



7,000
KNOWN RARE DISEASES¹

AFFECTED PEOPLE



400 MILLION
WORLDWIDE²



36 MILLION
IN EUROPE³



500.000
IN SWITZERLAND⁴

THERAPY AND RESEARCH



4.8 YEARS
TO DIAGNOSIS⁴



NO APPROVED
TREATMENT FOR
> 90 %
OF THE DISEASES



231
ORPHAN DRUGS
APPROVED BETWEEN
2000 AND 2022²

26TH FEB – 3RD MAR
COLOURUP4RARE
FOR THE
RARE DISEASE DAY 2024



ZEBRA AS THE
WORLDWIDE SYMBOL
FOR RARE DISEASES