

## Catabasis Pharmaceuticals Q3 2018

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## **Recent Accomplishments**

## Advancing late-stage development of edasalonexent

- Phase 3 PolarisDMD trial underway
- After 72 weeks of treatment, preserved muscle function and sustained disease-modifying effects seen in boys treated with edasalonexent compared to control

## Gaining new insights in DMD

- MRI T2 correlates with clinical outcome

## Building on edasalonexent's potential

 Preclinical collaboration established to explore potential benefits of edasalonexent on cardiac function in Duchenne and Becker muscular dystrophies

## Edasalonexent Is a Potential Disease Modifying Oral Therapy

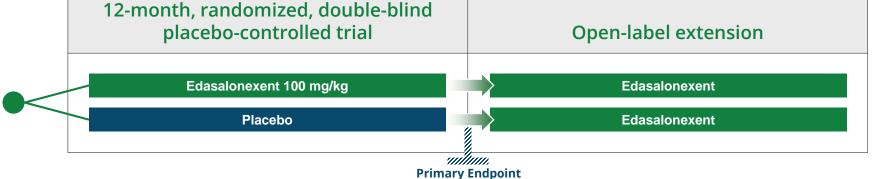
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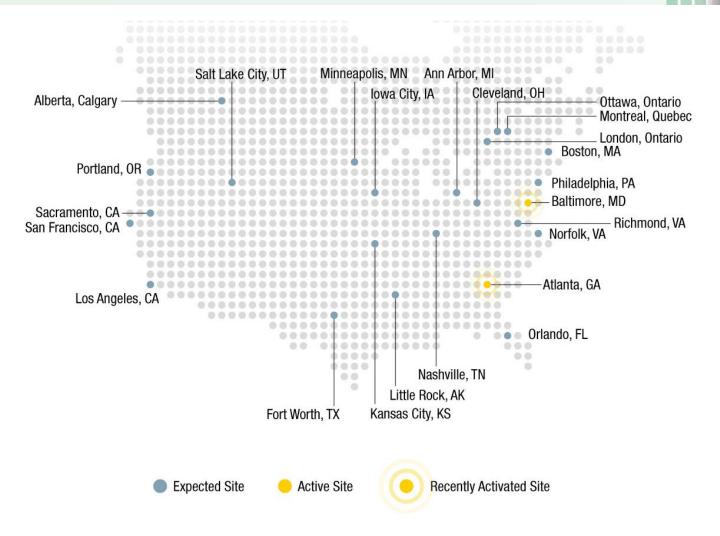
# Global Phase 3 PolarisDMD Trial Designed for Registration



## Key Phase 3 trial components previously evaluated in MoveDMD trial

- Enrollment: ~125 boys, 2:1 randomization
- ► Eligibility: all mutations, age 4 to 7 (up to 8th birthday), off steroids for ≥6 months
- Endpoints: consistent with FDA guidance
  - Primary: Change in North Star Ambulatory Assessment
  - Key secondary: Age-appropriate timed function tests
  - Additional assessments include growth, cardiac and bone measures

## Many Clinical Trial Sites in U.S. and Canada to Improve Patient Access

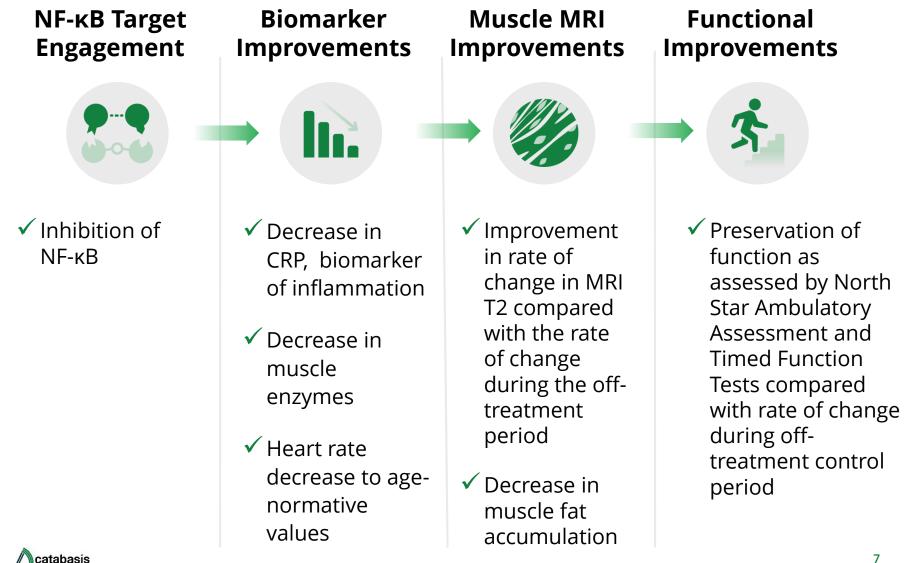


POLARIS DMD

• Sites also anticipated in Europe, Israel and Australia

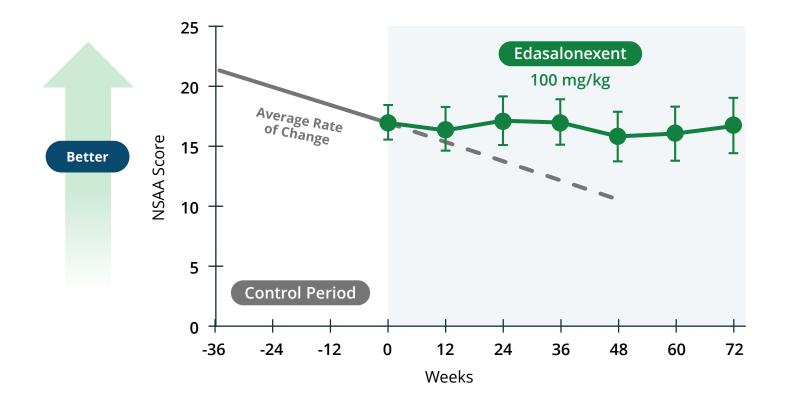


## **Promising Clinical Results Seen to Date with** Edasalonexent



## North Star Ambulatory Assessment Score Stabilized with Edasalonexent Treatment





## **All Timed Function Tests Speed Stabilized** with Edasalonexent Treatment

**Pre-Specified Analyses** 

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**\*** 10-Meter Walk/Run 5 Edasalonexent 0.18 Speed (1/Seconds) Speed (1/Seconds) 100 mg/kg Time (Seconds) Average Rate of Change 0.16 0.14 0.12 Control Period 10 12 72 24 36 48 60 -36 -24 -12 0 th **Time to Stand** 0.3 -Edasalonexent Speed (1/Seconds) 100 mg/kg Time (Seconds) 0.2 Average Rate of Change

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4-Stair Climb 0.4 Edasalonexent 100 mg/kg 0.3 Time (Seconds) Average Rate of Change 0.2 5 10 15 0.1 Ī Control Period 0 -36 -24 -12 12 24 72 0 36 48 60

Week	0	12	24	36	48	60	72
N =	16	16	14	13	13	13	12

Means ± SEM shown Catabasis Includes data of all boys initially started on 100 mg/kg dose (n=16)

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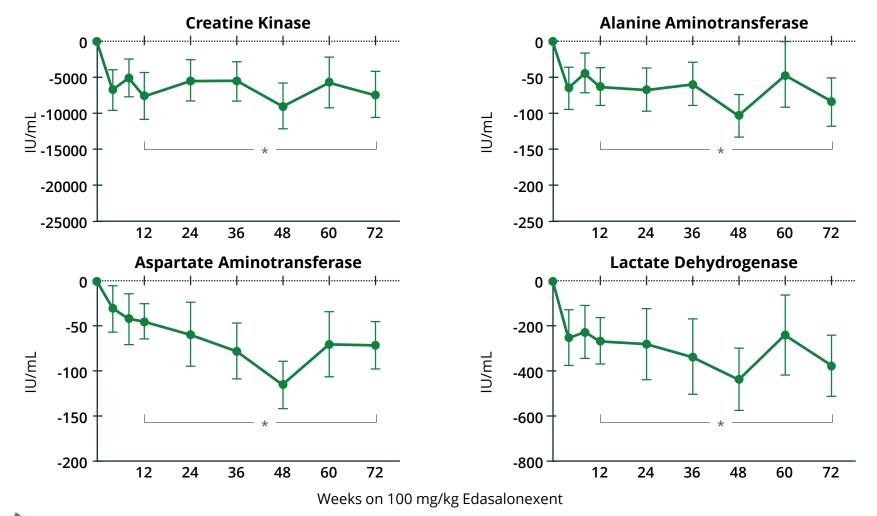
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## Muscle Enzymes Significantly Decreased on Edasalonexent Treatment

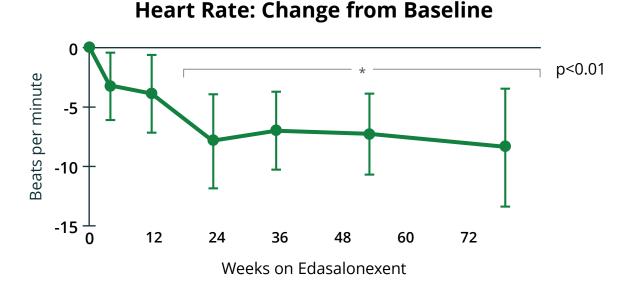
- Plasma muscle enzymes are elevated 10 to 100 fold in DMD, indicative of leakage from damaged myocytes
- Decrease is consistent with positive impact on muscle health and supportive of an edasalonexent benefit



## Edasalonexent Has Potential to Have Positive Effects on Cardiomyopathy in DMD



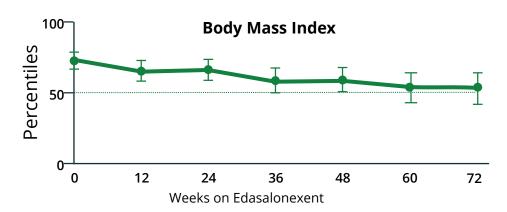
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- Cardiac failure is a leading cause of mortality in DMD
- In young boys, tachycardia is the first manifestation of cardiac disease in patients with DMD
- In MoveDMD trial, ECG heart rate significantly decreased from 99 to 93, toward age-normative values of ~92 beats per minute
- In DMD, fibrosis leads to cardiac dysfunction
  - In *mdx* mouse and GRMD dog, edasalonexent reduced cardiac fibrosis

## Edasalonexent Has Been Well Tolerated with No Safety Signals

- No safety signals to date
- Well tolerated, with majority of adverse events being mild in nature, mostly gastrointestinal
- No adverse trends in hematology, chemistry, renal or adrenal function, calcium and phosphate
- Growth: Age-appropriate increases in weight and height
  - Favorably differentiated from typical profile associated with corticosteroid standard of care, which includes weight gain and curtailed growth

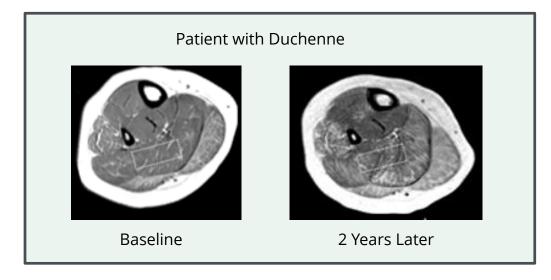


#### **Percentiles Compared to CDC Growth Charts**

## MRI Is a Non-Invasive Approach to Assess Disease Progression in Duchenne

 MRI parameters are attractive surrogate endpoints because they are objective and non-effort dependent and correlate with disease progression

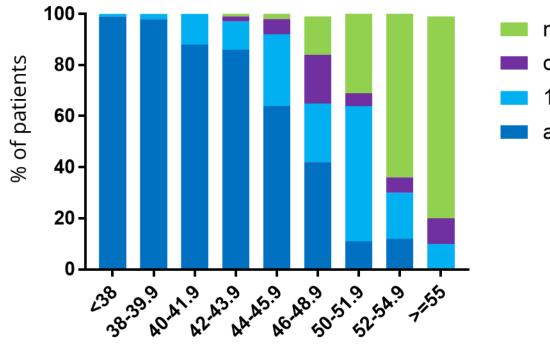




### MRI T2 and MRS fat fraction:

- Elevated in young boys with DMD and increase with age
- Changes correlate with speed of functional measures
- Changes correlate with loss of functional milestones
- Responsive to therapeutic intervention
- Predict future loss of function

## Loss of Functional Milestones Correlates with Lower Leg Composite MRI T2

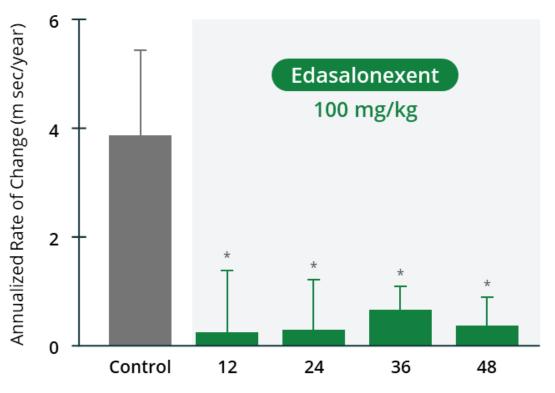


- none (non-ambulatory)
- only 10-meter walk / run
- 10-meter walk / run and 4-stair
- all TFT's, including stand from supine

MRI T2 of lower leg composite (ms)

• A 2 millisecond increase in MRI T2 was associated with an appreciable change in the ability to perform timed function tests

## Significantly Improved Rate of Change of Lower Leg Composite MRI T2 on Edasalonexent Treatment



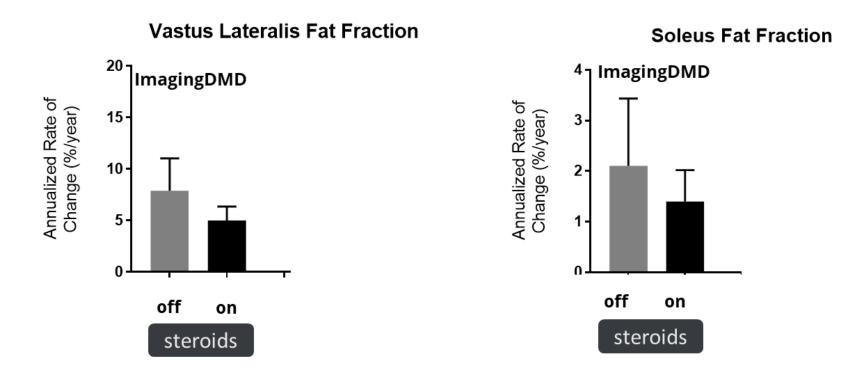
### MRI T2: Composite of 5 Lower Leg Muscles

Weeks on Edasalonexent

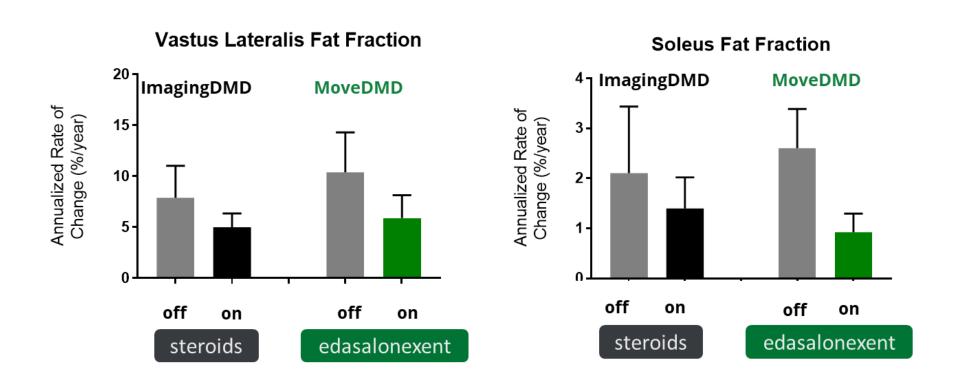
 Stabilization of MRI T2 is consistent with slowing of disease progression also observed in function assessments

## Rate of Muscle Fat Accumulation Decreased with Steroid Treatment





### With Edasalonexent Treatment, the Rate of Muscle Fat Accumulation Also Decreased



## Preclinical Collaboration to Study Potential Cardiac Benefits of Edasalonexent with UT Southwestern

## **JT SOUTHWESTERN** MEDICAL CENTER

### Collaboration overview

- Explore the potential benefits of edasalonexent on cardiac function in Duchenne and Becker muscular dystrophies
- Cardiomyopathy is the leading cause of mortality in Duchenne and Becker muscular dystrophies



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