

PHARMACOKINETICS OF SUBCUTANEOUSLY ADMINISTERED CB2679D/ISU304 IN WILD-TYPE AND HEMOPHILIA B MICE

Seung-Beom Hong¹, Howard Levy², Jae Yong Jung¹, Minkyung Park¹, A Rim Seo¹, So Hyeon Seo¹, June Young Park¹ and Ed Madison²

¹ISU Abxis, Sunnam-si, Gyeonggi-do, The Republic of Korea; ²Catalyst Biosciences, South San Francisco, CA

STUDY OBJECTIVES

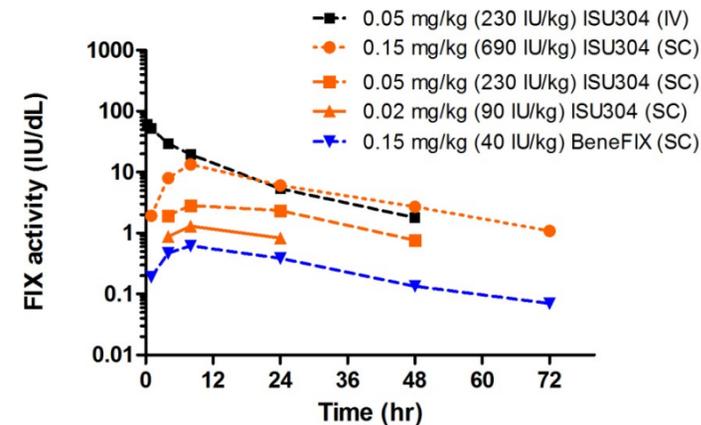
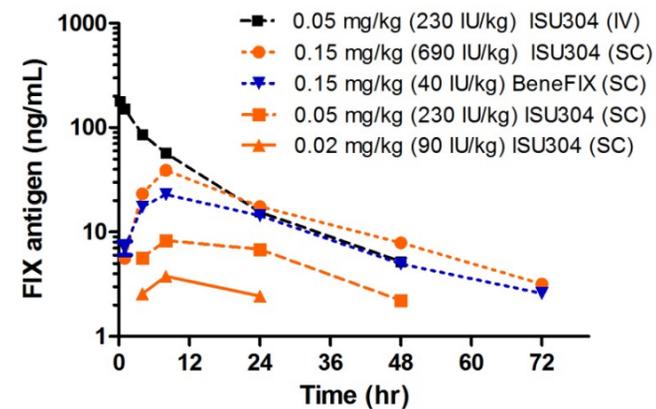
Determine the pharmacokinetic and pharmacodynamic parameters for subcutaneous administration of a highly potent factor IX (FIX) variant in normal and hemophilia B mice

Introduction

- The rapid clearance of FIX necessitates frequent intravenous (IV) administrations to achieve effective prophylaxis for patients with hemophilia B (HB)
- Subcutaneous (SC) administration would be a preferred route of administration but has been limited by low bioavailability and potency of the marketed FIX products
- CB2679d/ISU304 has enhanced biological properties including resistance to inhibition by ATIII, increased affinity for FVIIIa, and increased catalytic activity compared with wild-type FIX
- The variant has three mutations: R318Y/R338E/T343R that were introduced using rational design

BLOOD LEVELS OF FIX ANTIGEN AND PREDICTED ACTIVITY AFTER IV OR SUBCUTANEOUS FIX ADMINISTRATION IN NORMAL MICE

[CALCULATED FROM ANTIGEN/ACTIVITY RATIO IN HEMOPHILIA B MICE]



- Dose dependent increase in antigen and activity levels
- Subcutaneous activity can equate to IV-administered activity

PHARMACOKINETICS IN NORMAL MICE

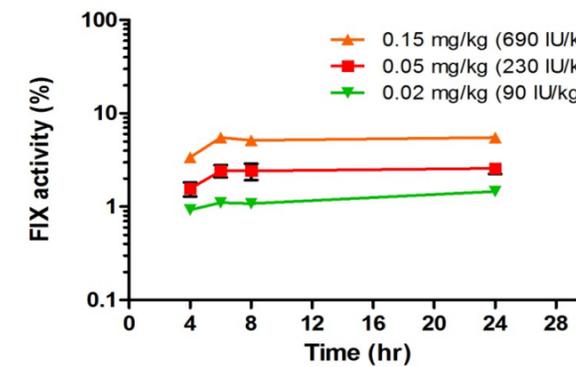
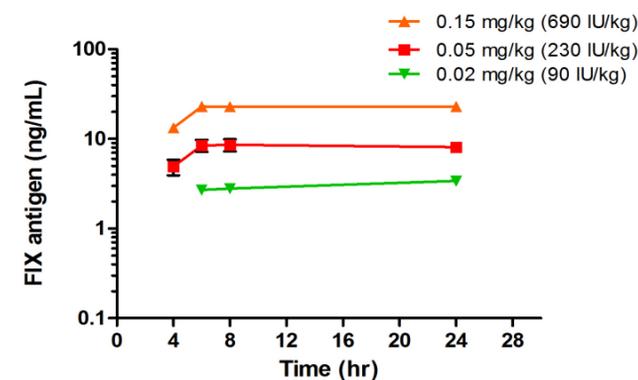
Route	Intravenous	Subcutaneous				
		ISU304	ISU304	BeneFIX	ISU304	
Test Article	ISU304	ISU304	BeneFIX	ISU304	ISU304	
Dose mg/kg	0.05	0.15	0.15	0.05	0.02	
Dose IU/kg	230	690	40	230	90	
Lambda _z	1/h	0.069	0.038	0.035	0.034	-
t _{1/2}	hour	10	18	20	20	-
T _{max}	hour	0.25	8	8	8	8
C _{max}	ng/ml	179	39	23	8.3	3.8
AUC 0-t	ng/ml*h	1638	1,061	738	265	67
AUC 0 inf_obs	ng/ml*h	1713	1,144	811	330	-
Bioavailability	%	100	22	16	19	-

- Due to the high specific activity of CB 2679d/ISU304, subcutaneous dosing yields much higher FIX activities in mouse plasma compared with the same mass dose of BeneFIX

SUMMARY

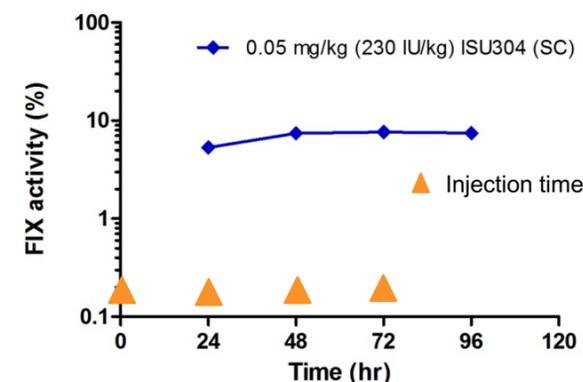
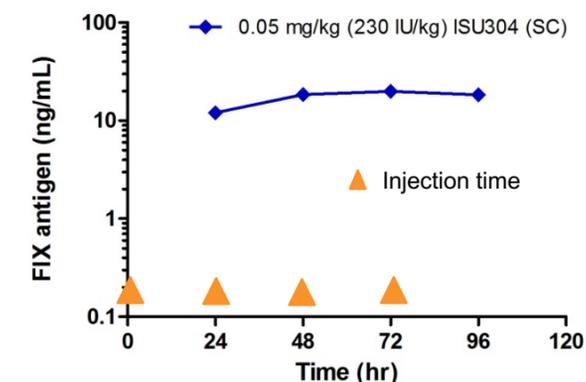
- CB2679d/ISU304 with enhanced biological properties was developed using a rational protein design approach and has increased resistance to inhibition by ATIII, increased affinity for FVIIIa, and increased catalytic activity compared to wild-type FIX
- There was a dose-dependent increase in plasma Factor IX antigen with subcutaneous injection of CB 2679d/ISU304
- The pharmacokinetic profile of CB 2679d/ISU304 was similar to BeneFIX when dosed using the same mass. However, CB 2679d/ISU304 has approximately 17-times greater potency and therefore can achieve higher activity at an equal mass dosing level
- Bioavailability of subcutaneous injection of CB2679D/ISU304 was 19-22% in normal mice
- Daily subcutaneous dosing of CB 2679d/ISU304 demonstrated the effects of the bioavailability, potency, time to maximal concentration, and half-life by reaching a steady-state activity sufficient to correct severe hemophilia to mild hemophilia, in hemophilia B mice, after three days

BLOOD LEVELS OF FIX ANTIGEN AND ACTIVITY AFTER SINGLE DOSE SUBCUTANEOUS ADMINISTRATION OF CB2679D/ISU304 IN HEMOPHILIA B MICE



- Dose dependent increase in antigen and measured activity levels

BLOOD LEVELS OF FIX ANTIGEN AND ACTIVITY AFTER DAILY SUBCUTANEOUS ADMINISTRATION OF CB2679D/ISU304 IN HEMOPHILIA B MICE



- Daily subcutaneous dosing achieved steady-state levels after 3 doses moved severe hemophilia to mild hemophilia range



METHODS

Number of mice	Test article	Dose IU/kg	Dose mg/kg	Dosing time (hr)	Sampling time (hr)
Single dose subcutaneous injection Hemophilia B mice					
1	ISU304	90	0.02	0	4, 6, 8, 24
3	ISU304	230	0.05	0	4, 6, 8, 24
1	ISU304	690	0.15	0	4, 6, 8, 24
Daily dose subcutaneous injection Hemophilia B mice					
3	ISU304	230	0.05	0, 24, 48, 72	24, 48, 72, 96
Single dose subcutaneous injection Normal mice (except IV as indicated)					
10	ISU304	90	0.02	0	0.25, 1, 4, 8, 24, 48
10	ISU304	230	0.05	0	0.25, 1, 4, 8, 24, 48
10	ISU304	690	0.15	0	0.25, 1, 4, 8, 24, 48, 72, 96
10	BeneFIX	40	0.15	0	0.25, 1, 4, 8, 24, 48, 72, 96
6	IV - ISU304	230	0.05	0	0.25, 1, 4, 8, 24, 48

- All mice were injected with a volume of 0.3 mL of test article
- FIX antigen was measured using a sandwich ELISA
- FIX activity was measured using a one-stage clotting assay on Stago Compact
- Pharmacokinetics of FIX was analyzed using PKSolver



Scan to download a copy of the poster



Scan to listen to the PosterCast

Acknowledgements:

Youngsoo Sohn, Sanghyun Han, Taehee Yim (Process Development ISU Abxis) contributed by producing CB2679d/ISU304 used in this study

Disclosures:

Hong: ISU Abxis: Employment. Levy: Catalyst Biosciences: Employment. Jung: ISU Abxis: Employment. Park: ISU Abxis: Employment. Seo: ISU Abxis: Employment. Madison: Catalyst Biosciences: Employment, Stockholder.