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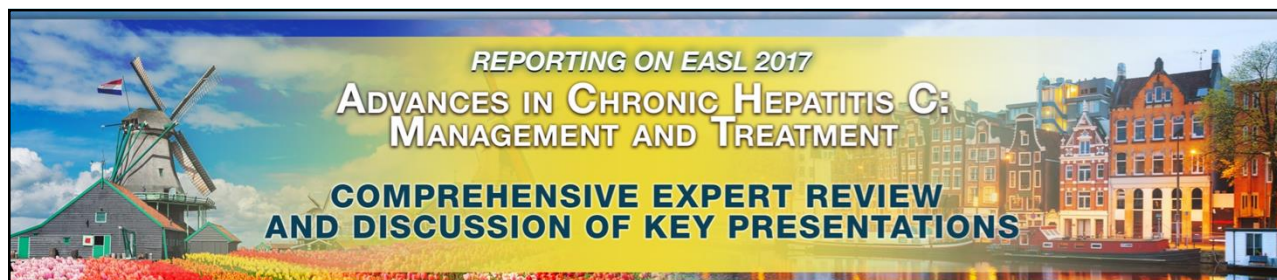
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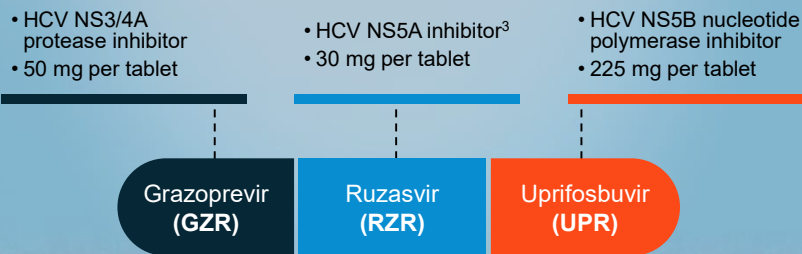
## **Safety and Efficacy of the Fixed-Dose Combination Regimen of MK-3682/Grazoprevir/Ruzasvir in Cirrhotic or Non-Cirrhotic Patients with Chronic HCV GT1 Infection who Previously Failed a Direct Acting Antiviral Regimen (C-SURGE)**

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## C-SURGE Study: Grazoprevir + Ruzasvir + Uprifosbuvir

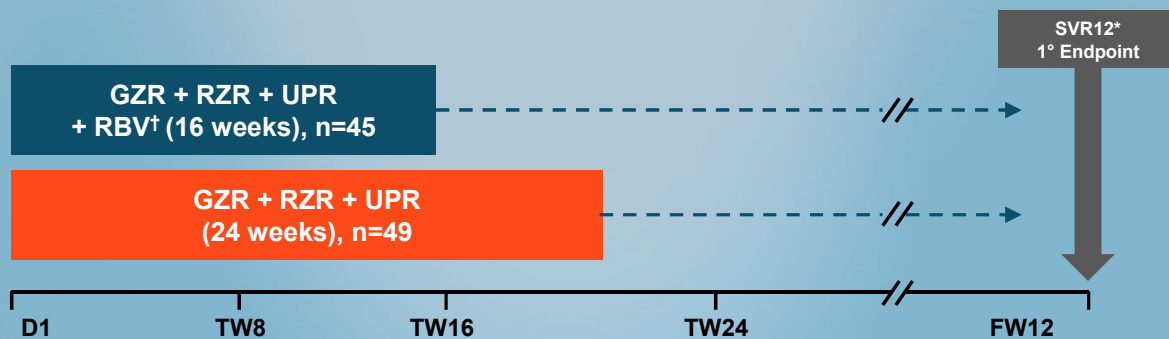
- Co-formulated as a fixed-dose combination tablet; administered as 2 tablets once-daily for a total daily dose of 100 mg grazoprevir (GZR), 60 mg ruzasvir (RZR), and 450 mg of uprifosbuvir (UPR; MK -3682)
- GZR + RZR + UPR has been shown to be effective, safe, and well tolerated for treatment-naïve and peg-interferon/ribavirin-treatment experienced HCV GT1, 2 and 3-infected persons with SVR rates >90%



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## C-SURGE Study: Study Design

- This multicenter, open-label trial randomized 94 HCV GT1-infected participants who relapsed after a regimen of LDV/SOF or EBR/GZR (randomized 1:1; stratified by GT1a/1b and cirrhosis)



GZR: 100 mg once-daily; RZR: 60 mg once-daily; UPR: 450 mg once-daily; TW+ treatment week; FW= follow-up week; LDV=ledipasvir; SOF=sofosbuvir.  
\*SVR12 = HCV RNA <15 IU/mL at 12 weeks after end of treatment (COBAS<sup>®</sup> Amplicor/COBAS<sup>™</sup> Taqman<sup>™</sup> HCV Test, v2.0<sup>™</sup>).  
†RBV dose based on body weight (<65 kg=800 mg/d; 65-95 kg=1000 mg/d; >95-115 kg=1200 mg/d; >115 kg=1400 mg/d).  
Individuals could not be compensated cirrhotic (platelet cutoff >75,000/μL; excluded Child-Pugh B & C) or non-cirrhotic individuals.

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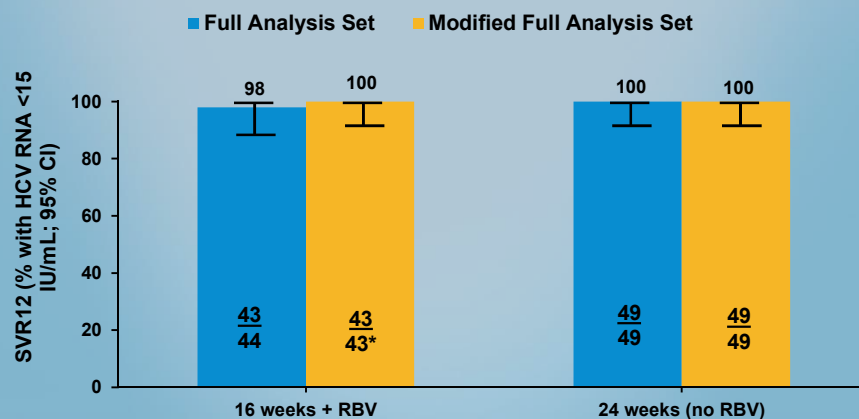
## C-SURGE Study: Demographics

Demographics	16 Weeks + RBV, n=44*	24 Weeks without RBV, n=49	Overall GT1 N=93*
Male, n (%)	37 (84)	43 (88)	80 (86)
Age, median years, (range)	61.0 (33 to 70)	60.0 (25 to 71)	60.0 (25 to 71)
Race, White, n (%)	31 (71)	37 (76)	68 (73)
HCV Genotype 1a, n (%)	40 (91)	40 (82)	80 (86)
Non-cirrhotic, n (%)	25 (57)	27 (55)	52(56)
Cirrhotic, n (%)	19 (43)	21 (43) <sup>†</sup>	40 (43)
NS5A RASs at baseline, n (%) <sup>*</sup>	32 (79)	46 (94)	78 (84)
NS3 RASs at baseline, n (%) <sup>*</sup>	25 (57)	35 (71)	60 (65)
Baseline HCV RNA >2,000,000 IU/mL, n (%)	29 (66)	33 (67)	62 (67)
Median baseline HCV RNA (log <sub>10</sub> IU/mL)	6.5	6.4	6.5
Previously failed:			
12-24 weeks of LDV/SOF	26 (59)	31 (63)	57 (61)
8 weeks of LDV/SOF	9 (20)	5 (10)	14 (15)
12 weeks of EBR/GZR	9 (20)	13 (27)	22 (24)

\* Does not include 1 participant in the 16 week + RBV arm who withdrew prior to beginning treatment.  
 † Cirrhosis = Liver biopsy at any time showing cirrhosis, Fibroscan result of >12.5kPa within 12 month of enrollment, or Fibrotest >0.75 and APRI >2 at time of enrollment.  
<sup>†</sup> One participant in 24 week arm had unknown cirrhosis status.  
<sup>\*</sup> NS5A RASs = any change from wild-type at 4 positions (28, 30, 31, or 93). NS3 RASs = any change from wild-type at 14 positions (36, 54, 55, 56, 80, 107, 122, 132, 155, 156, 168, 170, or 175). RASs detected by next generation sequencing performed with a 15% sensitivity threshold.

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## C-SURGE Study: Efficacy Results

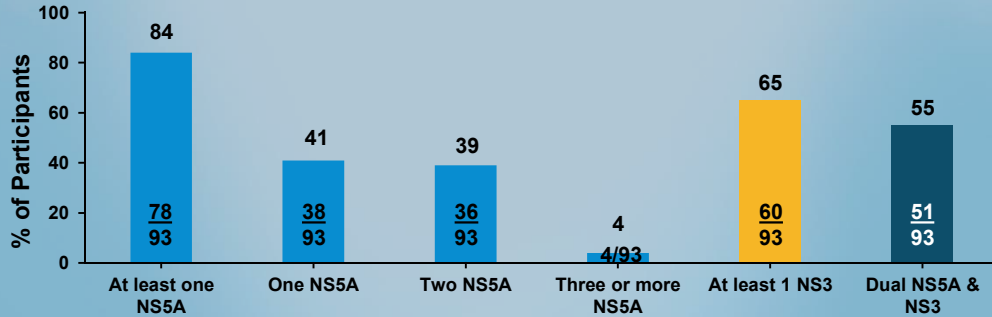


SVR12 = % of participants with HCV RNA <15 IU/mL at 12 weeks after end of treatment.  
 Full analysis set + all patients who received at least one dose of study medication;  
 \*Modified full analysis set excluded one participant from the 16-week + RBV arm who withdrew from the study after taking 3 doses of study medication.

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## C-SURGE Study: Baseline NS5A or NS3 RASs



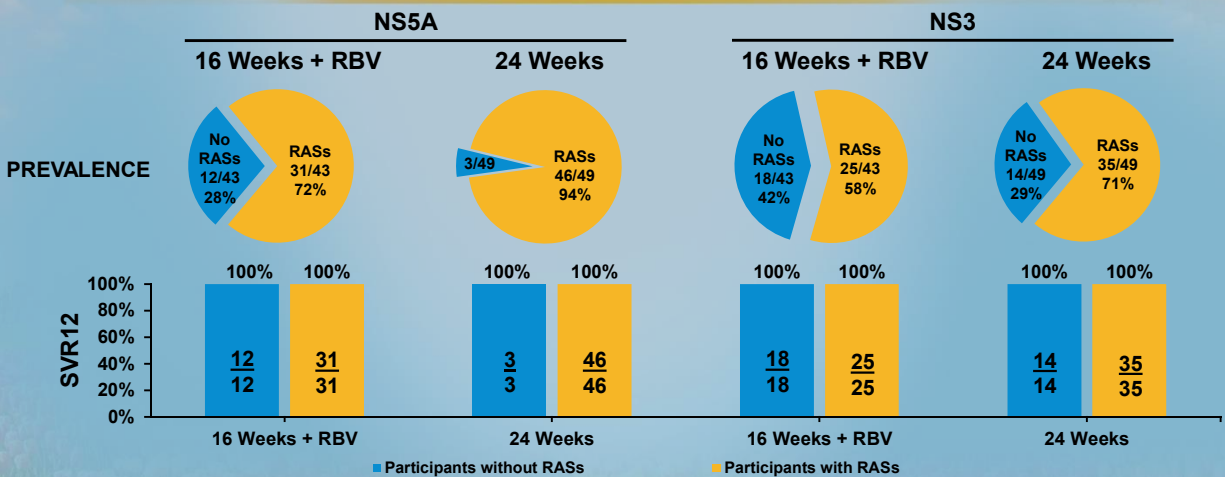
### Number of RASs Per Participant

- RASs at NS3 position Q80K detected in 33 of 93 participants (35%)
- One participant in the 16 week + RBV treatment group had an NS3 RAS at the 168 position
- No Participant had NS3 RASs at the 156 position

\*RASs detected by next-generation sequencing with 15% sensitivity. NS5A RAS: any change from wild-type at 4 positions (28, 30, 31, or 93); NS3 RASs + any change from wild-type at 14 positions (36, 54, 55, 56, 80, 107, 122, 132, 155, 156, 158, 168, 170, or 175).

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## C-SURGE Study: Baseline NS5A or NS3 RASs on SVR12



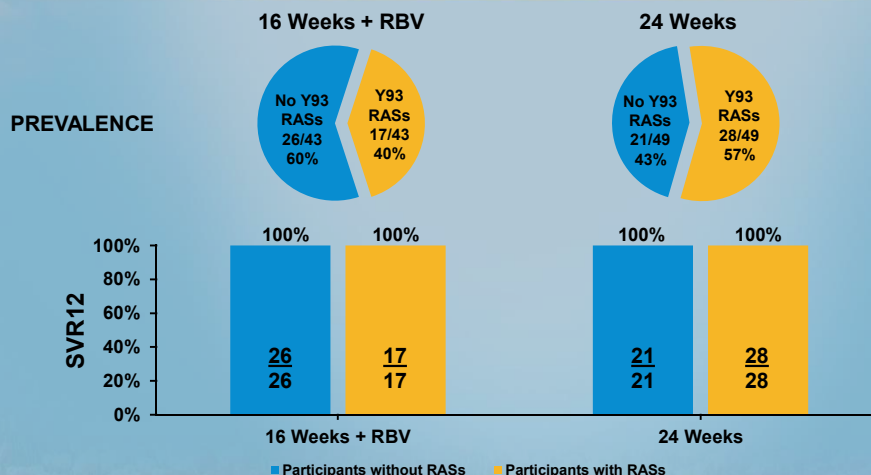
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## C-SURGE Study: Baseline Y93 RASs in NS5a on SVR12



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## C-SURGE Study: Adverse Events

Tolerability	16 Weeks + RBV, n=44	24 Weeks Without RBV, n=49	Overall GT1 N=93
One or more AEs, n (%)	40 (91)	39 (80)	79 (85)
Drug-related AE, n (%)	32 (73)	23 (47)	55 (59)
Serious AE, n (%)	1 (2)	4 (8)	5 (5)*
Drug-related serious AE, n (%)	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)
Death, n (%)	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)
Discontinuation due to AE, n (%)	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)
Hemoglobin <10 g/dL, n (%)	4 (9)	0 (0)	4 (4)
Direct bilirubin >5x baseline, n (%)	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)
Late ALT/AST >5x ULN, n (%)	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)
Creatinine grade 2 (1.4-1.8x ULN), n (%)	0 (0)	1 (2)	1 (1)
Most common AEs (>10%), n (%)			
Fatigue	21 (48)	12 (24)	33 (35)
Headache	6 (14)	6 (12)	12 (13)
Diarrhea	3 (7)	5 (10)	8 (9)
Pruritus	5 (11)	0 (0)	5 (5)
Rash	6 (14)	2 (4)	8 (9)

\*SAEs all determined by the investigator to be "not drug related": hospitalization for cervical spine disc herniation; hospitalization for chest pain; hospitalization for dizziness; pancreatitis without hospitalization; hospitalization for shoulder cyst surgery.  
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## C-SURGE Study: Summary

- Grazoprevir (GZR)/ruzasvir (RZR)/uprifosbuvir (UPR) ± ribavirin (RBV) was highly effective in GT1 participants who previously failed an NS5A inhibitor-containing direct-acting antiviral regimen
  - Cirrhosis had no impact on efficacy
- 16 weeks of GZR/RZR/UPR + RBV resulted in SVR12 rate of 98% (43/44)
  - One participant withdrew from the study after receiving 3 doses of study medication
- 24 weeks of GZR/RZR/UPR alone resulted in SVR12 rate of 100% (49/49)
- High efficacy was observed despite a high prevalence of baseline NS3 and NS5A RASs in this population
- Treatment was generally safe and well tolerated