

Safety and Efficacy of KarXT in Patients With Schizophrenia in the Randomized, Double-Blind, Placebo-Controlled, Phase 3 EMERGENT-2 and EMERGENT-3 Trials

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KarXT in Schizophrenia: EMERGENT Clinical Development Program

EMERGENT-1^{1,2} NCT03697252	EMERGENT-2²⁻⁴ NCT04659161	EMERGENT-3⁵⁻⁷ NCT04738123	EMERGENT-4^{7,8} NCT04659174	EMERGENT-5^{7,9} NCT04820309
Phase 2	Phase 3	Phase 3	Phase 3	Phase 3
Efficacy and safety of KarXT vs placebo		Efficacy and safety of KarXT vs placebo		Long-term safety and tolerability of KarXT
5-week, 1:1 randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled inpatient trial		5-week, 1:1 randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled inpatient trial		52-week, open-label, outpatient extension of EMERGENT-2 and EMERGENT-3
People with schizophrenia experiencing acute psychosis (baseline PANSS score of 80-120)		People with schizophrenia experiencing acute psychosis (baseline PANSS score of 80-120)		People with schizophrenia who participated in EMERGENT-2 or EMERGENT-3
Flexible dosing of KarXT up to 125/30		Flexible dosing of KarXT up to 125/30		Flexible dosing of KarXT up to 125/30
Primary outcome: PANSS total score		Primary outcome: PANSS total score		Primary outcome: Incidence of TEAEs
Secondary outcomes: PANSS positive subscale score, PANSS negative subscale score, PANSS Marder negative factor score, CGI-S, CGI-S responders		Secondary outcomes: PANSS positive subscale score, PANSS negative subscale score, PANSS Marder negative factor score, CGI-S, PANSS responders		Secondary outcomes: Incidence of serious TEAEs, TEAEs leading to withdrawal, PANSS total score, PANSS positive subscale score, PANSS negative subscale score, PANSS Marder negative factor score, CGI-S, PANSS responders
Complete EMERGENT-1, EMERGENT-2, and EMERGENT-3 met their primary endpoint: KarXT demonstrated significant reductions in PANSS total score vs placebo			Active, not recruiting	Enrolling

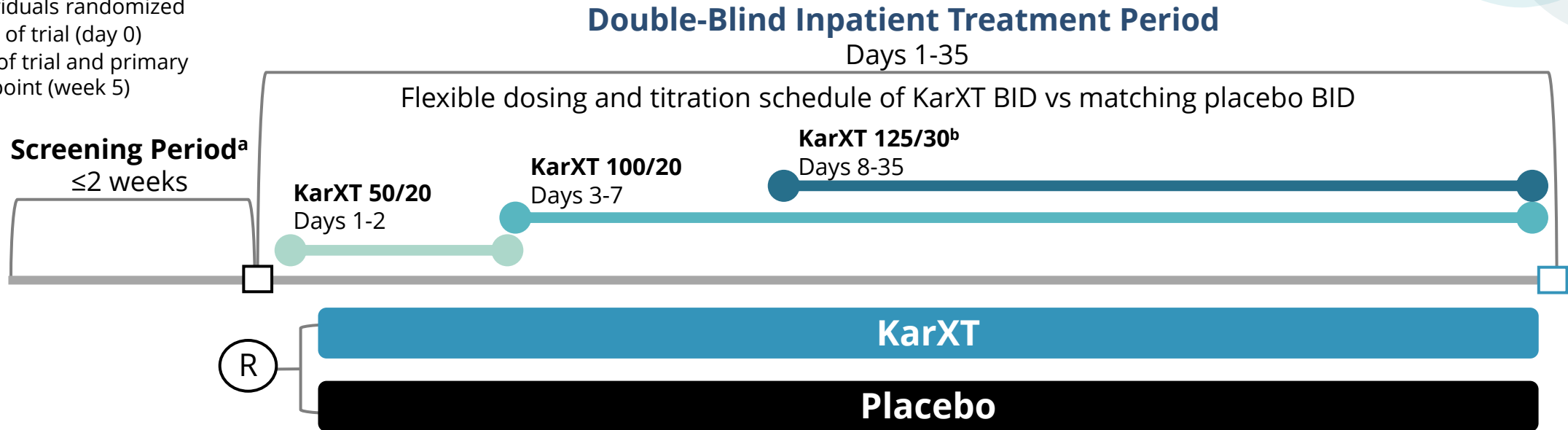
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KarXT in Schizophrenia: EMERGENT-2 and -3 Trial Design^{1,2}

Randomized, Double-Blind, Placebo-Controlled, Phase 3 Studies in Schizophrenia

KEY

- Ⓜ Individuals randomized
- Start of trial (day 0)
- End of trial and primary endpoint (week 5)



Select Eligibility Criteria^c

- 18-65 years of age
- Confirmed diagnosis of schizophrenia and experiencing symptoms of psychosis
- Positive and Negative Syndrome Scale (PANSS) total score between 80 and 120

Primary Endpoint: Change from baseline (CFB) in PANSS total score compared with placebo at week 5

Key Prespecified Secondary Outcome Measures:

- CFB in PANSS positive subscale score compared with placebo at week 5
- CFB in PANSS negative subscale score compared with placebo at week 5
- CFB in PANSS Marder negative factor score compared with placebo at week 5
- Clinical Global Impression–Severity (CGI-S) score at week 5
- Percentage of PANSS responders (≥30% change in PANSS total score) at week 5

KarXT dose is expressed as xanomeline/trospium chloride (mg/mg). BID, twice daily.

^aWashout of prior oral lithium and/or antipsychotics. ^bOptional increase in dose based on tolerability determined by a clinician. ^cDoes not include all inclusion and exclusion criteria.

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Baseline Demographics and Characteristics

	EMERGENT-2 ¹		EMERGENT-3 ²	
	KarXT (n=126)	Placebo (n=126)	KarXT (n=125)	Placebo (n=131)
Mean age, years (SD)	45.6 (10.4)	46.2 (10.8)	43.6 (11.4)	42.6 (12.2)
Sex, n (%)				
Male	95 (75.4)	95 (75.4)	87 (69.6)	104 (79.4)
Female	31 (24.6)	31 (24.6)	38 (30.4)	27 (20.6)
Race, n (%)				
Asian	2 (1.6)	1 (0.8)	1 (0.8)	0
Black	97 (77.0)	92 (73.0)	79 (63.2)	77 (58.8)
White	26 (20.6)	31 (24.6)	45 (36.0)	53 (40.5)
Other	1 (0.8)	2 (1.6)	0 ³	0 ³
Not reported	0 ³	0 ³	0	1 (0.8)
PANSS total score, mean (SD)	98.3 (8.9)	97.9 (9.7)	97.3 (8.9)	96.7 (8.9)
PANSS positive subscale score, mean (SD)	26.8 (3.7)	26.7 (4.0)	26.9 (3.7)	26.4 (3.3)
PANSS negative subscale score, mean (SD)	22.9 (4.0)	22.9 (3.8)	22.6 (3.2)	22.0 (3.7)
PANSS Marder negative factor score, mean (SD)	22.9 (5.0)	22.5 (4.7)	22.0 (3.7)	21.8 (4.2)

Intent-to-treat population.

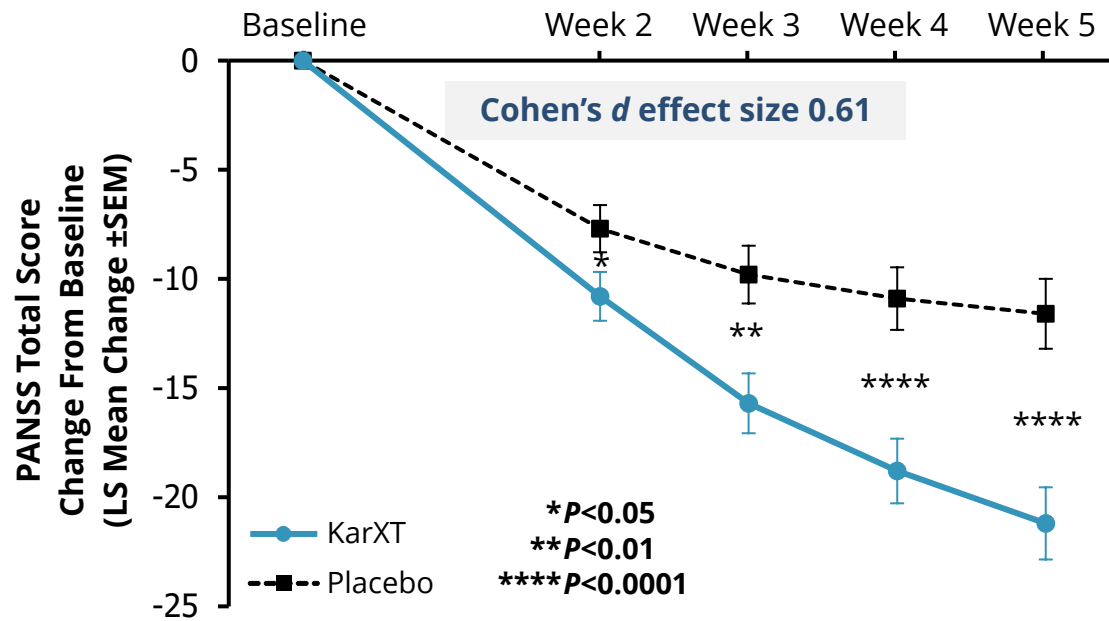
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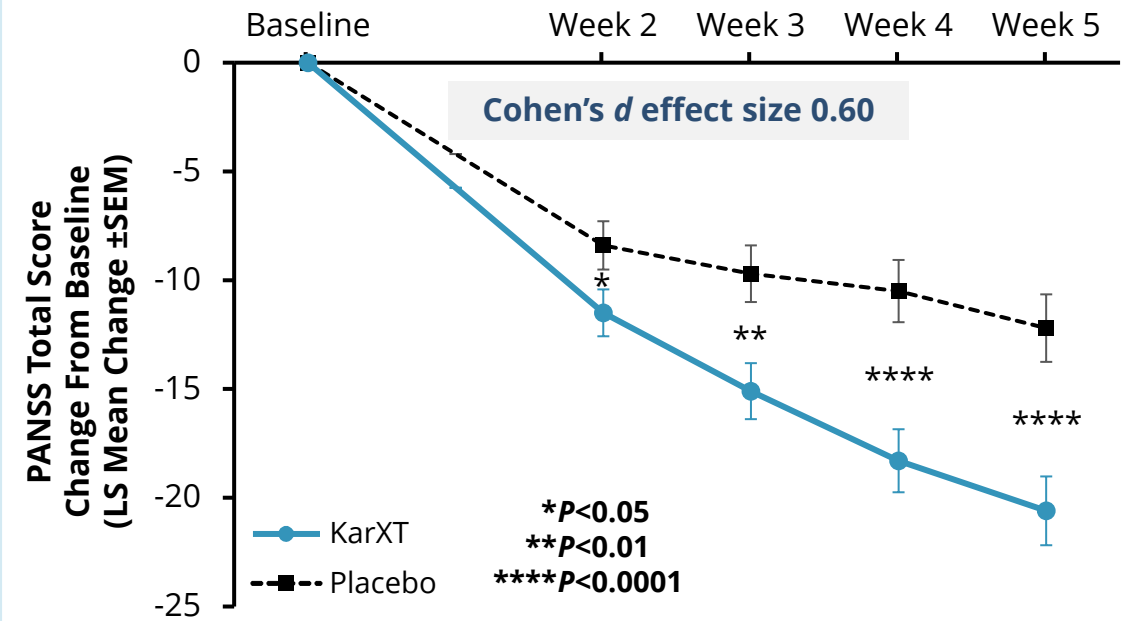
PANSS Total Score at Week 5

Primary Endpoint

EMERGENT-2¹



EMERGENT-3²



All efficacy analyses performed using the mITT analysis set, defined as all randomized individuals who received ≥ 1 dose of trial medication at baseline and ≥ 1 postbaseline PANSS assessment (EMERGENT-2: KarXT n=117, placebo n=119; EMERGENT-3: KarXT n=114, placebo=120).¹⁻³

LS, least squares; mITT, modified intent-to-treat; PANSS, Positive and Negative Syndrome Scale; SEM, standard error of the mean.

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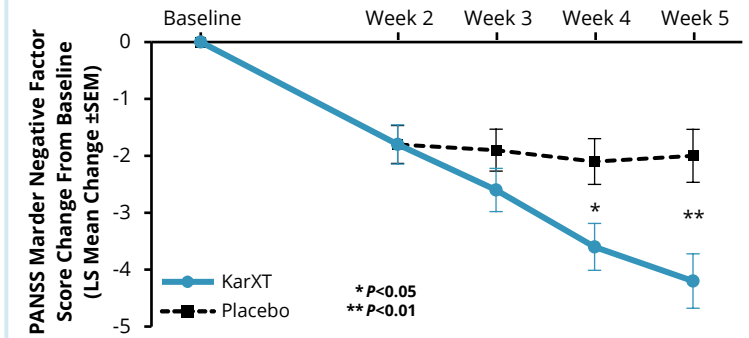
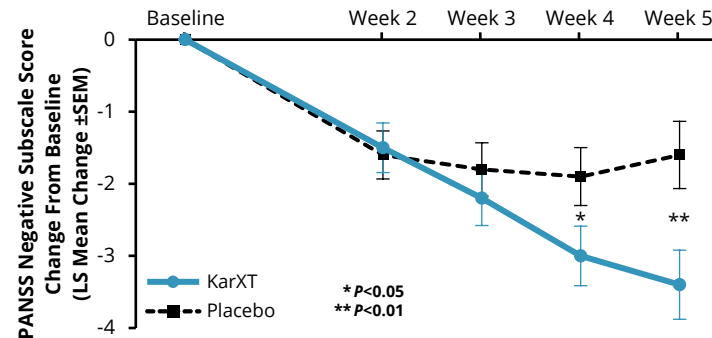
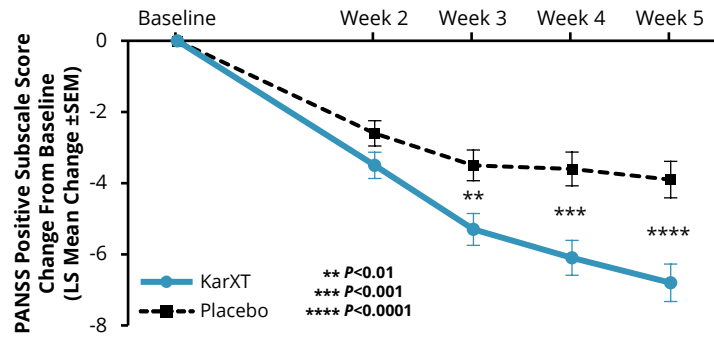
Key Secondary Efficacy Endpoints

PANSS Positive Subscale

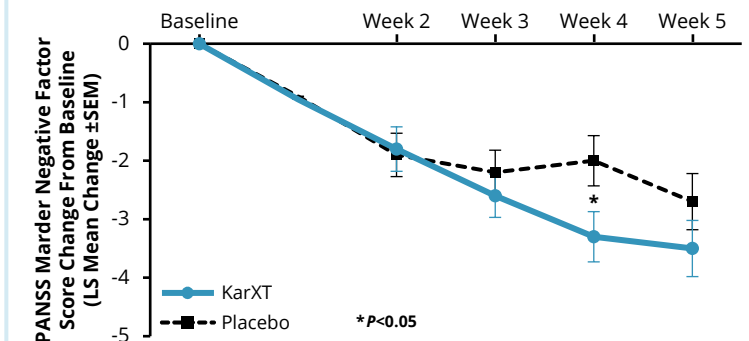
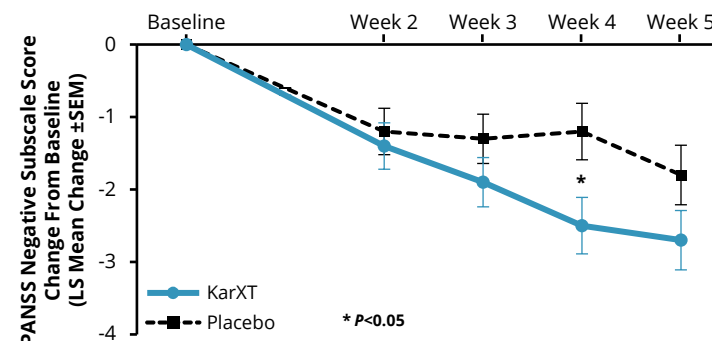
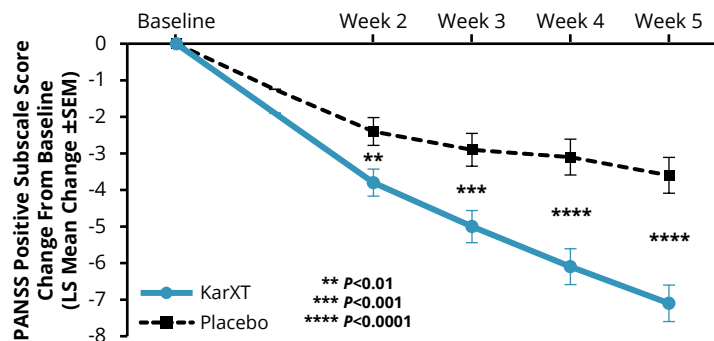
PANSS Negative Subscale

PANSS Marder Negative Factor

EMERGENT-2^{1,2}



EMERGENT-3³



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Safety and Tolerability During the 5-Week Treatment Period

	EMERGENT-2 ¹		EMERGENT-3 ²	
	KarXT (n=126)	Placebo (n=125)	KarXT (n=125)	Placebo (n=128)
Any TEAE, n (%)	95 (75.4)	73 (58.4)	88 (70.4)	64 (50.0)
Serious TEAE, ^{a,b} n (%)	2 (1.6)	2 (1.6)	1(0.8)	0
TEAE leading to discontinuation, n (%)	9 (7.1)	7 (5.6)	8 (6.4)	7 (5.5)
TEAE occurring in ≥5% of people in the KarXT group in either trial, n (%)				
Constipation	27 (21.4)	13 (10.4)	16 (12.8)	5 (3.9)
Dyspepsia	24 (19.0)	10 (8.0)	20 (16.0)	2 (1.6)
Nausea	24 (19.0)	7 (5.6)	24 (19.2)	2 (1.6)
Vomiting	18 (14.3)	1 (0.8)	20 (16.0)	1 (0.8)
Headache	17 (13.5)	15 (12.0)	14 (11.2) ³	15 (11.7) ³
Hypertension ^c	12 (9.5)	1 (0.8)	8 (6.4)	2 (1.6)
Dizziness	11 (8.7)	4 (3.2)	2 (1.6) ³	1 (0.8) ³
Gastroesophageal reflux disease	8 (6.3)	0	5 (4.0) ³	1 (0.8) ³
Abdominal discomfort	7 (5.6)	4 (3.2)	2 (1.6) ³	3 (2.3) ³
Diarrhea	7 (5.6)	4 (3.2)	7 (5.6)	1 (0.8)
Insomnia	3 (2.4)	6 (4.8)	7 (5.6)	10 (7.8)
Body weight: mean change from baseline to week 5, kg±SD	1.36±3.31 ³	2.49±6.92 ³	1.41±3.37	2.0±3.08
Body weight: ≥7% increase from baseline to week 5, n/N (%)	6/94 (6.4) ³	13/100 (13.0) ³	5/78 (6.4)	12/92 (13.0)
Simpson-Angus Scale score: mean change from baseline to week 5, ±SD	0.0±0.61	-0.1±0.70	-0.1±0.56	-0.1±0.36
Barnes Akathisia Rating Scale score: mean change from baseline to week 5, ±SD	-0.1±1.09	-0.2±0.98	-0.1±0.75	-0.1±0.88

^aSerious TEAEs in EMERGENT-2 were 2 cases of suicidal ideation in the KarXT group, 1 case of appendicitis in the placebo group, and 1 case of worsening of schizophrenia in the placebo group. ^bThe single serious TEAE observed in EMERGENT-3 was a case of gastroesophageal reflux disease in the KarXT group. ^cHypertension is the MedDRA preferred term and is not necessarily reflective of clinical hypertension.

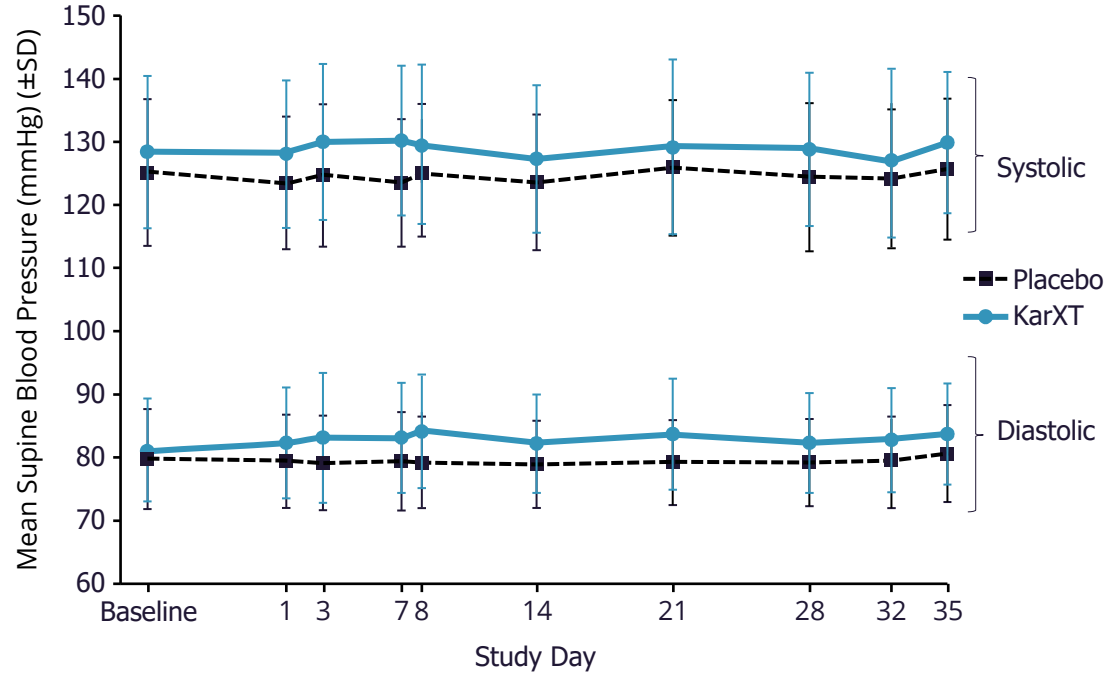
MedDRA, Medical Dictionary for Regulatory Activities; SD, standard deviation; TEAE, treatment-emergent adverse event.

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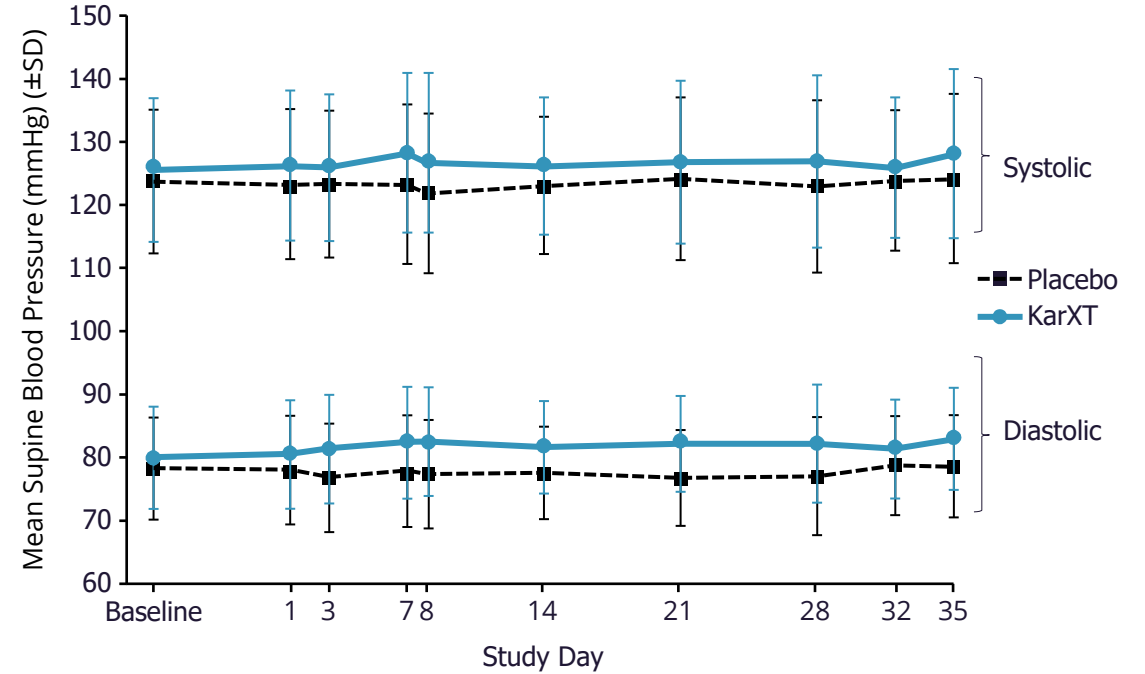
Mean Supine Blood Pressure

Systolic and Diastolic Blood Pressure Measures Recorded at 2 Hours Post Dose (C_{max})

EMERGENT-2¹



EMERGENT-3²

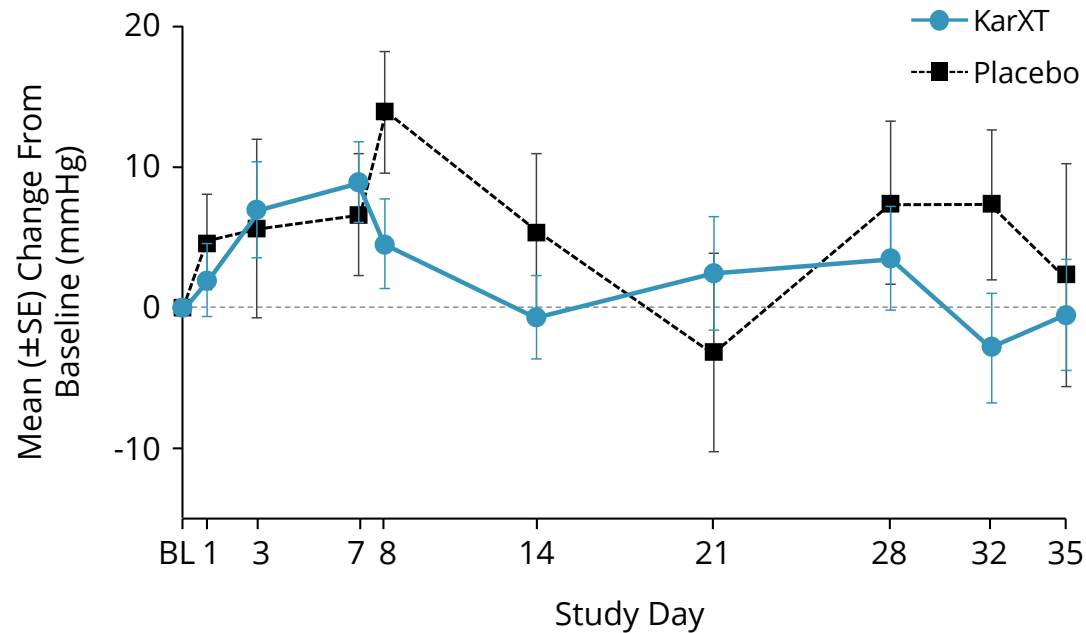


During treatment, beginning on day 1, blood pressure was measured 2 (\pm 1) hours after morning dose of trial treatment. C_{max} : maximum concentration; SD, standard deviation.

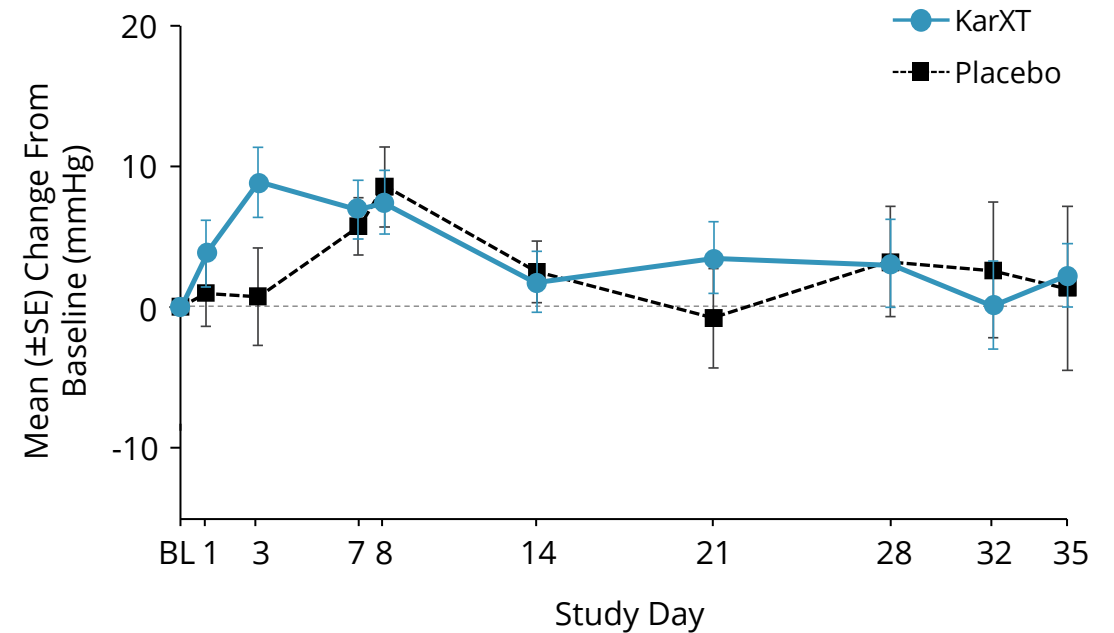
Change in Supine (A) Systolic and (B) Diastolic Blood Pressure in Participants With a TEAE of Hypertension

Combined Results From EMERGENT-1, EMERGENT-2, and EMERGENT-3

A



B



EMERGENT-2¹ and EMERGENT-3² Overall Summary



KarXT was associated with clinically meaningful and statistically **significant improvement in symptoms** of schizophrenia as measured by PANSS total score



In both trials, KarXT was associated with a significantly greater improvement in **PANSS positive subscale** score at week 5 compared with placebo



Improvement in **PANSS negative subscale** and **PANSS Marder negative factor** scores at week 5 with KarXT achieved statistical significance compared with placebo only in EMERGENT-2



KarXT was associated with an **early and sustained** reduction of symptoms observed at week 2 that was maintained through all time points in the trial



KarXT was **generally well tolerated**; the most common TEAEs with KarXT were **mild to moderate in severity**



The most common TEAEs mostly occurred within the first 2 weeks of treatment and were generally transient in nature



Measures of weight gain, somnolence, and EPS/motor symptoms were similar between KarXT and placebo

Long-term safety and efficacy of KarXT are currently under study in the open-label EMERGENT-4 and EMERGENT-5 trials^{3,4}

EPS, extrapyramidal symptoms; PANSS, Positive and Negative Syndrome Scale; TEAE, treatment-emergent adverse event.

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Karuna Therapeutics: KarXT Clinical Development Program

PROGRAM	PRECLINICAL	PHASE 1	PHASE 2	PHASE 3	STATUS	
Schizophrenia		EMERGENT-1 ¹			Complete	
		EMERGENT-2 ²				Complete
		EMERGENT-3 ^{3,4}				Complete
		EMERGENT-4 (open-label extension of EMERGENT-2 and EMERGENT-3) ^{4,5}				Active, not recruiting
		EMERGENT-5 (open-label trial, newly enrolled participants) ^{4,6}				Enrolling
Schizophrenia (adjunctive) Psychosis in people with inadequately controlled symptoms of schizophrenia		ARISE ⁷				Enrolling
		ARISE-2 (open-label extension) ⁸				Enrolling
Psychosis in Alzheimer's disease		ADEPT-1 ⁹				Enrolling
		ADEPT-2				Planned initiation 2023
		ADEPT-3 (open-label extension)				Planned initiation 2023

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