## Supplement

Baseline pa	arameters	Total	NPWT	SMWC	
of the ITT	population	N=345 (100 %)	N=171 (49.6%)	N=174 (50.4%)	
Alcohol	Occasionally	157 of 341 (46%)	83 of 169 (48.5%)	74 of 172 (42.3%)	
	Chronic	10 of 341 (2.9%)	3 of 169 (1.8%)	7 of 172 (4.0%)	
	No	174 of 341(51%)	83 of 171 (48.5%)	91 of 174 (52%)	
Smoking		293 of 342 (85.7%)	144 of 169 (84.3%)	149 of 173 (85.1%)	
	Number of years Mean (SD)	34.8 (13.5)	36.5 (14.9)	33.1 (12.1)	
	Packs / day Mean	1.1	1.1	1.2	
Drugs	Occasionally	1 of 341 (0.3%)	1 of 169 (0.6%)	0 of 172 (0%)	
	Chronic	2 of 341 (0.6%)	0 of 169 (0%)	2 of 172 (1.1%)	
	No	338 of 341 (97.7%)	168 of 169 (98.2%)	170 of 172 (97.1%)	
Allergies		37 of 343 (10.7%)	16 of 170 (9.4%)	21 of 173 (12.0%)	
Subjective condition	assessment of nutritional				
	Well-nourished	325 of 342 (94.2%)	162 of 169 (94.7%)	163 of 173 (93.7%)	
	Moderately malnourished or suspected malnutrition	11 of 342 (3.2%)	4 of 169 (2.3%)	7 of 173 (4%)	
	Malnourished	0 of 342 (0%)	0 of 169 (0%)	0 of 173 (0%)	

Supplement Table 1: Supplementary baseline characteristics of the Intention To Treat (ITT) population

The table shows baseline parameters of the ITT population. Data are Number (N) and Percentage (%), Mean or Mean and Standard Deviation (SD).

Wound surface area (mm²) in the ITT population	Calculated from width and length (according to eCRF entry) NPWT N=171	Results of the photo analysis with the W.H.A.T. NPWT N=171	Calculated from width and length (according to eCRF entry) SMWC N=174	Results of the photo analysis with the W.H.A.T. SMWC N=174
Randomization	1060 (1536)	687 (879)	1141 (3247)	664 (1050)
Kandonnization	550 (1236)	321 (760)	471 (1007)	316 (658)
	N=171 (2)	N=118 (10)	N=174 (0)	N=129 (13)
	847 (1489)	643 (820)	1085 (3234)	713 (1065)
Week 1	397 (801)	329 (750)	395 (867)	307 (749)
	N=171 (15)	N=118 (32)	N=174 (25)	N=129 (36)

	010 (1472)	500 (742)	1025 (2242)	701 (1212)
	810 (1472)	590 (742)	1025 (3242)	701 (1212)
Week 3	314 (860)	273 (633)	390 (913)	266 (768)
	N=171 (24)	N=118 (28)	N=174 (22)	N=129 (35)
	717 (1379)	607 (828)	759 (1466)	610 (1119)
Week 5	275 (769)	231 (843)	267 (824)	219 (635)
	N=171 (37)	N=118 (42)	N=174 (41)	N=129 (38)
	636 (1322)	495 (770)	674 (1410)	501 (937)
Week 8	220 (712)	182 (561)	186 (783)	165 (481)
	N=171 (52)	N=118 (48)	N=174 (42)	N=129 (42)
	549 (858)	457 (742)	570 (940)	493 (950)
Week 12	165 (964)	134 (494)	169 (632)	133 (498)
	N=171 (110)	N=118 (88)	N=174 (124)	N=129 (104)
	440 (810)	334 (649)	493 (1095)	351 (750)
Week 16	79 (471)	114 (363)	69 (415)	77 (320)
	N=171 (80)	N=118 (66)	N=174 (63)	N=129 (56)

Supplement Table 2: Wound surface area at each observation time point during the study treatment time of maximum 16 weeks in the ITT population

The table shows the wound surface area at each study visit until the end of maximum study treatment time after 16 weeks calculated data from width and length as documented in the eCRF and for the data derived from the photo analysis with the Wound Healing Analyzing Tool (W.H.A.T.) in the ITT population. An elliptical wound surface area has been calculated from the documented width and length (eCRF)  $[(pi/4) \times length \times width = area]$ . Data show Mean and Standard Deviation (SD) and Median and Inter Quartile Range (IQR) as well the Number (N) of values available for analysis and the number of values substituted by the last observation carried forward (LOCF) method (in brackets).

Wound volume (mm <sup>3</sup> ) in	NPWT	SMWC
the ITT population	N=171	N=174
Randomization	22498 (58930)	21740 (74181)
	4710 (15048)	4759 (12888)
	N=171 (2)	N=174 (0)
Week 1	13203 (28709)	19979 (73143)
	2487 (6908)	3533 (11407)
	N=171 (15)	N=174 (26)
Week 3	10708 (28521)	16217 (67494)
	1884 (6857)	2293 (8831)
	N=171 (24)	N=174 (23)
Week 5	7700 (19719)	11286 (32566)
	1166 (5338)	1365 (7539)

	N=171 (37)	N=174 (42)
Week 8	5592 (11535)	8772 (27674)
	785 (4604)	812 (5258)
	N=171 (78)	N=174 (67)
Week 12	5333 (12422)	6639 (16454)
	565 (3913)	625 (4083)
	N=171 (119)	N=174 (133)
Week 16	3880 (10534)	5465 (14874)
	141 (1890)	200 (1587)
	N=171 (83)	N=174 (64)

Supplement Table 3: Wound volume at each observation time point during the study treatment time of maximum 16 weeks in the ITT population

The table shows the wound volume at each study visit until the end of the maximum study treatment time of 16 weeks in the ITT population. Wound volume was calculated from width, length and depth as documented in the eCRF. Data show Mean and Standard Deviation (SD) and Median and Inter Quartile Range (IQR) as well the number (N) of values available for analysis and the number of values substituted by the last observation carried forward (LOCF) method (in brackets).

Wound tissue	NPWT G	ranulation	NPWT	Fibrin	NPWT	Necrosis	SMWC G	ranulation	SMWC	C Fibrin	SMWC	Necrosis
composition in the	N=	171	N=	171	N=	171	N=	174	N=	174	N=	174
ITT population	eCRF	W.H.A.T.	eCRF	W.H.A.T.	eCRF	W.H.A.T.	eCRF	W.H.A.T.	eCRF	W.H.A.T.	eCRF	W.H.A.T.
	34 (36)	22 (25)	21 (28)	71 (27)	3 (10)	7 (15)	34 (37)	24 (26)	22 (29)	69 (28)	2 (9)	7 (14)
Randomization	20 (70)	12 (37)	10 (30)	79 (46)	0 (0)	0 (5)	20 (71)	14 (39)	10 (40)	79 (44)	0 (0)	0 (8)
	171 (2)	118 (8)	170 (4)	118 (8)	169 (5)	118 (8)	174 (3)	129 (12)	174 (1)	129 (12)	172 (2)	129 (12)
	58 (35)	21 (25)	19 (22)	73 (27)	5 (13)	6 (12)	49 (35)	21 (25)	24 (27)	74 (26)	6 (15)	5 (9)
Week 1	70 (70)	10 (36)	10 (30)	81 (47)	0 (2)	0 (5)	50 (70)	10 (36)	15 (31)	85 (40)	0 (5)	0 (5)
	171 (16)	118 (32)	71 (19)	118 (32)	169 (23)	118 (32)	174 (28)	129 (36)	174 (27)	129 (36)	172 (30)	129 (36)
	67 (31)	16 (23)	18 (22)	80 (25)	5 (13)	4 (11)	57 (32)	21 (25)	25 (26)	77 (25)	5 (13)	3 (7)
Week 3	80 (55)	5 (25)	10 (30)	91 (30)	0 (0)	0(1)	60 (60)	10 (36)	20 (35)	85 (36)	0 (3)	0(1)
	171 (26)	118 (27)	171 (30)	118 (27)	169 (28)	118 (27)	174 (24)	129 (35)	174 (25)	129 (35)	172 (30)	129 (35)
	70 (30)	15 (22)	18 (24)	83 (22)	4 (13)	2 (8)	62 (31)	18 (26)	23 (25)	80 (26)	4 (12)	3 (10)
Week 5	80 (45)	6 (21)	10 (25)	91 (26)	0 (0)	0(1)	63 (50)	4 (32)	10 (39)	93 834)	0 (0)	0 (0)
	171 (36)	118 (43)	171 (38)	118 (43)	169 (42)	118 (43)	174 (44)	129 (36)	174 (47)	129 (36)	172 (46)	129 (36)
	74 (30)	16 (23)	17 (24)	82 (24)	4 (13)	2 (6)	70 (29)	17 (24)	17 (21)	80 (25)	5 (13)	3 (11)
Week 8	90 (40)	4 (27)	10 (20)	93 (33)	0 (0)	0 (0)	80 (40)	3 (33)	10 (20)	92 (36)	0 (0)	0 (0)
	171 (53)	118 (48)	171 (56)	118 (48)	171 (59)	118 (48)	174 (44)	129 (43)	174 (49)	129 (43)	174 (52)	129 (43)
	75 (30)	15 (23)	17 (25)	83 (24)	4 (13)	1 (5)	73 (29)	16 (23)	16 (20)	82 (23)	5 (13)	2 (6)
Week 12	90 (40)	4 (22)	5 (20)	96 (23)	0 (0)	0 (0)	80 (38)	3 (29)	10 (20)	93 (32)	0 (0)	0 (0)
	171(115)	118 (89)	171(118)	118 (89)	171(119)	118 (89)	174(124)	129(102)	174(125)	129(102)	172(126)	129(102)
	77 (30)	13 (22)	14 (22)	86 (24)	3 (10)	1 (6)	76 (30)	17 (24)	15 (24)	81 (24)	3 (13)	2 (6)
Week 16	90 (40)	1 (17)	2 (20)	98 (19)	0 (0)	0 (0)	90 (40)	4 (31)	5 (20)	93 (35)	0 (0)	0 (0)
	171 (78)	118 (66)	171 (79)	118 (66)	171 (82)	118 (66)	174 (62)	129 (576	174 (65)	129 (56)	174 (66)	129 (56)

Supplement Table 4: Wound tissue composition at each observation time point during the study treatment time of maximum 16 weeks in the ITT population.

Wound tissue composition (granulation, fibrin, and necrosis) is presented for the data documented in the eCRF and for the data derived from the photo analysis using the Wound Healing Analyzing Tool (W.H.A.T.). Data show Mean and Standard Deviation (SD) and Median and Inter Quartile Range (IQR) as well the number (N) of values analyzed for the ITT population and the number (N) of values substituted by the last observation carried forward (LOCF) method (in brackets).

Pain	Total	NPWT	SMWC
in the ITT population	N=345	N=171	N=174
Screening	2.1 (2.4)	2.1 (2.3)	2.1 (2.4)
	1 (4)	1 (4)	1 (4)
	N=344 (0)	N=171 (0)	N=173 (0)
Week 1	1.7 (2.2)	1.6 (2.2)	1.8 (2.2)
	1 (3)	0 (2)	1 (3)
	N=344 (6)	N=171 (1)	N=173 (5)
Week 3	1.5 (2.0)	1.3 (1.9)	1.7 (2.1)
	1 (2)	0 (2)	1 (3)
	N=344 (27)	N=171 (11)	N=173 (16)
Week 5	1.3 (1.9)	1.2 (1.9)	1.4 (2.0)
	0 (2)	0 (2)	0 (2)
	N=344 (45)	N=171 (21)	N=173 (24)
Week 8	1.3 (1.9)	1.2 (1.9)	1.3 (1.9)
	0 (2)	0 (2)	0 (2)
	N=344 (70)	N=171 (38)	N=173 (32)
Week 12	1.1 (1.8)	1.2 (1.9)	1.1 (1.8)
	0 (2)	0 (2)	0 (2)
	N=344 (115)	N=171 (64)	N=173 (51)
Week 16	1.0 (1.7)	1.0 (1.7)	0.9 (1.7)
	0 (1)	0 (2)	0 (1)
	N=344 (129)	N=171 (76)	N=173 (53)

Supplement Table 5: Pain in the course of the study treatment time of maximum 16 weeks in the ITT population

The table shows the results of the pain evaluation at the pre-defined observation time points during the active study treatment time of 16 weeks in the ITT population. Data show Mean and Standard Deviation (SD) and Median and Inter Quartile Range (IQR) as well the Number (N) of values analyzed for the ITT population and the number (N) of values substituted by the last observation carried forward (LOCF) method (in brackets).

Quality of Life (EQ5D)	Total	NPWT	SMWC
in the ITT population	N=345	N=171	N=174
Screening	0.53 (0.25)	0.53 (0.27)	0.53 (0.24)
	0.53 (0.18)	0.53 (0.2)	0.53 (0.18)
	N=317 (5)	N=156 (2)	N=159 (3)

End of therapy	0.68 (0.23)	0.67 (0.24)	0.72 (0.17)
	0.76 (0.34)	0.77 (0.29)	0.66 (0.35)
	N=75 (2)	N=62 (2)	N=13 (0)
End of maximum study	0.63 (0.24)	0.66 (0.22)	0.61 (0.25)
treatment time	0.63 (0.28)	0.66 (0.28)	0.63 (0.24)
	N=158 (4)	N=63 (2)	N=95 (2)
Follow up after 6 months	0.68 (0.24)	0.69 (0.26)	0.67 (0.23)
	0.71 (0.39)	0.77 (0.35)	0.63 (0.39)
	N=190 (5)	N=93 (3)	N=97 (2)

Supplement Table 6: Quality of life (EQ5D) in the course of the study treatment time of 16 week in the ITT-population Quality of life evaluated with the EQ5D instrument at the pre-defined observation time points during the active study treatment time of 16 weeks in the ITT population. Data show Mean and Standard Deviation (SD) and Median and Inter Quartile Range (IQR) as well the Number (N) of values analyzed for the ITT population and the Number (N) of values substituted by the last observation carried forward (LOCF) method (in brackets).

Results for the subgroup of small wounds	Total	NPWT N=83	SMWC	Difference
	N=173 of 345	of 171	N=90 of 174	[95%CI]
				p
Wound closure rate within 16 weeks				
N	28 of 173	12 of 83	16 of 90	4
%	16.2%	14.5%	17.8%	3.3%
[95%CI]	[10.7 – 21.7]%	[6.9 - 22.0]	[9.9 – 25.7]	[-7.6 - 14.2]
				0.6 (U)
Time until optimal preparation of the				
wound bed (min 95 % granulation tissue)				
within 16 weeks Navailable values	100	52	48	
Mean (SD)	38.6 (37.4)	28.5 (30.0)	49.5 (41.6)	21.0 (11.0)
Median (IQR)	26.5 (50.0)	20.0 (28.0)	48.0 (79.0)	[6.9 - 35.1]
Min-Max	0-114	0-113	0-114	
				0.005*
No. of study participants with amputations				
or resections within 16 weeks N	35 of 173	19 of 83	16 of 90	3
%	20.2%	22.9%	17.8%	5.1%
[95%CI]	[14.2 - 26.2]	[13.9 - 31.9]	[9.9 - 25.7]	[-6.9 – 17.1]
				0.45 (F)

No. of performed amputations and				
resections N	50	22	28	6
No. of patients with minor amputations				
within 16 weeks N (%)	35 (20.2%)	19 (22.9%)	16 (17.8%)	3 (5.1%)
				0.45 (F)
No. of patients with major amputations				
within 16 weeks N (%)]	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)
				-
Wound closure rate at follow up after 6				
months N	37 von 173	13 of 83	24 of 90	11
%	21,4%	15.7%	26.7%	11%
[95%CI]	[15.3 – 27.5]	[7.8 - 23.5].	[17.5 – 35.8].	[-1.0 - 23.0]
				0.10 (U)

Supplement Table 7: Results for the subgroup of small wounds

The table shows the wound closure rate, time until optimal preparation of the wound bed (min. 95% granulation), and amputations and resections within the maximum study treatment time of 16 weeks and wound closure rate within the study observation time of 6 months for the subgroup of small wounds. Data show the Number (N) of study participants and the Percentage (%), Mean and Standard Deviation (SD); Median and Inter Quartile Range (IQR); and Minimum (Min) and Maximum (Max). F=Fisher Exact Test; U=Man Whitney U-Test; \*Student's t-test

Total	NPWT	SMWC	Difference
172 of 345	N=88 of 171	N=84 of 174	[95%CI]
			р
18 of 172	13 of 88	5 of 84	8
10,5%	14.8%	6.0%	8.8%
[5.9 – 15.0]	[7.4 – 22,2]	[0.9 - 11.0].	[-0.2 - 17.8]
			0.08 (U)
80	47	33	
47.8 (40.8)	43.4 (37.9)	54.0 (44.6)	10.6 (6.7)
36.5 (70.0)	35.0 (61.0)	56.0 (105.0)	[-7.6 – 28.8]
0 - 127	0 - 127	0 -115	
			0.27*
	172 of 345  18 of 172  10,5%  [5.9 – 15.0]  80  47.8 (40.8)  36.5 (70.0)	172 of 345 N=88 of 171  18 of 172 13 of 88  10,5% 14.8%  [5.9 – 15.0] [7.4 – 22,2]  .  80 47  47.8 (40.8) 43.4 (37.9)  36.5 (70.0) 35.0 (61.0)	172 of 345 N=88 of 171 N=84 of 174  18 of 172 13 of 88 5 of 84  10,5% 14.8% 6.0%  [5.9 - 15.0] [7.4 - 22,2] [0.9 - 11.0].  .  80 47 33  47.8 (40.8) 43.4 (37.9) 54.0 (44.6)  36.5 (70.0) 35.0 (61.0) 56.0 (105.0)

No. of patients with amputations or				
resections within 16 weeks				
N	36 of 172	16 of 88	20 of 84	4
%	20.9	18.2%	23.8%	5.6%
[95%CI]	[14.9 – 27.0] %	[10.1 - 26.2]	[14.7 – 32.9]	[-6.6 – 17.8]
				0.45 (F)
No. of performed amputations and	52	23	29	6
resections N				0.41 (U)
No. of patients with minor amputations N	34 (19.8%)	14 (15.9%)	20 (23.8%)	0.25 (F)
(%)				
No. of patients with major amputations N	2 (1.2%)	2 (2.3%)	0 (0%)	0.50 (F)
(%)				
Wound closure rate at follow up after 6	23 of 172	11 of 88	12 of 84	1
months N				
%	13.4%	12.5%	14.3%	-1.8%
[95%CI]	[8.3 – 18.5]	[5.6 - 19.4].	[6.8 - 21.8]	[-12.0 – 8.4]
				0.82 (U)

Supplement Table 8: Results for the subgroup of large wounds

The table shows the wound closure rate, time until optimal preparation of the wound bed (min. 95% granulation), and amputations and resections within the maximum study treatment time of 16 weeks and the wound closure rate within the study observation time of 6 months for large wounds. Data show the Number (N) of study participants the Percentage (%), Mean and Standard Deviation (SD); Median and Inter Quartile Range (IQR); and Minimum (Min) and Maximum (Max). F=Fisher Exact Test; U=Man Whitney U-Test; \*Student's t-test

Demographic and baseline parameters	Total	NPWT	SMWC
of the PP Population	N=154	N=44	N=110
	(100%)	(28.6%)	(71.4%)
Male	113 of 154 (73.4%)	29 of 44 (65.9%)	84 of 110 (76.4%)
Female	41 of 154 (26.6%)	15 of 44 (34.1%)	26 of 110 (23.6%)
Age in years	N=154	N=44	N=110
Mean (SD)	67.4 (10.6)	66.5 (11.0)	67.8 (10.4)
Height in cm	N=153	N=43	N=110
Mean (SD)	173.8 (12.9)	173.5 (17.4)	174.0 (10.7)
Weight in kg	N=150	N=42	N=108
Mean (SD)	95.4 (23.3)	96.2 (21.6)	95.1 (24.0)

Alcohol	N=153	N=44	N=109	
Occasionally	71 (46.4%)	22 (50.0%)	49 (45.0%)	
Chronic	3 (2.0%)	1 (2.3%)	2 (1.8%)	
No	79 (51.6%)	21 (47.7%)	58 (53.2%)	
Smoking	138 of 154 (89.6%)	42 of 44 (95.5%)	96 of 110 (87.3%)	
Number of years (Mean (SD))	37.0 (9.2)	42.0 (2.8)	36.3 (9.7)	
Packs / day (Mean)	1.0	1.0	1.0	
Drugs	N=153	N=44	N=109	
Occasionally	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	
Chronic	1 (0.7%)	0 (0%)	1 (0.9%)	
No	152 (99.3%)	44 (100%)	108 (99.1%)	
Requiring dialysis	11 of 154 (7.1 %)	2 of 44 (4.5%)	9 of 110 (8.2%)	
Allergies	16 of 154 (10.4%)	6 of 44 (13.6%)	10 of 110 (9.1%)	
Subjective assessment of nutritional condition	N=150	N=43	N=107	
Well-nourished	147 (98.0%)	42 (97.7%)	105 (98.1%)	
Moderately malnourished or suspected	3 (2.0%)	1 (2.3%)	2 (1.9%)	
malnutrition				
Malnourished	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	
Peripheral arterial occlusive disease (PAOD)	N=109 (70.8%)	N=29 (65.9%)	N=80 (72.7%)	
without critical limb ischemia	103 (94.5%)	28 (96.6%)	75 (93.8%)	
with critical limb ischemia	6 (5.5%)	1 (3.4%)	5 (6.3%)	
Revascularisation before study start	N=9 (5.8%)	N=1 (2.3%)	N=8 (7.3%)	
Percutaneous transluminal angioplasty	5 (55.6%)	0 (0.0%)	5 (62.5%)	
(PTA) PTA + Stent	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	
Veins-Bypass	1 (11.1%)	1 (100.0%)	0 (11.1%)	
Polytetrafluoroethylene (PTFE) Bypass	1 (11.1%)	0 (0%)	1 (12.5%)	
Thromboendarterectomy and patch	2 (22.2%)	0 (0%)	2 (25.0%)	
plastic	2 (22.270)	V (370)	2 (23.070)	
Revascularization with influence on the wound	9 of 9 (100%)	1 of 1 (100%)	0 of 8 (100%)	
Sufficient revascularization result	9 of 9 (100%)	1 of 1 (100%)	8 of 8 (100%)	
Insufficient revascularization result	0 of 9 (0%)	0 of 1 (0%)	0 of 8 (0%)	
Revascularization result not assessable	0 of 9 (0%)	0 of 1 (0%)	0 of 8 (0%)	

Supplement Table 9: Patient demographics and baseline characteristics of the Per Protocol (PP) population

Data are Number (N) and Percentage (%) and Mean and Standard Deviation (SD). "N=" is stating the number of patients with actual available information. Findings, diagnoses and procedures documented by the clinical investigators are presented.

Time until optimal wound	Total	NPWT	SMWC	Mean difference
bed preparation (min 95 %	N=100	N=38	N=62	[95%CI]
granulation tissue)				p*
Mean (SD)	43.8 (42.3)	23.8 (31.7)	56.0 (43.5)	32.2
Median (IQR)	30.0 (76)	8.5 (28.0)	56.0 (96.0)	[16.3 – 48.1]
Min - Max	0 - 127	0 - 127	0 - 115	
				<0.001

Supplement Table 10: Time until optimal preparation of the wound for further treatment (minimum 95% granulation tissue) in the PP population

Data show the number (N) of study participants with available values for the analysis in total and for both treatment arms; Mean and Standard Deviation (SD); Median and Inter Quartile Range (IQR); and Minimum (Min) and Maximum (Max). \*Student's t-test

Amputations & Resections	Total	NPWT	SMWC	Difference
in the PP population	N=154	N=44)	N=110	р
No. of patients with amputation or				
resection	30 of 154	9 of 44	21 of 110	12
N	19.5 %	20.5 %	19.1 %	1.4%
(%)	[13,2 – 25,7]	[8,5 - 32,4]	[11,7 – 26,4]	[-12.6 – 15.4]
[95%CI]				0.83 (F)
No. of amputations or resections				
N	39	11	28	17
				0.86 (U)
No. of study participants with Minor-				
Amputations				
N (%)	30 (18.9%)	9 (12.8%)	21 (21.4%)	12
				0.83 (F)
No. of study participants with Major-				
Amputations				
N (%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)
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Supplement Table 11: Amputations and resections in the PP population

Data show the Number (N) of study participants available for the analysis in total and for both treatment arms and the Number (N) and the percentage (%) of study participants with amputations or resections, the number of amputations and

resections performed and the number and the percentage of participants with minor and major amputations. F = Fisher's Exact Test; U = Mann-Whitney U-Test.

Wound surface area (mm²) in the PP population	Calculated from width and length (according to eCRF entry) NPWT N=44	Results of the photo analysis with W.H.A.T. NPWT N=44	Calculated from width and length (according to eCRF entry) SMWC N=44	Results of the photo analysis with W.H.A.T. SMWC N=110
Randomization	964 (1392)	633 (795)	878 (1266)	669 (1143)
	345 (1426)	299 (705)	373 (889)	294 (692)
	N= 44 (1)	N=41 (3)	N= 110 (0)	N=102 (9)
Week 1	525 (696)	524 (614)	827 (1238)	706 (1138)
	224 (408)	318 (561)	306 (863)	289 (775)
	N= 44 (5)	N=41 (8)	N= 110 (16)	N=102 (27)
Week 3	428 (635)	477 (737)	803 (1306)	714 (1316)
	176 (378)	165 (424)	238 (867)	259 (656)
	N= 44 (6)	N=41 (9)	N= 110 (7)	N=102 (26)
Week 5	355 (590)	418 (602)	650 (1157)	607 (1212)
	100 (291)	165 (435)	161 (670)	167 (545)
	N= 44 (8)	N=41 (15)	N= 110 (18)	N=102 (29)
Week 8	284 (528)	320 (530)	569 (1072)	479 (990)
	53 (217)	83 (264)	106 (443)	123 (397)
	N= 44 (8)	N=41 (16)	N= 110 (17)	N=102 (29)
Week 12	283 (580)	289 (537)	528 (1024)	474 (1006)
	14 (130)	62 (175)	79 (419)	111 (407)
	N= 44 (24)	N=41 (32)	N= 110 (71)	N=102 (80)
Week 16	190 (416)	179 (333)	386 (1124)	319 (724)
	0 (95)	30 (204)	31 (159)	65 (256)
	N= 44 (14)	N=41 (25)	N= 110 (19)	N=102 (42)

Supplement Table 12: Wound surface area at each observation time point during the study treatment time of maximum 16 weeks in the PP population

The table shows the wound surface area at each study visit until the end of maximum study treatment time after 16 weeks calculated data from width and length as documented in the eCRF and for the data derived from the photo analysis with the Wound Healing Analyzing Tool (W.H.A.T.) in the PP population. An elliptical wound surface area has been calculated from the documented width and length (eCRF) [(pi / 4) x length x width = area]. Data show Mean and Standard Deviation (SD) and Median and Inter Quartile Range (IQR) as well the Number (N) of values available for analysis and the number of values substituted by the last observation carried forward (LOCF) method (in brackets).

Wound volume (mm <sup>3</sup> ) in the	NPWT	SMWC
PP population	N=44	N=110
Randomization	33359 (95749)	14742 (36523)
	5746 (17330)	3905 (11189)
	N=44 (1)	N=110 (0)
Week 1	11606 (26991)	13525 (34844)
	1824 (6113)	2470 (9479)
	N=44 (5)	N=110 (16)
Week 3	8636 (24698)	11907 (32047)
	777 (3199)	1864 (8039)
	N=44 (6)	N=110 (7)
Week 5	5480 (13967)	8981 (25570)
	271 (1790)	1027 (4745)
	N=44 (7)	N=110 (18)
Week 8	3955 (9056)	6899 (18607)
	192 (809)	506 (3915)
	N=44 (16)	N=110 (29)
Week 12	6052 (16114)	5964 (15930)
	71 (681)	361 (1890)
	N=44 (25)	N=110 (77)
Week 16	3246 (11245)	3396 (10783)
	0 (319)	57 (609)
	N=44 (15)	N=110 (19)

Supplement Table 13: Wound volume at each observation time point during the study treatment time of maximum 16 weeks in the PP population

The table shows the wound volume at each study visit until the end of the maximum study treatment time of 16 weeks in the PP population. Wound volume was calculated from width, length and depth as documented in the eCRF. Data show Mean and Standard Deviation (SD) and Median and Inter Quartile Range (IQR) as well the number (N) of values available for analysis and the number of values substituted by the last observation carried forward (LOCF) method (in brackets).

Wound tissue composition in		ranulation		Fibrin		Necrosis		Granulation		C Fibrin		Necrosis
the PP	N=	=44	N=	=44	N=	=44	ľ	N=110	N=	110	N=	110
population	eCRF	W.H.A.T.	eCRF	W.H.A.T.	eCRF	W.H.A.T.	eCRF	W.H.A.T.	eCRF	W.H.A.T.	eCRF	W.H.A.T.
Randomization	32 (37)	23 (26)	18 (27)	68 (27)	2 (7)	9 (15)	38 (38)	26 (27)	21 (29)	67 (29)	1 (7)	7 (15)
	10 (68)	13 (37)	3 (28)	69 (45)	0 (0)	0 (15)	25 (80)	16 (42)	10 (33)	77 (56)	0 (0)	0 (8)
	44 (1)	41 (2)	44 (1)	41 (2)	44 (1)	41 (2)	110 (0)	102 (9)	110 (0)	102 (9)	108 (2)	102 (9)
Week 1	72 (37)	22 (26)	7 (13)	70 (28)	2 (7)	9 (15)	54 (35)	24 (27)	22 (24)	72 (27)	5 (14)	5 (9)
	90 (50)	9 (41)	0 (10)	75 (50)	0 (0)	0 (11)	63 (70)	13 (42)	13 (28)	78 (42)	0(1)	0 (6)
	44 (5)	41 (8)	44 (6)	41 (8)	44 (7)	41 (8)	110 (16)	102 (27)	110 (16)	102 (27)	108 (19)	102 (27)
Week 3	77 (32)	16 (24)	11 (19)	79 (26)	1 (4)	6 (14)	61 (31)	24 (27)	25 (25)	75 (26)	4 (11)	3 (7)
	93 (34)	2 (29)	0 (20)	91 (37)	0 (0)	0(1)	70 (50)	15 (42)	20 (35)	83 (41)	0 (0)	0(1)
	44 (6)	41 (9)	44 (7)	41 (9)	44 (7)	41 (9)	110 (9)	102 (26)	110 (10)	102 (26)	108 (13)	102 (26)
Week 5	82 (29)	10 (16)	9 (19)	87 (17)	1 (4)	3 (9)	65 (29)	19 (27)	24 (24)	78 (27)	3 (9)	3 (11)
	95 (20)	4 (11)	2 (10)	93 (21)	0 (0)	0(1)	73 (46)	4 (34)	13 (37)	93 (35)	0 (0)	0 (0)
	44 (7)	41 (16)	44 (8)	41 (16)	44 (9)	41 (16)	110 (19)	102 (27)	110 (22)	102 (27)	108 (22)	102 (27)
Week 8	85 (27)	15 (25)	6 (13)	82 (26)	2 (6)	3 (8)	74 (27)	20 (26)	18(21)	77 (27)	3 (10)	3 (12)
	100 (20)	1 (16)	0 (5)	96 (35)	0 (0)	0 (0)	80 (31)	3 (38)	10 (18)	91 (43)	0 (0)	0 (0)
	44 (9)	41 (16)	44 (10)	41 (16)	44 (9)	41 (16)	110 (18)	102 (30)	110 (21)	102 (30)	108 (25)	102 (30)
Week 12	86 (26)	13 (24)	6 (14)	85 (26)	2 (9)	2 (6)	77 (27)	18 (25)	16 (20)	80 (25)	3 (11)	2 (6)
	100 (18)	1 (13)	0 (4)	99 (20)	0 (0)	0 (0)	85 (29)	3 (36)	10 (20)	92 (36)	0 (0)	0 (0)
	44 (26)	41 (34)	44 (26)	41 (32)	44 (28)	41 (32)	110 (72)	101 (78)	110 (73)	102 (79)	108 (73)	102 (80)
Week 16	87 (25)	12 (22)	6 (14)	86 (24)	0.1 (1)	1 (6)	80 (30)	19 (25)	14 (24)	80 (26)	2 (11)	1 (5)
	100 (15)	0 (14)	0(1)	100 (20)	0 (0)	0 (0)	95 (20)	5 (36)	0 (20)	92 (36)	0 (0)	0 (0)
	44 (14)	41 (25)	44 (16)	41 (25)	44 (15)	41 (25)	110 (18)	102 (42)	110 (21)	102 (42)	108 (24)	102 (42)

Supplement Table 14: Wound tissue composition at each observation time point during the study treatment time of maximum 16 weeks in the PP population

Wound tissue composition (granulation, fibrin, and necrosis) is presented for the data documented in the eCRF and for the data derived from the photo analysis using the Wound Healing Analyzing Tool (W.H.A.T.). Data show Mean and Standard Deviation (SD) and Median and Inter Quartile Range (IQR) as well the number (N) of values analyzed for the PP population and the number (N) of values substituted by the last observation carried forward (LOCF) method (in brackets).

Pain in the PP population	Total	NPWT	SMWC
	N=154	N=44	N=110
Screening	1.3 (2.1)	1.8 (2.3)	1,8 (2,3)
	0 (2)	1 (3)	1 (3)
	N=44 (0)	N=110 (0)	N=110 (0)
Week 1	0.7 (1.5)	1.4 (2.1)	1,4 (2,1)
	0(1)	0 (3)	0 (3)
	N=44 (0)	N=110 (5)	N=110 (5)
Week 3	0.4 (0.7)	1.3 (1.8)	1,3 (1,8)
	0 (1)	0 (2)	0 (2)
	N=44 (4)	N=110 (3)	N=110 (3)
Week 5	0.3 (0.8)	1.0 (1.6)	1,0 (1,6)
	0 (0)	0 (2)	0 (2)
	N=44 (2)	N=110 (5)	N=110 (5)
Week 8	0.4 (1.1)	0.9 (1.5)	0,9 (1,5)
	0 (0)	0 (2)	0 (2)
	N=44 (4)	N=110 (9)	N=110 (9)
Week 12	0.3 (1.0)	0.7 (1.3)	0,7 (1,3)
	0 (0)	0 (1)	0(1)
	N=44 (11)	N=110 (18)	N=110 (18)
Week 16	0.2 (0.7)	0.5 (1.2)	0,5 (1,2)
	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)
	N=44 (14)	N=110 (13)	N=110 (13)

Supplement Table 15: Pain evaluation at the pre-defined observation time points during the active study treatment time of 16 weeks in the PP population

Data show Mean and Standard Deviation (SD) and Median and Inter Quartile Range (IQR) as well the Number (N) of values analyzed for the PP population and the Number (N) of values substituted by the last observation carried forward (LOCF) method (in brackets).

Quality of Life (EQ5D) in the PP	Total	NPWT	SMWC
population	N=154	N=44	N=110
Screening	0.60 (0.21) 0.60 (0.24) N=142 (4)	0.61 (0.23) 0.63 (0.24) N=42 (1)	0.60 (0.20) 0.59 (0.25) N=100 (3)

End of therapy	0.76 (0.19)	0.65 (0.20)	0.81 (0.14)
	0.76 (0.26)	0.78 (0.20)	0.87 (0.26)
	N=34 (2)	N=26 (2)	N=8 (0)
End of maximum study	0.66 (0.22)	0.65 (0.25)	0.66 (0.21)
treatment time	0.63 (0.28)	0.66 (0.43)	0.63 (0.28)
	N=92 (2)	N=19 (0)	N=73 (2)
Follow up after 6 months	0.71 (0.23)	0.75 (0.22)	0.70 (0.23)
	0.77 (0.34)	0.78 (0.30)	0.77 (0.34)
	N=99 (2)	N=26 (0)	N=73 (2)

Supplement Table 16: Quality of life evaluated with the EQ5D instrument at the pre-defined observation time points during the active study treatment time of 16 weeks in the PP population

Data show Mean and Standard Deviation (SD) and Median and Inter Quartile Range (IQR) as well the number (N) of values analyzed for the PP population and the Number (N) of values substituted by the last observation carried forward (LOCF) method (in brackets).