

Flare rates and univariate and multivariate cox analyses in intention to treat analysis and exploratory studies

	Flares, n (%)	Unadjusted		Adjusted ^a	
		HR (95% CI)	P-value	HR (95% CI)	P-value
Intention to treat analysis (n=97)	Control	8/50 (16)	Reference		
	Reference				
	33% tapering	3/26 (12)	0.90 (0.23, 3.48)	0.873	
	66% tapering	6/21 (29)	2.52 (0.85, 7.48)	0.835	
Exploratory study (n=40)	33% tapering	6/21 (29)	2.81 (0.99, 7.94)	0.097	
	Reference	3/22 (14)	Reference	0.051	
	66% tapering	8/18 (44)	4.16 (1.08, 15.99)	0.038	5.10
		(1.18, 21.95) 0.029			
Combined tapering (n=87)	33% tapering	6/48 (13)	Reference		
	Reference				
	66% tapering	14/39 (36)	3.29 (1.26, 8.63)	0.015	
		3.47 (1.26, 9.58)		0.016	