

Tumor-Infiltrating Lymphocytes and Adoptive Immunotherapy

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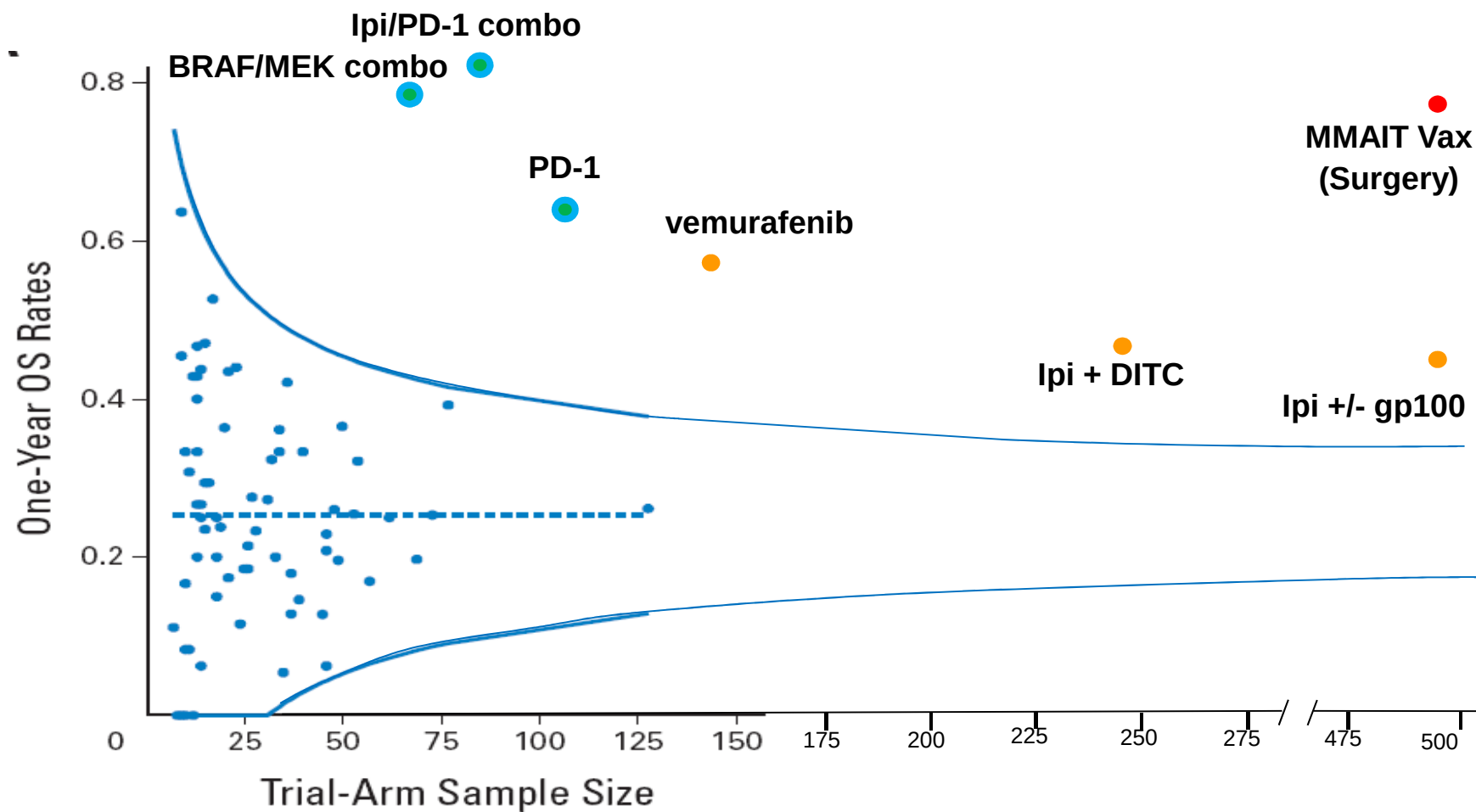
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Outline

- T-cells within the immune system and cancer
- Therapeutic use of T-cells
- Adoptive Immunotherapy
 - Straight-up
 - Genetically Modified T cells
 - Bispecifics

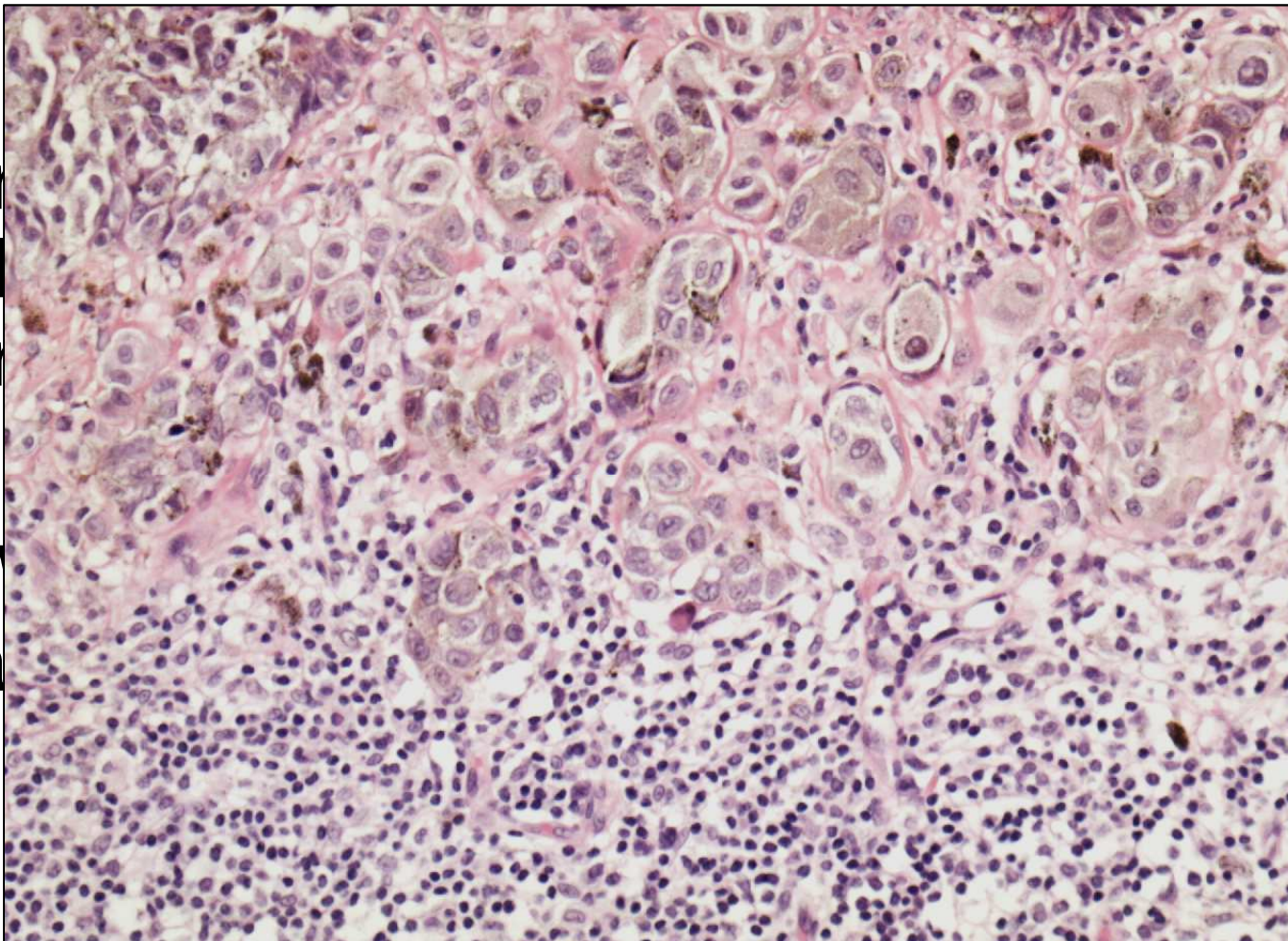
Trial Patient Outcomes Over the Years



Korn et al. *J Clin Oncol*. Feb 1 2008, 527-34.

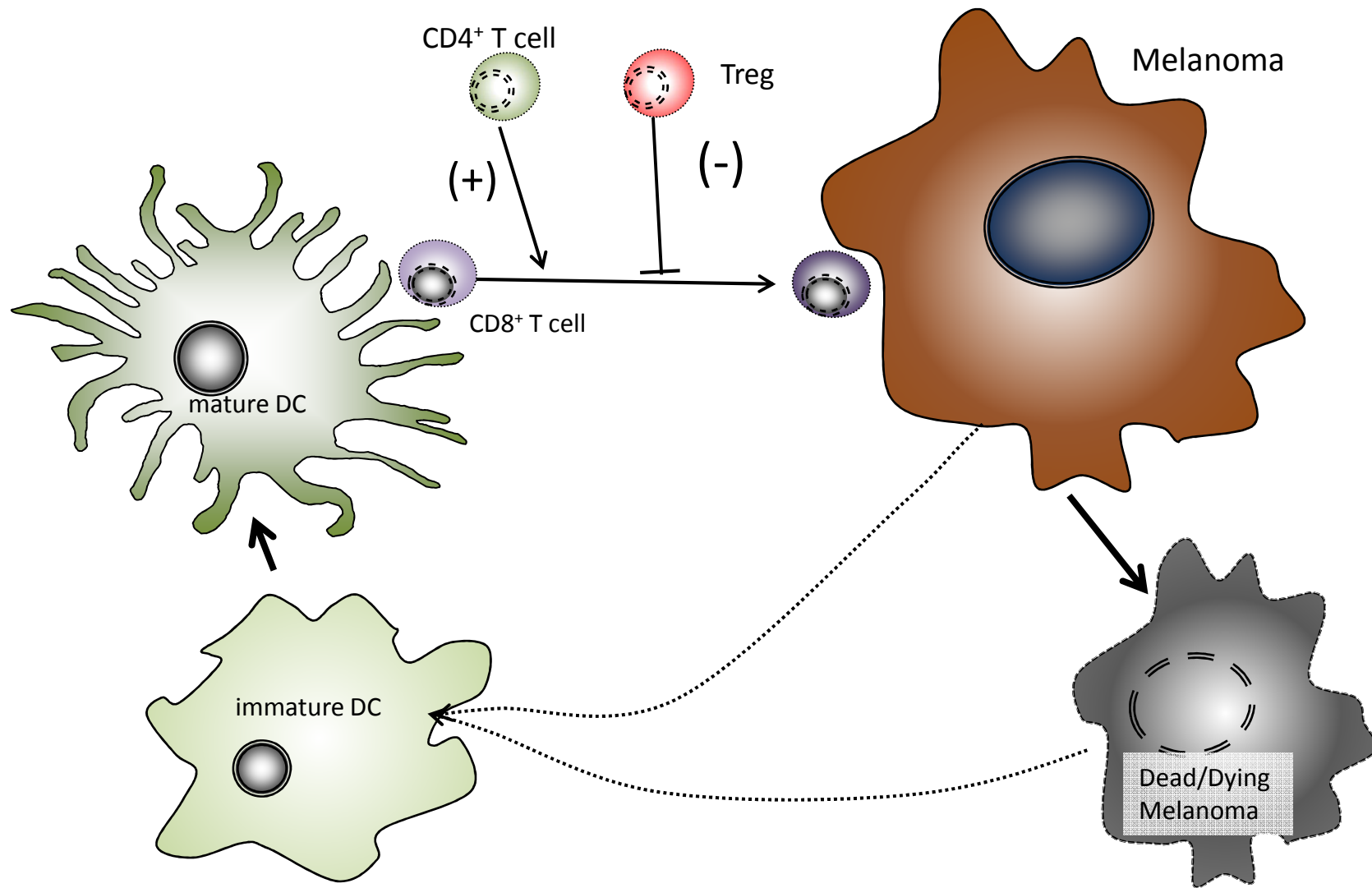
Tumor-Infiltrating Lymphocytes

- Natural immune recognition of melanoma is common

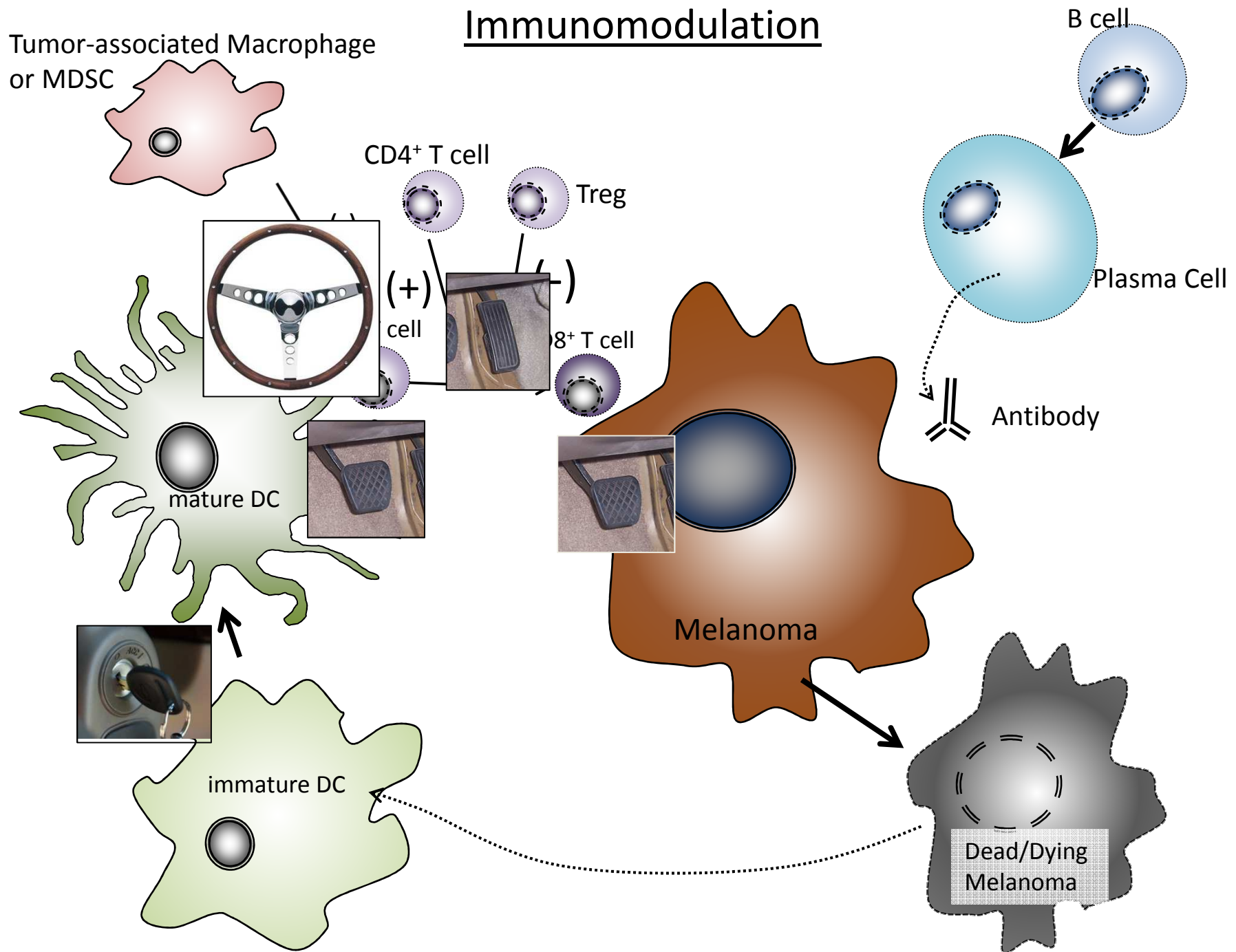


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The Immune System and Cancer



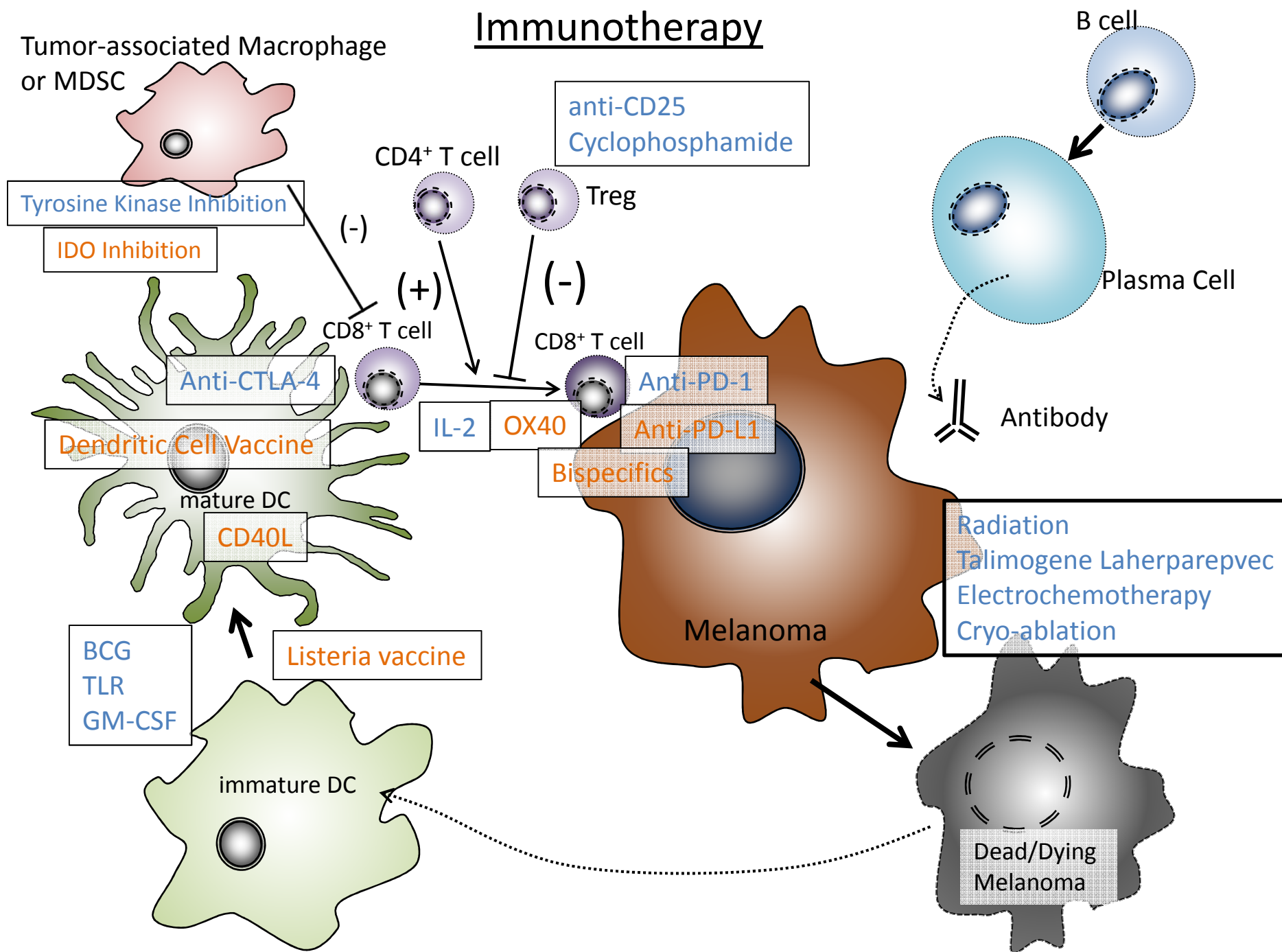
Immunomodulation



Is control of the Immune System like driving a car?



Immunotherapy



Is control of the Immune System like
driving a car?

No...



...more like a space shuttle...



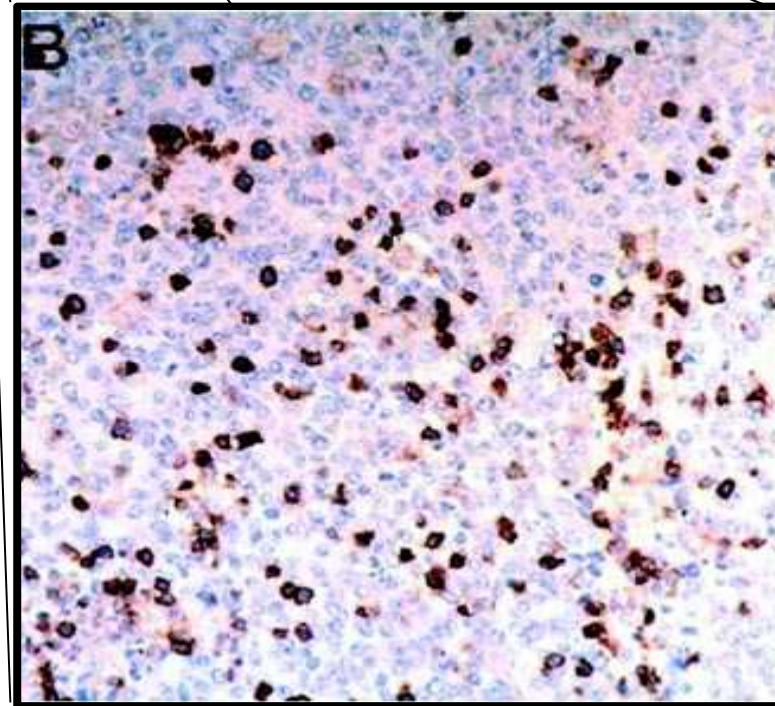
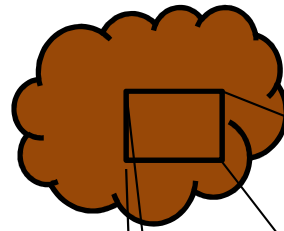
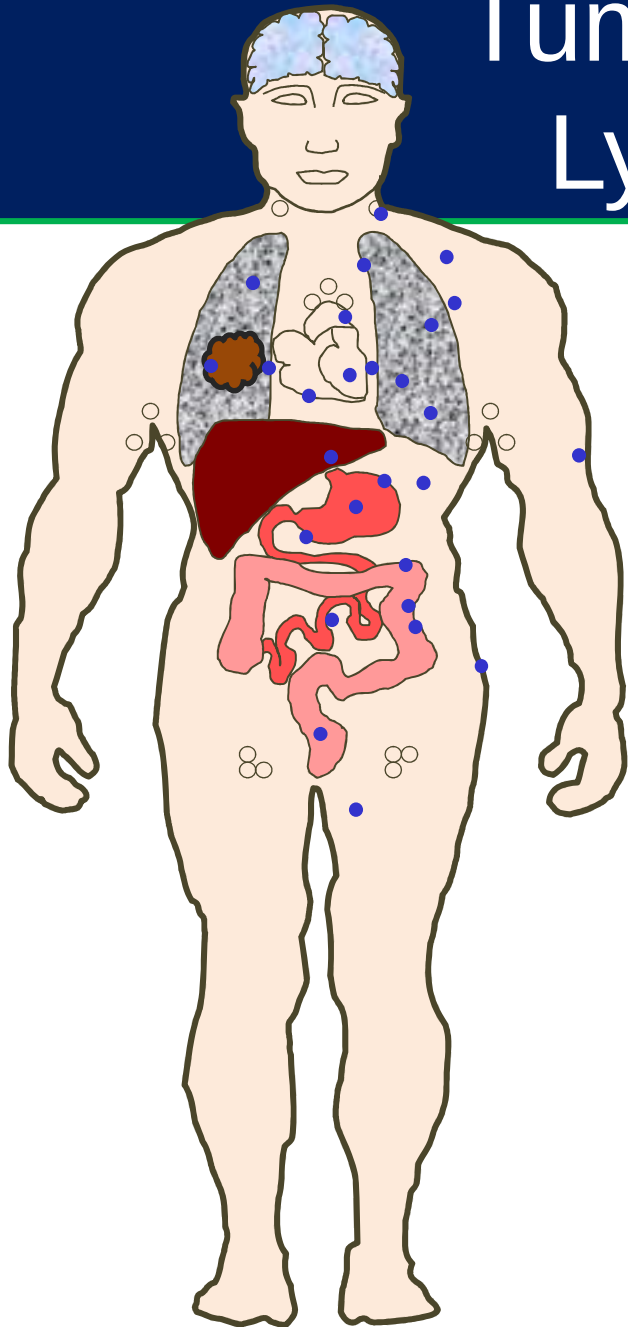
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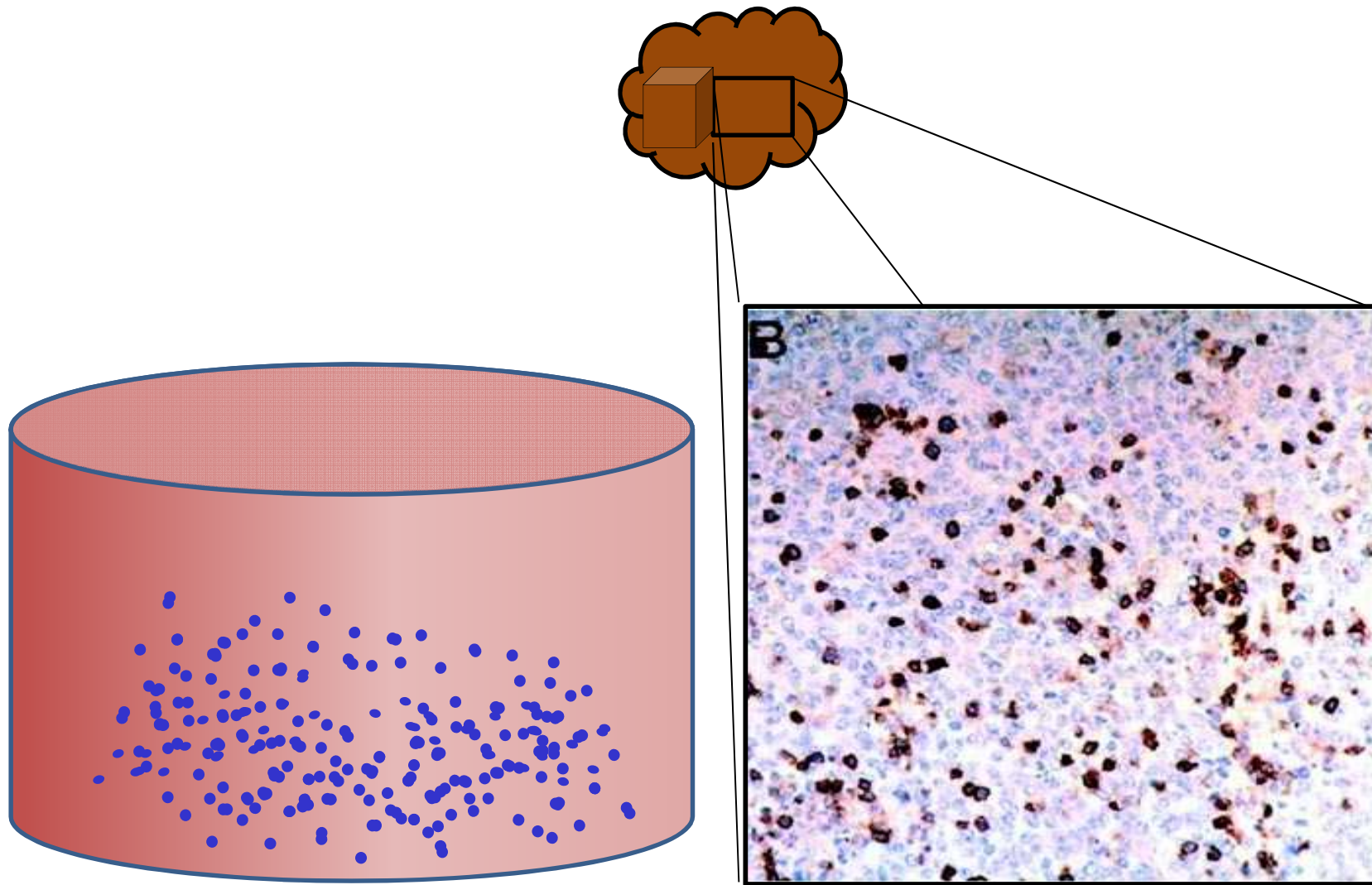
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- **Adoptive T-Cell Therapy**
 - 1) The working model
 - 2) Modifications

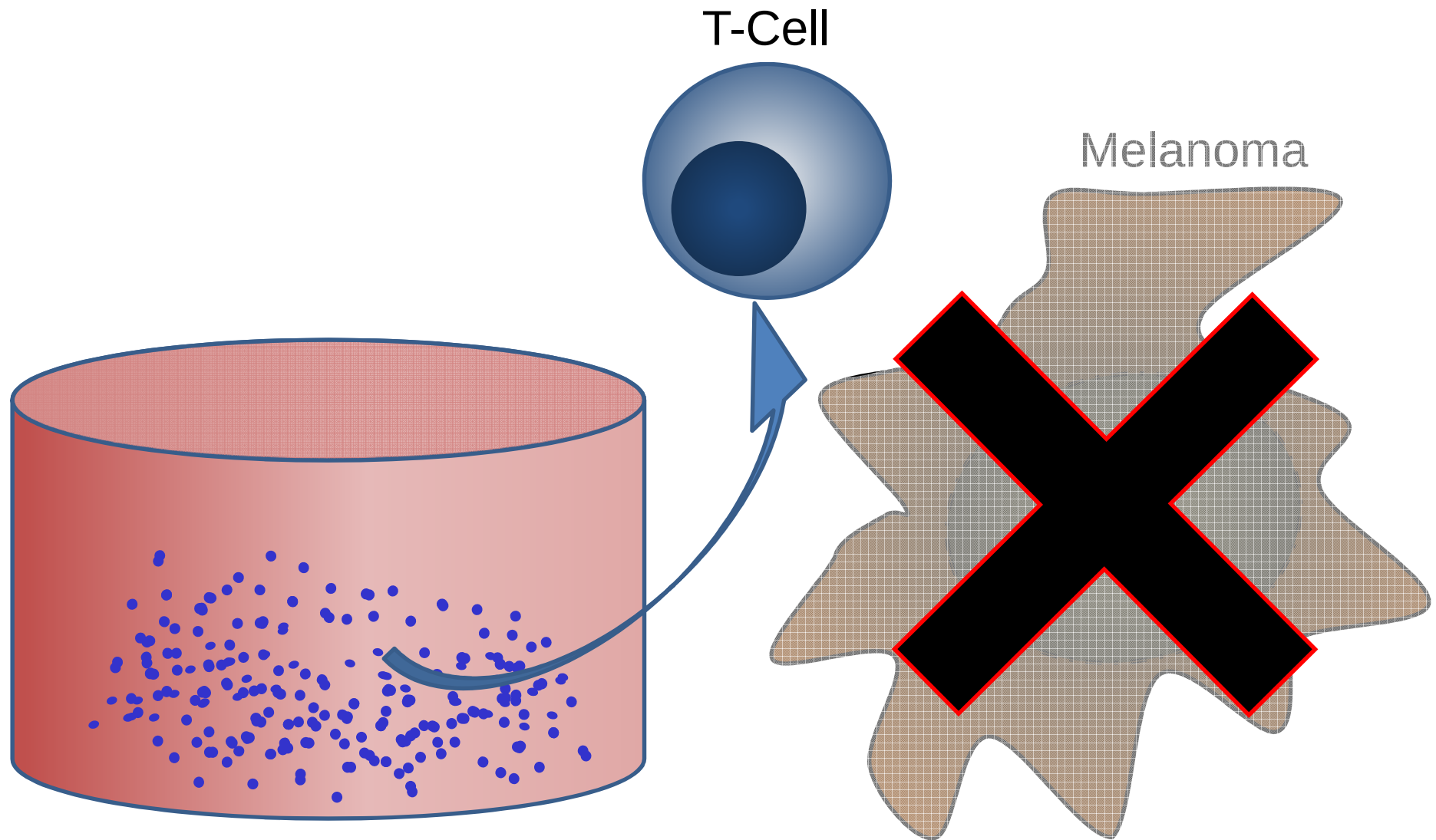
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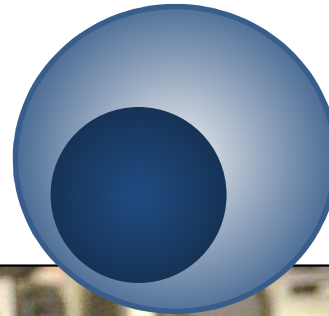


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TIL: Current Standard Procedure

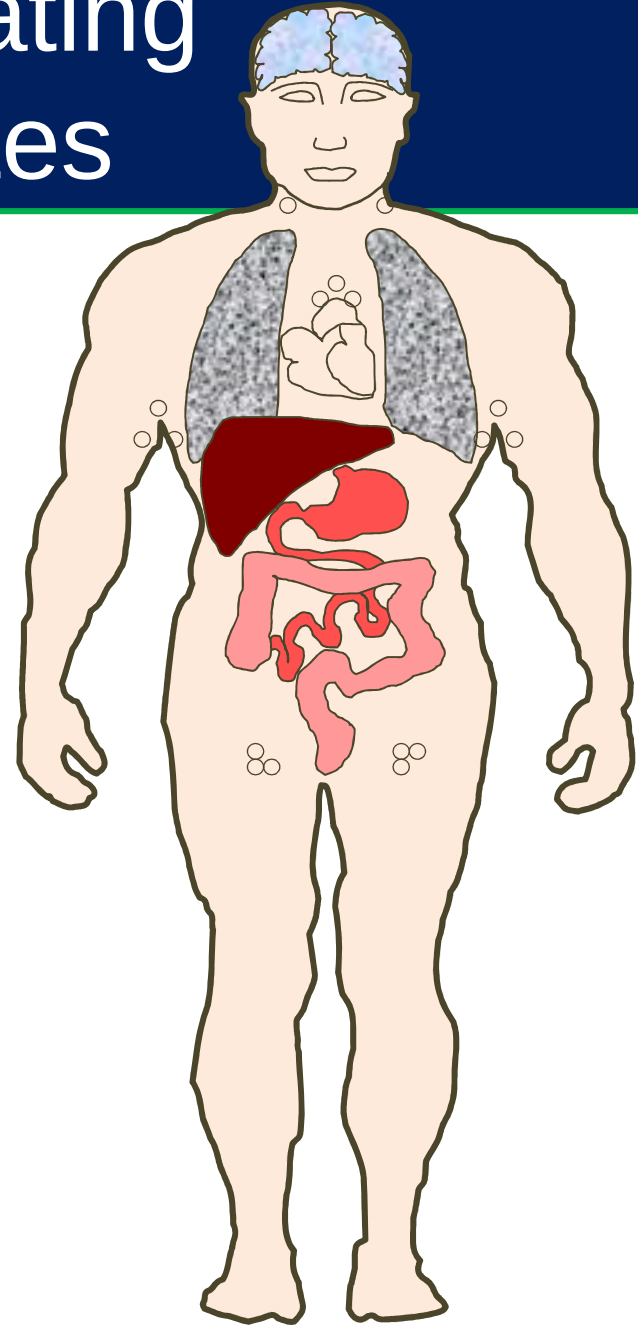
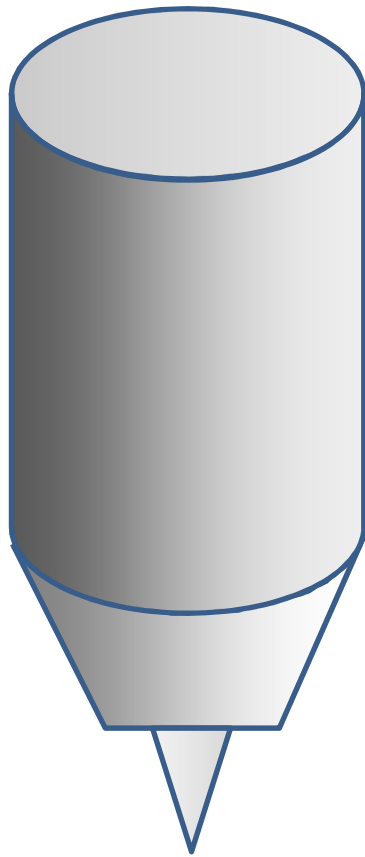
T-Cell



RAPID EXPANSION PROTOCOL



Tumor-infiltrating Lymphocytes



TIL: Early Clinical Data

Treatment of Patients With Metastatic Melanoma With Autologous Tumor-Infiltrating Lymphocytes and Interleukin 2

Journal of the National Cancer Institute,
Vol. 86, No. 15, August 3, 1994

Steven A. Rosenberg, John R.
Yannelli, James C. Yang, Suzanne
L. Topalian, Douglas J.
Schwartzentruber, Jeffrey S.
Weber, David R. Parkinson,
Claudia A. Seipp, Jan H. Einhorn,
Donald E. White*

Table 2. Number of patients responding to treatment with TILs plus IL-2 and duration of response*

	Response to treatment											
	No cyclophosphamide				Plus cyclophosphamide				Total			
	No. of patients				No. of patients				No. of patients			
	Total	CR	PR	% CR + PR	Total	CR	PR	% CR + PR	Total	CR	PR	% CR + PR
Prior IL-2	11	1	2	27	17	0	6	35	28	1	8	32
No prior IL-2	18	3	3	33	40	1	13	35	58	4	16	34
Total	29	4	5	31	57	1	19	35	86	5	24	34

	Duration of response, mo			
	No cyclophosphamide		Plus cyclophosphamide	
	CR	PR	CR	PR
Prior IL-2	23	4, 1	—	8, 7, 6, 5, 5, 1
No prior IL-2	46+, 38, 21+	7, 4, 2	20	53+, 9, 7, 7, 4, 4

*CR = complete response. PR = partial response.

TIL: Early Clinical Data

Cancer Regression and Autoimmunity in Patients After Clonal Repopulation with Antitumor Lymphocytes

25 OCTOBER 2002 VOL 298 SCIENCE

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Suzanne L. Topalian,¹ Richard Sherry,¹ Nicholas P. Restifo,¹
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Table 1. Patient demographics, treatments received, and clinical outcomes.

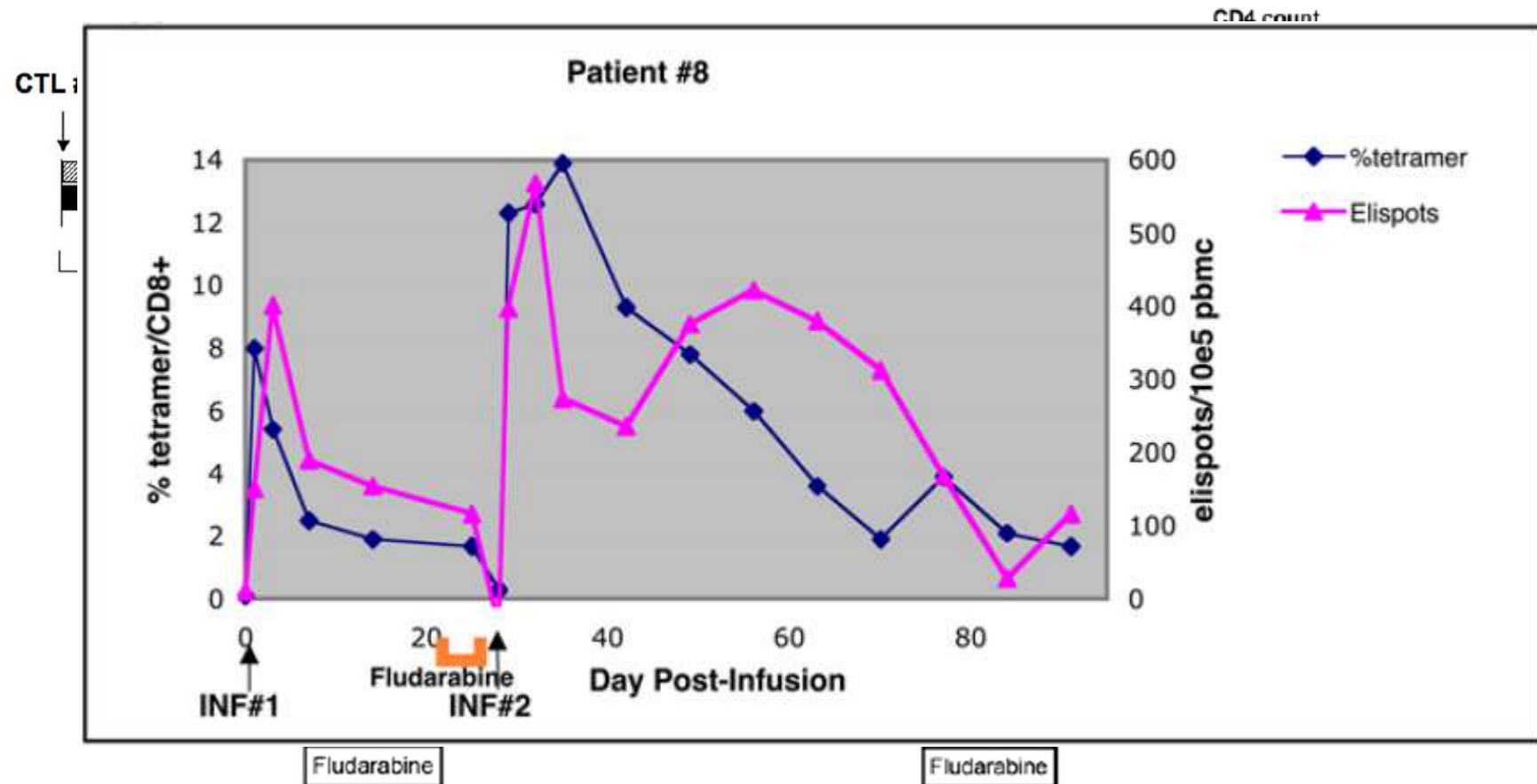
Patient	Age/sex	Treatment*				Sites of evaluable metastases	Response duration (months)	Autoimmunity
		Cells infused† ($\times 10^{-10}$)	CD8/CD4 phenotype‡ (%)	Antigen specificity§	IL-2 (doses)			
1	18/M	2.3	11/39	Other	9	Lymph nodes (axillary, mesenteric, pelvic)	PR¶ (24+)	None
2	30/F	3.5	83/15	MART-1, gp100	8	Cutaneous, subcutaneous	PR (8)	Vitiligo
3	43/F	4.0	44/58	gp100	5	Brain, cutaneous, liver, lung	NR	None
4	57/F	3.4	56/52	gp100	9	Cutaneous, subcutaneous	PR (2)	None
5	53/M	3.0	16/85	Other	7	Brain, lung, lymph nodes	NR-mixed	None
6	37/F	9.2	65/35	Other	6	Lung, intraperitoneal, subcutaneous	PR (15+)	None
7	44/M	12.3	61/41	MART-1	7	Lymph nodes, subcutaneous	NR-mixed	Vitiligo
8	48/M	9.5	48/52	gp100	12	Subcutaneous	NR	None
9	57/M	9.6	84/13	MART-1	10	Cutaneous, subcutaneous	PR (10+)	Vitiligo
10	55/M	10.7	96/2	MART-1	12	Lymph nodes, cutaneous, subcutaneous	PR¶ (9+)	Uveitis
11	29/M	13.0	96/3	MART-1	12	Liver, pericardial, subcutaneous	NR-mixed	Vitiligo
12	37/F	13.7	72/24	MART-1	11	Liver, lung, gallbladder, lymph nodes	NR-mixed	None
13	41/F	7.7	92/8	MART-1	11	Subcutaneous	NR	None

Lymphodepletion

Fludarabine Modulates Immune Response and Extends *In Vivo* Survival of Adoptively Transferred CD8 T Cells in Patients with Metastatic Melanoma

Herschel Wallen*, John A. Thompson, J. Zachary Reilly, Rebecca M. Rodmyre, Jianhong Cao, Cassian Yee

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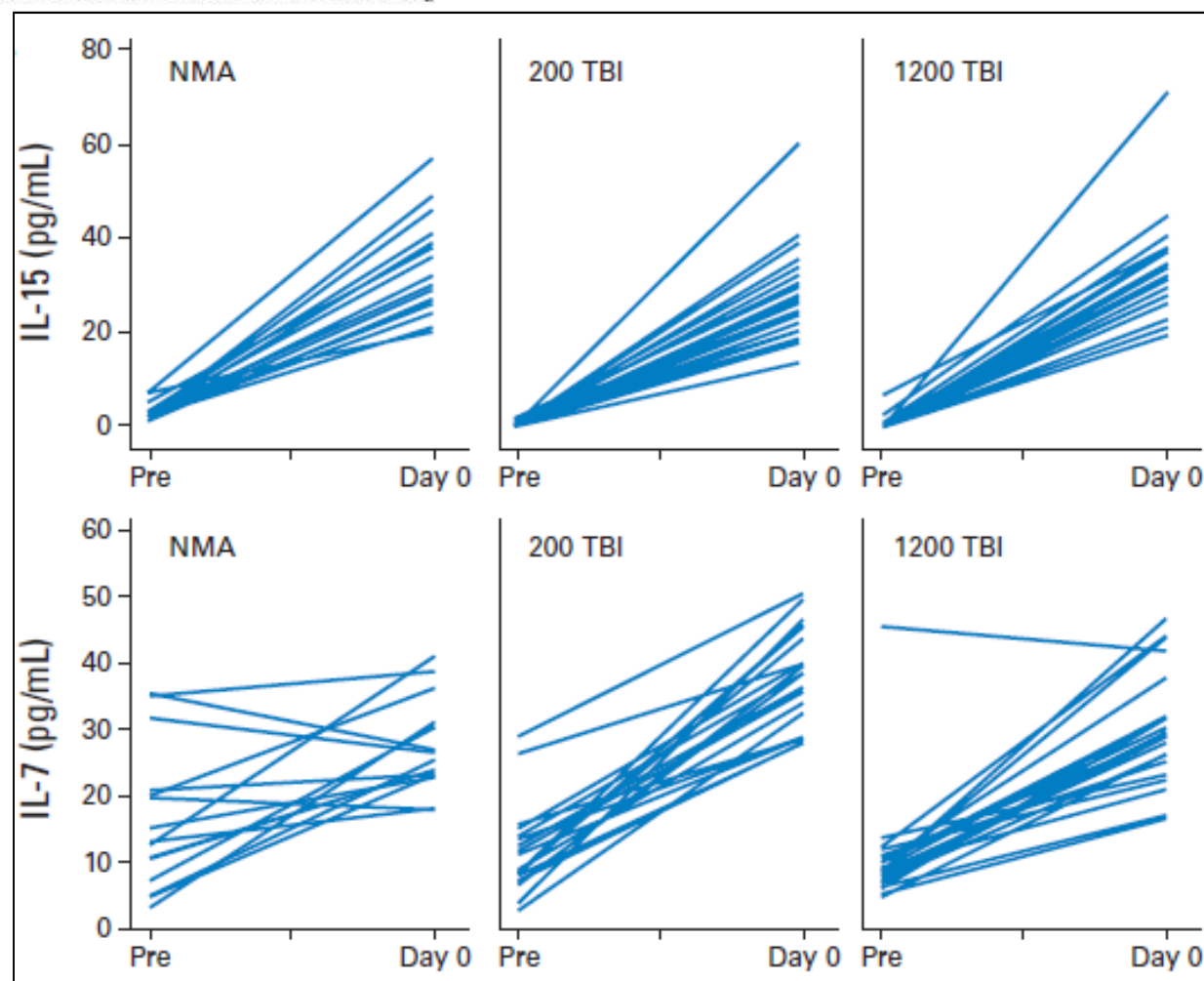
Lymphodepletion

Adoptive Cell Therapy for Patients With Metastatic Melanoma: Evaluation of Intensive Myeloablative Chemoradiation Preparative Regimens

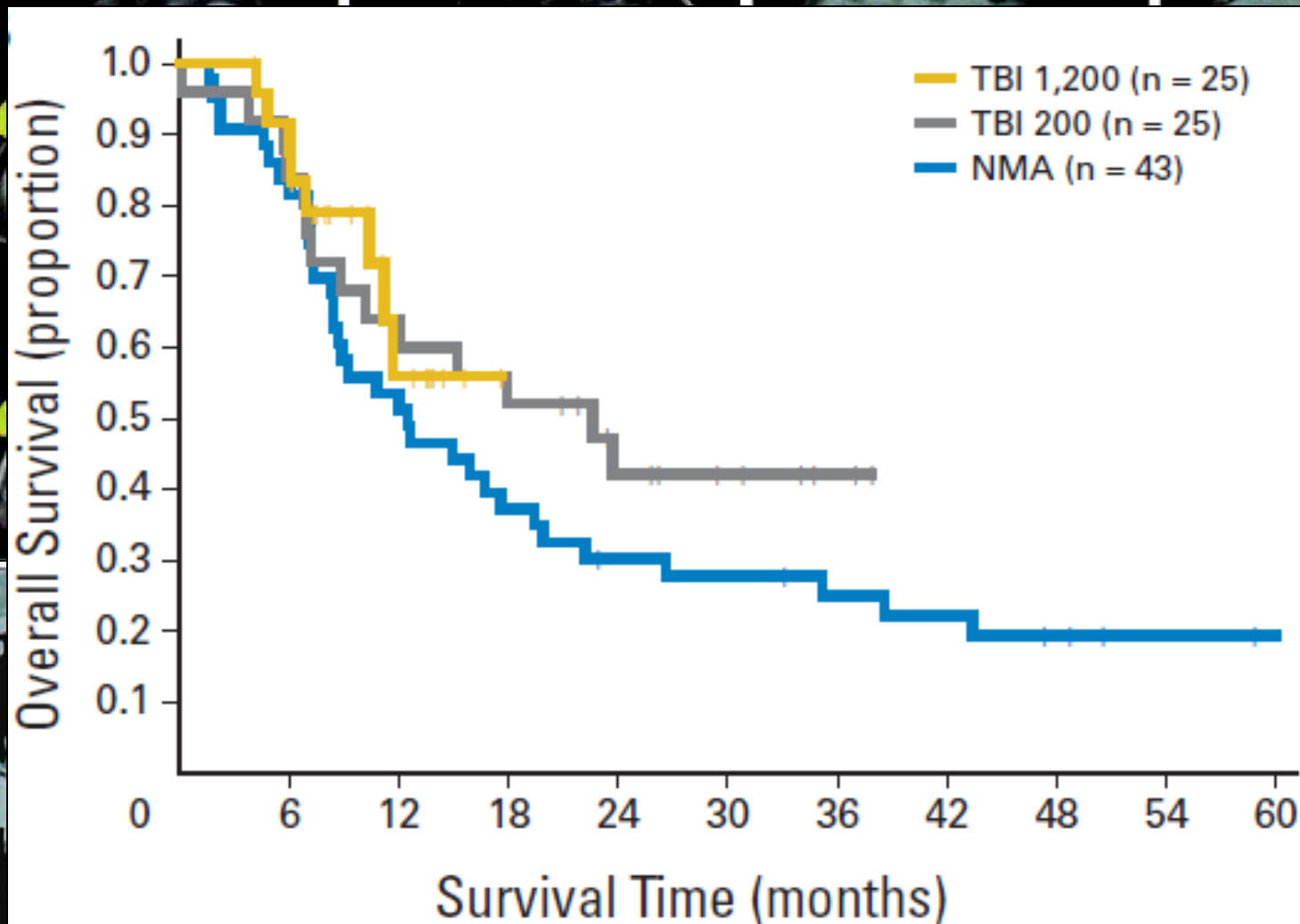
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TIL: Clinical Responses

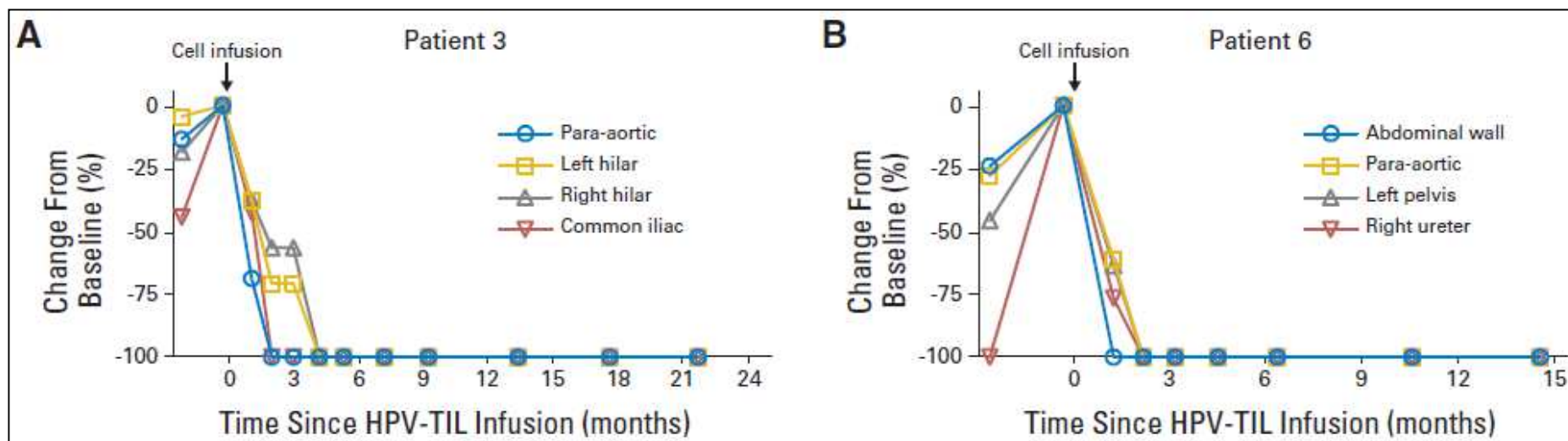


Other Tumors

Complete Regression of Metastatic Cervical Cancer After Treatment With Human Papillomavirus–Targeted Tumor-Infiltrating T Cells

Sanja Stevanović, Lindsey M. Draper, Michelle M. Langhan, Tracy E. Campbell, Mei Li Kwong, John R. Wunderlich, Mark E. Dudley, James C. Yang, Richard M. Sherry, Udai S. Kammula, Nicholas P. Restifo, Steven A. Rosenberg, and Christian S. Hinrichs

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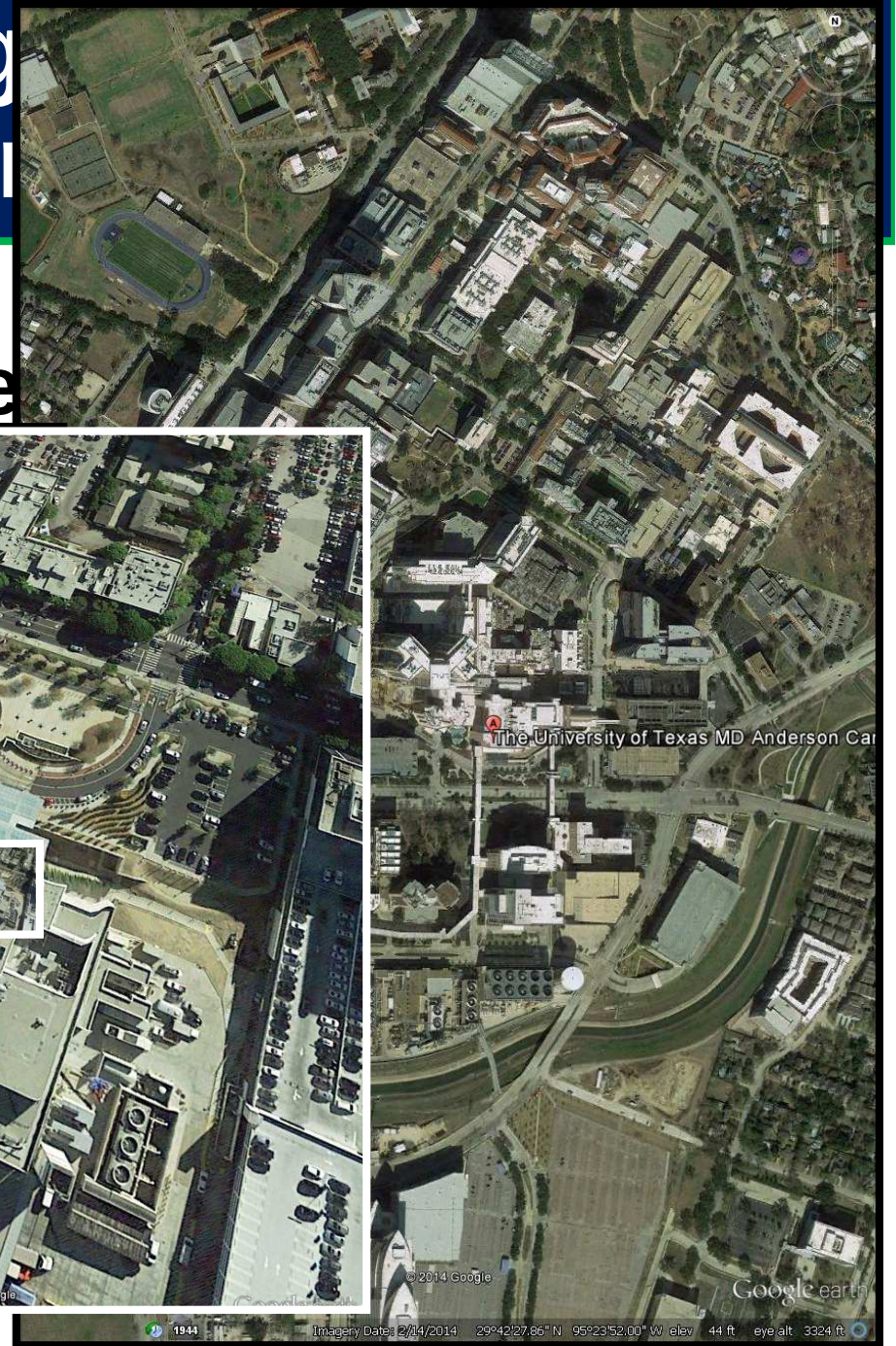
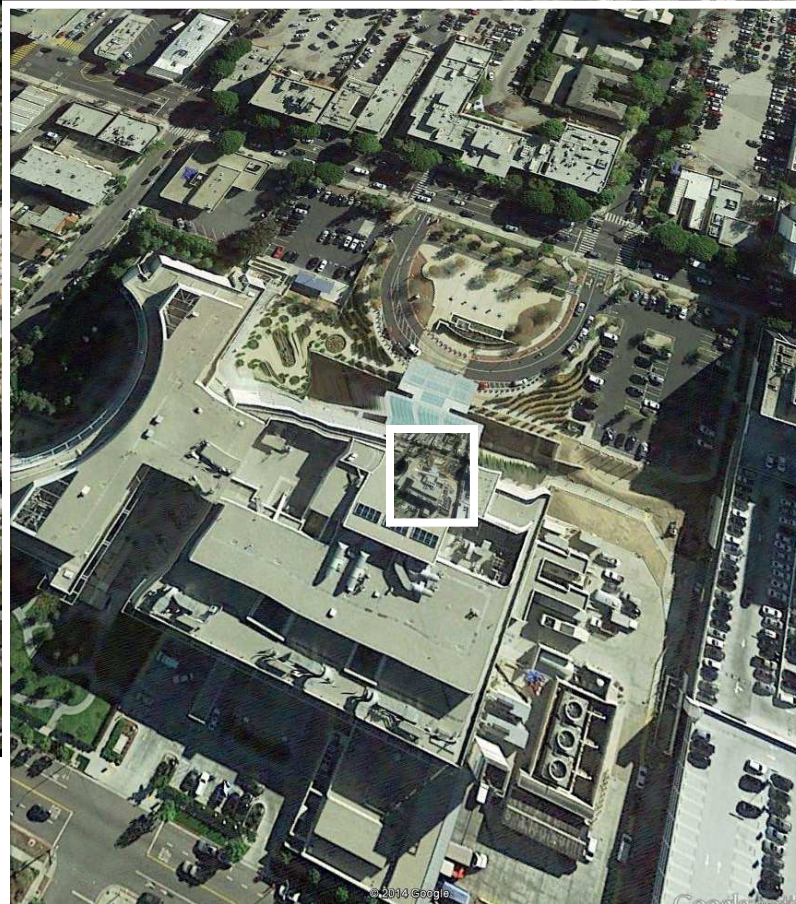


Tumor-Infiltrating Lymphocytes: Challenges

- **Technical challenges: (“GMP”)**
- **Timeline**
- **Tumor reactivity**
- **Interleukin-2**

Tumor-Infiltrating Challenges

- **Technical challenge**



Cell Production Facility



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Cell Production Facility



- IND Approved
- Protocol Open/Accruing



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Tumor Removal

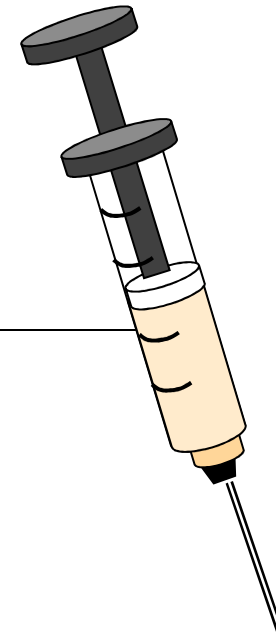
2-4 weeks

Testing



2 weeks

5-8 weeks



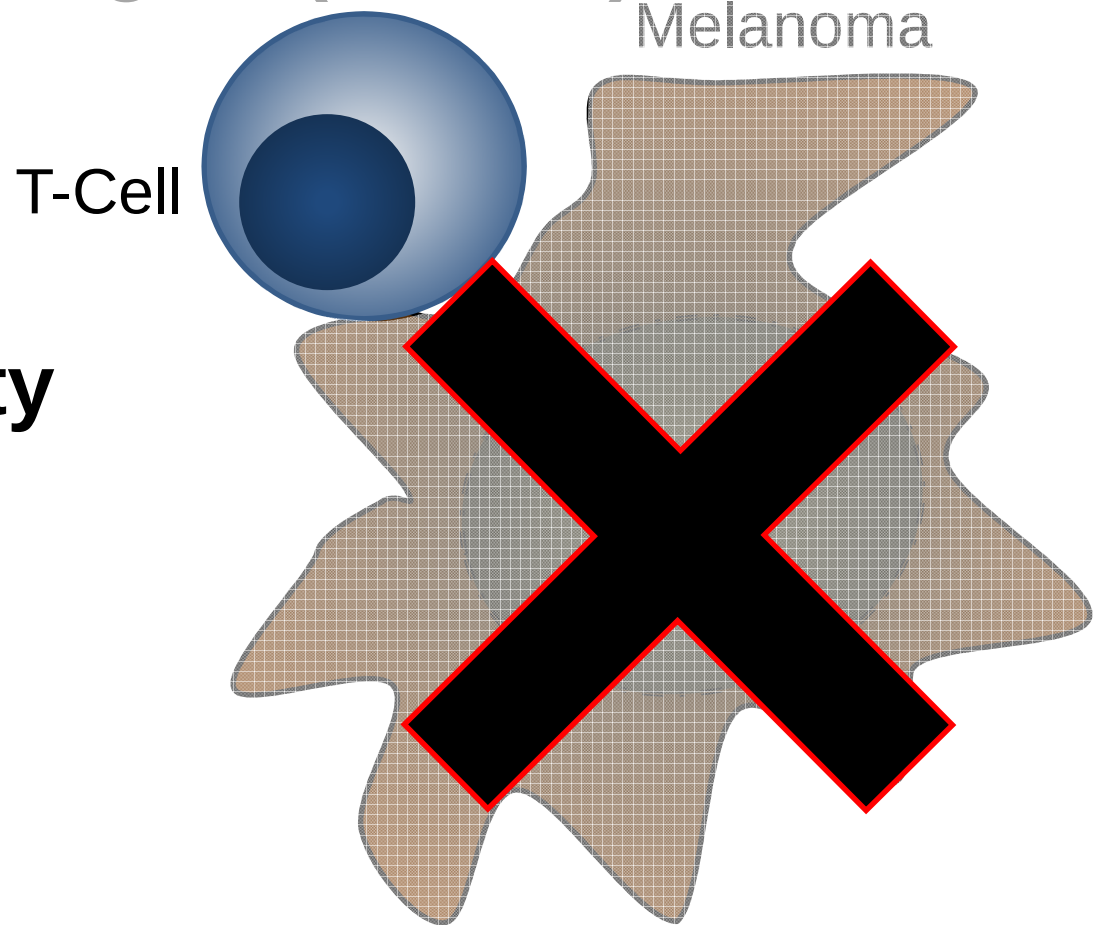
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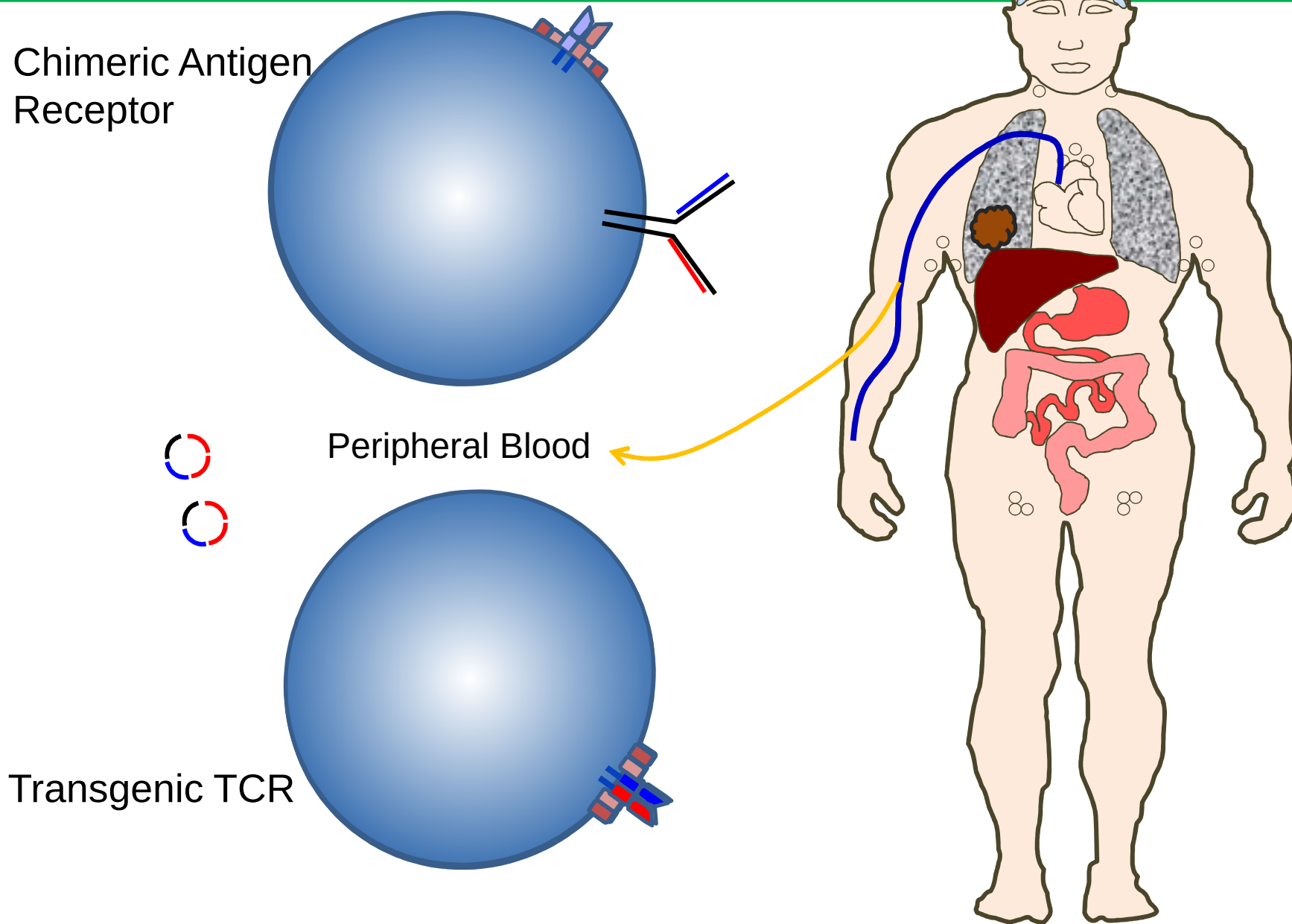
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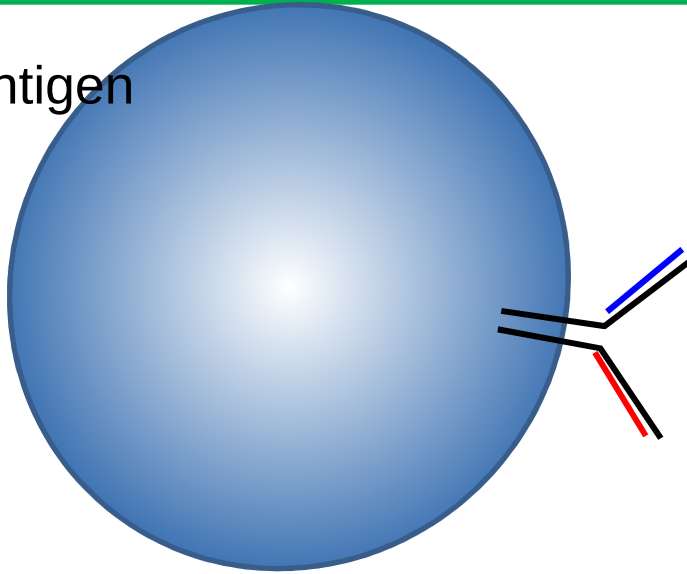


Modified T-cells

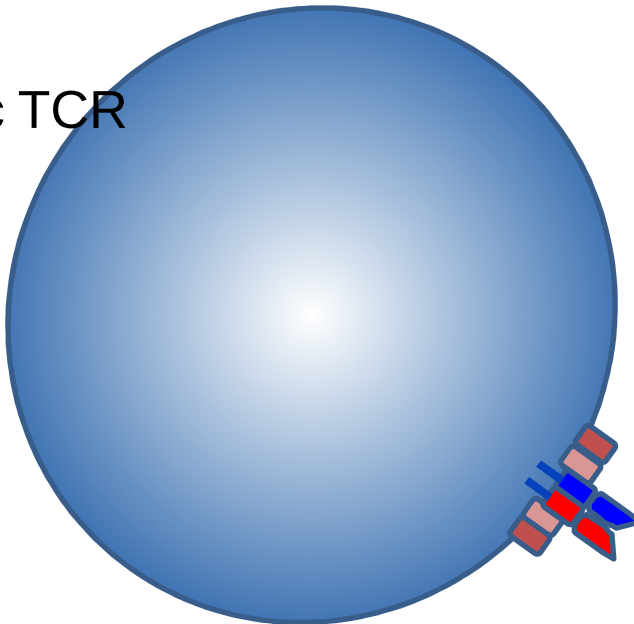


Modified T-cells: Antigens

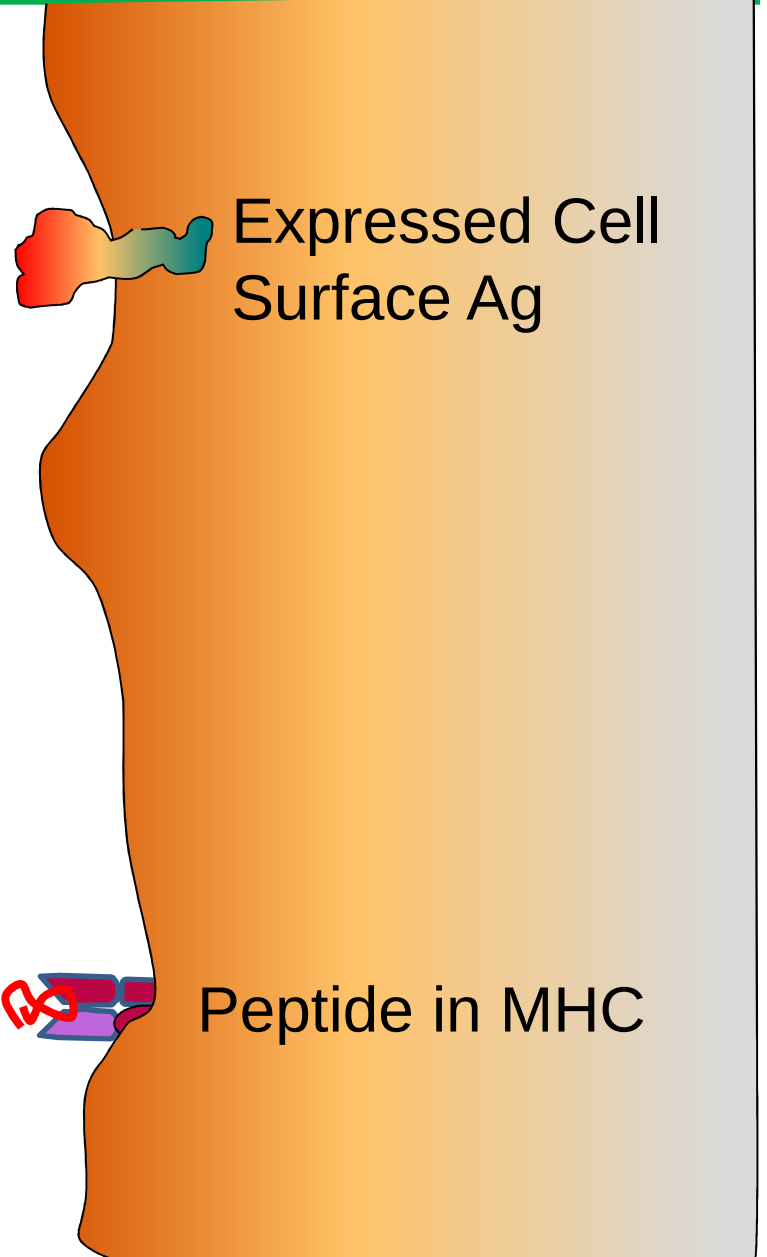
Chimeric Antigen
Receptor



Transgenic TCR



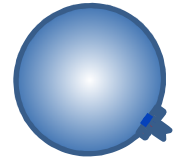
Expressed Cell
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Peptide in MHC

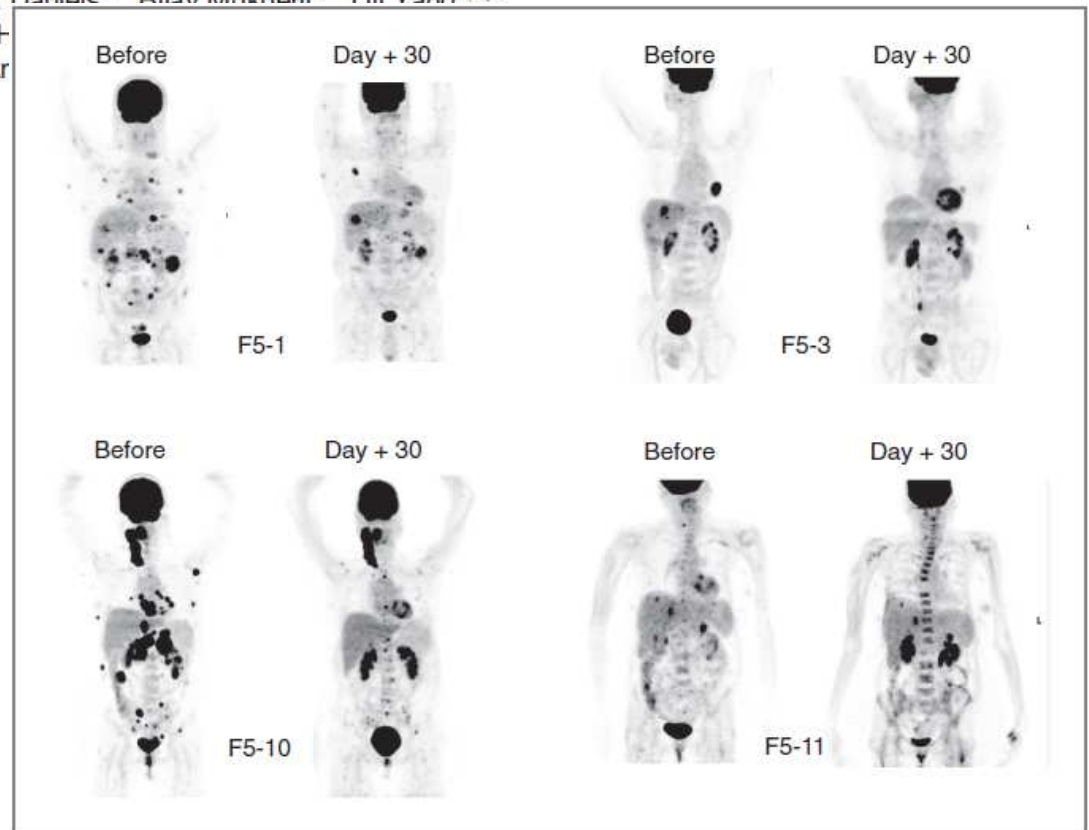
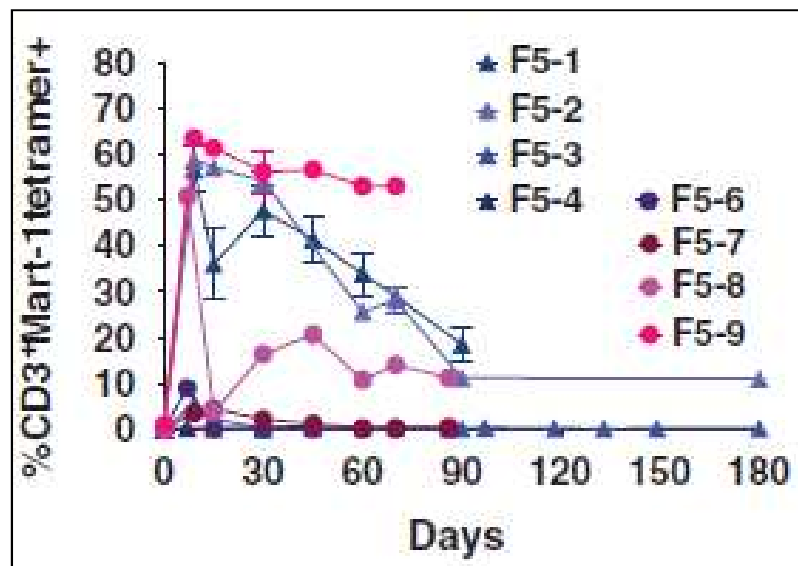
Transgenic TCR

Adoptive Transfer of MART-1 T-Cell Receptor Transgenic Lymphocytes and Dendritic Cell Vaccination in Patients with Metastatic Melanoma

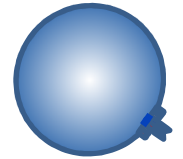


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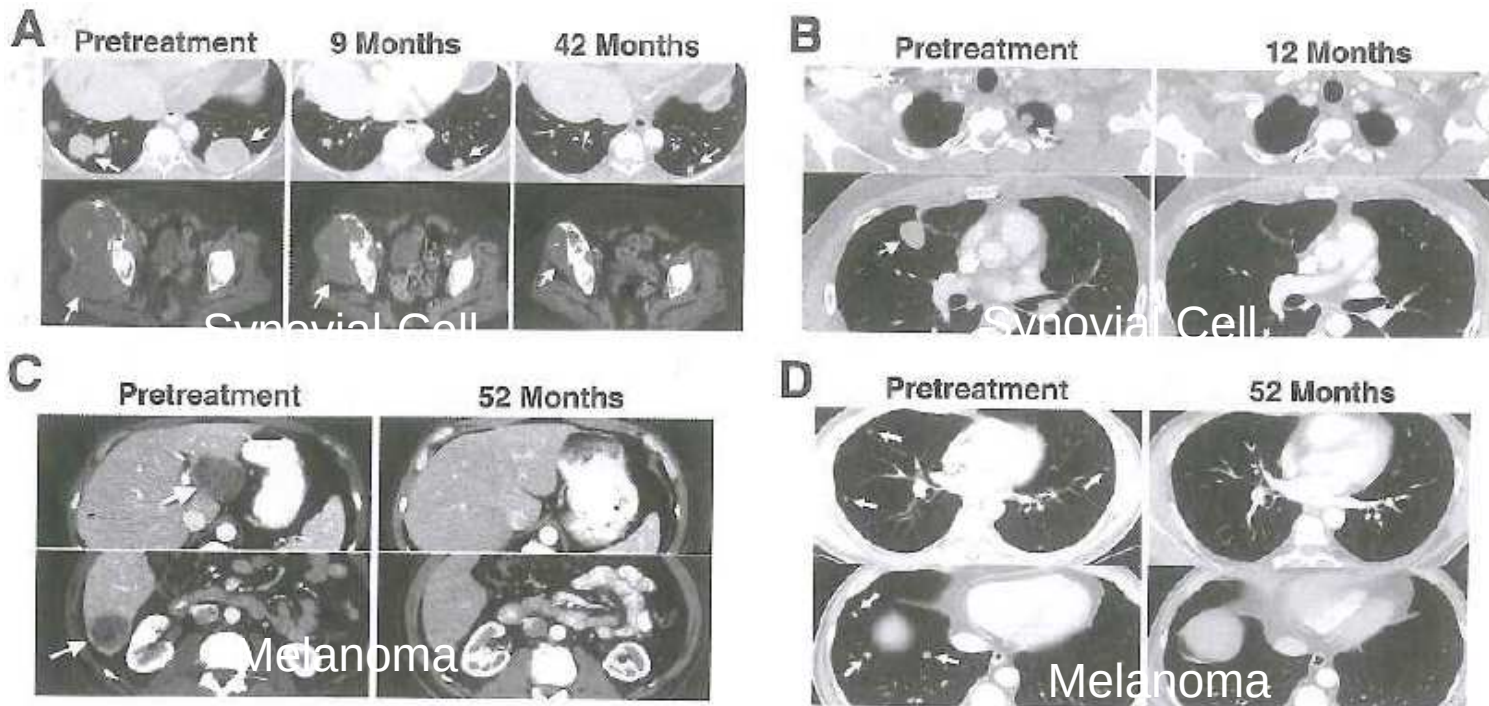
Transgenic TCR



A Pilot Trial Using Lymphocytes Genetically Engineered with an NY-ESO-1-Reactive T-cell Receptor: Long-term Follow-up and Correlates with Response

Paul F. Robbins¹, Sadik H. Kassim¹, Thai L.N. Tran², Jessica S. Crystal¹, Richard A. Morgan¹, Steven A. Feldman¹, James C. Yang¹, Mark E. Dudley¹, John R. Wunderlich¹, Richard M. Sherry¹, Udai S. Kammula¹, Marybeth S. Hughes¹, Nicholas P. Restifo¹, Mark Raffeld³, Chyi-Chia R. Lee³, Yong F. Li¹, Mona El-Gamil¹, and Steven A. Rosenberg¹

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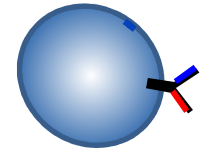
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Chimeric Antigen Receptor–Modified T Cells in Chronic Lymphoid Leukemia

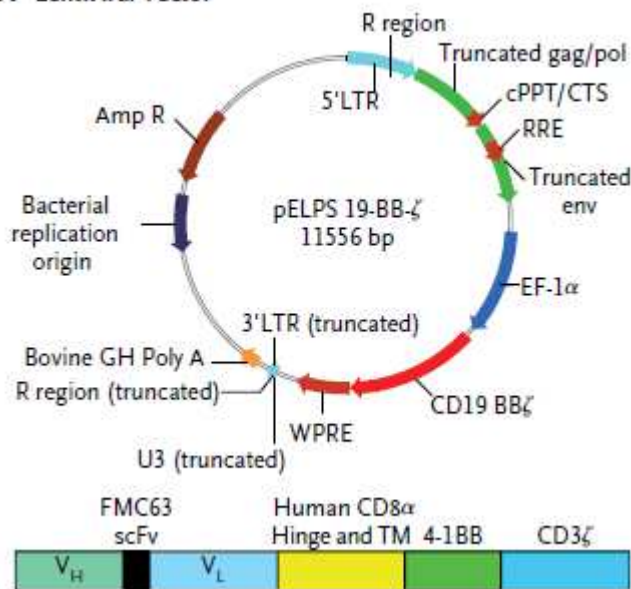
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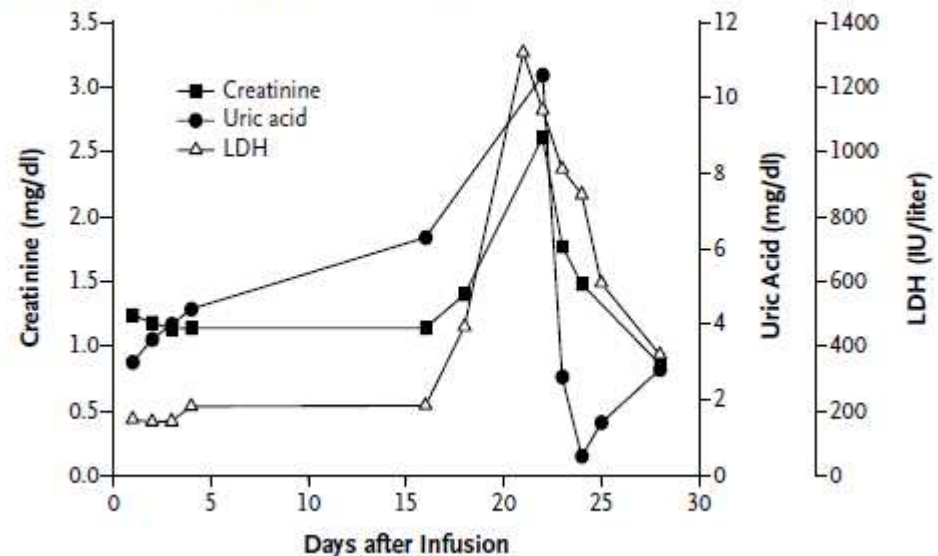
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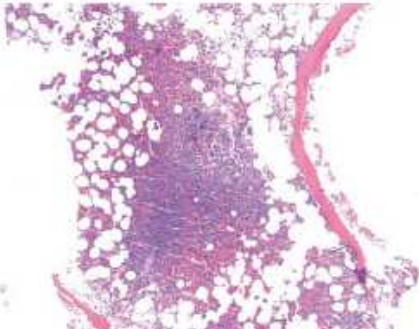
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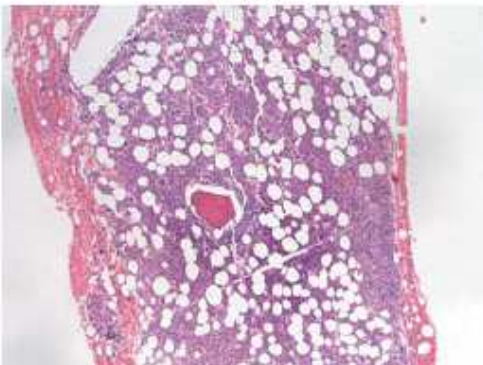
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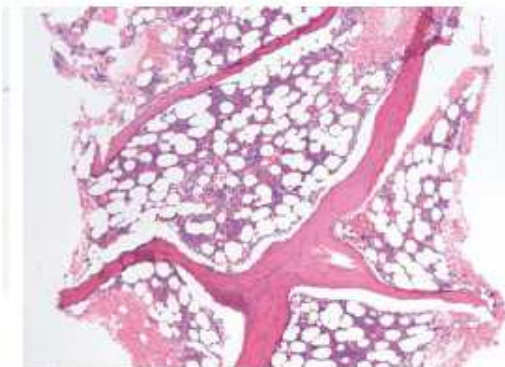
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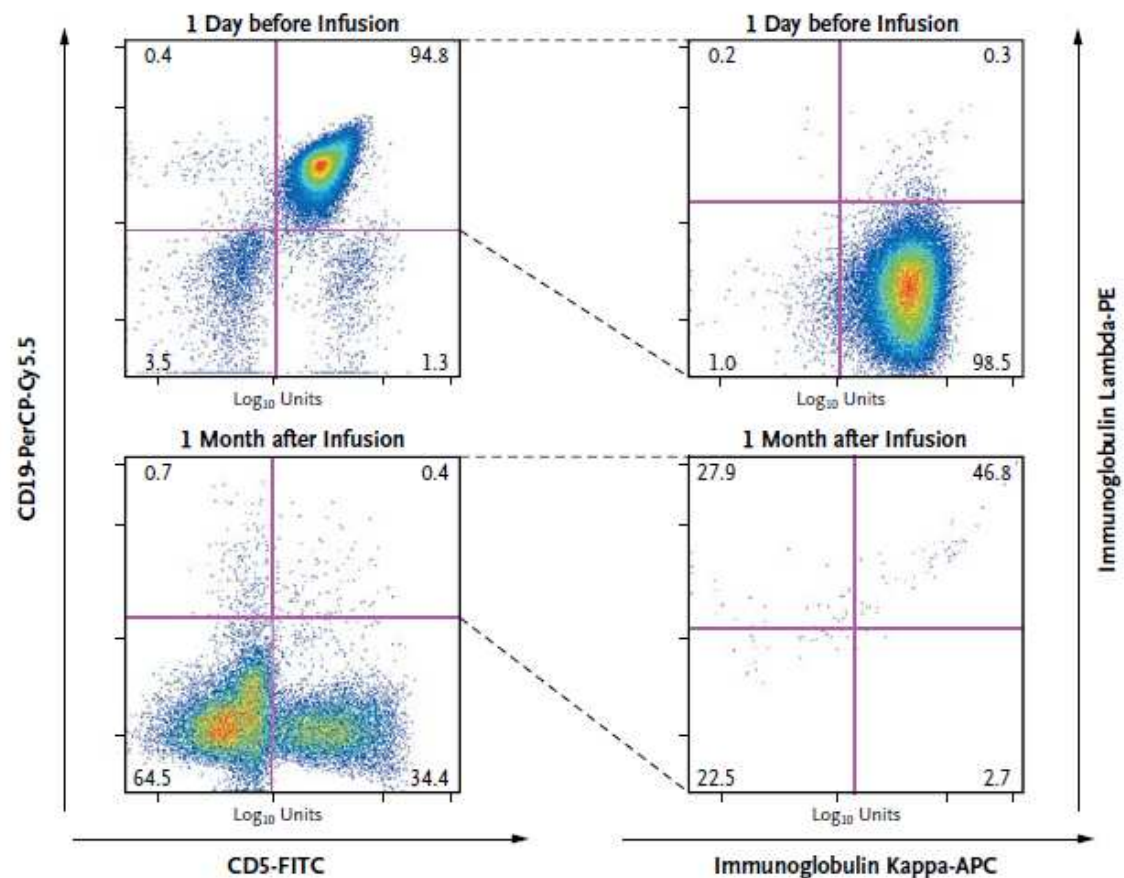
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Chemotherapy-Refractory Diffuse Large B-Cell Lymphoma
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Treated With Autologous T Cells Expressing an Anti-CD19
Chimeric Antigen Receptor

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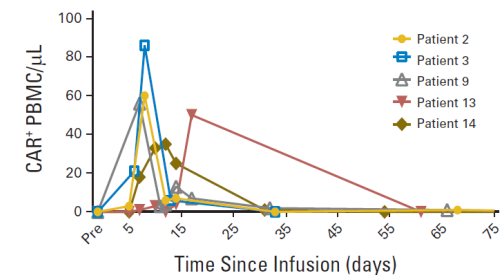
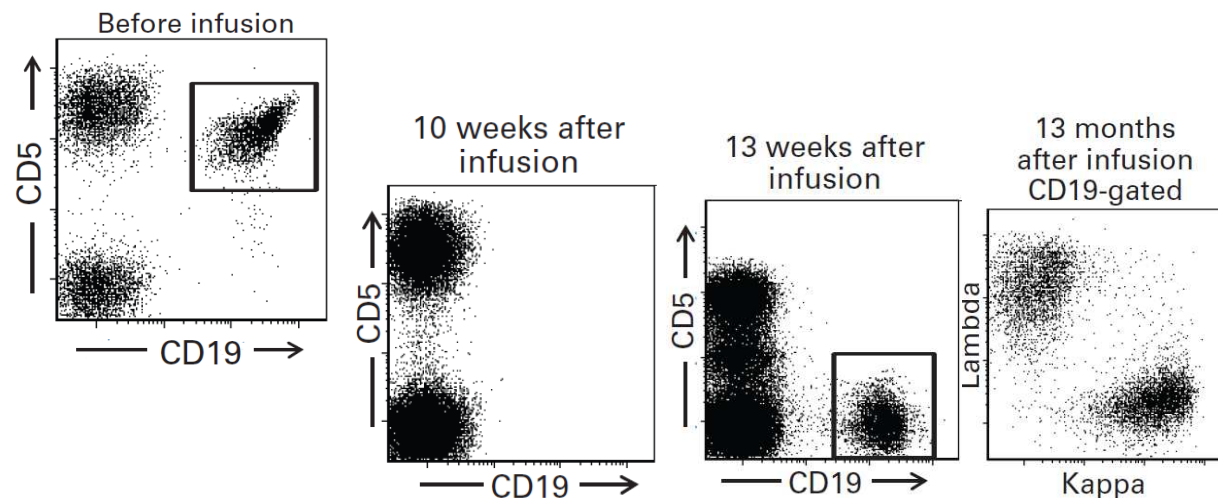
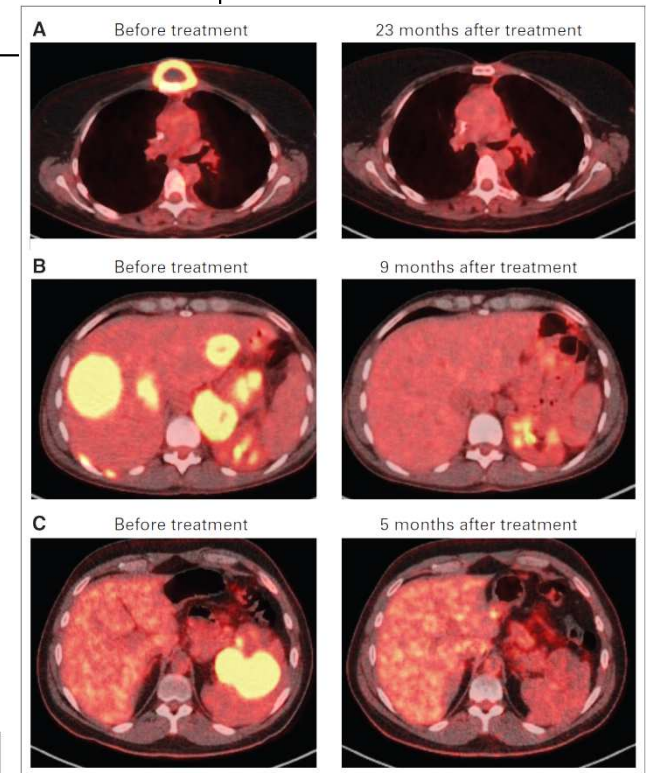
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Chimeric Antigen Receptor T-Cells

Chemotherapy-Refractory Diffuse Large B-Cell Lymphoma and Indolent B-Cell Malignancies Can Be Effectively Treated With Autologous T Cells Expressing an Anti-CD19 Chimeric Antigen Receptor

- 15 patients (9 DLBCL, 6 indolent B-cell malign.)
- 1 Death and several neurologic toxicities
- 4/7 DLBCL with CR, 2 PR, 1 SD
- Overall RR: 12/13 (92%) (9 responses ongoing)



CAR T-Cells: Toxicity

- **Cytokine Release Syndrome**

Case Report of a Serious Adverse Event Following the Administration of T Cells Transduced With a Chimeric Antigen Receptor Recognizing *ERBB2*

Richard A Morgan¹, James C Yang¹, Mio Kitano¹, Mark E Dudley¹, Carolyn M Laurencot¹
and Steven A Rosenberg¹

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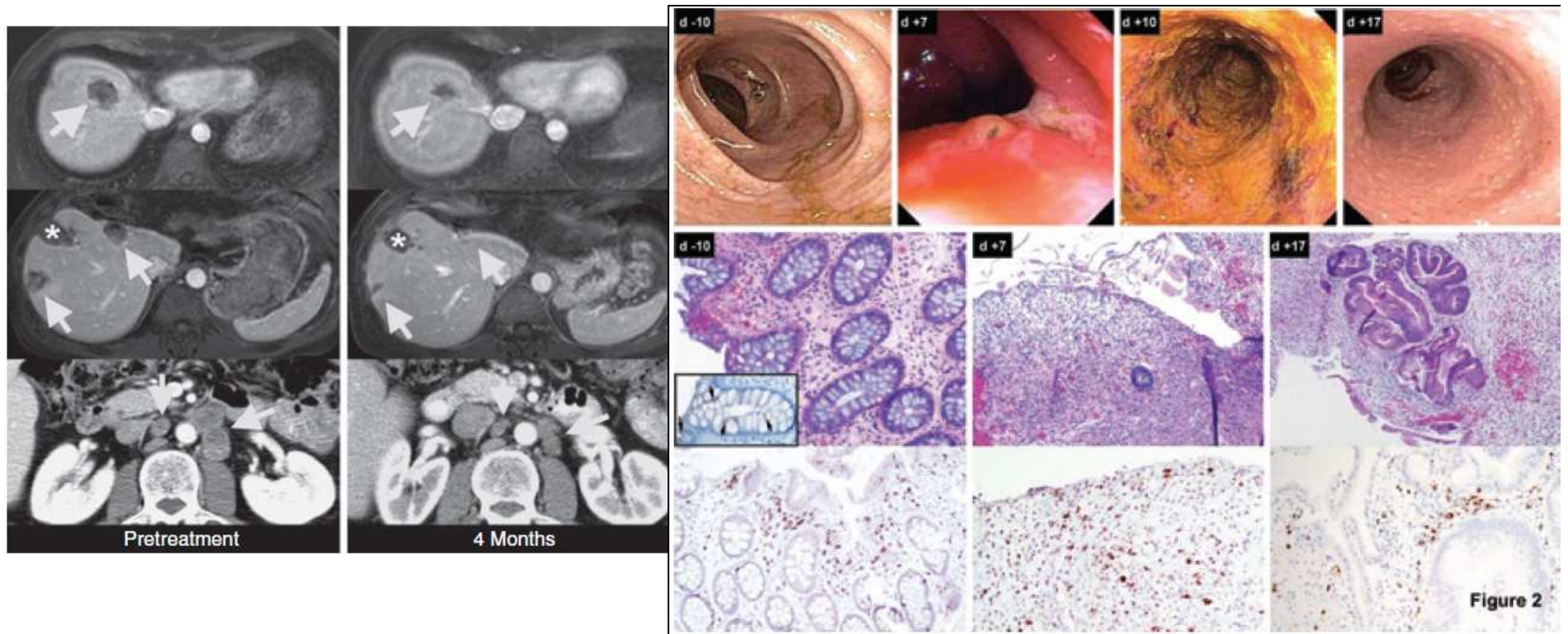
- 39 year-old with metastatic colorectal cancer
- 100 billion ERBB2 CAR T cells
- 15 minutes after infusion, respiratory distress, hypotension
- Died 5 days later

CAR T-Cells: “On Target – Off Tumor”

T Cells Targeting Carcinoembryonic Antigen Can Mediate Regression of Metastatic Colorectal Cancer but Induce Severe Transient Colitis

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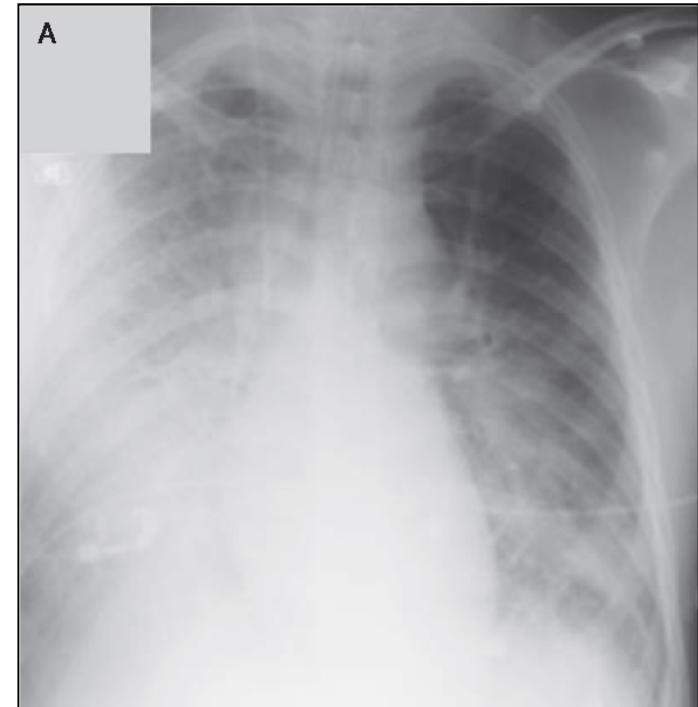
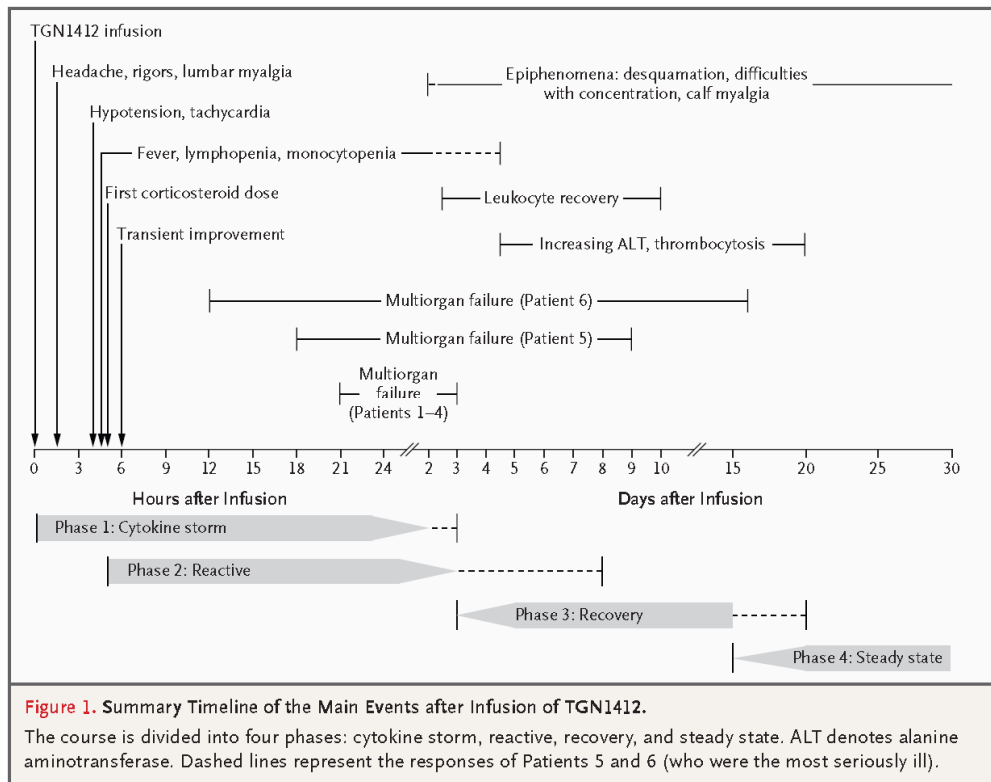
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Cytokine Storm in a Phase 1 Trial of the Anti-CD28 Monoclonal Antibody TGN1412

Ganesh Suntharalingam, F.R.C.A., Meghan R. Perry, M.R.C.P.,
Stephen Ward, F.R.C.A., Stephen J. Brett, M.D., Andrew Castello-Cortes, F.R.C.A.,
Michael D. Brunner, F.R.C.A., and Nicki Panoskaltsis, M.D., Ph.D.



Toxicity

Clinical Experiences With Anti-CD137 and Anti-PD1 Therapeutic Antibodies

Paolo A. Ascierto^a, Ester Simeone^a, Mario Szno^b, Yang-Xin Fu^c, and Ignacio Melero^d
Seminars in Oncology, Vol 37, No 5, October 2010, pp 508-516

Table 1. Anti-CD137 Clinical Studies

Status	Study	NTC Identifier	Phase	Condition
Terminated	A study of BMS-663513 administered in combination with chemotherapy to subjects with advanced solid malignancies	NCT00351325	Phase I	Advanced solid malignancies
Terminated	A study of BMS-663513 in combination with chemoradiation in subjects with non small cell lung carcinoma (NSCLC)	NCT00461110	Phase I/ phase II	NSCLC
Terminated	Study of BMS-663513 in patients with advanced cancer	NCT00309023	Phase I	Solid tumors
Withdrawn	Combination of anti-CD137 and ipilimumab in patients with melanoma	NCT00803374	Phase I	Melanoma
Completed	Phase II, second-line melanoma—RAND monotherapy	NCT00612664	Phase II	Melanoma

Ex

Ovarian Cancer

A Phase I Study on Activated T Cells for Ovarian Cancer

Michael H. Kershaw,^{1,3,4} Jennifer A. Wargo,¹ Sharon A. Mavroukakis,¹ Donald A. Clancy,¹ Clara C. Chen,² James C. Yang,¹ et al.
 Clin Cancer Res 2006;12(20):6711-6720

Neuroblastoma

Antitumor activity and toxicity of activated T cells in patients with neuroblastoma

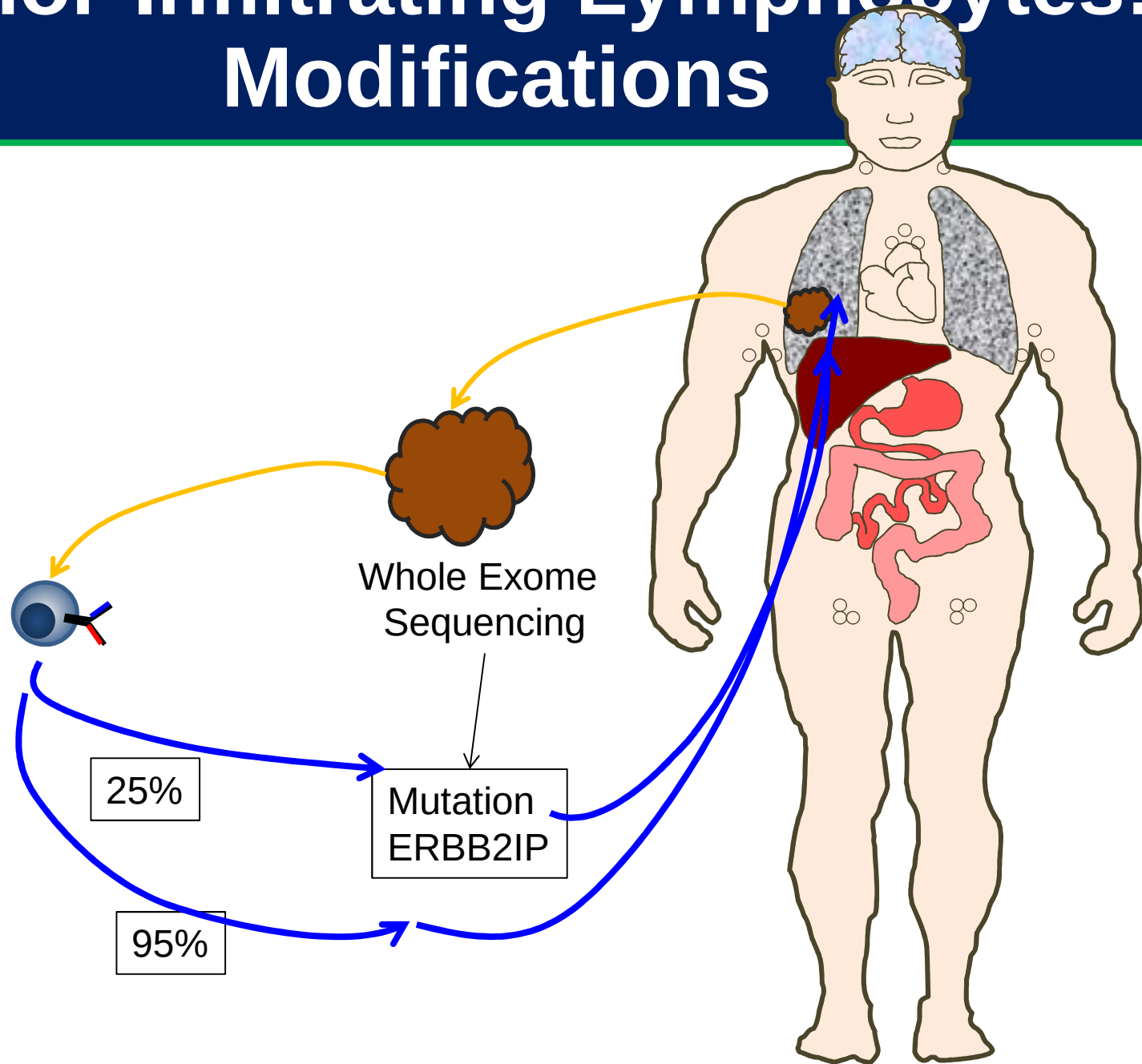
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Natural Killer Cells

taNK (tumor-antigen-activated NK cells)

Target	Cancers	Generation
A-folate receptor	Ovarian	1
CAIX	Renal	1,2
CD19	B-cell, CLL, B-ALL, follicular lymph,	1,2
CD20	B-cell, Mantle,	1,2,3
CD22	B-cell	2
CD30	Lymphoma, Hodgkin	1
CD33	AML	2
CD44v78	Cervical	2
CEA	Breast, Colon	1,2
EGP-2	Multiple	1
EGP-40	Colon	1
Erb-B2	Colon, Breast, meduloblastoma, glioblastoma, prostate, osteo	1,2
Erb-B2,3,4	Breast	1,2
FBP	Ovarian	1
Fetal acetylcholine R	Rhabdomyosarcoma	1
GD2	Neuroblastoma	1,3
GD3	Melanoma	1
IL-13R-a2	Glioblastoma, meduloblastoma	2
K-light chain	B-cell,	1,2
LeY	Carcinoma,	1,2
L1 CAM	Neuroblastoma	1
MAGE-A1	Melanoma	2
Mesothin	Various	2,3
MUC1	Breast, ovary	3
NKG2D ligands	Various	1

Tumor-Infiltrating Lymphocytes: Modifications



Challenge: Interleukin-2

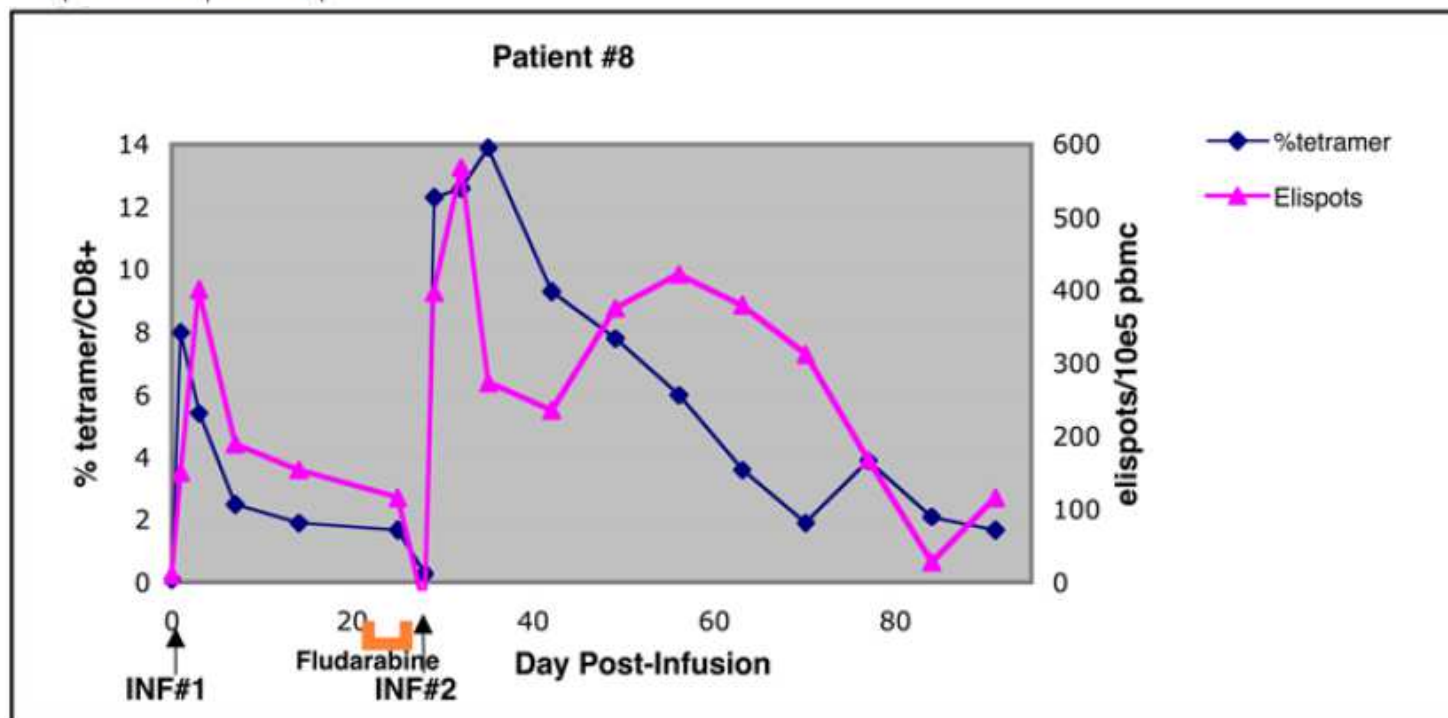
- High-dose IL-2
 - Toxic/stressful
- Lower dose IL-2?
- Combine with or substitute checkpoint inhibition?

Lymphodepletion

Fludarabine Modulates Immune Response and Extends *In Vivo* Survival of Adoptively Transferred CD8 T Cells in Patients with Metastatic Melanoma

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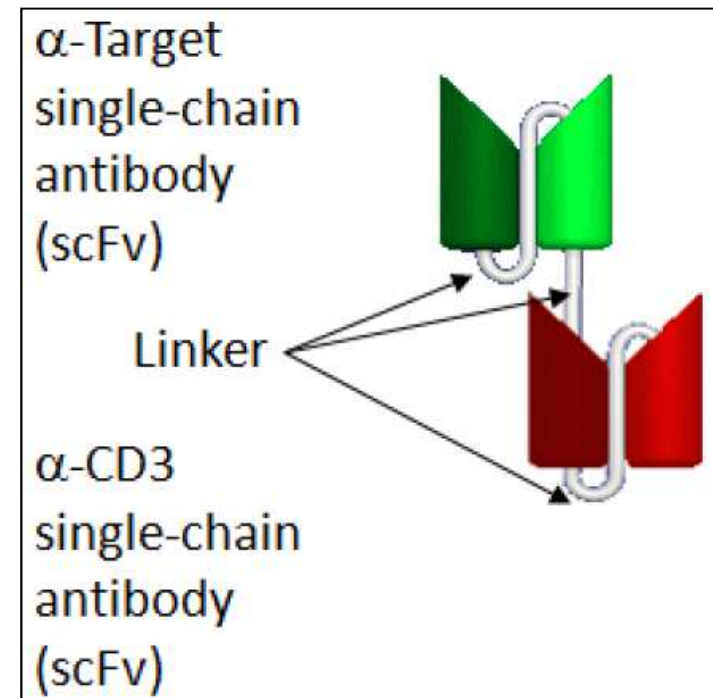
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Cells given with no IL-2 or low-dose IL-2

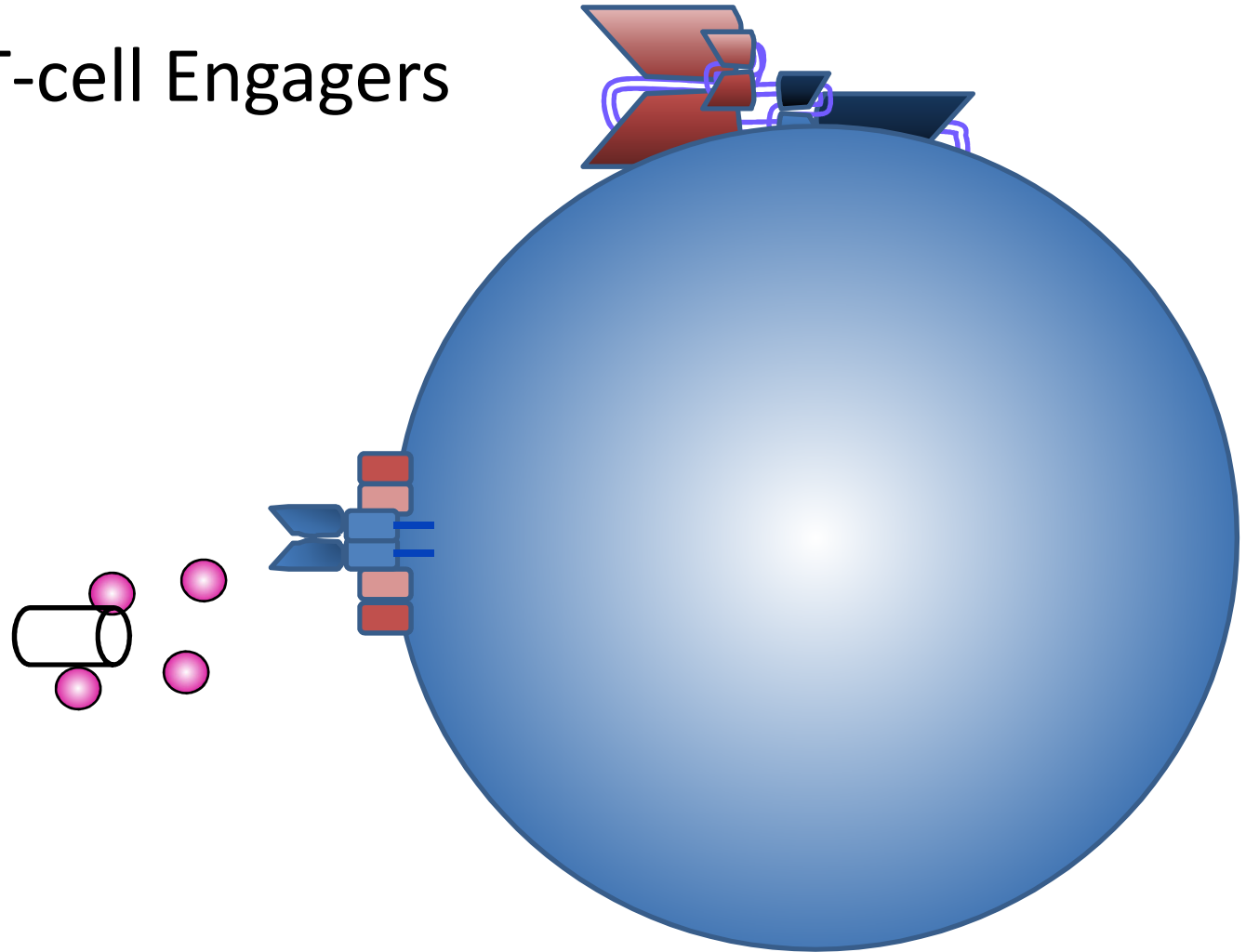
Bispecifics

- BiTE: Bispecific T-cell Engagers
 - Variable heavy/light chain with short linker
 - Specific for: - CD3 on one end
 - tumor antigen on the other
 - CD19, Her2/neu, EpCAM
 - Blinatumomab (CD3/CD19)
 - Approved Dec 3, 2014
 - 11% neurologic toxicity
 - IMCgp100 in melanoma
 - 17 patients (AACR)
 - 4 CR/PR



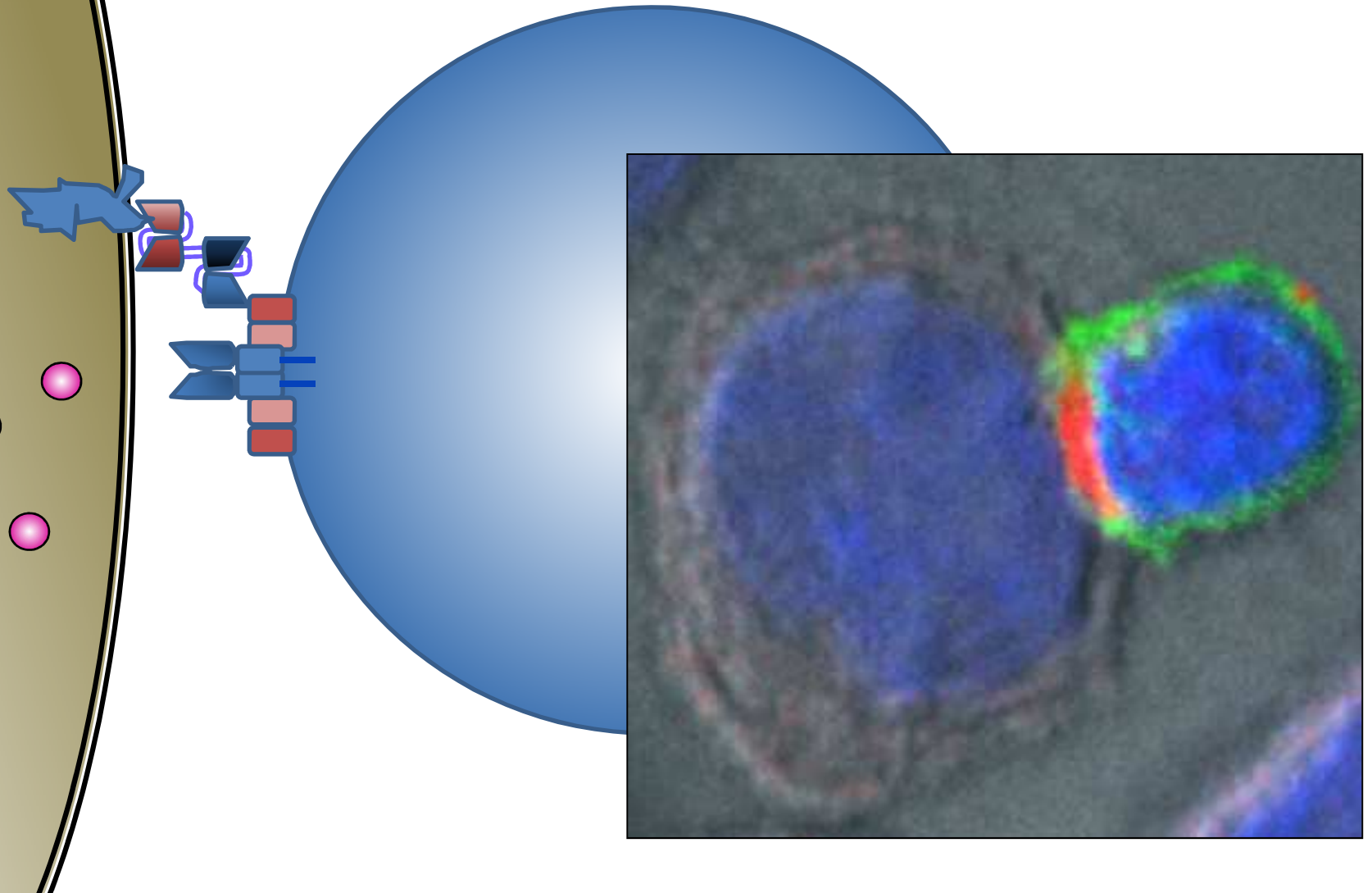
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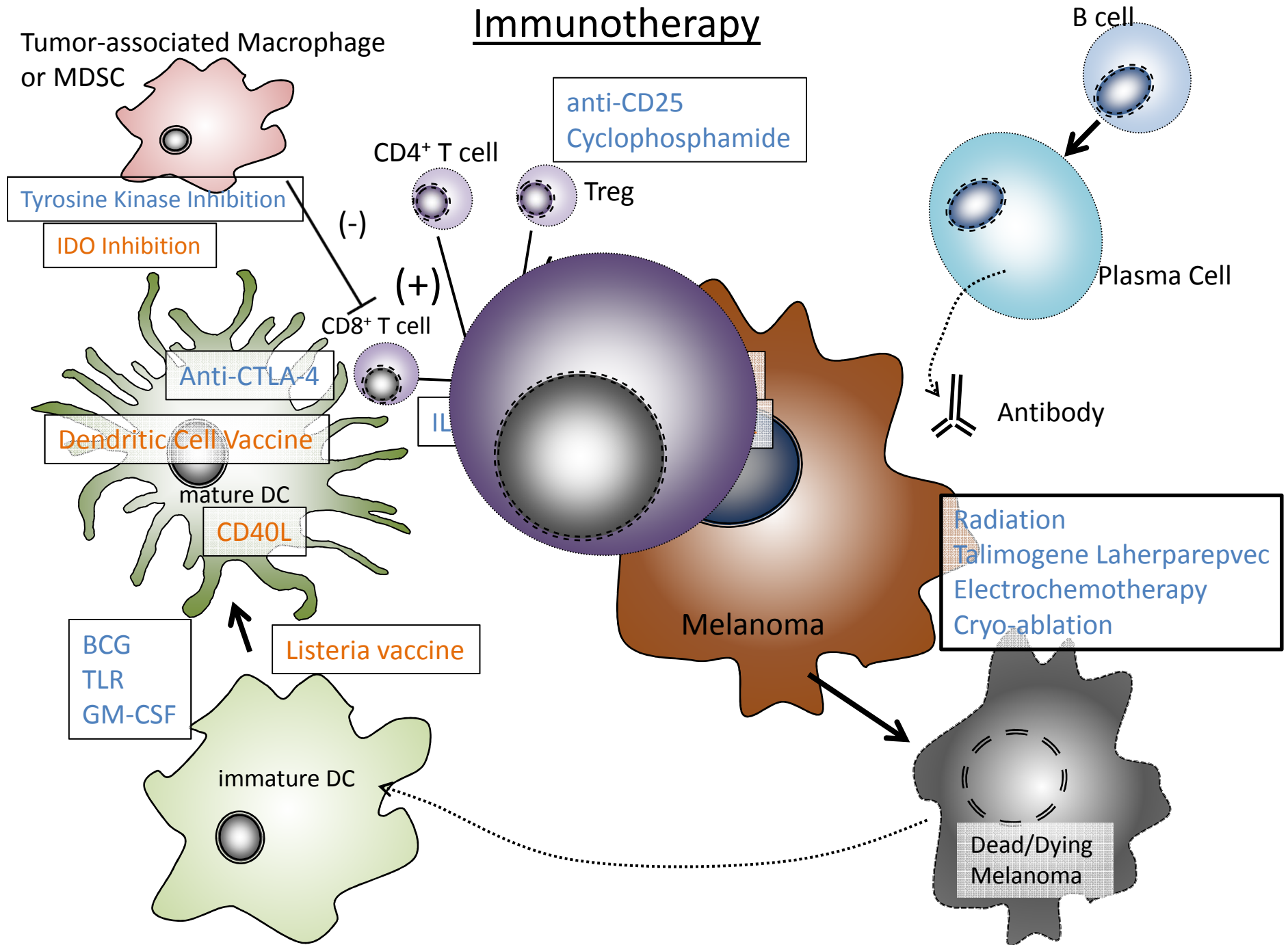


BiTE

- Bispecific T-cell Engagers



Immunotherapy



A silhouette of a person wearing a cowboy hat stands on a dark, rolling desert hill. The person is positioned on the right side of the frame, looking out over a vast landscape. In the foreground and middle ground, several large Joshua trees with their characteristic spiky leaves and branching forms are silhouetted against the sky. The sky is a gradient of colors, transitioning from a deep blue at the top to a bright orange and yellow near the horizon, indicating a sunset or sunrise. The overall mood is serene and contemplative.

Thank You

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