Appendix Table C12. KQ1 Outcome I. Hematologic response studies omitted from meta-analysis: Darbepoetin versus epoetin

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| **study author** | **Hb response definition** | **response assessed at week** | **Darb (n)** | **Darb (N)** | **Proportion (%)** | **EPO (n)** | **EPO (N)** | **Proportion (%)** | **Comments** |
| Schwartzberg 2004 | Hb increase of > 2 g/dL OR Hb level >12 g/dL |  | 108 | 157 | 68.79% | 112 | 155 | 72.26% | definition did not meet our criteria, percentages reported |
| Glaspy 2006 | achieving Hb target > 11 g/dL |  | 463 | 606 | 80% | 487 | 603 | 86% |  |