OVISIONARY-MS

Update to a Phase 2 clinical trial of catalytic gold nanocrystals, CNM-Au8, for the treatment of chronic optic neuropathy

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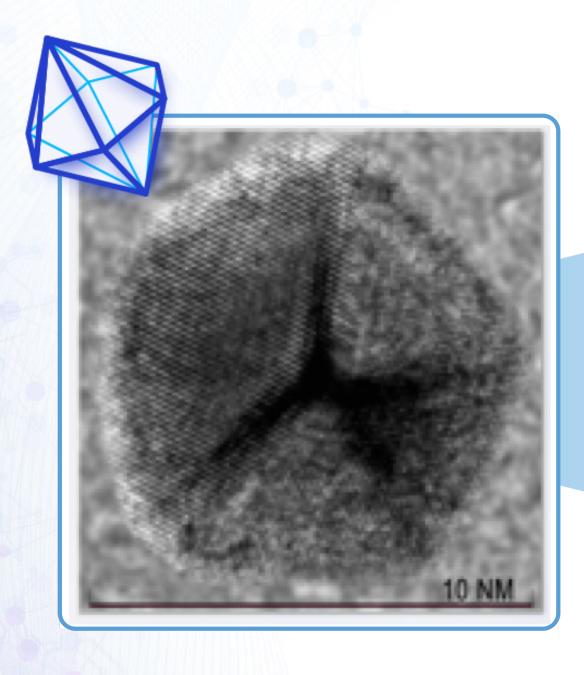


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CNM-Au8 | MoA: Nanocatalytic Electron Transfer

Catalytic Gold Nanocrystals



Bioenergetic Mechanism



Increased ATP

Decreased reactive oxygen species

Increased proteostasis

Enhanced Disease Response

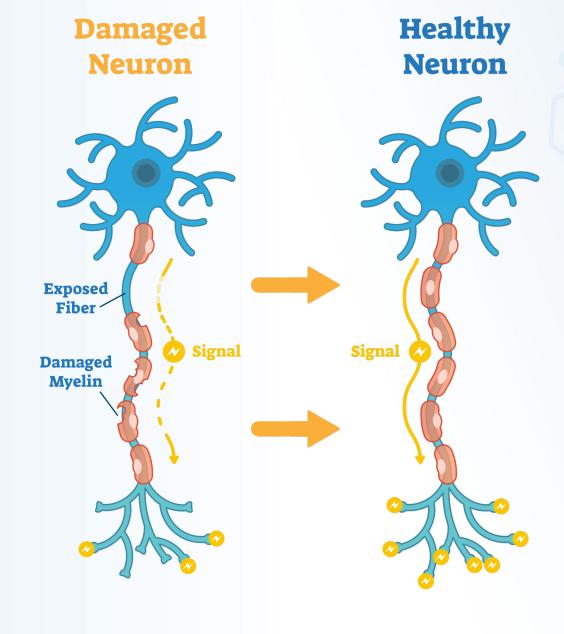
Increased energetic capacity





Reduction in levels of misfolded proteins

Remyelination









Background DMT Treatment & Demographics

13-January-2021 Blinded Data Update

Baseline Demographics

Baseline Values	Subjects n (%)	Age [yrs.] mean (SD)	EDSS mean (SD)	Time from MS Onset [yrs.] mean (SD)	ON History [%]
AII	52 (100%)	38.0 (8.9)	1.8 (1.5)	6.0 (3.8)	76 %
Female	37 (71%)	37.7 (8.3)	1.7 (1.6)	6.4 (3.8)	73%
Male	15 (29%)	40.1 (9.7)	2.0 (1.4)	5.1 (3.8)	80%

DMT Background Treatment

Monoclonal Antibody ¹ n (%)	Oral Therapy ² n (%)	Injectable (Glatiramer acetate) n (%)	No DMT n (%)
27	19	2	4
(52%)	(36.5%)	(4%)	(8%)
19	14	2 (5%)	2
(51%)	(38%)		(5%)
8 (53%)	5 (33%)	O (0%)	2 (13%)

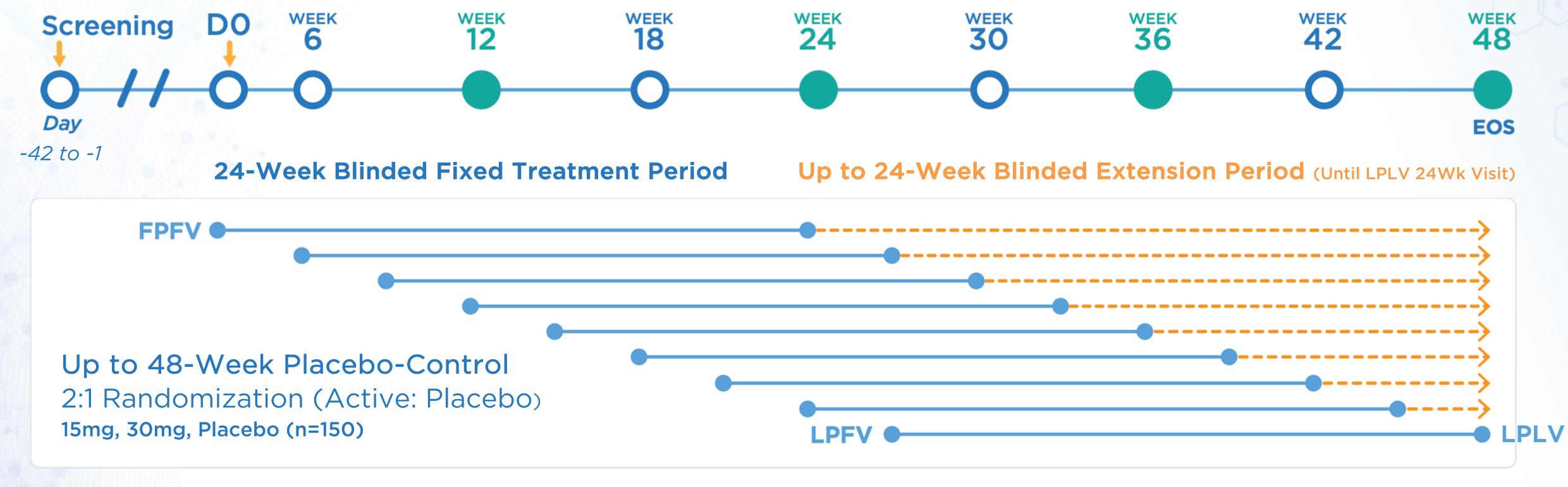
¹Monoclonal antibody includes alemtuzumab, natalizumab, rituximab, ocrelizumab.

² Oral includes fingolimod, dimethyl fumarate, teriflunomide, thyroxine, and oral combinations.





Treatment of <u>Vis</u>ual Pathway Deficits <u>In Chronic Optic</u> <u>Neuropathy for Assessment of Remyelination in Non-Active</u> Relapsing <u>MS</u>



1° Change in Low
Contrast Letter
Acuity (LCLA)
At Week 24

2° Change Composite Clinical Response

9HPT / SDMT / T25FW / LCLA / EDSS

Exploratory Endpoints

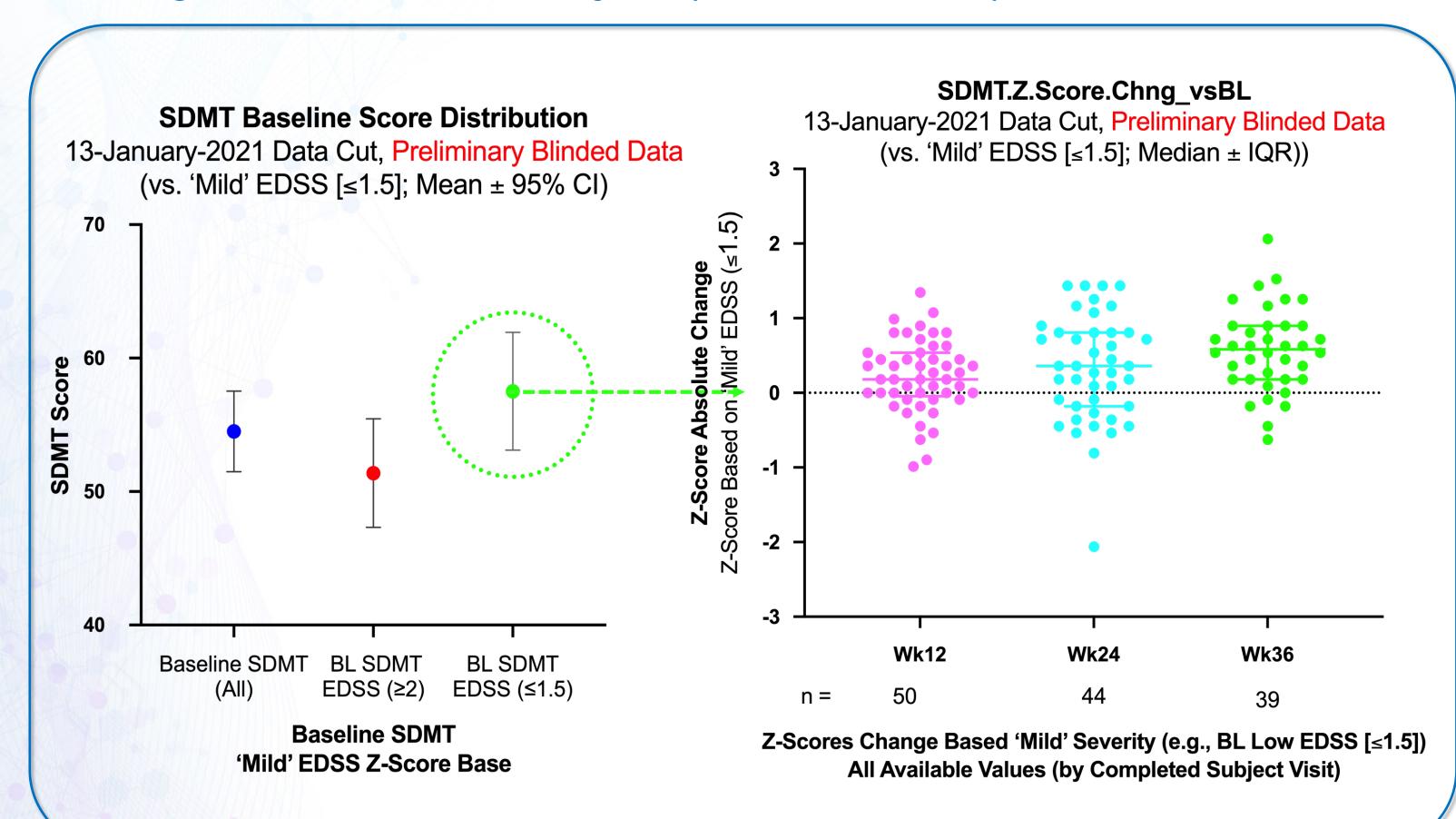
- Optical Coherence Tomography (OCT)
- Multi-focal VEP Amplitude & Latency
- Full field-VEP Amplitude & Latency
- MRI Endpoints
- Visual Function (High Contrast)
- PRO / QOL / EDSS



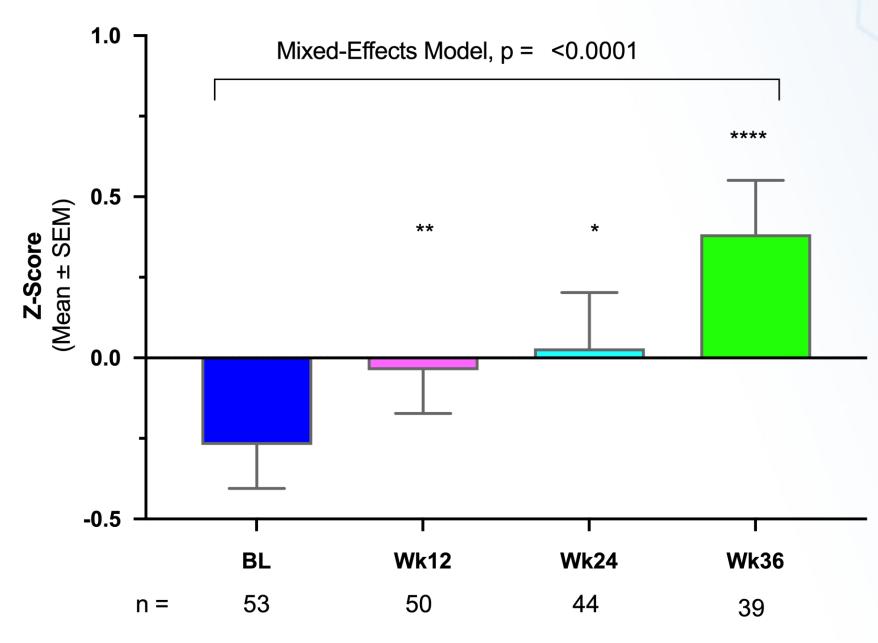
SDMT Z-Score Change



Change in Enrolled Study Population Compared to Baseline (BL) 'Mild' EDSS (<=1.5)



SDMT Z.Score 13-January-2021 Data Cut, Preliminary Blinded Data (Based on 'Mild' EDSS [≤1.5]; Mean ± SEM)

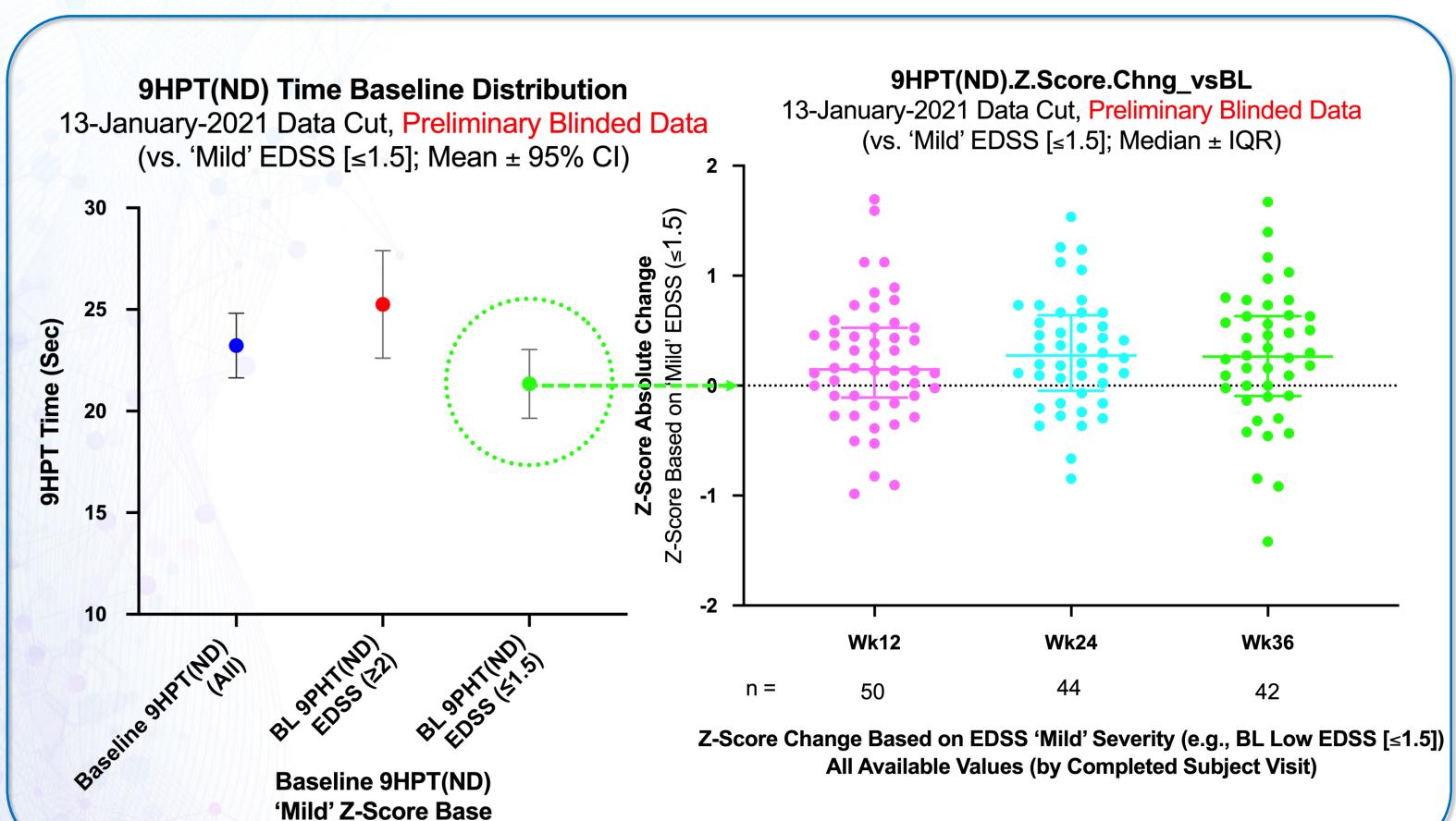


Z-Score Change Based on EDSS 'Mild' Severity (e.g., BL Low EDSS [≤1.5]) All Available Values (by Completed Subject Visit)

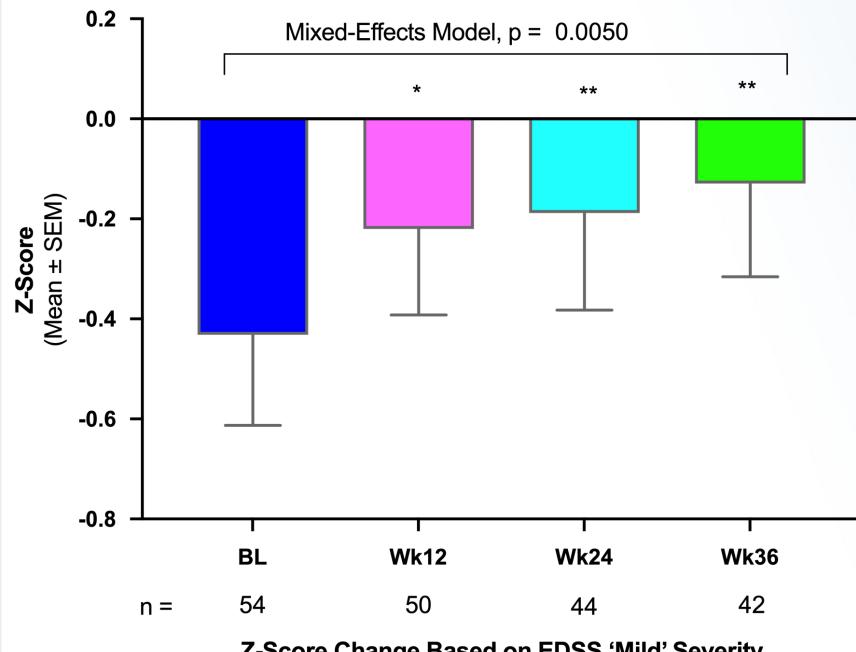
9HPT (Non-Dominant) Z-Score Change



Change in Enrolled Study Population Compared to Baseline (BL) 'Mild' EDSS (<=1.5)



9HPT(ND) Z.Score 13-January-2021 Data Cut, Preliminary Blinded Data (Based on 'Mild' EDSS [≤1.5]; Mean ± SEM)

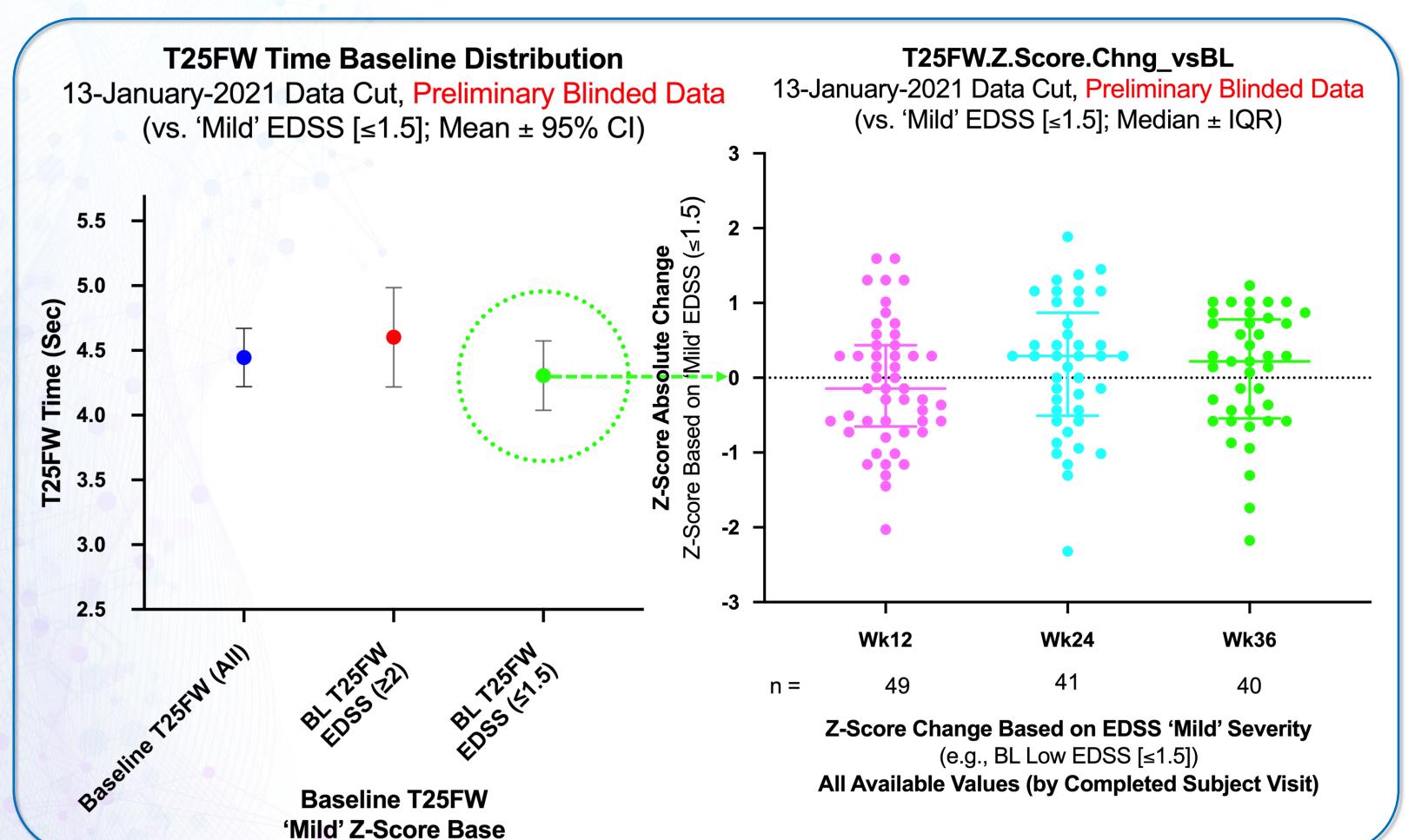


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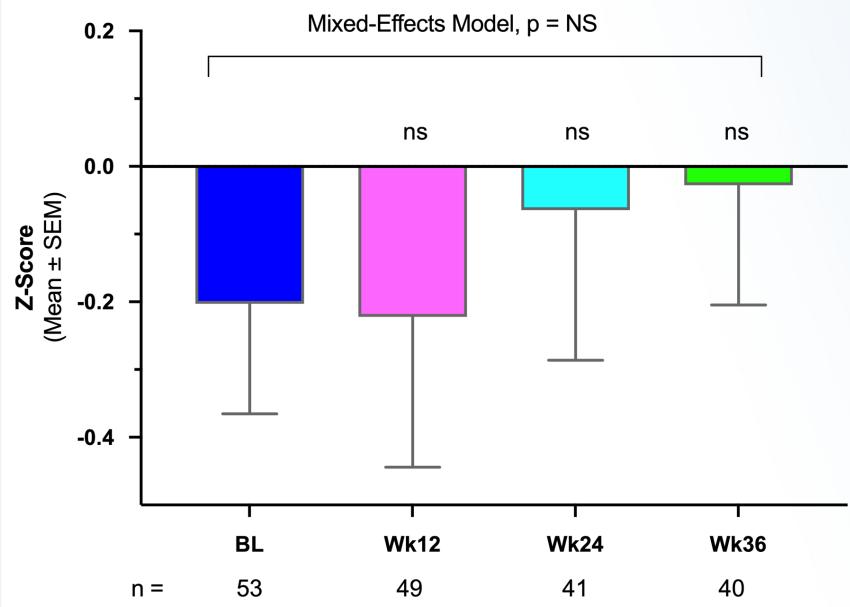
T25FW Z-Score Change



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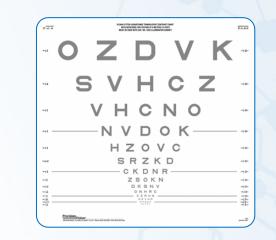


T25FW Z.Score 13-January-2021 Data Cut, Preliminary Blinded Data (Based on 'Mild' EDSS [≤1.5]; Mean ± SEM)

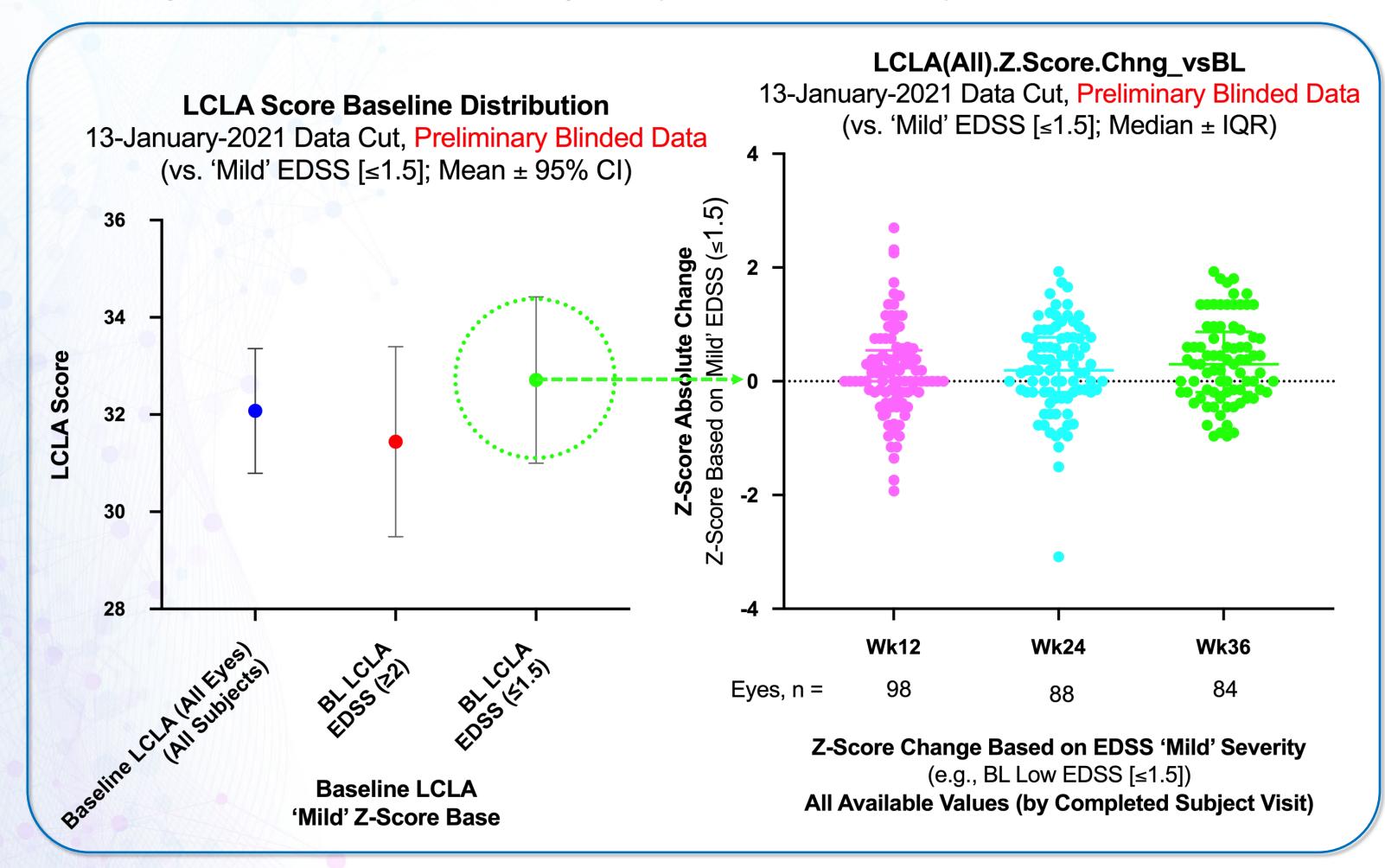


Z-Score Change Based on EDSS 'Mild' Severity (e.g., BL Low EDSS [≤1.5]) All Available Values (by Completed Subject Visit)

LCLA (Best-Corrected) Z-Score Change

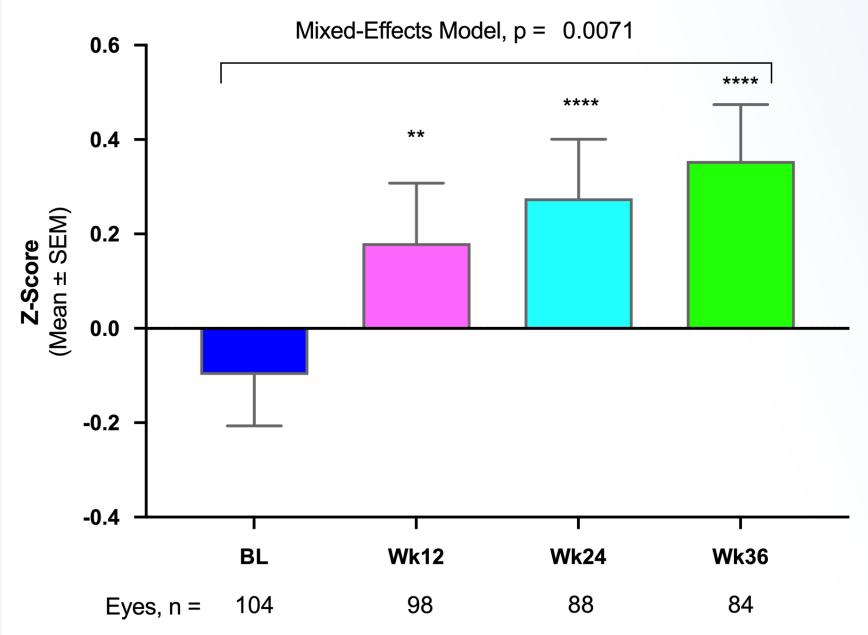


Change in Enrolled Study Population Compared to Baseline (BL) 'Mild' EDSS (<=1.5)



LCLA (All Eyes) Z.Score 13-January-2021 Data Cut, Preliminary Blinded Data

|3-January-2021 Data Cut, Preliminary Blinded Data (Based on 'Mild' EDSS [≤1.5]; Mean ± SEM)



Z-Score Change Based on EDSS 'Mild' Severity (e.g., BL Low EDSS [≤1.5]) All Available Values (by Completed Subject Visit)



(m)MSFC Mean Z-Score Change

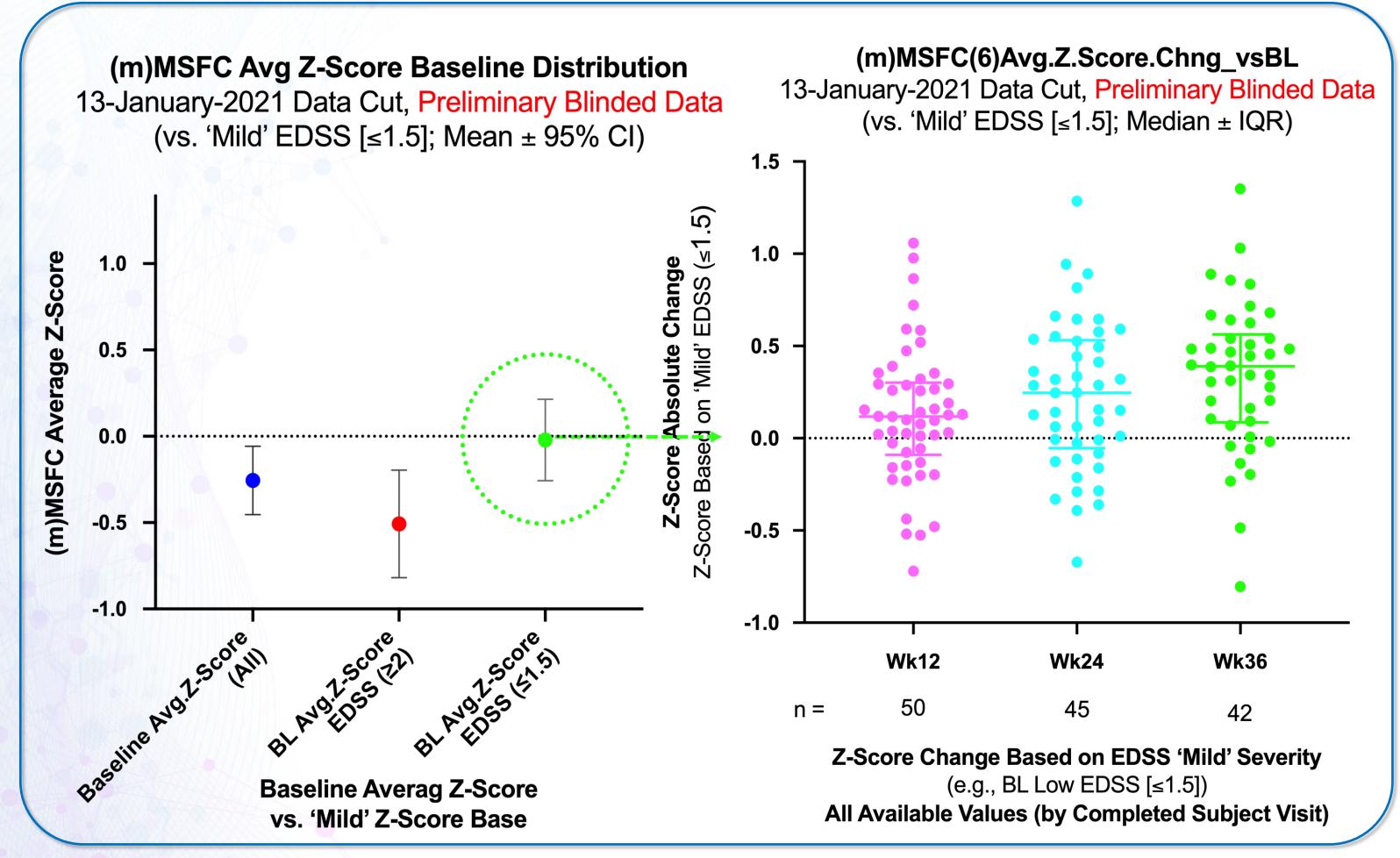




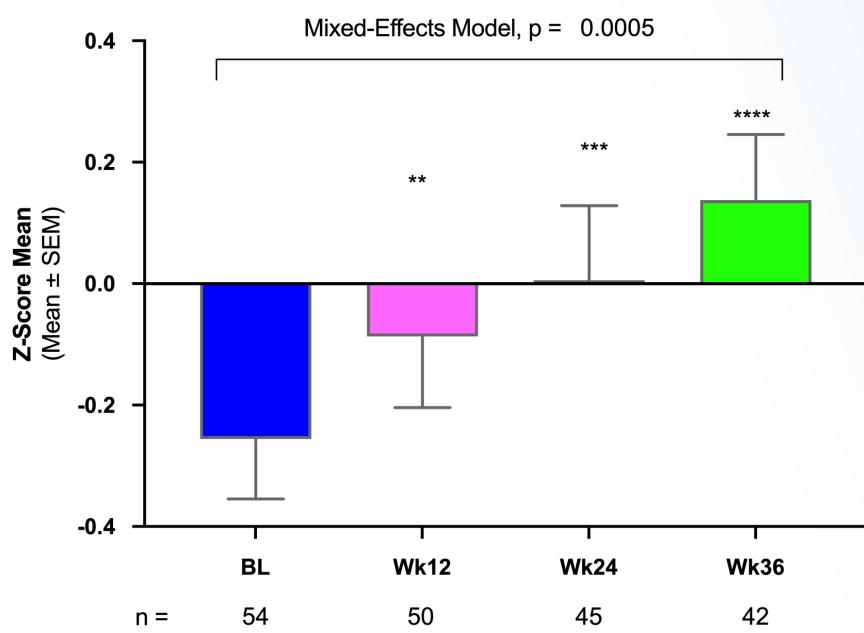




6-component (SDMT, LCLA [L/R], 9HPT [D/ND], T25FW)



(m)MSFC 6-component Average Z.Score 13-January-2021 Data Cut, Preliminary Blinded Data (Based on 'Mild' EDSS [≤1.5]; Mean ± SEM)



Z-Score Change Based on EDSS 'Mild' Severity (e.g., BL Low EDSS [≤1.5]) All Available Values (by Completed Subject Visit)



Conclusions



 VISIONARY-MS is an innovative Phase 2 study examining the potential for CNM-Au8 to promote neurological improvement in a stable RMS population with chronic visual impairment, as an adjunct to approved DMTs

• CNM-Au8 is a novel, nanocatalytic therapy shown to promote remyelination and neuroprotection via increasing bioenergetic capacity, enhancing protein homeostasis, and reducing harmful ROS

• These interim, blinded data support the potential for CNM-Au8 therapy to demonstrate meaningful neurological improvement in patients with MS