



*Spotlight on SF0166: topical eye  
droplet treatment for retinal  
diseases DME and wet-AMD*

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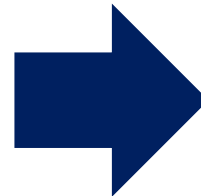
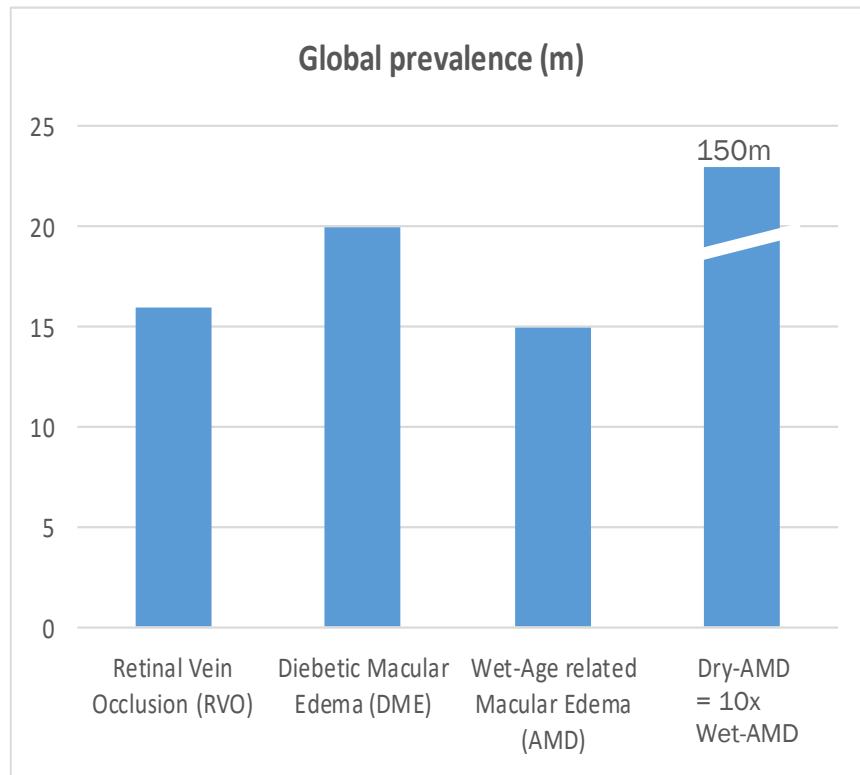
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# Massive underserved retinal disease opportunity

>50m sufferers globally of retinal diseases leading to blindness, with incidence growing due to ageing population and diabetes explosion

Current treatments administered by monthly injections: high cost; significant patient discomfort; inconvenience



# Retinal therapeutics generating enormous revenue

Two injectable drugs generate annual revenue >\$8bn



Indications	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Neovascular (wet) Age-related Macular Degeneration (AMD)<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Diabetic Macular Edema (DME)</li></ul></li><li>• Macular Edema following Retinal Vein Occlusion</li><li>• Diabetic Retinopathy (in patients with DME)</li></ul>	
US reimbursement (\$ per injection)	\$1,966 (2012)	\$1,966 (2012)
Worldwide revenue (2016)	\$3.2 billion	\$5.2 billion
Worldwide revenue (2020F)	\$4.0 billion	\$5.4 billion

*Note: Lucentis and Eylea prescribed for DME, Wet-AMD and Retinal Vein Occlusion and Diabetic Retinopathy*

*Note: excludes Macugen (Wet-AMD only) and Bevacizumab (est. ~\$2B)*

*Source: 2016 Annual reports for Roche, Novartis, and Regeneron and 2014 Global Data*

*Diverse approaches are being pursued to address retinal disease*



Ocular  
Injectables

## Challenges

- Monthly injections
- Attempts to increase potency & reduce injection frequency



Topical eye  
droplet

- Historical challenges: other eye droplet candidates failed
  - Do not reach retina
  - Toxicity
  - Lack biological effect



Oral  
or  
systemic

- Can impact whole body
- Retinal barrier

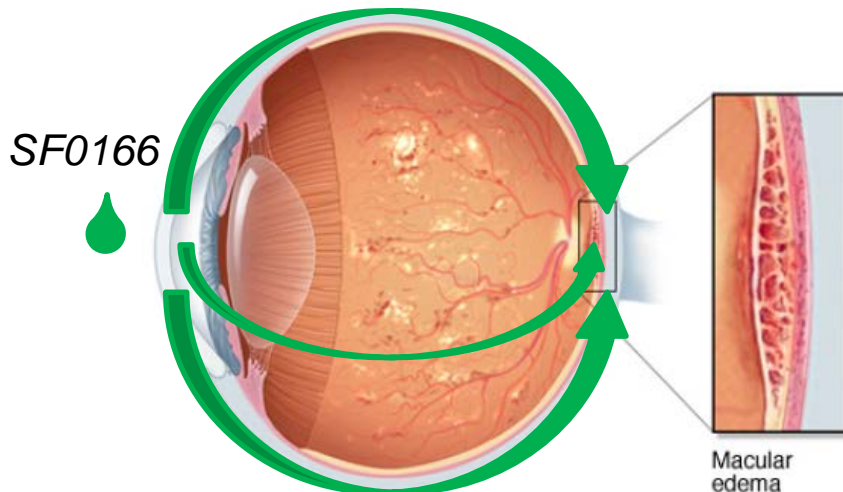


# The Holy Grail of retinal disease is an eye droplet



*SF0166 is radically differentiated*

1. Route of administration:  
Self-administered
2. Mechanism of action:  
Interrupts multiple disease pathways
3. Clinical results  
Excellent safety profile  
Biological activity
4. Highly protected  
6 issued patents; protection to 2034



## *Leading ophthalmologists who ran Phase 3 trials for Lucentis and Eylea*



**Jeffery Heier, MD**

- Ophthalmic Consultants of Boston
- Lead investigator for MARINA (Lucentis Phase 3)
- Chair Steering Committee for VIEW (Eylea Phase 3)



**Peter Kaiser, MD**

- Cole Eye Institute (Cleveland Clinic)
- Principal Investigator VISTA-DME (Eylea Phase 3)
- Principal Investigator VIEW (Eylea Phase 3)
- Founder SKS Ocular (company acquired 2014)



**David Boyer, MD**

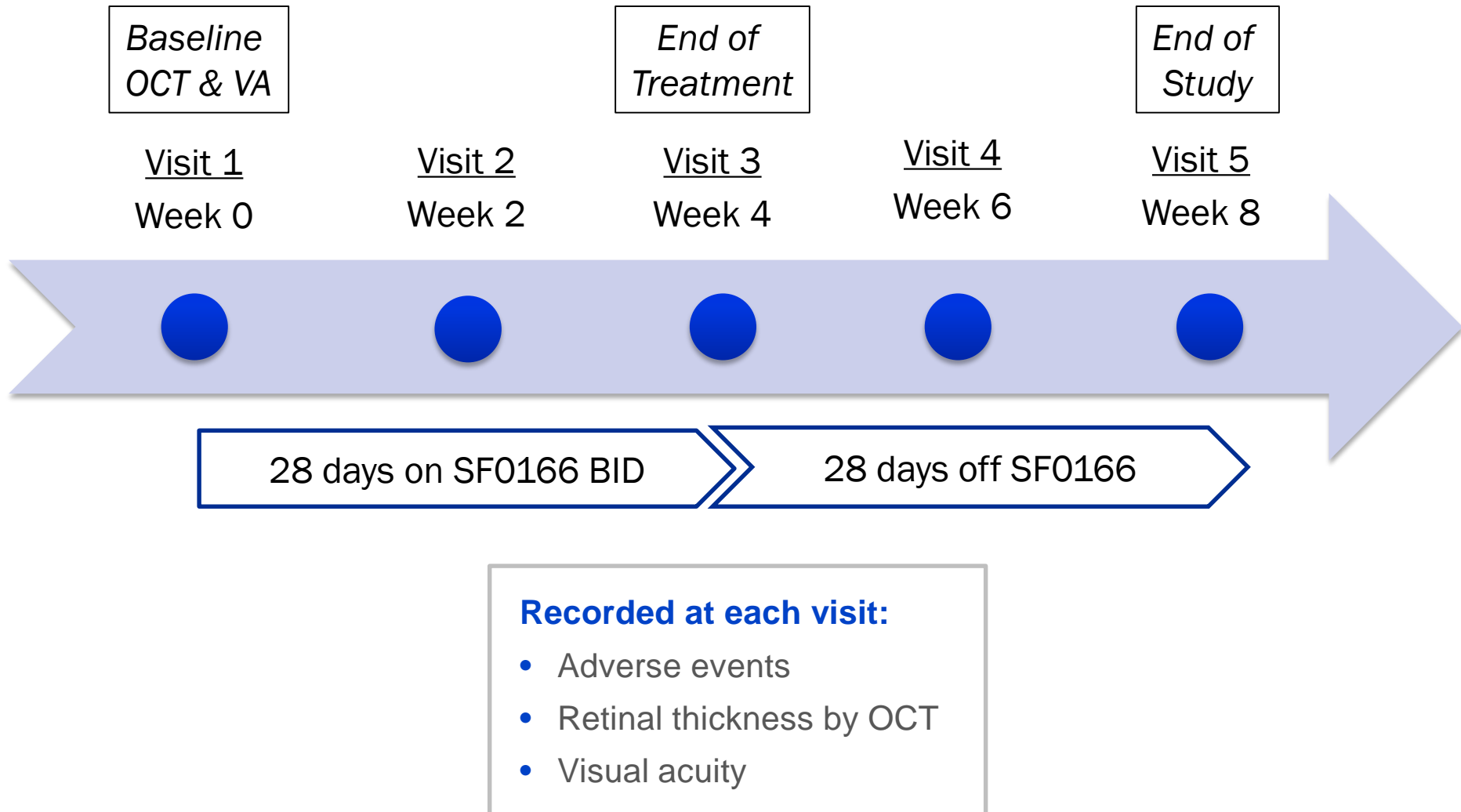
- Retina Vitreous Associates Medical Group
- Principal Investigator COPERNICUS (Eylea Phase 3)
- Principal Investigator VIBRANT (Eylea Phase 3)

*Safety studies in patients with retinal disease provide early insight into biological activity in heterogeneous population*

	DME Study	Wet-AMD study
Number of Patients	44	44
Number of Treatment Arms	2	
Primary Outcome	Safety	
Secondary Outcome:	<p>Biological activity:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>➤ Retinal thickness changes via Optical Coherence Tomography (OCT or standard retinal imaging, reviewed by core lab)</li><li>➤ Change in Visual Acuity (best corrected VA)</li></ul>	



# Phase I/II clinical trial design focused on safety

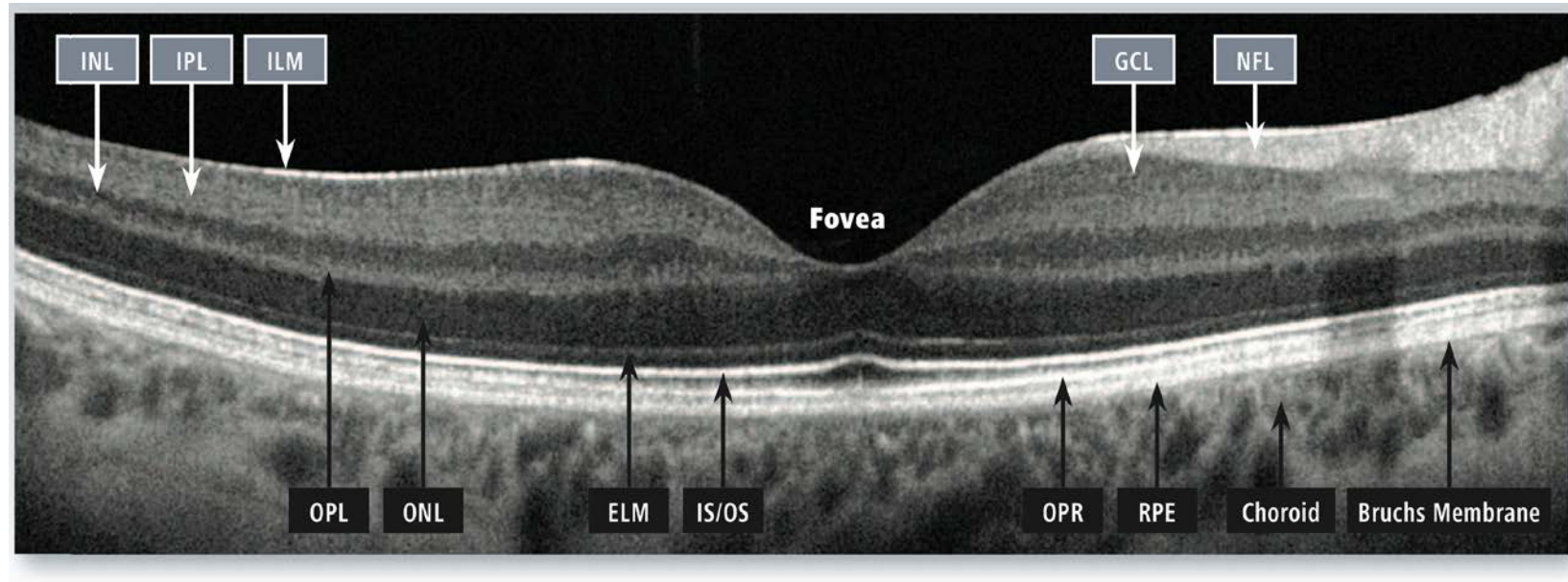


- Assessed safety in 88 patients
- No signs of corneal toxicity
- No drug-related Significant Adverse Events (SAE's)
- Observed events are highly characteristic of populations evaluated

	DME Study	Wet-AMD Study
Ocular Adverse Events (AEs)	<b>7</b> (1 possibly related to SF0166 – conjunctivitis)	<b>5</b> (1 possibly related to SF0166 – dry eye)
Non-ocular, not drug related, serious adverse events (SAEs)	<b>6</b> (hyperglycemia, dizziness, pneumonia, septic diabetic foot ulcer, TIA, worsening of cardiomyopathy)	<b>1</b> (peripheral artery thrombus)
Non-ocular AEs	<b>33</b> (only 1 assessed as probably drug related – itching)	<b>11</b> (1 assessed as probable (headache), one as possible (dysgeusia))

# Example: normal OCT scan

## OCT Scan of Normal, Healthy Eye and Identification of Retinal Layers

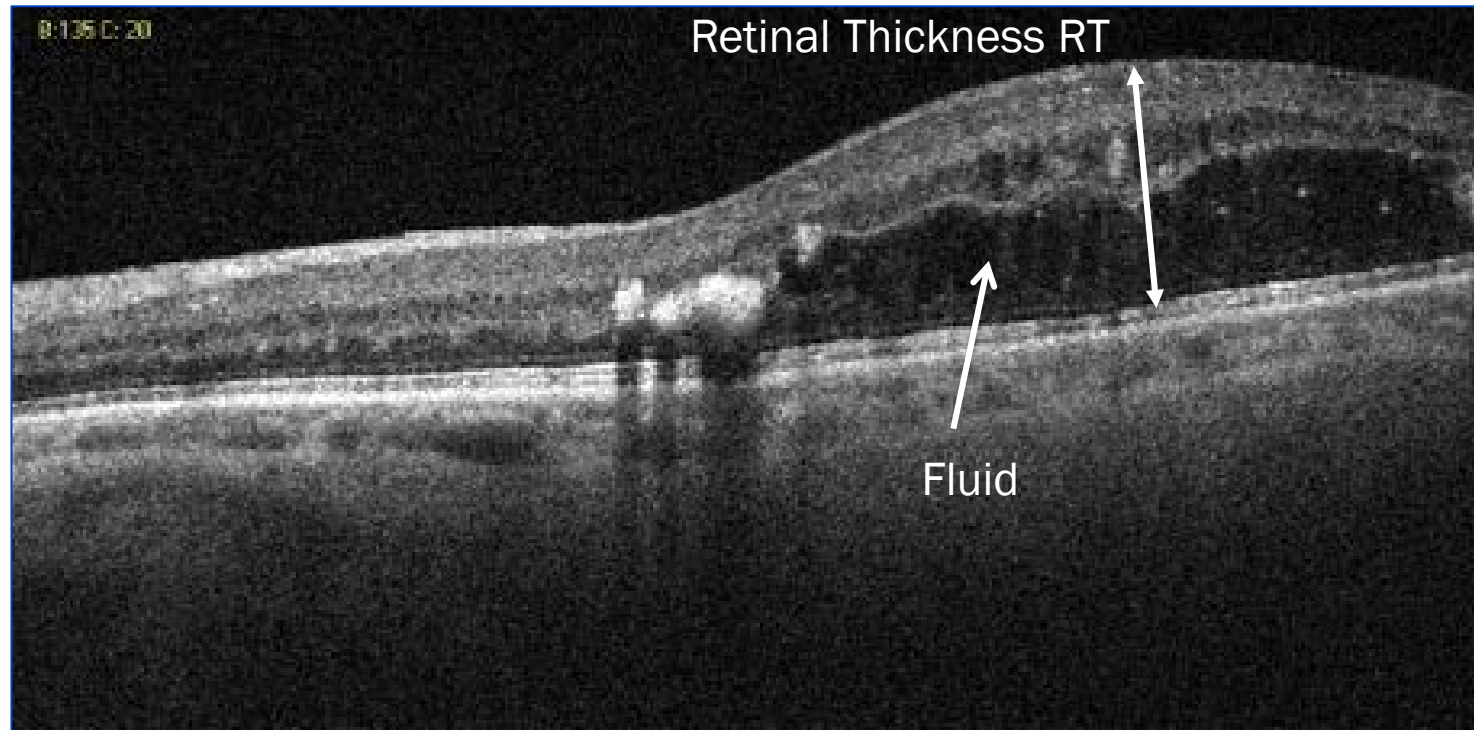


ILM: Inner limiting membrane  
IPL: Inner plexiform layer  
INL: Inner nuclear layer  
OPL: Outer plexiform layer  
ONL: Outer nuclear layer

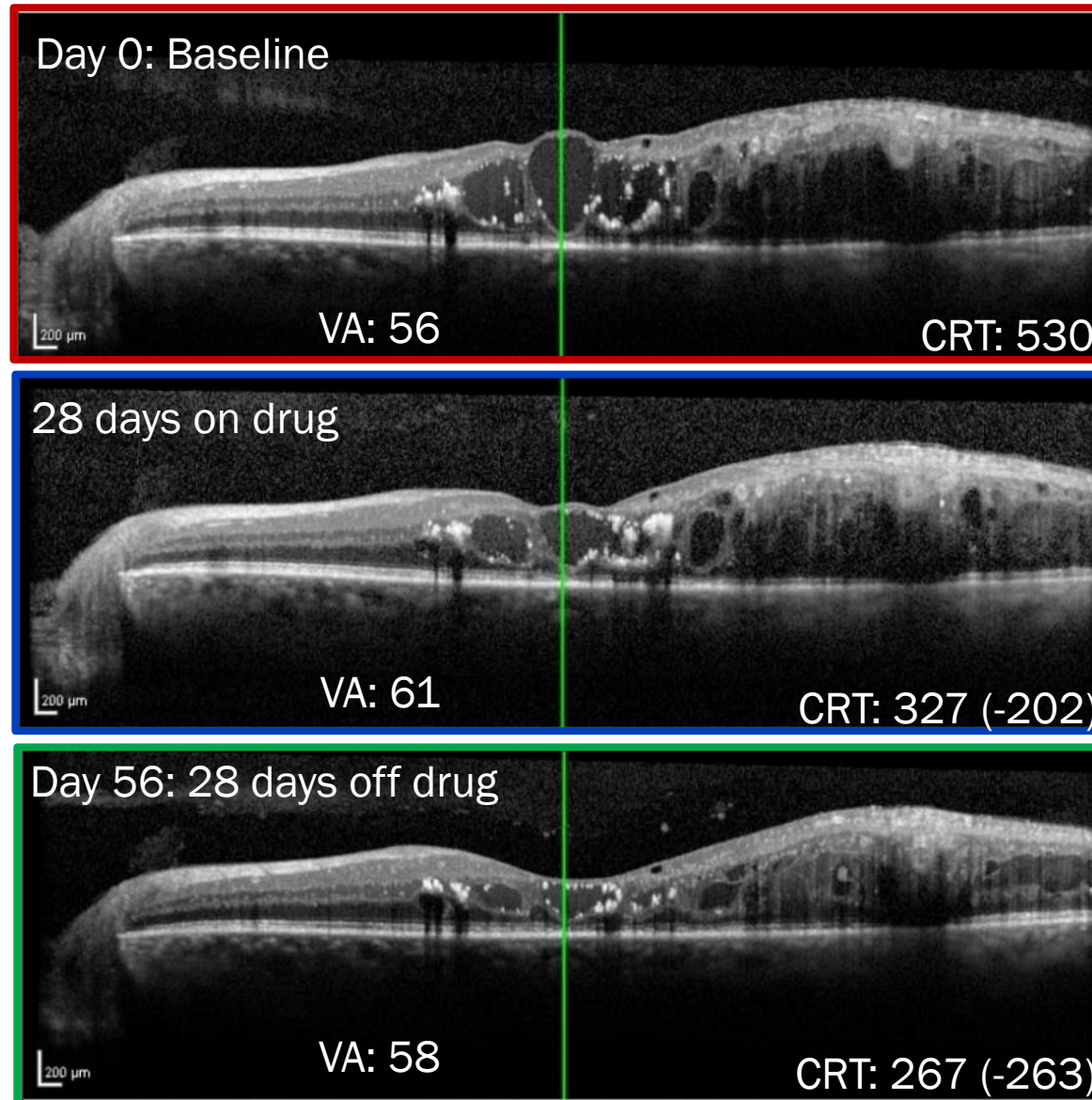
ELM: External limiting membrane  
IS/OS: Junction of inner and outer  
photoreceptor segments  
OPR: Outer segment PR/RPE complex

NFL: Nerve fiber layer  
GCL: Ganglion cell layer  
RPE: Retinal pigment epithelium  
+ Bruch's Membrane

# Example: OCT scan of a DME patient

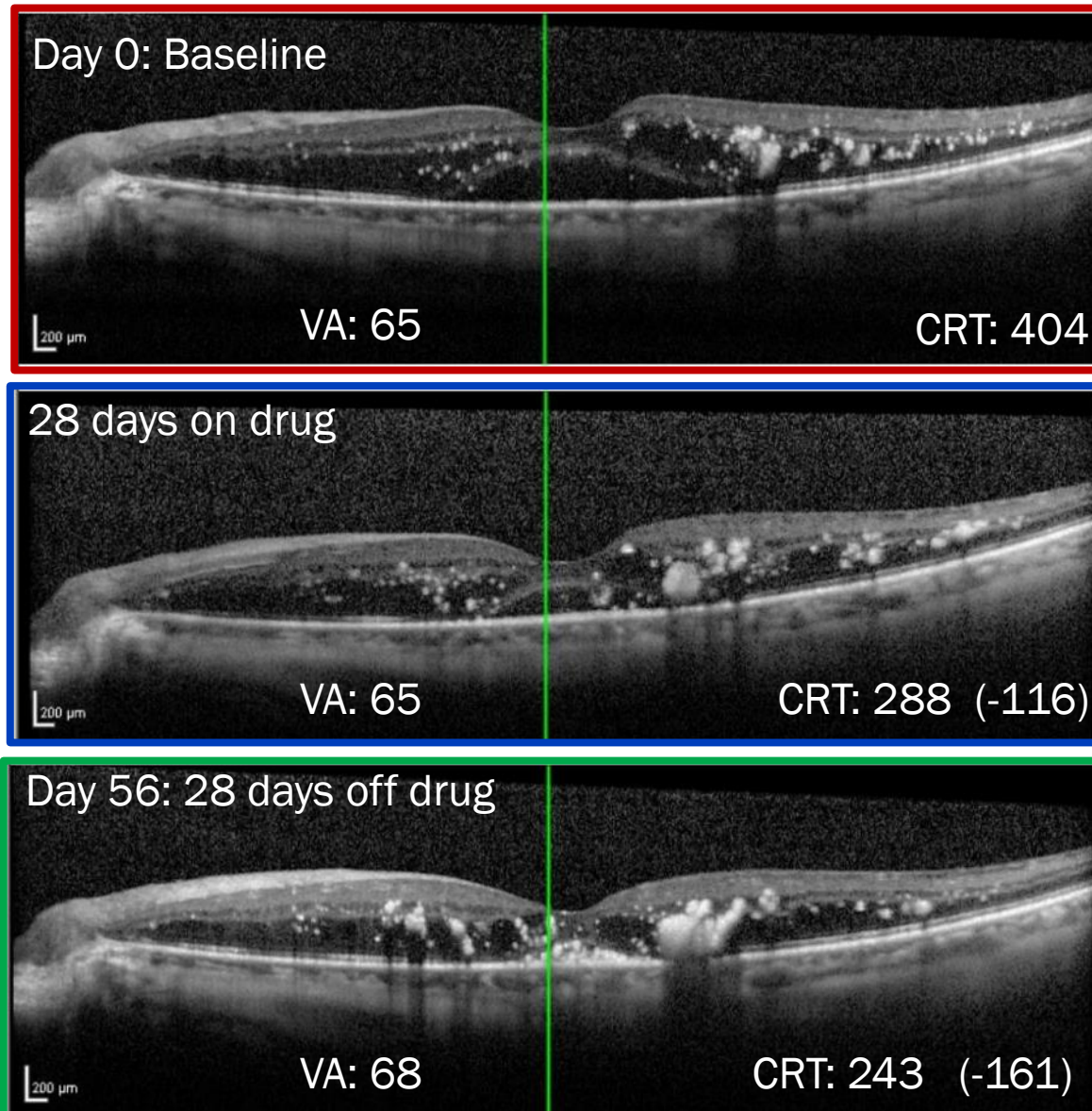


# Responder: DME patient 103002



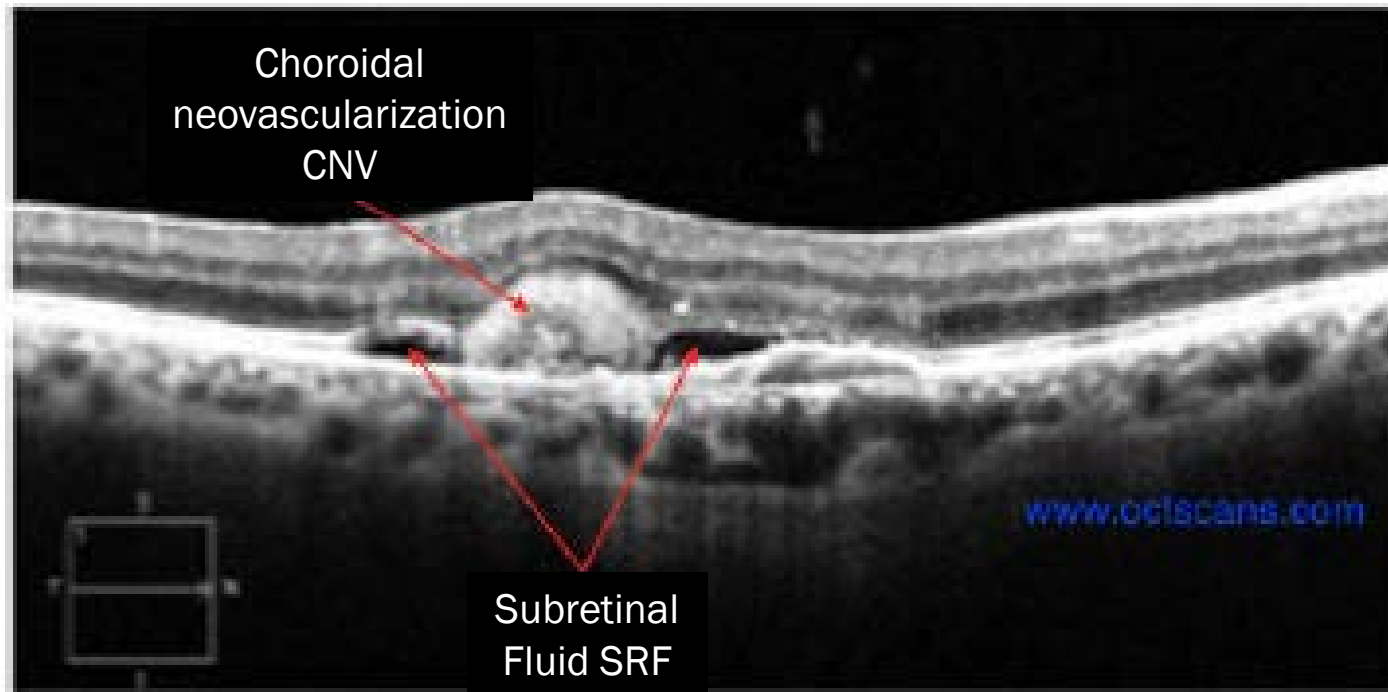


# Responder: DME patient 103014

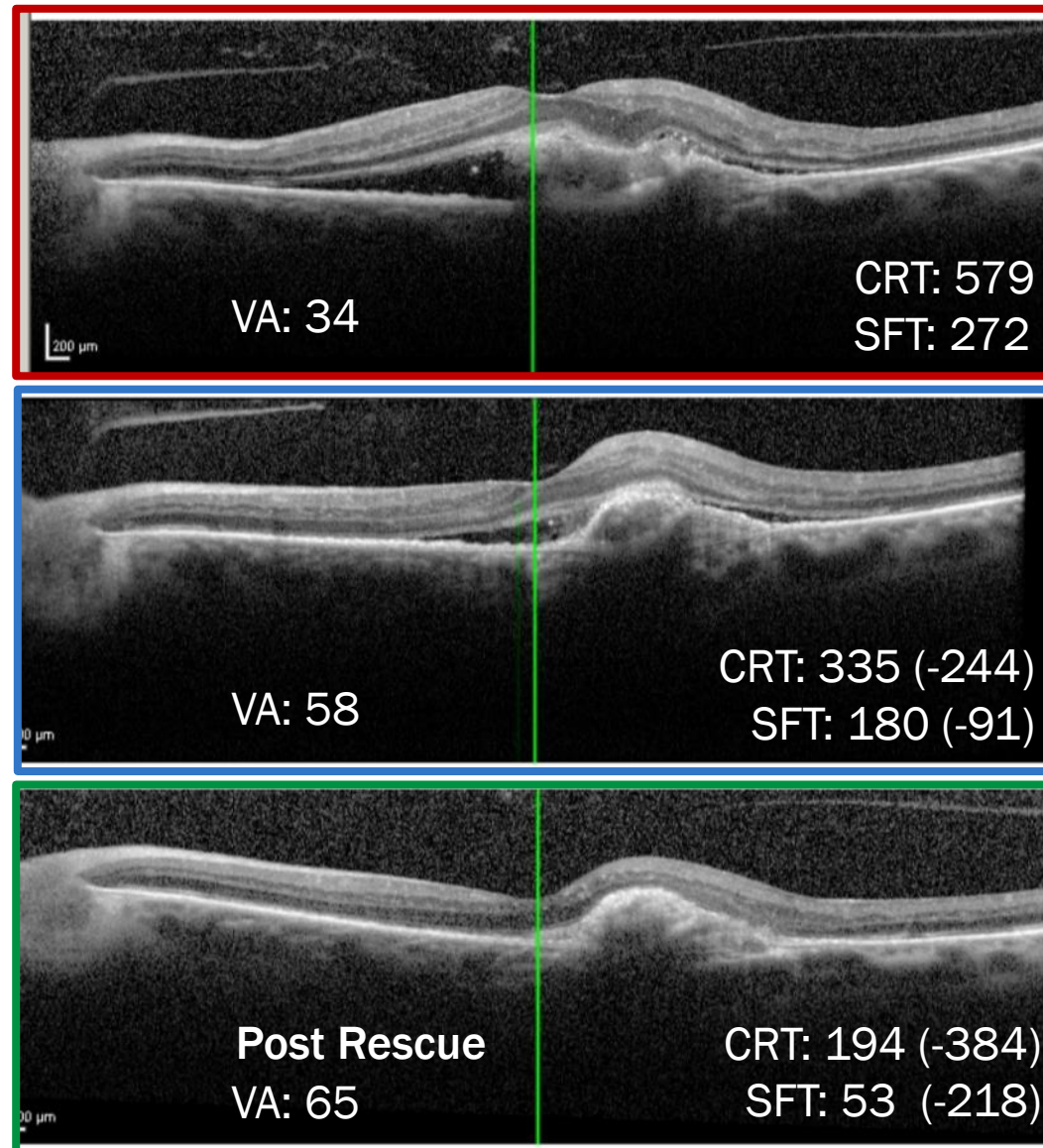




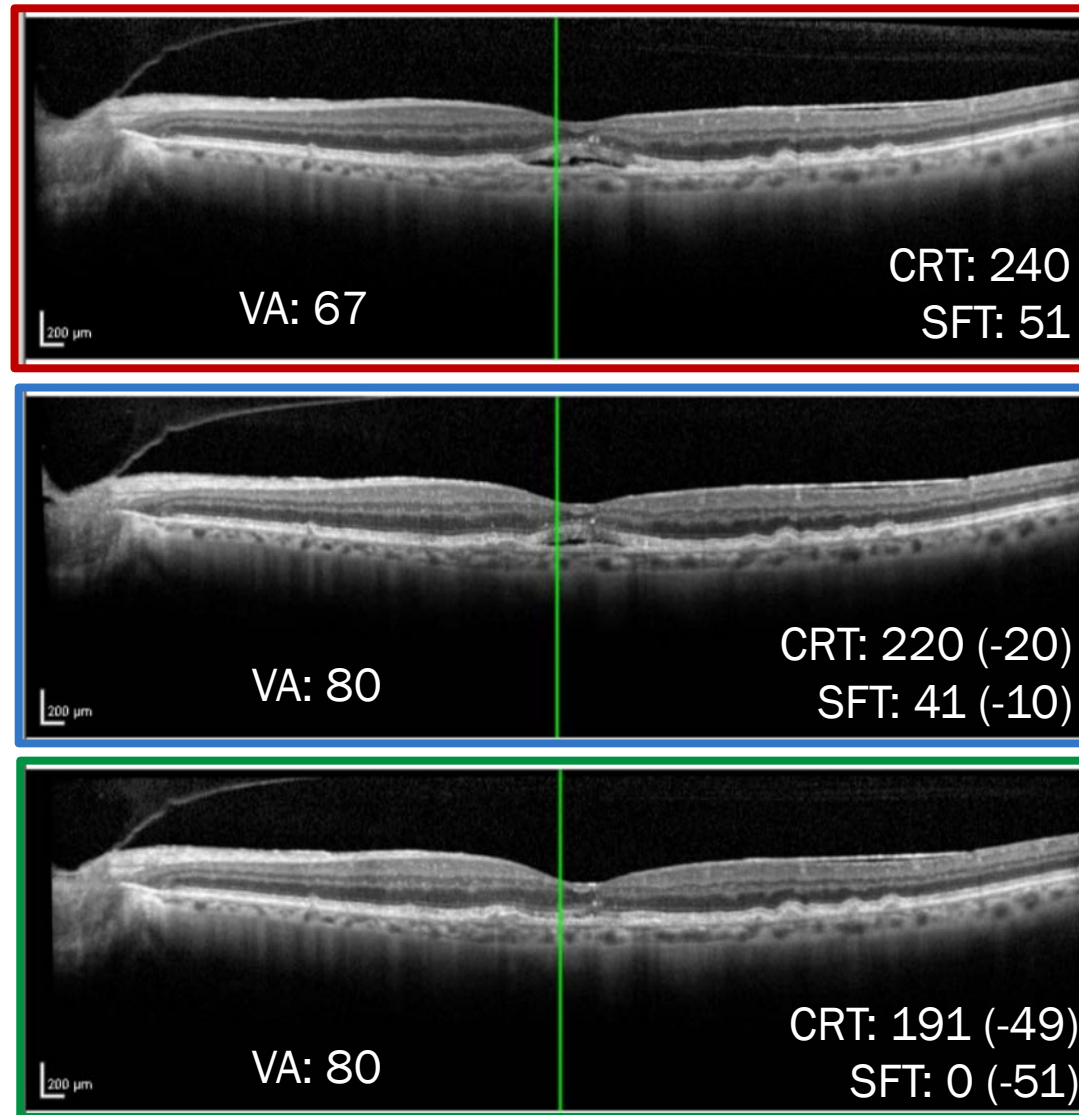
# Example: OCT scan in a wet-AMD patient



# Responder: wet-AMD patient 108002



# Responder: wet-AMD patient 116002



*Clear evidence SF0166 reaches the retina and has a biological effect despite heterogeneous patient populations in DME & wet-AMD*

	DME Study	Wet-AMD Study
Number of Patients Completed	40	42
Responders*	21 (53%)	9 (21%)
*definition	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Assessed as reduction in retinal thickness per OCT</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Defined as reduction in retinal thickness, elimination or significant reduction of subretinal fluid and clinical judgement</li> </ul>
SciFluor is further evaluating results of patient subsets of each patient population	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>DME patients often are easier to treat and progress more slowly.</li> <li>Sample included significantly more treatment-naïve patients relative to wet-AMD sample</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Wet-AMD patients often can go blind much more rapidly and typically do not spontaneously improve significantly without therapy.</li> <li>Sample included significantly fewer treatment-naïve patients</li> </ul>

- Both Phase I/II studies were successful (positive)
  - Excellent safety profile in 88 patients
  - Evidence of biological activity seen in both studies
- ✧ *Data strongly support advancing SF0166 into Phase 2 clinical development for DME and wet-AMD*
- ✧ *Management and Scientific Advisory Board developing trial designs, outcomes, patient populations and enrollment criteria for Phase 2, recognizing that visual acuity is a primary endpoint for most US approvals and retinal thickness is a valuable secondary outcome*

*The role for a safe eye droplet with biological activity can be diverse depending on patient population and stage of disease; SciFluor may design different trials for DME and wet-AMD*

- Primary outcomes: safety and visual acuity
- Secondary outcomes: retinal thickness
- N = 150 - 200
- $\geq 3$  dose groups
- 3-month treatment duration
- 3-month follow up duration
- Estimated \$10M and ~1 year (per trial)



*Issued patents: significant runway; 100% owned by SciFluor (no royalties)*

## Issued SciFluor SF0166 patents

	Patent No.	Issue Date	20-year Term	Comments
Retinal diseases	US 8,901,144	12/2/14	2034	SF0166 and analogs composition of matter
	US 9,266,884	2/23/16	2034	SF0166 and analogs (method of use)
	US 9,518,053	12/13/16	2034	SF0166 analogs (composition of matter)
	US 9,593,114	3/14/17	2034	SF0166 analogs (composition of matter)
	US 9,717,729	8/1/17	2034	SF0166 and analogs (methods of use)
	EP 2953948	9/27/2017	2034	SF0166 and analogs (composition of matter and methods of use)
Bone resorption	9,802,933	10/31/17	2034	SF0166 and analogs (methods of use)

# Unlocking a premium exit valuation

	Comment
Disruptive innovation solving important problem	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• &gt;50m people with retinal diseases leading to blindness</li><li>• Current injectables cause significant patient discomfort and cost</li></ul>
Favourable market dynamics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Revenues for injectable drugs for DME and wet-AMD exceed \$8 billion</li><li>• Growing market: ageing population and increasing diabetes incidence</li></ul>
Sustainable competitive advantage	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Patent protection: composition of matter and method of use</li><li>• Clear cost and patient comfort advantages versus injectables</li><li>• Non-injectable alternatives: pre-clinical, or with poor clinical results</li></ul>
Route to widespread adoption	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Injectables have established reimbursement codes</li><li>• SF0166 would be distributed through standard pharmacy chains</li></ul>
Capable management, with aligned interests	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Leadership team includes world-leading experts in drug development with track record of producing compounds with &gt;\$1 billion in revenue</li><li>• Live search for full-time CEO</li></ul>
Establish potential for competitive tension	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Obvious attractions to owners of injectable assets<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Defensive measure (if monotherapy)</li><li>○ Offensive/Complementary (franchise expansion/combination)</li></ul></li><li>• IPO candidate at appropriate juncture</li></ul>



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