

There is no effective treatment for treating the disease or preventing it

Unmet Needs

- ✗ Neuroprotective treatment effect on retinal ganglion cells, axons and optic nerve atrophy
- ✗ Reduce degree of vision deficits / loss

As showed in the ACUITY trial, Privosector (OCS-05) could have neuroprotective benefits in protecting RGC and axons to preserve vision

Privosegtor: Opening a New Era in Neuroprotection with Acute treatments for AON, Relapses of MS and NAION

Next steps to advance efficient development and reduce risk

1. Meet with FDA in 2H 2025 and Advance AON into registrational trials in 1H 2026

2. Expand into NAION and MS Relapse with Pre-IND interactions with FDA to support applications relying on existing Privosegtor data 2H 2025

Conclusion

Oculis Pipeline Development Strategic Evolution

Advance

OCS-01 could be the first ever topical treatment in DME, if approved

Licaminlimab precision medicine in DED

Privosegtor neuroprotection in Acute Optic Neuritis

Estimated G7 Market Size
~\$10B^{1,2}



Expand

OCS-05 in neuro-ophthalmology and beyond

- NAION
- MS relapses

+\$15B³

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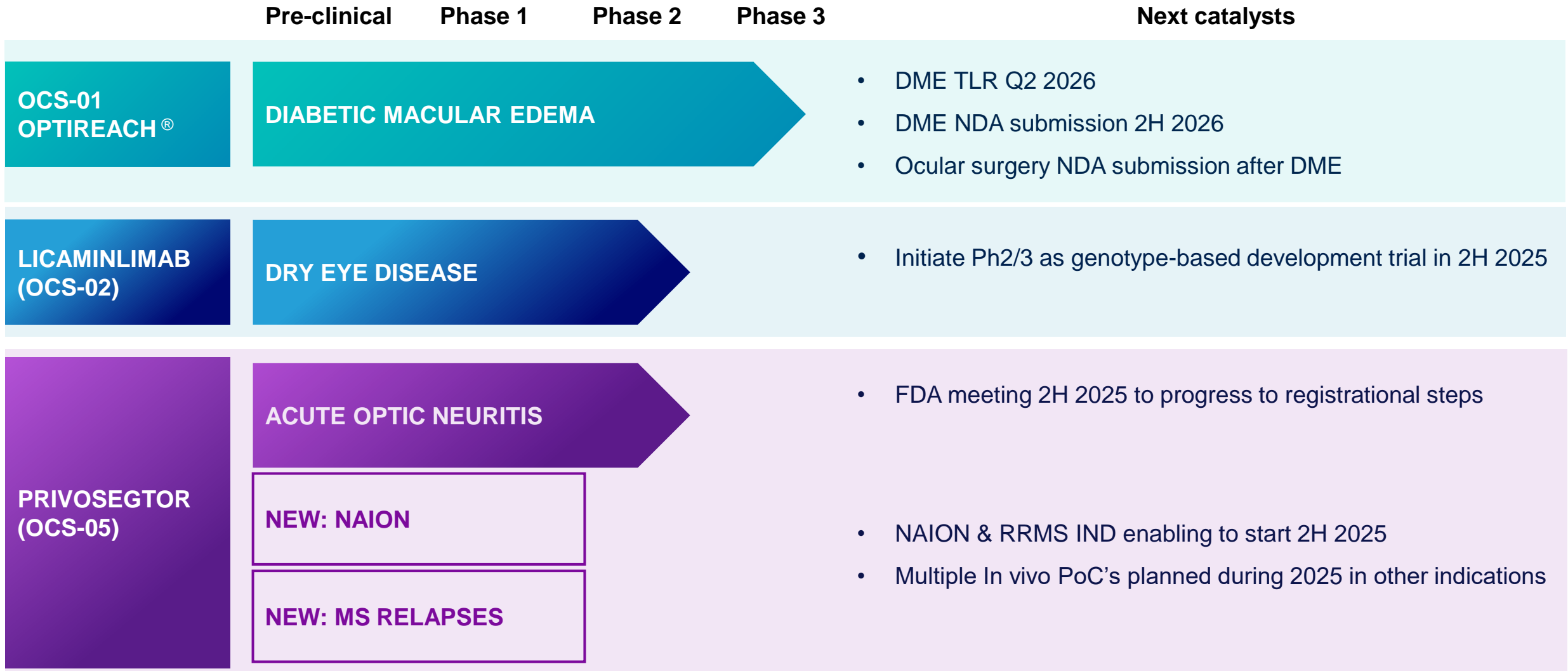
Potential for OCS-05 in multiple additional neuro-ophthalmology and neurology conditions

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