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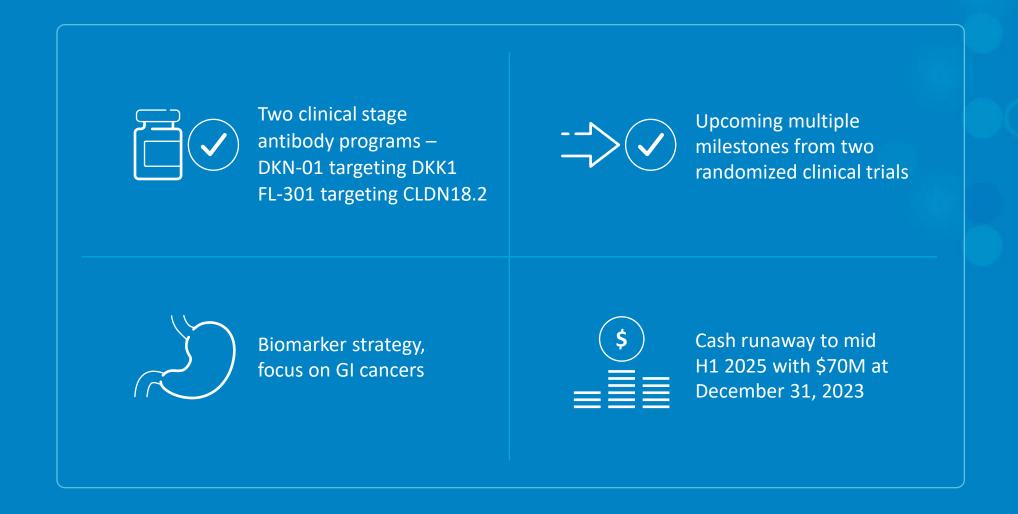
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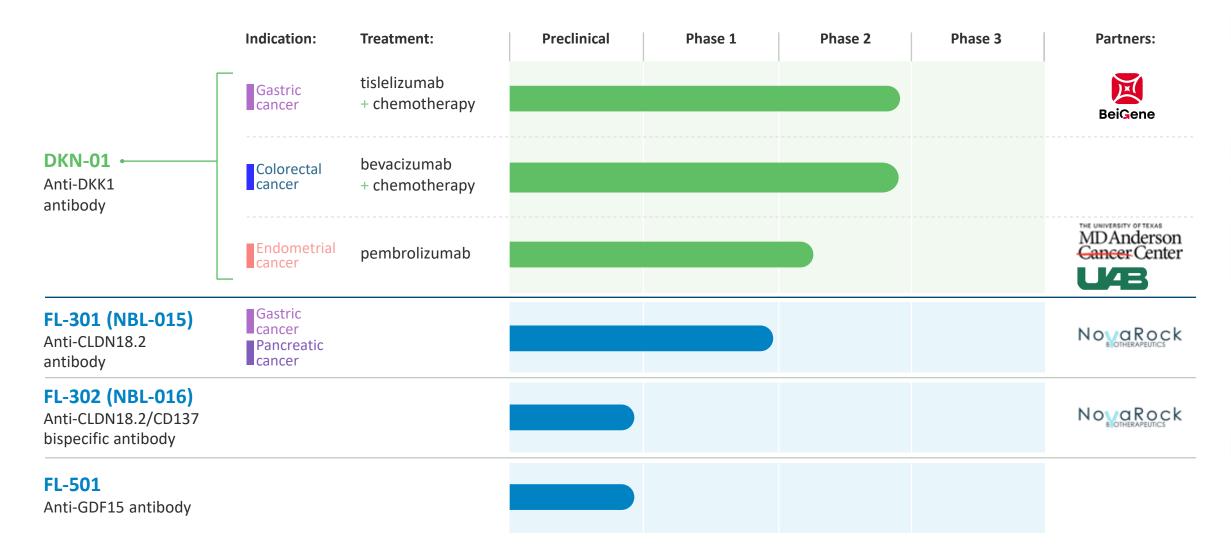


## Developing biomarker-targeted antibody therapies for cancer patients





## **Pipeline**

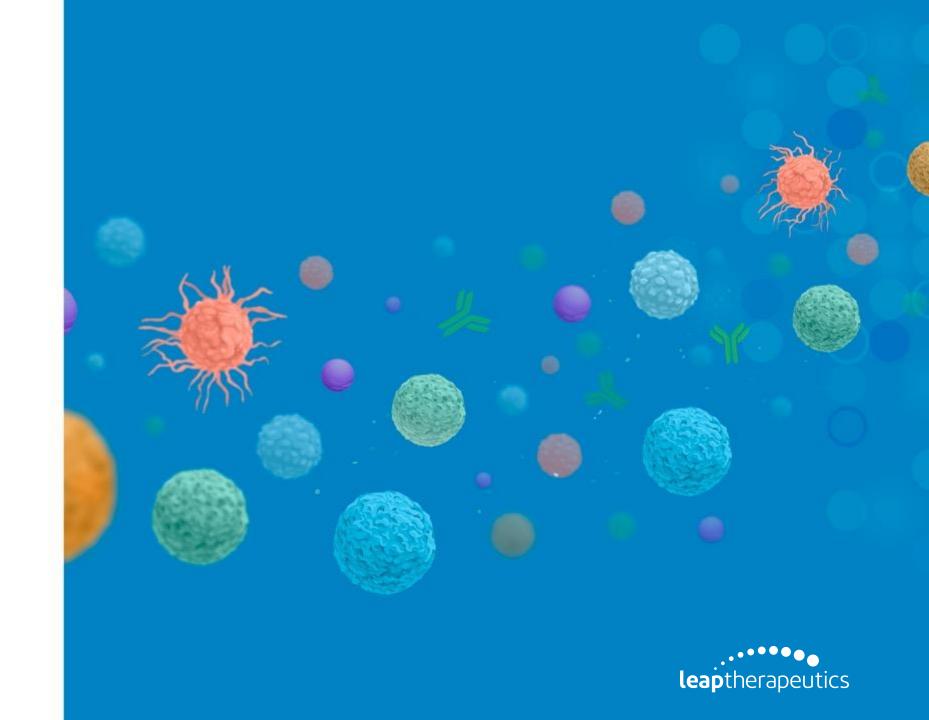




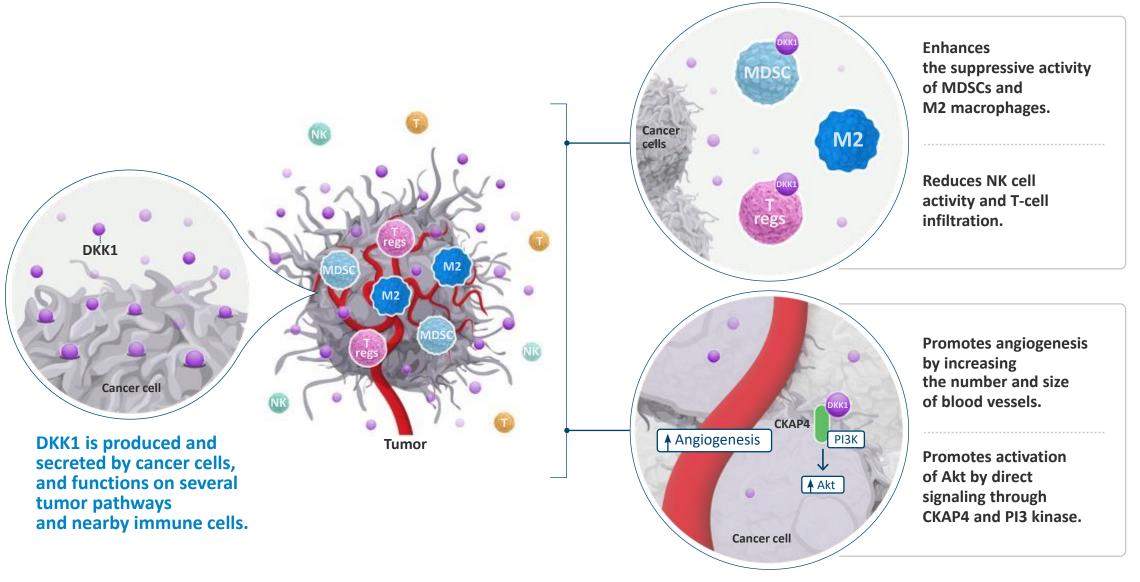


## **DKN-01**

Anti-DKK1 monoclonal antibody

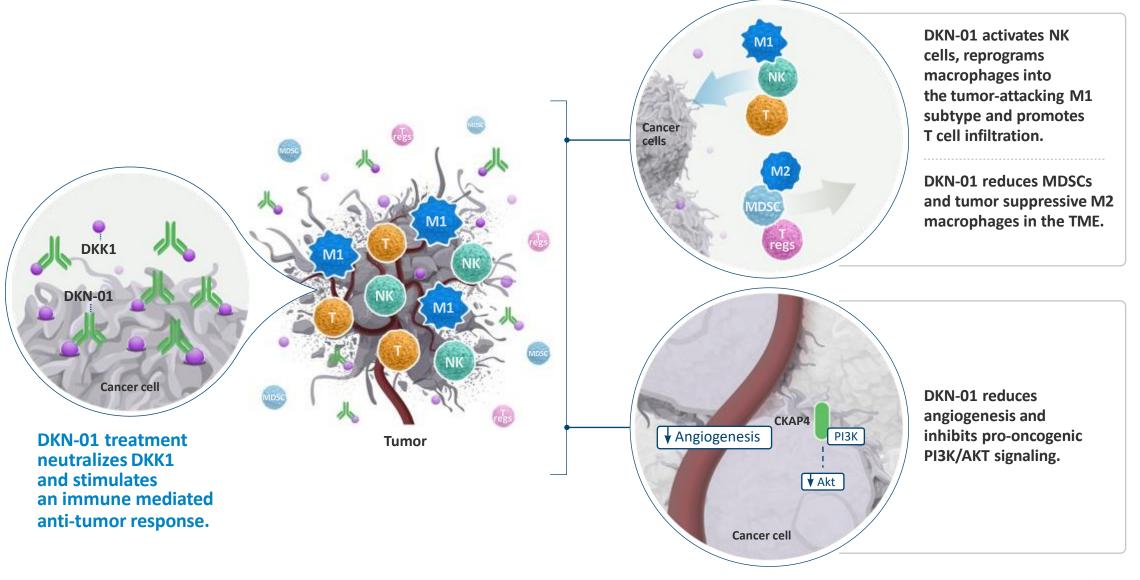


#### The role of DKK1 in cancer



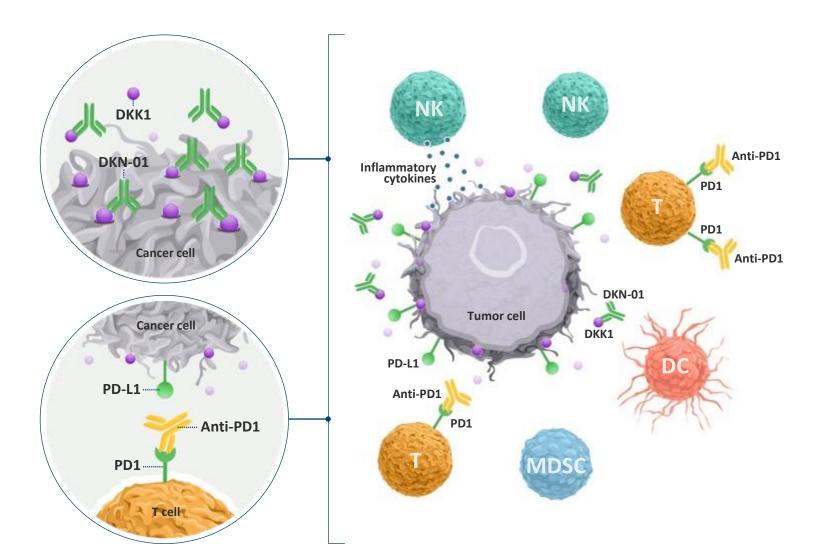


#### **Activity of DKN-01 to treat cancer**





#### **DKN-01** and anti-PD-1 cooperativity



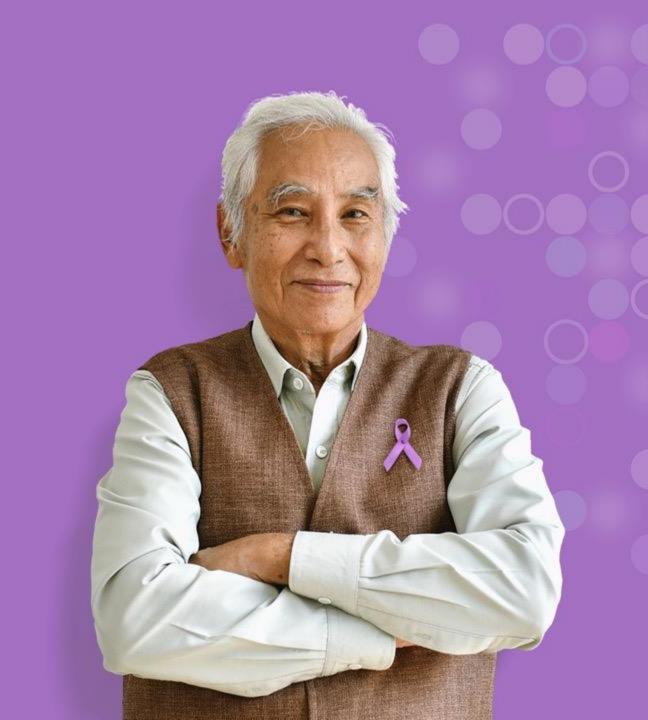
DKN-01 targets innate immunity by activating NK cells, reprogramming Macrophages and inhibiting MDSCs, thus setting the stage for an enhanced adaptive immune response by anti-PD-1.

Promotes a pro-inflammatory M1 macrophage phenotype.

DKN-01 sensitizes tumors to anti-PD-1 therapies through upregulation of PD-L1.



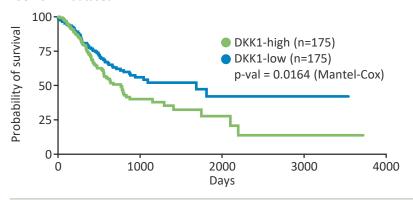
# DKN-01 Gastric cancer development



#### DKK1-high levels are associated with poor survival in gastric cancer

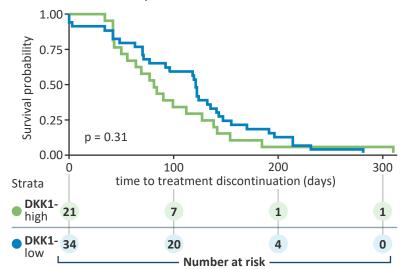
## High levels of DKK1 correlate with shorter overall survival In gastric cancer

TCGA STAD dataset



DKK1-high is associated with poor response to first-line platinum + fluoropyrimidine based therapies in GEJ/gastric cancer patients

Collaboration with Tempus







~2.5 years shorter OS in DKK1-high patients



# DKN-01 single agent activity in heavily pretreated esophagogastric cancer patients

2L+ EGC DKN-01

## On Study 1 Year, Reduction -33.9% Failed Prior anti-PD-L1 + IDOi





4-month scan

# Best Overall Response of 20 Evaluable Patients\*

Partial Response	2
Stable Disease	6
Progressive Disease	12

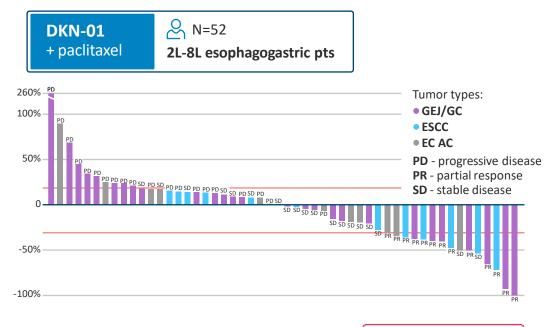
2 Monotherapy PRs

**Clinical Benefit Rate** 40%



## Clinical activity of DKN-01 plus paclitaxel or anti-PD-1 antibody

**GEJ/GC**Historical data



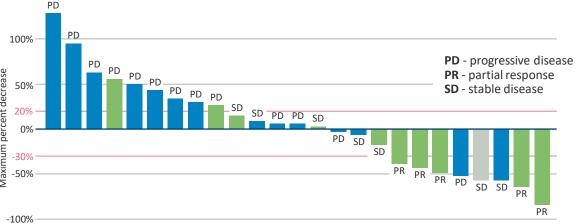
	Patients treated	Prior therapies	Overall response rate (ORR)	Disease control rate (DCR)	
<b>DKN-01</b> + paclitaxel	& N=52	1-7	25%	60%	

## Strong broad activity in esophagogastric cancer in heavily pretreated patients

	Patients treated	PFS (months)	OS (months)	Overall response rate (ORR)	Disease control rate (DCR)	
<b>DKN-01</b> + paclitaxel	& N=15	4.5	12.7	46.7%	73.3%	

ORR in 2L patients is ~47%





location	Total (n)	PFS (mo)	OS (mo)	RE (n)	PR (n)	SD (n)	PD (n)	NE (n)	Overall response rate (ORR)	Disease control rate (DCR)
• DKK1- high	<u>ജ</u> n=11	5.1	7.3	10	5	3	2	1	5 (50%)	8 (80%)
• DKK1- low	<u></u> \$ n=20	1.4	4	15	0	3	12	5	0 (0%)	3 (20%)

<sup>\*</sup>DKK1-high ≥ upper tertile (35)

Achieved improved ORR, PFS, and OS in DKK1-high patients Identified H-score threshold for DKK1 high/low expression





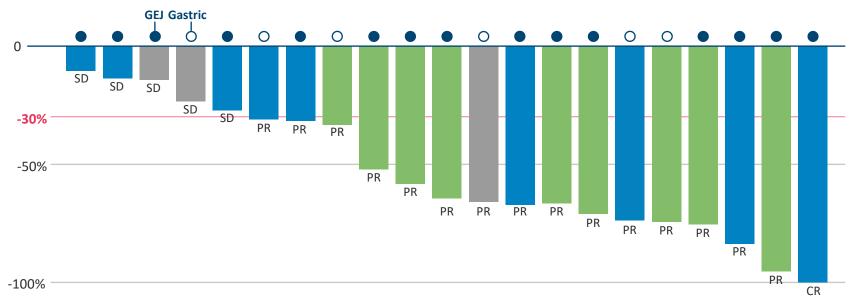
## Response by DKK1 expression in first-line patients

#### 1L GEJ/GC

#### DKN-01

- + tislelizumab
- + chemotherapy

#### **Best % change in sum of diameters**



	mITT* population 옶N=22	DKK1-high	<b>DKK1</b> -low	● DKK1-unknown ❷ N=3
CR - complete response	1 (5%)	0	1 (11%)	0
PR - partial response	15 (68%)	9 (90%)	5 (56%)	1 (33%)
SD - stable disease	5 (23%)	0	3 (33%)	2 (67%)
PD - progressive disease	0	0	0	0
<b>NE</b> - non-evaluable	1 (5%)	1 (10%)	0	0

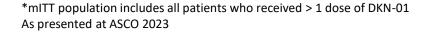
All 9 of the evaluable DKK1-high patients had a partial response

1 PR went to curative surgery with pathological CR

73%
ORR
in the mITT
Population

(1 CR; 15 PR)





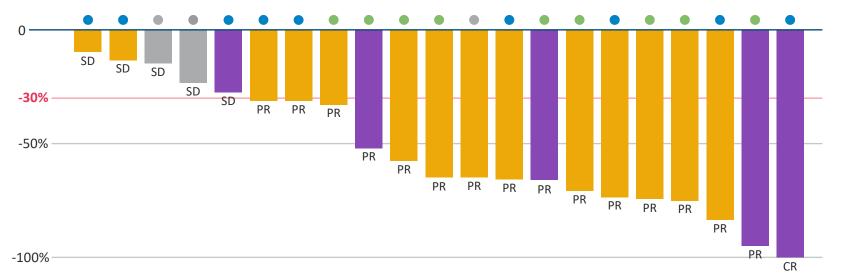
## Response by PD-L1 expression

#### 1L GEJ/GC

#### DKN-01

- + tislelizumab
- + chemotherapy

#### **Best % change in sum of diameters**



	PD-L1 [	CPS ≥5	<b>1</b>	PD-L1 🚺 CPS <5		
	● DKK1-high & N=4	DKK1-low N=2	● DKK1-high & N=6	<b>DKK1-</b> low	● <b>DKK1</b> -unknown N=1	
CR - complete response		1 (50%)				
PR - partial response	3 (75%)	0	6 (100%)	5 (71%)*	1 (100%)	
SD - stable disease	0	1 (50%)	0	2 (29%)	0	
PD - progressive disease	0	0	0	0	0	
<b>NE</b> - non-evaluable	1 (25%)	0	0	0	0	
	≗ N=	6 ORR	≥ N=14 86% ORR			

vCPS: visually-estimated combined positive score; PD-L1: programmed death-ligand 1

\*Includes one pathologic CR

As presented at ASCO 2023

86%
ORR in PD-L1 low patients



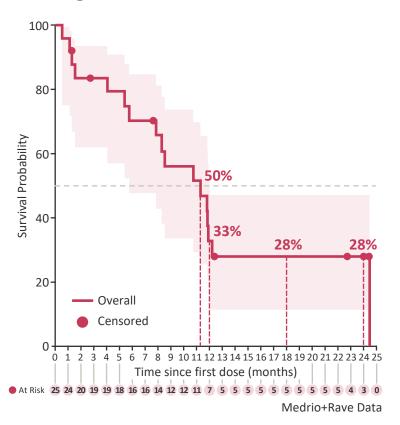
#### Survival outcomes in the overall population

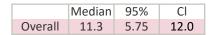
#### 1L GEJ/GC

#### DKN-01

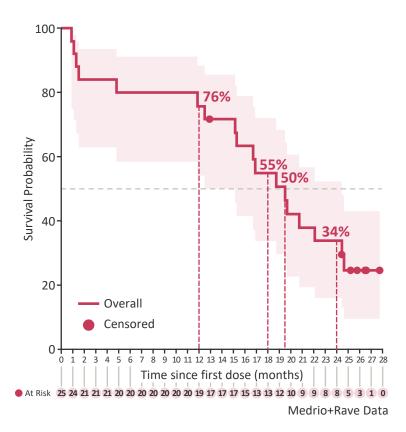
- + tislelizumab
- + chemotherapy

#### **Progression-free survival**





#### **Overall survival**



	Median	95%	Cl
Overall	19.5	15.2	24.4

Median PFS: 11.3 months

Median OS: 19.5 months



## Competitive benchmarks for anti-PD-1 + chemotherapy in 1L GEJ/GC patients

1L GEJ/GC

DKN-01

+ tislelizumab

+ chemotherapy

PD-1 antibodies plus chemotherapy	Nivol	umab	Tislel	Pembrolizumab	
	Checkmate-649 (AII)  N=789	Checkmate-649  PD-L1 ♠ CPS ≥ 5  N=473	Rationale-305 (AII)  N=501	Rationale-305  PD-L1 ♠ CPS ≥ 5  N=274	Keynote-859 (AII)  N=790
OS months	13.7	14.4	15.0	16.4	12.9
(95% CI)	(12.4, 14.5)	(13.1, 16.2)	(13.6, 16.5)	(13.6, 19.1)	(11.9, 14.0)
DOR months	8.5	9.6	8.6	9.0	8.0
(95% CI)	(7.7, 9.9)	(8.2, 12.4)	(7.9, 11.1)	(8.2, 19.4)	(7.0, 9.7)
PFS months	7.7	8.3	6.9	7.2	6.9
(95% CI)	(7.1, 8.6))	(7.0, 9.3)	(5.7, 7.2)	(5.8, 8.4)	(6.3, 7.2)
ORR (%)	47%	50%	47.3%	50.4%	51.3%
(95% CI)	(43%, 50%)	(46%, 55%)	(42.9%, 51.8%)	(44.3%, 56.4%)	(47.7%, 54.8%)



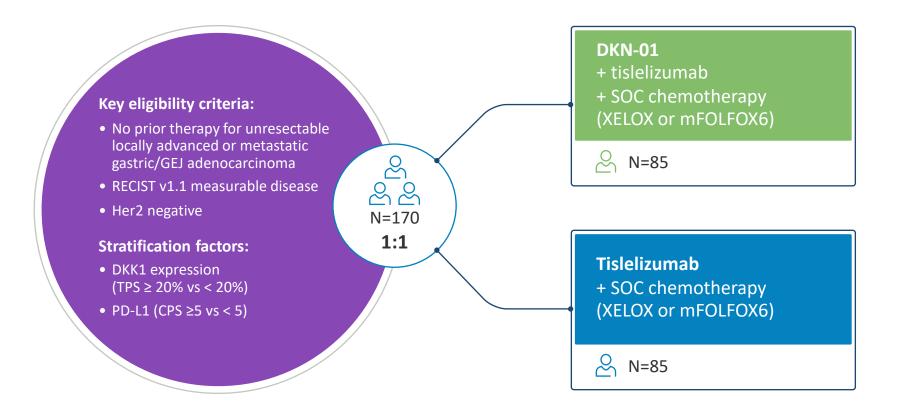


#### **DisTinGuish Part C randomized study**

#### 1L GEJ/GC

#### **DKN-01**

- + tislelizumab
- + chemotherapy



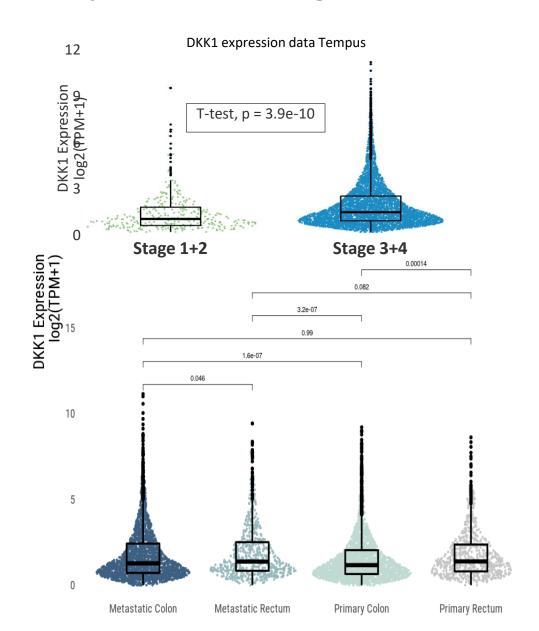
- ✓ Primary objective:PFS, DKK-high and all
- **⊘** Secondary objectives:
  - OS, DKK1-high and all
  - ORR, DKK1-high and all

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**DKN-01**Colorectal cancer development



# Rationale for targeting colorectal cancer with DKN-01 DKK1 expression is the highest in metastatic rectum

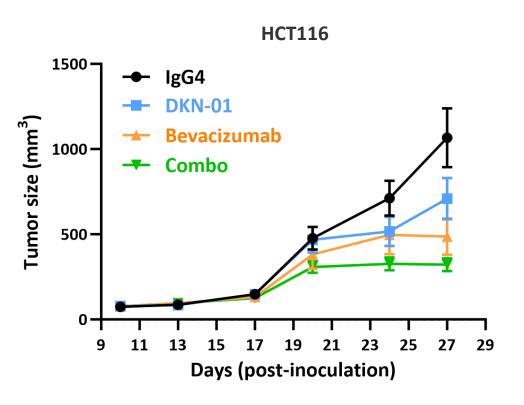


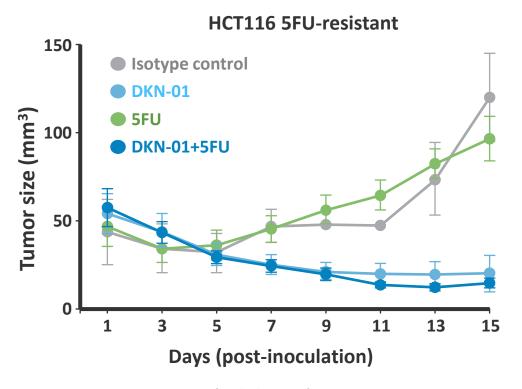
- CRC is characterized by hyperactivation of the Wnt pathway,
   often believed to be the initiating and driving event
  - CMS2 subtype more commonly found in left-sided tumors
- DKK1 highest in metastatic rectum
- DKK1 drives resistance to 5FU chemotherapy
- Preclinically DKN-01 treatment:
  - Shows additive activity with 5FU and is able to overcome
     5FU-resistance
  - Has activity alone and with an anti-VEGF antibody



## DKN-01 has activity in CRC models in combination with bevacizumab or 5FU

- DKN-01 has efficacy in CRC syngeneic models including HCT116
- Additive activity was seen with bevacizumab
- In a 5FU chemotherapy-resistant model, DKN-01 demonstrates significant inhibition of tumor growth alone and with 5FU





Data courtesy of Goel Lab at City of Hope Cancer Center



#### Second-line colorectal cancer is a heterogenous disease

- Patient characteristics and first-line therapy drive choice of second-line therapy and expected outcomes
  - Prior bevacizumab (induction and/or maintenance therapy)
  - Tumor characteristics
    - Genetic profile (BRAF, KRAS/NRAS, Her2, MSI-H/MSS)
    - Location of primary tumor (left vs right-sided)
    - Consensus Molecular Subtype (CMS 1, 2, 3, 4)
  - Prior chemotherapy used in first-line setting, including modifications of regimens over time (e.g., FOLFOX4 vs mFOLFOX6)
  - Sites of metastatic disease (liver and/or lung)
  - Rapid progressors
    - Progression within 6-12 months of completion of neoadjuvant/adjuvant or first-line therapy
- Historical clinical efficacy in Phase 3 controlled trials:
  - ORR range: 4 22%
  - DCR range: 62 78%
  - PFS range: 2.5 6.9 months
  - OS range: 11.2 15.5 months
- No treatment paradigm changing options in past decade beyond bevacizumab maintenance or in targeted patient populations

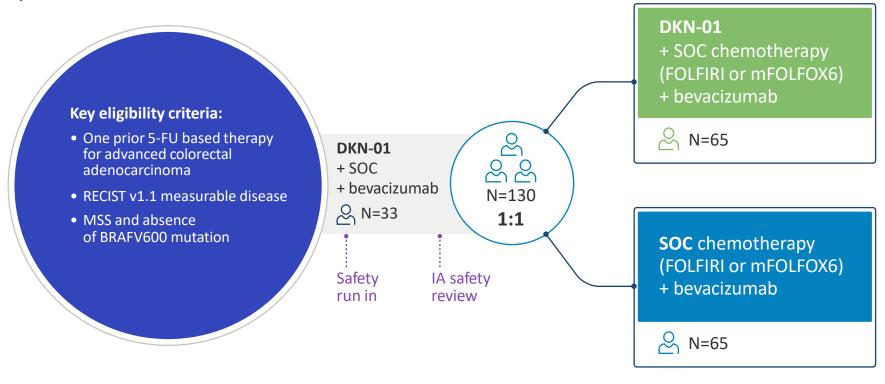




#### DeFianCe study design: advanced colorectal cancer

2L CRC
DKN-01
+ bevacizumab
+ chemotherapy

Randomized phase 2 study of FOLFIRI/FOLFOX and bevacizumab +/- DKN-01 as second-line treatment of advanced colorectal cancer



- **⊘ Primary objective:** PFS
- **⊘** Secondary objectives:
  - ORR
  - DoR
  - OS



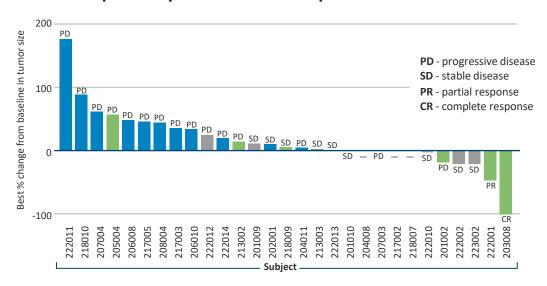
# **DKN-01**Endometrial cancer development



## DKN-01 monotherapy - overall response by DKK1 tumoral expression

# 2L+ EEC DKN-01 monotherapy

#### Overall response by DKK1 tumoral expression



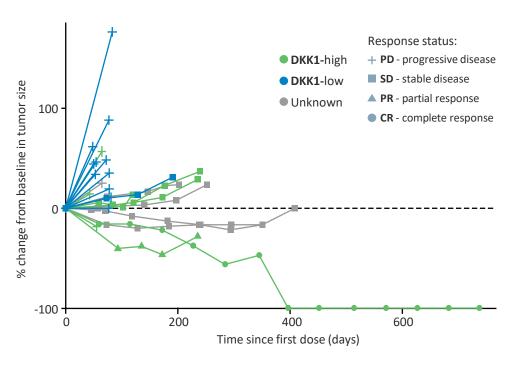
Status	Total	CR	PR	SD	PD	NE	ORR	DCR
<b>DKK1-</b> high (≥18)*	<u>&amp;</u> n=8	1	1	3	3	0	25%	63%
<b>DKK1-</b> low (<18)	<b>८</b> n=15	0	0	1	11	3	0%	<b>7</b> %
Unknown	<b>≥</b> n=6	0	0	5	1	0	0%	83%

<sup>\*</sup>H-score ≥ 18, upper tertile of overall study population

DKK1-high tumors have better ORR (25% vs. 0%) and clinical benefit (63% vs. 7%)

Patients with unknown DKK1 expression include 3 patients with durable SD and Wnt activating mutations

#### **Durable clinical benefit in DKK1-high tumors**



DKK1-high patients have longer progression-free survival (4.3 vs. 1.8 months [HR 0.26; 95 CI: 0.09, 0.75])

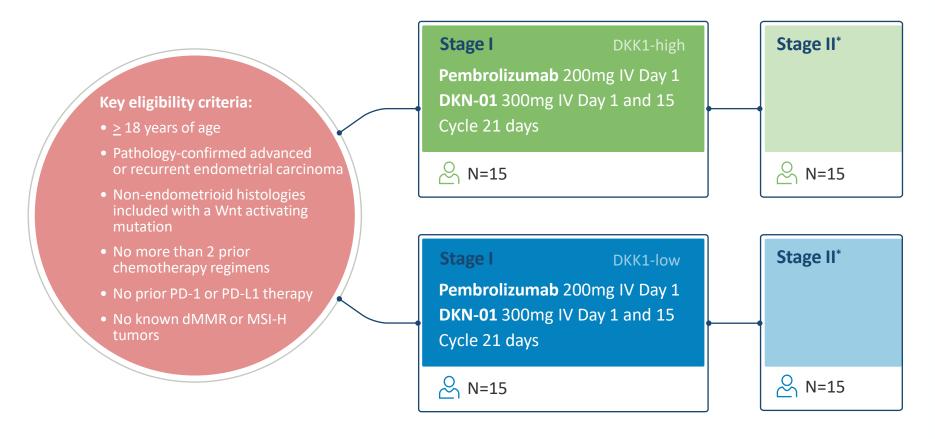




#### DKN-01 plus pembrolizumab endometrial cancer study

2-3L EEC

DKN-01
+ pembrolizumab



Primary objective:Objective response rate (ORR)

✓ Secondary objectives:Clinical benefit,PFS, OS, DOR

Open-label, phase 2 trial,
Bayesian optimal phase II design,
Investigator-initiated study with pembrolizumab supplied by Merck.





#### **DKN-01** clinical milestones

