

# Comparative Effectiveness and Safety between Warfarin and Dabigatran Using Real World Claims data of Japanese Non-valvular Atrial Fibrillation Patients

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Study

Ongoing

## Administrative details

### EU PAS number

EUPAS20047

### Study ID

21672

### DARWIN EU® study

No

### Study countries

☐ Japan

## Study description

A non-interventional study based on existing health insurance claims data to compare the effectiveness (stroke/SE) and safety (major bleeding) in patients with atrial fibrillation and newly treated with dabigatran and warfarin in the real world Japanese setting using a claims database

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## Study status

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# Research institutions and networks

## Institutions

**Boehringer Ingelheim**

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**Institution**

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## Study timelines

### **Date when funding contract was signed**

Planned: 17/08/2017

Actual: 17/08/2017

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### **Study start date**

Planned: 24/08/2017

Actual: 24/08/2017

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### **Data analysis start date**

Planned: 14/10/2017

Actual: 10/11/2017

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### **Date of final study report**

Planned: 29/09/2017

## Sources of funding

- Pharmaceutical company and other private sector

## More details on funding

Nippon Boehringer Ingelheim

## Study protocol

[20170531\\_Protocol-Dabi VKA Comparison draft.pdf](#)(526.1 KB)

## Regulatory

## **Was the study required by a regulatory body?**

No

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## **Is the study required by a Risk Management Plan (RMP)?**

Not applicable

## Methodological aspects

### Study type

### Study type list

#### **Study type:**

Non-interventional study

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#### **Scope of the study:**

Assessment of risk minimisation measure implementation or effectiveness

Effectiveness study (incl. comparative)

#### **Main study objective:**

To compare the effectiveness (stroke/SE) and safety (major bleeding) in patients with atrial fibrillation and newly treated with dabigatran and warfarin in the real world Japanese setting using a claims database

## Study Design

### **Non-interventional study design**

Cohort

## Study drug and medical condition

**Study drug International non-proprietary name (INN) or common name**

DABIGATRAN ETEXILATE

WARFARIN

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**Medical condition to be studied**

Atrial fibrillation

## Population studied

**Age groups**

Adults (18 to < 46 years)

Adults (46 to < 65 years)

Adults (65 to < 75 years)

Adults (75 to < 85 years)

Adults (85 years and over)

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**Estimated number of subjects**

9000

## Study design details

**Outcomes**

stroke, systemic embolism, Bleeding related events, myocardial infarction

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**Data analysis plan**

This study plans no formal hypothesis testing. The planned analyses are descriptive in nature and results are to be interpreted in an exploratory manner. 1:1 Propensity score matching (PSM) was conducted to to address potential channelling bias. Outcomes will be assessed in the PSM

sample. Patient characteristics prior to and after propensity score matching will be described stratified by treatment group. Number of observed events, number of patient years, the corresponding incidence rates and their 95% confidence intervals (CIs) will be reported. Dabigatran and warfarin outcomes will be compared by estimating the hazard ratios (HRs) for the outcomes and their CIs using Cox regression. Kaplan-Meier curves for event-free survival will be estimated.

## Data management

### Data sources

#### **Data sources (types)**

[Administrative healthcare records \(e.g., claims\)](#)

### Use of a Common Data Model (CDM)

#### **CDM mapping**

No

### Data quality specifications

#### **Check conformance**

Unknown

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#### **Check completeness**

Unknown

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### **Check stability**

Unknown

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### **Check logical consistency**

Unknown

## **Data characterisation**

### **Data characterisation conducted**

No