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## WHAT WE DO

## Developing innovative oral biotherapeutics for gastrointestinal health and beyond

#### TARGETED THERAPEUTICS

Targeted delivery of therapeutics to the site of disease in the gastrointestinal tract could improve outcomes for patients with IBD.



#### **PGN-600**

Tofacitinib+ DDS

### **PGN-001**

Adalimumab variant + DDS

### SYSTEMIC THERAPEUTICS

Capsule technology designed for systemic delivery of biotherapeutics, replacing injection with needle-free, oral delivery technology.



Systemic Oral **Biotherapeutics Delivery System** 



### PGN-OB1

Adalimumab variant + **OBDS** 

### PGN-OB2

GLP-1 agonist + **OBDS** 

### **Ionis Pharma**

Antisense therapy + OBDS

### Large Pharma 1

Undisclosed drug + OBDS

### Large Pharma 2

Undisclosed drug + **OBDS** 



# THERAPEUTICS PIPELINE

PROGRAM		INDICATION	DESIGN/FEASIBILITY	PRECLINICAL	CLINICAL
TARGETED THERAPEUTICS	DDS	IBD	Targeted Therapeutics Device		
	PGN-600	Ulcerative Colitis	Tofacitinib + Device		
	PGN-001	Ulcerative Colitis	Adalimumab variant + Device		
SYSTEMICTHERAPEUTICS	OBDS	-	Systemic Therapeutics Device		
	PGN-OB1	Autoimmune	Adalimumab variant + Device		
	PGN-OB2	Diabetes	GLP-1 agonist + Device		
	-	Undisclosed	Antisense Therapy + Device	in partnership with <b>IONIS</b>	
	-	Undisclosed	Undisclosed Drug + Device	in partnership with LARGE PHARMA 1	
	-	Undisclosed	Undisclosed Drug + Device	in partnership with LARGE PHARMA 2	



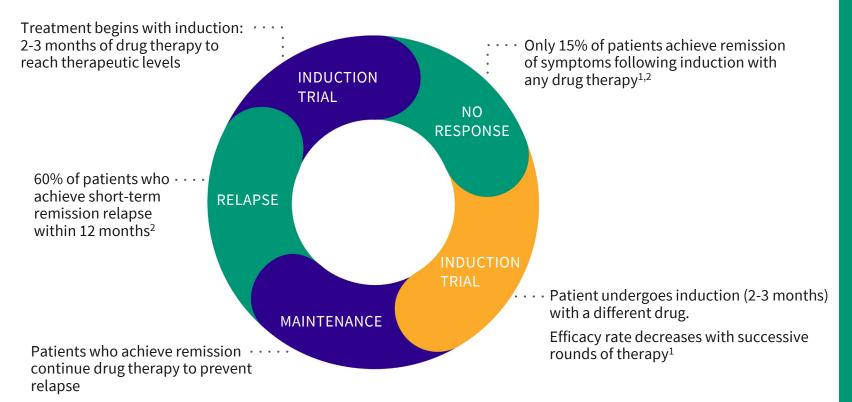


# TARGETED THERAPEUTICS

## ULCERATIVE COLITIS: THE TREATMENT GAP

Despite advanced therapeutics targeting different pathways, few patients achieve long-term remission

#### **UC TREATMENT CYCLE**



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- 2. Hirten RP, Sands BE. New Therapeutics for Ulcerative Colitis. Annu Rev Med. 2021;72:199-213.
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### TREATMENT OBJECTIVE

 The goal is deep remission: a combination of symptom remission and endoscopic healing

### **ABOUT ULCERATIVE COLITIS**

- Inflammatory bowel disease (IBD) includes Crohn's disease and ulcerative colitis (UC)
- UC causes inflammation and damage to the large intestine
- About 1 million people in the U.S. are affected with UC, and ~40,000 cases are diagnosed each year<sup>3</sup>

# TARGETED THERAPEUTICS: A POTENTIAL SOLUTION FOR UNMET NEED IN UC

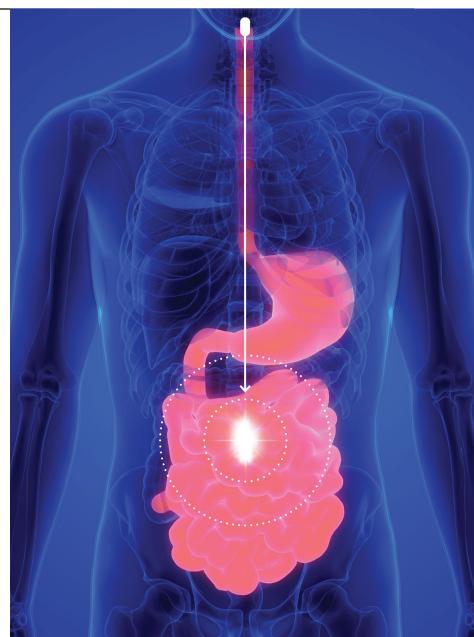
### **CURRENT THERAPEUTIC CHALLENGES FOR UC**

- UC drugs have systemic toxicity issues that may limit daily dosage
- Achieving sufficient drug levels at the site of disease is difficult with systemic delivery.
- Only 1 in 4 UC patient achieves short-term response<sup>2</sup>
- UC has multiple pathways,<sup>3</sup> but current protocols target single pathways due to toxicity concerns

### TARGETED THERAPEUTIC DELIVERY: **POTENTIAL SOLUTIONS**

Reduced systemic uptake should reduce toxicity and adverse events

- Increased drug levels in tissue are correlated with improved endoscopic outcomes<sup>1</sup>
- Targeted delivery could enable rapid induction, which should improve patient response
- Targeted delivery could enable combination therapy to target multiple inflammatory pathways simultaneously<sup>3</sup>
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# OUR IBD SOLUTION: TARGETED THERAPEUTICS

Targeted drug delivery to the GI tract designed to improve efficacy and safety

#### ADVANTAGES OF OUR APPROACH

- Targeted delivery designed to improve endoscopic outcomes by increasing drug levels at the site of disease
- Payload delivery method designed to minimize systemic uptake, potentially reducing adverse effects
- Reduced systemic toxicity could finally enable combination therapy

Research in

partnership with:





### **ORAL ADMINISTRATION**

 Oral capsule approximately the size of a fish oil capsule for patient convenience

### **FLEXIBLE FORMULATION**

 Delivers a payload of ~500μl liquid or solid formulation to the desired location

### **ACCURATE DELIVERY**

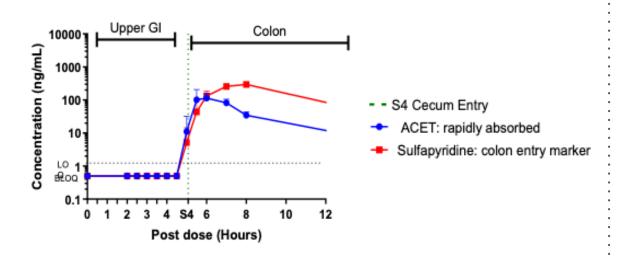
 Proprietary autolocation in the GI tract for accurate drug delivery





## TARGETED THERAPEUTICS: PRECLINICAL RESULTS

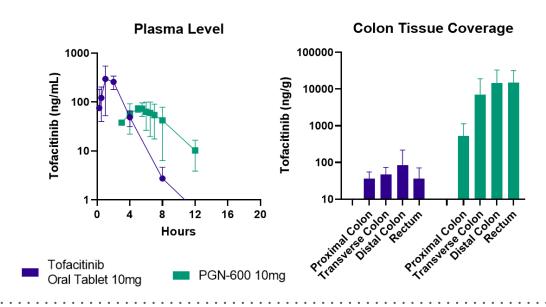
#### **ACCURATE DELIVERY TO THE COLON**



Pharmacokinetic data from two marker drugs administered in canine model indicated:

- Successful delivery to colon via DDS
- No early release of drug
- No drug absorption in upper GI tract

### **BETTER PK EFFECT & COVERAGE**



Standard oral dose vs. PGN-600 (tofacitinib delivered via DDS capsule) in canine model demonstrated:

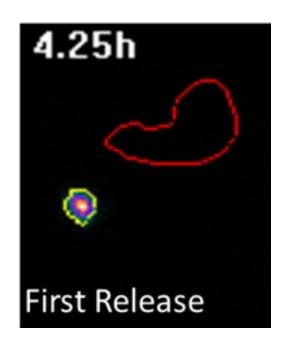
- Reduced drug levels in blood vs. standard oral dose
- Tissue drug levels at least 25x higher along the length of the colon vs. standard oral dose

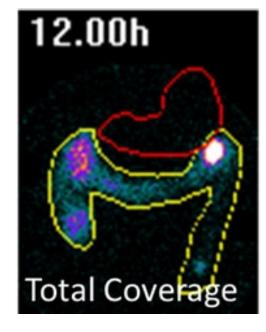


## TARGETED THERAPEUTICS: CLINICAL DEVICE PERFORMANCE

### Accurate localization and delivery demonstrated in humans

#### **DEVICE LOCALIZATION AND DELIVERY TO COLON**





Successful clinical device validation for localization and delivery function using scintigraphic imaging:

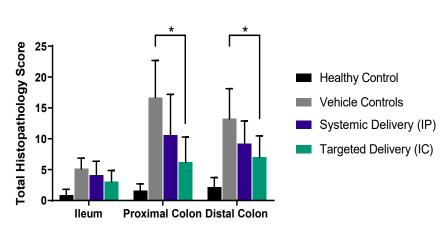
- Safety and tolerability in normal healthy volunteers; devices recovered intact
- 83% accuracy of localization function (10/12)
- No early release before colon detection



# TARGETED DELIVERY: SUPERIOR PHARMACODYNAMICS IN MULTIPLE **MOLECULES**

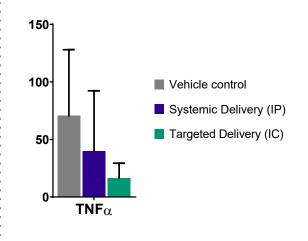
### Anti-TNFa in animal models

### IMPROVED HISTOPATHOLOGY SCORE



\*Pair-wise comparisons by two-tailed Mann-Whitney *U*-Test; *p*<0.05

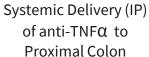
### REDUCED INFLAMMATORY **CYTOKINES**



#### **REDUCED T-CELL COUNTS**

T-Cell Immunohistochemistry (CD4+)







Targeted Delivery (IC) of anti-TNF $\alpha$  to **Proximal Colon** 

Systemic delivery via intraperitoneal injection (IP) vs. targeted intracecal delivery (IC) of anti-TNFα in mouse model of T-cell transfer colitis demonstrated:

- Significantly improved histopathology score vs. systemic delivery
- Significantly reduced inflammatory cytokines vs. systemic delivery
- T-cell counts reduced in proximal colon (decrease in inflammation) vs. systemic delivery



# TARGETED THERAPEUTICS CLINICAL PLAN

FUNCTION STUDIES	TOX STUDY	PHASE 1 CLINICAL STUDIES	PHASE 1B/2A CLINICAL STUDIES
<ul> <li>PM-601 Device Function Study in Normal Healthy Volunteers</li> <li>Device was well tolerated</li> <li>Achieved pan-colon distribution of payload</li> <li>Accurately identified entry into the colon (10/12); no early deployment</li> <li>PM-602 Device Function Study in Patients with Active Ulcerative Colitis</li> <li>Recruiting</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>PGN-600 Tox GLP</li> <li>Up to 30 animals in three groups: <ul> <li>Oral pill</li> <li>Device only (10 mg)</li> <li>Device + drug (25 mg)</li> </ul> </li> <li>8 weeks/QD</li> </ul>	PGN-600 Phase 1 SAD/MAD Study to Evaluate Safety, Tolerability, and PK/PD in Normal Healthy Volunteers  • 48 total subjects (24 SAD / 24 MAD)  • 8 days	PGN-600 Safety and Efficacy in Subjects with Moderate to Severe Ulcerative Colitis Who Have Been Previously Exposed to TNF Antagonist
OBJECTIVES	OBJECTIVES	OBJECTIVES	OBJECTIVES
<ul> <li>Scintigraphy confirmation of device location, drug release, and colon coverage</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Confirmation of device location, drug release, and colon coverage</li> <li>Previous Tox Study (2021)</li> <li>7 days/QD in canines</li> <li>No safety signals were observed</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Safety &amp; tolerability of PGN-600 by assessing treatment-related AEs, ECGs, vital signs, and clinical laboratory values</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Demonstrate safety &amp; tolerability, PK/PD of PGN-600 in UC patients</li> <li>Estimate % of patients with clinical remission after 8 weeks treatment with PGN-600</li> </ul>





# SYSTEMIC THERAPEUTICS

# NEEDLE AVERSION LEADS TO POOR PATIENT ADHERENCE

### Patients prefer oral delivery of medication



of adults avoid medical treatment due to fear of needles1



of patients fail to maintain injectable treatment due to needle aversion<sup>3</sup>

among diabetes patients initiating treatment with injectable GLP-1 agonist



of patients prefer a daily oral capsule to bi-weekly injection<sup>3</sup>

among rheumatoid arthritis patients undergoing anti-TNFa therapy

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# SYSTEMIC THERAPEUTICS DELIVERY SYSTEM

Needle-free, oral delivery to small intestine designed for optimal systemic uptake

# ADVANTAGES OF SYSTEMIC ORAL BIOTHERAPEUTICS

- Needle-free, liquid jet administration to intestinal tissue for enhanced systemic uptake
- More frequent administration vs. injection may improve outcomes
- Versatile platform can deliver a range of large molecules, including:
  - Monoclonal antibodies
  - Peptides
  - Nucleic acids

### **RESEARCH PARTNERSHIPS**

- Large Pharma 1
- Large Pharma 2
- · IONIS



### LIQUID FORMULATION

 Delivers a payload of ~400μl liquid drug with little to no reformulation

#### PRECISE DELIVERY

 Enteric trigger for precise timing of drug delivery to the small intestine

### **NEEDLE-FREE ADMINISTRATION**

 Capsule about the size of a multivitamin for pain-free oral administration





## SYSTEMIC THERAPEUTICS: PRECISION DELIVERY

## Preclinical studies demonstrate precise and reliable release of payload

#### **STUDY DESIGN**

- Capsule loaded with a radio-opaque marker (iohexal)
- Two different enteric triggers evaluated
- Sequential imaging as the capsule transits through the GI tract in canines

### **RESULTS**

- Reliable triggering and iohexal release
- Ability to optimize timing of trigger release
- No safety issues observed

### **ACCURATE DELIVERY IN SMALL INTESTINE**



Immediately after dosing in the stomach

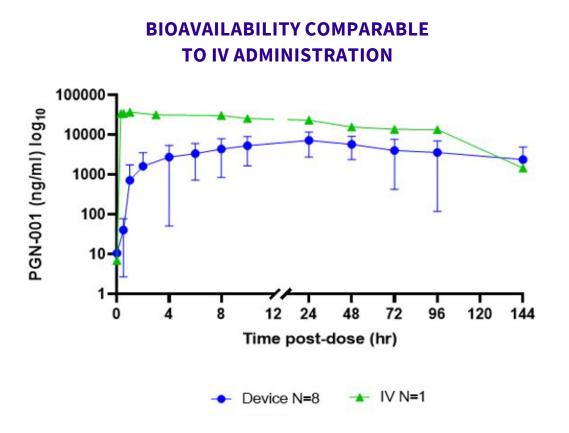


After deployment in the small intestine



# EXCELLENT SYSTEMIC UPTAKE FOR ORALLY DELIVERED LARGE MOLECULES

Demonstrated up to 67% bioavailability for monoclonal antibodies



- Multiple studies in swine model with endoscopically placed, autonomous device compared to IV administration
- Achieved up to 67% bioavailability for a variant of adalimumab1
- Most recent study had an average of 22% bioavailability in animals where drug was detected in blood<sup>1</sup>
  - For comparison, commercially available oral large molecules achieve bioavailability of 1% or less





TIMELINE

## DEVELOPMENT TIMELINE

