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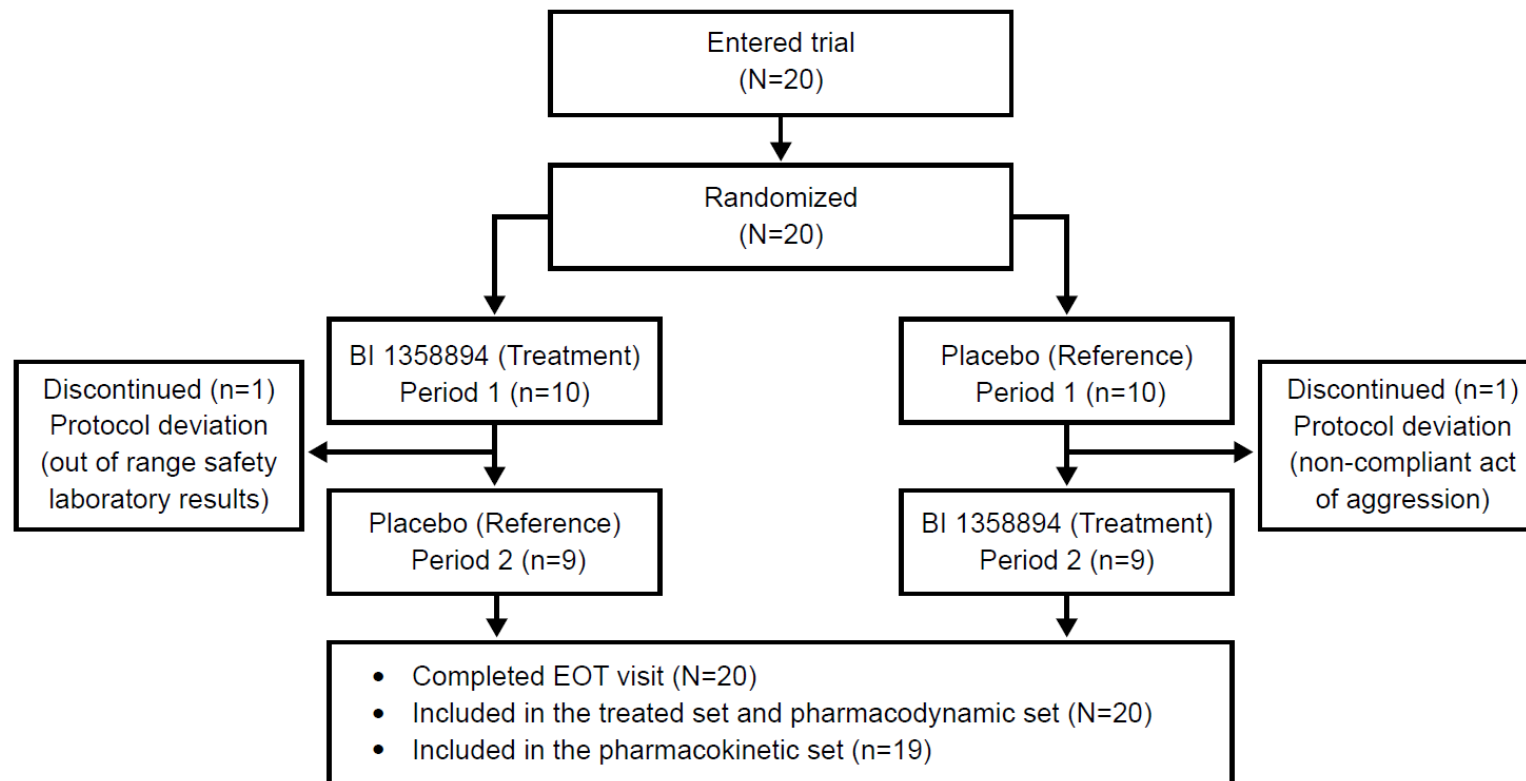
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## Online Resources

### Online Resource 1: Participant disposition.



EOT, end of treatment.

**Online Resource 2: Participant demographic data.**

| Subjects                                      | N (%)      |
|-----------------------------------------------|------------|
| Treated                                       | 20 (100)   |
| Male                                          | 20 (100)   |
| Ethnicity                                     |            |
| American Indian or Alaskan Native             | 1 (5)      |
| Asian                                         | 1 (5)      |
| Black or African American                     | 1 (5)      |
| Hispanic/Latino                               | 1 (5)      |
| White                                         | 16 (80)    |
| Smoking                                       |            |
| Smoker                                        | 4 (20)     |
| Former smoker                                 | 5 (25)     |
| Never smoked                                  | 11 (55)    |
| Mean age (SD; years)                          | 26.7 (9.5) |
| Mean body mass index (SD; kg/m <sup>2</sup> ) | 23.0 (2.8) |

SD, standard deviation.

### Online Resource 3: Summary of PSS and EVAS pharmacodynamic parameters.

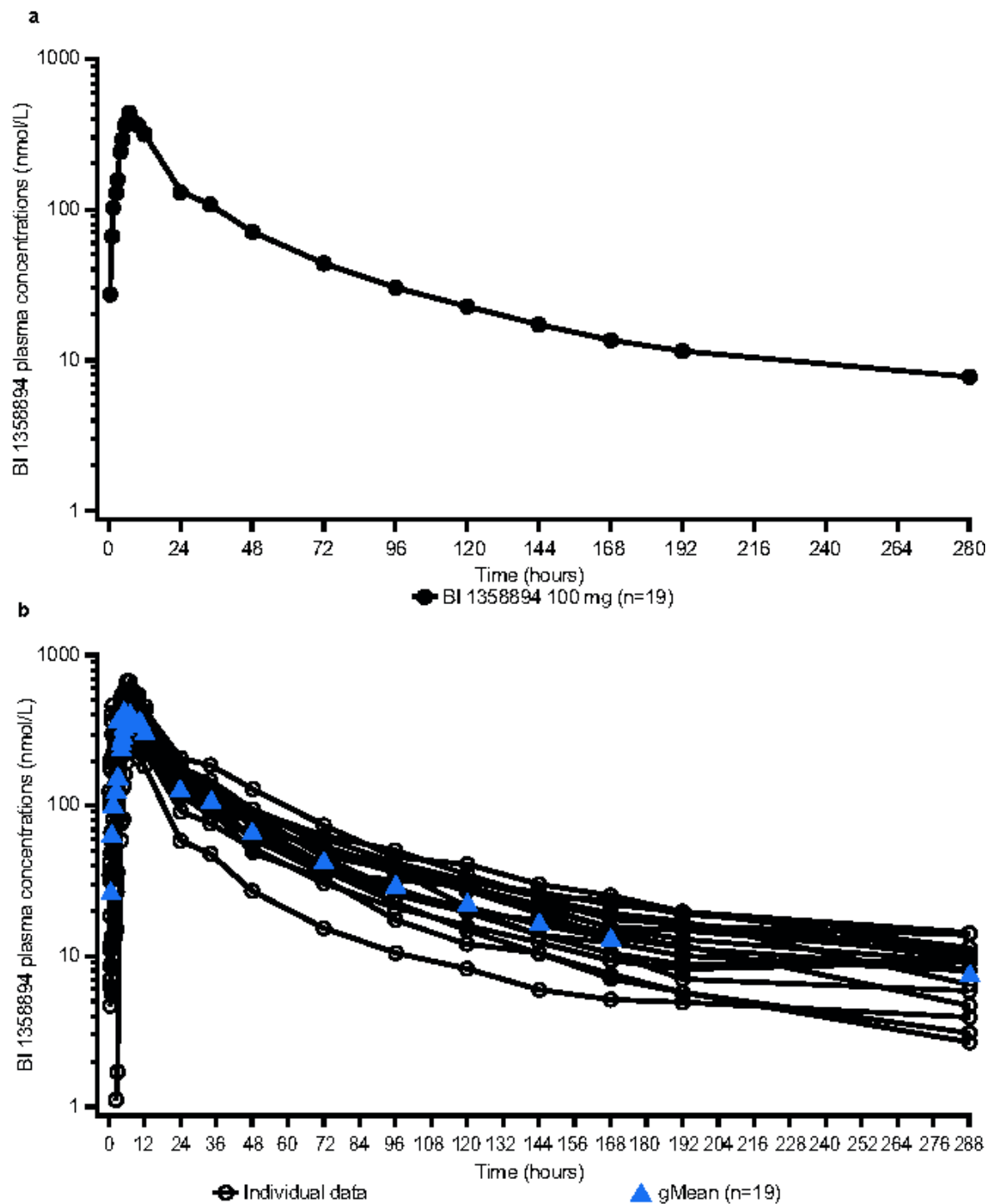
| Endpoint                                                          | Placebo (N=19) |           | BI 1358894 (N=19) |           |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|-----------|-------------------|-----------|
|                                                                   | Mean           | SD        | Mean              | SD        |
| PSS sum intensity score                                           |                |           |                   |           |
| E <sub>base</sub>                                                 | 0.21           | 0.42      | 0.26              | 0.56      |
| E <sub>max</sub>                                                  | 30.40          | 12.40     | 22.20             | 12.40     |
| AUEC <sub>4.75-5.5</sub> (h)                                      | 6.99           | 2.95      | 5.35              | 3.11      |
| t <sub>max</sub> (h) <sup>a</sup>                                 | 5.08           | 5.08–5.08 | 5.08              | 5.08–5.08 |
| Change from baseline of PSS sum intensity score                   |                |           |                   |           |
| AUEC <sub>4.75-5.5</sub> (h)                                      | 6.84           | 2.98      | 5.15              | 3.05      |
| t <sub>max</sub> (h) <sup>a</sup>                                 | 5.08           | 5.08–5.08 | 5.08              | 5.08–5.08 |
| PSS total number of symptoms <sup>b</sup>                         |                |           |                   |           |
| E <sub>base</sub>                                                 | 0.21           | 0.42      | 0.26              | 0.56      |
| E <sub>max</sub>                                                  | 12.60          | 3.37      | 11.00             | 3.54      |
| AUEC <sub>4.75-5.5</sub> (h)                                      | 3.22           | 1.05      | 2.97              | 1.21      |
| t <sub>max</sub> (h) <sup>a</sup>                                 | 5.08           | 5.08–5.08 | 5.08              | 5.08–5.08 |
| Change from baseline in PSS total number of symptoms <sup>b</sup> |                |           |                   |           |
| E <sub>max</sub>                                                  | 12.40          | 3.30      | 10.70             | 3.45      |
| AUEC <sub>4.75-5.5</sub> (h)                                      | 3.06           | 1.03      | 2.77              | 1.18      |
| t <sub>max</sub> (h) <sup>a</sup>                                 | 5.08           | 5.08–5.08 | 5.08              | 5.08–5.08 |
| EVAS score                                                        |                |           |                   |           |
| E <sub>base</sub> (mm)                                            | 5.21           | 6.48      | 5.79              | 7.61      |
| E <sub>max</sub> (mm)                                             | 72.40          | 12.60     | 58.50             | 19.80     |
| AUEC <sub>4.75-5.5</sub> (h·mm)                                   | 19.50          | 4.30      | 17.80             | 6.59      |
| t <sub>max</sub> (h) <sup>a</sup>                                 | 5.08           | 5.08–5.08 | 5.08              | 5.08–5.08 |
| Change from baseline in EVAS score                                |                |           |                   |           |
| E <sub>max</sub> (mm)                                             | 67.20          | 13.60     | 52.70             | 20.00     |
| AUEC <sub>4.75-5.5</sub> (h·mm)                                   | 15.60          | 4.13      | 13.50             | 5.58      |
| t <sub>max</sub> (h) <sup>a</sup>                                 | 5.08           | 5.08–5.08 | 5.08              | 5.08–5.08 |

<sup>a</sup>Median and range (minimum–maximum) are displayed instead of mean and SD.

<sup>b</sup>Number of symptoms rated  $\geq 1$  (i.e., not absent).

AUEC<sub>4.75-5.5</sub>, area under the concentration-time curve of the analyte in plasma over the time interval 4:45 h to 5:30 h; CI, confidence interval; E<sub>base</sub>, baseline score (4:45 h); E<sub>max</sub>, maximum PSS/EVAS score, number of symptoms or change from baseline; EVAS, emotional faces visual analog scale; PSS, Panic Symptom Scale; t<sub>max</sub>, time from dosing to maximum PSS/EVAS score, number of symptoms or change from baseline.

**Online Resource 4:** (a) Geometric mean plasma concentration-time profiles of BI 1358894 after a single oral administration of BI 1358894 100 mg (semi-log scale) and (b) Individual and geometric mean plasma concentration-time profiles of BI 1358894 after a single oral administration of BI 1358894 100 mg (semi-log scale).



**Online Resource 5:** Pharmacokinetic parameters of BI 1358894 in plasma following a single oral administration of 100 mg BI 1358894.

|                                    | BI 1358894 (N=19) |          |
|------------------------------------|-------------------|----------|
|                                    | gMean             | gCV (%)  |
| AUC <sub>0-tz</sub> [h·nmol/L]     | 13,700            | 23.0     |
| AUC <sub>0-∞</sub> [h·nmol/L]      | 15,000            | 23.7     |
| %AUC <sub>tz-∞</sub> [%]           | 7.5               | 59.6     |
| AUC <sub>4.75-5.5</sub> [h·nmol/L] | 248.0             | 39.0     |
| C <sub>max</sub> [nmol/L]          | 469               | 20.1     |
| t <sub>max</sub> [h] <sup>a</sup>  | 7.0               | 1.5–12.0 |
| t <sub>1/2</sub> [h]               | 112.0             | 23.7     |
| MRT <sub>ex</sub>                  | 89.0              | 28.7     |
| CL/F [mL/min]                      | 212.0             | 23.7     |
| V <sub>z</sub> /F [L]              | 2,050             | 32.9     |

<sup>a</sup>Median and range (minimum–maximum) are displayed instead of gMean and gCV (%).

AUC<sub>0-tz</sub>, Area under the concentration-time curve of the analyte in plasma over the time interval from zero to the last quantifiable data point; AUC<sub>0-∞</sub>, area under the concentration-time curve from zero to infinity; %AUC<sub>tz-∞</sub>, percentage AUC<sub>tz-∞</sub>; AUEC<sub>4.75-5.5</sub>, area under the concentration-time curve of the analyte in plasma over the time interval 4:45 h to 5:30 h; CL/F, apparent clearance of the analyte in the plasma after extravascular administration; C<sub>max</sub>, maximum measured concentration of the analyte in plasma; MRT<sub>ex</sub>, mean residence time of the analyte in the body to excretion; t<sub>max</sub>, time to maximum concentration; t<sub>1/2</sub>, half-life; V<sub>z</sub>/F, apparent volume of distribution during the terminal phase after extravascular administration.

**Online Resource 6:** Overall summary of participants with TEAEs<sup>a</sup>.

|                                                    | Placebo N (%) | BI 1358894 N (%) | Total on-treatment N (%) |
|----------------------------------------------------|---------------|------------------|--------------------------|
| Number of subjects                                 | 19 (100)      | 19 (100)         | 20 (100)                 |
| Any AE                                             | 10 (52.6)     | 14 (73.7)        | 19 (95.0)                |
| Drug-related AEs <sup>b</sup>                      | 5 (26.3)      | 11 (57.9)        | 13 (65.0)                |
| Other significant AEs <sup>c</sup>                 | 0             | 0                | 0                        |
| AEs leading to discontinuation of trial medication | 0             | 0                | 0                        |
| AEs of severe intensity                            | 0             | 0                | 0                        |
| AESIs                                              | 0             | 0                | 0                        |
| SAEs                                               | 0             | 0                | 0                        |

<sup>a</sup>A participant may be counted in more than one category. <sup>b</sup>The investigator assessed the possible causal relationship between an AE and the trial medication. <sup>c</sup>According to European Medicines Agency ICH E3. AE, adverse event; AESI, adverse event of special interest; SAE, severe adverse event; TEAE, treatment emergent adverse event.