



Clinical trial results:

A multi center, single arm, interventional Phase 4 study to evaluate a Treat and Extend regimen of intravitreal aflibercept for treatment of macular edema secondary to central retinal vein occlusion

Summary

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| EudraCT number | 2014-003193-17 |
| Trial protocol | DE GB DK FR IT |
| Global end of trial date | 31 July 2019 |

Results information

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| Result version number | v1 |
| This version publication date | 05 July 2020 |
| First version publication date | 05 July 2020 |

Trial information

Trial identification

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| Sponsor protocol code | BAY86-5321/17514 |
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Additional study identifiers

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| ISRCTN number | - |
| ClinicalTrials.gov id (NCT number) | NCT02800642 |
| WHO universal trial number (UTN) | - |

Notes:

Sponsors

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| Sponsor organisation name | Bayer AG |
| Sponsor organisation address | Kaiser Wilhelm Allee, Leverkusen, Germany, D-51368 |
| Public contact | Therapeutic Area Head, Bayer AG, clinical-trials-contact@bayer.com |
| Scientific contact | Therapeutic Area Head, Bayer AG, clinical-trials-contact@bayer.com |

Notes:

Paediatric regulatory details

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| Is trial part of an agreed paediatric investigation plan (PIP) | No |
| Does article 45 of REGULATION (EC) No 1901/2006 apply to this trial? | No |
| Does article 46 of REGULATION (EC) No 1901/2006 apply to this trial? | No |

Notes:

Results analysis stage

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| Analysis stage | Final |
| Date of interim/final analysis | 31 July 2019 |
| Is this the analysis of the primary completion data? | No |
| Global end of trial reached? | Yes |
| Global end of trial date | 31 July 2019 |
| Was the trial ended prematurely? | No |

Notes:

General information about the trial

Main objective of the trial:

To determine the efficacy and durability (treatment interval) of 2 mg intravitreal (IVT) aflibercept in a Treat and Extend (T&E) regimen over a treatment period of 76 weeks using protocol defined visual and anatomic criteria in subjects with macular edema secondary to CRVO

Protection of trial subjects:

The conduct of this clinical study met all local legal and regulatory requirements. The study was conducted in accordance with ethical principles that have their origin in the Declaration of Helsinki and the International Council for Harmonization guideline E6: Good Clinical Practice. Before entering the study, the informed consent was read by and explained to all the subjects. Participating subjects signed informed consent form and could withdraw from the study at any time without any disadvantage and without having to provide a reason for this decision. Only investigators qualified by training and experience were selected as appropriate experts to investigate the study drug

Background therapy: -

Evidence for comparator: -

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| Actual start date of recruitment | 10 June 2016 |
| Long term follow-up planned | No |
| Independent data monitoring committee (IDMC) involvement? | No |

Notes:

Population of trial subjects

Subjects enrolled per country

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| Country: Number of subjects enrolled | Australia: 9 |
| Country: Number of subjects enrolled | Canada: 27 |
| Country: Number of subjects enrolled | Italy: 23 |
| Country: Number of subjects enrolled | Spain: 23 |
| Country: Number of subjects enrolled | United Kingdom: 18 |
| Country: Number of subjects enrolled | Denmark: 8 |
| Country: Number of subjects enrolled | France: 5 |
| Country: Number of subjects enrolled | Germany: 49 |
| Worldwide total number of subjects | 162 |
| EEA total number of subjects | 126 |

Notes:

Subjects enrolled per age group

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| In utero | 0 |
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| Preterm newborn - gestational age < 37 wk | 0 |
| Newborns (0-27 days) | 0 |
| Infants and toddlers (28 days-23 months) | 0 |
| Children (2-11 years) | 0 |
| Adolescents (12-17 years) | 0 |
| Adults (18-64 years) | 62 |
| From 65 to 84 years | 89 |
| 85 years and over | 11 |

Subject disposition

Recruitment

Recruitment details:

A total of 244 subjects were screened in 42 study centers in 8 countries, the first subject first visit was on 10/Jun/2016 and last subject last visit was on 31/Jun/2019

Pre-assignment

Screening details:

Of the 244 screened subjects, 162 subjects completed screening and entered the treatment period

Period 1

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| Period 1 title | Overall study (overall period) |
| Is this the baseline period? | Yes |
| Allocation method | Non-randomised - controlled |
| Blinding used | Not blinded |

Arms

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| Arm title | IVT aflibercept |
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Arm description:

Subjects with macular edema secondary to CRVO were treated with 2 mg study drug intravitreal aflibercept over a treatment period of 76 weeks

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| Arm type | Experimental |
| Investigational medicinal product name | Aflibercept |
| Investigational medicinal product code | BAY86-5321 |
| Other name | |
| Pharmaceutical forms | Solution for injection |
| Routes of administration | Intravitreal use |

Dosage and administration details:

The recommended dose for intravitreal aflibercept is 2 mg equivalent to 50 microliter. Study treatment will be administered at baseline and at monthly intervals until stabilization of disease. When stability is achieved, the treatment interval can be extended based on visual and anatomic outcomes as judged by the treating investigator

| Number of subjects in period 1 | IVT aflibercept |
|--------------------------------|-----------------|
| Started | 162 |
| Completed | 137 |
| Not completed | 25 |
| Consent withdrawn by subject | 3 |
| Physician decision | 2 |
| Death | 3 |
| Other | 10 |
| Adverse event | 6 |
| Lost to follow-up | 1 |

Baseline characteristics

Reporting groups

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| Reporting group title | IVT aflibercept |
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Reporting group description:

Subjects with macular edema secondary to CRVO were treated with 2 mg study drug intravitreal aflibercept over a treatment period of 76 weeks

| Reporting group values | IVT aflibercept | Total | |
|------------------------|-----------------|-------|--|
| Number of subjects | 162 | 162 | |
| Age categorical | | | |
| Units: Subjects | | | |
| 18-64 years | 62 | 62 | |
| 65-84 years | 89 | 89 | |
| >= 85 years | 11 | 11 | |
| Age continuous | | | |
| Units: years | | | |
| arithmetic mean | 66.4 | | |
| standard deviation | ± 13.3 | - | |
| Gender categorical | | | |
| Units: Subjects | | | |
| Female | 65 | 65 | |
| Male | 97 | 97 | |
| Race | | | |
| Units: Subjects | | | |
| White | 154 | 154 | |
| Black | 1 | 1 | |
| Asian | 3 | 3 | |
| Not reported | 4 | 4 | |
| Ethnicity | | | |
| Units: Subjects | | | |
| Hispanic or Latino | 2 | 2 | |
| Not Hispanic or Latino | 156 | 156 | |
| Not reported | 4 | 4 | |

End points

End points reporting groups

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| Reporting group title | IVT aflibercept |
| Reporting group description: Subjects with macular edema secondary to CRVO were treated with 2 mg study drug intravitreal aflibercept over a treatment period of 76 weeks | |
| Subject analysis set title | Safety analysis set |
| Subject analysis set type | Safety analysis |
| Subject analysis set description: The SAF included all subjects who received any study drug | |
| Subject analysis set title | Full analysis set |
| Subject analysis set type | Full analysis |
| Subject analysis set description: The FAS included all enrolled subjects who received any study drug, had a baseline BCVA assessment, and had at least one post-baseline BCVA assessment. With regard to the efficacy evaluation of this study, the FAS was considered the primary analysis | |

Primary: The proportion of subjects who gain ≥ 15 letters in best corrected visual acuity (BCVA) on the early treatment diabetic retinopathy score (ETDRS) chart compared to baseline

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| End point title | The proportion of subjects who gain ≥ 15 letters in best corrected visual acuity (BCVA) on the early treatment diabetic retinopathy score (ETDRS) chart compared to baseline ^[1] |
| End point description: Subjects who completed the study with a gain of ≥ 15 letters or dropped the study after Week 24 and having a permanent resolution of macular edema and a gain of ≥ 15 letters from baseline with regard to the latest BCVA assessment. The ETDRS chart includes 70 letters in total, more letters read correctly represents a better visual acuity | |
| End point type | Primary |
| End point timeframe: Baseline and Week 76 | |
| Notes: [1] - No statistical analyses have been specified for this primary end point. It is expected there is at least one statistical analysis for each primary end point. Justification: The statistical analysis was provided in the Attachment | |

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| End point values | IVT aflibercept | | | |
| Subject group type | Reporting group | | | |
| Number of subjects analysed | 160 | | | |
| Units: percent | | | | |
| number (confidence interval 95%) | 65.6 (57.7 to 72.9) | | | |

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| Attachments (see zip file) | Statistical analysis/17514_Statistical Analysis_Primary_BCVA |
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Statistical analyses

No statistical analyses for this end point

Primary: The proportion of subjects with a mean treatment interval between injections of ≥ 8 weeks

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| End point title | The proportion of subjects with a mean treatment interval between injections of ≥ 8 weeks ^[2] |
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End point description:

Subjects who completed the study with a mean treatment interval between injections of ≥ 8 weeks or dropped out of the study after Week 24 and having a permanent resolution of macular edema

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| End point type | Primary |
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End point timeframe:

From the last actual visit of the initiation phase to Week 76

Notes:

[2] - No statistical analyses have been specified for this primary end point. It is expected there is at least one statistical analysis for each primary end point.

Justification: The statistical analysis was provided in the Attachment

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| End point values | IVT aflibercept | | | |
| Subject group type | Reporting group | | | |
| Number of subjects analysed | 160 | | | |
| Units: percent | | | | |
| number (confidence interval 95%) | 45.0 (37.1 to 53.1) | | | |

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| Attachments (see zip file) | Statistical analysis/17514_Statistical Analysis_Primary_mean |
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Statistical analyses

No statistical analyses for this end point

Secondary: The change in best corrected visual acuity (BCVA) as measured by the early treatment diabetic retinopathy (ETDR) letter score from baseline

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| End point title | The change in best corrected visual acuity (BCVA) as measured by the early treatment diabetic retinopathy (ETDR) letter score from baseline |
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End point description:

The ETDRS chart includes 70 letters in total and the letter score ranges from 0 to 100. More letters read correctly results in a higher letter score, which represents better visual acuity

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| End point type | Secondary |
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End point timeframe:

Baseline and Week 24, 52, and 76

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| End point values | IVT aflibercept | | | |
| Subject group type | Reporting group | | | |
| Number of subjects analysed | 160 | | | |
| Units: scores | | | | |
| arithmetic mean (standard deviation) | | | | |
| Absolute BCVA letter score at baseline | 51.9 (\pm 16.8) | | | |
| Absolute BCVA letter score at Week 24 | 72.4 (\pm 16.6) | | | |
| Absolute BCVA letter score at Week 52 | 71.8 (\pm 18.1) | | | |

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| Absolute BCVA letter score at Week 76 | 72.3 (\pm 18.5) | | | |
| Change from baseline at Week 24 | 20.4 (\pm 17.0) | | | |
| Change from baseline at Week 52 | 19.9 (\pm 19.1) | | | |
| Change from baseline at Week 76 | 20.3 (\pm 19.5) | | | |

Statistical analyses

No statistical analyses for this end point

Secondary: The change in central retinal thickness (CRT) from baseline

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| End point title | The change in central retinal thickness (CRT) from baseline |
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End point description:

CRT was measured in the study eye by spectral domain optical coherence tomography (SD-OCT)

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| End point type | Secondary |
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End point timeframe:

Baseline and Week 24, 52 and 76

| End point values | IVT aflibercept | | | |
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| Subject group type | Reporting group | | | |
| Number of subjects analysed | 158 | | | |
| Units: micrometer | | | | |
| arithmetic mean (standard deviation) | | | | |
| Absolute CRT at baseline | 759.9 (\pm 246.0) | | | |
| Absolute CRT at Week 24 | 271.2 (\pm 53.1) | | | |
| Absolute CRT at Week 52 | 279.8 (\pm 106.8) | | | |
| Absolute CRT at Week 76 | 265.4 (\pm 57.9) | | | |
| Change from baseline at Week 24 | -488.9 (\pm 254.6) | | | |
| Change from baseline at Week 52 | -481.3 (\pm 266.5) | | | |
| Change from baseline at Week 76 | -496.1 (\pm 252.4) | | | |

Statistical analyses

No statistical analyses for this end point

Secondary: The number of injections per subject

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| End point title | The number of injections per subject |
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End point description:

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| End point type | Secondary |
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End point timeframe:
From baseline to Week 76

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| End point values | IVT aflibercept | | | |
| Subject group type | Reporting group | | | |
| Number of subjects analysed | 160 | | | |
| Units: injections | | | | |
| arithmetic mean (standard deviation) | 12.2 (\pm 2.53) | | | |

Statistical analyses

No statistical analyses for this end point

Secondary: The mean treatment interval between injections

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| End point title | The mean treatment interval between injections |
| End point description: | |
| End point type | Secondary |
| End point timeframe: | |
| From baseline to Week 76 | |

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| End point values | IVT aflibercept | | | |
| Subject group type | Reporting group | | | |
| Number of subjects analysed | 150 | | | |
| Units: weeks | | | | |
| arithmetic mean (standard deviation) | 6.37 (\pm 1.150) | | | |

Statistical analyses

No statistical analyses for this end point

Secondary: The proportion of subjects who gain ≥ 15 letters in best corrected visual acuity (BCVA) on the early treatment diabetic retinopathy score (ETDRS) chart compared to baseline

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| End point title | The proportion of subjects who gain ≥ 15 letters in best corrected visual acuity (BCVA) on the early treatment diabetic retinopathy score (ETDRS) chart compared to baseline |
| End point description: | |
| The ETDRS chart includes 70 letters in total. More letters read correctly represents a better visual acuity | |
| End point type | Secondary |

End point timeframe:

Baseline and Week 24, Week 52

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| End point values | IVT aflibercept | | | |
| Subject group type | Reporting group | | | |
| Number of subjects analysed | 160 | | | |
| Units: percent | | | | |
| number (confidence interval 95%) | | | | |
| Week 24 | 68.8 (61.0 to 75.8) | | | |
| Week 52 | 68.1 (60.3 to 75.3) | | | |

Statistical analyses

No statistical analyses for this end point

Secondary: The proportion of subjects with change in retinal non-perfusion (FA/FP) status from baseline

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| End point title | The proportion of subjects with change in retinal non-perfusion (FA/FP) status from baseline |
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End point description:

The change in retinal non-perfusion status by fundus angiography (FA)/fundus photography (FP)-confirmed ischemic disc area. The status was categorized into: no non-perfusion, <10 ischemic disc area, >=10 ischemic disc area and missing status

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| End point type | Secondary |
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End point timeframe:

Baseline and Week 24, 52 and 76

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| End point values | IVT aflibercept | | | |
| Subject group type | Reporting group | | | |
| Number of subjects analysed | 160 | | | |
| Units: percent | | | | |
| number (not applicable) | | | | |
| Baseline to week 24: no to <10 | 4.4 | | | |
| Baseline to week 24: no to >=10 | 3.8 | | | |
| Baseline to week 24: no to missing | 6.3 | | | |
| Baseline to week 24: <10 to no | 0.6 | | | |
| Baseline to week 24: <10 to >=10 | 0.6 | | | |
| Baseline to week 24: <10 to missing | 0 | | | |
| Baseline to week 24: >=10 to no | 1.3 | | | |
| Baseline to week 24: >=10 to <10 | 0 | | | |
| Baseline to week 24: >=10 to missing | 0.6 | | | |
| Baseline to week 24: missing to no | 0 | | | |
| Baseline to week 24: missing to <10 | 0.6 | | | |

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| Baseline to week 24: missing to ≥ 10 | 0.6 | | | |
| Baseline to week 24: no status change | 81.9 | | | |
| Baseline to week 52: no to < 10 | 5.0 | | | |
| Baseline to week 52: no to ≥ 10 | 5.6 | | | |
| Baseline to week 52: no to missing | 10.6 | | | |
| Baseline to week 52: < 10 to no | 1.9 | | | |
| Baseline to week 52: < 10 to ≥ 10 | 0 | | | |
| Baseline to week 52: < 10 to missing | 0 | | | |
| Baseline to week 52: ≥ 10 to no | 1.9 | | | |
| Baseline to week 52: ≥ 10 to < 10 | 0 | | | |
| Baseline to week 52: ≥ 10 to missing | 0 | | | |
| Baseline to week 52: missing to no | 0 | | | |
| Baseline to week 52: missing to < 10 | 0.6 | | | |
| Baseline to week 52: missing to ≥ 10 | 0.6 | | | |
| Baseline to week 52: no status change | 73.8 | | | |
| Baseline to week 76: no to < 10 | 3.1 | | | |
| Baseline to week 76: no to ≥ 10 | 4.4 | | | |
| Baseline to week 76: no to missing | 18.1 | | | |
| Baseline to week 76: < 10 to no | 1.3 | | | |
| Baseline to week 76: < 10 to ≥ 10 | 0.6 | | | |
| Baseline to week 76: < 10 to missing | 0.6 | | | |
| Baseline to week 76: ≥ 10 to no | 0.3 | | | |
| Baseline to week 76: ≥ 10 to < 10 | 0 | | | |
| Baseline to week 76: missing to no | 0 | | | |
| Baseline to week 76: missing to < 10 | 0.6 | | | |
| Baseline to week 76: missing to ≥ 10 | 0.6 | | | |
| Baseline to week 76: no status change | 69.4 | | | |

Statistical analyses

No statistical analyses for this end point

Secondary: The proportion of subjects with absence of subretinal fluid

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| End point title | The proportion of subjects with absence of subretinal fluid |
| End point description: | |
| n is the number of subjects analyzed for each respective endpoint | |
| End point type | Secondary |
| End point timeframe: | |
| Baseline, week 24, week 52 and week 76 | |

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| End point values | IVT aflibercept | | | |
| Subject group type | Reporting group | | | |
| Number of subjects analysed | 160 | | | |
| Units: percent | | | | |
| number (confidence interval 95%) | | | | |

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| Baseline (n=160) | 25.6 (19.1 to 33.1) | | | |
| Week 24 (n=154) | 98.7 (95.4 to 99.8) | | | |
| Week 52 (n=153) | 95.4 (90.8 to 98.1) | | | |
| Week 76 (n=137) | 97.8 (93.7 to 99.5) | | | |

Statistical analyses

No statistical analyses for this end point

Secondary: Incidence and severity of ocular treatment-emergent adverse events

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| End point title | Incidence and severity of ocular treatment-emergent adverse events |
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End point description:

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| End point type | Secondary |
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End point timeframe:

Up to 30 days after week 76

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| End point values | IVT aflibercept | | | |
| Subject group type | Reporting group | | | |
| Number of subjects analysed | 162 | | | |
| Units: subjects | | | | |
| Any ocular TEAEs | 90 | | | |
| Severity: mild | 39 | | | |
| Severity: moderate | 43 | | | |
| Severity: severe | 8 | | | |

Statistical analyses

No statistical analyses for this end point

Adverse events

Adverse events information

Timeframe for reporting adverse events:

Up to 30 days after week 76

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| Assessment type | Non-systematic |
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Dictionary used

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| Dictionary name | MedDRA |
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| Dictionary version | 22.0 |
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Reporting groups

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| Reporting group title | IVT aflibercept |
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Reporting group description:

Subjects with macular edema secondary to CRVO were treated with 2 mg study drug intravitreal aflibercept over a treatment period of 76 weeks.

| Serious adverse events | IVT aflibercept | | |
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| Total subjects affected by serious adverse events | | | |
| subjects affected / exposed | 32 / 162 (19.75%) | | |
| number of deaths (all causes) | 4 | | |
| number of deaths resulting from adverse events | 2 | | |
| Neoplasms benign, malignant and unspecified (incl cysts and polyps) | | | |
| Metastases to lymph nodes | | | |
| subjects affected / exposed | 1 / 162 (0.62%) | | |
| occurrences causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 1 | | |
| deaths causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 0 | | |
| Vascular disorders | | | |
| Deep vein thrombosis | | | |
| subjects affected / exposed | 1 / 162 (0.62%) | | |
| occurrences causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 1 | | |
| deaths causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 0 | | |
| Haematoma | | | |
| subjects affected / exposed | 1 / 162 (0.62%) | | |
| occurrences causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 1 | | |
| deaths causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 0 | | |
| Peripheral arterial occlusive disease | | | |

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| subjects affected / exposed | 1 / 162 (0.62%) | | |
| occurrences causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 1 | | |
| deaths causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 0 | | |
| Reproductive system and breast disorders | | | |
| Endometriosis | | | |
| subjects affected / exposed | 1 / 162 (0.62%) | | |
| occurrences causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 1 | | |
| deaths causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 0 | | |
| Respiratory, thoracic and mediastinal disorders | | | |
| Pulmonary embolism | | | |
| subjects affected / exposed | 1 / 162 (0.62%) | | |
| occurrences causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 1 | | |
| deaths causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 1 | | |
| Psychiatric disorders | | | |
| Delirium | | | |
| subjects affected / exposed | 1 / 162 (0.62%) | | |
| occurrences causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 1 | | |
| deaths causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 0 | | |
| Cardiac disorders | | | |
| Atrial fibrillation | | | |
| subjects affected / exposed | 4 / 162 (2.47%) | | |
| occurrences causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 4 | | |
| deaths causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 0 | | |
| Atrial flutter | | | |
| subjects affected / exposed | 1 / 162 (0.62%) | | |
| occurrences causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 1 | | |
| deaths causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 1 | | |
| Bundle branch block bilateral | | | |
| subjects affected / exposed | 1 / 162 (0.62%) | | |
| occurrences causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 1 | | |
| deaths causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 0 | | |
| Cardiac failure acute | | | |

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| subjects affected / exposed | 1 / 162 (0.62%) | | |
| occurrences causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 1 | | |
| deaths causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 0 | | |
| Mitral valve incompetence | | | |
| subjects affected / exposed | 1 / 162 (0.62%) | | |
| occurrences causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 1 | | |
| deaths causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 0 | | |
| Ventricular tachycardia | | | |
| subjects affected / exposed | 1 / 162 (0.62%) | | |
| occurrences causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 1 | | |
| deaths causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 0 | | |
| Nervous system disorders | | | |
| Dementia | | | |
| subjects affected / exposed | 1 / 162 (0.62%) | | |
| occurrences causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 1 | | |
| deaths causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 0 | | |
| Syncope | | | |
| subjects affected / exposed | 1 / 162 (0.62%) | | |
| occurrences causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 1 | | |
| deaths causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 0 | | |
| Blood and lymphatic system disorders | | | |
| Thrombocytopenia | | | |
| subjects affected / exposed | 1 / 162 (0.62%) | | |
| occurrences causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 1 | | |
| deaths causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 0 | | |
| Eye disorders | | | |
| Amaurosis fugax | | | |
| subjects affected / exposed | 1 / 162 (0.62%) | | |
| occurrences causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 1 | | |
| deaths causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 0 | | |
| Cataract | | | |
| subjects affected / exposed | 1 / 162 (0.62%) | | |
| occurrences causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 1 | | |
| deaths causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 0 | | |

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| Iridocyclitis | | | |
| subjects affected / exposed | 1 / 162 (0.62%) | | |
| occurrences causally related to treatment / all | 1 / 1 | | |
| deaths causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 0 | | |
| Retinal artery occlusion | | | |
| subjects affected / exposed | 1 / 162 (0.62%) | | |
| occurrences causally related to treatment / all | 1 / 1 | | |
| deaths causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 0 | | |
| Retinal degeneration | | | |
| subjects affected / exposed | 1 / 162 (0.62%) | | |
| occurrences causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 1 | | |
| deaths causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 0 | | |
| Retinal ischaemia | | | |
| subjects affected / exposed | 2 / 162 (1.23%) | | |
| occurrences causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 2 | | |
| deaths causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 0 | | |
| Retinal vein occlusion | | | |
| subjects affected / exposed | 1 / 162 (0.62%) | | |
| occurrences causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 1 | | |
| deaths causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 0 | | |
| Visual acuity reduced | | | |
| subjects affected / exposed | 1 / 162 (0.62%) | | |
| occurrences causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 1 | | |
| deaths causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 0 | | |
| Visual impairment | | | |
| subjects affected / exposed | 1 / 162 (0.62%) | | |
| occurrences causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 1 | | |
| deaths causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 0 | | |
| Gastrointestinal disorders | | | |
| Gastric ulcer | | | |
| subjects affected / exposed | 2 / 162 (1.23%) | | |
| occurrences causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 2 | | |
| deaths causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 0 | | |
| Inguinal hernia | | | |

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| subjects affected / exposed | 1 / 162 (0.62%) | | |
| occurrences causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 1 | | |
| deaths causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 0 | | |
| Hepatobiliary disorders | | | |
| Cholecystitis acute | | | |
| subjects affected / exposed | 1 / 162 (0.62%) | | |
| occurrences causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 1 | | |
| deaths causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 0 | | |
| Hepatic haemorrhage | | | |
| subjects affected / exposed | 1 / 162 (0.62%) | | |
| occurrences causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 1 | | |
| deaths causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 0 | | |
| Renal and urinary disorders | | | |
| Acute kidney injury | | | |
| subjects affected / exposed | 1 / 162 (0.62%) | | |
| occurrences causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 1 | | |
| deaths causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 0 | | |
| Renal colic | | | |
| subjects affected / exposed | 1 / 162 (0.62%) | | |
| occurrences causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 1 | | |
| deaths causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 0 | | |
| Musculoskeletal and connective tissue disorders | | | |
| Arthralgia | | | |
| subjects affected / exposed | 1 / 162 (0.62%) | | |
| occurrences causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 1 | | |
| deaths causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 0 | | |
| Osteoarthritis | | | |
| subjects affected / exposed | 1 / 162 (0.62%) | | |
| occurrences causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 1 | | |
| deaths causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 0 | | |
| Musculoskeletal pain | | | |
| subjects affected / exposed | 1 / 162 (0.62%) | | |
| occurrences causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 1 | | |
| deaths causally related to treatment / all | 0 / 0 | | |

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| Infections and infestations Endocarditis subjects affected / exposed occurrences causally related to treatment / all deaths causally related to treatment / all | 1 / 162 (0.62%) 0 / 1 0 / 0 | | |
| Lower respiratory tract infection subjects affected / exposed occurrences causally related to treatment / all deaths causally related to treatment / all | 1 / 162 (0.62%) 0 / 1 0 / 1 | | |
| Gastroenteritis viral subjects affected / exposed occurrences causally related to treatment / all deaths causally related to treatment / all | 1 / 162 (0.62%) 0 / 1 0 / 0 | | |
| Gastrointestinal viral infection subjects affected / exposed occurrences causally related to treatment / all deaths causally related to treatment / all | 1 / 162 (0.62%) 0 / 1 0 / 0 | | |
| Urosepsis subjects affected / exposed occurrences causally related to treatment / all deaths causally related to treatment / all | 1 / 162 (0.62%) 0 / 2 0 / 0 | | |
| Pneumonia subjects affected / exposed occurrences causally related to treatment / all deaths causally related to treatment / all | 1 / 162 (0.62%) 0 / 1 0 / 1 | | |
| Latent syphilis subjects affected / exposed occurrences causally related to treatment / all deaths causally related to treatment / all | 1 / 162 (0.62%) 0 / 1 0 / 0 | | |

Frequency threshold for reporting non-serious adverse events: 5 %

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| Non-serious adverse events | IVT aflibercept | | |
| Total subjects affected by non-serious adverse events | | | |
| subjects affected / exposed | 81 / 162 (50.00%) | | |
| Investigations | | | |
| Intraocular pressure increased | | | |
| subjects affected / exposed | 20 / 162 (12.35%) | | |
| occurrences (all) | 40 | | |
| Vascular disorders | | | |
| Hypertension | | | |
| subjects affected / exposed | 19 / 162 (11.73%) | | |
| occurrences (all) | 25 | | |
| Eye disorders | | | |
| Macular oedema | | | |
| subjects affected / exposed | 12 / 162 (7.41%) | | |
| occurrences (all) | 13 | | |
| Conjunctival haemorrhage | | | |
| subjects affected / exposed | 18 / 162 (11.11%) | | |
| occurrences (all) | 23 | | |
| Retinal ischaemia | | | |
| subjects affected / exposed | 13 / 162 (8.02%) | | |
| occurrences (all) | 16 | | |
| Retinal haemorrhage | | | |
| subjects affected / exposed | 14 / 162 (8.64%) | | |
| occurrences (all) | 14 | | |
| Visual acuity reduced | | | |
| subjects affected / exposed | 26 / 162 (16.05%) | | |
| occurrences (all) | 37 | | |
| Vitreous detachment | | | |
| subjects affected / exposed | 9 / 162 (5.56%) | | |
| occurrences (all) | 11 | | |
| Foreign body sensation in eyes | | | |
| subjects affected / exposed | 9 / 162 (5.56%) | | |
| occurrences (all) | 13 | | |
| Infections and infestations | | | |
| Nasopharyngitis | | | |
| subjects affected / exposed | 26 / 162 (16.05%) | | |
| occurrences (all) | 40 | | |

More information

Substantial protocol amendments (globally)

Were there any global substantial amendments to the protocol? Yes

| Date | Amendment |
|---------------|---|
| 20 April 2016 | Clarification that the secondary and exploratory variables of retinal perfusion status included data from screening/baseline combined visit; Clarification on time point for follow up and the final study visit; Eligibility criteria did not need to be repeated at the baseline visit; Definition of types of age related macular degeneration (Exclusion criterion 22); Clarification on time period for stability criteria; Clarification that PRP rescue may be used per investigator discretion; Pregnancy testing was mandatory for women of childbearing potential at every treatment visit prior to injection and at end of study visit if required by local regulations. |

Notes:

Interruptions (globally)

Were there any global interruptions to the trial? No

Limitations and caveats

None reported