

# Redefining Oral Biologics



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# Corporate Summary

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- Converting injectable biologics into pills
- **\$56BN+ initial market opportunity<sup>1</sup>** targeting multiple markets across multiple diseases
- 5 internal development programs
  - Initiation of at least two Phase 1 trials expected in 2022; Repeat-dose study expected in 2022
- Octreotide Phase 1 completed supporting platform safety, tolerability and bioavailability
- Established IP portfolio with 270+ patents filed and 160+ issued/allowed as of 3/24/21

# Patients Prefer Pills

88%

of RA patients would prefer a daily pill to a bi-weekly injection of Humira

38%

of diabetics miss 4+ injections per week

*Frost & Sullivan research report commissioned by Rani*



“Patients initiating treatment with glucagon-like peptide-1 receptor agonists (GLP-1RAs) **had a 71% higher discontinuation rate** in the first 6 months compared with those initiating saxagliptin (oral DPP-4 therapy)”<sup>1</sup>

“The most commonly reported **barrier to maintaining injectable medication was injection concerns** (42%) such as aversion to needles, pain, or needle size.”<sup>1</sup>

“The majority of patients (79%) would **prefer a twice-daily oral tablet than an injection** or IV infusion (for rheumatoid arthritis)”<sup>2</sup>

“**Optimal adherence differed significantly** between oral and injectable (93% vs 76%,  $p < 0.001$ )”<sup>3</sup>

Sources:

<sup>1</sup> <https://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/pii/S0149291816303757#bib12>

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# Rani's Technology

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# Rani's Development Approach

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- **Designed for Minimal Discomfort**

No small intestine pain receptors

- **Absorption similar to injections**

Upon Deployment

- **Agnostic to payload**

Designed to accommodate peptides, proteins and antibodies

- **Strong patent position**

Covering both the platform and drugs in combination with the platform

- **Scalable design**

For low cost, high volume manufacturing



*The RaniPill capsule is similar in size to a fish oil or calcium pill*

# Development Pipeline

	INDICATION(S)	FORMULATION	PRE-CLINICAL	PHASE 1	PHASE 2	PHASE 3	NEXT EXPECTED MILESTONE
<b>CORE PROGRAMS</b>							
RT-101	NETs / Acromegaly*	Octreotide					Repeat Dose Platform Study in 2022
RT-105	Psoriatic Arthritis	Anti TNF- $\alpha$ Antibody					Initiate Phase 1 in 2023***
RT-102	Osteoporosis	PTH-OP					Initiate Phase 1 in 2022***
RT-109**	GH Deficiency	hGH					Initiate Phase 1 in 2022***
RT-110	Hypo-parathyroidism	PTH-Hypo					Initiate Phase 1 in 2023***
<b>COLLABORATION OPPORTUNITIES</b>							
RT-103	T2 Diabetes	GLP-1 Mimetic					
RT-106	T2 Diabetes	Basal Insulin					

RT-XXX refers to the RaniPill capsule containing a biologic in a proprietary Rani formulation

\* Each of these indications will require separate trials

\*\* CCHN will have limited opportunity to negotiate for rights within China

\*\*\*To follow submission and clearance of IND

# Preclinical & Clinical Experience





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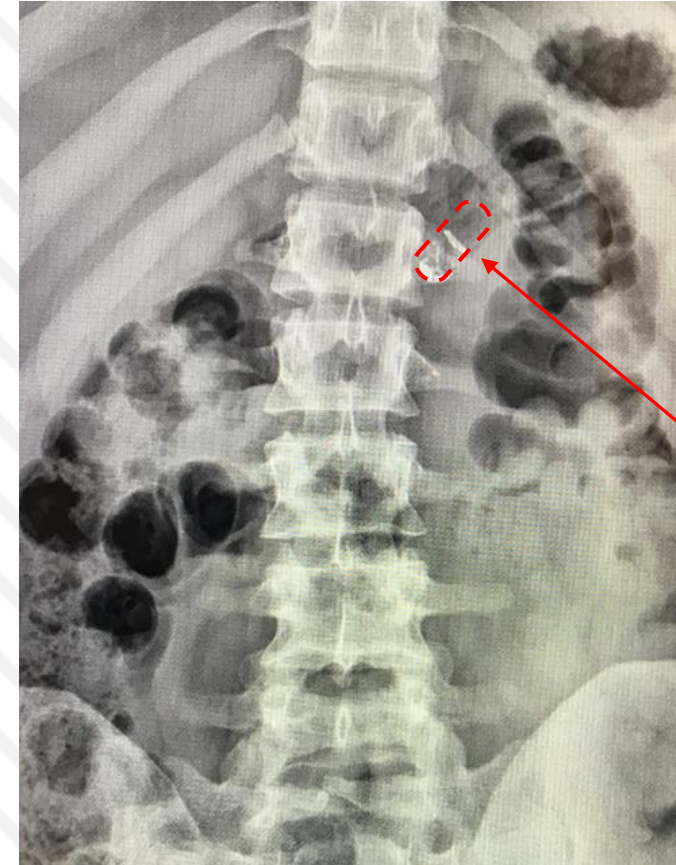
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- **Preclinical – 10 molecules** assessed
  - 4 antibodies, 5 peptides, 1 large protein
  - Awake dogs, anesthetized juvenile pigs
  - Single and repeat-dose studies
    - No serious adverse events observed to date
    - High bioavailability, comparable to parenteral injections
- **Clinical – 3 molecules** assessed, **5 human clinical studies** in healthy volunteers
  - RaniPill™ platform-only study
  - Phase I study with RaniPill and biologic (octreotide)
  - 3 studies simulating Rani delivery via Endoscopic intrajejunal injections
  - 2 peptides, 1 antibody
    - No serious adverse events observed to date
    - High bioavailability, comparable to injections

# Safety and Tolerability Study of RaniPill Platform in Humans

- Study conducted in 2018
- RaniPill device tracked by X-ray imaging
- RaniPill device without a needle in fasted and fed groups
  - N=10 per group
- No food effect observed on device functionality
- RaniPill was well-tolerated by all subjects
- No serious adverse events were reported
- Met all safety endpoints
  - Ability to swallow
  - No sensation upon deployment
  - Ability to pass capsule remnants

X-Ray Image of Intact RaniPill



Radiopaque  
Marker  
within  
Device

# RaniPill Repeat Administration Canine Study

## Study Overview

### **Objective:**

Evaluate safety and tolerability of once-daily 7 day repeat oral administration of the RaniPill capsule

### **Animal Model:**

Male and female beagles naïve to all drugs

### **Study Groups:**

#### *Test Group:*

Orally administered RaniPill capsule, containing octreotide, once a day for 7 days, followed by a 7 day wash-out period; n = 8 (4 males, 4 females)

#### *Control Group:*

Orally administered enteric coated size 000 capsule, containing sugar once a day for 7 days, followed by a 7 day wash-out period; n = 4 (2 males, 2 females)

## Histopathology

### **Animals necropsied at end of the study:**

Postmortem examination (excluding brain) was performed in 12 dogs (Test = 8, Control = 4) on Day 14 ± 1

Samples of small intestine from each animal (duodenum n = 1, jejunum n = 3, ileum n = 1) were collected for histopathological evaluation

Histological evaluation included an assessment and semi-quantitative scoring of lesions such as inflammation, hemorrhage, necrosis and fibrosis/fibroplasia

## Summary

The RaniPill capsules were well-tolerated in all animals

**No significant gastrointestinal abnormalities were associated with oral administration of the RaniPill capsule**

No clinically adverse observations were noted

# Phase I Study with the RaniPill Containing Octreotide

**COMPLETED**

**Q4 2019**

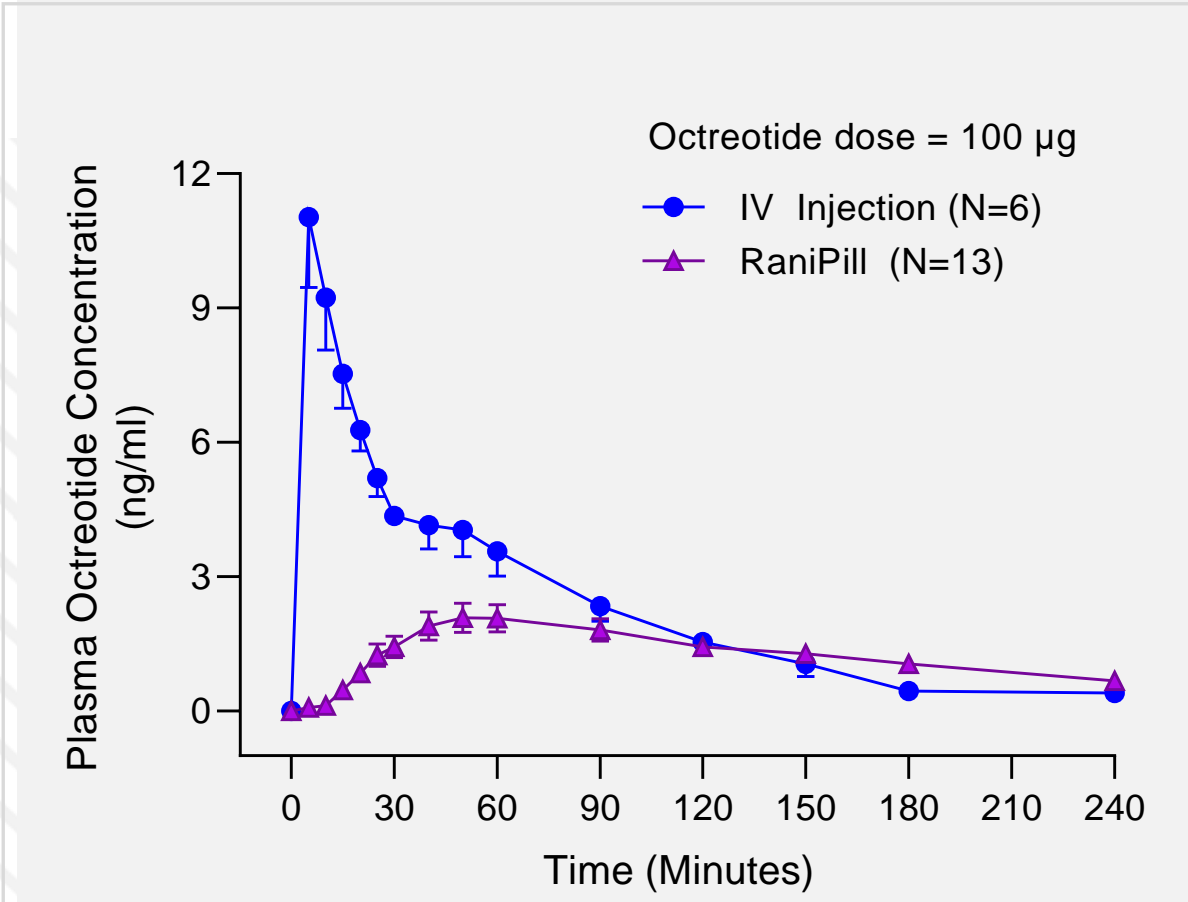
<b>Subjects</b>	Healthy men and women, aged 18-55 years
<b>Design</b>	Open label, single center (Australia)
<b>Test Articles</b>	RaniPill Devices: 3 versions with incremental balloon sizes, each containing 100 µg of octreotide
<b>1 Control Arm (N=6)</b>	IV Injection of 100 µg of octreotide ( <i>Sandostatin</i> <sup>®</sup> )
<b>3 Treatment Arms (N=52)</b>	3 cohorts of RaniPill devices with incrementally sized balloons
<b>Primary Endpoints</b>	Safety and Tolerability of the RaniPill capsule
<b>Secondary Endpoint</b>	Bioavailability of octreotide delivered via the RaniPill capsule

# Phase I Primary Endpoints: Safety and Tolerability

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- Octreotide-RP capsule was well-tolerated by all subjects
- No subject had difficulty swallowing the capsule
- Capsule remnants passed out in all subjects
- No serious adverse events noted in the study

# Pharmacokinetic Data: RT-101 Phase I Study

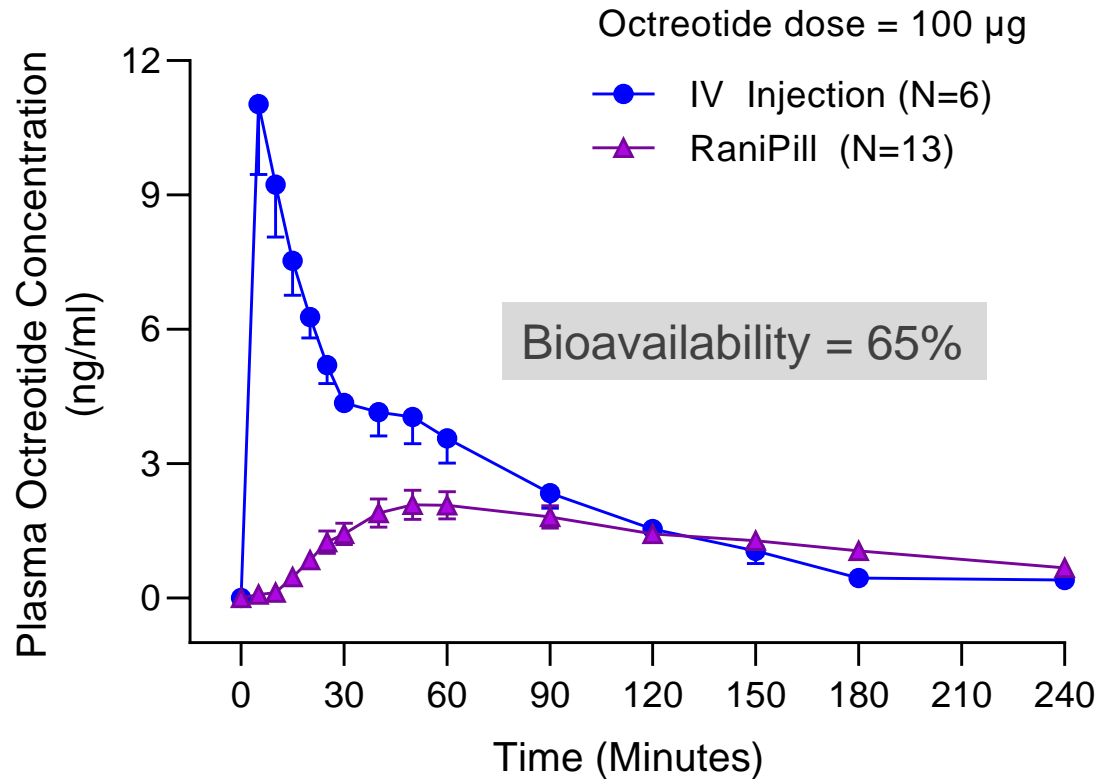


**Bioavailability = 65%**

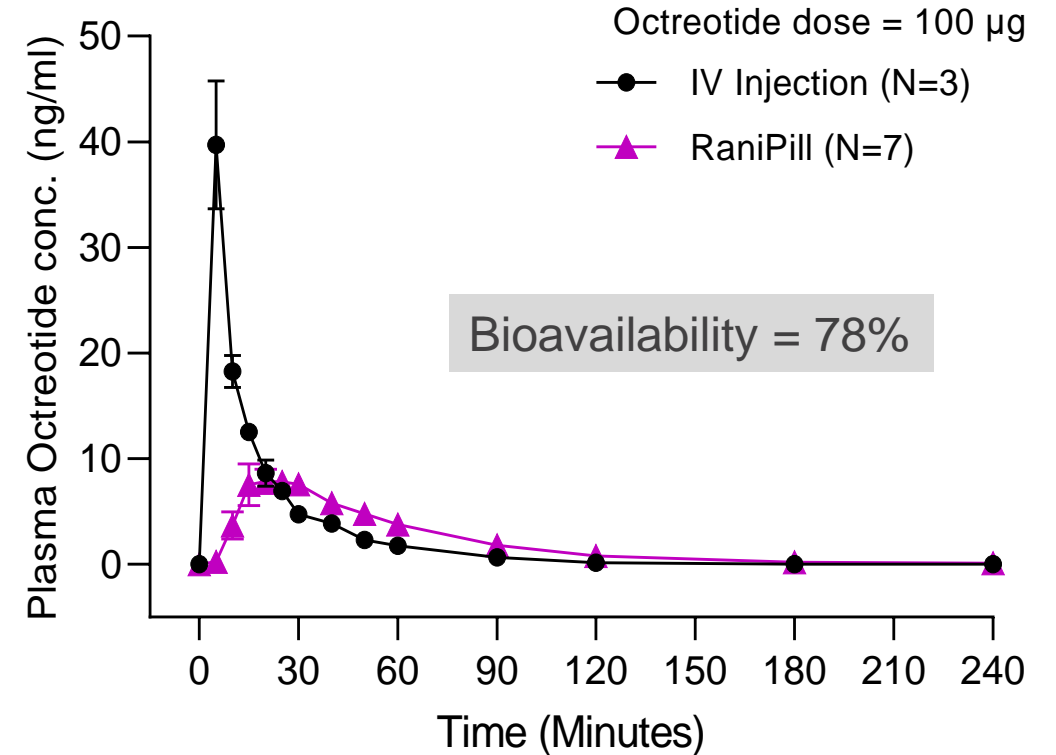
*RaniPill delivered Octreotide  
with high bioavailability*

# Canine Model Could Be Predictive of Human PK Data

## HUMAN



## CANINE



Preclinical Data from Canine Model May Translate Well to Human Clinical Development

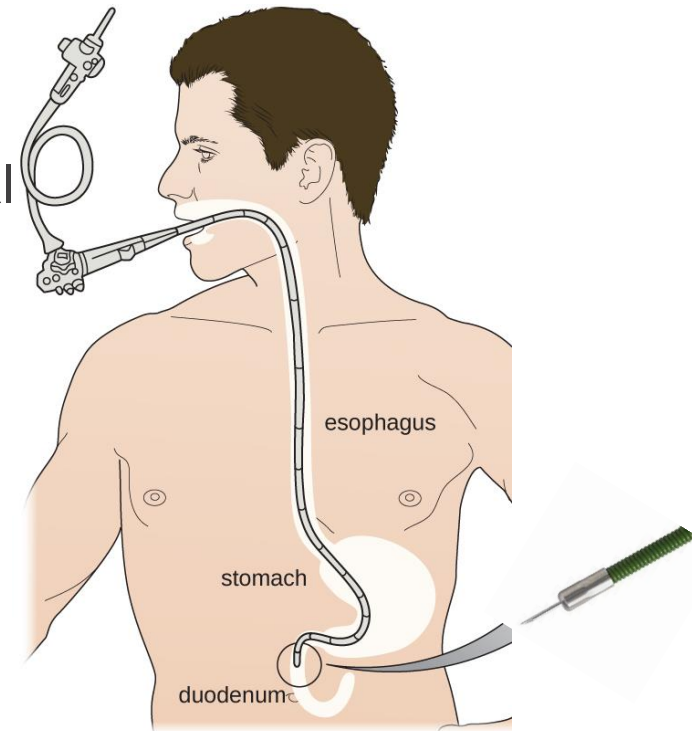
# Additional Human Studies



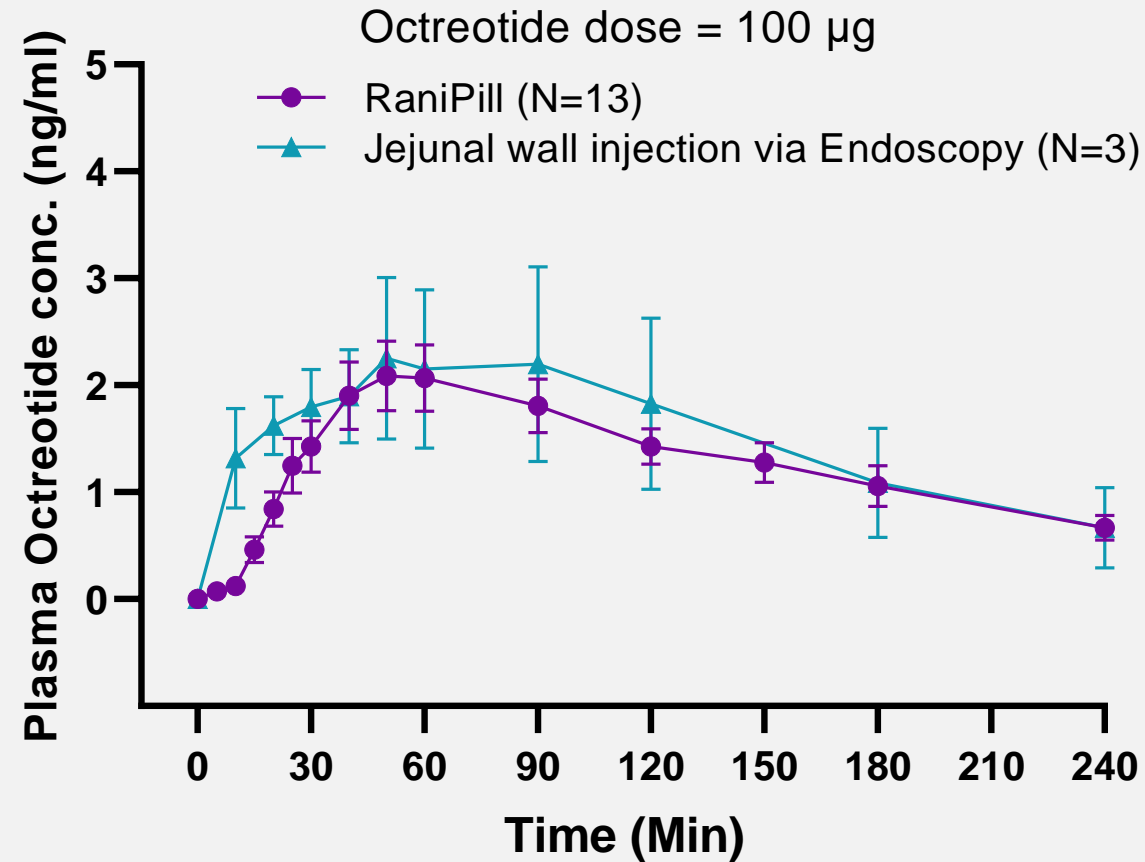


# Endoscopic Intrajejunal Administration in Humans

- Objective: to obtain an early read on the PK profile via Rani route in humans
- Methods: Using an endoscopic approach, an approved drug (commercial formulation) is injected into the jejunal wall (IJ route) to mimic the Rani route of administration
- We have determined PK of three drugs in these type of studies
  - Sandostatin (octreotide)
  - Byetta (exenatide)
  - Humira (adalimumab)

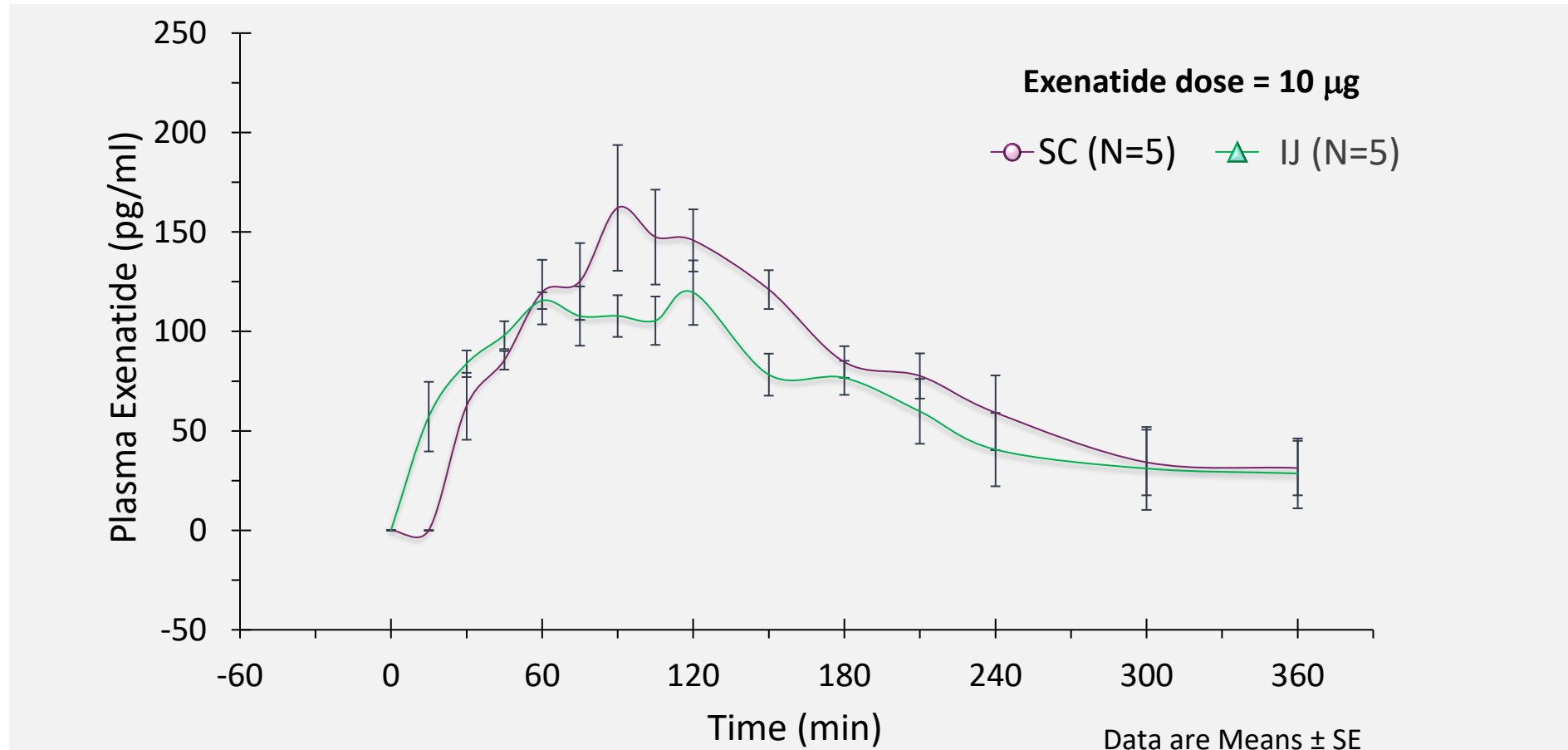


# PK Data of Octreotide with Endoscopic Injections vs. Oral RaniPill



# Endoscopic Intrajejunal Administration of Exenatide (GLP-1 Analog) in Humans

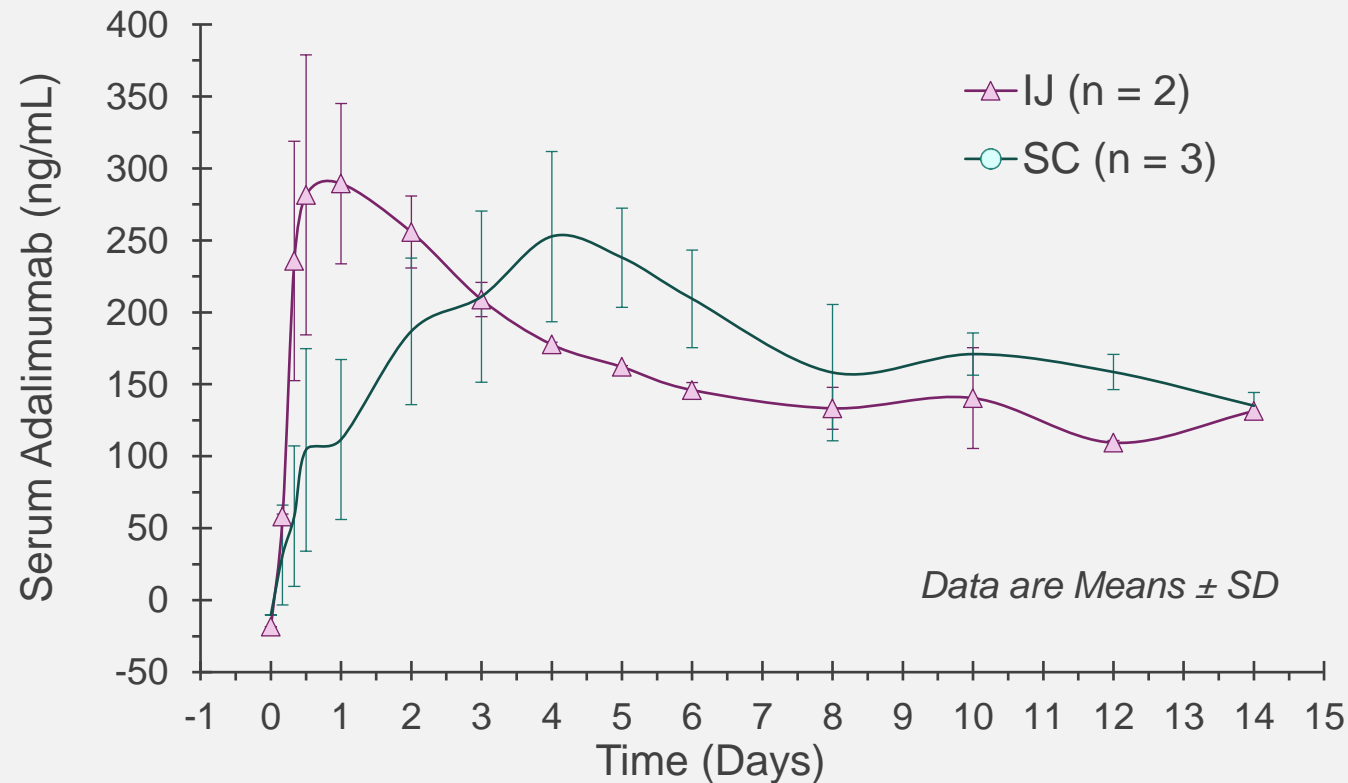
## PK in Healthy Subjects - SC vs. Intrajejunal (IJ)



# Endoscopic Intrajejunal Administration of Anti TNF- $\alpha$ Antibody in Humans

Humira  
IJ Injection vs Subcutaneous Injection

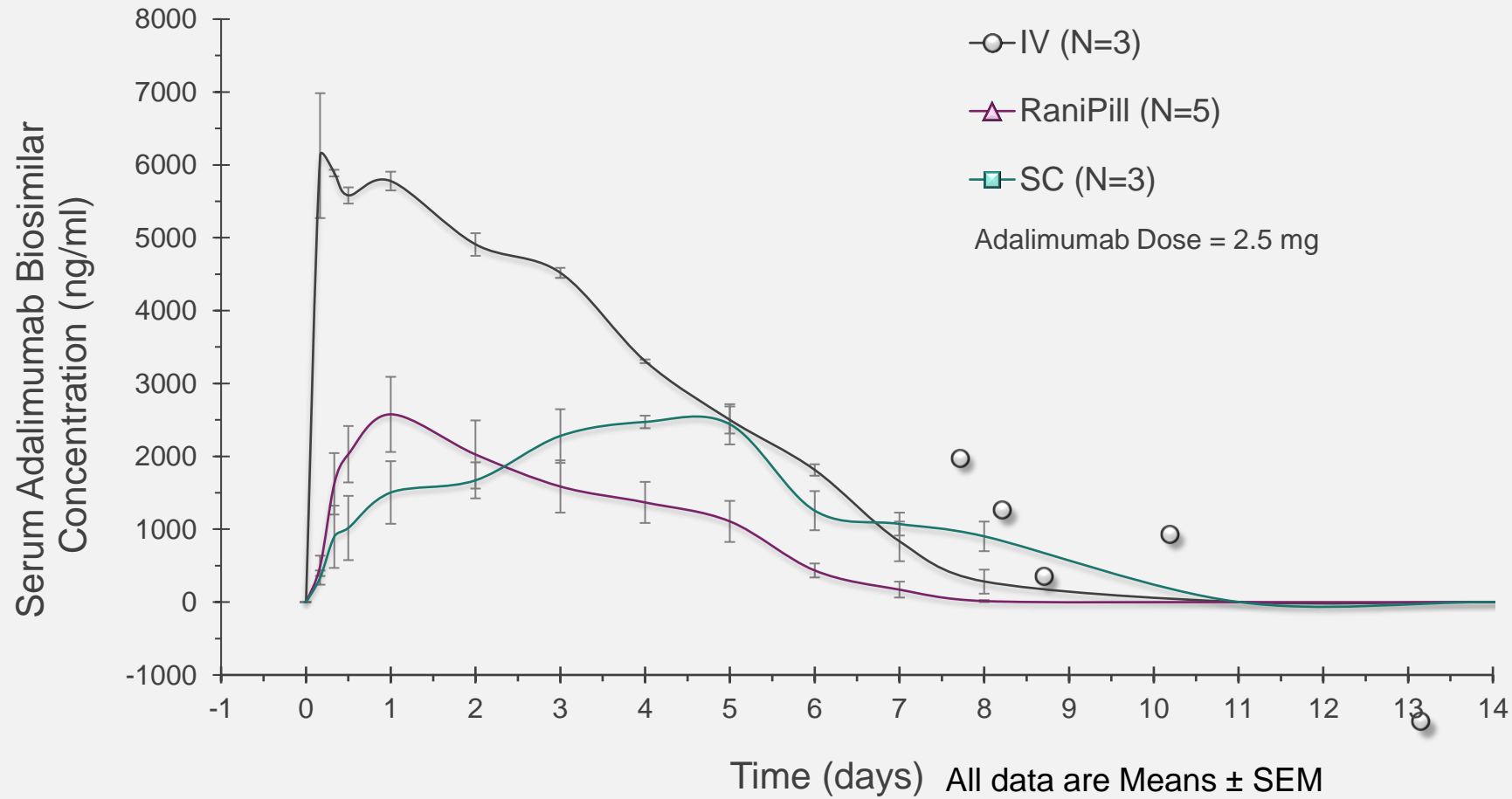
2.5mg of Adalimumab Endoscopically Delivered in Humans  
(Subcutaneous and Intrajejunal)



# Additional Preclinical Studies



# PK of Oral Adalimumab Biosimilar in Awake Dogs



## BIOAVAILABILITY\* (%)

SC 46 ± 3

Rani 49 ± 6

*\*Formation of anti-adalimumab antibodies in the canine impacted the accurate determination of bioavailability*

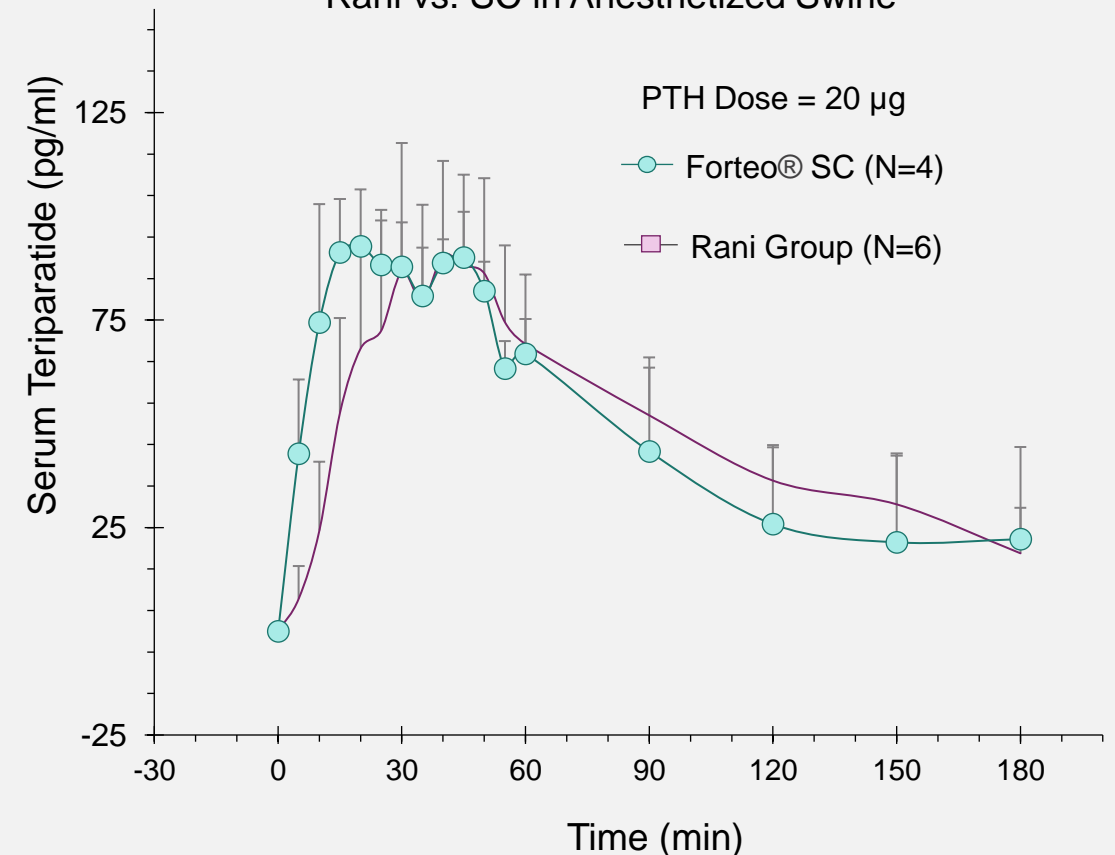
# RT-110/102 - PTH (Teriparatide)

- Used in two indications:
  - Osteoporosis (OP) and
  - Hypoparathyroidism (Hypo) (rare disease)
- Must be injected daily
- PTH Market has been stable at ~\$2.0B
  - Affects ~10M adult patients in the United States
  - Prevalence increasing due to aging population
  - An oral Teriparatide could dramatically increase the market
  - Teriparatide-based long-acting product demonstrated to be superior (Ascendis). Rani is working to create an oral form
  - Potential multi-billion global market

**Estimated  
Combined Peak  
Sales: ~\$1.4B\***

## Parathyroid Hormone (Teriparatide)

Rani vs. SC in Anesthetized Swine

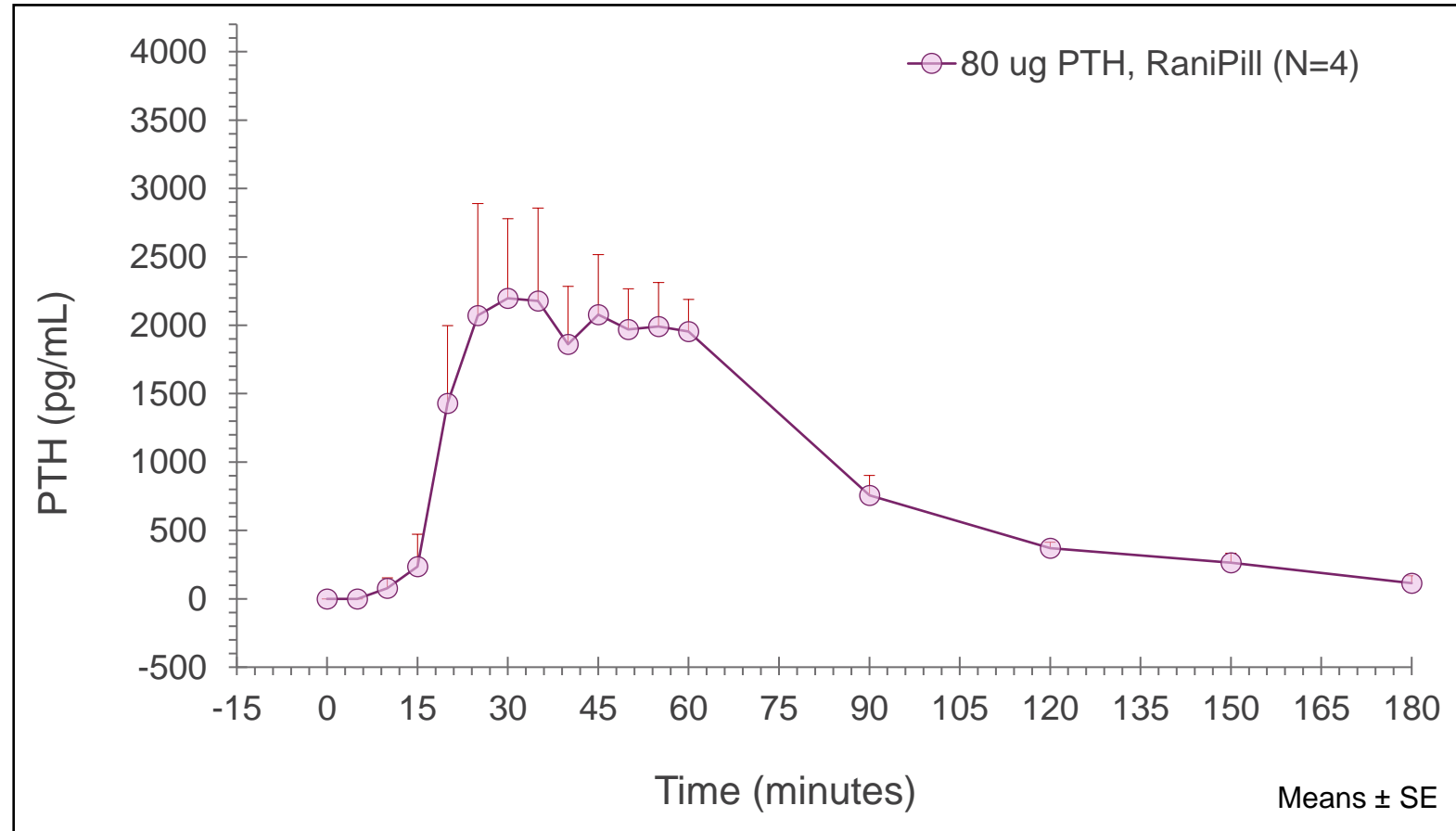


PTH-OP: Phase 1 Initiation – 2022

PTH-Hypo: 2023

# PK of Oral Teriparatide at 80 µg in Awake dogs

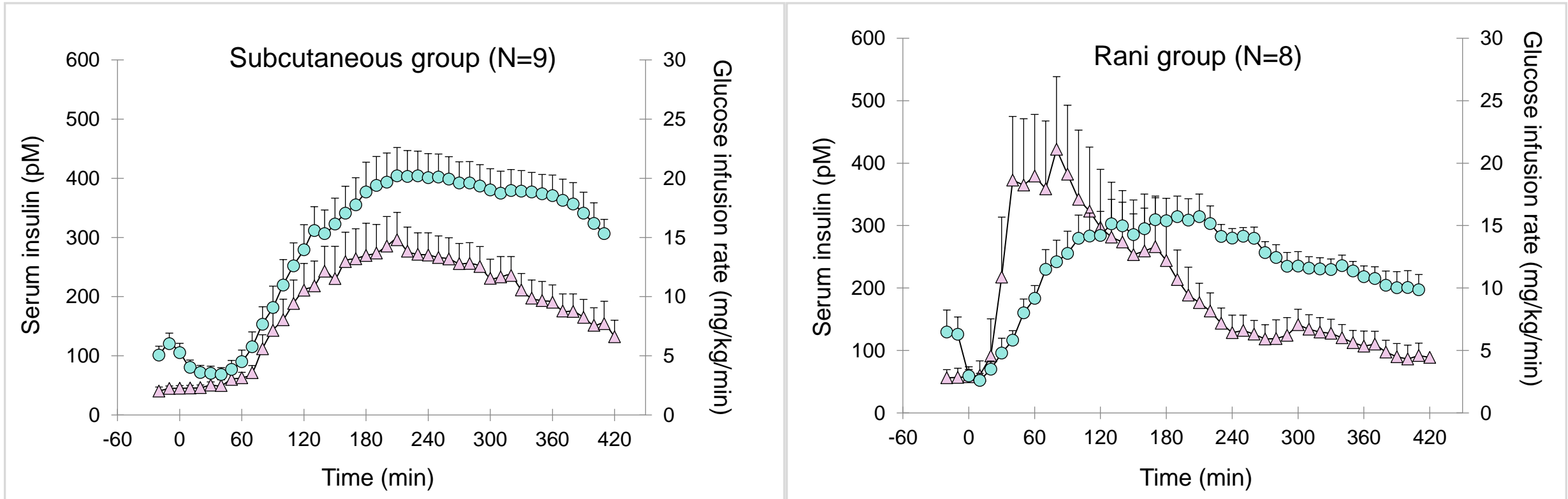
## Early Preclinical Data





# Insulin PK/PD in Juvenile Swine

Insulin dose = 20 IU



—△— Serum insulin

—●— Glucose infusion rate

# Regulatory Strategy



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*Based on Pre-submission Meeting with FDA's CDRH*

**IDE study to evaluate safety & reliability of the RaniPill**

- 40 healthy adults, 18-50 years old
- Dosing for 8 weeks
- Using non-drug tracer

**Clinical Studies for Each Drug**

**RaniPill Master File**

**CDRH**  
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Radiological Health

**FDA**

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CDER**

Thank You



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