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dal trial con DTX401**

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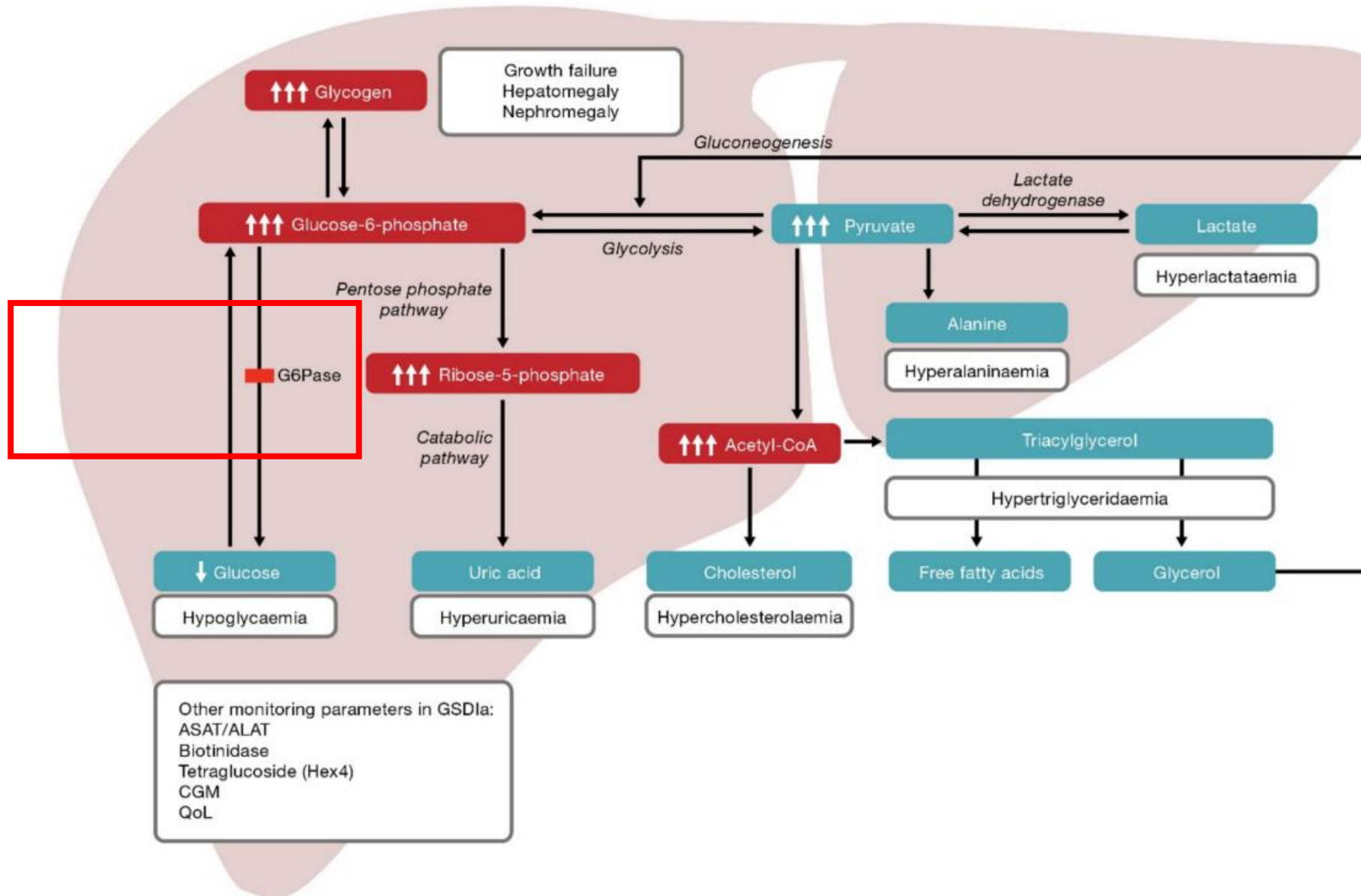
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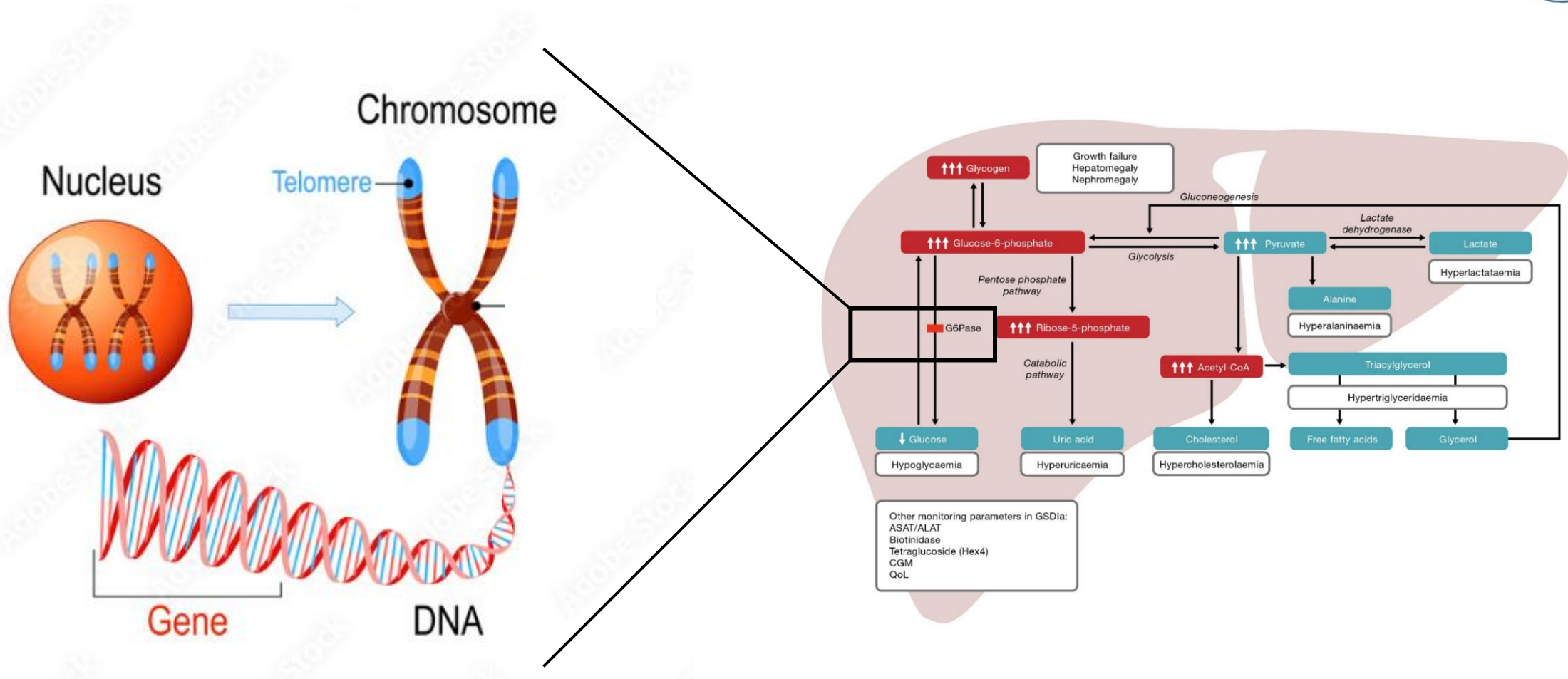


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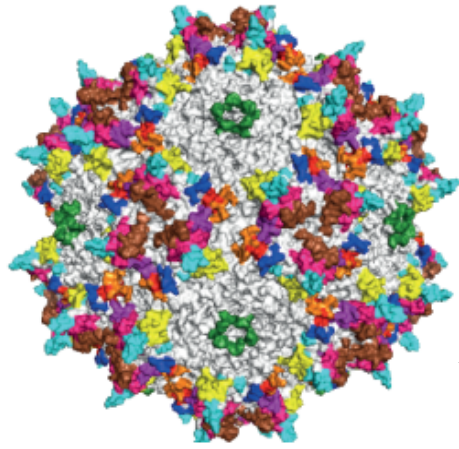


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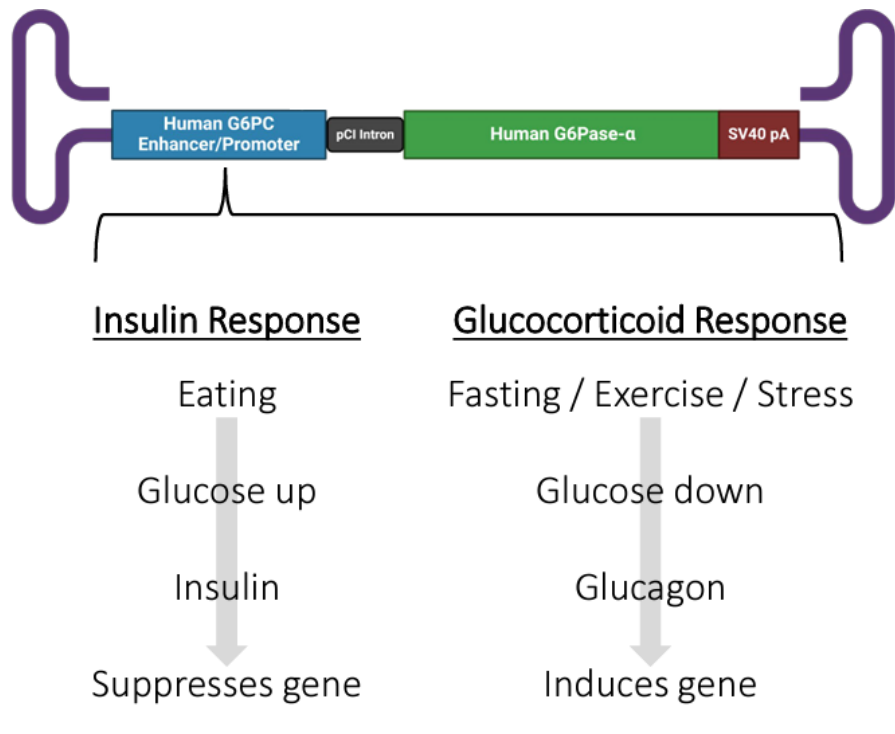




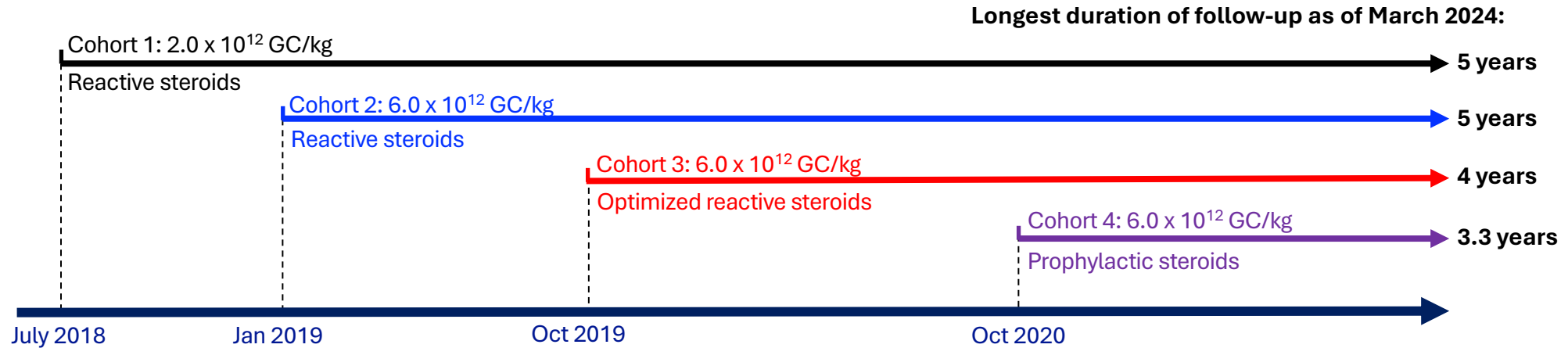
# DTX401



- Derives from a non-pathogenic AAV8 virus
- Encodes for *G6PC* sequence with native promoter and enhancer
- Transduces efficiently differentiated hepatocytes
- Long-term transduction after single i.v. vector administration
- Potential liver immune reaction



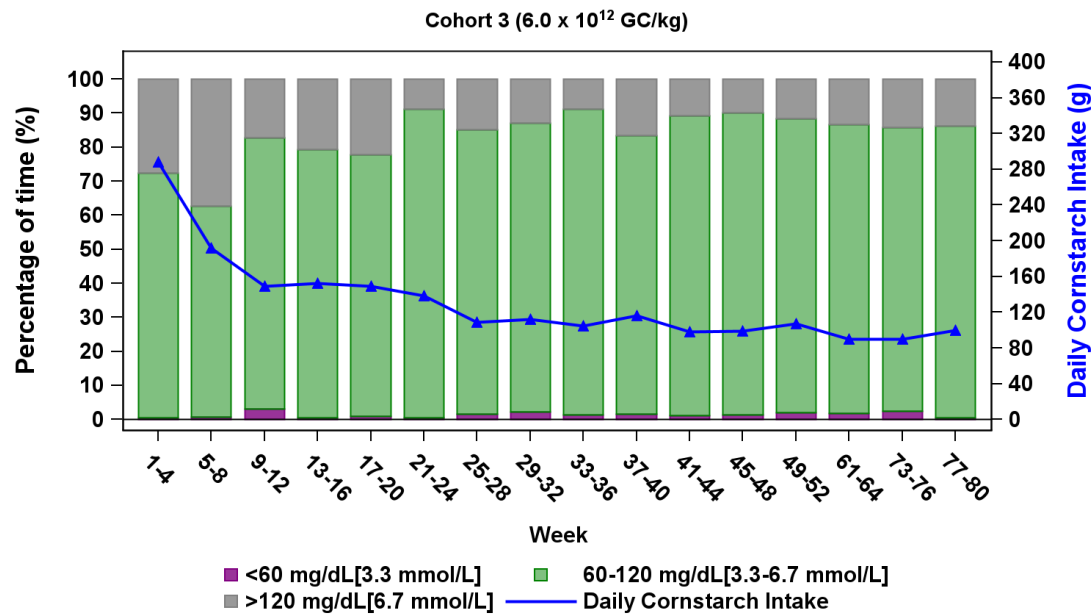
# Phase 1/2 trial



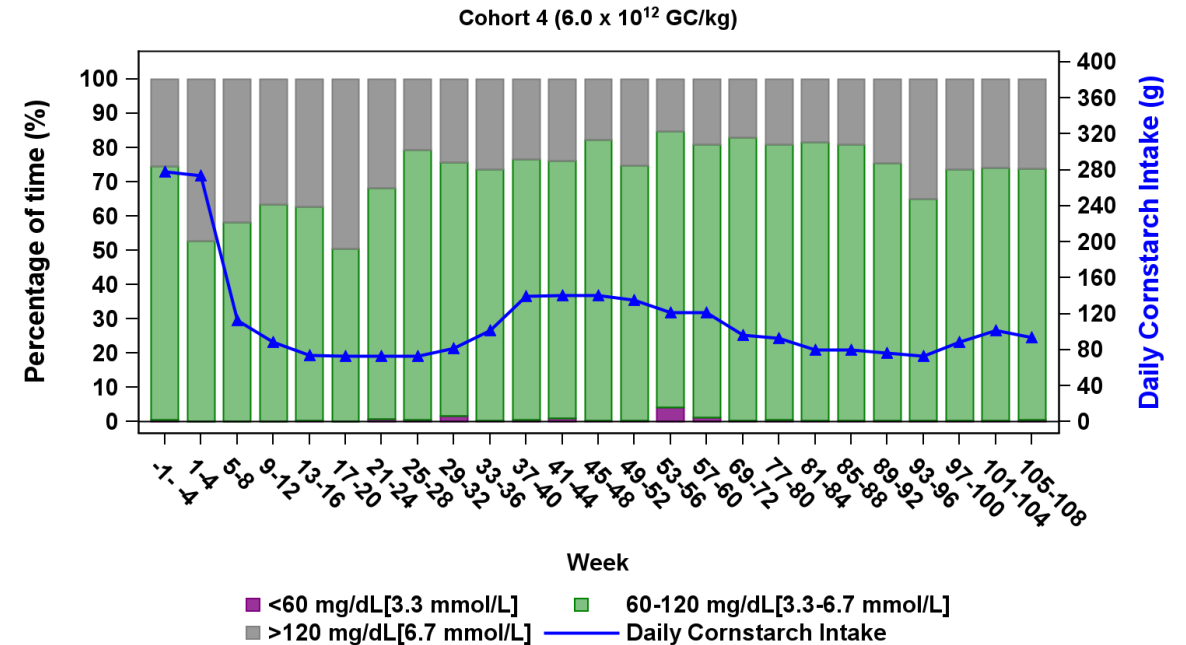
- Open label, dose-escalation
- 12 participants (4 Females, 8 Males, age > 18 years)
- Outcomes
  - Cornstarch amount and frequency
  - Percentage of time in euglycemia (60-120 mg/dL) by continuous glucose monitoring (CGM)
  - Time to hypoglycemia (TTH) assessed by a controlled fasting challenge (CFC)



# Cornstarch Reduction and CGM Euglycemia (60-120 mg/dL): Improvement or Stability in Cohorts 3 and 4



- Average cornstarch intake reduced by ~65% at Weeks 77 to 80 compared with Weeks 1 to 4, while time in euglycemia increased by ~19% in the same period



- Average cornstarch intake reduced by ~63% at Weeks 101 to 104 compared with Weeks -1 to -4, while time in euglycemia remained stable in the same period

Only weeks with data from at least two participants and 5000 records from continuous glucose monitoring and three participants with cornstarch data were plotted.





# Time to Hypoglycemia\* (TTH)

- **In all participants (Cohorts 1–4; n = 12)**
  - Mean (SD) increase in TTH during the CFC was 4.1 (3.9) hours at the last visit
    - Mean (SD) Baseline TTH: 3.4 (1.4) hours
    - Mean (SD) Week 52 TTH: 5.2 (3.1) hours
    - Mean (SD) Last Visit TTH: 7.5 (4.1) hours
- **In the first study participants enrolled in Cohort 1 (with 4.5 to 5 years of follow up; [n = 3])**
  - Mean (SD) increase in TTH at Year 5 was 8.1 (3.6) hours, ranging from a 4.1 to 11.2-hour increase

\*Modifications to the conduct of the controlled fasting challenge (used to measure TTH) included changes in pre-fasting cornstarch doses and dietary carbohydrate intake. This complicated the interpretation of TTH as an efficacy outcome parameter; however, despite the changes, we observed increases in the time to hypoglycemia in some participants.



# Safety and Adverse Events\*

- **Serious Adverse Events (SAEs) (n=34, of which 0 treatment-related)**
  - No participants were discontinued from the study due to an AE or died
  - No participants experienced infusion-related reactions
  - Frequently reported SAEs were gastroenteritis (4 events in 3 participants) and hypoglycemia (6 events in one participant)
  - Most SAEs were CTCAE Severity Grade 2 (moderate)
- **Non-Serious TEAEs**
  - Transaminase elevations (12, 100%), resolved upon steroid treatment
  - Hypertriglyceridemia (4, 33%)
  - Hyperglycemia (3, 25%)
  - Headache (3, 25%)
- No patients experienced AAV class effects of dorsal root ganglion toxicity/peripheral nerve effects, thrombotic microangiopathy, or malignancy
- Anti-AAV8 antibodies developed for all participants by Week 52
- No participants developed anti-G6Pase antibodies

\*As of 22-Mar-2024 data cutoff

†Assessed by the Investigator



# Nutritional management

## Total Calories

- Mean **total calories** (diet and cornstarch) **decreased** from 2374 (1204-3645) kcals at Baseline to 2024 (950-3173) kcals at Last Visit (350 kcal reduction)
- Mean **calories from cornstarch (UCCS)** **decreased** by 793 kcals
- Mean total **calories from non-UCCS diet increased** by 443 kcals from Baseline to Last Visit

***Participants needed close monitoring and support as they transitioned from a diet where UCCS was a major source of calories to a food-based diet***

## Body weight and BMI

- **Weight decreased** from Baseline to Last Visit by 1.1 kg (range: -16 kg to 9 kg)
- **BMI decreased** from Baseline to Last Visit by 0.5 kg/m<sup>2</sup> (range: -6 kg/m<sup>2</sup> to 3 kg/m<sup>2</sup>)

## Macronutrients

- As UCCS was reduced, **non-UCCS carbohydrates, fats, and proteins were increased** to maintain a balanced diet and avoid unintentional energy deficits
- The macronutrient distribution shifted total carbohydrates from 65% of total kcals at Baseline to 43% of total kcals at Last Visit

## Carbohydrates

- **Mean total carbohydrate** from diet and UCCS **decreased** from 383 g at Baseline to 218 g at Last Visit ( - 165 g)
- **Mean total carbohydrate from UCCS decreased** from 277 g at Baseline to 78 g at Last Visit ( - 199 g)
- **Mean total non-UCCS carbohydrate increased** from 106 g at Baseline to 140 g at Last Visit( + 34 g )



# Patient-reported Experiences

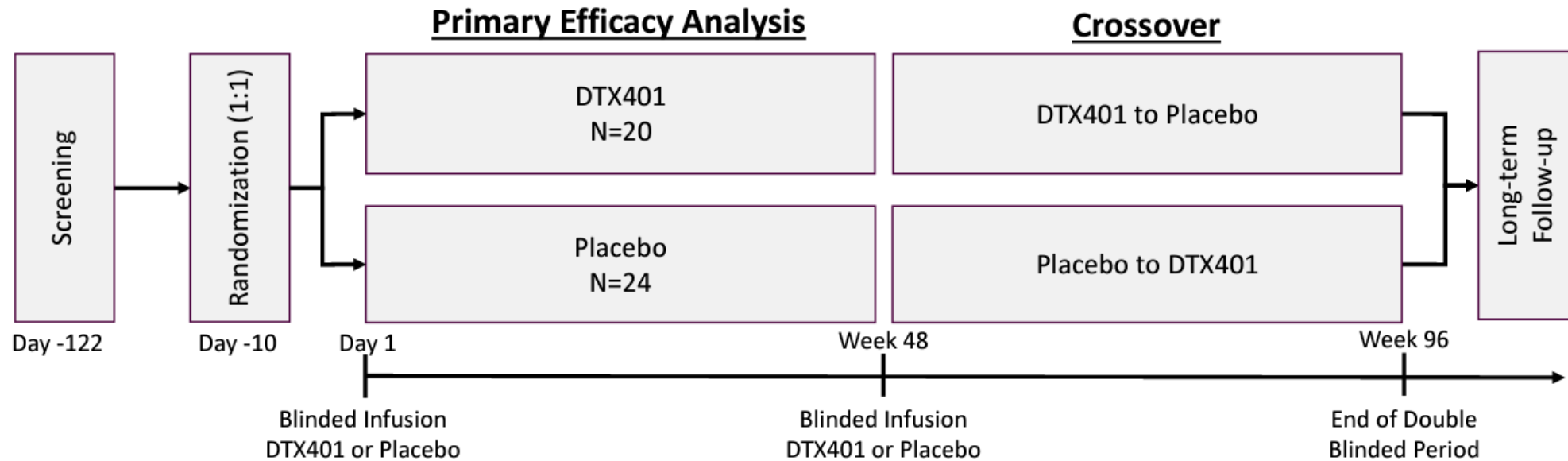
- **Patient Global Impression of Change (PGIC):** Of nine participants with available data at Week 52, 67% (n=6) reported their GSDIa was moderately or much improved since the start of the study, correlating with a reduction in cornstarch ( $R^2 = 0.55$ ; Spearman rank correlation coefficient = -0.77)
- **Participant interviews\* at Week 24 (n=5), Week 52 (n=7), and Week 104 (n=7) showed:**
  - Most patients commonly reported improvements in glycemic control, symptoms, and function
  - While few negative changes were reported, some patients reported negative or mixed experiences (eg, frustration/stress) in instances of blood glucose instability, lifestyle, and diet adjustments after treatment



\*Participant trial interviews recorded as study endpoint. Safety and efficacy of investigational product not yet established.



# Phase 3 trial

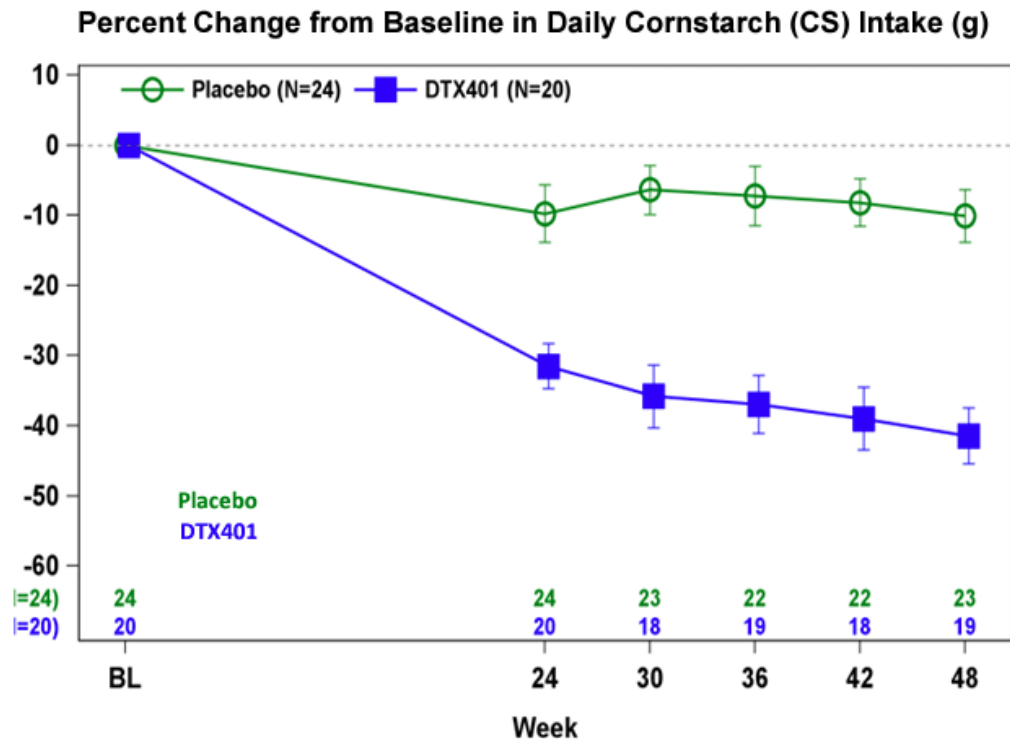


- Randomized double blind placebo controlled
- 19 females, 25 males (26 pt > 18 years old; 18 pt 8-17 years old)
- 17 study sites
- Outcomes:
  - Cornstarch amount and frequency
  - Percentage of time in euglycemia (60-120 mg/dL) by continuous glucose monitoring (CGM)
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# Phase 3 trial



Persuasive statistically significant cornstarch reduction continuing through Week 48



## Responder Analysis at Week 48

### ≥ 30% reduction in cornstarch

- 13/19 (68%) in DTX401 arm compared to 3/23 (13%) in placebo (p = 0.0003)

### ≥ 50% reduction in cornstarch

- 7/19 (37%) in DTX401 compared to 1/23 (4%) in placebo (p= 0.0038)

## Total Daily Cornstarch (CS) Doses

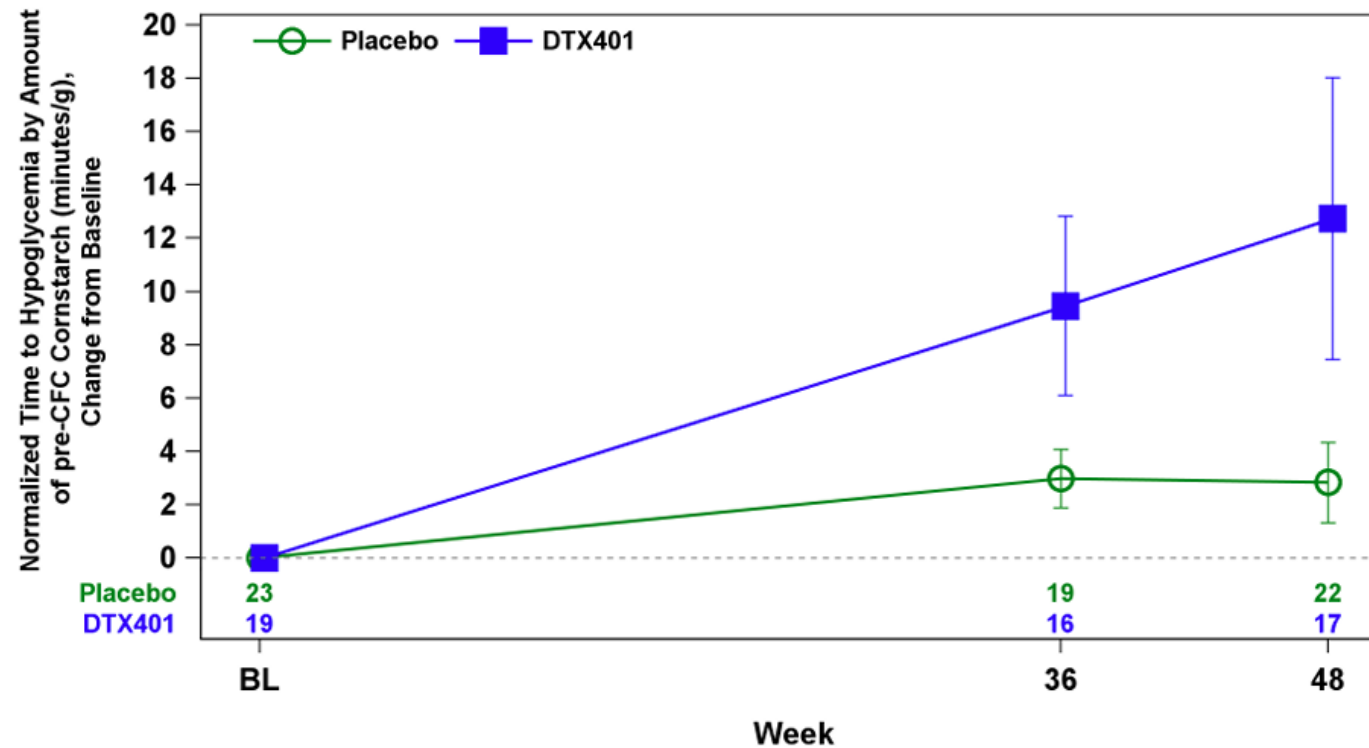
Total Daily CS Doses (n)	Placebo N=24	DTX401 N=20	p-value
Baseline Mean (SD)	5.1 (1.4)	5.8 (1.4)	
Δ BL to W48 Mean (SD)	-0.1 (0.6)	-1.1 (0.9)	
Δ BL to W48 LS Mean (SE)	-0.2 (0.2)	-1.1 (0.2)	0.0011



# Phase 3 trial

DTX401 Showed ~5x More Improvement in TTH per Gram of Cornstarch  
*Providing greater protection from severe hypoglycemia versus placebo (p-value=0.0269)*

Change from Baseline in time (minutes) to hypoglycemia (< 54 mg/dL) per gram of cornstarch in a controlled fasting challenge (CFC)







# Phase 3 trial

Patients Treated with DTX401 Reported Moderate to Much Improved PGIC Scores and Support 30% Reduction in Cornstarch as Clinically Meaningful

PGIC at Week 48	Placebo (N=23)	DTX401 (N=19)	p-value
Median Patients Global Impression of Change (PGIC) Score <sup>#</sup>	+1.0 Minimally Improved	+2.0 Moderately Improved	0.132*
Much Improved (+3.0)	9%	26%	
Worsening to No Change (-3.0 to 0.0)	48%	21%	

# PGIC is a 7-point scale ranging from -3 = Much Worse to 3 = Much Improved

\* Trial was not designed to have 80% power for this endpoint.

## Emerging themes from interviews provide further insight to changes while in the study

- Better glycemic stability
- Improved physical appearance / physical function (ability to play sports/exercise)
- Less restrictive, easier to plan diet
- Improved emotional health (less worry)
- Less fatigue
  
- Some report blinded CGM made it hard to manage GSD1a (leading to over-compensation on SMBG, worsening control)



## Summary: DTX401 showed a persistent efficacy and consistent safety profile in all treated participants for up to five years

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- **Significant reductions in cornstarch intake in all participants that have persisted for up to 5 years in Cohort 1 and Cohort 2 participants (phase 1/2 trial)**
- **Time in euglycemia (assessed by CGM) remained stable or improved**
- **Safety profile was similar across all participants treated in all dose cohorts and as expected for DTX401**
- **Fasting TTH outcomes have been positive and clinically meaningful in many participants. Variability in CFCs and hormonal abnormalities at the time of CFC warrant further evaluation**
- **After DTX401 administration, cornstarch dependence was reduced and non-cornstarch carbohydrates, fat, and protein were increased to allow for a more balanced diet**
- **Several GSDIa symptom and impact improvements were reported by patients following treatment. PGIC score improvements correlated with cornstarch reductions**
- **Results from phase 3 trial at week 96 being analyzed**

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