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# QuANTUM-First: Safety By Treatment Phase and by Age in Newly Diagnosed Patients with FMS-Like Tyrosine Kinase 3–Internal Tandem Duplication (*FLT3*-ITD) Positive Acute Myeloid Leukemia

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## BACKGROUND

- Based on the QuANTUM-First (NCT02668653) data<sup>1</sup>:
  - Quizartinib has been approved in the US,<sup>2,3</sup> EU,<sup>4</sup> and in Japan<sup>5</sup> in combination with chemotherapy across induction, consolidation, and as maintenance monotherapy (but not after transplantation in the US) for the treatment of adult patients with newly diagnosed *FLT3*-ITD–positive AML<sup>1</sup>
  - 40% of the QuANTUM-First study population was  $\geq 60$  years of age

## OBJECTIVES

- Safety by phase (induction, consolidation, continuation) and by age (<60, 60-75 years) is reported here in patients with newly diagnosed AML treated in the QuANTUM-First study

## METHODS

- Safety was evaluated in patients treated with  $\geq 1$  dose of quizartinib or placebo
  - Treatment-emergent adverse events were coded by MedDRA v24.0, severity by NCI CTCAE v4.03

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# QuANTUM-First Phase 3 Trial: Quizartinib Plus Standard Induction Chemotherapy and Consolidation Followed by Single-Agent Quizartinib

**Enrollment dates:** Sep 2016 to Aug 2019  
**Data cutoff:** Aug 13, 2021

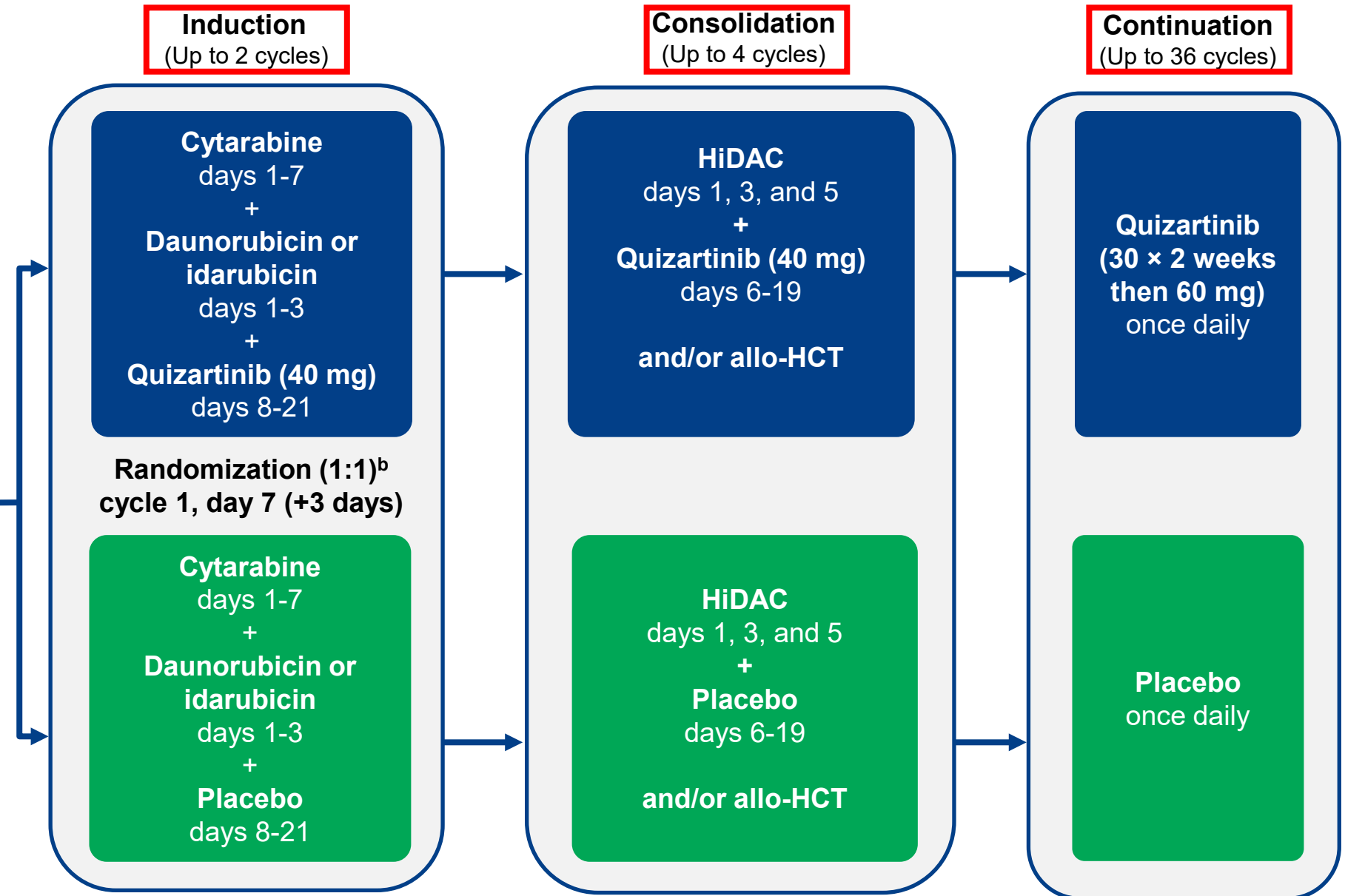
## Key endpoints<sup>a</sup>

- **Primary endpoint:** OS
- **Secondary endpoints:** EFS, CR, CRc, CR/CRc with MRD- end of induction, safety
- **Exploratory endpoints:** RFS, DoCR

- Newly diagnosed *FLT3*-ITD+ AML
- 18-75 years of age
- $\geq 3\%$  *FLT3*-ITD allelic frequency
- Patients begin 7+3 chemotherapy during screening

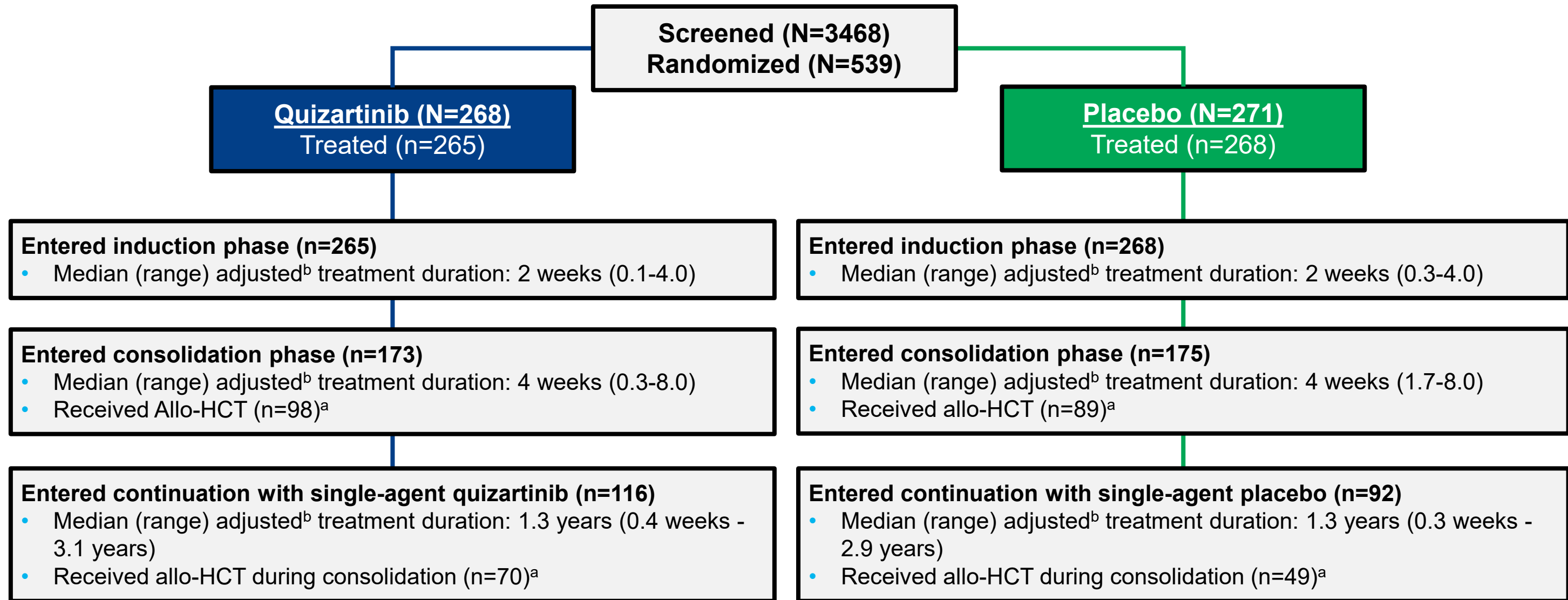
## Safety assessments

- Safety was evaluated in patients treated with  $\geq 1$  dose of quizartinib or placebo
- TEAEs coded using MedDRA v24.0 and graded for severity by NCI CTCAE v4.03



<sup>a</sup>A hierarchical testing procedure was used to test the primary endpoint of OS, followed by EFS, CR, CRc, CR with *FLT3*-ITD MRD negativity, and CRc with *FLT3*-ITD MRD negativity. <sup>b</sup>Stratification factors at randomization: region (NA, EU, and Asia/other regions), patient age (<60 years,  $\geq 60$  years), and WBC (< $40 \times 10^9/L$ ,  $\geq 40 \times 10^9/L$ ). NCT02668653. Allo-HCT, allogeneic hematopoietic cell transplantation; AML, acute myeloid leukemia; CR, complete remission; CRc, composite complete remission; DoCR, duration of complete remission; EFS, event-free survival; EU, European Union; *FLT3*-ITD, FMS-like tyrosine kinase 3-internal tandem duplication; HiDAC, high-dose cytarabine; MedDRA, Medical Dictionary for Regulatory Activities; MRD, measurable residual disease; NA, North America; NCI CTCAE, National Cancer Institute Common Terminology Criteria for Adverse Events; OS, overall survival; RFS, relapse-free survival; TEAE, treatment-emergent adverse event; WBC, white blood cell.

# CONSORT Diagram



<sup>a</sup>Includes protocol-specified allo-HCT. <sup>b</sup>Adjusted treatment duration for each phase is the treatment duration minus the planned off drug days in each phase.  
Allo-HCT, allogeneic hematopoietic cell transplantation.

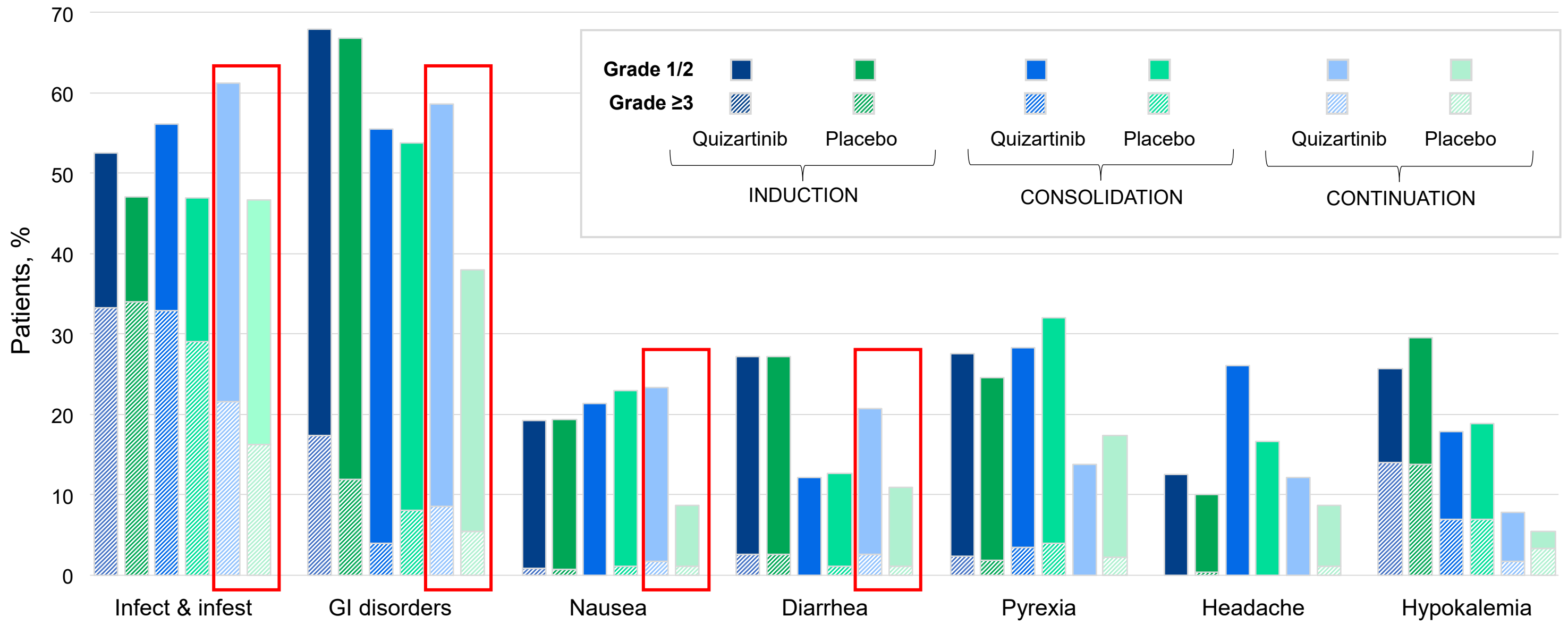
# Summary of Overall Safety of QuANTUM-First by Treatment Phase

	Induction phase		Consolidation phase		Continuation phase	
	Quizartinib (n=265)	Placebo (n=268)	Quizartinib (n=173)	Placebo (n=175)	Quizartinib (n=116)	Placebo (n=92)
<b>AEs, %</b>						
Any TEAEs	98.1	97.4	92.5	91.4	94.0	91.3
Grade ≥3 TEAEs (including grade 5)	70.6	74.6	69.4	69.1	78.4	57.6
Serious TEAEs	28.3	24.6	34.1	30.9	33.6	37.0
AEs associated with fatal outcome	7.2	4.9	4.6	2.9	2.6	7.6
<b>Dose modifications due to TEAEs, %</b>						
Treatment discontinuation	9.8	4.1	5.8	2.9	15.5	7.6
Dose interruption	9.1	11.2	8.1	7.4	56.0	23.9
Dose reduction	2.6	1.1	2.3	0	36.2	15.2
Dose reductions due to QT prolongation	1.1	0	1.2	0	5.2	1.1
<b>QTcF interval, %</b>						
>450 ms	23.0	11.9	22.5	7.4	26.7	15.2
>480 ms	3.8	1.5	4.0	1.7	6.9	0
>500 ms	0.8	0.7	2.3	0	0	0

Early deaths, %	Induction phase	
	Quizartinib (n=265)	Placebo (n=268)
Deaths within 30 days of first dose	5.7	3.4
Deaths within 60 days of first dose	7.5 <sup>a</sup>	4.9

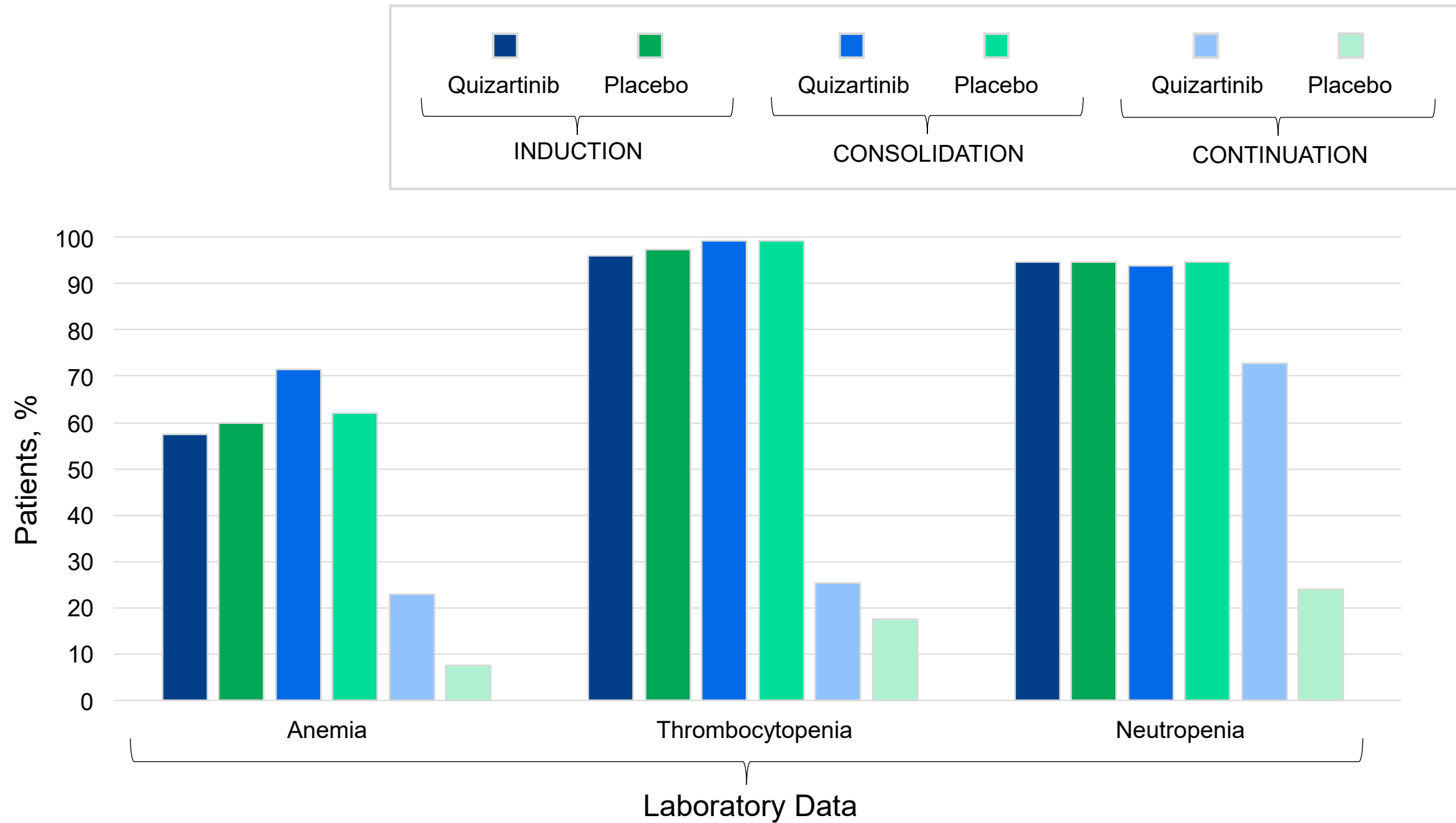
<sup>a</sup>One death occurred in consolidation. AE, adverse event; ms, milliseconds; QTcF, QT interval corrected using Fridericia's formula; TEAE, treatment-emergent adverse event.

# Nonhematologic TEAEs Occurring in $\geq 20\%$ of Patients by Treatment Phase



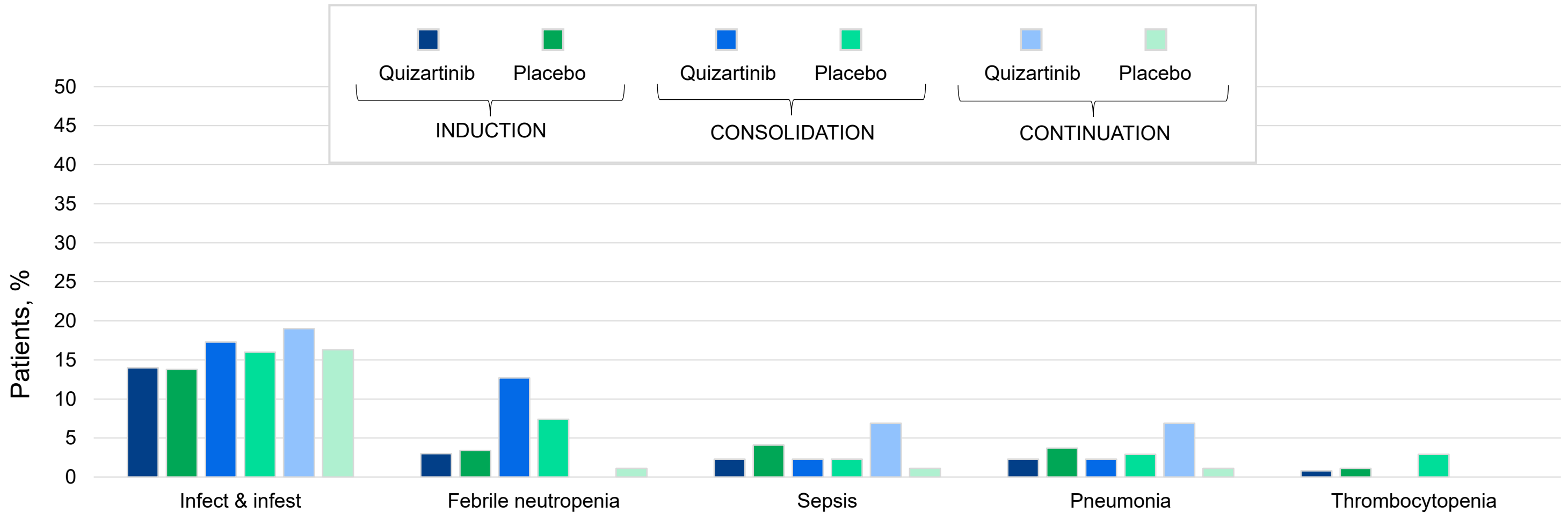
GI, gastrointestinal; TEAE, treatment-emergent adverse event.

# Patients Experiencing Grade 3/4 Myelosuppression by Treatment Phase



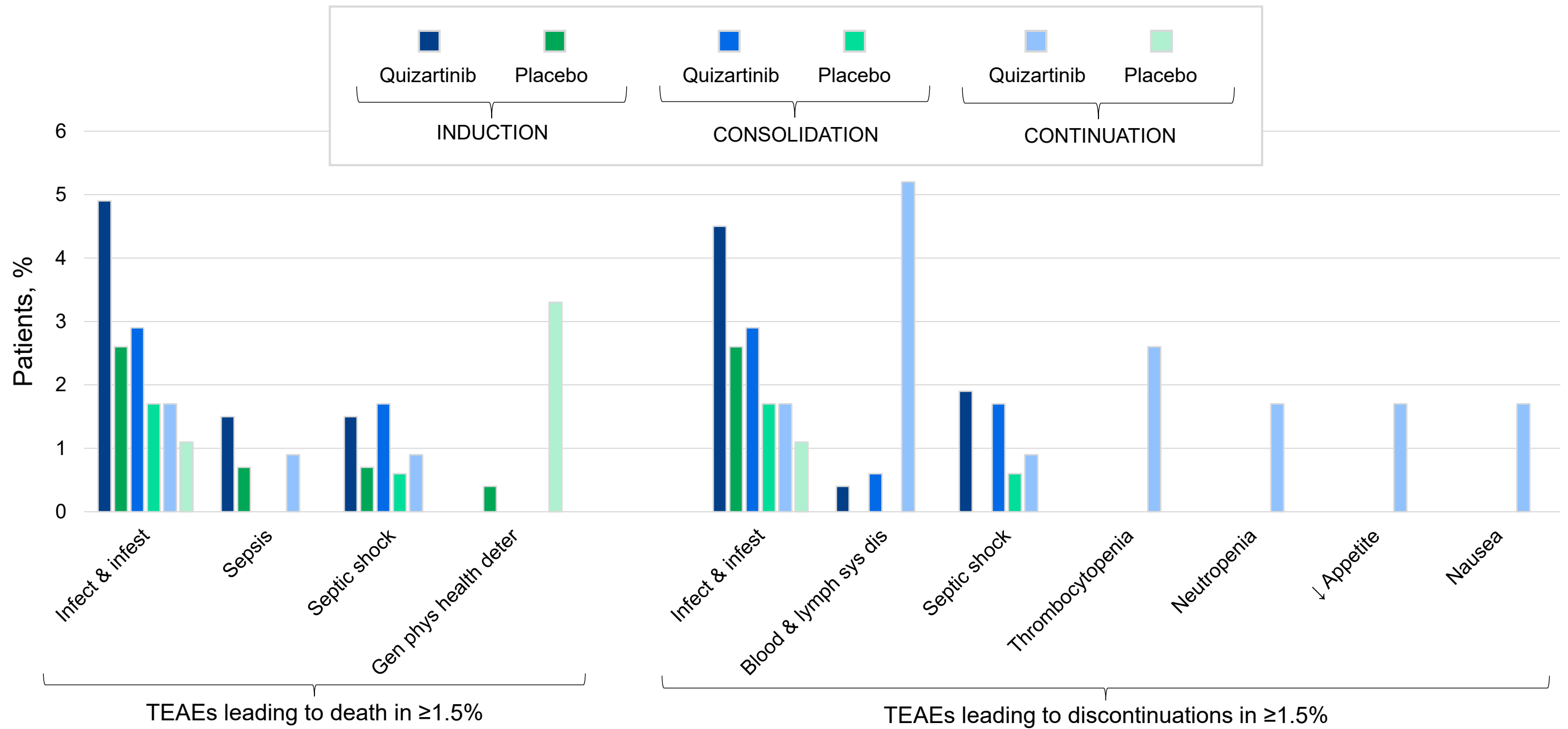
<sup>a</sup>Febrile neutropenia of grade  $\geq 3$ .

# Serious TEAEs Occurring in $\geq 4\%$ of Patients by Treatment Phase





# TEAEs Leading to Death or Discontinuations by Treatment Phase

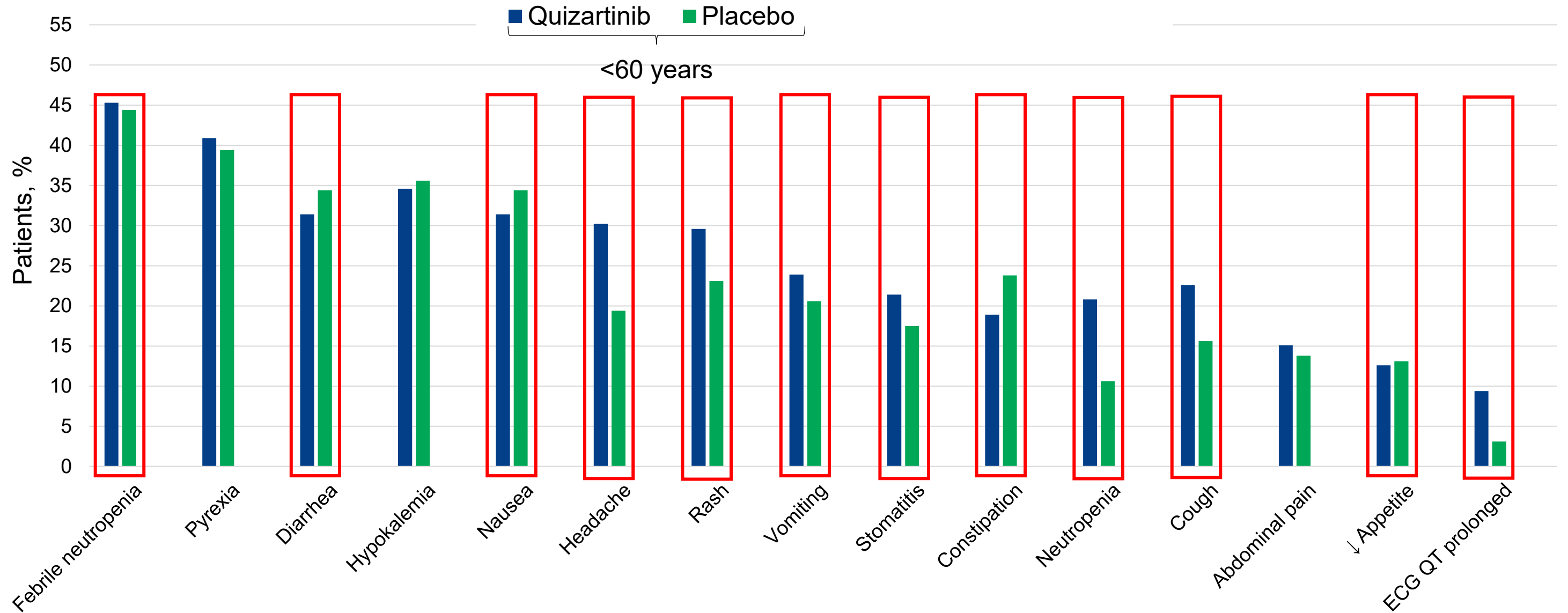


TEAE, treatment-emergent adverse event.

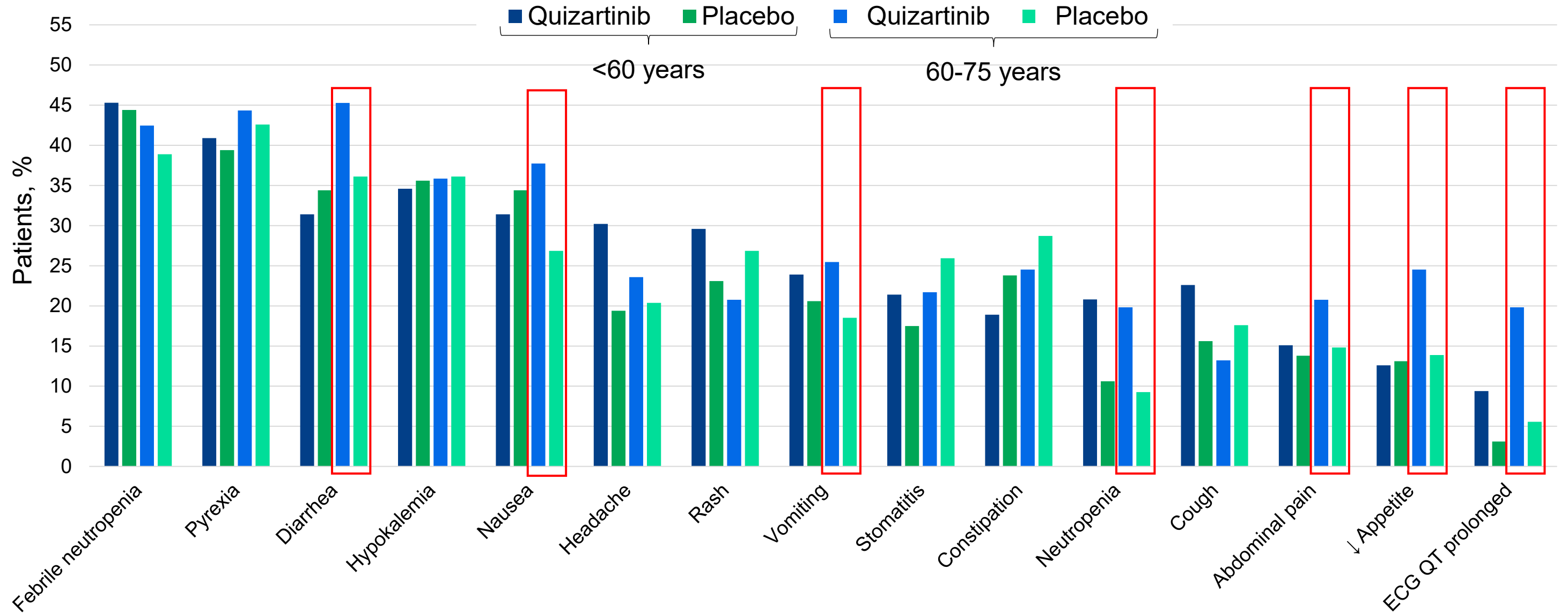
# Summary of Overall Safety of QuANTUM-First by Age

	<60 years (N=319)		60-75 years (N=214)	
	Quizartinib (n=159)	Placebo (n=160)	Quizartinib (n=106)	Placebo (n=108)
<b>AEs, %</b>				
Any TEAEs	100.0	99.4	99.1	98.1
Grade ≥3 TEAEs	91.2	88.8	93.4	90.7
TESAEs	52.8	40.0	55.7	54.6
AEs associated with fatal outcome	8.8	7.5	15.1	13.0
<b>Dose modifications due to TEAEs, %</b>				
Treatment discontinuation	16.4	6.9	26.4	11.1
Dose interruption	34.6	16.3	33.0	25.9
Dose reduction	21.4	6.3	15.1	6.5
<b>QTcF interval, %</b>				
>450 ms	34.6	13.1	34.0	25.0
>480 ms	6.9	0.6	8.5	4.6
>500 ms	0.6	0	4.7	1.9

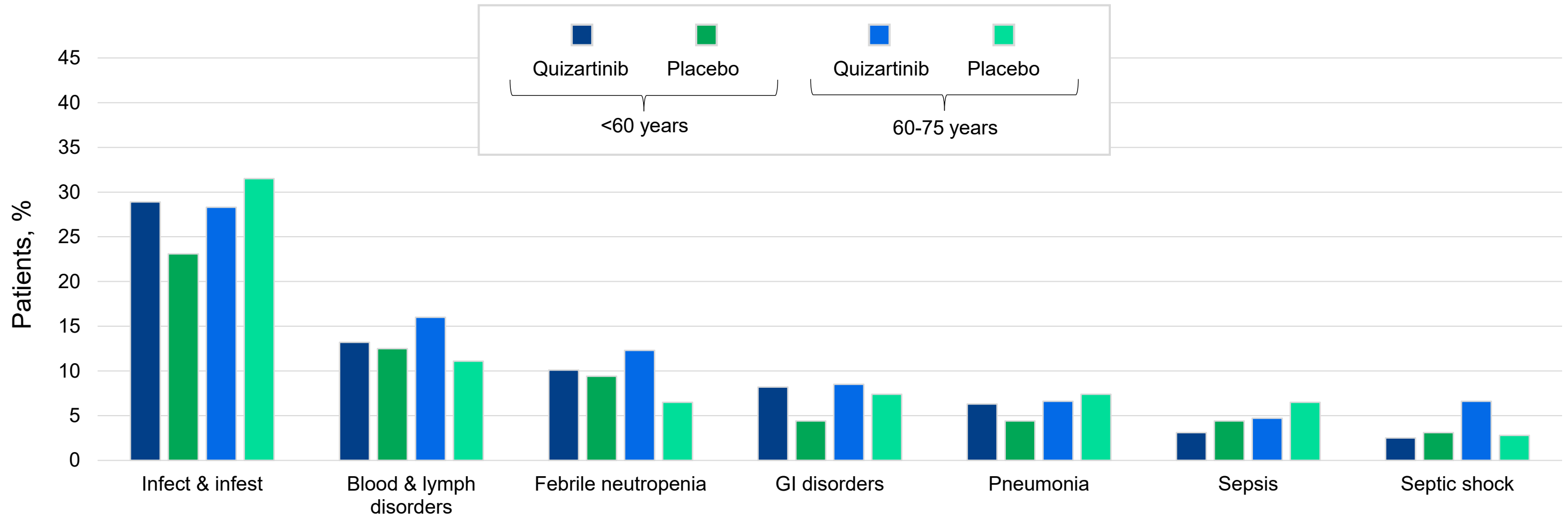
# TEAEs of All Grades Occurring in $\geq 20\%$ of Patients by Age



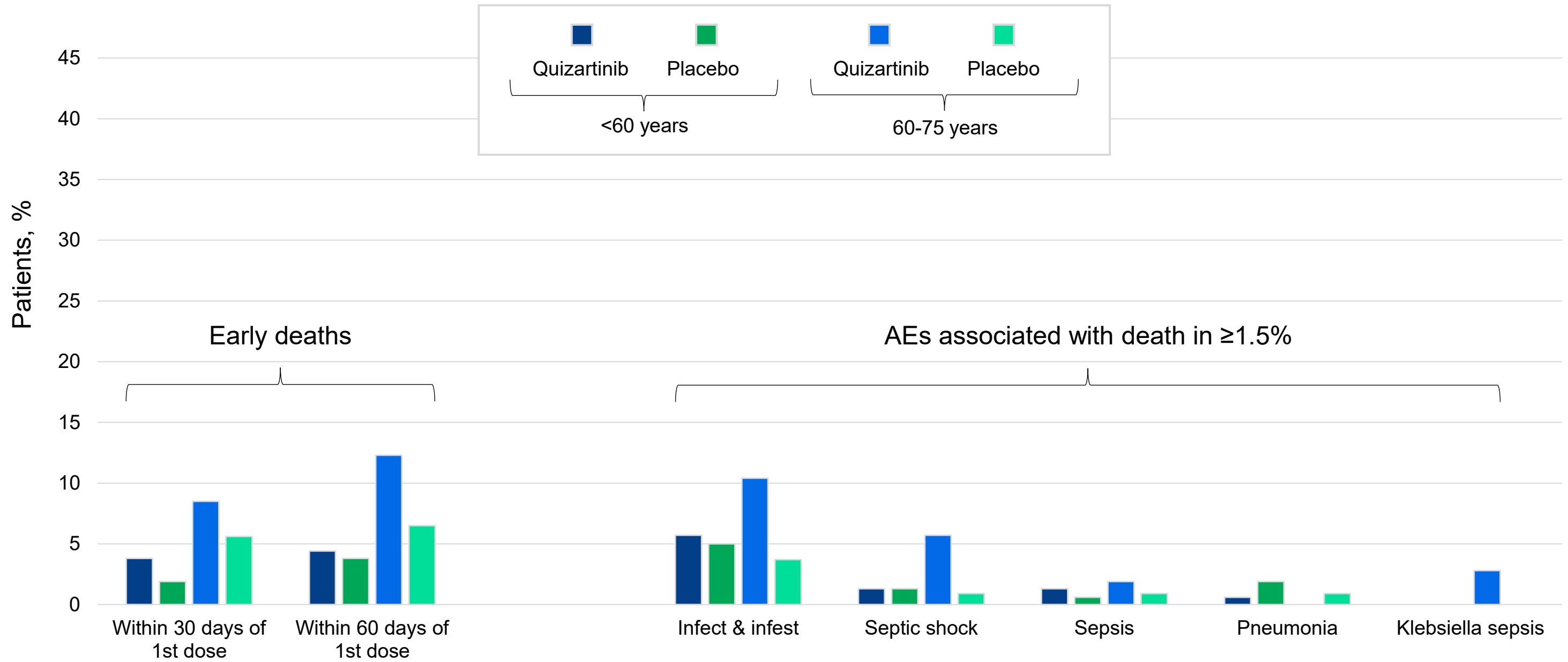
# TEAEs of All Grades Occurring in $\geq 20\%$ of Patients by Age



# Serious TEAEs reported in $\geq 5\%$ of patients



# Early Deaths and AEs Associated With Fatal Outcomes by Age



## Safety by phase

- In QuANTUM-First, infections and cytopenias associated with quizartinib were observed across all phases
- Fatal infections were more common with quizartinib in induction and consolidation, but not in continuation
- Rates of prolonged QTcF  $>500$  ms were low overall and only seen in induction & consolidation
- The safety data from the QuANTUM first study supports the use of quizartinib for up to 144 weeks of continuation therapy

## Safety by age

- The rate of TEAEs leading to death (including early death) was higher in patients aged  $\geq 60$  years in each treatment arm, and rates were numerically higher in the quizartinib group mainly due to infections
- Selection of the optimal treatment for the individual older patient with FLT3 ITD AML remains challenging and is an area of continued clinical investigation

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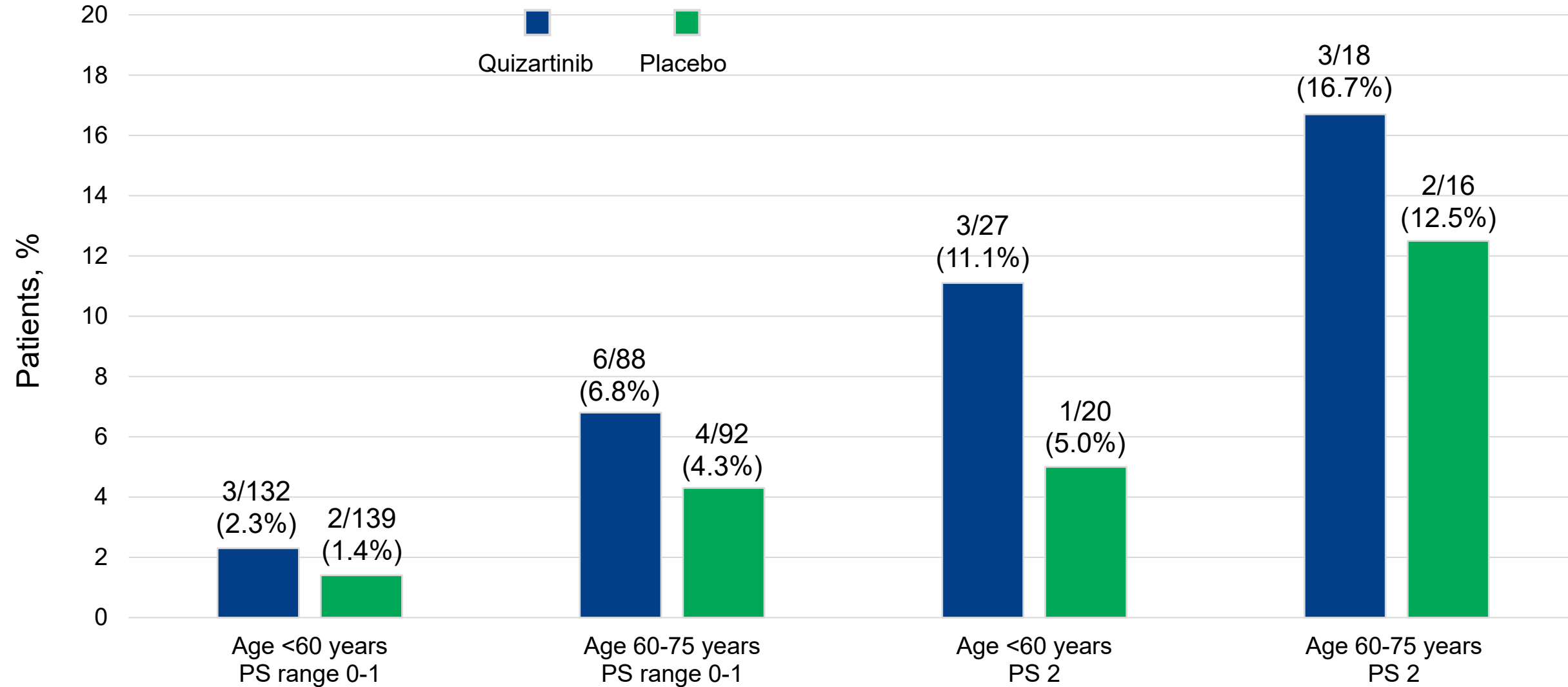
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# Rates of Early Deaths Within 30 Days by Age (<60 years vs 60-75 years) and Performance Status (0-1 vs 2)



Percentage of patients calculated as follows: number of patients with early deaths/number of patients with the specified age/PS.  
PS, performance status.