

Creating innovative antibodies for cancer & severe autoimmune diseases

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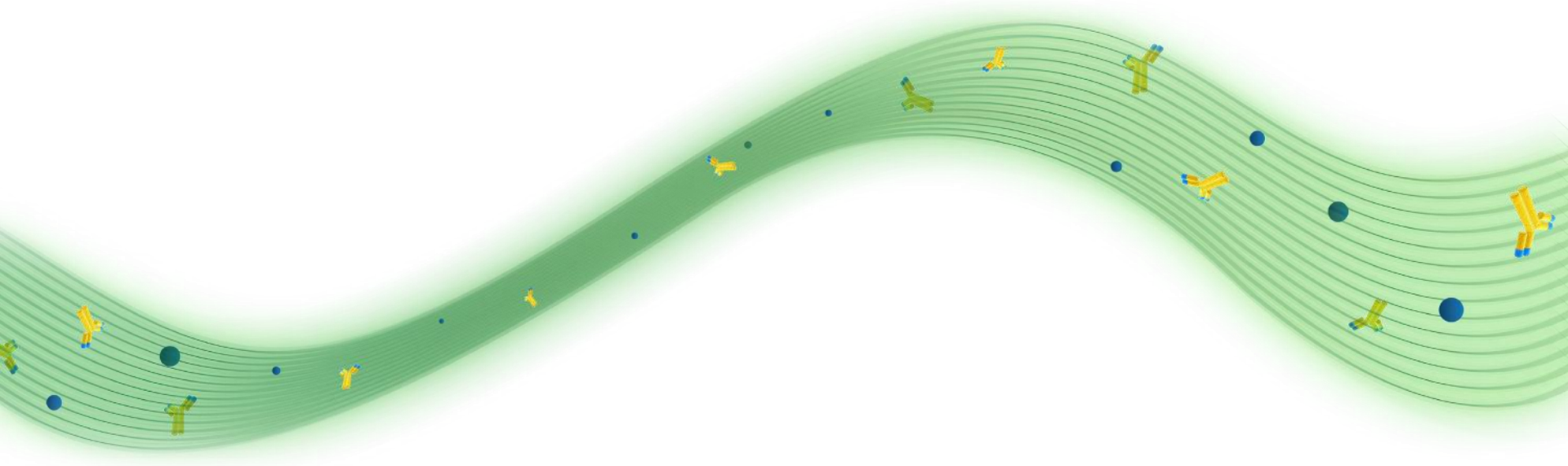
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Agenda

- Introduction
- Creating innovative antibodies
- Differentiated products
- Collaborations
- Financials

Introduction



Rich proprietary pipeline

- Oncology & severe autoimmune diseases
- 4 products in clinical phase



Thriving strategic alliances

- Industrial partners
- Innovative Access Program



Competitive technology suite

- Antibodies with differentiated modes of action
- Based on llama immune system and unique Fc engineering



Strong financials

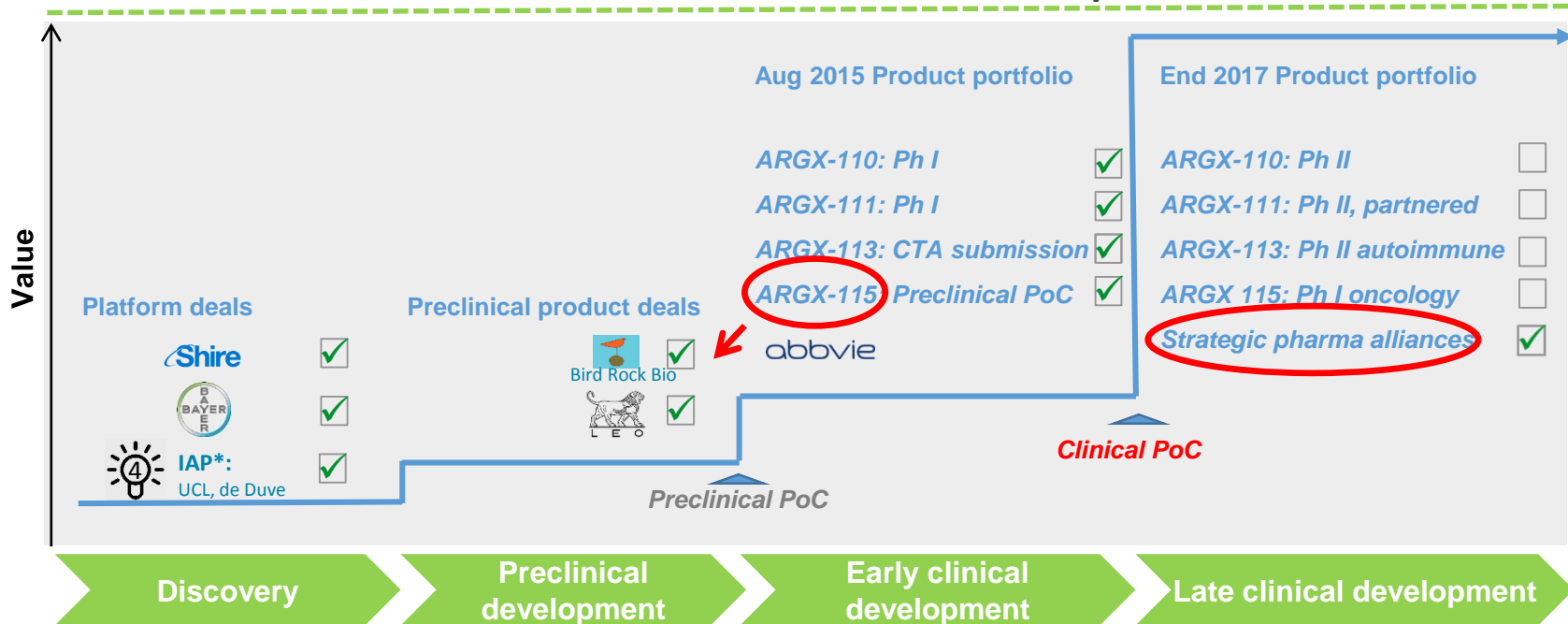
- Strong cash position
(€ 54Mio March 2016; AbbVie € 35Mio April '16, Private Placement € 30Mio June '16)
- > € 2B potential future income from partnerships






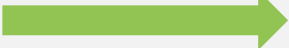

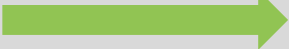





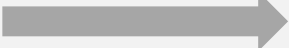






Generating differentiated antibody product candidates...



... towards Phase II value inflection point



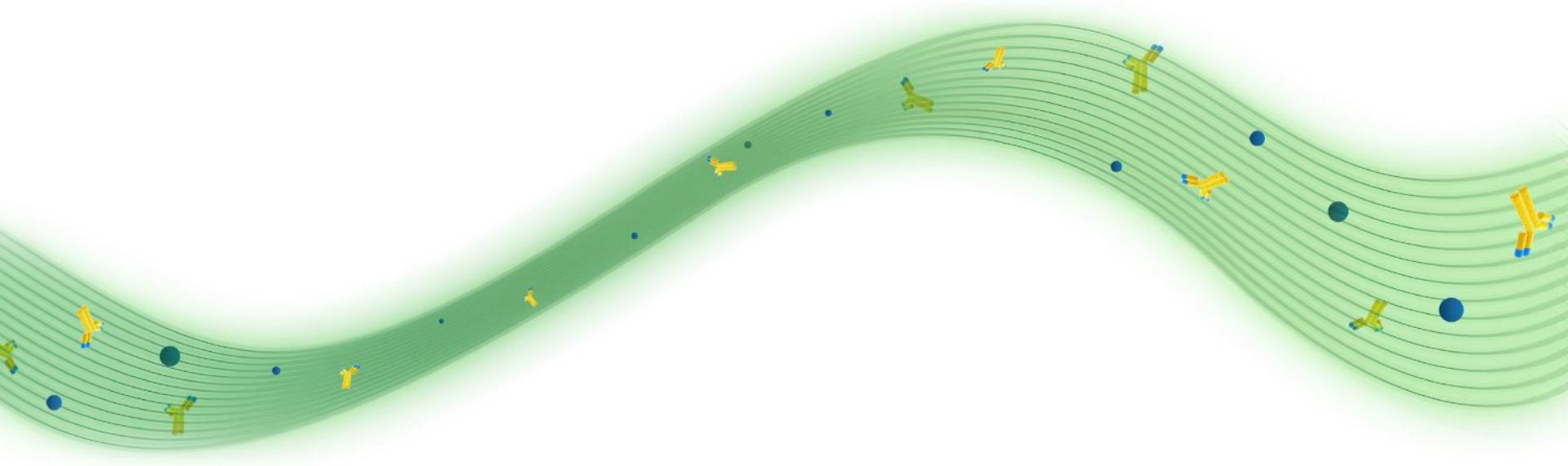
Proprietary pipeline in cancer and severe autoimmunity

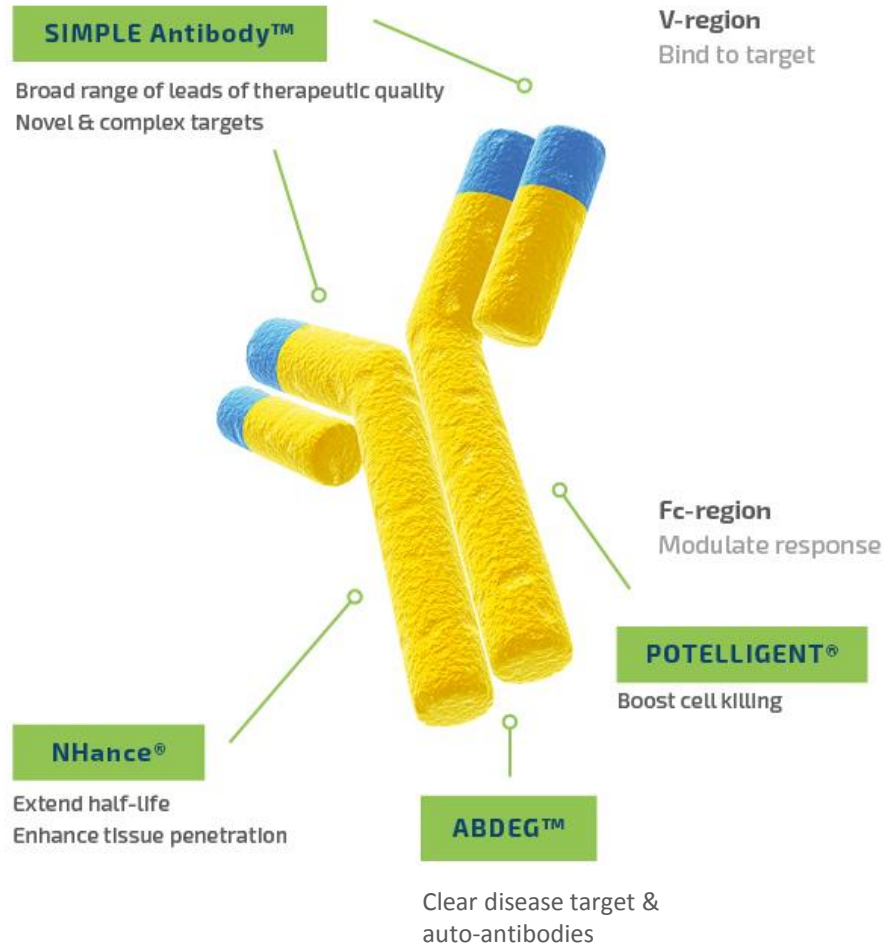
		Drug candidate	Target	Indication	Pre-clinical	Phase 1	Phase 2
Autoimmune diseases Cancer immunotherapy Cancer metastasis		ARGX-113	FcRn	Autoimmunity, Myasthenia Gravis			
		ARGX-110	CD70	Cancer (Blood & Solid), [Autoimmunity]			
		ARGX-111	c-MET	Solid tumors Blood cancer			
		Discovery		Multiple cancer, Autoimmunity			
Partnered, non-dilutive income		ARGX-115		Cancer Immunotherapy			
		ARGX-109 Gerilimzumab		Autoimmunity			
		Undisclosed		Skin inflammation			
		Undisclosed		Undisclosed			
		Undisclosed		Undisclosed			

Upcoming news flow 2016



Creating innovative antibodies





Leapfrogging transgenics:

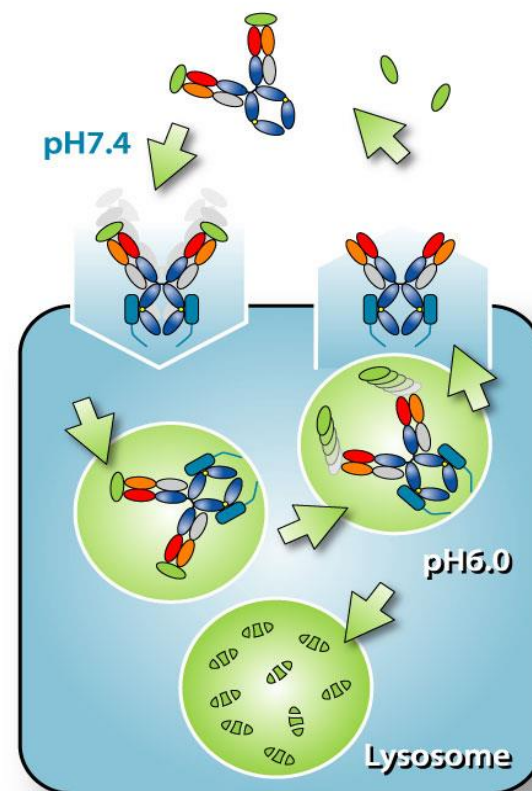
- V-regions llama & human antibodies virtually identical
- Unprecedented epitope coverage

- SIMPLE Antibody™: Unlock novel and complex targets
- NHance®, ABDEG™, POTELLIGENT®: Enhance SIMPLE Antibody™ leads
- Multiple layers of IP protection in place until 2028-2033 (excluding any PTE)

Continuous technology innovation: antibody mediated target clearance

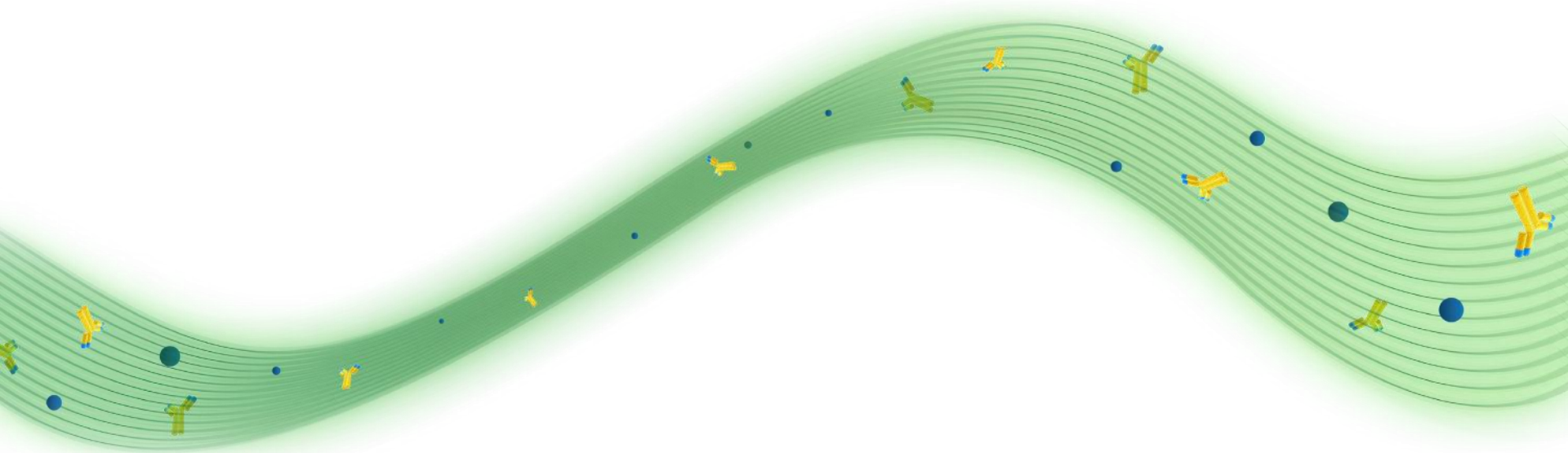
NHance®/ABDEG™
FcRn modulation

SIMPLE ANTIBODY™
pH-dependent target binding



- Clinical potential for indications:
 - with high circulating target concentrations
 - which require fast target clearance
 - e.g. inflammatory cytokines (receptors)

ARGX-113



What is autoimmune disease?



- Immune system attacks own organs
- Tissue destruction by autoantibodies
- Common diseases include: multiple sclerosis, lupus, rheumatoid arthritis, psoriasis, myasthenia gravis

Why target autoimmune diseases?

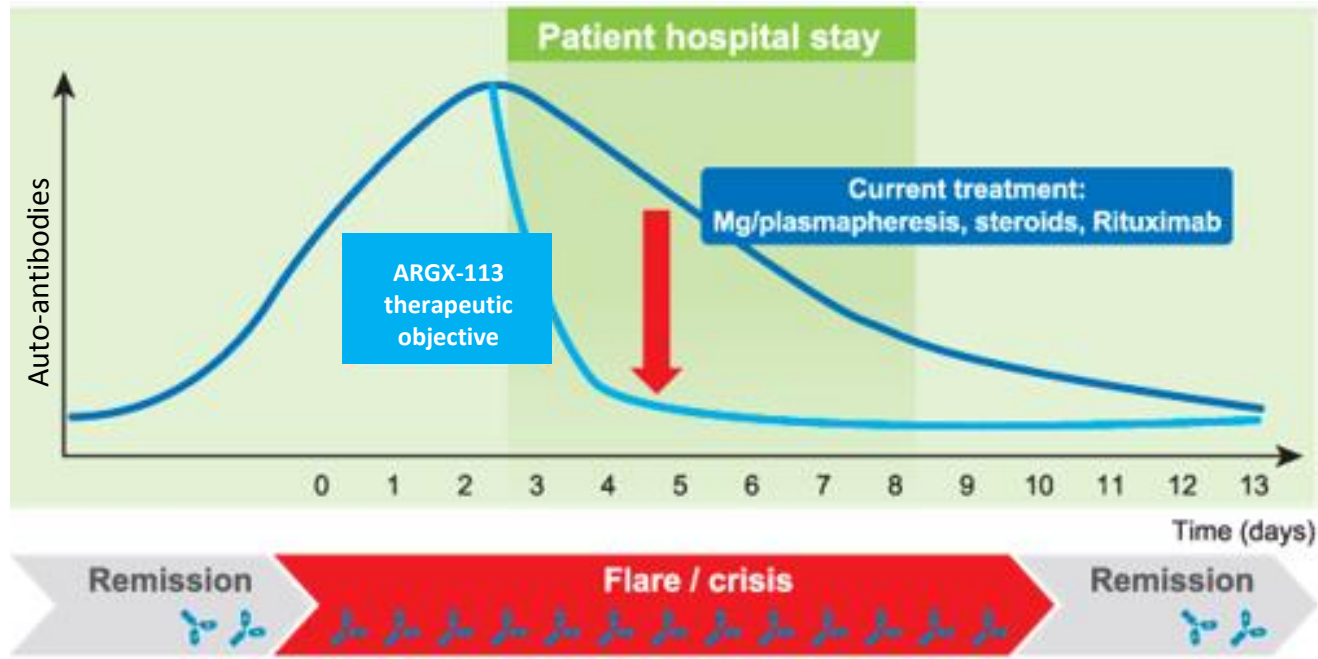
- 10% of population suffers from autoimmune diseases
- Antibody therapy used for rheumatoid arthritis, multiple sclerosis & psoriasis
- ARGX-113 targets severe autoimmune diseases

Current treatment

- High dose corticosteroids and broad immunosuppressive agents: severe side effects
- IVIg or Plasmapheresis: incomplete effect, slow onset of action

ARGX-113: Potential breakthrough in autoimmune disease

ARGX-113 addresses acute autoimmune flares more effectively



Mode of action

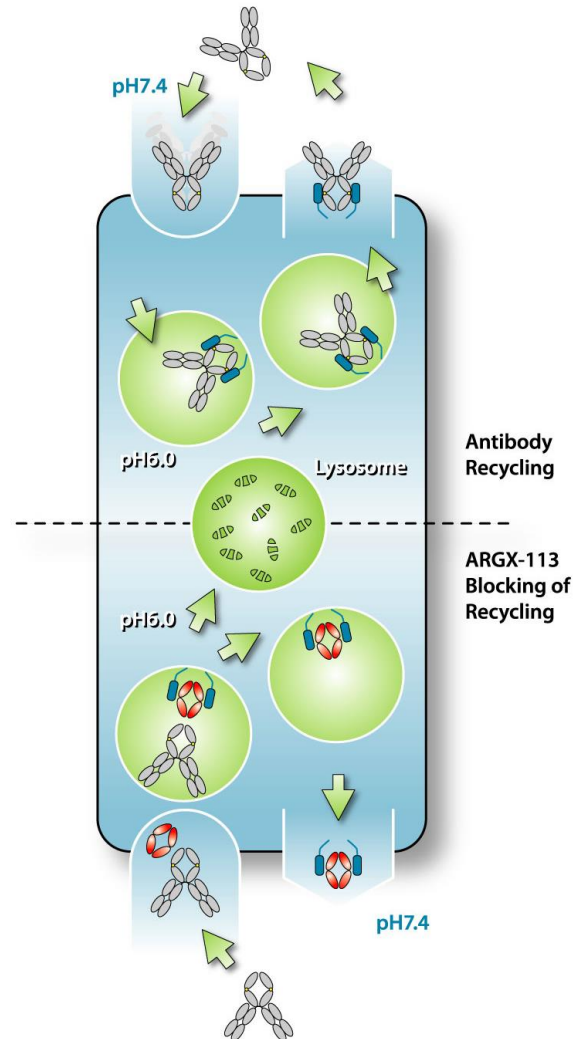
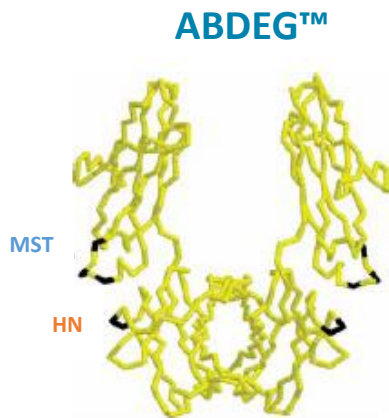
- Targeting auto-immune diseases driven by pathogen autoantibodies (IgG's)
- Fast & deep reduction of pathogenic IgG's
- Prevention & control of disease flares/exacerbation

ARGX-113: How it works - Antibody clearance capability

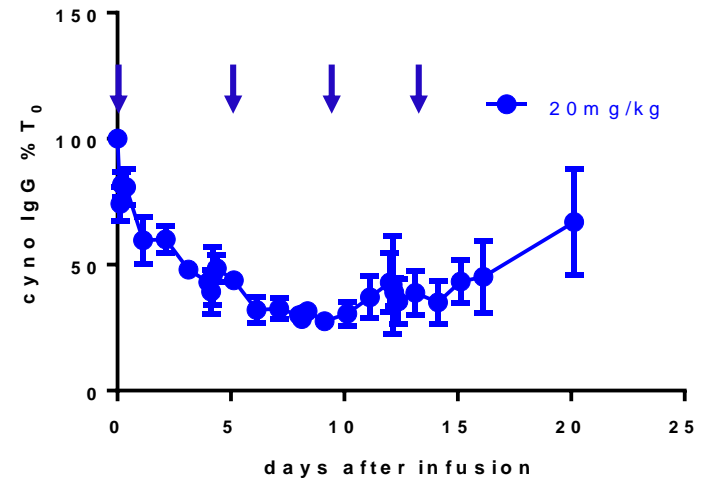
Proprietary Fc mutations

Block IgG recycling

Resulting in rapid autoantibody clearance



Repeat dose ARGX-113



- Saturation of PD effect at doses ≥ 20 mg/kg
- Repeat dosing > single dose



Myasthenia gravis autoantibody levels and disease score following therapy

Treatment*	Plasmapheresis	Immunoadsorption	IVIg
Decrease in antibody levels (%) after treatment	62.2 ± 6.3	55.1 ± 3.2	28.9 ± 3.8
Decrease in disease score (%) after treatment	60.8 ± 3.5	42.4 ± 4.2	23.8 ± 3.7
Clinical efficacy rate after 14 days**	12/15	7/10	6/15
Duration of hospital stay (days)	12.80 ± 0.28	13.50 ± 0.50	16.00 ± 0.50

* Comparison between 3 cycles of Plasmapheresis/Immunoadsorption every 24h-48h and 5 cycles of IVIG every 24h

** Clinically effective if disease score has improved by >50% 14 days after treatment



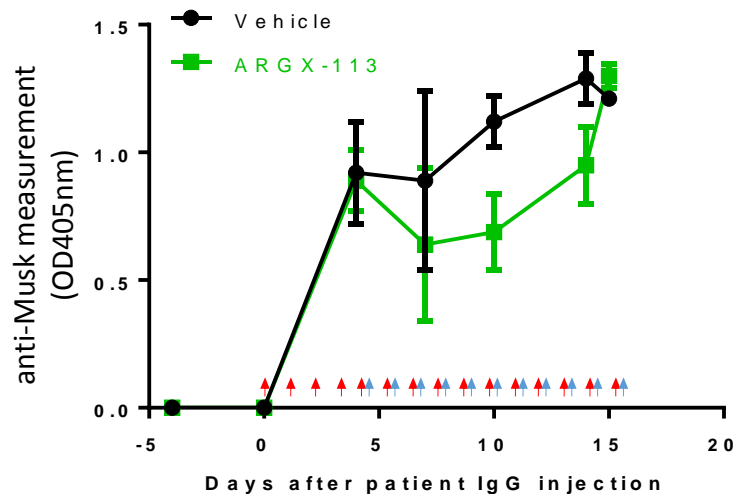
Liu et al., 2009

- Degree of autoantibody reduction: correlates with clinical improvement & reduced hospital stay
- Similar observations reported for other autoimmune disorders

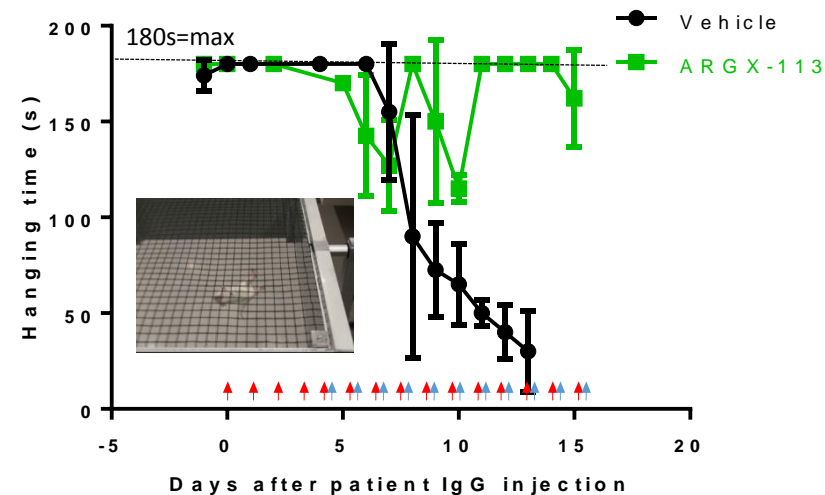
ARGX-113: In vivo PoC

MuSK-MG transfer model – therapeutic setting

Anti-MuSK Ab-levels



Inverted Mesh



▲ Patient IgG injection (37 mg)
▲ ARGX-113 treatment (1 mg)

- Daily injection of MuSK-MG patient IgG causes Myasthenia gravis in NOD/SCID mice
- ARGX-113 (1mg) administration:
 - reduces autoantibody levels (anti-MuSK Ab-levels)
 - stabilizes disease: measured by inverted mesh (see graph) and grip strength (not shown)

ARGX-113: Phase 1 study design & interim safety read out

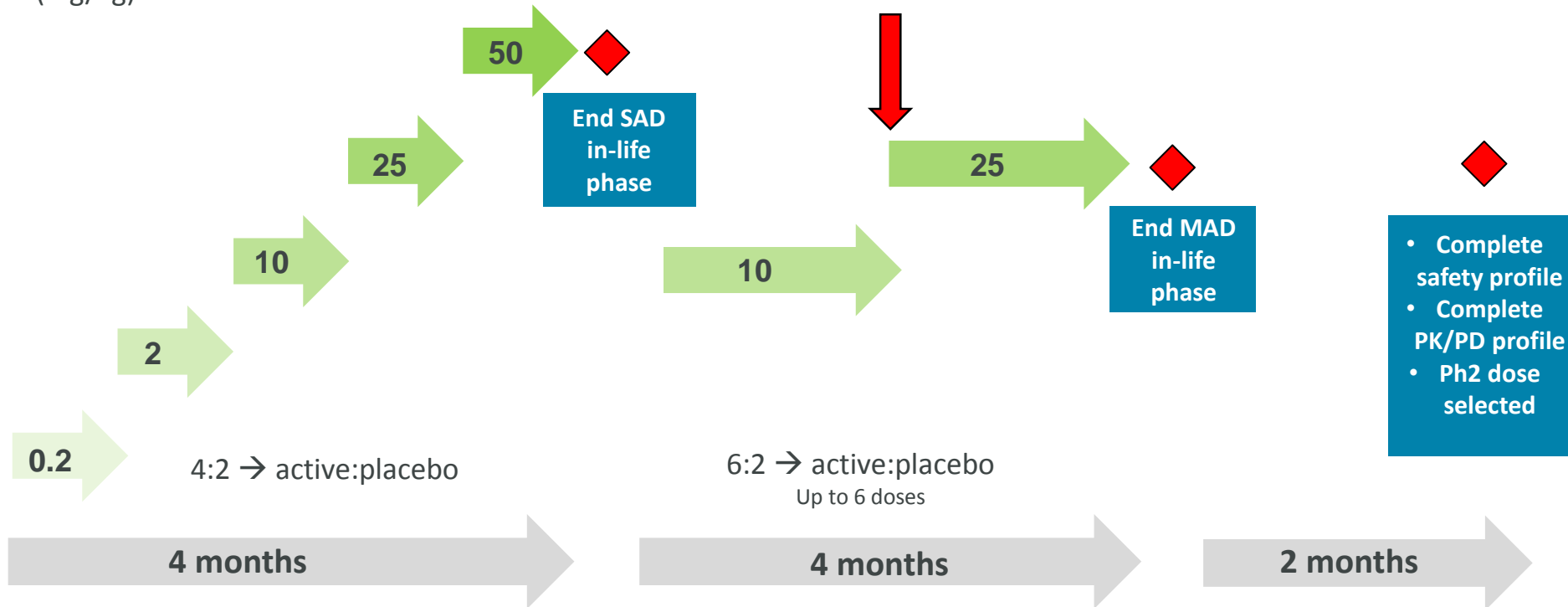
Double-blinded, placebo-controlled study in healthy volunteers

Single ascending dose (SAD)

Multiple ascending dose (MAD)

Data analysis

(mg/kg)

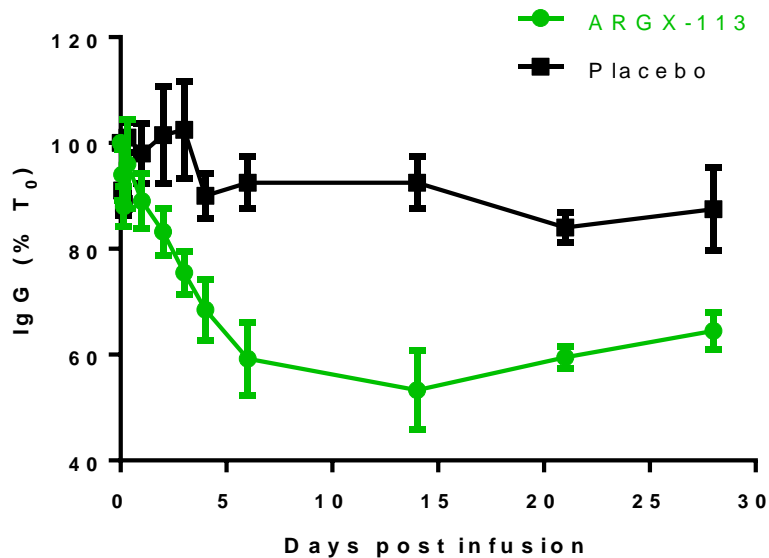


- SAD completed according to plan (38 healthy volunteers in total)
- Favourable safety and tolerability profile observed (no serious adverse events reported)

ARGX-113: PD marker readout for SAD

Double-blinded, placebo-controlled study in healthy volunteers

Rapid, deep and specific IgG reduction

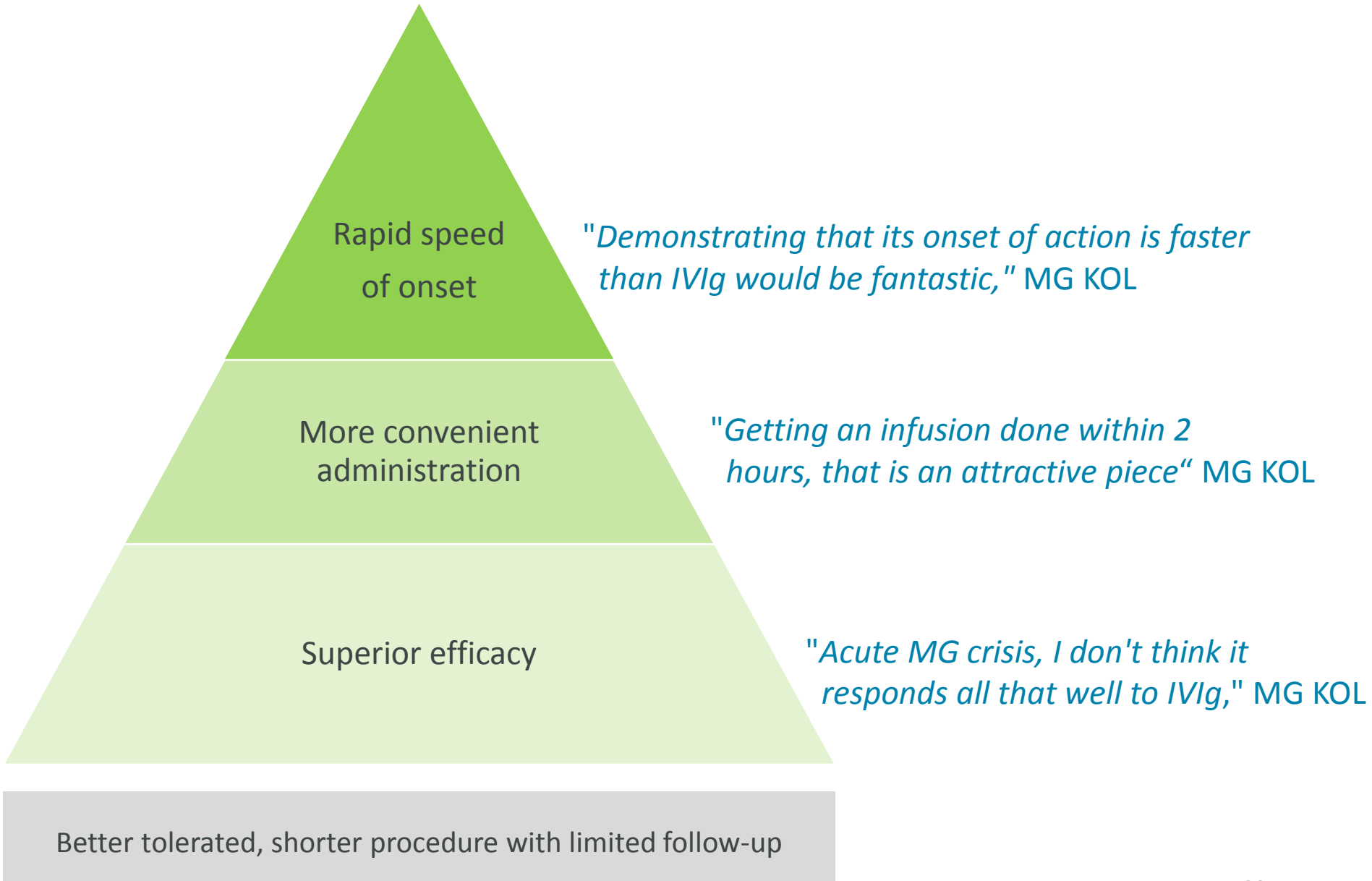


	ARGX-113 vs. IVIg*
Speed of IgG reduction	>>>
Level of IgG reduction	>>
Duration of PD effect	>

* Extrapolated based on literature data

- Single 2h infusion: rapid reduction of IgG, not affecting IgM/IgA and albumin levels
- Maximal PD effect (~50% IgG reduction) as of 6 days after infusion
- Low IgG levels maintained for >1 week

ARGX-113 vs. IVIg/PLEX: Key differentiators for MG



ARGX-113 vs. IVIg/PLEX: Key differentiators for ABD

Rapid speed
of onset

*"If you can control the disease within a week or two,
that would be great," ABD KOL*

More convenient
administration

"PLEX is a nightmare to apply," ABD KOL

Superior efficacy

*"IVIg just doesn't work that great,"
ABD KOL*

Better tolerated, shorter procedure with limited follow-up

Next steps

Clinical Status

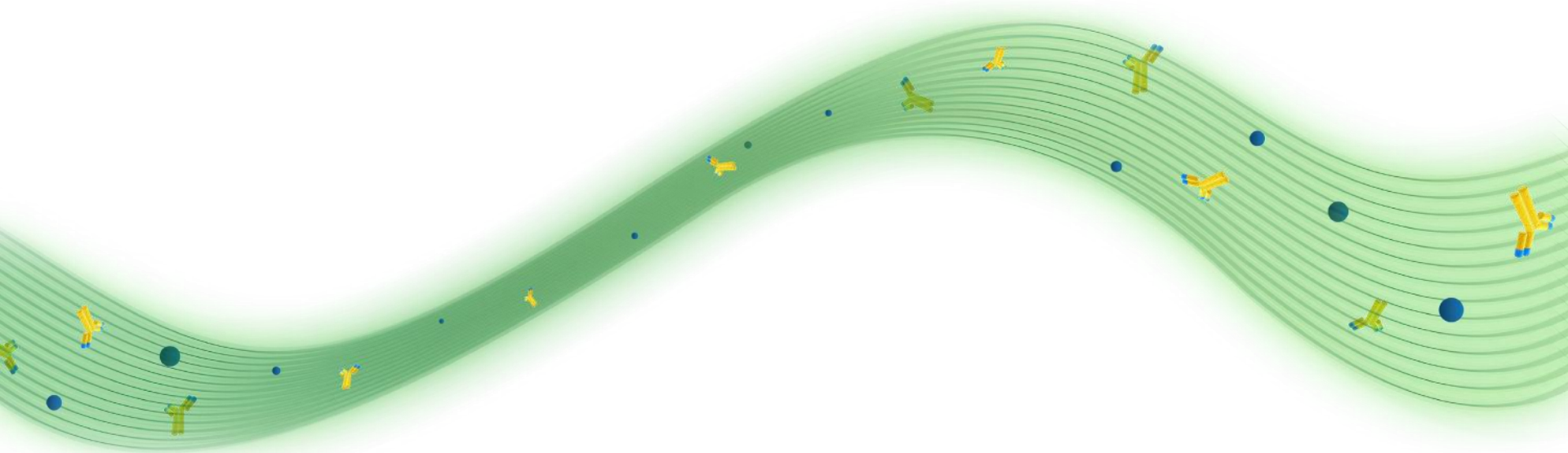
- Multiple Ascending Dose study (MAD)
- Start of Phase 2 in first indication

Market potential

Benchmark therapeutic treatments

- IVIg: annually > \$ 4B (autoimmune diseases approx. 50%)
- IVIg: \$ 79K/cycle
- Benlysta®: \$ 35K/year
- Plasmapheresis: \$ 101K/cycle
- Xolair® annual sales exceed \$ 800M

ARGX-110



ARGX-110: 3 distinct modes of action



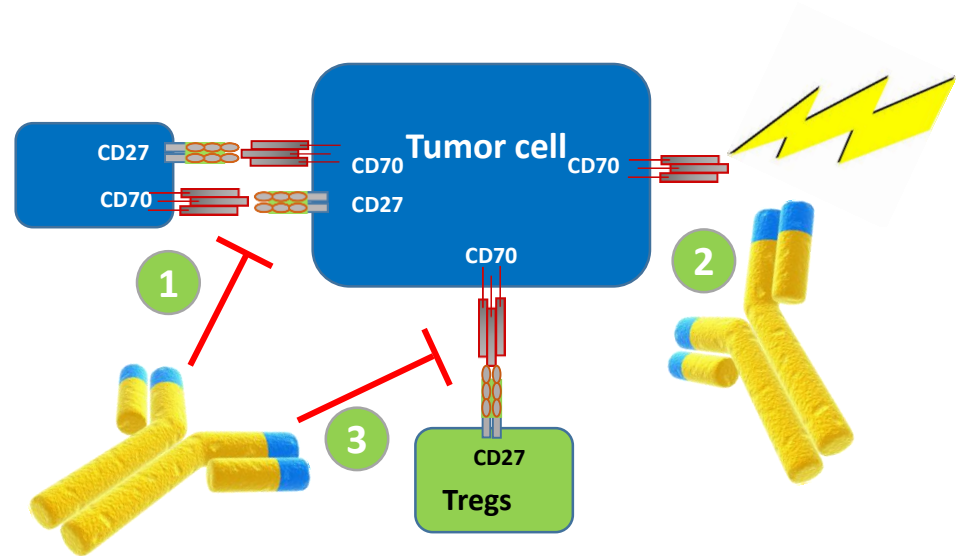
1. Block tumor growth signal



2. Kill tumor



3. Restore immune surveillance



Silence et al., 2014, mAbs



T Cell Lymphoma: rare and heterogeneous disease

- Eldery (> 60y)
- Rare (1/100,000) but underdiagnosed
- Treatment: first by dermatologist, then by oncologist
- Present in skin, blood and lymph compartments; susceptible to infections

"We haven't made much progress in TCL survival in the last decades. With PFS getting worse after each relapse, we are desperate for the next Rituxan for TCL. This would be a real game changer."

Dr. O'Connor,
Columbia University
Medical Center

Very high unmet medical need

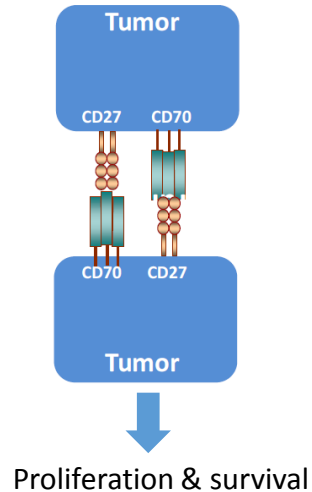
- Unfit for chemo or stem cell transplantation
- Current therapies: only moderately effective, not curative
 - Retinoids; HDAC inhibitors
 - Antifolates; chemo

ARGX-110 potential

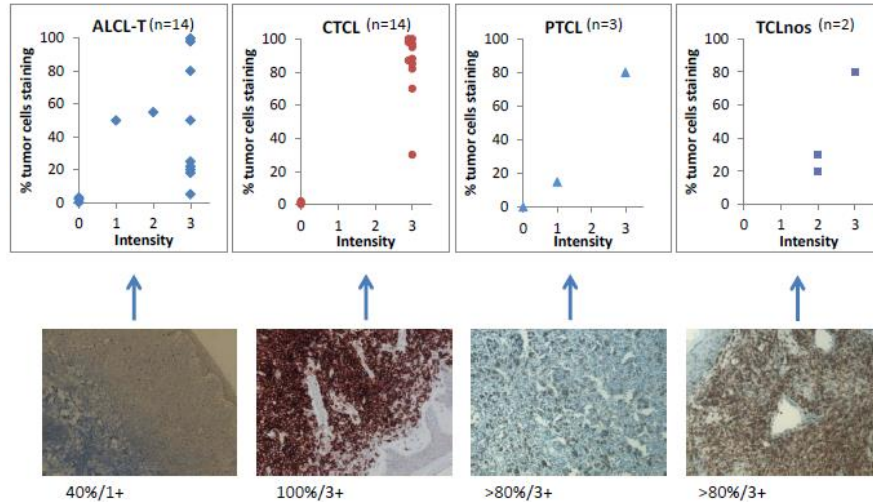
- Ph I results demonstrate biological activity in skin, blood, lymph compartment
- Favorable safety profile enables mono and combo therapy

ARGX-110: CD70/CD27 pathway highly relevant in TCL

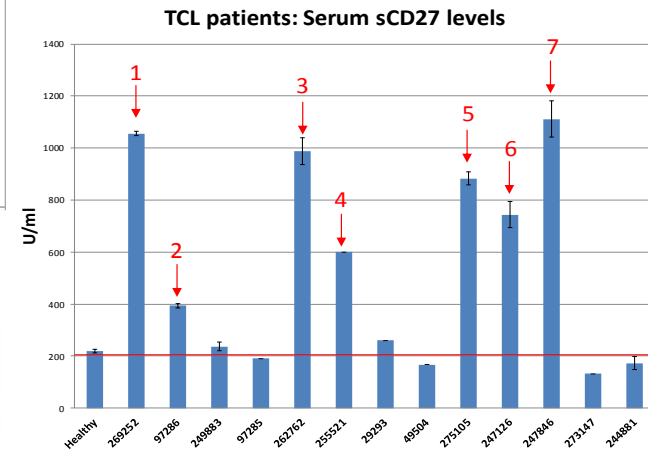
CD70/CD27 on tumor cells



IHC of CD70 expression in TCL biopsies



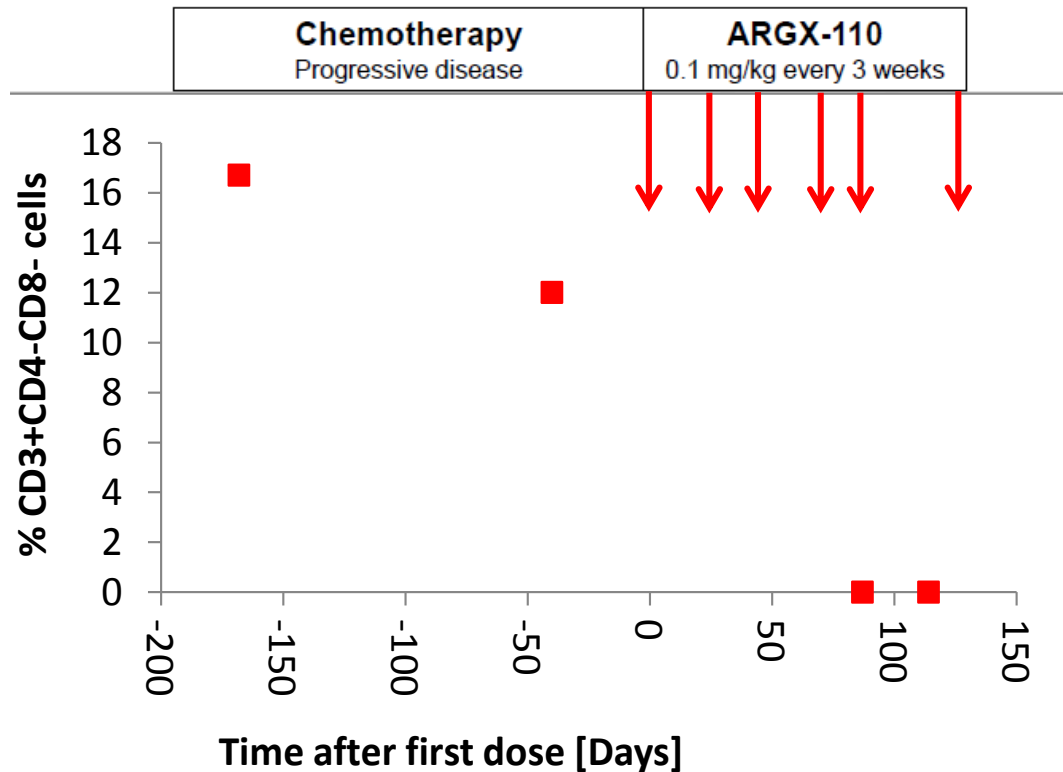
sCD27 levels in TCL patient sera



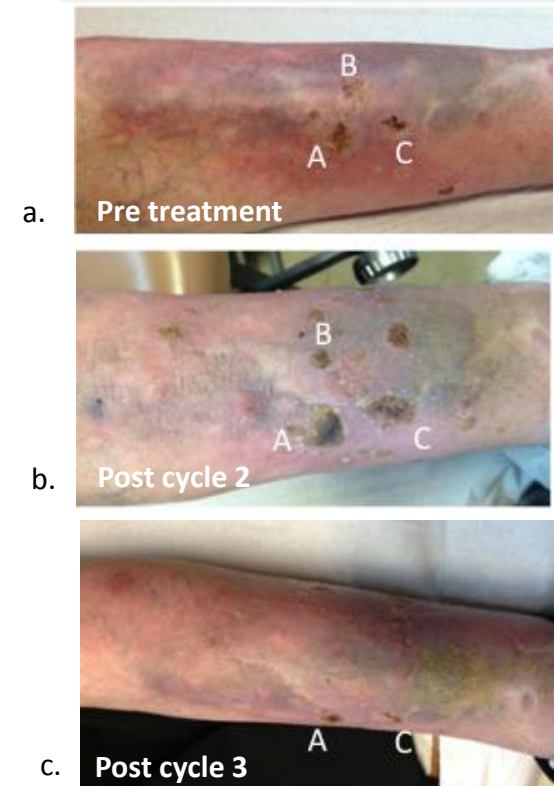
- CD70 strongly overexpressed across different TCL types
- Elevated sCD27 levels suggest strong pathway activity in TCL

ARGX-110: Proof of biological activity in 2 patients with Cutaneous T-Cell Lymphoma (Sézary-Syndrome)

Blood compartment cleared from malignant cells (■)



Stabilized skin lesions



- 78 year old woman with CTCL-SS; refractory to multiple lines of chemotherapy
- ARGX-110 treatment (0.1 mg/kg every 3 weeks)
 - Complete response in blood compartment
 - Stabilized disease in skin lesions (see image a. & c.) & lymph nodes
- Elimination of CD70 positive Sézary cells from blood in 2nd CTCL-SS patient

- Patient anecdotes -

ARGX-110: Proof of biological activity in patient with Cutaneous Follicular Helper T Cell Lymphoma

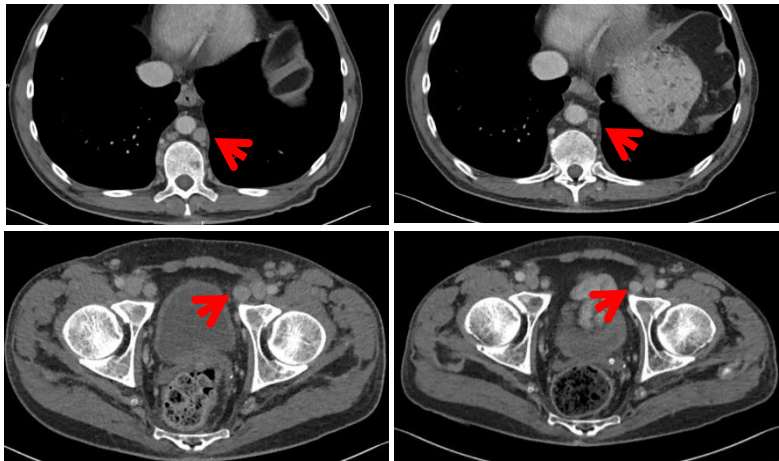
Stable disease in skin lesions



- 55 year old male with cutaneous T_{FH} lymphoma
- Disease in skin
- Treated with Interferon and PUVA
- ARGX-110 treatment (5 mg/kg)
 - Stabilized disease up to cycle 3
 - After 3 cycles: skin lesions decreased in number and size
 - Patient already 19 cycles on study (15 months)

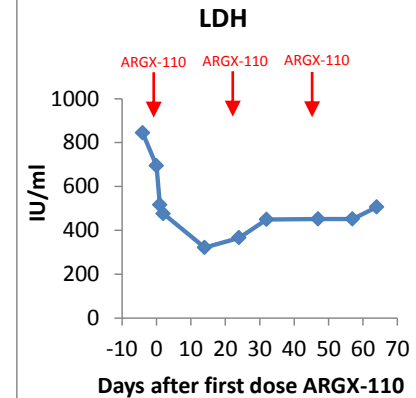
ARGX-110: Proof of biological activity in patient with Angioimmunoblastic T-Cell lymphoma (AITL)

Tumor shrinkage in lymph nodes

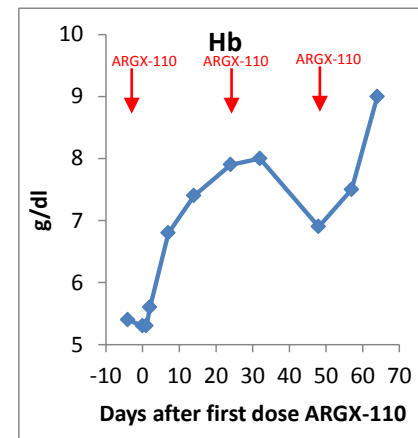


Ref. Lesions	Shrinkage
L1	24%
L2	4%
L3	4%
L4	39%
Non-Ref. Lesions	
L5	65%
L6	50%
L7	59%
L8	43%

Transfusion independent



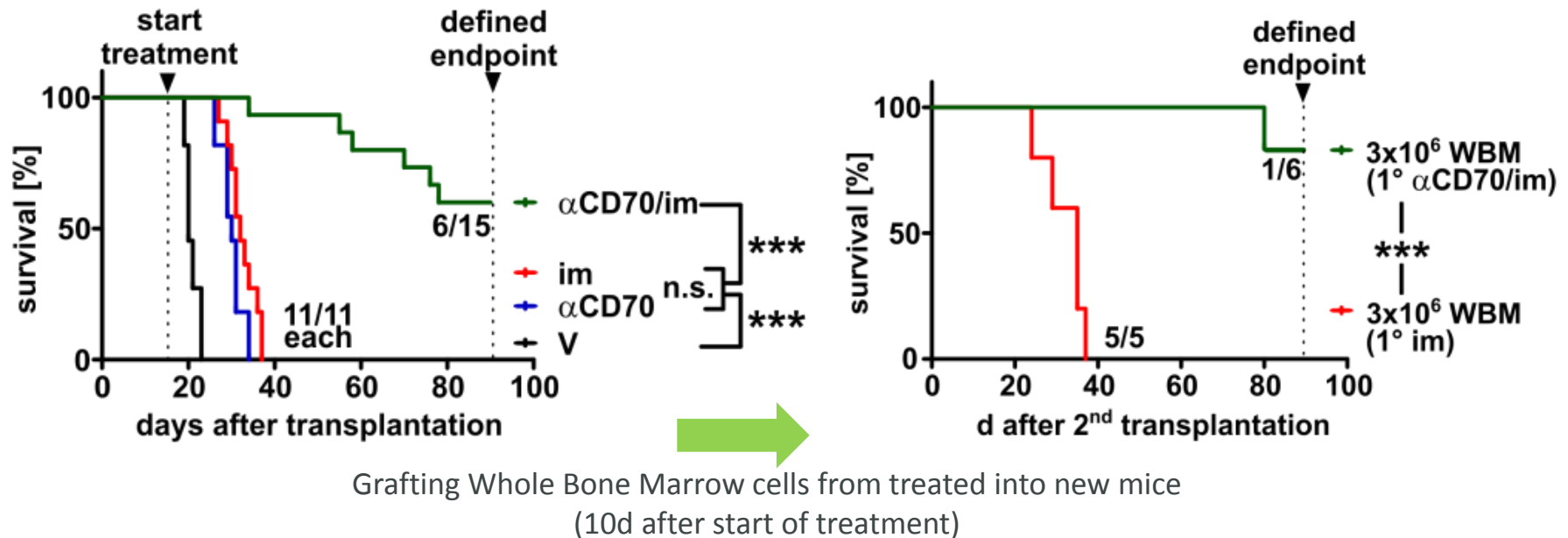
- 61 year-old male AITL patient with severe Hemolytic Anemia
- Refractory to chemotherapy: CHOP + Etoposide/Cyclosporine /Bendamustine - Transplant
- After 2 doses of ARGX-110 (5 mg/kg)
 - Clinical response in lymph nodes
 - Reference lesions shrink between 4-40 %
 - Clear tendency for all other lesions to shrink
 - Clinical response in blood
 - Transfusion independent
 - Coomb positive → Coomb negative after 1 cycle



- Patient anecdote -

ARGX-110/BCR-ABL1 inhibitor eliminates leukemic stem cells in CML model

Curative potential of combo treatment ARGX-110/BCR-ABL1 inhibitor



- Leukemic stem cells (LSCs) resistant to BCR-ABL1 inhibitors via CD70 overexpression
- Combo treatment with CD70 blocking mAb eliminates LSCs by synergistic blockade of Wnt signalling pathway

Im: imatinib; V: vehicle; WBM: whole bone marrow



Next steps

Ongoing clinical studies

- **Hematological tumors**

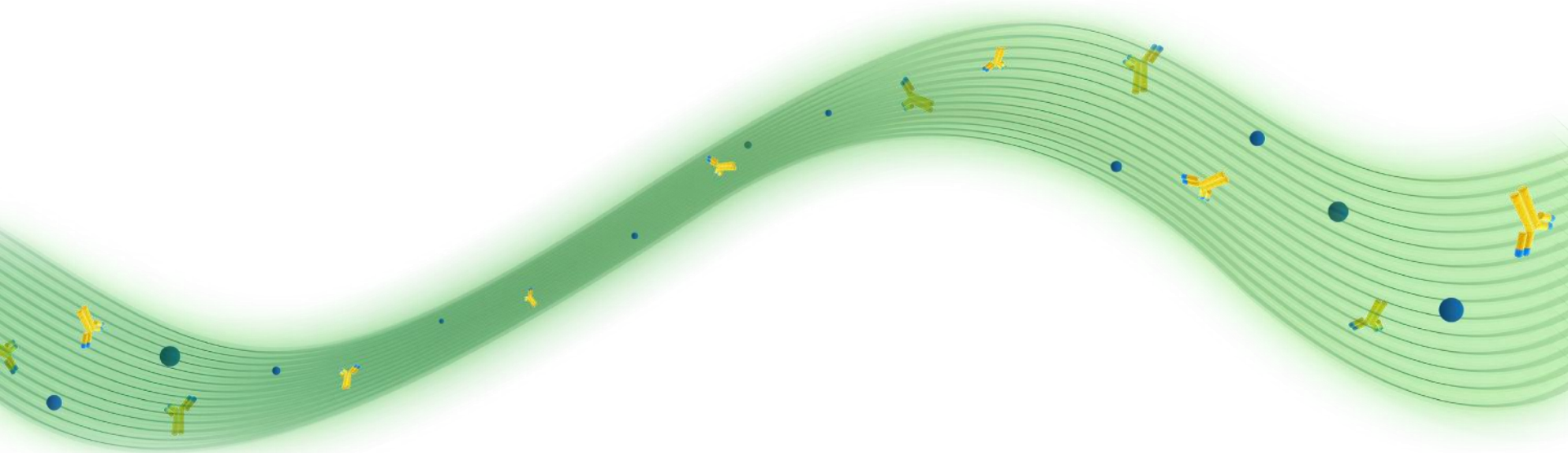
- T-Cell Lymphoma (TCL): Phase 1b → 6 sites (BE, FR, IT)
- Recruiting up to 10 CTCL (min 5 Sz) - 10 PTCL (min 5 AITL) patients
- 10 patients enrolled; on track to complete enrollment by end July

Site	Investigator	Status	Patients (pre)screening	On treatment/treated
UZ Ghent (BE)	Dr. Offner	Open	2X	1X
Jules Bordet Institute (BE)	Dr. Maerevoet	Open	2X	1X
Gustav Roussy (FR)	Dr. Ribrag	Open	11X	4X
St. Louis (FR)	Dr. Bagot	Open	8X	3X
Lille (FR)	Dr. Morschhauser	Open	3X	1X
Bologna (IT)	Dr. Zinzani	Open	1X	

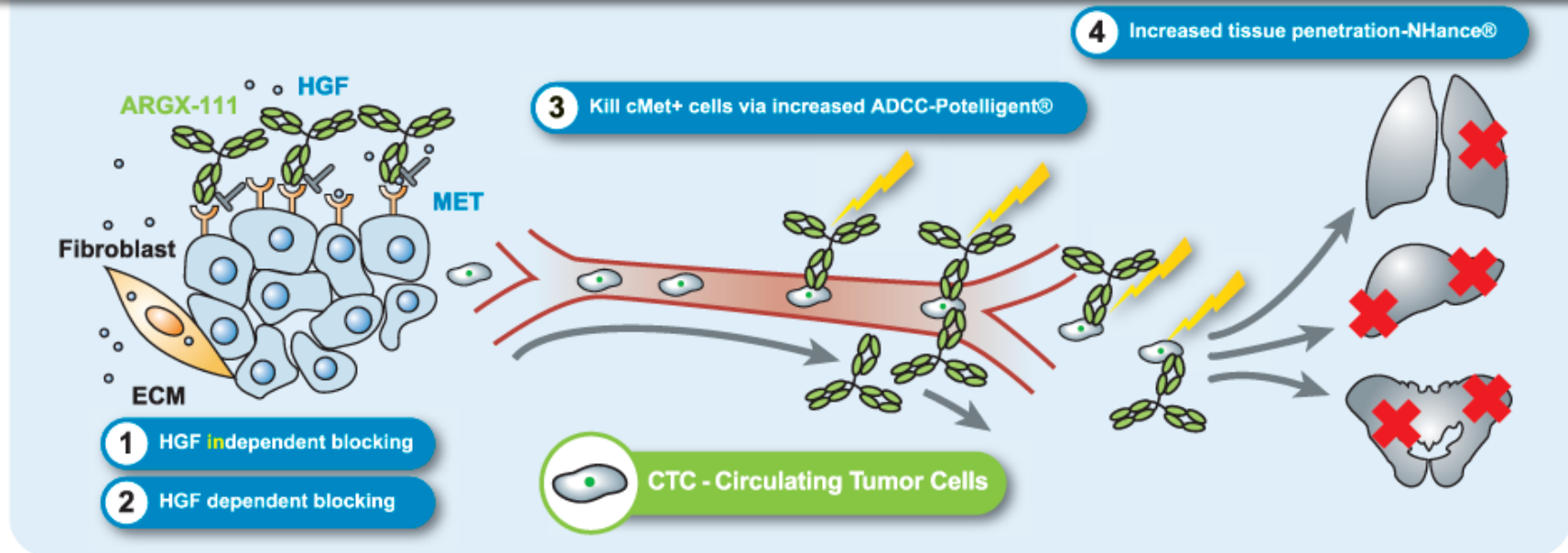
- **Solid tumors**

- Nasopharyngeal carcinoma (NPC): Phase 1b (UZ Gent)

ARGX-111



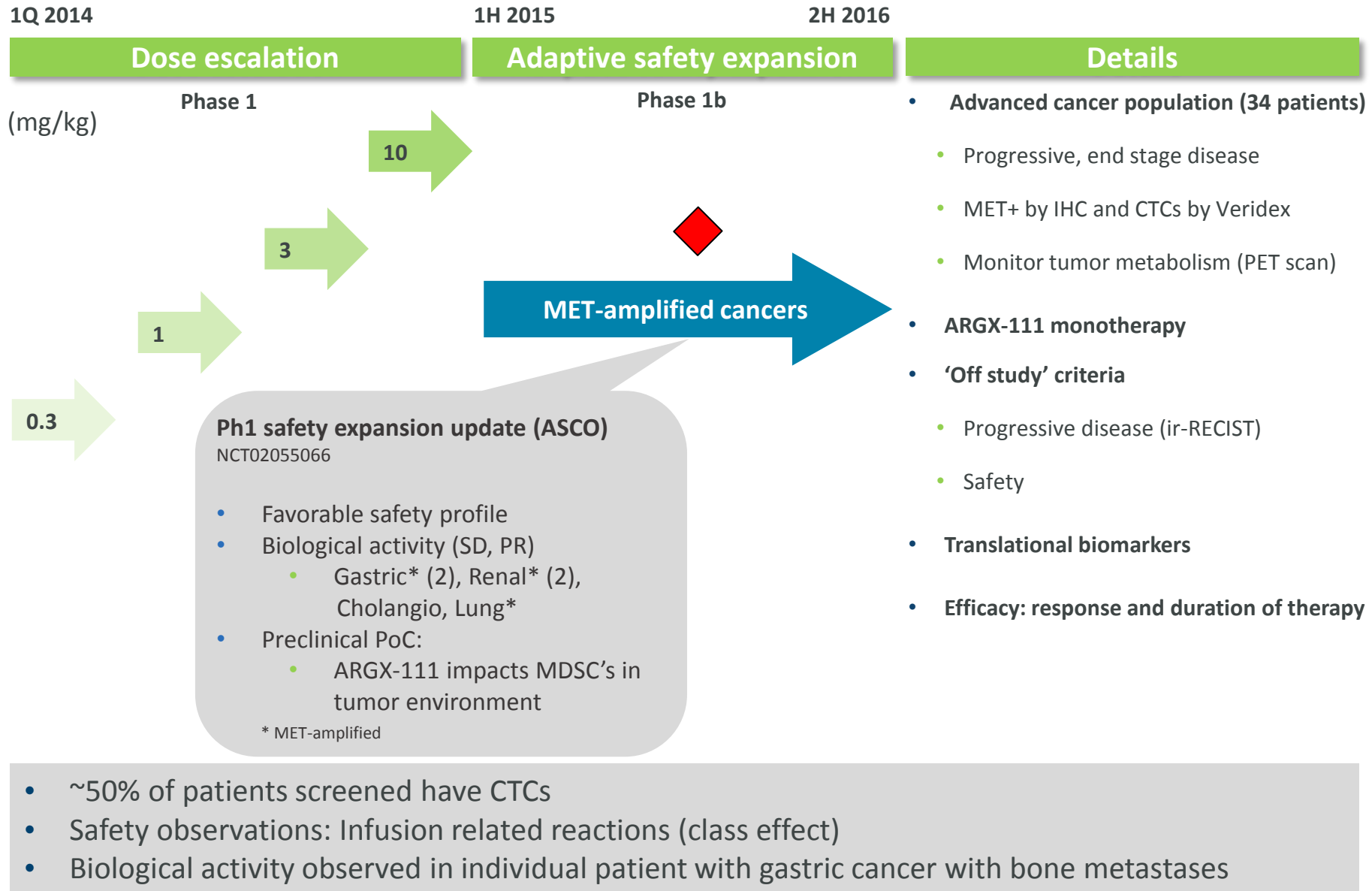
Targeting MET, receptor responsible for tumor growth and metastasis



Hultberg et al., 2014, Cancer Research – Gherardi et al., 2013, Nature Reviews Cancer

- ARGX-111 has several distinct modes of action
 - HGF-dependent blocking
 - HGF-independent blocking
 - Killing MET-expressing cells
 - Specific targeting of tumor tissue

ARGX-111: Phase 1 trial design

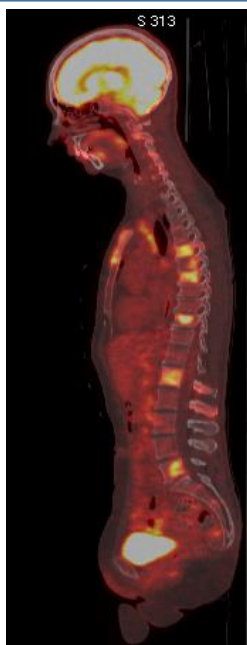


ARGX-111: Proof of biological activity in MET-amplified cancer patients

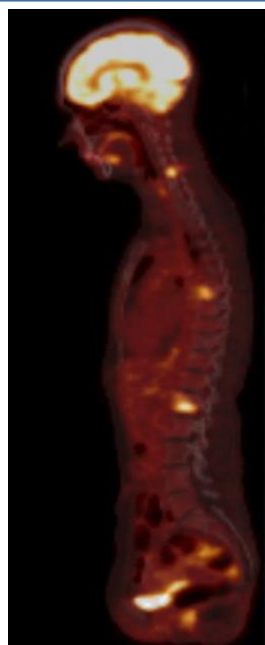
Gastric cancer patient

- 50 year old gastric cancer patient with bone metastases; MET-amplified
- Multiple lines of previous treatment
- PET/CT scan: biological activity
- CTCs reduced by 75%
- Good clinical performance

Baseline PET scan



Improvement after 4 doses



Biological activity

Baseline PET scan



Improvement after 4 doses



Renal cancer patient

- 57 year old renal cancer patient; MET-amplified
- 11 cycles on study; progressive disease stabilized after 2 cycles
- PET/CT scan: biological activity
- 30% reduction of lesion in lymph node

Renal cancer patient

- 58 year old year old renal cancer patient; MET-amplified
- 4 cycles on study

Next steps

Clinical Status

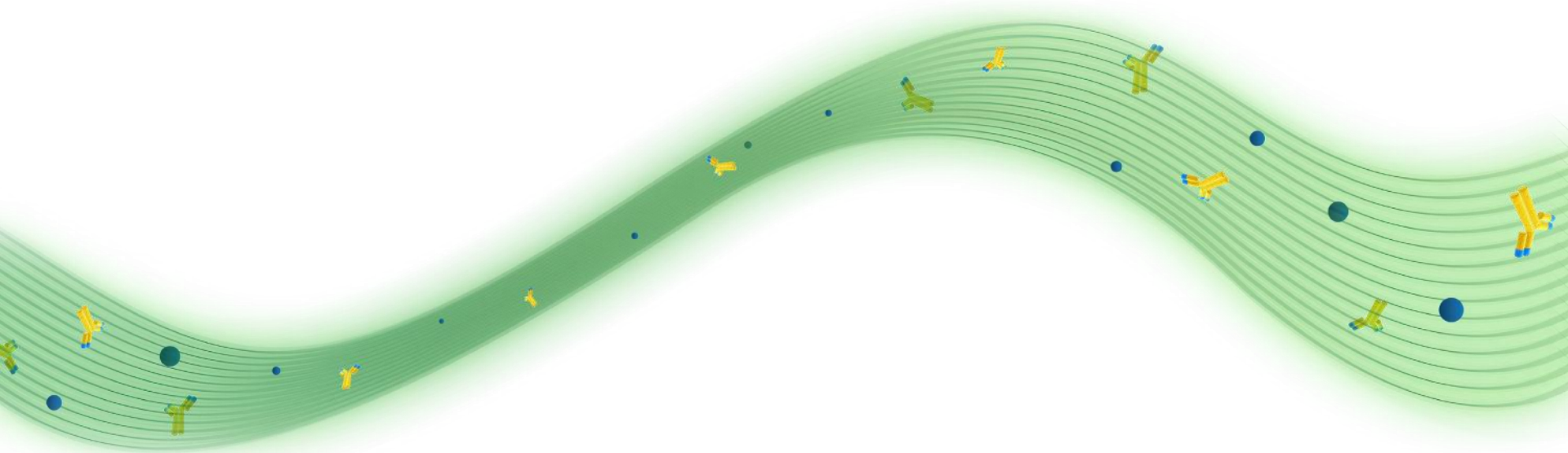
- Phase 1b in MET-amplified patients ongoing
- 5 clinics open EU (BE, FR)
- 3 clinics open in Asia
- Recruiting up to 15 MET-amplified patients

Market potential

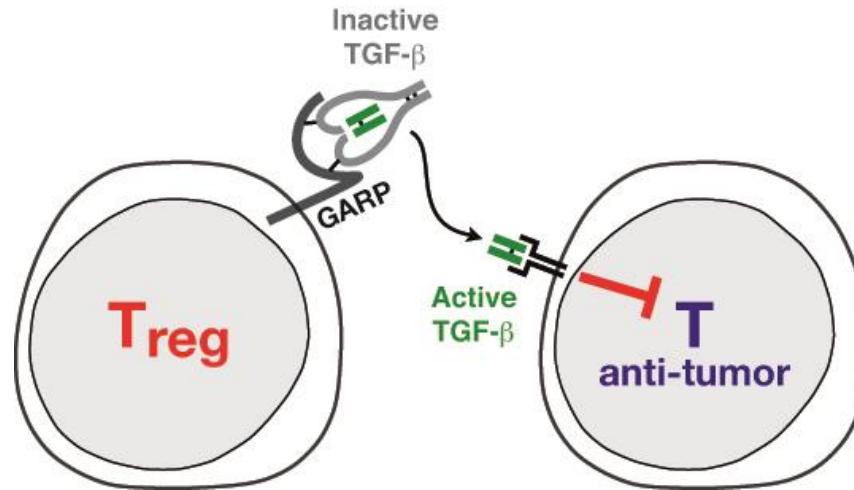
Benchmark cancer treatments

- Herceptin®: \$ 54K/y
- Avastin®: \$ 42.8K– 55K/y
- Erbitux®: \$ 80K/y
- Crizotinib: \$ 1B/y sales based on 3% of ALK-positive NSCLC patients

ARGX-115



GARP: a novel immune checkpoint



- GARP upregulated specifically on surface of Tregs only
- GARP presents and activates latent TGF-β1, activating Tregs and suppressing Teff cells
- SIMPLE Antibody™ hitting unique, patented epitope on GARP
- GARP blockade sufficient for MoA – no Treg depletion
- Graft-versus-host-disease model delivered convincing PoC



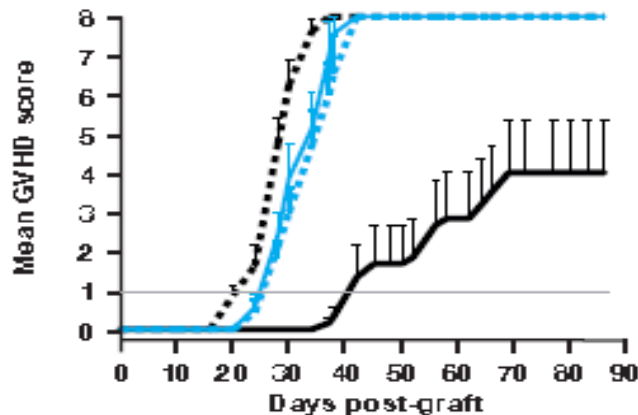
Cuende et al., 2015, Science Translational Medicine

In vivo efficacy of anti-GARP-TGF β SIMPLE Antibody™ in GVHD Model



NSG mice injected with:

- hPBMC → hPBMC (i.e. CTLs) attack host cells (GVHD)
- +/- hTregs → hTregs delay GVHD
- +/- anti GARP → LHG-10.6 blocks Treg-mediated protective activity



- PBMCs
- PBMCs + Tregs
- PBMCs + Tregs + LHG-10.6
- PBMCs + Tregs + LHG-10.6_{N297Q}



AbbVie Option Deal for ARGX-115: Key Elements

- **Financial terms**

- \$40MM upfront
- Preclinical milestones 2x \$10MM
- Up to \$625MM development, regulatory and commercial milestones
- Tiered, up to double-digit royalty payments on net sales

- **Deal Structure**

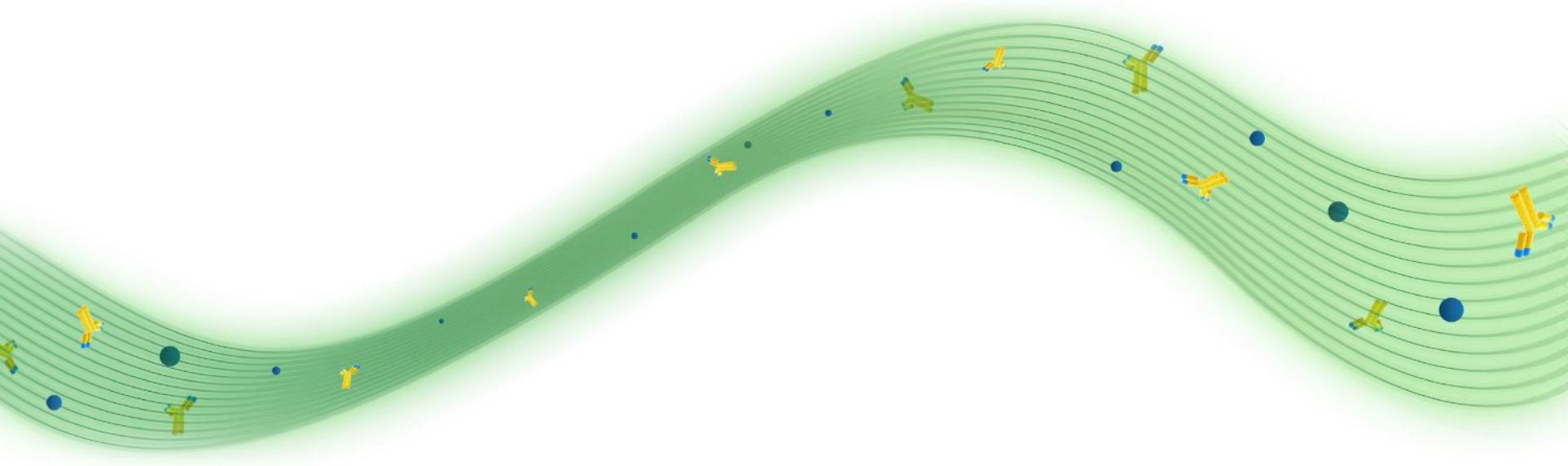


- Responsible for delivering IND data package
- May combine ARGX-115 with its own pipeline mAbs
- Co-promotion right to GARP-targeted products (EU/Swiss Economic Area)



- Option to exclusive development and commercialization license
- Will fund further GARP-related research for initial period of 2years, subject to argenx reaching pre-determined preclinical stage milestone
- Right to license additional therapeutic programs resulting from this research in return for additional milestone and royalty payments

Partnerships



Building partnerships for the long term

- **Alliances with premier pharma partners**

abbvie



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- Exclusive product partnership
- Non-exclusive discovery collaborations leveraging entire technology suite
- Upfront payments, R&D funding, development milestones, royalties, product reversion rights

- **Innovative Access Program**

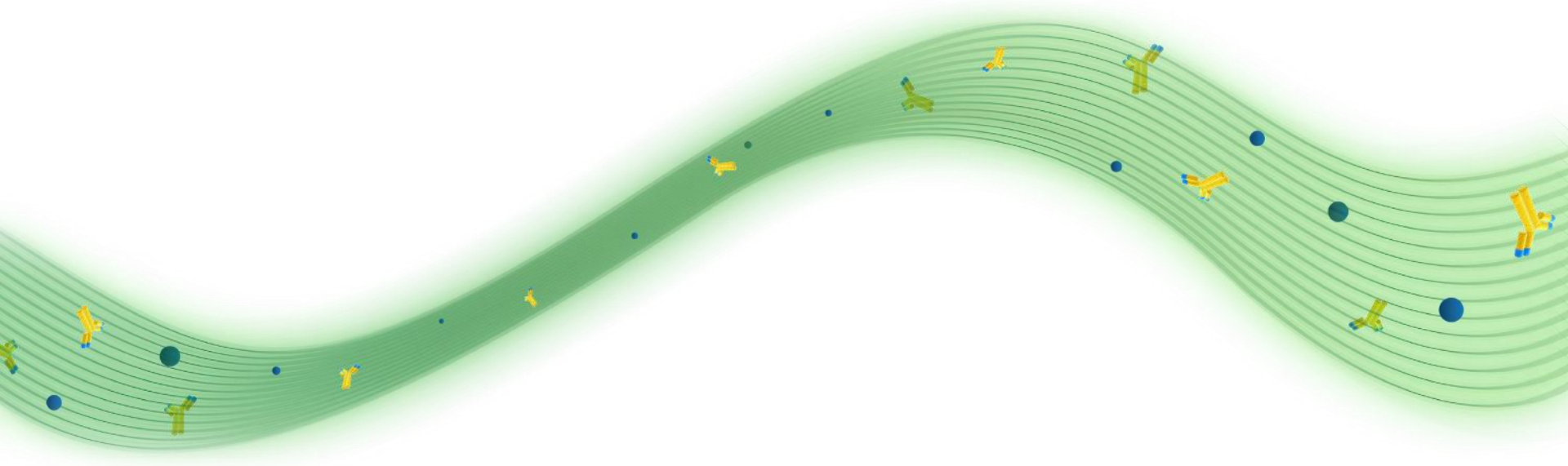


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- Non-exclusive access to antibody technologies for academic and biotech centers of excellence
- Creative deal structures including option to acquire asset, golden share,...

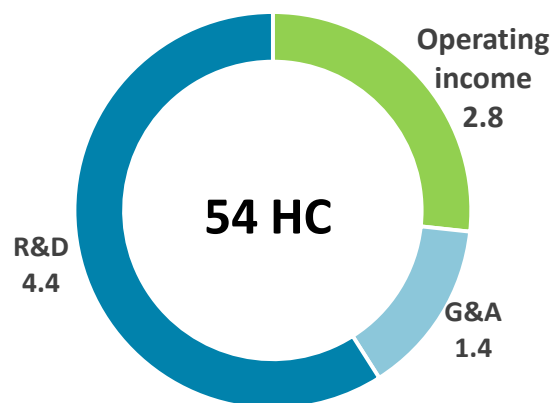
- € 31Mio in cumulative revenue (1Q16) (AbbVie € 35Mio April 2016)
- >€ 2B* potential cumulative revenues from existing partnerships

Financials



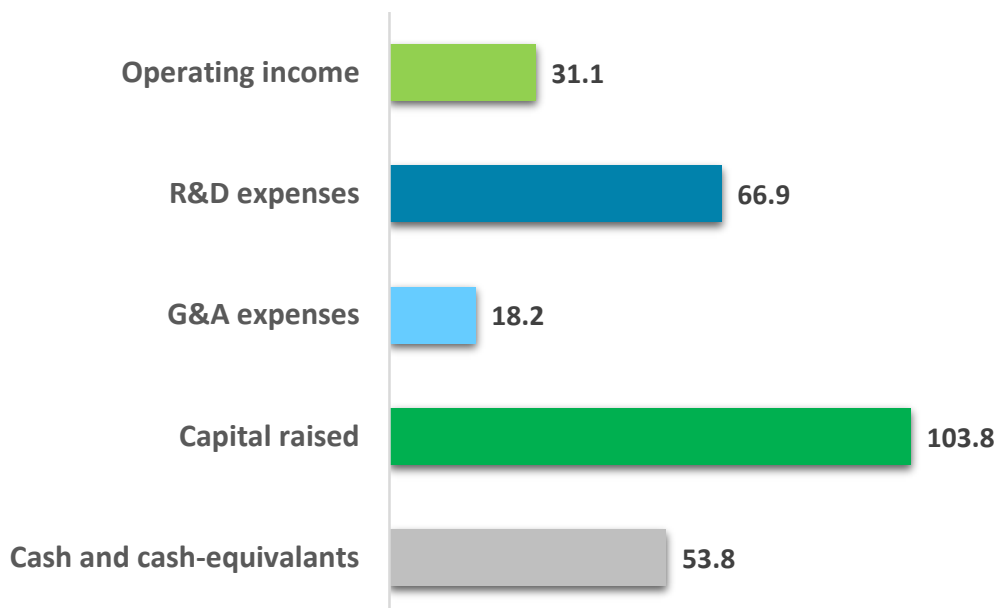
Well capitalized to execute strategic plan

Operating income & expenses
1Q16 (MEUR)

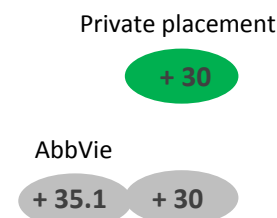


Operating income, expenses & capital raised since inception (*)
1Q16 (MEUR)

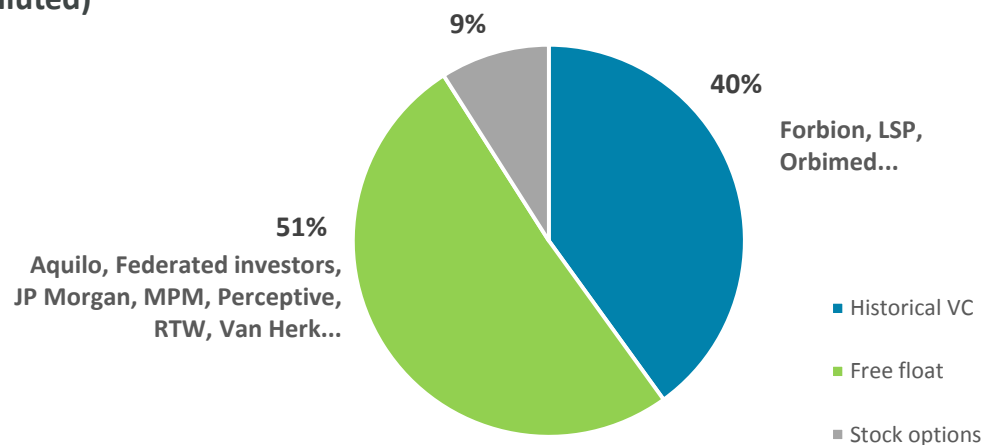
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Capital raised & cash
June 16 (MEUR)



Shareholder structure (fully diluted)
June 16



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