



Two ACTive Immunotherapies (TACTI): Results of a Phase I trial with metastatic melanoma patients

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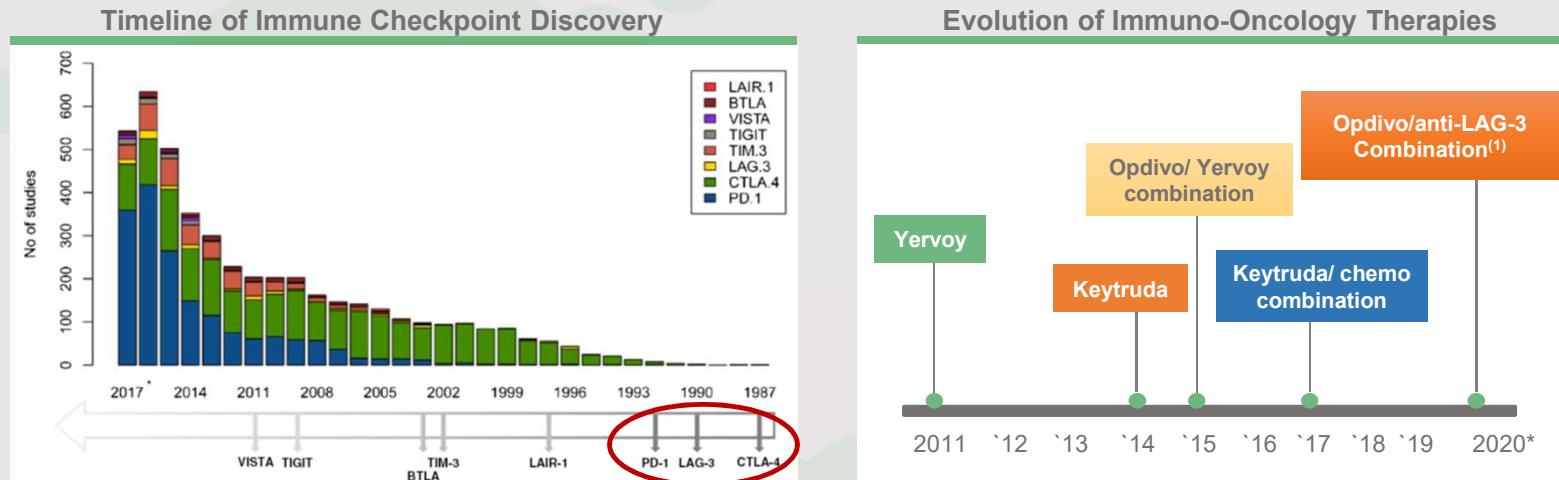
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Evolution of Checkpoint Therapies

LAG-3 has the potential to be the next meaningful checkpoint target...



- Existing immuno-oncology therapies are CTLA-4, PD-1 and PD-L1 antagonists and are approved for many disease indications
- However, only 15 - 40% of solid tumors in patients respond to monotherapy
- Immuno-oncology market will be worth approximately US\$14 billion in 2019, rising to US\$34 billion by 2024, with checkpoint therapies accounting for most of the market⁽²⁾

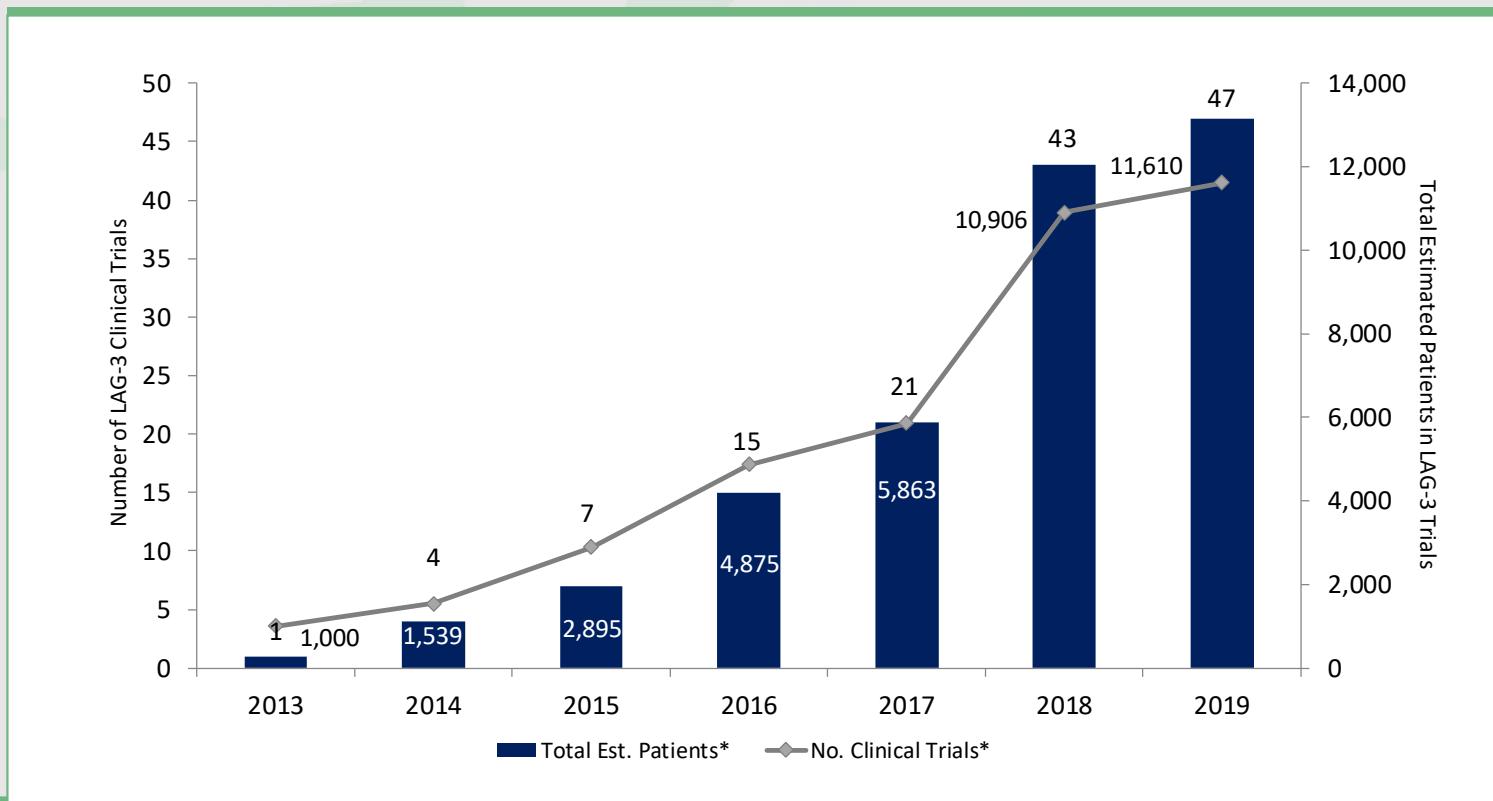
Notes:

(1) Expected timing, actual results may differ (BMS ASCO 2017 Investor Presentation)

(2) Global Data, Immuno-Oncology Strategic Insight: Multi-Indication and Market Size Analysis (May 2016)

Increasing Clinical Trials Targeting LAG-3

Industry increasingly deploying resources to development of LAG-3 therapeutics

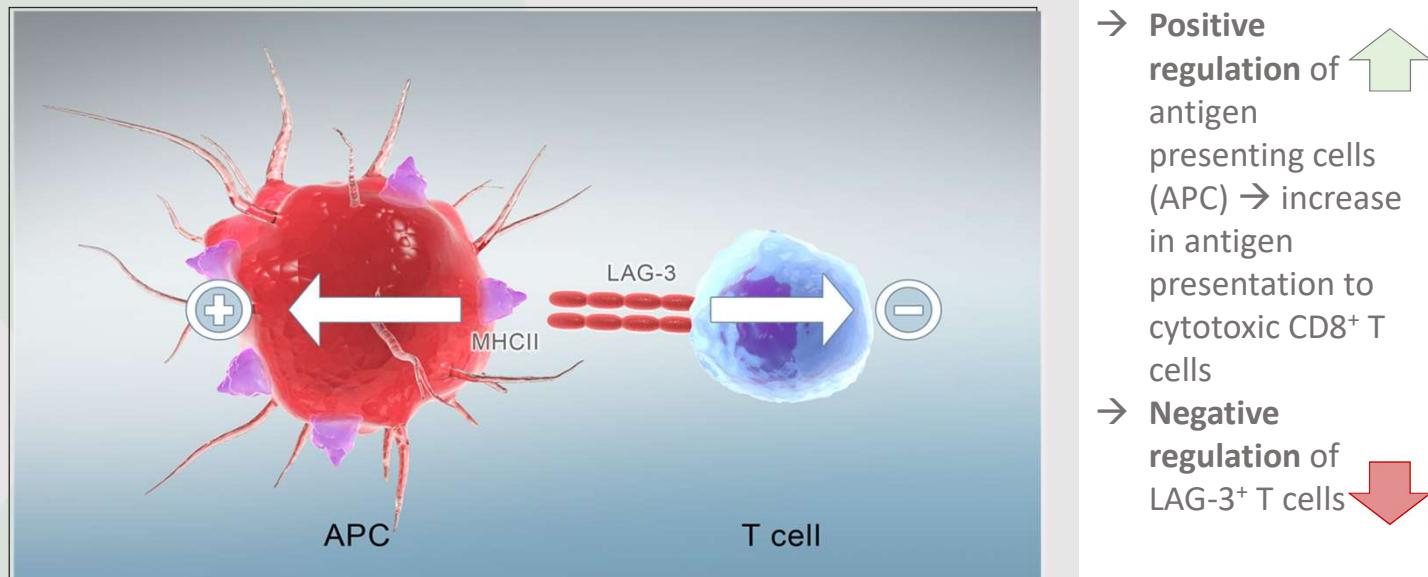


Sources: GlobalData, company websites, clinicaltrials.gov, and sec.gov
Information as of January 3, 2019

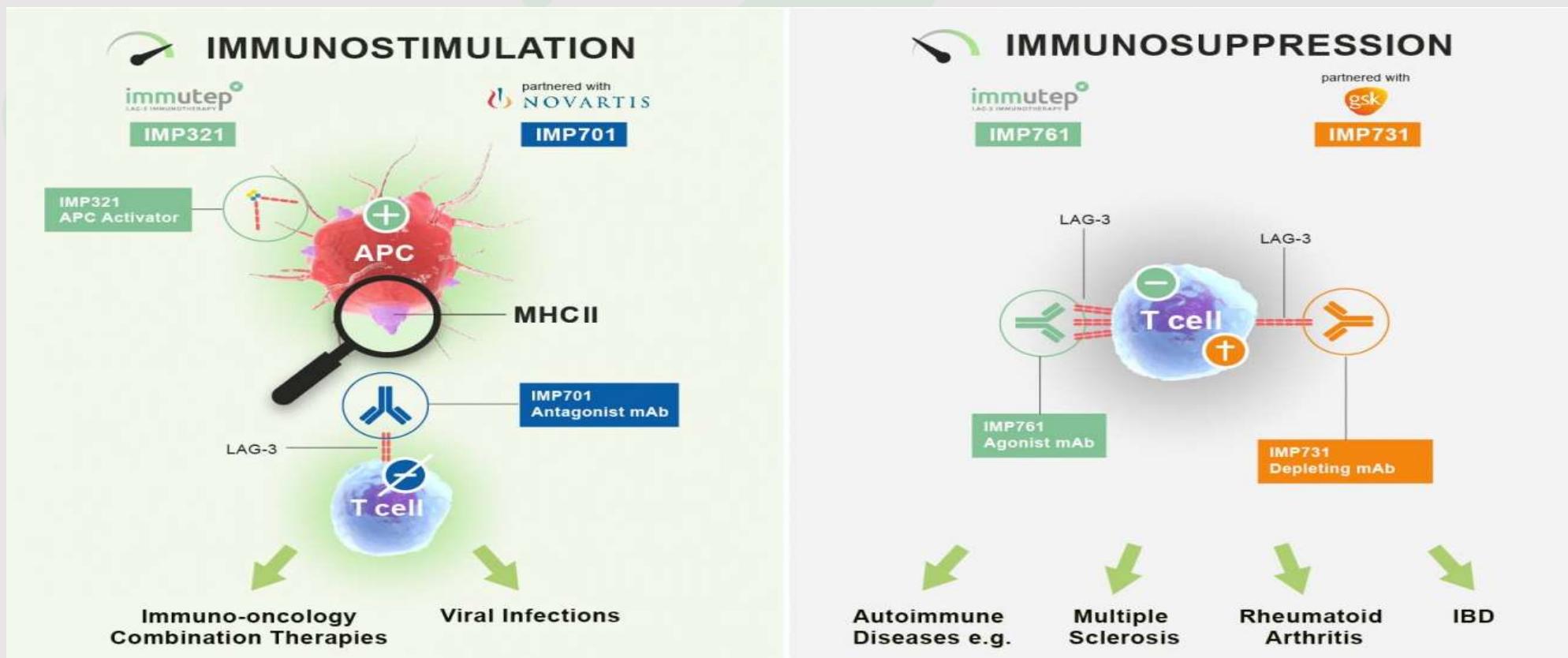
*2019 includes planned and completed trials, includes trials where the company may not be the sponsor

LAG-3 as a Therapeutic Target

- LAG-3 is widely expressed on tumor infiltrating lymphocytes (TILs) and cytotoxic T cells
→ Prime target for an immune checkpoint blocker
- Functionally similar to PD-1 on T cells (arrow on the right)



Targeting LAG-3/MHC II May Lead to Multiple Therapeutics in Numerous Indications



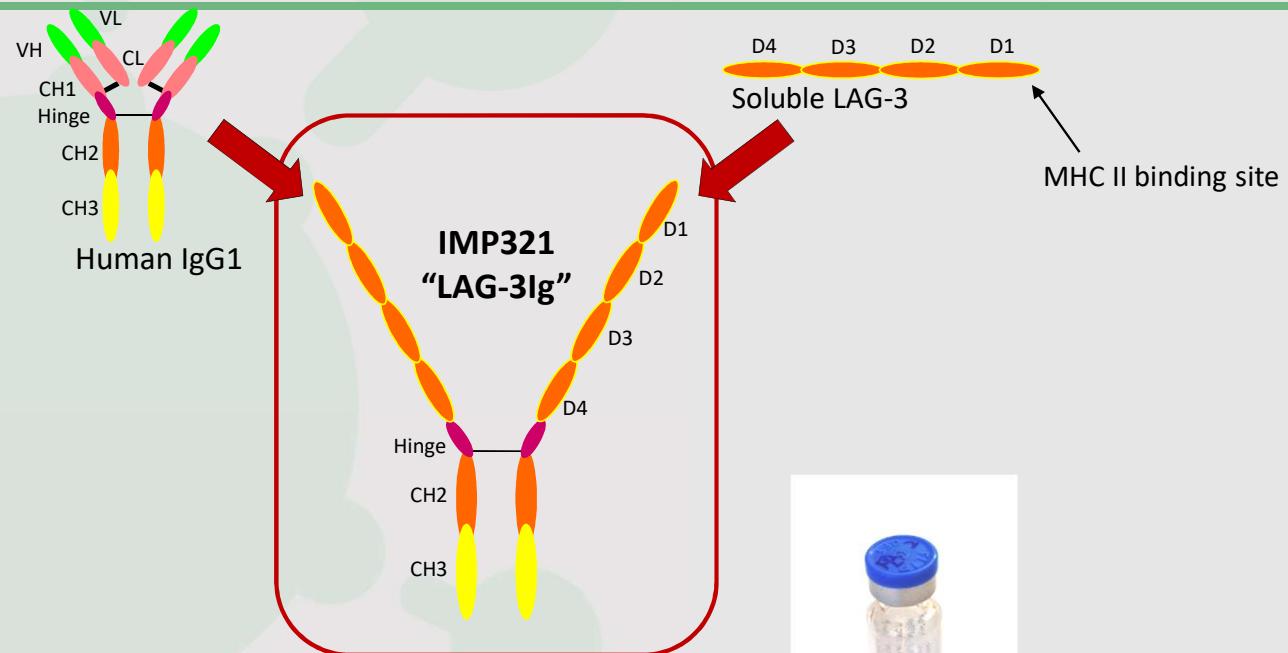


Lead Program

Eftilagimod Alpha (IMP321)

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Soluble dimeric recombinant form of LAG-3Ig (fusion protein)



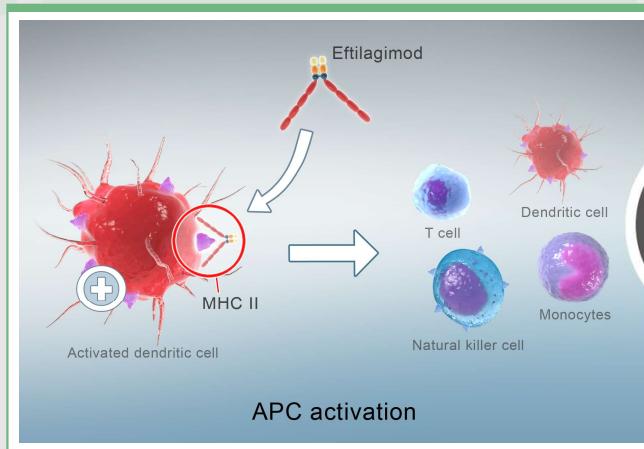
- **Soluble recombinant form of LAG-3**
- Human fusion protein
- Dimeric, very stable, high affinity for DC
- Antigen presenting cell (APC) activator
- **Unique and first-in-class**



Efti - Innovative LAG-3 IO Product Candidate

- The only APC targeting LAG-3 product currently in clinical development
- A unique approach ("turning cold tumors into hot tumors" with an MHC II agonist)
- Synergistic with other IO agents

"PUSHING THE ACCELERATOR ON IMMUNE RESPONSES"

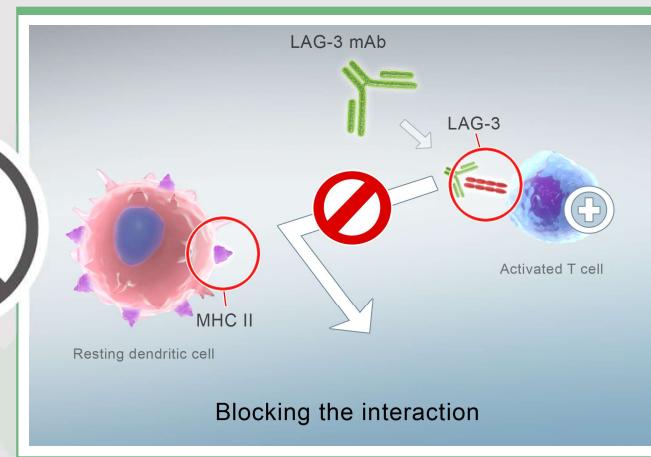


Efti, an MHC II agonist (eftilagimod alpha, IMP321) :

APC activator

- Boost and sustain the CD8⁺ T cell responses
- Activate multiple immune cell subsets

"RELEASING THE BRAKE ON THE T CELL"

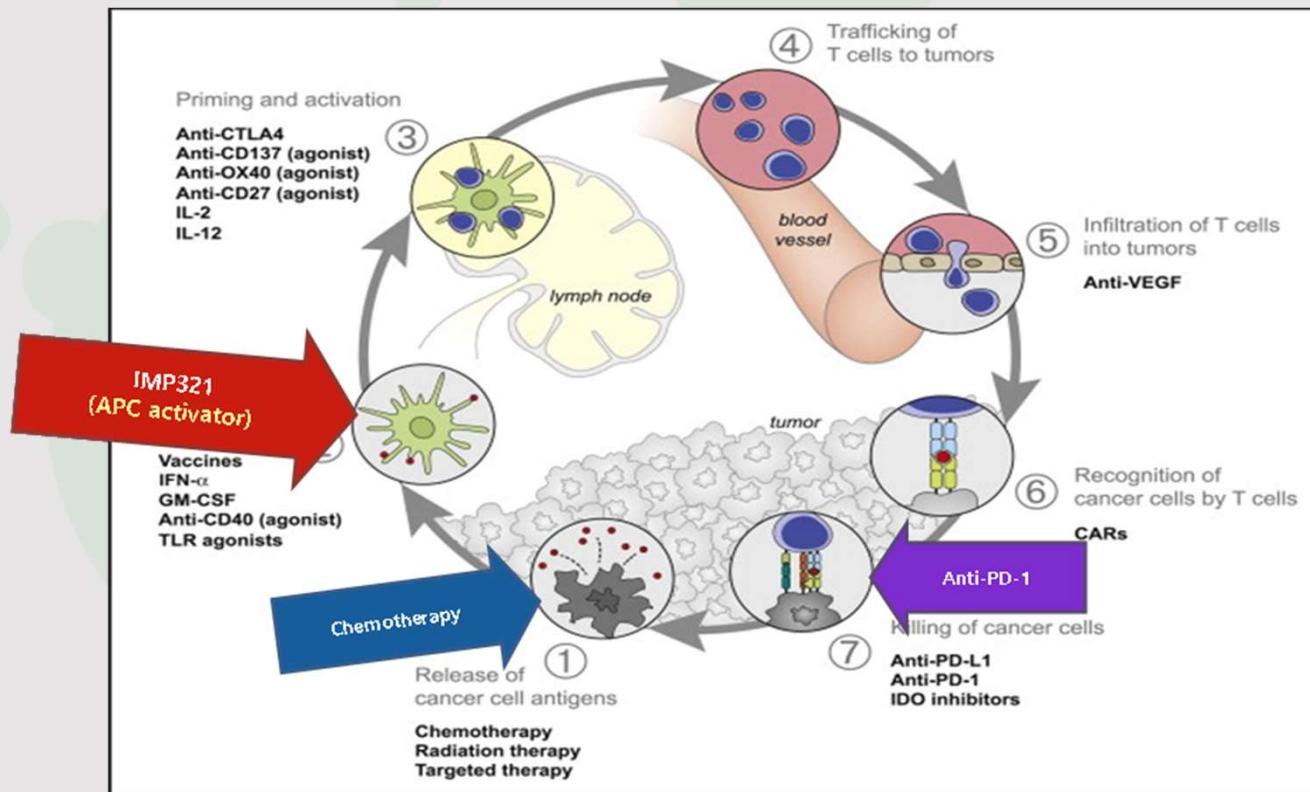


LAG-3 antagonist antibodies:

immune checkpoint inhibitor

- increase cytotoxicity of the pre-existing CD8 T cell response

Rationale for Combining efti (IMP321) with Chemotherapy or Anti-PD-1 mAb



*Therapeutic interventions leading to increased T cell responses in cancer. The Cancer Immunity Cycle.
Adapted from Chen and Mellman (1).*

Efti (IMP321) - Areas of development

Multiple strategies



- **Chemo-immunotherapy**

- Exploit the antigen debris from chemotherapy with an APC activator → Combination therapy with active agents such as Taxanes (e.g. Paclitaxel)

- **IO-IO combination**

- Exploit two immuno-oncology agents with complementary mode of action increasing response rate and durability and maybe overcoming resistance → combination with PD-1 or PD-L1 antagonists like pembrolizumab or avelumab

- **Cancer vaccine or intra-tumoral injections**

- Stimulate the immune system locally → intratumoral or vaccination studies

Active clinical trials

AIPAC
MBC study in Chinese pts
(EOC)

TACTI-mel
TACTI-002
INSIGHT – Stratum D

Collaboration with
Cytlimic
INSIGHT - Stratum A+B

Efti has multiple shots on goal in different indications (6) and in different combinations (4)



Clinical Development

Eftilagimod Alpha (IMP321)

IO Therapy Oncology Response Rates

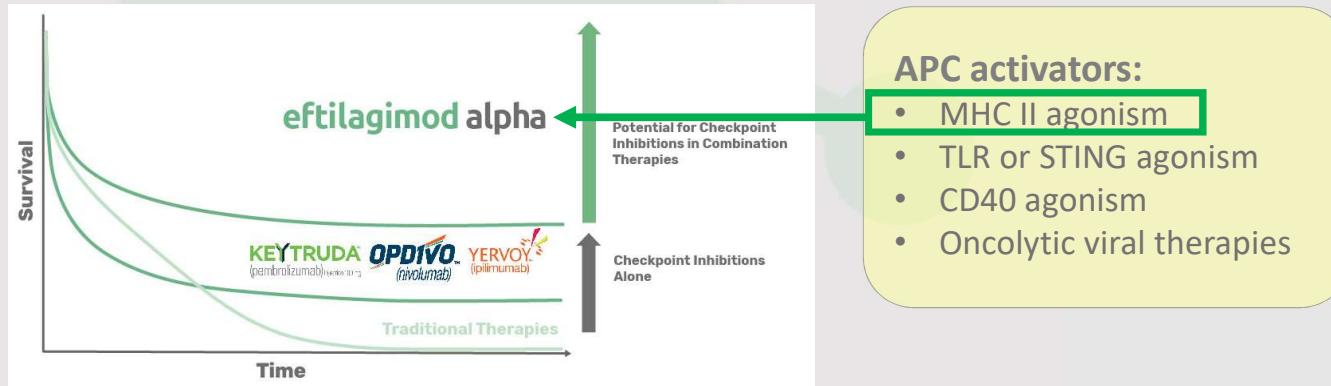


Approximately 70-80% of patients do no respond to anti-PD1 monotherapy.

How can we enable more efficacious T-cell responses?

- Immunogenic cell death to liberate/uncover tumor antigens
- Cross-presentation of those antigens
- Recruitment of T cells into the tumor microenvironment
- Reversing the pathways driving a repressive tumor environment

This could be achieved through the right APC activation

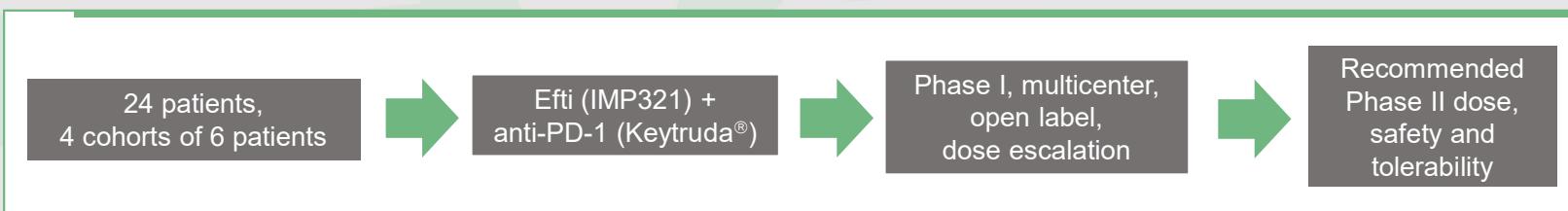


Efti (IMP321) in Melanoma

TACTI-mel (IO combination) – Trial Design



TACTI-mel = Two ACTive Immunotherapeutics in melanoma



Primary Objective	Recommended dose for Phase II with efti (IMP321) + pembrolizumab Safety + tolerability
Other Objectives	PK and PD of IMP321, response rate, time to next treatment, PFS

 7 sites in Australia

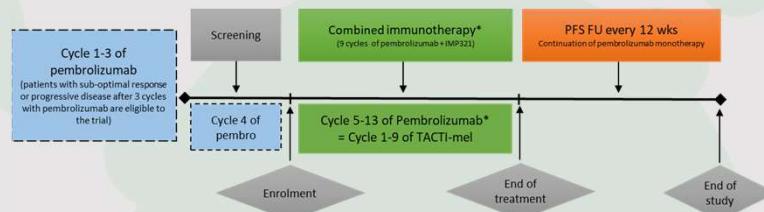
- Part A: efti (IMP321) at 1, 6 and 30 mg s.c. every 2 weeks starting with cycle 5 of pembrolizumab
- Part B: efti (IMP321) at 30 mg s.c. every 2 weeks starting with cycle 1 of pembrolizumab
 - Status: recruitment completed
- Pembrolizumab (Keytruda®) 2 mg/kg every 3 weeks i.v. part A and B

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TACTI-mel (IO combination) – Part A and Part B

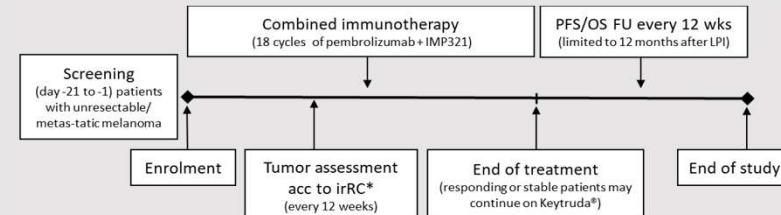


Study Scheme Part A:



irRC...Immune-Related Response Criteria, PFS- progression free survival, FU – follow-up

Study Scheme Part B:



Patient population Part A:

- Patients with unresectable or metastatic melanoma with **asymptomatic progression or suboptimal response** after 3 cycles of pembrolizumab

Patient population Part B:

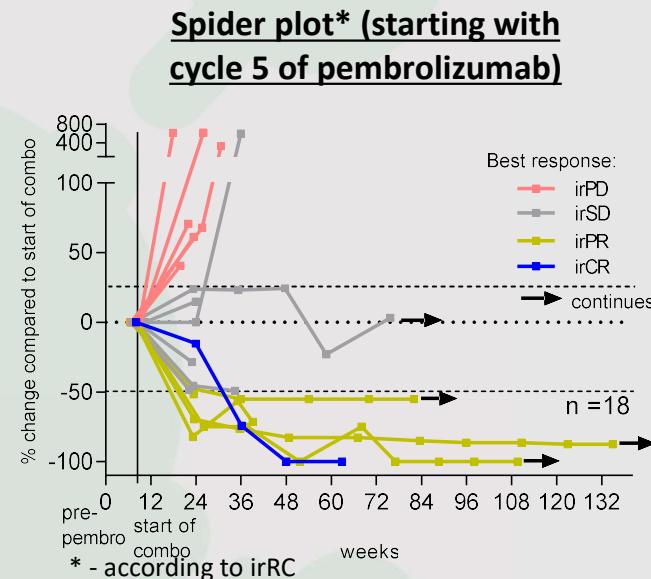
- Patients with unresectable or metastatic melanoma eligible to pembrolizumab

Efti (IMP321) in Melanoma

TACTI-mel (IO combination) – Results after Start of Combo (part A)

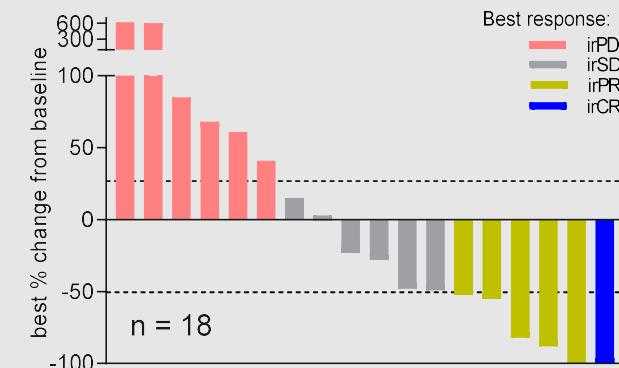


Baseline Characteristics	N = 18 (%)
ECOG 1 / 0	22 % / 78 %
Elevated LDH	7 (39%)
Metastasis stage M1c	14 (78 %)
Pre-treated with BRAF/MEK/ipilimumab	5 (28 %)
Best Overall Response acc. to irRC	
irCR	1 (6 %)
irPR#	5 (28 %) #
irSD	6 (33 %)
irPD	6 (33 %)
Best overall response rate (ORR)	6 (33 %)
Patients with tumor shrinkage	10 (56 %)
Disease control rate	12 (66 %)



Exploratory analysis
(C1D1 pembrolizumab):
ORR of 61 %

Waterfall plot* (starting with cycle 5 of pembrolizumab)



- Patients with very late stage of disease (M1c, elevated LDH)
- Majority not responding to pembrolizumab
→ Tumor shrinkage in 56 % of these patients incl. 2 pts with complete disappearance of all target lesions

- incl. 1 pt with complete disappearance of all target lesions;
CR acc. to RECIST 1.1

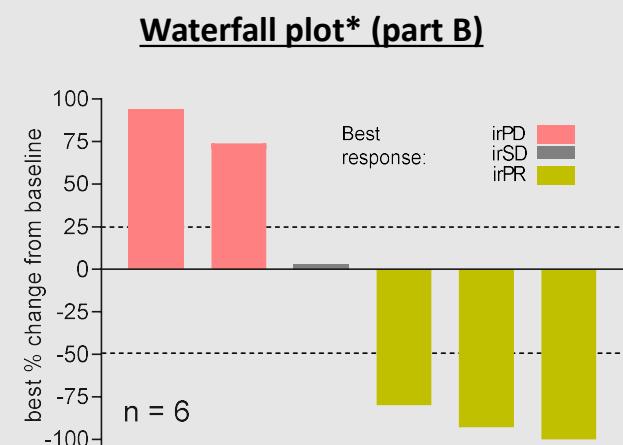
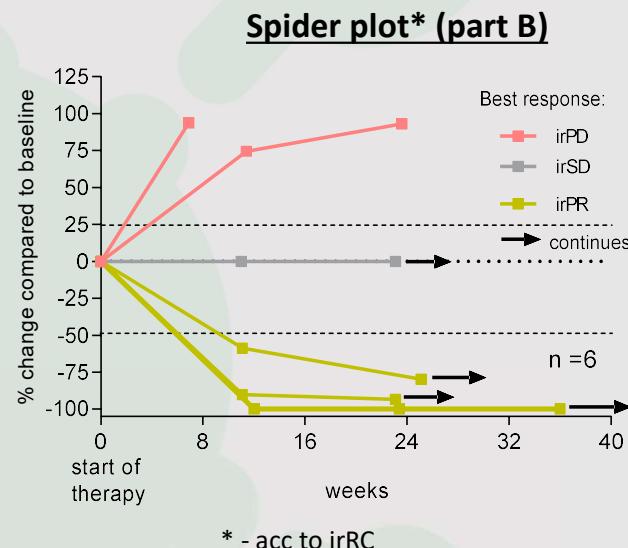
Efti (IMP321) in Melanoma TACTI-mel (IO combination) – Results part B



Baseline Characteristics	N = 6 (%)
ECOG (0/1)	3 (50 %) / 3 (50 %)
Sex (f/m)	1 (13 %) / 5 (83 %)
Elevated LDH	5 (83%)
Metastasis stage M1c	6 (100 %)

Best Overall Response acc. to irRC	N = 6 (%)
irCR	0 (0 %)
irPR#	3 (50 %) #
irSD	1 (13 %)
irPD	2 (25 %)
Best overall response rate (ORR)	3 (50 %)
Patients with tumor shrinkage	3 (50 %)
Disease control rate	4 (66 %)

- incl. 1 pt with complete disappearance of all target lesions



- All patients with very late stage of disease (M1c, elevated LDH)
- No DLTs or new safety signals
- Confirmed deep partial responses in 3 (50%) of the pts
- Treatment of 4 pts ongoing (currently 6+ months all)

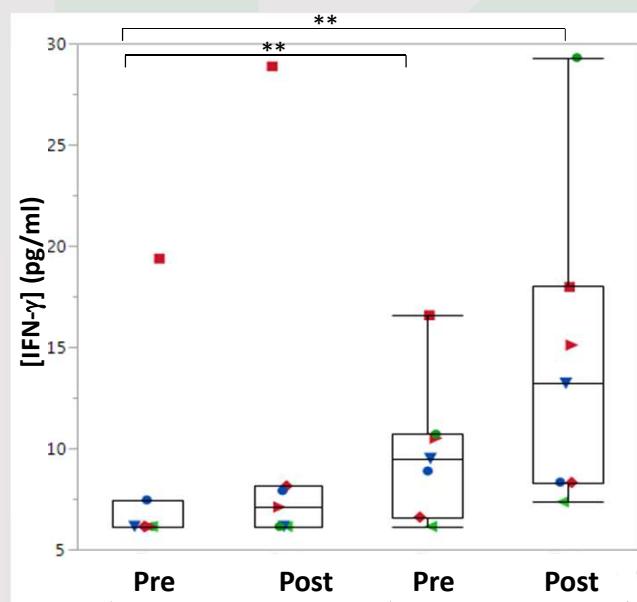
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TACTI-mel (IO combination) – Blood Pharmacodynamics



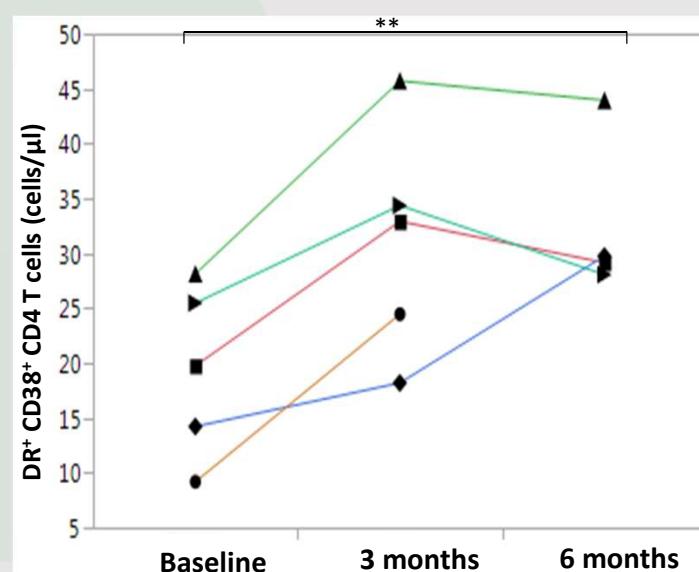
Part A

IFN- γ (not yet available for Part B)



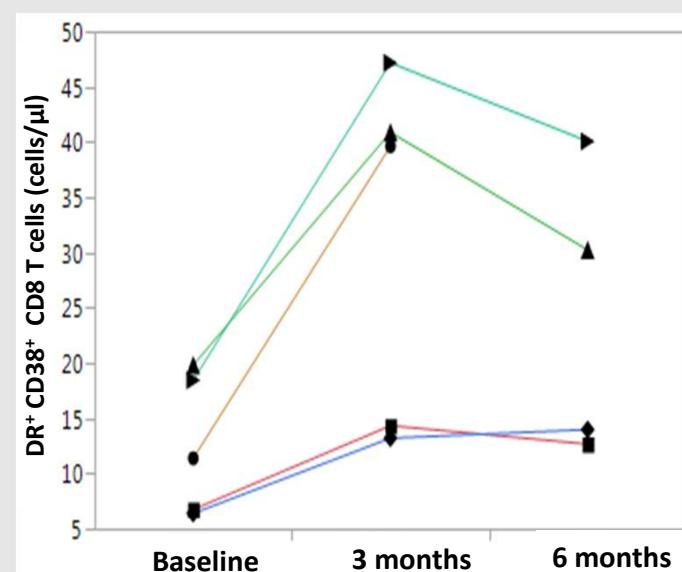
Part B

Activated CD4 T cells



Part B

Activated CD8 T cells

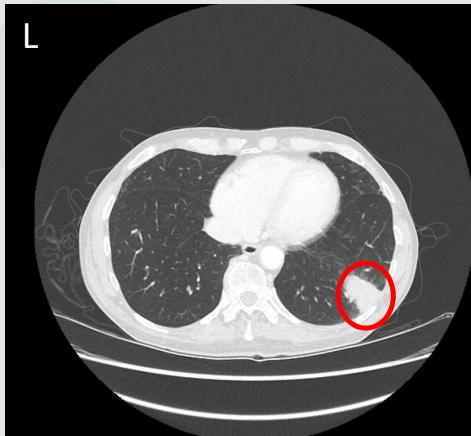


1st application

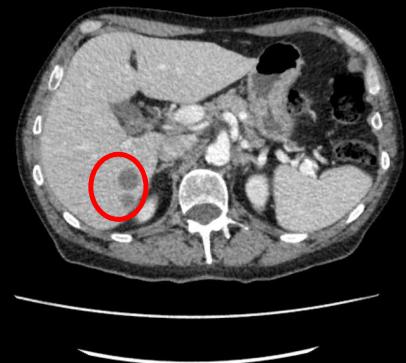
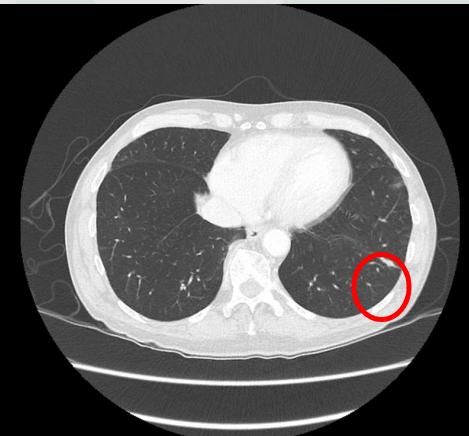
6 months

TACTI-mel part B: Single Case

July 2018 (baseline)



January 2019 (6 months)



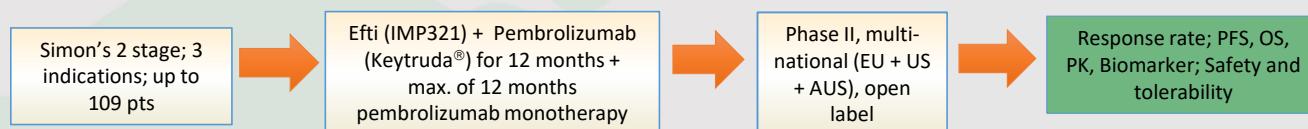
- 69 year old male
- Multiple lung, bone, liver and lymph node metastases from melanoma → **M1C stage**
- BRAF wild type
- ECOG 1

→ clear regression of lung and liver metastases
 → treatment continues (6+ months)

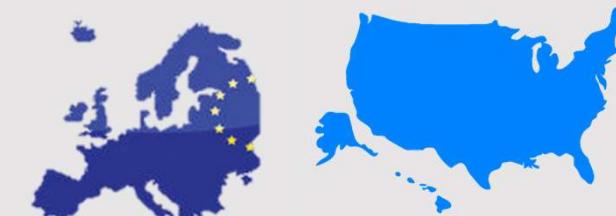
TACTI-002 Trial Design



An umbrella trial: Two ACTive Immunotherapeutics in different indications



Primary Objective	Response rate (iRECIST)
Other Objectives	Safety, PFS+OS, PK, exploratory biomarker analysis
Patient Population	Part A: 1 st line NSCLC PD-X naive Part B: 2 nd line NSCLC, PD-X refractory Part C: 2 nd line HNSCC, PD-X naive
Treatment	30 mg Efti (IMP321) s.c. 200 mg Pembrolizumab i.v.



13 sites in Europe / US / Australia

Notes

NSCLC – non-small-cell lung cancer, HNSCC – head and neck squamous cell cancer, DMC – data monitoring committee, PFS – progression free survival, OS – overall survival, PK – pharmacokinetics, PD-X – any PD-1 or DL-1 treatment



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