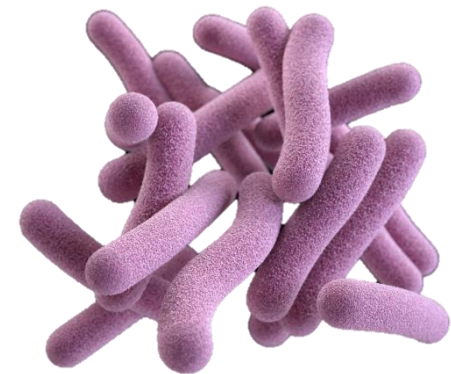




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## **Impact of maternal isoniazid preventive therapy (IPT) timing on acquisition of infant TB infection (TBI) in the IMPAACT P1078/TB APPRISE trial**

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# Background



- TB is the #1 infectious disease killer globally, surpassing HIV<sup>1</sup>
- TB is leading cause of child mortality and most deaths occur before age 5 years<sup>2</sup>
- Prevention of TB in infants critical as infants at very high risk of progression after exposure<sup>3</sup>
- Maternal TB can be a source for infant TB so provision of IPT to mothers could result in reduction of infant TB infection, which is associated with increased progression to TB disease<sup>4,5</sup>
- TST conversion<sup>6</sup> and high QuantiFERON values at 1 year of life associated with increased risk of TB disease<sup>7</sup>

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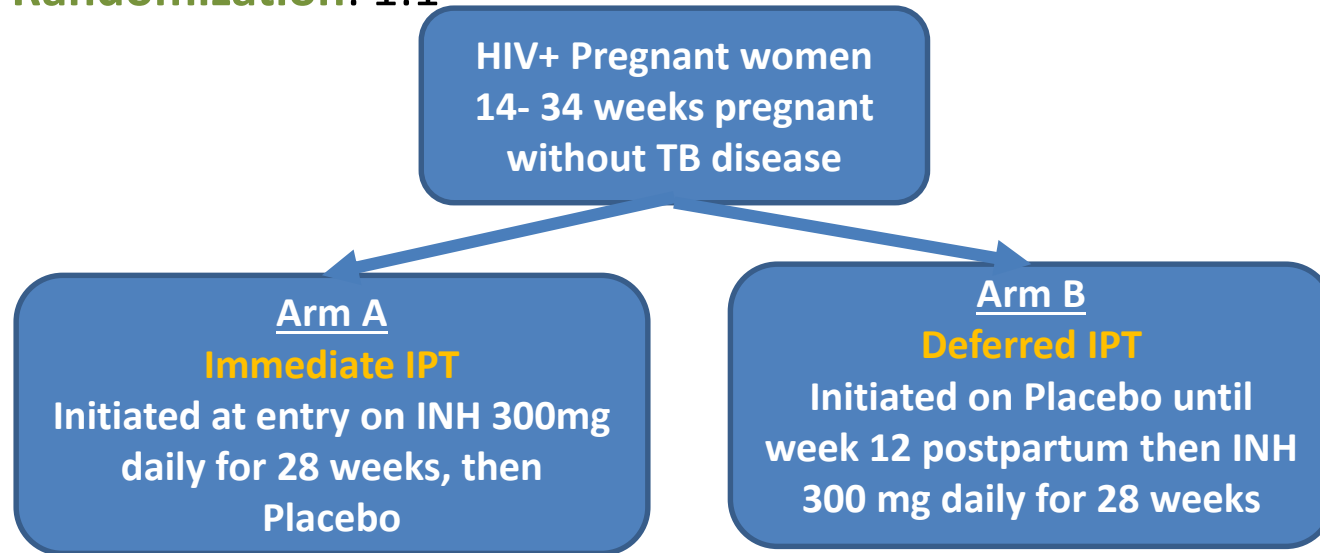
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# Objectives

- To compare prevalence of infant TB infection at week 44 by test type and timing of maternal INH preventive therapy
- To assess predictors of QFT-GIT and TST positivity
- To evaluate agreement of IGRA (QuantiFERON Gold In tube) and TST in infants

# TB APPRISE: IMPAACT P1078 Study Design

- **Design:** Phase IV multicenter, randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled, non-inferiority trial
- **Population:** HIV-infected pregnant women  $\geq 14$  weeks through  $\leq 34$  weeks gestation who live in a **high TB burden area**, defined as TB prevalence  $\geq 60/100,000$  population
- **Randomization:** 1:1



Study drugs (INH/Placebo), open label Pyridoxine (vitamin B<sub>6</sub>) and open label prenatal multivitamin terminated at 40 weeks postpartum

End of follow-up: 48 weeks postpartum

# Methods

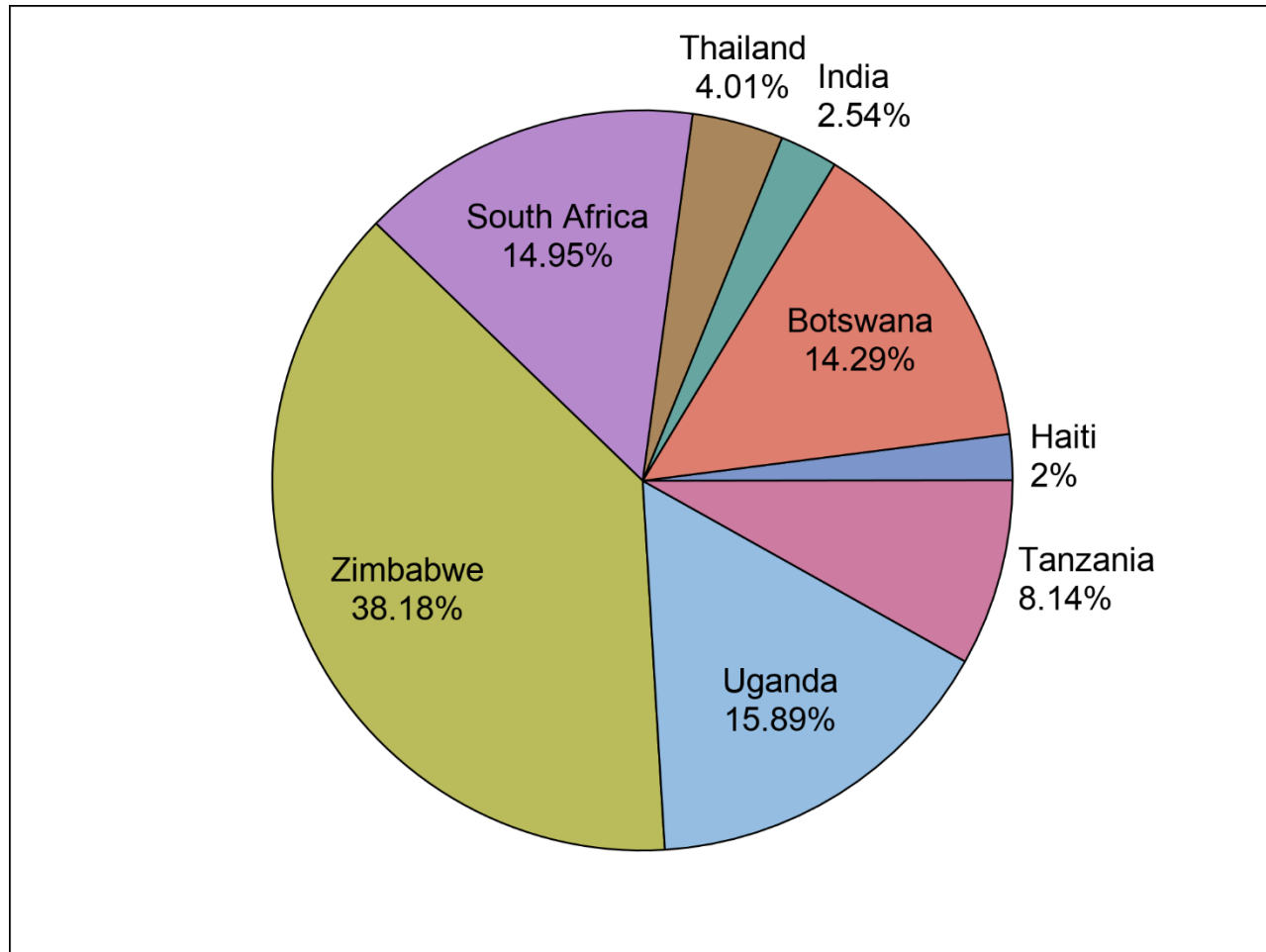
- QFT-GIT and TST assessed at week 44 of infant life
  - QFT-GIT+ definitions using manufacturers and published thresholds definitions
  - TST+ if  $\geq 10\text{mm}$  (HIV-uninfected) or TST+  $\geq 5\text{mm}$  if HIV-infected
- Predictors of Infant TB infection status assessed by logistic regression
  - Study arm, HIV status, TB exposure, INH use, BCG vaccination and scar, WHO weight for age Z score, infant exclusive breastfeeding
- Test concordance measured by Kappa measure of agreement

# Characteristics of Infant Cohort with either QFT-GIT or TST, n=749

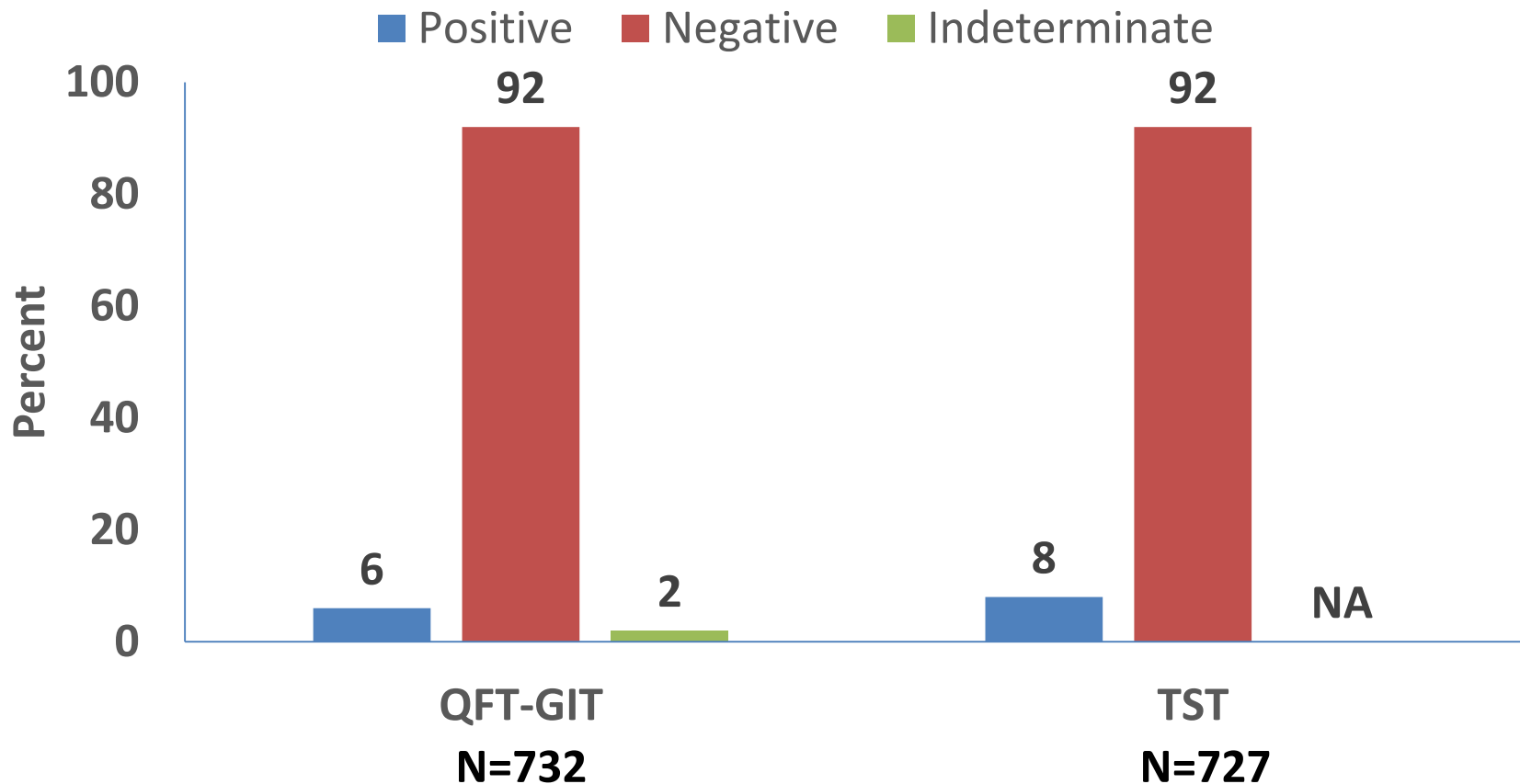
Infant Characteristic	N	%
Maternal Treatment Group		
Immediate INH	369	49%
Deferred INH	380	51%
HIV-infected	7	1%
TB exposure	20	3%
Infant INH use	9	1%
BCG vaccination with record of receipt or BCG scar	692	92%
with documented record of receipt	486	65%
BCG scar	603	81%
WHO weight for age z score, mean (sd)	-0.4	(2.2)
Exclusive Breastfeeding duration, weeks, median (IQR)	24	(12,24)
Exclusively breastfed (any duration)	599	80%



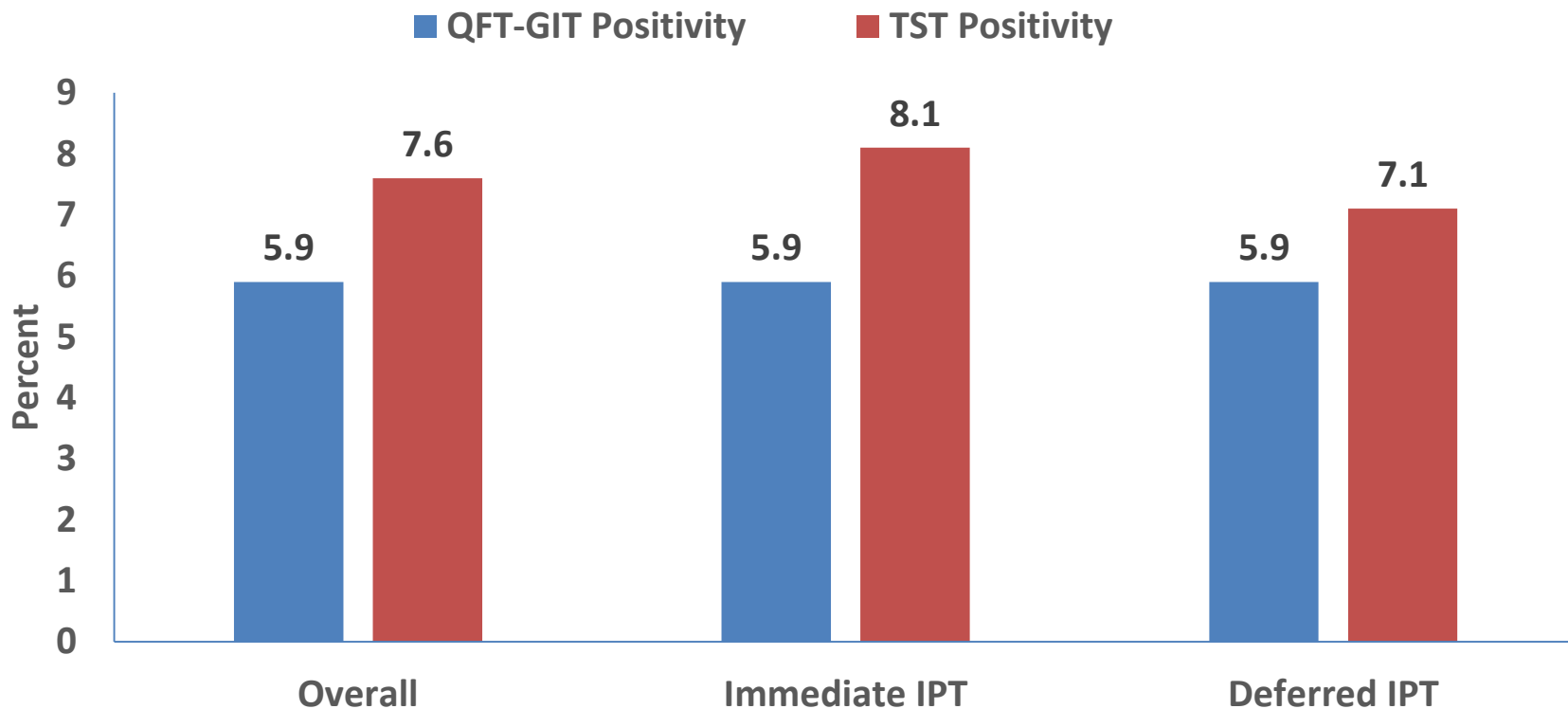
# Percent of infants by site countries represented



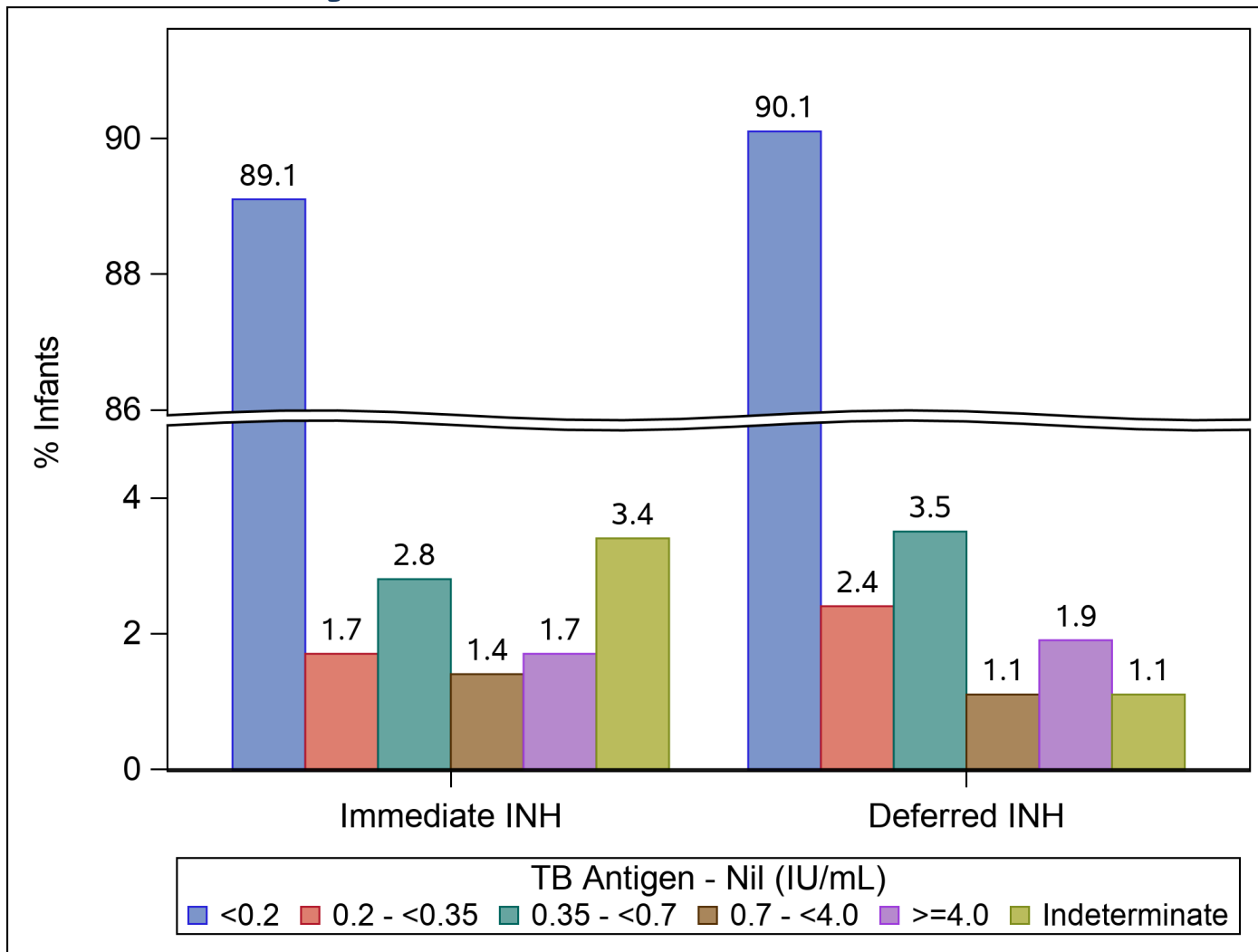
# Infant TB infection testing results by QFT-GIT and TST at week 44



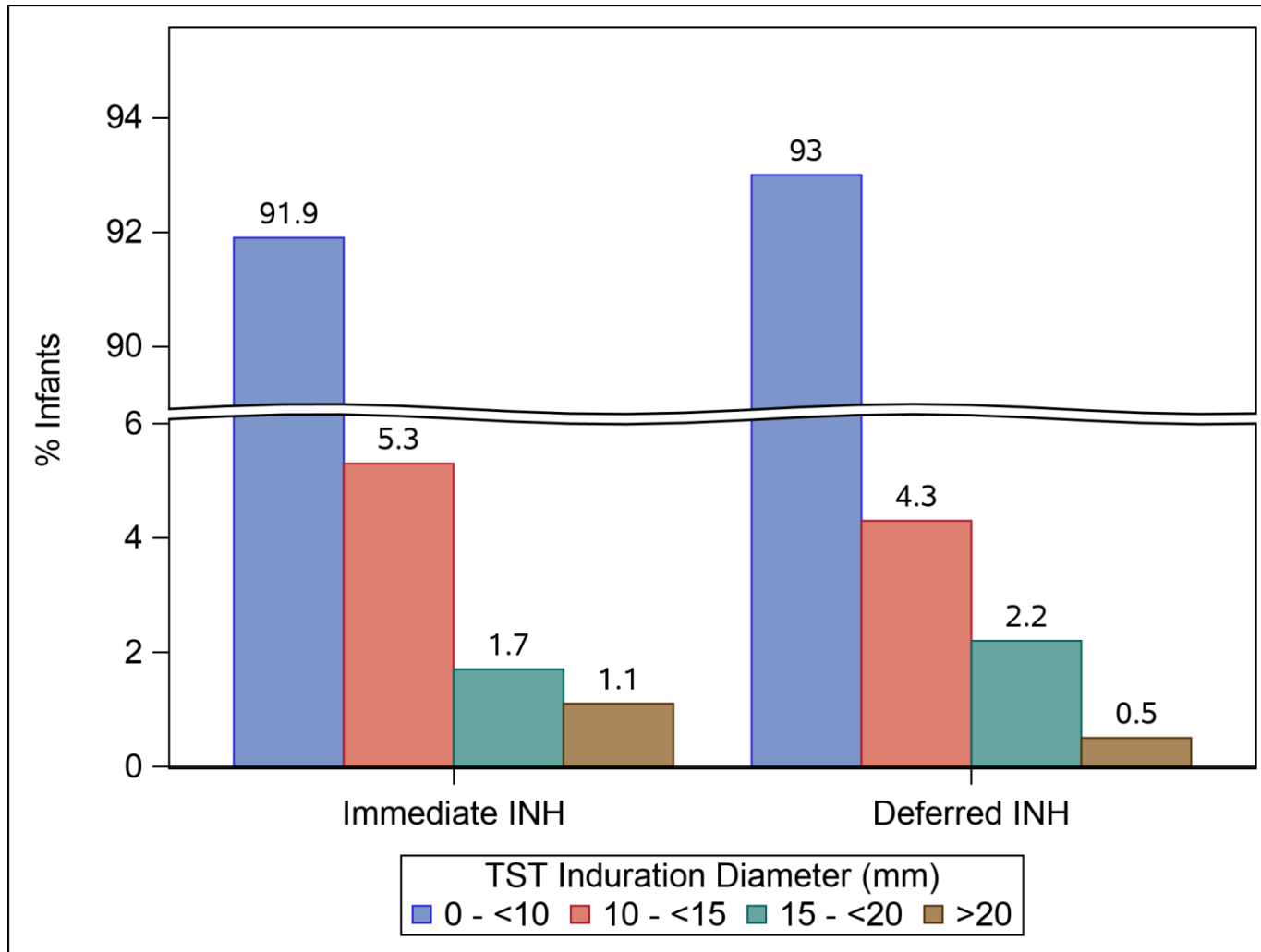
# Prevalence of Infant TB Infection at Week 44 by Study Arm



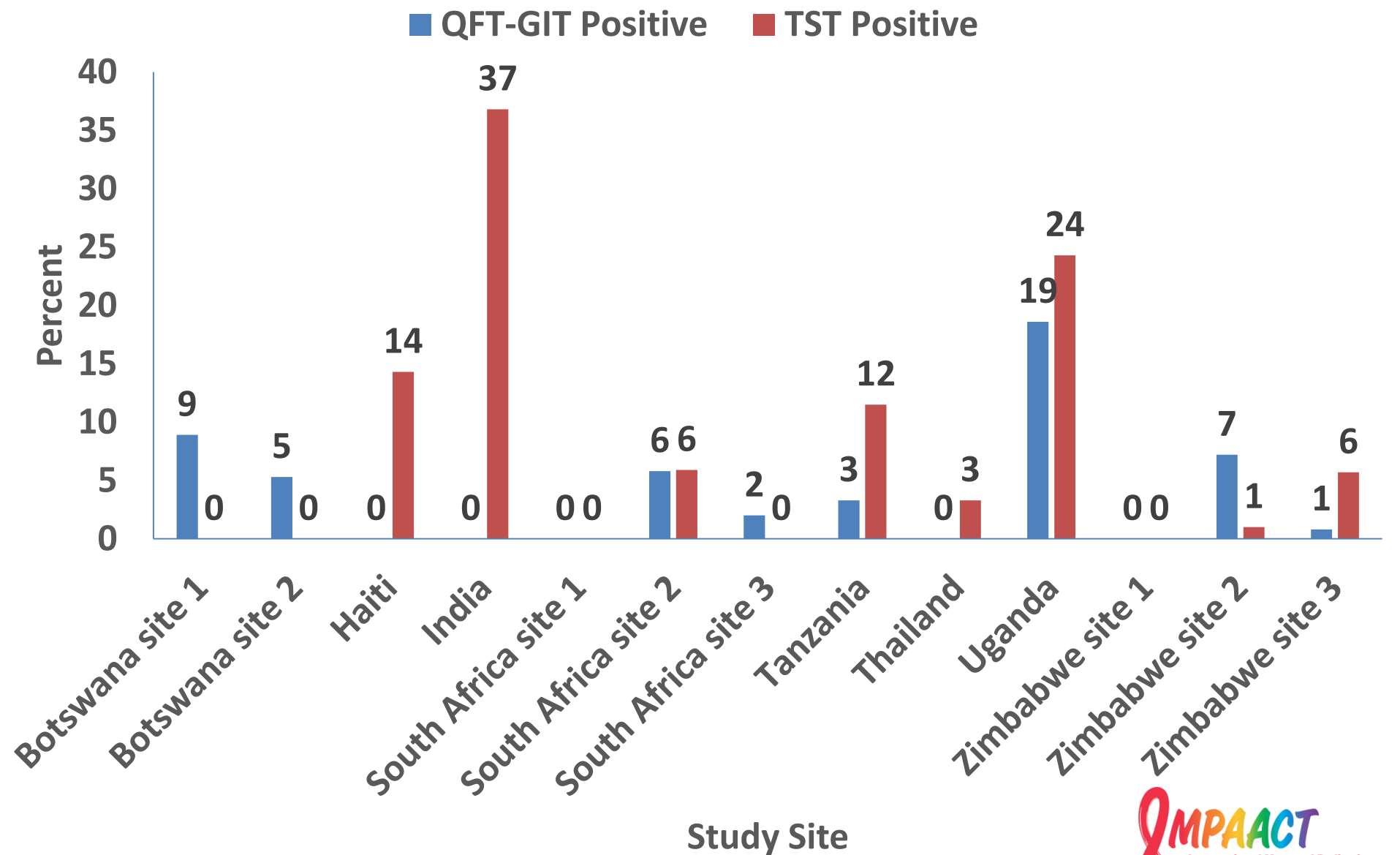
# QFT-GIT Quantitative Results by Maternal IPT arm



# TST Quantitative Results by Maternal IPT arm



# Substantial site variation in QFT-GIT and TST



# Predictors of QFT-GIT positivity in infants

Characteristic		Positive N=43	Negative N=689	OR	P value
Treatment Group	Immediate Deferred	21 (49%) 22 (51%)	336 (49%) 353 (51%)	1.00 (0.54,1.86)	0.99
HIV Infected	Yes No	0 (0%) 43 (100%)	7 (1%) 682 (99%)	NC	1.000
TB exposure	Yes No	2 (5%) 41 (95%)	17 (2%) 672 (98%)	1.93 (0.43,8.63)	0.39
INH Use	Yes No	2 (5%) 41 (95%)	6 (1%) 683 (99%)	5.55 (1.09,28.37)	0.039
BCG vaccination (record)	Yes No	36 (84%) 7 (16%)	440 (64%) 249 (36%)	2.91 (1.28, 6.64)	0.011
BCG scar	Yes No	35 (81%) 8 (19%)	556 (81%) 127 (18%)	1.00 (0.45,2.21)	1.00
WHO WAZ score	N, mean (sd)	43,-0.7 (1.1)	689, -0.4 (2.2)	0.90 (0.71,1.13)	0.36
Exclusively breastfed	Yes No	36 (84%) 7 (16%)	547 (79%) 142 (21%)	1.33 (0.58, 3.06)	0.50

# Predictors of TST positivity in infants

		Positive N=55	Negative N=672	OR	P value
Treatment Group	Immediate Deferred	29 (53%) 26 (47%)	329 (49%) 343 (51%)	1.16 (0.67,2.02)	0.59
HIV Infected	Yes No	0 (0%) 55 (100%)	7 (1%) 665 (99%)	NC	1.000
TB exposure	Yes No	4 (7%) 51 (93%)	14 (2%) 658 (98%)	3.69 (1.17, 11.61)	0.026
INH Use	Yes No	4 (7%) 51 (93%)	5 (1%) 667 (99%)	10.46 (2.73, 40.17)	<0.001
BCG vaccination (record)	Yes No	45 (82%) 10 (18%)	427 (64%) 245 (36%)	2.58 (1.28,5.21)	0.008
BCG scar	Yes No	51 (93%) 3 (5%)	535 (80%) 132 (20%)	4.19 (1.29, 13.65)	0.017
WHO WAZ score	N, mean (sd)	55,-0.4 (1.1)	672, -0.4 (2.3)	1.00 (0.88, 1.14)	0.97
Exclusively breastfed (any duration)*	Yes No	53 (96%) 2 (4%)	523 (78%) 149 (22%)	7.54 (1.82, 31.3)	0.005

EBF duration for >12 to 36 weeks vs 0 weeks associated with increased OR



# Agreement/concordance poor between QFT-GIT and TST

- 710 infants with both IGRA and TST at week 44

	TST Result		Total
	Positive	Negative	
IGRA			
Positive	8	34	42
Negative	46	622	668
Total	54	656	710

**Kappa coefficient = 0.107** (95% CI 0.002, 0.212)

McNemar's test  $p = 0.18$

Among those with both TST and IGRA, when results were discordant, TST was more likely to be positive than IGRA, but this was not significant.

# Conclusions

- **Timing of Maternal IPT did not affect infant TB infection acquisition**
- **Infant TB infection differed across sites and by type of test used**
  - **Small proportion had QFT-GIT at 4.0 IU or higher**
- **Agreement between infant TST and IGRA was poor**

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