

# The Azeliragon Elevage Study: Study Update and Preliminary Data on Baseline Characteristics of Participants with Mild Alzheimer's Disease and Type 2 Diabetes Randomized in Part 1

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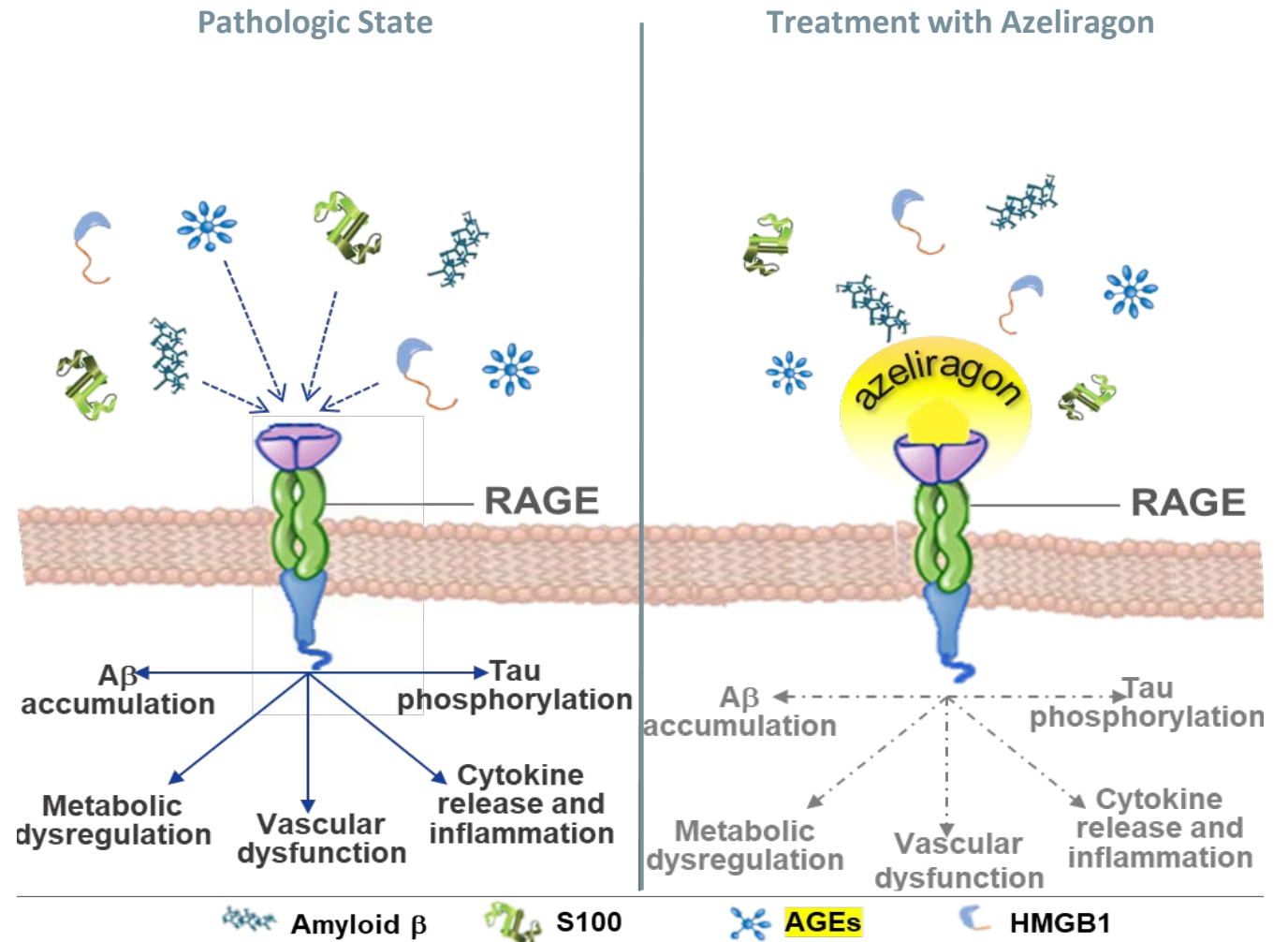
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# Receptor for Advanced Glycation Endproducts (RAGE) and Azeliragon

- RAGE is pattern recognition receptor with diverse ligands
- RAGE expression is usually low in the majority of healthy adult tissues
- Upregulated under pathologic conditions (e.g., AD, Diabetes)
- Azeliragon antagonizes RAGE, blocking ligands from binding to the receptor and blunting resultant downstream pathological events



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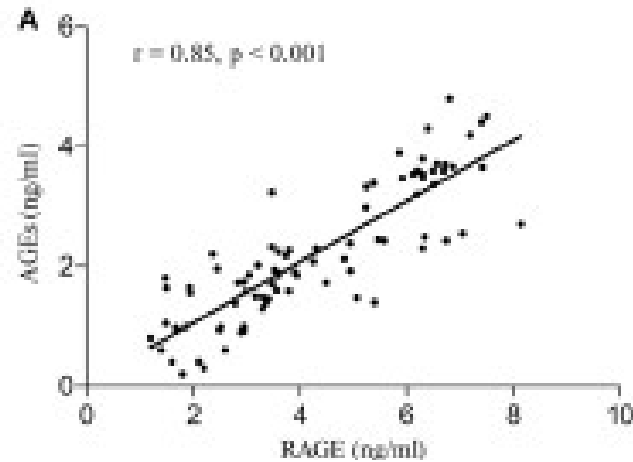
# STEADFAST Study in Mild Alzheimer's Disease

- Two Phase 3 randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled, parallel group, 18-month trials (A-Study and B-Study)
- 880 subjects with probable mild AD
  - 2011 NIA-AA criteria, Screening MMSE 21-26, CDR-global 0.5-1
- Successfully demonstrated safety and tolerability of azeliragon 5 mg/day
- Failed to demonstrate statistically significant benefit of azeliragon on co-primary endpoints of ADAS-cog and CDR-sb in mild AD

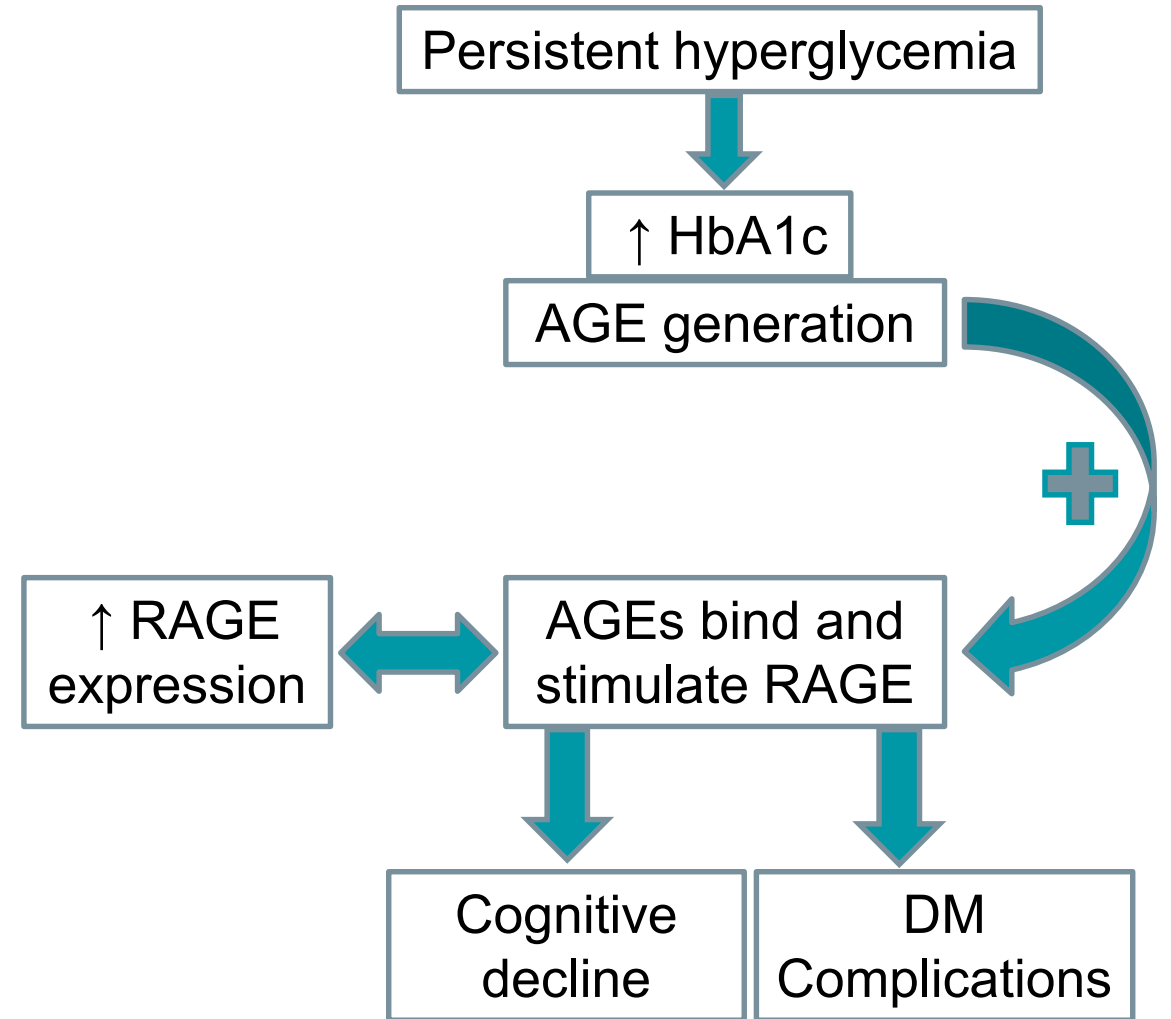
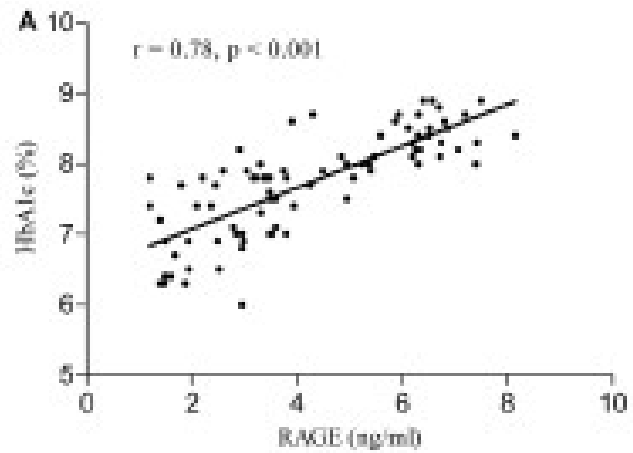
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# HbA1c: a surrogate for increased RAGE expression

Correlation of RAGE with AGEs in group of diabetic elderly patients with MCI



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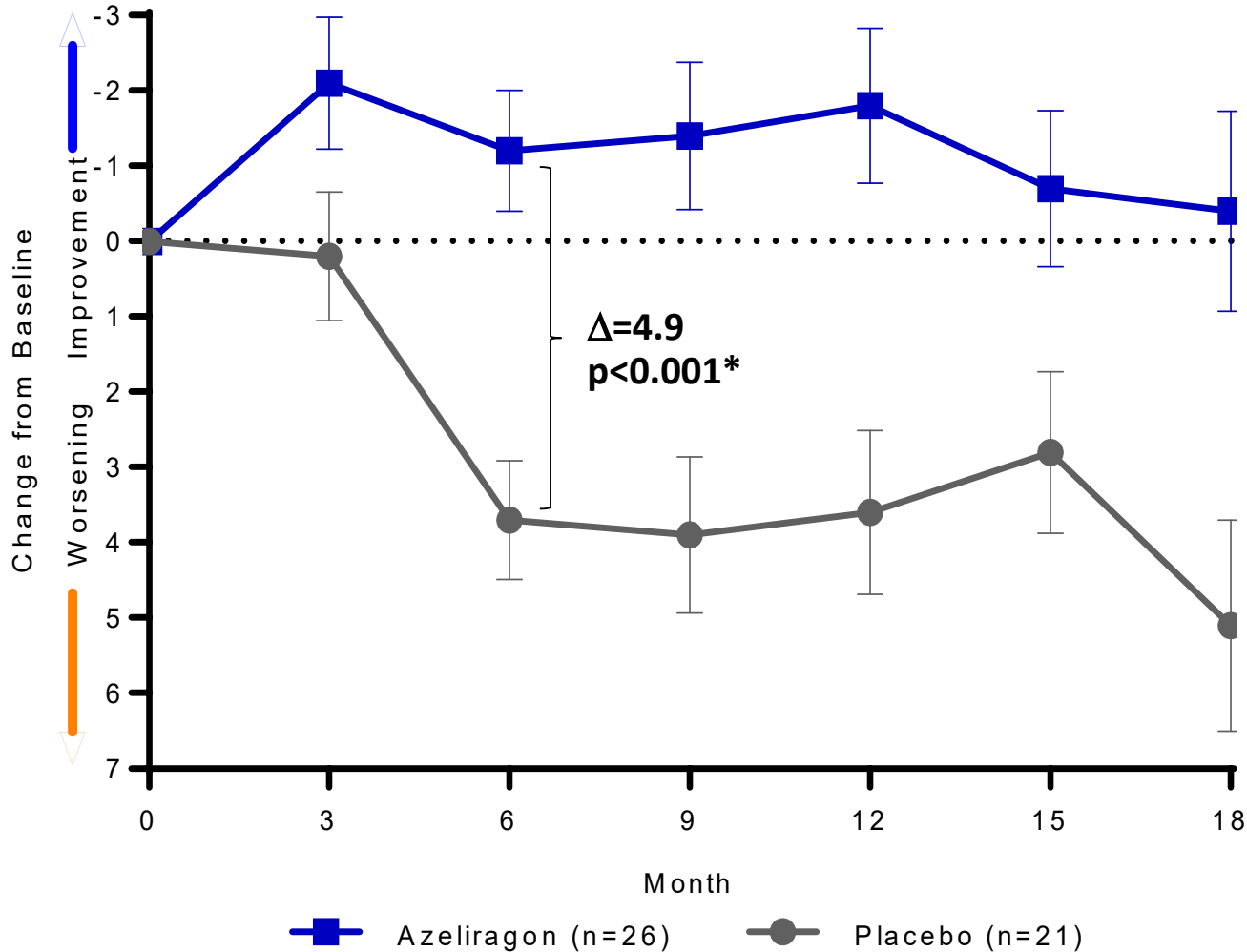
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# Cognitive Benefit in Diabetes Subgroup of STEADFAST A - Study

ADAS-cog11



$\Delta=5.5$   
 $p=0.006^*$

Type 2 Diabetes: Patients with diabetes (HbA1c  $\geq$  6.5% at any time during the study)

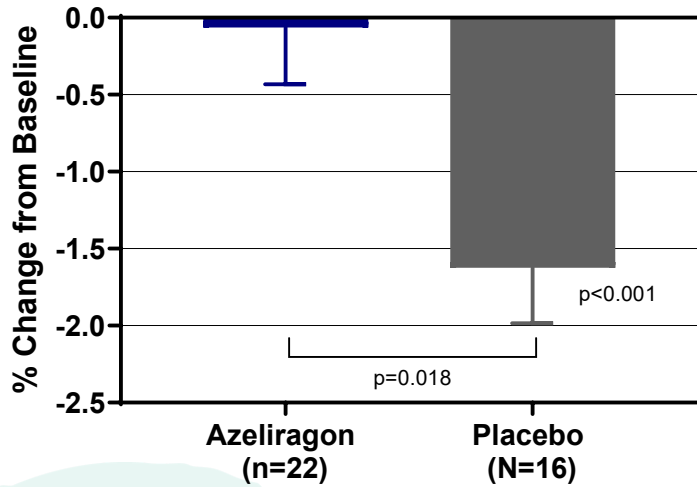
Results are LSMeans  $\pm$  SE based on MMRM model.

\*All p values are nominal.  
FAS =Full Analysis Set

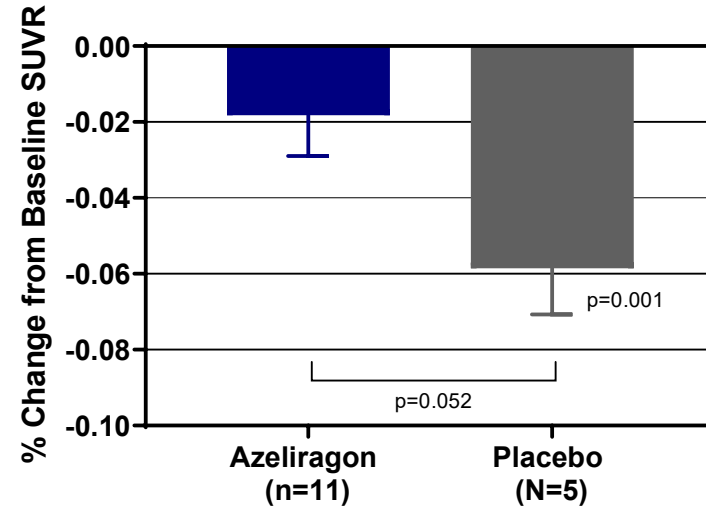
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# Brain MRI, FDG-PET and Plasma Inflammatory Biomarker Results Support Biological Effect in Dementia with Diabetes

**Less Brain Atrophy**  
Whole Brain  
Month 18

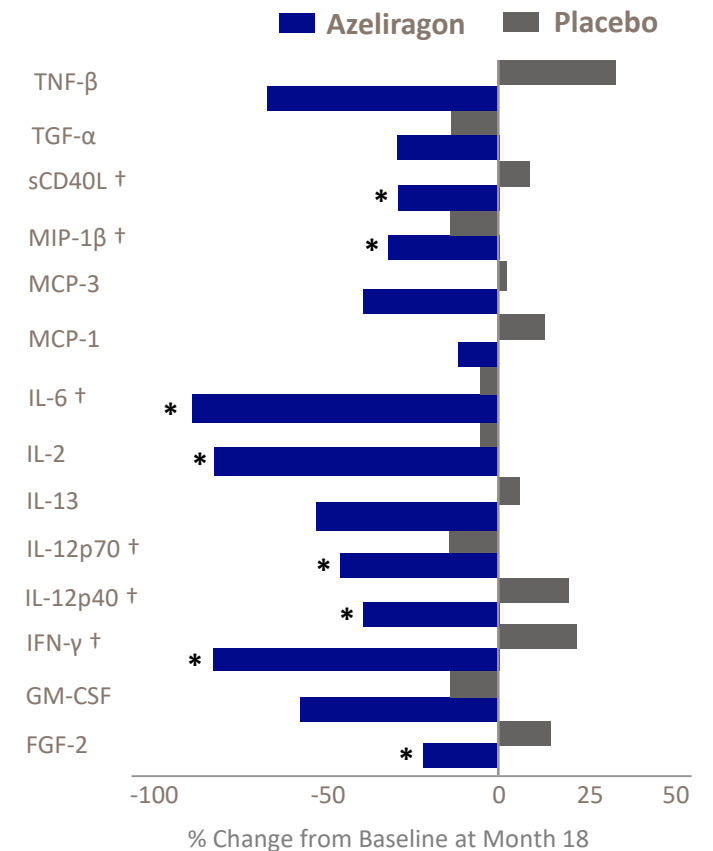


**Less Reduction in Brain Glucose Utilization\***  
Month 18



\*FDG-PET SUVR composite (unweighted combination of frontal, anterior/posterior cingulate, lateral parietal, lateral temporal, and hippocampus)

**Reduction in Plasma Inflammatory Biomarkers**  
Month 18



Results are Medians

\* Nominal p<0.05 Wilcoxon test

† Biomarkers with direct relationship to RAGE

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# Elevage Study Objectives

- Strategic Objective

- Replicate STEADFAST post-hoc subgroup analysis in Phase 2 POC study before embarking on expanded Phase 3 study
- Part 1 results used to potentially adapt Part 2

- Part 1 Study Objectives

- Primary - Evaluate effect of 6 months of treatment with oral azeliragon on cognitive performance in subjects with mild AD and impaired glucose tolerance
- Secondary
  - Evaluate efficacy of azeliragon treatment on measures of function and activities of daily living
  - Evaluate the efficacy of azeliragon treatment on complications of diabetes
  - Evaluate the safety and tolerability of 6 months of azeliragon treatment
  - Evaluate effect of azeliragon on biomarkers and markers of inflammation

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# Elevage Study

Studies	Part 1 – Proof of concept	Part 2 – Phase 3 confirmatory
<b>Design</b>	6-month, randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled Phase 2 study	18-month, randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled Phase 2 study
<b>Sample Size</b> <b>Geography</b>	100 (Planned); 43 (Actual) United States and Canada	200 TBD
<b>Population</b>	Mild Alzheimer’s disease <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Clinical dx of probable AD (2011 NIA-AA criteria)</li> <li>• MMSE 21-26, CDR global 0.5 or 1, ADAScog14 ≥ 10</li> </ul> Impaired glucose tolerance <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• HbA1c 6.5-9.5%</li> </ul>	
<b>Dose Regimen</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Azeliragon 5 mg or placebo once daily; randomized 1:1</li> </ul>	
<b>Primary Endpoint</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Change from Baseline in ADAScog14 at Month 6</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Change from Baseline in ADAScog14 at Month 18</li> <li>• Change from Baseline in CDR-sb at Month 18</li> </ul>
<b>Secondary Endpoints</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• CDR-sb, FAQ, Amsterdam-IADL, eGFR</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• FAQ, Amsterdam-IADL, MMSE, eGFR, whole brain volume</li> </ul>

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# Demographics

Statistic	STEADFAST T2D Subgroup N=47	Elevage-Part 1 N=43
Country, n (%)		
Canada	4 (8.5)	11 (25.6)
USA	43 (91.5)	32 (74.4)
Ethnicity, n (%)		
Hispanic or Latino	10 (21.3)	2 (4.7)
Not Hispanic or Latino	37 (78.7)	41 (95.3)
Race, n (%)		
White	42 (89.4)	41 (95.3)
Black or African American	3 (6.4)	2 (4.7)
Asian	1 (2.1)	0
American Indian or Alaska Native	1 (2.1)	0
Sex, n (%)		
Female	9 (19.1)	20 (46.5)
Male	38 (80.9)	23 (53.3)
Age: Mean (SD)	76.8 (7.44)	76.7 (6.1)

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# Baseline Characteristics - Body Measurements

Statistic	STEADFAST T2D Subgroup N=47	Elevage-Part 1 N=43
Height (cm), Mean (SD)	171.4 (9.29)	167.8 (10.0)
Weight (kg), Mean (SD)	82.9 (14.16)	81.6 (14.6)
BMI (kg/m <sup>2</sup> ), Mean (SD)	28.2 (3.73)	28.9 (4.4)

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# Baseline Characteristics – AD & T2D

Statistic	STEADFAST T2D Subgroup N=47	Elevage-Part 1 N=43
ApoE status, n (%)		
Heterozygous	21 (44.7)	20 (46.5)
Homozygous	2 (4.3)	2 (4.7)
Non-carrier	24 (51.1)	21 (48.8)
Education, n (%)		
High School	13 (27.7)	14 (32.6)
Other (trainings, certifications)	6 (12.8)	3 (7.0)
Some college	10 (21.3)	7 (16.3)
Associate's Degree	3 (6.4)	3 (7.0)
Bachelor's Degree	11 (23.4)	11 (25.6)
Master's Degree	3 (6.4)	5 (11.6)
Doctoral Degree	1 (2.1)	0
Background AD Medication, n (%)		
Memantine	16 (34.0)	16 (37.2)
Acetylcholinesterase inhibitor	45 (95.7)	37 (86.0)
Both	14 (29.8)	10 (23.3)
HbA1c at Baseline, Mean (SD)	6.6 (0.64)	7.2 (0.67)

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# Baseline Characteristics - Scales

Statistic	STEADFAST T2D Subgroup N=47	Elevage-Part 1 N=43
MMSE, Mean (SD)	23.7 (2.62)	23.4 (2.55)
ADAScog11, Mean (SD)	15.5 (5.13)	17.4 (6.16)
CDR Global, n (%)		
0.5	27 (57.4)	23 (53.5)
1	20 (42.6)	20 (46.5)
CDR Sum of Boxes	4.1 (1.77)	4.5 (1.84)

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# Conclusions

- Elevage Part 1 has closed enrollment
- Preliminary results suggest that the Elevage study population has baseline characteristics similar to the diabetes subgroup from the STEADFAST Study and reflect the main eligibility criteria shared across both studies.
- Elevage Part 1 study results targeted for 2Q 2021.

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We sincerely appreciate all the patients, families, investigators and staff for their participation in the Elevage study.

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