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Commencing insulin glargine 100 U/mL therapy in people with type 2 diabetes: Determinants of achievement of HbA1c goal <7.0%

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| | Good responders (HbA1c <7.0%; <53 mmol/mol) | Suboptimal responders (HbA1c 7.0–8.0%; 53–64 mmol/mol) | Minimal responders (HbA1c >8.0%; >64 mmol/mol) | Total |
|--|--|---|---|-----------------|
| HbA1c – overall, % | <i>n</i> = 1584 | <i>n</i> = 1262 | <i>n</i> = 569 | <i>N</i> = 3415 |
| Baseline | 8.41 (0.95) | 8.82 (0.97) | 9.44 (0.98) | 8.73 (1.03) |
| Week 24 | 6.39 (0.41) | 7.42 (0.30) | 8.91 (0.83) | 7.19 (1.01) |
| Change from baseline | -2.02 (0.99) | -1.40 (0.97) | -0.54 (1.10) | -1.54 (1.13) |
| HbA1c <7.0% at Week 24, n (%) | | | | 1584 (46.4) |
| HbA1c – metformin only, % | <i>n</i> = 341 | <i>n</i> = 185 | <i>n</i> = 76 | N = 602 |
| Baseline | 8.43 (1.08) | 8.92 (0.95) | 9.42 (1.18) | 8.70 (1.11) |
| Week 24 | 6.37 (0.41) | 7.38 (0.31) | 8.92 (0.84) | 7.00 (0.98) |
| Change from baseline | -2.06 (1.12) | -1.54 (0.98) | -0.50 (1.22) | -1.70 (1.20) |
| HbA1c <7.0% at Week 24, n (%) | | | | 341 (56.6) |
| HbA1c – metformin + sulfonylurea, % | n = 769 | <i>n</i> = 624 | <i>n</i> = 180 | N = 1573 |
| Baseline | 8.32 (0.88) | 8.71 (0.94) | 9.30 (0.93) | 8.58 (0.96) |
| Week 24 | 6.43 (0.39) | 7.41 (0.29) | 8.70 (0.64) | 7.08 (0.84) |
| Change from baseline | -1.89 (0.91) | -1.30 (0.93) | -0.60 (1.03) | -1.51 (1.03) |
| HbA1c <7.0% at Week 24, n (%) | | | | 769 (48.9) |
| HbA1c –sulfonylurea only, % | <i>n</i> = 278 | <i>n</i> = 334 | n = 258 | N = 870 |
| Baseline | 8.60 (0.89) | 8.94 (0.97) | 9.52 (0.95) | 9.00 (1.01) |
| Week 24 | 6.33 (0.47) | 7.46 (0.30) | 9.03 (0.91) | 7.57 (1.22) |
| Change from baseline | -2.27 (0.97) | -1.48 (0.99) | -0.49 (1.12) | -1.44 (1.24) |
| HbA1c <7.0% at Week 24, n (%) | | | | 278 (32.0) |
| HbA1c – other, % | <i>n</i> = 196 | <i>n</i> = 119 | n = 55 | N = 370 |
| Baseline | 8.50 (1.01) | 8.92 (1.04) | 9.58 (0.97) | 8.80 (1.08) |
| Week 24 | 6.40 (0.36) | 7.43 (0.30) | 9.00 (0.88) | 7.12 (1.02) |
| Change from baseline | -2.10 (1.01) | -1.49 (1.02) | -0.58 (1.07) | -1.68 (1.15) |
| HbA1c <7.0% at Week 24, n (%) | | | | 196 (53.0) |

TABLE S1. Change in HbA1c from baseline to Week 24 by HbA1c-responder group and concomitant oral antidiabetes drug used during the entire study period.

Mean (standard deviation) or n (%). Group numbers may vary due to missing values.

HbA1c, glycated haemoglobin A1c.

TABLE S2. Univariable and multivariable analyses using potential prognostic and explanatory factors to estimate the probability of reaching an HbA1c of <7.0% (<53 mmol/mol) at week 24 in participants with type 2 diabetes using standardized predictors for continuous variables in the multivariable analysis models.

| Variable | Categorical or continuous [†] | Odds ratio (95% CI) | P-value | | | | |
|---|---|--|--------------------|--|--|--|--|
| Univariable analysis | | | | | | | |
| Age at baseline | Per SD change | 1.02 (0.96, 1.09) | 0.513 | | | | |
| Sex | Women vs men | 0.76 (0.66, 0.87) | <0.0001 | | | | |
| Body weight at baseline | ≥83.0 vs <83.0 kg Continuous (per SD change)‡ | 1.38 (1.20, 1.58) 1.17 (1.09, 1.25) | <0.0001 <0.0001 | | | | |
| BMI at baseline | ≥30.0 vs <30.0 kg/m² Continuous (per SD change) | 1.21 (1.06, 1.38) 1.10 (1.02, 1.17) | 0.006 0.008 | | | | |
| Diabetes duration | ≥10 vs <10 years Continuous (per SD change)‡ | 0.61 (0.53, 0.70) 0.78 (0.73, 0.84) | <0.0001 <0.0001 | | | | |
| HbA1c at baseline | ≥8.5 vs <8.5% [¶] Continuous (per SD change) [‡] | 0.35 (0.30, 0.40) 0.52 (0.49, 0.57) | <0.0001 <0.0001 | | | | |
| FPG at baseline | ≥11.1 vs <11.1 mmol/L§ Continuous (per SD)‡ | 0.59 (0,51, 0.68) 0.74 (0.69, 0.80) | <0.0001 <0.0001 | | | | |
| 2-h SMPG at baseline (all meals) | ≥11.7 vs <11.7 mmol/L [#] Continuous (per SD change)‡ | 0.48 (0.41, 0.56) 0.61 (0.56, 0.66) | <0.0001 <0.0001 | | | | |
| Baseline fasting C-peptide | ≥1.2 vs <1.2 nmol/L Continuous (per SD change)‡ | 1.00 (0.84, 1.20) 1.05 (0.96, 1.14) | 0.97 0.28 | | | | |
| Sulfonylurea use during study | Yes vs no | 0.61 (0.52, 0.71) | <0.0001 | | | | |
| Hypoglycaemia [†] during study | No vs yes | 0.65 (0.57, 0.75) | <0.0001 | | | | |
| Change in FPG | Continuous (per SD change) [‡] | 0.96 (0.89, 1.02) | 0.19 | | | | |
| Change in 2-h SMPG (all meals) | Continuous (per SD change) [‡] | 0.99 (0.92, 1.07) | 0.76 | | | | |
| Change in body weight | Continuous (per 1.0 kg) | 0.74 (0.69, 0.80) | <0.0001 | | | | |
| Final Gla-100 dose | Continuous (per 0.1 U/kg) | 0.87 (0.78, 0.90) | <0.0001 | | | | |
| Multivariable analy | sis model 1 (categorical and co | ontinuous [†] variables) | | | | | |
| Sex | Women vs men | 0.76 (0.64, 0.91) | 0.0021 | | | | |
| Diabetes duration | ≥10 vs <10 years | 0.63 (0.53, 0.75) | <0.0001 | | | | |
| HbA1c at baseline | ≥8.5 vs <8.5% mmol/mol¶ | 0.38 (0.32, 0.45) | <0.0001 | | | | |
| 2-h SMPG at baseline (all meals) | ≥11.7 vs <11.7 mmol/L [#] | 0.73 (0.61, 0.87) | 0.0005 | | | | |
| Body weight at baseline | ≥83.0 vs <83.0 kg | 1.29 (1.09, 1.54) | 0.0034 | | | | |
| Sulfonylurea use during study | Yes vs no | 0.59 (0.49, 0.71) | <0.0001 | | | | |
| Change in body weight | Continuous (per SD change) | 0.78 (0.71, 0.86) | <0.0001 | | | | |
| Hypoglycaemia [†] during study | No vs yes | 0.62 (0.53, 0.74) | <0.0001 | | | | |

TABLE S2 (CONT'D). Univariable and multivariable analyses using potential prognostic and explanatory factors to estimate the probability of reaching an HbA1c of <7.0% (<53 mmol/mol) at week 24 in participants with type 2 diabetes using standardized predictors for continuous variables in the multivariable analysis models.

| Variable | Categorical or continuous [†] | Odds ratio (95% CI) | <i>P</i> -value | | | | |
|--|--|---------------------|-----------------|--|--|--|--|
| Multivariable analysis model using continuous [†] variables | | | | | | | |
| Sex | Women vs men | 0.70 (0.60, 0.83) | <0.0001 | | | | |
| Diabetes duration | per year | 0.79 (0.73, 0.86) | <0.0001 | | | | |
| HbA1c at baseline | per SD change | 0.53 (0.47, 0.59) | <0.0001 | | | | |
| FPG at baseline | per SD change | 1.20 (1.07, 1.36) | 0.003 | | | | |
| 2-h SMPG at baseline (all meals) | per SD change | 0.78 (0.69, 0.87) | <0.0001 | | | | |
| BMI at baseline | per SD change | 1.20 (1.09, 1.33) | 0.0003 | | | | |
| Change in body weight | per SD change | 0.80 (0.73, 0.88) | <0.0001 | | | | |
| Hypoglycaemia [†] during study | No vs yes | 0.64 (0.54, 0.76) | <0.0001 | | | | |

For multivariable analysis, n = 2626 patients were included.

[†] The use of standardized predictors in the model removed the impact by units; therefore, analysis of different units resulted in the same OR for each unit (eg, HbA1c: per %-unit or per mmol/mol; FPG & 2-h SMPG: per mg/dL or per mmol/L). [‡]Confirmed with PG <3.9 mmol/L or severe hypoglycaemia. [¶]≥69 vs <69 mmol/mol. [§]≥200 mg/dL vs <200 mg/dL. [#]≥210 mg/dL vs <210 mg/dL.

BMI, body mass index; CI, confidence interval; FPG, fasting plasma glucose; Gla-100, glargine 100 units/mL; HbA1c, glycated haemoglobin A1c; PG, plasma glucose; SMPG, self-monitored plasma glucose.

FIGURE S1: Participant distribution and OAD use by Week 24 HbA1c-responder group.

*Includes all participants in the Gla-100 and comparator arms who received metformin, sulfonylurea, or metformin plus sulfonylurea or plus other OADs (including thiazolidinediones, gliptins and glinides) as add-on therapy. Gla-100, glargine 100 units/mL; MET, metformin; OAD, oral anti-hyperglycaemic drug; SU, sulfonylurea.



FIGURE S2. Mean daily Gla-100 doses (A), HbA1c (B), and FPG (C),

Grey bars indicate baseline values; black bars indicate values at 24 weeks. FPG, fasting plasma glucose; Gla-100, glargine 100 units/mL; HbA1c, glycated haemoglobin A1c.







FIGURE S3. Final daily Gla-100 dose (units/kg) and increments from baseline to Week 24 by HbA1c-responder groups and hypoglycaemia frequency (plasma glucose <3.9 mmol/L; <70 mg/dL) during the 24-week study period.

Gla-100, glargine 100 units/mL; HbA1c, glycated haemoglobin A1c.



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FIGURE S4. 2-h self-measured post-prandial glucose levels and changes from baseline according to HbA1c-responder groups at Week 24.

ALL, all meals combined; BRE, breakfast; DIN, dinner; LUN, lunch; 2-h SMPG, 2-h self-measured plasma glucose.



FIGURE S5. Incidences of confirmed overall and nocturnal hypoglycaemia among people with type 2 diabetes mellitus by number of events reported during 24 weeks and by HbA1c responder group.

Insets refer to mean final Gla-100 dose and BL mean fasting C-peptide levels per subgroup. BL, baseline; Gla-100, glargine 100 units/mL; HbA1c, glycated haemoglobin A1c; PG, plasma glucose.



Overall hypoglycaemia (PG <3.9 mmol/L; <70 mg/dL)

FIGURE S6: Mean body weight and change according to hypoglycaemia event frequency during the study period and by HbA1c-responder group at Week 24.

HbA1c, glycated haemoglobin A1c.

