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# Investment Highlights

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## 2 Pivotal programs in high unmet need indications with near-term milestones

- Positive topline data announced January 2020; NDA submission expected 2H20
- Diabetic Cardiomyopathy 2021



## Distinct late-stage commercial opportunities

- Galactosemia - easily commercialized orphan indication based on biomarker data
- Diabetic Cardiomyopathy - potential blockbuster indication supported by deep science



## Reproducible discovery and development strategy

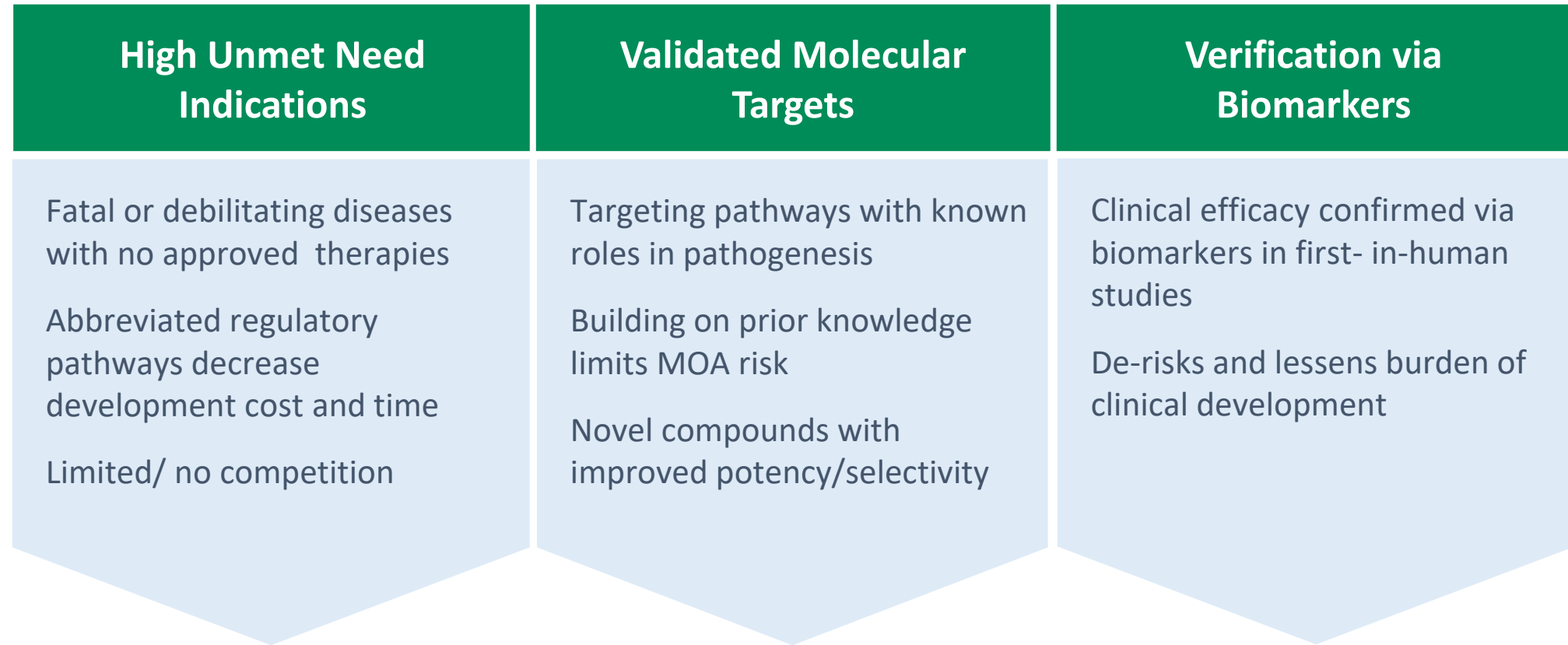
- Early stage pipeline in orphan oncology indications targeting PI3k



***Our mission*** is to create transformative, life-changing treatments for patients who desperately need them



# Applying Science to Transform Lives



***We develop drugs quickly at a lower cost:  
A significant benefit to patients in need of treatment***

# Pipeline

Compound	Preclinical	Phase 1	Phase 2	Phase 3	Dosing Route	Target Tissue	Anticipated Milestones
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## Aldose Reductase Franchise

AT-001	Diabetic Cardiomyopathy				Oral	Systemic	Ph 3 trial initiated in Q3 2019; data in 2021
AT-001	Diabetic Peripheral Neuropathy				Oral	Peripheral Nerve	
AT-001	Acute Myocardial Infarction				SC*	Systemic / Peripheral Nerve	
AT-007	Galactosemia				Oral	CNS	Positive topline biomarker data reported Jan 2020
AT-003	Diabetic Retinopathy				Oral	Retina	Preclinical data 2019; Initiate Ph 1 2020

## PI3 Kinase Franchise

AT-104	PTCL, CTCL, TALL**				SC / Oral	Selective $\delta/\gamma$ inhibitor	Initiate Ph 1 2020
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\* Subcutaneous

\*\* Peripheral T-cell lymphoma, cutaneous T-cell lymphoma and T-cell acute lymphoblastic leukemia

# Unlocking the Potential of Aldose Reductase Inhibition

## Validated Target Resistant to Therapeutic Development

- AR known to play a key role in diabetic complications and heart disease
- Past efforts failed to produce sufficiently potent, selective and tolerable drugs

## Recent Advances Enable Improved ARI's

- New understanding of structural changes within the active site of AR following enzymatic activation
  - Novel structures; all drugs are new chemical entities
- Increased potency and selectivity compared to prior compounds with none of the prior off-target safety issues to date

## R&D and Regulatory Opportunities

- High unmet need in numerous AR-mediated diseases
- Leverage prior ARI programs for streamlined, abbreviated development of our novel compounds
- Potential to utilize regulatory pathways designed for accelerated drug development

## AT-007 for Galactosemia



# AT-007 for Galactosemia

## Pathogenesis of Disease

- Rare genetic metabolic disease caused by inability to break down galactose
- Galactose is a sugar produced naturally by the body
- **Aldose Reductase converts galactose to galactitol, a toxic metabolite**
- Clinical presentation:
  - Significant CNS complications - motor, speech, cognitive, and psychiatric impairments, tremor, and seizures
  - Cataracts
  - Ovarian insufficiency in females

## Standard of Care

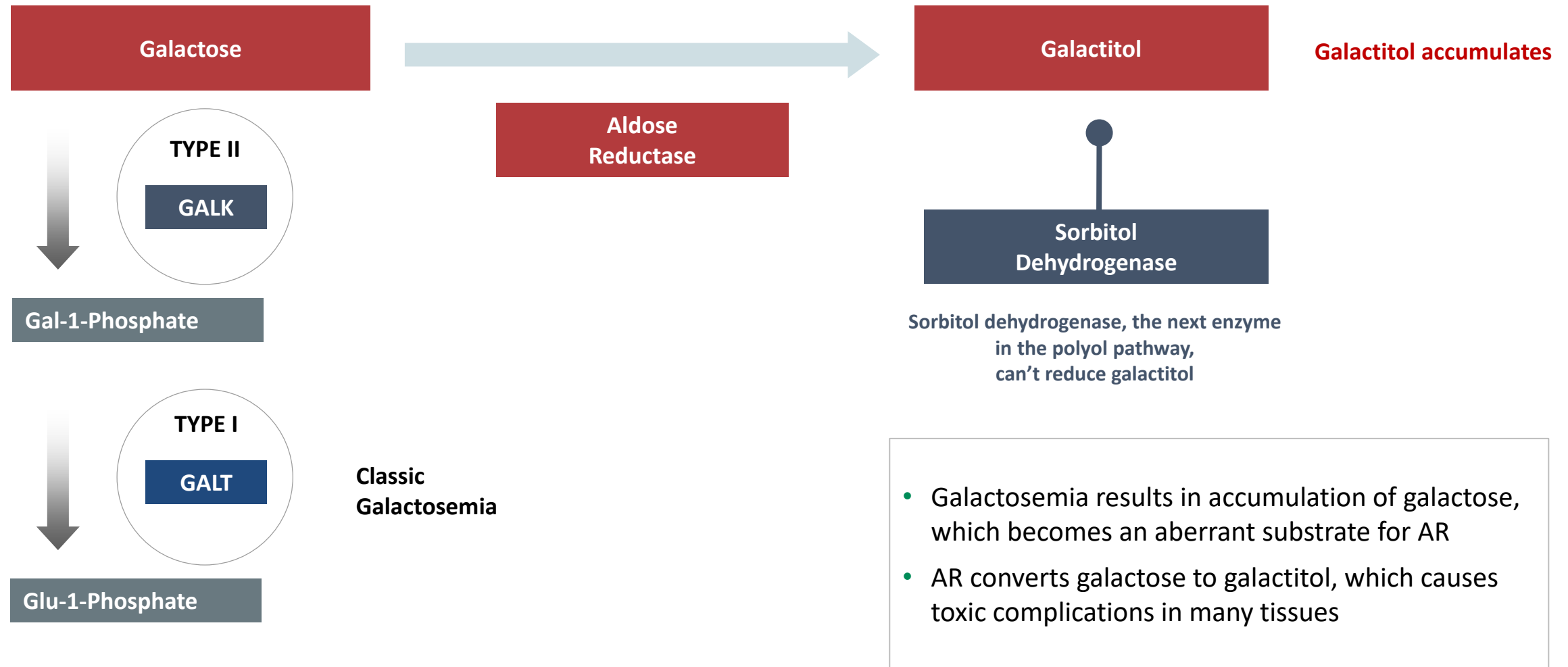
- Mandatory newborn screening and initiation of dairy free diet; dietary restriction prevents fatalities, but **does not prevent long term consequences of disease**
- No approved therapies

# Galactosemia Commercial Opportunity

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- **Easily identifiable patients & substantial population**
- Newborn screening and patient registry
- “Low Prevalence” but not ultra-rare
  - ~2,800 US patients; ~3,500 patients in Europe
  - ~80 new births per year in the US; more in Europe
- **Low burden of development due to biomarker-based program under new FDA guidance**
- **Opportunity to launch quickly with high market penetration**
  - >90% patients seen by ~20 specialists worldwide
  - High prescriber awareness of Applied clinical development program

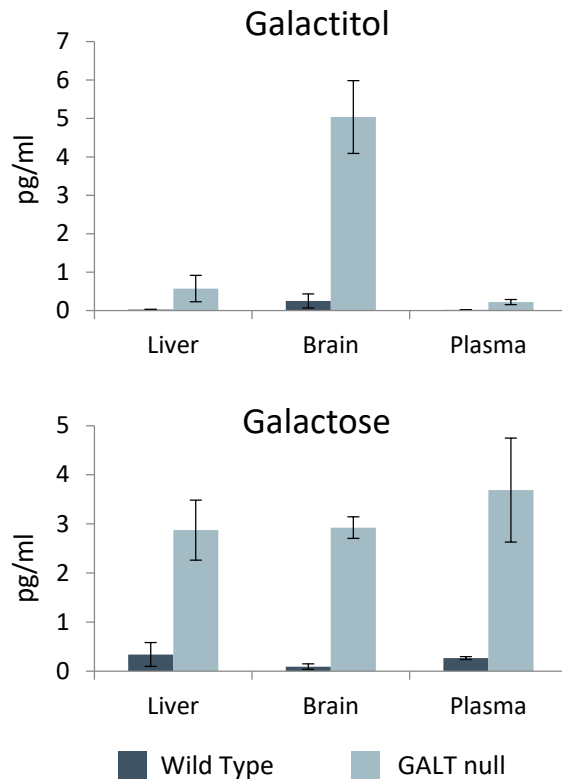
# Aldose Reductase Activity Causes Toxic Accumulation of Galactitol in Galactosemia



# GALT Deficient Rat Model Closely Mirrors Human Disease

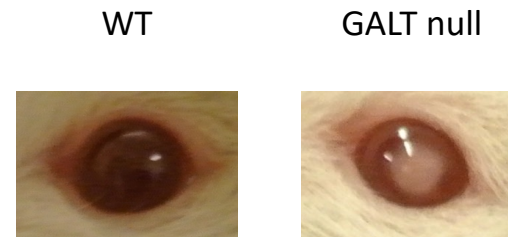
## Biochemical Effects

*GALT null rats have exponentially higher levels of galactose and galactitol, as well as Gal1p*



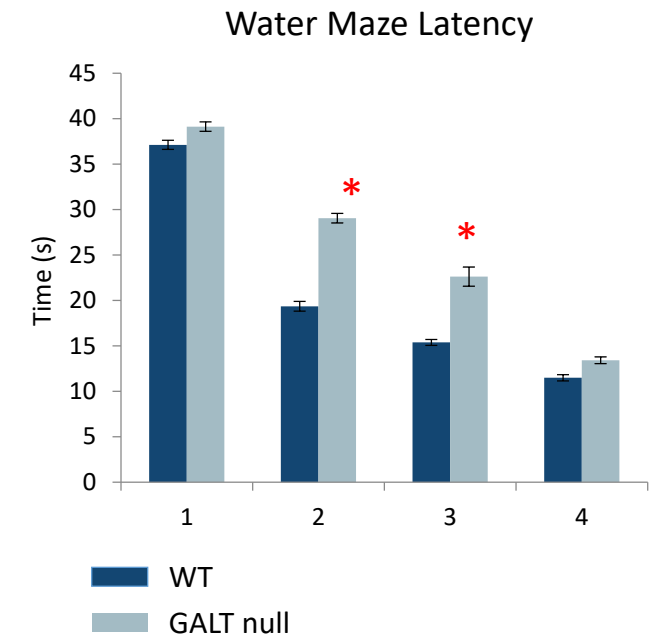
## Tissue Deposition of Galactitol

*All GALT null rats display cataracts (caused by galactitol deposition in the eye) vs. none of the WT rats*



## CNS Outcomes

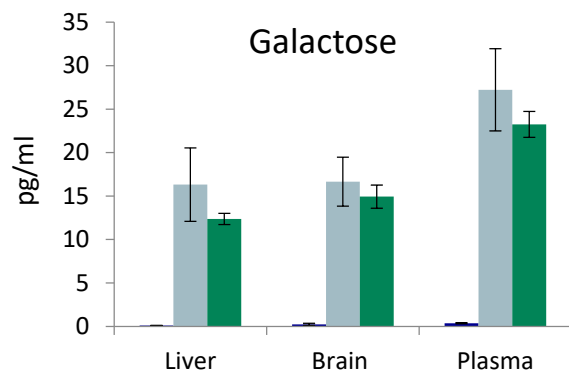
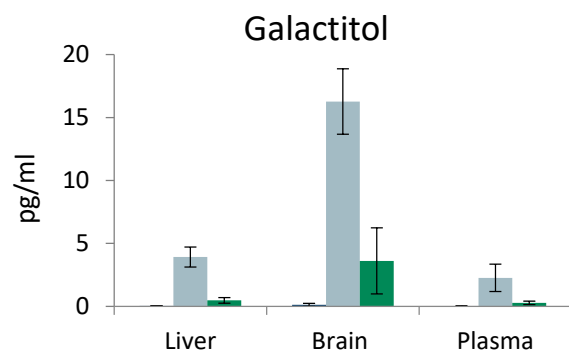
*GALT null rats display deficiencies in learning, cognition, and motor skills as measured by rotarod and water maze*



# AT-007 Treatment Corrects All 3 Aspects of Disease in the Galactosemia Rat Model

## Biochemical Effects

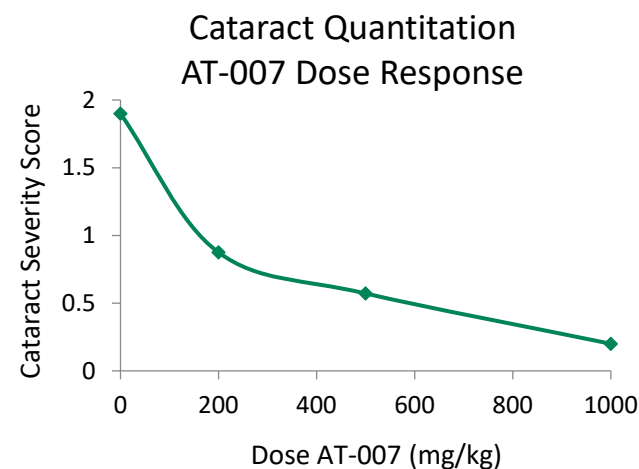
*AT-007 treatment significantly reduced galactitol levels in all tissues without increasing galactose or Gal1p*



■ Wild Type ■ GALT null Placebo ■ GALT null AT-007

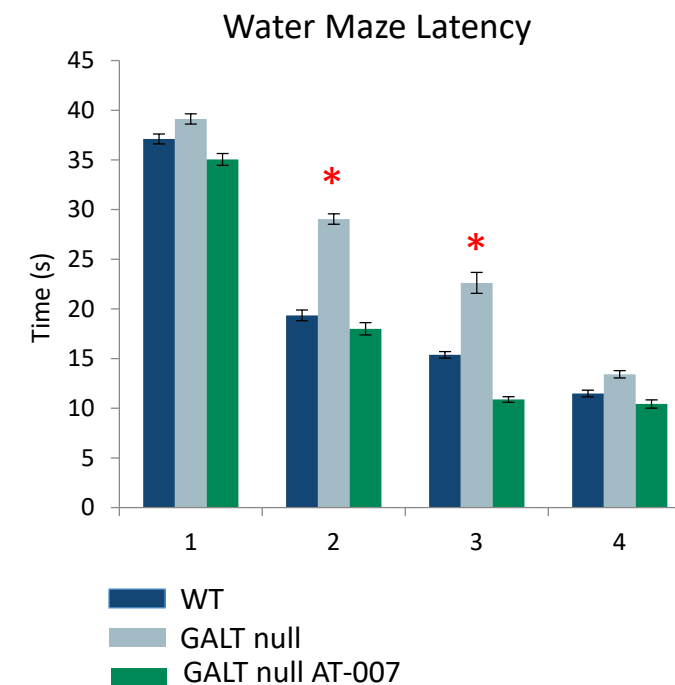
## Tissue Deposition of Galactitol

*AT-007 treatment prevented galactitol accumulation in tissues, resulting in absence of cataracts*



## CNS Outcomes

*AT-007 treatment normalized CNS outcomes on both water maze and rotarod*





# Galactosemia Phase 1/2 Registrational Study (ACTION-Galactosemia)

Multi-Center Placebo-Controlled Study in Healthy Volunteers & Adult Galactosemia Patients

## Healthy Volunteers

Single Ascending Dose  
(n=32)

Multiple Ascending Dose  
(n=32, 7 days)

Healthy Volunteer

Endpoints:

- Safety
- Pharmacokinetics
- Pharmacodynamics

## Adult Galactosemia Patients

Single Dose

27 Days Consecutive Dosing  
(n=18)

3 Month  
Extension

Galactosemia Endpoints:

- Safety
- Pharmacokinetics/Pharmacodynamics
- **Efficacy Biomarker - Galactitol**

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(n=32)

Multiple Ascending Dose  
(n=32, 7 days)

### Healthy Single Ascending Dose Results:

No drug-related safety issues at any dose tested

Dosing: 0.5, 5.0, 10, 20mg/kg

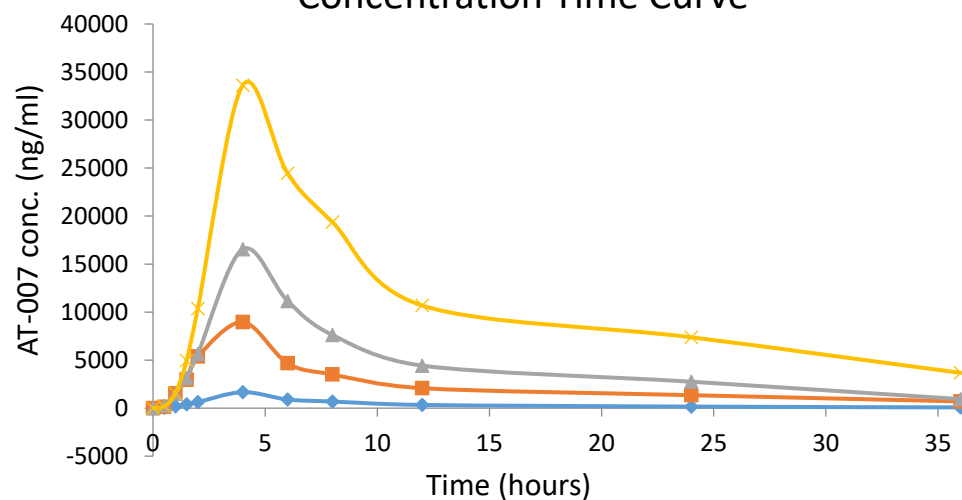
PK consistent with once daily dosing

(half-life ~12 hours)

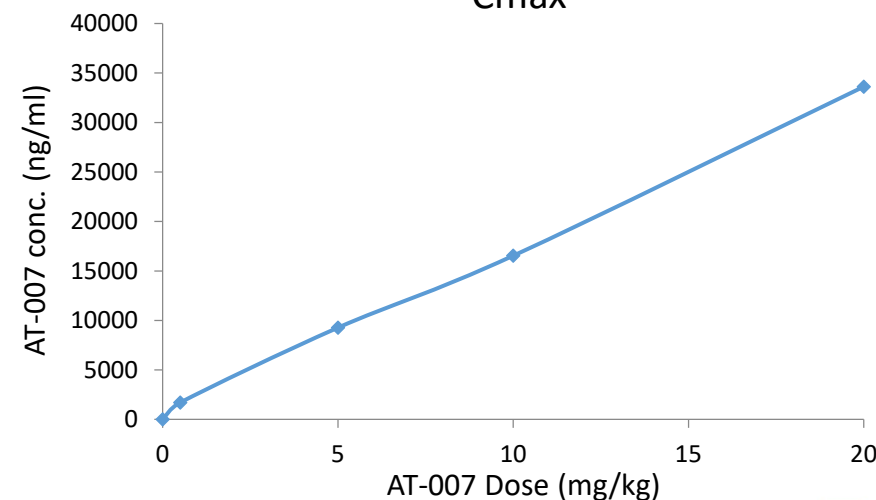
Consistent exposure across patients

Linear dose response

Concentration Time Curve

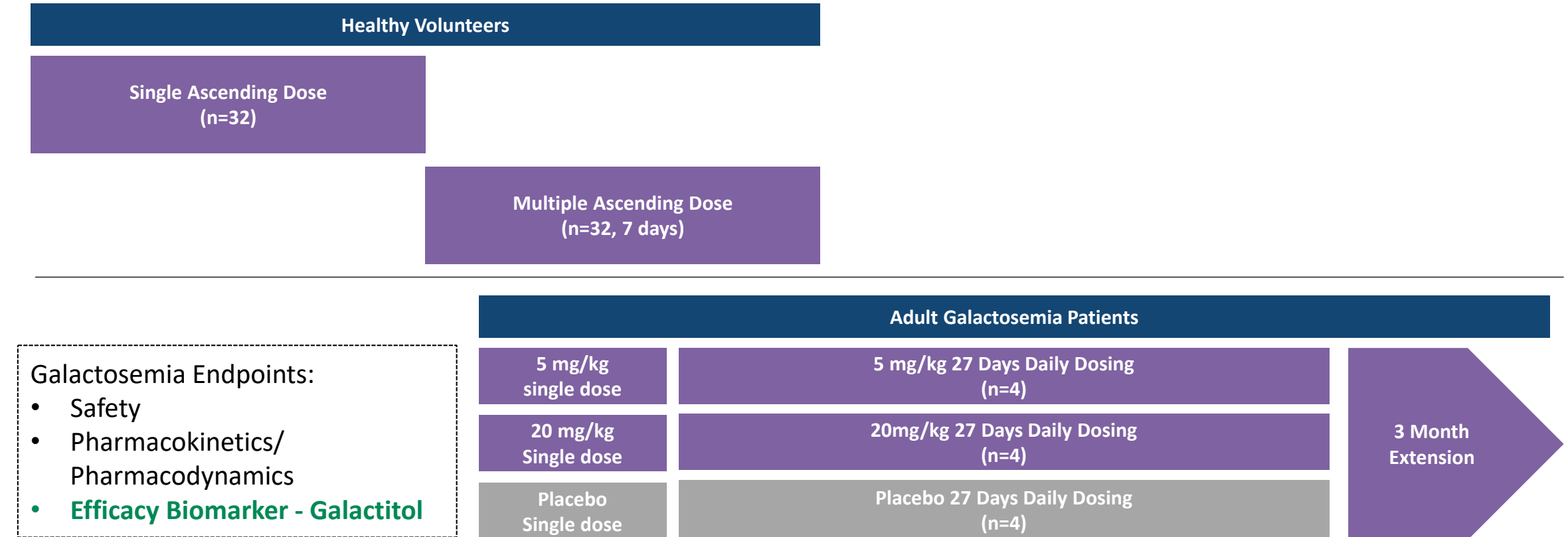


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# AT-007 Treatment Demonstrated Robust and Sustained Reduction in Galactitol in Galactosemia Patients

- AT-007 20 mg/kg reduced plasma galactitol up to 45-54% from baseline ( $p < 0.01$  vs placebo)
  - Galactitol reduction was rapid and sustained over time
  - Galactitol reduction was dose-dependent
    - 5mg AT-007 reduced plasma galactitol ~10-20%
- AT-007 was well tolerated
  - No drug-related adverse events noted to date in Galactosemia patients or in 72 healthy volunteers treated in Part 1 of the trial
- *Full Results from ACTION-Galactosemia at the Society for Inherited Metabolic Disorders Annual Meeting, April 26 – 29, 2020*

## **Further characterization of AT-007**

*ACTION-Galactosemia*

*Long-term safety in adult Galactosemia patients*

*Initiate pediatric study in 2020*

# AT-007: Oral CNS Penetrant Aldose Reductase Inhibitor

## Drug Profile

- Structurally distinct molecule with potent AR inhibition and unique PK profile
- Exposure to all Galactosemia target tissues – CNS, nerve and retina penetrant
- Oral once-daily dosing (half life 12-18 hrs)

## Safety

- No drug-related safety or tolerability issues in Phase 1 healthy volunteer study (SAD)
- No safety issues in newborn rat treatment studies, supporting eventual infant/pediatric use

## Path to Registration

- Prevented complications of disease in Galactosemia rat model
- Biomarker effects correlate with clinical endpoints
- Did not increase galactose levels or levels of other galactose metabolites (Gal1P)
- Ongoing biomarker-based study in adults with Classic Galactosemia to read out 4Q 2019
- Pediatric study to follow



## AT-001 for Diabetic Cardiomyopathy

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## Pathogenesis of Disease

- Fatal fibrosis of the heart; cardiac tissue “hardens” and limits contractility
- Caused by aberrant metabolism of glucose to sorbitol in cardiomyocytes (by Aldose Reductase)
- Affects 17-24% of diabetics (77M patients worldwide)
- Occurs in both Type 1 and Type 2 diabetes

## Standard of Care

- No treatments exist for DbCM
- Patients are counseled on glucose control and lifestyle

# DbCM Commercial Opportunity: Blockbuster Potential with Limited Capital Requirement

Regulatory	Commercial Market	Point of Care
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Clear path to registration based on functional capacity endpoint (exercise tolerance)</li><li>• Single Phase 3 trial required</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 10M patients in the US; 77M worldwide</li><li>• Sufficiently narrow heart failure population - can be targeted with limited commercial investment</li><li>• High disease awareness</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Easily diagnosed and tracked by cardiologists (echo)</li><li>• Easily identified for referral- endocrinologists/PCPs can identify probable patients through a simple blood test (NTproBNP cardiac stress biomarker)</li></ul>

# Strong Rationale for AT-001 Development in Diabetic Cardiomyopathy: First-in-Class Potential

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## Building on Prior Body of Evidence

- The role of AR in DbCM is well supported by preclinical and clinical evidence
- Proof of mechanism: Pfizer's zopolrestat achieved proof-of-concept on LVEF in Phase 2 Diabetic Cardiomyopathy trial

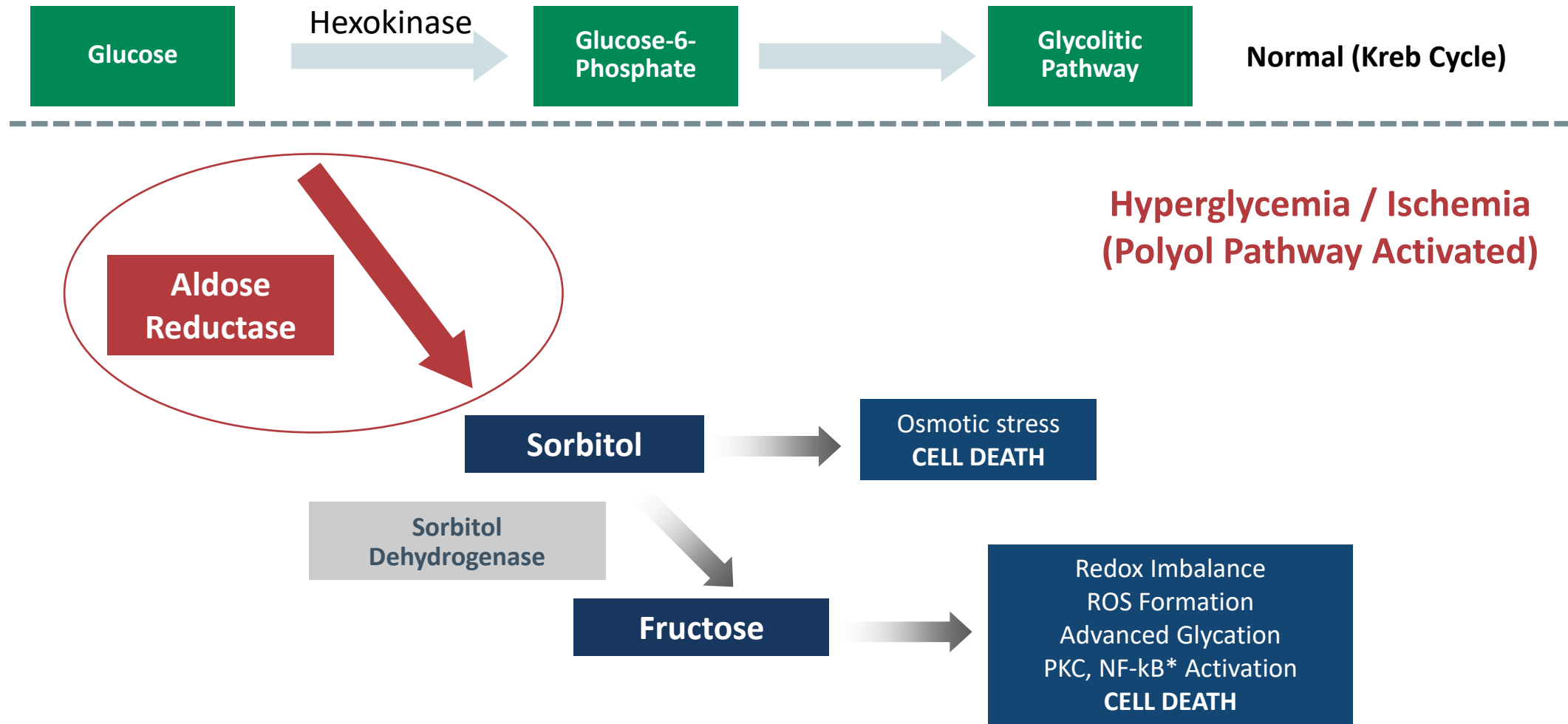
## AT-001's Robust Pre-Clinical Profile

- 1,000X more potent than prior best-in-class ARI (zopolrestat), in vitro and in vivo
- Broad exposure: Cardiac and nerve tissue
- Highly favorable preclinical profile: MTD>2,000mg/kg

## AT-001's Robust Clinical Profile (Ph 1/2 trial)

- Clinical proof-of-concept via sorbitol biomarker observed in T2D patients
- No drug related AEs observed at any dose; well tolerated
- Heart inflammatory biomarkers in 28 day arm in DbCM patients informed dose selection for pivotal study

# Aldose Reductase Causes Damage to Tissues (Including Cardiomyocytes) Under Oxidative Stress

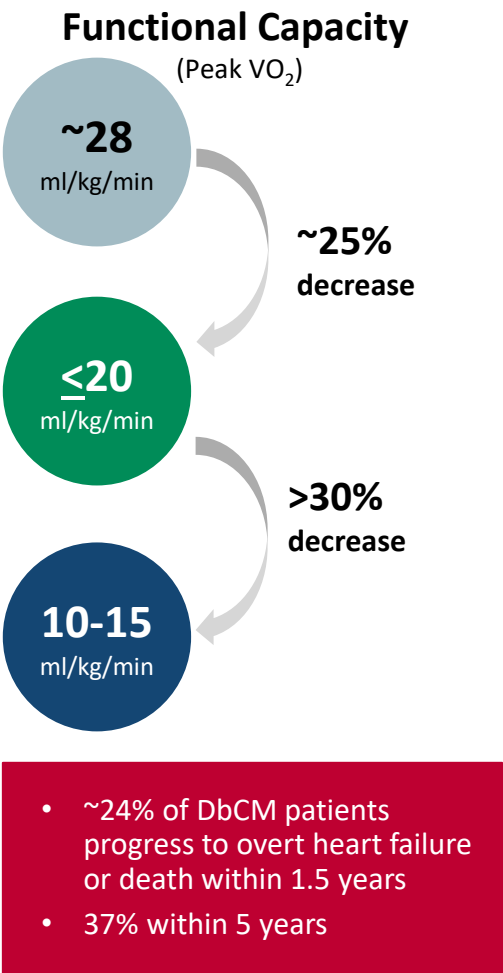


\*Nf-kB is a protein complex that controls transcription of DNA, cytokine production and cell survival



# Understanding Diabetic Cardiomyopathy as a Form of Heart Failure

Diabetes Stage A Heart Failure	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Metabolic derangement of the myocardium due to diabetes</li></ul>
DbCM Stage B Heart Failure	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Cardiac structural abnormalities</li><li>Diastolic dysfunction; LVH</li><li>Early symptoms of DbCM; noticeable impact on activities</li><li>Impaired Functional capacity (~75% normal)</li></ul>
Stage C Heart Failure	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Overt Heart Failure</li><li>HFpEF or HFrEF</li><li>Significant impact on daily activities</li></ul>
Stage D Heart Failure	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Refractory Heart Failure requiring specialized interventions (e.g. LV Assist Device)</li><li>Inability to complete daily activities</li></ul>



References: Kosmala et al, JACC V O L . 6 5 , NO . 3 , 20 1 5; Swank et al. Circ HF 2012; Wang et al. JACC: Cardiovasc Imaging 2018; From et al. JACC 2010

# AT-001 Phase 1/2 Trial in Type 2 Diabetic Patients

## Parts A & B

### Design

- 80 Type 2 Diabetic Patients
- All patients remained on concomitant meds
- 40 patients in SAD – (5, 10, 20, 40mg/kg)
- 40 patients in MAD – (5, 20, 40mg/kg; 20mg/kg BID)
- 8 drug treated & 2 placebo in each cohort

### Results

- No drug-related AEs in entire study (up to 7 days treatment)
- No abnormal labs
- Normalization of sorbitol (PD biomarker)

## Part C

### Design

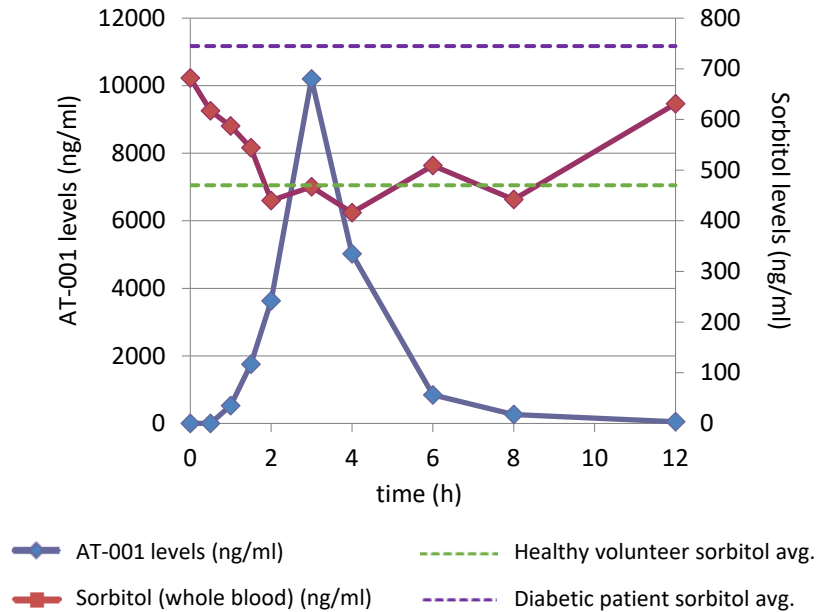
- 30 DbCM patients
- 10 patients per cohort (8 drug treated, 2 placebo)
  - Placebo
  - 1,500mg BID
  - 1,000mg TID

### Results

- No drug-related AEs in entire study (up to 28 days treatment)
- No drug-related lab abnormalities
- Effect on cardiac biomarker NTproBNP

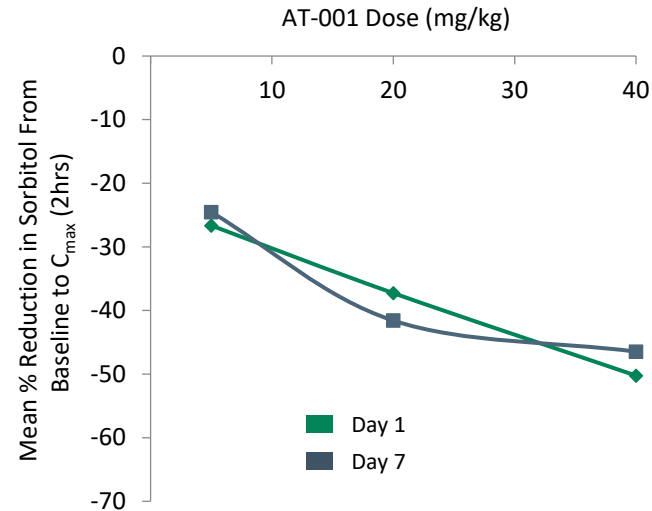
# AT-001 Normalizes Sorbitol, a Biomarker of AR Activity, in Diabetic Patients

**Proof of Biological Activity**



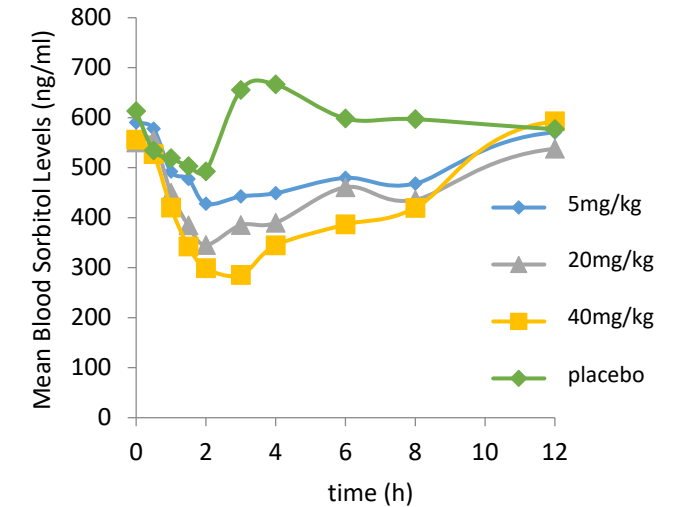
- Drug treatment with AT-001 normalized sorbitol to healthy volunteer levels

**Sorbitol Reduction by Dose**



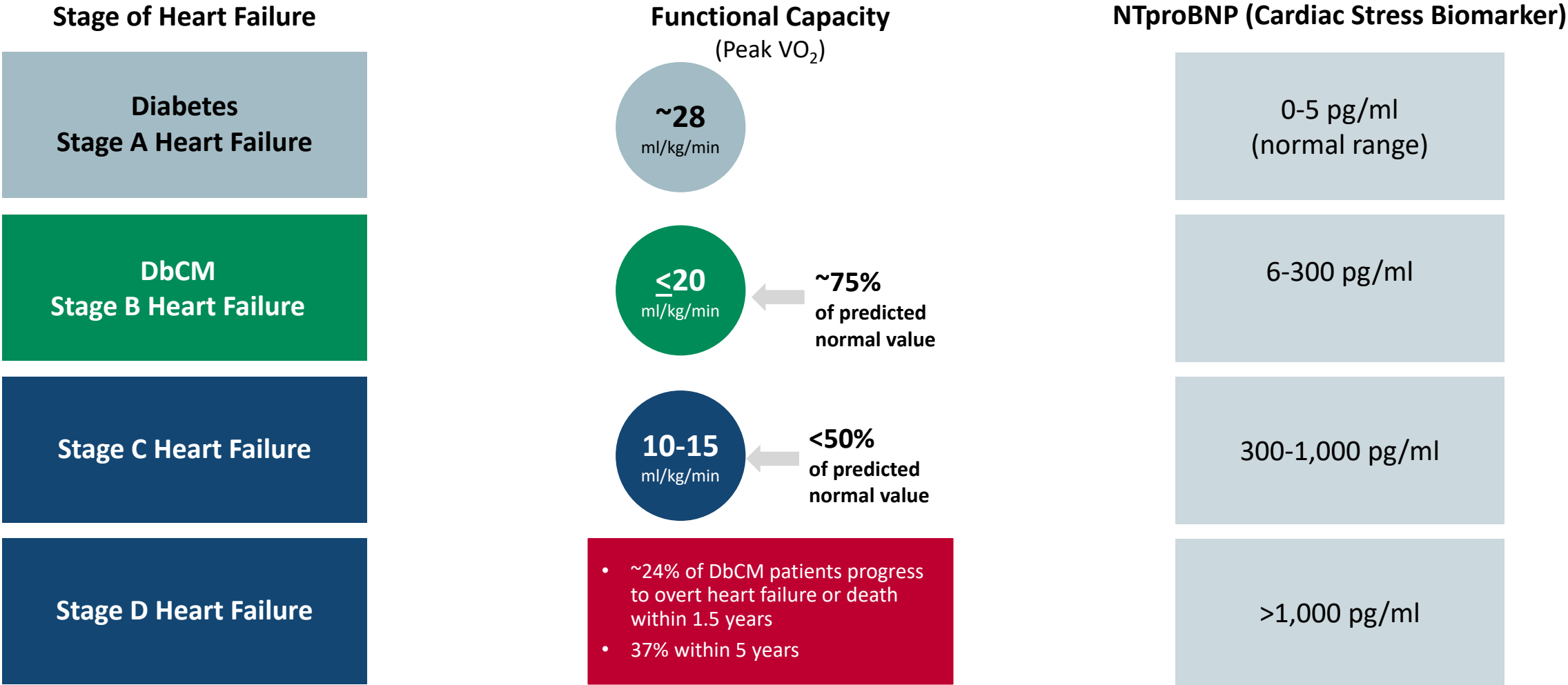
- Mean reduction in sorbitol at Day 1 and Day 7: Results are persistent over 1 week of treatment
- At 40mg/kg patients were normalized to healthy volunteer sorbitol levels, demonstrating complete AR inhibition

**Sorbitol Normalization Over Time**



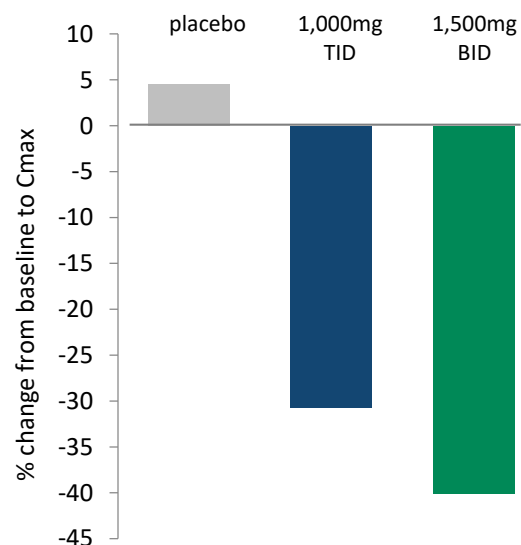
- Rapid release capsule provides sorbitol normalization effects (PD biomarker) through 10-12hrs post-dose at >10mg/kg
- Includes protection from food-related sorbitol spikes during times of post-prandial hyperglycemia

# NTproBNP Levels are Elevated in DbCM Patients (Blood-based cardiac stress biomarker)



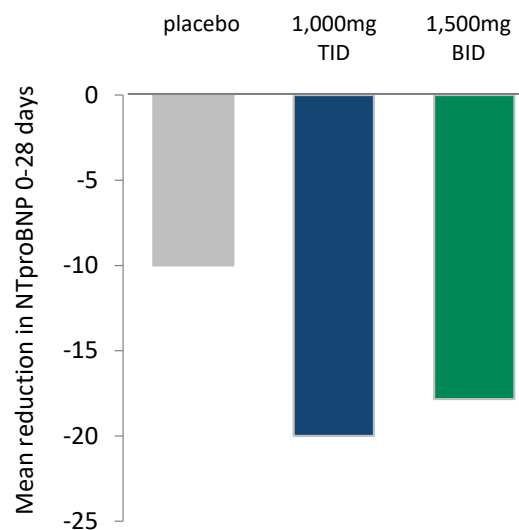
# AT-001 Reduced Levels of NTproBNP Cardiac Stress Biomarker Over 28 Days of Treatment

## Sorbitol Normalization



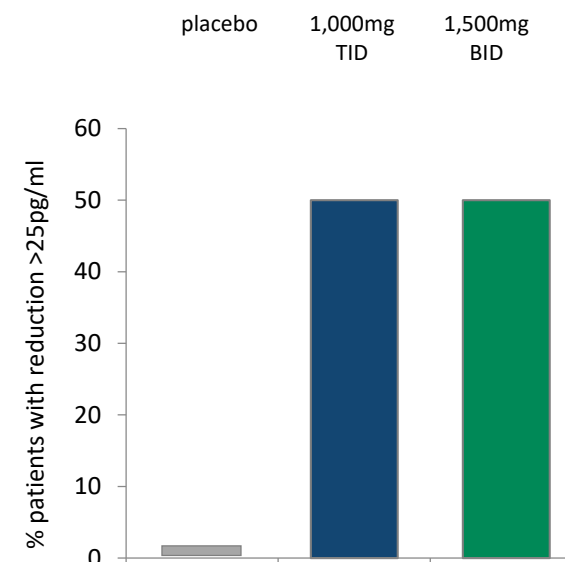
- Significant sorbitol reduction achieved by both 1,000mg TID and 1,500mg BID AT-001
- Higher C<sub>max</sub> achieved with BID slightly beneficial – normalizes sorbitol to healthy volunteer levels

## Mean Reduction in NTproBNP



- Mean reduction in NTproBNP seen over 28 days vs. placebo
  - Mean baseline NTproBNP was 65pg/ml

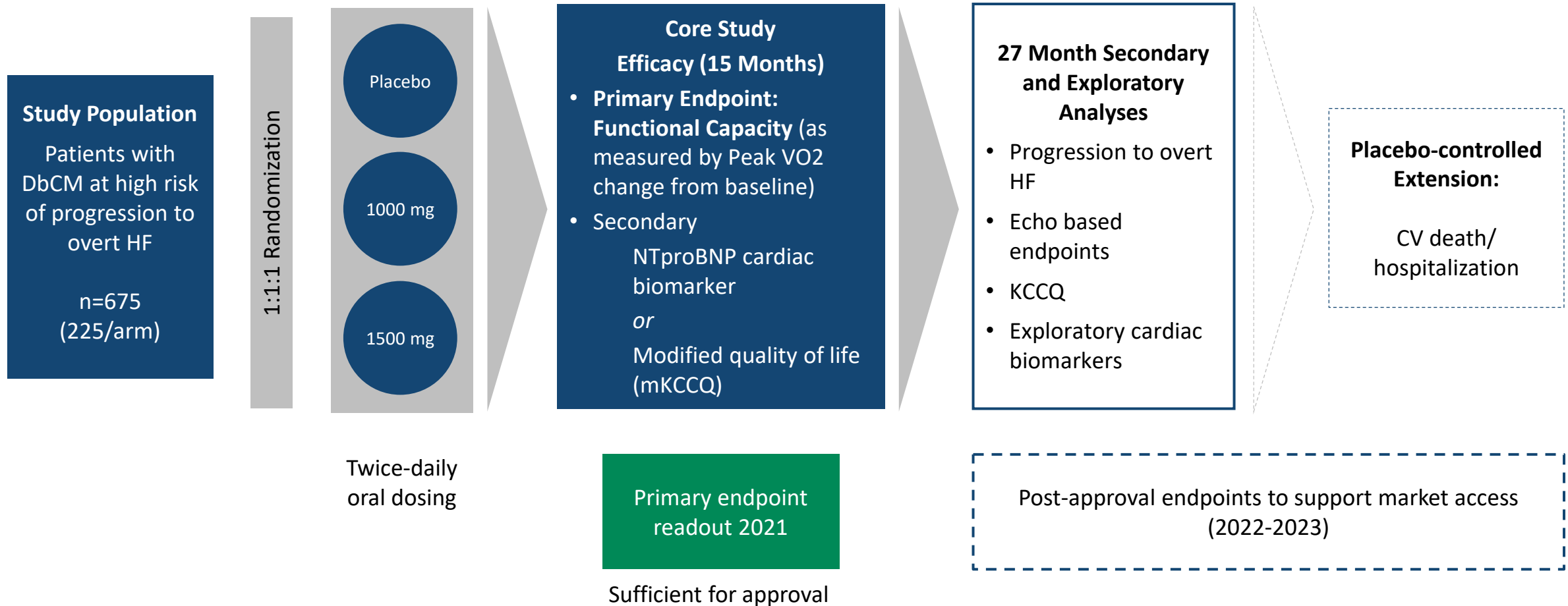
## Clinical Responder Analysis



- ~50% AT-001 treated patients demonstrated a clinically meaningful reduction in NTproBNP over 28 days
  - >25pg/ml reduction from baseline

# DbCM Phase 3 Registrational Study (ARISE-HF)

Randomized, Placebo-Controlled Study in DbCM Patients at High Risk of Progression



## Appendix / Backup Slides

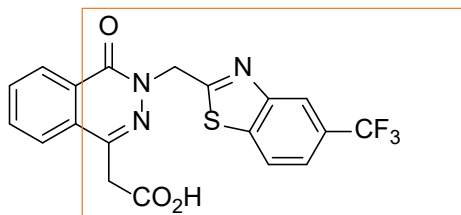


# Addressing Large Indications in Areas of High Unmet Medical Need – Opportunities for Abbreviated Clinical Development

Indication	Prevalence	Market	Unmet Need	Development Strategy
Diabetic Cardiomyopathy	17-24% Diabetics	~77M patients worldwide	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No therapies approved</li> <li>No known drugs in development</li> <li>Entresto approved in stage 4 disease</li> </ul>	Independent; Abbreviated Development
Retinopathy	35% Diabetics	~158M patients worldwide	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>2 therapies approved (intravitreal injection)</li> <li>Anti-VEGFs only for late stage disease</li> </ul>	Independent; Abbreviated Development
Diabetic Peripheral Neuropathy	50% Diabetics	~226M patients worldwide	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No disease-modifying therapies approved</li> <li>Only symptomatic treatments available (Lyrica)</li> <li>Epalrestat, an off-patent ARI, approved in Japan, China, India</li> </ul>	Strategic Partner; Standard Development
Galactosemia	1/50k to 1/90k	~2,800 patients in the US	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No therapies approved; lactose dietary restriction not sufficient</li> <li>No known drugs in development</li> </ul>	Independent; Abbreviated Development (includes PRV)

# Novel Chemistry For Better Drugs

## Backbone



**zopolrestat**

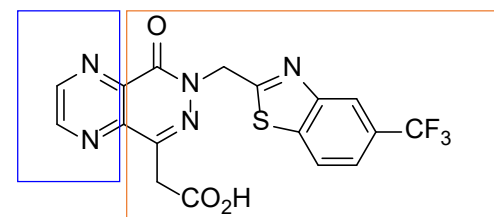
Similar backbone to zopolrestat (prior best in class efficacy, but liver tox issues)

## Technological Advancements

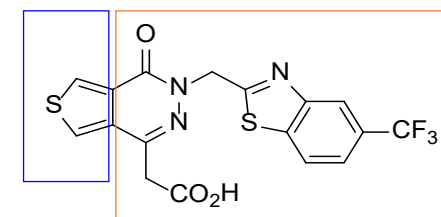
- Advanced crystallography provided novel understanding of structural changes within AR active site
- Many prior ARIs were unable to inhibit redox-activated AR

## Impact of Modified Structure

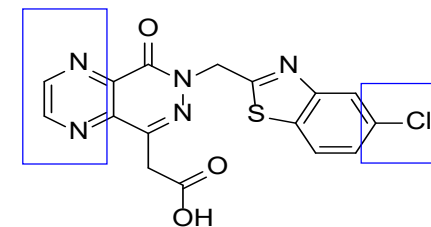
- Functional modifications improve compound's binding affinity and specificity
- Novel dimeric binding within the catalytic core
- Higher enzymatic inhibitory activity
- Increased selectivity leads to less off-target activity and potentially better safety



**AT-001**



**AT-007**



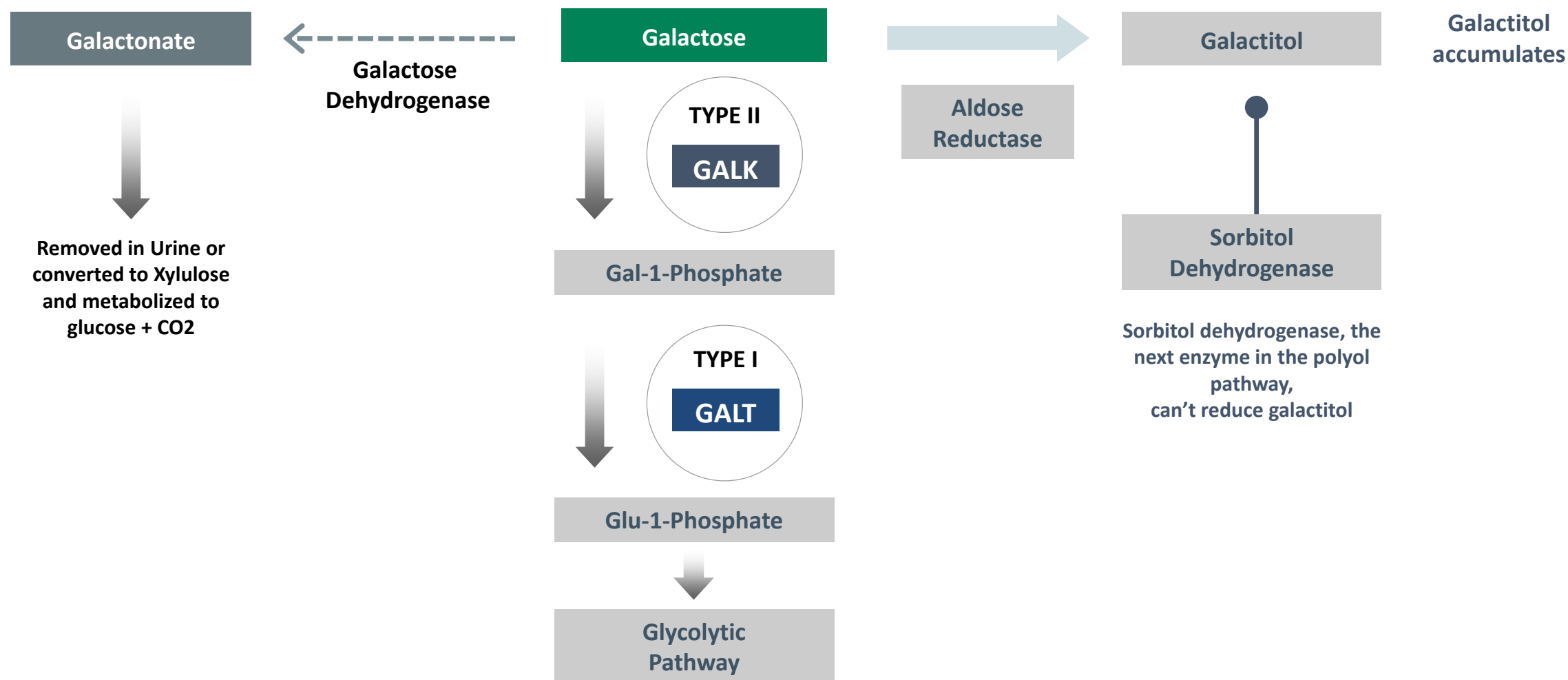
**AT-003**

# Intellectual Property Summary

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- Dominant IP and Freedom to Operate on all compounds & all target indications
- Expected IP runway of at least 10 years post-launch in key indications
- Composition of matter patents that cover AT-001 and related compounds obtained US, EP, JP, CA and AU
  - Patent protection through 2031, regulatory extension of term possible
  - Method claims obtained or currently being pursued
- Composition of matter patent that covers AT-007 and related compounds obtained in US
  - Pending on fast track in Europe, pending in other countries
- Company-owned international applications (PCT) cover methods for treating Galactosemia and additional compound derivatives

# If Blocking AR Doesn't Increase Galactose or Gal-1P..... Where Does the Extra Substrate Go?



# Diabetic Peripheral Neuropathy

## Burden of Disease

- Aldose Reductase activity in neurons causes osmotic dysregulation and cell death/neuronal dysfunction
- Tingling/burning/stinging sensation and loss of feeling in peripheral tissues
- Significant impact on quality of life and pharmacoeconomic metrics (ability to work)

## Standard of Care

- No disease modifying therapies approved
- Epalrestat (ARI) approved for 20+ years in Japan: dosed 3-5x/day; numerous side effects
- Standard of care outside of Japan/China is analgesic (pain) management, primarily Lyrica

## Building on Prior Body of Evidence

- Epalrestat is understood to be safe and moderately effective, but unfavorable PK profile (5X daily dosing)
- Never approved in US/EU; now generic in Japan/China
- Phase 4 trials in Japan demonstrated statistical effects on MNCV and symptomatic pain (Hotta et al)

## Current Phase 1 SAD/MAD Trial

- Current AT-001 Phase 1 results show favorable PK vs. Epalrestat
- DPN metrics (MNCV) will be captured in Phase 2/3 pivotal Diabetic Cardiomyopathy trial
- Demonstrate POC for AT-001 in DPN and inform on dose selection for registrational DPN trials

## Future Path to Registration

- Will require “typical” path to registration
  - 2 large Phase 3 trials
- Design will follow Epalrestat Phase 4 trials– careful selection of patient population and performance of endpoint testing
- Likely to pursue strategic partnership with large pharmaceutical company

# AT-003 for Diabetic Retinopathy

## Burden of Disease

- One of the major causes of blindness worldwide
- Current therapies (anti-VEGFs) are high cost biologics that require intravitreal administration by an ophthalmologist
- Limited access for patients and high economic burden
- AR is an upstream target vs. VEGF – opportunity to blunt damage to the eye at the earliest stages

## Standard of Care

- Current treatments (anti-VEGF therapies) target downstream consequences of diabetic complications in the eye
- Lucentis & Eylea are leading approved therapies for DME; limited to treating later stage / more severe stages of disease

## Building on Prior Body of Evidence

- Clear proof of mechanism: AR activation / increased sorbitol as the initial pathogenesis of retinopathy is well supported
- Sorbitol build up in the lens causes osmotic dysregulation
- AR knock-out mice do not develop diabetic retinopathy; AR over-expressing mice develop retinopathy earlier than WT
- 2 prior ARIs met endpoints in Phase 2 trials, but were toxic

## AT-003 in Preclinical Development

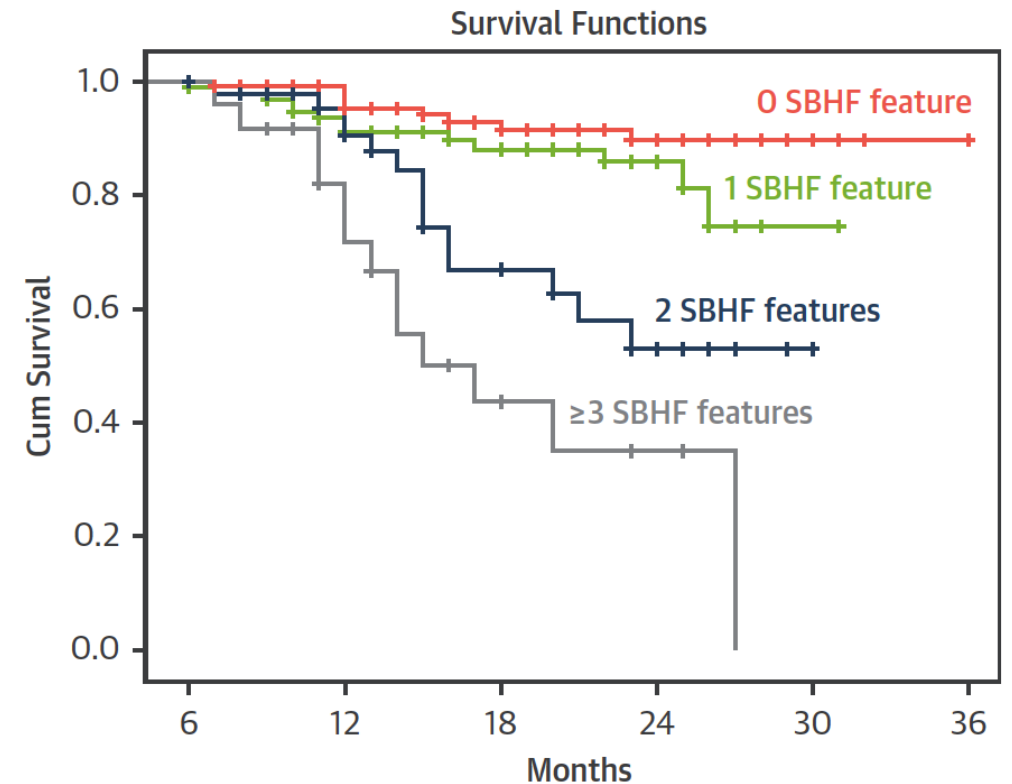
- Proof-of-concept in animal models of retinopathy
- AT-003 displays a similar PK to AT-001, but has greater retinal penetrance
- IND-enabling studies and manufacturing scale up are under way

# Anticipated Changes in Functional Capacity and Progression to Overt Heart Failure in Study Population

Anticipated mean baseline functional capacity (Peak VO<sub>2</sub>) <6 METS (21ml/kg/min) represents a steep slope of decline and strong relationship between changes in functional capacity and ability to perform everyday tasks

	Peak VO <sub>2</sub>	Metabolic 'Cost' of Activity
Light and moderate intensity	3.5	Rest
	7.0-10.5	Walking 2mph, eating, dressing
	14.0-17.5	Walking 4mph, household tasks
	21.0-24.5	Walking up stairs, Stage 2 Bruce: 2.5mph, 12%
Vigorous intensity	28.0-31.5	Swimming, tennis
	35.0-38.5	Jogging 10 min/miles, Stage 3 Bruce: 3.4mph, 14%
	42.0-49.0	Intense aerobic sports, squash Stage 4 Bruce: 4.2mph, 16%
	>70.0	Professional athletes/Olympians

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