

Exogenous Factor Consumption in Participants With Hemophilia A or B Without Inhibitors Receiving Marstacimab in the BASIS Trial

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INTRODUCTION

- Hemophilia is a genetic bleeding disorder characterized by the deficiency of clotting factors, primarily factor VIII (FVIII; hemophilia A) or factor IX (FIX; hemophilia B).¹
- Standard of care for people with hemophilia includes intravenous (IV) infusions of factor replacement therapy (FRT), either on-demand (OD) or routine prophylaxis (RP).¹
- The challenges of FRT, including the development of inhibitors to exogenous FVIII and FIX and low adherence to IV infusions, have led to the development of non-factor alternatives.¹⁻⁵
 - However, current non-factor products are only indicated for prophylaxis of bleeding events, and additional FRT is required to manage acute bleeding episodes.^{2,5,6}
 - There is a theoretical increased risk of thrombosis when modulating hemostasis across different mechanisms, and both emicizumab and concizumab have been associated with thromboembolic events.^{2,5,6}
- Marstacimab is a tissue factor pathway inhibitor (TFPI) antibody in development for the treatment of severe hemophilia A (FVIII <1%) or moderately severe to severe hemophilia B (FIX ≤2%), with or without inhibitors.⁷⁻⁹
- The efficacy and safety of marstacimab 150 mg subcutaneous (SC) once-weekly (QW) in the non-inhibitor cohort, compared with previous FRT, was demonstrated in the pivotal phase 3 BASIS trial, with a reduction in annualized bleeding rate (ABR) beyond 12 months and up to an additional 16 months in the open-label extension (OLE).¹⁰⁻¹²

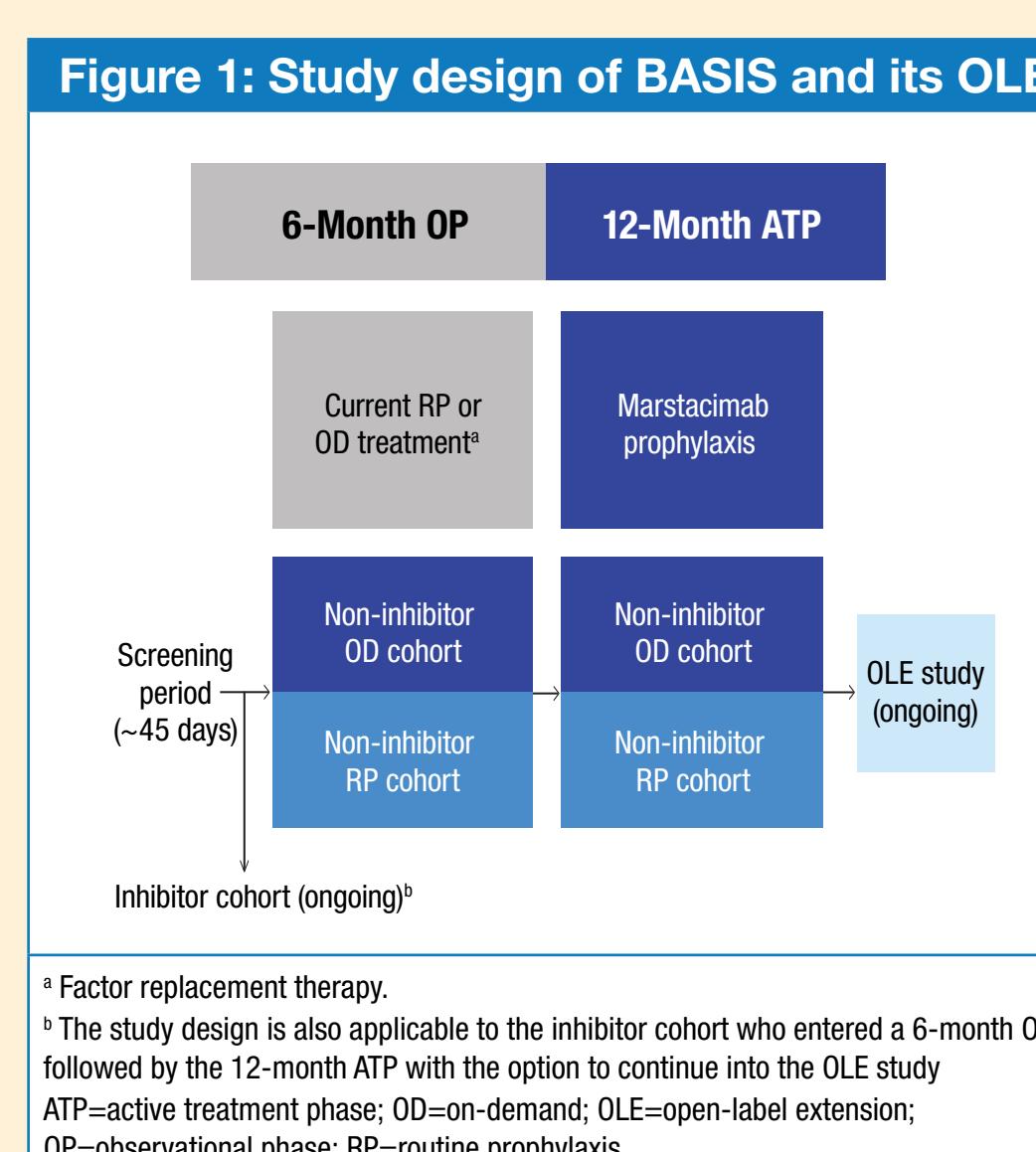
OBJECTIVE

- Evaluate the impact of marstacimab on exogenous FRT consumption in BASIS.

METHODS

Study Design

- BASIS (NCT03938792) is an open-label, single-arm, one-way crossover, multicenter, pivotal phase 3 trial to assess the efficacy and safety of marstacimab over a 12-month active treatment phase (ATP) (Figure 1).
 - The primary efficacy endpoint, ABR for treated bleeding events with marstacimab compared with prior OD or RP therapy, was previously reported.¹⁰
- Eligible participants (males aged 12 to <75 years with severe hemophilia A or moderately severe to severe hemophilia B) were enrolled into 1 of 2 cohorts depending on the presence of inhibitors (inhibitor vs non-inhibitor cohorts) (Table 1).
 - Here, we report results for the non-inhibitor cohort; the inhibitor cohort is ongoing.



*Factor replacement therapy.
The study design is also applicable to the inhibitor cohort who entered a 6-month OP, followed by the 12-month ATP with the option to continue into the OLE study.

Table 1: Key inclusion and exclusion criteria (non-inhibitor cohort)

Key inclusion criteria	Key exclusion criteria
Male	Previous/current treatment for coronary artery diseases, venous or arterial thrombosis, ischemic disease, unstable liver or biliary disease, and other hemostatic defects
Age ≥12 to <75 years	Scheduled surgery during the study period
Severe HA (FVIII <1%) or moderately severe to severe HB (FIX ≤2%)	Platelet count <100,000/µL
No detection or history of inhibitors against FVIII or FIX	Hemoglobin level <10 g/dL
OD group: ≥6 acute bleeding episodes (spontaneous or traumatic) that required coagulation factor infusion before enrollment during the 6-month period prior to enrollment	ALT >2x ULN; bilirubin >1.5x ULN; serum albumin <LN
RP group: ≥80% compliance with FVIII/FIX regimen 6 months before enrollment	eGFR <30 mL/min/1.73 m ²
	Current RP with bypassing agent, non-coagulation, non-FRT, or any previous gene therapy product
	Current immunomodulatory drugs

ALT=alanine aminotransferase; eGFR=estimated glomerular filtration rate; FIX=factor IX; FVIII=factor VIII; FRT=factor replacement therapy; HA=hemophilia A; HB=hemophilia B; LN=lower limit of normal; OD=on-demand; RP=routine prophylaxis; ULN=upper limit of normal

- Participants were grouped according to the treatment received (OD and RP) during a 6-month observational phase (OP), before entering the 12-month ATP.
- Dosing procedures involved an initial 300 mg SC loading dose of marstacimab, followed by a 150 mg SC QW dose during the 12-month ATP.
 - After 6 months in the ATP, participants meeting protocol-defined criteria could increase their dose to marstacimab 300 mg SC QW.
- Participants could take their prescribed FRT, according to the approved product labeling, for breakthrough bleeds, planned sport/physical activity (ie, unrelated to bleeding), or peri- and post-surgical/medical procedures.
 - Total FRT consumption was recorded by participants or caregivers on an electronically administered bleed and infusion diary (eDiary).
- FRT use was analyzed in the modified intent-to-treat population (including participants who completed the OP and received ≥1 dose of marstacimab in the ATP).

RESULTS

Patient Demographics and Clinical Characteristics

- 128 participants without inhibitors entered the OP (37 in the OD group, 91 in the RP group) (Table 2).
- Of these, 116 entered the ATP and received ≥1 dose of marstacimab.
- The median (range) treatment duration in the ATP was 364 (344–392) days for the OD group (n=33) and 364 (28–383) days for RP group (n=83).

Table 2: Baseline demographics and characteristics of participants (safety population)

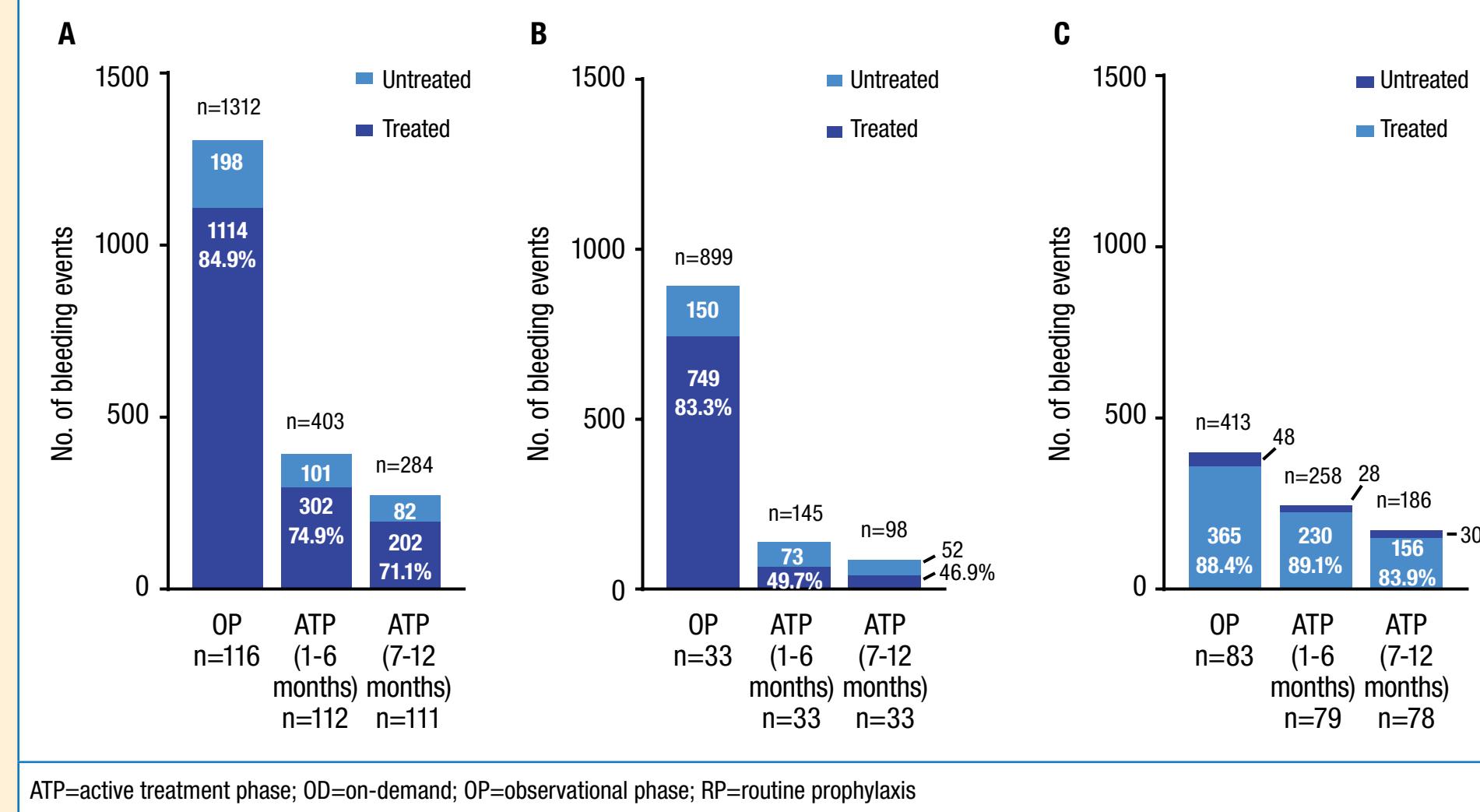
	Baseline (OP)		
	OD n=37	RP n=91	Overall N=128
Age, median (range), y			
Adolescent (≥12 to <18 y), n (%)	29 (78.4)	31 (33–66)	30 (13–66)
Adult (≥18 to <75 y), n (%)	8 (21.6)	18 (19.8)	20 (15.6)
Hemophilia type, n (%)			108 (84.4)
HA	29	72 (79.1)	101 (78.9)
HB	8	19 (20.9)	27 (21.1)
Region, n (%)			
Asia	23 (62.2)	31 (34.1)	54 (42.2)
Europe	8 (21.6)	39 (42.9)	47 (36.7)
North America	4 (10.8)	11 (12.1)	15 (11.7)
Middle East	2 (5.4)	10 (11.0)	12 (9.4)
BMI ± SD, kg/m ²	23.7 ± 5.6	23.9 ± 4.2	23.8 ± 4.6
No. of target joints at BL assessment, n (%)			
0	1 (2.7)	38 (41.8)	39 (30.5)
1	8 (21.6)	21 (23.1)	29 (22.7)
2	16 (43.2)	15 (16.5)	31 (24.2)
≥3	12 (32.4)	17 (18.7)	29 (22.7)

BL=baseline; BMI=body mass index; HA=hemophilia A; HB=hemophilia B; OD=on-demand; OP=observational phase; RP=routine prophylaxis

Incidence of Treated and Untreated Bleeds

- The total number of treated and untreated bleeds was reduced with marstacimab during the ATP compared with prior OD or RP treatment in the OP (Figure 2A).
- During the ATP, the OD group had a lower proportion of treated bleeds compared with the RP group (Figure 2B and 2C, respectively).

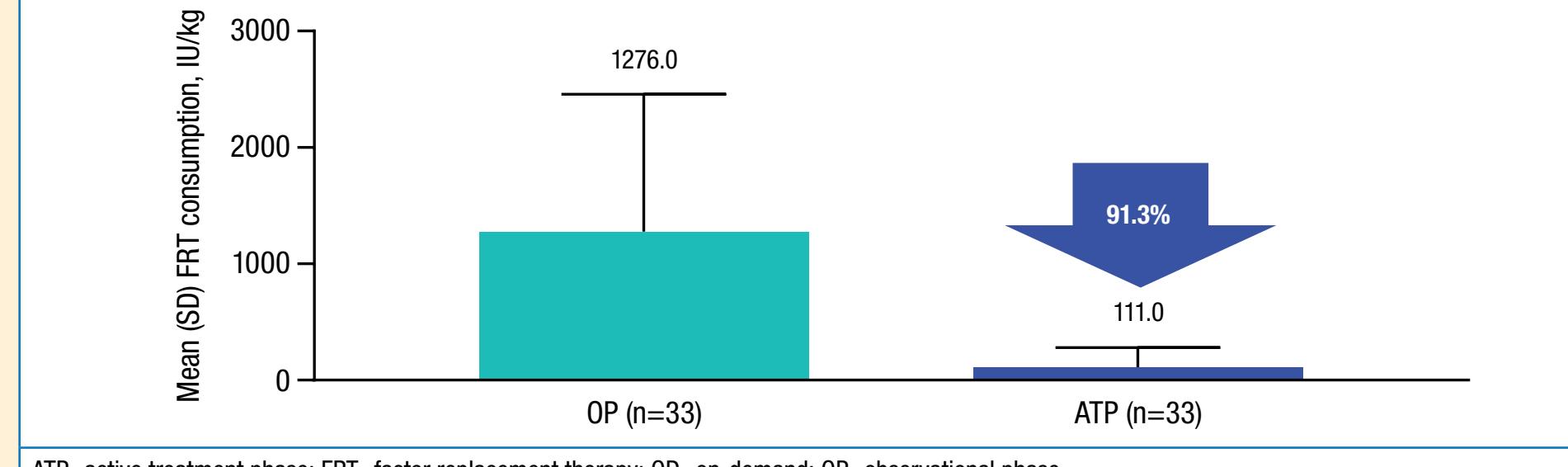
Figure 2: Number of treated and untreated bleeding events of (A) all BASIS participants, (B) prior OD group, and (C) prior RP group



FRT Consumption in the On-Demand Group

- In the OD group, the mean (SD) annualized total FRT consumption was lower during the ATP (111 [168] IU/kg) vs the OP (1276 [1181] IU/kg) (Figure 3).

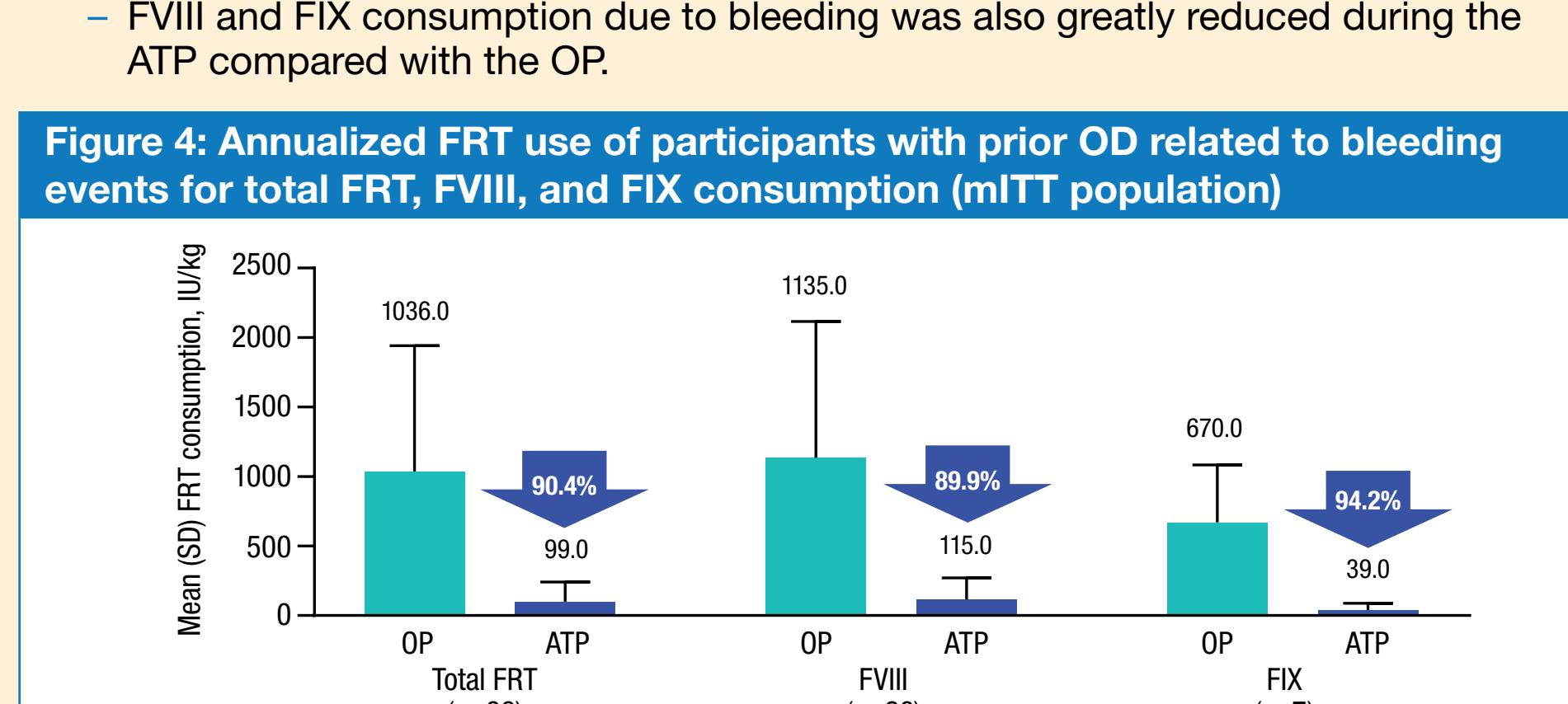
Figure 3: Total annualized FRT use of participants with prior OD



OP=active treatment phase; FRT=factor replacement therapy; OD=on-demand; ATP=observational phase

- Overall median (range) FRT exposure per participant was 3 (0–23) days during the ATP vs 19 (4–79) days during the OP (Table 3).

Figure 4: Annualized FRT use of participants with prior OD related to bleeding events for total FRT, FVIII, and FIX consumption (mITT population)

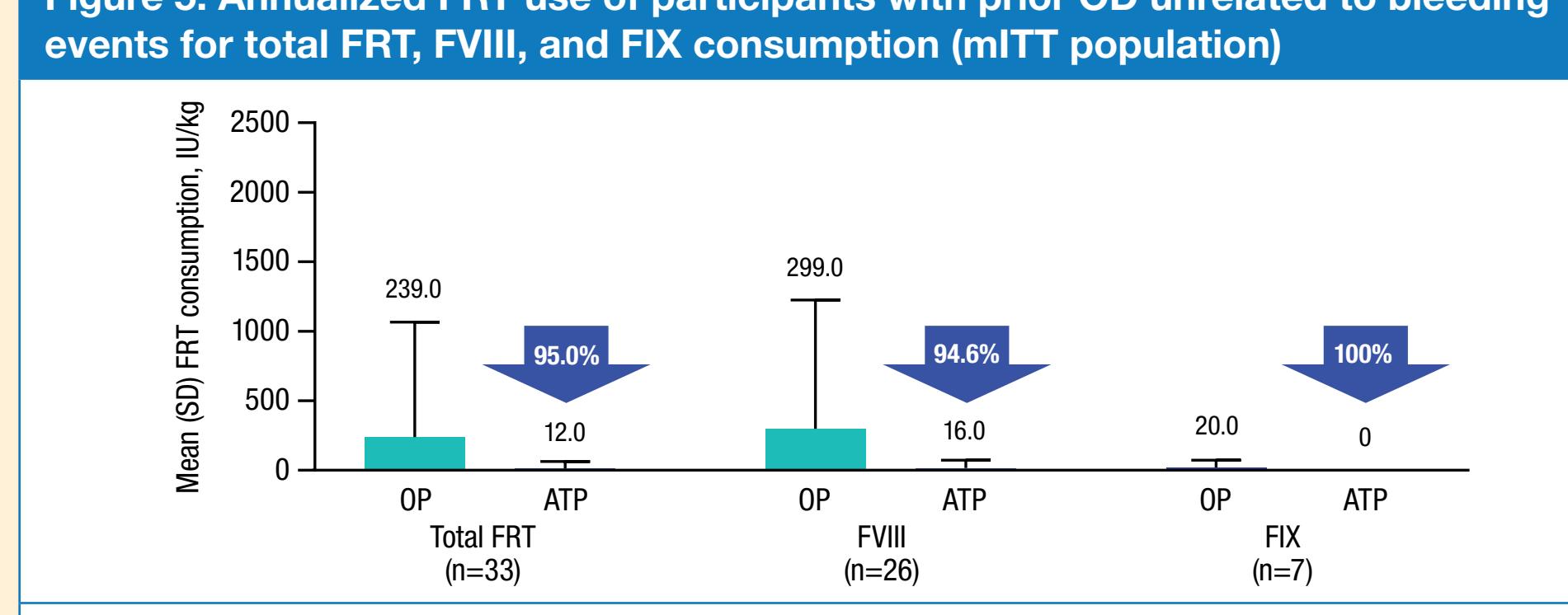


ATP=active treatment phase; FIX=factor IX; FRT=factor replacement therapy; FVIII=factor VIII; mITT=modified intent-to-treat; OP=observational phase

- Total FRT consumption unrelated to bleeding (consisting of prophylaxis infusions or preventative infusions for sports/physical activity) was substantially reduced during the ATP compared with the OP (Figure 5).

– FVIII and FIX consumption unrelated to bleeding was greatly reduced during the ATP compared with the OP.

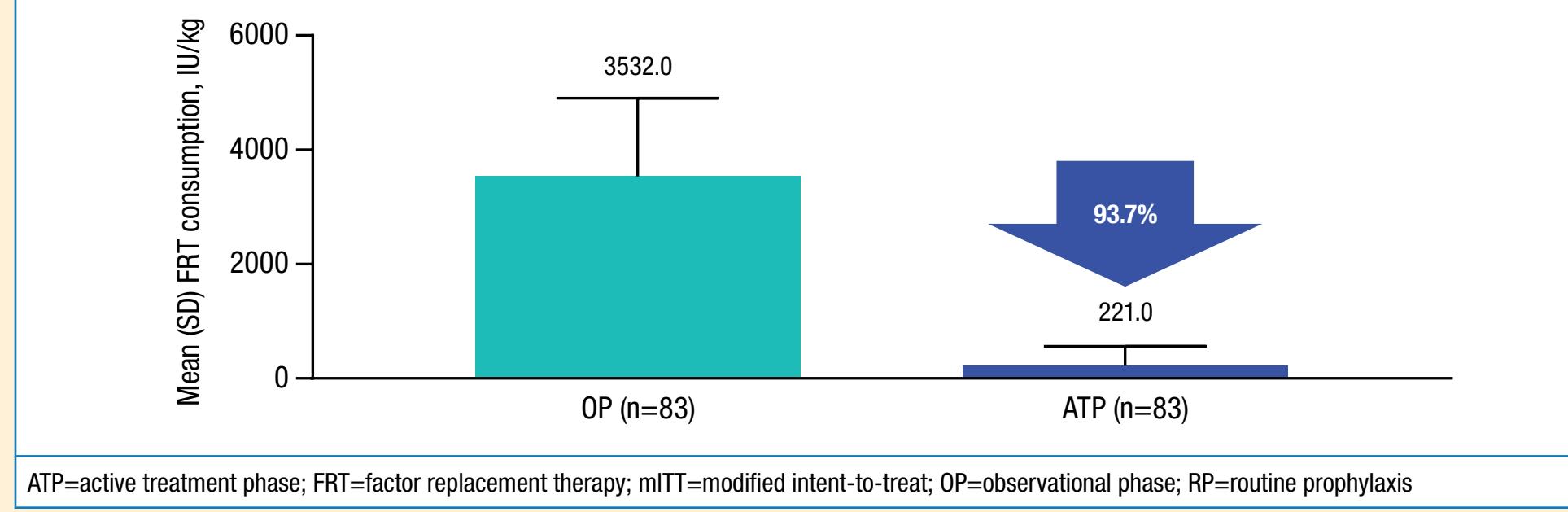
Figure 5: Annualized FRT use of participants with prior OD unrelated to bleeding events for total FRT, FVIII, and FIX consumption (mITT population)



FRT Consumption in the Routine Prophylaxis Group

- In the RP group, the mean (SD) annualized total FRT consumption was lower during the ATP (221 [339] IU/kg) vs the OP (3532 [1370] IU/kg) (Figure 6).

Figure 6: Total annualized FRT use of participants with prior RP (mITT population)



ATP=active treatment phase; FRT=factor replacement therapy; mITT=modified intent-to-treat; OP=observational phase

- Overall median (range) FRT exposure per participant was 3 (0–42) days during the ATP vs 2 (0–47) days during the OP (Table 3).

– During the ATP, on-demand FRT consumption due to bleeding was necessary to treat 386 bleeds of 55 participants vs 365 bleeds of 56 participants during the OP.

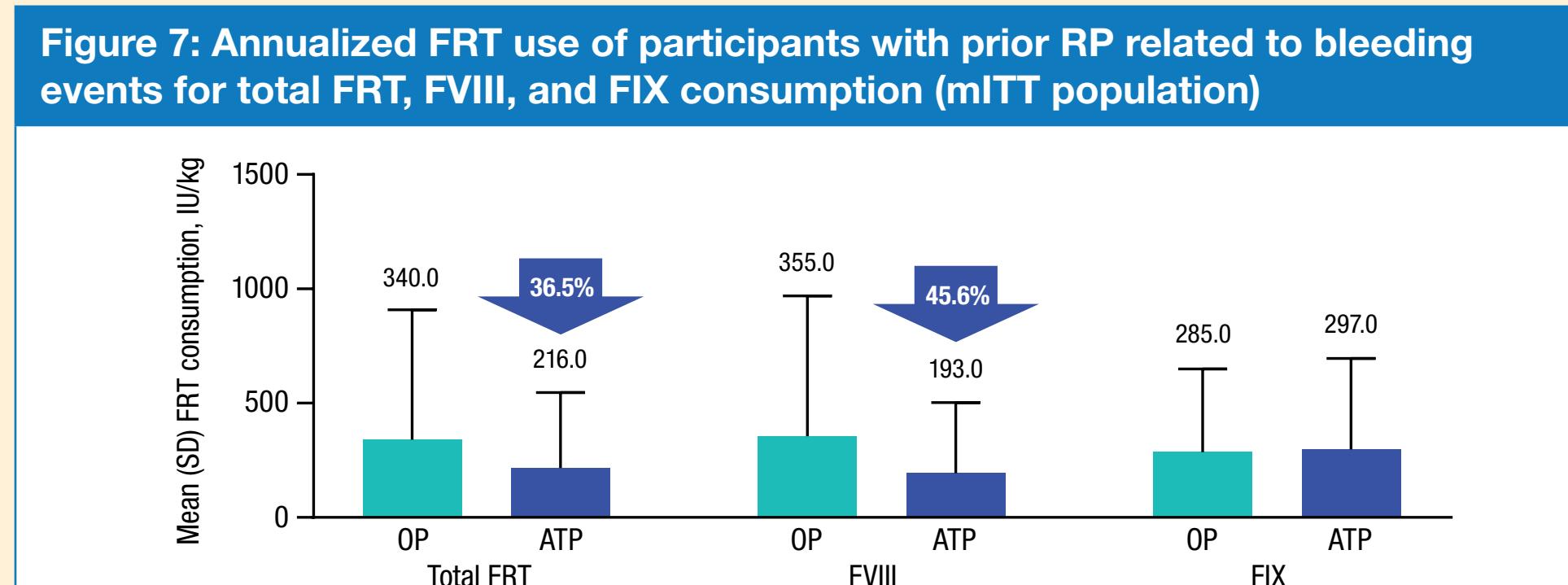
Table 3: FRT exposure days per participant during BASIS due to bleeding events (mITT population)

	OP		RP	
	6-month OP n=33	12-month ATP n=24	6-month OP n=56	12-month ATP n=55
Per participant				
No. of treated bleeds	749	118	365	386
Exposure days receiving FRT	19 (4, 79)	3 (0, 23)	2 (0, 47)	3 (0, 42)
No. of infusions	Median (min, max)	19 (5, 79)	3 (0, 23)	2 (0, 54)
Median (min, max)	19 (5, 79)	3 (0, 23)	3 (0, 42)	3 (0, 42)

ATP=active treatment phase; FRT=factor replacement therapy; max=maximum; min=minimum; mITT=modified intent-to-treat; OD=on-demand; OP=observational phase

- Total FRT consumption due to bleeding was substantially reduced during the ATP compared with the OP (Figure 7).
 - FVIII consumption due to bleeding was greatly reduced during the ATP compared with the OP.
 - Changes in FIX consumption from the OP to ATP were negligible and was influenced by 2 adolescents with traumatic bleeds during the ATP who required FRT: one had 14 bleeds and the other had 11 traumatic bleeds.

Figure 7: Annualized FRT use of participants with prior RP related to bleeding events for total FRT, FVIII, and FIX consumption (mITT population)

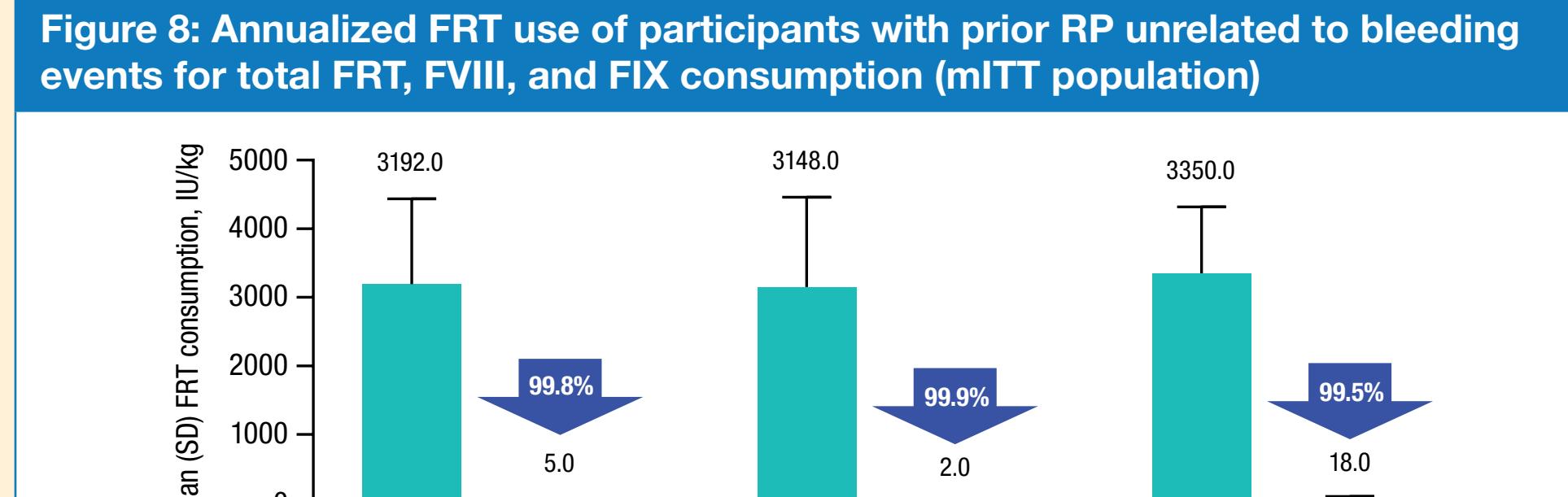


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- FRT consumption unrelated to bleeding (consisting of prophylaxis infusions or preventative infusions for sports/physical activity) was substantially reduced during the ATP compared with the OP (Figure 8).

– FVIII and FIX consumption unrelated to bleeding was greatly reduced during the ATP compared with the OP.

Figure 8: Annualized FRT use of participants with prior RP unrelated to bleeding events for total FRT, FVIII, and FIX consumption (mITT population)



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CONCLUSIONS

- Consistent with the observed reduction in mean ABR of treated bleeds in BASIS,¹⁰ the use of marstacimab markedly reduced the consumption of FRT (total, related to bleeding and unrelated to bleeding) and exposure to FRT compared with previous OD and RP treatment.
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