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# FIRST INTERIM ANALYSIS OF ALPINE STUDY: RESULTS OF A PHASE 3 RANDOMIZED STUDY OF ZANUBRUTINIB VS IBRUTINIB IN PATIENTS WITH RELAPSED/REFRACTORY CHRONIC LYMPHOCYTIC LEUKEMIA/ SMALL LYMPHOCYTIC LYMPHOMA

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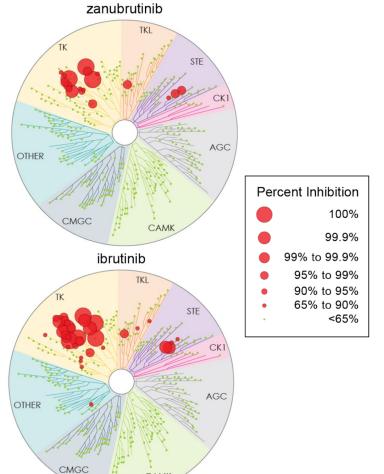
#### **Background**

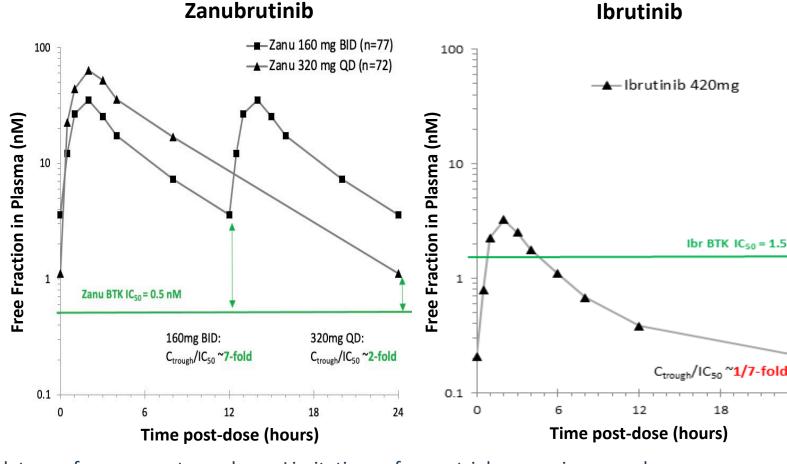
- Treatment of CLL/SLL has been transformed with the advent of effective inhibitors of B-cell receptor signaling<sup>1,2</sup>, such as the BTK inhibitor ibrutinib<sup>3,4</sup>
- Zanubrutinib is an irreversible, potent, next-generation BTK inhibitor designed to maximize BTK occupancy and minimize off-target inhibition of TEC- and EGFR-family kinases<sup>5</sup>
- We hypothesized that zanubrutinib may minimize toxicities related to ibrutinib off-target inhibition,<sup>6</sup> and zanubrutinib<sup>5</sup> may improve efficacy outcomes

# Pharmacokinetics and Selectivity of Zanubrutinib and Ibrutinib

**Whole Kinase Panel Selectivity Profiles** 

Free Drug Concentration Time Profiles Relative to IC<sub>50</sub>





Note: These data are from separate analyses. Limitations of cross-trial comparisons apply.



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Ibr BTK IC50 = 1.5 nM

# ALPINE: Phase 3, Randomized Study of Zanubrutinib vs Ibrutinib in Patients With Relapsed/Refractory CLL or SLL

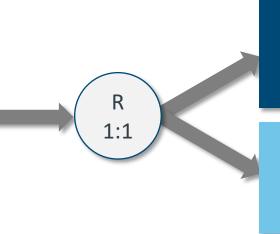
R/R CLL/SLL with ≥ 1 prior treatment (Planned N=600, Actual N=652)

#### **Key Inclusion Criteria**

- R/R to ≥1 prior systemic therapy for CLL/SLL
- Measurable lymphadenopathy by CT or MRI

#### **Key Exclusion Criteria**

- Current or past Richter's transformation
- Prior BTK inhibitor therapy
- Treatment with warfarin or other vitamin K antagonists



Arm A

Zanubrutinib 160 mg BID

Arm B
Ibrutinib 420 mg QD

#### **Stratification Factors**

- Age
- Geographic region
- Refractory status
- Del(17p)/TP53 mutation status

#### **Endpoints and Analysis**

#### **Primary endpoint**

 ORR (PR+CR) noninferiority and superiority as assessed by investigator

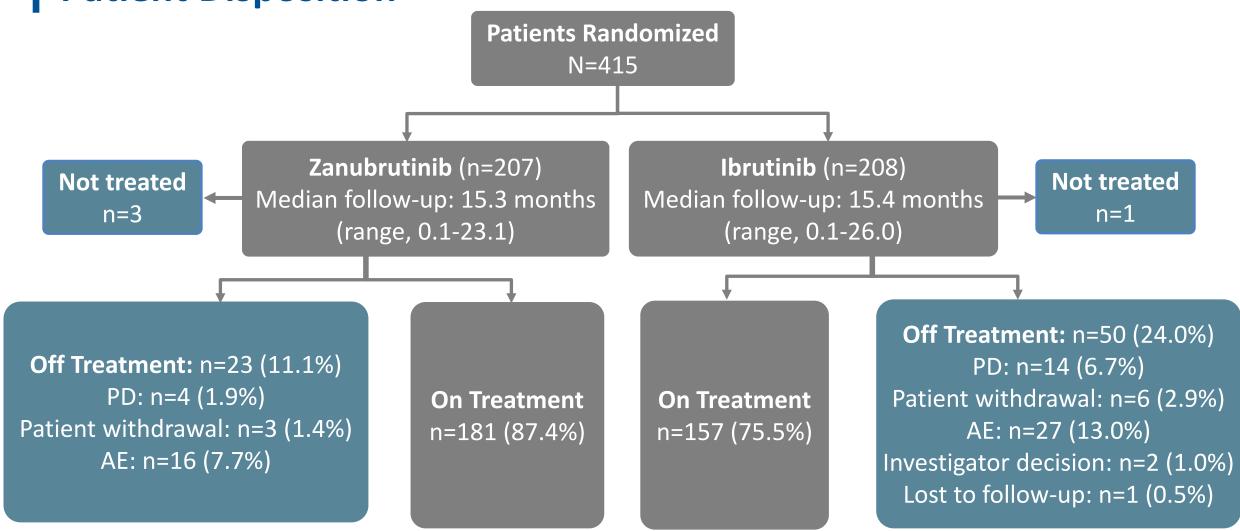
#### **Secondary endpoints:**

- Atrial fibrillation (any grade)
- DOR, PFS, OS
- Time to treatment failure
- PR-L or higher
- Patient-reported outcomes
- Safety

#### **Preplanned interim analysis**

- Data cutoff approximately 12 months after the randomization of 415 patients
- Data presented here are for the first 415 patients, and efficacy results are per investigator assessment

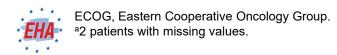
#### **Patient Disposition**





#### **Baseline Patient and Disease Characteristics**

Characteristic	Zanubrutinib (n=207)	Ibrutinib (n=208)
Age, median (range)	67 (35, 90)	67 (36, 89)
Age ≥65 years, n (%)	129 (62.3)	128 (61.5)
Male, n (%)	142 (68.6)	156 (75.0)
Disease stage, n (%)		
Binet stage A/B or Ann Arbor stage I/II	122 (58.9)	124 (59.6)
Binet stage C or Ann Arbor stage III/IV	85 (41.1)	84 (40.4)
ECOG performance status ≥1, n (%)	128 (61.8)	132 (63.5)
Prior lines of therapy, median (range)	1 (1-6)	1 (1-8)
>3 prior lines, n (%)	15 (7.3)	21 (10.1)
Prior chemoimmunotherapy, n (%)	166 (80.2)	158 (76.0)
del(17p) and/or mutant <i>TP53</i>	41 (19.8) <sup>a</sup>	38 (18.3)
del(17p), n (%)	24 (11.6)	26 (12.5)
TP53 mutated, n (%)	29 (14.0) <sup>a</sup>	24 (11.5)
del11q, n (%)	61 (29.5)	55 (26.4)
Bulky disease (≥ 5 cm), n (%)	106 (51.2)	105 (50.5)



# **ORR by Investigator Assessment**

	Zanubrutinib (n=207), n (%)	Ibrutinib (n=208), n (%)	
Primary endpoint: ORR (PR+CR)	162 ( <b>78.3</b> )	130 ( <b>62.5</b> )	
	95% CI: 72.0, 83.7	95% CI: 55.5, 69.1	
	Superiority 2-sided P=0.0006 compared with pre-specified alpha of 0.0099		
CR/CRi	4 (1.9)	3 (1.4)	
nPR	1 (0.5)	0	
PR	157 (75.8)	127 (61.1)	
ORR (PR-L+PR+CR)	183 (88.4)	169 (81.3)	
PR-L	21 (10.1)	39 (18.8)	
SD	17 (8.2)	28 (13.5)	
PD	1 (0.5)	2 (1.0)	
Discontinued or new therapy prior to 1st assessment	6 (2.9)	9 (4.3)	

	del(17p) (n=24), n (%)	del(17p) (n=26), n (%)
ORR (PR+CR)	20 (83.3)	14 (53.8)



# ORR by Investigator Assessment – Key Patient Subgroups

	Response/F	Patients	Favors ibrutinib	Favors zanubrutinib	Risk Difference
Subgroup	Zanubrutinib	Ibrutinib	- IDI GUITID	Zariubi utilib	(95% CI), % <sup>a</sup>
All patients	162 / 207	130 / 208		-	15.8 (7.1, 24.4)
Age Group <65 years ≥65 years	65 / 78 97 / 129	55 / 80 75 / 128		-	14.6 (1.5, 27.7) 16.6 (5.3, 27.9)
Sex Male Female	108 / 142 54 / 65	94 / 156 36 / 52			15.8 (5.4, 26.2) 13.8 (-1.7, 29.4)
Disease stage Binet stage of A/B or Ann Arbor stage I/II bulky Binet stage C or Ann Arbor stage III/IV	92 / 122 70 / 85	81 / 124 49 / 84			10.1 (-1.3, 21.4) 24.0 (10.7, 37.3)
Prior lines of therapy 1-3 > 3	151 / 192 11 / 15	116 / 187 14 / 21			16.6 (7.6, 25.7) 6.7 (-23.5, 36.8)
Baseline del17p/TP53 mutation status Present Absent	33 / 41 127 / 164	19 / 38 111 / 170			30.5 (10.5, 50.5) 12.1 (2.5, 21.7)
Bulky disease Yes No	85 / 106 77 / 101	67 / 105 63 / 103		-	16.4 (4.5, 28.3) 15.1 (2.5, 27.6)
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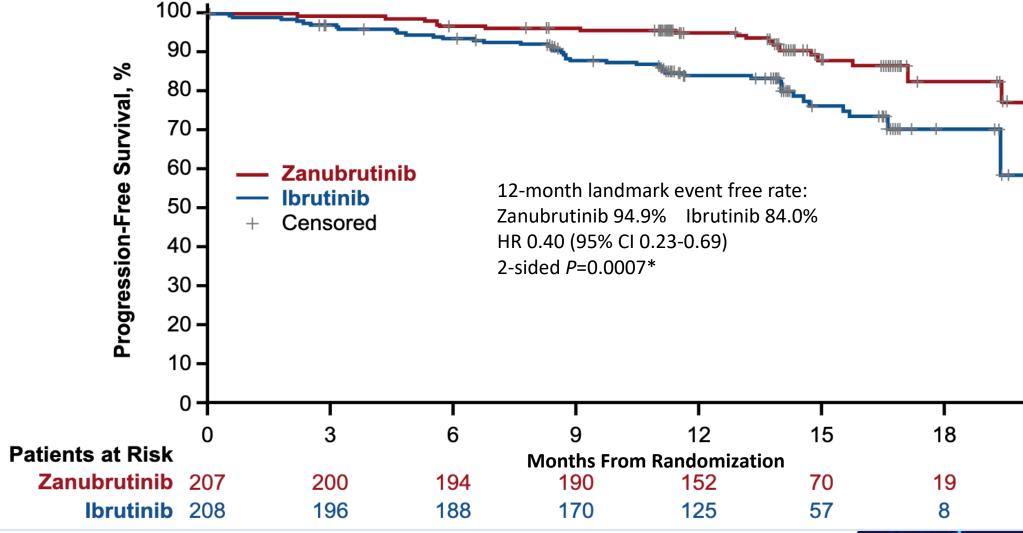


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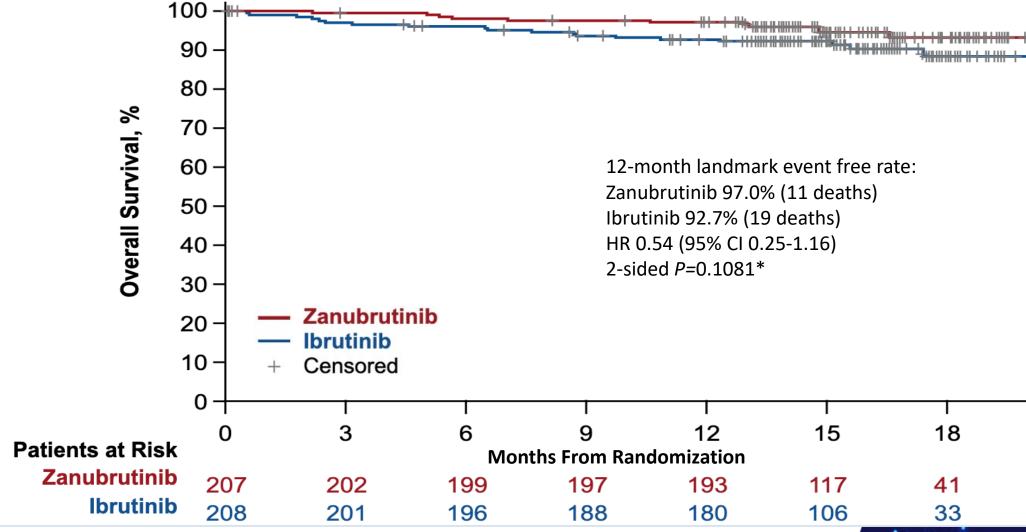
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#### **PFS by Investigator Assessment**





#### **Overall Survival**

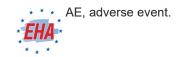




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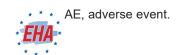
# **Safety Summary**

Safety Analysis Population	Zanubrutinib (n=204) n (%)	Ibrutinib (n=207) n (%)
Any AE	195 (95.6)	205 (99.0)
Any grade ≥3 AE	114 (55.9)	106 (51.2)
Serious AEs	56 (27.5)	67 (32.4)
Fatal AEs	8 (3.9)	12 (5.8)
AEs leading to dose reduction	23 (11.3)	25 (12.1)
AEs leading to dose interruption	81 (39.7)	84 (40.6)
AEs leading to treatment discontinuation	16 (7.8)	27 (13.0)



# **Most Frequent AEs (>10% All Grade in Either Arm)**

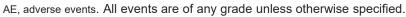
Safety Analysis Population	Zanubrutinib (n=204), n (%)	Ibrutinib (n=207), n (%)	
Patients with any AE	195 (95.6)	205 (99.0)	
Diarrhea	34 (16.7)	40 (19.3)	
Neutropenia	40 (19.6)	32 (15.5)	
Anemia	27 (13.2)	31 (15.0)	
Upper respiratory tract infection	44 (21.6)	29 (14.0)	
Arthralgia	19 (9.3)	29 (14.0)	
Hypertension	32 (15.7)	27 (13.0)	
Muscle spasms	6 (2.9)	23 (11.1)	
Contusion	21 (10.3)	18 (8.7)	
Urinary tract infection	22 (10.8)	17 (8.2)	
Cough	26 (12.7)	13 (6.3)	



# **Additional AEs of Special Interest**

Safety Analysis Population	Zanubrutinil	o (n=204), n (%)	Ibrutinib (n=207), n (%)	
	Any Grade	Grade ≥3	Any Grade	Grade ≥3
Cardiac disorders <sup>a</sup>	28 (13.7)	5 (2.5)	52 (25.1)	14 (6.8)
Atrial fibrillation and flutter (key 2º endpoint)	5 (2.5)	2 (1.0)	21 (10.1)	4 (1.9)
Hemorrhage Major hemorrhage <sup>b</sup>	73 (35.8) 6 (2.9)	6 (2.9) 6 (2.9)	75 (36.2) 8 (3.9)	6 (2.9) 6 (2.9)
Hypertension	34 (16.7)	22 (10.8)	34 (16.4)	22 (10.6)
Infections	122 (59.8)	26 (12.7)	131 (63.3)	37 (17.9)
Neutropenia <sup>c</sup>	58 (28.4)	38 (18.6)	45 (21.7)	31 (15.0)
Thrombocytopenia <sup>c</sup>	19 (9.3)	7 (3.4)	26 (12.6)	7 (3.4)
Secondary primary malignancies Skin cancers	17 (8.3) 7 (3.4)	10 (4.9) 3 (1.5)	13 (6.3) 10 (4.8)	4 (1.9) 2 (1.0)

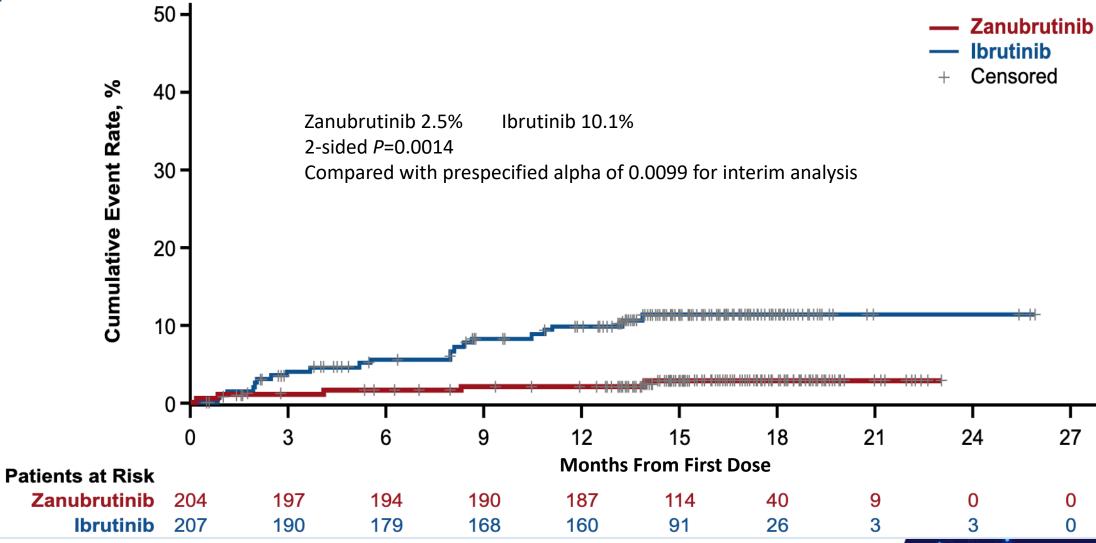




<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup> Cardiac disorders leading to treatment discontinuation: zanubrutinib 0 patients and ibrutinib 7 (3.4%) patients. <sup>b</sup>Includes hemorrhages that were serious or grade ≥3 or CNS hemorrhages of all grades.

<sup>c</sup> Pooled terms including neutropenia, neutrophil count decreased, and febrile neutropenia; thrombocytopenia and platelet count decreased.

#### **Atrial Fibrillation/Flutter**





#### **CONCLUSIONS**

- In this interim analysis of a randomized, phase 3 ALPINE study in patients with relapsed/refractory CLL/SLL, zanubrutinib, compared with ibrutinib, was shown to have:
  - A superior response rate
  - An improved PFS
  - A lower rate of atrial fibrillation/flutter
- These data support that more selective BTK inhibition, with more complete and sustained BTK occupancy, results in improved efficacy and safety outcomes



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