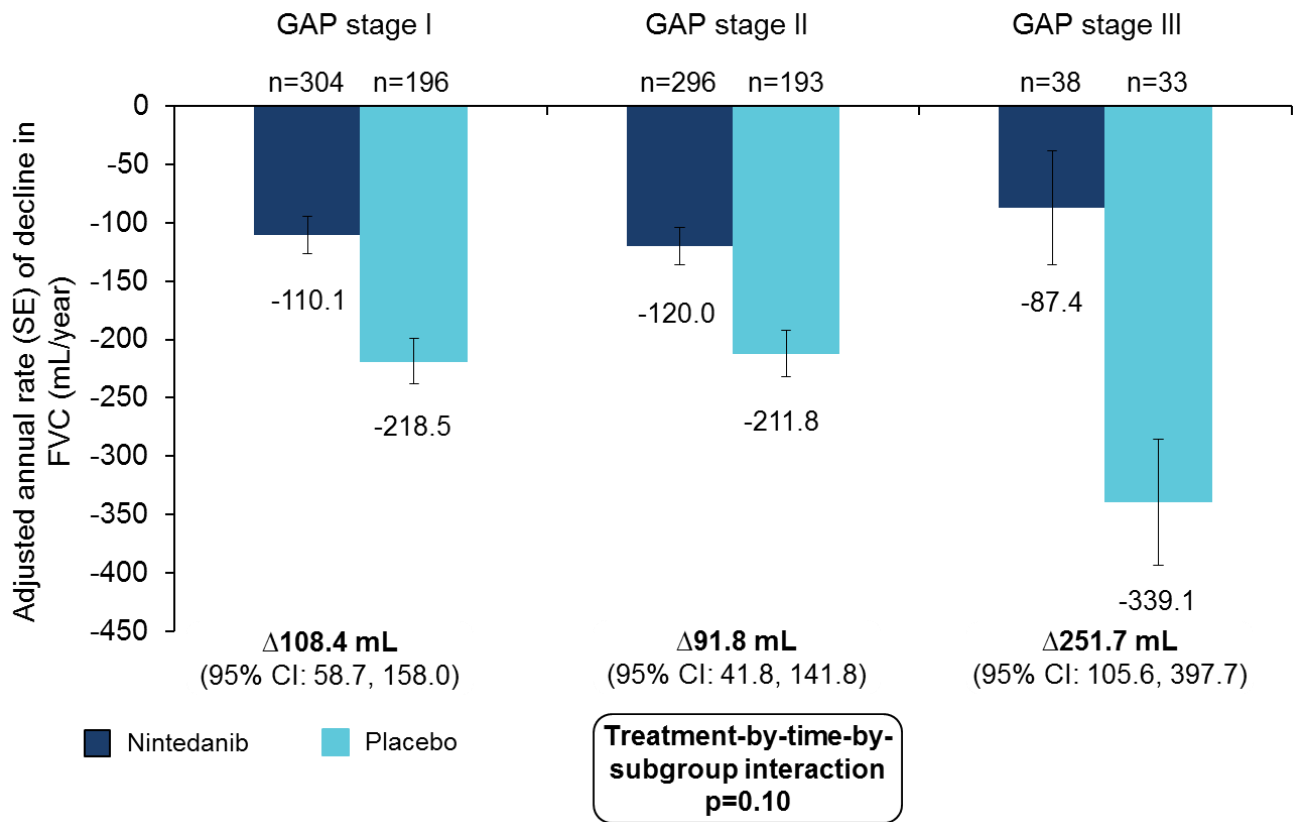
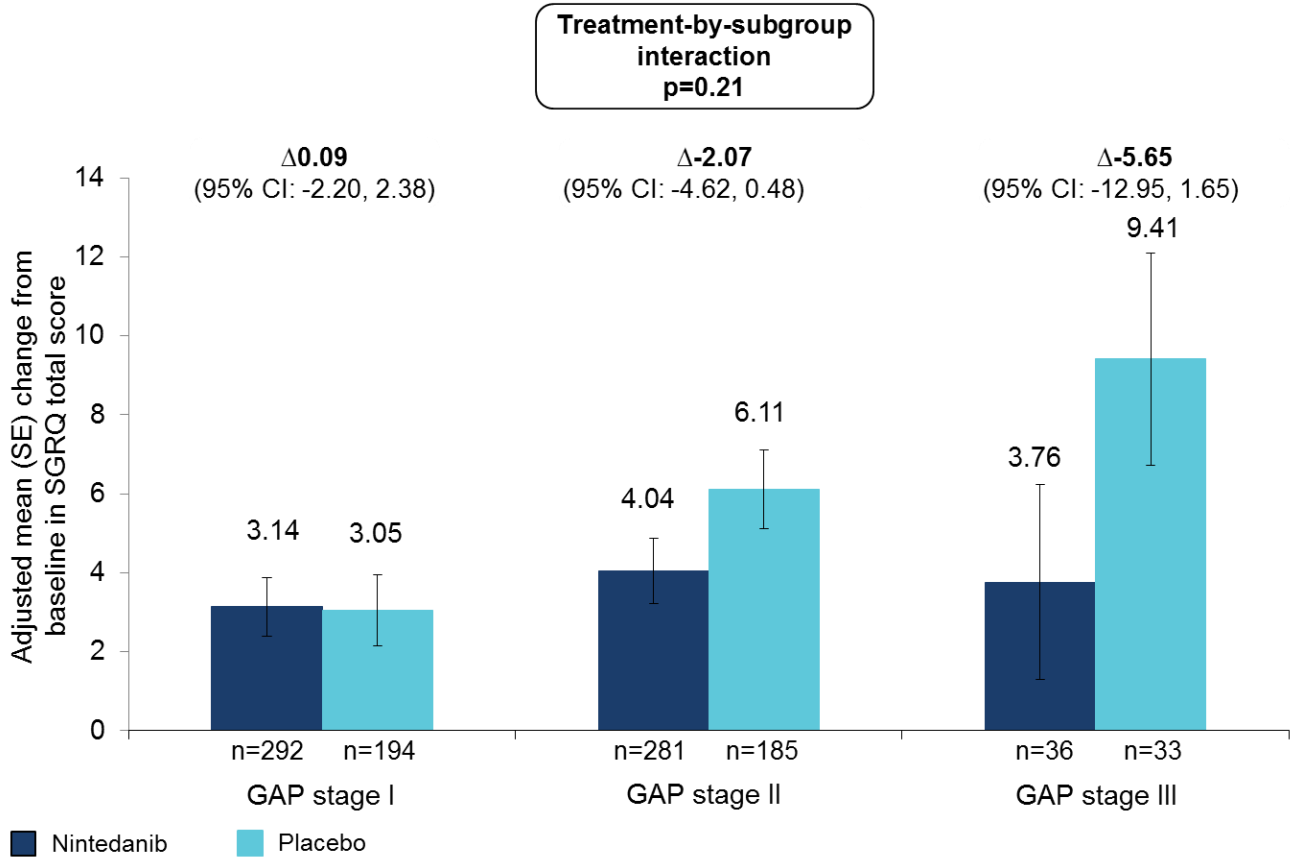


## Supplementary Material

**Figure S1.** Annual rate of decline in forced vital capacity by baseline GAP stage (I, II, III)



**Figure S2.** Change from baseline in SGRQ total score by subgroup at week 52 by baseline GAP stage (I, II, III)



**Table S1.** GAP index and GAP stage at baseline

<b>GAP index</b>	<b>Nintedanib</b>	<b>Placebo</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>GAP stage</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>8</b>	0	0	0	<b>III</b>	71 (6.7)
<b>7</b>	0	0	0		
<b>6</b>	38 (6.0)	33 (7.8)	71 (6.7)		
<b>5</b>	108 (16.9)	76 (18.0)	184 (17.3)	<b>II</b>	489 (46.1)
<b>4</b>	188 (29.5)	117 (27.7)	305 (28.7)		
<b>3</b>	176 (27.6)	116 (27.4)	292 (27.5)	<b>I</b>	500 (47.1)
<b>2</b>	91 (14.3)	57 (13.5)	148 (13.9)		
<b>1</b>	30 (4.7)	21 (5.0)	51 (4.8)		
<b>0</b>	7 (1.1)	2 (0.5)	9 (0.8)		
<b>Missing</b>	0 (0.0)	1 (0.2)	1 (0.1)	<b>Missing</b>	1 (0.1)
<b>Total</b>	638 (100)	423 (100)	1061 (100)	<b>Total</b>	1061 (100)

Data shown are n (%).

**Table S2.** FVC % predicted and DLco % predicted by baseline GAP stage

GAP stage I	DLco % predicted					
	≥60 n (%)	≥50 n (%)	≥40 n (%)	≥30 n (%)	<30 n (%)	All n (%)
<b>FVC % predicted</b>						
≥100	52 (10.4)	82 (16.4)	107 (21.4)	112 (22.4)	1 (0.2)	113 (22.6)
≥90	80 (16.0)	129 (25.8)	175 (35.0)	186 (37.2)	3 (0.6)	189 (37.8)
≥80	123 (24.6)	211 (42.2)	289 (57.8)	317 (63.4)	3 (0.6)	320 (64.0)
≥70	138 (27.6)	252 (50.4)	354 (70.8)	399 (79.8)	4 (0.8)	403 (80.6)
≥60	151 (30.2)	281 (56.2)	407 (81.4)	467 (93.4)	5 (1.0)	472 (94.4)
≥50	156 (31.2)	290 (58.0)	426 (85.2)	494 (98.8)	6 (1.2)	500 (100.0)
<50	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)
All	156 (31.2)	290 (58.0)	426 (85.2)	494 (98.8)	6 (1.2)	500 (100.0)
<b>GAP stage II/III</b>						
<b>FVC % predicted</b>						
≥100	0 (0.0)	7 (1.3)	20 (3.6)	30 (5.4)	1 (0.2)	31 (5.5)
≥90	0 (0.0)	21 (3.8)	56 (10.0)	83 (14.8)	2 (0.4)	85 (15.2)
≥80	0 (0.0)	39 (7.0)	99 (17.7)	158 (28.2)	7 (1.3)	165 (29.5)
≥70	8 (1.4)	71 (12.7)	170 (30.4)	280 (50.0)	17 (3.0)	297 (53.0)
≥60	16 (2.9)	99 (17.7)	245 (43.8)	415 (74.1)	34 (6.1)	449 (80.2)
≥50	17 (3.0)	111 (19.8)	281 (50.2)	507 (90.5)	48 (8.6)	555 (99.1)
<50	0 (0.0)	1 (0.2)	2 (0.4)	5 (0.9)	0 (0.0)	5 (0.9)
All	17 (3.0)	112 (20.0)	283 (50.5)	512 (91.4)	48 (8.6)	560 (100.0)

**Table S3.** Proportions of patients with disease progression over 52 weeks and hazard ratio for time to first event by baseline GAP stage (I, II, III)

	GAP stage I		GAP stage II		GAP stage III	
	Nintedanib (n=304)	Placebo (n=196)	Nintedanib (n=296)	Placebo (n=193)	Nintedanib (n=38)	Placebo (n=33)
Absolute decline in FVC $\geq$ 10% predicted or death, n (%)	75 (24.7)	78 (39.8)	87 (29.4)	78 (40.4)	11 (28.9)	19 (57.6)
Hazard ratio (95% CI)	0.59 (0.43, 0.81)		0.65 (0.47, 0.88)		0.38 (0.17, 0.84)	
Treatment-by-subgroup interaction	p=0.44					
Criterion reached first, n (%)						
Absolute decline in FVC $\geq$ 10% predicted	69 (22.7)	75 (38.3)	71 (24.0)	64 (33.2)	8 (21.1)	14 (42.4)
Death	6 (2.0)	3 (1.5)	16 (5.4)	14 (7.3)	3 (7.9)	5 (15.2)
Absolute decline in FVC $\geq$ 5% predicted or death, n (%)	156 (51.3)	142 (72.4)	157 (53.0)	135 (69.9)	17 (44.7)	25 (75.8)
Hazard ratio (95% CI)	0.58 (0.46, 0.73)		0.65 (0.52, 0.83)		0.57 (0.30, 1.07)	
Treatment-by-subgroup interaction	p=0.49					
Criterion reached first, n (%)						
Absolute decline in FVC $\geq$ 5% predicted	154 (50.7)	141 (71.9)	148 (50.0)	127 (65.8)	15 (39.5)	23 (69.7)
Death	2 (0.7)	1 (0.5)	9 (3.0)	8 (4.1)	2 (5.3)	2 (6.1)

**Table S4.** Proportion of patients with an acute exacerbation and hazard ratio for time to first event by baseline GAP stage (I, II, III)

	GAP stage I		GAP stage II		GAP stage III	
	Nintedanib (n=304)	Placebo (n=196)	Nintedanib (n=296)	Placebo (n=193)	Nintedanib (n=33)	Placebo (n=38)
Patients with $\geq 1$ acute exacerbation, n (%)	5 (1.6)	10 (5.1)	22 (7.4)	15 (7.8)	4 (10.5)	6 (18.2)
Hazard ratio (95% CI)	0.32 (0.11, 0.93)		0.95 (0.49, 1.83)		0.45 (0.12, 1.71)	
Treatment-by-subgroup interaction	p=0.25					

**Table S5.** Change from baseline in SGRQ domain score at week 52 by baseline GAP stage

	GAP stage I		GAP stage II/III	
	Nintedanib (n=304)	Placebo (n=196)	Nintedanib (n=334)	Placebo (n=226)
SGRQ symptoms, n	299	195	324	220
Change from baseline, adjusted mean (SE)	1.86 (1.11)	3.88 (1.37)	1.76 (1.06)	3.34 (1.29)
Nintedanib versus placebo difference, adjusted mean (95% CI)	-2.01 (-5.46, 1.44)		-1.58 (-4.85, 1.69)	
Treatment-by-subgroup interaction	p=0.90			
SGRQ activity, n	295	195	322	218
Change from baseline, adjusted mean (SE)	3.81 (0.90)	4.45 (1.10)	4.71 (0.86)	8.35 (1.05)
Nintedanib versus placebo difference, adjusted mean (95% CI)	-0.63 (-3.42, 2.15)		-3.64 (-6.32, -0.97)	
Treatment-by-subgroup interaction	p=0.09			
SGRQ impact, n	293	196	318	220
Change from baseline, adjusted mean (SE)	3.18 (0.85)	2.90 (1.04)	4.52 (0.92)	6.74 (1.11)
Nintedanib versus placebo difference, adjusted mean (95% CI)	0.28 (-2.35, 2.91)		-2.22 (-5.05, 0.61)	
Treatment-by-subgroup interaction	p=0.12			

**Table S6.** Serious and fatal adverse events by baseline GAP stage

	GAP stage I		GAP stage II/III	
	Nintedanib (n=304)	Placebo (n=196)	Nintedanib (n=334)	Placebo (n=226)
Serious adverse event(s)*	60 (19.7)	45 (23.0)	134 (40.1)	81 (35.8)
Most frequent serious adverse event(s) <sup>†</sup>				
Progression of IPF <sup>‡</sup>	11 (3.6)	10 (5.1)	31 (9.3)	29 (12.8)
Pneumonia	8 (2.6)	2 (1.0)	15 (4.5)	14 (6.2)
Pulmonary hypertension	3 (1.0)	1 (0.5)	8 (2.4)	8 (3.5)
Bronchitis	1 (0.3)	0 (0.0)	7 (2.1)	2 (0.9)
Respiratory failure	1 (0.3)	3 (1.5)	1 (0.3)	5 (2.2)
Fatal adverse event(s)	8 (2.6)	6 (3.1)	29 (8.7)	25 (11.1)
Most frequent fatal adverse event(s) <sup>§</sup>				
Pneumonia	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	5 (1.5)	2 (0.9)
Progression of IPF <sup>‡</sup>	4 (1.3)	3 (1.5)	14 (4.2)	13 (5.8)

\*An event that resulted in death, was immediately life-threatening, resulted in persistent or clinically significant disability or incapacity, required or prolonged hospitalisation, was related to a congenital anomaly or birth defect, or was deemed serious for any other reason. <sup>†</sup>Adverse events reported in >2% of patients in any of the subgroups shown. <sup>‡</sup>Corresponds to MedDRA term 'IPF', which included disease worsening and acute exacerbations of IPF. MedDRA, Medical Dictionary for Regulatory Activities. <sup>§</sup>Fatal adverse events reported in >1% of patients in any of the subgroups shown.