

Intravitreal Aflibercept Injection for Nonproliferative Diabetic Retinopathy: Results from the PANORAMA Study

David S. Boyer, MD

On behalf of the PANORAMA study investigators

Retina-Vitreous Associates Medical Group, Los Angeles, California, USA

Adjunct Clinical Professor USC/Keck School of Medicine

Disclosures

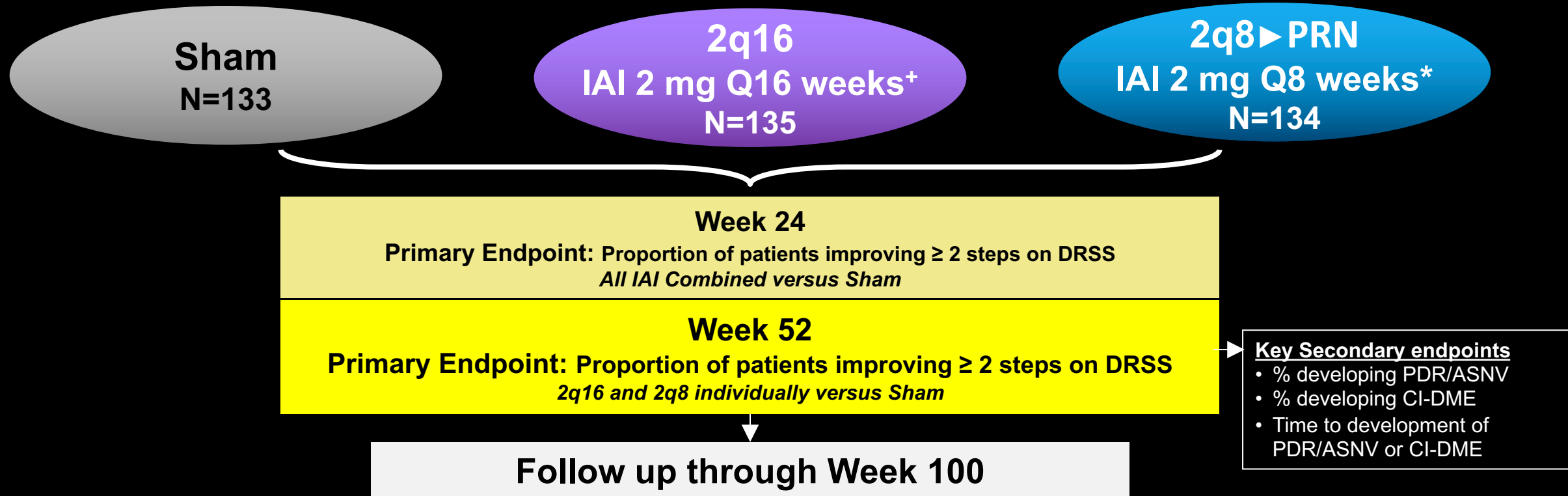
- Consultant: Acucela, Aerpio, Alcon, Allegro, Allergan, Amydis, Ascleptix, Bausch + Lomb, Bayer, BloMotiv, Boehringer Ingelheim, Clearside Biomedical, CoDa Therapeutics, DigiSight, Eyepoint, Foresight Biotherapeutics, 4DMT, Genentech, GenSight Biologics, Glaukos, GlaxoSmithKline, Graybug Vision, Ionis Pharmaceuticals, Isarna Therapeutics, Kala, Notal Vision, Neurotech, Novartis, Ocular Therapeutix, Ohr, Optos, OptoVue, Ora, Ocular therapeutics, Ophthea, Oxurion, Polyactiva, pSivida Corp, Regeneron, Regulus Therapeutics, River Vision, Roche, Santen, Shire, Stealth Biotherapeutics, Sun Pharmaceuticals, Taiwan Liposome Company, Thea, ThromboGenics,
- Contracted Research: Allergan, Boehringer Ingelheim, Genentech, Regeneron, Novartis, Neurotech, Ophthea, Pfizer, Santen, Ionis, Graybug, Adverum
- Study disclosures: This study includes research conducted on human patients. Institutional Review Board approval was obtained prior to study initiation
- This study was funded by Regeneron Pharmaceuticals, Inc. (Tarrytown, New York). The sponsor participated in the design and conduct of the study, analysis of the data, and preparation of this presentation
- Medical writing support was provided by Prime, Knutsford, UK, according to Good Publication Practice guidelines and was funded by Regeneron Pharmaceuticals, Inc.

Summary

- Aflibercept administered to high risk NPDR as infrequently as q 16 weeks caused a significant improvement in the DRSS score
- Vision threatening complications (PDR/ASNV) and CI-DME occurred in a substantially greater proportion of sham patients
- DR is a progressive disease and despite aflibercept therapy, some eyes still developed PDR or CI-DME

PANORAMA Study Design

Phase 3, Double-masked, Randomized, Study of Efficacy & Safety of IAI in Patients with moderately severe to severe NPDR (DRSS Level 47 and 53)
N=402**



Dosing Schedule

Week:	BL	4	8	12	16	20	24	28	32	36	40	44	48	52	56	60	64	68	72	76	80	84	88	92	96	100
Sham	O	O	O	O	O		O		O		O		O		O		O		O		O		O		O	-
2q16	X	X	X	O	X		O		X		O		X		O		X		O		X		O		X	-
2q8 ▶ PRN	X	X	X	X	X		X		X		X		X		+		+		+		+		+		+	-




+ = Aflibercept PRN:
 Injection given unless DRSS is
 Level 35 or better (mild NPDR)
 as determined by the investigator

Patients progressing to PDR/ASNV or CI-DME were eligible for rescue treatment (IAI or laser) at the discretion of the investigator. Data for patients receiving rescue treatment was censored from the time of rescue.

Baseline Demographics

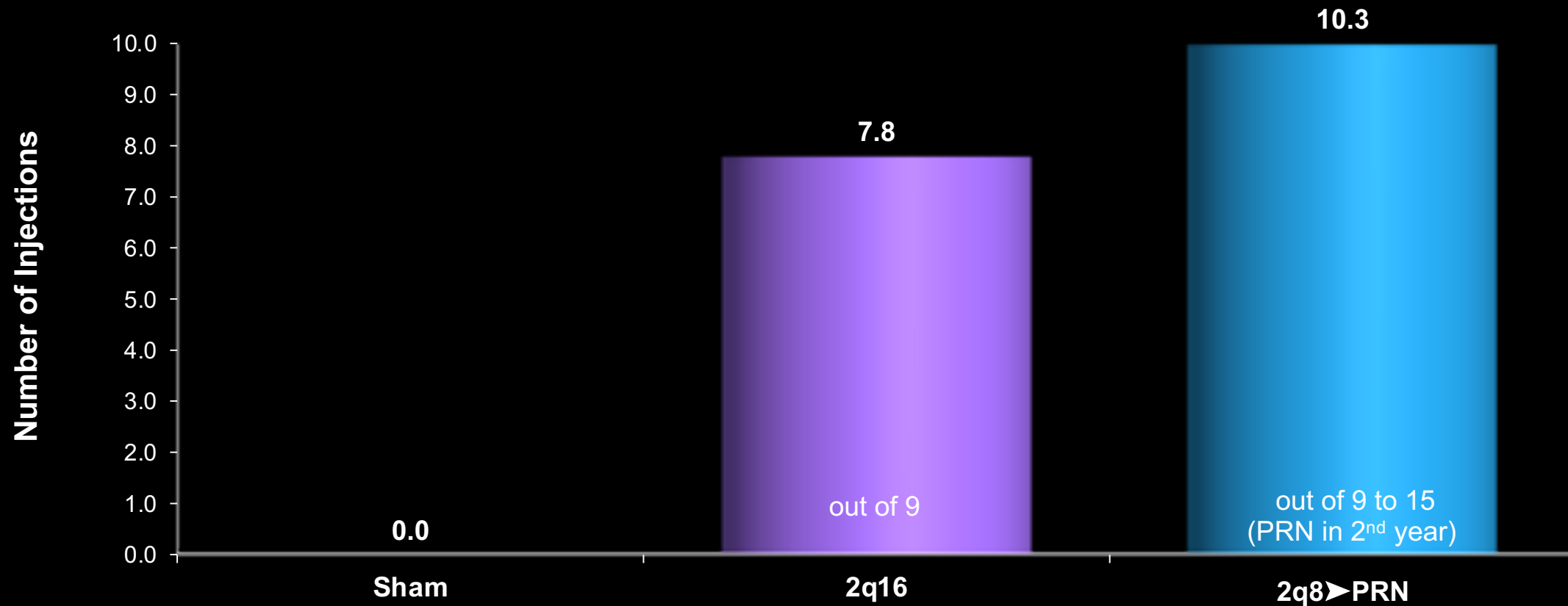
	● Sham	● 2q16	● 2q8>PRN	Total
N (FAS/SAF)	133	135	134	402
Age (years (SD))	55.8 (10.31)	55.4 (11.13)	55.8 (10.19)	55.7 (10.53)
Women # (%)	64 (48.1%)	60 (44.4%)	53 (39.6%)	177 (44.0%)
Race # (%)				
White	107 (80.5%)	99 (73.3%)	104 (77.6%)	310 (77.1%)
Black or African American	13 (9.8%)	16 (11.9%)	12 (9.0%)	41 (10.2%)
Asian	4 (3.0%)	12 (8.9%)	7 (5.2%)	23 (5.7%)
Other	9 (6.8%)	8 (5.9%)	11 (8.2%)	28 (7.0%)
Hemoglobin A1C (%)	8.5 (1.54)	8.6 (1.69)	8.4 (1.64)	8.5 (1.62)
Duration of Diabetes (years (SD))	15.5 (9.34)	13.7 (8.61)	14.0 (9.67)	14.4 (9.23)
Diabetes Type 2	123 (92.5%)	121 (89.6%)	124 (92.5%)	368 (91.5%)

Baseline Disease Characteristics and Disposition

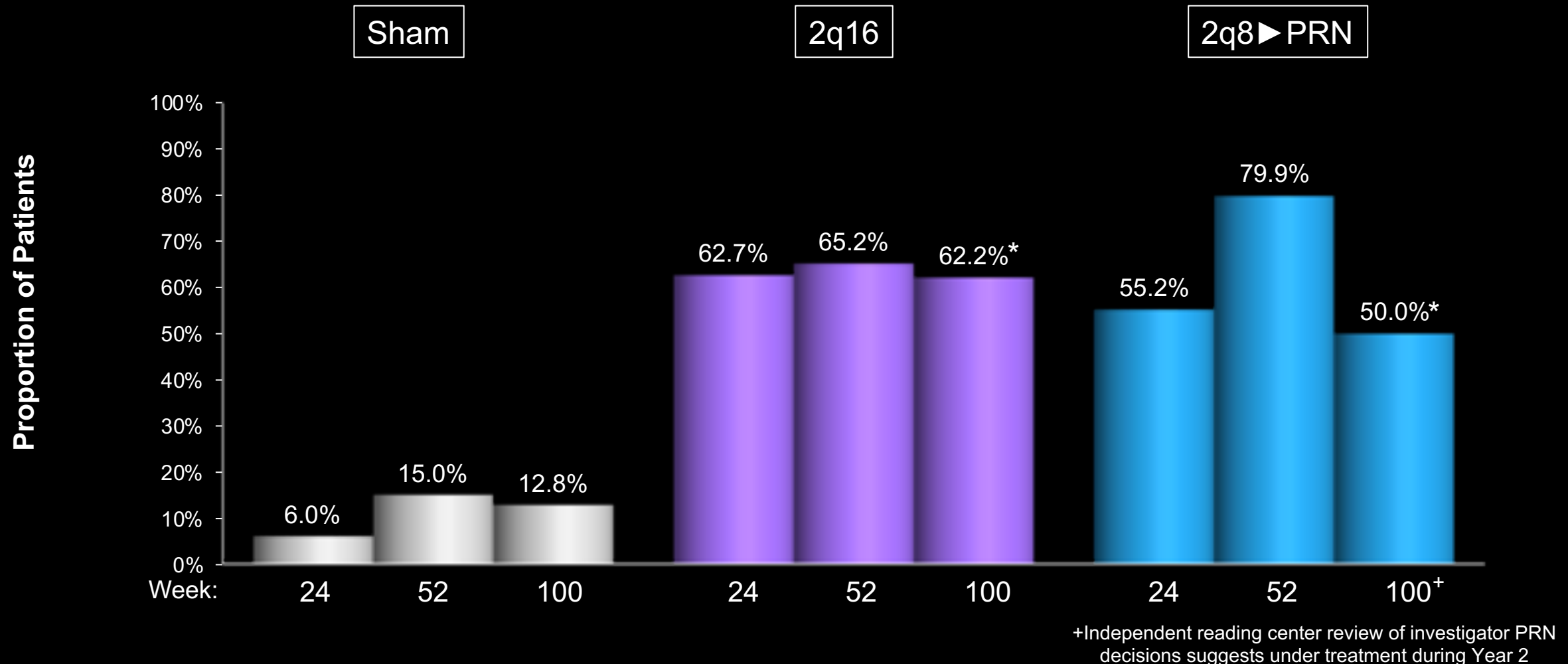
	 Sham	 2q16	 2q8>PRN	Total
N (FAS/SAF)	133	135	134	402
ETDRS BCVA (letters) Mean (SD) Snellen Equivalent	82.7 (6.03) 20/25	82.2 (6.63) 20/25	82.3 (5.15) 20/25	82.4 (5.96) 20/25
CRT(microns) Mean (SD)	249.4 (38.41)	246.0 (34.34)	246.8 (31.59)	247.4 (34.82)
Diabetic Retinopathy Severity Score (DRSS)				
Level 47	99 (74.4%)	102 (75.6%)	101 (75.4%)	302 (75.1%)
Level 53	34 (25.6%)	33 (24.4%)	33 (24.6%)	100 (24.9%)
# of Patients Completing Week 100	97 (72.9%)	111 (82.2%)	112 (83.6%)	320 (79.6%)
# of Patients Completing Week 52	109 (82.0%)	122 (90.4%)	124 (92.5%)	355 (88.3%)

Treatment Experience through Week 100

Active Injections



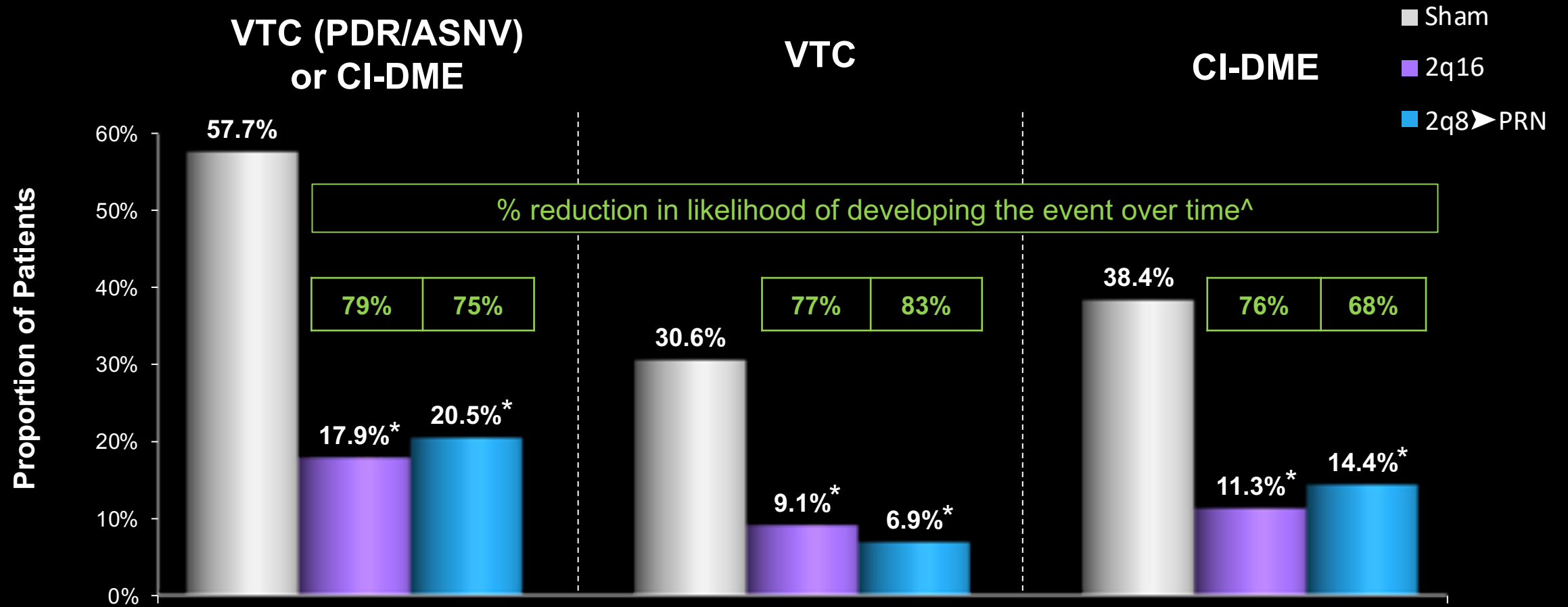
Proportion of Patients with ≥ 2 -step Improvement from Baseline in DRSS



***Nominal $p < 0.0001$
vs. sham**

Proportion of Patients Developing a VTC or CI-DME through Week 100

Kaplan-Meier Analysis

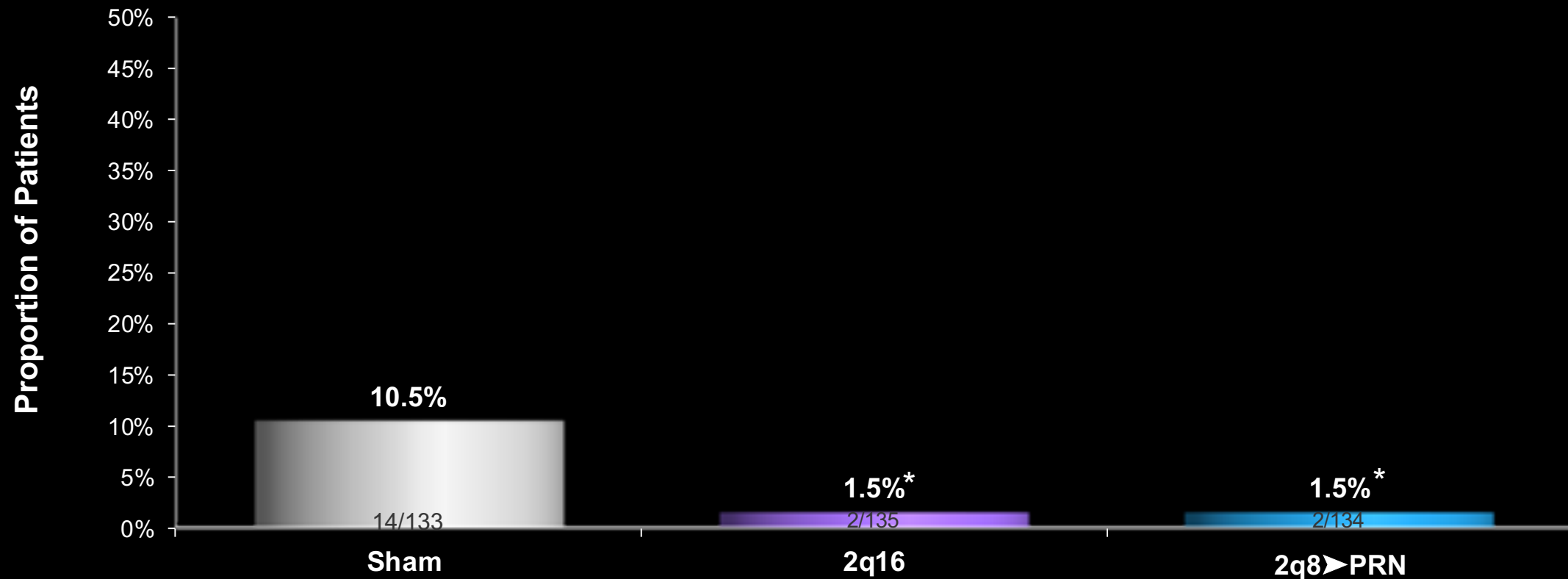


***Nominal p < 0.001 vs. sham**

VTC = Vision threatening complication defined as PDR/ASNV
 CI-DME = center-involved DME
 FAS; Sham n=133, 2q16 n=135, 2q8 n=134

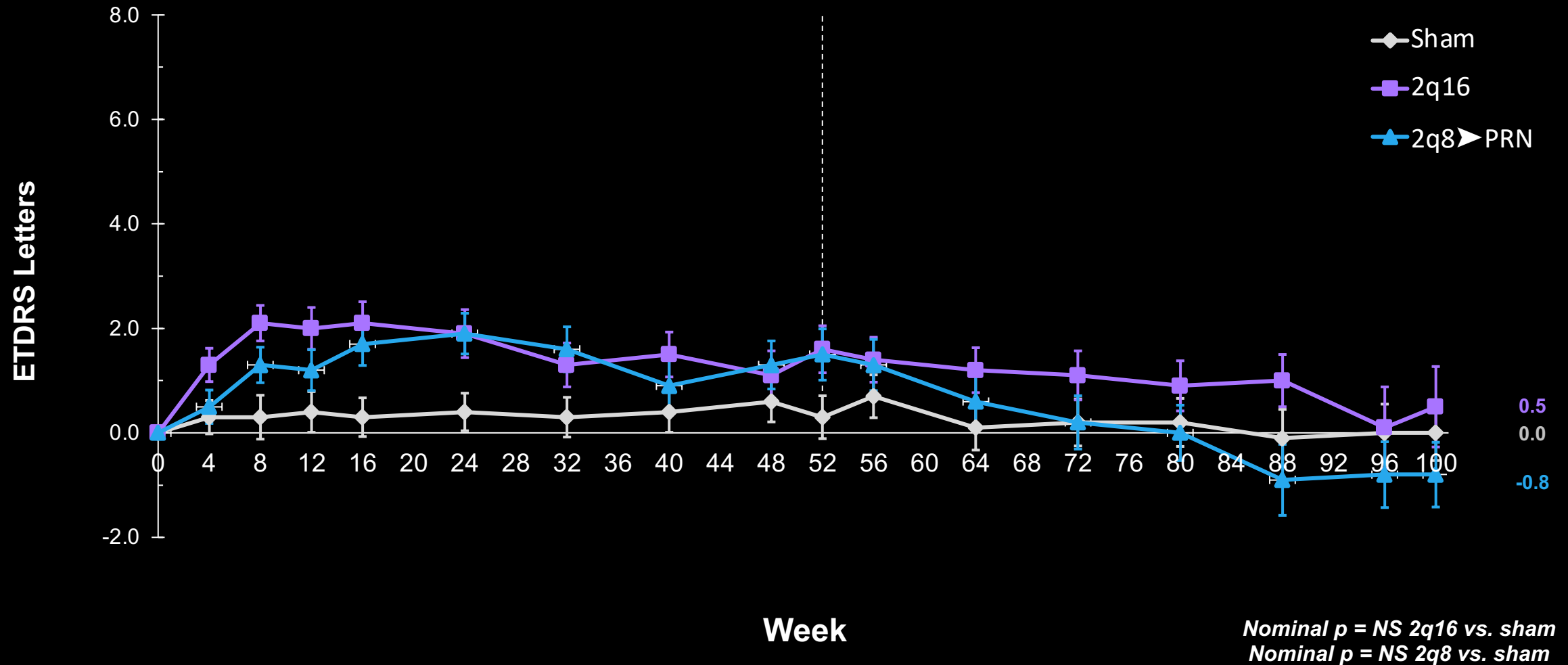
[^]Percentage reductions in risk derived from hazard ratios from Kaplan-Meier estimates.

Proportion of Patients Receiving PRP or Vitrectomy through Week 100

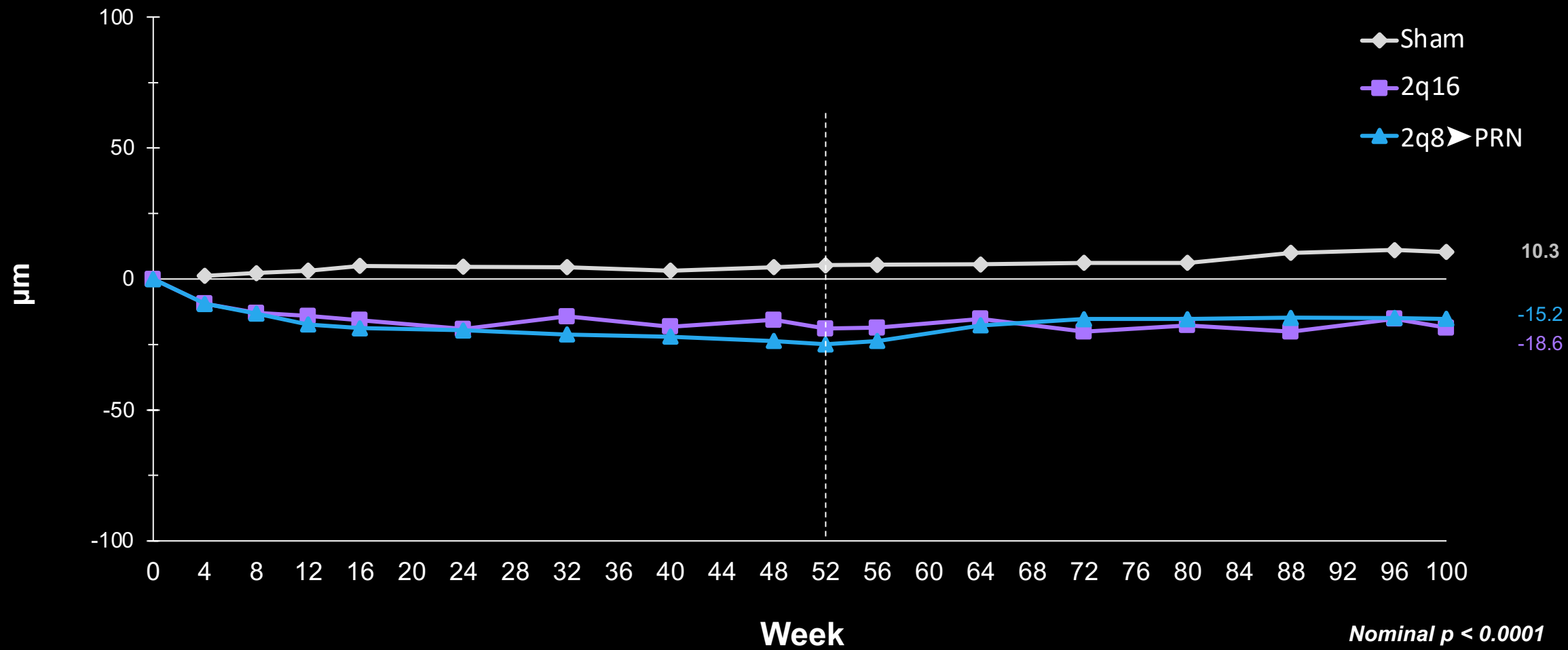


*Nominal $p < 0.002$
vs. sham

Mean Change in Best Corrected Visual Acuity



Mean Change in Central Retinal Thickness



Nominal $p < 0.0001$
2q16 and 2q8 vs. sham

Ocular TEAEs in Study Eye through Week 100

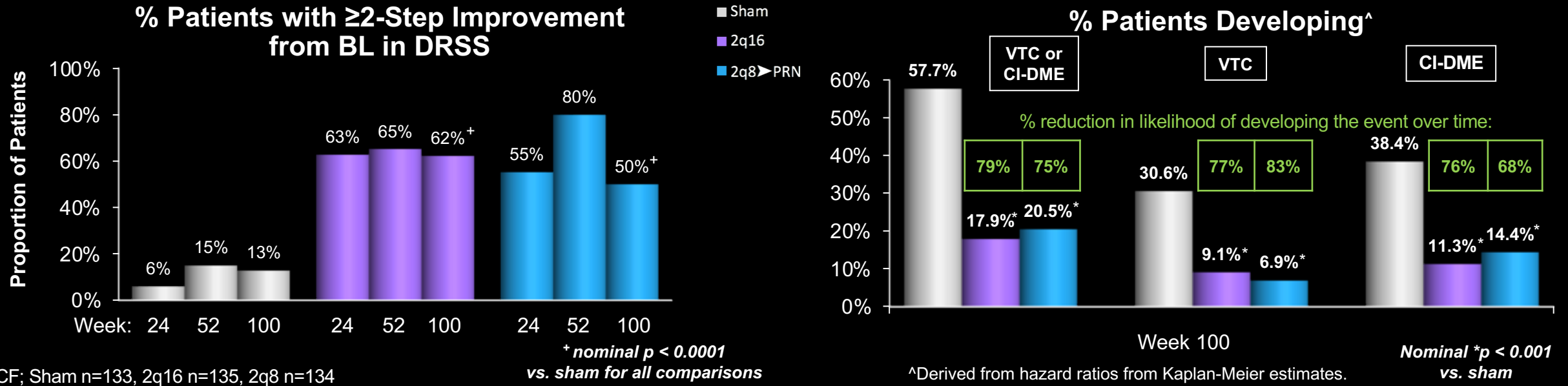
(≥3%)

	● Sham	● 2q16	● 2q8>PRN
N (FAS/SAF)	133	135	134
Number of patients ≥ 1 AE, n (%)	76 (57.1%)	77 (57.0%)	81 (60.4%)
Conjunctival hemorrhage	8 (6.0%)	18 (13.3%)	25 (18.7%)
Diabetic retinal edema	43 (32.3%)	14 (10.4%)	19 (14.2%)
Vitreous floaters	3 (2.3%)	7 (5.2%)	13 (9.7%)
Cataract	5 (3.8%)	8 (5.9%)	8 (6.0%)
Vision blurred	1 (0.8%)	1 (0.7%)	5 (3.7%)
Eye pain	6 (4.5%)	11 (8.1%)	5 (3.7%)
Retinal exudates	6 (4.5%)	5 (3.7%)	9 (6.7%)
Vitreous detachment	4 (3.0%)	7 (5.2%)	7 (5.2%)
Blepharitis	1 (0.8%)	2 (1.5%)	7 (5.2%)
Cataract subcapsular	1 (0.8%)	5 (3.7%)	4 (3.0%)
Diabetic retinopathy	22 (16.5%)	3 (2.2%)	5 (3.7%)
Dry eye	6 (4.5%)	3 (2.2%)	5 (3.7%)
Cataract nuclear	0	0	6 (4.5%)

APTC Events and Deaths through Week 100

	● Sham	● 2q16	● 2q8+PRN
N (FAS/SAF)	133	135	134
Number of patients with at least one such AE, n (%)	7 (5.3%)	8 (5.9%)	4 (3.0%)
Non Fatal Stroke	3 (2.3%)	5 (3.7%)	1 (0.7%)
Non Fatal MI	0	3 (2.2%)	2 (1.5%)
Vascular Death	4 (3.0%)	0	1 (0.7%)
All Deaths	8 (6.0%)	1 (0.7%)	3 (2.2%)

PANORAMA 100 Week Conclusions



- Proportion of patients with a ≥ 2 -step DRSS improvement remained significantly greater with aflibercept vs sham
- Vision threatening complications (PDR/ASNV) and CI-DME occurred in a substantially greater proportion of sham patients
- DR is a progressive disease and despite aflibercept therapy, some eyes still developed PDR or CI-DME