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Cadrenal Therapeutics Overview:


Late-stage Drug Company with Multiple Orphan-drug and Fast-track Designations

Developing **tecarfarin**, a late-stage novel oral and reversible anticoagulant (blood thinner) to prevent heart attacks, strokes and deaths due to blood clots in patients with rare cardiovascular conditions who require chronic anticoagulation

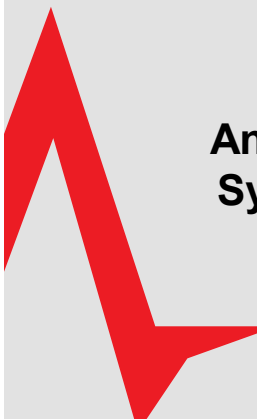

Targeted at conditions where (VKA) Vitamin K antagonist warfarin has failed to achieve sufficiently reliable anticoagulation and Direct Oral AntiCoagulants, or DOACs (Eliquis-class drugs), have not shown benefit




Left Ventricular Assist Devices
LVADs



End-stage Kidney Disease (ESKD) + Atrial Fibrillation (AFib)



Thrombotic Antiphospholipid Syndrome (APS)



Key Investment Highlights for Tecarfarin Opportunity



Leadership Team: Clinical to Commercial Expertise



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The Problem: Certain Rare Heart Conditions Lack Effective Anticoagulation

Physicians are frustrated with warfarin outcomes and hesitant to prescribe DOACs more broadly, given the negative evidence in clinical trials

SIGNIFICANT ISSUES WITH CURRENT THERAPIES FOR THESE PATIENTS

	Warfarin	DOACs (Pradaxa, Xarelto, Eliquis & Savaysa)
LVAD 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> High frequency of hemorrhagic events despite warfarin therapy Unstable metabolism due to drug-drug interactions, genetic variability of elimination pathway 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No ability to monitor the level of anticoagulation Cost and time of reversal compared to vitamin K is not acceptable for patients at high risk of bleeding or intervention LVAD patients excluded from approval studies DOACs not in guidelines for LVAD patients
ESKD+AFib 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Higher risk of bleeding in dialysis patients with AFib compared to DOACs Multiple dose adjustments to keep patients within International Normalized Ratio (INR) range Drug interaction in patients with multiple comorbidities 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Limited head-to-head evidence; existing data fails to demonstrate benefit in thromboembolism and reveals stroke risk Not included in ESKD treatment guidelines Ambiguity in dosing recommendations

The Solution: Tecarfarin Aims to Solve Warfarin's Major Problems and Fill Significant Market Void



Warfarin: Unreliable metabolism MAJOR PROBLEM

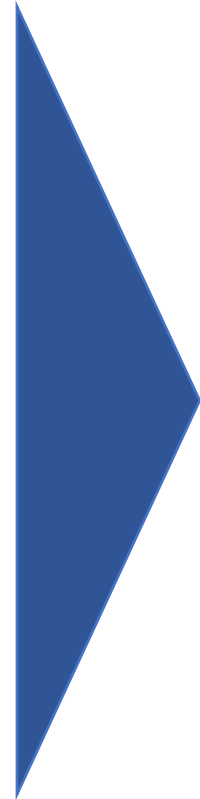
for patients with certain orphan diseases

Variable/Unreliable anticoagulation
in patients at high risk for thrombotic events

Challenging to control
despite nearly 70 years of use

Metabolism via the
cytochrome P450 pathway
potential drug-drug interactions

Significant variability in PK due to genetic
variants and competition with other drugs



SOLUTION: Tecarfarin

SPECIFICALLY DESIGNED TO
solve the warfarin metabolism problem, thereby
DECREASING RISK OF STROKE & BLEEDING

Metabolized via an alternate pathway that is
abundant and essentially insaturable

Reliable, stable PK profile



STABLE ANTICOAGULATION
with **proven mechanism of action**
including patients with certain orphan diseases

Attractive Addressable Market Opportunities

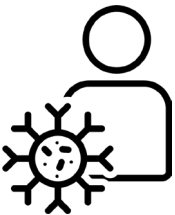
U.S. market potential estimated more than \$2 billion for three targeted rare indications



Left Ventricular Assist Devices



End-stage Kidney Disease with AFib



Thrombotic Antiphospholipid Syndrome



Approximately

>\$2 Billion

Combined Peak Annual Market Potential*
(if approved by the FDA)

Financial Summary

Cap Table

Cash (at 3/31/24)	\$6.6 million
Debt	NONE
Common Shares Outstanding	16,008,469
Warrants – Investors (avg. \$1.75)	4,285,715
Warrants - Underwriter & Placement Agt. Warrants (avg. \$2.68)	389,071
Stock Options Outstanding (avg. \$0.90)	2,195,000

Q1 2024 Financial Results

Operating Expenses (excluding non-cash items)	\$1.6 million
Cash used in operating activities	\$1.8 million

Market Capitalization

As of 5/14/24	\$7 million
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Insider Ownership (Common Stock)

Insider Ownership as Percent of Shares Outstanding	47%
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Tecarfarin Clinical Development Pipeline

Potential 2024 catalysts for future milestones to build enterprise value

Program	Prioritized Target Indications	Regulatory Strategy/Status	Development Phase				
			Discovery	Preclinical	Phase I	Phase II	Phase III
Tecarfarin	Left Ventricular Assist Devices (LVADs)	FDA Orphan Drug Designation Granted Developing Trial Protocol					★
	End Stage Kidney Disease with AFib	FDA Orphan Drug Designation Granted FDA Fast Track Designation Granted EMA Orphan Drug Application In Process					★
	Thrombotic Antiphospholipid Syndrome (APS)	FDA Orphan Drug Application Pending Review Developing Trial Protocol					★

Future milestones this year may include Ph 3 trial enrollment, anticipated data readouts and progress with strategic partnerships

Why Cadrenal Now?

Tecarfarin is targeted for indications where it is **NOW CLEAR FROM DATA** that warfarin **FAILS** to achieve sufficiently stable anticoagulation and DOACs have clinically **NOT** shown benefit



Unmet Need

Certain rare cardiovascular conditions requiring chronic anticoagulation where warfarin has been unreliable, and DOACs (Eliquis-class drugs) are not FDA-approved



Proven Mechanism of Action

Tecarfarin is a VKA with a well-understood mechanism of action; Phase 1 and 2/3 clinical data supports that tecarfarin is an effective and safe anticoagulant



Improved Safety Profile

Tecarfarin is metabolized via a different metabolic pathway than warfarin – thus providing more stable anticoagulation than warfarin, thereby decreasing the risk of stroke and bleeding



Regulatory Pathway

Tecarfarin has been granted two Orphan Drug Designations and a Fast-track designation by FDA providing potential seven-year marketing exclusivity post-approval.



Large Commercial Market & Opportunistic Strategy

Marketed drugs for certain rare CV diseases command significant price premiums that value the tecarfarin addressable market at over \$2B; right team to execute commercial strategy



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APPENDIX



Tecarfarin's Metabolic Advantage

Tecarfarin is metabolized via an alternate pathway that is abundant and essentially insaturable, thereby avoiding the bottleneck in the CYP450 pathway where warfarin is metabolized.

Warfarin CYP450

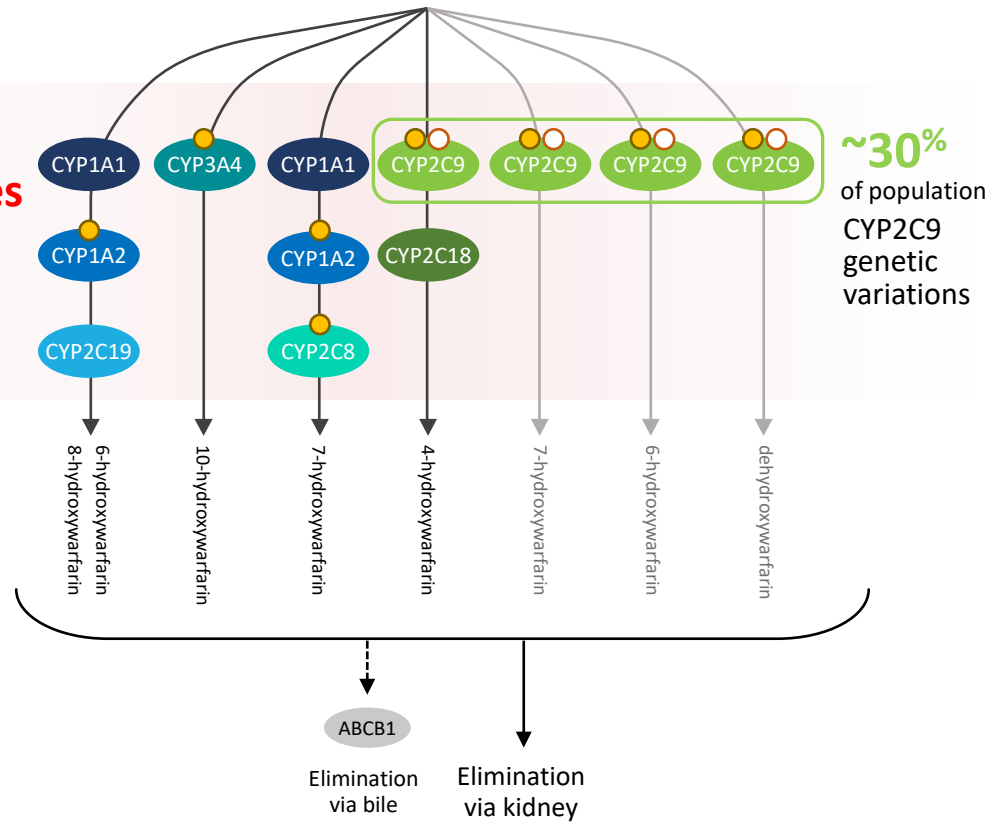
Tecarfarin

Human CarboxylEsterase 2 (CES2)

● Drug interactions ○ Genetic variations

R-Warfarin S-Warfarin

7 Different CYP450 Isoenzymes involved in Warfarin Metabolism!



Tecarfarin

CES2

Although genetic variation in CES2 has been identified there have been no reports of clinically significant impact

Elimination via bile

Warfarin Metabolism via CYP450 is Complicated by Known Competitors, Inhibitors and Inducers and the Established Impact of Genetic Variants

Enzymes	Substrates	Inhibitors	Inducers
CYP 3A4	amlodipine, simvastatin, warfarin , amiodarone, sildenafil, midazolam, fluoxetine, haloperidol, codeine, oxycodone, methadone, fentanyl	ciprofloxacin, ketoconazole, ritonavir, methylprednisone, imatinib, tamoxifen, cimetidine, grapefruit juice	simvastatin, efavirenz, pentobarbital, carbamazepine, phenobarbital, phenytoin, valproic acid, caffeine
CYP 1A2	alosetron, caffeine, duloxetine, melatonin, ramelteon, tacrine, tizanidine	ciprofloxacin, enoxacin, fluvoxamine, oral contraceptives, phenylpropanolamine	montelukast, phenytoin, smoking components of cigarettes
CYP 2C8	repaglinide, paclitaxel, methadone	gemfibrozil, fluvoxamine, ketoconazole, trimethoprim	rifampin
CYP 2C9	celecoxib, warfarin , phenytoin	amiodarone, fluconazole, miconazole, oxandrolone, capecitabine, etravirine, fluvastatin, metronidazole, Sulfinpyrazone, tigecycline	carbamazepine, rifampin, aprepitant, bosentan, phenobarbital, St. John's wort
CYP 2D6	lidocaine, metoprolol, haloperidol, fluoxetine, amitriptyline, metoclopramide, codeine, oxycosone, tramadol	amiodarone, chlorpromazine, citalopram, bupropion	rifampin, dexamethasone

Tecarfarin was specifically designed to avoid metabolism via the CYP450 Pathway, thus improving safety and efficacy over warfarin

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CYP 1A2	alosetron, caffeine, duloxetine, melatonin, ramelteon, tacrine, tizanidine	ciprofloxacin, enoxacin, fluvoxamine, oral contraceptives, phenylpropanolamine	montelukast, phenytoin, smoking components of cigarettes
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CES2 Substrate Drugs

Antiplateletes/Anticoagulants

- Acetylsalicylic acid
- Prasugrel
- Dabigatran etexilate

Angiotensin receptor blockers

- Candesartan cilexetil
- Olmesartan medoxomil
- Azilsartan medoxomil

Antiviral agents

- Tenofovir disoproxil
- Adefovir dipivoxil
- Valacyclovir

CNS agents

- Cocaine
- Heroin
- 6-monoacetylmorphine

Immunosuppressive agents

- Methylprednisolone sodium succinate
- Deflazacort

Oncology agents

- Irinotecan
- Capecitabine

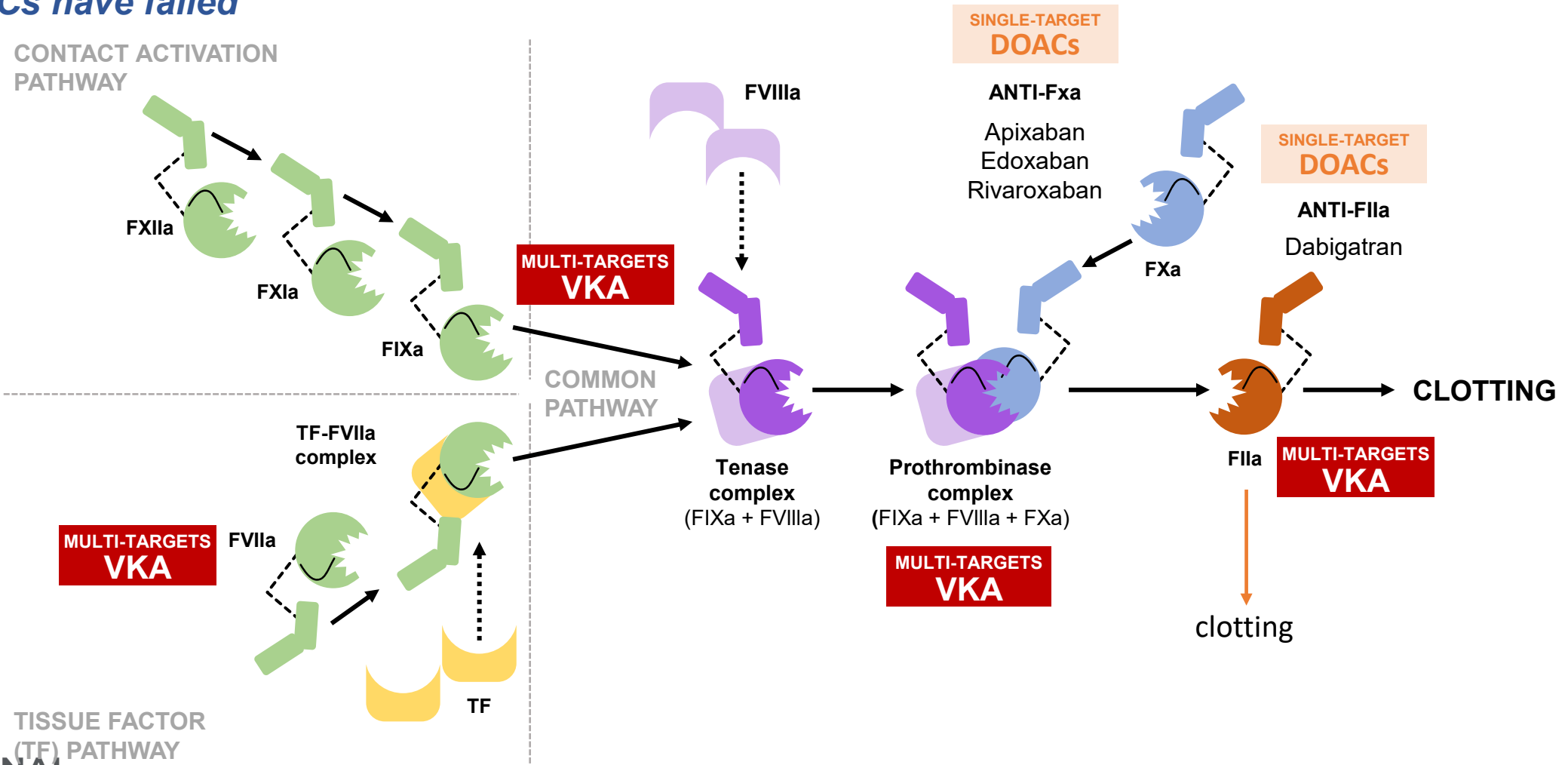
Anesthetic drug

- Procaine

Limited Substrates Identified
Genetic variation exists, but limited evidence of clinical impact

Vitamin K Antagonism Inhibits Multiple Factors (II, VII, IX, X, Proteins C & S) in the Clotting Cascade vs. Single Targets of Newer Agents

Proven mechanism of action resulting in clinically meaningful anticoagulation in certain conditions where DOACs have failed



Tecarfarin Demonstrates TTR Above Anticoagulation Control Threshold

Phase 2/3 trial shows Tecarfarin provides stable anticoagulation with >72% TTR overall and across key subgroups

Phase 2/3 Trial completed (N=607)

- Tecarfarin vs. well-controlled warfarin trial
- Randomized, double-blind trial designed to compare the quality of anticoagulation
- Average Time in Therapeutic Range (TTR) as measured by the International Normalized Ratio (INR)
- Dosing managed by a centralized dose control center



Key Tecarfarin Findings

Tecarfarin
Demonstrated
TTR >72%
overall and
across key
subgroups

Demonstrated trends suggesting **improved TTR control** in key subgroups expected to do poorly with warfarin

Demonstrated **similar major bleeding** as warfarin and **no thrombotic events**

TTR of 70% or greater is generally accepted as the goal for stable anticoagulation with a VKA

In real world use of warfarin, TTR averages approximately 40-59%

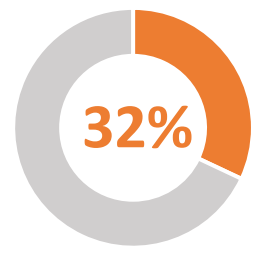
Dabigatran Versus Warfarin in Patients with Mechanical Heart Valves

EXCESS RISK AND NO BENEFIT

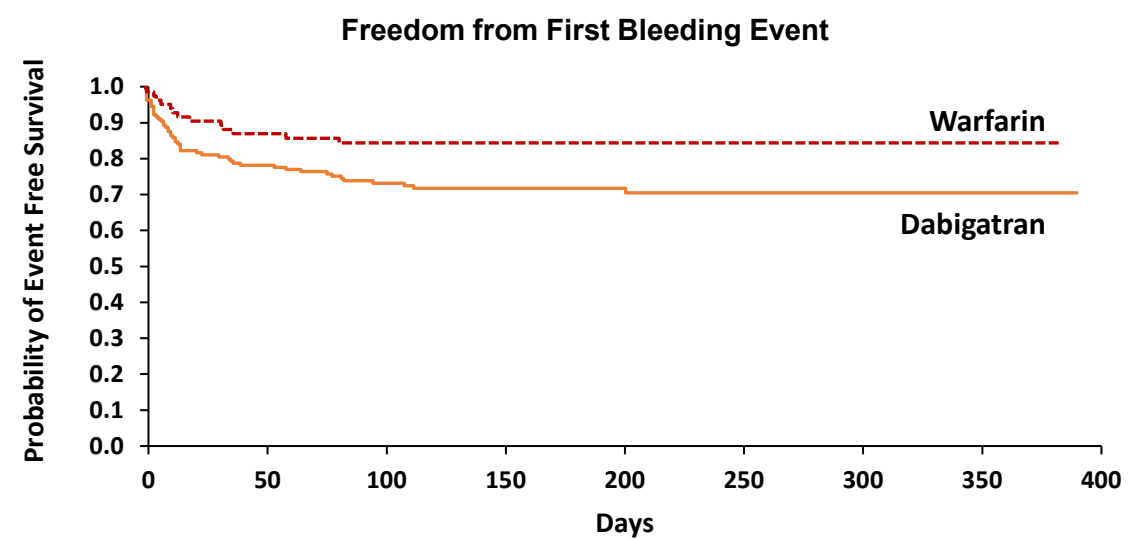
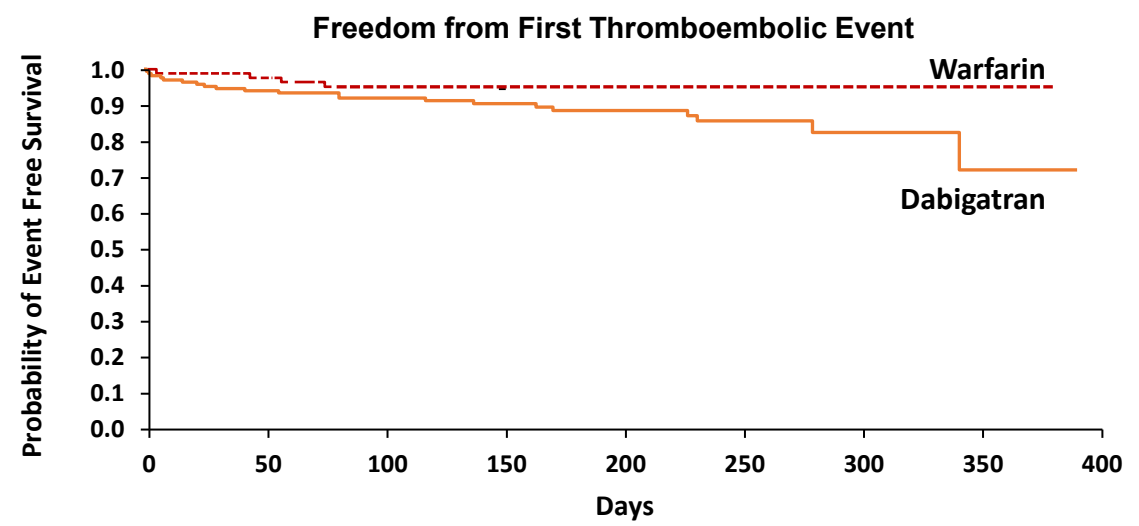


Trial terminated prematurely due to an excess of thromboembolic and bleeding events among patients in the **dabigatran group**

	Dabigatran N=168 N (%)	Warfarin N=84 n (%)
Ischemic or unspecified stroke	9 (5.4)	0
Major bleeding	7 (4.2)	2 (2%)



32% Dose adjustment or discontinuation of dabigatran (as-treated analysis)



TTR Decreases with CKD Severity for AFib Patients on Warfarin

AFib Patients with ESKD on Warfarin are Poorly Controlled with TTR of 42-51%, compared to the TTR goal of 70% or greater

- ❖ Time in Therapeutic Range (TTR)^{1,2,5}
 - Well-established FDA metric used to evaluate anticoagulation control (safety and efficacy)
 - Higher TTR levels correlate directly with improved clinical outcomes including rates of death, bleeding, myocardial infarction, stroke, and systemic embolism
- ❖ TTR predictive of clinical outcomes
 - Stage 4 and 5 CKD with AFib: Similar TTR cutoffs predictive of mortality and cardiovascular outcomes^{3,4}
- ❖ Overall TTR for AFib Patients with ESKD on warfarin is 42-51%⁶
- ❖ Only 21% of ESKD patients on dialysis using warfarin achieve TTR $\geq 60\%$ ⁶

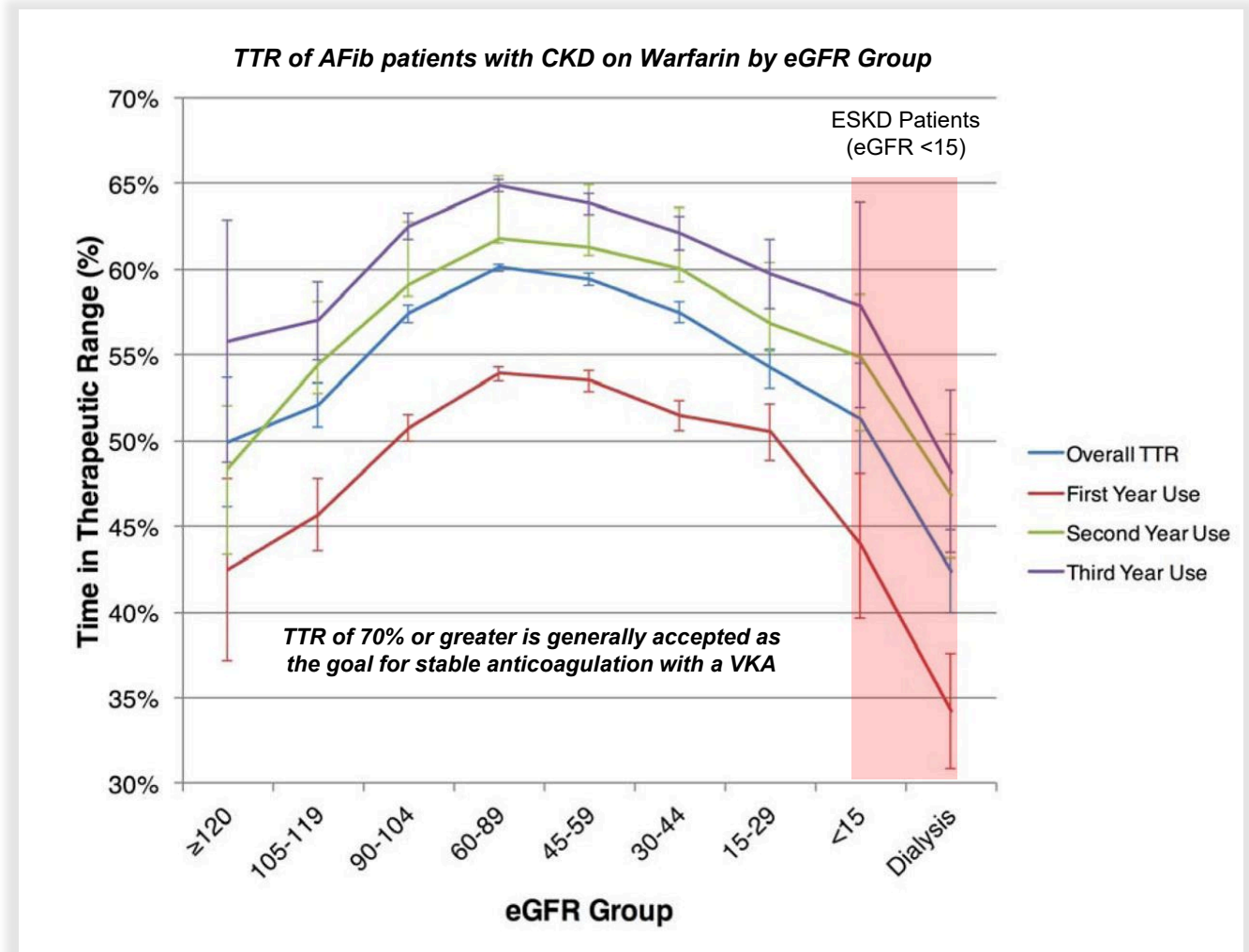


Figure 2. Warfarin Utilization and Anticoagulation Control in Patients with Atrial Fibrillation and Chronic Kidney Disease⁶

Phase 2/3 Trial Shows Tecafarin is Well-Tolerated for Stroke and Thrombus Prevention, with Fewer Hemorrhagic Events

Tecafarin had fewer thrombotic events compared to warfarin

Randomized, double-blind clinical trial

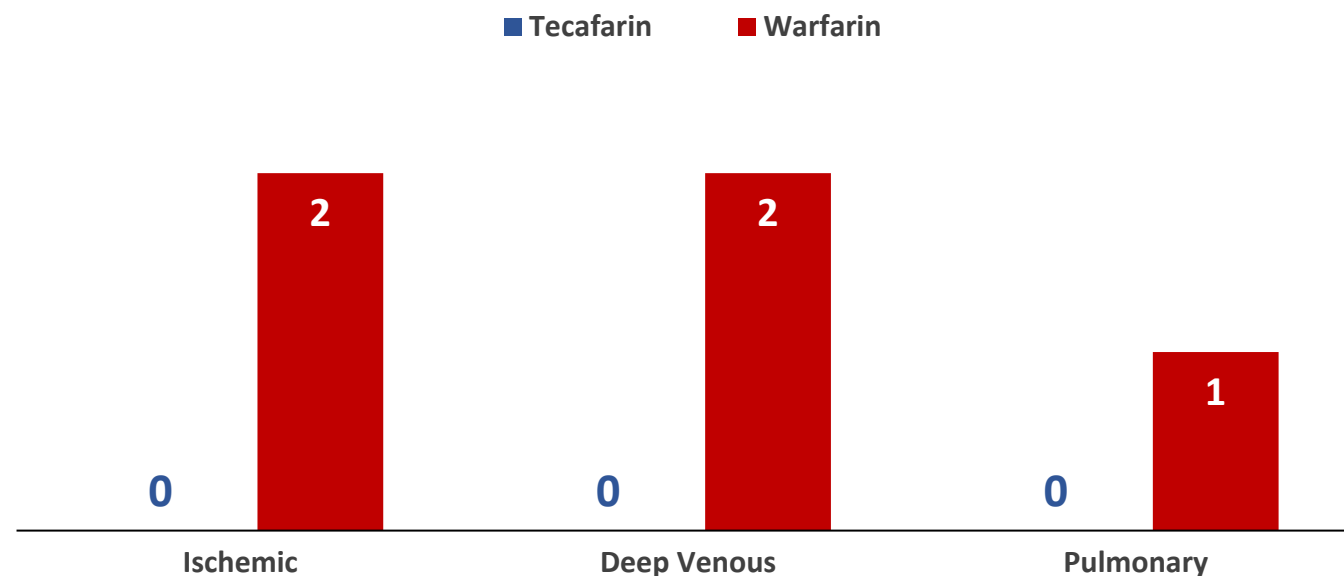


N=607

Patients with indications for chronic anticoagulation

Tecafarin (n = 304)

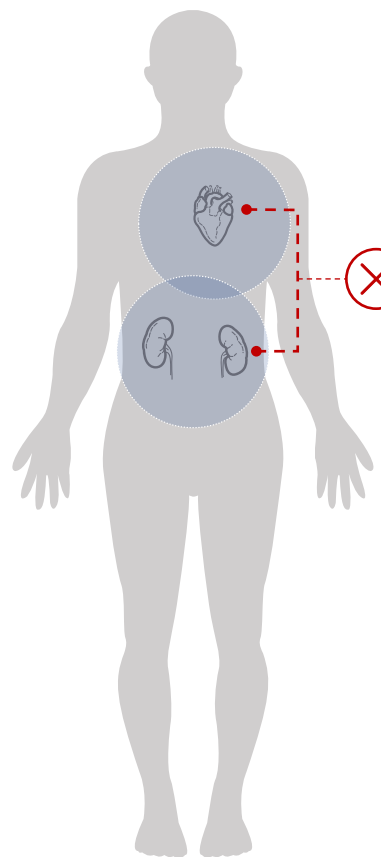
Warfarin (n = 303)



*Tecafarin-treated subjects experienced **numerically fewer** major hemorrhages than the warfarin-treated patients and had **numerically fewer** thrombotic events*

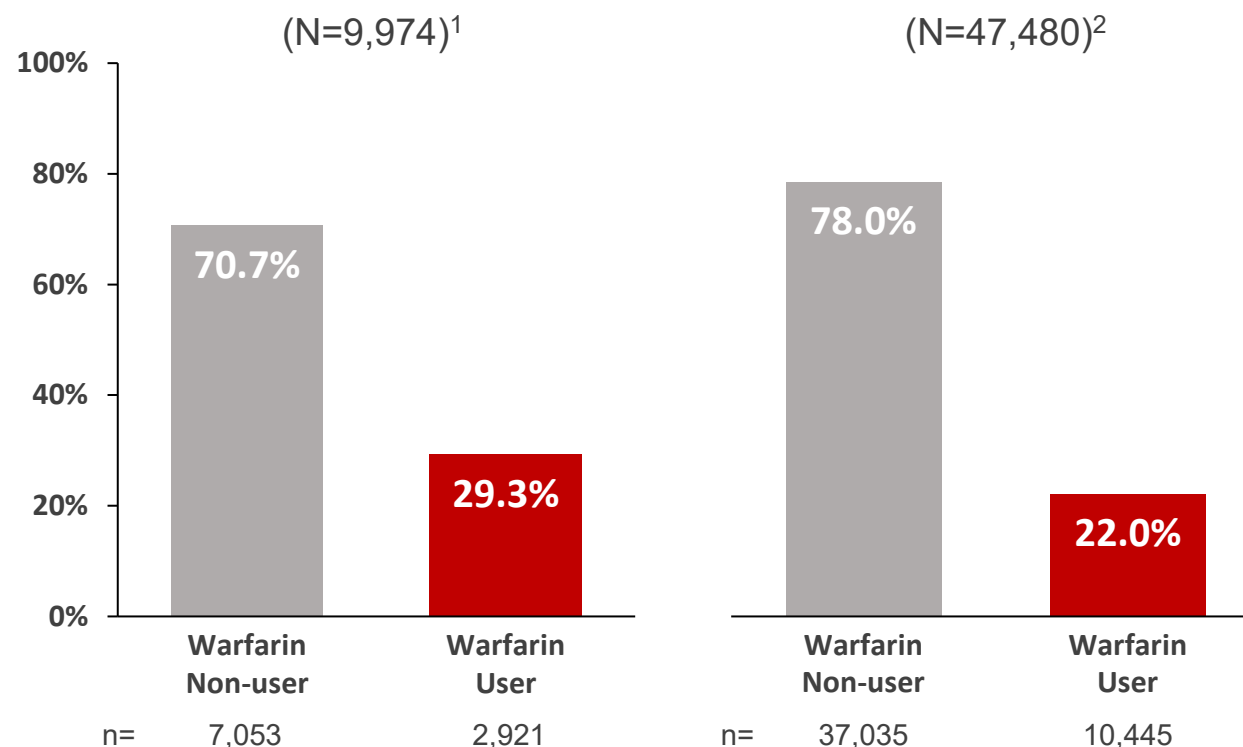
Significant Underserved Patient Populations

Despite the significantly increased risk of stroke in ESKD patients with AFib, most patients are not anticoagulated due to the lack of evidence of benefit



Most patients with ESKD + AFib are not prescribed ANY anticoagulation to reduce their risk of stroke

Use of warfarin in ESKD + AFib Patients¹



1. Yoon CY, Noh J, Jhee JH, et al. Warfarin Use in Patients With Atrial Fibrillation Undergoing Hemodialysis: A Nationwide Population-Based Study. *Stroke*. 2017;48(9):2472-2479. doi:10.1161/STROKEAHA.117.017114

2. Randhawa MS, Vishwanath R, Rai MP, et al. Association Between Use of Warfarin for Atrial Fibrillation and Outcomes Among Patients With End-Stage Renal Disease: A Systematic Review and Meta-analysis. *JAMA Netw Open*. 2020;3(4):e202175. doi:10.1001/jamanetworkopen.2020.2175

Tecarfarin Phase 1 PK Trial in Stage 4 CKD Patients Provides Evidence that CKD Does Not Alter Tecarfarin Exposure While Warfarin Exposure is Increased

Summary Table

% change between Stage 4 CKD patients vs healthy subjects matched for each drug using a randomized crossover design (n=23)

	Tecarfarin (% change)	(S)-Warfarin (% change)
AUC	+15%	+44%
C_{max}	+6%	+7%
t_{1/2}	-8%	+19%

Result Highlights

Tecarfarin



Elimination from the body was **not affected** by severe kidney dysfunction



Half-life and the amount of drug in the body were **similar** in Stage 4 CKD patients and healthy subjects

Warfarin

Exposure increased **44%** in Stage 4 CKD patients

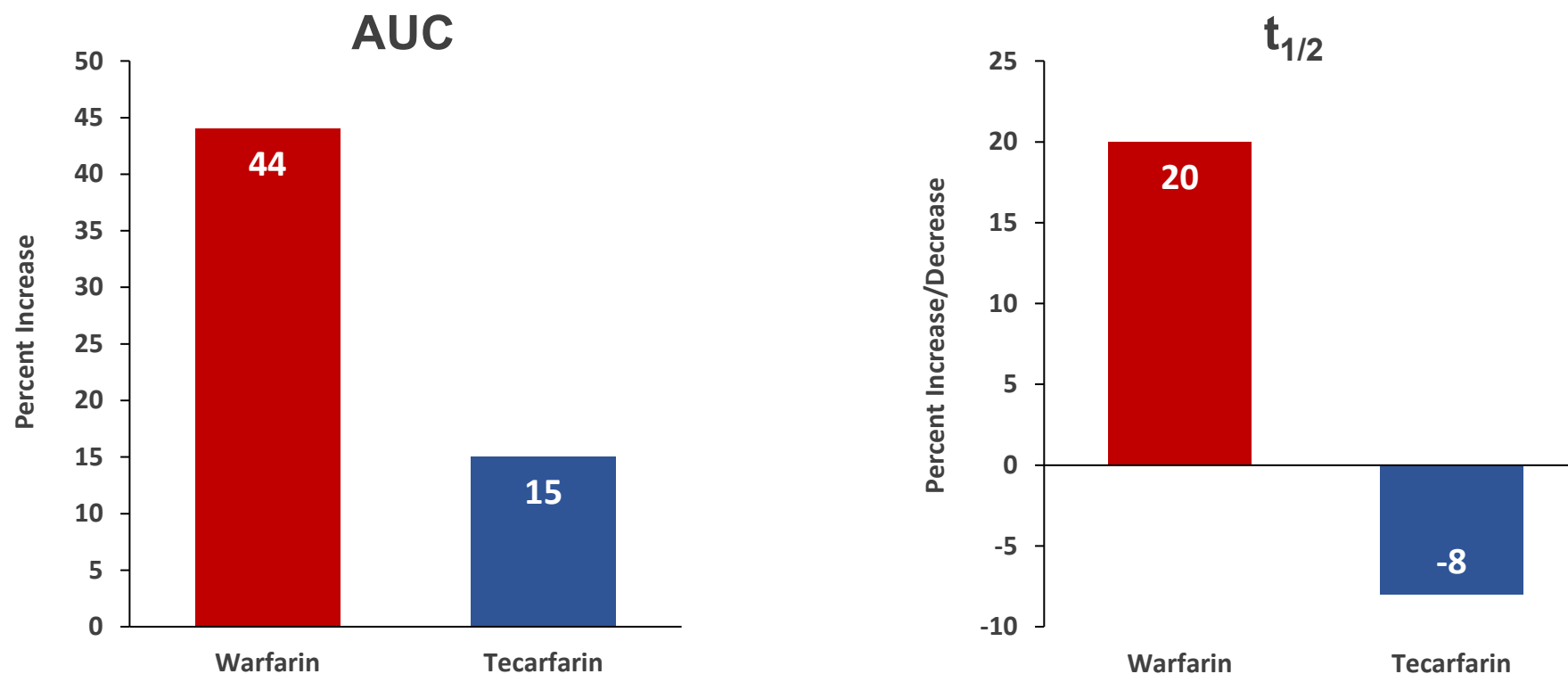
Plasma concentration and half-life increased in Stage 4 CKD patients

Tecarfarin may lead to dosing that is more predictable than warfarin in CKD patients who require anticoagulation therapy

Kidney Failure Has a Significant Impact on Warfarin PK vs Tecarfarin

Tecarfarin metabolism not as impacted by kidney failure

Percent Increase in Exposure for Chronic Kidney Disease Subjects vs Healthy subjects for Warfarin and Tecarfarin
(n =23)



Albrecht D, Turakhia MP, Ries D, et al. Pharmacokinetics of Tecarfarin and Warfarin in Patients with Severe Chronic Kidney Disease. *Thromb Haemost.* 2017;117(11):2026-2033. doi:10.1160/TH16-10-0815

APS Patients Randomized to DOACs Have Increased Arterial Thrombosis Risk

TRIAL SITES

RAPS	UK	(N = 116)
TRAPS	Italy	(N = 120)
Ordi-Ros, et al.	Spain	(N = 190)
ASTRO-APS	US	(N = 48)

Patients with
Thrombotic APS
N = 474

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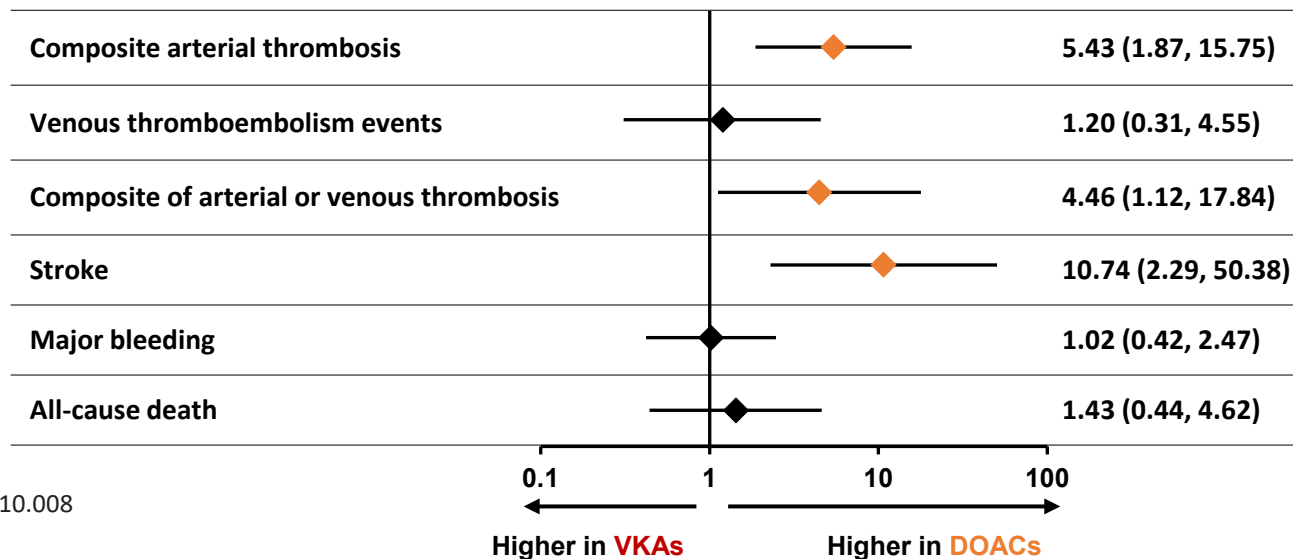
Vitamin K Antagonists (VKAs)

Direct Oral Anticoagulants (DOACs)

RESULTS

Use of DOACs compared with VKAs was associated with:

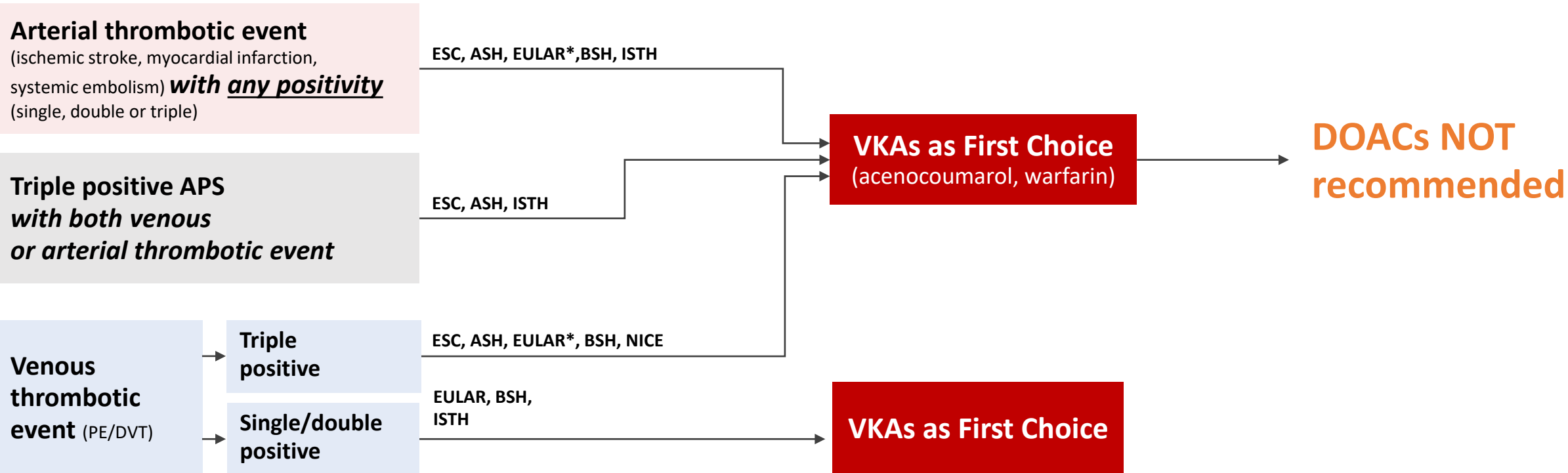
- Increased odds of arterial thrombotic events, especially stroke
- No change in the odds of VTE or major bleeding
- Results were consistent within subgroups



Khairani CD, Bejjani A, Piazza G, et al. *J Am Coll Cardiol.* 2023;81(1):16-30. doi:10.1016/j.jacc.2022.10.008

Summary of Guidelines Recommendations on Anticoagulant Treatment Prescription in Patients with Antiphospholipid Syndrome

PATIENTS WITH DEFINITE APS



* EULAR recommends to not use Rivaroxaban

Pastori D et al. *Front. Cardiovasc. Med.* 2021. 8:715878. doi: 10.3389/fcvm.2021.715878

ESC = European Society of Cardiology
 ASH = American Society of Hematology
 EULAR = European Alliance of Associations for Rheumatology
 BSH = British Society for Haematology
 ISH = International Society of Hematology

Eliquis 2023 Commercial

Eliquis highlights in its own commercial that you should not take for certain conditions.



“Don’t take ELIQUIS if you have an artificial heart valve...”

ELIQUIS is not for patients who have antiphospholipid syndrome (APS).

Premium Pay for High Value Cardiovascular Orphan Drugs

Track record of recent transactions for orphan drugs in cardiovascular space

CAMZYOS



 Bristol Myers Squibb™

Developed by MyoKardia and the company was subsequently acquired by BMS for \$13 billion

FoldRx





Developed by FoldRx with \$88 million in private financing, before FoldRx was subsequently acquired by Pfizer

FDA DESIGNATIONS	Orphan Drug, Priority Review
EXPEDITED APPROVAL	Based on a <u>251-patient study called EXPLORER</u> , in which patients randomized to take the drug had significantly better peak oxygen consumption and improved on a widely used measurement of heart failure when compared to those who got a placebo.
PRICE	\$89,500 a year (\$245/day) – <i>one of the most expensive CV drugs</i>
NOTABLY	The approval came with a warning for the risk of heart failure and an FDA-mandated plan to manage that risk.

FDA DESIGNATIONS	Orphan Drug, Fast Track, Priority Review & Breakthrough Therapy
EXPEDITED APPROVAL	Based on ATTR-ACT trial (Transthyretin Amyloidosis Cardiomyopathy Clinical Trial) - randomized 441 patients to tafamidis or placebo for 30 months
PRICE	\$225,000 a year (\$616/day) - <i>the most expensive CV drug</i>
YEAR 2 SALES FOLLOWING LAUNCH	\$1.3 billion collectively for Vyndaqel® and Vyndamax®