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Pipeline of wholly-owned candidates tackling the greatest unmet needs in oncology

PROGRAM	POTENTIAL INDICATION(S)		CURRENT STAGE				ANTICIPATED MILESTONES & RECENT UPDATES
			PRECLINICAL	PHASE 1	PHASE 2	PHASE 3	
NUV-868 (BET)	Advanced solid tumors	NUV-868					Phase 1 dose escalation study completed; MTD determined
	Ovarian, TNBC, pancreatic, mCRPC & other solid tumors	NUV-868 + olaparib					Phase 1b dose escalation study ongoing
	mCRPC	NUV-868 + enzalutamide					Phase 1b dose escalation study ongoing
NUV-1511 (DDC)	Advanced solid tumors (post-Enhertu and/or post-Trodelvy progression), HER2- mBC, mCRPC, advanced pancreatic & PROC						Phase 1 dose escalation study ongoing



NUV-868 | BETi

Advanced solid tumors

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Phase 1 monotherapy study completed; MTD determined

Phase 1b combination study ongoing



First generation BET inhibitors have been toxic and poorly effective against solid tumors

Limitations of first generation BET inhibitors

- BET proteins regulate the expression of many oncogenes, including cMYC – an oncogene that has not been targetable directly with a drug
- Non-selective BD1/2-inhibitors have been associated with tolerability issues, many apparently due to BD1 inhibition¹

	BRD4 Affinity ²		
	BD2 (nM)	BD1 (nM)	Selectivity
NUV-868*	2	2920	1460x
ABBV-744 ³	1.05	340	324x
PLX-2853 ⁴	Modest BD2 selectivity		
CPI-0610 ³	17	85	5x
ABBV-075 ¹	3	11	3.7x
MK-8628/OTX-015 ⁵	17	26	1.5x
BI-894999 ⁶	41	5	0.1x
ZEN-3694 ⁷	Non-selective		

LESS BD2 SELECTIVE

MORE BD2 SELECTIVE

*high plasma protein binding, > 1% free fraction



BD1 and BD2 play very different roles in gene regulation¹



**DRUG
DISCOVERY**

Selective targeting of BD1 and BD2 of the BET proteins in cancer and immunoinflammation

Gilan et al, Science 368, (2020)

Key takeaways

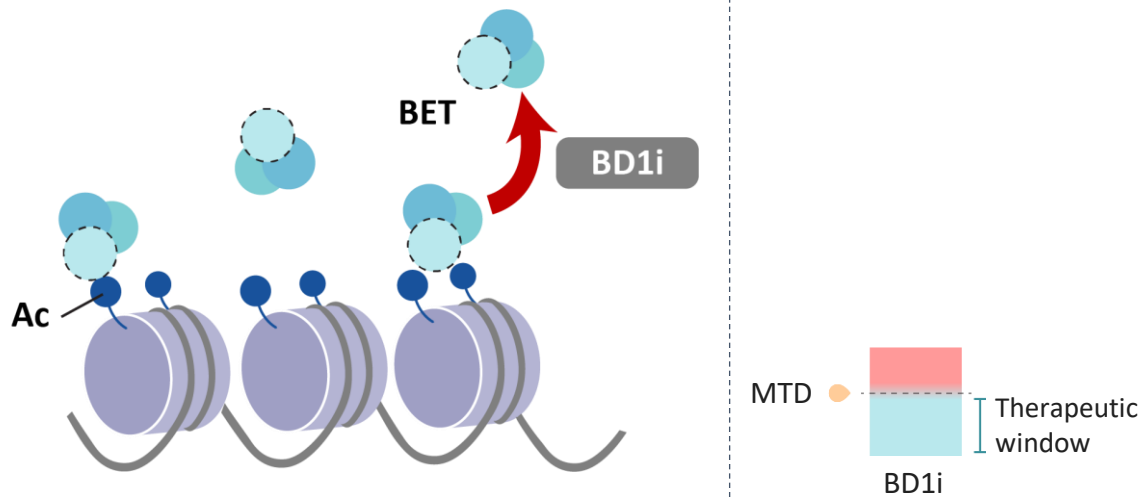
- BD1 and BD2 enable chromatin binding to facilitate transcription
- BD1 primarily mediates steady-state gene expression, whereas BD2 primarily mediates the rapid induction of gene expression
- Differential roles of BD1 and BD2 in the maintenance and induction of gene expression may guide future BET-targeted therapies



BD1 inhibition disrupts steady state gene expression and increases toxicity

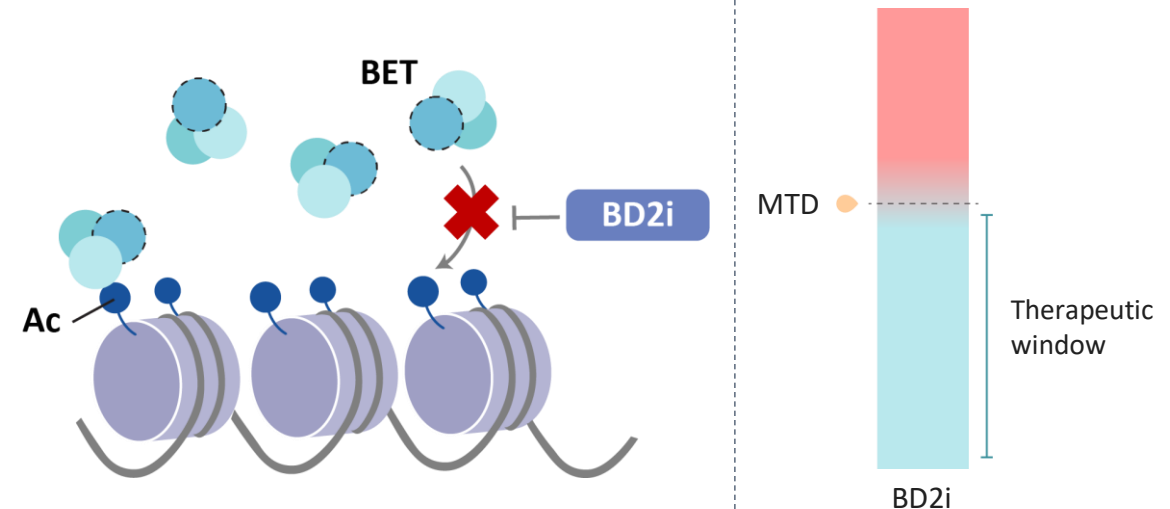
BD1 inhibition

- Regulates steady state gene expression
- **Displaces** BET proteins already associated with histones
- Toxicity minimizes the therapeutic window



BD2 inhibition

- Regulates rapid gene induction
- **Prevents** BET proteins from becoming associated with histones
- Effective in models of cancer and inflammatory diseases
- BD2 selectivity increases the therapeutic window



BD2-selective BET inhibitor (ABBV-744) causes less thrombocytopenia and GI toxicity than BET inhibitors that potently inhibit BD1 (e.g. ABBV-075)

ABBV-744 demonstrates a superior therapeutic window compared to pan-BET inhibitors

Less effect on platelet count despite greater exposure

	Rat Tox Study				Mouse Efficacy Study		
	Dose (mg/kg)	AUC (ug.hr/ml)	Platelet reduction	Exposure over efficacious exposure in mouse	Dose (mg/kg)	AUC (ug.hr/ml)	TGI
ABBV-075	3	3.66	59%	3x	1	1.2	64%
ABBV-744	30	27.5	20%	25x	4.7	1.1	64%

Reduced impact on megakaryocytes

Very limited inhibition of intestinal cell proliferation

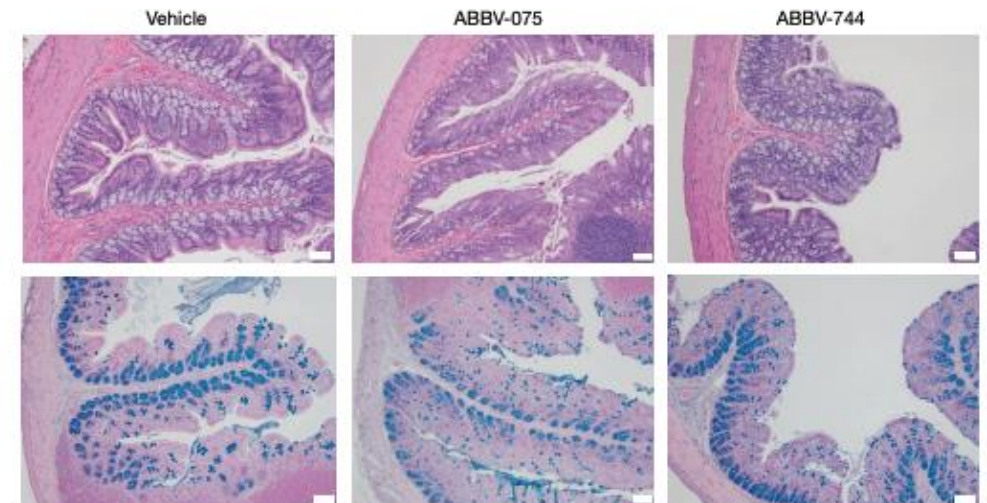
Similar effect on AR+ PC cells

	Mouse CFU-Mk IC50 (nM)	IEC-6 proliferation IC50 (nM)	LnCaP IC50 (nM)
ABBV-075	35	8	5
ABBV-744	645	3000	11

ABBV-075: Pan-BET inhibitor

ABBV-744: BD2-selective BET inhibitor

Less GI tox at efficacious dose (AR+ PC) with ABBV-744



- ABBV-744 has much more targeted anti-proliferative effects than pan-BET inhibitors; mainly effective in AML and AR-dependent prostate cancer
- AR-dependent transcription is inhibited by ABBV-744; transcriptional effects are more limited than pan-BET



NUV-868 inhibits BD2 almost 1,500 times more potently than BD1, which may improve efficacy and tolerability

NUV-868 is the most selective BD2 vs BD1 BET inhibitor in development

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NUV-868: Less bone marrow toxicity in animal models

MV4-11 AML xenograft hematology panel

24-hours post final dose on Day 21

	Dose (mg/kg)	RBC (10 ⁶ /ul)	PLT (10 ³ /ul)	NEUT (10 ³ /ul)	LYM (10 ³ /ul)	RET (10 ⁹ /L)
Vehicle	-	10.4	842	0.20	7.45	361
NUV-868	5	9.6	893	0.19	3.98	438
NUV-868	10	10.2	1290	0.15	5.53	463
NUV-868	20	10.2	1460	0.07	5.93	505

Reverses platelet suppression in an AML xenograft model

Rat 14-day repeat dose study

24-hours post final dose on Day 14

	Dose mg/kg	Sex	RBC (10 ⁶ /ul)	PLT (10 ³ /ul)	NEUT (10 ³ /ul)	HGB (g/dL)	HCT (%)
Vehicle	-	Male	6.29	897	1.16	13.0	36.3
NUV-868	20	Male	6.58	1050	1.80	13.6	37.6
Vehicle	-	Female	6.73	948	0.60	13.5	37.6
NUV-868	20	Female	6.87	967	1.14	13.4	37.7

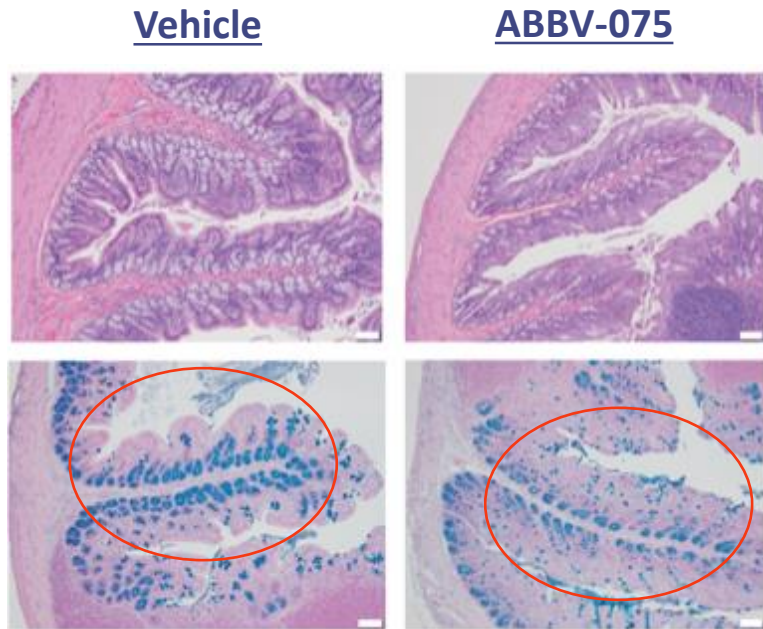
No bone marrow suppression at efficacious doses in rat model



NUV-868: Reduced gut toxicity compared with non-selective BET inhibitors

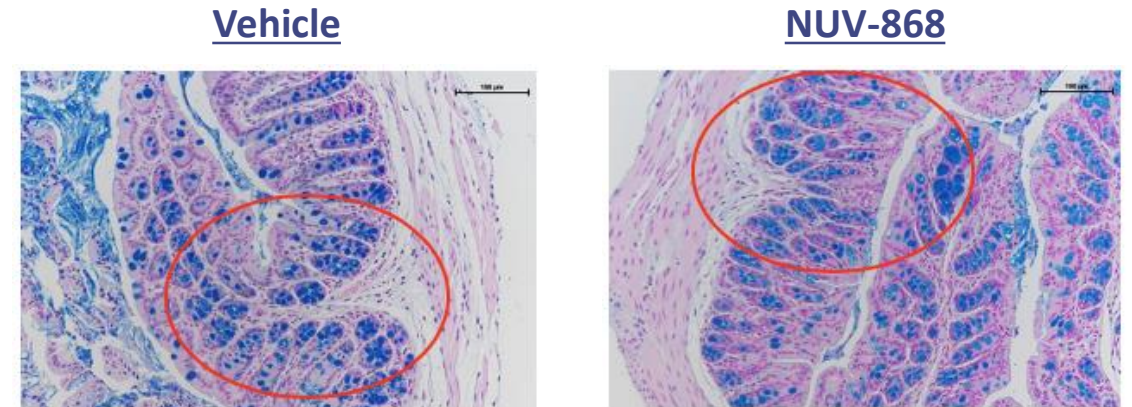
ABBV-075 (dual BD1 / BD2)

- ✗ A non-selective inhibitor (ABBV-075) leads to marked reduction in rat small intestine goblet cells¹



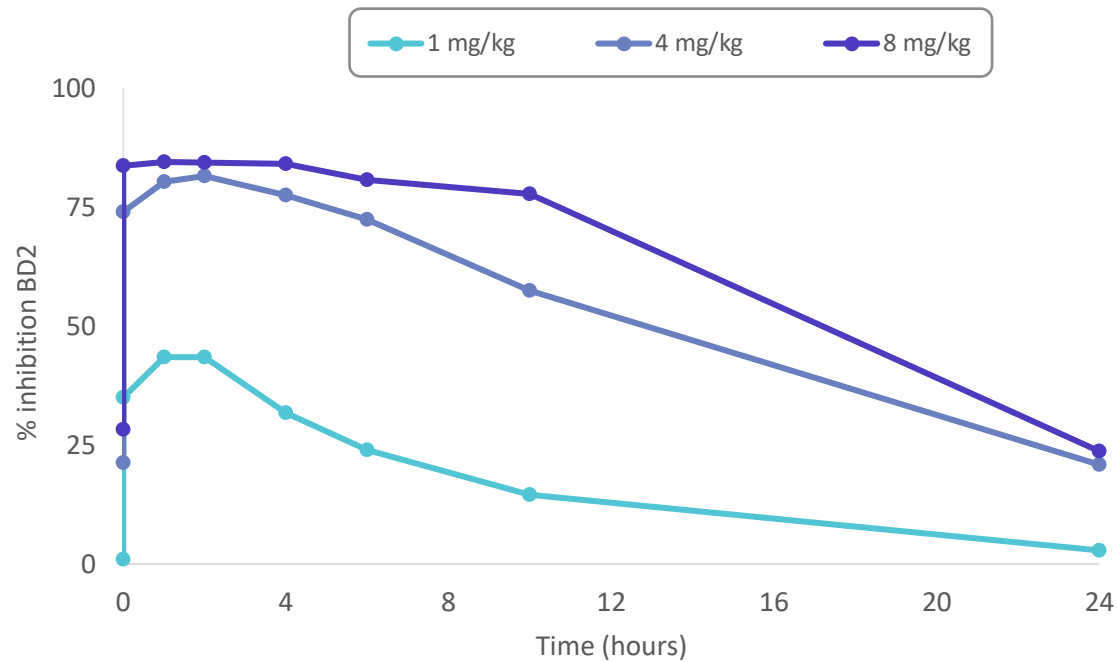
NUV-868 (BD2 selective) may avoid GI toxicity

- ✓ Treatment of mice for 10 days with BD2 selective compound NUV-868 shows no evidence of goblet cell loss

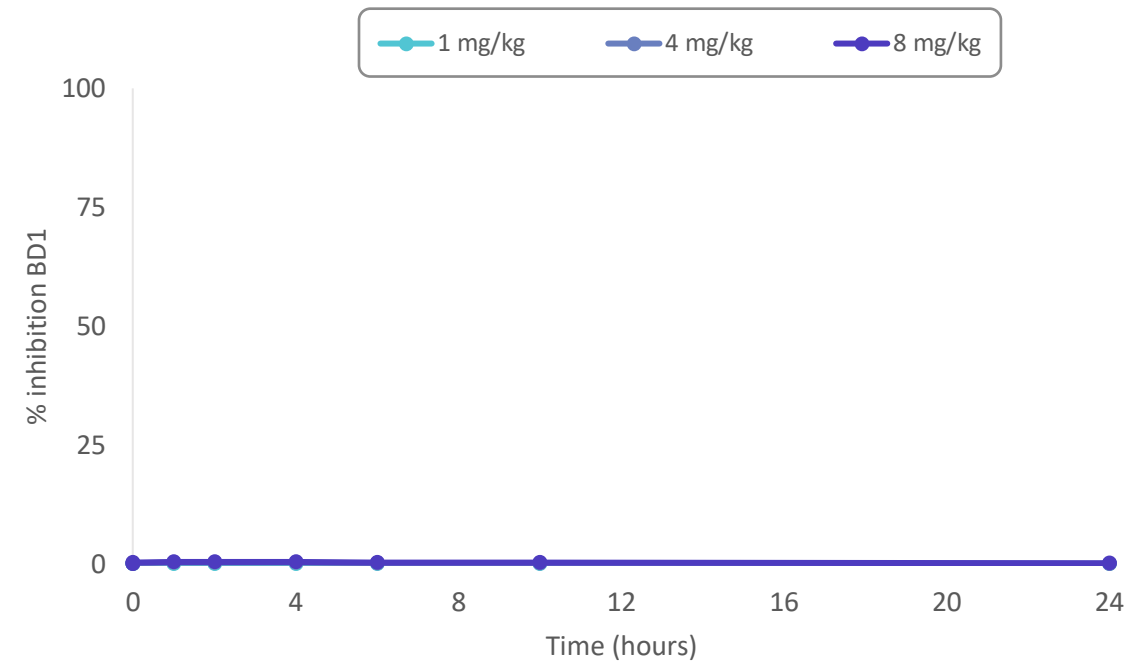


NUV-868: Plasma exposures provide robust, selective BD2 inhibition

Dog 28-day dog toxicology study



Dose-dependent, robust inhibition of BD2



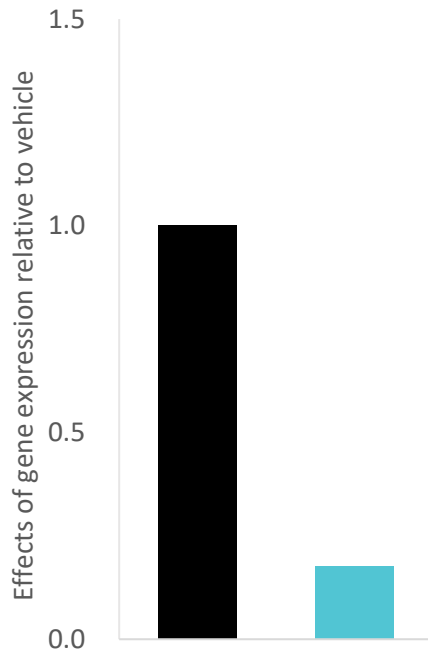
Negligible BD1 inhibition even at high dose



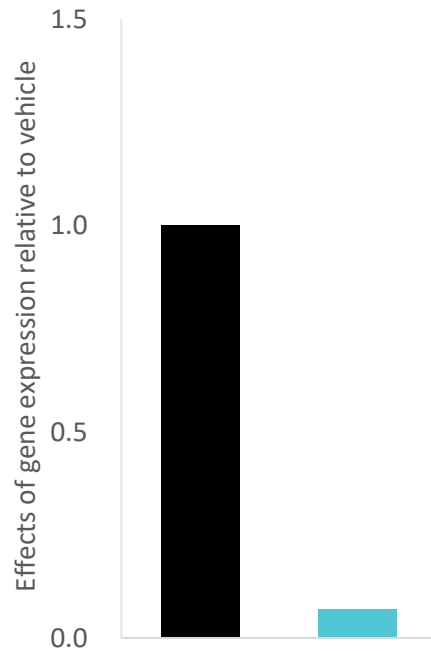
NUV-868 down regulates tumor promoting oncogenes BCL-2 and MYC and up regulates tumor suppressor gene Hexim-1

Pharmacodynamic markers

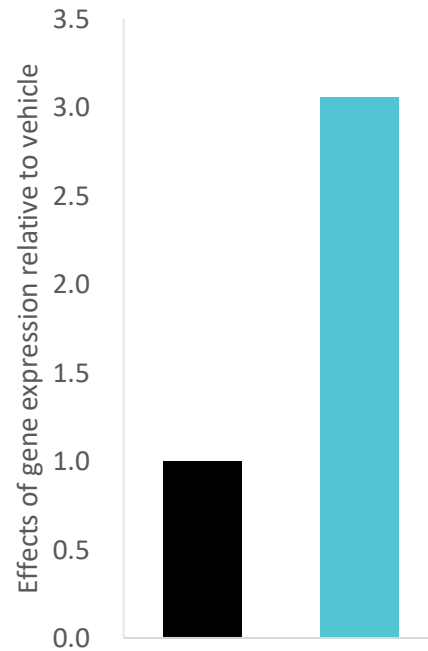
BCL-2



cMYC



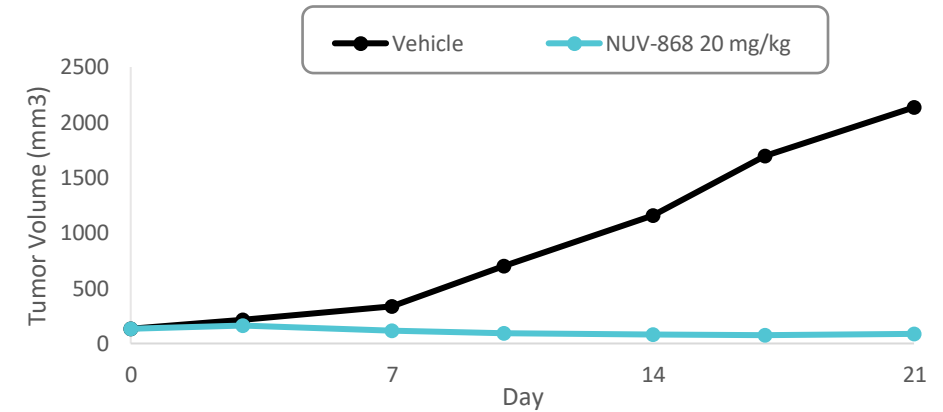
Hexim-1



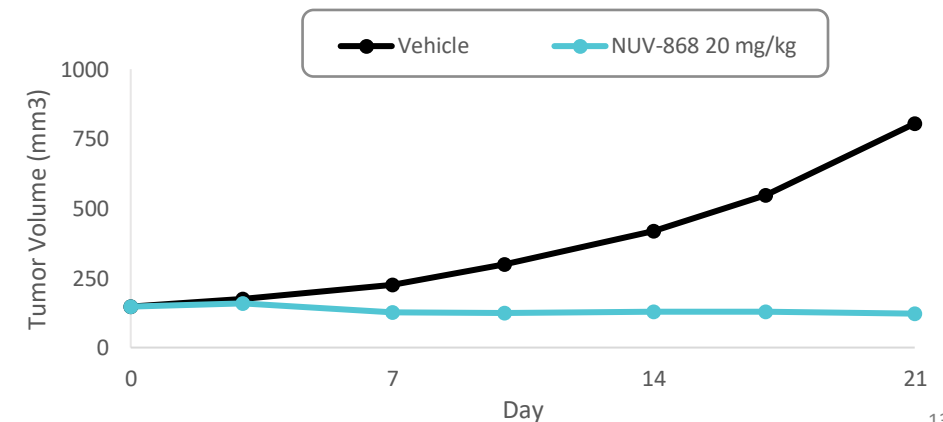
■ Vehicle

■ NUV-868

AML CDX (Kasumi-1)



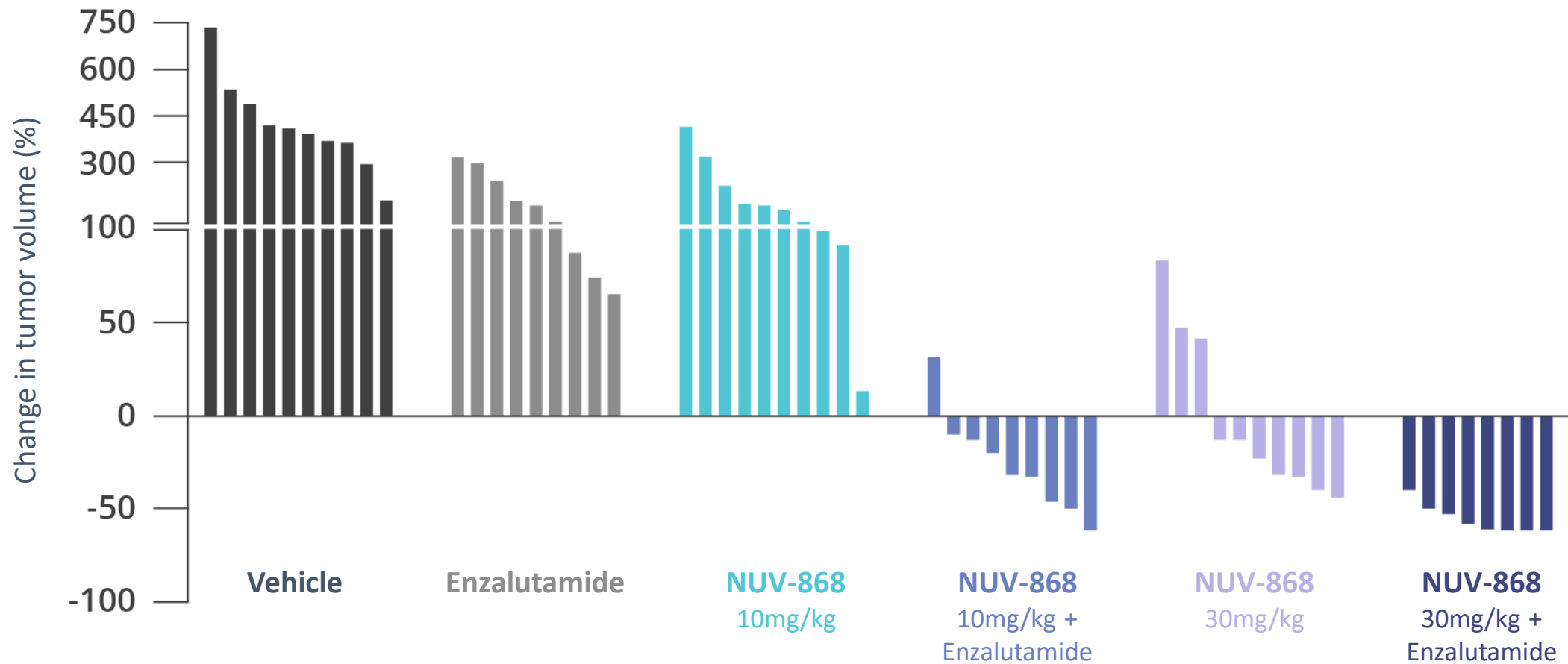
AML CDX (MV-4-11)



Note: Experiments conducted using BID dosing.

NUV-868 treatment converts enzalutamide-resistant patient derived prostate cancer xenografts to again be enzalutamide-sensitive

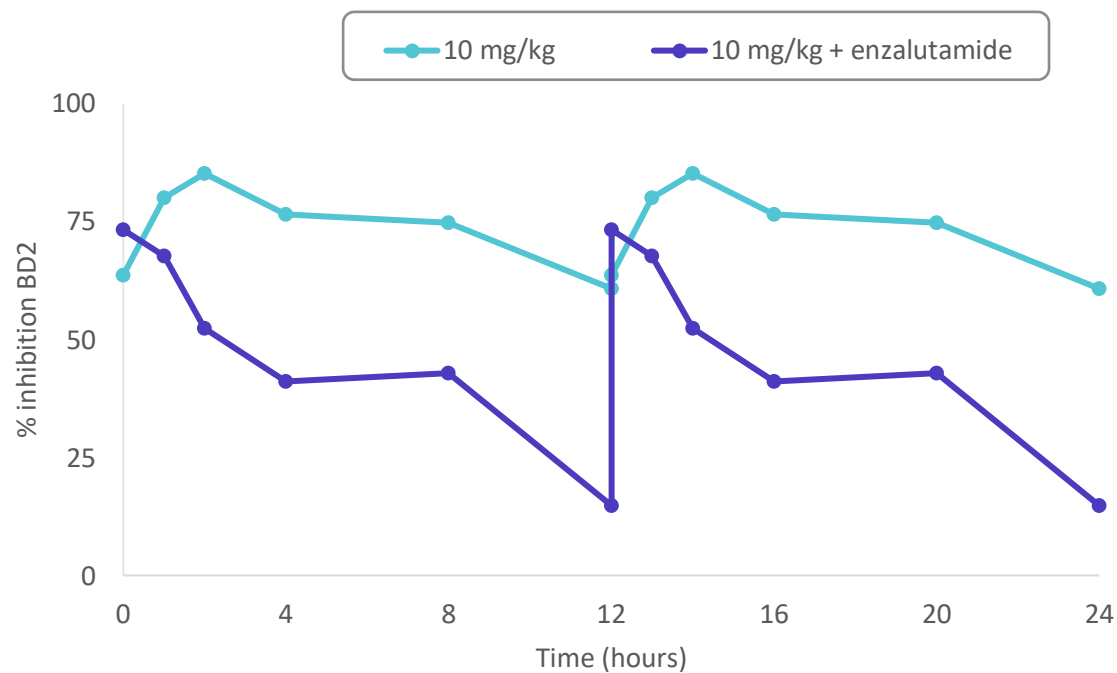
Individual animal tumor volume



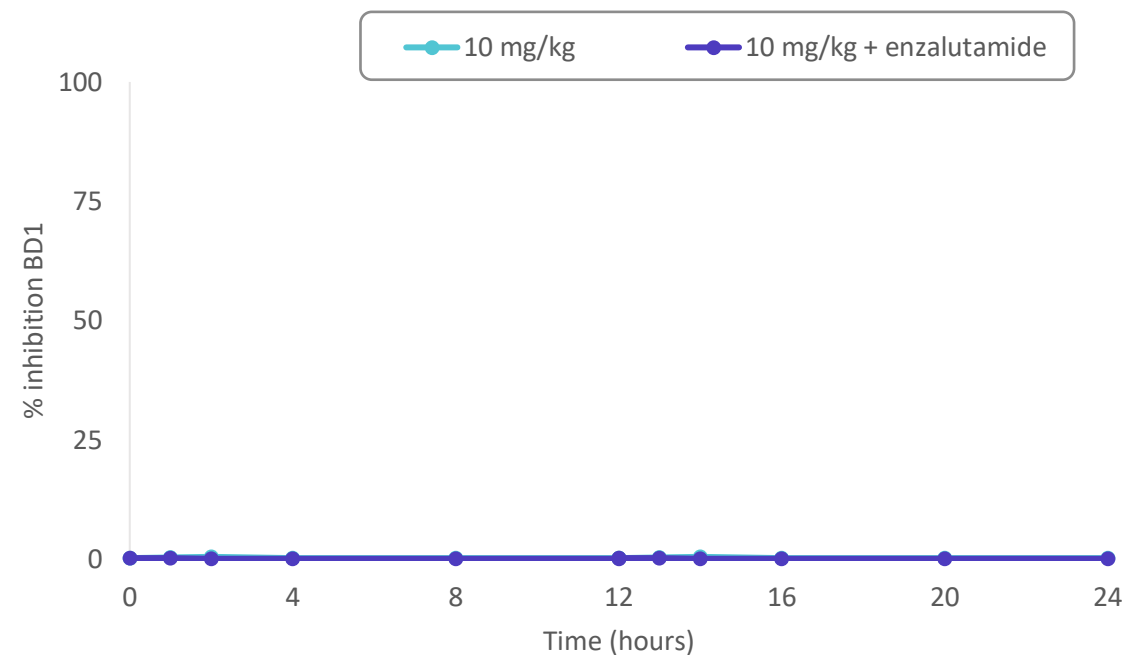
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Efficacious NUV-868 doses provide selective coverage for BD2 inhibition

Prostate PDX model



Inhibition of BD2 as monotherapy and in combination with enzalutamide



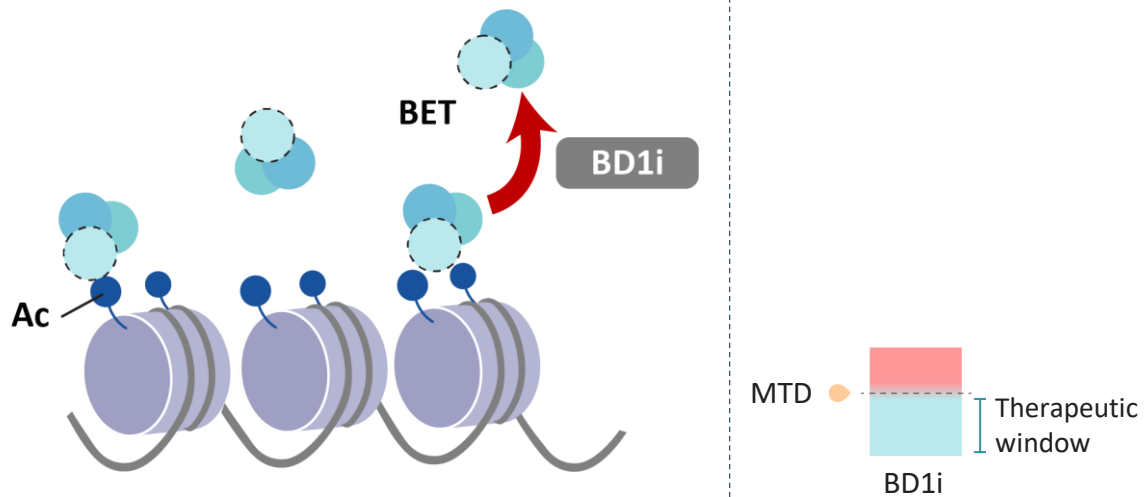
Negligible inhibition of BD1 as monotherapy and in combination with enzalutamide



BD2 selectivity blocks the ability of cancer cells to induce resistance pathways, and by avoiding BD1 inhibition, increases tolerability

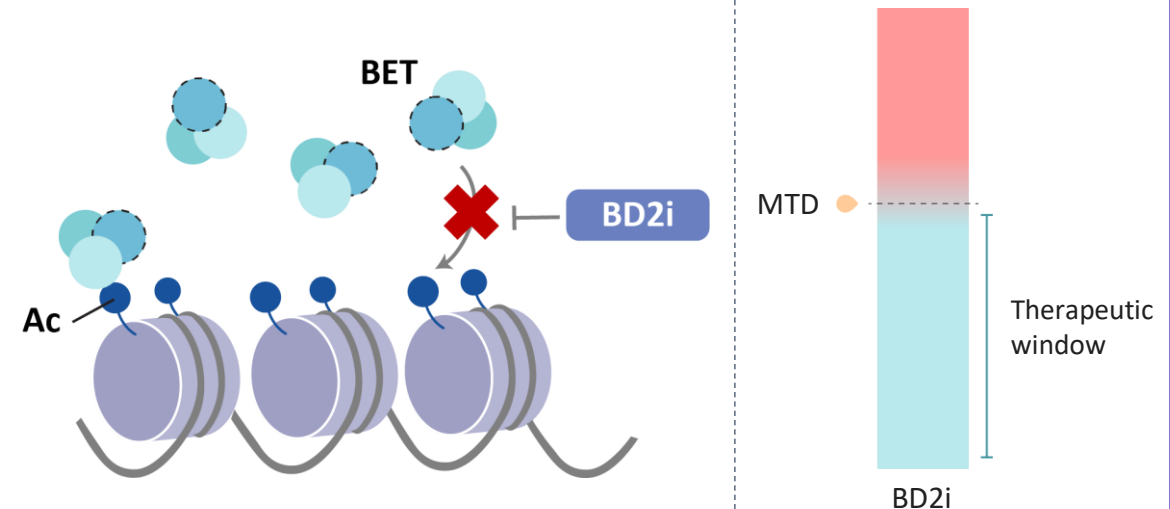
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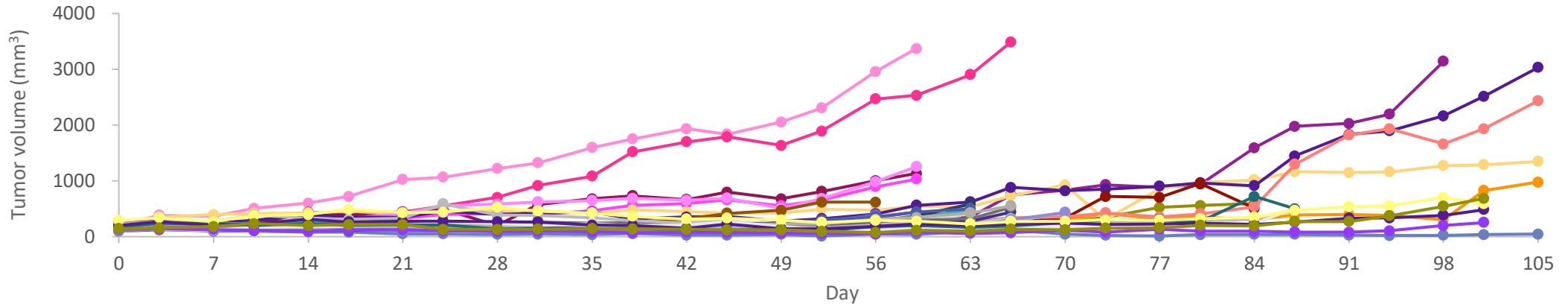
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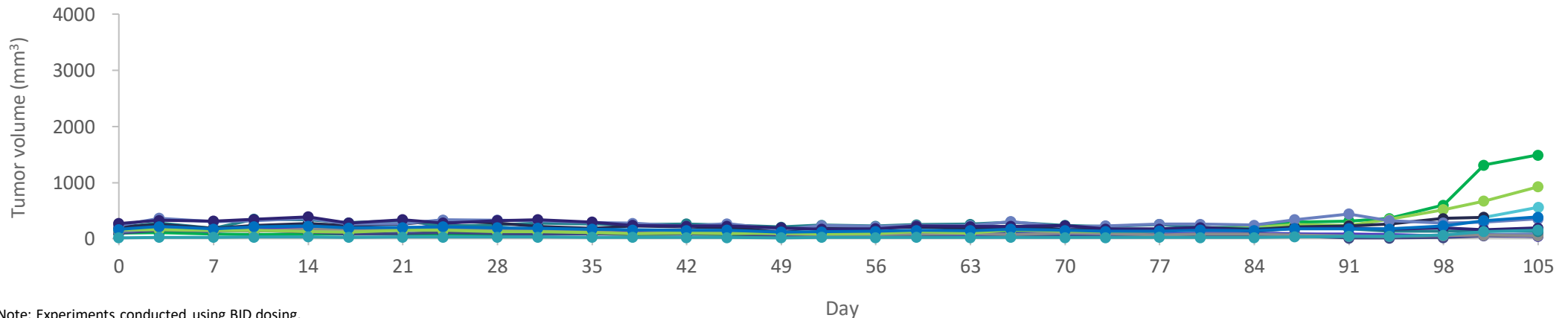


NUV-868 significantly delays the emergence of enzalutamide resistance in prostate cancer xenografts

Individual animal tumor volume: enzalutamide only (n=35)



Individual animal tumor volume: enzalutamide + NUV-868 (n=12)

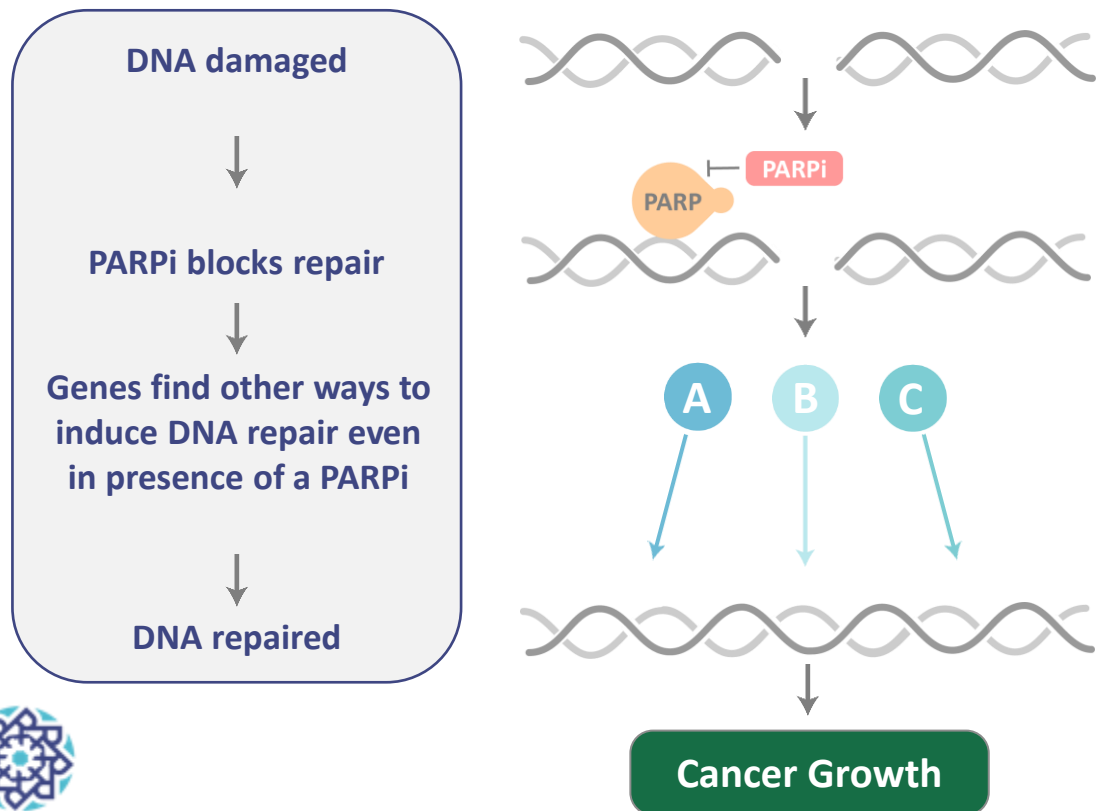


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NUV-868 reduces PARP inhibitor resistance possibly by preventing the induction of alternative DNA repair pathways

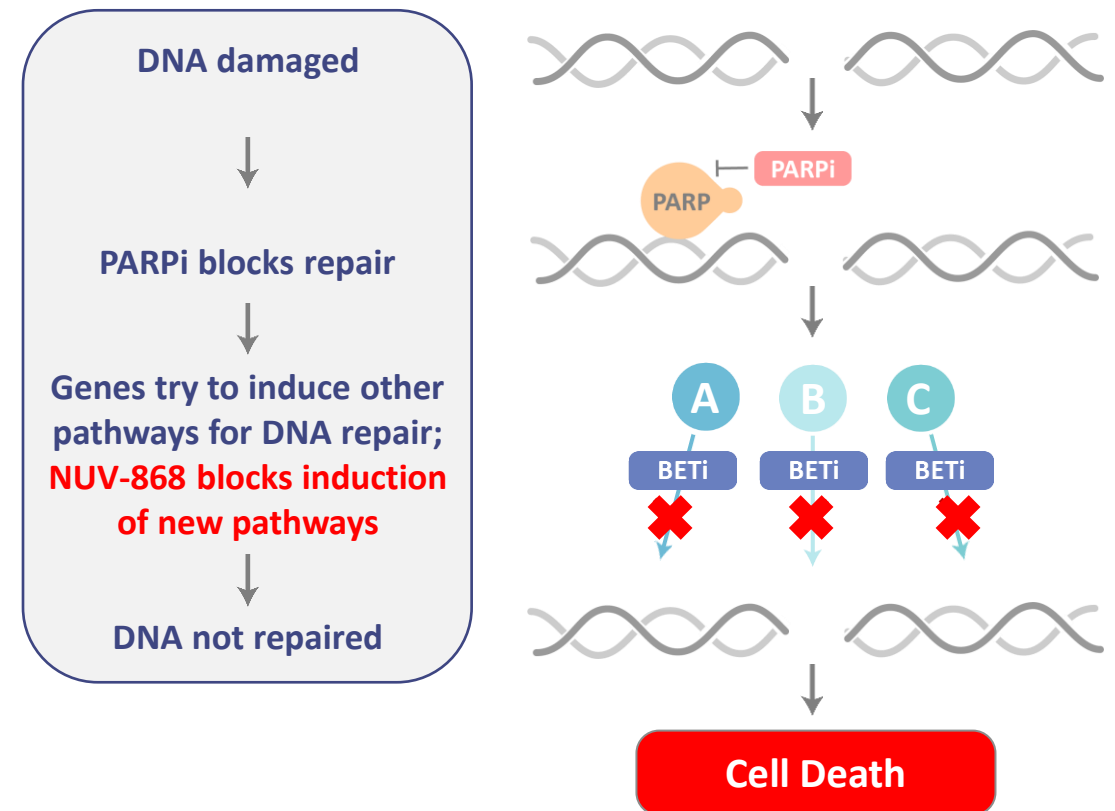
Limitations of PARP inhibition

- Genes will find other ways to repair themselves even in presence of PARP inhibitors; repaired DNA leads to cancer growth



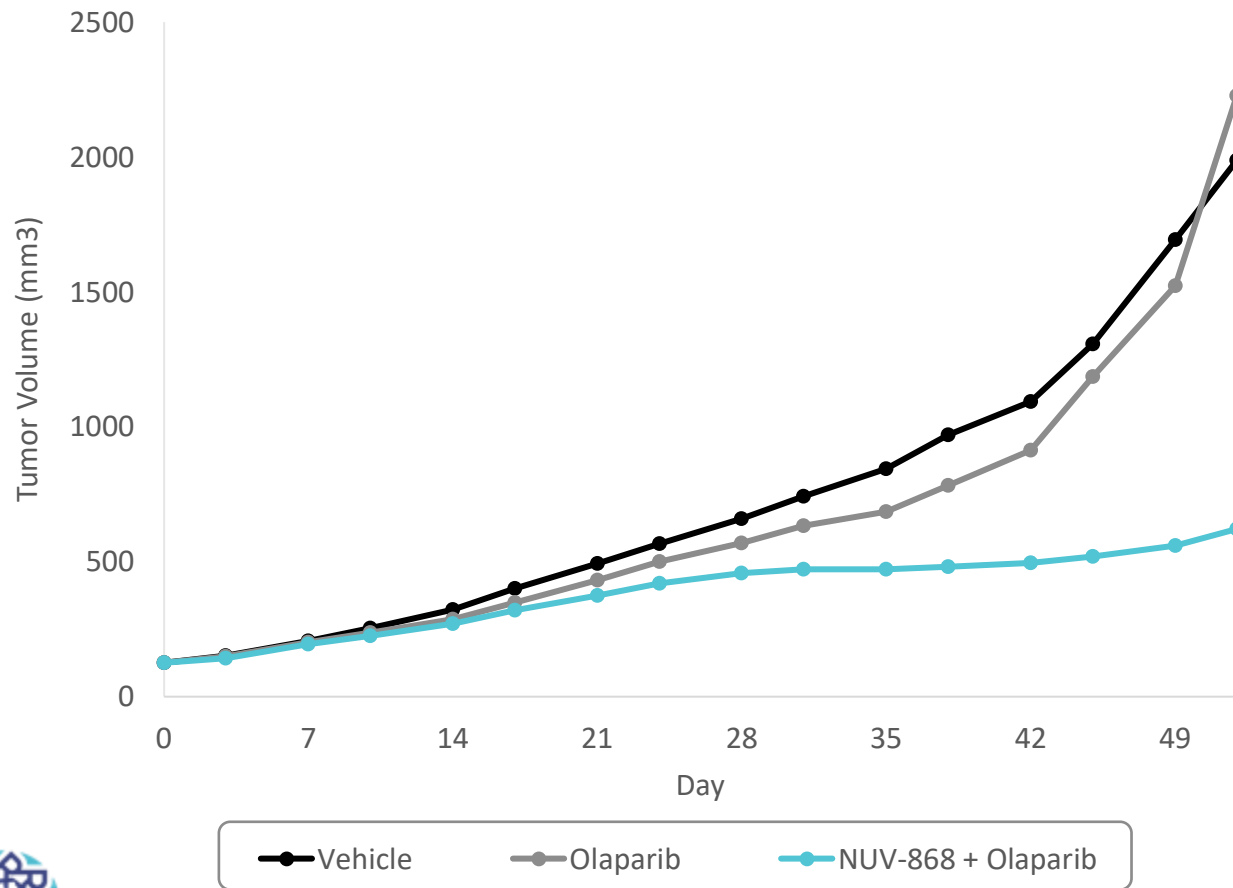
Benefits of PARP and BET inhibition in combination

- BET inhibitors prevent genes from inducing other repair pathways to combat PARP inhibition, resulting in cell death



NUV-868 increases effectiveness of olaparib in HR proficient ovarian cancer xenografts: Does NUV-868 inhibit induction of DNA repair pathways?

HR-proficient ovarian cell line xenograft



Tumor DNA damage

Vehicle

γ H2AX

GAPDH

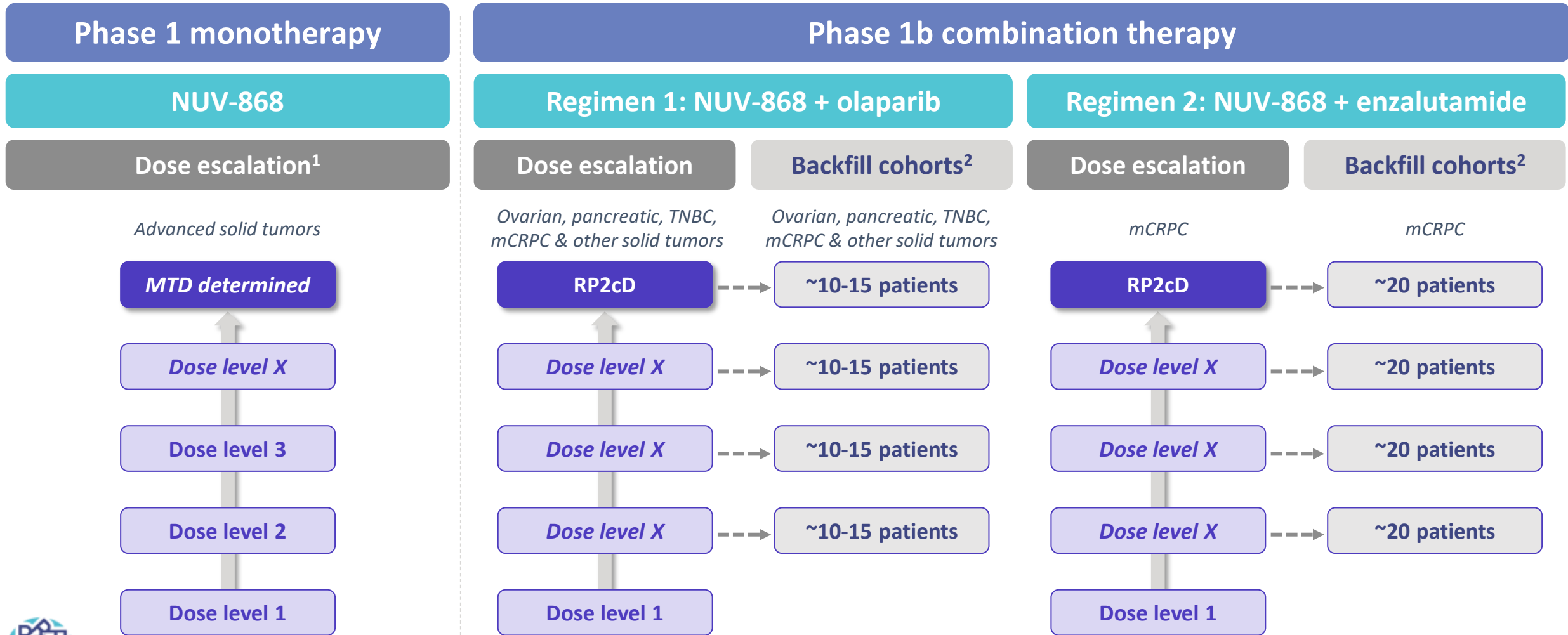
NUV-868 + olaparib

γ H2AX

GAPDH



Modified NUV-868 Phase 1 and Phase 1b development plan expedites ability to reach a larger number of patients and determine RP2D/RP2cD



1. Treatment in Phase 1 monotherapy dose escalation study completed; Maximum Tolerated Dose determined; 2. Backfill cohorts to include ~10-15 patients per tumor type. MTD: Maximum Tolerated Dose; RP2D: Recommended Phase 2 dose; RP2cD: Recommended Phase 2 combination dose; mCRPC: Metastatic castration-resistant prostate cancer; TNBC: Triple-negative breast cancer.

Phase 2 study will evaluate NUV-868 in combination with olaparib and enzalutamide in six solid-tumor specific expansion cohorts

Regimen 1: NUV-868 + olaparib

- 1 Ovarian cancer
- 2 Pancreatic cancer
- 3 TNBC
- 4 mCRPC

Regimen 2: NUV-868 + enzalutamide

- 5 Enzalutamide-naïve mCRPC
Randomized to:
 - 1) NUV-868 monotherapy
 - 2) Enzalutamide monotherapy
 - 3) NUV-868 + enzalutamide
- 6 Enzalutamide-treated mCRPC



Drug-Drug Conjugate (DDC) Platform

Advanced Solid
Tumors

Phase 1 study ongoing



The drug-drug conjugate (DDC) platform is a potentially revolutionary advance beyond ADCs

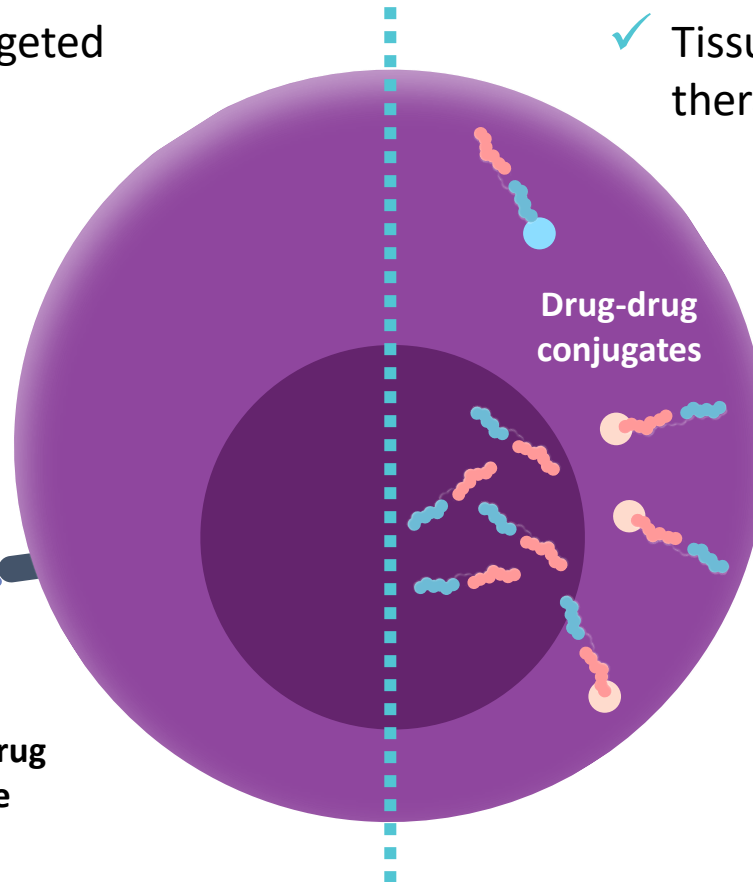
Antibody-drug conjugates

- ✓ Improves therapeutic index vs. untargeted warhead
- ✗ IV delivery
- ✗ Limited to cell-surface targets
- ✗ Complex and expensive CMC



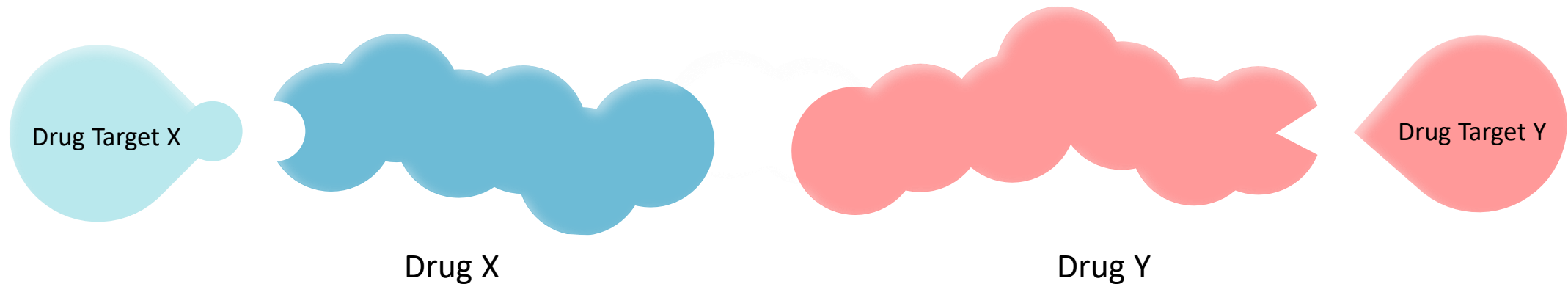
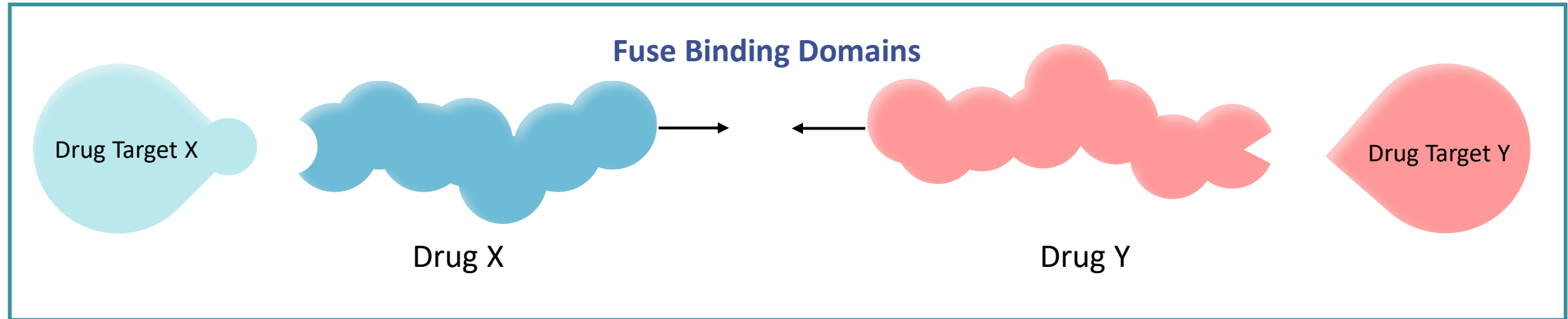
Drug-drug conjugates

- ✓ Tissue-selective targeting improves therapeutic index vs. untargeted warhead
- ✓ Oral or IV delivery
- ✓ Binds intracellular and cell membrane targets
- ✓ Highly cell permeable
- ✓ Simpler and less expensive to manufacture



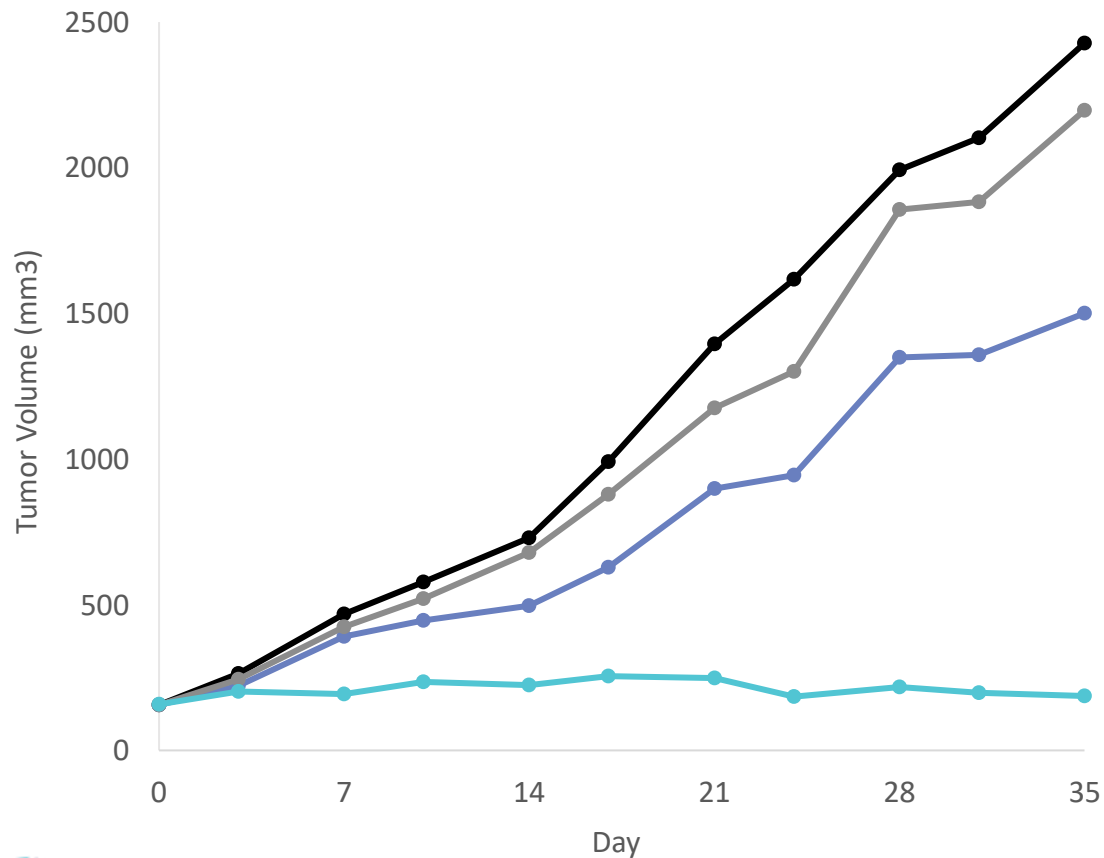
DDCs are designed to bind TWO different targets simultaneously

Two separate drugs with two separate targets

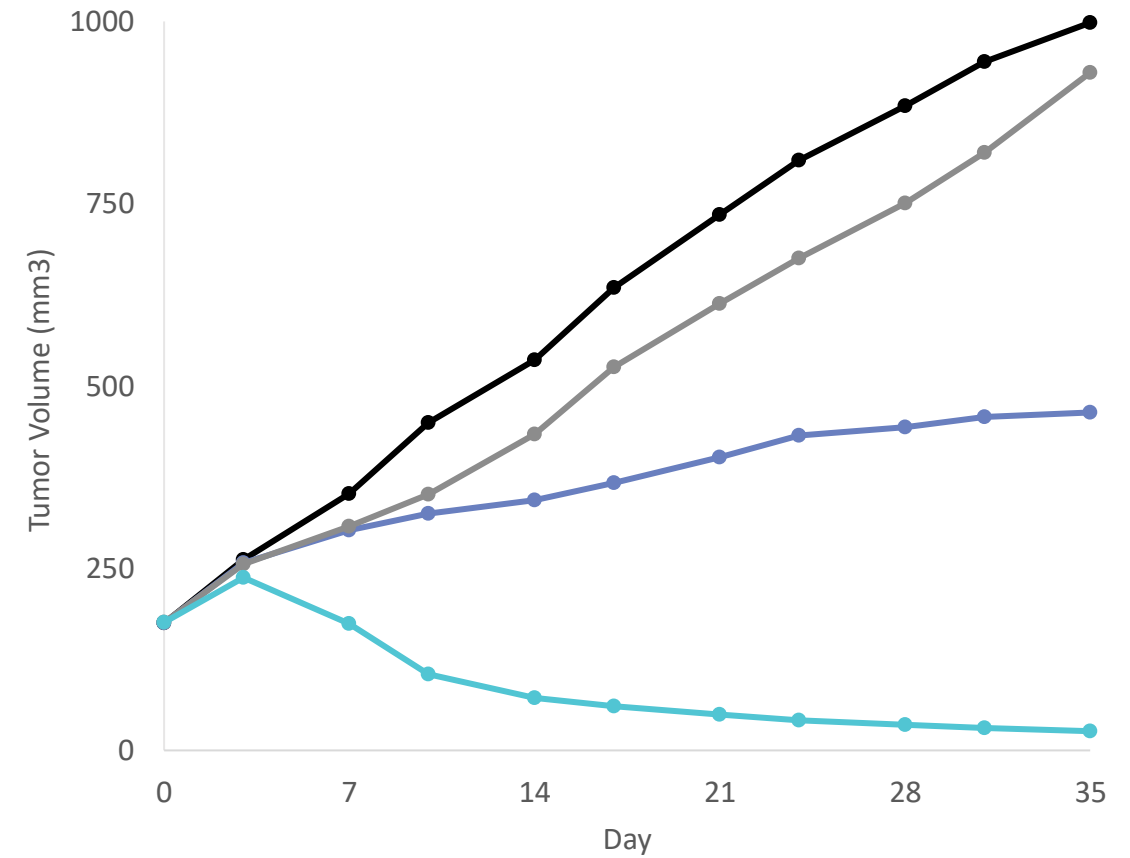


NUV-1511, a DDC derivative of a widely used chemo agent, suppresses prostate and breast cancer growth in xenografts

Prostate cancer CDX (LNCAP)



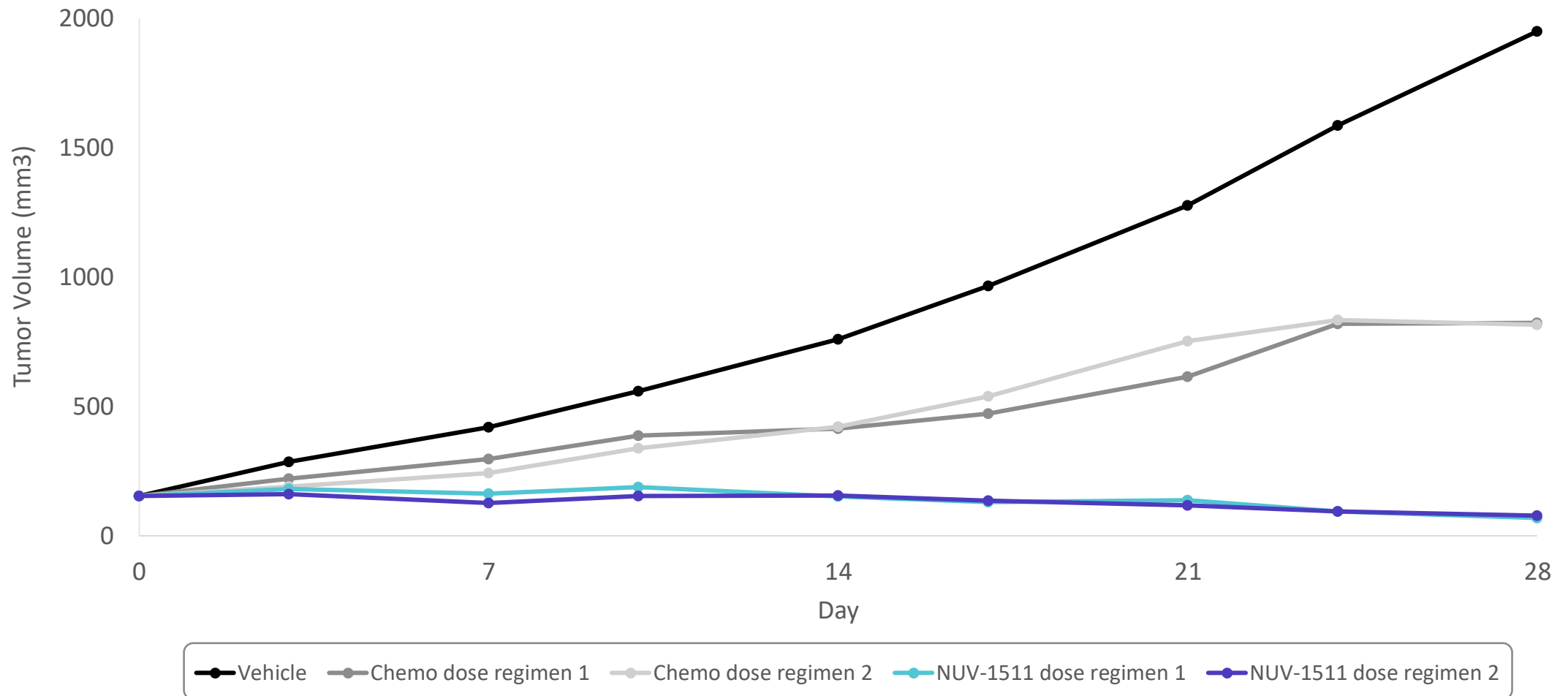
ER+ Breast cancer CDX (T47D)



ER: Estrogen receptor.

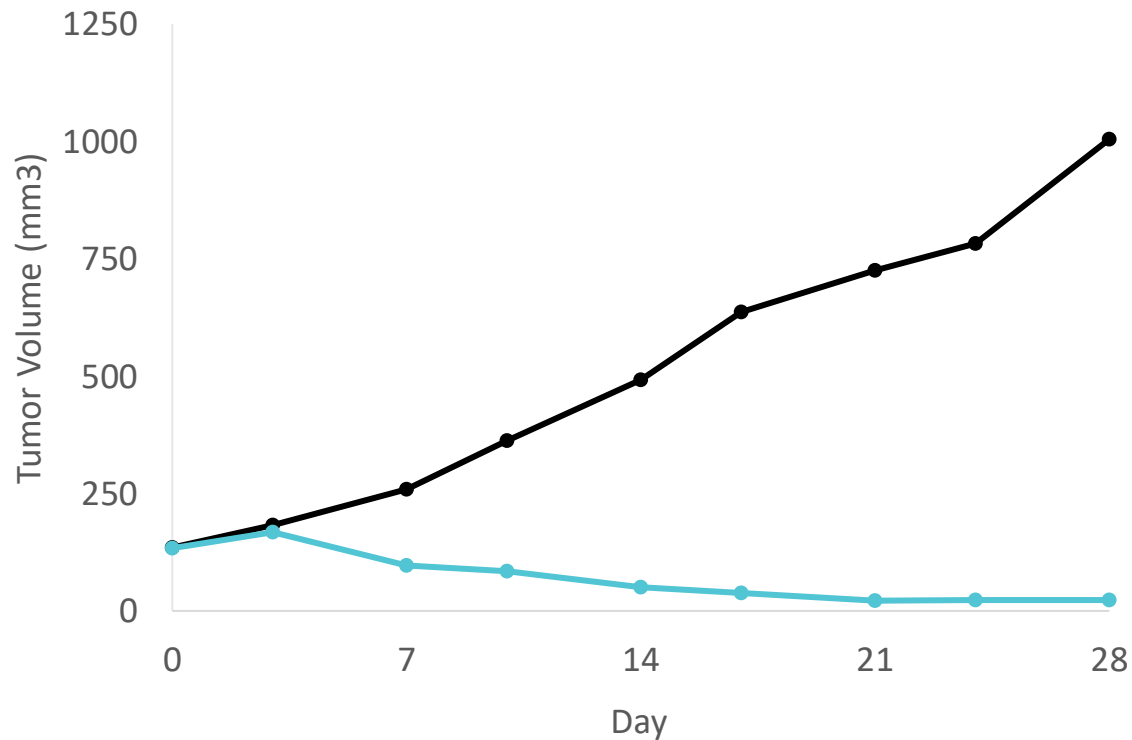
● Vehicle ● Chemo ● NUV-1511 ligand ● NUV-1511 dose regimen 2

Intermittent dosing of NUV-1511 leads to sustained tumor inhibition for weeks



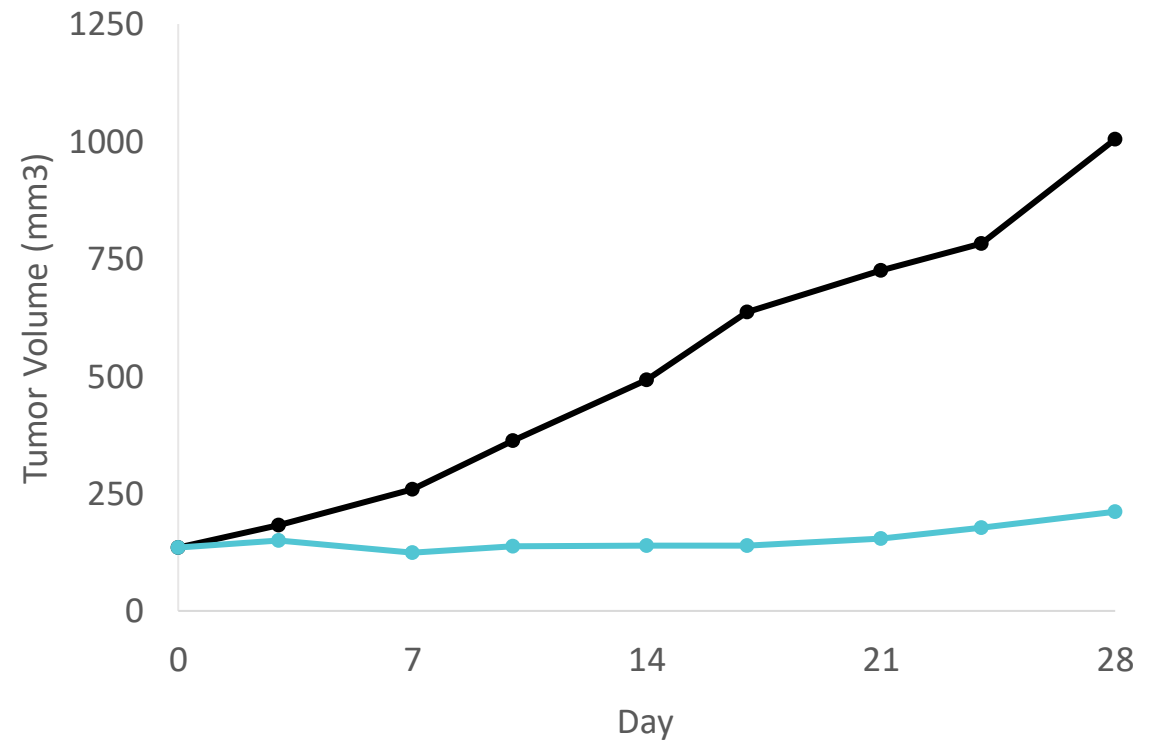
Other novel DDCs also cause tumor regression in various xenograft models

DDC #2: ER+ Breast cancer CDX (T47D)



● Vehicle ● DDC #2

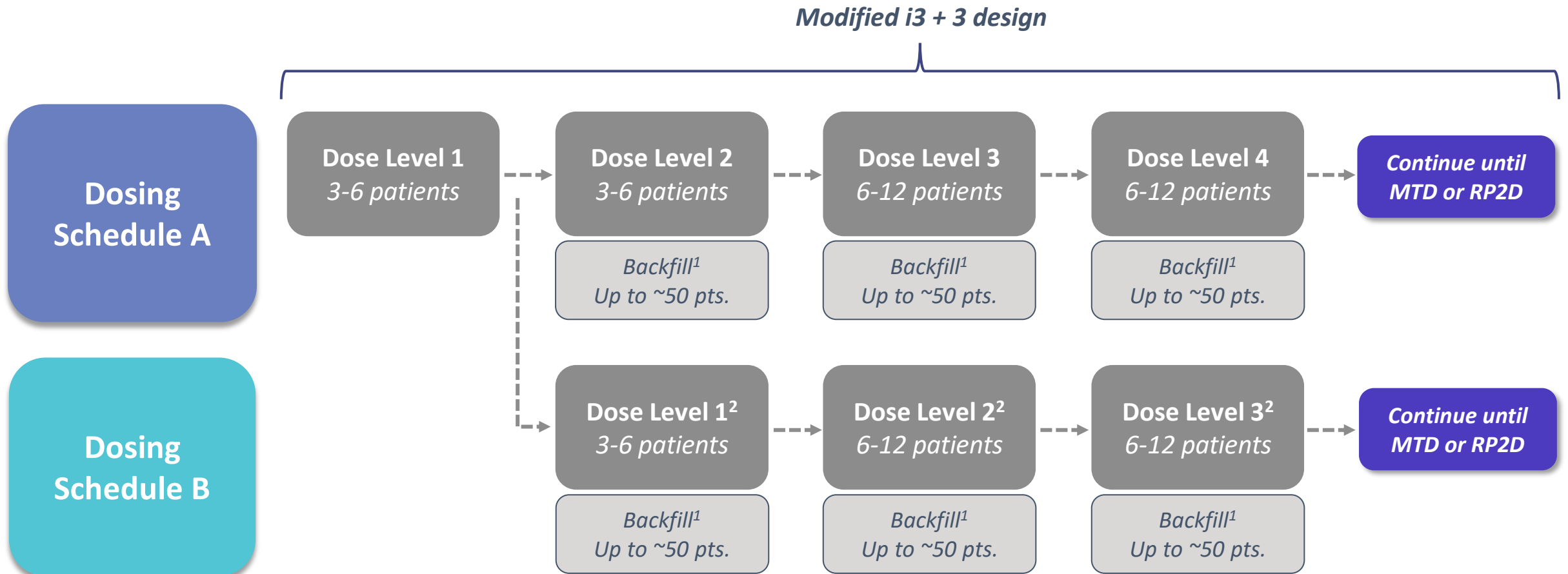
DDC #3: HR+ Breast cancer CDX (T47D)



● Vehicle ● DDC #3



NUV-1511 Phase 1 study protocol provides flexibility to explore two dosing schedules while efficiently determining a RP2D



1. Nuvation will determine when and if to open backfill cohort(s); 2. Nuvation in consultation with Dose Escalation Committee will decide when to open Dosing Schedule B cohorts.
MTD: Maximum Tolerated Dose; RP2D: Recommended Phase 2 dose.

Committed team tackling the greatest unmet needs in oncology



Experienced biotech leadership team

- Founded in 2018 by Dr. David Hung, previously the founder and CEO of Medivation and successful developer of major oncology drugs (XTANDI & TALZENNA)



Broad wholly-owned pipeline

- **NUV-868, a BD2-selective BET inhibitor:** Completed Phase 1 monotherapy study; Phase 1b combination studies ongoing
- **NUV-1511, our first DDC clinical candidate:** Phase 1 dose escalation study ongoing
- Comprehensive IP protection



Best-in-class drug candidate profiles leveraging and improving validated drug mechanisms

- Potential for better efficacy and tolerability
- Mechanisms that target multiple tumor types



Strong cash position

- \$611.2 million as of December 31, 2023 provides cash runway through 2028
- Enables a world-class drug development team to rapidly pursue clinical development of multiple portfolio therapeutic candidates

