

An Investigational Drug Study in Patients With Type 2 Diabetes Mellitus (MK0431-023)

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Purpose

The purpose of this study is to determine the safety and effectiveness of an investigational drug in patients with Type 2 Diabetes Mellitus.

Condition	Intervention	Phase
Diabetes Mellitus, Type 2	Drug: Comparator: sitagliptin 100 mg Drug: Comparator: sitagliptin 200 mg Drug: Comparator: placebo Drug: Comparator: pioglitazone	Phase 3

Study Type: Interventional
Study Design: Allocation: Randomized
Endpoint Classification: Safety/Efficacy Study
Intervention Model: Parallel Assignment
Masking: Double Blind (Subject, Investigator)
Primary Purpose: Treatment

Official Title: A Multicenter, Randomized, Double-Blind Study of MK0431 in Patients With Type 2 Diabetes Mellitus Who Have Inadequate Glycemic Control

Resource links provided by NLM:

[MedlinePlus](#) related topics: [Diabetes Type 2](#)

[Drug Information](#) available for: [Pioglitazone](#) [Pioglitazone hydrochloride](#) [Sitagliptin](#) [Sitagliptin phosphate](#)

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Further study details as provided by Merck Sharp & Dohme Corp.:

Primary Outcome Measures:

- Change From Baseline in A1C at Week 18 [Time Frame: Weeks 0-18] [Designated as safety issue: No]
Hemoglobin A1C (A1C) is measured as percent. Thus this change from baseline reflects the Week 18 A1C percent minus the Week 0 A1C percent.

Secondary Outcome Measures:

- Change From Baseline in FPG at Week 18 [Time Frame: Weeks 0-18] [Designated as safety issue: No]
The change from baseline reflects the Week 18 Fasting Plasma Glucose (FPG) minus the Week 0 FPG.
- Change From Baseline in A1C at Week 54 [Time Frame: Weeks 0-54] [Designated as safety issue: No]
A1C is measured as percent. Thus this change from baseline reflects the Week 54 A1C percent minus the Week 0 A1C percent.
- Change From Baseline in FPG at Week 54 [Time Frame: Weeks 0-54] [Designated as safety issue: No]
The change from baseline reflects the Week 54 FPG minus the Week 0 FPG.

Enrollment: 521
Study Start Date: October 2004
Study Completion Date: April 2006
Primary Completion Date: August 2005 (Final data collection date for primary outcome measure)

Arms	Assigned Interventions
Experimental: Sitagliptin 100 mg Sitagliptin 100 mg	Drug: Comparator: sitagliptin 100 mg sitagliptin 100 mg oral tablet once daily for 54 weeks
Experimental: Sitagliptin 200 mg Sitagliptin 200 mg	Drug: Comparator: sitagliptin 200 mg sitagliptin 200 mg (2- 100 mg oral tablets) once daily for 54 weeks
Placebo Comparator: Placebo/Pioglitazone Placebo/Pioglitazone	Drug: Comparator: placebo placebo oral tablet once daily during Phase A (Weeks 0-18) Drug: Comparator: pioglitazone pioglitazone 30 mg oral tablet once daily during Phase B (Weeks 18-54)

Eligibility

Ages Eligible for Study: 18 Years to 75 Years
Genders Eligible for Study: Both
Accepts Healthy Volunteers: No

Criteria

- Inclusion Criteria:
- Patients at least 18 years of age and not older than 75 who have a specific type of diabetes called Type 2 Diabetes Mellitus
- Exclusion Criteria:
- Younger than 18 years of age or older than 75
 - Any condition, which in the opinion of the investigator, may not be in the patient's best interest to participate

Contacts and Locations

Choosing to participate in a study is an important personal decision. Talk with your doctor and family members or friends about deciding to join a study. To learn more about this study, you or your doctor may contact the study research staff using the Contacts provided below. For general information, see [Learn About Clinical Studies](#).

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Sponsors and Collaborators

Merck Sharp & Dohme Corp.

Investigators

Study Director: Medical Monitor Merck Sharp & Dohme Corp.

More Information

Additional Information:

MedWatch - FDA maintained medical product safety Information [EXIT](#)

Merck: Patient & Caregiver U.S. Product Web Site [EXIT](#)

Publications:

[Raz I, Hanefeld M, Xu L, Caria C, Williams-Herman D, Khatami H; Sitagliptin Study 023 Group. Efficacy and safety of the dipeptidyl peptidase-4 inhibitor sitagliptin as monotherapy in patients with type 2 diabetes mellitus. Diabetologia. 2006 Nov;49\(11\):2564-71. Epub 2006 Sep 26.](#)

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Additional relevant MeSH terms:

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| Diabetes Mellitus | Hormones |
| Diabetes Mellitus, Type 2 | Hormones, Hormone Substitutes, and Hormone Antagonists |
| Endocrine System Diseases | Hypoglycemic Agents |
| Glucose Metabolism Disorders | Incretins |
| Metabolic Diseases | Molecular Mechanisms of Pharmacological Action |
| Pioglitazone | Pharmacologic Actions |
| Sitagliptin | Physiological Effects of Drugs |
| Dipeptidyl-Peptidase IV Inhibitors | Protease Inhibitors |
| Enzyme Inhibitors | |

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Results First Received: June 22, 2010

Study Type:	Interventional
Study Design:	Allocation: Randomized; Endpoint Classification: Safety/Efficacy Study; Intervention Model: Parallel Assignment; Masking: Double Blind (Subject, Investigator); Primary Purpose: Treatment
Condition:	Diabetes Mellitus, Type 2
Interventions:	Drug: Comparator: sitagliptin 100 mg Drug: Comparator: sitagliptin 200 mg Drug: Comparator: placebo Drug: Comparator: pioglitazone

Participant Flow

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Recruitment Details

Key information relevant to the recruitment process for the overall study, such as dates of the recruitment period and locations

First Patient In: 15-Oct-2004. Last Patient Last Visit: 28-Apr-2006. 60 medical clinics in the United States (US), 37 in 4 countries in Europe, and 17 in 5 countries in the rest of the world.

Pre-Assignment Details

Significant events and approaches for the overall study following participant enrollment, but prior to group assignment

Patients 18-75 years of age with type 2 diabetes mellitus (T2DM) with inadequate glycemic control (Hemoglobin A1C ≥7% and ≤10.0%) on diet and exercise alone were eligible to enter the study.

Reporting Groups

	Description
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Participant Flow: Overall Study

	Sitagliptin 100 mg	Sitagliptin 200 mg	Placebo/Pioglitazone
STARTED	205	206	110
COMPLETED	152	144	80
NOT COMPLETED	53	62	30
Adverse Event	11	9	6
Lack of Efficacy	11	15	8
Lost to Follow-up	3	5	6
Patient Moved	2	1	1
Protocol Violation	8	5	3
Withdrawal by Subject	14	21	5
Unspecified	3	3	1
Protocol specified discontinuation	1	3	0

▶ Baseline Characteristics

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Population Description

Explanation of how the number of participants for analysis was determined. Includes whether analysis was per protocol, intention to treat, or another method. Also provides relevant details such as imputation technique, as appropriate.
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Total	Total of all reporting groups

Baseline Measures

	Sitagliptin 100 mg	Sitagliptin 200 mg	Placebo/Pioglitazone	Total
Number of Participants [units: participants]	205	206	110	521
Age [units: years] Mean (Standard Deviation)	54.5 (10.0)	55.4 (9.2)	55.5 (10.1)	55.1 (9.7)
Gender [units: participants]				
Female	95	102	41	238
Male	110	104	69	283
Race/Ethnicity, Customized [units: participants]				
White	142	146	68	356
Black	16	11	12	39
Hispanic	37	39	22	98
Asian	8	7	5	20
Other	2	3	3	8
Hemoglobin A1C (A1C) [units: Percent] Mean (Standard Deviation)	8.0 (0.8)	8.1 (0.9)	8.0 (0.9)	8.1 (0.9)

Outcome Measures

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1. Primary: Change From Baseline in A1C at Week 18 [Time Frame: Weeks 0-18]

Measure Type	Primary
Measure Title	Change From Baseline in A1C at Week 18
Measure Description	Hemoglobin A1C (A1C) is measured as percent. Thus this change from baseline reflects the Week 18 A1C percent minus the Week 0 A1C percent.
Time Frame	Weeks 0-18
Safety Issue	No

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All Patients Treated included those with ≥1 dose of study therapy, had a baseline and ≥1 post-baseline value. For those with no data at Week 18, last post-baseline observation was carried forward. Data after initiation of glycemic rescue were considered missing. Analysis adjusted for baseline values and prior antihyperglycemic therapy status.

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Measured Values

	Sitagliptin 100 mg	Sitagliptin 200 mg	Placebo/Pioglitazone
Number of Participants Analyzed [units: participants]	193	199	103
Change From Baseline in A1C at Week 18 [units: percent] Least Squares Mean (95% Confidence Interval)	-0.48 (-0.61 to -0.35)	-0.36 (-0.48 to -0.23)	0.12 (-0.05 to 0.30)

Statistical Analysis 1 for Change From Baseline in A1C at Week 18

Groups [1]	Sitagliptin 100 mg vs. Placebo/Pioglitazone
Method [2]	ANCOVA
P Value [3]	<0.001
Mean Difference (Net) [4]	-0.60
Standard Deviation	(0.90)
95% Confidence Interval	-0.82 to -0.39

[1]	Additional details about the analysis, such as null hypothesis and power calculation:
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[2]	Other relevant method information, such as adjustments or degrees of freedom:
	No text entered.
[3]	Additional information, such as whether or not the p-value is adjusted for multiple comparisons and the a priori threshold for statistical significance:
	Model terms: treatment, baseline, prior anti-hyperglycemic therapy status (on vs. not on prior therapy)
[4]	Other relevant estimation information:
	No text entered.

Statistical Analysis 2 for Change From Baseline in A1C at Week 18

Groups [1]	Sitagliptin 200 mg vs. Placebo/Pioglitazone
Method [2]	ANCOVA
P Value [3]	<0.001
Mean Difference (Net) [4]	-0.48
Standard Deviation	(0.90)
95% Confidence Interval	-0.70 to -0.26

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[2]	Other relevant method information, such as adjustments or degrees of freedom:
	Model terms: treatment, baseline, prior anti-hyperglycemic therapy status (on vs. not on prior therapy)
[3]	Additional information, such as whether or not the p-value is adjusted for multiple comparisons and the a priori threshold for statistical significance:
	No text entered.
[4]	Other relevant estimation information:
	No text entered.

2. Secondary: Change From Baseline in FPG at Week 18 [Time Frame: Weeks 0-18]

Measure Type	Secondary
Measure Title	Change From Baseline in FPG at Week 18
Measure Description	The change from baseline reflects the Week 18 Fasting Plasma Glucose (FPG) minus the Week 0 FPG.
Time Frame	Weeks 0-18
Safety Issue	No

Population Description

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Measured Values

	Sitagliptin 100 mg	Sitagliptin 200 mg	Placebo/Pioglitazone
Number of Participants Analyzed [units: participants]	201	202	107
Change From Baseline in FPG at Week 18 [units: mg/dL] Least Squares Mean (95% Confidence Interval)	-12.7 (-19.1 to -6.3)	-9.9 (-16.2 to -3.5)	7.0 (-1.8 to 15.8)

Statistical Analysis 1 for Change From Baseline in FPG at Week 18

Groups ^[1]	Sitagliptin 100 mg vs. Placebo/Pioglitazone
Method ^[2]	ANCOVA
P Value ^[3]	<0.001
Mean Difference (Net) ^[4]	-19.7
Standard Deviation	(45.9)
95% Confidence Interval	-30.5 to -8.9

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Statistical Analysis 2 for Change From Baseline in FPG at Week 18

Groups ^[1]	Sitagliptin 200 mg vs. Placebo/Pioglitazone
Method ^[2]	ANCOVA
P Value ^[3]	<0.002
Mean Difference (Net) ^[4]	-16.9
Standard Deviation	(45.9)
95% Confidence Interval	-27.6 to -6.1

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	Model terms: treatment, baseline, prior anti-hyperglycemic therapy status
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^[4]	Other relevant estimation information:
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3. Secondary: Change From Baseline in A1C at Week 54 [Time Frame: Weeks 0-54]

Measure Type	Secondary
Measure Title	Change From Baseline in A1C at Week 54
Measure Description	A1C is measured as percent. Thus this change from baseline reflects the Week 54 A1C percent minus the Week 0 A1C percent.
Time Frame	Weeks 0-54
Safety Issue	No

Population Description

Explanation of how the number of participants for analysis was determined. Includes whether analysis was per protocol, intention to treat, or another method. Also provides relevant details such as imputation technique, as appropriate.
All Patients Treated included patients who received at least 1 dose of study therapy post-Week 18, a baseline value and ≥1 post-Week 18 value for this outcome. The last post- Week 18 observed measurement was carried forward to Week 54 for patients with no data at Week 54. Data after initiation of glycemic rescue were considered missing.

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Measured Values

	Sitagliptin 100 mg	Sitagliptin 200 mg	Placebo/Pioglitazone
Number of Participants Analyzed [units: participants]	156	158	68
Change From Baseline in A1C at Week 54 [units: percent] Least Squares Mean (95% Confidence Interval)	-0.28 (-0.42 to -0.14)	-0.19 (-0.33 to -0.05)	-0.87 (-1.08 to -0.66)

No statistical analysis provided for Change From Baseline in A1C at Week 54

4. Secondary: Change From Baseline in FPG at Week 54 [Time Frame: Weeks 0-54]

Measure Type	Secondary
Measure Title	Change From Baseline in FPG at Week 54
Measure Description	The change from baseline reflects the Week 54 FPG minus the Week 0 FPG.
Time Frame	Weeks 0-54
Safety Issue	No

Population Description

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All Patients Treated included patients who received at least 1 dose of study therapy 1 post-Week 18, a baseline value and ≥ 1 post-Week 18 value for this outcome. The last post- Week 18 observed measurement was carried forward to Week 54 for patients with no data at Week 54. Data after initiation of glycemic rescue were considered missing.

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Measured Values

	Sitagliptin 100 mg	Sitagliptin 200 mg	Placebo/Pioglitazone
Number of Participants Analyzed [units: participants]	159	160	70
Change From Baseline in FPG at Week 54 [units: mg/dL] Least Squares Mean (95% Confidence Interval)	-5.5 (-11.5 to 0.5)	-0.7 (-6.7 to 5.3)	-28.0 (-37.1 to -18.9)

No statistical analysis provided for Change From Baseline in FPG at Week 54

Serious Adverse Events

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Time Frame	Weeks 0 to 54
Additional Description	Patients received rescue medication if they met specific glycemic goals. SAEs include events that occurred either before or after receiving rescue medication. Other AEs only includes those AEs that occurred prior to a patient receiving rescue medication.

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Serious Adverse Events

	Sitagliptin 100 mg	Sitagliptin 200 mg	Placebo/Pioglitazone

Total, serious adverse events			
# participants affected / at risk	15/205 (7.32%)	12/206 (5.83%)	10/110 (9.09%)
Blood and lymphatic system disorders			
Anaemia * 1			
# participants affected / at risk	1/205 (0.49%)	0/206 (0.00%)	0/110 (0.00%)
Cardiac disorders			
Angina Pectoris * 1			
# participants affected / at risk	1/205 (0.49%)	0/206 (0.00%)	0/110 (0.00%)
Angina Unstable * 1			
# participants affected / at risk	1/205 (0.49%)	0/206 (0.00%)	0/110 (0.00%)
Arteriosclerosis Coronary Artery * 1			
# participants affected / at risk	1/205 (0.49%)	1/206 (0.49%)	0/110 (0.00%)
Atrial Flutter * 1			
# participants affected / at risk	0/205 (0.00%)	0/206 (0.00%)	1/110 (0.91%)
Atrioventricular Block Complete * 1			
# participants affected / at risk	1/205 (0.49%)	0/206 (0.00%)	0/110 (0.00%)
Coronary Artery Disease * 1			
# participants affected / at risk	0/205 (0.00%)	1/206 (0.49%)	1/110 (0.91%)
Myocardial Infarction * 1			
# participants affected / at risk	2/205 (0.98%)	0/206 (0.00%)	0/110 (0.00%)
Ventricular Extrasystoles * 1			
# participants affected / at risk	0/205 (0.00%)	1/206 (0.49%)	0/110 (0.00%)
Eye disorders			
Cataract * 1			
# participants affected / at risk	0/205 (0.00%)	1/206 (0.49%)	0/110 (0.00%)
Gastrointestinal disorders			
Diarrhoea * 1			
# participants affected / at risk	0/205 (0.00%)	0/206 (0.00%)	1/110 (0.91%)
Gastrooesophageal Reflux Disease * 1			
# participants affected / at risk	0/205 (0.00%)	0/206 (0.00%)	1/110 (0.91%)
Intestinal Obstruction * 1			
# participants affected / at risk	0/205 (0.00%)	1/206 (0.49%)	0/110 (0.00%)
Pancreatitis Acute * 1			
# participants affected / at risk	0/205 (0.00%)	0/206 (0.00%)	1/110 (0.91%)
Proctitis * 1			
# participants affected / at risk	0/205 (0.00%)	1/206 (0.49%)	0/110 (0.00%)
Hepatobiliary disorders			
Cholelithiasis * 1			
# participants affected / at risk	1/205 (0.49%)	0/206 (0.00%)	0/110 (0.00%)
Infections and infestations			
* 1			

Appendicitis			
# participants affected / at risk	1/205 (0.49%)	0/206 (0.00%)	0/110 (0.00%)
Wound Infection * 1			
# participants affected / at risk	0/205 (0.00%)	0/206 (0.00%)	1/110 (0.91%)
Injury, poisoning and procedural complications			
Complication Of Device Insertion * 1			
# participants affected / at risk	1/205 (0.49%)	0/206 (0.00%)	0/110 (0.00%)
Polytraumatism * 1			
# participants affected / at risk	0/205 (0.00%)	1/206 (0.49%)	0/110 (0.00%)
Investigations			
Blood Potassium Decreased * 1			
# participants affected / at risk	0/205 (0.00%)	1/206 (0.49%)	0/110 (0.00%)
Blood Sodium Decreased * 1			
# participants affected / at risk	0/205 (0.00%)	1/206 (0.49%)	0/110 (0.00%)
Musculoskeletal and connective tissue disorders			
Osteoarthritis * 1			
# participants affected / at risk	0/205 (0.00%)	1/206 (0.49%)	0/110 (0.00%)
Neoplasms benign, malignant and unspecified (incl cysts and polyps)			
Basal Cell Carcinoma * 1			
# participants affected / at risk	0/205 (0.00%)	1/206 (0.49%)	0/110 (0.00%)
Breast Cancer * 1			
# participants affected / at risk	1/205 (0.49%)	1/206 (0.49%)	0/110 (0.00%)
Colon Cancer * 1			
# participants affected / at risk	0/205 (0.00%)	1/206 (0.49%)	0/110 (0.00%)
Metastases To Bone * 1			
# participants affected / at risk	0/205 (0.00%)	0/206 (0.00%)	1/110 (0.91%)
Pancreatic Carcinoma * 1			
# participants affected / at risk	0/205 (0.00%)	0/206 (0.00%)	1/110 (0.91%)
Squamous Cell Carcinoma * 1			
# participants affected / at risk	1/205 (0.49%)	1/206 (0.49%)	0/110 (0.00%)
Thyroid Adenoma * 1			
# participants affected / at risk	0/205 (0.00%)	0/206 (0.00%)	1/110 (0.91%)
Thyroid Neoplasm * 1			
# participants affected / at risk	0/205 (0.00%)	0/206 (0.00%)	1/110 (0.91%)
Uterine Cancer * 1			
# participants affected / at risk	0/205 (0.00%)	0/206 (0.00%)	1/110 (0.91%)
Nervous system disorders			
Cerebrovascular Accident * 1			
# participants affected / at risk	1/205 (0.49%)	0/206 (0.00%)	0/110 (0.00%)
Haemorrhagic Stroke * 1			

# participants affected / at risk	1/205 (0.49%)	0/206 (0.00%)	0/110 (0.00%)
Syncope [*] ¹			
# participants affected / at risk	1/205 (0.49%)	0/206 (0.00%)	1/110 (0.91%)
Vertebrobasilar Insufficiency [*] ¹			
# participants affected / at risk	1/205 (0.49%)	0/206 (0.00%)	0/110 (0.00%)
Renal and urinary disorders			
Bladder Perforation [*] ¹			
# participants affected / at risk	1/205 (0.49%)	0/206 (0.00%)	0/110 (0.00%)
Haematuria [*] ¹			
# participants affected / at risk	1/205 (0.49%)	0/206 (0.00%)	0/110 (0.00%)
Reproductive system and breast disorders			
Benign Prostatic Hyperplasia [*] ¹			
# participants affected / at risk	1/205 (0.49%)	0/206 (0.00%)	0/110 (0.00%)
Vascular disorders			
Leriche Syndrome [*] ¹			
# participants affected / at risk	0/205 (0.00%)	1/206 (0.49%)	0/110 (0.00%)

^{*} Events were collected by non-systematic assessment

¹ Term from vocabulary, MedDRA (9.0)

Other Adverse Events

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Time Frame	Weeks 0 to 54
Additional Description	Patients received rescue medication if they met specific glycemic goals. SAEs include events that occurred either before or after receiving rescue medication. Other AEs only includes those AEs that occurred prior to a patient receiving rescue medication.

Frequency Threshold

Threshold above which other adverse events are reported	5%
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Reporting Groups

	Description
Sitagliptin 100 mg	The Sitagliptin 100 mg got 1 sitagliptin 100 mg tablet and 1 sitagliptin matching placebo tablet once daily Weeks 0-54 and pioglitazone placebo once daily in Weeks 18-54.
Sitagliptin 200 mg	The Sitagliptin 200 mg got 2 sitagliptin 100 mg tablets once daily Weeks 0-54 and pioglitazone placebo once daily in Weeks 18-54.
Placebo/Pioglitazone	The Placebo/Pioglitazone got 2 sitagliptin matching placebo tablets once daily in Weeks 0- 54 and pioglitazone 30 mg/day once daily in Weeks 18-54.

Other Adverse Events

	Sitagliptin 100 mg	Sitagliptin 200 mg	Placebo/Pioglitazone
Total, other (not including serious) adverse events			

# participants affected / at risk	70/205 (34.15%)	55/206 (26.70%)	37/110 (33.64%)
Infections and infestations			
Influenza ^{* 1}			
# participants affected / at risk	11/205 (5.37%)	8/206 (3.88%)	7/110 (6.36%)
Upper Respiratory Tract Infection ^{* 1}			
# participants affected / at risk	9/205 (4.39%)	14/206 (6.80%)	6/110 (5.45%)
Urinary Tract Infection ^{* 1}			
# participants affected / at risk	8/205 (3.90%)	10/206 (4.85%)	9/110 (8.18%)
Investigations			
Blood Glucose Increased ^{* 1}			
# participants affected / at risk	17/205 (8.29%)	7/206 (3.40%)	9/110 (8.18%)
Glycosylated Haemoglobin Increased ^{* 1}			
# participants affected / at risk	11/205 (5.37%)	2/206 (0.97%)	3/110 (2.73%)
Musculoskeletal and connective tissue disorders			
Arthralgia ^{* 1}			
# participants affected / at risk	5/205 (2.44%)	9/206 (4.37%)	6/110 (5.45%)
Back Pain ^{* 1}			
# participants affected / at risk	14/205 (6.83%)	11/206 (5.34%)	5/110 (4.55%)
Nervous system disorders			
Headache ^{* 1}			
# participants affected / at risk	13/205 (6.34%)	11/206 (5.34%)	5/110 (4.55%)

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▶ Limitations and Caveats

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Limitations of the study, such as early termination leading to small numbers of participants analyzed and technical problems with measurement leading to unreliable or uninterpretable data

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▶ More Information

▢ Hide More Information

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