

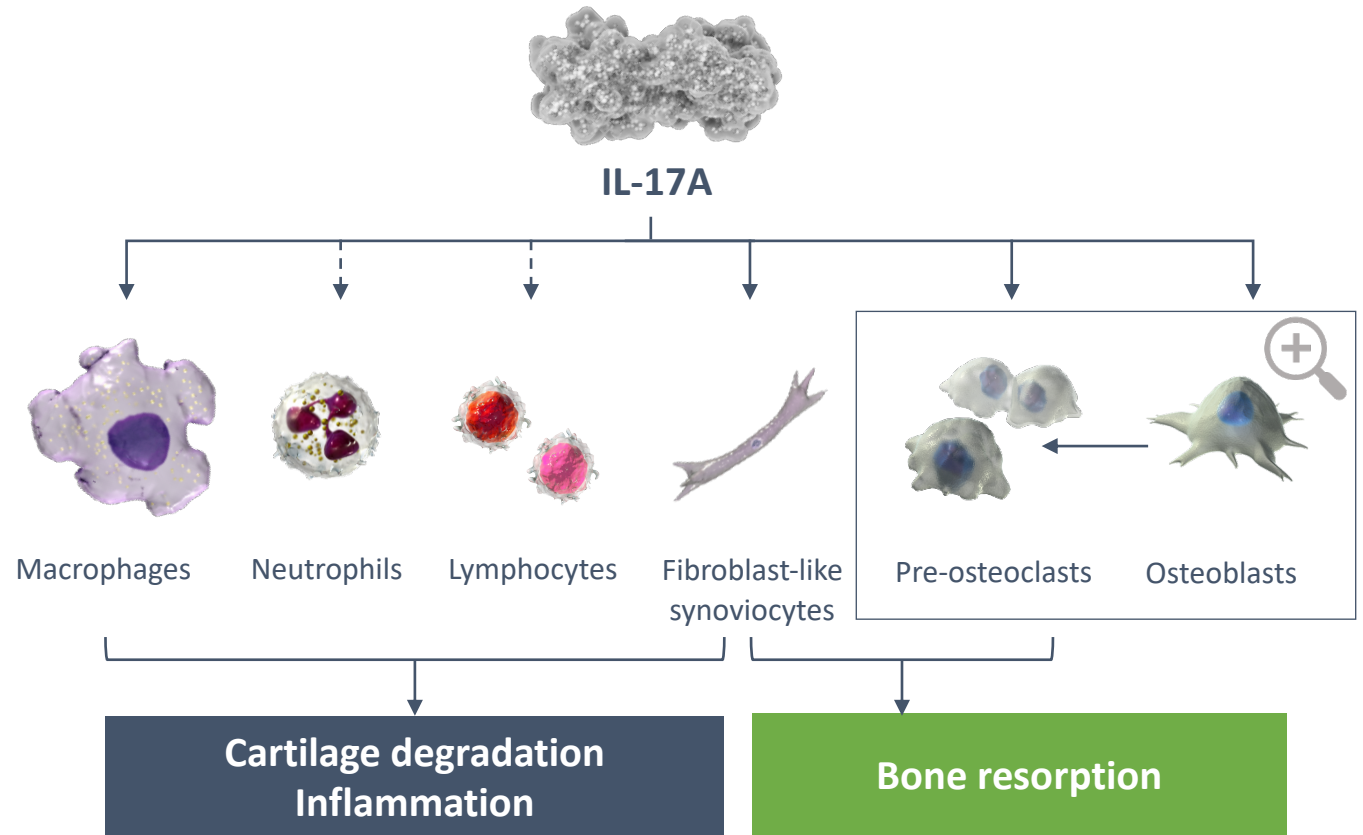
**axPsA nuovi outcome
o nuovi target?**

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IL-17A in the Pathophysiology of axSpA

IL-17A is:

- A proinflammatory cytokine that signals through a receptor comprised of IL-17RA and IL-17RC subunits¹⁻³
- Secreted by many cells of the innate and adaptive immune systems⁴⁻¹⁰
- Involved in the pathogenesis of synovitis, pannus formation, enthesitis, and bone degradation¹¹⁻¹⁶
 - May also be involved indirectly in ectopic bone formation¹⁷



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Note: Dashed lines indicates indirect action.

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IL-17A inhibition axSpA

- Ixekizumab is an IgG4 monoclonal antibody that targets IL-17A with high binding affinity¹
- Inhibition of IL-17A may effectively prevent joint and enthesal inflammation, cartilage and bone degradation, and possibly, ectopic bone formation⁴⁻¹⁵

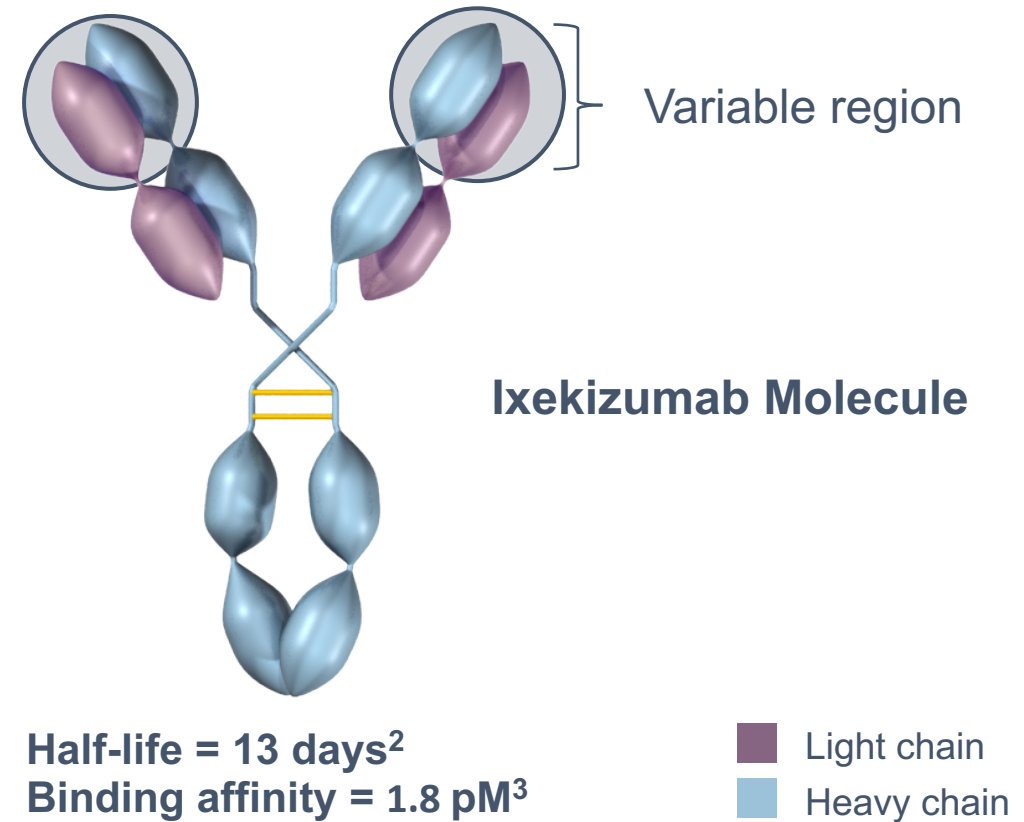


Image adapted from The Immune System. 3rd ed. Garland Science 2009.

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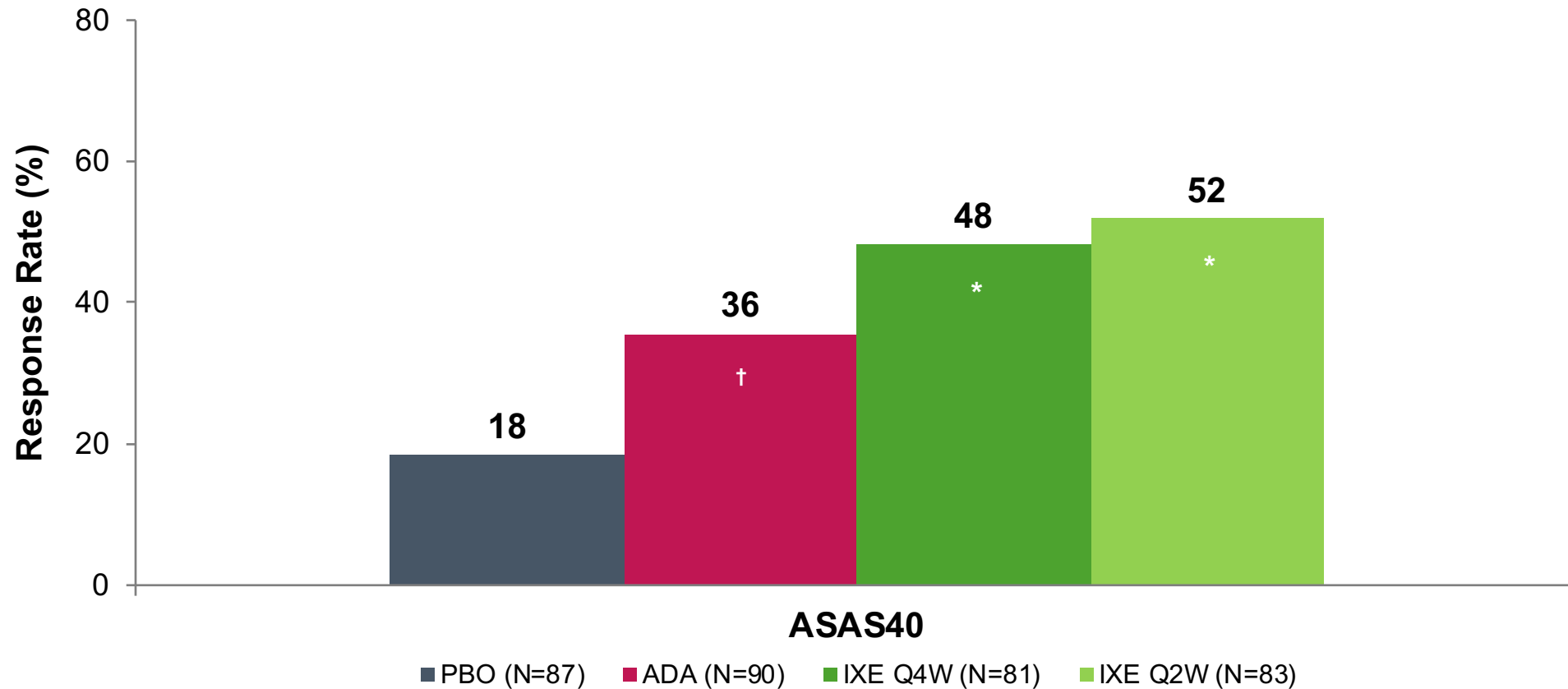
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Primary Endpoint: ASAS40 Response at Week 16, NRI

Blinded Dosing Period, ITT Population

COAST-V

(bDMARD-naïve, AS/r-axSpA)



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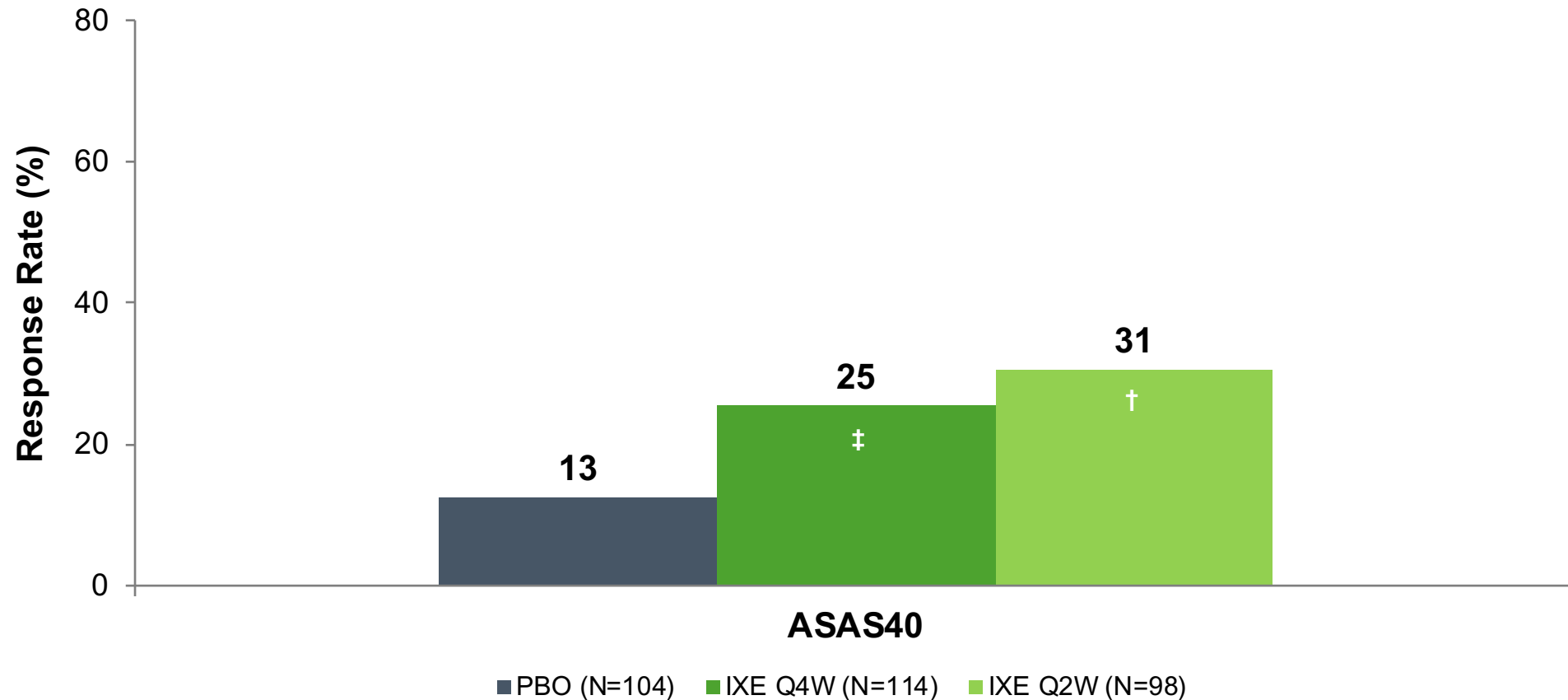
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Primary Endpoint: ASAS40 Response at Week 16, NRI

Blinded Dosing Period, ITT Population

COAST-W

(TNFi-Experienced, AS/r-axSpA)

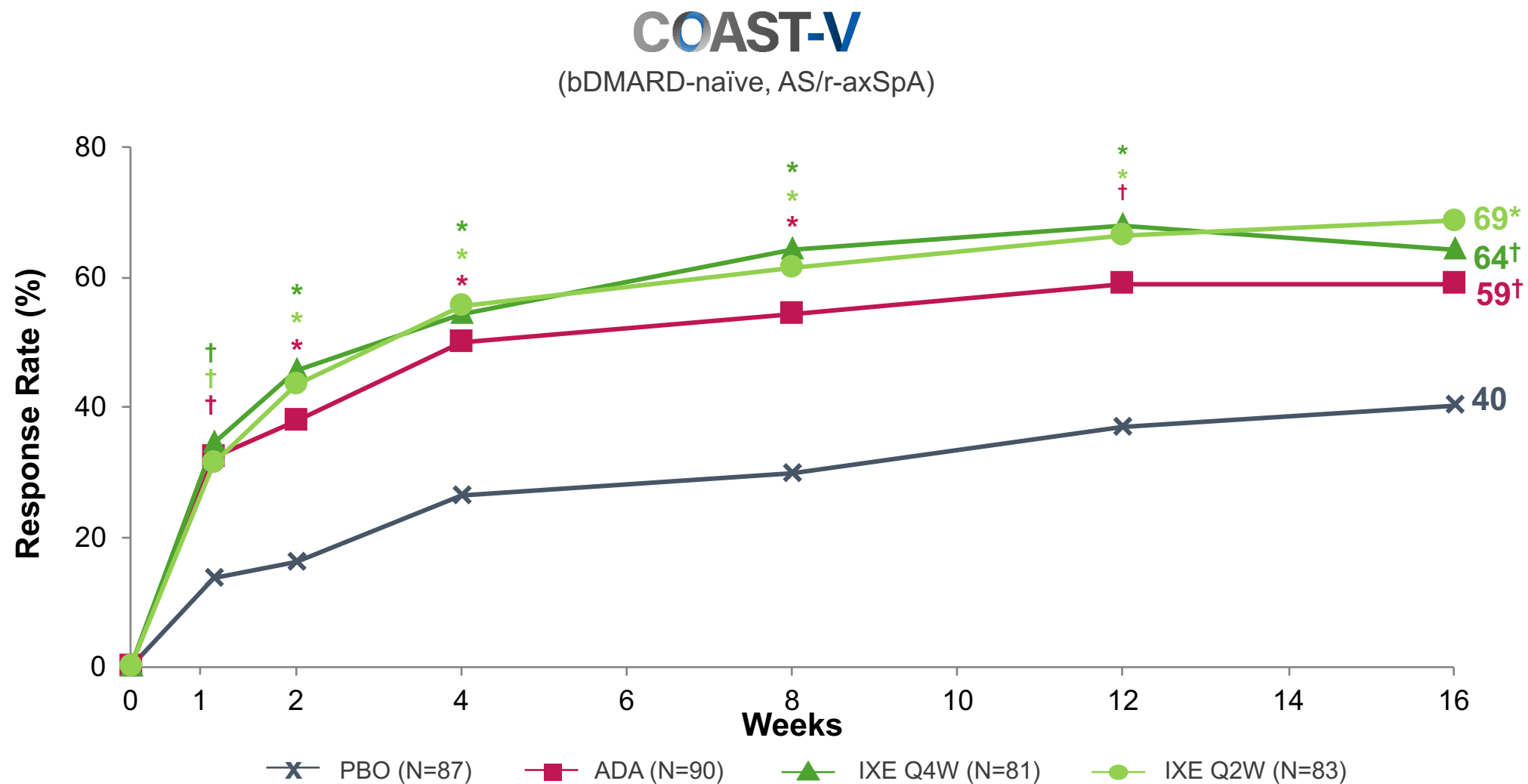


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ASAS20 Response Rates Through Week 16, NRI

Blinded Dosing Period, ITT Population

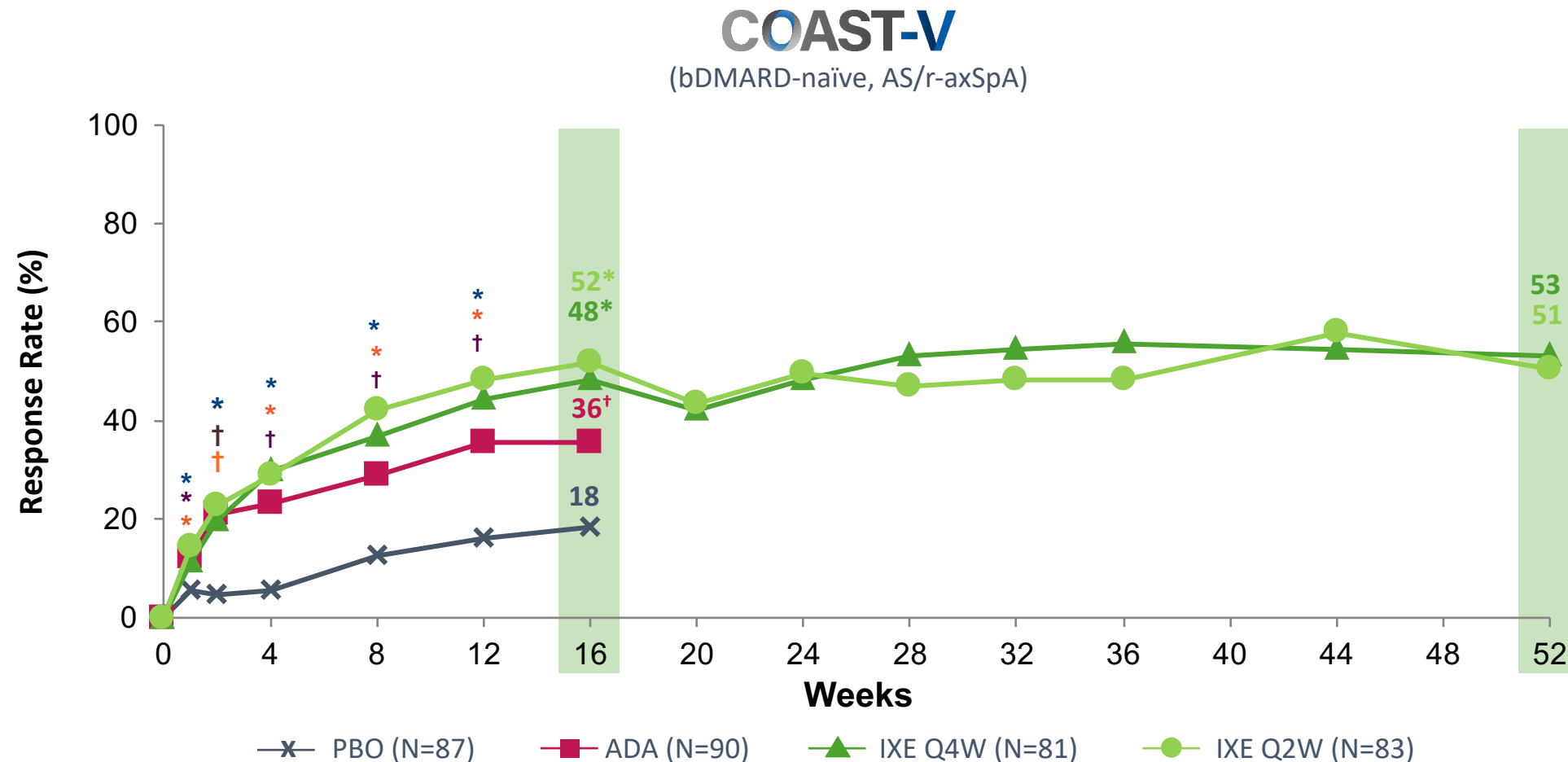


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ASAS40 Response Rates Through Week 52, NRI¹⁻³

Double-Blind PBO-Controlled and Dose Double-Blind Extended Treatment Periods, ITT Population



Statistically significant improvements in ASAS40 response rate vs. PBO were seen as early as Week 2 in COAST-V. Responses were maintained through Week 52.

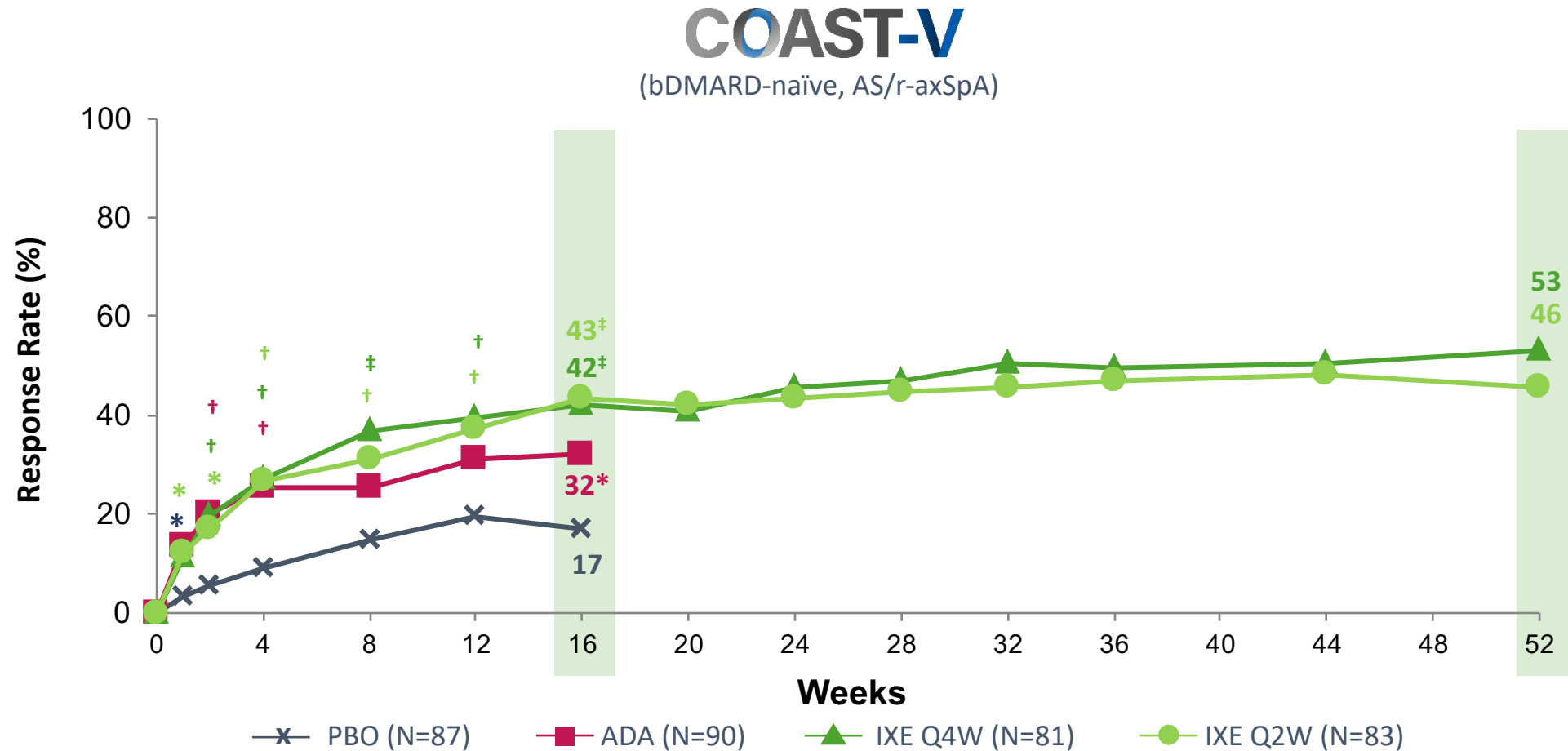
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BASDAI50 Response Rate Through Week 52, NRI¹

Double-Blind PBO-Controlled and Dose Double-Blind Extended Treatment Periods, ITT Population



The proportion of IXE-treated patients achieving BASDAI50 response rate at Week 16 was significantly higher than PBO. Responses were maintained through Week 52

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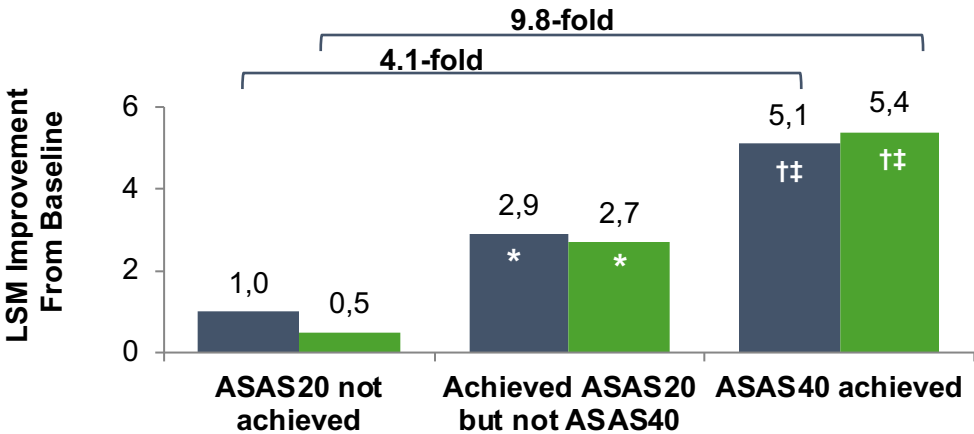
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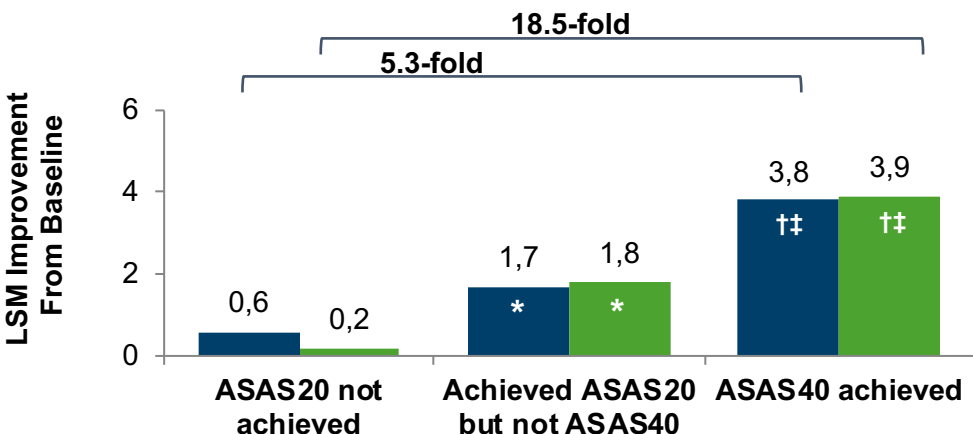
ASAS40 Response is Associated With Significantly Better Patient Reported Outcomes Thus Representing a Higher Clinical Standard

Data from COAST -V and COAST-W

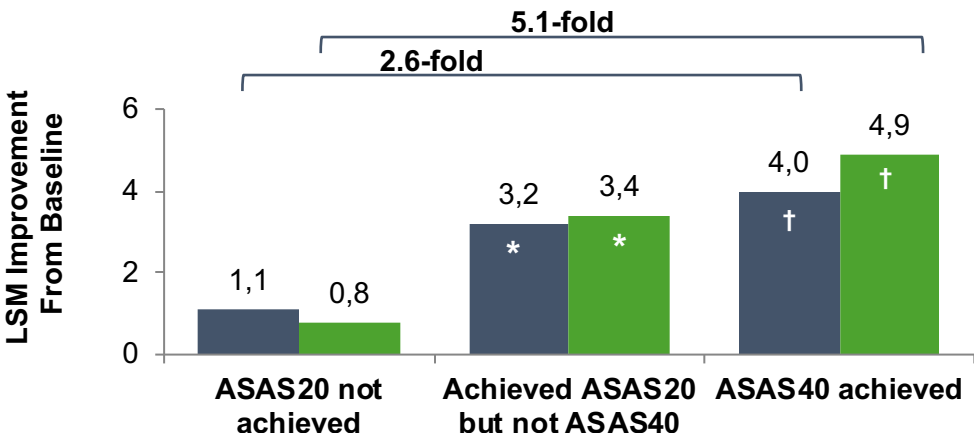
Spinal Pain at Night at Week 16, mBOCF



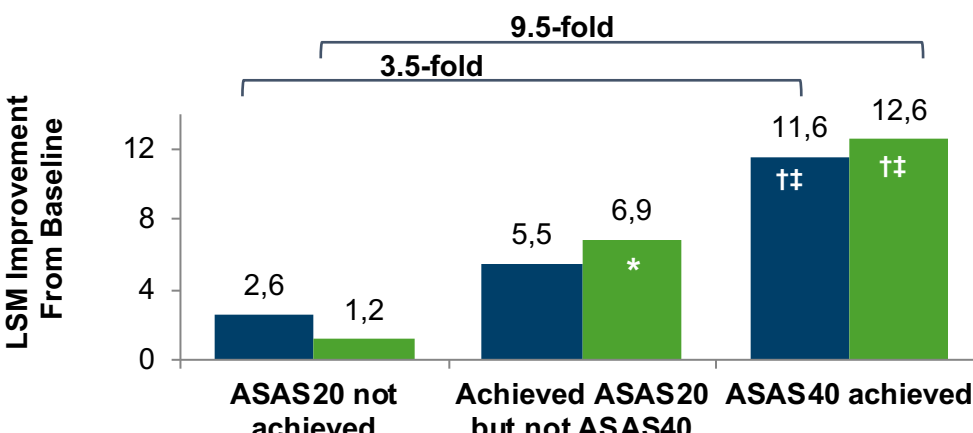
Fatigue NRS at Week 16, mBOCF



Sleep Quality (JESQ) at Week 16, mBOCF



SF-36 PCS at Week 16, mBOCF



■ bDMARD-naïve (COAST-V) (N=341) ■ TNFi-experienced (COAST-W) (N=316)

*p<.001 achieved ASAS20 but not ASAS40 vs. ASAS20 not achieved; †p<.0001, ASAS40 achieved vs. ASAS20 not achieved; ‡p<.0001 ASAS40 achieved vs. achieved ASAS20 but not ASAS40.
Mease P, et al. *Rheumatol Ther.* 2019;6:435-450.

Improvements in Symptoms Translates Into Significant Improvements in PROs^{1,2}

COAST-V (bDMARD-naïve, AS/r-axSpA) and COAST-W (TNFi-experienced, AS/r-axSpA)

COAST-V
IXE 80 mg Q4W -2.5
vs. PBO -1.5; $p<.01$

COAST-W
IXE 80 mg Q4W -2.0
vs. PBO -0.7; $p<.001$

COAST-V
IXE 80 mg Q4W -3.6
vs. PBO -1.6; $p<.001$

COAST-W
IXE 80 mg Q4W -2.6
vs. PBO -1.0; $p<.001$


Fatigue, NRS


Spinal pain


Spinal pain at night


SF-36 PCS

PROs

COAST-V
IXE 80 mg Q4W -3.2
vs. PBO -1.7; $p<.001$

COAST-W
IXE 80 mg Q4W -2.4
vs. PBO -1.0; $p<.001$

COAST-V
IXE 80 mg Q4W +7.7
vs. PBO +3.6; $p<.01$

COAST-W
IXE 80 mg Q4W +6.6
vs. PBO +1.4; $p<.001$

COAST-V

Summary of Major Efficacy Findings

Significant Endpoints at Week 16^a

ASAS40 response (%)



ASAS20 response (%)



ASDAS, mean change from baseline



BASDAI50 response (%)



BASFI, mean change from baseline



MRI Spine, mean change from baseline



ASDAS inactive disease (%)



ASAS HI, mean change from baseline



SF36-PCS, mean change from baseline



^aPrimary and major secondary endpoints were analyzed according to a prespecified graphical multiplicity adjustment approach. ^bPrimary and major secondary endpoints were also significant for Q2W.
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COAST-W

Summary of Major Efficacy Findings

Significant Endpoints at Week 16^a

ASAS40 response (%)



ASAS20 response (%)



ASDAS, mean change from baseline



BASDAI, mean change from baseline



BASFI, mean change from baseline



MRI Spine, mean change from baseline



ASDAS low disease activity/
inactive disease (%)



ASAS HI, mean change from baseline



SF36-PCS, mean change from baseline



^aPrimary and major secondary endpoints were analyzed according to a prespecified graphical multiplicity adjustment approach. ^bPrimary and all major secondary endpoints except ASAS HI were significant for Q2W. Deodhar A, et al. *Arthritis Rheumatol*. 2019;71:599-611.

Safety profile

Summary of reported adverse events (IR per 100 P.Y.)

	Pazienti con PsO in trattamento con Ixekizumab (n=5898)			Pazienti con PsA in trattamento con Ixekizumab (n=1401)			Pazienti con axSpA in trattamento con Ixekizumab (n=929)		
Anni-paziente totali	17331,1			2228,6			1336,2		
Giorni di esposizione (minimo-massimo)	1-2236			8-1219			15-990		
Esposizione media (giorni/paziente)	1073,3			581,4			525,3		
Esposizione mediana (giorni/paziente)	1177,0			504,5			533,0		
	n (%)	IR	95% CI	n (%)	IR	95% CI	n (%)	IR	95% CI
Morte	35 (0,6)	0,2	0,1 - 0,3	6 (0,4)	0,3	0,1 - 0,6	2 (0,2)	0,1	0,0 - 0,6
Eventi avversi che hanno portato a interruzione (incluso il decesso)	488 (8,3)	2,8	2,6 - 3,1	114 (8,1)	5,1	4,3 - 6,1	52 (5,6)	3,9	3,0 - 5,1
Eventi avversi severi ^a	933 (15,8)	5,4	5,0 - 5,7	133 (9,5)	6,0	5,0 - 7,1	74 (8,0)	5,5	4,4 - 7,0
Pazienti con ≥1 TEAE ^b	5108 (86,6)	29,5	28,7 - 30,3	1128 (80,5)	50,6	47,7 - 53,7	747 (80,4)	55,9	52,0 - 60,1
Lievi	1342 (22,8)	7,7	7,3 - 8,2	461 (32,9)	20,7	18,9 - 22,7	306 (32,9)	22,9	20,5 - 25,6
Moderati	2778 (47,1)	16,0	15,4 - 16,6	553 (39,5)	24,8	22,8 - 27,0	358 (38,5)	26,8	24,2 - 29,7
Severi	987 (16,7)	5,7	5,4 - 6,1	114 (8,1)	5,1	4,3 - 6,1	83 (8,9)	6,2	5,0 - 7,7
TEAE più comuni ^c									
Nasofaringite	1518 (25,7)	8,8	8,3 - 9,2	202 (14,4)	9,1	7,9 - 10,4	147 (15,8)	11,0	9,4 - 12,9
Infezioni del tratto respiratorio superiore	923 (15,6)	5,3	5,0 - 5,7	185 (13,2)	8,3	7,2 - 9,6	98 (10,5)	7,3	6,0 - 8,9
Reazioni nel sito di iniezione	573 (9,7)	3,3	3,0 - 3,6	156 (11,1)	7,0	6,0 - 8,2	91 (9,8)	6,8	5,5 - 8,4
Mal di testa	509 (8,6)	2,9	2,7 - 3,2	56 (4,0)	2,5	1,9 - 3,3	31 (3,3)	2,3	1,6 - 3,3

^aLa raccolta dei dati per il database degli studi clinici non contiene specifiche sul momento in cui gli eventi diventano gravi, i numeri possono rappresentare un numero maggiore di eventi considerati gravi rispetto al numero di eventi effettivamente gravi durante il periodo di trattamento, ^bI pazienti con più occorrenze dello stesso evento vengono conteggiati sotto la gravità più elevata, IR: tasso di incidenza; N: numero di pazienti nella popolazione in analisi; n: numero di pazienti in ciascuna categoria; PsO: psoriasi; PsA: artrite psoriasica; SAE: evento avverso severo; TEAE: evento avverso emergente dal trattamento. ^cI TEAE più comuni sono definiti come IR>2,0
Genovese MC, et al. Rheumatology (Oxford). 2020; doi:10.1093/rheumatology/keaa189 (Ahead of print)

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