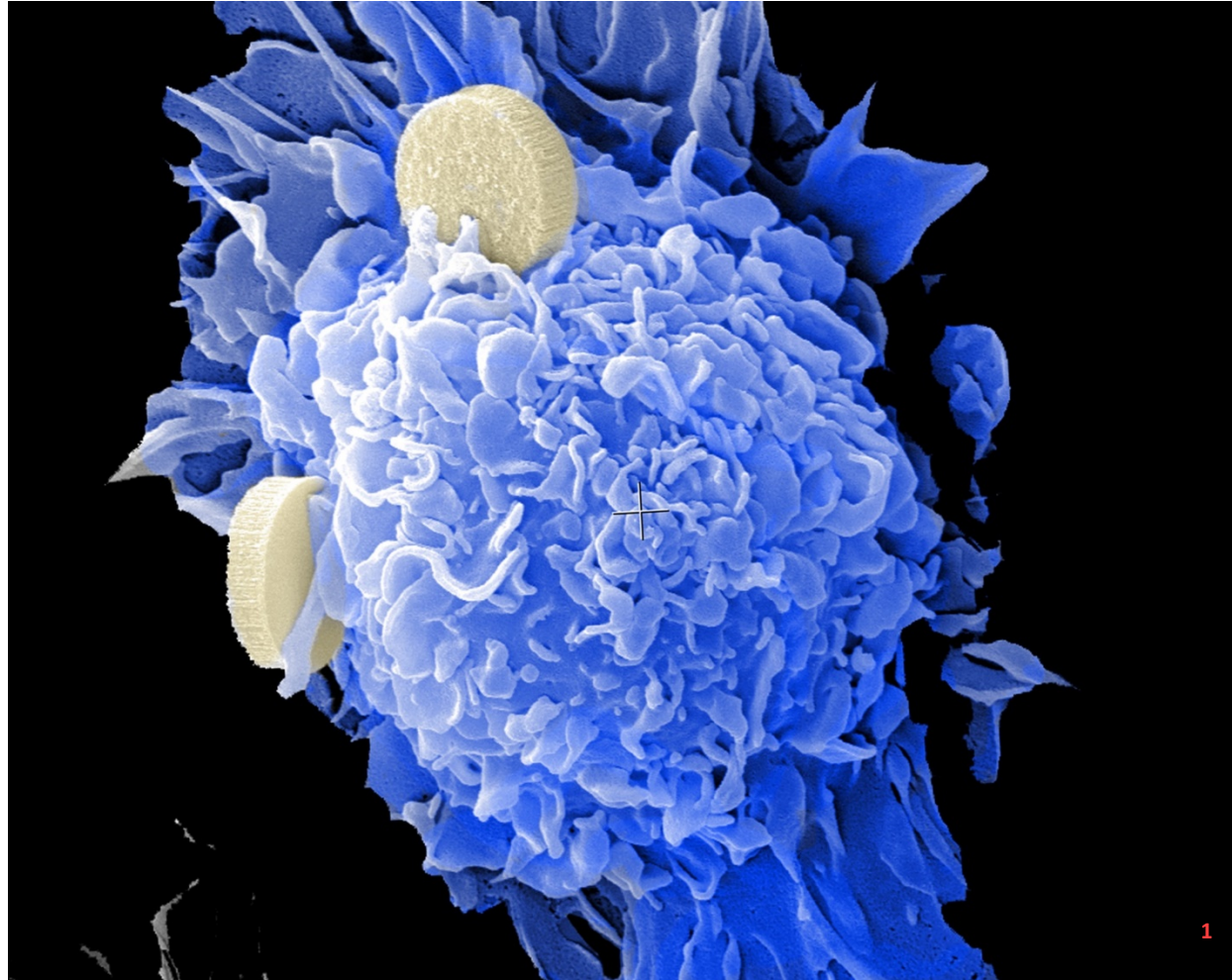


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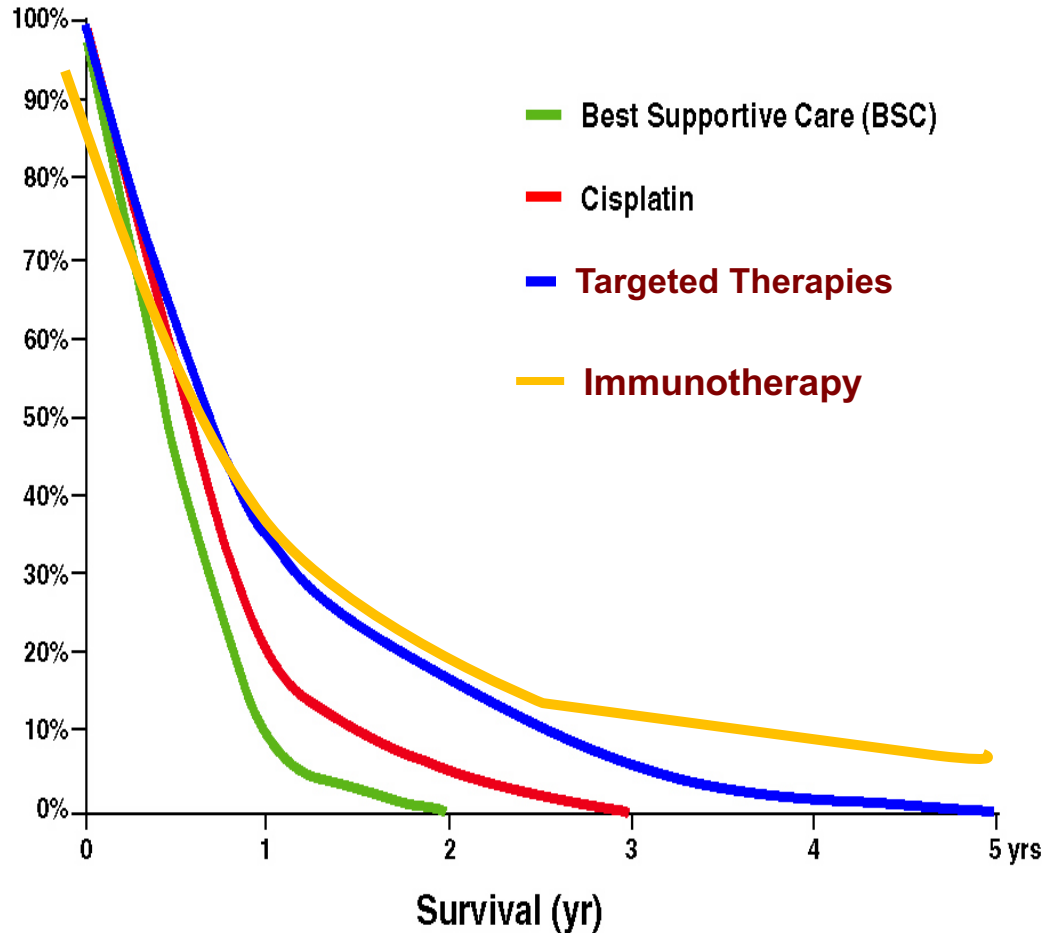
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# Therapy for Advanced Lung Cancer

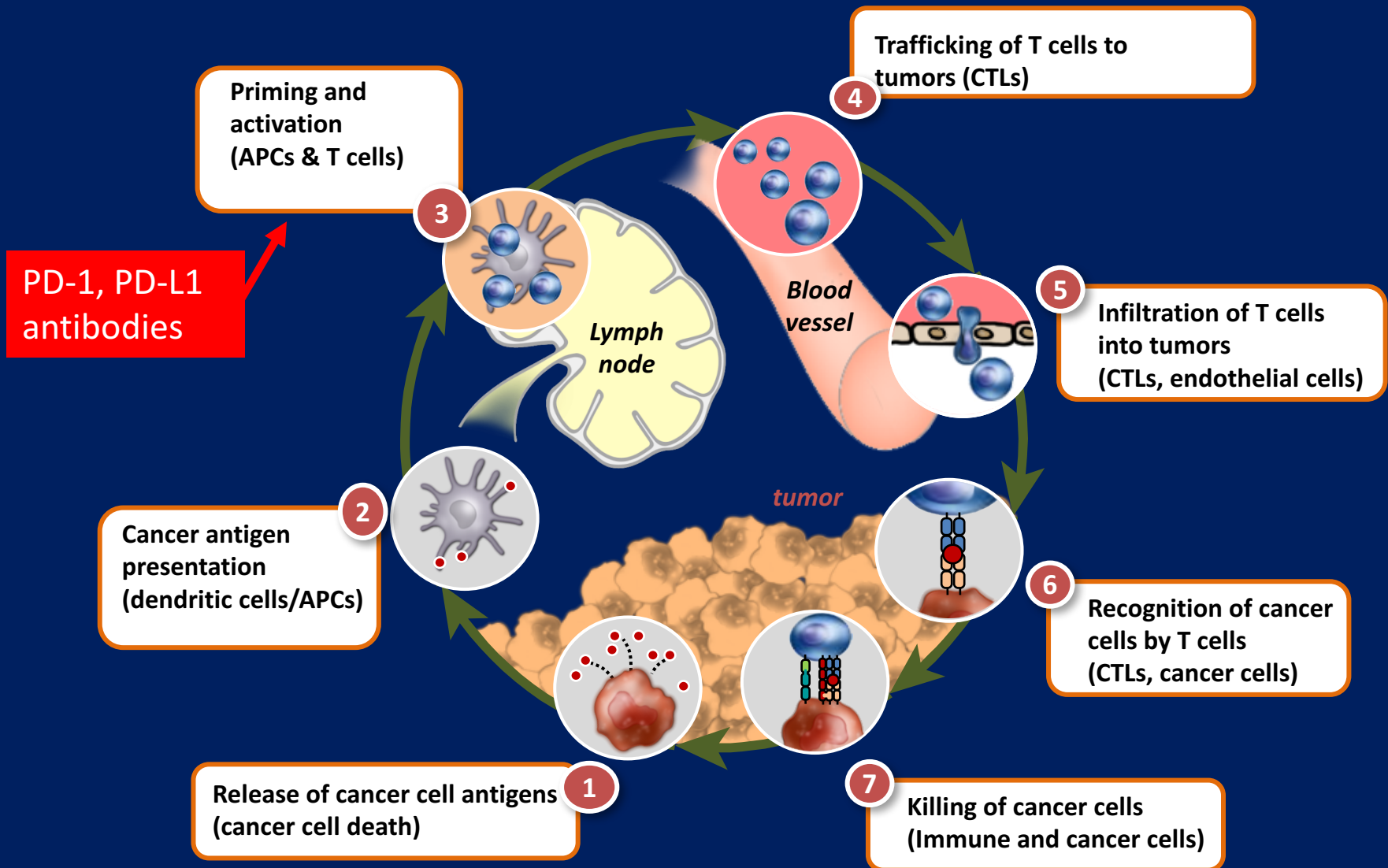
## Metastatic NSCLC Survival Advances



There have been some modest gains since 1980

Are we doing better with immunotherapy?

# Cancer-Immunity Cycle



APCs = antigen-presenting cells; CTLs = cytotoxic T lymphocytes.

Chen DS, Mellman I. *Immunity*. 2013;39:1-10.

# Immune Checkpoints

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**Immune checkpoints** are normal ‘brakes’ on the activity of the immune system; checkpoint proteins turn off activated T cells when they are no longer needed

**Immune checkpoints** have been ‘hijacked’ by the cancer to evade the immune system

**Checkpoint Inhibitors** remove the checkpoint and “take the brakes off the immune system”

**Now the immune system can ‘see’ the tumor and kill it**

# 1<sup>st</sup> Line NSCLC Treatment Landscape

**Incurable NSCLC (adenocarcinoma) without activating EGFR, ALK, etc. mutations:**

- If PD-L1 is  $\geq 50\%$ , consider Keytruda as monotherapy
- If PD-L1  $<50\%$ , consider Keytruda in combination with chemotherapy
- Platinum doublet chemotherapy

**Incurable NSCLC (squamous cell):**

- If PD-L1 is  $\geq 50\%$ , consider Keytruda as monotherapy
- If PD-L1  $<50\%$ , platinum doublet chemotherapy

**Soon, many patients will get a checkpoint inhibitor in the first line of therapy**

# 2<sup>nd</sup> Line NSCLC Treatment Landscape

- ◆ Adenocarcinoma: chemotherapy (taxanes) or checkpoint inhibitor if not given previously
- ◆ Squamous Cell: chemotherapy (taxanes) or checkpoint inhibitor (Keytruda, Opdivo, Tecentriq) if not given previously

## What if the patient already received a checkpoint inhibitor and wants more immunotherapy?

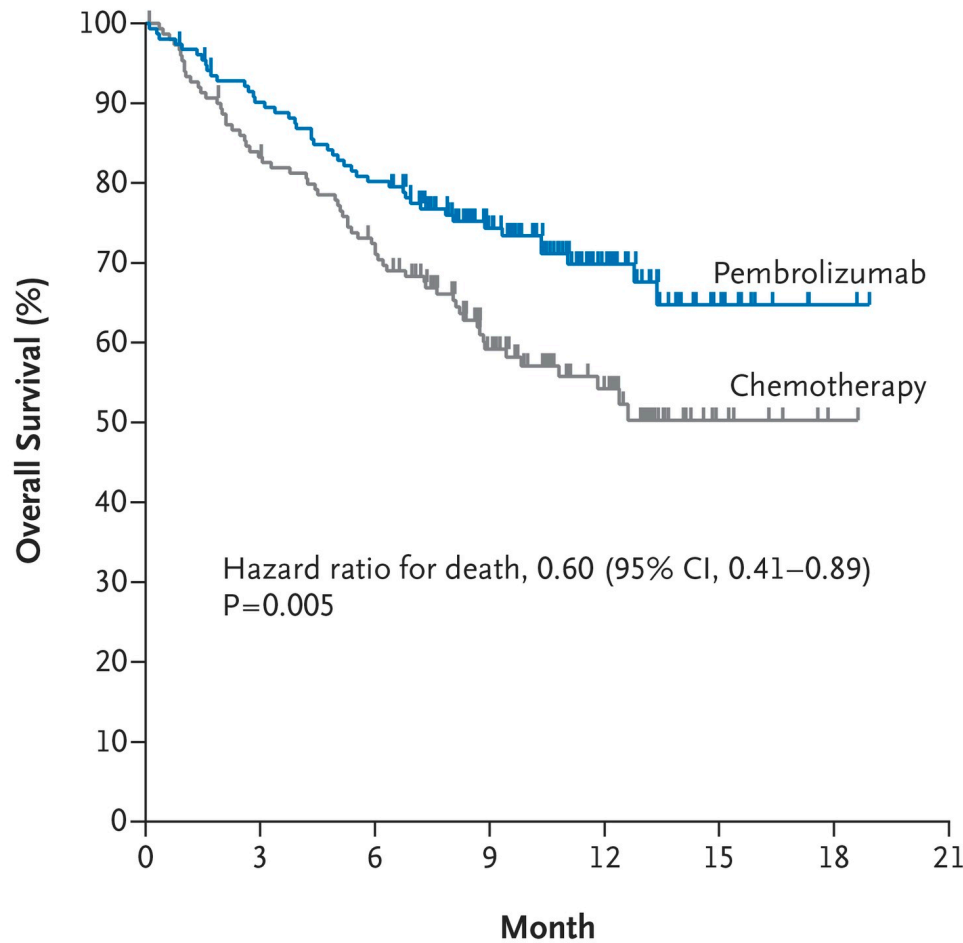
- They will need a ‘rescue’ strategy: a checkpoint inhibitor “plus *something* to make the checkpoint inhibitor work or work again”
- *Something* =
  - Radiation (“RadVax”)
  - Addition of a 2<sup>nd</sup> immune modulating drug: IDO inhibitor, IFN $\gamma$ , or antibodies against CTLA-4, OX40, B7H3, CSFR1, LAG-3, TIGIT, TIM-3, etc.
  - **A vaccine (ex: HS-110) that induces CD8+ T cells to infiltrate the tumors**



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## **The Big Challenge:**

**Most patients with NSCLC don't respond to checkpoint inhibition**



**No. at Risk**

	0	3	6	9	12	15	18	21
Pembrolizumab	154	136	121	82	39	11	2	0
Chemotherapy	151	123	106	64	34	7	1	0

Even the “ideal” pts (PD-L1  $\geq$  50%) don’t all respond to checkpoint inhibitors

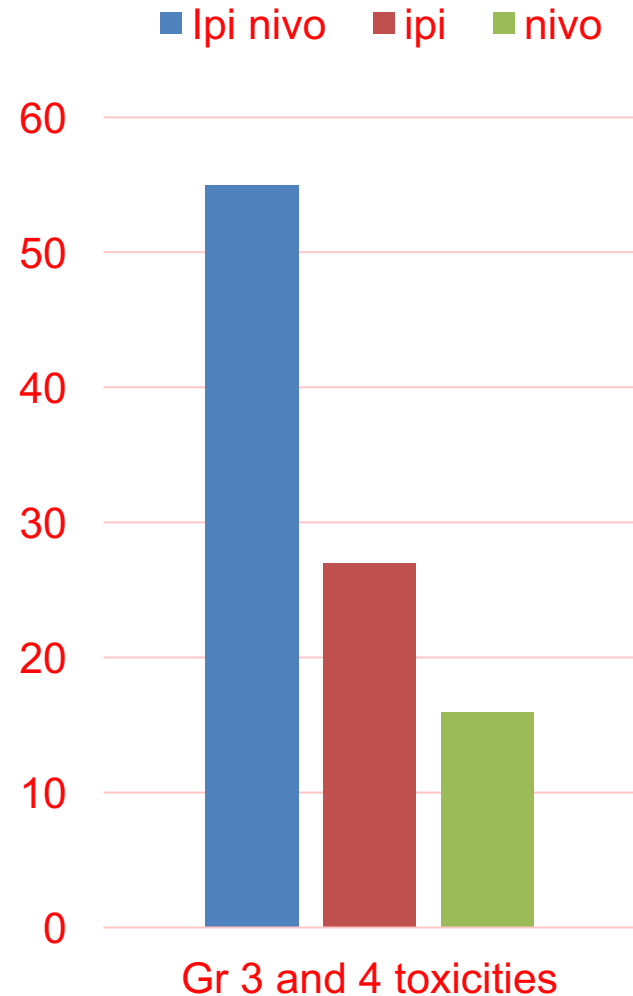
Reck M et al. *N Engl J Med* 2016;375:1823-1833

# Considerable Unmet Need in All Lines of Therapy

- ◆ In the PDL-1 intermediate (1-50%) patients the response rate is lower: ~20-25%
- ◆ In the PDL-1 negative (<1%) patients the response rates are < 10%
- ◆ And patients who do respond are not cured
  - They eventually get worse and die from NSCLC
- ◆ Reasons for failure of checkpoint inhibition likely include:
  - There are no T-cells in the tumor (the tumors are 'cold')
  - There are other white blood cells in the tumors that block the T-cells from doing their job
  - The cancer is using checkpoints other than PD-1/PD-L1
  - The cancer substitutes new checkpoints when we block PD-1/ PD-L1
  - Unknown mechanisms of immune evasion

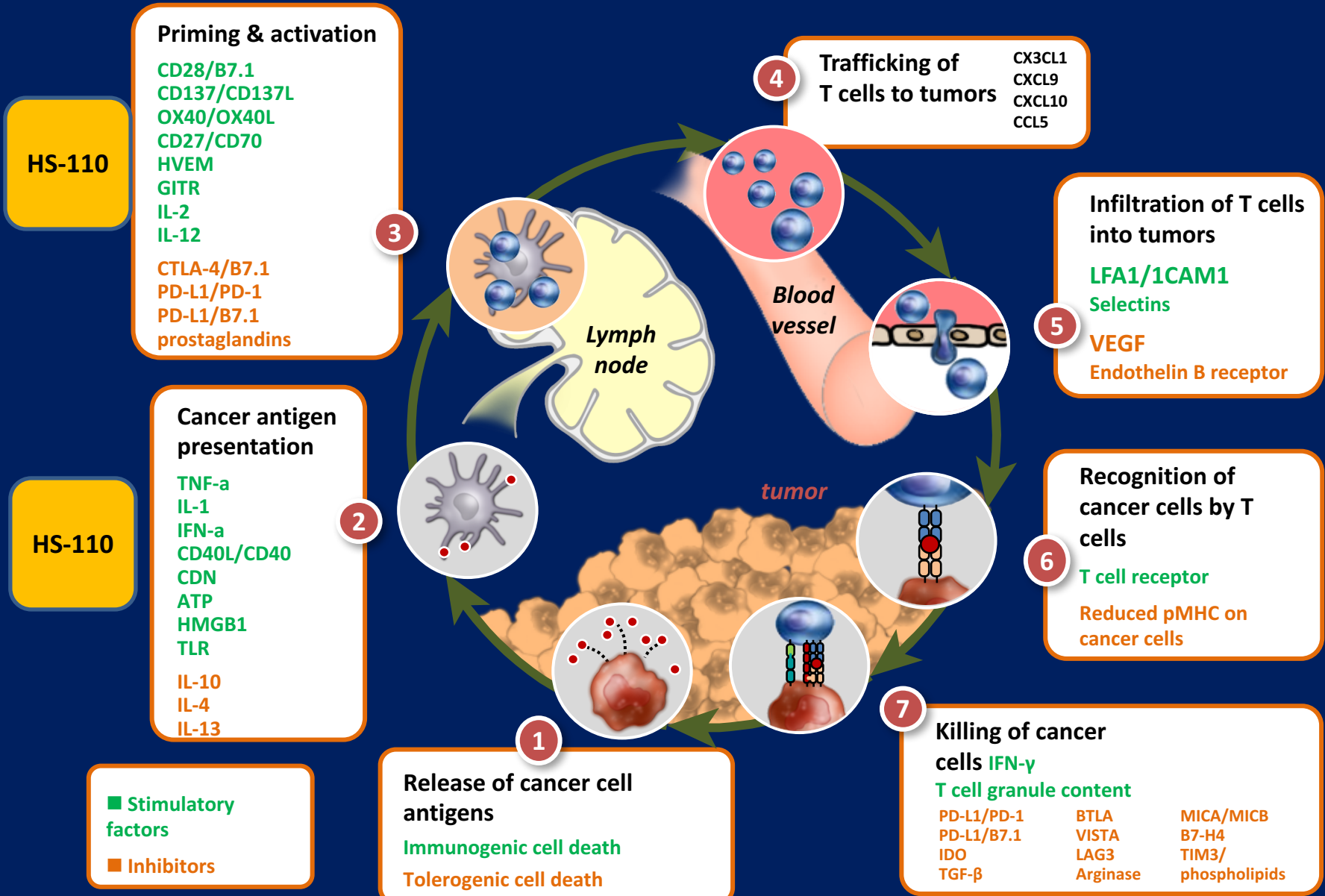
# Immunotherapy Combinations

- ◆ Improving response rates and response duration will require IO combinations
- ◆ Existing combinations, such as Opdivo-Yervoy are significantly more toxic than Opdivo monotherapy
- ◆ Immune-related toxicities include pneumonitis, colitis, rashes, hepatitis, nephritis, encephalitis and others
- ◆ Additive immune therapies that don't add significant toxicity are needed



Larkin et al, N Engl J Med 2015; 373:23-34

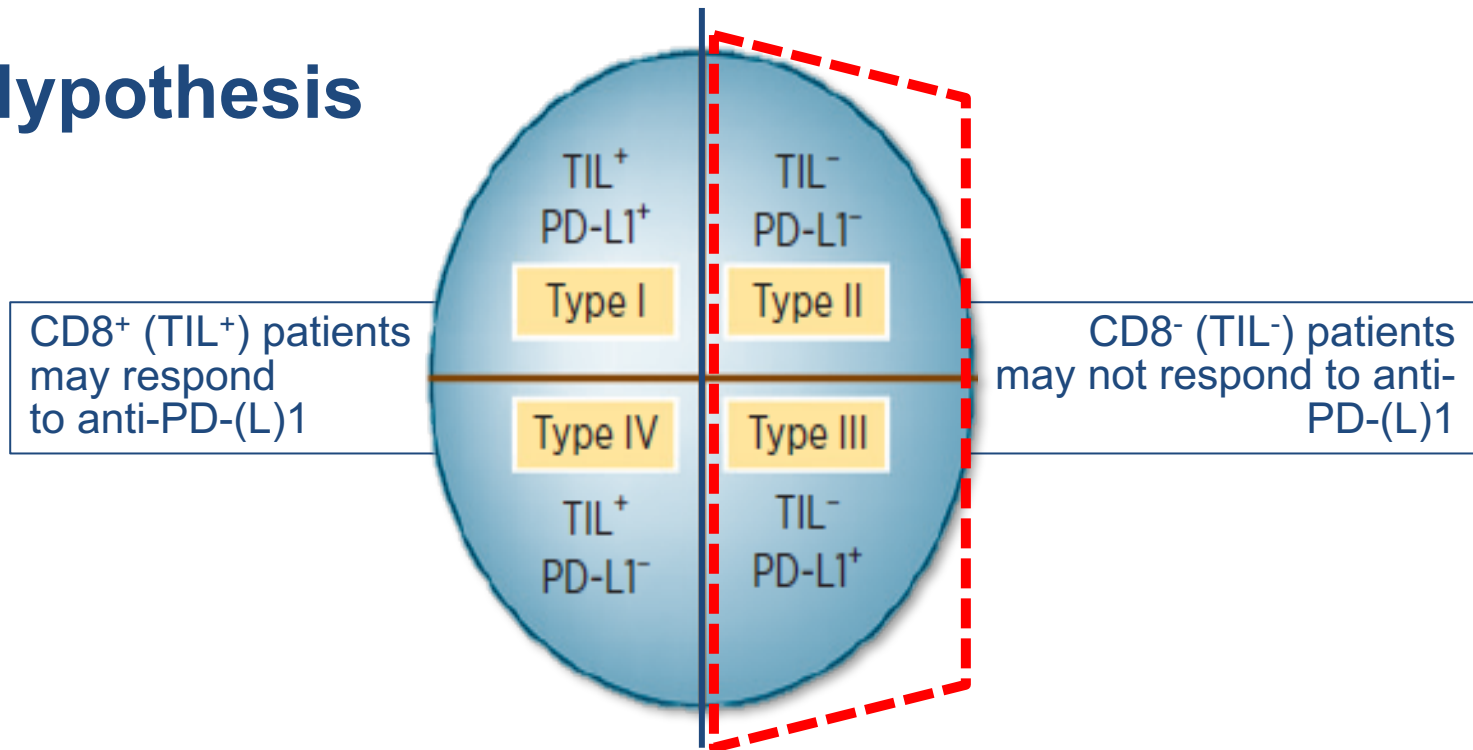
# Cancer Immunity Cycle (continued)



# Combining Therapeutic Vaccines with Checkpoint Inhibitors

What might a therapeutic vaccine like HS-110 do?  
Generate CD8+ cells (TILs) that penetrate tumors and make them “hot”

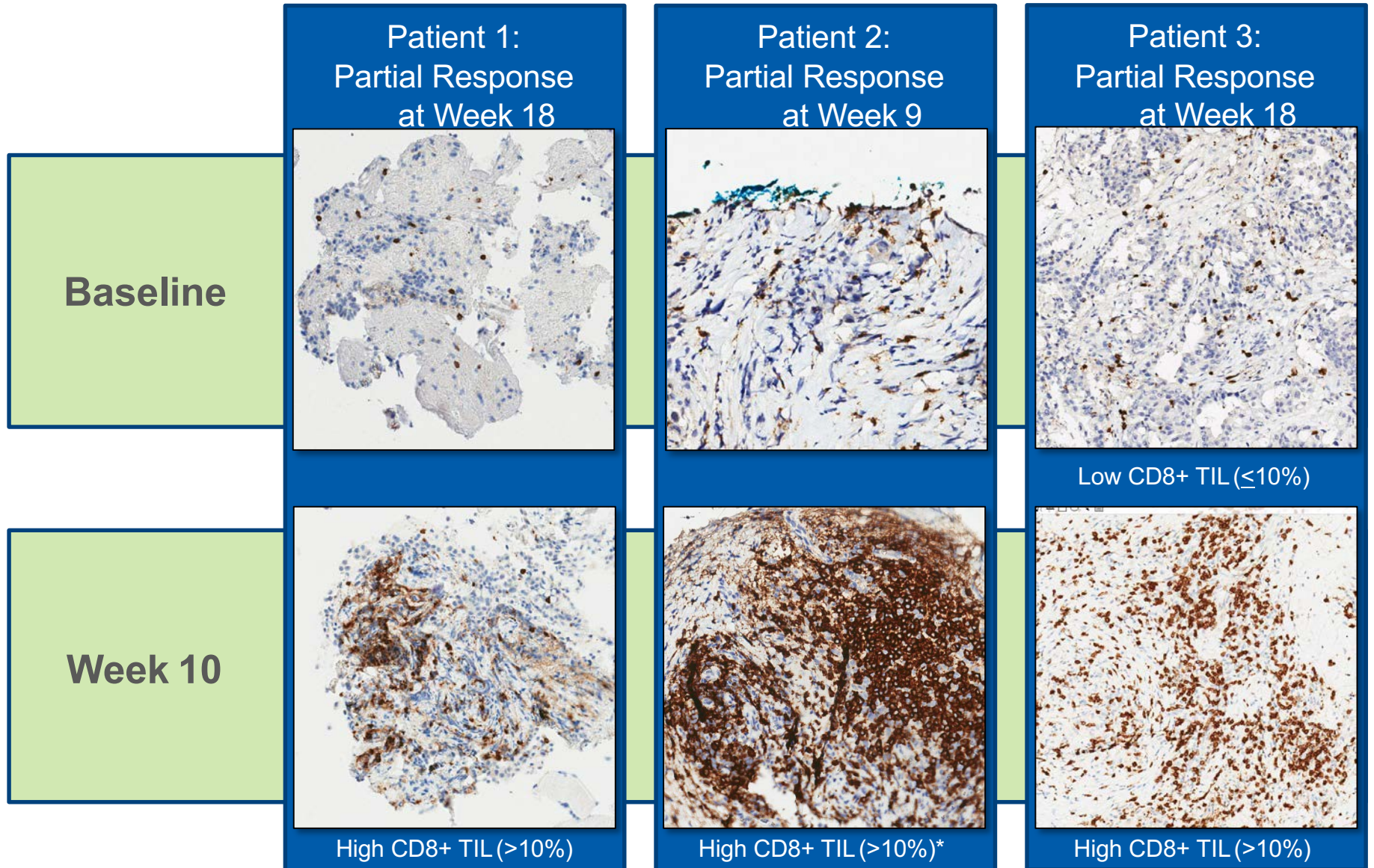
## Hypothesis



Teng et al., 2015 Can Res  
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**Convert TIL<sup>-</sup> tumors to TIL<sup>+</sup>**

# Biopsies from the DURGA Trial: TIL Infiltration Associated with Clinical Response



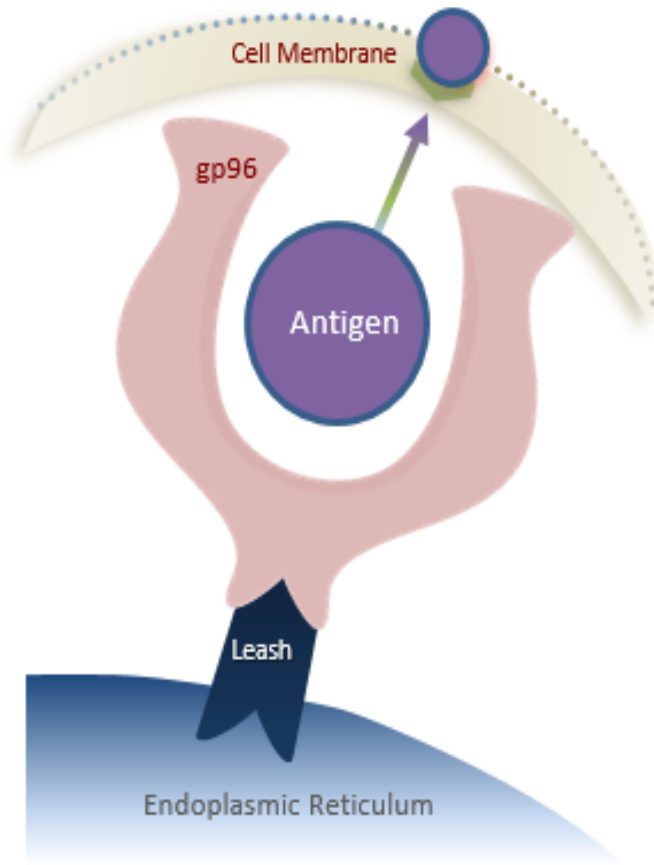
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**Previous lung cancer vaccines were not designed to elicit a robust CD8+ T-cell response**



# Introducing gp96- *The Immune System's "Swiss Army Knife"*\*

## A Natural "Molecular Warning System"

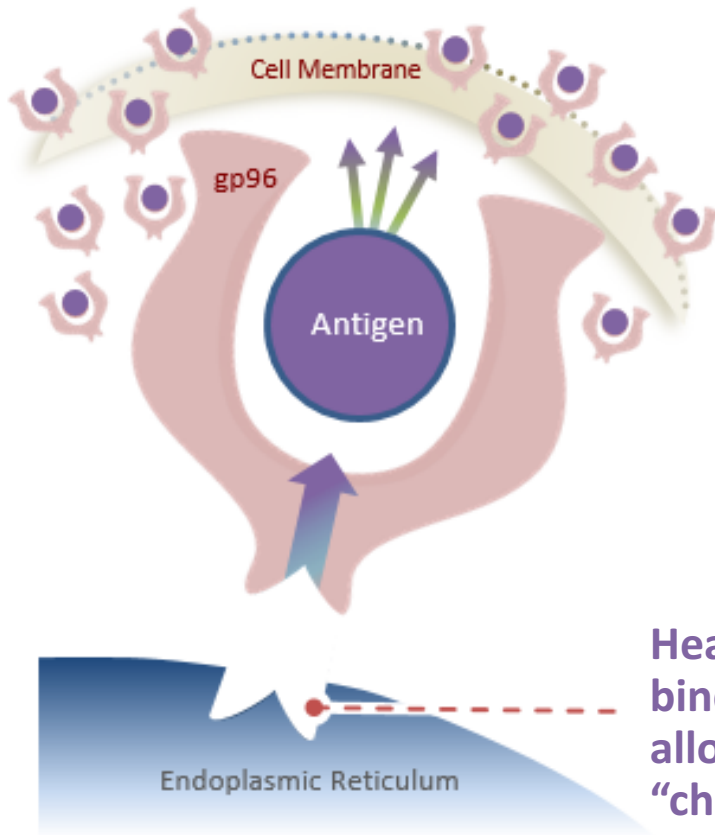


- Gp96 “chaperones” newly-created proteins to the cell membrane where they are released and embedded
- Gp96 + its ferried protein are naturally released only via necrosis
  - Exposure of gp96 outside the cell activates an immune response to the antigen it is carrying
  - Enables MHC I antigen cross-presentation specifically to CD8+ T-cells
  - Activates a cytotoxic T-cell response to the cargo antigen
- Gp96 among the most powerful immune adjuvants
- Gp96 is the only adjuvant that generates exclusively CD8+ (“killer”) T-cells

\*Schild, H. & Rammensee, H. *Gp-96 – The Immune System's Swiss Army Knife*.  
Nature Immunology 2, 100-101 (2000)

# Heat's gp96 *ImPACT* Therapy

## Severing the Leash



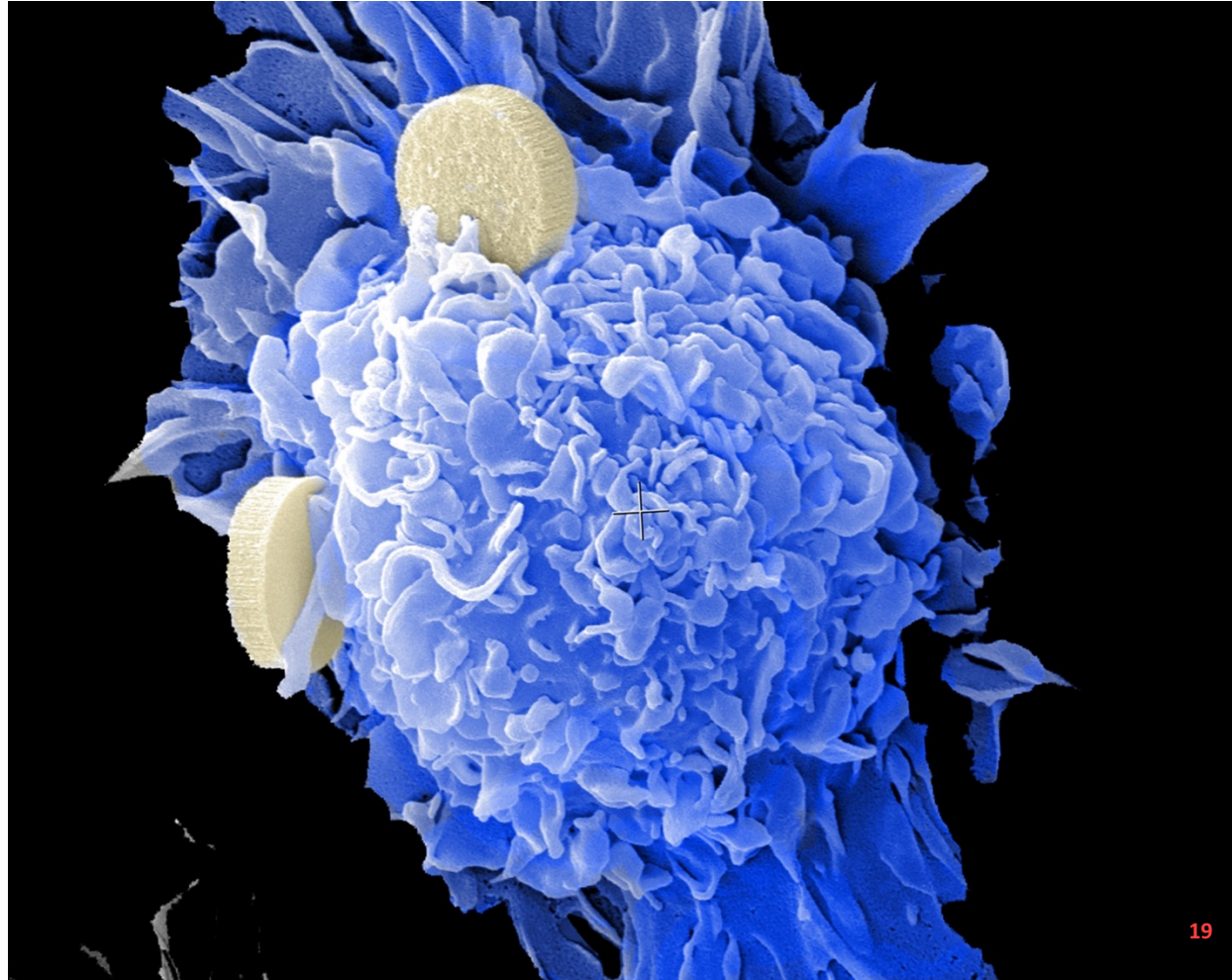
Heat Biologics *ImPACT*<sup>®</sup> technology reprograms cancer cells to continuously secrete their own antigens bound to heat shock protein gp96

- Genetically modify tumor cells by “severing the leash” that binds the gp96 to the endoplasmic reticulum of the cell and replacing it with a sequence that pumps gp96 out of the cell
- Enables living cancer cells to “pump-out” their own surface antigens along with the gp96 chaperone
  - This process mimics necrotic cell death
- Activates a powerful pan-antigen cytotoxic T-cell immune response

Heat Biologics *ImPACT* technology removes the leash that binds gp96 to the cell, replacing with a sequence that allows cells to continually secrete gp96 along with their “chaperoned” antigens

# Heat Biologics

*ImPACT* Mechanism of Action  
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*February 28, 2018*



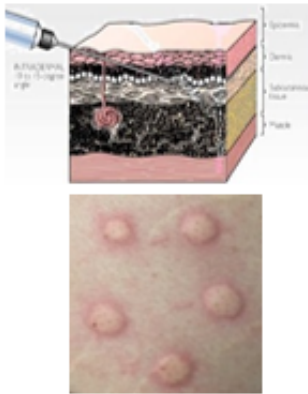
# ImPACT/ComPACT Manufacturing

Cell-Based, Multi-Antigen T Cell Activation

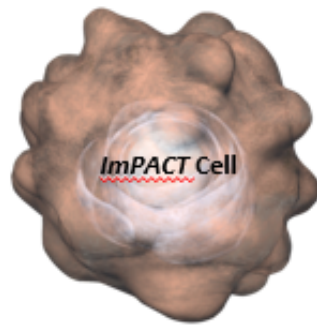


**Low COG**, off-the-shelf alternative to autologous therapies

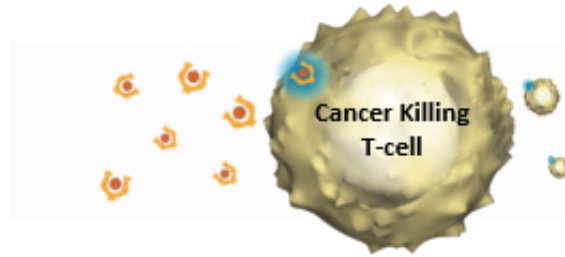
# ImPACT: Immune Pan-antigen Cytotoxic Therapy



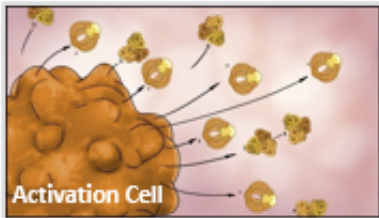
Cluster of five 0.1 mL intradermal injections



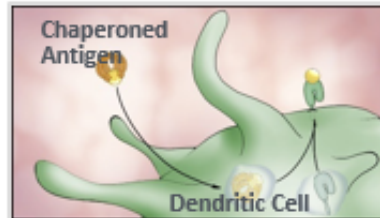
ImPACT cells secrete antigens designed to specifically activate patient's killer T-cells



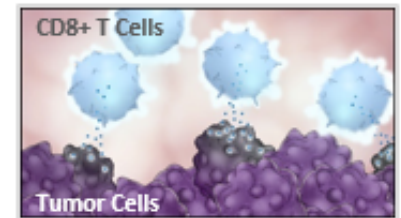
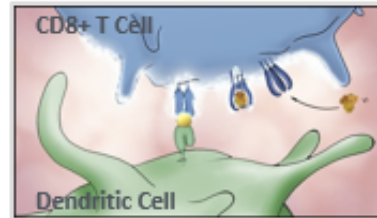
T-cells circulate to destroy patient's tumor



Activated cells **EXPRESS** chaperoned antigens

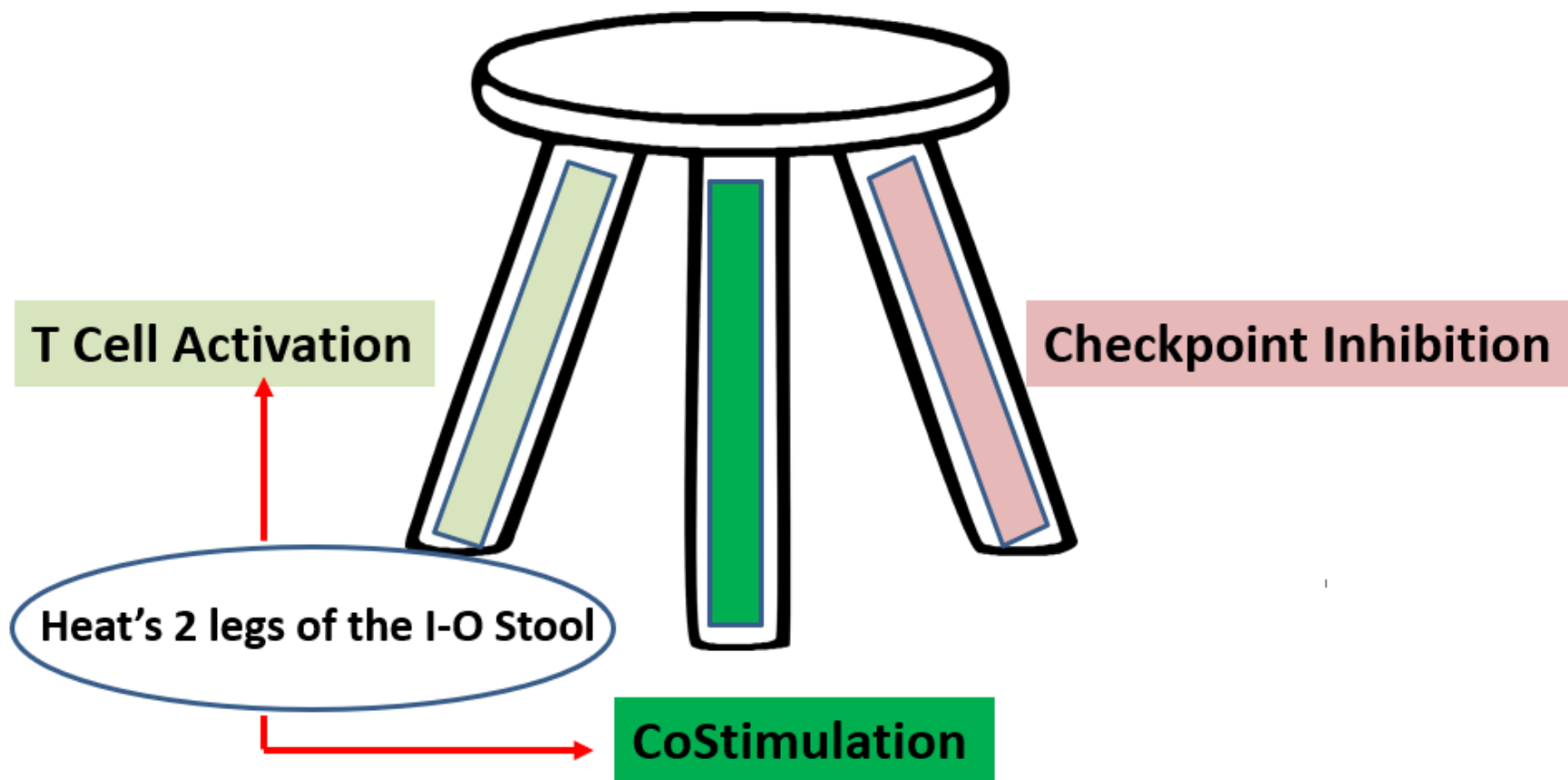


Chaperoned antigens activate dendritic cells, which then **ACTIVATE & PROLIFERATE** CD8+ T-cells



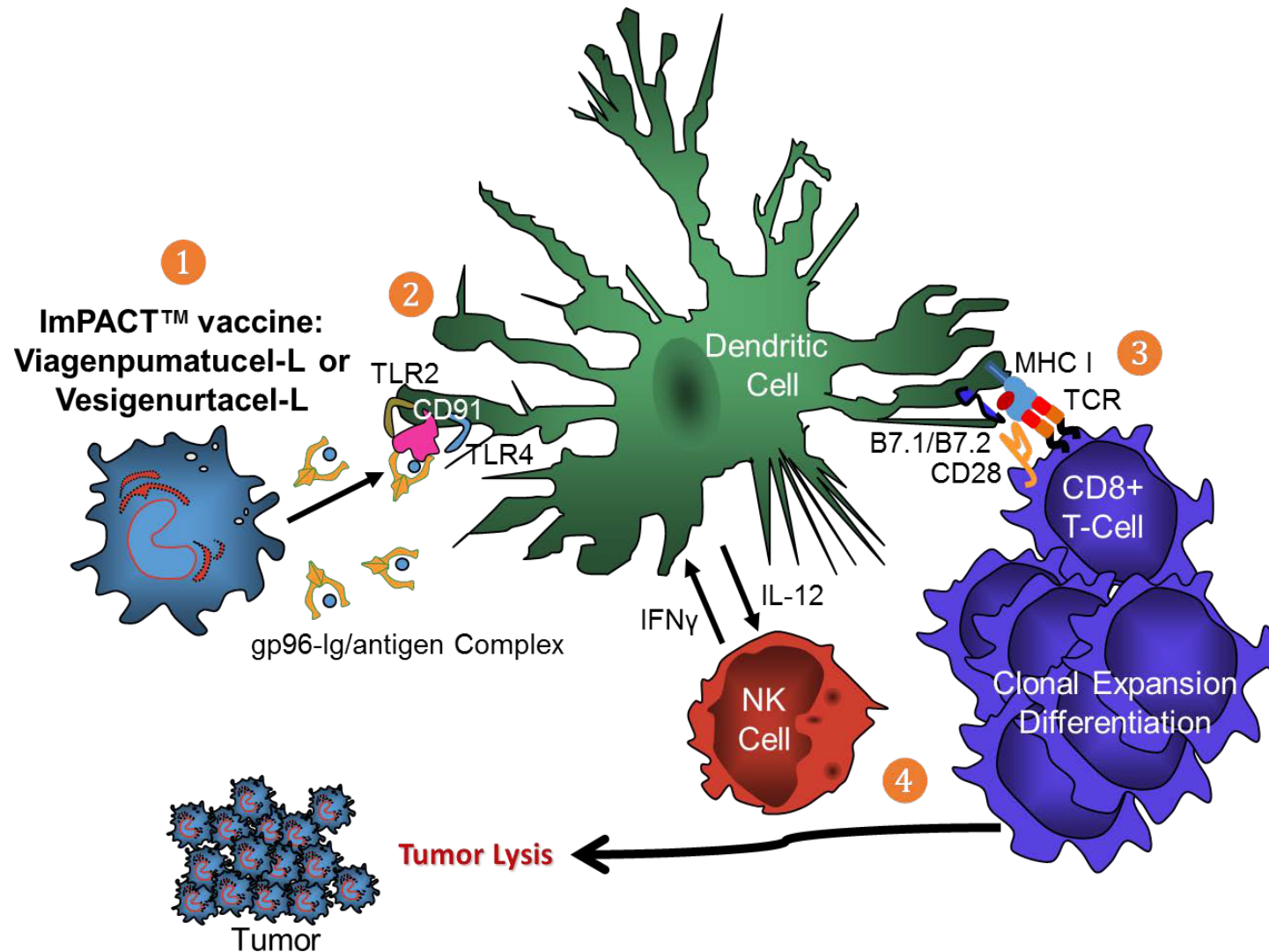
CD8+ T-cells locate and **ELIMINATE** cancer cells

# Successful Immuno-oncology: A 3 Legged Stool



# ImPact Generates an Adaptive Immune Response

1. **Secretion of gp96-Ig** carrying tumor specific proteins represented on the patients tumor.
2. **Activation of APCs (TLR2/4)** and cross-presentation of antigens (CD91).
3. **Specific T-cell receptor engagement.**
4. **Clonal Expansion of Tumor Antigen Specific T cells.**

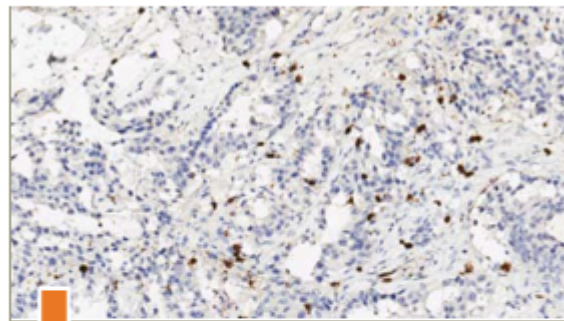


# Clinical Proof of Mechanism in NCSLC

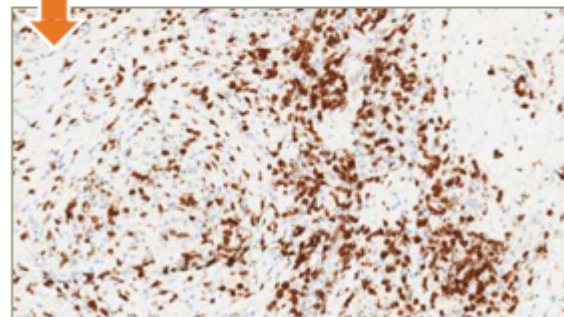
Histopathological evidence that HS-110 is turning COLD tumors HOT

## CD8+ Staining

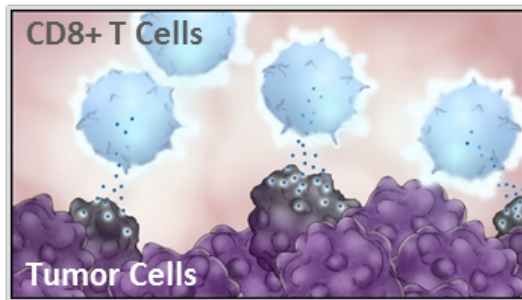
Baseline



Conversion of Low TIL to High TIL After 10 Weeks on HS-110 & Nivolumab Combo



Week 10



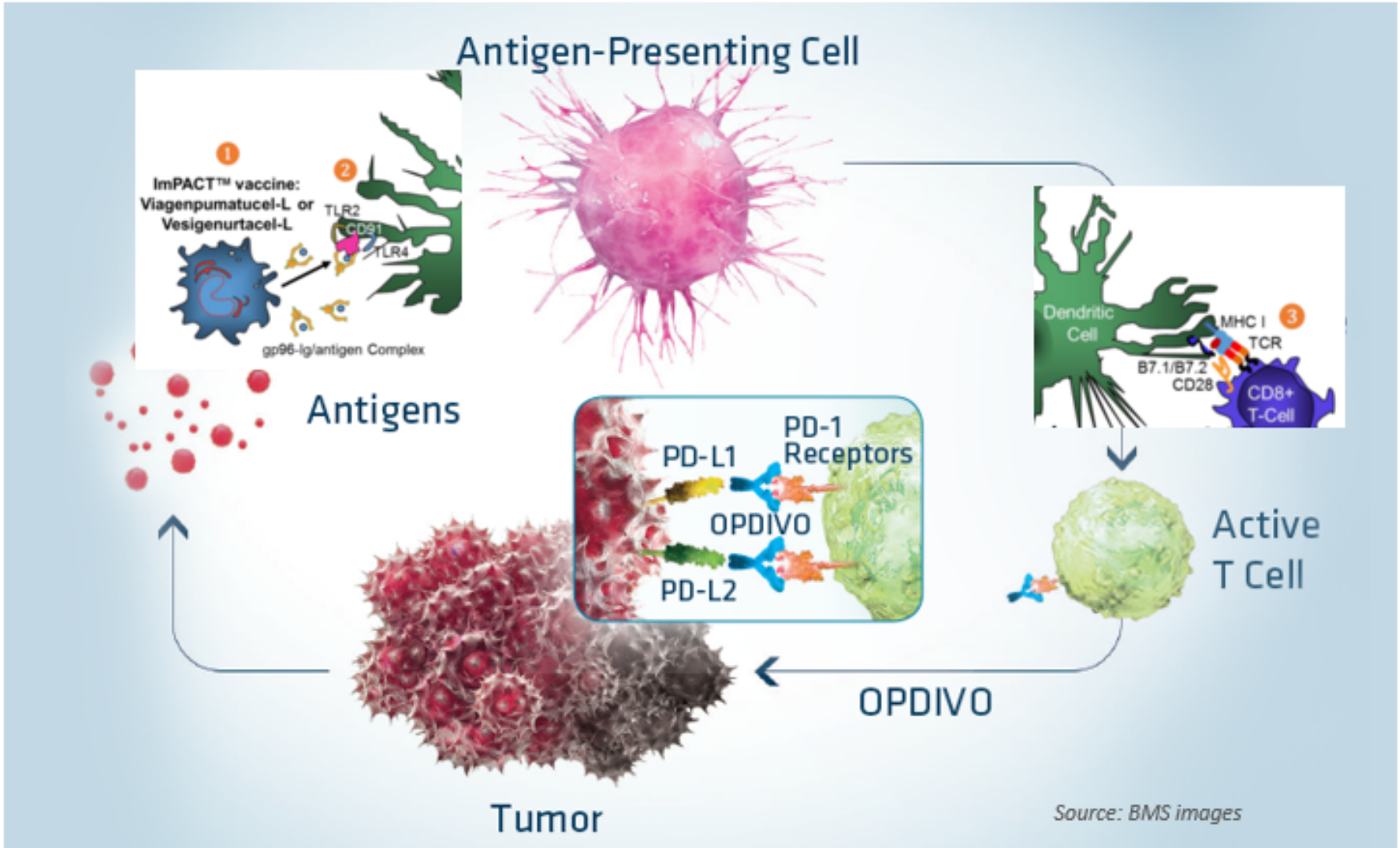
CD8+ T-cells locate and **ELIMINATE** cancer cells

- Increased levels of CD8+ T cells deep into the tumor
- Tumors with no previous immune activation made highly active
- Association with radiographic clinical response



# ImPACT + Opdivo Combination Therapy

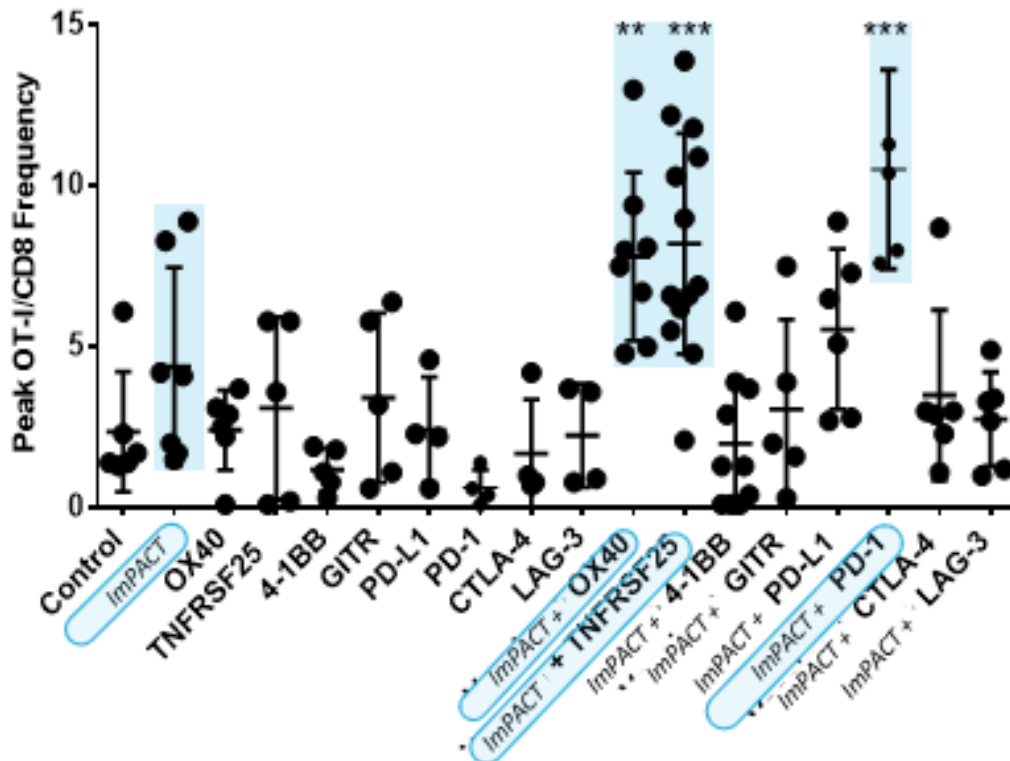
The potential to improve clinical responses and survival, without additional toxicity



# Pre-clinical Data of T-cell Expansion

✓ Strong support for our clinical approaches

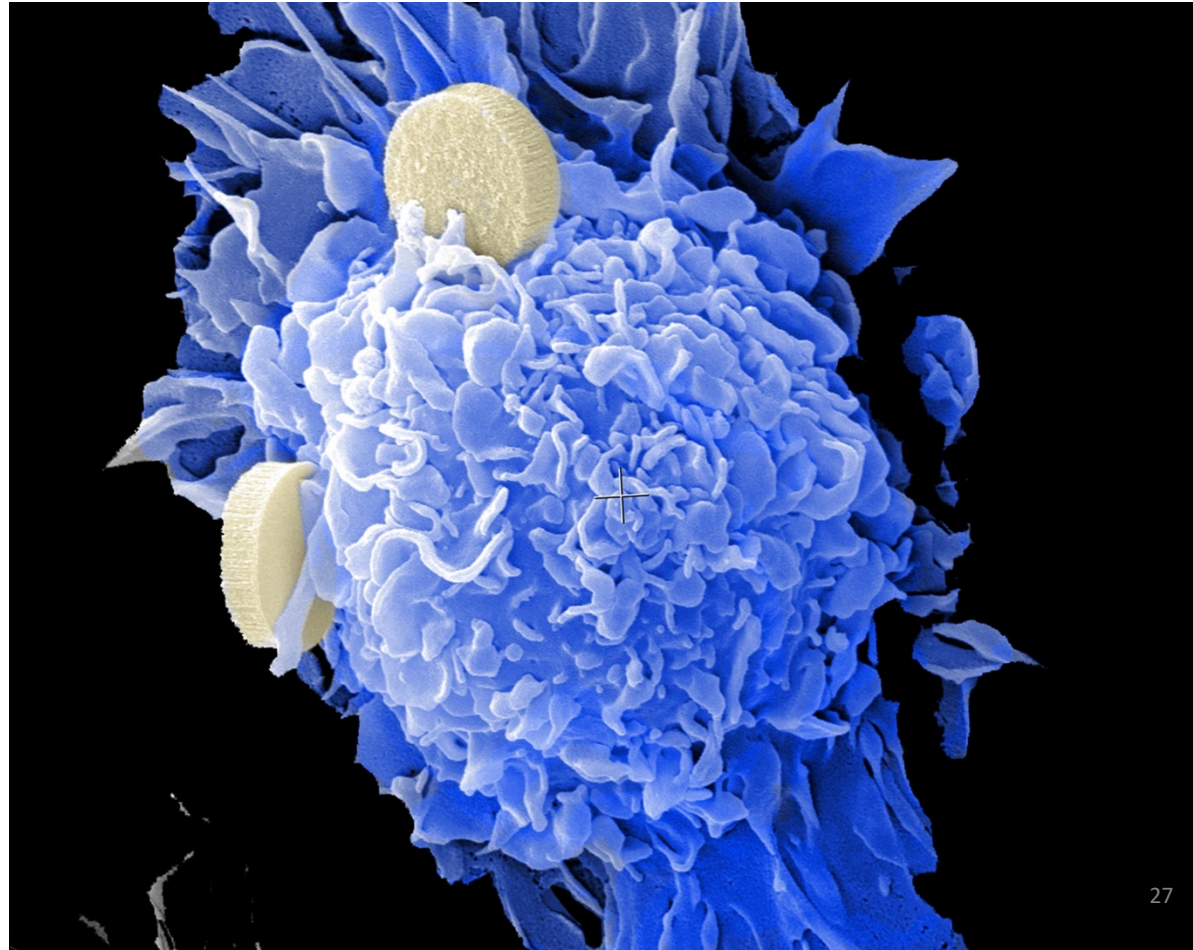
## CD8+ T-cell Expansion



- Higher T-cell responses observed in mice treated with *ImpACT* alone
- *ImpACT* boosted **CD8+ T-cells** to even higher levels when combined with co-stimulator agonist antibodies: OX40, TNFRSF25, PD-1
- Findings suggest synergies when combining *ImpACT* with Pelican's TNFRSF25 antibody

# Heat Biologics

DURGA Interim Data Review  
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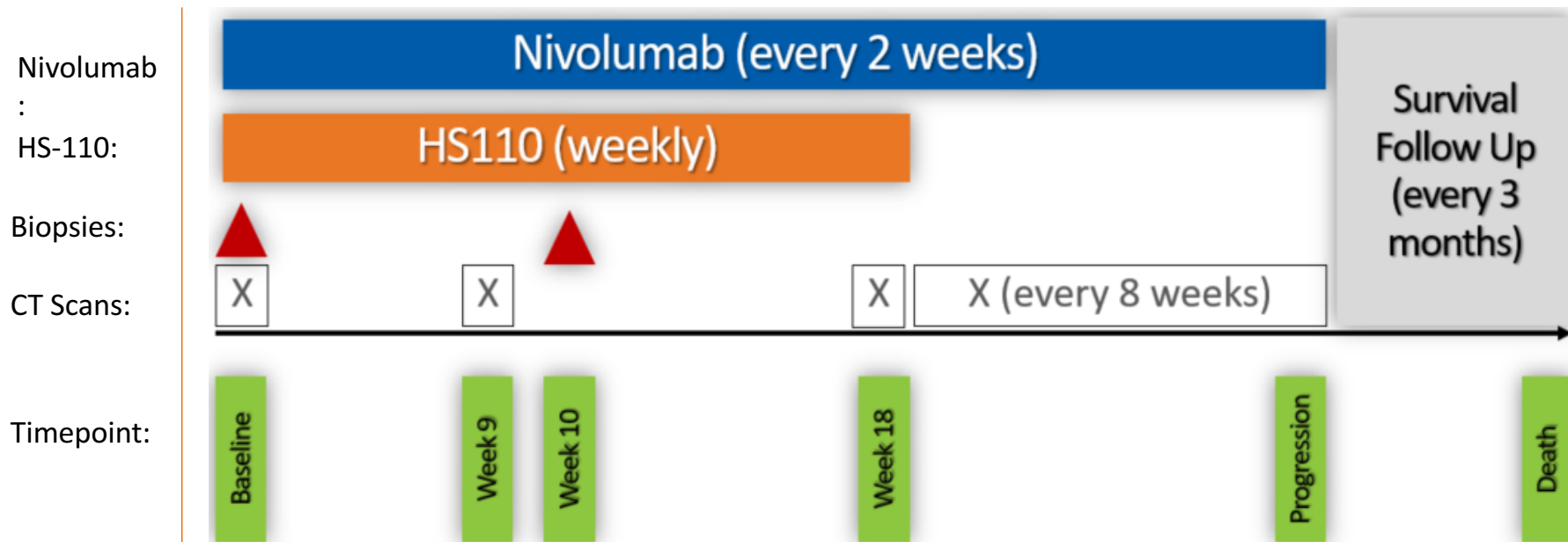


# HS-110-102 DURGA Trial

## A Phase 1b/2 Study of Viagenpumatulcel-L (HS-110) in Combination with Multiple Treatment Regimens in Patients with Non-Small Cell Lung Cancer (The “DURGA” Trial)

<b>Objective</b>	Evaluate objective response rate of HS-110 with a PD-1 checkpoint inhibitor (nivolumab)	
<b>Design</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Single arm multicenter trial of up to 120 patients</li> <li>• Cohort analysis based on histology, prior checkpoint inhibitor therapy, TIL levels and PD-L1 expression</li> </ul>	
<b>Endpoints</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Objective Response Rate (RECIST 1.1)</li> <li>• Duration of Response</li> <li>• Progression-free Survival</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Overall Survival</li> <li>• Immune Response</li> <li>• Safety &amp; Tolerability</li> </ul>
<b>Population</b>	<p>Previously treated, advanced NSCLC</p> <p>Current Analysis:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Adenocarcinoma</li> <li>• Checkpoint inhibitor naïve</li> </ul> <p>New Populations for enrollment:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Squamous cell carcinoma</li> <li>• Checkpoint inhibitor relapsed</li> </ul>	

## DURGA Schema



### KEY:

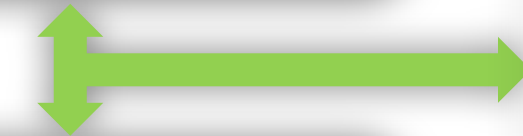
▲ = Biopsy (or recent archival tissue at baseline)

X = CT Scan

## Pre-Specified Patient Populations Analyzed

### ITT (n=35)

The Intent-to-Treat Population includes all patients enrolled into the study



### PP (n=26)

The Per Protocol Population includes patients who have received at least 6 doses of HS-110 and a pre/post treatment tumor assessment

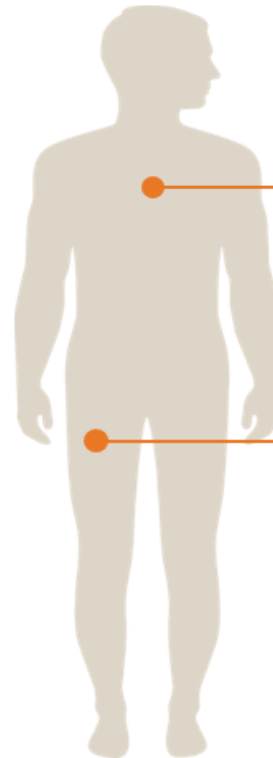
- 3 patients died before completing 6 weeks of treatment (2 PD & 1 MI)
- 4 patients had no follow-up scans due to clinical progression
- 2 patients had no follow-up scans due to AEs

## ***ImPACT (HS-110) Safety Profile to Date***

~1,000 Doses – No Serious Adverse Reactions

### Favorable Safety Profile To Date

- Almost 1,000 doses administered to ~100 patients
- Only one patient ended treatment due to a non-serious adverse reaction\*
- No systemic use of steroids required to treat reactions
- No serious adverse reactions beyond those seen with SOC
- No additive toxicities with SOC



### Immune Reaction\*

≤ Grade 3 toxicity



### Injection Reactions

Week 1



Week 2



\*Represents the only patient of ~100 patients dosed who discontinued treatment for a vaccine-related adverse event

## Primary Efficacy Analysis

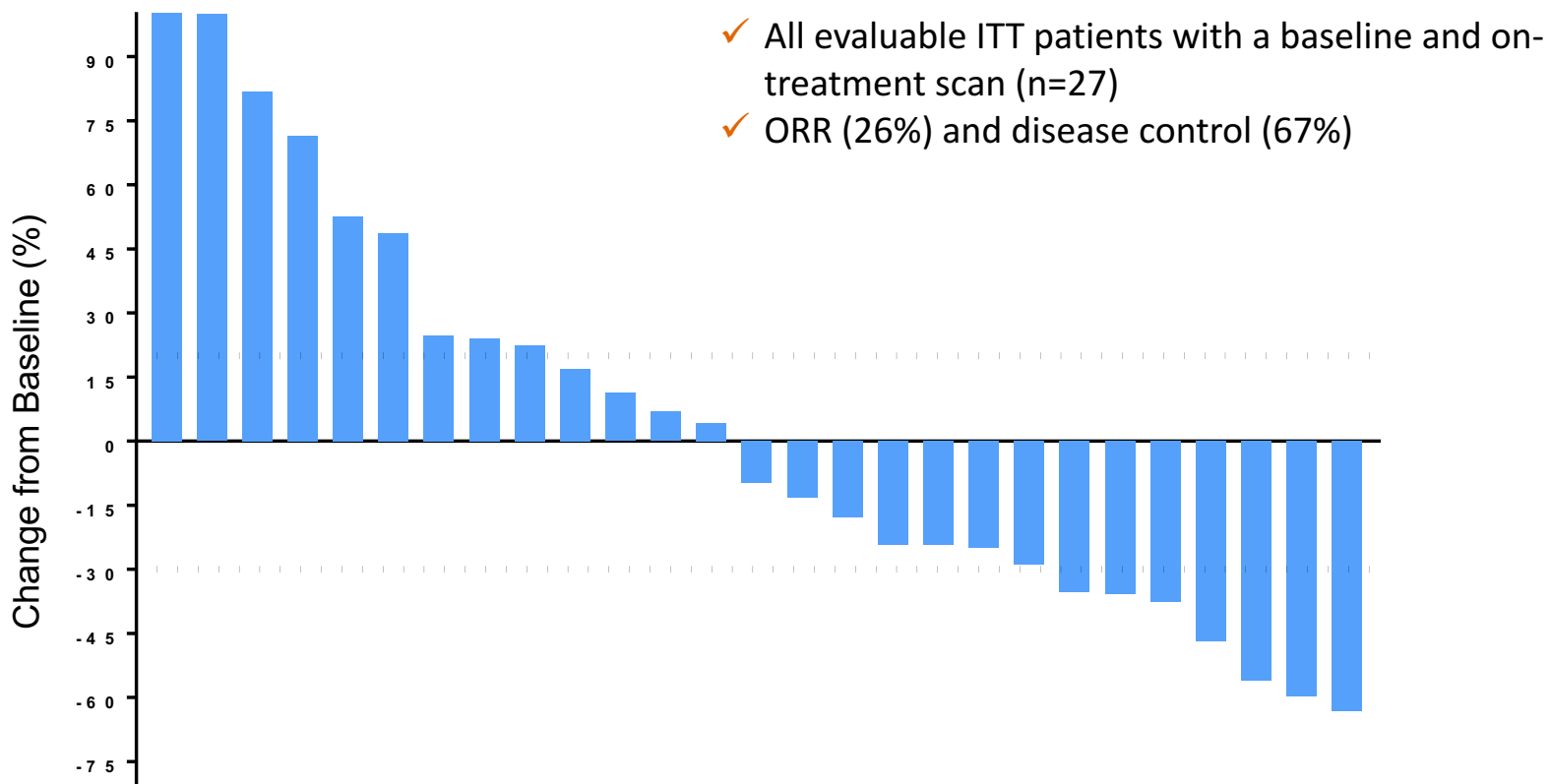
Population	Objective Response Rate (RECIST 1.1)	Disease Control Rate (RECIST 1.1)
ITT (n=35)	17%	40%
PP (n=26)	23%	50%

**ORR:** Objective Response Rate is defined as the % of patients who have reached Partial Response (PR) per RECIST 1.1 which requires a 30% reduction in the sum of the longest diameters of all target lesions from baseline.

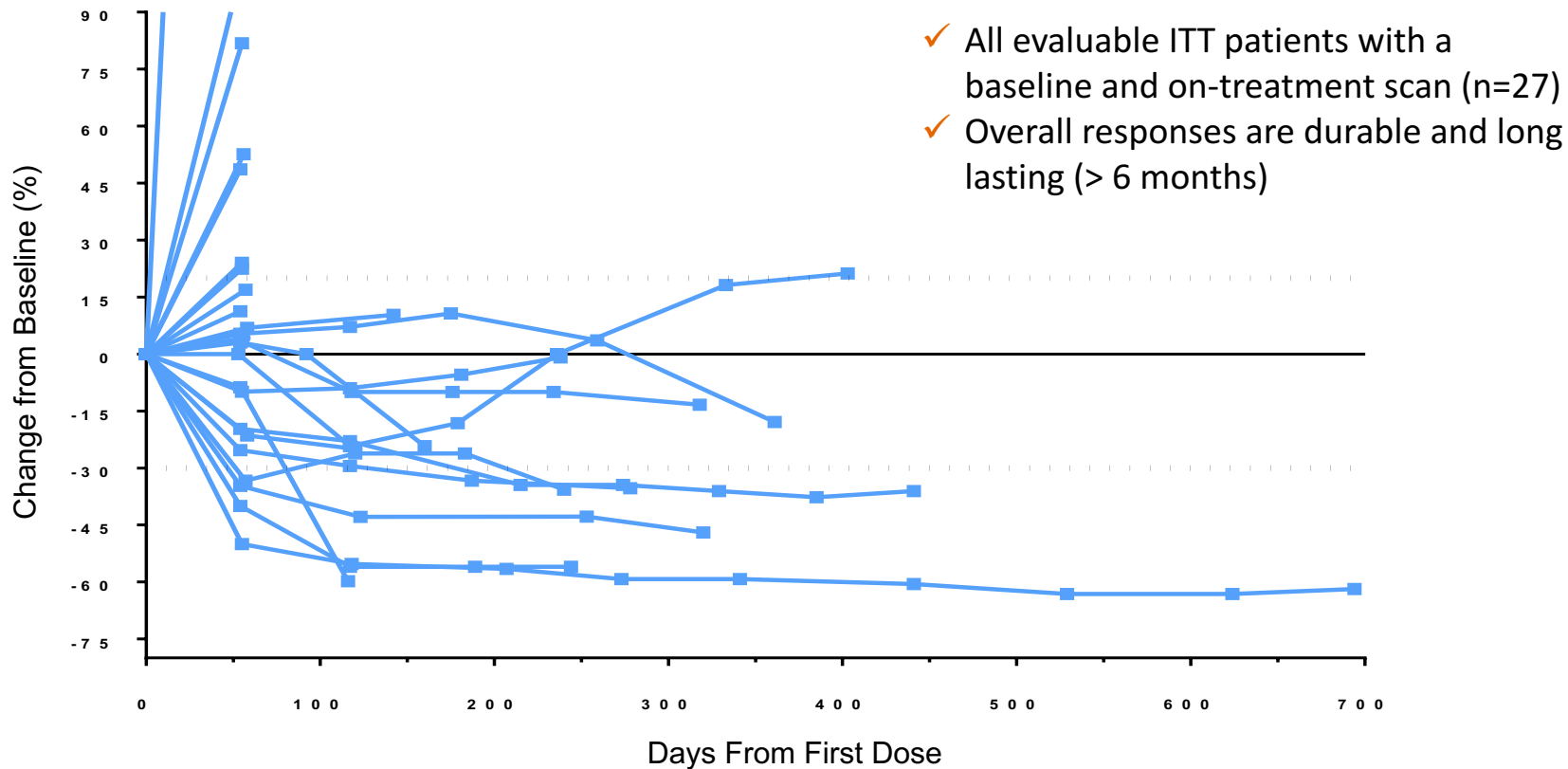
**DCR:** Disease Control Rate is defined as the % of patients who have reached Partial Response (PR) or Stable Disease (SD) per RECIST 1.1 which requires that the sum of the longest diameters of all target lesions does not increase more than 20% from baseline.



## Best Target Lesion Response

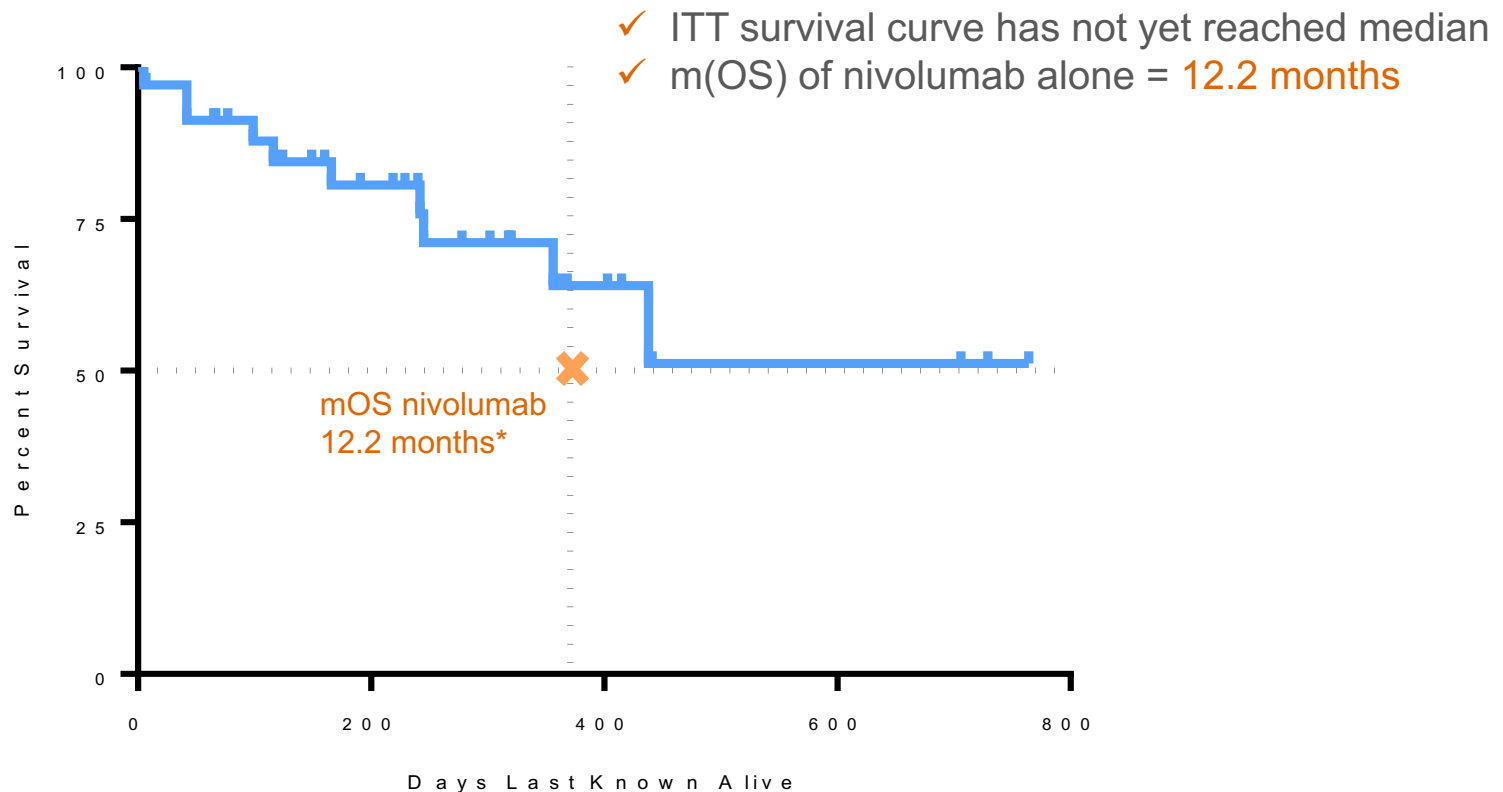


## Durable Target Lesion Response

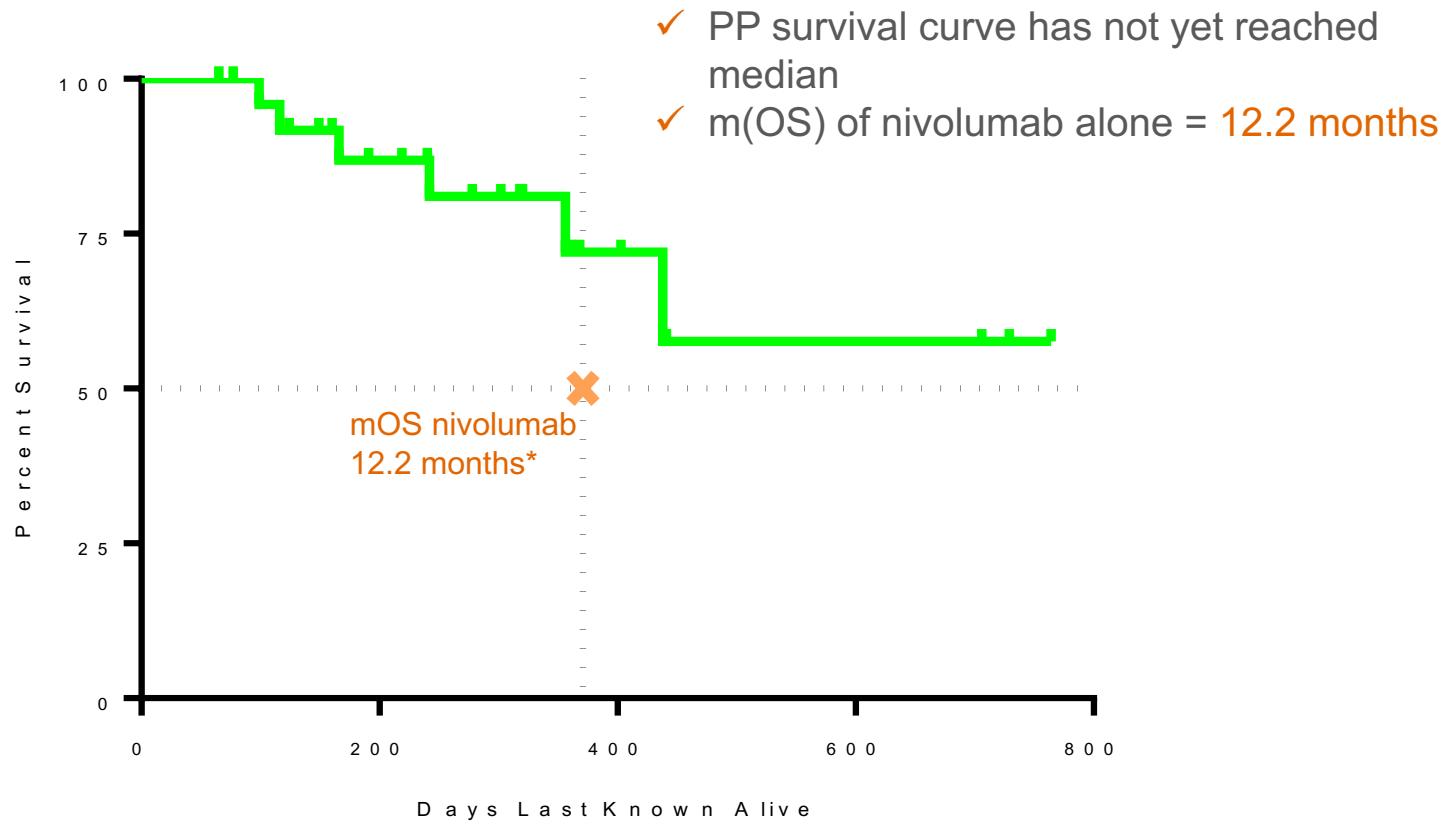


*All enrolled patients (ITT) with a baseline and on-treatment scan*

## ITT Overall Survival: Encouraging and Still Maturing

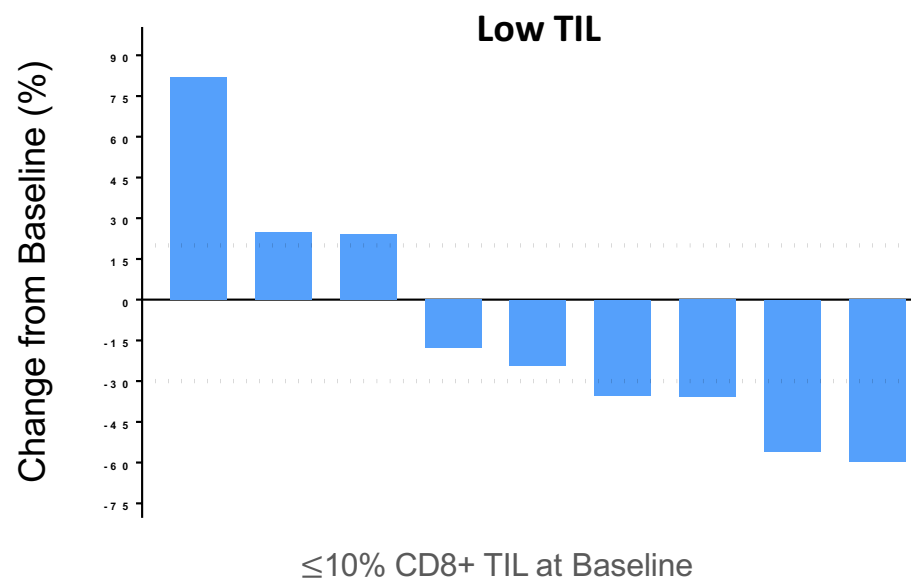
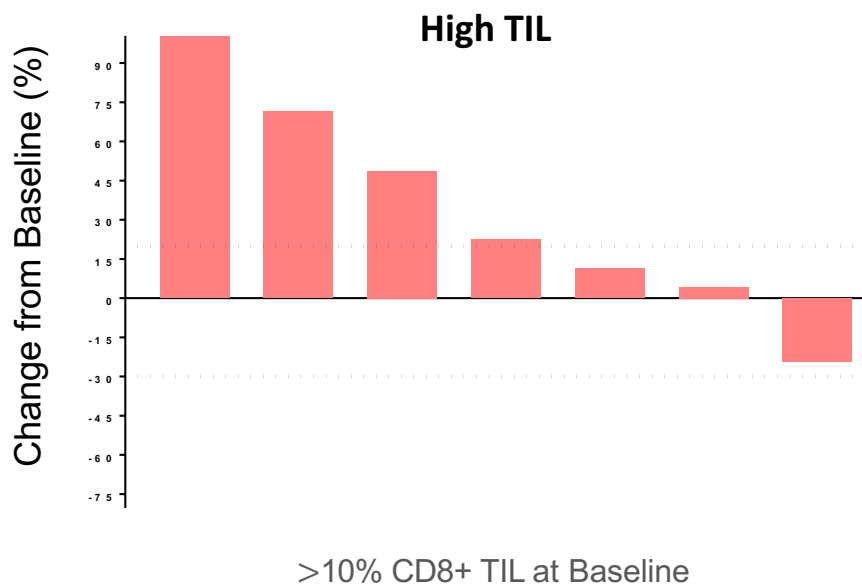


## PP Overall Survival: Encouraging and Still Maturing



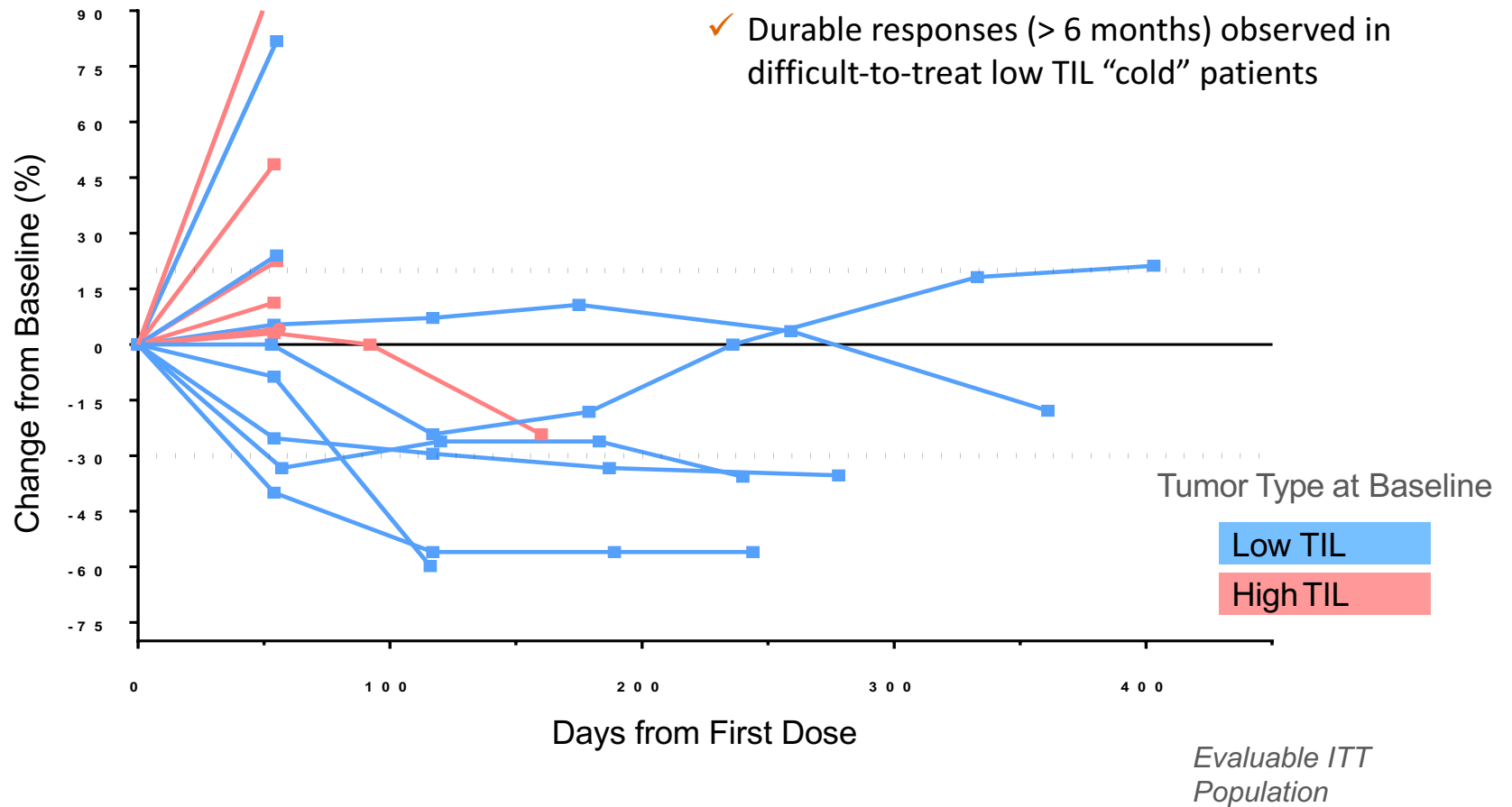
## Target Lesion Response Based on Initial TIL Status

- ✓ HS-110 shows effect in low TIL “cold tumor” patients who typically do not respond well to PD-1 inhibitors
- ✓ 4 of 9 achieved a partial clinical response



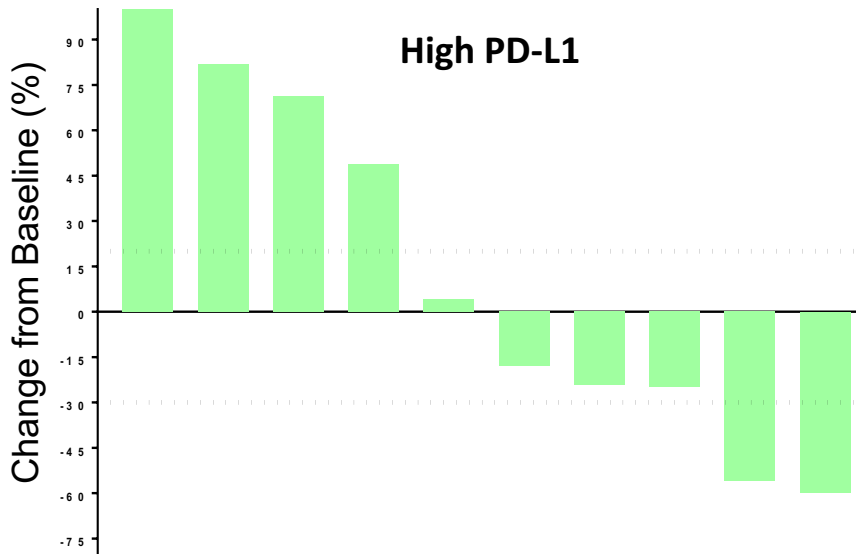
*Evaluable ITT Population*

# Durable Target Lesion Responses Based on Initial TIL Status

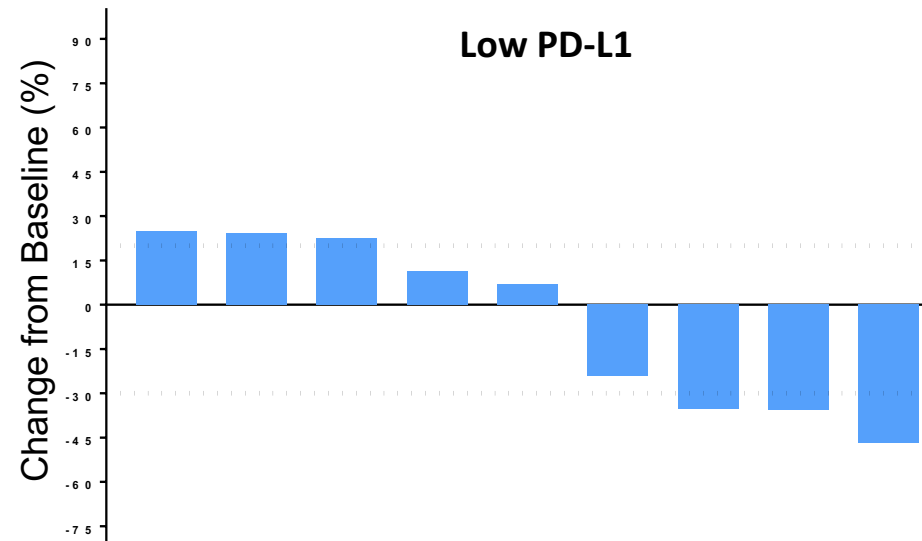


## Target Lesion Response Based on Initial PD-L1 Status

- ✓ HS-110 shows effect in low PD-L1 patients, who typically do not respond to checkpoint inhibitors



≥1% PD-L1 Tumor Type at Baseline

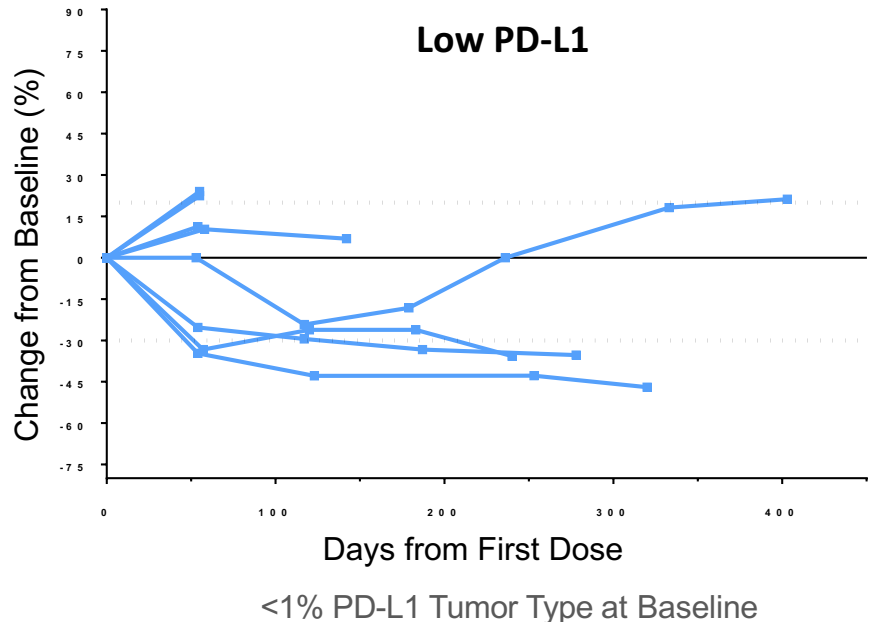
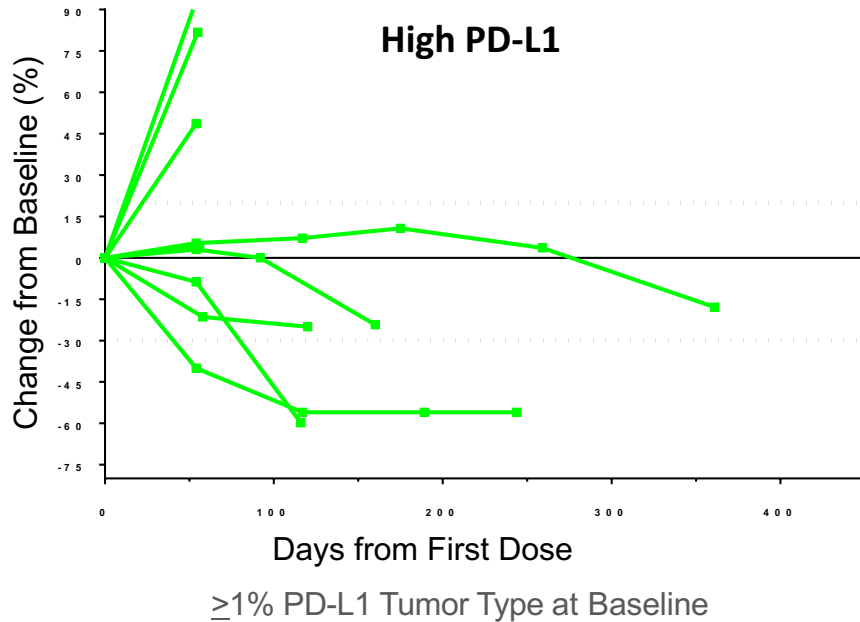


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# Durable Target Lesion Responses Based on Initial PD-L1 Status

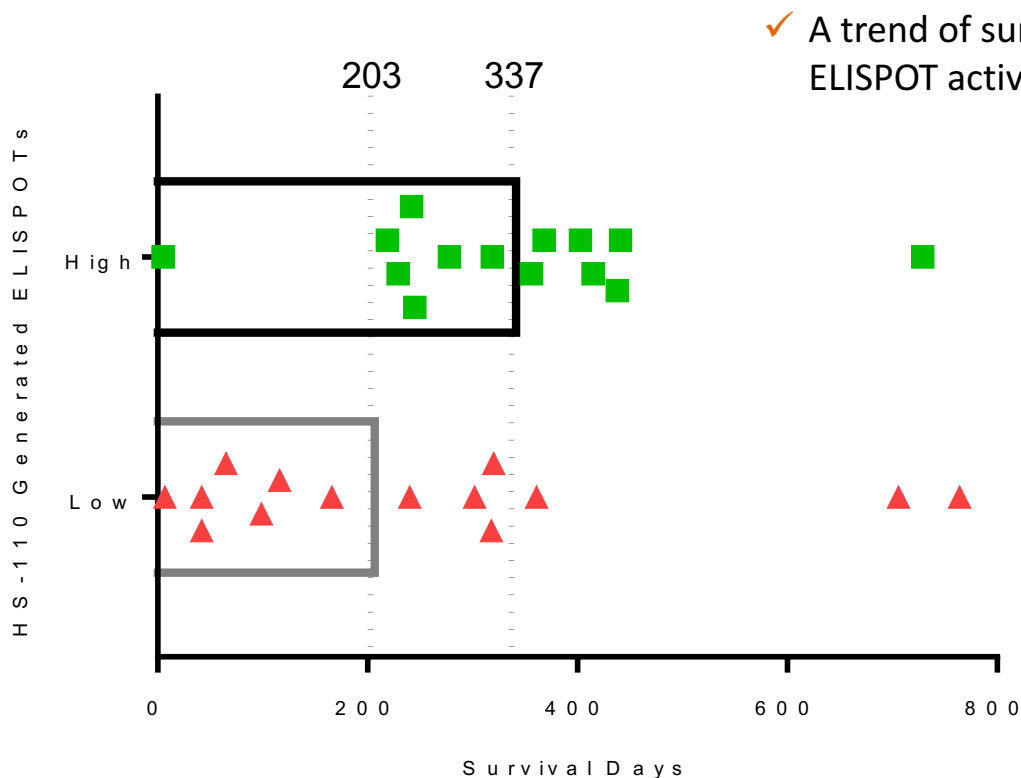
- ✓ Durable responses observed in difficult-to-treat low PD-L1 patients



*Evaluable ITT Population*



# ELISPOT Activity and Survival



✓ A trend of survival benefit is observed higher ELISPOT activity of immune response

**High** = ELISPOT activity **above** the median of patients tested  
**Low** = ELISPOT activity **below** the median of patients tested

## Summary of Interim Data

- ✓ Tumor shrinkage and disease control demonstrated in a majority of evaluable patients
  - ✓ Overall responses are durable and long lasting
  - ✓ While survival data is still maturing, the median overall survival has not yet been reached
- ✓ HS-110 shows durable responses in difficult-to-treat low TIL “cold tumor” patients
- ✓ HS110 shows durable responses in low PD-L1 patients, who typically do not respond to checkpoint inhibitors
- ✓ A trend of survival benefit is observed with higher ELISPOT activity reflective of tumor antigen-specific immune response

**This data is consistent with HS-110 mechanism of action as well as data previously reported in our phase 1 trial**