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Avadel is a global biopharmaceutical company focused on transforming medicines to transform lives – starting with narcolepsy.



Avadel: All the Components for Long-Term Growth

LUMRYZ

a differentiated sodium oxybate product designed to be **taken once** at bedtime for the treatment of cataplexy or EDS in adults with narcolepsy

Research shows majority of **BOTH patients and physicians** prefer **once-at-bedtime dosing over all attributes** (including sodium content) when choosing an oxybate

Fully Approved May 1, 2023; Orphan Drug Exclusivity through May 1, 2030

Ongoing OLE/switch **RESTORE** Study of LUMRYZ; **94% of switch patients prefer once-at-bedtime LUMRYZ dosing regimen**

LUMRYZ launch expected no later than **June 2023**; Launch preparations well underway

Demonstrated **clinically meaningful improvement** for the two cardinal symptoms of narcolepsy in **pivotal Phase 3 REST-ON trial**

19 Years 

Intellectual property protection into early 2042

Future oxybate estimated market value: **>\$3B**

Represented by: **> 30K Patients**



Accomplished Management Team with Strong Expertise



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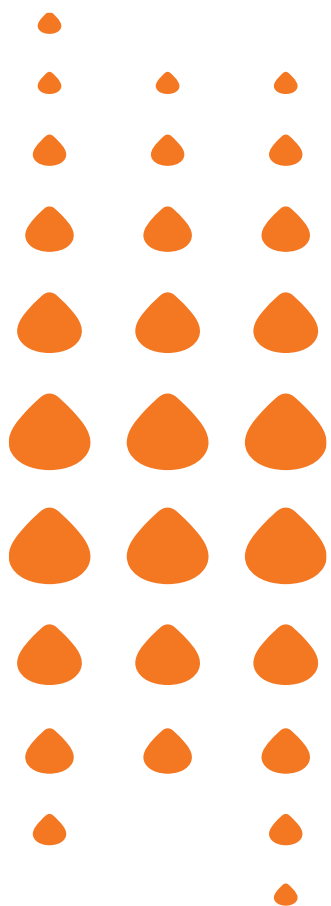
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Narcolepsy: A Serious Unmet Need

Narcolepsy

An under-diagnosed, chronic neurological disorder that affects the brain's ability to control sleep-wake cycles

2 cardinal symptoms:

- **Excessive daytime sleepiness (EDS)**
- **Cataplexy** (a sudden loss of muscle tone, which can be triggered by strong emotion)

Patients With Narcolepsy experience disrupted nocturnal sleep

Current treatments also disrupt sleep:

- Wake promoting agents and stimulants can cause insomnia
- Current twice nightly oxybates require patients to wake up during the middle of the night to take a second dose

Oxybates are the current standard of care for both EDS and cataplexy

Traditional, immediate-release oxybate therapies have a short half-life and require twice nightly dosing, the 2nd dose being taken 2.5-4 hours after falling asleep

LUMRYZ Opportunity

Middle of night dosing required by 2x-nightly oxybates create challenges for patients & physicians

Current Challenges in the Narcolepsy Market

- At least 65%¹ of people with narcolepsy experience disturbances in nocturnal sleep
- The American Academy of Sleep Medicine (AASM) 2021 Clinical Practice Guidelines recognize insomnia as a common AE for daytime meds to treat narcolepsy
- Market research shows that only about half of eligible patients are receiving oxybates, citing physician perception for patients being unable to comply with twice nightly dosing

What once-at-bedtime LUMRYZ™ can Offer to People with Narcolepsy

- Pivotal Phase 3 REST-ON trial data demonstrated clinically meaningful improvement for two cardinal symptoms of narcolepsy, EDS and cataplexy, as well as improvements in disturbed nocturnal sleep
- With potential approval of once-at-bedtime dosing of LUMRYZ, patients will have the opportunity for an uninterrupted night sleep

Patients and Physicians Prefer LUMRYZ

- 94% of patients participating in the RESTORE study who switched from twice-nightly prefer once-at-bedtime LUMRYZ™
- Market research shows that LUMRYZ has the potential to grow oxybate usage by >50% with current and new prescribers

Proprietary Drug Delivery Technology and Formulation

The Advantages

- Controlled delivery of once-at-bedtime sodium oxybate
- Induces slow-wave sleep to enable a continuous & restorative night's sleep
- Potential to improve adherence and persistency, safety and clinical outcomes

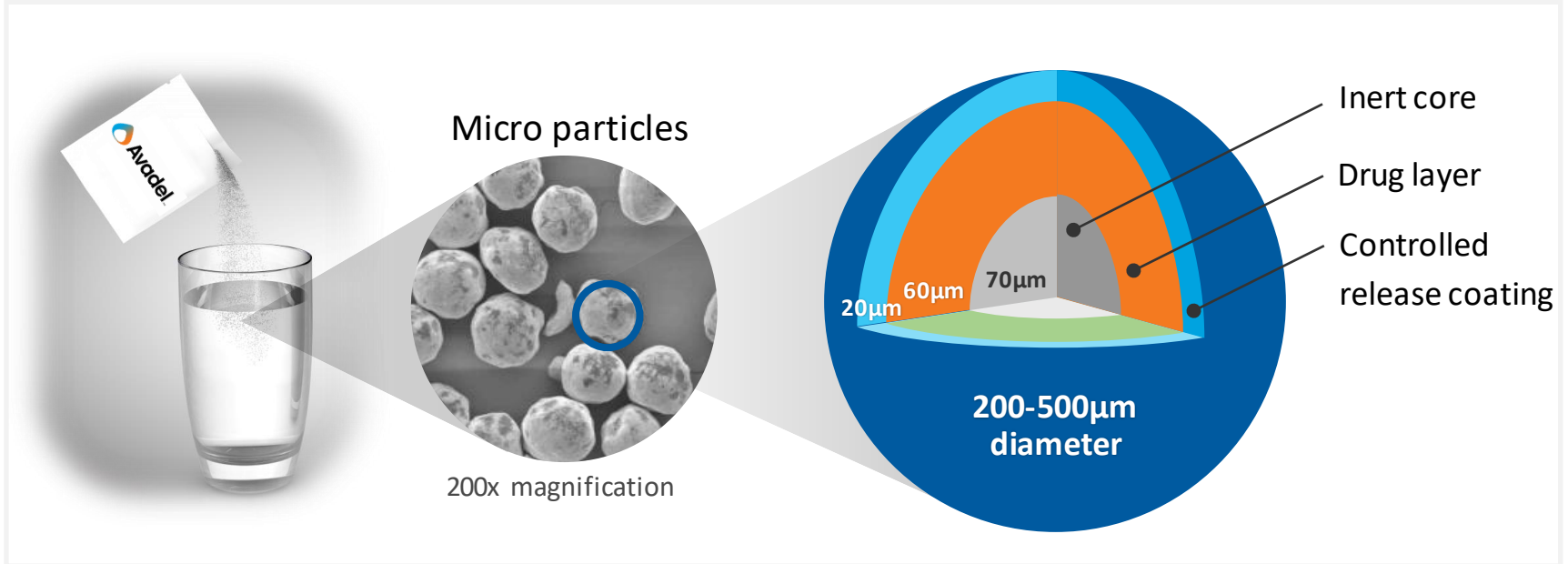
Avadel's Drug Delivery Technology

Contains thousands of IR & CR microparticles

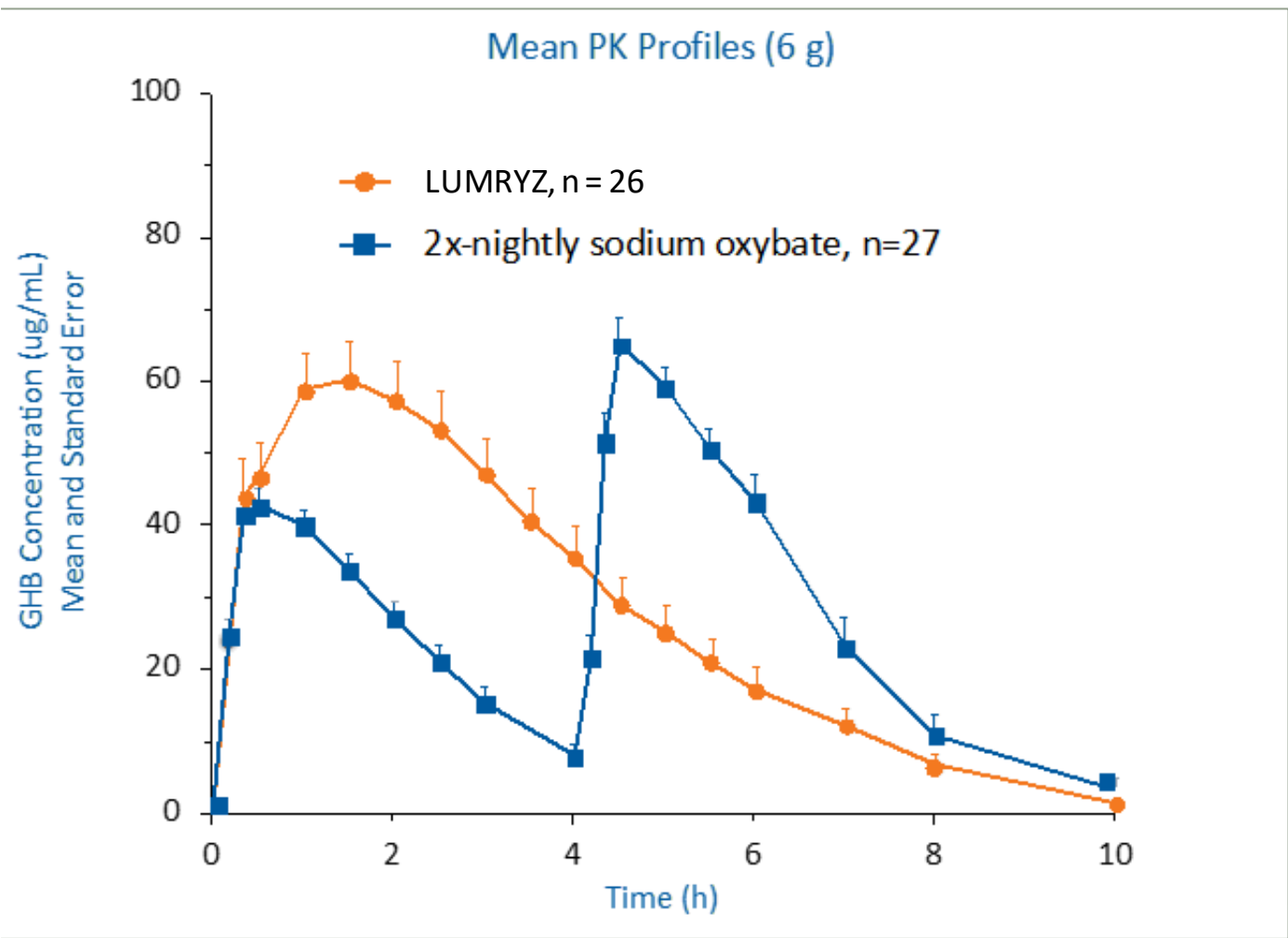
- Each is a miniature delivery system

Microparticulate design can be adapted to drug's specific challenges

- Modify coatings / thickness



PK Profile Optimized for Once-At-Bedtime Dosing



Comparison to 2x-Nightly

Advantage	Single pre-measured once-at-bedtime dose
Advantage	No middle-of-the-night dosing; eliminates potential of second dose taken too early, too late, or completely missed
Similar	Overall exposure (AUC) – bioequivalent to SoC
Similar	Onset time

Pivotal Phase 3 REST-ON Trial Results

Positive Results Across All Co-Primary Endpoints For All Doses



Once-at-bedtime LUMRYZ:

6, 7.5 and 9 g all demonstrated <0.001 compared to placebo, for each of the 3 co-primary endpoints



Improvement of:

1. Excessive daytime sleepiness (MWT)
2. Clinician's overall assessment of patient function (CGI-I)
3. Reduction in cataplexy attacks



LUMRYZ was generally well-tolerated; commonly known sodium oxybate adverse reactions occurred at low rates even at the highest dose (9 g)

Pivotal publication for LUMRYZ Ph III study: Kushida et al. *Sleep*. 2022
Plain Language Summary by Kushida et al. *Future Neurology*. 2022

Pivotal Phase 3 REST-ON Trial Results

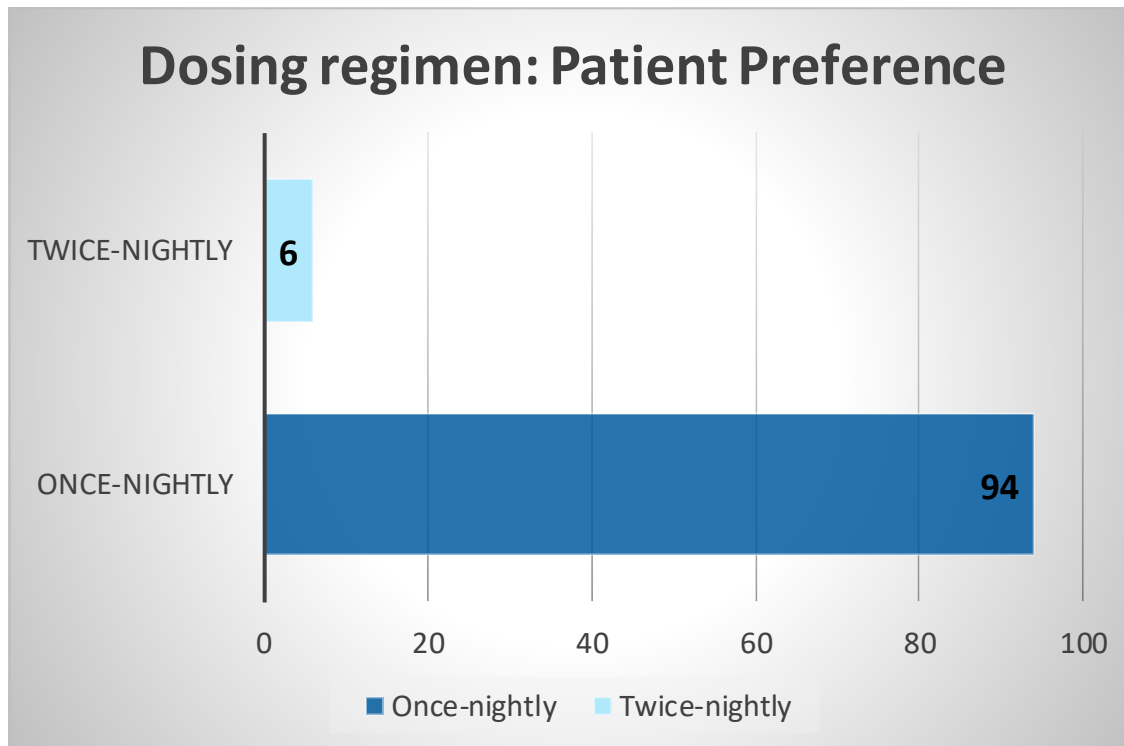
LUMRYZ 9g was Generally Well-Tolerated

	LUMRYZ (%) N=77	Placebo (%) N=80
Any Adverse Drug Reaction (ADR)	35.1	5.0
Any Serious ADR	1.3	0.0
ADR Leading To Discontinuation	3.9	0.0
ADRs \geq2% and greater than placebo in LUMRYZ		
Decreased Weight	3.9	0.0
Vomiting	5.2	0.0
Decreased Appetite	2.6	0.0
Dizziness	5.2	0.0
Somnolence	3.9	0.0
Enuresis	9.1	0.0

RESTORE

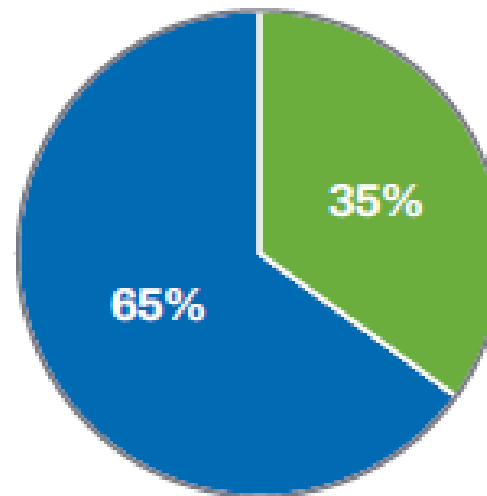
Long-Term Study Designed to Evaluate Safety and Tolerability of LUMRYZ

- **94% of patients prefer once-nightly dosing**
- Low rate of discontinuation due to adverse reactions; largest cohort of switch patients
- Patients on twice-nightly oxybates report missing and/or taking second dose too late resulting in negative impacts on narcolepsy symptoms and patient quality of life



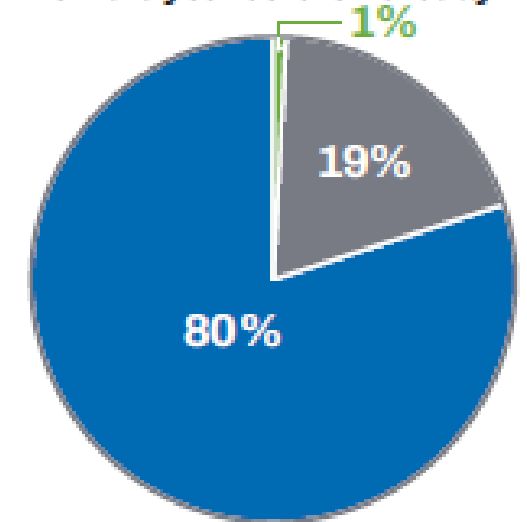
Roy et al. CHEST 2022. Nashville TN

In the past 3 months, have you accidentally missed your 2nd dose?

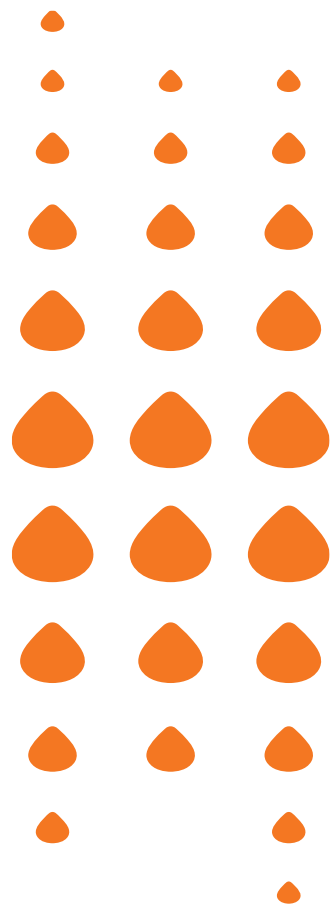


■ Have not missed 2nd dose
■ Missed 2nd dose

If you missed a dose (intentionally or unintentionally), how did you feel the next day?



■ Same ■ Worse ■ Better

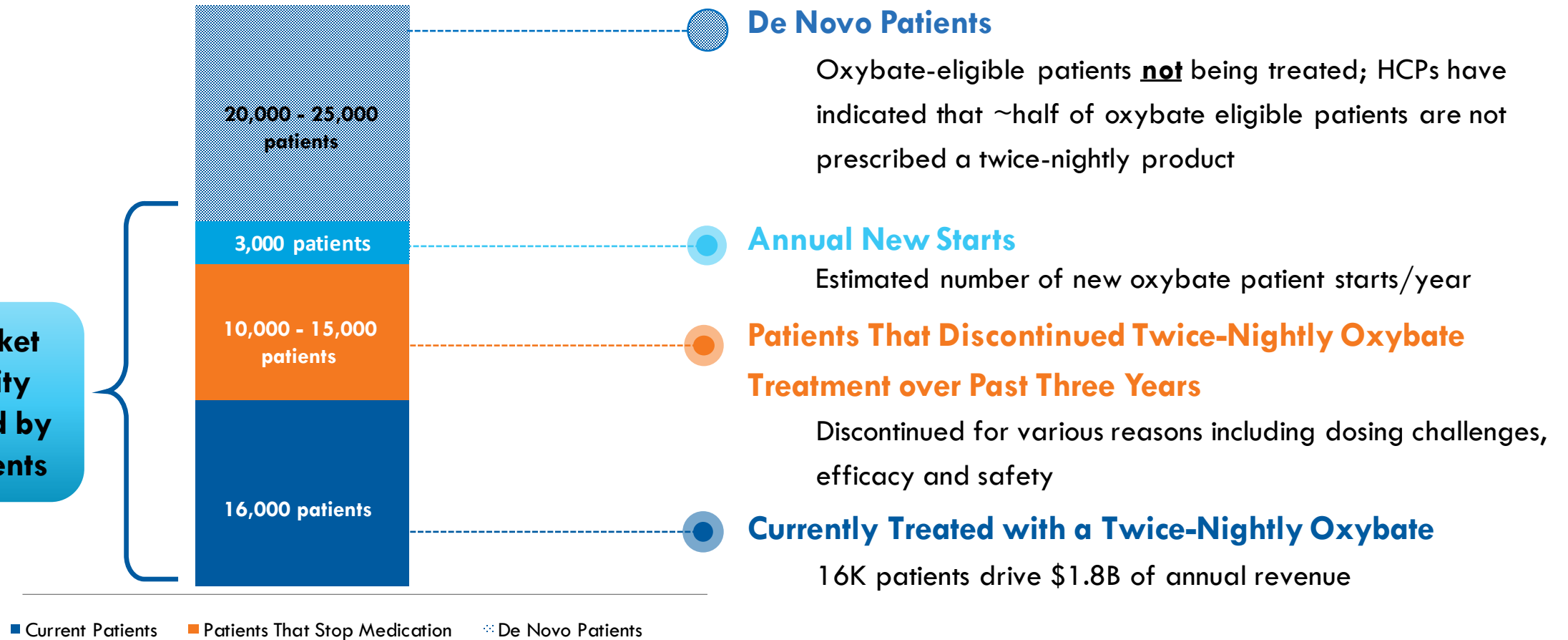


Commercial Strategy

LUMRYZ Market Opportunity

Positioned to be 2X that of Current Twice-Nightly Oxybates

>\$3B market opportunity represented by 35K+ patients



Notes: Estimates based on actual historical patient claims data and proprietary in-depth commercial research conducted on behalf of Avadel

LUMRYZ is Well-Positioned to Lead Across All Narcolepsy Patient Segments

Current 2X-nightly OXB (~16K patients)

- **70%+** of patient on current oxybates experience “**poor quality sleep**” several times a week*
- **High patient interest in LUMRYZ (80%+)***
- **Once at bedtime dosing preferred over all attributes** (including sodium content) for patients and physicians in 2021 Discrete Choice Experiment (DCE)

Recently discontinued 2X nightly OXB (~10-15K patients)

- Current discontinuation rates are estimated to be **20-25% after month one, and 40-50% across first year***
- Many discontinued patients remain **highly interested in learning about LUMRYZ (60%+)***
- Discontinuations typically driven by a variety of **efficacy AND dosing related challenges**

Annual New Oxybate Patients (~3K annually)

- **Inconvenient dosing** is the most frequently cited challenge as why patients decline to initiate current oxybates
- Patients express dis-satisfaction with wake promoting agents and stimulant, **interest in LUMRYZ is high (70%+)***
- **New starts expected to grow** with introduction of LUMRYZ, potential for new starts to grow to **4-5K annually**

Data Suggests Patient Preference for Once-at-Bedtime LUMRYZ

RESTORE study results demonstrate 94% of switch patients prefer once-at-bedtime LUMRYZ

“Taking twice nightly Oxybate is annoying, not only do I have to measure it out and put it in the medication cup and fill it up, I have to put it on my nightstand, if I oversleep, I can't take it if too close to getting kids up for school. Once at bedtime would simplify a lot.”

*– Oxybate Experienced Patient**

Physicians Prefer Once-at-Bedtime Dosing Regimen Over Twice Nightly Dosing

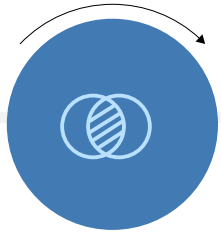
“Looks like wouldn’t be too hard to switch over. I would discuss [LUMRYZ] with all my patients and see if patients want it and I have no problem doing this if a patient asked to switch”

*- Sleep Medicine Specialist HCP**

“I would use [LUMRYZ] even if patients are well controlled, because it’s better to not have to wake up during the night and patients would be more compliant. Therefore, it’s also more cost effective as [compliance is higher]”

*-Sleep Medicine Specialist HCP**

Established Launch Strategy with Preparations Underway



REMS

- Finalized with FDA
- Programing with REMS partner completed
- Fully operational as of May 2023



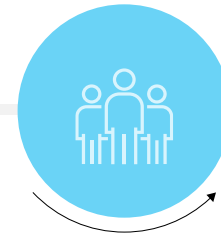
Product

- Initial commercial launch supply complete
- FDA allowed import of LUMRYZ commercial product prior to final FDA approval
- RYZUP patient support services center fully operational Q2 2023
- Specialty pharmacy partners selected



Payers

- Planning for parity pricing and coverage with branded 2x-nightly oxybates
- Positive payer conversations
- Initial GPO contracts under review



Team

- Full commercial leadership team in place
- MSLs, Payer Account Teams, Sales Leadership all hired
- Commercial infrastructure with full sales team 1H2023

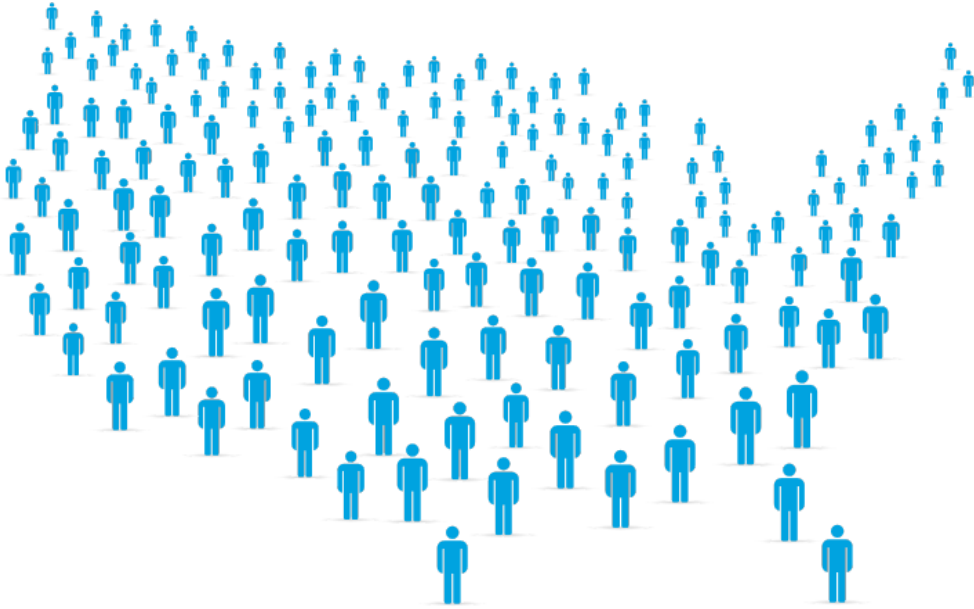


Competition

- LUMRYZ value proposition offers strong clinical differentiation
- Payer strategy in place to address authorized generic entry in 2023 and multi-sourced generic entry in 2026

Concentrated U.S. HCP Universe

Enables an Efficient Launch and Ability to Focus Resources on Sleep Specialists' Offices



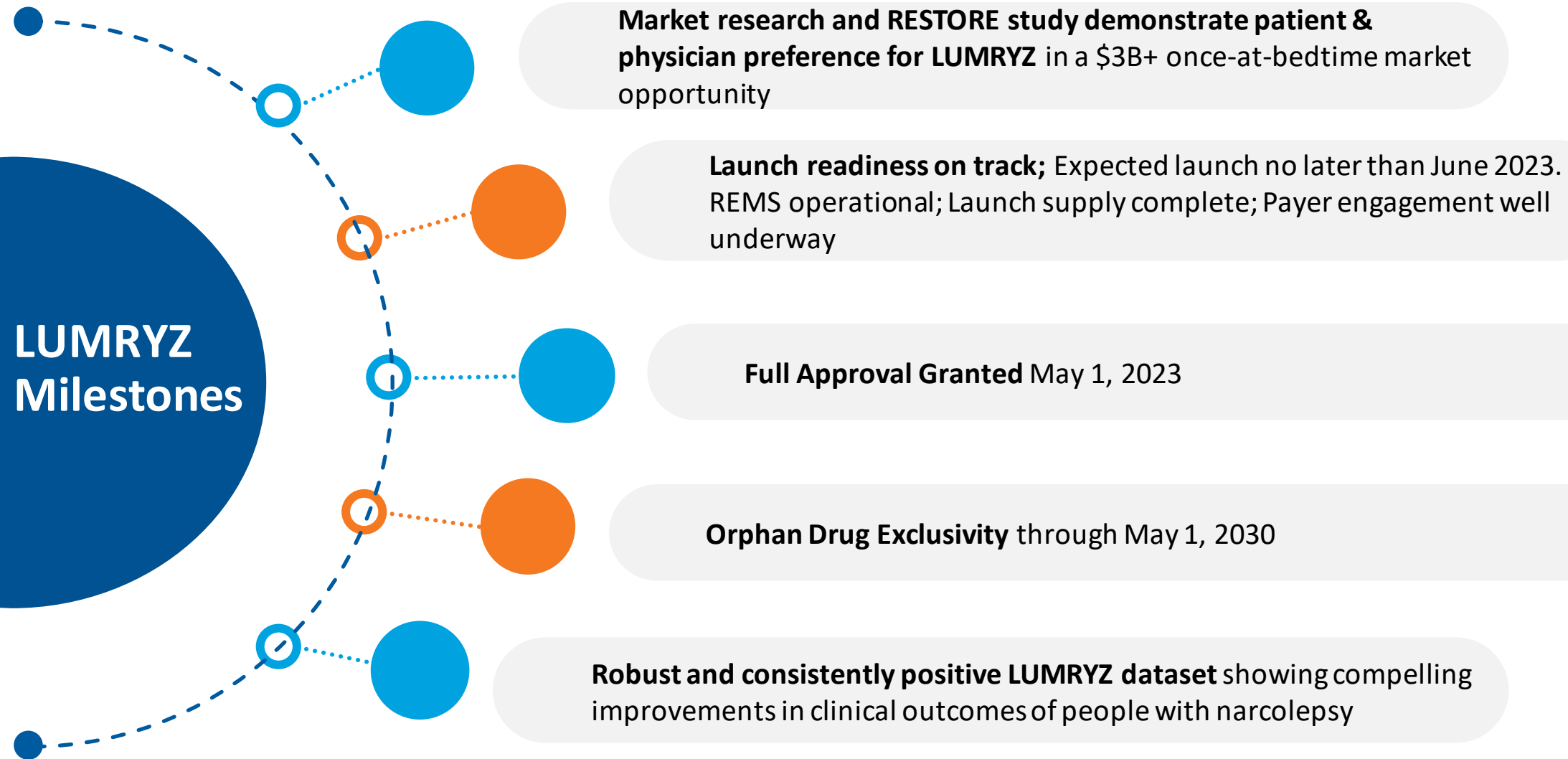
Concentrated Prescriber Base (% oxybate total prescription volume)

- ~4,000 prescribers account for 100%
- ~1,600 prescribers account for 80%
- ~500 prescribers account for 50%

U.S. Commercial Team: Building an exceptional customer-facing team

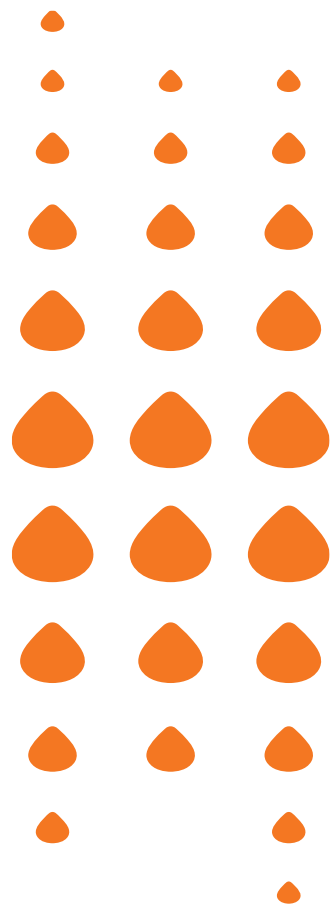
- Salesforce of ~ 50 Territory Business Managers (TBMs) allows complete coverage of oxybate prescribers
- Field Reimbursement Managers (FRMs) supporting offices to secure reimbursement and coverage
- National Account Directors (NADs) aligned to GPO/PBM/SP enterprises to enable more holistic support and solutions

Investment Thesis





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Appendix

Financial Summary*

(\$ and Shares in millions)

Twelve Months, Ended December 31	2022	2021
Operating Expenses **	\$ 95.2	\$ 85.6
R&D Expense	20.7	17.1
SG&A Expense	74.5	68.5
Restructuring (Income) Expense	\$ 3.3	\$ (0.1)
Net (Loss) Income	\$ (137.5)	\$ (77.3)
<i>Ordinary Shares Outstanding</i>	<i>62.9</i>	<i>58.6</i>
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 96.5	\$ 157.2
Debt***	\$ 117.4	\$ 143.8

*Refer to Forms 10-K for years ended December 31, 2022 & 2021 filed on March 29, 2023, and March 16, 2022, respectively, for full financial statements and results of operations.

**Includes only R&D and SG&A. Refer to Forms 10-K as referenced above for full operating expenses.

***Reflects balances as of 2/28/23 and 12/31/21, respectively

Subsequent Events¹

- **Generated \$135M of net proceeds from an equity offering**
- **Secured \$75M of committed capital from a royalty financing**
- **Exchanged \$96.2M of convertible notes with a new maturity date of April 2027**

1 – For further details, refer to the annual report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2022, which was filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) on March 29, 2023

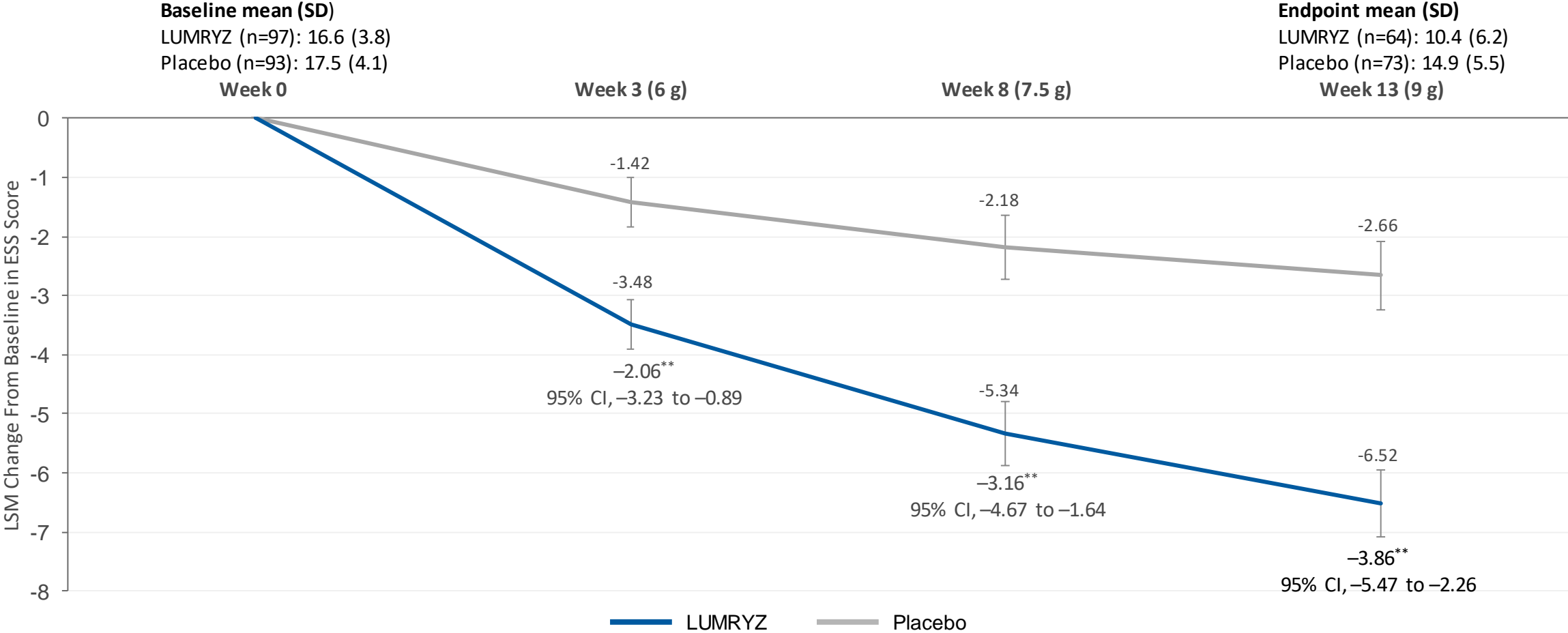
Extensive Additional Data Supports LUMRYZ Above and Beyond Positive Co-Primary Endpoints

- Mean end-of-study Epworth Sleepiness Scale for LUMRYZ of 10.4, from baseline of 16.6
 - Scores of ≥ 16 characteristic of narcolepsy; scores of ≤ 10 **considered normal**
- Significant improvements in *disturbed nocturnal sleep (DNS)*; DNS present in **~65%** of patients with narcolepsy
 - LUMRYZ, as measured by pre-specified endpoints:
 - Reduced nocturnal arousals
 - Reduced sleep stage shifts
 - Improved patient-reported visual analogue scales (VAS) sleep quality
 - Improved VAS on the refreshing nature of sleep
- LUMRYZ demonstrated efficacy in the stratified NT1 **and** NT2 subgroups, both in improving EDS and the clinician's overall assessment of functioning (CGI-I)
- LUMRYZ demonstrated improvement in narcolepsy symptoms in both those with and without concomitant stimulant use (post-hoc)
- LUMRYZ demonstrated modest weight loss reduction (post-hoc)

Source: Phase 3 REST-ON Trial

Phase 3 Efficacy: Epworth Sleepiness Scale (ESS) Secondary Endpoint

Significantly reduced ESS scores were observed vs placebo across all LUMRYZ doses ($P<0.001$)

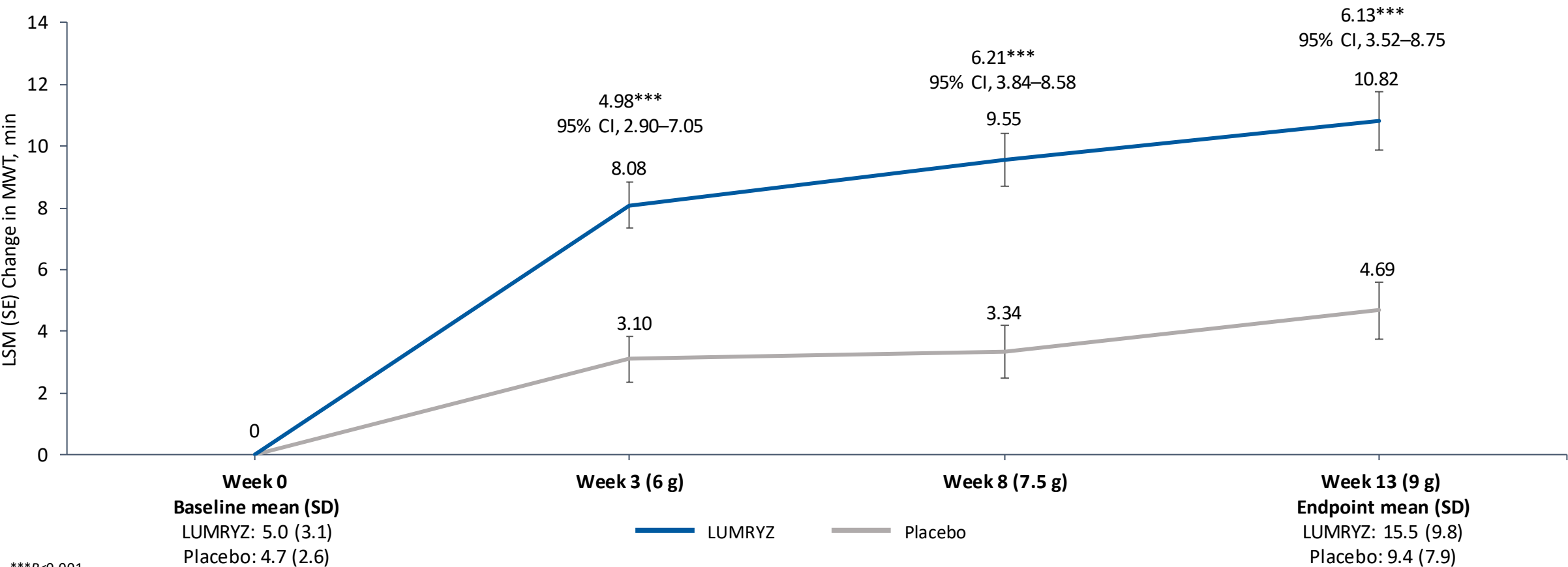


** $p<0.001$.
Kushida et. al. Sleep. 2022;45(6):zsab200.

Source: Phase 3 REST-ON Trial

Phase 3 Efficacy: Maintenance of Wakefulness Test (MWT)

Significant improvement in MWT at all LUMRYZ doses beginning as early as week 3 ($P<0.001$ vs placebo)

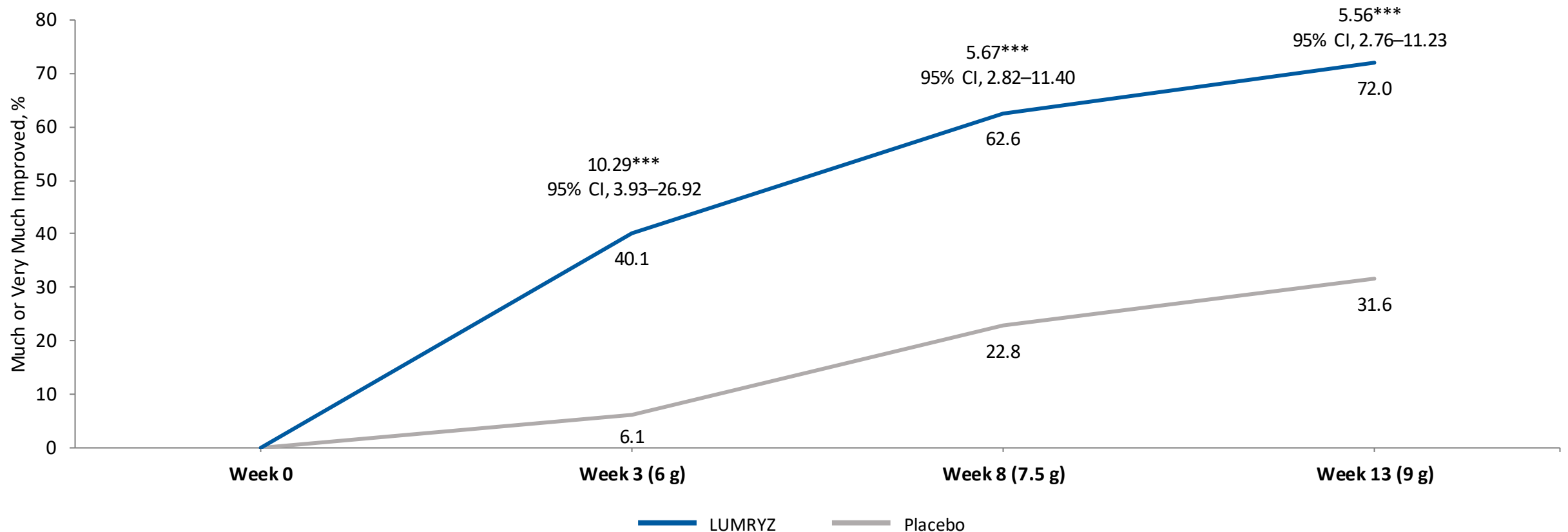


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Source: Phase 3 REST-ON Trial

Phase 3 Efficacy: Clinical Global Impression-Improvement (CGI-I)

Significantly higher proportion of patients receiving LUMRYZ were rated “much” or “very much” improved on CGI-I vs placebo at all doses ($P<0.001$)

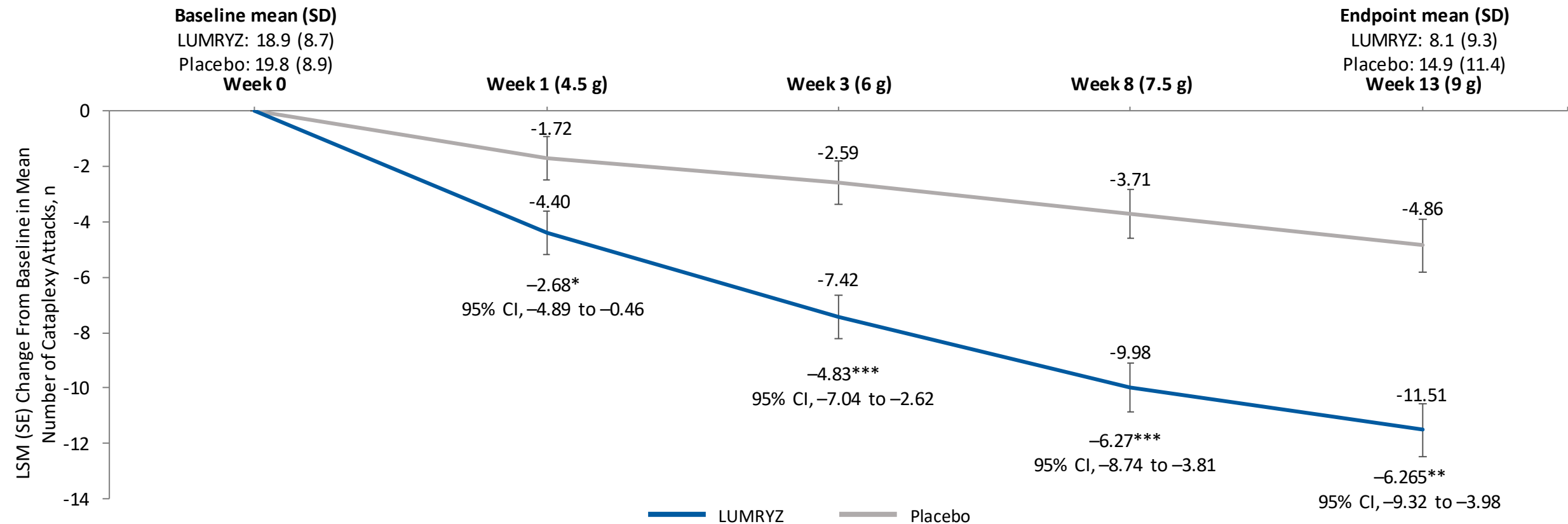


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Odds ratio shown.
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Source: Phase 3 REST-ON Trial

Phase 3 Efficacy: Weekly Number of Cataplexy Attacks

Significant reduction in mean weekly number of cataplexy attacks with all LUMRYZ doses beginning as early as week 1 (week 1, $P<0.05$ [post hoc]; weeks 3–13, $P<0.001$)



Post-hoc analysis at week 1.

* $P\leq 0.05$. *** $P<0.001$.

Kushida et. al. Sleep. 2022;45(6):zsab200.

Source: Phase 3 REST-ON Trial

20 Years of Sodium Oxybate Utilization Data Available

- Randomized Controlled Trials; 4 in adults (n=611); 1 in children (n=106)
 - No cardiovascular adverse events were reported
 - Clinical trials of sodium oxybate have not reported specific exclusion criteria for baseline hypertension
- Additional observational, open-label and post-marketing surveillance has not identified increased cardiovascular risk with sodium oxybate utilization
- Avidan and Kushida concluded: ***“In the absence of data that specifically address CV risk with SO [sodium oxybate] based on its sodium content, the clinical evidence to date suggests that SO treatment does not confer additional CV risk in patients with narcolepsy.”***

Avidan A. Kushida C. *Sleep Medicine* 2020.

20 Years of Data on Sodium Oxybate Utilization

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Review Article

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