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## Efficacy and Safety of Aliskiren/Ramipril/Amlodipine Compared With Ramipril/Amlodipine and Aliskiren/Amlodipine in Patients With Metabolic Syndrome (ALTO)

### This study has been terminated.

*(Early termination of the study due to slow recruitment.)*

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<b>Study Type:</b>	Interventional
<b>Study Design:</b>	Allocation: Randomized; Endpoint Classification: Safety/Efficacy Study; Intervention Model: Parallel Assignment; Masking: Double Blind (Subject, Caregiver, Investigator); Primary Purpose: Treatment
<b>Condition:</b>	Hypertension With Metabolic Syndrome
<b>Interventions:</b>	Drug: Amlodipine Drug: Aliskiren Drug: Ramipril

### 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

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#### Pre-Assignment Details

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

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#### Reporting Groups

	Description
<b>Aliskiren / Ramipril / Amlodipine</b>	6 weeks treatment with aliskiren 150 mg tablets, ramipril 5 mg capsules, and amlodipine 5-10 mg tablets followed by an additional 6 weeks treatment with aliskiren 300 mg tablets, ramipril 10 mg capsules, and amlodipine 5-10 mg tablets. Patients received amlodipine 5 mg (or 10 mg if they were receiving 10 mg prior to study start). Each dose was to be taken orally with water once daily at approximately 8:00 A.M. with or without food, except on the morning of an office/clinic visit, when the study drug was to be taken at the site after the visit procedures had been completed.
<b>Aliskiren /Amlodipine</b>	6 weeks treatment with aliskiren 150 mg tablets, ramipril 5 mg placebo capsules, and amlodipine 5-10 mg

	tablets followed by an additional 6 weeks treatment with aliskiren 300 mg tablets, ramipril 10 mg placebo capsules, and amlodipine 5-10 mg tablets. Patients received amlodipine 5 mg (or 10 mg if they were receiving 10 mg prior to study start). Each dose was to be taken orally with water once daily at approximately 8:00 A.M. with or without food, except on the morning of an office/clinic visit, when the study drug was to be taken at the site after the visit procedures had been completed.
<b>Ramipril / Amlodipine</b>	6 weeks treatment with aliskiren 150 mg placebo tablets, ramipril 5 mg capsules, and amlodipine 5-10 mg tablets followed by an additional 6 weeks treatment with aliskiren 300 mg placebo tablets, ramipril 10 mg capsules, and amlodipine 5-10 mg tablets. Patients received amlodipine 5 mg (or 10 mg if they were receiving 10 mg prior to study start). Each dose was to be taken orally with water once daily at approximately 8:00 A.M. with or without food, except on the morning of an office/clinic visit, when the study drug was to be taken at the site after the visit procedures had been completed.

**Participant Flow: Overall Study**

	<b>Aliskiren / Ramipril / Amlodipine</b>	<b>Aliskiren /Amlodipine</b>	<b>Ramipril / Amlodipine</b>
<b>STARTED</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>57</b>
<b>COMPLETED</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>51</b>
<b>NOT COMPLETED</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>6</b>
<b>Adverse Event</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>
<b>Protocol Violation</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Withdrawal by Subject</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Administrative problems</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>

**Baseline Characteristics**[Hide Baseline Characteristics](#)**Population Description**

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**Reporting Groups**

	<b>Description</b>
<b>Aliskiren / Ramipril / Amlodipine</b>	6 weeks treatment with aliskiren 150 mg tablets, ramipril 5 mg capsules, and amlodipine 5-10 mg tablets followed by an additional 6 weeks treatment with aliskiren 300 mg tablets, ramipril 10 mg capsules, and amlodipine 5-10 mg tablets. Patients received amlodipine 5 mg (or 10 mg if they were receiving 10 mg prior to study start). Each dose was to be taken orally with water once daily at approximately 8:00 A.M. with or without food, except on the morning of an office/clinic visit, when the study drug was to be taken at the site after the visit procedures had been completed.
<b>Aliskiren /Amlodipine</b>	6 weeks treatment with aliskiren 150 mg tablets, ramipril 5 mg placebo capsules, and amlodipine 5-10 mg tablets followed by an additional 6 weeks treatment with aliskiren 300 mg tablets, ramipril 10 mg placebo capsules, and amlodipine 5-10 mg tablets. Patients received amlodipine 5 mg (or 10 mg if they were receiving 10 mg prior to study start). Each dose was to be taken orally with water once daily at approximately 8:00 A.M. with or without food, except on the morning of an office/clinic visit, when the study drug was to be taken at the site after the visit procedures had been completed.
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<b>Total</b>	Total of all reporting groups

**Baseline Measures**

	Aliskiren / Ramipril / Amlodipine	Aliskiren /Amlodipine	Ramipril / Amlodipine	Total
Number of Participants [units: participants]	61	60	57	178
Age [units: years] Mean (Standard Deviation)	61.3 (8.90)	58.3 (8.95)	59.1 (8.86)	59.6 (8.95)
Age, Customized [units: participants]				
< 65 years	37	47	42	126
≥ 65 years	24	13	15	52
Gender [units: participants]				
Female	17	18	19	54
Male	44	42	38	124

**Outcome Measures**
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- Primary: Change in Mean Sitting Systolic Blood Pressure (msSBP) From Baseline to End of Study - Aliskiren/Ramipril/Amlodipine vs Ramipril/Amlodipine) [ Time Frame: Baseline to Week 12 ]

Measure Type	Primary
Measure Title	Change in Mean Sitting Systolic Blood Pressure (msSBP) From Baseline to End of Study - Aliskiren/Ramipril/Amlodipine vs Ramipril/Amlodipine)
Measure Description	Automated blood pressure determinations were made with the Omron HEM-705CP blood pressure monitor at trough (24 hours ± 3 hours post-dose) and recorded at all study visits following detailed directions specified in the study protocol. Three readings were made and msSBP was calculated as the average of the 3 readings. In the event of aberrant readings, ie, the lowest reading was ≥ 10 mmHg systolic or ≥ 5 mmHg diastolic lower than the highest of the 3 readings, 3 additional readings were obtained. A negative change indicates improvement.
Time Frame	Baseline to Week 12
Safety Issue	No

**Population Description**

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**Reporting Groups**

	Description
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Ramipril / Amlodipine	6 weeks treatment with aliskiren 150 mg placebo tablets, ramipril 5 mg capsules, and amlodipine 5-10 mg tablets followed by an additional 6 weeks treatment with aliskiren 300 mg placebo tablets, ramipril 10 mg capsules, and amlodipine 5-10 mg tablets. Patients received amlodipine 5 mg (or 10 mg if they were receiving 10 mg prior to study start). Each dose was to be taken orally with water once daily at

approximately 8:00 A.M. with or without food, except on the morning of an office/clinic visit, when the study drug was to be taken at the site after the visit procedures had been completed.

**Measured Values**

	<b>Aliskiren / Ramipril / Amlodipine</b>	<b>Ramipril / Amlodipine</b>
<b>Number of Participants Analyzed</b> [units: participants]	<b>61</b>	<b>57</b>
<b>Change in Mean Sitting Systolic Blood Pressure (msSBP) From Baseline to End of Study - Aliskiren/Ramipril/Amlodipine vs Ramipril/Amlodipine</b> [units: mmHg] Least Squares Mean (Standard Error)	<b>-12.8 (1.56)</b>	<b>-10.9 (1.59)</b>

**No statistical analysis provided for Change in Mean Sitting Systolic Blood Pressure (msSBP) From Baseline to End of Study -  
Aliskiren/Ramipril/Amlodipine vs Ramipril/Amlodipine)**

2. Primary: Change in Mean Sitting Systolic Blood Pressure (msSBP) From Baseline to End of Study - Aliskiren/Amlodipine vs  
Ramipril/Amlodipine [ Time Frame: Baseline to Week 12 ]

<b>Measure Type</b>	Primary
<b>Measure Title</b>	Change in Mean Sitting Systolic Blood Pressure (msSBP) From Baseline to End of Study - Aliskiren/Amlodipine vs Ramipril/Amlodipine
<b>Measure Description</b>	Automated blood pressure determinations were made with the Omron HEM-705CP blood pressure monitor at trough (24 hours ± 3 hours post-dose) and recorded at all study visits following detailed directions specified in the study protocol. Three readings were made and msSBP was calculated as the average of the 3 readings. In the event of aberrant readings, ie, the lowest reading was ≥ 10 mmHg systolic or ≥ 5 mmHg diastolic lower than the highest of the 3 readings, 3 additional readings were obtained. A negative change indicates improvement.
<b>Time Frame</b>	Baseline to Week 12
<b>Safety Issue</b>	No

**Population Description**

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another method. Also provides relevant details such as imputation technique, as appropriate.**

Intent-to-treat (ITT) population. All patients that received at least 1 dose of study drug and had baseline and at least 1 post-baseline  
assessment of the variable.

**Reporting Groups**

	<b>Description</b>
<b>Aliskiren / Amlodipine</b>	6 weeks treatment with aliskiren 150 mg tablets, ramipril 5 mg placebo capsules, and amlodipine 5-10 mg tablets followed by an additional 6 weeks treatment with aliskiren 300 mg tablets, ramipril 10 mg placebo capsules, and amlodipine 5-10 mg tablets. Patients received amlodipine 5 mg (or 10 mg if they were receiving 10 mg prior to study start). Each dose was to be taken orally with water once daily at approximately 8:00 A.M. with or without food, except on the morning of an office/clinic visit, when the study drug was to be taken at the site after the visit procedures had been completed.
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**Measured Values**

	<b>Aliskiren /</b>	<b>Ramipril /</b>

	Amlodipine	Amlodipine
<b>Number of Participants Analyzed</b> [units: participants]	60	57
<b>Change in Mean Sitting Systolic Blood Pressure (msSBP) From Baseline to End of Study - Aliskiren/Amlodipine vs Ramipril/Amlodipine</b> [units: mmHg] Least Squares Mean (Standard Error)	-12.4 (1.36)	-10.0 (1.39)

No statistical analysis provided for Change in Mean Sitting Systolic Blood Pressure (msSBP) From Baseline to End of Study - Aliskiren/Amlodipine vs Ramipril/Amlodipine

3. Secondary: Change in Mean Sitting Diastolic Blood Pressure (msDBP) From Baseline to End of Study - Aliskiren/Ramipril/Amlodipine vs Ramipril/Amlodipine [ Time Frame: Baseline to Week 12 ]

<b>Measure Type</b>	Secondary
<b>Measure Title</b>	Change in Mean Sitting Diastolic Blood Pressure (msDBP) From Baseline to End of Study - Aliskiren/Ramipril/Amlodipine vs Ramipril/Amlodipine
<b>Measure Description</b>	Automated blood pressure determinations were made with the Omron HEM-705CP blood pressure monitor at trough (24 hours $\pm$ 3 hours post-dose) and recorded at all study visits following detailed directions specified in the study protocol. Three readings were made and msDBP was calculated as the average of the 3 readings. In the event of aberrant readings, ie, the lowest reading was $\geq$ 10 mmHg systolic or $\geq$ 5 mmHg diastolic lower than the highest of the 3 readings, 3 additional readings were obtained. A negative change indicates improvement.
<b>Time Frame</b>	Baseline to Week 12
<b>Safety Issue</b>	No

**Population Description**

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Intent-to-treat (ITT) population. All patients that received at least 1 dose of study drug and had baseline and at least 1 post-baseline assessment of the variable.

**Reporting Groups**

	Description
<b>Aliskiren / Ramipril / Amlodipine</b>	6 weeks treatment with aliskiren 150 mg tablets, ramipril 5 mg capsules, and amlodipine 5-10 mg tablets followed by an additional 6 weeks treatment with aliskiren 300 mg tablets, ramipril 10 mg capsules, and amlodipine 5-10 mg tablets. Patients received amlodipine 5 mg (or 10 mg if they were receiving 10 mg prior to study start). Each dose was to be taken orally with water once daily at approximately 8:00 A.M. with or without food, except on the morning of an office/clinic visit, when the study drug was to be taken at the site after the visit procedures had been completed.
<b>Ramipril / Amlodipine</b>	6 weeks treatment with aliskiren 150 mg placebo tablets, ramipril 5 mg capsules, and amlodipine 5-10 mg tablets followed by an additional 6 weeks treatment with aliskiren 300 mg placebo tablets, ramipril 10 mg capsules, and amlodipine 5-10 mg tablets. Patients received amlodipine 5 mg (or 10 mg if they were receiving 10 mg prior to study start). Each dose was to be taken orally with water once daily at approximately 8:00 A.M. with or without food, except on the morning of an office/clinic visit, when the study drug was to be taken at the site after the visit procedures had been completed.

**Measured Values**

	Aliskiren / Ramipril / Amlodipine	Ramipril / Amlodipine
<b>Number of Participants Analyzed</b> [units: participants]	61	57
<b>Change in Mean Sitting Diastolic Blood Pressure (msDBP) From Baseline to End of Study - Aliskiren/Ramipril/Amlodipine vs Ramipril/Amlodipine</b>		

[units: mmHg] Least Squares Mean (Standard Error)	-6.0 (0.94)	-4.1 (0.96)
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No statistical analysis provided for Change in Mean Sitting Diastolic Blood Pressure (msDBP) From Baseline to End of Study - Aliskiren/Ramipril/Amlodipine vs Ramipril/Amlodipine

4. Secondary: Change in Mean Sitting Diastolic Blood Pressure (msDBP) From Baseline to End of Study - Aliskiren/Amlodipine vs Ramipril/Amlodipine [ Time Frame: Baseline to Week 12 ]

Measure Type	Secondary
Measure Title	Change in Mean Sitting Diastolic Blood Pressure (msDBP) From Baseline to End of Study - Aliskiren/Amlodipine vs Ramipril/Amlodipine
Measure Description	Automated blood pressure determinations were made with the Omron HEM-705CP blood pressure monitor at trough (24 hours ± 3 hours post-dose) and recorded at all study visits following detailed directions specified in the study protocol. Three readings were made and msDBP was calculated as the average of the 3 readings. In the event of aberrant readings, ie, the lowest reading was ≥ 10 mmHg systolic or ≥ 5 mmHg diastolic lower than the highest of the 3 readings, 3 additional readings were obtained. A negative change indicates improvement.
Time Frame	Baseline to Week 12
Safety Issue	No

#### Population Description

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#### Reporting Groups

	Description
Aliskiren / Amlodipine	6 weeks treatment with aliskiren 150 mg tablets, ramipril 5 mg placebo capsules, and amlodipine 5-10 mg tablets followed by an additional 6 weeks treatment with aliskiren 300 mg tablets, ramipril 10 mg placebo capsules, and amlodipine 5-10 mg tablets. Patients received amlodipine 5 mg (or 10 mg if they were receiving 10 mg prior to study start). Each dose was to be taken orally with water once daily at approximately 8:00 A.M. with or without food, except on the morning of an office/clinic visit, when the study drug was to be taken at the site after the visit procedures had been completed.
Ramipril / Amlodipine	6 weeks treatment with aliskiren 150 mg placebo tablets, ramipril 5 mg capsules, and amlodipine 5-10 mg tablets followed by an additional 6 weeks treatment with aliskiren 300 mg placebo tablets, ramipril 10 mg capsules, and amlodipine 5-10 mg tablets. Patients received amlodipine 5 mg (or 10 mg if they were receiving 10 mg prior to study start). Each dose was to be taken orally with water once daily at approximately 8:00 A.M. with or without food, except on the morning of an office/clinic visit, when the study drug was to be taken at the site after the visit procedures had been completed.

#### Measured Values

	Aliskiren / Amlodipine	Ramipril / Amlodipine
Number of Participants Analyzed [units: participants]	60	57
Change in Mean Sitting Diastolic Blood Pressure (msDBP) From Baseline to End of Study - Aliskiren/Amlodipine vs Ramipril/Amlodipine [units: mmHg] Least Squares Mean (Standard Error)	-5.8 (0.98)	-4.5 (1.00)

No statistical analysis provided for Change in Mean Sitting Diastolic Blood Pressure (msDBP) From Baseline to End of Study - Aliskiren/Amlodipine vs Ramipril/Amlodipine

## 5. Secondary: Percentage of Patients Who Achieved Normalized Blood Pressure at End of Study [ Time Frame: Week 12 ]

<b>Measure Type</b>	Secondary
<b>Measure Title</b>	Percentage of Patients Who Achieved Normalized Blood Pressure at End of Study
<b>Measure Description</b>	Normalized was defined as a msSBP < 140 mmHg and/or a msDBP < 90 mmHg.
<b>Time Frame</b>	Week 12
<b>Safety Issue</b>	No

**Population Description**

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Intent-to-treat (ITT) population. All patients that received at least 1 dose of study drug and had baseline and at least 1 post-baseline assessment of the variable.

**Reporting Groups**

	Description
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**Measured Values**

	Aliskiren / Ramipril / Amlodipine	Aliskiren /Amlodipine	Ramipril / Amlodipine
<b>Number of Participants Analyzed</b> [units: participants]	61	60	57
<b>Percentage of Patients Who Achieved Normalized Blood Pressure at End of Study</b> [units: Percentage of patients]	45.90	43.33	42.11

No statistical analysis provided for Percentage of Patients Who Achieved Normalized Blood Pressure at End of Study

## 6. Secondary: Change in HOMA-IR From Baseline to End of Study [ Time Frame: Baseline to Week 12 ]

<b>Measure Type</b>	Secondary
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<b>Measure Title</b>	Change in HOMA-IR From Baseline to End of Study
<b>Measure Description</b>	Homeostasis model assessment-insulin resistance (HOMA-IR) was defined as (fasting insulin [ $\mu$ U/mL] x fasting glucose [mmol/L]) / 22.5.
<b>Time Frame</b>	Baseline to Week 12
<b>Safety Issue</b>	No

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Intent-to-treat (ITT) population. All patients that received at least 1 dose of study drug and had baseline and at least 1 post-baseline assessment of the variable.

**Reporting Groups**

	<b>Description</b>
<b>Aliskiren / Ramipril / Amlodipine</b>	6 weeks treatment with aliskiren 150 mg tablets, ramipril 5 mg capsules, and amlodipine 5-10 mg tablets followed by an additional 6 weeks treatment with aliskiren 300 mg tablets, ramipril 10 mg capsules, and amlodipine 5-10 mg tablets. Patients received amlodipine 5 mg (or 10 mg if they were receiving 10 mg prior to study start). Each dose was to be taken orally with water once daily at approximately 8:00 A.M. with or without food, except on the morning of an office/clinic visit, when the study drug was to be taken at the site after the visit procedures had been completed.
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**Measured Values**

	<b>Aliskiren / Ramipril / Amlodipine</b>	<b>Aliskiren /Amlodipine</b>	<b>Ramipril / Amlodipine</b>
<b>Number of Participants Analyzed</b> [units: participants]	<b>45</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>45</b>
<b>Change in HOMA-IR From Baseline to End of Study</b> [units: mmol/L] Mean (Standard Deviation)	<b>0.98 (2.292)</b>	<b>0.87 (5.883)</b>	<b>0.60 (6.186)</b>

**No statistical analysis provided for Change in HOMA-IR From Baseline to End of Study**

7. Secondary: Change in HOMA- $\beta$  From Baseline to End of Study [ Time Frame: Baseline to Week 12 ]

<b>Measure Type</b>	Secondary
<b>Measure Title</b>	Change in HOMA- $\beta$ From Baseline to End of Study
<b>Measure Description</b>	Homeostasis model assessment- $\beta$ (HOMA- $\beta$ ) was defined as fasting insulin ( $\mu$ U/mL) x 20 / (fasting glucose (mmol/L) - 3.5).
<b>Time Frame</b>	Baseline to Week 12

<b>Safety Issue</b>	No
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**Reporting Groups**

	<b>Description</b>
<b>Aliskiren / Ramipril / Amlodipine</b>	6 weeks treatment with aliskiren 150 mg tablets, ramipril 5 mg capsules, and amlodipine 5-10 mg tablets followed by an additional 6 weeks treatment with aliskiren 300 mg tablets, ramipril 10 mg capsules, and amlodipine 5-10 mg tablets. Patients received amlodipine 5 mg (or 10 mg if they were receiving 10 mg prior to study start). Each dose was to be taken orally with water once daily at approximately 8:00 A.M. with or without food, except on the morning of an office/clinic visit, when the study drug was to be taken at the site after the visit procedures had been completed.
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**Measured Values**

	<b>Aliskiren / Ramipril / Amlodipine</b>	<b>Aliskiren /Amlodipine</b>	<b>Ramipril / Amlodipine</b>
<b>Number of Participants Analyzed</b> [units: participants]	<b>45</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>45</b>
<b>Change in HOMA-<math>\beta</math> From Baseline to End of Study</b> [units: mmol/L] Mean (Standard Deviation)	<b>2.71 (152.108)</b>	<b>0.87 (5.883)</b>	<b>0.60 (6.186)</b>

No statistical analysis provided for Change in HOMA- $\beta$  From Baseline to End of Study

8. Secondary: Change in HbA1c (Glycated Hemoglobin) From Baseline to End of Study - Aliskiren/Ramipril/Amlodipine vs Ramipril/Amlodipine  
[ Time Frame: Baseline to Week 12 ]

<b>Measure Type</b>	Secondary
<b>Measure Title</b>	Change in HbA1c (Glycated Hemoglobin) From Baseline to End of Study - Aliskiren/Ramipril/Amlodipine vs Ramipril/Amlodipine
<b>Measure Description</b>	No text entered.
<b>Time Frame</b>	Baseline to Week 12
<b>Safety Issue</b>	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.

Intent-to-treat (ITT) population. All patients that received at least 1 dose of study drug and had baseline and at least 1 post-baseline assessment of the variable.

#### Reporting Groups

	Description
<b>Aliskiren / Ramipril / Amlodipine</b>	6 weeks treatment with aliskiren 150 mg tablets, ramipril 5 mg capsules, and amlodipine 5-10 mg tablets followed by an additional 6 weeks treatment with aliskiren 300 mg tablets, ramipril 10 mg capsules, and amlodipine 5-10 mg tablets. Patients received amlodipine 5 mg (or 10 mg if they were receiving 10 mg prior to study start). Each dose was to be taken orally with water once daily at approximately 8:00 A.M. with or without food, except on the morning of an office/clinic visit, when the study drug was to be taken at the site after the visit procedures had been completed.
<b>Ramipril / Amlodipine</b>	6 weeks treatment with aliskiren 150 mg placebo tablets, ramipril 5 mg capsules, and amlodipine 5-10 mg tablets followed by an additional 6 weeks treatment with aliskiren 300 mg placebo tablets, ramipril 10 mg capsules, and amlodipine 5-10 mg tablets. Patients received amlodipine 5 mg (or 10 mg if they were receiving 10 mg prior to study start). Each dose was to be taken orally with water once daily at approximately 8:00 A.M. with or without food, except on the morning of an office/clinic visit, when the study drug was to be taken at the site after the visit procedures had been completed.

#### Measured Values

	Aliskiren / Ramipril / Amlodipine	Ramipril / Amlodipine
<b>Number of Participants Analyzed</b> [units: participants]	57	54
<b>Change in HbA1c (Glycated Hemoglobin) From Baseline to End of Study - Aliskiren/Ramipril/Amlodipine vs Ramipril/Amlodipine</b> [units: mmol/mol] Least Squares Mean (Standard Error)	0.1 (0.05)	0.1 (0.05)

No statistical analysis provided for Change in HbA1c (Glycated Hemoglobin) From Baseline to End of Study - Aliskiren/Ramipril/Amlodipine vs Ramipril/Amlodipine

9. Secondary: Change in HbA1c (Glycated Hemoglobin) From Baseline to End of Study - Aliskiren/Amlodipine vs Ramipril/Amlodipine) [ Time Frame: Baseline to Week 12 ]

<b>Measure Type</b>	Secondary
<b>Measure Title</b>	Change in HbA1c (Glycated Hemoglobin) From Baseline to End of Study - Aliskiren/Amlodipine vs Ramipril/Amlodipine)
<b>Measure Description</b>	No text entered.
<b>Time Frame</b>	Baseline to Week 12
<b>Safety Issue</b>	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.

Intent-to-treat (ITT) population. All patients that received at least 1 dose of study drug and had baseline and at least 1 post-baseline assessment of the variable.

#### Reporting Groups

	Description
<b>Aliskiren / Amlodipine</b>	6 weeks treatment with aliskiren 150 mg tablets, ramipril 5 mg placebo capsules, and amlodipine 5-10 mg tablets

	followed by an additional 6 weeks treatment with aliskiren 300 mg tablets, ramipril 10 mg placebo capsules, and amlodipine 5-10 mg tablets. Patients received amlodipine 5 mg (or 10 mg if they were receiving 10 mg prior to study start). Each dose was to be taken orally with water once daily at approximately 8:00 A.M. with or without food, except on the morning of an office/clinic visit, when the study drug was to be taken at the site after the visit procedures had been completed.
<b>Ramipril / Amlodipine</b>	6 weeks treatment with aliskiren 150 mg placebo tablets, ramipril 5 mg capsules, and amlodipine 5-10 mg tablets followed by an additional 6 weeks treatment with aliskiren 300 mg placebo tablets, ramipril 10 mg capsules, and amlodipine 5-10 mg tablets. Patients received amlodipine 5 mg (or 10 mg if they were receiving 10 mg prior to study start). Each dose was to be taken orally with water once daily at approximately 8:00 A.M. with or without food, except on the morning of an office/clinic visit, when the study drug was to be taken at the site after the visit procedures had been completed.

**Measured Values**

	<b>Aliskiren / Amlodipine</b>	<b>Ramipril / Amlodipine</b>
<b>Number of Participants Analyzed</b> [units: participants]	<b>58</b>	<b>54</b>
<b>Change in HbA1c (Glycated Hemoglobin) From Baseline to End of Study - Aliskiren/Amlodipine vs Ramipril/Amlodipine</b> [units: mmol/mol] Least Squares Mean (Standard Error)	<b>0.1 (0.06)</b>	<b>0.1 (0.06)</b>

**No statistical analysis provided for Change in HbA1c (Glycated Hemoglobin) From Baseline to End of Study - Aliskiren/Amlodipine vs Ramipril/Amlodipine)**

## 10. Secondary: Percentage of Patients Who Developed Diabetes at End of Study [ Time Frame: Week 12 ]

<b>Measure Type</b>	Secondary
<b>Measure Title</b>	Percentage of Patients Who Developed Diabetes at End of Study
<b>Measure Description</b>	A patient had diabetes if fasting plasma glucose > 7 mmol/L.
<b>Time Frame</b>	Week 12
<b>Safety Issue</b>	No

**Population Description**

<b>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.</b>
Intent-to-treat (ITT) population: All patients that received at least 1 dose of study drug and had baseline and at least 1 post-baseline assessment of the primary efficacy variable.

**Reporting Groups**

	<b>Description</b>
<b>Aliskiren / Ramipril / Amlodipine</b>	6 weeks treatment with aliskiren 150 mg tablets, ramipril 5 mg capsules, and amlodipine 5-10 mg tablets followed by an additional 6 weeks treatment with aliskiren 300 mg tablets, ramipril 10 mg capsules, and amlodipine 5-10 mg tablets. Patients received amlodipine 5 mg (or 10 mg if they were receiving 10 mg prior to study start). Each dose was to be taken orally with water once daily at approximately 8:00 A.M. with or without food, except on the morning of an office/clinic visit, when the study drug was to be taken at the site after the visit procedures had been completed.
<b>Aliskiren /Amlodipine</b>	6 weeks treatment with aliskiren 150 mg tablets, ramipril 5 mg placebo capsules, and amlodipine 5-10 mg tablets followed by an additional 6 weeks treatment with aliskiren 300 mg tablets, ramipril 10 mg placebo capsules, and amlodipine 5-10 mg tablets. Patients received amlodipine 5 mg (or 10 mg if they were receiving 10 mg prior to study start). Each dose was to be taken orally with water once daily at approximately 8:00 A.M. with or without food, except on the morning of an office/clinic visit, when the study drug was to be taken at the site after the visit procedures had been completed.

<b>Ramipril / Amlodipine</b>	6 weeks treatment with aliskiren 150 mg placebo tablets, ramipril 5 mg capsules, and amlodipine 5-10 mg tablets followed by an additional 6 weeks treatment with aliskiren 300 mg placebo tablets, ramipril 10 mg capsules, and amlodipine 5-10 mg tablets. Patients received amlodipine 5 mg (or 10 mg if they were receiving 10 mg prior to study start). Each dose was to be taken orally with water once daily at approximately 8:00 A.M. with or without food, except on the morning of an office/clinic visit, when the study drug was to be taken at the site after the visit procedures had been completed.
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**Measured Values**

	<b>Aliskiren / Ramipril / Amlodipine</b>	<b>Aliskiren /Amlodipine</b>	<b>Ramipril / Amlodipine</b>
<b>Number of Participants Analyzed</b> [units: participants]	<b>61</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>57</b>
<b>Percentage of Patients Who Developed Diabetes at End of Study</b> [units: Percentage of patients]	<b>1.9</b>	<b>4.1</b>	<b>2.1</b>

No statistical analysis provided for Percentage of Patients Who Developed Diabetes at End of Study

 **Serious Adverse Events**

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<b>Time Frame</b>	No text entered.
<b>Additional Description</b>	No text entered.

**Reporting Groups**

	<b>Description</b>
<b>Aliskiren / Ramipril / Amlodipine</b>	6 weeks treatment with aliskiren 150 mg tablets, ramipril 5 mg capsules, and amlodipine 5-10 mg tablets followed by an additional 6 weeks treatment with aliskiren 300 mg tablets, ramipril 10 mg capsules, and amlodipine 5-10 mg tablets. Patients received amlodipine 5 mg (or 10 mg if they were receiving 10 mg prior to study start). Each dose was to be taken orally with water once daily at approximately 8:00 A.M. with or without food, except on the morning of an office/clinic visit, when the study drug was to be taken at the site after the visit procedures had been completed.
<b>Aliskiren /Amlodipine</b>	6 weeks treatment with aliskiren 150 mg tablets, ramipril 5 mg placebo capsules, and amlodipine 5-10 mg tablets followed by an additional 6 weeks treatment with aliskiren 300 mg tablets, ramipril 10 mg placebo capsules, and amlodipine 5-10 mg tablets. Patients received amlodipine 5 mg (or 10 mg if they were receiving 10 mg prior to study start). Each dose was to be taken orally with water once daily at approximately 8:00 A.M. with or without food, except on the morning of an office/clinic visit, when the study drug was to be taken at the site after the visit procedures had been completed.
<b>Ramipril / Amlodipine</b>	6 weeks treatment with aliskiren 150 mg placebo tablets, ramipril 5 mg capsules, and amlodipine 5-10 mg tablets followed by an additional 6 weeks treatment with aliskiren 300 mg placebo tablets, ramipril 10 mg capsules, and amlodipine 5-10 mg tablets. Patients received amlodipine 5 mg (or 10 mg if they were receiving 10 mg prior to study start). Each dose was to be taken orally with water once daily at approximately 8:00 A.M. with or without food, except on the morning of an office/clinic visit, when the study drug was to be taken at the site after the visit procedures had been completed.

**Serious Adverse Events**

	<b>Aliskiren / Ramipril / Amlodipine</b>	<b>Aliskiren /Amlodipine</b>	<b>Ramipril / Amlodipine</b>
<b>Total, serious adverse events</b>			
<b># participants affected / at risk</b>	<b>3/61 (4.92%)</b>	<b>1/60 (1.67%)</b>	<b>3/57 (5.26%)</b>
<b>Cardiac disorders</b>			
<b>Myocardial infarction † 1</b>			
<b># participants affected / at risk</b>	<b>1/61 (1.64%)</b>	<b>0/60 (0.00%)</b>	<b>0/57 (0.00%)</b>

<b>Immune system disorders</b>			
<b>Latex allergy † 1</b>			
# participants affected / at risk	0/61 (0.00%)	1/60 (1.67%)	0/57 (0.00%)
<b>Infections and infestations</b>			
<b>Eczema infected † 1</b>			
# participants affected / at risk	0/61 (0.00%)	1/60 (1.67%)	0/57 (0.00%)
<b>Investigations</b>			
<b>Glucose tolerance test abnormal † 1</b>			
# participants affected / at risk	0/61 (0.00%)	0/60 (0.00%)	1/57 (1.75%)
<b>Metabolism and nutrition disorders</b>			
<b>Diabetes mellitus † 1</b>			
# participants affected / at risk	2/61 (3.28%)	0/60 (0.00%)	2/57 (3.51%)

† Events were collected by systematic assessment

1 Term from vocabulary, MedDRA

## Other Adverse Events

 Hide Other Adverse Events

<b>Time Frame</b>	No text entered.
<b>Additional Description</b>	No text entered.

### Frequency Threshold

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

	Description
<b>Aliskiren / Ramipril / Amlodipine</b>	6 weeks treatment with aliskiren 150 mg tablets, ramipril 5 mg capsules, and amlodipine 5-10 mg tablets followed by an additional 6 weeks treatment with aliskiren 300 mg tablets, ramipril 10 mg capsules, and amlodipine 5-10 mg tablets. Patients received amlodipine 5 mg (or 10 mg if they were receiving 10 mg prior to study start). Each dose was to be taken orally with water once daily at approximately 8:00 A.M. with or without food, except on the morning of an office/clinic visit, when the study drug was to be taken at the site after the visit procedures had been completed.
<b>Aliskiren /Amlodipine</b>	6 weeks treatment with aliskiren 150 mg tablets, ramipril 5 mg placebo capsules, and amlodipine 5-10 mg tablets followed by an additional 6 weeks treatment with aliskiren 300 mg tablets, ramipril 10 mg placebo capsules, and amlodipine 5-10 mg tablets. Patients received amlodipine 5 mg (or 10 mg if they were receiving 10 mg prior to study start). Each dose was to be taken orally with water once daily at approximately 8:00 A.M. with or without food, except on the morning of an office/clinic visit, when the study drug was to be taken at the site after the visit procedures had been completed.
<b>Ramipril / Amlodipine</b>	6 weeks treatment with aliskiren 150 mg placebo tablets, ramipril 5 mg capsules, and amlodipine 5-10 mg tablets followed by an additional 6 weeks treatment with aliskiren 300 mg placebo tablets, ramipril 10 mg capsules, and amlodipine 5-10 mg tablets. Patients received amlodipine 5 mg (or 10 mg if they were receiving 10 mg prior to study start). Each dose was to be taken orally with water once daily at approximately 8:00 A.M. with or without food, except on the morning of an office/clinic visit, when the study drug was to be taken at the site after the visit procedures had been completed.

### Other Adverse Events

	Aliskiren / Ramipril / Amlodipine	Aliskiren /Amlodipine	Ramipril / Amlodipine
<b>Total, other (not including serious) adverse events</b>			

# participants affected / at risk	27/61 (44.26%)	24/60 (40.00%)	26/57 (45.61%)
<b>Gastrointestinal disorders</b>			
Dyspepsia † <sup>1</sup>			
# participants affected / at risk	2/61 (3.28%)	3/60 (5.00%)	0/57 (0.00%)
<b>General disorders</b>			
Oedema peripheral † <sup>1</sup>			
# participants affected / at risk	17/61 (27.87%)	14/60 (23.33%)	16/57 (28.07%)
<b>Infections and infestations</b>			
Lower respiratory tract infection † <sup>1</sup>			
# participants affected / at risk	3/61 (4.92%)	0/60 (0.00%)	3/57 (5.26%)
Urinary tract infection † <sup>1</sup>			
# participants affected / at risk	0/61 (0.00%)	1/60 (1.67%)	3/57 (5.26%)
<b>Musculoskeletal and connective tissue disorders</b>			
Arthralgia † <sup>1</sup>			
# participants affected / at risk	2/61 (3.28%)	3/60 (5.00%)	2/57 (3.51%)
<b>Nervous system disorders</b>			
Dizziness † <sup>1</sup>			
# participants affected / at risk	5/61 (8.20%)	2/60 (3.33%)	2/57 (3.51%)
Headache † <sup>1</sup>			
# participants affected / at risk	2/61 (3.28%)	3/60 (5.00%)	2/57 (3.51%)
<b>Respiratory, thoracic and mediastinal disorders</b>			
Cough † <sup>1</sup>			
# participants affected / at risk	4/61 (6.56%)	2/60 (3.33%)	1/57 (1.75%)

† Events were collected by systematic assessment

<sup>1</sup> Term from vocabulary, MedDRA

## ▶ Limitations and Caveats

▢ Hide Limitations and Caveats

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

### Certain Agreements:

Principal Investigators are **NOT** employed by the organization sponsoring the study.

There **IS** an agreement between Principal Investigators and the Sponsor (or its agents) that restricts the PI's rights to discuss or publish trial results after the trial is completed.

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The only disclosure restriction on the PI is that the sponsor can review results communications prior to public release and can embargo communications regarding trial results for a period that is **less than or equal to 60 days**. The sponsor cannot require changes to the communication and cannot extend the embargo.

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