

**UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549**

FORM 8-K

**CURRENT REPORT
Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d)
of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): February 11, 2026

Tempest Therapeutics, Inc.

(Exact name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

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| Delaware (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation) | 001-35890 (Commission File Number) | 45-1472564 (IRS Employer Identification No.) |
| 2000 Sierra Point Parkway, Suite 400 Brisbane, California (Address of Principal Executive Offices) | | 94005 (Zip Code) |

Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code: (415) 798-8589

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
- Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

| Title of each class | Trading Symbol(s) | Name of each exchange on which registered |
|--|----------------------|--|
| Common Stock, \$0.001 par value | TPST | The Nasdaq Stock Market LLC |
| Series A Junior Participating Preferred Purchase Rights | N/A | The Nasdaq Stock Market LLC |

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§ 230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§ 240.12b-2 of this chapter).

Emerging growth company

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.

Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure

On February 11, 2026, Tempest Therapeutics, Inc. (the “Company”) intends to post an updated corporate presentation, dated February 2026, to the “News, Events & Presentations” subsection of the “Investors” tab on the Company’s website at www.tempestx.com. A copy of the corporate presentation is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated by reference into this Item 7.01.

The foregoing information (including Exhibit 99.1 hereto) is being furnished and shall not be deemed “filed” for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

| Exhibit No. | Description |
|--------------------|---|
| 99.1 | Investor Presentation dated February 2026 |
| 104 | Cover Page Interactive Data File (embedded within the Inline XBRL document) |

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

TEMPEST THERAPEUTICS, INC.

Date: February 11, 2026

By: /s/ Matthew Angel

Name: Matthew Angel

Title: Chief Executive Officer



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THERAPEUTICS

Accelerating the Development of Advanced Therapies for Cancer Patients

February 2026

Forward Looking Statements

This presentation contains forward-looking statements (including within the meaning of Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, and Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Securities Act") concerning Tempest Therapeutics, Inc. ("Tempest Therapeutics"). These statements may discuss goals, intentions and expectations as to future plans, trends, events, results of operations or financial condition, or otherwise, based on current beliefs of the management of Tempest Therapeutics, as well as assumptions made by, and information currently available to, management of Tempest Therapeutics. Forward-looking statements generally include statements that are predictive in nature and depend upon or refer to future events or conditions, and include words such as "may," "will," "should," "would," "could," "expect," "anticipate," "plan," "likely," "believe," "estimate," "project," "intend," and other similar expressions. All statements that are not historical facts are forward-looking statements, including any statements regarding: the potential benefits of Tempest Therapeutics' expanded oncology pipeline; the design, initiation, progress, timing, scope and results of clinical trials; the anticipated therapeutic benefit, opportunity to improve patient care, and regulatory development of Tempest Therapeutics' product candidates; Tempest Therapeutics' ability to deliver on potential value-creating milestones; the potential use of Tempest Therapeutics' product candidates to treat additional indications; Tempest Therapeutics' ability to achieve its operational plans; and the sufficiency of Tempest Therapeutics' cash and cash equivalents. Forward-looking statements are based on current beliefs and assumptions that are subject to risks and uncertainties and are not guarantees of future performance. Actual results could differ materially from those contained in any forward-looking statement as a result of various factors, including, without limitation: Tempest Therapeutics' strategies, prospects, plans, expectations or objectives for future operations; the progress, scope or timing of the development of Tempest Therapeutics' product candidates; the benefits that may be derived from any future products or the commercial or market opportunity with respect to any of Tempest Therapeutics' future products; Tempest Therapeutics' ability to protect its intellectual property rights; Tempest Therapeutics' anticipated operations, financial position, ability to raise capital to fund operations, revenues, costs or expenses; statements regarding future economic conditions or performance; statements of belief and any statement of assumptions underlying any of the foregoing. These and other factors that may cause actual results to differ from those expressed or implied are discussed in greater detail in the "Risk Factors" section of the company's Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) on November 5, 2025, as well as in other filings the company may make with the SEC in the future. Except as required by applicable law, Tempest Therapeutics undertakes no obligation to revise or update any forward-looking statement, or to make any other forward-looking statements, whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise. These forward-looking statements should not be relied upon as representing Tempest Therapeutics' views as of any date subsequent to the date of this press release and should not be relied upon as prediction of future events. In light of the foregoing, investors are urged not to rely on any forward-looking statement in reaching any conclusion or making any investment decision about any securities of Tempest Therapeutics.

This presentation discusses product candidates that are under clinical study and which have not yet been approved for marketing by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration. No representation is made as to the safety or effectiveness of these product candidates for the use for which such product candidates are being studied.

This presentation incorporates publicly-available third-party data that Tempest Therapeutics has not independently verified. There are risks inherent in conducting cross-trial comparisons and the results should be interpreted with caution. The presentation of such third-party data does not represent a head-to-head comparison of how TPST-2003 performed against any other third-party drug candidate or study. Rather, such third-party data has been pulled by us from publicly-available sources for supplemental informational purposes, only. Tempest Therapeutics cautions you that any comparisons against third-party data set forth herein should not be viewed as a side-by-side comparison, and you should not rely on the completeness or accuracy of Tempest Therapeutics' presentation of the results of any third-party drug candidate in these slides, due to differences in study design, how other companies quantify or qualify eligibility criteria, and how results are recorded, among other distinguishing factors and uncertainties. Because Tempest Therapeutics may be unaware of or may not adequately present various distinguishing factors and uncertainties, the comparisons set forth herein may not properly present such third-party data, which may differ materially from the data as presented here. Investors are encouraged to independently review third party data and should not rely on Tempest Therapeutics' presentation of such data (including any such data placed in comparison with the performance of TPST-2003) as a single measure to evaluate Tempest Therapeutics' business. The trademarks included herein are the property of the owners thereof and are used for reference purposes only. Such use should not be construed as an endorsement of such products.



Partner-Funded Development Driving Diversified Oncology Pipeline with Capital Discipline

Enables de-risked, data-driven deployment of internal capital

| | Indication(s) | DEVELOPMENT STAGE ¹ | | | | | Advanced By: |
|---|---------------|--|-------------|--------------|---------|---------|----------------------|
| | | Discovery | Preclinical | IND-Enabling | Phase 1 | Phase 2 | |
| Amezalpat PPAR α Antagonist | 1L HCC | [Progress bar spanning Discovery, Preclinical, IND-Enabling, Phase 1, and Phase 2] | | | | | Potential BD Partner |
| TPST-2003 CD19/BCMA Dual CAR-T | rrMM | [Progress bar spanning Discovery, Preclinical, IND-Enabling, and Phase 1] | | | | | Novatim |
| TPST-1495 Dual EP2/4 Antagonist | FAP | [Progress bar spanning Discovery, Preclinical, IND-Enabling, and Phase 1] | | | | | NCI |
| TPST-2206 CD70/CD70 Dual CAR-T | RCC | [Progress bar spanning Discovery and Preclinical] | | | | | Novatim |
| TPST-3003 Universal (Allogeneic) CD19/BCMA Dual CAR-T | rrMM, SLE | [Progress bar spanning Discovery] | | | | | Novatim |
| TPST-3206 Universal (Allogeneic) CD70/CD70 Dual CAR-T | RCC | [Progress bar spanning Discovery] | | | | | Novatim |
| TPST-4003 In vivo (mRNA LNP) CD19/BCMA Dual CAR-T | SLE | [Progress bar spanning Discovery] | | | | | Novatim |



¹ For amezalpat, Phase 3 timelines are subject to a partnership and/or separate funding. TPST-1495 Phase 2 to be operationalized by the Cancer Prevention Network of the National Cancer Institute ("NCI"). TPST-2003, TPST-2206, TPST-3003, TPST-3206, and TPST-4003 clinical development in China to be operationalized by Novatim Immune Therapeutics (Zhejiang) Co., Ltd. "RCC" renal cancer; "HCC" hepatocellular carcinoma; "CCA" cholangiocarcinoma; "FAP" familial adenomatous polyposis; "FPI" First Patient In; "rrMM" relapsed/refractor multiple myeloma, "SLE" lupus.

Selected Potential Value-Inflecting Milestones through Q4 2027

| | 2026 | | | | 2027 | | | |
|---|--|---|---|--|--|---|---|---|
| | Q1 | Q2 | Q3 | Q4 | Q1 | Q2 | Q3 | Q4 |
| TPST-2003 CD19/BCMA Dual CAR-T r/r Multiple Myeloma with EMD | IIT and Phase 1 (China) results Tech transfer start | | Tech transfer complete Pre-IND (U.S.) | Phase 2b (China registrational) enrollment start File IND (U.S.) | Phase 2b (U.S. registrational) enrollment start | Phase 2b (China registrational) interim data | Phase 2b (U.S. registrational) interim data | File BLA (China) |
| TPST-2206 CD70/CD70 Dual CAR-T Renal Cell Carcinoma | | Phase 1 (China) enrollment start | | Phase 1 (China) interim data readout | | Phase 1 (China) results | | Phase 2b (China registrational) enrollment start |
| TPST-3003 Universal CD19/BCMA Dual CAR-T r/r Multiple Myeloma | | | IIT enrollment start | | IIT data readout | | File IND (U.S.) | Phase 1 (U.S.) enrollment start |
| TPST-4003 In vivo CD19/BCMA Dual CAR-T SLE | | IIT enrollment start | | IIT data readout | | File IND (U.S.) | Phase 1 (U.S.) enrollment start | |

All activities shown above in bold are 100% funded by strategic partner

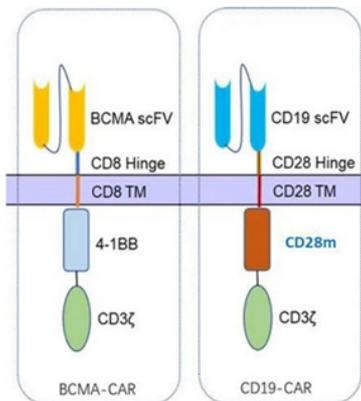
TPST-2003

Dual Targeting CD19/BCMA CAR-T

TPST-2003 CD19/BCMA CAR-T¹

TPST-2003 is the world's first parallel-structure dual-target CAR-T cell therapy focused on rrMM with EMD

Dual-target CAR-T structure

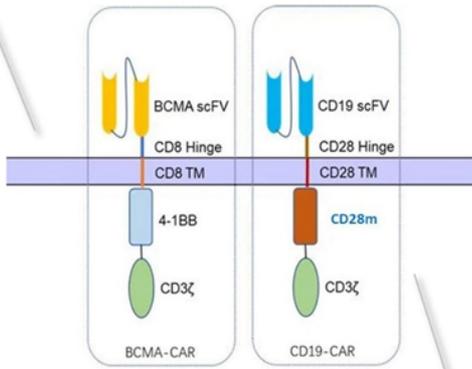
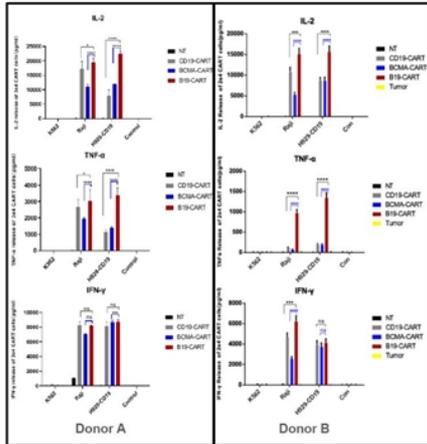


- rrMM (with extramedullary disease) (N=15): PET ORR 86.7% (13/15) Best in class
- The incidence of \geq grade 3 CRS was 4.3%, and the incidence of \geq grade 3 ICANS was 8.7% (IIT)
- No DLTs were observed and clinical data showed a favorable safety profile
- Completed Phase 1/2a clinical trial with Peking Union Medical College Hospital as the core unit
- IIT on Autoimmune Diseases is coming soon
- Planning to submit China BLA in 2027
- Planning to be included in breakthrough therapy category
- The autologous CAR-T product with the greatest potential to be included in China's national medical insurance
- Data from Phase 1 dose expansion expected 2026

TPST-2003 Dual CAR-T for rrMM: CD19/BCMA Dual Targeting

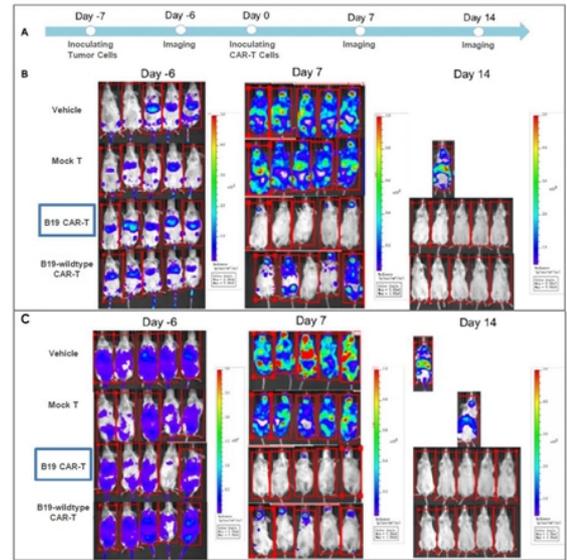
- **Dual-target**
Mitigate antigen escape
- **Parallel structure**
Ensure stable expression of dual targets

◆ high levels of cytokine release



□ **CD28 co-stimulatory domain mutation** reduces CAR-T cell exhaustion, Ensure sustained T cell persistence

◆ Significantly inhibits tumor growth in CDX model



B: Nalm6-luc CDX model
C: Nalm6-luc + H929-luc CDX model

TPST-2003 Dual CAR-T for rrMM: IIT Study Design

Multicenter, open label, IIT study

FPI Jan.2021, LPI Jun.2024, Patients continued to be assessed for response

Data cut-off Jul.25th,2024, Efficacy evaluable patients N=23, Safety Set N=20, PKPS N=20

Key Inclusion criteria

- Relapsed / Refractory Multiple Myeloma (R/R MM)
- R/R MM pts with ≥ 1 prior lines of therapy including proteasome inhibitor (PI), and immunomodulatory drug (IMiDs), and/or anti-CD38

Primary endpoint:

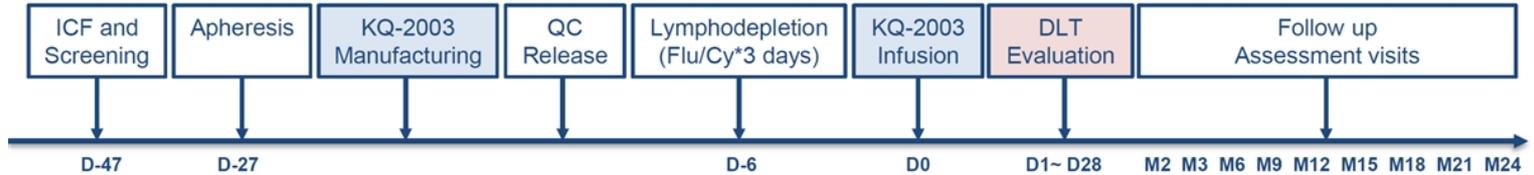
- AE and SAE
- Clinical recommended dose

Secondary endpoint:

- PK/PD
- PFS, ORR, DoR, DCR, OS

Dose Level:

- DL1: 1.0×10^6 CAR-T cells/kg
- DL2: 2.0×10^6 CAR-T cells/kg
- DL3: 3.0×10^6 CAR-T cells/kg



PKPS: Pharmacokinetics Parameter Set; AE: Adverse Event; SAE: Serious Adverse Event; PFS: Progression Free Survival; ORR: Objective Response Rate; DoR: Duration of Response; DCR: Disease Control Rate; OS: Overall Survival; ICF: Informed Consent Form; QC: Quality control



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TPST-2003 Dual CAR-T for rrMM: Baseline Characteristics

| Baseline Characteristics | Total (N=23) |
|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Median age (range) | 64 (52-77) |
| Male, n(%) | 12 (52.2) |
| ECOG performance-status score, n(%) | |
| ■ 0 | 14 (60.9) |
| ■ 1 | 8 (34.8) |
| ■ 2 | 1 (4.3) |
| Type of myeloma, n(%) | |
| ■ IgG | 13 (56.5) |
| ■ IgA | 6 (26.1) |
| ■ IgD | 1 (4.3) |
| ■ Light chain | 3 (13.0) |
| High-risk profile ^a , n(%) | 12/19^c (63.2) |
| Double-hit ^b , n(%) | 4/19 (21.1) |

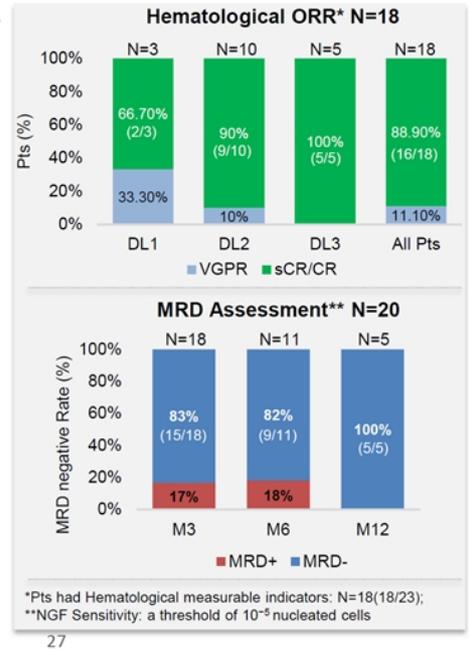
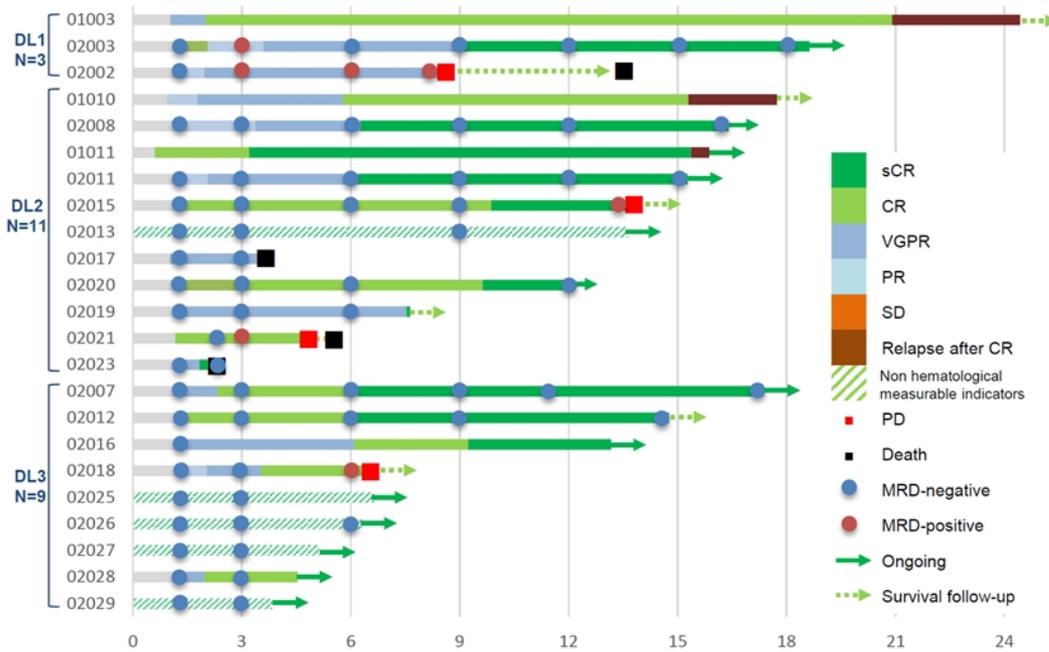
| Baseline Characteristics | Total (N=23) |
|-------------------------------------|------------------|
| Median prior lines of therapy, n(%) | 5 (2-11) |
| Prior auto-SCT, n(%) | 9 (39.1) |
| Refractory, n(%) | |
| ■ PI refractory | 23 (100) |
| ■ IMiD refractory | 23 (100) |
| ■ Triple-refractory | 21 (91.3) |
| ■ Quadru-refractory | 16 (69.6) |
| ■ Penta-refractory | 6 (26.1) |
| Extramedullary disease, n(%) | 14 (60.9) |
| Bridging therapy | 18 (78.3) |
| Refractory to last therapy | 18 (78.3) |

^a FISH By mSMART 3.0

^b By presence two of del(17p), t(4;14),t(14;16),t(14;20),gain 1q, or p53 mutation

^c The rest 4 pts (all with EMD) without clonal plasma cells in BM at baseline for FISH analysis

TPST-2003 Dual CAR-T for rrMM: Hematological Response



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 *sCR" stringent complete response, "CR" complete response, "VGPR" very good partial response, "PR" partial response, "SD" stable disease, "PD" progressive disease, "MRD" minimal residual disease, "ORR" objective response rate, "Pts" patients

TPST-2003 Dual CAR-T for rrMM: EMD Patient Baseline Characteristics

| Baseline Characteristics | Total (N=14) |
|---------------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Median age (range) | 60 (54-73) |
| Male, n(%) | 5 (35.7) |
| ECOG performance-status score | |
| ■ 0 | 8 (57.1) |
| ■ 1 | 5 (35.7) |
| ■ 2 | 1 (7.1) |
| Type of myeloma, n(%) | |
| ■ IgG | 8 (57.1) |
| ■ IgA | 4 (28.6) |
| ■ Light chain | 2 (14.3) |
| High-risk profile ^a , n(%) | 8/10^c (80) |
| Double-hit ^b , n(%) | 1/10 (10) |

^a FISH By mSMART 3.0

^b By presence two of del(17p), t(4;14),t(14;16),t(14;20),gain 1q, or p53 mutation

^c The rest 4 pts without clonal plasma cells in BM at baseline for FISH analysis

| Baseline Characteristics | Total (N=14) |
|---|------------------|
| Median prior lines of therapy (range) | 6 (2-11) |
| Prior auto-SCT, n(%) | 5 (35.7) |
| Refractory, n(%) | |
| ■ PI refractory | 14 (100) |
| ■ IMiD refractory | 14 (100) |
| ■ Triple-refractory | 14 (100) |
| ■ Quadru-refractory | 10 (71.4) |
| ■ Penta-refractory | 3 (21.4) |
| Without hematological measurable indicators | 5 (37.5) |
| EMD | |
| ■ Extramedullary Extrasosseous (EM-E) | 7 (50.0) |
| ■ Extramedullary-bone related (EM-B) | 5 (35.7) |
| ■ Both | 2 (14.3) |
| Bridging therapy, n(%) | 13 (92.9) |
| Refractory to last therapy | 10 (71.4) |



TPST-2003 Dual CAR-T for rrMM: EMD PET Response

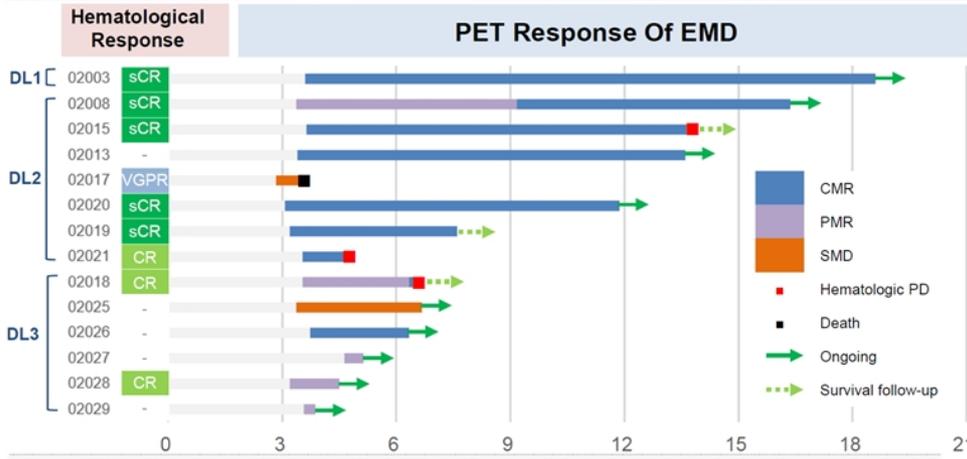
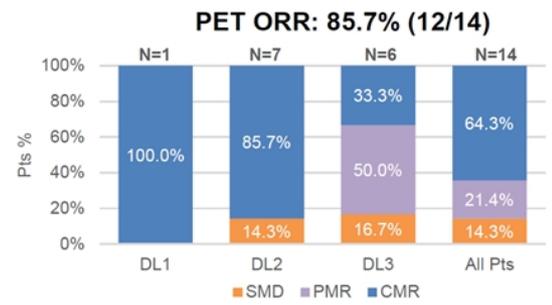


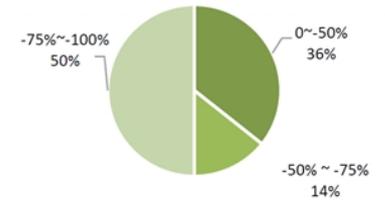
TABLE 7. Proposed Refinement of PET Response Criteria After Therapy

| PET Response After Therapy | Response Criteria |
|-------------------------------|---|
| Complete metabolic response | Uptake \leq liver activity in BM sites and FLs previously involved (including extramedullary and paramedullary disease (DS score 1-3)) |
| Partial metabolic response | Decrease in number and/or activity of BM/FLs present at baseline, but persistence of lesion(s) with uptake > liver activity (DS score 4 or 5) |
| Stable metabolic disease | No significant change in BM/FLs compared with baseline |
| Progressive metabolic disease | New FLs compared with baseline consistent with myeloma |

Abbreviations: BM, bone marrow; DS, Deauville scale; FL, focal lesion; PET, positron emission tomography.



Best Reduction Size of soft tissue plasmacytomas



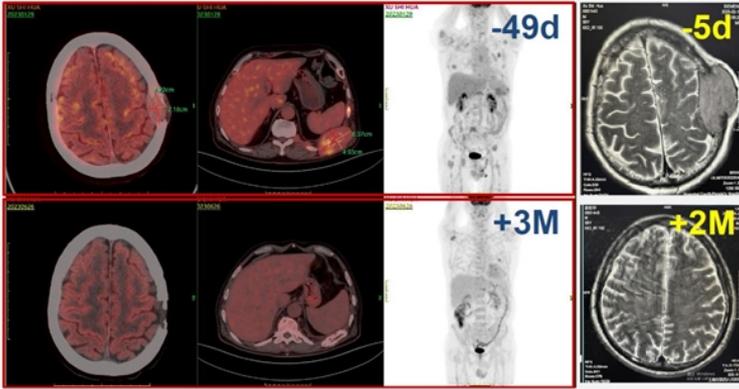
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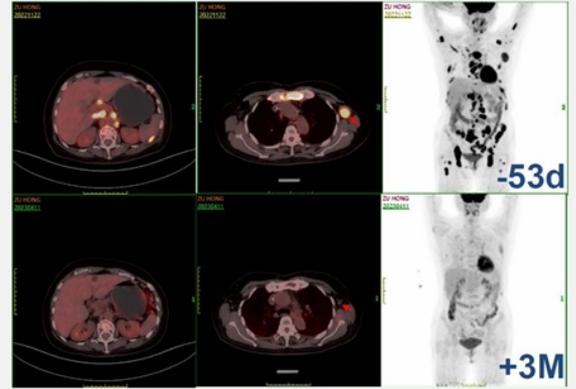
TPST-2003 Dual CAR-T for rrMM: EMD PET Response

Case-02008 58-yo male Penta-refractory, 11 prior LOT



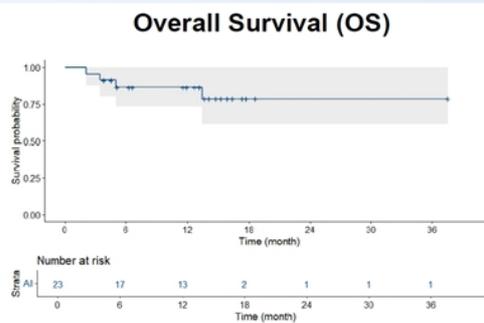
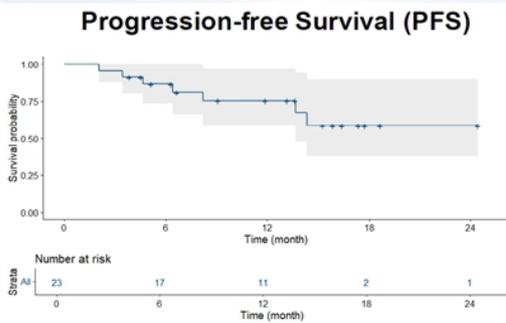
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Case-02003 55-yo female Quad-refractory, 5 prior LOT



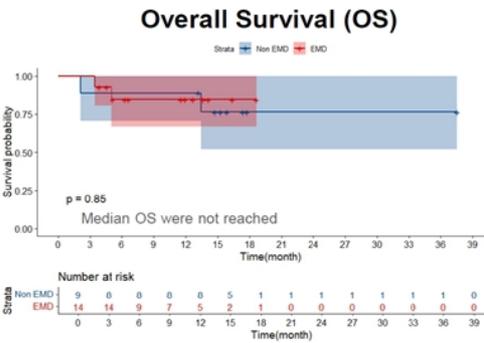
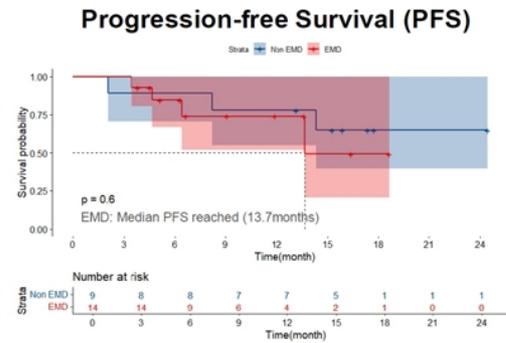
M3: VGPR & CMR → M9: sCR MRD- & CMR for 23+ mos

TPST-2003 Dual CAR-T for rrMM: Survival



| N=23 | 6-mo rates (95%CI) | 12-mo rates (95%CI) |
|------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| PFS | 86.5% (73.4%-100%) | 75.3% (58.4%-97.0%) |
| OS | 86.2% (72.8%-100%) | 86.2% (72.8%-97.0%) |

Median follow-up: 13.7 months (2.1-35.2)
Median PFS and OS were not reached



| Non-EMD: N=9 EMD: N=14 | 6-mo rates (95%CI) | 12-mo rates (95%CI) |
|---------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| PFS | 88.9% (70.6%-100%) | 77.8% (54.9%-97.0%) |
| | 84.4% (66.6%-100%) | 73.9% (51.9%-97.0%) |
| OS | 88.9% (70.6%-100%) | 84.4% (66.6%-97.0%) |
| | 88.9% (70.6%-100%) | 84.4% (66.6%-97.0%) |

Median follow-up: 13.7 months
Non-EMD Median PFS were not reached
Median OS were not reached
EMD: Extramedullary Disease



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TPST-2003 Dual CAR-T for rrMM: Safety Profile

| N=20 | TEAEs ¹ (n,%) | TEAEs Gr ≥ 3 (n,%) | TRAEs (n,%) | TRAEs Gr ≥ 3 (n,%) |
|--|-----------------------------|-----------------------|----------------|-----------------------|
| Hematologic (TEAEs ≥ 5% All Grades) | | | | |
| Leukopenia | 17(85.0) | 14(70.0) | 16(80.0) | 12(60.0) |
| Thrombocytopenia | 17(85.0) | 8(40.0) | 16(80.0) | 6(30.0) |
| Anemia | 16(80.0) | 8(40.0) | 15(75.0) | 6(30.0) |
| Neutropenia | 16(80.0) | 10(50.0) | 15(75.0) | 9(45.0) |
| Lymphopenia | 16(80.0) | 16(80.0) | 14(70.0) | 11(55.0) |
| Non-Hematologic (TEAEs ≥ 5% All Grades) | | | | |
| LDH increase | 16(80.0) | 0 | 7(35.0) | 0 |
| Hyperferritinaemia | 15(75.0) | 0 | 14(70.0) | 0 |
| Elevated D-dimer | 13(65.0) | 0 | 13(65.0) | 0 |
| Hypoalbuminemia | 11(55.0) | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Urinary tract infection | 8(40.0) | 2(10.0) | 2(10.0) | 0 |
| AAT increase | 8(40.0) | 0 | 8(40.0) | 0 |
| Hypogammaglobulinaemia | 12(60.0) | 0 | 12(60.0) | 0 |
| Diarrhoea | 7(35.0) | 0 | 2(10.0) | 0 |
| FDP increase | 8(40.0) | 0 | 8(40.0) | 0 |
| AST increase | 8(40.0) | 0 | 8(40.0) | 0 |
| Pneumonia | 8(40.0) | 6(30.0) | 5(25.0) | 4(20.0) |
| Prolonged PT | 6(30.0) | 0 | 6(30.0) | 0 |
| Hypokalemia | 4(20.0) | 3(15.0) | 3(15.0) | 1(5.0) |
| Upper respiratory infection | 4(20.0) | 1(5.0) | 0 | 0 |
| Hypofibrinogenemia | 4(20.0) | 0 | 4(20.0) | 0 |

| N=20 | CRS ² (n,%) | ICANS (n,%) |
|------------------|------------------------|-----------------|
| Grade 1-2 | 17 (85.0) | 3 (15.0) |
| Grade 3 | 1 (5.0) | 2 (10.0) |
| Grade 4-5 | 0 (0) | 0 (0) |
| All Grade | 18 (90.0) | 5 (25.0) |

| CRS any grade | Median (days) | Min, Max (days) |
|---------------|---------------|-----------------|
| Time to onset | 4 | 1, 9 |
| Duration | 4 | 2, 15 |

| ICANS any grade | Median (days) | Min, Max (days) |
|-----------------|---------------|-----------------|
| Time to onset | 10 | 8, 23 |
| Duration | 3 | 1, 9 |

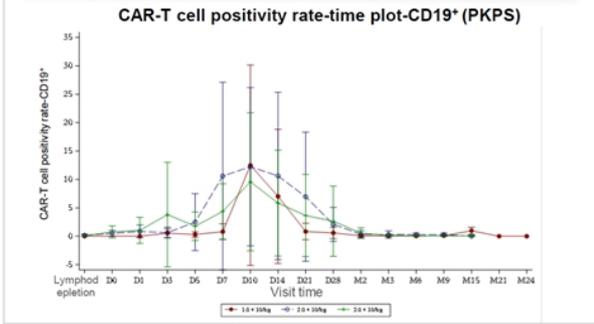
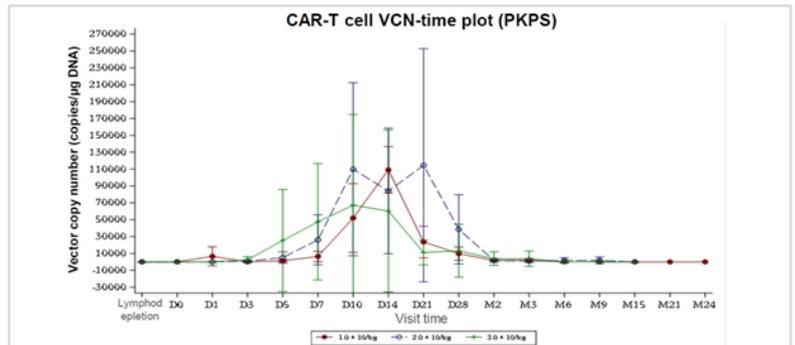
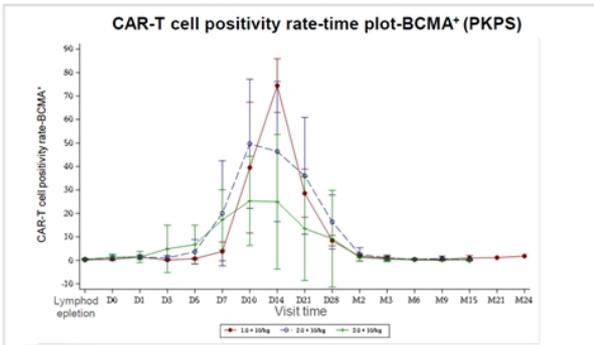
- ☐ All CRS and ICANS were manageable and resolved by SOC (Tocilizumab, vasopressors and dexamethasone)
- ☐ Totally 4 deaths occurred, including 2 for therapy-related pneumonia on D62 and D103, and 2 deaths for PD

¹AE were graded according to CTCAE v5.0, ²CRS criteria (ASBMT consensus grading); FDP: Fibrin degradation products, ALT: Alanine aminotransferase, AST: Aspartate aminotransferase, LDH: lactate dehydrogenase; PT: Prothrombin time; CRS: Cytokine release syndrome, ICANS: IEC-associated neurotoxicity Syndrome, PD: Disease progression



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TPST-2003 Dual CAR-T for rrMM: Expansion and Persistence



| CAR-T cell VCN PK parameter (PKPS) | DL1 (N=3) | DL2 (N=10) | DL3 (N=7) |
|------------------------------------|------------|-------------------|-----------|
| Median T_{max} (D) | 14 | 11.50 | 9 |
| Median C_{max} (copies/μg) | 97014.00 | 168218.00 | 83878.00 |
| Median AUC_{0-t} (D·copies/μg) | 716037.01 | 1430939.38 | 437946.63 |
| Median AUC_{0-inf} (D·copies/μg) | 1168278.89 | 1705951.87 | 509249.27 |

Among pts with 6 and 12 mo' follow-up, 66.7% (10/15) and 50.0% (4/8) had detectable CAR⁺T cells above the level of quantification (2 cells/μL) in PB.



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TPST-2003 Dual CAR-T for rrMM: Conclusions

TPST-2003 is the world's first parallel-structure dual-target CAR-T cell therapy focused on rrMM with EMD

- TPST-2003 showed early, deep and durable response in Relapsed/Refractory MM patients
 - Hematological response (n=18): 100% ORR, 88.9% sCR/CR
 - MRD (n=20): 83.3 MRD- in M3, 82% MRD- in M6 and 100% MRD- in M12
 - 12-mo PFS rate: 75.3% (Median follow-up 13.7 mo, Median PFS not reached)
- TPST-2003 exerted promising and persistent efficacy in EMD patients
 - PET response: 12/14 (85.7%) PET ORR, 9/14 (64.3%) CMR
 - 7/14 (50.0%) of EMD patients showed a $\geq 75\%$ reduction in soft tissue plasmacytoma size
 - Comparable benefit for EMD v. non-EMD PTS (12-mo PFS 73.9% v. 77.8%, mPFS 13.7mo)
- Favorable safety profiles
 - CRS occurred in 90% of patients (G3: 5%, No G4/5, n=20)
 - ICANS occurred in 25% of patients (G3: 10%, No G4/5 n=20)
 - CRS/ICANS were manageable and reversible

TPST-2003 Shows Similar Favorable Safety Profile to Approved BCMA CAR-T

| | TPST-2003 ¹ | | | Abecma™ (BMS) ² | Carvykti™ (J&J/Legend) ³ |
|------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------------|--|
| Target | CD19, BCMA | | | BCMA | BCMA |
| Stage | IIT | | | Approval | Approval |
| Indication | rrMM | | | rrMM | rrMM |
| Target Dose | 1x10 ⁶ cells/kg | 2x10 ⁶ cells/kg | 3x10 ⁶ cells/kg | 420x10 ⁶ cells | 0.75x10 ⁶ cells/kg |
| CRS% (N) | 66.7% (2) | 100% (11) | 88.9% (8) | 85% | 84% |
| CRS% Gr≥3 (N) | 0% | 9.1% (1) | 0% | 9.3% | 4% |
| ICANS% (N) | 33.3% (1) | 27.3% (3) | 11.1% (1) | 28% | 13% |
| ICANS% Gr ≥3 (N) | 0% | 9.1% (1) | 0% | 4% | 2% |

CRS and ICANS were manageable and reversible, showing a favorable safety profile comparable to existing therapies



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TPST-2003 Performance Relative to Approved Therapies

| | TPST-2003 ¹ | Abecma™ (BMS) ² | Carvykti™ (J&J/Legend) ³ |
|-----------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------------|--|
| Target | CD19, BCMA | BCMA | BCMA |
| Stage | Phase 1/2a | Approval | Approval |
| Indication | rrMM | rrMM | rrMM |
| Trial | IIT | KarMMa (NCT 03361748) | CARTITUDE-1 (NCT 03548207) |
| Number of EMD patients | 15 | 50 | 19 |
| Median PFS of EMD patients | 22.9 months | 7.9 months | 13.8 months |

“Patients... with EMD demonstrate significantly inferior Day 90 ORR [following treatment with Abecma™] and presence of EMD is an independent risk factor for inferior PFS.”

- Saurabh Zanwar et al., ASCO 2024 Annual Meeting



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TPST-2003 Positive Performance Relative to GC012F (Gracell)

| | TPST-2003 ¹ | GC012F (Gracell/AZ) ² |
|--------------------------------------|---|-------------------------------------|
| Target | CD19, BCMA | CD19, BCMA |
| Stage | Phase 1/2a | Phase 1b/2 |
| Indication | rrMM | rrMM |
| Median number of previous treatments | 5 | 5 |
| High-risk cytogenetics | 66.7% | -- |
| Extramedullary disease | 62.5% | 27.6% |
| ORR | 100% | 93.1% |
| sCR/CR | 89.5% | 82.8% |
| PFS | Median PFS not reached 12-month PFS rate: 74.6%+ | Median PFS: 38.0 months |
| rrMM (with EMD) | PET ORR 86.7% (13/15) | Not available |

- AZ Acquired Gracell for \$1B in 2024



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Amezalpat (TPST-1120)

First-in-Class PPAR α Antagonist

Amezalpat's Activity is Consistent from the Lab to the Clinic

Amezalpat Pre-Clinical MOA Predicts Clinical Story

Amezalpat Pre-Clinical Hypothesis:

- FAO supports tumor cells, selective immune cells (suppressor, not effector), and angiogenesis
- Blocking PPAR α should provide an opportunity to benefit patients regardless of tumor immune status

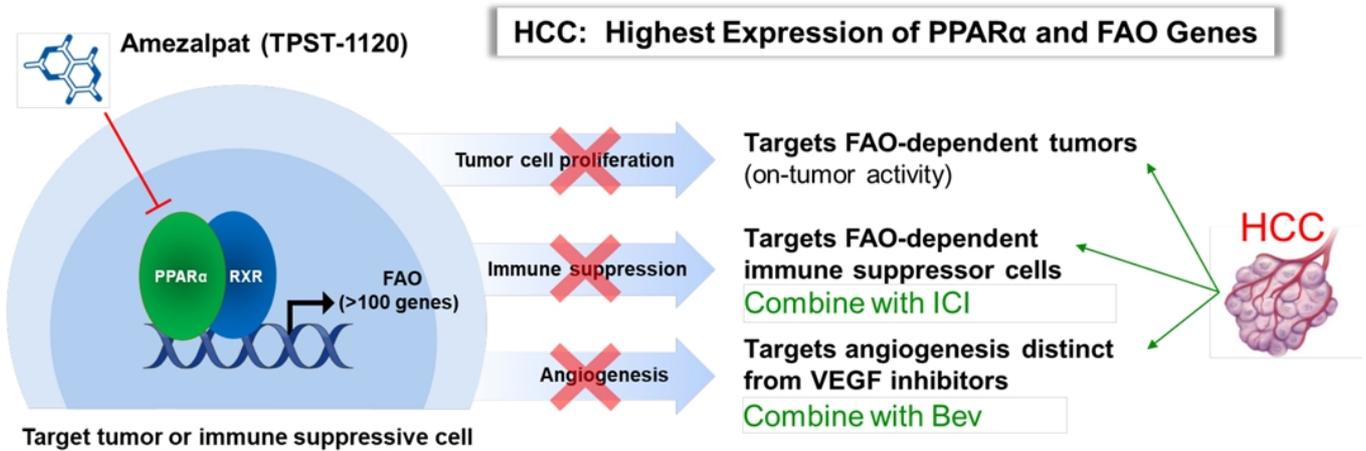
In The Clinic:

- **Amezalpat works where it should**
 - High tumor PPAR α /FAO gene expression predicts observed benefit in patients with HCC, RCC and CCA
- **Amezalpat works for whom it should**
 - Randomized data show benefit of amezalpat in immune-compromised tumors
 - Amezalpat shows improved benefit in b-catenin activated HCC
- **Amezalpat works with the combination partners it should**
 - Amezalpat combines well with anti-PD-1/L1 (immune-stimulating agents) and anti-VEGF (anti-angiogenic agents)

Amezalpat (TPST-1120) in HCC: MOA Supports Indication & Combination Therapy

Amezalpat Pre-Clinical Hypothesis:

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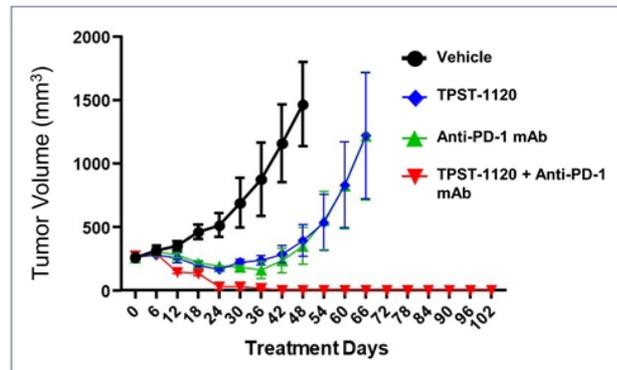
PPAR α : Peroxisome Proliferator-Activated Receptor alpha

Preclinical HCC Data Support Clinical Development Strategy

β -catenin pathway frequently activated in HCC: Potential Biomarker

- Wnt/ β -catenin pathway is critical for stem cell regeneration, and tumorigenesis (i.e., EMT)
- Activation of WNT/ β -catenin pathway occurs frequently in HCC^{1,2}
- PPAR α expression is higher in CTNNB1-mutated human HCC
- β -catenin activated HCC confers dependence on FAO for metabolism
- Available genetic tests for CTNNB1, APC and modulators of β -catenin pathway

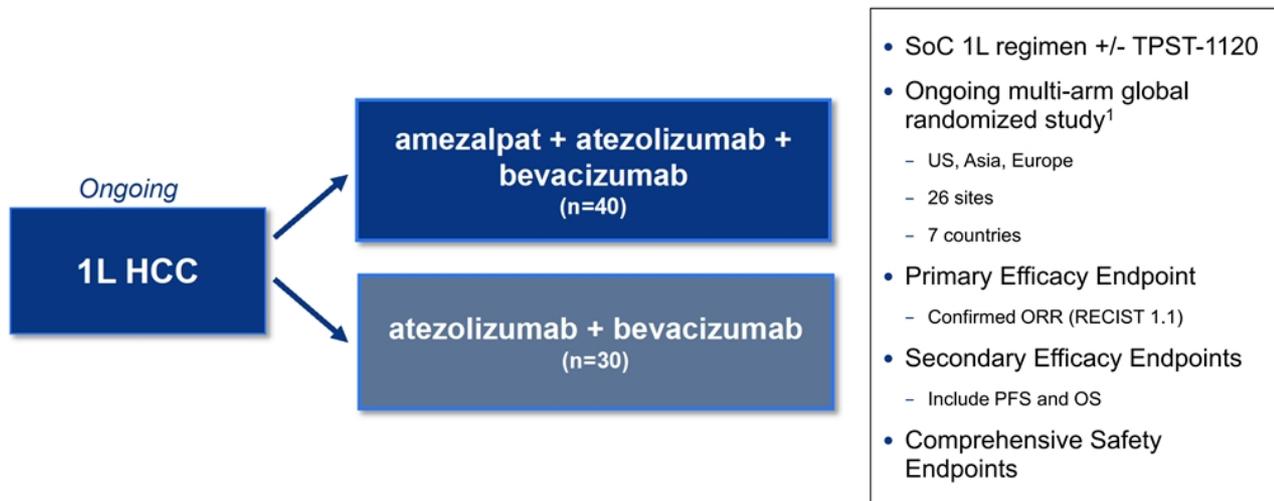
Efficacy in syngeneic β -Catenin-driven hepatocellular carcinoma model*



Amezalpat (TPST-1120) in Front-Line Phase 1b/2 HCC Randomized Study

Positive Global Randomized Phase 2 result positions Tempest for pivotal study

HCC: Highest Expression of PPAR α and FAO Genes



Balanced Demographics and Baseline Characteristics

No statistically significant differences, although multiple numerical differences favor the SoC control arm

| Demographic | Result | Atezo+Bev (c) (N=30) | TPST-1120 + Atezo+Bev (N=40) |
|--|----------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Age group (yr) | >=65 | 12 (40.0%) | 25 (62.5%) |
| Sex | Male | 26 (86.7%) | 33 (82.5%) |
| ECOG Status | 0 ^a | 22 (73.3%) | 26 (65.0%) |
| Disease due to viral hepatitis ^b | Yes | 16 (53.3%) | 26 (65%) |
| Macrovascular Invasion and/or Extrahepatic spread | Yes | 14 (46.7%) | 21 (52.5%) |
| Baseline alpha-feto protein ≥ 400 ug/L | ≥ 400 ug/L | 17 (56.7%) | 16 (40%) |
| Region of enrollment | Asia (vs ROW) | 8 (26.7%) | 14 (35.0%) |
| Baseline neutrophil to lymphocyte (NLR) ratio ^c | ≥5 | 4 (13.3%) | 11 (27.5%) |
| PD-L1 Negative | Neg (TAP<1) | 15 (60%) ^d | 26 (67%) ^e |

ECOG status, MVI/EHS, baseline NLR, PD-L1 status all favor the control arm, whereas AFP and region of enrollment favor the 1120 arm

^a ECOG status 0 indicates healthier patients ^b IMbrave150 update showed that atezo+bev regimen performed similarly in viral vs non-viral disease¹

^c A number of recent studies have reported that baseline NLR is predictive of ORR and/or OS in HCC with atezo + bev regimen². ^d25 subjects PD-L1 evaluable; ^e39 subjects PD-L1 evaluable

Amezalpat (TPST-1120) Arm Improves All Efficacy Endpoints vs. SoC Control

Primary Global
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Endpoint

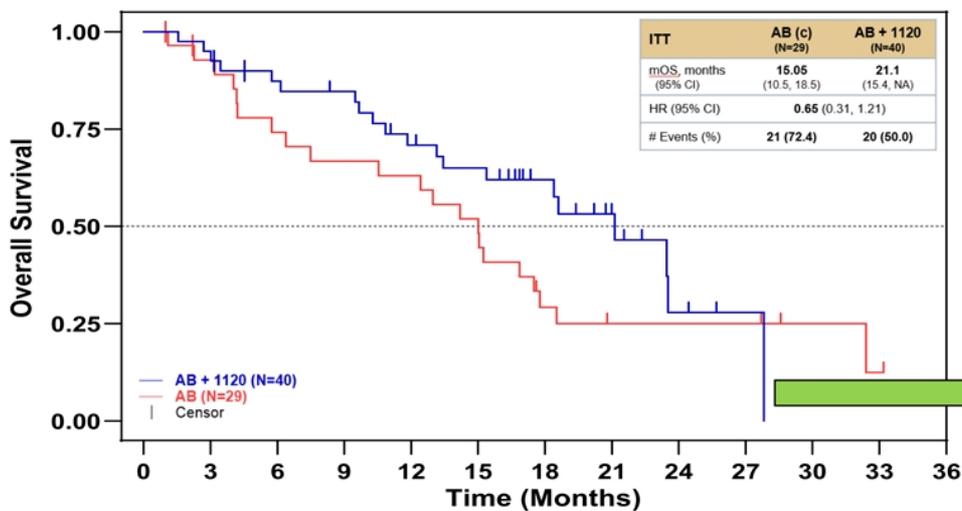
| | atezo/bev N=30 | TPST-1120 + atezo/bev N=40 |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------------|
| OS HR 0.65 | 15m | 21m |
| PFS HR 0.8 | Median 4.27m (2.8, 7.3) | 7m (5.6, 13.8) |
| Confirmed ORR (ITT population) | 13.3% | 30% |
| PD-L1 negative Confirmed ORR | 7% | 27% |
| β-catenin mutation Confirmed ORR | N/A ¹ | 43% (100% DCR) |

Consistent
Improvement
Across
All
Endpoints

- **Biomarkers and pharmacodynamic data support MOA of amezalpat**
 - Consistent with mechanism, amezalpat improves activity of atezo+bev in PD-L1 negative and immune desert/excluded phenotype compared to atezo+bev alone
 - β-catenin activation and FAO upregulation improve activity in amezalpat arm
- **Manageable safety profile - no new signal**

Superior OS in Amezalpat (TPST-1120) Arm vs. Atezo-Bev Control

- HR 0.65 - early and persistent separation of survival curves
- Six-month improvement in mOS with 50% of amezalpat arm patients still in survival follow-up¹



A Closer Look at HR

- Stable HR compared to April 2023 data cut (ten months earlier)

| | Apr '23 | Feb '24 |
|-----|-----------|----------|
| HR | 0.59 | 0.65 |
| mOS | NR vs. 15 | 21 vs 15 |

20/40 patients in amezalpat arm remain in survival follow up vs. 9/30 on atezo-bev control arm

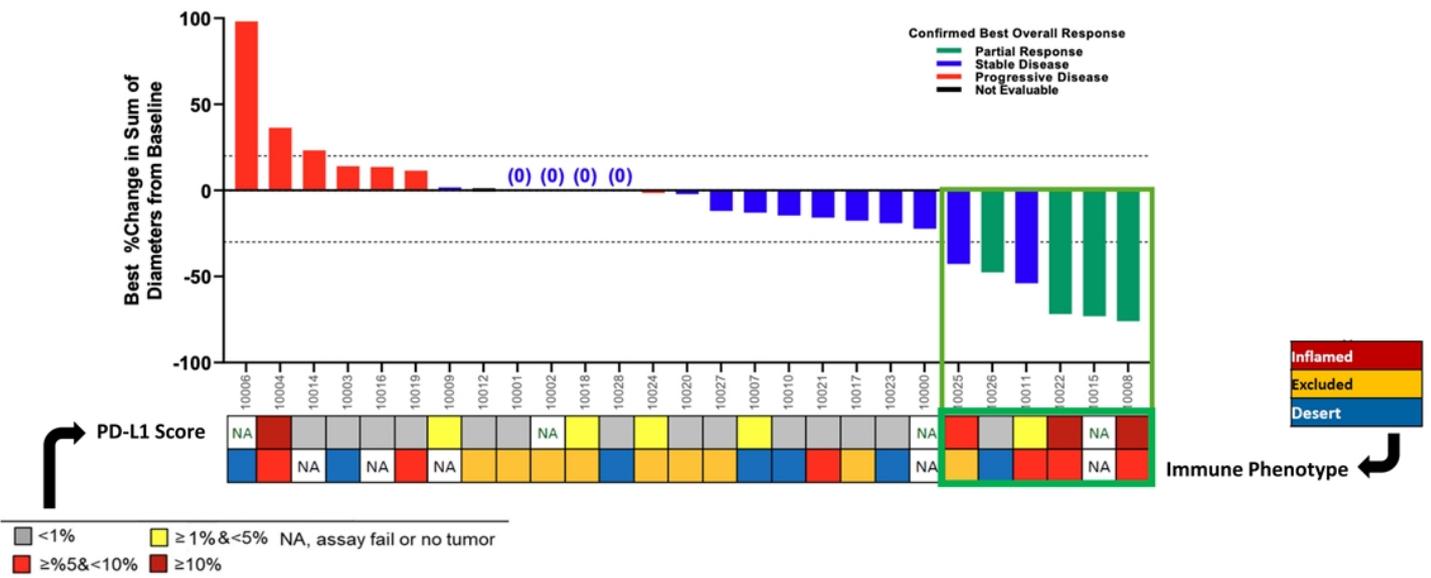
| | 0 | 3 | 6 | 9 | 12 | 15 | 18 | 21 | 24 | 27 | 30 | 33 | 36 |
|--------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| AB (control) | 29 | 25 | 20 | 18 | 17 | 14 | 7 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| AB + 1120 | 40 | 38 | 33 | 31 | 25 | 22 | 14 | 8 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |



¹ February 14, 2024 data cut. Elongated censor symbols are permanently censored subjects
 *mOS = median overall survival, *AB = atezolizumab + bevacizumab, *CI = confidence interval

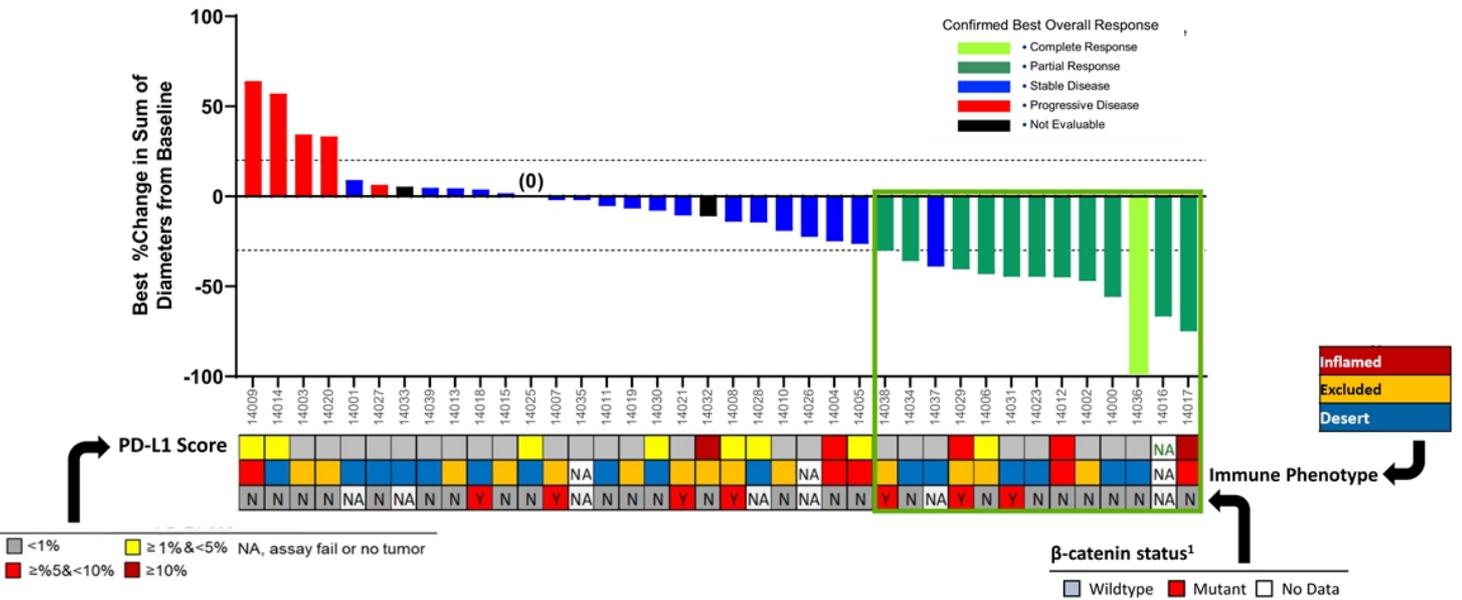
AB SoC Control Arm Responses Enriched for PD-L1+ and Hot Tumors

Atezo + Bev biomarker associations



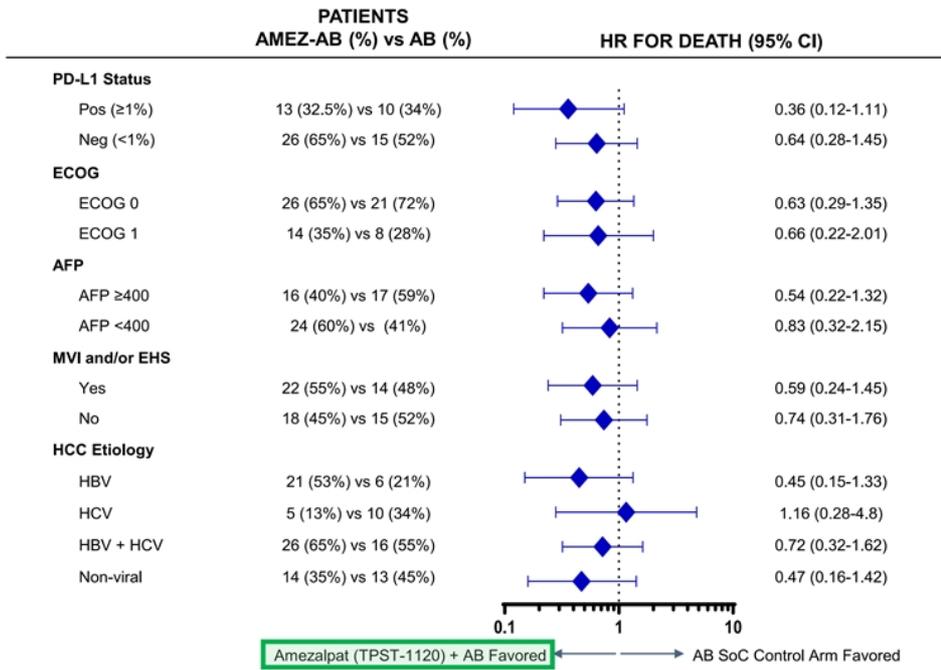
Amezalpat Responses Across the Board: Cold, Hot and β -catenin^{mut} & wt Tumors

RECIST Complete Response in a PD-L1 negative, immune excluded and β -catenin (CTNNB1^{wt}) tumor



Primary data cut, per protocol - April 20, 2023
¹ CTNNB1 mutation measured

Overall Survival Benefit Maintained Across Key Subpopulations



Manageable Safety Profile Consistent with MOA and Phase 1 Data

Amezalpat combination's safety profile is similar to AB SoC control arm

| Patients with Event, n (%) | Atezo + Bev (N=29) | Amez + Atezo + Bev (n=40) |
|---|-----------------------|------------------------------|
| Grade 1 or 2 Severity TEAE | 7 (24.1) | 12 (30.0) |
| Grade ≥ 3 TEAE | 22 (75.9) | 28 (70) |
| Treatment-Related SAE* | 7 (24.1) | 10 (25.0) |
| Grade 5 TEAE | 4 (13.8) | 5 (12.5) |
| Grade 5 Treatment-Related AE | 2 (6.9) | - |
| Any TEAE Leading to Drug Interruption/Dose Reduction [†] | 6 (20.7) | 6 (15.0) |
| Any TEAE Leading to Drug Withdrawal [‡] | 4 (13.8) | 5 (12.5) |

*Related to any drug

[†]Any drug

[‡]One subject dose reduced TPST-1120. Dose reductions not applicable to AB

Fatal TEAEs in AB arm: Aspiration, COVID-19, Oesophageal varices haemorrhage (related), Upper gastrointestinal haemorrhage (related)

Fatal TEAEs in TPST-AB arm: Acute kidney injury, cerebrovascular accident, diverticulitis, Fournier's gangrene, Oesophageal adenocarcinoma

Data as of Feb 14, 2024

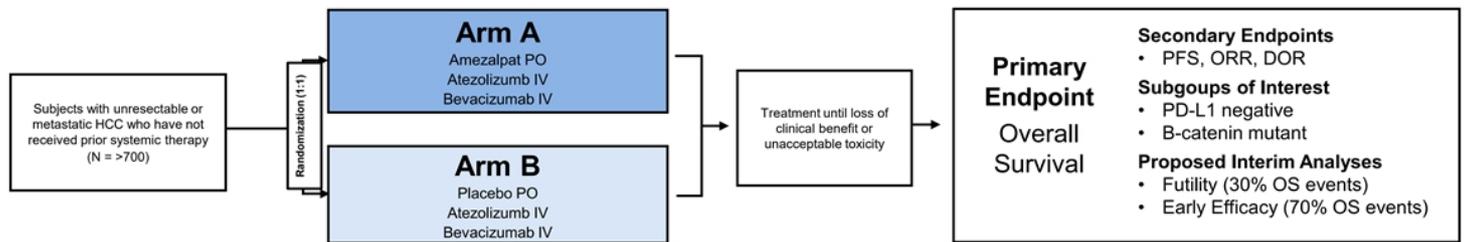
Drug Dose Intensity

| Study Arm | Atezolizumab | Bevacizumab | Amezalpat |
|-----------|--------------|-------------|-----------|
| Control | 88.9% | 83.3% | NA |
| Amezalpat | 93.2% | 84.5% | 93.6% |

Data as of April 20, 2023

Pivotal Phase 3 Study Design – FDA, EMA and NMPA Agreement

- Replicates positive Phase 2 study with additional size & power – increases probability of repeating Phase 2 result with regulatory statistical significance
- Planned analyses that could shorten timeline; Phase 2 data are stronger than required to win



Stratification factors:

- Geographic region (Asia excluding Japan vs. rest of world)
- MVI and/or EHS (yes vs. no)
- Baseline AFP (< 400 vs. \geq 400 ng/mL)
- Baseline ECOG PS (0 vs. 1)

Study Assumptions:

- 90% power
- 2-sided 5% alpha
- Critical hazard ratio¹ of **<.805** for primary efficacy and **<.729** for early efficacy (compare to **.65** in Phase 2)
- Control arm assumption based on longer historical value, as opposed to shorter Phase 2 & RW data
- 1:1, >700 subjects

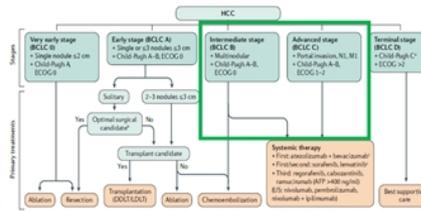
Broadly Positive Regulatory Interactions for Amezalpat Pivotal Study

- FDA
 - Achieved FDA agreement on proposed amezalpat Phase 3 dose and schedule, including no Project Optimus requirement
 - FDA IND successful for final protocol and Study May Proceed
 - FDA Orphan Drug Designation granted December 2024
 - FDA Fast Track Designation granted January 2025
- EMA
 - EMA regulatory Clinical and CMC Scientific Advice cleared with general agreement
 - EU Orphan Drug Designation submitted February 2025
- China (NMPA)
 - Received study may proceed/agreement on Phase 3
- Balance of APAC regulatory, including Japan (PMDA) initiated and on track

First-Line HCC is a Large and Uncrowded Market

Amezalpat's MoA and lead position offers a unique opportunity¹ to build a valuable program

| HCC | Incidence | Treated (BCLC B/C) |
|--------------|----------------|--------------------|
| US | 32,128 | 14,233 |
| EU5 | 33,995 | 15,499 |
| China | 324,012 | 205,053 |
| Total | 390,135 | 234,785 |

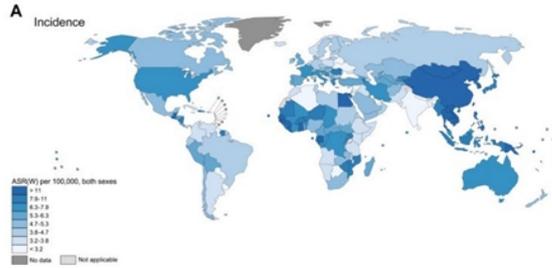


- 1L HCC is already large and expected to grow 55% to 1.4M patients globally by 2040²
- Uncrowded space dominated by one therapy, atezo + bev
- Market can accommodate multiple new entries, and recent approvals may not shift the standard of care
- Even conservative modeling assumptions result in blockbuster status
- Activity in b-catenin mutant and PD-L1 negative tumors could be a marketing advantage
- Low COGs

905,700 people were diagnosed with liver cancer in 2020

The number of people diagnosed with or dying from liver cancer globally could **increase by more than 55%** between 2020 and 2040 if current rates do not change

Liver cancer ranked among the **top 3 causes of cancer death in 46 countries** in 2020



¹ To the company's knowledge, TPST-1120 is the latest stage and only PPAR α antagonist in clinical development. ² "Global burden of primary liver cancer in 2020 and predictions to 2040." Rungay, Harriet et al., Journal of Hepatology, Volume 77, Issue 6, 1598 – 1606 Rungay, H., et al. "Global burden of primary liver cancer in 2020 and predictions to 2040." Journal of Hepatology, Vol. 77, Issue 6, pg: 1598-1606 (2022). Llovet, J.M., Kelley, R.K., Villanueva, A. et al. Hepatocellular carcinoma. Nature Review Dis Primers 7, 6 (2021). <https://www.roche.com/investor/events/pharma-day-2023#~:text=Roche%20has%20hosted%20its%20Pharma%20Day%20on%2011th%20September%202023%20in%20London>. Accessed Jan 2024.

Amezalpat Combination is Poised for Phase 3 Global Registrational Trial

Survival benefit over SOC in full patient population and key subgroups, with similar safety profile to SoC alone

- ✓ Stable 0.65 hazard ratio for OS – slight shift from 0.59 at topline through follow-up analysis
- ✓ Six-month improvement in median OS over control arm (21 months vs. 15 months)
- ✓ 20/40 patients remain in survival follow up in amezalpat arm vs. 9/30 in control
- ✓ Survival benefit maintained across key subpopulations, including PD-L1 negative
- ✓ Manageable safety profile similar to SOC
- ✓ FDA, EMA and NMPA agreement on pivotal study
- ✓ Oral therapy with market differentiation; blockbuster potential

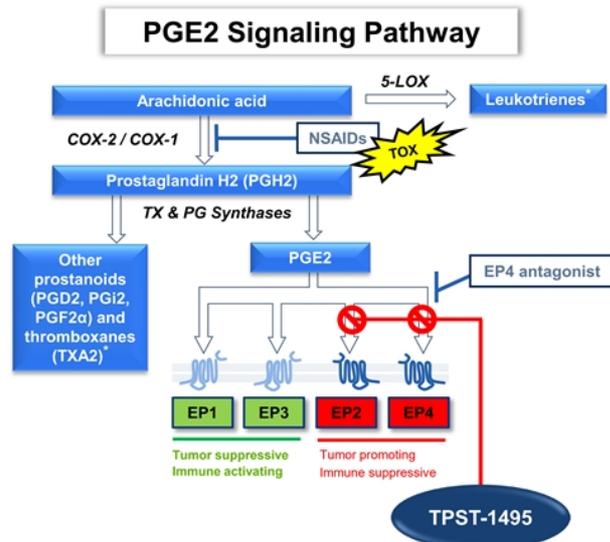
TPST-1495

First-in-Class Dual EP2/4 Antagonist

TPST-1495 is a First-in-Class¹ Dual EP2/EP4 PGE2 Receptor Antagonist

Rationally designed, based on an understanding of PGE2 signaling in cancer progression

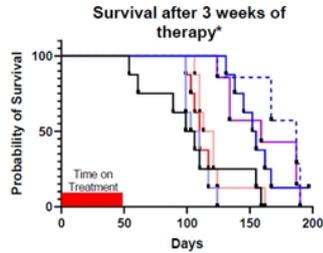
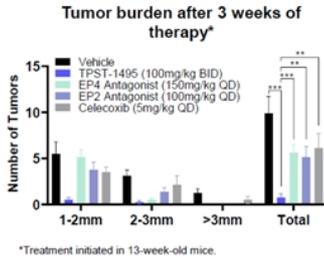
- Prostaglandin E₂ (PGE₂) has both tumor *promoting* and tumor *suppressing* activity through its 4 receptors (EP 1-4)
 - NSAIDs prevent signaling through beneficial EP receptors and have toxicity
- TPST-1495 features
 - First in class¹, highly specific antagonist inhibits *only* the tumor promoting EP2 and EP4 receptors
 - Oral therapy
 - Nanomolar potency²
 - Targets *both* tumor cells and immune suppressive cells
- Completed Phase 1 dose escalation



*Alterations in thromboxanes, prostacyclins and leukotrienes are associated with cardiovascular toxicity of NSAIDs

TPST-1495 therapy conferred a significant survival advantage compared to other prostaglandin pathway inhibitors

- Therapeutic activity comparison in $Apc^{Min/+}$ mouse model of FAP



Familial Adenomatous Polyposis (FAP) Program

- No approved therapies for FAP (germline APC mutations)
- Strong clinical support for PGE2 MOA (COX-2s effective, Accelerated Approval for celebrex)
- Strong preclinical support for TPST-1495 based on $Apc^{Min/+}$ model
- Working with FAP consortium
- To be funded by NCI
- FPI in Phase 2 study expected in 1H26, data in 2027





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